# Structure of a Diterpene ent-Labdane Xyloside 

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#### Abstract

Methyl (4R,5R,6S,9R,10R,13S)-6,13-dihydroxylabd-7,14-dien-18-oate 6-O- $\beta$-D-xyloside, $\mathrm{C}_{26^{-}}$ $\mathrm{H}_{42} \mathrm{O}_{8}, \quad M_{r}=482 \cdot 62$, orthorhombic, $P 2_{1} 2_{1} 2_{1}, a=$ 13.718 (3), $\quad b=24.909$ (3), $\quad c=7.5655$ (4) $\AA, \quad V=$ 2585.2 (5) $\AA^{3}, \quad Z=4, \quad D_{m}$ (flotation) $=1.231, \quad D_{x}=$ $1.239 \mathrm{~g} \mathrm{~cm}^{-3}, \lambda(\mathrm{CuK} \mathrm{\alpha})=1.54178 \AA, \mu=7.05 \mathrm{~cm}^{-1}$, $F(000)=1048, T=300 \mathrm{~K}, R=0.041$ for 1948 unique reflections and Friedel pairs. The absolute configuration was determined and is consistent with the known stereochemistry of the $\beta$-d-xylose residue. The sixmembered ring of the sugar moeity exhibits an almost ideal chair conformation while the cyclohexane ring is a flattened chair and the cyclohexene ring is intermediate between 1,2 -diplanar and half-chair. There is an extensive network of hydrogen bonds.


Introduction. In the course of a chemotaxonomic study of the genus Gutierrezia (Tribe Astereae, Family Compositae) (Fang, Leidig \& Mabry, 1985; Gao, Leidig \& Mabry, 1985, 1987; Fang, Mabry \& Le-Van, 1986; Gao \& Mabry, 1987), diterpene xylosides and arabinosides were isolated from dichloromethane extracts of the aerial parts of G. sphaerocephala. From a comparison of the optical rotation of an analogue, the xyloside was initially thought to be an ent-labdane. Here we report the diterpene to be the labdane (1) based on an X -ray diffraction investigation.

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Experimental. A colorless prismatic crystal of dimensions $0.38 \times 0.36 \times 0.29 \mathrm{~mm}$, Nicolet $R 3 \mathrm{~m} / \mu$ update of a $P 2$, diffractometer, data collected in the Wyckoff mode $\left(4 \leq 2 \theta \leq 115^{\circ}\right)$, graphite-monochromated

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$\mathrm{Cu} K \alpha$ radiation; lattice parameters from a leastsquares refinement of 25 reflections ( $48 \cdot 11 \leq 2 \theta \leq$ $109.21^{\circ}$ ), angles measured by a centering routine associated with the diffractometer, systematic absences $(h 00, h=2 n+1 ; 0 k 0, k=2 n+1 ; 00 l, l=2 n+1)$ consistent with space group $P 22_{1} 2_{1}$, Laue symmetry 222 , two monitored reflections ( $0 \overline{2} 2, \overline{3} \overline{3} 1$ ) showed no significant change in intensities; 2115 independent reflections measured ( $0 \leq h \leq 14,0 \leq k \leq 27,0 \leq l \leq$ 8) with 1948 intensities greater than $2 \cdot 5 \sigma(I), 1462$ Friedel pairs collected, Lorentz-polarization corrections applied, $\psi$-scan empirical absorption correction (transmission factors $0.235-0.267, R_{\text {merge }}=0.017$ ), direct methods and difference Fourier syntheses revealed the positions of all non- H atoms, blockcascade least-squares refinement with riding model for most H atoms, H atoms involved in hydrogen bonding located in difference Fourier and fixed, final $R$ of 0.041 , $w R=0.048,310$ parameters, 3404 reflections, $S=$ $1 \cdot 98,(\Delta / \sigma)_{\max }=0 \cdot 11,(\Delta / \sigma)_{\mathrm{av}}=0 \cdot 012$, largest peaks in the final difference Fourier map of 0.21 and $-0.15 \mathrm{e} \AA^{-3} ; \sum w\left(\left|F_{o}\right|-\left|F_{c}\right|\right)^{2}$ minimized with $w=$ $\left[\sigma^{2}\left(F_{o}\right)+0.0032 F_{o}^{2}\right]^{-1}$; free variable for absolute configuration refined to 0.98 (5) (Rogers, 1981); all computer programs supplied by Nicolet for DeskTop 30 MicroEclipse and Nova 4 configuration; atomic scattering factors and anomalous-dispersion corrections contained in the program package. Table 1 lists atomic positional parameters and $U_{\text {eq }}$ values while Table 2 lists interatomic distances and valence angles.*

