

Experimental determination of thermodynamical functions of glasses

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Outline

- Experimental thermodynamics on condensed phases
 - Thermodynamic potential and quantities that can be measured
 - Measurement of thermal functions
 - adiabatic calorimetry – DSC – drop calorimetry
- Thermodynamics of glass transition
 - Evolution of thermodynamic quantities at the glass transition
 - Glass description using the thermodynamic theory of irreversible processes
- Measurement of the glass transition temperature
 - Graphical methods
 - Thermodynamic methods
- Measurement of the frozen-in enthalpy
- (Measurement of the frozen-in entropy → D. Neuville lecture)

Emphasis is put on calorimetric techniques with temperature as the intensive variable which is controlled



Experimental thermodynamics on condensed phases

Thermodynamic potential for condensed phases

$$G(T, p, n_i, \dots) = U + pV - TS = H - TS = \sum_i \mu_i n_i$$

$$dG = \left(\frac{\partial G}{\partial T} \right)_{p, n_i} dT + \left(\frac{\partial G}{\partial p} \right)_{T, n_i} dp + \sum_i \left(\frac{\partial G}{\partial n_i} \right)_{p, T, n_{j \neq i}} dn_i$$

$$dG = -S dT + V dp + \sum_i \mu_i dn_i$$

- **A system under isothermal, isobaric conditions minimizes its Gibbs energy at equilibrium**
- **G is the most practical thermodynamic potential for condensed phases** because its natural variables p , T and n_i can be
 - **measured** (thermometer, barometer, balance)
 - **controlled** (which is not the case of V for condensed phases)

What can be measured ?

Gibbs energy

$G = G(T, p, N_i)$ Generally, no direct measurement

1st
derivatives
of G

entropy	$S = -\left(\frac{\partial G_m}{\partial T}\right)_{p, N_i} > 0$
enthalpy	$H = G + TS = G - T\left(\frac{\partial G}{\partial T}\right)_{p, N_i}$
volume	$V = \left(\frac{\partial G}{\partial p}\right)_{T, N_i} > 0$
chemical potential of component i	$\mu_i = \left(\frac{\partial G}{\partial N_i}\right)_{T, N_{j \neq i}}$

Integration of $C_p(T)/T$
from 0 to T

Isothermal
calorimetry

XRD, dilatometry,
pycnometry

Heterogeneous
equilibria, EMF, p_{vap} ...

2nd
derivatives
of G

heat capacity	$C_p = -T\left(\frac{\partial^2 G}{\partial T^2}\right)_{p, N_i} > 0$
thermal expansion	$\alpha = \frac{1}{V}\left(\frac{\partial^2 G}{\partial p \partial T}\right)_{N_i}$
isothermal compressibility	$\kappa = -\frac{1}{V}\left(\frac{\partial^2 G}{\partial p^2}\right)_{T, N_i} > 0$
bulk modulus	$B = 1/\kappa$

Scanning calorimetry:
DSC or adiabatic

Derivative of $V(T)$

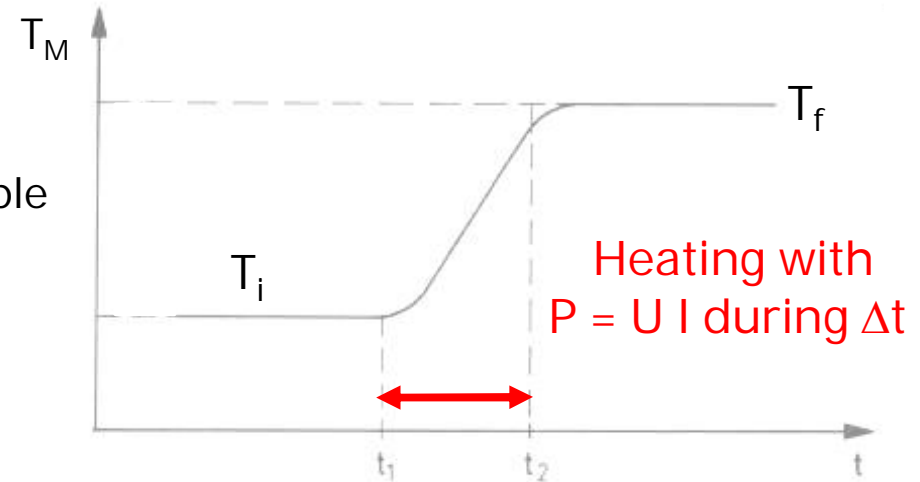
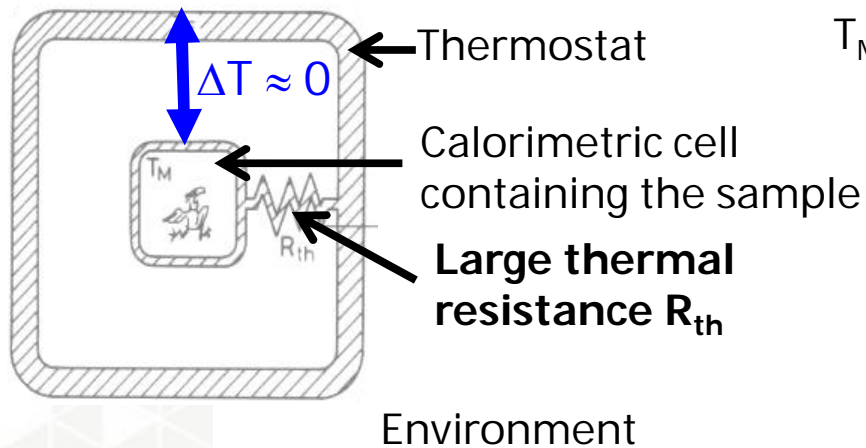
Derivative of $V(P)$

And the intensive variables of G: T, p , chemical composition

Calorimetric techniques for measuring the thermal functions

- Thermal functions are :
 - Heat capacity: $C_p(T)$
 - Heat increment: $H(T)-H(T_{ref})$
- **$0 < T < 360 \text{ K}$**
 - Adiabatic calorimetry
- **$300 < T < 800 \text{ K}$**
 - DSC
- **$800 < T < 1800 \text{ K}$**
 - DSC or drop calorimetry
 - 1800 K = upper temperature limit of the use of Pt-Rh thermopiles
 - Main condition for accurate C_p measurement by DSC is the reproducibility of the baseline in consecutive runs: difficult to achieve at $T > 1100 \text{ K}$
- **$T > 1800 \text{ K}$**
 - Drop calorimetry is the only technique
 - $T > 2600 \text{ K}$, levitated samples / laser heating / pyrometry

Adiabatic calorimetry - principle



- To minimize the heat leak between the sample and the thermostat
 - **Large R_{th}** : suspended sample under vacuum to reduce heat transfer by conduction, convection + shields to limit heat transfer by radiation
 - **The temperature difference ΔT between the calorimetric cell and the thermostat is continuously monitored and cancelled by active control**
- The calorimetric cell is equipped with an electric heater and a temperature probe

$$C_p(T) = C_p\left(\frac{T_i + T_f}{2}\right) = \frac{U I \Delta t}{m(T_f - T_i)}$$

Adiabatic calorimeter of the NBS (10 - 360 K)

Cryostat, liquid or solid nitrogen or liquid helium

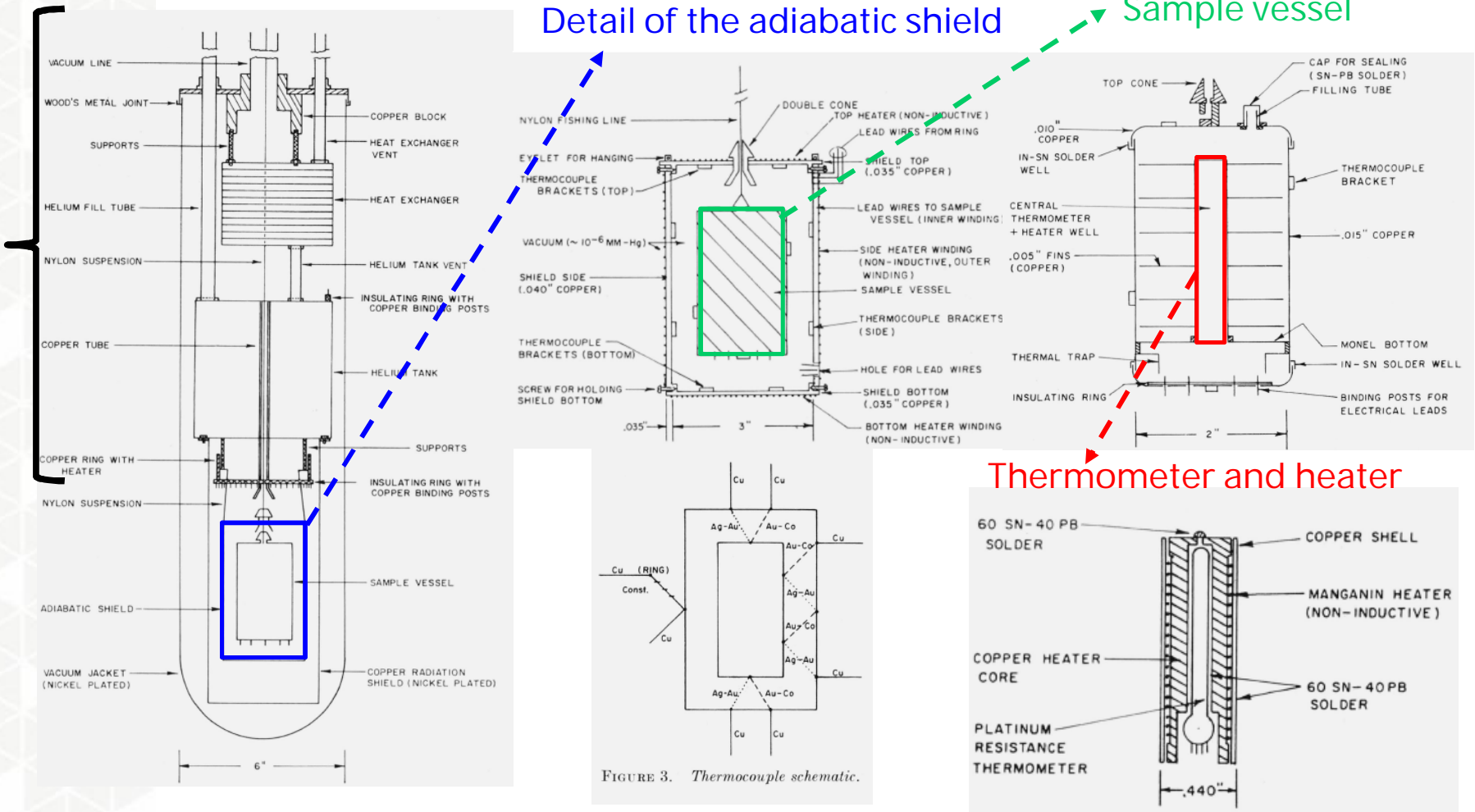


FIGURE 3. Thermocouple schematic.

Sterrett, K.F., D.H. Blackburn, A.B. Bestul, S.S. Chang, and J. Horman. 1965. "Journal of Research of the National Bureau of Standards, Section C: Engineering and Instrumentation 69C (1): 19

Differential Scanning Calorimeter

- Setaram model DSC 111 / SENSYS
 - 2 cells : sample + reference
 - 3D sensors : 2 Tian-Calvet thermopiles (each having 120 thermocouples) connected in a differential setup
 - Spatial integration of the heat flow
 - 150 to 1100 K
 - 0.02 to 30 K/min scanning rate

