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Pb²⁺ Uptake by Magnesite: The Competition between Thermodynamic Driving Force and Reaction Kinetics

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Supplementary Material

1. Supplementary Material 1. Concentration, saturation indexes and pH of the solutions for the precipitation experiments

Mg mmol/kg						Pb mmol/kg						C mmol/kg					
	1	2	3	4	5		1	2	3	4	5		1	2	3	4	5
a	66.2	131	259	444	622	a	0	0	0	0	0	a	66.2	65.7	64.8	63.5	62.2
b	65.5	130	257	440	616	b	0.098	0.098	0.096	0.094	0.092	b	65.5	65.1	64.2	62.9	61.6
c	64.1	127	251	431	603	c	0.320	0.318	0.314	0.308	0.302	c	64.1	63.6	62.8	61.5	60.3
d	62.9	125	246	423	592	d	0.503	0.499	0.493	0.483	0.474	d	62.9	62.4	61.6	60.4	59.2
e	61.3	122	240	413	579	e	0.736	0.731	0.721	0.708	0.694	e	61.3	60.9	60.1	59.0	57.9
f	60.2	120	236	406	569	f	0.903	0.897	0.886	0.869	0.853	f	60.2	59.8	59.1	57.9	56.9

SI magnesite						SI cerussite						pH					
	1	2	3	4	5		1	2	3	4	5		1	2	3	4	5
a	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.0	2.0	a	//	//	//	//	//	a	7.7	7.6	7.4	7.3	7.2
b	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	b	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.9	1.9	b	7.7	7.5	7.4	7.3	7.2
c	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.9	c	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.4	c	7.6	7.5	7.4	7.2	7.1
d	1.8	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.9	d	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6	d	7.6	7.5	7.4	7.2	7.1
e	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.8	e	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.8	e	7.5	7.4	7.3	7.2	7.1
f	1.7	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.8	f	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.9	2.9	f	7.5	7.4	7.3	7.2	7.1

no precipitation
 few particles
 precipitation

Figure S1. The first row shows the concentrations of Mg, Pb and Carbon in mmol/kg. The second row contains the pH and the saturation indexes of magnesite and cerussite calculated with PHREEQC [1].

2. Supplementary Material 2. Powder x-ray diffraction of the precipitation products in the range 30-70° 2 θ Cu-K α

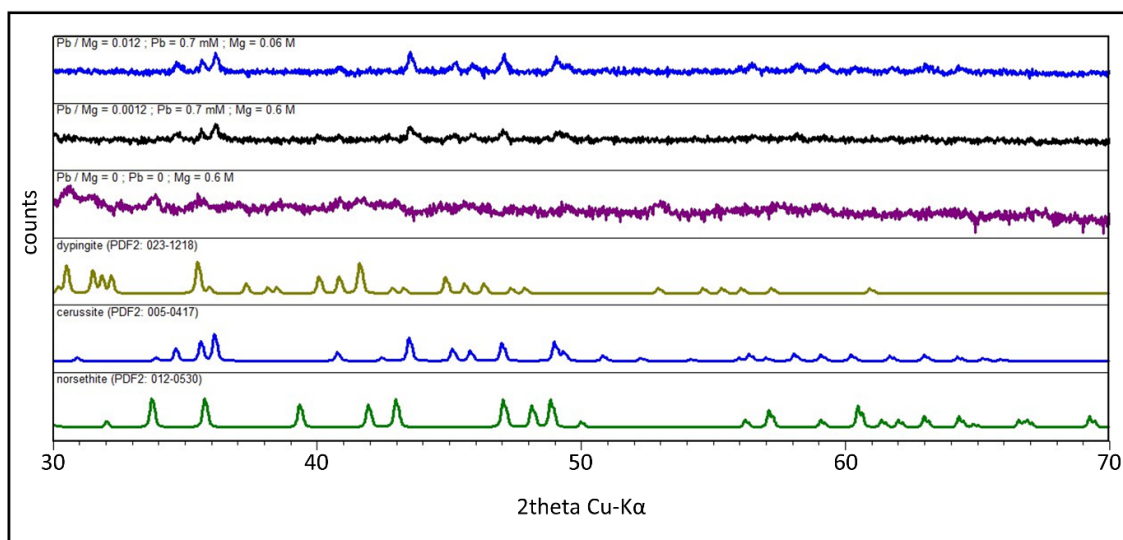


Figure S2. Powder x-ray diffraction of the precipitation products and the reference materials in the region 30-70° 2 θ (Cu-K α). The reference diffraction pattern of norsethite has been included to emphasise the absence of this phase in the reaction products.

