

Supplementary Materials

High surface area ordered mesoporous nano-titania by rapid surfactant-free approach

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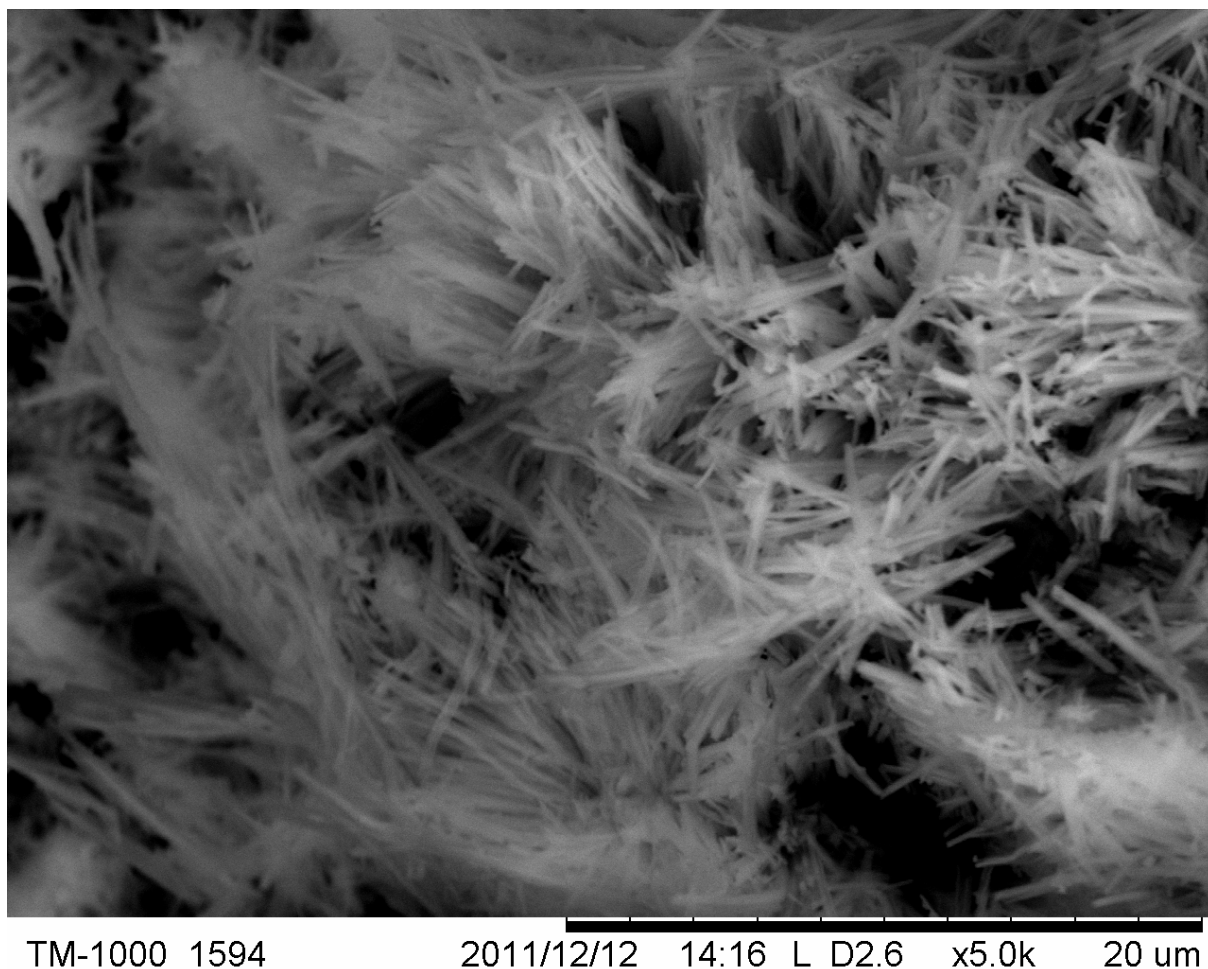


Figure FS1 Typical appearance of TiO₂ nanorods obtained from Ti(OMe)₄ nanorods after 30 min of reflux in water (SEM).

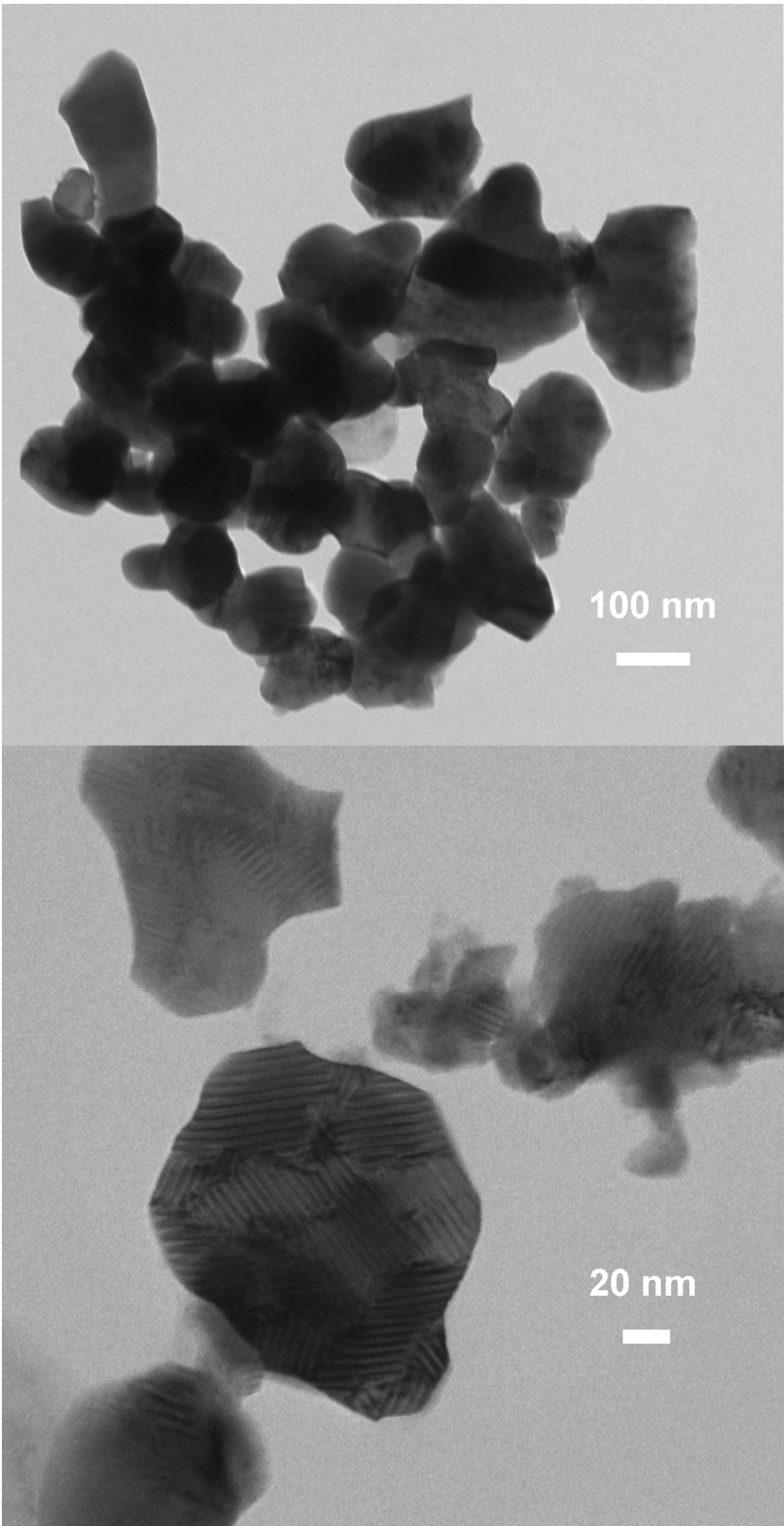


Figure FS2 TEM image of the material produced by immersion of [Ti(OⁱPr)₃(Pca)]₂ nanocrystals into boiling water.

