

Ce₇Ga₁₁Rh₁₈ Structure:

A7B11C18_hR36_166_a3c_b5c_3h-001

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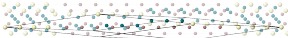
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- This is a stretched out version of the Ce₄Ga₅Rh₉ and Ce₅Ga₇Rh₁₂ structures.

Rhombohedral primitive vectors

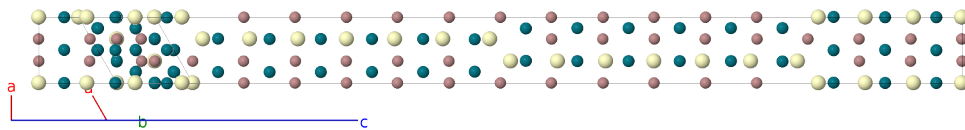
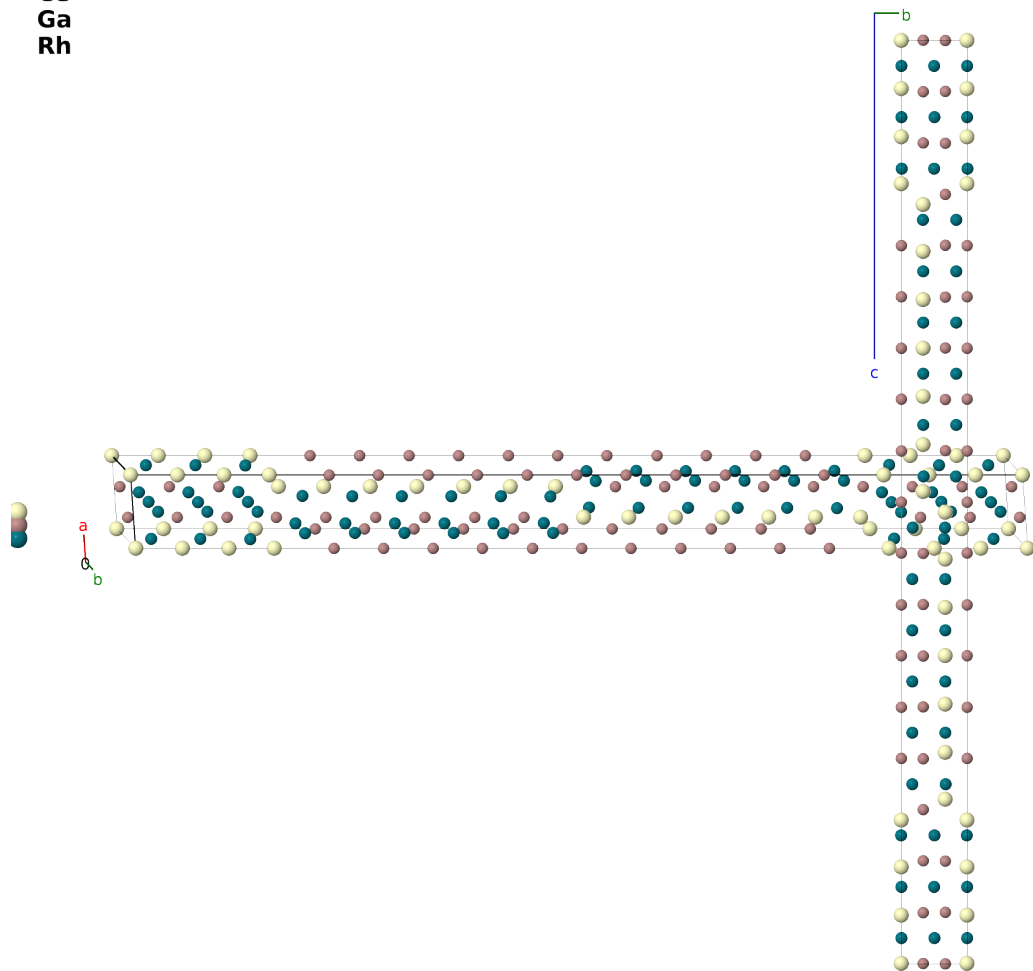
$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{a}_1 &= \frac{1}{2}a \hat{\mathbf{x}} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{3}c \hat{\mathbf{z}} \\ \mathbf{a}_2 &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}a \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{3}c \hat{\mathbf{z}} \\ \mathbf{a}_3 &= -\frac{1}{2}a \hat{\mathbf{x}} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{3}c \hat{\mathbf{z}} \end{aligned}$$

