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## $\mathrm{Pb}_{3} \mathrm{Te}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{6} \mathrm{Br}_{2}$

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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; $T=296 \mathrm{~K}$; mean $\sigma(\mathrm{Te}-\mathrm{O})=0.015 \AA$; $R$ factor $=0.048 ; w R$ factor $=0.107$; data-to-parameter ratio $=18.8$.

Single crystals of the title compound, trilead(II) bis[tellurate(IV)] dibromide, have been grown under hydrothermal conditions. The structure is isotypic with that of the chloride analogue, $\mathrm{Pb}_{3} \mathrm{Te}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{6} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}$, and consists of three Pb , two Te , two Br and four O atoms in the asymmetric unit. Except for two of the O atoms, all atoms are located on mirror planes. The $\mathrm{Pb}_{3} \mathrm{Te}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{6} \mathrm{Br}_{2}$ structure can be described as being built up from ${ }_{\infty}^{2}\left[\mathrm{~Pb}_{3} \mathrm{Te}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{6}\right]^{2+}$ layers extending parallel to (20 $\overline{1}$ ) and $\mathrm{Br}^{-}$ anions between the layers. Cohesion of the structure is accomplished through $\mathrm{Pb}-\mathrm{Br}$ contacts of two of the three lead atoms, leading to highly asymmetric coordination polyhedra. The lone-pair electrons of both $\mathrm{Te}^{\mathrm{IV}}$ and $\mathrm{Pb}^{\mathrm{II}}$ atoms are stereochemically active and point towards the anionic halide layers.

## Related literature

For reports and structures of other compounds in the system $\mathrm{Pb} X_{2}-\mathrm{PbO}-\mathrm{TeO}_{2}$, where $X=\mathrm{Br}, \mathrm{Cl}$, see: $\mathrm{Pb}_{3} \mathrm{TeO}_{4} X_{2}$ (Charkin et al., 2006; Porter \& Halasyamani, 2003); $\mathrm{Pb}_{3} \mathrm{Te}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{6} X_{2}$ (Porter \& Halasyamani, 2003). The crystal chemistry of oxotellurate(IV) compounds has been reviewed by Dolgikh (1991) and Zemann (1971). For other oxotellurates(IV) prepared under hydrothermal conditions, see: Weil \& Stöger (2007, 2008a,b).

## Experimental

## Crystal data

$\mathrm{Pb}_{3} \mathrm{Te}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{6} \mathrm{Br}_{2}$
$M_{r}=1132.59$
Monoclinic, $C 2 / m$
$a=16.9151$ (9) $\AA$
$b=5.6813$ (3) $\AA$
$c=11.0623(6) \AA$
$\beta=104.046(1)^{\circ}$

## Data collection

Bruker APEXII CCD
diffractometer

$$
\begin{aligned}
& V=1031.3(1) \AA^{3} \\
& Z=4 \\
& \text { Mo } K \alpha \text { radiation } \\
& \mu=62.14 \mathrm{~mm}^{-1} \\
& T=296 \mathrm{~K} \\
& 0.18 \times 0.10 \times 0.04 \mathrm{~mm}
\end{aligned}
$$

Absorption correction: numerical (HABITUS; Herrendorf, 1997) $T_{\text {min }}=0.06, T_{\text {max }}=0.41$

3758 measured reflections 1371 independent reflections

## Refinement

$R\left[F^{2}>2 \sigma\left(F^{2}\right)\right]=0.048 \quad 73$ parameters
$w R\left(F^{2}\right)=0.107$
$S=1.15$
1371 reflections

1338 reflections with $I>2 \sigma(I)$ $R_{\text {int }}=0.030$
$\Delta \rho_{\text {max }}=7.41 \mathrm{e}^{7} \AA^{-3}$
$\Delta \rho_{\min }=-6.41 \mathrm{e}^{-3}$

Table 1
Comparative geometrical parameters ( $\AA$ ) for selected bond lengths in $\mathrm{Pb}_{3} \mathrm{Te}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{6} X_{2}$ compounds ( $X=\mathrm{Br}, \mathrm{Cl}$ ).

