

# Palladseite (Pd<sub>17</sub>Se<sub>15</sub>) Structure: A17B15\_cP64\_207\_acfk\_eij-001

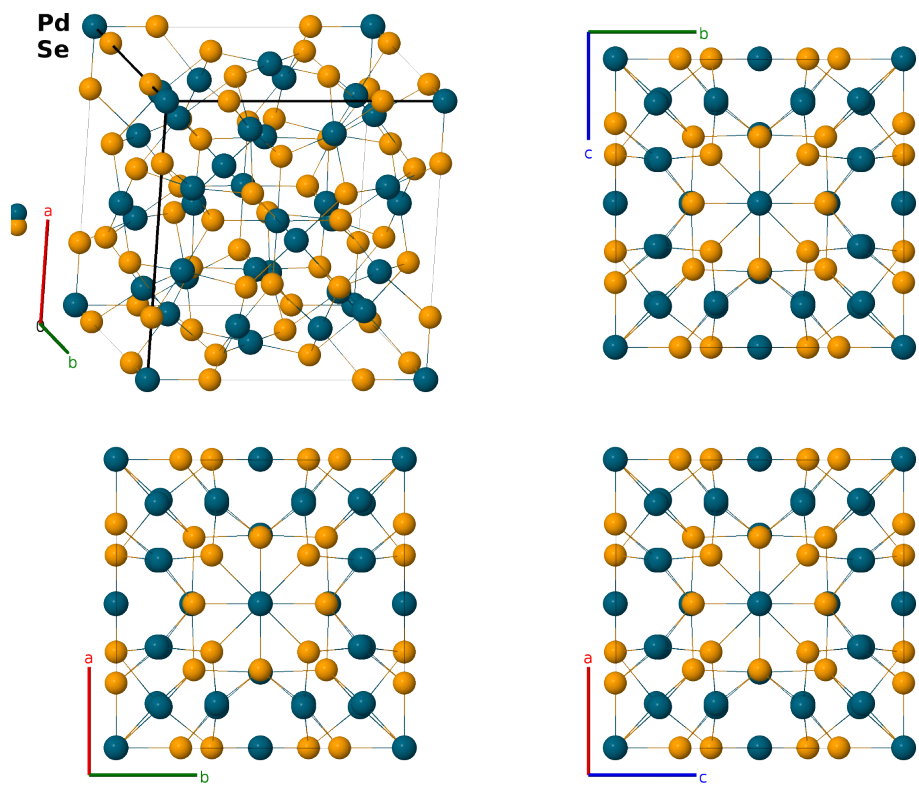
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| Prototype               | Pd <sub>17</sub> Se <sub>15</sub>                                                                                                                                               |
| AFLOW prototype label   | A17B15_cP64_207_acfk_eij-001                                                                                                                                                    |
| Mineral name            | palladseite                                                                                                                                                                     |
| Pearson symbol          | cP64                                                                                                                                                                            |
| Space group number      | 207                                                                                                                                                                             |
| Space group symbol      | <i>P</i> 432                                                                                                                                                                    |
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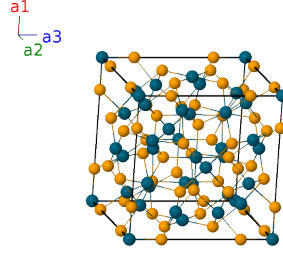
## Other compounds with this structure

Rh<sub>17</sub>Se<sub>15</sub>

- (Geller, 1962) determined that Pd<sub>17</sub>Se<sub>15</sub> could be in space group  $Pm\bar{3}m$  #221,  $P\bar{4}3m$  #215, or  $P432$  #207 (this structure), and finds that  $Pm\bar{3}m$  gives the best fit to single-crystal X-ray diffraction pattern, although the parameter fit for the all of the Wyckoff sites did not converge. We therefore present all three structure possibilities.
- We shifted the coordinates of (Geller, 1962) to move the Pd-I atom from the center of the cubic cell, Wyckoff position (1b), to the origin, Wyckoff position (1a).

