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Ba-, Ti-, and Cl-rich micas associated with other Ba- and/or Cl-rich minerals in the rock matrix or in garnet and clinopyroxene hosted multiphase solid inclusions (MSI) are observed in mantle-derived garnet pyroxenites. The micas show extremely high variability in chemical composition ranging between Ba-rich phlogopite, chloroferrokinoshitalite, and oxykinoshitalite. Elemental covariation trends in mineral chemical data reveal the principal substitution mechanisms responsible for the observed chemical 16 variability. The substitution  $Ba^{2+}Al^{3+}$ → $K^{1+}Si^{4+}$  associated with either  $OH^{1}$ → $Cl^{1}$  or  $T^{4+}2O^{2}$  → $Mg^{2+}2OH^{1}$ links phlogopite to chloroferrokinoshitalite and oxykinoshitalite, respectively, whereas the substitution *Ti*<sup> $4+2O^2$  → *Fe*<sup> $2+2Cl^2$  links chloroferrokinoshitalite to oxykinoshitalite. The preferred incorporation of Cl in</sup></sup> 19 Fe-rich mica and of Ti+O in Mg-rich mica indicates that XFe  $(F_{\text{e}_{tot}}/F_{\text{e}_{tot}}+Mg)$  exerts an important control on mica composition. The positive correlation of XFe with Cl led to the formation of possibly the most Cl-21 rich mica so far described classified as chloroferrokinoshitalite  $(XFe<sub>0.88</sub>$ ,  $Ba_{0.95}K_{0.03}Fe_{2.68}Mg_{0.37}Al_{1.91}Si_{2.01}Cl_{1.98})$  with 10.98 wt% Cl. Substantial substitution of OH<sup>-</sup> by Cl<sup>-</sup> and

23 O<sup>2-</sup> in mica, and the presence of Cl-apatite, a rare Cl-rich phosphate goryainovite, and carbonates together 24 with Cl-rich micas indicate high Cl and  $CO<sub>2</sub>$  activity and low H<sub>2</sub>O activity in metasomatizing fluids or melts that may be classified as Ba-Cl-rich silicocarbonatitic. The coexistence of two micas with distinct 26 compositions close to chloroferrokinoshitalite (XFe<sub>0.57–0.77</sub>, K $\sim_{0.1}$ Ba<sub>0.6–0.8</sub>Mg<sub>0.7–1.3</sub>Fe<sub>1.7–2.3</sub>Ti<sub>0.0–0.1</sub>Si<sub>2.2–2.3</sub>Al<sub>1.5–</sub>  $_{1.7}Cl_{1.2-1.8}$ ) and oxykinoshitalite (XFe<sub>0.19–0.20</sub>, K<sub>-0.3</sub>Ba<sub>-0.5</sub>Mg<sub>2.0–2.1</sub>Fe<sub>-0.5</sub>Ti<sub>0.2–0.4</sub>Si<sub>2.4–2.6</sub>Al<sub>-1.8</sub>Cl<sub>-0.3</sub>) suggests that a miscibility gap exists between these two compositions. The exotic mineral assemblage was formed by interaction with metasomatizing fluids or melts whose origin cannot be defined with certainty. They may be derived from crustal or mantle lithologies or from the host garnet pyroxenites. The textural position of the MSI in garnet and their characteristic mineral assemblages indicate that they have been introduced into the garnet crystals under post-peak conditions, possibly during decompression. With this research we document substitution mechanisms in Ba-, Ti-, and Cl-rich micas and shed light on the behavior and composition of fluids or melts at the upper mantle/lower crust interface.

**Keywords:** garnet pyroxenite, metasomatism, multiphase solid inclusions, fluids, melts, kinoshitalite

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#### **INTRODUCTION**

## **Occurrence and origin of Ba- (Cl-) bearing micas**

Ba- and Cl-rich mineral assemblages including Ba-rich micas have been documented from a wide range of crustal lithologies including ore deposits (Pattiaratchi et al. 1967; Jiang et al. 1996; Gnos and Armbruster 2000), banded iron-formations (Henry and Daigle, 2018; Kullerud, 1995), metacherts (Grapes 1993), metaexhalites (Oen and Lustenhouwer 1992), magnetite bearing gneisses (Léger et al., 1996), skarns and marbles (Bol et al. 1989; Tracy 1991), charnockites and related rocks (Kamineni et al. 1982; Sharygin et al. 2014), olivine nephelinite

(Kogarko et al., 2005; Manuella et al., 2012), and MORB derived amphibolite and associated lithologies (Blanco-Quintero et al., 2011). Their formation is mainly related to infiltration of metasomatizing fluid or melt, which may be derived from barite-bearing sediments (e.g. Grapes, 1993; Tracy, 1991), or to hydrothermal alteration of the rocks by fluids or melts associated with ore formation (e.g. Jiang et al., 1996; Henry and Daige, 2018). In magmatic rocks, they may originate from melting of enriched/metasomatized mantle (Kogarko et al. 2005, 2007; Manuella et al. 2012; Lopes and Ulbrich 2015) or from subducted MORB infiltrated by Ba(-Cl) fluids or

melts (Blanco-Quintero et al. 2011).

In mantle lithologies, Ba(-Cl)-rich micas and other Ba(-Cl)-rich phases are rare, but they are known from the matrix of garnet peridotite (Tumiati et al. 2007). These phases specifically occur within multiphase solid inclusions, henceforth referred to as MSI, in garnet or spinel from (U)HP garnet pyroxenites, eclogites, peridotites, and chromitites (Zaccarini et al. 2004; Faryad et al. 2010; Borghini et al. 2018, 2020; Čopjaková and Kotková 2018; Naemura et al. 2018; Kotková et al. 2021).

