

## Dipyridinium tribromidochloridobis(4-chlorophenyl)stannate(IV)

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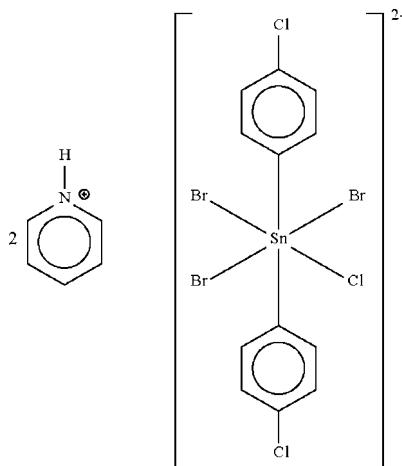
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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study;  $T = 100\text{ K}$ ; mean  $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.003\text{ \AA}$ ; disorder in main residue;  $R$  factor = 0.018;  $wR$  factor = 0.047; data-to-parameter ratio = 19.9.

The tin atom in the substituted ammonium stannate(IV),  $(\text{C}_5\text{H}_6\text{N})_2[\text{SnBr}_3(\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{Cl})_2\text{Cl}]$ , lies on a center of symmetry in a distorted octahedral coordination geometry. Each independent halogen site is occupied by bromine and chlorine anions in an approximate 3:1 ratio. The pyridinium cation forms a hydrogen bond to only one of the halogen atoms.

### Related literature

For bis(4-dimethylaminopyridinium) tetrahalidodiorganostannates, see: Lo & Ng (2008a,b); Yap *et al.* (2008).



### Experimental

#### Crystal data

$(\text{C}_5\text{H}_6\text{N})_2[\text{SnBr}_3(\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{Cl})_2\text{Cl}]$	$V = 2527.99 (7)\text{ \AA}^3$
$M_r = 777.17$	$Z = 4$
Monoclinic, $C2/c$	Mo $K\alpha$ radiation
$a = 11.5130 (2)\text{ \AA}$	$\mu = 6.08\text{ mm}^{-1}$
$b = 11.7139 (2)\text{ \AA}$	$T = 100\text{ K}$
$c = 18.7748 (3)\text{ \AA}$	$0.27 \times 0.19 \times 0.12\text{ mm}$
$\beta = 93.230 (1)^\circ$	

#### Data collection

Bruker SMART APEX	11728 measured reflections
diffractometer	2903 independent reflections
Absorption correction: multi-scan (SADABS; Sheldrick, 1996)	2668 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
$T_{\min} = 0.327$ , $T_{\max} = 0.529$	$R_{\text{int}} = 0.022$
(expected range = 0.298–0.482)	

#### Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.018$	4 restraints
$wR(F^2) = 0.047$	H-atom parameters constrained
$S = 1.02$	$\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.39\text{ e \AA}^{-3}$
2903 reflections	$\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.84\text{ e \AA}^{-3}$
146 parameters	

**Table 1**  
Selected bond lengths ( $\text{\AA}$ ) ( $X = \text{Br}, \text{Cl}$ ).

Sn1—C1	2.149 (2)	Sn1—X2	2.7060 (2)
Sn1—X1	2.7166 (2)		

Data collection: *APEX2* (Bruker, 2007); cell refinement: *SAINT* (Bruker, 2007); data reduction: *SAINT*; program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 2008); molecular graphics: *X-SEED* (Barbour, 2001); software used to prepare material for publication: *publCIF* (Westrip, 2009).

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### Experimental

Bis(4-chlorophenyl)tin dichloride (0.40 g, 1 mol) and pyridine hydrobromide perbromide (0.64 g, 2 mmol) were heated in chloroform for 3 h. Crystals separated from the cool solution after a day.

### Refinement

Hydrogen atoms were placed in calculated positions (C—H 0.95, N—H 0.88 Å) and were included in the refinement in the riding model approximation, with  $U(\text{H})$  set to  $1.2U(C,N)$ .

Each of the two independent tin-bound halogen atoms is a mixture of chlorine and bromine; as the total occupancy of chlorine refined to nearly 0.5 and that of bromine to nearly 1.5, these values were fixed as 0.5 and 1.5. Furthermore, the different halogen atoms sharing the same site were constrained to have the same coordinates and the same anisotropic displacement parameters. The final difference Fourier map did not have large peaks/deep holes near the disordered atoms.

