

¹³C-¹⁸O Bonds in Precipitated Calcite and Aragonite: An *ab Initio* Study

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Abstract

The ^{13}C - ^{18}O bonds in carbonates are potential single-phase geo-thermometers. However, their theoretical distributions (noted as $\Delta_{47}\text{s}$) in CO_2 degassed from calcite and aragonite with phosphoric acid are unclear. Thus, the isotope reactions of ^{13}C - ^{18}O bonds on the growing surfaces of calcite (0001) and aragonite (001) planes were investigated using *ab initio* techniques. It was found that these reactions determined ^{13}C - ^{18}O clumped isotope signatures in bulk calcite and aragonite minerals with novel Δ_{47} polynomials:

$$\Delta_{47\text{-calcite}} = -\frac{8.14673 \times 10^8}{T^4} - \frac{9.31441 \times 10^6}{T^3} + \frac{1.42742 \times 10^5}{T^2} - \frac{1.64905 \times 10^2}{T} + 5.65986 \times 10^{-2} \quad \text{and}$$

$$\Delta_{47\text{-aragonite}} = -\frac{5.81530 \times 10^8}{T^4} - \frac{1.18267 \times 10^7}{T^3} + \frac{1.50830 \times 10^5}{T^2} - \frac{1.71999 \times 10^2}{T} + 5.86981 \times 10^{-2}$$

for temperatures T ranging from 260 to 1500 K. These theoretical results were in good agreement with the experimental data. In addition, the influence of phosphoric acid on these polynomials was at the level of 0.01‰.

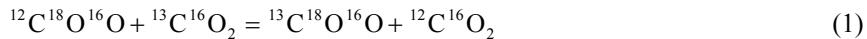
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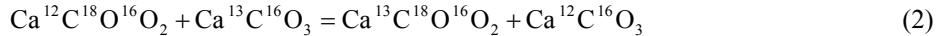
1. Introduction

Since first catching the attention of geochemists in 2004, the ^{13}C - ^{18}O bonds in carbonates have become new geo-thermometers. It is first noted that the isotope reaction:

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is a geo-thermometer if the relative concentration of $^{13}\text{C}^{18}\text{O}^{16}\text{O}$ in the CO_2 (*i.e.* Δ_{47} (CO_2), see definition in the Methods section) is determined via mass spectrometry (MS) [1] [2]. Ghosh *et al.* (2006) [3] and (2007) [4] then studied multiply substituted carbonate isotopologues in calcite and aragonite minerals:



by dissolving carbonates with phosphoric acid [5]-[8] and obtaining different Δ_{47} (CO_2) values at specific temperatures. The authors suggested that the Δ_{47} value reflected the formation temperature T of carbonates and developed polynomials (e.g. $\Delta_{47} = 0.0592 \times 10^6 \times T^2 - 0.02$ in [3]) by fitting their experimental data.

The relationship of the associated variables in the experiment is:

$$\Delta_{47} = \Delta_{63} + y, \quad (3)$$

where y represents the phosphoric acid fractionation factor and Δ_{63} represents the relative concentration of Mass63 in carbonate Mass60 isotopologues (see definition in the Methods section) [9]. The theoretical explanation for observed Δ_{47} values depends on the ability to define Δ_{63} and y ; however, the appropriate approach is under debate. Schauble and Eiler (2004) [10], Schauble *et al.* (2006) [11] and Hill *et al.* (2014) [9] (SSH) performed theoretical calculations of $\Delta_{63\text{-SSH}}$ s (approximately 0.40‰ for calcite and aragonite at 25°C) and suggested the phosphoric acid digestion fractionation factor $y_{\text{-SSH}} = 0.20\%$ at 25°C. The theoretical analysis by Guo *et al.* (2009) [12] provided a value of $y_{\text{-Guo}} = 0.22(3)\%$ (25°C) for these two minerals. The combination $\Delta_{63\text{-SSH}} + y_{\text{-SSH}}$ (or $y_{\text{-Guo}}$) agrees with the observed Δ_{47} (=0.6460‰ (25°C) [3]); however, both $y_{\text{-SSH}}$ and $y_{\text{-Guo}}$ are inconsistent with $y \leq 0.14\%$, which was recommended by Ghosh *et al.* (2006). Therefore, new strategies for understanding observed values for Δ_{47} are required.

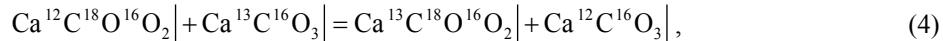
Herein, we described the results of our investigation of the equilibrium reaction (2) at the interfaces between calcite/aragonite crystals and water using *ab initio* techniques. Notably, new Δ_{47} results for $^{13}\text{C}-^{18}\text{O}$ bonds in these minerals were obtained. In addition, the influence of the phosphoric acid digestion process on the Δ_{47} signals was discussed.

2. Method

2.1. Carbonate Isotopologues Reacting on Calcite and Aragonite Surfaces

The $^{13}\text{C}-^{18}\text{O}$ bonds in carbonates are isotope signals on growing surfaces during precipitation from solution. As shown by crystal growth models (e.g. the “growth entrapment model” [13]-[15] and the “surface kinetic model” [16]), the bulk carbonate crystal records the isotopic information on its growing surface during precipitation from solution. Natural carbonate samples include stalactites and otoliths [4] [17], teeth and bones [18], corals [3], foraminifera and coccoliths, etc. [3] [4] [11] [17]-[22], which are made up of calcite and aragonite.

For clumped $^{13}\text{C}-^{18}\text{O}$ isotopes reacted on calcite and aragonite surfaces (Figure 1(a) and Figure 1(b), respectively):



for which the equilibrium constant is noted as K3866| (illustrating the doubly substituted isotopologues $^{13}\text{C}^{18}\text{O}^{16}\text{O}_2^{2-}$ in the reaction):

$$K3866| = \frac{\left[\text{Ca}^{13}\text{C}^{18}\text{O}^{16}\text{O}_2\right] \left[\text{Ca}^{12}\text{C}^{16}\text{O}_3\right]}{\left[\text{Ca}^{12}\text{C}^{18}\text{O}^{16}\text{O}_2\right] \left[\text{Ca}^{13}\text{C}^{16}\text{O}_3\right]}, \quad (5)$$

where the brackets indicate the concentrations of matter [10] [11], “|” represents the surface, and the $^{13}\text{C}-^{18}\text{O}$ clumped bonds in this reaction remain in the calcite or aragonite [13]-[16].

For the isotopologues in the CO_3^{2-} groups of the carbonate minerals:

$$\Delta_{63}(\text{CO}_3^{2-}) = \left(\frac{[\text{Mass63}/\text{Mass60}]_{\text{Sample}}}{[\text{Mass63}/\text{Mass60}]_{\text{stochastic random}}} - 1 \right) \times 1000, \quad (6)$$

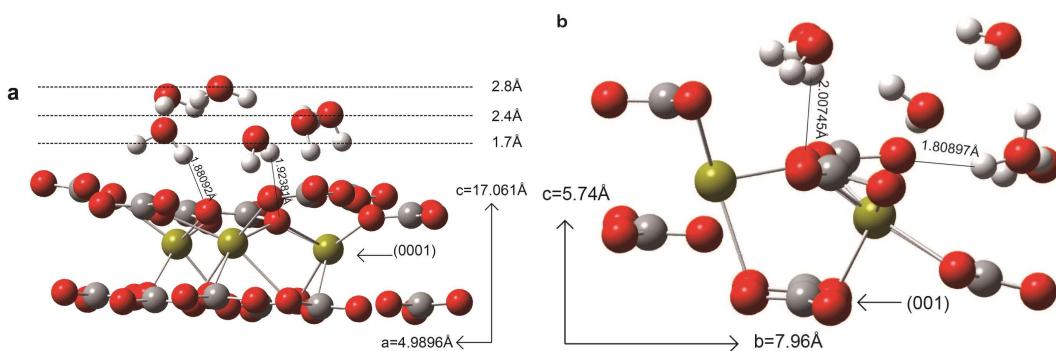


Figure 1. Clusters for the (a) calcite (0001) and (b) aragonite (001) surfaces. The carbonate groups (carbon, grey; oxygen red) of interest are located at the centre of the 1st layers of the solids, and are surrounded by water molecules (hydrogen, white). Also plotted are the lengths of the first 2 shortest O-carbonate group—Hwater bonds and the thickness of the first 3 water layers perpendicular to the calcite (0001) surface. The effects of the different oxygen sites (not shown) in the groups are also considered in the calculations.

where

$$\text{Mass 63 (in amu)} = \text{Mass}({}^{12}\text{C}^{16}\text{O}^{17}\text{O}^{18}\text{O}) + \text{Mass}({}^{12}\text{C}^{17}\text{O}^{16}\text{O}^{17}\text{O}) + \text{Mass}({}^{13}\text{C}^{16}\text{O}^{17}\text{O}^{17}\text{O}) + \text{Mass}({}^{13}\text{C}^{16}\text{O}^{16}\text{O}^{18}\text{O})$$

and $\text{Mass}({}^{13}\text{C}^{16}\text{O}^{16}\text{O}^{18}\text{O})$ accounts for 94% of the Mass 63 concentration [3] [9] [11] [12].

