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# trans-Diaguabis[2-(2-pyridyl)acetato- $\kappa^2 N.O$ inickel(II)

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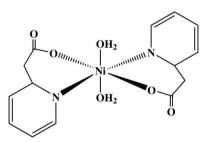
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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; T = 293 K; mean  $\sigma$ (C–C) = 0.002 Å; R factor = 0.023; wR factor = 0.067; data-to-parameter ratio = 14.3.

In the centrosymmetric title complex,  $[Ni(C_7H_6NO_2)_2(H_2O)_2]$ , the Ni<sup>II</sup> atom, located on an inversion center, is sixcoordinated in a distorted octahedral geometry defined by two N and four O atoms from the two chelating 2-(2pyridyl)acetate ligands and two aqua ligands. The molecules form a three-dimensional framework by  $O-H \cdots O$  hydrogen bonds and aromatic  $\pi$ - $\pi$  stacking interactions, with a centroid-centroid distance of 3.506 (3) Å.

#### **Related literature**

For similar structures, see: Faure & Loiseleur (1972, 1975).



#### **Experimental**

Crystal data [Ni(C7H6NO2)2(H2O)2]  $M_r = 367.00$ Monoclinic,  $P2_1/n$ a = 8.3346 (12) Åb = 7.100 (1) Å c = 12.1023 (18) Å  $\beta = 102.977 (2)^{\circ}$ 

 $V = 697.87 (17) \text{ Å}^3$ Z = 2Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation  $\mu = 1.43 \text{ mm}^-$ T = 293 K $0.22\,\times\,0.15\,\times\,0.11$  mm

#### Data collection

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Bruker APEXII 1K CCD area-
  detector diffractometer
Absorption correction: multi-scan
  (SADABS; Bruker, 2004)
  T_{\rm min} = 0.774, \ T_{\rm max} = 0.855
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#### Refinement

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$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.023$	H atoms treated by a mixture of
$wR(F^2) = 0.067$	independent and constrained
S = 1.00	refinement
1627 reflections	$\Delta \rho_{\rm max} = 0.34 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$
114 parameters	$\Delta \rho_{\rm min} = -0.20 \ {\rm e} \ {\rm \AA}^{-3}$

4515 measured reflections

 $R_{\rm int} = 0.017$ 

1627 independent reflections

1471 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$ 

#### Table 1

Selected geometric parameters (Å, °).

Ni1-O2 Ni1-N1	2.0397 (10) 2.0789 (13)	Ni1-O1W	2.1228 (11)
$O2^i - Ni1 - N1^i$	88.90 (4)	N1-Ni1-O1W	91.70 (5)
O2 <sup>i</sup> -Ni1-N1	91.10 (4)	$O2^{i} - Ni1 - O1W^{i}$	85.47 (5)
N1 <sup>i</sup> -Ni1-N1	180	$N1-Ni1-O1W^{i}$	88.30 (5)
$O2^{i}-Ni1-O1W$	94.53 (4)	O1W-Ni1-O1W <sup>i</sup>	180

Symmetry code: (i) -x + 2, -y + 2, -z.

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

$D - H \cdots A$	<i>D</i> -H	$H \cdot \cdot \cdot A$	$D \cdots A$	$D - \mathbf{H} \cdots A$
$O1W-H1WA\cdots O1^{ii}$	0.84 (2)	1.97 (2)	2.8035 (17)	169.7 (19)
$O1W-H1WB\cdots O1^{iii}$	0.87 (3)	1.93 (3)	2.7936 (17)	169 (2)

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

Data collection: APEX2 (Bruker, 2004); cell refinement: SAINT (Bruker, 2004); 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: SHELXTL.

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# *trans*-Diaquabis[2-(2-pyridyl)acetato- $\kappa^2 N$ ,O]nickel(II)

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#### Comment

(2-Pyridinyl)acetic acid is a common ligand. Here we report the synthesis of  $[Ni(C_5H_4NCH_2CO_2)_2(H_2O)_2]$ , in which the Ni(II) ion coordination environment is the same as in  $[Zn(C_5H_4NCH_2CO_2)_2(H_2O)_2]$  reported earlier (Faure & Loiseleur, 1972). The Zn and Ni complexes show a high degree of isostructurality.

