

# SSSPacc/QE

SSSP accuracy mixed PAW-USPP-NCPP dataset / QUANTUM ESPRESSO 5.1

name and version of the code: QUANTUM ESPRESSO 5.1  
type of basis set: plane waves  
method: mixed projector-augmented wave, ultrasoft pseudopotentials and norm-conserving pseudopotentials (SSSP accuracy)

## GENERAL INFORMATION

|                                     |  |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| exchange-correlation functional     | PBE  |
| relativistic scheme                 | core and valence scalar relativistic<br>(Koelling-Harmon)  |
| assignment of core / valence states | see table I  |
| basis set size                      | see table I (wave function cutoff $e_{cut}^{wfc}$ )  |
| k-mesh density                      | $20 \times 20 \times 20$   |
| reciprocal-space integration method | Marzari-Vanderbilt cold smearing with a fictitious temperature corresponding to 0.002 Ry<br>(0.02 Ry when required to achieve convergence) |

## METHOD-SPECIFIC INFORMATION

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|----------------------|---------------------------------|
| wave function cutoff | see table I ( $e_{cut}^{wfc}$ ) |
| density cutoff       | see table I ( $e_{cut}^{rho}$ ) |

## ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

Optimally efficient potentials have been selected for each element. The investigated libraries are: pslibrary.0.3.1 (US and PAW), pslibrary.1.0.0 (US and PAW), GBRV v1.2 and v1.4 (US), and SG15 (NC). The selection criteria for the SSSP accuracy are: smallest  $\Delta$ , convergence of the phonons mode within 2%, convergence of the standard heat of formation with respect to the isolated atom (within 3 meV), not too computationally costly. The pseudopotential for N (labeled as THEOS) has been obtained tuning the matching radius starting from the pseudopotential in pslib031 US to improve the  $\Delta$ .

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**Table I.** Calculation settings per element: potential library from which the used potential is taken, wave function cutoff  $e_{cut}^{wfc}$ , density cutoff  $e_{cut}^{rho}$ , valence.

|    | library      | $e_{cut}^{wfc}$ [Ry] | $e_{cut}^{rho}$ [Ry] | valence                       |
|----|--------------|----------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------|
| H  | pslib031 US  | 58                   | 276                  | $1s^1$                        |
| He | SG15         | 100                  | 400                  | $1s^2$                        |
| Li | GBRV-1.4     | 50                   | 250                  | $1s^2 2s^{0.55} 2p^0$         |
| Be | SG15         | 100                  | 400                  | $1s^2 2s^2$                   |
| B  | pslib031 PAW | 86                   | 340                  | $2s^2 2p^1$                   |
| C  | GBRV-1.2     | 50                   | 250                  | $2s^2 2p^2$                   |
| N  | THEOS        | 100                  | 400                  | $2s^2 2p^3$                   |
| O  | pslib031 PAW | 94                   | 374                  | $2s^2 2p^4$                   |
| F  | GBRV-1.4     | 50                   | 250                  | $2s^2 2p^5$                   |
| Ne | pslib100 PAW | 110                  | 530                  | $2s^2 2p^6$                   |
| Na | GBRV-1.2     | 50                   | 250                  | $2s^2 2p^6 3s^1$              |
| Mg | GBRV-1.4     | 50                   | 250                  | $2s^2 2p^6 3s^{1.7}$          |
| Al | pslib100 PAW | 60                   | 290                  | $3s^2 3p^1$                   |
| Si | pslib100 US  | 56                   | 219                  | $3s^2 3p^2$                   |
| P  | pslib100 US  | 44                   | 219                  | $3s^2 3p^3$                   |
| S  | GBRV-1.2     | 50                   | 250                  | $3s^2 3p^4$                   |
| Cl | pslib100 US  | 57                   | 282                  | $3s^2 3p^5$                   |
| Ar | pslib100 US  | 63                   | 281                  | $3s^2 3p^6$                   |
| K  | pslib100 US  | 56                   | 350                  | $3s^2 3p^6 4s^1 4p^0$         |
| Ca | GBRV-1.2     | 50                   | 250                  | $3s^2 3p^6 4s^2 4p^0$         |
| Sc | GBRV-1.2     | 50                   | 250                  | $3s^2 3p^6 3d^1 4s^2 4p^0$    |
| Ti | GBRV-1.4     | 50                   | 250                  | $3s^2 3p^6 3d^1 4s^2$         |
| V  | GBRV-1.2     | 50                   | 250                  | $3s^2 3p^6 3d^3 4s^2$         |
| Cr | pslib100 PAW | 125                  | 1150                 | $3s^2 3p^6 3d^4 4s^2$         |
| Mn | pslib100 PAW | 120                  | 1410                 | $3s^2 3p^6 3d^5 4s^2$         |
| Fe | pslib031 PAW | 128                  | 1564                 | $3s^2 3p^6 3d^6 4s^2 4p^0$    |
| Co | GBRV-1.2     | 50                   | 250                  | $3s^2 3p^6 3d^7 4s^1 4p^0$    |
| Ni | GBRV-1.4     | 50                   | 250                  | $3s^2 3p^6 3d^8 4s^0 4p^0$    |
| Cu | GBRV-1.2     | 50                   | 250                  | $3s^2 3p^6 3d^8 4s^2 4p^0$    |
| Zn | GBRV-1.2     | 50                   | 250                  | $3s^2 3p^6 3d^{10} 4s^2 4p^0$ |
| Ga | pslib100 PAW | 120                  | 490                  | $3d^{10} 4s^2 4p^1$           |
| Ge | pslib100 PAW | 90                   | 480                  | $3d^{10} 4s^2 4p^2$           |
| As | pslib031 US  | 40                   | 206                  | $4s^2 4p^3$                   |
| Se | GBRV-1.2     | 50                   | 250                  | $4s^2 4p^4$                   |
| Br | GBRV-1.4     | 50                   | 250                  | $4s^2 4p^5$                   |
| Kr | pslib031 US  | 56                   | 440                  | $4s^2 4p^6$                   |
| Rb | SG15         | 100                  | 400                  | $4s^2 4p^6 5s^1 5p^0$         |
| Sr | pslib100 US  | 50                   | 331                  | $4s^2 4p^6 5s^2 5p^0$         |
| Y  | GBRV-1.2     | 50                   | 250                  | $4s^2 4p^6 4d^1 5s^2 5p^0$    |
| Zr | GBRV-1.2     | 50                   | 250                  | $4s^2 4p^6 4d^2 5s^2 5p^0$    |
| Nb | pslib031 PAW | 84                   | 728                  | $4s^2 4p^6 4d^4 5s^1$         |
| Mo | SG15         | 100                  | 400                  | $4s^2 4p^6 4d^4 5s^2$         |
| Tc | SG15         | 100                  | 400                  | $4s^2 4p^6 4d^5 5s^2$         |
| Ru | SG15         | 100                  | 400                  | $4s^2 4p^6 4d^6 5s^2$         |
| Rh | pslib100 PAW | 110                  | 730                  | $4s^2 4p^6 4d^7 5s^2$         |
| Pd | pslib100 PAW | 120                  | 1080                 | $4s^2 4p^6 4d^8 5s^2$         |
| Ag | GBRV-1.4     | 50                   | 250                  | $4s^2 4p^6 4d^{10} 5s^{0.5}$  |
| Cd | pslib031 US  | 74                   | 358                  | $4d^{9.5} 5s^2 5p^{0.5}$      |
| In | pslib031 US  | 96                   | 380                  | $4d^{10} 5s^2 5p^1$           |