## Simple Cubic primitive vectors

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{a}_1 &= a \hat{\mathbf{x}} \\ \mathbf{a}_2 &= a \hat{\mathbf{y}} \\ \mathbf{a}_3 &= a \hat{\mathbf{z}} \end{aligned}$$



## Basis vectors

|                   | Lattice coordinates                                                       |     | Cartesian coordinates                                                                      | Wyckoff position | Atom type |
|-------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|-----------|
| $\mathbf{B}_1$    | $0$                                                                       | $=$ | $0$                                                                                        | (1a)             | Pd I      |
| $\mathbf{B}_2$    | $\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$                     | $=$ | $\frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{z}}$                          | (3c)             | Pd II     |
| $\mathbf{B}_3$    | $\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$                     | $=$ | $\frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{z}}$                          | (3c)             | Pd II     |
| $\mathbf{B}_4$    | $\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2$                     | $=$ | $\frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{y}}$                          | (3c)             | Pd II     |
| $\mathbf{B}_5$    | $x_3 \mathbf{a}_1$                                                        | $=$ | $ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{x}}$                                                                    | (6e)             | Se I      |
| $\mathbf{B}_6$    | $-x_3 \mathbf{a}_1$                                                       | $=$ | $-ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{x}}$                                                                   | (6e)             | Se I      |
| $\mathbf{B}_7$    | $x_3 \mathbf{a}_2$                                                        | $=$ | $ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{y}}$                                                                    | (6e)             | Se I      |
| $\mathbf{B}_8$    | $-x_3 \mathbf{a}_2$                                                       | $=$ | $-ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{y}}$                                                                   | (6e)             | Se I      |
| $\mathbf{B}_9$    | $x_3 \mathbf{a}_3$                                                        | $=$ | $ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$                                                                    | (6e)             | Se I      |
| $\mathbf{B}_{10}$ | $-x_3 \mathbf{a}_3$                                                       | $=$ | $-ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$                                                                   | (6e)             | Se I      |
| $\mathbf{B}_{11}$ | $x_4 \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$  | $=$ | $ax_4 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{z}}$  | (6f)             | Pd III    |
| $\mathbf{B}_{12}$ | $-x_4 \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $-ax_4 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (6f)             | Pd III    |
| $\mathbf{B}_{13}$ | $\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_1 + x_4 \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$  | $=$ | $\frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + ax_4 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{z}}$  | (6f)             | Pd III    |
| $\mathbf{B}_{14}$ | $\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_1 - x_4 \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$  | $=$ | $\frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{x}} - ax_4 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{z}}$  | (6f)             | Pd III    |
| $\mathbf{B}_{15}$ | $\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2 + x_4 \mathbf{a}_3$  | $=$ | $\frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{y}} + ax_4 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$  | (6f)             | Pd III    |
| $\mathbf{B}_{16}$ | $\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2 - x_4 \mathbf{a}_3$  | $=$ | $\frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{y}} - ax_4 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$  | (6f)             | Pd III    |
| $\mathbf{B}_{17}$ | $y_5 \mathbf{a}_2 + y_5 \mathbf{a}_3$                                     | $=$ | $ay_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + ay_5 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$                                            | (12i)            | Se II     |
| $\mathbf{B}_{18}$ | $-y_5 \mathbf{a}_2 + y_5 \mathbf{a}_3$                                    | $=$ | $-ay_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + ay_5 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$                                           | (12i)            | Se II     |
| $\mathbf{B}_{19}$ | $y_5 \mathbf{a}_2 - y_5 \mathbf{a}_3$                                     | $=$ | $ay_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - ay_5 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$                                            | (12i)            | Se II     |
| $\mathbf{B}_{20}$ | $-y_5 \mathbf{a}_2 - y_5 \mathbf{a}_3$                                    | $=$ | $-ay_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - ay_5 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$                                           | (12i)            | Se II     |



$$\begin{array}{llllll}
\mathbf{B}_{62} & = & z_7 \mathbf{a}_1 - y_7 \mathbf{a}_2 + x_7 \mathbf{a}_3 & = & az_7 \hat{\mathbf{x}} - ay_7 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + ax_7 \hat{\mathbf{z}} & (24k) \quad \text{Pd IV} \\
\mathbf{B}_{63} & = & -z_7 \mathbf{a}_1 + y_7 \mathbf{a}_2 + x_7 \mathbf{a}_3 & = & -az_7 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + ay_7 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + ax_7 \hat{\mathbf{z}} & (24k) \quad \text{Pd IV} \\
\mathbf{B}_{64} & = & -z_7 \mathbf{a}_1 - y_7 \mathbf{a}_2 - x_7 \mathbf{a}_3 & = & -az_7 \hat{\mathbf{x}} - ay_7 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - ax_7 \hat{\mathbf{z}} & (24k) \quad \text{Pd IV}
\end{array}$$

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