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Poly[diaquabis[µ-1-hydroxy-2-(imidazol-3-ium-1-yl)ethane-1,1-diyldiphosphonato]tricopper(II)]

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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; T = 293 K; mean σ (C–C) = 0.005 Å; R factor = 0.027; wR factor = 0.073; data-to-parameter ratio = 11.3.

In the title coordination polymer, $[Cu_3(C_5H_7N_2O_7P_2)_2(H_2O)_2]_n$, one Cu^{II} atom is five-coordinated by five O atoms from three 1-hydroxy-2-(imidazol-3-ium-1-yl)ethane-1,1diyldiphosphonate (*L*) ligands in a distorted square-pyramidal geometry. The other Cu^{II} atom, lying on an inversion center, is six-coordinated in a distorted octahedral geometry by four O atoms from two *L* ligands and two O atoms from two water molecules. The five-coordinated Cu^{II} atoms are linked by phosphonate O atoms of the *L* ligands, forming a polymeric chain. These chains are further linked by the six-coordinated Cu atoms into a layer parallel to ($\overline{101}$). N–H···O and O– H···O hydrogen bonds connect the layers into a threedimensional supramolecular structure.

Related literature

For general background to the applications of metal phosphonates, see: Katz *et al.* (1994).





Experimental

Crystal data

 $\begin{bmatrix} Cu_{3}(C_{5}H_{7}N_{2}O_{7}P_{2})_{2}(H_{2}O)_{2} \end{bmatrix}$ $M_{r} = 764.81$ Triclinic, $P\overline{1}$ a = 7.4167 (9) Å b = 8.1502 (10) Å c = 9.5228 (12) Å $\alpha = 104.747$ (2)° $\beta = 107.658$ (2)°

Data collection

Bruker APEX CCD diffractometer Absorption correction: multi-scan (*SADABS*; Sheldrick, 1996) $T_{min} = 0.58, T_{max} = 0.75$

Refinement

 $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.027$ $wR(F^2) = 0.073$ S = 1.051973 reflections 175 parameters 2 restraints $V = 506.03 (11) Å^{3}$ Z = 1Mo K\alpha radiation $\mu = 3.54 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ T = 293 K $0.30 \times 0.28 \times 0.21 \text{ mm}$

 $\gamma = 101.484 \ (2)^{\circ}$

2771 measured reflections 1973 independent reflections 1729 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$ $R_{\text{int}} = 0.012$

H atoms treated by a mixture of independent and constrained refinement $\Delta \rho_{max} = 0.55 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$ $\Delta \rho_{min} = -0.68 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$

Table 1 Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °).

$D - H \cdots A$	$D-\mathrm{H}$	$H \cdot \cdot \cdot A$	$D \cdots A$	$D - \mathbf{H} \cdot \cdot \cdot A$
$N2 - H2A \cdots O6^{i}$ $O7 - H7 \cdots O4$ $D1W - H1A \cdots O3^{ii}$ $D1W - H1B \cdots O2^{iii}$	0.86 0.82 0.88 (5) 0.87 (2)	1.94 2.16 2.09 (3) 2.13 (4)	2.771 (4) 2.724 (3) 2.921 (4) 2.851 (4)	163 126 157 (5) 140 (4)

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

Data collection: *SMART* (Bruker, 2007); cell refinement: *SAINT* (Bruker, 2007); data reduction: *SAINT*; program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 2008); molecular graphics: *SHELXTL* (Sheldrick, 2008) and *DIAMOND* (Brandenburg, 1999); software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXTL*.

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S1. Comment

During the last two decades great research efforts have been devoted to the synthesis and design of metal phosphonates due to their potential applications in electrooptics, ion exchange, catalysis, and stent in intestinal or biliary (Katz *et al.*, 1994). Herein, we present a new copper(II)–phosphonate complex.

