

Sr<sub>9</sub>Mg<sub>38</sub>*hP94*(194) *P6<sub>3</sub>/mmc* – k<sup>5</sup>h<sup>2</sup>gf<sup>3</sup>e**Sr<sub>9</sub>Mg<sub>38</sub>** [1]Structural features: Sr<sub>6</sub> octahedral clusters and Sr<sub>3</sub> trigonal clusters in a matrix of Mg atoms.

Merlo F., Fornasini M.L. (1982) [1]

Mg<sub>38</sub>Sr<sub>9</sub> $a = 1.0500$ ,  $c = 2.8251$  nm,  $c/a = 2.691$ ,  $V = 2.6974$  nm<sup>3</sup>,  $Z = 2$ 

site	Wyck.	sym.	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>	occ.	atomic environment
Sr1	12 <i>k</i>	. <i>m</i> .	0.1362	0.2724	0.5621		7-capped pentagonal prism Mg <sub>13</sub> Sr <sub>4</sub>
Mg2	12 <i>k</i>	. <i>m</i> .	0.1674	0.3348	0.1533		icosahedron Mg <sub>8</sub> Sr <sub>4</sub>
Mg3	12 <i>k</i>	. <i>m</i> .	0.1743	0.3486	0.6898		icosahedron Mg <sub>9</sub> Sr <sub>3</sub>
Mg4	12 <i>k</i>	. <i>m</i> .	0.2337	0.4674	0.0547		icosahedron Mg <sub>9</sub> Sr <sub>3</sub>
Mg5	12 <i>k</i>	. <i>m</i> .	0.5037	0.0074	0.1170		pseudo Frank-Kasper Mg <sub>10</sub> Sr <sub>3</sub>
Mg6	6 <i>h</i>	<i>mm</i> 2	0.0989	0.1978	<sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>		icosahedron Mg <sub>10</sub> Sr <sub>2</sub>
Sr7	6 <i>h</i>	<i>mm</i> 2	0.4688	0.9376	<sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>		pseudo Frank-Kasper Mg <sub>16</sub> Sr <sub>2</sub>
Mg8	6 <i>g</i>	.2/ <i>m</i> .	<sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	0	0		icosahedron Mg <sub>8</sub> Sr <sub>4</sub>
Mg9	4 <i>f</i>	3 <i>m</i> .	<sup>1</sup> / <sub>3</sub>	<sup>2</sup> / <sub>3</sub>	0.1465		icosahedron Mg <sub>9</sub> Sr <sub>3</sub>
Mg10	4 <i>f</i>	3 <i>m</i> .	<sup>1</sup> / <sub>3</sub>	<sup>2</sup> / <sub>3</sub>	0.5378		pseudo Frank-Kasper Mg <sub>10</sub> Sr <sub>3</sub>
Mg11	4 <i>f</i>	3 <i>m</i> .	<sup>1</sup> / <sub>3</sub>	<sup>2</sup> / <sub>3</sub>	0.6426		7-vertex polyhedron Mg <sub>7</sub>
Mg12	4 <i>e</i>	3 <i>m</i> .	0	0	0.1575		icosahedron Mg <sub>9</sub> Sr <sub>3</sub>

Transformation from published data: origin shift 0 0 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>

Experimental: single crystal, diffractometer, X-rays, R = 0.061

Remarks: Supersedes a structure proposal in [2] where site Mg8 was not detected (SrMg<sub>4</sub>). In [2] the *x*-coordinate of former Sr(h) is misprinted as -0.478 instead of 0.0478 and the *z*-coordinate of former Mg(f2) as 0.1427 instead of -0.1427 (see [1] and [3]).

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