

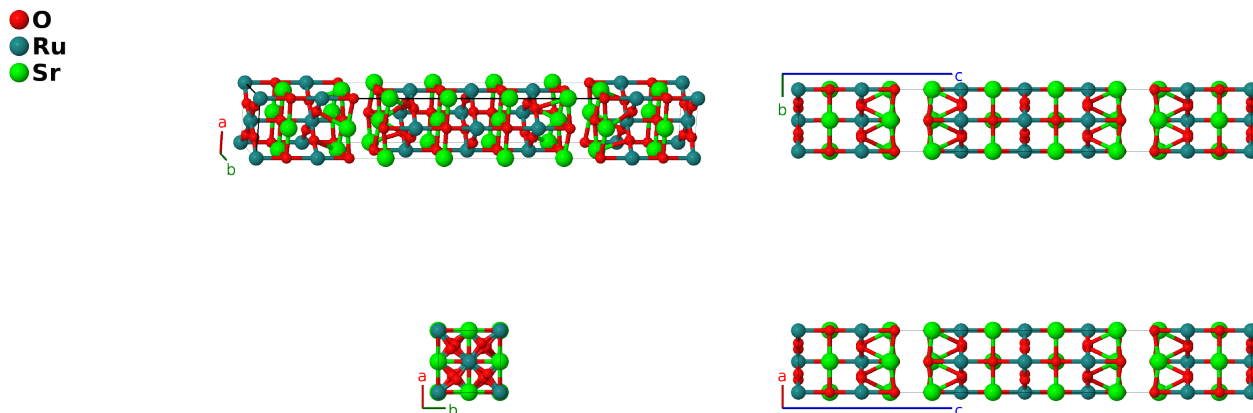
Orthorhombic Sr₄Ru₃O₁₀ Structure: A10B3C4_oP68_55_2e2fgh2i_ade2f_2e2f-001

This structure originally had the label A10B3C4_oP68_55_2e2fgh2i_ade2f_2e2f. Calls to that address will be redirected here.

Cite this page as: D. Hicks, M. J. Mehl, M. Esters, C. Oses, O. Levy, G. L. W. Hart, C. Toher, and S. Curtarolo, *The AFLOW Library of Crystallographic Prototypes: Part 3*, Comput. Mater. Sci. **199**, 110450 (2021), doi: 10.1016/j.commatsci.2021.110450.

<https://afLOW.org/p/PEKW>

https://afLOW.org/p/A10B3C4_oP68_55_2e2fgh2i_ade2f_2e2f-001



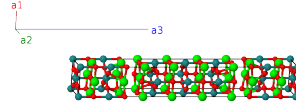
| | |
|-------------------------|--|
| Prototype | O ₁₀ Ru ₃ Sr ₄ |
| AFLOW prototype label | A10B3C4_oP68_55_2e2fgh2i_ade2f_2e2f-001 |
| ICSD | 96729 |
| Pearson symbol | oP68 |
| Space group number | 55 |
| Space group symbol | <i>Pbam</i> |
| AFLOW prototype command | afLOW --proto=A10B3C4_oP68_55_2e2fgh2i_ade2f_2e2f-001 --params=a, b/a, c/a, z ₃ , z ₄ , z ₅ , z ₆ , z ₇ , z ₈ , z ₉ , z ₁₀ , z ₁₁ , z ₁₂ , x ₁₃ , y ₁₃ , x ₁₄ , y ₁₄ , x ₁₅ , y ₁₅ , z ₁₅ , x ₁₆ , y ₁₆ , z ₁₆ |

- This structure consists of triple-layer ruthenate structures separated by 2.37 Å from each other. In the *Pbam* #55 space group shown here there are two inequivalent stacks in the orthorhombic cell.
- This cell is very problematic. (Crawford, 2002) note that the x-ray scattering intensities are pseudo body-centered, but found that refining this structure in a body-centered cell with space group *Bbcm* (*Cmca* #64 in our standard orientation) led to non-positive definite thermal parameters. In that case there is only one triple-layer stack in the primitive cell, and the two stacks in the conventional orthorhombic cell are equivalent.
- If we use AFLOW with its default tolerance the structure also resolves into the smaller unit cell. The current cell can be recovered by using a smaller tolerance:
- afLOW --proto=A10B3C4_oC68_64_2dfg_ad_2d:O:Ru:Sr
--params=a, b/a, c/a, x₂, z₃, z₄, z₅, z₆, z₇, z₈, z₉, z₁₀, z₁₁, z₁₂, x₁₃, y₁₃, x₁₄, y₁₄, x₁₅, y₁₅, z₁₅, x₁₆, y₁₆, z₁₆ --tolerance=0.001 .

- Note that the lattice constants in the CIF for ICSD 96729 do not agree with the lattice constants in (Crawford, 2002), although the atomic positions are the same.