The structure analysis reveals that the title compound has a two-dimensional polymeric structure. As shown in Fig. 1, there exist two kinds of crystallographically unique Cu^{II} ions. Atom Cu1 is five-coordinated by four phosphonate O atoms and one hydroxy O atom from three 2-(imidazol-3-ium-1-yl)-1-hydroxy-1,1-ethylidenediphosphonate (*L*) ligands. Atom Cu2 is six-coordinated by four O atoms from two *L* ligands and two O atoms from two water molecules. The Cu1 atoms are linked by the phosphonate O atoms, resulting in a one-dimensional polymeric chain. These chains are further linked by the Cu2 atoms into a layer (Fig. 2). N—H…O and O—H…O hydrogen bonds involving the coordinated water molecules and *L* ligands (Table 1) lead to the formation of a three-dimensional supramolecular network.

S2. Experimental

The synthesis was performed under hydrothermal conditions. A mixture of $CuCl_{2.}2H_2O$ (0.034 g, 0.2 mmol), *L* ligand (0.070 g, 0.2 mmol) and H₂O (15 ml) in a 25 ml stainless steel reactor with a Teflon liner was heated from 293 to 423 K in 2 h and maintained at 423 K for 72 h. After the mixture was cooled to 298 K, green crystals of the title compound were obtained (yield: 56%).

S3. Refinement

H atoms bound to C, N and hydroxy O were positioned geometrically and refined using a riding model, with C—H = 0.93 and 0.97, N—H = 0.86 and O—H = 0.82 Å and with $U_{iso}(H) = 1.2(1.5 \text{ for hydroxy})U_{eq}(C,N,O)$. H atoms of water molecules were located in a difference Fourier map and refined with $U_{iso}(H) = 1.5U_{eq}(O)$.



Figure 1

Structure of the title compound. Displacement ellipsoids are drawn at the 50% probability level. H atoms have been omitted for clarity. [Symmetry codes: (i) -*x*, -*y* - 1, -*z*; (ii) *x* - 1, *y* - 1, *z* - 1; (iii) -*x*, -*y* - 2, -*z*; (iv) x + 1, y + 1, z + 1; (v) -x + 1, -*y*, -*z* + 1; (vi) *x*, y + 1, *z*; (vii) -*x* - 1, -*y* - 2, -*z* - 1.]



Figure 2

Two-dimensional layer structure in the title compound.

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Refinement on F^2 Least-squares matrix: full $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.027$ $wR(F^2) = 0.073$ S = 1.051973 reflections 175 parameters 2 restraints Primary atom site location: structure-invariant direct methods Z = 1 F(000) = 381 $D_x = 2.510 \text{ Mg m}^{-3}$ Mo K α radiation, $\lambda = 0.71073 \text{ Å}$ Cell parameters from 1973 reflections $\theta = 1.9-28.3^{\circ}$ $\mu = 3.54 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ T = 293 K Block, blue $0.30 \times 0.28 \times 0.21 \text{ mm}$

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Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier map Hydrogen site location: inferred from neighbouring sites H atoms treated by a mixture of independent and constrained refinement $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.039P)^2 + 0.8352P]$ where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$ $(\Delta/\sigma)_{max} = 0.001$ $\Delta\rho_{max} = 0.55$ e Å⁻³ $\Delta\rho_{min} = -0.68$ e Å⁻³

Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters $(Å^2)$

	x	У	Ζ	$U_{ m iso}$ */ $U_{ m eq}$	
C1	0.2068 (5)	-0.5648 (4)	-0.4517 (4)	0.0140 (7)	
H1	0.1047	-0.6119	-0.5497	0.017*	
C2	0.3998 (5)	-0.5281 (5)	-0.2131 (4)	0.0173 (7)	
H2	0.4524	-0.5475	-0.1190	0.021*	
C3	0.4782 (5)	-0.3932 (5)	-0.2542 (4)	0.0186 (7)	
H3	0.5935	-0.2995	-0.1928	0.022*	
C4	0.0950 (5)	-0.7988 (4)	-0.3483 (4)	0.0122 (7)	
H4A	0.1673	-0.8856	-0.3460	0.015*	
H4B	-0.0147	-0.8435	-0.4487	0.015*	
C5	0.0110 (5)	-0.7833 (4)	-0.2191 (4)	0.0090 (6)	
N1	0.2266 (4)	-0.6324 (4)	-0.3368 (3)	0.0110 (6)	
N2	0.3567 (4)	-0.4195 (4)	-0.4031 (3)	0.0159 (6)	

