

Synthesis of a Metal Oxide by Forming Solvate Eutectic Mixtures and Study of Their Synthetic Performance under Hyper- and Hypo-Eutectic Conditions

Molar ratio Ammonium compounds/metal nitrates	Ammonium Nitrate (%)	Ammonium Acetate (%)	Ammonium Formate (%)	Ammonium Carbonate (%)	Ammonium Bicarbonate (%)	Raw materials (%)
20:1	56.53	57.73	62.26	42.04	46.02	68.89
17:1	65.449	73.45	35.86	50.73	52.23	68.89
14:1	79.2	57.25	26.26	40.23	24.99	68.89
11:1	58.38	62.81	40.95	66.19	37.97	68.89
8:1	71.569	57.8	17.18	54.93	48.98	68.89
5:1	80.367	51.09	22.08	49.9	40.2	68.89
3:1	62.243	66.61	13.04	49.61	50.94	68.89
1:1	50.62	66.84	25.75	43.1	39.42	68.89
1:3	45.78	74.29	71.34	48	8.37	68.89
1:5	56.781	70.89	71.02	60.92	8.17	68.89
1:8	75.68	71.57	68.26	64.83	7.1	68.89
1:11	76.814	63.16	57.2	66.07	8.82	68.89
1:14	50.7	62.05	54.54	68.16	7.04	68.89
1:17	15.49	54.46	71.62	50.95	6.73	68.89
1:20	28.677	70.55	63.32	32.43	6.38	68.89

Table S1. Tabulated data of the maximum percentage of the superconductive phase obtained via the synthesis using different ammonium containing compounds vs metal nitrates. Percentages were obtained via Rietveld refinement.

Molar ratio Ammonium compounds/metal nitrates	Ammonium Nitrate (%)	TetramethylAmmoniumNitrate (%)
20:1	56.53	56.44
17:1	65.449	35.69
14:1	79.2	61.52
11:1	58.38	91.2
8:1	71.569	71.94
5:1	80.367	95.73
3:1	62.243	75.08
1:1	50.62	73.9
1:3	45.78	70.45
1:5	56.781	66.19
1:8	75.68	71.23
1:11	76.814	73.89
1:14	50.7	77.09
1:17	15.49	77.7
1:20	28.677	83.12

Table S2. Tabulated data of the maximum percentage of the superconductive phase obtained via the synthesis using different ammonium and tetramethyl ammonium containing compounds vs metal nitrates. Percentages were obtained via Rietveld refinement.

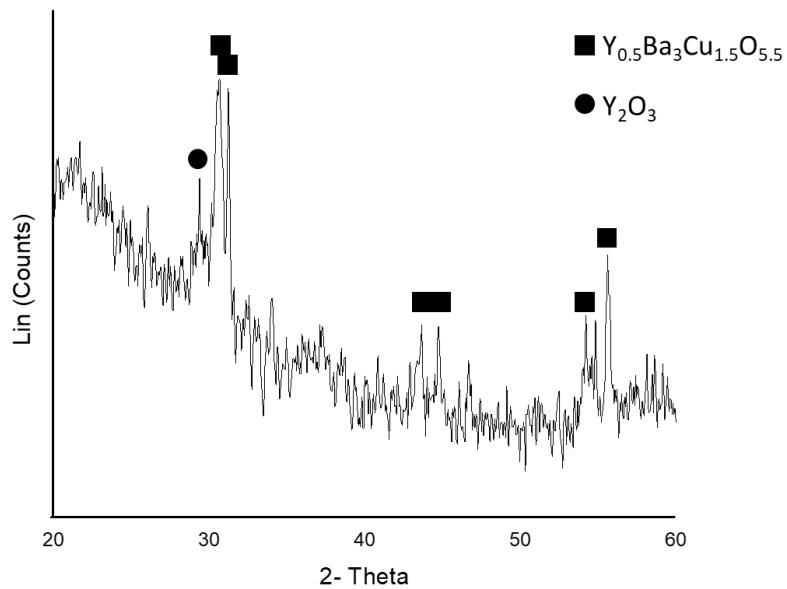


Figure S1. Powder diffraction pattern of the synthesis of YBCO (123) superconductor via 5:1 molar ratio of ammonium nitrate/metal nitrates under neutral atmosphere (Ar) at a max temperature of 620 °C.

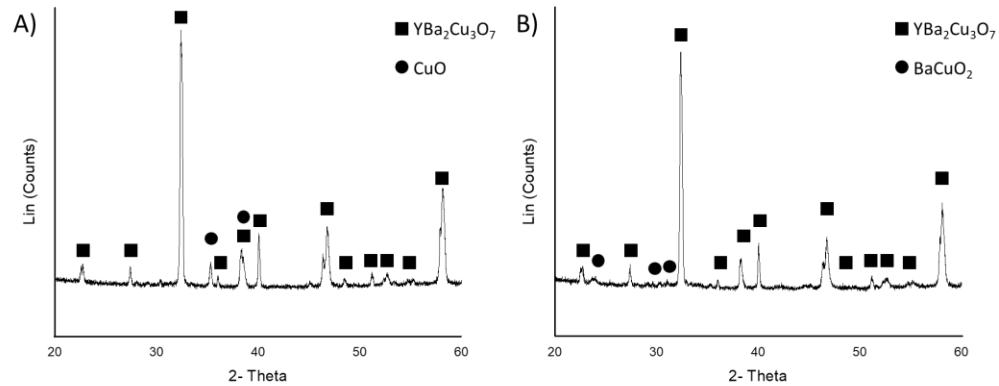


Figure S2. Powder diffraction patterns of the synthesis of YBCO (123) superconductor via 5:1 molar ratios of A) ammonium nitrate/metal nitrates, and B) tetramethyl ammonium nitrate/metal nitrates.

