

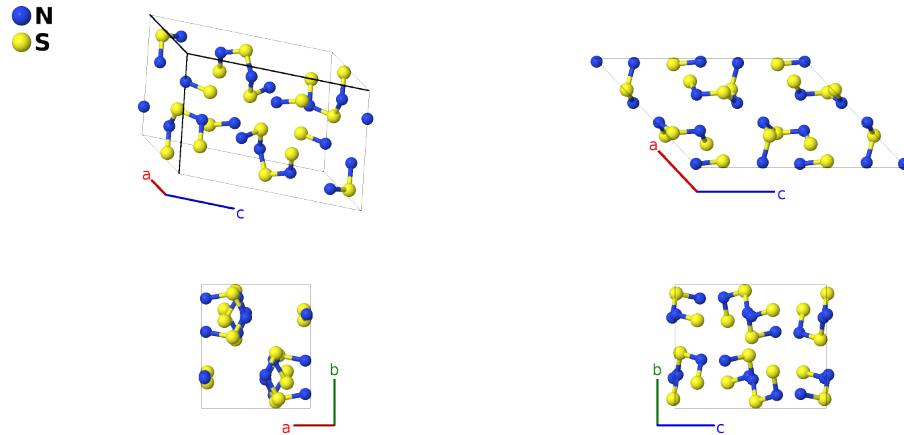
# NS Structure:

AB\_mP32\_14\_4e\_4e-004

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| <b>Prototype</b>               | NS  |
| <b>AFLOW prototype label</b>   | AB_mP32_14_4e_4e-004  |
| <b>ICSD</b>                    | 109098  |
| <b>Pearson symbol</b>          | mP32  |
| <b>Space group number</b>      | 14  |
| <b>Space group symbol</b>      | $P2_1/c$  |
| <b>AFLOW prototype command</b> | <pre>aflow --proto=AB_mP32_14_4e_4e-004 --params=a,b/a,c/a,\beta,x1,y1,z1,x2,y2,z2,x3,y3,z3,x4,y4,z4,x5,y5,z5,x6,y6,z6,x7, y7,z7,x8,y8,z8</pre> |

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## Other compounds with this structure

NSe

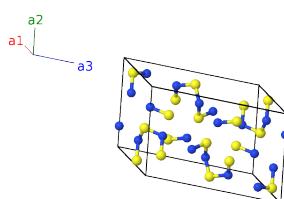
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- Realgar ( $\text{AsS}$ ,  $B_l$ ), Pararealgar ( $\text{AsS}$ ), NS, and NaGe all have the same AFLOW prototype label, AB\_mP32\_14\_4e\_4e. They are generated by the same symmetry operations with different sets of parameters (`--params`) specified in their corresponding CIF files.

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## Simple Monoclinic primitive vectors

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{a}_1 &= a \hat{\mathbf{x}} \\ \mathbf{a}_2 &= b \hat{\mathbf{y}} \\ \mathbf{a}_3 &= c \cos \beta \hat{\mathbf{x}} + c \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}\end{aligned}$$



