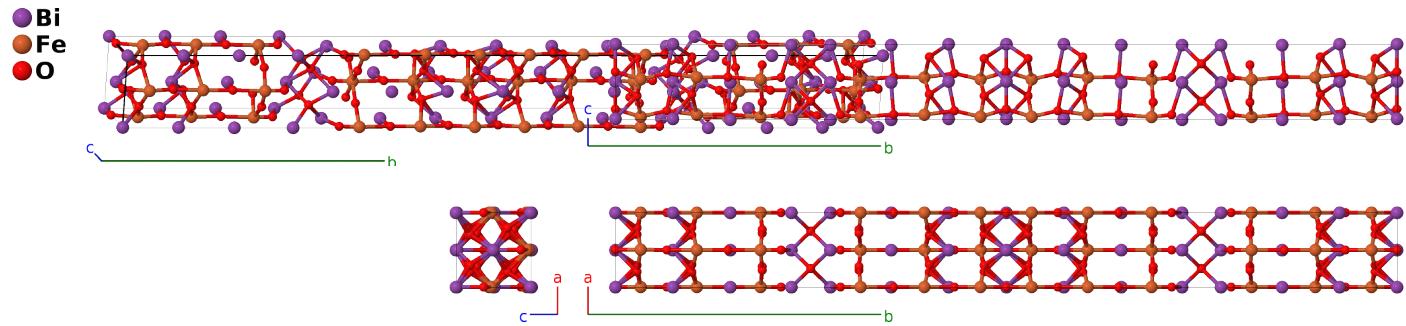


# $\text{Bi}_7(\text{Fe},\text{Ti})_6\text{O}_{21}$ $m = 6$ Aurivillius Structure: A7B6C21\_oF136\_42\_a3c\_3c\_ab3c3e-001

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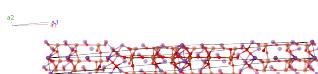


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Space group symbol	$Fmm2$
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- Aurivillius phases are layered tetragonal materials with composition  $(\text{Me}'_2\text{O}_2)^{2+}(\text{Me}_{m-1}\text{R}_m\text{O}_{3(m+1)})^{2-}$  ( $\text{Me}_{m-1}\text{Me}'_2\text{R}_m\text{O}_{3(m+1)}$ ), where Me and Me' are metals and R is a transition metal with a charge of +4 or +5. (Subbaro, 1962).
- The iron and titanium atoms are randomly distributed across the transition metal (8c) sites. We have arbitrarily labeled them as iron.
- (Krzhizhanovskaya, 2005) gave the structure in the  $F2mm$  setting of space group #42. We swapped the  $y$ - and  $z$ -axes to transform this to the standard  $Fmm2$  setting.

## Face-centered Orthorhombic primitive vectors

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



## Basis vectors

	Lattice coordinates		Cartesian coordinates	Wyckoff position	Atom type
<b>B<sub>1</sub></b>	$z_1 \mathbf{a}_1 + z_1 \mathbf{a}_2 - z_1 \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$cz_1 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4a)	Bi I
<b>B<sub>2</sub></b>	$z_2 \mathbf{a}_1 + z_2 \mathbf{a}_2 - z_2 \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$cz_2 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4a)	O I
<b>B<sub>3</sub></b>	$z_3 \mathbf{a}_1 + z_3 \mathbf{a}_2 - (z_3 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$\frac{1}{4}a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{4}b \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_3 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8b)	O II
<b>B<sub>4</sub></b>	$(z_3 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (z_3 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 - z_3 \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$\frac{1}{4}a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{4}b \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c(z_3 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8b)	O II
<b>B<sub>5</sub></b>	$(y_4 + z_4) \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_4 - z_4) \mathbf{a}_2 + (y_4 - z_4) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$by_4 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_4 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8c)	Bi II
<b>B<sub>6</sub></b>	$-(y_4 - z_4) \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_4 + z_4) \mathbf{a}_2 - (y_4 + z_4) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-by_4 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_4 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8c)	Bi II
<b>B<sub>7</sub></b>	$(y_5 + z_5) \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_5 - z_5) \mathbf{a}_2 + (y_5 - z_5) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$by_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_5 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8c)	Bi III
<b>B<sub>8</sub></b>	$-(y_5 - z_5) \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_5 + z_5) \mathbf{a}_2 - (y_5 + z_5) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-by_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_5 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8c)	Bi III
<b>B<sub>9</sub></b>	$(y_6 + z_6) \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_6 - z_6) \mathbf{a}_2 + (y_6 - z_6) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$by_6 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_6 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8c)	Bi IV
<b>B<sub>10</sub></b>	$-(y_6 - z_6) \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_6 + z_6) \mathbf{a}_2 - (y_6 + z_6) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-by_6 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_6 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8c)	Bi IV
<b>B<sub>11</sub></b>	$(y_7 + z_7) \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_7 - z_7) \mathbf{a}_2 + (y_7 - z_7) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$by_7 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_7 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8c)	Fe I
<b>B<sub>12</sub></b>	$-(y_7 - z_7) \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_7 + z_7) \mathbf{a}_2 - (y_7 + z_7) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-by_7 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_7 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8c)	Fe I
<b>B<sub>13</sub></b>	$(y_8 + z_8) \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_8 - z_8) \mathbf{a}_2 + (y_8 - z_8) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$by_8 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_8 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8c)	Fe II
<b>B<sub>14</sub></b>	$-(y_8 - z_8) \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_8 + z_8) \mathbf{a}_2 - (y_8 + z_8) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-by_8 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_8 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8c)	Fe II
<b>B<sub>15</sub></b>	$(y_9 + z_9) \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_9 - z_9) \mathbf{a}_2 + (y_9 - z_9) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$by_9 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_9 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8c)	Fe III
<b>B<sub>16</sub></b>	$-(y_9 - z_9) \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_9 + z_9) \mathbf{a}_2 - (y_9 + z_9) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-by_9 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_9 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8c)	Fe III
<b>B<sub>17</sub></b>	$(y_{10} + z_{10}) \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_{10} - z_{10}) \mathbf{a}_2 + (y_{10} - z_{10}) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$by_{10} \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_{10} \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8c)	O III
<b>B<sub>18</sub></b>	$-(y_{10} - z_{10}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_{10} + z_{10}) \mathbf{a}_2 - (y_{10} + z_{10}) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-by_{10} \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_{10} \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8c)	O III
<b>B<sub>19</sub></b>	$(y_{11} + z_{11}) \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_{11} - z_{11}) \mathbf{a}_2 + (y_{11} - z_{11}) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$by_{11} \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_{11} \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8c)	O IV
<b>B<sub>20</sub></b>	$-(y_{11} - z_{11}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_{11} + z_{11}) \mathbf{a}_2 - (y_{11} + z_{11}) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-by_{11} \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_{11} \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8c)	O IV
<b>B<sub>21</sub></b>	$(y_{12} + z_{12}) \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_{12} - z_{12}) \mathbf{a}_2 + (y_{12} - z_{12}) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$by_{12} \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_{12} \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8c)	O V
<b>B<sub>22</sub></b>	$-(y_{12} - z_{12}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_{12} + z_{12}) \mathbf{a}_2 - (y_{12} + z_{12}) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-by_{12} \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_{12} \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(8c)	O V
<b>B<sub>23</sub></b>	$(-x_{13} + y_{13} + z_{13}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (x_{13} - y_{13} + z_{13}) \mathbf{a}_2 + (x_{13} + y_{13} - z_{13}) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$ax_{13} \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_{13} \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_{13} \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16e)	O VI
<b>B<sub>24</sub></b>	$(x_{13} - y_{13} + z_{13}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (-x_{13} + y_{13} + z_{13}) \mathbf{a}_2 - (x_{13} + y_{13} + z_{13}) \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-ax_{13} \hat{\mathbf{x}} - by_{13} \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_{13} \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16e)	O VI

