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# 1-Aminopyridinium triiodidoplumbate(II)

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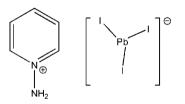
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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; T = 296 K; mean  $\sigma$ (C–C) = 0.013 Å; disorder in main residue; R factor = 0.025; wR factor = 0.056; data-to-parameter ratio = 26.3.

The title complex, (C<sub>5</sub>H<sub>7</sub>N<sub>2</sub>)[PbI<sub>3</sub>], consists of a 1-aminopyridinium cation, disordered about a mirror plane, and a  $[PbI_3]^-$  anion. The Pb<sup>2+</sup> ion (site symmetry  $\overline{1}$ ) is surrounded by six I atoms in a slightly distorted octahedral coordination. The PbI<sub>6</sub> octahedra share faces, building up  $^{1}_{\infty}$ [PbI<sub>6/2</sub>] chains running along [010]. The cations are situated between the chains. Coulombic attractions and van der Waals interactions between the inorganic and organic components are mainly responsible for the cohesion of the structure.

### **Related literature**

For background to hybrid materials, see: Rogow et al. (2010); Thirumurugan & Rao (2008). For structures with lead halide building blocks, see: Li et al. (2008); Zhang et al. (2008).



measured reflections

# **Experimental**

#### Crystal data

$(C_5H_7N_2)[PbI_3]$	V = 1291.9 (3) Å <sup>3</sup>
$M_r = 683.03$	Z = 4
Orthorhombic, Pnma	Mo $K\alpha$ radiation
a = 15.0417 (19)Å	$\mu = 20.18 \text{ mm}^{-1}$
b = 8.1316 (10)  Å	T = 296  K
c = 10.5625 (14) Å	$0.6 \times 0.2 \times 0.1 \ \text{mm}$

#### Data collection

Bruker SMART CCD area-detector	10792 measured reflections
diffractometer	1607 independent reflections
Absorption correction: multi-scan	1263 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
(SADABS; Bruker, 2000)	$R_{\rm int} = 0.036$
$T_{\min} = 0.011, \ T_{\max} = 0.133$	

#### Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.025$	1 restraint
$wR(F^2) = 0.056$	H-atom parameters constrained
S = 1.11	$\Delta \rho_{\rm max} = 0.86 \ {\rm e} \ {\rm \AA}^{-3}$
1607 reflections	$\Delta \rho_{\rm min} = -1.05 \text{ e} \text{ Å}^{-3}$
61 parameters	

#### Table 1 Selected bond lengths (Å).

Pb1-I3	3.2301 (5)	Pb1-I2	3.2412 (5)
Pb1-I1	3.2303 (5)		

Data collection: SMART (Bruker, 2000); cell refinement: SAINT (Bruker, 2000); data reduction: SAINT; program(s) used to solve structure: SHELXTL (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: SHELXTL; molecular graphics: SHELXTL; software used to prepare material for publication: SHELXTL.

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## S1. Comment

Inorganic metal-halide building-blocks have received special attention with respect to the construction of inorganicorganic hybrid materials (Rogow *et al.*, 2010; Thirumurugan *et al.*, 2008). Among these materials octahedral building blocks of lead halides are frequently found and numerous crystal structures, from one-dimensional chains to threedimensional frameworks (Li *et al.*, 2008; Zhang *et al.*, 2008), were observed. Herein we report the crystal structure of the title compound, ( $C_3H_7N_2$ )[PbI<sub>3</sub>] (I).

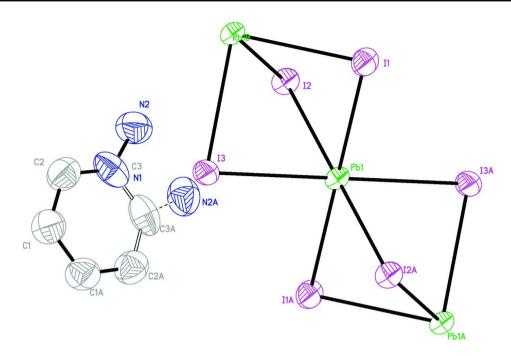
Compound (I) crystallizes with one [PbI<sub>3</sub>]<sup>-</sup> anion and one 1-aminopyridinium cation in the asymmetric unit (Fig. 1). The cation is disordered about a mirror plane. The Pb<sup>2+</sup> cation is coordinated by six iodide anions in a slightly distorted octahedral coordination geometry. The PbI<sub>6</sub> octahedra share faces, resulting in anionic chains running along [010]. As show in Fig. 2., the straight inorganic chains are embedded in cationic stacks. Besides Coulomb attractions, only weak van der Waals interactions between the inorganic and organic components exist.

## **S2. Experimental**

A mixture of  $PbI_2$  (922 mg, 2.0 mmol) and 1-aminopyridinium iodide (190 mg, 2.0 mmol) in a molar ratio of 1:1 in DMF was slowly evaporated to produce orange needle-shaped crystals.

