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#### **Key indicators**

Single-crystal X-ray study T = 168 KMean  $\sigma(\text{C-C}) = 0.004 \text{ Å}$ Disorder in main residue R factor = 0.022 wR factor = 0.056 Data-to-parameter ratio = 12.9

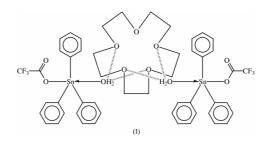
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# Aqua(trifluoroacetato)triphenyltin-15-crown-5 (2/1)

In the centrosymmetric title compound,  $[Sn(C_2F_3O_2)(C_6H_5)_3 (H_2O)]_2 \cdot C_{10}H_{20}O_5$ , the 1,3–O atoms (positions 1 and 7) of the 1,4,7,10,13-pentaoxacyclopentadecane moiety are hydrogen bonded to the water molecule of the *trans*-C\_3SnO<sub>2</sub> trigonal-bipyramidal organotin moiety that lies on one side of the cyclic polyether  $[O(water) \cdots O(crown \text{ ether}) = 2.800 (4)$  and 2.837 (4) Å]; the 2,4-O atoms (positions 4 and 10) are hydrogen bonded to the inversion-related organotin moiety that lies on the other side  $[O(water) \cdots O(crown \text{ ether}) = 2.768 (3) \text{ and } 2.881 (4) \text{ Å}].$ 

#### Comment

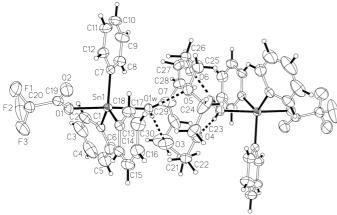
The reaction of triphenvltin trifluoroacetate with 18-crown-6 affords a dinuclear compound in which an aquatrifluorotriphenyltin entity interacts with the polyether through its coordinated water. The compound,  $[(C_6H_5)_3SnO_2CCF_3)$ .  $H_2O_2 \cdot C_{12}H_{24}O_6$  [Sn  $\leftarrow O(water) = 2.361$  (9) Å], exists as a 1/3 co-crystal with  $[(C_6H_5)_3SnO_2CCF_3)\cdot H_2O]_2\cdot C_{12}H_{24}O_6\cdot 2H_2O$ (Amini et al., 2003). Disorder in  $[(C_6H_5)_3SnO_2CCF_3) \cdot H_2O]_2$ . C12H24O6, which lies on a threefold axis, precluded the elucidation of the nature of the hydrogen-bonding interaction. The aquatrifluoroacetatodiphenylmethyltin homolog,  $[[(C_6H_5)_2(CH_3)SnO_2CCF_3] \cdot H_2O]_2 \cdot C_{12}H_{24}O_6 [Sn \leftarrow O(water) =$ 2.483 (5) Å], is not disordered; the cyclic polyether uses its 1,3substituents to interact with the aquatrifluoroacetatotriorganotin entity that is on one side of the ring, and its 4,6-substituents with the entity on the other side  $[O(water) \cdots$ O(crown ether) = 2.901 (8), 2.983 (7) Å] (Amini, Yousefi & Ng, 2002).



The title compound, (I) (see Scheme), adopts a similar centrosymmetric structure (Fig. 1); as with the 18-crown-6 complex, for which four of the six O atoms are involved in hydrogen-bonding interactions, in this 15-crown-5 complex, four of the five O atoms are linked to the coordinated water molecule by hydrogen bonds. The 15-membered cyclic polyether is disordered over a center of inversion, and the O atoms all point towards the middle of the ring (Fig. 2). On the other hand, in the only other example of 15-crown-5 affording a complex with an organotin compound, the five O atoms point

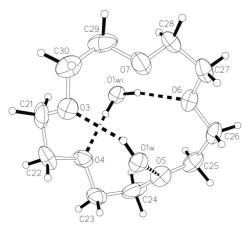
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## Figure 1

ORTEPII (Johnson, 1976) plot of (I), with ellipsoids drawn at the 50% probability level. H atoms are drawn as spheres of arbitrary radii. The unlabeled part of the dimer is related to the labeled part by the symmetry operation (1 - x, 1 - y, 1 - z). The second component of the disorder is not shown.



# Figure 2

ORTEPII (Johnson, 1976) plot of the 15-crown-5.2H<sub>2</sub>O portion of the title dinuclear complex, without disorder [symmetry code: (i) 1 - x, 1 - y, 1 - z]. The ether O atom that is not involved in hydrogen bonding (O7) has a marginally larger equivalent isotropic displacement parameter than the other O atoms.

away from the middle, and there is no interaction with the diaquadichlorodimethyltin entity (Amini et al., 1994a; Yap et al., 1996). The tin-water bond distance  $[Sn \leftarrow O(water) =$ 2.407 (1) Å] in the title compound is somewhat shorter than the distances found in the other aquacarboxylatotriorganotin complexes, but much longer than those found in the diaquadichlorodiorganotin adducts of 18-crown-6, i.e.  $[(CH_3)_2SnCl_2 \cdot 2H_2O]_2 \cdot C_{12}H_{24}O_6$  (Amini *et al.*, 1984),  $[(CH_3)_2SnCl_2 \cdot 2H_2O]_2 \cdot C_{12}H_{24}O_6$  $(C_6H_5)SnCl_2 \cdot 2H_2O]_2 \cdot C_{12}H_{24}O_6$  (Amini et al., 1994b) and  $[(C_6H_5)_2SnCl_2 \cdot 2H_2O]_2 \cdot C_{12}H_{24}O_6$  (Amini, Amirreza *et al.*, 2002), owing to the weaker Lewis acidity of the triorganotin acceptor.

