

State of the thermodynamic database for the BOFdePhos project

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Contents

- „Old“ LD converter model database
- Necessary components for BOFdePhos
- Contributions covering sulphur
- Contributions covering phosphorous



The „old“ thermodynamic data

- **Source:** THERDAS system and literature
- **Elementary components:**
Ar, Al, C, Ca, Fe, H, O, S, Si, Mg, B, N, Mn, P
- **Solution phases:**
GAS (*ideal*): 60 species in total

SLAG (*IRSID cell model*):
CaO, MgO, Al₂O₃, SiO₂, FeO,
Fe₂O₃, MnO, (PO)₂O₃



The „old“ thermodynamic data

- **Solution phases (continued):**

LIQ_Fe (*Wagner dilute sol.*)

Fe and Al,C,Ca,O,S,Si,Mg,B,N,H,Mn,P

BCC_Fe (*Wagner dilute sol.*)

Fe and Al,B,C,N,O,S,Si,Mn,P,H

FCC_Fe (*Wagner dilute sol.*)

Fe and Al,B,C,N,O,S,Si,Mn,P,H

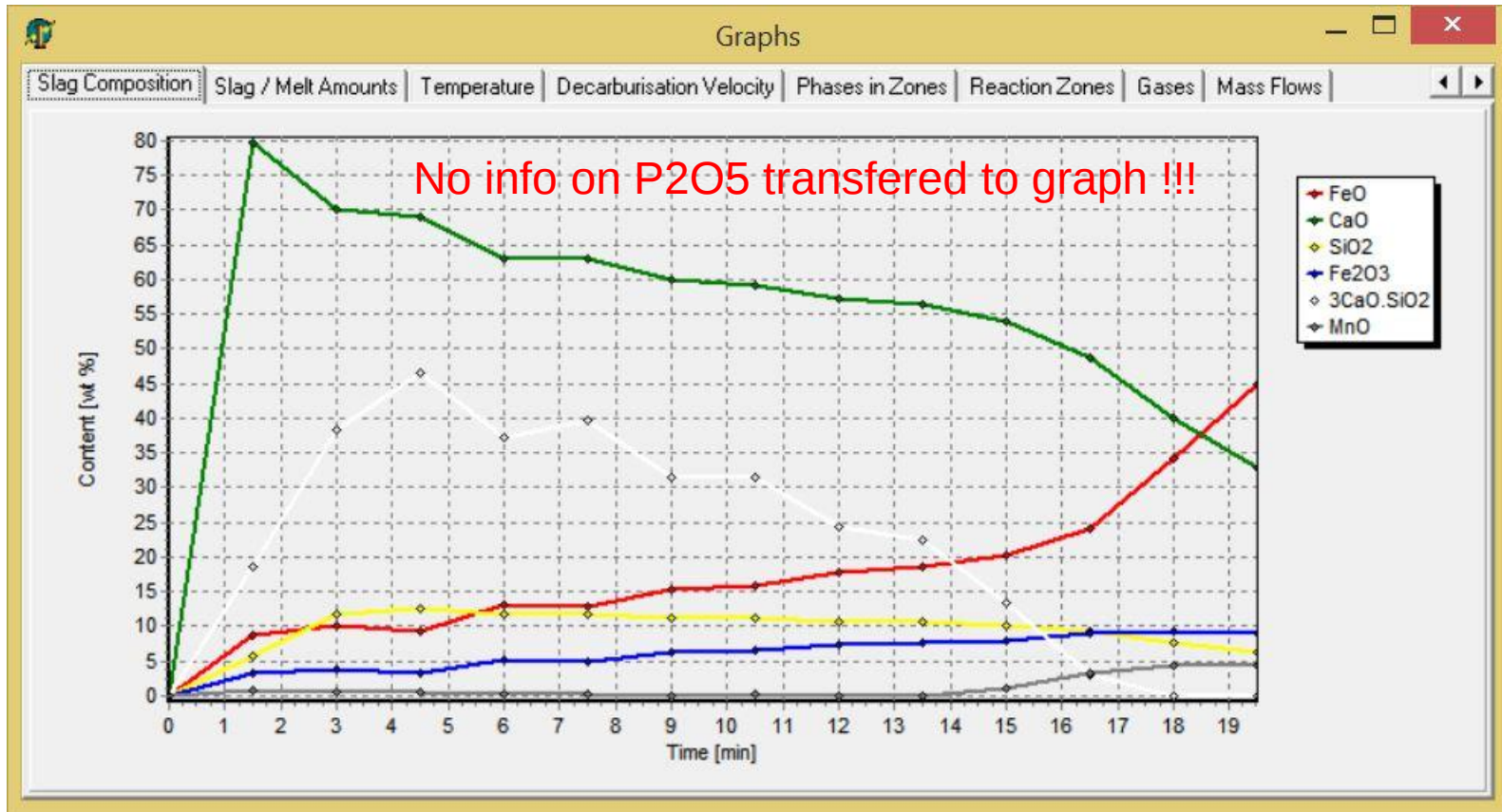


The „old“ thermodynamic data

- **Solution phases (continued):**
MeS (*ideal*)
CaS, FeS, MnS
- **Stoichiometric phases:**
100 compounds, among these P₂O₅ and three calcium phosphates
CaCO₃, MgCO₃, dolomite as input substances

