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#### **Key indicators**

Single-crystal X-ray study T = 293 K Mean  $\sigma$ (C–C) = 0.005 Å Disorder in main residue R factor = 0.047 wR factor = 0.124 Data-to-parameter ratio = 15.9

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# (+)-(1*S*,2*S*,3*S*,4*R*,5*R*)-1-Ammonio-5-hydroxymethylcyclohexane-2,3,4-triol chloride

The six-membered ring of the title compound,  $C_7H_{16}NO_4$ ·Cl has a slightly distorted chair conformation. One of the hydroxyl groups is disordered. The molecules of (I) are linked into a three-dimensional network by hydrogen bonds.

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#### Comment

(+)-(1*S*,2*S*,3*S*,4*R*,5*R*)-1-Amino-5-hydroxymethylcyclohexane-2,3,4-triol (validamine), (II), is one of the degradation products from validamycins, (III), which are antibiotics used in controlling the sheath blight disease of rice plants (Kameda & Horii, 1972). Biological experiments show that it acts by inhibition of  $\alpha$ -glucosidase (Kameda *et al.*, 1984).



In the course of synthesis of validamine derivatives, we have prepared the title compound, (I) (Fig. 1). The puckering parameters (Cremer & Pople, 1975) for the six-membered ring are: Q = 0.5469 Å,  $\theta = 176.23^{\circ}$  and  $\varphi = 300.14^{\circ}$ . These indicate that the ring has a slightly distorted chair conformation. Such a chair-like conformation has been observed in the crystal structure of the hydrobromide of compound (II) (Kamiya *et al.*, 1971). The geometric parameters for (I) are given in Table 1.

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The hydroxymethyl group is disordered and was modeled using two sets of atomic sites with refined occupancies of



#### Figure 1

The structure of (I), shown with 30% probability displacement ellipsoids. Only one of the disordered components is shown.



#### Figure 2

The disorder of the hydroxyl group in (I). H atoms have been omitted for clarity.



## Figure 3

The packing of (I), viewed approximately down the a axis. Hydrogen bonds involving atoms O4A and O4B are shown as dashed lines.

0.513 (6) and 0.487 (6) (Fig. 2). The molecules are linked into a complex three-dimensional network by hydrogen bonds (Fig. 3 and Table 2).

## **Experimental**

Compound (I) was prepared by hydrochlorination of compound (II), which was obtained according to the procedure of Ogawa *et al.* (1989). 2 *N* HCl (4 ml, 8 mmol) was added dropwise to a solution of compound (II) (1.3 g, 7.3 mmol) in water (5 ml) and the mixture was evaporated under vacuum to dryness. The resulting solid was dissolved in 80% MeOH to yield colorless crystals (m.p. 509–510 K). Spectroscopic analysis, <sup>1</sup>H NMR (D<sub>2</sub>O, p.p.m.): 1.59–1.74 (*m*, 2H), 1.75–1.98 (*m*, 1H), 3.25 (*t*, 1H, *J* = 9.6 Hz), 3.42 (*t*, 1H, *J* = 9.3 Hz), 3.56–3.70 (*m*, 4H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (D<sub>2</sub>O, p.p.m.): 28.86, 40.80, 54.17, 64.37, 72.83, 74.89, 76.57; ESI–MS *m/z*: 178 ( $M^+$  + 1 – HCl).

Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation

reflections

 $\begin{array}{l} \theta = 2.9 {-} 27.0^{\circ} \\ \mu = 0.38 \ \mathrm{mm}^{-1} \end{array}$ 

T = 293 (2) K

 $R_{\rm int}=0.027$ 

 $\theta_{\rm max} = 27.1^{\circ}$ 

 $h = -8 \rightarrow 8$ 

 $k = -13 \rightarrow 13$ 

 $l=-17\rightarrow 11$ 

Block, colorless

 $0.50 \times 0.34 \times 0.32 \text{ mm}$ 

2096 independent reflections

 $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0098P)^2$ 

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

Absolute structure: Flack (1983),

+ 1.3067P]

 $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\rm max} < 0.001$ 

 $\Delta \rho_{\rm max} = 0.22 \ {\rm e} \ {\rm \AA}^{-3}$ 

 $\Delta \rho_{\rm min} = -0.28 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$ 

