

A preserved record of early solar system melting in the carbonaceous achondrites Northwest Africa 7680 and 6962

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ABSTRACT

The carbonaceous achondrites Northwest Africa (NWA) 7680 and NWA 6962 have been investigated for their texture, mineralogy, geochemistry and geochronology. The major, minor and trace element compositions of the mineral components, oxygen isotope and chromium isotope compositions, along with U-Pb ratio phosphate thermochronology suggest that they were formed by similar processes on the same parent body. The achondrites have olivine compositions of $Fa_{44.8}$ and $Fa_{47.4}$ for NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 respectively. Replicate oxygen isotope analyses of grains and bulk powders from NWA 7680 yielded average $\Delta^{17}O$ values of $-1.04\text{‰} \pm 0.03$ and $-1.00 \pm 0.05\text{‰}$ respectively, which is identical to that reported for NWA 6962. The whole rock $\epsilon^{54}Cr$ compositions are also equivalent for NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 (1.36 ± 0.05 and 1.30 ± 0.05 respectively). Both meteorites are plagioclase-rich, and NWA 7680 is also Fe-metal-rich, suggesting they both formed via differentiation processes that resulted in the pooling of partial melt products. Major element geochemical trends show that both rocks could be formed through melting of chondritic material on a CR chondrite-like parent body. This is consistent with oxygen isotope and chromium isotope compositions. Intrusion of a late-stage

1 melt is evident in both meteorites and the melt products include silica-rich, alkali-deficient
2 nepheline. The late-stage liquid has re-melted and mixed with primary plagioclase in NWA
3 6962. In contrast, the late-stage liquid was often restricted to grain boundaries in NWA 7680,
4 leaving some of the primary plagioclase crystals intact. *In situ* dating of NWA 7680 phosphate
5 minerals (merrillite and fluorapatite) reveals that it has not experienced long duration thermal
6 metamorphism, or impact related Pb loss and age resetting since 4578 ± 17 Ma ($^{207}\text{Pb}/^{206}\text{Pb}$ age
7 $\pm 2\sigma$, within error of solar system age). Phosphates associated with the late-stage melt in NWA
8 6962 yield a $^{207}\text{Pb}/^{206}\text{Pb}$ age of 4556.6 ± 8.0 Ma (2σ) within 2σ of the NWA 7680 age.
9 Thermochronology data confirms that the observed chromium isotope signatures in these
10 meteorites were not introduced by a later high temperature event, such as late impact accretion
11 processes. These data are consistent with a rapid separation of inner and outer solar system
12 chemical reservoirs, planetesimal melting, differentiation and cooling, all within several million
13 years of calcium aluminum-rich inclusion (CAI) formation.
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15 INTRODUCTION

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17 Evidence for early melting, crystallization and differentiation processes within asteroidal
18 bodies is provided by the measured ages of the oldest differentiated meteorites including the iron
19 meteorite Steinbach dated at 4565.47 ± 0.30 Ma (Connelly et al. 2019), as well as meteorites
20 representing silica-rich basaltic melts: Asuka 881394 at 4564.95 ± 0.53 Ma (Wimpenny et al.
21 2019) and NWA 11119 at 4564.8 ± 0.3 Ma (Srinivasan et al. 2018). The crystallization of some
22 of these early differentiation products was taking place contemporaneously with chondrule
23 formation (4567.32 ± 0.42 to 4564.71 ± 0.30 Ma, Connelly et al. 2012). Early melt rocks from
24 carbonaceous chondrite-like parent bodies have also been found and include NWA 6704 and
25 NWA 6693, which have Pb-isotopic ages of $4562.76 \pm 0.22/0.30$ Ma and $4562.63 \pm 0.29/0.21$
26 Ma respectively (Amelin et al. 2019; Sanborn et al. 2019). The discovery of these and other
27 carbonaceous achondrites have added to the known diversity of materials associated with the
28 solar system's formative melt environments. The preserved record of some of these unique and
29 early carbonaceous chondrite-like melts will be the focus of this study.

30 The study of carbonaceous chondrite-like melts is essential for our knowledge of the
31 spatial distribution and types of melt environments in the evolving solar system. The early solar
32 system experienced a segregation of two distinct chemical reservoirs, the carbonaceous
33 chondrite-like (outer solar system) materials and non-carbonaceous (inner solar system)
34 materials (e.g., Warren 2011; Sanborn and Yin, 2019). This means that our only knowledge of
35 early outer solar system asteroidal melt environments comes from the carbonaceous achondrites
36 and iron meteorites associated with this reservoir (e.g., Nanne et al. 2019). Isotopic distinctions
37 for these two reservoirs are observed in many elements including Cr (e.g., Trinquier et al. 2007;
38 Warren 2011; Sanborn et al. 2019), Ti (e.g., Leya et al. 2008; Trinquier et al. 2009; Warren
39 2011), Mo (e.g., Budde et al. 2016) and Ni (Nanne et al. 2019). The most probable and effective
40 way to separate these two reservoirs was through the rapid formation of Jupiter (Kruijer et al.

1 2017; Nanne et al. 2019). Kruijjer et al. (2017) argued that Jupiter's core grew to ~20 Earth
2 masses in less than one million years. The source of the isotopic differences appears, at least in
3 some cases, to be related to the input of distinct source materials into the outer solar system.
4 Studies of the carbonaceous chondrite Orgueil show enrichments in ^{54}Cr associated with sub-
5 micrometer Cr-rich grains (likely Cr-spinels). These enrichments are thought to be directly
6 produced in supernovae (Dauphas et al. 2010; Qin et al. 2011). Similarly, the Mo isotopic
7 anomalies seen in meteorites also require contributions from distinct supernovae processes (Yin
8 et al. 2002).

9 The existence of the carbonaceous chondrite-like and non-carbonaceous reservoirs,
10 alongside geochronological data, provides a powerful tool for reconstructing processes occurring
11 in the early solar system. The separation of these reservoirs also makes it strikingly obvious that
12 little is known about differentiation processes in the outer solar system, since most of the
13 collected meteoritic material from the carbonaceous chondrite-like reservoir is in the form of
14 primitive carbonaceous chondrites and iron meteorites associated with carbonaceous chondrites
15 (e.g., Nanne et al. 2019). Stable isotope studies of some stony igneous meteorites have linked
16 them to outer solar system carbonaceous chondrite-like parent bodies (e.g., Sanborn and Yin
17 2019; Sanborn et al. 2019). In particular, there have been multiple carbonaceous achondrites with
18 stable isotopic compositions similar to those of CR chondrites. These carbonaceous achondrites
19 include NWA 6704 and NWA 6693 (Warren et al. 2013; Amelin et al. 2019; Hibiya et al. 2019;
20 Sanborn et al. 2019), NWA 2976 and NWA 011 (Bogdanovski and Lugmair 2004; Sanborn et al.
21 2013) and Tafassasset (Gardner-Vandy et al. 2012; Sanborn et al. 2019). These meteorites
22 provide a rare opportunity to characterize and date melting and differentiation processes in outer
23 solar system materials.

24 This study focuses on the formation environments and ages of the carbonaceous
25 achondrites NWA 7680 and NWA 6962. Although they are not paired, initial observations note
26 geochemical, textural and mineralogical similarities between these two meteorites (Ruzicka et al.
27 2015a; Ruzicka et al. 2015b). We present major, minor and trace element compositions of the
28 mineral constituents along with U-Pb ratio phosphate thermochronology, oxygen isotope
29 compositions and chromium isotope compositions. These data help determine if the two
30 meteorites are from the same parent body and allow for comparisons with other carbonaceous
31 achondrites, including those with CR affinities. The results of this study will place constraints on
32 early melt generation in the outer solar system and the timeline for planet formation.

34 **SAMPLES AND ANALYTICAL METHODS**

36 **Meteorite Samples**

37 The type specimen for NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 were first characterized in 2013 and
38 2012, respectively (Ruzicka et al. 2015a; Ruzicka et al. 2015b). The samples of NWA 7680 and
39 NWA 6962 used in this study were acquired from the collection of the Royal Ontario Museum
40 (ROM) and are catalogued under the numbers M57074 and M56452, respectively. The entire

1 NWA 7680 meteorite was purchased in Tucson in 2011 and donated to the ROM. Material from
2 NWA 6962 was then purchased by the ROM for comparative analysis. Two thick sections and
3 one etched slab (Fig. 1) of NWA 7680 were used for *in situ* analysis, along with one thick
4 section of NWA 6962. Oxygen isotope analyses used loose grains and bulk powders of NWA
5 7680.

6 7 **Backscatter Electron Imaging, Chemical Mapping, Modal Analysis and** 8 **Cathodoluminescence**

9 Backscatter electron (BSE) imaging, chemical mapping and cathodoluminescence (CL)
10 were carried out using a Hitachi SU6600 Field Emission Scanning Electron Microscope (FE-
11 SEM) at the University of Western Ontario. An Oxford XMax silicon drift detector (80 mm²)
12 was used for energy dispersive spectrometry (EDS) measurements. Modal analysis used the
13 INCA software package, which utilizes ternary plots to specify phase compositions within
14 element maps. A Gatan Chroma CL detector was used with an accelerating voltage of 10 kV and
15 a working distance of roughly 12.8 mm, which was adjusted for optimal emission/detection.
16 Emissions were binned into 4 channels: red (600–850 nm), green (500–600 nm), blue (400–500
17 nm), and ultraviolet (300–400 nm) and images were assembled using the Gatan Digital
18 Micrograph software.

19 20 **Raman Spectroscopy**

21 Raman spectra were acquired using a Horiba LabRAM ARAMIS micro-Raman
22 spectrometer at the ROM. A 532 nm, 50 mW laser was used, but was filtered to 1.64 mW to
23 prevent sample damage. A 1200 groove/mm grating and 100 µm slit were used during collection.
24 A Si reference material was used for calibration. Two spectra were collected for 50 s at each
25 point and the results were averaged. The RRUFF Raman database and CrystalSleuth (Lafuente et
26 al. 2016) were used for rapid identification, followed by literature comparisons.