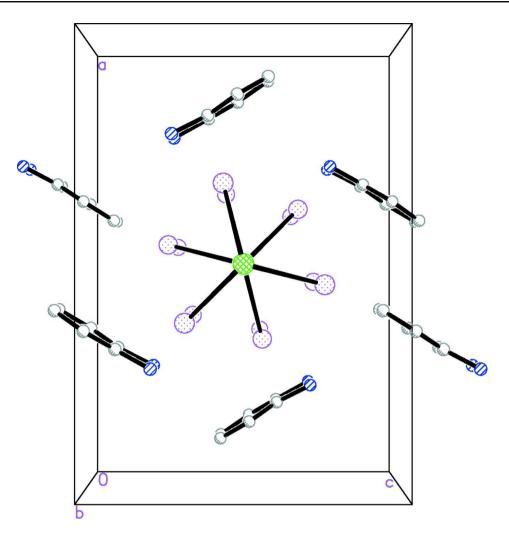
## **S3. Refinement**

The H atoms were placed in geometrically idealized positions and refined as riding atoms, with  $U_{iso}(H) = 1.2U_{eq}(C)$ . The cation is disordered about a mirror plane. Atoms C3 and N1 occupy the same site with an occupation factor of 50%. The respective —NH<sub>2</sub> group and the H atom show likewise half-occupation.



## Figure 1

Part of the structure of (I), showing the atom-numbering scheme and displacement ellipsoids at the 30% probability level. Atom C3 and N1 are positionally disordered. H atoms have been omitted for clyrity. [Symmetry code: A x, 0.5 - y, z.]



## Figure 2

The alignment of inorganic and organic components in the crystals of l along [010].

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Crystal data

 $(C_5H_7N_2)$ [PbI<sub>3</sub>]  $M_r = 683.03$ Orthorhombic, *Pnma* Hall symbol: -P 2ac 2n a = 15.0417 (19) Å b = 8.1316 (10) Å c = 10.5625 (14) Å V = 1291.9 (3) Å<sup>3</sup>

# Data collection

Bruker SMART CCD area-detector diffractometer Radiation source: fine-focus sealed tube Graphite monochromator phi and  $\omega$  scans Z = 4 F(000) = 1168  $D_x = 3.512 \text{ Mg m}^{-3}$ Mo K $\alpha$  radiation,  $\lambda = 0.71073 \text{ Å}$   $\mu = 20.18 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ T = 296 K Needle, orange  $0.6 \times 0.2 \times 0.1 \text{ mm}$ 

Absorption correction: multi-scan (*SADABS*; Bruker, 2000)  $T_{\min} = 0.011, T_{\max} = 0.133$ 10792 measured reflections 1607 independent reflections 1263 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$ 

$R_{\rm int} = 0.036$	$k = -10 \rightarrow 10$
$\theta_{\rm max} = 27.6^{\circ}, \ \theta_{\rm min} = 2.4^{\circ}$	$l = -13 \rightarrow 13$
$h = -19 \rightarrow 19$	

Refinement
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Refinement on $F^2$	Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier
Least-squares matrix: full	map
$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.025$	Hydrogen site location: inferred from
$wR(F^2) = 0.056$	neighbouring sites
<i>S</i> = 1.11	H-atom parameters constrained
1607 reflections	$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.016P)^2 + 2.8133P]$
61 parameters	where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
1 restraint	$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\rm max} = 0.001$
Primary atom site location: structure-invariant	$\Delta \rho_{\rm max} = 0.86 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$
direct methods	$\Delta \rho_{\min} = -1.05 \text{ e} \text{ Å}^{-3}$

## Special details

**Geometry**. All e.s.d.'s (except the e.s.d. in the dihedral angle between two l.s. planes) are estimated using the full covariance matrix. The cell e.s.d.'s are taken into account individually in the estimation of e.s.d.'s in distances, angles and torsion angles; correlations between e.s.d.'s in cell parameters are only used when they are defined by crystal symmetry. An approximate (isotropic) treatment of cell e.s.d.'s is used for estimating e.s.d.'s involving l.s. planes.

**Refinement**. Refinement of  $F^2$  against ALL reflections. The weighted *R*-factor *wR* and goodness of fit *S* are based on  $F^2$ , conventional *R*-factors *R* are based on *F*, with *F* set to zero for negative  $F^2$ . The threshold expression of  $F^2 > \sigma(F^2)$  is used only for calculating *R*-factors(gt) *etc.* and is not relevant to the choice of reflections for refinement. *R*-factors based on  $F^2$  are statistically about twice as large as those based on *F*, and *R*- factors based on ALL data will be even larger.

