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Disentangling the roles of subducted volatile contributions and mantle source heterogeneity in the production of magmas beneath the Washington Cascades

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Key Points:

- The Washington Cascades sub-arc mantle is remarkably heterogeneous.

- Volatile contributions from the slab are identifiable across different magma types present in the WA Cascades.

- Fluid salinity variability and partial slab melting, non-uniquely, may contribute to subduction components along the entire arc.

Abstract

The compositional diversity of primitive arc basalts has long inspired questions regarding the drivers of magmatism in subduction zones, including the roles of decompression melting, mantle heterogeneity, and amount and compositions of slab-derived materials. This contribution presents the volatile (H_2O, Cl, and S), major, and trace element compositions of melt inclusions from basaltic magmas erupted at three volcanic centers in the Washington Cascades: Mount St. Helens (two basaltic tephras, 2.0–1.7 ka), Indian Heaven Volcanic Field (two <600 ka basaltic hyaloclastite tuffs), and Glacier Peak (late Pleistocene to Holocene basaltic tephra from Whitechuck and Indian Pass cones). Compositions corrected to be in equilibrium with mantle olivine display variability in Nb and trace element ratios indicative of mantle source variability that impressively span nearly the entire range of arc magmas globally. All volcanic centers have magmas with H_2O and Cl contributions from the downgoing plate that overlap with other Cascade Arc segments. Volatile abundances and trace element ratios support a model of melting of a highly variably mantle wedge driven by a subduction component of either variably saline fluids and/or partial slab melts. Magmas from Glacier Peak have Th/Yb ratios similar to Lassen region basalts, which may be consistent with contributions of "subcreted" metasediments not found in central Oregon and southern Washington magmas that overly the Siletzia Terrane. This dataset adds to the growing inventory of primitive magma volatile concentrations and provides insight into spatial distributions of mantle heterogeneity and the role of slab components in the petrogenesis of arc magmas.

1. Introduction

Fluid-flux melting of the mantle wedge is commonly attributed to be the primary driver of magmatism in arcs globally (Anderson, 1974; Fyfe and McBirney, 1975; McBirney, 1969; Sisson and Grove, 1993); however, decompression melting, mantle heterogeneity, and the amount and compositions of subducted materials (fluids vs. melts; crust vs. sediments), have all been suggested to play a role in producing the compositional diversity of primary basaltic magmas (e.g., Gill,1981; Elliott et al.,1997; Class et al., 2000). The Cascade volcanic arc (Fig. 1) has been described as a "hot" endmember arc worldwide in terms of subducting plate temperature (e.g., Green and Harry, 1999; Leeman et al., 2005a), and its unique thermal structure and along arc variability in downgoing and overriding plate parameters has prompted debate

54   about the relative roles of fluid/melt-flux melting versus decompression melting in petrogenesis

55   (Ruscitto et al., 2012; Leeman et al., 2020). To better constrain the role of subduction-derived

56   volatiles in arc magma petrogenesis, numerous studies have utilized the volatile composition of

57   basaltic melt inclusions hosted in olivine. In the southern Cascades, melt inclusion work at

58   Mount Shasta and Medicine Lake has revealed the low-H_2O (<1 wt.%), nearly anhydrous nature

59   of LKT magmas, predominantly in the back-arc, and the wet (up to 5 wt.% H_2O) nature of calc-

60   alkaline basalt and basaltic-andesite (CAB) magmas (Anderson, 1974; Le Voyer et al., 2010;

61   Sisson and Layne, 1993). In the central arc (Oregon), the melt inclusion study of Ruscitto et al.

62   (2010b) showed that CAB magmas have H_2O contents of 1.5-3.4 wt.% and trace element

63   systematics suggestive of a smaller amount of slab-derived material added to the mantle wedge

64   when compared to arc averages globally. Data from melt inclusions and bulk rock radiogenic

65   isotopes for the Lassen Region of the southern Cascades support a model of mantle melting

66   driven by a hydrous slab melt that involves fluids from the serpentinized upper mantle portion of

67   the subducting plate and partially-melted oceanic crust (Walowski et al, 2015; Walowski et al.,

68   2016). Melt inclusion studies in the northern Cascades have suggested that the enriched nature of

69   magmas in the Garibaldi Volcano Group result from a slab tear at the northern termination of the

70   subducting Juan de Fuca Plate, whereas more typical melting of depleted MORB mantle

71   modified by fluids derived from the downgoing slab occurs beneath northern Washington (Shaw,

72   2011; Venugopal et al., 2020).

73   In this contribution, we present the volatile, major, and trace element compositions of

74   melt inclusions hosted in high-Fo olivine from basaltic magmas erupted at three different

75   volcanic centers in the Washington Cascades: Mount St. Helens, Indian Heaven Volcanic Field,

76   and Glacier Peak (Fig. 1). We aim to disentangle the role of materials derived from the

77   subducting slab from the role of mantle heterogeneity in the petrogenesis of arc magmas through

78   this comparison of primitive basalts at the scale of both individual volcanic centers to ~300 km

79   along this well-studied warm slab endmember active subduction zone.

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81   **2. Geologic Setting and Sample Localities**

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83   *2.1 The Cascade Arc in Washington*

84   The Cascades volcanic arc extends for ~1250 km from southern British Columbia to

85   northern California along the west coast of North America (Fig. 1). Volcanism in the region

86   results from the easterly subduction of the Juan de Fuca, Gorda, and Explorer oceanic plates

87   beneath the North American continent. The Cascade Arc is subdivided into two main

88   geographical segments, the High Cascades in the south and Garibaldi Volcanic Belt (GVB) in

89   the north, by a change in the strike of the arc axis in the vicinity of Glacier Peak that follows a

90   bend in the trench (Fig. 1). However, the Cascade Arc has been further segmented by various

91   authors on the basis of volcano type, physical separations, and geochemistry (e.g., Guffanti and

92   Weaver, 1988; Hildreth, 2007; Schmidt et al., 2008; Pitcher and Kent, 2019). Pitcher and Kent

93   (2019) divide the arc into six regions which includes the Garibaldi (49.75–51 N), Baker (48.5–

94   49.75 N), Glacier Peak (47.75–48.5 N), Washington (45.75–47.75 N), Graben (44.25–

95   45.75 N), and South (41.25–44.25 N) Segments. Although this segmentation identifies

96   volcanoes investigated in this study as from the Glacier Peak and Washington segments, in this

97   contribution, we refer to the three volcanic centers as all within the WA Cascades on the basis of

98   geographic location in the state of Washington, USA.

99   The Washington Cascades present a unique natural laboratory to explore spatial

100   variability in the mantle sources and slab process that drive the geochemical diversity of primary

101   arc magmas. The three major compositional types of primitive magmas identified in the

102   Cascades are all found in this region: calc-alkaline basalts and basaltic-andesites (CAB), low

103   potassium olivine tholeiites (LKT), and ocean island basalt (OIB)-like basalts [also referred to as

104   intraplate basalt, IPB, or HFSE-rich)(Bacon, 1997; Borg et al., 1997; Conrey et al., 1997; Green

105   and Harry, 1999; Leeman et al., 2005a; Reiners, 2000). In this study, we analyzed melt

106   inclusions from three different volcanic centers with representatives of each of these three

107   magma types.

108   Mount St. Helens (MSH) is located in southern Washington and represents the western

109   edge of an east-to-west trending series of volcanic vents extending ~160 km (Hildreth, 2007).

110   The longitudinal extent of Quaternary volcanism in this portion of the Cascades is anomalously

111   broad, featuring both well-developed forearc (MSH, Indian Heaven Volcanic Field) and backarc

112   (Simcoe Volcanic Field) volcanic centers. The breadth of the arc has been attributed to pull-apart

113   geometries due to shear deformation resulting from the change in stress state from transtensional

114   in the south to transpressive in the north (Humphreys and Grunder, 2022). The main arc axis at

115   this latitude (~46°N) is located at the approximate longitude of a second active stratovolcano,

116   Mt. Adams, while MSH is situated 50 km to the west. The Indian Heaven Volcanic Field is

117   situated in between these two prominent long-lived volcanoes (Fig. 1). The southern Washington

118   Cascades is the only segment of the arc where two stratovolcanoes occur at the same latitude,

119   and interestingly, MSH is the most western stratovolcano in the Cascades relative to the main arc

120   axis. This region is part of the southern Washington and northern Oregon Cascade segments that

121   are also unique for their geochemically distinct basement rock of oceanic plateau origin, the

122   Siletz terrane (Church et al., 1986; Schmidt et al., 2008).

123   Glacier Peak is often considered the southernmost volcano in the northern segment of the

124   Cascades, the Garibaldi Volcanic Belt (GVB). The GVB is ~330 km long, beginning just south

125   of Glacier Peak and ending at Mt. Meager in British Columbia (Fig. 1). In this segment,

126   quaternary volcanic output is low (see Hildreth, 2007), vents are sparse, and there is no eruptive

127   activity noted in the forearc and backarc regions. While geographically part of the GVB, Mullen

128   et al. (2017) suggest based on Pb isotope geochemistry that Glacier Peak should be reclassified

129   as the northernmost large volcano of the High Cascades, whereas Pitcher and Kent (2019)

130   suggest that Glacier Peak is a unique segment of the arc. The crust in the Glacier Peak and

131   northern Washington Cascades region is composed predominantly of metamorphosed oceanic

132   terranes (Brown, 1987) between 40-45 km thick (e.g., Ramachandron, 2006).

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135   **2.2 Sample Localities**

136   *2.2.1 Mount Saint Helens- Castle Creek Basalts*

137   Mount St. Helens is one of the youngest and most active major volcanic centers in the

138   Cascades—while volcanism at MSH extends back at least 300 ka, the majority of its volume has

139   been erupted in just the past 28 kyr (Hildreth, 2007). Much of this recent eruptive activity,

140   including the historical eruption of May 18, 1980, has been highly explosive, producing over 100

141   distinct tephra deposits (Mullineaux, 1996). This tephra is dominantly dacitic or rhyodacitic, and

142   less commonly andesitic in composition.

