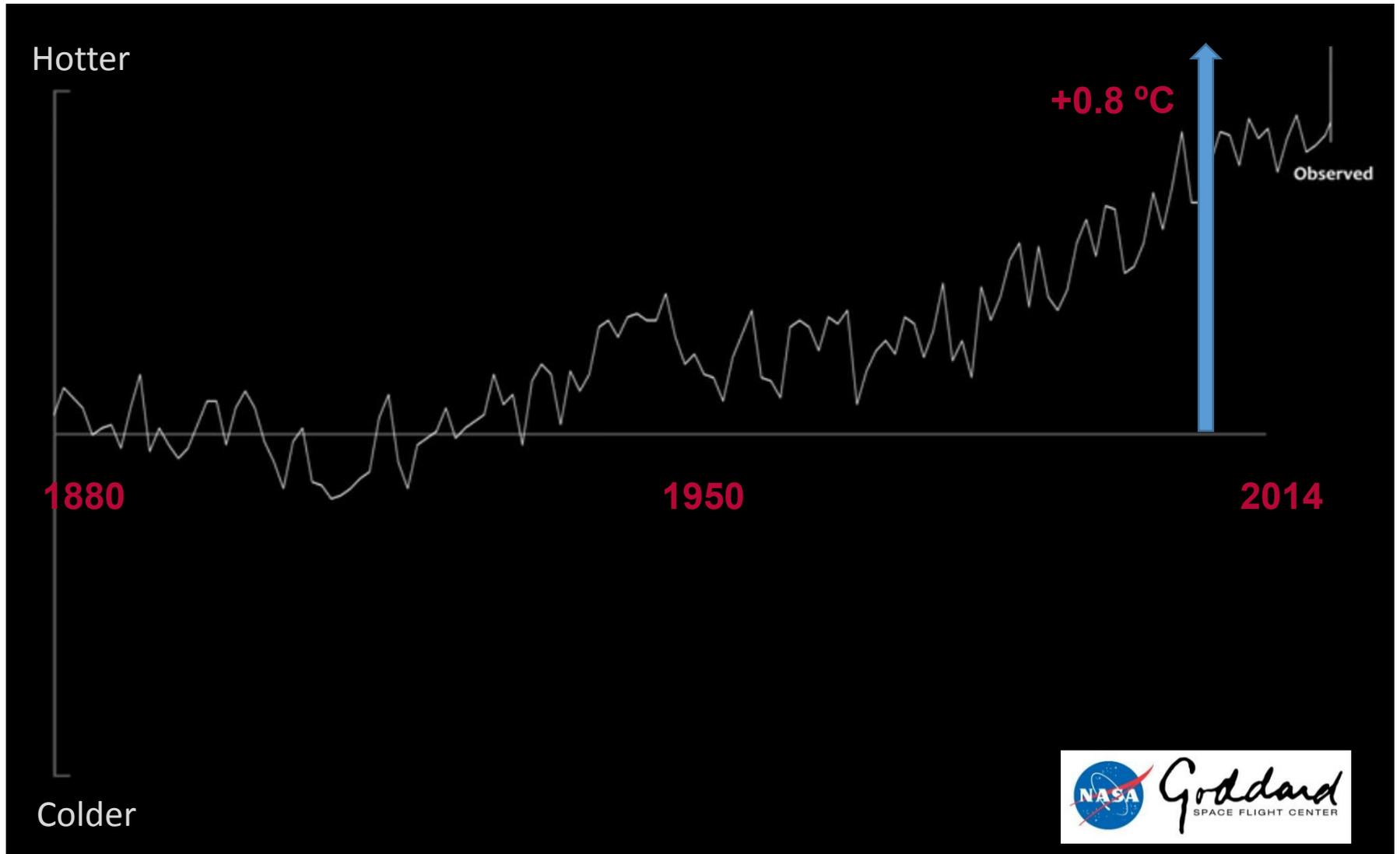


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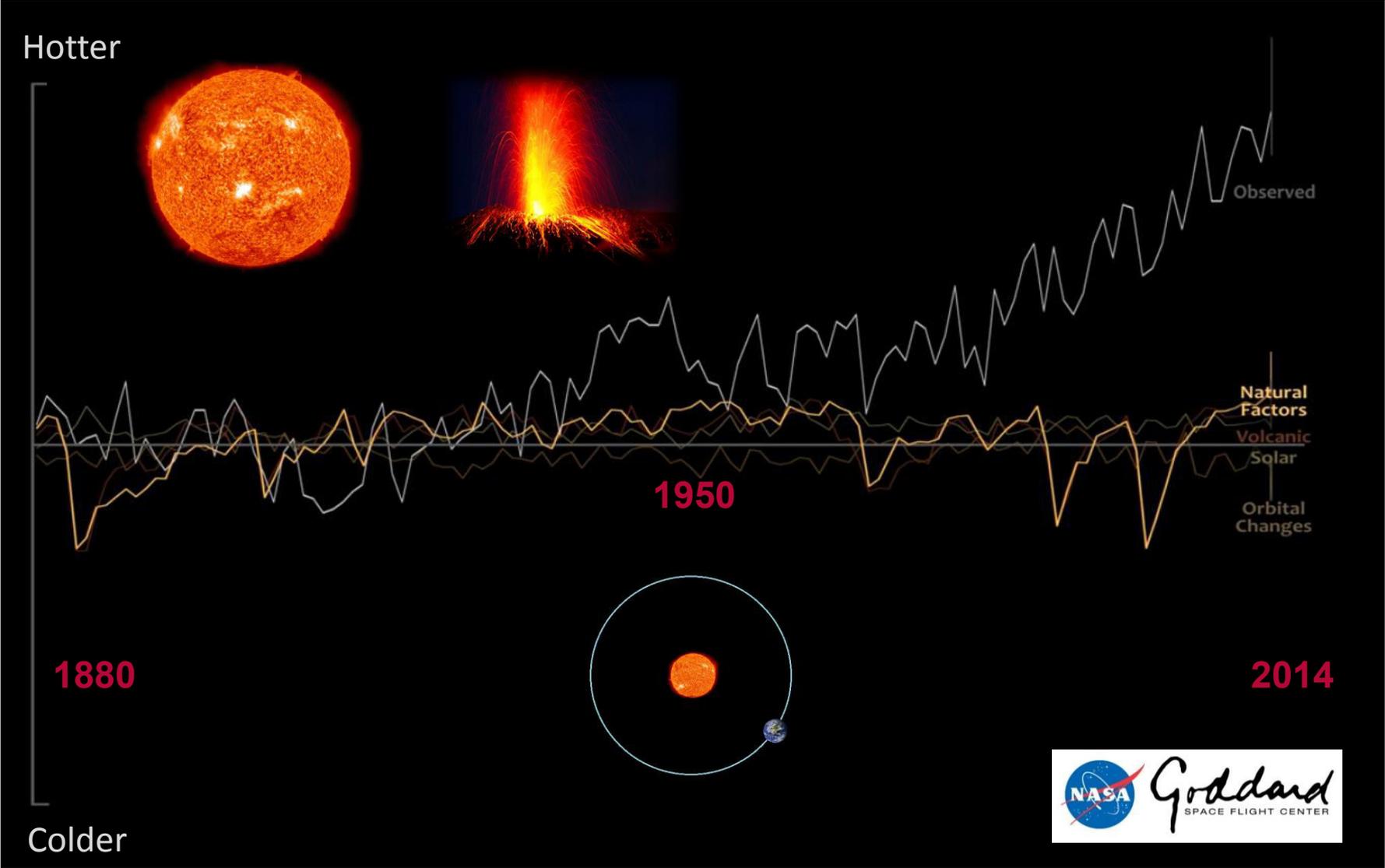
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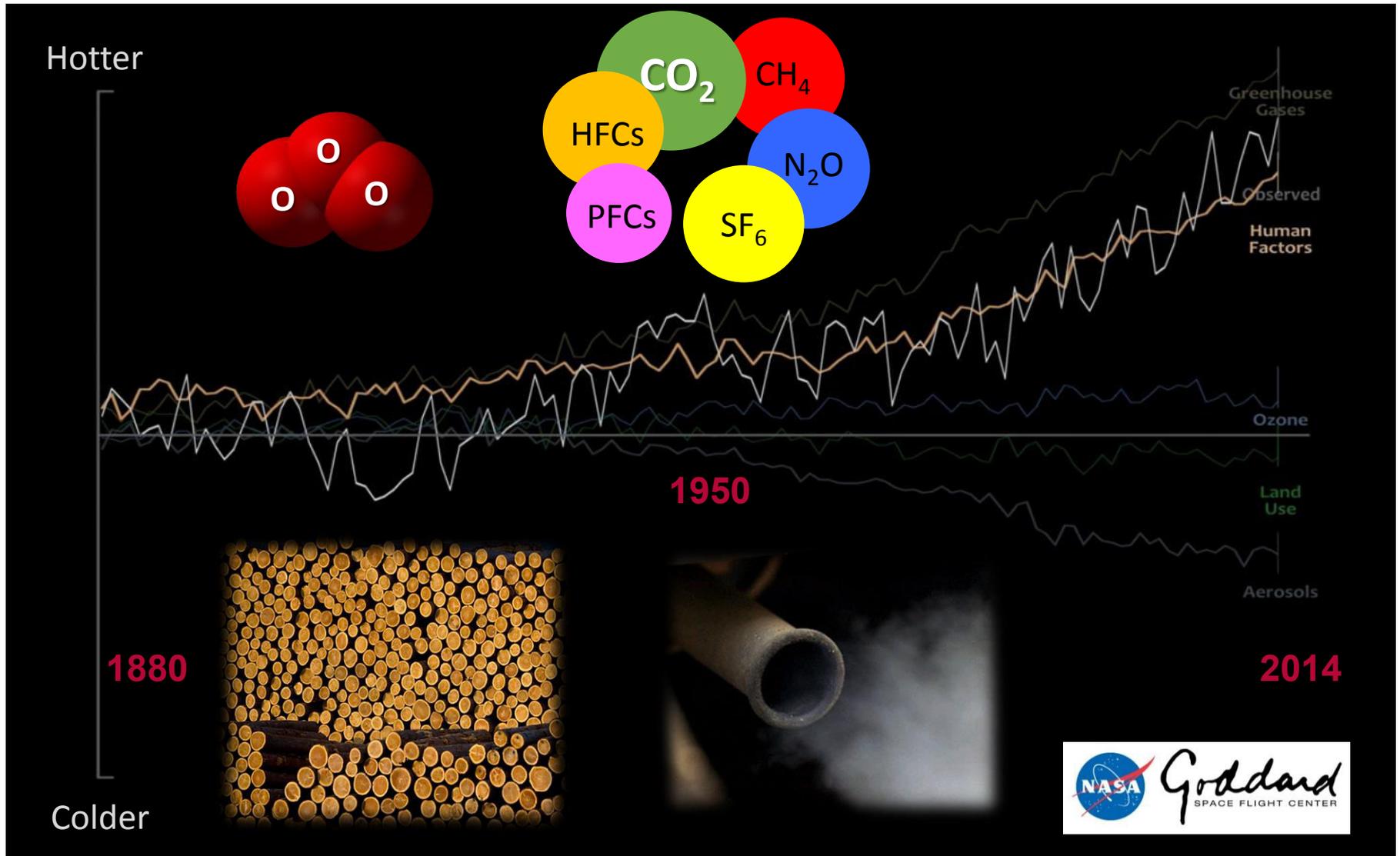
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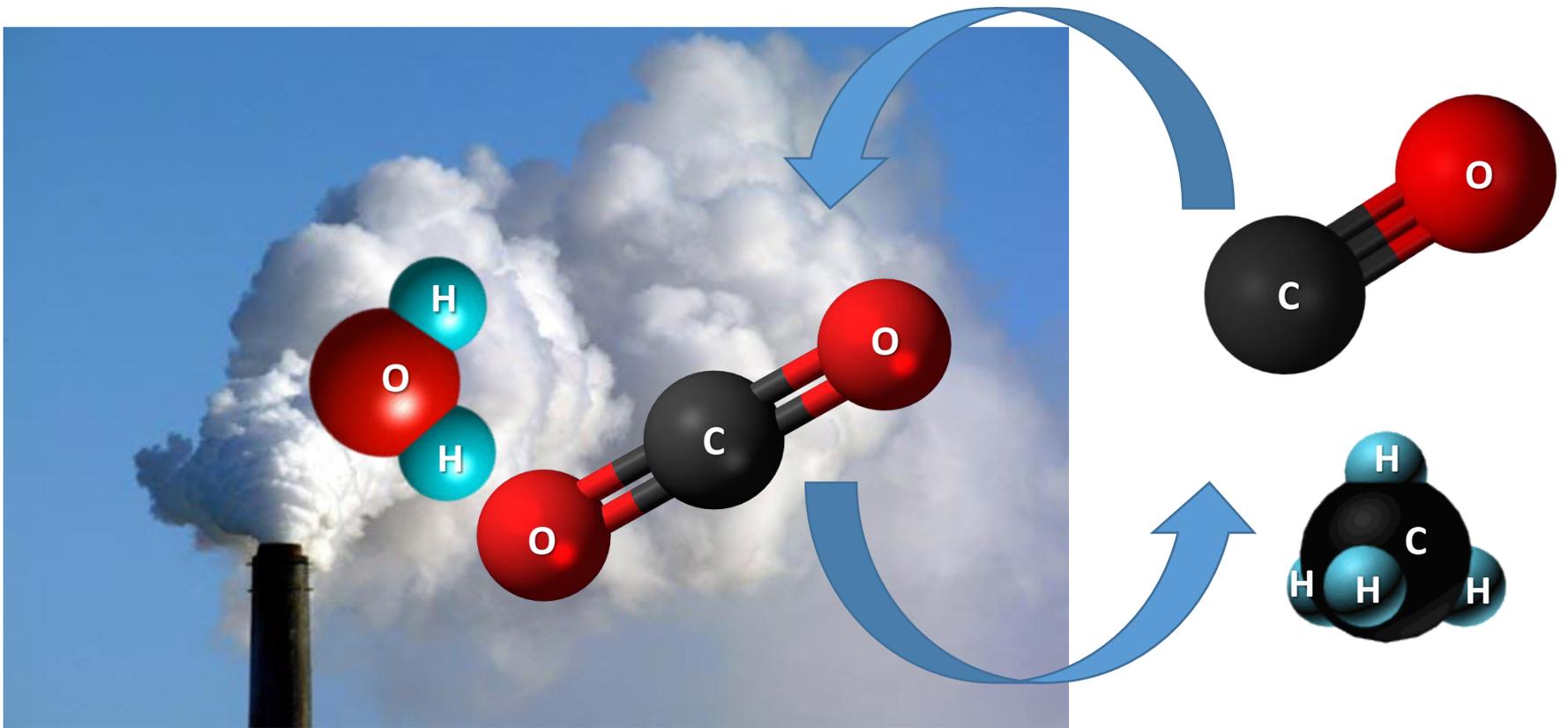


