

X-ray Absorption Fine Structure Overview

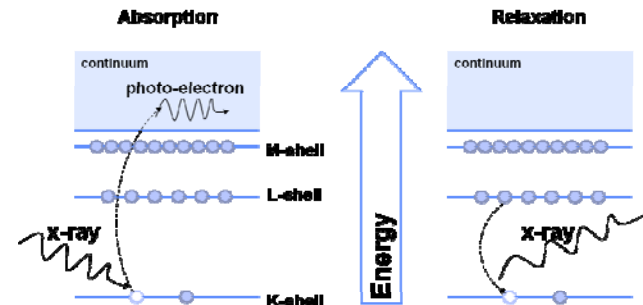
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X-rays and Matter

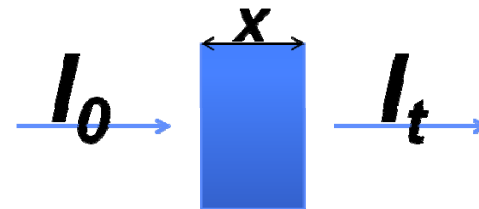
- Photoelectric effect (Einstein's 1921 Nobel Prize):
 - Dominates for X-rays with energies from 500 eV to 500 keV
 - X-ray photon is absorbed by an electron in a tightly bound quantum core level of an atom.
 - Binding energy of electron must be less than x-ray energy otherwise the electron does not interact with the X-ray.
 - The x-ray is destroyed (absorbed) and excess energy is given to the photo-electron that is ejected from the atom.

Electronic transitions due to X-ray absorption must follow dipole selection rule requires conservation of angular momentum. Transitions are allowed for $\ell = \pm 1$



Beer's Law: Absorption of X-rays by Matter

$$I_t = I_0 e^{-\mu x}$$



Hephaestus: Absorption Tools

Absorption: periodic table of edge and line energies

Property	Value
Name	Iron
Number	26
Weight	55.85 amu

Edge	Energy	$\nu(\text{ch})$
K	7112	1.33
L1	844.6	4.21
L2	119.9	1.54
L3	706.8	0.46
M1	91.3	3.12
M2	52.7	1.40
M3	52.7	1.41
M4	2	0.18
M5	2	0.17

Line	Transition	Energy	Strength
Ka1	K-L3	6405.2	0.5803
Ka2	K-L2	6392.1	0.2940
Ka3	K-L1	6267.4	0.0003
Kb1	K-M3	7059.3	0.0822
Kb2	K-M2,3		
Kb3	K-M2	7059.3	0.0426
Kb4	K-M4,5		
Kb5	K-M4,5	7110	0.0007
La1	L3-M5		

Transitions: electronic transitions for fluorescence lines

The diagram illustrates energy levels for shells K, L, M, N and subshells s, p, d, f. Transitions are labeled as follows:

- α_1 (M to L)
- α_2 (M to K)
- β_1 (M to L)
- β_2 (M to L)
- β_3 (M to L)
- γ_1 (M to K)
- $\beta_{2,15}$ (M to L)
- $\beta_{1,2}$ (M to L)
- $\alpha_{1,2}$ (M to L)
- $\alpha_{1,2}$ (M to K)

Formulas: compute total cross sections of materials

Formula: Be Element

Density: 1.85 g/cm^3

Energy: 9000

Compute

element	number	barns/atom	cm^2/gm
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Be	1.000	12.427	0.831

This weighs 9.012 amu.

Absorption length = 0.651 cm at 9000 eV.

A sample of 1 absorption length with area of 1 square cm requires 1204.255 milligrams of sample at 9000.00 eV

The Elam database and the full cross-sections were used in the calculation.

Ion chambers: optimize ion chamber gases

Photon energy 9000 Primary gas N_2 Secondary gas He Pressure (torr) 2300

Compute

Chamber length

- 3.3 cm Lytle detector
- 6.6 cm Lytle detector
- 10 cm
- 15 cm
- 30 cm
- 45 cm
- 60 cm
- Use the custom length

Custom length 20 cm

Percentage absorbed **9.07%** **Reset**

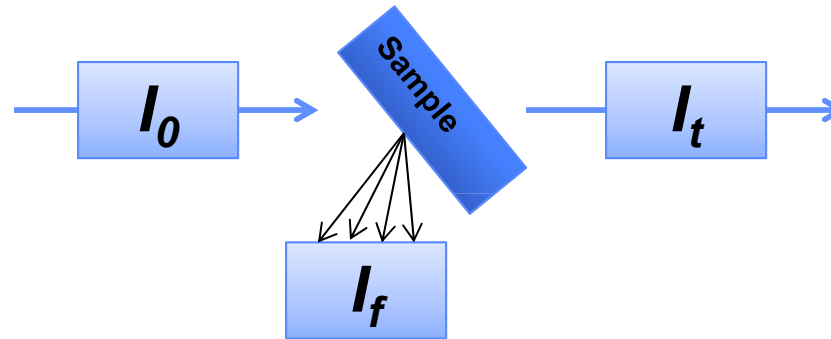
Photon Flux

Amplifier gain 8 with 0 volts gives 0 photons / second

Measurement of X-ray Absorption Coefficient

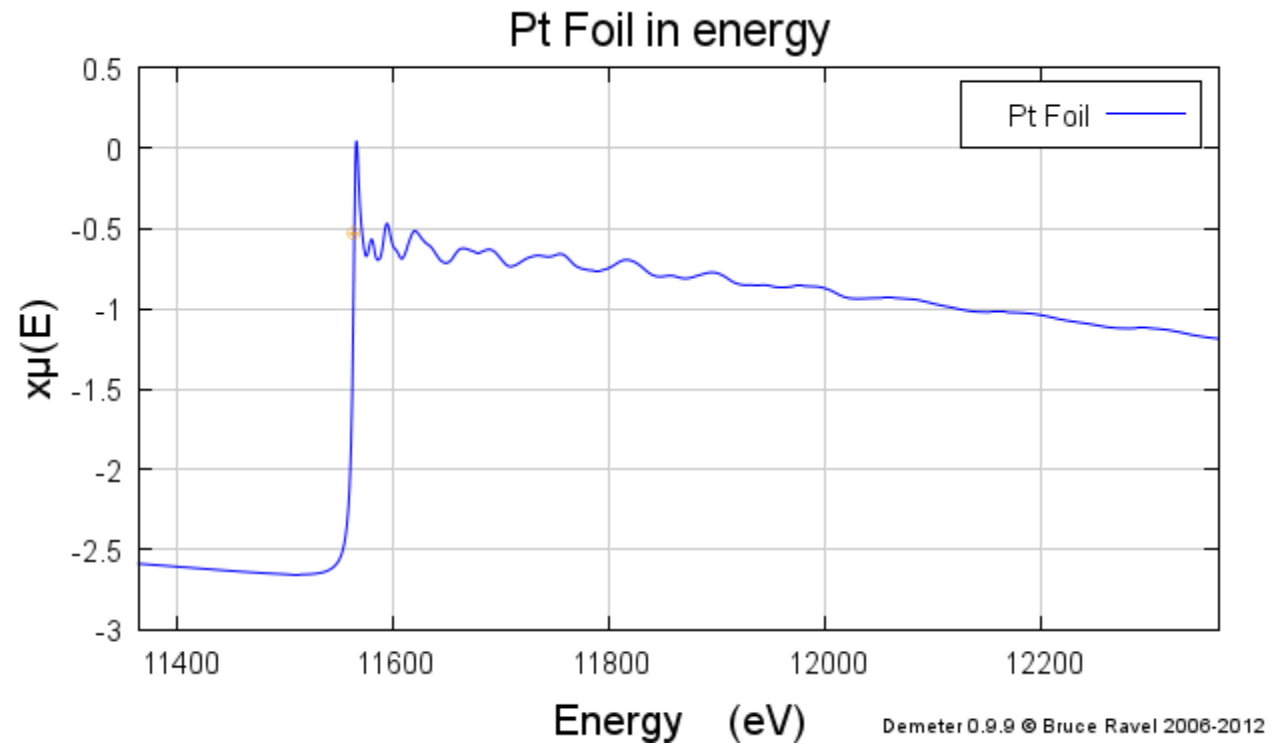
Transmission

$$\mu = \log \frac{I_0}{I_t}$$

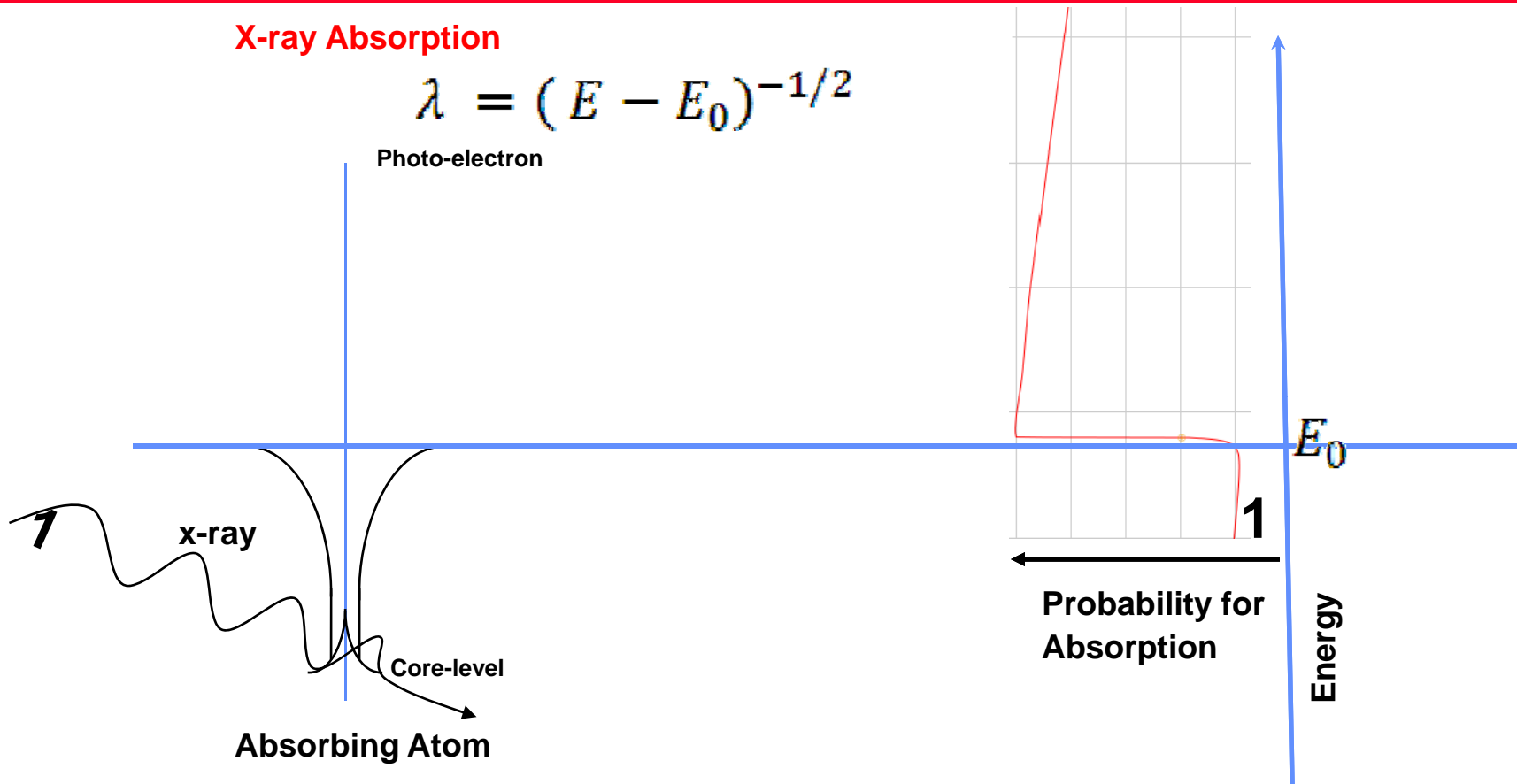


Fluorescence

$$\mu \propto \frac{I_f}{I_0}$$



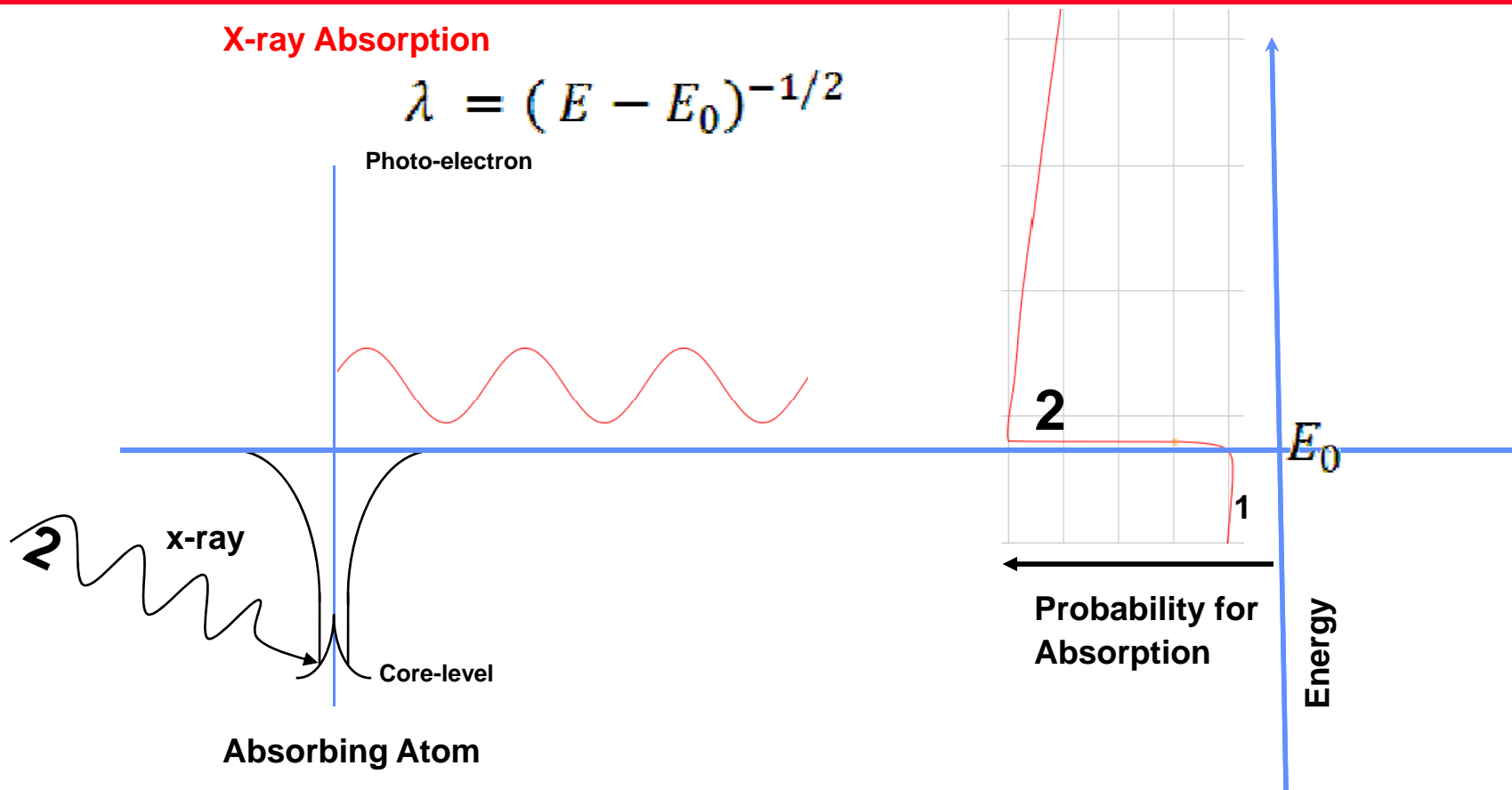
X-ray Absorption Process



- #1: X-ray with energy below the binding energy of the core level does not interact with the atom

