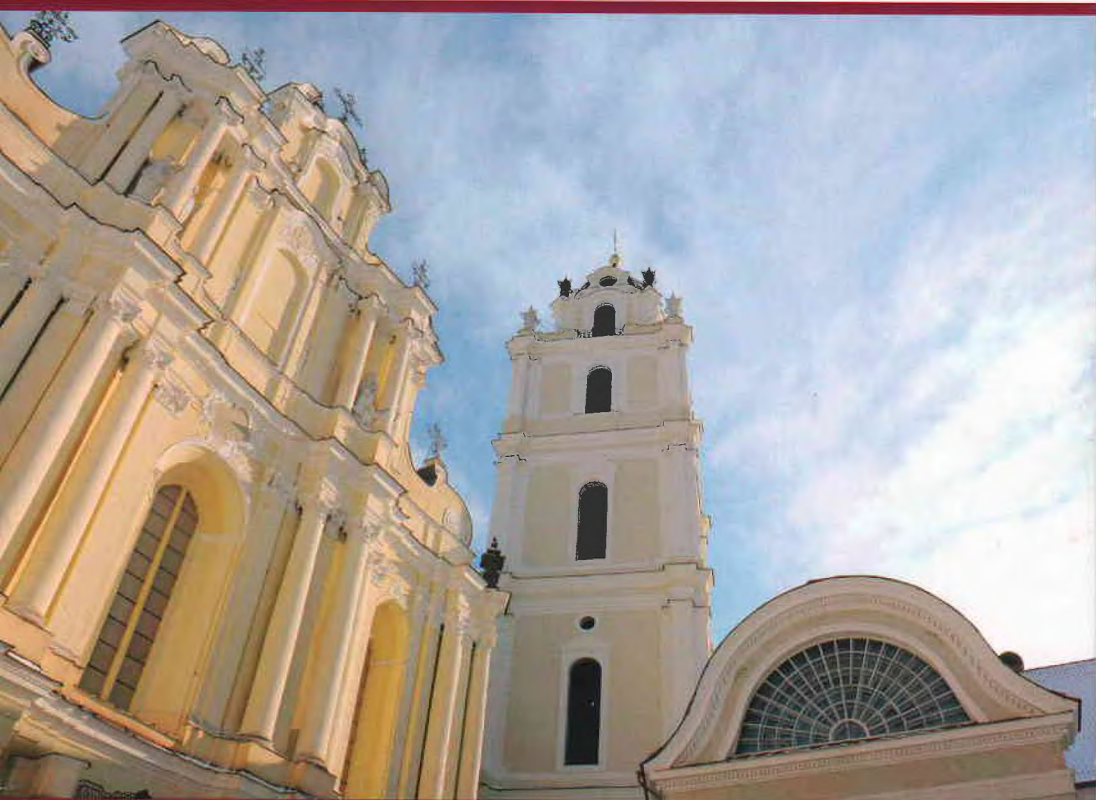


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Nonlinear dynamics of phosphorous chalcogenide ferroelectrics with many-well local potentials
- 10:30–10:50 **Andrius Džiaugys**, M. Chyasnovichyus, A. Belianinov, Q. He, A. Borisevich, A. N. Morozovska, E. A. Eliseev, J. Banys, Y. Vysochanskii, S.V. Kalinin, P. Maksymovych  
Polarization domains in the layered ferroelectrics  $\text{CuInP}_2(\text{S,Se})_6$
- 10:50–11:20 **Edvardas Kazakevičius**, V. Venckutė, S. Kazlauskas, A. Kežionis, R. Korobko, T. Šalkus  
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Dielectric Response of the Methylammonium Lead Halide Solar Cell Absorbers
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Electrical properties of scandia- and ceria-stabilized zirconia ceramics
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- 14:00–14:20 **Alexander Grabar**, M. V. Tsyhyka, and I. M. Stoika  
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- 14:20–14:40 **Ilona Zamaraitė**, A. Dziaugys, J. Banys, Yu. Vysochanskii  
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17:00 *Dinner*

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# STRUCTURAL AND ELECTRICAL PROPERTIES OF ARGYRODITE-TYPE Cu<sub>7</sub>PS<sub>6</sub> CRYSTAL

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Cu<sub>7</sub>PS<sub>6</sub> crystals were grown using direct crystallization from melt (Bridgman-Stockbarger technique). The synthesis of Cu<sub>7</sub>PS<sub>6</sub> compound was performed in the following way: heating at a rate of 50 K/h to 673 ± 5 K and ageing for 24 h, then heating to 973 ± 5 K and ageing for 72 h, further heating up to 1380 ± 5 K (50 K above the melting temperature) and ageing for 24 h. The ageing resulted in nucleation. The growth rate was kept at 3 mm/day. The annealing zone temperature was 973 ± 5 K and the annealing duration was 48 h. As a result, Cu<sub>7</sub>PS<sub>6</sub> crystals with the length of 45–50 mm and 10–2 mm in diameter were obtained.

Cu<sub>7</sub>PS<sub>6</sub> was investigated using X-ray powder diffraction technique. Cu<sub>7</sub>PS<sub>6</sub> crystallizes into cubic structure (space group P2<sub>1</sub>3 (No.198), lattice parameter  $a = 9.6706(1)$  Å,  $Z = 4$ ). The crystal structure of the Cu<sub>7</sub>PS<sub>6</sub> contains cation–anion coordination shell of four different types: [PS<sub>4</sub>], [CuS<sub>4</sub>], [CuS<sub>3</sub>], and [CuS<sub>2</sub>]. The split position of a copper atom, resulting in two 12b positions (Cu2 and Cu3) with partial site occupancies was determined.

Electrical parameters of Cu<sub>7</sub>PS<sub>6</sub> crystal were studied in the frequency range 10–10<sup>10</sup> Hz and temperature interval 296–351 K by coaxial line impedance spectrometer set-up [1]. Two relaxation processes were found in the spectra of Cu<sub>7</sub>PS<sub>6</sub> crystal electric properties. The conductivity dispersion regions are related to these processes. Cu<sup>+</sup> ions and electrons/holes contribute to the conductivity in Cu<sub>7</sub>PS<sub>6</sub> crystal.

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## Literature

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