

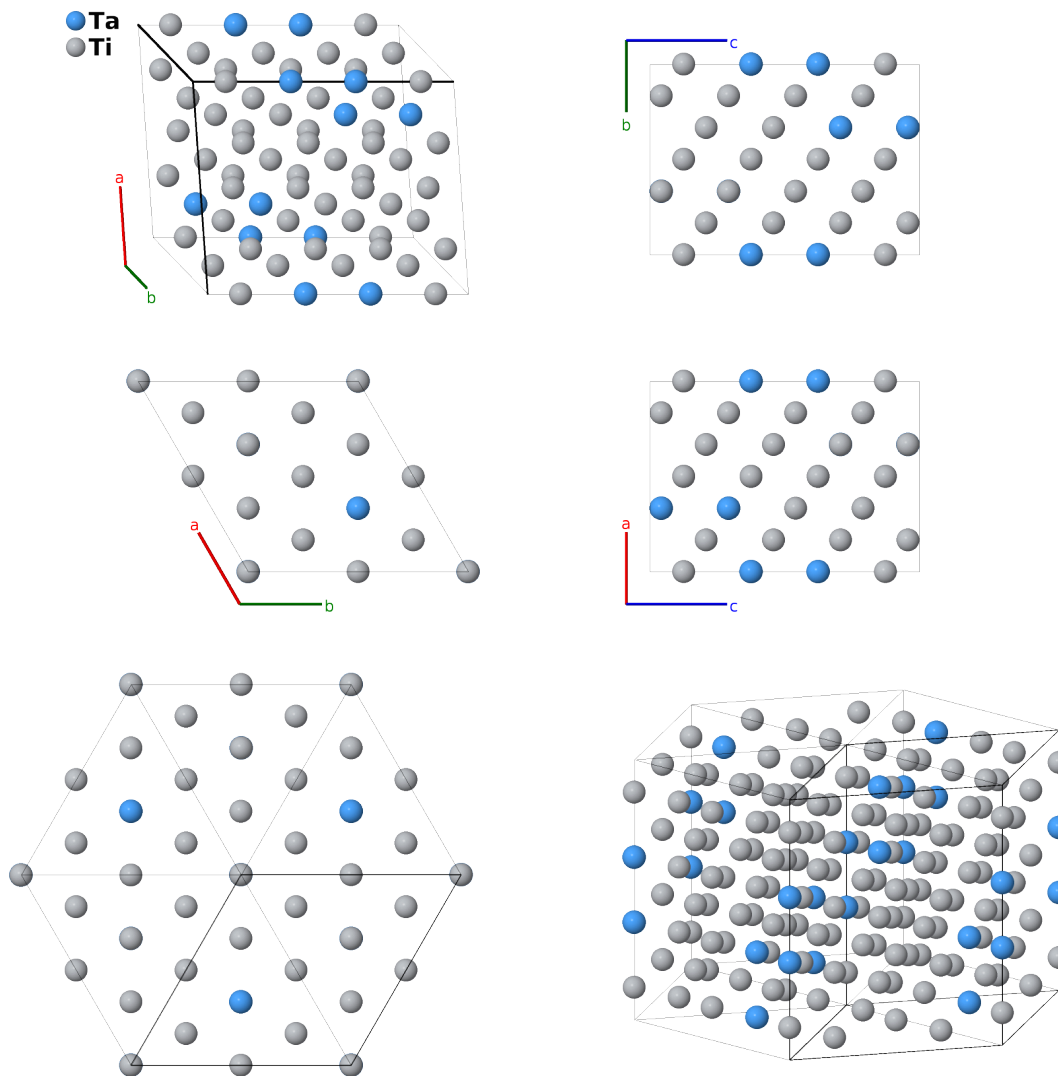
TaTi₇ (BCC SQS-16) Structure: AB7_hR16_166_c_c2h-001

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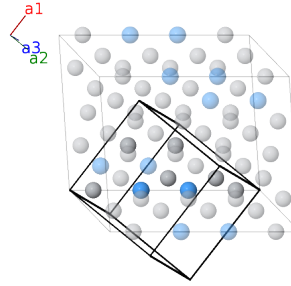
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- This is a special quasirandom structure with 16 atoms per unit cell (SQS-16) for a bcc binary substitutional alloy A_xB_{1-x} (Jiang, 2004; Chakraborty, 2016)).
- Several compositions are available:
 - TaTi₇ (AB7_hR16_166_c_c2h) (this structure),
 - Ta₃Ti₁₃ (A3B13_oC32_38_ac_a2bcdef),
 - TaTi₃-I (AB3_mC32_8_4a_12a) ,
 - TaTi₃-II (AB3_mC32_8_4a_4a4b) ,
 - Ta₅Ti₁₁ (A5B11_mP16_6_2abc_2a3b3c) ,
 - Ta₃Ti₈ (A3B5_oC32_38_abce_abcdf) ,
 - TaTi (AB_aP16_2_4i_4i).

