

Emission colour tuning through coupled N/La introduction in $\text{Sr}_2\text{SiO}_4\text{:Eu}^{2+}$

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Supplementary Information

Table S1. Crystallographic and refinement data from synchrotron X-ray powder diffraction data ($\lambda=0.458996$ Å, $T=298$ K) for $\text{Sr}_{2-x}\text{La}_x\text{SiO}_4\text{N}_x$ ($x=0.0, 0.2, 0.3, 0.5, 1.0$) .

	$\beta\text{-Sr}_2\text{SiO}_4$	$\text{La}_{0.2}\text{Sr}_{1.8}\text{SiO}_{3.8}\text{N}_{0.2}$	$\text{La}_{0.3}\text{Sr}_{1.7}\text{SiO}_{3.7}\text{N}_{0.3}$	$\text{La}_{0.5}\text{Sr}_{1.5}\text{SiO}_{3.5}\text{N}_{0.5}$	$\text{LaSrSiO}_3\text{N}$
Space group	P2 ₁ /n	Pmnb	Pmnb	Pmnb	Pmnb
a(Å)	5.6613(1)	5.65855(1)	5.6545(1)	5.6523(1)	5.64986(5)
b(Å)	7.0808(1)	7.0942(1)	7.1014(1)	7.1100(1)	7.11547(5)
c(Å)	9.7558(1)	9.7591(2)	9.7641(2)	9.7778(2)	9.8172(1)
$\beta(^{\circ})$	92.6515(8)				
V(Å ³)	390.66(1)	391.76(1)	392.08(1)	392.95(1)	394.67(1)
N _p , N _{irefl} ^(a)	34500, 2617	34500, 1394	34500, 1403	34500, 1400	34500, 1435
P _p , P _i , P _g ^(b)	17, 63, 7	13, 24, 39	15, 24, 6	15, 29, 7	13, 26, 7
R _{Bragg} , R _f , χ^2	5.0, 3.0, 1.43	4.16, 5.06, 1.38	4.88, 4.81, 2.01	4.15, 3.6, 2.70	3.43, 3.88, 1.37
R _p , R _{wp} , R _{ex} ^(c)	9.20, 13.6, 11.34	9.51, 13.0, 11.13	8.98, 13.3, 9.45	9.79, 14.4, 8.73	5.98, 9.38, 8.02

(a) N_p, N_{irefl} refer to the number of experimental points and independent reflections.

(b) P_p, P_i, P_g, refer to the number of profile, intensity-affecting and global refined parameters, respectively.

(c) Conventional Rietveld R-factors (R_p, R_{wp}, R_{exp}) in %

Table S2. Atomic coordinates, cation and anion occupancies for $\text{Sr}_{1.5}\text{La}_{0.5}\text{SiO}_{3.5}\text{N}_{0.5}$ ^(a,b)

Site	Wyckoff position	x	y	z	occupation factor
La1/Sr1	4c	0.25	0.6575(7)	0.4175(3)	0.054(9)/0.946
La2/Sr2	4c	0.25	0.0055(7)	0.42182(6)	0.446/0.554
Si	4c	0.25	0.221(2)	0.6966(5)	1
O1/N1	4c	0.25	0.9950(5)	0.4343(4)	1/0
O2/N2	4c	0.25	0.331(8)	0.570(5)	0.5/0.5
O3/N3	8d	0.012(5)	0.286(4)	0.338(4)	0.75/0.25

(a) Estimated standard deviations in parentheses are shown once for each independent variable. La/Sr occupation factors were refined subject to the ideal stoichiometry. O/N occupation factors were considered fixed to those obtained in LaBaSiO₃N from neutron diffraction in A. P. Black, K. A. Denault, J. Oro-Sole, A. R. Goñi and A. Fuertes, Chem. Comm., 2015, 51, 2166.

(b) Refined isotropic B-factors were 0.83(3) Å² for silicon, 2.06(9) Å² for O2/N2 and 1.74(7) Å² for O3/N3. Temperature factors were refined anisotropically for La/Sr and O1/N1. Resulting equivalent B-factors were 1.29 Å², 0.99 Å² and 2.95 Å² for La1/Sr1, La2/Sr2 and O1/N1, respectively.

