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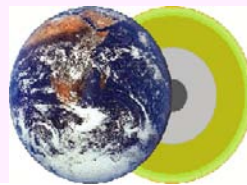
Equation of state and ultrasonic measurement of MgSiO_3 akimotoite

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Abstract

Akimotoite, the ilmenite form of MgSiO_3 magnesium silicate, is stable at pressures between ~ 18 and 25 GPa and at relative low temperatures in the MgSiO_3 system. Experimental measurements on the thermo-elastic properties of akimotoite at high pressures and high temperatures in the mantle are so far limited (*Weidner and Ito, 1985; Renard et al., 1996; Wang et al., 2004*) except for recent theoretical simulations (*Li et al., 2009*). Particularly the shear elastic constant and its pressure and temperature dependences have not yet been directly measured by high pressure experiments. Here we carried out ultrasonic measurement on MgSiO_3 akimotoite polycrystalline with in situ X-ray diffraction at high pressures up to 25 GPa and temperatures to 700 K. Bulk and shear modulus and their pressure and temperature dependences at high pressures are determined as a result: $K_{S0}=217(3)$ GPa, $K'_{S0}=4.4(2)$, $\partial K_S/\partial T = -0.017(6)$ GPa/K, $G_{S0}=132.4(5)$, $G'_{S0}=1.56(3)$, $\partial G_S/\partial T = -0.017(6)$ GPa/K. The bulk and shear modulus are similar with previous Brillouin measurement (*Weidner and Ito, 1985*).