

2-2008

## Dirubidium Digallium Oxide Bis(orthoborate)

Robert W. Smith

*University of Nebraska at Omaha*, [robertsmith@unomaha.edu](mailto:robertsmith@unomaha.edu)

Chunhua Hu

*University of Nebraska-Lincoln*

Christopher D. DeSpain

*University of Nebraska at Omaha*

Follow this and additional works at: <https://digitalcommons.unomaha.edu/chemfacpub>



Part of the Materials Chemistry Commons, and the Physical Chemistry Commons

Please take our feedback survey at: [https://unomaha.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_8cchtFmpDyGfBLE](https://unomaha.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_8cchtFmpDyGfBLE)

---

### Recommended Citation

Smith, Robert W.; Hu, Chunhua; and DeSpain, Christopher D., "Dirubidium Digallium Oxide Bis(orthoborate)" (2008). *Chemistry Faculty Publications*. 9.  
<https://digitalcommons.unomaha.edu/chemfacpub/9>

This Article is brought to you for free and open access by  
the Department of Chemistry at DigitalCommons@UNO.  
It has been accepted for inclusion in Chemistry Faculty  
Publications by an authorized administrator of  
DigitalCommons@UNO. For more information, please  
contact [unodigitalcommon@unomaha.edu](mailto:unodigitalcommon@unomaha.edu).

Footer logo

Acta Crystallographica Section E

**Structure Reports**

**Online**

ISSN 1600-5368

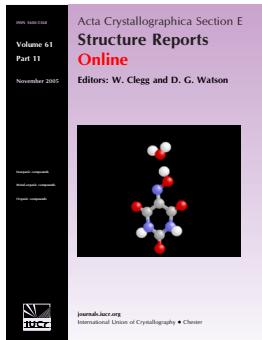
Editors: **W. Clegg and D. G. Watson**

## Dirubidium digallium oxide bis(orthoborate)

**Robert W. Smith, Chunhua Hu and Christopher D. DeSpain**

*Acta Cryst.* (2008). **E64**, i23

This article is distributed under the terms of the Creative Commons Attribution Licence  
<http://creativecommons.org/licenses/by/2.0/uk/legalcode>, which permits unrestricted use, distribution, and reproduction in any medium, provided the original authors and source are cited.



*Acta Crystallographica Section E: Structure Reports Online* is the IUCr's highly popular open-access structural journal. It provides a simple and easily accessible publication mechanism for the growing number of inorganic, metal-organic and organic crystal structure determinations. The electronic submission, validation, refereeing and publication facilities of the journal ensure very rapid and high-quality publication, whilst key indicators and validation reports provide measures of structural reliability. In 2007, the journal published over 5000 structures. The average publication time is less than one month.

**Crystallography Journals Online** is available from [journals.iucr.org](http://journals.iucr.org)

## Dirubidium digallium oxide bis(orthoborate)

Robert W. Smith,<sup>a\*</sup> Chunhua Hu<sup>b</sup> and Christopher D. DeSpain<sup>a</sup>

<sup>a</sup>Department of Chemistry, University of Nebraska at Omaha, Omaha, NE 68182-0109, USA, and <sup>b</sup>Nebraska Center for Materials and Nanoscience, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, NE 68588-0304, USA

Correspondence e-mail: robertsmith@mail.unomaha.edu

Received 8 February 2008; accepted 29 February 2008

Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study;  $T = 297$  K; mean  $\sigma(\text{O-B}) = 0.010 \text{ \AA}$ ;  $R$  factor = 0.037;  $wR$  factor = 0.091; data-to-parameter ratio = 13.3.

The title compound,  $\text{Rb}_2\text{Ga}_2\text{O}(\text{BO}_3)_2$ , is part of the homologous series  $A_2\text{Ga}_2\text{O}(\text{BO}_3)_2$  ( $A = \text{Na}, \text{K}, \text{Rb}$  and  $\text{Cs}$ ). The structure contains pairs of gallium-centered tetrahedra connected through a shared oxygen vertex. Orthoborate triangles connect the basal vertices of the tetrahedra, forming a three-dimensional network with voids occupied by rubidium ions.

### Related literature

For related literature, see: Chen *et al.* (2004); Corbel & Leblanc (2000); Smith (1995, 1997).

### Experimental

#### Crystal data

$\text{Rb}_2\text{Ga}_2\text{O}(\text{BO}_3)_2$	$V = 791.3 (3) \text{ \AA}^3$
$M_r = 444.00$	$Z = 4$
Monoclinic, $P2_1/c$	$\text{Mo K}\alpha$ radiation
$a = 8.8115 (18) \text{ \AA}$	$\mu = 19.03 \text{ mm}^{-1}$
$b = 7.7224 (16) \text{ \AA}$	$T = 297 (2) \text{ K}$
$c = 11.997 (3) \text{ \AA}$	$0.23 \times 0.21 \times 0.19 \text{ mm}$
$\beta = 104.246 (4)^\circ$	

#### Data collection

Bruker SMART APEX CCD diffractometer	8611 measured reflections
Absorption correction: numerical ( <i>SADABS</i> ; Sheldrick, 2003)	1568 independent reflections
$T_{\min} = 0.118$ , $T_{\max} = 0.429$	1151 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
	$R_{\text{int}} = 0.093$

#### Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.037$	118 parameters
$wR(F^2) = 0.091$	$\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 1.28 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$
$S = 1.05$	$\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.90 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$
1568 reflections	