In physical experiments, the carbonate minerals are dissolved with phosphoric acid to produce CO_2 [3] [4] [20]. For isotopologues of CO_2 degassed from the carbonates:

$$\Delta_{47}(\text{CO}_2) = \left(\frac{[\text{Mass47}/\text{Mass44}]_{\text{Sample}}}{[\text{Mass47}/\text{Mass44}]_{\text{stochastic random}}} - 1 \right) \times 1000, \quad (7)$$

where $\text{Mass 47 (in amu)} = \text{Mass}({}^{13}\text{C}^{17}\text{O}^{17}\text{O}) + \text{Mass}({}^{12}\text{C}^{18}\text{O}^{17}\text{O}) + \text{Mass}({}^{13}\text{C}^{18}\text{O}^{16}\text{O})$, and $\text{Mass}({}^{13}\text{C}^{18}\text{O}^{16}\text{O})$ accounts for 97% of the Mass 47 concentration [1] [2] [10].

2.2. Ab Initio Calculations

To investigate reaction (4), the structures of carbonate groups were constructed on calcite (0001) (**Figure 1(a)**) and aragonite (001) (**Figure 1(b)**) surfaces using *ab initio* techniques. Both interfacial clusters [23] [24] had three layers of periodic atoms (calcite, 75; aragonite, 51) to represent each crystal and six water molecules to represent the solution. The atoms in the crystals were terminated with charge points (calcite, 0.333; aragonite, 0.222) [25] at 1 Å along the broken Ca-O bond [26]. The Ca, C and O positions before optimization were the same as those in the lattices, with $a = 4.99 \text{ \AA}$ and $c = 17.06 \text{ \AA}$ for calcite [27] and $a = 4.96 \text{ \AA}$, $b = 7.97 \text{ \AA}$ and $c = 5.74 \text{ \AA}$ for aragonite [28].

The carbonate groups of interest were located at the centre of each structure and the isotope effect on these carbonate groups from the next-nearest atoms was considered [9] [26] [29]. All of the calculations for these clusters were implemented in the Gaussian09 code [25] using the HF theoretical method [30], and the 6-31G* basis set [31] [32], which are suitable for all of the C, Ca and O elements.

The theoretical equilibrium constant for reaction (4) was calculated using the equation:

$$K3866 = \frac{\text{RPFR}(\text{Ca}^{13/12}\text{C}^{18}\text{O}^{16}\text{O}_2)}{\text{RPFR}(\text{Ca}^{13/12}\text{C}^{16}\text{O}_3)}, \quad (8)$$

for which the value of the RPFR (short for reduced partition function ratio [1] [2] [9]-[11] [33] [34]) is given by:

$$\text{RPFR}[X^{h/l}E_K] = \prod_i^{3N-6} \frac{u_i(XE_K^h) \exp[-u_i(XE_K^h)/2]}{u_i(XE_K^l) \exp[-u_i(XE_K^l)/2]} \frac{\{1 - \exp[-u_i(XE_K^l)]\}}{\{1 - \exp[-u_i(XE_K^h)]\}}, \quad (9)$$

where XE_K is the molecule, h and l represent the heavy (^{13}C , ^{18}O) and light (^{12}C , ^{16}O) isotopes for element E and $u = h\nu_i/kT$, with h representing Planck's constant, ν_i the i th frequency of the clusters (see Supplementary Materials) calculated using the Gaussian09 code [25], k is the Boltzmann's constant and T is the temperature (in the range from 260 to 1500 K) (Guo *et al.*, 2009; Schable *et al.*, 2006). This temperature range is sufficient for studying the precipitation of calcite and aragonite near 0°C (the freezing point of water [17]) and 1200°C (for metamorphic rocks [3]). Note that the symmetry numbers were 1 for both optimized clusters because of their C1 symmetry (see Supplementary Materials).

For calculation of the RPFR, a scaling factor (SF) should be used [11] [29] [35] and is predicted by:

$$\text{SF} = \sum_i^{\text{all}} \nu_i^{\text{theor}} \nu_i^{\text{expt}} / \left(\sum_i^{\text{all}} (\nu_i^{\text{theor}})^2 \right), \quad (10)$$

with the values for ν_i for the carbonate groups on the calcite (0001) surface presented in **Table 1**. By comparing the listed experimentally observed and theoretically calculated harmonic frequencies obtained using this equation, the value of the SF was determined to be 1.0613 for the HF/6-31G* level in the present study.

The theoretical values for Δ_{63} were then calculated using the equation:

$$\Delta_{63} \approx 1000 \times (K3866| - 1), \quad (11)$$

which provides results with an accuracy of 94% [3] [9] [11] [12]. All of the Δ_{63} values for calcite and aragonite were obtained by averaging the values for three different oxygen sites (O1, O2 and O3) [9] [11] [12] on each of the two surfaces (see Supplementary Materials).

Re-writing Equation (3) gives the present phosphoric acid fractionation factor:

$$y = \Delta_{47} - \Delta_{63}, \quad (12)$$

where Δ_{47} represents the fitted polynomials from [3] [4] [20] and Δ_{63} represents the values obtained using Equation (11).

3. Results

3.1. Optimized Structures and Harmonic Frequencies

The optimized structures for the calcite and aragonite interfaces are in agreement with experimental observations. In the calcite structure, the O atoms in the water molecules were located at 1.70 - 2.80 Å from and perpendicular to the (0001) surface (**Figure 1(a)**); such values agree well with the vertical data for a (10 - 14) surface: 2.2 - 3.2 Å according to a molecular simulation (MD) study [36] and 2.29 - 3.45 Å as determined via X-ray scattering observations [37].

These structures are also consistent with basic theories on crystal surface chemistry. Both the orientation of the atoms and the bond lengths in the clusters (see Supplementary Materials) slightly deviate from the pure crystal lattice positions [27] [28]; this variation is reasonable [38] due to the termination of the periodic atom layers that are connected to molecules [39].

The *ab initio* harmonic vibrational frequencies (in cm^{-1}), and standard C and O elemental masses for the carbonate groups on the calcite (0001) surface are listed in **Table 1**, which also includes experimental vibrational data for carbonate groups on a calcite surface determined via laser Raman spectroscopy and infrared analysis [40]. The calculated vibrations for the symmetric stretch (ν_1) and asymmetric stretching (ν_3) bands of the carbonate groups are 1211, 1212 and 1213 cm^{-1} (ν_{3b}) and are less than the observed values. On the other hand, the calculated out-of-plane bending (ν_2) and in-plane-bending (ν_4) bands at 988, 779 and 799 cm^{-1} (ν_{4b}) are greater than the observed values.

The harmonic frequencies for the CO_3^{2-} groups with different isotopic masses on the calcite surface are presented in **Table 2**. It can be seen from this data that when the heavier ^{13}C substitutes the lighter ^{12}C isotope in $^{12}\text{C}^{16}\text{O}^{16}\text{O}^{2-}$, ν_1 does not change; however, ν_2 , ν_4 and ν_{4b} decrease by 29, 2 and 2 cm^{-1} , respectively. These trends are in agreement with the corresponding vibrations in bulk calcite [26]. In addition, when heavier (^{13}C , ^{18}O) isotopes substitute lighter (^{12}C , ^{16}O , respectively) isotopes, the asymmetric stretching (ν_3 and ν_{3b}) bands under interfacial conditions do not change, which is different from the decreasing trends of ν_3 and ν_{3b} in bulk calcite [26].

Table 1. Vibrational bands (in cm^{-1}) of carbonate groups on the (0001) surface of calcite and the scaling factor (Scott and Radom, 1996).

Source	ν_1	ν_2	ν_3	ν_{3b}	ν_4	ν_{4b}	S.F.
Experiment ^a	1266	901	1438	1438	713	713	--
This study	1211	988	1212	1213	779	799	1.0613

^aFrom Forbes *et al.* (2011)

Table 2. Comparison of the frequencies (in cm^{-1}) of carbonate groups on the calcite surface (this study) and in bulk calcite (Rustad *et al.* (2008)) and their ratios (ν_i/ν_1 , in unit 1).

