

Ba₄FeCuS₆: a new mixed metal sulfide with a pseudo-zero-dimensional structure containing rare CuS₃ units

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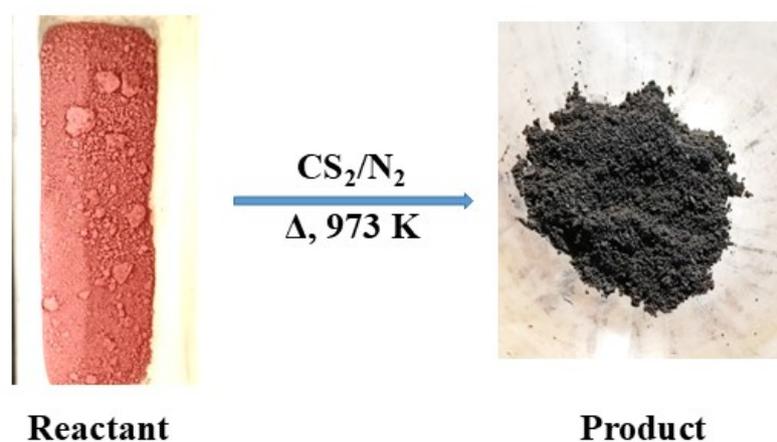


Fig. SI1: The polycrystalline Ba₄FeCuS₆ sample before and after reaction by the CS₂ method.

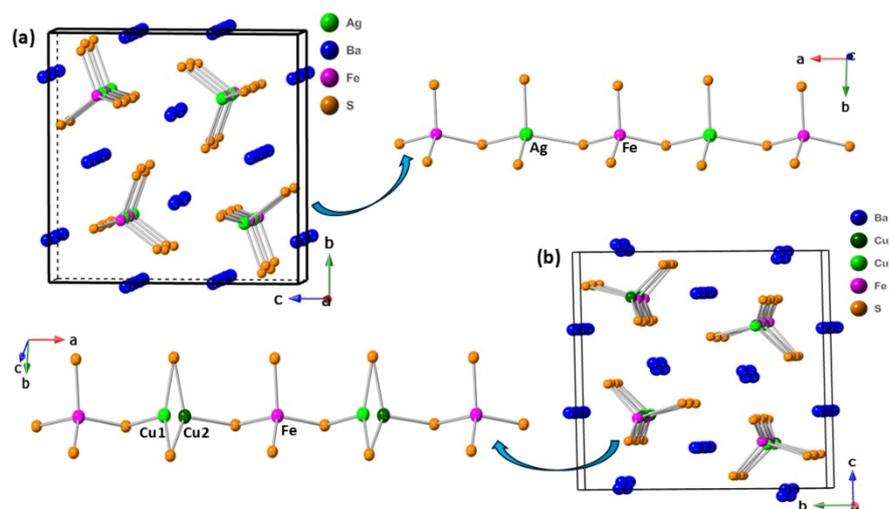


Fig. SI2: The structure comparison of (a) Ba₄FeAgS₆ (Ag site was fully occupied)¹ and (b) Ba₄FeCuS₆ (Cu site was split into two sites; Cu1 and Cu2).

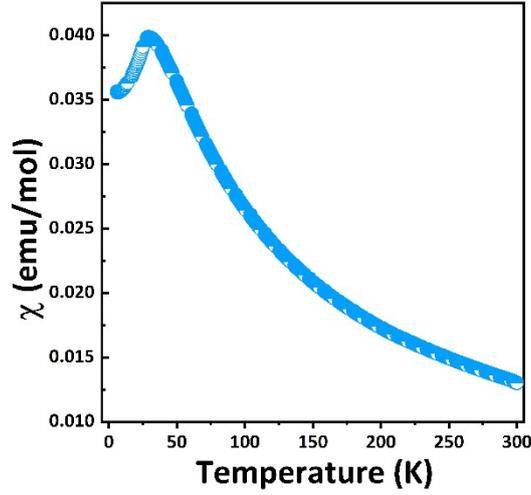


Fig. SI3: The temperature dependence (FW) of the molar magnetic susceptibility (χ_{mol}) of the polycrystalline $\text{Ba}_4\text{FeCuS}_6$ sample under an applied magnetic field of 1000 Oe (0.1 T).

| | U^{11} | U^{22} | U^{33} | U^{12} | U^{13} | U^{23} |
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| Ba1 | 0.0175(3) | 0.0076(3) | 0.0133(3) | -0.0003(3) | 0.0043(3) | 0.0002(2) |
| Ba2 | 0.0178(3) | 0.0076(3) | 0.0128(3) | 0.0000(3) | 0.0045(3) | -0.0003(2) |
| Ba3 | 0.0203(4) | 0.0103(4) | 0.0191(30) | -0.0003(3) | 0.0076(3) | 0.0008(3) |
| Ba4 | 0.0175(4) | 0.0115(4) | 0.0173(3) | -0.0007(3) | 0.0050(3) | -0.0022(3) |
| Fe1 | 0.0167(8) | 0.0059(8) | 0.0117(7) | 0.0005(6) | 0.0020(6) | -0.0006(6) |
| Cu1 | 0.0440(15) | 0.0123(9) | 0.0186(8) | -0.0035(9) | 0.0126(9) | -0.0015(7) |
| Cu2 | 0.0440(15) | 0.0123(9) | 0.0186(8) | -0.0035(9) | 0.0126(9) | -0.0015(7) |
| S1 | 0.0205(15) | 0.0099(13) | 0.0104(12) | -0.0009(11) | 0.0038(11) | -0.0028(10) |
| S2 | 0.0198(15) | 0.0087(13) | 0.0157(13) | -0.0003(11) | 0.0054(11) | -0.0004(11) |
| S3 | 0.0188(14) | 0.0101(13) | 0.0126(12) | 0.0012(11) | 0.0039(11) | 0.0007(10) |
| S4 | 0.0195(15) | 0.0098(13) | 0.0134(13) | 0.0007(11) | 0.0045(11) | -0.0001(10) |
| S5 | 0.0204(14) | 0.0068(13) | 0.0133(13) | 0.0000(11) | 0.0028(11) | -0.0004(10) |
| S6 | 0.0294(17) | 0.0097(14) | 0.0180(14) | 0.0025(13) | 0.0093(13) | 0.0019(11) |

