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### 3,5-Dicarboxypyridinium fluoride

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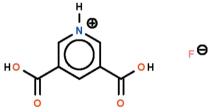
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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; T = 293 K; mean  $\sigma(C-C) = 0.002$  Å; R factor = 0.034; wR factor = 0.105; data-to-parameter ratio = 13.2.

The cation of the title salt,  $C_7H_6NO_4^{+}$ -F<sup>-</sup>, lies on a twofold rotation axis that passes through the N and 4-C atoms of the pyridine ring; the carboxylic acid substituent features unambiguous carbon–oxygen single and double bonds. The fluoride ion is a hydrogen-bond acceptor to two hydroxy and one amino groups, these  $O-H\cdots$ F and  $N-H\cdots$ F hydrogen bonds leading to the formation of a layer structure parallel to the *ab* plane. The F atom lies on a position of 2 site symmetry.

#### **Related literature**

For the crystal structure of pyridine-3,5-dicarboxylic acid, see: Cowan *et al.* (2005); Takusagawa *et al.* (1973).



#### **Experimental**

Crystal data

 $\begin{array}{lll} & C_7 H_6 \text{NO_4}^+ \cdot \text{F}^- & b = 11.4503 \ (14) \ \text{Å} \\ M_r = 187.13 & c = 6.1601 \ (7) \ \text{Å} \\ \text{Monoclinic, } C2/c & \beta = 104.197 \ (2)^\circ \\ a = 11.3959 \ (14) \ \text{Å} & V = 779.26 \ (16) \ \text{Å}^3 \end{array}$ 

Z = 4 T = 293 K Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation u = 0.15 mm $^{-1}$  0.40 × 0.35 × 0.25 mm

Data collection

Bruker SMART APEX diffractometer 2354 measured reflections 883 independent reflections Absorption correction: multi-scan (SADABS; Sheldrick, 1996)  $T_{\min} = 0.686, T_{\max} = 0.746$  2354 measured reflections 883 independent reflections 750 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$   $R_{\rm int} = 0.012$ 

Refinement

$$\begin{split} R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] &= 0.034 & \text{H atoms treated by a mixture of} \\ wR(F^2) &= 0.105 & \text{independent and constrained} \\ S &= 1.11 & \text{refinement} \\ 883 \text{ reflections} & \Delta \rho_{\text{max}} = 0.29 \text{ e Å}^{-3} \\ 67 \text{ parameters} & \Delta \rho_{\text{min}} = -0.16 \text{ e Å}^{-3} \end{split}$$

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

$D-\mathrm{H}\cdots A$	D-H	$H \cdot \cdot \cdot A$	$D \cdot \cdot \cdot A$	$D-\mathrm{H}\cdots A$
$ \begin{array}{c} O1 - H1 \cdots F1 \\ N1 - H2 \cdots F1^{i} \end{array} $	0.86 (1)	1.60 (1)	2.458 (1)	176 (2)
	0.88 (1)	1.68 (1)	2.563 (2)	180

Symmetry code: (i)  $x - \frac{1}{2}$ ,  $y + \frac{1}{2}$ , z.

Data collection: *APEX2* (Bruker, 2005); cell refinement: *SAINT* (Bruker, 2005); data reduction: *SAINT*; program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 2008); molecular graphics: *X-SEED* (Barbour, 2001); software used to prepare material for publication: *publCIF* (Westrip, 2010).

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#### S1. Comment

The organic salt was the crystalline product obtained in a hydrothermal reaction involving molybdic acid, hydrogen fluoride and pyridine-3,5-dicarboxylic acid; the reaction merely involved the protonation of the carboxylic acid by hydrogen fluoride. The parent carboxylic acid itself displays short O–H···O hydrogen bonds (Cowan *et al.*, 2005; Takusagawa *et al.*, 1973). The hydrogen fluoride salt,  $C_7H_6NO_4^+$  F<sup>-</sup> (Scheme I, Fig. 1), lies on a twofold rotation axis that passes through the pyridine ring; the carboxylic acid substituent features unambiguous carbon-oxygen single- and double-bonds [1.306 (1), 1.207 (1) Å]. The fluoride ion is hydrogen bond acceptor to two hydroxy and one amino groups, these O–H···F and N–H···F hydrogen bonds leading to the formation of a layer structure parallel to the a-b plane (Fig. 2).

