

Mn₂AlB₂ Structure:

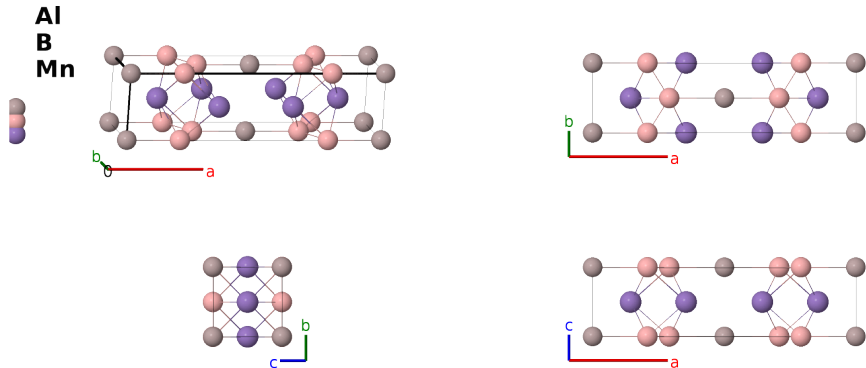
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Prototype	AlB ₂ Mn ₂
AFLOW prototype label	AB2C2_oC10_65_a_g_h-001
ICSD	25518
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Pearson symbol	oC10
Space group number	65
Space group symbol	<i>Cmmm</i>
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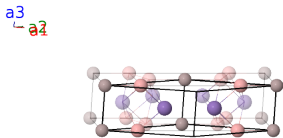
Other compounds with this structure

Cr₂AlB₂, Fe₂AlB₂

- (Becher, 1966) give the space group as *C*222 #20, but their Wyckoff positions are obviously from space group *Cmmm* #65, a result which was confirmed by (Ade, 2015).

Base-centered Orthorhombic primitive vectors

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{a}_1 &= \frac{1}{2}a \hat{\mathbf{x}} - \frac{1}{2}b \hat{\mathbf{y}} \\ \mathbf{a}_2 &= \frac{1}{2}a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{2}b \hat{\mathbf{y}} \\ \mathbf{a}_3 &= c \hat{\mathbf{z}} \end{aligned}$$



Basis vectors

	Lattice coordinates		Cartesian coordinates	Wyckoff position	Atom type
$\mathbf{B}_1$	$=$	0	$=$	0	(2a) Al I
$\mathbf{B}_2$	$=$	$x_2 \mathbf{a}_1 + x_2 \mathbf{a}_2$	$=$	$ax_2 \hat{\mathbf{x}}$	(4g) B I
$\mathbf{B}_3$	$=$	$-x_2 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_2 \mathbf{a}_2$	$=$	$-ax_2 \hat{\mathbf{x}}$	(4g) B I
$\mathbf{B}_4$	$=$	$x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 + x_3 \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{2}c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4h) Mn I
$\mathbf{B}_5$	$=$	$-x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_3 \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{2}c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4h) Mn I

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