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H2A	0.3750	-0.3518	-0.4568	0.019*
O1	-0.2890 (3)	-1.0888 (3)	-0.3981 (2)	0.0104 (5)
O2	-0.2018 (3)	-0.9799 (3)	-0.1041 (2)	0.0098 (5)
O3	0.0217 (3)	-1.1193 (3)	-0.2195 (2)	0.0099 (5)
O4	0.2060 (3)	-0.3636 (3)	0.0771 (2)	0.0100 (5)
05	0.0648 (3)	-0.5288 (3)	0.2312 (2)	0.0105 (5)
O6	0.3438 (3)	-0.2484 (3)	0.3787 (3)	0.0115 (5)
07	0.1644 (3)	-0.7118 (3)	-0.0644 (2)	0.0105 (5)
H7	0.2315	-0.6121	-0.0511	0.016*
P1	-0.12407 (12)	-1.01022 (10)	-0.23716 (9)	0.00780 (18)
P2	0.16460 (12)	-0.34839 (10)	0.22756 (9)	0.00806 (18)
Cu1	-0.07744 (6)	-0.75596 (5)	0.06756 (4)	0.00871 (12)
Cu2	0.5000	0.0000	0.5000	0.01057 (15)
O1W	0.3909 (4)	-0.0271 (4)	0.7275 (3)	0.0282 (6)
H1A	0.302 (6)	-0.054 (7)	0.768 (5)	0.042*
H1B	0.491 (5)	-0.001 (6)	0.815 (4)	0.042*

Atomic displacement parameters $(Å^2)$

	U^{11}	U^{22}	U^{33}	U^{12}	U^{13}	U^{23}
C1	0.0184 (18)	0.0150 (17)	0.0093 (15)	0.0056 (14)	0.0050 (13)	0.0048 (13)
C2	0.0147 (17)	0.0198 (18)	0.0129 (16)	0.0011 (14)	0.0017 (14)	0.0058 (14)
C3	0.0171 (18)	0.0175 (18)	0.0163 (17)	-0.0001 (14)	0.0032 (14)	0.0056 (14)
C4	0.0152 (17)	0.0084 (15)	0.0117 (16)	0.0021 (13)	0.0061 (13)	0.0011 (13)
C5	0.0099 (15)	0.0080 (15)	0.0064 (14)	-0.0002 (12)	0.0010 (12)	0.0026 (12)
N1	0.0119 (13)	0.0090 (13)	0.0128 (13)	0.0032 (11)	0.0050 (11)	0.0040 (11)
N2	0.0209 (16)	0.0133 (15)	0.0156 (14)	0.0029 (12)	0.0077 (12)	0.0089 (12)
01	0.0133 (12)	0.0068 (11)	0.0075 (11)	0.0025 (9)	0.0004 (9)	0.0009 (9)
O2	0.0126 (11)	0.0060 (11)	0.0093 (10)	0.0004 (9)	0.0045 (9)	0.0019 (9)
O3	0.0137 (11)	0.0072 (11)	0.0089 (11)	0.0032 (9)	0.0036 (9)	0.0032 (9)
O4	0.0134 (11)	0.0080 (11)	0.0091 (11)	0.0042 (9)	0.0044 (9)	0.0029 (9)
05	0.0149 (12)	0.0075 (11)	0.0072 (11)	0.0021 (9)	0.0028 (9)	0.0020 (9)
O6	0.0127 (11)	0.0082 (11)	0.0086 (11)	0.0016 (9)	-0.0003 (9)	0.0013 (9)
O7	0.0107 (11)	0.0075 (11)	0.0077 (11)	-0.0004 (9)	-0.0008 (9)	0.0008 (9)
P1	0.0101 (4)	0.0055 (4)	0.0064 (4)	0.0017 (3)	0.0022 (3)	0.0014 (3)
P2	0.0104 (4)	0.0049 (4)	0.0062 (4)	0.0012 (3)	0.0014 (3)	0.0006 (3)
Cu1	0.0123 (2)	0.0056 (2)	0.0063 (2)	0.00188 (15)	0.00214 (15)	0.00108 (15)
Cu2	0.0109 (3)	0.0053 (3)	0.0098 (3)	0.0012 (2)	-0.0012 (2)	0.0005 (2)
O1W	0.0233 (15)	0.0366 (17)	0.0267 (15)	0.0095 (13)	0.0093 (12)	0.0132 (13)

