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**Ammonia ice at very high pressure** SANDRA NINET, Université Pierre et Marie Curie - Institut de Mineralogie et de Physique des Milieux Condensés - Paris VI, France, FREDERIC DATCHI, Université Pierre et Marie Curie - Institut de Mineralogie et de Physique des Milieux Condensés - Paris VI, France, PAUL DUMAS, Synchrotron SOLEIL, Gif Sur Yvette, France, MOHAMED MEZOUAR, GASTON GARBARINO, European Synchrotron Radiation Facility, Grenoble, France, ADRIEN MAFETY, Université Pierre et Marie Curie - Institut de Mineralogie et de Physique des Milieux Condensés - Paris VI, France, CHRIS PICKARD, Department of Physics and Astronomy, University College London, United Kingdom, RICHARD NEEDS, Theory of Condensed Matter Group, Cavendish Laboratory, Cambridge, United Kingdom, MARCO SAITTA, Université Pierre et Marie Curie - Institut de Mineralogie et de Physique des Milieux Condensés - Paris VI, France — In this presentation, we report an extended experimental investigation of the phase diagram of ammonia at high pressure and temperature. By combining Raman scattering and X-ray diffraction experiments, we demonstrate the presence of a new H-disordered crystalline form above  $\sim$ 60 GPa and  $\sim$ 700 K. Using *ab initio* MD simulations, we show that this new disordered phase is a superionic conductor. We will also present new experimental results (infrared, Raman and X-ray) on NH<sub>3</sub> and ND<sub>3</sub> at ambient temperature up to 200 GPa and will discuss the existence of ionic ammonia ices.

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