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## Key indicators

Single-crystal X-ray study
$T=298 \mathrm{~K}$
Mean $\sigma(\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{C})=0.004 \AA$
$R$ factor $=0.032$
$w R$ factor $=0.079$
Data-to-parameter ratio $=10.6$
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## Poly[[diaquacobalt(II)]- $\mu$-2,5-dicarboxybenzene-1,4-dicarboxylato- $\mu$-di-4-pyridylethene]

In the polymeric title complex, $\left[\mathrm{Co}(\mathrm{TBC})(\mathrm{BPE})\left(\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}\right)_{2}\right]_{n}$ [TBC is the 2,5-dicarboxybenzene-1,4-dicarboxylate dianion $\left(\mathrm{C}_{10} \mathrm{H}_{4} \mathrm{O}_{8}\right)$ and BPE is 1,2-bis(4-pyridyl)ethene $\left(\mathrm{C}_{12} \mathrm{H}_{10} \mathrm{~N}_{2}\right)$ ], the $\mathrm{Co}^{\mathrm{II}}$ ion, located on an inversion centre, assumes a distorted octahedral coordination geometry. The TBC and BPE ligands are located across individual inversion centres and bridge neighbouring $\mathrm{Co}^{\mathrm{II}}$ ions to form two-dimensional polymeric sheets.

## Comment

The rational design and synthesis of multinuclear coordination architectures is a rapidly developing field in current coordination chemistry for the development of novel functional materials (Fujita, 1999). As part of our ongoing investigation on polymeric complexes, the title two-dimensional $\mathrm{Co}^{\mathrm{II}}$ polymeric complex, (I), has been prepared in our laboratory.

(I)

The coordination environment around the $\mathrm{Co}^{\mathrm{II}}$ ion is shown in Fig. 1. The $\mathrm{Co}^{\mathrm{II}}$ ion is located on an inversion centre and coordinated by two carboxylate O atoms from 2,5-dicarboxybenzene-1,4-dicarboxylate dianions (TBC), two N atoms from 1,2-bis(4-pyridyl)ethene (BPE) ligands and two water molecules, resulting in a distorted octahedral coordination geometry (Table 1). The TBC and BPE ligands are located across individual inversion centres and bridge neighbouring $\mathrm{Co}^{\mathrm{II}}$ ions to form a two-dimensional polymeric structure (Fig. 2).

Neighbouring polymeric sheets are linked to each other via $\mathrm{O}-\mathrm{H} \cdots \mathrm{O}$ hydrogen bonding (Table 2) to form a threedimensional supramolecular structure.

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## Experimental

An aqueous solution ( 16 ml ) of $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{TBC}(0.51 \mathrm{~g}, 2 \mathrm{mmol})$, BPE $(0.41 \mathrm{~g}, 2 \mathrm{mmol})$ and $\mathrm{CoSO}_{4} \cdot 7 \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}(0.62 \mathrm{~g}, 2 \mathrm{mmol})$ in a 30 ml Teflonlined stainless steel reactor was heated at 423 K for 4 d and then slowly cooled to room temperature to give pink prismatic single crystals.

## Crystal data

$\left[\mathrm{Co}\left(\mathrm{C}_{10} \mathrm{H}_{4} \mathrm{O}_{8}\right)\left(\mathrm{C}_{12} \mathrm{H}_{10} \mathrm{~N}_{2}\right)\left(\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}\right)_{2}\right]$
$M_{r}=529.31$
Triclinic, $P \overline{1}$
$a=6.8680$ (7) $\AA$
$b=8.5558$ ( 8 ) $\AA$
$c=8.9769$ (9) $\AA$
$\alpha=102.552$ (2) ${ }^{\circ}$
$\beta=93.594$ (2) ${ }^{\circ}$
$\gamma=104.500(2)^{\circ}$

## Data collection

Bruker APEX area-detector diffractometer
$\varphi$ and $\omega$ scans
Absorption correction: multi-scan (SADABS; Bruker, 2002)

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T_{\min }=0.84, T_{\max }=0.94
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## Refinement

Refinement on $F^{2}$
$R\left[F^{2}>2 \sigma\left(F^{2}\right)\right]=0.032$
$w R\left(F^{2}\right)=0.079$
$S=1.04$
1731 reflections
163 parameters
H -atom parameters constrained

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\begin{aligned}
& w=1 /\left[\sigma^{2}\left(F_{\mathrm{o}}{ }^{2}\right)+(0.0386 P)^{2}\right. \\
& +0.4596 P] \\
& \text { where } P=\left(F_{\mathrm{o}}{ }^{2}+2 F_{\mathrm{c}}{ }^{2}\right) / 3 \\
& (\Delta / \sigma)_{\text {max }}<0.001 \\
& \Delta \rho_{\text {max }}=0.35 \mathrm{e}^{\AA^{-3}} \\
& \Delta \rho_{\text {min }}=-0.34 \mathrm{e}^{\AA^{-3}} \\
& \text { Extinction correction: SHELXL97 } \\
& \text { Extinction coefficient: } 0.048 \text { (4) }
\end{aligned}
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Table 1
Selected bond lengths ( $\AA$ ).

| Co1-O1 | $2.1426(15)$ | Co1-N1 | $2.1455(18)$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Co1-O5 | $2.1019(16)$ |  |  |

Table 2
Hydrogen-bond geometry ( $\mathrm{A},{ }^{\circ}$ ).

| $D-\mathrm{H} \cdots A$ | D-H | $\mathrm{H} \cdots A$ | $D \cdots A$ | $D-\mathrm{H} \cdots A$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\mathrm{O} 3-\mathrm{H} 3 \cdots \mathrm{O} 2^{\mathrm{i}}$ | 0.82 | 1.79 | 2.605 (2) | 170 |
| $\mathrm{O} 5-\mathrm{H} 5 A \cdots \mathrm{O} 4^{\text {ii }}$ | 0.82 | 2.03 | 2.835 (2) | 166 |
| $\mathrm{O} 5-\mathrm{H} 5 \mathrm{~B} \cdots \mathrm{O} 2{ }^{\text {iii }}$ | 0.82 | 2.04 | 2.766 (2) | 147 |

Symmetry codes: (i) $-x+2,-y+2,-z$; (ii) $x-1, y-1, z$; (iii) $x-1, y, z$.
Water H atoms and the carboxyl H atom were located in a difference Fourier map and refined as riding, with $\mathrm{O}-\mathrm{H}=0.82 \AA$ and $U_{\text {iso }}(\mathrm{H})=1.5 U_{\text {eq }}(\mathrm{O})$. Other H atoms were positioned geometrically, with $\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{H}=0.93 \AA$, and refined in riding mode $\left[U_{\text {iso }}(\mathrm{H})=\right.$ $1.2 U_{\text {eq }}(\mathrm{C})$ ].

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: ORTEPII (Johnson, 1976); software used to prepare material for publication: SHELXTL (Bruker, 2002).


Figure 1
The coordination environment around the $\mathrm{Co}^{\mathrm{II}}$ ion, with $50 \%$ probability displacement ellipsoids (arbitrary spheres for H atoms) [symmetry codes: (*) $1-x, 1-y,-z$; (\#) $1-x, 2-y,-1-z]$.


Figure 2
A segment of the two-dimensional complex sheet. [Symmetry codes: (A) $x, y+1, z-1$; (B) $x-1, y-1, z-1$; (C) $x-1, y, z-2$; (D) $-x,-y$, $-z-1$; (E) $1-x, 1-y,-z$; (F) $1-x, 2-y,-z-1$; (G) $-x, 1-y$, $-2-z$.

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