

*Supplementary Material*

**Synchrotron radiation spectroscopy and transmission electron microscopy techniques to evaluate TiO<sub>2</sub> NPs incorporation, speciation and impact on root cells ultrastructure of *Pisum sativum* L. plants**

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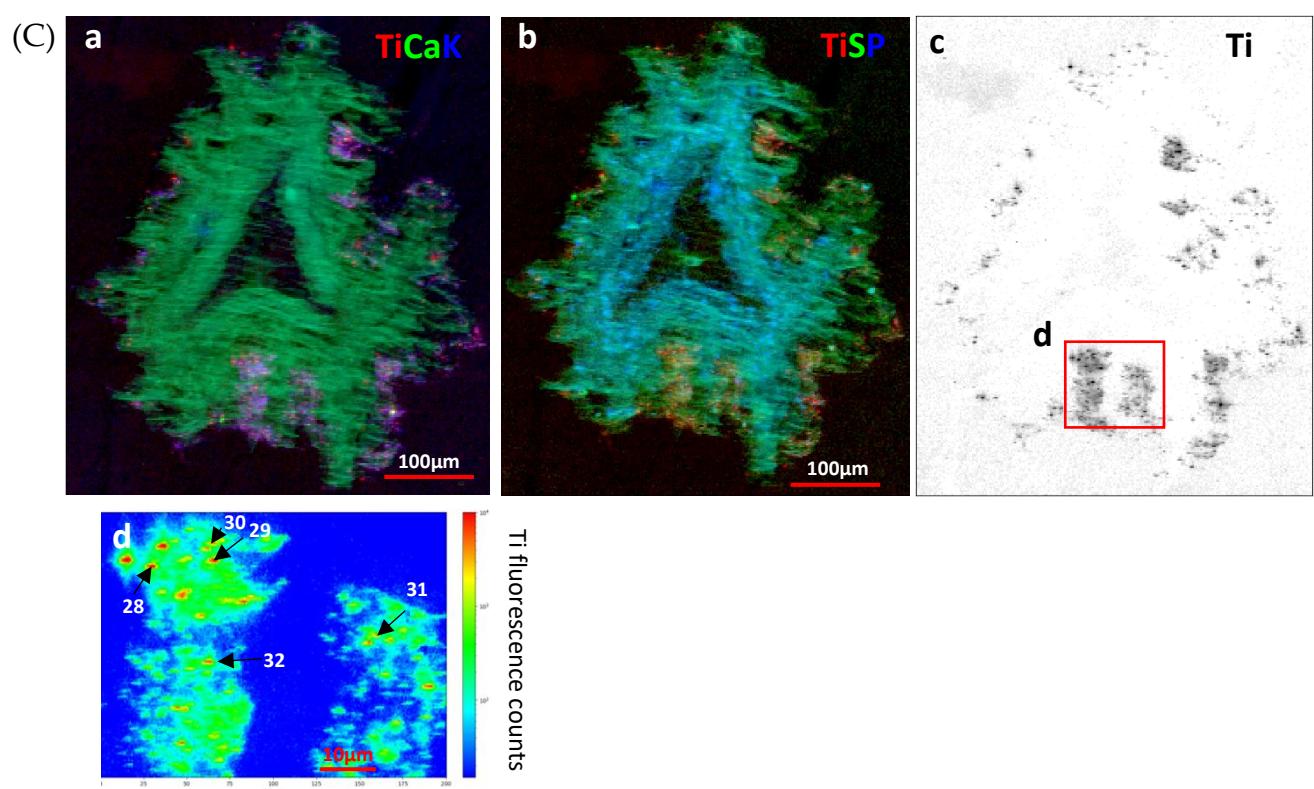
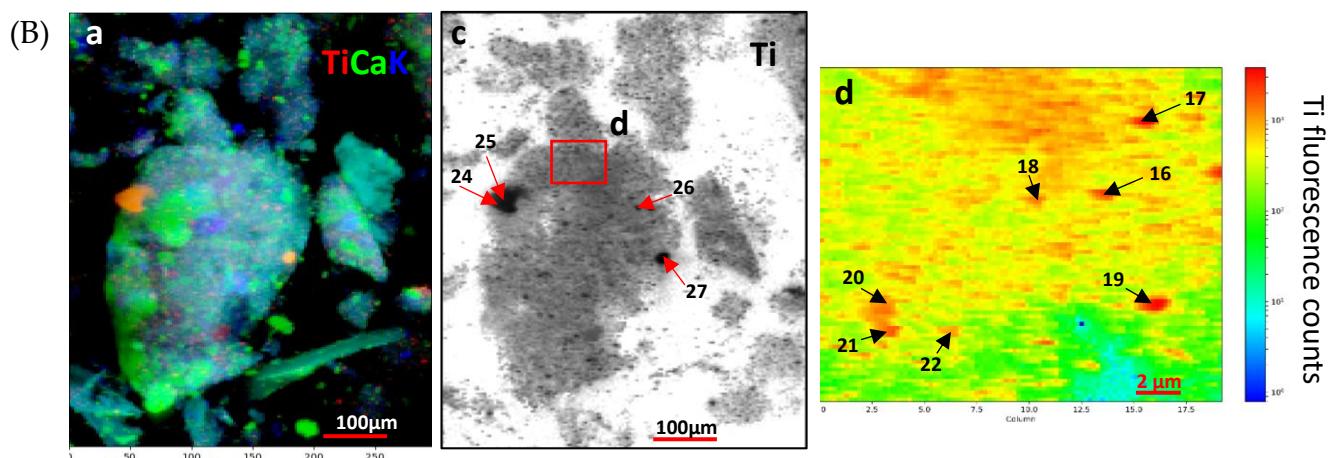
