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# Geological position and origin of augen gneisses from the Polička Unit, eastern Bohemian Massif

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Augen gneisses are a peculiar lithological type of the Polička Unit (PU), which can be divided into two main petrographic groups: augen metagranitoids and migmatitic augen gneisses. Both of the groups represent products of magmatic and metamorphic processes along the contact between the Svratka and Polička units in the eastern Bohemian Massif.

Tonalitic to granodioritic synkinematic intrusions were emplaced into metasedimentary rocks of the Polička Unit during the Late Variscan orogeny, forming plutonic bodies and dykes. Residual fluids from granitic melts pervasively infiltrated the metasedimentary protolith causing a fluid-enhanced partial melting. The P-T conditions of partial melting in the southern part of the PU were estimated at ~ 750–800 °C and 7 kbar. Melting produced porphyroblastic migmatites with a granite composition. The characteristic augen textures developed from granitic and migmatitic protoliths during a high-temperature deformation in subsolidus conditions. Both the augen metagranitoids and the migmatitic augen gneisses were affected by a subsequent deformation in the shear zone related with thrusting of the Polička Unit over the Svratka Unit.

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## 1. Introduction

Augen gneiss is a general term for gneissic rocks containing oval or lenticular crystals or their aggregates usually composed of feldspars. The feldspar porphyroblasts or porphyroclasts vary from mm to cm sizes. Augen gneisses are common and widely distributed metamorphic rocks in orogenic belts the genesis of which is variously interpreted. Vassallo and Vernon (2000) explained the augen gneisses as pre- to syn- kinematic intrusions of megacrystic granite. Hutton and Reavy (1992), Vernon and Paterson (2002) and some others described augen gneisses as a product of deformation, especially in shear zones. Augen gneisses were also interpreted as results of metasomatic processes in metasediments. For instance, Pinarelli et al. (2008) explained development of K-feldspar bearing augen gneisses by a model of infiltration of residual hydrous magmas into a metasedimentary protolith. Other types of augen gneisses are thought to be formed by segregation of feldspar (and quartz) crystals and aggregates during migmatization (Mehnert 1968). Generally it is assumed that K-feldspar porphyroblasts are typical of deformed granites, whereas plagioclase forms augen in gneiss of the diorite or tonalite protoliths (Buriánek ed. 2009).

Dark grey gneisses with oval feldspar megacrysts (augen) up to several mm in size (known also as pearl gneisses in the Central European literature) are conspicu-

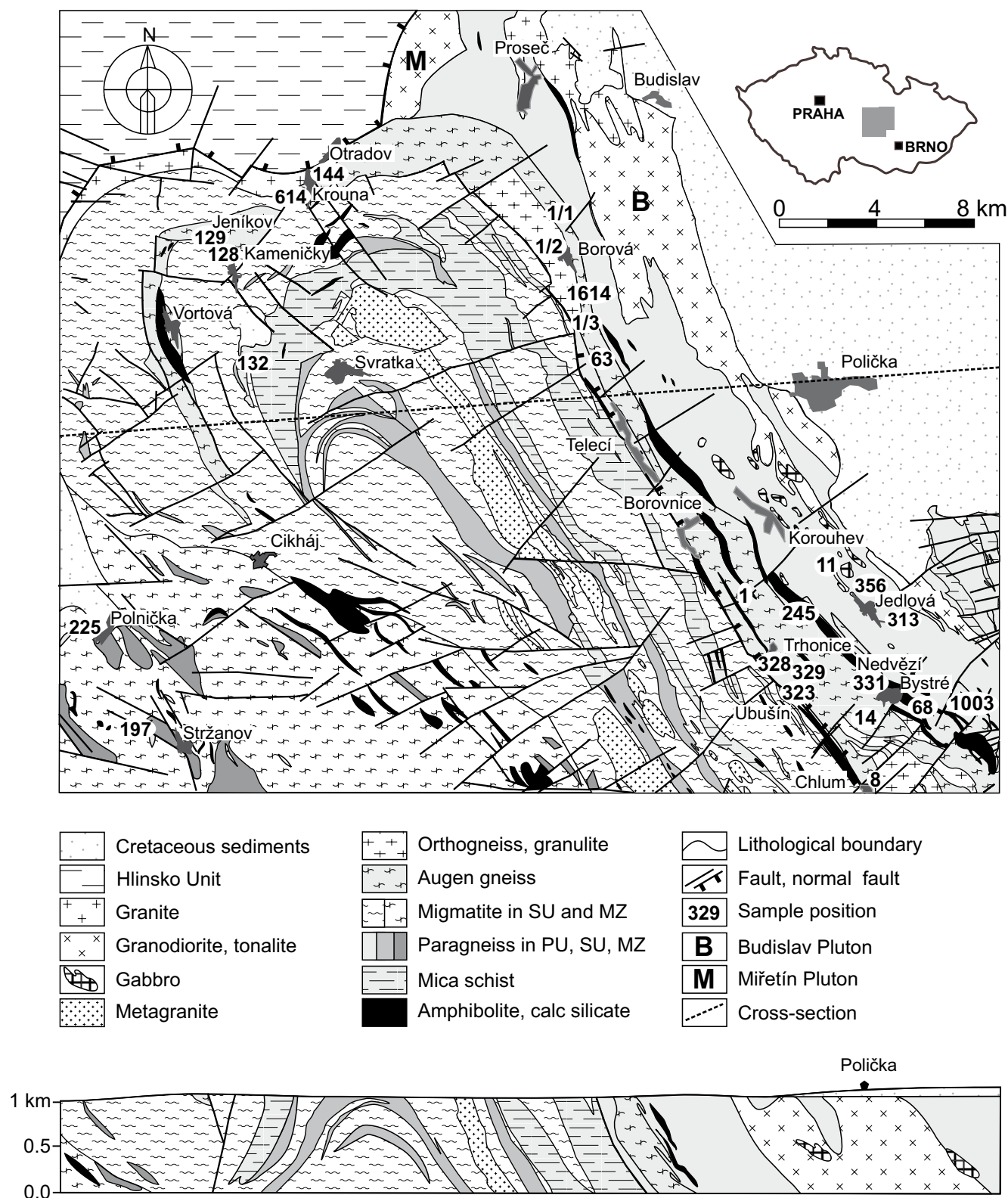
ous rocks of the Polička Unit (PU) in the eastern Bohemian Massif. Although the works cited above deal mostly with K-feldspar augen in (granitic) gneisses, those from granitic–granodioritic gneisses of the PU have predominantly a plagioclase composition.

Even though the augen gneisses in the PU bear distinctive metamorphic fabrics with penetrative foliation and banding suggesting a metasedimentary protolith, the relics of magmatic fabric are also present. The fuzzy and transitional contacts with surrounding paragneisses also complicate the interpretation of their origin. This fact lead different authors to various genetic interpretations – for example, Melichar ed. (2008) designated them as deformed tonalites and granodiorites, on the other hand Misař (1961) described them as migmatites.

Not only the apparent contrast between the presence of plagioclase in augen and prevailing granitic to granodioritic bulk chemical composition of the Polička augen gneiss merits discussion. The distinctive textures and homogenous geochemistry of augen gneisses make them a potentially useful lithological marker in a geological reconstruction of E and NE parts of the Bohemian Massif.

## 2. Geological position

The Polička Unit (PU) is situated in the E part of the Bohemian Massif and in the classic concept of Misař et



**Fig. 1** Geological map of the Svratka and Polička units and of the NE part of Moldanubian Zone at the eastern margin of the Bohemian Massif. Sample locations and W–E geological cross-section are also shown. PU – Polička Unit, SU – Svratka Unit, MZ – Moldanubian Zone. Modified from Melichar ed. (2008), Mrázová ed. (2008), Hanžl ed. (2008), Rejchrt ed. (2009), Buriánek ed. (2009), Čech ed. (2009) and Stárková and Macek (1994).

al. (1983) it belongs to the Bohemicum. The main part of this unit is exposed in a NW–SE oriented belt (Fig. 1) approximately between Proseč and Bystré. Generally, the PU occurs between the metamorphic rocks of the Svratka Unit in the SW, and the Lower Palaeozoic volcanosedimentary complex of the Hlinsko Unit in the NW. Contact of the PU with the Svratka Unit in the footwall is marked by a narrow discontinuous belt of amphibolites. The boundary was subsequently tectonically reworked by younger, steep NNW–SSE oriented normal faults (Melichar 1993). The Hlinsko Unit in the hanging wall of PU is separated from metamorphic rocks by a significant normal fault of NE–SW to E–W strike. Sediments of the Bohemian Cretaceous basin cover the rocks of PU at the NE.

A belt with equivalents of Polička augen gneisses, newly recognised during the geological survey of the Žďárské vrchy area (Hanžl ed. 2008; Hrdličková ed. 2008; Mrázová ed. 2008; Buriánek ed. 2009; Čech ed. 2009 and Rejchrt ed. 2009) is exposed as a E–W oriented tectonic slice inside the Svratka Unit between Krouna, Kamenický nad Votovou. There it bends to S towards Cikháj and continues further to the Moldanubian Zone, where it is exposed in an isolated relic near Stržanov.

The PU is built by three main lithotectonic sequences (Melichar 1993) intruded by several magmatic bodies. The variegated **lower subunit** forms the base of the PU and it is overlain by a monotonous **middle subunit** and the topmost metasedimentary **upper subunit** in the tectonic hanging wall. All subunits are elongated parallel with the regional metamorphic foliation which is NW–SE striking and dipping at medium angle towards the NE in the main part of PU between Proseč and Bystré. Foliations in western blocks of the PU follow the strike of the boundary between the Hlinsko and Svratka units (Fig. 2). The strike of the belt with augen gneiss further to SW between Krouna and Cikháj is concordant with foliation in adjacent rocks of the Svratka Unit. This is in agreement with the concept of antiform structure of the unit recognised firstly by Rosiwal (1895).

During the Variscan orogeny, the PU was intruded by a number of intrusive bodies. The following magmatic suites were distinguished by Buriánek et al. (2003) (1) the earliest basic suite of gabbros and diorites, (2) tonalite suite and (3) the latest granite suite.

The most widespread tonalite suite forms the Budislav Pluton which is exposed in a N part of the PU and is partially covered by Cretaceous sediments. Main elongated body situated between Budislav and Polička is concordant with the NNW–SSE oriented structural trend in this unit and it is accompanied by small satellite bodies towards SE. The Budislav Pluton was dated at  $350 \pm 5$  Ma by U–Pb method on zircon (Vondrovic and Verner 2008).

Miřetín Pluton is situated in the NW prolongation of the PU and rims the contact between the Polička and Hlinsko units. The P–T conditions of intrusion were estimated at *c.* 660 °C and 3–4 kbar (Hanžl ed. 2008). This body is built by deformed rocks of tonalite suite (Buriánek et al. 2003) dated by U–Pb zircon method at  $348 \pm 7$  Ma (Vondrovic and Verner 2008). Pitra and Guiard (1996) interpreted the Miřetín Pluton as a late Variscan syn-tectonic tonalite intrusion related to a normal ductile shear zone developed along contact between the Svratka and Hlinsko regions.