### Figures

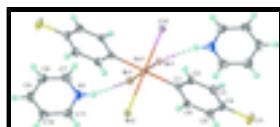


Fig. 1. 70% Probability anisotropic displacement ellipsoid plot of the ion-pair  $2(\text{C}_5\text{H}_6\text{N})[\text{SnBr}_3\text{Cl}(\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{Cl})_2]$ . Hydrogen atoms are drawn as spheres of arbitrary radius. Dashed lines denote hydrogen bonds. The tin-bound halogen atoms are disordered.

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Monoclinic, $C2/c$	Mo $K\alpha$ radiation
Hall symbol: -C 2yc	$\lambda = 0.71073 \text{ \AA}$
$a = 11.5130 (2) \text{ \AA}$	Cell parameters from 6664 reflections
$b = 11.7139 (2) \text{ \AA}$	$\theta = 2.5\text{--}28.3^\circ$
$c = 18.7748 (3) \text{ \AA}$	$\mu = 6.08 \text{ mm}^{-1}$
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2903 independent reflections

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2668 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$

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$R_{\text{int}} = 0.022$

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$\theta_{\text{max}} = 27.5^\circ$

$\omega$  scans

$\theta_{\text{min}} = 2.2^\circ$

Absorption correction: Multi-scan  
(SADABS; Sheldrick, 1996)

$h = -14 \rightarrow 14$

$T_{\text{min}} = 0.327, T_{\text{max}} = 0.529$

$k = -15 \rightarrow 15$

11728 measured reflections

$l = -23 \rightarrow 24$

## Refinement

Refinement on  $F^2$

Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier map

Least-squares matrix: full

Hydrogen site location: inferred from neighbouring sites

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.018$

H-atom parameters constrained

$wR(F^2) = 0.047$

$$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0246P)^2 + 3.4843P]$$

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

$S = 1.02$

$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\text{max}} = 0.001$

2903 reflections

$\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 0.39 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$

146 parameters

$\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.83 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$

4 restraints

Extinction correction: none

Primary atom site location: structure-invariant direct methods

## Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2$ )

	$x$	$y$	$z$	$U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$	Occ. (<1)
Sn1	0.5000	0.5000	0.5000	0.01196 (6)	
Br1	0.308690 (19)	0.509165 (19)	0.578153 (12)	0.01383 (8)	0.7365 (11)
Br2	0.551744 (19)	0.288797 (18)	0.550827 (12)	0.01450 (7)	0.7635 (11)
Cl1'	0.308690 (19)	0.509165 (19)	0.578153 (12)	0.01383 (8)	0.2635 (11)
Cl2'	0.551744 (19)	0.288797 (18)	0.550827 (12)	0.01450 (7)	0.2365 (11)
Cl1	0.83429 (5)	0.71755 (5)	0.76748 (3)	0.02688 (12)	
N1	0.15868 (16)	0.59124 (16)	0.43101 (10)	0.0217 (4)	
H1	0.2206	0.5891	0.4607	0.026*	
C1	0.60325 (16)	0.57206 (16)	0.58772 (10)	0.0129 (4)	
C2	0.60187 (18)	0.52532 (17)	0.65598 (11)	0.0165 (4)	
H2	0.5522	0.4626	0.6644	0.020*	
C3	0.67258 (18)	0.56972 (18)	0.71184 (11)	0.0188 (4)	
H3	0.6716	0.5379	0.7584	0.023*	
C4	0.74442 (17)	0.66121 (18)	0.69830 (11)	0.0182 (4)	

C5	0.74654 (17)	0.70998 (17)	0.63157 (11)	0.0171 (4)
H5	0.7961	0.7729	0.6234	0.021*
C6	0.67469 (17)	0.66515 (17)	0.57641 (11)	0.0155 (4)
H6	0.6745	0.6987	0.5303	0.019*
C7	0.0884 (2)	0.50083 (18)	0.42776 (13)	0.0225 (5)
H7	0.1048	0.4366	0.4575	0.027*
C8	-0.0077 (2)	0.50100 (18)	0.38125 (13)	0.0235 (5)
H8	-0.0579	0.4366	0.3777	0.028*
C9	-0.03042 (19)	0.5968 (2)	0.33953 (12)	0.0238 (5)
H9	-0.0971	0.5988	0.3074	0.029*
C10	0.0440 (2)	0.68937 (19)	0.34465 (12)	0.0231 (5)
H10	0.0290	0.7552	0.3161	0.028*
C11	0.13982 (19)	0.68517 (19)	0.39135 (12)	0.0224 (5)
H11	0.1920	0.7479	0.3955	0.027*

