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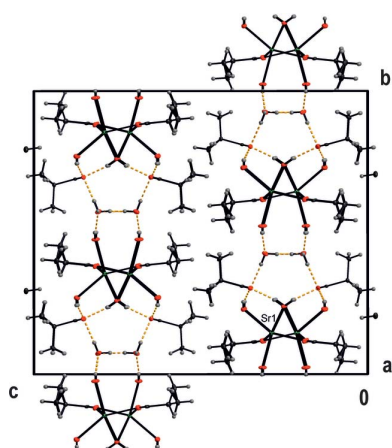
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Crystal structures of *catena*-poly[[μ -aqua-diaqua(μ_3 -2-methylpropanoato- κ^4 O:O,O':O')calcium] 2-methylpropanoate dihydrate], *catena*-poly[[μ -aqua-diaqua(μ_3 -2-methylpropanoato- κ^4 O:O,O':O')strontium] 2-methylpropanoate dihydrate] and *catena*-poly[[μ -aqua-diaqua(μ_3 -2-methylpropanoato- κ^4 O:O,O':O')(calcium/strontium)] 2-methylpropanoate dihydrate]

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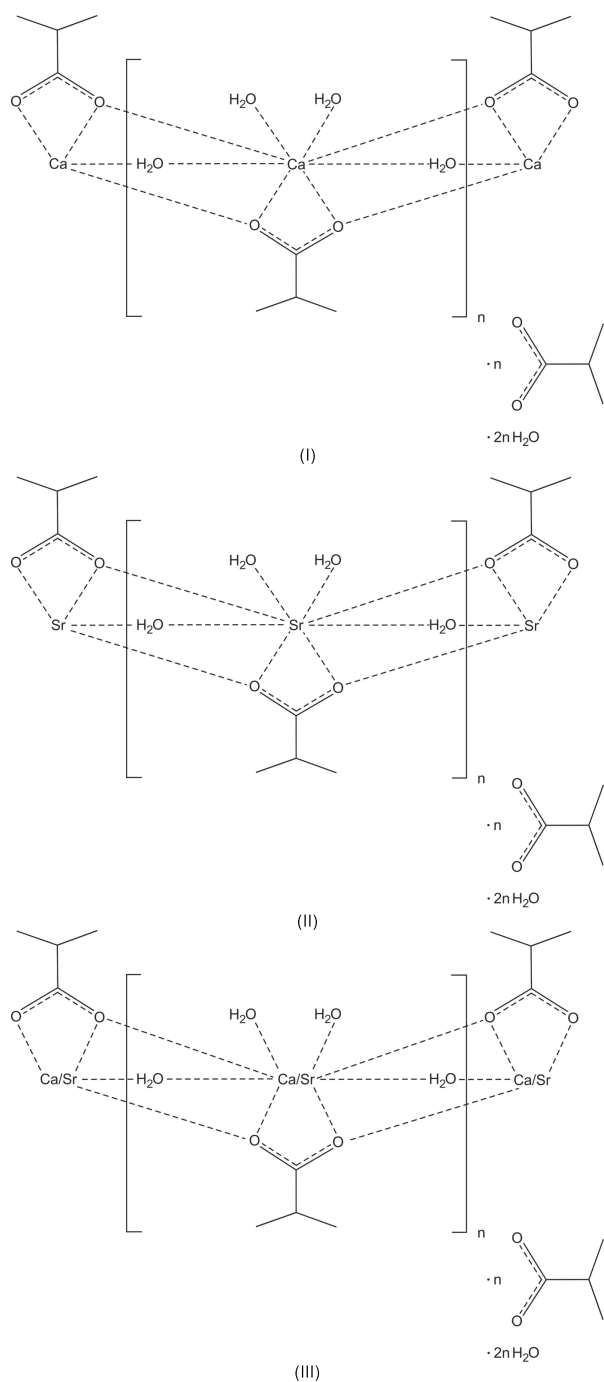
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1. Chemical context

A search of the Cambridge Structural Database (Groom *et al.*, 2016; version 5.41 with updates until August 2020) for crystal structures containing solely alkaline earth cations and 2-methylpropanoate (or isobutyrate) anions revealed hexakis-[bis(μ_2 -2-methylpropanoato)(2-methylpropanoic acid)mag-

nesium], refcode NAGQUI (Coker *et al.*, 2004) and *catena*-poly[[triqua(isobutyrate-*kO*)magnesium]- μ -isobutyrate- $\kappa^2O:O'$] monohydrate, refcode VIQTOG (Malaestean *et al.*, 2013). Although limited to these two examples, some basic structural features of these compounds can be inferred from other simple carboxylate salts. These features, among others, are illustrated by the series of structures determined by Coker *et al.* (2004), in which the number of carbon atoms in the carboxylate anions gradually increases.



In the crystal structure of *catena*-[tetrakis(μ_2 -formate)-tetraaquadimagnesium], MGFORD03 (Coker *et al.*, 2004), no hydrophobic organic chain is present. In the other member of this series, bis(μ_2 -acetato-*O,O,O'*)-tetrakis(μ_2 -acetato-*O,O'*)-

bis(acetic acid)diaquatrimagnesium acetic acid solvate, NAGQOC [Coker *et al.* (2004), see also the redetermination of this structure by Scheurell *et al.* (2012), NAGQOC02], there are sheets within the structure separated into hydrophilic parts (composed of the cations and oxygen atoms) and hydrophobic parts (composed of methyl groups). The remaining free acetic acid molecules are bound by $O_{\text{acetic}}-\text{H}\cdots\text{O}$ hydrogen bonds between the layers. NAGQUI is an example of a structure where the hydrophilic part is surrounded by a hydrophobic layer. The same holds for hexakis[bis(μ_2 -3,3-dimethylbutanato)(3,3-dimethylbutanoic acid)magnesium], NAGRET (Coker *et al.*, 2004), as well as for bis(pivalato)tetrakis(pivalic acid)magnesium, VAMCUI01 [Coker *et al.* (2004), see also VAMCUI determined by Troyanov *et al.* (2002)]. Thus, the longer the organic chain, the more important the van der Waals forces become for molecular cohesion in structures with carboxylate anions. The different cohesion forces in the hydrophilic and the hydrophobic parts are the reason for the formation of layer-like structures or structures where an organic part completely surrounds a hydrophilic metal-oxygen sheet or a hydrophilic cluster. Likewise, the longer the hydrophobic chains, the larger is the probability of inclusion of non-coordinating water molecules into the structure because the latter can provide binding bridges between the carboxylate anions, which would otherwise be isolated. Such a situation is realised in VIQTOG where the water molecules complete a column substructure that is defined by the cation-oxygen bonds stemming from the carboxylate groups and water molecules. The growing complexity of water substructures with a growing number of carbon atoms in carboxylate anions has also been observed in the salts of the first five dicarboxylic acids with 4,6-diaminopyrimidine (Matulková *et al.*, 2017).

The present study was undertaken to prepare dicalcium strontium hexakis(2-methylpropanoate) with the intention that the resulting crystal structure might be related to dicalcium strontium hexakis(propionate) (CASRPP06; Mishima, 1984), which exhibits interesting structural and physical properties (*e.g.* Itoh, 1992). However, the synthesis attempt resulted in one of the title structures, *catena*-poly[[μ -aqua-diaqua(μ_3 -2-methylpropanoato- $\kappa^4O:O,O':O'$)(calcium/strontium)] 2-methylpropanoate dihydrate], (III). We then also prepared the pure Ca and Sr compounds, *i.e.* (I) and (II), the crystal structures of which are also reported here.