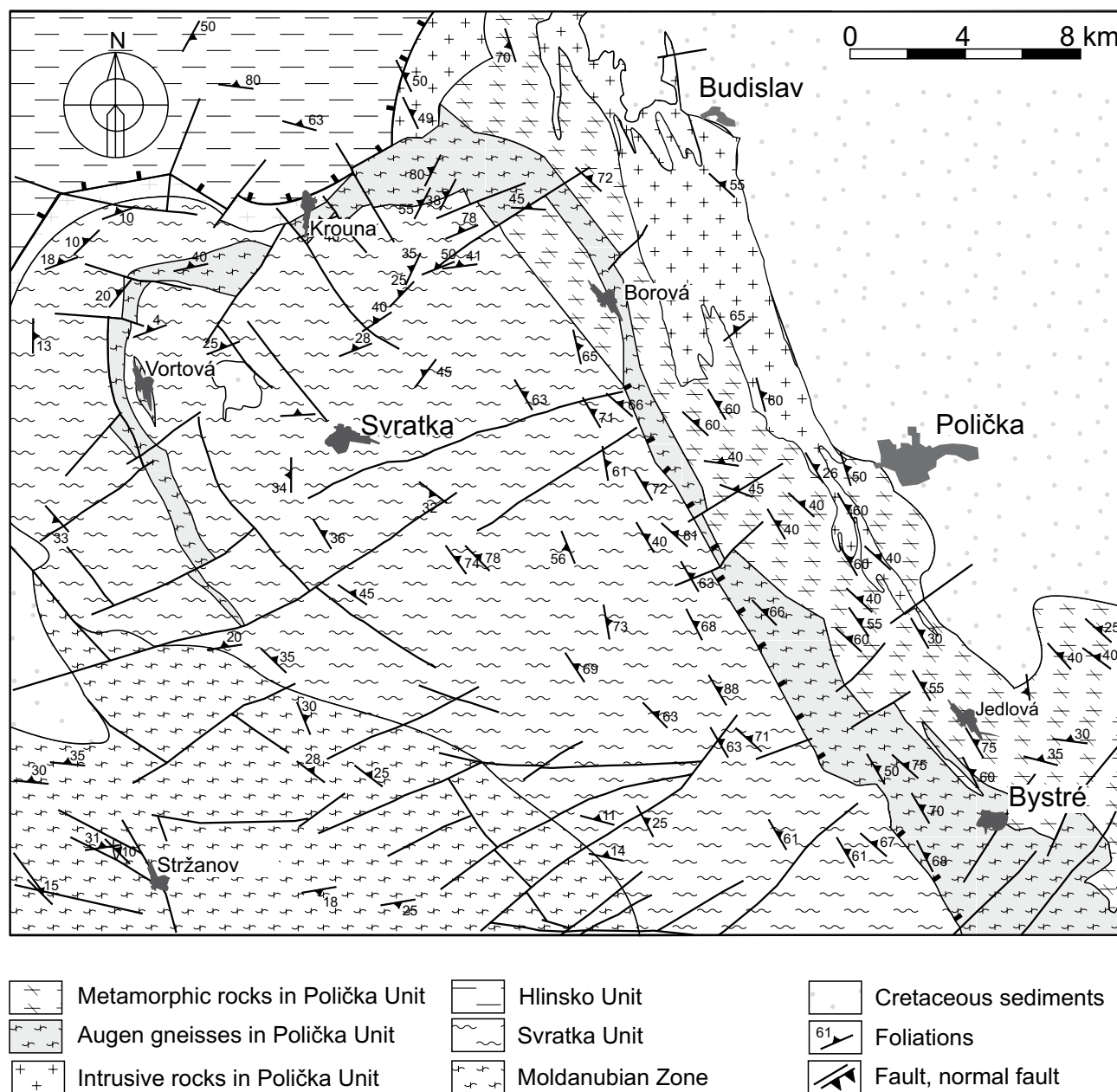
## 2.1. The lower subunit

The variegated, lower subunit is dominantly exposed along the boundary with the underlying Svratka Unit. It is represented by medium-grained biotite and muscovite-biotite gneisses with strongly deformed bodies of meta-granitoids, augen gneisses, amphibolites, marbles and calc-silicate rocks. Intrusive rocks of the Miřetín Pluton intruded the NW part of the lower subunit.

The lower subunit of the PU has been referred to as “tectonic melange” (Buriánek ed. 2009) This is based on a set of geological observations, of which the most convincing seems to be a retrogressive change in metamorphic grade from a granulite-facies in the south of the lower subunit to the amphibolite-facies recorded from the metapelites in its northern part (Buriánek ed. 2009).

The granulites from the lower subunit (Vír granulite body) preserved the P–T conditions of 850–900 °C and 13–14 kbar (Tajčmanová et al. 2005). Granulite-facies metamorphic mineral association is partly replaced by decompression-related, retrograde mineral assemblage formed at *c.* 600 °C and 6–8 kbar (Štoudová et al. 1999). Surrounding metapelites and amphibolites contain evidence for decompression partial melting during uplift. The melt formation within amphibolites was dated at  $339.1 \pm 1.1$  Ma using single grain zircon evaporation  $^{207}\text{Pb}/^{206}\text{Pb}$  method (Schulmann et al. 2005).

Augen gneisses are characteristic of the lower subunit of the PU. They form several elongated bodies and layers along the contact with the Svratka Unit having the composition of biotite and amphibole-biotite gneisses. Sillimanite and/or garnet are locally present mainly in the rocks of SE part of the PU. Metamorphic fabric is characterized by penetrative foliation, mineral lineation and banding: non-coaxial deformation is evidenced by asymmetric plagioclase augen. Banding in these rocks is formed by an alternation of leucocratic, quartz-plagioclase (minor K-feldspar) bands with darker ones containing variable amounts of biotite and, in the northern part of PU, amphibole. Bodies and layers of augen gneisses are usually enclosed in biotite to muscovite-biotite gneisses or gradually pass from intrusive rocks.



**Fig. 2** Simplified tectonic map of the foliations in the Svratka and Polička units and in the NE part of the Moldanubian Zone.

Augen gneisses in elongated bodies along the boundary between the PU and Svratka Unit represent a dominant member in the lowest group of the PU (Fig. 1). The equivalents of the strongly deformed augen gneisses west of the main part of PU were found in tectonic relicts forming several smaller outcrops within leucocratic migmatites of the Svratka Unit between Krouna and Cikháj and within stromatitic migmatites of the Moldanubian Zone near Stržanov. Augen gneisses are associated with deformed porphyritic metadiorites corresponding to the rocks of Miřetín Pluton (Buriánková et al. 2006).

## 2.2. The middle subunit

The middle subunit of the PU is built by monotonous complex of medium-grained paragneisses (metagreywackes, metapelites, rare metaconglomerates) with locally abundant calc-silicate nodules up to 0.5 m in size. Amphibolites with MORB-like geochemistry form a narrow belt along the boundary of the lower and middle subunits of the PU (Melichar and Hanžl 1997). The second belt of amphibolites rims the contact of the PU with the Svratka Unit (Fig. 1).

Rocks of the middle subunit were intruded by the Budislav Pluton and its equivalents. Submagmatic to

solid-state deformation fabrics in tonalites are concordant with the structures of the surrounding metamorphic rocks and point to a syn-tectonic character of the intrusion. Amphibole–plagioclase thermometer (Holland and Blundy 1994) together with amphibole barometer (Anderson and Smith 1995) were used for calculation of the P–T conditions in the rocks of the tonalite suite of the Budislav Pluton. The obtained temperatures are between 655 and 735 °C and pressures between 4 and 6 kbar (Buriánek et al. 2003; Buriánek ed. 2009).

The middle subunit shows an anticlockwise metamorphic path. Relics of the oldest LP–MT metamorphism ( $M_1$ ) are preserved mainly in the northernmost part of the unit (Buriánek ed. 2009). Later metamorphism at 580–680 °C and 5–7 kbar affected a substantial part of the PU ( $M_2$ ). This metamorphic event was, in the vicinity of tonalite bodies and in the southern part of the PU, accompanied by a partial melting of the metapelites.

### 2.3. The upper subunit

The upper subunit of PU is represented by a metasedimentary sequence consisting of micaschists with quartzite and paragneiss intercalations. It was found in the eastern exposures of the PU near Stašov, outside the studied area (Melichar 1993).

## 3. Methodology

Mineral analyses were performed on the electron microprobe Cameca SX-100 at the Department of Geological Sciences, Faculty of Science, Masaryk University in Brno. The measurements were carried out in a wave dispersion mode under the following conditions: 15 kV acceleration voltage, 5 µm diameter of the electron beam, 30 nA current, integration time 20 seconds, operator R. Čopjaková. The  $K_\alpha$  X-ray lines were used as standard: augite (Si, Mg), orthoclase (K), jadeite (Na), chromite (Cr), almandine (Al), andradite (Fe, Ca), rhodonite (Mn) and TiO (Ti). The crystallochemical formulae of garnet were calculated on the basis of 12 oxygen atoms. The crystallochemical formulae of feldspar were recalculated to 8 and those of micas to 22 oxygen atoms. Amphibole formulae were recalculated assuming 23 O, 2 (OH, F, Cl) and Fe<sup>3+</sup> contents were estimated using the recalculation method 13 eCNK (Leake et al. 1997). The abbreviations used are according to Kretz (1983).

Temperatures and pressures were estimated using the Average P–T mode in THERMOCALC 3.3 (Holland and Powell 1998, version 3.25, dataset 5.5, 12 November 2004). The correlated uncertainties of P and T allow error ellipses to be plotted (for details see Powell and Holland

1988). The activities and activity uncertainties of end-members were obtained from AX software (T. Holland and R. Powell, unpublished).

Samples at least 3–4 kg in weight were used for whole-rock geochemical analyses. Major and trace elements were determined at Acme Analytical Laboratories, Ltd., Vancouver, Canada. Major oxides were analysed by ICP-MS method. Loss on ignition (LOI) was calculated by weight difference after ignition at 1000 °C. The rare earth and trace elements were analyzed by INAA and ICP-MS following a LiBO<sub>2</sub> fusion. Geochemical data were recalculated using the GCDkit software package (Janoušek et al. 2006). For comparison were used published analyses of gneisses, granites and the rocks of the tonalite group (Čech ed. 2009; Buriánek ed. 2009).

## 4. Petrography

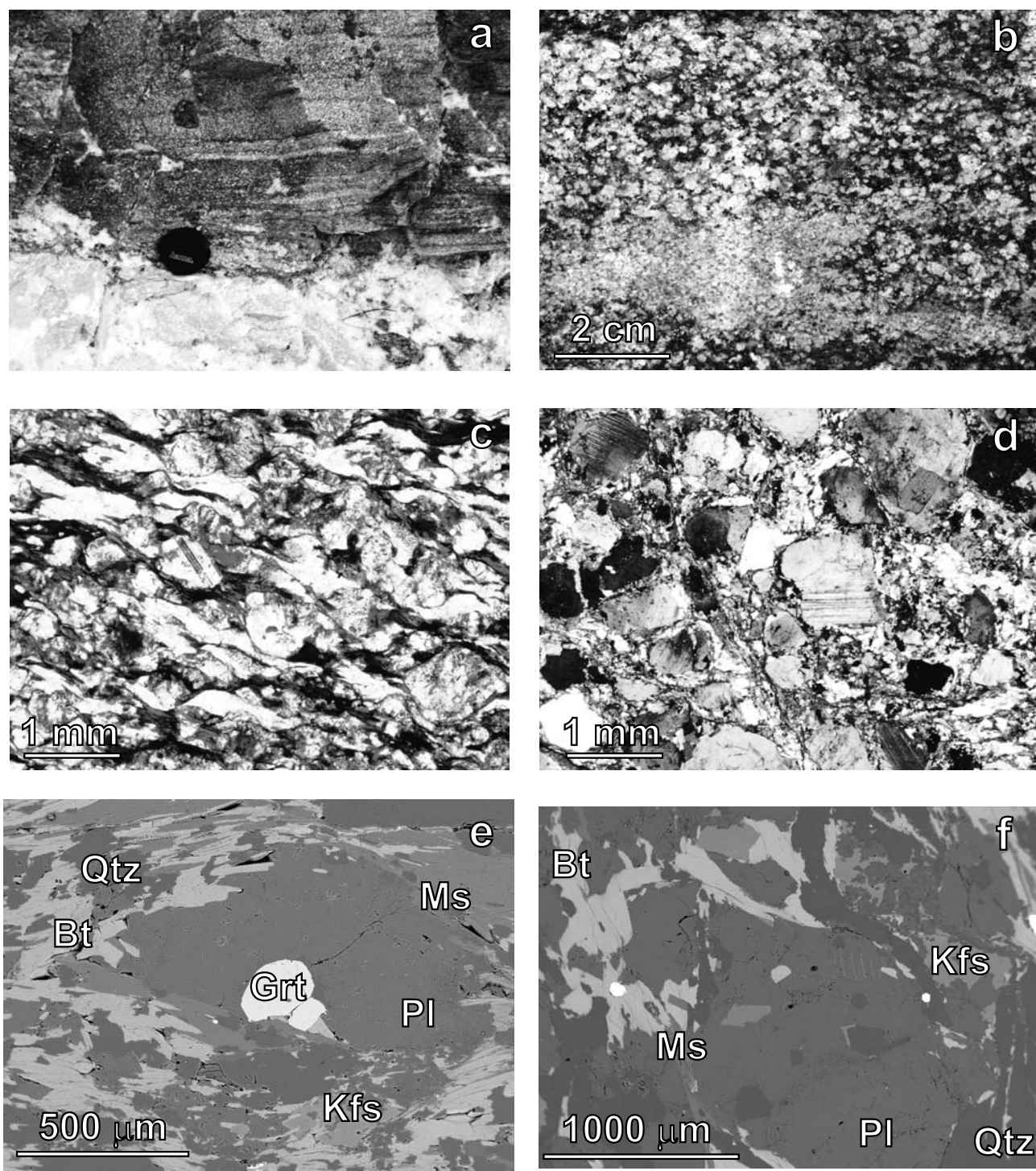
Augen gneisses are fine- to medium-grained rocks with characteristic lenticular feldspar porphyroclasts or porphyroblasts (Fig. 3a–f). According to the textural features (relicts of igneous textures) and mineralogical characteristics, augen gneisses are divided into **augen metagranitoids** (deformed and metamorphosed granites, granodiorites, tonalites, diorites and monzodiorites) and **migmatitic augen gneisses**.