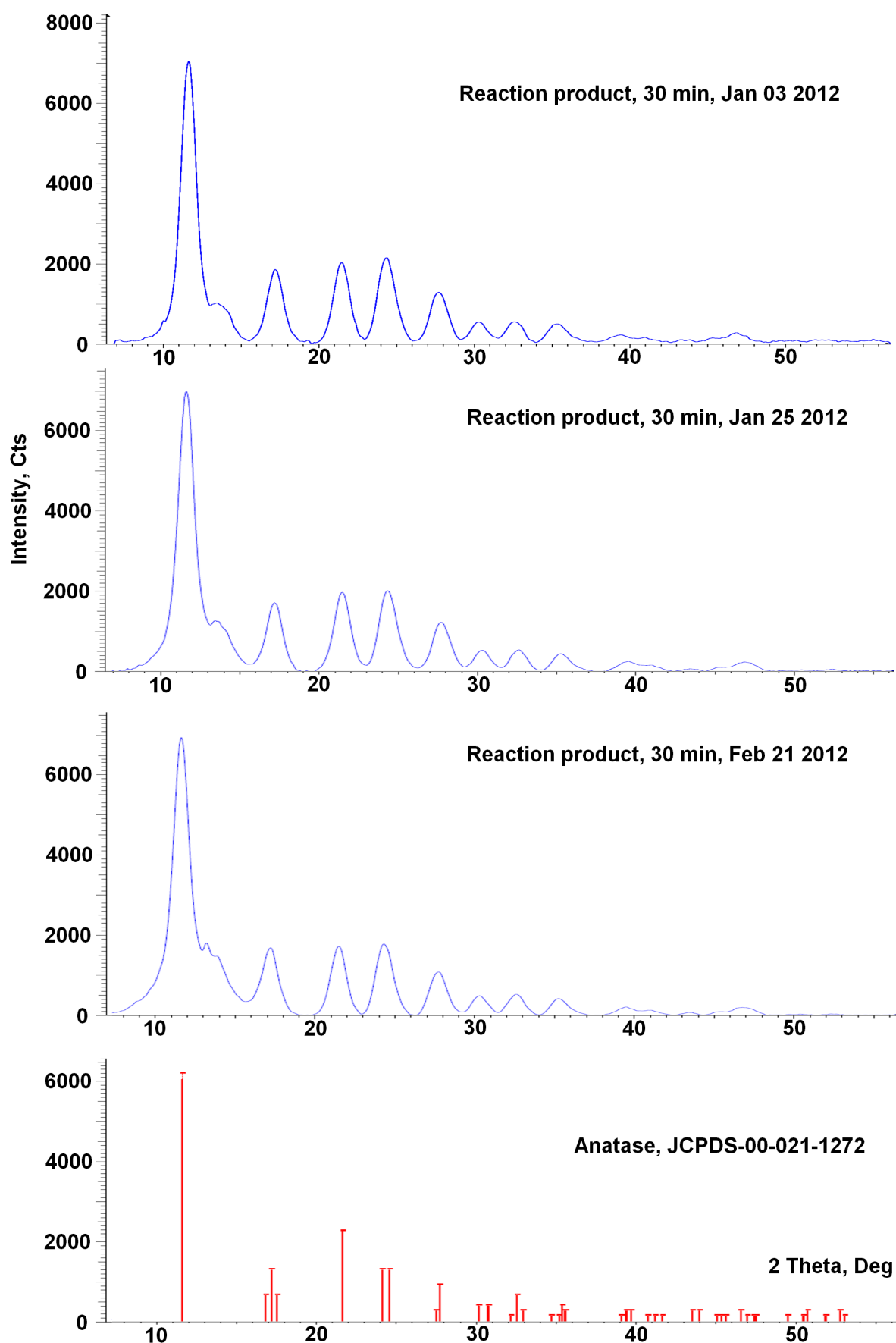


Figure FS3 XPD of the fully crystalline products after 30 min of synthesis and the reference data for anatase