Discussion. Fig. 1 is a drawing of the title compound. The absolute configuration is established by the refinement of Friedel pairs and by the known configuration of the $\beta$-D-xylose moiety attached at $\mathrm{C}(6)$. The six-membered sugar ring exhibits torsion angles of

[^0]Table 1. Atomic coordinates $\left(\times 10^{4}\right)$ and equivalent isotropic thermal parameters $\left(\AA^{2} \times 10^{3}\right)$

Equivalent isotropic $U$ defined as one-third of the trace of the orthogonalized $U_{i j}$ tensor.

|  | $x$ | $y$ | $z$ | $U_{\text {eq }}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| C(1) | 4506 (2) | 2236 (1) | -2301 (5) | 72 (1) |
| C(2) | 4230 (3) | 2743 (1) | -3283 (5) | 77 (1) |
| C(3) | 3975 (2) | 3174 (1) | -1942 (5) | 73 (1) |
| C(4) | 4828 (2) | 3314 (1) | -699 (4) | 56 (1) |
| C(5) | 5230 (2) | 2788 (1) | 170 (4) | 50 (1) |
| C(6) | 6139 (2) | 2868 (I) | 1259 (4) | 51 (1) |
| $\mathrm{O}(6)$ | 5991 (1) | 3322 (1) | 2431 (3) | 53 (1) |
| C(7) | 6360 (2) | 2366 (1) | 2261 (4) | 60 (1) |
| C(8) | 6051 (2) | 1885 (1) | 1794 (4) | 61 (1) |
| C(9) | 5439 (2) | 1794 (1) | 141 (4) | 58 (1) |
| C(10) | 5382 (2) | 2297 (1) | -1065 (4) | 55 (1) |
| C(11) | 5731 (2) | 1277 (1) | -872 (4) | 62 (1) |
| C(12) | 5032 (3) | 808 (1) | -639 (5) | 76 (1) |
| C(13) | 5335 (2) | 291 (1) | -1564 (5) | 74 (1) |
| $\mathrm{O}(13)$ | 4549 (3) | -80 (1) | -1425 (6) | 163 (2) |
| C(14) | 6172 (4) | 57 (1) | -647 (6) | 107 (2) |
| C(15) | 6988 (4) | -106 (2) | -1338(8) | 134 (2) |
| C(16) | 5498 (3) | 357 (1) | -3508 (5) | 79 (1) |
| C(17) | 6234 (3) | 1404 (1) | 2953 (5) | 86 (1) |
| C(18) | 4405 (2) | 3674 (1) | 745 (4) | 57 (1) |
| O(18) | 3779 (2) | 3423 (1) | 1775 (3) | 75 (1) |
| C(19) | 5590 (2) | 3639 (1) | -1725 (4) | 66 (1) |
| C(20) | 6331 (2) | 2347 (1) | -2143 (4) | 64 (1) |
| C(21) | 6831 (2) | 3566 (1) | 3068 (4) | 52 (1) |
| O(21) | 7069 (2) | 3319 (1) | 4688 (3) | 62 (1) |
| C(22) | 6622 (2) | 4168 (1) | 3325 (4) | 52 (1) |
| O (22) | 6491 (2) | 4420 (1) | 1670 (3) | 67 (1) |
| C(23) | 7468 (2) | 4435 (1) | 4261 (4) | 52 (1) |
| O (23) | 7211 (1) | 4982 (1) | 4573 (3) | 63 (1) |
| C(24) | 7711 (2) | 4143 (1) | 5954 (4) | 56 (1) |
| O(24) | 8583 (2) | 4343 (1) | 6734 (3) | 69 (1) |
| C(25) | 7886 (2) | 3554 (1) | 5531 (4) | 66 (1) |
| C(26) | 3388 (3) | 3731 (2) | 3210 (5) | 90 (1) |
| $\mathrm{O}(27)$ | 4571(2) | 4149 (1) | 919 (3) | 69 (1) |