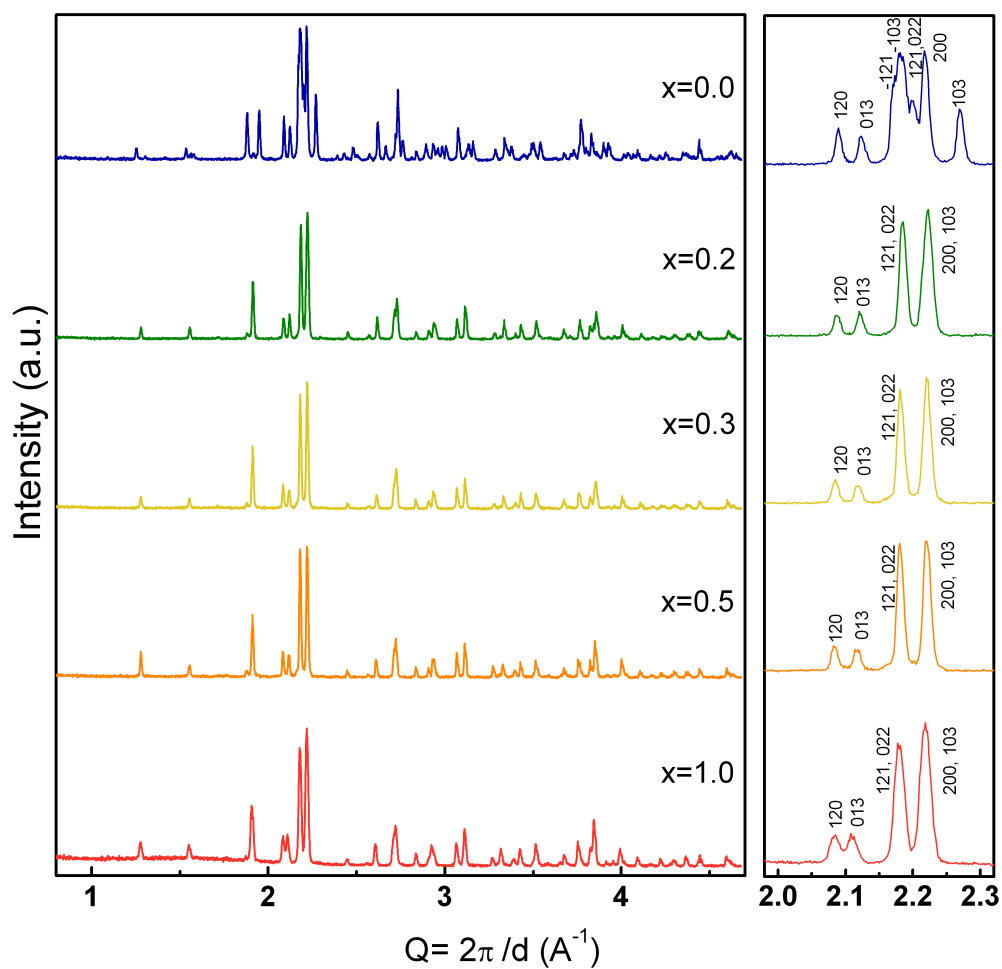


Figure S1. X-ray powder diffraction patterns for $\text{Sr}_{1.98-x}\text{Eu}_{0.02}\text{La}_x\text{SiO}_{4-x}\text{N}_x$ ($0 \leq x \leq 1$) and enlarged images of the intense reflections around $Q=2 \text{ \AA}^{-1}$ region.