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Basis vectors

Ce
Ga
Rh



	Lattice coordinates		Cartesian coordinates	Wyckoff position	Atom type
$\mathbf{B}_1$	$=$	0	$=$	0	(1a) Ce I
$\mathbf{B}_2$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2} c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(1b) Ga I
$\mathbf{B}_3$	$=$	$x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 + x_3 \mathbf{a}_2 + x_3 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$cx_3 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2c) Ce II
$\mathbf{B}_4$	$=$	$-x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_3 \mathbf{a}_2 - x_3 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-cx_3 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2c) Ce II
$\mathbf{B}_5$	$=$	$x_4 \mathbf{a}_1 + x_4 \mathbf{a}_2 + x_4 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$cx_4 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2c) Ce III
$\mathbf{B}_6$	$=$	$-x_4 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_4 \mathbf{a}_2 - x_4 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-cx_4 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2c) Ce III
$\mathbf{B}_7$	$=$	$x_5 \mathbf{a}_1 + x_5 \mathbf{a}_2 + x_5 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$cx_5 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2c) Ce IV
$\mathbf{B}_8$	$=$	$-x_5 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_5 \mathbf{a}_2 - x_5 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-cx_5 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2c) Ce IV
$\mathbf{B}_9$	$=$	$x_6 \mathbf{a}_1 + x_6 \mathbf{a}_2 + x_6 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$cx_6 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2c) Ga II
$\mathbf{B}_{10}$	$=$	$-x_6 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_6 \mathbf{a}_2 - x_6 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-cx_6 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2c) Ga II
$\mathbf{B}_{11}$	$=$	$x_7 \mathbf{a}_1 + x_7 \mathbf{a}_2 + x_7 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$cx_7 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2c) Ga III
$\mathbf{B}_{12}$	$=$	$-x_7 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_7 \mathbf{a}_2 - x_7 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-cx_7 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2c) Ga III
$\mathbf{B}_{13}$	$=$	$x_8 \mathbf{a}_1 + x_8 \mathbf{a}_2 + x_8 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$cx_8 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2c) Ga IV
$\mathbf{B}_{14}$	$=$	$-x_8 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_8 \mathbf{a}_2 - x_8 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-cx_8 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2c) Ga IV
$\mathbf{B}_{15}$	$=$	$x_9 \mathbf{a}_1 + x_9 \mathbf{a}_2 + x_9 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$cx_9 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2c) Ga V
$\mathbf{B}_{16}$	$=$	$-x_9 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_9 \mathbf{a}_2 - x_9 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-cx_9 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2c) Ga V
$\mathbf{B}_{17}$	$=$	$x_{10} \mathbf{a}_1 + x_{10} \mathbf{a}_2 + x_{10} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$cx_{10} \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2c) Ga VI
$\mathbf{B}_{18}$	$=$	$-x_{10} \mathbf{a}_1 - x_{10} \mathbf{a}_2 - x_{10} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-cx_{10} \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2c) Ga VI
$\mathbf{B}_{19}$	$=$	$x_{11} \mathbf{a}_1 + x_{11} \mathbf{a}_2 + z_{11} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2}a(x_{11} - z_{11}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a(x_{11} - z_{11}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{3}c(2x_{11} + z_{11}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(6h) Rh I
$\mathbf{B}_{20}$	$=$	$z_{11} \mathbf{a}_1 + x_{11} \mathbf{a}_2 + x_{11} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-\frac{1}{2}a(x_{11} - z_{11}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a(x_{11} - z_{11}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{3}c(2x_{11} + z_{11}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(6h) Rh I
$\mathbf{B}_{21}$	$=$	$x_{11} \mathbf{a}_1 + z_{11} \mathbf{a}_2 + x_{11} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}a(x_{11} - z_{11}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{3}c(2x_{11} + z_{11}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(6h) Rh I
$\mathbf{B}_{22}$	$=$	$-z_{11} \mathbf{a}_1 - x_{11} \mathbf{a}_2 - x_{11} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2}a(x_{11} - z_{11}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a(x_{11} - z_{11}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - \frac{1}{3}c(2x_{11} + z_{11}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(6h) Rh I
$\mathbf{B}_{23}$	$=$	$-x_{11} \mathbf{a}_1 - x_{11} \mathbf{a}_2 - z_{11} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-\frac{1}{2}a(x_{11} - z_{11}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a(x_{11} - z_{11}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - \frac{1}{3}c(2x_{11} + z_{11}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(6h) Rh I
$\mathbf{B}_{24}$	$=$	$-x_{11} \mathbf{a}_1 - z_{11} \mathbf{a}_2 - x_{11} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}a(x_{11} - z_{11}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - \frac{1}{3}c(2x_{11} + z_{11}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(6h) Rh I
$\mathbf{B}_{25}$	$=$	$x_{12} \mathbf{a}_1 + x_{12} \mathbf{a}_2 + z_{12} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2}a(x_{12} - z_{12}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a(x_{12} - z_{12}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{3}c(2x_{12} + z_{12}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(6h) Rh II
$\mathbf{B}_{26}$	$=$	$z_{12} \mathbf{a}_1 + x_{12} \mathbf{a}_2 + x_{12} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-\frac{1}{2}a(x_{12} - z_{12}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a(x_{12} - z_{12}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{3}c(2x_{12} + z_{12}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(6h) Rh II
$\mathbf{B}_{27}$	$=$	$x_{12} \mathbf{a}_1 + z_{12} \mathbf{a}_2 + x_{12} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}a(x_{12} - z_{12}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{3}c(2x_{12} + z_{12}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(6h) Rh II
$\mathbf{B}_{28}$	$=$	$-z_{12} \mathbf{a}_1 - x_{12} \mathbf{a}_2 - x_{12} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2}a(x_{12} - z_{12}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a(x_{12} - z_{12}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - \frac{1}{3}c(2x_{12} + z_{12}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(6h) Rh II
$\mathbf{B}_{29}$	$=$	$-x_{12} \mathbf{a}_1 - x_{12} \mathbf{a}_2 - z_{12} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-\frac{1}{2}a(x_{12} - z_{12}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a(x_{12} - z_{12}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - \frac{1}{3}c(2x_{12} + z_{12}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(6h) Rh II
$\mathbf{B}_{30}$	$=$	$-x_{12} \mathbf{a}_1 - z_{12} \mathbf{a}_2 - x_{12} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}a(x_{12} - z_{12}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - \frac{1}{3}c(2x_{12} + z_{12}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(6h) Rh II
$\mathbf{B}_{31}$	$=$	$x_{13} \mathbf{a}_1 + x_{13} \mathbf{a}_2 + z_{13} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2}a(x_{13} - z_{13}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a(x_{13} - z_{13}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{3}c(2x_{13} + z_{13}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(6h) Rh III
$\mathbf{B}_{32}$	$=$	$z_{13} \mathbf{a}_1 + x_{13} \mathbf{a}_2 + x_{13} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-\frac{1}{2}a(x_{13} - z_{13}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a(x_{13} - z_{13}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{3}c(2x_{13} + z_{13}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(6h) Rh III

