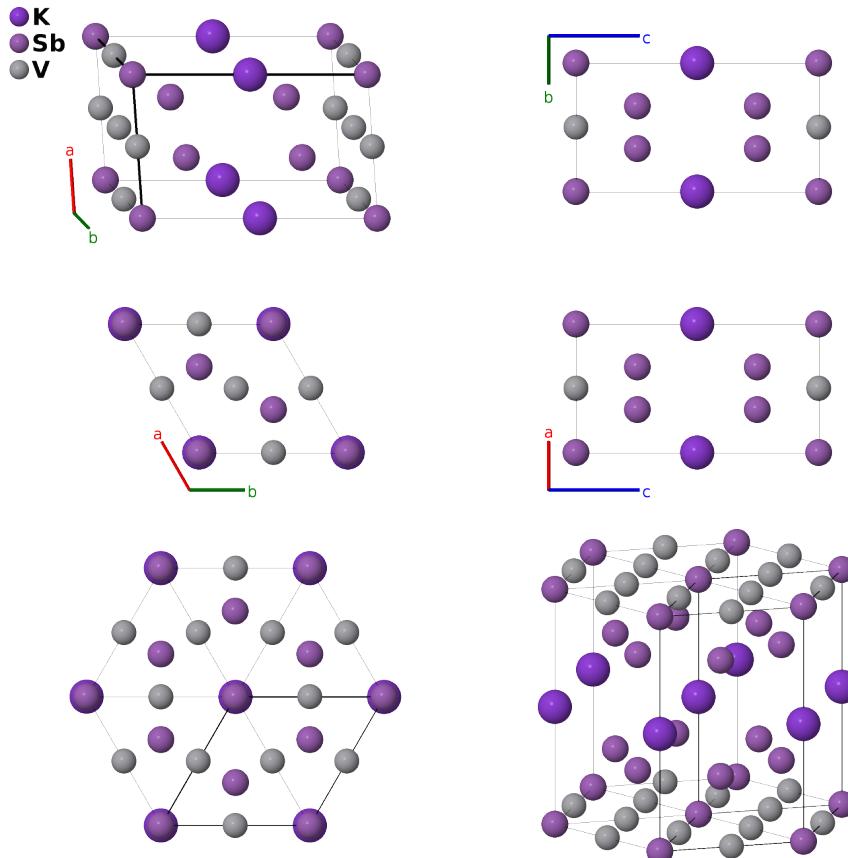


# KV<sub>3</sub>Sb<sub>5</sub> Structure: AB<sub>5</sub>C<sub>3</sub>\_hP9\_191\_b\_ah\_f-001

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<b>Prototype</b>	K <sub>3</sub> Sb <sub>5</sub> V
<b>AFLOW prototype label</b>	AB <sub>5</sub> C <sub>3</sub> _hP9_191_b_ah_f-001
<b>ICSD</b>	31838
<b>Pearson symbol</b>	hP9
<b>Space group number</b>	191
<b>Space group symbol</b>	$P6/mmm$
<b>AFLOW prototype command</b>	<code>aflow --proto=AB5C3_hP9_191_b_ah_f-001 --params=a, c/a, z<sub>4</sub></code>

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## Other compounds with this structure

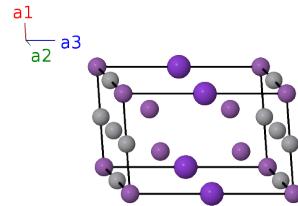
CsTi<sub>3</sub>Bi<sub>5</sub>, CsV<sub>3</sub>Sb<sub>5</sub>, RbV<sub>3</sub>Sb<sub>5</sub>

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- (Ortiz, 2019) found that their  $KV_3Sb_5$  samples were potassium deficient, with 8-15% vacancies on the (1a) potassium site. Both  $CsV_3Sb_5$  and  $RbV_3Sb_5$  were stoichiometric.

## 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)	Sb I
$\mathbf{B}_2$	= $\frac{1}{2}\mathbf{a}_3$	= $\frac{1}{2}c\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(1b)	K I
$\mathbf{B}_3$	= $\frac{1}{2}\mathbf{a}_1$	= $\frac{1}{4}a\hat{\mathbf{x}} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}a\hat{\mathbf{y}}$	(3f)	V I
$\mathbf{B}_4$	= $\frac{1}{2}\mathbf{a}_2$	= $\frac{1}{4}a\hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}a\hat{\mathbf{y}}$	(3f)	V I
$\mathbf{B}_5$	= $\frac{1}{2}\mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{a}_2$	= $\frac{1}{2}a\hat{\mathbf{x}}$	(3f)	V I
$\mathbf{B}_6$	= $\frac{1}{3}\mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{2}{3}\mathbf{a}_2 + z_4\mathbf{a}_3$	= $\frac{1}{2}a\hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a\hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_4\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4h)	Sb II
$\mathbf{B}_7$	= $\frac{2}{3}\mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{3}\mathbf{a}_2 + z_4\mathbf{a}_3$	= $\frac{1}{2}a\hat{\mathbf{x}} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a\hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_4\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4h)	Sb II
$\mathbf{B}_8$	= $\frac{2}{3}\mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{3}\mathbf{a}_2 - z_4\mathbf{a}_3$	= $\frac{1}{2}a\hat{\mathbf{x}} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a\hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_4\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4h)	Sb II
$\mathbf{B}_9$	= $\frac{1}{3}\mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{2}{3}\mathbf{a}_2 - z_4\mathbf{a}_3$	= $\frac{1}{2}a\hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a\hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_4\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4h)	Sb II

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