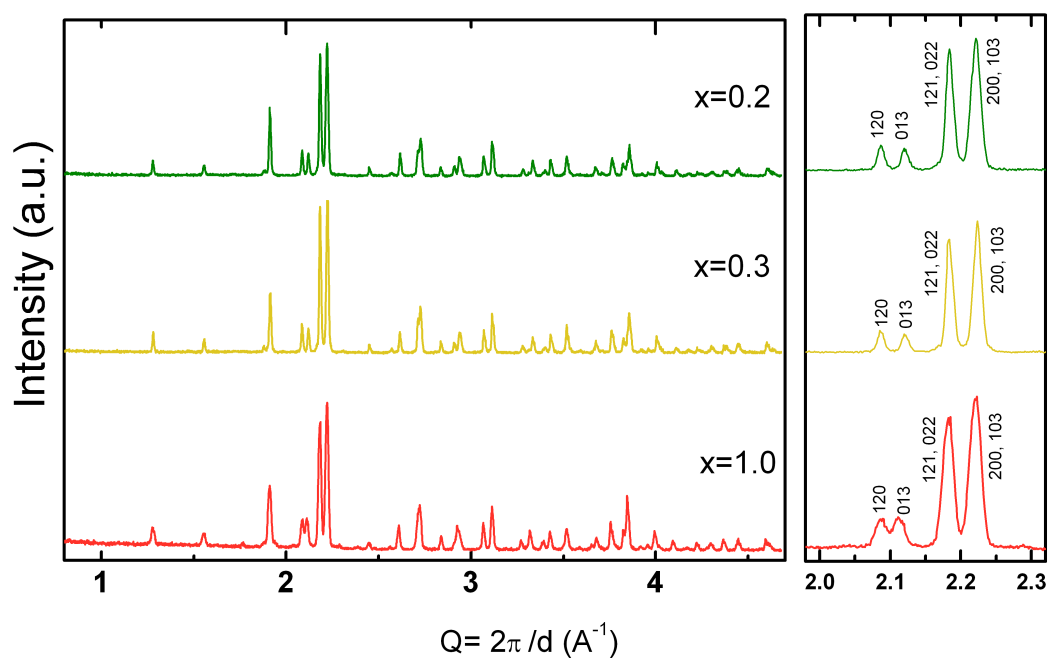


Figure S2. X-ray powder diffraction patterns for $\text{Sr}_{2-x}\text{La}_{x-0.02}\text{Ce}_{0.02}\text{SiO}_{4-x}\text{N}_x$ ($0.2, 0.3, 1.0$) and enlarged images of the intense reflections around $Q=2 \text{ \AA}^{-1}$ region.

