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Abstract

Utilizing microstructures of Cl-bearing biotite in pelitic and felsic metamorphic rocks, the timing 25 of Cl-rich fluid infiltration is correlated with the pressure-temperature-time $(P-T-t)$ path of upper amphibolite- to granulite-facies metamorphic rocks from Perlebandet, Sør Rondane Mountains 27 (SRM), East Antarctica. Microstructural observation indicates that the stable Al_2SiO_5 polymorph changed from sillimanite to kyanite + andalusite + sillimanite, and P-T estimates from 29 geothermobarometry point to a counterclockwise P-T path characteristic of the SW terrane of the SRM. In situ laser ablation inductively coupled plasma mass spectrometry for U-Pb dating of zircon inclusions in garnet yielded ca. 580 Ma, likely representing the age of garnet-forming metamorphism at Perlebandet. Inclusion-host relationships among garnet, sillimanite, and Cl-rich biotite (Cl > 0.4 wt%) reveal that formation of Cl-rich biotite took place during prograde metamorphism in the sillimanite stability 35 field. This process probably predated partial melting consuming biotite (Cl = 0.1 - 0.3 wt%). This was

36 followed by retrograde, moderately Cl-bearing biotite (Cl = 0.1 -0.3 wt%) replacing garnet. Similar

This study aims to correlate the reconstructed P-T-t path with partial melting and Cl-rich fluid

limited tectonic significance by Osanai et al. (2013). However, Ruppel et al. (2015) interpreted it to be a large-scale late Pan-African strike-slip structure of ca. 560-530 Ma, representing an important lithotectonic boundary separating East African affinities from 'Indo-Antarctic' Rayner-age affinities 112 presumably close to the eastern margin of the EAAO (Ruppel et al., 2015).

The SRM is also interpreted to be a part of the hanging wall of a mega-nappe complex which formed through continental collision between northern and southern Gondwana during the Kuunga Orogeny at 580–540 Ma (Grantham et al., 2008; 2013), as supported by the data from part of the NE terrane (Balchenfjella and Austhameren; Fig. 1b).

In the SRM, Cl-rich biotite, apatite and hornblende have been described in felsic and mafic gneisses along the large scale shear zones and tectonic boundaries which extend over 200 km (Higashino et al., 2013a; 2013b; 2015a; Fig. 1b). In eastern SRM (Balchenfjella; Fig. 1b), Cl-rich biotite and apatite in pelitic gneisses have been interpreted to have resulted from interaction with a 121 Cl-rich fluid or melt that was present at near peak metamorphic condition of ca. 0.8 GPa and 800 °C (Higashino et al., 2013a). In the central SRM (Brattnipene; Fig. 1b), Cl-rich hornblende and biotite are formed along garnet-hornblende veins, and 'diffusion-like' profiles of Cl content in hornblende and biotite decreasing from the vein towards the wall rock are observed (Higashino et al., 2015b). Mass balance analysis revealed that elements mobile in brines rather than in melts were added to the wall rock, suggesting that brine infiltration produced the garnet-hornblende veins in Brattnipene

(Higashino et al., 2015b).

Perlebandet

Perlebandet is one of the westernmost nunataks in the SRM, where granulite facies layered gneisses are exposed (Fig. 1c). It is a key area to constrain the location of the MTB, and has been considered to belong to the NE terrane (Osanai et al., 2013) in the lack of detailed information of P-T path of this area. However, Perlebandet is interpreted to be part of the SW terrane on the basis of 141 magnetic surveys (Mieth et al., 2014).

