

Nitride film 0**MT-455**

Aim: To determine crystallite size and lattice strain for the given data.

Procedure:

Given the instrumental broadening value, $B_i = 0.045^\circ$

Gaussian equation $B_R^2 = B_o^2 - B_i^2$

$$B_R \cos \theta = \frac{k\lambda}{L} + \eta \sin \theta \quad \text{where, } \eta = \text{Strain in the material}$$

L = Crystallite Size

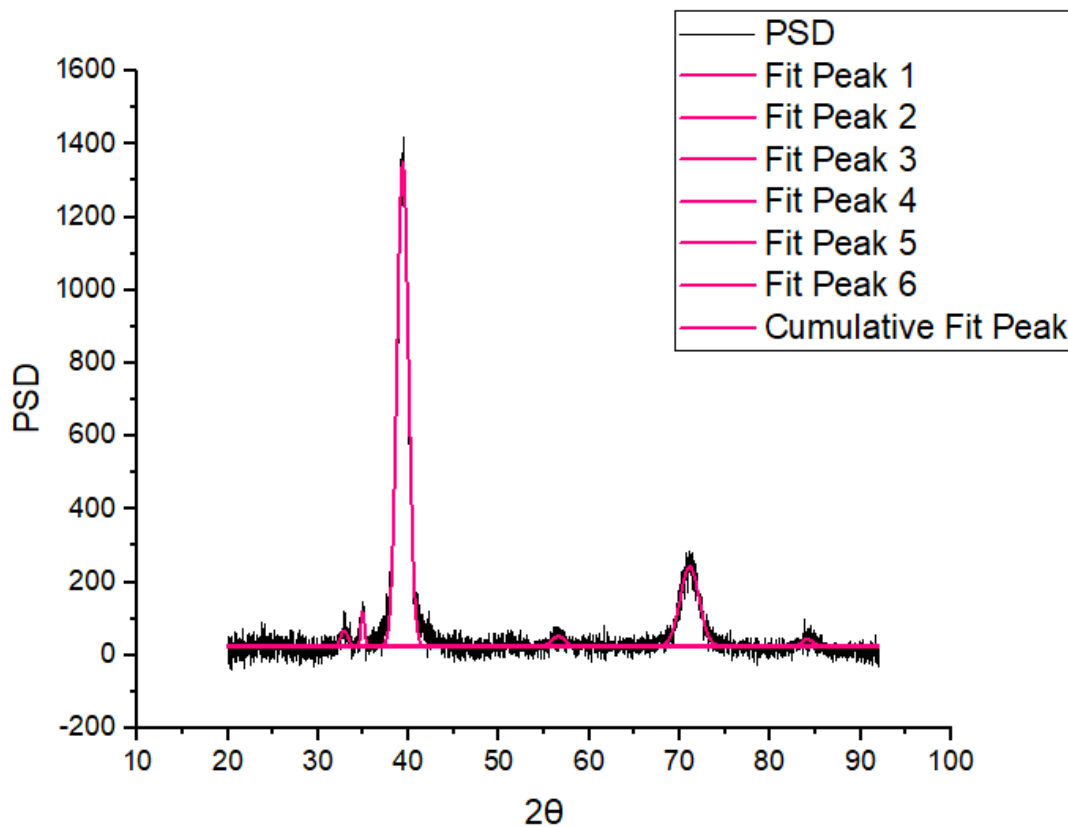
$k=0.94$

$\lambda = 0.154\text{nm}$

$b = \text{Slope} = \eta$

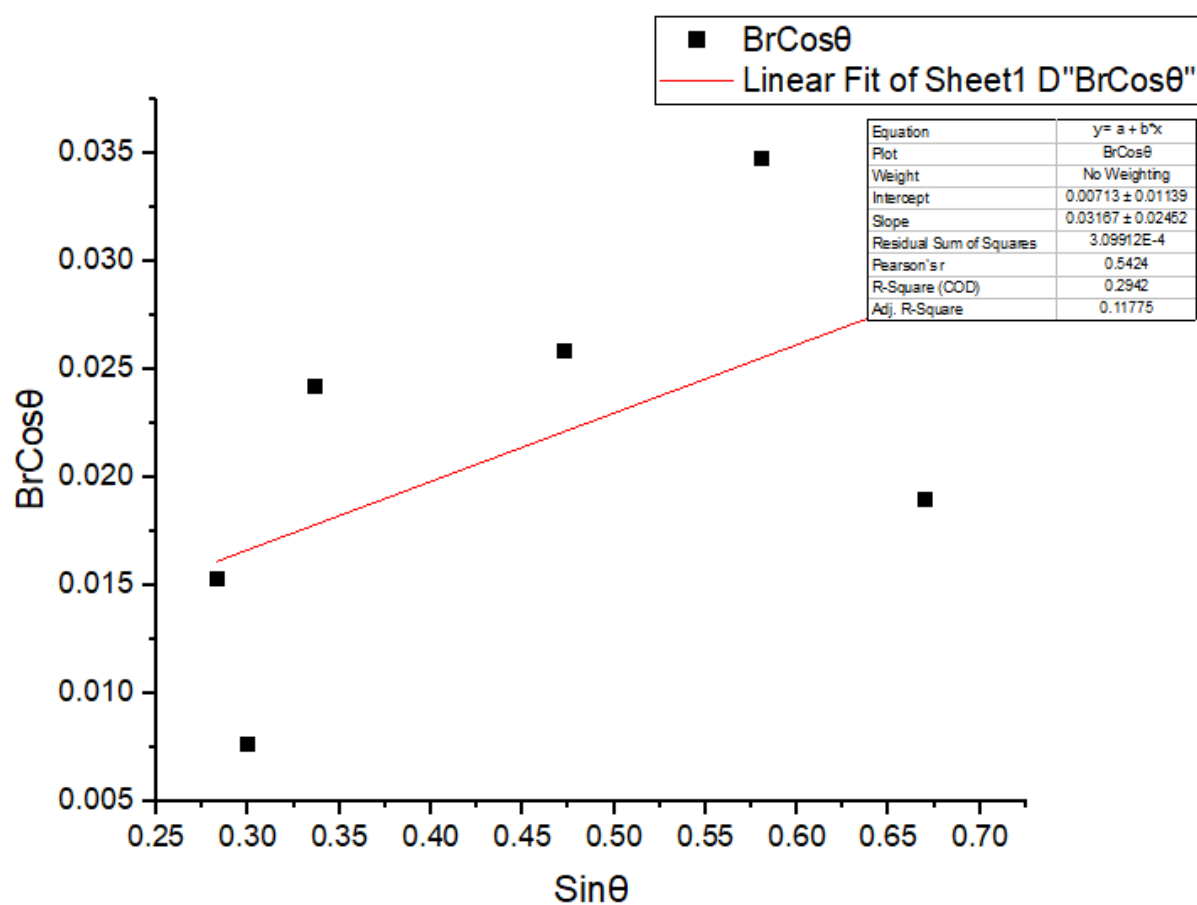
Comparing the above equation with $y = bx + a$

Where, $a = \text{Intercept} = \frac{k\lambda}{L}$



2θ	θ(rad)	B _o (fwhm)	B _o (rad)	B _o ²	B _i (deg)	B _i (rad)	B _i ²
32.89235	0.28704	0.91439	0.015959	0.000255	0.045	0.000785	6.1685E-07
34.91805	0.304717	0.45754	0.007986	6.38E-05	0.045	0.000785	6.1685E-07
39.34331	0.343335	1.47026	0.025661	0.000658	0.045	0.000785	6.1685E-07
56.53556	0.493366	1.68187	0.029354	0.000862	0.045	0.000785	6.1685E-07