Table SI1: Atomic displacement parameter (\AA^2) for monoclinic $\text{Ba}_4\text{FeCuS}_6$

Table SI2: Geometric parameters (\AA , $^\circ$) for monoclinic $\text{Ba}_4\text{FeCuS}_6$

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| Ba1–S4 ⁱ | 3.107(3) | Ba3–S1 | 3.310(3) |
| Ba1–S1 ⁱⁱ | 3.172(3) | Ba3–S4 ^{vi} | 3.323(3) |
| Ba1–S4 | 3.174(3) | Ba3–Cu2 ^{ix} | 3.602(18) |
| Ba1–S6 | 3.186(3) | Ba3–Fe1 | 3.6553(18) |
| Ba1–S5 ⁱⁱ | 3.200(3) | Ba3–Cu1 ^{ix} | 3.712(2) |
| Ba1–S3 ⁱⁱⁱ | 3.201(3) | Ba3–Cu2 | 3.81(2) |
| Ba1–S2 | 3.311(3) | Ba4–Cu2 ^{vi} | 3.035(19) |
| Ba1–Cu2 ^{iv} | 3.64(2) | Ba4–S3 | 3.138(3) |
| Ba1–Cu1 ⁱⁱ | 3.651(2) | Ba4–S4 | 3.175(3) |
| Ba1–Fe1 ⁱⁱ | 3.8467(18) | Ba4–S6 | 3.204(3) |

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| Ba1–Ba2 ^{iv} | 4.2791(11) | Ba4–S2 ^x | 3.209(3) |
| Ba1–Ba2 ^v | 4.4089(11) | Ba4–S5 ^v | 3.254(3) |
| Ba2–S3 ^{vi} | 3.121(3) | Ba4–S1 ^{xi} | 3.311(3) |
| Ba2–S4 ⁱⁱⁱ | 3.129(3) | Ba4–S2 ^{vii} | 3.345(3) |
| Ba2–S6 | 3.150(3) | Ba4–Cu1 ^{vi} | 3.550(2) |
| Ba2–S1 ^v | 3.197(3) | Ba4–Fe1 ^{xi} | 3.5521(18) |
| Ba2–S2 ^{vii} | 3.236(3) | Ba4–Fe1 ^v | 3.7794(18) |
| Ba2–S1 ^{viii} | 3.236(3) | Fe1–S1 | 2.272(3) |
| Ba2–S5 | 3.236(3) | Fe1–S6 ^{vii} | 2.282(4) |
| Ba2–Cu1 | 3.650(2) | Fe1–S2 ^{vii} | 2.287(3) |
| Ba2–Cu2 ^{iv} | 3.67(2) | Fe1–S5 | 2.296(3) |
| Ba2–Fe1 | 3.8767(18) | Cu1–Cu2 | 0.88(3) |
| Ba2–Fe1 ^v | 3.8858(18) | Cu1–S4 ^{vi} | 2.280(3) |
| Ba3–S3 | 3.087(3) | Cu1–S3 ^{vi} | 2.290(4) |
| Ba3–Cu1 | 3.236(2) | Cu1–S5 | 2.332(4) |
| Ba3–S2 ^{vii} | 3.247(3) | Cu2–S3 ^{vi} | 2.311(19) |
| Ba3–S6 ^{vi} | 3.294(3) | Cu2–S4 ^{vi} | 2.315(19) |
| Ba3–S3 ^{vi} | 3.303(3) | Cu2–S6 ^{xii} | 2.45(3) |
| Ba3–S5 ^{ix} | 3.303(3) | | |
| S4 ⁱ –Ba1–S1 ⁱⁱ | 85.92(8) | Cu1 ^{vi} –Ba4–Fe1 ^{xi} | 87.85(5) |
| S4 ⁱ –Ba1–S4 | 80.98(9) | Cu2 ^{vi} –Ba4–Fe1 ^v | 136.6(4) |
| S1 ⁱⁱ –Ba1–S4 | 79.43(8) | S3–Ba4–Fe1 ^v | 133.74(6) |
| S4 ⁱ –Ba1–S6 | 133.11(8) | S4–Ba4–Fe1 ^v | 93.80(6) |
| S1 ⁱⁱ –Ba1–S6 | 123.23(9) | S6–Ba4–Fe1 ^v | 37.00(6) |
| S4–Ba1–S6 | 71.15(8) | S2 ^x –Ba4–Fe1 ^v | 127.42(6) |
| S4 ⁱ –Ba1–S5 ⁱⁱ | 77.10(8) | S5 ^v –Ba4–Fe1 ^v | 37.16(6) |
| S1 ⁱⁱ –Ba1–S5 ⁱⁱ | 71.30(8) | S1 ^{xi} –Ba4–Fe1 ^v | 91.81(6) |
| S4–Ba1–S5 ⁱⁱ | 144.32(8) | S2 ^{vii} –Ba4–Fe1 ^v | 74.71(6) |
| S6–Ba1–S5 ⁱⁱ | 142.88(8) | Cu1 ^{vi} –Ba4–Fe1 ^v | 127.54(5) |
| S4 ⁱ –Ba1–S3 ⁱⁱⁱ | 88.04(8) | Fe1 ^{xi} –Ba4–Fe1 ^v | 127.73(5) |
| S1 ⁱⁱ –Ba1–S3 ⁱⁱⁱ | 153.35(8) | Cu2 ^{vi} –Ba4–Ba3 ^{vi} | 60.9(5) |
| S4–Ba1–S3 ⁱⁱⁱ | 125.13(8) | S3–Ba4–Ba3 ^{vi} | 50.78(6) |
| S6–Ba1–S3 ⁱⁱⁱ | 78.82(8) | S4–Ba4–Ba3 ^{vi} | 51.05(6) |
| S5 ⁱⁱ –Ba1–S3 ⁱⁱⁱ | 82.05(8) | S6–Ba4–Ba3 ^{vi} | 50.43(6) |
| S4 ⁱ –Ba1–S2 | 155.46(8) | S2 ^x –Ba4–Ba3 ^{vi} | 140.03(6) |
| S1 ⁱⁱ –Ba1–S2 | 88.29(8) | S5 ^v –Ba4–Ba3 ^{vi} | 124.52(6) |
| S4–Ba1–S2 | 121.30(8) | S1 ^{xi} –Ba4–Ba3 ^{vi} | 136.42(6) |
| S6–Ba1–S2 | 68.94(8) | S2 ^{vii} –Ba4–Ba3 ^{vi} | 87.04(6) |
| S5 ⁱⁱ –Ba1–S2 | 78.46(8) | Cu1 ^{vi} –Ba4–Ba3 ^{vi} | 48.28(4) |
| S3 ⁱⁱⁱ –Ba1–S2 | 86.52(8) | Fe1 ^{xi} –Ba4–Ba3 ^{vi} | 136.11(3) |
| S4 ⁱ –Ba1–Cu2 ^{iv} | 107.9(4) | Fe1 ^v –Ba4–Ba3 ^{vi} | 87.43(3) |
| S1 ⁱⁱ –Ba1–Cu2 ^{iv} | 164.2(4) | S1–Fe1–S6 ^{vii} | 106.19(13) |
| S4–Ba1–Cu2 ^{iv} | 94.9(3) | S1–Fe1–S2 ^{vii} | 108.59(12) |
| S6–Ba1–Cu2 ^{iv} | 41.3(4) | S6 ^{vii} –Fe1–S2 ^{vii} | 107.25(13) |
| S5 ⁱⁱ –Ba1–Cu2 ^{iv} | 118.5(3) | S1–Fe1–S5 | 108.78(12) |
| S3 ⁱⁱⁱ –Ba1–Cu2 ^{iv} | 38.8(3) | S6 ^{vii} –Fe1–S5 | 116.45(13) |
| S2–Ba1–Cu2 ^{iv} | 82.1(3) | S2 ^{vii} –Fe1–S5 | 109.32(13) |
| S4 ⁱ –Ba1–Cu1 ⁱⁱ | 38.37(6) | S1–Fe1–Ba4 ^{xi} | 65.03(9) |

