

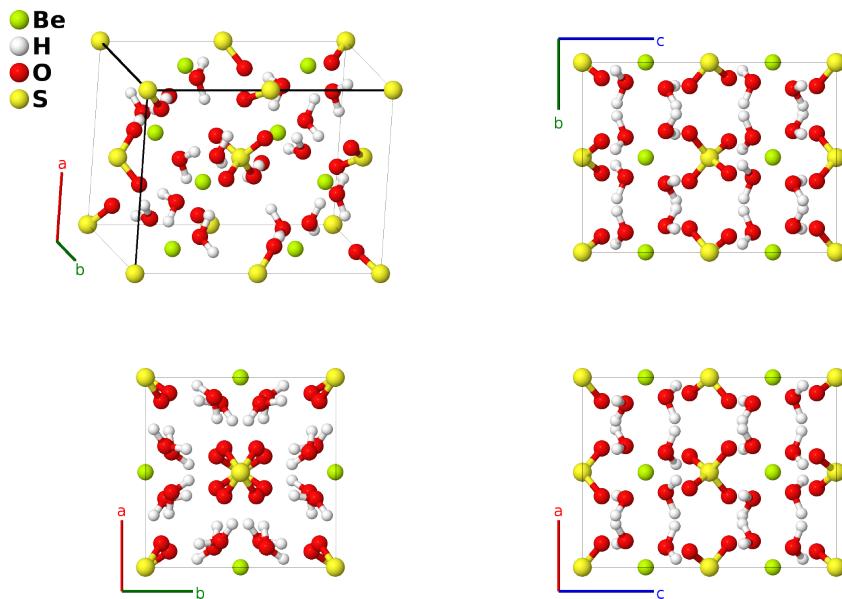
# BeSO<sub>4</sub>·4H<sub>2</sub>O (*H*<sub>4</sub><sub>3</sub>) Structure: AB8C8D\_tI72\_120\_b\_2i\_2i\_c-001

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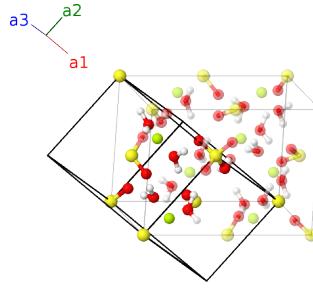


Prototype	BeH <sub>8</sub> O <sub>8</sub> S
AFLOW prototype label	AB8C8D_tI72_120_b_2i_2i_c-001
Strukturbericht designation	<i>H</i> <sub>4</sub> <sub>3</sub>
ICSD	23219
Pearson symbol	tI72
Space group number	120
Space group symbol	$I\bar{4}c2$
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- The original determination of the *H*<sub>4</sub><sub>3</sub> structure did not determine the positions of the hydrogen atoms. Since (Sikka, 1969) showed that the placement of they hydrogen atoms did not substantially affect the postions of the other atoms in the primitive cell, nor change the space group, we retain the original *Strukturbericht* designation for the improved structure.

