

Cs₇O Structure:

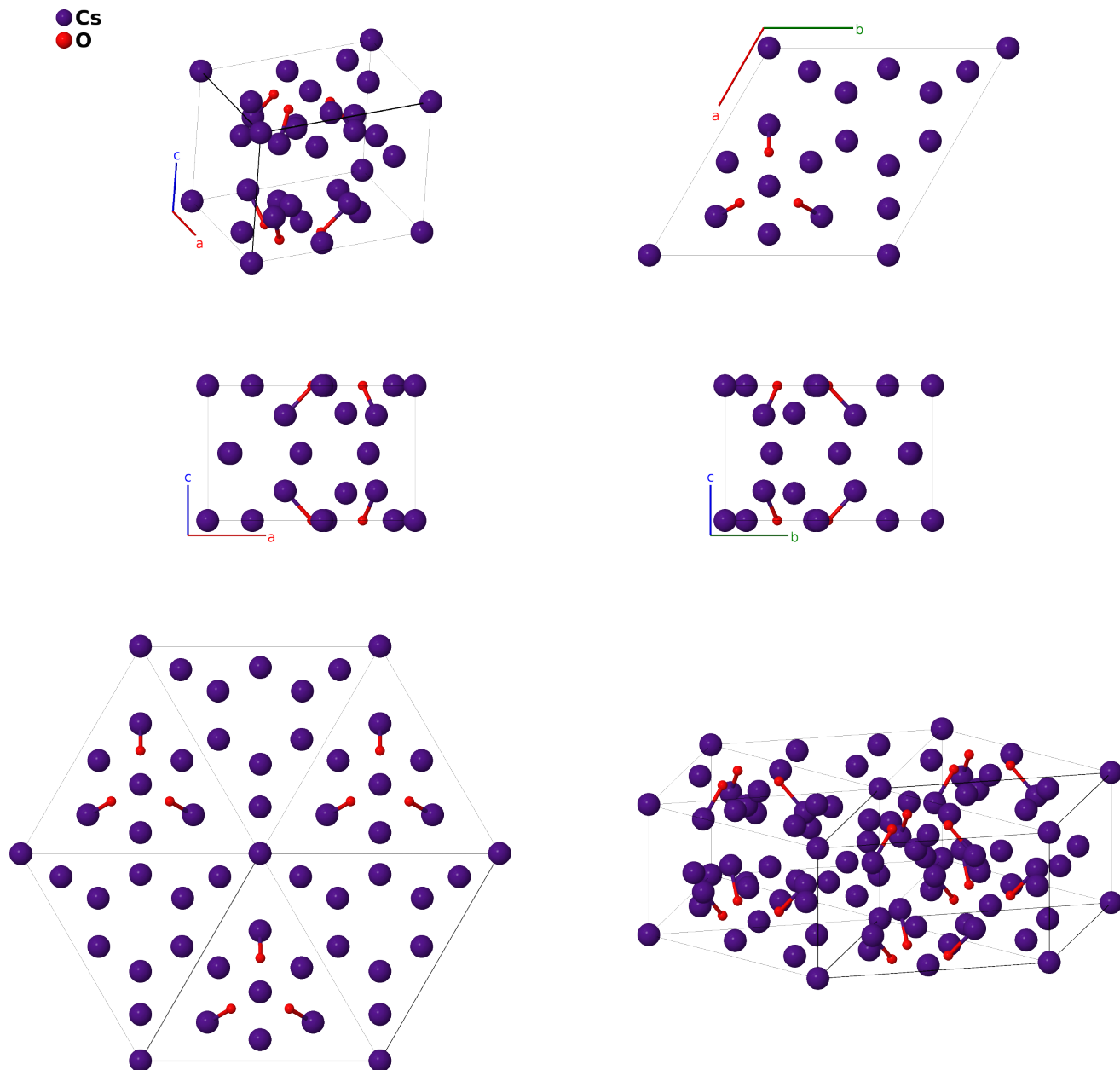
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Prototype

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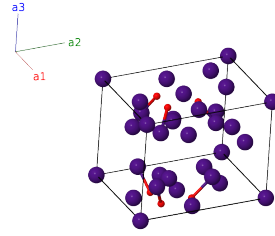
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ICSD	111
Pearson symbol	hP24
Space group number	187
Space group symbol	$P\bar{6}m2$
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- This structure is composed of Cs_{11}O_3 molecules, similar to the building blocks of the Cs_{11}O_3 structure, interlaced with cesium atoms which have approximately the same spacing as in bcc-Cs.
- Lattice constant data was given at -150°C , while the atomic positions were given at -175°C .

