

## Supplementary Information

### **Substitution driven Structural and Magnetic Transformation in Ca-doped BiFeO<sub>3</sub>**

#### **nanoparticles**

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TABLE S1: Rietveld refined parameters of  $\text{Bi}_{1-x}\text{Ca}_x\text{FeO}_3$  nanostructured samples.

Samples	Lattice parameters	Atoms	Positions	x	y	z	R-factors (%)
<b>x=0</b>	a = 5.5751 ( $\text{\AA}$ )	Fe	6a	0.0	0.0	0.0190	$R_{wp} = 3.17$
	c = 13.8590( $\text{\AA}$ )	Bi	6a	0.0	0.0	0.29745	$R_p = 2.49$
	V = 373.061 ( $\text{\AA}^3$ )	O	18b	0.2307	0.3581	0.0833	$R_f = 1.75$ $R_{Bragg} = 1.17$
<b>x=0.05</b>	a = 5.5704 ( $\text{\AA}$ )	Fe	6a	0.0	0.0	-0.1785	$R_{wp} = 3.36$
<b>R3c (95.48%)</b>	c = 13.8243 ( $\text{\AA}$ )	Bi/Ca	6a	0.0	0.0	0.2041	$R_p = 2.67$
	V = 371.485 ( $\text{\AA}^3$ )	O	18b	0.1023	0.2921	0.0833	$R_{fl} = 1.45$
<b>Pnma (4.52%)</b>	a = 5.859( $\text{\AA}$ )	Bi/Ca	4c	0.0294	0.25	0.9686	$R_{Bragg1} = 1.75$
	b = 7.8276( $\text{\AA}$ )	Fe	4b	0	0	0.5	$R_{f2} = 4.61$
	c = 5.5830 ( $\text{\AA}$ )	O	4c	0.4834	0.25	0.0725	$R_{Bragg2} = 3.81$
	V = 244.118 ( $\text{\AA}^3$ )	O	8d	0.0539	0.5035	0.1902	
<b>x=0.10</b>	a = 5.5748 ( $\text{\AA}$ )	Fe	6a	0.0	0.0	-0.1903	$R_{wp} = 3.5$
<b>R3c (74.89%)</b>	c = 13.8169 ( $\text{\AA}$ )	Bi/Ca	6a	0.0	0.0	0.2052	$R_p = 2.78$
	V = 371.889 ( $\text{\AA}^3$ )	O	18b	0.0916	0.3112	0.0833	$R_{fl} = 1.11$
<b>Pnma (25.11%)</b>	a = 5.5763 ( $\text{\AA}$ )	Bi/Ca	4c	-0.014	0.25	0.9858	$R_{Bragg1} = 1.35$
	b = 7.8303 ( $\text{\AA}$ )	Fe	4b	0	0	0.5	$R_{f2} = 2.48$
	c = 5.5748 ( $\text{\AA}$ )	O	4c	0.5011	0.25	-0.0143	$R_{Bragg2} = 2.59$
	V = 243.418 ( $\text{\AA}^3$ )	O	8d	0.1792	0.4889	0.2202	
<b>x=0.15</b>	a = 5.5621 ( $\text{\AA}$ )	Fe	6a	0.0	0.0	-0.0188	$R_{wp} = 3.45$
<b>R3c (57.02%)</b>	c = 13.8167 ( $\text{\AA}$ )	Bi/Ca	6a	0.0	0.0	0.2027	$R_p = 2.72$
	V = 371.902 ( $\text{\AA}^3$ )	O	18b	0.1028	0.2997	0.0833	$R_{fl} = 1.81$
<b>Pnma (42.98%)</b>	a = 5.5621 ( $\text{\AA}$ )	Bi/Ca	4c	0.01246	0.25	0.9825	$R_{Bragg1} = 1.92$
	b = 7.827 ( $\text{\AA}$ )	Fe	4b	0	0	0.5	$R_{f2} = 3.44$
	c = 5.5744 ( $\text{\AA}$ )	O	4c	0.4897	0.25	0.0044	$R_{Bragg2} = 2.72$
	V = 242.68( $\text{\AA}^3$ )	O	8d	0.28137	0.479	0.2012	
<b>x=0.20</b>	a = 5.5625 ( $\text{\AA}$ )	Fe	6a	0.0	0.0	-0.0131	$R_{wp} = 3.38$
<b>R3c (15.80%)</b>	c = 13.7995 ( $\text{\AA}$ )	Bi/Ca	6a	0.0	0.0	0.2193	$R_p = 2.68$
	V = 369.771 ( $\text{\AA}^3$ )	O	18b	0.1028	0.2781	0.0833	$R_{fl} = 3.89$
<b>Pnma (84.20%)</b>	a = 5.5506 ( $\text{\AA}$ )	Bi/Ca	4c	0.01464	0.25	0.9848	$R_{Bragg1} = 4.1$
	b = 7.8316 ( $\text{\AA}$ )	Fe	4b	0	0	0.5	$R_{f2} = 4.77$
	c = 5.5541 ( $\text{\AA}$ )	O	4c	0.5049	0.25	0.0108	$R_{Bragg2} = 4.10$
	V = 241.438( $\text{\AA}^3$ )	O	8d	0.1664	0.4575	0.1943	

