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The importance of crystalline phases in ice nucleation by volcanic ash

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Supplementary Material

Table S1. Bulk chemical composition of the tephra and glass samples used in this study, determined by X-ray fluorescence and normalised to 100 wt.% (excluding loss on ignition).

Sample ^a	SiO ₂	Al ₂ O ₃	Fe ₂ O ₃	MgO	CaO	Na ₂ O	K ₂ O	TiO ₂	MnO	P ₂ O ₅
<i>Tephra</i>										
LIP _{teph}	75.5	13.0	1.6	0.0	0.8	3.7	5.2	0.1	0.1	0.0
COL _{teph}	61.7	18.9	4.4	1.9	5.9	4.9	1.4	0.5	0.1	0.2
TUN _{teph}	59.4	17.5	6.3	3.2	6.5	4.1	1.9	0.9	0.1	0.2
CID _{teph}	62.4	17.4	4.2	0.9	1.5	7.0	5.3	0.9	0.2	0.2
AST _{teph}	59.5	18.9	4.2	0.9	3.2	4.0	8.6	0.5	0.1	0.2
NUO _{teph}	60.3	19.9	3.3	0.2	1.9	6.4	7.2	0.4	0.2	0.0
LAC _{teph}	59.0	21.3	2.5	0.3	1.1	9.4	5.6	0.3	0.3	0.1
ETN _{teph}	47.7	17.3	11.3	5.2	10.4	3.6	2.0	1.7	0.2	0.6
KIL _{teph}	50.4	13.2	12.4	8.0	10.4	2.2	0.5	2.4	0.2	0.2
<i>Glass</i>										
LIP _{glass}	75.4	13.0	1.7	0.1	0.8	3.7	5.2	0.1	0.1	0.0
COL _{glass}	61.8	18.8	4.3	2.0	5.9	4.8	1.4	0.5	0.1	0.2
TUN _{glass}	59.4	17.5	6.3	3.2	6.5	4.1	1.9	0.9	0.1	0.2
CID _{glass}	62.3	17.4	4.4	0.9	1.7	6.9	5.2	0.9	0.2	0.2
AST _{glass}	59.6	18.9	4.2	0.9	3.2	3.9	8.5	0.5	0.1	0.2
NUO _{glass}	60.6	20.0	3.3	0.2	1.9	6.2	7.0	0.4	0.2	0.0
LAC _{glass}	59.0	21.4	2.5	0.3	1.1	9.4	5.5	0.3	0.4	0.1
ETN _{glass}	47.7	17.4	11.2	5.2	10.4	3.6	2.0	1.7	0.2	0.6
KIL _{glass}	50.6	13.1	12.1	7.9	10.7	2.2	0.4	2.4	0.2	0.2

^aSample codes are listed in Table 1.