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| S1 ⁱⁱ -Ba1-Cu1 ⁱⁱ | 79.64(7) | S6 ^{vii} -Fe1-Ba4 ^{xi} | 79.04(10) |
| S4-Ba1-Cu1 ⁱⁱ | 116.55(6) | S2 ^{vii} -Fe1-Ba4 ^{xi} | 62.30(9) |
| S6-Ba1-Cu1 ⁱⁱ | 157.10(8) | S5-Fe1-Ba4 ^{xi} | 164.48(10) |
| S5 ⁱⁱ -Ba1-Cu1 ⁱⁱ | 39.10(6) | S1-Fe1-Ba3 | 62.90(9) |
| S3 ⁱⁱⁱ -Ba1-Cu1 ⁱⁱ | 79.55(7) | S6 ^{vii} -Fe1-Ba3 | 156.14(11) |
| S2-Ba1-Cu1 ⁱⁱ | 117.10(6) | S2 ^{vii} -Fe1-Ba3 | 61.23(8) |
| Cu2 ^{iv} -Ba1-Cu1 ⁱⁱ | 115.9(4) | S5-Fe1-Ba3 | 87.41(9) |
| S4 ⁱ -Ba1-Fe1 ⁱⁱ | 87.35(6) | Ba4 ^{xi} -Fe1-Ba3 | 77.10(4) |
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| S4-Ba1-Fe1 ⁱⁱ | 115.31(6) | S6 ^{vii} -Fe1-Ba4 ^{vii} | 57.66(9) |
| S6-Ba1-Fe1 ⁱⁱ | 138.48(7) | S2 ^{vii} -Fe1-Ba4 ^{vii} | 123.68(9) |
| S5 ⁱⁱ -Ba1-Fe1 ⁱⁱ | 36.59(6) | S5-Fe1-Ba4 ^{vii} | 58.88(8) |
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| S2-Ba1-Fe1 ⁱⁱ | 74.16(6) | Ba3-Fe1-Ba4 ^{vii} | 146.14(5) |
| Cu2 ^{iv} -Ba1-Fe1 ⁱⁱ | 148.3(3) | S1-Fe1-Ba1 ^{xiii} | 55.51(8) |
| Cu1 ⁱⁱ -Ba1-Fe1 ⁱⁱ | 60.30(5) | S6 ^{vii} -Fe1-Ba1 ^{xiii} | 113.15(10) |
| S4 ⁱ -Ba1-Ba2 ^{iv} | 46.89(6) | S2 ^{vii} -Fe1-Ba1 ^{xiii} | 139.29(10) |
| S1 ⁱⁱ -Ba1-Ba2 ^{iv} | 132.79(6) | S5-Fe1-Ba1 ^{xiii} | 56.18(8) |
| S4-Ba1-Ba2 ^{iv} | 92.08(6) | Ba4 ^{xi} -Fe1-Ba1 ^{xiii} | 120.45(5) |
| S6-Ba1-Ba2 ^{iv} | 96.38(6) | Ba3-Fe1-Ba1 ^{xiii} | 79.27(4) |
| S5 ⁱⁱ -Ba1-Ba2 ^{iv} | 93.08(6) | Ba4 ^{vii} -Fe1-Ba1 ^{xiii} | 83.79(4) |
| S3 ⁱⁱⁱ -Ba1-Ba2 ^{iv} | 46.62(5) | S1-Fe1-Ba2 | 141.00(10) |
| S2-Ba1-Ba2 ^{iv} | 133.13(6) | S6 ^{vii} -Fe1-Ba2 | 112.63(10) |
| Cu2 ^{iv} -Ba1-Ba2 ^{iv} | 61.6(4) | S2 ^{vii} -Fe1-Ba2 | 56.49(9) |
| Cu1 ⁱⁱ -Ba1-Ba2 ^{iv} | 62.87(4) | S5-Fe1-Ba2 | 56.49(8) |
| Fe1 ⁱⁱ -Ba1-Ba2 ^{iv} | 123.09(3) | Ba4 ^{xi} -Fe1-Ba2 | 118.46(5) |
| S4 ⁱ -Ba1-Ba2 ^v | 132.35(6) | Ba3-Fe1-Ba2 | 79.58(4) |
| S1 ⁱⁱ -Ba1-Ba2 ^v | 46.43(6) | Ba4 ^{vii} -Fe1-Ba2 | 78.83(3) |
| S4-Ba1-Ba2 ^v | 88.72(6) | Ba1 ^{xiii} -Fe1-Ba2 | 109.58(4) |
| S6-Ba1-Ba2 ^v | 84.80(6) | S1-Fe1-Ba2 ^{vii} | 55.35(8) |
| S5 ⁱⁱ -Ba1-Ba2 ^v | 85.70(6) | S6 ^{vii} -Fe1-Ba2 ^{vii} | 54.16(9) |
| S3 ⁱⁱⁱ -Ba1-Ba2 ^v | 133.41(6) | S2 ^{vii} -Fe1-Ba2 ^{vii} | 136.87(10) |
| S2-Ba1-Ba2 ^v | 46.94(5) | S5-Fe1-Ba2 ^{vii} | 113.77(9) |
| Cu2 ^{iv} -Ba1-Ba2 ^v | 119.3(4) | Ba4 ^{xi} -Fe1-Ba2 ^{vii} | 75.30(4) |
| Cu1 ⁱⁱ -Ba1-Ba2 ^v | 115.88(4) | Ba3-Fe1-Ba2 ^{vii} | 118.18(4) |
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| S3 ^{vi} -Ba2-S4 ⁱⁱⁱ | 89.09(8) | Ba2-Fe1-Ba2 ^{vii} | 160.75(5) |
| S3 ^{vi} -Ba2-S6 | 84.75(8) | Cu2-Cu1-S4 ^{vi} | 81.2(12) |
| S4 ⁱⁱⁱ -Ba2-S6 | 78.75(9) | Cu2-Cu1-S3 ^{vi} | 80.2(12) |
| S3 ^{vi} -Ba2-S1 ^v | 154.64(8) | S4 ^{vi} -Cu1-S3 ^{vi} | 116.08(13) |
| S4 ⁱⁱⁱ -Ba2-S1 ^v | 88.34(8) | Cu2-Cu1-S5 | 137.3(12) |
| S6-Ba2-S1 ^v | 70.01(8) | S4 ^{vi} -Cu1-S5 | 116.96(14) |
| S3 ^{vi} -Ba2-S2 ^{vii} | 83.37(8) | S3 ^{vi} -Cu1-S5 | 117.87(14) |
| S4 ⁱⁱⁱ -Ba2-S2 ^{vii} | 156.79(8) | Cu2-Cu1-Ba3 | 125.2(12) |
| S6-Ba2-S2 ^{vii} | 78.72(8) | S4 ^{vi} -Cu1-Ba3 | 71.73(9) |
| S1 ^v -Ba2-S2 ^{vii} | 89.19(8) | S3 ^{vi} -Cu1-Ba3 | 71.08(9) |
| S3 ^{vi} -Ba2-S1 ^{viii} | 121.96(8) | S5-Cu1-Ba3 | 97.48(11) |

