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In situ XAFS in Catalysis – merit, demerit and measurement.

Scope

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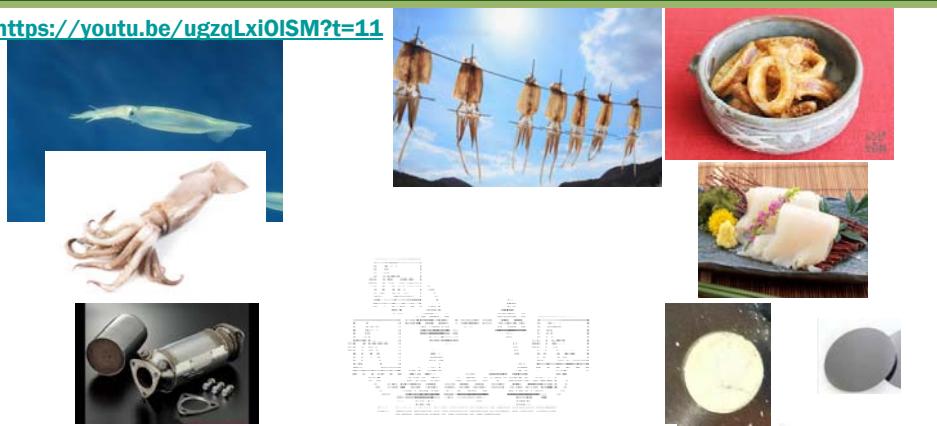
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In situ(その場) and operando (反応中) in-operandoは誤用²

<https://youtu.be/ugzqLxi0ISM?t=11>



反応が起こっているところの構造


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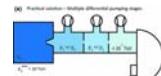
なぜXAFS?

高い透過力があること

ガス共存下での測定が可能

濃度が低くても測定できる。

様々なオペランド手法
赤外、Raman,可視紫外
NMR,ESR(ただし本当のフロー
は難しい)
XPS(窓、差動排気)
TEM(窓、差動排気)
反応物解析、TAP



Ambient pressure XPS

アモルファスもOK

Photon –in Photon Out



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Operando XAFS

まさに反応中の構造を知ることができる。

過渡応答・振動反応なら、時間分解能が必要とされる。

QXAFS,DXAFS

定常条件なら、

Demerit

解析が複雑。

ガス漏れ、爆発など注意が必要。



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高時間分解能

Step Scan XAFS 10min

Quick XAFS ms-s

透過法、蛍光法、など様々な手法に対応、

DXAFS マイクロs-s

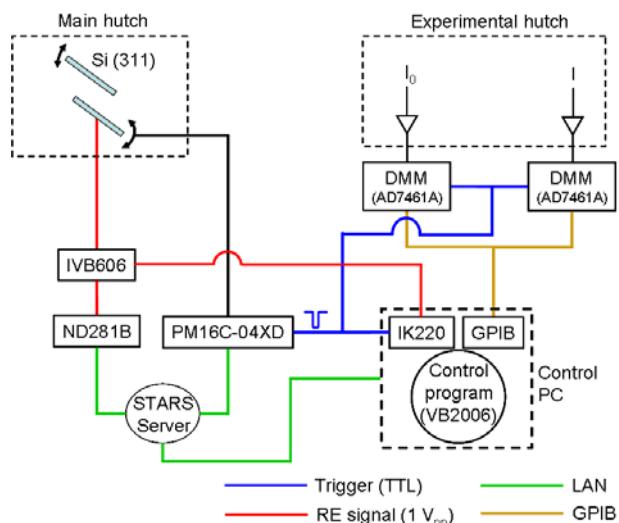
透過法のみ、
サンプルの均一性を要求する



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QEXAFS

A technique that can measure one EXAFS spectrum in a short time (a few seconds in our system) by sampling signals from ionization chambers and monochromator continuously with scanning the monochromator (on the fly).



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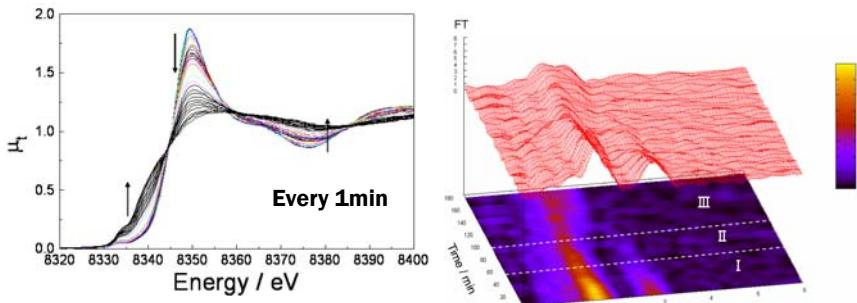
Change during the reduction.

Slow but high quality and Fluorescence XAFS is applicable.

XANES

¹ K. K. Bando, Y. Kohko, T. Kawai, G. Tateno, S. T. Oyama, Y. Inada, M. Nomura, K. Asakura, *J. Phys. Chem. C* 2011, 115, 7466-7471 10.1021/jp11657z.

Every 1min



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QXAFS Studies in SP8 (2004-)

- K. Okumura, K. Yoshino, K. Kato and M. Niwa, Quick XAFS studies on the Y-type zeolite supported au catalysts for CO-O-2 reaction. *J. Phys. Chem. B.* 109, 12380-12386(2005).

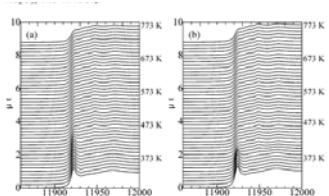
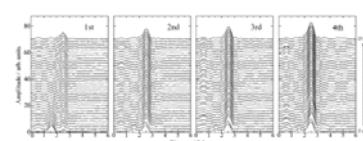


Figure 2. Au L₃-edge XANES of 5 wt % Au loaded on (a) H-Y and (b) Na-Y zeolite measured in a 10% H₂ flow. Temperature ramping rate, 5 K min⁻¹.



K. Okumura, T. Honma, S. Hirayama, T. Sanada and M. Niwa, Stepwise Growth of Pd Clusters in USY Zeolite at Room Temperature Analyzed by QXAFS. *J. Phys. Chem. C.* 112, 16740-16747(2008).

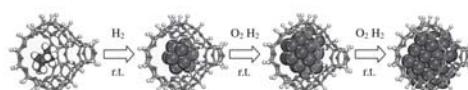


Fig. 1. Stepwise growth of Pd clusters in the supercage of USY zeolite.

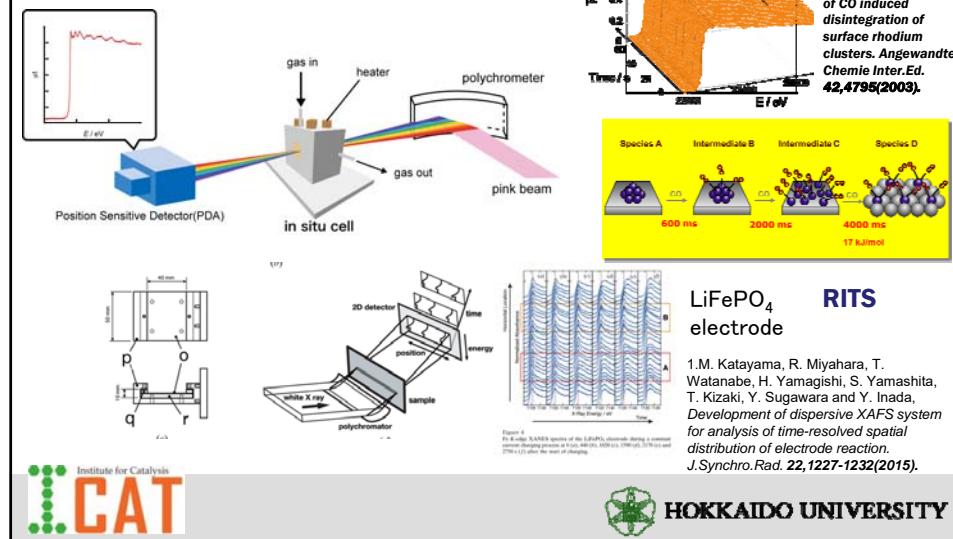
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DXAFS

QXAFSよりDXAFSがはやいです。



Reversible Reaction Process of Pt followed by DXAFS

Hydrogen reaction on Pt nanocluster

A.Suzuki, to be published

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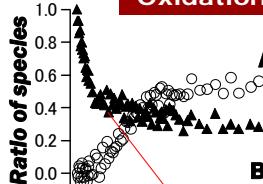
A(d empty state)

B(Pt-Hbond formation)