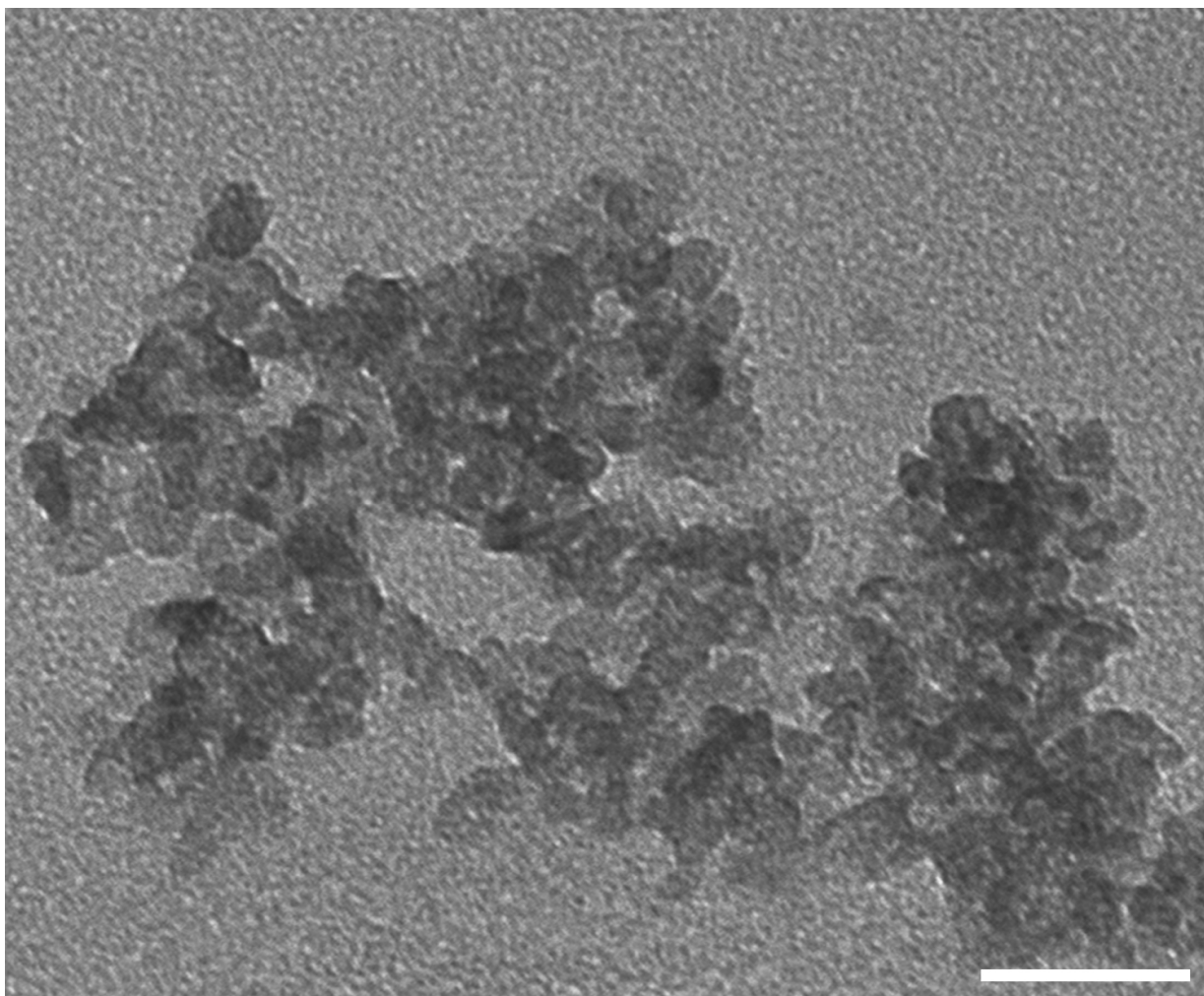


Figure FS4 Enlarged image in Fig.4a, the scale bar size is 25 nm

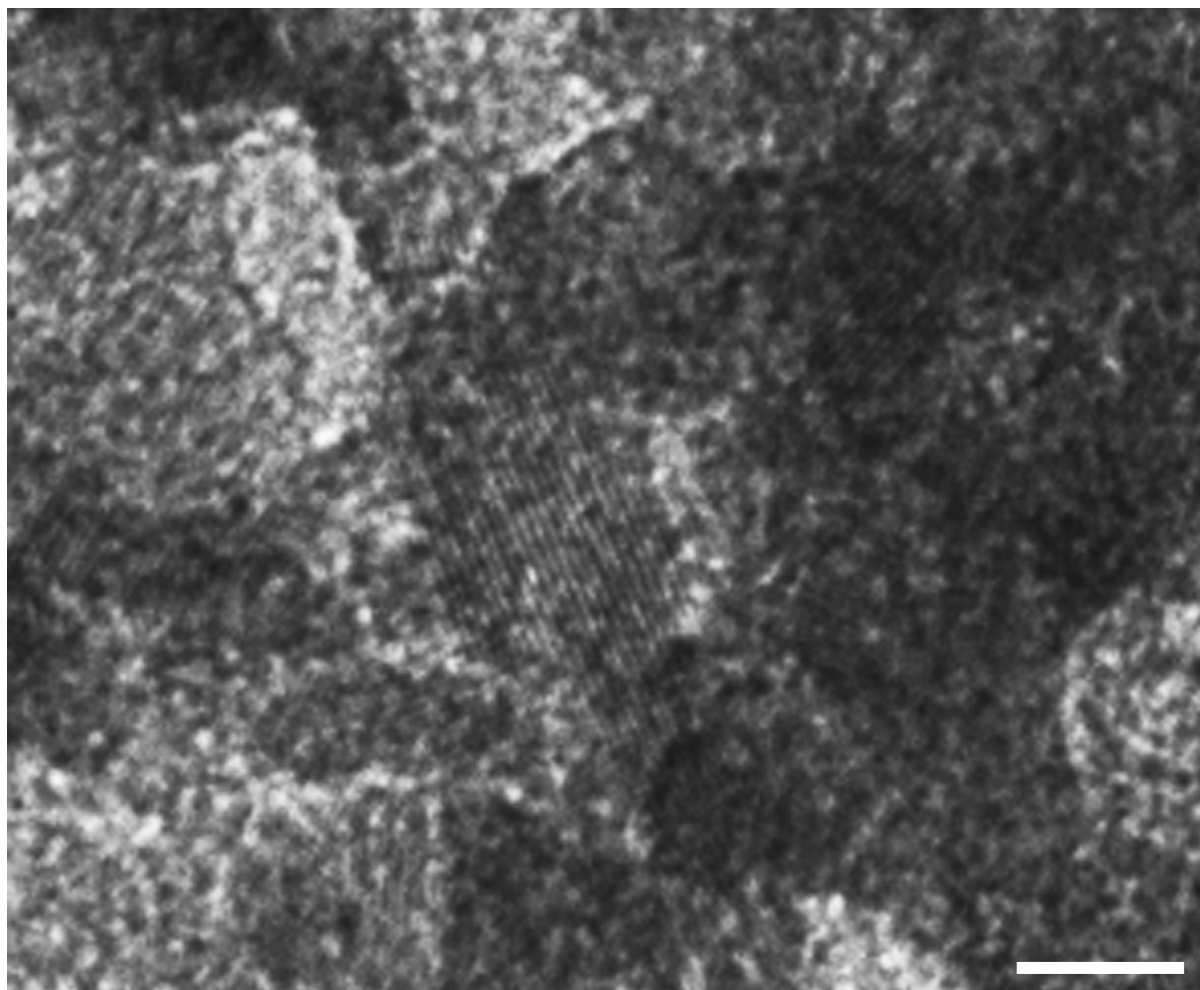


Figure FS5 Broader view image corresponding to the part shown in Fig4b, the scale bar size is 5 nm