27 28 **Electron Probe Microanalysis**

29 Electron probe microanalysis (EPMA) using wavelength dispersive spectrometry (WDS)
30 was conducted at Queen's University on a JEOL JXA-8230 equipped with five wavelength
31 dispersive spectrometers. All analyses used a 15 kV accelerating voltage. A beam current of 10
32 nA was used for merrillite analyses, 20 nA beam was used for silicate, fluorapatite and chromite
33 analyses and 30 nA was used for metal and sulfides. Standards used for microprobe analyses are
34 given in the Supporting Information online (Table S1). A spot size of 7 µm and 14 µm were used
35 for fluorapatite and a Na-rich silicate respectively. Analysis of the Durango apatite standard
36 showed no noticeable change in F K α X-ray count rate over a period of 10 minutes with the set-
37 up used for fluorapatite in these samples. Time dependant analyses were carried out for
38 fluorapatite (F) as well as the Na-rich silicate (Na) using the Probe for EPMA software package
39 to process the data. Chromite Fe(II) to Fe(III) calculations used an iterative procedure in which
40 Fe(III) was calculated by charge balance, and then matrix corrections were recalculated. This

1 procedure was repeated until the resulting changes were below the uncertainty levels for
2 measured Fe.

4 **Trace Element and U-Pb Isotope Ratio Analyses**

5 Laser ablation inductively coupled plasma mass spectrometry (LA-ICP-MS) data were
6 collected as a time series using two systems. Trace elements were measured on an Agilent
7 7500cs (quadrupole) ICP-MS system with a New-Wave UP213 (213 nm) solid-state Nd:YAG
8 laser. Olivine, pyroxene and plagioclase were analyzed with spot sizes of 30-100 μm , a laser
9 repetition rate of 10 Hz and fluence of 3.6-5.0 J cm^{-2} . The ablation cell was flushed with He gas
10 flow of 1 L/min and Ar was introduced before reaching the torch. Analytical runs consisted of
11 15 s of background and 25 s of ablation. Background and sample intervals were selected using
12 SILLIS software (Guillong et al. 2008). Each LA-ICP-MS analysis was normalized to CaO as
13 measured by EPMA. Replicate LA-ICP-MS analyses of the NIST 612 standard were run after 3-
14 7 sample analyses to correct for drift. Sample analyses were also bracketed by measurements of
15 NIST 614 which yielded an accuracy of better than $\pm 7.3\%$ error (average of 37 analyses) for all
16 reported measurements.

17 Additional trace element characterization and U-Pb isotope ratio analyses were carried
18 out using an Analytic Jena Plasma Quant MS Elite ICP-MS with an ASI RESOLUTION SE 193 nm
19 excimer laser. Phosphate, plagioclase and pyroxene were analyzed with spot sizes of 25-50 μm , a
20 laser repetition rate of 4 Hz and a fluence of 4-4.5 J cm^{-2} to obtain trace element concentrations.
21 Uranium-lead isotopic ratio measurements on phosphates were carried out with spot sizes of 20-
22 30 μm , a laser repetition rate of 2-4 Hz and fluence of 2.5-4 J cm^{-2} . To correct for instrumental
23 mass bias and within-run drift, analyses were normalized to the 473.5 ± 0.7 Ma Madagascar
24 fluorapatite (Thomson et al. 2012), which was measured each 2-3 sample analyses. The primary
25 Madagascar analyses were corrected for variable common lead correction using a ^{207}Pb
26 correction (Chew et al. 2014). Durango apatite and McClure apatite were measured as secondary
27 reference materials to monitor accuracy and precision, yielding lower intercept ages of 31.9 ± 6.8
28 Ma and 503 ± 26 Ma respectively on a Tera-Wasserburg plot, which are within 2σ of reference
29 values (McDowell et al. 2005; Thomson et al. 2012).

31 **Oxygen Isotope Analyses**

32 Acid-washed bulk powders and cleaned grain separates were used for triple oxygen
33 isotope analysis at the University of Western Ontario. The grains used were predominantly
34 olivine; however, chromite inclusions were common and unavoidable. Associated plagioclase
35 was also a likely minor constituent in the samples. The laser line and methodology used in this
36 study are similar to that used in Ali et al. (2016) and Ali et al. (2018). The reader is directed to
37 these studies for a more thorough description of methodology; however, a brief description is
38 provided here. The laser line used is equipped with a 25 W 10.6 μm CO_2 laser (Model MIR10-
39 25) and a custom-designed sample holder (Ali et al. 2016; Ali et al. 2018). The laser line was
40 prepared the night before the analytical session. One to two milligrams of dried sample was

1 placed in the sample wells and the sample holder was placed in the reaction chamber. The
2 samples were preheated to 110 °C overnight under vacuum. After cooling the sample chamber,
3 prefluorination with BrF₅ was carried out for at least 3 h. The laser heating was carried out in a
4 stepwise fashion starting with a defocused wide beam and increasing focus and laser power over
5 time. After each laser reaction, the liberated O₂ gas was separated and purified using cryogenic
6 methods and a KCl trap. Finally, the O₂ gas was adsorbed using 5 Å molecular sieve at liquid
7 nitrogen temperature (-196 °C). To further purify this oxygen from any NF₃ impurities, the
8 molecular sieve trap was heated using an ethanol-liquid N₂ bath to -100 °C and pure oxygen gas
9 released was then collected in a separate tube by readsorption onto a 5 Å molecular sieve using
10 liquid nitrogen. This O₂ gas was then analyzed using a Delta V Plus mass spectrometer in dual
11 inlet mode with Isodat3.0 software. External precision (1SE) was determined from eight
12 individual runs of UWG-2 (Valley et al. 1995) in a single day, which provided an external
13 precision of ±0.04‰ δ¹⁷O and ±0.08‰ in δ¹⁸O.
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15 **Chromium Isotope Analyses**

16 Chromium isotopic compositions were measured in sub-samples of fusion crust-free
17 whole rock fractions of NWA 7680 and NWA 6962. Small chips of each meteorite were crushed
18 in a mortar and pestle, homogenized, and then an aliquot of each was taken for processing (8.14
19 mg for NWA 7680 and 16.90 mg for NWA 6962). Each fraction was placed into PTFE parr
20 bomb digestion vessels along with a 3:1 mixture of HF and HNO₃ and sealed in stainless-steel
21 jackets. The parr bombs were placed into a 190°C for 96 hours. The high pressure-temperature
22 conditions dissolve all phases, including refractory components. After dissolution, the whole-
23 rock fractions were dried down and treated with alternating steps of 6 N HCl and concentrated
24 nitric acid to break down any fluorides formed during the digestion process. The dissolved
25 material was processed through a 3-column separation procedure described in detail by
26 Yamakawa et al. (2009) in a class 10/100 cleanroom at the University of California, Davis (UC
27 Davis). Chromium isotopic measurements were made on the purified Cr fractions using a
28 Thermo *Triton Plus* thermal ionization mass spectrometer at UC Davis. A total of 12 mg of Cr
29 was loaded evenly across four outgassed W filaments for a total load of 3 mg per filaments. Two
30 filaments loaded with 3 mg of the NIST SRM 979 Cr standard were analyzed before and after
31 each set of four sample filaments. For each filament, a total of 1200 ratios were analyzed with an
32 8 second integration time for each ratio. A gain was measured at the start of every filament and a
33 baseline measured every 25 ratios. Each filament was set to maintain a signal of 10 V (± 15%)
34 on ⁵²Cr using a 10¹¹-ohm resistor. Mass fractionation was corrected for using an exponential law
35 and a ⁵⁰Cr/⁵²Cr ratio of 0.051859 (Shields et al., 1966). The ⁵⁴Cr/⁵²Cr ratios are reported as parts
36 per 10,000 deviations (epsilon units) from the measured NIST SRM 979 standard.
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RESULTS

Petrography

NWA 7680 is metal-rich (57.3 area %) with a silicate portion composed of roughly mm-scale olivine grains (35.6 %) with interstitial feldspar (6.0 %) (Fig. 2). Upon etching, the metallic portion of the meteorite exhibits polygonal crystals with well-defined edges. Linear bands are visible within individual metal crystals and never cross grain boundaries (Fig. 1). Clinopyroxene (<0.1 %) is present as a minor phase and is often found along grain boundaries associated with sulfide (0.5 %) and a Na-rich silicate (<0.1 %). The Na-rich silicate is a minor component. Raman spectra of the phase are consistent with a nepheline-tridymite-like mineral (Fig. 3). The grouping of peaks between 950 and 1050 cm^{-1} seen in both NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 is diagnostic for nepheline suggesting this is the most likely identity; however, the dominant peak at 400-415 cm^{-1} always contains a shoulder similar to the peak splitting seen in tridymite (Fig. 3). Chromite (0.5 %) is also found throughout the section, along with minor merrillite and fluorapatite (0.1 % phosphate) (Fig. 4). NWA 6962 has olivine (70 %) similar in size to NWA 7680; however, in this case, the interstitial spaces are a mixture of feldspar (19.9 %), clinopyroxene (4.2 %) and merrillite (3.6 % phosphate) (Fig. 2 and Fig. 4). The clinopyroxene is more ubiquitous in NWA 6962 and exhibits complex zonation and is often anhedral or subhedral. Chromite (1.7 %), sulfide (0.3 %), metal (0.2 %), minor fluorapatite and a Na-rich silicate (Fig 2d) are also found in the section. Trace amounts of micrometer-scale zirconium-phases are also found in the both meteorites, usually associated with the Na-rich silicate. The most common phase is baddeleyite, but zirconolite is also seen in NWA 7680.

