

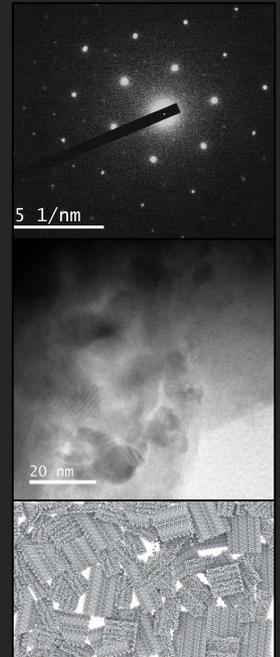


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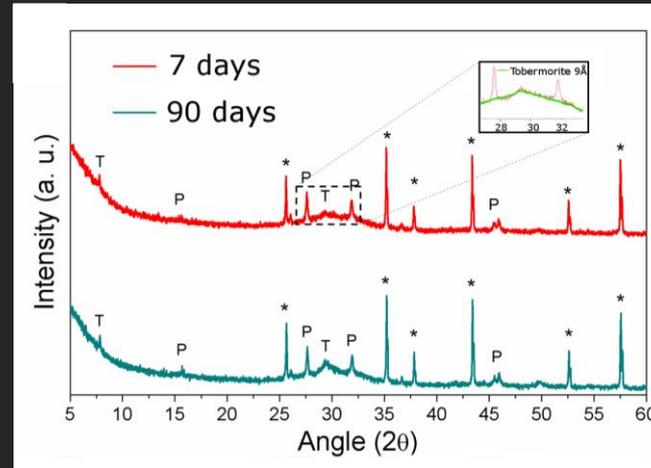
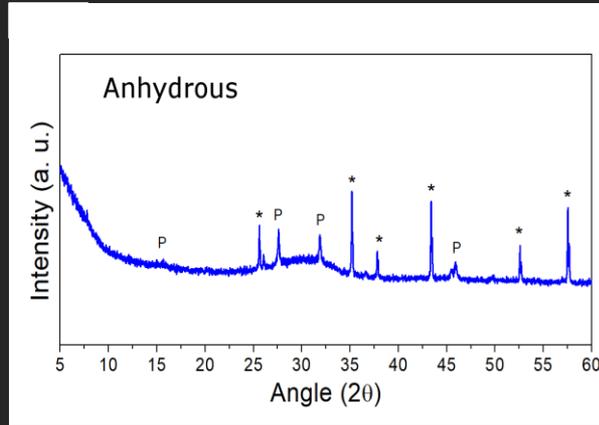
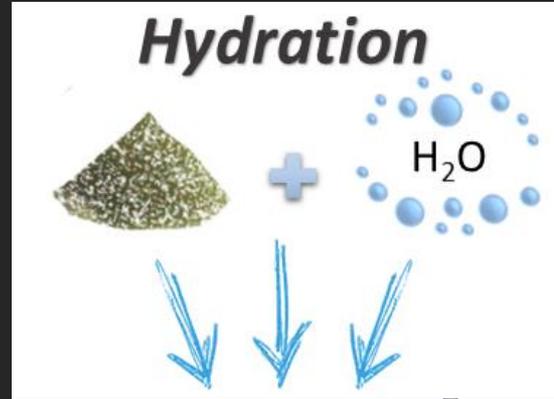
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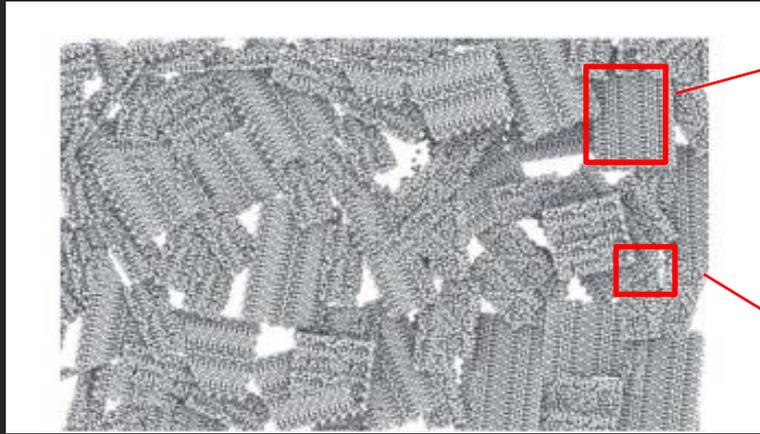
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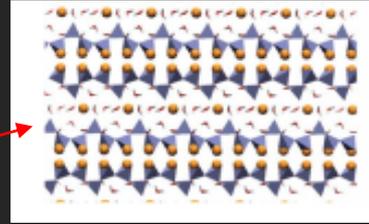
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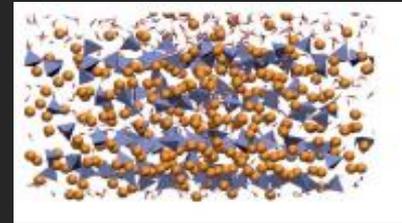
# Theory of CSH morphology