The main lithologies observed in Perlebandet are garnet-biotite (Grt-Bt) gneiss,

- garnet-sillimanite-biotite (Grt-Sil-Bt) gneiss, hornblende-biotite gneiss, marble and skarns, pyroxene
- granulite, and orthopyroxene-bearing amphibolite (Fig. 1c; Shiraishi et al., 1997). Previous SHRIMP

Analytical methods

Quantitative analysis of rock-forming minerals and X-ray elemental mapping of thin section

Plasma II HR-MC-ICPMS coupled to a NWR femtosecond laser-ablation system. Backscattered

Garnet-sillimanite-biotite gneiss (samples 2602D and 3001H)

In sample 3001H, some sillimanite grains contain inclusions of green spinel. Biotite in this

217 sample has very low Cl content (Cl < 0.03 wt.%, $X_{Mg} = 0.42{\text -}0.49$) irrespective of its mode of 218 occurrence. Garnet is replaced by biotite (Cl < 0.02 wt.%) and plagioclase (An16-18) at the rim (X_{Mg} = 219 0.10-0.12). Matrix sillimanite rarely includes rutile ($Zr = 1473-1636$ ppm). Rutile in the matrix has a 220 Zr content of 1125-2162 ppm (average = 1712 ppm; 15 points).

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222 Strongly retrogressed garnet-sillimanite-biotite gneiss (sample 3001G)

223 This is a folded, pelitic gneiss with sillimanite porphyroblasts (ca. 1cm in length). The matrix of 224 this gneiss mainly consists of biotite, garnet, sillimanite, K-feldspar, plagioclase (An26-31), quartz 225 and retrograde andalusite, kyanite, sillimanite and muscovite (Fig. 2b-n). K-feldspar is especially 226 abundant in the matrix (Fig. 2e-f). Accessory minerals are ilmenite, zircon, monazite and rare rutile. 227 Ti-oxide minerals are mostly ilmenite in the matrix, but rare rutile $(Zr = 874-1273$ ppm; average of 15 228 points = 1139 ppm) is preserved as inclusions in garnet (Fig. 20) and in K-feldspar. Myrmekite is also 229 present in the matrix. Garnet in this sample is strongly replaced mainly by biotite, plagioclase, 230 andalusite, kyanite, and sillimanite (Fig. 2e-n). 231 Sillimanite is the only Al_2SiO_5 mineral included in garnet. Prismatic sillimanite porphyroblast in 232 the matrix has an inclusion-poor core and inclusion-rich rim (Fig. 2b, c). Sillimanite porphyroblasts up 233 to 1 cm in diameter show numerous subgrains and often includes smaller prismatic sillimanite with 234 crystallographic orientations different from that of the host sillimanite (Fig. 2c). The core of

fine-grained kyanite because kyanite is more luminescent than sillimanite (moderately bright) and

- andalusite (dark) (Fig. 2g-j). Zn-bearing spinel is also found as inclusions in some kyanite grains.
- 273 The composition of Zn-bearing spinel included in all A_2SiO_5 polymorphs and garnet varies from
- 274 ZnO = 4.0-5.0 wt.% and $X_{Mg} = 0.28$ to ZnO = 11-13 wt.% and $X_{Mg} = 0.18$.
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- Garnet-biotite gneiss (sample 3001B)

This gneiss mainly consists of garnet, biotite, quartz, plagioclase and K-feldspar, with accessory zircon, ilmenite, fluorapatite and minor sulfide (Fig. 4a-c). Myrmekite is present in the matrix. Biotite 279 included in garnet (Fig. 4a-c) shows high $TiO₂$ (3.5-7.3 wt.%) and moderate Cl (mostly 0.20-0.34 280 wt.%) contents and high X_{Mg} (~ 0.6) (Fig. 3c, d). Biotite in the matrix (Fig. 4a-c) has moderate TiO₂ 281 (3.3-4.5 wt.%) and Cl (0.11-0.25 wt.%) contents and X_{Mg} of \sim 0.4 (Fig. 3c, d; Table 1). Retrograde 282 biotite next to garnet, and crack-filling biotite in garnet (Fig. 4a-c) both show lower Cl contents below 0.21 wt.% (Fig. 3c, d). Some of the matrix biotite and retrograde biotites (in biotite-plagioclase intergrowths and retrograde biotite next to garnet) share the same chemical characteristics of having 285 low TiO₂ and Cl contents and low X_{Mg} (Fig. 3c, d).

Garnet-biotite gneiss (sample 2601C)

This gneiss mainly consists of garnet, biotite, K-feldspar, quartz and plagioclase (Fig. 4d-f).