 $R_{Pt-Pt} = 0.254 \text{ nm}$

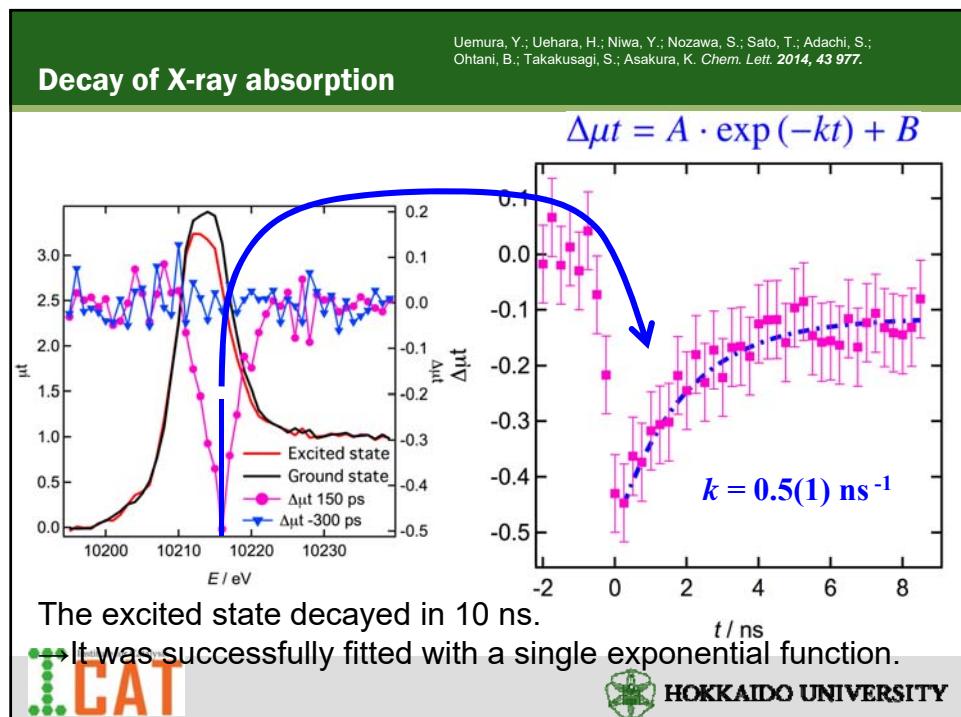
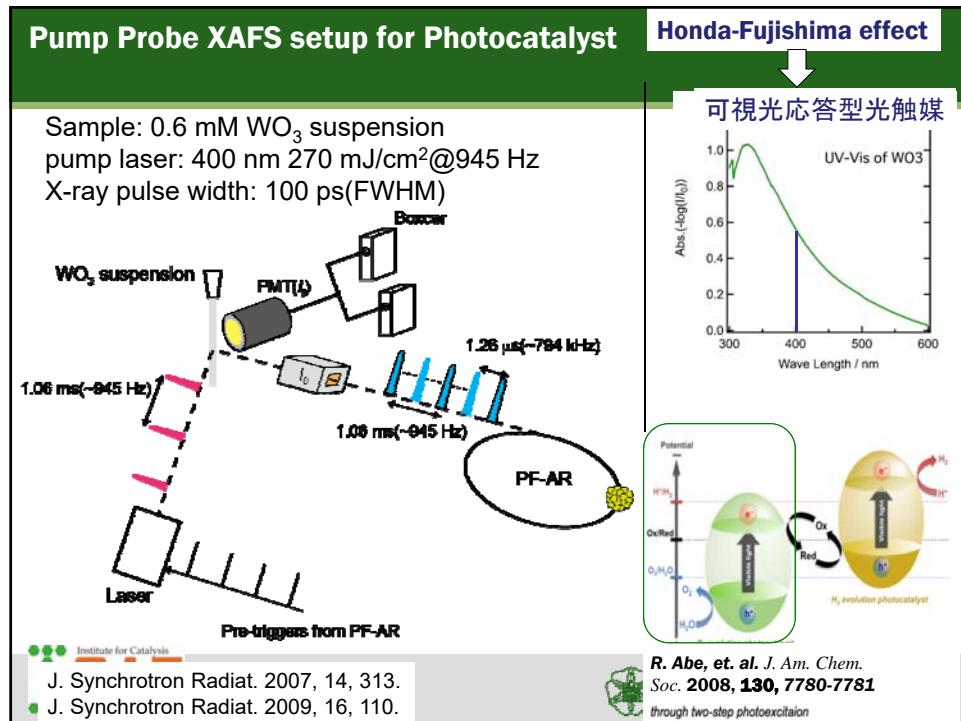
A.Suzuki, Y.Inada, M.Nomura, K.Asakura

Oxidation Reduction



900 ms 2010/8/25

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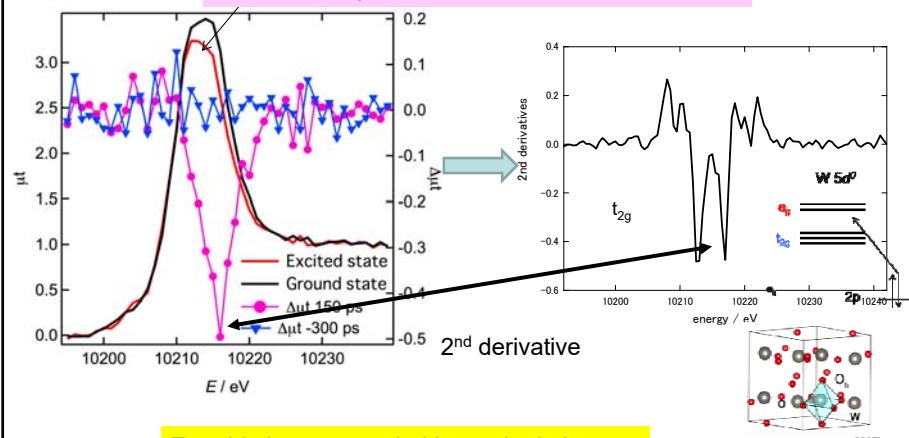


Assignment

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White line

This is a dipole transition from 2p $3/2$ to 5d state.
 Intensity is related to 5d empty state.
 If 5d is occupied, white line decreases.
 Low valence gives smaller white line

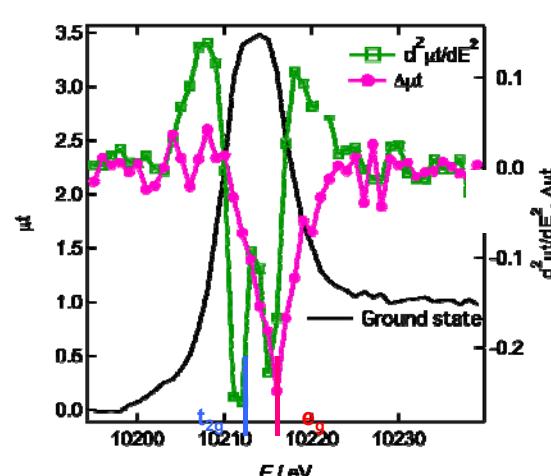
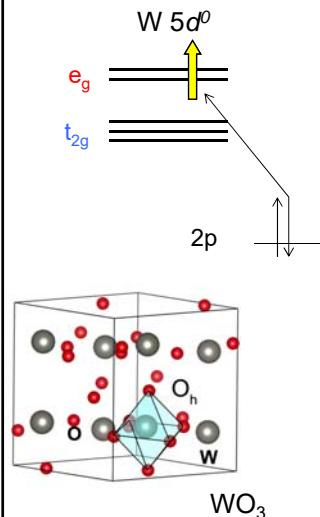