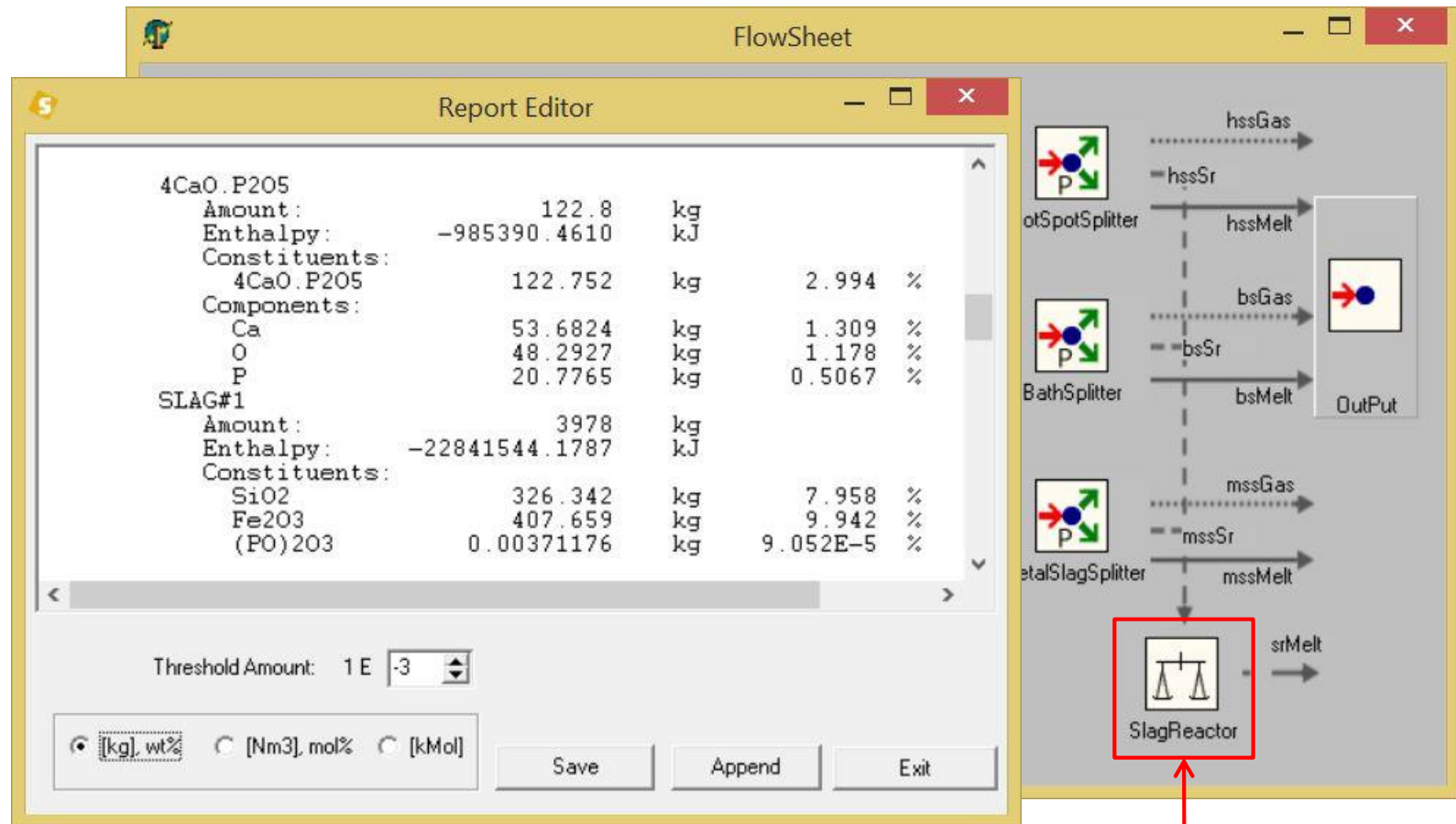


Output from LD-Sage „old“ database, Jalkanen reference data



Output from LD-Sage

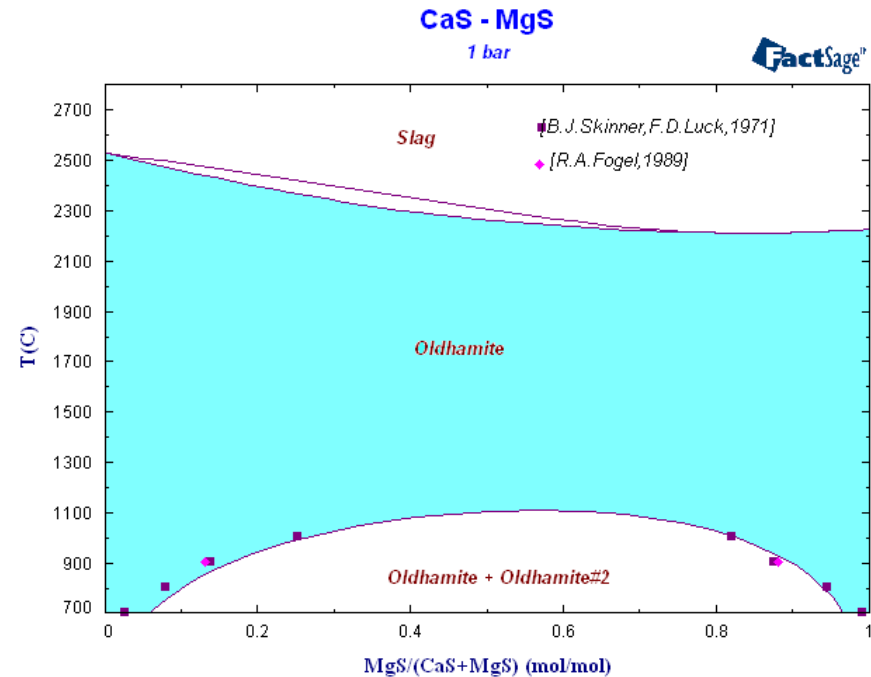
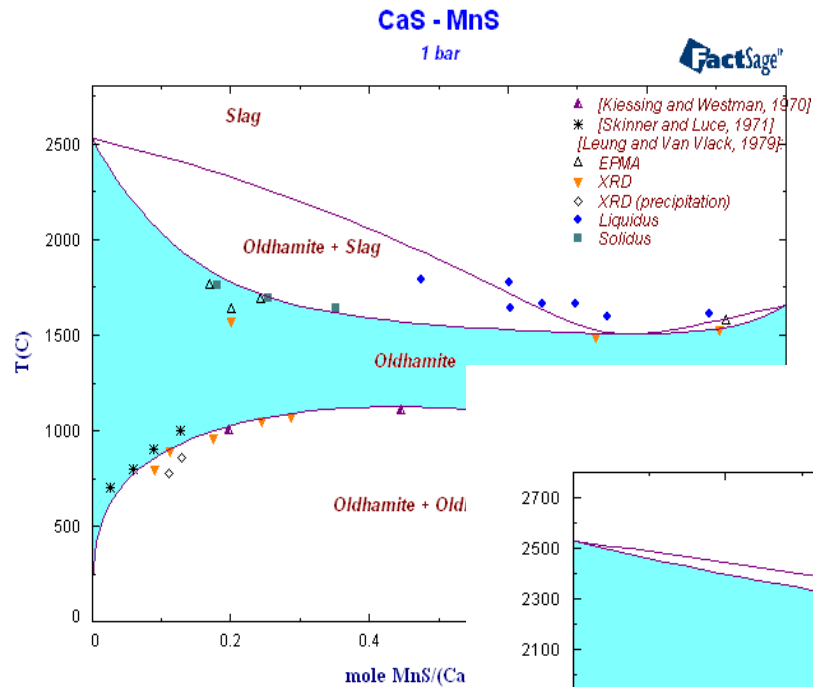
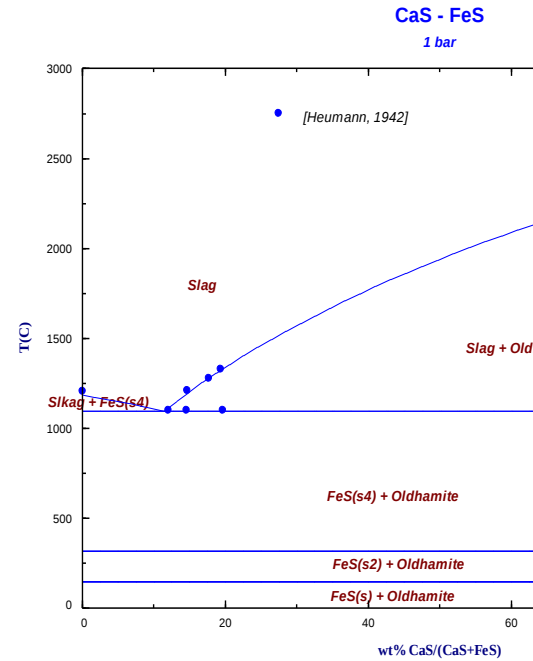
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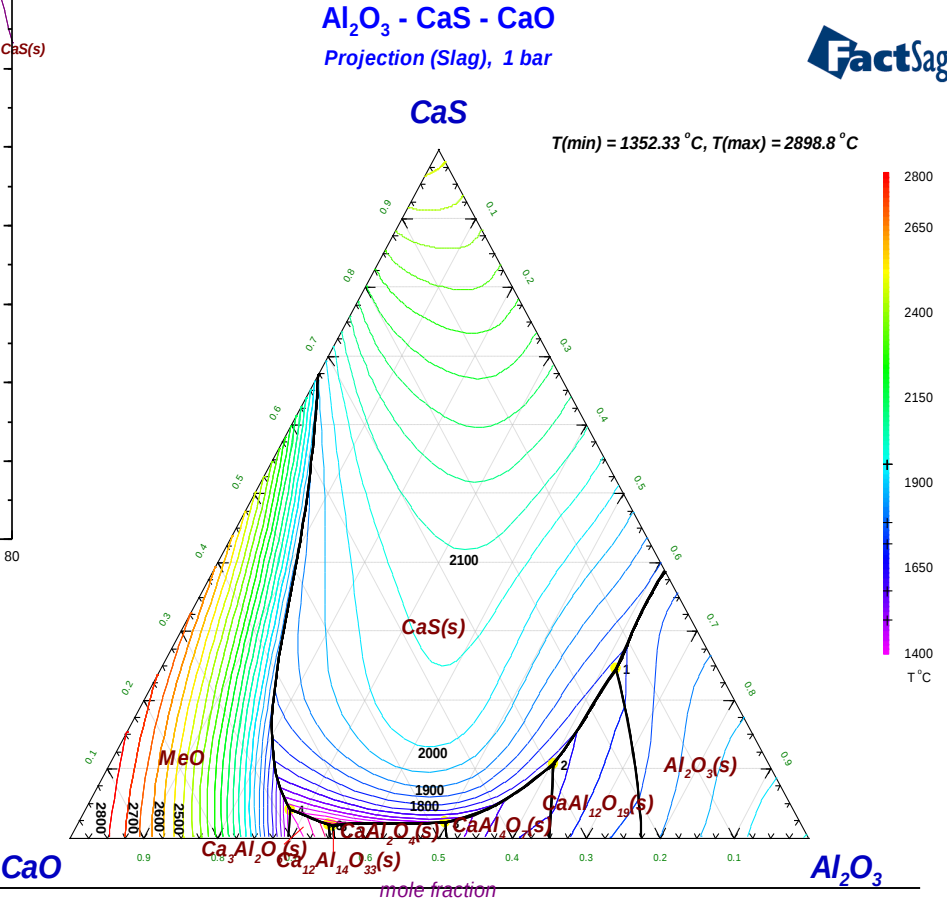
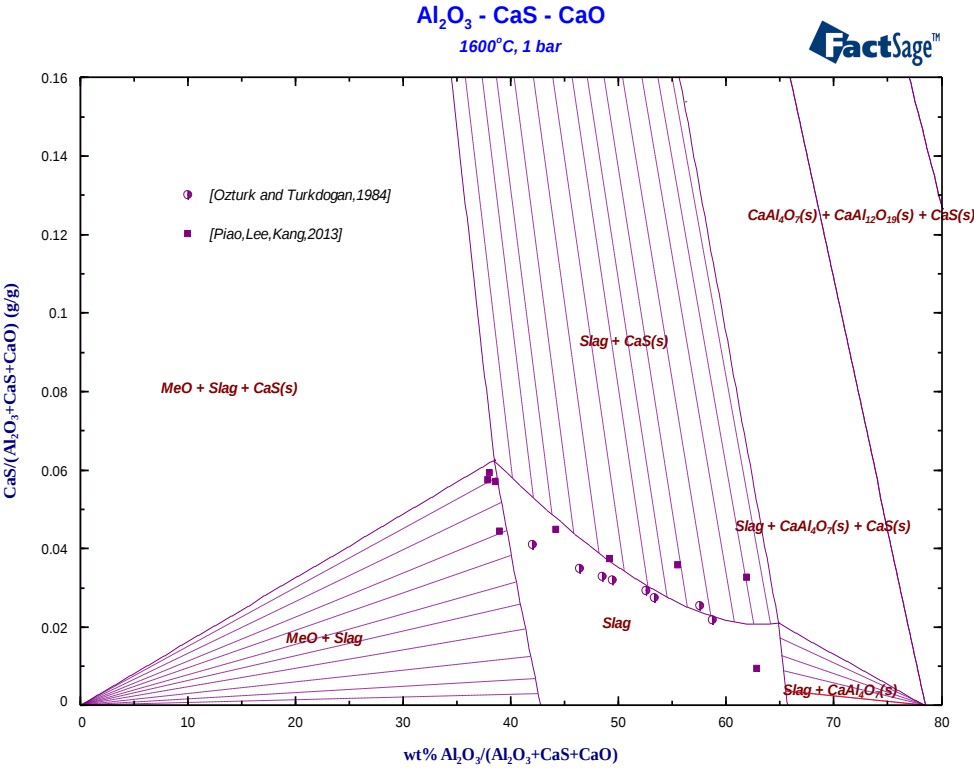
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Sulphide subsystems