#### **S2. Experimental**

To a solution of molybdic acid, H<sub>2</sub>MoO<sub>4</sub> (1 mmol) in water (10 ml) was added 3,5-pyridinedicarboxylic acid (5 mmol). The mixture was placed in a 23 ml, Teflon-lined, stainless steel Parr bomb. Several drops of hydrofluoric acid were added. The bomb was heated at 373 for 3 days. It was then cooled to room temperature at 5 K per hour. Yellow blockshaped crystals were obtained in about 50% yield.

#### S3. Refinement

Carbon-bound H-atoms were placed in calculated positions (C—H 0.93 Å) and were included in the refinement in the riding model approximation, with U(H) set to 1.2U(C).

The amino and hydroxy H-atoms were located in a difference Fourier map, and were refined with a distance restraint of N-H  $0.88\pm0.01$  and O-H  $0.84\pm0.01$  Å; their temperature factors were freely refined.

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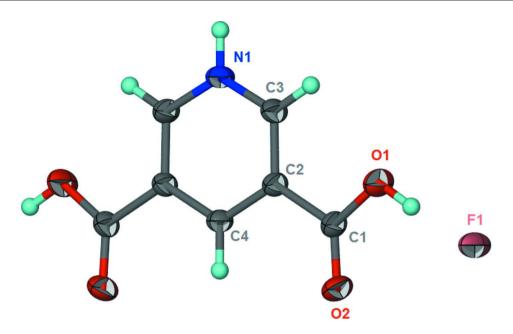
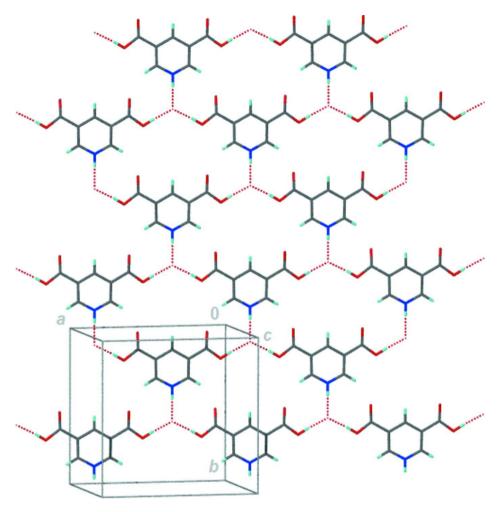


Figure 1 Thermal ellipsoid plot (Barbour, 2001) of  $C_7H_6NO_4^+$  F<sup>-</sup> at the 50% probability level; hydrogen atoms are drawn as spheres of arbitrary radius. The unlabeled atoms are related to the labeled ones by -x, y, 3/2 - z.

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**Figure 2**Layer structure.

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Data collection

Bruker SMART APEX diffractometer Radiation source: fine-focus sealed tube Graphite monochromator  $\omega$  scans

F(000) = 384  $D_{\rm x} = 1.595~{
m Mg~m}^{-3}$ Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation,  $\lambda = 0.71073~{
m Å}$ Cell parameters from 1129 reflections  $\theta = 2.6-28.4^{\circ}$   $\mu = 0.15~{
m mm}^{-1}$   $T = 293~{
m K}$ Block, yellow  $0.40 \times 0.35 \times 0.25~{
m mm}$ 

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750 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
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$$R_{\rm int} = 0.012$$

$$\theta_{\text{max}} = 27.5^{\circ}, \, \theta_{\text{min}} = 2.6^{\circ}$$

 $h = -10 \rightarrow 14$  $k = -13 \rightarrow 14$ 

## $l = -8 \rightarrow 5$

Refinement

Refinement on  $F^2$ 

Least-squares matrix: full

 $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.034$ 

 $wR(F^2) = 0.105$ 

S = 1.11

883 reflections

67 parameters

2 restraints

Primary atom site location: structure-invariant

direct methods

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

 $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_0^2) + (0.0615P)^2 + 0.1524P]$ 

where  $P = (F_0^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$ 

 $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\text{max}} = 0.001$ 

 $\Delta \rho_{\text{max}} = 0.29 \text{ e Å}^{-3}$   $\Delta \rho_{\text{min}} = -0.16 \text{ e Å}^{-3}$ 