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{B}_{33} &= x_{13} \mathbf{a}_1 + z_{13} \mathbf{a}_2 + x_{13} \mathbf{a}_3 &= -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}a (x_{13} - z_{13}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{3}c (2x_{13} + z_{13}) \hat{\mathbf{z}} &(6h) &\text{Rh III} \\
\mathbf{B}_{34} &= -z_{13} \mathbf{a}_1 - x_{13} \mathbf{a}_2 - x_{13} \mathbf{a}_3 &= \frac{1}{2}a (x_{13} - z_{13}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a (x_{13} - z_{13}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - &(6h) &\text{Rh III} \\
&&&\frac{1}{3}c (2x_{13} + z_{13}) \hat{\mathbf{z}} \\
\mathbf{B}_{35} &= -x_{13} \mathbf{a}_1 - x_{13} \mathbf{a}_2 - z_{13} \mathbf{a}_3 &= -\frac{1}{2}a (x_{13} - z_{13}) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a (x_{13} - z_{13}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - &(6h) &\text{Rh III} \\
&&&\frac{1}{3}c (2x_{13} + z_{13}) \hat{\mathbf{z}} \\
\mathbf{B}_{36} &= -x_{13} \mathbf{a}_1 - z_{13} \mathbf{a}_2 - x_{13} \mathbf{a}_3 &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}a (x_{13} - z_{13}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - \frac{1}{3}c (2x_{13} + z_{13}) \hat{\mathbf{z}} &(6h) &\text{Rh III}
\end{aligned}$$

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