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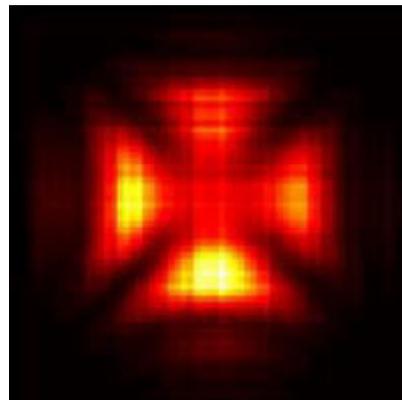


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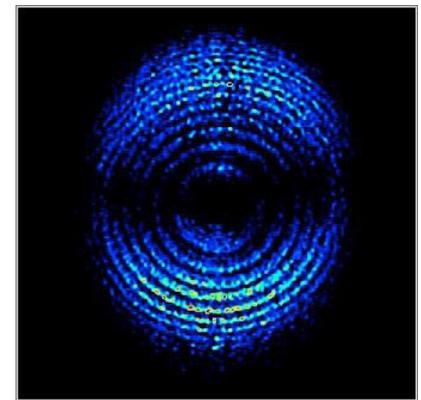




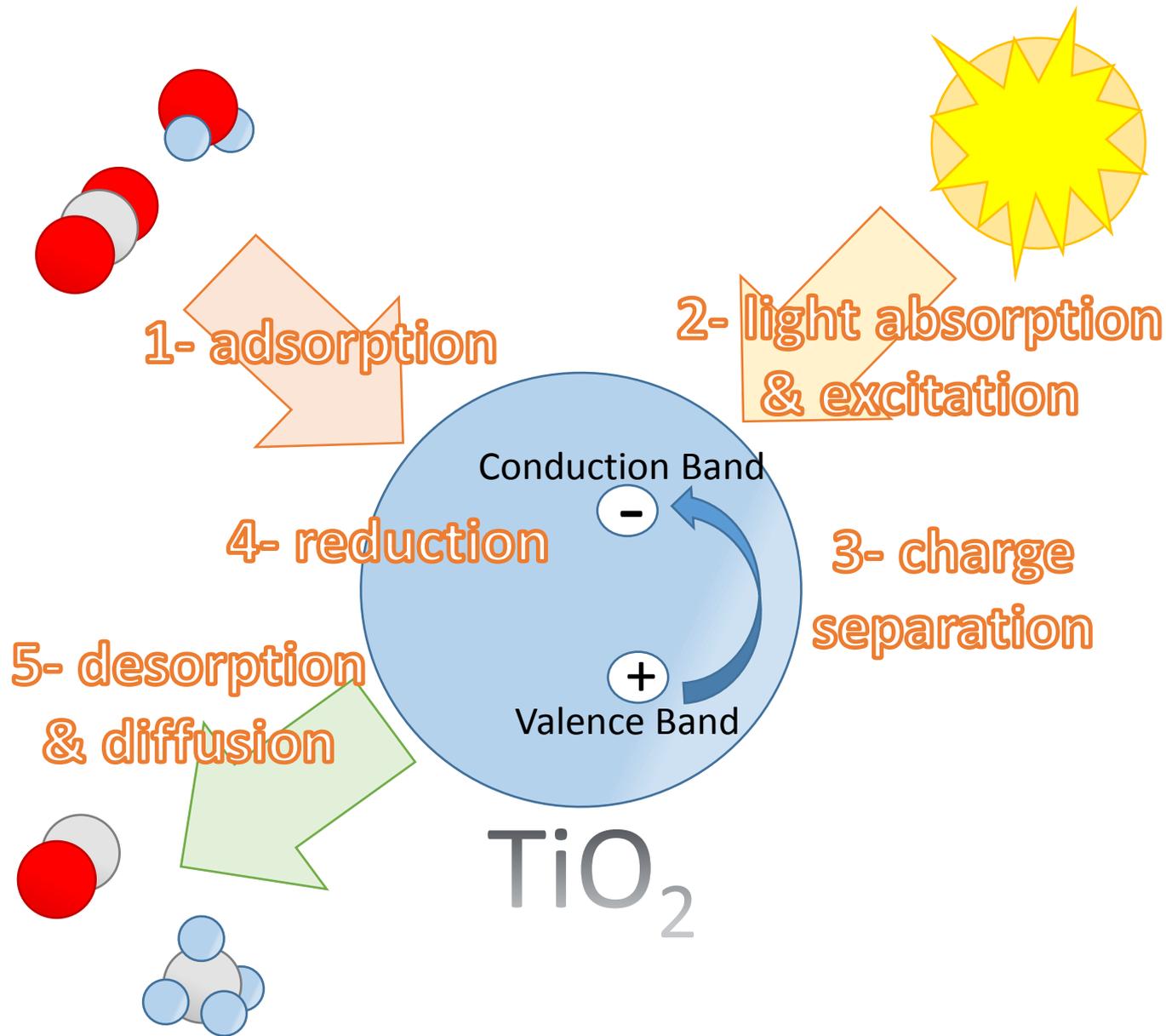
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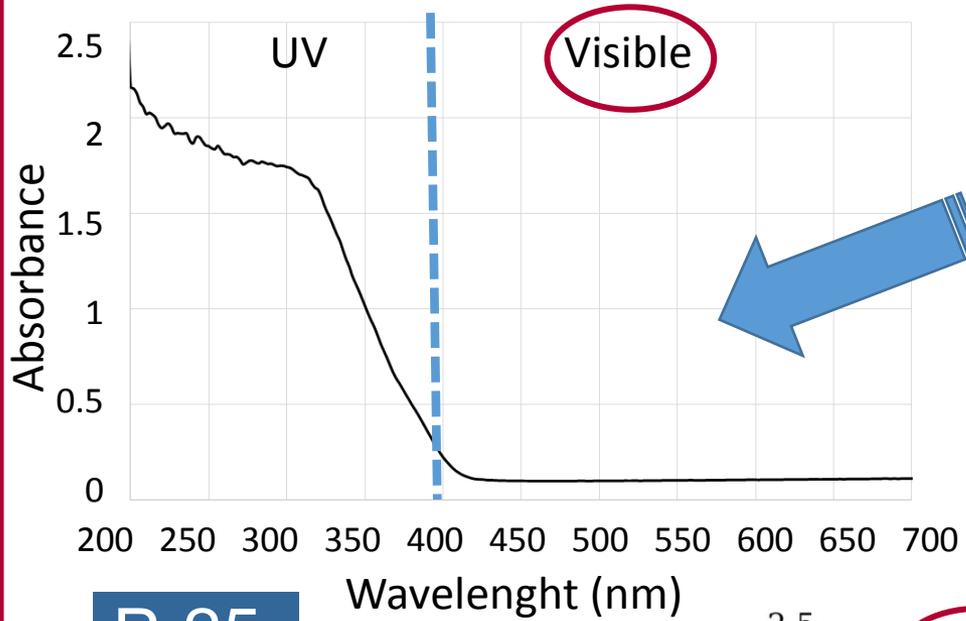


light



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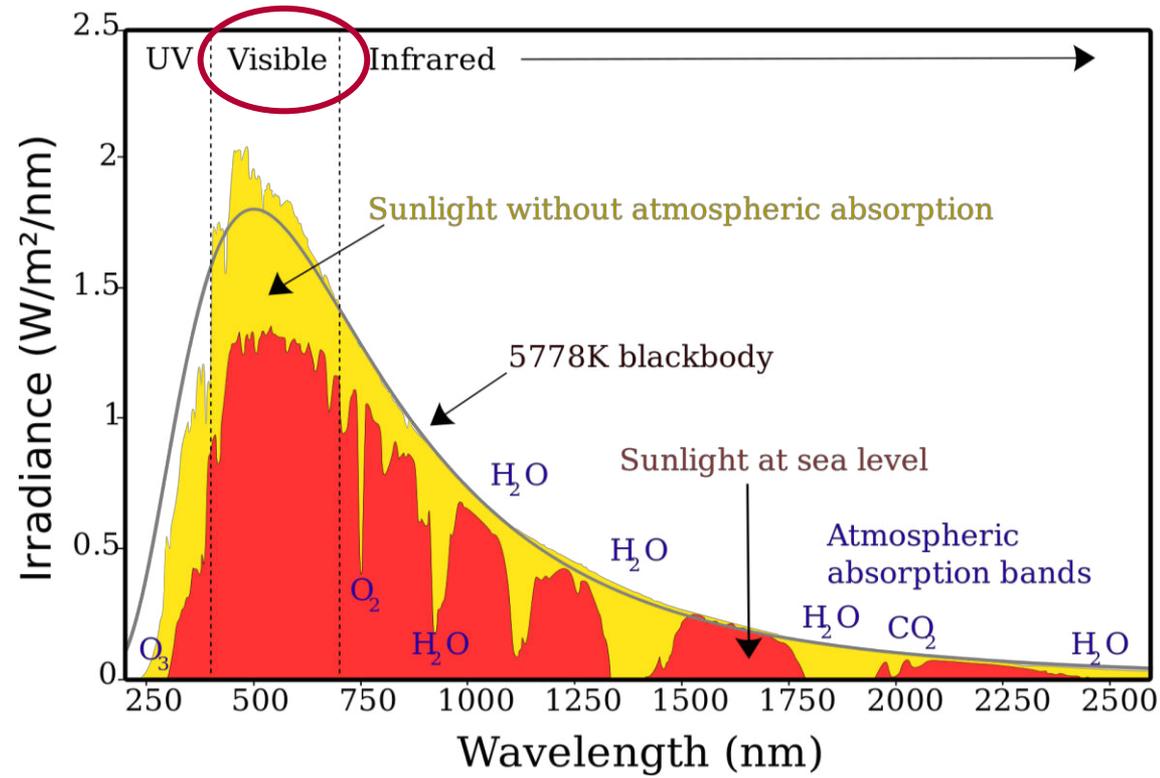