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| S4 ⁱⁱⁱ –Ba2–S1 ^{viii} | 79.13(8) | Cu2–Cu1–Ba4 ^{vi} | 48.4(12) |
| S6–Ba2–S1 ^{viii} | 144.72(8) | S4 ^{vi} –Cu1–Ba4 ^{vi} | 61.52(9) |
| S1 ^v –Ba2–S1 ^{viii} | 82.22(8) | S3 ^{vi} –Cu1–Ba4 ^{vi} | 60.54(9) |
| S2 ^{vii} –Ba2–S1 ^{viii} | 123.33(8) | S5–Cu1–Ba4 ^{vi} | 174.25(12) |
| S3 ^{vi} –Ba2–S5 | 77.02(8) | Ba3–Cu1–Ba4 ^{vi} | 76.77(4) |
| S4 ⁱⁱⁱ –Ba2–S5 | 128.96(8) | Cu2–Cu1–Ba2 | 114.3(12) |
| S6–Ba2–S5 | 145.69(8) | S4 ^{vi} –Cu1–Ba2 | 160.11(12) |
| S1 ^v –Ba2–S5 | 123.11(8) | S3 ^{vi} –Cu1–Ba2 | 58.12(8) |
| S2 ^{vii} –Ba2–S5 | 70.57(8) | S5–Cu1–Ba2 | 60.86(9) |
| S1 ^{viii} –Ba2–S5 | 68.39(7) | Ba3–Cu1–Ba2 | 88.70(6) |
| S3 ^{vi} –Ba2–Cu1 | 38.55(6) | Ba4 ^{vi} –Cu1–Ba2 | 118.42(5) |
| S4 ⁱⁱⁱ –Ba2–Cu1 | 108.85(7) | Cu2–Cu1–Ba1 ^{xiii} | 116.4(12) |
| S6–Ba2–Cu1 | 120.42(7) | S4 ^{vi} –Cu1–Ba1 ^{xiii} | 57.80(9) |
| S1 ^v –Ba2–Cu1 | 160.91(7) | S3 ^{vi} –Cu1–Ba1 ^{xiii} | 158.62(12) |
| S2 ^{vii} –Ba2–Cu1 | 78.23(7) | S5–Cu1–Ba1 ^{xiii} | 59.94(9) |
| S1 ^{viii} –Ba2–Cu1 | 92.68(6) | Ba3–Cu1–Ba1 ^{xiii} | 87.86(5) |
| S5–Ba2–Cu1 | 39.00(6) | Ba4 ^{vi} –Cu1–Ba1 ^{xiii} | 119.21(5) |
| S3 ^{vi} –Ba2–Cu2 ^{iv} | 78.8(3) | Ba2–Cu1–Ba1 ^{xiii} | 119.59(6) |
| S4 ⁱⁱⁱ –Ba2–Cu2 ^{iv} | 38.8(3) | Cu2–Cu1–Ba3 ^{viii} | 76.0(12) |
| S6–Ba2–Cu2 ^{iv} | 41.1(4) | S4 ^{vi} –Cu1–Ba3 ^{viii} | 116.61(10) |
| S1 ^v –Ba2–Cu2 ^{iv} | 83.5(3) | S3 ^{vi} –Cu1–Ba3 ^{viii} | 116.88(10) |
| S2 ^{vii} –Ba2–Cu2 ^{iv} | 118.1(3) | S5–Cu1–Ba3 ^{viii} | 61.33(8) |
| S1 ^{viii} –Ba2–Cu2 ^{iv} | 116.4(3) | Ba3–Cu1–Ba3 ^{viii} | 158.80(8) |
| S5–Ba2–Cu2 ^{iv} | 153.1(4) | Ba4 ^{vi} –Cu1–Ba3 ^{viii} | 124.42(7) |
| Cu1–Ba2–Cu2 ^{iv} | 115.0(3) | Ba2–Cu1–Ba3 ^{viii} | 80.62(4) |
| S3 ^{vi} –Ba2–Fe1 | 86.56(6) | Ba1 ^{xiii} –Cu1–Ba3 ^{viii} | 81.70(4) |
| S4 ⁱⁱⁱ –Ba2–Fe1 | 165.23(7) | Cu1–Cu2–S3 ^{vi} | 77.6(13) |
| S6–Ba2–Fe1 | 114.82(7) | Cu1–Cu2–S4 ^{vi} | 76.7(13) |
| S1 ^v –Ba2–Fe1 | 101.54(6) | S3 ^{vi} –Cu2–S4 ^{vi} | 113.9(8) |
| S2 ^{vii} –Ba2–Fe1 | 36.11(6) | Cu1–Cu2–S6 ^{xii} | 152.7(15) |
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| S5–Ba2–Fe1 | 36.27(6) | S4 ^{vi} –Cu2–S6 ^{xii} | 113.5(9) |
| Cu1–Ba2–Fe1 | 60.02(5) | Cu1–Cu2–Ba4 ^{vi} | 119.0(14) |
| Cu2 ^{iv} –Ba2–Fe1 | 152.4(3) | S3 ^{vi} –Cu2–Ba4 ^{vi} | 70.4(5) |
| S3 ^{vi} –Ba2–Fe1 ^v | 119.06(6) | S4 ^{vi} –Cu2–Ba4 ^{vi} | 71.4(5) |
| S4 ⁱⁱⁱ –Ba2–Fe1 ^v | 90.43(6) | S6 ^{xii} –Cu2–Ba4 ^{vi} | 88.2(7) |
| S6–Ba2–Fe1 ^v | 35.96(6) | Cu1–Cu2–Ba3 ^{viii} | 90.2(12) |
| S1 ^v –Ba2–Fe1 ^v | 35.77(6) | S3 ^{vi} –Cu2–Ba3 ^{viii} | 120.3(6) |
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| S1 ^{viii} –Ba2–Fe1 ^v | 117.65(6) | S6 ^{xii} –Cu2–Ba3 ^{viii} | 62.6(4) |
| S5–Ba2–Fe1 ^v | 139.22(6) | Ba4 ^{vi} –Cu2–Ba3 ^{viii} | 150.8(9) |
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| S4 ⁱⁱⁱ –Ba2–Ba1 ^{xii} | 46.46(6) | Ba4 ^{vi} –Cu2–Ba1 ^{xii} | 84.9(5) |
| S6–Ba2–Ba1 ^{xii} | 96.29(7) | Ba3 ^{viii} –Cu2–Ba1 ^{xii} | 79.3(4) |
| S1 ^v –Ba2–Ba1 ^{xii} | 134.80(6) | Cu1–Cu2–Ba2 ^{xii} | 118.6(14) |