**Table 1**  
Selected geometric parameters ( $\text{\AA}$ ,  $^\circ$ ).

Gal—O3 <sup>i</sup>	1.834 (5)	Gal2—O7	1.810 (5)
Gal—O4 <sup>ii</sup>	1.834 (5)	B1—O1	1.376 (10)
Gal—O6	1.831 (5)	B1—O2 <sup>v</sup>	1.370 (10)
Gal—O7 <sup>iii</sup>	1.790 (5)	B1—O3	1.358 (10)
Gal2—O1	1.840 (5)	B2—O4	1.366 (9)
Gal2—O2 <sup>iii</sup>	1.838 (5)	B2—O5	1.395 (9)
Gal2—O5 <sup>iv</sup>	1.832 (5)	B2—O6 <sup>iii</sup>	1.341 (10)
O7 <sup>iii</sup> —Gal1—O6	110.8 (2)	O7—Ga2—O1	112.5 (2)
O7 <sup>iii</sup> —Gal1—O4 <sup>ii</sup>	110.4 (2)	O5 <sup>iv</sup> —Ga2—O1	109.3 (2)
O6—Ga1—O4 <sup>ii</sup>	114.5 (2)	O2 <sup>iii</sup> —Ga2—O1	105.7 (2)
O7 <sup>iii</sup> —Gal1—O3 <sup>i</sup>	110.4 (2)	O3—B1—O2 <sup>v</sup>	119.4 (7)
O6—Ga1—O3 <sup>i</sup>	105.7 (2)	O3—B1—O1	117.8 (8)
O4 <sup>ii</sup> —Ga1—O3 <sup>i</sup>	104.8 (2)	O2 <sup>v</sup> —B1—O1	122.7 (7)
O7—Ga2—O5 <sup>iv</sup>	109.3 (2)	O6 <sup>iii</sup> —B2—O4	124.7 (7)
O7—Ga2—O2 <sup>iii</sup>	109.5 (2)	O6 <sup>iii</sup> —B2—O5	116.3 (7)
O5 <sup>iv</sup> —Ga2—O2 <sup>iii</sup>	110.6 (2)	O4—B2—O5	119.0 (7)

Symmetry codes: (i)  $x, -y + \frac{1}{2}, z - \frac{1}{2}$ ; (ii)  $x + 1, y, z$ ; (iii)  $-x + 1, -y, -z + 1$ ; (iv)  $x, -y + \frac{1}{2}, z + \frac{1}{2}$ ; (v)  $x, y, z + 1$ .

Data collection: *SMART* (Bruker, 2005); cell refinement: *SAINT-Plus* (Bruker, 2003); data reduction: *SAINT-Plus*; program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXTL* (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXTL*; molecular graphics: *DIAMOND* (Brandenburg & Putz, 2007); software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXTL*.

This work was supported by the Nebraska Research Initiative.

Supplementary data and figures for this paper are available from the IUCr electronic archives (Reference: MG2048).

### References

- Brandenburg, K. & Putz, H. (2007). *DIAMOND*. Crystal Impact, Bonn, Germany.
- Bruker (2003). *SAINT-Plus*. Bruker AXS Inc., Madison, Wisconsin, USA.
- Bruker (2005). *SMART*. Bruker AXS Inc., Madison, Wisconsin, USA.
- Chen, C., Lin, Z. & Wang, Z. (2004). *Appl. Phys.* **B80**, 1–25.
- Corbel, G. & Leblanc, M. (2000). *J. Solid State Chem.* **154**, 344–349.
- Sheldrick, G. M. (2003). *SADABS*. University of Göttingen, Germany.
- Sheldrick, G. M. (2008). *Acta Cryst. A* **64**, 112–122.
- Smith, R. W. (1995). *Acta Cryst. C* **51**, 547–549.
- Smith, R. W., Kennard, M. A. & Dudik, M. J. (1997). *Mater. Res. Bull.* **32**, 649–656.

## **supplementary materials**

*Acta Cryst.* (2008). E64, i23 [doi:10.1107/S1600536808005783]

### Dirubidium digallium oxide bis(orthoborate)

R. W. Smith, C. Hu and C. D. DeSpain

#### Comment

Complex metal borates adopt various structure types that result from the many possible geometric arrangements formed by metal-centered polyhedra and borate anions, which can be either three- or four-coordinate. They are also of interest as nonlinear optical materials, such as  $\beta\text{-BaB}_2\text{O}_4$ ,  $\text{LiB}_3\text{O}_5$ , and  $\text{YAl}_3(\text{BO}_3)_4$  (Chen *et al.*, 2004). For these reasons, we have examined the phase diagrams of alkali metal gallium borates and have determined the crystal structures of some of the materials discovered. The homologous series  $\text{A}_2\text{Ga}_2\text{O}(\text{BO}_3)_2$  ( $\text{A} = \text{Na}, \text{K}, \text{Rb}, \text{Cs}$ ) is a portion of the new compounds discovered to date. In each, pairs of gallium-centered tetrahedra are connected through a shared oxygen vertex, and the tetrahedral basal planes are connected through shared oxygen vertices with triangular orthoborate anions. Depending on the size of the alkali metal ions, which occupy channels or spaces within the three-dimensional network, the compounds crystallize in different space groups:  $P\bar{3}1c$  for the Na member (Corbel & Leblanc, 2000),  $P321$  for the K member (Smith *et al.*, 1997), and  $P2_1/c$  for the Cs member (Smith, 1995), which is isotopic with the Rb compound reported herein (Fig. 1).

#### Experimental

Powders of  $\text{Rb}_2\text{Ga}_2\text{O}(\text{BO}_3)_2$  were prepared from stoichiometric mixtures of  $\text{RbNO}_3$ ,  $\text{Ga}(\text{NO}_3)_3$ , and  $\text{H}_3\text{BO}_3$ , which were decomposed in alumina crucibles at  $300\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$  and then heated to  $500\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$  at  $50\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$  increments, with a soak of several hours at each temperature and intermediate grinding between each soak period. Crystals were grown in a platinum dish from a 1:1 molar mixture of the prepared powder in the presence of  $\text{Rb}_3\text{BO}_3$  flux. The mixture was heated to  $700\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$  and cooled at  $10\text{ }^\circ\text{C}/\text{hour}$  to room temperature, and a single-crystal was cut from the crystal mass for subsequent X-ray diffraction analysis.

#### Refinement

The highest peak and the deepest hole are located  $0.74\text{ \AA}$  and  $1.13\text{ \AA}$ , respectively, from Rb2.

#### Figures

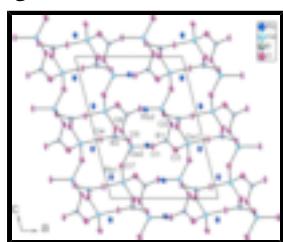


Fig. 1. View of the unit cell along the  $b$  axis. Displacement ellipsoids are drawn at the 50% probability level.

