

Detailed Characterization of Lubricant-Derived Ash-Related Species in Diesel Exhaust and Aftertreatment Systems

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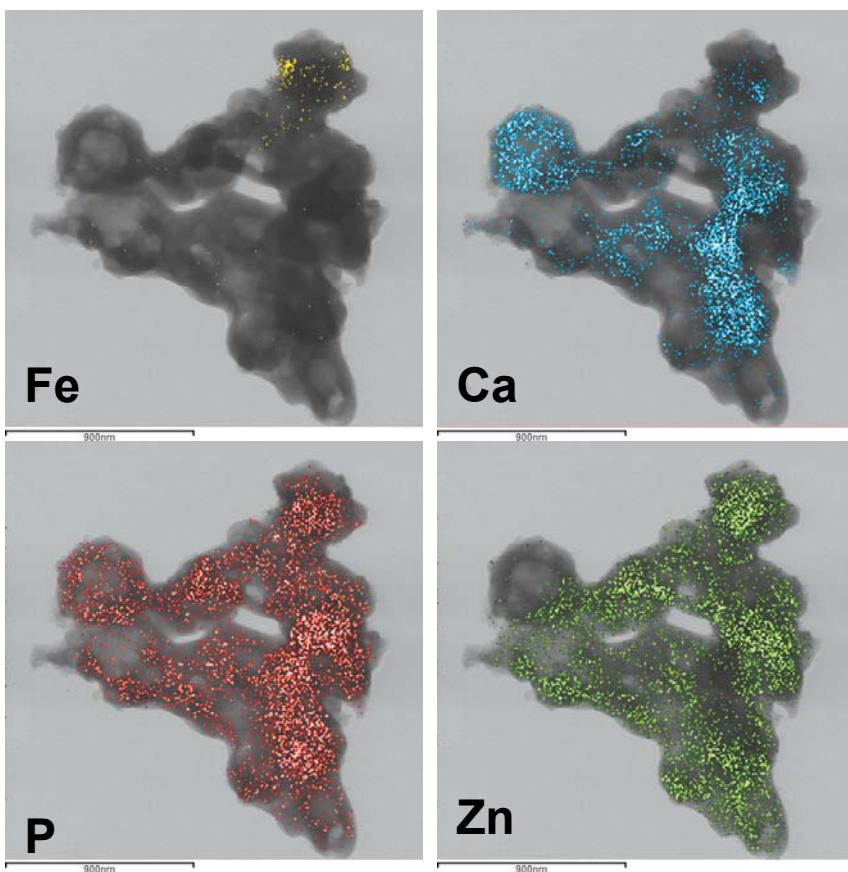
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Ash-Related Species Characterization

OBJECTIVE: Chemical and physical characterization of ash-related compounds (S,P, metallic), their sources, and fate through diesel exhaust and aftertreatment systems.

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Ash Elemental Mapping via STEM

2002 Cummins ISB 300 with DPF



Measurements and Analysis

1. **Sulfur Accounting**
Gaseous SO₂ vs. Sulfates
2. **Particulate Phase (PM)**
STEM, SEM-EDS, ICP, XRF, TGA
3. **Ash**
STEM, HR-TEM, SEM

