

Quaternary alkaline-earth metal thiophosphate SrAgPS₄: syntheses, structure, and optical properties

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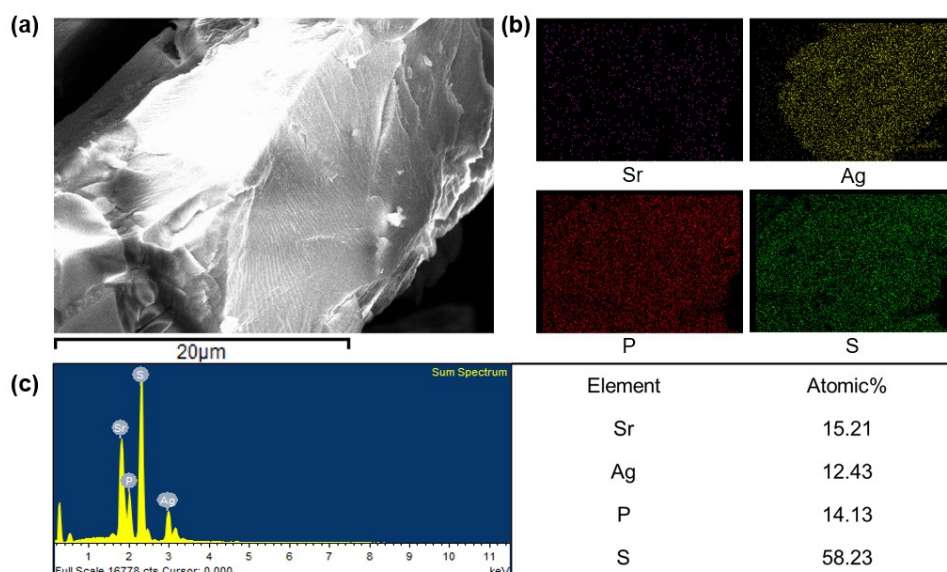


Figure S1 (a) Scanning electron microscopy (SEM) image of SrAgPS₄; (b) Elemental distribution of the as-grown crystal (from left to right: Sr, Ag, P, S). (c) Elemental analysis of SrAgPS₄ by EDX spectroscopy.

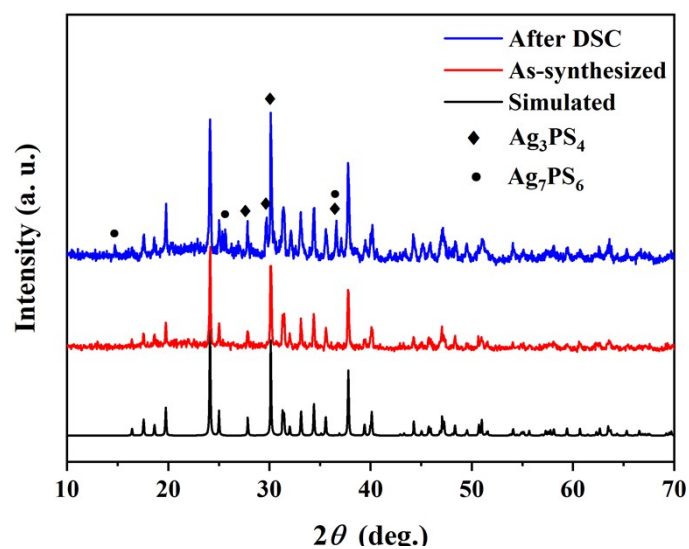


Figure S2 Powder XRD patterns of SrAgPS₄ before and after differential scanning calorimetry measurement.

