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# Ternary Gold Hydrides: Routes to Stable and Potentially Superconducting Compounds

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# 2 Comparison with Experiment (Li<sub>2</sub>PdH<sub>2</sub> and Na<sub>2</sub>PdH<sub>2</sub>)



**Figure S1.** The experimental I4/mmm latm structures of  $[A]_2PdH_2$  (A = Li, Na) were correctly identified as the ground states by CALYPSO. We did not search for  $K_2PdH_2$ . The structural agreement with experiment was excellent, and their close relation to proposed ternaries of  $AuH_2$  validates our approach.

**Table S1.** Comparisons of unit cell volumes (in Ångström) with experimental references and at different levels of theory. Calculations used a kinetic energy cutoff of 800 eV, unless otherwise stated. Experimental structures are from the ICSD database.

Compound	Space group	V(exp)	V(PBE)	V(PBE+D3)	V(HSE06)
Na <sub>2</sub> PdH <sub>2</sub>	I4mmm	146.22	145.9	134.9	-
$Li_2PdH_2$	I4mmm	99.97	99.7	91.4	-
$Ba(AuH_2)_2$	<i>I4</i>	n/a	125.5	117.9 (116.7 <sup>a</sup> )	(123.71) <sup>a</sup>

<sup>a</sup> Volume was calculated using a 400 eV kinetic energy cutoff.

# 3 3D Convex Hulls for Selected Ternaries

## 3.1 K-Au-H



Figure S2. A calculated segment of the three-component phase diagram of K, Au and H in the ground state (left). Blue lines between green circles connect stable phases.  $K(AuH_2)_2$  is stable.



## 3.2 Ba-Au-H

**Figure S3.** A calculated segment of the three-component phase diagram of Ba, Au and H in the ground state (left). Blue lines between green circles connect stable phases. Unstable  $Au_xH_y$  binaries have been omitted.  $Ba(AuH_2)_2$  is metastable (but just barely) with respect to decomposition into  $BaAu_2$  and  $H_2$ . Its synthesis nevertheless appears possible from CsAuH<sub>2</sub>.



**Figure S4.** A calculated segment of the three-component phase diagram of Sr, Au and H in the ground state (left). Blue lines between green circles connect stable phases. Unstable  $Au_xH_y$  binaries have been omitted.  $Sr(AuH_2)_2$  is metastable (but just barely) with respect to decomposition into  $SrAu_2$  and  $H_2$ . Its synthesis nevertheless appears possible from  $CsAuH_2$ .

## 4 Electronic Structure Data for Select Materials



4.1 Molecular Orbitals for AuH<sub>2</sub><sup>-</sup>

**Figure S5.** Approximate MO diagram for  $AuH_2^-$  formation from Au and  $H_2$ . The composite molecule has 14 valence electrons, so all orbitals shown for  $AuH_2^-$  are occupied, and their relative ordering is taken from a PBE/Def2-TZVPD calculation. Note the distinct Au-6p character of the frontier orbital, and the lowering of the delta  $\delta_g$  relative  $\pi_g$ .



## 4.2 Orbital-projected DOS for Pure Gold

**Figure S6.** Density of States (DOS) for gold at 1atm. The DOS at the Fermi level is dominated by d-levels, with an admixture of s and p in equal amounts.

## 4.3 Effect of Spin-Orbit Coupling



Figure S7. Stability of the band structure of P4/mmm KAuH<sub>2</sub> at latm, with and without spin-orbit coupling.



**Figure S8.** Stability of the band structure of  $I4 Ba(AuH_2)_2$  at latm with and without spin-orbit coupling. This figure does not follow the Brillouin zone path shown in the main article, but a longer one, with incorrect labeling. This does not matter - it captures all the important points, and demonstrates the insensitivity of the Fermi surface with respect to spin-orbit coupling.



## 4.4 Band Structure and COHP Analysis of KAuH2, *P*2<sub>1</sub>2<sub>1</sub>2<sub>1</sub>

*Figure S9. PBE Band structure and crystal orbital Hamilton population (COHP) analysis of the predicted metastable*  $P2_12_12_1$  *phase of KAuH*<sub>2</sub> *at latm.* 

## 4.5 Band Structure of *I*4 Ba(AuH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>2</sub> with PBE and HSE06



**Figure S10**. The band structure of I4  $Ba(AuH_2)_2$  calculated with PBE and HSE06, a 80meV gap opens up at the latter level of theory. The gap is small and thermal excitation under ambient conditions is likely to close it.