# supplementary materials

---

## dirubidium digallium oxide bis(orthoborate)

### Crystal data

Rb <sub>2</sub> Ga <sub>2</sub> O(BO <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	$F_{000} = 808$
$M_r = 444.00$	$D_x = 3.727 \text{ Mg m}^{-3}$
Monoclinic, $P2_1/c$	Mo $K\alpha$ radiation
Hall symbol: -P 2ybc	$\lambda = 0.71073 \text{ \AA}$
$a = 8.8115 (18) \text{ \AA}$	Cell parameters from 1660 reflections
$b = 7.7224 (16) \text{ \AA}$	$\theta = 3.7\text{--}25.7^\circ$
$c = 11.997 (3) \text{ \AA}$	$\mu = 19.03 \text{ mm}^{-1}$
$\beta = 104.246 (4)^\circ$	$T = 297 (2) \text{ K}$
$V = 791.3 (3) \text{ \AA}^3$	Block, colorless
$Z = 4$	$0.23 \times 0.21 \times 0.19 \text{ mm}$

### Data collection

Bruker SMART APEX CCD diffractometer	1568 independent reflections
Radiation source: fine-focus sealed tube	1151 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
Monochromator: graphite	$R_{\text{int}} = 0.093$
$T = 297(2) \text{ K}$	$\theta_{\text{max}} = 26.1^\circ$
$\omega$ scans	$\theta_{\text{min}} = 2.4^\circ$
Absorption correction: numerical (SADABS; Sheldrick, 2003)	$h = -10 \rightarrow 10$
$T_{\text{min}} = 0.118$ , $T_{\text{max}} = 0.429$	$k = -9 \rightarrow 9$
8611 measured reflections	$l = -14 \rightarrow 14$

### Refinement

Refinement on $F^2$	Primary atom site location: structure-invariant direct methods
Least-squares matrix: full	Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier map
$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.037$	$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0376P)^2]$
$wR(F^2) = 0.091$	where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
$S = 1.05$	$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\text{max}} < 0.001$
1568 reflections	$\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 1.28 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$
118 parameters	$\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.90 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$
	Extinction correction: none

### Special details

**Geometry.** All e.s.d.'s (except the e.s.d. in the dihedral angle between two l.s. planes) are estimated using the full covariance matrix. The cell e.s.d.'s are taken into account individually in the estimation of e.s.d.'s in distances, angles and torsion angles; correlations

between e.s.d.'s in cell parameters are only used when they are defined by crystal symmetry. An approximate (isotropic) treatment of cell e.s.d.'s is used for estimating e.s.d.'s involving l.s. planes.

**Refinement.** Refinement of  $F^2$  against ALL reflections. The weighted  $R$ -factor  $wR$  and goodness of fit  $S$  are based on  $F^2$ , conventional  $R$ -factors  $R$  are based on  $F$ , with  $F$  set to zero for negative  $F^2$ . The threshold expression of  $F^2 > 2\text{sigma}(F^2)$  is used only for calculating  $R$ -factors(gt) etc. and is not relevant to the choice of reflections for refinement.  $R$ -factors based on  $F^2$  are statistically about twice as large as those based on  $F$ , and R- factors based on ALL data will be even larger.

### *Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2$ )*

	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>	$U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$
Rb1	0.05407 (9)	0.12523 (11)	0.15061 (7)	0.0276 (2)
Rb2	0.53288 (9)	0.12728 (10)	0.62677 (7)	0.0265 (2)
Ga1	0.84630 (9)	0.12201 (10)	0.38547 (7)	0.0183 (2)
Ga2	0.31410 (9)	0.06933 (11)	0.86673 (8)	0.0191 (2)
B1	0.6554 (10)	0.0915 (10)	0.9123 (8)	0.0166 (19)
B2	0.1834 (10)	0.1269 (11)	0.4388 (8)	0.0181 (18)
O1	0.5159 (5)	0.0083 (6)	0.8667 (5)	0.0221 (13)
O2	0.7394 (6)	0.0677 (7)	0.0235 (4)	0.0249 (13)
O3	0.7155 (6)	0.1924 (7)	0.8410 (5)	0.0261 (13)
O4	0.0442 (5)	0.2139 (6)	0.4178 (5)	0.0247 (13)
O5	0.3091 (5)	0.2014 (6)	0.4049 (5)	0.0215 (12)
O6	0.7902 (6)	0.0280 (7)	0.5097 (5)	0.0286 (14)
O7	0.1781 (6)	0.0322 (7)	0.7290 (5)	0.0248 (12)

### *Atomic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2$ )*

	$U^{11}$	$U^{22}$	$U^{33}$	$U^{12}$	$U^{13}$	$U^{23}$
Rb1	0.0180 (4)	0.0338 (5)	0.0310 (5)	-0.0050 (3)	0.0063 (4)	-0.0004 (4)
Rb2	0.0225 (4)	0.0282 (4)	0.0260 (5)	0.0032 (3)	0.0008 (3)	-0.0024 (4)
Ga1	0.0125 (4)	0.0193 (4)	0.0237 (5)	0.0007 (3)	0.0055 (4)	0.0004 (4)
Ga2	0.0122 (4)	0.0203 (4)	0.0252 (5)	-0.0007 (3)	0.0052 (4)	0.0005 (4)
B1	0.017 (4)	0.011 (4)	0.026 (5)	0.003 (3)	0.014 (4)	0.000 (4)
B2	0.015 (4)	0.017 (4)	0.022 (5)	0.000 (3)	0.005 (4)	0.002 (4)
O1	0.008 (3)	0.022 (3)	0.037 (4)	-0.001 (2)	0.007 (2)	-0.005 (2)
O2	0.016 (3)	0.031 (3)	0.025 (3)	-0.008 (2)	0.002 (2)	0.010 (3)
O3	0.024 (3)	0.024 (3)	0.029 (3)	-0.012 (2)	0.004 (3)	0.000 (3)
O4	0.008 (3)	0.023 (3)	0.043 (4)	-0.006 (2)	0.008 (2)	0.001 (3)
O5	0.011 (3)	0.021 (3)	0.035 (3)	0.001 (2)	0.011 (2)	0.004 (2)
O6	0.029 (3)	0.024 (3)	0.040 (4)	0.004 (2)	0.023 (3)	0.010 (3)
O7	0.019 (3)	0.026 (3)	0.026 (3)	0.003 (2)	-0.001 (2)	-0.006 (3)

