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# catena-Poly[[bis(3-acetylpyridine- $\kappa N$ )-cadmium]-di- $\mu$ -selenocyanato- $\kappa^2 N$ :Se; $\kappa^2 S$ e:N]

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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; T = 293 K; mean  $\sigma(C-C) = 0.005$  Å; R factor = 0.031; wR factor = 0.061; data-to-parameter ratio = 21.0.

In the crystal structure of the title compound,  $[Cd(NCSe)_2-(C_7H_7NO)_2]_n$ , the  $Cd^{2+}$  cation is coordinated by two 3-acetylpyridine ligands and four  $\mu$ -1,3-bridging selenocyanate anions within a slightly distorted  $CdN_4Se_2$  octahedron. The asymmetric units consists of one  $Cd^{2+}$  cation, which is situated on a center of inversion, as well as one selenocyanate anion and one 3-acetylpyridine ligand in general positions. The metal cations are  $\mu$ -1,3-bridged via the selenocyanate anions into chains along the a axis.

#### **Related literature**

For general background information including details on thermal decomposition reactions and magnetic properties of the precursor and  $\mu$ -1,3 bridging compounds, see: Näther & Greve (2003); Boeckmann & Näther (2010, 2011); Wöhlert *et al.* (2011). For a description of the Cambridge Structural Database, see: Allen (2002).

#### **Experimental**

Crystal data

[Cd(NCSe)<sub>2</sub>( $C_7H_7NO$ )<sub>2</sub>] V = 972.05 (9) Å<sup>3</sup> Z = 2 Monoclinic,  $P2_1/c$  Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation  $\alpha = 5.9447$  (3) Å  $\mu = 4.88 \text{ mm}^{-1}$  D = 18.7233 (10) Å D = 18.7233 (

Data collection

Refinement

 $\begin{array}{ll} R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.031 & 117 \ {\rm parameters} \\ WR(F^2) = 0.061 & {\rm H-atom\ parameters\ constrained} \\ S = 1.13 & \Delta\rho_{\rm max} = 0.47\ {\rm e\ \mathring{A}^{-3}} \\ 2458\ {\rm reflections} & \Delta\rho_{\rm min} = -0.47\ {\rm e\ \mathring{A}^{-3}} \end{array}$ 

Data collection: *X-AREA* (Stoe & Cie, 2008); cell refinement: *X-AREA*; data reduction: *X-AREA*; program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 2008); molecular graphics: *XP* (Sheldrick, 2008) and *DIAMOND* (Brandenburg, 2011); software used to prepare material for publication: *publCIF* (Westrip, 2010).

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#### Comment

The title compound was prepared within a project on the synthesis and the magnetic properties of paramagnetic transition metal thio- and selenocyanato coordination polymers in which the metal cations are  $\mu$ -1,3 bridged by the anionic ligands (Näther & Greve, 2003, Boeckmann & Näther, 2010, 2011 and Wöhlert *et al.*, 2011). In this context, also the corresponding compounds based on diamagnetic cadmium are of interest, because they are structural analogs of the paramagnetic compounds. In the course of systematic investigations crystals of the title compound were prepared and characterized by single crystal X-ray diffraction.

In the crystal structure of the title compound, the cadmium(II) cations each are coordinated by two nitrogen atoms of two terminal N-bonded 3-acetylpyridine and two nitrogen and two selenium atoms of  $\mu$ -1,3 bridging selenocyanato anions (Fig. 1). The coordination polyhedron of the Cd cations can be described as a slightly distorted octahedra with the Cd cation located on a centre of inversion.

The Cd<sup>2+</sup> cations are  $\mu$ -1,3 bridged by selenocyanato anions into chains, which elongate in the direction of the crystallographic a axis (Fig. 2). The Cd···Cd intrachain distance amounts to 5.9447 (3) Å and the shortest interchain Cd···Cd distance amounts to 8.7548 (5) Å. It must be noted that according to a search in the CCDC database (ConQuest Ver.1.14.2012) (Allen, 2002) coordination compounds based on metal selenocyanates and 3-acetylpyridine are unknown.

#### **Experimental**

Potassium selenocyanate and 3-acetylpyridine were purchased from Alfa Aesar,  $Cd(NO_3)_2.4H_2O$  were obtained from Merck. The title compound was prepared by the reaction of 77.1 mg  $Cd(NO_3)_2.4H_2O$  (0.25 mmol), 64.8 mg KSeCN (0.45 mmol) and 109  $\mu$ L 3-acetylpyridine (1.00 mmol) in 1.5 mL  $H_2O$  at RT in a closed 3 ml snap cap vial. After several days colourless needles of the title compound were obtained.

