

# FHI-aims/tier2

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name and version of the code: FHI-aims 081213

type of basis set: numeric atom-centred orbital basis functions

method: all-electron

## GENERAL INFORMATION

exchange-correlation functional	PBE
relativistic scheme	atomic zero-order regular approximation (ZORA) Eqs. (55)/(56) of [1]
assignment of core / valence states	treated on equal footing
basis set size	tier2 – see table I
k-mesh density	see table II (k-point grid $kpts$ , and the number of irreducible k-points in the full 1st Brillouin zone of the primitive cell # $k$ )
reciprocal-space integration method	Gaussian smearing with a fictitious broadening corresponding to 0.01 eV

## METHOD-SPECIFIC INFORMATION

Hartree potential	$l_{\text{hartree}} = 8$
multicentre expansion	
logarithmic mesh for free-atom quantities	see table I (number of points # $N_{\log}$ between $0.001/Z$ and 100.0 bohr)
radial integration mesh	see table I (number of shells per atom # $N_{\text{rad}}$ , distributed according to Eq. (18) of [1])
anchor distance of radial int. mesh	7 Å
smallest (innermost) Lebedev grid	110 points
largest (outermost) Lebedev grid	590 points
basis function confinement	$r_{\text{onset}}$ see table I, $w = 2.0 \text{ Å}$ Eq. (9) of [1]

## ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

Radial integration mesh:

The “anchor distance of the radial mesh” is the radius of the second-most distant radial integration shell, specified by the “radial\_base” keyword in FHI-aims. A detailed explanation of the construction of radial integration grids in FHI-aims can be found in the Appendix of [2].

Basis set character and angular momenta:

The set of radial functions used is characterized according to their angular momenta. Each basis set consists of the core and valence radial functions of a spherical free atom and further groups of radial functions, organized in “tiers” (levels). For each element, the table lists the closest noble gas configuration + valence shells included in the free atom + tier1 + tier2 radial functions.

The ASE script used to generate these data has been included after the tables.

## REFERENCES

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- [2] I. Y. Zhang, X. Ren, P. Rinke, V. Blum and M. Scheffler, *New J. Phys.* **15**, 123033 (2013).

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**Table I.** Calculation settings per element: basis set size, number of logarithmic grid points  $N_{\log}$ , number of radial grid points  $N_{\text{rad}}$  and basis function onset radius  $r_{\text{onset}}$ .

	Basis set character (tier2) [ ]	# $N_{\log}$ [ ]	# $N_{\text{rad}}$ [ ]	$r_{\text{onset}}$ [\AA]
H	1s+sp+spsd	1131	49	4.0
He	1s+sp+dspf	1187	55	4.0
Li	[He]+2s+psd+ppsd	1220	59	4.0
Be	[He]+2s+psd+pdpsf	1244	63	4.0
B	[He]+2s2p+psd+fpsgd	1262	65	4.0
C	[He]+2s2p+psd+fpsgd	1277	69	4.0
N	[He]+2s2p+pdgs+fpsgd	1290	71	4.0
O	[He]+2s2p+pdgs+fpdgs	1301	73	4.0
F	[He]+2s2p+pdgs+fpsdg	1310	75	4.0
Ne	[Ne]+dps+fdsgp	1319	77	4.0
Na	[Ne]+3s+psd+psfd	1327	81	5.0
Mg	[Ne]+3s+pdgs+fpsd	1334	81	5.0
Al	[Ne]+3s3p+pdfs+gdsp	1340	83	4.0
Si	[Ne]+3s3p+dpfs+dgps	1346	85	4.0
P	[Ne]+3s3p+dpfgs+dpfsg	1352	87	4.0
S	[Ne]+3s3p+dpfs+dgpfs	1357	89	4.0
Cl	[Ne]+3s3p+dpfsg+dfsgp	1362	91	4.0
Ar	[Ar]+dpfs+dgps	1367	93	4.0
K	[Ar]+4s+dpsf+dsdp	1371	93	6.0
Ca	[Ar]+4s+dpdfs+gphsfpd	1376	95	5.0
Sc	[Ar]+4s3d+fpdgs+fdphds	1380	95	4.0
Ti	[Ar]+4s3d+fdpgs+dhfps	1383	97	4.0
V	[Ar]+4s3d+fdpgs+dfhdpgs	1387	99	4.0
Cr	[Ar]+4s3d+fpgs+fdhdfgsp	1391	101	4.0
Mn	[Ar]+4s3d+fpgs+dhffpdgs	1394	101	4.0
Fe	[Ar]+4s3d+fpdgs+dhffpgs	1397	103	4.0
Co	[Ar]+4s3d+pfpgs+phdfs	1400	105	4.0
Ni	[Ar]+4s3d+pfgds+pdhffs	1403	105	4.0
Cu	[Ar]+4s3d+pfsg+pdhfs	1406	107	4.0
Zn	[Ar]+4s3d+pspf+gpsd	1409	107	4.0
Ga	[Ar]+4s4p3d+pdfs+gpfhds	1412	109	4.0
Ge	[Ar]+4s4p3d+pdfs+gdpfhs	1414	109	4.0
As	[Ar]+4s4p3d+dpfs+ghpfds	1417	111	4.0
Se	[Ar]+4s4p3d+dpfs+gpdfsh	1419	111	4.0
Br	[Ar]+4s4p3d+dpfs+gdhpsf	1421	113	4.0
Kr	[Kr]+dpfs+gdphfs	1424	113	4.0
Rb	[Kr]+5s+dpfs+dgsp	1426	115	6.0
Sr	[Kr]+5s+dpfs+gdphsf	1428	115	5.0
Y	[Kr]+5s4d+fpdgs+fdhps	1430	117	4.0
Zr	[Kr]+5s4d+fdpgs+fhdfps	1432	117	4.0
Nb	[Kr]+5s4d+fdpgs+fdhfps	1434	119	4.0
Mo	[Kr]+5s4d+fdpgs+fdhfps	1436	119	4.0
Tc	[Kr]+5s4d+fdpgs+fhfdpgs	1438	121	4.0
Ru	[Kr]+5s4d+fdpgs+fhfgdps	1440	121	4.0
Rh	[Kr]+5s4d+fpdgs+fhfdpgs	1442	123	4.0
Pd	[Kr]+5s4d+pfgsd+fgdhsp	1444	125	4.0
Ag	[Kr]+5s4d+pfsdg+fhpd	1446	125	4.0
Cd	[Kr]+5s4d+pfsqd+fhpsd	1147	125	4.0
In	[Kr]+5s5p4d+pdfs+gpfhfd	1449	125	4.0

