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Chemistry of the Uranyl Group. III. Preparation, Properties, and Crystal Structure of the Isomorphous Pair $\text{UO}_2((\text{C}_2\text{H}_5)_2\text{NCS}_2)_2(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_3\text{AsO}$ and $\text{UO}_2((\text{C}_2\text{H}_5)_2\text{NCS}_2)_2(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_3\text{PO}$

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Two monomeric complexes of formula $\text{UO}_2((\text{C}_2\text{H}_5)_2\text{NCS}_2)_2 \cdot \text{L}$ with $\text{L} = (\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_3\text{AsO}$ and $(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_3\text{PO}$ were synthesized from $\text{K}\{\text{UO}_2((\text{C}_2\text{H}_5)_2\text{NCS}_2)_2\} \cdot \text{H}_2\text{O}$ and triphenylarsine and triphenylphosphine oxides, respectively. Infrared and electronic spectra are reported. The crystals are isomorphous and monoclinic and belong to space group $P2_1/n$, with $Z = 4$. Cell dimensions are $a = 18.28 \pm 0.01$, $b = 9.128 \pm 0.005$, $c = 20.95 \pm 0.01$ Å, and $\beta = 111^\circ 18' \pm 10'$ for $\text{UO}_2((\text{C}_2\text{H}_5)_2\text{NCS}_2)_2(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_3\text{AsO}$ and $a = 18.32 \pm 0.01$, $b = 9.16 \pm 0.01$, $c = 20.97 \pm 0.01$ Å, and $\beta = 111^\circ 39' \pm 10'$ for $\text{UO}_2((\text{C}_2\text{H}_5)_2\text{NCS}_2)_2(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_3\text{PO}$. The structures have been solved by the heavy-atom method using three-dimensional film data and refined by least squares to final R values of 9.4 and 9.3% for the arsine and the phosphine analogs. The uranium atom is in a seven-coordinate, pentagonal-bipyramidal environment. The linear uranyl group is perpendicular to the plane which contains four sulfur atoms of two carbamate groups and the oxygen atom of the ligand at the corners of an irregular pentagon.

Introduction

The actinyl ions, as UO_2^{2+} , are typical Chatt-Ahland A group ions and therefore have a weak tendency to form complexes with ligands of low electronegativity by addition to their equatorial plane. In contrast uranyl complexes with oxygen-containing ligands are very common, ligands as acetate or nitrate ions generally acting as bidentate chelating groups. Previous investigations² on mixed complexes of these ions with triphenylphosphine oxide or triphenylarsine oxide showed that monomeric or dimeric species are easy to obtain, and the oxygen-donor ionic ligands are bidentate. Proceeding in a planned program, we have turned our attention to a sulfur-containing ligand, less electronegative than the acetate, but with a similar skeleton. The diethyldithiocarbamate (DTC) ion is known to form stable complexes with UO_2^{2+} ³⁻⁵ and appears to be a good substrate for study of the effect of the introduced phosphine or arsine oxide and also to investigate the possible existence of dimeric entities. Therefore compounds of formula $\text{UO}_2(\text{DTC})_2 \cdot (\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_3\text{PO}$ and $\text{UO}_2(\text{DTC})_2 \cdot (\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_3\text{AsO}$ have been prepared and characterized by ir and uv spectroscopy and X-ray structural analysis.

Experimental Section

In order to prepare $\text{UO}_2(\text{DTC})_2$ as starting material, the method of Jones, *et al.*,⁶ was employed. However only the known³ product $\text{K}[\text{UO}_2(\text{DTC})_2] \cdot \text{H}_2\text{O}$ was obtained, analogous to those reported by Zil'berman and Peshchevitskii.⁴ Recrystallizing $\text{K}[\text{UO}_2(\text{DTC})_2] \cdot \text{H}_2\text{O}$ from hot ethyl alcohol yielded brilliant dark red crystals⁶ but no evidence of solvated ethanol molecules arose from ir spectral measurements. Therefore the uranyl diethyldithiocarbamate complexes with triphenylphos-

phine or triphenylarsine oxide (L) were prepared according to the reaction



Preparation of Potassium Tris(diethyldithiocarbamate)dioxouranium(VI) Monohydrate (A).—To a mixture of 1.8 ml (0.03 mol) of carbon disulfide and 8 ml of water containing 1.68 g (0.03 mol) of potassium hydroxide was added dropwise with stirring 3.1 ml (0.03 mol) of diethylamine in an ice bath. After 30 min a clear yellow solution of potassium diethyldithiocarbamate was obtained and added slowly to a solution of 4.24 g (0.01 mol) of uranyl acetate dihydrate in 150 ml of water. The color became dark red immediately and then $\text{K}[\text{UO}_2(\text{DTC})_2] \cdot \text{H}_2\text{O}$ precipitated as a dark red powder. The compound was collected and washed with water and ether successively. Dried over CaCl_2 under vacuum, the complex decomposed at about 230°.

The ir spectrum showed that this product contains at least one water molecule of crystallization, with broad absorption at 3600–3400 and 1600–1550 cm^{-1} , respectively.

Anal. Calcd for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{32}\text{KN}_3\text{O}_8\text{S}_4\text{U}$: C, 23.4; H, 4.1; N, 5.5; S, 24.9. Found: C, 23.9; H, 4.1; N, 5.7; S, 23.8.

Bis(diethyldithiocarbamate)dioxo(triphenylphosphine oxide)-uraniun(VI) (B).—A solution of 385 mg of potassium tris(diethyldithiocarbamate)dioxouranium(VI) monohydrate (0.5 mM) and 140 mg of triphenylphosphine oxide (0.5 mM) in 15 ml of acetone was stirred at room temperature for 20 min. On addition of 200 ml of water a yellow suspension was observed and the mixture was allowed to stand overnight. A red precipitate of B had formed, which was filtered by suction and dried over CaCl_2 under vacuum. The complex recrystallized from hot acetone as brilliant red crystals, mp 243–244° dec.

Anal. Calcd for $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{38}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3\text{PS}_4\text{U}$: C, 39.8; H, 4.1; N, 3.3; S, 15.1; U, 28.2. Found: C, 39.6; H, 4.3; N, 3.4; S, 15.3; U, 28.4.

Bis(diethyldithiocarbamate)dioxo(triphenylarsine oxide)uraniun(VI) (C).—The preparative method was similar to that described above for B, using 160 mg of triphenylarsine oxide (0.5 mM). Compound C recrystallized from hot acetone as brilliant orange-red crystals, mp 231–232° dec.

