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試料、実験方法、利用の結果得られた主なデータ、考察、結論等を、記述して下さい。(適宜、図表添付のこと) Please report your samples, experimental method and results, discussion and conclusions. Please add figures and tables for better explanation.

- 1. 試料 Name of sample(s) and chemical formula, or compositions including physical form.
- 1) (154)Sm4(47-nut)Ti9O24 glass sample
- 2) (152)Sm4Ti9O24 glass sample
- 3) (154)Sm4Ti9O24 glass sample
- 4) empty cell (Standard vanadium can)

## 2. 実験方法及び結果 (実験がうまくいかなかった場合、その理由を記述してください。)

Experimental method and results. If you failed to conduct experiment as planned, please describe reasons.

The diffraction experiments have been performed on the NOVA of the J-PARC Facility, JAPAN. The spherical glass samples with ca. 2mm in diameters were processed by aerodynamic levitation furnace. The 20 glass samples in a standard vanadium can with 4mm in diameter for each glass concentrations have been used for the neutron diffraction experiments at room temperature. The neutron beam height was adjusted ca. 20mm around the vanadium can. The data collection duration of the neutron diffraction runs were 7 hours. In addition, the empty can was for 3 hours for data collection.

Effective densities in the vanadium cans containing the glass samples, for example 2.3 g/cm3 for  $^{154}\text{Sm}_4\text{Ti}_9\text{O}_{24}$  glass, which need to correlate the scattering intensities were calculated by the total vanadium can weighs and the can volume. That density is smaller than the true densities of bulk glass samples.

There was no Bragg peak in the observed neutron diffraction spectra, which indicating that the prepared glass samples were fully glass (no crystallized glass). There are a number of neutron diffraction experiments using 154Sm contain materials. We used the high purity 154Sm (99.9%) oxides for preparing the 154-Sm4Ti9O24 glass samples. At present, the smooth and no Bragg peak structure factor of the 154-Sm4Ti9O24 glass have been obtained from 1.5 to 25 A-1. The 149Sm atom shows a strong resonance at 0.098eV of the neutron cross section.

## 2. 実験方法及び結果(つづき) Experimental method and results (continued)

Since we prepared 152-Sm4Ti9O24 glass using 98.7% purity 152-Sm oxides, the intensity of the structure factor S(Q) of that glass at high Q regions have been increased. The Ti atom cross section of (154)Sm4(46-nut)Ti9O24 glass is set to be zero because we prepared the glass sample by utilizing the cross section difference between 46-Ti (4.93) and nut-Ti (-3.438). The smooth structure factor of the (154)Sm4(46-nut)Ti9O24 glass was obtained from 1.5 to 25A-1.

The following figure is the structure factors of the 152-Sm4Ti9O24 glass (0.3 A-1<Q<10 A-1).