| Distance | $X=\mathrm{Br}$ (this work) | $X=\mathrm{Cl}$ (Porter \& Halasyamani, 2003) |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 1-\mathrm{O} 4$ | $2.415(11)$ | $2.447(15)$ |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 1-\mathrm{O} 1$ | $2.617(14)$ | $2.586(14)$ |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 1-X 2^{\mathrm{i}}$ | $3.274(3)$ | $3.176(12)$ |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 1-X 1$ | $3.3287(13)$ | $3.237(12)$ |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 1-X 1^{\text {ii }}$ | $3.364(3)$ | $3.247(12)$ |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 2-\mathrm{O} 1$ | $2.360(13)$ | $2.374(14)$ |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 2-\mathrm{O} 3^{\text {iii }}$ | $2.451(18)$ | $2.48(2)$ |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 2-\mathrm{O} 2$ | $2.704(19)$ | $2.677(13)$ |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 2-X 2$ | $3.3955(17)$ | $3.270(12)$ |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 2-X 1^{\text {iv }}$ | $3.415(3)$ | $3.276(13)$ |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 3-\mathrm{O} 4$ | $2.555(12)$ | $2.544(16)$ |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 3-\mathrm{O} 1$ | $2.617(13)$ | $2.600(14)$ |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 3-\mathrm{O} 4^{\mathrm{v}}$ | $2.788(11)$ | $2.777(17)$ |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 3-\mathrm{O} 3^{\text {iii }}$ | $2.995(8)$ | $2.986(16)$ |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 3-X 2$ | $3.338(21)$ | $3.244(12)$ |
| $\mathrm{Te} 1-\mathrm{O} 1$ | $1.989(13)$ | $1.938(13)$ |
| $\mathrm{Te} 1-\mathrm{O} 2$ | $2.085(17)$ | $2.044(12)$ |
| $\mathrm{Te} 2-\mathrm{O} 3$ | $1.874(19)$ | $1.84(2)$ |
| $\mathrm{Te} 2-\mathrm{O} 4$ | $1.879(11)$ | $1.861(16)$ |

Symmetry codes: (i) $x+\frac{1}{2}, y-\frac{1}{2}, z$; (ii) $-x+\frac{1}{2},-y+\frac{1}{2},-z$; (iii) $-x+\frac{1}{2},-y+\frac{1}{2},-z+1$; (iv)
$x-\frac{1}{2}, y-\frac{1}{2}, z ;$ (v) $-x+\frac{1}{2}, y+\frac{1}{2},-z+1$.
Data collection: APEX2 (Bruker, 2008); cell refinement: SAINT (Bruker, 2008); data reduction: SAINT; program(s) used to solve structure: SHELXS97 (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: SHELXL97 (Sheldrick, 2008); molecular graphics: ATOMS (Dowty, 2006); software used to prepare material for publication: SHELXL97.

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## $\mathbf{P b}_{3} \mathbf{T e}_{2} \mathbf{O}_{\mathbf{6}} \mathbf{B r}_{\mathbf{2}}$

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## Comment

Single crystals growth of $\mathrm{Pb}_{3} \mathrm{Te}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{6} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}$ and $\mathrm{Pb}_{3} \mathrm{Te}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{6} \mathrm{Br}_{2}$ was studied during a recent project intended to elaborate hydrothermal formation conditions of oxotelluraTe ${ }^{\mathrm{IV}}$ compounds (Weil \& Stöger, 2007; 2008a,b). Both $\mathrm{Pb}_{3} \mathrm{Te}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{6} X_{2}(X=\mathrm{Br}$, $\mathrm{Cl})$ compounds have been prepared previously by solid state techniques (Porter \& Halasyamani, 2003). Whereas for the chloride compound a full structure analysis was undertaken at that time, for the isotypic bromide compound only lattice parameters were reported. Here we present details of the $\mathrm{Pb}_{3} \mathrm{Te}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{6} \mathrm{Br}_{2}$ structure determined from single-crystal X-ray data.