Anal. Calcd for $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{38}\text{AsN}_2\text{O}_3\text{S}_4\text{U}$: C, 37.8; H, 3.9; N, 3.1; S, 14.4; U, 26.8. Found: 38.9; H, 3.8; N, 3.1; S, 14.6; U, 26.5.

From the ir spectra B and C appeared to be anhydrous complexes.

Compound C can be obtained also by addition of triphenylarsine oxide to a solution of B in *sym*-dichloroethane. This reaction appeared to be immediate from spectral measurements.

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TABLE I
SOME PHYSICAL DATA OF THE EXAMINED COMPOUNDS

Compound	Λ^a	$\nu_{as}(\text{UO}_2)^b$	$\nu(\text{X}-\text{O})$ ($\text{X} = \text{P}, \text{As}$) ^b	Band maxima ^c
$\text{K}[\text{UO}_2(\text{S}_2\text{CN}(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_2)_2 \cdot \text{H}_2\text{O}$	55	888, 860	...	21.0 (1800), 26.3 (4000)
$\text{UO}_2(\text{S}_2\text{CN}(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_2)_2(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_2\text{PO}$	4	910, 905	1130, 1117 (P-O)	24.4 (2700), 30.5 (3400)
$\text{UO}_2(\text{S}_2\text{CN}(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_2)_2(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_2\text{AsO}$	6	901	880 sh, (As-O)	25.0 (2700), 31.2 sh (3900)

^a Molar conductivity ($\text{cm}^2 \text{ ohm}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$) of $10^{-3} M$ solutions in nitromethane at 25°. ^b Infrared frequencies in cm^{-1} . ^c Position of bands in electronic spectrum in kK ($= 1000 \text{ cm}^{-1}$); molar extinction coefficients are given in parentheses.

TABLE II
ATOMIC PARAMETERS OF $\text{UO}_2(\text{DTC})_2(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_2\text{AsO}^a$

Atom	x	y	z	β_{11}	β_{22}	β_{33}	β_{12}	β_{13}	β_{23}
U	-397 (1)	1665 (2)	1888 (1)	22 (1)	88 (2)	24 (1)	4 (1)	9 (1)	5 (1)
As	1168 (2)	3036 (5)	3582 (2)	26 (1)	100 (8)	23 (1)	1 (3)	9 (1)	3 (2)
S(1)	-1300 (5)	506 (12)	2626 (5)	29 (4)	143 (19)	22 (3)	-5 (6)	10 (2)	3 (6)
S(2)	-1864 (6)	318 (15)	1118 (5)	27 (4)	216 (24)	28 (3)	-30 (8)	9 (3)	-3 (7)
S(3)	-575 (6)	1926 (14)	483 (5)	36 (4)	163 (21)	24 (3)	-12 (8)	8 (3)	9 (6)
S(4)	790 (6)	3139 (16)	1591 (5)	32 (4)	221 (25)	30 (3)	-19 (9)	8 (3)	9 (8)
O(1)	431 (14)	2266 (27)	2977 (11)	11 (10)	156 (45)	17 (7)	-24 (17)	-5 (8)	-18 (13)
Atom	x	y	z	$B, \text{\AA}^2$	Atom	x	y	z	$B, \text{\AA}^2$
O(2)	76 (18)	28 (36)	1948 (14)	5.5 (6)	C(13)	2895 (35)	1657 (75)	2834 (27)	7.9 (13)
O(3)	-871 (18)	3298 (38)	1839 (14)	5.2 (6)	C(14)	3415 (34)	2843 (63)	3065 (28)	7.4 (13)
N(1)	-2772 (19)	-65 (39)	1853 (15)	4.8 (7)	C(15)	3338 (34)	3859 (64)	3449 (28)	7.6 (13)
N(2)	643 (25)	3223 (51)	304 (20)	7.5 (9)	C(16)	2667 (32)	3979 (60)	3632 (26)	6.3 (12)
C(1)	-2033 (24)	258 (48)	1879 (20)	4.6 (8)	C(17)	1394 (35)	2282 (66)	4473 (29)	3.4 (13)
C(2)	332 (24)	2825 (45)	746 (20)	5.0 (9)	C(18)	2090 (27)	1836 (60)	4885 (22)	5.1 (10)
C(3)	-2967 (32)	-209 (62)	2484 (26)	7.2 (12)	C(19)	2218 (35)	1043 (66)	5441 (29)	7.6 (13)
C(4)	-3486 (41)	13 (83)	1215 (33)	10.8 (17)	C(20)	1596 (33)	696 (62)	5694 (27)	7.0 (12)
C(5)	354 (42)	2619 (79)	-410 (35)	11.6 (17)	C(21)	857 (36)	1097 (66)	5249 (29)	8.7 (14)
C(6)	1374 (30)	4176 (57)	525 (24)	6.3 (11)	C(22)	703 (30)	1860 (63)	4590 (24)	5.5 (11)
C(7)	-3155 (32)	1233 (61)	2736 (26)	7.0 (13)	C(23)	940 (25)	5024 (52)	3638 (20)	4.3 (8)
C(8)	-3485 (40)	-1424 (83)	970 (33)	12.5 (17)	C(24)	1247 (28)	5882 (56)	4249 (24)	4.9 (10)
C(9)	557 (40)	3471 (81)	-947 (32)	12.0 (16)	C(25)	1088 (32)	7411 (62)	4223 (27)	5.2 (11)
C(10)	2121 (33)	3106 (67)	727 (27)	9.8 (13)	C(26)	549 (32)	8025 (61)	3671 (27)	7.2 (12)
C(11)	2074 (26)	2932 (50)	3350 (21)	4.1 (9)	C(27)	236 (32)	7264 (57)	3050 (26)	5.3 (11)
C(12)	2219 (30)	1828 (66)	3009 (24)	6.6 (10)	C(28)	468 (31)	5765 (62)	3013 (26)	4.9 (12)

^a Coordinates $\times 10^4$. Standard deviations from the least-squares refinement in parentheses. Anisotropic thermal parameters are defined by $T = \exp\{-(\beta_{11}h^2 + \beta_{22}k^2 + \beta_{33}l^2 + 2\beta_{12}hk + 2\beta_{13}hl + 2\beta_{23}kl)\}$, and each β_{ij} is multiplied by 10^4 .