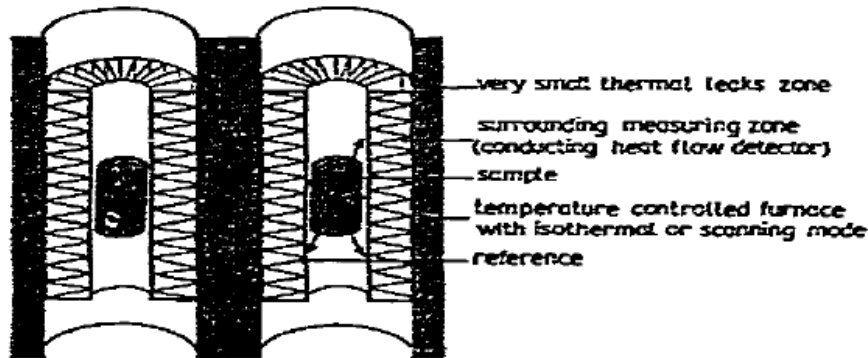
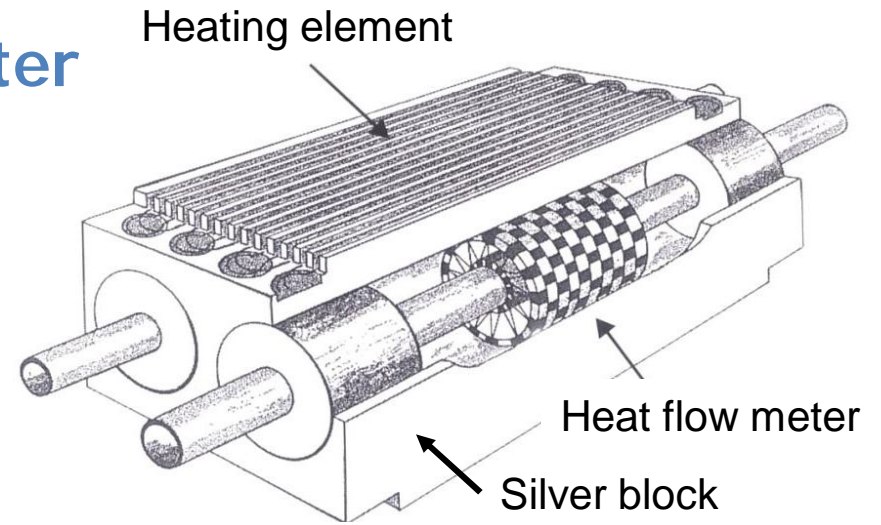
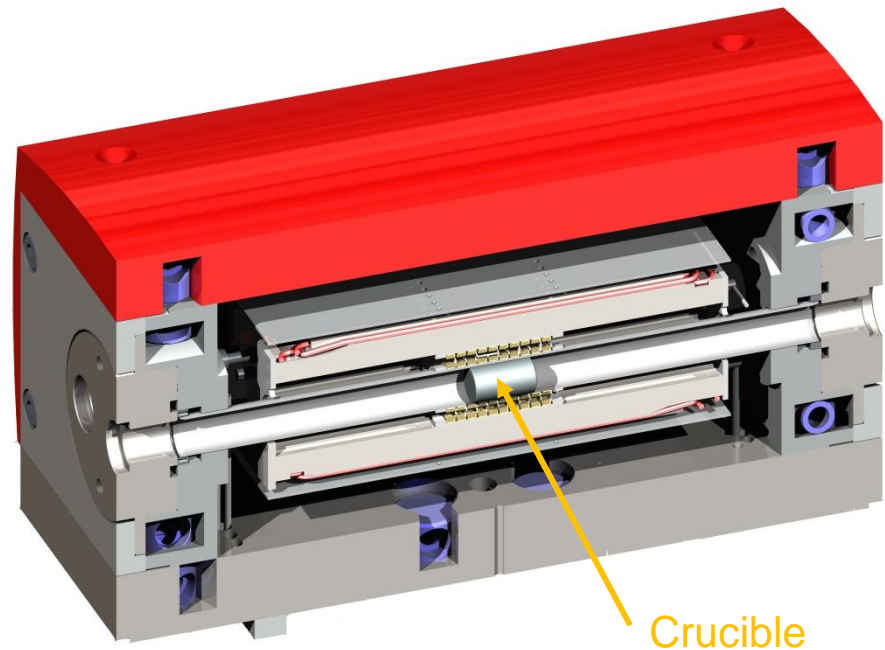


Fig. 2. Schematic of the heat-flow detector.



(from Setaram documentation and Marano, Ross T. 1978. "New Setaram Calvet Differential Scanning Calorimeter." *Thermochimica Acta* 26: 27–37)

C_p measurement at continuous rate of temperature change

Q = heat quantity / J
 m = sample mass / g
 T = temperature / K
 t = time / s

β = heating/cooling rate / $K s^{-1}$

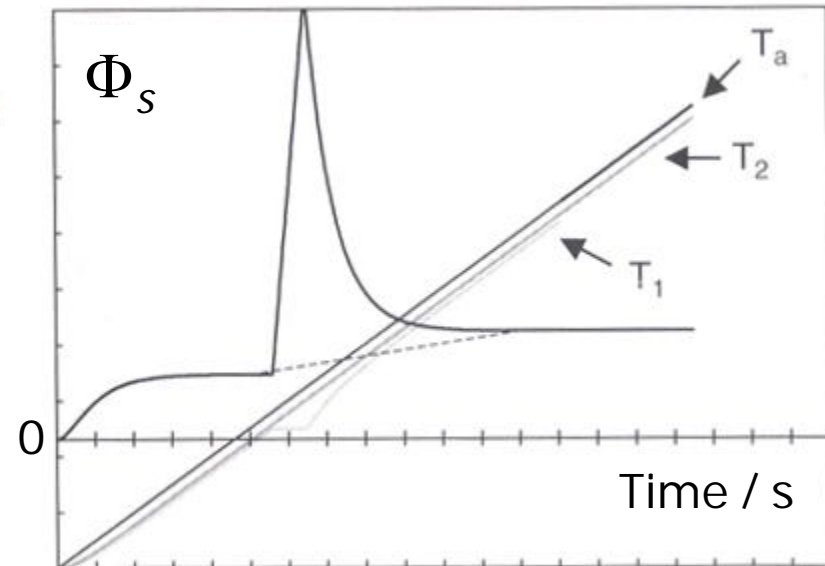
Φ = true heat flow exchanged by the sample / W

Φ_s = differential heat flow measured during the sample run / W

Φ_0 = differential heat flow measured during the zeroline run / W

$$C_p (J \cdot g^{-1} \cdot K^{-1}) = \frac{dQ}{m \cdot dT} = \frac{\frac{dQ}{dt}}{m \cdot \frac{dT}{dt}} = \frac{\Phi}{m \cdot \beta} \propto \frac{\Phi_s - \Phi_0}{m \cdot \beta}$$

Differential signal recorded with a DSC during a 1st order transition with C_p change



(from Claudy, Pierre. 2005. *Analyse Calorimétrique Différentielle - Théorie et Applications de La DSC*. Lavoisier)

C_p measurement by DSC – 3 step method

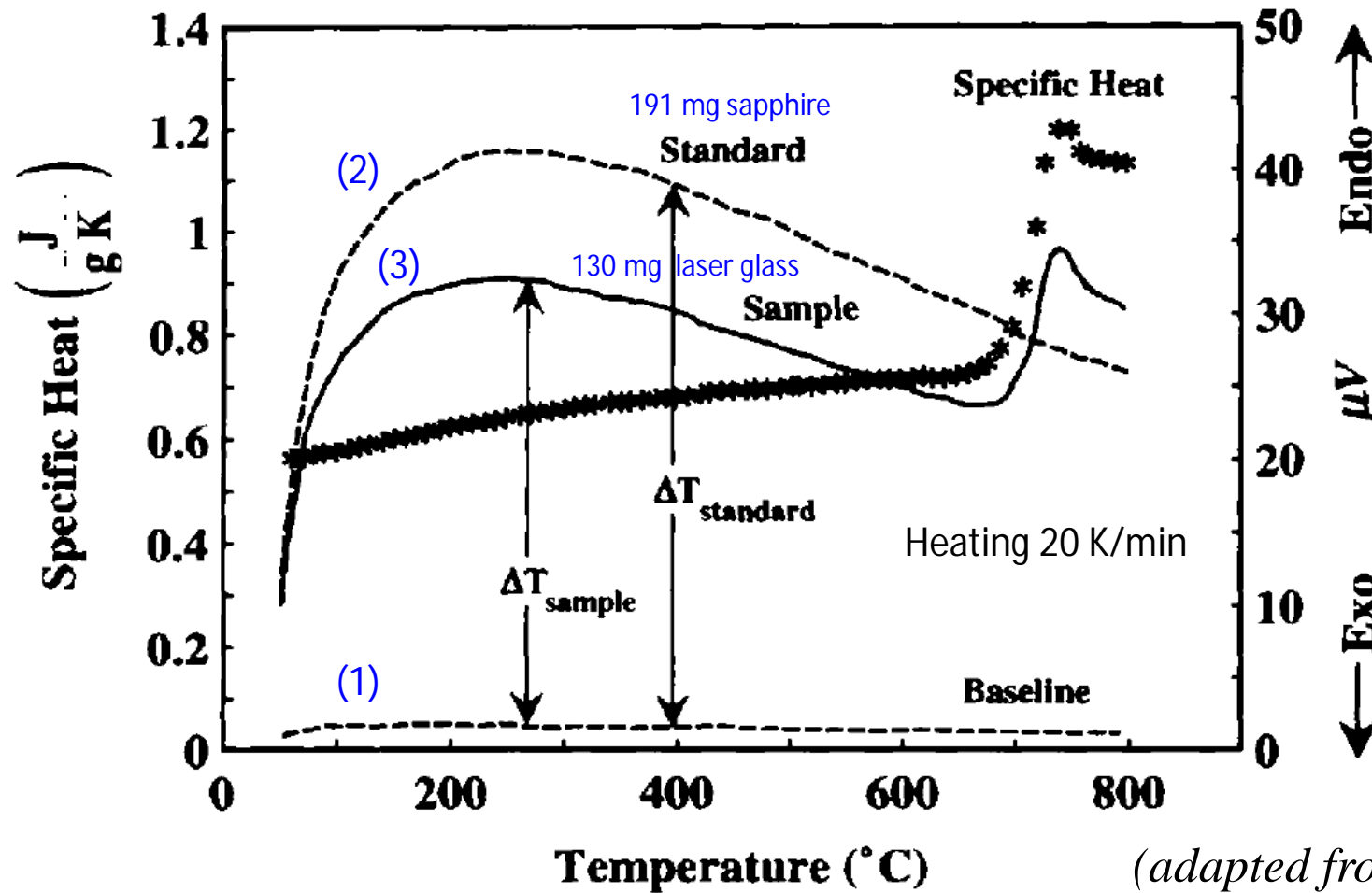
- A DSC is never perfectly symmetrical
 - A blank experiment (zeroline) is required to quantify the dissymmetry of the instrument
- The differential heat flow sensor of the DSC delivers a voltage and only detects a fraction of the heat flux released or absorbed by the sample
 - A calibration is necessary to convert the calorimetric signal measured in mV (or μV) to a thermal power in W
- Hence, 3 consecutive runs under identical thermal conditions are required

Run	Sample cell	Reference cell	Measured heat flow
1- Blank (zeroline)	Empty crucible	Empty crucible	Φ_0
2- Calibration	Crucible containing a calibration material	Empty crucible	Φ_{Std}
3- Measurement	Crucible containing the sample	Empty crucible	Φ_S

- The crucibles used must all be identical
 - Same material, same mass, same geometry

Example of C_p measurement by continuous heating

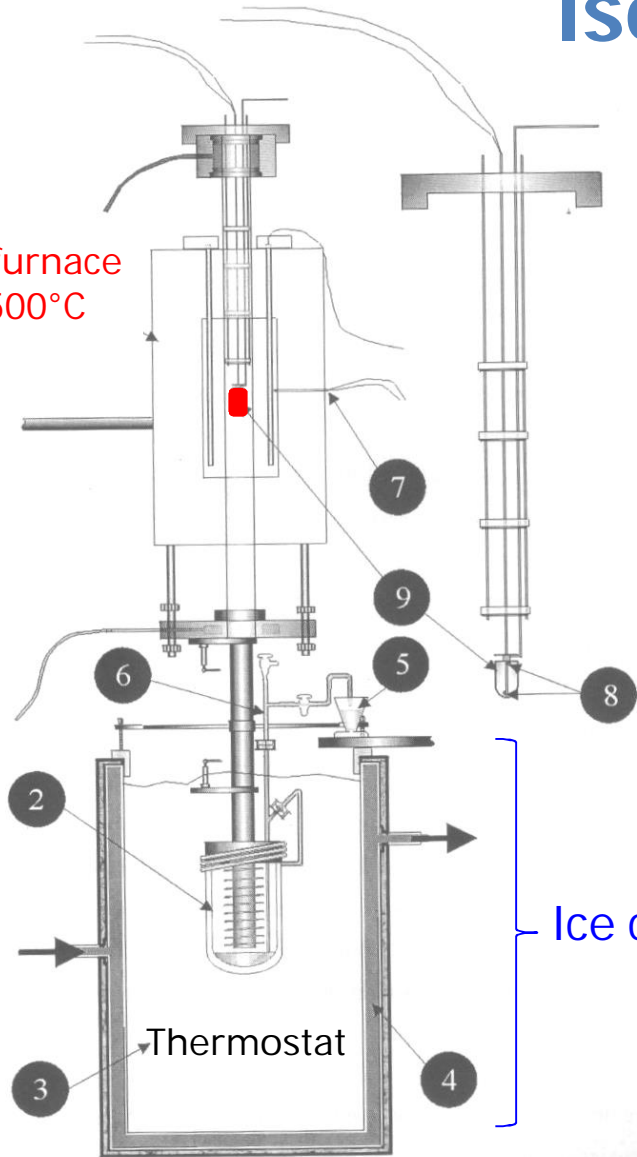
$$C_{p,s}(T) = \frac{m_{std}}{m_s} \frac{\Phi_S(T) - \Phi_0(T)}{\Phi_{Std}(T) - \Phi_0(T)} C_{p,std}(T)$$