K-feldspar is abundant, and randomly-oriented secondary muscovite is present in the matrix. Accessory minerals are zircon, ilmenite and fluorapatite. Minor sulfide is included in garnet and minor myrmekite is locally present in the matrix. This sample has the most Fe-rich whole-rock composition 292 among the samples studied as suggested by the Fe-rich composition of mafic minerals $(X_{Mg}$ of biotite 293 and garnet = 0.06 -0.22; Table 1). Separate biotite grains in the matrix (Fig. 4d-f) show the highest Cl 294 contents (0.61-0.68 wt.%) and the highest X_{Mg} (\sim 0.2) in this sample (Figs. 3e, 3f and 4d-f). Biotite 295 replacing garnet rim as biotite-plagioclase intergrowths (Fig. 4d-f) also show high X_{Mg} (~ 0.2) and moderate to high Cl content (0.32-0.41 wt.%) (Fig. 3e, f). It shares the same chemical characteristics 297 as retrograde biotite near garnet. Crack-filling biotite in garnet (Fig. 4d-f) shows the lowest X_{Mg} and Cl 298 contents (Fig. 3e, f). No systematic variation in $TiO₂$ content (2.2-3.8 wt.%) is observed among different biotite types in this sample (Fig. 3e, f).

LA-ICPMS U-Pb zircon dating

Zircon is commonly oval-shaped, and the diameter of zircon reported below represents the length of the shorter axis. Weighted mean and lower intercept ages given below are at 95% confidence level. 304 Unless specified, ages reported below refer to ²⁰⁶Pb/²³⁸U results. A summary of the results of LA-ICPMS U-Pb zircon dating is given in Supplementary Table 2.

Sample 3001G

Zircon in the matrix is commonly shorter than 100 μm in diameter, and shows oscillatory zoning (Fig. 5a-h). Analyses gave concordant U-Pb ages of ca. 1200-1100 Ma, 950-900 Ma, 750-700 Ma and 650-550 Ma. Ages older than 700 Ma are in most cases obtained from zircon cores, and the youngest ages of ca. 580 Ma are in most cases obtained from rims. Ages older than 900 Ma tend to have high Th/U ratios from 0.20 up to 1.1, while the younger age domains (750-550 Ma) give low Th/U ratios below 0.20 (Figs. 5a-h and 6a; Table 2). The weighted mean U-Pb age of zircon rims from matrix 314 grains is 581 \pm 10 Ma (n = 5, mean square of weighted deviates (MSWD) = 1.3, probability = 0.28). Zircon included in garnet is commonly about 50 μm in diameter, and tends to have oscillatory zoned cores with bright- and dark-CL zones (Th/U = 0.01-0.40, mostly around 0.25), discordantly overgrown by dark-CL rims (Th/U = 0.01-0.03) (Fig. 5e, h). The lower intercept age for selected rim 318 analyses of zircon included in garnet is 578 \pm 9 Ma (n = 6, MSWD = 1.3, probability = 0.28), and Th/U ratios of these zircon rims with concordant ages are 0.04-0.07. Rim and mantle of a zircon grain 320 included in the inclusion-rich rim of a sillimanite porphyroblast yielded 575 ± 13 Ma (n = 2, Th/U = 0.04-0.09) (Fig. 5g). 322 Zircon in the garnet breakdown microstructure of Cl-poor Bt + Ms \pm And shows similar zoning to zircon included in garnet (Fig. 5a-d). The weighted mean U-Pb age of zircon rims (and mantles with

324 similar age) in such microstructure is 573 ± 5 Ma (n = 9, MSWD = 0.83, probability = 0.57).