*Jennings (2013)*



Tobermorite

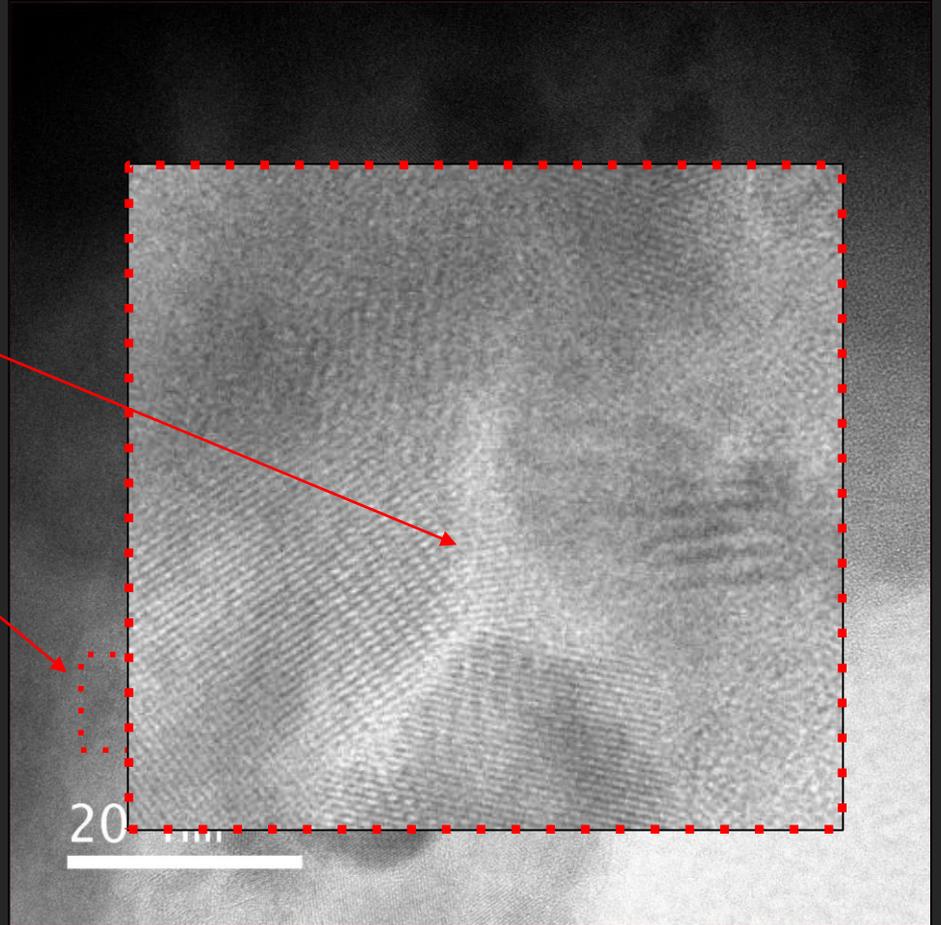


CSH gel