Physical Measurements.—Conductivities were determined on an LKB Model 3216-B conductivity bridge. Molecular weights were determined on a Mechrolab, Inc., Model 302 vapor pressure osmometer (25°). The ir spectra were recorded on a Perkin-Elmer Model 621 infrared spectrophotometer, using Nujol mulls between KBr plates. Spectra were recorded at room temperature using a Beckman Model DK2A spectrophotometer using quartz cells of 1-cm thickness. The results are summarized in Table I.

Crystal Structure of $\text{UO}_2(\text{DTC})_2(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_2\text{AsO}$

Crystal Data.—Regular orange-red *b*-prismatic crystals of $\text{UO}_2(\text{DTC})_2(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_2\text{AsO}$ were grown from acetone solutions. The density was measured by flotation in a mixture of *sym*-tetrabromoethane and *sym*-dichloroethane. Cell dimensions and space group were determined from precession photographs taken with Cu $K\alpha$ radiation ($\lambda 1.5418 \text{ \AA}$). Systematic absences $0k0$ with $k = 2n + 1$ and $h0l$ with $h + l = 2n + l$ served to indicate the probable space group. Crystal data obtained are as follows: formula weight 888.85; monoclinic, space group $P2_1/n$; $a = 18.28 \pm 0.01$, $b = 9.128 \pm 0.005$, $c = 20.95 \pm 0.01 \text{ \AA}$; $\beta = 111^\circ 18' \pm 10'$; $V = 3256 \text{ \AA}^3$; $D_m = 1.807$, $D_x = 1.812 \text{ g cm}^{-3}$; $\mu(\text{Cu } K\alpha) = 211.6 \text{ cm}^{-1}$; $Z = 4$; $F(000) = 1720$. (The errors reported for the parameters of this compound, as well as for those of the following compound,

are the standard deviations calculated from a series of measurements, the actual errors being probably larger.)

Intensity Data.—A single crystal of dimensions $0.1 \times 0.55 \times 0.2 \text{ mm}$ elongated in the *b* direction was chosen for the X-ray work. The specimen was mounted about the long axis and a series of photographs was taken with a Buerger precession camera. From these the unit cell dimensions and the space group were derived ($\lambda(\text{Cu } K\alpha) 1.5418 \text{ \AA}$). The crystal was then aligned on a Weissenberg camera. With Cu $K\alpha$ radiation a series of photographs of the layers $k = 0-7$ was taken by the multifilm equiinclination Weissenberg technique. A total of 2802 intensities were measured with the use of a Joyce and Loeb Flying Spot microdensitometer, the very weak being neglected. They were corrected for Lorentz and polarization factors and initially connected to a single scale by comparison with the $hk0$ and $0kl$ reflections, but separate scale factors for each layer were adjusted during the least-squares calculations.

Because of the appreciable linear absorption coefficient for Cu $K\alpha$ radiation, absorption correction was applied as for a cylindrical specimen⁷ assuming $\mu R = 1.48$.

Accordingly the observed structure factors were

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TABLE III

OBSERVED AND CALCULATED STRUCTURE FACTORS ($\times 10$) OF $\text{UO}_2(\text{DTC})_2(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_3\text{AsO}$

TABLE III (Continued)