857 Friedel pairs Flack parameter = 0.21 (14)

2007 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$ 

Cell parameters from 960

#### Crystal data

 $C_{7}H_{16}NO_{4}^{+}\cdot Cl^{-}$   $M_{r} = 213.66$ Orthorhombic,  $P2_{1}2_{1}2_{1}$  a = 6.6151 (8) Å b = 10.3964 (12) Å c = 13.9546 (17) Å V = 959.7 (2) Å<sup>3</sup> Z = 4 $D_{x} = 1.479$  Mg m<sup>-3</sup>

#### Data collection

Bruker SMART 1000 CCD diffractometer  $\omega$  scans Absorption correction: multi-scan (*SADABS*; Sheldrick, 1996)  $T_{\min} = 0.832, T_{\max} = 0.887$ 6249 measured reflections

## Refinement

Refinement on  $F^2$   $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.047$   $wR(F^2) = 0.124$  S = 1.312096 reflections 132 parameters H-atom parameters constrained

## Table 1

Selected geometric parameters (Å, °).

C1-N1	1.497 (4)	C3-C4	1.520 (4)
C1-C6	1.516 (5)	C4-C5	1.527 (4)
C1-C2	1.529 (5)	C5-C7A	1.526 (5)
C2-C3	1.520 (4)	C7A-O4A	1.475 (6)
N1-C1-C6	112.3 (3)	O3-C4-C5	110.7 (3)
C6-C1-C2	111.1 (3)	C7A-C5-C4	111.4 (3)
C3-C2-C1	111.9 (3)	C1-C6-C5	114.0 (3)
C2-C3-C4	110.9 (3)	O4A-C7A-C5	111.8 (4)
N1-C1-C2-O1	49.5 (4)	O3-C4-C5-C7A	63.4 (3)
N1-C1-C2-C3	-72.0(4)	C3-C4-C5-C6	-53.2 (3)
C6-C1-C2-C3	53.5 (4)	N1-C1-C6-C5	73.1 (4)
C1-C2-C3-O2	-176.9(3)	C2-C1-C6-C5	-51.5(4)
C1-C2-C3-C4	-56.3(4)	C4-C5-C6-C1	51.3 (4)
O2-C3-C4-C5	174.0 (2)	C6-C5-C7A-O4A	-60.7(4)
C2-C3-C4-C5	56.4 (3)		

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

$D-\mathrm{H}\cdots A$	D-H	$H \cdot \cdot \cdot A$	$D \cdots A$	$D - H \cdots A$
$O3-H3A\cdots O2^{i}$	0.82	1.92	2.738 (4)	176
$O1 - H1D \cdot \cdot \cdot O3^{ii}$	0.82	2.04	2.745 (4)	143
$N1 - H1C \cdot \cdot \cdot O2^{iii}$	0.89	2.41	3.006 (4)	125
$N1 - H1C \cdot \cdot \cdot O1^{iii}$	0.89	2.11	2.954 (4)	157
$N1-H1A\cdots Cl1^{iv}$	0.89	2.32	3.183 (3)	162
$N1 - H1B \cdots O4A^{v}$	0.89	2.20	2.862 (6)	131
$O2-H2A\cdots Cl1^{vi}$	0.82	2.24	3.026 (3)	161
$O4B - H4B \cdot \cdot \cdot Cl1$	0.82	2.21	2.999 (5)	160

Symmetry codes: (i)  $\frac{1}{2} + x, \frac{3}{2} - y, 2 - z$ ; (ii) x - 1, y, z; (iii)  $1 - x, y - \frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2} - z$ ; (iv)  $2 - x, \frac{1}{2} + y, \frac{3}{2} - z$ ; (v)  $\frac{3}{2} - x, 1 - y, z - \frac{1}{2}$ ; (vi) x, 1 + y, z.

All H atoms were positioned geometrically and refined with a riding model, with C—H distances of 0.97 (CH<sub>2</sub>) or 0.98 Å (CH), N—H distances of 0.89 Å and O—H distances of 0.82 Å, and with  $U_{iso}(H) = 1.2$  or 1.5 times  $U_{cq}$ (parent atom).

Data collection: *SMART* (Bruker, 1999); cell refinement: *SAINT-Plus* (Bruker, 1999); data reduction: *SAINT-Plus*; program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXTL* (Bruker, 1999); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXTL*; molecular graphics: *SHELXTL*; software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXTL*.

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