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Sn	[Kr]+5s5p4d+pdfs+gpfdfhs	1451	127	4.0
Sb	[Kr]+5s5p4d+dpfs+gfhdfps	1452	127	4.0
Te	[Kr]+5s5p4d+dfps+gfhfpds	1454	129	4.0
I	[Kr]+5s5p4d+dfps+gfhfpds	1455	129	4.0
Xe	[Xe]+dfps+gfdhfps	1457	129	4.0
Cs	[Xe]+6s+dfps+dfghfps	1458	131	6.0
Ba	[Xe]+6s+dfps+fgdhfps	1460	131	8.0
Lu	[Xe]+6s5d4f+pdfgs+ppdhhfdgs	1479	141	4.0
Hf	[Xe]+6s5d4f+fdpgs+fhdhpds	1480	143	4.0
Ta	[Xe]+6s5d4f+fdpgs+dhfgps	1482	143	4.0
W	[Xe]+6s5d4f+fdpgs+hdfgdps	1483	143	4.0
Re	[Xe]+6s5d4f+fdpgs+hdfgpds	1484	145	4.0
Os	[Xe]+6s5d4f+fpdgs+hpfldgs	1485	145	4.0
Ir	[Xe]+6s5d4f+fpgds+hffgpds	1486	145	4.0
Pt	[Xe]+6s5d4f+fpgsd+hfdpgs	1487	145	4.0
Au	[Xe]+6s5d4f+pfsghd+fdpsgh	1488	147	4.0
Hg	[Xe]+6s5d4f+pfsgrp+hfpsdg	1489	147	4.0
Tl	[Xe]+6s6p5d4f+pdfdsg+phfds	1490	147	4.0
Pb	[Xe]+6s6p5d4f+pdfdgs+hdffps	1491	149	4.0
Bi	[Xe]+6s6p5d4f+pdfsg+dphffs	1492	149	4.0
Po	[Xe]+6s6p5d4f+dfpsg+fhpds	1493	149	4.0
Rn	[Rn]+dfpgs+fdhfs	1495	151	4.0

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**Table II.** Calculation settings and results per element: k-point mesh in the full 1st Brillouin zone of the primitive cell  $kpts$  and number of irreducible k-points  $\# k$ , equilibrium volume per atom  $V_0$ , bulk modulus  $B_0$ , pressure derivative of the bulk modulus  $B_1$ .

