

High-Temperature Superconductivity in YBCO

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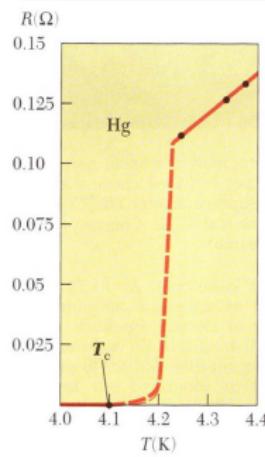
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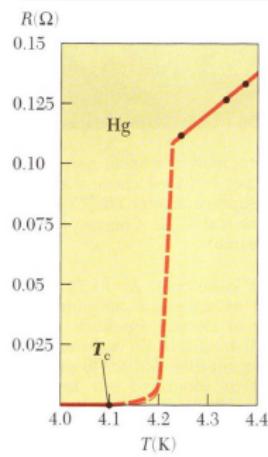
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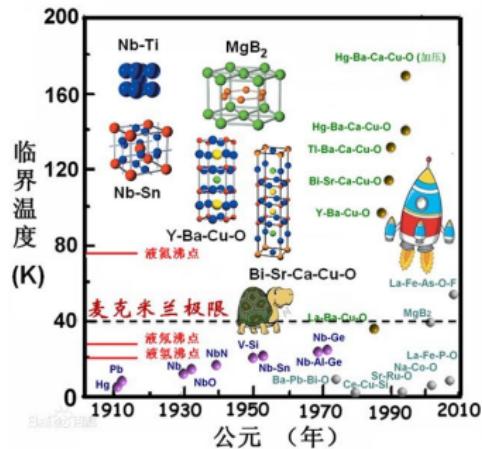


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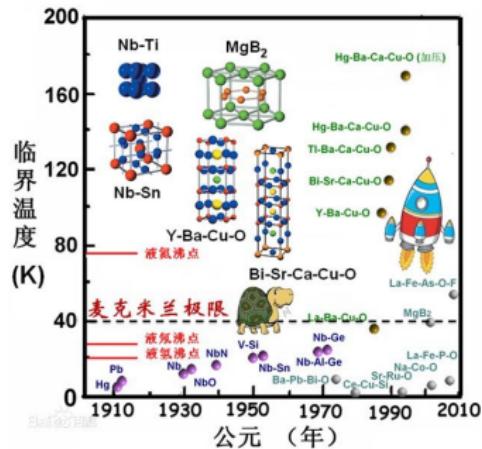
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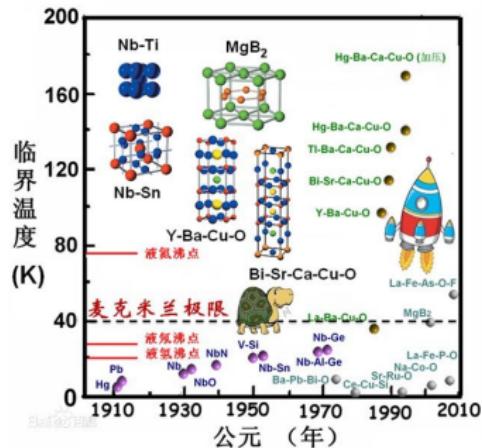


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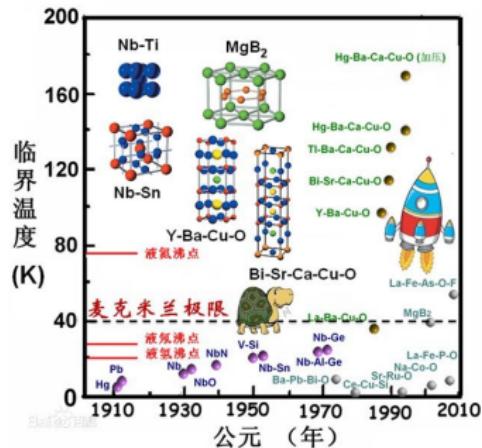


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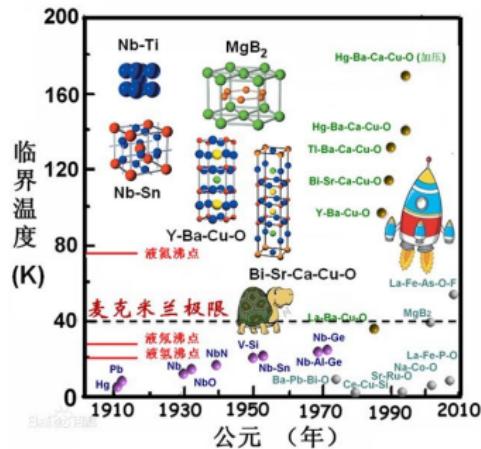


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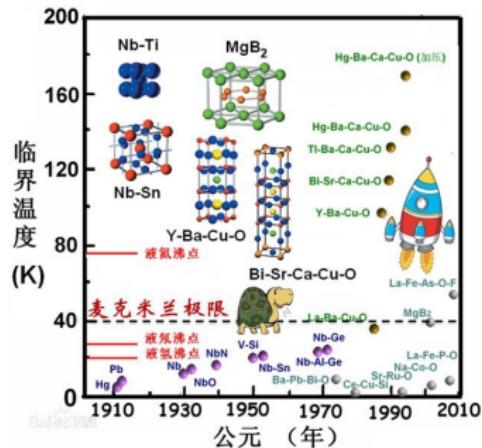


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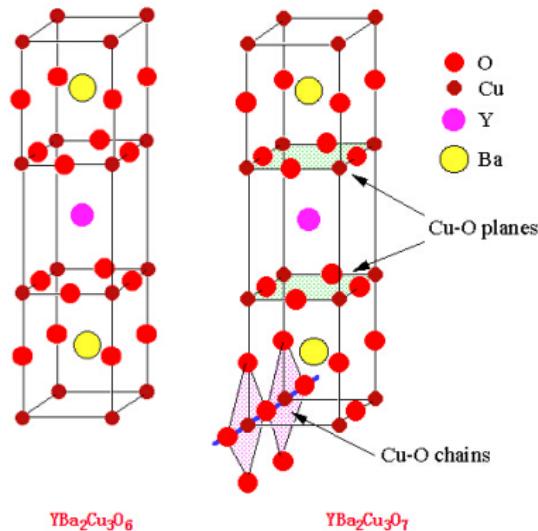
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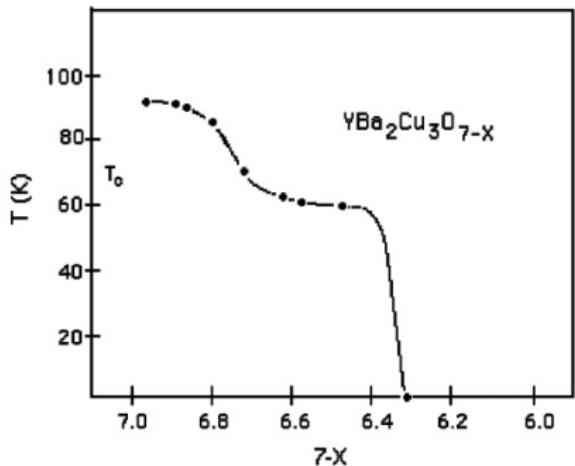
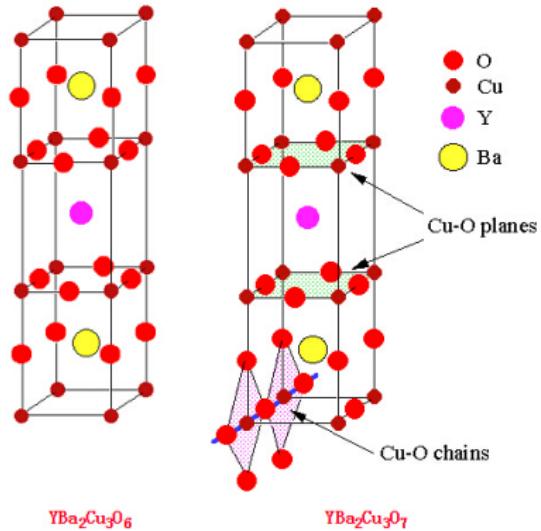
YBa₂Cu₃O_{7-x}



