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Manganese Cupferronate

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Abstract

In the title compound, bis(*N*-nitroso-*N*-phenylhydroxylaminato)manganese, [Mn(C₆H₅N₂O₂)₂], the Mn^{II} ion has distorted octahedral coordination defined by four O atoms from two cupferron ligands and two O atoms of the nitroso groups of two adjacent cupferron ligands [Mn—O 2.142(2)–2.198(2) Å]. Each nitroso O atom coordinates to two Mn^{II} ions resulting in an (—Mn—O—Mn—)_n network. The plane of the nitrosohydroxylaminato group is nearly coplanar with that of the phenyl ring.

Comment

As part of a series of studies aimed at clarifying the interaction modes of *N*-nitroso compounds with biologically important metal ions, the crystal structures of the Ni^{II} and Al^{III} complexes of cupferron, *N*-nitroso-*N*-phenylhydroxylamine, (I), have been determined (Okabe & Tamaki, 1995; Okabe, Tamaki, Suga & Kohyama, 1995). The structures of the related complexes iron cupferronate (van der Helm, Merritt & Degeilh, 1965), (*N*-nitroso-*N*-phenylhydroxylaminato-*O*,*O'*)bis(triphenylphosphine)copper(I) (Charalambous, Haines, Harris, Henrick & Taylor, 1984) and bis-(cupferronato)copper(II) (Elerman, Atakol, Svoboda & Geselle, 1995) have been reported previously. In the

present study, the crystal structure of the Mn^{II} complex of cupferron, (II), has been determined in order to clarify the binding scheme of the nitroso group to the Mn^{II} ion.

The molecular structure of the title complex is illustrated in Fig. 1. The four O atoms of two cupferron ligands (*A* and *B*) coordinate to the Mn^{II} ion and two O atoms of the nitroso groups of two adjacent cupferron ligands also coordinate to it from axial and equatorial directions. In each ligand, the plane of the nitrosohydroxylaminato group is nearly coplanar with that of the phenyl ring [O(1A)—N(1A)—N(2A)—O(2A) –0.7(4), O(1A)—N(1A)—C(1A)—C(6A) –16.9(5), O(1B)—N(1B)—N(2B)—O(2B) –0.7(4) and O(1B)—N(1B)—C(1B)—C(6B) 1.2(5)°] and the planes of the *A* and *B* ligands are nearly perpendicular to each other [O(1A)—

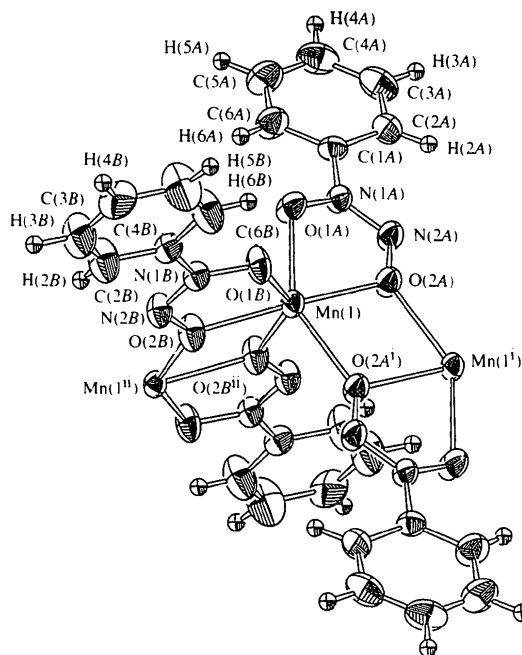


Fig. 1. An ORTEP (Johnson, 1976) drawing of the title compound with the atomic numbering scheme. Ellipsoids for non-H atoms correspond to 50% probability. Symmetry codes are as given in Table 2.

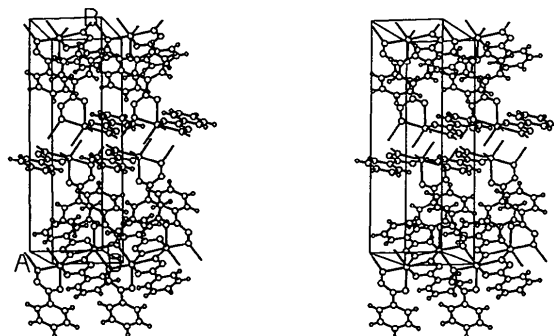
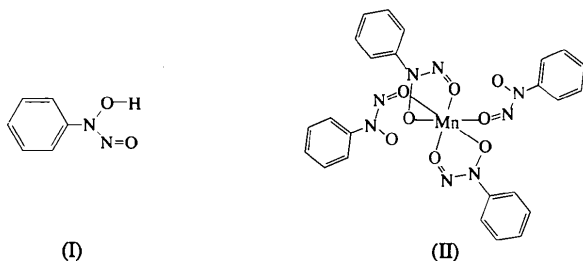


Fig. 2. Stereoview of the unit-cell packing of the title compound.