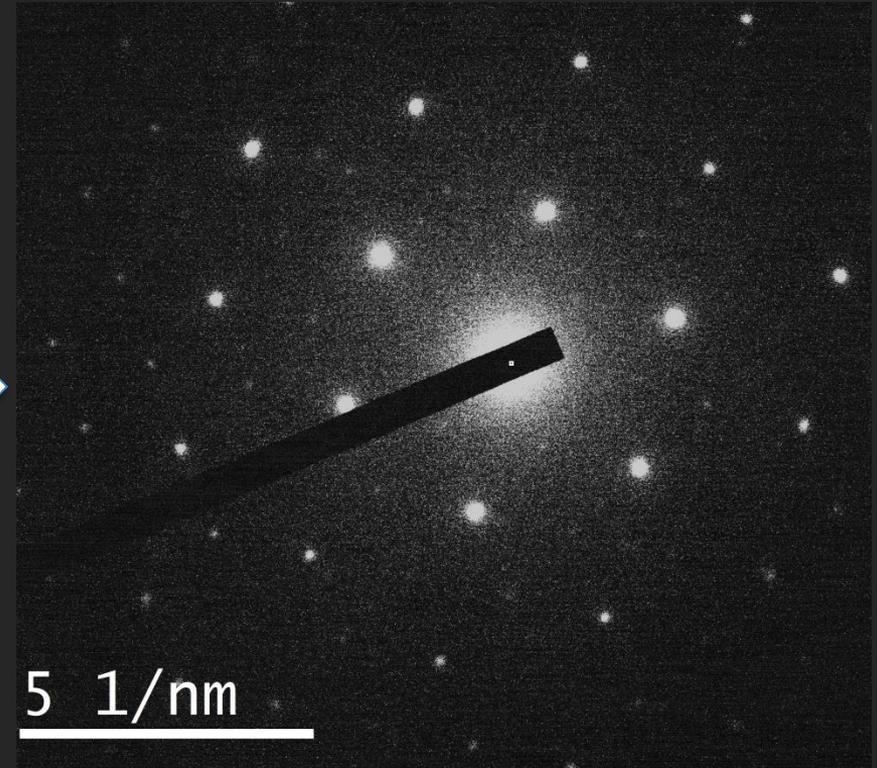
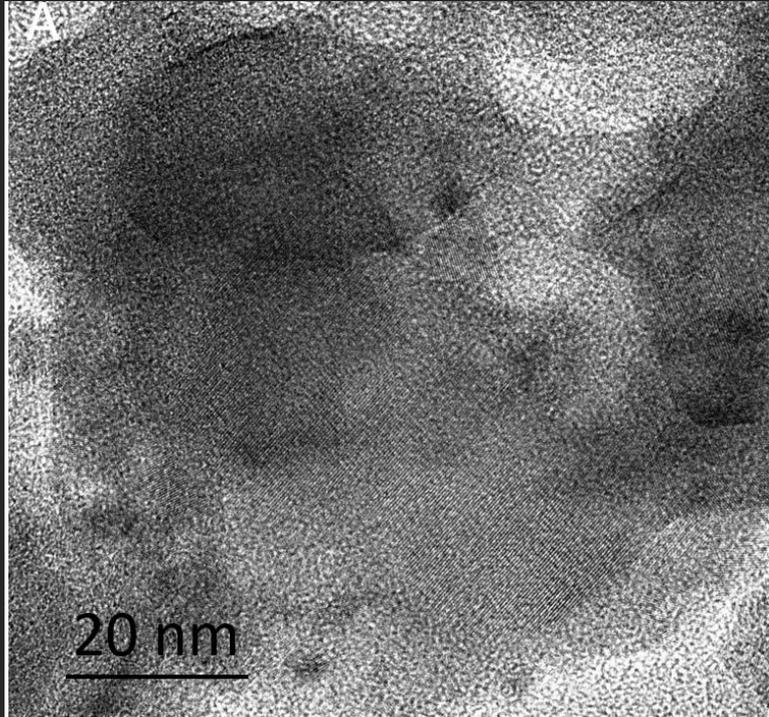
## Cartoon representation of CSH