143   Only one basaltic tephra sequence has been identified from the past 40 ka of explosive

144   history at MSH: the ~1.7 ka Bu tephra erupted at the end of the Castle Creek eruptive period

145   (2.0–1.7 ka). This unit consists of three chemically distinct, olivine-bearing lapilli and ash

146   deposits, referred to as Bu-1 (oldest), Bu-2 and Bu-3 (youngest) of OIB-type compositional

147   affinity (Mullineaux, 1996; Clynne et al., 2008; Wanke et al., 2019). Also erupted during the

148   Castle Creek period are basaltic lava flows of LKT affinity contemporaneous in age with Bu-1

149   tephra units (the Pre-Cave and Cave Basalts; Wanke et al., 2019), which indicates variability in

150   parental basaltic magmas at MSH. From this eruption stratigraphy, only Bu-2 and Bu-3 provided

151   tephra samples with olivine suitable for the melt inclusion work of this study. The whole rock

152   major, trace element, and isotopic data compilation of Wanke et al. (2019) suggest the HFSE-

153   rich, OIB-type Bu-2 and Bu-3 basalts we investigate here were generated in the periphery of the

154   main mantle melting column, where lower degrees of partial melting produce magmas with

155   higher concentrations of incompatible elements.

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157   *2.2.2 Indian Heaven Volcanic Field*

158   Indian Heaven is a Quaternary mafic volcanic field located southeast of Mount St. Helens

159   and southwest of Mount Adams (Fig. 1). The region is characterized by mafic shields and cones

160   dominantly oriented along N-S trending zones of coalescing volcanic centers erupted between

161   ~600 ka and ~8 ka (Korosec, 1989). The impact of alpine glaciation events during this time is

162   notable, with evidence of subglacial emplacement (e.g., pillow lavas and hyaloclastites) and

163   post-eruptive glacial erosion that has dissected numerous volcanic centers, resulting in large

164   areas being covered by till and glacial outwash deposits (Smith, 1984; Korosec, 1989). Two

165   samples collected from the region, the Basalt of Burnt Peak (QVBP) and the Basalt of Tillicum

166   Creek (QVTC), contain high-Fo olivine with glassy melt inclusions suitable for analysis. Sample

167   QVBP is a low-K olivine basalt collected from a thick (3-5 m) hyaloclastite tuff comprised of

168   glassy scoria and coarse ash above a very thick pillow basalt unit. Sample QVTC, collected from

169   a roadcut 3+ m section of palagonite tuff, is a medium-K olivine-rich basalt and has been

170   identified as the most mafic in the volcanic field (Korosec, 1989).

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172   *2.2.3 Glacier Peak*

173   Glacier Peak, the southernmost GVB volcanic center, is a dacitic stratovolcano that has

174   been active for the past 700 ka (Tabor and Crowder, 1969). Low-K olivine tholeiite and calc-

175   alkaline basalt tephras erupted near Glacier Peak at the Whitechuck and Indian Pass cinder

176   cones, respectively, were sampled for this study. Whitechuck LKT tephras are generally aphyric,

177   with ≤5% phenocrysts dominated by olivine with minor plagioclase and groundmass

178   clinopyroxene. Indian Pass CAB tephras have a slightly higher percentage of phenocrysts

179   (≤10%), dominated by olivine phenocrysts (~7%), minor plagioclase, and a groundmass with

180   plagioclase and clinopyroxene (Taylor, 2001).

181   The data presented in this contribution are a re-evaluation of the data presented in Shaw

182   (2011). Based on whole-rock analyses and mineral chemistry, Taylor (2001) established that

183   these two magmas are likely derived from two distinct mantle sources: the Whitechuck LKT

184   from depleted mantle, similar to mid-ocean ridge basaltic sources (MORB), and the Indian Pass

185   CAB from a more enriched source. All lavas have the characteristic high large ion lithophile

186   elements (LILE) and high field strength (HFSE) indicative of variable amounts of addition of a

187   hydrous subduction input (Taylor, 2001; Shaw, 2011). Radiogenic isotope compositions of the

188   Indian Pass CAB overlap with the least radiogenic High Cascades samples and are suggested to

189   record a relatively sediment-dominated subduction component, whereas the Whitechuck LKT

190   has compositions more indicative of a subduction component dominated by oceanic crust

191   fluids/melts, similar to that found in other GVB magmas (Mullen and Weiss, 2017).

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193   **3. Methods**

194   *3.1 Sample Preparation*

195   Olivine crystals from the six tephra samples in this study were hand-picked, individually

196   mounted in crystal bound on round glass slides, and doubly polished to expose melt inclusions

197   on two parallel sides of the host olivine. Melt inclusions were glassy, between 50 and 150

198   microns in diameter, generally round or ellipsoidal, and contained vapor bubbles. After

199   polishing, crystal bond was dissolved in acetone to remove the host olivine crystals from glass

200   slides for Fourier Transform Infrared Spectroscopic (FTIR) analysis. After FTIR analysis,

201   olivine hosts were washed and mounted in epoxy resin for electron probe micronalysis (EPMA)

202   and Laser Ablation Inductively Coupled Mass Spectrometry (LA-ICP-MS).

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204   **3.2 Analytical Methods**

205   *3.2.1 FTIR*

206   Analysis of H_2O and CO_2 in the melt inclusions was performed with a Thermo-Nicolet

207   Nexus 670 FTIR spectrometer at the University of Oregon. Each unmounted olivine crystal was

208   individually placed upon a NaCl wafer. Spectral analyses were repeated between three and four

209   times, each analysis encompassing 256 individual scans. Aperture size ranged from 50–120 μm

210   depending on inclusion diameter. Inclusion thickness, initially determined with a digital

211   micrometer measurement of the olivine wafer, was corroborated through the use of reflectance

212   fringes. Thickness measurements typically agreed to within 5%, and calculated measurements

213   were used in almost all cases. In cases in which the fringes were indistinct the initial micrometer

214   measurement was used. The H_2O and CO_2 concentrations were calculated using the Beer-

215   Lambert law (Dixon and Pan, 1995). Because the shape of the background in the region of the

216   carbonate doublet is complex, it is necessary to subtract a carbonate-free reference spectrum to

217   obtain a flat background. We measured absorbance intensities of the 1515 and 1430 cm^{-1} bands

218   using a peak-fitting program that fits the sample spectrum with a straight line, a devolatilized

219   spectrum, a pure 1630 cm^{-1} band for molecular H_2O, and a pure carbonate doublet (unpublished

220   program by S. Newman). The CO_2 concentrations were then calculated using compositionally

221   dependent absorption coefficients (Dixon and Pan, 1995) based on major element composition

222   determined by microprobe analysis. Due to uncertainties both in inclusion thickness and in

223   absorbance peak heights, average uncertainty at 1σ in H_2O and CO_2 concentrations is 11%.

224   Accuracy of the FTIR technique is expected to be ±10% for H_2O and ±20% for CO_2 (Dixon,

225   1991).

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227   *3.2.2 EPMA*

228   After FTIR analysis, melt inclusions were analyzed for major element composition with

229   the Cameca SX100 electron probe at the University of Oregon. Beam conditions were as

230   follows: 15 kV accelerating voltage, 20 nA beam current, and a beam diameter of 10 microns.

231   Element count times were as follows: 10 sec (Mn), 20 sec (Ca, S, Cl, Ti), 30 sec (Mg, Si), 40 sec

232   (K, Al, P), 60 sec (Fe). To minimize effects of element migration, concentrations of Na, K, and

233   Si were corrected back to time zero using time-dependent intensity measurements. Olivine host

234   compositions were also analyzed, at a spot located a distance of ~100 microns from both the

235   edge of the host crystal and the inclusion. Intensities were corrected by either linear off-peak

236   background correction (K, Mn, S, Cl, Ti and P) or the mean atomic number (MAN) background

237   correction procedure (Na, Si, Al, Mg, Fe and Ca) of Donovan and Tingle (1996). Measured

238   standard concentrations were within 0.07% of published values, except S, which was within

239   0.92% of published values. Percent standard deviation, based on replicate analyses of each

240   inclusion, was ≤ 5% for all elements except Mn, which was ≤7%.

241   For the Whitechuck and Indian Pass melt inclusions, the S K_α peak position was

242   measured using the JEOL 8500F field emission electron microprobe at Washington State

243   University (following procedures in Carroll and Rutherford, 1988; Wallace and Carmichael,

244   1994). Beam conditions were as follows: 15kV accelerating voltage, 30 nA beam current, and a

245   beam diameter of 5 microns. Count times were 5 sec for standards and 30 sec for unknowns. To

246   avoid oxidation of sulfur during analysis, the beam position was moved 1 μm each 60 s during

247   the analysis. Troilite and pyrrhotite standards were run before and after the glass inclusions to

248   monitor accuracy. Pyrite and anhydrite standards were analyzed at the start and end of the run to

249   calculate sulfur speciation (Rowe et al., 2007). Precision, based on replicate analyses, was better

250   than 10% at 1 σ for all samples. For all other melt inclusions, we used an S K_α peak position that

251   was intermediate between those for anhydrite and pyrite (~30% of the full shift between pyrite

252   and anhydrite; Wallace & Carmichael, 1994).

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254   *3.2.3 LA-ICP-MS*

255   Trace element compositions of melt inclusions were measured with a laser ablation

256   inductively coupled mass spectrometer (VG PQ ExCell quadrupole ICP-MS and NewWave

257   DUV 193 nm ArF Excimer laser) at Oregon State University. Beam conditions were 3 Hz, beam

258   size was 50 μm with a 45 s total dwell time. Dwell time per element was 10 milliseconds. Glass

259   standard GSE-1G was used for calibration and 43Ca was used as an internal standard. Accuracy

260   at 1σ was ≤5% from accepted values. Precision was ≤5% for trace elements Ti, V, Sr, Y, Zr, Ba

261   and Ce, ≤10% for trace elements Sc, Rb, Nb, La, Pr, Nd, Pb, ≤15% for Sm, Eu, Hf, and Th, and

262   ≤20% for Gd, Dy, Er, Yb, Ta and U.

