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## Key indicators

Single-crystal X-ray study
$T=295 \mathrm{~K}$
Mean $\sigma(\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{C})=0.004 \AA$
$R$ factor $=0.038$
$w R$ factor $=0.092$
Data-to-parameter ratio $=11.1$

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# catena-Poly[4,4'-bipyridinium [[diaquadisulfato-manganate(II)]- $\mu-4,4^{\prime}$-bipyridine- $\left.\kappa^{2} N: N^{\prime}\right]$ dihydrate] 

The title complex, $\left\{\left(\mathrm{C}_{10} \mathrm{H}_{10} \mathrm{~N}_{2}\right)\left[\mathrm{Mn}\left(\mathrm{SO}_{4}\right)_{2}\left(\mathrm{C}_{10} \mathrm{H}_{8} \mathrm{~N}_{2}\right)\left(\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}\right)_{2}\right]\right.$-$\left.2 \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}\right\}_{n}$, consists of an anionic one-dimensional chain, diprotonated $4,4^{\prime}$-bipyridine cations and uncoordinated water molecules. In the anionic chain, the Mn atom lies on a center of inversion in an octahedral geometry. Hydrogen bonds link the chains into a three-dimensional architecture.

## Comment

Recently, a great number of transition metal complexes with 4,4'-bipyridine (4,4'-bipy) and sulfate have been reported; they produce many interesting architectures, such as one-dimensional (Norquist et al., 2003), two-dimensional (Huang et al., 1998) and three-dimensional (Huang et al., 1999; Hou et al., 2001; Xu et al., 2003) polymers or cation-anion complexes ( Li et al., 2004). In these complexes, the sulfate can exist as a bridging (Tong et al., 2000) or monodentate (Kondo et al., 1999) ligand, or an uncoordinated anion (Li et al., 2004). 4,4'Bipy also can act as a bridging ligand (Hagrman et al., 1998) or a proton acceptor (Noro et al., 1999). We present here a manganese complex, (I), with monodentate $\mathrm{SO}_{4}{ }^{2-}$ and doubly protonated $4,4^{\prime}$-bipy ligands.

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(I)

The title complex consists of an anionic $\left\{\left[\mathrm{Mn}\left(\mathrm{SO}_{4}\right)_{2}\left(4,4^{\prime}-\right.\right.\right.$ bipy $\left.\left.)\left(\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}\right)_{2}\right]^{2-}\right\}_{n}$ chain, 4,4'-bipyridinium cations and uncoordinated water molecules (Fig. 1 and Table 1). In the anionic chain (Fig. 2), each Mn atom, sitting on a special position of $\overline{1}$ site symmetry, adopts an octahedral geometry defined by two N donors from two 4,4'-bipy ligands, two O atoms from two sulfate anions, and two O atoms from two water molecules. Each sulfate acts as a monodentate ligand and this is the first example of an anionic chain with monodentate $\mathrm{SO}_{4}{ }^{2-}$ in the system $M^{2+}-\mathrm{SO}_{4}{ }^{2-}-4,4^{\prime}$-bipy; the $\mathrm{Mn} \cdots \mathrm{Mn}$ separation is 11.7768 (10) $\AA$. The one-dimensional chains are hold together by hydrogen-bondng interactions to give a three-dimensional network through three kinds of donors, O6, O5, and N2 (Table 2). The 4,4'-bipyridinium cation with the neighboring


Figure 1
A view of a segment of (I). Displacement ellipsoids are drawn at the 50\% probability level. [Symmetry codes: (i) $2-x, 2-y, 2-z$; (ii) $1-x, 1-y$, $1-z$; (iii) $2-x, 3-y, 1-z$; (iv) $x,-1+y, 1+z$.]
$4,4^{\prime}$-bipy in the one-dimensional chain forms $\pi-\pi$ interactions with a distance of about $3.47 \AA$ and a dihedral angle of 5.41 (6) ${ }^{\circ}$. Therefore, in the crystal packing, hydrogen bonds and $\pi-\pi$ interactions enhance the stability of the structure.

## Experimental

A mixture of $\mathrm{MnSO}_{4} \cdot \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}(0.085 \mathrm{~g}, 0.50 \mathrm{mmol})$ and 5 -sulfosalicylic acid dihydrate $(0.125 \mathrm{~g}, 0.49 \mathrm{mmol})$ in water $(15 \mathrm{ml})$ was added to a previously prepared solution of $4,4^{\prime}$-bipyridine ( $0.078 \mathrm{~g}, 0.50 \mathrm{mmol}$ ) in dimethylformamide ( 10 ml ) under stirring. The resulting solution was set aside and the solvents allowed to evaporate. After two weeks, pale-yellow needle-shaped crystals of (I) were obtained and collected by suction filtration.

## Crystal data

$\left(\mathrm{C}_{10} \mathrm{H}_{10} \mathrm{~N}_{2}\right)\left[\mathrm{Mn}\left(\mathrm{SO}_{4}\right)_{2}\left(\mathrm{C}_{10} \mathrm{H}_{8} \mathrm{~N}_{2}\right)-\right.$
$\left.\left(\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}\right)_{2}\right] \cdot 2 \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$
$M_{r}=633.51$
Triclinic, $P \overline{1}$
$a=6.9619(8) \AA$
$b=9.3723(11) \AA$
$c=9.9791(11) \AA$
$\alpha=74.900(2)^{\circ}$
$\beta=89.418(2)^{\circ}$
$\gamma=78.241(2)^{\circ}$
$V=614.82(12) \AA^{\circ}$