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

	x	у	Z	$U_{ m iso}$ */ $U_{ m eq}$	
F1	0.5000	0.54662 (9)	0.7500	0.0536 (4)	
O1	0.30965 (8)	0.64863 (8)	0.74566 (19)	0.0454(3)	
H1	0.3745 (12)	0.6097 (17)	0.747 (3)	0.069 (6)*	
O2	0.21589 (9)	0.47552 (8)	0.71733 (17)	0.0428 (3)	
H2	0.0000	0.8997 (9)	0.7500	0.050 (6)*	
N1	0.0000	0.82283 (12)	0.7500	0.0346 (4)	
C1	0.21620 (10)	0.58059 (11)	0.7326(2)	0.0321 (3)	
C2	0.10381 (10)	0.64621 (10)	0.73953 (19)	0.0294(3)	
C3	0.10135 (10)	0.76662 (11)	0.7394(2)	0.0328 (3)	
Н3	0.1701	0.8087	0.7320	0.039*	
C4	0.0000	0.58621 (14)	0.7500	0.0294 (4)	
H4	0.0000	0.5050	0.7500	0.035*	

#### Atomic displacement parameters $(\mathring{A}^2)$

	$U^{11}$	$U^{22}$	$U^{33}$	$U^{12}$	$U^{13}$	$U^{23}$
F1	0.0272 (6)	0.0273 (6)	0.1130 (11)	0.000	0.0301 (6)	0.000
O1	0.0245 (5)	0.0335 (5)	0.0811 (7)	0.0017 (4)	0.0183 (5)	-0.0042 (5)
O2	0.0370(6)	0.0281 (5)	0.0663 (7)	0.0059 (4)	0.0184 (5)	-0.0033 (4)
N1	0.0268 (7)	0.0209(7)	0.0570 (9)	0.000	0.0121 (6)	0.000
C1	0.0265 (6)	0.0299 (6)	0.0409 (7)	0.0029 (5)	0.0102 (5)	-0.0008(5)
C2	0.0249 (6)	0.0254 (6)	0.0385 (6)	0.0012 (4)	0.0087 (5)	-0.0012 (4)
C3	0.0239 (6)	0.0260(6)	0.0495 (7)	-0.0025 (4)	0.0108 (5)	-0.0004 (5)
C4	0.0272 (8)	0.0218 (7)	0.0394 (9)	0.000	0.0085 (6)	0.000

#### Geometric parameters (Å, °)

O1—C1	1.306 (1)	C1—C2	1.495 (2)
O1—H1	0.86(1)	C2—C3	1.379 (2)
O2—C1	1.207 (2)	C2—C4	1.383 (1)

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N1—C3 <sup>i</sup>	1.338 (1)	C3—H3	0.9300
N1—C3	1.338 (1)	C4—C2 <sup>i</sup>	1.383 (1)
N1—H2	0.88(1)	C4—H4	0.9300
C1—O1—H1	112.1 (14)	C3—C2—C1	121.33 (11)
C3 <sup>i</sup> —N1—C3	122.48 (15)	C4—C2—C1	120.03 (11)
C3 <sup>i</sup> —N1—H2	118.76 (7)	N1—C3—C2	119.92 (11)
C3—N1—H2	118.76 (7)	N1—C3—H3	120.0
O2—C1—O1	125.90 (11)	C2—C3—H3	120.0
O2—C1—C2	121.15 (11)	C2—C4—C2 <sup>i</sup>	120.44 (15)
O1—C1—C2	112.95 (11)	C2—C4—H4	119.8
C3—C2—C4	118.62 (11)	C2 <sup>i</sup> —C4—H4	119.8
O2—C1—C2—C3	-174.90 (12)	C4—C2—C3—N1	0.20 (16)
O1—C1—C2—C3	5.39 (16)	C1—C2—C3—N1	-178.73 (9)
O2—C1—C2—C4	6.18 (17)	C3—C2—C4—C2 <sup>i</sup>	-0.10(8)
O1—C1—C2—C4	-173.53 (9)	C1—C2—C4—C2 <sup>i</sup>	178.85 (11)
C3 <sup>i</sup> —N1—C3—C2	-0.10 (8)		

Symmetry code: (i) -x, y, -z+3/2.

### Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °)

D— $H$ ··· $A$	<i>D</i> —H	$H\cdots A$	$D \cdots A$	D— $H$ ··· $A$
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