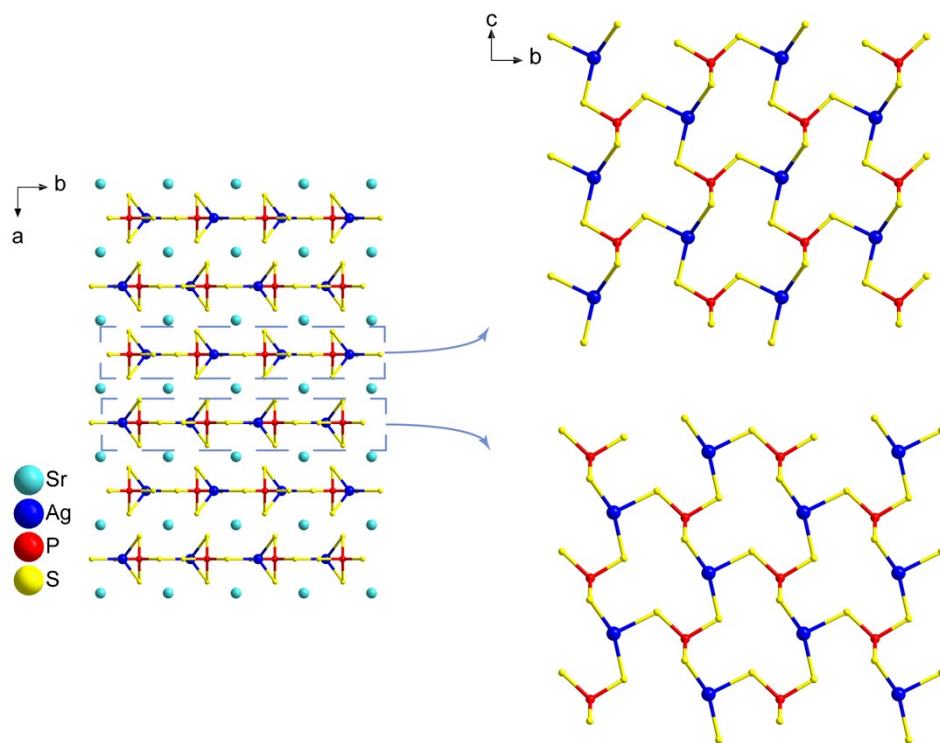


Figure S3 Two adjacent layers are arranged antiparallel to each other.

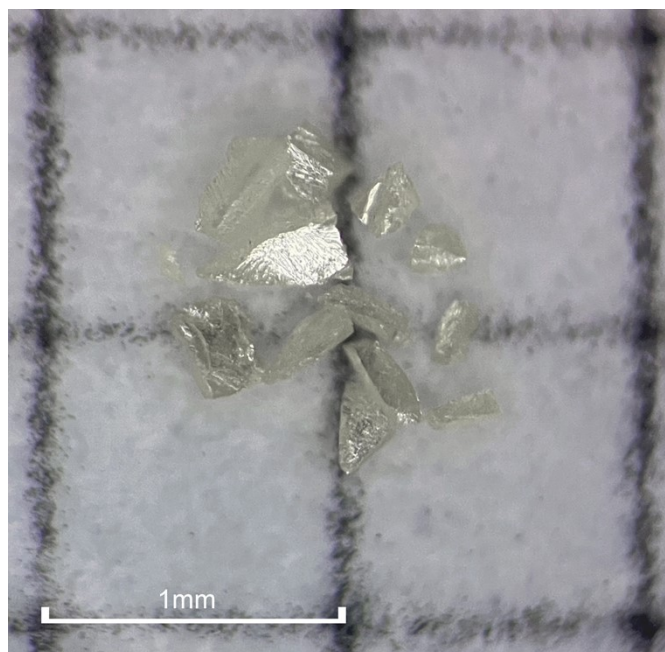


Figure S4 The Photo of SrAgPS₄ crystals.

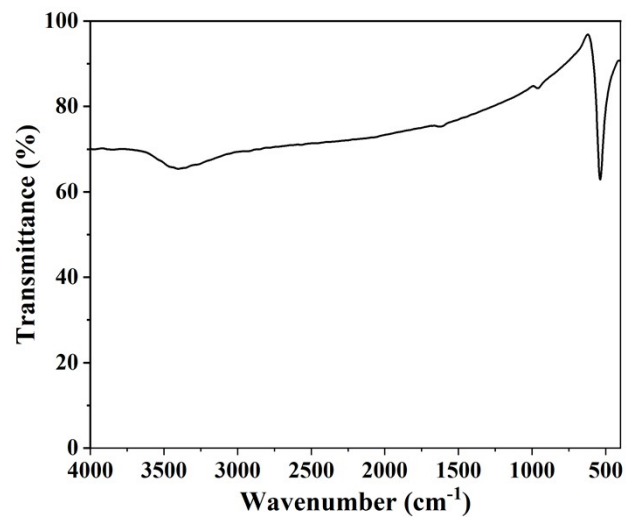


Figure S5 FT-IR spectra for SrAgPS4.

Table S1 Selected Bond Lengths (Å) and Bond Angles (°) for SrAgPS₄.