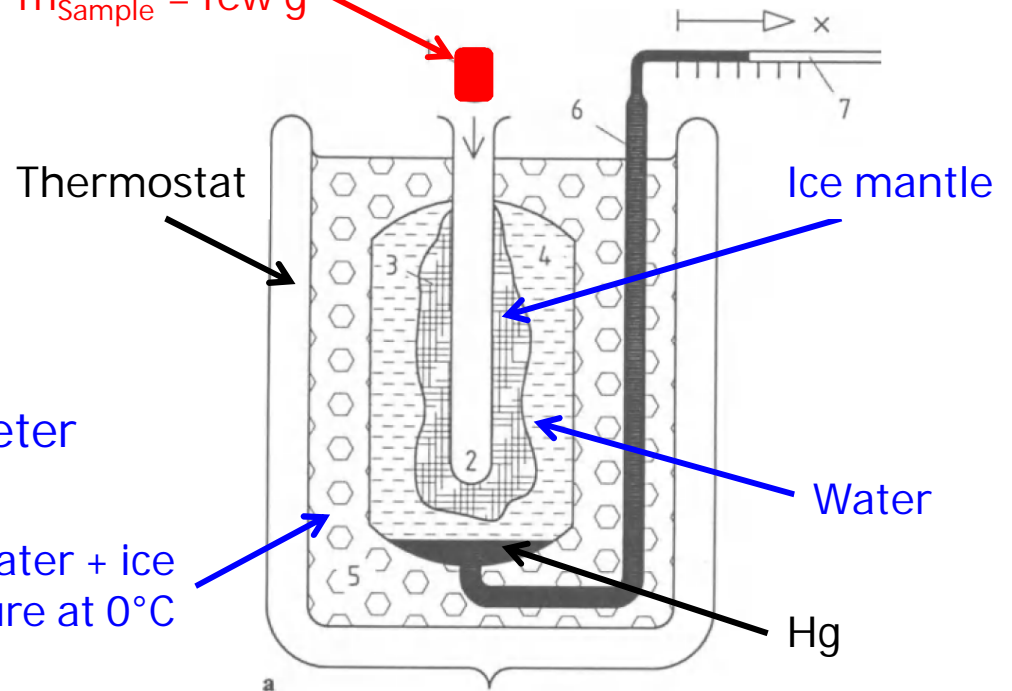
Isothermal drop calorimetry

- *IPG Paris ice calorimeter*
 - Measurement of $H_T - H_{273}$
 - Relative uncertainty 0.2%
 - 5-6 exp./day

SiC furnace
1500°C



Crucible Pt-Rh15
 $m_{\text{sample}} = \text{few g}$



Adapted from P. Richet (1982) and Y. Linard (2000) theses

from Höhne et al. (2003)

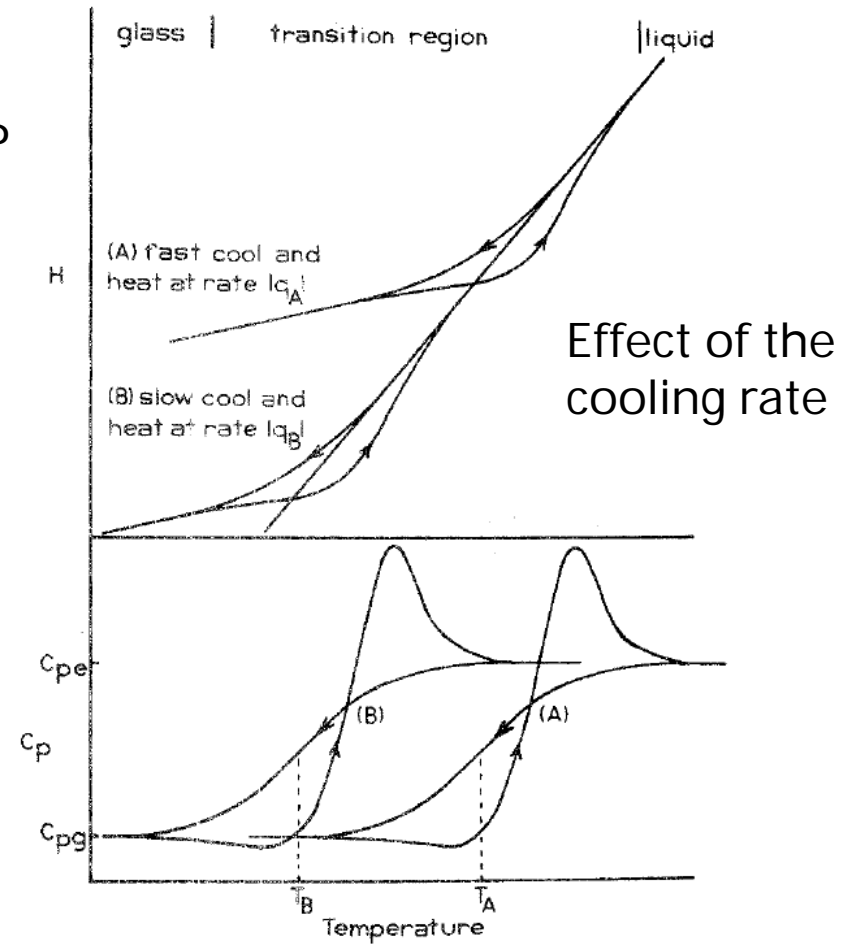
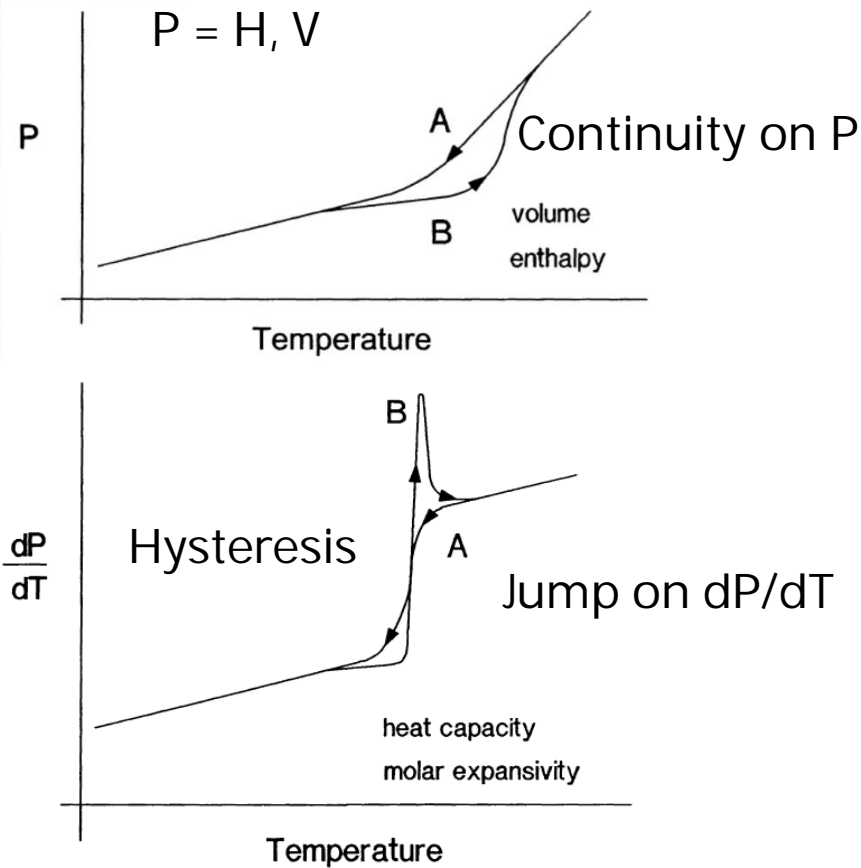


Thermodynamics of the glass transition

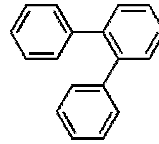
Schematic evolution of the thermodynamic functions at the glass transition

Webb, S. L., R. Knoche, and D. B. Dingwell. 1992. *European Journal of Mineralogy* 4 (1): 95–104

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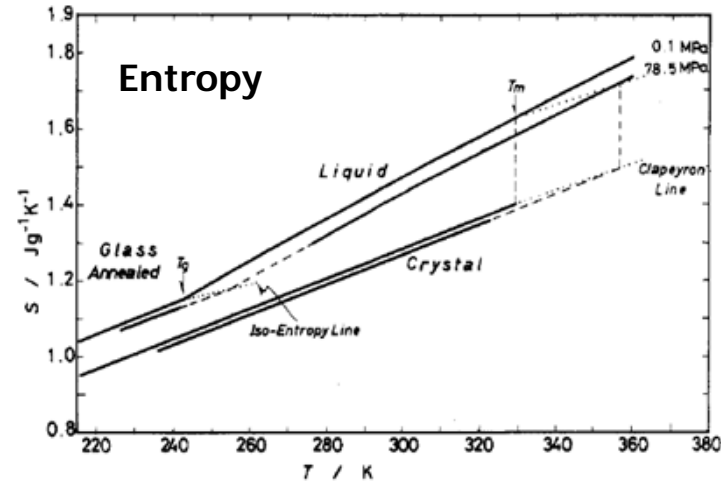
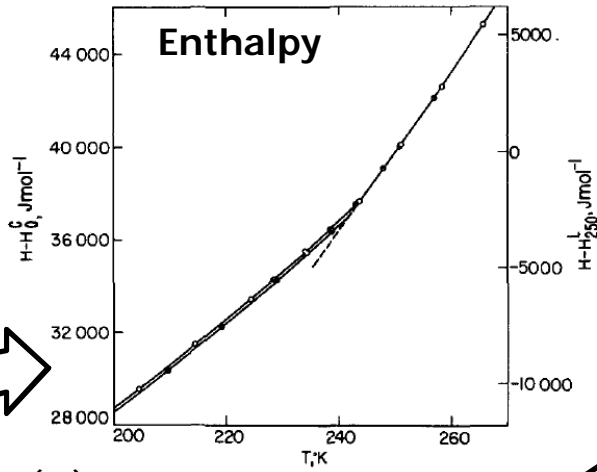


Example of ortho-terphenyl

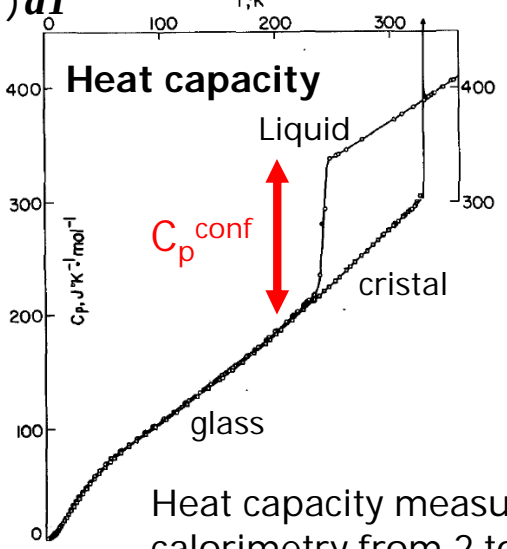


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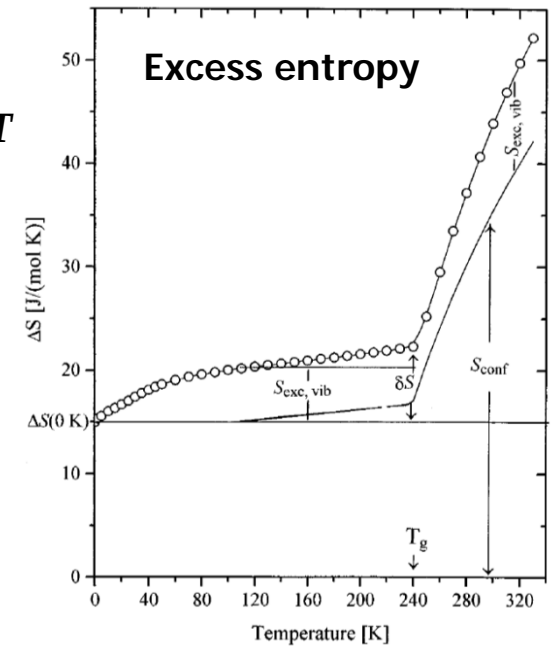


$$\int_0^T C_p(T) dT$$



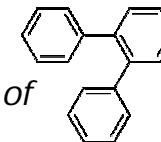
Heat capacity measured by adiabatic calorimetry from 2 to 360 K