Species	ν_1	ν_2	ν_3	ν_{3b}	ν_4	ν_{4b}	ν_1/ν_1	ν_2/ν_1	ν_3/ν_1	ν_{3b}/ν_1	ν_4/ν_1	ν_{4b}/ν_1	Source/Level
$^{12}\text{C}^{16}\text{O}^{16}\text{O}^{16}\text{O}^{2-} ^a$	1211	988	1212	1213	779	799	1.000	0.816	1.001	1.001	0.643	0.660	This Study HF/6-31G*
$^{12}\text{C}^{18}\text{O}^{16}\text{O}^{16}\text{O}^{2-} $	1207	984	1212	1213	773	788	1.000	0.815	1.004	1.005	0.640	0.653	
$^{13}\text{C}^{16}\text{O}^{16}\text{O}^{16}\text{O}^{2-} $	1211	959	1212	1213	777	797	1.000	0.792	1.001	1.001	0.642	0.658	
$^{13}\text{C}^{18}\text{O}^{16}\text{O}^{16}\text{O}^{2-} $	1207	955	1212	1213	773	786	1.000	0.792	1.004	1.005	0.640	0.651	
$^{12}\text{C}^{16}\text{O}^{16}\text{O}^{16}\text{O}^{2-}-\text{icce}^b$	1078	823	1478	1478	685	684	1.000	0.763	1.371	1.371	0.635	0.635	Rustad <i>et al.</i> (2008)
$^{13}\text{C}^{16}\text{O}^{16}\text{O}^{16}\text{O}^{2-}-\text{icce}$	1078	798	1436	1436	683	682	1.000	0.740	1.332	1.332	0.634	0.633	PBE/6-31G*/3-21G

^a| stands for the surface of the crystal; ^b“icce” stands for inner-crystal-chemical environments.

3.2. Values for Δ_{63} , y and Δ_{47} for Both Calcite and Aragonite

The calculated Δ_{63} values are presented in **Figure 2** and **Figure 3** and **Tables 3-6**. In **Table 4**, it can be seen that for calcite at 25°C, the Δ_{63} values for O2 and O3 are slightly lower (−0.02‰) and higher (0.02‰), respectively, than the mean value (0.65‰), while that of O1 equals the mean value (**Figure 2(a)**). In contrast, for aragonite at 25°C, the Δ_{63} values for O2 and O3 are slightly higher (0.01‰ and 0.03‰, respectively) than the mean value (0.66‰), whereas that of O3 is lower (−0.04‰) than the mean value (**Figure 2(b)**). The variations in the Δ_{63} values for the different sites are partly due to the varying lengths of the O_(in carbonate group)-H_(in water) bonds, which range from 1.88 to 1.92 Å in calcite (**Figure 1(a)**) and from 1.81 to 2.01 Å in aragonite (**Figure 1(b)**).

The values for the phosphoric acid fractionation factor y (Equation (12)) are shown in **Figure 4** and **Table 5**. For temperatures ranging from 0°C to 50°C, the values in the present study were found to be

$$y_{\text{G-T-calcite}} = 0.0067 \times 10^6 / T^2 - 0.0829 \quad (R^2 = 0.0106), \quad y_{\text{D-T-calcite}} = -0.0187 \times 10^6 / T^2 + 0.1841$$

$$(R^2 = 0.0106), \quad y_{\text{G-T-aragonite}} = 0.0068 \times 10^6 / T^2 - 0.094 \quad (R^2 = 0.0109) \quad \text{and}$$

$y_{\text{G-T-aragonite}} = -0.0187 \times 10^6 / T^2 + 0.1732 \quad (R^2 = 0.0109)$ (**Figure 4**). These y values were thus on the order of 0.01‰ in this temperature range, which is in good agreement with the value suggested by Ghosh *et al.* (2006) ($y \leq 0.14\%$). In addition, the $y_{\text{G-T}}$ polynomials determined for both minerals decreased extremely slowly with increasing temperature (approximately −0.0002‰/°C), which is consistent with the trend reported by Ghosh *et al.* (2006) (−0.016‰/°C). Note that the slope calculated in the present study for $y_{\text{D-T}}$ was 0.0005‰/°C.

Because the values for y calculated in the present study are so small:

$$\Delta_{47} \cong \Delta_{63}, \quad (13)$$

where Δ_{63} is given by Equation (11). Equation (13) provides results with an accuracy of 98%_G (=abs(0.658 − 0.01)/0.658) × 100% for calcite at 25°C in **Table 5** and 95%_D (=abs(0.658 − 0.032)/0.658) × 100% for calcite at 25°C in **Table 5**. This equation also demonstrates why both the Δ_{47} and Δ_{63} values calculated in the present study can be placed on the ordinate in **Figure 2**. Furthermore, the Δ_{47} values calculated in this study agreed well with the experimentally determined values for both minerals (**Figure 2**).

3.3. Uncertainty of the Present Predictions

Possible errors in the *ab initio* calculations were first considered. A series of factors influence the accuracy of the calculated K3866| values, including the quality of the exchange density functional and the level of the basis

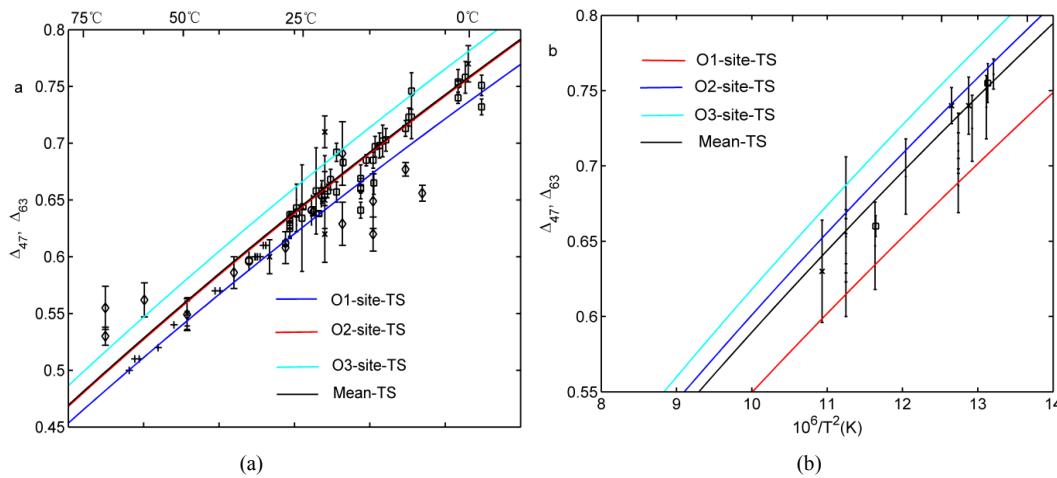


Figure 2. Values for Δ_{47} and Δ_{63} as a function of temperature (K) for (a) calcite and (b) aragonite. The theoretical (this study TS O1, red solid line; TS O2, blue solid line; TS O3, cyan solid line; TS mean, black solid line) and experimental (Ghosh *et al.* (2006), black crosses; Ghosh *et al.* (2007), black dots; Dennis and Schrag (2010), black diamonds; Eagle *et al.* (2010), black circles; Tripati *et al.* (2010), black squares) data are illustrated. The best polynomial fittings for the means of the Δ_{47} and Δ_{63} values for both calcite and aragonite obtained in the present study are shown in **Table 3**.

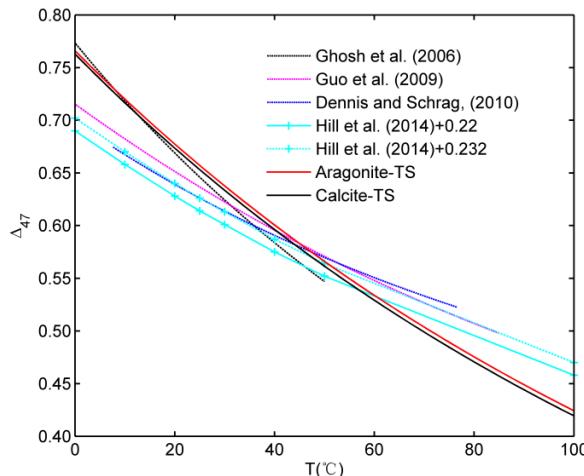


Figure 3. Comparison of this results of the present study (TS, black solid) obtained at the HF/6-31G*/1.0613(SF) level to other theoretical and experimental results for calcite Δ_{47} values from 0°C to 100°C. Data points for the data taken from Ghosh *et al.* (2006) (black dashed), Dennis and Schrag (2010) (blue dashed), and combined Guo *et al.* (2009) (cyan dashed) were calculated using their fitted polynomials. The data points for Hill *et al.* (2014) at the B3LYP/6-311++G(2d,dp)(un-scaled) level were illustrated by adding the experimental y ($0.232 \pm 0.015\%$) (cross solid) and theoretical y (0.220% , Guo *et al.*, 2009) (cross dashed) values. Also shown are the results for Δ_{47} -aragonite obtained in the present study (red solid line).

set; thus, the harmonic frequencies, as well as the error of the scaling factor and the Teller-Redlich product rule [41] [42] used in Equation (9). The use of the Teller-Redlich product rule simplifies the calculation of the RPFR [33] [34] with an uncertainty of less than 10^{-5} , as shown in previous theoretical calculations [11] [26] [29] [43]. The standard error for the SF = 1.0613 was not determined because only one experimental vibrational spectrum [40] has been published. The quality of the theoretical method and the level of the basis set consist of systemic errors in the harmonic frequencies; however, it is clear that the systemic errors are partially cancelled out due to the division of the two RPFRs during calculation of the K3866 values [11].