### 4.1. Augen metagranitoids

Biotite to amphibole-biotite augen metagranitoids ranging to orthogneisses, locally with garnet, are typical of the lower subunit of the PU. Augen metagranitoids are associated with partially melted and assimilated metapelites. Elongated enclaves of metapelites several mm to cm in size with a mineral assemblage Bt + Ms + Pl + Sil reflect deformation under sub-solidus conditions.

Analogous biotite to amphibole-biotite augen metagranitoids are related to the Miřetín Pluton in the NW part of the PU and its equivalents in a belt between Krouna, Kameničky, Vortová and Stržanov tectonically incorporated in the Svratka Unit and the Moldanubian Zone. Both subtypes have a similar colour index. They are porphyroclastic (Fig. 3b) rocks with medium-grained lepidogranoblastic to granoblastic matrix and usually exhibit parallel alignment of biotite. Plagioclase augen, 2 mm to 7 mm in size are wrapped by quartz, biotite, and rarely sillimanite. They consist of quartz (18–36 vol. %), plagioclase (26–49 %), K-feldspar (0–19 %), biotite (14–30 %), muscovite (0–7 %), amphibole (0–13 %), garnet (0–3 %) and rarely sillimanite, the latter present in some samples only (Tab. 1). Apatite, monazite and zircon are common accessories.





**Fig. 3** Typical textures of augen gneisses: **a** – Contact between marbles and augen gneiss (quarry U vápenky, Bystré); **b** – Leucocratic augen gneiss, Ubušín (sample 323); **c** – Migmatitic augen gneiss, Telecí (sample 63, plain polarized light); **d** – Augen metagranitoid, Krouna (sample 614, crossed nicols); **e** – Garnet inclusion in the plagioclase augen from migmatitic augen gneiss, Trhonice (sample 329, BSE image); **f** – Plagioclase augen from migmatitic augen gneiss, Telecí (sample 63, BSE image).

Quartz occurs as anhedral grains with undulatory extinction. Plagioclase (Tab. 2) porphyroblasts are usually normally zoned with slight oscillations. The cores  $An_{41-47}$  are often strongly sericitized compared to

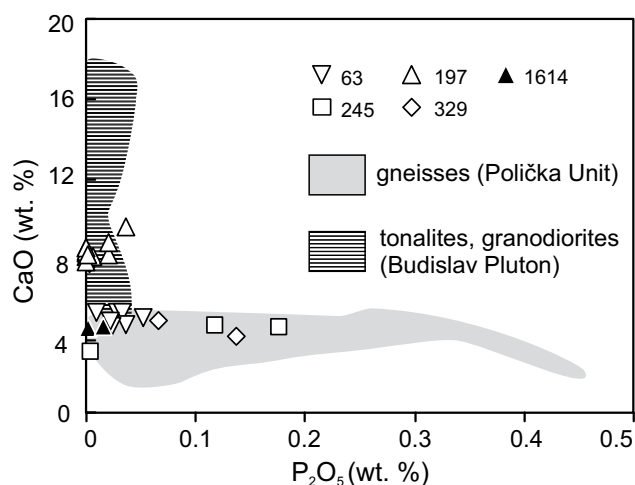
the rims  $An_{39-40}$  (sample 197). Plagioclase grains from garnet-biotite metagranitoids (sample 245) exhibit other type of oscillatory zoning ( $An_{16-23}$ ). The  $P_2O_5$  content in the plagioclase is variable (up to 0.18 wt. %, Fig. 4).

Tab. 1 Localization and modal composition of the studied samples (vol. %)

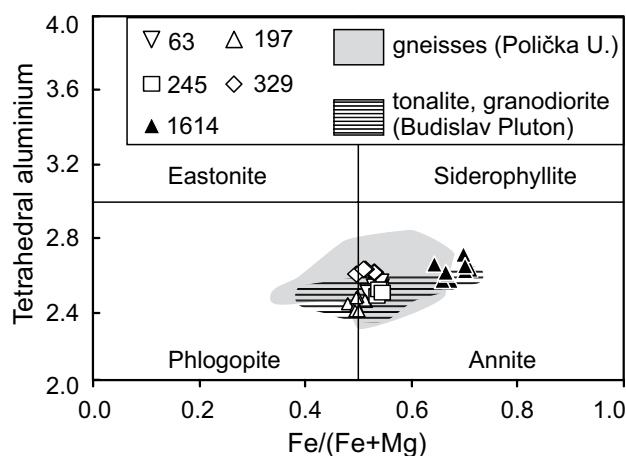
Sample	Locality	Rock	Longitude (°E)	Latitude (°N)	Qtz	Pl	Kfs	Bt	Amp	Grt	Sil	Ms	Accessory
63	Telecí	augen gneiss	16°10'05.22"	49°42'46.42"	28	41	5	22	0	0	0	4	Ap + Mnz
1/3	Borová	augen gneiss	16°09'09.45"	49°43'52.02"	30	42	0	25	0	0	0	3	Ap + Mnz + Zrn + Ttn
68	Bystré	augen gneiss	16°20'13.46"	49°37'58.57"	28	24	9	27	0	0	0	12	Ap + Mnz + Zrn
323	Ubušín	augen gneiss	16°16'14.96"	49°37'27.25"	27	38	8	18	0	2	2	5	Ap + Mnz + Zrn
1614	Borová	augen gneiss	16°09'08.44"	49°44'09.14"	35	34	7	20	0	3	0	1	Ap + Mnz
356	Jedlová	augen gneiss	16°17'40.99"	49°39'44.22"	33	42	5	17	0	0	1	2	Ap + Mnz
1	Trhonice-Sedliště	augen gneiss	16°14'10.00"	49°38'44.21"	30	33	17	19	0	0	0	1	Ap + Mnz
8	Chlum	augen gneiss	16°19'08.83"	49°34'37.53"	35	28	19	18	0	0	0		Ap + Mnz
323b	Ubušín	augen gneiss	16°16'14.96"	49°37'27.25"	33	47	0	17	0	0	0	3	Ap + Mnz
328a	Trhonice	augen gneiss	16°14'57.08"	49°37'47.66"	33	41	0	16	0	8	0	2	Ap + Mnz
328b	Trhonice	augen gneiss	16°14'57.08"	49°37'47.66"	30	44	2	20	0	0	0	4	Ap + Mnz
329a	Trhonice	augen gneiss	16°15'02.11"	49°37'48.24"	32	39	6	18	0	0	0	5	Ap + Mnz
329b	Trhonice	augen gneiss	16°15'02.11"	49°37'48.24"	28	37	0	20	0	5	0	10	Ap + Mnz
245	Trhonice	metagranitoid	16°15'30.96"	49°38'42.73"	25	40	6	29	0	0	0	0	Ap + Mnz
128	Kamenický	metagranitoid	15°58'23.81"	49°44'36.88"	33	31	12	21	0	0	0	3	Ap + Mnz + Zrn + Ttn
129	Jenikov	metagranitoid	15°56'30.37"	49°44'30.00"	32	26	17	18	0	0	0	7	Ap + Mnz + Zrn
132	Vortová – U Vily	metagranitoid	15°56'29.85"	49°42'10.41"	28	42	0	17	13	0	0	0	Ap + Mnz + Zrn + Ttn
144	Otradov	metagranitoid	16°03'09.29"	49°47'07.42"	36	31	19	14	0	0	0	0	Ap + Mnz + Zrn
1/1	Borová	metagranitoid	16°08'11.22"	49°45'16.97"	30	49	4	15	0	0	0	2	Ap + Mnz + Zrn
1/2	Borová	metagranitoid	16°08'19.32"	49°44'47.08"	25	48	6	18	0	3	0	0	Ap + Mnz + Zrn
225	Polnička-Stříbrný r.	metagranitoid	15°54'01.06"	49°36'42.00"	24	36	15	18	7	0	0	0	Ap + Mnz + Zrn + Ttn
197	Stržanov	metagranitoid	15°55'58.72"	49°36'40.20"	28	42	0	18	12	0	0	0	Ap + Mnz + Zrn + Ttn
11	Korouhev	metagranitoid	16°17'02.51"	49°39'40.37"	18	47	4	30	0	0	0	1	Ap + Mnz + Zrn
614	Krouna	metagranitoid	16°00'40.14"	49°45'45.33"	29	41	5	25	0	0	0	0	Ap + Mnz + Zrn
356	Jedlová	metagranitoid	16°17'40.99"	49°39'44.22"	29	45	9	17	0	0	0	0	Ap + Mnz + Zrn
1003	Bystré	gneiss	16°21'48.19"	49°37'02.12"	28	27	6	28	0	3	1	7	Ap + Mnz
331	Nedvězí	gneiss	16°16'54.34"	49°37'47.72"	27	32	0	25	0	4	2	10	Ap + Mnz
14	Bystré	gneiss	16°20'29.01"	49°36'30.46"	30	38	0	26	0	3	1	2	Ap + Mnz

Tab. 2 Chemical composition of plagioclase (wt. % and apfu based on 8 O)