Eg orbitals are occupied by excited electron



Photoexcited State of WO_3 : L_{III} XANES

Uemura et al. *Chem. Lett.* 2014, 43, 977-979

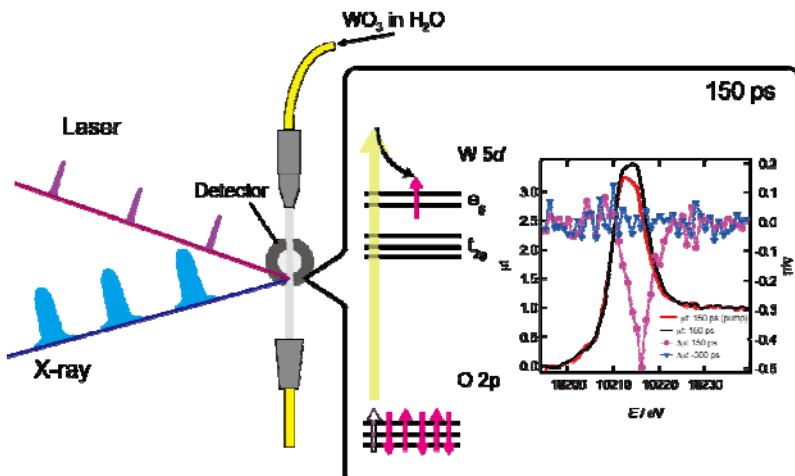


Oxygen 2p is excited to 5d eg orbital not the bottom of d band



Conclusions from XANES

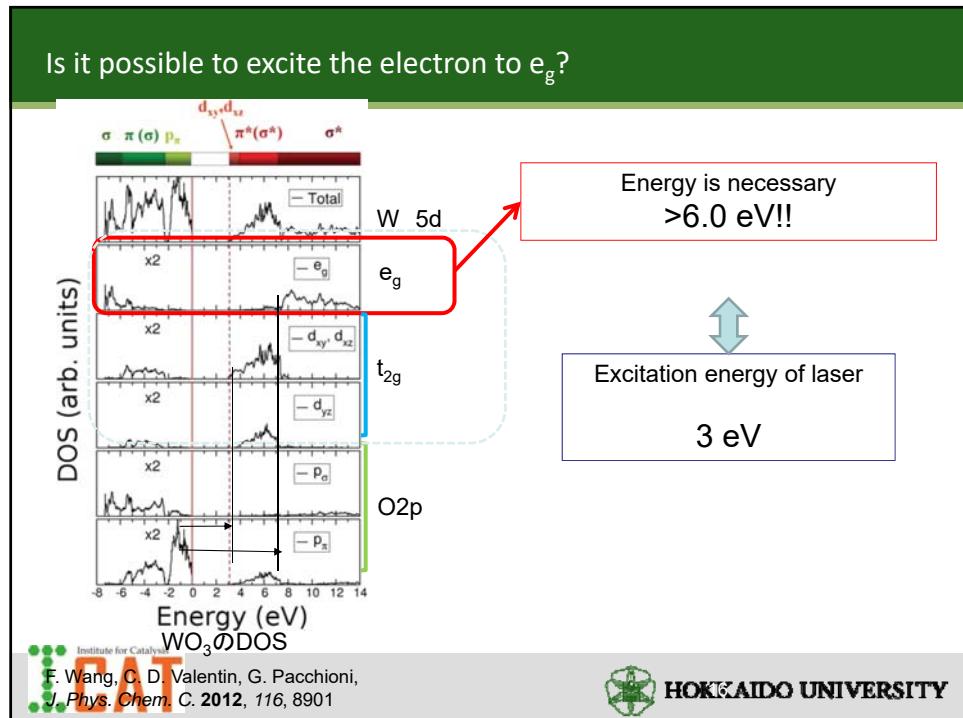
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Is it possible to excite the electron to e_g ?

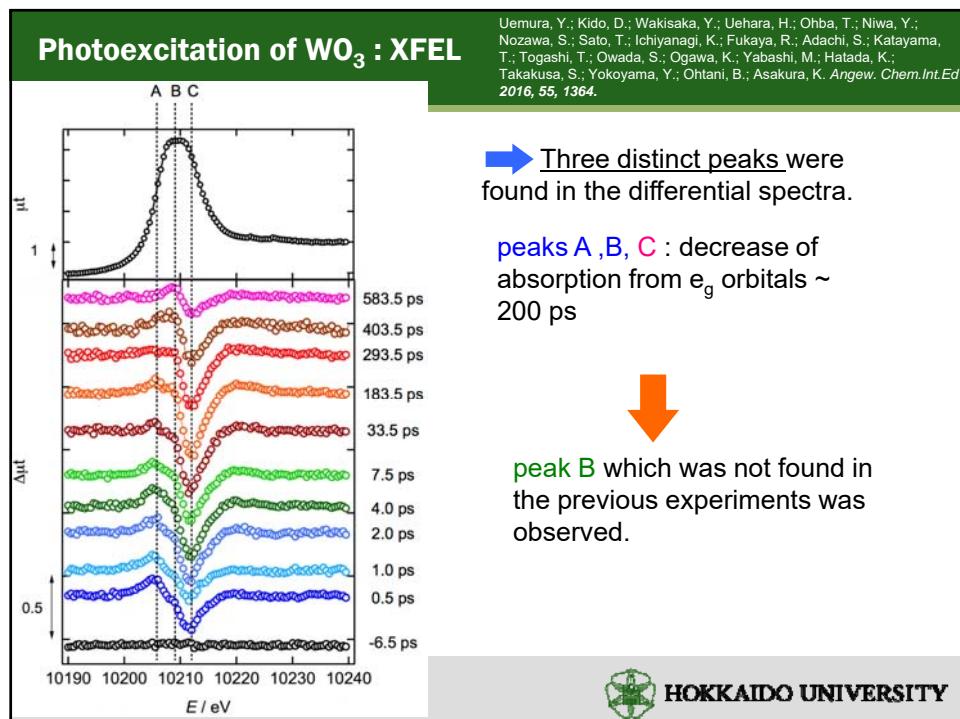
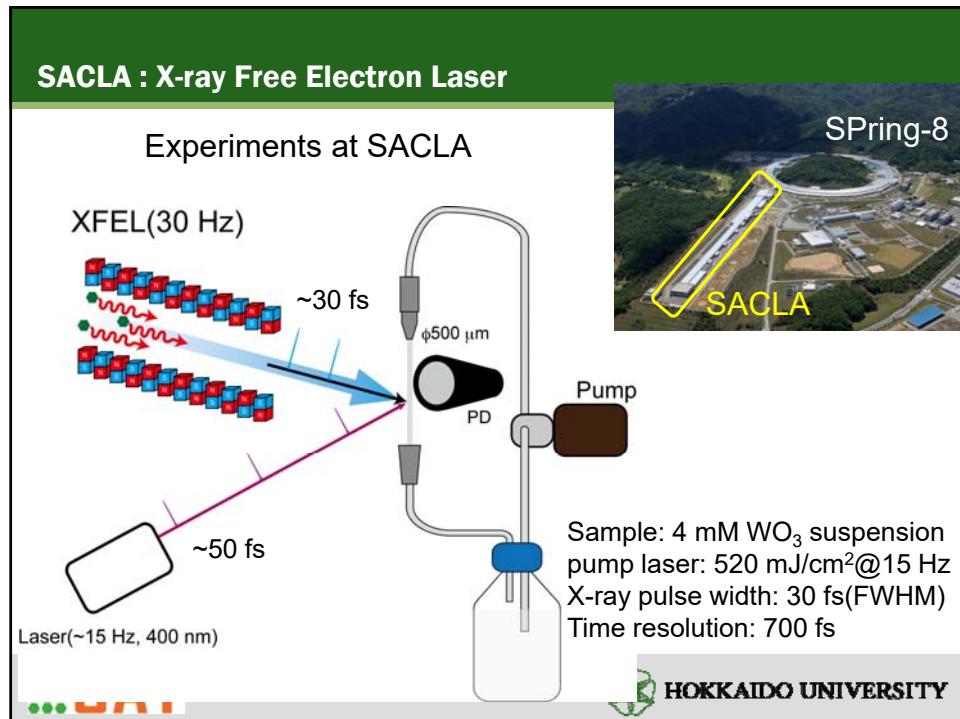
Energy is necessary
 $>6.0 \text{ eV}!!$

