Supplementary materials for

Microstructural deformation process of shock-compressed polycrystalline aluminum

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Supplementary Materials Includes: Figure S1, Figure S2.



Stacking fault

Fig. S1 Microstructure of shocked polycrystalline aluminum from 100-µm-thick sample examined by transmission electron microscope imaging. Microstructure of shockcompressed polycrystalline aluminum subjected to the same conditions as used for timeresolved X-ray diffraction. Grain size decreased and many twin lamellae appeared after shock-compression.

Estimation of dislocation density of shock compressed polycrystalline aluminum: Predicted dislocation densities of pure aluminum as a function of shock pressure are plotted in Fig. S2, and compared with actual results. If the dislocation is assumed to move at the shear wave velocity, the dislocation density can be expressed as a function of volume change,  $V/V_0[1]$ :

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\rho = \left(\frac{0.4(1-v)\pi^2}{\sqrt{2}b^2}\right) \left(1 - \left(\frac{V}{V_0}\right)^{1/3}\right)^3 \tag{1}
$$

where  $\nu$  is Poisson's ratio and  $\rho$  is the dislocation density. b is the burgers vector of aluminum. Shock pressure, P can be expressed from the Rankine-Hugoniot equations and the equation of state:

$$
P = \frac{c_0^2 \left(1 - \frac{V}{V_0}\right)}{V_0 \left[1 - S\left(1 - \frac{V}{V_0}\right)\right]^2}
$$
 (1)

Our values for the dislocation density estimated from the diffraction peak width are

consistent with the calculated dislocation density.



Fig. S2 Calculated dislocation densities in pure aluminum as a function of shock **pressure.** Variation of the dislocation density in aluminum,  $\rho$  with shock pressure P based on Eq. S1 and S2. The dotted curve shows the dislocation moving at the shear wave velocity. The solid curve shows the stationary dislocation under shock wave loading

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