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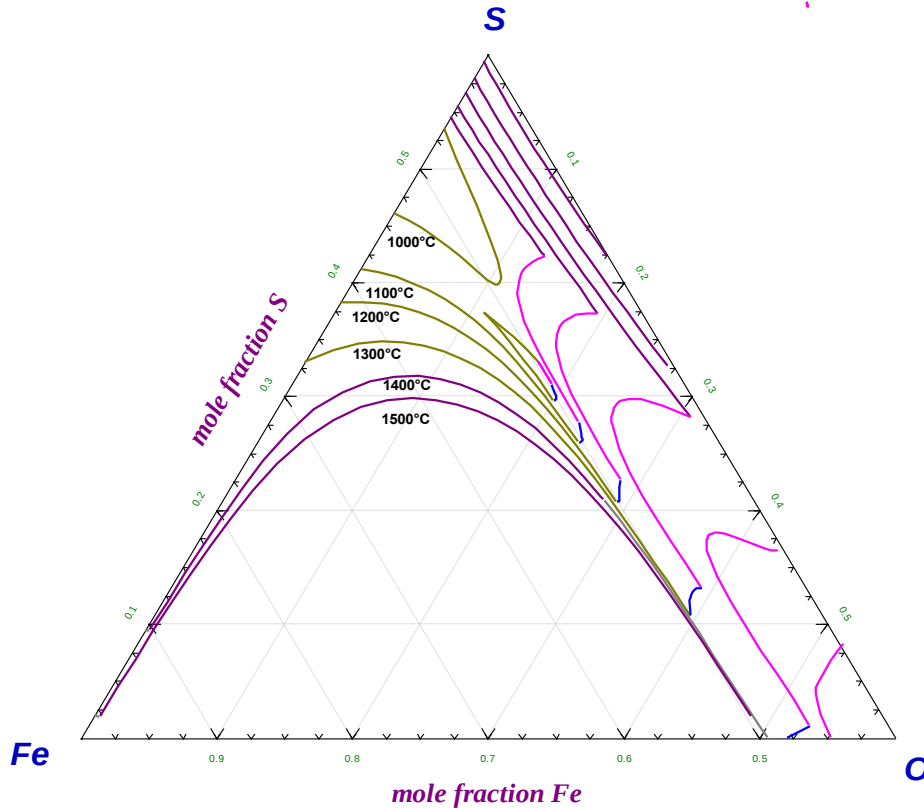
Ternary systems with sulphide component



