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## REPRESENTATIONS OF SPACE GROUPS

## DATABASES AND TOOLS OF THE BILBAO CRYSTALLOGRAPHIC SERVER

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## SPACE GROUPS

**Crystal pattern:** infinite, idealized crystal structure (without disorder, dislocations, impurities, etc.)

Space group G: The set of all symmetry operations (isometries) of a crystal pattern

Translation subgroup  $T_G \triangleleft G$ : The infinite set of all translations that are symmetry operations of the crystal pattern

Point group of the space groups P<sub>G</sub>:

The factor group of the space group G with respect to the translation subgroup T:  $P_G \cong G/H$ 

# SPACE-GROUP REPRESENTATIONS

Irreducible representations of a group induced from the irreps of one of its normal subgroups

Method: Consider a group G and its normal subgroup  $H \triangleleft G$  with its all irreps

I. Construct all irreps of H

2. Distribute the irreps of H into orbits under G and select a representative

3. Determine the little group for each representative

4. Find the small (allowed) irreps of the little group

5. Construct the irreps of G by induction from the the small (allowed) irreps of the little group

Step I. TRANSLATION SUBGROUP IRREPS T<sub>G</sub> G

Born-von Karman boundary condition  $(\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{t}_i)^{N_i} = (\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{N}_i) = (\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{o})$ 

$$(\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{N} \mathbf{t}); \quad \mathbf{N} \mathbf{t} = (N_1 t_1, N_2 t_2, N_3 t_3)$$



## Irreps of Translation group

Finite Abelian groups { cyclic groups direct product of cyclic groups  $\begin{array}{ccc} A & B \\ \{a, a^2, ..., a^s\} & \{b, b^2, ..., b^r\} & A \otimes B \\ & \{(a^m, b^n)\} \atop{n=1, ..., s}; \\ & & \\ \end{array}$  $D^{p}(a^{m}) \otimes D^{q}(b^{n})$  $D_{P}(a^{m}), p=0, I, ..., s-1 \quad D_{q}(b^{n}), q=0, I, ..., r-1$  $exp(-i2\pi m)\frac{p}{s} \quad exp(-i2\pi n)\frac{q}{r}$  $\mathsf{D}_{\mathsf{P},\mathsf{q}}(\mathbf{a}^{\mathsf{m}},\mathbf{b}^{\mathsf{n}}) = exp(-i2\pi m)\frac{p}{s} exp(-i2\pi n)\frac{q}{r}$ p=0,1,...,s-1 q=0,1,...,r-1

Translational subgroup:T

number of irreps:

 $p=0,1,...,N_1-1$   $q=0,1,...,N_2-1$   $r=0,1,...,N_3-1$ 

dim  $D^{p,q,r}(t_1^k, t_2^l, t_3^m) = l$ 

IRREPS of Translational group  
reciprocal space
$$L: a_{1}, a_{2}, a_{3} \xrightarrow{a_{i}, a^{*}_{j} = 2\pi \delta_{ij}} L^{*}: a^{*}_{1}, a^{*}_{2}, a^{*}_{3}$$

$$K = (h_{1}, h_{2}, h_{3}) \begin{vmatrix} a^{*}_{1} \\ a^{*}_{2} \\ a^{*}_{3} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\Gamma^{(q_{1} q_{2} q_{3})}[(\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{t})] = e^{-2\pi i (q_{1} \frac{t_{1}}{N_{1}} + q_{2} \frac{t_{2}}{N_{2}} + q_{3} \frac{t_{3}}{N_{3}})}$$

$$k_{i} = q_{i}/N_{i}$$

$$\Gamma^{(q_{1} q_{2} q_{3})}[(\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{t})] = \Gamma^{k}[(\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{t})] = \exp{-i(\mathbf{k} \mathbf{t})}$$

## ITA conventions:

$$(\mathbf{k} \ \mathbf{t}) = (\mathbf{k}_1, \mathbf{k}_2, \mathbf{k}_3) \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{a}^* \\ \mathbf{$$

## **IRREPS of Translational group**

unit cell of reciprocal space (fundamental region)

k'=k+K,  $K=h_1a_1*+h_2a_2*+h_3a_3*$ ,  $K \in L^*$ 

$$\Gamma^{k'}=\exp(-i(\mathbf{k}+\mathbf{K})\mathbf{t})=\exp(-i(\mathbf{k}\cdot\mathbf{t})=\Gamma^{k}$$

first Brillouin zone (Wigner-Seitz cell)

 $|\mathbf{k}| \leq |\mathbf{K} \cdot \mathbf{k}|, \forall \mathbf{K} \in L^*$ 

crystallographic unit cell

0≤|**k**|<|

first Brillouin zone (Wigner-Seitz cell)