	x	У	Ζ	$U_{ m iso}$ */ $U_{ m eq}$	Occ. (<1)
Pb1	0.5000	0.5000	0.5000	0.05028 (11)	
I1	0.66188 (4)	0.2500	0.44218 (7)	0.06995 (19)	
I2	0.45861 (4)	0.2500	0.73162 (5)	0.05961 (16)	
I3	0.38187 (5)	0.2500	0.33215 (6)	0.06837 (19)	
C1	0.0996 (6)	0.1682 (10)	0.4247 (8)	0.100 (3)	
H1	0.0708	0.1100	0.3609	0.120*	
C2	0.1419 (7)	0.0883 (12)	0.5186 (9)	0.103 (3)	
H2	0.1424	-0.0261	0.5197	0.123*	
C3	0.1824 (5)	0.1708 (11)	0.6087 (7)	0.100 (3)	0.50
Н3	0.2114	0.1142	0.6731	0.120*	0.50
N1	0.1824 (5)	0.1708 (11)	0.6087 (7)	0.100 (3)	0.50
N2	0.2230 (10)	0.132 (2)	0.7177 (16)	0.121 (5)	0.50
H2A	0.2415	0.2091	0.7672	0.146*	0.50
H2B	0.2307	0.0310	0.7382	0.146*	0.50

Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters  $(\hat{A}^2)$ 

Atomic displacement parameters (	$(A^2)$	
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	$U^{11}$	$U^{22}$	$U^{33}$	$U^{12}$	$U^{13}$	$U^{23}$
Pb1	0.0585 (2)	0.03787 (16)	0.05448 (19)	0.00017 (13)	0.00130 (15)	-0.00097 (14)
I1	0.0549 (3)	0.0611 (4)	0.0938 (5)	0.000	0.0189 (3)	0.000
I2	0.0727 (4)	0.0575 (3)	0.0486 (3)	0.000	0.0023 (3)	0.000
I3	0.0753 (4)	0.0603 (4)	0.0696 (4)	0.000	-0.0268 (3)	0.000

# supporting information

C1	0.120 (7)	0.100 (6)	0.081 (5)	-0.001 (5)	-0.015 (5)	-0.010 (5)	
C2	0.104 (7)	0.089 (6)	0.114 (8)	-0.005 (5)	0.008 (6)	0.004 (6)	
C3	0.064 (4)	0.162 (9)	0.074 (5)	0.010 (4)	0.010 (3)	0.026 (5)	
N1	0.064 (4)	0.162 (9)	0.074 (5)	0.010 (4)	0.010 (3)	0.026 (5)	
N2	0.111 (11)	0.121 (12)	0.133 (13)	0.004 (10)	-0.004 (11)	0.029 (11)	

Geometric parameters (Å, °)

Pb1—I3 <sup>i</sup>	3.2301 (5)	C1—C1 <sup>iii</sup>	1.331 (16)
Pb1—I3	3.2301 (5)	C1—C2	1.345 (12)
Pb1—I1	3.2303 (5)	C1—H1	0.9300
Pb1—I1 <sup>i</sup>	3.2303 (5)	C2—C3	1.315 (11)
Pb1—I2	3.2412 (5)	С2—Н2	0.9300
Pb1—I2 <sup>i</sup>	3.2412 (5)	C3—C3 <sup>iii</sup>	1.288 (18)
I1—Pb1 <sup>ii</sup>	3.2303 (5)	С3—Н3	0.9300
I2—Pb1 <sup>ii</sup>	3.2412 (5)	N2—H2A	0.8600
I3—Pb1 <sup>ii</sup>	3.2301 (5)	N2—H2B	0.8600
I3 <sup>i</sup> —Pb1—I3	180.0	I2—Pb1—I2 <sup>i</sup>	180.0
I3 <sup>i</sup> —Pb1—I1	94.886 (17)	Pb1 <sup>ii</sup> —I1—Pb1	78.000 (17)
I3—Pb1—I1	85.114 (17)	Pb1 <sup>ii</sup> —I2—Pb1	77.688 (16)
$I3^{i}$ —Pb1—I1 <sup>i</sup>	85.114 (17)	Pb1—I3—Pb1 <sup>ii</sup>	78.007 (16)
I3—Pb1—I1 <sup>i</sup>	94.886 (17)	$C1^{iii}$ — $C1$ — $C2$	118.9 (6)
$I1$ —Pb1— $I1^i$	180.0	C1 <sup>iii</sup> —C1—H1	120.6
I3 <sup>i</sup> —Pb1—I2	94.940 (16)	C2—C1—H1	120.6
I3—Pb1—I2	85.060 (16)	C3—C2—C1	120.4 (9)
I1—Pb1—I2	83.844 (15)	C3—C2—H2	119.8
I1 <sup>i</sup> —Pb1—I2	96.156 (15)	C1—C2—H2	119.8
$I3^{i}$ —Pb1—I2 <sup>i</sup>	85.060 (16)	C3 <sup>iii</sup> —C3—C2	120.7 (6)
I3—Pb1—I2 <sup>i</sup>	94.940 (16)	C3 <sup>iii</sup> —C3—H3	119.7
$I1$ —Pb1— $I2^i$	96.156 (15)	С2—С3—Н3	119.7
$I1^{i}$ —Pb1—I2 <sup>i</sup>	83.844 (15)	H2A—N2—H2B	120.0

Symmetry codes: (i) -x+1, -y+1, -z+1; (ii) -x+1, y-1/2, -z+1; (iii) x, -y+1/2, z.