In general, MSI are a type of inclusion up to 100 µm in size interpreted as fluid or melt trapped in crystals during their initial growth or during healing of cracks in preexisting crystals. In crustal lithologies, MSI may occur as so called nanogranites (Cesare et al. 2011; Ferrero et al. 2015a, 2015b). MSI occur mostly in peak mineral assemblages of (U)HP and (U)HT rocks and are comprised of hydrous aluminosilicate minerals including micas, anhydrous silicates and carbonates, whereas sulfates, sulfides, phosphates, and oxides are less common. Very rarely MSI contain diamond and/or graphite (Frezzotti and Ferrando 2015 and references therein).

In mantle rocks, Ba(-Cl)-bearing micas are often associated with other silicate, carbonate, and phosphate minerals and are usually interpreted as a result of interaction with metasomatizing

LILE and Cl-rich, sometimes potassic carbonatitic fluids or melts derived from a subducting crustal slab (Faryad et al. 2013, Naemura et al. 2018). Furthermore, the metasomatizing agent may be enriched in Mg, Fe, Al, and Cr derived from rocks in the mantle wedge (Tumiati et al. 2007; Naemura et al. 2009, 2018; Borghini et al. 2018, 2020; Čopjaková and Kotková 2018; Kotková et al. 2021).

# **Trioctahedral Ba(-Cl) bearing micas**

The basic building blocks of the crystal structure of mica are represented by layers comprised of one central sheet of octahedrally coordinated cations sandwiched between two sheets of tetrahedrally coordinated cations. The three-sheet layers have a net negative charge and 79 are held together by interlayer cations. A simplified formula of mica can be written as I  $M<sup>VI</sup>_{2-3}$  $\Box_{1-0} T^{IV}$  a  $O_{10}$  A<sub>2</sub>, where I represents interlayer cations  $(Cs^{1+}, K^{1+}, Na^{1+}, NH_4^{1+}, Rb^{1+}, Ba^{2+}, Ca^{2+});$ 81 M represents octahedrally coordinated cations  $(Li^{1+}, Fe^{2+}, Fe^{3+}, Me^{2+}, Mn^{2+}, Mn^{3+}, Zn^{2+}, Al^{3+}, Qn^{3+}, Qn^{$  $Cr^{3+}$ ,  $V^{2+}$ ,  $V^{3+}$ ,  $Ti^{4+}$ );  $\Box$  represents a vacancy; T represents tetrahedrally coordinated cations (Be<sup>2+</sup>, 83 Al<sup>3+</sup>, B<sup>3+</sup>, Fe<sup>3+</sup>, Si<sup>4+</sup>); A represents anions (Cl<sup>1-</sup>, F<sup>1-</sup>, OH<sup>1</sup>-, O<sup>2</sup>-, S<sup>2</sup>) (Rieder et al. 1999). Of the octahedrally coordinated lattice sites, two thirds may be filled with trivalent cations or all octahedrally coordinated lattice sites may be filled with divalent cations, giving rise to dioctahedral and trioctahedral micas, respectively.

In trioctahedral micas, K–Ba substitution at the interlayer I position connects the 88 phlogopite-annite series with Ba-micas and is coupled with Al–Si substitution at the T position:  $Ba^{2+}+Al^{3+}\leftrightarrow (K^{1+},Na^{1+})+Si^{4+}$  (Tischendorf et al., 2007). If the Ba content exceeds 0.5 atoms per formula unit (a.p.f.u.), the mica is classified as kinoshitalite (Mg-rich end member) or ferrokinoshitalite, where Mg is replaced by Fe in the M position (Guggenheim and Frimmel

1999). In oxykinoshitalite, the K–Ba substitution is accompanied by the exchange  $Ti^{4+}+2O^{2-}$  $\leftrightarrow$ *Mg*<sup>2+</sup>+2(*OH,F*)<sup>1-</sup> (Kogarko et al., 2005). With increasing Cl content on the A position, the transition from ferrokinoshitalite to chloroferrokinoshitalite occurs. Mica with a composition of chloroferrokinoshitalite with Cl occupying more than 0.5 of the A position was previously described (Tracy 1991), although it was misidentified as anandite - Ba-bearing mica that contains predominantly S on the A position (Filut et al., 1985; Pattiaratchi et al., 1967). Another Ba-rich dioctahedral brittle mica is chernykhite, where the M position is rich in V (Ankinovich et al. 1973). The composition of the micas mentioned above and the assignments to structural positions are shown in Table 1.

101 In this work, we document the occurrence of Ba(-Cl)-rich trioctahedral micas and related exotic phases including Cl-rich phosphates with carbonates and other silicate phases in MSI hosted by garnet and clinopyroxene as well as in the matrix of mantle-derived garnet pyroxenites. Detailed evaluation of a large set of mica analyses involving compositions so far not described from natural samples allows identification of the main substitution mechanisms and compositional correlations that help to better constrain the factors controlling such uncommon 107 mica compositions. The study of mineral assemblages extremely enriched in Ba, Cl, and  $CO<sub>2</sub>$  can shed light on the character of metasomatic agents that affect mantle rocks during orogenic processes.