 $|\mathbf{k}| \leq |\mathbf{K} \cdot \mathbf{k}|, \forall \mathbf{K} \in L^*$ 



Wigner-Seitz construction for bcc lattice



# Classification of the irreps of the Translation subgroup.

## orbits of irreps of T (under the action of G)

$$\begin{split} &\Gamma^{k'}(\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{t}) = \Gamma^{k} \left( (\mathcal{W}, w)^{-1}(\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{t})(\mathcal{W}, w) \right), (\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{t}) \in \mathsf{T}, \ (\mathcal{W}, w) \in \mathsf{G} \\ &\Gamma^{k'}(\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{t}) = \Gamma^{k} \left( \mathbf{I}, \mathcal{W}^{-1} \mathbf{t} \right) = \exp^{-i}(\mathbf{k} . (\mathcal{W}^{-1} \mathbf{t})) = \exp^{-i}((\mathbf{k} \mathcal{W}^{-1}) . \mathbf{t}) \\ &\Gamma^{k'} \sim \Gamma^{k'} \mathbf{k'} = \mathbf{k} \mathcal{W} + \mathbf{k'} \end{split}$$

$$O(\Gamma^{k}) = \{\Gamma^{k}, \Gamma^{k'}, \dots, |\mathbf{k}' = \mathbf{k} W + \mathbf{K}, W \in \overline{G}\}$$

little co-group of **k**: G<sup>k</sup>

special and general

 $\overline{G}^k = \{I\} \quad \overline{G}^k > \{I\}$ 

Orbits of irreps of the Translation subgroup. orbit of k  $O(\Gamma^{k})=\{\Gamma^{k},\Gamma^{k'},...,|\mathbf{k}'=\mathbf{k}\cdot \mathbf{W}+\mathbf{K},\mathbf{W}\in G\}$ star of k: k\*  $\overline{G}^{k} < \overline{G}$   $\overline{G}^{k} = \overline{G}^{k}+W_{2}\cdot\overline{G}^{k}+...+W_{m}\cdot\overline{G}^{k}$ 

representation domain

exactly one **k**-vector from each star (one irrep from each orbit of irreps of T)



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Little-group irreps (Allowed irreps of the little group)

Step 4. Allowed irreps of G<sup>k</sup>

- 1.  ${\bf k}$  is a vector of the interior of the BZ OR
- 2.  $\mathcal{G}^{\mathbf{k}}$  is a symmorphic space group.



allowed irreps 
$$\mathbf{D}^{\mathbf{k},i}$$
:  
 $\mathbf{D}^{\mathbf{k},i}(\mathbf{W},\mathbf{w}) = \exp(-(i\mathbf{k}\mathbf{w})\overline{\mathbf{D}}^{\mathbf{k},i}(\mathbf{W})$   
Here  $\overline{\mathbf{D}}^{\mathbf{k},i}$  is an irrep of  $\overline{\mathcal{G}}^{\mathbf{k}}$ .

## Little-group irreps (Allowed irreps of the little group)



- k is a vector on the surface of the BZ AND
- 2.  $\mathcal{G}^{\mathbf{k}}$  is a nonsymmorphic space group.

allowed irreps  $D^{k,i}$ :

$$\mathbf{D}^{\mathbf{k},i}(\widetilde{\mathbf{W}}_i,\widetilde{\mathbf{w}}_i) = \exp(-(i\mathbf{k}\mathbf{w}_i)\overline{\mathbf{D}}^{\mathbf{k},i}(\widetilde{\mathbf{W}}_i))$$

$$\overline{\mathbf{D}}^{k,i}$$
projective (ray) irreps of  $\,\overline{\mathcal{G}}^k$ 



Construction of the irreps of the space group G by induction from the the small (allowed) irreps of the little group  $G^{k}$ 

(a) Decomposition of  $\mathcal G$  relative to  $\mathcal G^{\mathbf{k}}$ 

 $\mathcal{G} = \mathcal{G}^{\mathbf{k}} \cup (\overline{W}_2, \overline{w}_2) \, \mathcal{G}^{\mathbf{k}} \cup \dots \, (\overline{W}_s, \overline{w}_s) \, \mathcal{G}^{\mathbf{k}}$ 

b) Construction of the induction matrix

The elements of the little group  $\mathcal{G}^{k}$  and the coset representatives  $\{q_{1},q_{2},...,q_{s}\}$  of G relative to  $\mathcal{G}^{k}$  are necessary for the construction of the induction matrix

$$\mathsf{M}(\mathsf{W},\mathsf{w})_{ij} = \begin{cases} \mathsf{I} \text{ if } \mathsf{q}_i^{-\mathsf{I}}(\mathsf{W},\mathsf{w})\mathsf{q}_j \in \mathcal{G}^{\mathsf{k}} \\ \mathsf{0} \text{ if } \mathsf{q}_i^{-\mathsf{I}}(\mathsf{W},\mathsf{w})\mathsf{q}_j \notin \mathcal{G}^{\mathsf{k}} \end{cases}$$