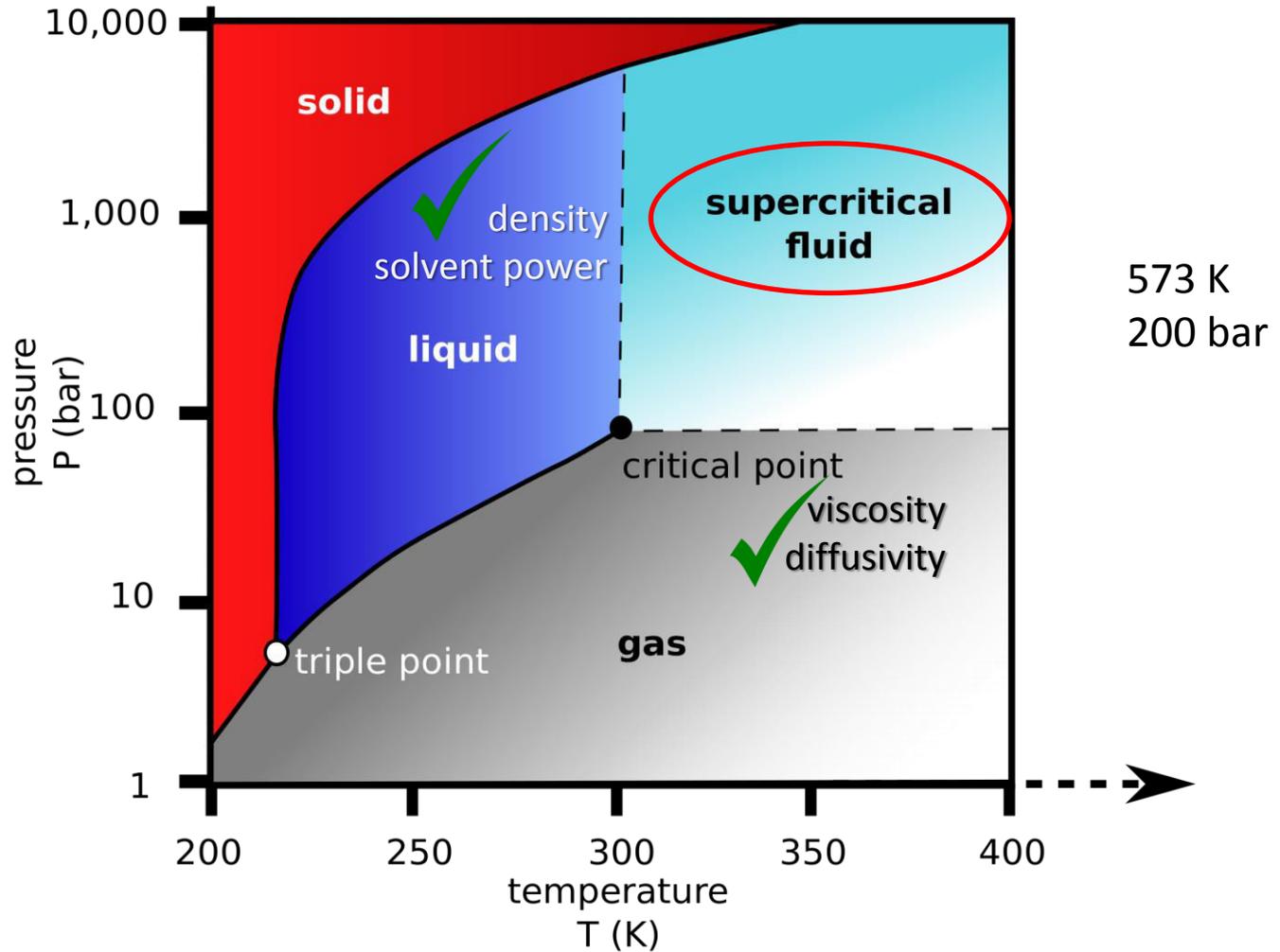
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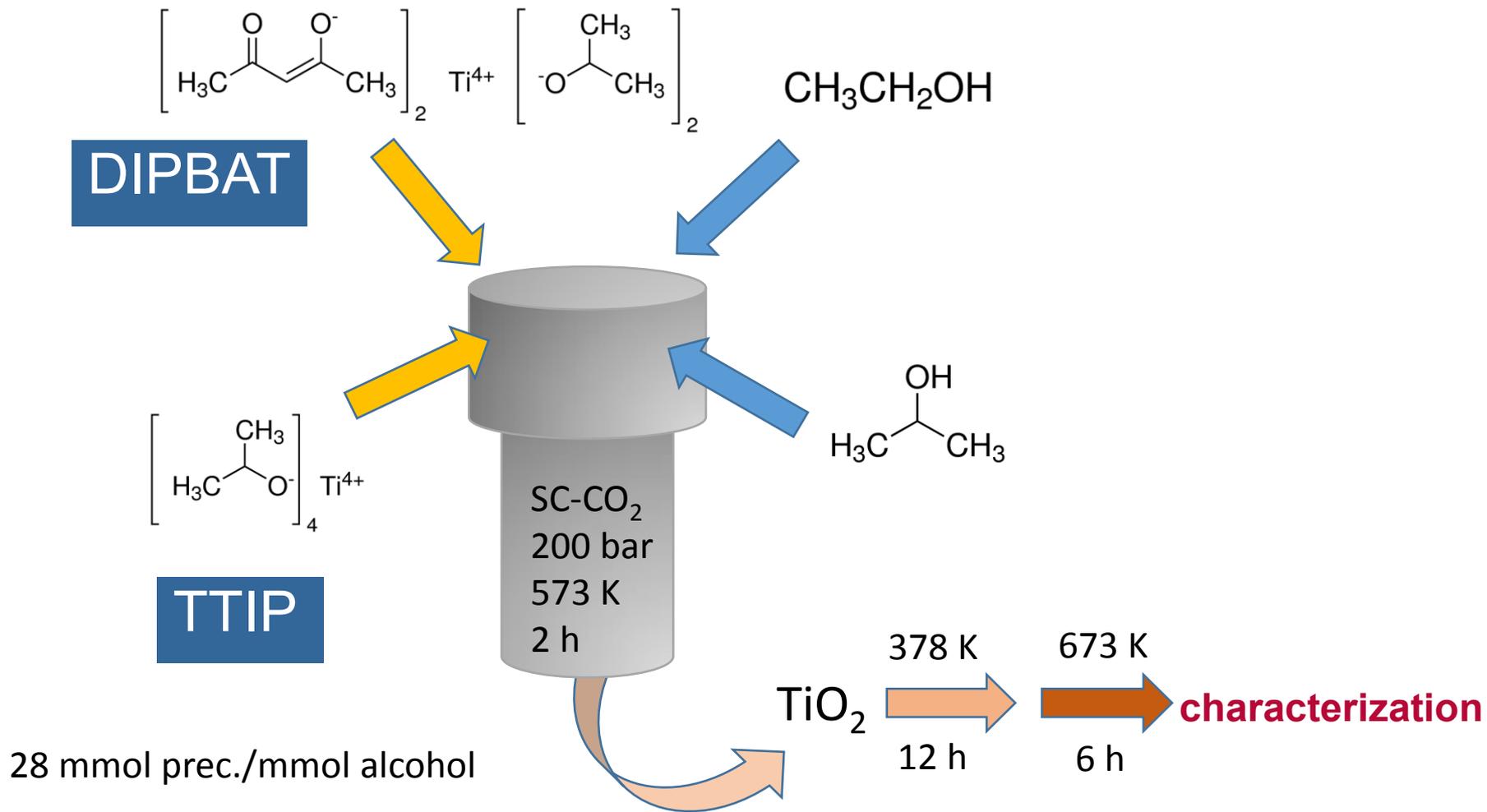
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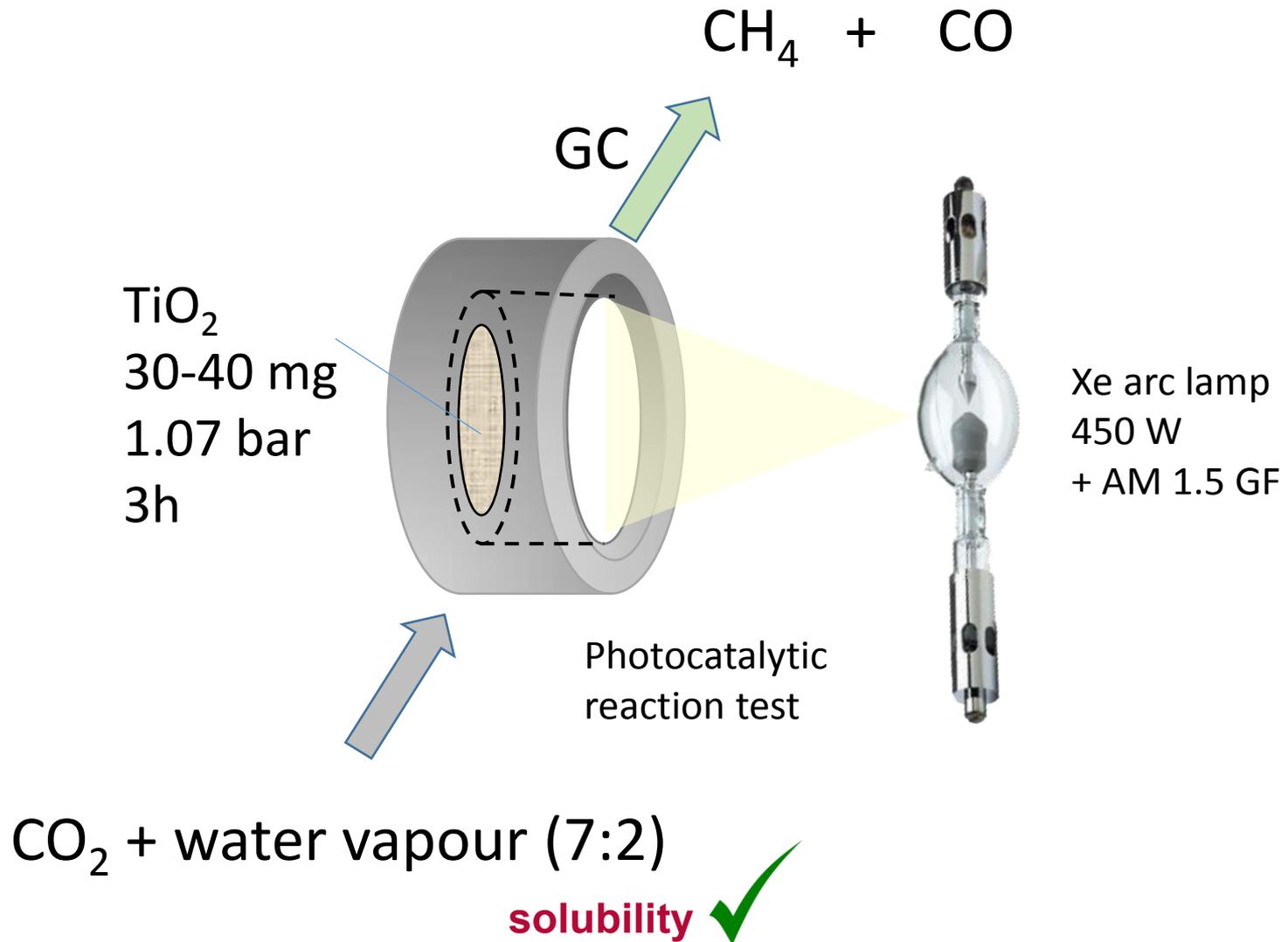
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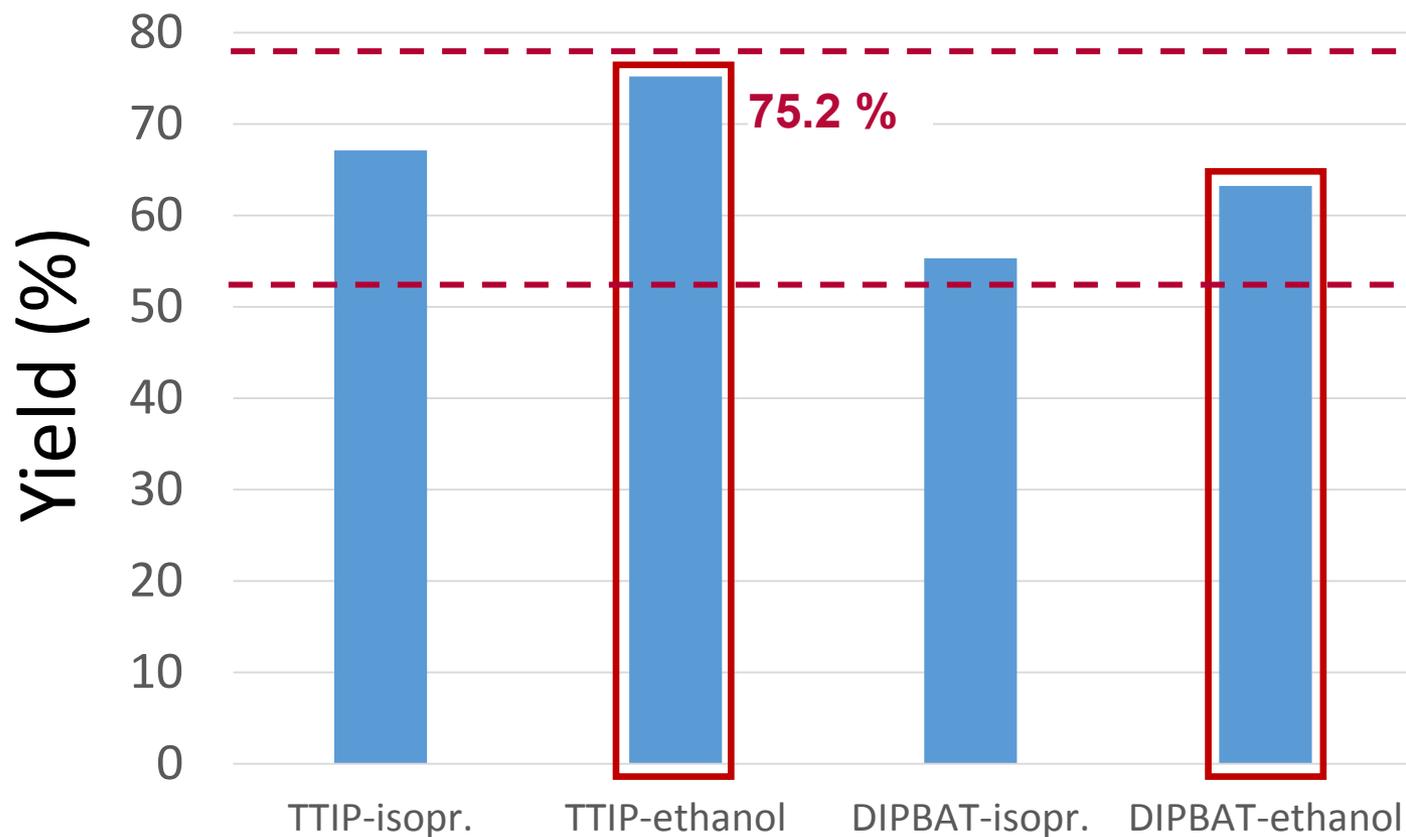
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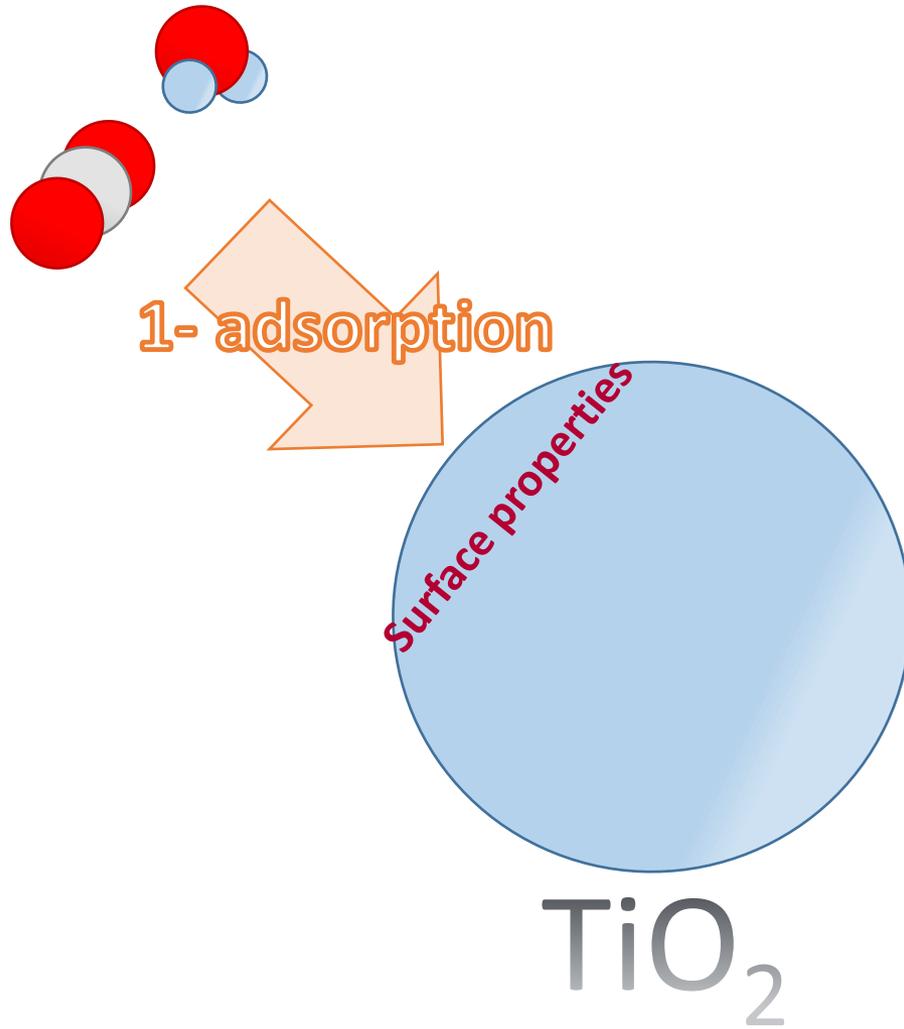
