

High-pressure Te Structure:

A_mP4_4_2a-001

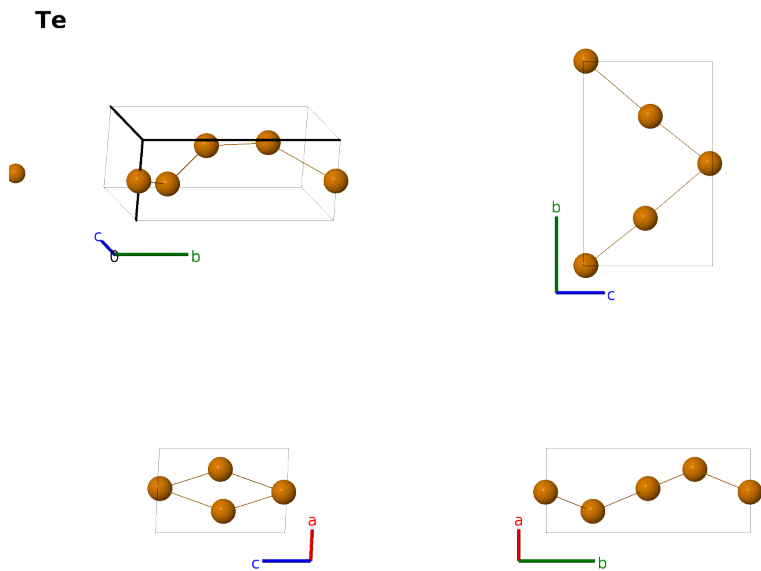
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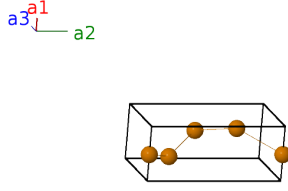


Prototype	Te
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Space group number	4
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- This is a high-pressure phase of tellurium, stable in the 4-7 GPa range. The ground state of Te appears to be in the γ Se (A8) structure.

- We use the data taken by (Aoki, 1980) at 4.5 GPa.

Simple Monoclinic primitive vectors

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathbf{a}_1 &= a \hat{\mathbf{x}} \\
 \mathbf{a}_2 &= b \hat{\mathbf{y}} \\
 \mathbf{a}_3 &= c \cos \beta \hat{\mathbf{x}} + c \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}
 \end{aligned}$$


Basis vectors

	Lattice coordinates		Cartesian coordinates	Wyckoff position	Atom type
$\mathbf{B}_1$	$= x_1 \mathbf{a}_1 + y_1 \mathbf{a}_2 + z_1 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$(ax_1 + cz_1 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_1 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_1 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2a)	Te I
$\mathbf{B}_2$	$= -x_1 \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_1 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 - z_1 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-(ax_1 + cz_1 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + b(y_1 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_1 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2a)	Te I
$\mathbf{B}_3$	$= x_2 \mathbf{a}_1 + y_2 \mathbf{a}_2 + z_2 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$(ax_2 + cz_2 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_2 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_2 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2a)	Te II
$\mathbf{B}_4$	$= -x_2 \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_2 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 - z_2 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-(ax_2 + cz_2 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + b(y_2 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_2 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2a)	Te II

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