0		0	0
0	0		0
I	0	0	0
0	0	0	Ι

dim  $M=s \times s$ 

monomial matrix

<b>C)</b>	Matri	ces of th	ie irreps	$\mathbf{D}^{\star \mathbf{k},m}$	of $\mathcal{G}$ :				
	$\mathbf{D}^{\star \mathbf{k},n}$	$n(\boldsymbol{W}_l, \boldsymbol{v}_l)$	$(v_l)_{i\mu,j u}$ :	= M(W)	$(l_l, \boldsymbol{w}_l)_{ij}$	$D^{\mathbf{k},m}(\widetilde{oldsymbol{W}}_p,\widetilde{oldsymbol{w}})$	$\widetilde{\boldsymbol{w}}_p)_{\mu u},$		
where $(\widetilde{\boldsymbol{W}}_p, \ \widetilde{\boldsymbol{w}}_p) = q_i^{-1} ( \boldsymbol{W}_l,  \boldsymbol{w}_l)  q_j.$									
		0		0	0				
		0	0	· · ·	0		1		
			0	0	0				
		0	0	0					

All irreps of the space group  $\mathcal{G}$  for a given **k** vector are obtained considering all allowed irreps of the little group  $\mathcal{G}^{\mathbf{k}}$  $\mathbf{D}^{\mathbf{k},m}$  obtained in step 3. Consider the k-vectors  $\Gamma(000)$  and X (0½0) of the group *P4mm* 

- (i) Determine the little groups, the k-vector stars,
   the number and the dimensions of the little-group irreps,
   the number and the dimensions of the corresponding irreps
   of the group *P4mm*
- (ii) Calculate a set of coset representatives of the decomposition of the group *P4mm* with respect to the little group of the k-vectors Γ(000) and X, and construct the corresponding full space group irreps of *P4mm*

International Tables for Crystallography (2006). Vol. A, Space group 99, pp. 382–383.



#### Origin on 4mm

**Asymmetric unit**  $0 \le x \le \frac{1}{2}$ ;  $0 \le y \le \frac{1}{2}$ ;  $0 \le z \le 1$ ;  $x \le y$ 

#### Symmetry operations

(1) 1	(2) 2 0,0,z	(3) $4^+$ 0,0,z	(4) $4^{-}$ 0, 0, z
(5) $m x, 0, z$	(6) $m = 0, y, z$	(7) $m x, \bar{x}, z$	(8) $m = x, x, z$

#### General position

(1) $x, y, z$	(2) $\bar{x}, \bar{y}, z$	(3) $\bar{y}, x, z$	(4) $y, \bar{x}, z$
(5) $x, \bar{y}, z$	(6) $\bar{x}, y, z$	(7) $\bar{y}, \bar{x}, z$	(8) $y, x, z$



Consider the k-vectors  $\Gamma(000)$  and X (0½0) of the group *P4bm* 

- (i) Determine the little groups, the k-vector stars,
  the number and the dimensions of the little-group irreps,
  the number and the dimensions of the corresponding irreps
  of the group *P4bm*
- (ii) Calculate a set of coset representatives of the decomposition of the group *P4bm* with respect to the little group of the k-vectors Γ(000) and X, and construct the corresponding full space group irreps of *P4bm*



Origin on 41g

**Asymmetric unit**  $0 \le x \le \frac{1}{2}; \quad 0 \le y \le \frac{1}{2}; \quad 0 \le z \le 1; \quad y \le \frac{1}{2} - x$ 

Symmetry operations

(1) 1 (2) 2 0,0,z (3)  $4^+$  0,0,z (4)  $4^-$  0,0,z (5)  $a x, \frac{1}{4}, z$  (6)  $b \frac{1}{4}, y, z$  (7)  $m x + \frac{1}{2}, \overline{x}, z$  (8)  $g(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, 0) x, x, z$ 

### General position

(1) x, y, z(2)  $\bar{x}, \bar{y}, z$ (3)  $\bar{y}, x, z$ (4)  $y, \bar{x}, z$ (5)  $x + \frac{1}{2}, \bar{y} + \frac{1}{2}, z$ (6)  $\bar{x} + \frac{1}{2}, y + \frac{1}{2}, z$ (7)  $\bar{y} + \frac{1}{2}, \bar{x} + \frac{1}{2}, z$ (8)  $y + \frac{1}{2}, x + \frac{1}{2}, z$ 

#### 5.5 Crystal class 4mm

#### 5.5.1 Arithmetic crystal class 4mmP

Fig. 5.5.1.1 Diagram for arithmetic crystal class 4mmP $P4mm - C_{4v}^1$  (99) to  $P4_2bc - C_{4v}^8$  (106) Reciprocal-space group  $(P4mm)^*$ , No. 99 see Tab. 5.5.1.1



Consider a general **k**-vector of a space group G. Determine its little co-group, the **k**-vector star. How many arms has its star? How many full-group irreps will be induced and of what dimension? Write down the matrix of the fullgroup irrep of a general **k**-vector of a translation.