## **GEOLOGICAL SETTING**

The garnet pyroxenites in this study were collected in the St. Leonhard and Dunkelsteiner Wald granulite massifs located in Lower Austria. Both massifs are part of the Gföhl Unit of the Moldanubian Domain of the Bohemian Massif (Figure 1; e.g. Schulmann et al., 2008). According

to recent interpretations, the granulite massifs of the Gföhl Unit were derived from the Saxothuringian plate, which was subducted to mantle depth beneath the Teplá-Barrandian plate. Subsequently, the crustal material was underplated beneath the orogenic root and later exhumed due to the indentation of the Brunia microcontinent under the Moldanubian Domain (Racek et al. 2006; Guy et al. 2011; Schulmann et al. 2014; Kusbach et al. 2015; Maierová et al. 2021)

The granulite massifs from the Saxothuringian Domain and the Gföhl Unit are predominantly formed by felsic kyanite and K-feldspar bearing granulites and gneisses, but they also contain a large number of garnet peridotite bodies associated with layers or lenses of garnet pyroxenites and eclogites. These latter rocks are interpreted as mantle fragments that were incorporated into the continental crust during or after the subduction of the Saxothuringian plate under the Teplá-Barrandian plate during the Variscan orogeny (Cooke 2000; Medaris et al. 2005; Schmädicke et al. 2010; Kusbach et al. 2015). Multiple genetic models have been proposed for garnet pyroxenites and eclogites occurring within garnet peridotites of the Gföhl and Saxothuringian granulite massifs, including: 1) HT-HP crystallization from silicate melts containing components of the oceanic crust (Medaris et al., 1995; Medaris et al., 2013); 2) high pressure cumulates of hot melts derived from the asthenosphere (Becker 1997; Schmädicke et al. 2010); and 3) metasomatism of peridotites by melts derived from a phengite-bearing protolith already present in the peridotites or more probably within the deeply subducted continental crust (Borghini et al. 2018, 2020). Furthermore, mafic and intermediate granulites sometimes occur in association with pyroxenite bodies at the contact with felsic granulites (Cooke, 2000; Petrakakis et al., 2018; Racek et al., 2008).

Using thermodynamic modelling or thermobarometry, the maximum P-T conditions were estimated to be 11–25 kbar and 750–1200 °C for the felsic granulites, 16–25 kbar and 1050–1200

138 °C for the intermediate granulites, and 11–19 kbar and 800–1090 °C for the mafic granulites (Gayk et al. 1995; Štípská and Powell 2005; Medaris et al. 2006; Racek et al. 2006, 2008). The occurrence of microdiamond and coesite inclusions in the felsic granulites shows that at least 141 some of these granulites underwent metamorphism under UHP conditions of 850–1100 °C and ~45 kbar (Kotková et al., 2021; Kotková et al., 2011; Perraki and Faryad, 2014). For garnet peridotites, peak metamorphic conditions of 20–60 kbar and 900–1400°C were estimated (Carswell 1991; Medaris et al. 2005; Schmädicke et al. 2010). Equilibration conditions for garnet 145 pyroxenite associated with peridotite from the Gföhl Unit have been estimated to be ~900  $\degree$ C and 22–37 kbar (Faryad et al., 2009; Medaris et al., 2013). However, some garnet pyroxenites contain 147 relics of a primary coarse grained texture that was formed at  $22-25$  kbar and  $1300-1400$  °C and was later overprinted at considerably higher pressure of 45–50 kbar, and lower temperature of 149 1100 °C (Faryad et al. 2009).

The decompression conditions for felsic, intermediate, and mafic granulites have been estimated to be 5–13 kbar and 650–910 °C (Cooke, 2000; Racek et al., 2008; Štípská et al., 2004; 152 Petrakakis et al. 2018), for peridotites with garnet pyroxenites 12–13 kbar and 840–860 °C were estimated (Schmädicke et al. 2010), and for eclogites 18–20 kbar and 835–935 °C were obtained (Medaris et al., 2006).

### **SAMPLES AND METHODS**

Mineral assemblages involving Ba- and Cl- rich phases were documented in ten polished thin sections of garnet pyroxenites collected from five localities. The respective GPX coordinates are given in Online Materials (Table OM1 in file Supp1).

Backscattered electron (BSE) images, compositional maps, and electron probe microanalyses were acquired using a Jeol JXA-8530F electron probe microanalyzer at the Institute of Petrology and Structural Geology (Faculty of Science, Charles University, Prague, Czech Republic). The following conditions were used for quantitative microanalysis: micas were analyzed with an accelerating voltage of 15 kV and a probe current of 12 nA with the electron beam defocused to 2–5 µm (depending on crystal size); phosphates and carbonates were analyzed at 15 kV and 10 nA with the electron beam defocused to 2–5 µm; garnet was analyzed at 15 kV and 40 nA with a focused 1 micron electron beam spot; other minerals were analyzed at 15 kV and 20 nA with the electron beam defocused to 2–5 µm for scapolite and plagioclase and focused for other phases. The following standards consisting of natural or synthetic phases with certified compositions were used for quantitative analyzes: topaz (F), albite (Na), periclase (Mg), corundum (Al), quartz (Si), apatite (P), anhydrite (S), tugtupite (Cl), sanidine (K), diopside (Ca), rutile (Ti), vanadium (V), chromium oxide (Cr), rhodonite (Mn), magnetite (Fe), willemite (Zn), 173 celestite (Sr), baryte (Ba), La $P_5O_{14}$  (La), and Ce $P_5O_{14}$  (Ce). Ka lines of the characteristic X-rays were used for detection and quantification of all elements, except for Ba, Sr, La, and Ce where 175 L $\alpha$  lines were used. The ZAF method was applied for matrix correction. Due to the interference of the Ti Kα and Ba Lα peaks, correction of the peak intensities was performed based on the coefficients defined by the analysis of the Ti and Ba standards (rutile and baryte). Compositional maps were acquired with an accelerating voltage of 20 kV, a probe current of 150 nA, a beam spot size of 1 micron, a step size of 10 µm, and a dwell time of 35 ms per point.

Chemical analyzes of garnet were calculated to 12 oxygens/8 cations, pyroxenes on 6 oxygens/4 cations, feldspar on 8 oxygens/5 cations, spinel on 4 oxygens/3 cations, apatite on 12.5 oxygens/8 cations, goryainovite on 4.5 oxygens/3 cations, cordierite on 18 oxygens/11 cations,

sapphirine on 20 oxygens/14 cations and margarite on 11 oxygens/7cations. Amphiboles were calculated on 23 oxygens with the methodology of Locock (2014) modified by the addition of 185 BaO to oxides, and the recalculated Fe was considered to be all  $Fe^{2+}$ . Scapolite was normalized to (Si+Al)=12 a.p.f.u after Teertstra & Sherriff (1997). Micas that form solid solutions between phlogopite/annite and Ba-bearing trioctahedral micas contain 8 cations, but their charge is not constant. While most end members have charge 22, oxykinoshitalite has charge 24 due to the OH-  $\leftrightarrow$ O<sup>2-</sup> substitution. Therefore, all Ba-bearing mica analyzes were recalculated to 8 cations.