The uncertainties in the calculated y values derive from the accuracies of both the calculated Δ_{63} s values and the experimentally fitted Δ_{47} polynomials. As shown above for Equation (11), the Δ_{63} values obtained using

Table 3. Parameters for the polynomial fitting to calculated best-estimate Δ_{63} and Δ_{47} values (Equation (13)) from different studies and the corresponding temperature ranges (K).

Items	A	B	C	D	E	Temperature range (K)	Reference	
Calcite	$\Delta_{47} \cong \Delta_{63}$	-8.14673×10^8	-9.31441×10^6	1.42742×10^5	-1.64905×10^2	5.65986×10^{-2}	260 - 1500	This study
	Δ_{63}	-3.40752×10^9	2.36545×10^7	-2.63167×10^3	-5.85372	0.00000	260 - 1500	Schauble <i>et al.</i> (2006)
	Δ_{47}	-1.67298×10^9	6.81374×10^6	5.13850×10^4	-7.78016×10^1	3.18281×10^{-2}	273.15 - 1373.15	Hill <i>et al.</i> (2014)
Aragonite	$\Delta_{47} \cong \Delta_{63}$	-3.33040×10^9	2.32415×10^7	-2.91282×10^3	-5.54043	2.32520×10^{-1}	260 - 1500	Guo <i>et al.</i> (2009)
	Δ_{63}	-3.51109×10^9	2.40017×10^7	-4.62181×10^2	-7.25553	0.00000	260 - 1500	Schauble <i>et al.</i> (2006)
	Δ_{47}	-1.57483×10^9	5.29223×10^6	5.85736×10^4	-8.57804×10^1	3.46876×10^{-2}	273.15 - 1373.15	Hill <i>et al.</i> (2014)

The form of each fit is $\Delta_{47/63} (T) = A/T^4 + B/T^3 + C/T^2 + D/T + E$. Our polynomials reproduce Δ_{63} within 0.26% for both calcite and aragonite from 260 to 1500 K. Present $\Delta_{47} \cong \Delta_{63}$ is given by Equation (13) within 0.01%.

Table 4. Site-specific effects of Δ_{63} in the present study.

Mineral	Site	0°C	25°C	50°C	75°C	100°C
Calcite	O1	0.76	0.65	0.56	0.48	0.42
	O2	0.74	0.63	0.54	0.47	0.41
	O3	0.79	0.67	0.58	0.50	0.44
	Mean	0.76	0.65	0.56	0.48	0.42
Aragonite	O1	0.72	0.62	0.53	0.45	0.39
	O2	0.78	0.67	0.58	0.50	0.43
	O3	0.80	0.69	0.59	0.52	0.45
	Mean	0.77	0.66	0.57	0.49	0.42

the calculated K3866| values have an accuracy within 0.03‰. The external precision of the Δ_{47-G} values is 0.01‰ - 0.02‰, with a related temperature precision of $\pm 2^\circ\text{C}$ [3], and the run-to-run reproducibility and internal counting statistics in [20] were 0.029‰ and 0.012‰, respectively. That is, the accuracies of the experimental Δ_{47} values are at the level of 0.01‰. Therefore, the errors in the y values determined in the present study are on the order of 0.01‰, and the precision of the temperature is $\pm 2^\circ\text{C}$ [3] [4] [9] [12] [20].

3.4. Fractionations for $^{13/12}\text{C}$, $^{18/16}\text{O}$ and $^{14/12}\text{C}$

The accuracy of the calculated results obtained in the present study was then evaluated by comparing the calculated and experimentally obtained $^{13/12}\text{C}$ and $^{18/16}\text{O}$ fractionations for calcite and aragonite. For RPFR($^{13/12}\text{C}_{\text{-calcite}}$) at 25°C (**Table 6** and **Table 7**), the estimated value of 1.2761 was greater than previously reported results (e.g. 1.2037 [44], 1.1973 [45], 1.20430 [11], 1.1994 [26] and 1.2078 [9]). The calculated value of 1.2785 for RPFR($^{13/12}\text{C}_{\text{-aragonite}}$) at 25°C, was also greater than previously reported results (e.g. 1.20669 [11], 1.2014 [26] and 1.2110 [9]). In contrast, the calculated value of -1.9‰ for $\Delta^{13}\text{C}_{\text{Calcite-Aragonite}} = 1000 \times \ln (\text{RPFR}(\text{C-calcite})/\text{RPFR}(\text{C-aragonite}))$ was in good agreement with the value reported previously for low-temperature equilibrium experiments ($-1.7 \pm 0.4\text{‰}$, 25°C) [46] [47].

For RPFR($^{18/16}\text{O}_{\text{-calcite}}$) at 25°C, the calculated value of 1.1355 was again larger than previously reported results (e.g. 1.1018 [48], 1.1040 [44], 1.10328 [11] and 1.1060 [9]). The calculated value of 1.1394 for RPFR($^{18/16}\text{O}_{\text{-aragonite}}$) at 25°C was also larger than previously reported results (e.g. 1.098 [48], 1.10319 [11], 1.0737 [49] and 1.1075 [9]). On the other hand, the calculated value for $\Delta^{18}\text{O}_{\text{Calcite-Aragonite}}$ of -3.4‰ at 25°C, was less than the experimentally obtained results (-0.6‰ [31] [50] and -1.4‰ at 25°C, [49]). The difference in the magnitudes of the $\Delta^{18}\text{O}$ values may be due to the influence of the acid fractionation factor (1.01107 and 1.01049 for calcite and aragonite, respectively) [11] [51].

The present results may be applied to the study of the climate history of the Paleozoic, Precambrian and Ce-

Table 5. Comparison of Δ_{47} , Δ_{63} and y for different experimental and theoretical predictions. The Δ_{47} and Δ_{63} values for the data taken from Ghosh *et al.* (2006), Guo *et al.* (2009), Schauble *et al.* (2006), Dennis and Schrag (2010) and Hill *et al.* (2014) were calculated from their fitted polynomials, and the corresponding y values were copied from these references. The Δ_{63-T} values in the present paper were calculated at the HF/6-31G* level with a scaling factor of 1.0613, and our y values were calculated using the equation Δ_{47} (published)- Δ_{63-T} . For a detailed comparison, the Δ_{47} values at specific temperatures taken from Ghosh *et al.* (2006) and our results are illustrated. See discussions in the text.

Source	Ghosh <i>et al.</i> (2006)			Combined Guo <i>et al.</i> (2009) with Schauble <i>et al.</i> (2006)			Dennis and Schrag (2010)			Hill <i>et al.</i> (2014)					
	Type	Experiments		Theoretical prediction		Experiments		at B3LYP/6-311++G(2d,2p) (unscaled)							
T (°C)	Δ_{47}	Δ_{63}	y	Δ_{47}	Δ_{63-c}^a	y	Δ_{47}	Δ_{63}	y	Δ_{47-c}	Δ_{63-c}	y	Δ_{47-c}	Δ_{63-c}	y
0	0.773			0.724	0.492		-			0.702	0.470		0.690	0.470	
10	0.718			0.690	0.458		0.667			0.670	0.438		0.658	0.438	
20	0.669			0.658	0.427		0.639			0.640	0.408		0.628	0.408	
25	0.646			0.643	0.412		0.626			0.626	0.394		0.614	0.394	
30	0.624	-	≤ 0.14	0.629	0.398	0.22	0.614	-	0.22	0.613	0.381	0.232	0.601	0.381	0.22
40	0.584			0.601	0.370		0.591			0.587	0.355		0.575	0.355	
50	0.547			0.576	0.345		0.57			0.564	0.332		0.552	0.332	
100	-			0.476	0.245		-			0.470	0.238		0.458	0.238	

^aThe subscript “c” represents calcite.