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| S2 ^{vii} –Ba2–Ba1 ^{xii} | 131.51(6) | S3 ^{vi} –Cu2–Ba2 ^{xii} | 155.1(8) |
| S1 ^{viii} –Ba2–Ba1 ^{xii} | 87.95(6) | S4 ^{vi} –Cu2–Ba2 ^{xii} | 57.8(4) |
| S5–Ba2–Ba1 ^{xii} | 92.88(6) | S6 ^{xii} –Cu2–Ba2 ^{xii} | 57.9(4) |
| Cu1–Ba2–Ba1 ^{xii} | 62.87(4) | Ba4 ^{vi} –Cu2–Ba2 ^{xii} | 84.8(5) |
| Cu2 ^{iv} –Ba2–Ba1 ^{xii} | 61.9(4) | Ba3 ^{viii} –Cu2–Ba2 ^{xii} | 80.5(4) |
| Fe1–Ba2–Ba1 ^{xii} | 122.77(3) | Ba1 ^{xii} –Cu2–Ba2 ^{xii} | 116.4(7) |
| Fe1 ^v –Ba2–Ba1 ^{xii} | 126.43(3) | Cu1–Cu2–Ba3 | 43.9(10) |
| S3–Ba3–Cu1 | 126.29(7) | S3 ^{vi} –Cu2–Ba3 | 59.4(5) |
| S3–Ba3–S2 ^{vii} | 85.62(8) | S4 ^{vi} –Cu2–Ba3 | 59.9(5) |
| Cu1–Ba3–S2 ^{vii} | 84.43(7) | S6 ^{xii} –Cu2–Ba3 | 163.2(8) |
| S3–Ba3–S6 ^{vi} | 82.89(8) | Ba4 ^{vi} –Cu2–Ba3 | 75.1(4) |
| Cu1–Ba3–S6 ^{vi} | 98.42(7) | Ba3 ^{viii} –Cu2–Ba3 | 134.1(7) |
| S2 ^{vii} –Ba3–S6 ^{vi} | 167.50(8) | Ba1 ^{xii} –Cu2–Ba3 | 119.6(5) |
| S3–Ba3–S3 ^{vi} | 85.31(8) | Ba2 ^{xii} –Cu2–Ba3 | 117.6(5) |
| Cu1–Ba3–S3 ^{vi} | 40.99(6) | Fe1–S1–Ba1 ^{xiii} | 88.31(10) |
| S2 ^{vii} –Ba3–S3 ^{vi} | 80.40(8) | Fe1–S1–Ba2 ^{vii} | 88.88(10) |
| S6 ^{vi} –Ba3–S3 ^{vi} | 93.72(8) | Ba1 ^{xiii} –S1–Ba2 ^{vii} | 87.61(8) |
| S3–Ba3–S5 ^{ix} | 82.13(8) | Fe1–S1–Ba2 ^{ix} | 169.85(13) |
| Cu1–Ba3–S5 ^{ix} | 150.26(7) | Ba1 ^{xiii} –S1–Ba2 ^{ix} | 99.57(8) |
| S2 ^{vii} –Ba3–S5 ^{ix} | 90.01(8) | Ba2 ^{vii} –S1–Ba2 ^{ix} | 97.78(8) |
| S6 ^{vi} –Ba3–S5 ^{ix} | 93.29(8) | Fe1–S1–Ba3 | 79.44(10) |
| S3 ^{vi} –Ba3–S5 ^{ix} | 164.74(8) | Ba1 ^{xiii} –S1–Ba3 | 95.20(8) |
| S3–Ba3–S1 | 138.75(8) | Ba2 ^{vii} –S1–Ba3 | 167.87(10) |
| Cu1–Ba3–S1 | 84.10(7) | Ba2 ^{ix} –S1–Ba3 | 93.39(7) |
| S2 ^{vii} –Ba3–S1 | 68.74(7) | Fe1–S1–Ba4 ^{xi} | 76.51(9) |
| S6 ^{vi} –Ba3–S1 | 123.57(8) | Ba1 ^{xiii} –S1–Ba4 ^{xi} | 164.45(10) |
| S3 ^{vi} –Ba3–S1 | 119.51(7) | Ba2 ^{vii} –S1–Ba4 ^{xi} | 88.71(8) |
| S5 ^{ix} –Ba3–S1 | 66.73(7) | Ba2 ^{ix} –S1–Ba4 ^{xi} | 95.90(8) |
| S3–Ba3–S4 ^{vi} | 140.84(8) | Ba3–S1–Ba4 ^{xi} | 85.45(7) |
| Cu1–Ba3–S4 ^{vi} | 40.64(6) | Fe1 ^v –S2–Ba4 ⁱⁱⁱ | 78.57(9) |
| S2 ^{vii} –Ba3–S4 ^{vi} | 119.63(7) | Fe1 ^v –S2–Ba2 ^v | 87.40(10) |
| S6 ^{vi} –Ba3–S4 ^{vi} | 68.00(8) | Ba4 ⁱⁱⁱ –S2–Ba2 ^v | 164.47(11) |
| S3 ^{vi} –Ba3–S4 ^{vi} | 71.62(8) | Fe1 ^v –S2–Ba3 ^v | 80.65(10) |
| S5 ^{ix} –Ba3–S4 ^{vi} | 123.62(8) | Ba4 ⁱⁱⁱ –S2–Ba3 ^v | 88.19(8) |
| S1–Ba3–S4 ^{vi} | 80.36(8) | Ba2 ^v –S2–Ba3 ^v | 96.14(8) |
| S3–Ba3–Cu2 ^{ix} | 80.4(3) | Fe1 ^v –S2–Ba1 | 87.33(10) |
| Cu1–Ba3–Cu2 ^{ix} | 132.8(4) | Ba4 ⁱⁱⁱ –S2–Ba1 | 88.03(8) |
| S2 ^{vii} –Ba3–Cu2 ^{ix} | 140.8(4) | Ba2 ^v –S2–Ba1 | 84.66(7) |
| S6 ^{vi} –Ba3–Cu2 ^{ix} | 41.3(4) | Ba3 ^v –S2–Ba1 | 167.89(11) |
| S3 ^{vi} –Ba3–Cu2 ^{ix} | 133.9(4) | Fe1 ^v –S2–Ba4 ^v | 170.33(13) |
| S5 ^{ix} –Ba3–Cu2 ^{ix} | 52.1(4) | Ba4 ⁱⁱⁱ –S2–Ba4 ^v | 95.08(8) |
| S1–Ba3–Cu2 ^{ix} | 99.2(4) | Ba2 ^v –S2–Ba4 ^v | 99.65(8) |
| S4 ^{vi} –Ba3–Cu2 ^{ix} | 93.1(4) | Ba3 ^v –S2–Ba4 ^v | 91.95(8) |
| S3–Ba3–Fe1 | 123.61(6) | Ba1–S2–Ba4 ^v | 99.84(8) |
| Cu1–Ba3–Fe1 | 66.00(5) | Cu1 ^{vi} –S3–Cu2 ^{vi} | 22.2(6) |
| S2 ^{vii} –Ba3–Fe1 | 38.12(6) | Cu1 ^{vi} –S3–Ba3 | 162.59(14) |
| S6 ^{vi} –Ba3–Fe1 | 153.46(6) | Cu2 ^{vi} –S3–Ba3 | 164.9(5) |
| S3 ^{vi} –Ba3–Fe1 | 87.73(6) | Cu1 ^{vi} –S3–Ba2 ^{vi} | 83.33(10) |

