

Electronic Supplementary Information (ESI) – First-principles study on the optoelectronic and mechanical properties of all-inorganic lead-free fluoride perovskites ABF_3 ($A = Na, K$ and $B = Si, Ge$)

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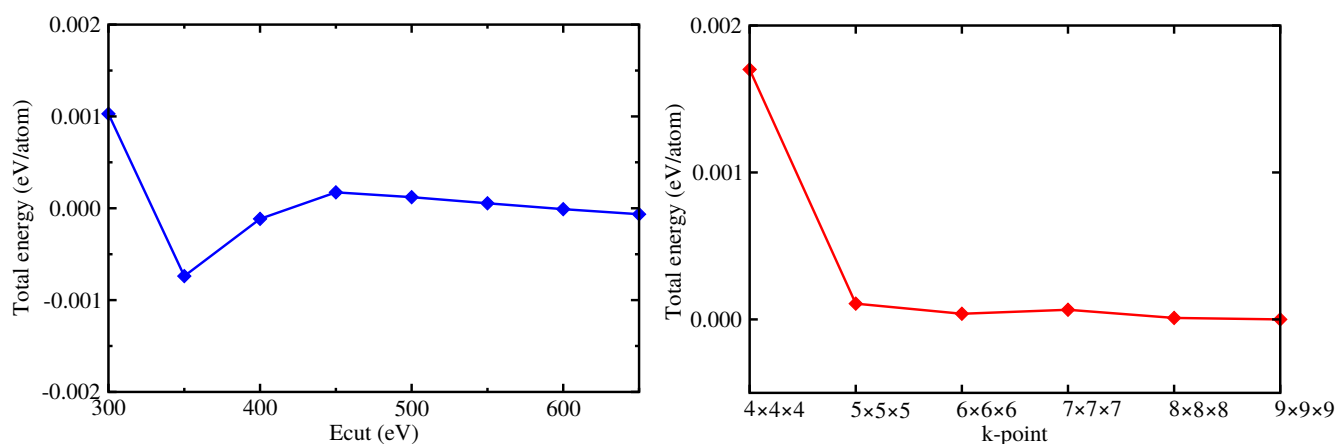


Figure S1 Convergence tests of total energy per atom for a unit cell containing 5 atoms according to the sizes of the energy cutoff and k -point mesh for the fluoride perovskite ABF_3 ($A = Na, K$ and $B = Si, Ge$).

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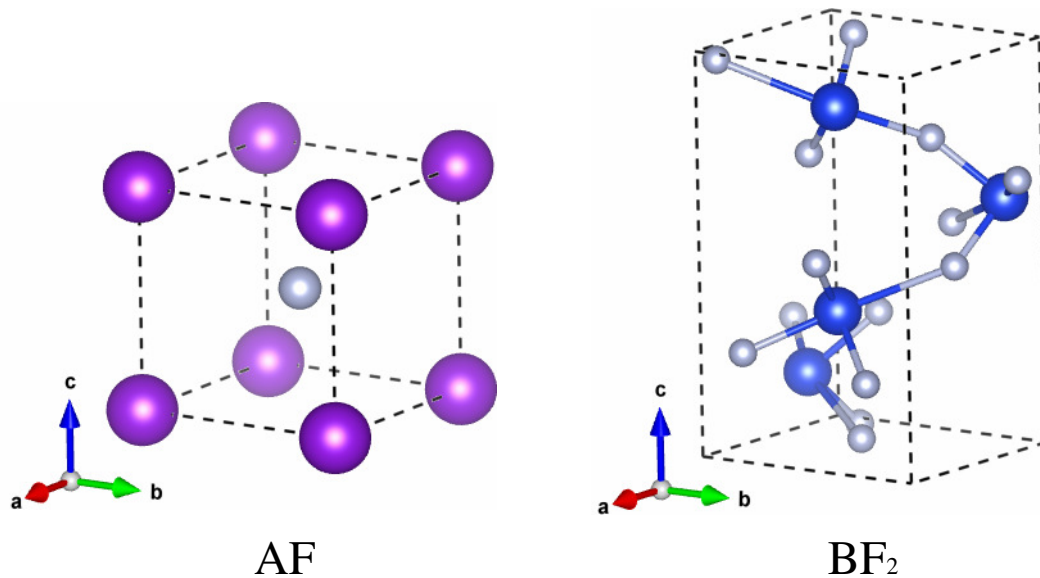