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264   *3.3. Post-entrapment modification corrections*

265   Inclusions can undergo a number of potential post-entrapment compositional changes.

266   These include post-entrapment crystallization of olivine along the melt-host interface, diffusive

267   loss of Fe to the host olivine, diffusive loss or gain of H^+, and CO_2 transfer to a vapor bubble

268   (e.g., Danyushevsky et al., 2000; Gaetani and Watson, 2000; Portnyagin et al., 2008; Wallace et

269   al., 2021). Melt inclusion compositions were corrected for post-entrapment crystallization (PEC)

270   by adding equilibrium olivine (in steps of 0.1 wt.%) until equilibrium between host and inclusion

271   was achieved (Danyushevsky et al., 2000). The effect of PEC on volatile and trace element

272   concentrations was corrected by using the change in K_2O as a proxy for elements incompatible in

273   olivine. Iron loss was corrected using Petrolog 3.1 (Danyushevsky and Plechov, 2011), assuming

274   initial FeO^T of the inclusion are best estimated by the whole rock compositions.

275   Diffusive loss of H^+ can occur over short timescales (less than 2 days; e.g., Bucholz et al.,

276   2013). For this study, we use loose olivine phenocrysts in ash-sized tephra, which likely cooled

277   rapidly, to decrease the likelihood of diffusive loss of hydrogen during eruption and quenching

278   (Lloyd et al., 2013). Furthermore, we compare relationships between K_2O and H_2O to assess the

279   potential for post-entrapment diffusive loss (e.g., Lloyd et al., 2013; Johnson et al., 2020).

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281   **4. Results**

282   *4.1.1 Melt Inclusion major and trace element compositions*

283   Melt inclusions corrected for post-entrapment crystallization from each sample display

284   distinct major element compositions. While a majority of the melt inclusions can be defined as

285   medium-K calc-alkaline basalts to basaltic andesites (Fig. 2), the full dataset displays a range

286   from low-K to high-K compositions (<0.5 wt.% to >1.5 wt.% K_2O). Melt inclusions suites from

287   individual samples are similar to or slightly less-evolved than previously published whole-rock

288   compositions (Fig. 2).

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290   *4.1.2 Mount Saint Helens Castle Creek Basalts*

291   Data was acquired from melt inclusions and host olivine from two MSH basaltic tephra

292   units, Bu-2 and Bu-3. The olivine hosts from the Bu-2 tephra (Fo_{79}-Fo_{85}) have similar to slightly

293   higher Mg than those from the Bu-3 tephra (Fo_{74}-Fo_{83}). As a result, melt inclusions from Bu-2

294   after correction for PEC have MgO concentrations that overlap with Bu-3 but extend to higher

295   values (4.7 – 7.8 wt.% and 6.3 – 9.0 wt.% MgO, respectively; Supplementary Figures). Melt

296   inclusion compositional suites from both samples also overlap with whole-rock compositions but

297   extend to more mafic compositions along trajectories consistent with olivine fractionation. The

298   two MSH samples primarily differ in their alkali abundances. The Bu-2 melt inclusions have

299   moderate-K compositions whereas the Bu-3 melt inclusion suite has compositions that range

300   from med- to high-K compositions.

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4.1.3 Indian Heaven Basalts

From the Indian Heaven volcanic field, data was acquired from melt inclusions and host olivine from two different basaltic units, QVTC and QVBP. The olivine phenocrysts hosting melt inclusions from QVTC range from Fo_{84}-Fo_{87}. Olivine-hosts from QVBP are more evolved and range from Fo_{80}–Fo_{83}. Melt inclusions (corrected for PEC) from QVTC have relatively low K2O (<1 wt.%) relative to the other med-K calc-alkaline basalts analyzed in this study, while those from QVBP are distinctly low-K (Fig.2). Both melt inclusion suites also display relatively high MgO concentrations (QVTC = 7.25-9.64 wt.%; QVBP = 6.46 – 8.04wt.%) and are consistent with previously analyzed whole rock analyses from the same geologic units and other basaltic samples in the Indian Heaven region (Korosec, 1989; Supplementary Figures).

4.1.4 Glacier Peak Basalts

The PEC-corrected major element compositions for melt inclusions from Indian Pass (IP) generally fall within the medium-K calc-alkaline field, whereas those from Whitechuck (WC) extend from the low-K tholeiite field to the boundary between LKT and medium-K basalt (Fig. 2). The olivine hosts from the Indian Pass CAB are the most Mg-rich measured in this study and range from Fo_{87}-$Fo_{89,}$ whereas those from the Whitechuck LKT are $Fo_{86.}$ Whole-rock analyses from the same samples have similar K_2O concentrations but display elevated MgO and Al_2O_3 concentrations compared to the melt inclusions (Taylor, 2001; Shaw 2011).

4.2 Magmatic Volatile Compositions

The PEC-corrected melt inclusions in the WA Cascades sample suite have variable H_2O concentrations that range from ~0.3–2.2 wt.% (Fig. 3). Most samples display a range of relationships between other volatiles and K_2O, suggestive of differences in ascent, degassing, and crystallization histories.

Comparatively alkali-rich samples from Mount St. Helens have H_2O concentrations that range from 0.32–1.94 wt.%. Both samples display a positive correlation between Cl and K_2O indicative of Cl enrichment during fractional crystallization (Fig. 3), suggesting that Cl, which is more soluble than the other volatiles, was not lost by degassing prior to melt inclusion entrapment. Variation of H_2O with K_2O for Bu-2 suggests the effects of degassing induced

332   crystallization (e.g., Johnson et al., 2008), whereas degassing related loss is smaller for Bu-2.

333   The behavior of S is somewhat between that of H2O and Cl, with some inclusions showing

334   increases due to fractional crystallization and others showing small to moderate losses.

335   From Indian Heaven, melt inclusions from the low-K sample, QVBP, display little to no

336   variation in volatiles or major elements (Figs. 2 and 3). However, relatively high S

337   concentrations (>900 ppm) suggest that these samples are not significantly degassed.

338   Conversely, melt inclusions from the CAB sample (QVTC) show relationships between H_2O, S,

339   Cl, and K_2O that are indicative of S and H_2O degassing and residual enrichment of Cl during

340   degassing induced crystallization.

341   From Glacier Peak, Whitechuck (LKT) melt inclusions have a large range in H_2O

342   concentration (0.5-2.0 wt.%) that does not correlate with K_2O (Fig. 3), Cl, or S. Given the

343   homogeneity of S and Cl values, we suggest the variable H_2O is caused by post-entrapment

344   diffusive loss, likely during ascent. Corrected Indian Pass (CAB) melt inclusions have H_2O

345   contents that range from 1.1-2.2 wt.%. Similar to the QVBP sample Indian Heaven, this melt

346   inclusion suite shows relationships between H_2O, S, Cl, and K_2O that are suggestive of S and

347   H_2O degassing, and enrichment of Cl during degassing induced crystallization. These melt

348   inclusions are also notable for their relatively high S concentrations (2550-3320 ppm).

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350   *4.3 Parental melt compositions*

351   While melt inclusions hosted in high-Fo olivine record the most primitive melts

352   accessible for analysis, they typically do not have compositions in equilibrium with their initial

353   mantle source peridotite (olivine Fo≥90). Therefore, further corrections are made to estimate the

354   compositions of the parental melts of these primitive magmas. The simplest assumption is that

355   the primary mantle-derived melts fractionated olivine only before being trapped as melt

356   inclusions. Thus, for each melt inclusion suite, a primary melt composition was calculated by

357   taking an average of the most MgO- and H_2O-rich melt inclusions and incrementally adding

358   olivine until the composition reached equilibrium with Fo_{90}. Concentrations of trace elements

359   and volatile elements that are incompatible in the olivine hosts were corrected assuming similar

360   behavior to K_2O during olivine-only fractionation (percentages found in Supplementary Tables).

361   The resultant Fo_{90} equilibrium compositions provide more robust comparisons of inferred

362   mantle source regions for magmas in this study to other arcs, MORBS and OIBS. A comparison

363   of the Fo_{90} equilibrium Cl/K_2O values from all WA Cascades samples generally overlap with

364   those measured in mafic magmas from the Lassen and Central Oregon regions of the Cascade

365   Arc (Fig. 4). While the maximum H_2O in the Fo_{90} equilibrium compositions overlap with those

366   calculated from the Garibaldi Belt melt inclusions (Venugopal et al., 2020), they fall at the lower

367   end of the range (or below for Indian Heaven LKT) of Lassen and Central Oregon, all of which

368   have numerous samples with H_2O concentrations >2.5 wt.% H_2O.

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370   **5. Discussion**

371   *5.1 Distinguishing Mantle Sources in WA Cascades Magmas*

372   Quantification of slab contributions to arc magmas requires an understanding of the

373   mantle source composition to which various slab components have been added. Numerous

374   studies of high-MgO Cascade Arc magmas have identified several distinct compositional types,

375   the most widespread of which are LKT, CAB, and OIB types (e.g., Schmidt et al., 2008). These

376   types have been interpreted as being derived by melting of compositionally distinct mantle

377   source regions (Leeman et al., 1990; Bacon et al., 1997). These components are variably

378   distributed along the length of the arc, although there is a higher abundance of the OIB-type in

379   the northern Oregon and southern Washington regions (Pitcher and Kent, 2019). At Mount St

380   Helens alone it is suggested that all three magma types are present: hydrous arc basalt produced

381   by flux melting, LKTs interpreted as decompression melts from the upper mantle, and HFSE-

382   rich basalts (IPB or OIB) derived from a water-poor and incompatible-trace-element-rich source

383   (Wanke et al., 2019). Thus, outstanding questions remain about the scale of mantle heterogeneity

384   in the Cascades.

