

Refinement

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| Refinement on F^2 | $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\text{max}} < 0.001$ |
| $R(F) = 0.0245$ | $\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 1.006 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$ |
| $wR(F^2) = 0.0565$ | $\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.511 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$ |
| $S = 1.086$ | Extinction correction: none |
| 1085 reflections | Scattering factors from <i>International Tables for Crystallography</i> (Vol. C) |
| 133 parameters | Absolute configuration: Flack (1983) |
| H atoms riding | Flack parameter = 0.016 (10) |
| $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_c^2) + (0.0253P)^2$ | |
| + 14.2616P] | |
| where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$ | |

Table 1. Fractional atomic coordinates and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters (\AA^2)

| | x | y | z | U_{eq} |
|-----|---------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|
| Au1 | 0 | 0 | 0.0000 (3) | 0.0405 (2) |
| I1 | 0 | 0 | 0.19338 (7) | 0.0546 (4) |
| I2 | 0.20575 (5) | -0.01867 (5) | 0.29369 (8) | 0.0644 (3) |
| P1 | -0.00432 (15) | 0.10561 (14) | -0.0223 (2) | 0.0388 (6) |
| N1 | -0.0748 (7) | 0.1819 (7) | 0.0010 (8) | 0.070 (3) |
| N2 | 0.0562 (6) | 0.2524 (5) | -0.0183 (7) | 0.051 (2) |
| N3 | -0.0221 (5) | 0.1919 (5) | -0.1461 (6) | 0.042 (2) |
| C1 | 0.0721 (8) | 0.1955 (6) | 0.0049 (8) | 0.057 (3) |
| C2 | -0.0757 (8) | 0.1153 (8) | 0.0286 (8) | 0.063 (4) |
| C3 | -0.0164 (6) | 0.1244 (5) | -0.1376 (7) | 0.043 (3) |
| C4 | -0.0087 (11) | 0.2445 (9) | 0.0285 (10) | 0.076 (4) |
| C5 | 0.0470 (7) | 0.2573 (7) | -0.1116 (8) | 0.050 (3) |
| C6 | -0.0850 (7) | 0.1848 (7) | -0.0909 (9) | 0.058 (3) |
| C7 | -0.0357 (8) | 0.2038 (8) | -0.2389 (8) | 0.064 (4) |
| C8 | 0.0159 (13) | 0.2102 (11) | -0.3047 (12) | 0.108 (7) |
| O1 | 0.2787 (8) | 0.0154 (8) | 0.5091 (10) | 0.120 (5) |

Table 2. Selected geometric parameters (\AA , $^\circ$)

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|------------|-------------|-----------|------------|
| Au1—P1 | 2.334 (3) | N2—C5 | 1.43 (2) |
| Au1—I1 | 2.9129 (12) | N2—C1 | 1.46 (2) |
| P1—C2 | 1.813 (14) | N2—C4 | 1.49 (2) |
| P1—C3 | 1.831 (10) | N3—C7 | 1.477 (15) |
| P1—C1 | 1.845 (12) | N3—C3 | 1.514 (13) |
| N1—C6 | 1.41 (2) | N3—C6 | 1.525 (14) |
| N1—C4 | 1.44 (2) | N3—C5 | 1.53 (2) |
| N1—C2 | 1.48 (2) | C7—C8 | 1.44 (3) |
| P1'—Au1—P1 | 117.97 (3) | C3—P1—C1 | 97.5 (5) |
| P1—Au1—I1 | 98.27 (7) | C2—P1—Au1 | 119.6 (4) |
| C2—P1—C3 | 99.0 (5) | C3—P1—Au1 | 115.4 (3) |
| C2—P1—C1 | 98.4 (6) | C1—P1—Au1 | 122.3 (5) |

Symmetry code: (i) $-y, x - y, z$.