2. Structural commentary

The structures have the same features and are composed of the respective cation, two carboxylate molecules and additional water molecules. One of the carboxylate anions and three water molecules coordinate to the cation, the remaining molecules form a substructure interconnected by hydrogen bonds only. Compound (III) is an Sr-containing solid solution of (I), and the two structures are crystal-chemically isotopic. The refined ratio of the occupationally disordered cation site is Ca:Sr = 0.7936 (16):0.2064 (16). The crystal structures of (I)/(III) and (II) are homeotypic (Lima-de-Faria *et al.*, 1990), with

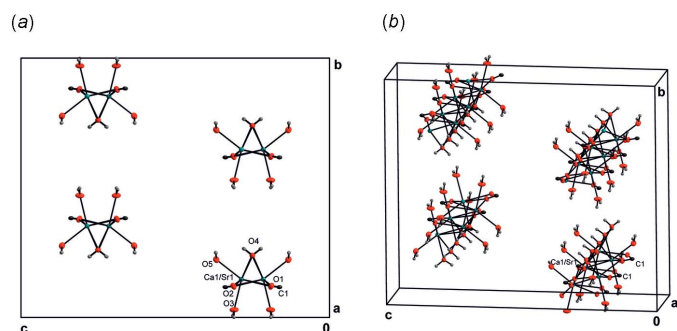


Figure 1
(a) View of the columns along the *a* axis in the crystal structure of (III). The columns depicted are formed by (Ca1/Sr1) (green) and O atoms (red); the latter are also depicted with bonds to carbon C atoms (grey) and H atoms (light-grey spheres of arbitrary radius). Displacement ellipsoids are shown at the 30% probability level. (b) Perspective view of the columns in (III).

similar lattice parameters and crystal-chemical features, but different space-group types.

There are three main cohesion forces present in the title structures: The first cohesion force regards the cation–oxygen interactions. For each of the crystal structures, there are eight oxygen atoms in the coordination sphere, defined by one carboxylate molecule in a bidentate bridging mode. (In VIQTOG there are two carboxylate anions coordinating in a monodentate mode and bridging to other Mg^{2+} cations.) In the title structures, the cation-coordinating atoms are symmetry-equivalent atoms O1 in (II), and O1 and O2 in (I) and (III), respectively. Other coordinating O atoms are the water O atoms O2, O3 and O4 in (II), and the water O atoms O3, O4 and O5 in (I) and (III). [The Sr^{2+} cation in (II) is located on a mirror plane (Wyckoff position 8*f*)]. Numerical values of the cation–oxygen bonds are listed in Tables 1, 2 and 3 for structures (I), (II) and (III), respectively. The coordination polyhedra form columns oriented parallel to the *a* axis. Because of the similarity of the three structures, (III) was chosen as a representative (Fig. 1*a,b*).

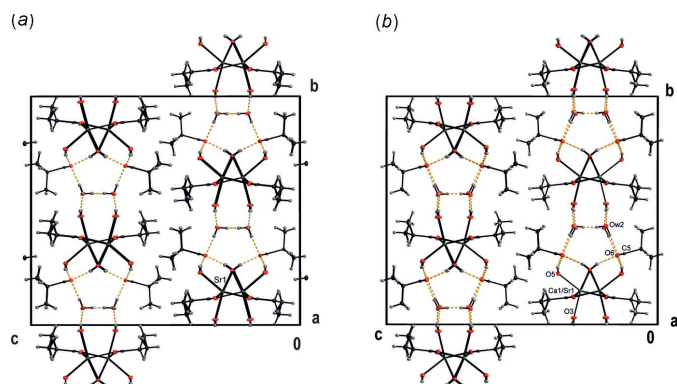


Figure 2
View of the unit-cell content of (a) (II) and (b) (III). Hydrogen bonds are shown as yellow dashed lines; colour code as in Fig. 1. The substructures with the hydrophilic sheets and hydrogen-bonded system, which connects the columns and water molecules, are clearly discernible from the hydrophobic part of the structure composed of 2-methylethyl chains.

Table 1
Selected bond lengths (Å) for (I).

| | | | |
|----------------------|-------------|----------------------|-------------|
| Ca1—O3 | 2.3479 (12) | Ca1—O2 | 2.4993 (11) |
| Ca1—O2 ⁱ | 2.3653 (10) | Ca1—O1 | 2.5308 (11) |
| Ca1—O1 ⁱⁱ | 2.3938 (10) | Ca1—O4 ⁱⁱ | 2.5446 (11) |
| Ca1—O5 | 2.4085 (12) | Ca1—O4 | 2.6019 (11) |

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

Table 2
Selected bond lengths (Å) for (II).

| | | | |
|----------------------|-------------|-----------------------|-------------|
| Sr1—O1 ⁱ | 2.4788 (10) | Sr1—O1 | 2.6561 (11) |
| Sr1—O1 ⁱⁱ | 2.4788 (10) | Sr1—O1 ⁱⁱⁱ | 2.6561 (11) |
| Sr1—O3 | 2.4899 (16) | Sr1—O2 | 2.6796 (11) |
| Sr1—O4 | 2.5593 (18) | Sr1—O2 ⁱⁱ | 2.6796 (11) |

Symmetry codes: (i) $-x + \frac{3}{2}, y, -z + \frac{1}{2}$; (ii) $x - \frac{1}{2}, y, -z + \frac{1}{2}$; (iii) $-x + 1, y, z$.

Table 3
Selected bond lengths (Å) for (III).

| | | | |
|----------------------|-------------|----------------------|------------|
| Ca1—O3 | 2.3719 (10) | Ca1—O2 | 2.5457 (9) |
| Ca1—O2 ⁱ | 2.3845 (9) | Ca1—O1 | 2.5714 (9) |
| Ca1—O1 ⁱⁱ | 2.4091 (8) | Ca1—O4 ⁱⁱ | 2.5747 (9) |
| Ca1—O5 | 2.4209 (10) | Ca1—O4 | 2.6271 (9) |

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

The second type of a cohesion force in the title structures originates from O—H...O hydrogen bonds of moderate strength (Gilli & Gilli, 2009) that link the above mentioned columns into hydrophilic sheets parallel to (001) (Fig. 2*a,b*). Within a sheet, the coordinating water molecules are solely engaged as donor groups whereas the non-coordinating water molecules (Ow1 and Ow2 in (I) and (III), and Ow1 in (II)) have the functions both as donor and acceptor groups. The carboxylate acceptor atoms O6 and O7 in the structure of (I) and (III) and the pair of equivalent atoms O5 (*x*, *y*, *z* and $1 - x$, *y*, *z*) in the structure of (II) stem from the second, non-coordinating carboxylate anion. Each of these carboxylate oxygen atoms is an acceptor of three hydrogen bonds that are donated by two coordinating and by one non-coordinating water molecules. Numerical values of these interactions are collated in Tables 4, 5 and 6 for structures (I), (II) and (III), respectively. Fig. 3*a,b* depict the hydrogen-bonded substructures in (II) and (III). The graph-set motifs are $R_5^5(10)$ (Etter *et*

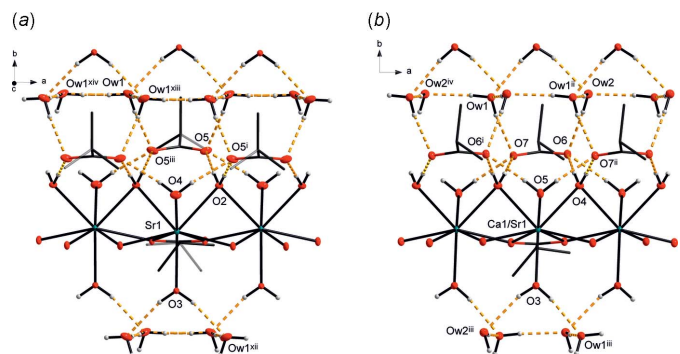


Figure 3
View of the hydrogen-bonded substructures in (a) (II) and (b) (III). The symmetry codes correspond to those given in Tables 5 and 6, respectively. Colour code is as in Fig. 1.

Table 4
Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °) for (I).

| <i>D</i> —H··· <i>A</i> | <i>D</i> —H | H··· <i>A</i> | <i>D</i> ··· <i>A</i> | <i>D</i> —H··· <i>A</i> |
|-------------------------------|-------------|---------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|
| O3—H1o3···Ow2 ⁱⁱⁱ | 0.840 (13) | 2.063 (15) | 2.8754 (16) | 162.5 (15) |
| O3—H2o3···Ow1 ⁱⁱⁱ | 0.840 (14) | 1.954 (15) | 2.7829 (17) | 168.8 (15) |
| O4—H1o4···O6 | 0.840 (13) | 1.936 (13) | 2.7560 (15) | 165.1 (14) |
| O4—H2o4···O7 ⁱ | 0.840 (14) | 1.925 (13) | 2.7431 (15) | 164.4 (14) |
| O5—H1o5···O6 ⁱⁱ | 0.840 (13) | 1.966 (13) | 2.7805 (15) | 163.0 (18) |
| O5—H2o5···O7 ⁱ | 0.840 (13) | 1.935 (13) | 2.7597 (15) | 166.9 (18) |
| Ow1—H1ow1···Ow2 ^{iv} | 0.840 (5) | 1.882 (4) | 2.7192 (17) | 174 (2) |
| Ow1—H2ow1···O7 | 0.840 (13) | 1.960 (13) | 2.7872 (17) | 168.0 (18) |
| Ow2—H1ow2···O6 | 0.840 (13) | 1.969 (13) | 2.8070 (17) | 175.1 (17) |
| Ow2—H2ow2···Ow1 ⁱ | 0.840 (7) | 1.886 (7) | 2.7242 (18) | 175 (2) |

Symmetry codes: (i) $x + \frac{1}{2}, y, -z + \frac{1}{2}$; (ii) $x - \frac{1}{2}, y, -z + \frac{1}{2}$; (iii) $-x + 1, y - \frac{1}{2}, -z + \frac{1}{2}$; (iv) $x - 1, y, z$.

