

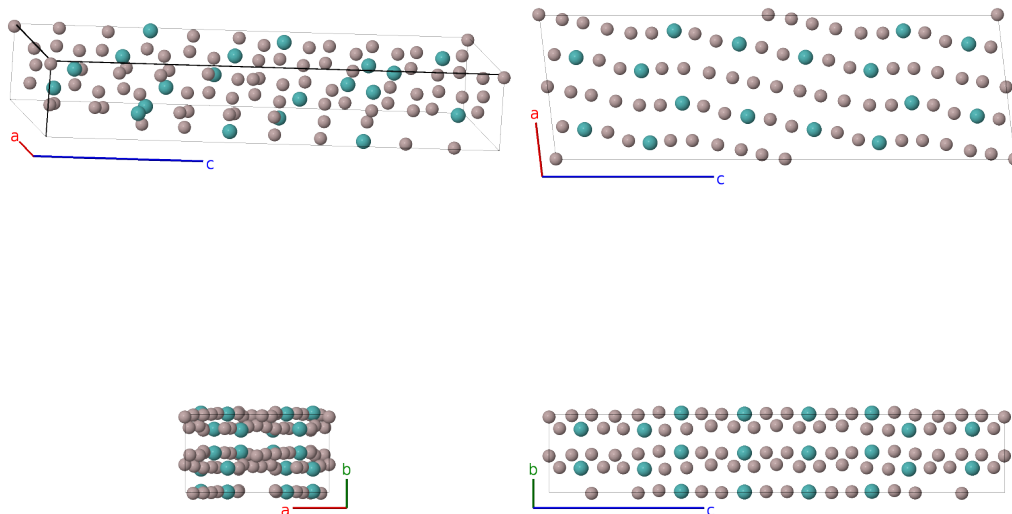
# Al<sub>17</sub>Mo<sub>4</sub> Structure: A17B4\_mC84\_5\_ab16c\_4c-001

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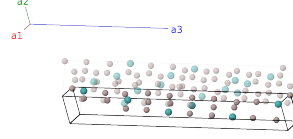
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- Space group C2 #5 allows an arbitrary choice of the origin of the *y*-axis. Here we follow (Grin, 1995) and set  $y_{19} = 0$  for the Mo-I atom.

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## Base-centered Monoclinic primitive vectors

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




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## Basis vectors

	Lattice coordinates		Cartesian coordinates	Wyckoff position	Atom type
$\mathbf{B}_1$	$= -y_1 \mathbf{a}_1 + y_1 \mathbf{a}_2$	$=$	$by_1 \hat{\mathbf{y}}$	(2a)	Al I
$\mathbf{B}_2$	$= -y_2 \mathbf{a}_1 + y_2 \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2}c \cos \beta \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_2 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{2}c \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2b)	Al II
$\mathbf{B}_3$	$= (x_3 - y_3) \mathbf{a}_1 + (x_3 + y_3) \mathbf{a}_2 + z_3 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$(ax_3 + cz_3 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_3 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_3 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	Al III
$\mathbf{B}_4$	$= -(x_3 + y_3) \mathbf{a}_1 - (x_3 - y_3) \mathbf{a}_2 - z_3 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-(ax_3 + cz_3 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_3 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_3 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	Al III
$\mathbf{B}_5$	$= (x_4 - y_4) \mathbf{a}_1 + (x_4 + y_4) \mathbf{a}_2 + z_4 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$(ax_4 + cz_4 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_4 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_4 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	Al IV
$\mathbf{B}_6$	$= -(x_4 + y_4) \mathbf{a}_1 - (x_4 - y_4) \mathbf{a}_2 - z_4 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-(ax_4 + cz_4 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_4 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_4 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	Al IV
$\mathbf{B}_7$	$= (x_5 - y_5) \mathbf{a}_1 + (x_5 + y_5) \mathbf{a}_2 + z_5 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$(ax_5 + cz_5 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_5 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	Al V
$\mathbf{B}_8$	$= -(x_5 + y_5) \mathbf{a}_1 - (x_5 - y_5) \mathbf{a}_2 - z_5 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-(ax_5 + cz_5 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_5 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	Al V
$\mathbf{B}_9$	$= (x_6 - y_6) \mathbf{a}_1 + (x_6 + y_6) \mathbf{a}_2 + z_6 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$(ax_6 + cz_6 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_6 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_6 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	Al VI
$\mathbf{B}_{10}$	$= -(x_6 + y_6) \mathbf{a}_1 - (x_6 - y_6) \mathbf{a}_2 - z_6 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-(ax_6 + cz_6 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_6 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_6 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	Al VI
$\mathbf{B}_{11}$	$= (x_7 - y_7) \mathbf{a}_1 + (x_7 + y_7) \mathbf{a}_2 + z_7 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$(ax_7 + cz_7 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_7 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_7 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	Al VII
$\mathbf{B}_{12}$	$= -(x_7 + y_7) \mathbf{a}_1 - (x_7 - y_7) \mathbf{a}_2 - z_7 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-(ax_7 + cz_7 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_7 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_7 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	Al VII
$\mathbf{B}_{13}$	$= (x_8 - y_8) \mathbf{a}_1 + (x_8 + y_8) \mathbf{a}_2 + z_8 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$(ax_8 + cz_8 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_8 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_8 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	Al VIII
$\mathbf{B}_{14}$	$= -(x_8 + y_8) \mathbf{a}_1 - (x_8 - y_8) \mathbf{a}_2 - z_8 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-(ax_8 + cz_8 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_8 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_8 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	Al VIII
$\mathbf{B}_{15}$	$= (x_9 - y_9) \mathbf{a}_1 + (x_9 + y_9) \mathbf{a}_2 + z_9 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$(ax_9 + cz_9 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_9 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_9 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	Al IX
$\mathbf{B}_{16}$	$= -(x_9 + y_9) \mathbf{a}_1 - (x_9 - y_9) \mathbf{a}_2 - z_9 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-(ax_9 + cz_9 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_9 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_9 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	Al IX
$\mathbf{B}_{17}$	$= (x_{10} - y_{10}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (x_{10} + y_{10}) \mathbf{a}_2 + z_{10} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$(ax_{10} + cz_{10} \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_{10} \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_{10} \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	Al X
$\mathbf{B}_{18}$	$= -(x_{10} + y_{10}) \mathbf{a}_1 - (x_{10} - y_{10}) \mathbf{a}_2 - z_{10} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-(ax_{10} + cz_{10} \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_{10} \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_{10} \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	Al X
$\mathbf{B}_{19}$	$= (x_{11} - y_{11}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (x_{11} + y_{11}) \mathbf{a}_2 + z_{11} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$(ax_{11} + cz_{11} \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_{11} \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_{11} \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	Al XI



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