*Atomic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2$ )*

	$U^{11}$	$U^{22}$	$U^{33}$	$U^{12}$	$U^{13}$	$U^{23}$
Sn1	0.01296 (10)	0.01329 (10)	0.00948 (10)	-0.00098 (6)	-0.00070 (7)	0.00034 (7)
Br1	0.01297 (12)	0.01610 (12)	0.01249 (13)	-0.00044 (8)	0.00142 (9)	0.00093 (8)
Br2	0.01749 (12)	0.01242 (11)	0.01334 (12)	0.00098 (8)	-0.00136 (8)	0.00188 (8)
Cl1'	0.01297 (12)	0.01610 (12)	0.01249 (13)	-0.00044 (8)	0.00142 (9)	0.00093 (8)
Cl2'	0.01749 (12)	0.01242 (11)	0.01334 (12)	0.00098 (8)	-0.00136 (8)	0.00188 (8)
Cl1	0.0254 (3)	0.0349 (3)	0.0193 (3)	-0.0073 (2)	-0.0073 (2)	-0.0056 (2)
N1	0.0177 (9)	0.0277 (10)	0.0190 (9)	0.0050 (7)	-0.0038 (7)	-0.0047 (8)
C1	0.0126 (9)	0.0155 (9)	0.0103 (9)	0.0020 (7)	-0.0011 (7)	-0.0014 (7)
C2	0.0160 (9)	0.0177 (9)	0.0156 (10)	-0.0017 (7)	0.0004 (8)	-0.0001 (8)
C3	0.0221 (10)	0.0222 (10)	0.0119 (9)	0.0010 (8)	-0.0016 (8)	0.0022 (8)
C4	0.0153 (10)	0.0237 (10)	0.0150 (10)	0.0002 (8)	-0.0041 (8)	-0.0054 (8)
C5	0.0155 (9)	0.0170 (9)	0.0188 (10)	-0.0028 (7)	0.0002 (8)	-0.0013 (8)
C6	0.0154 (9)	0.0170 (9)	0.0142 (10)	0.0012 (7)	0.0018 (7)	0.0010 (8)
C7	0.0251 (12)	0.0223 (11)	0.0204 (12)	0.0064 (8)	0.0055 (9)	0.0023 (9)
C8	0.0194 (11)	0.0239 (11)	0.0276 (13)	-0.0015 (8)	0.0062 (9)	-0.0024 (9)
C9	0.0173 (10)	0.0332 (12)	0.0204 (11)	0.0049 (9)	-0.0028 (8)	-0.0028 (9)
C10	0.0280 (11)	0.0214 (10)	0.0201 (11)	0.0058 (9)	0.0029 (9)	0.0019 (9)
C11	0.0251 (11)	0.0196 (10)	0.0225 (11)	-0.0018 (8)	0.0034 (9)	-0.0048 (9)

*Geometric parameters ( $\text{\AA}$ ,  $^\circ$ )*

Sn1—C1 <sup>i</sup>	2.149 (2)	C3—C4	1.386 (3)
Sn1—C1	2.149 (2)	C3—H3	0.9500
Sn1—Br1	2.7166 (2)	C4—C5	1.378 (3)
Sn1—Cl2 <sup>i</sup>	2.7060 (2)	C5—C6	1.391 (3)
Sn1—Br2 <sup>i</sup>	2.7060 (2)	C5—H5	0.9500
Sn1—Br2	2.7060 (2)	C6—H6	0.9500
Sn1—Cl1 <sup>i</sup>	2.7166 (2)	C7—C8	1.370 (3)
Sn1—Br1 <sup>i</sup>	2.7166 (2)	C7—H7	0.9500
C11—C4	1.744 (2)	C8—C9	1.384 (3)

