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- (23) A. Chen, J. Weber, V. Starchenko, P.J. Eng, J.E. Stubbs, H. Wang, T. Liu, T.L. Spano, B.C. Chakoumakos, A.G. Stack, **2024**. Real-Time Atomic-Scale Structural Analysis Resolves the Amorphous to Crystalline CaCO₃ Mechanism Controversy. *Crystal Growth & Design*, in press. [DOI: 10.1021/acs.cgd.4c00245]
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- (3) J. Weber, M. Cheshire, V. H. Distefano, K. C. Littrell, M. Bleuel, J. Ilavsky, J. K. Bozell, A. Ievlev, A. G. Stack, L. A. Anovitz. Microstructural Changes in Dissolution/Reprecipitation of CaCO₃-CaMg(CO₃)₂ and CaF₂. 258th American Chemical Society National Meeting & Exposition, San Diego, Fall 2019.
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