

Total Counts

2 Supplementary Fig. 1⁺ The instrument and method limits of detection (ILOD and MLOD) for ¹⁰³Rh and ¹⁰⁵Pd determined using the equations

- 3 of Longerich et al. (1996)⁶² and Pettke et al. (2012)⁶⁴ as a function of the total measured counts for Agilent 7700x LA-ICP-MS analysis of
- 4 chalcopyrite and bornite.



Supplementary Fig. 2-1[†] Method and instrument limits of detection (MLOD and ILOD) for ¹⁰³Rh determined using the equations of
Longerich et al. (1996)⁶² (normal distribution) and Pettke et al. (2012)⁶⁴ (Poisson distribution) for Agilent 7700x LA-ICP-MS analysis of
chalcopyrite CRG-1902 (34.52% Cu).



Supplementary Fig. 2-2† Method and instrument limits of detection (MLOD and ILOD) for ¹⁰⁵Pd determined using the equations of
 Longerich et al. (1996)⁶² (normal distribution) and Pettke et al. (2012)⁶⁴ (Poisson distribution) for Agilent 7700x LA-ICP-MS analysis of
 chalcopyrite CRG-1902 (34.52% Cu).



Supplementary Fig. 3-1[†] Method and instrument limits of detection (MLOD and ILOD) for ¹⁰³Rh determined using the equations of
Longerich et al. (1996)⁶² (normal distribution) and Pettke et al. (2012)⁶⁴ (Poisson distribution) for Agilent 7700x LA-ICP-MS analysis of
bornite OSP9 (62.19% Cu).



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22 Supplementary Fig. 4-1⁺ Observed uncertainty versus Poisson uncertainty for gas blank signals for 8900x LA-ICP-MS/MS PGE analysis

23 of Cu-rich mineral bornite OSP9 (AU21A17 experiment).



Supplementary Fig. 4-2⁺ Poisson and observed measurement uncertainties versus total counts for the gas blank signals in 8900x LA-ICP MS/MS PGE analysis of Cu-rich mineral bornite (AU21A17 experiment).



Supplementary Fig. 5[†] Observed uncertainty versus Poisson uncertainty of gas blank corrected sample signal in 8900x LA-ICP-MS/MS
PGE analysis of Cu-rich mineral bornite OSP9 (AU21A17 experiment).



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Supplementary Fig. 6-1⁺ 63 Cu⁴⁰Ar⁺ and 65 Cu⁴⁰Ar⁺ interference removal and sensitivity change of 103 Rh⁺ and 105 Pd⁺, as well as other PGE,





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Supplementary Fig. 6-2^{\dagger} ⁶³Cu⁴⁰Ar⁺ contribution on ¹⁰³Rh⁺ in 7700x LA-ICP-MS analysis of Cu-rich materials with He collision gas flow rates of 0 to 9 mL min⁻¹.



Supplementary Fig. 7-1⁺ Time resolved signals for analysis of bornite CMNMC 42116 (analysis JN09F07) containing 27 ng g⁻¹ to 100 μg
g⁻¹ Pb by 7700x LA-ICP-MS.



40 Supplementary Fig. 7-2[†] Time resolved signals for analysis of bornite CMNMC 42116 (analysis AU22D15) containing 6 to 158 μ g g⁻¹ Pb 41 by 8900x LA-ICP-MS/MS.



43 Supplementary Fig. 8-1⁺ Method and instrument limits of detection (MLOD and ILOD) for ¹⁰³Rh and ¹⁰⁵Pd for Agilent 7700x LA-ICP-MS
44 analysis of chalcopyrite CRG-1902 (34.52% Cu).



46 Supplementary Fig. 8-2[†] Method and instrument limits of detection (MLOD and ILOD) for ¹⁰³Rh and ¹⁰⁵Pd for Agilent 7700x LA-ICP-

⁴⁷ MS analysis of bornite OSP9 (62.19%).



Supplementary Fig. 9[†] Signals (counts s⁻¹) of ⁶³Cu⁴⁰Ar⁺ vs. ⁶³Cu⁺ in 7700x LA-ICP-MS analyses of chalcopyrite CRG-1902 (34.52% Cu)
at He collision gas flow rate of 0 to 8 mL min⁻¹.



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52 Supplementary Fig. 10-1† Rh content determination with and without using the Sylvester (2001)⁵³ and linear CuAr interference correction





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55 Supplementary Fig. 10-2† Pd content determination with and without the Sylvester (2001)⁵³ and linear CuAr interference correction