Sample 3001B Zircon in the matrix and zircon inclusions in garnet are commonly 30-70 μm in diameter, and shares similar microstructural features. The inherited core and mantle of zircon show oscillatory zoning under CL and BSE images, which are discordantly overgrown by relatively bright-CL rim (Figs. 5i-l, 6b). Zircon in this sample yielded concordant U-Pb ages of 850-700 Ma and 630-550 Ma 331 (Fig. 6b). The youngest rim age from matrix zircon is 551 ± 14 Ma. Cores and rims of zircon included 332 in garnet gave 758-585 Ma. Among them, the weighted mean of rims is 596 ± 7 Ma (n = 4, MSWD = 333 0.74, probability = 0.53). Both in the matrix zircon and inclusion zircon in garnet, domains of ca. 600 Ma commonly correspond to the bright-CL rim, and show high Th/U ratios up to 1.6 (Fig. 5i, j). However, some dark-CL parts with ca. 600 Ma age show relatively low Th/U ratios (0.05-0.38) (Fig. 5k). Sample 2601C Zircon in the matrix and included in garnet are commonly 60-100 μm and 20-70 μm in diameter, 340 respectively (Fig. 5m-t). They share the same microstructural characteristics. The cores of zircon are oscillatory zoned and bright under CL image, or unzoned and dark (Fig. 5m-t). Several-μm to ca. 10

μm thick, bright-CL rims are commonly developed (Fig. 5m-t except for 5o). The oscillatory zoned

presence of sillimanite $+ K$ -feldspar in the matrix suggest that peak metamorphic conditions exceeded

reaction (1)

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363 \t\t\t Ms + Ab + Qtz \rightarrow Sil + Kfs + H2O or melt.
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 (1)

- which was responsible for the formation of the core of sillimanite porphyroblasts in sample 3001G.
- Sillimanite inclusions are abundant in garnet cores of samples 2602D and 3001H, and K-feldspar
- is also abundant in the matrix. Sillimanite in the matrix of sample 3001G is partly to completely
- overgrown by garnet (Fig. 2b-d), and some of the garnet overgrowths include Zn-bearing spinel grains
- (Fig. 2b-d), suggesting consumption of the sillimanite rims that are hosting spinel to form garnet with
- $X_{\text{Mg}} = 0.10$ -0.20 (Fig. 7). Garnet with kyanite or andalusite inclusions is not seen in all studied
- samples. These are consistent with the progress of reaction (Fig. 7)
- Sil + Bt + Qtz \rightarrow Grt + Kfs + melt. (2)

372 The absence of cordierite in all garnet-bearing felsic gneiss samples suggests that the P-T conditions

did not exceed the reaction

Bt + Sil +Qtz Grt + Crd + Kfs + melt. (3)

Garnet, plagioclase, biotite and rare quartz are included in the inclusion-rich rim of a sillimanite 376 porphyroblast in sample 3001G (Fig. 2b-d). The composition of biotite and garnet separately included in sillimanite (Table 1) are most likely to preserve compositions of entrapment, because sillimanite would hinder Fe-Mg exchange reactions between garnet and biotite after entrapment. Therefore,

397 geobarometry (Holdaway, 2001) are ca. 768-840 $^{\circ}$ C and 0.8-1.0 GPa. The Grt-Bt geothermometry is 398 considered less reliable than the Zr-in-rutile thermometry in this case, because the X_{Mg} of matrix 399 biotite or inclusion biotite in garnet is more susceptible to retrograde re-equilibrium compared to rutile 400 included in sillimanite. The peak $P-T$ conditions above are consistent with those of reaction (2) for 401 garnet with composition of $X_{Mg}^{Grt} \sim 0.40$, higher than that observed at the sillimanite-bearing garnet 402 core (Table 1; Fig. 7), implying a modification of X_{Mg} of garnet during retrograde metamorphism. 403 Sample 3001G, affected by the low-P retrograde overprint, also preserves rutile as inclusions in 404 garnet and K-feldspar or rarely in the matrix (Fig. 20). The Zr-in-rutile thermometry gives temperature 405 estimates (743-780 °C assuming 1.0 GPa) almost consistent with those of samples 2602D and 3001H. 406 This observation strongly supports that sample 3001G shared the same peak P-T conditions as other 407 samples before the low-P retrograde overprint. 408 409 2. Retrograde metamorphic conditions and proposed P-T path 410 In sample 3001G, peak garnet is commonly replaced by three Al_2SiO_5 polymorphs (Fig. 2i-j, m-n). 411 It is difficult to define the sequence of andalusite and kyanite formation from their microtextures (Fig. 412 2g-j, m-n). Some sillimanite grains surrounding retrogressed garnet and including Zn-bearing spinel 413 grains in sample 3001G (Fig. 2i) may have been originally included in garnet and survived the garnet 414 breakdown reactions, because Zn-bearing spinel inclusions are the typical feature for prograde

Utilizing the composition of garnet rims and biotite and plagioclase in the intergrowth, and applying

Garnet rims are also locally replaced by the intergrowth of biotite and plagioclase in all samples.

