

# Electronic structure and magnetic properties of $\text{Ce}_2\text{Pd}_{1-x}\text{Co}_x\text{Si}_3$ and $\text{Ce}_2\text{Pd}_{1-x}\text{Fe}_x\text{Si}_3$

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The electronic structure and magnetic properties of intermetallic phase  $\text{Ce}_2\text{Pd}_x\text{Co}_{1-x}\text{Si}_3$  and  $\text{Ce}_2\text{Pd}_x\text{Fe}_{1-x}\text{Si}_3$  have been investigated. We used the self consistent tight-binding linear muffin orbital (TB-LMTO) method in the atomic-sphere-approximation (ASA) [1] and the

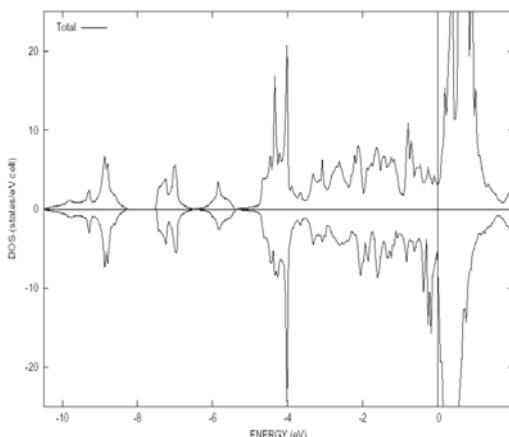


Fig. 1. Total density of states of  $\text{Ce}_2\text{Pd}_{0.5}\text{Fe}_{0.5}\text{Si}_3$ .

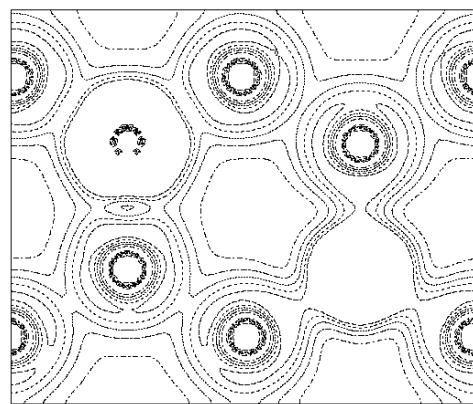


Fig. 2. Charge density of  $\text{Ce}_2\text{Pd}_{0.75}\text{Fe}_{0.25}\text{Si}_3$  in plane (002).

Korringa-Kohn-Rostoker (KKR) method with the coherent potential approximation (CPA) [2]. The electronic properties of  $\text{Ce}_2\text{Pd}_{1-x}\text{Co}_x\text{Si}_3$  and  $\text{Ce}_2\text{Pd}_{1-x}\text{Fe}_x\text{Si}_3$  alloys were calculated for the experimental lattice parameters [3]. Total density of states (Fig. 1), band structure and charge density plots (Fig. 2) were used to describe the fundamental properties of investigated systems.

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