Refinement	
Refinement on F	$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\rm max} = 0.01$
R = 0.017	$\Delta \rho_{\rm max} = 0.42 \ {\rm e} \ {\rm \AA}^{-3}$
wR = 0.019	$\Delta \rho_{\rm min} = -0.52 \ {\rm e} \ {\rm \AA}^{-3}$
S = 1.48	Extinction correction: none
1839 reflections	Atomic scattering factors
164 parameters	from International Tables
Only coordinates of H atoms	for X-ray Crystallography
refined	(1974, Vol. IV)
$w = 1/\sigma^2(F_o)$	

# Table 1. Fractional atomic coordinates and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters (Å<sup>2</sup>)

### $B_{\rm eq} = (4/3) \sum_i \sum_j \beta_{ij} \mathbf{a}_i \cdot \mathbf{a}_j.$

	x	у	z	$B_{eq}$
Ag	-0.01553 (1)	-0.18509 (4)	0.42605(1)	2.821 (4)
01	0.04167 (6)	0.0631 (3)	0.4039 (1)	2.95 (4)
02	0.04948 (6)	0.3831 (3)	0.50013 (9)	2.75 (4)
O3	0.05855 (6)	0.5620 (4)	0.2307 (1)	3.04 (4)
O4	0.18642 (7)	0.0546 (4)	0.5006(1)	4.00 (5)
N	0.11646 (7)	0.3336 (4)	0.3759 (1)	2.37 (4)
Cl	0.05892 (8)	0.2835 (4)	0.4437 (1)	2.18 (5)
C2	0.09540 (9)	0.4623 (5)	0.4251 (1)	2.60 (5)
C3	0.09530(8)	0.3911 (4)	0.2811 (1)	2.20 (5)
C4	0.12825 (8)	0.2072 (5)	0.2609(1)	2.23 (4)
C5	0.16705 (8)	0.0525 (5)	0.3428 (1)	2.40 (5)
C6	0.20392 (9)	-0.1377 (6)	0.3457 (2)	3.26 (6)
C7	0.20019 (9)	-0.1682 (6)	0.2623 (2)	3.64 (6)
C8	0.16195 (9)	-0.0122 (6)	0.1807 (2)	3.43 (6)
C9	0.12515 (9)	0.1808 (6)	0.1781 (1)	2.86 (5)
C10	0.16010 (9)	0.1338 (5)	0.4179 (1)	2.61 (5)

Table 2. Selected geometric parameters (Å, °)

Ag—Ag <sup>i</sup>	2.8465 (2)	N-C10	1.389 (3)
Ag-OI	2.225 (2)	C1—C2	1.525 (4)
Ag-O2 <sup>i</sup>	2.228 (2)	C3C4	1.484 (4)
Ag-O3 <sup>ii</sup>	2.541 (2)	C4—C5	1.382 (3)
Ag-O2 <sup>iii</sup>	2.612 (2)	C4—C9	1.386 (4)
01-C1	1.242 (3)	C5C6	1.378 (4)
O2-C1	1.259 (3)	C5-C10	1.481 (4)
03—C3	1.207 (2)	C6C7	1.388 (5)
O4-C10	1.210 (3)	C7—C8	1.381 (3)
N—C2	1.445 (4)	C8—C9	1.389 (4)
N—C3	1.394 (3)		
O1—Ag—Ag <sup>i</sup>	85.8 (5)	O1—Ag—O2 <sup>i</sup>	160.4 (4)
Ag-OI-CI	118.9 (2)	C3-C4C9	130.0 (2)
C2_N_C3	124.6 (2)	C5-C4C9	121.5 (2)
C2-N-C10	123.5 (2)	C4—C5—C6	121.7 (3)
C3-N-C10	111.9 (2)	C4-C5-C10	107.8 (2)
01-C1-02	126.7 (3)	C6C5C10	130.5 (2)
01-C1-C2	119.7 (2)	C5-C6C7	117.0 (2)
02-C1-C2	113.6 (2)	C6C7C8	121.5 (3)
N-C2-C1	114.2 (2)	C7—C8—C9	121.5 (3)
03—C3—N	124.3 (3)	C4C9C8	116.8 (2)
O3—C3—C4	130.2 (2)	O4-C10-N	124.2 (3)
N-C3-C4	105.6 (2)	O4-C10-C5	129.6 (2)
C3-C4C5	108.5 (2)	N-C10-C5	106.2 (2)

Symmetry codes: (i) -x, -y, 1 - z; (ii) -x, y - 1,  $\frac{1}{2} - z$ ; (iii) x, y - 1, z.