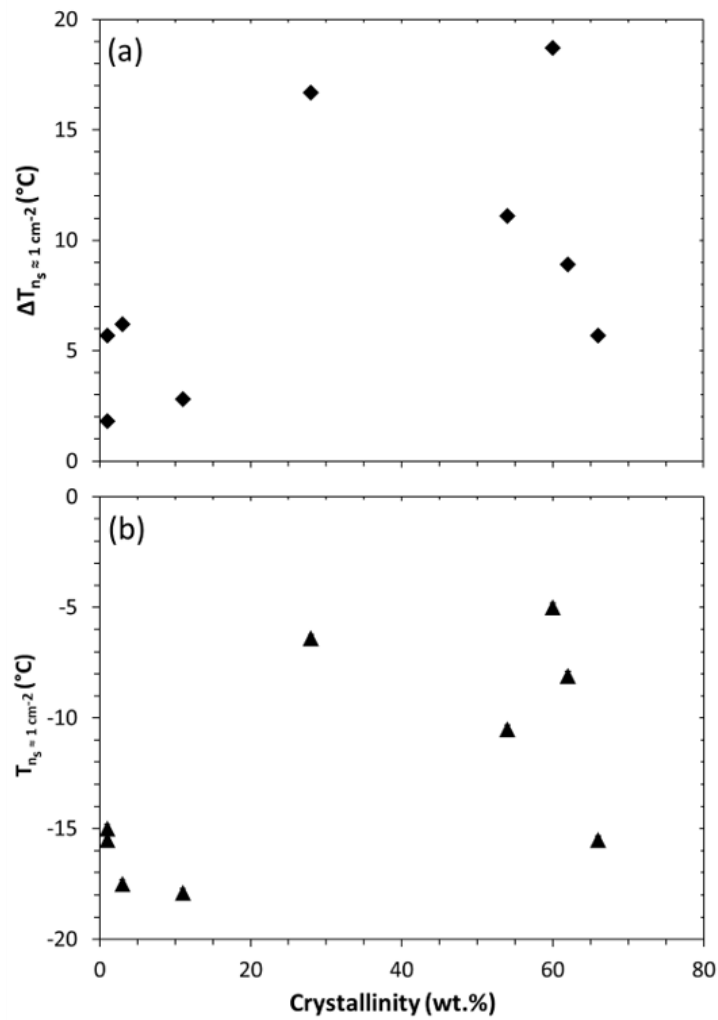


Figure S1. (a) The difference in INA ($\Delta T_{n_s \approx 1 \text{ cm}^{-2}}$) between the tephra and glass in each pair versus the crystallinity of the tephra, and (b) the INA ($T_{n_s \approx 1 \text{ cm}^{-2}}$) of the tephra versus the crystallinity of the tephra. Note that crystallinity below the XRD quantification limit (LIP_{teph} , CID_{teph}) is plotted at 1 wt.%. Ice nucleation experiments were conducted with 1 wt.% suspensions of tephra or glass in water. The uncertainty in $T_{n_s \approx 1 \text{ cm}^{-2}}$ is shown as error bars (note that these are obscured by the data symbols).

Text S1. Electron microprobe analysis of the tephra samples was performed using a Cameca SX-100 instrument equipped with a LaB₆ cathode. A 10 μm focused beam was used at an accelerating voltage of 15 keV and a current of 5 nA to analyse at least five points for each crystalline phase in the tephra samples. Calibration was done on the following standard materials: albite - Na, Si; periclase - Mg; orthoclase - K, Al; wollastonite - Ca, Si; Fe₂O₃ - Fe; Cr₂O₃ - Cr; ilmenite - Ti; bustamite - Mn; apatite - P; vanadinite - Cl; anhydrite - S. Elemental detection limits in parts per million are as follows: Si - 786, Al - 655, Fe - 1573, Mg - 501, Ca - 747, Na - 973, K - 711, Ti - 894, Mn - 1401, P - 568, Cr - 1286, S - 767, Cl - 955.

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Table S2. Average chemical composition of feldspar in tephra samples used in this study, determined by electron microprobe analysis and expressed in wt.%.

Sample ^a		SiO ₂	Al ₂ O ₃	Fe ₂ O ₃	MgO	CaO	Na ₂ O	K ₂ O	TiO ₂	MnO	P ₂ O ₅	Cr ₂ O ₃	SO ₃	Cl	Total	Na ₂ O/CaO in <i>pl</i>	K ₂ O/Na ₂ O in <i>al</i>
COL _{teph}	<i>pl</i>	54.2	28.1	0.76	0.05	10.8	5.6	0.22	<d.l.	<d.l.	<d.l.	-	-	-	99.7	0.5	-
TUN _{teph}	<i>pl</i>	55.7	27.4	1.1	0.10	10.9	5.3	0.44	0.09	<d.l.	<d.l.	<d.l.	<d.l.	<d.l.	101.0	0.5	-
AST _{teph}	<i>pl</i>	54.6	26.9	0.68	<d.l.	9.6	4.7	2.5	0.04	<d.l.	<d.l.	<d.l.	-	<d.l.	99.0	0.5	-
	<i>al</i>	63.7	19.3	0.40	<d.l.	0.84	2.5	12.4	0.10	<d.l.	-	<d.l.	<d.l.	-	99.2	-	5.0
NUO _{teph}	<i>al</i>	64.0	20.7	0.85	<d.l.	2.1	5.9	7.0	0.16	<d.l.	<d.l.	<d.l.	<d.l.	<d.l.	100.7	-	1.2
LAC _{teph}	<i>al</i>	63.9	20.2	0.76	0.05	1.3	4.8	9.2	0.14	<d.l.	<d.l.	<d.l.	<d.l.	<d.l.	100.4	-	1.9
ETN _{teph}	<i>pl</i>	48.5	32.4	1.2	0.08	15.9	2.5	0.22	0.09	<d.l.	<d.l.	<d.l.	<d.l.	-	100.9	0.2	-
KIL _{teph}	<i>pl</i>	50.3	31.0	1.0	0.17	15.4	3.0	0.12	0.11	-	<d.l.	-	<d.l.	-	101.1	0.2	-

^aSample codes are listed in Table 1. *pl* = plagioclase (Na-/Ca-) feldspar, *al* = alkali (K-) feldspar. d.l. = detection limit.

