

AlB₄Mg Structure:

AB4C_hP6_191_a_h_b-001

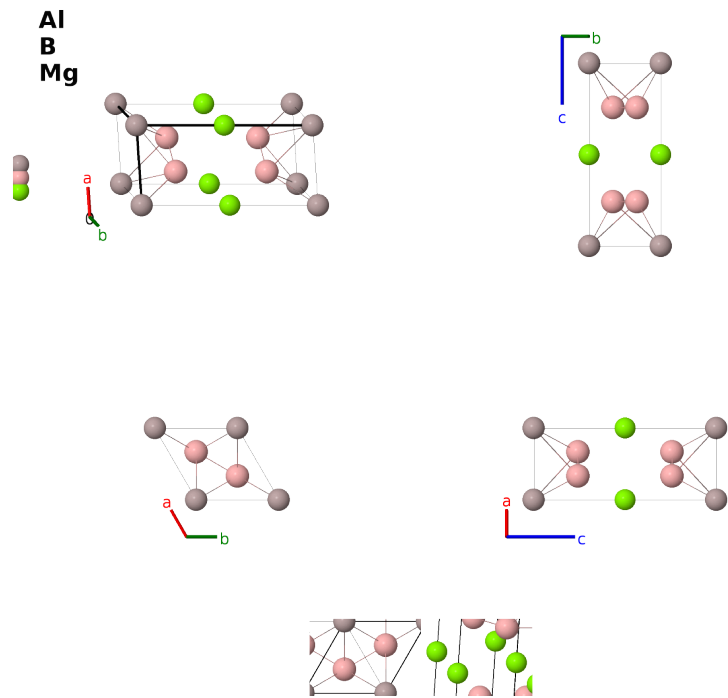
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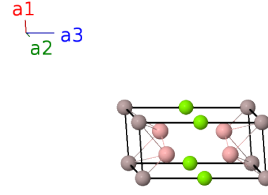


Prototype	AlB ₄ Mg
AFLOW prototype label	AB4C_hP6_191_a_h_b-001
ICSD	97224
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Pearson symbol	hP6
Space group number	191
Space group symbol	$P6/mmm$
AFLOW prototype command	<code>aflow --proto=AB4C_hP6_191_a_h_b-001</code> <code>--params=a, c/a, z₃</code>

- Note that Table I of (Margadonna, 2002) mislabels the (1a) and (1b) Wyckoff positions.

Hexagonal primitive vectors

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{a}_1 &= \frac{1}{2}a \hat{\mathbf{x}} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}a \hat{\mathbf{y}} \\ \mathbf{a}_2 &= \frac{1}{2}a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}a \hat{\mathbf{y}} \\ \mathbf{a}_3 &= c \hat{\mathbf{z}}\end{aligned}$$



Basis vectors

	Lattice coordinates		Cartesian coordinates	Wyckoff position	Atom type
$\mathbf{B}_1$	$=$	0	$=$	0	Al I
$\mathbf{B}_2$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2}c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	Mg I
$\mathbf{B}_3$	$=$	$\frac{1}{3} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{2}{3} \mathbf{a}_2 + z_3 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2}a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_3 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4h) B I
$\mathbf{B}_4$	$=$	$\frac{2}{3} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{3} \mathbf{a}_2 + z_3 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2}a \hat{\mathbf{x}} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_3 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4h) B I
$\mathbf{B}_5$	$=$	$\frac{2}{3} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{3} \mathbf{a}_2 - z_3 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2}a \hat{\mathbf{x}} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_3 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4h) B I
$\mathbf{B}_6$	$=$	$\frac{1}{3} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{2}{3} \mathbf{a}_2 - z_3 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2}a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_3 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4h) B I

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