## 4.6 Band Structure of *I*4 Sr(AuH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>2</sub> with PBE and HSE06, and Fermi surface.



**Figure S11.** Stability of the band structure of  $I4 Sr(AuH_2)_2$  with respect to the level of theory. The Fermi surface is slightly more complex than the  $Ba(AuH_2)_2$ -analog (shown in Figure S10) due to one additional band crossing the Fermi surface close to the Z-point.

# 5 Calculated Radii of Some Atoms, Anions and Cations and their Correlation with Energies of Formation.

A selection of radii for atoms and ions are shown in Table S2 for comparison. One reasonable assumption is that the packing of similarly sized ions makes for higher lattice energy. This argument is corroborated by the trend in formation energies calculated for alkali metal ternaries of  $AuH_2^-$ , which vary linearly with cation size (Figure S3).

AuH <sub>2</sub> <sup>-</sup>	2.63 <sup>b</sup>	Au	2.26	$Li^+$	0.98	Ba <sup>2+</sup>	1.97
H-	2.10	$Au^+$	1.99	$Na^+$	1.33	Ca <sup>2+</sup>	1.58
Н	1.54	Au	2.55	$K^+$	1.75		
				$Rb^+$	1.91		
				$Cs^+$	2.12		

**Table S2.** A selection of relevant ionic and atomic VdW radii (Å).<sup>a</sup>

<sup>*a*</sup>Data is from ref. <sup>59</sup>, supplemented with the radius of  $Ca^{2+}$  and  $Ba^{2+}$ . <sup>*b*</sup>Calculated from the volume of the molecular anion, averaged to a sphere.



Figure S12. The formation energy of gold hydride ternaries is related to the counterion radius.

## 6 Vibrational Analyses

#### 6.1 Convergence with Respect to Size of Supercell

We typically used  $3x_3x_3$  supercells when calculating phonon dispersion and thermal corrections in VASP. The two exceptions are electron-phonon calculations on Ba(AuH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>2</sub> and Sr(AuH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>2</sub> using the all-electron ELK code. The latter are very computationally intensive and we were limited to  $2x_2x_2$  supercells. Using VASP we verified that the phonon density of states and the total Gibbs energy at 300K did not change with further expansion of the supercell (Table S3). The fortunate circumstance of a small supercell (or small q-mesh) likely arises due to the molecular character of these solids.

**Table S3.** Stability of thermal corrections with respect to supercell size for the I4 phase of  $Sr(AuH_2)_2$  at 1 atm. Energies are given in kcal/mol formula unit.

Supercell size	ZPE	G <sup>0</sup> <sub>300K</sub>
2x2x2	18.21	10.60
3x3x3	18.22	10.59
4x4x4	18.23	10.60

## 6.2 KAuH<sub>2</sub> phases



**Figure S13.** Phonon spectrum of  $KAuH_2$  in the metastable phase  $P2_12_12_1$  at 1 atm. Inset shows the low energy part of the phonon spectrum. Assignments and comparison with of gas-phase  $AuH_2^-$  is shown at right. Molecular vibrational frequencies are within brackets. Model shows geometry of  $AuH_2^-$ , which is near identical in the gas phase and in the  $KAuH_2$  crystal at 1 atm.



**Figure S14.** The phonon spectra of the I4/mcm phase of  $KAuH_2$  at 1 atm (metastable) and at 100 GPa (ground state). Insets at right show the low energy part of the phonon spectra.



**Figure S15.** Phonon spectrum of  $Ba(AuH_2)_2$  I4 phase at 1 atm. Note the similarity with KAuH<sub>2</sub> shown above.



## 6.4 $Sr(AuH_2)_2$

**Figure S16.** Phonon spectrum of  $Sr(AuH_2)_2$  14 phase at 1 atm. Note the similarity with  $KAuH_2$  shown above. Inset at right show the low energy part of the phonon spectra.