Excitation energy of laser
3 eV

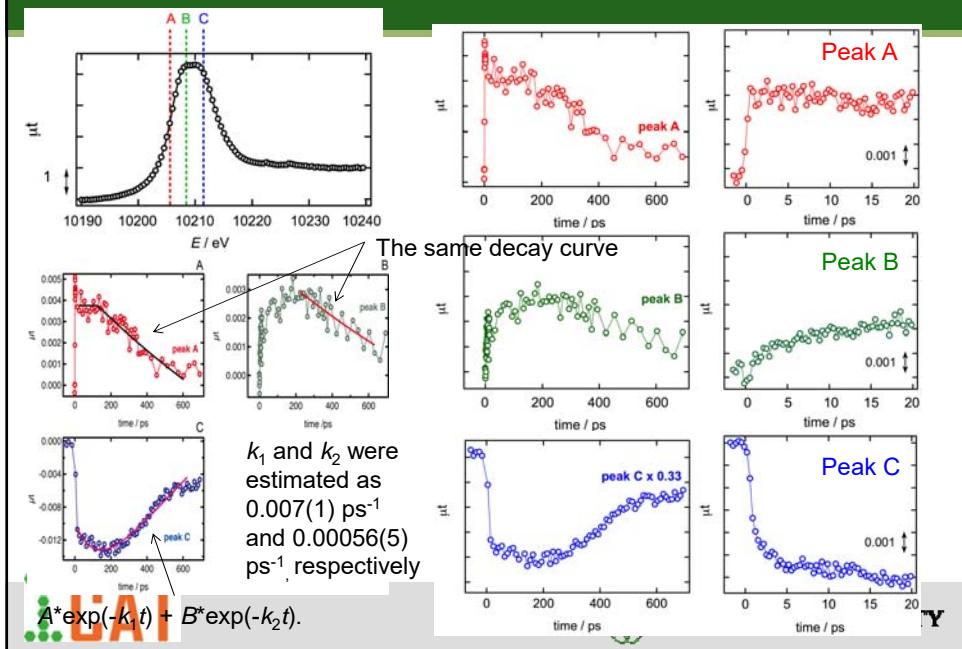


F. Wang, C. D. Valentin, G. Pacchioni,
J. Phys. Chem. C 2012, 116, 8901

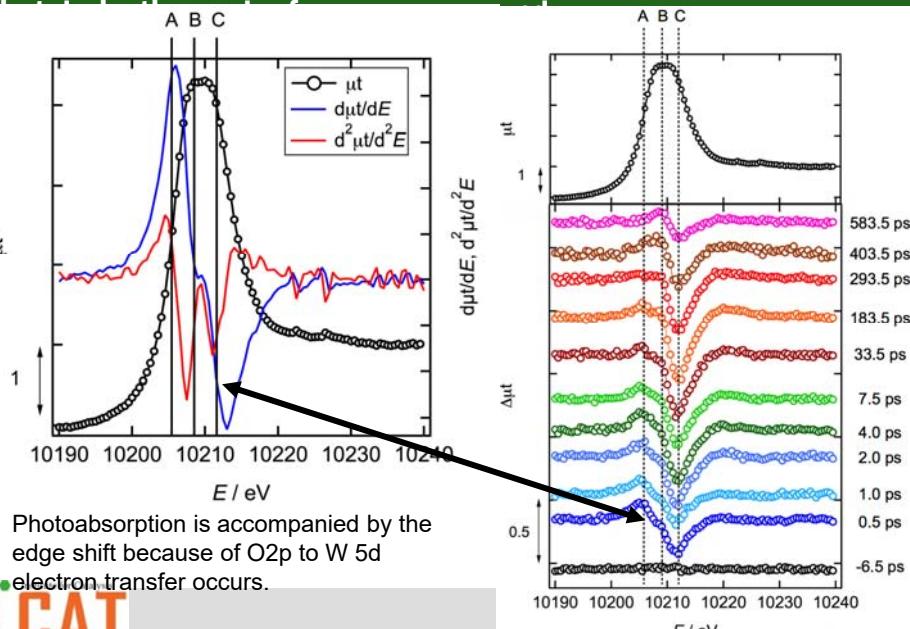


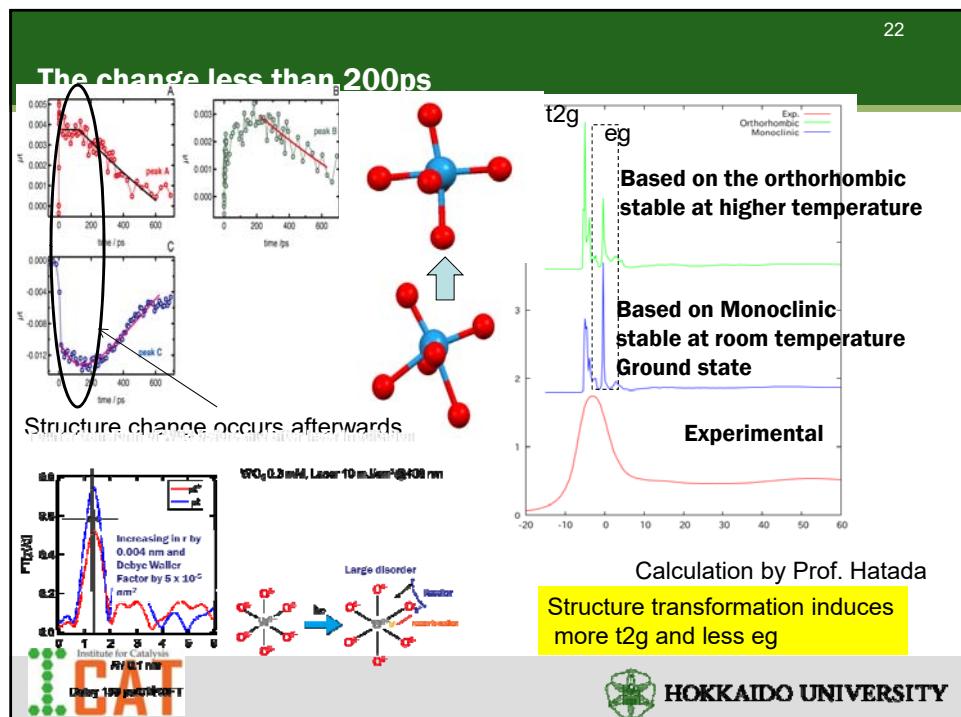
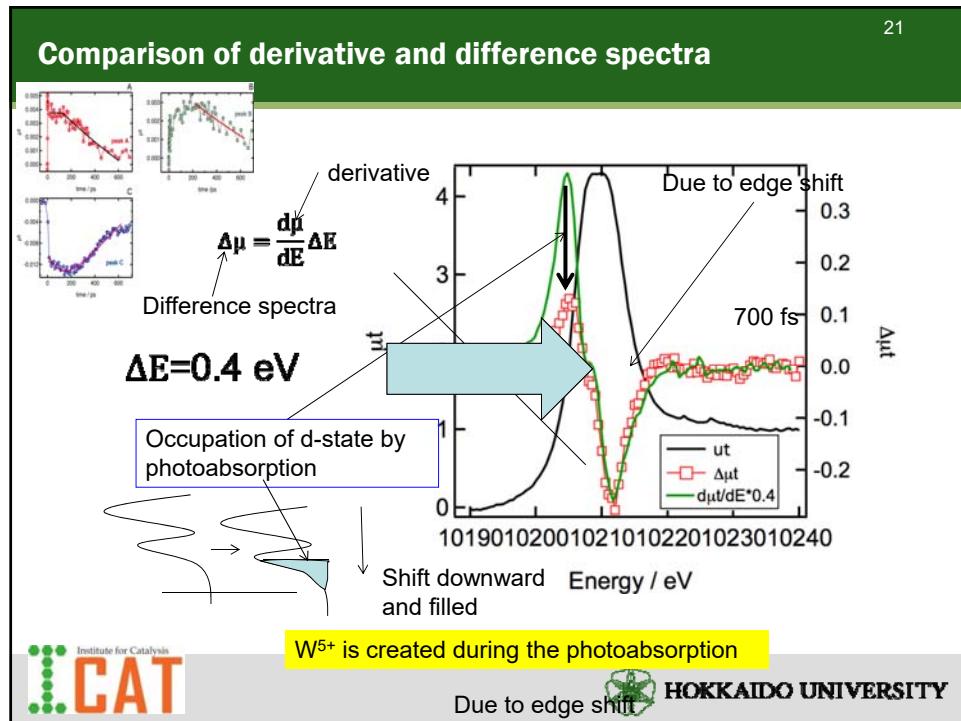


Changes of X-ray absorption at Peak A, B and C

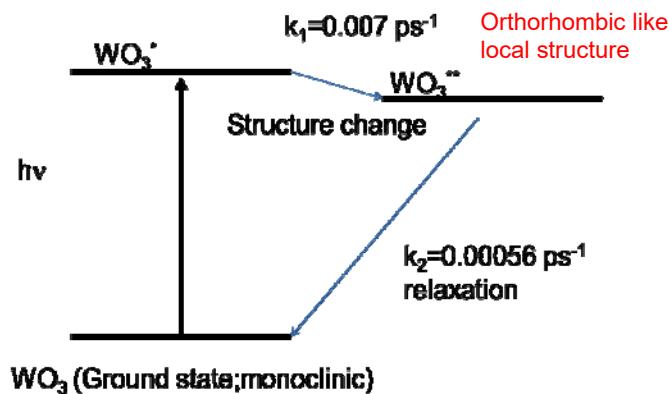


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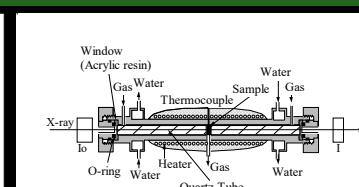
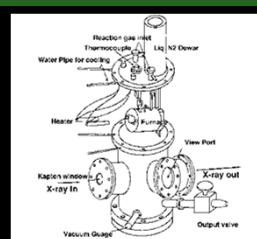
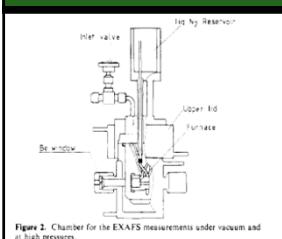




Scheme after the photoabsorption.



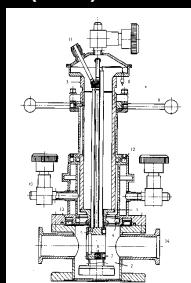
In situ EXAFS principle put window away from furnace.