Mn(1)—O(1B) 94.12 (9)°]. As a result, the Mn^{II} ion has distorted octahedral coordination defined by six O atoms from four cupferron ligands. The O atom of the nitroso group is coordinated to two Mn^{II} ions resulting in an (—Mn—O—Mn—)_n network, which stabilizes the crystal structure, as shown in Fig. 2.

Experimental

The brown prism crystal was obtained by slow evaporation of a 50% ethanol solution of a mixture of the *N*-nitroso-*N*-phenylhydroxylamine ammonium salt and MnSO₄·5H₂O in a 3:1 molar ratio at room temperature.

Crystal data

[Mn(C₆H₅N₂O₂)₂]

M_r = 329.18

Monoclinic

*P*2₁/*n*

a = 6.141 (1) Å

b = 19.570 (2) Å

c = 11.366 (1) Å

β = 91.64 (1)°

V = 1365.5 (3) Å³

Z = 4

D_x = 1.601 Mg m⁻³

D_m not determined

Data collection

Rigaku AFC-5R diffractometer

ω-2θ scans

Absorption correction:

ψ scans (North, Phillips & Mathews, 1968)

T_{min} = 0.92, *T_{max}* = 1.00

3513 measured reflections

3226 independent reflections

2082 observed reflections

[*I* > 2σ(*I*)]

Refinement

Refinement on *F*²

R = 0.040

wR = 0.041

S = 1.20

2082 reflections

230 parameters

H atoms refined isotropically

w = 4*F_o*²/*σ*²(*F_o*²)

Mo *K*α radiation

λ = 0.71069 Å

Cell parameters from 25 reflections

θ = 13.4–15.8°

μ = 0.948 mm⁻¹

T = 296 K

Prism

0.4 × 0.1 × 0.03 mm

Brown

R_{int} = 0.033

θ_{max} = 27.5°

h = 0 → 7

k = 0 → 25

l = -14 → 14

3 standard reflections

monitored every 150

reflections

intensity decay: none

(Δ/σ)_{max} = 0.004

Δρ_{max} = 0.30 e Å⁻³

Δρ_{min} = -0.26 e Å⁻³

Extinction correction: none

Atomic scattering factors from *International Tables for X-ray Crystallography* (1974, Vol. IV)

O(2B)	0.5678 (4)	0.0059 (1)	0.3977 (2)	3.2 (1)
N(1A)	0.1336 (4)	0.1480 (1)	0.5996 (2)	2.4 (1)
N(1B)	0.4833 (4)	0.0513 (1)	0.2313 (2)	2.4 (1)
N(2A)	-0.0253 (4)	0.1089 (1)	0.6247 (2)	2.9 (1)
N(2B)	0.6343 (4)	0.0227 (2)	0.2926 (2)	2.8 (1)
C(1A)	0.1768 (5)	0.2066 (2)	0.6736 (3)	2.5 (1)
C(1B)	0.5314 (6)	0.0728 (2)	0.1129 (3)	2.7 (1)
C(2A)	0.0207 (6)	0.2296 (2)	0.7491 (3)	3.4 (2)
C(2B)	0.7320 (7)	0.0608 (3)	0.0679 (4)	4.5 (2)
C(3A)	0.0733 (8)	0.2825 (2)	0.8255 (4)	4.3 (2)
C(3B)	0.7688 (8)	0.0793 (3)	-0.0475 (4)	4.9 (2)
C(4A)	0.2756 (8)	0.3122 (2)	0.8252 (4)	4.4 (2)
C(4B)	0.6100 (8)	0.1088 (2)	-0.1142 (4)	4.6 (2)
C(5A)	0.4269 (7)	0.2898 (2)	0.7484 (4)	4.5 (2)
C(5B)	0.4131 (9)	0.1220 (3)	-0.0675 (4)	6.1 (3)
C(6A)	0.3782 (7)	0.2369 (2)	0.6710 (4)	3.7 (2)
C(6B)	0.3724 (7)	0.1036 (3)	0.0477 (4)	4.9 (2)

Table 2. Selected geometric parameters (Å, °)

