

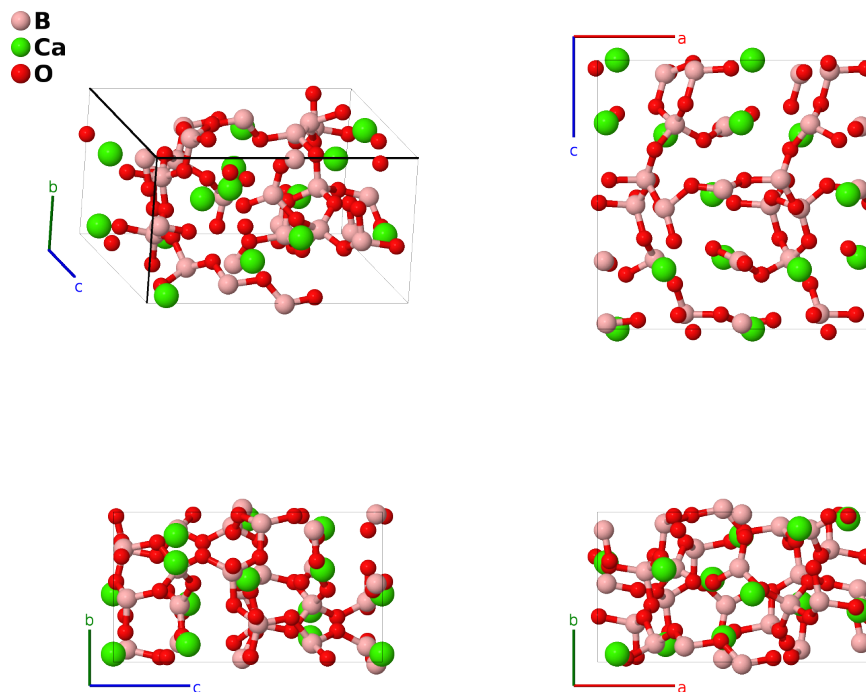
# CaB<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub> (III) Structure: A2BC4\_oP84\_33\_6a\_3a\_12a-001

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Prototype	B <sub>2</sub> CaO <sub>4</sub>
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Space group number	33
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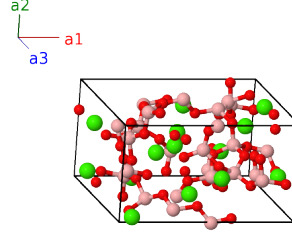
- CaB<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub> exists in at least four phases (Marezio, 1969):

- The ground state, stable below 1.2 GPa, *Strukturbericht E3<sub>2</sub>*
- Orthorhombic high pressure structure, stable between 1.2 and 1.5 GPa, presumably Calciborite
- Orthorhombic high pressure structure, stable between 1.5 and 2.5 GPa (this structure)
- Cubic high pressure structure, stable between 2.5 and 4.0 GPa

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### Simple Orthorhombic primitive vectors

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




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### Basis vectors

	Lattice coordinates	=	Cartesian coordinates	Wyckoff position	Atom type
$\mathbf{B}_1$	$x_1 \mathbf{a}_1 + y_1 \mathbf{a}_2 + z_1 \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$ax_1 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_1 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_1 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4a)	B I
$\mathbf{B}_2$	$-x_1 \mathbf{a}_1 - y_1 \mathbf{a}_2 + (z_1 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-ax_1 \hat{\mathbf{x}} - by_1 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c(z_1 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4a)	B I
$\mathbf{B}_3$	$(x_1 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_1 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + z_1 \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$a(x_1 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - b(y_1 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_1 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4a)	B I
$\mathbf{B}_4$	$-(x_1 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_1 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + (z_1 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-a(x_1 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + b(y_1 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c(z_1 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4a)	B I
$\mathbf{B}_5$	$x_2 \mathbf{a}_1 + y_2 \mathbf{a}_2 + z_2 \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$ax_2 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_2 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_2 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4a)	B II
$\mathbf{B}_6$	$-x_2 \mathbf{a}_1 - y_2 \mathbf{a}_2 + (z_2 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-ax_2 \hat{\mathbf{x}} - by_2 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c(z_2 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4a)	B II
$\mathbf{B}_7$	$(x_2 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_2 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + z_2 \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$a(x_2 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - b(y_2 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_2 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4a)	B II
$\mathbf{B}_8$	$-(x_2 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_2 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + (z_2 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-a(x_2 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + b(y_2 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c(z_2 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4a)	B II
$\mathbf{B}_9$	$x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 + y_3 \mathbf{a}_2 + z_3 \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_3 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_3 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4a)	B III
$\mathbf{B}_{10}$	$-x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 - y_3 \mathbf{a}_2 + (z_3 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{x}} - by_3 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c(z_3 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4a)	B III
$\mathbf{B}_{11}$	$(x_3 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_3 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + z_3 \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$a(x_3 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - b(y_3 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_3 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4a)	B III
$\mathbf{B}_{12}$	$-(x_3 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_3 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + (z_3 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-a(x_3 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + b(y_3 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c(z_3 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4a)	B III
$\mathbf{B}_{13}$	$x_4 \mathbf{a}_1 + y_4 \mathbf{a}_2 + z_4 \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$ax_4 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_4 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_4 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4a)	B IV
$\mathbf{B}_{14}$	$-x_4 \mathbf{a}_1 - y_4 \mathbf{a}_2 + (z_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-ax_4 \hat{\mathbf{x}} - by_4 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c(z_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4a)	B IV
$\mathbf{B}_{15}$	$(x_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_4 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + z_4 \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$a(x_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - b(y_4 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_4 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4a)	B IV
$\mathbf{B}_{16}$	$-(x_4 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + (z_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-a(x_4 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + b(y_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c(z_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4a)	B IV
$\mathbf{B}_{17}$	$x_5 \mathbf{a}_1 + y_5 \mathbf{a}_2 + z_5 \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$ax_5 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_5 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4a)	B V
$\mathbf{B}_{18}$	$-x_5 \mathbf{a}_1 - y_5 \mathbf{a}_2 + (z_5 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-ax_5 \hat{\mathbf{x}} - by_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c(z_5 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4a)	B V
$\mathbf{B}_{19}$	$(x_5 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_5 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + z_5 \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$a(x_5 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - b(y_5 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_5 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4a)	B V
$\mathbf{B}_{20}$	$-(x_5 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_5 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + (z_5 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-a(x_5 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + b(y_5 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c(z_5 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4a)	B V
$\mathbf{B}_{21}$	$x_6 \mathbf{a}_1 + y_6 \mathbf{a}_2 + z_6 \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$ax_6 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_6 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_6 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4a)	B VI





$$\mathbf{B}_{84} = \begin{matrix} -\left(x_{21} - \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_1 + \left(y_{21} + \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_2 + \\ \left(z_{21} + \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_3 \end{matrix} = \begin{matrix} -a \left(x_{21} - \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + b \left(y_{21} + \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \\ c \left(z_{21} + \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{z}} \end{matrix} \quad (4a) \quad \text{O XII}$$

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