Al_8Mo_3 Structure: A8B3_mC22_12_4i_ai-001

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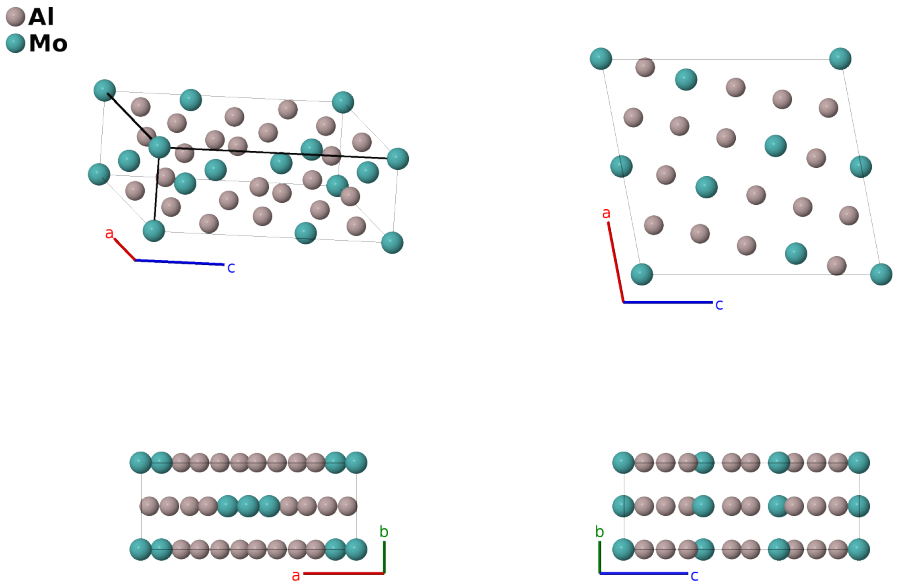

Prototype	Al_8Mo_3
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Pearson symbol	mC22
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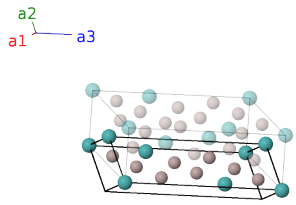
- There is no ICSD entry on file for (Oster, 2017), so we use the similar entry from (Forsyth, 1962).

Base-centered Monoclinic primitive vectors

$$\mathbf{a_1} = \tfrac{1}{2}a\,\hat{\mathbf{x}} - \tfrac{1}{2}b\,\hat{\mathbf{y}}$$
$$\mathbf{a_2} = \tfrac{1}{2}a\,\hat{\mathbf{x}} + \tfrac{1}{2}b\,\hat{\mathbf{y}}$$
$$\mathbf{a_3} = c\cos\beta\,\hat{\mathbf{x}} + c\sin\beta\,\hat{\mathbf{z}}$$



Basis vectors

		Lattice coordinates		Cartesian coordinates	Wyckoff position	Atom type
$\mathbf{B_1}$	=	0	=	0	(2a)	Mo I
$\mathbf{B_2}$	=	$x_2\,\mathbf{a}_1 + x_2\,\mathbf{a}_2 + z_2\,\mathbf{a}_3$	=	$(ax_2 + cz_2\cos\beta)\,\hat{\mathbf{x}} + cz_2\sin\beta\,\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4i)	Al I
$\mathbf{B_3}$	=	$-x_2\,\mathbf{a}_1 - x_2\,\mathbf{a}_2 - z_2\,\mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-(ax_2 + cz_2\cos\beta)\,\hat{\mathbf{x}} - cz_2\sin\beta\,\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4i)	Al I
$\mathbf{B_4}$	=	$x_3\,\mathbf{a}_1 + x_3\,\mathbf{a}_2 + z_3\,\mathbf{a}_3$	=	$(ax_3 + cz_3\cos\beta)\,\hat{\mathbf{x}} + cz_3\sin\beta\,\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4i)	Al II
$\mathbf{B_5}$	=	$-x_3\,\mathbf{a}_1 - x_3\,\mathbf{a}_2 - z_3\,\mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-(ax_3 + cz_3\cos\beta)\,\hat{\mathbf{x}} - cz_3\sin\beta\,\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4i)	Al II
$\mathbf{B_6}$	=	$x_4\,\mathbf{a}_1 + x_4\,\mathbf{a}_2 + z_4\,\mathbf{a}_3$	=	$(ax_4 + cz_4\cos\beta)\,\hat{\mathbf{x}} + cz_4\sin\beta\,\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4i)	Al III
$\mathbf{B_7}$	=	$-x_4\,\mathbf{a}_1 - x_4\,\mathbf{a}_2 - z_4\,\mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-(ax_4 + cz_4\cos\beta)\,\hat{\mathbf{x}} - cz_4\sin\beta\,\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4i)	Al III
$\mathbf{B_8}$	=	$x_5\,\mathbf{a}_1 + x_5\,\mathbf{a}_2 + z_5\,\mathbf{a}_3$	=	$(ax_5 + cz_5\cos\beta)\,\hat{\mathbf{x}} + cz_5\sin\beta\,\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4i)	Al IV
$\mathbf{B_9}$	=	$-x_5\,\mathbf{a}_1 - x_5\,\mathbf{a}_2 - z_5\,\mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-(ax_5 + cz_5\cos\beta)\,\hat{\mathbf{x}} - cz_5\sin\beta\,\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4i)	Al IV
$\mathbf{B_{10}}$	=	$x_6\,\mathbf{a}_1 + x_6\,\mathbf{a}_2 + z_6\,\mathbf{a}_3$	=	$(ax_6 + cz_6\cos\beta)\,\hat{\mathbf{x}} + cz_6\sin\beta\,\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4i)	Mo II
$\mathbf{B_{11}}$	=	$-x_6\,\mathbf{a}_1 - x_6\,\mathbf{a}_2 - z_6\,\mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-(ax_6 + cz_6\cos\beta)\,\hat{\mathbf{x}} - cz_6\sin\beta\,\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4i)	Mo II

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