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## Database of Representations of Point Groups

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## POINT

#### Point Group Tables of C<sub>6v</sub>(6mm)

Character Table									
C <sub>6v</sub> (6mm)	#	1	2	3	6	m <sub>d</sub>	m <sub>v</sub>	functions	
Mult.	-	1	1	2	2	3	3		
A <sub>1</sub>	Г <sub>1</sub>	1	1	1	1	1	1	z,x <sup>2</sup> +y <sup>2</sup> ,z <sup>2</sup>	
A <sub>2</sub>	۲ <sub>2</sub>	1	1	1	1	-1	-1	Jz	
B <sub>1</sub>	Г <sub>3</sub>	1	-1	1	-1	1	-1		
B <sub>2</sub>	Γ <sub>4</sub>	1	-1	1	-1	-1	1		
E2	Г <sub>6</sub>	2	2	-1	-1	0	0	(x <sup>2</sup> -y <sup>2</sup> ,xy)	
E <sub>1</sub>	Г <sub>5</sub>	2	-2	-1	1	0	0	$(x,y),(xz,yz),(J_x,J_y)$	

#### [List of irreducible representations in matrix form]

character tables matrix representations basis functions

## group-subgroup relations

#### **Point Subgroups**

Subgroup	Order	Index
6mm	12	1
6	6	2
3m	6	2
3	3	4
mm2	4	3
2	2	6
m	2	6
1	1	12

#### The Rotation Group D(L)

L	2L+1	A <sub>1</sub>	A <sub>2</sub>	В <sub>1</sub>	B <sub>2</sub>	$E_2$	E <sub>1</sub>
0	1	1	•	•	•	•	•
1	3	1	•	•	•	•	1
2	5	1	•	•	•	1	1
3	7	1	•	1	1	1	1
4	9	1	•	1	1	2	1
5	11	1	•	1	1	2	2
6	13	2	1	1	1	2	2
7	15	2	1	1	1	2	3
8	17	2	1	1	1	3	3
9	19	2	1	2	2	3	3
10	21	2	1	2	2	4	3

## Database of Representations of Point Groups

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## **REPRESENTATIONS PG**

#### Irreducible representations of the Point Group 4 (No. 9)

#### Table of characters

(1)	(2)	(3)	C <sub>1</sub>	C <sub>2</sub>	C <sub>3</sub>	C
GM <sub>1</sub>	Α	GM1	1	1	1	
GM <sub>2</sub>	в	GM <sub>2</sub>	1	1	-1	-
GM <sub>3</sub>	<sup>2</sup> E	GM <sub>3</sub>	1	-1	i	
GM <sub>4</sub>	<sup>1</sup> E	GM4	1	-1	-i	

conjugacy classes
C <sub>1</sub> : 1
C <sub>2</sub> : 2 <sub>001</sub>
C <sub>3</sub> : 4 <sup>+</sup> 001
C <sub>4</sub> : 4⁻ <sub>001</sub>

character tables matrix representations 'reality' of irreps

## pairs of conjugated irreps

 $GM_3+GM_4$ 

Matrices of the representations of the group

ter the label of the irrep indicates the "reality" of the irrep: (1) for real, (-1) for pseudoreal and (0

N	Matrix presentation	Seitz Symbol 📀	GM <sub>1</sub> (1)	GM2(1)	GM3(0)	GM4(0)
1	$\left(\begin{array}{ccc}1&0&0\\0&1&0\\0&0&1\end{array}\right)$	1	1	1	1	1
2	$\left(\begin{array}{rrrr} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array}\right)$	2 <sub>001</sub>	1	1	-1	-1
3	$\left(\begin{array}{ccc} 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array}\right)$	4 <sup>+</sup> 001	1	-1	i	÷
4	$\left(\begin{array}{ccc} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array}\right)$	4 <sup>°</sup> CO1	1	-1	-i	i