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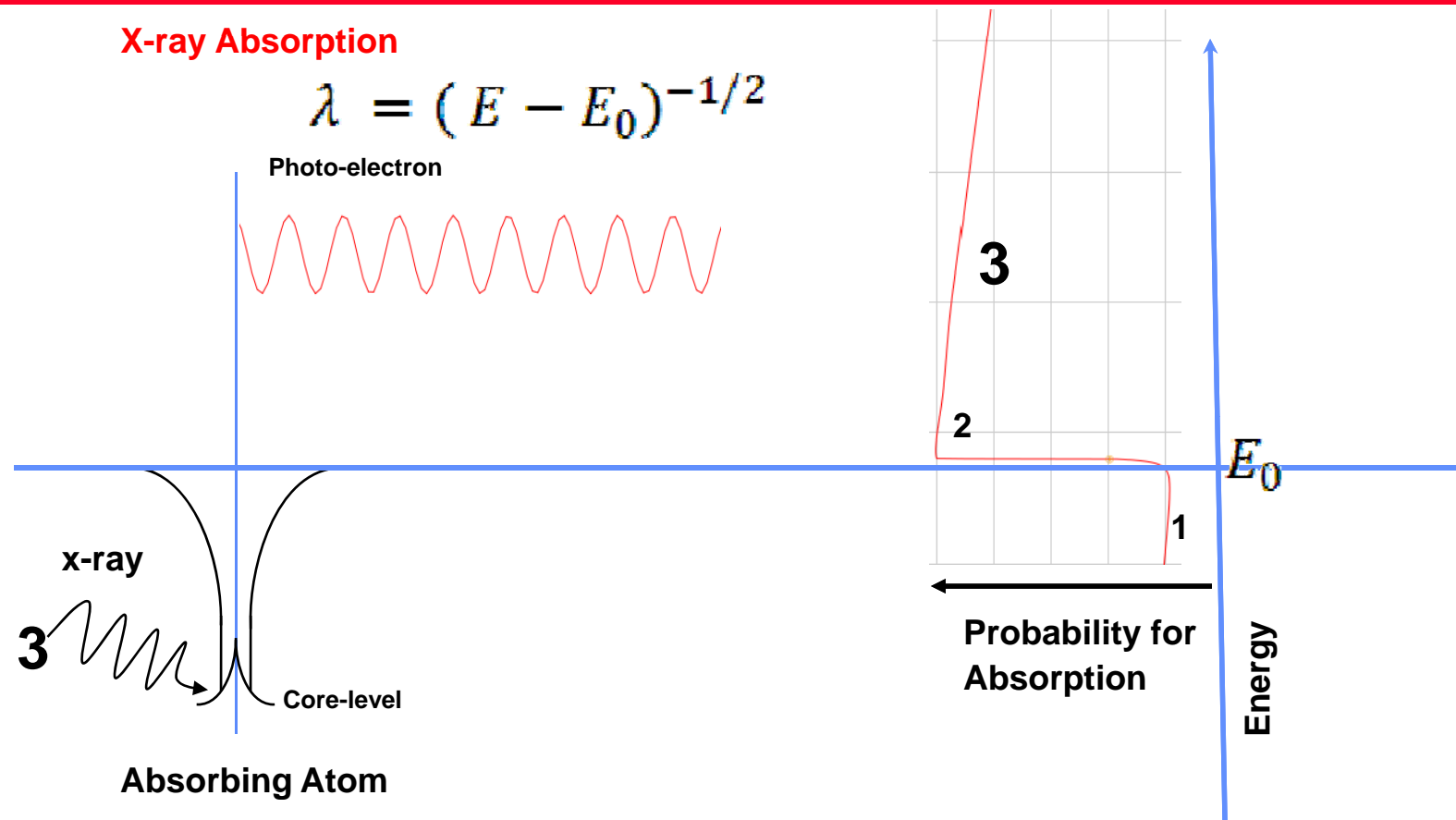
X-ray Absorption Process



- **#2: X-ray with energy just above the binding energy of the core level has a probability of being adsorbed producing a low energy photo-electron**

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X-ray Absorption Process



- **#3) X-ray with higher energy have a probability of being adsorbed and producing higher energy photo-electron**

Fermi's Golden Rule

$$\mu(E) \propto |\langle i | \mathcal{H} | f \rangle|^2$$

- Transition between two quantum states
- Initial state is well localized at the absorbing atom
- Final state is not, but can be written in terms of two parts

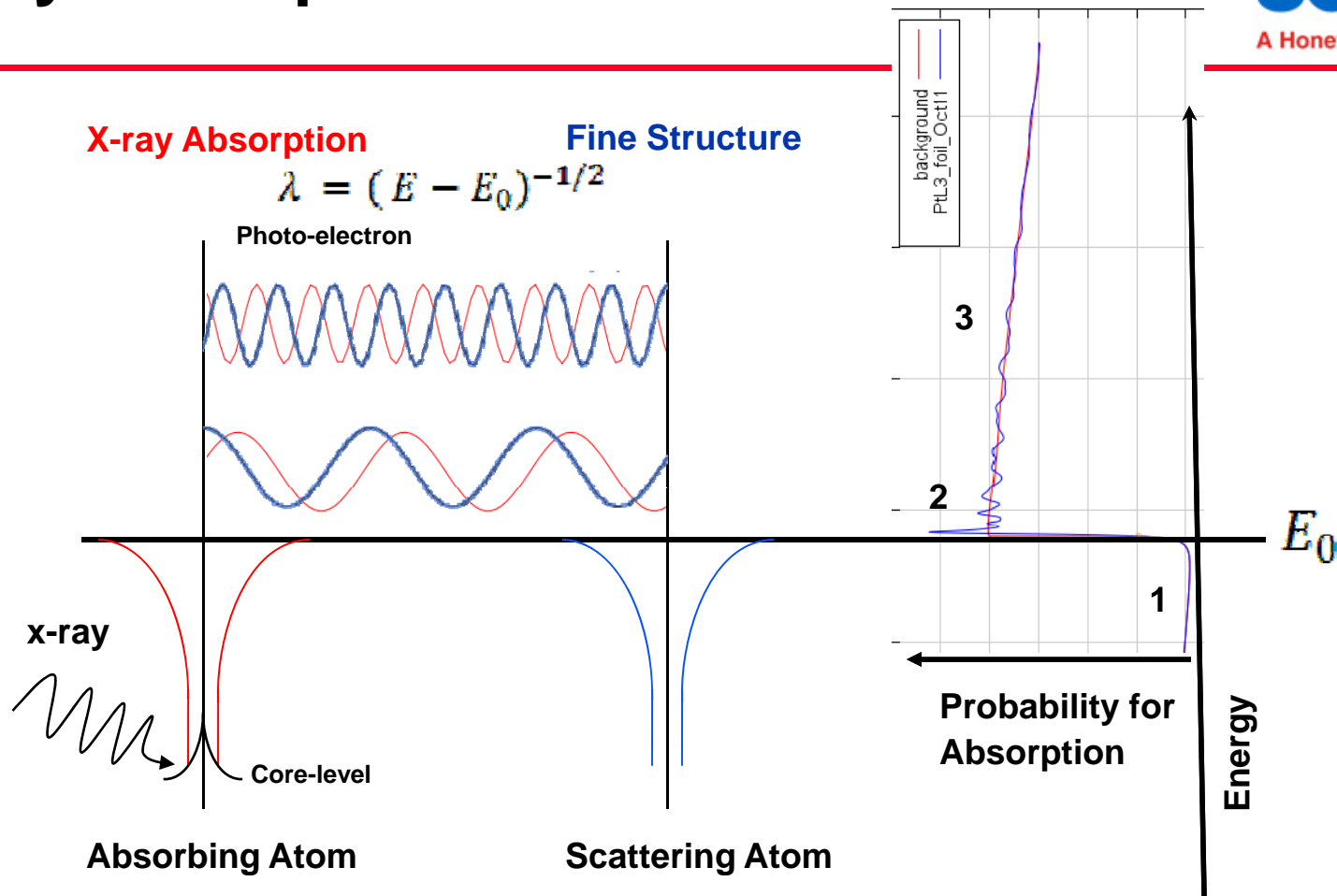
$$|f\rangle = |f_0\rangle + |\Delta f\rangle_{\text{neighboring atoms}}$$

$$\mu(E) = \mu_0(E) [1 + \chi(E)]$$

- Probability for adsorption is the probability for an isolated atom multiplied by a perturbation due to neighboring atoms

$$\chi(E) = \frac{\mu(E) - \mu_0(E)}{\Delta\mu(E)}$$

X-ray Absorption Fine Structure

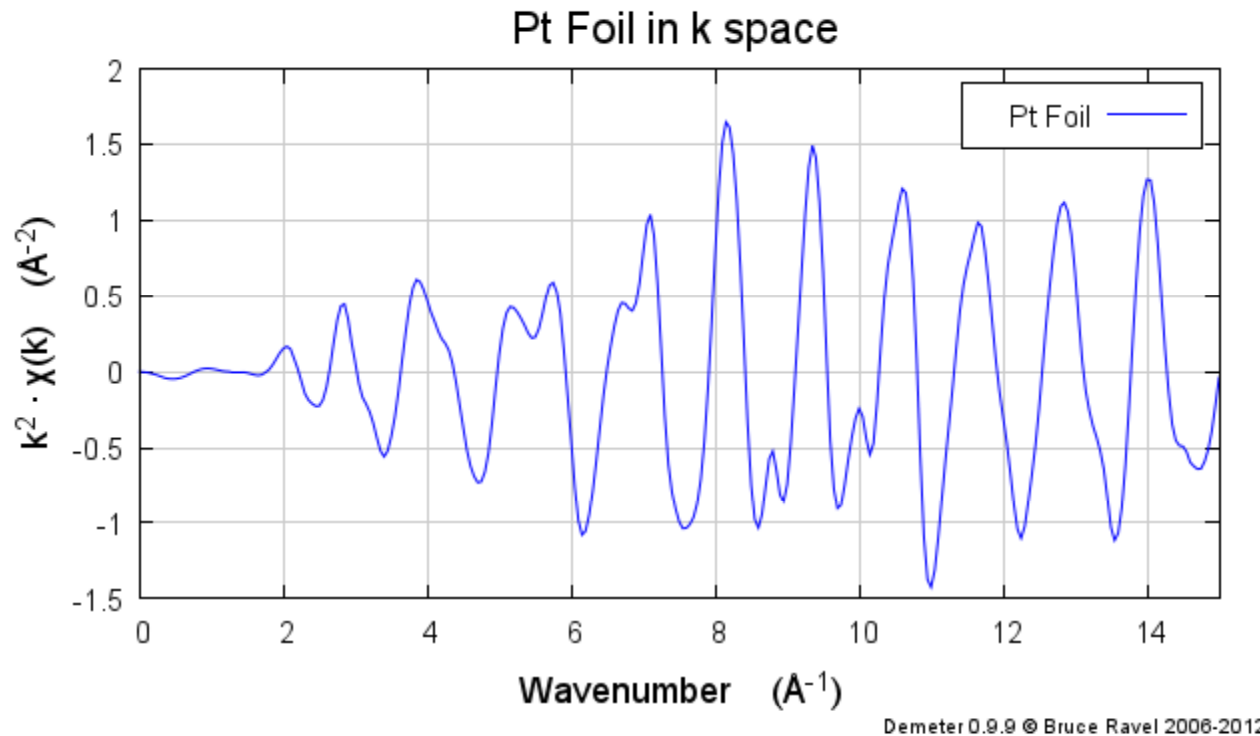


- Interference between outgoing and scattered photoelectron at the absorbing atom causes modulations in the probability for absorption.