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T_c as a function of oxygen content in $\text{YBa}_2\text{Cu}_3\text{O}_{7-x}$



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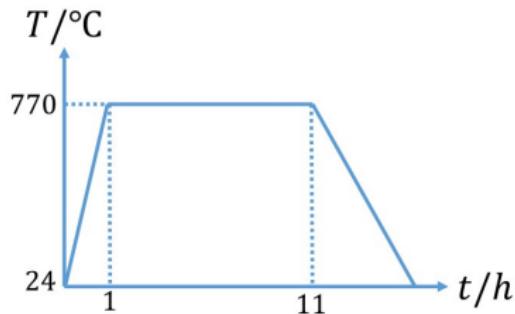


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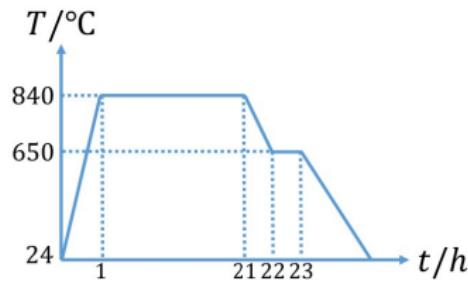
Y_2O_3 : 0.76g

BaCO_3 : 1.60g

CuO : 2.65g



High temperature burning



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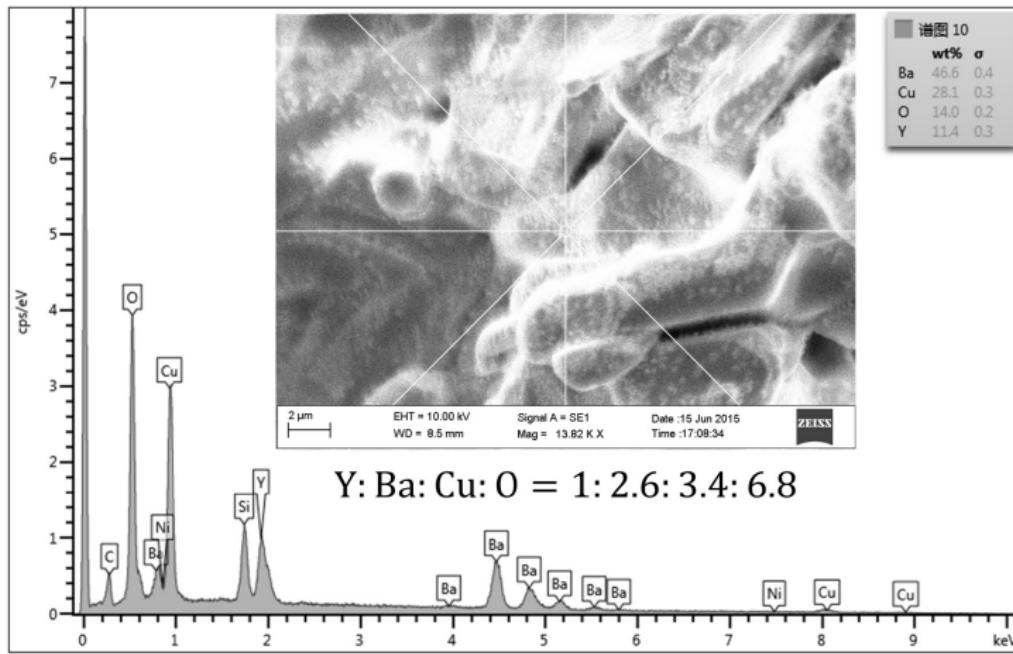
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EDX (Energy Dispersive X-Ray Spectroscopy)



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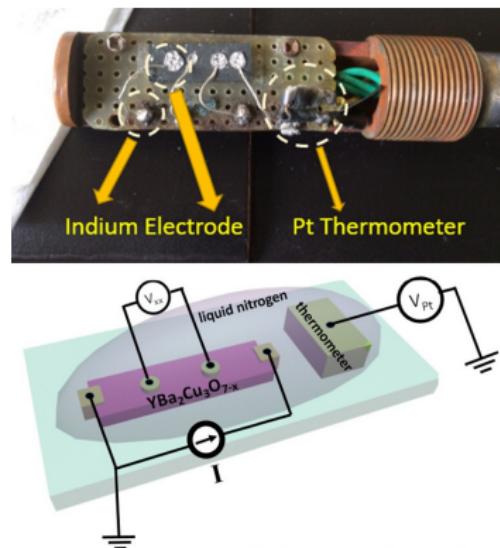
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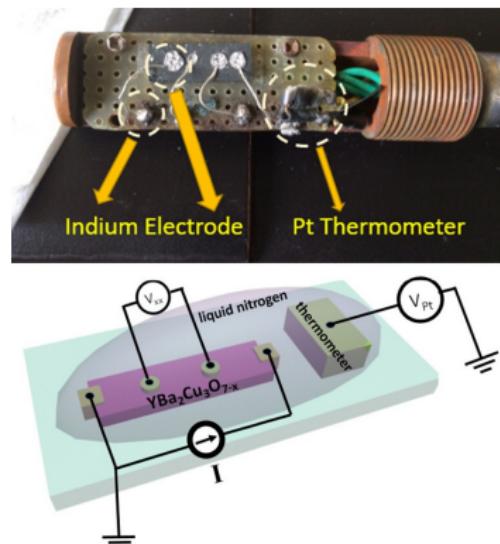