Source	This study											
	Theoretical prediction											
	Type	at HF/6-31G*/1.0613 (SF)										
		$\Delta_{47}\text{-exp-G}^a$ (°C)	Δ_{63-c}	$y\text{-G-T-c}$	Δ_{63-a}^b	$y\text{-G-T-a}$	T (°C)	$\Delta_{47}\text{-exp-D}^c$	Δ_{63-c}	$y\text{-D-T-c}$	Δ_{63-a}	$y\text{-D-T-a}$
	0.770(1)	0.758	0.012	0.761	0.009	0	-	0.763	-	0.766	-	
	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	0.677	0.717	-0.040	0.720	-0.043
	0.669(23)	0.661	0.008	0.665	0.004	20		0.660	0.673	-0.013	0.677	-0.017
	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	0.640	0.653	-0.013	0.657	-0.017
	0.624(33)	0.622	0.002	0.626	-0.002	30		0.624	0.633	-0.009	0.638	-0.014
	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	0.586	0.596	-0.010	0.601	-0.015
	0.550(50)	0.561	-0.011	0.566	-0.016	50		0.549	0.561	-0.012	0.566	-0.017
	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	-	0.419	-	0.424	-

^aThe subscripts “exp” and “G” stand for experimental and Ghosh *et al.* (2006), respectively; ^bthe subscript “a” represents aragonite; ^cthe subscript “D” represents Dennis and Schrag (2010).

Source	This study										
	Theoretical prediction										
	Type	at HF/6-31G*/1.0613 (SF)									
		$\Delta_{47}\text{-fit-G}^a$	Δ_{63-c}	$y\text{-G-T-c}$	Δ_{63-a}	$y\text{-G-T-a}$	$\Delta_{47}\text{-fit-D}$	Δ_{63-c}	$y\text{-D-T-c}$	Δ_{63-a}	$y\text{-D-T-a}$
	0	0.773	0.763	0.010	0.766	0.007	-	0.763	-	0.766	-
	10	0.718	0.717	0.001	0.720	-0.002	0.667	0.717	-0.050	0.720	-0.053
	20	0.669	0.673	-0.004	0.677	-0.008	0.639	0.673	-0.034	0.677	-0.038
	25	0.646	0.653	-0.007	0.657	-0.011	0.626	0.653	-0.027	0.657	-0.031
	30	0.624	0.633	-0.009	0.638	-0.014	0.614	0.633	-0.019	0.638	-0.024
	40	0.584	0.596	-0.012	0.601	-0.017	0.591	0.596	-0.005	0.601	-0.010
	50	0.547	0.561	-0.014	0.566	-0.019	0.570	0.561	0.009	0.566	0.004
	100	-	0.419	-	0.424	-	-	0.419	-	0.424	-

^aThe subscript “fit” represents the fitted polynomials from corresponding works.

nozoic [17], including the variation of the ^{14}C concentration in atmosphere in the Quaternary Period [52]. Thus, polynomials for the RPFR($^{14/12}\text{C}$) for calcite and aragonite were determined and are provided in **Table 6** and **Table 7**.

Table 6. Parameters for the polynomial fitting to the calculated best-estimate RPFRs for $^{13/12}\text{C}$, $^{18/16}\text{O}$ and $^{14/12}\text{C}$ in calcite and aragonite from 260 to 1500 K.

Mineral	RPFR	A	B	C	D	E
Calcite	$^{13/12}\text{C}$	6.91375×10^8	-8.27353×10^6	4.52610×10^4	-2.56409	1.00012
	$^{18/16}\text{O}$	2.12160×10^8	-3.00179×10^6	2.02866×10^4	-2.00347	1.00043
	$^{14/12}\text{C}$	1.15968×10^9	-1.27842×10^7	8.26906×10^4	-5.28487	1.00064
Aragonite	$^{13/12}\text{C}$	7.00201×10^8	-8.34641×10^6	4.55477×10^4	-2.29694	1.00002
	$^{18/16}\text{O}$	2.20951×10^8	-3.10683×10^6	2.08805×10^4	-2.00014	1.00042
	$^{14/12}\text{C}$	1.17816×10^9	-1.29108×10^7	8.32912×10^4	-4.87379	1.00049

The form of each fit is RPFR (T) = A/T4 + B/T3 + C/T2 + D/T + E. These reproduce RPFR within 1.1‰ ($^{13/12}\text{C}$), 0.14‰ ($^{18/16}\text{O}$), 1.5‰ ($^{14/12}\text{C}$) for calcite and within 1.2‰ ($^{13/12}\text{C}$), 0.16‰ ($^{18/16}\text{O}$), 1.5‰ ($^{14/12}\text{C}$) for aragonite from 260 to 1500 K.

Table 7. RPFRs for $^{13/12}\text{C}$, $^{18/16}\text{O}$ and $^{14/12}\text{C}$ in calcite and aragonite at 25°C.

Mineral	RPFR	25°C
Calcite	$^{13/12}\text{C}$	1.2761
	$^{18/16}\text{O}$	1.1355
	$^{14/12}\text{C}$	1.5777
Aragonite	$^{13/12}\text{C}$	1.2785
	$^{18/16}\text{O}$	1.1394
	$^{14/12}\text{C}$	1.5832

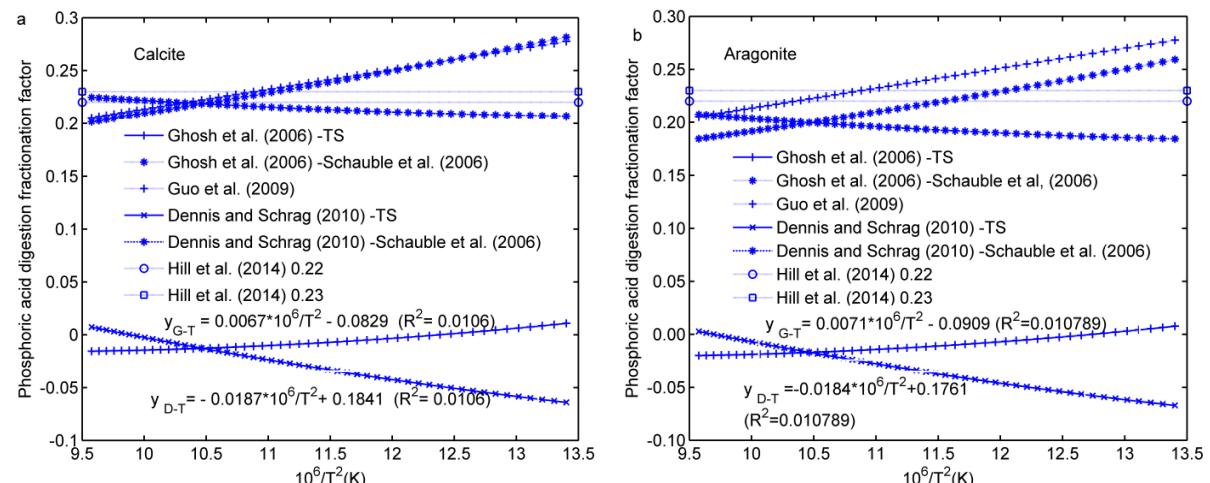


Figure 4. Comparison of the acid digestion fractionation factor y for (a) calcite and (b) aragonite for experimental fittings and theoretical results at temperatures from 0°C to 50°C. The legends are shown in the middle of both figures. The subscripts “G-T” and “D-T” for our y values represent “Ghosh et al. (2006)—This work” and “Dennis and Schrag (2010)—This work”, respectively. The normals (R^2) of the residuals are also shown. See discussions in the text.

4. Discussion

4.1. Comparison with Previous Studies

Present predictions describe the statistical relationship between observed Δ_{47} values and increasing temperatures. For instance, the Δ_{47} values obtained in the present study are in agreement with those reported in [3] within 0.008‰ (calcite) and 0.004‰ (aragonite) at 23°C (Table 5). This good agreement indicates that the equilibrium isotope reaction (2) occurring on the growing surfaces of these crystals is the source of the experimental Δ_{47} data. The Δ_{47} values calculated in the present study were also in agreement with those reported by Dennis and Schrag (2010) within -0.013‰ (calcite) and -0.017‰ (aragonite) at 25°C. However, at temperatures above or below 25°C, the trend in their data is systematically different from that observed for the results obtained in the present study (Figure 3). As they stated, the difference may be due to 1) impurities in the precipitated cal-

cite, 2) non-equilibrium isotope fractionation with water, and 3) “inter-lab differences in sample preparation and IRMS analysis”. If these factors were to be considered, it is possible that the data would be in better agreement.