448 Timings of Cl-bearing fluid infiltration and relationship with partial melting

- 449 The presence of Cl-rich biotite has been considered as evidence for the presence of brines (e.g.,
- 450 Newton et al., 1998; Manning and Aranovich, 2014; Safonov et al. 2014). Although the $f(H_2O)/f(HCl)$

(d) Subsolidus Cl-rich fluid infiltration occurred (e.g., Newton et al., 1998; 2014; Higashino et

469 al., 2015b).

470 (e) Infiltration of Cl-rich fluid triggered anatexis, and preferential partitioning of H_2O into the 471 melt resulted in enrichment of Cl in the fluid (e.g., Aranovich et al., 2013; Safonov et al., 472 2014).

473 Cases (a)-(c) assume closed system behavior of Cl, and (d)-(e) assume open system behavior of Cl. 474 Case (b) plays an important role if the partition coefficient of Cl between granitic melt and biotite is 475 greater than 1. Based on experiments at 0.2 GPa, D_{Cl} (biotite/melt) is estimated to be ~1 to 6 476 (Icenhower and London, 1997). Recently, Safonov et al. (2014) performed a melting experiment of a 477 biotite-amphibole gneiss with $H_2O-CO_2-(K, Na)Cl$ fluids at 0.55 GPa and 750-800 °C. Their 478 compositional data of coexisting biotite (X_{Mg} = 0.43-0.57) and melt imply that Cl is preferentially 479 incorporated in the melt rather than in biotite, that is, D_{Cl} (biotite/melt) is less than 1 at 0.55 GPa and 800 °C. Therefore, the behavior of Cl under middle crustal depths can be different from that in shallow 481 levels of the crust, and if this is the case, case (b) alone is not likely a strong process to elevate Cl 482 content in biotite, at least for samples 3001B and 3001G having X_{Mg} values of biotite (X_{Mg} = 483 0.40-0.64; Table 1) similar to the experiment of Safonov et al (2014). 484 Sample 3001G preserves Cl-rich biotite (~ 0.4 wt.%) as inclusions in garnet. Biotite inclusions in 485 garnet tend to re-equilibrate and change X_{Mg} on cooling, while preserving their original halogen

486 content. Biotite was already Cl-rich prior to the garnet-formation by reaction (2), because moderately

took place prior to the dehydration melting reaction (2),

fluid-present melting and dehydration melting reactions take place in relatively small temperature intervals. However, observed mineral compositions and sequences of reactions are mostly consistent with the P-T diagram constructed under the scheme of dehydration melting (Fig. 7). This might suggest that fluid-present melting occurred in the Perlebandet rocks only at the onset of the prograde partial melting process, and the subsequent melting occurred through dehydration melting reactions. In sample 3001G, matrix biotite as a remnant of reaction (2) was presumably once Cl-rich. Compositional similarity between matrix biotite and microstructurally secondary biotite (Fig. 3) suggests that moderately Cl-bearing matrix biotite is a result of recrystallization of former Cl-rich biotite, re-equilibrated with retrograde fluids possibly released from the crystallizing melt. Using the 532 P-T conditions of retrograde metamorphism, $log[f(H_2O)/f(HCl)]$ of the retrograde fluid can be estimated as 4.2-4.3, with an average of 4.3 (Table 1).

