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An X-Ray Determination of the Molecular Structure of a 1090. Wittig Reagent: p-Tolyl Triphenylphosphoranylidenemethyl Sulphone

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The structure of p-tolyl triphenylphosphoranylidenemethyl sulphone has been determined and refined with three-dimensional intensities collected on a Hilger-Watts linear diffractometer. There are eight molecules of PTT in a monoclinic cell, space group C2/c, with a = 25.633, b = 8.981, c = 20.733 Å, $\beta = 111^{\circ}$ 54'. The mean P-C₆H₅ length is 1.808 Å. The length of the bond written as P=C is 1.709 Å, with a standard deviation of 0.019 Å, which is rather longer than expected from interpolation between the known single- and triple-bond lengths, or from the sum of the covalent radii.

A STRUCTURE analysis of p-tolyl triphenylphosphoranylidenemethyl sulphone (PTT) (I) was undertaken to provide details of the molecular geometry of a Wittig reagent,¹ and as part of a wider study of several phosphorus ylids.² The structural analyses of two further phosphorus ylids will be described by Stephens,³ and $Ph_3P=C$ $SO_2 C_6H_4Me(p)$ a full interpretation of the structural results in terms of the chemical and physico-chemical properties will appear in a Paper by Speziale and Ratts.⁴ This Paper is concerned solely with the results of the X-ray structure determination of PTT.

Experimental.— $C_{26}H_{23}O_2PS$, M = 430.5. Monoclinic, $a = 25.633 \pm 0.087$, $b = 8.981 \pm 1.0000$ 0.008, $c = 20.733 \pm 0.071$ Å, $\beta = 111^{\circ} 54' \pm 10'$, $U = 4428 \cdot 5$ Å³, $D_{\rm m} = 1.30$, Z = 8. $D_{\rm c} = 1.000$ 1.291, F(000) = 1808. Space group $C2/c(C_{2h}^{e}$ No. 15). Cu- K_{α} radiation ($\lambda = 1.542$ Å) for cell dimensions, Mo- K_{α} radiation ($\lambda = 0.71069$ Å) for intensity measurements.

The crystals, m. p. 185-186°, were well-formed needles with [b] as the direction of elongation. Cell dimensions were measured from single crystal oscillation photographs. Intensities were collected in a Hilger-Watts linear diffractometer⁵ equipped with SrO/ZrO₂ balanced filters. All reflexions in the h0l to h, 12, l layers were measured twice with a halfminute motor. In the first seven layers the oscillation angle was 2° : in the rest 3° . In this way a total of 6249 independent reflexions, up to a maximum $\theta = 32.5^{\circ}$, was recorded, of which 1750 were deemed significant in that they had a corrected count more than twice the standard deviation of the total counts. The analysis is based on these 1750 reflexions.

The structure was solved in projection down [b] from a sharpened Patterson synthesis which served to locate the phosphorus and sulphur atoms. The positions of the 28 lighter atoms, excluding hydrogen atoms, were fixed by a succession of Fourier approximations. The yco-ordinates of the two heavier atoms were then found from a series of three-dimensional Patterson sections. With these known positions and a model of the molecule, the remaining γ co-ordinates could be chosen, and the atomic positions and isotropic thermal factors refined by a least-squares analysis using the block-diagonal approximation. All calculations were carried out on an Elliott 803 computer with the programmes of Daly, Stephens, and Wheatley.⁶ A Cruickshank weighing scheme was used.⁷ The scattering factors were obtained from International Tables. In the refinement cycles, reflexions with a calculated value less than 0.3times the observed were omitted from the least-squares totals, though not from the R factors.

The final R factor was 16.4%, which is considerably worse than would have been expected with photographic intensities, and is an indication of our inexperience with the diffractometer. This was our first structure analysis carried out with diffractometer intensities. Our techniques

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TABLE 1

Atomic co-ordinates (Å) and individual isotropic temperature factors (Å²). Standard deviations are given in parentheses as units in the last place

