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## Key indicators

Single-crystal X-ray study
$T=295 \mathrm{~K}$
Mean $\sigma(\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{C})=0.009 \AA$
$R$ factor $=0.051$
$w R$ factor $=0.067$
Data-to-parameter ratio $=15.2$

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## Bis\{bis[2,5,8,11,14-pentaoxabicyclo[13.4.0]-nonadeca-1(15),16,18-triene]potassium(I)\} bis(2-thioxo-4,5-dihydro-1,3-dithiole-4,5dithiolato)zinc(II)

The title complex, $\left[\mathrm{K}\left(\mathrm{C}_{14} \mathrm{H}_{20} \mathrm{O}_{5}\right)\right]_{2}\left[\mathrm{Zn}\left(\mathrm{C}_{3} \mathrm{~S}_{5}\right)_{2}\right]$ or $[\mathrm{K}(\mathrm{B}-15-$ $\left.\mathrm{C}-5)_{2}\right]_{2}\left[\mathrm{Zn}(\mathrm{dmit})_{2}\right](\mathrm{B}-15-\mathrm{C}-5=$ benzo15-crown-5 and dmit $=$ 4,5-dimercapto-1,3-dithiole-2-thione), contains two \{[K(B-15-$\left.\left.\mathrm{C}-5)_{2}\right]_{2}\right\}^{+}$complex cations and one $\left[\mathrm{Zn}(\mathrm{dmit})_{2}\right]^{2-}$ complex anion in the asymmetric unit. The complex has a threedimensional network structure assembled by intermolecular $\mathrm{S} \cdots \mathrm{S}$ and weak $\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{H} \cdots \mathrm{S}$ interactions.

## Comment

The crystal structure of $\left[\mathrm{K}(\mathrm{B}-15-\mathrm{C}-5)_{2}\right]_{2}\left[\mathrm{Zn}(\mathrm{dmit})_{2}\right]$ (B-15-C-5 $=$ benzo-15-crown 5 and dmit $=4,5$-dimercapto-1,3-dithiole-2thione), (I), contains two $\left\{\left[\mathrm{K}(\mathrm{B}-15-\mathrm{C}-5)_{2}\right]_{2}\right\}^{+}$complex cations, and one $\left[\mathrm{Zn}(\mathrm{dmit})_{2}\right]^{2-}$ complex anion in the asymmetric unit (Fig. 1). The Zn atom is coordinated by four S atoms from two dmit ligands, the $\mathrm{S} 4-\mathrm{Zn} 1-\mathrm{S} 10, \mathrm{~S} 10-\mathrm{Zn} 1-\mathrm{S} 5, \mathrm{~S} 5-\mathrm{Zn} 1-$ $\mathrm{S} 9, \mathrm{~S} 4-\mathrm{Zn} 1-\mathrm{S} 5$ and $\mathrm{S} 10-\mathrm{Zn} 1-\mathrm{S} 9$ angles show the Zn atom exists in a tetrahedral geometry, with a dihedral angle of 94.3 (7) ${ }^{\circ}$ between $\mathrm{S} 4-\mathrm{Zn} 1-\mathrm{S} 5$ and $\mathrm{S} 9-\mathrm{Zn} 1-\mathrm{S} 10$. The dihedral angle between S4-C59-C58-S5 and S1-C59-C58-S2-C57 is $1.98(18)^{\circ}$, and that between $\mathrm{S} 9-\mathrm{C} 61-$ $\mathrm{C} 62-\mathrm{S} 10$ and $\mathrm{S} 7-\mathrm{C} 61-\mathrm{C} 62-\mathrm{S} 6-\mathrm{C} 60$ is $1.0(2)^{\circ}$. The $\mathrm{Zn}-$ S bond distances lie in the range 2.3159 (14)-2.3414 (13) $\AA$ (Table 1).



(I)

In the two crystallographically distinct $\left[\mathrm{K}(\mathrm{B}-15-\mathrm{C}-5)_{2}\right]^{+}$ cations, each K atom is coordinated by ten O atoms from two benzo- 15 -crown- 5 molecules and the environment of each K atom is the same. The $\mathrm{K}-\mathrm{O}$ distances range from 2.783 (3) to 3.117 (3) $\AA$, with a mean value of $2.903 \AA$, which is consistent with the corresponding value in the compound $\left(\mathrm{Bu}_{4} \mathrm{~N}\right)\{[\mathrm{K}(18-$ $\left.\mathrm{C}-6)]\left[\mathrm{Cd}_{4}\left(\mathrm{dmit}_{2}\right)_{2}(\mathrm{dmt})_{3}\right]\right\} \quad(\mathrm{dmt}=4,5$-dimercapto-1,2-dithiole-3-thione; Wang et al., 2003). Furthermore, from Fig. 2 it can be

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Figure 1
The structure of the title complex, showing $30 \%$ probability displacement ellipsoids. H atoms have been omitted.