385   Concentrations of Nb are commonly used to investigate mantle processes because it is

386   not fluid mobile during slab dehydration and is highly incompatible during mantle melting.

387   Figure 5 shows the concentrations of Zr, a high field strength element (HFSE), Ce, a

388   representative light rare earth element (LREE), Ba, a representative large ion lithophile element

389   (LILE) and K_2O, a relatively incompatible major element in basalts, with respect to Nb for all

390   melt inclusions, whole-rock analyses from the literature, and Fo_{90}-corrected parental magma

391   compositions. Positive relationships between all of these elements are expected due to their

392   incompatibility during mantle melting or subsequent fractional crystallization. However, the

393   extreme variability in Figure 5 requires considerable variation in the enriched to depleted

394   character of mantle sources beneath the different regions. Concentrations of Ce, Ba, and K_2O in

395   the Glacier Peak IP (CAB) sample show enrichments compared to the positive trend of the other

396   samples, and this likely results from addition of a slab-derived component (Fig. 5). The variation

397   between samples importantly highlights that all samples investigated in this study, even those

398   from the same volcanic centers, show indications of heterogeneous mantle source compositions,

399   which need to be carefully considered when trying to decipher volatile and trace element

400   contributions from subducted lithologies. In particular, the moderate- to high-K character of most

401   samples on the K_2O vs. SiO_2 diagram (Fig. 2) appears to be the result of enriched mantle sources

402   (compare Fig. 4d), with only the Glacier Peak IP CAB sample having elevated K_2O because of a

403   slab contribution.

404   Trace element ratios, such as Nb/Zr and Dy/Yb, also provide evidence that most of the

405   variability between samples in this study is likely related to differences in mantle source

406   compositions (Fig. 5). Comparisons of WA Cascades parental magma compositions to MORB,

407   OIBs, and arcs globally further highlights their globally impressive variability. While all samples

408   overlap with the global arc array from Ruscitto et al. (2012), Mount St. Helens samples (Bu-2

409   and Bu-3) have relatively high Nb/Y compositions similar to many OIB globally, in keeping

410   with their alkalic major element compositions and high HFSE concentrations (Wanke et al.,

411   2019). In contrast, both LKT samples from Indian Heaven (QVBP) and Glacier Peak (WC) have

412   similarly depleted Nb/Y ratios and overlap with N-MORB. The CAB samples, QVTC from

413   Indian Heaven and Glacier Peak IP, have intermediate Nb/Y ratios that overlap with enriched

414   MORB and depleted OIB (Fig. 6).

415   Interestingly, each volcanic center displays more than one of these mantle components,

416   which suggests that mantle heterogeneity is present at the volcano-scale. In the southern WA

417   Cascades in the vicinity of Mount St Helens and Indian Heaven volcanic field, the presence of a

418   "slab gap" interpreted from seismic tomography has been suggested to provide a pathway for

419   more enriched asthenospheric mantle upwelling and to explain why volcanic centers are offset

420   tens of km west from the main volcanic front (Hildreth, 2007; Schmandt and Humphreys, 2010;

421   Mullen et al., 2017; Hawley and Allen, 2019; Wanke et a., 2019). This mechanism may provide

422   an explanation for the presence of OIB-like magmas (with likely garnet-influenced Dy/Yb – see

423   Fig. 6) in this region, despite the predominance of an isotopically homogeneous MORB-type

424   depleted mantle beneath much of western North America (Mullen et al., 2017). However, a

425   recent study using seismic wave amplitudes (Pang et al., 2023) shows no indication of such a

426   hole or discontinuity in the slab beneath the WA Cascades and suggests that the Juan de Fuca

427   slab may be continuous from Canada to northern California. Regardless, the array of mantle

428   source heterogeneity sampled by WA Cascade magmas adds to the growing body of evidence

429   that mantle source regions beneath arcs globally may be more variable than previously

430   recognized and can explain some differences in primitive basalt compositions (e.g., Turner and

431   Langmuir, 2022).

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433   *5.2 Volatile abundances in Washington Cascade magmas*

434   Given the significant mantle source variability indicated by incompatible trace elements

435   in WA Cascades parental magmas, we compare volatile abundances by evaluating H_2O, Cl, and

436   S relative to Nb (Fig. 7). Concentrations of Nb (and trace element ratios including Nb) are often

437   used to represent the relative fertility of the mantle source (i.e., enriched vs. depleted character)

438   because Nb is highly incompatible and depleted during partial melting of the mantle (Pearce and

439   Peate, 1995). However, previous work in the southern Cascades suggests that partial melting of

440   the slab contributes to the subduction component (Walowski et al., 2016), in which case,

441   experiments suggest that Nb might have a higher concentration in the slab component than it

442   would in a fluid released by dehydration (Kessel et al., 2005). However, given the large range in

443   Nb concentrations in the WA Cascades magmas, the relatively small amounts of slab melt or

444   fluid added to the mantle wedge (see discussion below and Walowski et al., 2016), and the likely

445   small magnitude of the hydrous melt-residual solid or fluid-solid partition coefficients during

446   slab melting when rutile is present (Kessel et al., 2005), overall contribution of Nb to the mantle

447   source is likely very minor. For this reason we consider Nb as a good indicator of the enriched to

448   depleted character of mantle wedge sources beneath the WA Cascades before addition of any

449   slab components.

450   To examine the addition of volatile elements from the slab component, we compare our

451   results to the MORB array at a given Nb concentration (Fig. 7). The results suggest that the

452   elevated H_2O and Cl in Mount St. Helens basalts (Bu-2 and Bu-3) compared to uncontaminated

453   MORB is caused by addition of a small amount of a slab component. The LKT from Indian

454   Heaven (QVBP) has the lowest H_2O of any sample in the Cascade Arc compilation and the

455   global arc compilation from Ruscitto et al. (2012). The MORB-like values and a lack of evidence

456 for volatile-loss due to degassing (see Fig. 3 and Section 4.2) suggest that it represents a partial

457 melt of a depleted mantle source with little to no subduction component. In contrast, the LKT

458 from Glacier Peak (WC) has the lowest Nb concentration, indicative of an even more depleted

459 source than the Indian Heaven LKT (QVBP), but it has higher H_2O and Cl concentrations

460 indicative of volatile contributions from a slab component. Similarly, the CABs from Glacier

461 Peak and Indian Heaven have elevated H_2O and Cl relative to the MORB array. We conclude

462 that despite having H_2O and Cl concentrations at the lower end of the range for Cascades

463 parental melts, all three volcanic regions have primitive melts with some contribution of slab-

464 derived volatiles. The only exception is the LKT from Indian Heaven, which has H_2O and Cl

465 concentrations similar to MORB. However, the WA Cascade magmas from all three volcanic

466 centers in this study have H_2O and Cl contributions from the downgoing plate that overlap with

467 other Cascades arc segments (e.g., central Oregon and northern California), although none

468 extend to the highest values measured in the Cascades and arc magmas globally.

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470 *5.3 The source of volatiles in WA Cascade magmas*

471   The inferred contributions of H_2O and Cl from subducted materials in WA Cascades

472 magmas invites questions about the source of these volatiles and their role in magma generation

473 beneath the Cascades. Are they derived from hydrous fluids or partial melts of slab lithologies

474 (sediments and oceanic crust), or both?

475   To better understand thermal conditions at the slab-wedge interface beneath the

476 Cascades, we use 2-D steady-state thermal models (following methods of Wada and Wang,

477 2009) for four transects: one extending beneath the Mt. Baker-Glacier Peak region, one beneath

478 Mount St. Helens and Indian Heaven, one beneath the central Oregon Cascades, and one beneath

479 the Lassen Region (Fig. 8; map locations in Fig. 1; Text S1; Figures S1-S4). In these models, the

480 maximum depth of slab-mantle decoupling (MDD) controls the trench-ward extent of solid

481 mantle wedge flow, and this depth tends to be 70-80 km for most subduction zones (Wada and

482 Wang, 2009). However, slab depths beneath the Cascade arc are shallower than for many

483 subduction zones worldwide, with estimated slab top depths of ~60 km (Mount St. Helens), ~70

484 km (Indian Heaven), ~90 km (Glacier Peak), 70-80 km (central Oregon Cascades), and ~90 km

485 (Lassen; depths from McCrory et al., 2012). Temporal changes in regional tectonics or slab

486 geometry may cause deviation from the common MDD. To show these uncertainties, we

487 developed models with an MDD of 75 km and 65 km for each transect. Additionally, given that

488 the slab beneath the arc may be older than assumed in the steady state model, we developed

489 another set of models with an MDD of 75 in which the slab at the trench is ~3 Ma older than the

490 other two sets of models. (Figure 8; Text S1). Our thermal models do not include the effects of

491 fluid circulation within the oceanic crust at shallow depths in the subduction zone or the latent

492 heat of fusion that would affect temperatures if the oceanic crust at the plate top was partially

493 melted. Each of these effects could reduce the slab surface temperatures by ~50 °C (Cozzens et

494 al., 2012). Calculated slab surface temperatures beneath the Mt. Baker-Glacier Peak region,

495 Indian Heaven, central Oregon Cascades (Three Sisters), and the Lassen Region are above the

496 solidi of MORB+H_2O (Schmidt and Poli, 1998; Sisson and Kelemen, 2018), indicating the

497 likelihood of partial melting of the slab top if H_2O is present (Fig. 8). This is consistent with

498 observations in the Lassen segment of the Cascades where both geochemical observations and

499 geodynamic models provide evidence of slab surface temperatures above the wet eclogite solidus

500 at sub-arc depths (Walowski et al., 2015). The resulting hydrous partial melts of the subducted

501 oceanic crust, which are expected to be dacitic in composition (Klimm et al., 2008) would drive

502 partial melting of mantle wedge peridotite to produce hydrous basalts with unique, albeit subtle,

503 geochemical fingerprints (Walowski et al., 2015; 2016). However, because Mount St. Helens is

504 much closer to the trench than other Cascade volcanoes, the estimated range of slab surface

505 temperatures are both below and above the MORB+H_2O (Fig. 8b). This suggests that hydrous

506 slab melting may not occur beneath Mount St. Helens, assuming vertical transport of fluids and

507 melts through the mantle beneath the edifice. This is consistent with seismic studies suggesting

508 the mantle wedge just to the west of Mount St. Helens is relatively cold and dry (Pang et al.,

509 2023). Furthermore, a seismic low-velocity anomaly at 15-30 km depth extending SE from

510 beneath Mount St. Helens to beneath Mt. Hood is interpreted as a deep crustal magma reservoir,

511 suggesting that magmas feeding Mount St. Helens are ultimately derived from the mantle wedge

512 further to the east (Jiang et al., 2023).