## Basis vectors

|                       | Lattice<br>coordinates  | Cartesian<br>coordinates  | Wyckoff<br>position | Atom<br>type |
|-----------------------|---|---|---------------------|--------------|
| <b>B<sub>1</sub></b>  | = $x_1 \mathbf{a}_1 + y_1 \mathbf{a}_2 + z_1 \mathbf{a}_3$                                  | = $(ax_1 + cz_1 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_1 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_1 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$  | (4e)                | N I          |
| <b>B<sub>2</sub></b>  | = $-x_1 \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_1 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 - (z_1 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$ | = $-(ax_1 + c(z_1 - \frac{1}{2}) \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + b(y_1 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - c(z_1 - \frac{1}{2}) \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4e)                | N I          |
| <b>B<sub>3</sub></b>  | = $-x_1 \mathbf{a}_1 - y_1 \mathbf{a}_2 - z_1 \mathbf{a}_3$                                 | = $-(ax_1 + cz_1 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - by_1 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_1 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$   | (4e)                | N I          |
| <b>B<sub>4</sub></b>  | = $x_1 \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_1 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + (z_1 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$  | = $(ax_1 + c(z_1 + \frac{1}{2}) \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - b(y_1 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c(z_1 + \frac{1}{2}) \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$  | (4e)                | N I          |
| <b>B<sub>5</sub></b>  | = $x_2 \mathbf{a}_1 + y_2 \mathbf{a}_2 + z_2 \mathbf{a}_3$                                  | = $(ax_2 + cz_2 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_2 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_2 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$  | (4e)                | N II         |
| <b>B<sub>6</sub></b>  | = $-x_2 \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_2 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 - (z_2 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$ | = $-(ax_2 + c(z_2 - \frac{1}{2}) \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + b(y_2 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - c(z_2 - \frac{1}{2}) \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4e)                | N II         |
| <b>B<sub>7</sub></b>  | = $-x_2 \mathbf{a}_1 - y_2 \mathbf{a}_2 - z_2 \mathbf{a}_3$                                 | = $-(ax_2 + cz_2 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - by_2 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_2 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$   | (4e)                | N II         |
| <b>B<sub>8</sub></b>  | = $x_2 \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_2 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + (z_2 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$  | = $(ax_2 + c(z_2 + \frac{1}{2}) \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - b(y_2 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c(z_2 + \frac{1}{2}) \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$  | (4e)                | N II         |
| <b>B<sub>9</sub></b>  | = $x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 + y_3 \mathbf{a}_2 + z_3 \mathbf{a}_3$                                  | = $(ax_3 + cz_3 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_3 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_3 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$  | (4e)                | N III        |
| <b>B<sub>10</sub></b> | = $-x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_3 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 - (z_3 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$ | = $-(ax_3 + c(z_3 - \frac{1}{2}) \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + b(y_3 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - c(z_3 - \frac{1}{2}) \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4e)                | N III        |
| <b>B<sub>11</sub></b> | = $-x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 - y_3 \mathbf{a}_2 - z_3 \mathbf{a}_3$                                 | = $-(ax_3 + cz_3 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - by_3 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_3 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$   | (4e)                | N III        |
| <b>B<sub>12</sub></b> | = $x_3 \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_3 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + (z_3 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$  | = $(ax_3 + c(z_3 + \frac{1}{2}) \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - b(y_3 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c(z_3 + \frac{1}{2}) \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$  | (4e)                | N III        |
| <b>B<sub>13</sub></b> | = $x_4 \mathbf{a}_1 + y_4 \mathbf{a}_2 + z_4 \mathbf{a}_3$                                  | = $(ax_4 + cz_4 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_4 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_4 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$  | (4e)                | N IV         |
| <b>B<sub>14</sub></b> | = $-x_4 \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 - (z_4 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$ | = $-(ax_4 + c(z_4 - \frac{1}{2}) \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + b(y_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - c(z_4 - \frac{1}{2}) \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4e)                | N IV         |
| <b>B<sub>15</sub></b> | = $-x_4 \mathbf{a}_1 - y_4 \mathbf{a}_2 - z_4 \mathbf{a}_3$                                 | = $-(ax_4 + cz_4 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - by_4 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_4 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$   | (4e)                | N IV         |
| <b>B<sub>16</sub></b> | = $x_4 \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_4 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + (z_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$  | = $(ax_4 + c(z_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - b(y_4 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c(z_4 + \frac{1}{2}) \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$  | (4e)                | N IV         |
| <b>B<sub>17</sub></b> | = $x_5 \mathbf{a}_1 + y_5 \mathbf{a}_2 + z_5 \mathbf{a}_3$                                  | = $(ax_5 + cz_5 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_5 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$  | (4e)                | S I          |
| <b>B<sub>18</sub></b> | = $-x_5 \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_5 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 - (z_5 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$ | = $-(ax_5 + c(z_5 - \frac{1}{2}) \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + b(y_5 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - c(z_5 - \frac{1}{2}) \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4e)                | S I          |
| <b>B<sub>19</sub></b> | = $-x_5 \mathbf{a}_1 - y_5 \mathbf{a}_2 - z_5 \mathbf{a}_3$                                 | = $-(ax_5 + cz_5 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - by_5 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_5 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$   | (4e)                | S I          |
| <b>B<sub>20</sub></b> | = $x_5 \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_5 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + (z_5 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$  | = $(ax_5 + c(z_5 + \frac{1}{2}) \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - b(y_5 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c(z_5 + \frac{1}{2}) \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$  | (4e)                | S I          |
| <b>B<sub>21</sub></b> | = $x_6 \mathbf{a}_1 + y_6 \mathbf{a}_2 + z_6 \mathbf{a}_3$                                  | = $(ax_6 + cz_6 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_6 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_6 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$  | (4e)                | S II         |
| <b>B<sub>22</sub></b> | = $-x_6 \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_6 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 - (z_6 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$ | = $-(ax_6 + c(z_6 - \frac{1}{2}) \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + b(y_6 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - c(z_6 - \frac{1}{2}) \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4e)                | S II         |
| <b>B<sub>23</sub></b> | = $-x_6 \mathbf{a}_1 - y_6 \mathbf{a}_2 - z_6 \mathbf{a}_3$                                 | = $-(ax_6 + cz_6 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - by_6 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_6 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$   | (4e)                | S II         |
| <b>B<sub>24</sub></b> | = $x_6 \mathbf{a}_1 - (y_6 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 + (z_6 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$  | = $(ax_6 + c(z_6 + \frac{1}{2}) \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - b(y_6 - \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c(z_6 + \frac{1}{2}) \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$  | (4e)                | S II         |
| <b>B<sub>25</sub></b> | = $x_7 \mathbf{a}_1 + y_7 \mathbf{a}_2 + z_7 \mathbf{a}_3$                                  | = $(ax_7 + cz_7 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_7 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_7 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$  | (4e)                | S III        |
| <b>B<sub>26</sub></b> | = $-x_7 \mathbf{a}_1 + (y_7 + \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_2 - (z_7 - \frac{1}{2}) \mathbf{a}_3$ | = $-(ax_7 + c(z_7 - \frac{1}{2}) \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + b(y_7 + \frac{1}{2}) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - c(z_7 - \frac{1}{2}) \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ | (4e)                | S III        |
| <b>B<sub>27</sub></b> | = $-x_7 \mathbf{a}_1 - y_7 \mathbf{a}_2 - z_7 \mathbf{a}_3$                                 | = $-(ax_7 + cz_7 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - by_7 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_7 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}}$   | (4e)                | S III        |