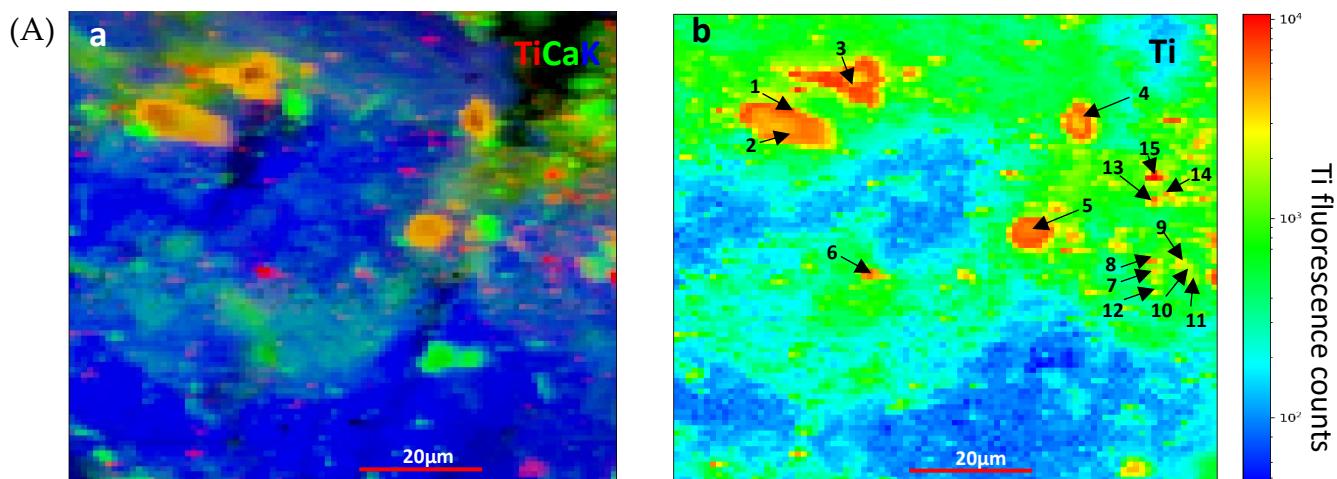
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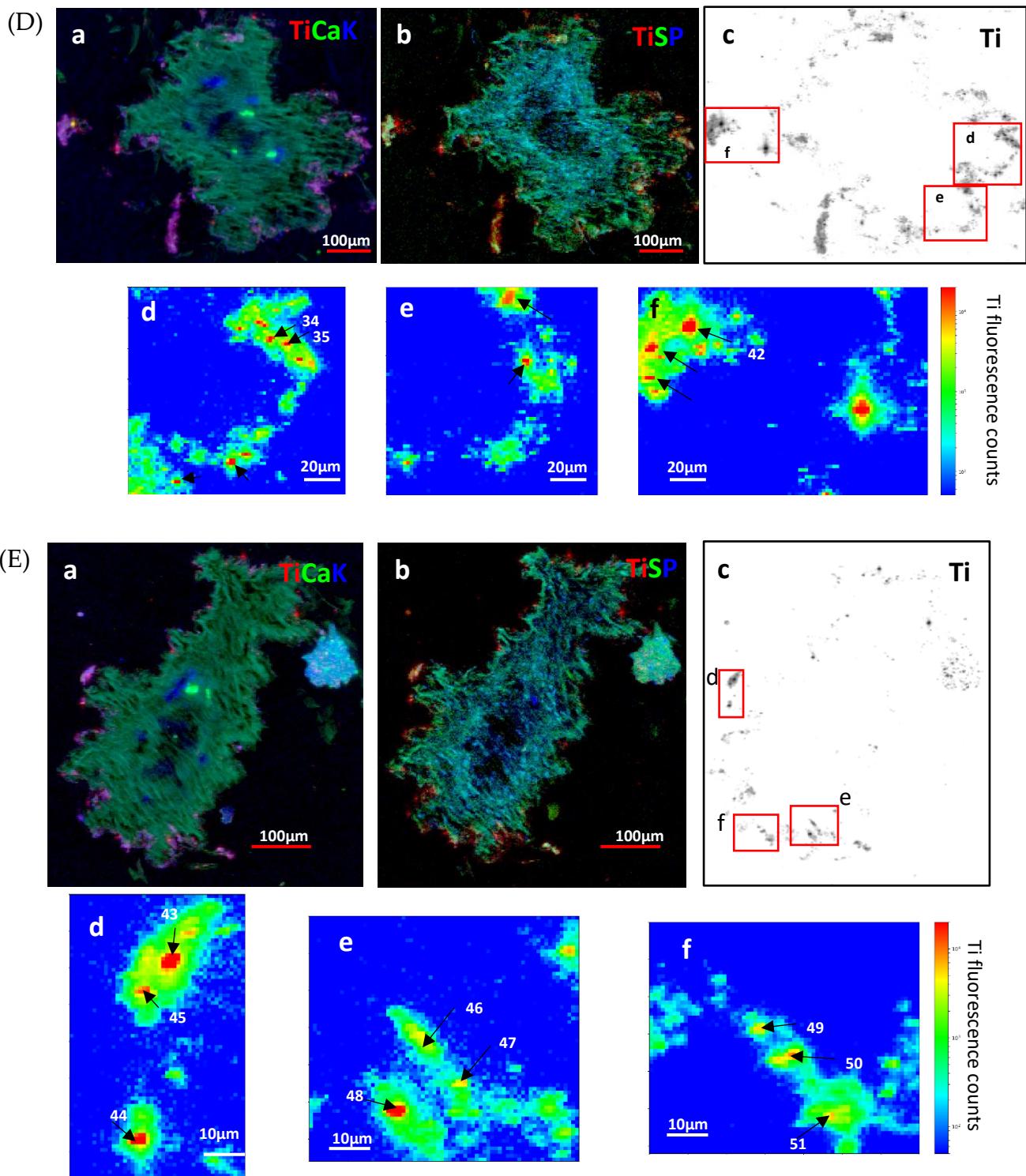
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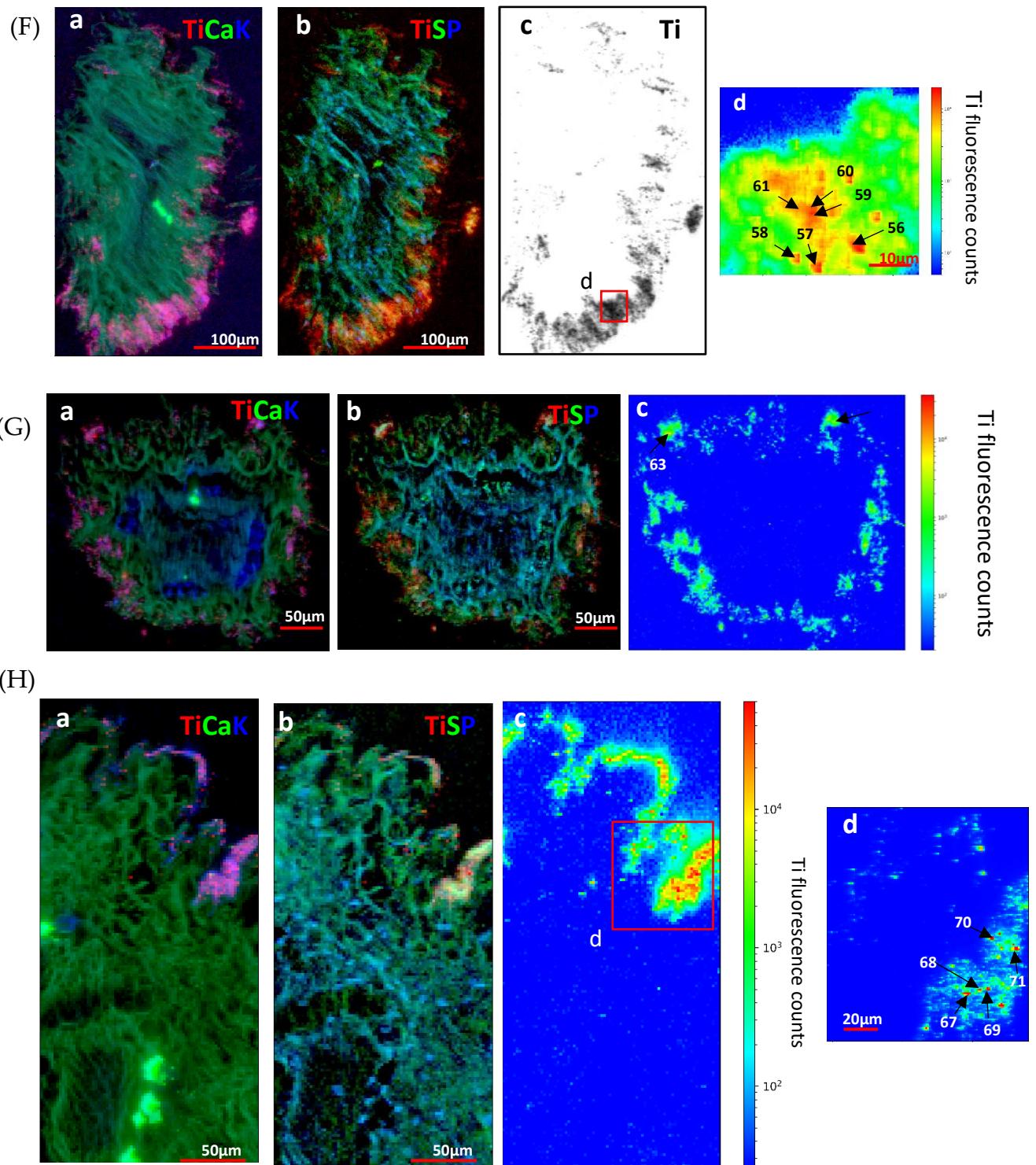
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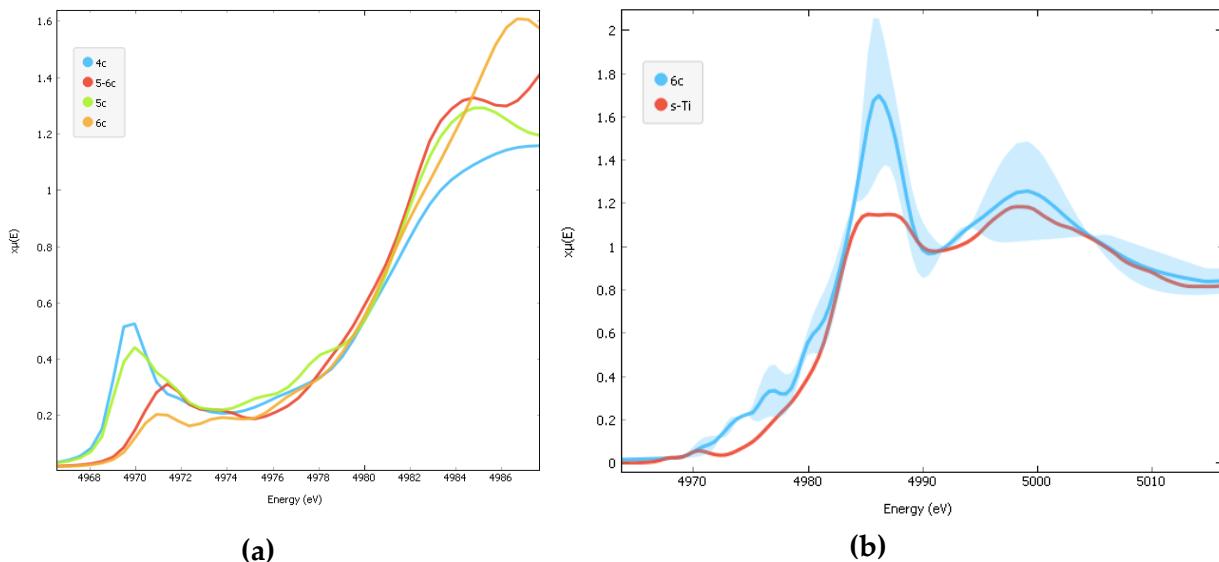
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**Figure S1** Tricolor and heat of  $\mu$ XRF maps showing the Ti distribution in all samples. Arrows indicate points where  $\mu$ XANES were collected and numbers correspond to spectrum number indicated in Table S3. Red squares localize the magnified areas used for Ti spots focalization: (A) soil, (B) Bs, (C) control root, (D), (E) Ana800 roots, (F) Rut800 root, (G) Mix800 root, (H) SMP800 root.



**Figure S2** Pre-peak spectral from theoretical spectra of (a) Ti sites with different coordination numbers (4c, 5c, 6c, 5-6c); (b) spectral comparison of c-Ti with the theoretical spectra from  $\text{Ti}_4(\text{FeO}_4)_3$  (mvc-14970, cubic),  $\text{Ti}_3\text{Fe}_3\text{O}$  (mp-504733, cubic), see Table S1 for more details.

**Table S1** List of Ti-compounds used to obtain theoretical XANES spectra from the <https://materialsproject.org/>. The coordination number (CN) was obtained by observation of the cell

unit structures. The ID number can be used to access all the structural information deposited in this data base.