### *Geometric parameters ( $\text{\AA}$ , $^\circ$ )*

Rb1—O2 <sup>i</sup>	2.851 (5)	Ga2—O2 <sup>iv</sup>	1.838 (5)
Rb1—O7 <sup>ii</sup>	2.928 (5)	Ga2—O5 <sup>viii</sup>	1.832 (5)
Rb1—O7 <sup>iii</sup>	3.034 (5)	Ga2—O7	1.810 (5)
Rb1—O4 <sup>ii</sup>	3.039 (5)	Ga2—Rb1 <sup>iii</sup>	3.5346 (12)

## supplementary materials

---

Rb1—O3 <sup>iv</sup>	3.170 (5)	Ga2—Rb2 <sup>xiii</sup>	3.6641 (13)
Rb1—B1 <sup>iv</sup>	3.298 (8)	Ga2—Rb1 <sup>viii</sup>	3.8226 (12)
Rb1—O4	3.300 (6)	Ga2—Rb2 <sup>viii</sup>	3.9973 (13)
Rb1—O4 <sup>v</sup>	3.341 (5)	B1—O1	1.376 (10)
Rb1—B2	3.363 (9)	B1—O2 <sup>xiv</sup>	1.370 (10)
Rb1—O5	3.365 (5)	B1—O3	1.358 (10)
Rb1—O2 <sup>vi</sup>	3.430 (6)	B1—Rb1 <sup>iv</sup>	3.298 (8)
Rb1—Ga2 <sup>iii</sup>	3.5346 (12)	B1—Rb2 <sup>viii</sup>	3.724 (8)
Rb2—O3	2.722 (5)	B2—O4	1.366 (9)
Rb2—O5	2.953 (5)	B2—O5	1.395 (9)
Rb2—O5 <sup>iv</sup>	2.964 (5)	B2—O6 <sup>iv</sup>	1.341 (10)
Rb2—O1 <sup>vii</sup>	2.977 (5)	B2—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	3.419 (8)
Rb2—O6	3.045 (5)	B2—Rb1 <sup>viii</sup>	3.584 (9)
Rb2—O1	3.060 (5)	O1—Rb2 <sup>xiii</sup>	2.977 (5)
Rb2—O6 <sup>iv</sup>	3.151 (6)	O2—B1 <sup>xv</sup>	1.370 (10)
Rb2—B2	3.340 (9)	O2—Ga2 <sup>iv</sup>	1.838 (5)
Rb2—B1	3.340 (9)	O2—Rb1 <sup>ix</sup>	2.851 (5)
Rb2—O2 <sup>viii</sup>	3.392 (6)	O2—Rb2 <sup>ii</sup>	3.392 (6)
Rb2—B2 <sup>iv</sup>	3.419 (8)	O2—Rb1 <sup>vi</sup>	3.430 (6)
Rb2—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	3.5477 (17)	O3—Ga1 <sup>viii</sup>	1.834 (5)
Ga1—O3 <sup>ii</sup>	1.834 (5)	O3—Rb1 <sup>iv</sup>	3.170 (5)
Ga1—O4 <sup>ix</sup>	1.834 (5)	O4—Ga1 <sup>i</sup>	1.834 (5)
Ga1—O6	1.831 (5)	O4—Rb1 <sup>viii</sup>	3.039 (5)
Ga1—O7 <sup>iv</sup>	1.790 (5)	O4—Rb1 <sup>xvi</sup>	3.341 (5)
Ga1—Rb1 <sup>ix</sup>	3.7189 (13)	O5—Ga2 <sup>ii</sup>	1.832 (5)
Ga1—Rb1 <sup>x</sup>	3.7966 (13)	O5—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	2.964 (5)
Ga1—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	3.8275 (13)	O6—B2 <sup>iv</sup>	1.341 (10)
Ga1—Rb1 <sup>xi</sup>	3.9828 (14)	O6—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	3.151 (6)
Ga1—Rb1 <sup>xii</sup>	4.0307 (14)	O7—Ga1 <sup>iv</sup>	1.790 (5)
Ga1—Rb2 <sup>ii</sup>	4.0975 (12)	O7—Rb1 <sup>viii</sup>	2.928 (5)
Ga2—O1	1.840 (5)	O7—Rb1 <sup>iii</sup>	3.034 (5)
O2 <sup>i</sup> —Rb1—O7 <sup>ii</sup>	123.34 (15)	Rb1 <sup>x</sup> —Ga1—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	121.81 (3)
O2 <sup>i</sup> —Rb1—O7 <sup>iii</sup>	60.74 (14)	O7 <sup>iv</sup> —Ga1—Rb1 <sup>xi</sup>	42.60 (17)
O7 <sup>ii</sup> —Rb1—O7 <sup>iii</sup>	116.83 (11)	O6—Ga1—Rb1 <sup>xi</sup>	79.48 (16)
O2 <sup>i</sup> —Rb1—O4 <sup>ii</sup>	76.60 (14)	O4 <sup>ix</sup> —Ga1—Rb1 <sup>xi</sup>	99.91 (16)
O7 <sup>ii</sup> —Rb1—O4 <sup>ii</sup>	81.35 (14)	O3 <sup>ii</sup> —Ga1—Rb1 <sup>xi</sup>	149.37 (17)
O7 <sup>iii</sup> —Rb1—O4 <sup>ii</sup>	137.01 (13)	Rb1 <sup>ix</sup> —Ga1—Rb1 <sup>xi</sup>	76.19 (2)
O2 <sup>i</sup> —Rb1—O3 <sup>iv</sup>	115.30 (15)	Rb1 <sup>x</sup> —Ga1—Rb1 <sup>xi</sup>	120.83 (2)
O7 <sup>ii</sup> —Rb1—O3 <sup>iv</sup>	120.23 (13)	Rb2 <sup>iv</sup> —Ga1—Rb1 <sup>xi</sup>	74.04 (2)
O7 <sup>iii</sup> —Rb1—O3 <sup>iv</sup>	100.16 (13)	O7 <sup>iv</sup> —Ga1—Rb1 <sup>xii</sup>	123.18 (18)
O4 <sup>ii</sup> —Rb1—O3 <sup>iv</sup>	102.65 (13)	O6—Ga1—Rb1 <sup>xii</sup>	125.38 (17)