As shown in Fig. 1, the Ni(II) coordination geometry can be considered as a distorted octahedral with N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub> donor set. Due to a special position of Ni(II), the complex molecule is centrosymmetric. The atoms N1, O2, N1<sup>i</sup>, O2<sup>i</sup> (symmetry code i: -x + 2, -y + 2, -z) from the (2-pyridinyl)acetate ligand are located in the equatorial plane, while O1W and O1W<sup>i</sup> are in the axial positions. In the title complex the (2-pyridinyl)acetate anion acts as a chelating bidentate ligand.

Two kinds of intermolecular O—H···O hydrogen bonds (Table 1) were found which link the neighboring molecules into two dimensional layers parallel to the *ab* plane. The two-dimensional layers are assembled *via* weak aromatic  $\pi$ - $\pi$  stacking interactions into three-dimensional network with a centroid-to-centroid distance of 3.506 (3) Å.

#### **Experimental**

All the chemicals and solvents used for the syntheses were of reagent grade and used without further purification. Ni(CH<sub>3</sub>COO)<sub>2</sub>.4H<sub>2</sub>O (24.88 mg, 0.1 mmol) was dissolved in 5 ml of H<sub>2</sub>O, while (2-pyridinyl)acetic acid (27.4 mg, 0.2 mmol) was dissolved in 5 ml of methanol at room temperature. The mixture was stirred for one hour. Pale-green single crystals of the title compound suitable for X-ray analysis were obtained by slow evaporation at room temperature for two weeks.

#### Refinement

The H atoms bonded to O1W atoms were located in a difference Fourier map and fully refined (positional and isotropic displacement parameters ). Other H atoms were calculated geometrically with C-H distances of 0.93-0.97 Å and were allowed to ride on the C atoms to which they were bonded with  $U_{iso}(H) = 1.2U_{eq}(C)$ .

**Figures** 

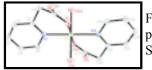


Fig. 1. The molecular structure of the title complex with the atom-numbering scheme. Displacement ellipsoids are drawn at the 30% probability level. H-atoms have been omitted. Symmetry code for the atoms with the A label: 2-x, 2-y, -z.

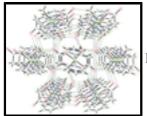


Fig. 2. Crystal packing diagram with hydrogen bonds shown by dashed lines.

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Crystal data	
[Ni(C <sub>7</sub> H <sub>6</sub> NO <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> (H <sub>2</sub> O) <sub>2</sub> ]	F(000) = 380
$M_r = 367.00$	$D_{\rm x} = 1.746 {\rm ~Mg~m}^{-3}$
Monoclinic, $P2_1/n$	Mo K $\alpha$ radiation, $\lambda = 0.71073$ Å
Hall symbol: -P 2yn	Cell parameters from 804 reflections
<i>a</i> = 8.3346 (12) Å	$\theta = 3.1 - 27.8^{\circ}$
b = 7.100 (1)  Å	$\mu = 1.43 \text{ mm}^{-1}$
c = 12.1023 (18)  Å	T = 293  K
$\beta = 102.977 \ (2)^{\circ}$	Block, pale-green
$V = 697.87 (17) \text{ Å}^3$	$0.22\times0.15\times0.11~mm$
Z = 2	

#### Data collection

1627 independent reflections
1471 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
$R_{\rm int} = 0.017$
$\theta_{\text{max}} = 28.2^{\circ}, \ \theta_{\text{min}} = 2.7^{\circ}$
$h = -10 \rightarrow 11$
$k = -8 \longrightarrow 9$
$l = -16 \rightarrow 15$

## Refinement

Refinement on $F^2$	Primary atom site location: structure-invariant direct methods
Least-squares matrix: full	Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier map
$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.023$	Hydrogen site location: inferred from neighbouring sites
$wR(F^2) = 0.067$	H atoms treated by a mixture of independent and constrained refinement
<i>S</i> = 1.00	$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0413P)^2 + 0.1727P]$ where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
1627 reflections	$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\rm max} < 0.001$
114 parameters	$\Delta \rho_{max} = 0.34 \text{ e} \text{ Å}^{-3}$

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0 restraints

 $\Delta \rho_{min} = -0.20 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$ 

#### Special details

**Experimental**. Refinement of  $F^2$  against ALL reflections. The weighted *R*-factor *wR* 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  $F^2 > 2$ sigma( $F^2$ ) 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.