Jennings (2013)



## Diffraction pattern



space group P-1

$a=6.93 \text{ \AA}$

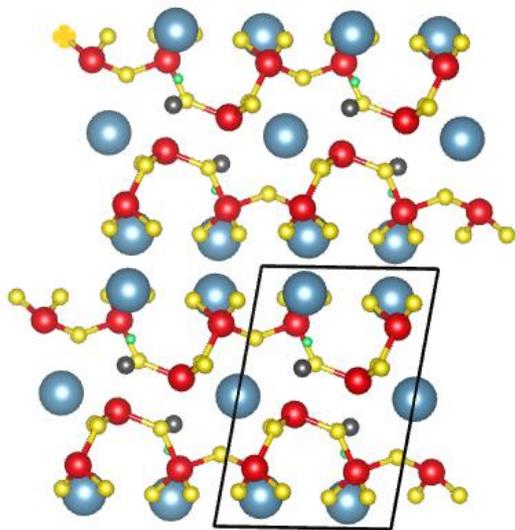
$b=6.91 \text{ \AA}$

$c=9.52 \text{ \AA}$

$\alpha=100.63^\circ$

$\beta=96.13^\circ$

$\gamma=114.76^\circ$



Calcium



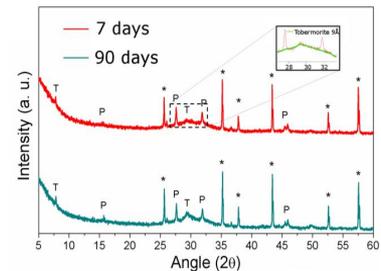
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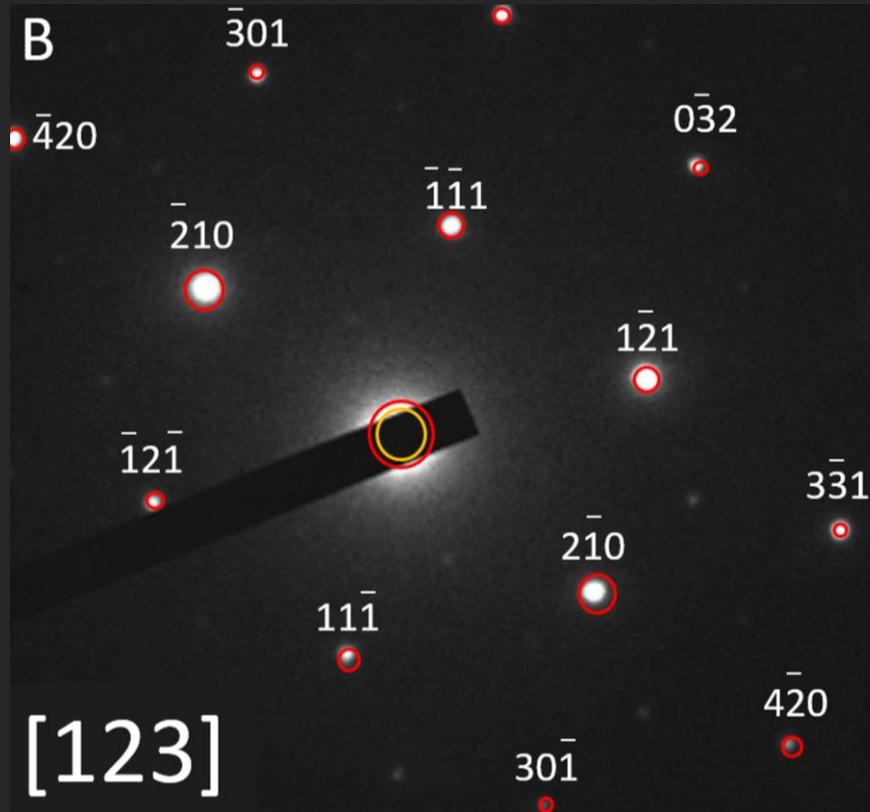
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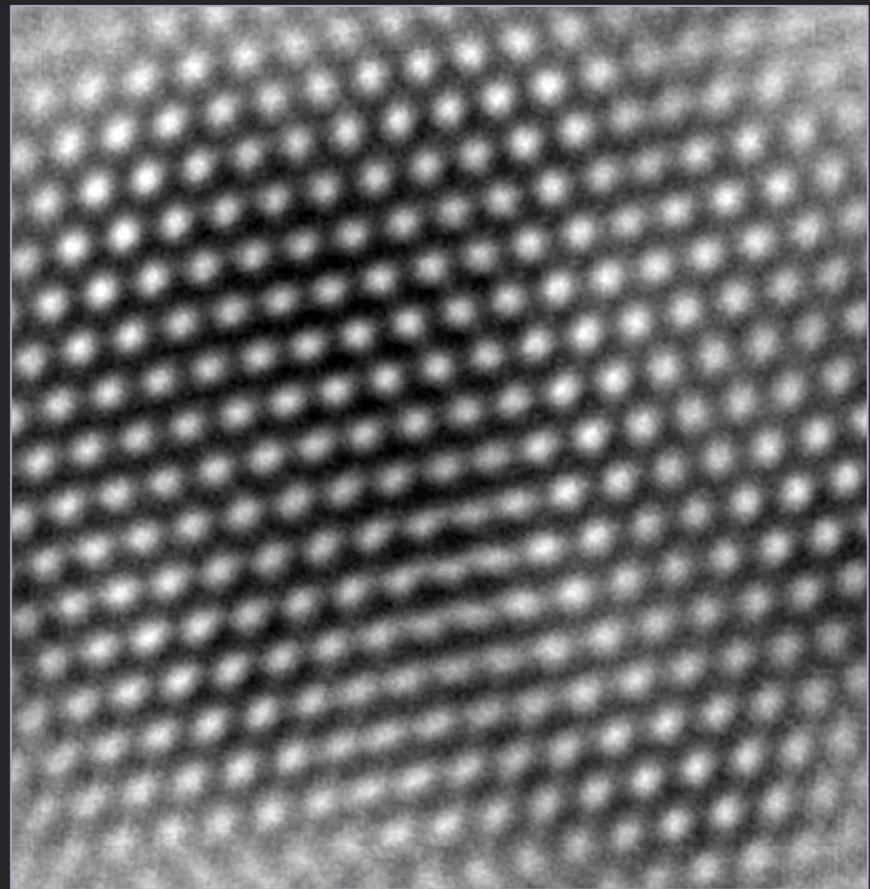
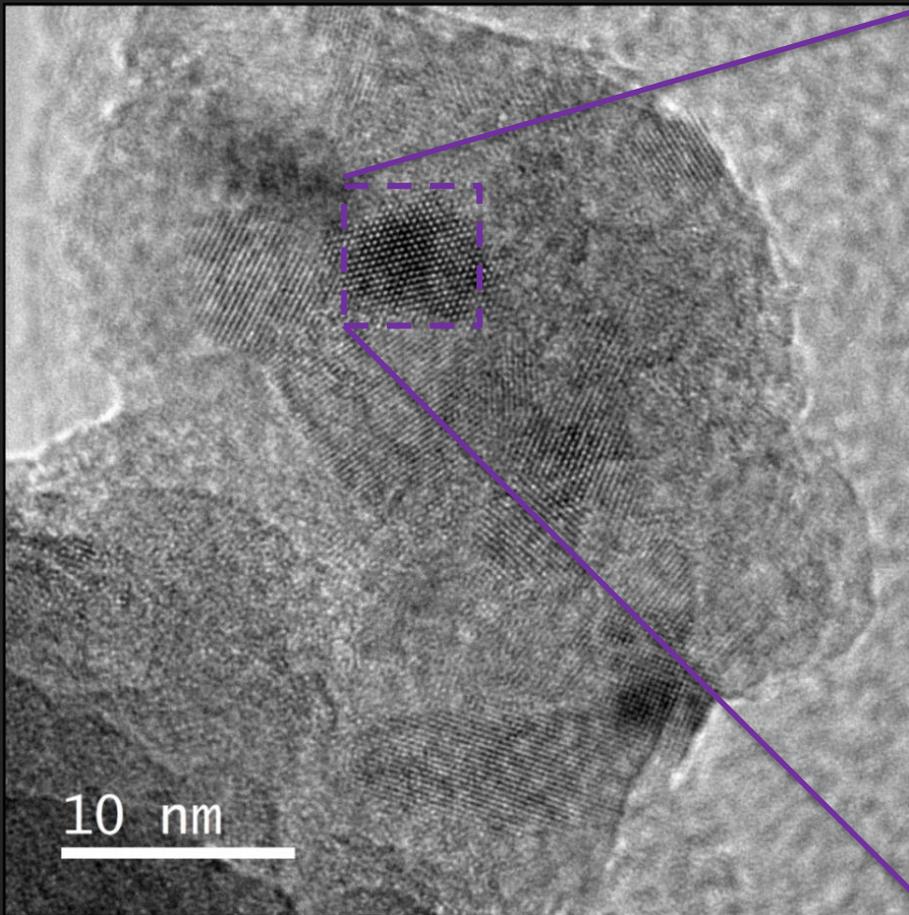


