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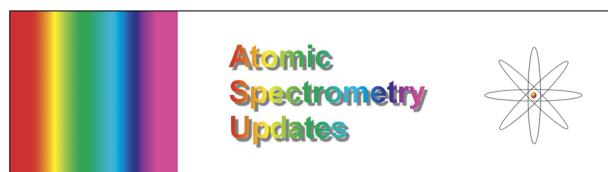
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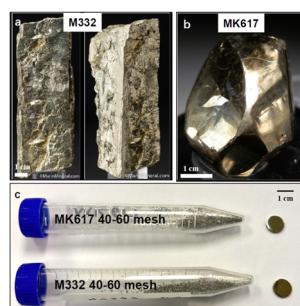


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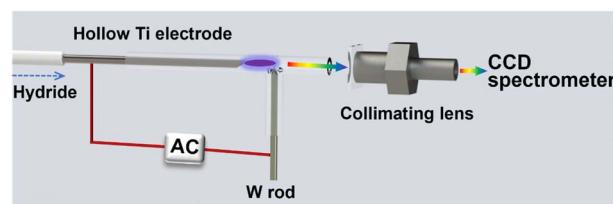
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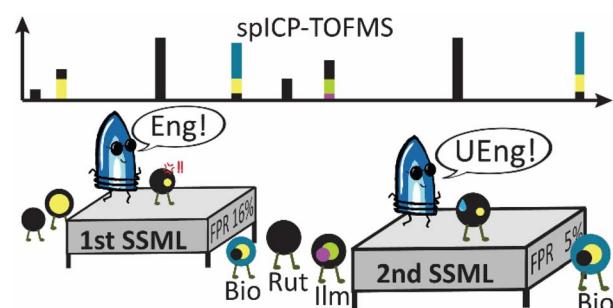
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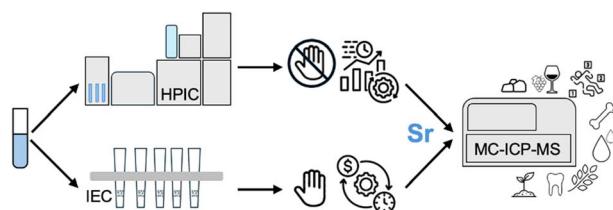
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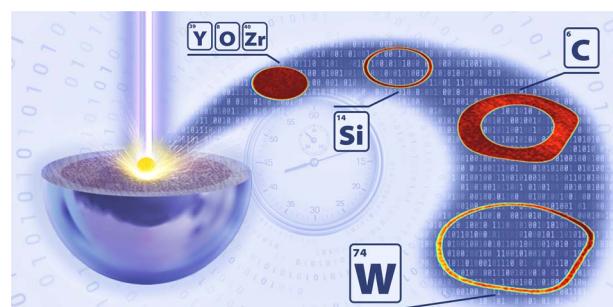


