

$\text{Tl}_{0.36}\text{V}_3(\text{P}_{0.78}\text{Se}_{0.22})\text{Se}_3$ $hP16$ $(176) P6_3/m - h^2da$ $\text{Tl}_{0.72}\text{V}_6\text{Se}_{6.45}\text{P}_{1.55}$ [1]; $\text{Tl}_{0.77}\text{V}_6\text{S}_{6.9}\text{P}_{1.1}$ [2]

Structural features: Units of three face-linked $\text{V}[(\text{P},\text{Se})_2\text{Se}_4]$ octahedra share edges to form a 3D-framework; Tl in channels of hexagonal cross-section parallel to [001] (partial disorder with maximum probability for trigonal coordination). Ordering variant of $\text{rt-Tl}_{0.78}\text{V}_6\text{S}_8$.

Bensch W. et al. (1992) [1]

 $\text{P}_{0.77}\text{Se}_{3.22}\text{Tl}_{0.36}\text{V}_3$ $a = 0.9505$, $c = 0.3413$ nm, $c/a = 0.359$, $V = 0.2670$ nm³, $Z = 2$

site	Wyck.	sym.	x	y	z	occ.	atomic environment
V1	6h	$m..$	0.1327	0.4986	$1/4$		octahedron P_2Se_4
Se2	6h	$m..$	0.2957	0.3422	$1/4$		4-vertex polyhedron V_4
M3	2d	$-6..$	$2/3$	$1/3$	$1/4$		trigonal prism V_6
Tl4	2a	$-6..$	0	0	$1/4$	0.36	colinear Tl_2

 $\text{M3} = 0.775\text{P} + 0.225\text{Se}$ Experimental: single crystal, diffractometer, X-rays, $wR = 0.018$, $T = 295$ K

Remarks: We derived approximate values for the refinable atom coordinates from interatomic distances. The authors state that Tl is delocalized along [001] with maximum probability in Wyckoff position 2a. Short interatomic distances for partly occupied site(s).

References: [1] Bensch W., Koy J., Biberacher W. (1992), Solid State Commun. 82, 851-855. [2] Bensch W., Koy J., Biberacher W. (1994), Eur. J. Solid State Inorg. Chem. 31, 371-379.