Geometric parameters (Å, °)

C1—N2	1.318 (4)	O2—Cu1	1.936 (2)
C1—N1	1.329 (4)	O3—P1	1.529 (2)
C1—H1	0.9300	O3—Cu1 ⁱⁱⁱ	1.962 (2)
С2—С3	1.343 (5)	O4—P2	1.534 (2)
C2—N1	1.377 (4)	O4—Cu1 ⁱ	2.003 (2)
С2—Н2	0.9300	O5—P2	1.523 (2)

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C3—N2	1.364 (4)	O5—Cu1	1.930 (2)
С3—Н3	0.9300	O6—P2	1.521 (2)
C4—N1	1.462 (4)	O6—Cu2	1.959 (2)
C4—C5	1.528 (4)	O7—H7	0.8200
C4—H4A	0.9700	P2	1 842 (3)
C4—H4B	0.9700	$Cu1 - O3^{iii}$	1.0.12(0) 1.962(2)
C507	1.444(A)	$Cu1 - O4^{i}$	2,003,(2)
$C_5 P_2^i$	1.842 (3)	$Cu^2 = O^{1i}$	2.003(2)
C512	1.042(3) 1.857(3)	Cu2 = 01	1.950(2)
	1.857 (5)		1.950 (2)
N2—H2A	0.8600	Cu2—06 [°]	1.959 (2)
	1.519 (2)	OIW—HIA	0.88 (5)
$O1$ — $Cu2^n$	1.950 (2)	O1W—H1B	0.87 (2)
O2—P1	1.530 (2)		
N2—C1—N1	108.3 (3)	P2—O4—Cu1 ⁱ	119.28 (13)
N2—C1—H1	125.8	P2—O5—Cu1	131.88 (14)
N1—C1—H1	125.8	P2—O6—Cu2	136.89 (14)
C3—C2—N1	107.0 (3)	С5—07—Н7	109.5
C3—C2—H2	126.5	01-P1-03	111.33 (12)
N1—C2—H2	126.5	01 - P1 - 02	112.88 (13)
$C_2 = C_3 = N_2$	107.0(3)	03-P1-O2	112.00(12) 112.51(12)
$C_2 = C_3 = H_3$	126.5	01 - P1 - C5	106.82(13)
N2-C3-H3	126.5	03-P1-C5	108.52(13)
$N_2 = C_3 = H_3$	114.6 (3)	$O_2 P_1 C_5$	100.30(14) 104.30(13)
N1 = C4 = C3	114.0 (3)	02 - 11 - 05	104.30(13) 100.75(13)
N1 - C4 - H4A	108.0	06 P2 04	109.73(13)
C_{3} C_{4} H_{4}	108.0	00 - P2 - 04	114.99 (13)
NI - C4 - H4B	108.6	05 - P2 - 04	112.22 (12)
C5—C4—H4B	108.6	$06-P2-C5^{2}$	107.03 (13)
H4A—C4—H4B	107.6	$05-P2-C5^{1}$	108.36 (14)
07	112.5 (3)	$O4-P2-C5^{\circ}$	104.02 (13)
$07-C5-P2^{1}$	108.6 (2)	O5—Cu1—O2	174.89 (9)
$C4-C5-P2^{i}$	114.1 (2)	O5—Cu1—O3 ⁱⁱⁱ	91.03 (9)
O7—C5—P1	105.3 (2)	O2—Cu1—O3 ⁱⁱⁱ	91.03 (9)
C4—C5—P1	108.5 (2)	$O5$ — $Cu1$ — $O4^i$	90.70 (9)
$P2^{i}$ —C5—P1	107.27 (16)	O2—Cu1—O4 ⁱ	88.63 (9)
C1—N1—C2	108.3 (3)	O3 ⁱⁱⁱ —Cu1—O4 ⁱ	163.80 (9)
C1—N1—C4	124.8 (3)	$O1^{i}$ — $Cu2$ — $O1^{iv}$	180.00 (13)
C2—N1—C4	126.7 (3)	O1 ⁱ —Cu2—O6	92.58 (9)
C1—N2—C3	109.3 (3)	O1 ^{iv} —Cu2—O6	87.42 (9)
C1—N2—H2A	125.3	$O1^{i}$ — $Cu2$ — $O6^{v}$	87.42 (9)
C3—N2—H2A	125.3	$O1^{iv}$ — $Cu2$ — $O6^{v}$	92.58 (9)
P1—O1—Cu2 ⁱⁱ	131.22 (13)	O6—Cu2—O6 ^v	180.00 (19)
P1—O2—Cu1	118.08 (13)	H1A—O1W—H1B	93 (4)
P1—O3—Cu1 ⁱⁱⁱ	125.96 (13)		~ /
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N1—C2—C3—N2	-2.0 (4)	$P2^{i}$ —C5—P1—O1	63.64 (18)
N1—C4—C5—O7	-56.4 (4)	O7—C5—P1—O3	-60.7 (2)
N1-C4-C5-P2 ⁱ	67.9 (3)	C4—C5—P1—O3	60.0 (2)