Sample	1614/2	1614/19	1614/21	63/132	63/140	329/1	329/2	245/3	245/4	197/72	197/89	197/96
SiO <sub>2</sub>	62.08	64.84	63.35	61.69	64.50	62.30	63.01	62.98	64.90	58.67	58.83	56.63
P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	0.00	0.05	0.00	0.03	0.07	0.14	0.09	0.12	0.21	0.00	0.00	0.04
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	23.59	18.77	22.98	24.05	18.45	22.42	18.35	23.44	18.81	26.32	26.26	27.65
FeO	0.06	0.03	0.00	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.09	0.00	0.02	0.02	0.08	0.05
CaO	4.73	0.00	4.71	5.33	0.00	4.16	0.00	4.67	0.01	8.18	7.94	9.67
Na <sub>2</sub> O	9.12	1.30	8.80	8.76	1.20	9.44	1.47	8.37	1.52	6.70	6.79	5.84
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.23	14.58	0.27	0.29	15.13	0.32	14.11	0.40	14.31	0.07	0.16	0.27
BaO	0.00	0.78	0.08	0.00	0.04	0.00	1.44	0.03	0.51	0.02	0.00	0.07
SrO	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total	99.82	99.56	100.10	100.15	99.37	98.78	97.12	99.96	99.78	99.97	100.08	100.15
Si	2.759	2.983	2.799	2.737	2.988	2.795	2.968	2.784	2.977	2.620	2.624	2.539
Al	1.236	1.018	1.197	1.258	1.007	1.185	1.019	1.221	1.017	1.385	1.381	1.461
Fe <sup>3+</sup>	0.002	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.004	0.000	0.001	0.001	0.003	0.002
T-site	3.997	4.002	3.996	3.995	3.996	3.981	3.991	4.005	3.995	4.007	4.008	4.002
K	0.013	0.856	0.015	0.016	0.894	0.018	0.848	0.022	0.837	0.004	0.009	0.016
Na	0.786	0.116	0.754	0.753	0.108	0.821	0.134	0.718	0.135	0.580	0.588	0.507
Ca	0.223	0.000	0.220	0.250	0.000	0.197	0.000	0.218	0.000	0.387	0.375	0.459
Ba	0.000	0.014	0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.027	0.001	0.009	0.000	0.000	0.001
Sr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.000
O-site	1.022	0.986	0.990	1.021	1.006	1.037	1.009	0.959	0.984	0.971	0.971	0.983
K+Na+Ca	1.022	0.971	0.989	1.020	1.002	1.037	0.983	0.958	0.973	0.971	0.971	0.982
An	22	0	22	25	0	19	0	23	0	40	39	47
Ab	77	12	76	74	11	79	14	75	14	60	60	52
Or	1	88	2	2	89	2	86	2	86	0	1	2



**Fig. 4** The  $P_2O_5$ –CaO diagram for the plagioclases from augen gneisses, gneisses and granitoid rocks of the Budislav Pluton. Plagioclases from augen gneisses are subdivided according to the sample number.



**Fig. 5** Classification Fe/(Fe + Mg) vs. tetrahedral aluminium diagram of the biotites from augen gneisses, gneisses and the rocks of tonalite group. Biotites from augen gneisses are subdivided according sample number.

**Tab. 3** Chemical composition of biotite (wt. % and apfu based on 22 O)

Sample No.	63/41	63/45	1614/14	1614/21	1614/26	329/30	329/31	245/8	245/10
SiO <sub>2</sub>	36.27	36.21	35.03	34.49	34.71	35.44	35.60	36.70	36.62
TiO <sub>2</sub>	2.90	3.00	0.97	2.79	2.64	3.12	1.89	3.09	3.21
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	18.32	18.94	19.12	18.40	19.40	19.11	19.36	17.75	17.86
FeO	18.55	17.91	24.28	24.57	21.84	18.08	18.95	19.42	19.59
MnO	0.25	0.29	0.63	0.66	0.47	0.23	0.24	0.28	0.35
MgO	9.63	9.26	6.62	5.62	6.78	9.59	10.16	9.35	9.11
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.10	0.09	0.05	0.06	0.08	0.16	0.15	0.12	0.12
K <sub>2</sub> O	9.82	9.95	9.03	9.73	10.21	9.55	9.48	9.75	9.74
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.03	0.03	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.04	0.04	0.03	0.06
F	–	–	–	–	–	0.00	0.00	–	–
Cl	–	–	–	–	–	0.01	0.02	–	–
H <sub>2</sub> O*	3.97	3.98	3.87	3.85	3.90	3.96	3.97	3.99	3.99
O=F,Cl	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>99.83</b>	<b>99.65</b>	<b>99.62</b>	<b>100.16</b>	<b>100.02</b>	<b>99.28</b>	<b>99.84</b>	<b>100.48</b>	<b>100.65</b>
Si	5.474	5.460	5.431	5.364	5.338	5.368	5.374	5.521	5.506
Al <sup>IV</sup>	2.526	2.540	2.569	2.636	2.662	2.632	2.626	2.479	2.494
Al <sup>VI</sup>	0.733	0.825	0.925	0.737	0.855	0.778	0.819	0.669	0.671
Ti	0.329	0.341	0.113	0.326	0.306	0.355	0.214	0.350	0.363
Cr	0.004	0.003	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.005	0.005	0.004	0.007
Fe	2.341	2.258	3.149	3.196	2.810	2.290	2.393	2.444	2.463
Mn	0.032	0.037	0.083	0.087	0.061	0.030	0.031	0.036	0.045
Mg	2.166	2.082	1.530	1.303	1.554	2.166	2.287	2.096	2.042
Na	0.029	0.026	0.014	0.018	0.023	0.046	0.042	0.034	0.034
K	1.891	1.914	1.786	1.930	2.002	1.844	1.826	1.871	1.868
F	–	–	–	–	–	0.003	0.004	–	–
Cl	–	–	–	–	–	0.000	0.000	–	–
OH*	4.000	4.000	4.000	4.000	4.000	3.997	3.996	4.000	4.000
<b>Total</b>	<b>19.525</b>	<b>19.486</b>	<b>19.608</b>	<b>19.597</b>	<b>19.610</b>	<b>19.515</b>	<b>19.621</b>	<b>19.506</b>	<b>19.495</b>

\*H<sub>2</sub>O content calculated on the basis of ideal stoichiometry



Most of the deformed phenocrysts show typical core and mantle structure defined by large feldspar cores surrounded by newly recrystallized mosaic around the rims. The porphyroblasts also often exhibit variable effects of plastic deformation (e.g., undulatory extinction). Small inclusions of biotite occur predominantly at the rims. K-feldspar ( $Ab_4$ ), if present (sample 245), is anhedral and ranges in size from 0.3 to 1.0 mm. Mafic minerals occur as aggregates or in individual grains often concentrated around plagioclase porphyroblasts (Fig. 3c). Amphibole forms fine- to medium-grained, euhedral to subhedral grains. The small columns occasionally show brittle microstructures associated with undulatory extinction. They consist of magnesio-hornblende to pargasite cores ( $Si = 6.42\text{--}7.49$  apfu,  $Fe/(Mg + Fe) = 0.44\text{--}0.55$ ) and thin

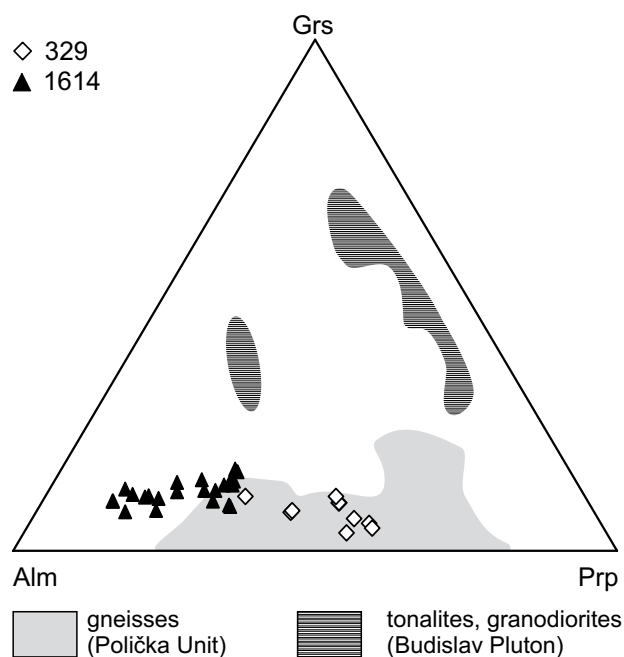
actinolite rims ( $Si = 7.56$  apfu,  $Fe/(Mg + Fe) = 0.68$ ). The biotites (Tab. 3) from all of the studied samples fall close to the boundary between annite and phlogopite ( $Al^{IV} = 2.40\text{--}2.52$  apfu,  $Fe/(Mg + Fe) = 0.48\text{--}0.55$ ) in the classification diagram of Guidotti (1984; Fig. 5).

The mineral chemistry of amphibole-biotite metadiorite from the isolated occurrence of the PU equivalent in the Moldanubian Zone (Stržanov, sample 197) is comparable with chemical composition of the minerals from the rocks of tonalite suite (Figs 4–5). Sillimanite occurs as dense fibrolite or as needle-like inclusions in biotite or quartz. Garnet (Tab. 4) grains are compositionally zoned and characterized by predominant almandine component (Fig. 6) with variable amount of other components ( $Alm_{60\text{--}72} Grs_{1\text{--}5} Sps_{11\text{--}31} Prp_{5\text{--}17} Adr_{0\text{--}3}$ ). The grains exhibit

Tab. 4 Representative chemical compositions of garnets and amphiboles (wt. % and apfu\*)

Garnet							Amphibole			
Sample	329/27	329/39	329/40	1614/1	1614/8	1614/4	Sample	197/63	197/75	197/88
SiO <sub>2</sub>	36.99	37.02	36.71	36.98	36.11	36.53	SiO <sub>2</sub>	50.97	42.49	51.46
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.01	TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.30	1.20	0.26
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	21.19	20.90	21.03	20.97	21.10	20.80	Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	4.95	12.79	4.30
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.02	0.03	0.02	0.01	0.00	0.00	Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.02	0.05	0.01
Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> <sup>calc</sup>	0.21	1.01	1.02	0.20	0.59	0.69	Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> <sup>calc</sup>	1.57	1.01	1.14
FeO <sup>calc</sup>	29.27	30.94	30.11	31.86	29.05	29.49	FeO <sup>calc</sup>	13.07	15.84	12.78
MnO	8.43	4.96	5.88	6.68	10.74	10.00	MnO	0.57	0.55	0.46
MgO	2.80	4.17	4.11	2.02	1.40	1.53	MgO	13.40	8.95	13.96
CaO	1.48	1.55	1.49	1.70	1.82	1.84	CaO	12.02	11.56	12.50
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.03	0.01	0.04	0.03	0.02	0.01	Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.59	1.40	0.40
P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	0.03	0.02	0.04	0.04	0.00	0.00	K <sub>2</sub> O	0.28	1.47	0.23
Y <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.034	0.043	0.078	0	0	0	H <sub>2</sub> O	2.07	2.00	2.08
Total	100.51	100.66	100.52	100.48	100.83	100.89	Total	99.82	99.31	99.58
Si	2.974	2.957	2.939	2.988	2.934	2.961	Si	7.421	6.416	7.489
P	0.002	0.002	0.002	0.003	0.000	0.000	Al <sup>IV</sup>	0.579	1.584	0.511
Ti	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000	ΣT	8.000	8.000	8.000
ΣT	2.978	2.959	2.942	2.991	2.935	2.962	Al <sup>VI</sup>	0.271	0.692	0.228
Al	2.008	1.968	1.985	1.996	2.021	1.987	Ti	0.032	0.136	0.028
Ti	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	Fe <sup>3+</sup>	0.172	0.115	0.124
Fe <sup>3+</sup>	0.013	0.061	0.062	0.012	0.036	0.042	Cr	0.003	0.006	0.002
Cr	0.001	0.002	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	Mg	2.910	2.014	3.029
Mg	0.335	0.497	0.491	0.244	0.170	0.184	Fe <sup>2+</sup>	1.592	1.999	1.555
Fe <sup>2+</sup>	1.968	2.067	2.016	2.152	1.975	2.000	Mn	0.021	0.037	0.033
Mn	0.574	0.336	0.399	0.457	0.739	0.687	ΣC	5.000	5.000	5.000
Ca	0.128	0.133	0.128	0.147	0.158	0.160	Mn	0.049	0.033	0.024
Na	0.008	0.002	0.009	0.007	0.004	0.003	Ca	1.876	1.870	1.949
Y	0.001	0.002	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.000	Na	0.076	0.097	0.027
ΣCat.	8.013	8.026	8.036	8.007	8.038	8.025	ΣB	2.000	2.000	2.000
Alm	65	67	65	72	64	65	Na	0.092	0.313	0.086
Adr	1	3	3	1	2	2	K	0.052	0.284	0.042
Grs	4	1	1	4	4	3	ΣA	0.144	0.596	0.127
Prp	11	17	17	8	6	6	Mg/Fe+Mg	0.646	0.502	0.661
Sps	19	11	14	15	25	23	ΣCat.	15.144	15.596	15.127

\*garnet formulae calculated on the basis of 12 O, formulae of amphiboles based on 23 O (Cl, F below detection limit)



**Fig. 6** Ternary Sps–Grs–Prp plot for garnets from augen gneisses, gneisses and rocks of the Budislav Pluton.

a decrease in Fe, Mg and increase in Mn,  $[Fe/(Fe + Mg)]$  from core to rim. The almandine-poor and spessartine-rich rims are believed to have developed during retrogression. Garnet inclusions inside the plagioclase augen show reverse zoning with slightly increasing Alm and decreasing Sps components from core to rim. Similar compositions of plagioclase, garnet and biotite (Figs 4–5) were observed in biotite augen gneisses and in the surrounding gneisses and migmatites.