$$\int_0^T \frac{C_p(T)}{T} dT$$

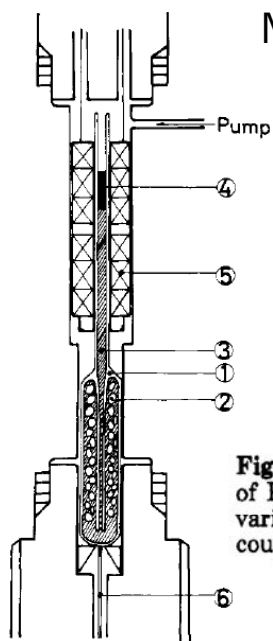


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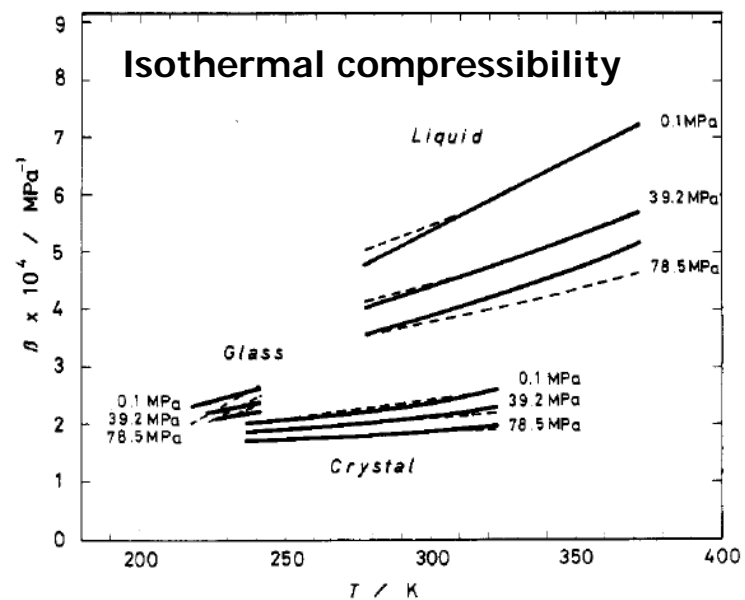
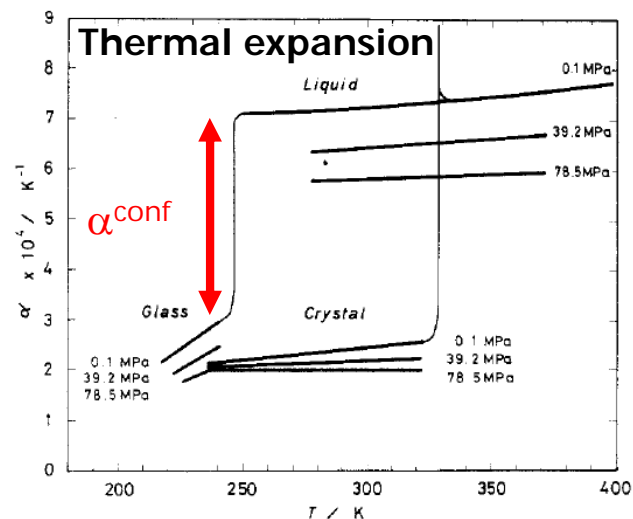
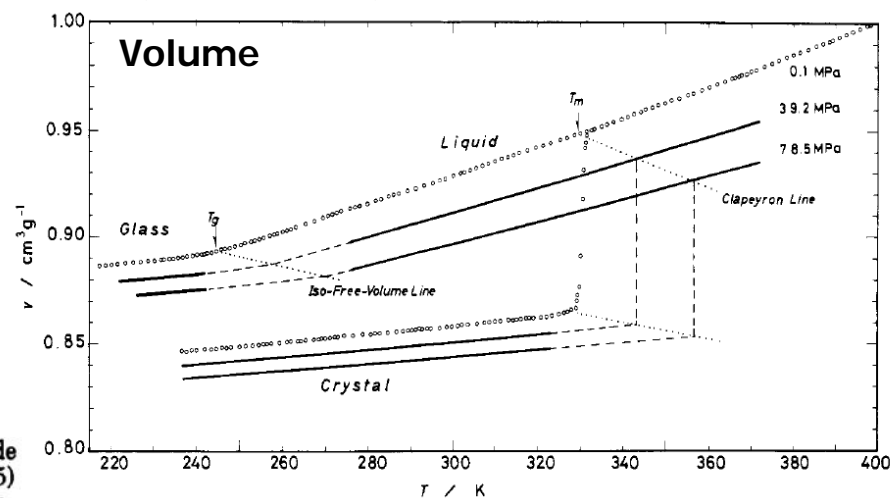


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Mercury pressure dilatometer
 $V(T)$ at constant p
 $V(P)$ at constant T

Figure 2. Diagram of pressure dilatometer: (1) dilatometer made of Pyrex glass; (2) sample; (3) mercury; (4) Permalloy; (5) variable differential transformer; (6) alumel-chromel thermocouple.



Glass description using the thermodynamic theory of irreversible processes

- For a given composition, and contrarily to what is observed for equilibrium phases like crystals or liquids
 - The state of a glass does not only depend on T and p
 - **At least one (or possibly more than one) additional thermodynamic variable(s) is (are) necessary to represent the internal state of the glass**
 - **Such variables are called structural (or internal) order parameters ξ_i**
 - Physically they might represent the number of holes or vacancies in the liquid, the number of broken or flexed bonds of various types, the number of sites with a particular coordination geometry... (Moynihan, Gupta 1976)
- Assuming that only one order parameter is required to describe the state of the glass/liquid (simplest hypothesis)
 - Using a lattice-hole model (Möller, Gutzow & Schmelzer 2006),
 - ξ = fraction of free volume
 - $0 \leq \xi \leq 1$
 - $\xi = 0$ for the perfectly ordered crystal
 - $\xi = 1$ for the complete disordered state (gas)
 - **The value of this parameter is frozen at the glass transition**

Glass description using the thermodynamic theory of irreversible processes

- In a closed system, any thermodynamic function (G, H, S...) is then a function of the 3 variables T, p and ξ :
- For the Gibbs energy:

$$G = G(T, p, \xi)$$

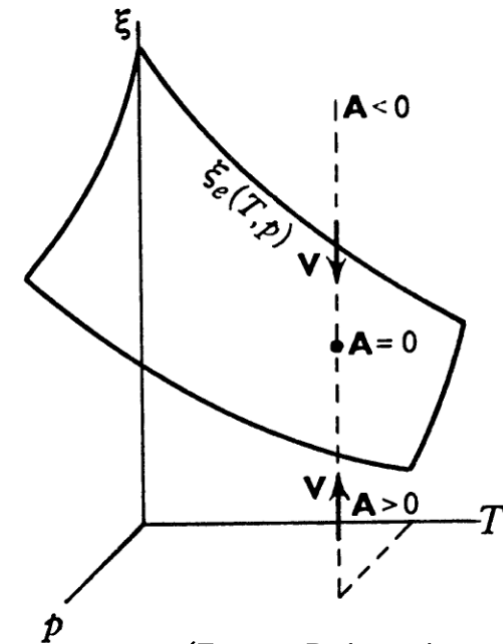
$$dG = \left(\frac{\partial G}{\partial T} \right)_{p, \xi} dT + \left(\frac{\partial G}{\partial p} \right)_{T, \xi} dp + \left(\frac{\partial G}{\partial \xi} \right)_{T, p} d\xi$$

- By introducing the affinity : $A = - \left(\frac{\partial G}{\partial \xi} \right)_{T, p}$

$$dG = -SdT + Vdp - Ad\xi$$

- At equilibrium $A = 0$ and $\xi = \xi_e(T, p)$
- The experimentalist can arbitrarily control T(t) and p(t) ...

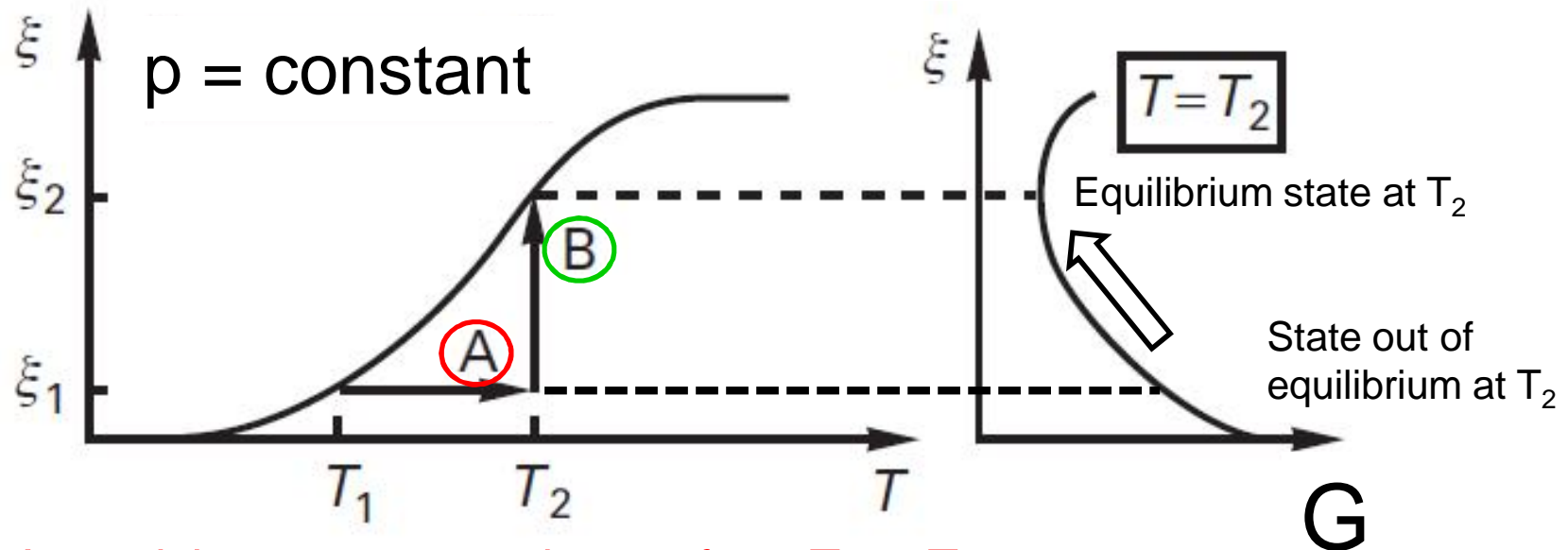
- ... but not $v = \frac{d\xi(t)}{dt}$ which depends on the state of the system



(From Prigogine and Defay 1954)

Order parameter evolution during a quick temperature change

Equilibrium value of the order parameter



A = quick temperature change from T_1 to T_2

B = gradual approach of the equilibrium state at T_2

(Adapted from Hillert 2007)

Jumps in the thermodynamic coefficients – configurational functions

- The thermodynamic quantities
 - at constant $A = 0$ correspond to the stable or metastable equilibrium liquid
 - at constant ξ (frozen structure) correspond to the glass

- It can be shown that:

$$C_{p,A=0} = C_{p,\xi} + \left(\frac{\partial H}{\partial \xi} \right)_{p,T} \left(\frac{\partial \xi}{\partial T} \right)_{p,A=0} = C_{p,\xi} + \left(\frac{\partial^2 G}{\partial \xi^2} \right)_{p,T} \left(\frac{\partial \xi}{\partial T} \right)_{p,A=0}^2$$

$$C_{p,A=0} = C_{p,\xi} + C_p^{conf} \text{ and } C_p^{conf} > 0$$

Liquid
Glass
Jump
> 0 stability condition
> 0

- Similarly

$$\kappa_{T,A=0} = \kappa_{T,\xi} - \frac{1}{V} \left(\frac{\partial V}{\partial \xi} \right)_{T,p} \left(\frac{\partial \xi}{\partial p} \right)_{T,A=0} = \kappa_{T,\xi} + \frac{1}{V} \left(\frac{\partial^2 G}{\partial \xi^2} \right)_{T,p} \left(\frac{\partial \xi}{\partial p} \right)_{T,A=0}^2$$

$$\kappa_{T,A=0} = \kappa_{T,\xi} + \kappa_T^{conf} \text{ and } \kappa_T^{conf} > 0$$

$$\alpha_{A=0} = \alpha_{\xi} + \frac{1}{V} \left(\frac{\partial V}{\partial \xi} \right)_{T,p} \left(\frac{\partial \xi}{\partial T} \right)_{p,A=0} = \alpha_{\xi} - \frac{1}{V} \left(\frac{\partial^2 G}{\partial \xi^2} \right)_{T,p} \left(\frac{\partial \xi}{\partial p} \right)_{T,A=0} \left(\frac{\partial \xi}{\partial T} \right)_{p,A=0}$$

$$\alpha_{A=0} = \alpha_{\xi} + \alpha^{conf} \text{ and } \alpha^{conf} > 0 \text{ or } < 0$$

(From Prigogine and Defay 1954)

To summarize

- If we restrict the scope of the presentation to the (T, S) couple of thermodynamic conjugate variables
- Knowing the thermodynamic properties of the crystal and the equilibrium liquid
- The relevant thermodynamic quantities which can be experimentally determined to define the thermodynamic state of the glass are
 - The glass transition temperature
 - The heat capacity of the glass and the magnitude of the heat capacity jump at the glass transition
 - The frozen-in value of the enthalpy
 - The frozen-in value of the entropy

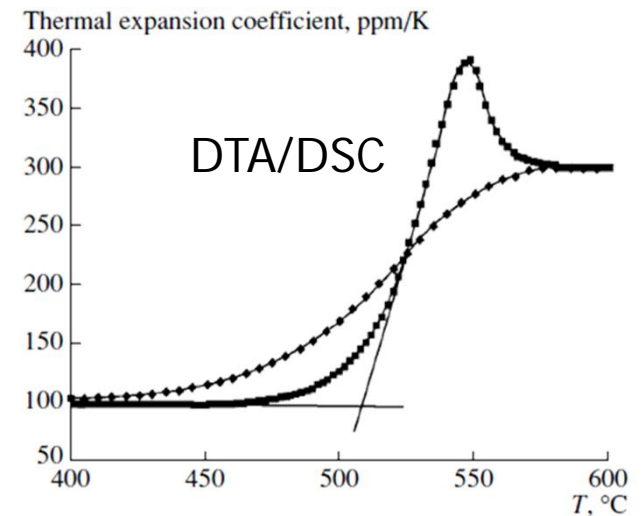
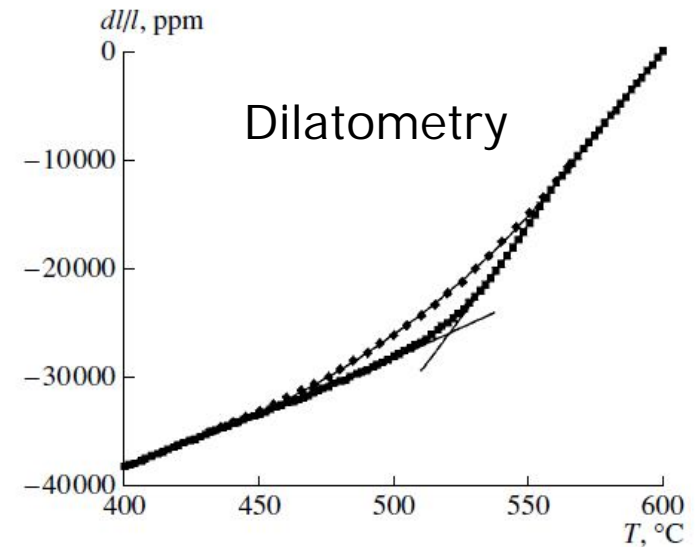


