PdP_2 Structure: A2B_mC12_15_f_a-001

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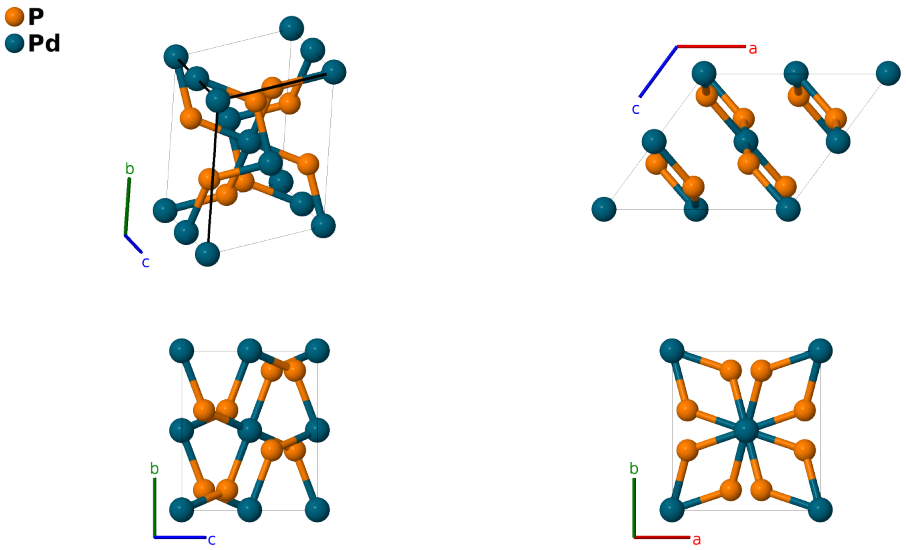

Prototype	PdP_2
AFLOW prototype label	A2B_mC12_15_f_a-001
ICSD	48163
Pearson symbol	mC12
Space group number	15
Space group symbol	$C2/c$
AFLOW prototype command	`aflow --proto=A2B_mC12_15_f_a-001 --params=`$a, b/a, c/a, \beta, x_2, y_2, z_2$

Other compounds with this structure
NiP_2

- (Zachariasen, 1963) gives the structure in the $I2/a$ setting of space group #15. We used FINDSYM and AFLOW to change this to the standard $C2/c$ setting.

Base-centered Monoclinic primitive vectors

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\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{a_1} &= \tfrac{1}{2}a\,\hat{\mathbf{x}} - \tfrac{1}{2}b\,\hat{\mathbf{y}} \\
\mathbf{a_2} &= \tfrac{1}{2}a\,\hat{\mathbf{x}} + \tfrac{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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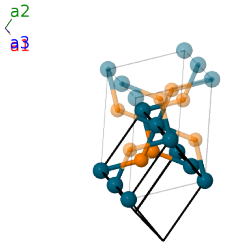

Basis vectors

		Lattice coordinates		Cartesian coordinates	Wyckoff position	Atom type
$\mathbf{B_1}$	=	0	=	0	(4a)	Pd I
$\mathbf{B_2}$	=	$\frac{1}{2}\,\mathbf{a}_3$	=	$\frac{1}{2}c\cos\beta\,\hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{2}c\sin\beta\,\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4a)	Pd I
$\mathbf{B_3}$	=	$(x_2 - y_2)\,\mathbf{a}_1 + (x_2 + y_2)\,\mathbf{a}_2 + z_2\,\mathbf{a}_3$	=	$(ax_2 + cz_2\cos\beta)\,\hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_2\,\hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_2\sin\beta\,\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8f)	P I
$\mathbf{B_4}$	=	$-(x_2 + y_2)\,\mathbf{a}_1 - (x_2 - y_2)\,\mathbf{a}_2 - \left(z_2 - \frac{1}{2}\right)\,\mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-\left(ax_2 + c\left(z_2 - \frac{1}{2}\right)\cos\beta\right)\,\hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_2\,\hat{\mathbf{y}} - c\left(z_2 - \frac{1}{2}\right)\sin\beta\,\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8f)	P I
$\mathbf{B_5}$	=	$-(x_2 - y_2)\,\mathbf{a}_1 - (x_2 + y_2)\,\mathbf{a}_2 - z_2\,\mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-(ax_2 + cz_2\cos\beta)\,\hat{\mathbf{x}} - by_2\,\hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_2\sin\beta\,\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8f)	P I
$\mathbf{B_6}$	=	$(x_2 + y_2)\,\mathbf{a}_1 + (x_2 - y_2)\,\mathbf{a}_2 + \left(z_2 + \frac{1}{2}\right)\,\mathbf{a}_3$	=	$\left(ax_2 + c\left(z_2 + \frac{1}{2}\right)\cos\beta\right)\,\hat{\mathbf{x}} - by_2\,\hat{\mathbf{y}} + c\left(z_2 + \frac{1}{2}\right)\sin\beta\,\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8f)	P I

References

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