

Monolayer MoSe₂

Structure: hexagonal, P-6m2, layer group 78

Lattice vectors: $R_1 = (a, 0, 0)$; $R_2 = (-a/2, a \times \sqrt{3}/2, 0)$ (2D structure – define vacuum space with third lattice vector)

Atom positions: Mo = $(0, a/\sqrt{3}, 0)$; Se₁ = $(a/2, a/(2 \times \sqrt{3}), \Delta)$; Se₂ = $(a/2, a/(2 \times \sqrt{3}), -\Delta)$

Atom positions crystallographic: Mo = $(1/3, 2/3, 0)$; Se₁ = $(1/3, 2/3, \Delta)$; Se₂ = $(1/3, 2/3, -\Delta)$

Isotopes: 14.649% ⁹²Mo (91.907 amu); 9.187% ⁹⁴Mo (93.905 amu); 15.873% ⁹⁵Mo (94.906 amu); 16.673% ⁹⁶Mo (95.905 amu); 9.582% ⁹⁷Mo (96.906 amu); 24.292% ⁹⁸Mo (97.905 amu); 9.744% ¹⁰⁰Mo (99.907 amu); 0.89% ⁷⁴Se (73.922 amu); 9.37% ⁷⁶Se (75.919 amu); 7.63% ⁷⁷Se (76.920 amu); 23.77% ⁷⁸Se (77.917 amu); 49.61% ⁸⁰Se (79.917 amu); 8.73% ⁸²Se (81.917 amu)

DFT: Use VASP, QE, or both. PBEsol PAW

(QE: Mo.pbesol-spn-kjpaw_psl.1.0.0.UPF; Se.pbesol-dn-kjpaw_psl.1.0.0.UPF

VASP: standard version with sol flag; Mo_sv)

Checklist (*all data should be reported for the 3-atom primitive cell*)

- Please provide all computational costs in cores*hours

Structure

- Converged relaxed ‘temperature (T)=0’ lattice constant a and internal degree of freedom Δ related to distance between Se atoms in separate layers (2Δ) (target accuracy < 0.05 Å)
 - Two values with 3 significant figures: X.XX
- Methods / convergence criteria
 - Energy/force thresholds
 - Vacuum layer distance
- Other notes / cpu hours (*e.g., multiple relaxations, compilers, hardware*)
- All input files to run fully converged calculations (*e.g., qe.scf.in, POSCAR*)

Electrons

- Converged electron band dispersion (target accuracy < 0.1 eV for Γ /X/L frequencies)
 - Numerical data: normalized wavevectors (q) and band energies (E): top 7 valence bands and 4 conduction bands (excel or text file)
 - q in units of $2\pi/a$ and f in eV
 - 2 segments: $\Gamma \rightarrow M$ and $\Gamma \rightarrow K \rightarrow M$ evenly divided with ~100 q points per segment
 - 3 files, one for each segment. For each scaled q from 0 to 1 list (~100 rows): q , E_1 , E_2 , E_3 , E_4 , E_5 , E_6 , E_7 , E_8 , E_9 , E_{10} , E_{11}
- Methods / convergence criteria
 - Thresholds/ Integration mesh / grid shifting
- Evidence of converged band structure
 - Band structure with varying integration meshes
- Other notes / cpu hours
- All input files to run fully converged calculations

Harmonic

- Converged dispersion (target accuracy < 0.1 THz for Γ /M frequencies)
 - Numerical data: normalized wavevectors (q) and frequencies (f) for 9 polarizations (j) (excel or text file)
 - q in units of $2\pi/a$ and f in THz ($f=\omega/2\pi$)
 - 3 segments: $\Gamma \rightarrow M$ and $\Gamma \rightarrow K \rightarrow M$ evenly divided with ~ 100 q points per segment
 - 3 files, one for each segment. For each scaled q from 0 to 1 list (~ 100 rows): q , f_1 , f_2 , f_3 , f_4 , f_5 , f_6 , f_7 , f_8 , f_9 (Note that 3 more bands with respect to previous materials)
- Converged harmonic interatomic force constants (IFCs)
 - Standard format for code used (*e.g.*, QE, Phonopy)
 - Will be supplied as supplemental material upon publication
- Long range Coulomb corrections
 - Dielectric matrix (1 matrix)
 - Born effective charge matrices (3 matrices)
 - Method of long-range Coulomb corrections
- Methods / convergence criteria
 - Thresholds
 - Supercell size / integration mesh
 - Symmetries / irreducibility / number of calculations (*linked to cpu hours below*)
 - Post-processing (*e.g.*, *enforce invariance constraints*)
- Evidence of converged dispersion
 - Dispersions with varying supercell sizes and integration meshes
- Other notes / cpu hours (*e.g.*, *accuracy vs cpu cost, shifted meshes*)
- All input files to run fully converged calculations

Anharmonic thermal transport

- **Use thickness of 6.470 Å** (measured $c/2$ of bulk MoSe₂)
- Four converged T-dependent thermal conductivities (k) (target accuracy <2% difference between successive grids - please contact us if a problem): natural isotopes with full BTE solution ($k_{nat,full}$), natural isotopes with the relaxation time approximation (RTA) ($k_{nat,RTA}$), isotopically pure (*e.g.*, 100% ⁹⁸Mo and 100% ⁸⁰Se) with full BTE solution ($k_{pure,full}$), and isotopically pure with RTA ($k_{pure,RTA}$). If only RTA available, then only $k_{nat,RTA}$ and $k_{pure,RTA}$
 - Do not include boundary scattering, even at low T. We want to see how the codes behave at low T without this extrinsic scattering.
 - Numerical data: T (K) and k (W/m/K) in range $50K < T < 1000K$ (excel or text file)
 - For $50K \leq T \leq 300K$ increments of 25K (11 data points); for $300K < T \leq 1000K$ increments of 100K (7 data points). Note: not sampling T<50K range here.
 - 1 file with T from 50K to 1000K list (18 rows): T, $k_{nat,full}$, $k_{nat,RTA}$, $k_{pure,full}$, $k_{pure,RTA}$
 - Masses used for pure and natural calculations
- Accumulated T=300K k_{acc} vs frequency and k_{acc} vs mean free path (mfp) for converged

$k_{nat,RTA}$ value

- Numerical data for each mode (q, j) sampled in the Brillouin zone integration: f (THz), $mfp = |\text{sqrt}(v_x^2 + v_y^2 + v_z^2) \times \text{lifetime}|$ (nm), mode contribution to k (W/m/K) for $k_{nat,RTA}$
- 1 file (excel or text) with row for each mode (q, j) : f , mfp , mode contribution to k
- RTA T=300K three-phonon scattering rates ($1/\tau_{3ph}$) and phonon-isotope scattering rates for natural abundance ($1/\tau_{iso}$)
 - Numerical data: f (THz), $1/\tau_{3ph}$ (THz=1/ps), and $1/\tau_{iso}$ (THz)
 - 1 file (excel or text) with row for each mode (q, j) : f , $1/\tau_{3ph}$, $1/\tau_{iso}$
- Converged third-order anharmonic IFCs
 - Standard format for code used
 - Will be supplied as supplemental material upon publication
- Methods / convergence criteria: thermal conductivity
 - Delta function representation (*with details; e.g., adaptive smearing, cutoff*)
 - Integration grid
 - Symmetries used
- Methods / convergence criteria: anharmonic IFCs
 - Cutoff radius, supercell size, integration mesh, thresholds, displacement parameter for supercell derivatives
 - Post-processing
- Evidence of converged k at T=300K
 - Varying integration meshes
- Other notes / cpu hours
- All input files to run fully converged calculations