EXAFS Equation and Signal

$$\chi(k) = \sum_j \frac{N_j S_0^2 f_j(k) e^{-2k^2 \sigma_j^2}}{k R_j^2} \sin[2kR_j + \delta_j(k)]$$

Number of Neighbors $\rightarrow N_j$
 Scattering Amplitude $\rightarrow f_j(k)$
 Disorder in interatomic distance $\rightarrow e^{-2k^2 \sigma_j^2}$
 Neighbor Distance $\rightarrow R_j$
 Atomic Phase Shift $\rightarrow \delta_j(k)$

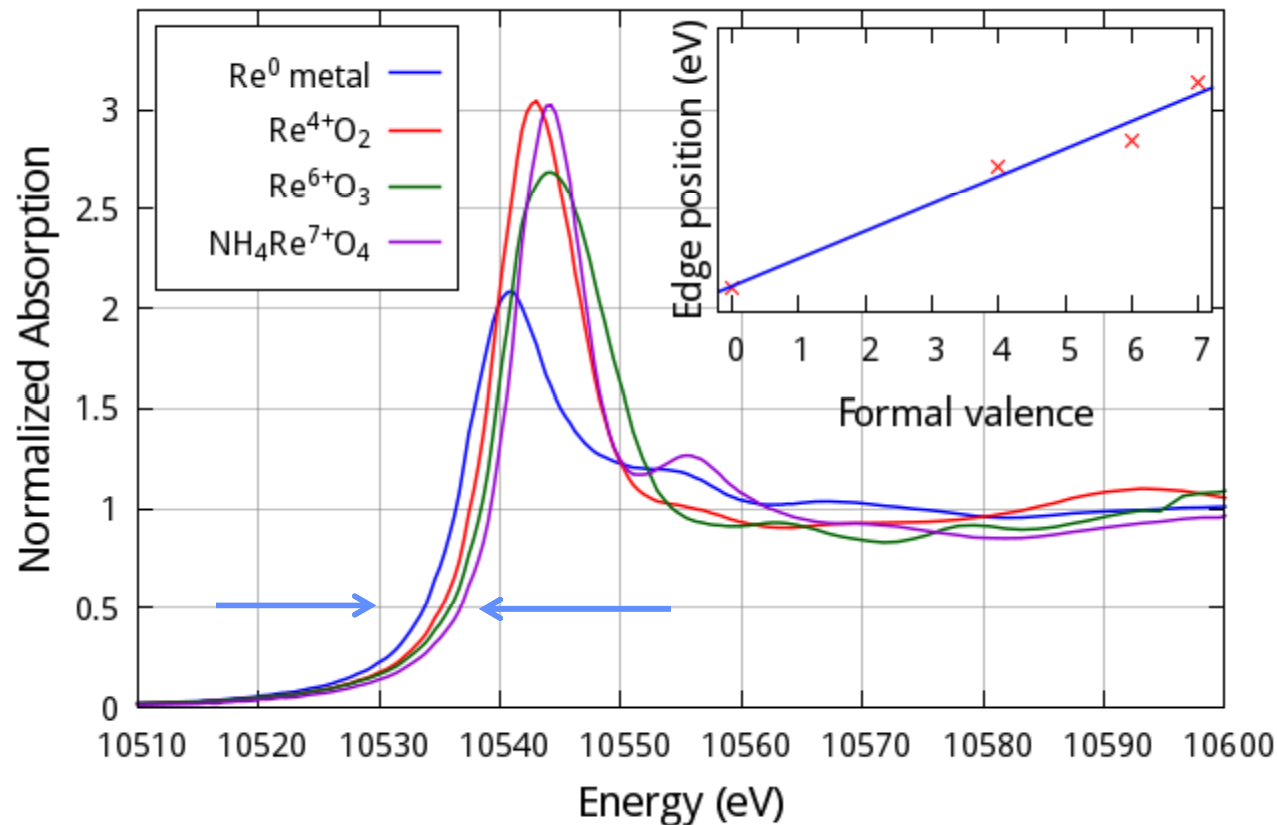


- EXAFS signal can be expressed as a sum of sine waves

X-ray Absorption Near Edge Structure

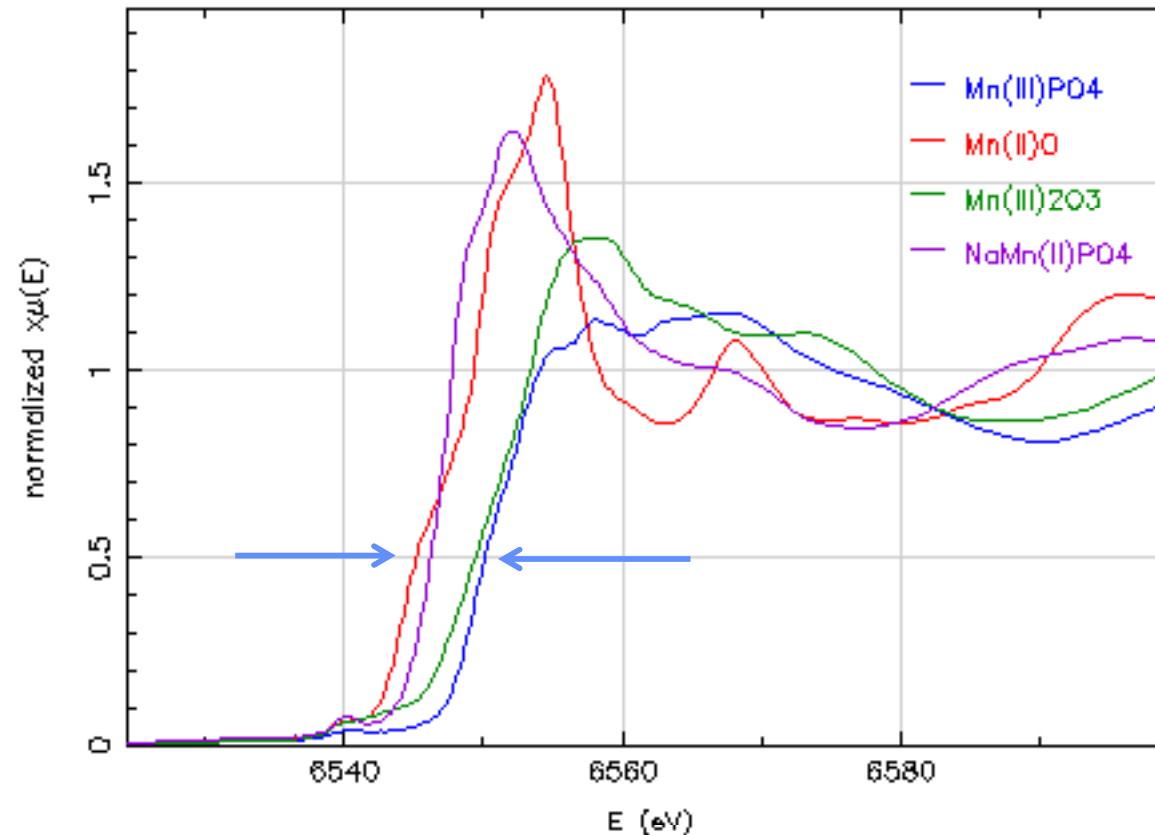
- **Analysis of XANES spectra**
 - **Assigning absorption edge energies to oxidation states**
 - **Linear combination fitting (LCF) using standard to reproduce the measured spectrum to determine the relative amount of each standard in the measured spectrum**
 - **Theoretical Calculations (FEFF8) using atomic clusters to calculate the absorption edge spectrum to reproduce key features and assign those features to specific atomic configurations**

Edge Position and Valence State



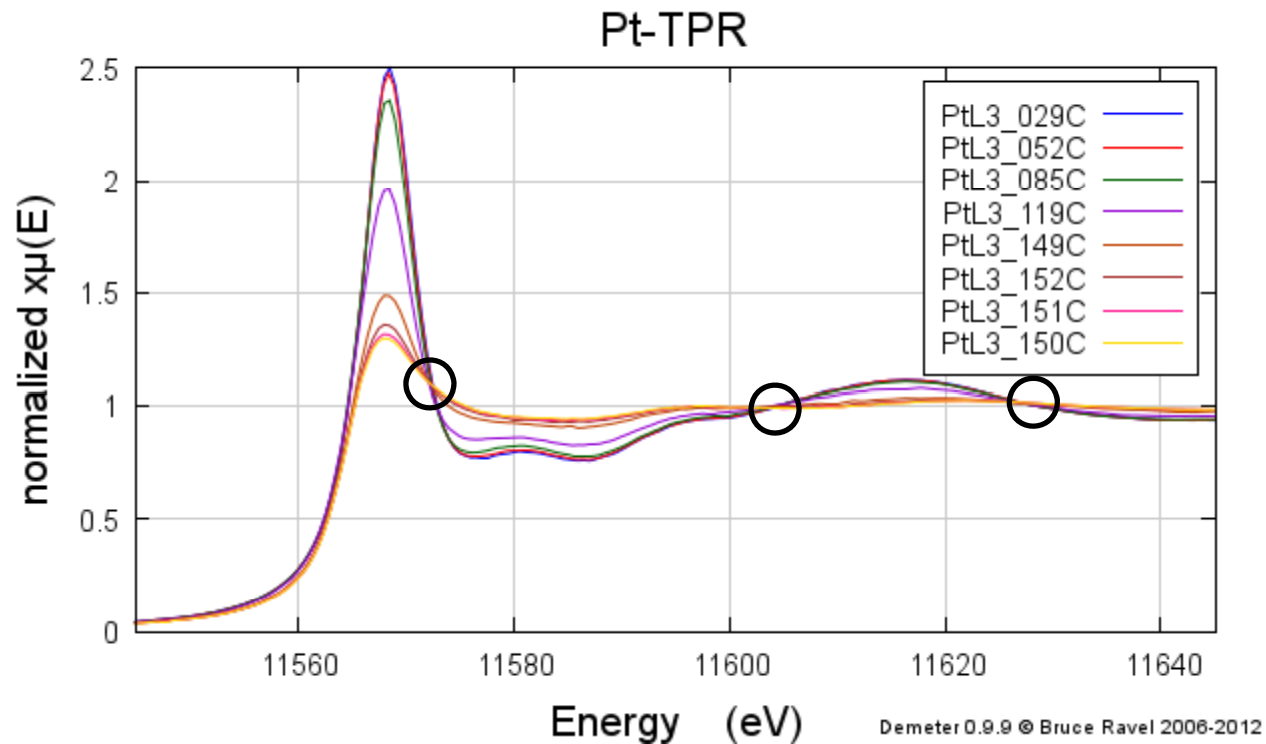
- For some materials the edge position can be calibrated to determine the average valence state
- As an element becomes more positively charged the x-ray energy needed to remove an additional electron is increased causing the edge to shift.

Mn oxides and phosphates



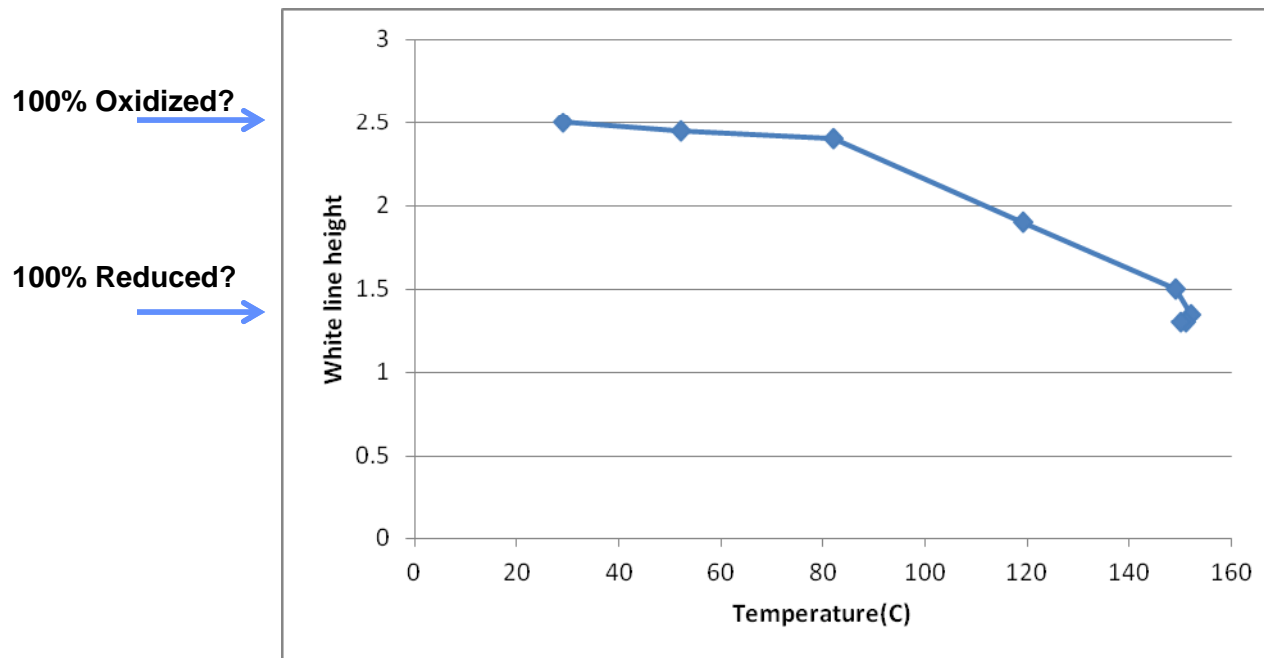
- Example where the edge position does not track cleanly with oxidation state

Pt Data Series



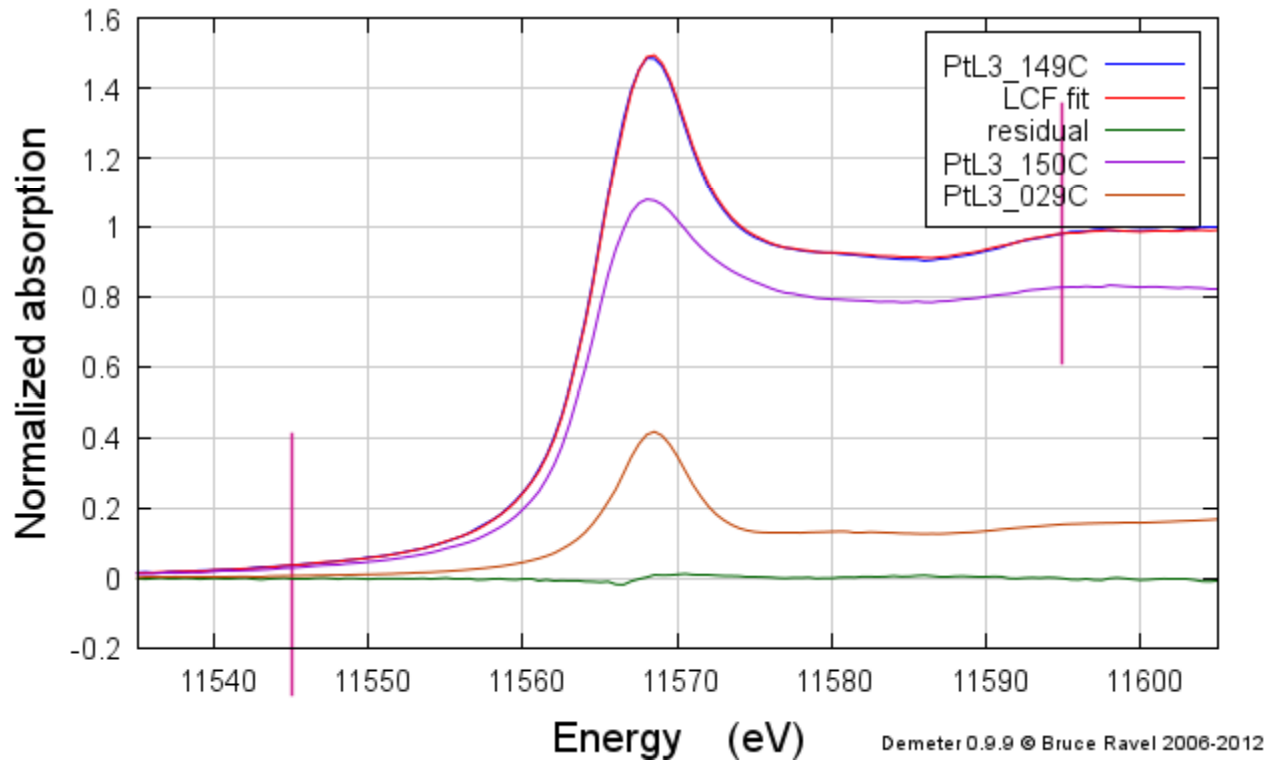
- **Data Series were Pt is being reduced in situ.**
- **Look for Isosbestic points in normalized XANES spectra**

