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Supplementary Table OM1 - Potential isobaric interferences in TOF-SIMS analyses on silica minerals from the predominant isotopes present.

| Nominal mass | Isotope | Interference |
|--------------|---|--|
| 43 | ^{43}Ca | $^{27}\text{Al}^{16}\text{O}$ |
| 44 | ^{44}Ca | $^{28}\text{Si}^{16}\text{O}$ |
| 45 | ^{45}Sc | $^{29}\text{Si}^{16}\text{O}$ or $^{28}\text{Si}^{16}\text{O}^1\text{H}$ |
| 46 | ^{46}Ti , ^{46}Ca | $^{30}\text{Si}^{16}\text{O}$ |
| 56 | ^{56}Fe | $^{28}\text{Si}_2$ or $^{40}\text{Ca}^{16}\text{O}$ |
| 58 | ^{58}Ni , ^{58}Fe | $^{29}\text{Si}_2$ |
| 60 | ^{60}Ni | $^{30}\text{Si}_2$ |
| 59 | ^{59}Co | $^{27}\text{Al}^{16}\text{O}_2$ |
| 60 | ^{60}Ni | $^{28}\text{Si}^{16}\text{O}_2$ |
| 61 | ^{61}Ni | $^{29}\text{Si}^{16}\text{O}_2$ |
| 62 | ^{62}Ni | $^{30}\text{Si}^{16}\text{O}_2$ |
| 69 | ^{69}Ga | $^{69}\text{Ga}^{\text{a}}$ |
| 97 | ^{97}Mo | $^{28}\text{Si}^{69}\text{Ga}$ |
| 98 | ^{98}Mo , ^{98}Ru | $^{29}\text{Si}^{69}\text{Ga}$ |
| 99 | ^{99}Ru | $^{30}\text{Si}^{69}\text{Ga}$ |
| 113 | ^{113}Cd , ^{113}In | $^{28}\text{Si}^{16}\text{O}^{69}\text{Ga}$ |
| 114 | ^{114}Cd , ^{114}Sn | $^{29}\text{Si}^{16}\text{O}^{69}\text{Ga}$ |
| 115 | ^{115}In | $^{30}\text{Si}^{16}\text{O}^{69}\text{Ga}$ |
| 129 | ^{129}Xe | $^{28}\text{Si}^{16}\text{O}_2^{69}\text{Ga}$ |
| 130 | ^{130}Te , ^{130}Ba , ^{130}Xe | $^{29}\text{Si}^{16}\text{O}_2^{69}\text{Ga}$ |
| 131 | ^{130}Xe | $^{30}\text{Si}^{16}\text{O}_2^{69}\text{Ga}$ |
| 138 | ^{138}Ba | $^{69}\text{Ga}_2$ |
| 197 | ^{197}Au | $^{197}\text{Au}^{\text{b}}$ |
| 207 | ^{207}Pb | $^{69}\text{Ga}_3$ |

^a Signal from primary ion beam

^b Signal from gold coating