-53.2 (3) to $60.5(3)^{\circ}$ which are close to the ideal value of $56^{\circ}$ for the chair conformation (Bucourt \& Hainaut, 1965). The deviations may result from the extensive hydrogen-bonding network involving the sugar hydroxyl groups. The cyclohexane ring exhibits a slightly more distorted chair conformation with torsion angles of $-43.8(3)$ to $60.7(4)^{\circ}$. The cyclohexene ring is intermediate between 1,2-diplanar and half-chair (Toromanoff, 1980). The bond lengths and valence angles all fall within the expected ranges. Librational corrections of bond lengths range from 0.001 to $0.008 \AA$. Labdanes reported in other structural studies either have no double bond associated with the bicyclic system (e.g. Smith-Verdier, Florencio \& Garcia-Blanco, 1978), or an exocyclic double bond at $C(8)-C(17)$ (Manchand, Blount, McCabe \& Clardy, 1979).
There is an intramolecular hydrogen bond formed between the sugar hydroxyl $\mathrm{O}(22)$ and the carbonyl $\mathrm{O}(27)$ atom; $\mathrm{O}(22) \cdots \mathrm{O}(27)=2.778$ (3), $\mathrm{O}(22)-\mathrm{H}=$ $0.97, \mathrm{H} \cdots \mathrm{O}(27)=1.84 \AA$ and $\mathrm{O}(22)-\mathrm{H} \cdots \mathrm{O}(27)=$ $161.6^{\circ}$. There are three intermolecular hydrogen bonds: $\quad \mathrm{O}(24) \cdots \mathrm{O}\left(23^{\prime}\right)(1.5-x, \quad 1-y, \quad 0 \cdot 5+z)=$ 2.937 (3), $\quad \mathrm{O}(24)-\mathrm{H}=1.01, \quad \mathrm{H} \cdots \mathrm{O}\left(23^{\prime}\right)=1.98 \AA$, $\mathrm{O}(24)-\mathrm{H} \cdots \mathrm{O}\left(23^{\prime}\right)=158 \cdot 2^{\circ} ; \mathrm{O}(23) \cdots \mathrm{O}\left(22^{\prime}\right)(1.5-x$, $1-y, \quad 0.5+z)=2.811(3), \quad \mathrm{O}(23)-\mathrm{H}=1.01, \quad \mathrm{H} \cdots$ $\mathrm{O}\left(22^{\prime}\right)=2.03 \AA, \quad \mathrm{O}(23)-\mathrm{H} \cdots \mathrm{O}\left(22^{\prime}\right)=132.8^{\circ}$;
$\mathrm{O}(23) \cdots \mathrm{O}\left(13^{\prime}\right)(1-x, \quad 0.5+y, \quad 0.5-z)=2.795(3)$, $\mathrm{O}(23) \cdots \mathrm{H}^{\prime}=2 \cdot 10, \quad \mathrm{H}^{\prime}-\mathrm{O}\left(13^{\prime}\right)=0.96 \AA, \quad \mathrm{O}(23) \cdots$ $\mathrm{H}^{\prime}-\mathrm{O}\left(13^{\prime}\right)=128 \cdot 4^{\circ}$.