**Figure S17.** Thermal corrections to the free energy and enthalpy, and the molar heat capacity of I4  $Sr(AuH_2)_2$  as a function of temperature.

## 7 Optimized geometries in .cif format

Copy data (omitting caption in bold) into a text file, change the file ending to .cif and then you can view the structure in, for example, VESTA.

#### 7.1 Selection of Gold Hydride Binary (AuH<sub>n</sub>) Structures at 200 GPa

Gold hydride binaries are all unstable with respect to decomposition into  $H_2$  and Au. We have *not* investigated the dynamic stability of anyone of these compositions. The structure data shown below represent a selection of geometry-optimized lower-energy minima identified by our structure searches. The AuH<sub>n</sub> structures were all identified at either 100 or 200 GPa, and were subsequently scanned between 0-300 GPa. We reproduce the structures optimized at 200 GPa below.

#### 7.1.1 AuH<sub>2</sub> Cc @ 200GPa

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## 7.2 Au[A]<sub>n</sub> Binaries (A=Alkali/Alkaline earth metal) not Available in ICSD

Structures of alkali and alkaline earth-gold binaries used can be found in the Inorganic Crystal Structure Database (ICSD). Exceptions mentioned in Table 1 of the main article are reproduced below.

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#### 7.2.2 Cs<sub>2</sub>Au<sub>3</sub> Immm @ 1atm data image0 \_cell\_length a 5.2461 cell length b 5.57867 cell length c 6.84555 cell angle alpha 114.046 \_cell\_angle\_beta 112.531 \_cell\_angle\_gamma 90 \_symmetry\_space\_group\_name H-M "P 1" \_symmetry\_int\_tables\_number 1 loop \_symmetry\_equiv\_pos\_as\_xyz 'x, y, z' loop\_ atom site label \_atom\_site\_occupancy \_atom\_site\_fract\_x \_atom\_site\_fract\_y atom site fract z atom site thermal displace type \_atom\_site\_B\_iso or equiv atom site type symbol 1.0000 0.80756 0.30756 0.61512 Biso 1.000 Cs Cs1 1.0000 0.19244 0.69244 0.38488 Biso 1.000 Cs Cs2 Au1 1.0000 0.50000 0.24932 0.00000 Biso 1.000 Au 1.0000 0.50000 0.75068 1.00000 Biso 1.000 Au Au2 1.0000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 Biso 1.000 Au Au3 7.3 **Ternary compounds** 7.3.1 Li<sub>2</sub>(PdH<sub>2</sub>) <sub>2</sub> I4/mmm @ 1 atm data image0 cell length a 3.11332 cell length b 3.11332 \_cell\_length\_c 10.2893 \_cell\_angle\_alpha 90 cell angle beta 90 cell angle gamma 90 symmetry space group name H-M "P 1" symmetry int tables number 1 loop \_symmetry\_equiv\_pos\_as\_xyz 'x, y, z' loop\_ \_atom\_site\_label \_atom\_site\_occupancy atom site fract x atom site fract y \_atom\_site\_fract\_z \_atom\_site\_thermal\_displace\_type

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## 7.3.3 LiAuH<sub>2</sub> C2 @ 1 atm

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#### 7.3.6 KAuH<sub>2</sub> P2<sub>1</sub>2<sub>1</sub>2<sub>1</sub> @ 1atm data image0 \_cell\_length a 6.23982 cell length b 3.76758 cell length c 6.23975 cell angle alpha 90 \_cell\_angle\_beta 90 \_cell\_angle\_gamma 90 \_symmetry\_space\_group\_name H-M "P 1" \_symmetry\_int\_tables\_number 1 loop \_symmetry\_equiv\_pos\_as\_xyz 'x, y, z' loop\_ atom site label \_atom\_site\_occupancy \_atom\_site\_fract\_x \_atom\_site\_fract\_y atom site fract z atom site thermal displace type \_atom\_site\_B\_iso or equiv atom site type symbol 1.0000 0.00000 0.99997 0.00000 Biso 1.000 K K1 1.0000 0.50000 0.00003 0.50000 Biso 1.000 K K2 Au1 1.0000 0.00000 0.50012 0.50000 Biso 1.000 Au 1.0000 0.50000 0.49988 0.00000 Biso 1.000 Au Au2 H11.0000 0.68848 0.49988 0.18853 Biso 1.000 H H2 1.0000 0.81152 0.50012 0.68853 Biso 1.000 H H3 1.0000 0.18848 0.50012 0.31147 Biso 1.000 H 1.0000 0.31152 0.49988 0.81147 Biso 1.000 H H4 7.3.7 KAuH<sub>2</sub> I4/mcm @ 1atm data image0 \_cell\_length a 8.85414 \_cell\_length\_b 8.85414 cell length c 7.4481 cell angle alpha 90 \_cell\_angle\_beta 90