Formula	ID	CN	Tag	Point Group	Crystal System
Na <sub>2</sub> TiSiO <sub>5</sub>	mp-621926	4c	disodiumtecto-titanosilicate	4/m	tetragonal
Ba <sub>2</sub> TiO <sub>4</sub>	mp-3397	4c	dibarium titanate	2/m	monoclinic
Na <sub>6</sub> Ti <sub>2</sub> O <sub>7</sub>	mp-777423	4c	none	2/m	monoclinic
Na <sub>6</sub> Ti <sub>2</sub> O <sub>7</sub>	mp-778364	4c	none	2/m	monoclinic
Na <sub>2</sub> Ti <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	mp-779729	4c	none	mm2	orthorhombic
Ti <sub>2</sub> FeO <sub>5</sub>	mp-31857	5-6c	iron dititanium oxide	mmm	orthorhombic
TiFe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	mp-24977	5-6c	pseudobrookite rubidium 13-	mmm	orthorhombic
Rb <sub>2</sub> Ti <sub>6</sub> O <sub>13</sub>	mp-540784	5-6c	oxohexatitanite	2/m	monoclinic
Sr <sub>4</sub> Ti <sub>5</sub> (Si <sub>2</sub> O <sub>11</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	mp-558553	5-6c	matsubarite	2/m	monoclinic
Na <sub>2</sub> Ti <sub>3</sub> O <sub>7</sub>	mp-3488	5-6c	disodium titanate	2/m	monoclinic
Na <sub>2</sub> TiSiO <sub>5</sub>	mp-6138	5c	natisite disodium tecto-	4/mmm	tetragonal
Na <sub>2</sub> TiSiO <sub>5</sub>	mp-555976	5c	titanosilicate	mm2	orthorhombic
Ba <sub>2</sub> Ti(SiO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	mp-6081	5c	barium titanium silicate dipotassium dititanium	4mm	tetragonal
K <sub>2</sub> Ti <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	mp-28075	5c	oxide	2/m	monoclinic
Rb <sub>2</sub> TiO <sub>3</sub>	mp-5403	5c	dirubidium titanate	mmm	orthorhombic
KNaTiO <sub>3</sub>	mp-560767	5c	potassium sodium titanate	2/m	monoclinic
Ba <sub>2</sub> Ti(GeO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	mp-6289	5c	dibarium titanogermanate	4mm	tetragonal
Na <sub>2</sub> Ti <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	mp-779477	5c	none	2/m	monoclinic
NaTiO <sub>3</sub>	mp-977123	5c	none	m-3m	cubic
TiFeO <sub>3</sub>	mp-19270	6c	ilmenite	3m	trigonal
TiFe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	mp-566709	6c	di-iron(III) titanate	2/m	monoclinic
Ti(FeO <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	mp-33684	6c	none	mmm	orthorhombic
TiFe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	mp-19255	6c	di-iron(III) titanium oxide	2/m	monoclinic
TiFeO <sub>3</sub>	mp-25002	6c	iron(III) titanate	mmm	orthorhombic
TiFeO <sub>3</sub>	mp-19074	6c	iron(III) titanate	mmm	orthorhombic
Ti <sub>4</sub> (FeO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub>	mvc-14970	6c	none	m-3	cubic
Ti <sub>3</sub> Fe <sub>7</sub> O <sub>15</sub>	mp-34287	6c	none	m	monoclinic
Ti <sub>3</sub> Fe <sub>3</sub> O	mp-504733	6c	iron titanium oxide	m-3m	cubic
Ti(FeO <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>4</sub>	mp-35482	6c	none	2/m	monoclinic
Ti <sub>2</sub> Fe <sub>4</sub> O <sub>9</sub>	mp-766757	6c	none	m	monoclinic
Na <sub>2</sub> TiSi <sub>4</sub> O <sub>11</sub>	mp-556283	6c	sodium titanium silicate	4/m	tetragonal
Na <sub>2</sub> Ti <sub>2</sub> Si <sub>2</sub> O <sub>9</sub>	mp-5996	6c	ramsayite	mmm	orthorhombic
NaTi <sub>2</sub> O <sub>4</sub>	mp-29356	6c	none	mmm	orthorhombic
Na <sub>4</sub> Ti <sub>5</sub> O <sub>12</sub>	mp-555678	6c	none	-3	trigonal
TiO <sub>2</sub>	mp-390	6c	anatase	4/mmm	tetragonal
TiO <sub>2</sub>	mp-2657	6c	rutile	4/mmm	tetragonal
TiO <sub>2</sub>	mp-1840	6c	brookite	mmm	orthorhombic

**Table S2** Confusion matrix from the logistic regression model performed with the experimental data from plants, soils and biosolid. The target category used was created from the PCA groups obtained from the data and named Rut (rutile like), Ana (anatase like), Ilm (ilmenite like) and s-Ti (Ti-containing compound from soil).