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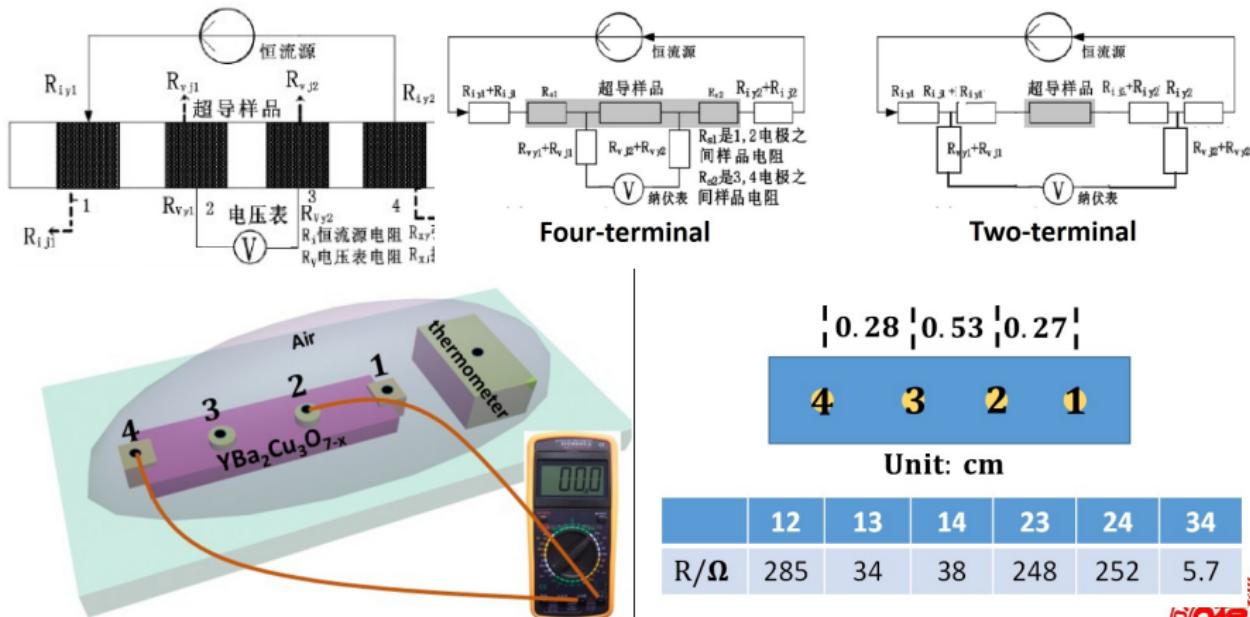
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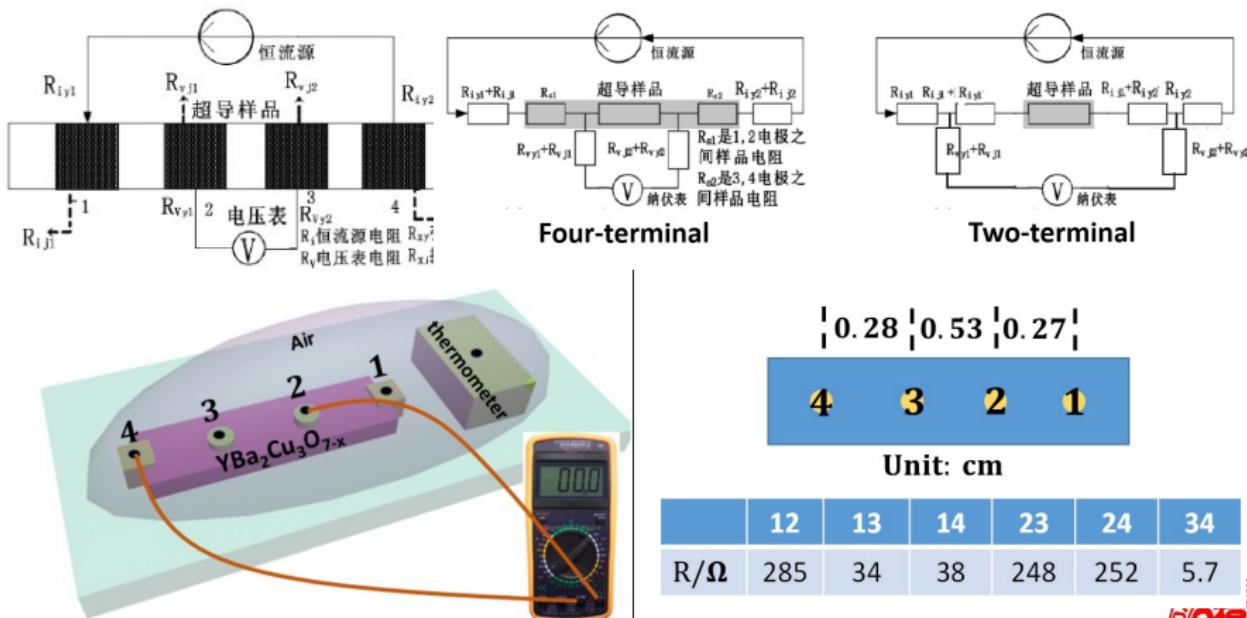


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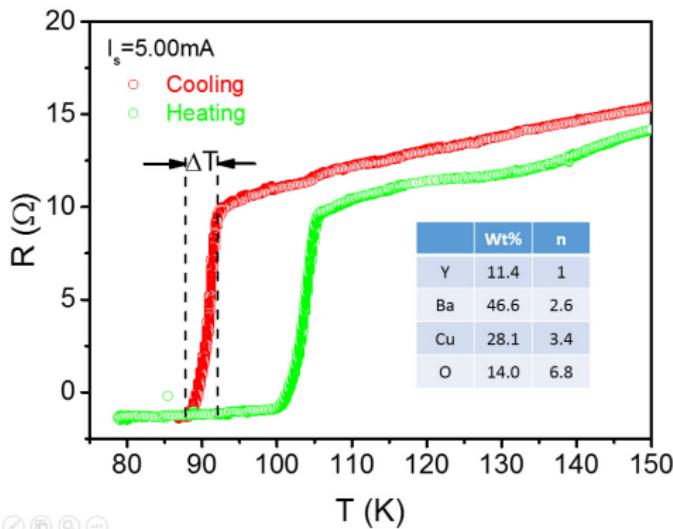
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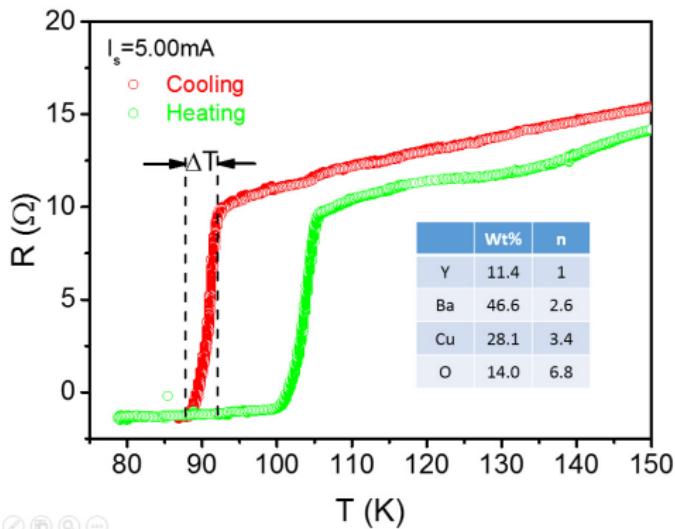
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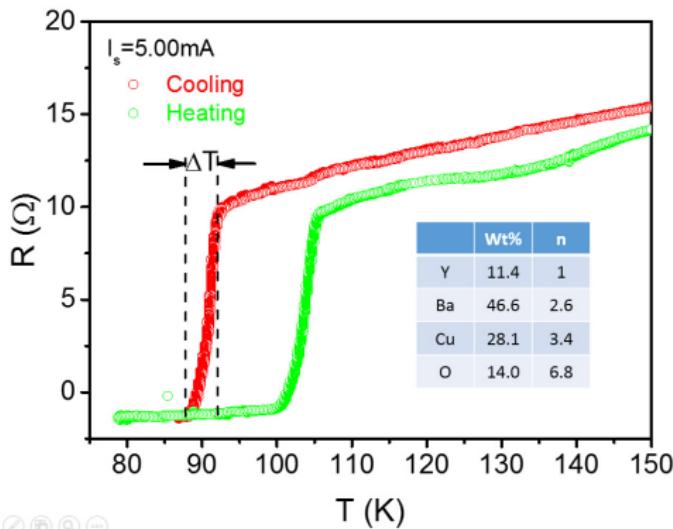
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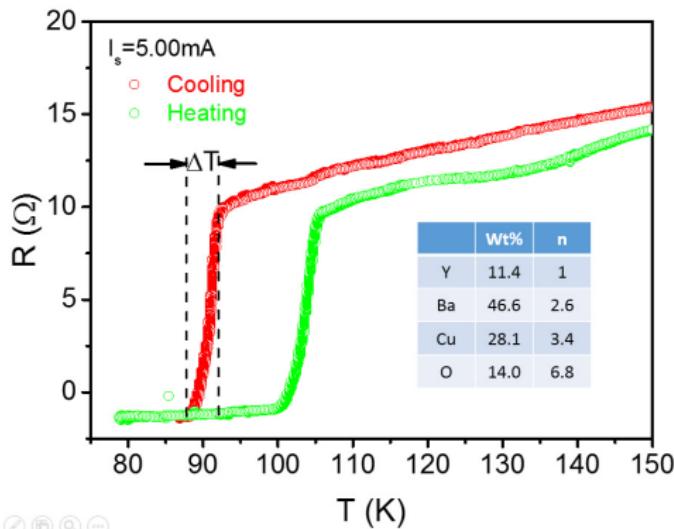