Hexagonal primitive vectors

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



Basis vectors

	Lattice coordinates		Cartesian coordinates	Wyckoff position	Atom type
\mathbf{B}_1	0	$=$	0	(1a)	Cs I
\mathbf{B}_2	$\frac{1}{3} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{2}{3} \mathbf{a}_2 + z_2 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2}a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_2 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2h)	Cs II
\mathbf{B}_3	$\frac{1}{3} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{2}{3} \mathbf{a}_2 - z_2 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2}a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_2 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2h)	Cs II
\mathbf{B}_4	$x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_3 \mathbf{a}_2$	$=$	$-\sqrt{3}ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{y}}$	(3j)	Cs III
\mathbf{B}_5	$x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 + 2x_3 \mathbf{a}_2$	$=$	$\frac{3}{2}ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{y}}$	(3j)	Cs III
\mathbf{B}_6	$-2x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_3 \mathbf{a}_2$	$=$	$-\frac{3}{2}ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{y}}$	(3j)	Cs III
\mathbf{B}_7	$x_4 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_4 \mathbf{a}_2$	$=$	$-\sqrt{3}ax_4 \hat{\mathbf{y}}$	(3j)	Cs IV
\mathbf{B}_8	$x_4 \mathbf{a}_1 + 2x_4 \mathbf{a}_2$	$=$	$\frac{3}{2}ax_4 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}ax_4 \hat{\mathbf{y}}$	(3j)	Cs IV
\mathbf{B}_9	$-2x_4 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_4 \mathbf{a}_2$	$=$	$-\frac{3}{2}ax_4 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}ax_4 \hat{\mathbf{y}}$	(3j)	Cs IV
\mathbf{B}_{10}	$x_5 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_5 \mathbf{a}_2$	$=$	$-\sqrt{3}ax_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}}$	(3j)	O I
\mathbf{B}_{11}	$x_5 \mathbf{a}_1 + 2x_5 \mathbf{a}_2$	$=$	$\frac{3}{2}ax_5 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}ax_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}}$	(3j)	O I
\mathbf{B}_{12}	$-2x_5 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_5 \mathbf{a}_2$	$=$	$-\frac{3}{2}ax_5 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}ax_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}}$	(3j)	O I
\mathbf{B}_{13}	$x_6 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_6 \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-\sqrt{3}ax_6 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{2}c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(3k)	Cs V
\mathbf{B}_{14}	$x_6 \mathbf{a}_1 + 2x_6 \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{3}{2}ax_6 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}ax_6 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{2}c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(3k)	Cs V
\mathbf{B}_{15}	$-2x_6 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_6 \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-\frac{3}{2}ax_6 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}ax_6 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{2}c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(3k)	Cs V
\mathbf{B}_{16}	$x_7 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_7 \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-\sqrt{3}ax_7 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{2}c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(3k)	Cs VI
\mathbf{B}_{17}	$x_7 \mathbf{a}_1 + 2x_7 \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{3}{2}ax_7 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}ax_7 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{2}c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(3k)	Cs VI
\mathbf{B}_{18}	$-2x_7 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_7 \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-\frac{3}{2}ax_7 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}ax_7 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{2}c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(3k)	Cs VI
\mathbf{B}_{19}	$x_8 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_8 \mathbf{a}_2 + z_8 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-\sqrt{3}ax_8 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_8 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(6n)	Cs VII

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{B}_{20} &= x_8 \mathbf{a}_1 + 2x_8 \mathbf{a}_2 + z_8 \mathbf{a}_3 &= \frac{3}{2}ax_8 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}ax_8 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_8 \hat{\mathbf{z}} &(6n) & \text{Cs VII} \\
\mathbf{B}_{21} &= -2x_8 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_8 \mathbf{a}_2 + z_8 \mathbf{a}_3 &= -\frac{3}{2}ax_8 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}ax_8 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_8 \hat{\mathbf{z}} &(6n) & \text{Cs VII} \\
\mathbf{B}_{22} &= x_8 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_8 \mathbf{a}_2 - z_8 \mathbf{a}_3 &= -\sqrt{3}ax_8 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_8 \hat{\mathbf{z}} &(6n) & \text{Cs VII} \\
\mathbf{B}_{23} &= x_8 \mathbf{a}_1 + 2x_8 \mathbf{a}_2 - z_8 \mathbf{a}_3 &= \frac{3}{2}ax_8 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}ax_8 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_8 \hat{\mathbf{z}} &(6n) & \text{Cs VII} \\
\mathbf{B}_{24} &= -2x_8 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_8 \mathbf{a}_2 - z_8 \mathbf{a}_3 &= -\frac{3}{2}ax_8 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}ax_8 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_8 \hat{\mathbf{z}} &(6n) & \text{Cs VII}
\end{aligned}$$

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