Figure 2
Crystal packing of the title complex, showing the $\mathrm{S} \cdots \mathrm{S}$ weak interactions and the $\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{H} \cdots \mathrm{S}$ bonds (dashed lines).
seen that the complex has a three-dimensional network structure assembled by intermolecular head-to-tail S3 $\cdots$. S8 ( $x$ $-1, y-1, z$ ) weak interactions between adjacent dmit groups, and intramolecular or intermolecular $\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{H} \cdots \mathrm{S}$ hydrogen bonds between the dmit ligand and the benzo ring of B-15-C5 -crown-5. Bonds lengths and angles agree with accepted values; full details are given in the archived CIF.

## Experimental

To a solution of B-15-C-5-crown-5 (1.00 mmol) in 1,2-dichloroethane $(10 \mathrm{ml})$ was added an aqueous ( 5 ml ) mixture of $\mathrm{ZnCl}_{2}(0.25 \mathrm{mmol})$
and a solution of $\mathrm{K}_{2} \mathrm{dmit}(0.5 \mathrm{mmol})$ in ethanol $(5 \mathrm{ml})$. The reaction mixture was stirred for 2 h at room temperature and then filtered. The precipitate was dissolved in a mixture of ethanol and diethyl ether ( $4: 1, v / v$ ). Colorless single crystals were obtained by slowly evaporating the solution (m.p. 576 K ). Analysis calculated for $\mathrm{C}_{62} \mathrm{H}_{80} \mathrm{~K}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{20} \mathrm{~S}_{10} \mathrm{Zn}$ : C 46.27, H 5.01, S 19.92\%; found: C 46.13, H 4.91, S 19.87\%.

## Crystal data

| $\left[\mathrm{K}\left(\mathrm{C}_{14} \mathrm{H}_{20} \mathrm{O}_{5}\right)\right]_{2}\left[\mathrm{Zn}\left(\mathrm{C}_{3} \mathrm{~S}_{5}\right)_{2}\right]$ | $Z=2$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| $M_{r}=1609.43$ | $D_{x}=1.439 \mathrm{Mg} \mathrm{m}^{-3}$ |
| Triclinic, $P \overline{1}$ | Mo $K \alpha$ radiation |
| $a=10.9614(12) \AA$ | Cell parameters from 2462 |
| $b=16.1352(17) \AA$ | $\quad$ reflections |
| $c=22.026(2) \AA$ | $\mu=2.2-18.6^{\circ}$ |
| $\alpha=98.832(2)^{\circ}$ | $T=295(2) \mathrm{Km}$ |
| $\beta=94.633(3)^{\circ}$ | Block, colorless |
| $\gamma=103.500(2)^{\circ}$ | $0.43 \times 0.37 \times 0.31 \mathrm{~mm}$ |
| $V=3715.4(7) \AA^{\circ}$ |  |

## Data collection

| Bruker SMART CCD area-detector | 12981 independent reflections |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\quad$ diffractometer | 4843 reflections with $I>2 \sigma(I)$ |
| $\varphi$ and $\omega$ scans | $R_{\text {int }}=0.051$ |
| Absorption correction: multi-scan | $\theta_{\max }=25.0^{\circ}$ |
| $\quad(S A D A B S ;$ Sheldrick, 1996 $)$ | $h=-13 \rightarrow 10$ |
| $T_{\min }=0.727, T_{\max }=0.792$ | $k=-19 \rightarrow 19$ |
| 20681 measured reflections | $l=-20 \rightarrow 26$ |

## Refinement

Refinement on $F^{2}$
$R\left[F^{2}>2 \sigma\left(F^{2}\right)\right]=0.051$
$w R\left(F^{2}\right)=0.067$
$S=0.81$
12981 reflections
856 parameters

Table 1
Selected geometric parameters $\left(\AA^{\circ},{ }^{\circ}\right)$.