## **Brillouin Zone Database Crystallographic Approach**

**Reciprocal space groups** Brillouin zones **Representation domain** Wave-vector symmetry

k\_1



#### The k-vector Types of Group 22 [F222]

ITA description

Coordinates

0,0,0

0,1/2,1/2

1/2,0,0

0.0.1/2

0,1/2,0

1/2,0,1/2

x,0,0 : 0 < x <= sm<sub>o</sub>

 $x, 1/2, 1/2 : 0 \le x \le u_0$ 

 $x_{0}, 0: 1/2 - u_0 = sm_0 < x < 1/2$ 

 $x_{0}, 0: 0 \le x \le 1/2$ 

x,0,1/2 : 0 < x <= a<sub>0</sub>

 $x, 1/2, 0: 0 \le x \le c_n$ 

$\mathbf{Y}_{2}$		k-vector description			Wyckoff Position		
	c	DML*	Commissional ITA			•	
$G_1$ $\Lambda_0$	Label	Label Primitive				A	
	GM	0,0,0	0,0,0	а	2	222	
$C_0$ ; $\Lambda$	т	1,1/2,1/2	0,1,1	ь	2	222	
	T~T <sub>2</sub>			b	2	222	
	Z	1/2,1/2,0	0,0,1	C	2	222	
$Q_0$ $\hat{R}^{-0}$	Y	1/2,0,1/2	0,1,0	d	2	222	
	Y~Y <sub>2</sub>			d	2	222	
$\Gamma$ $\Lambda$ $Q$	SM	0,u,u ex	2u,0,0	е	4	2	
C Y k	, U	1,1/2+u,1/2+u ex	20,1,1	е	4	2	
$K_{x}$	U~SM1=[SM0 T2]			е	4	2	
	SM+SM <sub>1</sub> =[GM T <sub>2</sub> ]			e	4	2	
	А	1/2,1/2+u,u ex	20,0,1	t	4	2	
	с	1/2,u,1/2+u ex	2u,1,0	1	4	2	
$c^{-2} > a^{-2} + c^{-2}$	<b>b</b> -2						



**Brillouin zone Database** 

#### The k-vector Types of Group 22 [F222]

#### **Brillouin zone**

(Diagram for arithmetic crystal class 222F)



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## Problem: Representations of space groups REPRES

Space Group Number: Please, enter the sequential number of group as given in International Tables for Crystallography, Vol. A or choose it











• You can introduce the k-vector choosing one from the table:

	Chasses	CDI	Wyckoff position		
Option	Choose one	k-vector label	Coordinates	Multiplicity	Letter
Option	0	LD	0,0,u	1	а
	0	V	1/2,1/2,u	1	b
	0	w	0,1/2,u	2	c
	0	С	u,u,v	4	d
k-vector	0	В	0,u,v	4	е
data	0	F	u,1/2,v	4	f
	0	GP	u,v,w	8	g
	-				

• Or you can introduce the **k**-vector coordinates, relative to the basis you have chosen, as any three decimal numbers or fractions:

	k vector data							
	Reciprocal basis	primitive (CDML) ‡						
Option 2	Coordinates	k <sub>x</sub> k <sub>y</sub> k <sub>z</sub>						



## k-vector data: option 1

Change and	CDM	Wyckoff position			
Choose one	k-vector label	Coordinates	Multiplicity	Letter	
0	LD	0,0,u	1	а	
0	V	1/2,1/2,u	1	b	
0	W	0,1/2,u	2	с	
0	С	u,u,v	4	d	
0	В	0,u,v	4	e	
0	F	u,1/2,v	4	f	
0	GP	u,v,w	8	g	

Choose one	Label	Coordinates (CDML)
0	GM	0,0,0
0	Z	0,0,1/2
0	LD	0,0,u
•	LE	0,0,-u



continue



## **INPUT** Options

- Optional: If you wish to see the full-group irreps for the generator check this
- Optional: If you wish to change conventional (ITA) basis check this 
   Image: Second Second

non- conventional	Rotation	1       0       0         0       1       0         0       0       1	) ) 1
setting	Origin shift	0 0	0

Optional: If you wish to see the irreps for arbitrary space group element check this

		Rotational part				
arbitrary element	1 0 0	0 1 0	0 0 1		0 0 0	



## Space-group data

## **REPRES:** output

Spac Latt	ice	grou e ty	1p G99, 7pe : tP	numb	er	99	G	=<	<b>(</b> )	/1.w	/ı) <b>.</b> ,	(W	k <b>.V</b>	$(\mathbf{v}_k)$	
Numb	er	of	generator	cs :	4			N	•	- /	.,, ,		,	,/	
1 0 0	0 1 0	1 0 0 1	0 0 0	-1 0 0	0 -1 0	2 0 0 1	0 0 0	0 1 0	-1 0 0	3 0 0 1	0 0 0	1 0 0	0 -1 0	4 0 0 1	0 0 0
Numb	er	of	elements	: 8		G=T	-+(W	/ <sub>2</sub> ,v	<b>v</b> 2)	T+.	+(V	Vn,₩	<b>∕</b> n)	т	
1 0 0	0 1 0	1 0 0 1	0 0 0	-1 0 0	0 -1 0	2 0 0 1	0 0 0	0 1 0	-1 0 0	3 0 0 1	0 0 0	0 -1 0	1 0 0	4 0 0 1	0 0 0
1 0 0	0 -1 0	5 0 0 1	0 0 0	-1 0 0	0 1 0	6 0 0 1	0 0 0	0 -1 0	-1 0 0	7 0 0 1	0 0 0	0 1 0	1 0 0	8 0 0 1	0 0 0

## k-vector and its star \*k

K-vector X :
 in primitive basis : 0.000 0.500 0.000
 in standard dual basis : 0.000 0.500 0.000
The star of the k-vector has the following 2 arms :
 0.000 0.500 0.000
 0.500 0.000