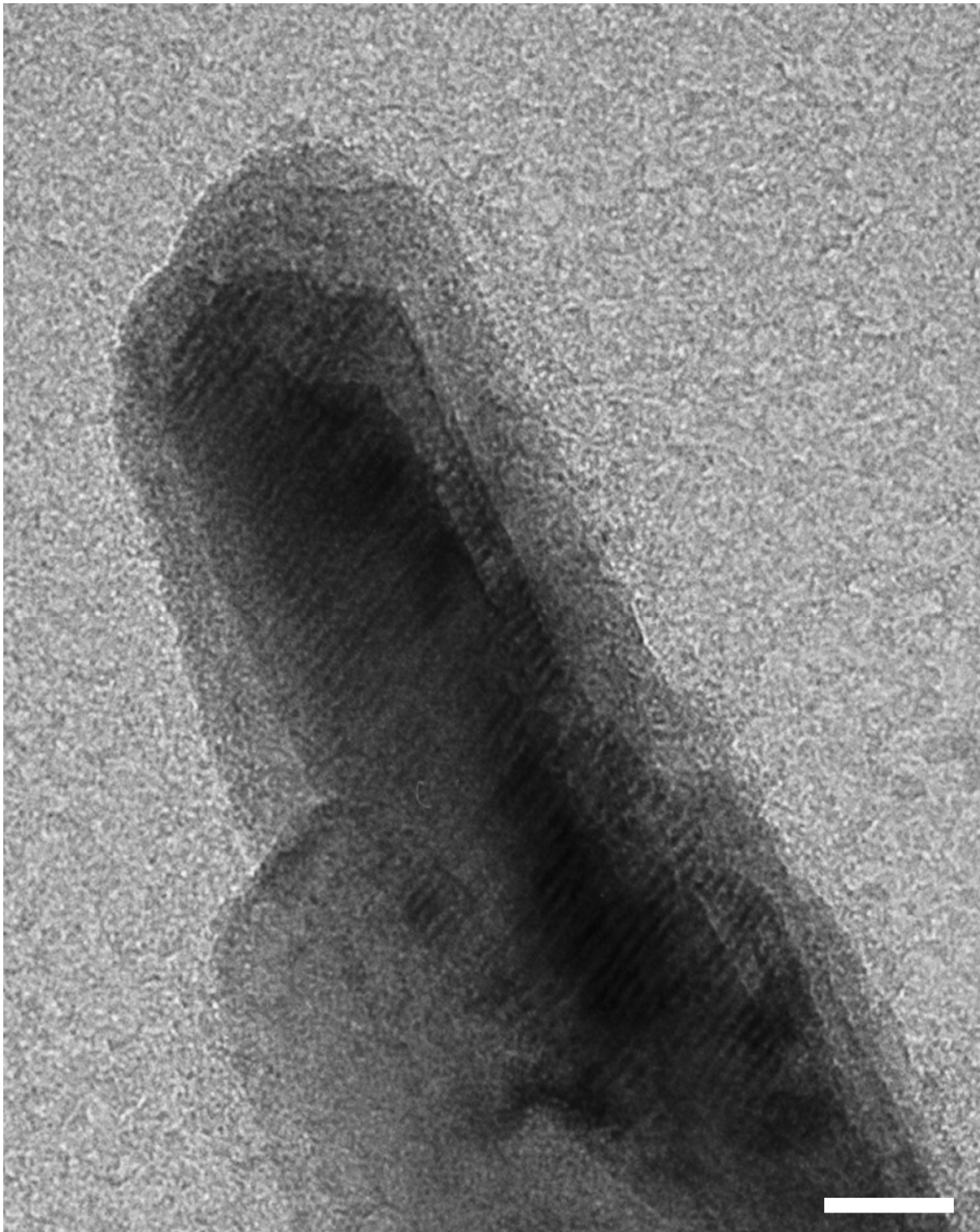


Figure FS6 Enlarged image from Fig.2b, the scale bar size is 20 nm

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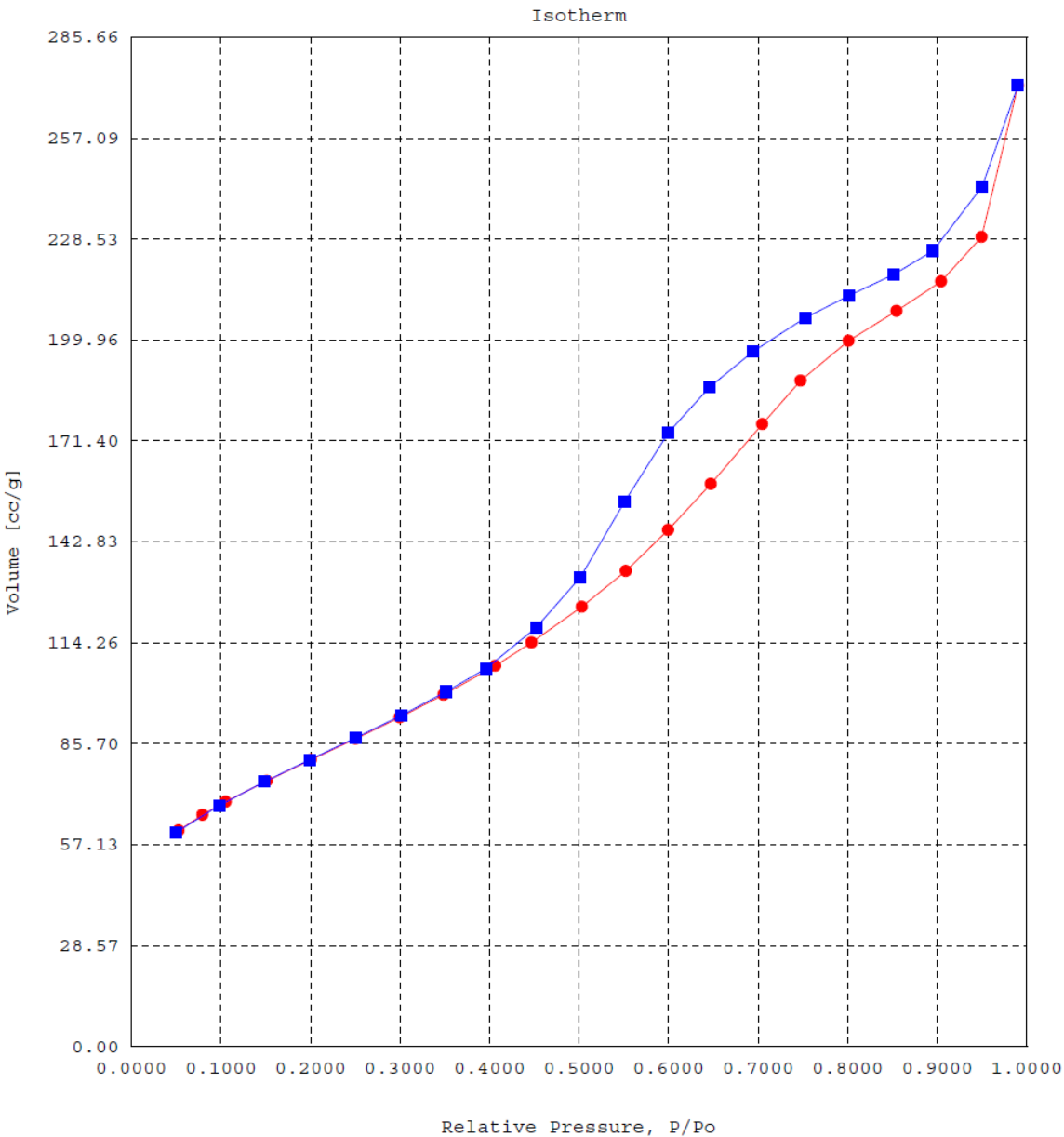


