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First-principles calculations for XAS of infinite-layer iron oxides
MITSURU KODERA, ISIR, Osaka University, TATSUYA SHISHIDOU, ADSM, Hiroshima University, TAMIO OGUCHI, ISIR, Osaka University — The oxygen defect perovskite SrFeO_{3-x} shows various properties such as the giant magnetoresistance effect and the thermoelectric effect. It had been believed that the oxygen content in SrFeO_{3-x} changes up to $x = 0.5$. Recently, Tsujimoto *et al.* have succeeded in synthesizing the infinite-layer iron oxide SrFeO_2 . SrFeO_2 has a square-planar oxygen coordination, while the iron oxides usually have the tetrahedral and octahedral coordination. CaFeO_2 has also infinite layer structure and the same magnetic ordering as SrFeO_2 . However, it is suggested that the oxygen coordination of CaFeO_2 is different from that of SrFeO_2 . In order to investigate the electronic structure of iron in $(\text{Ca}, \text{Sr})\text{FeO}_2$, the x-ray absorption spectroscopy (XAS) spectrum has been measured. In this work, we perform the calculation for XAS spectrum near the Fe-K edge of $(\text{Ca}, \text{Sr})\text{FeO}_2$ using the first-principles calculations. We compare the results with the experiment and discuss the electronic structure of iron in $(\text{Ca}, \text{Sr})\text{FeO}_2$.

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