Sr1—S1	3.0053 (12)	Ag1A—S2 ^{vi}	2.761 (5)
Sr1—S1 ⁱ	3.0053 (12)	Ag1A—S3 ^{iv}	2.552 (7)
Sr1—S3 ⁱⁱ	3.0789 (15)	Ag1B—S1 ^{vii}	2.469 (5)
Sr1—S3 ⁱⁱⁱ	3.0789 (15)	Ag1B—S2 ^{vi}	2.509 (5)
Sr1—S2 ⁱ	3.1731 (16)	Ag1B—S3 ^{iv}	2.622 (7)
Sr1—S2 ^{iv}	3.1740 (18)	P1—S1	2.062 (3)
Sr1—S2 ^v	3.1740 (18)	P1—S2	2.040 (2)
Sr1—S2	3.1731 (17)	P1—S2 ^{vii}	2.040 (2)
Ag1A—S1	2.473 (6)	P1—S3	2.049 (3)
S1—Ag1A—S3 ^{iv}	104.0 (3)	S1—Ag1B—S3 ^{iv}	102.1 (2)
S1—Ag1A—S2 ^{viii}	136.89 (15)	S1—Ag1B—S2 ^{vi}	156.1 (3)
S1—Ag1A—S2 ^{vi}	136.89 (15)	S2 ^{vi} —Ag1B—S3 ^{iv}	101.76 (18)
S3 ^{iv} —Ag1A—S2 ^{vi}	96.99 (18)	S3—P1—S1	106.05 (14)
S3 ^{iv} —Ag1A—S2 ^{viii}	96.99 (18)	S2 ^{vii} —P1—S1	107.32 (8)
S2 ^{vi} —Ag1A—S2 ^{viii}	75.22 (17)	S2—P1—S1	107.32 (8)
Sr1 ^{ix} —Ag1B—Sr1 ^x	101.5 (4)	S2—P1—S3	112.18 (9)
S1—Ag1B—Sr1 ^x	102.4 (3)	S2 ^{vii} —P1—S3	112.18 (9)
S1—Ag1B—Sr1 ^{ix}	140.9 (7)	S2—P1—S2 ^{vii}	111.41 (15)

Symmetry codes: (i) $-x+1, -y+1, z$; (ii) $-x+1, -y+3/2, z-1/2$; (iii) $x, y-1/2, z-1/2$; (iv) $x, y-1/2, z+1/2$; (v) $-x+1, -y+3/2, z+1/2$; (vi) $-x+3/2, y, z+1$; (vii) $-x+3/2, y, z$; (viii) $x, y, z+1$; (ix) $x+1/2, -y+1, z+1$; (x) $x+1/2, -y+3/2, z+1/2$.

Table S2 Fractional Atomic Coordinates ($\times 10^4$) and Equivalent Isotropic Displacement Parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for SrAgPS₄. U_{eq} is defined as 1/3 of the trace of the orthogonalised U_{ij} tensor.

Atom	Wyckoff site	Occupancy	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>	U(eq)
Sr ¹	4a	1	5000	5000	2962.4(17)	16.6(3)
Ag ^{1A}	4b	0.50(5)	7500	6626(7)	8624(9)	47(4)
Ag ^{1B}	8c	0.25(3)	8170(30)	6560(9)	8489(13)	54(4)
P ¹	4b	1	7500	7861.8(19)	3208(4)	8.7(5)
S ¹	4b	1	7500	6093(2)	4851(4)	11.9(5)
S ²	8c	1	5830.8(18)	7886.3(16)	1413(3)	16.6(4)
S ³	4b	1	7500	9349(2)	5402(4)	15.4(5)

Table S3 Bond valence sums for SrAgPS₄.

Atom	Valence	BVSum
Sr1	2.000	2.011
Ag1A	1.000	1.044
Ag1B	1.000	1.083
P1	5.000	5.206
S1	-2.000	2.292
S2	-2.000	2.111
S3	-2.000	1.939

Table S4 Structure and properties comparison of SrCdGeS₄-type compounds crystallized in the orthorhombic system space group of *Ama2*.

Compounds	Space Group	E _g (eV)	SHG (×AGS)	Phase-matching	Congruent-melting (T _m /T _c)	Ref.
SrCdGeS ₄	<i>Ama2</i>	2.6	1.7	yes	987/946	[1]
EuCdGeS ₄	<i>Ama2</i>	2.5	2.6	yes	997/864	[2]
EuCdGeSe ₄	<i>Ama2</i>	2.25	3.8	yes	882/723	[2]
BaHgGeSe ₄	<i>Ama2</i>	2.49	4.7	yes	732/589	[3]
SrHgGeSe ₄	<i>Ama2</i>	2.42	4.8	yes	745/684	[3]
β-BaHgSnS ₄	<i>Ama2</i>	2.77	2.8	yes	no	[4]
SrHgSnS ₄	<i>Ama2</i>	2.72	1.9	yes	no	[4]
EuHgGeS ₄	<i>Ama2</i>	2.04	0.9	yes	-	[5]
EuHgGeSe ₄	<i>Ama2</i>	1.97	3.1	yes	764/651	[6]
EuHgSnS ₄	<i>Ama2</i>	2.14	1.77	yes	no	[6]
SrAgAsS ₄	<i>Ama2</i>	2.31	1.35	yes	no	[7]
SrAgPS ₄	<i>Ama2</i>	2.97	1.10	yes	no	This work

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