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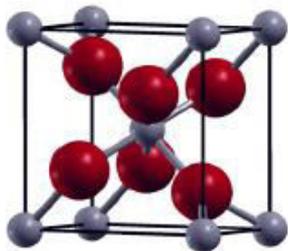
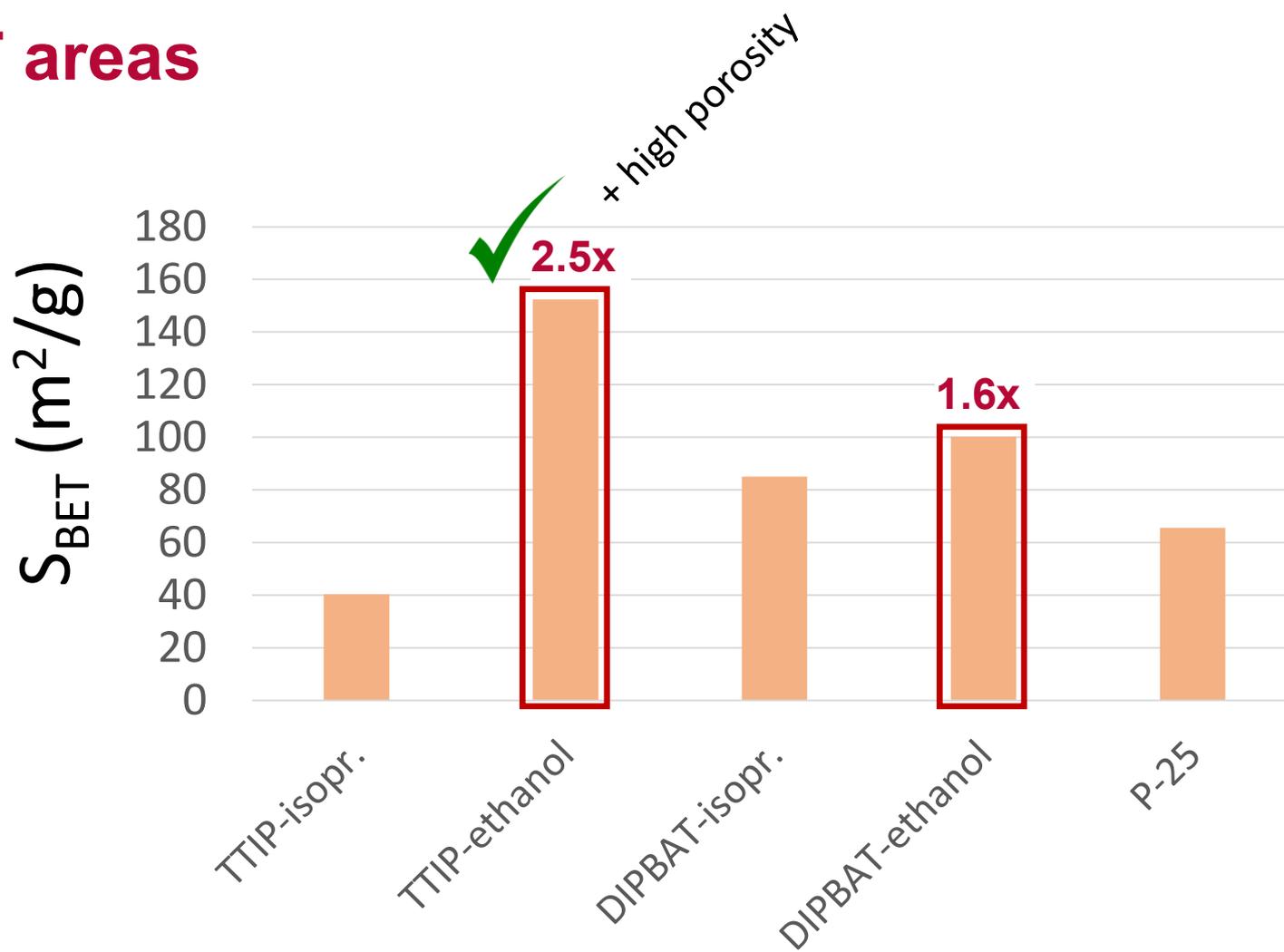
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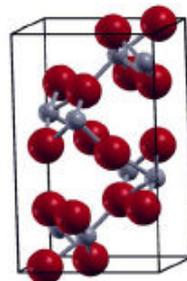
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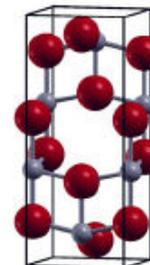
BET areas