The asymmetric unit of the $\mathrm{Pb}_{3} \mathrm{Te}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{6} X_{2}$ structure contains three Pb , two Te , two $X$ and four O atoms. Except two of the O atoms, all other atoms are located on mirror planes. $\mathrm{The}^{\mathrm{Pb}_{3} \mathrm{Te}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{6} X_{2} \text { structure type can be described as being built up from }}$ ${ }^{2}\left[\mathrm{~Pb}_{3} \mathrm{Te}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{6}\right]^{2+}$ layers extending parallel to $(20 \overline{1})$ and $X$ anions between the layers. The tellurium atoms in the cationic layer are surrounded by four (Te1) and three (Te2) oxygen atoms in distorted tetrahedral ( Te 1 ) and trigonal-pyramidal ( Te 2 ) environments, respectively. Under an additional contribution of the lone electron pairs to the stereochemistry of the two $\mathrm{Te}^{\mathrm{IV}}$ atoms, the corresponding $\Psi$-oxopolyhedra can be considered as distorted $\mathrm{TeO}_{4} E$ square pyramids ( Te 1 ) and $\mathrm{TeO}_{3} E$ tetrahedra ( $E$ designates the lone electron pair). These kinds of $\mathrm{TeO}_{x}$ polyhedra are frequently observed for various oxotelluraTe ${ }^{\text {IV }}$ structures (Dolgikh, 1991; Zemann, 1971). The $\mathrm{Te} 1 \mathrm{O}_{4}$ group forms $\mathrm{Te}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{6}$ dimers via edge-sharing, whereas the $\mathrm{Te} 2 \mathrm{O}_{3}$ group is isolated in the layers. Both oxotelluraTe ${ }^{\mathrm{IV}}$ units are surrounded by lead atoms. Four O atoms are bonded to Pb 1 , five O atoms to Pb 2 and eight O atoms to Pb 3 . For both $\mathrm{Pb}_{3} \mathrm{Te}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{6} X_{2}$ structures the respective $\mathrm{Te}-\mathrm{O}$ and $\mathrm{Pb}-\mathrm{O}$ distances are very similar (Table 1). The main difference between the $\mathrm{Pb}_{3} \mathrm{Te}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{6} X_{2}$ structures pertains to the distances of the lead atoms to the $X$ atoms that are situated between the cationic layers. As expected, the $\mathrm{Pb}-X$ distances are about 0.1 to $0.15 \AA$ longer for the Br compound (Table 1). The layered character of the $\mathrm{Pb}_{3} \mathrm{Te}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{6} X_{2}$ structure type with alternating layers parallel to $(20 \overline{1})$ is also reflected by the differences of the lattice parameters for the Br and the Cl analogues. While the lengths of the $b$-axes are very similar (5.6813 (3) (Br) versus $5.6295(4) \AA(\mathrm{Cl})), a$ and $c$ differ notedly (16.9151 (9) versus 16.4417 (11) $\AA$, and 11.0623 (6) versus 10.8894 (7) $\AA$ ) due to the different ionic radii of $\mathrm{Br}^{-}$and $\mathrm{Cl}^{-}$. The coordination of the halogen atoms in the neighbouring anionic layer to the lead atoms augments the coordination polyhedra of Pb 1 and Pb 2 to an overall coordination of $\left[\mathrm{Pb}_{1} \mathrm{O}_{4} X_{4}\right],\left[\mathrm{Pb}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{5} X_{3}\right]$ and $\left[\mathrm{Pb} 3 \mathrm{O}_{8} X\right]$.

All $\mathrm{TeO}_{x}$ and $\mathrm{PbO}_{x} X_{y}$ polyhedra in the structure are highly irregular. The lone-pair electrons of both $\mathrm{Te}^{\mathrm{IV}}$ and $\mathrm{Pb}^{\mathrm{II}}$ atoms are stereochemically active and point towards the anionic halide layers (Fig. 1). Similar $\mathrm{TeO}_{x}$ and $\mathrm{PbO}_{x} X_{y}$ polyhedra are observed for the $\mathrm{Pb}_{3} \mathrm{TeO}_{4} X_{2}$ structures (Charkin et al., 2006) that show a lower $\mathrm{TeO}_{2}$ content in comparison with the $\mathrm{Pb}_{3} \mathrm{Te}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{6} X_{2}$ structures.