Table 2. Bond lengths $(\AA)$ and angles $\left({ }^{\circ}\right)$

| $\mathrm{C}(1)-\mathrm{C}(2) \quad 1$. | 1.513 (5) | $\mathrm{C}(1)-\mathrm{C}(10) \quad 1$. | 1.530 (4) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\mathrm{C}(2)-\mathrm{C}(3) \quad 1$. | 1.518 (5) | $\mathrm{C}(3)-\mathrm{C}(4) \quad 1$. | 1.542 (4) |
| $\mathrm{C}(4)-\mathrm{C}(5)$ I. | 1.568 (4) | $\mathrm{C}(4)-\mathrm{C}(18) \quad 1$. | 1.527 (4) |
| $\mathrm{C}(4)-\mathrm{C}(19) \quad 1$. | 1.532 (4) | $\mathrm{C}(5)-\mathrm{C}(6) \quad 1$. | 1.507 (4) |
| $\mathrm{C}(5)-\mathrm{C}(10) \quad 1$. | 1.553 (4) | $\mathrm{C}(6)-\mathrm{O}(6) \quad 1$. | 1.451 (3) |
| $\mathrm{C}(6)-\mathrm{C}(7) \quad 1$. | 1.495 (4) | $\mathrm{O}(6)-\mathrm{C}(21) \quad 1$. | 1.389 (3) |
| $\mathrm{C}(7)-\mathrm{C}(8) \quad 1$. | 1.318 (4) | $\mathrm{C}(8)-\mathrm{C}(9) \quad 1$. | 1.524 (4) |
| $\mathrm{C}(8)-\mathrm{C}(17) \quad 1$. | 1.506 (4) | $\mathrm{C}(9)-\mathrm{C}(10) \quad 1$. | 1.552 (4) |
| $\mathrm{C}(9)-\mathrm{C}(11) \quad 1$. | 1.551 (4) | $\mathrm{C}(10)-\mathrm{C}(20) \quad 1$. | 1.542 (4) |
| $\mathrm{C}(11)-\mathrm{C}(12) \quad 1$. | 1.522 (4) | $\mathrm{C}(12)-\mathrm{C}(13) \quad 1$. | 1.524 (4) |
| $\mathrm{C}(13)-\mathrm{O}(13) \quad 1$. | 1.424 (4) | $\mathrm{C}(13)-\mathrm{C}(14) \quad 1$. | 1.463 (5) |
| $\mathrm{C}(13)-\mathrm{C}(16) \quad 1$. | 1.497 (5) | $\mathrm{C}(14)-\mathrm{C}(15) \quad 1$. | $1 \cdot 301$ (8) |
| $\mathrm{C}(18)-\mathrm{O}(18) \quad 1$. | 1.318 (4) | $\mathrm{C}(18)-\mathrm{O}(27) \quad 1$. | $1 \cdot 211$ (3) |
| $\mathrm{O}(18)-\mathrm{C}(26) \quad 1$. | 1.434 (5) | $\mathrm{C}(21)-\mathrm{O}(21) \quad 1$. | 1.409 (3) |
| $\mathrm{C}(21)-\mathrm{C}(22) \quad 1$ | 1.539 (3) | $\mathrm{O}(21)-\mathrm{C}(25) \quad 1$. | 1.416 (4) |
| $\mathrm{C}(22)-\mathrm{O}(22) \quad 1$. | 1.412 (3) | $\mathrm{C}(22)-\mathrm{C}(23) \quad 1$. | 1.513 (4) |
| $\mathrm{C}(23)-\mathrm{O}(23) \quad 1$ | 1.427 (3) | $\mathrm{C}(23)-\mathrm{C}(24) \quad 1$. | 1.510 (4) |
| $\mathrm{C}(24)-\mathrm{O}(24) \quad 1$ | 1.423 (3) | $\mathrm{C}(24)-\mathrm{C}(25) \quad 1$. | $1 \cdot 522$ (4) |
| $\mathrm{C}(2)-\mathrm{C}(1)-\mathrm{C}(10)$ | 114.5 (3) | $\mathrm{C}(1)-\mathrm{C}(2)-\mathrm{C}(3)$ | 108.6 (3) |
| $\mathrm{C}(2)-\mathrm{C}(3)-\mathrm{C}(4)$ | $113 \cdot 1$ (3) | $\mathrm{C}(3)-\mathrm{C}(4)-\mathrm{C}(5)$ | 109.5 (2) |
| $\mathrm{C}(3)-\mathrm{C}(4)-\mathrm{C}(18)$ | $106 \cdot 3$ (2) | $\mathrm{C}(5)-\mathrm{C}(4)-\mathrm{C}(18)$ | 108.9 (2) |
| $\mathrm{C}(3)-\mathrm{C}(4)-\mathrm{C}(19)$ | 109.1 (2) | C(5)-C(4)-C(19) | 114.5 (2) |
| $\mathrm{C}(18)-\mathrm{C}(4)-\mathrm{C}(19)$ | 108.2 (2) | $\mathrm{C}(4)-\mathrm{C}(5)-\mathrm{C}(6)$ | 114.1 (2) |
| $\mathrm{C}(4)-\mathrm{C}(5)-\mathrm{C}(10)$ | 117.0 (2) | $\mathrm{C}(6)-\mathrm{C}(5)-\mathrm{C}(10)$ | 108.8 (2) |
