GEOCHEMICAL AND ISOTOPIC (ND, SR) DIVERSITY OF GRANITES IN THE ANATEXIS OF A LARGE SECTION OF INTERMEDIATE CRUST IN SOUTHEAST BRAZIL: SOURCE AREAS AND ELEMENT REDISTRIBUTION

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Crustal melts generated at 625 Ma in a large section of intermediate crust (the Socorro-Guaxupé Nappe) exposed in the southernmost Brasilia Belt, Brazil, have widely variable compositions, reminescent of A-, I- and S-type granites. Muscovite dehydration-melting of metagreywackes and metapelites at 750°C in the shallowest exposed levels (ca. 5 kbar) generated (garnet)-(muscovite)-biotite leucogranites (eNd625 = -13 to -16; 87Sr/86Sr625 = 0,713-0,719). High Sr/Rb, Ba, La/Yb and Th as compared to Himalayan leucogranites reflect differences in sources and in the behavior of accessory minerals. Biotite dehydration-melting at 800-900° C of quartz-feldspatic protholiths at intermediate crustal levels (7 kbar) generated a diversity of biotite granites with I-type signatures. Variable Nd isotope compositions reflect derivation from crustal blocks with different geological evolution (eNd625 = -5 to -7 in the Machado Block; -10 to -13 in the southern Guaxupé Domain). Two contrasted mangerite suites were generated by high-T (950° C) melting of granulites at the deepest exposed crustal levels (P3 10 kbar): the mangerite-granite S.P.Caldas suite was produced by AFC from magmas derived from the Machado Block (eNd625 = -3 to -6) and the the more mafic Divinolândia suite (eNd625 = -10 to -12) had more residual protholiths with older crustal residence from the Alfenas-Guaxupé Block. The main geochemical features of magmas reflect their generation by low-fraction melting (low mg#, Ni, Cr; high Nb, Nb/Ta) at very high T (high Zr, P, Ti) of residual, K feldspar-bearing granulites (high Ba/Rb, Ba/Sr, low Th, ETRL, U, Cs).