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| S5 ^{ix} –Ba3–Fe1 | 92.02(6) | Cu2 ^{vi} –S3–Ba2 ^{vi} | 96.7(5) |
| S1–Ba3–Fe1 | 37.66(5) | Ba3–S3–Ba2 ^{vi} | 98.45(9) |
| S4 ^{vi} –Ba3–Fe1 | 87.50(6) | Cu1 ^{vi} –S3–Ba4 | 80.00(10) |
| Cu2 ^{ix} –Ba3–Fe1 | 136.1(4) | Cu2 ^{vi} –S3–Ba4 | 65.7(5) |
| S3–Ba3–Cu1 ^{ix} | 80.02(6) | Ba3–S3–Ba4 | 99.19(8) |
| Cu1–Ba3–Cu1 ^{ix} | 142.76(5) | Ba2 ^{vi} –S3–Ba4 | 162.35(11) |
| S2 ^{vii} –Ba3–Cu1 ^{ix} | 127.51(7) | Cu1 ^{vi} –S3–Ba1 ^x | 97.43(11) |
| S6 ^{vi} –Ba3–Cu1 ^{ix} | 55.04(7) | Cu2 ^{vi} –S3–Ba1 ^x | 81.0(6) |
| S3 ^{vi} –Ba3–Cu1 ^{ix} | 146.70(7) | Ba3–S3–Ba1 ^x | 99.97(9) |
| S5 ^{ix} –Ba3–Cu1 ^{ix} | 38.26(6) | Ba2 ^{vi} –S3–Ba1 ^x | 85.19(7) |
| S1–Ba3–Cu1 ^{ix} | 90.38(6) | Ba4–S3–Ba1 ^x | 91.23(8) |
| S4 ^{vi} –Ba3–Cu1 ^{ix} | 102.12(6) | Cu1 ^{vi} –S3–Ba3 ^{vi} | 67.94(9) |
| Cu2 ^{ix} –Ba3–Cu1 ^{ix} | 13.8(4) | Cu2 ^{vi} –S3–Ba3 ^{vi} | 83.6(6) |
| Fe1–Ba3–Cu1 ^{ix} | 125.21(5) | Ba3–S3–Ba3 ^{vi} | 94.68(8) |
| S3–Ba3–Cu2 | 120.9(3) | Ba2 ^{vi} –S3–Ba3 ^{vi} | 97.27(8) |
| Cu1–Ba3–Cu2 | 10.9(3) | Ba4–S3–Ba3 ^{vi} | 81.83(7) |
| S2 ^{vii} –Ba3–Cu2 | 93.3(3) | Ba1 ^x –S3–Ba3 ^{vi} | 164.63(11) |
| S6 ^{vi} –Ba3–Cu2 | 88.4(3) | Cu1 ^{vi} –S4–Cu2 ^{vi} | 22.2(6) |
| S3 ^{vi} –Ba3–Cu2 | 37.0(3) | Cu1 ^{vi} –S4–Ba1 ⁱ | 83.83(10) |
| S5 ^{ix} –Ba3–Cu2 | 156.9(3) | Cu2 ^{vi} –S4–Ba1 ⁱ | 97.9(5) |
| S1–Ba3–Cu2 | 93.2(3) | Cu1 ^{vi} –S4–Ba2 ^x | 99.71(11) |
| S4 ^{vi} –Ba3–Cu2 | 37.0(3) | Cu2 ^{vi} –S4–Ba2 ^x | 83.5(6) |
| Cu2 ^{ix} –Ba3–Cu2 | 125.2(6) | Ba1 ⁱ –S4–Ba2 ^x | 86.65(8) |
| Fe1–Ba3–Cu2 | 76.9(3) | Cu1 ^{vi} –S4–Ba1 | 158.38(14) |
| Cu1 ^{ix} –Ba3–Cu2 | 137.0(3) | Cu2 ^{vi} –S4–Ba1 | 162.6(5) |
| Cu2 ^{vi} –Ba4–S3 | 43.9(4) | Ba1 ⁱ –S4–Ba1 | 99.02(9) |
| Cu2 ^{vi} –Ba4–S4 | 43.7(4) | Ba2 ^x –S4–Ba1 | 101.85(9) |
| S3–Ba4–S4 | 75.78(8) | Cu1 ^{vi} –S4–Ba4 | 79.34(10) |
| Cu2 ^{vi} –Ba4–S6 | 105.6(5) | Cu2 ^{vi} –S4–Ba4 | 64.9(5) |
| S3–Ba4–S6 | 98.76(8) | Ba1 ⁱ –S4–Ba4 | 162.75(11) |
| S4–Ba4–S6 | 70.92(8) | Ba2 ^x –S4–Ba4 | 92.42(8) |
| Cu2 ^{vi} –Ba4–S2 ^x | 94.1(4) | Ba1–S4–Ba4 | 98.03(8) |
| S3–Ba4–S2 ^x | 89.36(8) | Cu1 ^{vi} –S4–Ba3 ^{vi} | 67.62(9) |
| S4–Ba4–S2 ^x | 130.58(8) | Cu2 ^{vi} –S4–Ba3 ^{vi} | 83.1(6) |
| S6–Ba4–S2 ^x | 158.47(8) | Ba1 ⁱ –S4–Ba3 ^{vi} | 96.18(8) |
| Cu2 ^{vi} –Ba4–S5 ^v | 155.4(4) | Ba2 ^x –S4–Ba3 ^{vi} | 166.52(11) |
| S3–Ba4–S5 ^v | 160.21(8) | Ba1–S4–Ba3 ^{vi} | 90.76(8) |
| S4–Ba4–S5 ^v | 117.53(8) | Ba4–S4–Ba3 ^{vi} | 80.97(7) |
| S6–Ba4–S5 ^v | 74.12(8) | Fe1–S5–Cu1 | 109.10(13) |
| S2 ^x –Ba4–S5 ^v | 91.58(8) | Fe1–S5–Ba1 ^{xiii} | 87.22(10) |
| Cu2 ^{vi} –Ba4–S1 ^{xi} | 92.5(4) | Cu1–S5–Ba1 ^{xiii} | 80.96(9) |
| S3–Ba4–S1 ^{xi} | 130.93(8) | Fe1–S5–Ba2 | 87.24(10) |
| S4–Ba4–S1 ^{xi} | 85.61(8) | Cu1–S5–Ba2 | 80.14(10) |
| S6–Ba4–S1 ^{xi} | 117.48(8) | Ba1 ^{xiii} –S5–Ba2 | 157.34(10) |
| S2 ^x –Ba4–S1 ^{xi} | 69.17(8) | Fe1–S5–Ba4 ^{vii} | 83.95(10) |
| S5 ^v –Ba4–S1 ^{xi} | 67.28(7) | Cu1–S5–Ba4 ^{vii} | 166.36(13) |
| Cu2 ^{vi} –Ba4–S2 ^{vii} | 127.1(4) | Ba1 ^{xiii} –S5–Ba4 ^{vii} | 104.21(9) |
| S3–Ba4–S2 ^{vii} | 83.18(8) | Ba2–S5–Ba4 ^{vii} | 97.03(8) |