| Zn1-S4 | 2.3159 (14) | K2-O17 | 2.967 (3) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Zn1-S10 | 2.3178 (14) | K2-O16 | 2.994 (3) |
| Zn1-S5 | 2.3276 (13) | K2-O12 | 3.011 (3) |
| $\mathrm{Zn} 1-\mathrm{S} 9$ | 2.3414 (13) | K2-O11 | 3.069 (3) |
| K1-O9 | 2.783 (3) | S1-C57 | 1.697 (5) |
| K1-O4 | 2.790 (3) | S1-C59 | 1.738 (4) |
| K1-O10 | 2.829 (3) | S2-C57 | 1.727 (4) |
| K1-O5 | 2.837 (3) | S2-C58 | 1.749 (4) |
| K1-O3 | 2.876 (3) | S3-C57 | 1.645 (4) |
| K1-O1 | 2.911 (3) | S3-S8 ${ }^{\text {i }}$ | 3.5034 (19) |
| K1-O8 | 2.917 (3) | S4-C58 | 1.731 (4) |
| $\mathrm{K} 1-\mathrm{O} 2$ | 2.959 (3) | S5-C59 | 1.716 (5) |
| K1-O7 | 3.034 (3) | S6-C60 | 1.741 (4) |
| K1-O6 | 3.117 (3) | S6-C62 | 1.747 (4) |
| K2-O14 | 2.762 (4) | S7-C60 | 1.696 (4) |
| K2-O15 | 2.794 (3) | S7-C61 | 1.735 (4) |
| K2-O19 | 2.795 (4) | S8-C60 | 1.645 (4) |
| K2-O20 | 2.811 (3) | S9-C61 | 1.732 (4) |
| K2-O18 | 2.884 (4) | S10-C62 | 1.725 (4) |
| K2-O13 | 2.927 (4) |  |  |
| S4-Zn1-S10 | 120.26 (5) | S4-Zn1-S9 | 116.65 (5) |
| S4-Zn1-S5 | 95.64 (5) | S10-Zn1-S9 | 94.80 (5) |
| S10-Zn1-S5 | 112.18 (5) | S5-Zn1-S9 | 119.07 (5) |

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

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Table 2
Hydrogen-bond geometry $\left(\AA^{\circ},{ }^{\circ}\right)$.

| $D-\mathrm{H} \cdots A$ | D-H | $\mathrm{H} \cdots A$ | $D \cdots A$ | $D-\mathrm{H} \cdots A$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| C30-H30 ${ }^{\text {S }}$ S | 0.93 | 2.93 | 3.685 (5) | 140 |
| $\mathrm{C} 21-\mathrm{H} 21 \mathrm{~B} \cdots \mathrm{~S} 1$ | 0.97 | 2.93 | 3.706 (5) | 138 |
| $\mathrm{C} 13-\mathrm{H} 13 \mathrm{~B} \cdots \mathrm{~S} 5$ | 0.97 | 2.99 | 3.852 (5) | 149 |
| $\mathrm{C} 33-\mathrm{H} 33 \cdots \mathrm{~S} 3^{\text {ii }}$ | 0.93 | 2.90 | 3.756 (6) | 154 |
| $\mathrm{C} 3-\mathrm{H} 3 \cdots \mathrm{~S} 2^{\text {iii }}$ | 0.93 | 2.93 | 3.849 (9) | 171 |
| C35-H35A $\cdots$ S $8^{\text {iv }}$ | 0.97 | 2.95 | 3.665 (5) | 131 |
| C49-H49B $\cdots$ S $10{ }^{\text {v }}$ | 0.97 | 2.92 | 3.791 (6) | 150 |
| $\mathrm{C} 24-\mathrm{H} 24 A \cdots \mathrm{~S} 9^{\text {vi }}$ | 0.97 | 2.96 | 3.906 (5) | 165 |
| $\mathrm{C} 7-\mathrm{H} 74 \cdots \mathrm{~S} 9^{\text {vii }}$ | 0.97 | 2.97 | 3.538 (5) | 119 |
| Symmetry codes: $-x+2,-y+2,-z$ | $\begin{aligned} & -x+1, \\ & x-1, \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & -z+ \\ & x, y- \end{aligned}$ | (i) $\begin{gathered}-x+1 \\ -x+2,\end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{ll} -z ; \quad \text { (iv) } \\ -z . & \end{array}$ |

Similarity restraints were applied to displacement parameters of some ligand atoms to avoid extreme values. All H atoms were positioned geometrically and treated as riding on their parent atoms, with aromatic C-H distances of $0.93 \AA$ and methylene $\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{H}$ distances of $0.97 \AA$ A. The $U_{\text {iso }}(\mathrm{H})$ values were set at $1.2 U_{\text {eq }}(\mathrm{C})$.

Data collection: SMART (Siemens, 1996); cell refinement: SAINT (Siemens, 1996); data reduction: SAINT; program(s) used to solve structure: SHELXS97 (Sheldrick, 1997a); program(s) used to refine structure: SHELXL97 (Sheldrick, 1997a); molecular graphics: SHELXTL (Sheldrick, 1997b); software used to prepare material for publication: SHELXTL.

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