#### Refinement

H atoms were positioned with idealized geometry (methyl H atoms allowed to rotate but not to tip) and were refined isotropically with  $U_{iso}(H) = 1.2 U_{eq}(C)$  for aromatic H atoms (1.5 for methyl H atoms) using a riding model with C—H = 0.93 Å (aromatic) and with C—H = 0.96 Å (methyl).

#### **Computing details**

Data collection: *X-AREA* (Stoe & Cie, 2008); cell refinement: *X-AREA* (Stoe & Cie, 2008); data reduction: *X-AREA* (Stoe & Cie, 2008); program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 2008); molecular graphics: *XP* (Sheldrick, 2008) and *DIAMOND* (Brandenburg, 2011); software used to prepare material for publication: *publCIF* (Westrip, 2010).

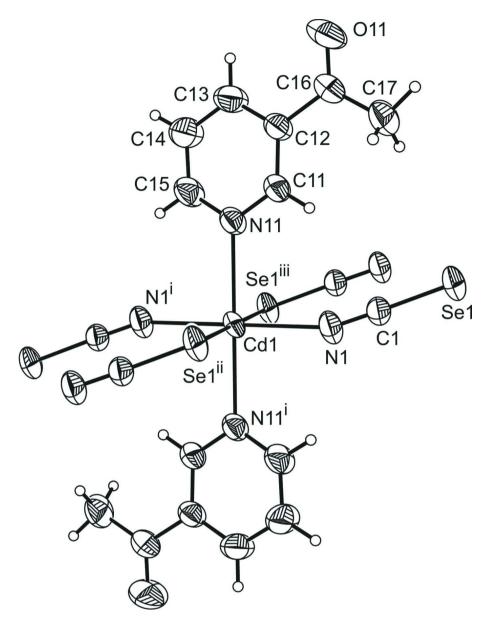


Figure 1 Crystal structure of the title compound with labelling and displacement ellipsoids drawn at the 50% probability level. Symmetry code: i = -x, -y+1, -z, ii = x-1, y, z, iii = -x+1, -y+1, -z

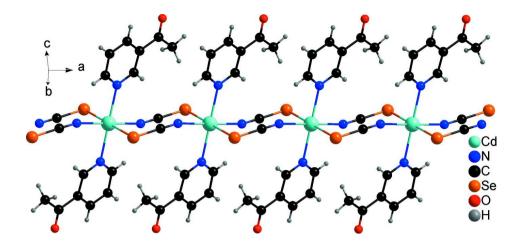


Figure 2

Crystal structure of the title compound with view of the chains that elongate in the direction of the crystallographic a axis.

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Crystal data

[Cd(NCSe)<sub>2</sub>( $C_7H_7NO$ )<sub>2</sub>]  $M_r = 564.63$ Monoclinic,  $P2_1/c$ Hall symbol: -P 2ybc a = 5.9447 (3) Å b = 18.7233 (10) Å c = 8.7548 (5) Å  $\beta = 94.020$  (4)° V = 972.05 (9) Å<sup>3</sup> Z = 2

 $\mathbf{Z} - \mathbf{Z}$ 

Data collection

Stoe IPDS-2 diffractometer

Radiation source: fine-focus sealed tube

Graphite monochromator

 $\omega$  scans

Absorption correction: numerical

(*X-SHAPE* and *X-RED32*; Stoe & Cie, 2008)

 $T_{\min} = 0.667, T_{\max} = 0.902$ 

Refinement

Refinement on  $F^2$ Least-squares matrix: full  $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.031$  $wR(F^2) = 0.061$ S = 1.132458 reflections 117 parameters

Primary atom site location: structure-invariant

direct methods

0 restraints

F(000) = 540 $D_x = 1.929 \text{ Mg m}^{-3}$ 

Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation,  $\lambda = 0.71073$  Å

Cell parameters from 17180 reflections

 $\theta = 2.2 – 28.6^{\circ}$ 

 $\mu = 4.88 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ 

T = 293 K

Needle, colourless

 $0.16 \times 0.07 \times 0.02$  mm

17180 measured reflections

2458 independent reflections 2256 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$ 