**Geometry**. All e.s.d.'s (except the e.s.d. in the dihedral angle between two l.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 l.s. planes.

	x	У	Ζ	$U_{\rm iso}*/U_{\rm eq}$
Ni1	1.0000	1.0000	0.0000	0.01966 (10)
01	0.73292 (15)	0.53276 (15)	-0.14497 (10)	0.0320 (3)
O1W	0.87262 (14)	1.17222 (17)	-0.13481 (9)	0.0315 (2)
H1WA	0.820 (2)	1.274 (3)	-0.1354 (18)	0.046 (6)*
H1WB	0.838 (3)	1.115 (4)	-0.199 (2)	0.072 (7)*
O2	0.89799 (12)	0.77910 (14)	-0.09898 (9)	0.0275 (2)
N1	0.79922 (16)	0.99744 (14)	0.07548 (10)	0.0221 (3)
C1	0.70767 (17)	0.8430 (2)	0.08078 (11)	0.0238 (3)
C2	0.56827 (18)	0.8517 (2)	0.12662 (12)	0.0302 (3)
H2A	0.5061	0.7438	0.1297	0.036*
C3	0.5230 (2)	1.0201 (2)	0.16721 (14)	0.0331 (4)
H3A	0.4307	1.0270	0.1983	0.040*
C4	0.61676 (17)	1.1788 (2)	0.16100 (13)	0.0313 (3)
H4A	0.5885	1.2946	0.1871	0.038*
C5	0.75331 (17)	1.1610 (2)	0.11506 (12)	0.0272 (3)
H5A	0.8168	1.2676	0.1113	0.033*
C6	0.76151 (18)	0.6580 (2)	0.04071 (12)	0.0277 (3)
H6A	0.6757	0.5660	0.0412	0.033*
H6B	0.8592	0.6165	0.0950	0.033*
C7	0.79960 (16)	0.65785 (18)	-0.07716 (11)	0.0229 (3)

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

Atomic displacement parameters (	$(Å^2)$	
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	$U^{11}$	$U^{22}$	$U^{33}$	$U^{12}$	$U^{13}$	$U^{23}$
Ni1	0.02185 (15)	0.01823 (15)	0.01945 (15)	-0.00105 (8)	0.00579 (10)	-0.00173 (8)
O1	0.0420 (7)	0.0236 (5)	0.0281 (6)	-0.0050 (4)	0.0029 (5)	-0.0058 (4)
O1W	0.0397 (6)	0.0257 (6)	0.0263 (6)	0.0069 (5)	0.0012 (5)	0.0001 (4)
O2	0.0320 (5)	0.0251 (5)	0.0268 (5)	-0.0052 (4)	0.0099 (4)	-0.0056 (4)
N1	0.0236 (6)	0.0223 (6)	0.0203 (6)	0.0003 (4)	0.0049 (5)	-0.0012 (4)
C1	0.0261 (7)	0.0270 (8)	0.0173 (6)	-0.0018 (5)	0.0030 (5)	0.0007 (5)
C2	0.0271 (7)	0.0385 (9)	0.0247 (7)	-0.0067 (6)	0.0055 (6)	0.0014 (6)