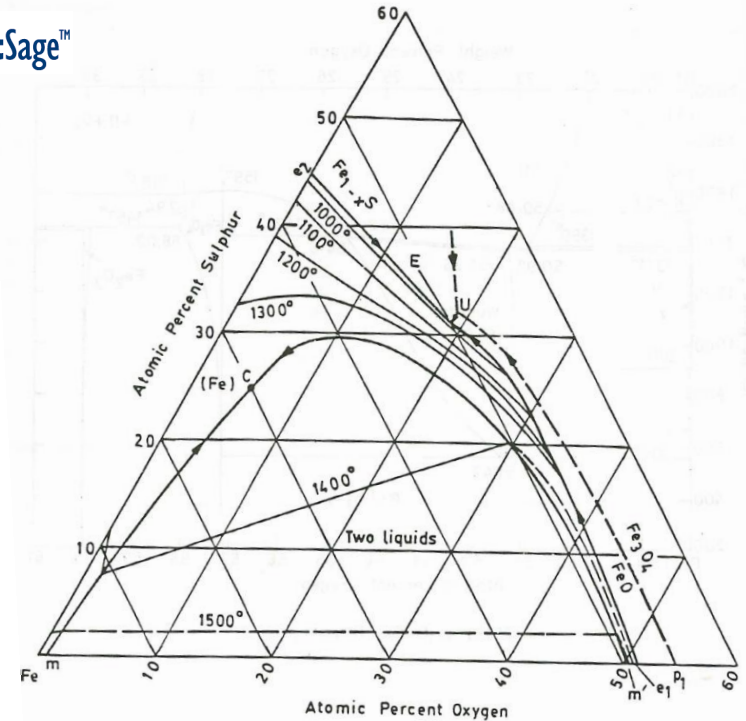
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The Fe-O-S system

O - S - Fe
Projection (Slag), 1 atm



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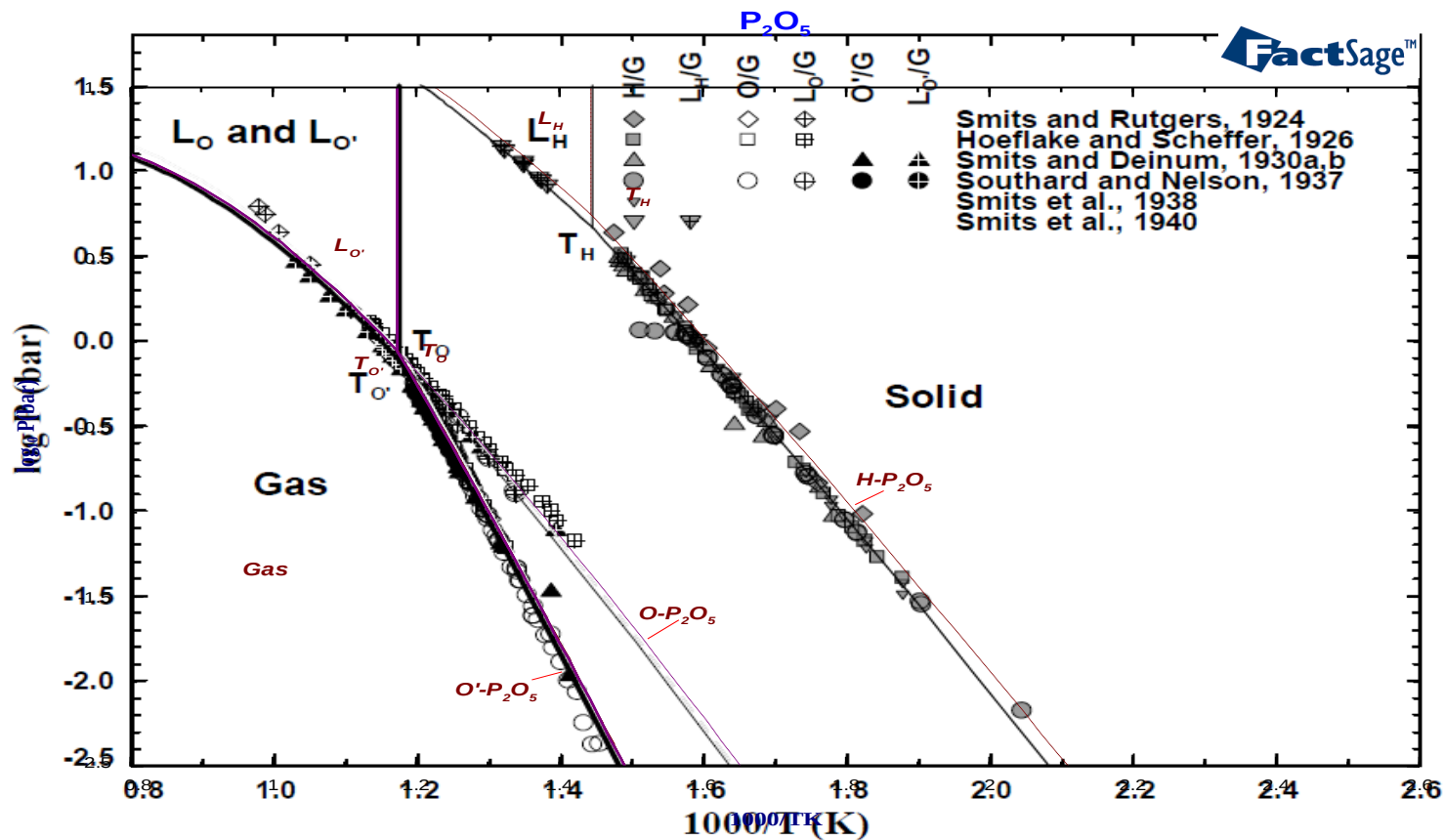


35.2a Fe-O-S Liquidus Projection in Atomic Percent

V. Raghavan, Phase diagrams of Ternary Iron Alloys, Part 2, Ternary systems containing Iron and Sulphur, The Indian Institute of Metals, Calcutta, 1988.

