

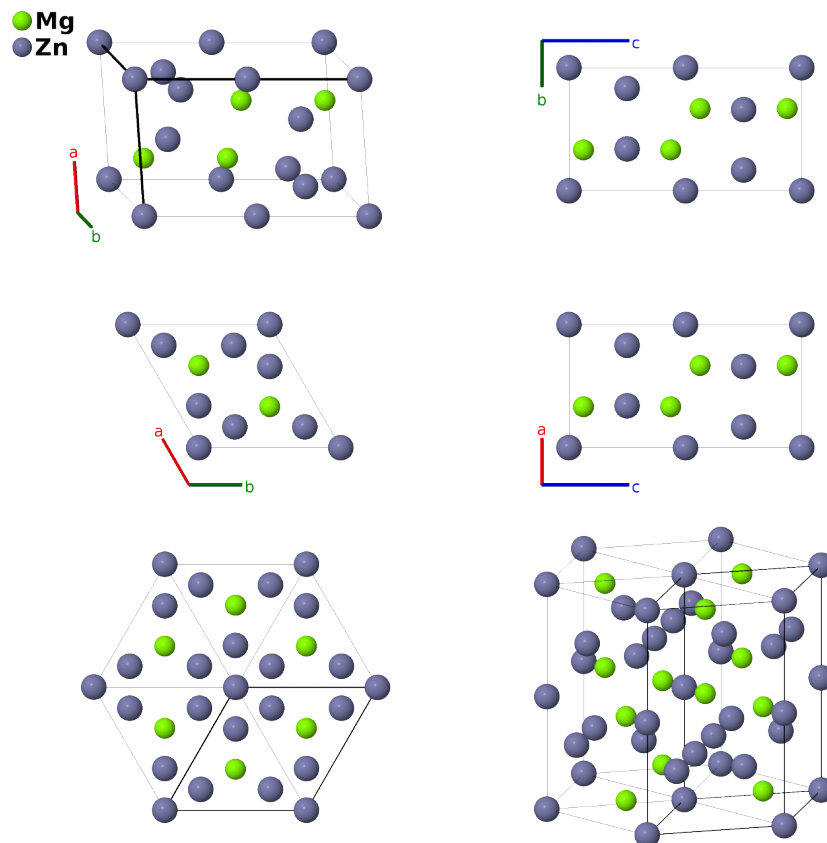
# MgZn<sub>2</sub> Hexagonal Laves (C14) Structure: AB2\_hP12\_194\_f\_ah-001

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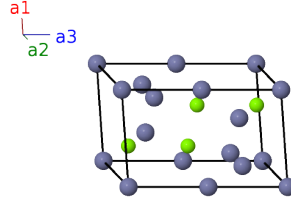
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<i>Strukturbericht</i> designation	C14
Mineral name	Hexagonal Laves
ICSD	46006
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Space group number	194
Space group symbol	<i>P</i> 6 <sub>3</sub> / <i>mmc</i>
AFLOW prototype command	<code>aflow --proto=AB2_hP12_194_f_ah-001 --params=a, c/a, z<sub>2</sub>, x<sub>3</sub></code>

