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## Key indicators

Single-crystal X-ray study
$T=298 \mathrm{~K}$
Mean $\sigma(\mathrm{W}-\mathrm{O})=0.007 \AA$
H -atom completeness $0 \%$
Disorder in solvent or counterion
$R$ factor $=0.035$
$w R$ factor $=0.096$
Data-to-parameter ratio $=17.8$
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# A diprotonated hexatungstoplatinate(IV), $\mathrm{Na}_{6}\left[\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{PtW}_{6} \mathrm{O}_{24}\right] \cdot \mathbf{2 2 H} \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$ 

The novel protonated hexasodium dihydrogen hexatungstoplatinate(IV) doicosahydrate, $\mathrm{Na}_{6}\left[\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{PtW}_{6} \mathrm{O}_{24}\right] \cdot 22 \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$, was crystallized in the triclinic system in space group $P \overline{1}$. The $\left[\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{PtW}_{6} \mathrm{O}_{24}\right]^{6-}$ polyanion has $C_{i}(\overline{1})$ symmetry. The identification of the protonated O atom in the polyanion is difficult because it does not form interpolyanion hydrogen bonds, and a clear difference was not found in the $\mathrm{W}-\mathrm{O}(\mathrm{H})$ bond lengths or the $\mathrm{W}-\mathrm{O}(\mathrm{H})-\mathrm{W}$ bond angles to indicate protonation of the O atom.

## Comment

The behaviour of gradual protonation in Anderson-structure heteropolyoxometalates (Anderson, 1937; Tsigdinos, 1978) has only been found in hexatungstoplatinate(IV) (Lee et al., 1983; Lee, 2002; Lee \& Joo, 2004) and hexamolybdoplatinate(IV) (Lee, 1994; Lee \& Sasaki, 1994; Lee \& Joo, 2000) systems, where the general formula is $\left[\mathrm{H}_{n} \mathrm{Pt} M_{6} \mathrm{O}_{24}\right]^{(8-n)-}(M=$ W or Mo). However, comparing the $\left[\mathrm{H}_{n} \mathrm{PtW}_{6} \mathrm{O}_{24}\right]^{(8-n)-}$ polyanion with the $\left[\mathrm{H}_{n} \mathrm{PtMo}_{6} \mathrm{O}_{24}\right]^{(8-n)-}$ polyanion, the confirmation of protonated species is not sufficient because only two, viz. $\left[\mathrm{H}_{3} \mathrm{PtW}_{6} \mathrm{O}_{24}\right]^{5-}$ (Lee et al., 1983; Lee, 2002) and $\left[\mathrm{H}_{2.5} \mathrm{PtW}_{6} \mathrm{O}_{24}\right]^{2.5-}$ (Lee \& Joo, 2004), have been reported. $\left[\mathrm{H}_{n} \mathrm{PtMo}_{6} \mathrm{O}_{24}\right]^{(8-n)-}$ polyanion species are stable in strongly acidic conditions but they are unstable above pH 6 . In contrast, $\left[\mathrm{H}_{n} \mathrm{PtW}_{6} \mathrm{O}_{24}\right]^{(8-n)-}$ polyanion species are stable at about pH 7 , but they cannot be separated under pH 2. Therefore, $\mathrm{K}_{6} \mathrm{Na}_{2}\left[\mathrm{PtW}_{6} \mathrm{O}_{24}\right] \cdot 12 \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$ (Lee et al., 1984) has been prepared at pH 7.0 , but the $\left[\mathrm{PtMo}_{6} \mathrm{O}_{24}\right]^{8-}$ salt was not separated at the same pH range. Although the sodium salts of Anderson-structure heteropolyoxometalates containing $\mathrm{Pt}^{\mathrm{IV}}$ are unstable in air because they include large amounts of water of crystallization, the salts do promote crystallization. We report here the structure of the title compound, (I), which contains the lowest protonated hexatungstoplatinate anion, viz. $\left[\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{PtW}_{6} \mathrm{O}_{24}\right]^{6-}$.

