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1.3 铀矿 LA-ICP-MS 微区原位 U-Pb 定年

铀矿 U-Pb 同位素定年在武汉上谱分析科技有限责任公司利用 LA-ICP-MS 分析完成。有关详细的实验流程、数据处理和校正策略见 Zong et al. (2015)。 GeolasPro 激光剥蚀系统由 COMPexPro 102 ArF 193 nm 准分子激光器和 MicroLas 光学系统组成,ICP-MS 型号为 Agilent 7900。激光剥蚀过程中,采用氦气作载气,氩气为补偿气以调节灵敏度。两者在进入 ICP 之前通过一个 T 型接头混合,激光剥蚀系统配置有信号平滑装置(Hu et al., 2015)。 在本次分析中,激光束斑和频率分别为××μm 和××Hz。 U-Pb 同位素定年处理中采用铀矿标准物质 GBW04420 作外标进行同位素分馏校正。每个时间分辨分析数据包括大约 20-30 秒空白信号和 50 秒样品信号。对分析数据的离线处理(包括对样品和空白信号的选择、仪器灵敏度漂移校正以及 U-Pb 同位素比值和年龄计算)采用软件 ICPMSDataCal (Liu et al., 2008; Liu et al., 2010)完成。对铀矿样品的 U-Pb 年龄谐和图绘制和年龄加权平均计算采用 Isoplot/Ex_ver3 (Ludwig, 2003) 完成。

1.3 In-situ U-Pb dating of uraninite by LA-ICP-MS

U-Pb dating of uraninite was conducted by LA-ICP-MS at the Wuhan SampleSolution Analytical Technology Co., Ltd., Wuhan, China. Detailed operating processes and data reduction are consistent with those described by Zong et al. (2015). Laser sampling was performed using a GeolasPro laser ablation system that consists of a COMPexPro 102 ArF excimer laser (wavelength of 193 nm and maximum energy of 200 mJ) and a MicroLas optical system. An Agilent 7900 ICP-MS instrument was used to acquire ion-signal intensities. Helium was applied as a carrier gas, while argon, serving as the make-up gas, was mixed with the carrier gas through a T-connector before entering the ICP. A "wire" signal smoothing device is included in this laser ablation system (Hu et al., 2015). The spot size and frequency of the laser were set to ××μm and ××Hz, respectively. Uraninite standard GBW04420 was used as an external standard for U-Pb isotope calibration. Each analysis incorporated a background acquisition of approximately 20-30 seconds, followed by 50 seconds of data acquisition from the sample. An Excel-based software, ICPMSDataCal, was used to perform off-line selection and integration of background and analyzed signals, time-drift correction, and quantitative calibration for U-Pb dating (Liu et al., 2008; Liu et al., 2010). Concordia diagrams and weighted mean calculations were made using Isoplot/Ex_ver3 (Ludwig, 2003).

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