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## Experimental

All chemicals used were of analytical grade and employed without further purification. $1 \mathrm{mmol} \mathrm{PbBr}_{2}(0.367 \mathrm{~g})$ and 1 mmol $\mathrm{TeO}_{2}(0.160 \mathrm{~g})$ were placed in a Teflon inlay that was filled with a hydrous $\mathrm{NH}_{4} \mathrm{OH}$ solution $\left(10 \%{ }_{\mathrm{wt}}\right)$ to two-thirds of its volume. The inlay was placed in a steel autoclave and heated at 493 K for four weeks. The reaction product consisted of small colourless crystals of the title compound with rod-like habit and a maximum edge lengths of 0.2 mm . Experiments under similar conditions but with with $\mathrm{PbCl}_{2}$ instead of $\mathrm{PbBr}_{2}$ led to crystals of the isotypic compound $\mathrm{Pb}_{3} \mathrm{Te}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{6} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}$.

## Refinement

The structure was solved using direct methods. For better comparison with the isotypic structure of $\mathrm{Pb}_{3} \mathrm{Te}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{6} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}$ (Porter \& Halasyamani, 2003), the atomic coordinates of the Cl analogue were taken as starting parameters for refinement. The highest remaining peak in the final difference Fourier map is $0.80 \AA$ from Pb 2 and the deepest hole is $0.57 \AA$ from the same atom.

Lattice parameters of $\mathrm{Pb}_{3} \mathrm{Te}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{6} \mathrm{Br}_{2}$ based on the present single-crystal study agree reasonably well with those of the powder diffraction data provided by Porter \& Halasyamani (2003): $a=16.8911$ (8), $b=5.6804$ (2), $c=11.0418$ (5) $\AA$, $\beta$ $=104.253(2)^{\circ}$.

## Figures



Fig. 1. The crystal structure of $\mathrm{Pb}_{3} \mathrm{Te}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{6} \mathrm{Br}_{2}$ in projection along [010]. Te atoms are given as red, Pb as blue, O atoms as white and Br atoms as green ellipsoids at the $74 \%$ probability level.

## trilead(II) bis[telluraTe ${ }^{\mathrm{IV}}$ ] dibromide

| Crystal data |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\mathrm{Pb}_{3} \mathrm{Te}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{6} \mathrm{Br}_{2}$ | $F(000)=1872$ |
| $M_{r}=1132.59$ | $D_{\mathrm{x}}=7.295 \mathrm{Mg} \mathrm{m}^{-3}$ |
| Monoclinic, $C 2 / m$ | Mo Ka radiation, $\lambda=0.71073 \AA$ |
| Hall symbol: -C 2 y | Cell parameters from 4771 reflections |
| $a=16.9151(9) \AA$ | $\theta=2.5-32.2^{\circ}$ |
| $b=5.6813(3) \AA$ | $\mu=62.14 \mathrm{~mm}^{-1}$ |
| $c=11.0623(6) \AA$ | $T=296 \mathrm{~K}$ |
| $\beta=104.046(1)^{\circ}$ | Rod, colourless |
| $V=1031.3(1) \AA^{3}$ | $0.18 \times 0.10 \times 0.04 \mathrm{~mm}$ |
| $Z=4$ |  |

## Data collection

Bruker APEXII CCD
1371 independent reflections
diffractometer
Radiation source: fine-focus sealed tube
graphite
$\omega$ - and $\varphi$-scans
Absorption correction: numerical
(HABITUS; Herrendorf, 1997)
$T_{\text {min }}=0.06, T_{\text {max }}=0.41$
3758 measured reflections

1338 reflections with $I>2 \sigma(I)$
$R_{\text {int }}=0.030$
$\theta_{\text {max }}=27.9^{\circ}, \theta_{\text {min }}=1.9^{\circ}$
$h=-22 \rightarrow 15$
$k=-7 \rightarrow 7$
$l=-13 \rightarrow 14$

Primary atom site location: structure-invariant direct methods
Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier map
$w=1 /\left[\sigma^{2}\left(F_{\mathrm{o}}{ }^{2}\right)+(0.0166 P)^{2}+250.8836 P\right]$
where $P=\left(F_{\mathrm{o}}{ }^{2}+2 F_{\mathrm{c}}{ }^{2}\right) / 3$
$(\Delta / \sigma)_{\text {max }}<0.001$
$\Delta \rho_{\max }=7.41 \mathrm{e} \AA^{-3}$
$\Delta \rho_{\min }=-6.41$ e $\AA^{-3}$
Extinction correction: SHELXL97 (Sheldrick, 2008),
$\mathrm{Fc}^{*}=\mathrm{kFc}\left[1+0.001 \mathrm{xFc}^{2} \lambda^{3} / \sin (2 \theta)\right]^{-1 / 4}$
Extinction coefficient: 0.00021 (2)