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|----|--------------|-----|-----|----------------------------------|
| Sn | GBRV-1.2     | 50  | 250 | $4d^{10}5s^25p^1$                |
| Sb | GBRV-1.4     | 50  | 250 | $4d^{10}5s^25p^2$                |
| Te | GBRV-1.2     | 50  | 250 | $5s^25p^4$                       |
| I  | GBRV-1.2     | 50  | 250 | $5s^25p^5$                       |
| Xe | pslib100 US  | 56  | 269 | $4d^{10}5s^25p^6$                |
| Cs | GBRV-1.2     | 50  | 250 | $5s^25p^65d^06s^16p^0$           |
| Ba | SG15         | 100 | 400 | $5s^25p^65d^16s^1$               |
| Lu | N/A          | N/A | N/A | N/A                              |
| Hf | pslib100 PAW | 100 | 640 | $4d^{10}4f^{14}5s^25p^65d^26s^2$ |
| Ta | pslib100 US  | 69  | 663 | $4f^{14}5s^25p^65d^36s^2$        |
| W  | GBRV-1.2     | 50  | 250 | $5s^25p^65d^{3.9}6s^26p^0$       |
| Re | GBRV-1.2     | 50  | 250 | $5s^25p^65d^{4.5}6s^26p^0$       |
| Os | pslib100 US  | 88  | 563 | $4f^{14}5s^25p^65d^66s^26p^0$    |
| Ir | GBRV-1.2     | 50  | 250 | $5p^65d^{8.5}6s^06p^0$           |
| Pt | pslib100 US  | 100 | 500 | $4f^{14}5s^25p^65d^86s^2$        |
| Au | SG15         | 100 | 400 | $5s^05p^65d^96s^2$               |
| Hg | GBRV-1.2     | 50  | 250 | $5d^{10}6s^26p^0$                |
| Tl | pslib100 US  | 57  | 263 | $5d^{10}6s^26p^1$                |
| Pb | pslib031 PAW | 94  | 378 | $5d^{10}6s^26p^2$                |
| Bi | pslib031 PAW | 86  | 344 | $5d^{10}6s^26p^3$                |
| Po | pslib100 US  | 63  | 569 | $5d^{10}6s^26p^4$                |
| Rn | pslib100 US  | 63  | 269 | $5d^{10}6s^26p^6$                |

