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Focusing Properties of mosaic crystals

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ABSTRACT

X-ray instruments with mosaic crystals are proposed and used for many applications in synchrotron radiation, medical physics and astrophysics. These crystals present a pseudofocusing of the x-ray beam in the diffraction plane, which is thoroughly analyzed in this paper. We studied the evolution of the beam cross section of the diffracted beam, using several samples of Highly Oriented Pyrolythic Graphite crystals coming from different suppliers.

The experiment has been performed at the European Synchrotron Radiation Facility (beamline D5). The results clearly show a pseudo-focusing effect in the 1:1 magnification ratio along the diffraction plane and a defocusing effect along the perpendicular plane.

The secondary extinction coefficient was also measured.