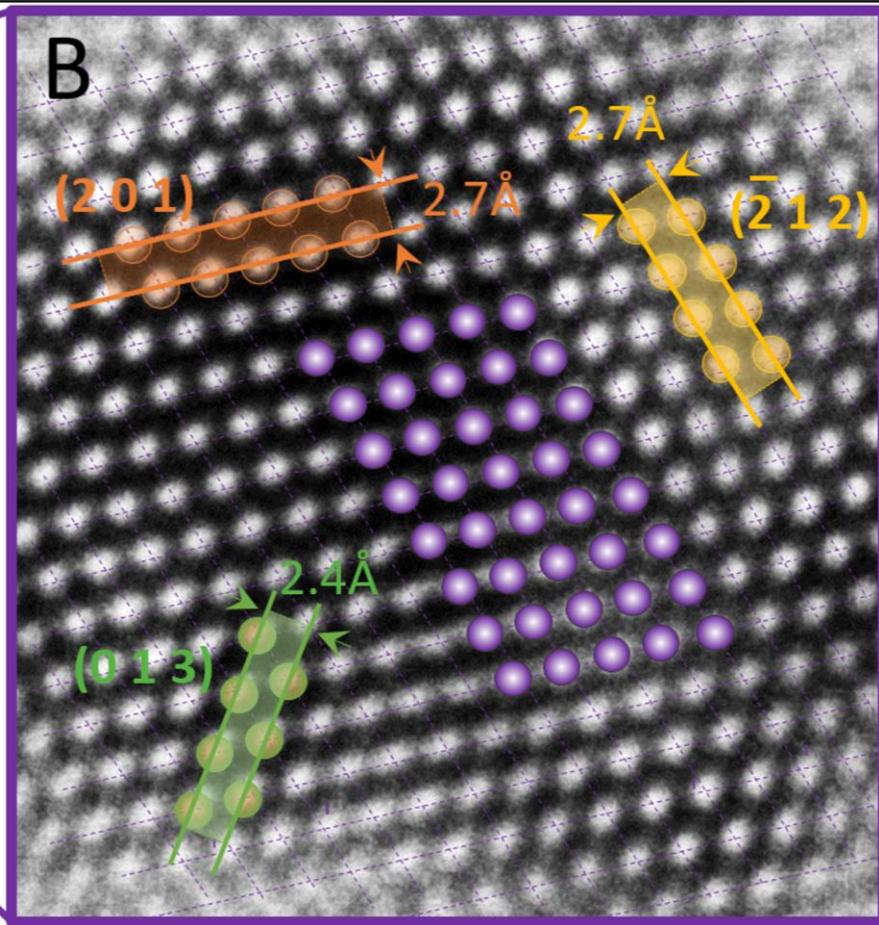
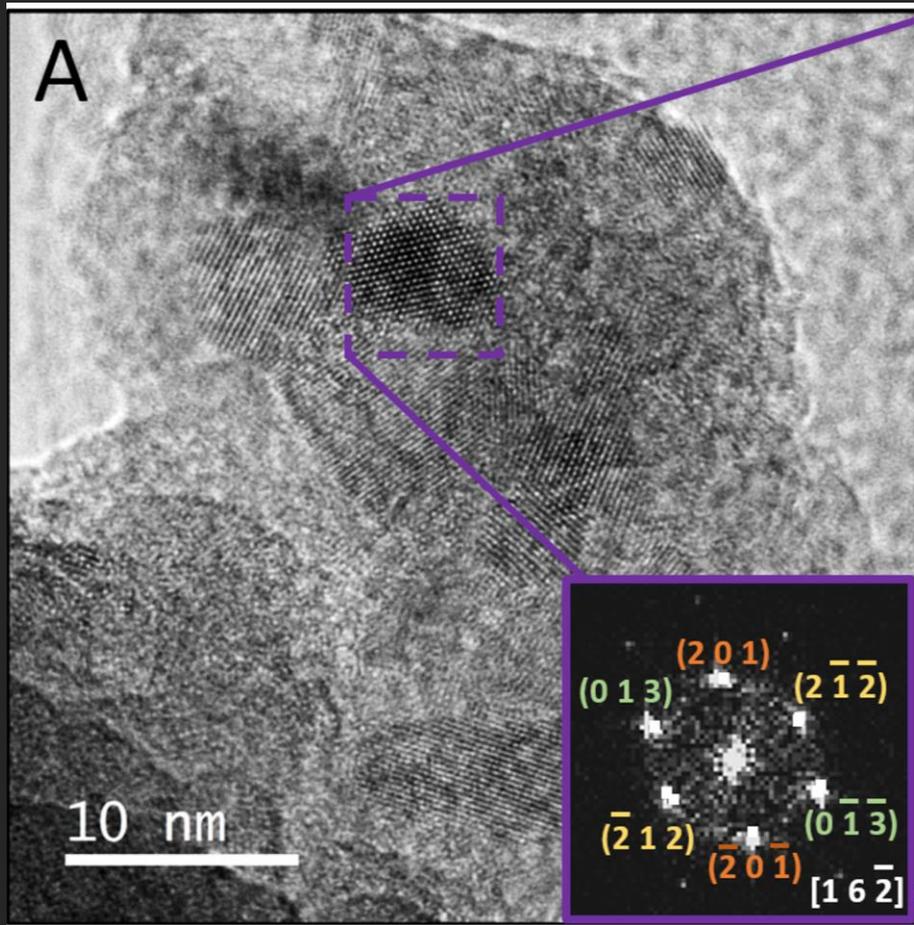
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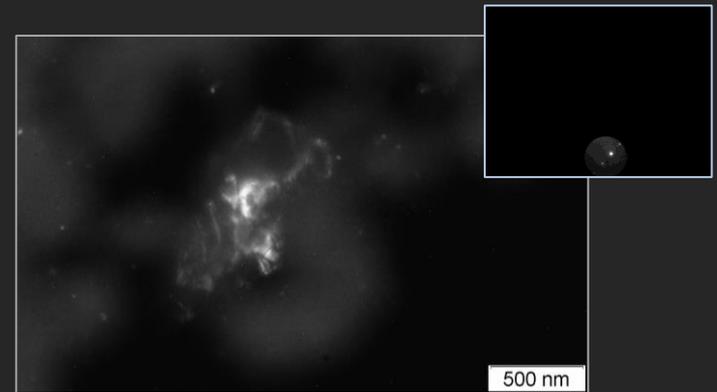