Figure FS7a Nitrogen adsorption isotherm, experimental details

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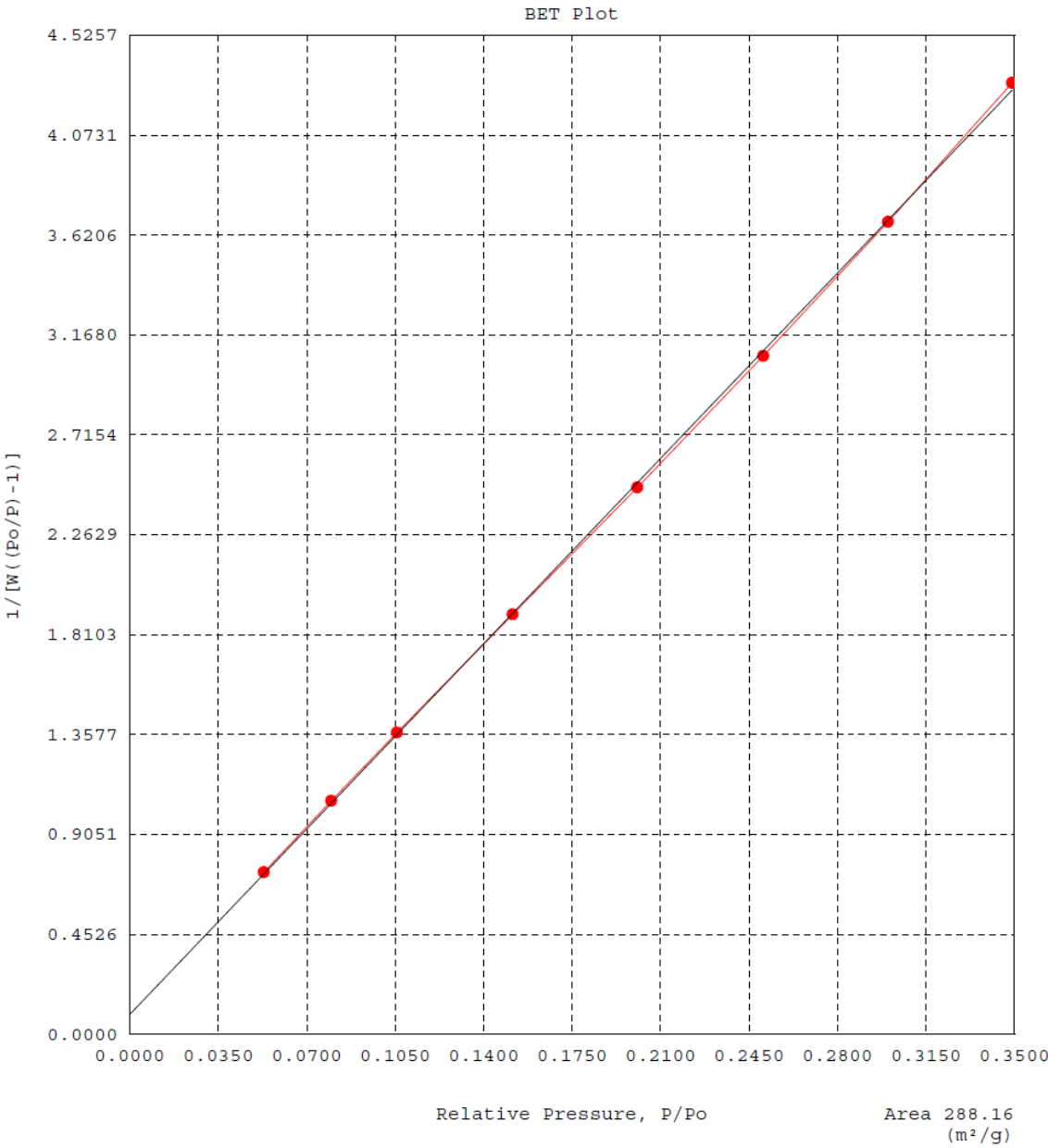


Figure FS7b BET specific surface area determination, experimental details

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Adsorbate (DRP):	Nitrogen	Bath Temp.:	77.30
Outgas Temp:	120.0 °C	Outgas Time:	15.0 hrs
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BJH Adsorption Dv(log d)

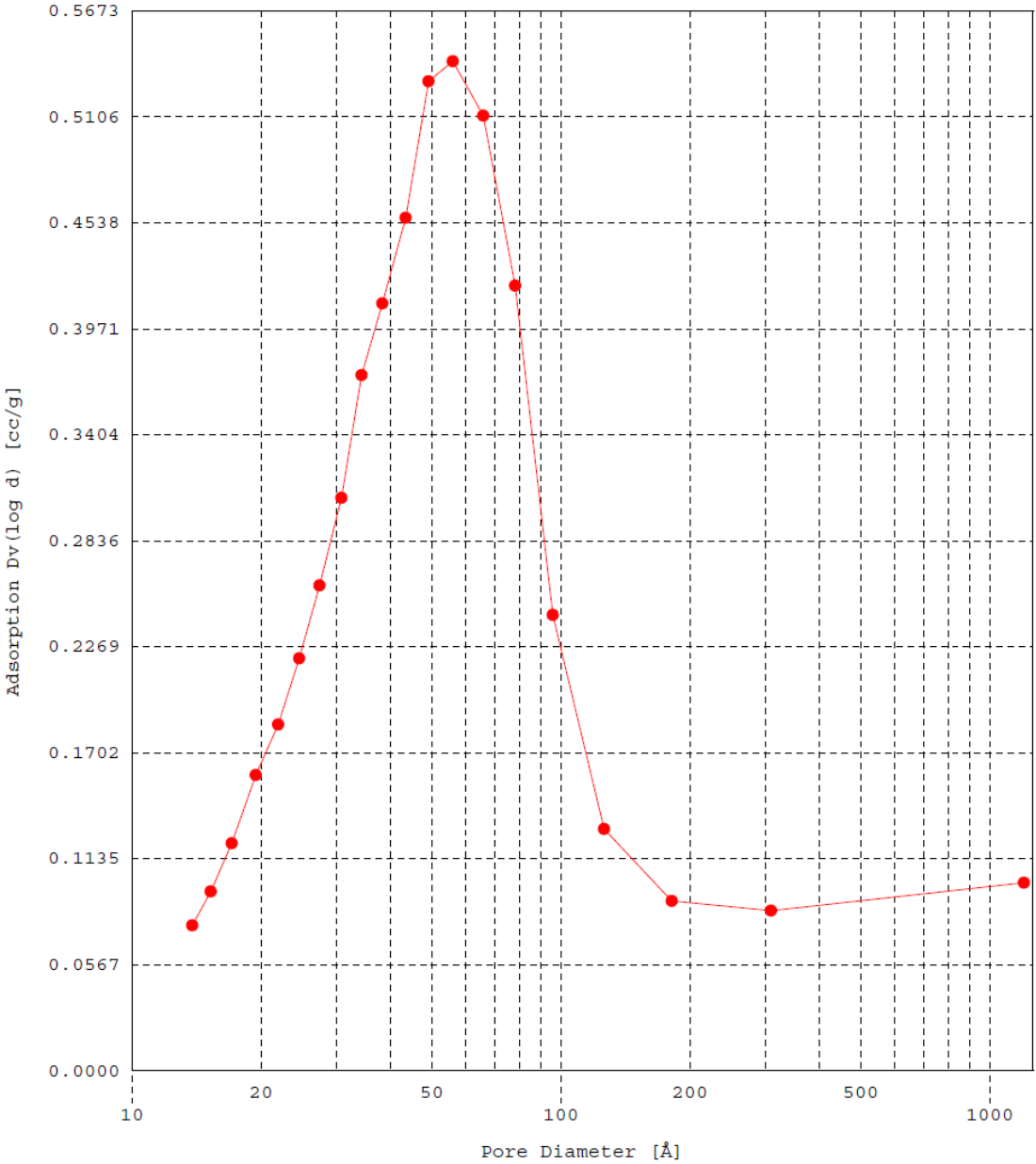


Figure FS7c BJH active pore volume determination using adsorption isotherm, experimental details