M _{h,k,l}	10	-2	520	581	-9	h92	-353	-17	k31*	-603	-16	348*	452	-8	988	-1099	M _{h,k,l}	12	-6	379*	-987	-2	1865	-1816	-17	436	-642	-8	596	572	M _{h,k,l}	1								
-16	602	577	3	731	-692	-11	339	-388	H _{4,5,2}	-816	-19	247*	-616	0	985	983	H _{4,5,2}	-16	-8	986	946	3	290	322	H _{4,6,6}	-10	570	-557	1079	-1312										
-19	646	-736	-3	917	-983	-13	476	-370	0	845	-19	247*	-616	0	1380	-1392	H _{4,5,5}	-7	586	-443	3	632	508	0	1380	1536	-12	635	-635	-1820	-2025									
-6	646	646	4	1037	-1035	-13	476	-370	0	845	-19	247*	-616	0	1380	-1392	H _{4,5,5}	-7	586	-443	3	632	508	0	1380	1536	-12	635	-635	-1820	-2025									
1	1037	1035	5	634	589	-18	536	559	-2	152	1630	1	1393	-1409	0	1887	-1907	H _{4,5,5}	-8	454*	520	-k	1900*	-1583	2	1290	-1183	-16	416	-836	742	751								
1	551	-505	-5	1122	-1142	-18	474*	600	-2	1015	1029	-2	1799	1773	-9	602	542	H _{4,5,5}	-3	890	-793	-10	371	388	5	565	-490	-2	560	608	H _{6,11}	6	1092	962						
-1	576	-563	-6	632	-632	H _{4,4,20}	3	785	-653	3	128	-173	10	609	652	4	789	670	H _{4,4,20}	-16	569	-535	-5	299	-325	-3	617	-574	-8	1428	1343	-7	751	-665						
-1	128	128	7	632	-632	H _{4,4,20}	3	785	-653	3	128	-173	10	609	652	4	789	670	H _{4,4,20}	-16	569	-535	-5	299	-325	-3	617	-574	-8	1428	1343	-7	751	-665						
5	899	-961	9	559	621	-1	645	-681	4	1762	1809	-4	529	-507	-4	991	958	H _{4,4,22}	-11	1997	1383	7	350	409	1	1533	571	-7	331	-402	6	999	921	5	660	555	0	727	-977	
5	638	-611	-10	523	-523	H _{4,4,22}	3	352	-369	-4	529	-507	-4	991	958	H _{4,4,22}	-9	170	170	7	350	409	1	1533	571	-7	331	-402	6	999	921	5	660	555	0	727	-977			
-5	638	-611	-10	523	-523	H _{4,4,22}	3	352	-369	-4	529	-507	-4	991	958	H _{4,4,22}	-9	170	170	7	350	409	1	1533	571	-7	331	-402	6	999	921	5	660	555	0	727	-977			
-5	778	-772	-12	337	-410	1	112	710	5	519	-519	-1	1775	-1750	-1	1581	1505	H _{4,4,21}	-9	475	581	3	609	687	-8	708	-744	10	1053	1023	8	551	557	8	1399	-1532				
748	-763	-13	865	706	H _{4,4,21}	6	1238	1198	7	1356	-1323	-16	556	649	10	326	-402	H _{4,4,21}	-8	665	-749	12	889	846	-10	599	-604	6	764	-843	7	1399	-1532							
-6	686	-621	-15	555	582	-1	486	-377	6	1699	-1546	-9	1492	1602	-18	555	626	H _{4,4,21}	-10	1070	-1017	10	714	-735	-10	599	-604	6	764	-843	7	1399	-1532							
8	509	-524	-19	244	431	-4	409*	337	-17	1516	-1363	-9	1201	1104	1	1238	-1171	H _{4,4,21}	-11	468	-585	11	790	-836	-11	791	-923	-10	1022	-974	-8	1686	1426							
-8	399	-399	H _{4,4,15}	-6	826	730	8	1519	-1225	10	882	-798	-1	1213	-1176	12	3124	-194	H _{4,4,15}	-15	604	-616	-16	999	995	12	516	-632	H _{6,12}	-1	1428	1343	-7	751	-665					
10	194	93	O	-1131	-874	-8	785	-654	9	1416	-1363	-11	1101	1064	1	1238	-1171	H _{4,4,15}	-16	509	-520	10	1208	-1188	1	1428	1343	-7	751	-665										
10	194	93	O	-1131	-874	-8	785	-654	9	1416	-1363	-11	1101	1064	1	1238	-1171	H _{4,4,15}	-16	509	-520	10	1208	-1188	1	1428	1343	-7	751	-665										
-10	739	734	-2	1046	-1230	H _{4,4,22}	10	578	-515	-12	371	-275	-3	1009	-1045	H _{4,5,3}	-15	465	516	3	393	-457	-1	1350	-1496	H _{6,7}	-4	740	-859	-3	1326	1201								
11	664	632	4	258*	-370	1	250*	341	-10	1374	-1261	-16	527	-504	4	632	-543	H _{4,5,3}	-16	420	-622	6	238	422	1	574	-689	6	975	886	4	975	-872							
11	664	632	4	258*	-370	1	250*	341	-10	1374	-1261	-16	527	-504	4	632	-543	H _{4,5,3}	-16	420	-622	6	238	422	1	574	-689	6	975	886	4	975	-872							
-13	373	373	-5	577	-511	-1	500	-470	12	526*	-498	19	399	-313	6	882	-618	H _{5,13}	-8	460	-559	-9	913	-940	-2	713	-601	8	472	618	-8	830	-648							
11	736	-670	6	536	527	-13	824	-580	H _{5,13}	-1260	-16	1300	1302	0	747	-673	-10	388	-530	-4	286	-376	3	605	621	-10	1037	-975	9	809	799	H _{6,13}	9	1054	925					
-11	701	-1077	7	744	787	-12	526	-320	14	433*	-571	1	702	757	8	490	-400	H _{5,13}	-15	868	-876	-15	512	371	6	665	-583	4	1168	-1154	5	993	915	H _{6,13}	9	1054	925			
12	704	-692	-9	508	-391	-8	636	-610	14	373	-355	-1	525	-591	8	1057	915	H _{5,13}	-15	698	-878	-15	531	331	5	993	922	1	698	-802	5	1161	1059							
H _{4,4,12}	-10	988	905	-10	573	-658	15	465*	388	-2	157	1650	9	583	-576	H _{4,4,12}	-10	582	-562	-10	987	900	-5	1449	-1373	-1	1098	-1213	-2	759	-682									
-6	655	618	-14	830	767	-3	269	-337	-17	512	-407	3	1601	1644	-5	1088	-1152	H _{4,4,12}	-15	563	-562	9	532	562	-7	1438	-1246	3	541	-525	8	997	831							
-4	405	-527	-10	455	416	-8	355	-337	H _{4,4,12}	-15	563	-562	4	397	-363	-11	695	868	H _{4,4,12}	-16	515	-588	-10	1545	1307	-10	1016	-762	-5	785	915									
3	1527	1476	H _{4,4,16}	-7	297	344	-1	1212	-1282	-1	1741	-1801	5	1335	1346	13	515	581	H _{4,4,16}	-7	214	-1182	0	581	-564	-11	1210	1162	12	605	626	5	809	799						
-3	985	-1080	2	258*	-376	H _{5,10}	2	506	-345	-12	1574	-1560	6	656	-627	-13	861	620	H _{5,10}	2	289	-348	13	659	740	-13	050	890	-11	1557	574	H _{7,5}	2	216	414					
4	552	-560	-3	533	-550	H _{5,10}	1	849	-600	-2	864	-605	-10	1301	-1306	1	1251	-1251	H _{5,10}	-12	1056	-1056	0	809	-809	-10	1056	1056	12	553	685	9	1161	1032						
-4	575	596	-5	672	-704	H _{5,10}	1	849	-600	-13	1895	-1915	6	973	-1036	-18	1036	-1036	H _{5,10}	-12	1056	-1056	0	809	-809	-10	1056	1056	12	553	685	9	1161	1032						
-5	575	596	-5	672	-704	H _{5,10}	1	849	-600	-13	1895	-1915	6	973	-1036	-18	1036	-1036	H _{5,10}	-12	1056	-1056	0	809	-809	-10	1056	1056	12	553	685	9	1161	1032						
5	575	596	-5	672	-704	H _{5,10}	1	849	-600	-13	1895	-1915	6	973	-1036	-18	1036	-1036	H _{5,10}	-12	1056	-1056	0	809	-809	-10	1056	1056	12	553	685	9	1161	1032						
13	532	-523	-19	474	517	H _{4,4,17}	1	1780	1507	-13	383*	303	1	1808	1915	-10	1133	1056	H _{4,4,17}	-12	670	607	8	415	536	-8	908	836	-10	818	836	-12	612	641	H _{6,16}	3	988	-1118		
5	584	533	-8	780	915	-2	925*	-718	3	1596	809	3	1302	1348	-13	789	-738	H _{4,4,17}	-12	670	607	8	415	536	-8	908	836	-10	818	836	-12	612	641	H _{6,16}	3	988	-1118			
-5	584	533	-8	780	915	-2	925*	-718	3	1596	809	3	1302	1348	-13	789	-738	H _{4,4,17}	-12	670	607	8	415	536	-8	908	836	-10	818	836	-12	612	641	H _{6,16}	3	988	-1118			
7	774	774	-7	259	-489	-3	2335	2214	7	1605	658	H _{5,4,5}	5	1015	913	-15	565	-523	H _{5,4,5}	-12	761	808	-10	1204	-1012	0	781	-831	-12	1737	-1563	3	1537	-1641	3	1537	-1641	H _{6,16}	-2	1146

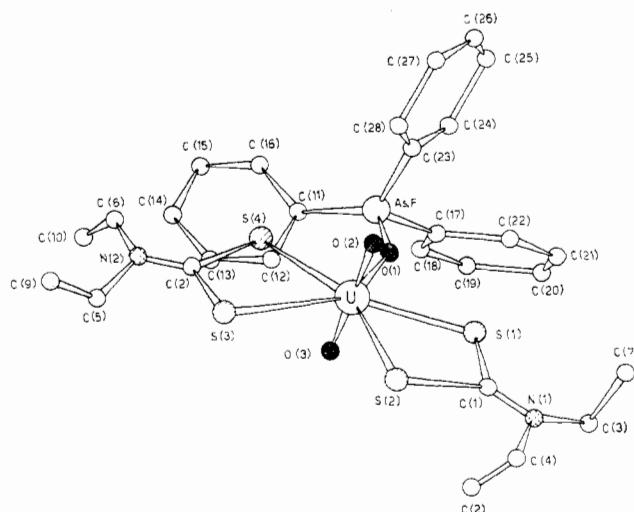


Figure 1.—A perspective view of the molecule.