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N1—C7	1.332 (3)	C8—H8	0.9500
N1—C11	1.339 (3)	C9—C10	1.383 (3)
N1—H1	0.8800	C9—H9	0.9500
C1—C6	1.389 (3)	C10—C11	1.371 (3)
C1—C2	1.394 (3)	C10—H10	0.9500
C2—C3	1.392 (3)	C11—H11	0.9500
C2—H2	0.9500		
C1 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—C1	180.000 (1)	C6—C1—Sn1	119.86 (14)
C1 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—Cl2 <sup>i</sup>	89.29 (5)	C2—C1—Sn1	121.05 (14)
C1—Sn1—Cl2 <sup>i</sup>	90.71 (5)	C3—C2—C1	120.63 (19)
C1 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—Br2 <sup>i</sup>	89.29 (5)	C3—C2—H2	119.7
C1—Sn1—Br2 <sup>i</sup>	90.71 (5)	C1—C2—H2	119.7
Cl2 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—Br2 <sup>i</sup>	0.000 (13)	C4—C3—C2	118.71 (19)
C1 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—Br2	90.71 (5)	C4—C3—H3	120.6
C1—Sn1—Br2	89.29 (5)	C2—C3—H3	120.6
Cl2 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—Br2	180.0	C5—C4—C3	121.90 (19)
Br2 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—Br2	180.0	C5—C4—Cl1	118.68 (16)
C1 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—Cl1 <sup>i</sup>	90.05 (5)	C3—C4—Cl1	119.41 (17)
C1—Sn1—Cl1 <sup>i</sup>	89.95 (5)	C4—C5—C6	118.67 (19)
Cl2 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—Cl1 <sup>i</sup>	90.845 (7)	C4—C5—H5	120.7
Br2 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—Cl1 <sup>i</sup>	90.845 (7)	C6—C5—H5	120.7
Br2—Sn1—Cl1 <sup>i</sup>	89.155 (7)	C5—C6—C1	120.98 (19)
C1 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—Br1 <sup>i</sup>	90.05 (5)	C5—C6—H6	119.5
C1—Sn1—Br1 <sup>i</sup>	89.95 (5)	C1—C6—H6	119.5
Cl2 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—Br1 <sup>i</sup>	90.845 (7)	N1—C7—C8	119.7 (2)
Br2 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—Br1 <sup>i</sup>	90.845 (7)	N1—C7—H7	120.2
Br2—Sn1—Br1 <sup>i</sup>	89.155 (7)	C8—C7—H7	120.2
Cl1 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—Br1 <sup>i</sup>	0.000 (8)	C7—C8—C9	118.8 (2)
C1 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—Br1	89.95 (5)	C7—C8—H8	120.6
C1—Sn1—Br1	90.05 (5)	C9—C8—H8	120.6
Cl2 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—Br1	89.155 (7)	C8—C9—C10	120.0 (2)
Br2 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—Br1	89.155 (7)	C8—C9—H9	120.0
Br2—Sn1—Br1	90.845 (7)	C10—C9—H9	120.0
Cl1 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—Br1	180.0	C11—C10—C9	119.3 (2)
Br1 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—Br1	180.0	C11—C10—H10	120.3
C7—N1—C11	123.26 (19)	C9—C10—H10	120.3
C7—N1—H1	118.4	N1—C11—C10	119.0 (2)
C11—N1—H1	118.4	N1—C11—H11	120.5
C6—C1—C2	119.08 (18)	C10—C11—H11	120.5
Cl2 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—C1—C6	-40.72 (15)	C1—C2—C3—C4	-0.1 (3)
Br2 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—C1—C6	-40.72 (15)	C2—C3—C4—C5	0.9 (3)
Br2—Sn1—C1—C6	139.28 (15)	C2—C3—C4—Cl1	-179.64 (16)
Cl1 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—C1—C6	50.12 (15)	C3—C4—C5—C6	-0.4 (3)

Br1 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—C1—C6	50.12 (15)	C11—C4—C5—C6	-179.89 (15)
Br1—Sn1—C1—C6	-129.88 (15)	C4—C5—C6—C1	-0.9 (3)
Cl2 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—C1—C2	140.70 (15)	C2—C1—C6—C5	1.7 (3)
Br2 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—C1—C2	140.70 (15)	Sn1—C1—C6—C5	-176.91 (15)
Br2—Sn1—C1—C2	-39.30 (15)	C11—N1—C7—C8	1.0 (3)
Cl1 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—C1—C2	-128.46 (15)	N1—C7—C8—C9	-1.2 (3)
Br1 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—C1—C2	-128.46 (15)	C7—C8—C9—C10	0.8 (3)
Br1—Sn1—C1—C2	51.54 (15)	C8—C9—C10—C11	-0.1 (3)
C6—C1—C2—C3	-1.2 (3)	C7—N1—C11—C10	-0.3 (3)
Sn1—C1—C2—C3	177.39 (15)	C9—C10—C11—N1	-0.1 (3)

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

*Hydrogen-bond geometry ( $\text{\AA}$ , °)*

$D-\text{H}\cdots A$	$D-\text{H}$	$\text{H}\cdots A$	$D\cdots A$	$D-\text{H}\cdots A$
N1—H1…Br1	0.88	2.55	3.317 (2)	146

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Fig. 1

