

Fig 1. MgO vs Cr_2O_3 . The horizontal arrow indicates an alteration trend of the macrocryst population, the near vertical arrow indicates a kimberlitic trend.

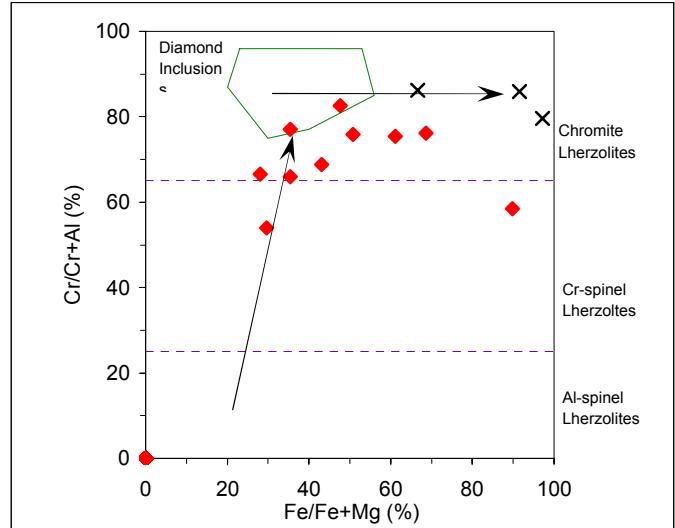


Fig 2. $\text{fe}\#$ vs $\text{cr}\#$. Spinel lherzolite fields after Carswell (1980). Arrows indicate trends as in fig. 1.

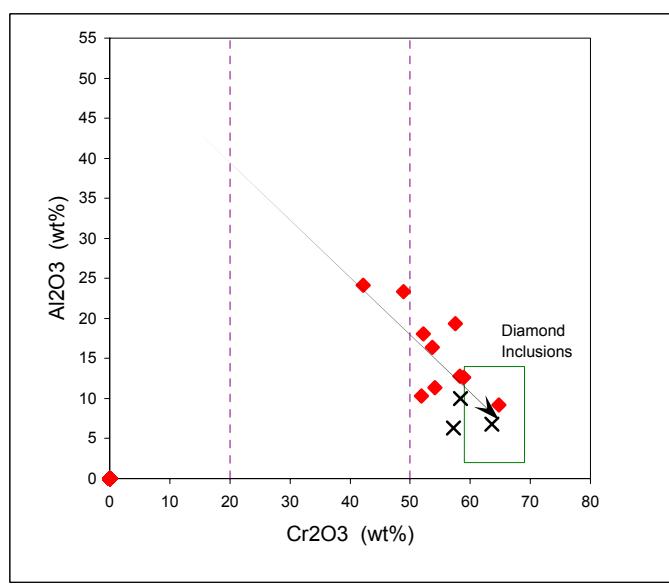


Fig 3. Cr_2O_3 vs Al_2O_3 . Arrow indicates a kimberlitic trend.

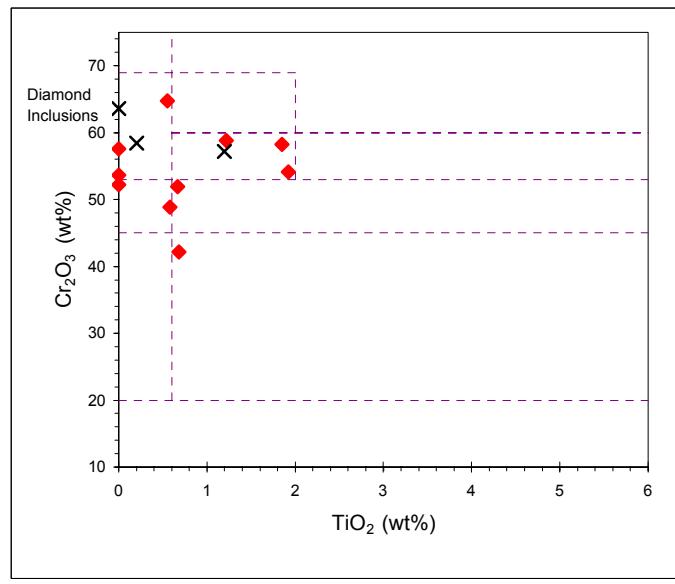


Fig 4. TiO_2 vs Cr_2O_3 . $\text{TiO}_2 > 0.6\%$ can indicate kimberlitic alteration.

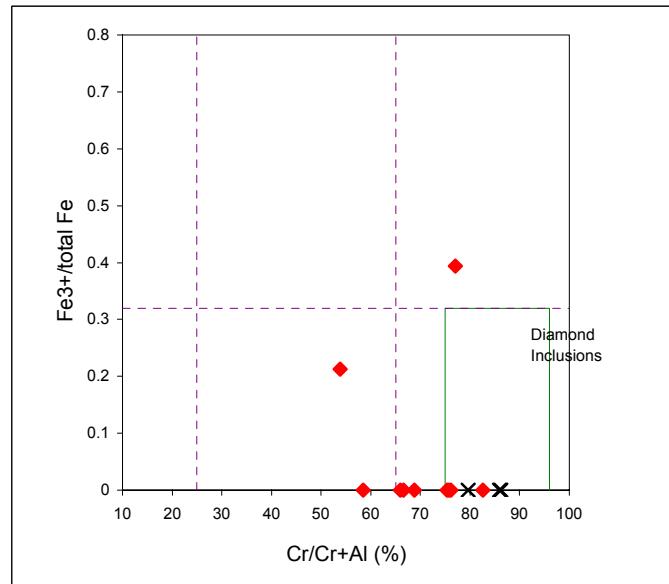


Fig 5. $\text{cr}\#$ vs $\text{Fe}^{3+}/(\text{Fe}^{3+}+\text{Fe}^{2+})$. $\text{Fe}^{3+}/\text{Fe}_{\text{total}} < 0.3$ indicates an oxidation state which is favourable for diamond preservation.

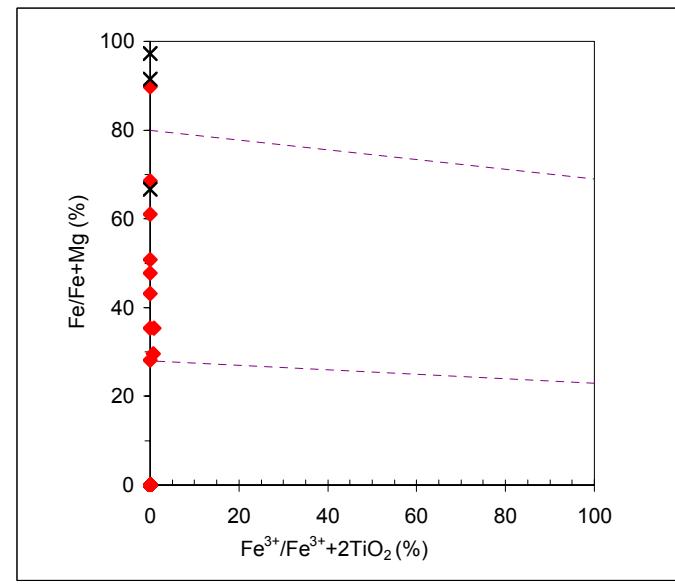


Fig 6. $\text{Fe}^{3+}/(\text{Fe}^{3+}+2\text{TiO}_2)$ vs $\text{fe}\#$. The horizontal or near horizontal trend indicates a kimberlitic affinity.