

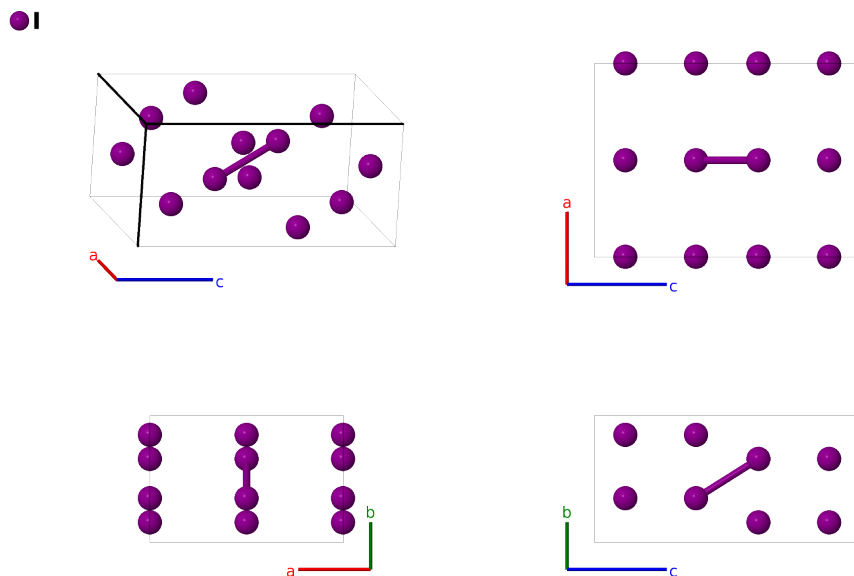
# Molecular Iodine (A14) Structure: A\_oC8\_64\_f-003

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Prototype	I
AFLOW prototype label	A_oC8_64_f-003
<i>Strukturbericht</i> designation	A14
ICSD	657497
Pearson symbol	oC8
Space group number	64
Space group symbol	<i>Cmce</i>
AFLOW prototype command	<code>aflow --proto=A_oC8_64_f-003 --params=a, b/a, c/a, y1, z1</code>

## Other compounds with this structure

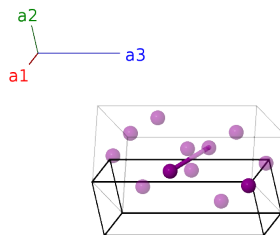
Br<sub>2</sub>, Cl<sub>2</sub>

- $\alpha$ -gallium (A11), molecular iodine (A14), and black phosphorous (A17) all share the same AFLOW label, A\_oC8\_64\_f. The structures are generated by the same symmetry operations with different sets of parameters (`--params`) specified in their corresponding CIF files.

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## Base-centered Orthorhombic primitive vectors

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




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## Basis vectors

	Lattice coordinates		Cartesian coordinates	Wyckoff position	Atom type
$\mathbf{B}_1$	$= -y_1 \mathbf{a}_1 + y_1 \mathbf{a}_2 + z_1 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$by_1 \hat{y} + cz_1 \hat{z}$	(8f)	I I
$\mathbf{B}_2$	$= \begin{pmatrix} y_1 + \frac{1}{2} \\ z_1 + \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{a}_1 - \begin{pmatrix} y_1 - \frac{1}{2} \\ z_1 + \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{a}_2 +$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2}a\hat{x} - by_1\hat{y} + c(z_1 + \frac{1}{2})\hat{z}$	(8f)	I I
$\mathbf{B}_3$	$= -\begin{pmatrix} y_1 - \frac{1}{2} \\ z_1 - \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{a}_1 + \begin{pmatrix} y_1 + \frac{1}{2} \\ z_1 - \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{a}_2 -$	$=$	$\frac{1}{2}a\hat{x} + by_1\hat{y} - c(z_1 - \frac{1}{2})\hat{z}$	(8f)	I I
$\mathbf{B}_4$	$= y_1 \mathbf{a}_1 - y_1 \mathbf{a}_2 - z_1 \mathbf{a}_3$	$=$	$-by_1\hat{y} - cz_1\hat{z}$	(8f)	I I

## References

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