# **Experimental**

Triphenyltin trifluoroacetate (2.31 g, 5.0 mmol) and 15-crown-5 (0.55 g, 2.5 mmol) were heated in a small volume of acetone. The solvent was removed and the product recrystallized from ethanol to afford the title complex (m.p. 412-414 K). The formulation was  $R_{\rm int} = 0.022$ 

 $\theta_{\rm max} = 26.5^{\circ}$ 

 $h = -12 \rightarrow 12$ 

 $k = -13 \rightarrow 13$ 

 $l = -12 \rightarrow 15$ 

refinement

 $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\rm max} = 0.001$  $\Delta \rho_{\rm max} = 0.69 \ {\rm e} \ {\rm \AA}^{-3}$  $\Delta \rho_{\rm min} = -0.57 \text{ e} \text{ Å}^{-3}$ 

5179 independent reflections

4618 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$ 

H atoms treated by a mixture of

 $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0369P)^2]$ 

where  $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$ 

independent and constrained

## Crystal data

$[Sn(C_2F_3O_2)(C_6H_5)_3(H_2O)]_2$ .	Z = 1
$C_{10}H_{20}O_5$	$D_x = 1.512 \text{ Mg m}^{-3}$
$M_r = 1182.31$	Mo $K\alpha$ radiation
Triclinic, P1	Cell parameters from 6960
a = 10.3917 (6) Å	reflections
b = 11.1154 (7) Å	$\theta = 1.8-26.5^{\circ}$
c = 12.3300 (8)  Å	$\mu = 1.04 \text{ mm}^{-1}$
$\alpha = 110.611 \ (1)^{\circ}$	T = 168 (2) K
$\beta = 97.621 \ (1)^{\circ}$	Plate, colorless
$\gamma = 97.198 \ (1)^{\circ}$	$0.50 \times 0.13 \times 0.12 \text{ mm}$
$V = 1298.4 (1) \text{ Å}^3$	

## Data collection

Bruker AXS SMART area-detector diffractometer  $\varphi$  and  $\omega$  scans Absorption correction: multi-scan (SADABS; Sheldrick, 1996)  $T_{\rm min}=0.571,\ T_{\rm max}=0.831$ 16310 measured reflections

Refinement

Refinement on  $F^2$  $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.022$ wR(F<sup>2</sup>) = 0.056 S = 0.985179 reflections 400 parameters

### Table 1

Selected geometric parameters (Å, °).

Sn1-C1	2.131 (2)	Sn1-O1	2.186 (2)
Sn1-C7	2.137 (2)	Sn1-O1w	2.407 (1)
Sn1-C13	2.124 (2)		
C1-Sn1-C7	117.4 (1)	C7-Sn1-O1	96.7 (1)
C1-Sn1-C13	120.9 (1)	C7-Sn1-O1w	86.4 (1)
C1-Sn1-O1	87.6 (1)	C13-Sn1-O1	96.5 (1)
C1-Sn1-O1w	86.2 (1)	C13-Sn1-O1w	86.5 (1)
C7-Sn1-C13	120.5 (1)	O1-Sn1-O1w	173.8 (1)

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

$D - H \cdots A$	D-H	$H \cdot \cdot \cdot A$	$D \cdot \cdot \cdot A$	$D - \mathbf{H} \cdots A$
O1w-H1w1···O3	0.84(1)	2.07 (3)	2.837 (4)	152 (5)
$O1w - H1w2 \cdots O5$	0.85(1)	1.96(1)	2.800 (4)	176 (4)
$O1w - H1w3 \cdots O4^{i}$	0.85 (1)	1.93 (1)	2.768 (3)	172 (4)
$O1w - H1w4 \cdots O6^{i}$	0.85 (1)	2.05 (2)	2.881 (4)	168 (4)

Symmetry code: (i) 1 - x, 1 - y, 1 - z.

The 15-crown-5 ring is disordered over a center of inversion  $(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2})$ , and it was refined subject to the following restraints: C-C = 1.53 (1), C-O = 1.41 (1) and C-O-C = C-C-O = 2.37 (1) Å. The atoms are of half-site occupancy. The trifluoromethyl group is disordered over two positions: as their occupancy refined to nearly 0.5, the occupancy was fixed as 0.5. The C-F distances were restrained to be approximately equal; the  $F \cdot \cdot F$  lengths were similarly restrained. The displacement parameters of the primed and umprimed F atoms were set equal.

Two pairs of disordered water H atoms were located and refined; the occupancy factor of each of the four H atoms is 0.5. One pair (H1w1 and H1w2) interacts with two O atoms (O3 and O5) of the crown ether, and the other pair (H1w3 and H1w4) with two symmetry-related O atoms  $[O4^i \text{ and } O6^i; \text{ symmetry code: (i) } 1 - x, 1 - y, 1 - z]$ . The O-H distance was restrained to 0.85 (1) Å and the H···H distance to 1.39 (1) Å. The displacement parameters of the H atoms were set to  $1.2U_{eq}(O)$ .

The carbon-bound H atoms were positioned geometrically, with C-H = 0.95 Å for the aromatic H atoms and C-H = 0.99 Å for the aliphatic H atoms. Their displacement parameters were set to  $1.2U_{eq}(C)$ .

Data collection: *SMART* (Bruker, 1997); cell refinement: *SAINT* (Bruker, 1997); data reduction: *SAINT*; program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS*97 (Sheldrick, 1997); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL*97 (Sheldrick, 1997); molecular graphics: *ORTEP*II (Johnson, 1976); software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXL*97.

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