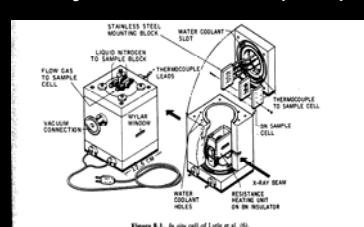
High pressure cell
J.Phys.
Chem.93,4213(1989)

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New York, John Wiley &
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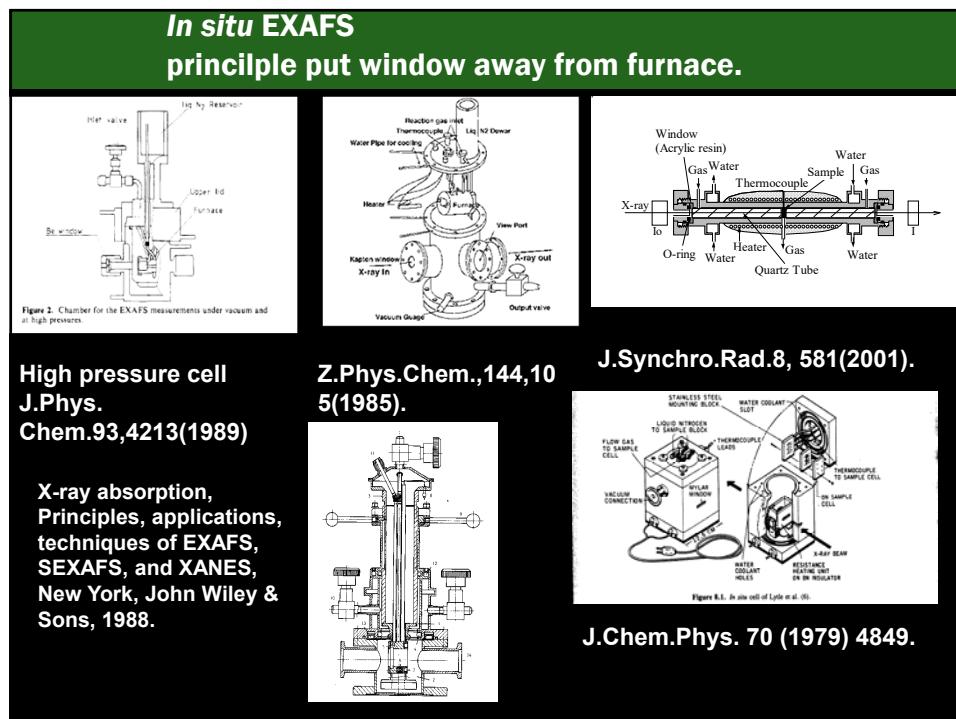
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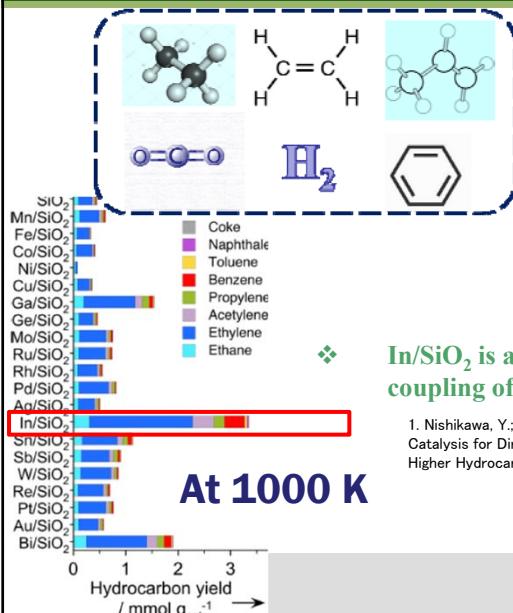
J.Chem.Phys. 70 (1979) 4849.



Conversion reaction of methane to hydrocarbons.

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Methane \longrightarrow



Mo/HZSM-5	Wang et al. Catal. Lett. 21, 35 (1993)
Pt-SO ₂ /ZrO ₂	Arata et al. J. Catal. 179, 18 (1998)
Single-site Fe/SiO ₂	Bao et al. Science 344, 616 (2014)
In/SiO ₂	Yamanaka et al. ChemistrySelect, 16, 4972 (2017)
Pt-Sn/HZSM-5	Dumesic et al. ACS Catal. 7, 2068 (2017)
Pt-Bi/ZSM-5	Verma et al. ACS Catal. 8, 2735 (2018)
Single-atom Pt/CeO ₂	Wang et al. ACS Catal. 8, 4046 (2018)

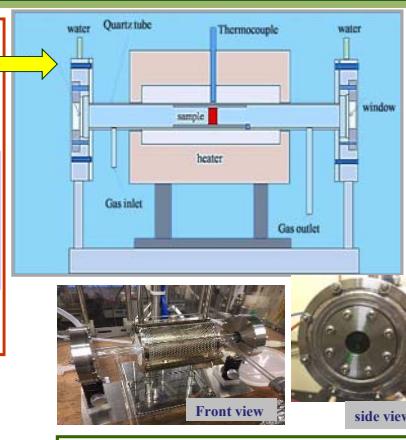
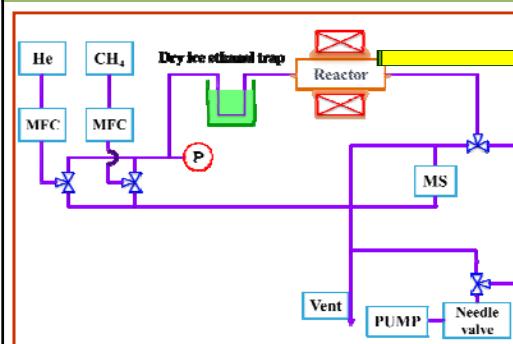
In/SiO₂ is a prominent catalyst for non-oxidative coupling of CH₄ [2].

1. Nishikawa, Y.; Ogihara, H.; Yamanaka, I., Liquid-Metal Indium Catalysis for Direct Dehydrogenation Conversion of Methane to Higher Hydrocarbons. *ChemistrySelect* 2017, 2 (16), 4572–4576.

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XAFS measurement cell

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1. XAFS cell was made-up of quartz glass.
2. Resistance up to 1373 K even in H₂ or CH₄ gas flow.

Fabricated at Technical Division,
Institute of Catalysis,
Hokkaido University

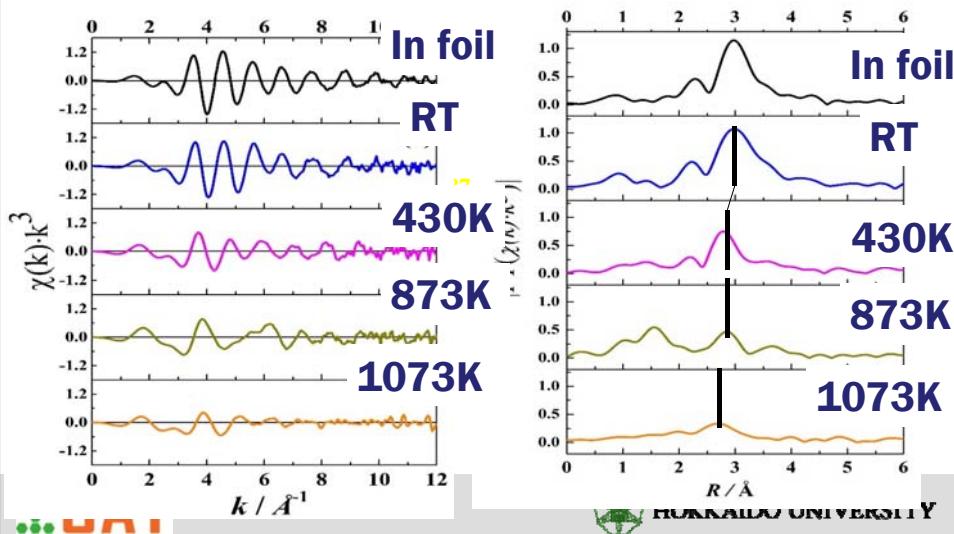
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Activation process => Dynamic change occurs.

In catalysts are activated under the CH₄ flow up to 1073 K



Conclusions

❖ *In-situ* XAFS was used to identify the structural changes of In/SiO₂ during the activation process

At 300 K : In metallic particles

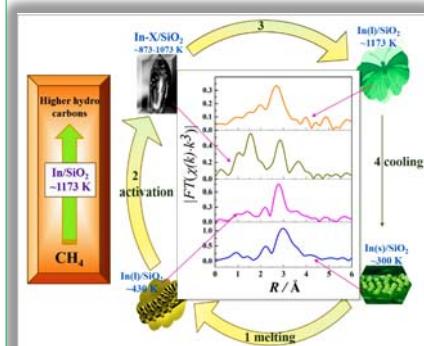
At 430 K : liquid In

At 873 K : In-X/SiO₂
In-X might be the Indium carbide

At 1073 K : In-X was disappeared and CO₂ appeared in QMS

At 1173 K : Fresh liquid In phase

Metamorphosis like



Kashaboina, U.; Nishikawa, Y.; Wakisaka, Y.; Sirisit, N.; Nagamatsu, S.; Bao, D.; Ariga-Miwa, H.; Takakusagi, S.; Inami, Y.; Kuriyama, F.; Dipu, A. L.; Ogihara, H.; Iguchi, S.; Yamanaka, I.; Wada, T.; Asakura, K. *Chem. Lett.* 2019, 48, 1145.