Rutile
36-46
 m^2/g

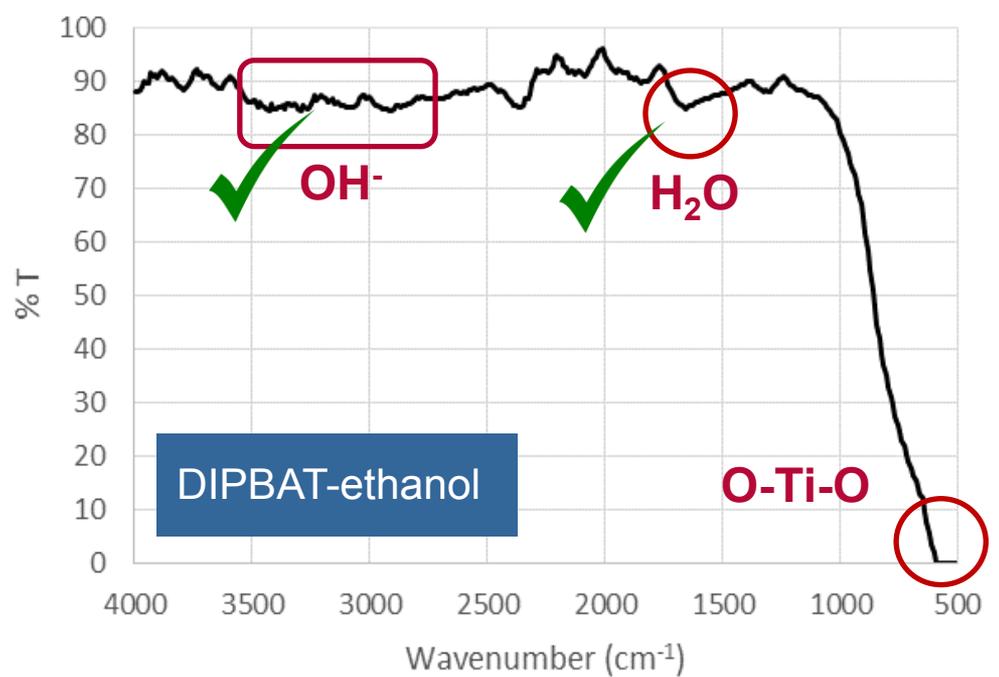
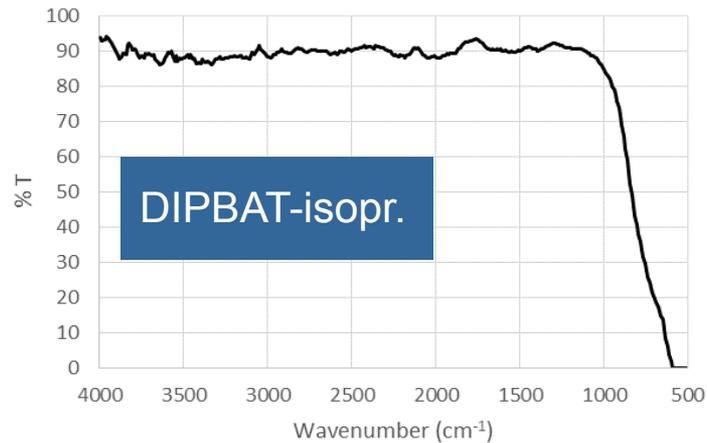
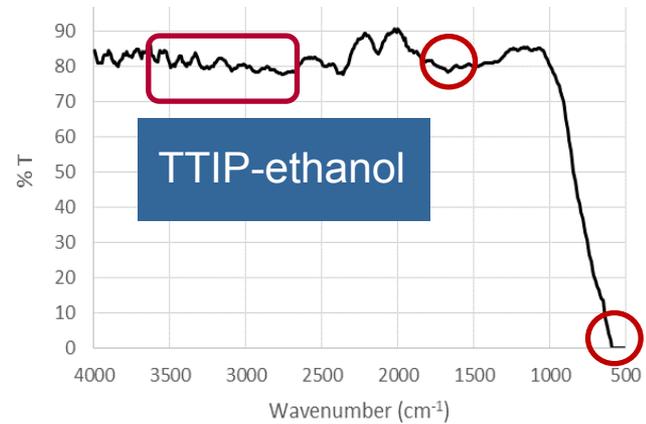
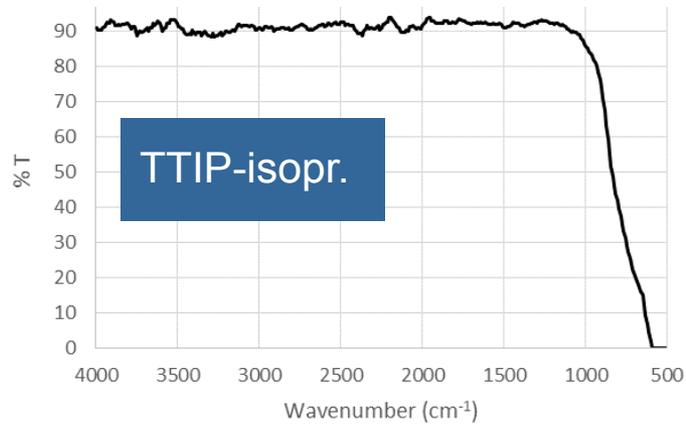