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{B}_{28} &= x_7 \mathbf{a}_1 - \left(y_7 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_2 + \left(z_7 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_3 &= & \left(ax_7 + c \left(z_7 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \cos \beta\right) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - \\ &&& b \left(y_7 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c \left(z_7 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}} && (4e) && \text{S III} \\
\mathbf{B}_{29} &= x_8 \mathbf{a}_1 + y_8 \mathbf{a}_2 + z_8 \mathbf{a}_3 &= & (ax_8 + cz_8 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + by_8 \hat{\mathbf{y}} + cz_8 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}} && (4e) && \text{S IV} \\
\mathbf{B}_{30} &= -x_8 \mathbf{a}_1 + \left(y_8 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_2 - \\ &&& \left(z_8 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_3 &= & -\left(ax_8 + c \left(z_8 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \cos \beta\right) \hat{\mathbf{x}} + \\ &&& b \left(y_8 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{y}} - c \left(z_8 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}} && (4e) && \text{S IV} \\
\mathbf{B}_{31} &= -x_8 \mathbf{a}_1 - y_8 \mathbf{a}_2 - z_8 \mathbf{a}_3 &= & -(ax_8 + cz_8 \cos \beta) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - by_8 \hat{\mathbf{y}} - cz_8 \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}} && (4e) && \text{S IV} \\
\mathbf{B}_{32} &= x_8 \mathbf{a}_1 - \left(y_8 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_2 + \left(z_8 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \mathbf{a}_3 &= & \left(ax_8 + c \left(z_8 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \cos \beta\right) \hat{\mathbf{x}} - \\ &&& b \left(y_8 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \hat{\mathbf{y}} + c \left(z_8 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \sin \beta \hat{\mathbf{z}} && (4e) && \text{S IV}
\end{aligned}$$

## References

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