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_atom_	site_B_iso_or_eq	uiv			
atom	site_type_symbol				
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Au2	1.0000 0.00000	0.00000	0.50000	Biso	1.000 Au
Au3	1.0000 0.00000	0.50000	0.00000	Biso	1.000 Au
Au4	1.0000 0.00000	0.50000	0.50000	Biso	1.000 Au
Au5	1.0000 0.50000	0.00000	0.00000	Biso	1.000 Au
Au6	1.0000 0.50000	0.00000	0.50000	Biso	1.000 Au
Au7	1.0000 0.50000	0.50000	0.00000	Biso	1.000 Au
Au8	1.0000 0.50000	0.50000	0.50000	Biso	1.000 Au
H1	1.0000 0.00000 0	0.18786	0.00000	Biso	1.000 H
H2	1.0000 0.31214 0	0.00000.	0.00000	Biso	1.000 H
Н3	1.0000 0.00000 0	).31214	0.50000	Biso	1.000 H
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H5	1.0000 0.00000 0	0.81214	0.00000	Biso	1.000 H
H6	1.0000 0.18786 0	0.50000	0.00000	Biso	1.000 H
H7	1.0000 0.00000 0	0.68786	0.50000	Biso	1.000 H
H8	1.0000 0.31214 0	0.50000	0.50000	Biso	1.000 H
H9	1.0000 0.50000 0	0.31214	0.00000	Biso	1.000 H
H10	1.0000 0.68786	0.00000	0.00000	Biso	1.000 H
H11	1.0000 0.50000	0.18786	0.50000	Biso	1.000 H
H12	1.0000 0.81214	0.00000	0.50000	Biso	1.000 H
H13	1.0000 0.50000	0.68786	0.00000	Biso	1.000 H
H14	1.0000 0.81214	0.50000	0.00000	Biso	1.000 H
H15	1.0000 0.50000	0.81214	0.50000	Biso	1.000 H
H16	1.0000 0.68786	0.50000	0.50000	Biso	1.000 H
K1	1.0000 0.25000 0	0.25000	0.25000	Biso	1.000 K
K2	1.0000 0.25000 0	0.25000	0.75000	Biso	1.000 K
K3	1.0000 0.25000 0	0.75000	0.25000	Biso	1.000 K
K4	1.0000 0.25000 0	0.75000	0.75000	Biso	1.000 K
K5	1.0000 0.75000 0	0.25000	0.25000	Biso	1.000 K
K6	1.0000 0.75000 0	0.25000	0.75000	Biso	1.000 K
K7	1.0000 0.75000 0	0.75000	0.25000	Biso	1.000 K
K8	1.0000 0.75000 0	0.75000	0.75000	Biso	1.000 K