Interpretation of XANES



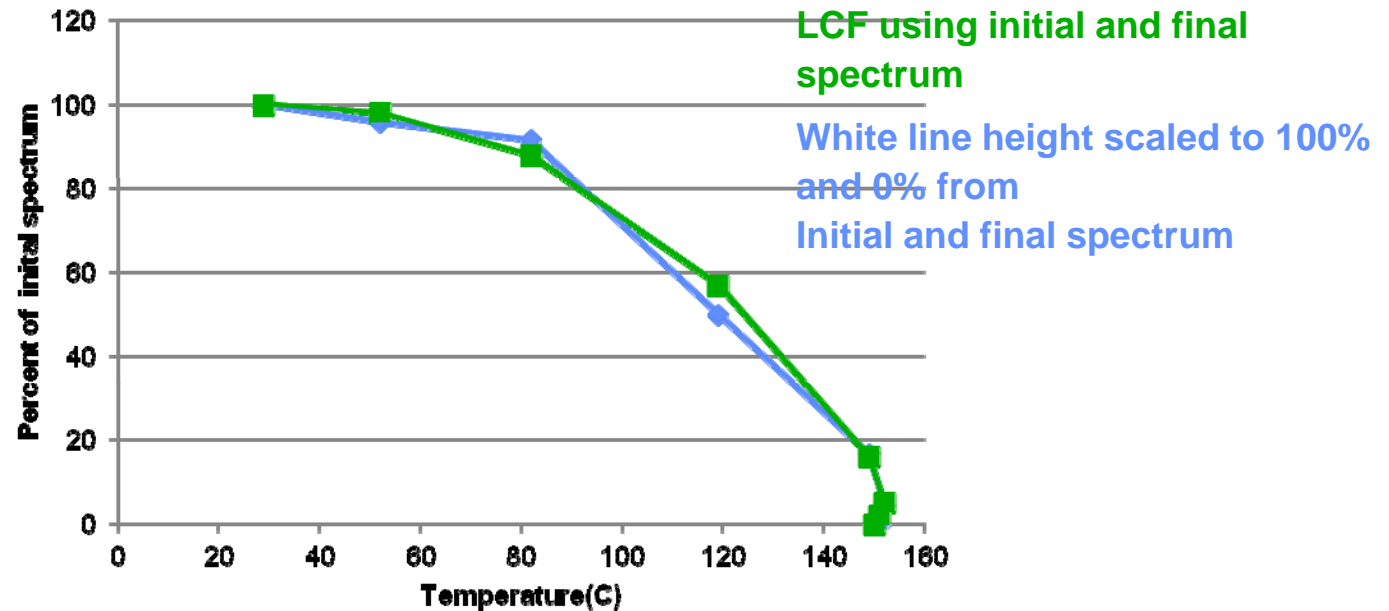
- **Plot white line height with temperature to determine the rate of Pt reduction**
- **White line height: White line height is a measured of the unoccupied d-electrons**

Linear Combination Fitting #1



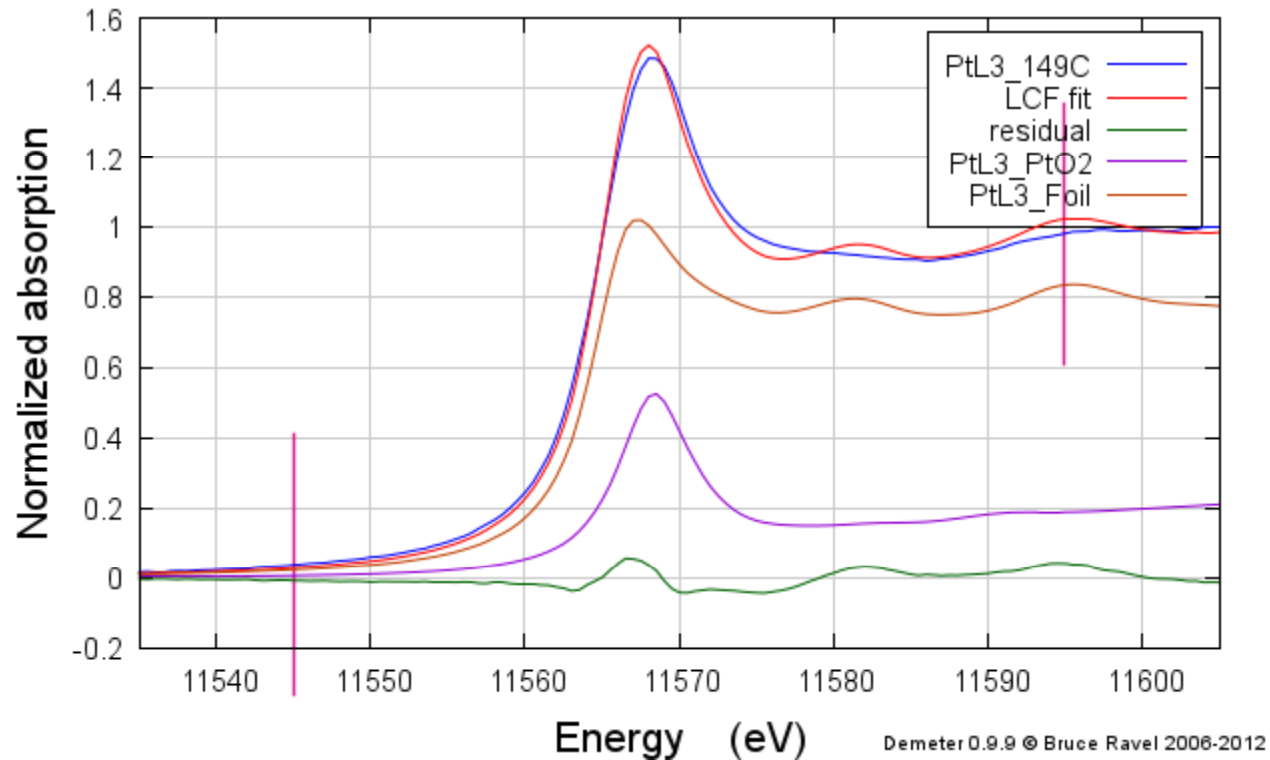
- Fit 149°C data with combination of 29°C data and 150°C data.

Comparison of LCF and white line height



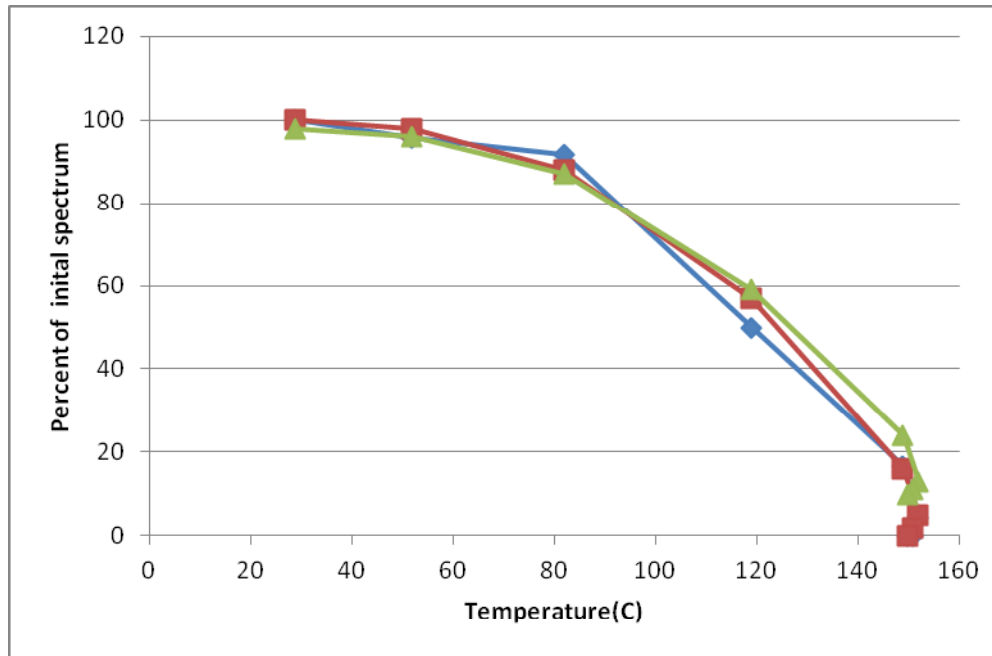
- Similar results for both methods of interpretation
- LCF: Assume speciation of Pt evolves from the initial species to the final species. No intermediate species present.
- White line height: Assume white line height the available d-electrons .

Linear Combination Fitting #2



- **Linear combination fitting using PtO_2 and Pt foil as a standards**

Comparison of Fitting Results



White line height scaled to 100%
and 0% from
Initial and final spectrum

LCF using initial and final
spectrum

LCF using PtO₂ and Ptfoil

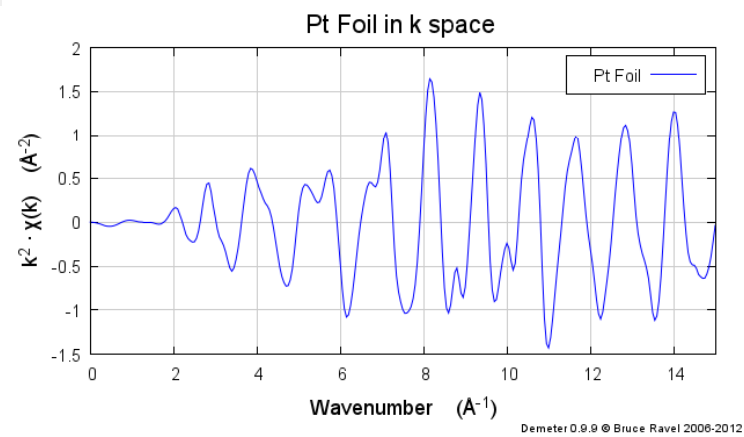
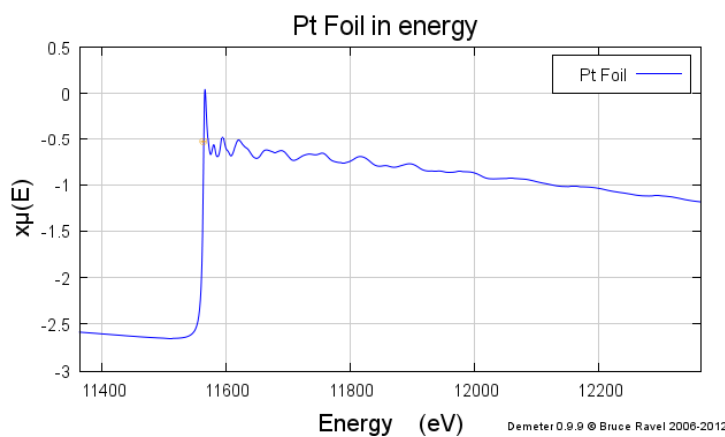
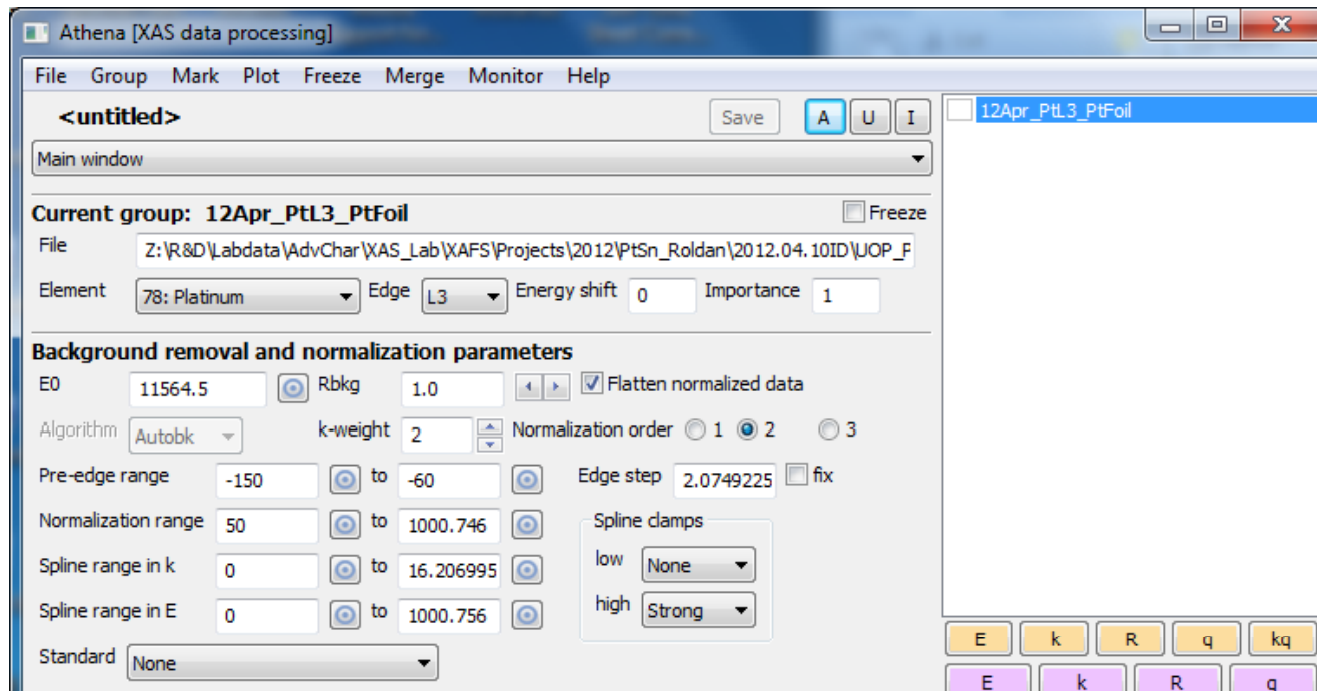
- All three methods give similar results.
- Largest source of error comes from incomplete knowledge of chemical speciation before, during and after in situ measurement.
- LCF using standards assumes that these standards are a good representation of Pt speciation in sample.