	$kpts$ [-]	$\# k$ [-]	$V_0$ [Å <sup>3</sup> /atom]	$B_0$ [GPa]	$B_1$ [-]
H	28 x 28 x 20	7840	17.3955	10.3244	2.7385
He	40 x 40 x 22	17600	18.0461	0.8494	1.1724
Li	38 x 38 x 38	27436	20.2584	13.8120	3.4520
Be	52 x 52 x 28	37856	7.9069	123.7151	3.4723
B	26 x 26 x 24	8112	7.2393	237.3241	3.4365
C	48 x 48 x 12	13824	11.6300	209.1781	3.5981
N	16 x 16 x 16	2048	28.8025	54.0466	3.6934
O	26 x 24 x 24	7488	18.5125	51.3380	3.9259
F	16 x 28 x 14	3136	19.1427	34.2735	4.0643
Ne	22 x 22 x 22	5324	24.4391	1.1878	6.9161
Na	32 x 32 x 32	16384	37.0854	7.7625	3.7955
Mg	36 x 36 x 20	12960	22.9569	35.9978	3.9894
Al	24 x 24 x 24	6912	16.4921	77.7749	5.0377
Si	32 x 32 x 32	16384	20.4535	88.6201	4.2489
P	30 x 8 x 22	2640	21.4435	68.1001	4.3366
S	38 x 38 x 38	27436	17.2125	83.9136	4.0230
Cl	12 x 24 x 12	1728	38.8211	18.9341	4.3405
Ar	16 x 16 x 16	2048	52.4645	0.7327	8.6099
K	20 x 20 x 20	4000	73.8148	3.5802	3.6558
Ca	18 x 18 x 18	2916	42.2161	17.6892	3.4734
Sc	34 x 34 x 20	11560	24.6089	54.6364	3.3974
Ti	40 x 40 x 22	17600	17.3902	111.5900	3.6297
V	34 x 34 x 34	19652	13.4479	182.2043	3.9567
Cr	36 x 36 x 36	23328	11.7715	185.0625	6.9532
Mn	28 x 28 x 28	10976	11.4777	119.6118	0.0802
Fe	36 x 36 x 36	23328	11.3392	194.4014	4.6849
Co	46 x 46 x 24	25392	10.8513	214.1797	4.6796
Ni	28 x 28 x 28	10976	10.8872	198.1638	4.9449
Cu	28 x 28 x 28	10976	11.9615	140.0409	5.2277
Zn	44 x 44 x 20	19360	15.1941	75.4154	5.5155
Ga	22 x 12 x 22	2904	20.3013	49.1819	5.4723
Ge	30 x 30 x 30	13500	23.8905	59.3238	4.9369
As	30 x 30 x 10	4500	22.5901	68.2982	4.2925
Se	26 x 26 x 20	6760	29.7404	47.0304	4.4686
Br	12 x 24 x 12	1728	39.4566	22.3752	4.8436
Kr	16 x 16 x 16	2048	66.2448	0.6297	6.6440
Rb	18 x 18 x 18	2916	91.1656	2.8045	3.5574
Sr	16 x 16 x 16	2048	54.3677	11.4507	5.3802
Y	32 x 32 x 18	9216	32.8355	41.4725	3.1396
Zr	36 x 36 x 20	12960	23.3940	93.7535	3.2944
Nb	30 x 30 x 30	13500	18.1270	170.4048	3.7274
Mo	32 x 32 x 32	16384	15.7887	259.4884	4.3507
Tc	42 x 42 x 22	19404	14.4381	299.1265	4.5298
Ru	42 x 42 x 24	21168	13.7635	312.1158	4.8757
Rh	26 x 26 x 26	8788	14.0431	257.0866	5.1885
Pd	26 x 26 x 26	8788	15.3106	168.8863	5.5095
Ag	24 x 24 x 24	6912	17.8455	91.0431	5.9975
Cd	38 x 38 x 18	12996	22.8392	43.9964	6.9580

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In	30 x 30 x 20	9000	27.5167	35.8699	4.8709
Sn	26 x 26 x 26	8788	36.8318	35.8545	5.0021
Sb	26 x 26 x 8	2704	31.7533	50.3972	4.5283
Te	26 x 26 x 16	5408	34.9740	44.7145	4.6885
I	12 x 22 x 10	1320	50.2501	18.6164	5.0436
Xe	14 x 14 x 14	1372	86.8790	0.5681	7.2531
Cs	16 x 16 x 16	2048	116.7703	2.0044	4.1222
Ba	20 x 20 x 20	4000	63.0761	8.8520	2.2069
Lu	32 x 32 x 18	9216	29.0652	47.0124	3.5308
Hf	36 x 36 x 20	12960	22.5418	107.5910	3.4407
Ta	30 x 30 x 30	13500	18.2835	193.6651	3.5015
W	32 x 32 x 32	16384	16.1399	301.5926	4.2144
Re	42 x 42 x 22	19404	14.9559	363.3583	4.4155
Os	42 x 42 x 24	21168	14.2799	396.7276	4.8143
Ir	26 x 26 x 26	8788	14.4993	347.6047	5.2287
Pt	26 x 26 x 26	8788	15.6401	248.0916	5.4707
Au	24 x 24 x 24	6912	17.9752	138.6731	6.1054
Hg	24 x 24 x 28	8064	29.5950	7.7226	9.8983
Tl	32 x 32 x 18	9216	31.4374	26.6619	5.5187
Pb	20 x 20 x 20	4000	31.9622	39.9991	5.6218
Bi	26 x 26 x 8	2704	36.9073	42.5965	4.6508
Po	30 x 30 x 30	13500	37.5659	45.4307	5.0102
Rn	14 x 14 x 14	1372	93.0392	0.5344	6.8771