Representative chemical analyzes of Ba-, Ti-, and Cl- rich micas are given in Table 2 and representative chemical analyzes of phosphates are given in Table 3. Other chemical analyzes are given in Online Materials (Tables OM2-OM4 in file Supp1): peak and secondary associations in garnet pyroxenites, Table OM2; all analyses of Ba-, Ti-, and Cl- rich micas, Table OM3; and silicates, and carbonates in MSI, Table OM4. A total of 100 mica analyzes were taken, 22 from micas in the matrix, 73 from micas hosted by garnet and 5 from MSIs hosted by clinopyroxene.



- Sps=Mn/(Mn+Fe+Mg+Ca)\*100. The recalculation of cations/anions in the structural positions of the micas, (Online Materials Table OM3 in file Supp1): TAl=Al-(Al+Si-4), IAl=(Si+Al-4; 202 values less than  $0 \rightarrow 0$ ), O=Ti<sup>\*2</sup>, and OH=2-Cl-F-O.
- Mineral abbreviations are taken from Whitney and Evans (2010), except for the abbreviation for the studied micas (Mca), which are taken from Siivola and Schmid (2007).

## **RESULTS**

## **Sample description**

Although the garnet pyroxenites come from different localities, they generally show a common feature in the form of remnants of the primary mineral assemblage comprising garnet porphyroblasts with rare inclusions of clinopyroxene and kyanite, and preserved clinopyroxene grains in a fine to medium-grained matrix (Figure 2a). The presence and abundance of individual mineral phases varies in different samples. Common accessory phases include sulphides (mainly pyrite, chalcopyrite, and pentlandite) and rutile partly replaced by ilmenite. Retrogression of the pyroxenites led to the formation of variable amounts of plagioclase, clinopyroxene, orthopyroxene, and amphibole in the form of coarse-grained and sometimes also fine-grained symplectites. The symplectites are mostly formed at the margins of the garnet porphyroblasts or between grains of clinopyroxene in the matrix (Figures 2a, b) and are accompanied by spinel and rarely by sapphirine. Importantly, Ba- and Cl-rich silicates, including micas and phosphate minerals, are present in the matrix as single grains most often in fine-grained symplectites at the contact with garnet, or they occur in small garnet-hosted MSI together with carbonates. More rarely, they can also be found in MSI hosted by clinopyroxene that typically also show orthopyroxene exsolution lamellae.

Detailed petrographic descriptions of individual samples including information on the chemical composition and zoning of the main rock-forming minerals are given in Online Materials (file Supp2).

**Mineral chemistry of the peak assemblage.** Garnet is generally dominated by pyrope, with considerable amounts of almandine and grossular components, while the spessartine content 228 is negligible. In the samples studied, the composition range of garnet is  $Py_{39\frac{9}{72}}$  Alm<sub>14.6</sub>–  $_{34.7}$ Grs<sub>9.3–36.4</sub>Sps<sub>0.3–1.6</sub>, XFe<sub>0.17–0.41</sub> (Online Materials Table OM2 in file Supp1). There is some variation in the character of the chemical zoning between samples, but in some cases also between individual garnet crystals within one sample (see Online Materials file Supp2). These variations are mainly related to the grossular content. While some garnets have grossular-rich cores and show a decrease of the grossular content toward the rims accompanied by an increase in the almandine and pyrope contents, other garnets, with a lower grossular content, have much less pronounced zoning. In some cases a slight increase in the grossular contents can be observed towards the rims accompanied by an increase in the almandine and a decrease in the pyrope content. Interestingly, the location of garnet hosted MSIs does not appear to correlate with the compositional zoning of the garnet.

The preserved clinopyroxene grains in the matrix are characterized by a core to rim decrease of Na and an increase in Ca contents. The compositional range of clinopyroxene from 241 the matrix is:  $CaTs<sub>5.0–13.2</sub>Jd<sub>5.1–22.7</sub>XFe<sub>0.11–0.16</sub>, Al<sub>0.3–0.4</sub> (a.p.f.u). Automorphic inclusions of$ 242 clinopyroxene in the garnets have compositions of  $CaTs_{4.0-14.2}Jd_{4.3-29.0}XFe_{0.06-0.14}$ ,  $Al_{0.2-0.5}$ (a.p.f.u) (Online Materials Table OM2 in file Supp1).

**Mineral chemistry of the retrograde assemblage.** Clinopyroxene has compositions of 245 CaTs<sub>4.2–16.3</sub>Jd<sub>3.8–12.2</sub>XFe<sub>0.07–0.13</sub>. Orthopyroxene has close to enstatite composition: XFe<sub>0.09–0.16</sub>, Al<sub>0.1–0.3</sub> (a.p.f.u). In plagioclase, the albite component predominates over the anorthite 247 component: Ab<sub>56,5–63.0</sub>. Amphibole has a pargasitic composition with  $XFe<sub>0.10–0.19</sub>$ ,  $Ba<sub>0.0–0.1</sub>Ti<sub>0.1–0.1</sub>$ 248  $_{0.2}Cl_{0.0-0.4}Si_{5.9-6.1}$  (a.p.f.u). Spinel has a negligible Cr content:  $XFe_{0.13-0.30}$ ,  $Al_{1.9-2.0}Cr_{0.0-0.1}$  (a.p.f.u).

