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**Table S1. Some Data Collection and Refinement Parameters for  $\text{Rb}_5\text{TaAs}_4\text{Tl}_2$** 

Formula wt	1316.71
Crystal system	Orthorhombic
Space group, Z	<i>Pnma</i> (No.62), 4
Lattice constants ( $\text{\AA}$ ) <sup>a</sup>	$a = 19.200(5)$ $b = 11.123(5)$ $c = 7.824(4)$
Volume ( $\text{\AA}^3$ )	1683(2)
Crystal habit, dimensions	plate-like, $0.3 \times 0.2 \times 0.03$ mm
Temperature (°C)	23
$d_c$ (g/cm <sup>3</sup> )	5.195
$\mu$ , cm <sup>-1</sup> (Mo K $\alpha$ )	474.36
Octants meas.	$\pm h, k, l$
Total refl. meas	3237
unique	1778
observed ( $I > 3\sigma_I$ )	635
$R_{\text{ave}}$ ( $I > 0$ ), %	18
Rel. trans. coeff. range	0.19–1.00
Variables	65
$R/R_w$ <sup>b</sup> (%)	4.4/4.9
Largest residual peaks <sup>c</sup>	2.33, -2.13 e/ $\text{\AA}^3$
GOF	1.74
Second extinction ( $10^{-7}$ )	0.43(9)

<sup>a</sup> Guinier powder pattern data,  $\lambda = 1.540\ 562\ \text{\AA}$ , 23° C.

<sup>b</sup>  $R = \Sigma |F_o| - |F_c||/\Sigma|F_o|$ ;  $R_w = [\sum w(|F_o| - |F_c|)^2/\sum w(F_o)^2]^{1/2}$ ;  $w = \sigma_F^{-2}$ .

<sup>c</sup> At 0.2344, 1/4, 0.5122 and 0.1660, 1/4, 0.7430, respectively.

Table S2 Anisotropic Thermal Factors for  $\text{Rb}_5\text{TaAs}_4\text{Tl}_2$ 

Atoms	$U_{11}$	$U_{22}$	$U_{33}$	$U_{12}$	$U_{13}$	$U_{23}$
Tl1	0.026(1)	0.028(2)	0.030(2)	0	0.008(1)	0
Tl2	0.029(2)	0.031(2)	0.024(1)	0	0.005(1)	0
Ta1	0.019(2)	0.015(2)	0.017(1)	0	0.002	0
As1	0.030(3)	0.019(3)	0.029(3)	-0.006(2)	0.006(3)	0.001(3)
As2	0.033(5)	0.029(5)	0.015(4)	0	0.004(3)	0
As3	0.024(3)	0.016(4)	0.021(3)	0	-0.005(3)	0
Rb1	0.040(3)	0.030(3)	0.018(2)	0.001(2)	0.000(2)	0.001(3)
Rb2	0.039(4)	0.064(6)	0.049(5)	0	-0.006(4)	0
Rb3	0.027(3)	0.039(4)	0.080(4)	0.005(3)	-0.001(3)	-0.007(4)

$$U_{ij} = \exp(-2\pi^2 \{u_{11}k^2a^{*2} + \dots + u_{23}klb^*c^*\})$$