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XXXVIII *. REACTIONS BETWEEN M(C2R)(PR $\mathbf{3}_{\mathbf{3}}$ ) ( $\mathbf{M}=\mathbf{C u}, \mathbf{A g}, \mathbf{A u} ; \mathbf{R}=\mathbf{P h}$, $\left.\mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{~F}_{5} ; \mathrm{R}^{\prime}=\mathrm{Me}, \mathrm{Ph}\right)$ AND $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}:$ X-RAY STRUCTURES OF Os $\mathbf{3}_{3} \mathrm{Au}(\mu-$ $\mathbf{C H}=\mathbf{C H R})(\mathbf{C O})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)\left(\mathrm{R}=\mathrm{Ph}\right.$ AND $\left.\mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{~F}_{5}\right)$

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## Summary

The reactions of $\mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mu-\mathrm{H})_{2}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}$ with a series of Group IB metal acetylide-tertiary phosphine complexes are described. Whereas the compounds $\mathrm{M}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{~F}_{5}\right)\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)$ $(\mathrm{M}=\mathrm{Cu}, \mathrm{Ag}, \mathrm{Au})$ afforded the complexes $\mathrm{MOs}_{3}\left(\mu-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHC}_{6} \mathrm{~F}_{5}\right)(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)$ cleanly and in high yield, complex mixtures of products were obtained from reactions of the analogous phenylacetylides. The complexes $\mathrm{MOs}_{3}(\mu$ $\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh})(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right), \mathrm{MOs}_{3}(\mu-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh})(\mathrm{CO})_{9}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)_{2}$ and $\mathrm{MOs}_{3}(\mu-\mathrm{H})-$ $(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)$ (of known structure), and $\mathrm{MOs}_{3}(\mu-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh})(\mathrm{CO})_{9}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)_{2}$ and $\mathrm{HMOs}_{3}(\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CPh})(\mathrm{CO})_{8}$ (of unknown structure) were characterised; $\mathrm{Au}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{Ph}\right)$ $\left(\mathrm{PMe}_{3}\right)$ afforded similar derivatives. The reactions proceed by oxidative-addition and hydrogen migration steps; $\mathrm{M}-\mathrm{P}$ bond cleavage reactions also occur to a small extent. The molecular structures of $\mathrm{AuOs}_{3}\left(\mu-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHC}_{6} \mathrm{R}_{5}\right)(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(\mathrm{R}=\mathrm{F}$ or H ) were determined by X -ray analyses. For $\mathrm{R}=\mathrm{F}$, crystals are triclinic, space group $P \overline{1}$, with $a$ 9.081(2), b 13.291(2), $c$ 17.419(2) $\AA, \alpha$ 84.49(1), $\beta$ 76.20(2), $\gamma 75.81(2)^{\circ}$ and $Z=2 ; 4622$ observed data $[I>2.5 \sigma(I)]$ were refined to $R=0.027, R_{\mathrm{w}}=0.031$. For $\mathrm{R}=\mathrm{H}$, crystals are triclinic, space group $P \overline{1}$, with $a \operatorname{9.403(4),b} 13.448(3)$, $c$ 13.774(4) $\AA, \alpha 83.34(2), \beta 88.66(3), \gamma 70.21(3)^{\circ}$, and $Z=2 ; 4405$ observed data [ $I>2.5 \sigma(I)$ ] were refined to $R=0.030, R_{\mathrm{w}}=0.033$. The two molecules differ in the orientation of the Ph rings of the $\mathrm{PPh}_{3}$ groups, but are otherwise similar to $\mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mu-\mathrm{H})\left(\mu-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHBu}^{\mathrm{t}}\right)(\mathrm{CO})_{10}$ with the $\mu-\mathrm{H}$ ligand replaced by the isolobal $\mu$ $\mathrm{Au}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)$ group.

## Introduction

The synthesis of gold-containing heterometallic cluster compounds has benefitted from the introduction of new synthetic routes. Those which have been employed

[^0]with a wide variety of substrated include (a) reactions of anionic metal cluster complexes with $\mathrm{AuCl}\left(\mathrm{PR}_{3}\right)(\mathrm{R}=\mathrm{Et}, \mathrm{Ph})$, often in the presence of thallium(I) [1], (b) elimination of methane in reactions of $\mathrm{AuMe}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)$ with hydrido-cluster complexes [2], (c) addition of up to three $\mathrm{Au}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)$ moieties by reactions of anionic complexes with $\left[\left\{\mathrm{Au}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right\}_{3} \mathrm{O}\right]^{+}[3]\right.$. The first cluster complexes containing gold, however, were made by oxidative addition of $\mathrm{AuX}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)\left(\mathrm{X}=\right.$ halide, SCN , etc.) to $\mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{12}$ [4], and these reactions have recently been reinvestigated [5], and extended to the pentanuclear complex $\mathrm{Ru}_{5} \mathrm{C}(\mathrm{CO})_{15}$ [6].

Reactions between $\mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mu-\mathrm{H})_{2}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}$ or $\mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{12}$ and 1-alkynes have given complexes containing $\mu-\eta^{1}, \eta^{2}$-vinyl (1), $\mu_{3}-\eta^{1}, 2 \eta^{2}$-alkynyl (2), $\mu_{3}-2 \eta^{1}, \eta^{2}$-alkyne (3) and $\mu_{3}-\eta^{1}, \eta^{2}$-vinylidene (4) ligands [7]. These derivatives are related by thermal rearrangement, hydrogen-migration or -elimination reactions. In the particular case of $\mathrm{HC}_{2} \mathrm{Ph}$, the first-formed products are ( $1 ; \mathrm{R}=\mathrm{Ph}$ ) and ( $2 ; \mathrm{R}=\mathrm{Ph}$ ); the vinylidene complex ( $4 ; R=P h$ ) is formed by heating the former in refluxing octane [8]. Similar results were recently described for reactions of $\mathfrak{t}$-butylacetylene (3,3-dimethylbut-1yne) [9].

(1)

(3)

(2)

(4)

This paper reports some results of a study of the reactions which occur between $\mathrm{M}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{R}\right)\left(\mathrm{PR}_{3}^{\prime}\right)\left(\mathrm{M}=\mathrm{Au}, \mathrm{Ag}, \mathrm{Cu} ; \mathrm{R}=\mathrm{Ph}, \mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{~F}_{5} ; \mathrm{R}^{\prime}=\mathrm{Me}, \mathrm{Ph}\right)$ and $\mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mu-\mathrm{H})_{2}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}$, which might be expected to proceed by both oxidative addition of the $\mathrm{RC}_{2}-\mathrm{M}\left(\mathrm{PR}_{3}^{\prime}\right)$ complex, and addition of the cluster-bound hydrogen to the acetylide moiety. Oxidative addition of $\mathrm{Au}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{Ph}\right)\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)$ to $\mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}(\mathrm{NCMe})_{2}$ was reported to give a $28 \%$ yield of $\mathrm{AuOs}_{3}\left(\mu_{3}-\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{Ph}\right)(\mathrm{CO})_{9}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)$ [10]. X-ray crystal structures of the two title complexes were determined during the course of this work, which offered a rare opportunity to compare chemically the behaviour of derivatives of the three Group IB metals.

## Results

Reactions between $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{Os}_{3}\left(\mathrm{CO}_{10}\right.$ and $\mathrm{M}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{~F}_{5}\right)\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)$
In toluene at $-11^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, a rapid reaction occurs between $\mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mu-\mathrm{H})_{2}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}$ and $\mathrm{Au}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{~F}_{5}\right)\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)$ to give $\mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{Au}\left(\mu-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHC}_{6} \mathrm{~F}_{5}\right)(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(5)$ in quantitative
yield. This deep red complex was fully characterised by X-ray methods (see below), and its spectroscopic properties are consistent with the solid state structure. The $\nu(\mathrm{CO})$ spectrum is given in Table 1, and the NMR data in Table 2. A weak $\boldsymbol{\nu}(\mathrm{C}=\mathrm{C})$ absorption was found at $1618 \mathrm{~cm}^{-1}$. There is no high-field ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ resonance, but the appearance of two resonances at $\delta 8.63$ and 5.57 ppm , assigned to the two protons on the $\mathrm{C}=\mathrm{C}$ double bond, is characteristic; a 14 Hz coupling confirms the trans stereochemistry. The CO groups are not fluxional in 5 .

The structure of 5 , which is entirely analogous to other complexes of type 1 obtained from 1-alkynes and $\mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mu-\mathrm{H})_{2}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}$, results from a formal trans addition of the two H atoms to the $\mathrm{C} \equiv \mathrm{C}$ triple bond, and oxidative addition of the $\mathrm{Au}-\mathrm{C}$ bond to the $\mathrm{Os}=\mathrm{Os}$ bond in the hydrido complex. This is a familiar reaction pattern with $\mathrm{AuX}\left(\mathrm{PR}_{3}\right)$ complexes; we cannot say for certain which reaction occurs first, nor indeed, whether they are concerted.