N1—C4—C5—P1 N2—C1—N1—C2	-172.6 (2) -2.1 (4)	P2 ⁱ —C5—P1—O3 O7—C5—P1—O2	-176.24 (13) 59.4 (2)
N2-C1-N1-C4	-1/6./ (3)	C4—C5—P1—O2	-179.9 (2)
C3-C2-N1-C1	2.5 (4)	$P2^{1}-C5-P1-O2$	-56.12 (17)
C3-C2-N1-C4	177.0 (3)	Cu2—O6—P2—O5	-156.45 (19)
C5-C4-N1-C1	-127.4 (3)	Cu2—O6—P2—O4	75.9 (2)
C5-C4-N1-C2	58.9 (4)	$Cu2-O6-P2-C5^{i}$	-39.1 (2)
N1—C1—N2—C3	0.9 (4)	Cu1—O5—P2—O6	-147.75 (17)
C2-C3-N2-C1	0.7 (4)	Cu1—O5—P2—O4	-18.6 (2)
Cu2 ⁱⁱ —O1—P1—O3	-172.39 (16)	$Cu1 - O5 - P2 - C5^i$	95.7 (2)
Cu2 ⁱⁱ —O1—P1—O2	60.0 (2)	Cu1 ⁱ —O4—P2—O6	-115.31 (15)
Cu2 ⁱⁱ —O1—P1—C5	-54.1 (2)	Cu1 ⁱ —O4—P2—O5	118.31 (14)
Cu1 ⁱⁱⁱ —O3—P1—O1	-118.20 (16)	$Cu1^{i}$ —O4—P2—C5 ⁱ	1.40 (18)
Cu1 ⁱⁱⁱ —O3—P1—O2	9.7 (2)	P2—O5—Cu1—O3 ⁱⁱⁱ	156.80 (19)
Cu1 ⁱⁱⁱ —O3—P1—C5	124.53 (16)	$P2-O5-Cu1-O4^{i}$	-39.31 (19)
Cu1—O2—P1—O1	-134.92 (14)	P1—O2—Cu1—O3 ⁱⁱⁱ	-124.84 (14)
Cu1—O2—P1—O3	98.05 (15)	P1—O2—Cu1—O4 ⁱ	71.36 (15)
Cu1—O2—P1—C5	-19.34 (18)	P2O6Cu2O1 ⁱ	19.3 (2)
O7—C5—P1—O1	179.20 (18)	P2O6Cu2O1 ^{iv}	-160.7 (2)
C4—C5—P1—O1	-60.1 (2)		

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Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °)

D—H···A	D—H	H···A	D····A	D—H···A
N2—H2 <i>A</i> ···O6 ^{vi}	0.86	1.94	2.771 (4)	163
O7—H7…O4	0.82	2.16	2.724 (3)	126
O1 <i>W</i> —H1 <i>A</i> ···O3 ^{vii}	0.88 (5)	2.09 (3)	2.921 (4)	157 (5)
O1 <i>W</i> —H1 <i>B</i> ···O2 ^{iv}	0.87 (2)	2.13 (4)	2.851 (4)	140 (4)

Symmetry codes: (iv) *x*+1, *y*+1, *z*+1; (vi) *x*, *y*, *z*-1; (vii) *x*, *y*+1, *z*+1.