Table 5
Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °) for (II).

| <i>D</i> —H··· <i>A</i> | <i>D</i> —H | H··· <i>A</i> | <i>D</i> ··· <i>A</i> | <i>D</i> —H··· <i>A</i> |
|-------------------------------|-------------|---------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|
| O2—H1o2···O5 | 0.820 (16) | 1.936 (15) | 2.7465 (14) | 169.3 (17) |
| O3—H1o3···Ow1 ^{iv} | 0.827 (17) | 2.022 (17) | 2.8339 (18) | 167.1 (18) |
| O4—H1o4···O5 ⁱ | 0.844 (18) | 1.964 (17) | 2.7887 (16) | 165.3 (19) |
| Ow1—H1ow1···O5 ⁱⁱⁱ | 0.818 (18) | 1.976 (19) | 2.7913 (18) | 174 (2) |
| Ow1—H2ow1···Ow1 ^v | 0.82 (2) | 1.92 (3) | 2.736 (2) | 176 (5) |
| Ow1—H3ow1···Ow1 ^{vi} | 0.803 (17) | 1.946 (17) | 2.747 (2) | 176 (5) |

Symmetry codes: (i) $-x + \frac{3}{2}, y, -z + \frac{1}{2}$; (iii) $-x + 1, y, z$; (iv) $-x + 1, y - \frac{1}{2}, -z + \frac{1}{2}$; (v) $-x + \frac{1}{2}, y, -z + \frac{1}{2}$; (vi) $-x, y, z$.

al., 1990), which include these atoms: Ow1—Ow1^{xiii}($-x + \frac{1}{2}, y, -z + \frac{1}{2}$)—Ow1^{xiv}($x + \frac{1}{2}, y, -z + \frac{1}{2}$)—Ow1ⁱⁱⁱ($-x + 1, y, z$)—O3^{xv}($-x + 1, y + \frac{1}{2}, -z + \frac{1}{2}$) for (II) and Ow1—Ow2^v($-x - \frac{1}{2}, y, -z + \frac{1}{2}$)—Ow1ⁱⁱ($x + \frac{1}{2}, y, -z + \frac{1}{2}$)—Ow2—O3^{vi}($-x + 1, y + \frac{1}{2}, -z + \frac{1}{2}$) for (III), respectively. Note the disorder of the hydrogen atoms H2ow1 and H3ow1 bound to Ow1 in the structure of (II).

The third type of cohesion force is related to van der Waals interactions between the hydrophobic parts of the layers involving the methylene and methyl groups. The shortest C···C distances observed in (I) and (III) are C4···C7($x + \frac{1}{2}, -y, z + \frac{1}{2}$), which are 3.762 (2) and 3.746 (2) Å, respectively. The shortest C···C interactions in (II) for C3b···C6($x + \frac{1}{2}, -y + \frac{1}{2}, -z$) and C3b···C7($-x + \frac{3}{2}, -y + \frac{1}{2}, -z$) are 3.569 (4) and 3.146 (5) Å, respectively. These comparatively shorter distances indicate positional disorder (see *Refinement* section). As a general rule, it can be inferred that the shorter the C···C distances between adjacent groups, the greater is the probability for the occurrence of positional disorder of the 1-methylethyl group. See also the discussion regarding the observed disorder in barium dicalcium hexakis(propanoate) (CABAPN) by Stadnicka & Glazer (1980) where, however, the methyl carbons get as close as 4.05 (2) Å.

3. Synthesis and crystallization

For (III), two molar equivalents of CaCO₃ and one molar equivalent of SrCO₃ were neutralized by six molar equivalents of 2-methylpropionic acid (using 0.76 g of CaCO₃, 0.56 g of SrCO₃ and about 2.50 g of 2-methylpropionic acid). The solution was heated at 343 K, an excess of the acid was then added until the pH was between 5 and 6. The solution was

Table 6
Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °) for (III).

| <i>D</i> —H··· <i>A</i> | <i>D</i> —H | H··· <i>A</i> | <i>D</i> ··· <i>A</i> | <i>D</i> —H··· <i>A</i> |
|-------------------------------|-------------|---------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|
| O3—H1o3···Ow2 ⁱⁱⁱ | 0.840 (11) | 2.061 (12) | 2.8767 (14) | 163.6 (13) |
| O3—H2o3···Ow1 ⁱⁱⁱ | 0.840 (12) | 1.953 (12) | 2.7842 (14) | 169.8 (13) |
| O4—H1o4···O6 | 0.840 (11) | 1.932 (10) | 2.7498 (13) | 164.2 (11) |
| O4—H2o4···O7 ⁱ | 0.840 (11) | 1.920 (10) | 2.7382 (13) | 164.2 (11) |
| O5—H1o5···O6 ⁱⁱ | 0.840 (11) | 1.964 (11) | 2.7831 (13) | 164.9 (15) |
| O5—H2o5···O7 ⁱ | 0.840 (11) | 1.944 (11) | 2.7636 (13) | 165.0 (14) |
| Ow1—H1ow1···Ow2 ^{iv} | 0.840 (4) | 1.888 (3) | 2.7233 (14) | 172.8 (16) |
| Ow1—H2ow1···O7 | 0.840 (10) | 1.951 (11) | 2.7836 (14) | 170.7 (15) |
| Ow2—H1ow2···O6 | 0.840 (10) | 1.967 (10) | 2.8050 (14) | 175.3 (15) |
| Ow2—H2ow2···Ow1 ⁱ | 0.840 (5) | 1.887 (5) | 2.7248 (15) | 175.2 (17) |

Symmetry codes: (i) $x + \frac{1}{2}, y, -z + \frac{1}{2}$; (ii) $x - \frac{1}{2}, y, -z + \frac{1}{2}$; (iii) $-x + 1, y - \frac{1}{2}, -z + \frac{1}{2}$; (iv) $x - 1, y, z$.

filtered and then heated at 313 K until needle-like colourless crystals appeared. The pure Ca compound, (I), and the pure Sr compound, (II), were prepared for the sake of comparison. 0.85 g of CaCO₃ were neutralized by 1.5 g of 2-methylpropionic acid and 1.26 g of SrCO₃ were neutralized by 1.5 g of 2-methylpropionic acid, respectively; in each case these values correspond to the molar ratio of 1:2. The solutions were heated at 343 K, an excess of the acid was then added until the pH was between 5 and 6. The solutions were filtered and then heated at 313 K until needle-like colourless crystals appeared.

We have also tried to prepare magnesium 2-methylpropanoate and barium 2-methylpropanoate in a similar way as for (I)–(III). However, it turned out that the obtained crystals of the former compound correspond to VIQTOG, while the crystal structure of the latter compound is modulated and is being solved at present. Provided that we obtain a satisfactory model, the results will be published elsewhere.

4. Structure determination and refinement

Crystal data, data collection and structure refinement details are summarized in Table 7. In all structures, the methanetriyl hydrogen atoms were placed in calculated positions and refined with $C_{\text{methanetriyl}}-H_{\text{methanetriyl}} = 1.00 \text{ \AA}$, $U_{\text{iso}}(H_{\text{methanetriyl}}) = 1.2U_{\text{eq}}(C_{\text{methanetriyl}})$. Methyl hydrogen atoms were discernible in difference electron-density maps and were refined with $C_{\text{methyl}}-H_{\text{methyl}} = 0.98 \text{ \AA}$, $U_{\text{iso}}(H_{\text{methyl}}) = 1.5U_{\text{eq}}(C_{\text{methyl}})$. Finally, difference electron density maps revealed the water hydrogen atoms, which were refined with restraints of $O_{\text{water}}-H_{\text{water}} = 0.840 (1) \text{ \AA}$.