## Other compounds with this structure

BaMg<sub>2</sub>, CaCd<sub>2</sub>, CaLi<sub>2</sub>, CaMg<sub>2</sub>, CdCu<sub>2</sub>, CrBe<sub>2</sub>, DyOs<sub>2</sub>, DyRu<sub>2</sub>, DyTc<sub>2</sub>, ErMg<sub>2</sub>, ErMn<sub>2</sub>, ErOs<sub>2</sub>, ErRu<sub>2</sub>, ErTc<sub>2</sub>, FeBe<sub>2</sub>, GdOs<sub>2</sub>, GdRu<sub>2</sub>, GdTc<sub>2</sub>, HfCr<sub>2</sub>, HfFe<sub>2</sub> (HT), HfMn<sub>2</sub> (HT), HfRe<sub>2</sub>, HoMg<sub>2</sub>, HoOs<sub>2</sub>, HoRe<sub>2</sub>, HoRu<sub>2</sub>, HoTc<sub>2</sub>, KNa<sub>2</sub>, KPb<sub>2</sub>, LuMn<sub>2</sub>, LuOs<sub>2</sub>, LuRe<sub>2</sub>, LuRh<sub>2</sub>, LuRu<sub>2</sub>, LuTe<sub>2</sub>, MgZn<sub>2</sub>, MnBe<sub>2</sub>, MoBe<sub>2</sub>, MoFe<sub>2</sub>, NbCr<sub>2</sub> (HT), NbFe<sub>2</sub>, NbMn<sub>2</sub>, NdMn<sub>2</sub>, NdOs<sub>2</sub>, PrMn<sub>2</sub>, PrOs<sub>2</sub>, PuOs<sub>2</sub>, ReBe<sub>2</sub>, RuBe<sub>2</sub>, ScMn<sub>2</sub>, ScOs<sub>2</sub>, ScRe<sub>2</sub>, ScRu<sub>2</sub>, ScTc<sub>2</sub>, SmOs<sub>2</sub>, SrMg<sub>2</sub>,  $\alpha$ -TaCo<sub>2</sub> (LT), TaCr<sub>2</sub> (HT), TaFe<sub>2</sub>, TaMn<sub>2</sub>, TbOs<sub>2</sub>, TbRe<sub>2</sub>, TbRu<sub>2</sub>, TbTc<sub>2</sub>, ThMn<sub>2</sub>, ThRe<sub>2</sub>, TiCr<sub>2</sub> (HT), TiFe<sub>2</sub>, TiMn<sub>2</sub>, TiZn<sub>2</sub>, TmMn<sub>2</sub>, TmRu<sub>2</sub>, TmTc<sub>2</sub>, UNi<sub>2</sub>, URe<sub>2</sub> (HT), URe<sub>2</sub>, VBe<sub>2</sub>, WBe<sub>2</sub>, WFe<sub>2</sub>, YOs<sub>2</sub>, YRe<sub>2</sub>, YRu<sub>2</sub>, YTc<sub>2</sub>, ZrCr<sub>2</sub>, ZrMn<sub>2</sub>, ZrOs<sub>2</sub>, ZrRe<sub>2</sub>, ZrRu<sub>2</sub> (HT), ZrTc<sub>2</sub>, Co<sub>3</sub>Mn<sub>2</sub>Ge, Co<sub>3</sub>Mo<sub>2</sub>Si, Cr<sub>3</sub>Ta<sub>2</sub>Cu, Fe<sub>3</sub>Zr<sub>2</sub>Ga, Nb<sub>3</sub>Co<sub>2</sub>Si, Ni<sub>3</sub>Nb<sub>2</sub>Si, Ni<sub>3</sub>Ta<sub>2</sub>Si, Ni<sub>3</sub>Ti<sub>2</sub>Si

## 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
$\mathbf{B}_1$	$0$	$=$	$0$	(2a)	Zn I
$\mathbf{B}_2$	$\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2}c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2a)	Zn I
$\mathbf{B}_3$	$\frac{1}{3} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{2}{3} \mathbf{a}_2 + z_2 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2}a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_2 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4f)	Mg I
$\mathbf{B}_4$	$\frac{2}{3} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{3} \mathbf{a}_2 + (z_2 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2}a \hat{\mathbf{x}} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c(z_2 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4f)	Mg I
$\mathbf{B}_5$	$\frac{2}{3} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{3} \mathbf{a}_2 - z_2 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2}a \hat{\mathbf{x}} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_2 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4f)	Mg I
$\mathbf{B}_6$	$\frac{1}{3} \mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{2}{3} \mathbf{a}_2 - (z_2 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2}a \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a \hat{\mathbf{y}} - c(z_2 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4f)	Mg I
$\mathbf{B}_7$	$x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 + 2x_3 \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{4} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{3}{2}ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{4}c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(6h)	Zn II
$\mathbf{B}_8$	$-2x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_3 \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{4} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-\frac{3}{2}ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{4}c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(6h)	Zn II
$\mathbf{B}_9$	$x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_3 \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{4} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-\sqrt{3}ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{4}c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(6h)	Zn II
$\mathbf{B}_{10}$	$-x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 - 2x_3 \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{3}{4} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-\frac{3}{2}ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{x}} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{3}{4}c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(6h)	Zn II
$\mathbf{B}_{11}$	$2x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 + x_3 \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{3}{4} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\frac{3}{2}ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{x}} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{3}{4}c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(6h)	Zn II
$\mathbf{B}_{12}$	$-x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 + x_3 \mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{3}{4} \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$\sqrt{3}ax_3 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{3}{4}c \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(6h)	Zn II

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