

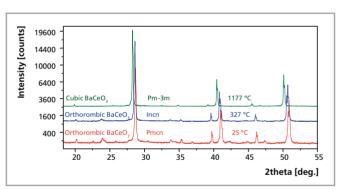
Non-ambient attachment for XRD

HTK 16N – high-temperature chamber

Benefits

- In situ powder X-ray diffraction studies up to 1600 °C
- Enables extremely fast heating rates
- Chamber design optimized for a minimum temperature gradient along the heating strip and maximum position stability of the sample
- Integrated alignment slits allow exact positioning of the strip surface even at high temperatures
- Additional thermocouple to be placed in direct contact with the sample for reliable temperature measurements and control
- A choice of heating strips depending on the experimental requirements
- Easy access to the heating strip for straightforward sample preparation

Application example



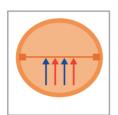
Structural phases of BaCeO3 as followed by in situ X-ray diffraction from room temperature to 1177 $^{\circ}\text{C}$

The sample is a courtesy of the Department of Earth Science at University College London.

HTK 16N chamber



Features



From room temperature to 1600°C (Pt strip)

From room temperature to 1500°C (Ta and C strips)

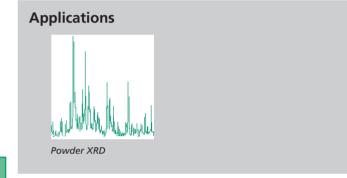
Heating rate:

- 300 °C/min (C strip)
- 500 °C/min (Pt and Ta strip)

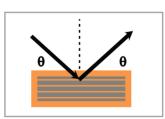
Direct heater



Vacuum 10⁻⁴ mbar Inert gases



Atmospheres



Flat plate reflection geometry.

Platinum

air, vacuum, inert gas

Graphite

vacuum, inert gas

Tantalum

vacuum

Conclusion

The HTK 16N high-temperature chamber is an ideal choice for *in situ* studies of phase transformations, changes of structural properties of both organic and inorganic materials when temperatures up to 1600 °C are required

Heating strips