For (II), difference electron-density maps revealed positional disorder of the 2-methylpropyl entity in both anions. This positional disorder affects the non-oxygen atoms that are not situated on the mirror plane (Wyckoff position 8*f*). In addition, methyl atoms C3*a* and C3*b* with their attached hydrogen atoms were first subjected to a trial refinement of their occupancies, which resulted in 0.510 (5) and 0.490 (5) for C3*a* and C3*b* and the attached hydrogen atoms, respectively. In the final model, the occupancies were fixed at 0.50 for these groups. Ow1 is situated in a general position like its hydrogen atoms. As a result of the local environment, H1ow1 was assumed to be fully occupied while H2ow1 and H3ow1 were

Table 7
Experimental details.

| | (I) | (II) | (III) |
|---|---|---|---|
| Crystal data | | | |
| Chemical formula | [Ca(C ₄ H ₇ O ₂)(H ₂ O) ₃]- C ₄ H ₇ O ₂ ·2H ₂ O | [Sr(C ₄ H ₇ O ₂)(H ₂ O) ₃]- C ₄ H ₇ O ₂ ·2H ₂ O | [Ca _{0.794} Sr _{0.206} (C ₄ H ₇ O ₂)(H ₂ O) ₃]- C ₄ H ₇ O ₂ ·2H ₂ O |
| <i>M_r</i> | 304.4 | 351.9 | 314.2 |
| Crystal system, space group | Orthorhombic, <i>Pbca</i> | Orthorhombic, <i>Cmce</i> | Orthorhombic, <i>Pbca</i> |
| Temperature (K) | 120 | 120 | 120 |
| <i>a</i> , <i>b</i> , <i>c</i> (Å) | 6.6662 (2), 19.5903 (7), 23.4286 (8) | 6.8801 (3), 19.7520 (11), 23.2734 (13) | 6.7153 (3), 19.6061 (10), 23.3498 (11) |
| <i>V</i> (Å ³) | 3059.61 (18) | 3162.8 (3) | 3074.3 (3) |
| <i>Z</i> | 8 | 8 | 8 |
| Radiation type | Mo <i>K</i> α | Mo <i>K</i> α | Mo <i>K</i> α |
| <i>μ</i> (mm ⁻¹) | 0.44 | 3.44 | 1.08 |
| Crystal size (mm) | 0.27 × 0.17 × 0.05 | 0.24 × 0.12 × 0.08 | 0.59 × 0.18 × 0.08 |
| Data collection | | | |
| Diffractometer | Bruker D8 VENTURE Kappa Duo PHOTON 100 CMOS | Bruker D8 VENTURE Kappa Duo PHOTON 100 CMOS | Bruker D8 VENTURE Kappa Duo PHOTON 100 CMOS |
| Absorption correction | Multi-scan (<i>SADABS</i> ; Bruker, 2017) | Multi-scan (<i>SADABS</i> ; Bruker, 2017) | Multi-scan (<i>SADABS</i> ; Bruker, 2017) |
| <i>T_{min}</i> , <i>T_{max}</i> | 0.889, 0.980 | 0.491, 0.770 | 0.573, 0.917 |
| No. of measured, independent and observed [<i>I</i> > 3σ(<i>I</i>)] reflections | 25865, 3511, 2955 | 21213, 1965, 1762 | 25462, 3533, 2787 |
| <i>R_{int}</i> (sin θ/λ) _{max} (Å ⁻¹) | 0.033 0.649 | 0.032 0.649 | 0.030 0.651 |
| Refinement | | | |
| <i>R</i> [<i>F</i> > 3σ(<i>F</i>)], <i>wR</i> (<i>F</i>), <i>S</i> | 0.039, 0.081, 1.99 | 0.021, 0.055, 1.79 | 0.026, 0.062, 1.54 |
| No. of reflections | 3511 | 1965 | 3533 |
| No. of parameters | 193 | 126 | 195 |
| No. of restraints | 10 | 9 | 10 |
| H-atom treatment | H atoms treated by a mixture of independent and constrained refinement | H atoms treated by a mixture of independent and constrained refinement | H atoms treated by a mixture of independent and constrained refinement |
| Δρ _{max} , Δρ _{min} (e Å ⁻³) | 0.31, -0.38 | 0.37, -0.30 | 0.27, -0.25 |

Computer programs: *APEX2* and *SAINT* (Bruker, 2017), *SUPERFLIP* (Palatinus & Chapuis, 2007), *SHELXT* (Sheldrick, 2015), *JANA2006* (Petříček *et al.*, 2014), *DIAMOND* (Brandenburg, 2015) and *pubCIF* (Westrip, 2010).

supposed to be equally disordered over two positions. This assumption turned out to be in agreement with a trial refinement of their occupational parameters despite the very low scattering power of the hydrogen atoms.

For (III), the Ca/Sr occupation was refined [ratio 0.7936 (16):0.2064 (16)] under the assumption of the same position and the same displacement parameters for Ca and Sr and a fully occupied site. A B-C type 1 Lorentzian isotropic (Becker & Coppens, 1974) extinction correction was applied.

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Crystal structures of *catena*-poly[[μ -aqua-diaqua(μ_3 -2-methylpropanoato- κ^4 O:O,O':O')calcium] 2-methylpropanoate dihydrate], *catena*-poly[[μ -aqua-diaqua(μ_3 -2-methylpropanoato- κ^4 O:O,O':O')strontium] 2-methylpropanoate dihydrate] and *catena*-poly[[μ -aqua-diaqua(μ_3 -2-methylpropanoato- κ^4 O:O,O':O')(calcium/strontium)] 2-methylpropanoate dihydrate]

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Computing details

For all structures, data collection: *APEX2* (Bruker, 2017); cell refinement: *SAINTE* (Bruker, 2017); data reduction: *SAINTE* (Bruker, 2017). Program(s) used to solve structure: *SUPERFLIP* (Palatinus & Chapuis, 2007) for (I), (III); *SHELXT* (Sheldrick, 2015) for (II). For all structures, program(s) used to refine structure: *JANA2006* (Petříček *et al.*, 2014); molecular graphics: *DIAMOND* (Brandenburg, 2015); software used to prepare material for publication: *pubCIF* (Westrip, 2010).

\ *catena*-Poly[[μ -aqua-diaqua(μ_3 -2-methylpropanoato-\ κ^4 O:O,O':O')calcium] 2-methylpropanoate dihydrate]
(I)

Crystal data

[Ca(C₄H₇O₂)(H₂O)₃]-C₄H₇O₂·2H₂O

$M_r = 304.4$

Orthorhombic, *Pbca*

Hall symbol: -P 2ac 2ab

$a = 6.6662$ (2) Å

$b = 19.5903$ (7) Å

$c = 23.4286$ (8) Å

$V = 3059.61$ (18) Å³

$Z = 8$

$F(000) = 1312$

There have been used diffractions with $I/\sigma(I) > 20$
for the unit cell determination.

$D_x = 1.321$ Mg m⁻³

Mo $K\alpha$ radiation, $\lambda = 0.71073$ Å

Cell parameters from 9916 reflections

$\theta = 2.3$ – 27.5°

$\mu = 0.44$ mm⁻¹

$T = 120$ K

Prism, colourless

$0.27 \times 0.17 \times 0.05$ mm

Data collection

Bruker D8 VENTURE Kappa Duo PHOTON
100 CMOS
diffractometer

Radiation source: X-ray tube

Quazar Mo multilayer optic monochromator

φ and ω scans

Absorption correction: multi-scan

(*SADABS*; Bruker, 2017)

$T_{\min} = 0.889$, $T_{\max} = 0.980$

25865 measured reflections

3511 independent reflections

2955 reflections with $I > 3\sigma(I)$

$R_{\text{int}} = 0.033$

$\theta_{\max} = 27.5^\circ$, $\theta_{\min} = 2.1^\circ$

$h = -8 \rightarrow 8$

$k = -24 \rightarrow 25$

$l = -30 \rightarrow 30$

*Refinement*Refinement on F^2 $R[F > 3\sigma(F)] = 0.039$ $wR(F) = 0.081$ $S = 1.99$

