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ABSTRACT

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This research purposely to investigate the effect due to doping process for Pb ion and Yb ion substitution on polycrystalline La_{0.7}Pb_{0.3}MnO₃ and (La_{0.7-x}Yb_x)_{0.7}Pb_{0.3}MnO₃ respectively with concentration x = 0.000, 0.025, 0.050, 0.075 at La-site based on manganites regarding the structural properties and electrical transport properties. Double exchange interaction and Jahn-Teller effect explain the whole changes aspects in this research. Doping alkaline-earth element such as Pb²⁺ into LaMnO₃ and doping rare-earth element such as Yb³⁺ into (La_{0.7-x}Yb_x)_{0.7} Pb_{0.3}MnO₃ at La-site were shown their changes on electrical transport properties and the difference on structural view of those compounds had been recognized. Substitution of Pb²⁺ ion at La-site on LaMnO₃ and doping Yb³⁺ ion at La-site on (La_{0.7-x}Yb_x)_{0.7}Pb_{0.3}MnO₃ compound were prepared using the conventional solid state reaction method. All samples were calcined at 850°C for 12 hours in air, grinded for 2 hours, compacted to pellet shape and sintered at 900°C for 24 hours. The metal-insulator transition temperature, T_{MI} measured by using standard fourpoint probe resistivity under 0 Tesla. The structural properties had been observed and analyzed by using XRD technique. The resistivity for both perovskite manganese oxide had change drastically. In this investigation, resistivity shows decrement as increment of Yb-substitution while temperature shifted to the higher temperature. All investigated samples are well-fitted to electron-magnon scatter.