The calculated results obtained in the present study were also compared to previously reported theoretical results (**Figure 3**, **Table 3** and **Table 5**). At 25°C, the present calculated Δ_{63} values of 0.653‰ (calcite) and 0.657‰ (aragonite) were greater than the $\Delta_{63\text{-icee}}$ value (approximately 0.40‰ for both minerals) obtained using lattice dynamics [11] and cluster models [9]. In addition, the calculated Δ_{47} values for calcite systematically deviated from those reported by Guo *et al.* (2009) (**Figure 3**). Furthermore, the y values obtained in the present study were in agreement with [3] but far lower than the conventionally accepted value of 0.22(3)‰ ([9] [12] [20]), regardless of whether $\Delta_{47\text{-fit-G}}$ or $\Delta_{47\text{-fit-D}}$ was used in Equation (12) (**Figure 4** and **Table 5**). This difference is due to different interpretations of the recrystallization process for carbonate samples (see Section 4.2).

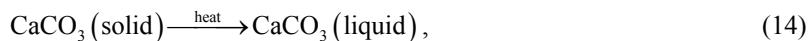
Notably, all of the theoretical results obtained in the present study (RPFR($^{13/12}\text{C}$), RPFR($^{18/16}\text{O}$), K3866|, Δ_{63} and Δ_{47} values) differed from previously reported results. The difference is in part due to the dissimilarity of vibrations (as required in Equation (9)) for carbonate groups at the crystal-water interface (**Figure 1**) and in the inner crystal environment [9] [11] [26]. Examples can be seen in **Table 2**, including the frequencies on the calcite surface at the HF/6-31G* level (this work) and in bulk calcite at the PBE/6-31G*/3-21G level [26]. Note that the frequencies are compared using the (v_i/v_1) ratio, because the differences in the magnitudes due to the different calculation levels are cancelled out using this approach, which indicates the property of the i th vibration in corresponding clusters. This comparison revealed that: 1) v_1 , v_2 , v_4 and v_{4b} on the surface are similar to those in the bulk crystal, whereas the C-O asymmetric stretching vibrations v_3 and v_{3b} are very close to v_1 on the calcite surface, but approximately 1.3 times greater than v_1 in bulk calcite. As a result, the differences in the results obtained in the present and previous studies are mainly due to the C-O asymmetric stretching vibrations v_3 and v_{3b} at the calcite interface.

In addition, the different coordinate atoms (CAs) of the O atoms in the carbonate group in the two different environments also contribute to the difference in the results obtained in the present and previous studies. The CAs of the O atoms include hydrogen, carbon and calcium atoms for both the calcite and aragonite surfaces (**Figure 1**), whereas the CAs for the O atoms in inner crystal environment consist of only carbon and calcium atoms [9]-[11] [26].

4.2. Information behind the Conventional 0.22(3)‰ Value for y

In Ghosh *et al.*'s (2006) study, the technical process for analysing the recrystallized CaCO_3 from, for example, sample 47413 is shown in **Figure 5**. This process involved seven steps that can be classified as physical or chemical processes. Steps 1, 4 and 6 were physical processes and did not involve chemical reactions and thus were assumed to have little or no influence on the final Δ_{63} and Δ_{47} values.

The remaining four chemical processes play key roles in determining the 0.22(3)‰ value for y . Step 2, which corresponds to the horizontal left arrow in **Figure 6**, includes the reaction:



which produces a uniform distribution of different isotopes in the system, but does not change the total chemical composition, including the isotopic Δ_{63} of the system, if a “sealed Pt capsule (ideally without air in it)” is used [3] [4] [12].

In reality, air would be present in the Pt capsules if step 2 in both Ghosh *et al.*'s (2006) and Guo *et al.*'s (2009) experiments was performed in air rather than under a vacuum or atmosphere of a noble gas. In this condition, reactions (15) and (16) below occur during the melting process and contribute to a decrease in the K3866 value.

Steps 3 and 5 involve significant isotopic reactions. Step 3 corresponds to the vertical-down arrow in **Figure 6**. When quenched in air, isotopes in the melted CaCO_3 sample (including CO_2 , CO and O_2 gases) exchange with gases in the air. Take CO_2 as an example:



and



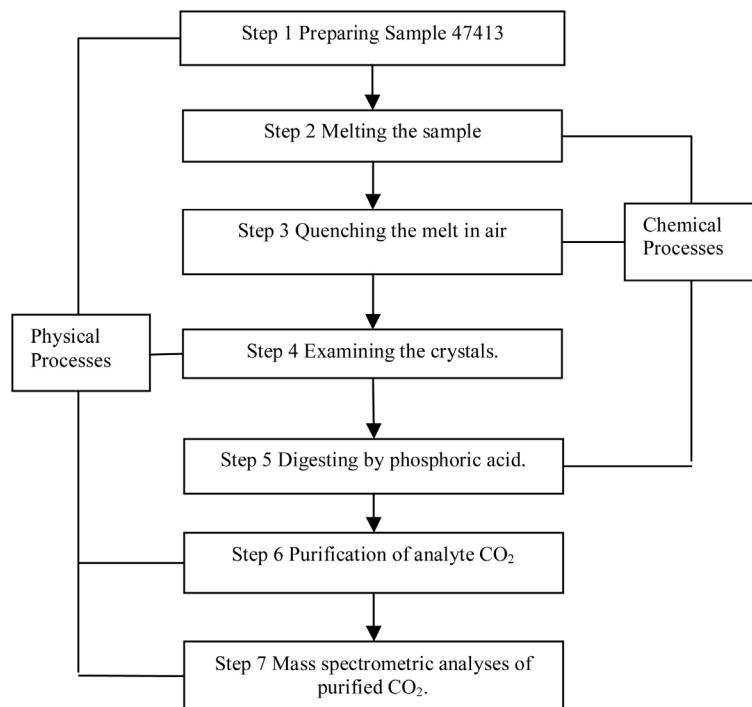


Figure 5. Simplified technical processes for sample 47413 in Ghosh *et al.* (2006). See details for each step in Ghosh *et al.* (2006) and Guo *et al.* (2009). See discussions of the physical (left) and chemical (right) processes in the text.

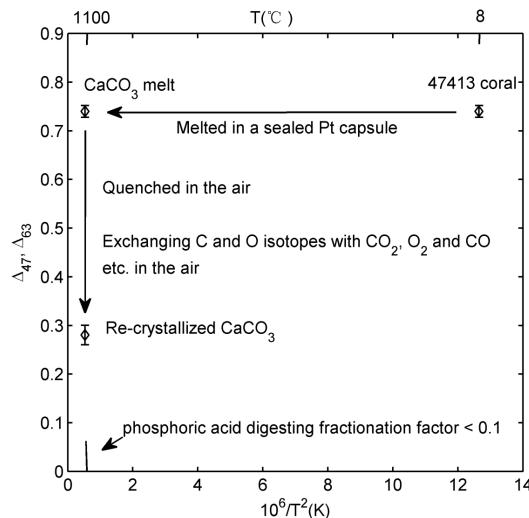


Figure 6. Schematic of the Δ_{63} and Δ_{47} -T paths for the 47413 coral sample during recrystallization. The value for the phosphoric acid digestion fractionation factor in the present study is shown at the bottom of the figure.

Previous experiments (C isotope, [53]; O isotope, [44] [49]) showed that due to these two isotope exchange reactions, calcite is enriched in light ^{12}C and ^{16}O isotopes and loses heavy ^{13}C and ^{18}O isotopes at temperatures above 700°C, resulting in an increase in the concentration of $^{12}\text{C}-^{16}\text{O}$ bonds and a decrease in the concentration of $^{13}\text{C}-^{18}\text{O}$ bonds in the sample. Therefore, the values for K3866 (Equation (5)), Δ_{63} (Equation (6)) and Δ_{47} (Equation (7)) decrease. Furthermore, the magnitude of this decline and the extent of the two exchange reactions (Equations (15) and (16)) depend on the concentrations of the isotopes in the CO_2 and the length of the quench-

ing time [54].

When digesting CO₂ from a sample (step 5), phosphoric acid reacts with recrystallized carbonates [5] [8]) and the phosphoric acid fractionation factor is at the level of 0.01‰ according to our calculations. Thus, we suggest that the intercepts (0.28‰, 47413 aragonite coral; 0.22‰, MZ carbonate; 0.14‰, Sigma carb in Ghosh *et al.* (2006) and 0.234, re-crystallized MZ; 0.210, NBS19 standard; 0.243, Sigma carbonate in Guo *et al.* (2009)) represent residual isotope information for the corresponding original CaCO₃ samples after reaction with air.