 $R_{\rm int} = 0.045$ 

 $\theta_{\text{max}} = 28.6^{\circ}, \, \theta_{\text{min}} = 2.2^{\circ}$ 

 $h = -7 \rightarrow 7$ 

 $k = -25 \rightarrow 25$ 

 $l = -11 \rightarrow 11$ 

Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier

map

Hydrogen site location: inferred from

neighbouring sites

H-atom parameters constrained

 $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_0^2) + (0.0164P)^2 + 1.1235P]$ 

where  $P = (F_0^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$ 

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

 $\Delta \rho_{\text{max}} = 0.47 \text{ e Å}^{-3}$ 

 $\Delta \rho_{\min} = -0.47 \text{ e Å}^{-3}$ 

Extinction correction: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 2008),  $Fc^*=kFc[1+0.001xFc^2\lambda^3/\sin(2\theta)]^{-1/4}$ 

Extinction coefficient: 0.0074 (5)

#### Special details

Geometry. All esds (except the esd in the dihedral angle between two l.s. planes) are estimated using the full covariance matrix. The cell esds are taken into account individually in the estimation of esds in distances, angles and torsion angles; correlations between esds in cell parameters are only used when they are defined by crystal symmetry. An approximate (isotropic) treatment of cell esds is used for estimating esds involving l.s. planes.

**Refinement.** 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  $F^2 > 2 \operatorname{sigma}(F^2)$  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.

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

	X	y	Z	$U_{ m iso}$ */ $U_{ m eq}$	
Cd1	0.0000	0.5000	0.0000	0.03766 (9)	
N1	0.3333 (4)	0.44388 (15)	0.0928 (3)	0.0478 (6)	
C1	0.5139 (4)	0.43756 (15)	0.1480(3)	0.0377 (6)	
Se1	0.79466 (5)	0.429324 (18)	0.23721 (4)	0.04545 (11)	
N11	0.0930 (4)	0.60142 (13)	0.1566 (3)	0.0422 (5)	
O11	0.5790 (6)	0.72219 (18)	0.5227 (4)	0.1005 (13)	
C11	0.2729 (5)	0.60423 (17)	0.2585 (3)	0.0430 (6)	
H11	0.3604	0.5633	0.2736	0.052*	
C12	0.3348 (5)	0.66449 (16)	0.3420 (4)	0.0442 (7)	
C13	0.2032 (6)	0.72501 (18)	0.3206 (5)	0.0592 (9)	
H13	0.2402	0.7666	0.3746	0.071*	
C14	0.0168 (7)	0.72283 (19)	0.2183 (5)	0.0675 (11)	
H14	-0.0757	0.7626	0.2034	0.081*	
C15	-0.0302(6)	0.66083 (17)	0.1387 (4)	0.0533 (8)	
H15	-0.1548	0.6602	0.0683	0.064*	
C16	0.5372 (6)	0.6672(2)	0.4547 (4)	0.0570 (9)	
C17	0.6815 (6)	0.6032(2)	0.4794 (4)	0.0632 (10)	
H17A	0.8070	0.6144	0.5503	0.095*	
H17B	0.7360	0.5884	0.3837	0.095*	
H17C	0.5951	0.5653	0.5202	0.095*	

#### Atomic displacement parameters (Å<sup>2</sup>)

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	$U^{11}$	$U^{22}$	$U^{33}$	$U^{12}$	$U^{13}$	$U^{23}$
Cd1	0.02405 (13)	0.04299 (16)	0.04447 (17)	-0.00160 (10)	-0.00794 (10)	-0.00268 (12)
N1	0.0285 (11)	0.0554 (15)	0.0583 (17)	0.0002 (10)	-0.0059(11)	0.0068 (12)
C1	0.0305 (13)	0.0398 (14)	0.0425 (15)	0.0013 (10)	0.0002 (11)	0.0028 (11)
Se1	0.02761 (14)	0.0576(2)	0.04962 (19)	0.00067 (12)	-0.00791 (11)	0.01084 (14)
N11	0.0365 (12)	0.0447 (13)	0.0439 (14)	-0.0023 (10)	-0.0074 (10)	0.0003 (10)
O11	0.088(2)	0.082(2)	0.123(3)	0.0018 (18)	-0.053(2)	-0.043(2)
C11	0.0372 (14)	0.0447 (15)	0.0457 (16)	-0.0003 (12)	-0.0075 (12)	-0.0022 (12)
C12	0.0418 (15)	0.0442 (15)	0.0453 (16)	-0.0047(12)	-0.0064(12)	-0.0030 (12)
C13	0.067(2)	0.0412 (17)	0.066(2)	-0.0009 (15)	-0.0177 (18)	-0.0074(15)
C14	0.074(2)	0.0444 (18)	0.079(3)	0.0125 (17)	-0.029(2)	-0.0031 (17)
C15	0.0510 (18)	0.0498 (18)	0.056(2)	-0.0003(14)	-0.0182(15)	0.0033 (14)

