

Supporting Information

# Development of an automatic, high-throughput structural refinement method using Rietveld analysis

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Table S1. The parameters for CaMnTi<sub>2</sub>O<sub>6</sub> refined during Rietveld analysis. Initial values for the parameters marked with \* are randomly generated by software developed in this study.

Symbol	Note	Symbol	Note
$t_0$	Peak shift parameter 1	$\eta_{L0}^*$	Mixing parameter 1
$t_1$	Peak shift parameter 2	$\eta_{L1}^*$	Mixing parameter 2
$t_2$	Peak shift parameter 3	$\eta_{H0}^*$	Mixing parameter 3
$t_3$	Peak shift parameter 4	$\eta_{H1}^*$	Mixing parameter 4
$b_0^*$	Background parameter 1	$a$	Lattice parameter, $a$
$b_1^*$	Background parameter 2	$c$	Lattice parameter, $c$
$b_2^*$	Background parameter 3	Mn1- $z$	Fractional coordinate, $z$ for Mn on tetrahedral site
$b_3^*$	Background parameter 4	Mn2- $z$	Fractional coordinate, $z$ for Mn on square planar site
$b_4^*$	Background parameter 5	Ca2- $z$	Fractional coordinate, $z$ for Ca on $2c$ site
$b_5^*$	Background parameter 6	Ti- $x$	Fractional coordinate, $x$ for Ti
$b_6^*$	Background parameter 7	Ti- $y$	Fractional coordinate, $y$ for Ti
$b_7^*$	Background parameter 8	Ti- $z$	Fractional coordinate, $z$ for Ti
$b_8^*$	Background parameter 9	O1- $x$	Fractional coordinate, $x$ for O1 on $4e$ site
$b_9^*$	Background parameter 10	O1- $z$	Fractional coordinate, $z$ for O1 on $4e$ site
$b_{10}^*$	Background parameter 11	O2- $x$	Fractional coordinate, $x$ for O2 on $4d$ site
$b_{11}^*$	Background parameter 12	O2- $z$	Fractional coordinate, $z$ for O2 on $4d$ site
$s^*$	Scale factor	O3- $x$	Fractional coordinate, $x$ for O3 on $4d$ site
$U^*$	FWHM parameter 1	O3- $z$	Fractional coordinate, $z$ for O3 on $4d$ site
$V^*$	FWHM parameter 2	O4- $x$	Fractional coordinate, $x$ for O4 on $4e$ site
$W^*$	FWHM parameter 3	O4- $z$	Fractional coordinate, $z$ for O4 on $4e$ site
$a_0^*$	Asymmetric parameter 1	O5- $x$	Fractional coordinate, $x$ for O5 on $8f$ site
$a_1^*$	Asymmetric parameter 2	O5- $y$	Fractional coordinate, $y$ for O5 on $8f$ site
$a_2^*$	Asymmetric parameter 3	O5- $z$	Fractional coordinate, $z$ for O5 on $8f$ site

Table S2. Reliability factors of Rietveld analysis for various compounds and measurement technique.

Compound	Space group	Incident X-ray	Method	$R_{wp}$ (%)	$R_B$ (%)	$R_F$ (%)	Time / s
Fapatite $Ca_{10}(PO_4)_6F_2$	$P6_3/m$ (Hexagonal)	CuK $\alpha$	Manual*	8.215*	3.782*	1.924*	-
			Auto	8.119	3.718	2.202	172
Cimetidine $C_{10}H_{16}N_6S$	$P2_1/c$ (Monoclinic)	Synchrotron $\lambda = 0.152904$ nm	Manual*	6.805*	3.542*	3.304*	-
			Auto	5.970	2.407	3.036	1636
MnTiO <sub>3</sub>	$R3c$ (Trigonal)	CuK $\alpha$	Manual	7.699	1.695	1.572	539
			Auto	7.626	1.762	1.549	146
MnTiO <sub>3</sub>	$R3c$ (Trigonal)	Synchrotron $\lambda = 0.052035$ nm	Manual	3.515	0.995	0.565	~4500
			Auto	3.267	0.961	0.553	1049

\*The manual analysis results for  $Ca_{10}(PO_4)_6F_2$  and  $C_{10}H_{16}N_6S$  are referred from examples supplied with RIETAN-FP version 2.83 software package.