Mineral Compositions

All average mineral compositions for NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 can be found in Tables 1 and 2, respectively, except for the extremely variable feldspar compositions, which are in the Supporting Information online (Table S2). NWA 7680 contains Fe-metal grains multiple millimeters across with a median Ni content of 5.99 wt.% (Fig. 1). Small regions with distinct boundaries and high Ni content are found within these grains with concentrations as high as 57.38 wt.%. The olivine is homogeneous ($\text{Fa}_{44.8 \pm 0.2}$, Fig. 5, Table 1) with notable Ca content (Fig. 6, 0.47 ± 0.05 wt.% CaO) and Fe/Mn (apfu ratio) value of 72.6 ± 2.8 , while the feldspar shows a variable composition ($\text{An}_{2.1-51.1}\text{Or}_{1.0-83.7}$, Fig. 7, Table S2). The K-rich feldspar is rare and generally found along grain boundaries. Clinopyroxene grains generally have minimal zonation; however, some have zones of varying composition ($\text{Fs}_{11.0-22.8}\text{Wo}_{46.6-48.6}$, Fig. 5). Clinopyroxene is often found along grain boundaries and associated with sulfide and Na-rich silicate. The chemistry of the Na-rich silicate, along with its Raman spectrum, identifies the phase as silica-rich, alkali-deficient nepheline (Dollase and Thomas 1978). Chromite has an average Fe_2O_3 content of 1.66 wt.%. The Ti content is quite variable ($3.09 \pm 1.29(1\sigma)$, Table 1). Generally, the centre of large grains has a TiO_2 content of less than 3 wt.%, whereas grain edges and chromite inclusions have higher concentrations, reaching as high as 5.32 wt.%. The Fe-

1 sulfides have pyrrhotite-group compositions and a minor Ni-rich-sulfide is also present. The Cl
2 content in the fluorapatite is below detection limits and element totals suggest that the hydroxyl
3 group (OH) is less than 1 wt.%, if it is present. The merrillite has a notable quantity of FeO
4 (average = 1.41 wt.%).

5 NWA 6962 also contains largely homogeneous olivine ($\text{Fa}_{47.4\pm 0.3}$, 0.43 ± 0.06 wt.% CaO,
6 $\text{Fe/Mn} = 72.0 \pm 3.4$, Fig. 5 and Fig. 6), consistent with past studies (Ruzicka et al. 2015a; Dunlap
7 et al. 2015). However, along edges of one anhedral grain, a more Mg-rich composition is seen
8 (Fig. 5). Recent analyses of another section of NWA 6962 has shown reverse chemical zoning
9 with similar Mg-enrichment (Abe et al. 2021), suggesting that there may be variability within the
10 available NWA 6962 material. Olivine grains are mainly associated with a mixture of feldspar
11 ($\text{An}_{4.1-33.9}\text{Or}_{0.2-3.3}$, Fig. 7), clinopyroxene ($\text{Fs}_{11.9-23.4}\text{Wo}_{42.3-48.7}$, Fig. 5) and merrillite (Table 2).
12 Chromite has an average Fe_2O_3 content of 1.76 wt.%. The Ti content is similar to that of NWA
13 7680 in some respects with large grain centres generally having a TiO_2 content of less than 3
14 wt.%; however, grain edges and chromite inclusions have even higher concentrations, reaching
15 as high as 11.94 wt.%. Rare anhedral grains of titanian chromite are also observed ($\text{TiO}_2 =$
16 $14.68\text{--}18.74$ wt.%). The sulfides have pyrrhotite-group compositions. Metal in NWA 6962 has a
17 notably lower Ni content (median value of 1.39 wt.%) than that of NWA 7680 (Fig. 8). The
18 merrillite is again Fe-rich (FeO average = 1.02 wt.%). In some areas, the merrillite has developed
19 a sponge-like texture (Fig. 4f) and analyses return low totals. The minor fluorapatite contains
20 measurable Cl (sub wt.%) and appears to be anhydrous. The Na-rich silicate in NWA 6962 is
21 also silica-rich, alkali-deficient nepheline (Fig. 3).

23 Rare Earth Element Compositions

24 Trace element compositions were measured for phosphates, plagioclase, olivine, and
25 pyroxene in both NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 (Fig. 9, Table S3). The phosphates have a heavy
26 rare earth element (HREE)-depleted pattern with a negative Eu anomaly (Fig. 9a). Both
27 merrillite and fluorapatite have similar rare earth element (REE) patterns for both samples;
28 however, merrillite generally has higher REE concentrations than fluorapatite. Plagioclase also
29 appears to have a HREE-depleted pattern (Fig. 9a); however, some elements were below
30 detection limits for the examined grains. The plagioclase in both samples has a positive Eu
31 anomaly. Olivine in both NWA 7680 (Fig. 9b) and NWA 6962 (Fig. 9c) generally have light rare
32 earth element (LREE)-depleted patterns for the elements that were above the detection limits.
33 Pyroxene in NWA 7680 (Fig. 9b) has a relatively flat REE pattern, while most NWA 6962 grains
34 have LREE-depleted patterns and have negative Eu anomalies (Fig. 9c).

36 Oxygen and Chromium Isotope Characteristics

37 Olivine grain separates (minor chromite and plagioclase) gave average oxygen isotope
38 compositions of $\delta^{17}\text{O} = 2.39 \pm 0.12$; $\delta^{18}\text{O} = 6.58 \pm 0.17$; $\Delta^{17}\text{O} = -1.04\text{‰} \pm 0.03$ ($n = 5$, all
39 uncertainties are 2 SE). Acid-washed bulk powders gave average values of $\delta^{17}\text{O} = 3.07 \pm 0.25$;
40 $\delta^{18}\text{O} = 7.80 \pm 0.40$; $\Delta^{17}\text{O} = -1.00 \pm 0.05\text{‰}$ ($n = 3$, all uncertainties are 2 SE) (Fig. 10 and 11).

1 Whole rock fractions of NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 gave $\epsilon^{54}\text{Cr}$ compositions of 1.36 ± 0.05 and
2 1.30 ± 0.05 respectively. These data have been plotted alongside known chondrite and achondrite
3 compositions (Fig. 12).

5 **U-Pb and ^{207}Pb - ^{206}Pb ages**

6 Measurements of U-Pb ratios were taken from eleven spots in NWA 7680. Ten of the
7 spots were from merrillite grains (four different grains) and one spot was from fluorapatite
8 (Table 3, Fig. 13a and Fig. 13b). Seven spots were measured in NWA 6962. Four of the spots
9 were merrillite grains (4 different grains) and three spots were from fluorapatite (1 grain) (Table
10 3, Fig. 13c and Fig. 13d). The data (Table 3) have been plotted on Tera-Wasserburg plots for
11 examination (Fig. 13). One spot from NWA 7680 produced a $^{207}\text{Pb}/^{206}\text{Pb}$ age and uncertainty that
12 place it as chronologically older than CAIs (Connelly et al. 2012). Texturally there is no reason
13 to suggest the grain is presolar, and we consider that this reflects incorporation of (uncorrected)
14 common-Pb. With this point removed, the weighted mean $^{207}\text{Pb}/^{206}\text{Pb}$ age for NWA 7680 is 4578
15 ± 17 Ma (uncertainty at 95% confidence level, MSWD = 1.01, probability = 0.43). All the data
16 from NWA 6962 are concordant or near concordant and the resulting weighted mean $^{207}\text{Pb}/^{206}\text{Pb}$
17 age is 4556.6 ± 8.0 Ma (uncertainty at 95% confidence level, MSWD = 0.62, probability = 0.71).

19 **Discussion**

21 **Comparisons with Achondrite Groups**

22 The mineralogical and geochemical similarities suggest that NWA 7680 and NWA 6962
23 are from the same parent body. Major and minor element composition in NWA 7680 and NWA
24 6962 olivine and pyroxene (Fig. 5 and Fig. 6) along with oxygen isotope compositions (Fig. 10
25 and Fig. 11) suggest no direct relationship with established achondrite groups. Oxygen isotope
26 values are within the range of known ureilites and acapulcoites/lodranites (Fig. 11); however,
27 olivine compositions from NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 are more FeO-rich than currently known
28 meteorites from either of these groups (Fig. 5). The oxygen isotope compositions also place them
29 near the CR chondrite trend line (Fig. 10). Minor element compositions in olivine (Fig. 6) do not
30 suggest a direct relation to either the ureilites or acapulcoites/lodranites.

31 Trace element data for the phases in NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 provide an additional
32 means of comparison to ureilites and acapulcoites/lodranites. The clinopyroxene REE
33 compositions of NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 are dependent on their formation mechanism.
34 Pyroxene that nucleated along olivine grain boundaries or replaced olivine (Fig. 2d) have flatter
35 REE patterns. The pyroxene grains in NWA 7680 are all formed in this manner (Fig. 9b). One
36 pyroxene region measured in NWA 6962 exhibited the same flat pattern; however, the majority
37 of grains in NWA 6962 formed in association with plagioclase, in a later stage melt. Pyroxene
38 forming with plagioclase exhibit a negative Eu anomaly (Fig. 9c), while associated plagioclase
39 contains a positive Eu anomaly (Fig. 9a). The pyroxene patterns for NWA 6962 are somewhat
40 similar to those of acapulcoites-lodranites; however, the NWA 6962 grains exhibit smaller Eu

1 anomalies (Fig. 9c; Floss 2000; Guan and Crozaz 2000, 2001). The NWA 6962 pyroxene
2 compositions are actually similar to compositions from augite in carbonaceous chondrites (e.g.,
3 Jacquet et al. 2012). These compositions are consistent with a primitive parent body for NWA
4 7680 and NWA 6962. Concentrations of REE are above those expected for ureilite
5 clinopyroxene and olivine (Fig. 9b and Fig. 9c, Guan and Crozaz, 2000; Guan and Crozaz 2001).

6 7 **A Link to Carbonaceous Chondrites**

8 The chromium isotope compositions alongside the previously mentioned oxygen isotope
9 compositions confirm a carbonaceous (outer solar system) origin for NWA 7680 and NWA 6962
10 and suggest a CR chondrite-like reservoir (Fig. 10 and Fig. 12). Olivine minor element
11 compositions from NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 overlap with metamorphic clasts from CM
12 (Zhang et al. 2010) and CV (Jogo et al. 2013) chondrites (Fig. 6). These clasts have some
13 mineralogic similarities to NWA 7680 and NWA 6962. They are olivine-rich, most contain
14 plagioclase and pyroxene, and some contain nepheline and/or merrillite as well as chromite, Fe-
15 Ni-metal and sulfides including pyrrhotite and pentlandite (Zhang et al. 2010; Jogo et al. 2013).
16 However, the olivine grains in these clasts are smaller and have lower FeO content (Fa₃₄₋₃₉) than
17 those in NWA 7680 and NWA 6962. These clasts have a range of oxygen isotope compositions
18 falling near the carbonaceous chondrite anhydrous mineral (CCAM) line. These clasts may have
19 all originated from the interior of the CV parent body, with impacts relocating some of these
20 materials to the CM parent body (Zhang et al. 2010; Jogo et al. 2013). Another material with
21 mineralogic similarities to NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 is the feldspar-nepheline (FELINE) clast
22 found in the Parnallee LL 3.6 chondrite (Bridges et al. 1995). This clast is nepheline-rich (12
23 modal %) and has an oxygen isotope composition that also falls near the CCAM line (Bridges et
24 al. 1995). The REE compositions from the FELINE feldspar match those from NWA 7680 and
25 NWA 6962 (Fig. 9).