TABLE S2: Raman modes positions and FWHMs of  $\text{Bi}_{1-x}\text{Ca}_x\text{FeO}_3$  nanoparticles.

S. No.	Mode	x = 0.0			x = 0.05			x = 0.10			x = 0.15			x = 0.20		
		Center	$\omega_i$	FWHM	Center	$\omega_i$	FWHM	Center	$\omega_i$	FWHM	Center	$\omega_i$	FWHM	Center	$\omega_i$	FWHM
			$\text{cm}^{-1}$	$\Gamma_i \text{ cm}^{-1}$		$\text{cm}^{-1}$	$\Gamma_i \text{ cm}^{-1}$		$\text{cm}^{-1}$	$\Gamma_i \text{ cm}^{-1}$		$\text{cm}^{-1}$	$\Gamma_i \text{ cm}^{-1}$		$\text{cm}^{-1}$	$\Gamma_i \text{ cm}^{-1}$
1	E(TO1)	71.1	8.9	66.3	10.6	64.3	14.9	63.4	15.1	63.9	24.5	-	-	-	-	-
2	E(LO1)	76.6	5.3	75.7	10.5	75.3	13.3	75.0	16.4	75.0	32.6	-	-	-	-	-
3	E(TO2)	139.2	27.7	143.1	41.4	142.7	43.4	144.7	52.1	145.9	51.8	-	-	-	-	-
4	A1(TO1)	172.3	10.9	173.1	15.8	172.7	17.7	172.5	19.5	173.4	31.9	-	-	-	-	-
5	A1(TO2)	218.4	17.9	219.7	15.7	221.0	22.0	223.8	23.2	223.8	30.9	-	-	-	-	-
6	E(TO3)	232.2	23.5	230.7	19.2	236.4	28.9	239.5	21.1	239.1	23.1	-	-	-	-	-
7	E(TO4)	261.2	19.3	257.6	32.7	262.4	30.6	258.3	28.6	256.6	17.1	-	-	-	-	-
8	E(TO5)	278.1	23.8	278.2	27.3	280.4	29.3	276.9	29.2	276.7	37.9	-	-	-	-	-
9	A1(TO3)	302.4	37.3	299.8	41.6	300.0	27.9	296.4	27.4	306.9	27.7	-	-	-	-	-
10	E(TO6)	346.6	27.5	353.1	18.1	341.1	34.4	351.3	35.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	E(TO7)	369.7	10.9	371.1	7.0	370.7	13.6	372.5	21.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	E(TO8)	436.3	11.4	441.6	10.9	454.4	29.8	451.1	36.6	465.5	25.7	-	-	-	-	-
13	E(LO8)	471.2	32.6	476.8	32.0	479.4	33.7	479.9	34.9	486.5	28.8	-	-	-	-	-
14	E(TO9)	524.0	29.6	521.4	42.6	517.7	43.7	515.6	43.0	512.7	35.1	-	-	-	-	-
15	A1(TO4)	550.8	30.6	547.9	28.6	540.8	39.6	545.4	46.8	538.2	38.3	-	-	-	-	-
16	E(LO9)	608.2	42.9	614.9	48.6	618.6	56.5	621.5	62.0	631.0	70.8	-	-	-	-	-
17	-	-	-	660.9	78.1	665.5	79.8	671.8	67.0	684.1	63.3	-	-	-	-	-
18	2E(LO8)	938.4	72.9	937.8	87.5	943.1	85.7	957.9	145.95	940.9	143.3	-	-	-	-	-
19	2E(TO9)	1038.8	102.7	1034.6	105.7	1036.2	85.8	1035.8	85.2	1030.4	86.2	-	-	-	-	-
20	2A1(TO4)	1101.2	58.7	1099.6	63.3	1097.0	57.1	1096.2	66.2	1085.7	67.6	-	-	-	-	-
21	2A1(LO4)	1147.6	47.3	1144.4	57.6	1144.6	57.9	1143.5	62.9	1135.8	67.4	-	-	-	-	-
22	2E(LO9)	1264.3	142.4	1273.6	151.7	1275.9	159.2	1276.4	164.8	1281.6	200.3	-	-	-	-	-