## Special details

Geometry. All e.s.d.'s (except the e.s.d. in the dihedral angle between two 1.s. planes) are estimated using the full covariance matrix. The cell e.s.d.'s are taken into account individually in the estimation of e.s.d.'s in distances, angles and torsion angles; correlations between e.s.d.'s in cell parameters are only used when they are defined by crystal symmetry. An approximate (isotropic) treatment of cell e.s.d.'s is used for estimating e.s.d.'s involving 1.s. planes.
Refinement. Refinement of $F^{2}$ against ALL reflections. The weighted $R$-factor $w R$ and goodness of fit $S$ are based on $F^{2}$, conventional $R$-factors $R$ are based on $F$, with $F$ set to zero for negative $F^{2}$. The threshold expression of $F^{2}>\sigma\left(F^{2}\right)$ is used only for calculating $R$ factors(gt) etc. and is not relevant to the choice of reflections for refinement. $R$-factors based on $F^{2}$ are statistically about twice as large as those based on $F$, and $R$ - factors based on ALL data will be even larger.

Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ( $A^{2}$ )

|  | $x$ | $y$ | $z$ | $U_{\text {iso }}{ }^{*} / U_{\text {eq }}$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Pb 1 | $0.26158(6)$ | 0.0000 | $0.21028(8)$ | $0.0178(2)$ |
| Pb 2 | $0.02616(6)$ | 0.0000 | $0.19788(9)$ | $0.0250(3)$ |
| Pb 3 | $0.16368(6)$ | 0.5000 | $0.39320(8)$ | $0.0217(3)$ |
| Te 1 | $0.10510(10)$ | 0.5000 | $0.04764(16)$ | $0.0233(4)$ |
| Te 2 | $0.37019(9)$ | 0.5000 | $0.41467(14)$ | $0.0141(3)$ |
| Br 1 | $0.31858(15)$ | 0.5000 | $0.0993(2)$ | $0.0205(5)$ |
| Br 2 | $-0.03969(16)$ | 0.5000 | $0.3103(3)$ | $0.0313(6)$ |
| O 1 | $0.1315(8)$ | $0.263(3)$ | $0.1840(11)$ | $0.028(3)$ |
| O 2 | 0.0000 | $0.294(5)$ | 0.0000 | $0.059(7)$ |
| O 3 | $0.3884(15)$ | 0.5000 | $0.5887(17)$ | $0.040(5)$ |

0.3877 (10) 0.017 (2)

## Atomic displacement parameters $\left(\AA^{2}\right)$

|  | $U^{11}$ | $U^{22}$ | $U^{33}$ | $U^{12}$ | $U^{13}$ | $U^{23}$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Pb 1 | $0.0224(5)$ | $0.0150(4)$ | $0.0161(4)$ | 0.000 | $0.0048(3)$ | 0.000 |
| Pb 2 | $0.0258(5)$ | $0.0204(5)$ | $0.0253(5)$ | 0.000 | $-0.0004(4)$ | 0.000 |
| Pb 3 | $0.0190(4)$ | $0.0261(5)$ | $0.0191(4)$ | 0.000 | $0.0026(3)$ | 0.000 |
| Te 1 | $0.0224(8)$ | $0.0186(8)$ | $0.0236(8)$ | 0.000 | $-0.0046(6)$ | 0.000 |
| Te 2 | $0.0117(6)$ | $0.0124(7)$ | $0.0177(7)$ | 0.000 | $0.0025(5)$ | 0.000 |
| Br 1 | $0.0208(11)$ | $0.0220(11)$ | $0.0183(11)$ | 0.000 | $0.0039(9)$ | 0.000 |
| Br 2 | $0.0202(12)$ | $0.0236(13)$ | $0.0525(18)$ | 0.000 | $0.0131(12)$ | 0.000 |
| O 1 | $0.032(7)$ | $0.026(7)$ | $0.023(6)$ | $-0.010(6)$ | $0.005(5)$ | $0.002(5)$ |
| O 2 | $0.031(11)$ | $0.062(18)$ | $0.09(2)$ | 0.000 | $0.028(13)$ | 0.000 |
| O 3 | $0.051(13)$ | $0.046(14)$ | $0.011(8)$ | 0.000 | $-0.014(8)$ | 0.000 |
| O 4 | $0.019(5)$ | $0.016(6)$ | $0.018(5)$ | $-0.007(5)$ | $0.009(4)$ | $-0.001(4)$ |