26 The chromium and oxygen isotope measurements alongside evidence for similar
27 materials in carbonaceous chondrites negate the possibility that NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 are
28 geochemically unique meteorites from the ureilite or acapulcoite/lodranite parent bodies.
29 However, these well-studied meteorite groups and their formation environments provide useful
30 data for comparison with the carbonaceous achondrites. Using a modal recombination to mimic
31 bulk compositions, it is apparent that, geochemically, both NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 can be
32 formed through fractionation processes on a CR chondrite-like parent body (Fig. 14). This
33 simple fractionation trend and the identification of similar clasts in carbonaceous chondrites
34 suggest that melts similar to NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 may be common amongst carbonaceous
35 chondrite parent bodies. The fractionation trend seen in Fig. 14 intersects the solar photosphere
36 composition and falls near other primitive carbonaceous chondrite compositions (CI, CM and
37 CO). Partial melting of CR chondrite-like starting material could produce residual materials with
38 some geochemical similarities to the ureilites, lodranites-acapulcoites and brachinites (Fig. 14);
39 however, these materials would have distinctly different chromium isotope compositions (Fig.
40 12).

The CR Chondrite-Like Reservoir

Since NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 formed in a CR chondrite-like reservoir, examining the onset of thermal metamorphism and melting of similar materials is a starting point in determining their formation environment. The majority of CR chondrites show little or no evidence of thermal metamorphism (e.g., Briani et al. 2013); however, there are meteorites that have been interpreted as highly equilibrated chondrites from a CR chondrite-like reservoir and some have been confirmed through chromium and oxygen isotope analysis (NWA 3100, NWA 2994, NWA 6921 and NWA 7317; Sanborn et al. 2019 and references therein). Both NWA 3100 and NWA 2994 (paired with NWA 6921 and NWA 7317) contain remnant chondrules (Bunch et al. 2008). The modal mineralogy for NWA 3100 and NWA 2994 is dominated by olivine and orthopyroxene (nearly 90%; Bunch et al. 2005; Bunch et al. 2008). These textures and mineralogies are distinct from those seen in NWA 7680 and NWA 6962. Since the thermal histories of NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 have advanced past this initial stage of equilibration use of the term “carbonaceous achondrite” as a description would be appropriate. The other carbonaceous achondrites with CR chondrite-like isotopic signatures vary considerably in terms of rock type and mineralogy. NWA 011 and NWA 2976 are paired pigeonite-plagioclase-rich basaltic achondrites (Yamaguchi et al. 2002), NWA 6704 and NWA 6693 are paired meteorites that are pyroxene-rich, with less abundant olivine, feldspar and minor phases (Warren et al. 2013; Hibiya et al. 2019). Tafassasset has some variability in its mineralogy, but is generally olivine-pyroxene-rich (e.g., Gardner-Vandy et al. 2012). It differs from the other carbonaceous achondrites discussed because one relict chondrule has been found (Bourot-Denise et al. 2002). These carbonaceous achondrites suggest substantial diversity in the types of melts produced in the CR chondrite-like reservoir. Below we will further compare these meteorites in terms of their formation and use olivine compositions and bulk REE compositions as points of comparison.

As mentioned in the previous section, both NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 can be formed through fractionation processes on a CR chondrite-like parent body and most likely formed through a high degree of partial melting of CR chondrite-like material (Fig. 14). Continued melting and fractionation could lead to increasingly Mg-poor, Al-rich materials and eventually basaltic compositions. Basalts can deviate from a given fractionation line towards higher Al-compositions as seen with terrestrial basalts (Fig. 14). This is also observed with the pigeonite-plagioclase-rich basaltic carbonaceous achondrite NWA 011 (Fig. 14), leaving open the possibility that NWA 011 (and NWA 2976) could be derived from a similar parent body to NWA 7680 and NWA 6962. However, NWA 011 olivine has a higher iron content ($Fe_{79.5-81.4}$), higher Fe/Mn value (108) and slightly lower CaO content (0.2 wt.%) (Floss et al. 2005) than that of NWA 7680 and NWA 6962. The carbonaceous achondrites NWA 6704 and NWA 6693 experienced more complex histories in the early solar nebula (Fig. 14 and Hibiya et al. 2019), have bulk geochemical signatures that cannot be directly associated with fractionation through partial melting (Fig. 14), have low CaO (<0.08 wt.%) concentrations and higher Fe/Mn values in their olivine (Warren et al. 2013; Hibiya et al. 2019) than that of NWA 7680 and NWA 6962.

1 Although the major element compositions of their olivine (Fa_{49.6-54.6}) are similar to that of NWA
2 7680 and NWA 6962. Tafassasset has olivine compositions distinct from NWA 7680 and NWA
3 6962 as well (Fa_{28.6}, Fe/Mn = 61.9, CaO = 0.05 wt.%; Gardner-Vandy et al. 2012). These
4 compositions suggest a diverse set of melts being generated from CR chondrite-like materials.

5 A modal recombination was carried out to emulate whole rock REE patterns for NWA
6 7680 and NWA 6962 (Fig. 15). NWA 7680 is largely sub-chondritic, due to its high Fe-metal
7 content. It also has a positive Eu anomaly because of its plagioclase content. NWA 6962 has a
8 pattern that reflects the abundant phosphate in the sample. Other meteorites considered to be
9 evolved from a CR chondrite-like precursor show considerably different whole rock REE
10 abundances. The basaltic achondrite NWA 2976 has REE concentrations on a similar order of
11 magnitude as NWA 6962, but possesses positive Ce and Eu anomalies (Fig. 15). Similar features
12 are seen in the paired meteorite NWA 011 (Yamaguchi et al. 2002). The paired meteorites NWA
13 6704 and NWA 6693 have variable REE concentrations between samples, but generally have a
14 relatively flat and sub-chondritic pattern with some relative depletion in HREE often observed
15 (Fig. 15). Tafassasset is also quite variable between samples (Fig. 15). Some samples show lower
16 LREE concentrations relative to HREE and positive Eu anomalies. This is similar to the relative
17 abundances seen in NWA 7680; however, the positive Eu anomaly in NWA 7680 is much more
18 pronounced. It is apparent that the bulk REE characterization of these early melt products could
19 result in diverse compositions stemming from the heterogeneous nature of the primitive melts
20 forming and intruding into these environments.

21 22 **Formation of NWA 7680 and NWA 6962**

23 The partial melt environment that produced NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 can be examined
24 in greater detail by observing the mineralogy and textural evidence of crystallization sequence in
25 these meteorites. In both NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 olivine crystallized first. This was followed
26 by chromite and plagioclase, which crystallized in the interstitial space between olivine grains.
27 Metal and sulfide also crystallized between the already formed olivine grains, with the sulfide in
28 particular, often showing anhedral forms suggesting it crystallized later and faster in the
29 sequence. Both NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 are plagioclase-rich relative to chondrites,
30 suggesting a feldspathic melt pooled in their formation area. NWA 7680 is also Fe-metal-rich,
31 suggesting Fe-rich melts were also being produced on the parent body. The mixing of these
32 partial melt products in the formation environment of NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 are indicative
33 of the degree of differentiation that occurred in the parent body. In a larger terrestrial body,
34 feldspathic and Fe-rich melts would separate through gravity-driven differentiation. Such
35 processes were incomplete on the NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 parent body, resulting in the
36 mixing and pooling of partial melt products. Following the initial crystallization sequence(s), a
37 late-stage melt intruded the region. This melt had the most extensive effect on NWA 6962, in
38 which the late-stage melt re-melted and mixed with primary plagioclase (Fig. 2d-f).
39 Clinopyroxene and merrillite also crystallized from this re-melted mixture along with rare
40 titanian chromite. The late-stage melt was less invasive in NWA 7680, often appearing along

1 grain boundaries and leaving some of the primary plagioclase crystals intact (Fig. 16). This late-
2 stage melt injection removed and redistributed primary grains (Fig. 16a inset), and produced
3 silica-rich, alkali-deficient nepheline and rare but distinct K-rich regions at the edges of the melt
4 products (Fig. 16b). Clinopyroxene is often found along grain boundaries associated with
5 nepheline and sulfide suggesting they too were formed during this later intrusion.

7 **Identification and Significance of Nepheline**

8 Both NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 contain silica-rich, alkali-deficient nepheline. Raman
9 spectra (Fig. 3) show similarities between nepheline and tridymite. This is consistent with the
10 similarities in structure, with nepheline simply being “stuffed tridymite” (Buerger 1954). The
11 chemistry of the phase confirms that it is silica-rich, alkali-deficient nepheline similar to
12 terrestrial examples (e.g., Dollase and Thomas 1978). Nepheline has been observed in a number
13 of carbonaceous chondrites and is thought to form through aqueous activity and metasomatic
14 processes (e.g., Tomeoka and Itoh 2004; Matsumoto et al. 2014; Matsumoto et al. 2017).
15 However, CR2 carbonaceous chondrite CAIs are devoid of nepheline (Makide et al. 2009)
16 suggesting they did not experience the metasomatic processes experienced by CAIs in CV
17 chondrites (Krot et al. 1998). Carbonaceous chondrite nepheline is similar in composition to that
18 of NWA 7680 and NWA 6962; however, the Si-enrichment in the carbonaceous achondrites
19 generally exceeds that of reported chondritic nepheline. Locating nepheline in ungrouped
20 achondrites could be an initially means of associating them with their carbonaceous precursors.
21 These late nepheline-forming melts may also be a common feature in carbonaceous achondrite
22 forming environments and should be considered when modelling these early melt environments
23 and when analyzing bulk analytical data from these rocks.