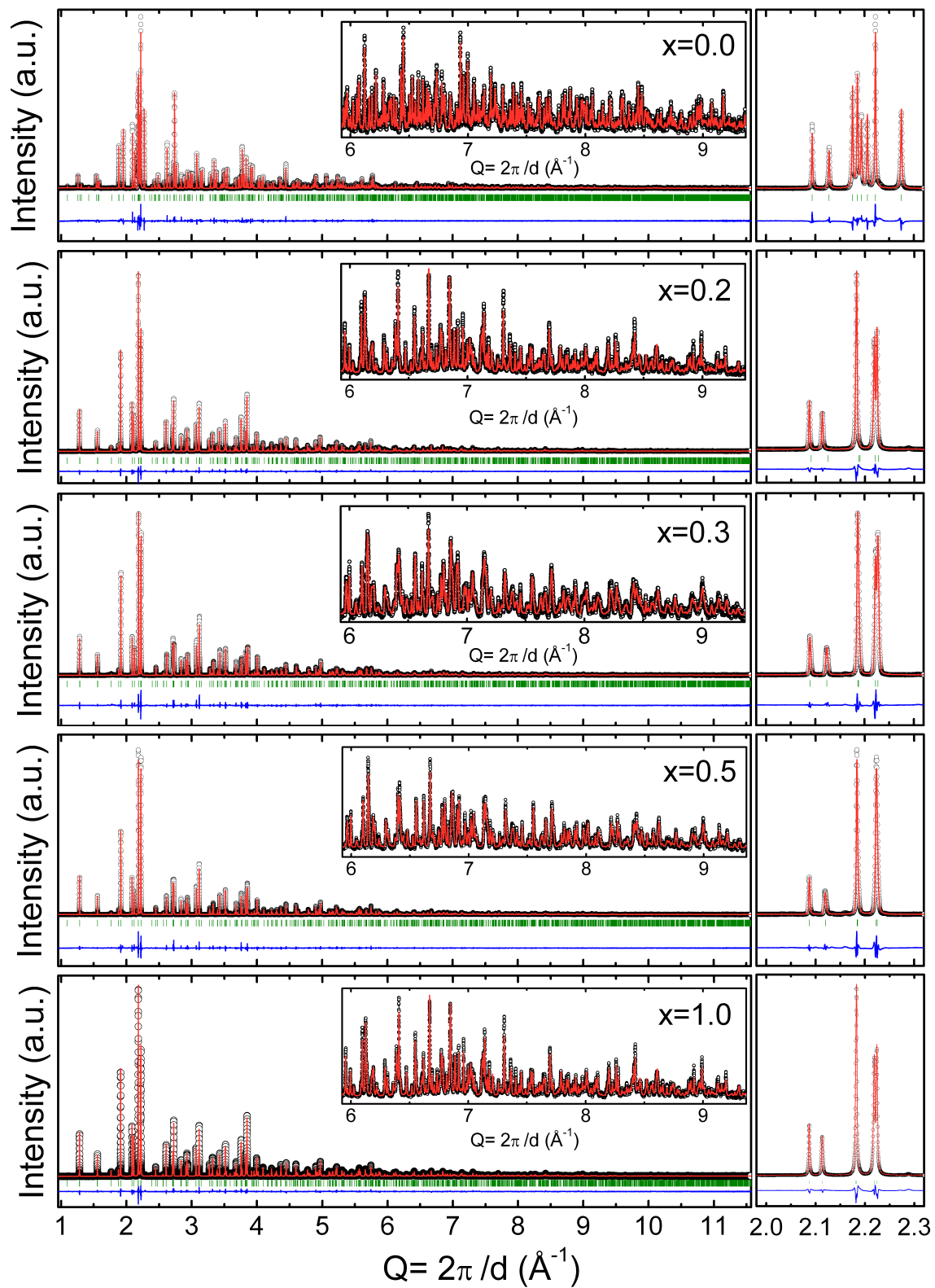


Figure S3. Observed and calculated synchrotron X-ray powder diffraction patterns for $\text{Sr}_{2-x}\text{La}_x\text{SiO}_{4-x}\text{N}_x$.

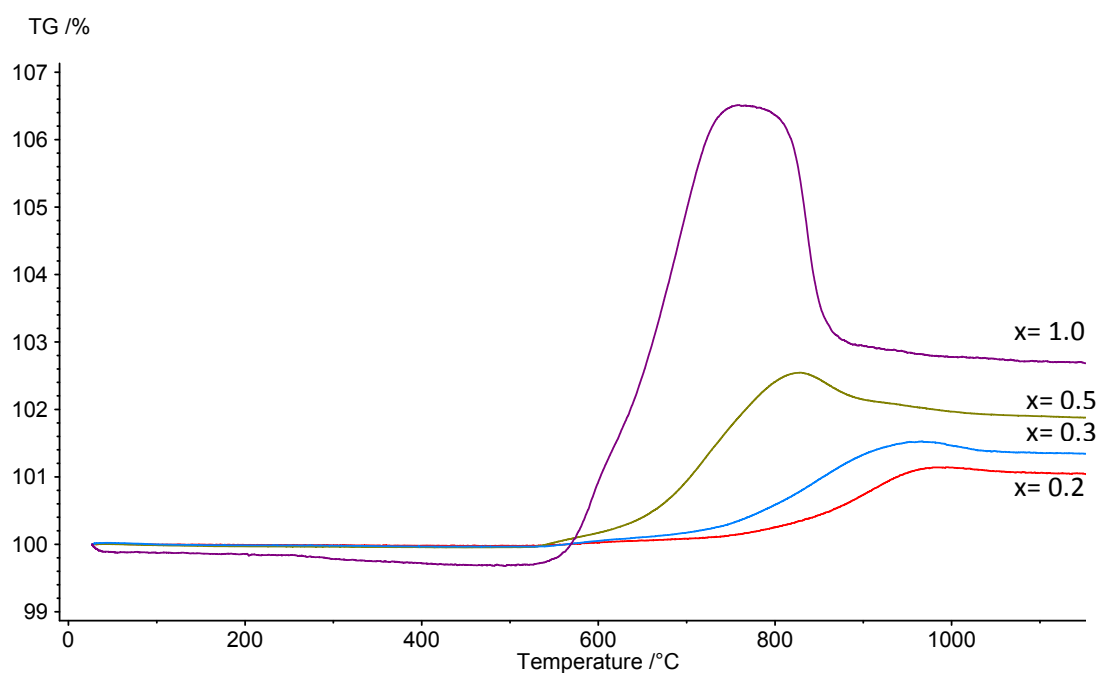


Figure S4. TGA curves in O₂ for Sr_{2-x}La_xSiO_{4-x}N_x.

