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## Structure of a Polyaminecopper(II) Complex

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**Abstract.**  $\mu$ -(1,3-Propanediamine-*N,N'*)-tetrakis-(1,3-propanediamine-*N,N'*)dicopper(II) tetrafluoroborate,  $[\text{Cu}_2(\text{C}_3\text{H}_{10}\text{N}_2)_5](\text{BF}_4)_4$ ,  $M_r = 844.9$ , orthorhombic, *Pbca*,  $a = 14.573$  (11),  $b = 15.761$  (13),  $c = 30.669$  (13) Å,  $V = 7044.2$  Å<sup>3</sup>,  $Z = 8$ ,  $D_m = 1.58$ ,  $D_x = 1.59$  Mg m<sup>-3</sup>,  $\lambda(\text{Mo } K\alpha) = 0.71069$  Å,  $\mu = 1.36$  mm<sup>-1</sup>,  $F(000) = 3456$ ,  $T = 293$  K. Final  $R = 0.082$  for 5220 unique reflections. The two molecules of  $[\text{Cu}(\text{tn})_{2.5}](\text{BF}_4)_2$  (tn = 1,3-propanediamine) in the asymmetric unit are linked through one of the tn groups. The coordination polyhedron of both copper(II) ions is a distorted tetragonal pyramid. The four  $\text{BF}_4^-$  ions form no short intermolecular contacts.

**Introduction.** Gažo and co-workers (Gažo, 1974; Gažo, Boča, Jóna, Macášková, Šíma, Pelikán & Valach, 1982) have studied the relationship in  $\text{Cu}^{\text{II}}$  complexes between the central-atom—ligand distances in the equatorial plane and those in axial positions. It was found that for a given chromophore the mean values of central-atom—ligand distances in the equatorial plane ( $R_e$ ) and those in the axial positions ( $R_a$ ) correlate along a smooth curve in such a way that the values of  $R_a$  decrease with increasing  $R_e$  and *vice versa*. The tetragonal distortions of coordination polyhedra occur to the greatest extent in  $\text{Cu}^{\text{II}}$  complexes with planar metallocycles having  $\pi$  bonds in the equatorial plane. By contrast, compara-

tively short axial bonds were found in complexes with five-membered or non-planar six-membered metallocycles (*e.g.* in chair conformations).

The present work reports the X-ray structure of a  $\text{Cu}^{\text{II}}$  1,3-propanediamine (tn) complex containing six-membered metallocycles (in chair conformation) in the equatorial plane. In the complex, of formula  $[\text{Cu}_2(\text{tn})_5](\text{BF}_4)_4$ , it was initially assumed that three tn groups are bonded to one copper(II) ion and another two to the second copper(II) ion and moreover that  $\text{BF}_4^-$  ions are bonded to the  $[\text{Cu}(\text{tn})_{2.5}]$  molecules. The reality is quite different.

**Experimental.**  $[\text{Cu}_2(\text{tn})_5](\text{BF}_4)_4$  was prepared by adding  $\text{Cu}(\text{BF}_4)_2 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$  in methanol to a solution containing 1,3-propanediamine.

Dark-blue prismatic crystal with dimensions  $0.27 \times 0.27 \times 0.60$  mm;  $D_m$  by flotation in  $\text{CCl}_4$ ; orthorhombic space group *Pbca* (No. 61); Syntex *P2*<sub>1</sub> diffractometer, graphite monochromator,  $\theta/2\theta$  scan,  $2\theta_{\text{max}} = 50^\circ$ , time per reflection *ca* 60 s; two standard reflections, variation 2.8%; 25 reflections with  $6.0 < 2\theta < 18.1^\circ$  used for refinement of lattice parameters; absorption correction was not applied; index range  $0 \leq h \leq 11$ ,  $0 \leq k \leq 18$ ,  $0 \leq l \leq 36$ ; 5930 reflections measured, 5220 unique, 1720 observed with  $I > 2.0\sigma(I)$ . For identification of Bravais translation lattice program *UB* was used (Sivý, Sivý & Koreň, 1987). Data reduction carried out with program

Table 1. Final atomic coordinates ( $\times 10^4$ , for Cu  $\times 10^5$ ) and equivalent isotropic thermal parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2$ ) with e.s.d.'s in parentheses