Data collection: *CAD-4 Software* (Enraf–Nonius, 1989). Cell refinement: *CAD-4 Software*. Data reduction: *CAD-4 Software*. Program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS86* (Sheldrick, 1985). Program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL93* (Sheldrick, 1993). Molecular graphics: *SHELXTL/PC* (Siemens, 1990). Software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXL93*.

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μ -Chloro-1:2 κ^2 Cl-trichloro-2 κ^3 Cl-(2,4-di-methyl-5,8-diazadec-4-ene-2,10-diamine-1 κ^4 N,N',N'',N''')copper(II)zinc(II)

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Abstract

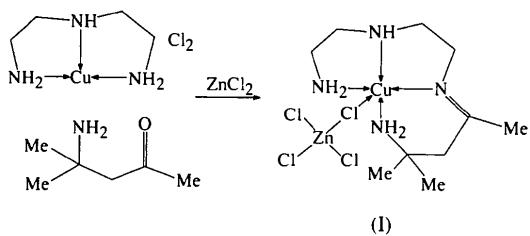
The title compound, $[\text{Cu}(\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{24}\text{N}_4)(\mu\text{-Cl})\text{ZnCl}_3]$, is formed by the reaction of equimolar amounts of 3-azapentane-1,5-diamine, copper(II) chloride and zinc(II) chloride with excess 4-amino-4-methylpentan-2-one in methanol. The copper(II) ion is in a square-pyramidal coordination, with the tetradentate triamine mono-imine ligand in the basal plane (the mean Cu—N distance is 2.005 \AA) and a Cl atom of a tetrachlorozincate ion axially coordinated, with a Cu—Cl distance of 2.6630 (7), a Cl—Zn distance of 2.3107 (7) \AA and a Cu—Cl—Zn angle of 113.14 (2) $^\circ$. The chloro-bridged

copper–zinc units are linked by a network of N—H···Cl and C—H···Cl hydrogen bonds, together with a weak Cu···Cl interaction, *trans* with respect to the first, of 3.9362(7) Å, forming layers parallel to the *xOz* plane of the unit cell.

Comment

Compounds with amine–imine ligands have been prepared by reaction of 4-amino-4-methylpentan-2-one (diacetonamine) with amine compounds of copper(II) (Morgan, Martin & Curtis, 1979) or nickel(II) (Morgan & Curtis, 1980). Structures have been determined for the tetradeятate ligand compounds [Cu(pnda)][ClO₄)₂ (Gladkikh & Curtis, 1997) and [Ni(pnda)][ZnCl₄] (Gladkikh, Curtis & Heath, 1997) (pnda is 2,4,6,9,11-pentamethyl-5,8-diazadodeca-4,8-diene-2,11-diamine), formed from propane-1,2-diamine compounds, and the pentadentate ligand compound [Cu(triena)][ClO₄)₂ (triena is 2,4-dimethyl-5,8,11-triaza-13-ene-2,13-diamine), formed from 3,6-diaza-octane-1,8-diamine (triethylenetetramine) copper(II) perchlorate (Gladkikh & Curtis, 1997). Structures have been reported for compounds with a related bidentate ligand, 2-amino-4-imino-2-methylpentane, formed by the reaction of copper(II) or nickel(II) ammine compounds with ammonia in acetone (Hanic & Serator, 1964; Hanic & Machajdik, 1969; Hanic, Pavelcik & Gyepesova, 1972; Domiano, Musatti & Pelizzi, 1975).

The structure is now reported for the title compound, [(dienia)Cu—Cl—ZnCl₃] {or [Cu(dienia)][ZnCl₄] if the axial interaction between copper(II) and the tetrachlorozincate ion is disregarded}, (I). This is formed by reaction of the β-amino ketone with 3-azapentane-1,5-diamine (diethylenetriamine), copper(II) chloride and zinc(II) chloride (see scheme below).