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## script for the Atomic Simulation Environment (ASE)

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<https://wiki.fysik.dtu.dk/ase/>

```
import os
import sys
import time

import numpy as np

import ase.db
from ase.utils import opencew
from ase.calculators.calculator import kpts2mp
from ase.io.trajectory import PickleTrajectory
from ase.calculators.aims import Aims
from ase.test.tasks.dcdft import DeltaCodesDFTCollection as Collection

collection = Collection()

if len(sys.argv) == 1:
    names = collection.names
else:
    names = [sys.argv[1]]

c = ase.db.connect('dcdft_aims.db')

# select the basis set
basis = 'tier2'

kptdensity = 16.0 # this is converged
width = 0.01

basis_threshold = 0.00001
relativistic = 'scalar'

sc_accuracy_rho = 1.e-4
sc_accuracy_eev = 5.e-3

if relativistic == 'none':
    linspace = (0.92, 1.08, 7) # eos numpy's linspace
else:
    linspace = (0.98, 1.02, 5) # eos numpy's linspace
linspaceestr = ''.join([str(t) + 'x' for t in linspace])[:-1]

code = 'aims' + '--' + basis + '_e' + linspaceestr
code = code + '_k' + str(kptdensity) + '_w' + str(width)
code = code + '_t' + str(basis_threshold) + '_r' + str(relativistic)

collection = Collection()

for name in names:
    # save all steps in one traj file in addition to the database
    # we should only used the database c.reserve, but here
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# traj file is used as another lock ...
fd = opencew(name + '_' + code + '.traj')
if fd is None:
    continue
traj = PickleTrajectory(name + '_' + code + '.traj', 'w')
atoms = collection[name]
cell = atoms.get_cell()
kpts = tuple(kpts2mp(atoms, kptdensity, even=True))
kwargs = {}
if relativistic == 'scalar':
    kwargs.update({'relativistic': ['atomic_zora', relativistic]})
elif relativistic == 'none':
    kwargs.update({'relativistic': 'none'})
else: # e.g. 1.0e-12
    kwargs.update({'relativistic': ['zora', 'scalar', relativistic]})

if atoms.get_initial_magnetic_moments().any(): # spin-polarization
    magmom = atoms.get_initial_magnetic_moments().sum() / len(atoms)
    kwargs.update({'spin': 'collinear'})

# convergence problems for tier2
charge_mix_param = 0.01
basis_threshold = 0.00001
if basis in ['tier2']:
    if name in ['Cr', 'Fe'] and relativistic == 'none':
        basis_threshold = 0.00005
        sc_accuracy_rho=2.5e-3
        sc_accuracy_eev=5.e-3
    if name in ['Mn']:
        charge_mix_param = 0.01
        basis_threshold = 0.00005
        sc_accuracy_rho=2.5e-3
        sc_accuracy_eev=5.e-3
        if relativistic == 'none':
            sc_accuracy_rho=3.0e-3

# loop over EOS linspace
for n, x in enumerate(np.linspace(linspace[0], linspace[1], linspace[2])):
    id = c.reserve(name=name, basis=basis, linspacestr=linspacestr,
                   kptdensity=kptdensity, width=width,
                   basis_threshold=basis_threshold,
                   relativistic=relativistic,
                   x=x)

    if id is None:
        continue
    # perform EOS step
    atoms.set_cell(cell * x, scale_atoms=True)
    # set calculator
    atoms.calc = Aims(
        label=name + '_' + code + '_' + str(n),
        species_dir=os.path.join(os.environ['AIMS_SPECIES_DIR'], basis),
        xc='PBE',
        kpts=kpts,
        KS_method='elpa',
        sc_accuracy_rho=sc_accuracy_rho,
        sc_accuracy_eev=sc_accuracy_eev,
        occupation_type=['gaussian', width],
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override_relativity=True,
override_illconditioning=True,
basis_threshold=basis_threshold,
charge_mix_param=charge_mix_param,
sc_iter_limit=9000,
)
atoms.calc.set(**kwargs) # remaining calc keywords
t = time.time()
atoms.get_potential_energy()
c.write(atoms,
        name=name, basis=basis, linspacestr=linspacestr,
        kptdensity=kptdensity, width=width,
        basis_threshold=basis_threshold,
        relativistic=relativistic,
        x=x,
        time=time.time()-t)
traj.write(atoms)
del c[id]
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