O2 <sup>i</sup> —Rb1—B1 <sup>iv</sup>	120.40 (19)	O4 <sup>ix</sup> —Ga1—Rb1 <sup>xii</sup>	55.16 (16)
O7 <sup>ii</sup> —Rb1—B1 <sup>iv</sup>	106.42 (17)	O3 <sup>ii</sup> —Ga1—Rb1 <sup>xii</sup>	49.70 (17)
O7 <sup>iii</sup> —Rb1—B1 <sup>iv</sup>	123.92 (17)	Rb1 <sup>ix</sup> —Ga1—Rb1 <sup>xii</sup>	75.60 (2)
O4 <sup>ii</sup> —Rb1—B1 <sup>iv</sup>	81.11 (18)	Rb1 <sup>x</sup> —Ga1—Rb1 <sup>xii</sup>	61.41 (3)
O3 <sup>iv</sup> —Rb1—B1 <sup>iv</sup>	24.13 (17)	Rb2 <sup>iv</sup> —Ga1—Rb1 <sup>xii</sup>	133.78 (3)
O2 <sup>i</sup> —Rb1—O4	107.29 (14)	Rb1 <sup>xi</sup> —Ga1—Rb1 <sup>xii</sup>	149.02 (3)
O7 <sup>ii</sup> —Rb1—O4	66.27 (13)	O7 <sup>iv</sup> —Ga1—Rb2 <sup>ii</sup>	78.58 (17)
O7 <sup>iii</sup> —Rb1—O4	55.84 (13)	O6—Ga1—Rb2 <sup>ii</sup>	122.49 (17)
O4 <sup>ii</sup> —Rb1—O4	143.75 (4)	O4 <sup>ix</sup> —Ga1—Rb2 <sup>ii</sup>	113.96 (17)
O3 <sup>iv</sup> —Rb1—O4	107.42 (13)	O3 <sup>ii</sup> —Ga1—Rb2 <sup>ii</sup>	32.03 (17)
B1 <sup>iv</sup> —Rb1—O4	122.35 (19)	Rb1 <sup>ix</sup> —Ga1—Rb2 <sup>ii</sup>	77.80 (3)
O2 <sup>i</sup> —Rb1—O4 <sup>v</sup>	63.98 (14)	Rb1 <sup>x</sup> —Ga1—Rb2 <sup>ii</sup>	119.20 (3)
O7 <sup>ii</sup> —Rb1—O4 <sup>v</sup>	172.59 (13)	Rb2 <sup>iv</sup> —Ga1—Rb2 <sup>ii</sup>	77.84 (2)
O7 <sup>iii</sup> —Rb1—O4 <sup>v</sup>	64.64 (13)	Rb1 <sup>xi</sup> —Ga1—Rb2 <sup>ii</sup>	119.89 (3)
O4 <sup>ii</sup> —Rb1—O4 <sup>v</sup>	102.47 (12)	Rb1 <sup>xii</sup> —Ga1—Rb2 <sup>ii</sup>	65.61 (2)
O3 <sup>iv</sup> —Rb1—O4 <sup>v</sup>	52.94 (12)	O7—Ga2—O5 <sup>viii</sup>	109.3 (2)
B1 <sup>iv</sup> —Rb1—O4 <sup>v</sup>	68.29 (16)	O7—Ga2—O2 <sup>iv</sup>	109.5 (2)
O4—Rb1—O4 <sup>v</sup>	111.63 (12)	O5 <sup>viii</sup> —Ga2—O2 <sup>iv</sup>	110.6 (2)
O2 <sup>i</sup> —Rb1—B2	126.09 (18)	O7—Ga2—O1	112.5 (2)
O7 <sup>ii</sup> —Rb1—B2	70.20 (18)	O5 <sup>viii</sup> —Ga2—O1	109.3 (2)
O7 <sup>iii</sup> —Rb1—B2	67.02 (17)	O2 <sup>iv</sup> —Ga2—O1	105.7 (2)
O4 <sup>ii</sup> —Rb1—B2	150.35 (17)	O7—Ga2—Rb1 <sup>iii</sup>	59.13 (17)
O3 <sup>iv</sup> —Rb1—B2	85.29 (17)	O5 <sup>viii</sup> —Ga2—Rb1 <sup>iii</sup>	110.32 (14)
B1 <sup>iv</sup> —Rb1—B2	98.7 (2)	O2 <sup>iv</sup> —Ga2—Rb1 <sup>iii</sup>	53.43 (16)
O4—Rb1—B2	23.63 (16)	O1—Ga2—Rb1 <sup>iii</sup>	139.84 (15)
O4 <sup>v</sup> —Rb1—B2	104.94 (17)	O7—Ga2—Rb2 <sup>xiii</sup>	91.67 (16)
O2 <sup>i</sup> —Rb1—O5	148.92 (14)	O5 <sup>viii</sup> —Ga2—Rb2 <sup>xiii</sup>	157.90 (16)
O7 <sup>ii</sup> —Rb1—O5	55.79 (13)	O2 <sup>iv</sup> —Ga2—Rb2 <sup>xiii</sup>	66.83 (17)
O7 <sup>iii</sup> —Rb1—O5	90.94 (13)	O1—Ga2—Rb2 <sup>xiii</sup>	53.89 (15)
O4 <sup>ii</sup> —Rb1—O5	128.56 (13)	Rb1 <sup>iii</sup> —Ga2—Rb2 <sup>xiii</sup>	86.15 (3)
O3 <sup>iv</sup> —Rb1—O5	80.03 (13)	O7—Ga2—Rb1 <sup>viii</sup>	47.68 (16)
B1 <sup>iv</sup> —Rb1—O5	85.03 (18)	O5 <sup>viii</sup> —Ga2—Rb1 <sup>viii</sup>	61.69 (16)
O4—Rb1—O5	41.80 (11)	O2 <sup>iv</sup> —Ga2—Rb1 <sup>viii</sup>	128.63 (16)
O4 <sup>v</sup> —Rb1—O5	117.62 (12)	O1—Ga2—Rb1 <sup>viii</sup>	125.18 (17)
B2—Rb1—O5	23.93 (16)	Rb1 <sup>iii</sup> —Ga2—Rb1 <sup>viii</sup>	80.45 (2)
O2 <sup>i</sup> —Rb1—O2 <sup>vi</sup>	101.45 (12)	Rb2 <sup>xiii</sup> —Ga2—Rb1 <sup>viii</sup>	138.19 (3)
O7 <sup>ii</sup> —Rb1—O2 <sup>vi</sup>	112.08 (14)	O7—Ga2—Rb2	71.19 (17)
O7 <sup>iii</sup> —Rb1—O2 <sup>vi</sup>	129.57 (13)	O5 <sup>viii</sup> —Ga2—Rb2	96.97 (15)
O4 <sup>ii</sup> —Rb1—O2 <sup>vi</sup>	61.13 (12)	O2 <sup>iv</sup> —Ga2—Rb2	149.64 (18)
O3 <sup>iv</sup> —Rb1—O2 <sup>vi</sup>	41.56 (13)	O1—Ga2—Rb2	50.97 (17)
B1 <sup>iv</sup> —Rb1—O2 <sup>vi</sup>	23.39 (18)	Rb1 <sup>iii</sup> —Ga2—Rb2	128.63 (3)

