

Sr_5Si_3 Structure (*Obsolete*):

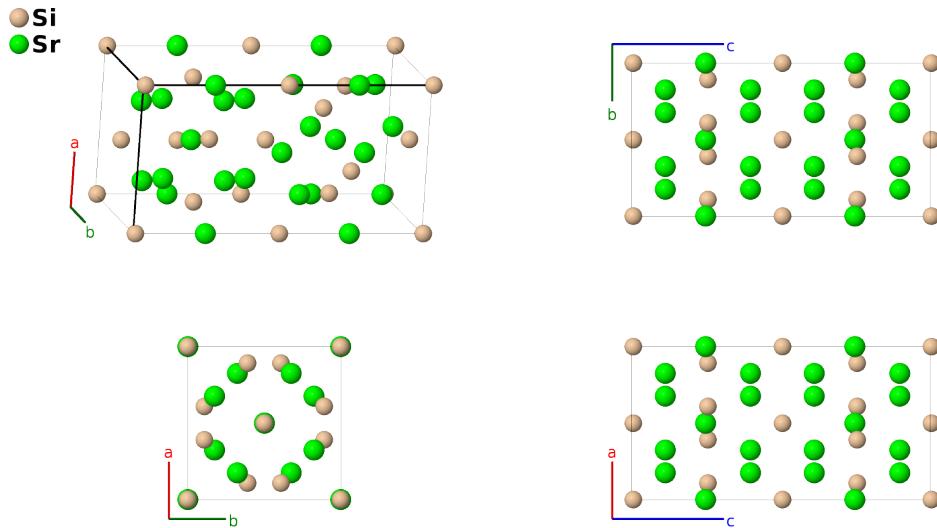
A3B5_tI32_108_ac_a2c-001

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Prototype

Si_3Sr_5

AFLOW prototype label

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ICSD

15639

Pearson symbol

tI32

Space group number

108

Space group symbol

$I4cm$

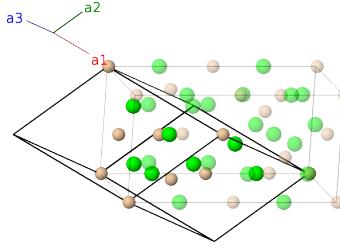
AFLOW prototype command

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- This is the original determination of the Sr_5Si_3 (Nagorsen, 1967). Later(Nesper, 1999) re-examined the system and found that it is actually in the $D8_l$ Cr_5B_3 structure, space group $I4/mcm$ #140.
- We include this here as our first example of a structure in space group $I4cm$ #108.

Body-centered Tetragonal primitive vectors

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



Basis vectors

| | Lattice coordinates | = | Cartesian coordinates | Wyckoff position | Atom type |
|-------------------|--|---|--|------------------|-----------|
| \mathbf{B}_1 | $z_1 \mathbf{a}_1 + z_1 \mathbf{a}_2$ | = | $cz_1 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4a) | Si I |
| \mathbf{B}_2 | $(z_1 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (z_1 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2$ | = | $c(z_1 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4a) | Si I |
| \mathbf{B}_3 | $z_2 \mathbf{a}_1 + z_2 \mathbf{a}_2$ | = | $cz_2 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4a) | Sr I |
| \mathbf{B}_4 | $(z_2 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (z_2 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2$ | = | $c(z_2 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4a) | Sr I |
| \mathbf{B}_5 | $(x_3 + z_3 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (x_3 + z_3) \mathbf{a}_2 + (2x_3 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$ | = | $ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + a(x_3 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_3 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (8c) | Si II |
| \mathbf{B}_6 | $(-x_3 + z_3 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 - (x_3 - z_3) \mathbf{a}_2 - (2x_3 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$ | = | $-ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{x}} - a(x_3 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_3 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (8c) | Si II |
| \mathbf{B}_7 | $(x_3 + z_3) \mathbf{a}_1 + (-x_3 + z_3 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$ | = | $-a(x_3 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_3 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (8c) | Si II |
| \mathbf{B}_8 | $-(x_3 - z_3) \mathbf{a}_1 + (x_3 + z_3 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$ | = | $a(x_3 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_3 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (8c) | Si II |
| \mathbf{B}_9 | $(x_4 + z_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (x_4 + z_4) \mathbf{a}_2 + (2x_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$ | = | $ax_4 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + a(x_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_4 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (8c) | Sr II |
| \mathbf{B}_{10} | $(-x_4 + z_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 - (x_4 - z_4) \mathbf{a}_2 - (2x_4 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$ | = | $-ax_4 \hat{\mathbf{x}} - a(x_4 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_4 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (8c) | Sr II |
| \mathbf{B}_{11} | $(x_4 + z_4) \mathbf{a}_1 + (-x_4 + z_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$ | = | $-a(x_4 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + ax_4 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_4 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (8c) | Sr II |
| \mathbf{B}_{12} | $-(x_4 - z_4) \mathbf{a}_1 + (x_4 + z_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$ | = | $a(x_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - ax_4 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_4 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (8c) | Sr II |
| \mathbf{B}_{13} | $(x_5 + z_5 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (x_5 + z_5) \mathbf{a}_2 + (2x_5 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$ | = | $ax_5 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + a(x_5 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_5 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (8c) | Sr III |
| \mathbf{B}_{14} | $(-x_5 + z_5 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 - (x_5 - z_5) \mathbf{a}_2 - (2x_5 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$ | = | $-ax_5 \hat{\mathbf{x}} - a(x_5 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_5 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (8c) | Sr III |
| \mathbf{B}_{15} | $(x_5 + z_5) \mathbf{a}_1 + (-x_5 + z_5 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$ | = | $-a(x_5 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + ax_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_5 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (8c) | Sr III |
| \mathbf{B}_{16} | $-(x_5 - z_5) \mathbf{a}_1 + (x_5 + z_5 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$ | = | $a(x_5 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - ax_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_5 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (8c) | Sr III |

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