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Adsorbate (DRP):	Nitrogen	Bath Temp.:	77.30
Outgas Temp:	120.0 °C	Outgas Time:	15.0 hrs
P/Po tolerance:	3	Equil. time:	3
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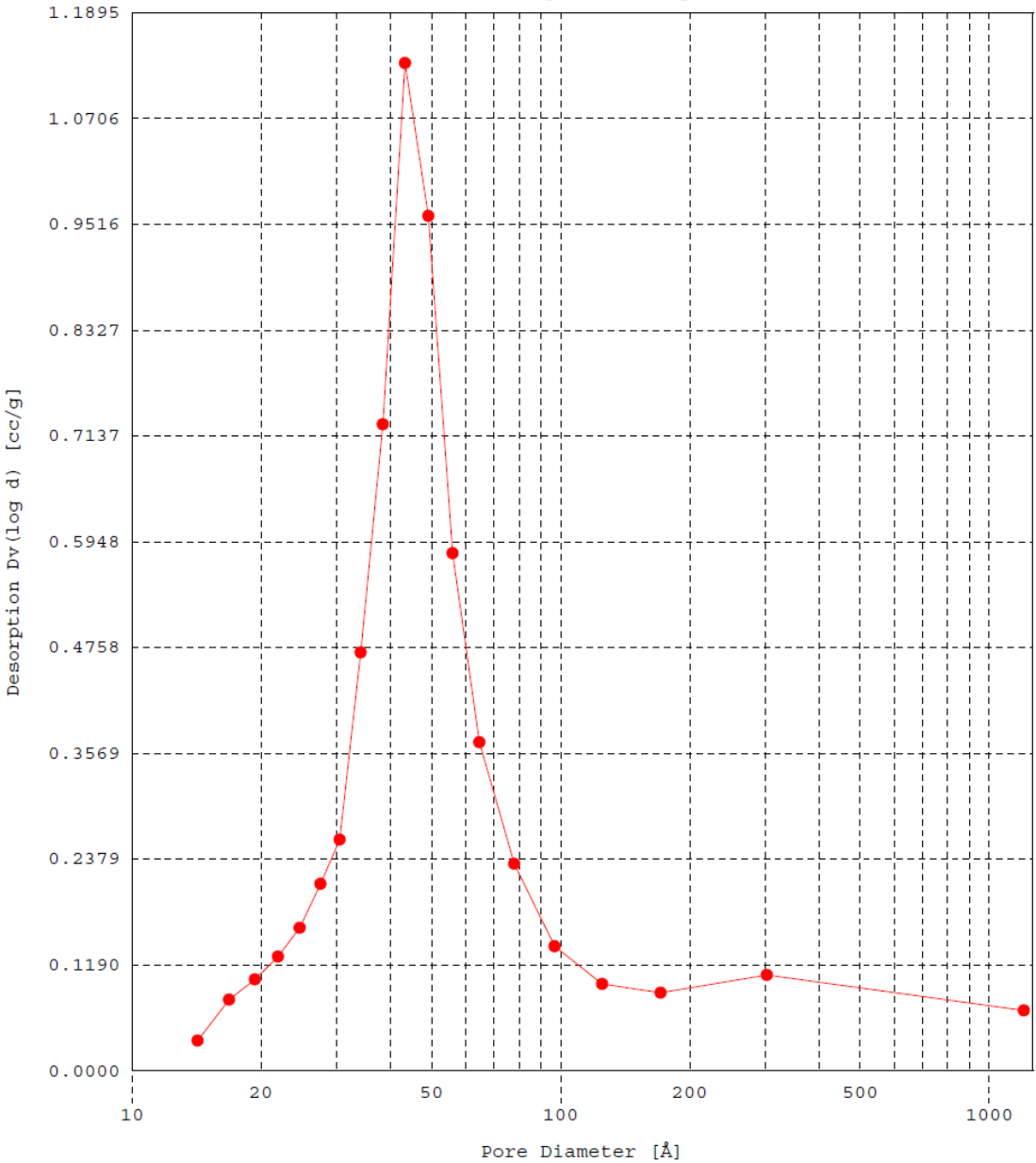


Figure FS7d BJH active pore volume determination using desorption isotherm, experimental details

Table TS1

AREA-VOLUME-PORE SIZE SUMMARY		
SURFACE AREA DATA		
Multipoint BET.....	3.460E+02	m ² /g
BJH Method Cumulative Adsorption Surface Area.....	3.611E+02	m ² /g
BJH Method Cumulative Desorption Surface Area.....	3.821E+02	m ² /g
DH Method Cumulative Adsorption Surface Area.....	3.698E+02	m ² /g
DH Method Cumulative Desorption Surface Area.....	3.928E+02	m ² /g
PORE VOLUME DATA		
Total Pore Volume for pores with Diameter less than 1955.2 Å at P/Po = 0.99007.....	3.487E-01	cc/g
BJH Method Cumulative Adsorption Pore Volume.....	3.439E-01	cc/g
BJH Method Cumulative Desorption Pore Volume.....	3.507E-01	cc/g
BJH Interpolated Cumulative Adsorption Pore Volume for pores in the range of 5000.0 to 0.0 Å Diameter.....	3.439E-01	cc/g
BJH Interpolated Cumulative Desorption Pore Volume for pores in the range of 5000.0 to 0.0 Å Diameter.....	3.507E-01	cc/g
DH Method Cumulative Adsorption Pore Volume.....	3.365E-01	cc/g
DH Method Cumulative Desorption Pore Volume.....	3.439E-01	cc/g
PORE SIZE DATA		
Average Pore Diameter.....	4.031E+01	Å
BJH Method Adsorption Pore Diameter (Mode).....	2.771E+01	Å
BJH Method Desorption Pore Diameter (Mode).....	3.406E+01	Å
DH Method Adsorption Pore Diameter (Mode).....	2.771E+01	Å
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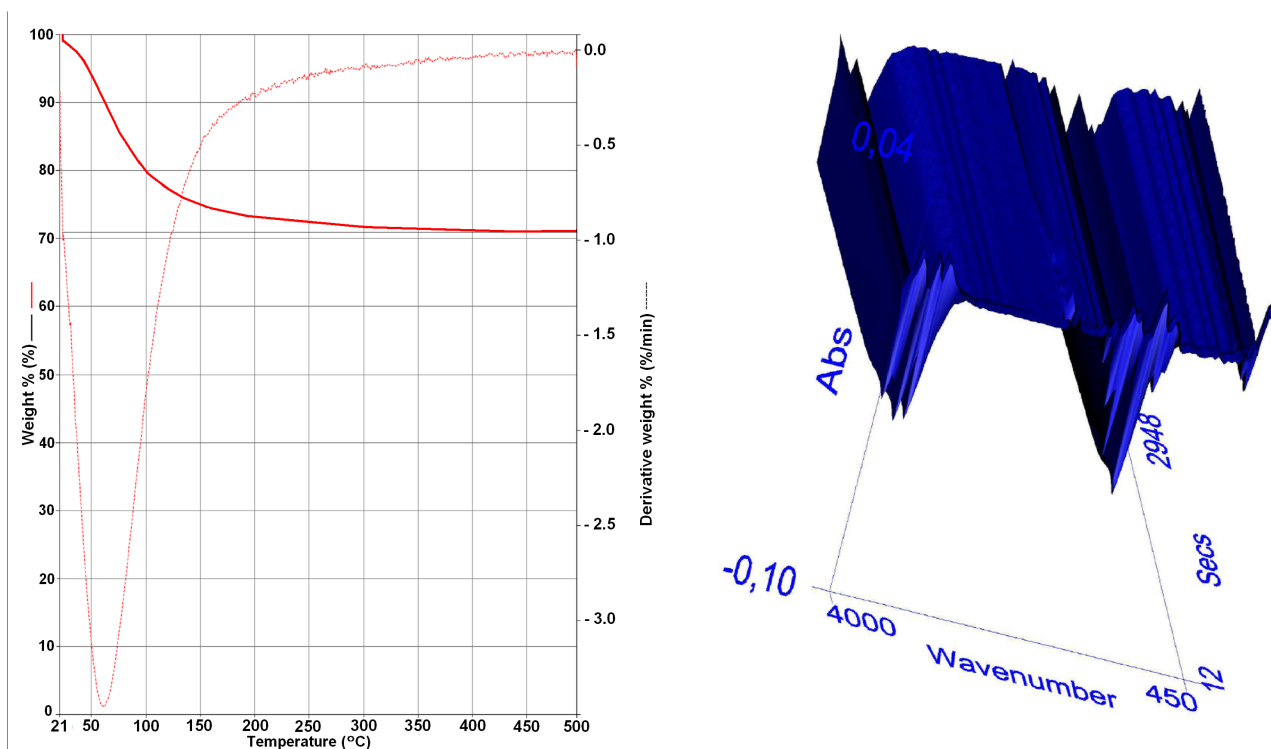


Figure FS8 TG curve for thermal treatment in air of the material resulting from 30 min of reflux (a) and the time-resolved FTIR spectra of the outgoing gases (b).