The chloro-bridged unit of [(dienia)Cu—Cl—ZnCl₃] is shown in Fig. 1. The C4—N5 distance of 1.276(3) Å and the angles about these atoms confirm the presence of the C4—N5 imine function in the ligand.

The copper(II) ion is in a flattened square pyramidal coordination involving the triamine mono-imine ligand dienia, with the Cl1 atom of the [ZnCl₄]²⁻ ion coordinated axially [Cu—Cl1 2.6630(7) Å]. The Cu—N distances for the primary amine [Cu—N1 1.986(2) and Cu—N11 2.028(2) Å] and secondary amine [Cu—N8 2.010(2) Å] N atoms are typical of those for amine donors (Fawcett *et al.*, 1980). The Cu—N distance for

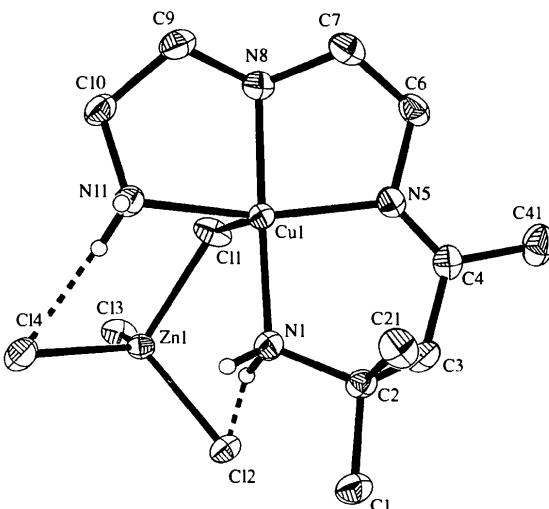


Fig. 1. The structure of the copper(II)–zinc(II) unit showing the hydrogen bonds, with displacement ellipsoids shown at the 50% probability level. H atoms bonded to C atoms are not shown.

the imine N5 atom [1.995(2) Å] is, as usual, slightly shorter (Gladkikh & Curtis, 1997; Gladkikh, Curtis & Turnbull, 1997; Gladkikh, Curtis & Heath, 1997).

The four N-donor atoms are close to coplanarity, with displacements from the best N₄ plane of 0.024(2) (for N1), −0.025(2) (N5), 0.028(2) (N8) and −0.025(2) Å (N11), with the Cu atom 0.1434(2) Å from this plane. The *trans*-N—Cu—N angles are 173.25(8) for N1—Cu—N8 and 165.43° for N5—Cu—N11.

The six-membered amine–imine chelate ring has a twist-boat conformation, with displacements from the relevant CuN₂ plane of 0.411(2) (for C2), −0.463(3) (C3) and −0.267(2) Å (C4). The two five-membered chelate rings have asymmetric *gauche* conformations, with displacements from the relevant CuN₂ planes of 0.036(3) (for C6), 0.654(3) (C7), 0.411(3) (C9) and −0.290(3) Å (C10). The axially oriented C21 methyl group lies on the opposite side of the ligand ‘plane’ to the axially coordinated [ZnCl₄]²⁻ ion, while the N8—H group lies on the same side as this ion.

The Zn—Cl1 distance to the bridging chloride [2.3107(7) Å] is significantly longer than the other Zn—Cl distances [mean 2.2558(7) Å], with the Zn—Cl1—Cu angle being 113.14(2)°.

The structure of the title complex has similarities to that of a chloro-bridged tetraaza macrocycle complex of copper(II) which has an axially coordinated [CuCl₄]²⁻ ion (Comba *et al.*, 1988). This has distances Cu(macrocycle)—Cl 2.507(2) and Cu(tetra-chloro)—Cl 2.266(2) Å, and a Cu—Cl—Cu angle of 110.67(9)°. Dinuclear chloro-bridged copper(II) tetraaza macrocycle ligand compounds with linear Cu—Cl—Cu units have been reported, with Cu—Cl distances of 2.501(4) (Bauer, Robinson & Margerum, 1973) and 2.831(1) Å (Gladkikh & Curtis, 1997).