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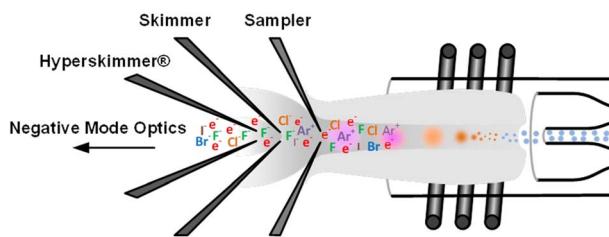
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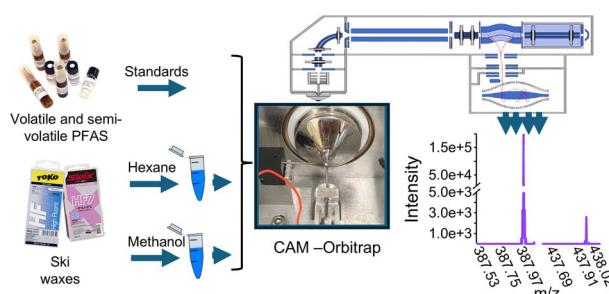
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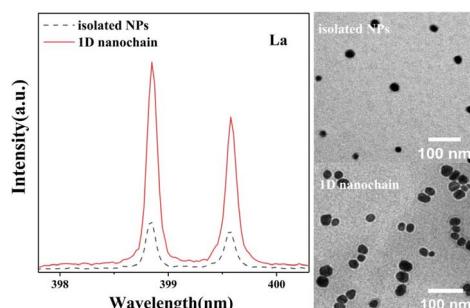
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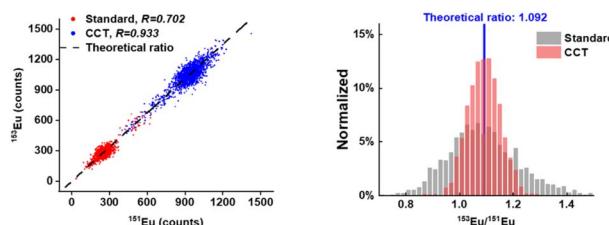
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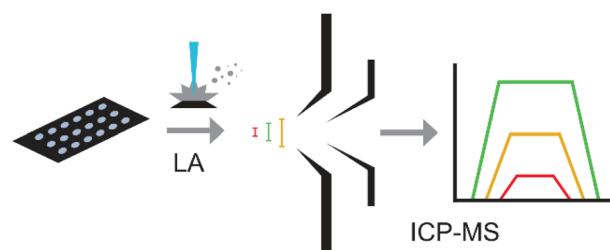


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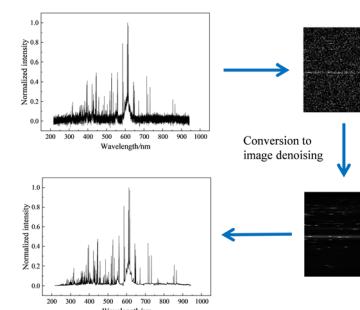
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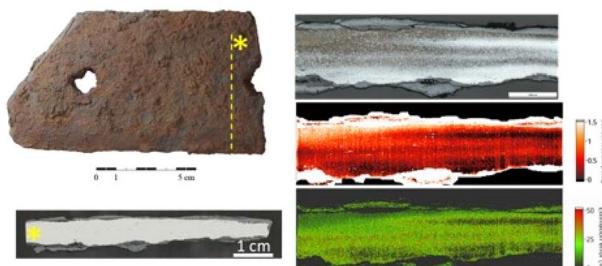
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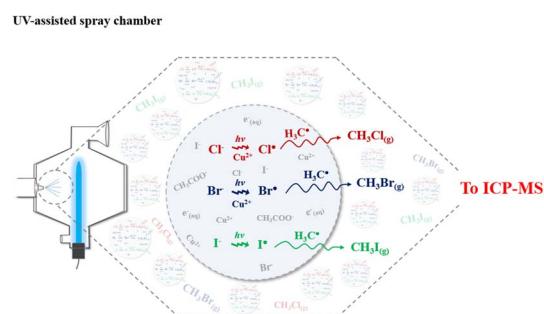
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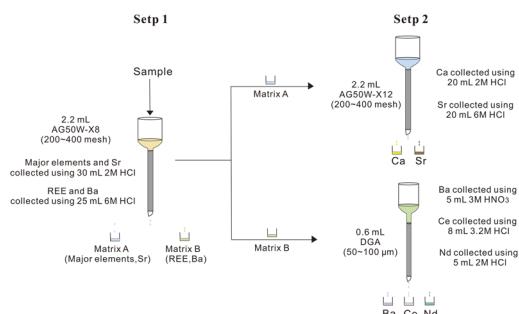
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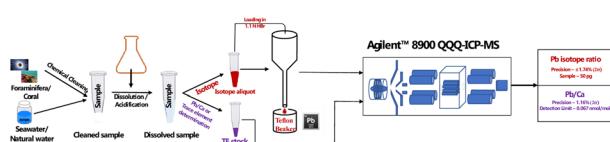
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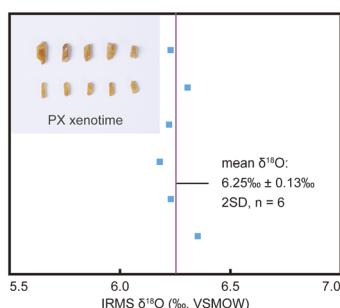
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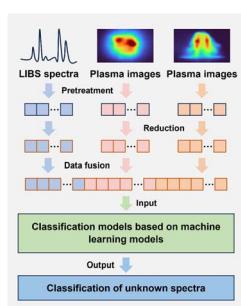
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PX xenotime: a new reference material for SIMS oxygen isotopic microanalysis and potential applications