71.0858	0.620341	2.44668	0.042703	0.001824	0.045	0.000785	6.1685E-07
84.1166	0.734056	1.46242	0.025524	0.000651	0.045	0.000785	6.1685E-07

$B_r^2 = B_o^2 - B_i^2$	B _r	B _r cosθ	sinθ
0.000254077	0.01594	0.015288	0.283114
6.31526E-05	0.007947	0.007581	0.300024
0.000657864	0.025649	0.024152	0.336629
0.00086105	0.029344	0.025844	0.473593
0.001822897	0.042695	0.03474	0.581312
0.00065086	0.025512	0.018942	0.669886



Equation	$y = a + b \cdot x$
Plot	$\text{BrCos}\theta$
Weight	No Weighting
Intercept	0.00713 ± 0.01139
Slope	0.03167 ± 0.02452
Residual Sum of Squares	$3.09912\text{E-}4$
Pearson's r	0.5424
R-Square (COD)	0.2942
Adj. R-Square	0.11775

$$b = \text{Slope} = \eta$$

$$a = \text{Intercept} = \frac{k\lambda}{L}$$

$$\text{Therefore, } \eta = 0.03167$$

$$\frac{k\lambda}{L} = 0.00713$$

$$L = \frac{k\lambda}{0.00713}$$

$$L = \frac{0.94 \times 0.154}{0.00713}$$

$$L = 20.3029 \text{ nm}$$

Result

$$\eta = \text{Strain in the material} = 0.0316$$

$$L = \text{Crystallite Size} = 20.3029 \text{ nm}$$