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

| $\mathrm{Pb} 1-\mathrm{O} 4$ | 2.415 (11) |
| :---: | :---: |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 1-\mathrm{O} 4{ }^{\text {i }}$ | 2.415 (11) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 1-\mathrm{O} 1^{\text {i }}$ | 2.617 (14) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 1-\mathrm{O} 1$ | 2.617 (14) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 1-\mathrm{Br} 2^{\text {ii }}$ | 3.274 (3) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 1-\mathrm{Br} 1^{\text {iii }}$ | 3.3287 (13) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 1-\mathrm{Br} 1$ | 3.3287 (13) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 1-\mathrm{Br} 1^{\text {iv }}$ | 3.364 (3) |
| Pb2-O1 | 2.360 (13) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 2-\mathrm{O} 1^{\text {i }}$ | 2.360 (13) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 2-\mathrm{O} 3^{\text {v }}$ | 2.451 (18) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 2-\mathrm{O} 2^{\text {vi }}$ | 2.704 (19) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 2-\mathrm{O} 2$ | 2.704 (19) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 2-\mathrm{Br} 2$ | 3.3955 (17) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 2-\mathrm{Br} 2^{\text {iii }}$ | 3.3955 (17) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 2-\mathrm{Br} 1^{\text {vii }}$ | 3.415 (3) |
| $\mathrm{O} 4-\mathrm{Pb} 1-\mathrm{O} 4^{\mathrm{i}}$ | 76.0 (5) |
| $\mathrm{O} 4-\mathrm{Pb} 1-\mathrm{O} 1^{\text {i }}$ | 116.3 (4) |
| $\mathrm{O} 4{ }^{\mathrm{i}}-\mathrm{Pb} 1-\mathrm{O} 1^{\mathrm{i}}$ | 74.9 (4) |
| $\mathrm{O} 4-\mathrm{Pbl}-\mathrm{O} 1$ | 74.9 (4) |
| $\mathrm{O} 4{ }^{\mathrm{i}}-\mathrm{Pb} 1-\mathrm{O} 1$ | 116.3 (4) |
| $\mathrm{O} 1{ }^{\mathrm{i}}-\mathrm{Pb} 1-\mathrm{O} 1$ | 69.7 (6) |
| $\mathrm{O} 1-\mathrm{Pb} 2-\mathrm{O} 1^{\text {i }}$ | 78.6 (7) |
| $\mathrm{O} 1-\mathrm{Pb} 2-\mathrm{O}^{\text {v }}$ | 77.6 (5) |
| $\mathrm{O} 1^{\mathrm{i}}-\mathrm{Pb} 2-\mathrm{O}^{\text {v }}$ | 77.6 (5) |


