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Abstract

Within the three phase systems $\text{Bi}_2\text{O}_3\text{--BiX}_3$ ($\text{X} = \text{Cl}, \text{Br}, \text{I}$), single crystals of $\text{Bi}_4\text{O}_5\text{Cl}_2$, $\text{Bi}_{24}\text{O}_{31}\text{X}_{10}$ ($\text{X} = \text{Cl}, \text{Br}$), and $\text{Bi}_7\text{O}_9\text{I}_3$ were grown by chemical vapour transport. Single crystals of $\text{Bi}_5\text{O}_7\text{I}$ and $\text{Bi}_5\text{O}_7\text{Br}$ were grown at ambient temperature by addition of diluted $\text{H}[\text{BiX}_4]$ solutions to 5 N KOH. The crystal structure of $\alpha\text{-Bi}_5\text{O}_7\text{I}$ has been redetermined and refined to $R_1 = 0.0375$. It is completely different from the structures of $\beta\text{-Bi}_5\text{O}_7\text{I}$ and $\text{Sb}_5\text{O}_7\text{I}$ but shows a close relationship to the structure of BiOI . Structure analysis of $\text{Bi}_3\text{O}_4\text{Cl}$ revealed that the structure consists of alternating layers of $[\text{Bi}_3\text{O}_4]^+$ and Cl^- ; they are arranged in the same way as in the structure of $\text{Bi}_3\text{O}_4\text{Br}$. The crystal structures of $\text{Bi}_{24}\text{O}_{31}\text{X}_{10}$ have been redetermined. The obtained structure models confirm a large part of literature model, but differ from it in some details of the O substructure. For $\text{Bi}_{24}\text{O}_{31}\text{Cl}_{10}$, a twofold superstructure of the literature model was found in addition.

In the system $\text{Bi}_2\text{Se}_3\text{--BiCl}_3$, single crystals of a compound which was previously known as "Bi₈Se₉Cl₆" (60 mole-% Bi_2Se_3) were obtained by chemical vapour transport (CVT). The crystal structure has been determined and refined to $R_1 = 0.041$. It is similar to the known structure of $\text{Bi}_{11}\text{Se}_{12}\text{Cl}_9$ but differs from it by a weak fourfold superstructure. The model is partially disordered and is closely related to the structure of BiSeCl . With respect to the (Bi,Se) substructure it consists of "folded ladders" parallel to the **b**-axis. The chemical formula is mostly consistent with $\text{Bi}_{11}\text{Se}_{12}\text{Cl}_9$ (57.1 mole-% Bi_2Se_3).

Within the system $\text{Bi}_2\text{Se}_3\text{--BiBr}_3$, single crystals of $\text{Bi}_3\text{Se}_4\text{Br}$ were grown by CVT. The crystal structure has been refined to $R_1 = 0.0367$. With respect to its (Bi,Se) substructure it is related to orthorhombic Bi_2Se_3 and to $\text{Bi}_{19}\text{S}_{27}\text{Br}_3$.

The new quaternary compounds $\text{ABi}_6\text{O}_9\text{X}$ ($\text{A/X} = \text{Na/Br}, \text{Na/I}, \text{K/Cl}, \text{K/Br}, \text{K/I}, \text{Rb/Br}, \text{Rb/I}$) were synthesized at ambient temperature by reaction of BiX_3 or $\text{H}[\text{BiX}_4]$ solution with > 10 N KOH or solid KOH. Single crystals of $\text{KBi}_6\text{O}_9\text{X}$ ($\text{X} = \text{Cl}, \text{Br}, \text{I}$) and of $\text{NaBi}_6\text{O}_9\text{Br}$ were grown by addition of diluted $\text{H}[\text{BiX}_4]$ solutions to > 10 N KOH. The crystal structures were solved by single crystal structure analysis and refined to $R_1 = 0.0214, 0.0199, 0.0205$, and 0.0150 respectively. In addition to that, Rietveld refinements for all seven compounds were performed. All $\text{ABi}_6\text{O}_9\text{X}$ compounds are isotypic; they crystallize in a new structure type with space group $Ia\bar{3}d$. The A, Bi, X positions correspond to a distorted *bcc* lattice. The (A,X) substructure consists of arrays of nonintersecting linear "chains" parallel to $\langle 1\ 1\ 1 \rangle$.