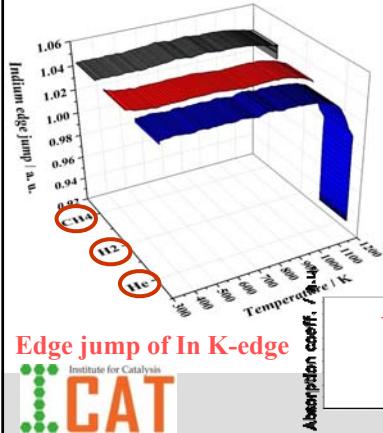
Activated under different conditions.

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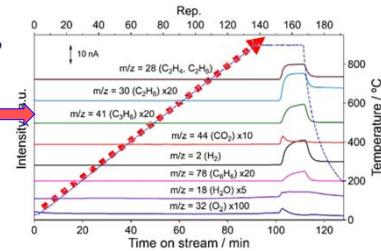
10wt% In/SiO₂ under CH₄, H₂ and He flow activation

We increased the temperature with 10 K / min, from 300- 1173 K.

Temperature profile



Edge jump of In K-edge



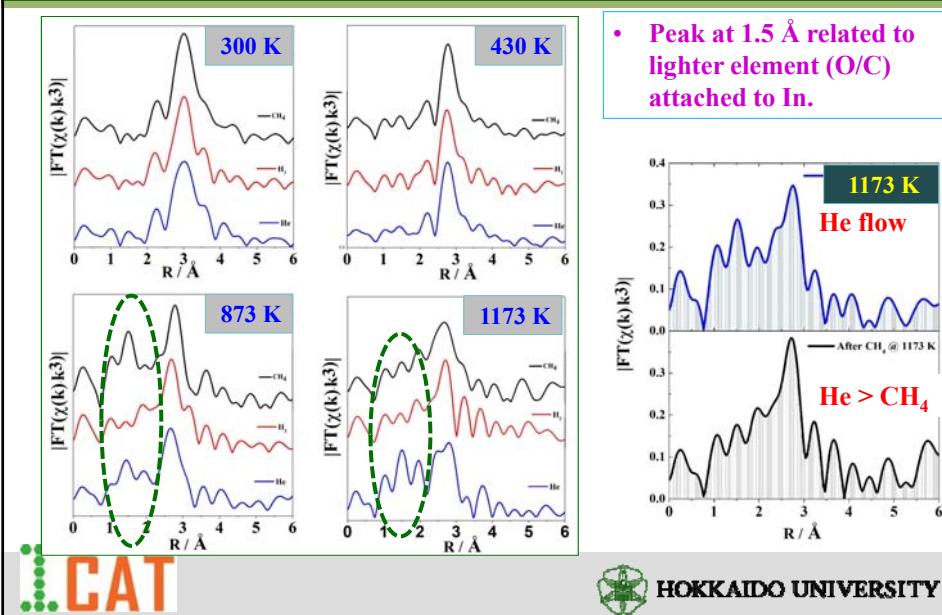
- ❖ We found strong reduction of In K-edge jump in He flow activation.
- ❖ Reproduced 3 times.
- ❖ It indicates more In loss in He flow than that of others.



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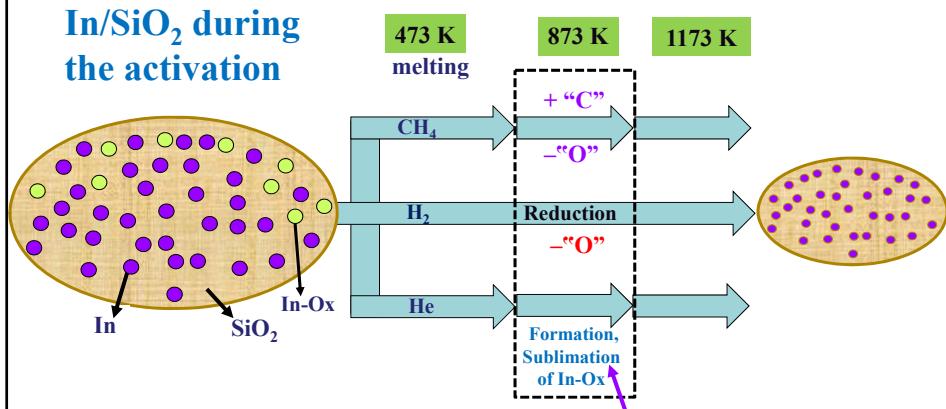
Fourier Transforms of k³-weighted EXAFS

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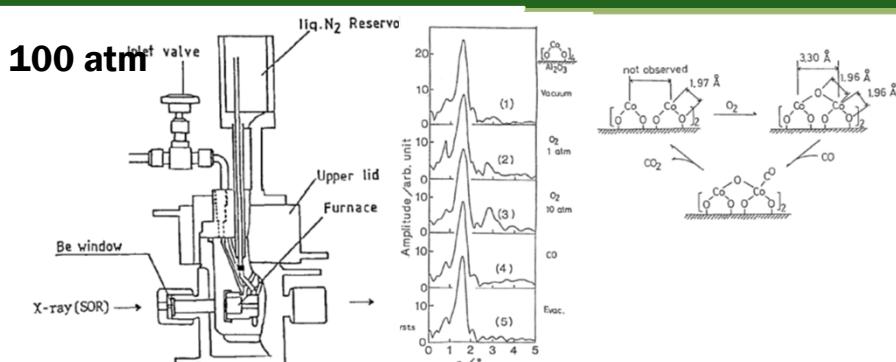
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Hypothesis**In/SiO₂ during the activation**Plausible pathway.. In₂O₃ is volatile at 1173 K

(http://www.Americanelement.com)

Vapor pressure of In at 1173 K is $8 * 10^{-3}$ mbar.**High pressure cell under high pressure gas.**

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100 atm

Asakura, K.; Iwasawa, Y. Extended X-ray Absorption Fine Structure Studies on the Structure Change of the Al₂O₃-attached [Co]₄ Catalyst during a CO Oxidation Reaction. *J.Phys.Chem.* 1989, 93, 4213-4218.

Cool down the windows so that we can use Be window or thick Plastic window



Oyama, S. T.; Wang, X.; Lee, Y.-K.; Chun, W.-J. *J.Catal* 2004, 221, 263.

Hydrodesulfurization(HDS) catalyst

It removes sulfur compounds from fossil fuel.

Reactions are conducted under high pressure condition in the presence of oil.

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高温高压に耐える窓材は？

Demands are “window materials must stand for high pressure and high temperature at the same time”.

- Capillary cells
 - But curved window causes thickness effects
- Diamond, Be and Al Flat windows.
 - Expensive (diamond) or toxic (Be)
 - Diamond, Be and Al are chemically and thermally not so stable.

Al window

Figure 3
Cell configuration for powder catalyst studies. A: X-ray transparent window; B: window seal; C: sample; D: gas inlet.

N. Weiher et.al., *J. Synchrotron Rad.* 12 (2005) 675.

J. D. Grunwaldt, et al.
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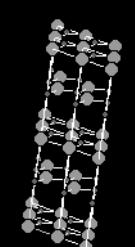
G. Sankar, and J. M. Thomas,
Topics in Catal. 8, 1 (1999).

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Cubic BN 2番目に硬い物質

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Cubic BN is Second hardest material

Tensile strength = 1078.7 MPa

Diamond=2000 Mpa;Be=260 MPa

Previously cBN was made using binders and strengths was reduced.

Recently direct formation of cBN without binders by directly conversion at high pressure (7.7 GPa) and high temperature(2400 K).

(Sumitomo Electro Engineering Co. Dr. Sumiya)

It is thermally stable upto 1273 K and chemically also stable.