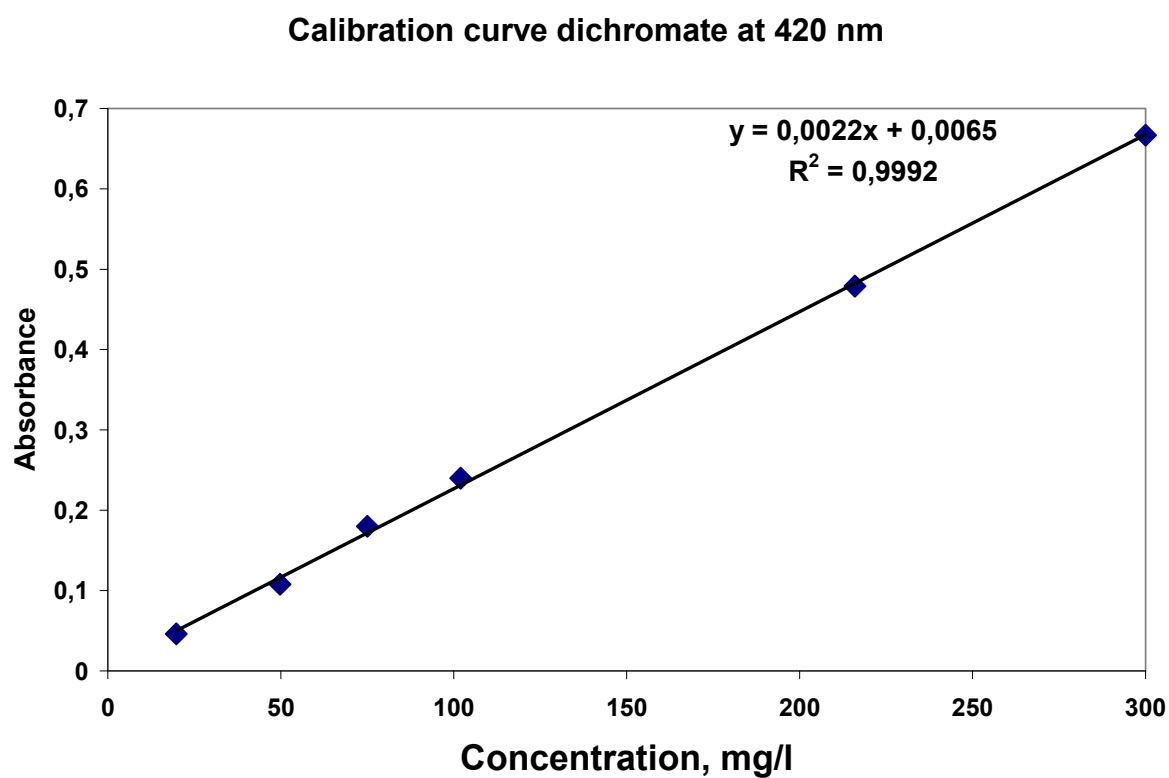


Figure FS9 Calibration curve and reference solutions for spectrophotometric determination of dichromate ion, $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}$, adsorption capacity.

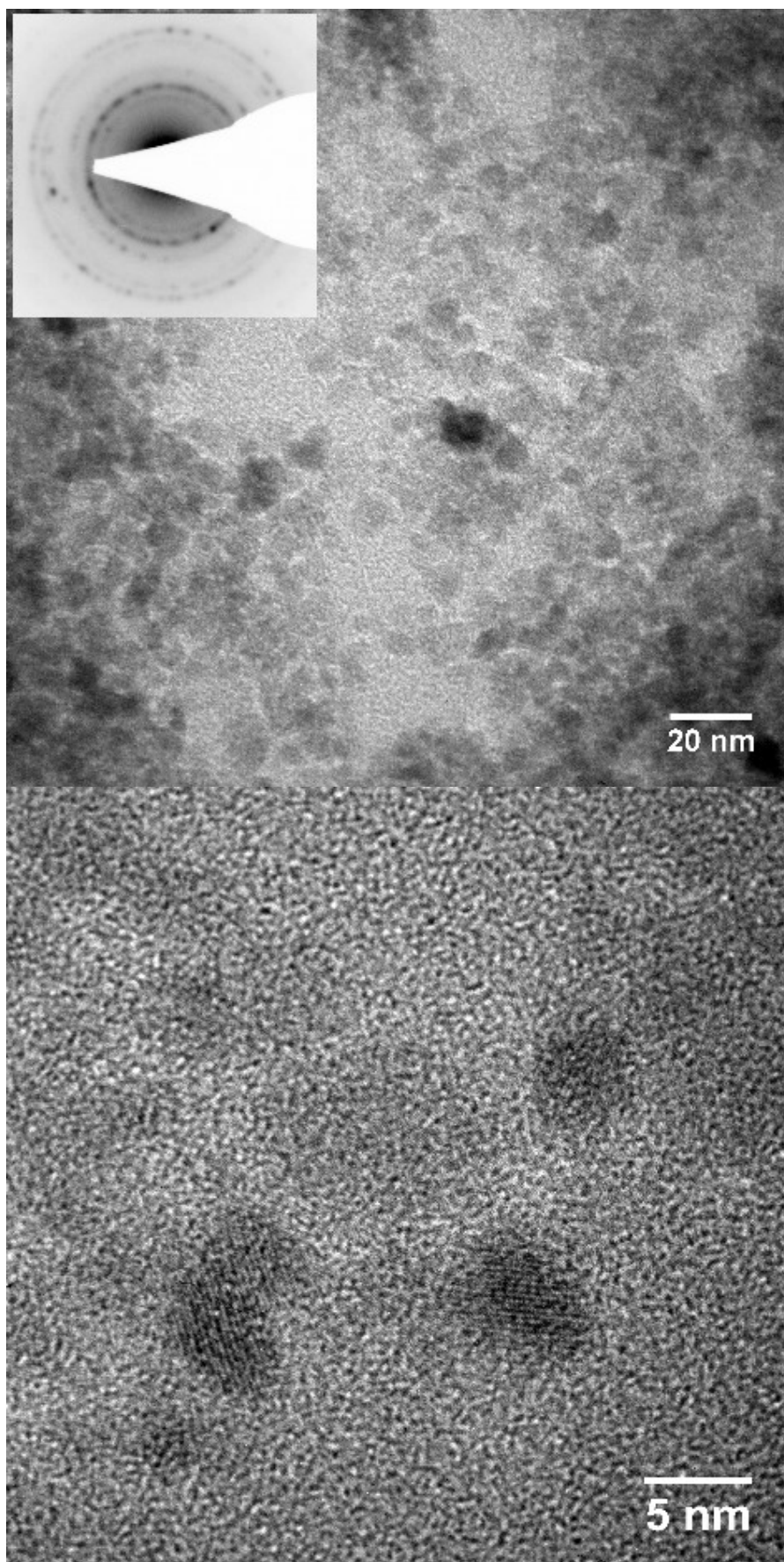


Figure FS10 TEM images of Fe₃O₄ nanoparticles. The inset in the image above shows Selected Area Electron Diffraction pattern typical for magnetite.

