Mechanism of ultrasound strengthening preparation nanomaterials
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Abstract: This paper will discuss strengthening mechanism of ultrasonic hydroxyapatite nm from each ultrasound parameters, such as: research ultrasonic power, intensity, frequency, etc., the findings concluded that ultrasound is through a liquid medium to a solution of molecules, ions action. When the ultrasound propagation in a liquid medium and the energy reaches a certain threshold, it will have a “cavitation” phenomenon. Thus, the formation of cavitation nuclei and growth has played a significant role in promoting, ultrafine, uniform nano-powders obtained provides a good foundation, it has been widely used in the preparation of nanometer powder.

Introduction
Nanomaterials refers to the space between the single crystal size between 1nm-100nm range or a single crystal by material effect constitute a certain space, and its scope is very broad, including ultra various metals, non-metallic, inorganic compounds and organic compounds fine powder. Nano materials are available from the dimension, composition relative to the number of different angles, etc. and conductive properties, usually in dimension classified into zero-dimensional, one-dimensional and two-dimensional. The system has a zero-dimensional nanoparticles, clusters, etc.[1]; a one-dimensional system has nanowires (Nanosilk), nanorods (Nanorods), nanotubes (Nanotubes); two-dimensional nano material is mainly nanofilms (Nano-Membrane): Because these units often have quantum characteristics, so the zero-dimensional, one-dimensional and two-dimensional nanomaterials and basic structural units are called quantum dots (quantum dot), quantum wire (quantum wire) and the quantum well (quantum well). Because quantum affinity between the structural units or synergistic enhancement of the role of nanomaterials in general unparalleled material properties, has broad applications in photoelectrochemical properties, etc., aroused great interest of researchers at home and abroad and widespread concern. Currently, nano-science has become colloid chemistry, condensed matter physics, atomic physics, Solid State Chemistry, chemical reaction kinetics and surface, interface, and other interdisciplinary scientific gathering and the emergence of a comprehensive discipline. The last century, scientists praise: nanotechnology research in the 21st century will become the most development potential.

Ultrasound chemical, also known as sonochemistry, is cross-penetration and developed mutual chemistry between physical acoustics and a new discipline, as early as 1895, scientists observed Bamaby and Thornycroft on sunken submarine propeller erosion, published in human history the first report on cavitation, 1927, Loomis was first reported ultrasound has the effect of speeding up the rate of biochemical reactions, but until the 1980s Sonochemical science really began to board the stage of history, the beginning of the formation of a new chemical branch, for two reasons: First, in terms of the source of ultrasound, because the development of science and technology, all kinds of efficient and economical ultrasonic source to be produced; the second is the demand side of the new functional materials, people have the characteristics of functional materials demand more and more, the process for the preparation of materials have become increasingly demanding[2-4]. Currently, the main research and application of ultrasound technology involves chemistry, photoelectric chemistry, inorganic chemistry, nano-materials and the development of new materials have been widely used in the synthesis, wastewater treatment, preparation of ceramic powders and
In practical applications, we use ultrasound on the reaction solution was subjected to irradiation, as can be divided into two categories: direct and indirect ultrasound ultrasound. Indirect ultrasonic bath type ultrasonic reactor, mainly used for cleaning. The principle is - exists in the liquid under the action of microbubbles vibration sound waves, when the sound pressure reaches a certain value, the rapid growth of the bubble, then suddenly closed, resulting in a shock wave in the bubble is closed, to achieve the goal of cleaning. Direct ultrasound probe system type reactor is, such a device is an ultrasonic probe directly immersed in the reaction liquid, the energy directly into the reaction system, compared to the indirect ultrasound, ultrasound directly reach a larger reaction vessel ultrasonic power, it can be a lot of ultrasonic energy in a reaction solvent, and can more easily modify the experimental parameters, but because of the ultrasonic probe in direct contact with the reaction solution, it is possible to introduce impurities and contamination, so before each experiment, the application of ethanol cleaning probe, then it drying.

Hydroxyapatite (HAP) is prevalent in the Earth's surface, in human and animal bones and teeth were found in its present form salts, so the organism has good compatibility and have biological activity, is a good bone tissue replacement materials, and is widely used in biotechnology, for example, be used as an alternative to bone, the bone void filler, bone cement, coating implants, has now become the world clinical orthopedic surgeon like to use materials with potential prospects. Research shows that hydroxyapatite can remove specific chemical pollution, improve food hygiene and water purification to remove contaminants such as metal ions in water and can absorb some of the organic substances that can improve the efficiency of the drug, adsorption characteristics of hydroxyapatite It has an important application value and theoretical significance.

Although nano-hydroxyapatite good biocompatibility, inorganic chemical composition close to the bone of the chemical composition, but its drawback is that poor mechanical properties, brittle, compressive strength and flexural strength is not enough. And the lack of natural human collagen tissue components, etc., it is necessary to use an organic - inorganic composite material prepared way to obtain high-strength, biocompatible scaffold for bone tissue better meet biomedical needs. Secondly, nano-hydroxyapatite composite as slow release drug delivery and treatment of industrial waste water as adsorbents and other aspects also play an important role.