#### 4.2. Migmatitic augen gneisses

Migmatitic augen gneisses usually border the bodies and layers of augen metagranitoids or form separate layers several cm to several m thick (Fig. 3a). Migmatitic augen gneisses are medium- to coarse-grained, lepidogran-

blastic, consisting of plagioclase (24–47 vol. %), quartz (27–35 %), biotite (16–27 %), K-feldspar (0–19 %). Muscovite (1–12 %), garnet (0–8 %) or sillimanite (0–2 %) are present in some cases. Accessory apatite, monazite, xenotime and zircon are common. Plagioclases occur as small euhedral crystals in the groundmass, as inclusions in K-feldspars or larger porphyroblasts up to 1 cm in diameter (Fig. 3f). Small plagioclases are relatively homogeneous in chemical composition ( $An_{22}$  to  $An_{20}$ ). Large oval-shaped porphyroclasts of plagioclase are characterized by a complex zoning. Relatively sodic ( $An_{16-21}$ ) cores are surrounded by slightly more calcic rims ( $An_{22-25}$ ). The oval-shaped plagioclases commonly show evidence of a weak ductile deformation (undulatory extinction). Less common anhedral K-feldspars ( $Ab_{11-12}$ ) are usually perthitic, with myrmekite intergrowths at the contacts with plagioclase. The larger plagioclase porphyroblasts usually contain inclusions of biotite, quartz, muscovite and apatite. Quartz forms anhedral subgrains, recrystallized grains and/or ribbons (Fig. 3c–d). Locally chloritized biotite forms subhedral flakes. According to the classification diagram by Guidotti (1984), the biotites belong to annite ( $Al^{IV} = 2.50–2.48$  apfu,  $Fe/(Mg + Fe) = 0.52–0.71$ ). Muscovite, if present, is generally lath-shaped. In some cases it replaces K-feldspar; more commonly it occurs as inclusions within other minerals (e. g. plagioclase). Micas-rich bands anastomose around plagioclase porphyroclasts and in strongly deformed samples often define S–C fabrics.

Biotite and muscovite-biotite gneisses are locally migmatitized in the vicinity of migmatitic augen gneisses. The gneisses enclose 1–2 cm thick parallel felsic layers formed by a clearly defined leucosome. The leucosome contains plagioclase, quartz and small amount muscovite and biotite; K-feldspar is subordinate or fully absent. The mafic parts are biotite-rich, consisting of  $Qtz + Bt + Pl \pm Ms \pm Sil \pm Grt$  assemblage. Both mafic and felsic layers are medium-grained, with granoblastic to lepidogranoblastic textures. Contacts with augen gneisses are usually fuzzy.

#### 4.3. Estimation of P–T conditions of metamorphism

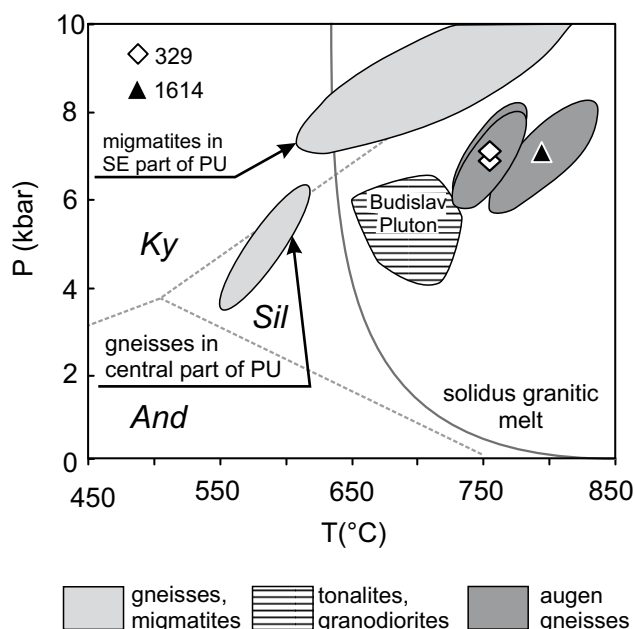
The low-variance matrix assemblage is supposed to preserve peak metamorphic conditions (after melt crystallization) in migmatitic augen gneisses (metamorphic event  $M_2$ ):  $Pl + Bt + Kfs + Qtz \pm Grt \pm Sil \pm Ilm$  (Tab. 5). For a pure  $H_2O$  fluid equilibrating with the solid assemblage of the garnet-biotite augen gneisses, THERMOCALC gives P–T estimations

**Tab. 5** Results of P–T calculations

Sample	Rock	avT	sd(T)	avP	sd(P)	corr	sigfit
1614	augen gneiss	795	33	7.0	1.0	0.773	0.96
329	augen gneiss	755	22	6.9	0.9	0.713	0.96
329b	augen gneiss	754	22	7.1	0.9	0.730	0.91
14	Ms–Bt gneiss	675	35	7.0	1.4	0.729	0.99
331	Ms–Bt gneiss	654	29	6.7	1.2	0.910	0.64
1003	Ms–Bt gneiss	714	85	8.8	1.4	0.803	0.62
87*	Ms–Bt gneiss	640	30	5.7	1.2	0.919	0.60

The average T (°C) (avT) and P (avP) (kbar), the standard deviation (sd), the error correlation coefficient (corr) and sigfit are calculated by THERMOCALC.

\* gneiss from middle subunit PU (Korouhev)



**Fig. 7** The P-T plot for selected igneous and metamorphic rocks of the Polička Unit, metamorphic conditions were calculated using THERMOCALC 3. 3. The position of the  $\text{Al}_2\text{SiO}_5$  triple point from Holdaway and Mukhopadhyay (1993). Conditions of metamorphism or magmatic crystallization for the rocks of Budislav Pluton are from Buriánek et al. (2003) and Buriánek ed. (2009).

of  $795 \pm 33$  °C and  $7.0 \pm 1.0$  kbar with  $755 \pm 22$  °C and  $6.9 \pm 0.9$  kbar (samples 1614 and 329). This calculation is based largely on equilibria involving garnet, biotite, K-feldspar, plagioclase, and quartz (Fig. 7). Sillimanite was totally or partly replaced by muscovite according to metamorphic reaction  $\text{Kfs} + \text{Sil} + \text{H}_2\text{O} = \text{Ms} + \text{Qtz}$  during retrogression ( $M_3$ ).

Average P-T conditions of metamorphism ( $M_2$ ) calculated for locally migmatitized paragneisses (stromatolites) with association  $\text{Pl} + \text{Bt} + \text{Ms} + \text{Qtz} + \text{Sil} + \text{Grt}$  from the lower subunit PU are  $650\text{--}680$  °C and 7 kbar. Geothermobarometry for migmatitized paragneiss sample with mineral assemblage  $\text{Pl} + \text{Bt} + \text{Ms} + \text{Qtz} + \text{Kfs} + \text{Sil} + \text{Grt}$  from SE part of PU yields  $714 \pm 85$  °C and  $8.8 \pm 1.4$  kbar.

Paragneiss from the middle subunit of PU (sample 87) provides significantly lower P-T conditions of c. 600 °C and 6 kbar for the metamorphic event  $M_2$ .

## 5. Deformation

The regional metamorphic foliation in metasedimentary rocks shows comparable orientation in the major part of the PU between the Vír dam in the south and Proseč in the north (Fig. 2). Dominating foliation with NW–SE strike and steep to moderate dip to NE is the same in

the augen metagranitoids as well as in augen migmatitic gneisses; it bears NW–SE plunging lineation. The mineral lineation in the migmatitic augen gneisses is defined by elongated quartz and feldspars grains together with the orientation of the long axes of biotite plates and sillimanite needles. Kinematic indicators suggest overthrusting in the NW direction.

Typical of the NW part of the unit built by deformed granodiorites and tonalites of the Miřetín Pluton is foliation with steep to moderate dips to the WNW and dip-slip stretching lineations. The rocks in the NNE–SSW elongated Miřetín Pluton preserve two distinct solid-state fabrics (Vondrovič and Verner 2008). First, pervasive high-temperature solid-state fabric ( $D_1$ ) is defined by the ductile deformed biotite and partly recrystallized quartz-feldspathic aggregates. Second, distinct low-temperature solid-state fabric ( $D_2$ ) is developed as a spaced cleavage. This fabric is probably connected with normal faulting along the tectonic contact with the Hlinsko Unit.

Magmatic (relics of plagioclase phenocrysts up to 3 cm in size) and high-temperature solid-state fabric ( $D_1$ ) in the granodioritic augen gneisses from the NW part of PU (Stržanov, Vortová etc.) are only rarely preserved due to pervasive overprinting by solid-state deformation at moderate to low temperatures.

Several metres thick mylonitic zones concordant with metamorphic fabric are often located near the contact with the Svatka Unit. In the mylonitic zones, original mica and quartz ribbons wrap around euhedral plagioclase phenocrysts. The most common deformational feature observed in the plagioclase is a core-and-mantle structure (White 1975). Quartz grains usually show coarsely sutured grain boundaries.

Deformation of migmatitic augen gneisses under moderate temperatures (c. 650 °C) is indicated by a widespread grain boundary migration and recrystallization. Rarely present chessboard pattern in quartz grains, myrmekites on the margins of the K-feldspar grains and quartz ribbons resulted during this deformation stage. The S-C fabrics, accented by the arrangement of micas, developed during the subsequent stages.

The mylonitic foliation is in some cases defined by compositional layering with alternating fine-grained biotite-rich layers and quartz-feldspar lenses or plagioclase porphyroblasts. The lack of internal deformation in the rounded feldspar augen suggests that the strain was likely accommodated in the mica-rich matrix. Plagioclases are often separated in augen with recrystallized tails. Deformation of quartz grains commonly resulted in the quartz core-and-mantle aggregates and quartz ribbons development (Boullier and Bouchez 1978). Large quartz grains exhibit undulatory extinction. Most flakes of biotite or of muscovite show preferred orientation parallel to the main foliation of the rock.