25 **Metal Texture, Compositional Variability and the Source of Phosphorus**

26 Etching of the largest metal-rich area in a slab of NWA 7680 revealed polygonal
27 domains, each a few millimeters across (Fig. 1). Neumann bands were observed within the
28 polygonal domains (Fig. 1). These bands form during high pressure events, such as impacts, but
29 temperatures must remain below 600 °C and probably below 300 °C (Uhlig 1955) for them to
30 remain intact. Metal from the polygonal domains as well as some of the metal associated with
31 silicates have homogeneous Co/Ni compositions (Fig. 8). Metal from NWA 6962 also have
32 relatively homogenized Co/Ni compositions. Nickel-rich blebs found within the polygonal
33 domains of NWA 7680 have low Co concentrations relative to primitive solar system values.
34 Some of the metal associated with silicates in NWA 7680 exhibit heterogeneous Co/Ni values;
35 both high Co and low Co compositions are observed.

36 The metal Co/Ni composition of CR chondrites is generally primitive, although some
37 scatter deviation is evident (Connolly et al. 2001; Krot et al. 2002; Jacquet et al. 2013). This
38 primitive composition is the result of limited or no thermal metamorphism being experienced by
39 the majority of these meteorites. Thermal metamorphism is evident in a few CR chondrites
40 (Abreu and Bullock 2013; Briani et al. 2013). Using these primitive compositions as a starting

1 point future research could examine the evolution of these metal compositions, including
2 examination of highly siderophile element compositions (Nicklas et al. 2022).

3 The metal content of these meteorites may also be related to the phosphates present.
4 Phosphates in some chondrites are associated with metal, suggesting P-rich metal was the initial
5 source of phosphorus (e.g., Perron et al. 1992; Zanda et al. 1994; Ward et al. 2017). This is
6 consistent with numerous phosphate grains being associated with metal in NWA 7680 (Fig. 4a
7 and Fig. 4c) and in some cases in NWA 6962. However, the merrillite in NWA 6962 appears to
8 be from a more evolved melt linked to the late-stage intrusion discussed earlier. Some of the
9 merrillite in NWA 6962 has a sponge-like texture (Fig. 4f) possibly due to terrestrial weathering.
10 Terrestrial weathering is also apparent in some of the metal. These potentially weathered
11 phosphate grains were not used for the U-Pb ratio isotopic analyses discussed below.

12 13 **Timing, Phosphate Closure Temperature and Constraining Disk Reservoir Separation**

14 The weighted mean $^{207}\text{Pb}/^{206}\text{Pb}$ ages for NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 phosphates overlap
15 within the uncertainties provided. These values also overlap with age data from the basaltic
16 carbonaceous achondrite NWA 2976. Whole-rock and pyroxene Pb-Pb ages (corrected with the
17 measured $^{238}\text{U}/^{235}\text{U}$) from NWA 2976 (paired with NWA 011) reveal an age of 4562.89 ± 0.59
18 Ma (Bouvier et al. 2011). This shows that basaltic melts were also being generated on CR
19 chondrite-like parent bodies early in the solar system's history. NWA 6704 and NWA 6693 have
20 pyroxene Pb-isotopic ages (measured $^{238}\text{U}/^{235}\text{U}$) of $4562.76 \pm 0.22/0.30$ Ma and $4562.63 \pm$
21 $0.29/0.21$ Ma respectively (Amelin et al. 2019). This adds to the diversity of melts formed on a
22 CR chondrite-like parent body during this period. Recent work on *in situ* dating of merrillite
23 grains in Tafassasset reveals a $^{207}\text{Pb}/^{206}\text{Pb}$ age of 4548.7 ± 8.1 Ma (Schwarz et al. 2021), which is
24 younger than Pb-Pb model ages reported for fragments (Göpel et al. 2009). The merrillite age is
25 within uncertainty of NWA 6962 phosphate ages, but suggests that thermal and/or impact events
26 were affecting the U-Pb system in phosphates later in the history of Tafassasset's parent body.
27 Further study of these phosphates is necessary to assess the implications of these younger dates
28 in relation to processes on CR chondrite-like parent bodies.

29 The ages of NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 confirm that they have not experienced any long
30 duration thermal metamorphism, above the closure temperature of the phosphates, since the first
31 several million years of the solar system's formation. For apatite this closure temperature is only
32 400–600 °C for the smaller grains found in these meteorites, at slow cooling rates (Fig. S1;
33 Dodson 1973; Cherniak et al. 1991; Harrison et al. 2002; Maeda et al. 2011). Application of this
34 temperature range assumes that merrillite has a similar closure temperature to apatite. Apatite
35 and merrillite from NWA 6962 have identical formation ages (within uncertainty), suggesting
36 they have experienced similar thermal pathways since their formation. The phosphate grains in
37 these meteorites also have not experienced impact related Pb loss and age resetting as seen in
38 examples of phosphates from other achondrites (Koike et al. 2020; White et al. 2021), chondrites
39 (Yin et al. 2014; Li and Hsu 2018), and terrestrial impact sites (McGregor et al. 2018). The
40 antiquity of the phosphates in NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 suggests that the textures, mineralogy

1 and geochemistry observed are the products of early solar system processes and have not been
2 disturbed by subsequent geologic events (e.g., impacts or melt generation). Even the latest-stage
3 melt products, most prevalent in NWA 6962, would have had to crystallize in the first several
4 million years of the solar system.

5 The age data acquired for NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 provides an opportunity to
6 examine isotopic reservoirs in the solar system's formative years. Oxygen isotope compositions
7 for NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 overlap those of the acapulcoites and lodranites (Fig. 11 and
8 Greenwood et al. 2012) and also fall within the field of ureilite compositions. Past research has
9 suggested that there are subsets within the ureilites based on oxygen isotope compositions, with
10 the largest subset having a $\Delta^{17}\text{O}$ of -0.98% (Ash et al. 2000; Franchi 2008; Rumble et al. 2010).
11 The ureilite field has since been shown to be a continuum (e.g., Greenwood et al. 2017).
12 However, the large number of ureilites at -0.98% $\Delta^{17}\text{O}$ could be the result of one of the source
13 materials that have come together to form the ureilite parent body. Additionally, meteorites such
14 as NWA 11119 (Srinivasan et al. 2018) and ALM-A (Almahata Sitta) (Bischoff et al. 2014) also
15 fall in the same region of oxygen isotope space (Fig. 11) and others such as NWA 7325 have
16 similar $\Delta^{17}\text{O}$ compositions (Barrat et al. 2015; Weber et al. 2016). However, it has been shown
17 that all of these achondrites originate from the inner solar system (Huyskens et al. 2018; Sanborn
18 et al. 2019; Zhu et al. 2020), whereas NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 originate from the outer solar
19 system along with the CR chondrites. One possible explanation for this is a common reservoir of
20 early accretionary materials with a $\sim -1\%$ $\Delta^{17}\text{O}$ oxygen isotope signature. Such a reservoir would
21 have formed prior to the establishment of the Cr-isotope dichotomy and would have been
22 redistributed into both the inner and outer solar system. Jupiter must have formed prior to the
23 establishment of the observed Cr-isotope dichotomy (Fig. 12). Additionally, the Cr-isotope
24 signature must have been established before the formation of NWA 7680 and NWA 6962. Since
25 NWA 7680 and NWA 6962 phosphates have retained ages from the first several million years of
26 the solar system's formation, it is certain that the observed Cr isotope compositions were not
27 introduced by a later high temperature event, such as a recent impact accretionary process. This
28 is consistent with past work suggesting a rapid Jupiter formation. Kruijer et al. (2017) recently
29 used Mo and W isotope measurements of iron meteorites to observe that the meteorites derive
30 from two distinct reservoirs. They suggest that the separation of these reservoirs was the result of
31 Jupiter's formation, reaching ~ 20 Earth masses in less than one million years.

32 33 CONCLUSIONS

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35 Early solar system melt environments have been preserved in NWA 7680 and NWA
36 6962. The meteorites have mineralogical and geochemical similarities that confirm they are from
37 the same parent body. The meteorites are plagioclase-rich and NWA 7680 is also Fe-metal-rich,
38 suggesting they both formed through incomplete differentiation processes that resulted in the
39 pooling of partial melt products. The meteorites were formed through partial melting on a CR
40 chondrite-like parent body. Evidence for the intrusion of a late-stage melt is observed in both

1 meteorites. The late-stage melt products include silica-rich, alkali-deficient nepheline. *In situ*
2 dating of merrillite and fluorapatite reveals that NWA 7680 has remained unaffected by long
3 duration thermal metamorphism and impact resetting since 4578 ± 17 Ma. Phosphates in NWA
4 6962 also formed early (4556.6 ± 8.0 Ma) and remained unaffected by such events. The
5 thermochronology data proves that the Cr isotope compositions were not introduced by a recent
6 high temperature event, which is consistent with the early establishment of two distinct
7 geochemical reservoirs coinciding with the growth and formation of Jupiter.
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24 Supporting Information

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26 Additional supporting information may be found in the online version of this article:

27 **Table S1.** EPMA Standards (left) used for analysis of sample (top) compositions.
28 Elements standardized from each standard are given in the table.

29 **Table S2.** Composition of feldspar in order of increasing An-content. Oxide values are in
30 wt.% and Or-An-Ab values are % in atoms per formula unit.

31 **Table S3.** Average CI chondrite normalized rare earth element compositions for minerals
32 in NWA 7680 and 6962.

33 **Supporting Text.** Terrestrial basalt compositions (Fig. 13) were downloaded from
34 PetDB (www.earthchem.org/petdb) on 7, July 2020. The search was carried out for basalts. This
35 was then refined to whole rock analyses from spreading centres. Data with unknown
36 methodology were removed and DCP data were also removed as multiple entries for these
37 analyses contained concentrations of 0 wt.% for compositions being plotted.