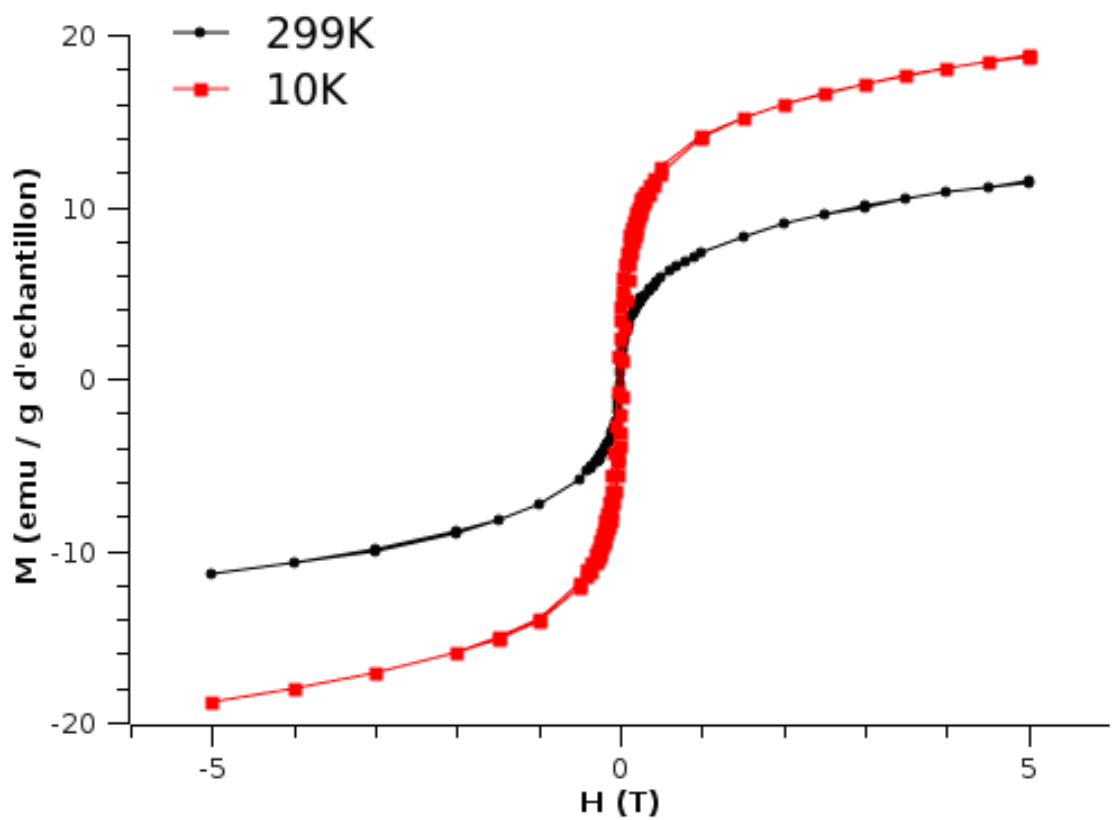


Figure FS11 Magnetic characterization of the produced Fe₃O₄ nanoparticles

Magnetite, syn

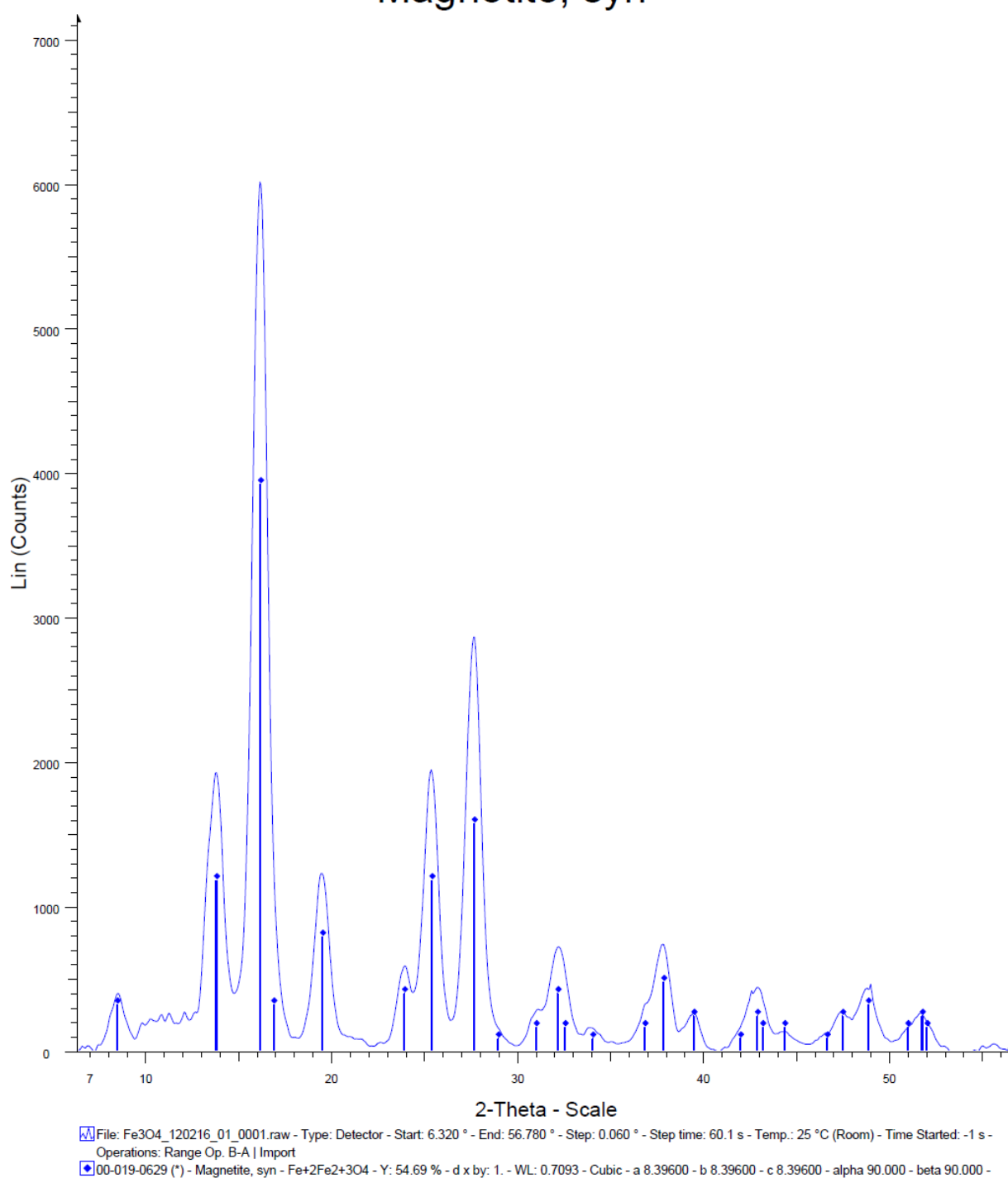


Figure FS12 X-ray powder diffraction pattern of the applied Fe₃O₄ nanoparticles.