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Atom	X	Y	Ζ	$U_{\rm iso}$
S	$2 \cdot 3432(46)$	0.4922(43)	3.1895(47)	0.0271(8)
Р	4.7545(45)	1.0774(42)	2·1856(45)	0.0215(8)
O(1)	1.5387(131)	1.3127(122)	1.9259(132)	0.0381(30)
O(2)	$2 \cdot 3356(142)$	0.9170(136)	4.5665(146)	0.0492(35)
C(1)	4.0430(184)	0.2684(168)	$3 \cdot 2727(187)$	0.0311(39)
C(2)	1.5113(168)	-1.0977(169)	$2 \cdot 8945(171)$	0.0270(35)
C(3)	0.6598(190)	-1.4992(182)	1.4729(193)	0.0354(42)
C(4)	0.0100(189)	-2.7040(174)	1.2598(190)	0.0331(42)
C(5)	0.1859(190)	-3.5863(176)	$2 \cdot 4138(196)$	0.0356(42)
C(6)	1.0195(216)	-3.2001(210)	3.7570(218)	0.0485(52)
C(7)	$1 \cdot 6924(207)$	-1.9802(200)	4.0200(209)	0.0420(46)
C(8)	3.6649(178)	0.8587(163)	0.2676(180)	0.0290(39)
C(9)	3.6726(198)	1.8869(189)	-0.7043(200)	0.0400(46)
C(10)	$2 \cdot 8886(217)$	1.6566(206)	-2.1627(220)	0.0464(49)
C(11)	$2 \cdot 1733(217)$	0.4862(215)	-2.6439(217)	0.0455(49)
C(12)	$2 \cdot 1886(226)$	-0.4888(224)	-1.6955(231)	0.0516(52)
C(13)	$2 \cdot 9955(192)$	-0.3125(184)	-0.1739(197)	0.0355(43)
C(14)	5.0922(159)	2.8214(152)	$2 \cdot 4462(165)$	0.0207(33)
C(15)	6.5152(192)	3.3413(185)	2.7772(195)	0.0366(42)
C(16)	6.7309(278)	4.6797(245)	2.9295(275)	0.0671(67)
C(17)	$5 \cdot 5756(224)$	5.5897(228)	2.7587(225)	0.0522(54)
C(18)	$4 \cdot 2312(228)$	$5 \cdot 1389(224)$	$2 \cdot 4305(230)$	0.0524(54)
C(19)	3.9847(196)	3.7269(179)	$2 \cdot 3289(198)$	0.0355(44)
C(20)	$6 \cdot 4773(170)$	0.2728(149)	$2 \cdot 5272(169)$	0.0245(35)
C(21)	6.8337(193)	-0.2253(177)	1.3938(193)	0.0345(43)
C(22)	$8 \cdot 1286(254)$	-0.9196(240)	1.7084(253)	0.0602(62)
C(23)	9.0012(214)	-1.2064(207)	$3 \cdot 1198(217)$	0.0478(51)
C(24)	$8 \cdot 6522(217)$	-0.6775(206)	$4 \cdot 2535(220)$	0.0481(52)
C(25)	7.3877(203)	0.0209(192)	3.9590(203)	0.0388(45)
C(26)	-0.5799(278)	-4.9444(277)	$2 \cdot 1324(279)$	0.0712(70)

have improved sufficiently to give intensities as reliable as those obtained photographically, but with a great saving of time.

Results.—The final atomic co-ordinates and individual isotropic temperature factors are given in Table 1, with the standard deviations as units in the last place. The observed and



Projection of the molecule viewed down the [b] axis

calculated structure factors are shown in Table 2. Table 3 gives the bond lengths and angles with their standard deviations. Figure 1 shows the molecule as it appears in projection down [b], and also the labelling of the atoms.

The bond lengths agree well with expected values.⁸ The P=C length is 1.709 Å, in agreement with the values obtained by Stephens,³ and by Mak and Trotter.⁹ It is, however, longer than

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expected for a true double bond by an interpolation between the known single (1.843 Å) ¹⁰ and triple (1.542 \AA) ¹¹ bond lengths, or from the sum of the covalent radii (1.665 \AA) ,¹² a situation that is comparable to that generally found with CN bonds. The mean P–C₆H₅ length is 1.808 Å, which is rather shorter than that found ¹³ in triphenylphosphorus (1.828 Å) but not significantly The mean C-C length in the four benzene rings is 1.390 Å. There is a significant difference so. in the lengths of the two C–S bonds, that to the doubly-bonded carbon atom being 0.08 Å shorter than that to the benzene ring. This difference is in the same sense as, but rather greater than, that found by Bullough and Wheatley in comparable circumstances.¹⁴ The bond joining the methyl group to the benzene ring has a length of 1.535 Å. The four bonds to the phosphorus atom are tetrahedrally arranged, as are the four bonds to the sulphur atom, but some

¹⁰ D. R. Lide and D. E. Mann, J. Chem. Phys., 1958, 29, 914; L. S. Bartell and L. O. Brockway,

TABLE 3

Bond lengths (Å) and angles (°)