		Predicted				
		Ana	Ilm	Rut	s-Ti	sum
Actual	Ana	38	1	1	0	40
	Ilm	0	10	0	2	12
	Rut	2	0	14	0	16
	s-Ti	1	0	0	4	5
	sum	41	11	15	6	

**Table S3** List of spectrum numbers used to indicate the locations in the  $\mu$ XRF map (Figure S1 A-H). Treatment and phase (according to PCA grouping is included). Missing numbers are from spectra used in the PCA model but specific map location was not possible to be attributed; \* indicates spectra from soil sample that was analyzed a second time, the spectra was considered as another point in the sample as this was repeated several hours after the relocation precision is then not precise to  $\mu\text{m}$ .

Spectrum #	Treatment	Phase	Figure S1
1	soil	s-Ti *	(A)
2	soil	s-Ti *	(A)
3	soil	IIm	(A)
4	soil	IIm	(A)
5	soil	s-Ti	(A)
6	soil	Ana	(A)
7	soil	Ana	(A)
8	soil	Ana	(A)
9	soil	Rut	(A)
10	soil	Rut	(A)
11	soil	Rut	(A)
12	soil	Ana	(A)
13	soil	Ana	(A)
14	soil	IIm	(A)
15	soil	Ana	(A)
16	biosolid	Rut	(B)
17	biosolid	Rut	(B)
18	biosolid	Ana	(B)
19	biosolid	Rut	(B)
20	biosolid	Rut	(B)
21	biosolid	Rut	(B)
22	biosolid	Rut	(B)
23	biosolid	Ana	(B)
24	biosolid	IIm	(B)
25	biosolid	IIm	(B)
26	biosolid	IIm	(B)
27	biosolid	IIm	(B)
28	C	Ana	(C)
29	C	IIm	(C)
30	C	Ana	(C)
31	C	Ana	(C)
32	C	Ana	(C)
	C	Ana	(C)
34	Ana800	IIm	(D)
35	Ana800	Ana	(D)
36	Ana800	IIm	(D)

37	Ana800	Ana	(D)
38	Ana800	IIm	(D)
39	Ana800	Ana	(D)
40	Ana800	Rut	(D)
41	Ana800	Ana	(D)
42	Ana800	IIm	(D)
43	Ana800	Rut	(E)
44	Ana800	Ana	(E)
45	Ana800	Ana	(E)
46	Ana800	Ana	(E)
47	Ana800	Ana	(E)
48	Ana800	Ana	(E)
49	Ana800	Ana	(E)
50	Ana800	Ana	(E)
51	Ana800	Ana	(E)
	Ana800	Ana	(E)
	Ana800	ilm	(E)
	Ana800	Rut	(E)
	Ana800	Ana	(E)
56	Rut800	Ana	(F)
57	Rut800	Ana	(F)
58	Rut800	Ana	(F)
59	Rut800	Rut	(F)
60	Rut800	Rut	(F)
61	Rut800	Rut	(F)
62	Rut800	Rut	(F)
63	Mix800	Ana	(G)
64	Mix800	Ana	(G)
65	Mix800	Ana	(G)
66	Mix800	Ana	(G)
67	SMP800	Ana	(H)
68	SMP800	Ana	(H)
69	SMP800	Ana	(H)
	SMP800	Ana	(H)
71	SMP800	Ana	(H)