Modeling EXAFS Spectra

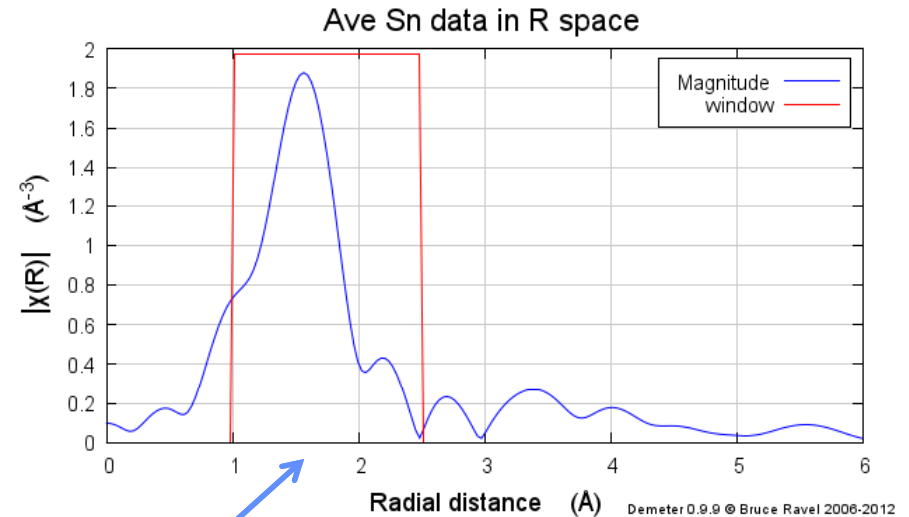
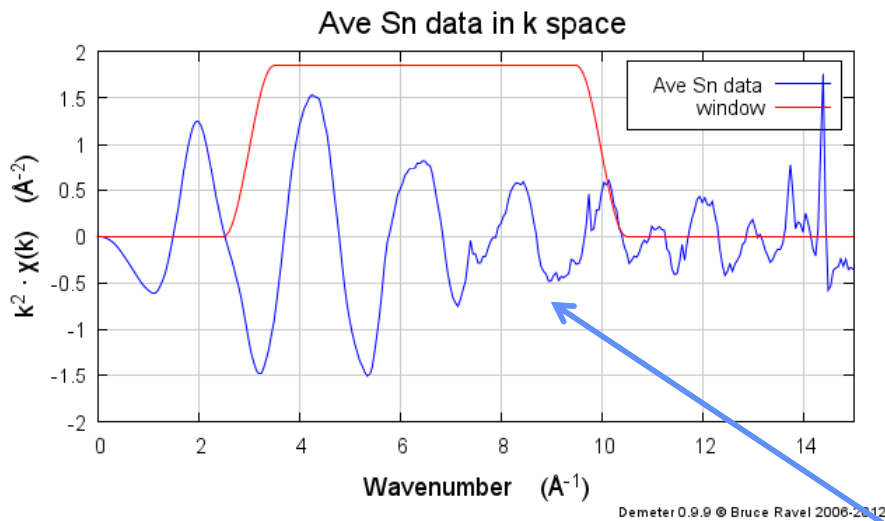
- Introduction to Athena (Background removal)
- Introduction to Artemis (EXAFS Modeling)
 - Modeling Cu foil
 - Modeling U to determine neighboring atom type
 - Multiple data set modeling

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Athena: Background Removal



Information Content in Data Set



Nyquist criterion:

$$N_{idp} \approx \frac{2 \Delta k \Delta R}{\pi}$$

- Number of independent points is proportional to the data range used in FT and the fitting range.
- Cannot have more variables determined in a fit than the number of independent points

Comparison of Models

χ^2 : sum of the difference between the data and the theory

$$\chi^2 = \frac{N_{idp}}{\epsilon N_{data}} \sum_{i=\min}^{\max} [Re(\chi_d(r_i) - \chi_t(r_i))^2 + Im(\chi_d(r_i) - \chi_t(r_i))^2]$$

$\epsilon = \text{measurement uncertainty}$

$$\chi_v^2 = \frac{\chi^2}{\nu}$$

Reduced χ^2 : sum of the difference between the data and the theory, scaled by the number of independent points. $\nu = N_{idp} - N_{var}$
Useful for comparing models with different number of variables

R-factor: fractional misfit

$$\mathcal{R} = \frac{\sum_{i=\min}^{\max} [Re(\chi_d(r_i) - \chi_t(r_i))^2 + Im(\chi_d(r_i) - \chi_t(r_i))^2]}{\sum_{i=\min}^{\max} [Re(\chi_d(r_i))^2 + Im(\chi_d(r_i))^2]}$$

- FEFFIT uses Levenberg-Marquardt non-linear least-squares minimization
- χ_v^2 are used to compare between two different models. χ_v^2 values are poorly scaled and often 100 – 1000. χ_v^2 need to change by more than a factor of 2 to be significant.
- Error bars are scaled by $\sqrt{\chi_v^2}$, assuming that the model is good.

Building Theoretical Model: Atoms page

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Artemis [EXAFS data analysis] * <untitled>

Artemis [Feff] Atoms and Feff

Run Atoms

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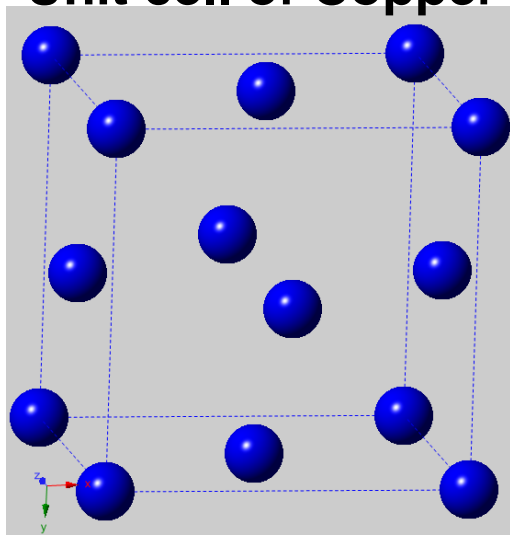
Absorption edge

Always much larger than paths used in fit

Atom with a core hole

	Core	EL.	x	y	z	Tag
1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Cu	0	0	0	Cu
2	<input type="checkbox"/>					
3	<input type="checkbox"/>					
4	<input type="checkbox"/>					
5	<input type="checkbox"/>					
6	<input type="checkbox"/>					

Unit cell of Copper



Often based on clusters of atoms from crystal structures -ATOMS

Feff Scattering Paths

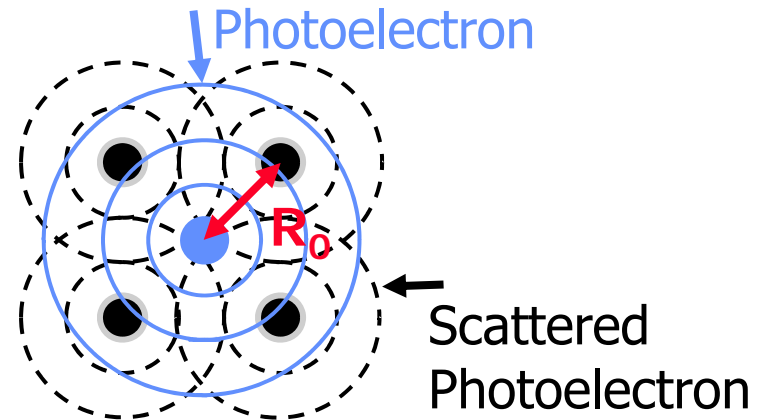
- **Degen:** Degeneracy of the path (number of identical scattering paths)
- **Reff:** Initial half path length (bond length for single scattering path)
- **Rank:** Estimate of amplitude of path relative to first path.
- **Type:** Description of the scattering path.
- **scattering path:** atoms scattering photoelectron, [**@**] symbol represents core atom.

	Degen	Reff	Scattering path	Rank	Legs	Type
0000	12	2.5527	@ Cu.1 @	100.00	2	single scattering
0001	6	3.6100	@ Cu.2 @	22.98	2	single scattering
0002	48	3.8290	@ Cu.1 Cu.1 @	10.59	3	acute triangle
0003	24	4.3577	@ Cu.1 Cu.1 @	3.39	3	other double scat
0004	48	4.3577	@ Cu.1 Cu.2 @	8.59	3	other double scat
0005	24	4.4213	@ Cu.3 @	55.40	2	single scattering
0006	48	4.7633	@ Cu.1 Cu.1 @	10.62	3	obtuse triangle
0007	96	4.7633	@ Cu.1 Cu.3 @	21.78	3	obtuse triangle

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The EXAFS Equation

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$$\chi(k) = \sum_i \chi_i(k)$$

with each path written as:

$$\chi_i(k) = \left(\frac{(N_i S_0^2) F_i(k)}{k R_i^2} \sin(2kR_i + \phi_i(k)) \exp(-2\sigma_i^2 k^2) \exp(-2R_i/\lambda(k)) \right)$$

$$R_i = R_0 + \Delta R$$

$$k^2 = 2 m_e (E - E_0) / \hbar$$

Theoretically calculated values

- $F_i(k)$ effective scattering amplitude
- $\phi_i(k)$ effective scattering phase shift
- $\lambda(k)$ mean free path
- R_0 initial path length

Parameters often determined from a fit

- N_i degeneracy of path
- S_0^2 passive electron reduction factor
- E_0 energy shift
- ΔR change in half-path length
- σ_i^2 mean squared displacement

Feff calculates the theoretical scattering amplitude $F(k)$ effective, hence the name Feff.

Models to consider:

- **Δr :**
 - Symmetric expansion term: $\text{Alpha} * \text{reff}$.
 - Grouped depending on distance and atom types
 - Related to unit cell dimensions
- **ΔE :**
 - Energy shifts that depend on atom type
 - One energy shift for all paths
 - Two energy shifts, one for first shell and another for all other shells
- **σ^2 :**
 - Grouped depending on distance and atom types.
 - Use a Debye or Einstein model, with one or more characteristic temperatures.
 - Each shell with independent value.
 - Separate structural disorder from thermal disorder components.
- **S02:**
 - One S02 for all paths.
 - Approximate S02 from standards.
- **N:**
 - Determined by the crystal structure.
 - Fit a data series were N is expected to change.

EXAFS parameters

Artemis [Data] cu010k.dat

Data Path Marks Actions Debug Help

cu010k.dat CV 1

Data source
C:\Users\E446095\Documents\Conferences\EXAFS School\2013 Thailand\Cu

Plot this data set as
k123 R123 Rmr Rk kq

Title lines

Fourier transform parameters
kmin 3.000 kmax 23.019 dk 1
rmin 1 rmax 3 dr 0.0

Fitting k weights
 1 2 3 other 0.5

Other parameters
 Include in fit Plot after fit Fit background
 $\epsilon(k)$ 0 Plot with phase correction

Created "sigcu1" as guess

[atoms] Cu.1

[atoms] Cu.1

Include path Plot after fit
 Use this path for phase corrected plotting.

@ Cu.1 @

single scattering, high (100.00)

x	y	z	ipc
1.805000	1.805000	0.000000	
0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	

Label Reff= 2.553 nleg=2 degen=12

N 12

S0² s02

ΔE_0 E0

ΔR delcu1

σ^2 sigcu1

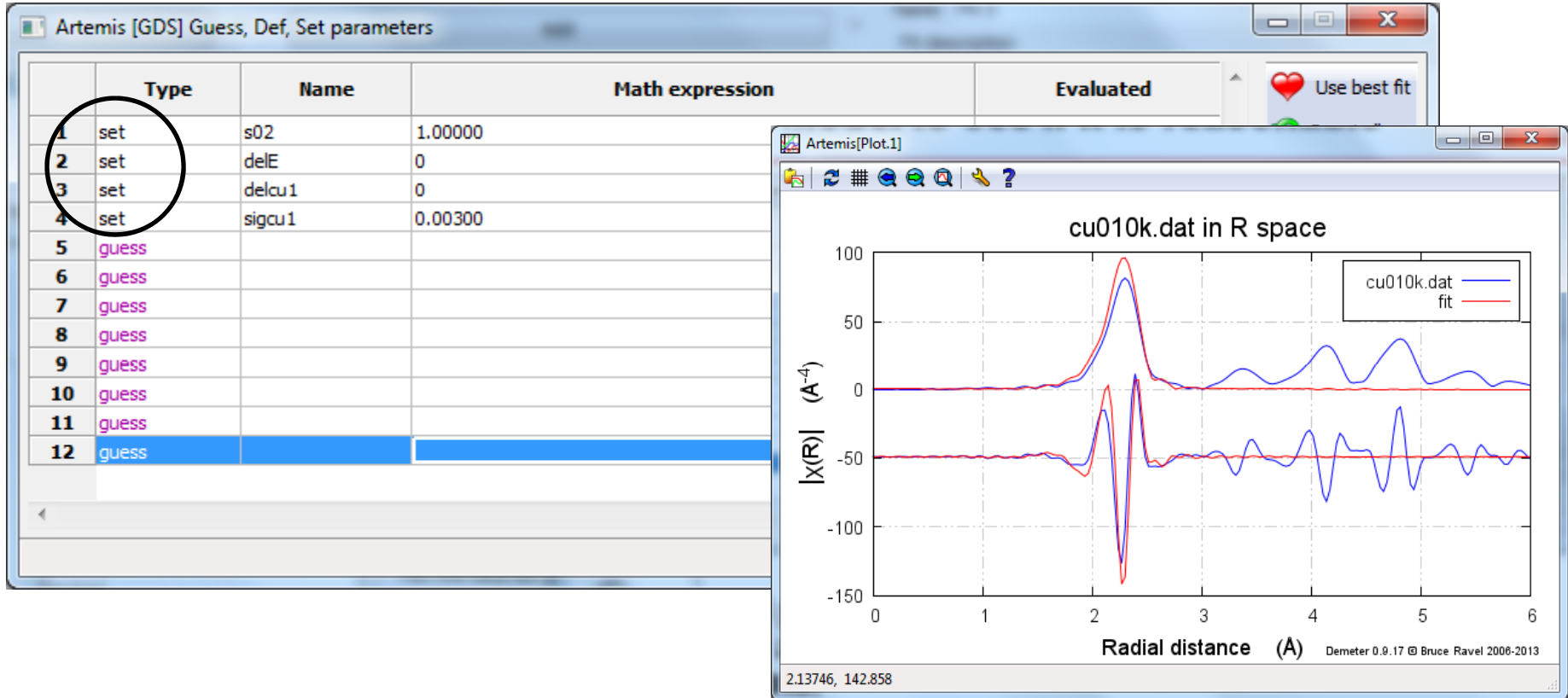
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3rd