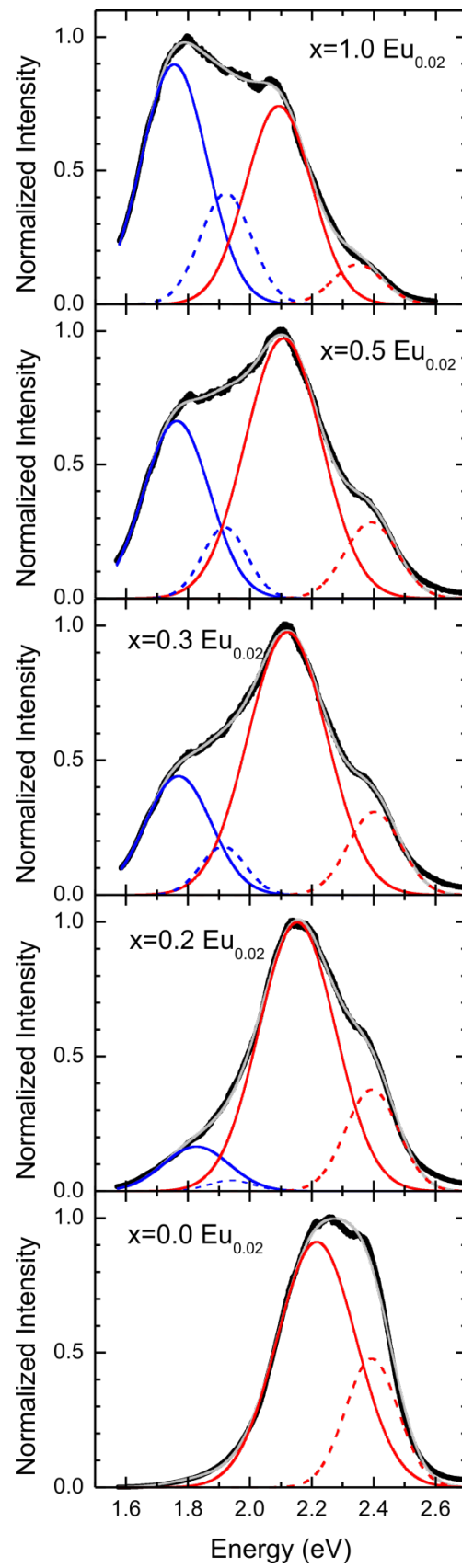


Figure S5. Deconvolution of emission spectra of $\text{Sr}_{2-x}\text{La}_x\text{SiO}_{4-x}\text{N}_x:\text{Eu}_{0.02}$ under excitation at 405 nm.

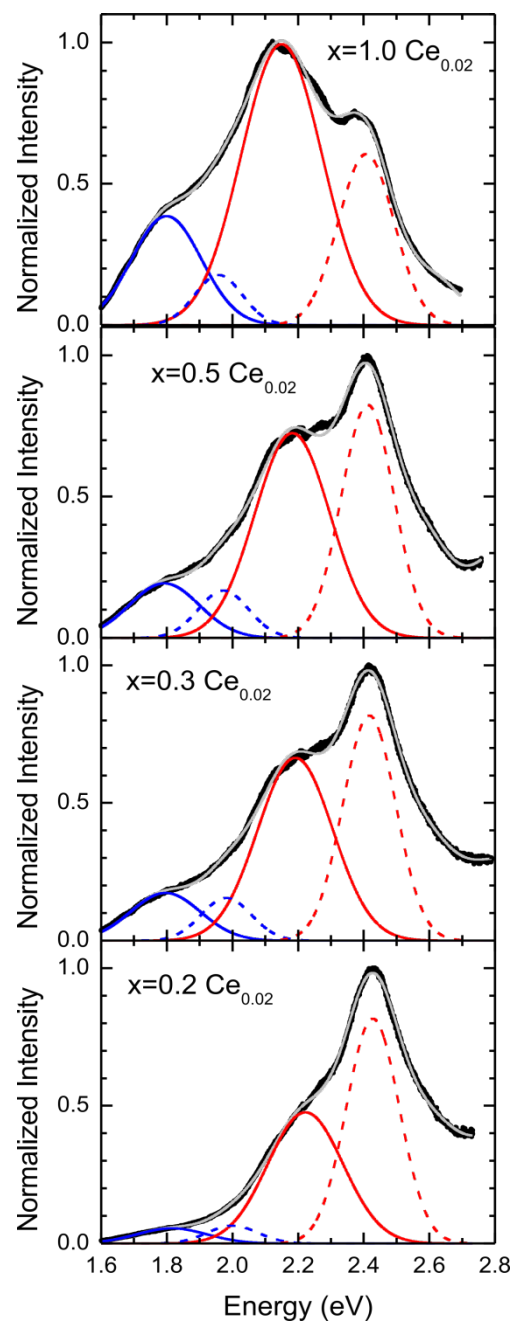


Figure S6. Deconvolution of emission spectra of $\text{Sr}_{2-x}\text{La}_x\text{SiO}_4\text{N}_x:\text{Ce}_{0.02}$ under excitation at 405 nm.