The (dien) copper(II) and tetrachlorozincate(II) ions are linked by a Cu—Cl—Zn interaction (above) and also by N1—H1···Cl2 and N11—H11···Cl4 hydrogen bonds (the first and second interactions given in Table 2; Fig. 1). These units are linked into chains by the *n*-glide symmetry parallel to the *xOz* diagonal by N—H···Cl contacts (the fourth and fifth interactions in Table 2; Fig. 2). There is a very weak Cu···Cl3ⁱ interaction of 3.936 (1) Å *trans* to the primary axial Cu—Cl interaction [symmetry code: (i) $x + \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} - y, z + \frac{1}{2}$]. The third and sixth C—H···Cl and N—H···Cl contacts (Table 2) link these chains into sheets parallel to the *xOz* plane of the lattice. No specific interactions between the sheets were found.

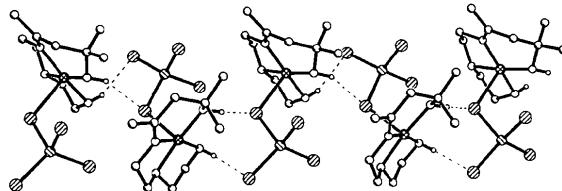


Fig. 2. The cation-anion chain parallel to the *xOz* diagonal, showing hydrogen bonds linking the chloro-bridged copper(II)-zinc(II) units shown in Fig. 1.

Experimental

Excess 4-amino-4-methylpentan-2-one (diacetoneamine) was added to the blue gum resulting from the reaction of equimolar amounts of copper(II) chloride, zinc(II) chloride and 3-azapentane-1,5-diamine (diethylenetriamine) in methanol. Over a period of weeks, the gum dissolved and the purple product crystallized. The product was filtered off and recrystallized from hot methanol (Morgan, Martin & Curtis, 1979).

Crystal data



M_r = 471.04

Monoclinic

*P*2₁/*n*

a = 9.828 (1) Å

b = 19.741 (2) Å

c = 10.259 (1) Å

β = 112.573 (2) $^\circ$

V = 1838.0 (4) Å³

Z = 4

D_x = 1.702 Mg m⁻³

D_m not measured

Mo *K*α radiation

λ = 0.71073 Å

Cell parameters from 7753 reflections

θ = 2.15–28.33 $^\circ$

μ = 3.038 mm⁻¹

T = 160 (2) K

Block

0.32 × 0.28 × 0.14 mm

Purple

Data collection

Siemens SMART CCD diffractometer

ω rotation scans with narrow frames

Absorption correction:

semi-empirical (*SHELXTL/PC*; Sheldrick, 1994)

*T*_{min} = 0.513, *T*_{max} = 0.654
11 318 measured reflections

4195 independent reflections

3747 reflections with

$I > 2\sigma(I)$

*R*_{int} = 0.0309

$\theta_{\text{max}} = 28.57^\circ$

h = −12 → 12

k = −26 → 22

l = −12 → 13

Standard reflections: not relevant

Refinement

Refinement on *F*²

R(*F*) = 0.0283

wR(*F*²) = 0.0650

S = 1.129

4179 reflections

185 parameters

H atoms: see below

$$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0168P)^2 + 2.1665P]$$

$$\text{where } P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$$

$$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\text{max}} = -0.014$$

$$\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 0.707 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$$

$$\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.693 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$$

Extinction correction: *SHELXL93* (Sheldrick, 1993)

Extinction coefficient: 0.00061 (11)

Scattering factors from

International Tables for Crystallography (Vol. C)