3. Supplementary Material 3. Variation of the solubility product of magnesite as a function of temperature

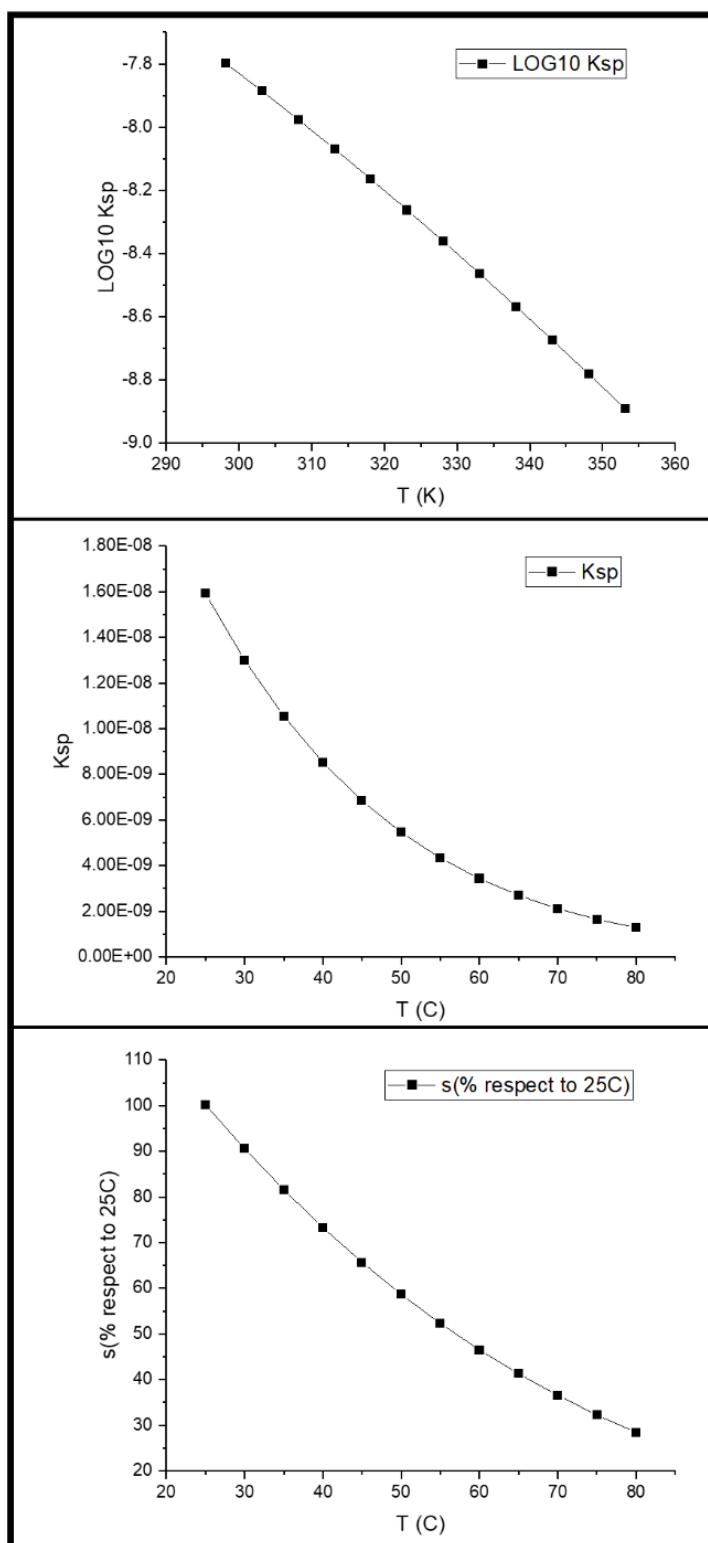


Figure S3. Retrograde solubility of MGS in the range between 25 and 80 °C calculated with the equation provided by Bénézech et al. [2].

4. Supplementary Material 4. Variation of magnesite dissolution rate as a function of temperature

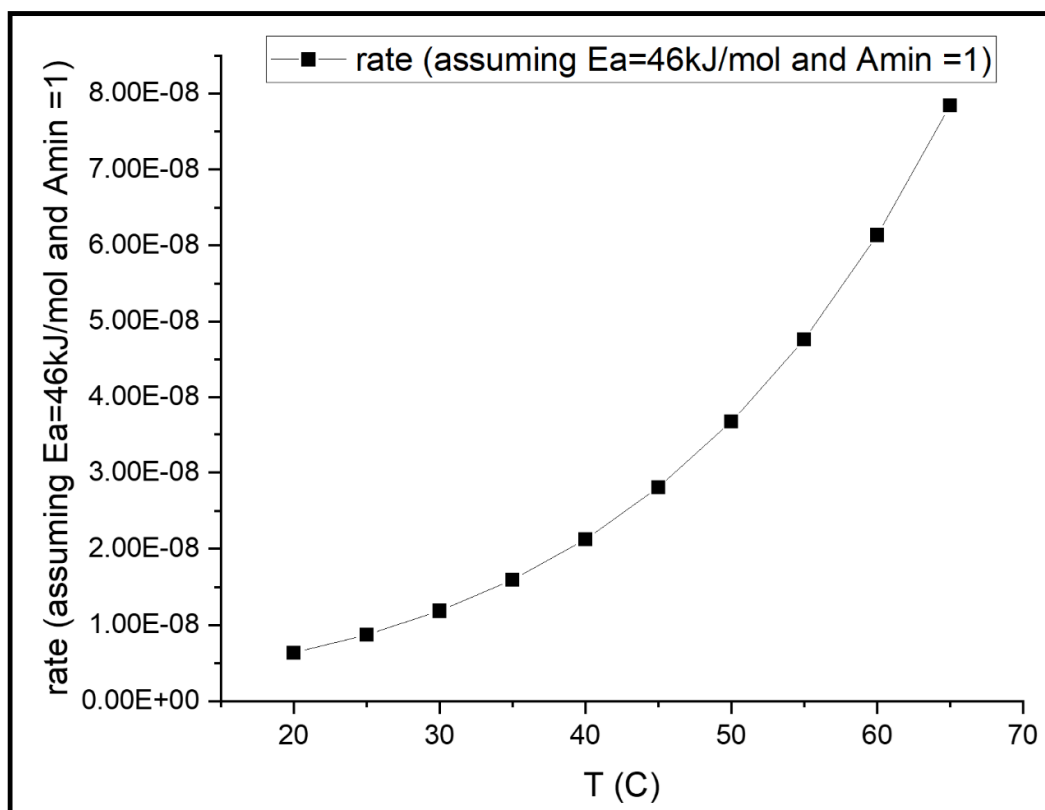


Figure S4. Increase with temperature of magnesite dissolution, a unitary surface area and the activation energy from Pokrovsky et al. [3] were used in the calculation.

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