Tab. 6 Representative whole-rock chemical analyses

Sample No.	63	1/3	328	329	128	129	132	144	1/1	1/2	225	245
<b>wt. %</b>												
SiO <sub>2</sub>	69.71	70.38	73.8	66.58	64.98	70.34	59.3	63.79	64.51	64.04	58.03	66.08
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.44	0.37	0.29	0.67	0.81	0.44	0.81	0.63	0.77	0.74	0.81	0.72
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	14.76	14.71	13.72	15.36	15.16	14.76	16.56	15.78	16.54	16.18	17.57	15.15
Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	3.56	3.37	1.73	5.32	5.96	3.18	6.97	5.46	5.94	6.12	6.74	5.32
MnO	0.06	0.06	0.03	0.08	0.07	0.06	0.12	0.10	0.07	0.10	0.11	0.06
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	b. d. l.	0.005	0.001	0.012	b. d. l.	b. d. l.	b. d. l.	b. d. l.	0.013	0.015	0.011	0.011
MgO	1.24	0.87	0.4	2.39	2.63	1.08	3.25	2.22	2.44	2.5	3.53	2.26
CaO	1.17	1.24	1.23	1.59	1.99	1.95	5.38	3.40	1.63	0.99	5.21	1.26
Na <sub>2</sub> O	3.55	3.58	3.75	2.64	3.44	3.70	3.43	3.42	3.13	2.34	3.41	3.08
K <sub>2</sub> O	4.07	4.35	4.28	3.57	3.20	2.85	2.36	4.02	3.50	2.93	2.54	4.79
P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	0.11	0.11	0.07	0.17	0.18	0.13	0.21	0.17	0.14	0.14	0.24	0.13
H <sub>2</sub> O+	0.79	n. d.	n. d.	n. d.	0.98	0.77	0.84	b. d. l.	n. d.	n. d.	n. d.	n. d.
H <sub>2</sub> O-	0.18	n. d.	n. d.	n. d.	0.13	0.17	0.18	0.17	n. d.	n. d.	n. d.	n. d.
LOI	n. d.	1	0.6	1.5	n. d.	n. d.	n. d.	n. d.	1.3	3.8	1.5	0.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>99.64</b>	<b>100.05</b>	<b>99.90</b>	<b>99.89</b>	<b>99.53</b>	<b>99.44</b>	<b>99.41</b>	<b>99.86</b>	<b>99.99</b>	<b>99.90</b>	<b>99.71</b>	<b>99.57</b>
<b>ppm</b>												
Ba	887.4	849.7	841.1	763.2	660.6	600.4	1066.8	1110.0	813.2	485.5	972.6	854.5
Co	4.2	4.2	1.9	12.6	17.7	5.4	17.0	11.7	12.0	10.7	18.0	11.1
Cu	8.0	23.2	5.5	37.2	37.4	10.1	10.0	17.6	19.0	25.7	25.5	22.8
Ni	9.0	12.8	3.1	25.7	37.7	9.1	16.3	21.4	28.3	47.8	21.7	28.4
Rb	149.3	141.3	151.3	123.1	170.4	123.2	124.6	124.8	176.9	113.3	122.7	206.9
Sr	105.9	112.3	122.8	135.2	170.2	141.0	365.8	198.7	147.2	77.5	440.8	164.0
V	27	21	14	99	106	37	137	81	102	113	146	84
Sn	4	5	7	7	4	3	3	2	6	3	3	3
Zn	79	61	41	109	101	45	68	90	88	65	68	106
As	2.1	1.9	0.6	3.0	2.4	3.5	2.9	5.4	3.9	52.8	2.4	0.6
U	3.8	4.6	5.5	3.3	3.2	4.3	2.6	2.3	3.9	2.9	12.1	3.9
Nb	9.7	10.3	7.0	11.8	13.7	7.6	11.7	13.6	12.3	10.6	11.7	12.1
Mo	0.8	0.6	0.2	1.6	1.5	0.5	1.1	1.8	0.5	2.8	1.2	0.8
Y	46.8	53.5	36.6	31.4	23.7	24.6	18.7	23.2	31.7	26.8	24.2	28.7
Zr	199.3	199.6	149.7	173.8	223.8	199.2	226.6	262.0	226.3	172.5	228.4	226.7
Pb	9.4	3.5	7.2	18.0	1.5	2.9	2.1	5.8	2.7	10.1	5.4	2.9
Cd	< 0.1	0.5	0.1	0.4	0.1	< 0.1	0.1	0.1	1.4	1.3	0.1	0.1
Cs	3.4	4.6	5.0	5.1	5.3	4.0	4.1	4.5	10.1	4.5	6.8	3.7
Th	19.1	17.4	19.0	12.4	12.5	9.5	10.9	16.4	10.7	8.9	8.6	18.7
Ta	0.8	0.7	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.8	1.0	1.0	0.8	0.8
Hf	6.8	6.2	5.5	4.4	7.5	6.3	6.6	7.6	6.4	4.6	5.9	6.9
Sc	n. d.	9	5	14	n. d.	n. d.	n. d.	n. d.	15	17	17	14
Sb	< 0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1
Ag	< 0.1	0.3	< 0.1	0.1	0.1	< 0.1	< 0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	< 0.1	< 0.1
Hg	0.01	0.01	< 0.01	0.02	0.02	< 0.01	< 0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	< 0.01	< 0.01
Tl	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.3	0.6	0.5	0.8	0.2	0.7	0.8
Bi	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	< 0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1
W	1.4	2.7	0.7	5.6	1.5	1.5	0.4	1.0	3.7	2.1	0.5	0.9
Ga	20.0	19.4	16.5	19.6	22.3	18.7	21.9	21.7	22.0	21.3	21.2	19.6
Se	n. d.	0.5	< 0.5	< 0.5	n. d.	n. d.	n. d.	n. d.	0.5	0.5	< 0.5	< 0.5
La	40.1	43.3	20.3	40.2	34.9	28.8	39.6	45.8	34.5	30.4	31.9	48.1
Ce	89.0	96.8	59.7	83.2	74.1	63.0	77.4	84.0	72.1	57.2	66.1	96.4
Pr	9.84	10.88	5.09	9.33	8.41	7.05	7.80	8.41	7.88	6.45	8.27	10.59
Nd	40.20	39.80	17.80	34.30	33.40	28.70	30.00	35.80	29.70	23.90	33.10	39.50
Sm	8.30	9.10	4.40	6.40	6.20	5.20	4.50	5.90	5.70	5.20	6.25	7.40
Eu	0.89	0.79	0.69	1.12	1.06	0.97	1.25	1.12	1.09	1.01	1.24	1.26
Gd	8.45	8.10	4.14	5.52	5.74	4.84	3.78	4.58	5.38	4.37	4.91	6.06
Tb	1.31	1.45	0.98	0.98	0.87	0.76	0.57	0.74	0.89	0.72	0.82	0.90
Dy	8.26	8.59	6.07	5.63	4.83	4.49	3.30	4.00	5.09	4.38	4.59	5.15
Ho	1.56	1.75	1.20	0.97	0.86	0.81	0.54	0.74	1.06	0.90	0.83	1.01
Er	4.35	5.43	3.38	2.86	2.18	2.47	1.63	2.14	3.16	2.70	2.18	2.54
Tm	0.69	0.78	0.59	0.41	0.28	0.39	0.26	0.28	0.48	0.47	0.34	0.37
Yb	4.40	4.76	3.96	2.75	1.84	2.89	2.03	2.10	3.06	2.71	1.92	2.40
Lu	0.59	0.68	0.53	0.37	0.23	0.40	0.29	0.31	0.48	0.40	0.29	0.41

b. d. l. – below detection limit, n. d. – not determined

## 6. Geochemistry

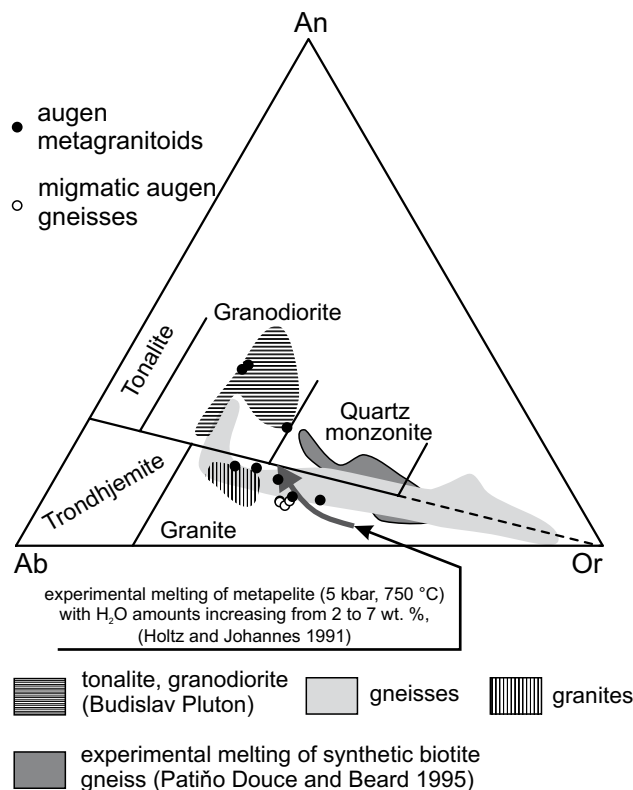
The whole-rock geochemical data are summarised in Tab. 6. Augen metagranitoids and migmatitic augen gneisses are nearly of the same chemical composition and show  $\text{SiO}_2$  ranging from 58 to 70 wt. %. Amphibole-bearing samples have lower  $\text{SiO}_2$  contents (58 to 64 wt. %) than biotite metagranitoids (59 to 70 wt. %). The augen metagranitoids are classified as granites and granodiorites in the normative Ab–An–Or diagram (O'Connor 1965) and all of the analysed samples of migmatitic augen gneisses correspond to granite (Fig. 8). Slightly different results are obtained in the  $\text{SiO}_2$  vs.  $\text{K}_2\text{O} + \text{Na}_2\text{O}$  diagram (Middlemost 1994) with augen metagranitoids plotting in the fields of granite, granodiorite, quartz monzodiorite and tonalite. The migmatitic augen gneisses are classified as granite and granodiorite in a good agreement with the Ab–An–Or plot (Fig. 8).

All of the studied samples show relatively high  $\text{K}_2\text{O}$  abundance in the  $\text{SiO}_2$ – $\text{K}_2\text{O}$  diagram (Peccerillo and Taylor 1976; Fig. 9); the bulk of the augen migmatitic gneiss samples fall within the high-K calc-alkaline series field. Even though the augen metagranitoids show a relatively wide data dispersion, most of the samples plot in the high-K calc-alkaline field.

The samples of both studied groups are metaluminous to peraluminous [ $\text{A/CNK} = 0.9$ – $1.4$  where  $\text{A/CNK} = \text{molar Al}_2\text{O}_3/(\text{CaO} + \text{Na}_2\text{O} + \text{K}_2\text{O})$ ]; migmatitic augen gneisses with sillimanite are strongly peraluminous ( $\text{A/CNK} = 1.9$ ).

In general, augen metagranitoids and migmatitic augen gneisses exhibit similar chondrite-normalized REE patterns (Boynton, 1984), characterized by enrichment in light rare earth elements ( $\text{La}_N/\text{Yb}_N = 3.5$ – $14.7$ ) and relative depletion in heavy rare earth elements (HREE) (Fig. 10a–b). Migmatitic augen gneisses show usually more pronounced negative Eu anomalies ( $\text{Eu}/\text{Eu}^* = 0.28$ – $0.71$ ) and slightly higher content of HREE than augen metagranitoids ( $\text{Eu}/\text{Eu}^* = 0.54$ – $0.93$ ). Total REE abundance in both rock groups is similar (129–232 ppm).

In all of the studied samples,  $\text{TiO}_2$ ,  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ , total FeO, MgO,  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$ , V, Sr, and Co contents decrease with increasing  $\text{SiO}_2$  (Fig. 9). Based on the chemical composition, augen metagranitoids are subdivided into two subgroups. Chemical composition of the first subgroup agrees well with chemical composition of the tonalite group from the Budislav Pluton. The augen metagranitoids have higher contents of MgO (2.2–3.5 wt. %), CaO (3.4–5.4 wt. %), Sr (199–441 ppm), Ba (973–1110 ppm) and higher Ba/Rb ratios (8–9). In contrast, the chemical composition of the second subgroup of augen metagranitoids is significantly different (Fig. 8). Characteristic is lower content of CaO (1.0–2.0 wt. %), MgO (1.1–2.6 wt. %; Fig. 9), and lower Ba/Rb ratios (4–5).