Mn(1)—O(1A)	2.159 (2)	N(1B)—C(1B)	1.448 (4)
Mn(1)—O(1B)	2.142 (2)	C(1A)—C(2A)	1.381 (5)
Mn(1)—O(2A)	2.190 (2)	C(1A)—C(6A)	1.373 (5)
Mn(1)—O(2A')	2.157 (2)	C(1B)—C(2B)	1.368 (5)
Mn(1)—O(2B)	2.144 (2)	C(1B)—C(6B)	1.351 (5)
Mn(1)—O(2B ⁱⁱ)	2.198 (2)	C(2A)—C(3A)	1.383 (5)
O(1A)—N(1A)	1.299 (3)	C(2B)—C(3B)	1.386 (5)
O(1B)—N(1B)	1.307 (3)	C(3A)—C(4A)	1.372 (6)
O(2A)—N(2A)	1.316 (3)	C(3B)—C(4B)	1.348 (6)
O(2B)—N(2B)	1.315 (3)	C(4A)—C(5A)	1.366 (6)
N(1A)—N(2A)	1.279 (4)	C(4B)—C(5B)	1.359 (6)
N(1A)—C(1A)	1.442 (4)	C(5A)—C(6A)	1.385 (6)
N(1B)—N(2B)	1.274 (4)	C(5B)—C(6B)	1.387 (6)
O(1A)—Mn(1)—O(1B)	94.12 (9)	O(1A)—N(1A)—C(1A)	118.3 (2)
O(1A)—Mn(1)—O(2A)	69.38 (8)	N(2A)—N(1A)—C(1A)	118.3 (3)
O(1A)—Mn(1)—O(2A')	141.86 (8)	O(1B)—N(1B)—N(2B)	123.6 (3)
O(1A)—Mn(1)—O(2B)	106.57 (9)	O(1B)—N(1B)—C(1B)	118.2 (3)
O(1A)—Mn(1)—O(2B ⁱⁱ)	91.8 (1)	N(2B)—N(1B)—C(1B)	118.2 (3)
O(1B)—Mn(1)—O(2A)	124.96 (9)	O(2A)—N(2A)—N(1A)	111.3 (2)
O(1B)—Mn(1)—O(2A')	107.3 (1)	O(2B)—N(2B)—N(1B)	111.5 (2)
O(1B)—Mn(1)—O(2B)	70.84 (8)	N(1A)—C(1A)—C(2A)	120.2 (3)
O(1B)—Mn(1)—O(2B ⁱⁱ)	140.89 (8)	N(1A)—C(1A)—C(6A)	118.8 (3)
O(2A)—Mn(1)—O(2A')	72.49 (9)	C(2A)—C(1A)—C(6A)	120.9 (3)
O(2A)—Mn(1)—O(2B)	163.26 (9)	N(1B)—C(1B)—C(2B)	120.5 (3)
O(2A)—Mn(1)—O(2B ⁱⁱ)	93.22 (9)	N(1B)—C(1B)—C(6B)	118.5 (3)
O(2B)—Mn(1)—O(2A')	110.10 (9)	C(2B)—C(1B)—C(6B)	121.0 (4)
O(2A')—Mn(1)—O(2B ⁱⁱ)	90.75 (9)	C(1A)—C(2A)—C(3A)	118.7 (4)
O(2B)—Mn(1)—O(2B ⁱⁱ)	70.41 (9)	C(1B)—C(2B)—C(3B)	118.8 (4)
Mn(1)—O(1A)—N(1A)	113.4 (2)	C(2A)—C(3A)—C(4A)	120.8 (4)
Mn(1)—O(1B)—N(1B)	114.0 (2)	C(2B)—C(3B)—C(4B)	120.6 (4)
Mn(1)—O(2A)—Mn(1)	107.51 (9)	C(3A)—C(4A)—C(5A)	119.9 (4)
Mn(1)—O(2A)—N(2A)	117.4 (2)	C(3B)—C(4B)—C(5B)	120.0 (4)
Mn(1)—O(2A')—N(2A')	131.4 (2)	C(4A)—C(5A)—C(6A)	120.5 (4)
Mn(1)—O(2B)—Mn(1)	109.59 (9)	C(4B)—C(5B)—C(6B)	120.4 (4)
Mn(1)—O(2B)—N(2B)	119.8 (2)	C(1A)—C(6A)—C(5A)	119.2 (4)
Mn(1)—O(2B ⁱⁱ)—N(2B ⁱⁱ)	129.8 (2)	C(1B)—C(6B)—C(5B)	119.1 (4)
O(1A)—N(1A)—N(2A)	123.3 (3)		

Symmetry codes: (i) -*x*, -*y*, 1 - *z*; (ii) 1 - *x*, -*y*, 1 - *z*.