Thermodynamic database

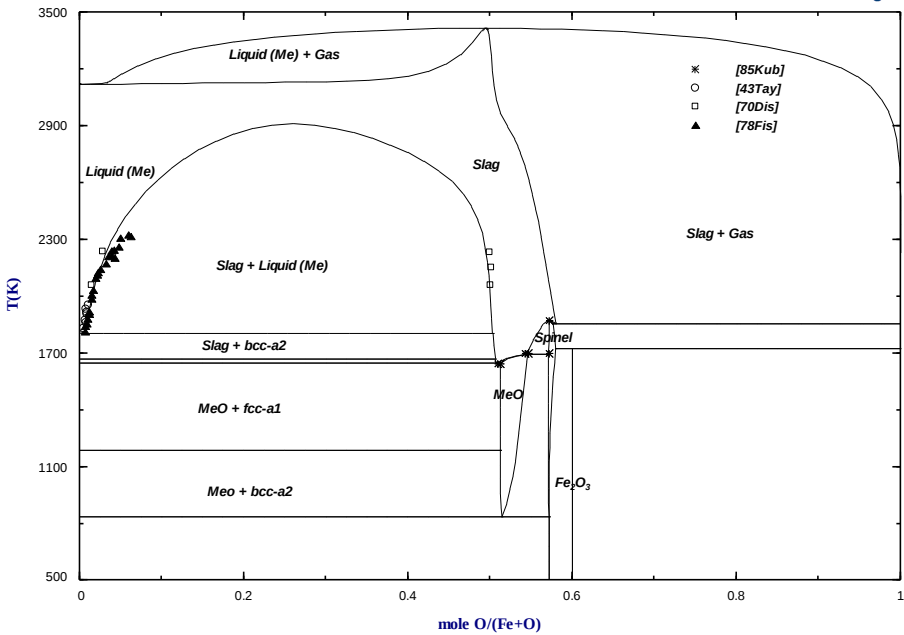
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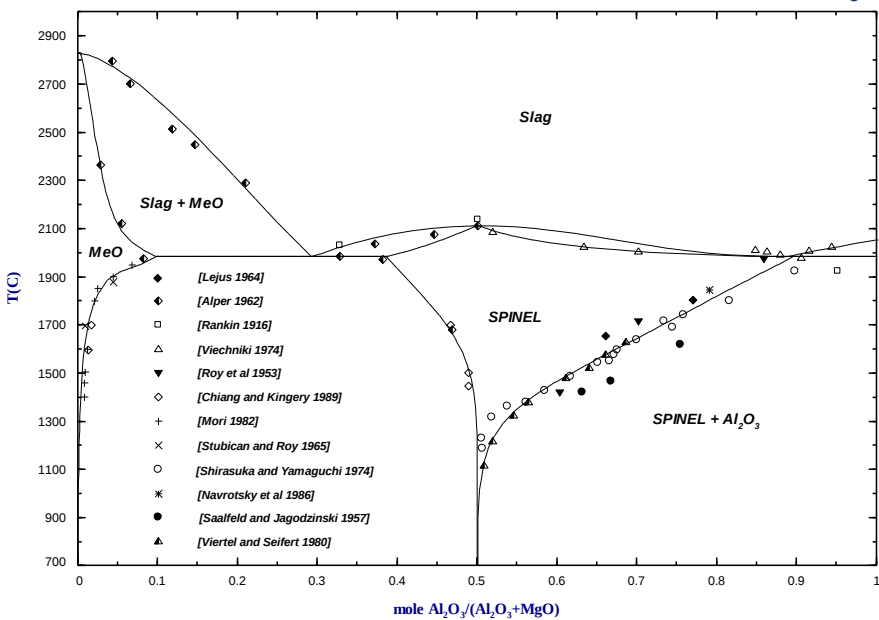
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Binary systems, including Fe-X

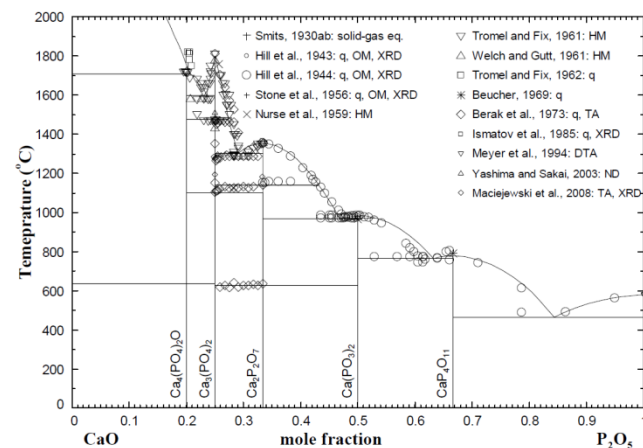
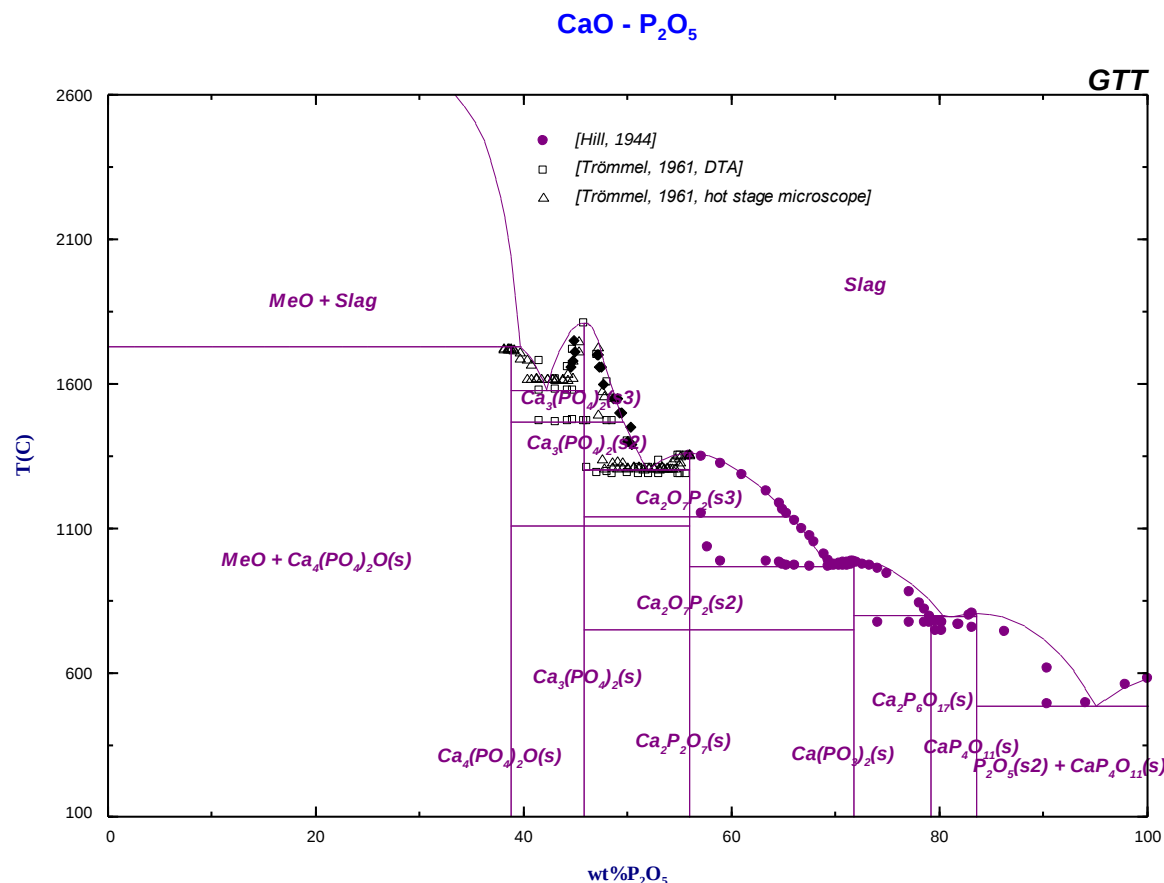
Fe - O