TABLE IV BOND LENGTHS AND STANDARD DEVIATIONS (\AA)					
$\text{UO}_2(\text{DTC})_2(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_3\text{AsO}$			$\text{UO}_2(\text{DTC})_2(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_3\text{PO}$		
Uranyl Group			Uranyl Group		
U–O(2)	1.71	0.03	U–O(2)	1.67	0.03
U–O(3)	1.71	0.03	U–O(3)	1.72	0.03
Equatorial Plane			Equatorial Plane		
U–O(1)	2.30	0.02	U–O(1)	2.34	0.02
U–S(1)	2.84	0.01	U–S(1)	2.85	0.01
U–S(2)	2.86	0.01	U–S(2)	2.86	0.01
U–S(3)	2.88	0.01	U–S(3)	2.84	0.01
U–S(4)	2.80	0.01	U–S(4)	2.84	0.01
DTC Groups			DTC Groups		
S(1)–C(1)	1.66	0.04	S(1)–C(1)	1.71	0.04
S(2)–C(1)	1.73	0.04	S(2)–C(1)	1.72	0.04
C(1)–N(1)	1.36	0.06	C(1)–N(1)	1.34	0.05
N(1)–C(3)	1.49	0.08	N(1)–C(3)	1.47	0.06
N(1)–C(4)	1.49	0.06	N(1)–C(4)	1.50	0.07
C(3)–C(7)	1.50	0.08	C(3)–C(7)	1.59	0.07
C(4)–C(8)	1.41	0.09	C(4)–C(8)	1.51	0.10
S(3)–C(2)	1.75	0.04	S(3)–C(2)	1.73	0.04
S(4)–C(2)	1.69	0.04	S(4)–C(2)	1.68	0.04
C(2)–N(2)	1.30	0.06	C(2)–N(2)	1.36	0.06
N(2)–C(5)	1.50	0.08	N(2)–C(5)	1.56	0.07
N(2)–C(6)	1.52	0.07	N(2)–C(6)	1.51	0.07
C(5)–C(9)	1.52	0.10	C(5)–C(9)	1.52	0.09
C(6)–C(10)	1.61	0.08	C(6)–C(10)	1.50	0.08
Triphenylarsine Oxide Group			Triphenylphosphine Oxide Group		
As–O(1)	1.64	0.02	P–O(1)	1.49	0.03
As–C(11)	1.89	0.05	P–C(11)	1.87	0.04
As–C(17)	1.89	0.06	P–C(17)	1.80	0.05
As–C(23)	1.88	0.05	P–C(23)	1.79	0.05

Minimum and Maximum Distances in the Two sets of Phenyl Groups and the Means^a

C–C(min)	1.27	C–C(min)	1.27
C–C(max)	1.48	C–C(max)	1.59
C–C(mean)	1.395	C–C(mean)	1.396
	0.01		0.02

^a The standard deviation of the mean is calculated from $(\sum_i \Delta_i^2 / m(m - 1))^{1/2}$. The esd's of the carbon–carbon distances are about 0.08 Å.

Intensity Data.—The specimen chosen for the X-ray work was $0.15 \times 0.60 \times 0.20$ mm in dimensions, with the largest value in the [010] direction. The crystal was rotated about the *b* axis and equiinclination Weis-

TABLE V
BOND ANGLES AND STANDARD DEVIATIONS (DEG)
 $\text{UO}_2(\text{DTC})_2(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_3\text{AsO}$ $\text{UO}_2(\text{DTC})_2(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_3\text{PO}$

O(2)–U–O(3)	179	1	O(2)–U–O(3)	177	2
O(2)–U–O(1)	90	1	O(2)–U–O(1)	90	1
O(2)–U–S(1)	91	1	O(2)–U–S(1)	91	1
O(2)–U–S(2)	91	1	O(2)–U–S(2)	93	1
O(2)–U–S(3)	91	1	O(2)–U–S(3)	87	1
O(2)–U–S(4)	91	1	O(2)–U–S(4)	88	1
O(3)–U–O(1)	89	1	O(3)–U–O(1)	89	1
O(3)–U–S(1)	89	1	O(3)–U–S(1)	88	1
O(3)–U–S(2)	89	1	O(3)–U–S(2)	90	1
O(3)–U–S(3)	90	1	O(3)–U–S(3)	91	1
O(3)–U–S(4)	89	1	O(3)–U–S(4)	89	1
S(1)–U–S(2)	62.3	0.3	S(1)–U–S(2)	61.9	0.3
S(2)–U–S(3)	73.8	0.3	S(2)–U–S(3)	74.7	0.3
S(3)–U–S(4)	62.6	0.4	S(3)–U–S(4)	62.6	0.4
S(4)–U–O(1)	79.8	0.7	S(4)–U–O(1)	78.4	0.6
O(1)–U–S(1)	81.5	0.7	O(1)–U–S(1)	82.5	0.6
U–S(1)–C(1)	88	2	U–S(1)–C(1)	90	1
U–S(2)–C(1)	87	2	U–S(2)–C(1)	89	2
U–S(3)–C(2)	89	1	U–S(3)–C(2)	88	2
U–S(4)–C(2)	91	2	U–S(4)–C(2)	89	2
U–O(1)–As	159	1	U–O(1)–P	162	2
S(1)–C(1)–S(2)	121	2	S(1)–C(1)–S(2)	119	3
S(1)–C(1)–N(1)	121	2	S(1)–C(1)–N(1)	119	2
S(2)–C(1)–N(1)	118	2	S(2)–C(1)–N(1)	123	4
C(1)–N(1)–C(3)	122	4	C(1)–N(1)–C(3)	124	3
C(1)–N(1)–C(4)	124	4	C(1)–N(1)–C(4)	117	4
C(3)–N(1)–C(4)	113	4	C(3)–N(1)–C(4)	118	4
N(1)–C(3)–C(7)	113	4	N(1)–C(3)–C(7)	109	3
N(1)–C(4)–C(8)	99	5	N(1)–C(4)–C(8)	108	4
S(3)–C(2)–S(4)	117	2	S(3)–C(2)–S(4)	120	2
S(3)–C(2)–N(2)	122	3	S(3)–C(2)–N(2)	119	3
S(4)–C(2)–N(2)	121	3	S(4)–C(2)–N(2)	120	3
C(2)–N(2)–C(5)	121	5	C(2)–N(2)–C(5)	118	4
C(2)–N(2)–C(6)	120	4	C(2)–N(2)–C(6)	119	4
C(5)–N(2)–C(6)	118	4	C(5)–N(2)–C(6)	121	4
N(2)–C(5)–C(9)	117	5	N(2)–C(5)–C(9)	112	4
N(2)–C(6)–C(10)	108	4	N(2)–C(6)–C(10)	118	4
O(1)–As–C(11)	109	2	O(1)–P–C(11)	113	2
O(1)–As–C(17)	116	2	O(1)–P–C(17)	117	2
O(1)–As–C(23)	109	2	O(1)–P–C(23)	112	2
C(11)–As–C(17)	110	3	C(11)–P–C(17)	106	2
C(11)–As–C(23)	107	2	C(11)–P–C(23)	104	2
C(17)–As–C(23)	105	2	C(17)–P–C(23)	104	2
As–C(11)–C(12)	123	4	P–C(11)–C(12)	112	3
As–C(11)–C(16)	118	3	P–C(11)–C(16)	124	4
As–C(17)–C(18)	125	4	P–C(17)–C(18)	126	3
As–C(17)–C(22)	112	3	P–C(17)–C(22)	112	3
As–C(23)–C(24)	124	3	P–C(23)–C(24)	126	3
As–C(23)–C(28)	118	3	P–C(23)–C(28)	111	3