	$x$	$y$	$z$	$B_{eq}$
Cu(1)	57174 (1)	27768 (1)	17862 (1)	3.53 (13)
Cu(2)	60250 (1)	24639 (1)	44069 (1)	3.94 (14)
N(11)	6495 (13)	3777 (15)	1606 (6)	6.4 (8)
C(12)	6514 (20)	4561 (18)	1838 (10)	8.1 (11)
C(13)	5535 (22)	4923 (14)	1919 (10)	8.1 (11)
C(14)	4964 (20)	4368 (18)	2187 (10)	7.6 (10)
N(15)	4711 (13)	3589 (11)	1980 (7)	5.0 (6)
N(16)	6471 (12)	2033 (13)	1374 (6)	5.4 (9)
C(17)	6510 (20)	1105 (18)	1423 (8)	6.9 (10)
C(18)	5601 (20)	713 (18)	1438 (9)	7.4 (11)
C(19)	5037 (18)	946 (18)	1827 (8)	6.4 (9)
N(10)	4770 (13)	1854 (12)	1825 (6)	5.2 (6)
N(21)	4680 (12)	2111 (13)	4304 (6)	5.4 (6)
C(22)	4473 (20)	1248 (17)	4156 (9)	6.9 (10)
C(23)	4861 (20)	583 (15)	4452 (9)	6.6 (9)
C(24)	5867 (19)	566 (14)	4477 (8)	6.1 (9)
N(25)	6211 (14)	1326 (13)	4695 (7)	6.2 (7)
N(26)	5742 (15)	3622 (11)	4171 (7)	5.9 (7)
C(27)	5658 (19)	4311 (18)	4482 (11)	8.1 (11)
C(28)	6522 (25)	4449 (19)	4715 (11)	9.7 (13)
C(29)	6814 (19)	3799 (21)	5021 (9)	8.2 (11)
N(20)	7003 (15)	3003 (15)	4799 (7)	7.3 (8)
N(31)	6346 (12)	2637 (11)	2447 (6)	4.6 (5)
C(32)	6801 (15)	1870 (14)	2602 (7)	4.2 (7)
C(33)	7263 (14)	1962 (13)	3050 (6)	3.7 (6)
C(34)	6573 (12)	2044 (14)	3408 (6)	3.1 (6)
N(35)	6948 (12)	2112 (12)	3847 (5)	4.5 (6)
B(1)	4523 (19)	2814 (25)	659 (8)	6.6 (12)
F(11)	4074 (13)	3242 (13)	344 (6)	10.6 (7)
F(12)	4006 (13)	2390 (15)	884 (6)	12.6 (8)
F(13)	5218 (14)	2429 (19)	502 (7)	15.4 (10)
F(14)	4891 (16)	3438 (16)	923 (7)	14.4 (10)
B(2)	8930 (17)	2739 (19)	1929 (10)	5.5 (10)
F(21)	8449 (11)	2231 (13)	1666 (5)	10.2 (7)
F(22)	9297 (12)	2250 (12)	2244 (5)	10.2 (7)
F(23)	9604 (11)	3138 (12)	1721 (6)	10.1 (7)
F(24)	8355 (11)	3298 (13)	2105 (7)	11.1 (7)
B(3)	7836 (18)	3757 (18)	613 (8)	4.8 (9)
F(31)	7506 (16)	3036 (11)	725 (5)	11.4 (7)
F(32)	8096 (13)	3676 (12)	188 (5)	9.9 (7)
F(33)	7243 (15)	4369 (14)	635 (7)	13.5 (9)
F(34)	8557 (13)	3929 (16)	847 (8)	14.1 (10)
B(4)	2507 (37)	4626 (29)	1599 (16)	11.6 (18)
F(41)	1999 (14)	5166 (13)	1342 (7)	11.8 (8)
F(42)	3348 (17)	4969 (17)	1646 (9)	16.1 (11)
F(43)	2594 (17)	3870 (14)	1393 (8)	14.1 (10)
F(44)	2116 (21)	4530 (18)	1982 (8)	19.8 (14)

XP21 (Pavelčík, 1987). The coordinates of the two Cu atoms were found by program MULTAN80 (Main, Fiske, Hull, Lessinger, Germain, Declercq & Woolfson, 1980). Remaining non-H atoms were located using Fourier synthesis (Sheldrick, 1976). The structure was anisotropically refined by block-diagonal least squares (on  $F$ ). Scattering factors from *International Tables for X-ray Crystallography* (1962). Positions of H atoms were calculated. All later calculations were performed by XRC83 program system (Pavelčík, Kettmann & Majer, 1985). Maximum positive and maximum negative electron density in final difference Fourier synthesis 0.69 and  $-0.61 e \text{\AA}^{-3}$ . Final  $R = 0.082$ ,  $wR = 0.089$ ,  $w = 1.0/\sigma^2(F_o)$ .  $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\max} = 0.1$  in final refinement cycle; 424 parameters refined (damped fudge factor = 0.3). Calculations performed using an M4030-1 computer, Slovak Technical University, and an EC-1045 computer, J. A. Komenský University, Bratislava, Czechoslovakia.