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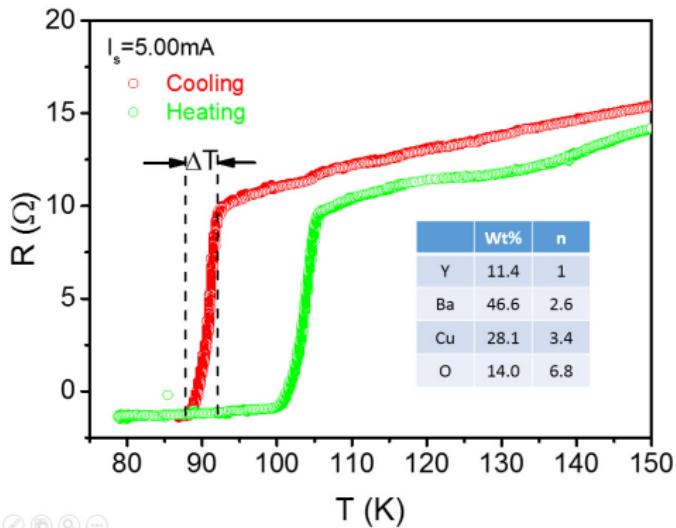


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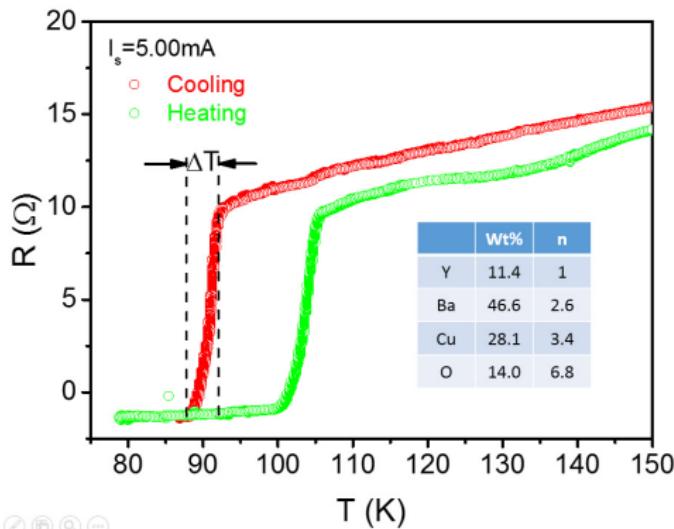
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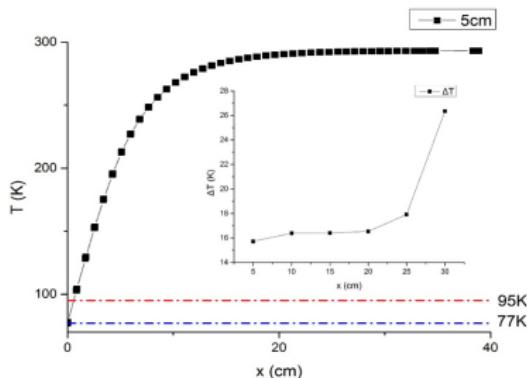
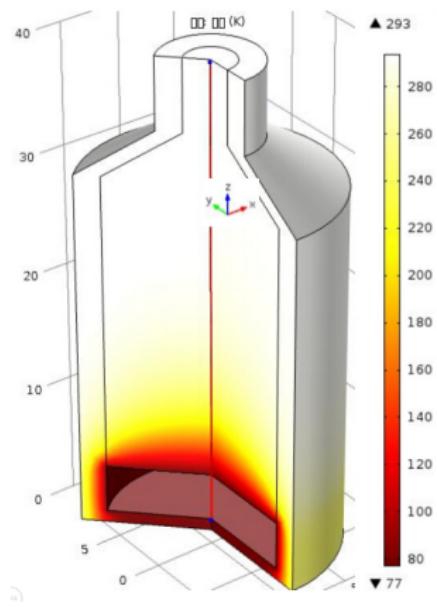