4th

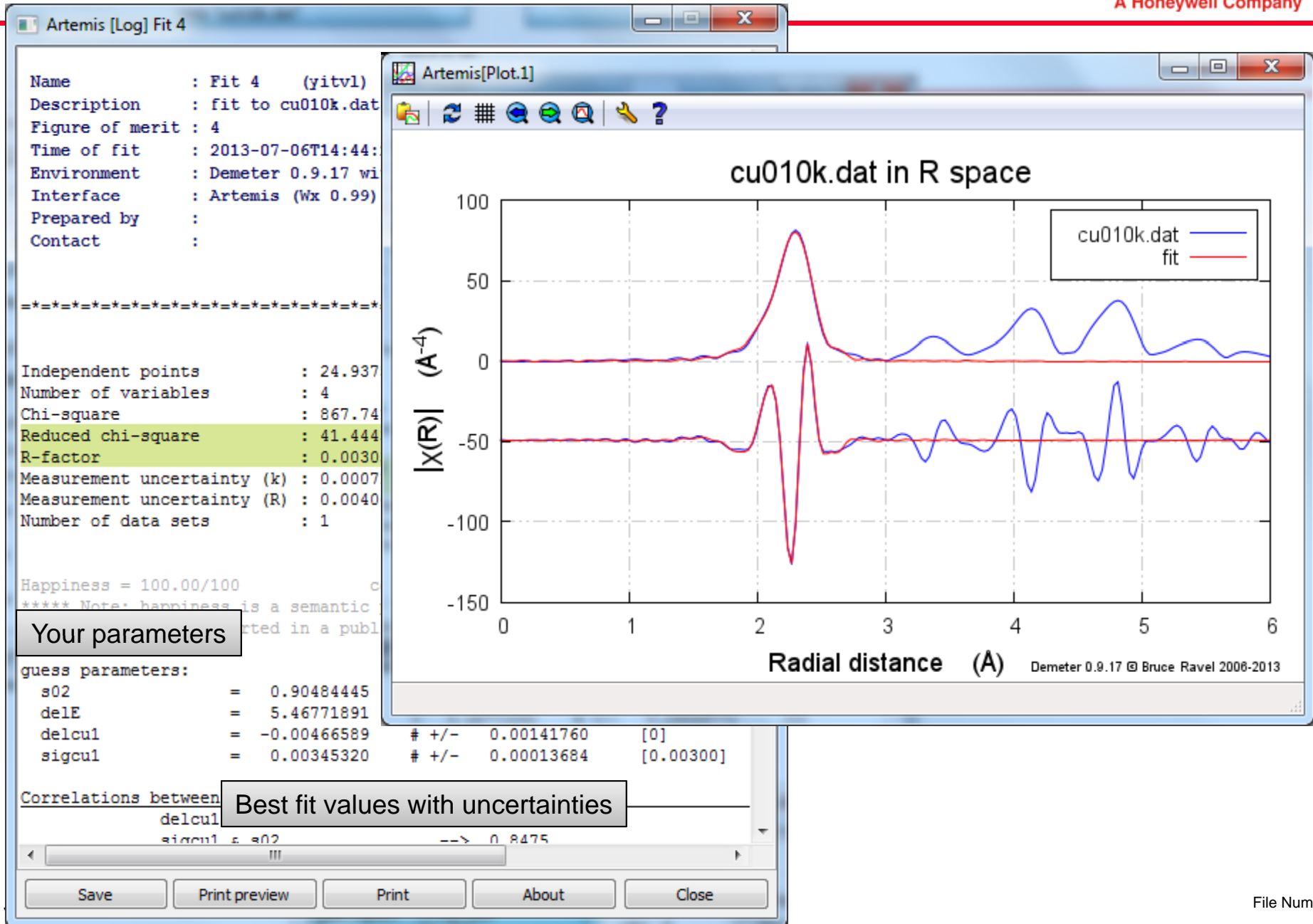
Name of parameters that YOU have create to define the required values for each path

Check Model

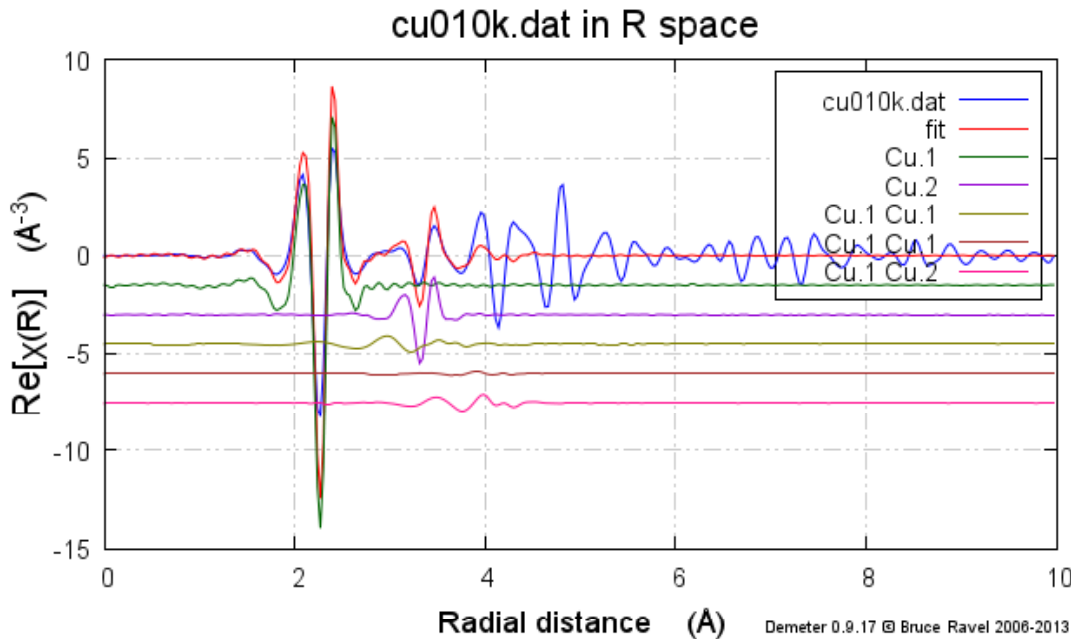


- **Good practice: Set all parameters to a reasonable value and run a “fit” to see if the model is close to the data.**

Fit Results



Cu: Three Shell Model



Path Info

[atoms] Cu.1 Cu.2

Include path Plot after fit
 Use this path for phase corrected plotting.

@ Cu.1 Cu.2 @

t	label	rleg	beta	epsilon
1	'Cu.1'	2.5527	90.0000	0.0000
1	'Cu.2'	2.5527	135.0000	0.0000
0	'abs'	3.6100	135.0000	0.0000

Label: Reff= 4.358 nleg=3 degen=48

N: 48

S0²: s02

ΔE0: delE

ΔR: alpha * reff

σ²: debye (temp, thetad)

Ei

GSD Info

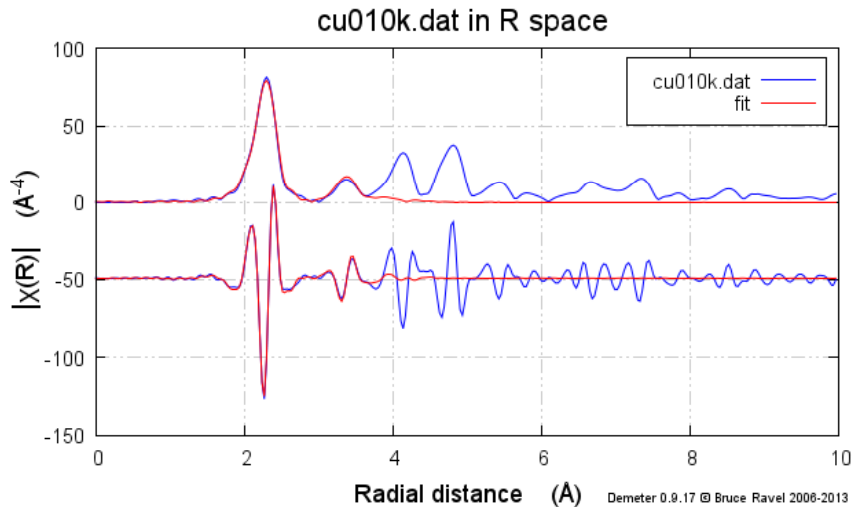
Artemis [GDS] Guess, Def, Set parameters

	Type	Name	Math expression
1	set	s02	1.00000
2	set	delE	5.46772
3	set	sigcu1	0.00300
4	set	temp	10
5	set	thetad	500.00000
6	set	alpha	0
7	guess		

- Use alpha to define path lengths
- Use Debye temperature to define σ^2 values
- Each single scattering path fits into a specific signal in the data
- Check model by adding up all set parameters

Fitting results for three shell fit to Cu

Results Info



Artemis [Log] Fit 10

Name : Fit 10 (hzipnp)
Description : fit to cu010k.dat
Figure of merit : 10
Time of fit : 2013-07-07T04:19:14
Environment : Demeter 0.9.17 with perl 5.012003 and using Ifeffit 1.2.11d on
Interface : Artemis (Wx 0.99)
Prepared by :
Contact :

=====
Independent points : 32.7304688
Number of variables : 4
Chi-square : 854.6011128
Reduced chi-square : 29.7454636
R-factor : 0.0032286
Measurement uncertainty (k) : 0.0007153
Measurement uncertainty (R) : 0.0040642
Number of data sets : 1

Happiness = 100.00/100 color = #D8E796
***** Note: happiness is a semantic parameter and should *****
***** NEVER be reported in a publication -- NEVER! *****

guess parameters:

s02	=	0.92090854	# +/-	0.01835249	[1.00000]
delE	=	5.74919405	# +/-	0.24545150	[5.46772]
thetad	=	279.86684625	# +/-	9.09200248	[500.00000]
alpha	=	-0.00134933	# +/-	0.00046635	[0]

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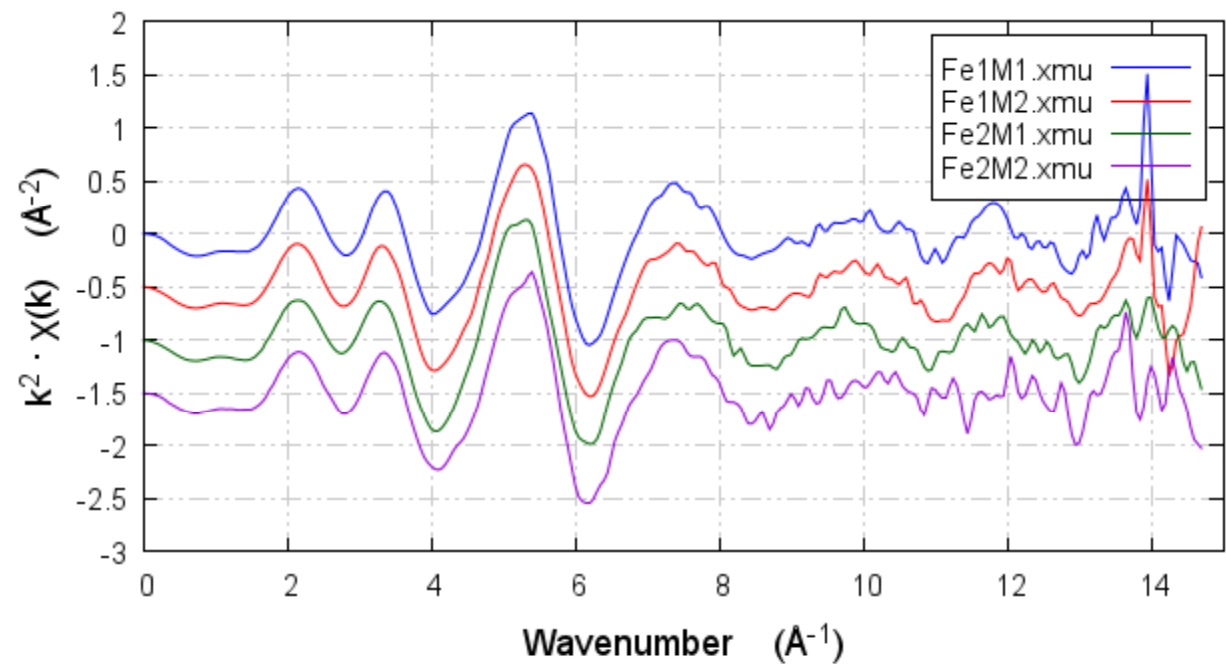
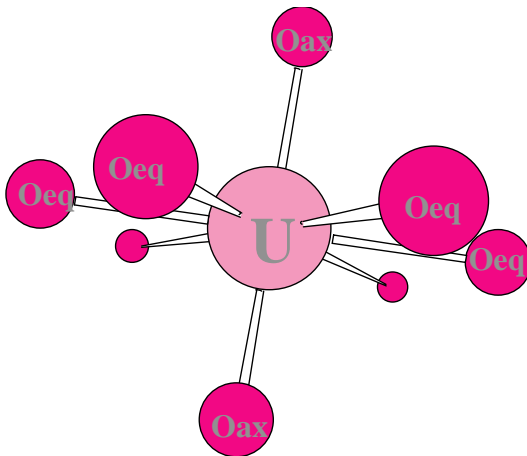
There is more to this example on your computer. Modeling more shells and modeling temperature dependent spectra series

Some EXAFS references

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Determining 2nd shell atom type and number

- Uranyl in equilibrium with a mixture of Fe-oxides and different microbial components.
- Possible second shell atoms, O, C, P, Fe, U.
- 30-50 combinations of these atoms were tested.
- Three of these tests are shown here:
 - C and Fe,
 - P and Fe,
 - Fe and Fe



Setting up a Uranyl Model

Artemis [Data] Fe1M1.xmu

Data Path Marks Actions Debug Help

Fe1M1.xmu CV 1

Data source
C:\Users\E446095\Documents\Conferences\EXAFS School\2013 Thailand\Ur

Plot this data set as

Title lines
 Athena data file -- Athena version 0.8.059
 Saving Fe1M1 as mu(E)
 . Element=U Edge=L3
 Background parameters
 . E0=17189.150 Eshift=0.000 Rbkg=1.000
 . Standard=0: None
 . Kweight=1.0 Edge step=1.004

Fourier transform parameters
 kmin 3 kmax 10 dk 1
 rmin 1 rmax 3.5 dr 0.0

Fitting k weights
 1 2 3 other 0.5

Other parameters
 Include in fit Plot after fit Fit background
 $\epsilon(k)$ 0 Plot with phase correction

- U-Oax
- U-Oeq
- ((([Sodium Uranyl tria
- U-Oax1-U-Oax1
- U-Oax1-Oax2
- U-Oax1-U-Oax2
- U-Fe at 3.58
- U-P at 3.0

[Uranium monophosphate atom]

Include path Plot after fit
 Use this path for phase corrected plotting.

