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1. Periodic Building Unit:

The Building Unit in The interrupted framework of **-PAR** can be built using units of 16 T atoms. This T16-unit (bold in Figure 1) consists of four 4-rings that are connected in such a way that a 6-ring chair is formed. A Periodic Building Unit (PerBU) is obtained when neighboring T16-units, related by a shift of $\frac{1}{2} (\pm a \pm b)$, are connected into the ab layer as shown in Figure 1.

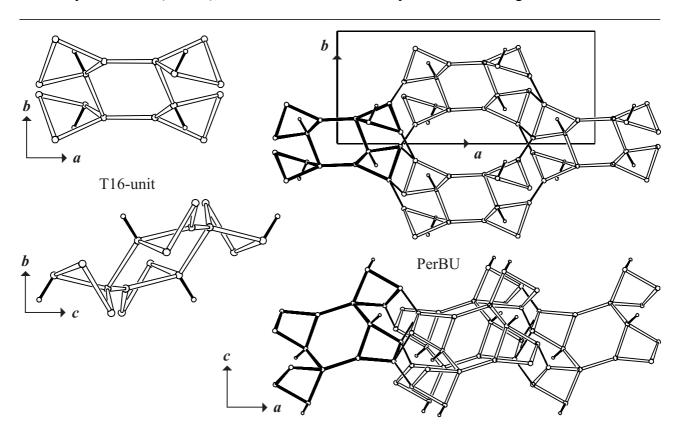


Figure 1. Left: T16-unit, composed of four 4-rings, viewed along c (top) and along a (bottom); Right: PerBU viewed along c (top) and along d (bottom). One T16-unit is drawn in bold. The four independent terminal oxygen atoms are indicated by (bold bonded) small circles.

2. Connection mode:

Neighboring PerBUs, related by a pure translation along c, are connected along c as shown in Figure 2 on next page.

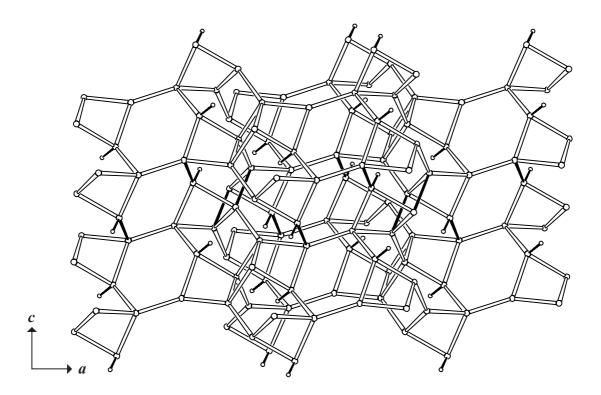


Figure 2. Connection mode viewed along **b**. For clarity, T-T connections between the PerBUs are in heavy bold.

3. Projections of the unit cell content: See Figure 3.

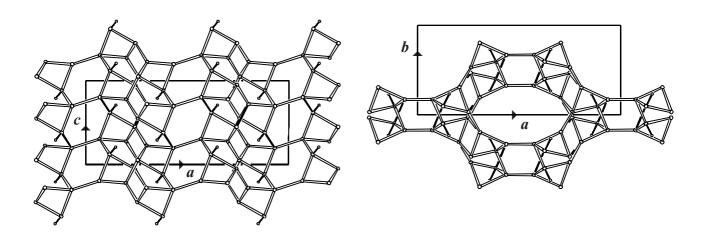
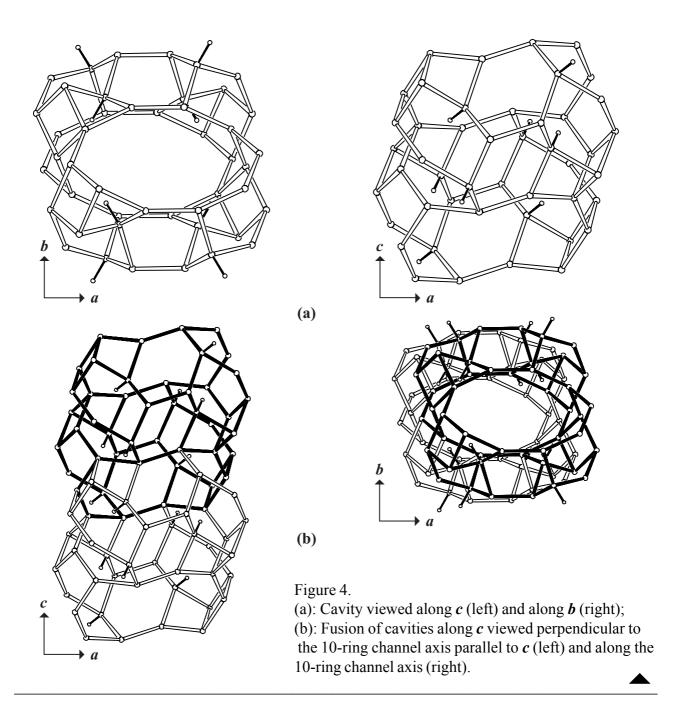


Figure 3. Projections of the unit cell content along b (left) and along c (right).

4. Channels and/or cages:

The cavity in **-PAR** is shown in Figure 4(a) on next page. The **pore descriptor** is added. 10-Ring channels parallel to [001] are formed when cavities are linked along c. The fusion of cavities along c is illustrated in Figure 4(b) on next page.



5. Supplementary information:

Other framework types containing (modified) single 3- and/or 4-rings

Single 3- and/or 4-rings can be connected in several other ways. In several cases additional T atoms are needed to build the framework.

In the **INTRO**-pages links are given to a detailed description of a sub-set of framework types that contain (modified) single 3- and/or 4-rings (choose: **Single 3- and/or 4-rings**). There is also a link to a summary of the Periodic Building Units used in the building schemes of these framework types (choose: **Appendix**; **Figure 4**).