

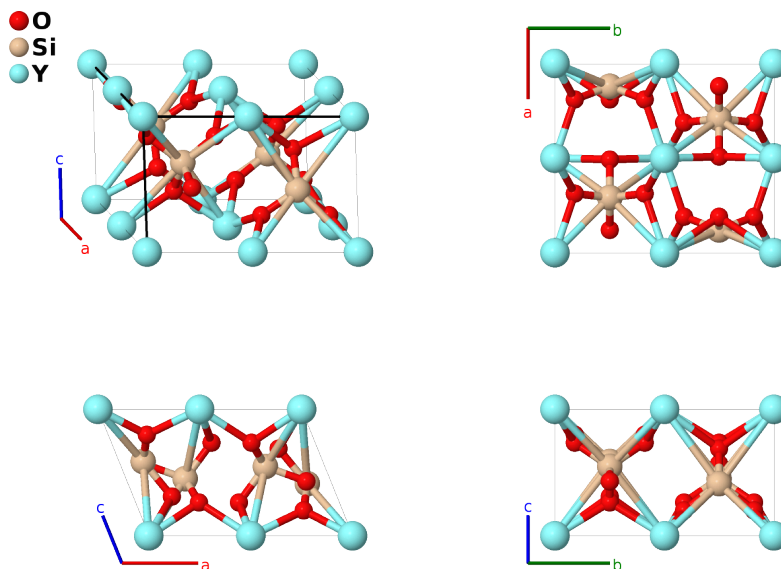
γ -Y₂Si₂O₇ Structure: A7B2C2_mP22_11_3e2f_2e_ab-001

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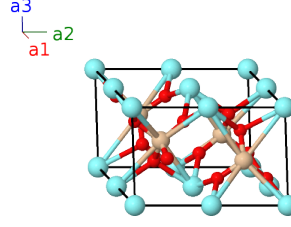


Prototype	O ₇ Si ₂ Y ₂
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- (Becerro, 2003) found that the NMR spectrum of γ -Y₂Si₂O₇ showed only one peak for yttrium. If that is the case, then this crystal structure is incorrect.

Simple Monoclinic primitive vectors

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{a}_1 &= a \hat{\mathbf{x}} \\
\mathbf{a}_2 &= b \hat{\mathbf{y}} \\
\mathbf{a}_3 &= c \cos \beta \hat{\mathbf{x}} + c \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}
\end{aligned}$$



Basis vectors

	Lattice coordinates		Cartesian coordinates	Wyckoff position	Atom type
\mathbf{B}_1	0	$=$	0	(2a)	Y I
\mathbf{B}_2	$\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2} b \hat{\mathbf{y}}$	(2a)	Y I
\mathbf{B}_3	$\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_1$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{x}}$	(2b)	Y II
\mathbf{B}_4	$\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_2$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2} a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{2} b \hat{\mathbf{y}}$	(2b)	Y II
\mathbf{B}_5	$x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{4} \mathbf{a}_2 + z_3 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$(ax_3 + cz_3 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{4} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_3 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2e)	O I
\mathbf{B}_6	$-x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{3}{4} \mathbf{a}_2 - z_3 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-(ax_3 + cz_3 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{3}{4} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_3 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2e)	O I
\mathbf{B}_7	$x_4 \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{4} \mathbf{a}_2 + z_4 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$(ax_4 + cz_4 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{4} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_4 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2e)	O II
\mathbf{B}_8	$-x_4 \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{3}{4} \mathbf{a}_2 - z_4 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-(ax_4 + cz_4 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{3}{4} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_4 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2e)	O II
\mathbf{B}_9	$x_5 \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{4} \mathbf{a}_2 + z_5 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$(ax_5 + cz_5 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{4} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_5 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2e)	O III
\mathbf{B}_{10}	$-x_5 \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{3}{4} \mathbf{a}_2 - z_5 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-(ax_5 + cz_5 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{3}{4} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_5 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2e)	O III
\mathbf{B}_{11}	$x_6 \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{4} \mathbf{a}_2 + z_6 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$(ax_6 + cz_6 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{4} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_6 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2e)	Si I
\mathbf{B}_{12}	$-x_6 \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{3}{4} \mathbf{a}_2 - z_6 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-(ax_6 + cz_6 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{3}{4} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_6 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2e)	Si I
\mathbf{B}_{13}	$x_7 \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{4} \mathbf{a}_2 + z_7 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$(ax_7 + cz_7 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{4} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_7 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2e)	Si II
\mathbf{B}_{14}	$-x_7 \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{3}{4} \mathbf{a}_2 - z_7 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-(ax_7 + cz_7 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{3}{4} b \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_7 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2e)	Si II
\mathbf{B}_{15}	$x_8 \mathbf{a}_1 + y_8 \mathbf{a}_2 + z_8 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$(ax_8 + cz_8 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_8 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_8 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4f)	O IV
\mathbf{B}_{16}	$-x_8 \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_8 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 - z_8 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-(ax_8 + cz_8 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + b(y_8 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_8 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4f)	O IV
\mathbf{B}_{17}	$-x_8 \mathbf{a}_1 - y_8 \mathbf{a}_2 - z_8 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-(ax_8 + cz_8 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - by_8 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_8 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4f)	O IV
\mathbf{B}_{18}	$x_8 \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_8 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + z_8 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$(ax_8 + cz_8 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - b(y_8 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_8 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4f)	O IV
\mathbf{B}_{19}	$x_9 \mathbf{a}_1 + y_9 \mathbf{a}_2 + z_9 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$(ax_9 + cz_9 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_9 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_9 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4f)	O V
\mathbf{B}_{20}	$-x_9 \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_9 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 - z_9 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-(ax_9 + cz_9 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + b(y_9 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_9 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4f)	O V
\mathbf{B}_{21}	$-x_9 \mathbf{a}_1 - y_9 \mathbf{a}_2 - z_9 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-(ax_9 + cz_9 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - by_9 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_9 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4f)	O V
\mathbf{B}_{22}	$x_9 \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_9 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + z_9 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$(ax_9 + cz_9 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - b(y_9 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_9 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4f)	O V

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