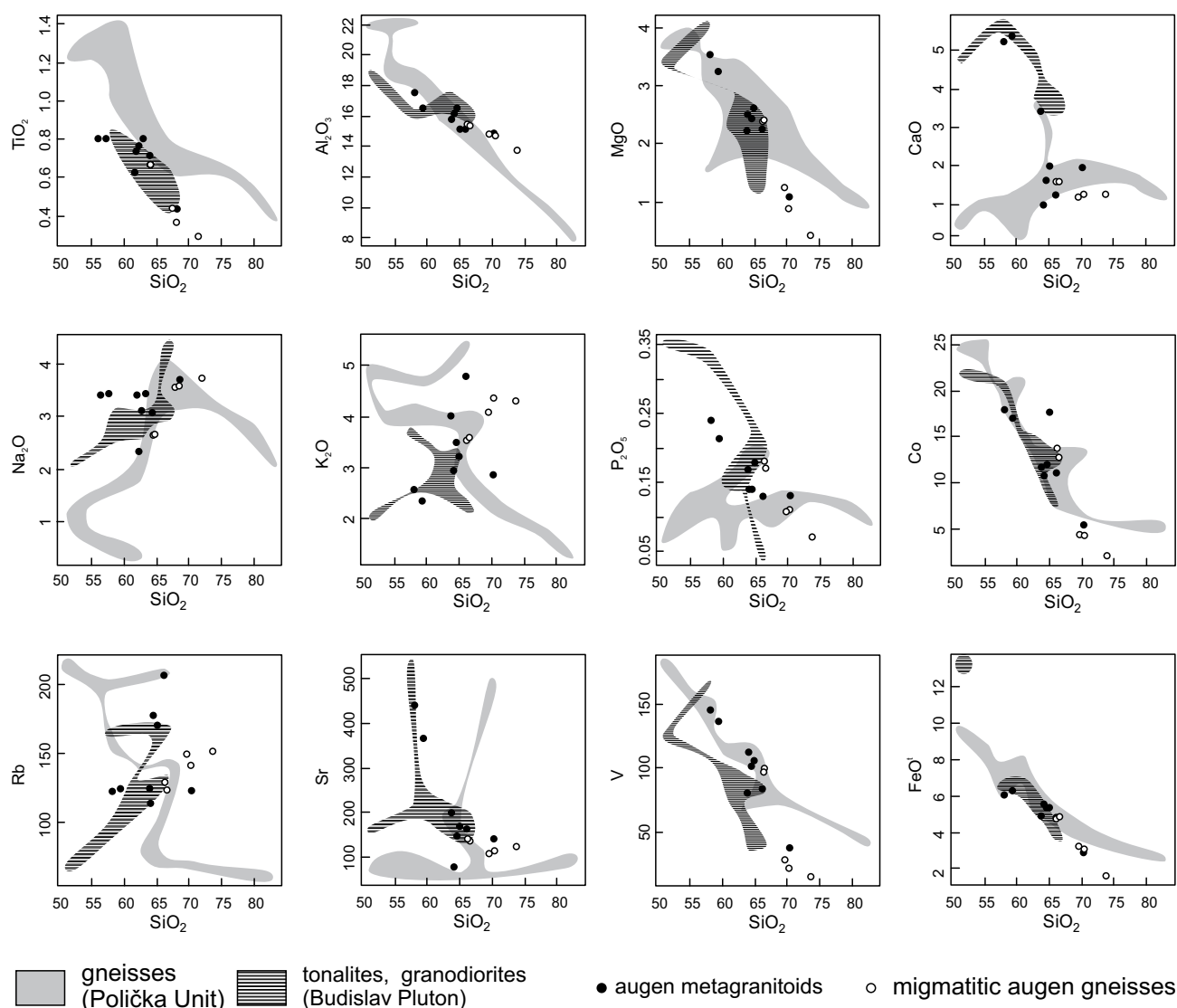


**Fig. 8** Ternary An–Ab–Or diagram used for classification of siliceous igneous rocks (O'Connor 1965), based on CIPW norm.

The migmatitic augen gneisses contain less  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ ,  $\text{FeO}$ ,  $\text{TiO}_2$ , MgO and V and have higher  $\text{K}_2\text{O}$ ,  $\text{SiO}_2$  and Y/Zr compared with average augen metagranitoids (Fig. 11a–b, d).

## 7. Discussion

The augen gneisses, conspicuous rocks with suboval feldspar “pearls” set in dark grey fine- to medium-grained matrix, dominate in the lower subunit of the PU most of all along the contact with the underlying Svratka Unit. Even though they form a homogenous body, detailed petrological and petrochemical studies distinguished two groups of augen gneiss: augen metagranitoids and augen migmatitic gneisses. Development of the two groups is related to Variscan magmatic event accompanying partial melting and subsequent deformation in the PU. The main magmatic phase in the PU was dated by Vondrovic and Verner (2008) at ~350 Ma and it coincide with the early stages of exhumation processes in the eastern Bohemian Massif (Schulmann et al. 2005). This tectonic process ultimately caused the exhumation of deeper crustal segments – highly metamorphosed granulitic rocks – dated by Schulmann et al. (2005) at 340 Ma. Moreover, it triggered partial melting in the hosting medium- to high-grade metamorphic complexes.



**Fig. 9** Binary variation diagrams of silica with selected major and trace elements in the augen gneisses, gneisses and rocks of the Budislav Pluton (Polička Unit).

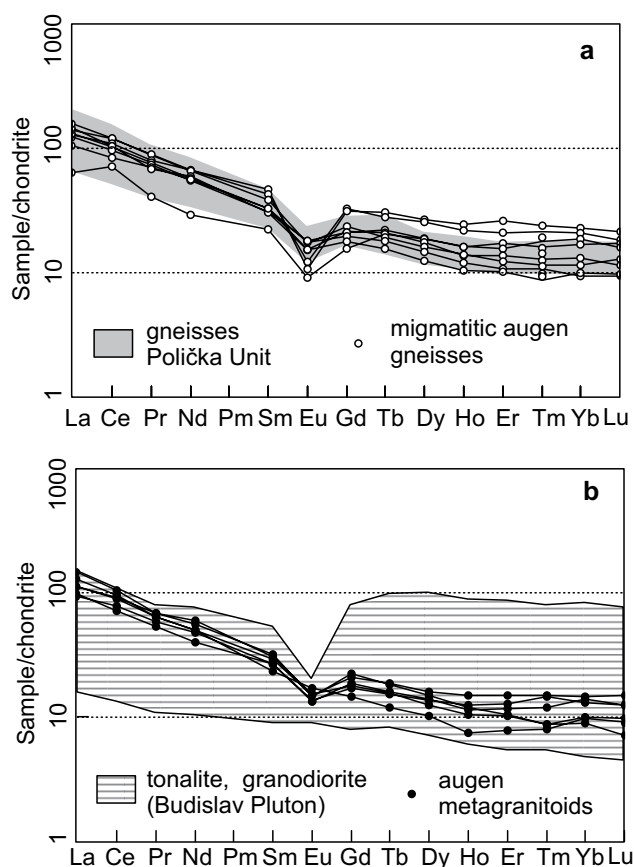
### 7.1. Magmatic events

The lower and middle units of the PU are commonly intruded by the Variscan intrusive bodies (Buriánek et al. 2003; Vondrovic and Verner 2008) among which the Miřetín and Budislav plutons are the largest. The Miřetín Pluton crystallized at a pressure of about 3–4 kbar (Hanzl ed. 2008) in the NW part of the lower sub-unit of PU. Similar igneous rocks and migmatites in the S part crystallized at the pressure of *c.* 7 kbar (Fig. 7). The age of intrusion is estimated at  $348 \pm 7$  Ma by U-Pb zircon method (Vondrovic and Verner 2008). Medium- to coarse-grained, often porphyritic granodiorites, tonalites and diorites were subsequently deformed into high- and low-temperature solid-state fabrics (Vondrovic and Verner 2008).

Emplacement of the Budislav Pluton in the middle subunit of the PU has been dated at  $350 \pm 5$  Ma by the U-Pb zircon method (Vondrovic and Verner 2008). It was contemporaneous with the M<sub>2</sub> metamorphic peak in the PU, P-T conditions of which were estimated at 600 °C and 6 kbar. Besides larger plutonic bodies, numerous sills and dykes of granites to granodiorites of thickness reaching centimetres to first metres crosscut migmatitized metasediments of the lower subunit of the PU along the contact with the Svratka Unit. The prevailing microstructural features indicate progressive cooling during the deformation in igneous dykes and migmatites.

The emplaced magma represented a major heat and fluid source. The surrounding metapelites were thus affected not only by thermal metamorphism, but also by a fluid ingress. Fluid overpressure triggered a water-satu-





**Fig. 10** Chondrite-normalized REE patterns (Boynton 1984) for augen gneisses, gneisses (a) and rocks of the Budislav Pluton (b).

rated melting, producing small patches of low-K granite melt as a source for plagioclase crystallization.

## 7.2. Augen metagranitoids

In the northern part of the PU is locally preserved a complete transition from the mesoscopically nearly undeformed porphyritic granodiorites of the Miřetín Pluton with euhedral plagioclase phenocrysts to the strongly foliated and recrystallized augen orthogneisses. All samples show substantial solid-stage deformation. Similar mylonitic augen microstructures were produced experimentally by dislocation creep accompanied by grain size reduction due to a rather high-T recrystallization at about 650 °C (Tullis and Yund 1987).

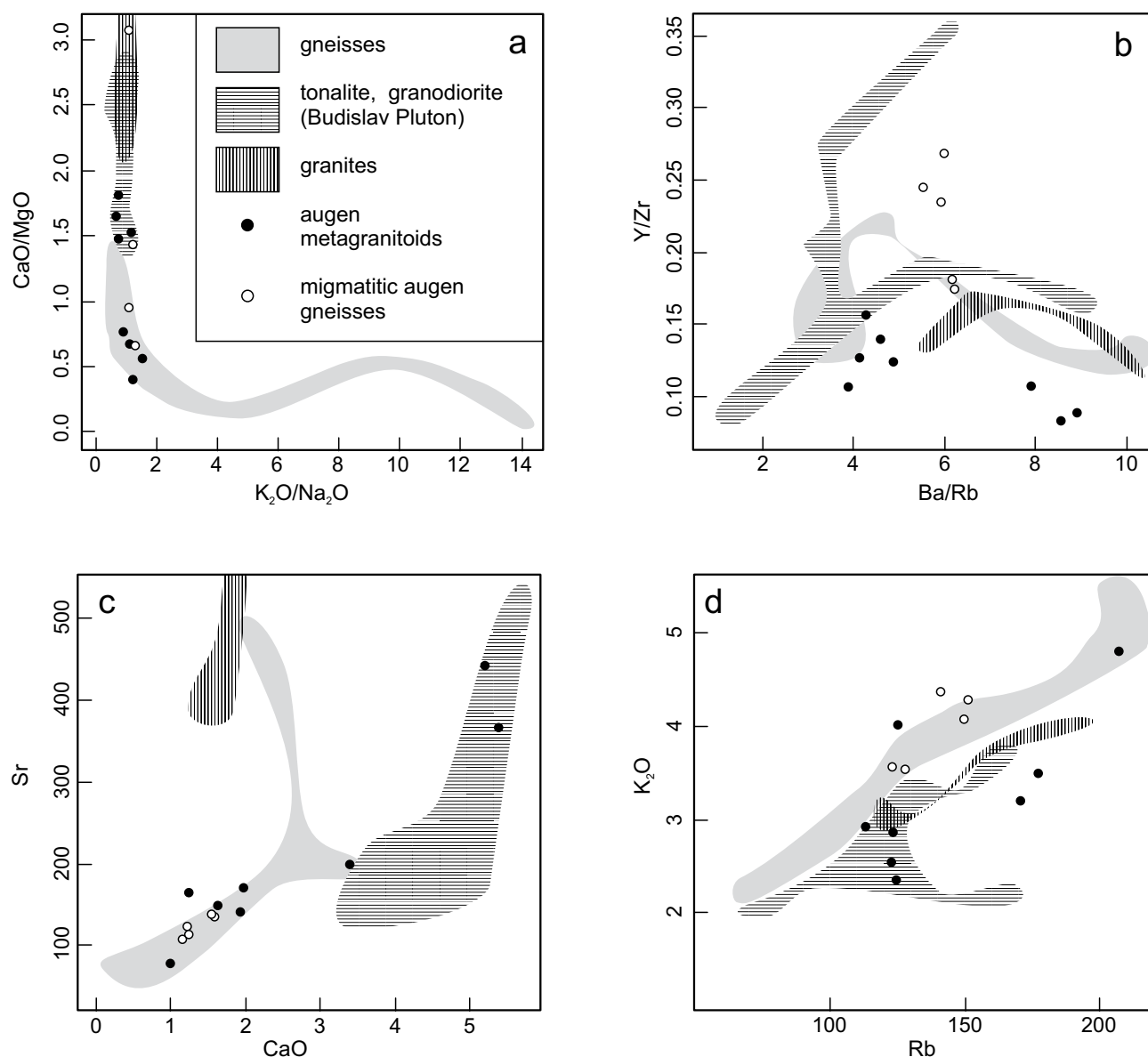
The prevailing type of augen gneiss developed from medium-grained rocks with granitic chemical compositions. These rocks originated by partial melting of metapelites. This is suggested by the presence of abundant biotite and sillimanite-rich enclaves of restitic character, composition of plagioclases (Fig. 4), as well as chemistry and zoning of garnets (Fig. 6). Plagioclase composition is usually comparable with that in the rocks

