

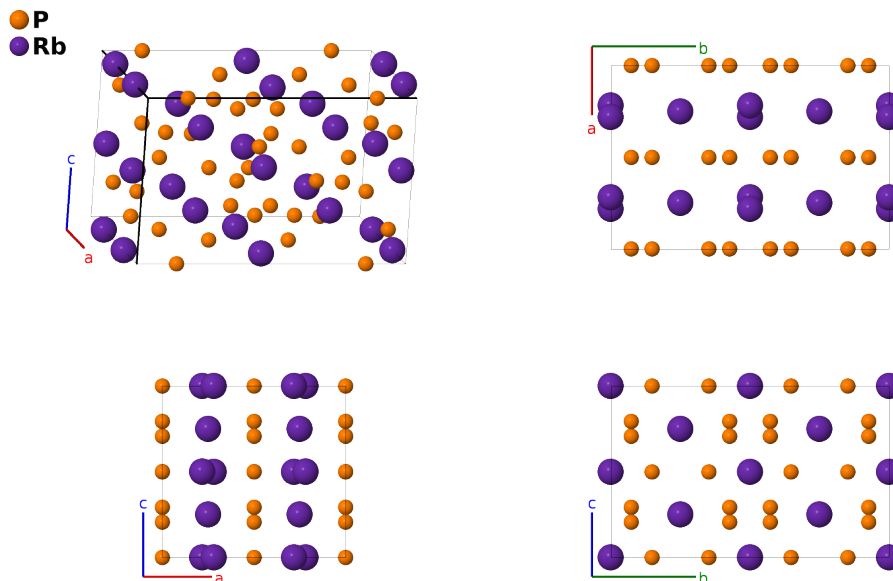
Rb₂P₃ Structure:

A3B2_oF40_69_hm_fg-001

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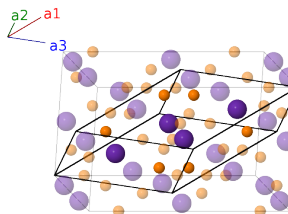
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Other compounds with this structure

Cs₂P₃

Face-centered Orthorhombic primitive vectors

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



Basis vectors

	Lattice coordinates		Cartesian coordinates	Wyckoff position	Atom type
\mathbf{B}_1	$= \frac{1}{4} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{4} \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{4} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{1}{4}a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{4}b \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{4}c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8f)	Rb I
\mathbf{B}_2	$= \frac{3}{4} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{3}{4} \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{3}{4} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{3}{4}a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{3}{4}b \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{3}{4}c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8f)	Rb I
\mathbf{B}_3	$= -x_2 \mathbf{a}_1 + x_2 \mathbf{a}_2 + x_2 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$ax_2 \hat{\mathbf{x}}$	(8g)	Rb II
\mathbf{B}_4	$= x_2 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_2 \mathbf{a}_2 - x_2 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-ax_2 \hat{\mathbf{x}}$	(8g)	Rb II
\mathbf{B}_5	$= y_3 \mathbf{a}_1 - y_3 \mathbf{a}_2 + y_3 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$by_3 \hat{\mathbf{y}}$	(8h)	P I
\mathbf{B}_6	$= -y_3 \mathbf{a}_1 + y_3 \mathbf{a}_2 - y_3 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-by_3 \hat{\mathbf{y}}$	(8h)	P I
\mathbf{B}_7	$= (y_4 + z_4) \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_4 - z_4) \mathbf{a}_2 +$ $(y_4 - z_4) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$by_4 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_4 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16m)	P II
\mathbf{B}_8	$= -(y_4 - z_4) \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_4 + z_4) \mathbf{a}_2 -$ $(y_4 + z_4) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-by_4 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_4 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16m)	P II
\mathbf{B}_9	$= (y_4 - z_4) \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_4 + z_4) \mathbf{a}_2 +$ $(y_4 + z_4) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$by_4 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_4 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16m)	P II
\mathbf{B}_{10}	$= -(y_4 + z_4) \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_4 - z_4) \mathbf{a}_2 -$ $(y_4 - z_4) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-by_4 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_4 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16m)	P II

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