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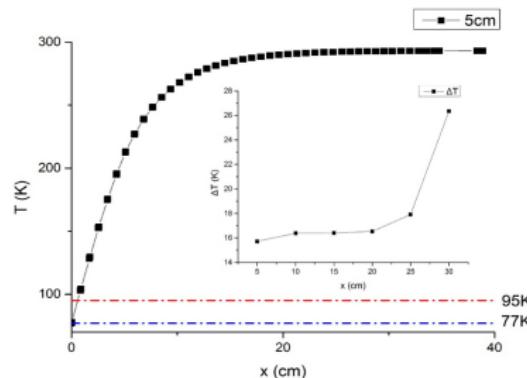
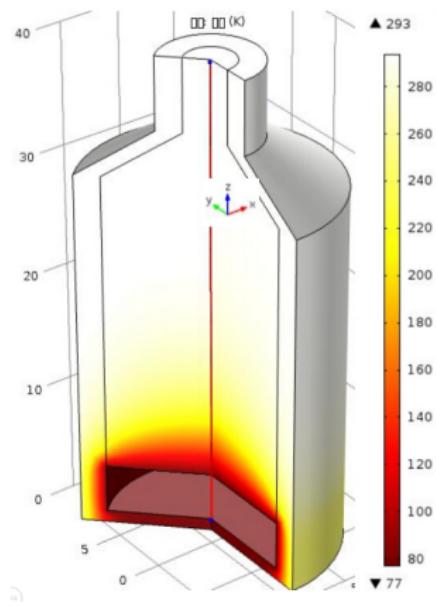
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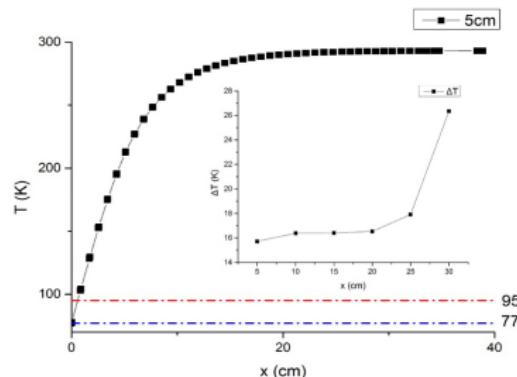
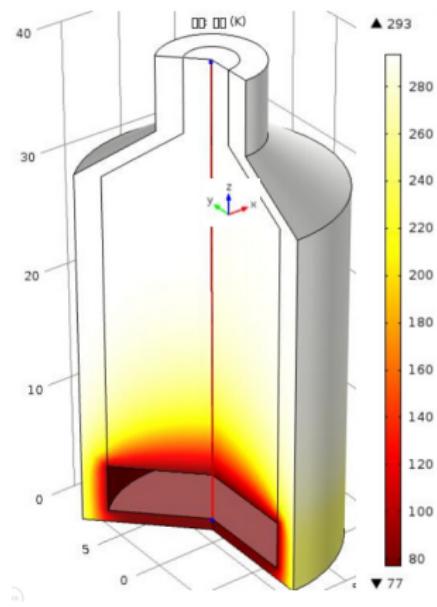
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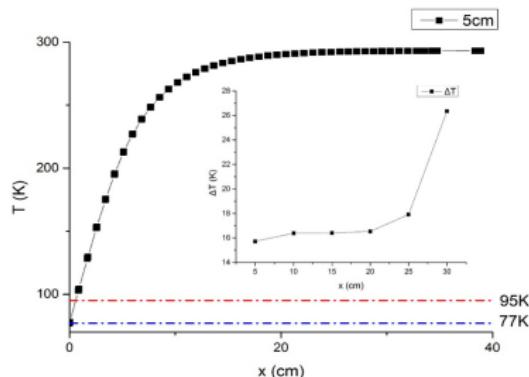
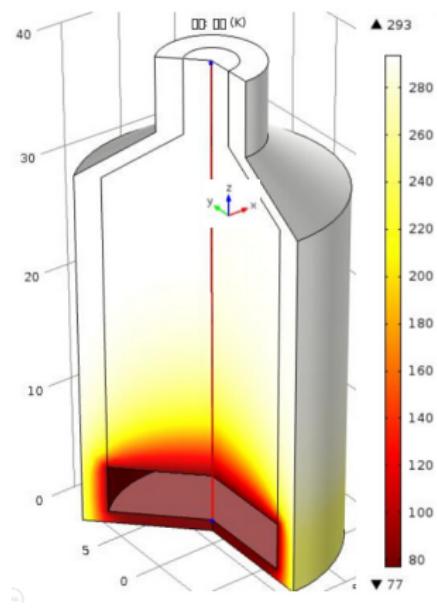
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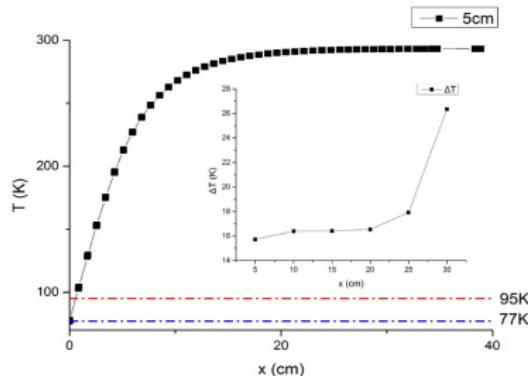
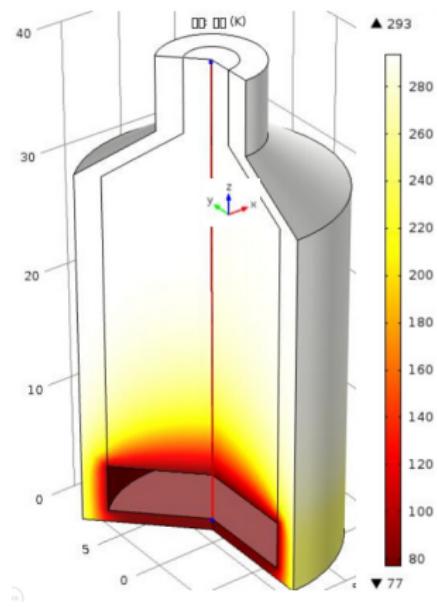
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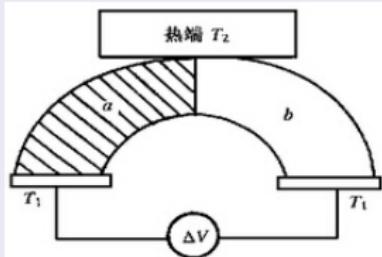
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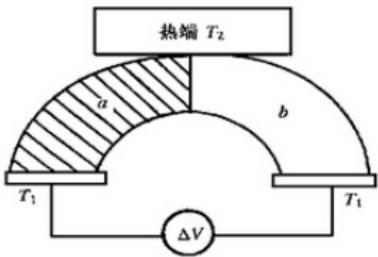
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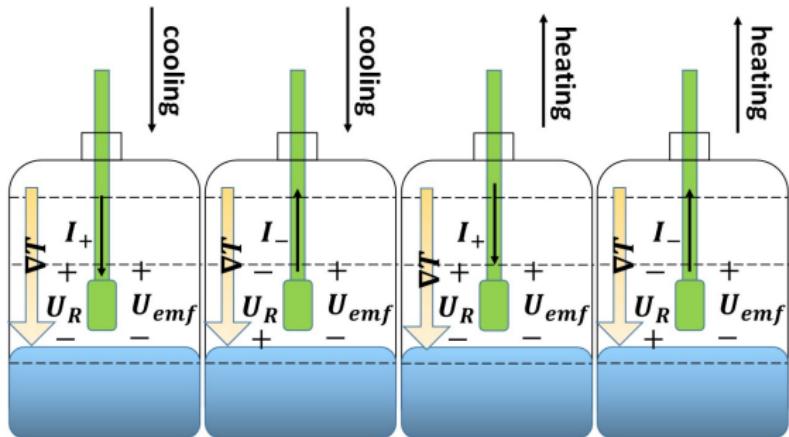
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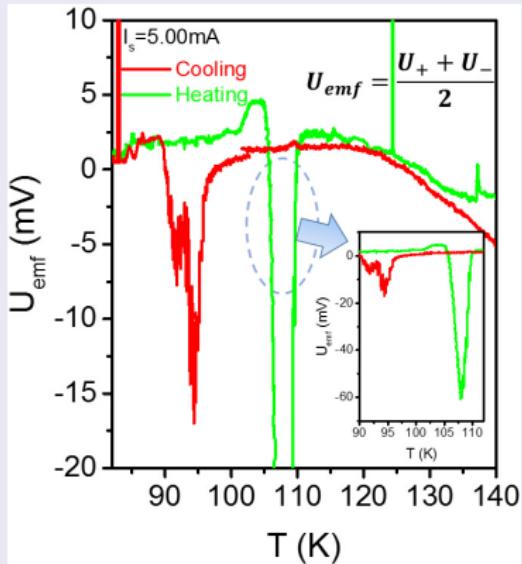


Reverse current \Rightarrow eliminate U_{emf}

$$\begin{cases} U_+ = RI + U_{emf} \\ U_- = -RI + U_{emf} \end{cases} \Rightarrow U_{emf} = \frac{U_+ + U_-}{2}$$



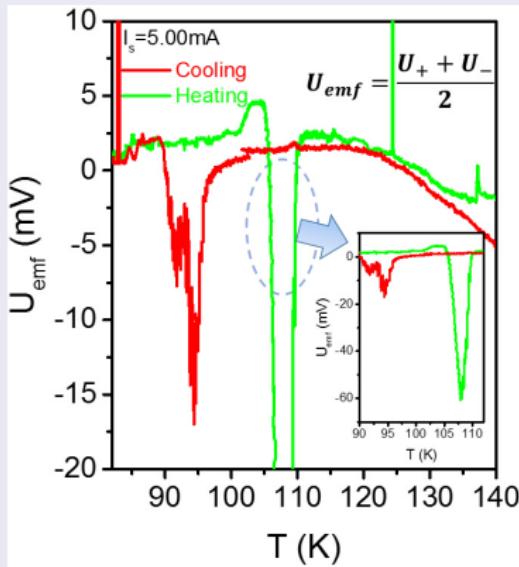
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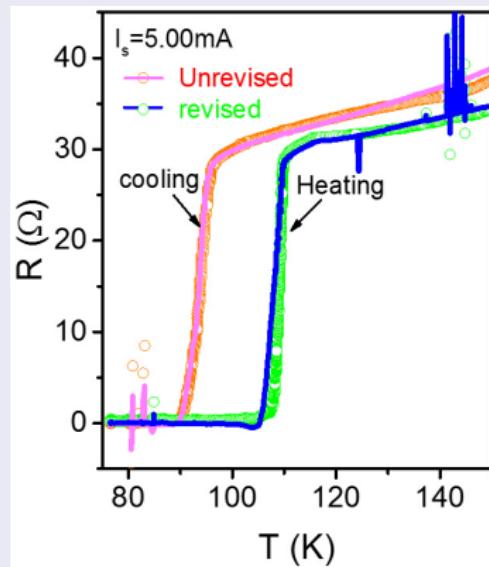
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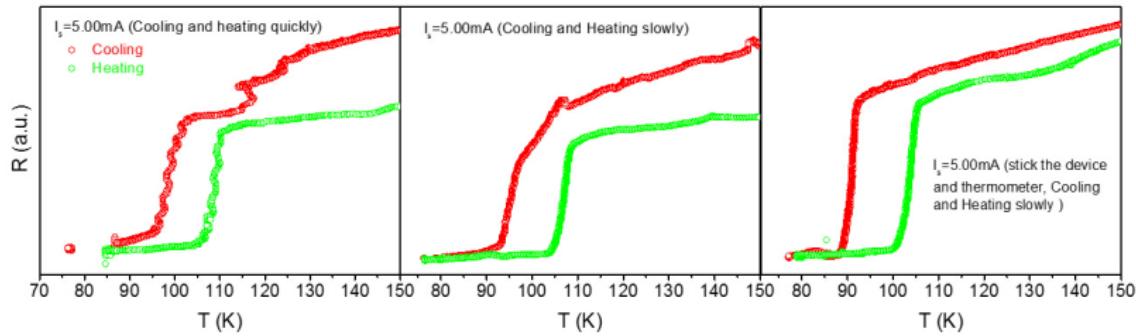
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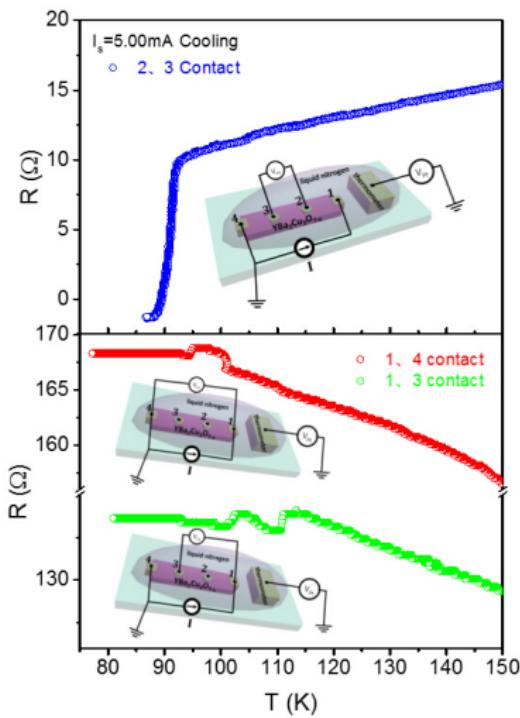