@ P1.1 @

single scattering, medium (13.67)

x	y	z	ipot
-0.278820	-2.197920	2.103900	3
0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0

Label Reff= 3.055 nleg=2 degen= 1

N 1

S0² abs(Szero2 * Np1)

$\Delta E0$ delE0

ΔR delp1

σ^2 sigp1

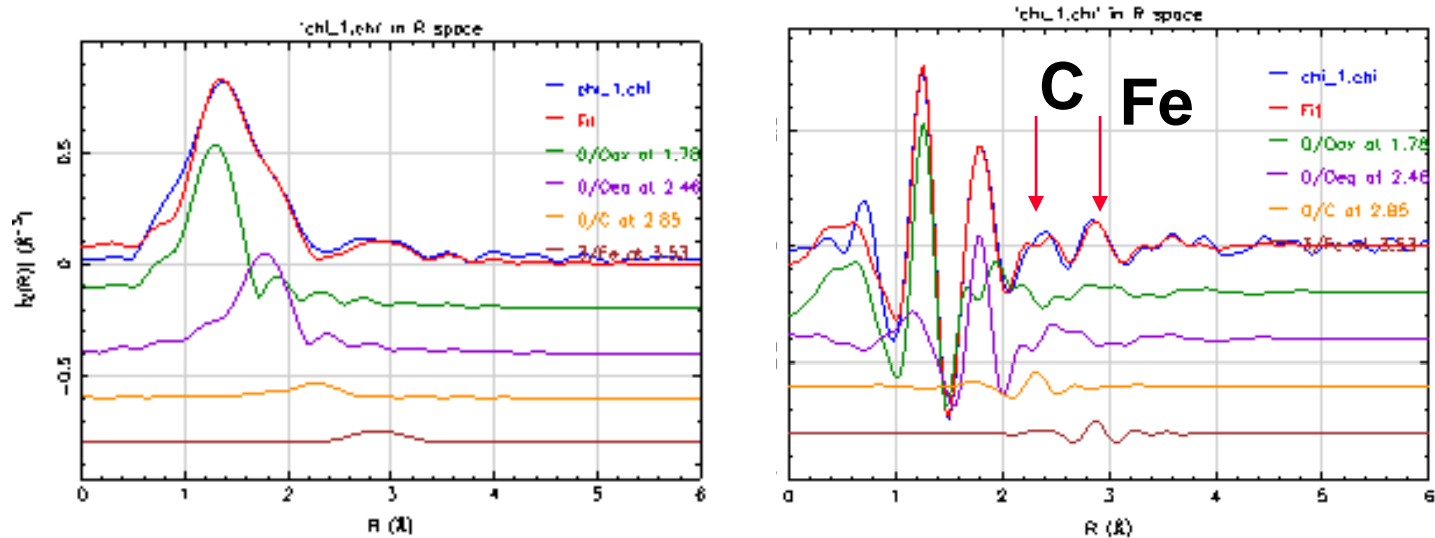
Ei

3rd

4th

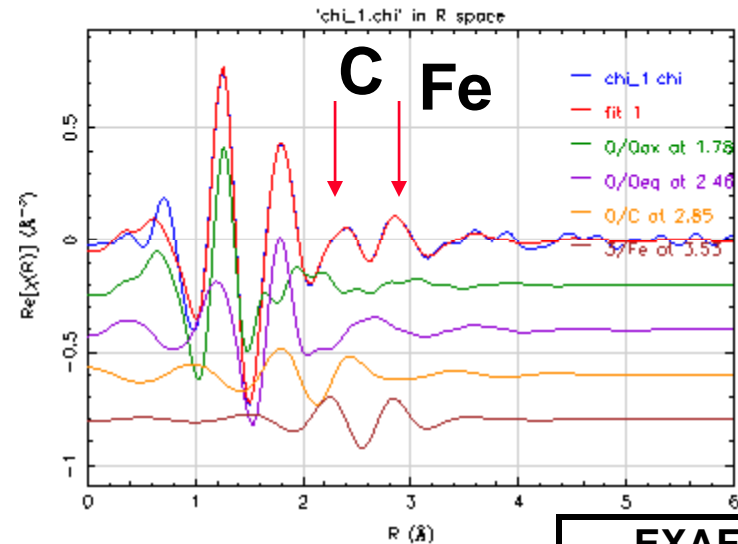
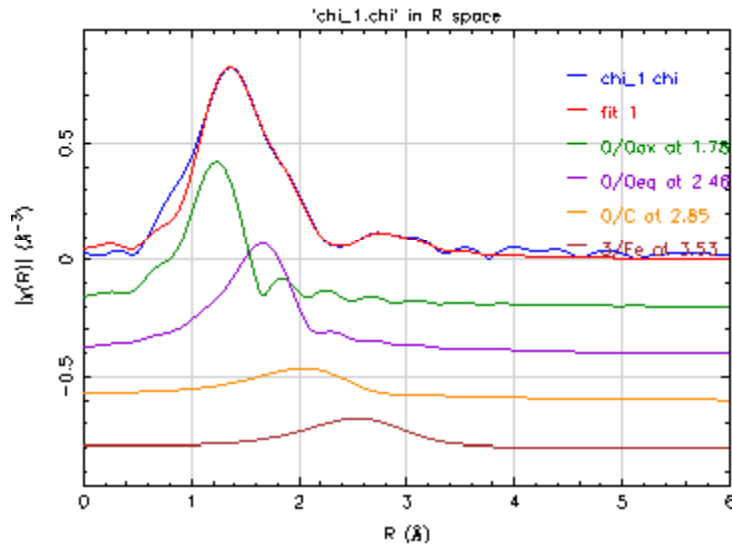
Transferred path "U-P at 3.0" to the plotting list.

Test data for C and Fe shells



- Place **C** and **Fe** shells in a “good” spot
 - set parameters – no fitting
 - monitor results and fit spectra
 - Needs to be done using real or imaginary part of FT, can not always be done using magnitude of FT.

Fit Results using C and Fe shells



guess parameters:

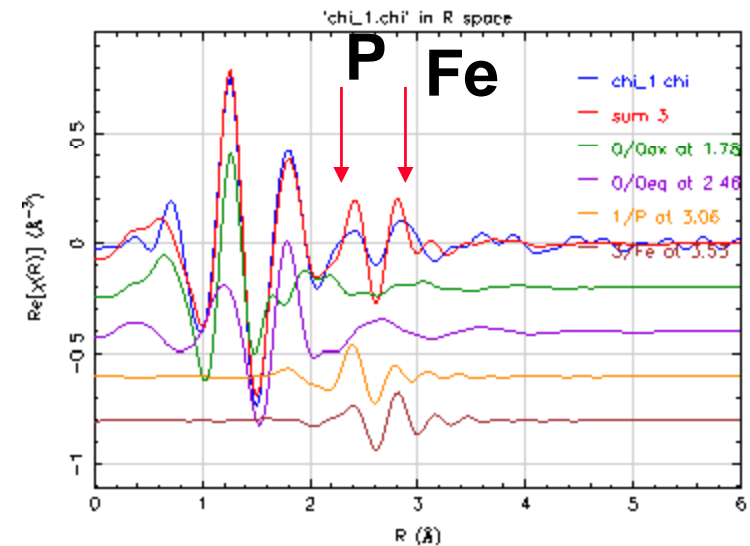
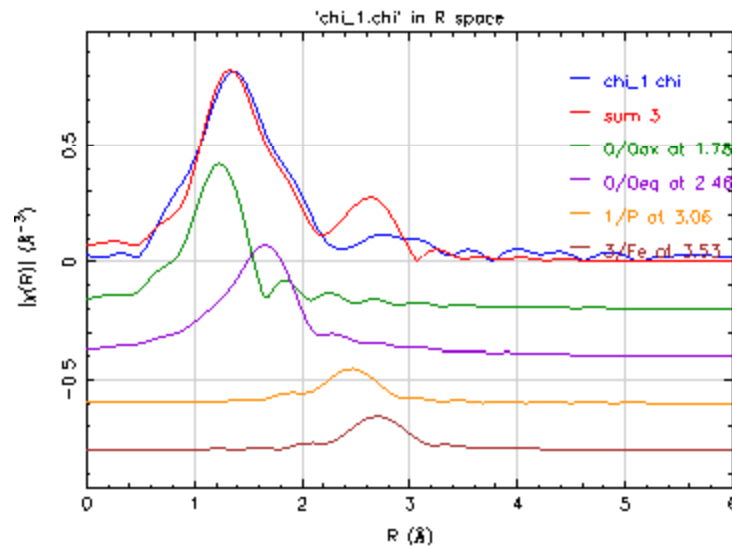
delE0	=	-7.20937844	# +/-	25.65700008	[0.65657]
NO1	=	2.22860092	# +/-	4.20495043	[1.78168]
NO2	=	6.33953720	# +/-	20.07574162	[4.50466]
Nc	=	25.82138011	# +/-	165.30584186	[1.86426]
dello1	=	-0.01877158	# +/-	0.08048129	[0.00291]
dello2	=	-0.23126958	# +/-	0.12749206	[-0.18795]
delc	=	-0.00779122	# +/-	0.20421510	[0.01691]
sigo1	=	-0.00264827	# +/-	0.01911759	[4.54854e-006]
sigo2	=	0.00862383	# +/-	0.03432931	[0.00466]
sigc	=	-0.02507432	# +/-	0.09622080	[0.00410]
Nfe2	=	34.92309218	# +/-	189.97303278	[1.54468]
delfe2	=	-0.24162087	# +/-	0.31863129	[-0.17012]
sigfe2	=	0.04511482	# +/-	0.09811547	[0.01153]

EXAFS Parameters

σ^2 -values	-
Distances	+
Coordination numbers	-
ΔE -value	-

Signals became broad and unrealistic

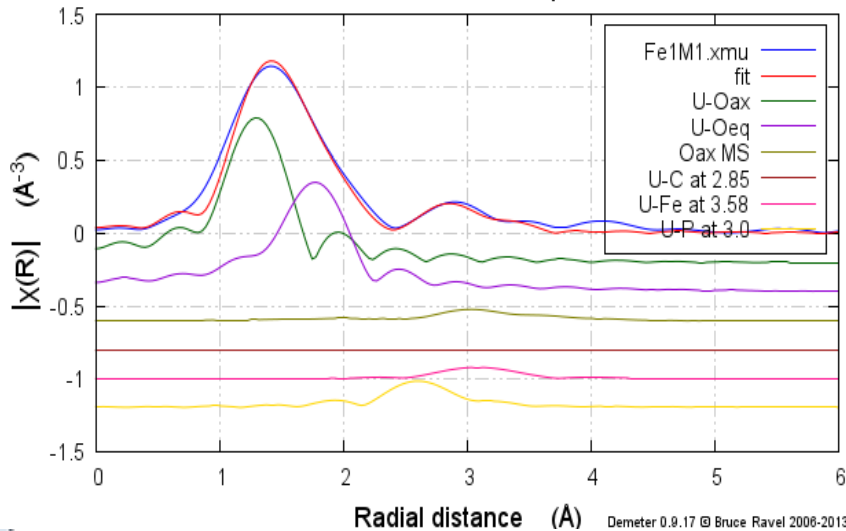
Test data for P and Fe shells



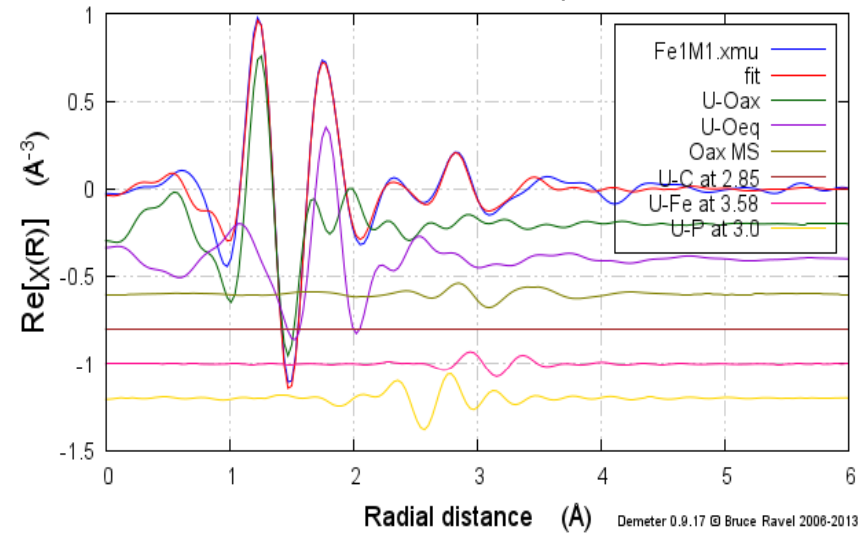
- Place **P** and **Fe** shells in a “good” spot
 - set parameters – no fitting
 - monitor results and fit spectra

