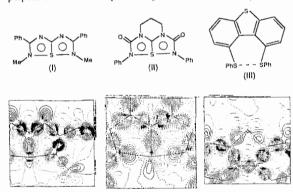
04-Crystallography of Biological Small Molecules

OPS-04.03.07 CHARGE DENSITY DISTRIBUTION IN TETRAAZATHIAPENTALENES WITH HYPERVALENT S-N BONDS. By S. Kakuma*, S. Yoshida, S. Murata, M.Yasui and F. Iwasaki, Dept. of Applied Physics and Chemistry, The Univ. of Electro-Communications, Chofu-shi, Tokyo 182, Japan

Tetraazathiapentalene derivatives I and II are typical hypervalent sulfur compounds with symmetrical S-N bonds of $1.90 \sim 1.96$ Å which are longer than the normal single S-N bond (1.74 Å) by about 10% (Iwasaki & Akiba (1984) Bull. Chem. Soc. Jpn., 57, 2584; Iwasaki, Murakami, Yamazaki, Yasui, Tomura & Matsumura (1991) Acta Cryst. C47, 998). On the other hand dibenzothiophene derivative III has not such a hypervalent bond but a weak intramolecular S-S-S contact of 3.012 Å. The electron-density distributions of these compounds were investigated in order to shed light on the character of hypervalent S-N bonds and to compare electronic features of these sulfur atoms. Intensity data were measured at 143K up to 20max=100° (88° for III) and the structure refinements were performed using multipole expansion atomic scattering factors up to the hexadecapole expansion for S atom. I, orthorhombic, Pbcn, a=14.433(3), b=9.220(2), c=11.236(2) Å, Z=4, R=0.037 for 6398 reflections; III, orthorhombic, Iba2, a=20.313(3), b=21.365(2), c=7.472(2) Å, Z=8, R=0.036 for 6617 reflections. In the model deformation maps of I and II residual peaks between S-N bonds are observed near the nitrogen atoms, while the bonding electrons of S-C bonds are elongated along the bonds. The net atomic charges derived from the multipole refinement suggest an electrostatic interaction between S and N atoms. Lone-pair electron densities are observed near the S atoms. In III the bonding electrons of S-C bonds are lower than those of C-C bonds. Lone-pair electron densities are observed perpendicular to the thiaphene ring and the C-S-C sulfide planes.



(a) The pentalene plane for I and II and thiophene plane for III



(b) Plane perpendicular to the plane (a) and including S-C for I and II or bisection C-S-C for III

Model deformation-density maps. Solid lines denote positive contours with interval 0.05 eÅ-3.

OPS-04.03.08Charge Density Study of a Chromium Fischer Carbene Complex: A Study Based on Multipole Model Refinement and ab Initio CASSCF Calculation By Kuan-Jiuh Lin, Hui-Jean Liu, Kin-Shing Chan and Yu Wang*, Department of Chemistry, National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan

single crystal of chromium Fischer carbonyl carbene, pentacarbonyl chromium. methyloxyl-2-phenylethynyl $(CO)_5CrCC(OCH_3)C\equiv CC_6H_5$, was studied by X-ray diffraction at 110K and 300K. The space group of the crystal is monoclinic P2₁/n and the cell parameters at 110K are a=11.383(1), b=11.506(1), c=11.739(1)Å, $\beta=108.377(9)$ ° and Z=4. The bond distance between Cr and carbene carbon is 1.9990(4) at 110K. The electron density distributions of all the chemical bonds as well as the asphericity around Cr metal of the complex were investigated in terms of experimental X-X deformation density maps, the multipole model deformation density maps, and the theoretical deformation density distributions employing the ab initio HFSCF and CASSCF methods. The d-orbital occupancies of Cr atom can be derived from the multipole model and ab initio calculations. A better understanding of the Cr-carbene bond character is achieved by comparing the different electronic structures between HFSCF and CASSCF results via Natural Bond Orbital analysis. For chromium-carbene carbon double bond, the σ bond is considered to be an electron pair donation from an sp2 carbene carbon to a vacant chromium $\operatorname{sd}_{\sigma}$ orbital, while the π bond be the electron pair back-donation from a d_{π} orbital of chromium atom toward the vacant p_{π} orbital of the carbene carbon

(see Fig.). Such double bond can be expressed as $M_{\leftarrow}^+ C$. Moreover, it is clear from the CASSCF calculation that the additional contribution of the "acyl" resonance structure is responsible for the delocalized $\pi\text{-bond}$ character along Cr-C-O(R). In fact, the "acyl" resonance form from the excited state plays an important role on the reactive site (being at carbene carbon) of nucleophilic reaction. The 1,3-dipolar cycloaddition at the triple bond can be interpreted with the Frontier orbital concept.

