

A new amine phosphate templated by  
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## Key indicators

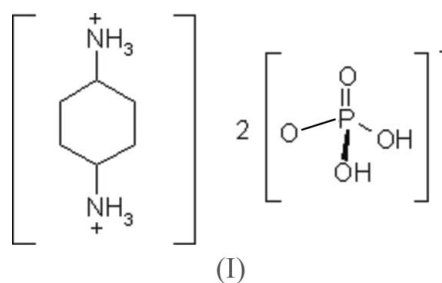
Single-crystal X-ray study  
 $T = 293$  K  
Mean  $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.003$  Å  
 $R$  factor = 0.038  
 $wR$  factor = 0.104  
Data-to-parameter ratio = 13.7For details of how these key indicators were  
automatically derived from the article, see  
<http://journals.iucr.org/e>.

The title compound, cyclohexane-1,4-diammonium bis(di-hydrogenphosphate),  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_2^{2+} \cdot 2\text{H}_2\text{PO}_4^-$ , was synthesized using the hydrothermal method. It crystallizes with one anion and half a dication in the asymmetric unit; the latter lies on a centre of inversion. It has an inorganic network built up from  $(\text{H}_2\text{PO}_4)^-$  tetrahedra linked together *via* strong hydrogen bonds to form infinite  $(\text{H}_2\text{PO}_4)^-$  sheets lying parallel to the (100) plane. The diprotonated amine molecules link the layers together, assembling a three-dimensional hydrogen-bond network.

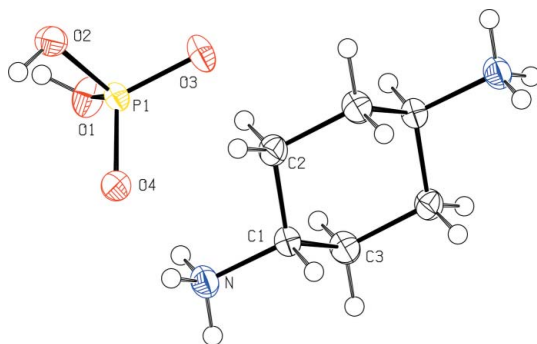
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## Comment

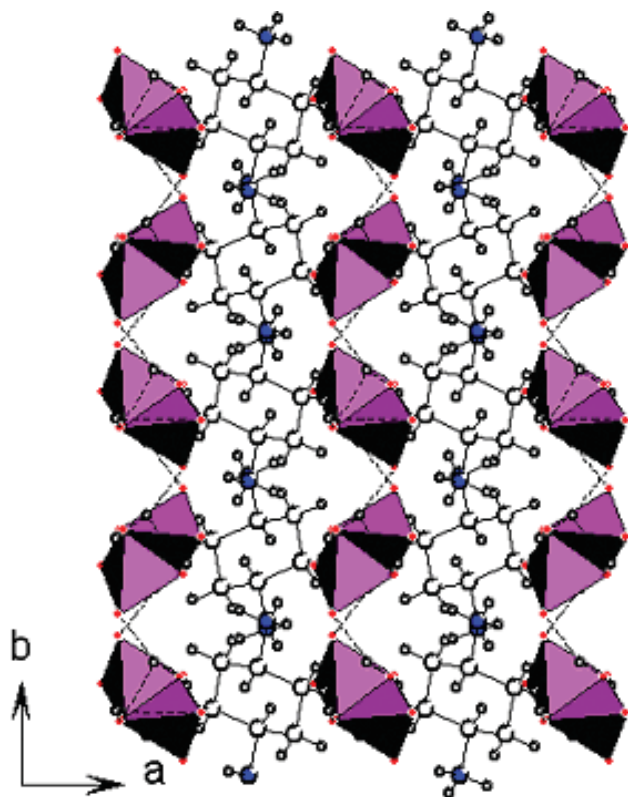
Organic cation phosphates have been investigated with respect to their crystal structure, various properties and potential applications (Soumhi *et al.*, 2001; Oliver *et al.*, 1995). In our laboratory, we have been studying the  $M(\text{Zn}, \text{Co}, \text{Zr}, \text{Ti})\text{-HF-H}_3\text{PO}_4\text{-amine-solvent}$  system, and some amine phosphates and metallic amine phosphates have been characterized (Dakhlaoui *et al.*, 2005*a,b*; Dakhlaoui *et al.*, 2005). In the title compound, (I), the asymmetric unit contains one  $(\text{H}_2\text{PO}_4)^-$  phosphate group and a half of the diprotonated amine molecule (Fig. 1). The cation lies on a centre of inversion.