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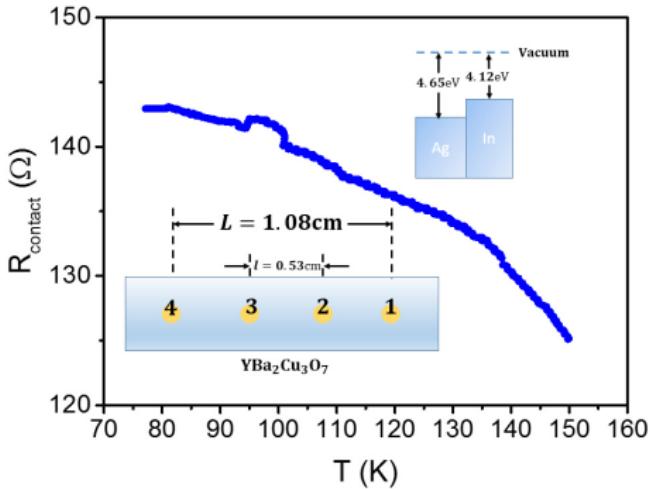
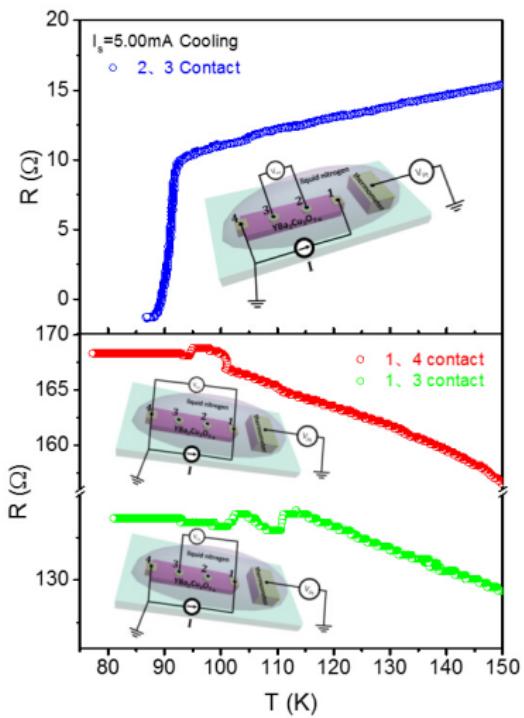
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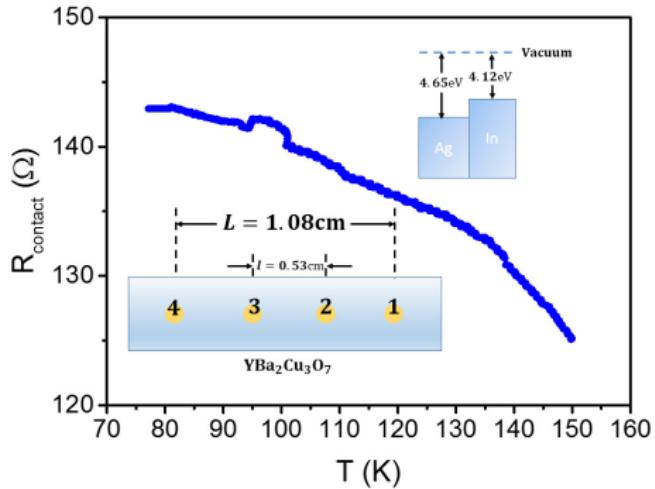
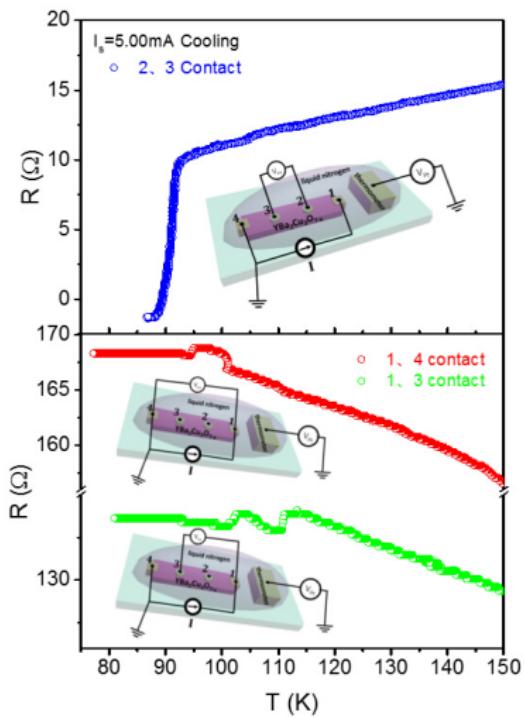
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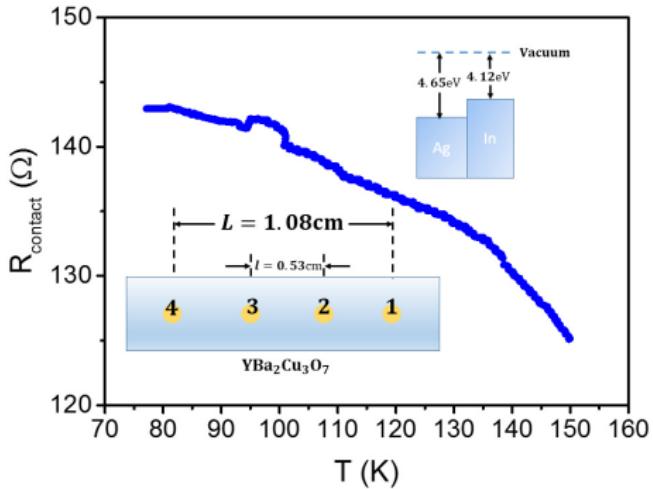
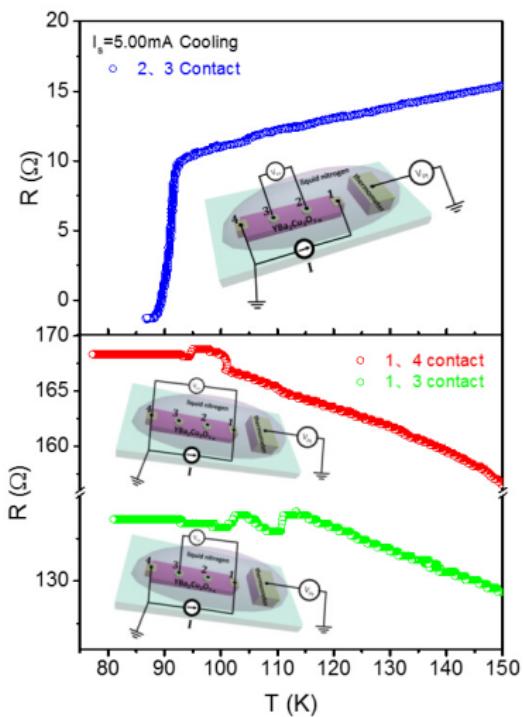
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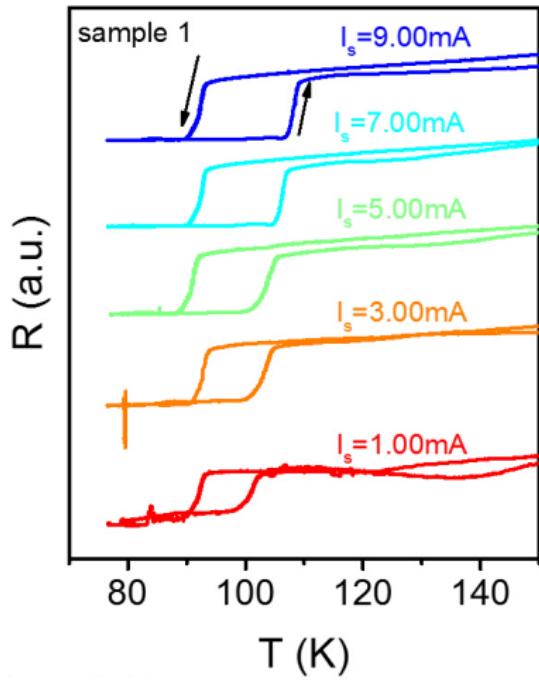
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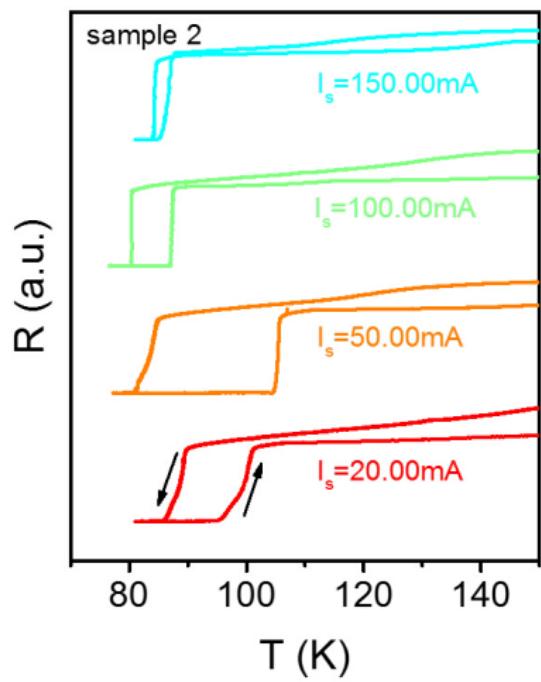
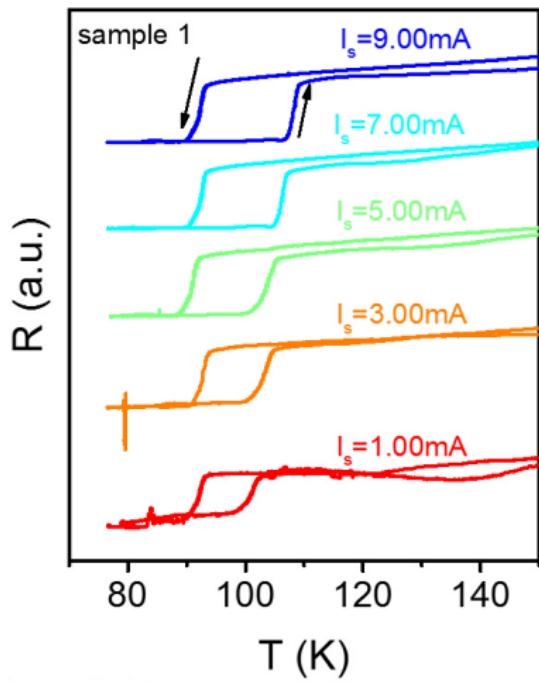
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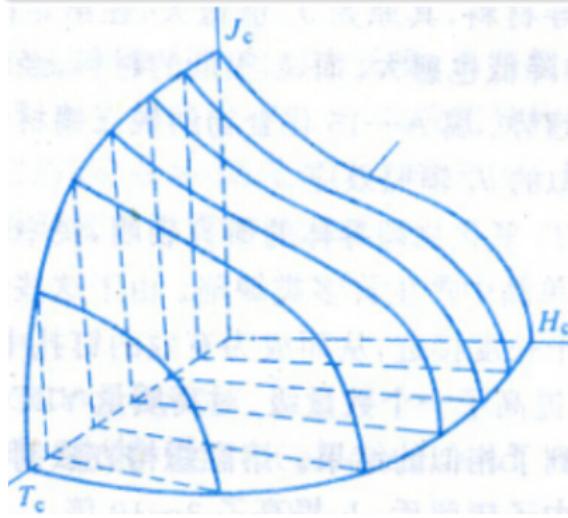