The age of metamorphism and Cl-rich fluid infiltration

In sample 3001G, rims of matrix zircon and inclusion zircon in garnet and sillimanite all yielded U-Pb ages of 580-575 Ma. Most of these zircon rims show Th/U ratios below 0.1 (Fig. 6d), typical for metamorphic zircon (e.g., Rubatto, 2002). The garnet-forming reaction was probably partial melting reaction (2). Therefore, garnet-forming, sillimanite-grade metamorphism is likely to have occurred at or after ca. 580 Ma, together with the Cl-rich fluid infiltration. Moderately Cl-bearing biotite replacing garnet suggests that Cl-bearing aqueous fluid was present during retrograde garnet breakdown. The 542 weighted mean U-Pb age of rims of zircon found in the microstructure of garnet replaced by $A\frac{1}{2}SiO_5$ 543 minerals and biotite is 573 ± 5 Ma. The similarity of this age with zircon rims included in garnet implies that the retrogression took place soon after the peak metamorphism, or zircon was inert during

the retrograde breakdown of garnet.

Samples 3001B and 2601C both give constraints that are consistent with the above scenario. For 547 sample 3001B, the formation of garnet and moderately Cl-bearing biotite included in it (Fig. 3e, f) was 548 presumably at 596 \pm 7 Ma or younger. The fluid at retrograde stage shows log[f(H₂O)/f(HCl)] value of 4.0-5.0, with an average of 4.5 (Table 1). For sample 2601C, garnet growth would predate or coincide 550 with 583 \pm 6 Ma. Low Th/U zircon rims (Fig. 6d) supports this to be the metamorphic age. Markedly high Cl concentration of isolated matrix biotite in this sample (Cl > 0.61 wt.%) reflects Mg-Cl avoidance, in addition to the Cl-rich nature of the coexisted fluid, since biotite in this sample is 553 Fe-richer than other samples (Fig. 3). The $log[f(H_2O)/f(HCl)]$ of the near-peak to retrograde fluid is calculated as 3.5-4.2, with an average of 3.9 (Table 1). To summarize, the timing of garnet-forming prograde metamorphism in Perlebandet is estimated

- to be ca. 580 Ma or younger. Since biotite was already enriched in Cl before the onset of reaction (2),
- the formation of highly to moderately Cl-bearing biotite in samples 3001G and 3001B took place
- before or at ca. 580 Ma during prograde metamorphism. Taking into account that estimated prograde

 log[f(H₂O)/f(HCl)] and log[f(H₂O)/f(HF)] of fluid are almost the same among the samples studied, it is likely that external Cl-bearing fluid infiltration occurred, prior to or simultaneously with the sillimanite-forming reaction. On the other hand, the presence of a retrograde, Cl-bearing fluid with log[$f(H₂O)/f(HCl)$] = 4.0-5.0 (with one exception of 3.5) is detected from three samples. This probably 563 lasted until ca. 550 Ma. During the retrograde decompression, $\log(f(H_2O)/f(HCl))$ of fluids increased slightly or was almost constant (Table 1; Fig. 7). At the outcrop scale, fluid pathways may be localized (e.g., Aranovich et al., 2010; Dubinina et al., 2015; Kusebauch et al., 2015). This is also suggested in the SRM by localized distribution of post-peak Cl-rich veins in the outcrop scale in Brattnipene (Fig. 1b; Higashino et al., 2015b). The localized distribution of prograde Cl-bearing biotite in Perlebandet shows that Cl-bearing fluid pathways may be localized during prograde metamorphism as well, but obscured by later ductile deformation.

Comparison with other areas of the SRM

573 The P-T-t conditions of Cl-rich aqueous fluid infiltration in the SRM have been previously determined from two other localities; the eastern part (Balchenfjella; Higashino et al., 2013a) and the central part (Brattnipene; Higashino et al., 2015a) (Fig. 1b). In Balchenfjella, the P-T conditions of 576 Cl-rich biotite and apatite entrapment in the garnet rim are estimated to be ca. 800° C and 0.80 GPa at