| $\mathrm{Pb} 3-\mathrm{O} 4{ }^{\text {viii }}$ | 2.555 (12) |
| :---: | :---: |
| Pb3-O4 | 2.555 (12) |
| Pb3-O1 | 2.617 (13) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 3-\mathrm{O} 1^{\text {viii }}$ | 2.617 (13) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 3-\mathrm{O} 4^{\text {ix }}$ | 2.788 (11) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 3-\mathrm{O} 4^{\text {v }}$ | 2.788 (11) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 3-\mathrm{O}^{\text {v }}$ | 2.995 (8) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 3-\mathrm{O}^{\text {x }}$ | 2.995 (8) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 3-\mathrm{Te} 2$ | 3.4432 (17) |
| Te1-O1 ${ }^{\text {viii }}$ | 1.989 (13) |
| Te1-O1 | 1.989 (13) |
| Te1-O2 | 2.085 (17) |
| $\mathrm{Te}-\mathrm{O}^{\text {xi }}$ | 2.085 (17) |
| Te2-O3 | 1.874 (19) |
| Te2-O4 | 1.879 (11) |
| $\mathrm{Te} 2-\mathrm{O} 4{ }^{\text {viii }}$ | 1.879 (11) |
| $\mathrm{O} 1-\mathrm{Te} 1-\mathrm{O} 2$ | 80.4 (6) |
| $\mathrm{O} 1^{\text {viii }}-\mathrm{Te} 1-\mathrm{O} 2^{\mathrm{xi}}$ | 80.4 (6) |
| $\mathrm{O} 1-\mathrm{Te} 1-\mathrm{O} 2^{\text {xi }}$ | 126.3 (5) |
| $\mathrm{O} 2-\mathrm{Te} 1-\mathrm{O} 2^{\text {xi }}$ | 68.2 (14) |
| $\mathrm{O} 3-\mathrm{Te} 2-\mathrm{O} 4$ | 95.5 (6) |
| $\mathrm{O} 3-\mathrm{Te} 2-\mathrm{O} 4{ }^{\text {viii }}$ | 95.5 (6) |
| $\mathrm{O} 4-\mathrm{Te} 2-\mathrm{O} 4{ }^{\text {viii }}$ | 92.3 (7) |
| $\mathrm{Te} 1-\mathrm{O} 1-\mathrm{Pb} 2$ | 116.3 (6) |
| Te1—O1—Pb1 | 119.9 (6) |

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| $\mathrm{O} 1-\mathrm{Pb} 2-\mathrm{O} 2^{\text {vi }}$ | 108.5 (4) | $\mathrm{Pb} 2-\mathrm{O} 1-\mathrm{Pb} 1$ | 105.0 (5) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\mathrm{O} 1^{\mathrm{i}}-\mathrm{Pb} 2-\mathrm{O} 2^{\mathrm{vi}}$ | 62.2 (4) | Te1-O1-Pb3 | 106.4 (6) |
| $\mathrm{O} 3{ }^{\mathrm{v}}-\mathrm{Pb} 2-\mathrm{O} 2^{\mathrm{vi}}$ | 136.2 (5) | $\mathrm{Pb} 2-\mathrm{O} 1-\mathrm{Pb} 3$ | 105.4 (5) |
| $\mathrm{O} 1-\mathrm{Pb} 2-\mathrm{O} 2$ | 62.2 (4) | $\mathrm{Pb} 1-\mathrm{O} 1-\mathrm{Pb} 3$ | 101.9 (4) |
| $\mathrm{O} 1-\mathrm{Pb} 2-\mathrm{O} 2$ | 108.5 (4) | $\mathrm{Te} 1-\mathrm{O} 2-\mathrm{Te} 1^{\mathrm{xi}}$ | 111.8 (14) |
| $\mathrm{O} 3{ }^{\mathrm{v}}-\mathrm{Pb} 2-\mathrm{O} 2$ | 136.2 (5) | $\mathrm{Te} 1-\mathrm{O} 2-\mathrm{Pb} 2^{\mathrm{vi}}$ | 120.87 (15) |
| $\mathrm{O} 2{ }^{\text {vi }}-\mathrm{Pb} 2-\mathrm{O} 2$ | 76.4 (10) | $\mathrm{Te} 1^{\mathrm{xi}}-\mathrm{O} 2-\mathrm{Pb} 2{ }^{\text {vi }}$ | 100.36 (16) |
| $\mathrm{O} 4^{\text {viii }}$ - $\mathrm{Pb} 3-\mathrm{O} 4$ | 64.0 (5) | $\mathrm{Te} 1-\mathrm{O} 2-\mathrm{Pb} 2$ | 100.36 (16) |
| $\mathrm{O} 4{ }^{\text {viii }}-\mathrm{Pb} 3-\mathrm{O} 1$ | 104.3 (4) | $\mathrm{Te} 1^{\mathrm{xi}}-\mathrm{O} 2-\mathrm{Pb} 2$ | 120.87 (15) |
| $\mathrm{O} 4-\mathrm{Pb} 3-\mathrm{O} 1$ | 72.7 (4) | $\mathrm{Pb} 2{ }^{\text {vi }}-\mathrm{O} 2-\mathrm{Pb} 2$ | 103.6 (10) |
| $\mathrm{O} 4^{\text {viii }} \mathrm{Pb} 3-\mathrm{O} 1^{\text {viii }}$ | 72.7 (4) | $\mathrm{Te} 2-\mathrm{O} 3-\mathrm{Pb} 2^{\text {v }}$ | 154.3 (13) |
| $\mathrm{O} 4-\mathrm{Pb} 3-\mathrm{O} 1^{\text {viii }}$ | 104.3 (4) | $\mathrm{Te} 2-\mathrm{O} 4-\mathrm{Pb} 1$ | 124.8 (5) |
| $\mathrm{O} 1-\mathrm{Pb} 3-\mathrm{O} 1^{\text {viii }}$ | 61.9 (6) | Te2-O4-Pb3 | 100.8 (5) |
| $\mathrm{O} 1^{\text {viii }}$-Te1-O1 | 85.1 (8) | $\mathrm{Pb} 1-\mathrm{O} 4-\mathrm{Pb} 3$ | 109.7 (4) |
| $\mathrm{O} 1{ }^{\text {viii }}$-Te1-O2 | 126.3 (5) |  |  |