Table 1. Selected geometric parameters (Å, °)

| | | | |
|------------|------------|-------------|------------|
| Cu1—N1 | 1.986 (2) | C4—N5 | 1.276 (3) |
| Cu1—N5 | 1.995 (2) | Zn1—Cl3 | 2.2483 (7) |
| Cu1—N8 | 2.010 (2) | Zn1—Cl4 | 2.2556 (7) |
| Cu1—N11 | 2.028 (2) | Zn1—Cl2 | 2.2636 (7) |
| Cu1—Cl1 | 2.6630 (7) | Zn1—Cl1 | 2.3107 (7) |
| N1—Cu1—N5 | 95.39 (8) | N8—Cu1—Cl1 | 87.86 (6) |
| N1—Cu1—N8 | 173.25 (8) | N11—Cu1—Cl1 | 89.27 (6) |
| N5—Cu1—N8 | 83.69 (8) | C2—N1—Cu1 | 117.3 (1) |
| N1—Cu1—N11 | 94.93 (8) | C6—N5—Cu1 | 111.7 (2) |
| N5—Cu1—N11 | 165.43 (8) | C7—N8—Cu1 | 106.9 (2) |
| N8—Cu1—N11 | 84.85 (8) | C9—N8—Cu1 | 108.3 (2) |
| N1—Cu1—Cl1 | 98.88 (6) | C10—N11—Cu1 | 108.4 (1) |
| N5—Cu1—Cl1 | 99.26 (6) | | |

Table 2. Hydrogen-bonding geometry (Å, °)

| <i>D</i> —H··· <i>A</i> | <i>D</i> —H | <i>H</i> ··· <i>A</i> | <i>D</i> ··· <i>A</i> | <i>D</i> —H··· <i>A</i> |
|------------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|
| N1—H1E···Cl2 | 0.961 (2) | 2.527 (1) | 3.472 (2) | 168.1 (1) |
| N11—H11A···Cl4 | 0.907 (2) | 2.849 (1) | 3.727 (2) | 163.6 (1) |
| C3—H3A···Cl4 ⁱ | 0.990 (4) | 2.661 (3) | 3.626 (3) | 164.9 (3) |
| N1—H1D···Cl1 ⁱⁱ | 0.954 (2) | 2.497 (1) | 3.376 (2) | 153.1 (1) |
| N11—H11B···Cl3 ⁱⁱ | 0.817 (2) | 2.587 (1) | 3.352 (2) | 156.5 (1) |
| N8—H8···Cl4 ⁱⁱⁱ | 0.872 (2) | 2.595 (1) | 3.367 (2) | 148.1 (1) |

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

The semi-empirical absorption correction was based on multiple measurements of a large number of symmetry-equivalent reflections (*SHELXTL/PC*; Sheldrick, 1994). The structure was solved by heavy-atom methods and refined with anisotropic parameters for non-H atoms (*SHELXTL/PC*). H(N) atoms were located from difference syntheses and H(C) atoms were placed in calculated positions. Parameters were refined in isotropic approximation with fixed displacement parameters.

Data collection: *SMART* (Siemens, 1995). Cell refinement: local program (Clegg, 1996). Data reduction: *SAINT* (Siemens, 1995). Program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXTL/PC*. Program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXTL/PC*. Molecular graphics: *XPMA* (Zsolnai, 1994). Software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXL93* (Sheldrick, 1993).

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Bis(piperazinium) Pentakis(trioxomolybdo)-bis(ethylphosphonate) Dihydrate

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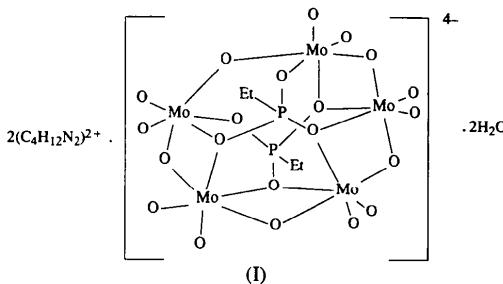
Abstract