600 μm の厚みで十分な透過性と30気圧の耐久性

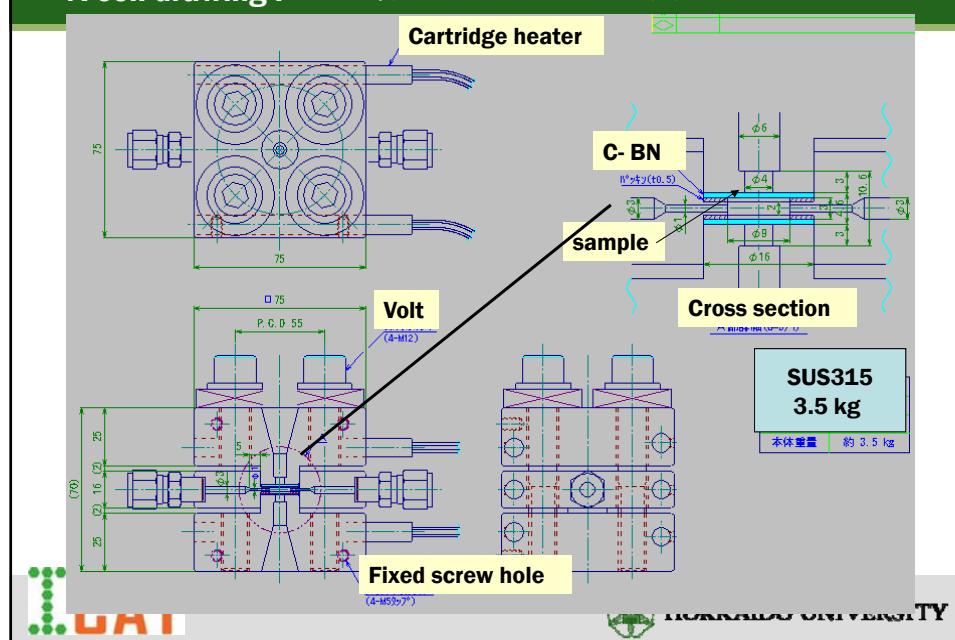


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A cell drawing .

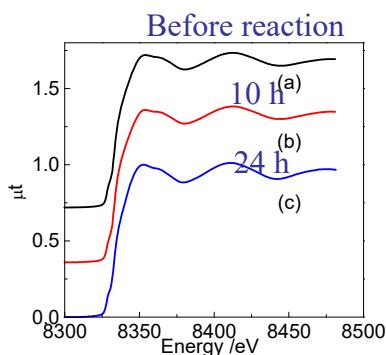
Kawai, T.; Chun, W. J.; Asakura, K.; Koike, Y.; Nomura, M.; Bando, K. K.; Oyama, S. T.; Sumiya, H. Review of Scientific Instruments 2008, 79, 014101.1.d

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XANES of Ni₂P under reaction conditions.



$\chi(k)$ oscillations of Ni K-edge XANES for Ni₂P on SiO₂ before (a) and during the HDS reaction 10 h and 24 h after the introduction of oil (b) and (c), respectively. The Ni₂P was reduced at 723 K and cooled to room temperature. The HDS was carried out at 3 MPa and 613 K.

- 1.Kawai, T.; Chun, W. J.; Bando, K. K.; Oyama, S. T.; Sumiya, H.; Asakura, K., A high-temperature and high -pressure liquid flow cell to measure operando XAFS spectra under the hydrodesulfurization reaction. *Rev.Sci.Instrum* **2005**.
- 2.Kawai, T.; Bando, K. K.; Lee, Y. K.; Oyama, S. T.; Chun, W. J.; Asakura, K., EXAFS measurements of a working catalyst in the liquid phase: An in situ study of a Ni2P hydrodesulfurization catalyst. *J.Cat.* **2006**, *241*, 20-24.
- 3.T.Kawai; S. Sato, K. K. B., W.-J.Chun, S.T.Oyama,Y.-K.Lee ; K.Asakura, Active Phase of Ni2P Observed by an Operando XAFS. In TOCAT2006, Tokyo, 2006.

30気圧613K モデル油中のXAFS

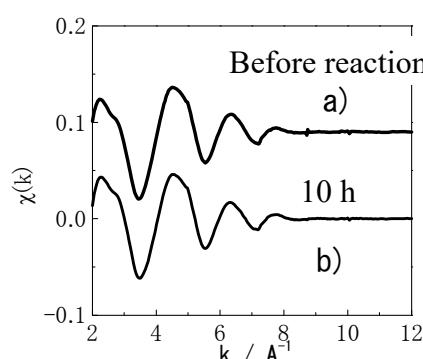
20 wt% tetralin, 77 wt% tetradecane, and 3 wt% DBT,
80cc /min H₂



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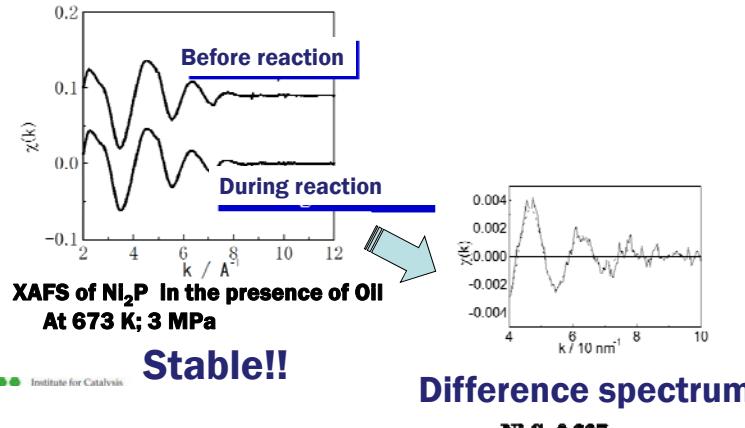
→ Ni₂P structure のあらわな変化がない。
反応中安定である。



High pressure liquid cell window must be tolerable against high pressure and temperature.

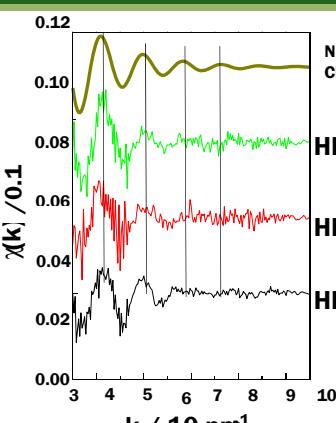
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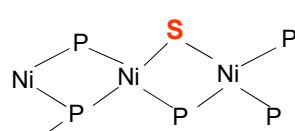


チオフェン脱硫反応(1気圧)の脱硫反応

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- CF results of Ni-S
 $R=0.227 \text{ nm}; CN=0.1.$
- Judging from the ratio of surface Ni to the bulk ~0.5
 $S/\text{Ni}_{\text{surf}}=0.2$
- Little reaction temperature dependence



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But what is Ni-S for?

Ni-S is a spectator ?

Ni-S is a poison ?

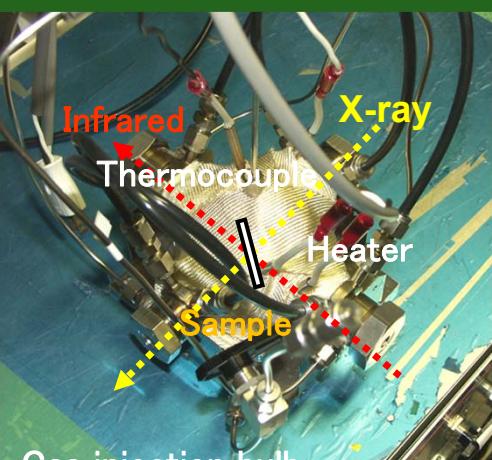
Ni-S is included in an active site?

We carried out the simultaneous measurements of in situ quick XAFS,IR, and product analysis.



XAFS,IR,反応生成物分析同時測定

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Sample : Ni₂P/MCM-41
35 mg, 15 mm Φ disk

45 deg tilted against Xray and IR.

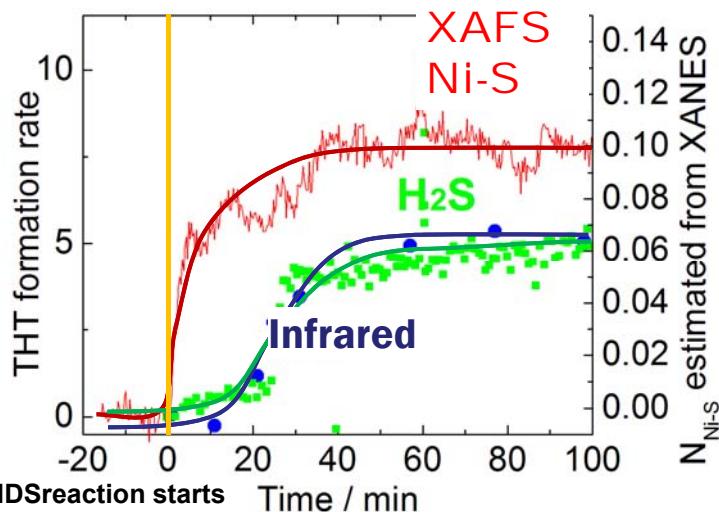
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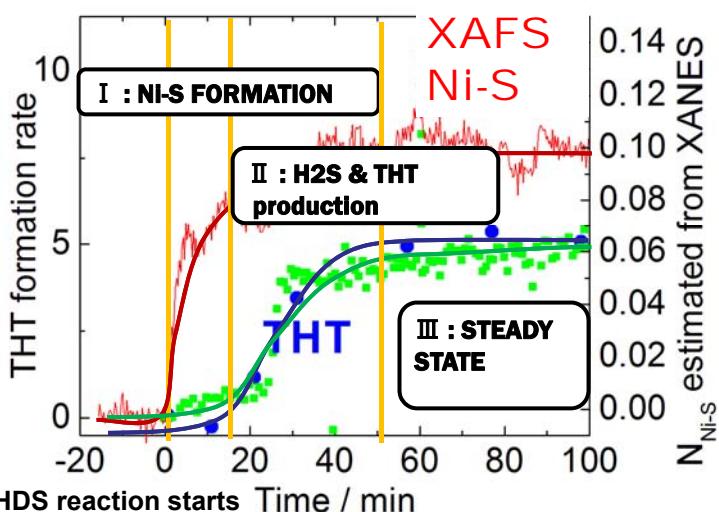
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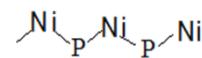