In summary, this paper will discuss strengthening mechanism of ultrasonic hydroxyapatite nm from each ultrasound parameters, such as: research ultrasonic power, intensity, frequency, etc., the findings concluded that ultrasound is through the liquid medium of the solution molecules, ions have an effect. When the ultrasound propagation in a liquid medium and the energy reaches a certain threshold, it will have a "cavitation" phenomenon.

Materials, reagents and methods

Instrument

752 UV-Vis spectrophotometer, AY120 electronic analytical balance, KH-400KDB CNC high-power ultrasonic cleaner, digital temperature drying oven, D8-ADVANCE X-ray powder diffraction, TENSOR-37 fourier Fourier transform infrared spectrometer.

Reagents

Ca(NO₃)₂•4H₂O, (NH₄)₂HPO₄, ammonia, acetaminophen, phenol and ethanol.

The pre-reaction HAP sample preparation

Control experiments Ca (NO₃)₂•4H₂O and the molar ratio of (NH₄)₂HPO₄ is 1.67. Specific experimental procedure is as follows: 5: 3 molar ratio of calcium nitrate solution were prepared and diammonium phosphate solution: Weigh 11.808gCa (NO₃)₂•4H₂O, and 3.962g (NH₄)₂HPO₄, were dissolved in deionized water, formulated as 0.050mol/L of Ca (NO₃)₂ solution and 0.030mol / L of (NH₄)₂HPO₄ solution.
Preparation of nano-HAP under ultrasound

Amount of the same volume of the above with a good solution 20mL of two, both with aqueous ammonia to adjust the pH of the solution was 10 to 10.5, and the auxiliary ultrasonic vigorous mechanical stirring (ultrasonic power: W = 400W, mechanical agitation speed: n=200 switch/min) of the latter (0.030mol/L of (NH4)2HPO4 solution) was slowly added dropwise (<10mL/min) using a separatory funnel and constantly stirred calcium nitrate solution, and treated with aqueous ammonia to control the pH value of 10 to 10.5, the reaction temperature is room temperature 25°C. Until the addition was complete, continue to ultrasound and to assist with vigorous mechanical stirring 2h, and then the reaction product was allowed to stand for aging for about 12h, the supernatant decanted lower sediment centrifugation, thoroughly washed with deionized water centrifugal separator 3 to 5 times, each time 15min, to remove the ammonium ion, until neutral, after which the product was oven dried transverse temperature 80°C 12h to give HAP powder sample denoted as S2.

Results and Discussion

Mechanism of ultrasound

Maniatis C believes that without a critical synthesis of powder agglomeration is to control the crystal growth process of reunion. Commonly used anti-agglomeration methods are: washing with an organic solvent, azeotropic distillation dehydration, ultrasound, use surfactants, which bounce effect is an effective method to reduce particle agglomeration, its mechanism of action thought to cavitation effects.

By acoustic cavitation improve reaction yields and lead to a new discipline of chemical reactions, reflect a very unique interaction between energy and matter. It refers to a liquid acoustic cavitation nuclei formed tiny bubbles, vibration, grow, shrink to collapse, and the physical and chemical changes induced. When cavitation bubbles collapse in a very short time a very small space around the cavitation bubble, the instant high temperature (5000K), high pressure (1.8 × 10^8Pa) and more than 1010K/s cooling rate, accompanied by a strong shock wave and speed of 400km/h and discharge light jet effect. These conditions are sufficient to break the chemical bonds in the compound occurs cavitation nuclei, the aqueous phase of combustion or thermal decomposition, and can promote heterogeneous interfacial disturbance between the phase interface update and generate new phase, thus accelerating the mass transfer and the interface between the transmission thermal process.

In addition, the ultrasonic cavitation increases the chemical reactivity, increase medium particle collision probability between. High temperatures and lots of tiny bubbles in the surface of solid particles generated ultrasonic cavitation generated also greatly reduces the specific surface free energy of small grains, inhibit aggregation nuclei and grow up. Ultrasonic cavitation generated shock waves and microjets shear crushing action of the particles on the effective destruction of the reunion between the nuclei or particles, controlling the size of the particles. Meanwhile, the ultrasonic irradiation significantly increased the nucleation density, promote the formation and growth of nuclei. In the nucleation stage, the critical nucleus formation requires a certain Serve nuclear energy, heat generated by the ultrasonic cavitation nuclei make the system easier to achieve the desired stability of Guinea into nuclear energy, nucleation probability increases, the nucleation rate increases and instantly generate a large number of ultra-fine nuclei in the system. Nucleation stage of growth to the collapse of cavitation bubbles can cause a reaction liquid microscopic vortex, cavitation bubbles per second, hundreds of millions on such a whirl on the very significant cause agitation in the reaction solution. Thus, the formation of cavitation nuclei and growth has played a significant role in promoting, ultrafine, uniform nano-powders obtained provides a good foundation, it has been widely used in the preparation of nanometer powder.
Conclusions

The results concluded that ultrasound is through a liquid medium to a solution of molecules, ions have an effect. When the ultrasound propagation in a liquid medium and the energy reaches a certain threshold, it will have a "cavitation" phenomenon. Thus, the formation of cavitation nuclei and growth has played a significant role in promoting, ultrafine, uniform nano-powders obtained provides a good foundation, it has been widely used in the preparation of nanometer powder.

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