## Body-centered Tetragonal primitive vectors

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



## Basis vectors

	Lattice coordinates	Cartesian coordinates	Wyckoff position	Atom type
$\mathbf{B}_1$	= 0	= 0	(4b)	Be I
$\mathbf{B}_2$	= $\frac{1}{2}\mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{a}_2$	= $\frac{1}{2}c\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4b)	Be I
$\mathbf{B}_3$	= $\frac{3}{4}\mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{4}\mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{a}_3$	= $\frac{1}{2}a\hat{\mathbf{y}} + \frac{1}{4}c\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	S I
$\mathbf{B}_4$	= $\frac{1}{4}\mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{3}{4}\mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{a}_3$	= $\frac{1}{2}a\hat{\mathbf{x}} + \frac{1}{4}c\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(4c)	S I
$\mathbf{B}_5$	= $(y_3 + z_3)\mathbf{a}_1 + (x_3 + z_3)\mathbf{a}_2 + (x_3 + y_3)\mathbf{a}_3$	= $ax_3\hat{\mathbf{x}} + ay_3\hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_3\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	H I
$\mathbf{B}_6$	= $-(y_3 - z_3)\mathbf{a}_1 - (x_3 - z_3)\mathbf{a}_2 - (x_3 + y_3)\mathbf{a}_3$	= $-ax_3\hat{\mathbf{x}} - ay_3\hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_3\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	H I
$\mathbf{B}_7$	= $-(x_3 + z_3)\mathbf{a}_1 + (y_3 - z_3)\mathbf{a}_2 - (x_3 - y_3)\mathbf{a}_3$	= $ay_3\hat{\mathbf{x}} - ax_3\hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_3\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	H I
$\mathbf{B}_8$	= $(x_3 - z_3)\mathbf{a}_1 - (y_3 + z_3)\mathbf{a}_2 + (x_3 - y_3)\mathbf{a}_3$	= $-ay_3\hat{\mathbf{x}} + ax_3\hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_3\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	H I
$\mathbf{B}_9$	= $(-y_3 + z_3 + \frac{1}{2})\mathbf{a}_1 + (x_3 + z_3 + \frac{1}{2})\mathbf{a}_2 + (x_3 - y_3)\mathbf{a}_3$	= $ax_3\hat{\mathbf{x}} - ay_3\hat{\mathbf{y}} + c(z_3 + \frac{1}{2})\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	H I
$\mathbf{B}_{10}$	= $(y_3 + z_3 + \frac{1}{2})\mathbf{a}_1 + (-x_3 + z_3 + \frac{1}{2})\mathbf{a}_2 - (x_3 - y_3)\mathbf{a}_3$	= $-ax_3\hat{\mathbf{x}} + ay_3\hat{\mathbf{y}} + c(z_3 + \frac{1}{2})\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	H I
$\mathbf{B}_{11}$	= $(x_3 - z_3 + \frac{1}{2})\mathbf{a}_1 + (y_3 - z_3 + \frac{1}{2})\mathbf{a}_2 + (x_3 + y_3)\mathbf{a}_3$	= $ay_3\hat{\mathbf{x}} + ax_3\hat{\mathbf{y}} - c(z_3 - \frac{1}{2})\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	H I
$\mathbf{B}_{12}$	= $-(x_3 + z_3 - \frac{1}{2})\mathbf{a}_1 - (y_3 + z_3 - \frac{1}{2})\mathbf{a}_2 - (x_3 + y_3)\mathbf{a}_3$	= $-ay_3\hat{\mathbf{x}} - ax_3\hat{\mathbf{y}} - c(z_3 - \frac{1}{2})\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	H I
$\mathbf{B}_{13}$	= $(y_4 + z_4)\mathbf{a}_1 + (x_4 + z_4)\mathbf{a}_2 + (x_4 + y_4)\mathbf{a}_3$	= $ax_4\hat{\mathbf{x}} + ay_4\hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_4\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	H II
$\mathbf{B}_{14}$	= $-(y_4 - z_4)\mathbf{a}_1 - (x_4 - z_4)\mathbf{a}_2 - (x_4 + y_4)\mathbf{a}_3$	= $-ax_4\hat{\mathbf{x}} - ay_4\hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_4\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	H II
$\mathbf{B}_{15}$	= $-(x_4 + z_4)\mathbf{a}_1 + (y_4 - z_4)\mathbf{a}_2 - (x_4 - y_4)\mathbf{a}_3$	= $ay_4\hat{\mathbf{x}} - ax_4\hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_4\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	H II
$\mathbf{B}_{16}$	= $(x_4 - z_4)\mathbf{a}_1 - (y_4 + z_4)\mathbf{a}_2 + (x_4 - y_4)\mathbf{a}_3$	= $-ay_4\hat{\mathbf{x}} + ax_4\hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_4\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	H II
$\mathbf{B}_{17}$	= $(-y_4 + z_4 + \frac{1}{2})\mathbf{a}_1 + (x_4 + z_4 + \frac{1}{2})\mathbf{a}_2 + (x_4 - y_4)\mathbf{a}_3$	= $ax_4\hat{\mathbf{x}} - ay_4\hat{\mathbf{y}} + c(z_4 + \frac{1}{2})\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	H II
$\mathbf{B}_{18}$	= $(y_4 + z_4 + \frac{1}{2})\mathbf{a}_1 + (-x_4 + z_4 + \frac{1}{2})\mathbf{a}_2 - (x_4 - y_4)\mathbf{a}_3$	= $-ax_4\hat{\mathbf{x}} + ay_4\hat{\mathbf{y}} + c(z_4 + \frac{1}{2})\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	H II