Measurement of the glass transition temperature T_g

Graphical T_g determinations

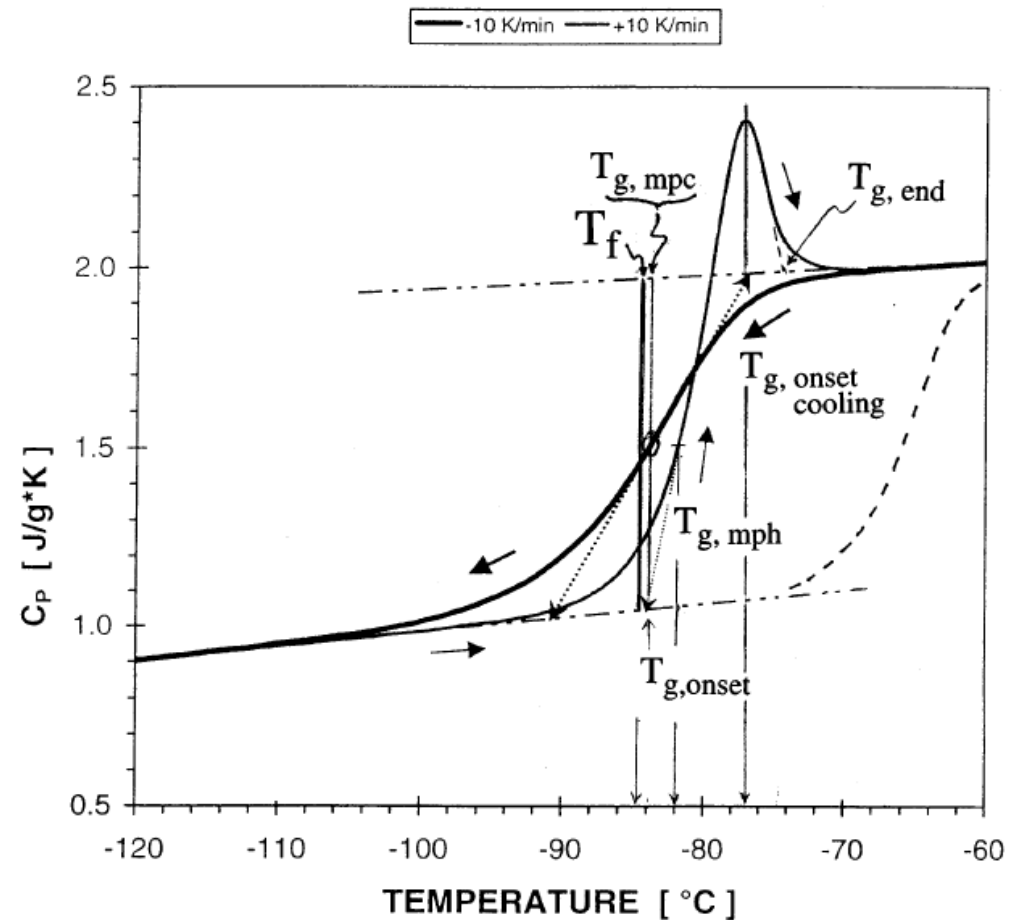
- According to Mazurin
 - T_g is determined by dilatometry or DTA/DSC in 99 % of the published papers
- For determining the T_g , he recommends that
 - The rate of cooling from above the glass transition interval should be equal to the rate of subsequent heating
 - This rate should be 10 K/min in DTA/DSC and 5 K/min in dilatometry
 - To adopt the linear extrapolation constructions hereto

Mazurin, O. V. 2007. "Problems of Compatibility of the Values of Glass Transition Temperatures Published in the World Literature." Glass Physics and Chemistry 33 (1): 22–36



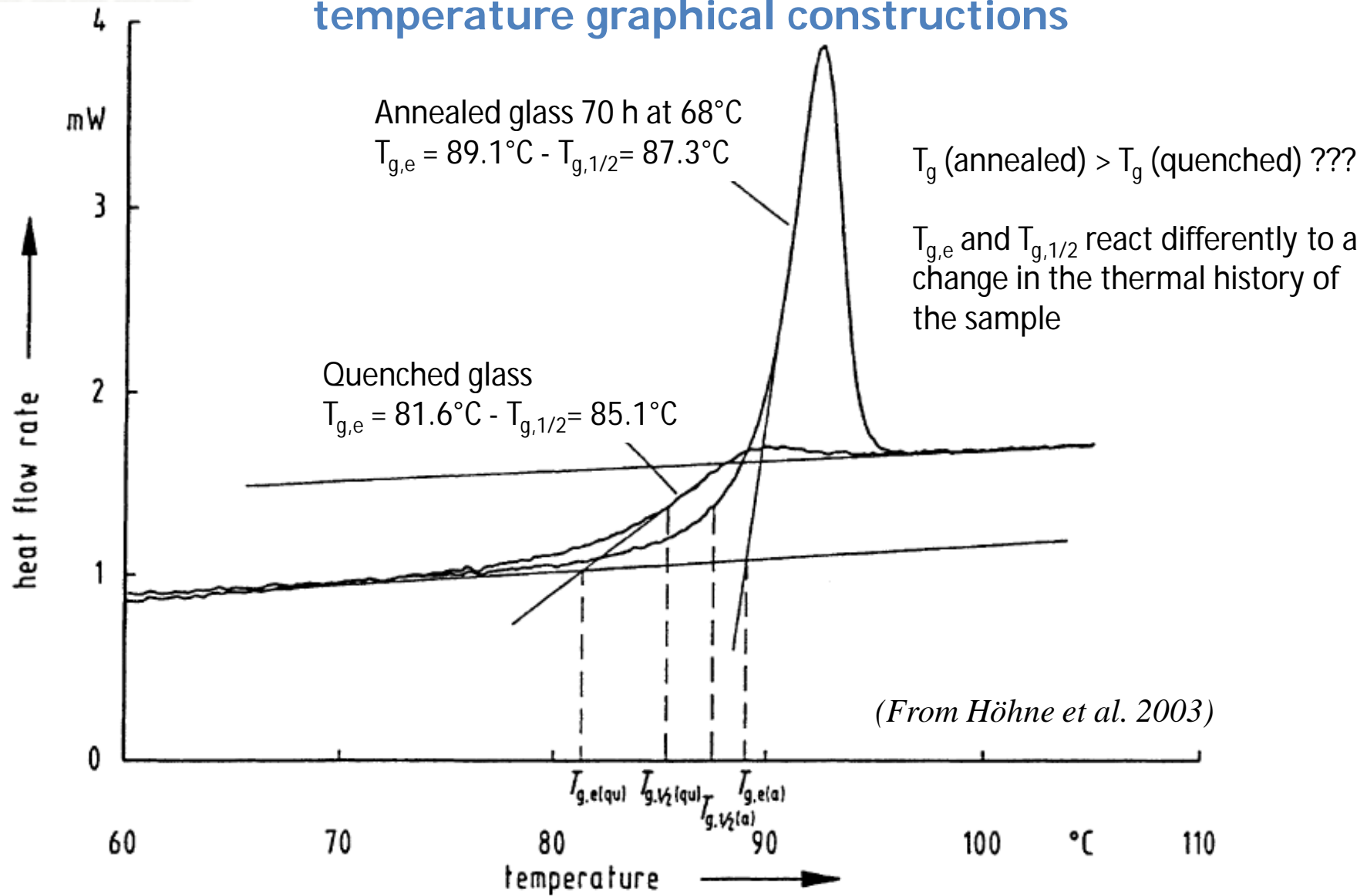
Graphical T_g determinations

- Various characteristic temperatures are used in literature
- They are obtained by graphical constructions from the cooling or the heating DSC curves
 - Extrapolated onset
 - Mid point also called half-step
 - Inflexion point
 - ...
- These graphical methods are easy to apply
- But can give paradoxical results in some cases

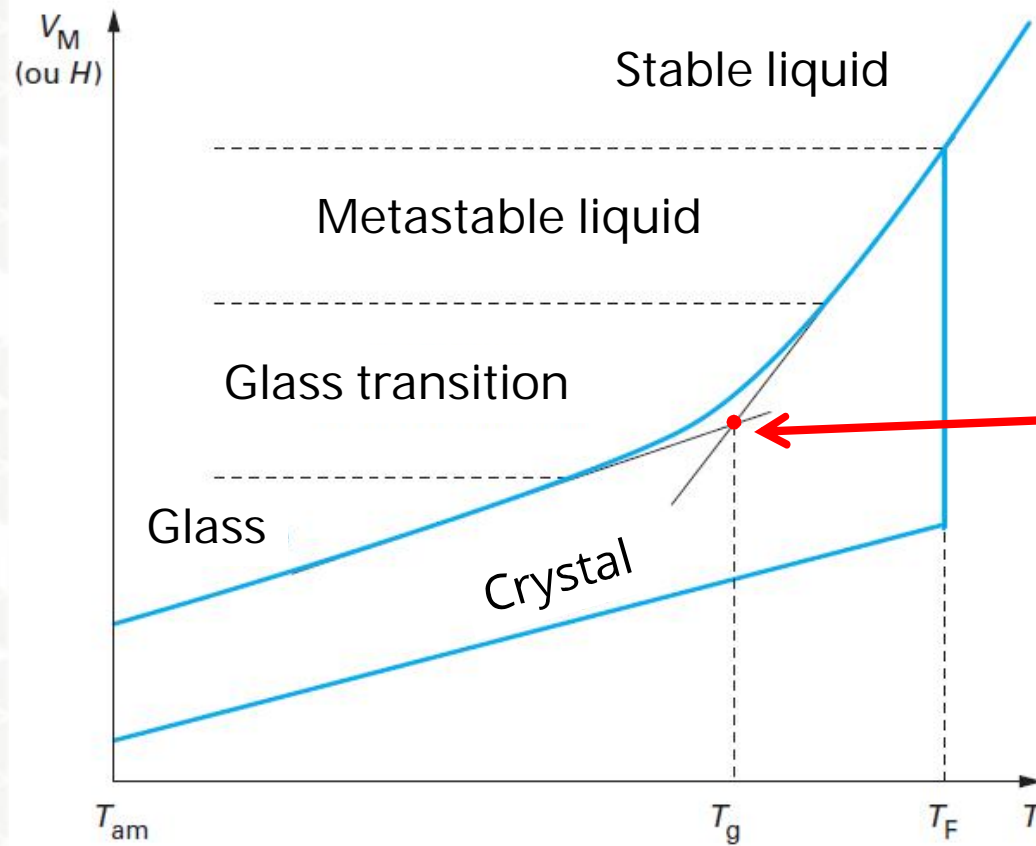


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Drawbacks of the extrapolated onset or mid-point/half-step temperature graphical constructions



Thermodynamic definition of the fictive temperature

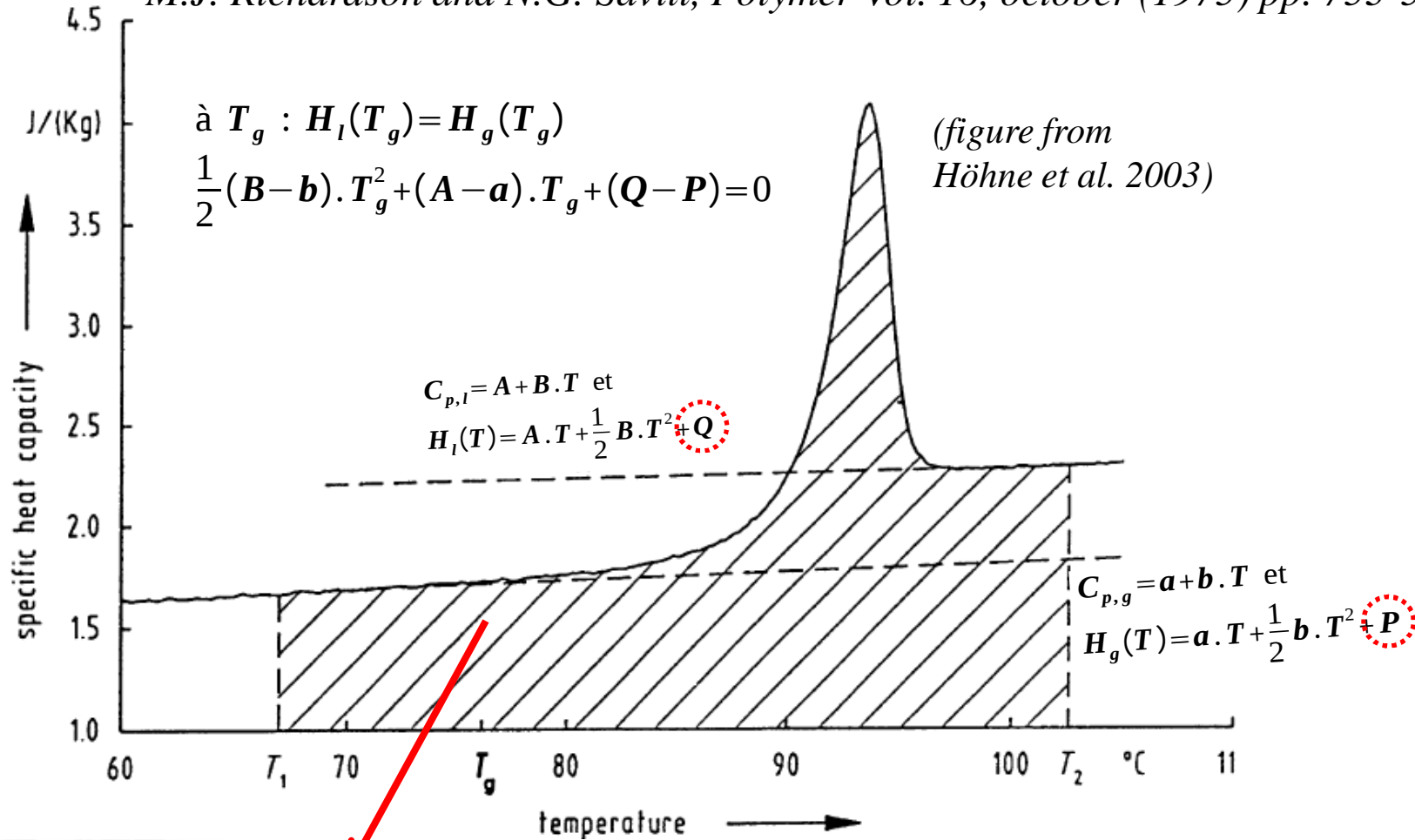


Find the T_g for which:

