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Effects of annealing on $\text{Ba}(\text{Fe}_{1-x}\text{Co}_x)_2\text{As}_2$ and $\text{Ba}(\text{Fe}_{1-x-y}\text{Co}_x\text{TM}_y)_2\text{As}_2$ (TM=Mn,Cr) single crystals¹ ALEX THALER, SHENG RAN, Iowa State University/Ames Lab, ALFRED KRACHER, Retired, WARREN STRASZHEIM, JIA YAN, SERGEY BUD'KO, PAUL CANFIELD, Iowa State University/Ames Lab — Single crystals of $\text{Ba}(\text{Fe}_{1-x-y}\text{Co}_x\text{TM}_y)_2\text{As}_2$ (TM=Cr, Mn) have been grown and characterized by structural, magnetic and transport measurements, both in the as-grown state (quenched from $\sim 1000^\circ\text{C}$) as well as after post-growth annealing. This phase space has many parameters and is rich and complex, with superconducting transition temperatures depending upon x and y, as well as annealing temperature and time. In this talk, we will present T-x and T-y, as well as T-time and T-T (for annealing) phase diagrams and discuss the implications for future research into these complex materials.

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