

Table 1. Adiabatic bulk modulus and its isothermal pressure derivative of 3 hexagonal and 2 trigonal crystals. All values are at $T = \sim 300$ °K.

Material	Density (gm/cm ³)	Volume (cm ³ /mole)	B_1^S ($\times 10^{-11}$ dyn/cm ²)	B_2^S	B^*S	$\frac{dB_1^S}{dp}$	$\frac{dB_2^S}{dp}$	$\frac{dB^*S}{dp}$	% Elastic Anisotropy
Mg (59S1) ^(a)	1.738	13.993	3.555	3.557	3.556	4.06	4.06	4.06	0.01
Cd (62C1)	8.648	12.998	4.858	5.774	5.316	6.66	6.30	6.48	8.72
CdS (67C1)	4.870	29.667	6.176	6.177	6.177	4.12	4.12	4.12	0.01
α -Quartz (65M1)	2.649	22.684	3.741	3.790	3.766	6.33	6.51	6.42	0.65
α -Al ₂ O ₃ (67G1)	3.986	25.580	25.441	25.472	25.457	4.28	4.26	4.27	0.11

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