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Structure-magnetism correlation induced by Mn substitution in bilayered perovskite $\text{Sr}_3(\text{Ru}_{1-x}\text{Mn}_x)_2\text{O}_7$ ¹ QIANG ZHANG, Louisiana State Univ - Baton Rouge, FENG YE, SONGXUE CHI, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, DALGIS MESA, Louisiana State Univ - Baton Rouge, WEI TIAN, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, RONGYING JIN, WARD PLUMMER, JIANDI ZHANG, Louisiana State Univ - Baton Rouge — Elastic neutron scattering technique was employed to investigate the effect of Mn substitution on the structure, magnetism and their correlation in $\text{Sr}_3(\text{Ru}_{1-x}\text{Mn}_x)_2\text{O}_7$ ($x=6\%$, 12% and 16%) crystals. While parent compound $\text{Sr}_3\text{Ru}_2\text{O}_7$ is paramagnetic, a small amount of Mn substitution induces an E-type antiferromagnetic order. With the increase of Mn substitution from 6 % to 16%, the ordered moment at Ru/Mn site increases significantly with an enhanced T_N from 20 K for $x=6\%$ to 80 K for $x=16\%$, and the in-plane magnetic correlation lengths increase to achieve the maximum for $x=16\%$ as indicated by the resolution-limited linewidth of the H scans through $\mathbf{Q}_{\text{AFM}}=(0.5, 0, 0)$. Accompanied by the enhancement of T_N , the (Ru/Mn) O_6 octahedron rotation is found to be suppressed simultaneously, suggesting a correlation between (Ru/Mn) O_6 octahedron rotation and magnetism due to Mn substitution. Our findings indicate that Mn substitution on Ru in $\text{Sr}_3\text{Ru}_2\text{O}_7$ has a significant effect on the microscopic structure and magnetism as well as the correlations between them.

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