Phenyl Groups^a

Max angle	126	Max angle	129		
Min angle	112	Min angle	113		
Mean	119.8	1	Mean	120	1

^a The standard deviation of the mean is calculated from $(\sum_i \Delta_i^2 / m(m - 1))^{1/2}$. The esd's for the angles in the phenyl groups are about 4°.

senberg photographs of $h0l$ to $h6l$ layers were taken with the use of Cu K α radiation and the multifilm technique. A total of 2801 intensities above background were observed and were corrected for Lorentz and polarization effects and for absorption using the cylindrical approximation. The assumed *R* for the crystal was the average value 0.0087 cm. Correction for the real part of anomalous dispersions was applied to the form factors of the uranium atom. The calculations were

TABLE VI
SELECTED LEAST-SQUARES PLANES OF $\text{UO}_2(\text{DTC})_2(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_3\text{AsO}$ AND $\text{UO}_2(\text{DTC})_2(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_3\text{PO}^a$

$\text{UO}_2(\text{DTC})_2(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_3\text{AsO}$					$\text{UO}_2(\text{DTC})_2(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_3\text{PO}$				
Plane	P	Q	R	S	Plane	P	Q	R	S
α	8.816	-7.976	-2.444	-2.169	α	8.930	-7.964	-2.229	-2.150
β	-3.573	8.932	0.220	0.980	β	-4.454	8.850	0.242	1.122
γ	-8.360	8.064	1.484	2.108	γ	8.689	-7.988	-1.333	-2.076
δ	11.298	-7.176	-4.630	-2.517	δ	11.538	-7.096	-4.844	-2.570
ϵ	2.888	-4.862	15.028	4.256	ϵ	2.840	-4.442	15.574	4.538
ζ	-1.634	7.863	10.437	6.190	ζ	-0.865	8.037	9.662	5.927
η	17.146	2.417	-11.503	-1.322	η	17.456	2.300	-10.706	-1.112

Distances (\AA) of Atoms from the Planes

α		β		γ		δ		α		β		γ		δ	
Atom	Δ	Atom	Δ	Atom	Δ	Atom	Δ	Atom	Δ	Atom	Δ	Atom	Δ	Atom	Δ
U	-0.030	S(1)	0.006	S(3)	0.001	U	0.000	U	-0.026	S(1)	-0.008	S(3)	0.001	U	0.000
S(1)	0.022	S(2)	0.005	S(4)	0.001	O(1)	0.000	S(1)	0.024	S(2)	-0.008	S(4)	0.001	O(1)	0.000
S(2)	0.001	N(1)	0.007	N(2)	0.001	As	0.000	S(2)	0.007	N(1)	-0.011	N(2)	0.001	P	0.000
S(3)	-0.006	C(1)	-0.018	C(2)	-0.003			S(3)	-0.020	C(1)	0.028	C(2)	-0.002		
S(4)	0.027	C(3) ^b	0.052	C(5) ^b	0.353			S(4)	0.042	C(3) ^b	0.037	C(5) ^b	-0.225		
O(1)	-0.014	C(4) ^b	-0.304	C(6) ^b	-0.188			O(1)	-0.026	C(4) ^b	-0.315	C(6) ^b	0.029		
N(1) ^b	0.676					N(1) ^b	0.599								
N(2) ^b	-0.091					N(2) ^b	-0.071								
C(1) ^b	0.288					C(1) ^b	0.212								
C(2) ^b	-0.026					C(2) ^b	-0.023								
ϵ		ζ		η											
Atom	Δ	Atom	Δ	Atom	Δ										
C(11)	0.049	C(17)	-0.045	C(23)	0.036										
C(12)	-0.016	C(18)	-0.010	C(24)	0.006										
C(13)	-0.032	C(19)	0.054	C(25)	-0.035										
C(14)	0.048	C(20)	-0.039	C(26)	0.020										
C(15)	-0.013	C(21)	-0.011	C(27)	0.026										
C(16)	-0.036	C(22)	0.052	C(28)	-0.052										

Angles between the Planes, Deg

$\angle \alpha \beta$	17.6	$\angle \epsilon \zeta$	86.7	$\angle \alpha \beta$	15.1	$\angle \epsilon \zeta$	88.7
$\angle \alpha \gamma$	2.7	$\angle \epsilon \eta$	79.7	$\angle \alpha \gamma$	2.4	$\angle \epsilon \eta$	83.0
$\angle \alpha \delta$	9.9	$\angle \zeta \eta$	88.1	$\angle \alpha \delta$	10.9	$\angle \zeta \eta$	84.6

^a Equations of the least-squares planes are in the form $PX + QY + RZ = S$, and X, Y, Z refer to crystallographic coordinates.