Calculations were performed using *SDP* (B. A. Frenz & Associates Inc., 1982) on a DEC MicroVAX 3100-80 computer at the Centre de Diffractométrie Automatique, Université Lyon I.

Lists of structure factors, anisotropic displacement parameters, Hatom coordinates and bond distances and angles involving H atoms have been deposited with the IUCr (Reference: PA1128). Copies may be obtained through The Managing Editor, International Union of Crystallography, 5 Abbey Square, Chester CH1 2HU, England.

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# Mono(aminocarboxylato)cobalt(III) Complexes Possessing Only Vicinal and Conformational Asymmetry. IV. Silver(I) *mer*-(NO<sub>2</sub>),*trans*-(NH<sub>2</sub>,NH<sub>3</sub>)-[(S)-alaninato]amminetrinitrocobaltate(III) Monohydrate

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## Abstract

The structure of Ag[Co(C<sub>3</sub>H<sub>6</sub>NO<sub>2</sub>)(NO<sub>2</sub>)<sub>3</sub>(NH<sub>3</sub>)].H<sub>2</sub>O consists of silver cations, complex anions and molecules of water. The five-membered chelate ring adopts a very flat strained  $\lambda$ -envelope conformation with a methyl side

chain in an axial position relative to the coordination plane defined by the metal atom and the ligating atoms of the aminocarboxylato ligand.

# Comment

Cobalt(III) complexes containing one chelated optically active aminocarboxylato ligand have been considered as model systems for the investigation of vicinal optical activity in octahedral complexes (Hawkins, 1971). To elucidate the relationship between the optical activity of cobalt(III) complexes and the conformation of the aminocarboxylato ligand (Prelesnik, Andjelković & Juranić, 1992, and references therein), the crystal structure determination of the title compound was undertaken.



The coordination around the Co atom can be described as distorted octahedral (Fig. 1). The *mer*- $(NO_2)$ , *trans*- $(NH_2,NH_3)$  geometry, which has been ascribed to the isolated isomers of  $[Co(NO_2)_3(am)NH_3]$ -type complexes [amH = glycine, (S)-alanine, (S)-aminobutyric acid, (S)-*n*-valine] and later established for glycinato complexes (Herak & Prelesnik, 1976), is also found in the present case.



Fig. 1. Numbering of atoms and geometry of the complex anion.

Bond lengths and angles are in accordance with the corresponding values found in other cobalt complexes containing aminocarboxylato rings (Freeman, 1967; Watson, Johnson, Ćelap & Kamberi, 1972; Herak, Prelesnik, Manojlović-Muir & Muir, 1974; Herak,

Prelesnik & Krstanović, 1978; Prelesnik, Andjelković & Juranić, 1992).

The chelate ring deviates slightly from a planar conformation and takes the form of a flattened strained  $\lambda$ envelope. The side-chain methyl group is in an axial position relative to the coordination plane of the chelate (the plane defined by Co, O1 and N5). The displacements of C1, C2 and C3 from the coordination plane are 0.112 (7), -1.001 (10) and 0.116 (7) Å, respectively.

Each  $Ag^+$  ion is surrounded in an irregular arrangement by eight O atoms, six belonging to three  $NO_2$ groups of three different complex molecules and two from the carboxylato group of a fourth complex molecule. The Ag—O distances range from 2.451 (6) to 2.857 (7) Å.

The molecules of water and the complex anions are held together by relatively weak hydrogen bonds of the types OW— $H \cdots O$ , N— $H \cdots OW$  and N— $H \cdots O$ .

#### **Experimental**

The compound was prepared by the procedure of Čelap, Malinar & Janjić (1971).