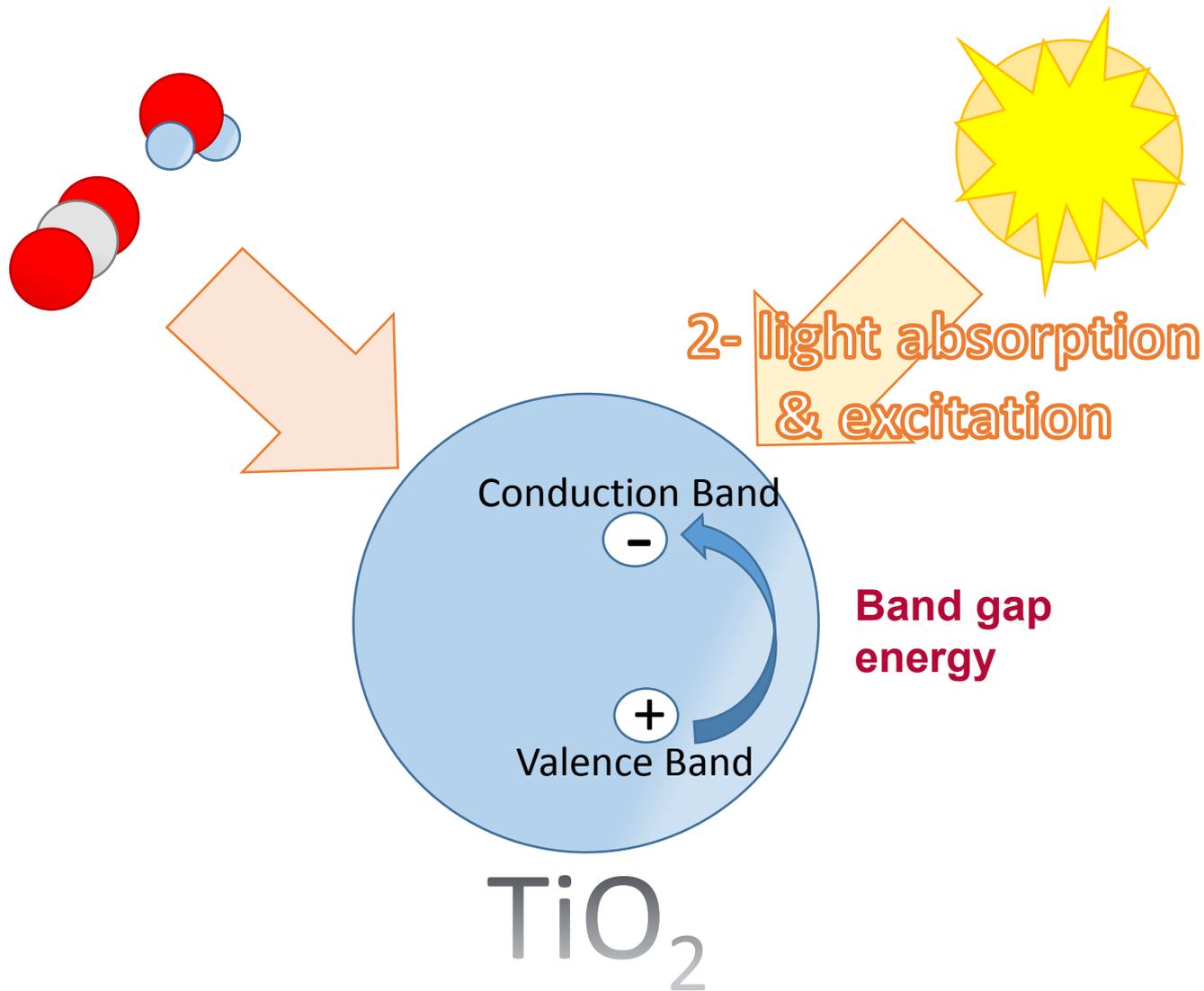
Brookite
76-87 m^2/g



Anatase
145-163
 m^2/g

FTIR spectra

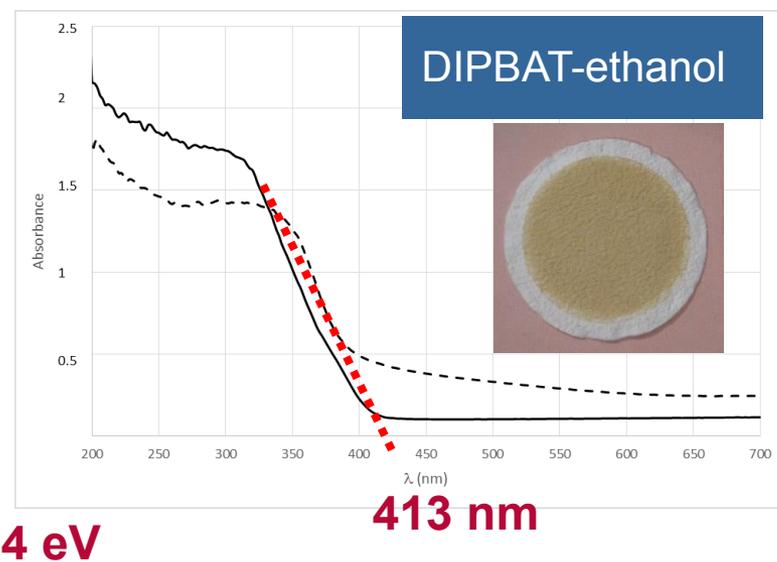
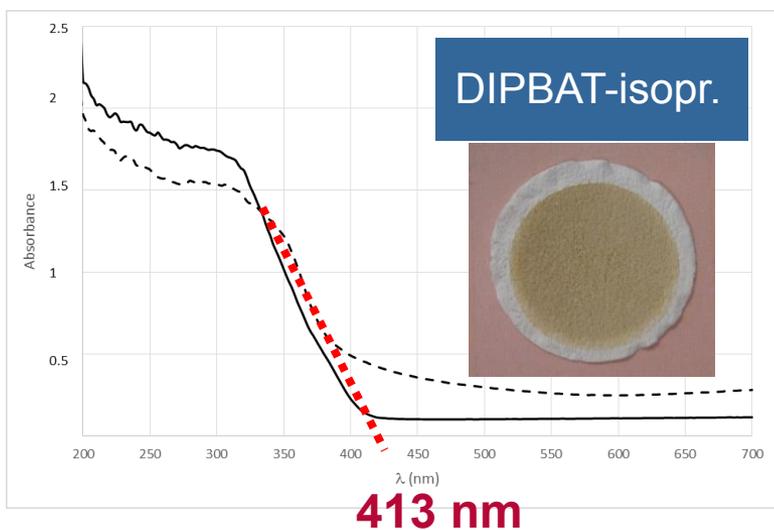
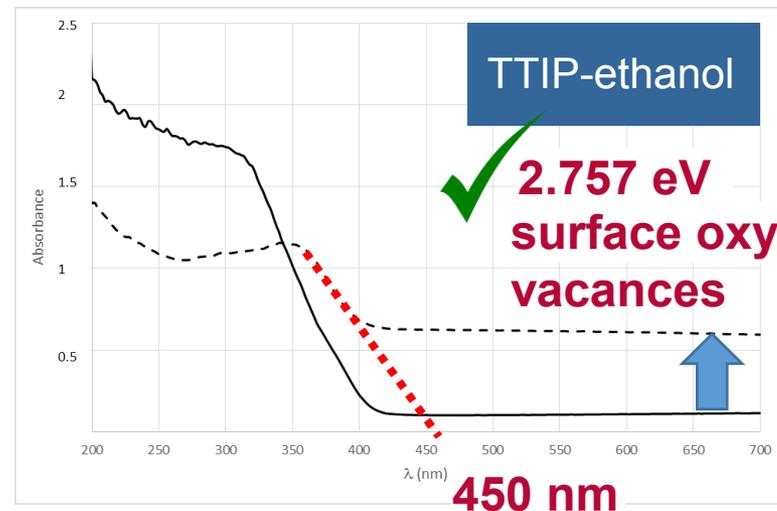
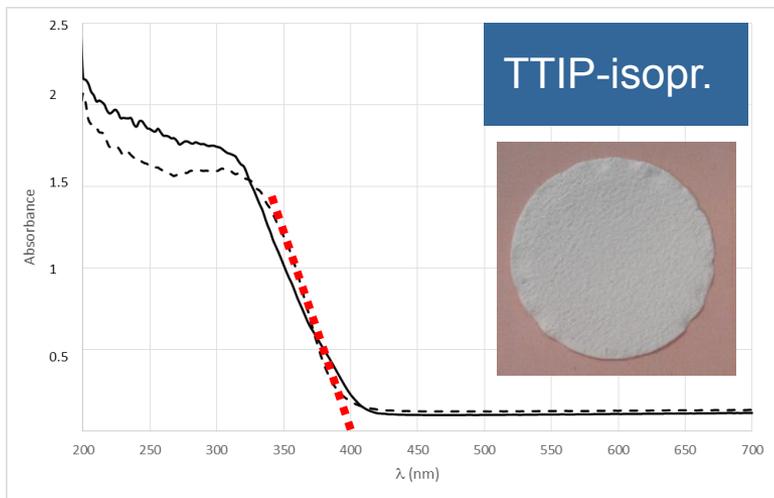


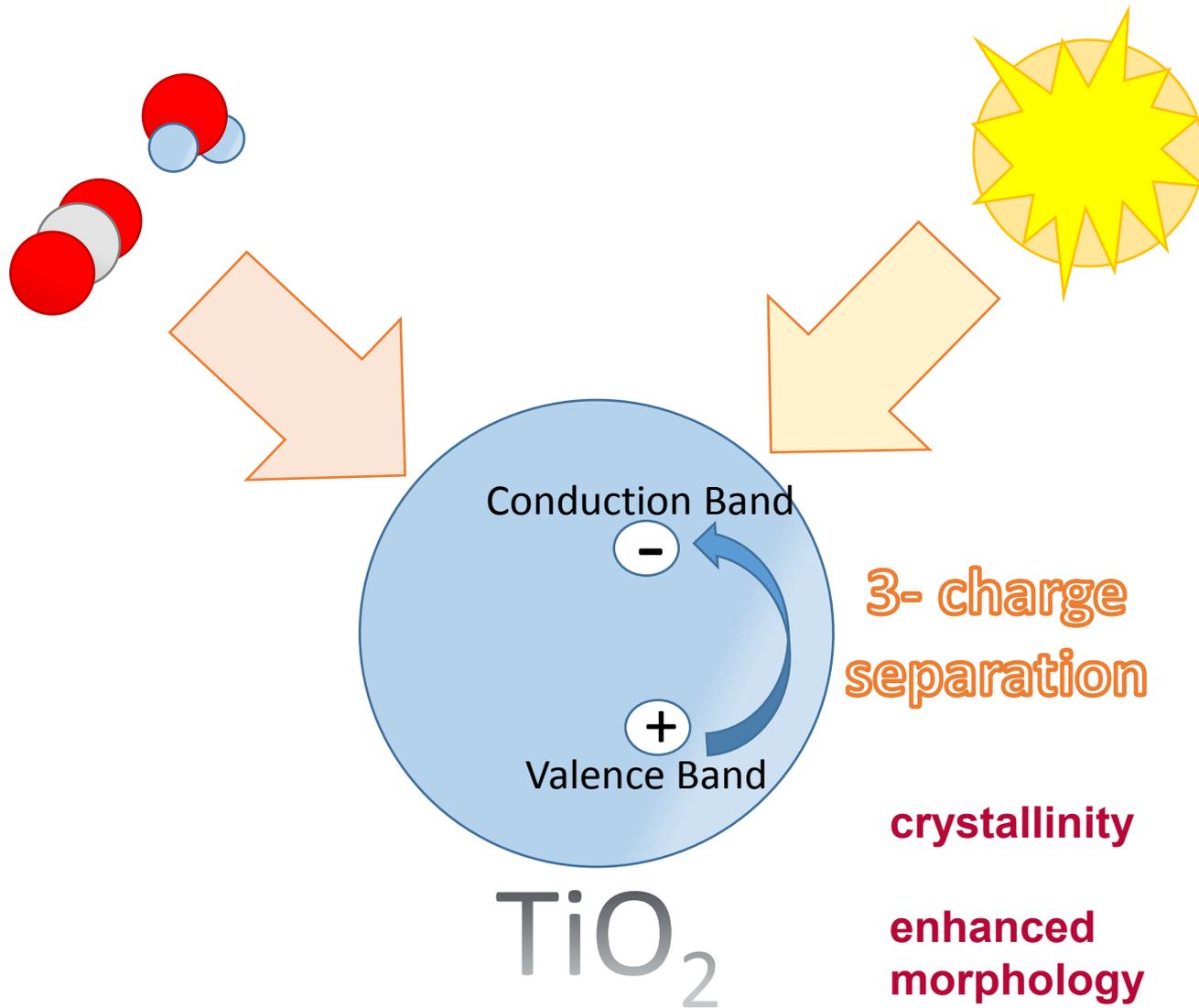


DRS spectra

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3.048 eV (UV light)





Conduction Band

-

3- charge
separation

+

Valence Band

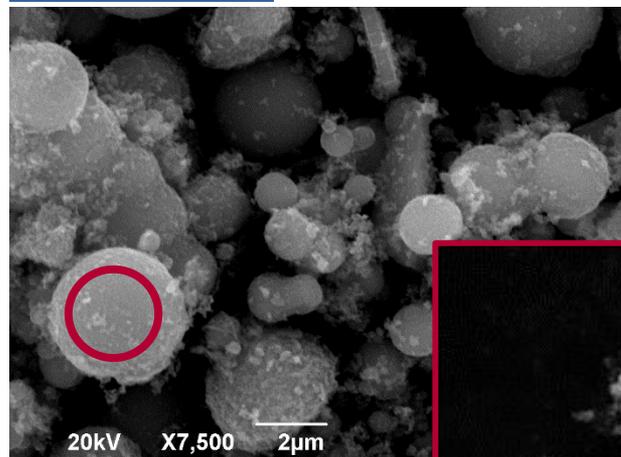
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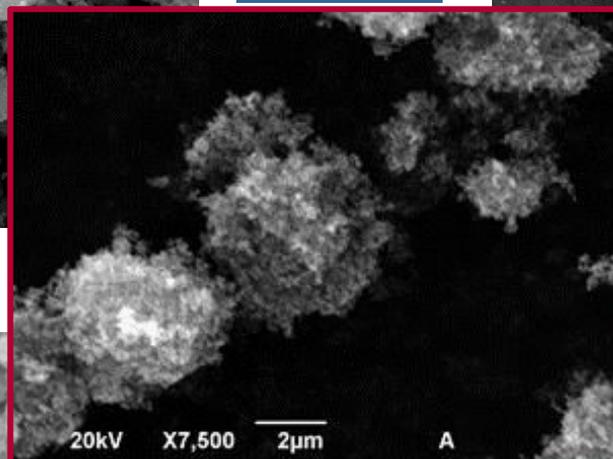
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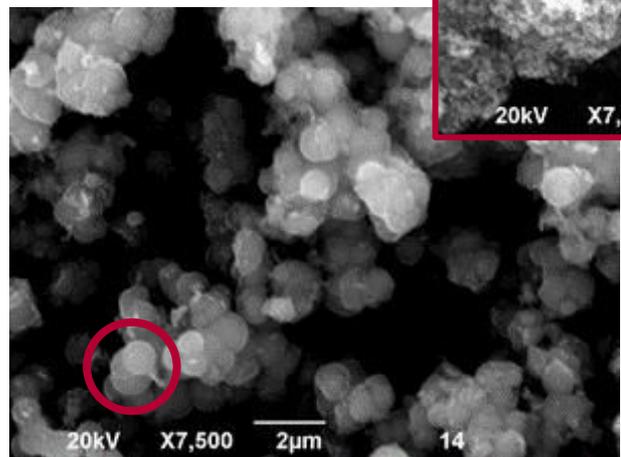
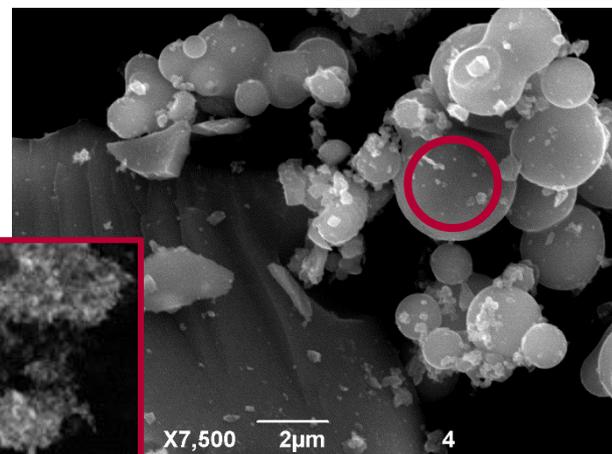
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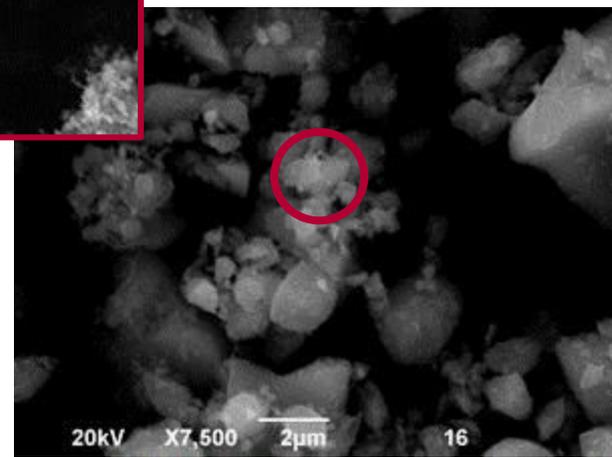
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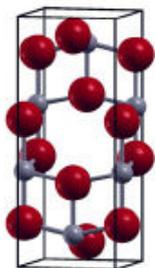