$\mathbf{B}_{19}$	$=$	$(x_4 - z_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_4 - z_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + (x_4 + y_4) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$ay_4 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + ax_4 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - c(z_4 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	H II
$\mathbf{B}_{20}$	$=$	$-(x_4 + z_4 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_4 + z_4 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 - (x_4 + y_4) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-ay_4 \hat{\mathbf{x}} - ax_4 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - c(z_4 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	H II
$\mathbf{B}_{21}$	$=$	$(y_5 + z_5) \mathbf{a}_1 + (x_5 + z_5) \mathbf{a}_2 + (x_5 + y_5) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$ax_5 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + ay_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_5 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	O I
$\mathbf{B}_{22}$	$=$	$-(y_5 - z_5) \mathbf{a}_1 - (x_5 - z_5) \mathbf{a}_2 - (x_5 + y_5) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-ax_5 \hat{\mathbf{x}} - ay_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_5 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	O I
$\mathbf{B}_{23}$	$=$	$-(x_5 + z_5) \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_5 - z_5) \mathbf{a}_2 - (x_5 - y_5) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$ay_5 \hat{\mathbf{x}} - ax_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_5 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	O I
$\mathbf{B}_{24}$	$=$	$(x_5 - z_5) \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_5 + z_5) \mathbf{a}_2 + (x_5 - y_5) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-ay_5 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + ax_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_5 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	O I
$\mathbf{B}_{25}$	$=$	$(-y_5 + z_5 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (x_5 + z_5 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + (x_5 - y_5) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$ax_5 \hat{\mathbf{x}} - ay_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c(z_5 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	O I
$\mathbf{B}_{26}$	$=$	$(y_5 + z_5 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (-x_5 + z_5 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 - (x_5 - y_5) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-ax_5 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + ay_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c(z_5 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	O I
$\mathbf{B}_{27}$	$=$	$(x_5 - z_5 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_5 - z_5 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + (x_5 + y_5) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$ay_5 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + ax_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - c(z_5 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	O I
$\mathbf{B}_{28}$	$=$	$-(x_5 + z_5 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_5 + z_5 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 - (x_5 + y_5) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-ay_5 \hat{\mathbf{x}} - ax_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - c(z_5 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	O I
$\mathbf{B}_{29}$	$=$	$(y_6 + z_6) \mathbf{a}_1 + (x_6 + z_6) \mathbf{a}_2 + (x_6 + y_6) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$ax_6 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + ay_6 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_6 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	O II
$\mathbf{B}_{30}$	$=$	$-(y_6 - z_6) \mathbf{a}_1 - (x_6 - z_6) \mathbf{a}_2 - (x_6 + y_6) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-ax_6 \hat{\mathbf{x}} - ay_6 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_6 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	O II
$\mathbf{B}_{31}$	$=$	$-(x_6 + z_6) \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_6 - z_6) \mathbf{a}_2 - (x_6 - y_6) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$ay_6 \hat{\mathbf{x}} - ax_6 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_6 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	O II
$\mathbf{B}_{32}$	$=$	$(x_6 - z_6) \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_6 + z_6) \mathbf{a}_2 + (x_6 - y_6) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-ay_6 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + ax_6 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_6 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	O II
$\mathbf{B}_{33}$	$=$	$(-y_6 + z_6 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (x_6 + z_6 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + (x_6 - y_6) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$ax_6 \hat{\mathbf{x}} - ay_6 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c(z_6 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	O II
$\mathbf{B}_{34}$	$=$	$(y_6 + z_6 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (-x_6 + z_6 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 - (x_6 - y_6) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-ax_6 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + ay_6 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c(z_6 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	O II
$\mathbf{B}_{35}$	$=$	$(x_6 - z_6 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_6 - z_6 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + (x_6 + y_6) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$ay_6 \hat{\mathbf{x}} + ax_6 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - c(z_6 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	O II
$\mathbf{B}_{36}$	$=$	$-(x_6 + z_6 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_6 + z_6 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 - (x_6 + y_6) \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-ay_6 \hat{\mathbf{x}} - ax_6 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - c(z_6 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(16i)	O II

## References

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