249 Sapphirine has  $XF_{0.06-0.07}$ . Representative chemical compositions of these phases are given in 250 Online Materials (Table OM2 in file Supp1).

**Ba-Cl-rich mineral phases in the matrix.** Ba-rich mica associated with celsian and Cl-rich apatite is present in the matrix, where it is mostly in contact with garnet (Figures 3a, b, c) and forms relatively large crystals, up to 0.3 mm in size. In some cases, this mica shows compositional zoning, which can be inferred from the relatively bright BSE contrast at the rims and the brightness variations across the cleavage (Figures 3a, b).

256 The compositional range of Ba-rich micas in the matrix is  $XFe_{0.07-0.21}$ ,  $K_{0.5-0.7}Ba_{0.1-}$ 257 0.3Mg<sub>1.9–2.4</sub>Fe<sub>0.2–0.5</sub>Ti<sub>0.2–0.4</sub>Si<sub>2.5–2.8</sub>Al<sub>1.5–1.7</sub>Cl<sub>0.0–0.1</sub> (a.p.f.u) (Table 2, Online Materials Table OM3 in 258 file Supp1). Domains with relatively bright BSE contrast are rich in Fe, Ba, and Cl with 259 representative compositions of  $XFe_{0.21}$ ,  $K_{0.5}Ba_{0.3}Mg_{1.9}Fe_{0.5}Ti_{0.4}Si_{2.6}Al_{1.6}Cl_{0.0}$  (a.p.f.u) compared to 260 domains with comparatively dark BSE contrast, where compositions are  $XFe<sub>0.15</sub>$ , 261 K<sub>0.7</sub>Ba<sub>0.1</sub>Mg<sub>2.1</sub>Fe<sub>0.4</sub>Ti<sub>0.3</sub>Si<sub>2.7</sub>Al<sub>1.5</sub>Cl<sub>0.0</sub> (a.p.f.u). Apatite with compositions in the range of Ca<sub>4.8–</sub> 262  $_{49}Sr_{0.0-0.1}P_{3.0-3.0}Cl_{0.5-0.7}F_{0.1-0.2}$  (a.p.f.u) corresponds to a solid solution between hydroxyapatite and 263 Cl-apatite with a low F content (Table 3). Celsian has compositions of  $Ba_{0.7-0.9}K_{0.1}Ca_{0.0-0.1}Na_{0.0-0.1}$ 264  $_{0.1}$ Al<sub>~1.8</sub>Si<sub>~2.1</sub>(a.p.f.u) (Online Materials Table OM2 in file Supp1).

**Ba-Cl-rich mineral phases in clinopyroxene.** Ba-mica and Cl-apatite are present as inclusions in clinopyroxene or are found in association with orthopyroxene exsolution lamellae (Figure 3d, e, f, g). In some cases, graphite is also present in these multiphase inclusions (Figure 268 3e).

269 The micas have compositions of  $XFe_{0.21-0.30}$ ,  $K_{-0.4}Ba_{0.4-0.5}Mg_{1.8-2}Fe_{0.5-0.8}Ti_{0.3-0.4}Si_{2.5-}$ 270  $_{2.6}Al_{1.5-1.6}Cl_{0.2-0.3}$  (a.p.f.u) (Table 2, Online Materials Table OM3 in file Supp1). Apatite with

271 compositions of  $Ca_{4.7-4.8}Sr_{-0.1}P_{2.9-3.0}Cl_{0.9-1.0}F_{-0.0}$  (a.p.f.u) corresponds to chlorapatite with a minor hydroxyapatite component and a negligible F content (Table 3). Orthopyroxene exsolution 273 lamellae associated with mica have compositions of  $XFe_{0,14}$ ,  $Al_{0,1}$  (a.p.f.u). Amphibole 274 associated with mica in MSI has a pargasitic composition with  $XFe_{-0.16}$ ,  $Ba_{-0.0}Ti_{-0.2}Cl_{-0.5}Si_{-6.3}$ (a.p.f.u) (Online Materials Table OM4 in file Supp1).

**Garnet-hosted polyphase inclusions containing Ba-Cl-rich minerals.** Inclusions rich in carbonate minerals such as dolomite, calcite, and magnesite often form narrow chains crosscutting garnet crystals (Figure 4). Carbonate-rich inclusions are up to 15 µm in size and often have a hexagonal shape, indicating that they have a negative crystal shape controlled by the host garnet. They are sometimes accompanied by 3–60 µm sized MSIs, which are dispersed across all parts of the garnet. They do not form clusters (Figure 4a) or show any kind of systematic relation to the garnet zones (core or rim) nor do they correlate with the compositional zoning of garnet. Common mineral phases in these inclusions are Cl-rich apatite, monazite, dolomite, magnesite, amphibole, orthopyroxene, clinopyroxene, spinel, and Ba- (Ti-, Cl-) rich mica. Rarely, scapolite, aspidolite, cordierite, muscovite, goryainovite, celsian, norsethite, 286 scheelite, epidote, and  $SiO<sub>2</sub>$  and  $Al<sub>2</sub>SiO<sub>5</sub>$  polymorphs occur in these MSIs. All these phases can occur in various combinations and form intergrows with each other (Figure 4b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, 288  $j$ ).

289 Orthopyroxene is rich in enstatite with  $XFe<sub>0.07-0.11</sub>$ ,  $A<sub>0.2</sub>$  (a.p.f.u). Clinopyroxene is highly variable in composition and can locally contain considerably elevated amounts of Na and Al. Its composition mostly corresponds to the range from augite to diopside to omphacite: 292 CaTs<sub>3.9–20.5</sub>Jd<sub>3.2–25.3</sub>XFe<sub>0.08–0.20</sub>. In spinel, Al-end members prevail with XFe<sub>0.20–0.49</sub>, Al<sub>0.9–2.0</sub>Cr<sub>~0.0</sub> (a.p.f.u). The compositional range of amphibole varies from sadanagait to tschermakite to



312 The chemical compositions of all micas analyzed (Online Materials Table OM3 in file 313 Supp1) are plotted in element covariation diagrams, where various substitution trends and 314 correlations are visible with regard to XFe and microstructural position (Figure 5). Additional

315 elemental covariation diagrams showing the correlations of multiple elements with XFe and Ba 316 contents are available in the Online Materials (file Supp3).

