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Pyridine-4-carboximidamidate chloride

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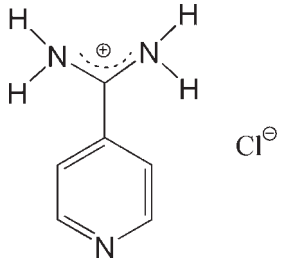
Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; T = 293 K; mean σ(C–C) = 0.002 Å; R factor = 0.033; wR factor = 0.092; data-to-parameter ratio = 11.6.

In the title salt, $C_6H_8N_3^+\cdot Cl^-$, each pyridinecarboximidamidate cation is linked to two symmetry-related cations through N—H···N hydrogen bonds, and to two chloride ions by N—H···Cl hydrogen bonds. The N—H···N hydrogen bonds involve the pyridine N atom and one NH_2 group. In the crystal, N—H···N and N—H···Cl hydrogen bonds extend the structure into two-dimensional layers. Weak C—H···Cl interactions further connect these layers into a three-dimensional network.

Related literature

For background, see: Chudinov *et al.* (2005); Kamei *et al.* (2005).



Experimental

Crystal data

$C_6H_8N_3^+\cdot Cl^-$ M_r = 157.60
Orthorhombic, *Pbca*
a = 7.3928 (13) Å
b = 10.4467 (16) Å
c = 18.925 (3) Å
V = 1461.6 (4) Å^3
Z = 8
Mo $K\alpha$ radiation
μ = 0.44 mm^{-1}
T = 293 K
0.37 × 0.32 × 0.21 mm

Data collection

Bruker SMART CCD area-detector diffractometer
Absorption correction: multi-scan (*SADABS*; Bruker, 2001)
T_{min} = 0.853, T_{max} = 0.911
1949 measured reflections
1435 independent reflections
1215 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
R_{int} = 0.018

Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)]$ = 0.033
$wR(F^2)$ = 0.092
S = 1.04
1435 reflections
124 parameters
All H-atom parameters refined
$\Delta\rho_{max}$ = 0.23 e Å^{-3}
$\Delta\rho_{min}$ = −0.18 e Å^{-3}

Table 1
Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °).

D—H···A	D—H	H···A	D···A	D—H···A
N2—H2A···N1^{i}	0.88 (2)	2.22 (2)	3.058 (2)	160 (2)
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C5—H5···Cl1^{iii}	0.90 (2)	2.68 (2)	3.556 (2)	166 (2)

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

Data collection: *SMART* (Bruker, 2001); cell refinement: *SAINT* (Bruker, 2001); data reduction: *SAINT*; program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 2008); molecular graphics: *SHELXTL* (Sheldrick, 2008); software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXL97*.

Supplementary data and figures for this paper are available from the IUCr electronic archives (Reference: BH2242).

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Comment

The title compound, also known as isonicotinamidine hydrochloride, served as a key intermediate in the synthesis of pharmacologically active compounds. It had attracted a great deal of interest during recent years. A series of new piperidinyl- and 1,2,3,6-tetrahydropyridinylpyrimidine derivatives was synthesized by using isonicotinamidine as an important intermediate. Isonicotinamidine has a unique structure and exists in the form of hydrochloride or acetate (Chudinov *et al.*, 2005; Kamei *et al.*, 2005).

The title compound is an organic salt (Fig. 1). In the cation, dihedral angle between the pyridyl ring and the plane confined by N2, N3 and C6 is 42.1°. Each isonicotinamidine cation is connected to two other cations by N—H···N hydrogen bonds, and to two Cl^- anions by N—H···Cl hydrogen bonds (Fig. 2), to form two dimensional layers including one-dimensional zigzag chains (Fig. 3). Weak C—H···Cl interactions [C···Cl = 3.556 (2) Å] link these layers to provide a three-dimensional supramolecular network.

Experimental

The title compound was prepared according to the method of Kamei *et al.* (2005). Block-shaped crystals suitable for X-ray diffraction were obtained from ethanol/acetone.

Refinement

H atoms were located from difference maps and freely refined.

Figures

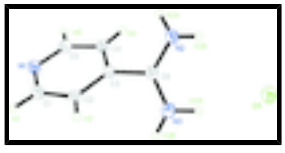

Fig. 1. View of (I), showing atomic labels and displacement ellipsoids drawn at 30% probability level.

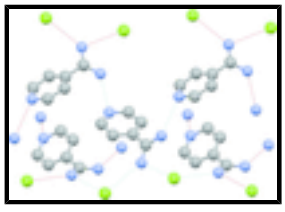

Fig. 2. N—H···N and N—H···Cl hydrogen bonds in the crystal.

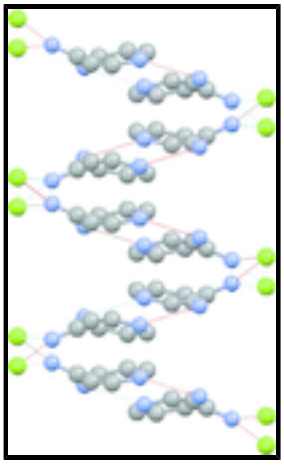

Fig. 3. View of the hydrogen bonded one-dimensional chain along *b* axis.