## Little group $G^{\times}=\{(W_i,w_i)|W_ik=k+K,(W_i,w_i)\in G\}$

The little group of the k-vector has the following 4 Little group G<sup>×</sup> elements as translation coset representatives : 

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 < 0 0 0 The little group of the k-vector has 4 allowed irreps. The matrices, corresponding to all of the little group elements are : Irrep (X)(1), dimension 1 (1.000, 0.0) (1.000, 0.0) (1.000, 0.0) (1.000, 0.0) (1.000, 0.0) (1.000, 0.0) irreps DX,I Irrep (X)(2) , dimension 1 

#### **Coset decomposition REPRES:** output The space group has the following 2 elements as coset representatives relative to the little group : $G=G^{X}+q_2G^{X}+...+q_kG^{X}$ 0 **Full-group irreps: Characters** $\Sigma D^{*\times,i}(W,w)_{ii}$ General position characters: Gen Pos: 1 3 (2.000, 0.0) (2.000, 0.0) (0.000, 0.0)X1 X2 (2.000, 0.0) (2.000, 0.0) (0.000, 0.0) X4 (2.000, 0.0) (2.000, 180.0) (0.000, 0.0)(2.000, 0.0) (2.000, 180.0) (0.000, 0.0)X3

Physically-irreducible irreps

Physically-irreducible representations: \*X1 \*X2 \*X4 \*X3 D\*X,i ① (D\*X,i)\*



(a) Obtain the irreps for the space group P4mm for the **k**-vectors  $\Gamma(000)$  and X(01/20) using the program REPRES. Compare the results with the solutions of Problem 4.1.

(b) Use the program REPRES for the derivation of the irreps of a general **k**-vector of the group *P4mm* and compare the results with the results of Problem 6.3.

Obtain the irreps for the space group P4bm for the **k**-vectors  $\Gamma(000)$  and X(01/20) using the program REPRES. Compare the results with the solutions of Problem 4.2.

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## Problem: Representations of space groups REPRESENTATIONS SG

#### Irreducible representations of the Space Groups

Representations: Get the irreducible representations of the Space Groups	Enter the label of the space group:	choose it
Representations provides a set of irreducible representations (or physically irreducible representations in a real basis) of a given Space Group and a wave vector. <b>Reference.</b> For more information about this program see the following article:	Irreducible representations Physically irreducible representations given in a real basis	Submit Submit
Elcoro <i>et al.</i> "Double crystallographic groups and their representations on the Bilbao Crystallographic Server" <i>J. of Appl. Cryst.</i> (2017). <b>50</b> , 1457-1477.		

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#### Irreducible representations of the Space Groups

Representations: Get the irreducible representations of the Space Groups

Representations provides a set of irreducible representations of a given Space Group and a wave vector.

k-vector data

#### List of non-equivalent k-vectors of the Space Group P4mm (N. 99)

The components are referred to the conventional basis

Choose one	k-vector label	Components in the conventional basis
0	<b>W</b> ,X,R	(0,1/2,w)
0	LD,Z,GM	(0,0,w)
$\bigcirc$	<b>V</b> ,M,A	(1/2,1/2,w)
0	C,SM,S	(u,u,w)
0	B,U,DT	(0,v,w)
$\bigcirc$	F,Y,T	(u,1/2,w)
$\bigcirc$	GP,E,D	(u,v,w)

Submit

#### List of non-equivalent k-vectors of the Space Group P4mm (No. 99)

The components are referred to the conventional basis

Choose one	k-vector label	Components in the conventional basis
0	W	(0,1/2,w)
0	x	(0,1/2,0)
0	R	(0,1/2,1/2)

DX,I

#### Irreducible representations of the Space Group P4mm (No. 99)

#### and wave vector $k_1 = (0, 1/2, 0)$ .

The matrices of the representations (the whole representation and the representation of the little group) with dimension smaller than 5 are given explicitly. When the i representation is larger than 5, only the non-zero elements are given using the following notation: (i;j)=x means that the (i,j) element of the matrix is x.

#### Seitz Symbol 🔞 $X_1$ Matrix presentation $X_2$ X<sub>3</sub> $X_4$ $\begin{array}{cccc} 0 & 0 & t_1 \\ 1 & 0 & t_2 \\ 0 & 1 & t_3 \end{array}$ 1 0 0 Little $\{1|t_1,t_2,t_3\}$ e<sup>iπt</sup>2 e<sup>iπt</sup>2 e<sup>iπt</sup>2 e<sup>iπt</sup>2 Allowed group G<sup>X</sup> (small) 0 0 -1 0 0 1 -1 0 0 $\left(\begin{array}{c}0\\0\\0\end{array}\right)$ $\{2_{001}|0,0,0\}$ -1 1 1 -1 irreps 1 0 0 0 -1 0 0 0 1 $\left(\begin{array}{c} 0\\ 0\\ 0\\ \end{array}\right)$ {m<sub>010</sub>|0,0,0} -1 -1 1 1 0 0 1 0 0 1 -1 0 0 $\left(\begin{array}{c}0\\0\\0\end{array}\right)$ {m<sub>100</sub>|0,0,0} -1 1 1 -1