Figure S2 Crystalline structures of the cubic AB and orthorhombic BF₂ with the $Pm\bar{3}m$ and $P212121$ space group, respectively (A = Na, K and B = Si, Ge).

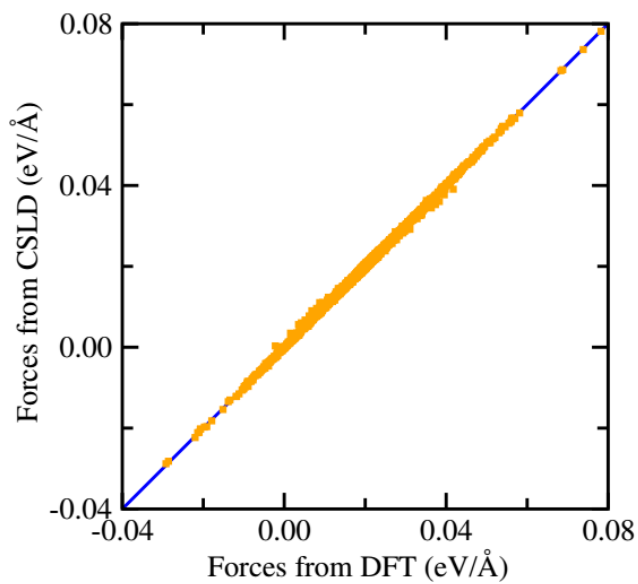


Figure S3. Comparison of the atomic forces obtained from DFT and IFCs for the fluoride perovskite KGeF₃.

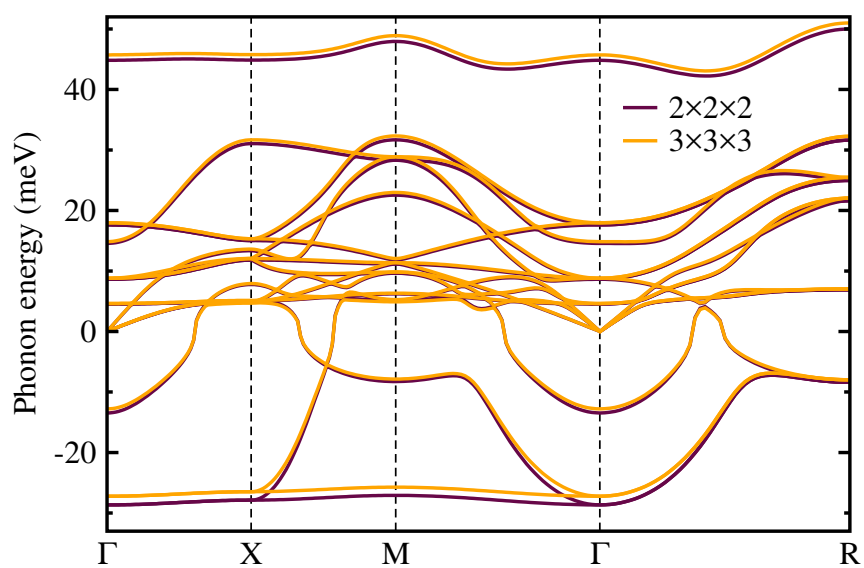


Figure S4. Comparison of the phonon dispersion curves calculated with $2 \times 2 \times 2$ and $3 \times 3 \times 3$ supercells for the fluoride perovskite KGeF_3 .