Fit Results using P and Fe shells

Fe1M1.xmu in R space



Fe1M1.xmu in R space



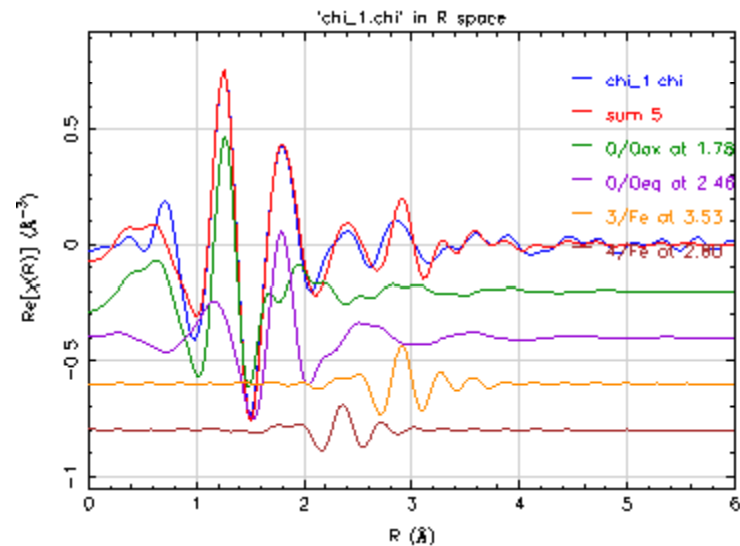
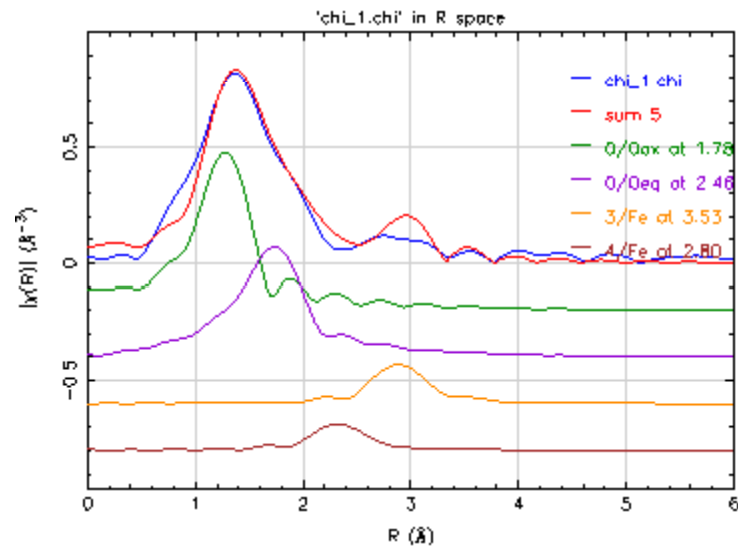
guess parameters:

delE0	=	5.61401930	# +/-	27.80359821	[0.65657]
NO1	=	1.87756022	# +/-	5.01084021	[1.78168]
NO2	=	4.69820412	# +/-	8.94502263	[4.50466]
delo1	=	0.02593456	# +/-	0.16855444	[0.00291]
delo2	=	-0.15241235	# +/-	0.19664655	[-0.18795]
sigo1	=	0.00000001	# +/-	0.02509008	[1.00742e-009]
sigo2	=	0.00603437	# +/-	0.03047295	[0.00466]
Nfe2	=	0.26864818	# +/-	7.34270113	[1.54468]
delfe2	=	-0.05663159	# +/-	0.66187494	[-0.17012]
sigfe2	=	-0.00036128	# +/-	0.22371051	[0.01153]
delp1	=	0.07282056	# +/-	0.40898253	[0.06738]
sigp1	=	0.00088094	# +/-	0.08136929	[0.00300]
Np1	=	0.94722667	# +/-	7.57814884	[1.00000]

EXAFS Parameters

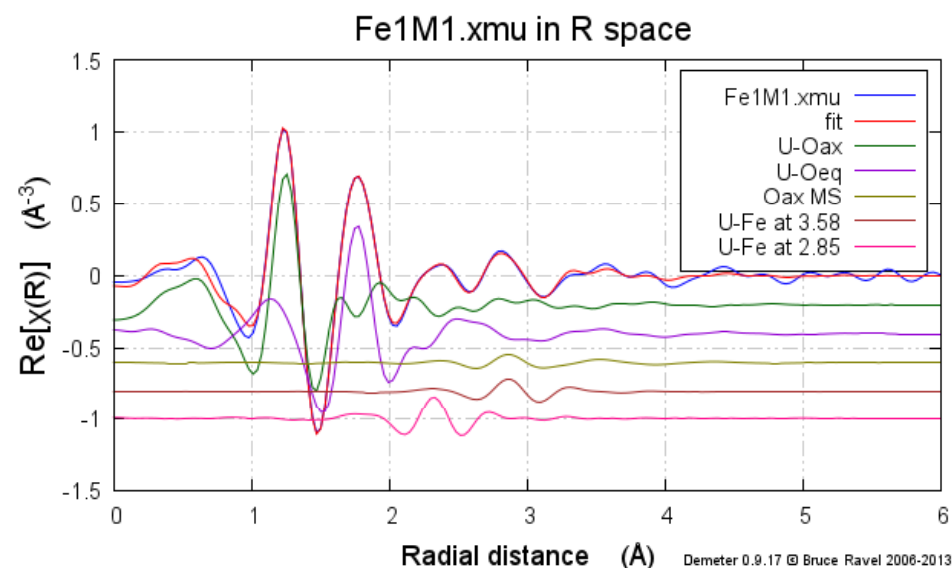
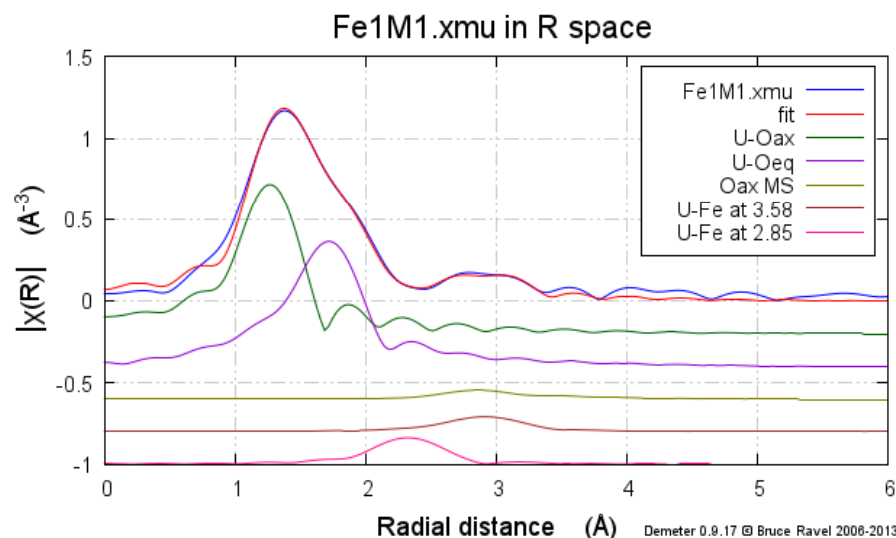
σ^2 -values	-
Distances	+
Coordination numbers	+
ΔE -value	+

Test data for Fe and Fe shells



- **Place Fe and Fe shells in a “good” spot**
 - set parameters – no fitting
 - monitor results and fit spectra

Fit Results using Fe and Fe shells



guess parameters:

delE0	=	-0.52309493	# +/-	13.03833870	[5.57110]
NO1	=	2.03134042	# +/-	1.61713414	[2.00000]
NO2	=	5.73627907	# +/-	4.82822216	[3.96132]
delo1	=	0.00417472	# +/-	0.05467323	[0.02440]
delo2	=	-0.19840310	# +/-	0.07727996	[-0.15727]
sigo1	=	-0.00170651	# +/-	0.00571344	[-0.00021]
sigo2	=	0.00755140	# +/-	0.00688098	[0.00439]
Nfe2	=	1.70423291	# +/-	6.96079514	[1.00000]
delfe2	=	-0.16643599	# +/-	0.18133249	[-0.10000]
sigfe2	=	0.01446017	# +/-	0.04156123	[0.00800]
Nfe1	=	0.96716126	# +/-	0.84064342	[0.85186]
delfe1	=	-0.01339862	# +/-	0.11102923	[0.05000]

EXAFS Parameters

σ^2 -values	+
Distances	+
Coordination numbers	+
ΔE -value	+

Values are realistic, but uncertainties are large

Multiple data set fit

The screenshot shows the Artemis software interface for EXAFS data analysis. The main window is titled "Artemis [EXAFS data analysis] *One data set artemis-Fe-Fe*". It features a menu bar (File, Monitor, Fit, Plot, Help) and a toolbar with icons for GDS, Plot, History, and Journal. The "Data sets" panel contains four buttons: "Add", "Show 'Fe1M1.xmu'", "Show 'Fe1M2.xmu'", "Show 'Fe2M1.xmu'", and "Show 'Fe2M2.xmu'". A callout box labeled "4 data sets" points to these buttons. The "Feff calculations" panel contains buttons for "Add", "Show 'Sodium Uranyl triacetate atoms'", "Hide 'Uranium monophosphate atoms.inp'", and "Show Sub bidentate Fe". The "Artemis [GDS] Guess, Def, Set parameters" window is open, displaying a table of parameters. A callout box labeled "N values that depend on Data set. All other Parameters are the same" points to the "N" column of the table.

	Type	Name	N
10	set	sigfe1	sigfe2
11	set	NO1_11	2
12	guess	NO2_11	5
13	guess	Nfe2_11	1.00000
14	guess	Nfe1_11	1.00000
15	set	NO1_22	2
16	guess	NO2_22	5
17	guess	Nfe2_22	1.00000
18	guess	Nfe1_22	1.00000
19	set	NO1_12	2
20	guess	NO2_12	5
21	guess	Nfe2_12	1.00000
22	guess	Nfe1_12	1.00000
23	set	NO1_21	2
24	guess	NO2_21	5

- Fit 4 data sets
- Use K-weights of 1, 2 and 3
- Fit different N values for each data set
- Data series is needed to accurately determine the number of Fe atoms in the 2nd and 3rd shells

Modeling a Data Series

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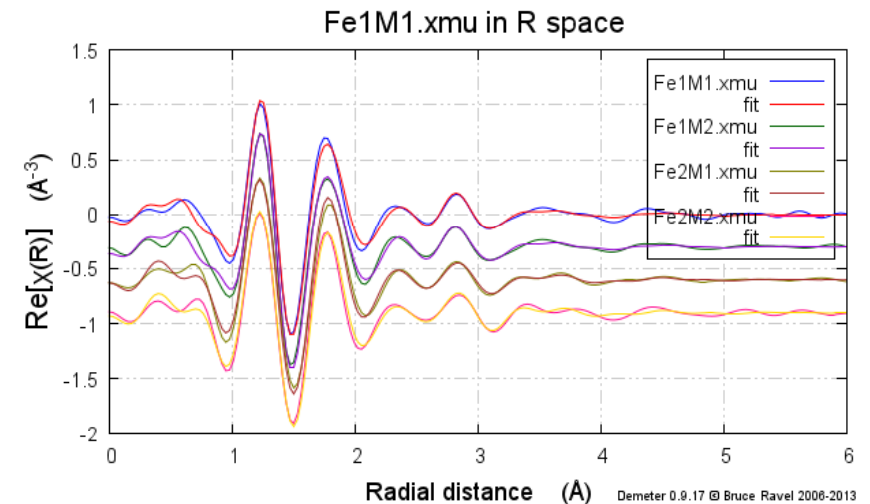
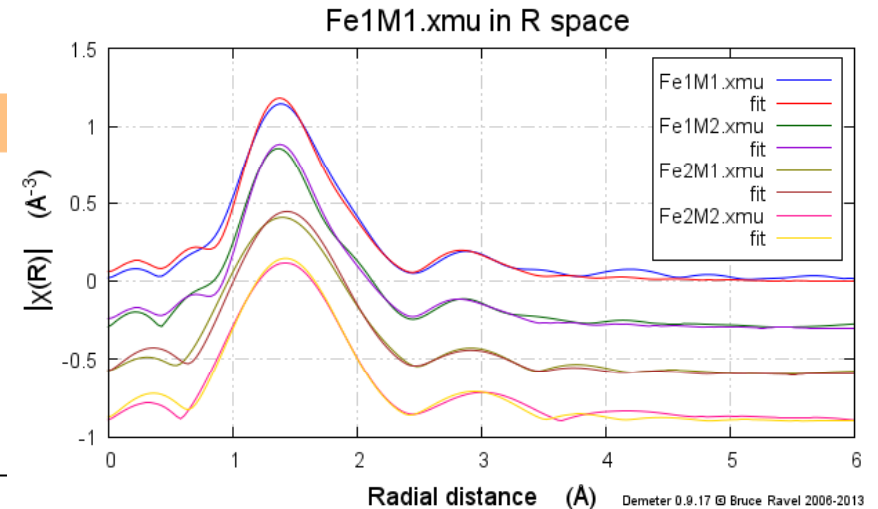
Independent points      : 29.7500000
Number of variables    : 11
Chi-square             : 6548.0320163
Reduced chi-square     : 349.2283742
R-factor               : 0.0455832
Measurement uncertainty (k) : 0.0002134
Measurement uncertainty (R) : 0.0003845
Number of data sets   : 4
    
```

```

Happiness = 74.42/100          color = #FEC182
  An R-factor of 0.04558 gives a penalty of 25.58320.
***** Note: happiness is a semantic parameter and should *****
***** NEVER be reported in a publication -- NEVER! *****
    
```

```

guess parameters:
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delfe2      = -0.12831700  # +/- 0.01601433  [-0.12072]
delfe1      =  0.01289046  # +/- 0.00693226  [0.01120]
sigfel      =  0.00647446  # +/- 0.00292661  [0.00611]
Nfe2_11     =  0.66241492  # +/- 0.23026024  [1.10762]
Nfe1_11     =  0.88582314  # +/- 0.34515786  [0.88654]
Nfe2_12     =  0.53389948  # +/- 0.27788274  [0.92843]
Nfe1_12     =  0.98037888  # +/- 0.38456367  [0.90765]
Nfe1_21     =  1.17116425  # +/- 0.43261640  [1.01045]
Nfe2_21     =  0.32360733  # +/- 0.29454535  [0.56411]
Nfe2_22     =  0.67699484  # +/- 0.34524740  [1.20824]
Nfe1_22     =  0.99083810  # +/- 0.39030744  [0.92682]
    
```



Reasonable modeling of data series

Summary

- **Athena and Artemis: a complete set of tools to process XAS spectra utilizing Ifeffit.**
- **Thank-you to the authors Bruce Ravel (A&A) and Matt Newville (Ifeffit).**
- **When you get stuck, check out the ifeffit mailing list for help from the experts:**
<http://cars9.uchicago.edu/mailman/listinfo/ifeffit/>