Analogous complexes 6 and 7 were obtained in 99 and $98 \%$ yield, respectively, from reactions between the corresponding silver or copper complexes and $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}$, which were carried out in toluene below $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. The $\mu(\mathrm{CO})$ spectra of 6 and 7 were similar to that of 5 , but the ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR spectra revealed that the CO ligands in both complexes are fluxional at room temperature.

TABLE 1
IR $\nu(\mathrm{CO})$ AND $\nu(\mathrm{CC})$ ABSORPTIONS $\left(\mathrm{cm}^{-1}\right)^{\alpha}$

| Complex | $\boldsymbol{v}$ (CO) | $\nu(\mathrm{C}=\mathrm{C})$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 2094s,2072m,2063m,2040vs,2037vs,2017vs,1992s,1987s,1971s, } \\ & \text { 1960s } \end{aligned}$ | 1618w |
| 6 | 2097w,2078s, 2063vs, 2033m,2013m,1998m,1979m,1958m | 1602w |
| 7 | $2099 \mathrm{w}, 2076 \mathrm{~s}, 2063(\mathrm{sh}), 2055 \mathrm{vs}, 2033 \mathrm{vs}, 2018 \mathrm{~s}, 2033 \mathrm{~s}, 1985 \mathrm{~m}$, $1977 \mathrm{~m}, 1948 \mathrm{vw}$ | 1608w |
| 8 | 2095m,2050s,2047m,2015s,2001s,1981m |  |
| 9 | 2090m,2047s,2040m,2008s,1996m,1977m |  |
| 10 | 2092w,2052m,2046m,2012s,2000ms,1986m |  |
| 11 | 2094w,2052m, 2047m,2015s,2001m,1986m |  |
| 12 | 2090m,2070m,2060s,2047s,2041vs,2020m,1999s,1989s,1963m | 1610w |
| 13 | $2087 \mathrm{~m}, 2068 \mathrm{~m}, 2058 \mathrm{~s}, 2045 \mathrm{vs}, 2040 \mathrm{vs}, 2017 \mathrm{~m}, 1998 \mathrm{~s}, 1985 \mathrm{~s}$, 1971(sh),1960m | 1604w |
| 14 | 2096w,2070m,2055s,2046vs,2037vs,2018s,2006s,1996(sh), $1979 \mathrm{~m}, 1961 \mathrm{~m}$ | 1615w |
| 15 | $2100 \mathrm{w}, 2071 \mathrm{~m}, 2059 \mathrm{~s}, 2048 \mathrm{vs}, 2040 \mathrm{vs}, 2020 \mathrm{~s}, 2005 \mathrm{~s}, 1996$ (sh), 1980m,1966(sh) | 1621w |
| 16 | 2092m,2073m, 2065s,2050s,2047vs,2040s,2020m,1997s,1972m | 1563w |
| 17 | 2094m,2075m,2066s,2055m,2038s,2015s,1985vs,1945m | 1604w |
| 18 | 2094w,2072s,2066vs,2045vs,2040vs,2036s,1985s,1949m | 1617w |
| 19 | 2090w,2069vs,2049s,2041s,2037s,2017vs,1988(sh),1955(sh) | 1681w |
| 20 | 2091m,2077m,2063vs,2046s,2037m,2018s,2009s,1892m | 1607m |
| 21 | 2095m, 2073s,2069vs,2044vs,2017vs,1999s,1983s,1943m | 1561w |
| 22 | 2084w,2072s,2066vs,2045vs,2018vs,2001s,1985s,1949m | 1592w |
| 24 | 2116w,2070ws,2054w,2037s,2023m,2015m,1800m | 1513 m |
| 25 | $2120 \mathrm{w}, 2075 \mathrm{vs}, 2058 \mathrm{~m}, 2040 \mathrm{~s}, 2025 \mathrm{~m}, 2019 \mathrm{~m}, 1825 \mathrm{~m}$. | 1540 m |
| 26 | 2121w,2077vs,2060m,2043s,2029m,2021m,1817m | 1542m |

[^1]

(5) $M=A u$
(6) $\mathrm{M}=\mathrm{Ag}$

|  | M | R |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| (8) | Au | Me |
| (9) | Au | Ph |
| (10) | Ag | Ph |
| (11) | Cu | Ph |

Reactions between $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}$ and $\mathrm{M}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{Ph}\right)\left(\mathrm{PR}_{3}\right)$
The reactions of Group IB phenylacetylide complexes containing tertiary phosphine ligands are not as specific as those of $\mathrm{M}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{~F}_{5}\right)\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(\mathrm{M}=\mathrm{Cu}, \mathrm{Ag}$ or Au$)$. As described in detail in the Experimental section, complexes of the following types were isolated: $\mathrm{HOs}_{3} \mathrm{M}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PR}_{3}\right), \mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{M}(\mu-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh})(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PR}_{3}\right), \mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{M}(\mu-$ $\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh})(\mathrm{CO})_{9}\left(\mathrm{PR}_{3}\right), \quad \mathrm{HOs}_{3} \mathrm{M}\left(\mu_{3}-\mathrm{HCCPh}\right)(\mathrm{CO})_{8}$ and $\mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{M}(\eta-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh})-$ $(\mathrm{CO})_{9}\left(\mathrm{PR}_{3}\right)_{2}(\mathrm{M}=\mathrm{Cu}, \mathrm{Ag}$ or $\mathrm{Au} ; \mathrm{R}=\mathrm{Me}$ or Ph ; but not all combinations). It is

TABLE 2
${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR CHEMICAL SHIFTS ( $\delta, \mathrm{ppm}$ ) AND COUPLING CONSTANTS ( Hz )

| Complex | CHCHR | CHCHR | Ph | Other | Solvent ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5 | $5.57 \mathrm{~d}(14)$ | 8.63d(14) | 7.51 m |  | A |
| 6 | $5.51 \mathrm{~d}(14.2)$ | 8.42d(14.5) | 7.35 m |  | A |
| 7 | $5.41 \mathrm{~d}(14.7)$ | $8.41 \mathrm{~d}(15.5)$ | $6.87 \mathrm{~m}, 7.26 \mathrm{~m}$ |  | A |
| 8 |  |  | 7.58s | PMe 1.71d(12) | B |
|  |  |  |  | $\mathrm{Os} H-15.3 \mathrm{~s}$ |  |
| 9 |  |  | 7.52 m | $\mathrm{Os} H-22.1 \mathrm{~s}$ | B |
| 10 |  |  | 7.50 m | Os $H-14.6 \mathrm{~s}$ | C |
| 11 |  |  | 7.59 m | Os $H-13.4 \mathrm{~s}$ | B |
| 12 | $5.11 \mathrm{~d}(13)$ | $b$ | 7.55 m | PMe 8.31d(12) | A |
| 13 | $5.27 \mathrm{~d}(14)$ | $b$ | 7.61 m |  | A |
| 14 | $5.38 \mathrm{~d}(14)$ | $7.91 \mathrm{~d}(14)$ | 7.48 m |  | A |
| 15 | $4.30 \mathrm{~d}(9)$ | 8.19 d (10) | 7.25 m |  | A |
| 16 | 5.09 d (14) | $7.99 \mathrm{~d}(14)$ | 7.59 m | PMe 1.75d(12) | B |
| 17 | $5.26 \mathrm{~d}(14)$ | $8.16 \mathrm{~d}(14)$ | 7.44 m | . | A |
| 18 | $5.09 \mathrm{~d}(14)$ | $8.35 \mathrm{~d}(14)$ | 7.55 m |  | B |
| 19 | $5.01 \mathrm{~d}(14)$ | $8.20 \mathrm{~d}(14)$ | 7.54 m |  | B |
| 20 | 4.98 s |  | 7.48 m | $\begin{aligned} & \text { PMe } 8.26 \mathrm{~d}(12) \\ & \mathrm{Os} H-17.6 \mathrm{~s} \end{aligned}$ | A |
| 21 | 5.24 d (14) | 8.12 d (14) | 7.43m |  | A |
| 22 | 5.09 d (14) | $7.98 \mathrm{~d}(14)$ | 7.55 m |  | A |
| 24 | 5.10 s |  | 7.58 m | Os $H-21.6 s$ | A |
| 25 | 4.88 s |  | 7.54 m | Os $H-19.8$ s | A |
| 26 | 4.69 s |  | 7.49 m | Os $H-17.3 \mathrm{~s}$ | B |