Table 2. Bond distances ( $\text{\AA}$ ) and angles ( $^\circ$ ) with e.s.d.'s in parentheses for non-H atoms

Cu(1)—N(11)	2.02 (2)	C(27)—C(28)	1.47 (5)
—N(15)	2.04 (2)	C(28)—C(29)	1.45 (4)
—N(16)	2.04 (2)	C(29)—N(20)	1.45 (4)
—N(10)	2.01 (1)	N(31)—C(32)	1.46 (3)
—N(31)	2.23 (2)	C(32)—C(33)	1.54 (3)
Cu(2)—N(21)	2.06 (2)	C(33)—C(34)	1.49 (3)
—N(25)	2.02 (2)	C(34)—N(35)	1.46 (2)
—N(26)	2.01 (2)	B(1)—F(11)	1.35 (3)
—N(20)	2.05 (2)	—F(12)	1.24 (4)
—N(35)	2.25 (2)	—F(13)	1.28 (4)
N(11)—C(12)	1.43 (4)	—F(14)	1.38 (4)
C(12)—C(13)	1.56 (4)	B(2)—F(21)	1.33 (3)
C(13)—C(14)	1.46 (4)	—F(22)	1.35 (3)
C(14)—N(15)	1.43 (3)	—F(23)	1.33 (3)
N(16)—C(17)	1.47 (3)	—F(24)	1.33 (3)
C(17)—C(18)	1.46 (4)	B(3)—F(31)	1.28 (3)
C(18)—C(19)	1.50 (4)	—F(32)	1.36 (3)
C(19)—N(10)	1.48 (3)	—F(33)	1.30 (3)
N(21)—C(22)	1.47 (3)	—F(34)	1.30 (3)
C(22)—C(23)	1.50 (4)	B(4)—F(41)	1.38 (5)
C(23)—C(24)	1.47 (4)	—F(42)	1.35 (6)
C(24)—N(25)	1.46 (3)	—F(43)	1.36 (5)
N(26)—C(27)	1.45 (4)	—F(44)	1.32 (6)
N(11)—Cu(1)—N(15)	89.6 (8)	Cu(1)—N(11)—C(12)	123 (2)
—N(16)	88.7 (8)	N(11)—C(12)—C(13)	112 (2)
—N(10)	165.3 (8)	C(12)—C(13)—C(14)	113 (2)
—N(31)	95.4 (8)	C(13)—C(14)—N(15)	114 (2)
N(15)—Cu(1)—N(16)	158.2 (8)	Cu(1)—N(15)—C(14)	119 (2)
—N(10)	86.7 (8)	Cu(1)—N(16)—C(17)	122 (2)
—N(31)	95.3 (7)	N(16)—C(17)—C(18)	113 (2)
N(16)—Cu(1)—N(10)	89.5 (8)	C(17)—C(18)—C(19)	115 (2)
—N(31)	106.5 (7)	C(18)—C(19)—N(10)	112 (2)
N(10)—Cu(1)—N(31)	99.1 (7)	Cu(1)—N(10)—C(19)	121 (1)
N(21)—Cu(2)—N(25)	87.4 (8)	Cu(2)—N(21)—C(22)	120 (2)
—N(26)	89.7 (8)	N(21)—C(22)—C(23)	113 (2)
—N(20)	149.7 (8)	C(22)—C(23)—C(24)	115 (2)
—N(35)	112.6 (7)	C(23)—C(24)—N(25)	111 (2)
N(25)—Cu(2)—N(26)	173.9 (8)	Cu(2)—N(25)—C(24)	119 (2)
—N(20)	91.0 (9)	Cu(2)—N(26)—C(27)	117 (2)
—N(35)	92.0 (7)	N(26)—C(27)—C(28)	111 (2)
N(26)—Cu(2)—N(20)	88.7 (8)	C(27)—C(28)—C(29)	118 (3)
—N(35)	94.1 (7)	C(28)—C(29)—N(20)	111 (2)
N(20)—Cu(2)—N(35)	97.7 (8)	Cu(2)—N(20)—C(29)	120 (2)
F(11)—B(1)—F(12)	112 (3)	Cu(1)—N(31)—C(32)	124 (1)
—F(13)	111 (3)	N(31)—C(32)—C(33)	114 (2)
—F(14)	105 (2)	C(32)—C(33)—C(34)	112 (2)
F(12)—B(1)—F(13)	116 (3)	C(33)—C(34)—N(35)	116 (2)
—F(14)	107 (3)	Cu(2)—N(35)—C(34)	120 (1)
F(13)—B(1)—F(14)	105 (3)	F(31)—B(3)—F(32)	106 (2)
F(21)—B(2)—F(22)	107 (2)	—F(33)	113 (2)
—F(23)	112 (2)	—F(34)	110 (2)
—F(24)	108 (2)	F(32)—B(3)—F(33)	108 (2)
F(22)—B(2)—F(23)	109 (2)	—F(34)	109 (2)
—F(24)	110 (2)	F(33)—B(3)—F(34)	111 (2)
F(23)—B(2)—F(24)	110 (2)	F(41)—B(4)—F(42)	108 (4)
		—F(43)	109 (4)
		—F(44)	110 (4)
		F(42)—B(4)—F(43)	109 (4)
		—F(44)	110 (4)
		F(43)—B(4)—F(44)	111 (4)