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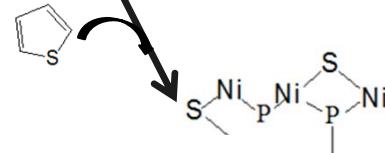
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Reaction mechanisms

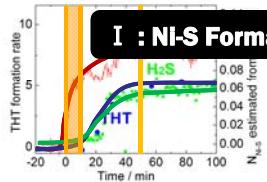
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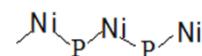
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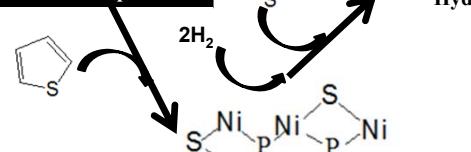
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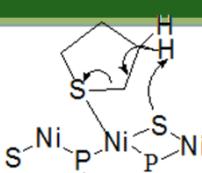
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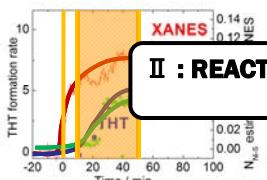
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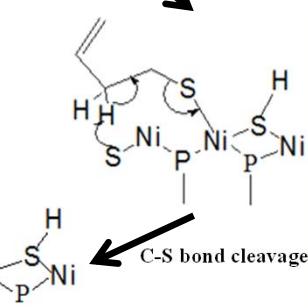
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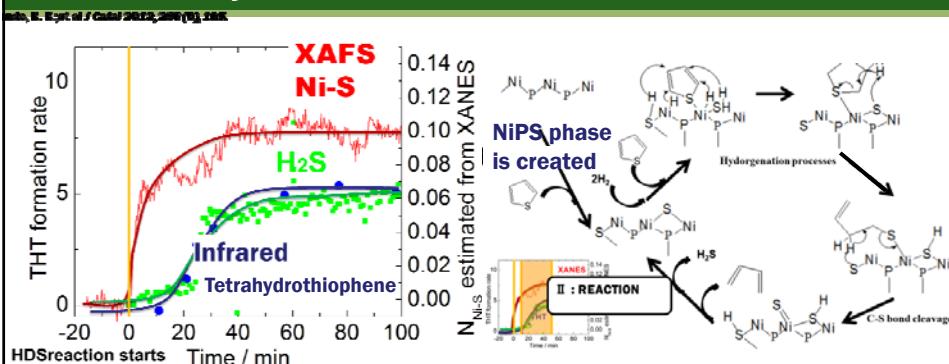


II : REACTION



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Simultaneously measurement of IR,XAFS and QMASS



NiPS structure is first formed and then reaction starts with formation of THT as intermediate



電池駆動型マイクロガスセンサの開発

Suzuki, T.; Soma, S.; Nagase, T. In *Fuji Electric Review; Fuji electric*: 2012; Vol. 58, p 37.

- ガスの安全・安心に対する社会的要請高まる
=都市ガスの供給、ガス機器の画面での安全確保に加え、
都市ガス警報器の普及が急務



- 更なる普及と推進のためにはガス警報器のコードレス化(電池駆動化)が必要

- 停電時にも安全を確保可能
- 台所ではAC電源が確保にくい
- 設置箇所に制約を受ける
- 配線が美観を損ねる

高い信頼性を持ち、電池駆動できる超省電力型
ガスセンサの開発が必要

MEMS技術により、
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開発中のガスセンサ概要

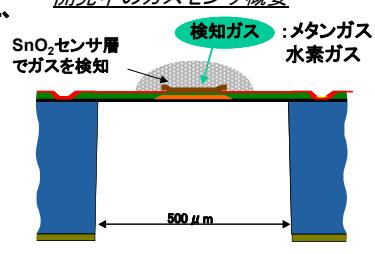
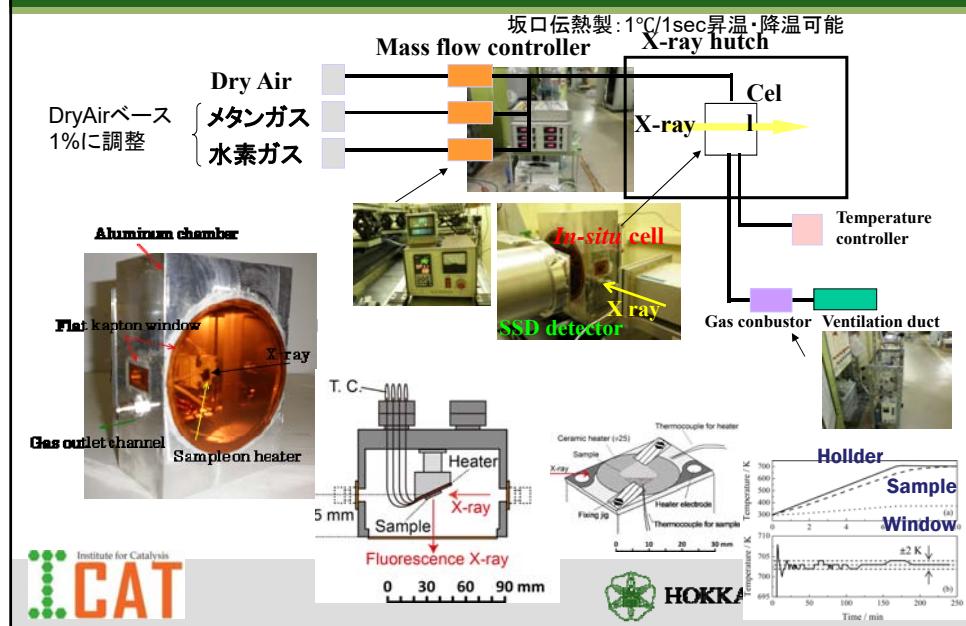


図 薄膜ガスセンサチップ概略

PtドープSnO₂触媒を採用
することで特性が改善。

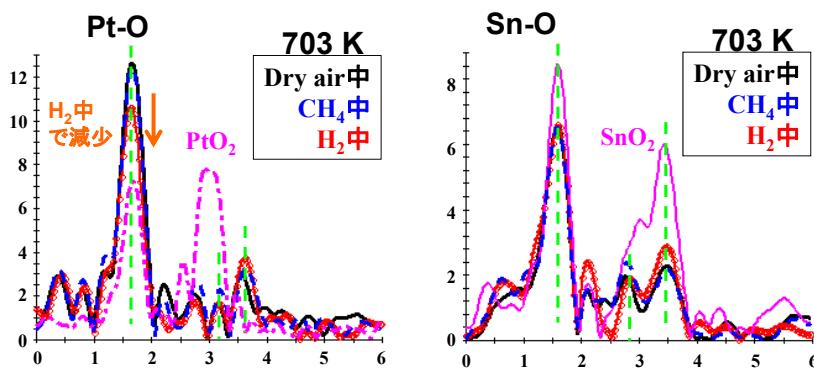


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動径分布関数の比較

- ★CH₄, H₂ガス中のいずれもPt周囲とSn周囲の局所構造がSnO₂の構造に酷似
- ★703 Kの水素ガス中において、Pt-Oの強度が減少



カーブフィッティング解析により、Pt-OとSn-Oの配位数、結合距離を明確し、構造について検証



Summary

- 1. Operando XAFS—High penetration ability.**
- 2. High pressure Less than 100 bar and high temperature less than 1200K are possible.**
- 3. Future 時空間分析、高エネルギー分解、同時解析で、触媒そのものが働いているときにそのまま測定。**
<https://youtu.be/ugzqLxi0ISM?t=11>
[\(https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jlxDWb3ADs\)](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jlxDWb3ADs)



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