[^2]convenient to discuss each type of complex individually.
(a) $\mathrm{HOs}_{3} \mathrm{M}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PR}_{3}\right) \quad(\mathrm{M}=\mathrm{Au}, \mathrm{R}=\mathrm{Me}$ (8), Ph (9); $\mathrm{M}=\mathrm{Ag}$ (10), Cu (11), $R=P h$ ). These complexes were isolated in low yield, and were identified by their $\nu(\mathrm{CO})$ spectra, which are similar, and by comparison with that of $\mathrm{HOs}_{3} \mathrm{Au}(\mathrm{CO})_{10^{-}}$ $\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)$ [5]. The ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR spectra all contain high-field resonances, and the mass spectrum of $\mathrm{HOs}_{3} \mathrm{Au}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PMe}_{3}\right)(9)$ contains a molecular ion centred on $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}=$ 1124, and fragment ions corresponding to stepwise loss of the CO ligands at lower $m / z$ values.
(b) $\mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{M}(\mu-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh})(\mathrm{CO})_{1 o}\left(\mathrm{PR}_{3}\right) \quad(M=A u, \quad R=M e$ (12), Ph (13); $M=\mathrm{Ag}$ (14), $C u(15), R=P h$ ). These complexes are the major products formed in these reactions, and their $\nu(\mathrm{CO})$ spectra are closely similar to those of 5-7. In addition, a weak $\nu(\mathrm{C}=\mathrm{C})$ band was present in their IR spectra. The ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR spectra also



|  | M | R |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| (12) | Au | Me |
| (13) | Au | Ph |
| (14) | Ag | Ph |
| $(15)$ | Cu | Ph |


|  | M | R |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $(16)$ | Au | Me |
| $(17)$ | Au | Ph |
| $(18)$ | Ag | Ph |
| $(19)$ | Cu | Ph |

contained resonances assigned to the $\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CH}$ protons in a trans arrangement, as well as signals from the Ph protons (and Me , if present). A molecular ion centred on $m / z=1227$ was found in the mass spectrum of $\mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{Au}(\mu-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh})(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PMe}_{3}\right)$ (12). Finally, the X -ray structure of $\mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{Au}(\mu-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh})(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)$ (13) (see below) confirmed the analogy with 5.
(c) $\mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{M}(\mu-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh})(\mathrm{CO})_{9}\left(\mathrm{PR}_{3}\right)_{2} \quad(M=A u, \quad R=M e$ (16), Ph (17); $\mathrm{M}=\mathrm{Ag}$ (18), $C u$ (19), $R=P h$ ). These complexes were obtained as minor products from these reactions, although they are apparently not formed if the reactions are carried out above $30^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. The $\nu(\mathrm{CO})$ bands in their IR spectra show a close correspondence (Table 1). In their ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR spectra (Table 2), the appropriate resonances show that addition of 2 H to the $\mathrm{C} \equiv \mathrm{C}$ triple bond has occurred to give a trans $\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CH}$ moiety. The mass spectrum of $\mathbf{1 6}$ contains a molecular ion cluster centred on $m / z=1275$. The most likely structure for these compounds is analogous to those of complexes 12-15, with a second tertiary phosphine ligand replacing one of the CO groups on osmium. We note that a previous study of replacement of CO by $\mathrm{PR}_{3}$ in hydrocarbon complexes of ruthenium found that substitution occurred at the ruthenium bearing a $\sigma$-bonded (rather than $\pi$-bonded) organic ligand [11]. If this behaviour is emulated by our complexes, the second $\mathrm{PR}_{3}$ ligand will be on one of the $\mathrm{M}\left(\mathrm{PR}_{3}\right)$ bridged osmiums; interconversion of the $\mu-\eta^{1}, \eta^{2}$-vinyl ligand is reported to occur with $\mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mu-\mathrm{H})\left(\mu-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CH}_{2}\right)(\mathrm{CO})_{10}$ [12]. As the only source of the second $\mathrm{PR}_{3}$
ligand is the $\mathrm{Au}\left(\mathrm{PR}_{3}\right)$ moiety, it follows that $\mathrm{Au}-\mathrm{P}$ bond cleavage must occur to a limited extent during these reactions (but see below).
(d) $\mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{M}(\mu-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh})\left(\mathrm{CO}_{9}\left(\mathrm{PR}_{3}\right) \quad(\mathrm{M}=\mathrm{Au}, \mathrm{R}=\mathrm{Me}\right.$ (20), Ph (21); $\mathrm{M}=\mathrm{Ag}$, $R=P h(22)$ ). The identities of these compounds were established by comparison of their IR $\nu(\mathrm{CO})$ spectra with that of $\mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{Au}(\mu-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh})(\mathrm{CO})_{9}\left(\mathrm{PMe}_{3}\right)$, which gave a molecular ion centred on $m / z=1199$, and fragment ions formed by loss of CO ligands. Their ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR spectra are consistent with the presence of a $\mu$ - $\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh}$ moiety (Table 2) but their formulation must include another $2 e$ donor if the cluster electron count is precise. The absence of any detectable high-field resonance in their ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR spectra rules out their formulation as hydridoalkyne complexes of type 3 (with one $\mu-\mathrm{H}$ ligand replaced by an $\mathrm{M}\left(\mathrm{PR}_{3}\right)$ group) or as hydrido-o-styryl com-
$\mathrm{OS}_{3} \mathrm{M}(\mu-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh})(\mathrm{CO})_{\mathrm{g}}\left(\mathrm{PR}_{3}\right)$

|  | M | R |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $(20)$ | Au | Me |
| (21) | Au | Ph |
| (22) | Ag | Ph |

$\mathrm{HOs}_{3} \mathrm{M}(\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CPh})(\mathrm{CO})_{8}$

(24) Au
(23)
(25) Ag
(26) Cu
plexes formed by an intramolecular cyclometallation reaction. One possibility is that they are formally unsaturated $46 e$ cluster complexes, stabilised by interaction of the aryl group in a manner similar to that found for $\mathrm{Ru}_{3}(\mu-\mathrm{H})\left(\mu-\mathrm{PPh}_{2}\right)(\mathrm{CO})_{9}$ [13]; unfortunately, no crystals suitable for X-ray study have been obtained.
(e) $\mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{Au}_{2}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)_{2}$ (23). This complex was obtained, together with complexes $9,13,17,20$ and 24 , from a single reaction between $\mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mu-\mathrm{H})_{2}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}$ and $\mathrm{Au}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{Ph}\right)\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)$ carried out in refluxing benzene. It was identified by analysis and a comparison of its $\nu(\mathrm{CO})$ spectrum with that reported by Johnson, Lewis and their coworkers [14].
(f) $\mathrm{HOs}_{3} \mathrm{M}(\mu-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CPh})(\mathrm{CO})_{8}(\mathrm{M}=\mathrm{Au}$ (24), Ag (25), Cu (26)). These unusual complexes do not contain a teriary phosphine ligand, so that cleavage of the Group IB element-P bond has occurred, as mentioned in (c) above. The presence of the Group IB element in these minor products has not been unambiguously established, and the formulation is based on the close similarity of their $\nu(\mathrm{CO})$ and $\nu(\mathrm{C}=\mathrm{C})$ bands and of their ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR spectra, together with microanalytical data which change appropriately along the series $\mathrm{M}=\mathrm{Au}, \mathrm{Ag}, \mathrm{Cu}$. In their ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR spectra, the single resonance between $\delta 4.5-5.5 \mathrm{ppm}$ is assigned to a CH proton, the chemical shift being similar to those found for other $\mu_{3}-\eta^{2}$-alkynes. A band between 1800 and $1825 \mathrm{~cm}^{-1}$ suggests the presence of at least one $\mu$-CO ligand, while the high energy $\nu(\mathrm{CO})$ absorption at $2120 \mathrm{~cm}^{-1}$ may indicate some Group IB metal-CO interaction.

Crystal structures of $\mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{Au}\left(\mu-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHC}_{6} X_{5}\right)(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(X=H$ or F$)$
The molecular structures of complexes 5 and 13 are essentially identical, differing only in the orientation of the phenyl rings of the $\mathrm{PPh}_{3}$ ligands. Crystals contain


Fig. 1. PLUTO-plot of one molecule of $\mathrm{AuOs}_{3}\left(\mu-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHC}_{6} \mathrm{~F}_{5}\right)(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(5)$, showing atom-numbering scheme.


Fig. 2. PLUTO-plot of one molecule of $\mathrm{AuOs}_{3}(\mu-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh})(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)$ (13), showing atom-numbering scheme.
discrete molecules of the complex, with no intermolecular contacts less than the sum of Van der Waals radii. Plots of the molecular structures are given in Fig. 1 ( $\mathrm{X}=\mathrm{F}$ ) and $2(\mathrm{X}=\mathrm{H})$. Some details of the heavy atom cores are given in Table 3.

The $\mathrm{Au}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)$ group bridges one edge of the $\mathrm{Os}_{3}$ triangle, the four metal atoms forming a 'butterfly' arrangement similar to those found in several related complexes. The $\mu-\eta^{1}, \eta^{2}$-vinyl ligand, formed by transfer of the two cluster-bound H atoms from the precursor $\mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mu-\mathrm{H})_{2}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}$ to the acetylide unit, bridges the other side of the $\mathrm{Os}-\mathrm{Os}$ hinge of the $\mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{Au}$ core. The ten CO ligands are distributed three to each Os attached to Au and four to the unique Os atom.