**Table II.** Calculation results per element: equilibrium volume per atom  $V_0$ , bulk modulus  $B_0$ , pressure derivative of the bulk modulus  $B_1$ .

|    | $V_0$ [ $\text{\AA}^3/\text{atom}$ ] | $B_0$ [GPa] | $B_1$ [-] |
|----|--------------------------------------|-------------|-----------|
| H  | 17.411                               | 10.296      | 2.720     |
| He | 17.709                               | 0.881       | 6.427     |
| Li | 20.231                               | 13.846      | 3.338     |
| Be | 7.934                                | 123.635     | 3.292     |
| B  | 7.245                                | 235.870     | 3.158     |
| C  | 11.633                               | 207.935     | 3.551     |
| N  | 28.943                               | 53.955      | 3.826     |
| O  | 19.227                               | 52.194      | 3.986     |
| F  | 19.236                               | 34.327      | 4.085     |
| Ne | 24.253                               | 1.431       | 13.082    |
| Na | 37.083                               | 7.697       | 3.895     |
| Mg | 22.938                               | 36.123      | 4.021     |
| Al | 16.476                               | 77.977      | 4.664     |
| Si | 20.452                               | 88.698      | 4.318     |
| P  | 21.474                               | 68.262      | 4.351     |
| S  | 17.200                               | 82.677      | 3.692     |
| Cl | 38.872                               | 19.085      | 4.286     |
| Ar | 52.437                               | 0.760       | 3.250     |
| K  | 73.726                               | 3.594       | 3.795     |
| Ca | 42.226                               | 17.369      | 3.032     |
| Sc | 24.607                               | 54.521      | 3.398     |
| Ti | 17.380                               | 112.192     | 3.573     |
| V  | 13.443                               | 182.712     | 4.061     |
| Cr | 11.837                               | 182.041     | 6.560     |
| Mn | 11.443                               | 115.696     | 2.712     |
| Fe | 11.355                               | 204.968     | 4.680     |
| Co | 10.852                               | 216.635     | 4.919     |
| Ni | 10.893                               | 198.736     | 4.873     |
| Cu | 11.982                               | 140.397     | 5.031     |
| Zn | 15.219                               | 74.684      | 5.409     |
| Ga | 20.299                               | 49.119      | 5.293     |
| Ge | 23.905                               | 59.055      | 4.823     |
| As | 22.628                               | 68.628      | 4.293     |
| Se | 29.737                               | 47.281      | 4.516     |
| Br | 39.389                               | 23.016      | 4.889     |
| Kr | 65.885                               | 0.649       | 7.490     |
| Rb | 90.990                               | 2.795       | 3.776     |
| Sr | 54.501                               | 11.400      | 4.544     |
| Y  | 32.856                               | 41.199      | 3.007     |
| Zr | 23.381                               | 94.498      | 3.430     |
| Nb | 18.149                               | 170.207     | 3.713     |
| Mo | 15.788                               | 260.913     | 4.172     |
| Tc | 14.438                               | 298.975     | 4.474     |
| Ru | 13.770                               | 312.211     | 4.855     |
| Rh | 14.051                               | 257.621     | 5.205     |
| Pd | 15.307                               | 169.707     | 5.540     |
| Ag | 17.867                               | 91.228      | 5.918     |
| Cd | 22.834                               | 44.725      | 6.919     |
| In | 27.502                               | 35.824      | 4.850     |

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|----|------------|------------|------------|
| Sn | 36.849     | 35.709     | 4.957      |
| Sb | 31.765     | 50.368     | 4.537      |
| Te | 34.931     | 45.243     | 4.735      |
| I  | 50.215     | 18.707     | 5.020      |
| Xe | 86.674     | 0.551      | 6.869      |
| Cs | 116.846    | 1.965      | 3.423      |
| Ba | 63.188     | 8.727      | 2.913      |
| Lu | <i>N/A</i> | <i>N/A</i> | <i>N/A</i> |
| Hf | 22.521     | 107.118    | 4.290      |
| Ta | 18.291     | 195.230    | 3.715      |
| W  | 16.142     | 305.193    | 4.334      |
| Re | 14.951     | 364.312    | 4.428      |
| Os | 14.270     | 397.156    | 4.805      |
| Ir | 14.499     | 347.354    | 5.121      |
| Pt | 15.638     | 248.621    | 5.494      |
| Au | 17.982     | 139.246    | 5.994      |
| Hg | 29.922     | 7.435      | 2.338      |
| Tl | 31.386     | 26.834     | 5.610      |
| Pb | 31.993     | 39.669     | 4.767      |
| Bi | 36.885     | 42.820     | 4.643      |
| Po | 37.590     | 45.667     | 4.856      |
| Rn | 92.763     | 0.541      | 8.111      |