Fig. 1 shows the $\left[\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{PtW}_{6} \mathrm{O}_{24}\right]^{6-}$ polyanion. The polyanion has inversion $C_{i}(\overline{1})$ symmetry. The O atoms in the anion are classified according to the method reported by Lee et al. (1983), viz. Oc (O1-O3), Ob (O4-O6), Ot (O7-O12) and $\mathrm{OW}(\mathrm{O} 13-\mathrm{O} 24)$. The protonated O atoms in the $\left[\mathrm{H}_{2.5} \mathrm{~W}_{6} \mathrm{O}_{24}\right]^{5.5-}$ polyanion (Lee \& Joo, 2004) are definitely indicated by the hydrogen bonding between the polyanions, the elongation of the $\mathrm{W}-\mathrm{O}(\mathrm{H})$ bond length, and the variations in the $\mathrm{W}-\mathrm{O} c(\mathrm{H})-\mathrm{W}$ bond angles. The identification of the protonated O atoms in the $\left[\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{PtW}_{6} \mathrm{O}_{24}\right]^{6-}$ polyanion was difficult because they do not form interpolyanion hydrogen bonds, and we could not find clear differences in the $\mathrm{W}-\mathrm{O}$ bond lengths or the $\mathrm{W}-\mathrm{O} c-\mathrm{W}$ and $\mathrm{W}-\mathrm{O} b-\mathrm{W}$ bond angles. The W1-O2 [2.257 (6) £̊] and W2-O2 [2.244 (6) Å] bond

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lengths are slightly longer than the other $\mathrm{W}-\mathrm{O} c$ bond lengths (mean $2.197 \AA$ ). Usually in Anderson-structure heteropolyoxometalates, atom $\mathrm{O} c$ is protonated in preference to atom $\mathrm{O} b$. In particular, no difference in length was found between the $\mathrm{W}-\mathrm{O} b$ bonds in this polyanion. The $\mathrm{W} 1-\mathrm{O} 2-$ W 2 and $\mathrm{W} 1-\mathrm{O} 4-\mathrm{W} 3$ bond angles are 95.1 (2) and 117.1 (3) ${ }^{\circ}$, respectively, but the mean $\mathrm{W}-\mathrm{O} n-\mathrm{W}(n=1$ and 3$)$ and $\mathrm{W}-$ $\mathrm{O} m-\mathrm{W}(m=5$ and 6$)$ angles are 96.2 and $114.0^{\circ}$, respectively. From this result, it is postulated that the protons are disordered over all the $\mathrm{O} c$ positions. A polyanion containing the

Figure 1


The anion in $\mathrm{Na}_{6}\left[\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{PtW}_{6} \mathrm{O}_{24}\right] \cdot 22 \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$. Displacement ellipsoids are drawn at the $30 \%$ probability level. H atoms are not shown. [Symmetry code: (i) $1-x, 1-y, 1-z$.


Figure 2
The discrete linear cluster of seven $\left[\mathrm{NaO}_{6}\right]$ polyhedra in (I), with displacement ellipsoids drawn at the $30 \%$ probability level. H atoms are not shown. [Symmetry codes: (i) $-x, 1-y, 1-z$; (ii) $1-x, 2-y,-z$.]
same protonated hexamolybdoplatinate(IV) species was reported in $\mathrm{Nd}_{2}\left[\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{PtMo}_{6} \mathrm{O}_{24}\right] \cdot 14 \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$ (Lee \& Joo, 2000).

Fig. 2 shows the discrete linear cluster of seven $\left[\mathrm{NaO}_{6}\right]$ polyhedra in (I). Atom Na 4 is located at an inversion center. During the refinement process, reasonable displacement parameters of atom Na 2 , which is in a general position in space group $P \overline{1}$, were obtained by reducing the occupancy of this atom to 0.5 because of disorder. As a result, the number of $\mathrm{Na}^{+}$ions per molecule is six. All $\mathrm{Na}^{+}$ions are six-coordinated by the O atoms of the polyanion and water molecules, and they deviate from the geometry of a regular octahedron. In particular, the $\left[\mathrm{Na}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{6}\right]$ octahedron is considerably distorted because of the exceptionally long $\mathrm{Na} 2-\mathrm{O} 13$ and $\mathrm{Na} 2-\mathrm{O} 19$ distances. The Na2 $\cdots \mathrm{Na} 3$ distance is shorter than other $\mathrm{Na} \cdots \mathrm{Na}$ distances because atoms $\mathrm{O} 12, \mathrm{O} 18$ and O 19 of the corresponding $\left[\mathrm{Na}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{6}\right.$ ] and $\left[\mathrm{Na}_{3} \mathrm{O}_{6}\right]$ octahedra share a common face. All water molecules are coordinated to $\mathrm{Na}^{+}$ ions.

