

# High-temperature oxidationresistant transition metal borides

Exploring the possibility of applying difficult-tosinter materials to high-temperature structural materials.

#### Overview

With the increasing demand for highly efficient energy sources and technological developments in the aerospace sector, materials used in these fields are required to be usable in multi-extreme condition. Among promising materials in the aerospace field,  $\text{TiB}_2$  is used as a heat-resistant and wear-resistant material due to its high melting point, mechanical strength and high conductivity. However, it is known that the mechanical strength of  $\text{TiB}_2$  deteriorates due to the oxidation of the material in a high temperature environment, which limits its industrial application.

The present invention demonstrates the potential of transition metal boride as a structural material in a high-temperature environment without compromising its inherent properties by adding a twist to the sintering process. This is a result of expanding the potential of transition metal borides as structural members, which are limited to powder and thin film applications due to their poor sinterability.

## **Product Application**

Cutting tools

■ Aircraft and spacecraft parts

■ Neutron shielding material

■ Sintering jig, etc.

#### **IP** Data

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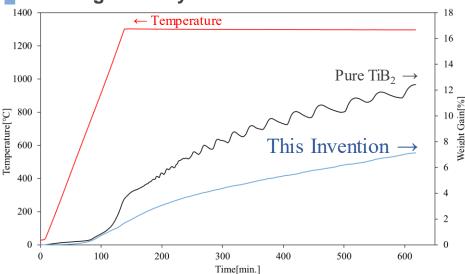
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### **Thermogravimetry**



#### Related Works

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