MgO – Al₂O₃

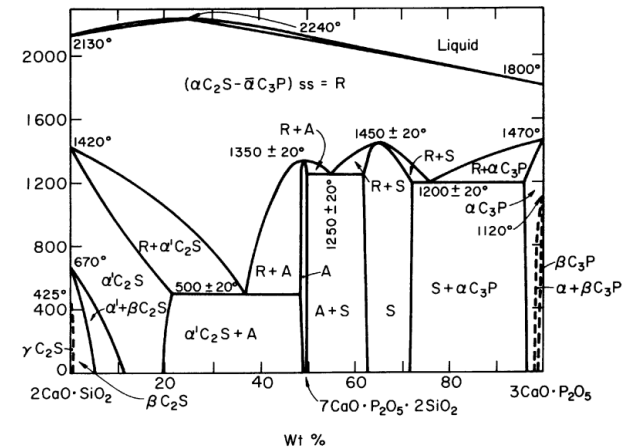
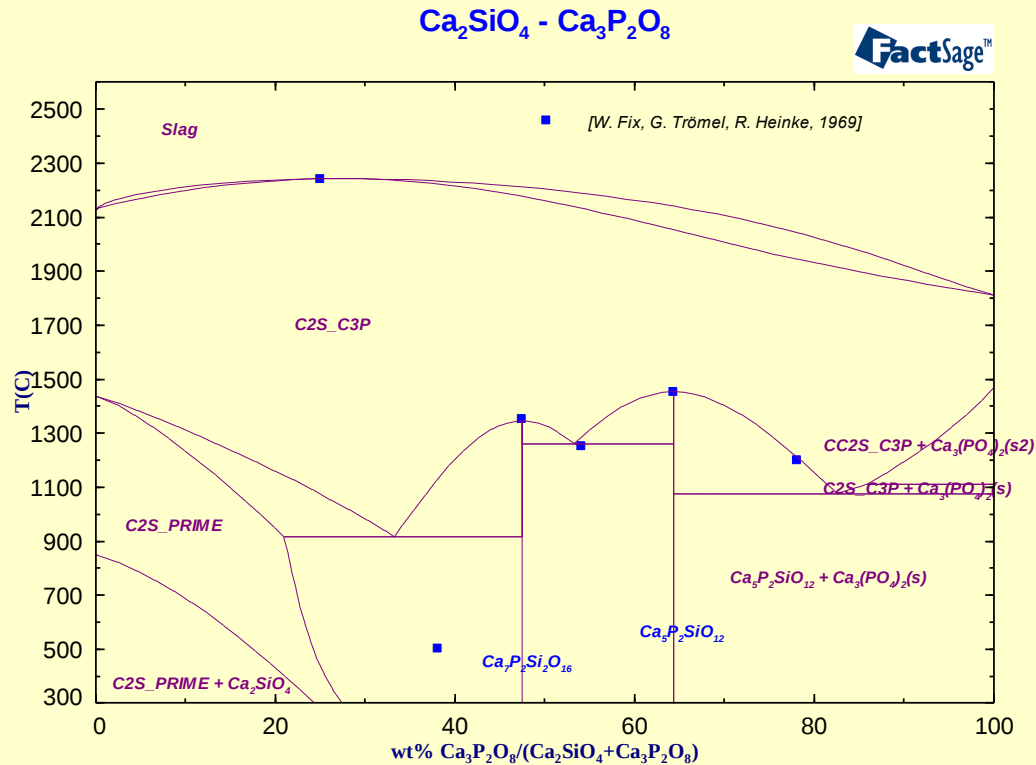


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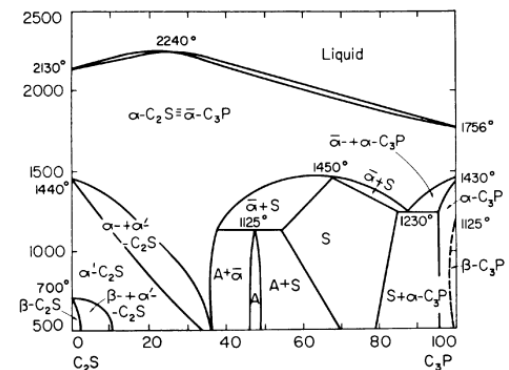


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Isopleth section Ca_2SiO_4 - $\text{Ca}_3\text{P}_2\text{O}_8$

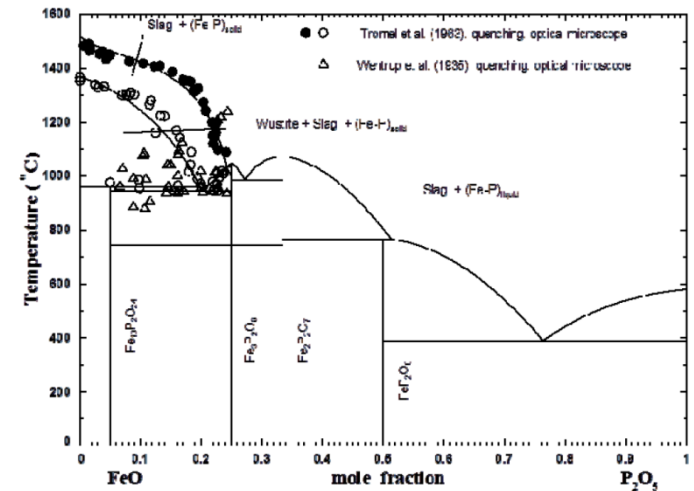
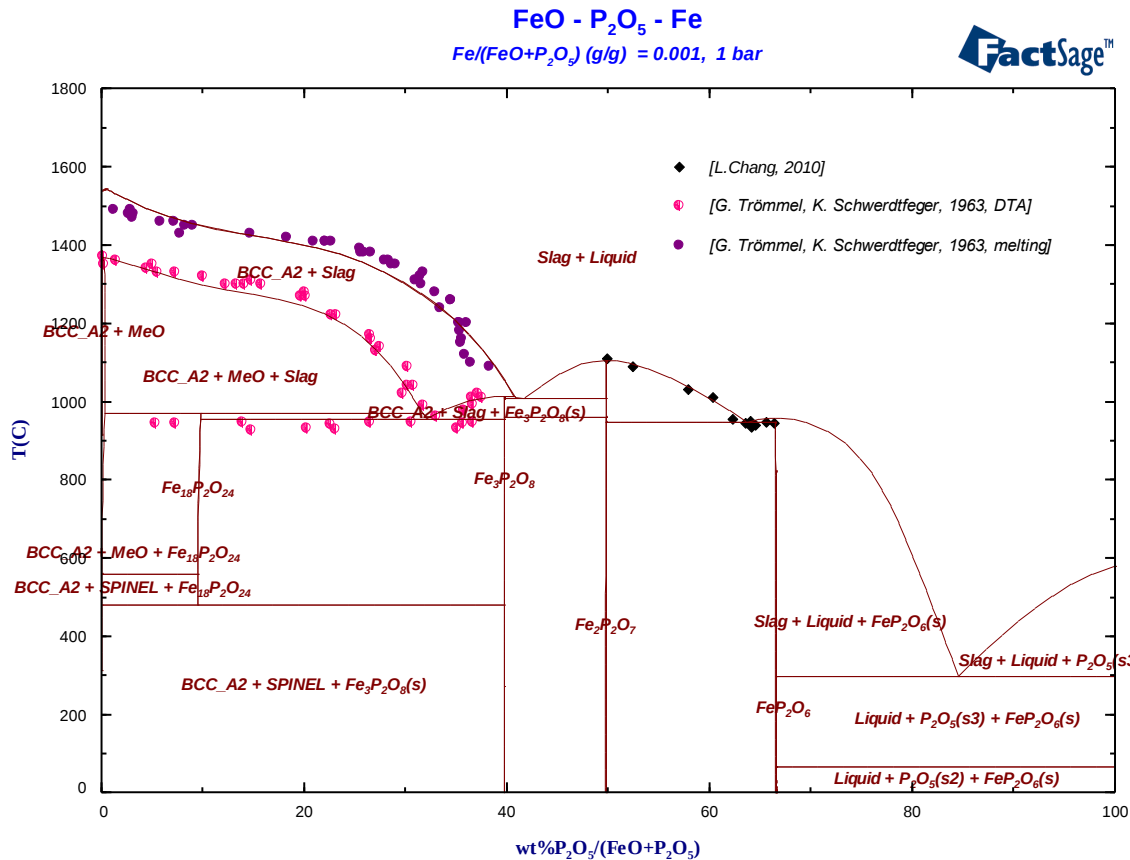