Symmetry codes: (i) $x,-y, z$; (ii) $x+1 / 2, y-1 / 2, z$; (iii) $x, y-1, z$; (iv) $-x+1 / 2,-y+1 / 2,-z$; (v) $-x+1 / 2,-y+1 / 2,-z+1$; (vi) $-x,-y,-z$; (vii) $x-1 / 2, y-1 / 2, z$; (viii) $x,-y+1, z$; (ix) $-x+1 / 2, y+1 / 2,-z+1$; (x) $-x+1 / 2,-y+3 / 2,-z+1$; (xi) $-x,-y+1,-z$.

Table 1
Comparative geometrical parameters ( $\AA$ ) for selected bond lengths in $\mathrm{Pb}_{3} \mathrm{Te}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{6} \mathrm{X}_{2}$ compounds ( $X=\mathrm{Br}, \mathrm{Cl}$ )

| Distance | $X=\mathrm{Br}$ (this work) | $X=\mathrm{Cl}$ (Porter \& Halasyamani, 2003) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 1-\mathrm{O} 4$ | 2.415 (11) | 2.447 (15) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 1-\mathrm{O} 1$ | 2.617 (14) | 2.586 (14) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 1-\mathrm{X} 2^{\mathrm{i}}$ | 3.274 (3) | 3.176 (12) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 1-X 1$ | 3.3287 (13) | 3.237 (12) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 1-X 1^{\text {ii }}$ | 3.364 (3) | 3.247 (12) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 2-\mathrm{O} 1$ | 2.360 (13) | 2.374 (14) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 2-\mathrm{O} 3{ }^{\text {iii }}$ | 2.451 (18) | 2.48 (2) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 2-\mathrm{O} 2$ | 2.704 (19) | 2.677 (13) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 2-\mathrm{X} 2$ | 3.3955 (17) | 3.270 (12) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 2-X 1^{\text {iv }}$ | 3.415 (3) | 3.276 (13) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 3-\mathrm{O} 4$ | 2.555 (12) | 2.544 (16) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 3-\mathrm{O} 1$ | 2.617 (13) | 2.600 (14) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 3-\mathrm{O} 4^{v}$ | 2.788 (11) | 2.777 (17) |
| $\mathrm{Pb} 3-\mathrm{O} 3{ }^{\text {iii }}$ | 2.995 (8) | 2.986 (16) |
| Pb3-X2 | 3.338 (21) | 3.244 (12) |
| Te1-O1 | 1.989 (13) | 1.938 (13) |
| Te1-O2 | 2.085 (17) | 2.044 (12) |
| Te2-O3 | 1.874 (19) | 1.84 (2) |
| Te2-O4 | 1.879 (11) | 1.861 (16) |

Symmetry codes: (i) $x+1 / 2, y-1 / 2$, $z$; (ii) $-x+1 / 2,-y+1 / 2,-z$; (iii) $-x+1 / 2,-y+1 / 2,-z+1$; (iv) $x-1 / 2, y-1 / 2, z$; (v) $-x+1 / 2, y+1 / 2,-z+1$.

Fig. 1