Matrices of the representations of the little group

Vectors of the star

 $k_1=(0,1/2,0), k_2=(1/2,0,0)$ 

k-vector and its star \*k



## **REPRESENTATIONS SG**

#### Matrices of the representations of the group

The number in parentheses after the label of the irrep indicates the "reality" of the irrep: (1) for real, (-1) for pseudoreal and (0) for complex representations.

	Matri	x preser	ntation		Seitz Symbol 📀	*X <sub>1</sub> (1)	*X <sub>2</sub> (1)	*X <sub>3</sub> (1)	*X <sub>4</sub> (1)
(	1 0 0	0 1 0	0 0 1	$\begin{pmatrix} t_1 \\ t_2 \\ t_3 \end{pmatrix}$	{1 t <sub>1</sub> ,t <sub>2</sub> ,t <sub>3</sub> }	$\begin{pmatrix} e^{i\pi t_2} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\pi t_1} \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} e^{i\pi t_2} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\pi t_1} \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} e^{int_2} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{int_1} \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} e^{i\pi t_2} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\pi t_1} \end{pmatrix}$
(	-1 0 0 -1 0 0	0 0 1	° °)		{2 <sub>001</sub>  0,0,0}	$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$	$ \left(\begin{array}{cc} 1 & 0\\ 0 & 1 \end{array}\right) $		$ \left(\begin{array}{cc} -1 & 0\\ 0 & -1 \end{array}\right) $
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(	1 0 0 -1 0 0	0 0 1	° °		{m <sub>010</sub>  0,0,0}	$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$	$\left(\begin{array}{cc} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{array}\right)$	$\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$
(	-1 0 0 1 0 0	0 0 1	° )		{m <sub>100</sub>  0,0,0}	$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$	$\left(\begin{array}{cc} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{array}\right)$	$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

# SUBDUCED SPACE-GROUP REPRESENTATIONS

# Problem: SUBDUCED space-group representations

 $\begin{array}{l} D(G): irrep of G \\ \{D(e), D(g_2), D(g_3), ..., D(g_i), ..., D(g_n)\} \\ \downarrow \\ \{D(e), D(h_2), D(h_3), ..., D(h_m)\} \\ \\ \{D(G)\downarrow H\}: subduced rep of H < G \end{array}$ 



Problem: Compatibility relations of small (allowed) representations of little groups of a space group G

Subduction of little group irreps

in the limit  $\delta \rightarrow 0$  $D^{k,i}(G^k) \downarrow G^{k'} \sim \bigoplus m_j D^{k'j}(G^{k'})$ 

**Correlations between characters** 

$$\eta^{k,i}(g^{k'}) = \sum_{j} m_j \eta_j^{k'}(g^{k'}) \qquad g^{k'} \in \mathbf{G}^{k'}$$

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## EXAMPLE P4/mmm

k-vecto	r description					
(	CDML <sup>1</sup>	Wyckoff Position				
Label	Coefficients	Wyckon r oskion				
GM	0,0,0	1	а	4/mmm		
Z	0,0,1/2	1	b	4/mmm		
м	1/2,1/2,0	1	С	4/mmm		
А	1/2,1/2,1/2	1	d	4/mmm		
R	0,1/2,1/2	2	е	mmm.		
х	0,1/2,0	2	f	mmm.		
LD	0,0,u	2	g	4mm		
V	1/2,1/2,u	2	h	4mm		
w	0,1/2,u	4	i	2mm.		
SM	u,u,0	4	j	m.2m		
s	u,u,1/2	4	k	m.2m		
DT	0,u,0	4	I	m2m.		
U	0,u,1/2	4	m	m2m.		
Y	u,1/2,0	4	n	m2m.		
Т	u,1/2,1/2	4	o	m2m.		
D	u,v,0	8	р	m		
E	u,v,1/2	8	q	<b>m</b>		
С	u,u,v	8	r	m		
В	0,u,v	8	s	.m.		
F	u,1/2,v	8	t	.m.		
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Z_2- ⇒ LD_3	Z_3+ ⇒ U_4
$Z_3+ \Rightarrow LD_4$	- Z_3- ⇒ U_3
Z 3- ⇒ LD 1	Z_4+ → U_4
	$Z_4 \rightarrow U_3$
$Z_4+ \Rightarrow LD_3$	$Z_5+ \Rightarrow U_2+U_3$
$Z_4 \rightarrow LD_2$	$Z_5- \Rightarrow U_1 + U_4$