513   To determine the effect of slab melt addition to the mantle wedge, we use a similar

514 method as Walowski et al. (2016) to quantify the effects of hydrous melt addition to peridotite

515 (Fig. 9). To do this, we created mantle-wedge source compositions by adding various amounts of

516 a 5% partial melt of Gorda MORB (Davis et al., 2008) to two different mantle compositions.

517 Trace element concentrations in a partial melt of MORB was calculated using partition

518   coefficients for a rutile-bearing eclogite at sub-arc depths (Sisson and Kelemen, 2018). We

519   mixed 2, 5, and 10% of this partial melt with both a depleted MORB mantle composition (Salters

520   and Stracke, 2005) and a primitive mantle composition (Sun and McDonough, 1989). The

521   mixtures were then partially melted by 5, 10, 15, and 20%, consistent with the degrees of partial

522   melting expected in the mantle wedge beneath the Cascades (Figure 9a and b; e.g., Walowski et

523   al., 2016). Although we did not attempt to model the kind of reactive transport mechanism that

524   likely occurs in the mantle wedge, our approach is conceptually similar to that used by

525   experimental petrologists to simulate mantle melting (e.g., Grove et al, 2002), which involves

526   equilibration of a given bulk composition at various temperatures and pressures. Figure 9A

527   shows how most WA Cascades magmas have Sr/Y ratios similar to the southern and central

528   Cascade magmas, consistent with a slab component that includes a partial melt of garnet-bearing

529   eclogite.

530   Recent experimental work by Rustioni et al. (2021) suggests that much of the trace

531   element variability in subduction zone magmas can be explained by differences in the salinity of

532   slab fluids. Their study investigated partitioning of major and trace elements between eclogite

533   (with and without rutile) and aqueous fluids with variable salinity. The experiments indicate that

534   large ion lithophile elements (LILE), light rare earths (LREE), Pb, and U have partition

535   coefficients that increase with increasing salinity, whereas typical high field strength elements,

536   such as Ti, Nb, and Ta, and HREE are not mobilized even at high salinities. Figure 9 C and D

537   also compares WA Cascade melt inclusion compositions to predicted trace element compositions

538   of mantle melts with an added subduction component of variable salinity (1-7%) in equilibrium

539   with both rutile-bearing and rutile-free eclogites, calculated using the "subduction calculator" of

540   Rustioni et al. (2021). Most Cascade Fo_{90} equilibrium compositions have Sr/Y ratios consistent

541   with 5-20% partial melts of a depleted mantle or primitive mantle source to which moderate

542   amounts of a low salinity fluid have been added (Fig. 9a). However, fluid amount and salinity

543   alone cannot explain the highest Sr/Y values. Specifically, slab melt addition is likely required to

544   explain the highest Sr/Y ratios from the Lassen Region and the Glacier Peak CAB. This provides

545   further support that slab melting may not be restricted to the southern Cascades (Walowski et al.,

546   2016; Mullen et al., 2017; Sas et al., 2017). Taken together, for most Cascade melt inclusion

547   compositions, the increase of Cl in fluids results in trace element enrichments that cannot be

548   distinguished from partial slab melts. However, the high slab surface temperatures predicted by

549   geodynamic models (Figure 8) suggest hydrous partial slab melting is possible beneath all

550   Cascade arc segments, and both processes may contribute to magma petrogenesis as they are not

551   mutually exclusive.

552   Because Nb is used here as an important indicator of mantle enrichment, it is important to

553   test how it is affected by subduction component addition. Figure 9b and d show variability in

554   Ba/Nb relative to Nb. Similar to Sr/Y values in figure 9a, most Cascades Arc magmas have

555   Ba/Nb ratios that can either be explained by either hydrous fluids and/or a partial slab melt added

556   to mantle wedge peridotite. However, the model results highlight that variability in Nb is

557   dominantly driven by mantle source composition (enriched vs. depleted) and degree of partial

558   melting. The OIB-type magmas at Mount Saint Helens have the highest Nb concentrations

559   amongst the Cascade arc melt inclusion datasets, which requires a mantle component that is

560   significantly more enriched than primitive mantle or a very small degree of melting (<2%).

561   Although slab eclogite melt addition can lead to ~7 ppm increases in Nb concentrations when

562   added to a primitive mantle composition, the Mount Saint Helens magmas have Nb

563   concentrations that would require a mantle component with even higher Nb. This is consistent

564   with their alkali-rich major element and previously published radiogenic isotope compositions

565   (Wanke et al., 2019).

566   We also compare Th/Yb ratios, which are commonly used as tracers of contributions

567   from a sediment component, to Nb/Yb, which indicates the enriched to depleted character of the

568   mantle wedge, which in turn is largely controlled by extent of previous melting and melt

569   extraction and/or refertilization by mantle melts (Figure 10a; Pearce and Peate, 1995; Iveson et

570   al., 2021). Assuming that the MORB array, which shows a strong correlation between Nb/Yb

571   and Th/Yb, represents a baseline with no slab contributions, the relative enrichment of Th/Yb

572   from this array should represent the relative contribution of various subduction components

573   (Figure 10a). Consistent with the results from Figures 5 and 6, Mount St. Helens basalts (Bu-2

574   and Bu-3) are derived from a mantle source that is very enriched based on Nb/Yb. However,

575   despite having some of the highest Th/Yb values in the WA Cascades dataset presented here,

576   relatively modest deviation from the MORB array indicates that these samples have only a

577   modest amount of a slab component added to their mantle source, similar to most Cascade CABs

578   and LKTs. The CAB from Glacier Peak has a similar Nb/Yb value to the CAB from Indian

579 Heaven, but the CAB from Glacier Peak has a Th/Yb ratio that is a three times higher. This

580 likely indicates that the Glacier Peak sample has a larger proportion of a subduction component.

581 Unlike Sr/Y and Ba/Nb (Figure 9), the Th/Yb ratios for the Glacier Peak CAB and some

582 Lassen region magmas cannot be explained by slab melt addition or slab fluid salinity. Rather,

583 the data trend toward bulk north Cascadia offshore sediment compositions. This is consistent

584 with Mullen et al. (2017), who found that Glacier Peak CABs overlap with the least radiogenic

585 High Cascades data in ^{208}Pb/^{204}Pb vs. Hf/Pb space and therefore record a relatively sediment-

586 dominated bulk subduction component, unique to this region of the Cascades. In contrast,

587 southern WA Cascade samples from Mount St. Helens and Indian Heaven display lower amounts

588 of slab contributions that are best explained by either hydrous slab melts or variably saline fluids

589 added to a mantle peridotite. Interestingly, the unusually high Th/Yb sediment signature is also

590 seen in magmas from the Lassen region but not from central Oregon. Beneath the forearc region

591 of northern WA and northern CA, seismic data indicates the presence of thick ($\sim$10 km),

592 anomalously low shear-wave velocity zones that are interpreted to be "subcreted"

593 metasedimentary material that has been emplaced through successive subcretion events over

594 geologic timescales (Delph et al., 2021). Such material is not present beneath the forearc in

595 southern WA and Oregon because the thick, accreted Siletzia crust forms a backstop extending

596 all the way to the plate interface, preventing deeper sediment subduction. The Th/Yb data

597 suggests that beneath the far northern WA and northern California (Lassen) segments of the arc,

598 some of the thick metasedimentary material is more deeply subducted and entrained back into

599 the mantle, where it can contribute to mantle melting (Hacker et al., 2011).

600 The deviations of H_2O and Cl values from the MORB array (Fig. 7) also support the

601 hypothesis that all WA Cascades magmas, except for the Glacier Peak LKT, contain volatiles

602 contributed by a slab component added to the mantle wedge (Fig. 10b). We show these

603 deviations quantitatively using ΔCl and ΔH_2O, which are the vertical deviations of each of our

604 parental melt compositions from best fit lines to the MORB arrays on Figures 7a and b. The delta

605 parameters allow us to compare the Cl and H_2O deviations from the MORB array in a way that

606 subtracts out the effects of variable mantle source composition. The result shows that most WA

607 Cascade samples require a slab component with Cl/H_2O ratio similar or slightly higher than

608 seawater, similar to the lower end of the range for central Oregon. However, the Glacier Peak

609   CAB sample requires a slab component with lower Cl/H_2O ratio, more similar to Lassen region

610   magmas, consistent with other trace element systematics (e.g., Figures 9 and 10b).

