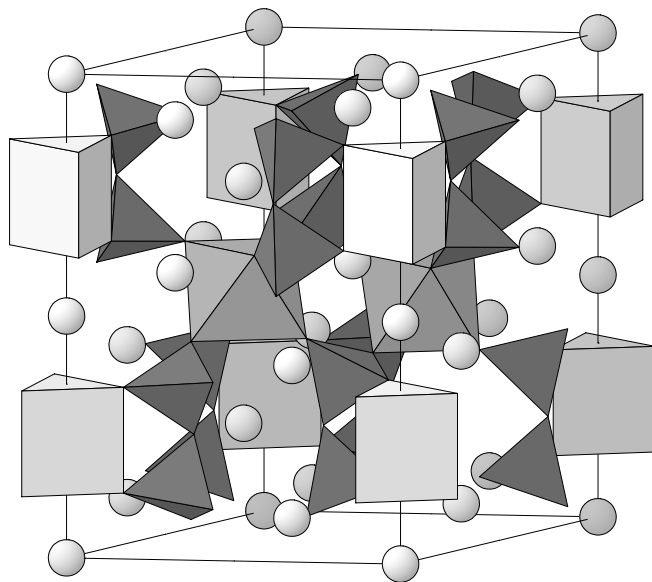


Na₃LuSi₂O₇ [1]

Structural features: Units of two vertex-linked SiO₄ tetrahedra, LuO₆ octahedra and LuO₆ trigonal prisms share vertices to form a 3D-framework. See Fig. IV.81.

Fig. IV.81. **Na₃LuSi₂O₇**

Arrangement of LuO₆ octahedra (medium), LuO₆ trigonal prisms (light), SiO₄ tetrahedra (dark) and Na atoms.

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LuNa₃O₇Si₂

$a = 0.9385$, $c = 1.3716$ nm, $c/a = 1.461$, $V = 1.0462$ nm³, $Z = 6$

site	Wyck.	sym.	x	y	z	occ.	atomic environment
O1	12i	1	0.0441	0.1967	0.1407		single atom Si
O2	12i	1	0.1266	0.513	0.1187		single atom Si
Na3	12i	1	0.3169	0.3308	0.0921		tetrahedron O ₄
Si4	12i	1	0.3468	0.0181	0.1412		tetrahedron O ₄
O5	12i	1	0.4427	0.171	0.066		single atom Si
O6	6h	$m..$	0.4218	0.0996	$\frac{1}{4}$		non-collinear Si ₂
Lu7	4f	3..	$\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{2}{3}$	0.0182		octahedron O ₆
Na8	2d	-6..	$\frac{2}{3}$	$\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{1}{4}$		coplanar triangle O ₃
Na9	2c	-6..	$\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{2}{3}$	$\frac{1}{4}$		trigonal prism O ₆
Na10	2b	-3..	0	0	0		octahedron O ₆
Lu11	2a	-6..	0	0	$\frac{1}{4}$		trigonal prism O ₆

Transformation from published data: $y, x, -z$

Experimental: twinned crystal, diffractometer, X-rays, $R = 0.031$

Remarks: Space groups (11) $P2_1/m$, (20) $C222_1$ and (63) $Cmcm$ were tested and rejected.

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