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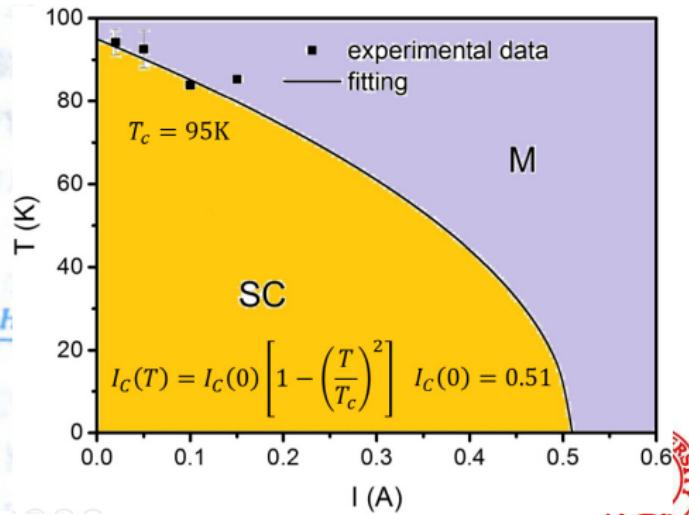
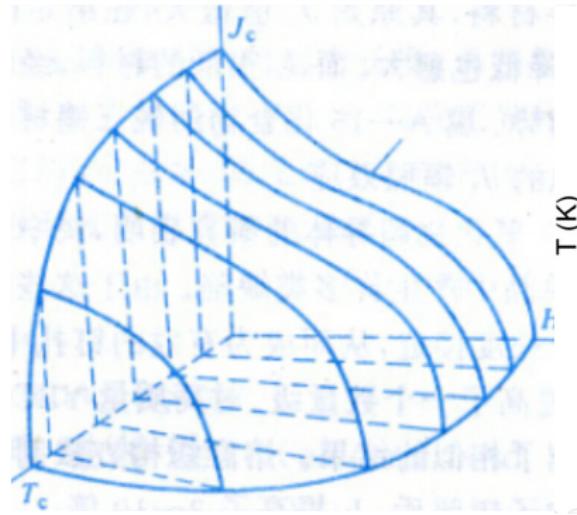
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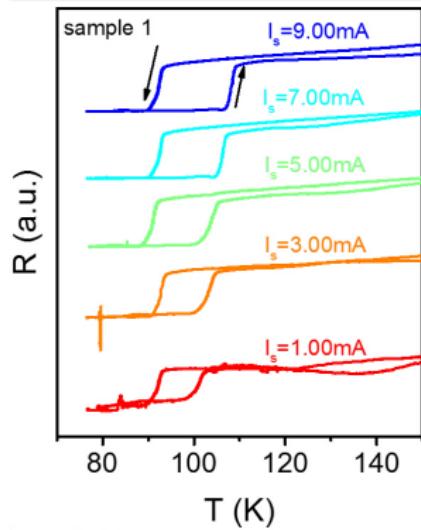
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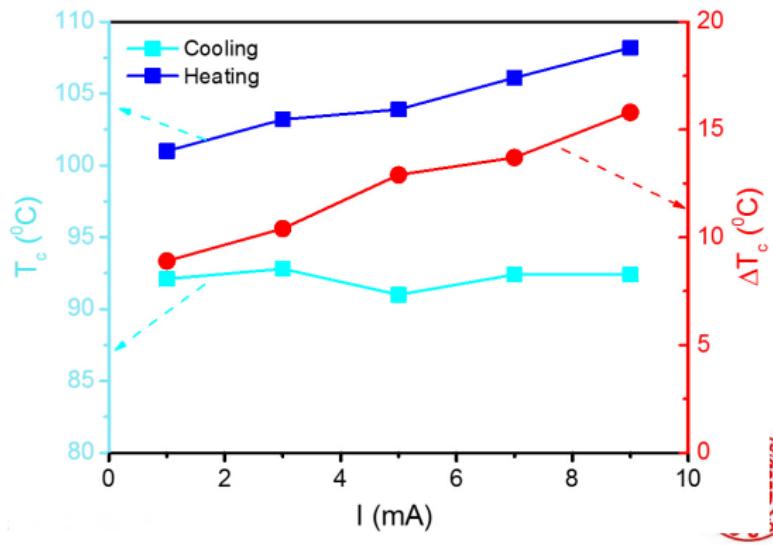
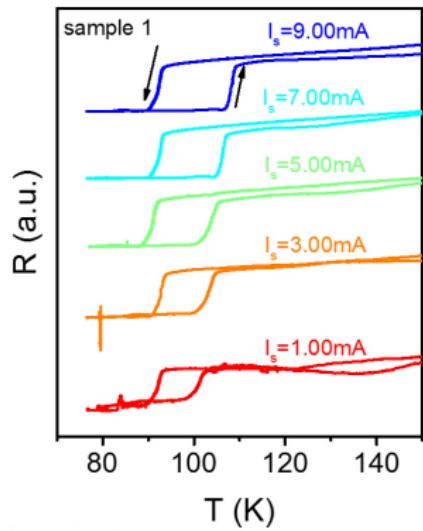
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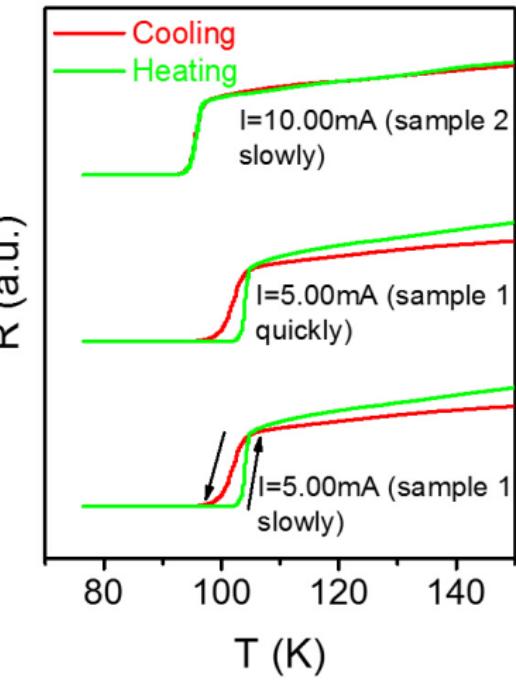