## supplementary materials

---

O4—Rb1—O2 <sup>vi</sup>	145.74 (12)	Rb2 <sup>xiii</sup> —Ga2—Rb2	82.84 (2)
O4 <sup>v</sup> —Rb1—O2 <sup>vi</sup>	65.28 (12)	Rb1 <sup>viii</sup> —Ga2—Rb2	75.46 (3)
B2—Rb1—O2 <sup>vi</sup>	122.11 (17)	O7—Ga2—Rb2 <sup>viii</sup>	152.81 (16)
O5—Rb1—O2 <sup>vi</sup>	106.98 (12)	O5 <sup>viii</sup> —Ga2—Rb2 <sup>viii</sup>	43.56 (16)
O2 <sup>i</sup> —Rb1—Ga2 <sup>iii</sup>	31.19 (10)	O2 <sup>iv</sup> —Ga2—Rb2 <sup>viii</sup>	86.43 (17)
O7 <sup>ii</sup> —Rb1—Ga2 <sup>iii</sup>	131.89 (11)	O1—Ga2—Rb2 <sup>viii</sup>	82.52 (16)
O7 <sup>iii</sup> —Rb1—Ga2 <sup>iii</sup>	30.80 (10)	Rb1 <sup>iii</sup> —Ga2—Rb2 <sup>viii</sup>	123.67 (3)
O4 <sup>ii</sup> —Rb1—Ga2 <sup>iii</sup>	107.55 (9)	Rb2 <sup>xiii</sup> —Ga2—Rb2 <sup>viii</sup>	115.16 (3)
O3 <sup>iv</sup> —Rb1—Ga2 <sup>iii</sup>	104.14 (9)	Rb1 <sup>viii</sup> —Ga2—Rb2 <sup>viii</sup>	105.14 (3)
B1 <sup>iv</sup> —Rb1—Ga2 <sup>iii</sup>	121.58 (14)	Rb2—Ga2—Rb2 <sup>viii</sup>	106.28 (3)
O4—Rb1—Ga2 <sup>iii</sup>	84.39 (8)	O3—B1—O2 <sup>xiv</sup>	119.4 (7)
O4 <sup>v</sup> —Rb1—Ga2 <sup>iii</sup>	53.33 (8)	O3—B1—O1	117.8 (8)
B2—Rb1—Ga2 <sup>iii</sup>	97.81 (14)	O2 <sup>xiv</sup> —B1—O1	122.7 (7)
O5—Rb1—Ga2 <sup>iii</sup>	121.74 (8)	O3—B1—Rb1 <sup>iv</sup>	72.7 (4)
O2 <sup>vi</sup> —Rb1—Ga2 <sup>iii</sup>	113.35 (9)	O2 <sup>xiv</sup> —B1—Rb1 <sup>iv</sup>	83.7 (4)
O3—Rb2—O5	157.47 (16)	O1—B1—Rb1 <sup>iv</sup>	109.9 (4)
O3—Rb2—O5 <sup>iv</sup>	95.27 (15)	O3—B1—Rb2	52.0 (4)
O5—Rb2—O5 <sup>iv</sup>	106.33 (12)	O2 <sup>xiv</sup> —B1—Rb2	166.2 (5)
O3—Rb2—O1 <sup>vii</sup>	81.27 (15)	O1—B1—Rb2	66.4 (4)
O5—Rb2—O1 <sup>vii</sup>	76.31 (14)	Rb1 <sup>iv</sup> —B1—Rb2	83.14 (19)
O5 <sup>iv</sup> —Rb2—O1 <sup>vii</sup>	157.67 (13)	O3—B1—Rb2 <sup>viii</sup>	109.0 (5)
O3—Rb2—O6	98.49 (16)	O2 <sup>xiv</sup> —B1—Rb2 <sup>viii</sup>	65.4 (4)
O5—Rb2—O6	92.34 (14)	O1—B1—Rb2 <sup>viii</sup>	99.5 (4)
O5 <sup>iv</sup> —Rb2—O6	45.46 (13)	Rb1 <sup>iv</sup> —B1—Rb2 <sup>viii</sup>	145.8 (3)
O1 <sup>vii</sup> —Rb2—O6	112.93 (14)	Rb2—B1—Rb2 <sup>viii</sup>	125.8 (2)
O3—Rb2—O1	47.31 (13)	O6 <sup>iv</sup> —B2—O4	124.7 (7)
O5—Rb2—O1	136.88 (12)	O6 <sup>iv</sup> —B2—O5	116.3 (7)
O5 <sup>iv</sup> —Rb2—O1	89.80 (13)	O4—B2—O5	119.0 (7)
O1 <sup>vii</sup> —Rb2—O1	103.37 (11)	O6 <sup>iv</sup> —B2—Rb2	70.3 (4)
O6—Rb2—O1	124.94 (13)	O4—B2—Rb2	139.5 (5)
O3—Rb2—O6 <sup>iv</sup>	144.03 (14)	O5—B2—Rb2	62.0 (4)
O5—Rb2—O6 <sup>iv</sup>	44.59 (13)	O6 <sup>iv</sup> —B2—Rb1	116.6 (5)
O5 <sup>iv</sup> —Rb2—O6 <sup>iv</sup>	90.03 (13)	O4—B2—Rb1	75.6 (4)
O1 <sup>vii</sup> —Rb2—O6 <sup>iv</sup>	105.77 (13)	O5—B2—Rb1	78.1 (4)
O6—Rb2—O6 <sup>iv</sup>	110.17 (11)	Rb2—B2—Rb1	135.8 (3)
O1—Rb2—O6 <sup>iv</sup>	97.31 (13)	O6 <sup>iv</sup> —B2—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	62.6 (4)
O3—Rb2—B2	150.50 (19)	O4—B2—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	156.1 (6)
O5—Rb2—B2	24.64 (17)	O5—B2—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	59.4 (4)
O5 <sup>iv</sup> —Rb2—B2	107.28 (18)	Rb2—B2—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	63.31 (15)
O1 <sup>vii</sup> —Rb2—B2	84.46 (17)	Rb1—B2—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	80.99 (19)
O6—Rb2—B2	110.85 (19)	O6 <sup>iv</sup> —B2—Rb1 <sup>viii</sup>	101.5 (5)