large-scale shear zones and detachments both in felsic and mafic gneisses (Fig. 1b; Higashino et al., 2015a). The distribution of Cl-rich minerals corresponds with the boundaries of magnetic anomaly domains of Mieth et al. (2014). This trend may be obscured by a possible granite intrusion near Perlebandet that is inferred to be the source of a high-magnetic anomaly (Mieth et al., 2014), but ignoring the possible effect of this granite intrusion, Perlebandet is also located along the boundaries of magnetic anomaly domains which corresponds to the major tectonic boundaries (e.g., Mieth et al. 2014). These suggest that the input of Cl in the SRM including Perlebandet is probably external, possibly as Cl-rich fluid infiltration channeled along the tectonic boundaries (e.g., Glassley et al., 2010) during prograde metamorphism. One occurrence of Cl-rich biotite in Brattnipene is at a major shear zone containing peridotite and pyroxenite lenses (Fig. 1b; location 4 of Higashino et al. 2013), 605 supporting this idea. Because Perlebandet and Brattnipene share the counterclockwise $P-T$ paths, they should both belong to the footwall side of the MTB based on the tectonic model by Osanai et al. (2013) (Fig. 8). Therefore, the Cl-rich fluid infiltration presumably took place at the uppermost part of the footwall of the MTB (Fig. 8). Based on this tectonic constraint, there are several candidates for the origin of the Cl-rich fluids. Because the Mozambique Ocean is considered to have been located between the NE and SW terranes of the SRM before collision (Otsuji et al., 2016), sea water introduced into the depth and fluids

released from the mantle are the likely candidates, and should be examined in future studies. High Cl

613 content in biotite, hornblende and apatite is a measure of low $log[f(H_2O)/f(HCl)]$ of fluids, implying that the origin of Cl-rich fluids in the SRM can be also related to the magmatic activity during collision. Multiple episodes of zircon growth within single orthogneissic samples from the NE terrane with ages from ca. 630 Ma to ca. 535 Ma described by Grantham et al. (2013) and the result of this study from the SW terrane indicate a long history of metamorphism, magmatism and deformation that affected both terranes (e.g., Elburg et al., 2016), and multiple Cl-rich fluid infiltrations took place in the SRM during this period (e.g., Higashino et al., 2013; 2015a).

Conclusion

Chlorine-rich fluid infiltration into the upper-amphibolite- to granulite-facies middle continental

crust at the prograde stage of counterclockwise P-T path is likely at Perlebandet (western SRM, East

- Antarctica). This presumably occurred in the uppermost part of the footwall of the continental
- collision boundary at ca. 580 Ma. The localized distribution of Cl-rich biotite and hornblende along
- large-scale shear zones and detachments in the SRM supports the external input of Cl-rich fluids
- through tectonic boundaries during continental collision.

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973 estimates would accompany errors of ± 50 °C and ± 0.1 GPa, which are not shown for simplicity. Numbers of the reactions correspond to those in the text. Reactions (4)-(6) are not shown.

- Figure 8. Simplified cross section showing the tectonic model for the continental collision in the SRM, modified after Osanai et al. (2013). Chlorine-rich fluid infiltration in Perlebandet presumably took place at the uppermost part of the footwall of the MBT. Chlorine-rich fluid infiltration in Balchenfjella is dated to be at ca. 603 Ma (Higashino et al., 2013), and would be an older event than that in Perlebandet (ca. 580 Ma). BDF: Balchen Detachment Fault (Ishikawa et al., 2013). 981 $*1$ This study, $*2$ Higashino et al. (2015a), $*3$ Higashino et al. (2013).
- Table 1. Representative mineral analysis of biotite, garnet and plagioclase from samples 3001G,
- 983 3001B and 2601C. The $log[f(H_2O)/f(HCl)]$ and $log[f(H_2O)/f(HF)]$ values of the fluid that
- 984 possibly coexisted with Cl-bearing biotite (Munoz, 1992) are also shown. *1 Based on Munoz
- 985 (1992). ^{*2} Temperature used in calculating log[$f(H_2O)/f(HCl)$] and log[$f(H_2O)/f(HF)$] values of
- the fluid possibly coexisted with biotite. Temperature was estimated using the Grt-Bt
- geothermometer (Holdaway et al., 1997; Holdaway, 2000) and the GASP (Holdaway, 2001)
- 988 and Grt-Bt-Pl-Qtz (Wu et al., 2004) geobarometers. *3 Temperature was estimated using
- Zr-in-rutile geothermometer by Tomkins et al. (2006) and GASP geobarometer (Holdaway,

2001).

Supplementary Table 2. Summary of the results of LA-ICPMS U-Pb zircon dating.

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