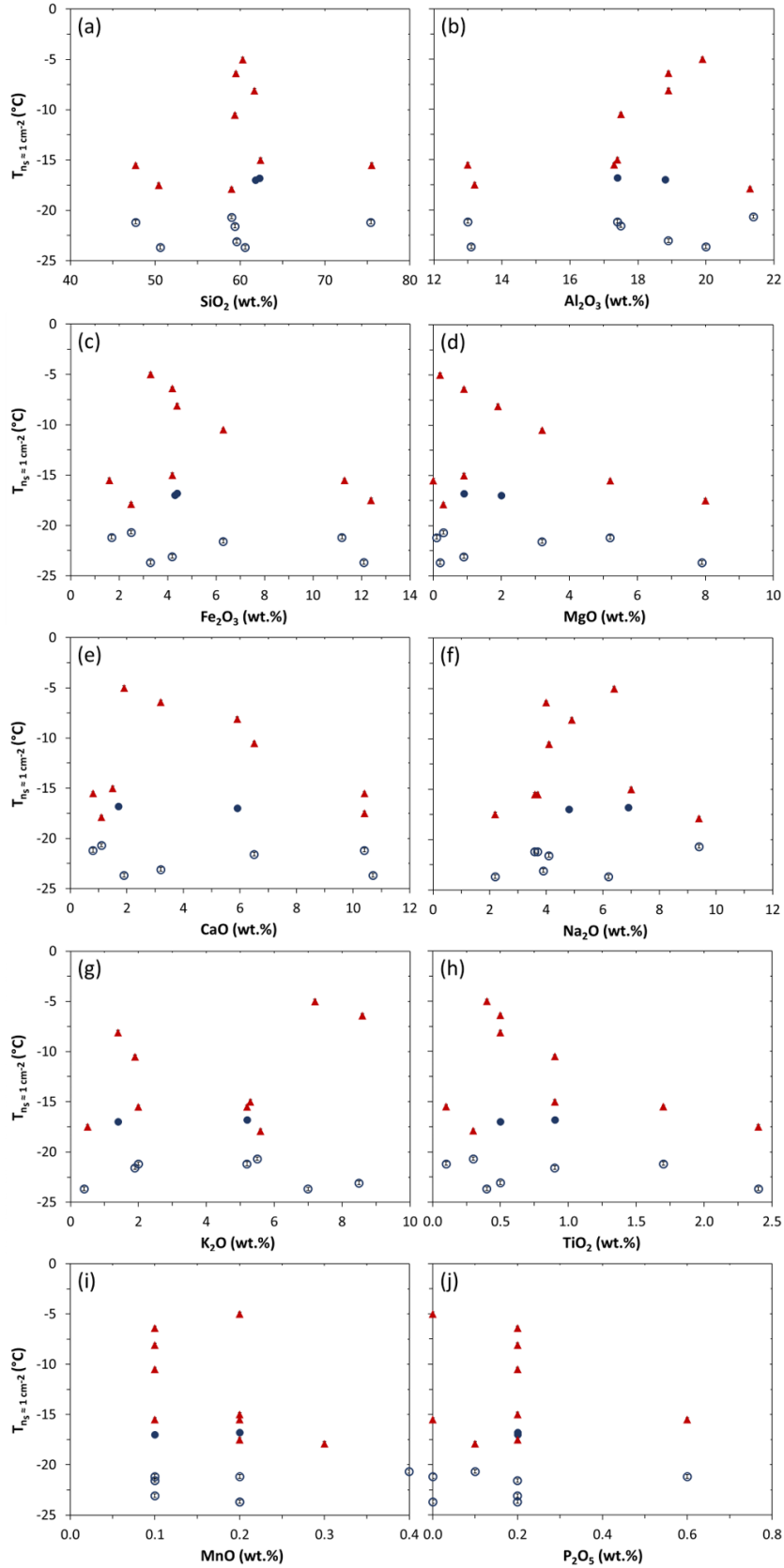


Figure S2. The INA ($T_{n_s \approx 1 \text{ cm}^{-2}}$) of the tephra (red triangles) and glass (blue circles) versus their (a) SiO_2 , (b) Al_2O_3 , (c) Fe_2O_3 , (d) MgO , (e) CaO , (f) Na_2O , (g) K_2O , (h) TiO_2 , (i) MnO , and (j) P_2O_5 contents. The open blue circles correspond to glasses (all except $\text{CID}_{\text{glass}}$ and $\text{COL}_{\text{glass}}$) for which ice nucleation cannot be distinguished from that induced by the background water. Ice nucleation experiments were conducted with 1 wt.% suspensions of tephra or glass in water. The uncertainty in $T_{n_s \approx 1 \text{ cm}^{-2}}$ is shown as error bars (note that these are obscured by the data symbols).