15196	Ba(CO₃)
27449	Ba(CO₃)
63257	Ba(CO₃)
1049	BaCuO₂
65801	BaCuO₂
89232	BaCu₃O₄
89105	Ba₂Cu_{2.89}O₆
68217	Ba₂CuO₃
35495	Ba(NO₃)₂
91439	Ba0.97CuO₂
26961	BaO
69757	CuO
16025	CuO
24013	NH₄ NO₃
27772	Y₂O₃
33648	Y₂O₃
202877	Y₂Cu₂O₅
171703	YC_uO_{2.5}
56507	YBa₂Cu₃O₇
32707	Y₂BaCuO₅
65550	Y_{0.5}Ba₃Cu_{1.5}O_{5.5}
65549	Y_{0.25}BaCu_{0.75}O_{2.25}
65867	YBa₄Cu₃O₉

Table S3. ICSD numbers (left) with the corresponding crystal phases (right)

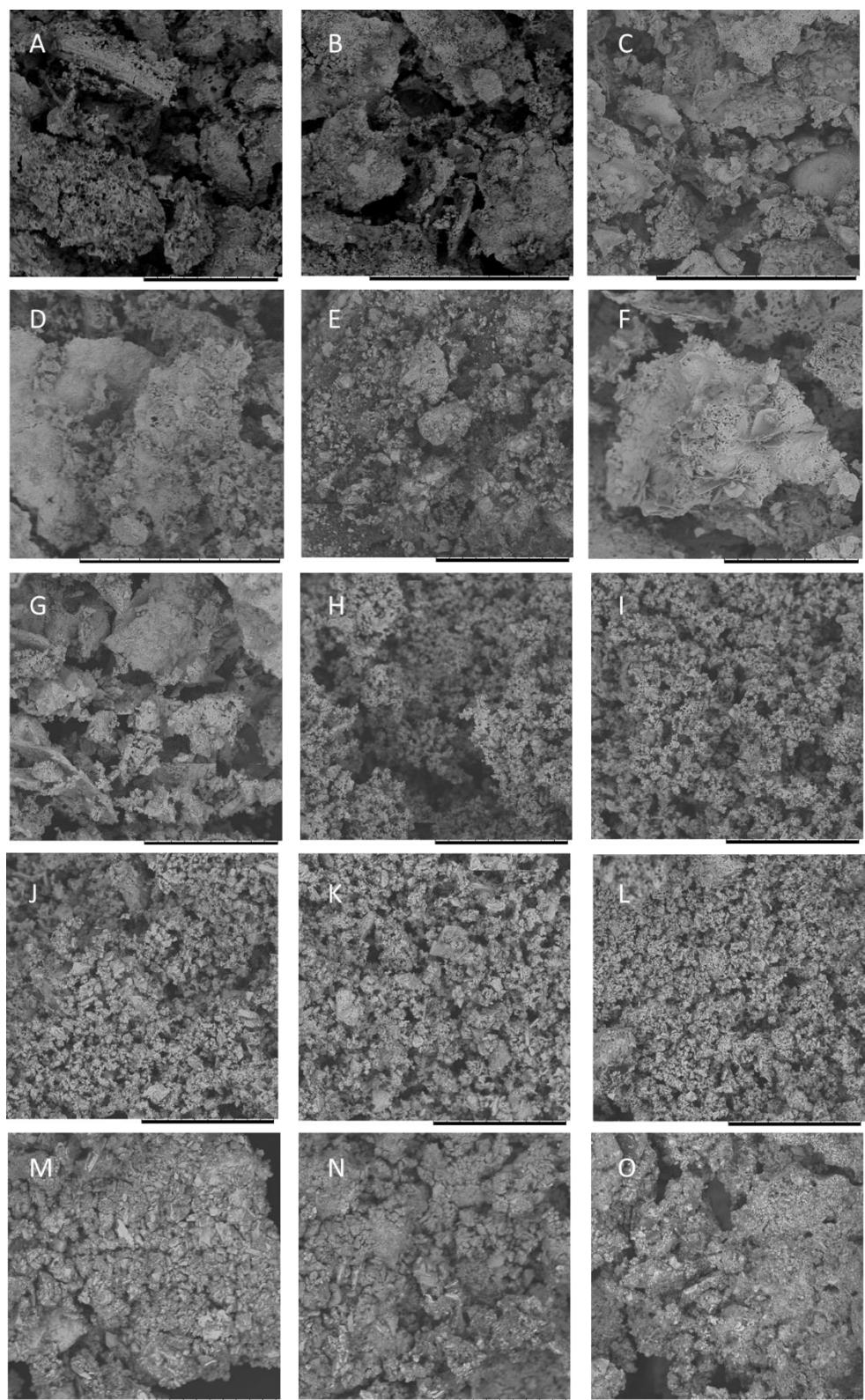


Figure S3. SEM images of the synthesis of YBCO superconductor with different molar ratios of tetramethyl ammonium nitrate/metal nitrates. A) 1:20, B) 1:17, C) 1:14, D) 1:11, E) 1:8, F) 1:5, G) 1:3, H) 1:1, I) 3:1, J) 5:1, K) 8:1, L) 11:1, M) 14:1, N) 17:1, O) 20:1 Scale Bar = 100 μ m.