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C16	0.0466 (18)	0.061 (2)	0.062 (2)	-0.0043 (15)	-0.0136 (15)	-0.0132 (16)
C17	0.0481 (19)	0.080 (3)	0.058 (2)	0.0041 (18)	-0.0163 (16)	-0.0063 (19)
<i>Зеоте</i>	etric parameters (.	Å, °)				
Cd1—	-N1 <sup>i</sup>	2.33	7 (2)	C11—H11	0.9300	
Cd1—		2.337 (2)		C12—C13	1.382 (5)	
Cd1—		2.384 (2)		C12—C16	1.502 (4)	
Cd1—		2.384 (2)		C13—C14	1.376 (5)	
Cd1—		2.8124 (3)		C13—H13	0.9300	
Cd1—		2.8124 (3)		C14—C15	1.373 (5)	
N1—0			2 (4)	C14—H14	0.9300	
C1—S	Se1		9 (3)	C15—H15	0.9300	
Se1—	Cd1 <sup>iv</sup>		24 (3)	C16—C17	1.481 (5)	
N11—			5 (4)	C17—H17A	0.9600	
N11—	-C11	1.34	5 (3)	C17—H17B	0.9600	
O11—	-C16	1.20	6 (4)	C17—H17C	0.9600	
C11—	-C12	1.38	0 (4)			
N1 <sup>i</sup> —Cd1—N1		180.00 (12)		C12—C11—H11	I—H11 118.2	
N1 <sup>i</sup> —(	Cd1—N11	89.9	2 (9)	C11—C12—C13	118.1 (3)	
N1—C	Cd1—N11	90.0	8 (9)	C11—C12—C16	123.2 (3)	
N1 <sup>i</sup> —Cd1—N11 <sup>i</sup>		90.0	8 (9)	C13—C12—C16	118.7 (3)	
N1—Cd1—N11 <sup>i</sup>		89.9	2 (9)	C14—C13—C12	119.1 (3)	
N11—Cd1—N11i		180.	0	C14—C13—H13	120.5	
N1i—Cd1—Se1ii		86.1	6 (7)	C12—C13—H13 120.5		20.5
N1—Cd1—Se1 <sup>ii</sup>		93.84 (7)		C15—C14—C13	15—C14—C13 118.8 (3)	
N11—Cd1—Se1 <sup>ii</sup>		87.4	1 (6)	C15—C14—H14		
N11 <sup>i</sup> —Cd1—Se1 <sup>ii</sup>		92.5	9 (6)	C13—C14—H14 120.6		20.6
N1 <sup>i</sup> —Cd1—Se1 <sup>iii</sup> 93.84 (7)		N11—C15—C14	123.7 (3)			
N1—Cd1—Se1 <sup>iii</sup> 86.16 (7)		N11—C15—H15	118.2			
N11—Cd1—Se1 <sup>iii</sup> 92.59 (6)		C14—C15—H15	118.2			
N11 <sup>i</sup> —	-Cd1—Se1 <sup>iii</sup>	87.4	1 (6)	O11—C16—C17	121.4 (3)	
Se1 <sup>ii</sup> —Cd1—Se1 <sup>iii</sup> 180.0		O11—C16—C12	118.8 (3)			
C1—N	C1—N1—Cd1 159.1 (3)		C17—C16—C12	119.8 (3)		
N1—C	I1—C1—Se1 178.7 (3)		C16—C17—H17A	109.5		
C1—S	C1—Se1—Cd1 <sup>iv</sup> 94.39 (9)		C16—C17—H17B	109.5		
C15—N11—C11 116.7 (3)		H17A—C17—H17F	B 109.5			
C15—N11—Cd1 119.5 (2)		C16—C17—H17C	109.5			
C11—N11—Cd1 123.7 (2)		H17A—C17—H170	C 109.5			
N11—	-C11—C12	123.	6 (3)	H17B—C17—H170	C 109.5	
N11—	-C11—H11	118.	2			

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