$\mathbf{B}_{25}$	$=$	$-(x_{13} + y_{13} - z_{13}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (x_{13} + y_{13} + z_{13}) \mathbf{a}_2 + (x_{13} - y_{13} - z_{13}) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$ax_{13} \hat{\mathbf{x}} - by_{13} \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_{13} \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16e)	O VI
$\mathbf{B}_{26}$	$=$	$(x_{13} + y_{13} + z_{13}) \mathbf{a}_1 - (x_{13} + y_{13} - z_{13}) \mathbf{a}_2 - (x_{13} - y_{13} + z_{13}) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-ax_{13} \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_{13} \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_{13} \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16e)	O VI
$\mathbf{B}_{27}$	$=$	$(-x_{14} + y_{14} + z_{14}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (x_{14} - y_{14} + z_{14}) \mathbf{a}_2 + (x_{14} + y_{14} - z_{14}) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$ax_{14} \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_{14} \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_{14} \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16e)	O VII
$\mathbf{B}_{28}$	$=$	$(x_{14} - y_{14} + z_{14}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (-x_{14} + y_{14} + z_{14}) \mathbf{a}_2 - (x_{14} + y_{14} + z_{14}) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-ax_{14} \hat{\mathbf{x}} - by_{14} \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_{14} \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16e)	O VII
$\mathbf{B}_{29}$	$=$	$-(x_{14} + y_{14} - z_{14}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (x_{14} + y_{14} + z_{14}) \mathbf{a}_2 + (x_{14} - y_{14} - z_{14}) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$ax_{14} \hat{\mathbf{x}} - by_{14} \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_{14} \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16e)	O VII
$\mathbf{B}_{30}$	$=$	$(x_{14} + y_{14} + z_{14}) \mathbf{a}_1 - (x_{14} + y_{14} - z_{14}) \mathbf{a}_2 - (x_{14} - y_{14} + z_{14}) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-ax_{14} \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_{14} \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_{14} \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16e)	O VII
$\mathbf{B}_{31}$	$=$	$(-x_{15} + y_{15} + z_{15}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (x_{15} - y_{15} + z_{15}) \mathbf{a}_2 + (x_{15} + y_{15} - z_{15}) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$ax_{15} \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_{15} \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_{15} \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16e)	O VIII
$\mathbf{B}_{32}$	$=$	$(x_{15} - y_{15} + z_{15}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (-x_{15} + y_{15} + z_{15}) \mathbf{a}_2 - (x_{15} + y_{15} + z_{15}) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-ax_{15} \hat{\mathbf{x}} - by_{15} \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_{15} \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16e)	O VIII
$\mathbf{B}_{33}$	$=$	$-(x_{15} + y_{15} - z_{15}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (x_{15} + y_{15} + z_{15}) \mathbf{a}_2 + (x_{15} - y_{15} - z_{15}) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$ax_{15} \hat{\mathbf{x}} - by_{15} \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_{15} \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16e)	O VIII
$\mathbf{B}_{34}$	$=$	$(x_{15} + y_{15} + z_{15}) \mathbf{a}_1 - (x_{15} + y_{15} - z_{15}) \mathbf{a}_2 - (x_{15} - y_{15} + z_{15}) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-ax_{15} \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_{15} \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_{15} \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16e)	O VIII

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