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612   *5.4 Implications for mantle melting beneath the Cascade Arc*

613   The Cascade Arc serves as a natural laboratory to explore petrogenesis in an endmember

614   subduction zone with a hotter-than-average slab geothermal gradient (e.g., van Keken et al.,

615   2011). In the WA Cascades, low whole-rock concentrations of the highly fluid mobile element B

616   led Leeman et al. (2004; 2005) to conclude that magmas were volatile-poor and formed primarily

617   by decompression melting caused by mantle upwelling or convection. Thermobarometry

618   calculations by Leeman et al. (2005; 2020) further suggested that LKT and OIB-like magmas

619   erupted in the WA Cascades last equilibrated with mantle at conditions above the anhydrous

620   peridotite solidus, leading to the interpretation that no slab-derived fluid was involved. However,

621   the results presented here support the interpretation that WA Cascades basaltic magmas,

622   regardless of mantle fertility and type (including LKT and OIB-type), have volatile and trace

623   element compositions that point to contributions from the slab, albeit variable, from small to

624   moderate amounts. Rather than viewing arc magma generation as being wet vs. dry, the data for

625   the Cascades reinforces that melting beneath arcs reflects variations in slab inputs superimposed

626   on heterogeneous mantle compositions and further modulated by spatially variable, upwelling-

627   driven decompression (driven by corner flow, small-scale 3D convection, and/or flow through a

628   slab tear). The relative roles of mantle temperature and H_2O addition (either as fluids or hydrous

629   melts) in driving melting can be shown quantitatively using the relations in Portnyagin et al.

630   (2007). Given low to moderate inputs of slab-derived H_2O beneath many regions of the

631   Cascades, high mantle temperatures and decompression melting are important for driving partial

632   melting, especially for the refractory mantle source regions of LKT.

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634   **6. Conclusions**

635   From this investigation of volatile (H_2O, S, and Cl), major, and trace element

636   compositions of olivine-hosted melt inclusions in relatively primitive basalts (> 6 wt.% MgO)

637   from three volcanic centers in the Washington Cascades (Glacier Peak, Indian Heaven, and

638   Mount St. Helens) we conclude that:

(1) The Washington Cascades sub-arc mantle is remarkably heterogeneous. Trace element ratios span nearly the entire range of arc magmas globally, from high Nb/Zr and OIB-like compositions at Mount St. Helens, to LKTs from Indian Heaven and Glacier Peak that have N-MORB-like Nb/Zr. These mantle heterogeneities are present from the volcano-scale to the arc-scale and highlight the importance of constraining mantle heterogeneity when interpreting slab contributions.

(2) Volatile contributions from the slab are identifiable across the spectrum of different magma types (LKT, CAB, and OIB) present in the WA Cascades. We observe small to moderate H_2O and Cl contributions from the downgoing slab regardless of mantle fertility or depletion.

Additionally, comparison of data with other Cascade arc segments, previous geochemical studies, comparison to experimentally-derived slab component calculators, and comparisons with geodynamic model, we conclude that both fluid salinity variability and partial slab melting, non-uniquely, may contribute to subduction component trace element characteristics of magmas along the entire Cascade Arc. We also find individuality at volcanic centers along the WA Cascades. Mt. Saint Helens magmas have trace element compositions consistent with an enriched mantle source region, although the origins of this enrichment remain unresolved. Despite their proximity to Mount Saint Helens, Indian Heaven magmas are derived from some of the most depleted mantle source regions, and the LKT sample has very low primary H_2O content and no indication of a slab melt component. Glacier Peak magmas are from similarly depleted mantle source regions as the Indian Heaven Volcanic field but have unique subduction components with high Th/Yb, likely bulk sediment related. These high Th/Yb ratios are similar to those found in the Lassen region and may be explained by "subcreted" metasedimentary material, north and south of the boundaries of the Siletzia Terrane. These signatures are not present in the central Oregon and southern Washington Cascades which overly the Siltzia Terrane and may block subcretion of this material in the central portions of the arc. Taken together, the results provide evidence for a complex and important role for materials contributed by the subducting slab in the petrogenesis of magmas beneath the Cascade arc.

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674   Supplementary Data Tables

675   *Table S1:* Primary melt compositions; highest MgO melt inclusions from each suite calculated to

676   be in equilibrium with Fo_{90} olivine using MiMIC (Rasmussen et al., 2020).

677   *Table S2:* Post-entrapment corrected melt inclusion compositions

678   *Table S3:* Petrologic modelling parameters; starting mantle compositions and partition

679   coefficients

680   *Table S4:* Uncorrected major and trace element data for Glacier Peak melt inclusions and host

681   olivine from Shaw (2011)

682   *Table S5:* Uncorrected major and trace element data for MSH and Indian Heaven melt inclusions

683   and host olivine

684   *Supplementary Text*: Explanation of geodynamic modeling methods and parameters

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686   Data Availability Statement

687   The data presented in this study and used model parameters are included in the Supplementary

688   Data Tables and will be made available in the online Zenodo open repository prior to the

689   publication of the manuscript. Measured and uncorrected melt inclusion data for Glacier Peak is

690   already freely available in Western Washington University's repository, CEDAR, within Shaw

691   (2011) https://doi.org/10.25710/6zmb-5625.

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693   Code availability statement

694   The code used to generate the thermal models can be accessed by contacting I. Wada, as the use

695   of the code requires training.

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700 **Figure Captions**

701 **Figure 1:**

702 Regional map of the Northwestern United States showing major tectonic boundaries. The

703 Cascade volcanic arc is defined by the major peaks (black triangles). Black arrows show

704 convergence direction and are labeled with the convergence rate relative to North America.

705 Sample localities interrogated in this study are highlighted by larger symbols with colors used in

706 subsequent figures. Dashed orange lines represent locations of 2-D thermal models presented in

707 figure 8.

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709 **Figure 2:**

710 The SiO_2 (wt.%) vs. K_2O (wt.%) for all samples analyzed in this study. Open symbols represent

711 previously published bulk rock analyses (Korosec, 1989; Taylor, 2001; Clynne et al., 2008;

712 Wanke et al., 2019). Small, filled symbols represent individual melt inclusion compositions

713 corrected for post-entrapment crystallization. Large symbols represent a Fo_{90} equilibrium

714 composition determined for the suite of melt inclusions (see Section 4.2 in text). Low-K, Calc-

715 alkaline, and high-K fields as defined by Gill, (1981).

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717 **Figure 3:** The K_2O (wt.%) vs. H_2O (wt.%), S (ppm), and Cl (ppm) for all samples analyzed in

718 this study. Small, filled symbols represent individual melt inclusion compositions corrected for

719 post-entrapment crystallization. Large symbols represent a Fo_{90} equilibrium composition

720 determined for the suite of melt inclusions (see Section 4.2 in text). Note the difference in y-axis

721 scale for each center.

722

723 **Figure 4:**

724 The Cl/K_2O (wt.%) vs. H_2O (wt.%) for all samples analyzed in this study. Small, filled symbols

725 represent individual melt inclusion compositions corrected for post-entrapment crystallization.

726 Large symbols represent a maximum H_2O and Fo_{90} equilibrium composition determined for the

727 suite of melt inclusions (see Section 4.2 in text). Data from Central Oregon, Lassen region, and

728 Garibaldi belt also represent Fo_{90} equilibrium compositions calculated from a suite of melt

729 inclusions (Ruscitto et al., 2010; Walowski et al., 2016; Venugopal et al., 2020).

730

731 **Figure 5:**

732 The Nb ppm vs. A) Zr ppm, B) Ce ppm, C) Ba ppm, and D) K_2O (wt.%) for all samples analyzed

733 in this study. Open symbols represent previously published bulk rock analyses (REFS). Small

734 filled symbols represent individual melt inclusion compositions corrected for post-entrapment

735 crystallization. Large symbols represent a Fo_{90} equilibrium composition determined for the suite

736 of melt inclusions (see Section 4.2 in text).

737

738 **Figure 6:**

739 The Dy/Yb vs. Nb/Zr for all samples analyzed in this study compared to global compilations of

740 MORB (Gale et al., 2014; LeVoyer et al., 2019), OIB (GEOROC Database compilation, Lehnert

741 et al., 2000), and arc basaltic primary melts based on melt inclusions (Ruscitto et al., 2012).

742 Large symbols represent a Fo_{90} equilibrium composition determined for the suite of melt

743 inclusions (see Section 4.2 in text).

744

745 **Figure 7:**

746 The Nb ppm vs A) H_2O, B) Cl, and C) S for all samples analyzed in this study compared to

747 global compilations of MORB (small blue diamonds; LeVoyer et al., 2019) and arc basalts

748 (small grey circles; Ruscitto et al., 2012). Large colored symbols represent a Fo_{90} equilibrium

749 composition determined for the suite of melt inclusions (see Section 4.2 in text). Data from

750 Central Oregon and Lassen regions also represent Fo_{90} equilibrium compositions calculated from

751 a suite of melt inclusions (Ruscitto et al., 2010; Walowski et al., 2016).

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754 **Figure 8:** Slab surface temperature with increasing depth predicted by 2-D geodynamic models

755 for the a) Glacier Peak - Mount Baker region, b) Mount St. Helens region, c) central Oregon

756 region (Three Sisters) and d) the Lassen region. Heat flow suggests the best estimate for slab

757 temperatures are for MDD of 75 km (red solid line), but uncertainty is captured by additional

758 models that show a slab that is ~3 Ma younger at the trench (dashed blue lines) and one with an

759 MDD of 65 (purple dashed lines). Two MORB + H_2O solidi are from Schmidt and Poli (1998)

760 and Sisson and Kelemen (2018). Grey bars show the approximate depth of the slab beneath main

761 volcanic edifices for each segment based on the slab geometry of McCrory et al. (2012). See text

762 and Supplementary Text for model details.

763

764 **Figure 9:** The Y vs. Sr/Y (panels a and c) and Nb vs. Ba/Nb (panels b and d) for all samples

765 analyzed in this study compared to global compilations of MORB (LeVoyer et al., 2019). Large

766 colored symbols represent a Fo_{90} equilibrium composition determined for the suite of melt

767 inclusions (see Section 4.2 in text). Data from Central Oregon and Lassen regions also represent

768 Fo_{90} equilibrium compositions calculated from a suite of melt inclusions (Ruscitto et al., 2010;

769 Walowski et al., 2016). Panels a) and b) have black and grey solid lines that represent partial

770 melts of either DMM or PM to which partial melts of a rutile-bearing eclogite at sub-arc depths

771 were added. Each line represents partial melt fractions from 5-20% (labeled in panel A), high to

772 low Nb, respectively, in panel b) of each mixture (see section 5.3 in text for additional details).