DIPBAT-isopr. ✓



DIPBAT-ethanol ✓

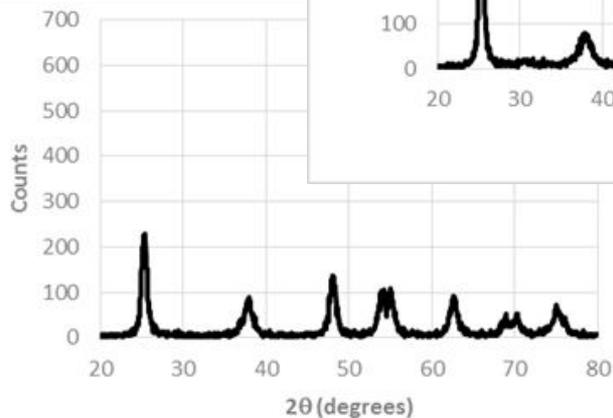
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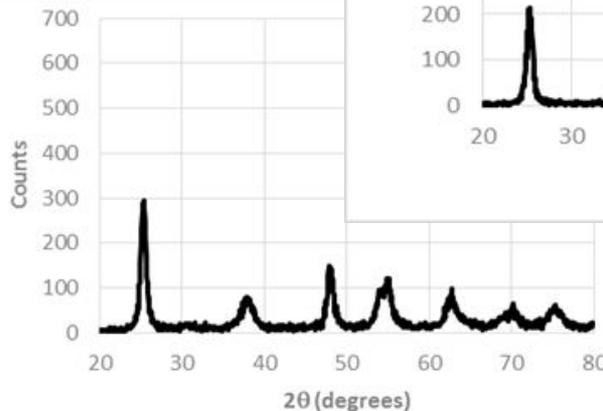
Anatase

10.65 nm

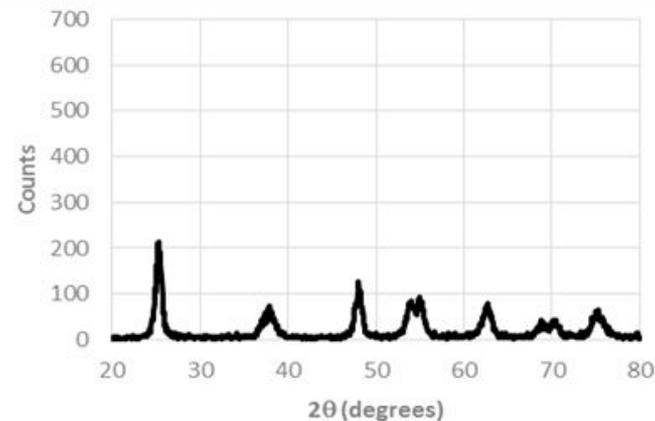
TTIP-ethanol



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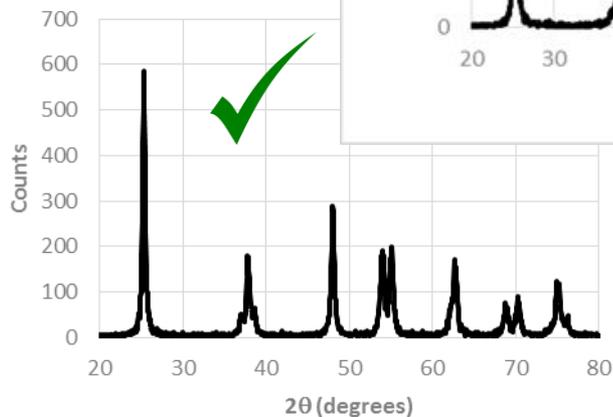


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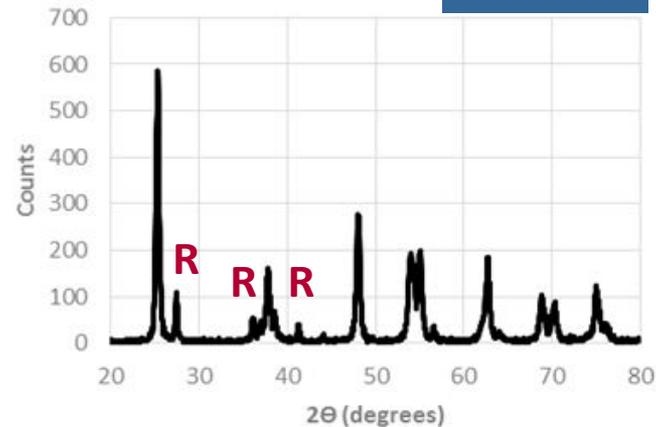
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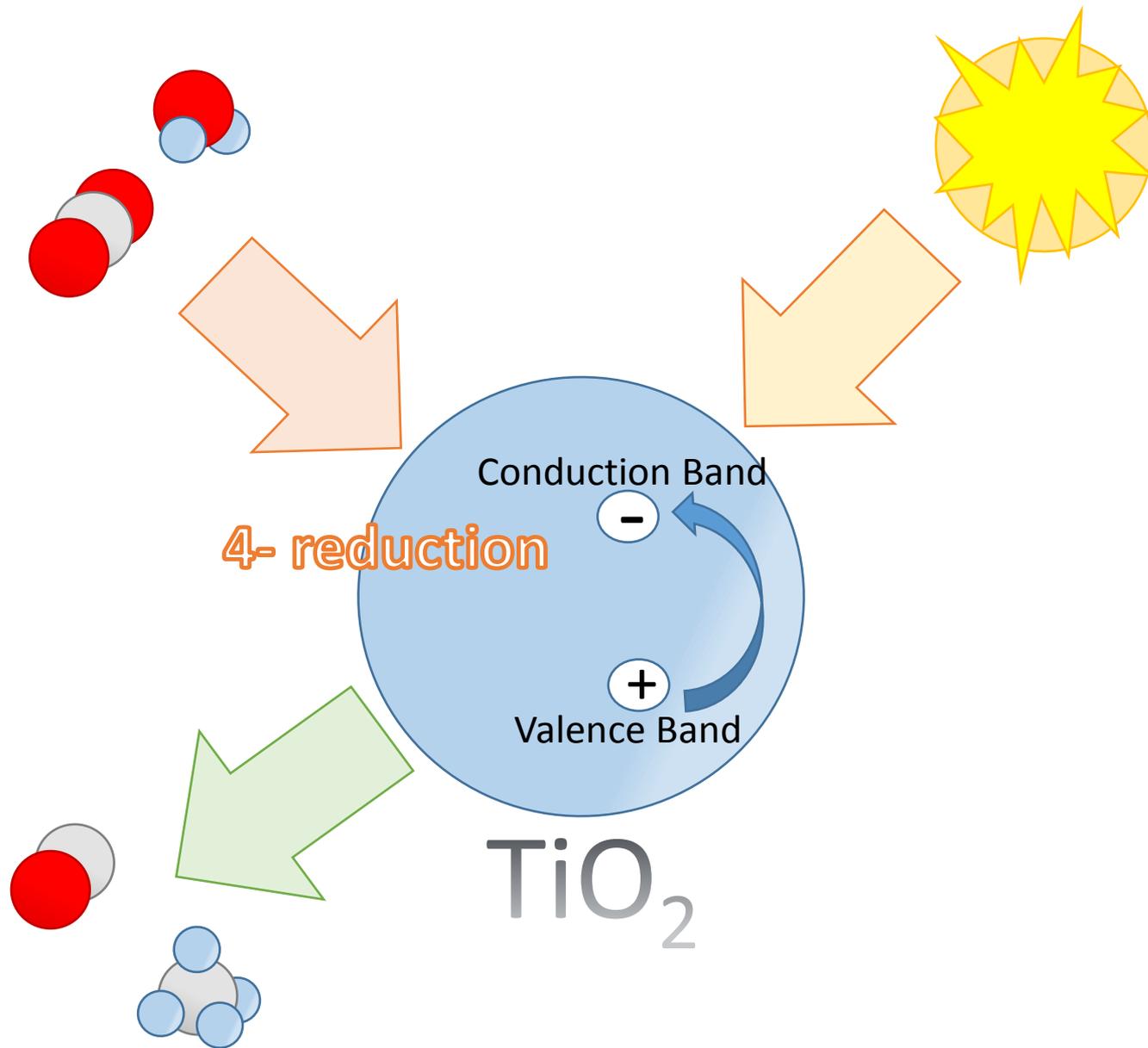
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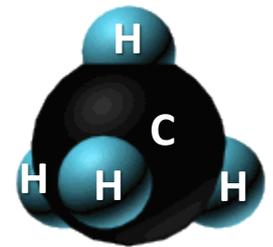
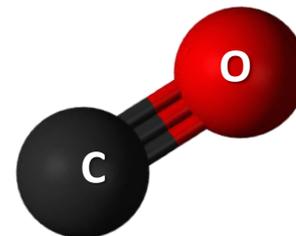
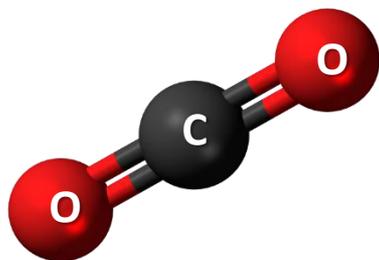
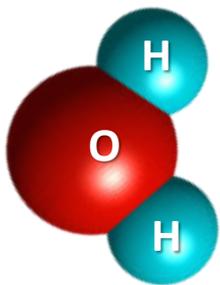
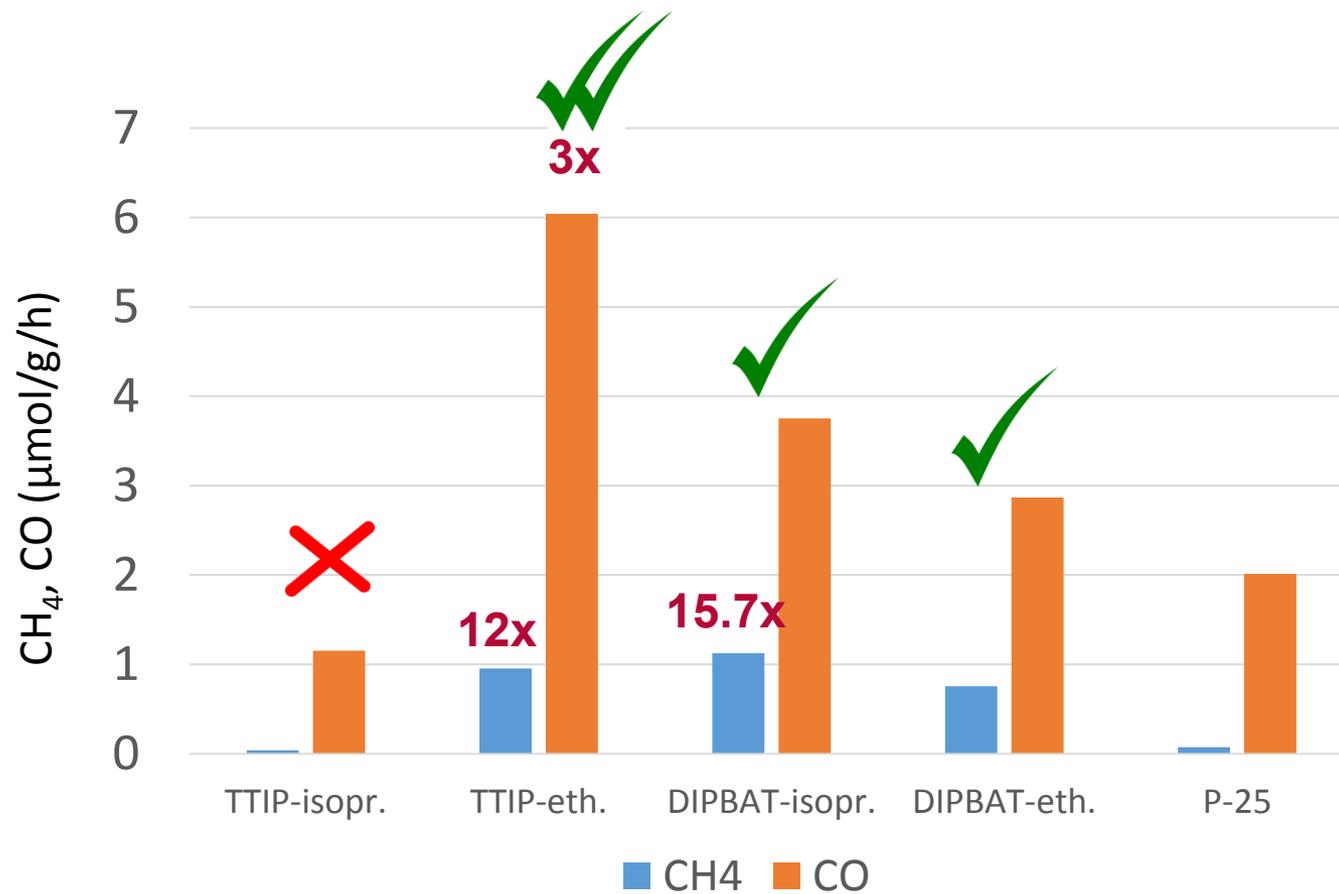
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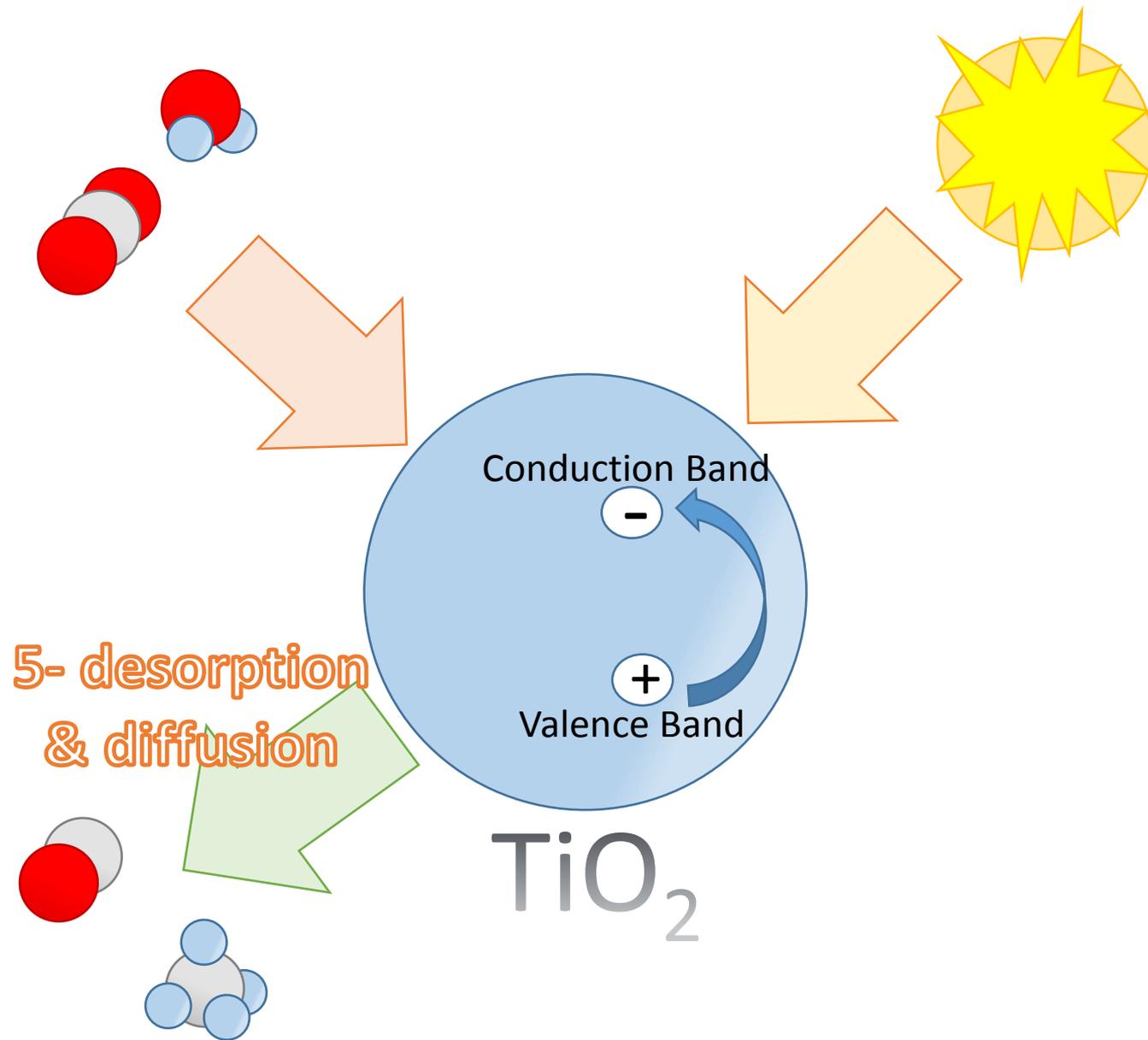
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Photocatalytic reduction of CO₂