O1—Rb2—B2	112.62 (17)	O4—B2—Rb1 <sup>viii</sup>	56.0 (4)
O6 <sup>iv</sup> —Rb2—B2	23.61 (16)	O5—B2—Rb1 <sup>viii</sup>	113.6 (5)
O3—Rb2—B1	23.13 (17)	Rb2—B2—Rb1 <sup>viii</sup>	85.5 (2)
O5—Rb2—B1	156.39 (16)	Rb1—B2—Rb1 <sup>viii</sup>	130.1 (2)
O5 <sup>iv</sup> —Rb2—B1	90.97 (16)	Rb2 <sup>iv</sup> —B2—Rb1 <sup>viii</sup>	148.0 (3)
O1 <sup>vii</sup> —Rb2—B1	93.85 (17)	B1—O1—Ga2	130.5 (5)
O6—Rb2—B1	111.28 (17)	B1—O1—Rb2 <sup>xiii</sup>	124.9 (4)
O1—Rb2—B1	24.32 (16)	Ga2—O1—Rb2 <sup>xiii</sup>	96.17 (18)
O6 <sup>iv</sup> —Rb2—B1	121.60 (17)	B1—O1—Rb2	89.3 (4)
B2—Rb2—B1	134.8 (2)	Ga2—O1—Rb2	101.2 (2)
O3—Rb2—O2 <sup>viii</sup>	88.32 (14)	Rb2 <sup>xiii</sup> —O1—Rb2	111.24 (16)
O5—Rb2—O2 <sup>viii</sup>	80.53 (13)	B1 <sup>xv</sup> —O2—Ga2 <sup>iv</sup>	127.1 (5)
O5 <sup>iv</sup> —Rb2—O2 <sup>viii</sup>	103.70 (12)	B1 <sup>xv</sup> —O2—Rb1 <sup>ix</sup>	136.1 (4)
O1 <sup>vii</sup> —Rb2—O2 <sup>viii</sup>	54.35 (12)	Ga2 <sup>iv</sup> —O2—Rb1 <sup>ix</sup>	95.4 (2)
O6—Rb2—O2 <sup>viii</sup>	58.60 (12)	B1 <sup>xv</sup> —O2—Rb2 <sup>ii</sup>	93.0 (4)
O1—Rb2—O2 <sup>viii</sup>	134.98 (13)	Ga2 <sup>iv</sup> —O2—Rb2 <sup>ii</sup>	83.28 (19)
O6 <sup>iv</sup> —Rb2—O2 <sup>viii</sup>	124.89 (13)	Rb1 <sup>ix</sup> —O2—Rb2 <sup>ii</sup>	103.59 (16)
B2—Rb2—O2 <sup>viii</sup>	104.03 (17)	B1 <sup>xv</sup> —O2—Rb1 <sup>vi</sup>	72.9 (4)
B1—Rb2—O2 <sup>viii</sup>	111.40 (16)	Ga2 <sup>iv</sup> —O2—Rb1 <sup>vi</sup>	117.0 (2)
O3—Rb2—B2 <sup>iv</sup>	91.56 (19)	Rb1 <sup>ix</sup> —O2—Rb1 <sup>vi</sup>	78.55 (12)
O5—Rb2—B2 <sup>iv</sup>	105.54 (18)	Rb2 <sup>ii</sup> —O2—Rb1 <sup>vi</sup>	159.51 (17)
O5 <sup>iv</sup> —Rb2—B2 <sup>iv</sup>	23.90 (16)	B1—O3—Ga1 <sup>viii</sup>	125.4 (5)
O1 <sup>vii</sup> —Rb2—B2 <sup>iv</sup>	133.78 (17)	B1—O3—Rb2	104.9 (5)
O6—Rb2—B2 <sup>iv</sup>	23.01 (17)	Ga1 <sup>viii</sup> —O3—Rb2	127.0 (2)
O1—Rb2—B2 <sup>iv</sup>	104.57 (17)	B1—O3—Rb1 <sup>iv</sup>	83.2 (4)
O6 <sup>iv</sup> —Rb2—B2 <sup>iv</sup>	106.29 (17)	Ga1 <sup>viii</sup> —O3—Rb1 <sup>iv</sup>	104.1 (2)
B2—Rb2—B2 <sup>iv</sup>	116.69 (15)	Rb2—O3—Rb1 <sup>iv</sup>	96.45 (16)
B1—Rb2—B2 <sup>iv</sup>	96.8 (2)	B2—O4—Ga1 <sup>i</sup>	127.8 (5)
O2 <sup>viii</sup> —Rb2—B2 <sup>iv</sup>	80.00 (16)	B2—O4—Rb1 <sup>viii</sup>	102.1 (5)
O3—Rb2—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	147.74 (12)	Ga1 <sup>i</sup> —O4—Rb1 <sup>viii</sup>	99.4 (2)
O5—Rb2—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	53.31 (10)	B2—O4—Rb1	80.8 (4)
O5 <sup>iv</sup> —Rb2—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	53.02 (10)	Ga1 <sup>i</sup> —O4—Rb1	88.01 (19)
O1 <sup>vii</sup> —Rb2—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	125.17 (11)	Rb1 <sup>viii</sup> —O4—Rb1	167.46 (17)
O6—Rb2—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	56.49 (11)	B2—O4—Rb1 <sup>xvi</sup>	132.8 (4)
O1—Rb2—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	127.20 (10)	Ga1 <sup>i</sup> —O4—Rb1 <sup>xvi</sup>	98.07 (19)
O6 <sup>iv</sup> —Rb2—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	53.68 (10)	Rb1 <sup>viii</sup> —O4—Rb1 <sup>xvi</sup>	77.53 (12)
B2—Rb2—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	59.44 (15)	Rb1—O4—Rb1 <sup>xvi</sup>	91.48 (13)
B1—Rb2—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	140.98 (13)	B2—O5—Ga2 <sup>ii</sup>	122.8 (5)
O2 <sup>viii</sup> —Rb2—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	93.49 (9)	B2—O5—Rb2	93.4 (4)
B2 <sup>iv</sup> —Rb2—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	57.25 (15)	Ga2 <sup>ii</sup> —O5—Rb2	111.1 (2)
O7 <sup>iv</sup> —Ga1—O6	110.8 (2)	B2—O5—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	96.7 (4)