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C3	0.0244 (7)	0.0487 (10)	0.0276 (8)	0.0015 (6)	0.0087 (6)	-0.0019 (6)
C4	0.0297 (7)	0.0367 (8)	0.0274 (7)	0.0063 (6)	0.0064 (6)	-0.0068 (6)
C5	0.0284 (7)	0.0251 (7)	0.0279 (7)	0.0006 (6)	0.0060 (6)	-0.0037 (6)
C6	0.0360 (8)	0.0212 (7)	0.0265 (7)	-0.0050 (6)	0.0082 (6)	0.0008 (5)
C7	0.0255 (6)	0.0179 (7)	0.0240 (6)	0.0035 (5)	0.0028 (5)	-0.0009 (5)
Geometric part	ameters (Å, °)					
Ni1—O2		2.0397 (10)	C2—	-C3	1.3	78 (2)
Ni1—N1		2.0789 (13)	C2—	-H2A	0.9	300
Ni1—O1W		2.1228 (11)	С3—	-C4	1.3	83 (2)
O1—C7		1.2515 (17)	С3—	-H3A	0.9	300
O1W—H1WA		0.84 (2)	C4—	-C5	1.3	80 (2)
O1W—H1WB		0.87 (3)	C4—	-H4A	0.9	300
O2—C7		1.2572 (17)	С5—	-H5A	0.9	300
N1—C5		1.3444 (17)	С6—	-C7	1.5	294 (19)
N1—C1		1.3454 (17)	С6—	-H6A	0.9	700
C1—C2		1.397 (2)	C6—	-H6B	0.9	700
C1—C6		1.503 (2)				
O2 <sup>i</sup> —Ni1—N1 <sup>i</sup>		88.90 (4)	C1—	-C2—H2A	120	0.0
O2 <sup>i</sup> —Ni1—N1		91.10 (4)	C2—	-C3—C4	118	3.97 (15)
N1 <sup>i</sup> —Ni1—N1		180	C2—	-C3—H3A	120	).5
O2 <sup>i</sup> —Ni1—O1V	N	94.53 (4)	C4—	-С3—НЗА	120	).5
N1—Ni1—O1W	V	91.70 (5)	С5—	-C4—C3	118	3.35 (14)
O2 <sup>i</sup> —Ni1—O1V	W <sup>i</sup>	85.47 (5)	C5—	-C4—H4A	120	).8
N1—Ni1—O1W	V <sup>i</sup>	88.30 (5)	С3—	-C4—H4A	120	).8
O1W—Ni1—O	1W <sup>i</sup>	180	N1—	-C5—C4	123	3.29 (14)
Ni1—O1W—H	1WA	132.0 (14)	N1—	-C5—H5A	118	3.4
Ni1—O1W—H	1WB	115.2 (17)	C4—	-C5—H5A	118	3.4
H1WA—O1W-	-H1WB	109 (2)	C1—	-C6—C7	116	5.18 (11)
C5—N1—C1		118.50 (13)	C1—	-C6—H6A	108	3.2
C5—N1—Ni1		118.07 (9)	С7—	-C6—H6A	108	3.2
C1—N1—Ni1		123.31 (9)	C1—	-С6—Н6В	108	3.2
N1-C1-C2		120.96 (13)	С7—	-C6—H6B	108	3.2
N1—C1—C6		118.88 (12)	H6A-	—С6—Н6В	107	7.4
C2—C1—C6		120.11 (13)	01—	-C7—O2		4.25 (13)
C3—C2—C1		119.92 (14)	01—	-C7—C6	117	7.23 (12)
C3—C2—H2A		120.0	02—	-C7—C6	118	3.50 (12)
Symmetry codes	s: (i) $-x+2, -y+2, -y+$	-Z.				

## *Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °)*

D—H···A	<i>D</i> —Н	$H \cdots A$	$D \cdots A$	D—H···A	
O1W—H1WA···O1 <sup>ii</sup>	0.84 (2)	1.97 (2)	2.8035 (17)	169.7 (19)	
O1W—H1WB…O1 <sup>iii</sup>	0.87 (3)	1.93 (3)	2.7936 (17)	169 (2)	
Symmetry codes: (ii) $x, y+1, z$ ; (iii) $-x+3/2, y+1/2, -z-1/2$ .					

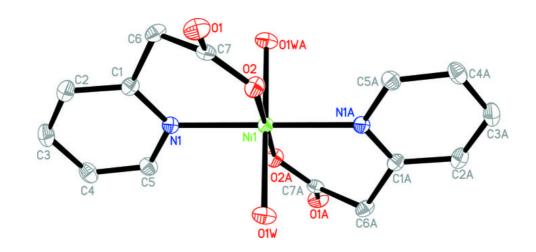


Fig. 1



