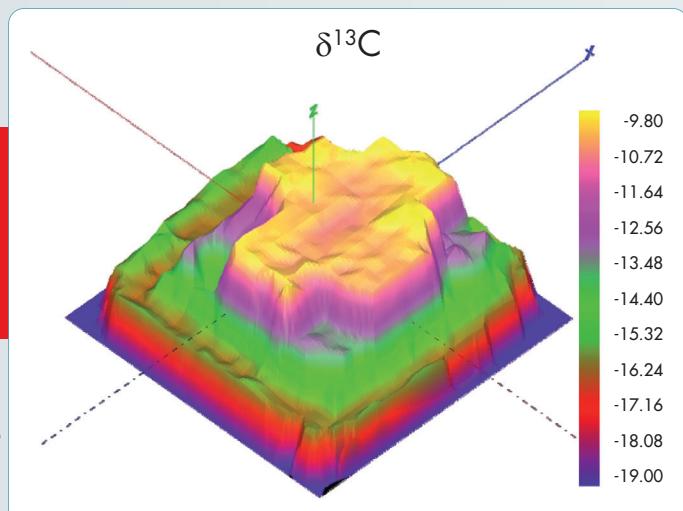


# Isotopic & Elemental Micro-Analysis in Geosciences with SIMS

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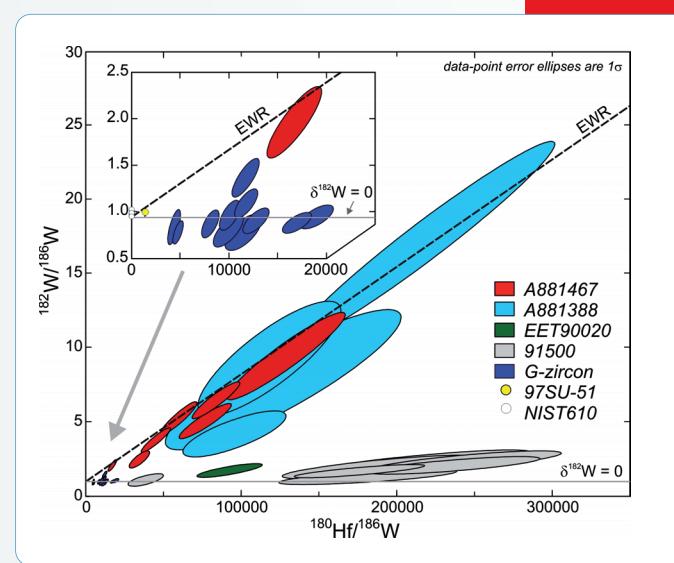
3D reconstruction of the contoured  $\delta^{13}\text{C}$  on Picasso diamond (Venezuela).

## Stable Isotopes

**Delivering unrivalled precision & reproducibility**

*Carbon isotope map in natural diamond:*

> 600 analyses performed automatically in multicollection mode.

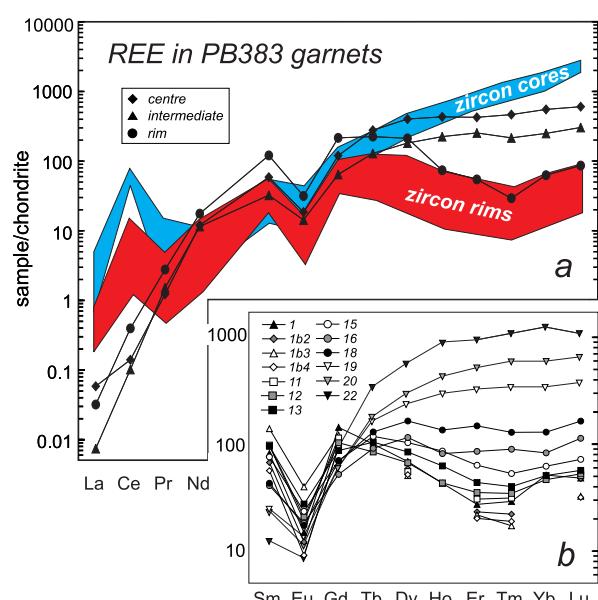


Data from: G. Srinivasan et al., Science 317 (2007)

## Zircon Dating

**Optimized transmission with excellent spatial resolution**

*Hf-W composition of eucrite & terrestrial zircon grains*  
*High precision measurements at high mass resolution (8,000).*

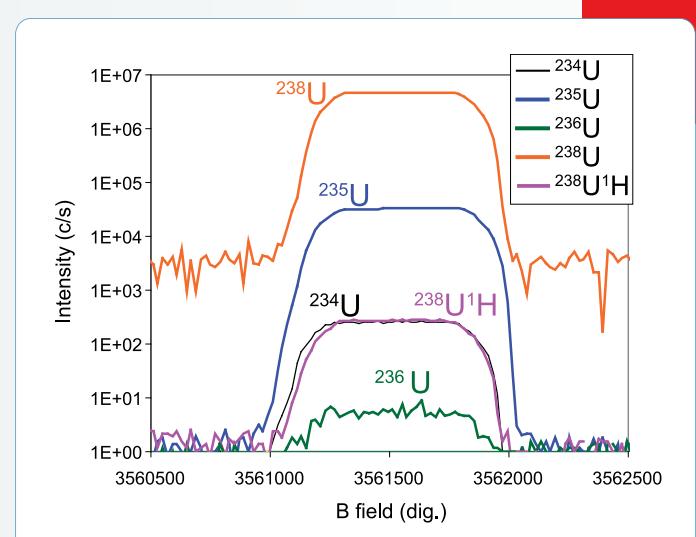


Chondrite normalized REE analysis of metamorphic zircons & garnets from Betic Cordillera, Spain.

## Trace Element Analysis

**Providing  $\mu\text{m}$ -scale elemental information for a large mass range**

*Study of the trace element composition to accurately relate zircon ages to P-T evolution paths.*



Uranium isotope mass spectrum in multicollection mode, MRP = 2500.

## Nuclear Particles

**Unique sensitivity for small particle analysis**

*High transmission at high Mass Resolving Power for optimized particle detection efficiency and improved precision for minor U isotope measurements.*



**IMS 1300-HR<sup>3</sup>**  
**Ultra High Sensitivity Magnetic SIMS**