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**Fluxional seven-coordinated fluoro- and  
oxofluoridotantalates**

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**Table S1. The temperature change of parameters U ( $\text{\AA}^2$ ) for F3 in structures I and II**

<b>I</b>					
F3 (0.25, Y, Z), unsplit position, <i>P4/nmm</i>					
	297 K	180 K	165 K	143 K	120 K
U11	0.28(1)	0.27(2)	0.29(2)	0.33(2)	0.32(2)
U <sub>eq</sub>	0.123(4)	0.111(5)	0.115(5)	0.127(7)	0.124(6)
F3 (X, Y, Z), split position, <i>P4/nmm</i>					
U11	0.14(2)	0.092(4)	0.086(4)	0.069(4)	0.061(2)
U <sub>eq</sub>	0.078(8)	0.050(2)	0.047(1)	0.039(1)	0.036(1)
<b>II</b>					
F3, unsplit position					
	297 K	193 K	123 K		
	<i>P4/nmm</i>	<i>P4/nmm</i>	<i>Cmma</i>		
U11	0.22(1)	0.132(8)	0.053(4)		
U <sub>eq</sub>	0.096(4)	0.060(2)	0.040(2)		
F3, split position					
U11	0.126(8)	0.099(6)			
U <sub>eq</sub>	0.067(3)	0.050(2)			

**Table S2. Escape of F atoms from the BP TaF<sub>7</sub> equatorial plane ( $\text{\AA}$ ) for I and II at different temperatures**

<b>I</b>						
	297 K	180 K	165 K	143 K	120 K	
F1	0	0	0	0	0	
F2	0.25	0.22	0.21	0.20	0.20	
F2A	-0.25	-0.22	-0.21	-0.20	-0.20	
F3	0.42	0.38	0.37	0.34	0.34	
F3A	-0.42	-0.38	-0.37	-0.34	-0.34	
<b>II</b>						
	297 K	193 K	123 K			
	<i>P4/nmm</i>	<i>P4/nmm</i>	<i>Cmma</i>			
F1	0	0	0			
F2 (F4)	0.28	0.30	0.35			
F2A (F4A)	-0.28	-0.30	-0.35			
F3	0.47	0.53	0.68			
F3A	-0.47	-0.53	-0.68			

**Table S3. Hydrogen-bond parameters ( $\text{\AA}$ ,  $^\circ$ ) in (I) at 120 K**

<i>D-H...A</i>	<i>D-H</i>	<i>H...A</i>	<i>D...A</i>	<i>D-H...A</i>
N1-H1...F2 $\times$ 8	0.70	2.46	2.966(1)	131
N1-H1...F1 $\times$ 4	0.70	2.54	2.980(1)	123
N2-H2...F3 $\times$ 2	0.74	2.21	2.864(3)	148