3511 reflections

193 parameters

10 restraints

66 constraints

Primary atom site location: charge flipping

H atoms treated by a mixture of independent
and constrained refinementWeighting scheme based on measured s.u.'s $w =$

$$1/(\sigma^2(I) + 0.0004I^2)$$

$$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\max} = 0.015$$

$$\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.31 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$$

$$\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.38 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$$

Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters (\AA^2)

| | <i>x</i> | <i>y</i> | <i>z</i> | $U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$ |
|------|--------------|---------------|---------------|----------------------------------|
| Ca1 | 0.51243 (4) | 0.148107 (15) | 0.283542 (12) | 0.01153 (9) |
| O1 | 0.67506 (14) | 0.12357 (6) | 0.18811 (5) | 0.0155 (3) |
| O2 | 0.34606 (14) | 0.12092 (6) | 0.19069 (4) | 0.0161 (3) |
| C1 | 0.5086 (2) | 0.11831 (8) | 0.16303 (6) | 0.0129 (4) |
| C2 | 0.4989 (2) | 0.10975 (8) | 0.09862 (7) | 0.0165 (4) |
| H1c2 | 0.446418 | 0.153868 | 0.083208 | 0.0198* |
| C3 | 0.3552 (3) | 0.05243 (10) | 0.08221 (7) | 0.0284 (6) |
| H1c3 | 0.349227 | 0.048592 | 0.040536 | 0.0426* |
| H2c3 | 0.403026 | 0.009271 | 0.098419 | 0.0426* |
| H3c3 | 0.221179 | 0.06258 | 0.097119 | 0.0426* |
| C4 | 0.7039 (2) | 0.09872 (10) | 0.07130 (7) | 0.0238 (5) |
| H1c4 | 0.689212 | 0.096932 | 0.029701 | 0.0357* |
| H2c4 | 0.793135 | 0.136497 | 0.081634 | 0.0357* |
| H3c4 | 0.761063 | 0.055638 | 0.084979 | 0.0357* |
| O3 | 0.49949 (16) | 0.03175 (6) | 0.30728 (6) | 0.0229 (4) |
| H1o3 | 0.3920 (16) | 0.0098 (9) | 0.3109 (8) | 0.0343* |
| H2o3 | 0.594 (2) | 0.0035 (8) | 0.3078 (8) | 0.0343* |
| O4 | 0.76674 (16) | 0.23978 (6) | 0.24860 (5) | 0.0156 (3) |
| H1o4 | 0.737 (3) | 0.2657 (8) | 0.2213 (5) | 0.0233* |
| H2o4 | 0.804 (3) | 0.2649 (8) | 0.2756 (5) | 0.0233* |
| O5 | 0.52665 (15) | 0.22166 (6) | 0.36582 (5) | 0.0168 (3) |
| H1o5 | 0.4273 (17) | 0.2477 (8) | 0.3694 (8) | 0.0252* |
| H2o5 | 0.6286 (17) | 0.2468 (8) | 0.3667 (8) | 0.0252* |
| O6 | 0.69414 (15) | 0.30599 (6) | 0.14688 (4) | 0.0181 (3) |
| O7 | 0.36106 (15) | 0.30246 (6) | 0.15020 (5) | 0.0180 (3) |
| C5 | 0.5238 (2) | 0.31076 (8) | 0.12347 (6) | 0.0137 (4) |
| C6 | 0.5131 (2) | 0.33159 (9) | 0.06102 (7) | 0.0179 (4) |
| H1c6 | 0.379623 | 0.317605 | 0.045454 | 0.0215* |
| C7 | 0.5390 (3) | 0.40883 (9) | 0.05774 (7) | 0.0268 (5) |
| H1c7 | 0.530688 | 0.42353 | 0.017824 | 0.0403* |
| H2c7 | 0.432769 | 0.431102 | 0.079868 | 0.0403* |
| H3c7 | 0.670091 | 0.421507 | 0.073409 | 0.0403* |
| C8 | 0.6681 (3) | 0.29543 (10) | 0.02414 (7) | 0.0295 (6) |
| H1c8 | 0.651725 | 0.309588 | -0.015704 | 0.0443* |
| H2c8 | 0.803143 | 0.307466 | 0.037273 | 0.0443* |
| H3c8 | 0.649309 | 0.245941 | 0.02711 | 0.0443* |

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|-------|--------------|-------------|-------------|------------|
| Ow1 | 0.22518 (17) | 0.42507 (7) | 0.19654 (5) | 0.0225 (4) |
| H1ow1 | 0.1005 (5) | 0.4296 (11) | 0.1931 (8) | 0.0337* |
| H2ow1 | 0.253 (3) | 0.3889 (6) | 0.1790 (8) | 0.0337* |
| Ow2 | 0.81843 (18) | 0.43259 (7) | 0.19043 (5) | 0.0229 (4) |
| H1ow2 | 0.782 (3) | 0.3957 (5) | 0.1754 (8) | 0.0344* |
| H2ow2 | 0.791 (3) | 0.4276 (11) | 0.2252 (2) | 0.0344* |

Atomic displacement parameters (Å²)

| | U^{11} | U^{22} | U^{33} | U^{12} | U^{13} | U^{23} |
|-----|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|
| Ca1 | 0.00793 (14) | 0.01282 (15) | 0.01385 (16) | 0.00014 (12) | -0.00009 (12) | -0.00034 (11) |
| O1 | 0.0097 (5) | 0.0190 (6) | 0.0176 (6) | -0.0006 (4) | -0.0018 (4) | -0.0019 (5) |
| O2 | 0.0099 (5) | 0.0213 (6) | 0.0173 (6) | 0.0007 (5) | 0.0010 (4) | -0.0039 (5) |
| C1 | 0.0124 (7) | 0.0089 (7) | 0.0175 (7) | 0.0007 (6) | -0.0003 (6) | 0.0006 (6) |
| C2 | 0.0153 (7) | 0.0187 (8) | 0.0154 (7) | -0.0004 (7) | -0.0001 (6) | 0.0011 (6) |
| C3 | 0.0300 (10) | 0.0383 (12) | 0.0169 (9) | -0.0148 (9) | -0.0002 (7) | -0.0072 (8) |
| C4 | 0.0217 (8) | 0.0315 (11) | 0.0182 (9) | -0.0031 (8) | 0.0042 (7) | -0.0065 (8) |
| O3 | 0.0121 (5) | 0.0141 (6) | 0.0424 (7) | 0.0006 (5) | 0.0006 (5) | 0.0027 (5) |
| O4 | 0.0172 (5) | 0.0150 (6) | 0.0145 (6) | 0.0002 (5) | -0.0009 (4) | 0.0004 (5) |
| O5 | 0.0114 (5) | 0.0183 (6) | 0.0207 (6) | -0.0007 (4) | 0.0009 (5) | -0.0028 (5) |
| O6 | 0.0151 (5) | 0.0217 (7) | 0.0175 (6) | 0.0018 (5) | -0.0029 (4) | 0.0010 (5) |
| O7 | 0.0142 (5) | 0.0200 (6) | 0.0198 (6) | -0.0016 (5) | 0.0029 (4) | 0.0009 (5) |
| C5 | 0.0160 (7) | 0.0078 (7) | 0.0173 (7) | 0.0001 (6) | 0.0002 (6) | -0.0013 (6) |
| C6 | 0.0149 (7) | 0.0217 (8) | 0.0170 (8) | -0.0021 (7) | -0.0017 (6) | 0.0014 (6) |
| C7 | 0.0380 (10) | 0.0210 (9) | 0.0215 (9) | 0.0040 (8) | -0.0008 (8) | 0.0061 (7) |
| C8 | 0.0419 (11) | 0.0276 (11) | 0.0191 (9) | 0.0059 (9) | 0.0078 (8) | 0.0003 (8) |
| Ow1 | 0.0164 (6) | 0.0178 (7) | 0.0333 (7) | 0.0000 (5) | 0.0021 (5) | -0.0035 (5) |
| Ow2 | 0.0213 (6) | 0.0194 (7) | 0.0280 (7) | 0.0000 (5) | -0.0028 (5) | -0.0035 (6) |

Geometric parameters (Å, °)