38 **Figure S1.** Calculated closure temperatures for grains in NWA 7680 and NWA 6962
39 following the methods of Dodson 1973, Cherniak et al. 1991 and Maeda et al. (2011). The
40 calculated temperatures span a range of slow cooling rates. Grain sizes shown are the longest

1 measured dimension for the largest and smallest phosphate grains analyzed. The 680 μm grain is
2 unusually large with all other grains being less than 400 μm and most being less than 300 μm .

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TABLES

32 **Table 1.** Average ($\pm 1\sigma$) mineral compositions (wt.%) for NWA 7680. Italicized values are in
33 element % (not oxide %). When compositions are below detection limits the concentrations are
34 noted as less than the 3σ lower limit of detection. The highest calculated 3σ value for a single
35 point is given.

| NWA 7680 | olivine <i>n=72</i> | clinopyroxene <i>n=42</i> | nepheline <i>n=17</i> | merrillite <i>n=26</i> | fluorapatite <i>n=10</i> | chromite <i>n=35</i> | metal <i>n=246</i> | sulfide <i>n=52</i> | |
|-------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|-----------|
| SiO ₂ | 34.96±0.17 | 53.20±0.59 | 49.30±1.12 | 0.11±0.03 | 0.21±0.06 | 0.04±0.02 | <0.04 | <0.04 | <i>Si</i> |
| P ₂ O ₅ | - | - | - | 45.99±0.45 | 41.52±0.19 | - | <0.02 | <0.02 | <i>P</i> |
| Na ₂ O | <0.04 | 0.71±0.15 | 16.17±0.17 | 2.76±0.09 | 0.29±0.03 | - | - | - | <i>Na</i> |
| MgO | 26.48±0.16 | 13.33±0.99 | 0.07±0.01 | 3.04±0.10 | 0.02±0.01 | 3.46±0.84 | - | - | <i>Mg</i> |

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|--------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|---------------|
| Al ₂ O ₃ | <0.03 | 0.91±0.19 | 30.71±0.59 | <0.02 | <0.02 | 12.67±3.29 | - | - | <i>Al</i> |
| K ₂ O | <0.04 | <0.02 | 2.95±0.45 | 0.09±0.03 | <0.02 | - | - | - | <i>K</i> |
| CaO | 0.47±0.05 | 22.67±0.45 | 0.36±0.07 | 46.50±0.32 | 54.05±0.19 | - | - | - | <i>Ca</i> |
| TiO ₂ | <0.06 | 0.30±0.20 | <0.01 | - | - | 3.09±1.29 | - | - | <i>Ti</i> |
| V ₂ O ₃ | <0.07 | <0.05 | - | - | - | 0.74±0.05 | - | - | <i>V</i> |
| Cr ₂ O ₃ | 0.02±0.03 | 0.91±0.32 | - | - | - | 46.27±1.25 | - | - | <i>Cr</i> |
| MnO | 0.52±0.02 | 0.11±0.02 | - | 0.03±0.02 | <0.04 | 0.39±0.03 | - | - | <i>Mn</i> |
| FeO | 38.26±0.24 | 8.04±1.36 | 0.39±0.13 | 1.41±0.27 | 0.79±0.23 | 30.94±1.81 | 90.22±8.07 | 63.29±0.33 | <i>Fe</i> |
| Fe ₂ O ₃ | - | - | - | - | - | 1.66±0.41 | | | |
| CoO | <0.02 | <0.04 | - | - | - | 0.03±0.03 | 0.50±0.17 | <0.03 | <i>Co</i> |
| NiO | <0.1 | <0.04 | - | - | - | <0.05 | 8.98±7.92 | <0.05 | <i>Ni</i> |
| | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 36.46±0.20 | <i>S</i> |
| | - | - | - | - | 3.61±0.10 | - | - | - | <i>F</i> |
| | - | - | - | - | <0.01 | - | - | - | <i>Cl</i> |
| | | | | | -1.52 | | | | <i>O = F</i> |
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| Total | 100.71 | 100.18 | 99.95 | 99.93 | 98.97 | 99.29 | 99.7 | 99.75 | |

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6 **Table 2.** Average ($\pm 1\sigma$) mineral compositions (wt.%) for NWA 6962. Italicized values are in
7 element % (not oxide %). When compositions are below detection limits the concentrations are
8 noted as less than the 3σ lower limit of detection. The highest calculated 3σ value for a single
9 point is given.

| NWA 6962 | olivine <i>n</i> =45 | clinopyroxene <i>n</i> =75 | nepheline <i>n</i> =26 | merrillite <i>n</i> =22 | fluorapatite <i>n</i> =22 | chromite <i>n</i> =37 | metal <i>n</i> =17 | sulfide <i>n</i> =29 | |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-----------|
| SiO ₂ | 35.04±0.20 | 52.07±1.05 | 48.58±1.32 | 0.13±0.03 | 0.20±0.09 | 0.05±0.02 | <0.04 | 0.02±0.02 | <i>Si</i> |
| P ₂ O ₅ | - | - | - | 46.40±0.51 | 41.76±0.28 | - | <0.02 | <0.02 | <i>P</i> |
| Na ₂ O | <0.09 | 1.01±1.27 | 17.16±0.28 | 2.85±0.05 | 0.08±0.03 | - | - | - | <i>Na</i> |
| MgO | 24.69±0.20 | 12.38±1.29 | 0.15±0.07 | 3.16±0.08 | 0.03±0.01 | 3.74±0.85 | - | - | <i>Mg</i> |
| Al ₂ O ₃ | <0.06 | 1.81±2.25 | 31.16±0.86 | <0.02 | <0.02 | 14.38±4.04 | - | - | <i>Al</i> |

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|--------------------------------|------------|------------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|--------|
| K ₂ O | <0.02 | <0.02 | 2.95±0.33 | 0.04±0.01 | <0.02 | - | - | - | K |
| CaO | 0.43±0.06 | 21.35±1.67 | 0.05±0.04 | 46.77±0.26 | 55.04±0.34 | - | - | - | Ca |
| TiO ₂ | <0.04 | 0.84±0.31 | <0.01 | - | - | 3.51±2.59 | - | - | Ti |
| V ₂ O ₃ | <0.04 | <0.05 | - | - | - | 0.70±0.04 | - | - | V |
| Cr ₂ O ₃ | 0.02±0.03 | 0.80±0.26 | - | - | - | 43.70±1.20 | - | - | Cr |
| MnO | 0.54±0.02 | 0.19±0.05 | - | 0.02±0.02 | <0.04 | 0.37±0.04 | - | - | Mn |
| FeO | 39.67±0.28 | 9.67±2.10 | 0.51±0.15 | 1.02±0.18 | 0.31±0.20 | 31.27±2.88 | 98.76±1.70 | 63.63±0.27 | Fe |
| Fe ₂ O ₃ | - | - | - | - | - | 1.78±0.34 | | | |
| CoO | <0.04 | <0.04 | - | - | - | <0.05 | 0.23±0.10 | <0.03 | Co |
| NiO | <0.04 | <0.04 | - | - | - | <0.05 | 2.31±1.72 | <0.05 | Ni |
| | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 36.56±0.17 | S |
| | - | - | - | - | 3.99±0.28 | - | - | - | F |
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| | ^{238}U (cps) | $\frac{\text{Th}}{\text{U}}$ | $\frac{^{206}\text{Pb}}{^{204}\text{Pb}}$ | 2σ | $\frac{^{238}\text{U}}{^{206}\text{Pb}}$ | 2σ | $\frac{^{208}\text{Pb}}{^{206}\text{Pb}}$ | 2σ | $\frac{^{207}\text{Pb}}{^{206}\text{Pb}}$ | 2σ | | | | | | | |
| NWA 7680 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Section 3 Merrillite 1a | 1820 | 2167 | 10.3 | 48 | 25 | 0.8961 | 0.0474 | 0.6140 | 0.0220 | 2.6455 | 0.0980 | 0.2548 | 0.0086 | 4541 | 52 | 4832 | 255 |
| Section 3 Merrillite 1b | 1590 | 1946 | 11.3 | 194 | 99 | 0.9141 | 0.0476 | 0.6510 | 0.0250 | 3.0211 | 0.1095 | 0.264 | 0.0086 | 4626 | 55 | 4764 | 248 |
| Section 3 Merrillite 1c | 1852 | 2331 | 9.4 | 1817 | 931 | 0.9372 | 0.0501 | 0.6300 | 0.0230 | 2.6385 | 0.0975 | 0.2663 | 0.009 | 4579 | 53 | 4681 | 250 |
| Section 3 Merrillite 1d | 1818 | 2228 | 8.7 | 1783 | 906 | 0.9066 | 0.0469 | 0.6360 | 0.0240 | 2.2523 | 0.0812 | 0.2559 | 0.0087 | 4592 | 55 | 4792 | 248 |
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| Section 3 Merrillite 2 | 1290 | 1560 | 13.9 | 43 | 22 | 0.8881 | 0.0489 | 0.6480 | 0.0250 | 3.6765 | 0.1352 | 0.2599 | 0.0074 | 4620 | 56 | 4862 | 268 |
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| <i>Merrillite average (n=5) U(ppm) = 0.40±0.11, Th(ppm) = 5.14±0.71</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| NWA 6962 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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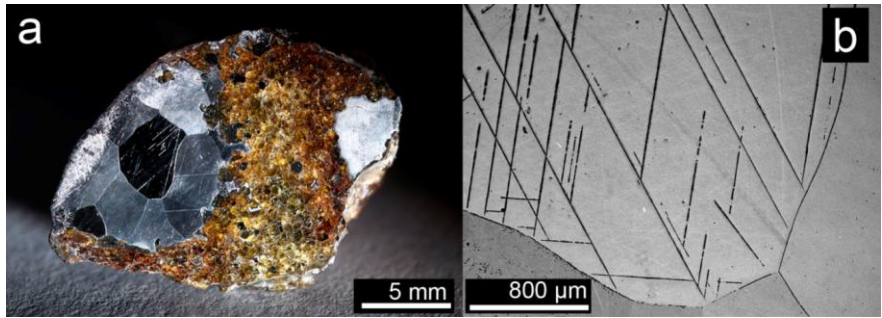