Data collection: *MSCIAFC Diffractometer Control Software* (Molecular Structure Corporation, 1988). Cell refinement: *MSCIAFC Diffractometer Control Software*. Data reduction: *TEXSAN* (Molecular Structure Corporation, 1985). Program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELX86* (Sheldrick, 1985) and *DIRDIF* (Beurskens, 1984). Program(s) used to refine structure: *TEXSAN*. Molecular graphics: *ORTEPII* (Johnson, 1976).

Table 1. Fractional atomic coordinates and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters (Å²)

$$B_{\text{eq}} = (8\pi^2/3) \sum_i \sum_j U_{ij} a_i^* a_j^* \mathbf{a}_i \cdot \mathbf{a}_j$$

	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>	<i>B_{eq}</i>
Mn(1)	0.24529 (8)	0.03272 (3)	0.44850 (4)	2.19 (2)
O(1A)	0.2626 (4)	0.1364 (1)	0.5132 (2)	3.3 (1)
O(1B)	0.2867 (4)	0.0615 (1)	0.2687 (2)	3.2 (1)
O(2A)	-0.0405 (4)	0.0568 (1)	0.5517 (2)	2.9 (1)

Lists of structure factors, anisotropic displacement parameters, H-atom coordinates and complete geometry have been deposited with the IUCr (Reference: BK1196). Copies may be obtained through The Managing Editor, International Union of Crystallography, 5 Abbey Square, Chester CH1 2HU, England.

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Bis(η^5 -cyclopentadienyl)bis(formato-*O*-)titanium

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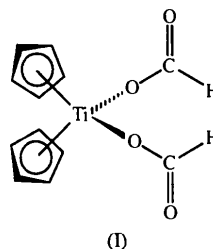
Abstract

The title compound, [Ti(C₅H₅)₂(CHO₂)₂], has a 'bent metallocene' structure type typically found for Cp₂MX₂ complexes. The Ti—O—C bond angles are larger than in related titanocene alkoxy complexes, suggesting enhanced π character in the Ti—O bonds of the title compound; however, the Ti—O bond lengths are longer than those in related alkoxy compounds.

Comment

In spite of their importance as probable intermediates in metal-catalyzed carbon dioxide hydrogenation reactions (Jessop, Ikariya & Noyori, 1995), relatively few η^1 -formato complexes have been structurally characterized

(see Fong, Fox & Cooper, 1987, and references therein; Hermann, Alt & Thewalt, 1990; Wöhrle & Thewalt, 1994). The title compound, (I), has been characterized in order to compare its properties with those of other formato complexes and with those of related bis(acyloxy) derivatives.



Considering the vectors from titanium to the centroids of the cyclopentadienyl rings, together with the bonds to the two O atoms of the formato ligands, the geometry about titanium can be described as distorted tetrahedral. The Ti—O bond lengths, 1.951 (2) and 1.952 (2) Å, indicate some π character in these bonds since both are less than 2 Å, but the electron-withdrawing nature of the formato groups reduces this character in comparison with that of an alkoxy complex. Thus, Cp₂Ti(OCH₂CH₃)Cl shows a Ti—O bond length of 1.855 (2) Å (Huffman, Moloy, Marsella & Caulton, 1980) and Cp₂Ti(OCH₃)Cl shows a Ti—O bond length of 1.839 (2) Å (Gibson, Ding, Mashuta & Richardson, 1996). The Ti—O—C bond angles have also been taken as further indicators of π character in the Ti—O bonds of alkoxy complexes; the shorter Ti—O bond lengths are attended by larger Ti—O—C angles [133.2 (2) and 141.4 (3)°, respectively]. With acyloxy derivatives, however, this relationship is not maintained. The Ti—O—C bond angles in (I) are 143.3 (2) and

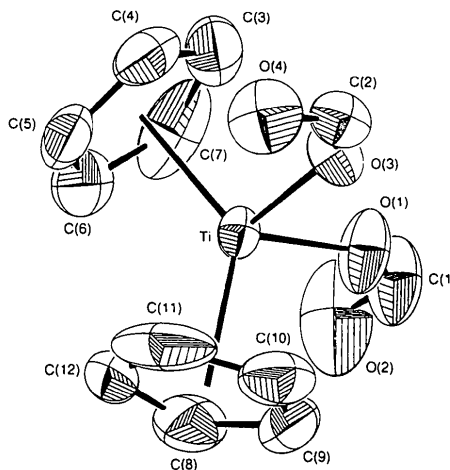


Fig. 1. ORTEPII (Johnson, 1976) plot of the title complex showing 50% probability displacement ellipsoids. H atoms are omitted for clarity.