## 7.3.8 KAuH<sub>2</sub> *I*4/*mcm* @ 50 GPa

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Au2	1.0000 0.00000 0.00000 0.50000	Biso	1.000	Au
Au3	1.0000 0.00000 0.50000 0.00000	Biso	1.000	Au
Au4	1.0000 0.00000 0.50000 0.50000	Biso	1.000	Au
Au5	1.0000 0.50000 0.00000 0.00000	Biso	1.000	Au
Au6	1.0000 0.50000 0.00000 0.50000	Biso	1.000	Au
Au7	1.0000 0.50000 0.50000 0.00000	Biso	1.000	Au
Au8	1.0000 0.50000 0.50000 0.50000	Biso	1.000	Au
H1	1.0000 0.00000 0.22466 0.00000 H	Biso	1.000	Н
H2	1.0000 0.27534 0.00000 0.00000 H	Biso	1.000	Н
H3	1.0000 0.00000 0.27534 0.50000 H	Biso	1.000	Н
H4	1.0000 0.22466 0.00000 0.50000 H	Biso	1.000	Н
Н5	1.0000 0.00000 0.77534 0.00000 H	Biso	1.000	Н
H6	1.0000 0.22466 0.50000 0.00000 H	Biso	1.000	Н
H7	1.0000 0.00000 0.72466 0.50000 H	Biso	1.000	Н
H8	1.0000 0.27534 0.50000 0.50000 H	Biso	1.000	Н
H9	1.0000 0.50000 0.27534 0.00000 H	Biso	1.000	Н
H10	1.0000 0.72466 0.00000 0.00000	Biso	1.000	Н
H11	1.0000 0.50000 0.22466 0.50000	Biso	1.000	Н
H12	1.0000 0.77534 0.00000 0.50000	Biso	1.000	Н
H13	1.0000 0.50000 0.72466 0.00000	Biso	1.000	Н
H14	1.0000 0.77534 0.50000 0.00000	Biso	1.000	Н
H15	1.0000 0.50000 0.77534 0.50000	Biso	1.000	Н
H16	1.0000 0.72466 0.50000 0.50000	Biso	1.000	Н
K1	1.0000 0.25000 0.25000 0.25000 H	Biso	1.000	Κ
K2	1.0000 0.25000 0.25000 0.75000 H	Biso	1.000	Κ
K3	1.0000 0.25000 0.75000 0.25000 H	Biso	1.000	Κ
K4	1.0000 0.25000 0.75000 0.75000 H	Biso	1.000	Κ
K5	1.0000 0.75000 0.25000 0.25000 H	Biso	1.000	Κ
K6	1.0000 0.75000 0.25000 0.75000 H	Biso	1.000	Κ
K7	1.0000 0.75000 0.75000 0.25000 H	Biso	1.000	Κ
K8	1.0000 0.75000 0.75000 0.75000 H	Biso	1.000	Κ

## 7.3.9 KAuH<sub>2</sub> P4/mmm @ 120 GPa

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7.3.11 CsAuH<sub>2</sub> C2 @ 1 atm data image0 \_cell\_length a 6.48446 cell length b 6.48446 7.90403 cell length c cell angle alpha 90.0006 cell angle beta 89.9994 \_cell\_angle\_gamma 120 \_symmetry\_space\_group\_name H-M "P 1" \_symmetry\_int\_tables\_number 1 loop \_symmetry\_equiv\_pos\_as\_xyz 'x, y, z' loop\_ atom site label \_atom\_site\_occupancy \_atom\_site\_fract\_x \_atom\_site\_fract\_y atom site fract z atom site thermal displace type \_atom\_site\_B\_iso or equiv atom site type symbol 1.0000 0.34403 0.99999 0.66667 Biso 1.000 Cs Cs1 1.0000 0.99999 0.34403 0.33333 Biso 1.000 Cs Cs2 Cs3 1.0000 0.65601 0.65601 0.00000 Biso 1.000 Cs 1.0000 0.31562 0.99999 0.16666 Biso 1.000 Au Au1 1.0000 0.99999 0.31562 0.83334 Biso 1.000 Au Au2 1.0000 0.68437 0.68437 0.50000 Biso 1.000 Au Au3 1.0000 0.24078 0.43502 0.71171 Biso 1.000 H H1H2 1.0000 0.56498 0.80575 0.37837 Biso 1.000 H H3 1.0000 0.19424 0.75922 0.04503 Biso 1.000 H H4 1.0000 0.43502 0.24078 0.28829 Biso 1.000 H 1.0000 0.80575 0.56498 0.62163 Biso 1.000 H H5 1.0000 0.75922 0.19424 0.95497 Biso 1.000 H H6 7.3.12 Sr(AuH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>2</sub> I4 @ 1atm data image0 cell length a 5.22014 cell length b 5.22014 \_cell\_length c 5.22014 \_cell\_angle\_alpha 109.292 cell angle beta 109.292 cell angle gamma 109.831 \_symmetry\_space\_group\_name H-M "P 1" symmetry int tables number 1 loop \_symmetry\_equiv\_pos\_as\_xyz 'x, y, z' loop \_atom\_site\_label

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