$$H_l(T_g) = H_g(T_g)$$

Richardson and Savill method

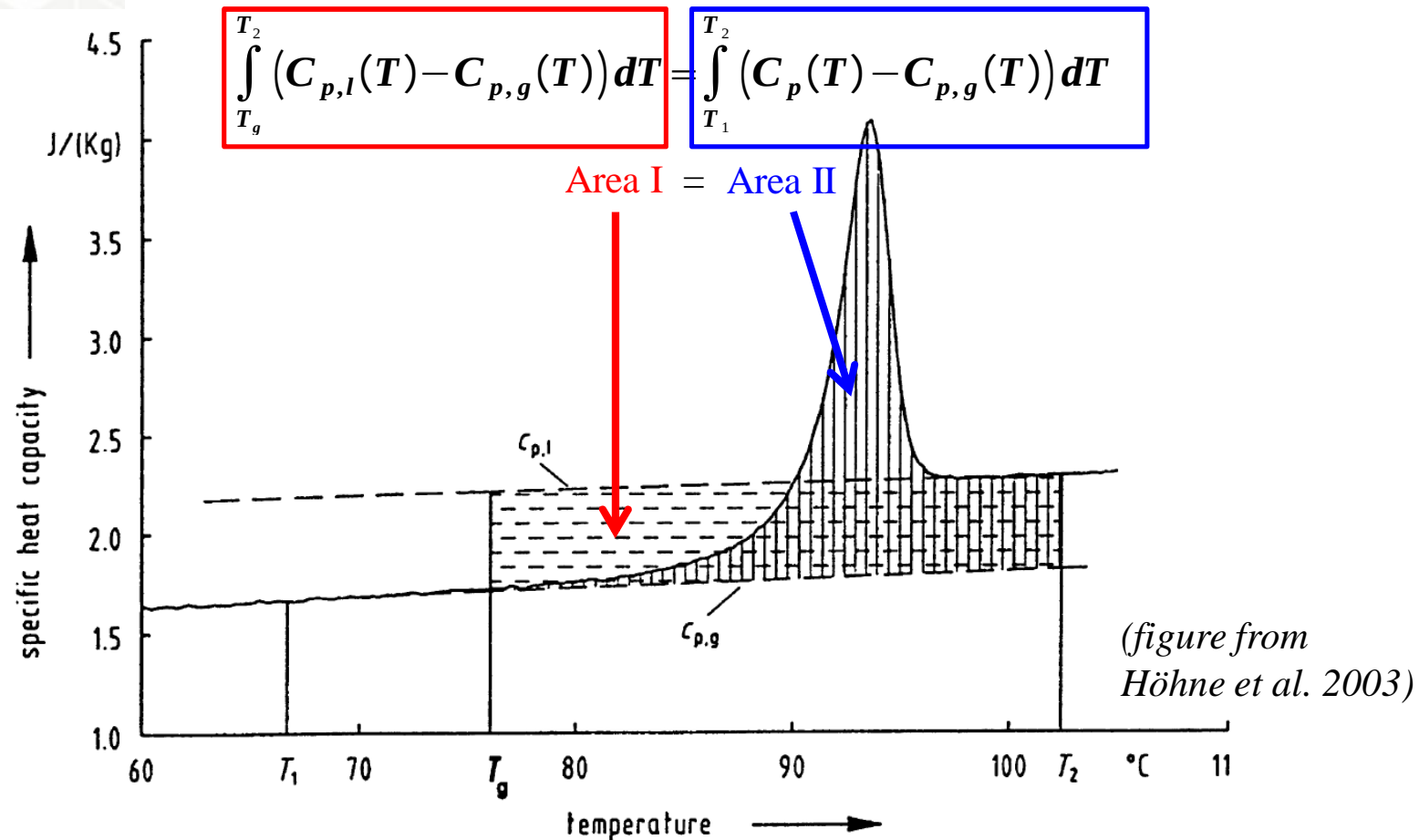
M.J. Richardson and N.G. Savill, *Polymer* Vol. 16, october (1975) pp. 753-57



Hatched area = $H_l(T_2) - H_g(T_1) = A \cdot T_2 - a \cdot T_1 + \frac{1}{2} B \cdot T_2^2 - \frac{1}{2} b \cdot T_1^2 + (Q - P)$

Moynihan et al. method (1)

C. T. Moynihan, A. J. Easteal, M. A. De Bolt, *Journal of the American Ceramic Society*, Vol. 59, No. 1- 2 (1976) pp.12-16



Moynihan et al. method (2)

- Proof of the graphical construction

$$\int_{T_g}^{T_2} (C_{p,l}(T) - C_{p,g}(T)) dT = \int_{T_1}^{T_2} (C_p(T) - C_{p,g}(T)) dT$$

$$\int_{T_g}^{T_2} C_{p,l}(T) dT - \int_{T_g}^{T_2} C_{p,g}(T) dT = \int_{T_1}^{T_2} C_p(T) dT - \int_{T_1}^{T_2} C_{p,g}(T) dT$$

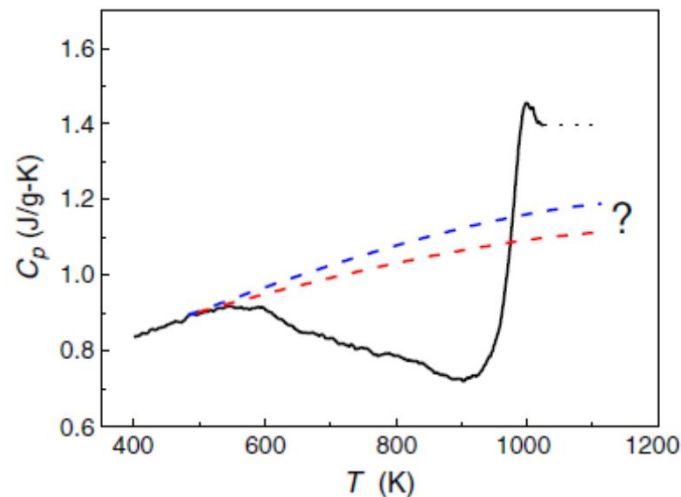
$$\cancel{H_l(T_2)} - H_l(T_g) - (\cancel{H_g(T_2)} - H_g(T_g)) = \cancel{H_l(T_2)} - \cancel{H_g(T_1)} - (\cancel{H_g(T_2)} - \cancel{H_g(T_1)})$$

$$H_l(T_g) = H_g(T_g)$$

Guo et al. method (1)

X. Guo, M. Potuzak, J.C. Mauro, D.C. Allan, T.J. Kiczanski, Y. Yue, *Unified approach for determining the enthalpic fictive temperature of glasses with arbitrary thermal history*, *J. Non. Cryst. Solids*. 357 (2011) 3230–3236.

- The Richardson and Savill or Moynihan et al. methods require the DSC heating rate (R) to be comparable to the cooling rate (q) used to obtain the glass sample
 - Not appropriate for hyper-quenched glasses for which
 - $q \approx 10^6$ K/s $\gg R \approx 10 - 20$ K/min classical DSC scan rates
 - Difficulty to extrapolate the C_p of the glass in the liquid domain



DSC heating scan at 20K/min
on an hyper-quenched glass

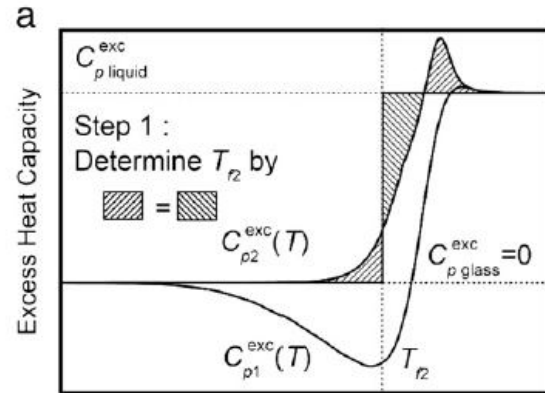
Guo et al. method (2)

- General method appropriate for all glasses obtained under isobar conditions
 - The result is independent of the kinetic effects occurring on heating in the DSC
 - It is not necessary to know the thermal history of the glass prior to the measurement
- Principle
 - Comparison of the $C_{p1}(T)$ and $C_{p2}(T)$ curves obtained during two consecutive upscans at the same rate
 - A downscan is interposed between the two upscans
 - No constraint on the heating rate

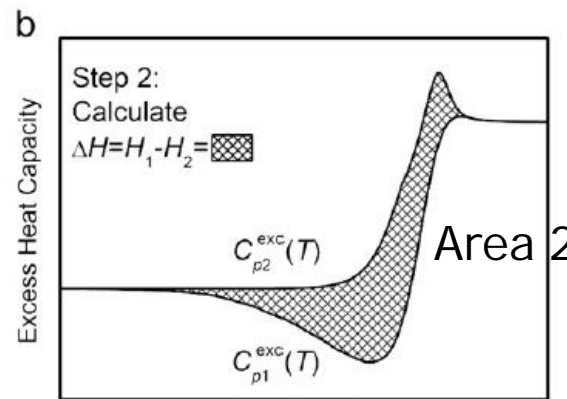
$$\int_{T_{f2}}^{T_{f1}} (C_{p \text{ liquid}} - C_{p \text{ glass}}) dT = \int_0^{\infty} (C_{p2} - C_{p1}) dT.$$

Area 1
Area 2

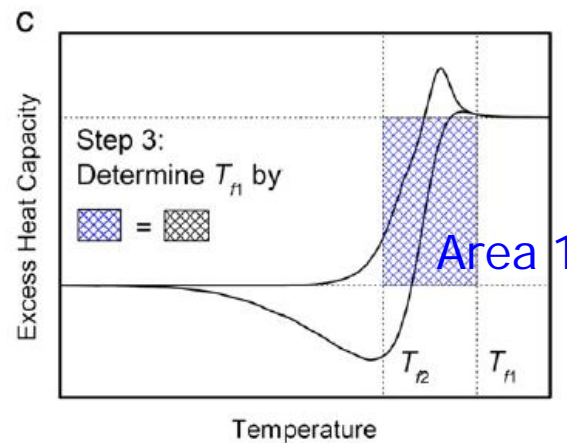
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Determination of T_{f2} , the fictive T of the rejuvenated glass by Moynihan et al. method



Calculation of the enthalpy difference between the quenched glass and the rejuvenated one



Determination of T_{f1} , the fictive T of the quenched glass by area matching

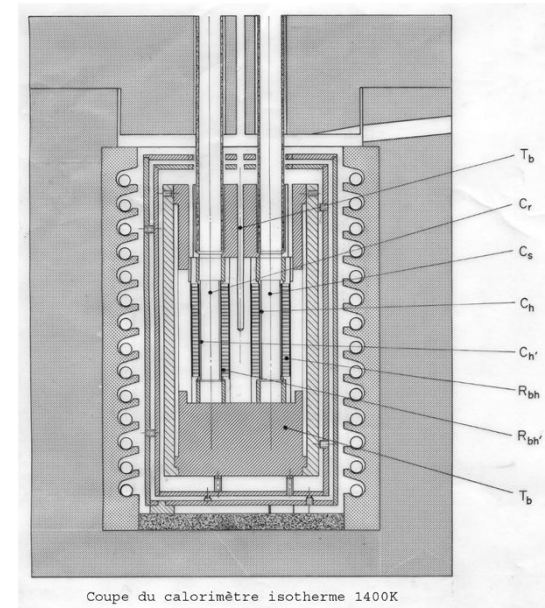
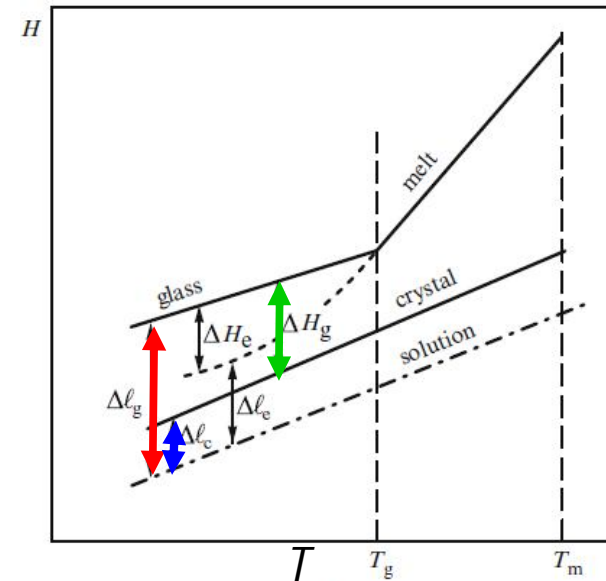