773 Panels c) and d) show the same data with red dashed modelled curves that represent results of a

774 partial melting model developed by Rustioni et al., (2021) in which brines with variable Cl

775 content (from 1 to 7%, as labeled on the figure) from slabs with and without rutile are added to

776 DMM or PM at 4 GPa to the mantle wedge and the resulting fluxed wedge is partially melted.

777 For each model, we varied percent rutile in the eclogite (X), percent fluid added (Y), and mantle

778 melt fraction (Z) of either DMM (Salters and Stracke, 2005) or PM (Sun and McDonough, 1989)

779 denoted as [X,Y, Z, DMM/PM] in the following: In panel c) percent rutile produces overlapping

780 results such that Model 1 is [0 and 2, 10, 20, DMM], Model 2 is [0 and 2, 10, 20, PM], Model 3

781 is [0 and 2, 5, 10, DMM], Model 4 is [0 and 2, 5, 10, PM], Model 5 is [0 and 2, 5, 2, PM]. In

782 panel d) Model 1A is [0, 10, 20, DMM], Model 1B is [2, 10, 20, DMM], Model 3 is [2, 5, 10,

783 DMM], Model 4A is [0, 5, 10, PM], Model 4B is [2, 5, 10, PM], and Model 5 is [0, 5, 2, PM].

784

785 **Figure 10:**

786 The Nb/Yb vs. Th/Yb (panel a; Pearce and Pete 1995; Iveson et al., 2021) for all samples

787 analyzed in this study compared to MORB (LeVoyer et al. 2019). Large colored symbols

788 represent a Fo_{90} equilibrium composition determined for the suite of melt inclusions (see Section

789 4.2 in text). Data from Central Oregon and Lassen regions also represent Fo_{90} equilibrium

790 compositions calculated from a suite of melt inclusions (Ruscitto et al., 2010; Walowski et al.,

791 2016). Model results as in Figure 9 for slab fluid addition and partial eclogite melt addition to

792 DMM and PM mantle compositions. Panel b) shows the ΔH_2O vs. ΔCl for all samples analyzed

793 in this study compared to global compilations of MORB (small blue diamonds; LeVoyer et al.,

794 2019). Large colored symbols represent a Fo_{90} equilibrium composition determined for the suite

795 of melt inclusions (see Section 4.2 in text). Data from Central Oregon and Lassen regions also

796 represent Fo_{90} equilibrium compositions calculated from a suite of melt inclusions (Ruscitto et

797 al., 2010; Walowski et al., 2016). Delta values for H_2O and Cl are calculated by subtracting

798 individual Fo_{90} melt inclusion compositions from an average MORB value at a given Nb (where

799 average MORB is calculated based on a best fit linear regression of a MORB array of LeVoyer

800 et al. (2019) in Cl vs. Nb and H_2O vs. Nb space, respectively)