The $\mathrm{Os}-\mathrm{Os}$ bond lengths comprise a set of one short (2.854(1), 2.864(1) $\AA$; values for 5 given first), one medium (2.894(1), 2.882(1) $\AA$ ), and one longer bond (2.922(1), $2.924(1) \AA$ ). The short bonds are somewhat shorter than the average values found in $\mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{12}(2.877(3) \AA[15])$ but considerably longer than the similar bond in $\mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mu-\mathrm{H})\left(\mu-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHBu}^{t}\right)(\mathrm{CO})_{10}(2.814(2) \AA$ [9]). The longest bonds are from the $\mathrm{Os}(\mathrm{CO})_{4}$ group to the Os bearing the $\pi$-vinyl group, while the intermediate $\mathrm{Os}-\mathrm{Os}$ separation is that bridged by the $\mathrm{Au}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)$ and vinyl carbon $\mathrm{C}(11)$. The average Os-Os separation is the same for both complexes. Comparison with the $\mu$-hydrido derivatives in Table 3 shows that the presence of the $\mathrm{Au}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)$ group results in a lengthening of the average Os-Os separations by some 0.03-0.045 $\AA$; this enlarging effect on replacing $\mu$ - H by the isolobal $\mu-\mathrm{Au}\left(\mathrm{PR}_{3}\right)$ group has been observed previously, e.g. in $\mathrm{Ru}_{3}(\mu-\mathrm{X})(\mu-\mathrm{COMe})(\mathrm{CO})_{10}$ (average $\mathrm{Ru}-\mathrm{Ru}$ separations $2.811 \AA$ $(\mathrm{X}=\mathrm{H})[16], 2.854 \AA\left(\mathrm{X}=\mathrm{Au}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)\right.$ [17]).

The Au-Os separations differ, the shorter being that to $\mathrm{Os}(1)$ with the $\pi$-vinyl ligand $(2.766(1), 2.738(1) \AA$, for (5) and (13), respectively). The range (2.738(1)-2.795(1) $\AA$ ) is similar to values found for other gold-osmium complexes. The observed variations, together with the dihedral angles found for the $\mathrm{Os}_{3} / \mathrm{Os}_{2} \mathrm{Au}$ planes ( 126.9 and $125.8^{\circ}$ ), further demonstrate the tendency of the $\mathrm{Au}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)$ group to accommodate differences in crystal packing requirements by a bending of the metal skeleton $[18,19]$.

Coordination of the vinyl ligands to $\operatorname{Os}(1)$ and $\operatorname{Os}(2)$ in (5) and (13) is essentially identical within experimental error, with an $\mathrm{Os}(1)-\mathrm{C}(11) \sigma$-bond of $2.13,2.11 \AA$, and unequal bonds to $\mathrm{Os}(1)(\mathrm{Os}(1)-\mathrm{C}(11) 2.276(6), 2.25(1) ; \mathrm{Os}(1)-\mathrm{C}(12) 2.40(1), 2.45(1)$ $\AA$ ). Within the vinyl ligands, the $C(11)-C(12)$ separations are identical within experimental error. The orientations of the $\mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{~F}_{5}$ and Ph groups with respect to the $\mathrm{C}(11)-\mathrm{C}(12)$ vectors are also similar (angles between $\mathrm{C}(11) \mathrm{C}(12) \mathrm{C}(13)$ (or $\mathrm{C}(18)$ ) and $\mathrm{C}(14) \mathrm{C}(13) \mathrm{C}(18)$ (or $\mathrm{C}(13) \mathrm{C}(18) \mathrm{C}(17)$ ) planes are 11.8 and $11.7^{\circ}$, respectively). The only difference is found in the $\mathrm{C}(12)-\mathrm{C}(13)$ (or $\mathrm{C}(12)-\mathrm{C}(18)$ ) distances, which are $1.488(12)$ and $1.516(17) \AA$, respectively. These parameters are similar to those found in other structurally characterised $\mu-\eta^{1}, \eta^{2}$-vinyl complexes, such as $\mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mu-\mathrm{H})(\mu$ $\left.\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHBu}^{\mathrm{t}}\right)(\mathrm{CO})_{9}[9]$ or $\mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mu-\mathrm{H})(\mu-\mathrm{CPh}=\mathrm{CHPh})(\mathrm{CO})_{9}[20]$ (Table 3).

## Discussion

The major product obtained from reactions between $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}$ and $\mathrm{M}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{Ph}\right)\left(\mathrm{PR}_{3}\right)(\mathrm{M}=\mathrm{Cu}, \mathrm{Ag}, \mathrm{Au} ; \mathrm{R}=\mathrm{Me}, \mathrm{Ph})$ is, in each case, the $\mu-\eta^{1}, \eta^{2}$-vinyl complex exemplified by 5 and 13, which were structurally characterised. These complexes are analogous to the hydrido complexes $\mathrm{HOs}_{3}(\mu-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHR})(\mathrm{CO})_{10}$ formed from $\mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mu-\mathrm{H})_{2}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}$ and 1-alkynes, and the isolobal relationship between

TABLE 3
SELECTED BOND DISTANCES ( $\AA$ ) AND ANGLES (deg) IN SOME Os ${ }_{3}$ ( $\mu$-vinyl) COMPLEXES


| Bond $\mathbf{X}=$ <br> or angle $\mathbf{R}=$ <br>  $\mathbf{R}^{\prime}=$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{Au}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right) \\ & \mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{~F}_{5} \\ & \mathrm{H} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{Au}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right) \\ & \mathrm{Ph} \\ & \mathrm{H} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{H}{ }^{a} \\ & \mathrm{Bu}^{\mathrm{t}} \\ & \mathrm{H} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{H}^{b} \\ & \mathrm{Ph} \\ & \mathrm{Ph} \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\overline{\mathrm{Os}(1)-\mathrm{Os}(2)}$ | 2.894(1) | 2.882(1) | 2.814(2) | 2.821(3) |
| $\mathrm{Os}(1)-\mathrm{Os}(3)$ | 2.922(1) | 2.924(1) | 2.876(3) | 2.884(3) |
| $\mathrm{Os}(2)-\mathrm{Os}(3)$ | 2.854(1) | 2.864(1) | 2.841(2) | 2.877(3) |
| $\mathrm{Os}(1)-\mathrm{Au}(1)$ | 2.766(1) | 2.738(1) |  |  |
| $\mathrm{Os}(2)-\mathrm{Au}(1)$ | 2.777(1) | 2.795(1) |  |  |
| $\mathrm{Au}(1)-\mathrm{P}(1)$ | 2.315(2) | $2.307(4)$ |  |  |
| $\mathrm{Os}(1)-\mathrm{C}(11)$ | 2.276(6) | 2.251(14) | 2.27(2) | 2.28(4) |
| $\mathrm{Os}(1)-\mathrm{C}(12)$ | 2.403(7) | 2.448(16) | 2.43(2) | 2.45(4) |
| $\mathrm{Os}(2)-\mathrm{C}(11)$ | $2.133(8)$ | $2.107(15)$ | 2.10(2) | 2.15(4) |
| $\mathrm{C}(11)-\mathrm{C}(12)$ | 1.396(10) | 1.393(24) | 1.38(4) | 1.36(5) |
| $\mathrm{C}(12)-\mathrm{C}(\mathrm{R})$ | 1.488(12) | 1.516(17) |  |  |
| $\mathrm{Os}(1)-\mathrm{C}(11)-\mathrm{C}(12)$ | 120.3(6) | 123.3(10) | 124(2) | 128(3) |
| $\mathrm{C}(11)-\mathrm{C}(12)-\mathrm{C}(\mathrm{R})$ | 127.2(7) | 127.5(12) | 122(2) | 130(3) |

${ }^{a}$ Ref. 19. ${ }^{b}$ Average values for two independent molecules; ref. 14.
H and the $\mathrm{M}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)$ moiety, particularly well-studied for $\mathrm{M}=\mathrm{Au}$, underlines this similarity. Their formation is best interpreted in terms of an initial oxidative-addition of $\mathrm{RC}_{2}-\mathrm{M}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)$ across the $\mathrm{Os}=\mathrm{Os}$ double bond in $\mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mu-\mathrm{H})_{2}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}$, followed by migration of the cluster hydride ligands to the $\mu-\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{R}$ group.

It is interesting to find clean reactions occurring between the pentafluorophenyl derivatives and $\mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mu-\mathrm{H})_{2}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}$, which proceed quantitatively. This may be related to the molecular structures of these Group IB derivatives, which for $M=A u$ we have recently shown to be monomeric, without any of the extended interactions found in other Group IB acetylide complexes which have been studied [21]. The reactions of the phenylacetylide complexes are more complex, up to five different complexes being characterised, including examples containing two $\mathrm{PR}_{3}$ ligands per Group IB atom (16-19), and others containing no $\mathrm{PR}_{3}$ ligands. Although the solid state structures of $\mathrm{M}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{Ph}\right)\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(\mathrm{M}=\mathrm{Cu}, \mathrm{Ag}, \mathrm{Au})$ have not yet been described, related complexes are known to adopt oligomeric or polymeric $\left\{\left[\mathrm{M}\left(\mathrm{PR}_{3}^{\prime}\right)_{3}\right]\left[\mathrm{M}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{R}_{2}\right]\right\}_{n}\right.$ zwitter-ionic structures [22], and it is easy to envisage formation of the $\mathrm{PR}_{3}$-rich or -poor complexes by reaction with the cationic or anionic components, respectively. The results described in this paper show that complexes formed by the three

Group IB metal derivatives in reactions with $\mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mu-\mathrm{H})_{2}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}$ are very similar, and although structural studies were only performed on the $\mathrm{Au}-\mathrm{Os}$ complexes, the close similarities in the spectra of the silver and copper analogous allow us to assign their structures with confidence.