Measurement of the frozen-in enthalpy

Frozen-in enthalpy ΔH_g determination by isothermal solution calorimetry

- (1) Glass + Solvent \rightarrow Solution (ΔI_g)
- (2) Crystal + Solvent \rightarrow Solution (ΔI_c)
- (1)-(2) Glass \rightarrow Crystal (ΔH_g)
 $\Delta H_g = \Delta I_g - \Delta I_c$

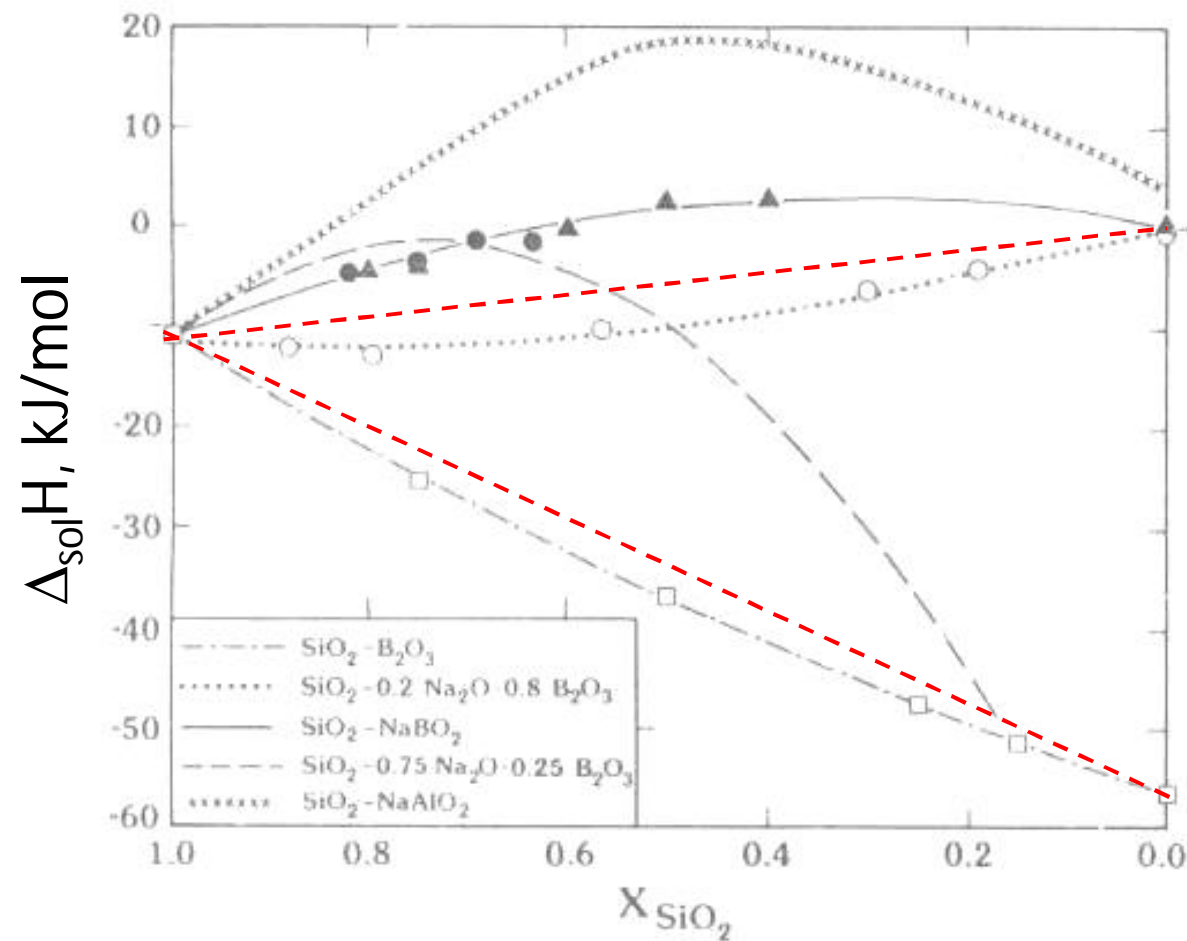
- Calorimetric experiments can be performed
 - At room T, in aqueous acid solutions (HF-HNO₃)
 - At high T (700-800°C), in oxide melt (2PbO-B₂O₃)
- For a ternary borosilicate glass = x SiO₂, y B₂O₃, z Na₂O
- Separate dissolution of the glass and of its crystalline oxide constituents in a solvent S at T
- Glass + 3 S \rightarrow ((x SiO₂, y B₂O₃, z Na₂O))_{3S} (a)
 - x <SiO₂> + S \rightarrow ((x SiO₂))_S (b)
 - y <B₂O₃> + S \rightarrow ((y B₂O₃))_S (c)
 - z <Na₂O> + S \rightarrow ((z Na₂O))_S (d)
- The glass formation reaction is written as:
 - x <SiO₂> + y <B₂O₃> + z <Na₂O> \rightarrow Glass
 - $\Delta_f H(\text{Glass}) = \Delta_{\text{sol}} H^\infty(b) + \Delta_{\text{sol}} H^\infty(c) + \Delta_{\text{sol}} H^\infty(d) - \Delta_{\text{sol}} H^\infty(a)$



Tian-Calvet calorimeter for high T < 1300K solution or drop-solution experiments

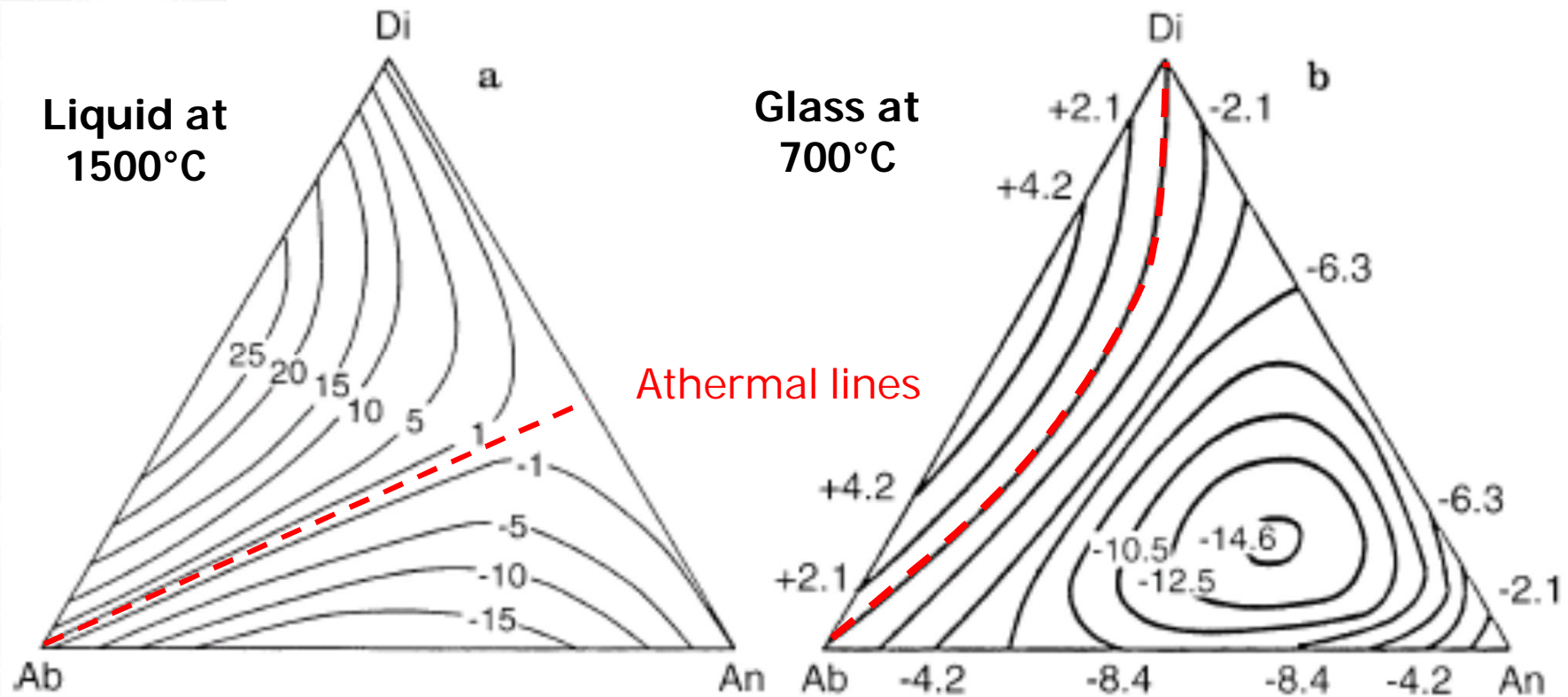
Mixing enthalpies in $\text{SiO}_2 - \text{B}_2\text{O}_3 - \text{Na}_2\text{O}$ glasses

- Measured by solution calorimetry in $2\text{PbO}-\text{B}_2\text{O}_3$ molten at 974K
– R. L. Hervig and A. Navrotsky, *J. Am. Ceram. Soc.* **68**, 314 (1985)



Mixing enthalpies surfaces in the Ab-An-Di ternary liquid and glass

Albite = $\text{NaAlSi}_3\text{O}_8$ – Anorthite = $\text{CaAl}_2\text{Si}_2\text{O}_8$ – Diopside = $\text{CaMgSi}_2\text{O}_6$



A. Navrotsky, *Phys. Chem. Miner.* **24**, 222 (1997)

Conclusions

- At T_g a liquid in metastable equilibrium is kinetically frozen into a non thermodynamic equilibrium state: the glass
- The glass transition temperature T_g and the jumps of the thermodynamic coefficients at the transition can be measured
 - T_{fictive} methods should be preferred to graphical constructions
- At $T \ll T_g$
 - Its frozen-in thermodynamic properties (ΔH_g , ΔS_g) do not evolve and can be measured
- The mixing enthalpies in ternary oxide liquids and glasses
 - Are weak (\approx few kJ/mol)
 - Sometimes endothermic (> 0), the liquid solution and the glass are then only stabilized by the entropy of mixing
 - These solutions can unmix when temperature is lowered