#### EXAMPLE Electronic energy bands of Ge, Fd-3m (227)



k-vector description		ITA description	
k-vector label	Converting of hearing	Wyckoff position	
	Conventional basis	Multiplicity	Letter
GM	0,0,0	2	a
x	0,1,0	6	b
L	1/2,1/2,1/2	8	c
w	1/2,1,0	12	d
DT	0,u,0	12	e
LD	u,u,u	16	f
v	u,1,0	24	g
SM (S)	u,u,0	24	h
Q	1/2,1-u,u	48	i
A (B)	v,u,0	48	j
G (J)	v,v,-u	48	k
GP	u,v,w	96	I



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Compatibility Relations GM<sub>1</sub><sup>+</sup>(1)→DT<sub>1</sub>(1)  $GM_1^{-}(1) \rightarrow DT_4(1)$  $GM_2^+(1) \rightarrow DT_2(1)$  $GM_2^{-}(1) \rightarrow DT_3(1)$ GM<sub>3</sub><sup>+</sup>(2)→DT<sub>1</sub>(1) ⊕ DT<sub>2</sub>(1)  $GM_3^{-}(2) \rightarrow DT_3(1) \oplus DT_4(1)$ GM<sub>4</sub><sup>+</sup>(3)→DT<sub>4</sub>(1) ⊕ DT<sub>5</sub>(2)  $GM_4^{-}(3) \rightarrow DT_1(1) \oplus DT_5(2)$ GM<sub>5</sub><sup>+</sup>(3)→DT<sub>3</sub>(1) ⊕ DT<sub>5</sub>(2)  $GM_5^{-}(3) \rightarrow DT_2(1) \oplus DT_5(2)$  $\overline{\text{GM}}_6(2) \rightarrow \overline{\text{DT}}_7(2)$  $\overline{\text{GM}}_7(2) \rightarrow \overline{\text{DT}}_6(2)$  $\overline{\text{GM}}_8(2) \rightarrow \overline{\text{DT}}_7(2)$  $\overline{\text{GM}}_9(2) \rightarrow \overline{\text{DT}}_6(2)$  $\overline{\text{GM}}_{10}(4) \rightarrow \overline{\text{DT}}_6(2) \oplus \overline{\text{DT}}_7(2)$  $\overline{\text{GM}}_{11}(4) \rightarrow \overline{\text{DT}}_6(2) \oplus \overline{\text{DT}}_7(2)$  $X_1(2) \rightarrow DT_1(1) \oplus DT_3(1)$  $X_2(2) \rightarrow DT_2(1) \oplus DT_4(1)$  $X_3(2) \rightarrow DT_5(2)$  $X_4(2) \rightarrow DT_5(2)$  $\overline{X}_{5}(4) \rightarrow \overline{DT}_{6}(2) \oplus \overline{DT}_{7}(2)$ 

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## Problem: Correlations between representations CORREL of space groups



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# Correlations between representations of space groups

Subduction of space group irreps

$$D^{*k_G,i}(G) H \sim \bigoplus m_j D^{*k_H,j}(H)$$

Step I. Correlations between wave vectors

$$*\mathbf{k}_{\mathsf{G}} \downarrow \mathsf{H} = \sum_{\mathbf{k}_{\mathsf{H}}} (\mathbf{k}_{\mathsf{G}}) \mathbf{k}_{\mathsf{H}}$$

Step 2. Correlations between characters

$$\eta^{*k_{G,i}}(G) = \sum_{k_{H_i}} \frac{1}{k_{H_i}} \eta^{*k_{H_i}} \eta^{*k_{H_i}}$$

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## CORREL: OUTPUT data

### \*k<sub>G</sub> - vector data

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K-vector X :
    in primitive basis : 0.000 0.500 0.000
    in dual basis : 0.000 0.500 0.000
The star *X has the following 3 arms :
    0.000 0.500 0.000
    0.500 0.000
    0.000 0.000
    0.000 0.000
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*k-vector splitting
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$$*k_{G} = *k_{H,I} + *k_{H,2} + ... + *k_{H,k}$$

Information about splitting

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The star *X of the supergroup splits the following way *X --> 1 *S1 + 1 *S2
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Star \*S1 = \*(0.000 0.500 0.000)

 $\text{Star} * \text{S2} = *(0.000 \ 0.000 \ 0.500)$ 

CORREL: OUTPUT data

## Correlations between representations

$$\{D(G) \downarrow H\} \longrightarrow \bigoplus m_i D_i(H)$$

Subduction problem

Reduction : (\*X)(1) = 1(\*S1)(1) + 1(\*S2)(1)Reduction : (\*X)(2) = 1(\*S1)(2) + 1(\*S2)(2)Reduction : (\*X)(3) = 1(\*S1)(3) + 1(\*S2)(2)Reduction : (\*X)(4) = 1(\*S1)(4) + 1(\*S2)(1)Reduction : (\*X)(5) = 1(\*S1)(1) + 1(\*S2)(3)