Fig. 3 shows the unit-cell packing and probable hydrogenbonding interactions of the O atoms in the polyanion with water molecules of the $\left[\mathrm{NaO}_{6}\right]$ clusters. The discrete linear clusters of seven $\left[\mathrm{NaO}_{6}\right]$ are connected by the $\left[\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{PtW}_{6} \mathrm{O}_{24}\right]^{6-}$ polyanion. All O atoms of the polyanion can form hydrogen bonds with the water molecules, as shown in Table 2. Donoracceptor distances for possible hydrogen bonds less than $3.1 \AA$ in (I) are listed in Table 2.


Figure 3
The unit-cell packing represented by a polyhedral model and probable hydrogen-bonding interactions in the polyanion with water molecules of [ $\mathrm{NaO}_{6}$ ] clusters. [Symmetry codes: (i) $-x, 1-y, 1-z$; (ii) $x, y, 1+z$; (iii) $1-x, 1-y,-z$; (iv) $1-x, 1-y, 1-z$; (v) $x, y-1, z$; (vi) $1-x, 2-y$, $1-z$; (vii) $x, y-1,1+z$; (viii) $1+x, y, z$.]

## Experimental

Crystals of the title compound were prepared as described previously, by the reaction of $\mathrm{Na}_{2} \mathrm{WO}_{4} \cdot 2 \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$ and $\mathrm{Na}_{2}\left[\mathrm{Pt}(\mathrm{OH})_{6}\right]$ at about pH 5.5 (Lee et al., 1983). The crystal used for data collection was coated with epoxy resin.

## Crystal data

$\mathrm{Na}_{6}\left[\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{PtW}_{6} \mathrm{O}_{24}\right] \cdot 22 \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$
$M_{r}=2218.50$
Triclinic, $P \overline{1}$
$a=10.028$ (1) A
$b=10.591$ (1) $\AA$
$c=12.109(3) \AA$
$\alpha=113.13(1)^{\circ}$
$\beta=107.17(1)^{\circ}$
$\gamma=99.48(1)^{\circ}$
$V=1070.8(3) \AA^{3}$

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\begin{aligned}
& Z=1 \\
& D_{x}=3.440 \mathrm{Mg} \mathrm{~m}^{-3}
\end{aligned}
$$

Mo $K \alpha$ radiation
Cell parameters from 27 reflections
$\theta=9.6-10.5^{\circ}$
$\mu=19.48 \mathrm{~mm}^{-1}$
$T=298$ (2) K
Hexagonal prism, pale yellow
$0.26 \times 0.13 \times 0.10 \mathrm{~mm}$

## Data collection

Stoe Stadi-4 diffractometer $\omega-2 \theta$ scans
Absorption correction: numerical ( $X$-SHAPE; Stoe \& Cie, 1996)
$T_{\text {min }}=0.051, T_{\text {max }}=0.156$
4896 measured reflections
4896 independent reflections
4223 reflections with $I>2 \sigma(I)$

## Refinement

Refinement on $F^{2}$

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\begin{aligned}
& \theta_{\max }=27.5^{\circ} \\
& h=0 \rightarrow 13 \\
& k=-13 \rightarrow 13 \\
& l=-15 \rightarrow 14
\end{aligned}
$$

3 standard reflections frequency: 60 min intensity decay: $3.7 \%$
$R\left[F^{2}>2 \sigma\left(F^{2}\right)\right]=0.035$

$$
\begin{aligned}
& w=1 /\left[\sigma^{2}\left(F_{o}^{2}\right)+(0.0492 P)^{2}\right. \\
& \quad+10.2521 P] \\
& \quad \text { where } P=\left(F_{o}{ }^{2}+2 \mathrm{~F}_{c}^{2}\right) / 3 \\
& (\Delta / \sigma)_{\max }<0.001 \\
& \Delta \rho_{\max }=2.62 \mathrm{e} \AA^{-3} \\
& \Delta \rho_{\min }=-2.18 \mathrm{e} \AA^{-3} \\
& \text { Extinction correction: SHELXL97 } \\
& \text { Extinction coefficient: } 0.0073 \text { (2) }
\end{aligned}
$$