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Orthorhombic, *Pbca*	Mo *K*α radiation, λ = 0.71073 Å
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$T_{min} = 0.853$, $T_{max} = 0.911$	$k = -1 \rightarrow 12$
1949 measured reflections	$l = -23 \rightarrow 1$
1435 independent reflections	

Refinement

Refinement on F^2	Hydrogen site location: inferred from neighbouring sites
Least-squares matrix: full	All H-atom parameters refined
$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.033$	$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0416P)^2 + 0.5489P]$

	where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
$wR(F^2) = 0.092$	$(\Delta/\sigma)_{max} = 0.001$
$S = 1.04$	$\Delta\rho_{max} = 0.23$ e Å^{-3}
1435 reflections	$\Delta\rho_{min} = -0.17$ e Å^{-3}
124 parameters	Extinction correction: SHELXL97 (Sheldrick, 2008), $Fc^*=kFc[1+0.001xFc^2\lambda^3/\sin(2\theta)]^{-1/4}$
Primary atom site location: structure-invariant direct methods	Extinction coefficient: 0.0056 (15)
Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier map	

Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters (Å^2)

	x	*y*	*z*	U_{iso}*/U_{eq}
N1	0.0852 (2)	0.38353 (14)	0.75509 (8)	0.0367 (4)
C1	0.0499 (3)	0.36114 (17)	0.82329 (10)	0.0367 (4)
Cl1	0.15740 (8)	0.91636 (4)	1.05546 (2)	0.0432 (2)
N2	0.0353 (2)	0.79417 (15)	0.89141 (9)	0.0369 (4)
C2	0.0593 (3)	0.45387 (17)	0.87518 (9)	0.0341 (4)
N3	0.1766 (3)	0.66264 (17)	0.97084 (9)	0.0428 (4)
C3	0.1026 (2)	0.57807 (15)	0.85578 (9)	0.0285 (4)
C4	0.1401 (3)	0.60305 (17)	0.78520 (9)	0.0337 (4)
C5	0.1315 (3)	0.50297 (18)	0.73774 (9)	0.0376 (4)
C6	0.1052 (2)	0.68338 (16)	0.90895 (9)	0.0310 (4)
H4	0.171 (3)	0.6863 (18)	0.7679 (10)	0.033 (5)*
H1	0.015 (3)	0.275 (2)	0.8348 (11)	0.044 (6)*
H2	0.032 (3)	0.4327 (18)	0.9204 (11)	0.041 (5)*
H5	0.159 (3)	0.519 (2)	0.6925 (12)	0.048 (6)*
H2B	0.037 (3)	0.854 (2)	0.9202 (13)	0.060 (7)*
H2A	−0.016 (3)	0.803 (2)	0.8500 (12)	0.050 (6)*
H3B	0.229 (4)	0.590 (2)	0.9833 (12)	0.056 (7)*
H3A	0.184 (3)	0.732 (2)	1.0012 (14)	0.061 (7)*

Atomic displacement parameters (Å^2)

	U^{11}	U^{22}	U^{33}	U^{12}	U^{13}	U^{23}
N1	0.0452 (9)	0.0312 (8)	0.0338 (8)	0.0019 (7)	0.0001 (7)	−0.0051 (7)
C1	0.0439 (11)	0.0261 (9)	0.0400 (10)	−0.0002 (8)	−0.0007 (9)	0.0007 (7)
Cl1	0.0580 (3)	0.0357 (3)	0.0359 (3)	0.0007 (2)	−0.0055 (2)	−0.00566 (18)
N2	0.0484 (10)	0.0262 (8)	0.0360 (9)	0.0009 (7)	0.0006 (8)	−0.0043 (7)
C2	0.0436 (11)	0.0306 (9)	0.0280 (9)	0.0035 (8)	0.0027 (8)	0.0019 (7)
N3	0.0613 (12)	0.0348 (9)	0.0323 (8)	0.0070 (8)	−0.0090 (8)	−0.0067 (7)
C3	0.0313 (9)	0.0266 (8)	0.0277 (8)	0.0021 (7)	−0.0020 (7)	−0.0021 (7)
C4	0.0421 (10)	0.0280 (9)	0.0310 (9)	−0.0020 (8)	0.0003 (8)	0.0024 (7)
C5	0.0488 (12)	0.0377 (10)	0.0264 (9)	−0.0002 (8)	0.0022 (8)	−0.0012 (8)
C6	0.0348 (9)	0.0280 (9)	0.0300 (9)	−0.0018 (7)	0.0031 (7)	−0.0020 (7)

Geometric parameters (Å, °)