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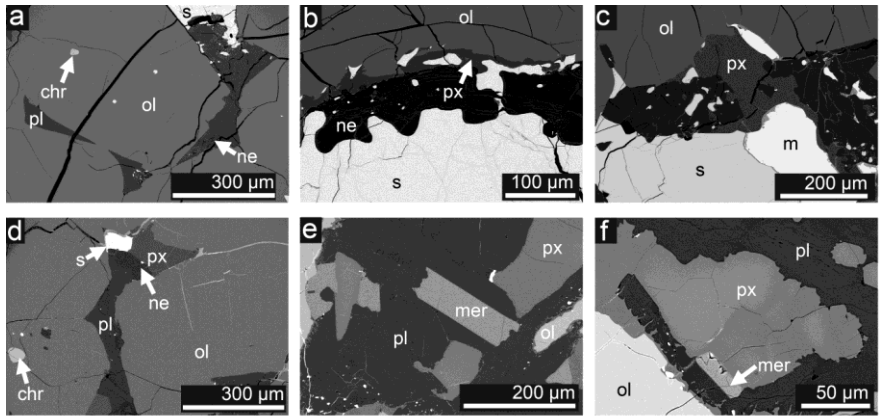


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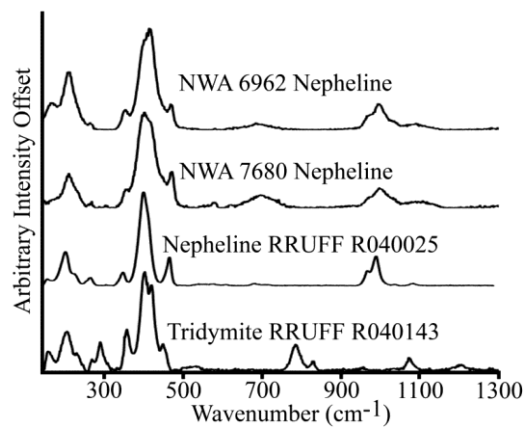


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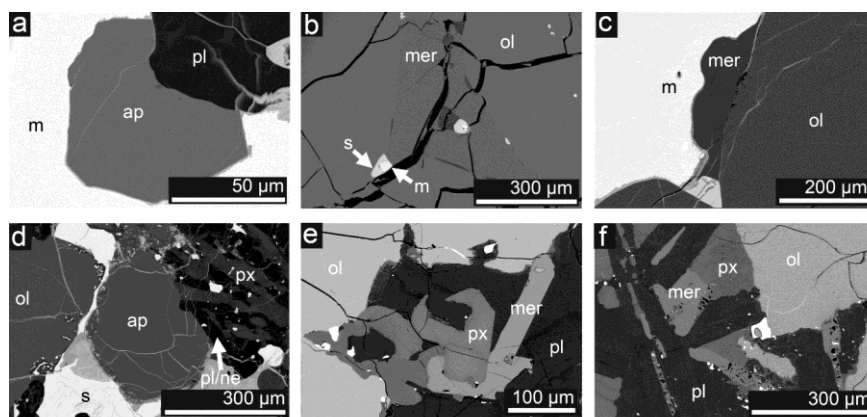


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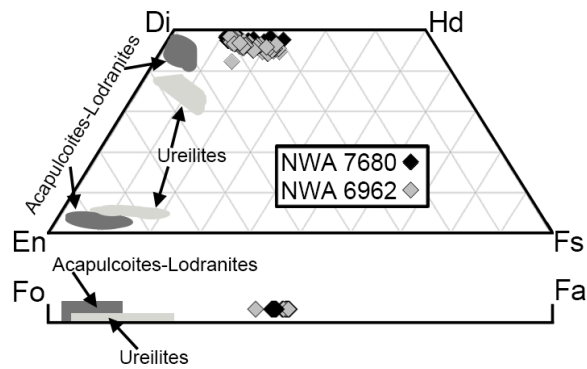
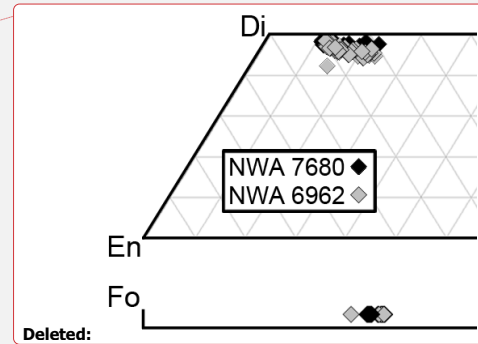


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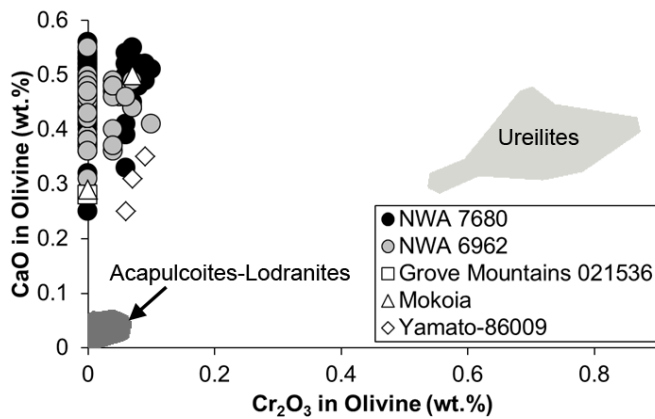


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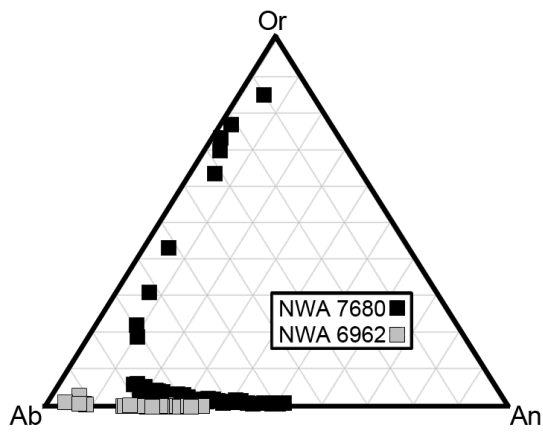


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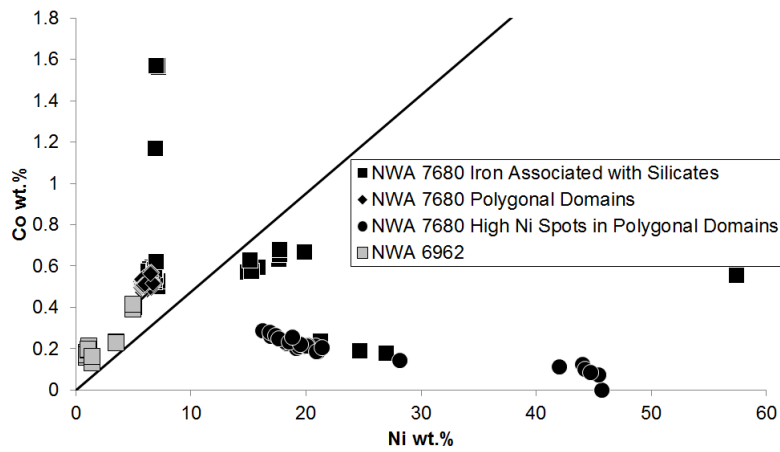


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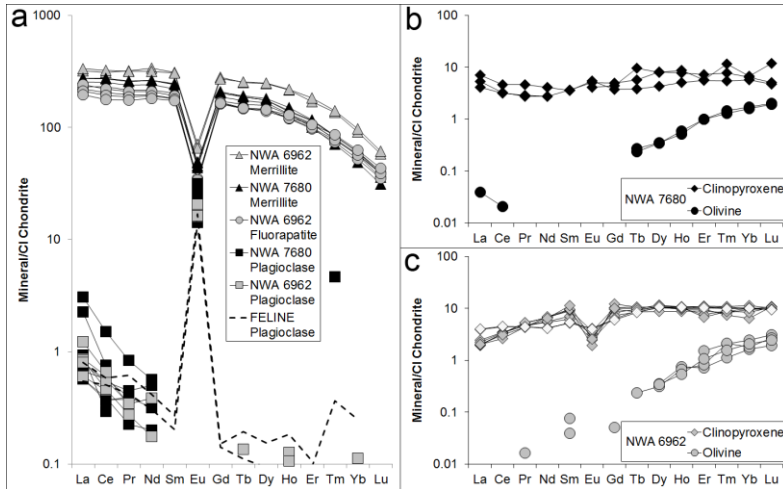
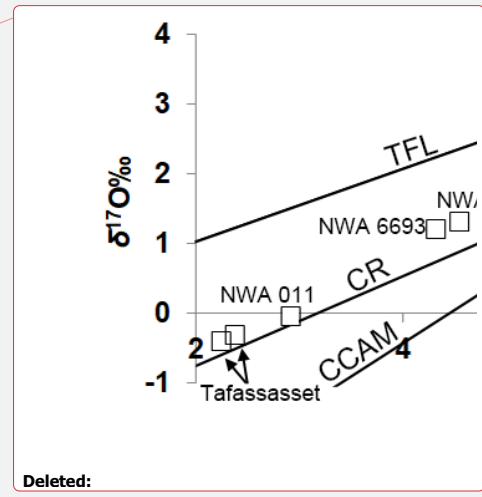


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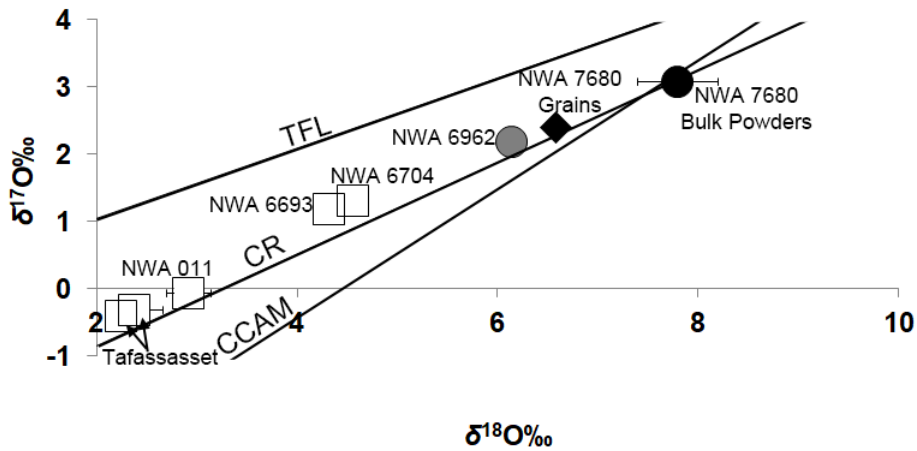