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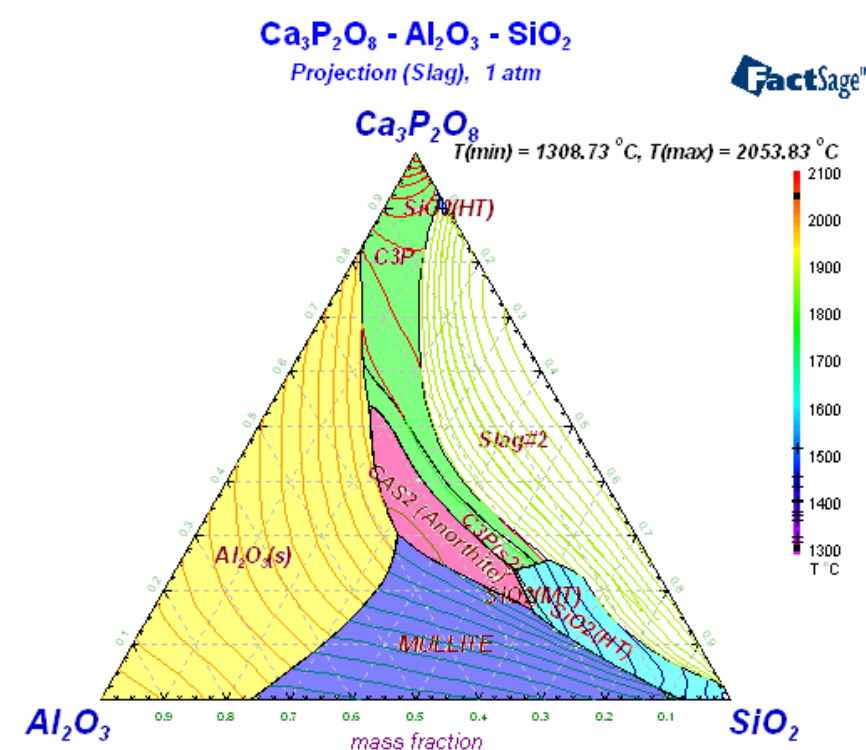
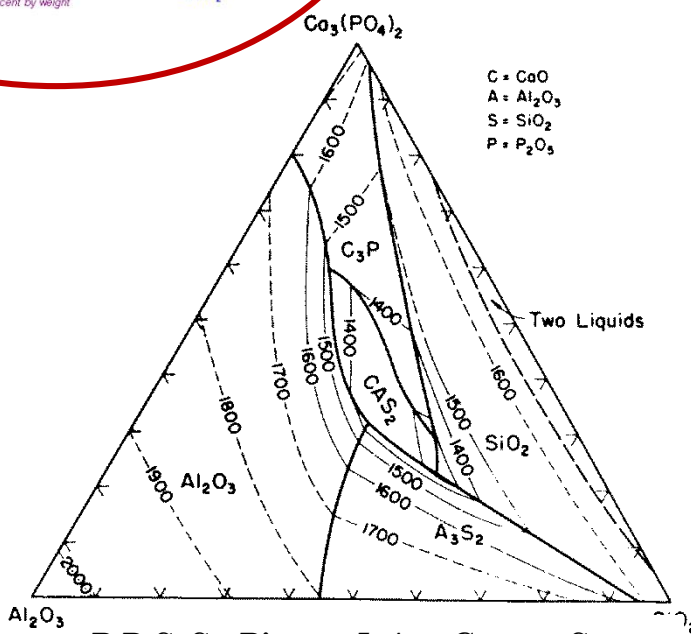
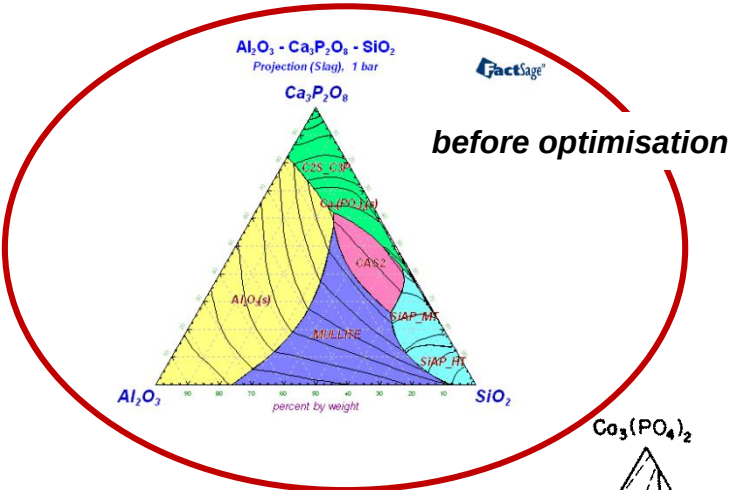
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Liquidus surface in $\text{Ca}_3\text{P}_2\text{O}_8\text{-Al}_2\text{O}_3\text{-SiO}_2$



P.D.S. St. Pierre, J. Am. Ceram. Soc.,
39[4], (1956), pp. 147-150.



Thermodynamic database

Phosphorous containing phases in present database:

Gas:	P, P ₂ O ₅ as well as N ₂ , O ₂ , CO, CO ₂ , SiO and many others
Liquid oxide:	P ₂ O ₅ as well as 23 P ₂ O ₅ -containing associate species
Solid solutions:	7 phosphates 1 silicate-phosphate (C ₂ S-C ₃ P) 4 phosphates with limited SiO ₂ solubility 4 silicates with limited P ₂ O ₅ (PO ₄) solubility
Stoichiometric compounds:	P and P ₂ O ₅ as well as 56 phosphides, phosphates or silico-phosphates
Liquid-Fe:	Mg, Mn, Ca, O, S, P

Wish-lists ?????

