

Rhombohedral CuPt ($L1_1$) Structure:

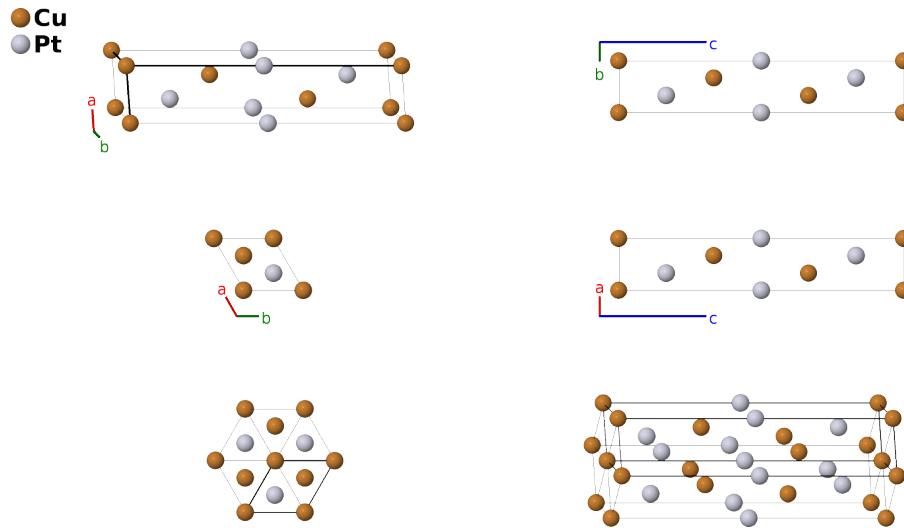
AB_hR2_166_a_b-001

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Prototype

CuPt

AFLOW prototype label

AB_hR2_166_a_b-001

Strukturbericht designation

$L1_1$

ICSD

107118

Pearson symbol

hR2

Space group number

166

Space group symbol

$R\bar{3}m$

AFLOW prototype command

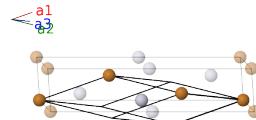
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--params=a, c/a

- (Johansson, 1929) described two possible structures for CuPt. (Ewald, 1929) and later (Villars, 2007) used the description to determine the space group and atomic positions. This page describes the rhombohedral structure, which (Ewald, 1929) labeled *Strukturbericht L1₁*. The other structure is cubic, and was listed as *L1₃*.
- (Barrett, 1980) noted that even slight additions of platinum above stoichiometry will cause a change in the crystal structure.
- CuPt and KSH have the same AFLOW prototype label, AB_hR2_166_a_b. They are generated by the same symmetry operations with different sets of parameters (`--params`) specified in their corresponding CIF files.

- This structure is given in the rhombohedral setting of space group $R\bar{3}m$ #166. The hexagonal setting may be obtained by adding `--hex` to the `aflow` command.

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
$\mathbf{B}_1 =$	0	0	(1a)	Cu I
$\mathbf{B}_2 =$	$\frac{1}{2}\mathbf{a}_1 + \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{a}_2 + \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{a}_3$	$\frac{1}{2}c\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	(1b)	Pt I

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