

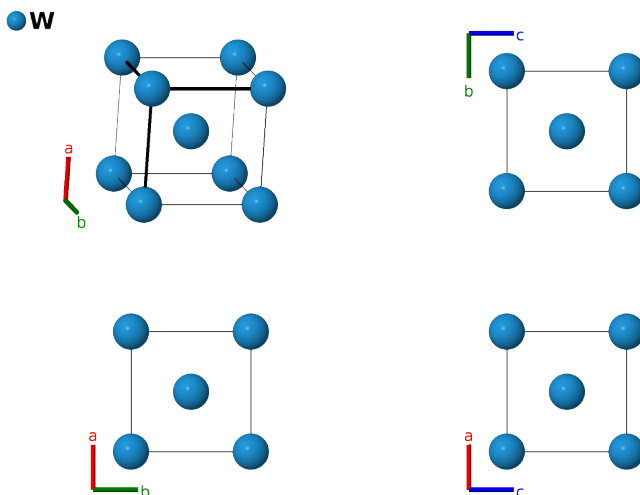
# Body-Centered Cubic (W, $A2$ , bcc) Structure: A\_cI2\_229\_a-001

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Prototype	W
AFLOW prototype label	A_cI2_229_a-001
<i>Strukturbericht</i> designation	$A2$
ICSD	52538
Pearson symbol	cI2
Space group number	229
Space group symbol	$Im\bar{3}m$
AFLOW prototype command	<code>aflow --proto=A_cI2_229_a-001 --params=a</code>

## Other compounds with this structure

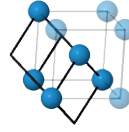
Li (RT), Na, K, V, Cr, Fe, Rb, Nb, Mo, Cs, Ba, Eu, Ta

- Although more accurate measurements of the lattice constant of tungsten are available, (Davey, 1925) is chosen because of the unique experimental technique. The ICSD entry is from the later work of (Hartmann, 1931).

## Body-centered Cubic primitive vectors

a<sub>3</sub>  
a<sub>2</sub>  
a<sub>1</sub>

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




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## Basis vectors

	Lattice coordinates		Cartesian coordinates	Wyckoff position	Atom type
$\mathbf{B}_1$	0	=	0	(2a)	W I

## References

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