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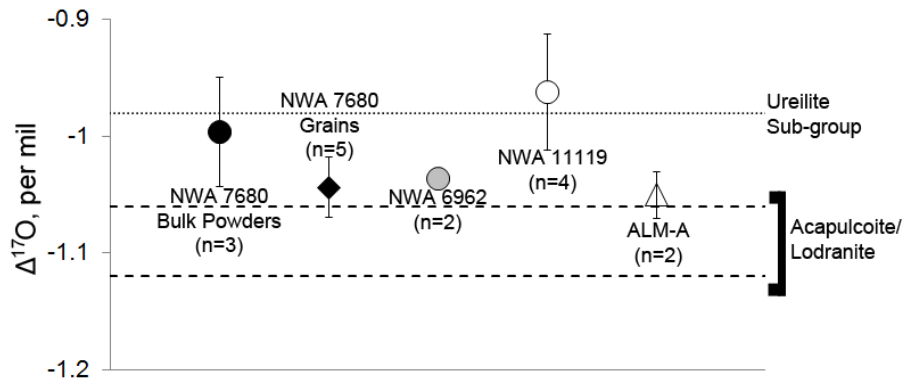


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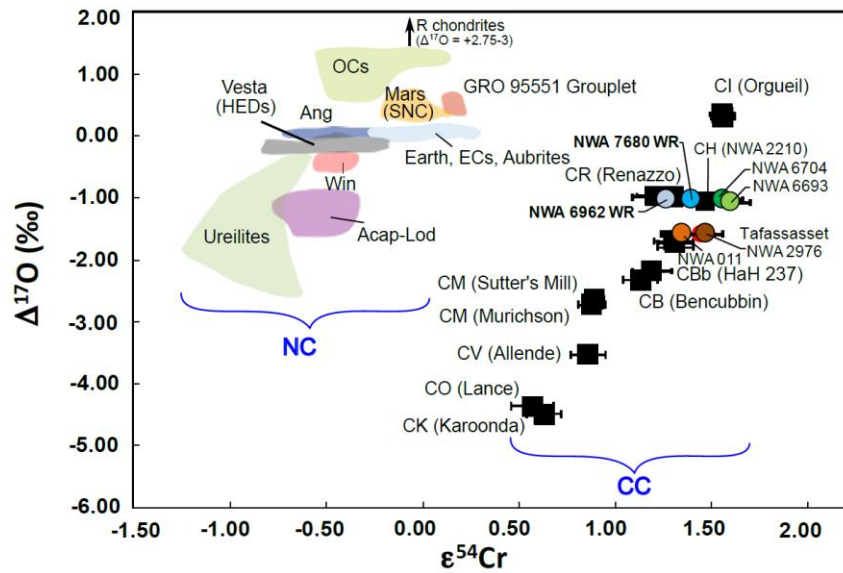


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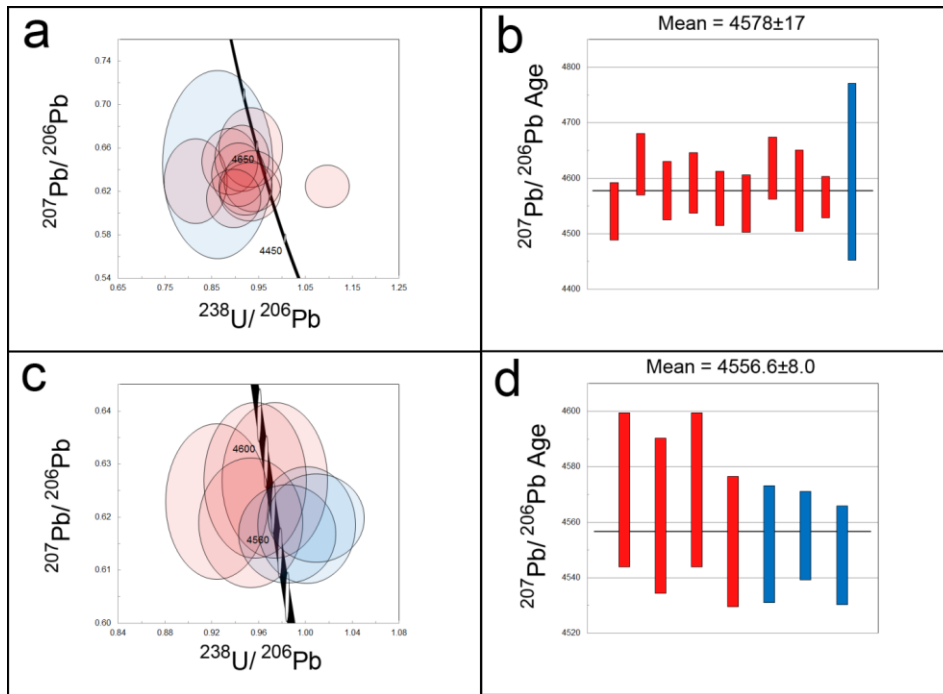


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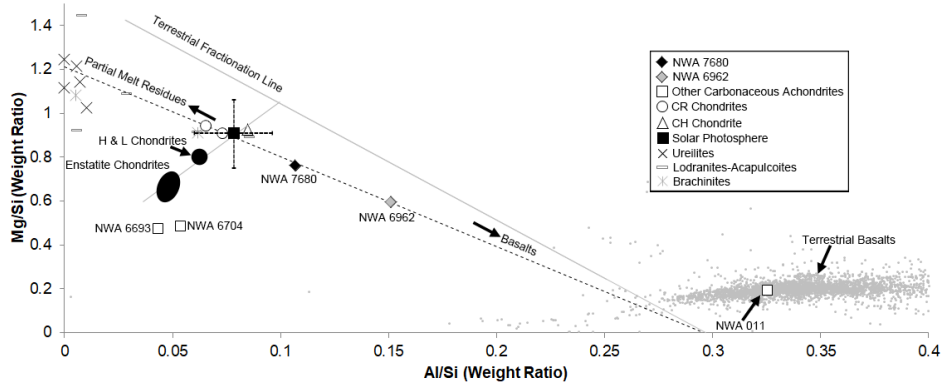


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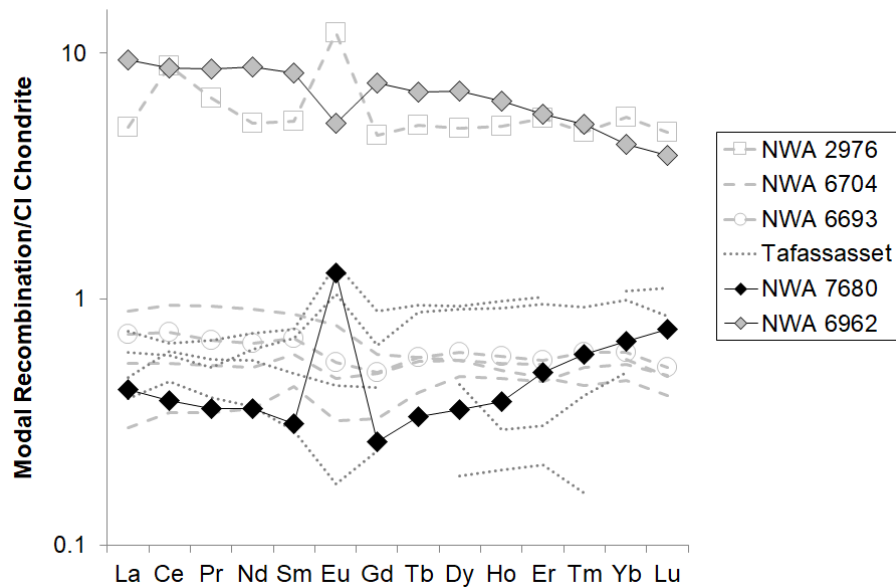


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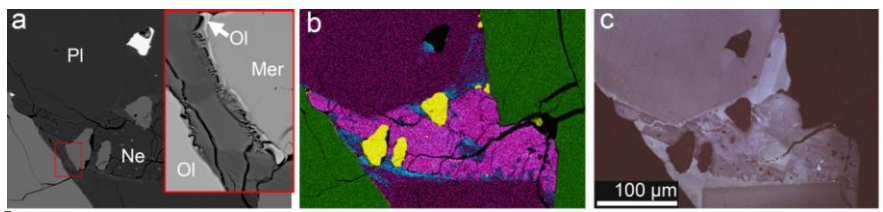
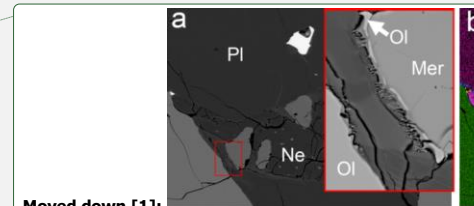
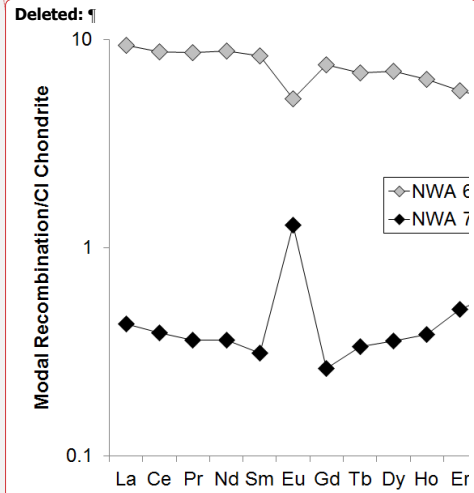


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