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Rapid and accurate classification of coal by laser-induced breakdown spectroscopy coupled with a plasma image-spectrum fusion strategy

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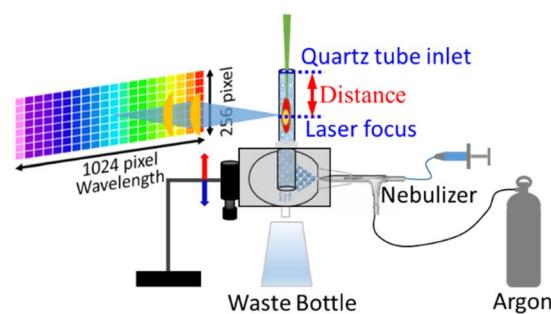


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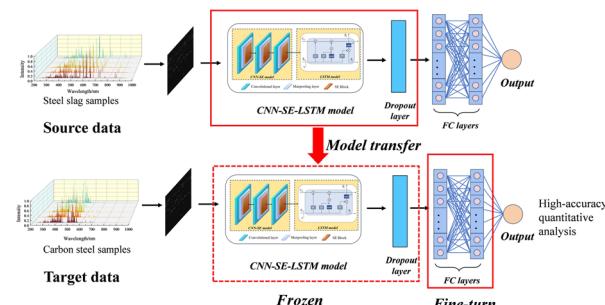
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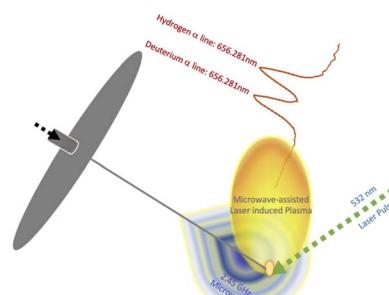
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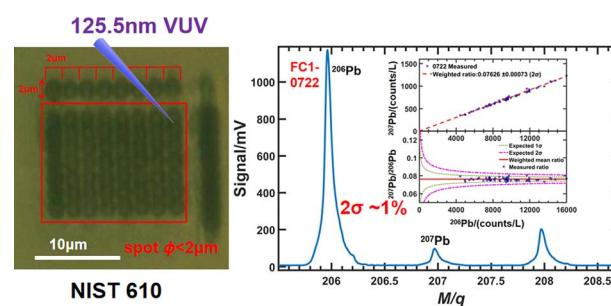
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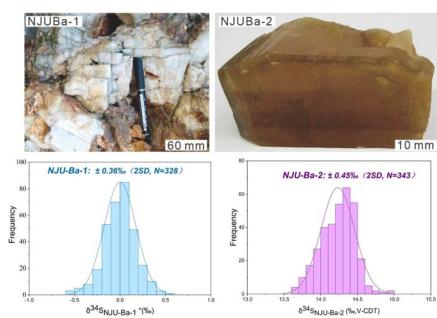
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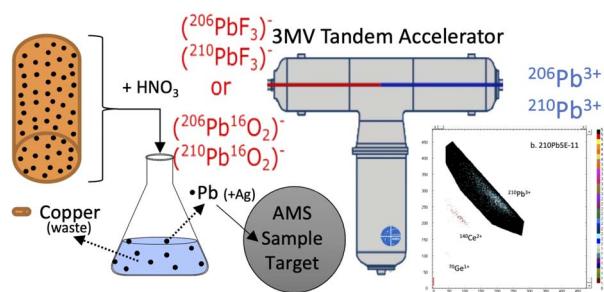
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