

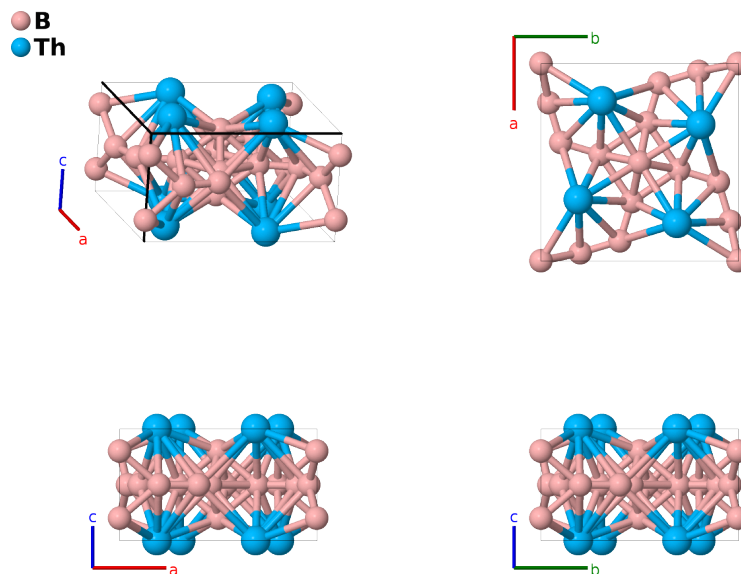
# ThB<sub>4</sub> (*D*1<sub>e</sub>) Structure: A4B\_tP20\_127\_ehj\_g-001

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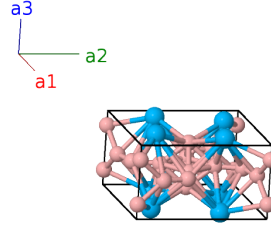


Prototype	B <sub>4</sub> Th
AFLOW prototype label	A4B_tP20_127_ehj_g-001
<i>Strukturbericht</i> designation	<i>D</i> 1 <sub>e</sub>
ICSD	615570
Pearson symbol	tP20
Space group number	127
Space group symbol	<i>P</i> 4/ <i>mbm</i>
AFLOW prototype command	<code>aflow --proto=A4B_tP20_127_ehj_g-001 --params=a, c/a, z<sub>1</sub>, x<sub>2</sub>, x<sub>3</sub>, x<sub>4</sub>, y<sub>4</sub></code>

## Other compounds with this structure

CeB<sub>4</sub>, DyB<sub>4</sub>, ErB<sub>4</sub>, GdB<sub>4</sub>, HoB<sub>4</sub>, LaB<sub>4</sub>, NdB<sub>4</sub>, PrB<sub>4</sub>, PuB<sub>4</sub>, SmB<sub>4</sub>, TbB<sub>4</sub>, TmB<sub>4</sub>, UB<sub>4</sub>, YB<sub>4</sub>, YbB<sub>4</sub>

## Simple Tetragonal primitive vectors



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

## Basis vectors

	Lattice coordinates		Cartesian coordinates	Wyckoff position	Atom type
$\mathbf{B}_1$	$= z_1 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$c z_1 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4e)	B I
$\mathbf{B}_2$	$= \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2 - z_1 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{y}} - c z_1 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4e)	B I
$\mathbf{B}_3$	$= -z_1 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-c z_1 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4e)	B I
$\mathbf{B}_4$	$= \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2 + z_1 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c z_1 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4e)	B I
$\mathbf{B}_5$	$= x_2 \mathbf{a}_1 + (x_2 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2$	$=$	$a x_2 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + a (x_2 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}}$	(4g)	Th I
$\mathbf{B}_6$	$= -x_2 \mathbf{a}_1 - (x_2 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2$	$=$	$-a x_2 \hat{\mathbf{x}} - a (x_2 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}}$	(4g)	Th I
$\mathbf{B}_7$	$= -(x_2 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 + x_2 \mathbf{a}_2$	$=$	$-a (x_2 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + a x_2 \hat{\mathbf{y}}$	(4g)	Th I
$\mathbf{B}_8$	$= (x_2 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 - x_2 \mathbf{a}_2$	$=$	$a (x_2 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - a x_2 \hat{\mathbf{y}}$	(4g)	Th I
$\mathbf{B}_9$	$= x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 + (x_3 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$a x_3 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + a (x_3 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{2} c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4h)	B II
$\mathbf{B}_{10}$	$= -x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 - (x_3 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-a x_3 \hat{\mathbf{x}} - a (x_3 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{2} c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4h)	B II
$\mathbf{B}_{11}$	$= -(x_3 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 + x_3 \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-a (x_3 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + a x_3 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{2} c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4h)	B II
$\mathbf{B}_{12}$	$= (x_3 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 - x_3 \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$a (x_3 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - a x_3 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{2} c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4h)	B II
$\mathbf{B}_{13}$	$= x_4 \mathbf{a}_1 + y_4 \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$a x_4 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + a y_4 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{2} c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8j)	B III
$\mathbf{B}_{14}$	$= -x_4 \mathbf{a}_1 - y_4 \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-a x_4 \hat{\mathbf{x}} - a y_4 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{2} c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8j)	B III
$\mathbf{B}_{15}$	$= -y_4 \mathbf{a}_1 + x_4 \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-a y_4 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + a x_4 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{2} c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8j)	B III
$\mathbf{B}_{16}$	$= y_4 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_4 \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$a y_4 \hat{\mathbf{x}} - a x_4 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{2} c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8j)	B III
$\mathbf{B}_{17}$	$= -(x_4 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-a (x_4 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + a (y_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{2} c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8j)	B III
$\mathbf{B}_{18}$	$= (x_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_4 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$a (x_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - a (y_4 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{2} c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8j)	B III
$\mathbf{B}_{19}$	$= (y_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (x_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$a (y_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + a (x_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{2} c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8j)	B III
$\mathbf{B}_{20}$	$= -(y_4 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 - (x_4 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-a (y_4 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - a (x_4 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{2} c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8j)	B III

## References

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