N1—C5	1.335 (2)	N3—C6	1.303 (2)
N1—C1	1.337 (2)	N3—H3B	0.89 (2)
C1—C2	1.381 (3)	N3—H3A	0.93 (3)
C1—H1	0.96 (2)	C3—C4	1.389 (2)
N2—C6	1.310 (2)	C3—C6	1.491 (2)
N2—H2B	0.83 (3)	C4—C5	1.380 (3)
N2—H2A	0.88 (2)	C4—H4	0.958 (19)
C2—C3	1.386 (2)	C5—H5	0.90 (2)
C2—H2	0.91 (2)		
C5—N1—C1	116.80 (15)	C2—C3—C4	118.47 (16)
N1—C1—C2	123.63 (17)	C2—C3—C6	120.99 (15)
N1—C1—H1	115.7 (12)	C4—C3—C6	120.52 (15)
C2—C1—H1	120.6 (12)	C5—C4—C3	118.33 (17)
C6—N2—H2B	119.8 (17)	C5—C4—H4	118.5 (11)
C6—N2—H2A	119.2 (15)	C3—C4—H4	123.2 (11)
H2B—N2—H2A	121 (2)	N1—C5—C4	124.05 (17)
C1—C2—C3	118.68 (16)	N1—C5—H5	118.2 (15)
C1—C2—H2	119.3 (13)	C4—C5—H5	117.7 (15)
C3—C2—H2	122.0 (13)	N3—C6—N2	122.31 (17)
C6—N3—H3B	123.9 (15)	N3—C6—C3	119.28 (16)
C6—N3—H3A	116.9 (16)	N2—C6—C3	118.41 (16)
H3B—N3—H3A	119 (2)		

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °)

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Fig. 1

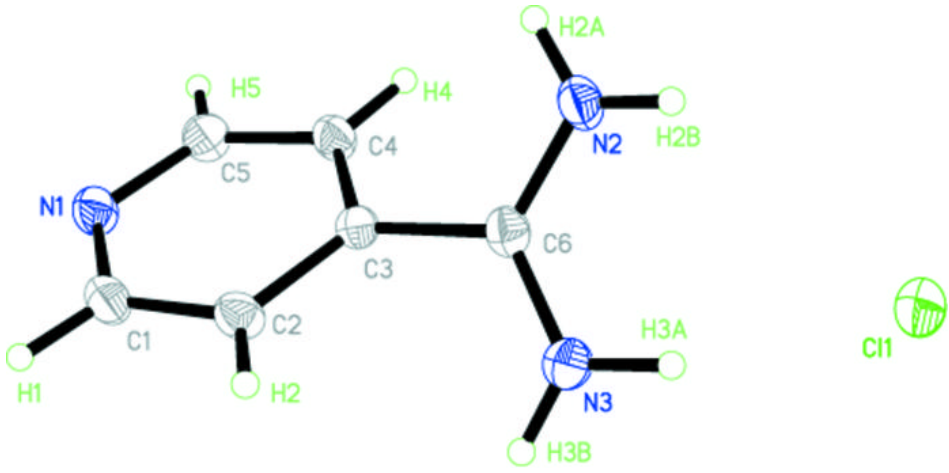
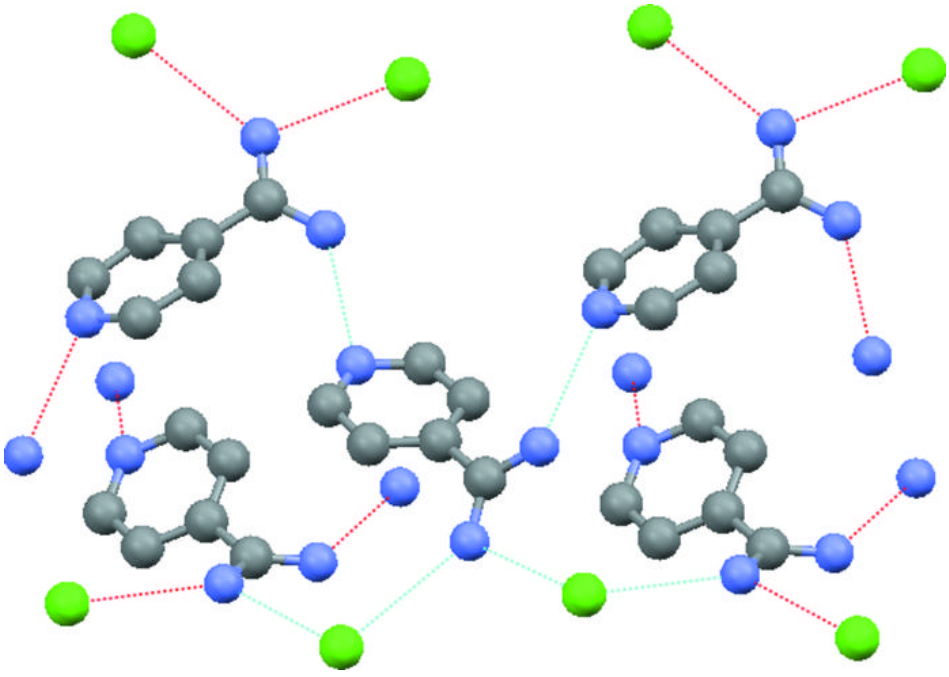


Fig. 2



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