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| Ca1—O3 | 2.3479 (12) | C8—H1c8 | 0.98 |
| Ca1—O2 ⁱ | 2.3653 (10) | C8—H2c8 | 0.98 |
| Ca1—O1 ⁱⁱ | 2.3938 (10) | C8—H3c8 | 0.98 |
| Ca1—O5 | 2.4085 (12) | O3—H1o3 | 0.840 (13) |
| Ca1—O2 | 2.4993 (11) | O3—H2o3 | 0.840 (14) |
| Ca1—O1 | 2.5308 (11) | O4—H1o4 | 0.840 (13) |
| Ca1—O4 ⁱⁱ | 2.5446 (11) | O4—H2o4 | 0.840 (14) |
| Ca1—O4 | 2.6019 (11) | O5—H1o5 | 0.840 (13) |
| O1—C1 | 1.2597 (17) | O5—H2o5 | 0.840 (13) |
| O2—C1 | 1.2637 (17) | Ow1—H1ow1 | 0.840 (5) |
| C1—C2 | 1.520 (2) | Ow1—H2ow1 | 0.840 (13) |
| C2—H1c2 | 1 | Ow2—H1ow2 | 0.840 (13) |
| C2—C3 | 1.525 (2) | Ow2—H2ow2 | 0.840 (7) |
| C2—C4 | 1.524 (2) | C2—C6 | 4.435 (2) |
| C3—H1c3 | 0.98 | C2—C8 | 4.189 (2) |
| C3—H2c3 | 0.98 | C2—C8 ⁱⁱⁱ | 4.073 (2) |
| C3—H3c3 | 0.98 | C3—C4 ^{iv} | 4.443 (2) |

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|--|-------------|----------------------|-------------|
| C4—H1c4 | 0.98 | C3—C7 ⁱⁱⁱ | 3.971 (2) |
| C4—H2c4 | 0.98 | C3—C7 ^v | 3.892 (3) |
| C4—H3c4 | 0.98 | C3—C8 ⁱⁱⁱ | 4.080 (3) |
| O6—C5 | 1.2643 (18) | C4—C6 ^{vi} | 3.965 (2) |
| O7—C5 | 1.2634 (18) | C4—C7 ^{vi} | 3.762 (2) |
| C5—C6 | 1.520 (2) | C4—C7 ^{vii} | 4.108 (3) |
| C6—H1c6 | 1 | C4—C8 | 4.016 (3) |
| C6—C7 | 1.525 (2) | C4—C8 ^{vi} | 4.345 (2) |
| C6—C8 | 1.522 (2) | C6—C8 ⁱⁱⁱ | 3.932 (2) |
| C7—H1c7 | 0.98 | C8—C8 ⁱⁱⁱ | 3.944 (3) |
| C7—H2c7 | 0.98 | C8—C8 ^{vi} | 3.944 (3) |
| C7—H3c7 | 0.98 | | |
| O1—Ca1—O1 ⁱⁱ | 127.55 (4) | H1c2—C2—C4 | 106.53 |
| O1—Ca1—O2 | 51.73 (3) | C3—C2—C4 | 110.65 (14) |
| O1—Ca1—O2 ⁱ | 77.29 (3) | C2—C3—H1c3 | 109.47 |
| O1—Ca1—O3 | 92.33 (4) | C2—C3—H2c3 | 109.47 |
| O1—Ca1—O4 | 64.79 (4) | C2—C3—H3c3 | 109.47 |
| O1—Ca1—O4 ⁱⁱ | 98.53 (4) | H1c3—C3—H2c3 | 109.47 |
| O1—Ca1—O5 | 143.49 (4) | H1c3—C3—H3c3 | 109.47 |
| O1 ⁱⁱ —Ca1—O2 | 77.40 (3) | H2c3—C3—H3c3 | 109.47 |
| O1 ⁱⁱ —Ca1—O2 ⁱ | 140.12 (4) | C2—C4—H1c4 | 109.47 |
| O1 ⁱⁱ —Ca1—O3 | 72.83 (4) | C2—C4—H2c4 | 109.47 |
| O1 ⁱⁱ —Ca1—O4 | 146.94 (4) | C2—C4—H3c4 | 109.47 |
| O1 ⁱⁱ —Ca1—O4 ⁱⁱ | 67.61 (4) | H1c4—C4—H2c4 | 109.47 |
| O1 ⁱⁱ —Ca1—O5 | 86.28 (4) | H1c4—C4—H3c4 | 109.47 |
| O2—Ca1—O2 ⁱ | 126.26 (4) | H2c4—C4—H3c4 | 109.47 |
| O2—Ca1—O3 | 89.03 (4) | C5—C6—H1c6 | 108.62 |
| O2—Ca1—O4 | 99.34 (4) | C5—C6—C7 | 108.04 (13) |
| O2—Ca1—O4 ⁱⁱ | 66.87 (4) | C5—C6—C8 | 112.92 (13) |
| O2—Ca1—O5 | 147.31 (4) | H1c6—C6—C7 | 110.74 |
| O2 ⁱ —Ca1—O3 | 75.85 (4) | H1c6—C6—C8 | 105.64 |
| O2 ⁱ —Ca1—O4 | 67.86 (4) | C7—C6—C8 | 110.89 (14) |
| O2 ⁱ —Ca1—O4 ⁱⁱ | 147.11 (4) | C6—C7—H1c7 | 109.47 |
| O2 ⁱ —Ca1—O5 | 83.88 (4) | C6—C7—H2c7 | 109.47 |
| O3—Ca1—O4 | 140.23 (4) | C6—C7—H3c7 | 109.47 |
| O3—Ca1—O4 ⁱⁱ | 137.03 (4) | H1c7—C7—H2c7 | 109.47 |
| O3—Ca1—O5 | 113.12 (4) | H1c7—C7—H3c7 | 109.47 |
| O4—Ca1—O4 ⁱⁱ | 80.74 (3) | H2c7—C7—H3c7 | 109.47 |
| O4—Ca1—O5 | 79.23 (4) | C6—C8—H1c8 | 109.47 |
| O4 ⁱⁱ —Ca1—O5 | 80.79 (4) | C6—C8—H2c8 | 109.47 |
| Ca1—O1—Ca1 ⁱ | 96.85 (4) | C6—C8—H3c8 | 109.47 |
| Ca1—O2—Ca1 ⁱⁱ | 98.46 (4) | H1c8—C8—H2c8 | 109.47 |
| Ca1—O4—Ca1 ⁱ | 91.45 (4) | H1c8—C8—H3c8 | 109.47 |
| O1—C1—O2 | 120.85 (13) | H2c8—C8—H3c8 | 109.47 |
| O1—C1—C2 | 120.64 (12) | H1o3—O3—H2o3 | 107.6 (15) |
| O2—C1—C2 | 118.50 (12) | H1o4—O4—H2o4 | 106.8 (14) |
| C1—C2—H1c2 | 106.15 | H1o5—O5—H2o5 | 106.3 (14) |

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|------------|-------------|-----------------|------------|
| C1—C2—C3 | 111.00 (13) | H1ow1—Ow1—H2ow1 | 105 (2) |
| C1—C2—C4 | 113.24 (12) | H1ow2—Ow2—H2ow2 | 104.1 (19) |
| H1c2—C2—C3 | 108.99 | | |

Symmetry codes: (i) $x+1/2, y, -z+1/2$; (ii) $x-1/2, y, -z+1/2$; (iii) $x-1/2, -y+1/2, -z$; (iv) $x-1, y, z$; (v) $-x+1/2, y-1/2, z$; (vi) $x+1/2, -y+1/2, -z$; (vii) $-x+3/2, y-1/2, z$.