## supplementary materials

---

O7 <sup>iv</sup> —Ga1—O4 <sup>ix</sup>	110.4 (2)	Ga2 <sup>ii</sup> —O5—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	139.0 (2)
O6—Ga1—O4 <sup>ix</sup>	114.5 (2)	Rb2—O5—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	73.67 (11)
O7 <sup>iv</sup> —Ga1—O3 <sup>ii</sup>	110.4 (2)	B2—O5—Rb1	77.9 (4)
O6—Ga1—O3 <sup>ii</sup>	105.7 (2)	Ga2 <sup>ii</sup> —O5—Rb1	89.68 (19)
O4 <sup>ix</sup> —Ga1—O3 <sup>ii</sup>	104.8 (2)	Rb2—O5—Rb1	158.76 (17)
O7 <sup>iv</sup> —Ga1—Rb1 <sup>ix</sup>	53.98 (17)	Rb2 <sup>iv</sup> —O5—Rb1	87.95 (13)
O6—Ga1—Rb1 <sup>ix</sup>	154.26 (16)	B2 <sup>iv</sup> —O6—Ga1	132.7 (5)
O4 <sup>ix</sup> —Ga1—Rb1 <sup>ix</sup>	62.46 (17)	B2 <sup>iv</sup> —O6—Rb2	94.4 (4)
O3 <sup>ii</sup> —Ga1—Rb1 <sup>ix</sup>	99.52 (17)	Gal—O6—Rb2	131.0 (2)
O7 <sup>iv</sup> —Ga1—Rb1 <sup>x</sup>	157.95 (16)	B2 <sup>iv</sup> —O6—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	86.1 (4)
O6—Ga1—Rb1 <sup>x</sup>	72.13 (18)	Gal—O6—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	96.8 (2)
O4 <sup>ix</sup> —Ga1—Rb1 <sup>x</sup>	52.16 (17)	Rb2—O6—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	69.83 (11)
O3 <sup>ii</sup> —Ga1—Rb1 <sup>x</sup>	88.92 (17)	Gal <sup>iv</sup> —O7—Ga2	137.2 (3)
Rb1 <sup>ix</sup> —Ga1—Rb1 <sup>x</sup>	113.93 (3)	Gal <sup>iv</sup> —O7—Rb1 <sup>viii</sup>	113.0 (2)
O7 <sup>iv</sup> —Ga1—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	72.36 (17)	Ga2—O7—Rb1 <sup>viii</sup>	105.1 (2)
O6—Ga1—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	54.84 (18)	Gal <sup>iv</sup> —O7—Rb1 <sup>iii</sup>	97.5 (2)
O4 <sup>ix</sup> —Ga1—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	168.11 (17)	Ga2—O7—Rb1 <sup>iii</sup>	90.1 (2)
O3 <sup>ii</sup> —Ga1—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	84.37 (17)	Rb1 <sup>viii</sup> —O7—Rb1 <sup>iii</sup>	105.83 (16)
Rb1 <sup>ix</sup> —Ga1—Rb2 <sup>iv</sup>	124.20 (3)		

Symmetry codes: (i)  $x-1, y, z$ ; (ii)  $x, -y+1/2, z-1/2$ ; (iii)  $-x, -y, -z+1$ ; (iv)  $-x+1, -y, -z+1$ ; (v)  $-x, y-1/2, -z+1/2$ ; (vi)  $-x+1, -y, -z$ ; (vii)  $-x+1, y+1/2, -z+3/2$ ; (viii)  $x, -y+1/2, z+1/2$ ; (ix)  $x+1, y, z$ ; (x)  $x+1, -y+1/2, z+1/2$ ; (xi)  $-x+1, y-1/2, -z+1/2$ ; (xii)  $-x+1, y+1/2, -z+1/2$ ; (xiii)  $-x+1, y-1/2, -z+3/2$ ; (xiv)  $x, y, z+1$ ; (xv)  $x, y, z-1$ ; (xvi)  $-x, y+1/2, -z+1/2$ .

Fig. 1