5. Conclusions

Ab initio calculations of ¹³C-¹⁸O clumped isotope reactions on growing surfaces of calcite (0001) and aragonite (001) planes were performed. On the basis of the calculated results, the following conclusions can be drawn:

1) These reactions determine the clumped isotope signatures in bulk carbonate crystals and the corresponding Δ_{47} information after dissolution using phosphoric acid. Over the temperature range from 260 to 1500 K, the calculated Δ_{47} polynomial for calcite was found to be:

$$\Delta_{47\text{-calcite}} = -\frac{8.14673 \times 10^8}{T^4} - \frac{9.31441 \times 10^6}{T^3} + \frac{1.42742 \times 10^5}{T^2} - \frac{1.64905 \times 10^2}{T} + 5.65986 \times 10^{-2}$$

and that for aragonite:

$$\Delta_{47\text{-aragonite}} = -\frac{5.81530 \times 10^8}{T^4} - \frac{1.18267 \times 10^7}{T^3} + \frac{1.50830 \times 10^5}{T^2} - \frac{1.71999 \times 10^2}{T} + 5.86981 \times 10^{-2}.$$

2) A comparison of the present results with previously reported experimental data suggests that the phosphoric acid influences the degassing of CO₂ from the carbonates at a level of just 0.01‰. It is therefore thought that the conventional intercept of 0.22(3)‰ is due to C and O isotope reactions between CaCO₃ and air.

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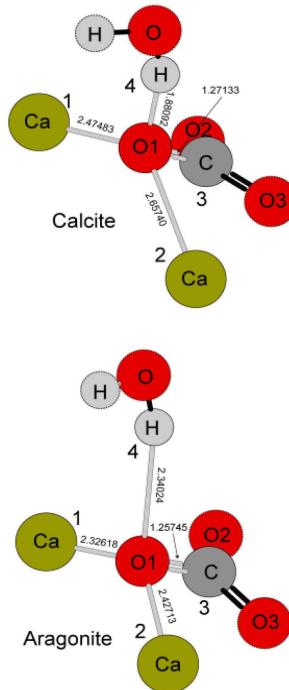
Appendix A. Supplementary Materials

Supplementary Materials can be found in the online version.

This file includes the optimized structures and frequencies for different isotopes of calcite and aragonite at HF/6-31g(d).

Note: the frequencies for calcite in **Table 1** are calculated using the standard masses of the C and O elements, as is required by Scott and Radom, 1996. See details in the reference.

Summarized coordinate atoms of O in the interested carbonate group from the following optimized structures:



The CAAs of O atoms are four for both calcite and aragonite. Bonds connecting O atom and its coordinate atoms are labeled in gray. All bond lengths are in unit Å. Three different oxygen sites (O1, O2 and O3) for both clusters are also shown.

Calcite			
Optimized structure			
C	-0.0230230	0.0007670	-0.4446400
O	0.4617910	-1.1685630	-0.3967090
O	-1.2836860	0.1623270	-0.4144800
O	0.7288450	0.9968490	-0.6315150
Ca	-1.1796140	2.4213900	-1.4197690
Ca	2.7262690	-0.1629330	-1.3789740
Ca	-1.5013110	-2.2980410	-1.3947860
O	6.6810630	-1.2130900	-3.1276730
O	-4.3874590	-5.2876020	-3.1303870
O	-2.3828180	6.4101540	-2.9108600
C	-0.2754310	-5.1617700	0.1913080

O 0.1390190 -2.9999760 -3.0223160
O -2.2497450 -5.7970080 -2.9695680
O -0.6523190 -6.3934480 0.3320640
C -4.5636380 -2.2949640 -0.3904920
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616.9554	651.1036	725.2113
762.7547	769.5097	772.8145
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825.7870	826.1071	826.4341
826.8992	832.7244	834.7464
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3897.6762	3945.2482	3960.5029
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4014.1141	4022.6933	4070.1463
4079.8867	4095.3895	4110.3565

 $^{12}\text{C}-^{16}\text{O}-^{16}\text{O}-^{18}\text{O}$

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273.6821	275.8264	280.1978
280.7400	282.3478	287.6960
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3897.6511	3945.2303	3960.5022
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C-¹⁸O-¹⁶O-¹⁶O

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 ^{13}C - ^{16}O - ^{18}O - ^{16}O

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4079.8864	4095.3886	4110.3563
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Aragonite

Optimized structure

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 H 3.1193110 -2.3001550 -1.2556610
 H 1.6983790 -2.6575030 -1.2449200
 O -1.1346410 -1.2014340 4.1823000
 H -0.8001400 -0.8235430 3.3726200
 H -0.8442040 -2.1090680 4.1426300
 O -4.0952810 -0.9430740 4.6684460
 H -3.1543680 -1.0854660 4.5843480
 H -4.3602610 -0.5660950 3.8395380
 O 0.1010900 -3.7381450 3.2878560
 H 0.9280860 -3.3520060 3.0088000
 H -0.4126850 -3.7949180 2.4907010

¹²C-¹⁶O-¹⁶O-¹⁶O

25.9731	34.5015	47.0763
63.8670	67.7190	75.2052
89.9886	94.4752	95.9246
105.2157	115.2175	120.9085
125.4642	128.6023	144.2251
147.2381	149.8592	164.2406
165.9676	167.6335	176.9085
187.8815	193.8459	203.2976
208.0605	211.1808	215.0179
216.4792	229.4220	231.3552
240.3244	241.4672	249.0635
260.6808	263.6970	264.9748
266.8514	268.6232	272.6189
273.1160	276.6529	279.7675
283.9349	287.4145	289.9067
290.3693	293.0853	294.3539
295.8610	301.8701	302.6995
306.3095	309.8829	310.3045
313.6831	316.6507	317.4602
321.4651	322.4512	324.3445
328.8436	332.1401	333.6479
334.7521	341.9676	345.0220
347.0002	351.3422	351.8922
356.4367	359.7621	361.7361
365.9039	367.1953	370.7295
374.2581	379.0368	382.8220
384.8617	386.7989	390.6582
393.0677	396.2062	401.2650

402.9481	408.5480	415.9018
416.8047	423.7246	426.4750
428.4585	432.0462	436.2060
439.3298	442.8479	449.6811
459.8785	461.2496	465.1558
469.8212	545.9002	582.2756
585.8348	589.2807	677.3573
680.4194	705.5449	717.4103
764.3707	790.6120	799.8950
809.7247	825.9609	828.8646
832.6103	834.5304	835.2361
837.7872	840.4463	843.3853
848.7781	849.2363	854.0111
857.7909	865.5366	879.0348
884.0962	885.0661	888.7694
898.4870	902.0844	928.2079
952.7464	955.6517	975.8154
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1005.0093	1014.0580	1016.4581
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1634.9713	1648.8909	1673.5442
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1727.1305	1732.1685	1746.6296
1767.8376	1773.4514	1779.0698
1788.3774	1788.8961	1792.7631
1802.1618	1815.9982	1820.1427
1835.8807	1838.6103	1843.7019
1858.0228	1864.2083	1868.6079
1874.6660	1884.4103	1890.2343
1897.9880	1905.8027	1915.9212
3804.0086	3865.1703	3975.3986
3998.4775	4009.7939	4023.2087
4034.5287	4071.4975	4098.2953
4106.9224	4120.8056	4136.1211

 $^{12}\text{C}-^{18}\text{O}-^{16}\text{O}-^{16}\text{O}$

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89.8877	92.9773	95.6080

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164.9276	166.4320	176.8285
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207.4014	210.9283	214.8173
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328.8144	332.0741	333.6274
334.6296	341.9003	345.0196
346.7520	351.2236	351.8586
356.4216	359.6199	361.7351
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374.2116	379.0386	382.7285
384.7666	386.7527	390.6380
392.9812	396.0247	401.2560
402.8712	408.5392	415.9042
416.8010	423.7102	426.4671
428.4570	432.0073	436.1876
439.3001	442.8302	449.6689
459.8781	461.2287	465.1547
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680.3952	705.5144	717.2451
749.2720	790.3422	799.8901
809.7204	819.9887	825.9704
832.0532	833.2816	834.6209
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857.7905	865.5369	879.0356
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1697.0291	1708.7221	1713.5501
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1767.8043	1773.4306	1779.0591
1788.3732	1788.8804	1792.7529
1802.1512	1815.8754	1820.0527
1835.7762	1838.6019	1843.6935
1857.9981	1864.1567	1868.5973
1874.6629	1884.3932	1890.2080
1897.9773	1905.5688	1915.8097
3803.9986	3865.1610	3975.3980
3998.4770	4009.7936	4023.2087
4034.5286	4071.4955	4098.2953
4106.9220	4120.8055	4136.1210