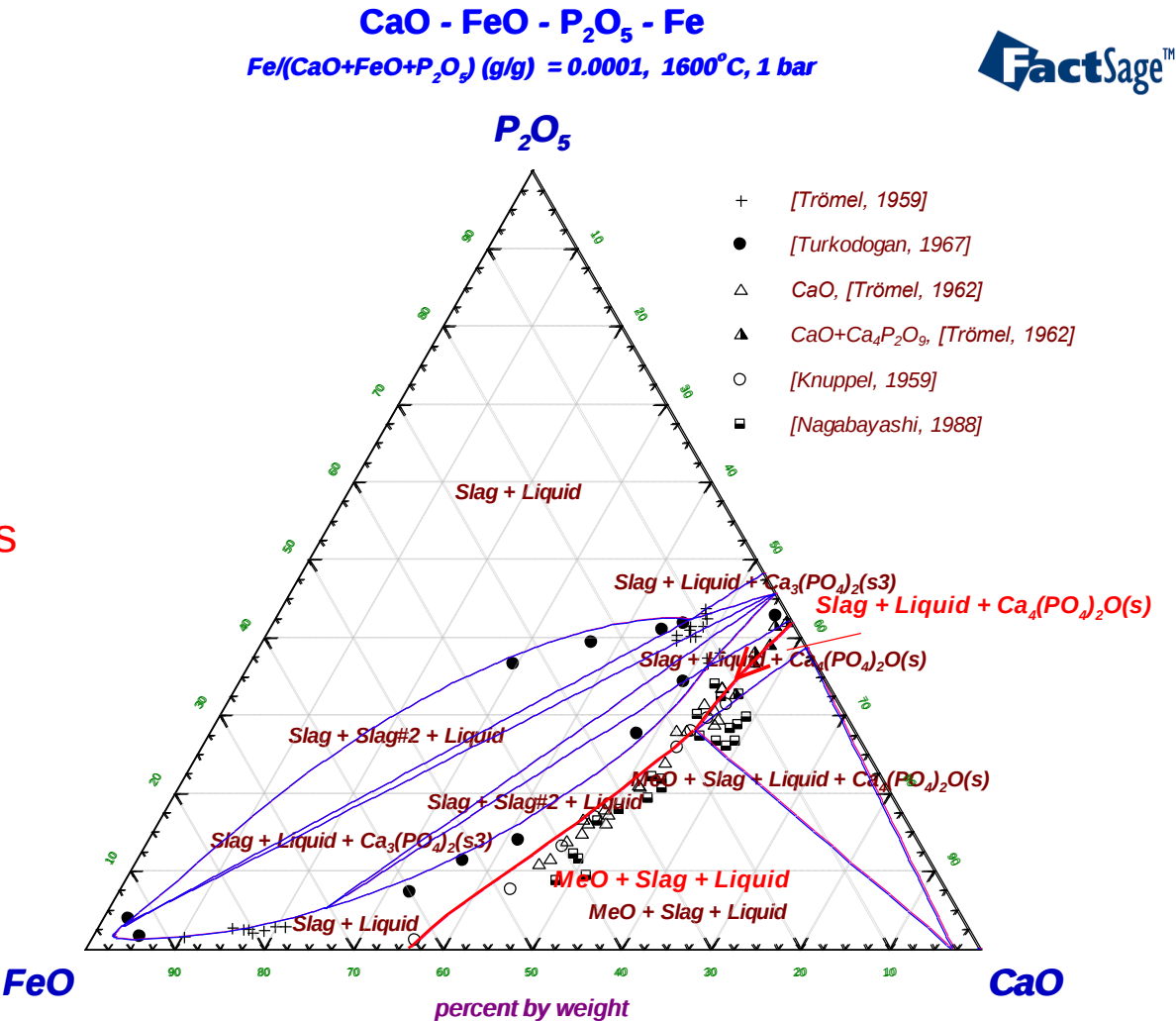
Fe-liq: Fe-P-C-Si-Mn-O (Mg,S,Al,Cr)

Slag: CaO-MgO-MnO-SiO₂-Al₂O₃-FeO-Fe₂O₃-P₂O₅ (CaS,FeS,MgS,MnS)



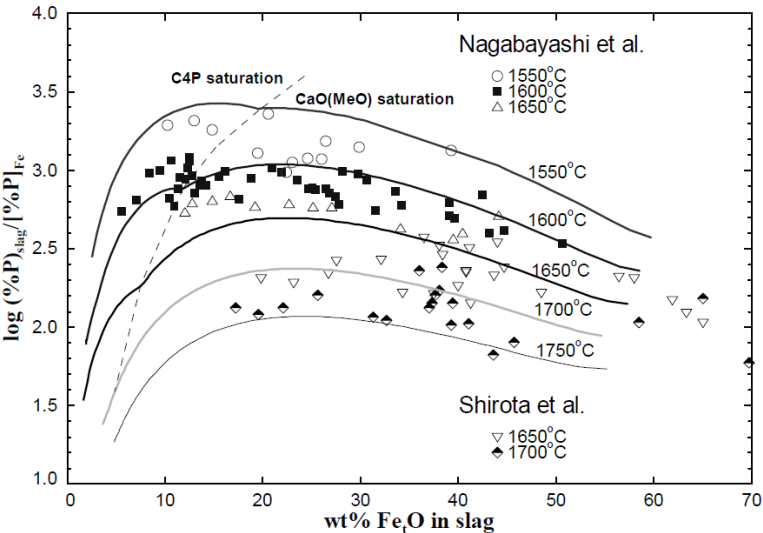
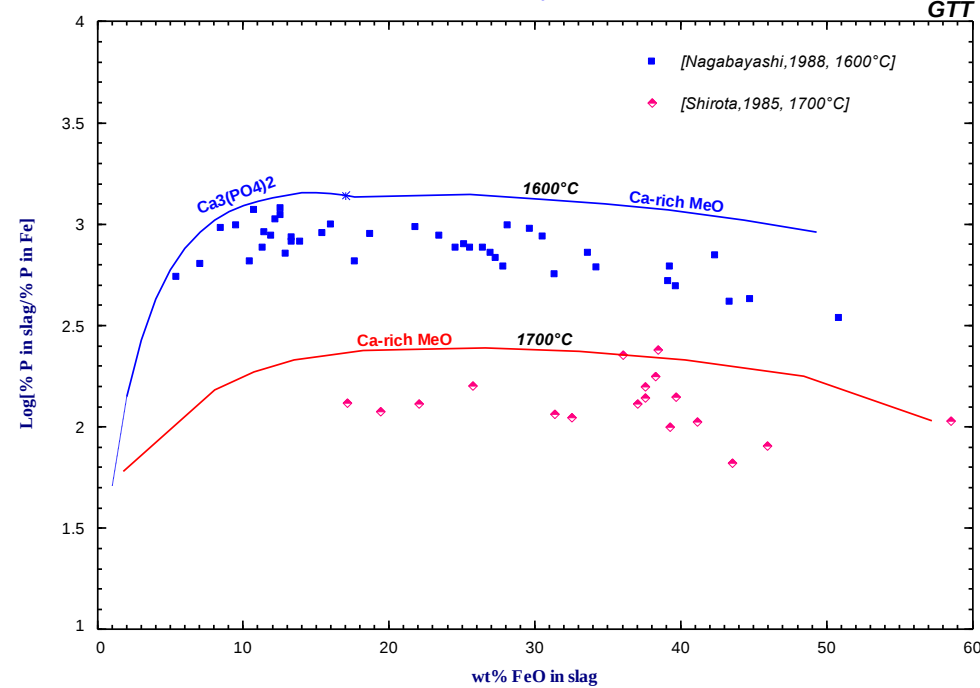
Phosphorous Distribution

Red line →
Phosphorous
Capacity



Phosphorous Distribution

P-distribution between molten iron and the slag
Preliminary results



In-Ho Jung et al.
High Temp. Mater. Proc. 2013; 32(3): 247 – 254



Summary and Outlook

A self-consistent thermodynamic database for the system

***CaO-MgO-Al₂O₃-FeO-Fe₂O₃-MnO-Mn₂O₃-P₂O₅-SiO₂
with inclusion of S in form of
CaS-MgS-FeS-MnS as well as Al₂S₃, Na₂S, K₂S***

is underway. The GTT Oxide database is a useful source for standard systems. BOFdePhos-specific data are being assessed.

The new database will be used to generate an application oriented datafile that is compatible with the ChemApp Programmers Library which is used in SimuSage and subsequently in the converter model LD-Sage.



Thank you for your attention !