Conclusions

- Particles with SCFs: large BET areas, good porosity, active surface compositions, **narrow band gap, good visible light harvesting properties**, high crystallinity and purity, appropriate morphology
- Production rates are still far from industrial application
- Change in geometry (TNTs) and introduction of dopants (Cu, Pd, Pt)

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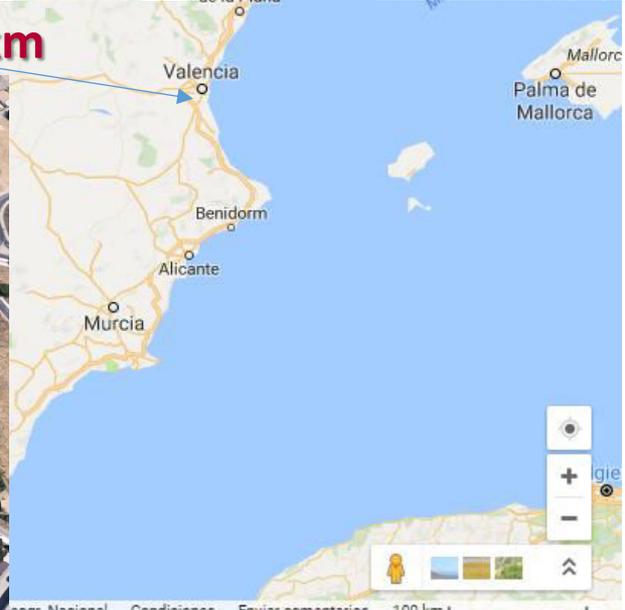
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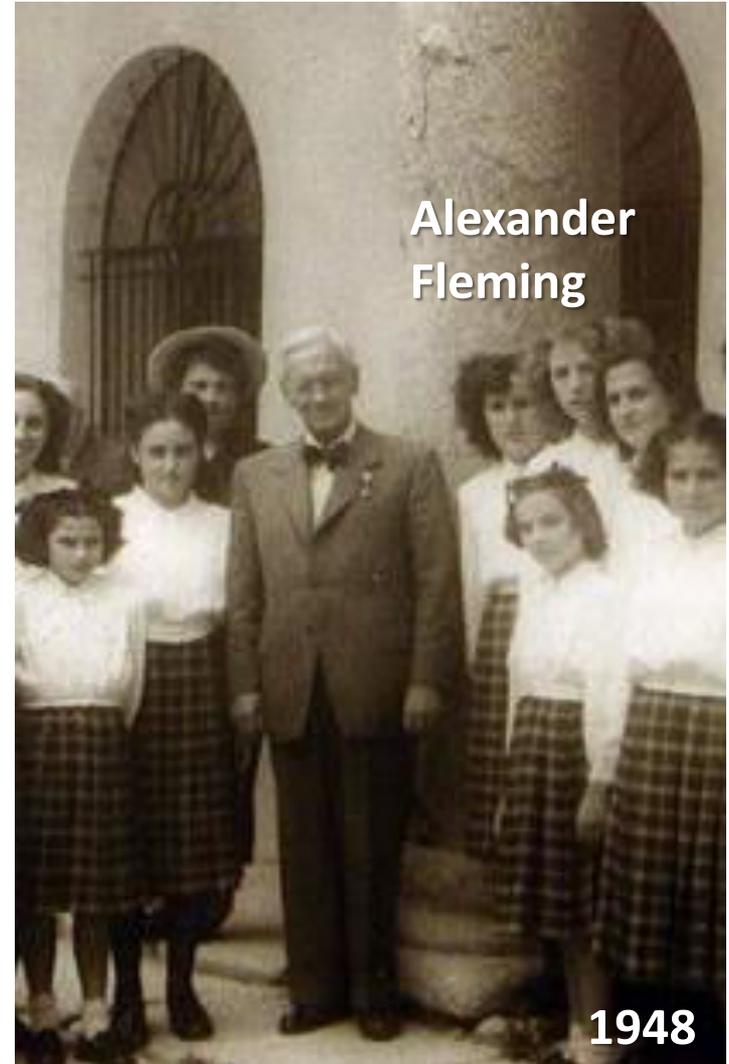
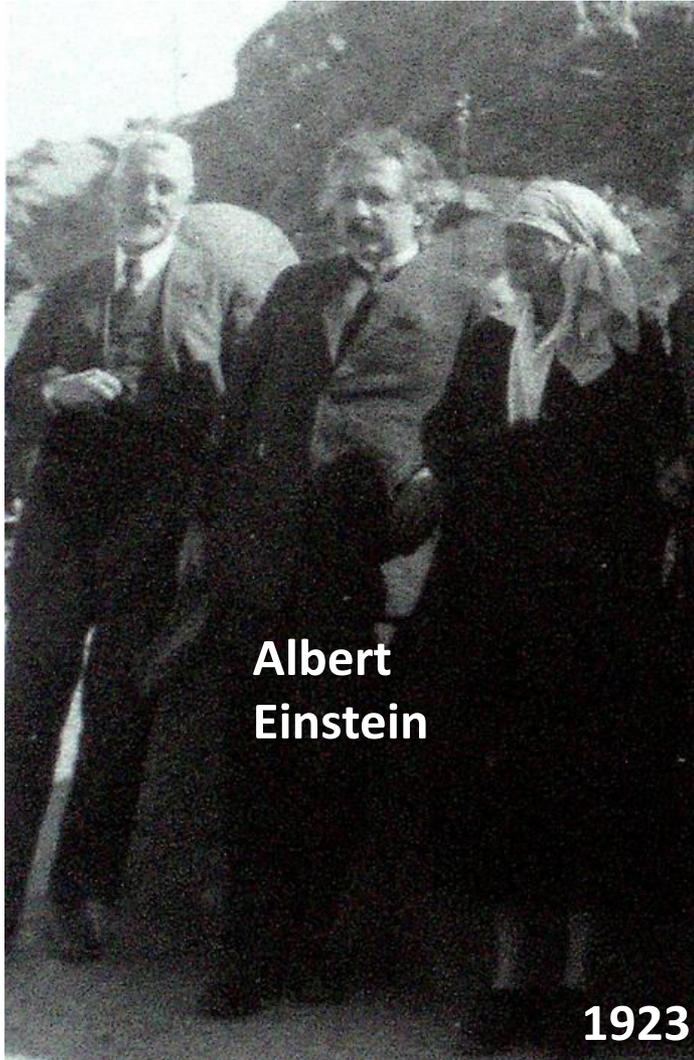
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