The geometrical features of the phosphate group are quite regular (Table 1); the average bond length is 1.539 (1) Å for P–O, and the longest bond lengths are P1–O1 = 1.573 (1) Å and P1–O2 = 1.572 (2) Å, corresponding to the protonated O atoms; the average O–P–O bond angle is 109.41 (8)°. The structure of (I) consists of infinite macroanionic  $(\text{H}_2\text{PO}_4)^-$  sheets separated by the organic cations (Fig. 2). Cohesion of this structure is ensured by hydrogen bonds (Table 2) involving the diprotonated amine molecules and the phosphate groups. Within the inorganic layer the  $(\text{H}_2\text{PO}_4)$  phosphate groups are linked together *via* a strong hydrogen bond [ $\text{O}2 \cdots \text{O}4^i = 2.585$  (2) Å] to form dimers [symmetry code: (i)  $2 - x, -y, 1 - z$ ]. Every dimer is linked with four neighbours *via* the [ $\text{O}1 \cdots \text{O}3^{ii} = 2.545$  (2) Å; symmetry code: (ii)  $2 - x,$


**Figure 1**

A plot of (I), with displacement ellipsoids shown at the 50% probability level. The non-labelled atoms within the cation are related to the labelled atoms through a inversion centre [symmetry code  $(1-x, 1-y, 1-z)$ ]. H atoms are shown as spheres of arbitrary radius.

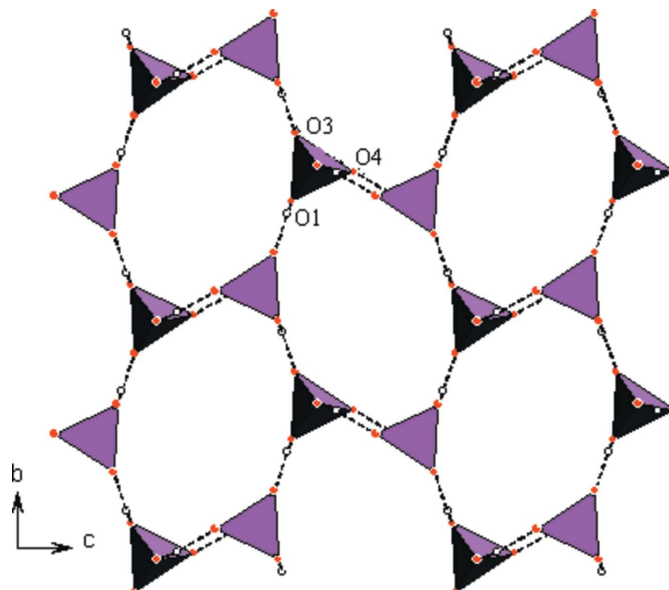

**Figure 2**

Projection of (I) along the  $c$  axis, showing the hydrogen-bonding interactions between organic cations and the  $(\text{H}_2\text{PO}_4)^-$  anions.

$y - \frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2} - z$ ] hydrogen bond to form layers parallel to the (100) plane (Fig. 3). Rings of six phosphate groups assemble in these inorganic layers.

