

Chalcocyanite (CuSO₄) Structure:

AB4C_oP24_62_a_2cd_c-001

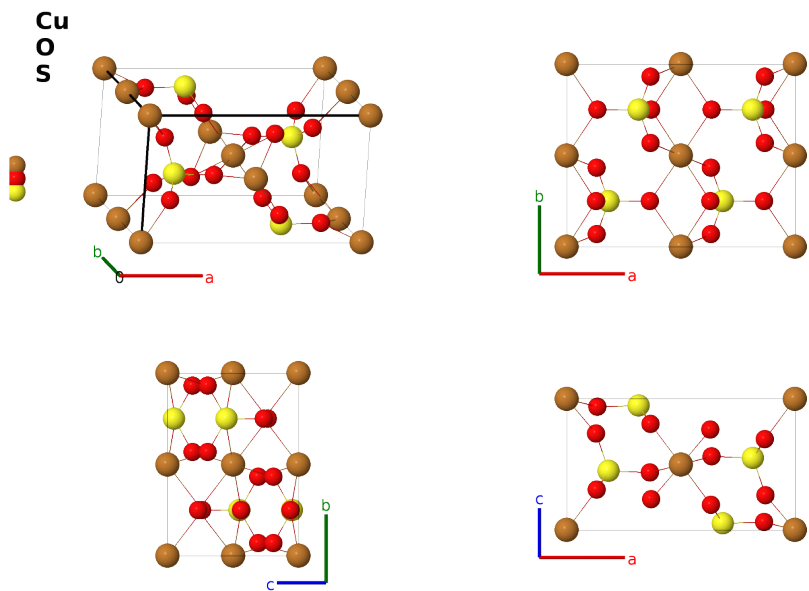
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Prototype	CuO ₄ S
AFLOW prototype label	AB4C_oP24_62_a_2cd_c-001
Mineral name	chalcocyanite
ICSD	71017
CCDC	1631933
Pearson symbol	oP24
Space group number	62
Space group symbol	<i>Pnma</i>
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Other compounds with this structure

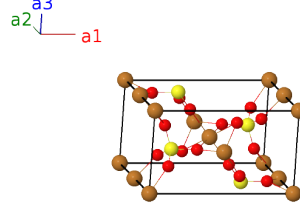
CoSO₄, CoSeO₄, CuSeO₄, FeSO₄, InSO₄, MgSO₄, MgSeO₄, MnSeO₄, CrAsO₄, ZnSO₄ (zincosite)

Simple Orthorhombic primitive vectors

$$\mathbf{a}_1 = a \hat{\mathbf{x}}$$

$$\mathbf{a}_2 = b \hat{\mathbf{y}}$$

$$\mathbf{a}_3 = c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$$



Basis vectors

	Lattice coordinates		Cartesian coordinates	Wyckoff position	Atom type
$\mathbf{B}_1$	$= 0$	$=$	0	(4a)	Cu I
$\mathbf{B}_2$	$= \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{2} c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4a)	Cu I
$\mathbf{B}_3$	$= \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2} b \hat{\mathbf{y}}$	(4a)	Cu I
$\mathbf{B}_4$	$= \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{2} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{2} c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4a)	Cu I
$\mathbf{B}_5$	$= x_2 \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{4} \mathbf{a}_2 + z_2 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$ax_2 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{4} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_2 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	O I
$\mathbf{B}_6$	$= -\left(x_2 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{3}{4} \mathbf{a}_2 + \left(z_2 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-a\left(x_2 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{3}{4} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c\left(z_2 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	O I
$\mathbf{B}_7$	$= -x_2 \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{3}{4} \mathbf{a}_2 - z_2 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-ax_2 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{3}{4} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_2 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	O I
$\mathbf{B}_8$	$= \left(x_2 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{4} \mathbf{a}_2 - \left(z_2 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$a\left(x_2 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{4} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} - c\left(z_2 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	O I
$\mathbf{B}_9$	$= x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{4} \mathbf{a}_2 + z_3 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{4} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_3 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	O II
$\mathbf{B}_{10}$	$= -\left(x_3 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{3}{4} \mathbf{a}_2 + \left(z_3 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-a\left(x_3 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{3}{4} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c\left(z_3 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	O II
$\mathbf{B}_{11}$	$= -x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{3}{4} \mathbf{a}_2 - z_3 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{3}{4} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_3 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	O II
$\mathbf{B}_{12}$	$= \left(x_3 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{4} \mathbf{a}_2 - \left(z_3 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$a\left(x_3 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{4} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} - c\left(z_3 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	O II
$\mathbf{B}_{13}$	$= x_4 \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{4} \mathbf{a}_2 + z_4 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$ax_4 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{4} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_4 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	S I
$\mathbf{B}_{14}$	$= -\left(x_4 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{3}{4} \mathbf{a}_2 + \left(z_4 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-a\left(x_4 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{3}{4} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c\left(z_4 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	S I
$\mathbf{B}_{15}$	$= -x_4 \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{3}{4} \mathbf{a}_2 - z_4 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-ax_4 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{3}{4} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_4 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	S I
$\mathbf{B}_{16}$	$= \left(x_4 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{4} \mathbf{a}_2 - \left(z_4 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$a\left(x_4 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{4} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} - c\left(z_4 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	S I
$\mathbf{B}_{17}$	$= x_5 \mathbf{a}_1 + y_5 \mathbf{a}_2 + z_5 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$ax_5 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_5 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8d)	O III
$\mathbf{B}_{18}$	$= -\left(x_5 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_1 - y_5 \mathbf{a}_2 + \left(z_5 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-a\left(x_5 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - by_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c\left(z_5 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8d)	O III
$\mathbf{B}_{19}$	$= -x_5 \mathbf{a}_1 + \left(y_5 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_2 - z_5 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-ax_5 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + b\left(y_5 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_5 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8d)	O III
$\mathbf{B}_{20}$	$= \left(x_5 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_1 - \left(y_5 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_2 - \left(z_5 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$a\left(x_5 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - b\left(y_5 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - c\left(z_5 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8d)	O III
$\mathbf{B}_{21}$	$= -x_5 \mathbf{a}_1 - y_5 \mathbf{a}_2 - z_5 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-ax_5 \hat{\mathbf{x}} - by_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_5 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8d)	O III
$\mathbf{B}_{22}$	$= \left(x_5 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_1 + y_5 \mathbf{a}_2 - \left(z_5 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$a\left(x_5 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - c\left(z_5 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8d)	O III
$\mathbf{B}_{23}$	$= x_5 \mathbf{a}_1 - \left(y_5 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_2 + z_5 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$ax_5 \hat{\mathbf{x}} - b\left(y_5 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_5 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8d)	O III
$\mathbf{B}_{24}$	$= -\left(x_5 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_1 + \left(y_5 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_2 + \left(z_5 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-a\left(x_5 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + b\left(y_5 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c\left(z_5 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8d)	O III

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