Base-centered Orthorhombic primitive vectors

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



Basis vectors

| | Lattice coordinates | | Cartesian coordinates | Wyckoff position | Atom type |
|-------------------|--|-----|---|------------------|-----------|
| \mathbf{B}_1 | 0 | $=$ | 0 | (2a) | Ru I |
| \mathbf{B}_2 | $\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2$ | $=$ | $\frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{2} b \hat{\mathbf{y}}$ | (2a) | Ru I |
| \mathbf{B}_3 | $\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $\frac{1}{2} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{2} c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (2d) | Ru II |
| \mathbf{B}_4 | $\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $\frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{2} c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (2d) | Ru II |
| \mathbf{B}_5 | $z_3 \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $cz_3 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4e) | O I |
| \mathbf{B}_6 | $\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2 - z_3 \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $\frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{2} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_3 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4e) | O I |
| \mathbf{B}_7 | $-z_3 \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $-cz_3 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4e) | O I |
| \mathbf{B}_8 | $\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2 + z_3 \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $\frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{2} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_3 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4e) | O I |
| \mathbf{B}_9 | $z_4 \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $cz_4 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4e) | O II |
| \mathbf{B}_{10} | $\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2 - z_4 \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $\frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{2} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_4 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4e) | O II |
| \mathbf{B}_{11} | $-z_4 \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $-cz_4 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4e) | O II |
| \mathbf{B}_{12} | $\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2 + z_4 \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $\frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{2} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_4 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4e) | O II |
| \mathbf{B}_{13} | $z_5 \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $cz_5 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4e) | Ru III |
| \mathbf{B}_{14} | $\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2 - z_5 \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $\frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{2} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_5 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4e) | Ru III |
| \mathbf{B}_{15} | $-z_5 \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $-cz_5 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4e) | Ru III |
| \mathbf{B}_{16} | $\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2 + z_5 \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $\frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{2} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_5 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4e) | Ru III |
| \mathbf{B}_{17} | $z_6 \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $cz_6 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4e) | Sr I |
| \mathbf{B}_{18} | $\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2 - z_6 \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $\frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{2} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_6 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4e) | Sr I |
| \mathbf{B}_{19} | $-z_6 \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $-cz_6 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4e) | Sr I |
| \mathbf{B}_{20} | $\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2 + z_6 \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $\frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{2} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_6 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4e) | Sr I |
| \mathbf{B}_{21} | $z_7 \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $cz_7 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4e) | Sr II |
| \mathbf{B}_{22} | $\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2 - z_7 \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $\frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{2} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_7 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4e) | Sr II |
| \mathbf{B}_{23} | $-z_7 \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $-cz_7 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4e) | Sr II |
| \mathbf{B}_{24} | $\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2 + z_7 \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $\frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{2} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_7 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4e) | Sr II |
| \mathbf{B}_{25} | $\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2 + z_8 \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $\frac{1}{2} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_8 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4f) | O III |
| \mathbf{B}_{26} | $\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_1 - z_8 \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $\frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{x}} - cz_8 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4f) | O III |
| \mathbf{B}_{27} | $\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2 - z_8 \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $\frac{1}{2} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_8 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4f) | O III |
| \mathbf{B}_{28} | $\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_1 + z_8 \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $\frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + cz_8 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4f) | O III |
| \mathbf{B}_{29} | $\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2 + z_9 \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $\frac{1}{2} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_9 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4f) | O IV |
| \mathbf{B}_{30} | $\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_1 - z_9 \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $\frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{x}} - cz_9 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4f) | O IV |
| \mathbf{B}_{31} | $\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2 - z_9 \mathbf{a}_3$ | $=$ | $\frac{1}{2} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_9 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4f) | O IV |

$$\mathbf{B}_{67} = \begin{matrix} (x_{16} + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_{16} - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + \\ z_{16} \mathbf{a}_3 \end{matrix} = a(x_{16} + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - b(y_{16} - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_{16} \hat{\mathbf{z}} \quad (8i) \quad \text{O VIII}$$

$$\mathbf{B}_{68} = \begin{matrix} -(x_{16} - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_{16} + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + \\ z_{16} \mathbf{a}_3 \end{matrix} = -a(x_{16} - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + b(y_{16} + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_{16} \hat{\mathbf{z}} \quad (8i) \quad \text{O VIII}$$

References

- [1] M. K. Crawford, R. L. Harlow, W. Marshall, Z. Li, G. Cao, R. L. Lindstrom, Q. Huang, and J. W. Lynn, *Structure and magnetism of single crystal $Sr_4Ru_3O_{10}$: A ferromagnetic triple-layer ruthenate*, Phys. Rev. B **65**, 214412 (2002), doi:10.1103/PhysRevB.65.214412.