Hydrogen-bond geometry ($\text{\AA}, ^\circ$)

| $D-H\cdots A$ | $D-H$ | $H\cdots A$ | $D\cdots A$ | $D-H\cdots A$ |
|--------------------------------------|------------|-------------|-------------|---------------|
| O3—H1o3 \cdots Ow2 ^{viii} | 0.840 (13) | 2.063 (15) | 2.8754 (16) | 162.5 (15) |
| O3—H2o3 \cdots Ow1 ^{viii} | 0.840 (14) | 1.954 (15) | 2.7829 (17) | 168.8 (15) |
| O4—H1o4 \cdots O6 | 0.840 (13) | 1.936 (13) | 2.7560 (15) | 165.1 (14) |
| O4—H2o4 \cdots O7 ⁱ | 0.840 (14) | 1.925 (13) | 2.7431 (15) | 164.4 (14) |
| O5—H1o5 \cdots O6 ⁱⁱ | 0.840 (13) | 1.966 (13) | 2.7805 (15) | 163.0 (18) |
| O5—H2o5 \cdots O7 ⁱ | 0.840 (13) | 1.935 (13) | 2.7597 (15) | 166.9 (18) |
| Ow1—H1ow1 \cdots Ow2 ^{iv} | 0.840 (5) | 1.882 (4) | 2.7192 (17) | 174 (2) |
| Ow1—H2ow1 \cdots O7 | 0.840 (13) | 1.960 (13) | 2.7872 (17) | 168.0 (18) |
| Ow2—H1ow2 \cdots O6 | 0.840 (13) | 1.969 (13) | 2.8070 (17) | 175.1 (17) |
| Ow2—H2ow2 \cdots Ow1 ⁱ | 0.840 (7) | 1.886 (7) | 2.7242 (18) | 175 (2) |

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

catena-Poly[[μ -aqua-diaqua(μ_3 -2-methylpropanoato- $\kappa^4 O:O,O':O'$)strontium] 2-methylpropanoate dihydrate] (II)

Crystal data

[Sr(C₄H₇O₂)(H₂O)₃] \cdot C₄H₇O₂ \cdot 2H₂O

$M_r = 351.9$

Orthorhombic, $Cmce$

Hall symbol: $-C 2bc 2$

$a = 6.8801$ (3) \AA

$b = 19.7520$ (11) \AA

$c = 23.2734$ (13) \AA

$V = 3162.8$ (3) \AA^3

$Z = 8$

$F(000) = 1456$

Data collection

Bruker D8 VENTURE Kappa Duo PHOTON

100 CMOS

diffractometer

Radiation source: X-ray tube

Quazar Mo multilayer optic monochromator

φ and ω scans

Absorption correction: multi-scan

(*SADABS*; Bruker, 2017)

$T_{\min} = 0.491, T_{\max} = 0.770$

Refinement

Refinement on F^2

$R[F > 3\sigma(F)] = 0.021$

$wR(F) = 0.055$

There have been used diffractions with $I/\sigma(I) > 20$ for the unit cell determination.

$D_x = 1.478$ Mg m⁻³

Mo $K\alpha$ radiation, $\lambda = 0.71073$ \AA

Cell parameters from 9972 reflections

$\theta = 2.2\text{--}27.5^\circ$

$\mu = 3.44$ mm⁻¹

$T = 120$ K

Prism, colourless

$0.24 \times 0.12 \times 0.08$ mm

21213 measured reflections

1965 independent reflections

1762 reflections with $I > 3\sigma(I)$

$R_{\text{int}} = 0.032$

$\theta_{\max} = 27.5^\circ, \theta_{\min} = 2.2^\circ$

$h = -8 \rightarrow 8$

$k = -25 \rightarrow 25$

$l = -30 \rightarrow 27$

$S = 1.79$

1965 reflections

126 parameters

9 restraints
62 constraints
Primary atom site location: dual-space method
H atoms treated by a mixture of independent
and constrained refinement

Weighting scheme based on measured s.u.'s $w =$
 $1/(\sigma^2(I) + 0.0004I^2)$
 $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\max} = 0.050$
 $\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.37 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$
 $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.30 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$

Special details

Refinement. The positions of the methyl hydrogen atoms s H1C6, H2C6 and H3C6 were restrained by the angle restraints $56.250^\circ(1)$ for the angles H1c6—C6—H2c6iii, H2c6—C6—H2c6iii, H2c6—C6—H2c6iii, H3c6—C6—H3c6iii ((iii) $x + 1, y, z$).

Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters (\AA^2)

| | <i>x</i> | <i>y</i> | <i>z</i> | $U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$ | Occ. (<1) |
|-------|--------------|--------------|--------------|----------------------------------|-----------|
| Sr1 | 0.5 | 0.145526 (9) | 0.287511 (8) | 0.01228 (6) | |
| O1 | 0.65991 (15) | 0.11785 (5) | 0.18632 (5) | 0.0166 (3) | |
| C1 | 0.5 | 0.11399 (10) | 0.15989 (9) | 0.0130 (6) | |
| C2 | 0.5 | 0.10609 (11) | 0.09535 (10) | 0.0163 (6) | |
| H1c2 | 0.44623 | 0.149367 | 0.079711 | 0.0196* | 0.5 |
| C3a | 0.3722 (5) | 0.04613 (19) | 0.07858 (15) | 0.0299 (11) | 0.5 |
| H1c3a | 0.429281 | 0.004234 | 0.093548 | 0.0448* | 0.5 |
| H2c3a | 0.241896 | 0.052214 | 0.094806 | 0.0448* | 0.5 |
| H3c3a | 0.363233 | 0.043419 | 0.036618 | 0.0448* | 0.5 |
| C3b | 0.7010 (5) | 0.09931 (18) | 0.06811 (14) | 0.0233 (10) | 0.5 |
| H1c3b | 0.778228 | 0.139682 | 0.076891 | 0.035* | 0.5 |
| H2c3b | 0.766218 | 0.059155 | 0.08359 | 0.035* | 0.5 |
| H3c3b | 0.687385 | 0.094733 | 0.026376 | 0.035* | 0.5 |
| O2 | 0.75 | 0.23969 (8) | 0.25 | 0.0159 (4) | |
| H1o2 | 0.717 (3) | 0.2627 (9) | 0.2223 (6) | 0.0238* | |
| O3 | 0.5 | 0.02368 (8) | 0.31496 (8) | 0.0218 (5) | |
| H1o3 | 0.599 (2) | −0.0003 (10) | 0.3152 (9) | 0.0328* | |
| O4 | 0.5 | 0.22986 (9) | 0.37100 (8) | 0.0276 (6) | |
| H1o4 | 0.597 (2) | 0.2558 (10) | 0.3707 (9) | 0.0414* | |
| O5 | 0.66149 (19) | 0.30397 (6) | 0.14868 (5) | 0.0267 (4) | |
| C4 | 0.5 | 0.31058 (11) | 0.12363 (10) | 0.0204 (7) | |
| C5 | 0.5 | 0.33102 (9) | 0.06050 (8) | 0.0185 (6) | |
| H1c5 | 0.378186 | 0.314569 | 0.041672 | 0.0222* | 0.5 |
| C6 | 0.5 | 0.40764 (9) | 0.05703 (8) | 0.0570 (13) | |
| H1c6 | 0.365706 | 0.424153 | 0.056282 | 0.0855* | 0.5 |
| H2c6 | 0.56715 | 0.426313 | 0.090613 | 0.0855* | 0.5 |
| H3c6 | 0.567143 | 0.421994 | 0.021948 | 0.0855* | 0.5 |
| C7 | 0.6601 (5) | 0.2941 (2) | 0.02353 (15) | 0.0302 (12) | 0.5 |
| H1c7 | 0.788041 | 0.313174 | 0.032479 | 0.0452* | 0.5 |
| H2c7 | 0.659677 | 0.245607 | 0.032529 | 0.0452* | 0.5 |
| H3c7 | 0.632122 | 0.300485 | −0.017398 | 0.0452* | 0.5 |
| Ow1 | 0.1996 (2) | 0.42598 (7) | 0.19314 (6) | 0.0323 (4) | |
| H1ow1 | 0.233 (3) | 0.3890 (8) | 0.1810 (10) | 0.0484* | |
| H2ow1 | 0.228 (8) | 0.424 (2) | 0.2273 (9) | 0.0484* | 0.5 |
| H3ow1 | 0.083 (2) | 0.424 (2) | 0.1927 (19) | 0.0484* | 0.5 |