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S-O(1)	1.469((14)	C(2)-C(3)	1.416(25)	C(9)-C(10)	1.393(29)	C(17)-C(18)	1.338(32)
S-O(2)	1.444((15)	C(2) - C(7)	1.388(27)	C(10) - C(11)	1.363(31)	C(18) - C(19)	1.430(30)
S-C(1)	1.686((19)	C(3) - C(4)	1.348(26)	C(11) - C(12)	1.356(31)	C(20) - C(21)	1.400(25)
S-C(2)	1.767((18)	C(4) - C(5)	1.411(26)	C(12) - C(13)	1.443(30)	C(20) - C(25)	1.404(26)
P-C(1)	1.709	19)	C(5) - C(6)	1.347(29)	C(14) - C(15)	1.433(25)	C(21) - C(22)	1.398(31)
P-C(8)	1.832	18)	C(6) - C(7)	1·370(30)	C(14) - C(19)	1.401(25)	C(22) - C(23)	1.385(33)
P-C(14)	1.7770	16)	C(8) - C(9)	1.412(26)	C(15) - C(16)	1.355(33)	C(23) - C(24)	1.408(30)
P-C(20)	1.815	17	C(8) - C(13)	1.340(26)	C(16) - C(17)	1.430(35)	C(24) - C(25)	1.377(29)
C(5) - C(26)	1.533	(34)	-(-)	(/	-() -()		- () - ()	()
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O(1)SO(2).	1	17.4(8)	PC	(8)C(9)	$\dots 118 \cdot 6(13)$	C(10)	C(11)C(12)	120.2(21)
O(1)SC(1).	1	09.6(8)	PC	8)C(13)	$\dots 118.6(14)$	C(11)	C(12)C(13)	120.4(20)
O(2)SC(1).	1	10.9(9)	PC	(14)C(15)	$\dots 120.5(13)$	C(15)	C(14)C(19)	118.1(16)
O(1)SC(2).	1	06.6(8)	PC	14)C(19)	$\dots 121 \cdot 4(13)$	C(14)	C(15)C(16)	119·1(19)
O(2)SC(2)	1	04.7(8)	PC	20)C(21)	121.0(13)	C(14)	C(19)C(18)	121.5(18)
C(1)SC(2).	1	07.0(9)	PC	20)C(25)	\dots 118.7(13)	C(15)	C(16)C(17)	121.8(23)
PC(1)S		23.9(11)	$\overline{C}(3)$	C(2)C(7)	118.8(17)	C(16)	C(17)C(18)	120.5(22)
C(1)PC(8)	1	12.6(9)	$\tilde{C}(2)$	C(3)C(4)	119.1(17)	$\tilde{C}(\tilde{1}\tilde{7})$	C(18)C(19)	118.7(20)
C(1)PC(14)	1	18.2(8)	$\tilde{C}(2)$	C(7)C(6)	120.3(19)	$\tilde{C}(21)$	C(20)C(25)	119.9(16)
C(1)PC(20)	1	05.2(8)	Č (a	C(4)C(5)	121.6(17)	$\tilde{c}(20)$	C(21)C(22)	119.3(18)
SC(2)C(3)	1	10.5(13)	C(4)	C(5)C(6)	118.6(18)	C(20)	C(25)C(24)	$120 \cdot 3(18)$
SC(2)C(3) .	1	91.7(14)	C (5	C(6)C(7)	191.6(20)	C(21)	C(29)C(23)	120 3(10)
C(8) PC(14)	1	06.1/9		C(0)C(1)	199.6(17)	C(22)	C(22)C(23)	110.5(20)
C(8) PC(20)	1	07.2(8)	C	C(0)C(10)	116.0(19)	C(22)	$C(23)C(24) \dots C(24) \dots C(24)$	190.1(10)
C(14) PC(20)	···· 1	07.0(8)		C(12)C(10)	117.0(18)	C(23)	$(24) (20) \dots (20) \dots (20) \dots (20) \dots (20)$	120.1(19)
C(14)PC(20) I	01.0(8)		C(13)C(12)	1010(10)	C(4)C	$(5) \cup (20) \dots \dots$	120.2(18)
			C(9)	$(10) \cup (11)$	121.9(20)		(0) C(20)	141.2(19)

considerable distortions from a regular tetrahedral distribution do occur at both atoms. The mean of the three C_6H_5 -P- C_6H_5 angles (106.8°) is rather greater than that found ¹³ in triphenyl-phosphorus (103.0°).

The equations for the mean least-squares planes through the four benzene rings were calculated in terms of orthogonal axes in which [a'] and [b'] coincide with the original monoclinic [a] and [b] axes, and [c'] is normal to them. These equations are:

The distance of the methyl-group carbon atoms from the first plane is -0.029 Å, which is not significant. The distances of the phosphorus atom from the last three planes are +0.080, -0.080, and -0.164 Å, respectively. Each of these is highly significant, a phenomenon found elsewhere.¹³⁻¹⁵

It was noticeable from the molecular model that the four atoms P, S, O(1), and C(1) were almost coplanar. The weighted least-squares plane through these four atoms is given by the equation,

+0.0276X' + 0.8001Y' + 0.5992Z' = 2.1732.

None of the four atoms departs significantly from this plane, the greatest deviation being -0.061 Å for C(1). All three benzene rings attached to the phosphorus atoms are twisted in the same sense round the P-C₆H₅ bonds, so that the distribution is of the familiar "paddle-wheel" form.

There are 52 van der Waals' contacts less than 4 Å, the two shortest being O(1) . . . C(4), 3.287, and O(1) . . . C(3), 3.293 Å.

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¹⁵ P. J. Wheatley, *J.*, 1964, 2206.