## Experimental

All reactions were carried out in oven-dried glassware under an atmosphere of nitrogen although subsequent work-up was carried out with no special precautions to exclude air. Reagent-grade solvents were dried and distilled before use. IR spectra were obtained with a Perkin-Elmer 683 double-grating spectrometer; ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ and ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR spectra were recorded on a Bruker WP80 instrument; mass spectra were obtained with an AEI/GEC MS3074 spectrometer. Microanalyses were by the Canadian Microanalytical Service, Vancouver.

The Group IB-acetylide complexes were obtained as described previously [21]; $\mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mu-\mathrm{H})_{2}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}$ was made by the literature procedure [23]. Melting points, microanalytical data and molecular weights are collected in Table 4, while selected IR and ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR data appear in Tables 1 and 2, respectively.

Reactions between $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{Os}_{3}\left(\mathrm{CO}_{10}\right.$ and $\mathrm{M}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{~F}_{5}\right)\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)$
(a) $A u\left(C_{2} C_{6} F_{5}\right)\left(P P_{3}\right)$. A mixture of $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}(500 \mathrm{mg}, 0.59 \mathrm{mmol})$ and $\mathrm{Au}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{~F}_{5}\right)\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(380 \mathrm{mg}, 0.58 \mathrm{mmol})$ in toluene $(10 \mathrm{ml})$ was stirred for 15 min at $-11^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. The solvent was removed in vacuo, and recrystallisation of the residue (toluene/n-octane) gave an initial crop of red-crystals ( 755 mg ). Addition of n-hexane to the mother liquor afforded a further 123 mg of red $\mathrm{AuOs}_{3}\left(\mu-\eta^{2}-\right.$ $\left.\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHC}_{6} \mathrm{~F}_{5}\right)(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(5)$ (total yield, $878 \mathrm{mg}, 98 \%$ ).
(b) $\mathrm{Ag}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{C}_{6} F_{5}\right)\left(P \mathrm{Ph} h_{3}\right)$. A mixture of $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}(50 \mathrm{mg}, 0.06 \mathrm{mmol})$ and $\mathrm{Ag}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{~F}_{5}\right)\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(33 \mathrm{mg}, 0.06 \mathrm{mmol})$ in toluene $(30 \mathrm{ml})$ was stirred for 45 min at $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. The solvent was then removed in vacuo, and the residue recrystallised from toluene/n-octane. Two subsequent crystallisations gave red crystalline $\mathrm{AgOs}_{3}\left(\mu-\eta^{2}-\right.$ $\left.\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHC}_{6} \mathrm{~F}_{5}\right)(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(6)(83 \mathrm{mg}, 99 \%)$.
(c) $\mathrm{Cu}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{C}_{6} F_{5}\right)\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)$. A mixture of $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}(50 \mathrm{mg}, 0.06 \mathrm{mmol})$ and $\mathrm{Cu}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{~F}_{5}\right)\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(30 \mathrm{mg}, 0.06 \mathrm{mmol})$ in toluene ( 30 ml ) was stirred for 2 h at $-23^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. The solvent was then removed in vacuo, and the residue recrystallised from toluene/n-octane to give $\mathrm{CuOs}_{3}\left(\mu-\eta^{2}-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHC}_{6} \mathrm{~F}_{5}\right)(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(7)(80 \mathrm{mg}, 98 \%)$.

Reactions between $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}$ and $\mathrm{Au}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{Ph}\right)\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)$
(a) A mixture of $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}(203 \mathrm{mg}, 0.24 \mathrm{mmol})$ and $\mathrm{Au}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{Ph}^{( }\right)\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(133$ $\mathrm{mg}, 0.24 \mathrm{mmol}$ ) in toluene ( 50 ml ) was stirred at $-18^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 30 min . The solvent was then removed in vacuo. Preparative TLC ( $15 \%$ diethyl ether/cyclohexane developer, Kieselgel $\mathrm{GF}_{254}$ adsorbent) gave the following bands:
(i) green $\mathrm{HAuOs}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(9)(28 \mathrm{mg}, 9 \%), R_{f} 0.61$. Recrystallised from benzene/n-pentane as its benzene solvate.
(ii) red $\mathrm{AuOs}_{3}\left(\mu-\eta^{2}-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh}\right)(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(13)(118 \mathrm{mg}, 35 \%), R_{f} 0.56$. Recrystallised from toluene $/ \mathrm{n}$-octane.
(iii) yellow-brown $\mathrm{AuOs}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{9}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh})(21)(23 \mathrm{mg}, 7 \%), R_{f} 0.52 . \mathrm{Re}-$ crystallised from toluene/n-octane.
(iv) yellow $\mathrm{HAuOs}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{8}(\mathrm{CHCPh})(24)(13 \mathrm{mg}, 5 \%), R_{f} 0.49$. Recrystallised from acetone/n-pentane.
(v) yellow, $R_{f} 0.75$ (uncharacterised). Infrared ( $\mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{12}$ ): $\nu(\mathrm{CO})$ 2106m, 2086s, $2078 \mathrm{vs}, 2069 \mathrm{~m}, 2052 \mathrm{vs}, 2022 \mathrm{~m}, 2009 \mathrm{~m}, 2000 \mathrm{~m}, 1985 \mathrm{w} \mathrm{cm}^{-1}$.
(vi) yellow, $R_{f} 0.68$ (uncharacterised). Infrared $\left(\mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{12}\right): \nu(\mathrm{CO}) 2108 \mathrm{~m}, 2080 \mathrm{vs}$, 2056vs, 2034s, 2014s, $1987 \mathrm{~m}, 1967 \mathrm{w} \mathrm{cm}^{-1}$.

TABLE 4
ANALYTICAL DATA

| Complex (Formula) | M.p. <br> $\left({ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$ | Analysis (Found (calcd.) (\%)) |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | C | H | Other | $M^{\text {a }}$ |
| 5 |  | 28.67 | 0.90 | (F) $5.44(6.32)$ | 1489(A) |
| $\mathrm{C}_{36} \mathrm{H}_{17} \mathrm{AuF}_{5} \mathrm{O}_{10} \mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{P}$ |  | (28.77) | (1.14) | (P) 2.83(2.06) | (1502) |
| 6 |  | 29.80 | 1.49 |  | 1410(A) |
| $\mathrm{C}_{36} \mathrm{H}_{17} \mathrm{AgF}_{5} \mathrm{O}_{10} \mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{P}$ |  | (30.58) | (1.21) |  | (1413) |
| 7 |  | 31.64 | 0.68 |  | 1369(B) |
| $\mathrm{C}_{36} \mathrm{H}_{17} \mathrm{CuF}_{5} \mathrm{O}_{10} \mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{P}$ |  | (31.57) | (1.25) |  | (1369) |
| $8 \mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{6}$ |  | 18.54 | 1.87 |  | 1124(MS) |
| $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{10} \mathrm{AuO}_{10} \mathrm{Os}_{3}$ P.C. $\mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{6}$ |  | (18.97) | (1.34) |  | (1124) |
| $9 \mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{6}$ | 169-172 | 29.33 | 1.12 |  |  |
| $\mathrm{C}_{28} \mathrm{H}_{16} \mathrm{AuO}_{10} \mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{P} \mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{6}$ |  | (29.40) | (1.59) |  |  |
| 10 |  | 28.44 | 1.17 |  |  |
| $\mathrm{C}_{28} \mathrm{H}_{16} \mathrm{AgO}_{10} \mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{P}$ |  | (27.51) | (1.40) |  |  |
| 11 |  | 27.67 | 1.54 |  | 1204(A) |
| $\mathrm{C}_{28} \mathrm{H}_{16} \mathrm{CuO}_{10} \mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{P}$ |  | (28.51) | (1.54) |  | (1177) |
| 12 | 59-62 | 19.83 | 1.63 |  | 1227(MS) |
| $\mathrm{C}_{21} \mathrm{H}_{16} \mathrm{AuO}_{10} \mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{P}$ |  | (20.56) | (1.31) |  | (1227) |
| 13 | 66-69 | 30.55 | 1.38 | (P) 2.37(2.19) | 1425(A) |
| $\mathrm{C}_{36} \mathrm{H}_{22} \mathrm{AuO}_{10} \mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{P}$ |  | (30.58) | (1.57) |  | (1412) |
| 14 | 104(dec) | 33.72 | 2.07 |  |  |
| $\mathrm{C}_{36} \mathrm{H}_{22} \mathrm{AgO}_{10} \mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{P}$ |  | (32.66) | (1.67) |  |  |
| 15 | 96-99 | 33.00 | 1.47 |  | 1296(A) |
| $\mathrm{C}_{36} \mathrm{H}_{22} \mathrm{CuO}_{10} \mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{P}$ |  | (33.79) | (1.73) |  | (1279) |
| 16 |  | 21.93 | 2.14 |  | 1275(MS) |
| $\mathrm{C}_{23} \mathrm{H}_{25} \mathrm{AuO}_{9} \mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{P}_{2}$ |  | (21.67) | (1.97) |  | (1275) |
| $17 \mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{6}$ | 130(dec) | 41.17 | 2.22 |  | 1629(B) |
| $\mathrm{C}_{53} \mathrm{H}_{37} \mathrm{AuO}_{9} \mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{P}_{2} \cdot \mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{6}$ |  | (41.08) | (2.51) |  | (1646) |
| 18 | 251-255 | 39.65 | 2.39 |  | 1563(A) |
| $\mathrm{C}_{53} \mathrm{H}_{37} \mathrm{AgO}_{9} \mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{P}_{2}$ |  | (40.85) | (2.71) |  | (1557) |
| 19 |  | 42.13 | 2.86 |  | 1521(A) |
| $\mathrm{C}_{53} \mathrm{H}_{37} \mathrm{CuO}_{9} \mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{P}_{2}$ |  | (42.02) | (2.53) |  | (1513) |
| 20 |  | 19.46 | 1.95 |  | 1199(MS) |
| $\mathrm{C}_{20} \mathrm{H}_{16} \mathrm{AuO}_{9} \mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{P}$ |  | (20.04) | (1.34) |  | (1199) |
| 21 | 130(dec) | 30.15 | 1.50 |  | 1369(A) |
| $\mathrm{C}_{35} \mathrm{H}_{22} \mathrm{AuO}_{9} \mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{P}$ |  | (30.35) | (1.60) |  | (1384) |
| $22 \mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{6}$ | 262(dec) | 35.71 | 1.71 |  |  |
| $\mathrm{C}_{35} \mathrm{H}_{22} \mathrm{AgO}_{9} \mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{P}^{2} \mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{6}$ |  | (35.84) | (2.05) |  |  |
| 23 |  | 30.81 | 1.55 |  | 1812(A) |
| $\mathrm{C}_{46} \mathrm{H}_{30} \mathrm{Au}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{10} \mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{P}_{2}$ |  | (31.23) | (1.71) |  | (1768) |
| 24 | 186(dec) | 17.85 | 0.92 | (O)11.55(11.69) | 1125(A) |
| $\mathrm{C}_{16} \mathrm{H}_{7} \mathrm{AuO}_{8} \mathrm{Os}_{3}$ |  | (17.55) | (0.64) |  | (1094) |
| $25 \mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{6}$ | 122(dec) | 24.34 | 1.18 |  |  |
| $\mathrm{C}_{16} \mathrm{H}_{7} \mathrm{AgO}_{8} \mathrm{Os}_{3} \cdot \mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{6}$ |  | (24.38) | (1.18) |  |  |
| 26 |  | 19.50 | 0.56 |  | 1003(A) |
| $\mathrm{C}_{16} \mathrm{H}_{7} \mathrm{CuO}_{8} \mathrm{Os}_{3}$ |  | (19.99) | (0.73) |  | (961) |