^b Atoms not included in the least-squares calculation.

TABLE VII
ATOMIC PARAMETERS OF $\text{UO}_2(\text{DTC})_2(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_3\text{PO}^a$

Atom	x	y	z	β_{11}	β_{22}	β_{33}	β_{12}	β_{13}	β_{23}
U	-381 (1)	1709 (2)	1892 (1)	23 (1)	102 (2)	21 (1)	5 (1)	8 (1)	6 (1)
P	1148 (5)	3069 (12)	3556 (4)	31 (3)	74 (18)	26 (3)	3 (6)	8 (2)	-3 (5)
S(1)	-1270 (5)	565 (12)	2645 (4)	31 (3)	166 (21)	20 (2)	-5 (6)	8 (2)	-4 (5)
S(2)	-1849 (5)	315 (13)	143 (5)	34 (4)	166 (22)	24 (3)	-20 (7)	10 (3)	3 (6)
S(3)	-561 (6)	1908 (15)	488 (5)	39 (4)	179 (24)	30 (3)	-25 (8)	11 (3)	-5 (7)
S(4)	806 (6)	3212 (15)	1584 (5)	40 (4)	193 (23)	31 (3)	-25 (9)	15 (3)	12 (8)
O(1)	487 (13)	2375 (29)	2992 (10)	43 (9)	154 (46)	12 (6)	31 (16)	8 (6)	8 (13)
Atom	x	y	z	$B, \text{\AA}^2$	Atom	x	y	z	$B, \text{\AA}^2$
O(2)	128 (16)	173 (35)	1931 (13)	6.7 (6)	C(13)	2831 (22)	1678 (53)	2900 (18)	5.9 (7)
O(3)	-862 (16)	3339 (35)	1847 (13)	6.4 (6)	C(14)	3354 (28)	2827 (55)	3078 (24)	7.5 (10)
N(1)	-2733 (18)	-148 (38)	1910 (15)	5.7 (7)	C(15)	3288 (30)	3998 (57)	3461 (25)	6.1 (12)
N(2)	629 (20)	3238 (44)	276 (16)	6.6 (7)	C(16)	2612 (31)	4072 (60)	3625 (25)	7.2 (12)
C(1)	-2024 (21)	165 (45)	1895 (18)	4.7 (8)	C(17)	1397 (28)	2298 (54)	4398 (23)	4.1 (11)
C(2)	326 (24)	2825 (46)	752 (20)	6.0 (9)	C(18)	2070 (23)	1847 (52)	4788 (19)	5.9 (8)
C(3)	-2891 (26)	-299 (53)	2546 (22)	6.9 (10)	C(19)	2220 (29)	1035 (54)	5419 (24)	6.7 (11)
C(4)	-3415 (35)	-130 (79)	1241 (29)	14.1 (15)	C(20)	1544 (31)	861 (60)	5601 (26)	7.6 (12)
C(5)	234 (36)	2650 (68)	-472 (31)	9.0 (15)	C(21)	826 (35)	1276 (66)	5159 (29)	7.2 (14)
C(6)	1396 (31)	4070 (60)	503 (26)	8.1 (13)	C(22)	696 (26)	1920 (54)	4540 (22)	5.5 (9)
C(7)	-3169 (29)	1236 (57)	2735 (24)	8.1 (12)	C(23)	957 (23)	4945 (51)	3672 (19)	4.8 (8)
C(8)	-3546 (35)	-1675 (77)	964 (29)	13.3 (15)	C(24)	1236 (27)	5701 (56)	4257 (24)	6.8 (10)
C(9)	575 (35)	3336 (73)	-964 (29)	12.8 (14)	C(25)	986 (31)	7369 (59)	4242 (26)	8.1 (12)
C(10)	2146 (34)	3209 (70)	763 (28)	10.6 (14)	C(26)	550 (26)	7956 (52)	3653 (22)	7.4 (10)
C(11)	2081 (21)	3109 (45)	3389 (17)	4.0 (7)	C(27)	295 (29)	7183 (54)	3042 (24)	7.4 (11)
C(12)	2184 (24)	1793 (56)	3033 (20)	5.9 (9)	C(28)	475 (28)	5616 (56)	3031 (24)	5.6 (11)

^a Coordinates $\times 10^4$. Standard deviations from the least-squares refinement are in parentheses. Anisotropic thermal parameters are defined by $T = \exp\{-(\beta_{11}h^2 + \beta_{22}k^2 + \beta_{33}l^2 + 2\beta_{12}hk + 2\beta_{13}hl + 2\beta_{23}kl)\}$, and each β_{ij} is multiplied by 10^4 .

TABLE VIII

OBSERVED AND CALCULATED STRUCTURE FACTORS ($\times 10$) OF $\text{UO}_2(\text{DTC})_2(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_3\text{PO}$

TABLE VIII (*Continued*)

M	n	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o	p	q	r	s	t	u	v	w	x	y	z								
1	111	-10	399	472	-16	538	558	-11	1155	-1259	-16	315	396	-11	1000	-1024	-10	1016	999	-14	167	76	-17	493	-488	-6	470	-386							
1	127	727	737	-11	731	597	1	662	-810	-8	1067	-1045	-17	358	-405	-13	490	-665	-12	708	-529	-19	152	-464	-13	388	-372	-7	1037	-947					
1	140	-12	610	536	-3	594	-863	9	736	717	-29	217	-405	-13	971	-970	-13	252	-534	-1	545	-114	-1	247	-573	-8	654	-511	-6	805	-777				
1	173	-8	616	516	-10	621	693	-11	650	704	-10	1064	-1082	0	1231	-1082	-13	369	-165	-18	866	-339	-2	421	-397	-5	438	-530	-11	1106	-1075				
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performed on the IBM 7040-7094 system using the programs included in X-ray 63.

Solution and Refinement.—The structure of $\text{UO}_2(\text{DTC})_2(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_3\text{AsO}$ was used for a starting model. The structure factor calculation with the coordinates taken from the results of the arsine analog yielded an R of 16%. Refinement proceeded by full-matrix least squares in which the same weighting scheme was used as for the refinement of the isomorphous compound. Two final cycles in which anisotropy was introduced for some atoms as revealed by a difference synthesis dropped the R index to the final value of 9.8% for the observed reflections. Final atomic parameters are given in Table VII. Observed and calculated structure factors are listed in Table VIII. Bond lengths, bond angles, and the best mean planes are given in Tables IV–VI. The molecular geometry and the numbering scheme used are the same as for $\text{UO}_2(\text{DTC})_2(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_3\text{AsO}$.