of tonalite suite (Fig. 4). However some samples contain plagioclase with a higher  $P_2O_5$  content. The phosphorus content in the feldspar from granitic rocks often increases with peraluminosity expressed by the A/CNK parameter (Broska et al. 2004). Relatively high phosphorus contents have been determined in alkali feldspars from many peraluminous granites worldwide (e.g., London 1992) and also in the metapelites of the PU (Fig. 4). Whole-rock chemical composition of metagranitoids indicates mixing between tonalite and crustal melts derived by partial melting of metapelites in the PU (Figs 8–9, 11). This process occurred at deeper crustal levels and the hybrid magmas migrated to the zone of deformation.

## 7.3. Migmatitic augen gneisses

**Migmatitic augen gneisses** originated by partial melting of a metasedimentary protolith in the lower subunit of the PU. Partial melting was probably caused by advected heat from the tonalite group rocks (Miřetín and Budislav plutons). However the migmatitic augen gneisses have not been dated yet. Residual fluids expelled from granitoids seem to have pervasively infiltrated the mica-rich metasediments and enhanced the melting. In the fine-grained biotite gneisses, the melt appears only rarely in discrete accumulation. It usually forms several cm thick veins parallel with foliation or it is entirely missing.

Close relation between magmatic activity and partial melting is indicated by the chemical composition of rocks. The REE patterns of the migmatitic augen gneisses (median  $Eu_N/Yb_N = 0.85$ ) are very similar to those of the gneisses (Fig. 10a), except for a slight enrichment in HREE (median  $Eu_N/Yb_N = 1.50$ ). This is in a good agreement with the differences between gneisses (median  $Eu_N/Yb_N = 1.06$ ) and tonalite group rocks (median  $Eu_N/Yb_N = 1.36$ ) in the PU (Fig. 10a–b). The REE patterns in migmatitic augen gneisses are very similar to those of the augen metagranitoids with slightly higher HREE contents, which can be explained by an enrichment of HREE-rich accessory minerals like zircon and xenotime in the biotite-rich restite. The high Y/Zr ratio (Fig. 11b), indicates a significant contribution of xenotime to the HREE budget. Zirconium decreases with increasing  $SiO_2$  content in rocks. This chemical correlation may reflect the increasing leucosome content in the migmatitic augen gneisses. During prograde metamorphism of metapelites, The HREE are preferentially concentrated in xenotime (Pyle and Spear 1999). Dissolution of xenotime during partial melting would produce melts with higher Y and HREE contents. The trace-element composition of garnet is controlled by partitioning with melt (Pyle and Spear 1999). Garnet is minor but typical constituent of migmatitic augen gneisses and it displays slightly higher  $Y_2O_3$  (0.03–0.19 wt. %) contents than the garnet from other



**Fig. 11** The whole-rock K<sub>2</sub>O/Na<sub>2</sub>O–CaO/MgO (a), Ba/Rb–Y/Zr (b), CaO–Sr (c) and Rb–K<sub>2</sub>O (d) diagrams for augen gneisses, gneisses and the rocks of Budislav Pluton.

gneisses of the PU (0.00–0.16 wt. %). Tonalite group rocks with higher Y and HREE contents contain significant amount (8–15 vol. %) of garnet (Fig. 10b).

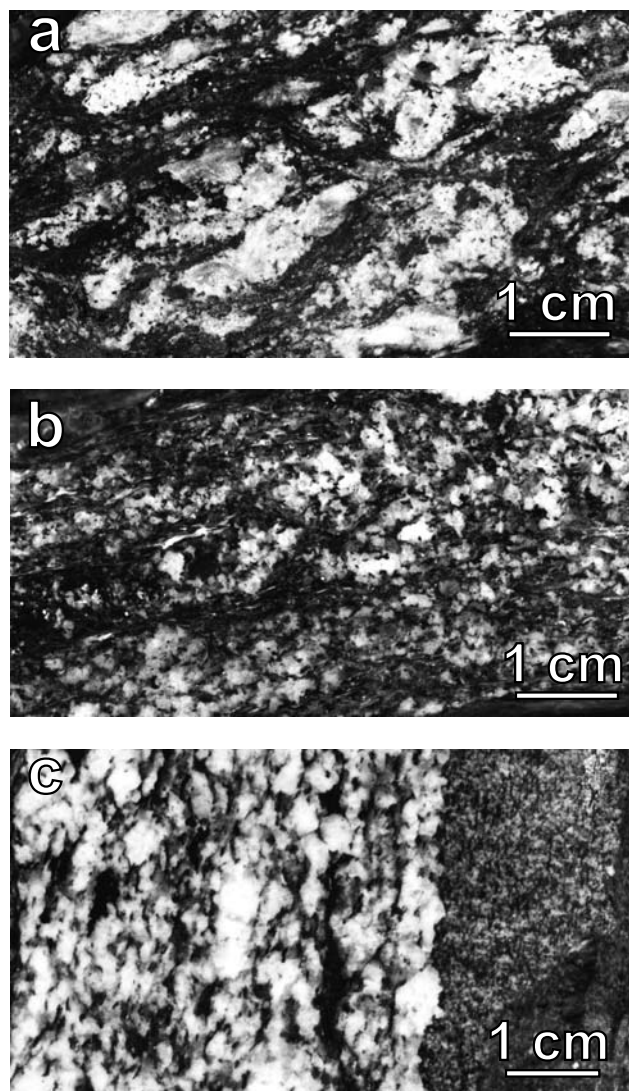
The geochemistry of Rb, Sr and Ba (Fig. 11) is strongly influenced by the balance of feldspars and micas in the source and the mechanism of melting. For the typical muscovite-rich pelite, dehydration melting leads to a liquid enriched in Rb and depleted in Sr and Ba (Harris and Inger 1992). In contrast to melts produced through water-saturated melting, it will have low Sr/Ba and Rb/Sr ratios. The Rb/Sr ratios are also reduced under disequilibrium melting conditions irrespective of the water activity during melting (Harris et al. 1993). The low Rb/Sr ratios (0.9–1.4) and high Ba contents (763–887 ppm)

in the migmatitic augen gneisses indicate water-present melting (Harris et al. 1993). The interpretation of the K<sub>2</sub>O–Rb and Sr–CaO plots (Fig. 11c and 11d) indicates that migmatitic augen gneisses may have formed by melting of metasedimentary sequence of the PU. The position of migmatitic augen gneisses in the normative An–Ab–Or diagram (Fig. 8) suggests an anatexis of metapelites rather than of greywackes (Patiño Douce and Beard 1995). With increase in H<sub>2</sub>O at constant P–T conditions the content of alkali feldspar component in the melt decreases (Holtz and Johannes 1991). The elements concentrated in mafic minerals (e.g. Mg, Fe, Ti) show good linear correlations with SiO<sub>2</sub> from augen metagranitoids to the migmatitic augen gneisses (Fig. 9). Much of the

major- and trace-element variability can be explained by mixing of tonalitic magma and melt generated by anatexis of the metasediments. Microtextural features indicate retrograde breakdown of K-feldspar in migmatites according to the reaction:  $\text{Kfs} + \text{Sil} + \text{H}_2\text{O} = \text{Ms} + \text{Qtz}$ .

The migmatitic gneisses contain augen composed of plagioclase grains or quartz-plagioclase aggregates, which are interpreted as a result of combination of *in situ* partial melting and deformation.

The observed geochemical and mineralogical characteristics and the spatial relations of migmatitic augen gneisses (Fig. 12a–b) and augen metagranitoid sheets (Fig. 12c) lead to the interpretation of the migmatitic augen gneisses as a result of external fluids infiltration.



**Fig. 12** Typical textures in slightly deformed rocks parental to the augen gneisses (transitions between textures of migmatite and granodiorite). **a** – Migmatitic augen gneiss with visible S-C fabric, (sample 68, Bystré). **b** – Migmatitic augen gneiss with sillimanite and biotite-rich enclaves, Ubušín (sample 323). **c** – Contact between fine-grained biotite gneiss and 7 cm thick meta-granitoid dyke, Jedlová (sample 131).

These were most likely residual fluids from granitoid magmas that infiltrated the metasedimentary protolith during regional metamorphism  $M_2$ .

Loaded solid-state deformation during the final stages of the Svatka and the Polička units convergence and later normal faulting along the SE margin of Hlinsko Unit obscured the differences between the granitic and migmatitized gneiss-derived augen gneisses.

## 8. Conclusions

Augen gneisses of the Polička Unit appear as a homogeneous rock group at the first sight. However, within this group exist significant differences in textural and petrochemical characteristics. Two main subgroups were distinguished: augen metagranitoids and migmatitic augen gneisses. Both represent cogenetic products of the same processes operative along the contact of the Svatka and the Polička units.

During the first stage tonalitic to granodioritic melt intruded a metapelite protolith of the Polička Unit in the form of sills and dykes. Residual fluids released during this magmatic event pervasively infiltrated the metasedimentary host rocks and caused a fluid-present partial melting. The P-T conditions of partial melting during the metamorphic event  $M_2$  were estimated at  $\sim 750\text{--}800^\circ\text{C}$  and 7 kbar. The fluid-present partial melting resulted in the origin of ophthalmitic and stromatitic migmatites around granitoid intrusions.

Augen metagranitoids and migmatitic augen gneisses were both affected by the same ductile shearing. Microstructural characteristics and mineral fabrics provide evidence for high-temperature deformation of migmatites and tonalites in subsolidus conditions.

Emplacement of granodiorite to tonalite bodies and their sub-solidus deformations were associated with ductile shear zone, representing a metamorphic event ( $M_2$ ) and exhumation of high-grade complexes, including granulites. Kinematic features in augen gneisses indicate displacement of the Polička over the Svatka Unit. These structures can be interpreted as a result of crustal-scale folding with NW-directed overthrusting of the Bohemium over the Svatka Unit. Small occurrences of mainly igneous rocks of the PU within the Moldanubian Zone and along the northern rim of the Svatka Unit indicate a larger areal extent of the Bohemium nappe above the Svatka Unit and Moldanubian Zone than supposed previously.

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