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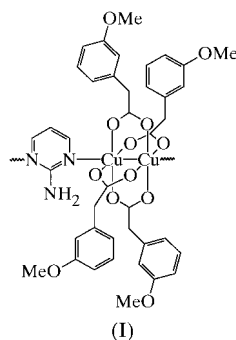
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The structure of the title compound, [Cu₂(C₉H₉O₃)₄-(C₄H₅N₃)], comprises a zigzag polymer of alternating tetrakis(carboxylato-*O*:*O'*)dicopper(II) and 2-aminopyrimidine units linked by axial Cu–N bonds, and the non-centrosymmetric structure has four unique (3-methoxyphenyl)acetate moieties.

Comment

In the structure of the title compound, (I), one of the methoxy groups (O9) is disordered with two methyl groups (C36 and C37) of equal occupancy. Hydrogen-bonding associations are recorded from the pyrimidine 2-amino group (N3) to the



carboxylate O3ⁱ [N \cdots O 2.868 (7) Å and angle at H 154°; symmetry code: (i) $\frac{3}{2} - x, y - \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} + z$] and O5 atoms [N \cdots O 2.964 (7) Å and angle at H 157°].

Experimental

Complex (I) was prepared according to the literature procedure of Smith *et al.* (1996).

Crystal data

[Cu₂(C₉H₉O₃)₄(C₄H₅N₃)]
M_r = 882.84
 Orthorhombic, *Pna*2₁
a = 27.981 (6) Å
b = 15.523 (3) Å
c = 8.9366 (18) Å
V = 3881.7 (13) Å³
Z = 4
D_x = 1.518 Mg m⁻³

Mo *K*α radiation
 Cell parameters from 8113 reflections
 θ = 2.91–27.48°
 μ = 1.164 mm⁻¹
T = 150 (2) K
 Plate, green
 0.10 × 0.10 × 0.01 mm

Data collection

Enraf–Nonius KappaCCD area-detector diffractometer
 φ and ω scans
 Absorption correction: multi-scan (SORTAV; Blessing, 1995)
*T*_{min} = 0.879, *T*_{max} = 0.989
 36 035 measured reflections

7250 independent reflections
 4441 reflections with *I* > 4σ(*I*)
*R*_{int} = 0.106
 θ _{max} = 27.50°
h = -32 → 32
k = -20 → 20
l = -7 → 11

Refinement

Refinement on *F*²
R[*F*² > 2σ(*F*²)] = 0.049
wR(*F*²) = 0.096
S = 0.891
 7250 reflections
 528 parameters
 H-atom parameters constrained

$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0460P)^2]$
 where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
 (Δ/σ)_{max} = 0.008
 $\Delta\rho$ _{max} = 0.335 e Å⁻³
 $\Delta\rho$ _{min} = -0.380 e Å⁻³
 Absolute structure: Flack (1983),
 3447 Friedel pairs
 Flack parameter = -0.002 (12)

Data collection: *DENZO* (Otwinowski & Minor, 1997) and *COLLECT* (Hooft, 1998); cell refinement: *DENZO* and *COLLECT*; data reduction: *DENZO* and *COLLECT*; program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 1997*a*); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 1997*b*); software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXL97*.

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