[^3](vii) light red, $R_{f} 0.36$ (uncharacterised). Infrared ( $\mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{12}$ ): $\boldsymbol{\nu}(\mathrm{CO}) 2069 \mathrm{~s}, 2057 \mathrm{~m}$, 2045s, 2018vs, 2002(sh), 1999s, 1982m, 1963s, 1955w, $1721 \mathrm{~m} \mathrm{~cm}^{-1}$.
(b) A mixture of $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}(102 \mathrm{mg}, 0.12 \mathrm{mmol})$ and $\mathrm{Au}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{Ph}\right)\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(65$ $\mathrm{mg}, 0.12 \mathrm{mmol}$ ) in benzene ( 50 ml ) was heated at reflux point for 18 h . The solvent was removed in vacuo, and preparative TLC ( $15 \%$ diethyl ether/cyclohexane developer, Kieselgel $\mathrm{GF}_{254}$ adsorbent) separated the following products:
(i) green $\mathrm{HAuOs}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(9)(3 \mathrm{mg}, 2 \%), R_{f} 0.61$.
(ii) red $\mathrm{AuOs}_{3}\left(\mu-\eta^{2}-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh}\right)(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(13)(61 \mathrm{mg}, 36 \%), R_{f} 0.56$.
(iii) yellow-brown $\mathrm{AuOs}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{9}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh})(\mathbf{2 0})(5 \mathrm{mg}, 3 \%), R_{f} 0.52$.
(iv) yellow $\mathrm{HAuOs}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{8}(\mathrm{CHCPh})(24)(17 \mathrm{mg}, 13 \%), R_{f} 0.49$.
(v) purple $\mathrm{AuOs}_{3}\left(\mu-\eta^{2}-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh}\right)(\mathrm{CO})_{9}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)_{2}(17)(12 \mathrm{mg}, 6 \%), R_{f} 0.40$. Recrystallised from benzene/n-hexane as its benzene solvate.
(vi) red-black $\mathrm{Au}_{2} \mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)_{2}(23)(6 \mathrm{mg}, 3 \%), R_{f} 0.18$. Recrystallised from $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2} /$ n-hexane. IR $\nu(\mathrm{CO})$ (cyclohexane): 2067m, 2055(sh), 2015vs, 1988(sh), $1979 \mathrm{~s}, 1967 \mathrm{~m}, 1943 \mathrm{w} \mathrm{cm}{ }^{-1}$ (lit. [13] $\nu(\mathrm{CO})\left(\mathrm{CHCl}_{3}\right): 2067 \mathrm{w}, 2012 \mathrm{~s}, 1977 \mathrm{~m}, 1965 \mathrm{w}$, $\left.1937 \mathrm{~m} \mathrm{~cm}^{-1}\right) .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $\delta$ [( $\left.\left(\mathrm{CD}_{3}\right)_{2} \mathrm{CO}\right]: 7.71 \mathrm{~m} \mathrm{ppm}$, Ph. Found: C, 30.81; H, 1.55, $M$ (acetone) 1812; $\mathrm{C}_{46} \mathrm{H}_{30} \mathrm{Au}_{2} \mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{O}_{10} \mathrm{P}_{2}$ calcd.: $\mathrm{C}, 31.23 ; \mathrm{H}, 1.71 \% ; M 1769$.
(vii) five other products were obtained in trace quantities only.

Reaction between $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{Os}_{3}\left(\mathrm{CO}_{10}\right.$ and $\mathrm{Au}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{Ph}\right)\left(\mathrm{PMe}_{3}\right)$
A mixture of $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}(200 \mathrm{mg}, 0.23 \mathrm{mmol})$ and $\mathrm{Au}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{Ph}\right)\left(\mathrm{PMe}_{3}\right)(176 \mathrm{mg}$, 0.47 mmol ) in benzene ( 20 ml ) was stirred at room temperature for 16 h . The solvent was then removed in vacuo, and preparative TLC ( $45 \%$ diethyl ether/cyclohexane developer, Kieselgel H adsorbent) separated the following complexes:
(i) green $\mathrm{HAuOs}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PMe}_{3}\right)$ (8) ( $11 \mathrm{mg}, 4 \%$ ), $R_{f} 0.89$. Recrystallised from benzene/n-octane as its benzene solvate.
(ii) red $\mathrm{AuOs}_{3}\left(\mu-\eta^{2}-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh}\right)(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PMe}_{3}\right)$, (12) $(78 \mathrm{mg}, 27 \%) R_{f} 0.73$. Recrystallised from dichloromethane/cyclohexane.
(iii) yellow $\mathrm{HAuOs}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{9}\left(\mathrm{PMe}_{3}\right)(\mathrm{CHCPh})(20)(8 \mathrm{mg}, 3 \%), R_{f} 0.66$.
(iv) deep crimson $\mathrm{AuOs}_{3}\left(\mu-\eta^{2}-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh}\right)(\mathrm{CO})_{9}\left(\mathrm{PMe}_{3}\right)_{2}(\mathbf{1 6})(18 \mathrm{mg}, 6 \%), R_{f}$ 0.39 . Recrystallised from benzene/n-heptane.