Data collection
Bruker APEX area-detector
$\quad$ diffractometer
$\varphi$ and $\omega$ scans
Absorption correction: multi-scan
$\quad(S A D A B S ;$ Bruker, 2002)
$T_{\text {min }}=0.730, T_{\text {max }}=0.892$
4433 measured reflections

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\begin{aligned}
& Z=1 \\
& D_{x}=1.711 \mathrm{Mg} \mathrm{~m}^{-3} \\
& \text { Mo } K \alpha \text { radiation } \\
& \text { Cell parameters from } 3372 \\
& \quad \text { reflections } \\
& \theta=2.3-28.1^{\circ} \\
& \mu=0.78 \mathrm{~mm}^{-1} \\
& T=295(2) \mathrm{K} \\
& \text { Needle, pale yellow } \\
& 0.43 \times 0.17 \times 0.15 \mathrm{~mm}
\end{aligned}
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> 2144 independent reflections
> 2101 reflections with $I>2 \sigma(I)$
> $R_{\text {int }}=0.014$
> $\theta_{\max }=25.0^{\circ}$
> $h=-8 \rightarrow 8$
> $k=-11 \rightarrow 11$
> $l=-11 \rightarrow 11$

## Refinement

Refinement on $F^{2}$
$R\left[F^{2}>2 \sigma\left(F^{2}\right)\right]=0.038$
$w R\left(F^{2}\right)=0.092$
$S=1.17$
2144 reflections
193 parameters
H -atom parameters constrained


Figure 2
A view of the anionic chain in (I). Hydrogen bonds are shown as dashed lines.

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

| Mn1-O1 | 2.1453 (17) | S1-O2 | 1.4629 (19) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Mn1-O5 | 2.2117 (18) | S1-O3 | 1.471 (2) |
| Mn1-N1 | 2.334 (2) | S1-O4 | 1.469 (2) |
| S1-O1 | 1.4776 (18) |  |  |
| $\mathrm{O} 1^{\text {i }}-\mathrm{Mn} 1-\mathrm{O} 1$ | 180 | $\mathrm{N} 1^{\mathrm{i}}-\mathrm{Mn} 1-\mathrm{N} 1$ | 180 |
| $\mathrm{O} 1-\mathrm{Mn} 1-\mathrm{O}^{\text {i }}$ | 86.85 (7) | $\mathrm{O} 2-\mathrm{S} 1-\mathrm{O} 4$ | 110.94 (12) |
| $\mathrm{O} 1-\mathrm{Mn} 1-\mathrm{O} 5$ | 93.15 (7) | $\mathrm{O} 2-\mathrm{S} 1-\mathrm{O} 3$ | 109.11 (12) |
| $\mathrm{O} 5^{\mathrm{i}}-\mathrm{Mn} 1-\mathrm{O} 5$ | 180 | O4-S1-O3 | 108.75 (14) |
| $\mathrm{O} 1-\mathrm{Mn} 1-\mathrm{N} 1^{\text {i }}$ | 86.17 (7) | O2-S1-O1 | 110.66 (11) |
| $\mathrm{O} 5-\mathrm{Mn} 1-\mathrm{N} 1^{\text {i }}$ | 89.78 (7) | O4-S1-O1 | 108.30 (12) |
| $\mathrm{O} 1-\mathrm{Mn} 1-\mathrm{N} 1$ | 93.83 (7) | O3-S1-O1 | 109.04 (11) |
| O5-Mn1-N1 | 90.22 (7) |  |  |

Symmetry code: (i) $-x+2,-y+2,-z+2$.

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

| $D-\mathrm{H} \cdots A$ | $D-\mathrm{H}$ | $\mathrm{H} \cdots A$ | $D \cdots A$ | $D-\mathrm{H} \cdots A$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| O6-H6A $\cdots$ O 4 | 0.86 (3) | 1.98 (3) | 2.792 (3) | 156 (3) |
| O5-H5A $\cdots{ }^{\text {O }}{ }^{\text {v }}$ | 0.85 (1) | 1.92 (1) | 2.762 (3) | 174 (3) |
| $\mathrm{O} 5-\mathrm{H} 5 \mathrm{~B} \cdots \mathrm{O}^{\text {i }}$ | 0.85 (3) | 2.01 (2) | 2.809 (3) | 156 (3) |
| $\mathrm{O} 6-\mathrm{H} 6 \mathrm{~B} \cdots \mathrm{O} 2^{\text {vi }}$ | 0.86 (1) | 2.12 (1) | 2.952 (3) | 164 (3) |
| $\mathrm{N} 2-\mathrm{H} 2 A \cdots \mathrm{O}^{\text {vii }}$ | 0.90 (1) | 1.69 (1) | 2.584 (3) | 172 (3) |

H atoms on C atoms were positioned geometrically and were included in the refinement in the riding-model approximation, with $\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{H}=0.93 \AA$ and $U_{\text {eq }}(\mathrm{H})=1.2 U_{\text {eq }}(\mathrm{C}) . \mathrm{H}$ atoms on N and O atoms were located in a difference Fourier map and were refined with distance restraints of $\mathrm{O}-\mathrm{H}=0.85$ (1) $\AA$ and $\mathrm{N}-\mathrm{H}=0.90$ (1) $\AA$, and with a fixed isotropic displacement parameter of $U_{\text {iso }}(\mathrm{H})=0.05 \AA^{2}$.

Data collection: SMART (Bruker, 2002); cell refinement: SAINT (Bruker, 2002); data reduction: SAINT; program(s) used to solve structure: SHELXS97 (Sheldrick, 1997); program(s) used to refine structure: SHELXL97 (Sheldrick, 1997); molecular graphics: ORTEP-3 for Windows (Farrugia, 1997); software used to prepare material for publication: WinGX (Farrugia, 1999).

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