**Ba**<sup>2+</sup>Al<sup>3+</sup> $\leftrightarrow$ K<sup>1+</sup>Si<sup>4+</sup> substitution. This substitution is inferred from the negative correlation of Ba with Si and K and from the positive correlation of Ba with Al (Figure 6). A coupled substitution is required to maintain charge balance. This substitution links Ba-free end members such as phlogopite to micas bearing Ba such as kinoshitalite, ferrokinoshitalite, chloroferrokinoshitalite, or oxykinoshitalite. The structural formulae of all mica end members are shown in Table 1. The  $Ba^{2+}Al^{3+}\leftrightarrow K^{1+}Si^{4+}$  substitution has already been described in previous works (e.g. Čopjaková and Kotková, 2018; Grapes, 1993; Kogarko et al., 2005).

 $Ti^{4+}2O^2 \leftrightarrow (Fe, Mg)^{2+}2(OH, Cl)^1$ -substitution. This substitution is inferred from the fact 325 that some mica analyses show variably elevated Ti contents of up to  $12.55 \text{ wt\%}$  TiO<sub>2</sub> corresponding to 0.87 a.p.f.u. Ti (Table 2). The Ti content is negatively correlated with the total of Mg+Fe, while there is no correlation of Ti with Si and Al. The slope of the correlation between Ti and Mg+Fe is close to -1 over almost the entire range of the observed Ti contents. Only at the lowest Ti content below 0.1 a.p.f.u. the slope changes abruptly to about -4 (see Figure 5).

330 Several substitution schemes may explain the incorporation of Ti into phlogopite (Dymek, 331 1983; Henry and Guidotti, 2002; Kogarko et al., 2005):



333 Ti-vacancy: 
$$
2(M^{2+})^{VI} \leftrightarrow (Ti^{4+})^{VI} + \square^{VI}
$$
 (2)

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$$
(M^{2+})^{VI} + 2OH \leftrightarrow (Ti^{4+})^{VI} + 2O^{2-}
$$
 (3)

335 
$$
\text{Ti-M}^{2+}
$$
:  $2(\text{Al}^{3+})^{\text{VI}} \leftrightarrow (\text{Ti}^{4+})^{\text{VI}} + (\text{M}^{2+})^{\text{VI}}$  (4)

Based on the negative correlation between Ti and Mg+Fe with a slope indicating a 1:1 substitution, we suggest that the Ti-oxy substitution (3) predominates in the analysed micas. By contrast, a correlation with Al or Si is absent, excluding the Ti-Tschermak substitution (1). Consequently, this substitution allows us to calculate the O content of the mica (Ti in a.p.f.u. multiplied by 2), which is equal to 1.74 a.p.f.u. in the most Ti-rich mica from these samples.

The Ti-Tschermak substitution (1) is known to prevail in Mg-rich biotites (XMg>0.65), which is ascribed to misfit between the octahedral and tetrahedral layers (Henry et al. 2005). The Ti-oxy coupled substitution (3) ensures charge balance and it often accompanies the  $Ba^{2+}Al^{3+} \leftrightarrow K^{1+}St^{4+}$  substitution (Figure 6). In the micas from this study two variants of the Ti-oxy substitution (3) occur, where the substitution  $T_t^{4+2}O^2 \leftrightarrow Fe^{2+2}Cl^1$  links chloroferrokinoshitalite 346 with oxykinoshitalite, and the substitution  $Ti^{4+}2O^2 \leftrightarrow Mg^{2+}2OH^{1-}$  links phlogopite with oxykinoshitalite. The Ti-oxy substitution (3) is also known from amphiboles (Oberti et al. 1992; Hawthorne et al. 1998).

The Ti-oxy substitution (3) implies incorporation of Ti in the octahedrally coordinated 350 sposition. This is explained by the strong electrostatic repulsion between  $Ba^{2+}$  and  $Ti^{4+}$ , which makes the octahedral position more favorable for Ti than the tetrahedral position, which is closer 352 to the  $Ba^{2+}$  ions in the interlayer sites. This ultimately leads to the Ti-vacancy substitution (2) or Ti-oxy substitution (3) (Bol et al. 1989).

 **Substitutions and correlations related to XFe.** The covariance diagrams (Figure 5) show a positive correlation of XFe with Ba, Al, and Cl, and a negative correlation of XFe with K and Si. The positive correlation of XFe with Cl, together with the coupled substitution  $Ba^{2+}Al^{3+} \leftrightarrow K^{1+}St^{4+}$  (Figure 6), leads to the formation of the almost pure Cl end member mica, 358 XFe<sub>0.88</sub>, Ba<sub>0.95</sub>K<sub>0.03</sub>Fe<sub>2.68</sub>Mg<sub>0.37</sub>Al<sub>1.91</sub>Si<sub>2.01</sub>Cl<sub>1.98</sub> (a.p.f.u) with 10.98 wt% Cl, which is close to

359 chloroferrokinoshitalite with the theoretical formula  $BaFe<sub>3</sub>Al<sub>2</sub>Si<sub>2</sub>O<sub>10</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>$  (Table 2). This is possibly the most Cl-rich mica documented so far from natural samples. The highest Cl content reported to date in micas has been 7.3 wt% Cl (Sharygin et al., 2014) and 4.6 wt% Cl (Léger et al., 1996).