## Experimental

The title compound was prepared by hydrothermal synthesis under autogenous pressure. The starting mixture of phosphoric acid (0.6 ml), 1,4-diaminocyclohexane (0.56 g) and water (8 ml) in the molar ratio (2:1:80) was placed in a Teflon-lined stainless steel autoclave and then heated at 443 K for five days. The transparent


**Figure 3**

Projection of (I) along the  $a$  axis, showing the infinite  $(\text{H}_2\text{PO}_4)^-$  sheets.

plate-shaped crystals obtained were filtered off, washed with ethanol and dried at room temperature.

### Crystal data

$\text{C}_6\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_2^{2+} \cdot 2\text{H}_2\text{O}_4\text{P}^-$   
 $M_r = 310.18$   
 Monoclinic,  $P2_1/c$   
 $a = 6.298$  (3) Å  
 $b = 8.606$  (2) Å  
 $c = 11.824$  (7) Å  
 $\beta = 101.84$  (2)°  
 $V = 627.2$  (5) Å<sup>3</sup>

$Z = 2$   
 $D_x = 1.642$  Mg m<sup>-3</sup>  
 Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation  
 $\mu = 0.38$  mm<sup>-1</sup>  
 $T = 293$  (2) K  
 Plate, colourless  
 $0.24 \times 0.13 \times 0.05$  mm

### Data collection

Siemens AED2 diffractometer  
 $2\theta/\omega$  scans  
 Absorption correction: analytical  
 (SHELXS76; Sheldrick, 1976)  
 $T_{\min} = 0.992$ ,  $T_{\max} = 0.996$   
 1775 measured reflections  
 1771 independent reflections

1480 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$   
 $R_{\text{int}} = 0.003$   
 $\theta_{\text{max}} = 30.0^\circ$   
 3 standard reflections  
 every 120 reflections  
 intensity decay: 3%

### Refinement

Refinement on  $F^2$   
 $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.038$   
 $wR(F^2) = 0.104$   
 $S = 1.09$   
 1668 reflections  
 122 parameters  
 All H-atom parameters refined

$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0563P)^2 + 0.3355P]$   
 where  $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$   
 $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\text{max}} = 0.011$   
 $\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 0.63$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>  
 $\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.54$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>

**Table 1**

Selected geometric parameters (Å, °).

P1—O4	1.5022 (15)	P1—O3	1.5089 (13)
O4—P1—O3	114.95 (8)	O4—P1—O1	108.56 (9)
O4—P1—O2	110.57 (8)	O3—P1—O1	107.36 (8)
O3—P1—O2	108.33 (7)	O2—P1—O1	106.72 (8)

**Table 2**  
Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °).

$D-H\cdots A$	$D-H$	$H\cdots A$	$D\cdots A$	$D-H\cdots A$
N—H0A $\cdots$ O4	0.87 (3)	1.93 (3)	2.797 (2)	175 (3)
O2—H2 $\cdots$ O4 <sup>i</sup>	0.78 (3)	1.81 (3)	2.585 (2)	174 (3)
O1—H1 $\cdots$ O3 <sup>ii</sup>	0.88 (4)	1.67 (4)	2.545 (2)	176 (4)
N—H0C $\cdots$ O3 <sup>iii</sup>	0.94 (3)	1.88 (3)	2.811 (2)	171 (2)
N—H0B $\cdots$ O1 <sup>iv</sup>	0.88 (3)	2.10 (3)	2.937 (2)	160 (2)

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

All H atoms were located in difference maps and their individual positional and isotropic displacement parameters were refined without constraints; C—H = 0.88 (2)–0.98 (2) Å.

Data collection: *STADIA* (Stoe & Cie, 1998); cell refinement: *STADIA*; data reduction: *X-RED* (Stoe & Cie, 1998); program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 1997); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 1997); molecular

graphics: *DIAMOND* (Brandenburg, 2001); software used to prepare material for publication: *WinGX* (Farrugia, 1999).

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