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| S4–Ba4–S2 ^{vii} | 137.41(8) | Fe1–S5–Ba3 ^{viii} | 170.43(13) |
| S6–Ba4–S2 ^{vii} | 76.38(8) | Cu1–S5–Ba3 ^{viii} | 80.41(10) |
| S2 ^x –Ba4–S2 ^{vii} | 84.92(8) | Ba1 ^{xiii} –S5–Ba3 ^{viii} | 95.57(8) |
| S5 ^v –Ba4–S2 ^{vii} | 77.22(7) | Ba2–S5–Ba3 ^{viii} | 93.51(8) |
| S1 ^{xi} –Ba4–S2 ^{vii} | 134.55(8) | Ba4 ^{vii} –S5–Ba3 ^{viii} | 86.49(7) |
| Cu2 ^{vi} –Ba4–Cu1 ^{vi} | 12.6(5) | Fe1 ^v –S6–Cu2 ^{iv} | 117.5(5) |
| S3–Ba4–Cu1 ^{vi} | 39.45(6) | Fe1 ^v –S6–Ba2 | 89.87(11) |
| S4–Ba4–Cu1 ^{vi} | 39.13(6) | Cu2 ^{iv} –S6–Ba2 | 81.0(4) |
| S6–Ba4–Cu1 ^{vi} | 93.99(7) | Fe1 ^v –S6–Ba1 | 90.50(11) |
| S2 ^x –Ba4–Cu1 ^{vi} | 104.71(7) | Cu2 ^{iv} –S6–Ba1 | 79.4(4) |
| S5 ^v –Ba4–Cu1 ^{vi} | 156.59(7) | Ba2–S6–Ba1 | 158.12(12) |
| S1 ^{xi} –Ba4–Cu1 ^{vi} | 102.57(6) | Fe1 ^v –S6–Ba4 | 85.34(11) |
| S2 ^{vii} –Ba4–Cu1 ^{vi} | 120.24(6) | Cu2 ^{iv} –S6–Ba4 | 156.8(5) |
| Cu2 ^{vi} –Ba4–Fe1 ^{xi} | 75.3(5) | Ba2–S6–Ba4 | 104.64(9) |
| S3–Ba4–Fe1 ^{xi} | 98.38(6) | Ba1–S6–Ba4 | 97.20(9) |
| S4–Ba4–Fe1 ^{xi} | 96.05(6) | Fe1 ^v –S6–Ba3 ^{vi} | 166.35(15) |
| S6–Ba4–Fe1 ^{xi} | 155.06(7) | Cu2 ^{iv} –S6–Ba3 ^{vi} | 76.1(5) |
| S2 ^x –Ba4–Fe1 ^{xi} | 39.13(6) | Ba2–S6–Ba3 ^{vi} | 93.67(8) |
| S5 ^v –Ba4–Fe1 ^{xi} | 94.76(6) | Ba1–S6–Ba3 ^{vi} | 91.09(8) |
| S1 ^{xi} –Ba4–Fe1 ^{xi} | 38.46(6) | Ba4–S6–Ba3 ^{vi} | 81.00(7) |
| S2 ^{vii} –Ba4–Fe1 ^{xi} | 123.69(6) | | |