Rhombohedral primitive vectors

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{a}_1 &= \frac{1}{2}a \hat{\mathbf{x}} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{3}c \hat{\mathbf{z}} \\ \mathbf{a}_2 &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}a \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{3}c \hat{\mathbf{z}} \\ \mathbf{a}_3 &= -\frac{1}{2}a \hat{\mathbf{x}} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{3}c \hat{\mathbf{z}} \end{aligned}$$



Basis vectors

	Lattice coordinates		Cartesian coordinates	Wyckoff position	Atom type
\mathbf{B}_1	$x_1 \mathbf{a}_1 + x_1 \mathbf{a}_2 + x_1 \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$cx_1 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2c)	Ta I
\mathbf{B}_2	$-x_1 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_1 \mathbf{a}_2 - x_1 \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-cx_1 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2c)	Ta I
\mathbf{B}_3	$x_2 \mathbf{a}_1 + x_2 \mathbf{a}_2 + x_2 \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$cx_2 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2c)	Ti I
\mathbf{B}_4	$-x_2 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_2 \mathbf{a}_2 - x_2 \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-cx_2 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(2c)	Ti I
\mathbf{B}_5	$x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 + x_3 \mathbf{a}_2 + z_3 \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$\frac{1}{2}a(x_3 - z_3) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a(x_3 - z_3) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{3}c(2x_3 + z_3) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(6h)	Ti II
\mathbf{B}_6	$z_3 \mathbf{a}_1 + z_3 \mathbf{a}_2 + x_3 \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-\frac{1}{2}a(x_3 - z_3) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a(x_3 - z_3) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{3}c(2x_3 + z_3) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(6h)	Ti II
\mathbf{B}_7	$x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 + z_3 \mathbf{a}_2 + x_3 \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}a(x_3 - z_3) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{3}c(2x_3 + z_3) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(6h)	Ti II
\mathbf{B}_8	$-z_3 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_3 \mathbf{a}_2 - x_3 \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$\frac{1}{2}a(x_3 - z_3) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a(x_3 - z_3) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - \frac{1}{3}c(2x_3 + z_3) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(6h)	Ti II
\mathbf{B}_9	$-x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_3 \mathbf{a}_2 - z_3 \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$-\frac{1}{2}a(x_3 - z_3) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a(x_3 - z_3) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - \frac{1}{3}c(2x_3 + z_3) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(6h)	Ti II
\mathbf{B}_{10}	$-x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 - z_3 \mathbf{a}_2 - x_3 \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}a(x_3 - z_3) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - \frac{1}{3}c(2x_3 + z_3) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(6h)	Ti II
\mathbf{B}_{11}	$x_4 \mathbf{a}_1 + x_4 \mathbf{a}_2 + z_4 \mathbf{a}_3$	=	$\frac{1}{2}a(x_4 - z_4) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a(x_4 - z_4) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{3}c(2x_4 + z_4) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(6h)	Ti III

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{B}_{12} &= z_4 \mathbf{a}_1 + x_4 \mathbf{a}_2 + x_4 \mathbf{a}_3 &= -\frac{1}{2}a(x_4 - z_4) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a(x_4 - z_4) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{3}c(2x_4 + z_4) \hat{\mathbf{z}} &(6h) & \text{Ti III} \\
\mathbf{B}_{13} &= x_4 \mathbf{a}_1 + z_4 \mathbf{a}_2 + x_4 \mathbf{a}_3 &= -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}a(x_4 - z_4) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{3}c(2x_4 + z_4) \hat{\mathbf{z}} &(6h) & \text{Ti III} \\
\mathbf{B}_{14} &= -z_4 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_4 \mathbf{a}_2 - x_4 \mathbf{a}_3 &= \frac{1}{2}a(x_4 - z_4) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a(x_4 - z_4) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - \frac{1}{3}c(2x_4 + z_4) \hat{\mathbf{z}} &(6h) & \text{Ti III} \\
\mathbf{B}_{15} &= -x_4 \mathbf{a}_1 - x_4 \mathbf{a}_2 - z_4 \mathbf{a}_3 &= -\frac{1}{2}a(x_4 - z_4) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}a(x_4 - z_4) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - \frac{1}{3}c(2x_4 + z_4) \hat{\mathbf{z}} &(6h) & \text{Ti III} \\
\mathbf{B}_{16} &= -x_4 \mathbf{a}_1 - z_4 \mathbf{a}_2 - x_4 \mathbf{a}_3 &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}a(x_4 - z_4) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - \frac{1}{3}c(2x_4 + z_4) \hat{\mathbf{z}} &(6h) & \text{Ti III}
\end{aligned}$$

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