The positive correlation of XFe with Cl has also been documented from other mica occurrences as well as from amphiboles. This is mainly ascribed to the effect that incorporation of Cl is stimulated by the enlargement of the anion site of both minerals with increasing amounts 366 of  $Fe^{2+}$  and Al, (and K in the case of amphibole), resulting in a positive correlation of Cl with these elements (Henry and Daigle, 2018; Oberti et al., 1993; Siron et al., 2018).

The relationship between XFe and Ti is more complicated. While micas with relatively low XFe show positive correlation between XFe and Ti. The trend turns to a negative slope when XFe exceeds about 0.4. In addition, micas with low XFe show a positive correlation of Ti with Ba and no correlation of Ti with Cl, while no Ti vs Ba and negative Ti vs Cl correlations are observed in micas with relatively high XFe. These observations are consistent with the fact that for low XFe, the compositional trend phlogopite-oxykinoshitalite is observed, which is 374 characterized by an increase of Ba and Ti and by  $OH<sup>1</sup>$  to  $O<sup>2</sup>$  exchange. On the other hand, high XFe compositions cover the compositional range from chloroferrokinoshitalite to oxykinoshitalite with a decrease in Cl, an increase in Ti, and a fairly constant, invariably high Ba content. In conclusion, the observed compositional trends indicate that XFe exerts an important 378 control on the incorporation of Cl or  $Ti + O$  in the crystal structure of mica.

**Comparison of micas from the matrix and from the MSI.** Micas in the matrix are on average enriched in Mg, Si, and K and depleted in Fe, Ba, Cl, and Al compared to micas from MSI. One possible explanation could be that the micas in the matrix were created from different

metasomatic agents with different composition compared to the micas from MSI, which possibly formed during a different evolutionary stage. This is consistent with the fact that fluid heterogeneities may have occured on a millimeter- to centimeter-scale in the subduction environment (Selverstone et al. 1992). In addition, the matrix behaved as an open system, where Cl could be more easily removed during subsequent processes, as compared to the environment in which the MSI formed, which supposedly had more closed system character. The variability of the metasomatising agents is matched by the high variability of the mineral assemblages and the wide range of mica compositions in the MSI. The covariance diagrams (Figure 5) show that some micas in the MSI with lower XFe superpose on the compositional range of the micas from the matrix. If the micas from the matrix and from the MSI were formed from the same fluids/melts, the overlap in the covariation diagrams can be explained by the progressive interaction of a metasomatizing fluid/melt with the rock. It is conceivable that some portion of the fluid/melt formed the MSI with the high Cl content and XFe ratio during the initial stage. The fractions that remained in the matrix for a longer time reacted with the host rock more intensively allowing for the progressive escape of Cl and related decrease in XFe before they were trapped in garnet as MSI during the later stage. Another factor that can potentially explain the observed variability of the mica composition are the small scale compositional heterogeneities in the rocks. This may lead to the formation of local equilibration domains with a variable effective bulk rock composition and induce compositional variations in the fluid/melt during interaction with the surrounding rock.

**Possible immiscibility between chloroferrokinoshitalite and oxykinoshitalite.** In several cases, two micas with contrasting compositions characterized by the predominance of chloroferrokinoshitalite or of oxykinoshitalite coexist within one MSI (Figure 4i), which is

405 evident from different contents of XFe, Ti, and Cl (for example:  $XFe_{0.20:0.77}$ ,  $Ba_{0.48:0.63}$ ,  $Ti_{0.35:0.02}$ ,  $Cl_{0.27:1.45}$  (a.p.f.u)). This observation suggests the existence of a miscibility gap between chloroferrokinoshitalite and oxykinoshitalite. Distinct compositional trends for Ba, Cl, Ti and XFe can be observed for the mica pairs in the covariation diagrams (Figure 7). However, the coexistence of these micas may also be due to local resetting of the original micas along microcracks. Such microcracks have, however, not been observed and this hypothesis cannot be made unambiguously.

# **Formation of MSI and the origin of Ba, Cl, and CO2 rich fluids/melts**

It is supposed that the MSI were formed by interaction of mafic lithologies with metasomatic fluid or melt of crustal origin, possibly during interaction with subducting crustal material. The fluid or melt, combined with Mg, Fe, Al, and Cr, was extracted from pyroxenite during metasomatism in a manner similar to the genetically related rocks from the Saxothuringian and Moldanubian Domains (Faryad et al. 2013, Borghini et al. 2018, 2020; Čopjaková and Kotková 2018; Naemura et al. 2018). The fact that the MSI form chains crosscutting garnet crystals and are not correlated with the compositional zoning of garnet indicates that the interaction of the rocks with fluid/melt postdates garnet growth. Fluid or melt probably infiltrated the garnet and clinopyroxene grains along cracks, which were later healed, and the resulting inclusions became isolated. Healing of the cracks indicates that the fluids infiltrated at conditions that were still in the garnet stability field. This led to a closed system behavior and to the effective entrapment of the otherwise mobile Cl. The composition of mica in MSI was controlled by the activities of the species dissolved in the metasomatizing fluid or melt, as described in earlier research (Bol et al., 1989). A different relation between MSI and garnet growth zones than

428 observed in our study was reported by (Čopjaková and Kotková, 2018), who showed MSI to be 429 systematically concentrated in particular garnet growth zones.

Carbonates from inclusions in ultramafic mantle xenoliths often are interpreted as remnants of solid or melt phases of metasomatic origin. Carbonatitic or alkaline-carbonatitic 432 fluids or melts generated in the mantle may react with mantle minerals to trigger release of  $CO<sub>2</sub>$ rich fluids/melts, which may contain a brine component. Therefore it is not strictly necessary to invoke crustal material for the formation of these metasomatizing fluids/melts (Zaccarini et al. 2004; Frezzotti and Touret 2014). This study shows that Ba in the MSI is systematically 436 associated with phases rich in Cl and  $CO<sub>2</sub>$ , and therefore Ba, like Cl and  $CO<sub>2</sub>$ , most likely originated from metasomatising fluids/melts. Given the average Ba content of the upper 438 continental crust ( $\sim$ 630 ppm, Rudnick and Gao 2014) as compared to the mantle ( $\sim$ 7.0 ppm, Sun and McDonough 1989), Ba most likely was derived from subducting crustal material.