#### Crystal data

wR = 0.037

1530 reflections

172 parameters

 $w = 1/\sigma^2(F_o)$ 

riding model

H atoms treated using a

S = 1.74

$Ag[Co(C_3H_6NO_2)(NO_2)_3-$	Mo $K\alpha$ radiation
(NH <sub>3</sub> )].H <sub>2</sub> O	$\lambda = 0.71069 \text{ Å}$
$M_r = 427.95$	Cell parameters from 25
Orthorhombic	reflections
P212121	$\theta = 18 - 25^{\circ}$
a = 7.9169(9) Å	$\mu = 3.12 \text{ mm}^{-1}$
b = 9.2702 (6) Å	T = 293 (1)  K
c = 15.9849 (12)  Å	Prismatic
V = 1173.2 (2) Å <sup>3</sup>	$0.44 \times 0.32 \times 0.32$ mm
Z = 4	Dark Red
$D_x = 2.423 \text{ Mg m}^{-3}$	
Data collection	
Enraf–Nonius CAD-4	$R_{\rm int} = 0.066$
diffractometer	$\theta_{\rm max} = 28^{\circ}$
$\theta/2\theta$ scans	$h=0 \rightarrow 10$
Absorption correction:	$k = 0 \rightarrow 12$
none	$l = 0 \rightarrow 21$
2236 measured reflections	2 standard reflections
1971 independent reflections	frequency: 60 min
1530 observed reflections	intensity decay: none
$[l > 3\sigma(l)]$	
Refinement	
Refinement on F	$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\rm max} = 0.02$
R = 0.035	$\Delta \rho_{\rm max} = 0.588 \ {\rm e} \ {\rm \AA}^{-3}$

 $\Delta \rho_{\text{max}} = 0.528 \text{ e} \text{ Å}^{-3}$   $\Delta \rho_{\text{min}} = -0.632 \text{ e} \text{ Å}^{-3}$ Extinction correction: none Atomic scattering factors from International Tables for X-ray Crystallography (1974, Vol. IV, Table 2.3.1)

Table	1. Fractional	atomic	coordinates	and	equi	val	eni
	isotropic di	splaceme	ent paramete	rs (Å	<sup>2</sup> )		

# $U_{\rm eq} = (1/3) \sum_i \sum_j U_{ij} a_i^* a_i^* \mathbf{a}_i \cdot \mathbf{a}_j.$

x	у	Ζ	$U_{eq}$
0.11664 (7)	0.48495 (6)	0.13126 (3)	0.0284 (1)
0.72407 (11)	0.53483 (9)	0.89295 (5)	0.0192 (2)
0.2185 (8)	0.3540 (7)	0.8962 (5)	0.049 (2)
0.7494 (7)	0.7389 (5)	0.8896 (4)	0.030(1)
0.8958 (8)	0.9180 (5)	0.8338 (4)	0.040(1)
0.6390 (10)	0.6251 (8)	0.7334 (4)	0.056 (2)
0.4813 (8)	0.4595 (8)	0.7753 (4)	0.046 (3)
0.5941 (9)	0.2690 (6)	0.9377 (4)	0.048 (2)
0.7990 (10)	0.2549 (6)	0.8533 (5)	0.071 (2)
0.7873 (9)	0.4656 (8)	1.0591 (3)	0.049(1)
0.9864 (8)	0.5856 (7)	1.0037 (4)	0.048(1)
0.5130 (8)	0.5572 (7)	0.9552 (4)	0.030(1)
0.6018 (8)	0.5403 (7)	0.7881 (4)	0.027 (1)
0.7038 (9)	0.3275 (6)	0.8954 (4)	0.029(1)
0.8459 (8)	0.5289 (7)	0.9978 (4)	0.028 (2)
0.9361 (7)	0.5286 (6)	0.8312 (4)	0.020(1)
0.9940 (9)	0.6774 (8)	0.8092 (5)	0.025(1)
1.1750 (10)	0.7059 (9)	0.8379 (7)	0.041 (2)
0.8729 (10)	0.7871 (7)	0.8462 (5)	0.024 (1)
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#### Table 2. Selected geometric parameters (Å, °)