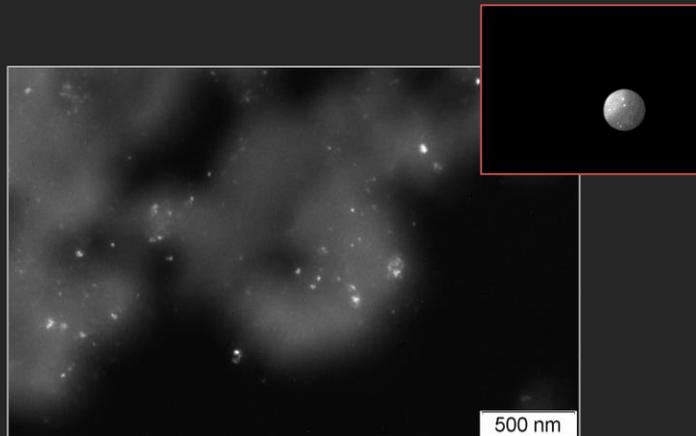
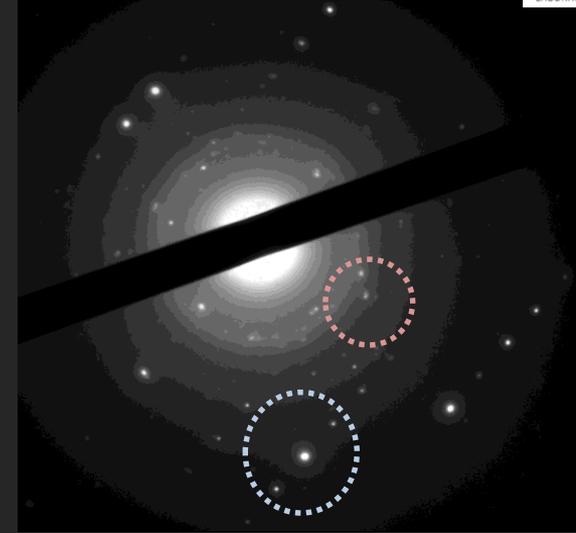
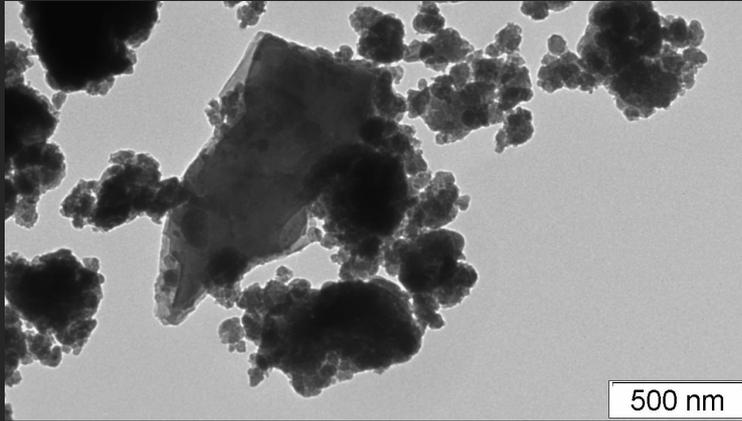
# Diffraction pattern simulation







# Amorfo 1.4 hidratado activado $\text{Na}_2\text{SiO}_3$



Dark field

# Thank you!



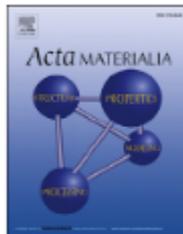


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