 ^{12}C - ^{16}O - ^{18}O - ^{16}O

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147.1627	149.7815	163.9678
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187.3813	193.5296	203.2621
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239.7491	241.4518	248.7415
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266.8141	268.6175	272.5189
273.0679	276.5225	279.6206
283.7514	287.1821	289.8777
290.2807	292.9606	294.1510
295.7638	301.8030	302.6500
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313.6155	316.5437	317.3291
321.3953	322.2772	324.2929
328.8021	331.9393	333.6116
334.5089	341.8366	345.0167

346.3774	350.8042	351.8375
356.4263	359.2600	361.7230
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374.2289	379.0385	382.3166
384.6454	386.5706	390.6067
392.9979	395.6436	398.9836
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416.7555	423.7070	426.4667
428.2497	432.0398	435.8841
439.1677	442.5902	449.6723
459.8601	461.2345	465.1563
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585.7431	589.2776	677.3355
680.4008	705.4026	717.2285
749.7299	790.3510	799.8855
809.7175	818.8624	825.9716
832.0371	833.2154	834.6233
837.7828	840.4363	843.3181
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857.7898	865.5355	879.0378
884.0943	885.0499	888.7695
898.4879	902.0845	928.1919
952.7505	955.6531	973.6979
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1727.1305	1732.1665	1744.3793
1767.5099	1773.4231	1779.0134
1788.3098	1788.6847	1792.6287
1801.9856	1815.9711	1820.0392
1835.8604	1838.5679	1843.6533
1858.0126	1864.1732	1868.4294
1874.6450	1884.3814	1890.1521
1897.8633	1905.3327	1915.8894
3804.0027	3865.1660	3975.3983
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4034.5287	4071.4965	4098.2952

4106.9216	4120.8055	4136.1211
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$$^{12}\text{C}-^{16}\text{O}-^{16}\text{O}-^{18}\text{O}$$

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147.2164	149.6139	163.7647
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187.6036	193.8375	203.1957
207.8849	210.7247	214.9742
216.2714	229.2366	231.2884
240.2795	241.4135	248.6376
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266.7211	268.4894	272.5484
272.9894	276.4071	279.3308
283.7847	287.1307	289.8451
290.0909	293.0382	293.9301
295.8309	301.7524	302.6535
306.1605	309.8736	310.2707
313.6342	316.4906	317.4436
321.3783	322.3786	324.2128
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334.6584	341.8162	345.0106
346.7120	351.2069	351.8409
356.4258	359.4360	361.6972
365.8495	367.1582	370.6021
374.1851	379.0371	381.7357
384.3649	386.5549	390.5209
392.6945	395.0390	399.4915
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428.2040	432.0372	435.8567
439.1447	442.5949	449.6435
459.8510	461.2424	465.1537
469.8184	545.8841	582.2757
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809.7224	812.1657	825.9680
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837.7823	840.4334	843.2883
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857.7890	865.5298	879.0382
884.0944	885.0160	888.7691
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952.7502	955.6531	973.5563
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1634.9025	1648.7868	1667.7823
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1767.6091	1773.4500	1779.0482
1788.2903	1788.6382	1792.5812
1801.9889	1815.7241	1820.1320
1835.7519	1838.5995	1843.6175
1858.0076	1864.2068	1868.4820
1874.6159	1884.4039	1890.1306
1897.9502	1905.6614	1915.5689
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4106.9209	4120.8056	4136.1210

 $^{13}\text{C}-^{16}\text{O}-^{16}\text{O}-^{16}\text{O}$

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147.2185	149.8454	164.1858
165.8825	167.5015	176.8382
187.7792	193.7926	203.2848
208.0480	211.1392	215.0107
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266.8353	268.6007	272.6058
273.0835	276.5120	279.6409
283.8817	287.3003	289.9041
290.2748	293.0638	294.1565

295.8355	301.8253	302.6988
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328.8214	332.0963	333.6449
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346.8038	351.2342	351.8491
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374.2334	379.0366	382.7485
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393.0156	396.0850	401.0221
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1237.2772	1242.2974	1244.2851
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1767.0910	1773.3840	1778.9465
1787.8954	1788.5065	1792.3836
1801.6916	1815.3662	1819.8402
1835.5199	1838.5185	1843.4883

1857.9479	1864.0744	1868.2099
1874.5583	1884.3285	1889.8976
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3998.4772	4009.7907	4023.2087
4034.5281	4071.4905	4098.2951
4106.9177	4120.8054	4136.1210

¹³C-¹⁸O-¹⁶O-¹⁶O

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146.8566	149.7866	163.9929
164.8809	166.2762	176.7599
187.7592	193.6822	203.2762
207.3847	210.8928	214.7954
215.4688	229.3900	231.2411
240.1802	241.4470	248.3065
260.4219	263.4415	264.8235
266.8276	268.4624	272.6142
272.9804	275.8987	279.3195
283.8773	287.0658	289.9008
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328.7921	332.0270	333.6240
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374.1886	379.0385	382.6439
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857.7896	865.5340	879.0363
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1727.1304	1732.1076	1740.3021
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3998.4767	4009.7904	4023.2086
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 ^{13}C - ^{16}O - ^{18}O - ^{16}O

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215.3738	229.2555	231.0555

239.6908	241.4549	248.6599
260.5791	263.4700	264.5722
266.7978	268.5956	272.5034
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295.7430	301.7626	302.6501
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328.7807	331.8818	333.6071
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346.1820	350.7249	351.8117
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365.8632	367.1861	370.5351
374.2071	379.0375	382.1844
384.5738	386.5518	390.5947
392.9432	395.4885	398.7878
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439.1393	442.5618	449.6668
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585.7282	589.2776	677.2780
680.3970	705.3819	717.1936
747.5122	790.2837	799.8839
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857.7887	865.5327	879.0386
884.0940	885.0456	888.7695
898.4878	902.0849	928.1420
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979.0658	980.9744	983.1140
985.6369	996.0470	1000.5695
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1237.2229	1242.2015	1244.2464
1251.2705	1252.2296	1253.3697
1256.0447	1260.3071	1263.8604
1620.9002	1634.5309	1649.0218

1666.1686	1696.4882	1711.6622
1727.1304	1732.1117	1739.6738
1766.9800	1773.3728	1778.9223
1787.7709	1788.4952	1792.3439
1801.6220	1815.3541	1819.7768
1835.5047	1838.4922	1843.4606
1857.9403	1864.0492	1868.0860
1874.5474	1884.3075	1889.8385
1897.6624	1904.2611	1915.2465
3803.9612	3865.1410	3975.3964
3998.4771	4009.7902	4023.2084
4034.5280	4071.4895	4098.2950
4106.9169	4120.8054	4136.1210

 $^{13}\text{C}^{16}\text{O}-^{16}\text{O}^{18}\text{O}$

25.7380	34.3950	46.9243
63.6785	67.2703	74.9261
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125.3103	128.5550	143.9397
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165.4089	167.4501	176.5792
187.5057	193.7841	203.1836
207.8695	210.6893	214.9689
216.2326	229.2122	231.2137
240.2165	241.4129	248.5589
260.5326	263.4802	264.8851
266.7058	268.4646	272.5381
272.9486	276.2570	279.2226
283.7364	287.0037	289.8390
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295.8083	301.7137	302.6527
306.1062	309.8627	310.2551
313.6297	316.4785	317.4263
321.3634	322.3607	324.1912
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346.5193	351.1059	351.8127
356.4187	359.2987	361.6931
365.8435	367.1544	370.5917
374.1596	379.0365	381.5749
384.3172	386.5415	390.5080
392.6354	394.9403	399.2752
402.4211	408.4899	415.9046

416.7541	423.6927	426.4711
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585.8178	589.2818	677.2703
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831.8118	833.1298	834.6142
837.7826	840.4332	843.2874
848.7790	849.1199	853.9972
857.7879	865.5261	879.0390
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898.4871	902.0854	928.1249
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979.0651	980.9721	983.1115
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1256.0448	1260.3065	1263.8603
1622.4937	1634.0653	1649.2085
1663.8661	1696.4127	1711.5884
1727.1304	1732.0999	1739.6502
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1787.7383	1788.4909	1792.3216
1801.6232	1815.2239	1819.8329
1835.4418	1838.5114	1843.4439
1857.9380	1864.0734	1868.1264
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1897.7377	1904.4540	1915.0235
3803.9630	3865.1426	3975.3962
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4034.5279	4071.4894	4098.2951
4106.9162	4120.8054	4136.1210

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