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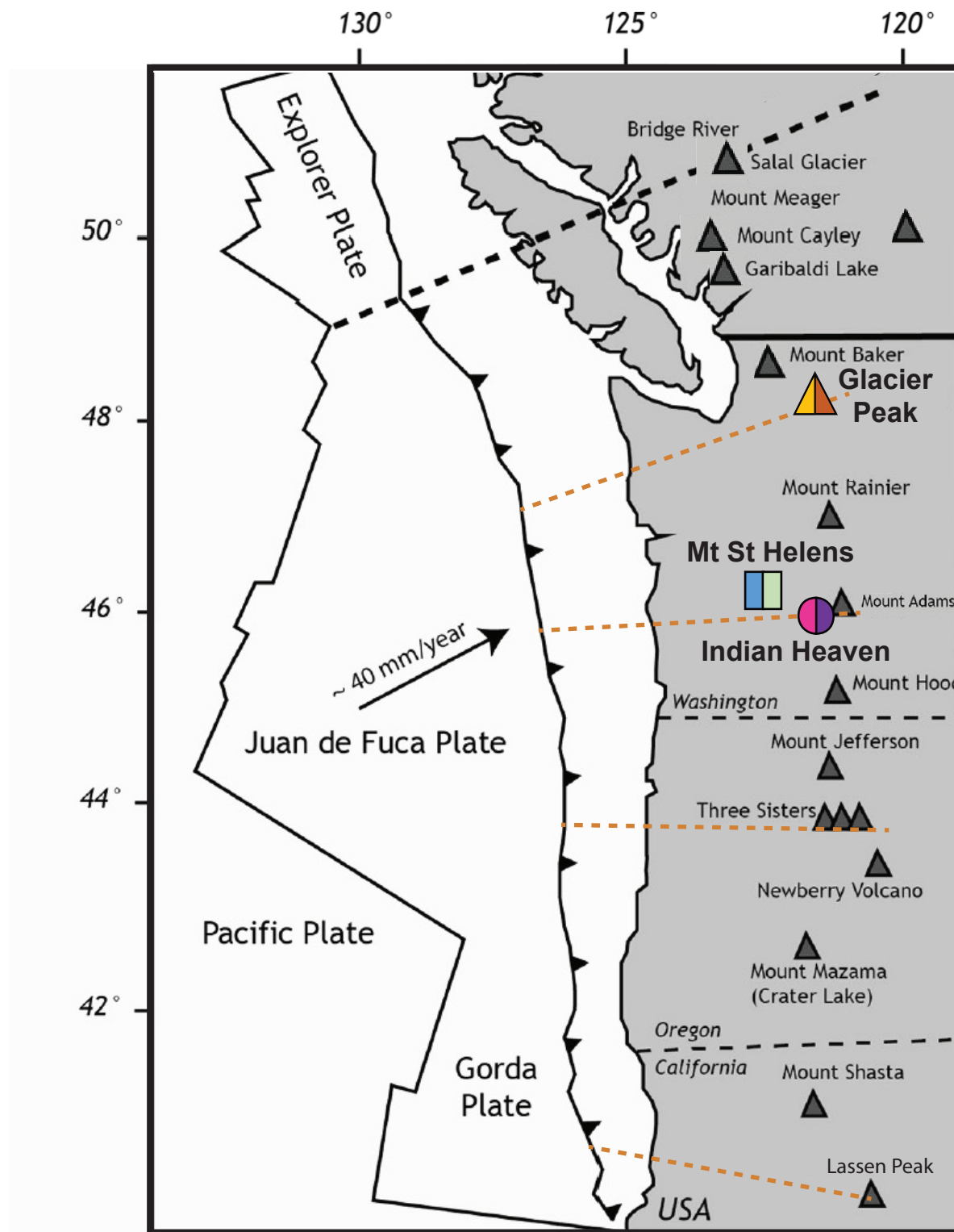
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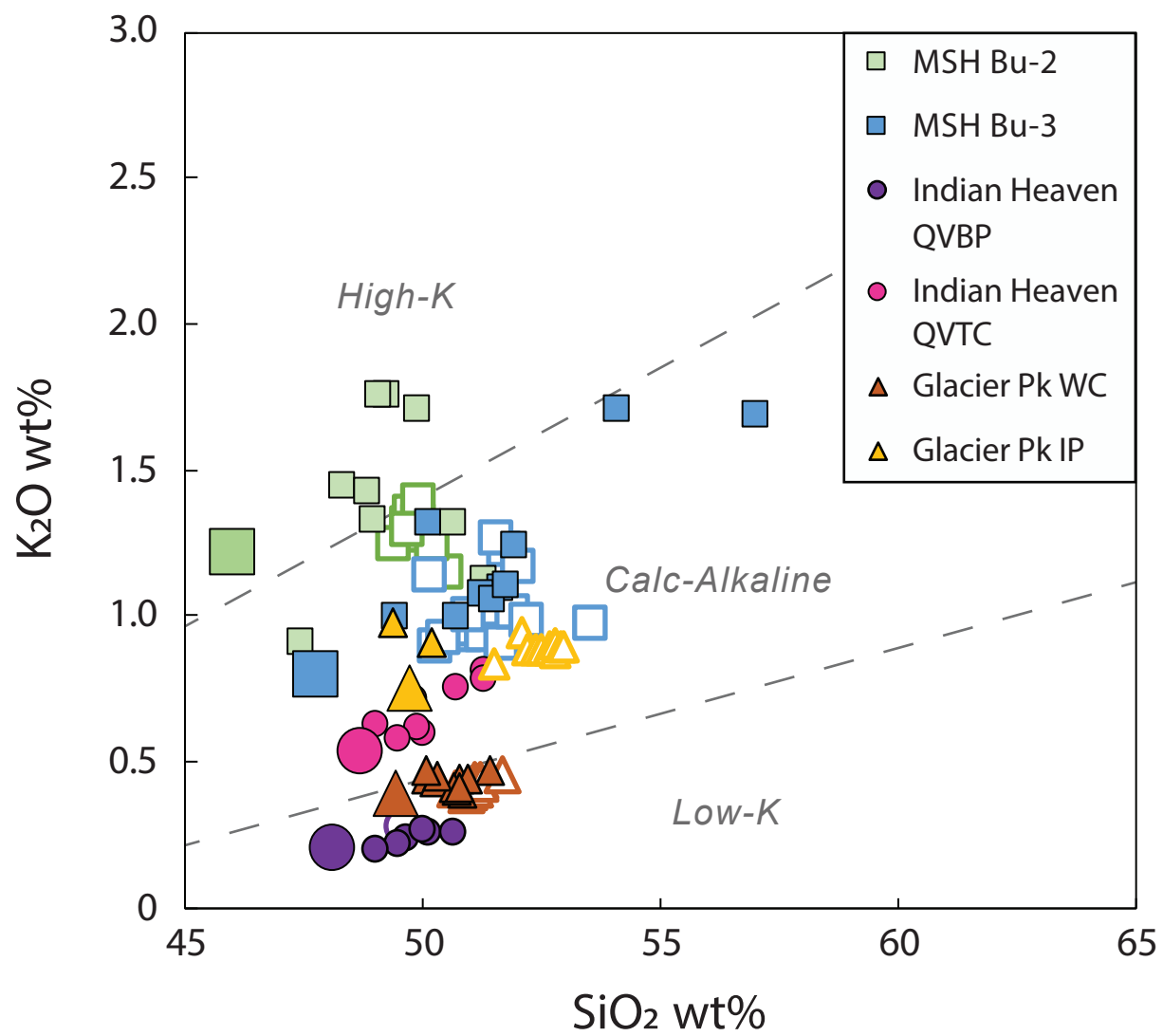
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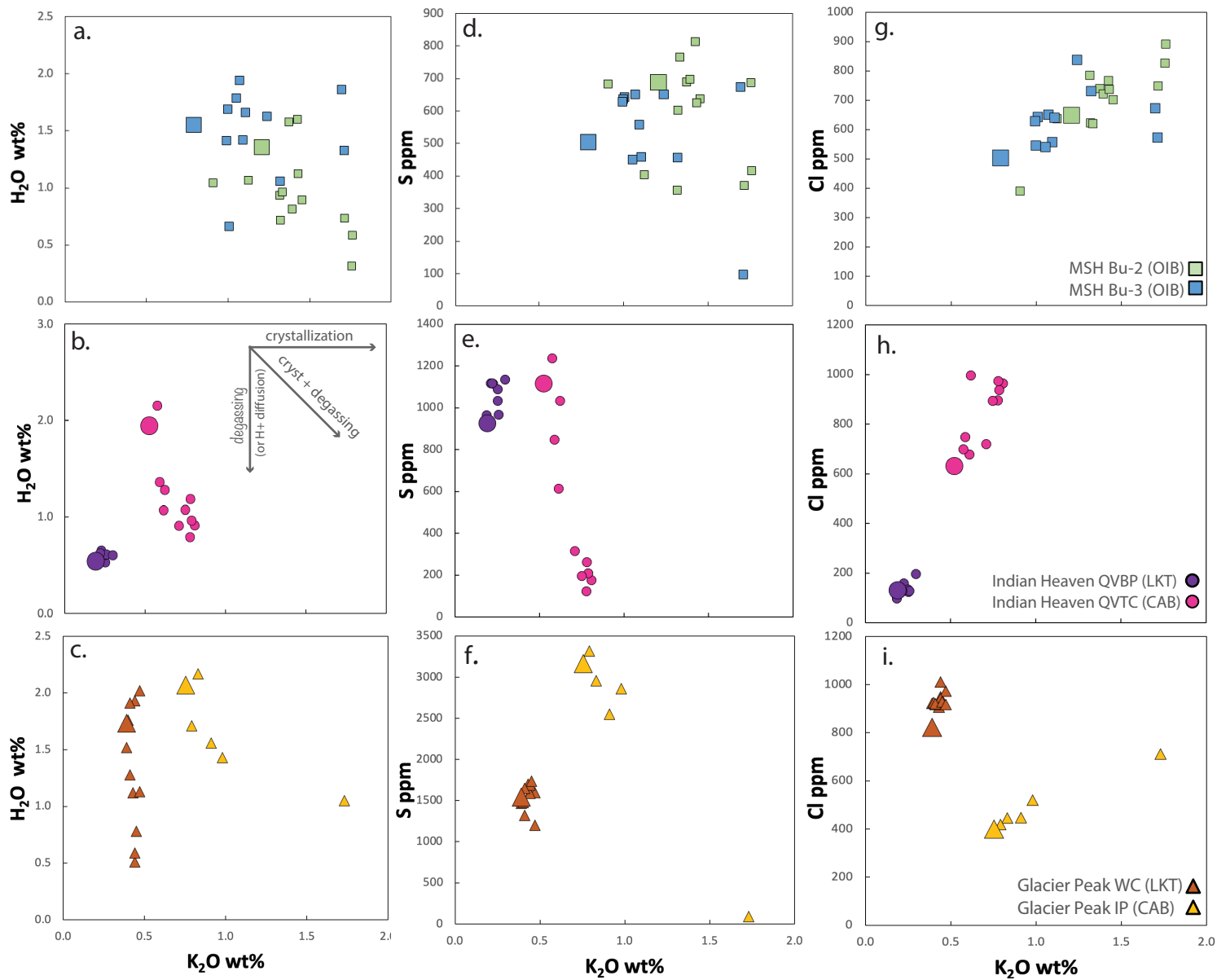
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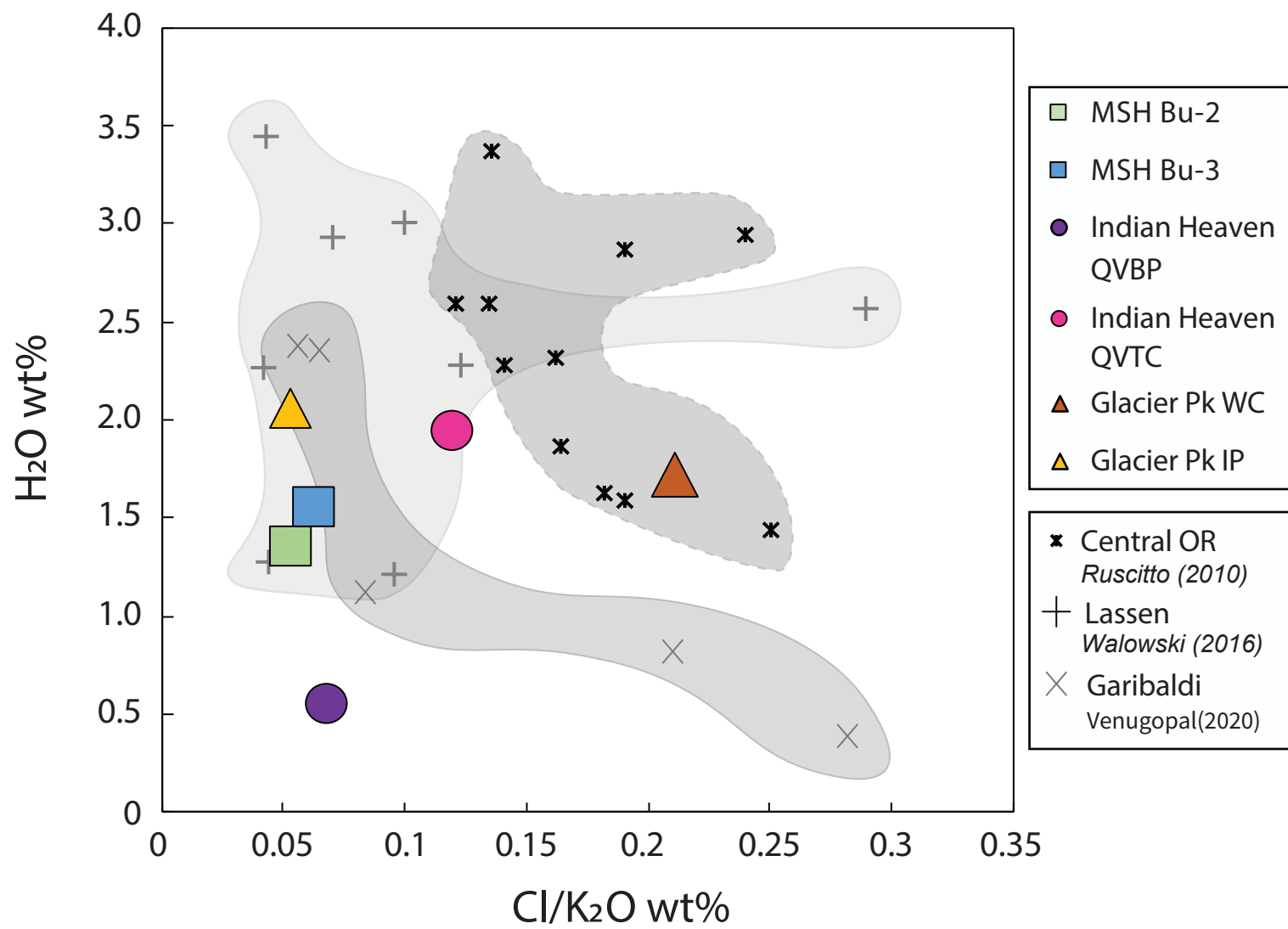
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Figure 6.

Figure 7.

Legend (panel a):
- MSH Bu-2 (OIB)
- MSH Bu-3 (OIB)
- Indian Heaven QVBP (LKT)
- Indian Heaven QVTC (CAB)
- Glacier Pk WC (LKT)
- Glacier Pk IP (CAB)

Legend (panel b):
- Shasta HMA *Ruscitto (2011)*
- Central OR *Ruscitto (2010)*
- Lassen *Walowski (2016)*
- Global Arcs *Ruscitto (2012)*
- MORB *LeVoyer (2019)*

Axis labels: H₂O wt%, Cl ppm, S ppm (y-axes); Nb ppm (x-axis)

Figure 8.

Figure 9.

Figure 10.

a.

N. Cascadia
Sediment

Th/Yb

2.5

2.0

1.5

1.0

0.5

0

10%

5

3

2B

2A

1B

Nb/Yb

0   5   10   15   20

b.

ΔCl ppm

4.0

3.0

2.0

1.0

0

seawater

ΔH₂O wt%

0   1   2   3   4

MSH Bu-2 (OIB)

MSH Bu-3 (OIB)

Indian Heaven
QVBP (LKT)

Indian Heaven
QVTC (CAB)

Glacier Pk WC (LKT)

Glacier Pk IP (CAB)

Central OR
Ruscitto (2010)

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N. Cascade Seds
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