The title compound, bis(piperazine-1,4-diylium) bis(ethylphosphonato)-1κO,2:3κ²O',4:5κ²O'';1:2κ²O-,3:4κ²O',5κO''-penta-μ-oxo-1:2κ²O;1:5κ²O;2:3κ²O;3:4κ²O;4:5κ²O-decaoxo-1κ²O,2κ²O,3κ²O,4κ²O,5κ²O-pentamolybdenum(4-) dihydrate, (C₄H₁₂N₂)₂[Mo₅O₁₅(C₂H₅O₃P)₂].2H₂O, crystallizes as isolated five-unit rings of vertex- and edge-sharing distorted-octahedral MoO₆ groups, doubly capped by PC₂H₅ entities {as [(C₂H₅PO₃)₂–ethylphosphonate groups]}, resulting in [MoO₃]₅·{(C₂H₅PO₃)₂}⁴⁻ {or [Mo₅P₂O₂₁(C₂H₅)₂]⁴⁻} anions.

Doubly protonated piperazinium cations and water molecules complete the structure. This phase shows reversible dehydration/rehydration without loss of structure.

Comment

We have recently reported the hydrothermal syntheses and structures of a family of novel layered alkali metal/ammonium molybdenum methylphosphonates (Harrison, Dussack & Jacobson, 1995), which are based on the hexagonal tungsten oxide (HTO) motif of vertex-sharing octahedra (Gérard, Nowogrocki, Guenot & Figlarz, 1979). We report here the preparation and characterization of (C₄H₁₂N₂)₂[Mo₅O₁₅{(C₂H₅PO₃)₂}₂]·2H₂O, (I), a molecular species prepared under similar conditions from closely related starting materials. It is related to similar clusters prepared earlier (Kwak, Pope & Scully, 1975; Stalick & Quicksall, 1976; Kortz & Pope, 1995).



The five crystallographically distinct Mo atoms in the pentamolybdochodi(ethylphosphonate) cluster (Fig. 1) are all octahedrally coordinated by O atoms. All the Mo centers show the two short, two intermediate and two long Mo—O bond-distance distribution within the distorted MoO₆ unit which is characteristic of Mo^{VI}. Each MoO₆ center has two short ($d < 1.73 \text{ \AA}$) ‘‘oxy’’ Mo=O bonds in a *cis* configuration [$\theta_{\text{ave}}(\text{O}=\text{Mo}=\text{O}) = 103.3^\circ$]. These short bonds are both *trans* with respect to a long ($d > 2.18 \text{ \AA}$) Mo—O link, and the two remaining Mo—O bonds are intermediate in length between these two extremes. All the Mo=O links are terminal bonds, not joined to any other atoms in the cluster [three of them (O₆, O₁₃ and O₁₄) form hydrogen-bonding links to the piperazinium dications]. These five octahedral MoO₆ units are fused together into an isolated ring. There are four edge-sharing links (Mo1–Mo2, Mo2–Mo3, Mo4–Mo5 and Mo5–Mo1) and one vertex-sharing connection (Mo3–Mo4). Average Mo—O bond lengths and molybdenum bond-valence sum (BVS) values (Brese & O’Keeffe, 1991) are typical for Mo^{VI} (expected BVS = 6.00): $d_{\text{ave}}(\text{Mo1—O}) = 1.985(2) \text{ \AA}$, BVS(Mo1) = 6.02; $d_{\text{ave}}(\text{Mo2—O}) = 1.983(2) \text{ \AA}$, BVS(Mo2) = 6.02; $d_{\text{ave}}(\text{Mo3—O}) = 1.977(2) \text{ \AA}$, BVS(Mo3) = 6.01; $d_{\text{ave}}(\text{Mo4—O}) = 1.979(2) \text{ \AA}$, BVS(Mo4) = 6.02; $d_{\text{ave}}(\text{Mo5—O}) = 1.972(2) \text{ \AA}$, BVS(Mo5) = 6.05.