The presence of nearly pure end member Cl mica (chloroferrokinoshitalite), Cl-apatite, 441 and locally goryainovite together with carbonates suggests a high Cl and  $CO<sub>2</sub>$  activity in the metasomatising fluid or melt. The chemical composition of the micas from the MSI shows that OH is replaced by Cl in the A position in the case of the Fe-rich members and by O in the case of 444 Mg-rich members (XFe>0.5: OH<sub>0.01</sub>-0.69Cl<sub>0.53</sub>-1.98O<sub>0.01-1.16</sub>, XFe<0.5: OH<sub>0.16-1.87</sub>Cl<sub>0.02-0.81</sub>O<sub>0.01-</sub>  $_{1.74}$ ; Online Materials Table OM3 in file Supp1). The micas with compositions close to chlorofferokinoshitalite and oxykinoshitalite are therefore effectively anhydrous and the A 447 position is completely occupied with Cl or O. This indicates low a  $H_2O$  activity in the metasomatizing fluid or melt, the composition of which may be regarded as silicocarbonatite.

## **Composition and stability of goryainovite**

The crystallization of this rare phosphate with a very high Cl content in the MSI indicates an exceptionally high Cl activity in the fluid or melt. Subsequent decrease in the Cl-activity may have led to its transformation into chlorapatie or perhaps later on to Cl-rich hydroxylapatite, which can often be observed in the matrix.

455 The composition of goryainovite  $(Ca_{1.9-2.0}Sr_{0.0-0.1}(P_{\sim 1.0}O_{4.0})Cl_{0.7-0.8})$  shows that Ca is partially substituted by Sr. A similar substitution has been described for apatite (Chakhmouradian et al., 2002; Hughes et al., 1991), but due to the rare occurrence of goryainovite (this work describes its second occurrence so far) the Ca-Sr substitution has not yet been reported for this mineral (Ivanyuk et al. 2017). The missing Cl content that does not correspond to the theoretical 460 Cl content of the ideal goryainovite formula of  $(Ca_2(PO_4)Cl)$ , suggests that the Cl was partially 461 replaced by  $OH^{-1}$ .

#### **IMPLICATIONS**

This study on Ba-, Ti-, and Cl-rich micas has revealed an extremely high compositional variability between the micas ranging between Ba-rich phlogopite, chloroferrokinoshitalite, and oxykinoshitalite. It has allowed the principal ionic substitution mechanisms to be discerned and shed light on the influence of XFe on the compositional trends. The positive correlation of XFe with Cl has led to the formation of possibly the most Cl-rich mica so far described, a chloroferrokinoshitalite with 10.98 wt% Cl. The coexistence of two micas with distinct compositions close to end member chloroferrokinoshitalite and oxykinoshitalite suggests the presence of a miscibility gap between these two end members.



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## Figure captions



**Figure 2.** Garnet pyroxenite mineral assemblage. a) Garnet porphyroblast with thin fine-grained symplectitic rim composed of amphibole, plagioclase, orthopyroxene, and spinel in a granoblastic matrix of clinopyroxene. b) Detail of the fine-grained symplectite of amphibole, spinel, plagioclase and orthopyroxene with garnet relict.

**Figure 3.** Ba(-Cl)-rich mineral phases in the matrix and in clinopyroxene. a) Mica with celsian in a fine-grained symplectite of sapphirine, spinel, orthopyroxene, and amphibole between garnet grains. b) Zoned mica with celsian, plagioclase, and amphibole close to garnet. c) Apatite in the matrix with orthopyroxene and garnet. d) Clinopyroxene containing MSI. e) Detail of MSI comprising apatite, graphite, and mica. f) Clinopyroxene with large amounts of MSI and orthopyroxene lamellae. g) Detail of orthopyroxene lamella associated with mica and apatite.

**Figure 4.** MSI in garnet. a) Part of a garnet porphyroblast with chains of carbonate-rich inclusions accompanied by MSI. b) MSI containing dolomite, magnesite, apatite, mica, and 733 monazite. c) MSI containing undefined  $SiO<sub>2</sub>$  polymorph, dolomite, apatite, clinopyroxene, epidote, and orthopyroxene. d) MSI containing orthopyroxene, scapolite, apatite, monazite, and 735 magnesite. e) MSI containing cordierite, dolomite, and undefined  $SiO<sub>2</sub>$  polymorph. f) MSI



**Figure 5.** Main compositional trends of Ba(-Cl) rich micas from garnet pyroxenites with respect to XFe and textural position.

**Figure 6.** Compositional trend corresponding to substitution  $Ba^{2+}Al^{3+} \leftrightarrow K^{1+}Si^{4+}$  of Ba(-Cl) rich micas from garnet pyroxenites with respect to the XFe and textural position. TAl is amount of Al in the tetrahedron structural position.

**Figure 7.** Compositional trends of Cl versus Ba and Ti. Analyses highlighted by the same symbols represent pairs of micas coexisting in one garnet hosted polyphase inclusion potentially indicating the existence of a miscibility gap between oxykinoshitalite and chloroferrokinoshitalite.

- 752 **Table 1.** Structural formulae of mica end members that can be used for defining the substitutions
- 753 related to the transition between phlogopite/annite and Ba-micas.



## <sup>754</sup>**Table 2.** Representative analyses of Ba-, Cl- and Ti-rich micas (in wt%).



755 Note: Each column represents an individual analysis. – not measured, b.d. below detection limit, DL detection limit.

## <sup>757</sup>**Table 3.** Representative chemical analyses of apatite and goryainovite (in wt%).



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