Reaction between $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{Os}_{3}\left(\mathrm{CO}_{I O}\right.$ and $\mathrm{Ag}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{Ph}\right)\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)$
(a) A mixture of $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}(210 \mathrm{mg}, 0.25 \mathrm{mmol})$ and $\mathrm{Ag}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{Ph}\right)\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(120$ $\mathrm{mg}, 0.25 \mathrm{mmol}$ ) in toluene ( 50 ml ) was stirred for 2.5 h at $-20^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. The solvent was then removed in vacuo, and preparative TLC ( $15 \%$ diethyl ether/cyclohexane developer, Kieselgel H adsorbent, conducted under nitrogen) separated four complexes:
(i) red $\mathrm{HAgOs}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(\mathbf{1 0})(21 \mathrm{mg}, 7 \%), R_{f} 0.76$. Complex 10 is light-sensitive and must be isolated with minimal exposure to light.
(ii) red $\mathrm{AgOs}_{3}\left(\mu-\eta^{2}-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh}\right)(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(14)(170 \mathrm{mg}, 52 \%), R_{f}{ }^{\prime} 0.60$. Recrystallised from benzene/n-hexane. Complex 14 decomposes slowly in light, but can be stored indefinitely in the dark under nitrogen.
(iii) orange $\mathrm{HAgOs}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{8}(\mathrm{CHCPh})(\mathbf{2 5})(15 \mathrm{mg}, 6 \%), R_{f} 0.51$. Recrystallised from benzene $/ n$-hexane as its benzene solvate.
(iv) dark orange $\mathrm{AgOs}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{9}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh})(22)(22 \mathrm{mg}, 7 \%), R_{f} 0.47$.
(b) A mixture of $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}(150 \mathrm{mg}, 0.18 \mathrm{mmol})$ and $\mathrm{Ag}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{Ph}\right)\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(90$ $\mathrm{mg}, 0.19 \mathrm{mmol}$ ) in benzene ( 35 ml ) was stirred at room temperature for 15 min . The
solvent was then removed in vacuo, and preparative TLC ( $15 \%$ diethyl ether/cyclohexane developer, Kieselgel $\mathrm{GF}_{254}$ adsorbent, under nitrogen) separated 12 brightly coloured bands:
(i) red $\mathrm{HAgOs}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(10)(9 \mathrm{mg}, 4 \%), R_{f} 0.76$.
(ii) red $\mathrm{AgOs}_{3}\left(\mu-\eta^{2}-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh}\right)(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(14)(98 \mathrm{mg}, 42 \%), R_{f} 0.61$.
(iii) orange $\mathrm{HAgOs}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{8}(\mathrm{CHCPh})(25)(16 \mathrm{mg}, 9 \%), R_{f} 0.51$.
(iv) orange $\mathrm{AgOs}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{9}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(\mathrm{CHCHPh})(22)(9 \mathrm{mg}, 4 \%), R_{f} 0.47$.
(v) crimson $\mathrm{AgOs}_{3}\left(\mu-\eta^{2}-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh}\right)(\mathrm{CO})_{9}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)_{2}(18)(16 \mathrm{mg}, 6 \%), R_{f} 0.30$. Recrystallised from $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}$ /benzene/n-heptane.
(vi) seven other products were observed, but remain uncharacterised.

Reaction between $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}$ and $\mathrm{Cu}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{Ph}\right)\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)$
(a) A mixture of $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}(100 \mathrm{mg}, 0.12 \mathrm{mmol})$ and $\mathrm{Cu}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{Ph}^{( }\right)\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)$ (42 $\mathrm{mg}, 0.10 \mathrm{mmol}$ ) in toluene ( 60 ml ) was stirred for 3.5 h at $-30^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. The solvent was removed in vacuo, and preparative TLC ( $25 \%$ diethyl ether/cyclohexane developer, Kieselgel $\mathrm{GF}_{254}$ adsorbent) isolated two products:
(i) yellow $\mathrm{HCuOs}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(11)(18 \mathrm{mg}, 13 \%), R_{f} 0.56$. Recrystallised from diethyl ether/cyclohexane.
(ii) yellow $\mathrm{CuOs}_{3}\left(\mu-\eta^{2}-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh}\right)(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)$ (15) (104 mg, 69\%), $R_{f} 0.51$. Recrystallised from toluene/n-octane.
(b) A mixture of $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{Os}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}(100 \mathrm{mg}, 0.12 \mathrm{mmol})$ and $\mathrm{Cu}\left(\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{Ph}\right)\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(50$ $\mathrm{mg}, 0.12 \mathrm{mmol}$ ) in benzene ( 40 ml ) was stirred for 19 h at room temperature. The solvent was removed in vacuo, and preparative TLC ( $25 \%$ diethyl ether/cyclohexane developer, Kieselgel $\mathrm{GF}_{254}$ adsorbent) separated eight products:
(i) yellow $\mathrm{HCuOs}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(11)(4 \mathrm{mg}, 3 \%), R_{f} 0.56$.
(ii) yellow $\mathrm{CuOs}_{3}\left(\mu-\eta^{2}-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh}\right)(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPH}_{3}\right)(15)(62 \mathrm{mg}, 41 \%), R_{f} 0.51$.
(iii) yellow $\mathrm{HCuOs}_{3}(\mathrm{CO})_{8}(\mathrm{CHCPh})(26)(9 \mathrm{mg}, 8 \%), R_{f} 0.42$. Recrystallised from benzene/n-heptane.
(iv) orange-red $\mathrm{CuOs}_{3}\left(\mu-\eta^{2}-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHPh}\right)(\mathrm{CO})_{9}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)_{2}(19)(5 \mathrm{mg}, 3 \%), R_{f} 0.23$. Recrystallised from diethyl ether/n-pentane.
(v) four other products were observed, but remain uncharacterised.

## Crystal structures of 5 and 13

In the account that follows, values for complex 13 are enclosed in square brackets after the corresponding values for 5 .

A crystal of dimensions $0.08 \times 0.69 \times 0.81 \mathrm{~mm}[0.06 \times 0.13 \times 0.84 \mathrm{~mm}$ ] was mounted on a glass fibre and coated with cyanoacrylate super-glue. Lattic parameters were determined by a least-squares fit to the setting angles of 25 independent reflections, measured and refined from scans performed on an Enraf-Nonius CAD4 four-circle diffractometer employing graphite-monochromated Mo- $K_{\alpha}$ radiation.

Crystal data. 5: $\mathrm{C}_{36} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{AuF}_{5} \mathrm{O}_{10} \mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{P}$, mol. wt. 1504.1; triclinic, space group $P \overline{1}$, a 9.081(2), b 13.291(2), c 17.419(2) A, $\alpha$ 84.49(1), $\beta$ 76.20(2), $\gamma 75.81(2)^{\circ} ; U 1977.8$ $\AA^{3} ; Z=2, D_{\mathrm{c}} 2.52 \mathrm{~g} \mathrm{~cm}^{-3} ; F(000) 1362$ electrons; $\lambda\left(\mathrm{Mo}-K_{\alpha}\right) 0.7107 \AA, \mu\left(\mathrm{Mo}-K_{\alpha}\right)$ $134.0 \mathrm{~cm}^{-1}$.

13: $\mathrm{C}_{36} \mathrm{H}_{23} \mathrm{AuO}_{10} \mathrm{Os}_{3} \mathrm{P}$, mol. wt. 1254.1; triclinic, space group $P \overline{1} ; a$ 9.403(4), $b$ 13.448(3), $c$ 13.774(4) $\AA$, $\alpha$ 83.34(2), $\beta$ 88.66(3), $\gamma 70.21(3)^{\circ} ; U 1863.9 \AA^{3}, Z=2, D_{c}$ $2.23 \mathrm{~g} \mathrm{~cm}^{-1} ; F(000) 1280$ electrons; $\lambda\left(\mathrm{Mo}-K_{\alpha}\right) 0.7107 \AA, \mu\left(\mathrm{Mo}-K_{\alpha}\right) 141.9 \mathrm{~cm}^{-1}$.

Intensity data were collected in the range $1.5<\theta<23^{\circ}$ [1.2 $<\theta<20^{\circ}$ ] using an

TABLE 5. POSITIONAL PARAMETERS FOR NON-HYDROGEN ATOMS IN AuOs ${ }_{3}(\mu$-CHCH$\left.\mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{~F}_{5}\right)(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(5)\left(\mathrm{Au}, \mathrm{Os} \times 10^{5}\right.$; other atoms $\left.\times 10^{-4}\right)$

| Atom | $x$ | $y$ | 2 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\mathrm{Au}(1)$ | 3624(4) | 39150(2) | 25967(2) |
| $\mathrm{Os}(1)$ | -8806(3) | 22417(2) | 24963(2) |
| Os(2) | 24436(3) | 20931(2) | 20385(2) |
| $\mathrm{Os}(3)$ | 12917(4) | 6599(2) | 32186(2) |
| $\mathrm{P}(1)$ | -246(2) | 5650(1) | 2894(1) |
| F(1) | -765(6) | 462(3) | 783(3) |
| F(2) | -2674(6) | 356(4) | -131(3) |
| F(3) | -4219(7) | 2099(5) | -792(4) |
| F(4) | -3733(8) | 3977(5) | -564(4) |
| F(5) | -1727(6) | 4102(4) | 313(3) |
| O(1) | 1437(9) | -823(5) | 1927(4) |
| O(2) | 1230(9) | 2278(6) | 4383(4) |
| O(3) | 4396(10) | - 588(6) | 3531(7) |
| O(4) | -1006(11) | - 382(8) | 4401(5) |
| O(5) | -3467(8) | 4036(6) | 2139(5) |
| O(6) | -2719(8) | 575(5) | 2550(4) |
| O(7) | - 2247(8) | 2551(7) | 4257(4) |
| O(8) | 4311(8) | 2685(7) | 3114(4) |
| O(9) | 3375(9) | 3695(6) | 763(4) |
| $\mathrm{O}(10)$ | 5075(8) | 295(6) | 1372(4) |
| C(1) | 1364(10) | - 244(7) | 2408(5) |
| C(2) | 1260(10) | 1702(7) | 3945(5) |
| C(3) | 3240(12) | -113(8) | 3423(6) |
| C(4) | -156(12) | 4(8) | 3966(6) |
| C(5) | -2427(10) | 3384(7) | 2250(5) |
| C(6) | -2021(9) | 1202(7) | 2518(5) |
| C(7) | -1677(11) | 2426(7) | 3604(5) |
| C(8) | 3577(11) | 2479(7) | 2742(5) |
| C(9) | 3005(10) | 3100(7) | 1241(5) |
| C(10) | 4083(10) | 964(7) | 1638(5) |
| C(11) | 967(8) | 1685(5) | 1393(4) |
| C(12) | -107(8) | 2456(6) | 1083(4) |
| C(13) | -1171(8) | 2311(6) | 593(4) |
| $\mathrm{C}(14)$ | -1451(9) | 1361(6) | 457(4) |
| C(15) | -2457(9) | 1265(6) | -8(5) |
| C(16) | -3202(10) | 2162(7) | -353(5) |
| C(17) | -2992(10) | 3107(7) | -231(5) |
| C(18) | - 1956(9) | 3162(6) | 223(5) |
| C(19) | -1525(7) | 6050(3) | 1573(3) |
| C(20) | -2150(7) | 6671(3) | 983(3) |
| C(21) | -2252(7) | 7738(3) | 940(3) |
| C(22) | -1729(7) | 8185(3) | 1486(3) |
| C(23) | -1103(7) | 7564(3) | 2076(3) |
| C(24) | -1001(7) | 6496(3) | 2120(3) |
| C(25) | 1140(5) | 6901(4) | 3593(3) |
| C(26) | 2382(5) | 7326(4) | 3627(3) |
| C(27) | 3805(5) | 7040(4) | 3088(3) |
| C(28) | 3986(5) | 6329(4) | 2514(3) |
| C(29) | 2743(5) | 5904(4) | 2480(3) |
| C(30) | 1320(5) | 6191(4) | 3019(3) |
| C(31) | -2824(7) | 6830(4) | 3931(3) |
| C(32) | -3938(7) | 6970(4) | 4642(3) |
| C(33) | -3944(7) | 6174(4) | 5225(3) |
| C(34) | -2836(7) | 5236(4) | 5097(3) |
| C(35) | -1722(7) | 5096(4) | 4386(3) |
| C(36) | -1716(7) | 5892(4) | 3803(3) |