**Discussion.** The atom coordinates are in Table 1.\* Bond distances and bond angles are given in Table 2. The structure is depicted in Fig. 1 (all  $\text{BF}_4^-$  ions are omitted). Four tn groups are chelated to two Cu atoms, each in the characteristic chair conformation. The fifth tn molecule is bonded through N atoms to both Cu atoms (Fig. 1). The Cu(1)—Cu(2) distance

\* Lists of structure amplitudes, anisotropic thermal parameters, H-atom parameters and torsion angles have been deposited with the British Library Document Supply Centre as Supplementary Publication No. SUP 51997 (30 pp.). Copies may be obtained through The Executive Secretary, International Union of Crystallography, 5 Abbey Square, Chester CH1 2HU, England.

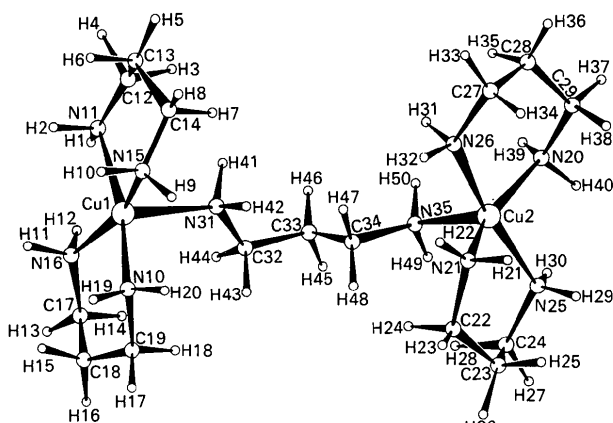


Fig. 1. Structure of the title compound showing the atomic numbering (four  $\text{BF}_4^-$  groups omitted).

is 8.07 (7) Å, and average Cu—N distances are Cu(1)—N(eq.) 2.03 (2), Cu(1)—N(ax1) 2.23 (2) Å and Cu(2)—N(eq.) 2.04 (2), Cu(2)—N(ax1) 2.25 (2) Å. Coordination around Cu takes the form of a distorted tetragonal pyramid. The dihedral angle between plane (1) [N(11), N(15), N(16), N(10)] and plane (2) [N(21), N(25), N(26), N(20)] is 62.8 (5)°. The distance of Cu(1) from plane (1) is  $-0.32$  (2) Å and that of Cu(2) from plane (2) is  $+0.31$  (2) Å.

It is interesting that, in contrast to the initial assumption, none of the  $\text{BF}_4^-$  ions are bonded to other atoms in the structure. The shortest intermolecular contacts are F(22)—H(20) 2.09 (2) and (between non-H atoms) F(22)—N(10) 3.00 (2) Å.

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## Copper 1-Aminocyclohexanecarboxylate Monohydrate [Aquabis(1-aminocyclohexanecarboxylato)copper(II)]; Tetra- and Pentacoordinate Copper

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**Abstract.**  $[\text{Cu}(\text{C}_7\text{H}_{12}\text{NO}_2)_2(\text{H}_2\text{O})]$ ,  $M_r = 365.9$ , monoclinic,  $P2_1/c$ ,  $a = 10.750$  (3),  $b = 13.643$  (4),  $c = 22.819$  (5) Å,  $\beta = 100.51$  (2)°,  $V = 3291$  (1) Å<sup>3</sup>,  $Z = 8$ ,  $D_x = 1.48$  Mg m<sup>-3</sup>,  $\lambda(\text{Mo } K\alpha) = 0.71073$  Å,  $\mu = 1.40$  mm<sup>-1</sup>,  $F(000) = 1544$ ,  $T = 293$  (1) K,  $R = 0.051$  for 4074 reflections. There are two chelated molecules in each of four asymmetric units, with two amino groups and two carboxyl groups coordinated to each Cu atom. The amino groups are in the axial

positions of the cyclohexane rings, the carboxyl groups in the equatorial positions. In one molecule the N atoms are in a *trans* position, and the configuration of the Cu atom is intermediate between that of a distorted pentacoordinate trigonal bipyramid and a distorted rectangular pyramid, with the O atom of a water molecule occupying the fifth position. In the second molecule the coordination is planar, with the N atoms in a *cis* position. A second

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