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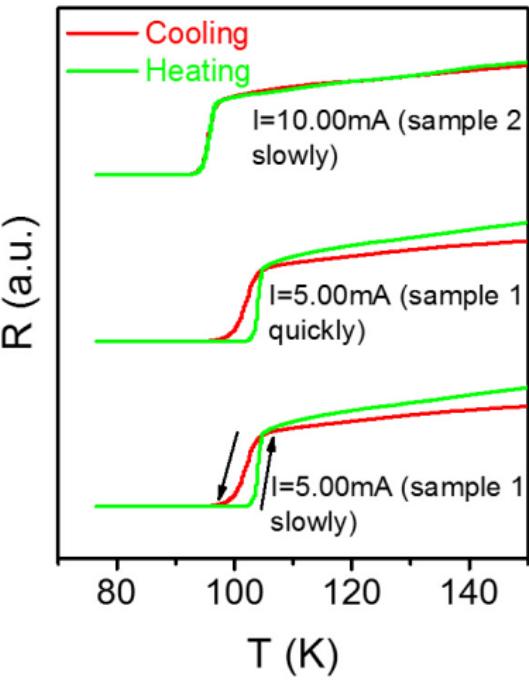
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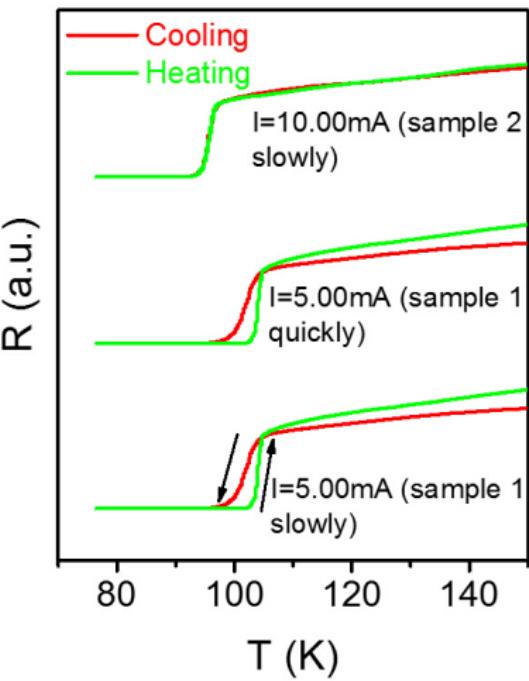


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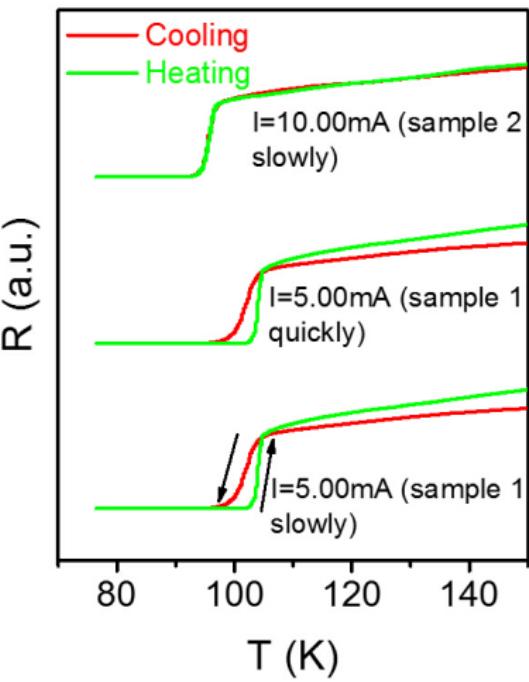
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