| $\mathrm{C}(5)-\mathrm{C}(6)-\mathrm{O}(6)$ | 108.8 (2) | $\mathrm{C}(5)-\mathrm{C}(6)-\mathrm{C}(7)$ | 109.5 (2) |
| $\mathrm{O}(6)-\mathrm{C}(6)-\mathrm{C}(7)$ | 111.8 (2) | $\mathrm{C}(6)-\mathrm{O}(6)-\mathrm{C}(21)$ | 115.9 (2) |
| $\mathrm{C}(6)-\mathrm{C}(7)-\mathrm{C}(8)$ | 124.0 (3) | $\mathrm{C}(7)-\mathrm{C}(8)-\mathrm{C}(9)$ | 122.2 (2) |
| $\mathrm{C}(7)-\mathrm{C}(8)-\mathrm{C}(17)$ | 120.9 (3) | $\mathrm{C}(9)-\mathrm{C}(8)-\mathrm{C}(17)$ | 116.8 (2) |
| $\mathrm{C}(8)-\mathrm{C}(9)-\mathrm{C}(10)$ | 112.9 (2) | $\mathrm{C}(8)-\mathrm{C}(9)-\mathrm{C}(11)$ | 112.8 (2) |
| $\mathrm{C}(10)-\mathrm{C}(9)-\mathrm{C}(11)$ | 113.1 (2) | $\mathrm{C}(1)-\mathrm{C}(10)-\mathrm{C}(5)$ | 109.9 (2) |
| $\mathrm{C}(1)-\mathrm{C}(10)-\mathrm{C}(9)$ | 108.6 (2) | $\mathrm{C}(5)-\mathrm{C}(10)-\mathrm{C}(9)$ | $106 \cdot 8$ (2) |
| $\mathrm{C}(1)-\mathrm{C}(10)-\mathrm{C}(20)$ | 110.3 (2) | $\mathrm{C}(5)-\mathrm{C}(10)-\mathrm{C}(20)$ | 111.5 (2) |
| $\mathrm{C}(9)-\mathrm{C}(10)-\mathrm{C}(20)$ | 109.5 (2) | $\mathrm{C}(9)-\mathrm{C}(11)-\mathrm{C}(12)$ | 114.6 (3) |
| $\mathrm{C}(11)-\mathrm{C}(12)-\mathrm{C}(13)$ | ) $115 \cdot 0$ (3) | $\mathrm{C}(12)-\mathrm{C}(13)-\mathrm{O}(13)$ | ) 107.9 (3) |
| $\mathrm{C}(12)-\mathrm{C}(13)-\mathrm{C}(14)$ | 109.4 (3) | $\mathrm{O}(13)-\mathrm{C}(13)-\mathrm{C}(14)$ | ) 107.5 (3) |
| $\mathrm{C}(12)-\mathrm{C}(13)-\mathrm{C}(16)$ | ) 113.5 (3) | $\mathrm{O}(13)-\mathrm{C}(13)-\mathrm{C}(16)$ | ) $104.9(3)$ |
| $\mathrm{C}(14)-\mathrm{C}(13)-\mathrm{C}(16)$ | 6) $113.2(3)$ | $\mathrm{C}(13)-\mathrm{C}(14)-\mathrm{C}(15)$ | ) 127.5 (5) |
| $\mathrm{C}(4)-\mathrm{C}(18)-\mathrm{O}(18)$ | 113.1 (2) | $\mathrm{C}(4)-\mathrm{C}(18)-\mathrm{O}(27)$ | 125.4 (3) |
| $\mathrm{O}(18)-\mathrm{C}(18)-\mathrm{O}(27)$ | 7) 121.4 (3) | $\mathrm{C}(18)-\mathrm{O}(18)-\mathrm{C}(26)$ | ) $116.0(2)$ |
| $\mathrm{O}(6)-\mathrm{C}(21)-\mathrm{O}(21)$ | 107.6 (2) | $\mathrm{O}(6)-\mathrm{C}(21)-\mathrm{C}(22)$ | 108.4 (2) |
| $\mathrm{O}(21)-\mathrm{C}(21)-\mathrm{C}(22)$ | ) 111.0 (2) | $\mathrm{C}(21)-\mathrm{O}(21)-\mathrm{C}(25)$ | ) $113.3(2)$ |
| $\mathrm{C}(21)-\mathrm{C}(22)-\mathrm{O}(22)$ | 1 110.1 (2) | $\mathrm{C}(21)-\mathrm{C}(22)-\mathrm{C}(23)$ | ) $110.2(2)$ |
| $\mathrm{O}(22)-\mathrm{C}(22)-\mathrm{C}(23)$ | ) 108.5 (2) | $\mathrm{C}(22)-\mathrm{C}(23)-\mathrm{O}(23)$ | ) 107.9 (2) |
| $\mathrm{C}(22)-\mathrm{C}(23)-\mathrm{C}(24)$ | ) $110.8(2)$ | $\mathrm{O}(23)-\mathrm{C}(23)-\mathrm{C}(24)$ | ) $112.0(2)$ |
| $\mathrm{C}(23)-\mathrm{C}(24)-\mathrm{O}(24)$ | 4) $111.7(2)$ | $\mathrm{C}(23)-\mathrm{C}(24)-\mathrm{C}(25)$ | ) $108.7(2)$ |
| $\mathrm{O}(24)-\mathrm{C}(24)-\mathrm{C}(25)$ | ) 107.0(2) | $\mathrm{O}(21)-\mathrm{C}(25)-\mathrm{C}(24)$ | ) 111.6 (2) |