Co-01	1.903 (5)	O22N2	1.230 (9)
Co-N1	1.956 (6)	O31—N3	1.227 (9)
Co-N2	1.936 (6)	O32—N3	1.214 (10)
Co-N3	1.929 (6)	O41—N4	1.233 (9)
Co-N4	1.935 (6)	O42—N4	1.234 (9)
Co-N5	1.948 (6)	N5-C1	1.496 (9)
01—C3	1.279 (10)	C1—C2	1.528 (11)
O2—C3	1.243 (8)	C1—C3	1.518 (10)
O21—N2	1.212 (9)		
01-Co-N1	89.9 (3)	Co-N2-O21	121.3 (6)
01-Co-N2	90.1 (3)	Co-N2-022	121.1 (5)
01-Co-N3	178.7 (3)	O21-N2-O22	117.6 (7)
01-Co-N4	90.0 (3)	Co-N3-031	120.7 (5)
01-Co-N5	85.7 (2)	Co-N3-032	119.3 (5)
N1-Co-N2	90.6 (3)	O31—N3—O32	120.0 (7)
N1-Co-N3	91.4 (3)	Co-N4-041	121.0 (5)
N1—Co—N4	89.3 (3)	Co-N4-042	120.2 (5)
N1—Co—N5	175.6 (3)	041—N4—042	118.8 (7)
N2-Co-N3	90.1 (3)	Co-N5-C1	110.9 (4)
N2-Co-N4	179.9 (3)	N5-C1-C2	112.1 (6)
N2—Co—N5	89.6 (3)	N5-C1-C3	109.4 (6)
N3—Co—N4	89.8 (3)	C2-C1-C3	111.1 (7)
N3—Co—N5	93.0 (3)	01—C3—02	122.6 (7)
N4—Co—N5	90.5 (3)	01—C3—C1	117.4 (7)
Co	116.3 (5)	O2—C3—C1	120.0 (7)

The structure of the title compound was solved by Patterson and difference Fourier methods and refined by full-matrix least-squares methods. At a later stage of isotropic refinement, the absolute configuration was established by carrying out the refinement with two alternate configurations, with values of the polarity factor  $\eta$  of 1 and -1, giving R factors of 0.068 and 0.076, respectively. The model with the lower R value, which is in accordance with the configuration deduced from the configuration of (S)-alanine, was further anisotropically refined. The majority of the H atoms, including those belonging to the water molecule, were found in the difference Fourier map. The remaining H atoms were placed at calculated positions with C—H and N—H distances of 0.95 Å.

All calculations were performed on a PDP 11/73 computer using SDP (Frenz, 1982). Data collection, cell refinement and data reduction were performed using CAD-4 Software (Enraf-Nonius, 1989). Molecular graphics were produced using SDP. This work was supported financially by the Ministry for Science and Technology of the Republic of Serbia.

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# A Platinum(II) Diammine Complex: cis-[Pt(C<sub>8</sub>H<sub>11</sub>N<sub>5</sub>O<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>(NH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>]Cl<sub>2</sub>.2H<sub>2</sub>O

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### Abstract

The crystal structure of *cis*-diamminebis{9-[(2-hydroxyethoxy)methyl]guanine}platinum(II) chloride dihydrate (systematic name: bis{2-amino-1,9-di-hydro-9-[(2-hydroxyethoxy)methyl]-6*H*-purin-6-one- $N^7$ }diammineplatinum(II) chloride dihydrate), *cis*-[Pt(C<sub>8</sub>H<sub>11</sub>N<sub>5</sub>O<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>(NH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>]Cl<sub>2</sub>.2H<sub>2</sub>O, was determined by single-crystal X-ray diffraction. The Pt atom is *cis*-coordinated by the N atoms of two ammine ligands and by an N atom from each of two 9-[(2-hydroxyethoxy)-methyl]guanine ligands. The geometry around the Pt atom deviates slightly from square-planarity. The complex crystallizes in the trigonal space group P3<sub>1</sub>21.