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

Table SI3: The fractional atomic coordinates and $U_{\text{iso}}/U_{\text{eq}}$ values for the orthorhombic $\text{Ba}_4\text{FeCuS}_6$ (space group: $Pnma$) structure.^a

| Atoms | Wyckoff position | Site symmetry | SOF | x | y | z | $U_{\text{iso}}/U_{\text{eq}}$ |
|-------|------------------|---------------|-----|-------------|----------|-------------|--------------------------------|
| Ba1 | 4c | .m. | 1 | 0.48949(9) | 0.250000 | 0.32485(9) | 0.0160(3) |
| Ba2 | 4c | .m. | 1 | 0.82477(11) | 0.250000 | 0.51773(14) | 0.0304(4) |
| Fe1 | 4c | .m. | 0.5 | 0.7563(3) | 0.750000 | 0.3061(3) | 0.0677(18) |
| Cu1 | 4c | .m. | 0.5 | 0.7563(3) | 0.750000 | 0.3061(3) | 0.0677(18) |
| S1 | 4c | .m. | 1 | 0.6338(4) | 0.750000 | 0.4451(4) | 0.0176(10) |
| S2 | 4c | .m. | 1 | 0.9384(4) | 0.750000 | 0.3609(4) | 0.0206(10) |
| S3 | 4c | .m. | 1 | 0.7240(4) | 0.250000 | 0.2068(4) | 0.043(2) |

^a $U_{\text{iso}}/U_{\text{eq}}$ is the one-third value of the trace of the orthogonalized U_{ij} tensor.

Table S14: Atomic displacement parameter (\AA^2) for Orthorhombic $\text{Ba}_4\text{FeCuS}_6$ (space group: $Pnma$)

| | U^{11} | U^{22} | U^{33} | U^{12} | U^{13} | U^{23} |
|-----|------------|-----------|------------|----------|-------------|----------|
| Ba1 | 0.0084(5) | 0.0244(6) | 0.0153(5) | 0.000 | -0.0001(4) | 0.000 |
| Ba2 | 0.0123(6) | 0.0265(7) | 0.0524(9) | 0.000 | 0.0048(5) | 0.000 |
| Fe1 | 0.0125(14) | 0.165(6) | 0.0252(17) | 0.000 | 0.0047(12) | 0.000 |
| Cu1 | 0.0125(14) | 0.165(6) | 0.0252(17) | 0.000 | 0.0047(12) | 0.000 |
| S1 | 0.0115(19) | 0.028(3) | 0.0134(19) | 0.000 | 0.0012(16) | 0.000 |
| S2 | 0.015(2) | 0.029(3) | 0.018(2) | 0.000 | -0.0025(17) | 0.000 |
| S3 | 0.008(2) | 0.104(7) | 0.019(2) | 0.000 | 0.0022(18) | 0.000 |

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