Table 2
Hydrogen-bond distances ( $\AA$ ).

| O13 . ${ }^{\text {O } 5}$ | 2.81 (1) | O18. ${ }^{\text {O }} 5^{\text {iii }}$ | 2.89 (1) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| O13 . . O14 ${ }^{\text {ii }}$ | 2.99 (2) | O18...O12 | 2.88 (1) |
| $\mathrm{O} 13 \cdots \mathrm{O} 2{ }^{\text {iii }}$ | 2.79 (1) | O18...O18 ${ }^{\text {iii }}$ | 2.79 (3) |
| O14...O2 | 2.671 (9) | O19... $\mathrm{O}^{\text {v }}$ | 2.67 (1) |
| $\mathrm{O} 14 \cdots \mathrm{O} 9^{\text {ii }}$ | 3.07 (1) | O19 . . $\mathrm{O}^{\text {i }}$ | 2.80 (1) |
| $\mathrm{O} 14 \cdots \mathrm{O} 23^{\text {iv }}$ | 2.73 (1) | O19...O12 | 3.02 (1) |
| O15...O8 ${ }^{\text {v }}$ | 2.97 (1) | O19...O23 | 3.01 (2) |
| $\mathrm{O} 15 \cdots \mathrm{O} 17^{\text {vi }}$ | 2.79 (2) | $\mathrm{O} 20 \cdots \mathrm{O}^{\text {vii }}$ | 2.755 (9) |
| $\mathrm{O} 15 \cdots \mathrm{O} 21^{\text {iv }}$ | 2.95 (1) | O20.. O11 | 2.94 (1) |
| $\mathrm{O} 16 \cdots \mathrm{O} 1^{\text {i }}$ | 2.84 (1) | $\mathrm{O} 20 \cdots \mathrm{O} 13^{\text {iii }}$ | 2.79 (1) |
| O16.. $\mathrm{O}^{\text {v }}$ | 2.82 (1) | $\mathrm{O} 21 \cdots \mathrm{O} 11^{\text {vii }}$ | 2.80 (1) |
| $\mathrm{O} 17 \ldots \mathrm{O} 10^{\text {v }}$ | 3.10 (2) | O21...O15 ${ }^{\text {iv }}$ | 2.95 (1) |
| O17...O11 ${ }^{\text {iii }}$ | 2.95 (2) | $\mathrm{O} 22 \cdots \mathrm{O} 9^{\text {iii }}$ | 2.92 (1) |
| O17...O15 ${ }^{\text {vi }}$ | 2.79 (2) | $\mathrm{O} 22 \cdots \mathrm{O} 10^{v}$ | 2.85 (1) |
| O17...O18 | 2.81 (2) | $\mathrm{O} 23 \cdots \mathrm{O} 3^{v}$ | 2.661 (9) |

Symmetry codes: (i) $1-x, 1-y, 1-z$; (ii) $-x, 1-y, 1-z$; (iii) $-x, 1-y,-z$; (iv) $1-x, 2-y, 1-z$; (v) $x, 1+y, z ;$ (vi) $-x, 2-y, 1-z$; (vii) $1-x, 1-y,-z$.

H atoms were not located. The highest peak in the difference map is $1.31 \AA$ from atom Na 2 , and the deepest hole is $0.81 \AA$ from atom Pt.

Data collection: STADI4 (Stoe \& Cie, 1996); cell refinement: STADI4 (Stoe \& Cie, 1996); data reduction: X-RED (Stoe \& Cie, 1996); program(s) used to solve structure: SHELXS97 (Sheldrick, 1990); program(s) used to refine structure: SHELXL97-2 (Sheldrick, 1997); molecular graphics: ORTEP-3 (Farrugia, 1997) and DIAMOND (Brandenburg, 1998); software used to prepare material for publication: SHELXL97-2 (Sheldrick, 1997).

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