TABLE 6
POSITIONAL PARAMETERS FOR NON $-H Y D R O G E N ~ A T O M S ~ I N ~ A u O s ~ s ~(~ \mu-C H=C H P h)-~$ $(\mathrm{CO})_{10}\left(\mathrm{PPh}_{3}\right)(13)^{a}$

| Atom | $x$ | $y$ | $z$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\mathrm{Au}(1)$ | 4830(6) | 13006(4) | 73933(4) |
| Os(1) | -473(6) | 33862(4) | 67792(4) |
| Os(2) | -20729(6) | 28157(4) | 79834(4) |
| Os(3) | -7883(7) | 43660(5) | 83661(4) |
| $\mathrm{P}(1)$ | 1646(4) | - 512(3) | 7407(3) |
| O(1) | 1373(14) | 2256(9) | 5238(9) |
| $O(2)$ | -271(13) | 5587(11) | 5958(8) |
| $O(3)$ | 3101(14) | 2796(10) | 7541(9) |
| $\mathrm{O}(4)$ | -4962(15) | 4208(11) | 8737(8) |
| O(5) | -3484(16) | 1296(11) | $7319(10)$ |
| O(6) | -869(14) | 1349(10) | 9634(8) |
| O(7) | 1601(15) | 2450(12) | 9323(9) |
| O(8) | -3415(16) | 6129(11) | 7381(10) |
| O(9) | - 2373(16) | 4965(12) | 10013(9) |
| $\mathrm{O}(10)$ | 1293(17) | 5714(11) | 8172(9) |
| C(1) | 750(19) | 2649(14) | 5836(13) |
| C(2) | -183(18) | 4759(17) | 6270(10) |
| C(3) | 1908(22) | 3040(12) | 7280(11) |
| C(4) | - 3872(25) | 3689(14) | 8469(12) |
| C(5) | - 2942(19) | 1839(17) | 7545(12) |
| C(6) | -1284(19) | 1928(14) | 9003(12) |
| C(7) | 721(25) | 3177(16) | 8924(11) |
| C(8) | -2450(28) | 5456(16) | $7729(12)$ |
| C(9) | -1715(22) | 4767(15) | 9386(14) |
| C(10) | 553(20) | 5269(16) | 8266(11) |
| C(11) | -2573(15) | 3786(11) | 6806(11) |
| C(12) | -2287(15) | 3386(12) | $6019(10)$ |
| C(13) | -3219(10) | 5132(7) | 5053(5) |
| C(14) | - 3665(10) | 5691(7) | 4248(5) |
| C(15) | - 3605(10) | 5141(7) | 3543(5) |
| C(16) | - 3099(10) | 4031(7) | 3644(5) |
| C(17) | - 2653(10) | 3472(7) | 4450(5) |
| C(18) | - 2713(10) | 4023(7) | 5155(5) |
| C(19) | -243(11) | -1576(8) | 6888(5) |
| C(20) | -1444(11) | -1962(8) | $7015(5)$ |
| C(21) | -2189(11) | -1896(8) | 7793(5) |
| C(22) | -1734(11) | -1443(8) | 8443(5) |
| C(23) | -533(11) | -1058(8) | 8315(5) |
| C(24) | 212(11) | - 1124(8) | 7538(5) |
| C(25) | 3275(10) | - 2290(7) | 8506(6) |
| C(26) | 4266(10) | -2817(7) | 9187(6) |
| C(27) | 4923(10) | -2254(7) | 9646(6) |
| C(28) | 4590(10) | -1163(7) | 9424(6) |
| C(29) | 3598(10) | -636(7) | 8744(6) |
| C(30) | 2941(10) | -1200(7) | 8285(6) |
| C(31) | 1938(8) | -307(6) | 5651(6) |
| C(32) | 2714(8) | -490(6) | 4889(6) |
| C(33) | 4187(8) | - 1210(6) | 4898(6) |
| C(34) | 4883(8) | -1748 (6) | 5670(6) |
| C(35) | 4107(8) | -1565(6) | 6432(6) |
| C(36) | 2634(8) | -845(6) | 6423(6) |

[^4]$\omega-\theta$ scan mode [for 13 , an $\omega-n / 3 \theta$ scan mode, where $n(=2)$ was optimised by profile analysis of a typical reflection, was used]. The $\omega$ scan angle was ( $1.05+$ $0.35 \tan \theta)^{\circ}$ and the horizontal counter aperture employed was $(2.40+0.50 \tan \theta)$ mm . Three standard reflections, monitored after every 60 min [ 58 min ] of data collection, indicated that no decomposition occurred during data collection. Of a total of 5262 [5569] unique reflections collected, those 4622 [4405] with $I>2.5 \sigma(I)$ were considered observed and used in the structure refinements. Data reduction, including Lorentz and polarisation corrections, was performed using programme SUSCAD, and absorption corrections were applied using programme ABSORB [24].

Solution and refinement. The Os and Au atoms were located using the direct method routine of programme SHELX [24]. In the first difference Fourier calculations, all heavy metal atoms were modelled as Os , the Au atom then being identified by the associated P atom. All remaining non-hydrogen atoms were located by successive Fourier difference maps of full-matrix least-squares refinements. All H atoms were included at calculated positions ( $\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{H}, 0.97 \AA$ ) with group temperature factors; the phenyl groups were refined as rigid planar groups ( $\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{C}, 1.395 \AA$ ). In the final blocked-matrix least-square calculation, the $\mathrm{Os}, \mathrm{Au}, \mathrm{P}, \mathrm{F}$ and O atoms, and most carbonyl C atoms, were refined anisotropically, and all other atoms isotropically. The weighting scheme converged at $w=1.113 /\left(\sigma^{2}\left(F_{0}\right)+0.00033 F_{0}^{2}\right)$ [ $w=$ $\left.4.05 /\left(\sigma^{2}\left(F_{0}\right)+0.00042 F_{0}^{2}\right)\right]$. The refinements converged at $R=0.027, R_{w}=0.031$ for 5 , and $R=0.030, R_{\mathrm{w}}=0.033$ for 13 .

Final atomic coordinates for the two complexes are given in Tables 5 and 6. Supplementary material includes tables of observed and calculated structure factors, hydrogen atom coordinates, thermal parameters for all atoms, and complete listings of bond distances and angles for non-hydrogen atoms. Calculations used scattering factors for the respective neutral atoms taken from the International Tables [25]. The atomic coordinates for these compounds are available on request from the Director of the Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre, University Chemical Laboratory, Lensfield Road, Cambridge CB2 1EW. Any request should be accompanied by the full literature citation for this paper.

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[^1]:    ${ }^{\text {a }}$ Cyclohexane solution.

[^2]:    ${ }^{a}$ Solvents: $\mathrm{A},\left(\mathrm{CD}_{3}\right)_{2} \mathrm{CO} ; \mathrm{B}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3} ; \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{CCl}_{4} \cdot{ }^{b}$ Under Ph resonance.

[^3]:    ${ }^{a}$ Method: (A) osmometry (acetone); (B) osmometry (benzene); (MS) mass spectrometry.

[^4]:    ${ }^{a} \mathrm{Au}, \mathrm{Os} \times 10^{5}$; other atoms $\times 10^{4}$.