Results and Discussion

Molecular weight determination showed the B and C to be monomeric species (B: found, 794; calcd, 844. C: found, 880; calcd, 888), and the molar conductance in nitromethane showed A to be a uni-univalent electrolyte according to its salt-type formulation.

Some physical data of the examined compounds are reported in Table I. Spectral behavior similar to that of the acetato complexes^{2b} in regard to the asymmetric stretching of the U-O (uranyl) bond and of the As-O and P-O vibration modes can be seen from the ir absorption bands. The P-O stretching absorption shifts largely toward the lower frequencies while the corresponding As-O bond vibration appears not to be

significantly influenced by the complex formation. On the other hand in these compounds as well as in the previously reported acetato complexes^{2b} the lowering of the U-O asymmetric stretching frequency is larger in the arsine than in the phosphine oxide complexes. This systematic feature could be explained¹² assuming a larger donation effect of the arsine oxide with respect to the phosphine oxide.

The probable assignments of the most interesting absorption bands of the diethyldithiocarbamate group were made on the basis of the published spectral studies.¹⁸ The absorption around 1000 cm^{-1} (A, 1005 cm^{-1} ; B, 995 cm^{-1} ; C, 992 cm^{-1}) is related to the C-S group vibration and the strong absorption band at 1480 cm^{-1} (A, 1485 cm^{-1} ; B, 1480 cm^{-1} ; C, 1479 cm^{-1}) determined in chloroform solution is assigned to the C-N bond.

The electronic spectra of such complexes, called "anisotropic" because of the large equatorial bond distances in comparison with the short uranyl bond lengths, are characterized in the semiempirical approach of optical electronegativity¹⁴ by two different electronegativity values (χ) for the uranium atom, dealing with the uranyl or with the uranium-equatorial ligand system.¹⁵ Thus for $K[UO_2(DTC)_3]$ $\chi_{DTC^-} = 2.5$ and $\chi_{U(VI)} = 1.8$. The electronic absorption spectra of these compounds are characterized by two intense bands deriving from electronic transitions localized in the uranyl system, corresponding to charge-transfer

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transitions from the equatorial ligands to the uranium atom, which cover the extremely weak band centered around 24 kK. The red uranyl dithiocarbamate phosphine or arsine oxides show two band maxima (or shoulders), whose energy difference is about 6 kK. A similar energy increment was found in the electronic spectrum of UO_2^{2+} , by Bell and Biggers,¹⁶ with bands at 31, 37, and so on up to 60 kK. According to these authors this energy difference is too large to be associated to perturbing molecular vibrations and is assumed to represent a regular energy increment between the nonbonding orbitals of uranium.

In our case a comparison with some transition metal atom complexes as such $\text{Ni}(\text{DTC})_2$ or $\text{Co}(\text{DTC})_3$,¹⁷ whose charge-transfer electronic transitions differ in energy by about 6 kK, induces us to believe that the two electronic transitions arise from two molecular orbitals mainly localized on the sulfur atoms to the same empty molecular orbital of uranium, thus corresponding to $\pi(\text{ligand}) \rightarrow f(\text{uranium})$ transitions.

The crystal structures of the isomorphous pair are composed of discrete molecules. In each complex molecule two dithiocarbamate ligands are planarily chelated to the uranium atom through the sulfur atoms. In the same plane the ligand L ($L = (\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_3\text{AsO}$ or $(\text{C}_6\text{H}_5)_3\text{PO}$) is coordinated through the oxygen atom. The uranyl group is normal to the equatorial plane. The geometry of the coordination polyhedron is thus a slightly irregular pentagonal bipyramid, the uranium atom having coordination number 7. The uranyl groups are linear. The U-O bond lengths of 1.71 ± 0.03 Å for the arsine and of 1.67 ± 0.03 and 1.72 ± 0.03 Å for the phosphine compound are normal and within error limits equal to the values of 1.72 ± 0.04 and 1.69 ± 0.05 Å found in $[(\text{CH}_3)_4\text{N}]^+[\text{UO}_2(\text{DTC})_3]^-$,⁵ the first DTC uranyl complex for which structural information is available. The U-S distances, averaging 2.84 ± 0.02 Å, are equal in the two molecules. However they are larger by about 0.04 Å than the mean value of 2.80 ± 0.01 Å reported for the U-S distances

in the above-mentioned ionic complex in which six sulfur atoms are equatorially linked to uranium. The S-C distances are in general close to those found in several DTC complexes and their average value S-C = 1.71 ± 0.07 Å in both the structures seems to be normal. The N-C bond lengths confirm their high double-bond character. The angles S-U-S agree very well in both of the structures with a mean value of $62.2 \pm 0.04^\circ$. A review¹⁸ of the available structures of DTC complexes suggests that some connection exists between the values of the S-M-S angles (M = metal) and the M-S bond lengths, the tendency being that the angles decrease as the distances increase. This is especially evident in the structures here reported in which the mean M-S distance of 2.84 Å, being the longest of the series, corresponds to S-M-S angles of about 62° , the smallest. This fact appears to be consistent with the rigid structure of the chelating group. (The M-S-C angles are all in the range 83 - 88° , irrespective of the nature of the metal M, and the S-C distances are constant.) The fact that in $[(\text{CH}_3)_4\text{N}]^+[\text{UO}_2(\text{DTC})_3]^-$ a large U-S distance (2.80 ± 0.01 Å) coincides with S-U-S angles of $73.5 \pm 0.05^\circ$, which are about 10° larger than we would expect on the basis of the observed tendency, seems to be due reasonably to the different coordination geometry. In fact the presence of six sulfur atoms equatorially coordinated implies very short contacts between sulfur atoms of adjacent carbamate groups. The resulting steric repulsion appears to be responsible both for the staggered structure and for a decrease in the S-C-S angle (110°), the increase of the S-U-S angle being a consequence of the former feature. The U-O (ligand) distances of 2.30 ± 0.02 and 2.34 ± 0.02 Å as well as the As-O and P-O distances of 1.64 ± 0.02 and 1.49 ± 0.03 Å agree with the corresponding values found in the nitrate^{2a} and in the acetate^{2b} complexes, confirming the strong π contribution to the As-O and P-O bonds.

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