Thank you for your attention

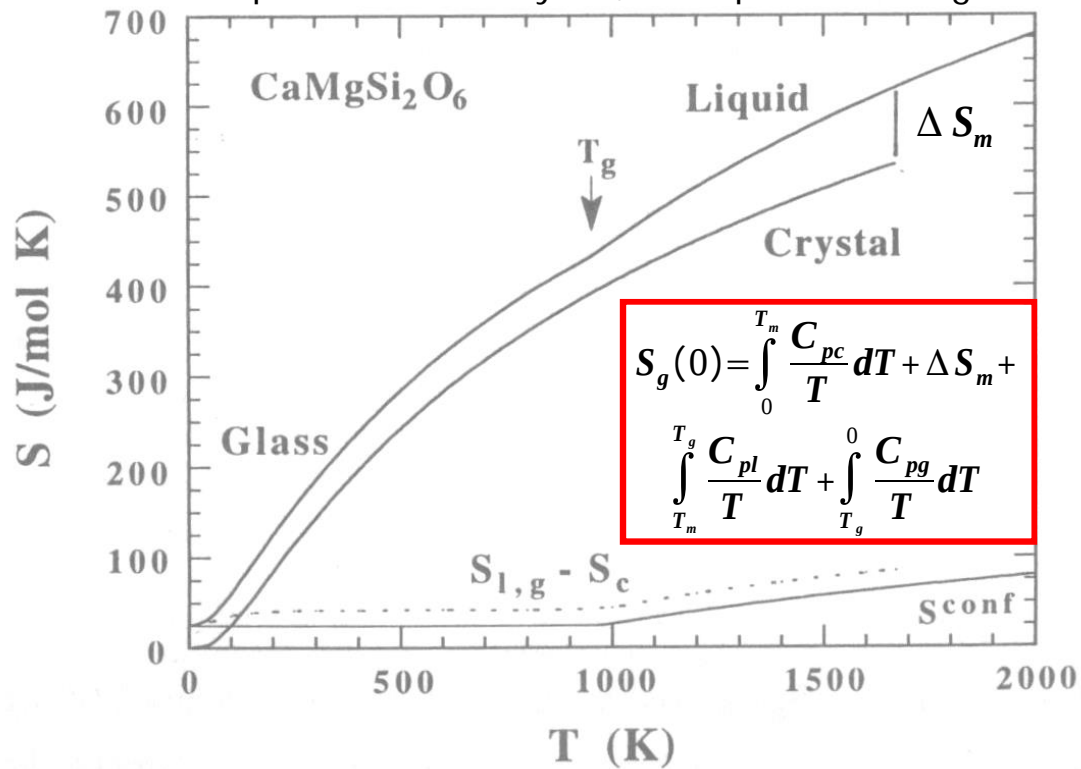




Measurement of the frozen-in entropy

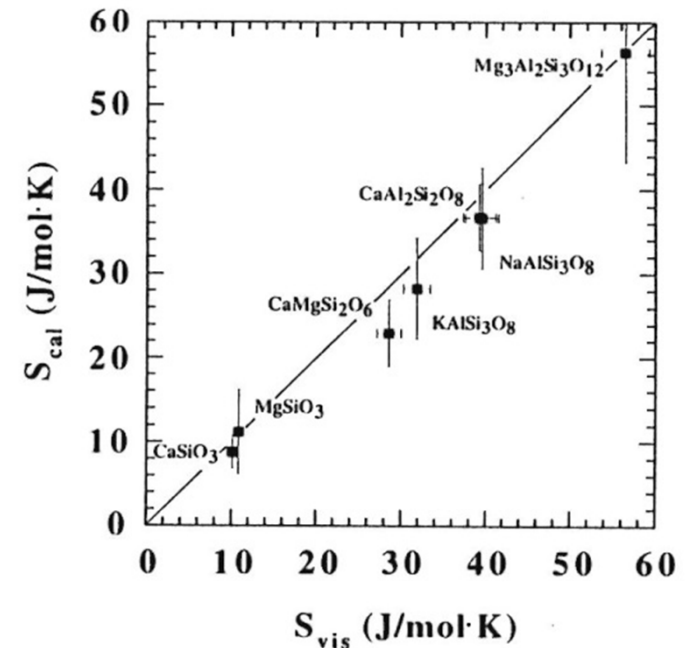
Frozen in entropy ΔS_g determination by calorimetric cycle

- Combining low temperature adiabatic calorimetry + DSC + drop calorimetry between 0 K and T_m to determine the $S(T)$ curve for the crystal, the liquid and the glass phases
 - Requires that the crystal, the liquid and the glass have the same composition



P. Richet and Y. Bottinga, in *Struct. Dyn. Prop. Silic. Melts - Rev. Mir Vol. 32*, edited by J. F. Stebbins, P. F. Mc Millan, and D. B. Dingwell (Mineralogical Society of America, Washington D.C., 1995), pp. 67–93.

- Entropy can also be derived from viscosity curves on the basis of the Adam-Gibbs theory

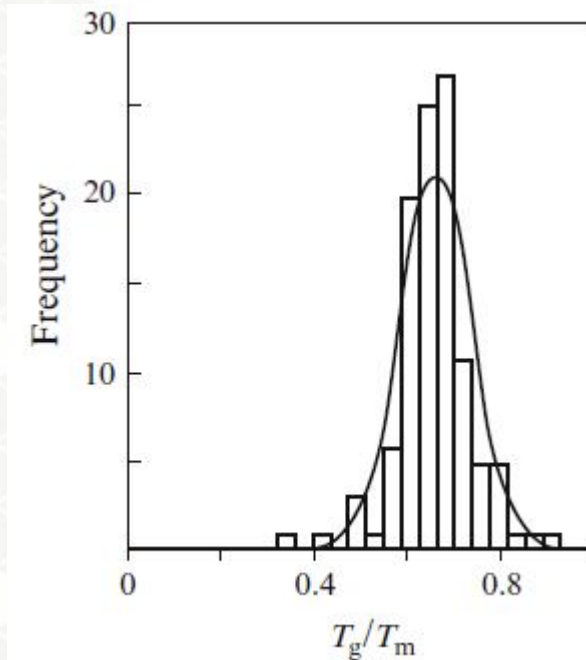




Some orders of magnitude

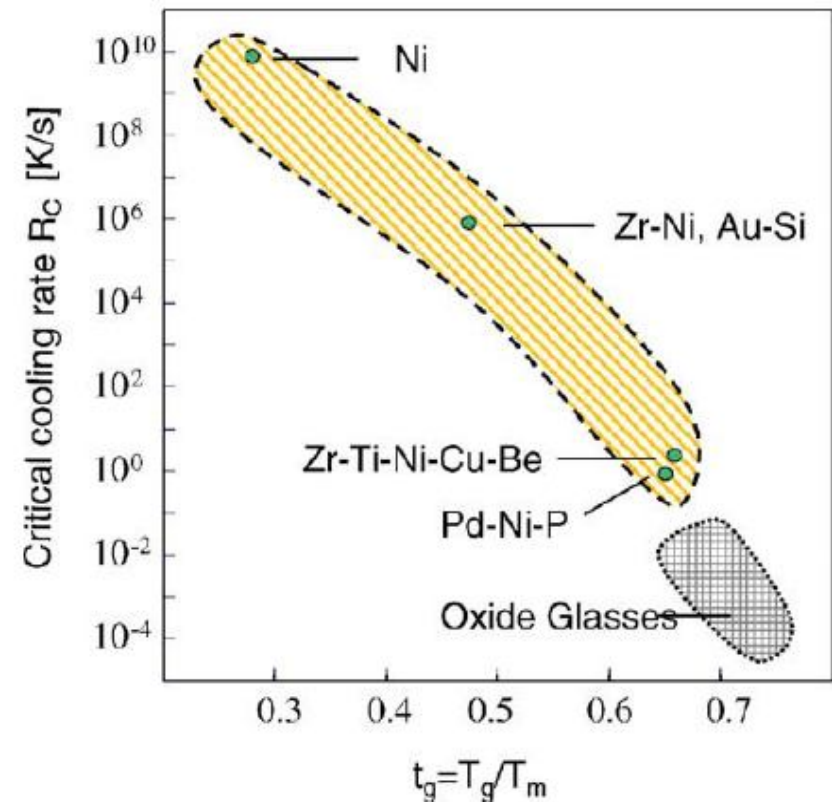
Glass transition temperature T_g

- Dimensionless glass transition temperature
 - Statistics for 108 unary substances which can be vitrified at classical cooling rates



$$\frac{T_g}{T_m} \approx \frac{2}{3} \quad \text{Beaman-Kauzmann rule}$$

From Schmelzer et Gutzow (2011, 2013)



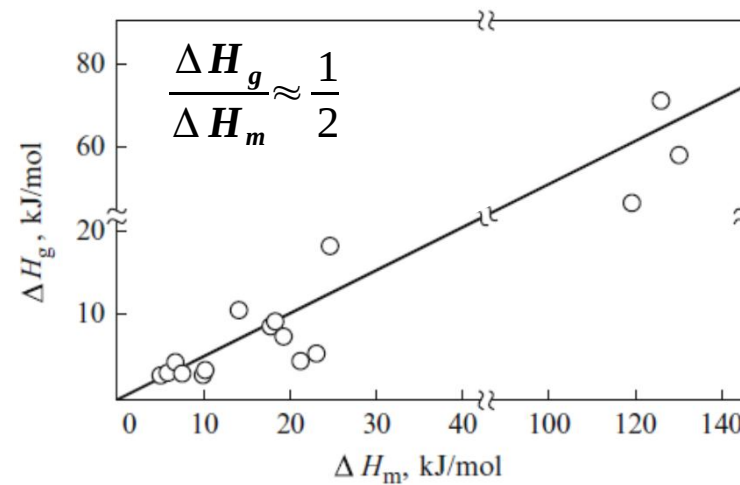
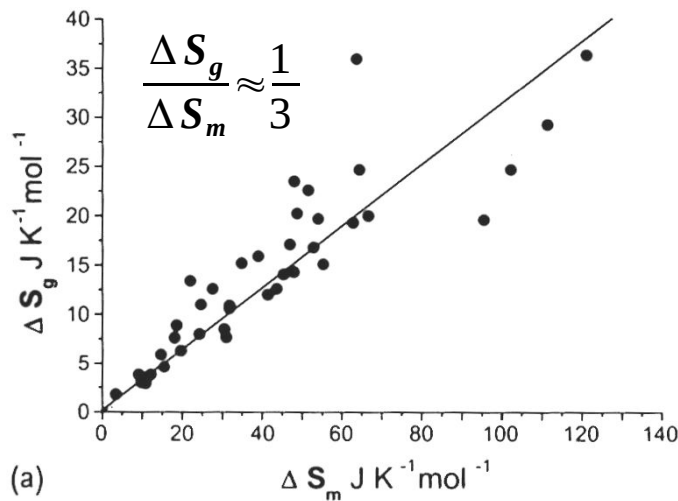
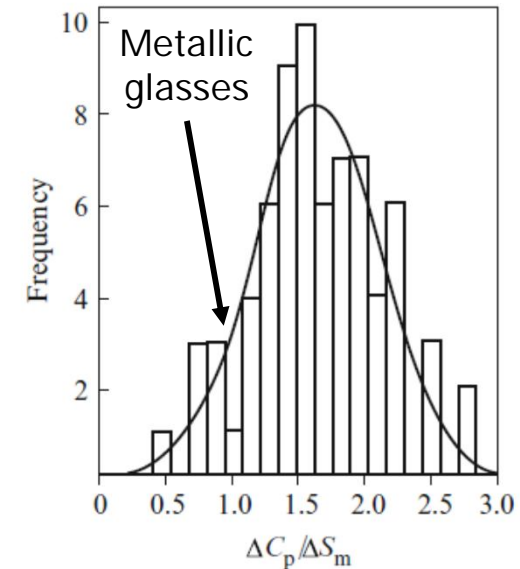
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Dimensionless thermodynamic quantities

- Dimensionless C_p jump
 - Statistics from 80 substances

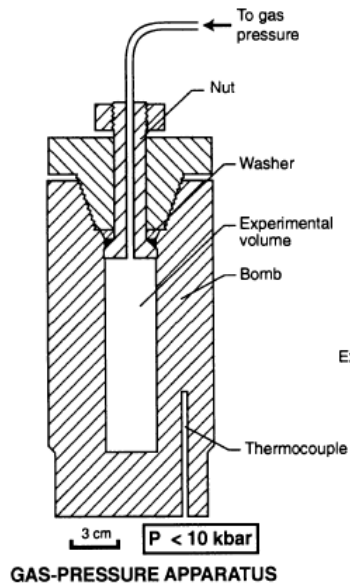
$$\frac{\Delta C_p(T_g)}{\Delta S_m} \approx \frac{3}{2}$$

- Frozen-in dimensionless entropy and enthalpy

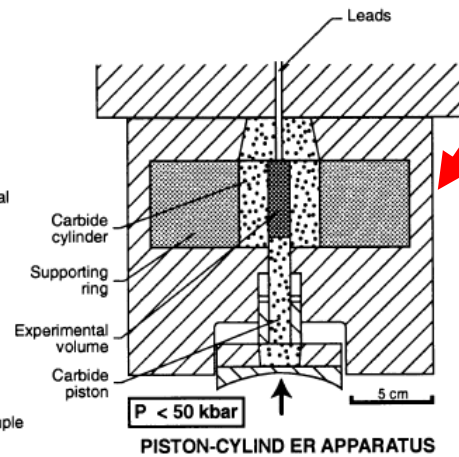


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High pressure apparatuses

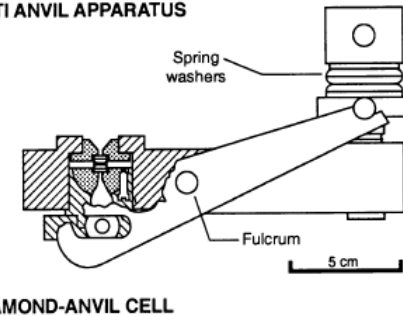
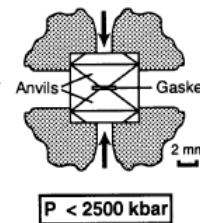
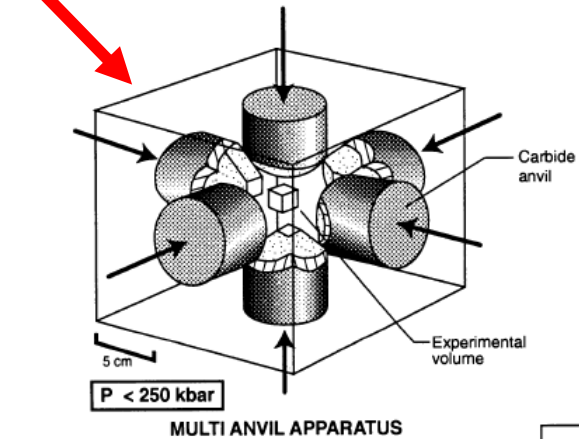


- $T_{\max} = 1200 \text{ K}$ if the autoclave is put in furnace
- $T_{\max} = 1800 \text{ K}$ if a furnace is put in a cooled autoclave



- $T_{\max} = 1000 \text{ K}$ if a small furnace is wired around the diamonds
- $T_{\max} = \text{several kK}$ if the sample is laser heated

$T_{\max} = 2000 \text{ K}$ if the sample is inserted in a small graphite furnace



Shockwaves for Mbar pressures

From Richet, P. 2001. *The Physical Basis of Thermodynamics With Applications to Chemistry*. Springer