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- P) Graphene

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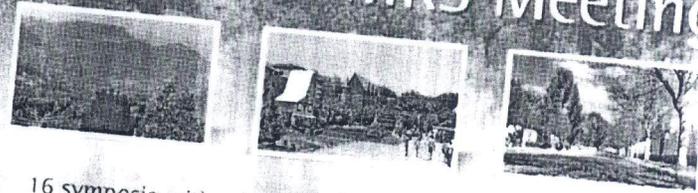
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April, 5th - Registrations open
May, 30th - Submissions deadline
June, 13th - Acceptance

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The Effect of Crystal Growth by Oriented Attachment in TiO₂ Photoluminescence

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Photoluminescence spectroscopy is an important tool to study electronic features of semiconductor oxides. In this way, the purpose of this work was to relate photoluminescence features with oxide anisotropy, study by HRTEM. The oxides were synthesized by OPM². Photoluminescence spectra of the samples were obtained in diluted suspensions. There weren't remarkable difference between the spectra related to the band positions. The main difference between them was the spectra intensity. The intensity of photoluminescence in experiment like that is directly related to the presence of lattice defects. HRTEM images of the samples were obtained to understand the different intensity. Samples which showed anisotropy growth, related to the oriented attachment mechanism, showed the less intense spectra. It was due the presence of crystalline defects, as detected using HRTEM. It is an important feature of the system, since these defects can act as recombination center during a process of UV irradiation and photocatalysis².

Keywords: TiO₂, Photoluminescence spectroscopy, Lattice defects, Photocatalysis

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