Fig. 1. Thermal-ellipsoid plot of compound (1). Ellipsoids are drawn at the $50 \%$ probability level while H atoms are represented by spheres of arbitrary size.

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# Structure of Adamantanamine Hydrochloride at 143 K 

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#### Abstract

Tricyclo[3.3.1.1 $1^{3,7}$ ]decan-1-aminium chloride, $\mathrm{C}_{10} \mathrm{H}_{15} \mathrm{NH}_{3}^{+} . \mathrm{Cl}^{-}, M_{r}=187 \cdot 71$, monoclinic, $C 2 / c$, a $=20.549$ (10), $b=11.138$ (5), $c=9.658$ (6) $\AA, \quad \beta=$ $108.81(5)^{\circ}, \quad V=2092.5 \AA^{3}$ (at 143 K ), $Z=8, D_{x}$ $=1.191 \mathrm{Mg} \mathrm{m}^{-3}, \lambda(\mathrm{Cu} K \bar{\alpha})=1.54178 \AA, \mu(\mathrm{Cu} K \bar{\alpha})=$ $2.847 \mathrm{~mm}^{-1}, F(000)=816, R=0.065$ for 1394 observed reflections. The structure of the high-temperature phase at 143 K has been shown to be ordered. The adamantane skeleton is not affected by the substitution. The molecules are held together by almost linear hydrogen bonds of the type $\mathrm{N}-\mathrm{H} \cdots \mathrm{Cl}$. All three H atoms of the $\mathrm{NH}_{3}^{+}$group are involved in hydrogen bonds and all Cl atoms form three H bonds. The $d(\mathrm{~N} \cdots \mathrm{Cl})$ distances range from $3 \cdot 163(5)$ to 3.219 (5) $\AA$.


Introduction. The occurrence of order-disorder phase transitions in adamantane and its derivatives is well known (Parsonage \& Staveley, 1978), and simple substitution, even though the high symmetry of adamantane itself is destroyed, does not always preclude the occurrence of the transitions (Clark, Knox, Mackle \& McKervey, 1977). Stronger intermolecular interactions, such as hydrogen bonding, can affect the behaviour. For example, in 1-adamantanol (Amoureux, Bee, Gors, Warin \& Baert, 1979) the phase transition occurs at 353 K with a large entropy of $40.6 \mathrm{~J} \mathrm{~K}^{-1}$ $\mathrm{mol}^{-1}$; thus the phase transition is shifted to a higher temperature than in other adamantyl derivatives, but is
not prevented from occurring. In contrast, adamantyl carboxylic acid shows a transition at 251 K , but with a much smaller entropy change of $8.97 \mathrm{~J} \mathrm{~K}^{-1} \mathrm{~mol}^{-1}$ (Harvey, Gilson \& Butler, 1986a), and the higher temperature phase is probably ordered.
A study of the adamantanamine hydrochloride salt showed that a sharp phase transition occurs at 124 K (Harvey, Gilson \& Butler, 1986b) with enthalpy and entropy of transition of $0.32 \mathrm{~kJ} \mathrm{~mol}^{-1}$ and $2.51 \mathrm{~J} \mathrm{~K}^{-1}$ $\mathrm{mol}^{-1}$ respectively. This transition is at a lower temperature than for any other adamantane derivative. The room-temperature vibrational spectra show quite narrow vibrational bands which split, usually into two or three components, in the low-temperature phase. In view of these spectral changes, the phase transition is probably first-order even though the enthalpy and entropy changes are small. An activation energy of $33.6 \mathrm{~kJ} \mathrm{~mol}^{-1}$ obtained from proton spin-lattice relaxation time measurements was assigned to the barrier to rotation of the adamantyl group about its $C_{3}$ axis.

Thus adamantanamine hydrochloride is a singly substituted derivative that retains the threefold symmetry axis in the parent molecule, but has an ordered high-temperature phase. The same is probably true for the carboxylic acid compound but in this case the molecules exist as dimers. Clearly it is the hydrogen bonding in the amine hydrochloride salt that prevents the order-disorder transition from occurring, and the structure of the high-temperature phase is the subject of (c) 1987 International Union of Crystallography


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