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Control of Magnetism near Metal to Insulator Transitions of VO₂

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We report on the presence of plasma expansion cross correlation among the deposition parameters. The fast intensified-charge-coupled-device (ICCD) photography imaging studies of the plasma generated by the KrF excimer laser ablation of VO₂ in the presence of oxygen background gas is studied. The magnetic properties of ferromagnetic films are strongly affected by the proximity to materials that undergo a metal to insulator transition. Here, we show that under the depositions conditions associated with structural changes near the metal-insulator phase transition of VO₂ produces magnetoelastic anisotropy. We observe intrinsic paramagnetic centres both at the film surface and bulk that are affected by the metal-insulator phase transition in VO₂. Under similar conditions, we show that changing the substrate-to-target distance directly affect the observed nano-plateles of VO₂ in 1-D

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