Atomic displacement parameters (\AA^2)

| | U^{11} | U^{22} | U^{33} | U^{12} | U^{13} | U^{23} |
|-----|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| Sr1 | 0.01072 (11) | 0.01255 (11) | 0.01357 (12) | 0 | 0 | -0.00006 (8) |
| O1 | 0.0105 (5) | 0.0232 (6) | 0.0160 (6) | 0.0002 (4) | -0.0021 (4) | -0.0048 (5) |
| C1 | 0.0139 (10) | 0.0088 (9) | 0.0163 (11) | 0 | 0 | -0.0014 (8) |
| C2 | 0.0160 (11) | 0.0193 (11) | 0.0137 (11) | 0 | 0 | 0.0003 (9) |
| C3a | 0.0282 (19) | 0.044 (2) | 0.0176 (17) | -0.0197 (17) | 0.0033 (15) | -0.0109 (16) |
| C3b | 0.0209 (16) | 0.0328 (19) | 0.0164 (16) | -0.0053 (14) | 0.0062 (13) | -0.0033 (14) |
| O2 | 0.0209 (8) | 0.0128 (7) | 0.0140 (8) | 0 | -0.0028 (7) | 0 |
| O3 | 0.0114 (8) | 0.0127 (8) | 0.0415 (11) | 0 | 0 | 0.0013 (7) |
| O4 | 0.0419 (12) | 0.0215 (9) | 0.0194 (9) | 0 | 0 | -0.0014 (7) |
| O5 | 0.0430 (8) | 0.0199 (6) | 0.0172 (6) | 0.0072 (6) | -0.0088 (5) | 0.0004 (5) |
| C4 | 0.0384 (14) | 0.0081 (9) | 0.0145 (11) | 0 | 0 | -0.0002 (8) |
| C5 | 0.0226 (12) | 0.0198 (11) | 0.0132 (11) | 0 | 0 | 0.0012 (9) |
| C6 | 0.128 (3) | 0.0216 (14) | 0.0217 (15) | 0 | 0 | 0.0094 (12) |
| C7 | 0.041 (2) | 0.034 (2) | 0.0162 (17) | 0.0110 (17) | 0.0050 (16) | -0.0005 (15) |
| Ow1 | 0.0426 (8) | 0.0220 (7) | 0.0322 (7) | -0.0113 (6) | 0.0130 (7) | -0.0072 (6) |

Geometric parameters (\AA , $^\circ$)

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|------------------------|-------------|------------------------|------------|
| Sr1—O1 ⁱ | 2.4788 (10) | C5—C7 ⁱⁱⁱ | 1.577 (4) |
| Sr1—O1 ⁱⁱ | 2.4788 (10) | C6—H1c6 | 0.98 |
| Sr1—O3 | 2.4899 (16) | C6—H1c6 ⁱⁱⁱ | 0.98 |
| Sr1—O4 | 2.5593 (18) | C6—H2c6 | 0.98 |
| Sr1—O1 | 2.6561 (11) | C6—H2c6 ⁱⁱⁱ | 0.98 |
| Sr1—O1 ⁱⁱⁱ | 2.6561 (11) | C6—H3c6 | 0.98 |
| Sr1—O2 | 2.6796 (11) | C6—H3c6 ⁱⁱⁱ | 0.98 |
| Sr1—O2 ⁱⁱ | 2.6796 (11) | C7—H1c7 | 0.98 |
| O1—C1 | 1.2629 (15) | C7—H2c7 | 0.98 |
| C1—C2 | 1.510 (3) | C7—H3c7 | 0.98 |
| C2—H1c2 | 1 | Ow1—H1ow1 | 0.818 (18) |
| C2—H1c2 ⁱⁱⁱ | 1 | Ow1—H2ow1 | 0.82 (2) |
| C2—C3a | 1.526 (4) | Ow1—H3ow1 | 0.803 (17) |
| C2—C3a ⁱⁱⁱ | 1.526 (4) | C2—C7 | 4.217 (4) |
| C2—C3b | 1.527 (3) | C2—C7 ^{iv} | 4.124 (4) |
| C2—C3b ⁱⁱⁱ | 1.527 (3) | C2—C7 ^v | 4.124 (4) |
| C3a—H1c3a | 0.98 | C2—C7 ⁱⁱⁱ | 4.217 (4) |
| C3a—H2c3a | 0.98 | C3a—C3a ^{vi} | 4.087 (5) |
| C3a—H3c3a | 0.98 | C3a—C3a ^{vii} | 4.449 (5) |
| C3b—H1c3b | 0.98 | C3a—C3b ^{vii} | 4.491 (5) |
| C3b—H2c3b | 0.98 | C3a—C6 ^{viii} | 3.781 (4) |
| C3b—H3c3b | 0.98 | C3a—C6 ^{iv} | 4.166 (4) |
| O2—H1o2 | 0.820 (16) | C3a—C7 ^{iv} | 4.212 (5) |
| O2—H1o2 ⁱ | 0.820 (16) | C3b—C3b ^{ix} | 4.115 (5) |
| O3—H1o3 | 0.827 (17) | C3b—C5 ^x | 3.884 (4) |
| O3—H1o3 ⁱⁱⁱ | 0.827 (17) | C3b—C6 ^{xi} | 4.317 (4) |
| O4—H1o4 | 0.844 (18) | C3b—C6 ^x | 3.569 (4) |

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| O4—H1o4 ⁱⁱⁱ | 0.844 (18) | C3b—C7 | 3.993 (5) |
| O5—C4 | 1.2615 (16) | C3b—C7 ^x | 4.356 (5) |
| C4—C5 | 1.524 (3) | C3b—C7 ^v | 3.146 (5) |
| C5—H1c5 | 1 | C5—C7 ^{iv} | 3.923 (4) |
| C5—H1c5 ⁱⁱⁱ | 1 | C5—C7 ^v | 3.923 (4) |
| C5—C6 | 1.516 (3) | C7—C7 ^{iv} | 4.007 (5) |
| C5—C7 | 1.577 (4) | C7—C7 ^x | 4.007 (5) |
| O1—Sr1—O1 ⁱ | 77.38 (3) | C2—C3a—H3c3a | 109.47 |
| O1—Sr1—O1 ⁱⁱ | 124.29 (3) | H1c3a—C3a—H2c3a | 109.47 |
| O1—Sr1—O1 ⁱⁱⁱ | 48.94 (3) | H1c3a—C3a—H3c3a | 109.47 |
| O1—Sr1—O2 | 65.67 (3) | H1c3a ⁱⁱⁱ —C3a—H3c3a | 103.72 |
| O1—Sr1—O2 ⁱⁱ | 96.88 (2) | H2c3a—C3a—H3c3a | 109.47 |
| O1—Sr1—O3 | 91.64 (5) | C2—C3b—H1c3b | 109.47 |
| O1—Sr1—O4 | 143.81 (4) | C2—C3b—H2c3b | 109.47 |
| O1 ⁱ —Sr1—O1 ⁱⁱ | 141.45 (4) | C2—C3b—H3c3b | 109.47 |
| O1 ⁱ —Sr1—O1 ⁱⁱⁱ | 124.29 (3) | H1c3b—C3b—H2c3b | 109.47 |
| O1 ⁱ —Sr1—O2 | 68.11 (3) | H1c3b—C3b—H3c3b | 109.47 |
| O1 ⁱ —Sr1—O2 ⁱⁱ | 147.04 (3) | H2c3b—C3b—H3c3b | 109.47 |
| O1 ⁱ —Sr1—O3 | 73.97 (3) | H1o2—O2—H1o2 ⁱ | 112.6 (16) |
| O1 ⁱ —Sr1—O4 | 87.54 (3) | H1o3—O3—H1o3 ⁱⁱⁱ | 110.2 (17) |
| O1 ⁱⁱ —Sr1—O1 ⁱⁱⁱ | 77.38 (3) | H1o4—O4—H1o4 ⁱⁱⁱ | 105.2 (18) |
| O1 ⁱⁱ —Sr1—O2 | 147.04 (3) | O5—C4—O5 ⁱⁱⁱ | 123.46 (19) |
| O1 ⁱⁱ —Sr1—O2 ⁱⁱ | 68.11 (3) | O5—C4—C5 | 118.23 (10) |
| O1 ⁱⁱ —Sr1—O3 | 73.97 (3) | O5 ⁱⁱⁱ —C4—C5 | 118.23 (10) |
| O1 ⁱⁱ —Sr1—O4 | 87.54 (3) | C4—C5—H1c5 | 109.66 |
| O1 ⁱⁱⁱ —Sr1—O2 | 96.88 (2) | C4—C5—H1c5 ⁱⁱⁱ | 109.66 |
| O1 ⁱⁱⁱ —Sr1—O2 ⁱⁱ | 65.67 (3) | C4—C5—C6 | 108.42 (15) |
| O1 ⁱⁱⁱ —Sr1—O3 | 91.64 (5) | C4—C5—C7 | 113.80 (17) |
| O1 ⁱⁱⁱ —Sr1—O4 | 143.81 (4) | C4—C5—C7 ⁱⁱⁱ | 113.80 (17) |
| O2—Sr1—O2 ⁱⁱ | 79.87 (3) | H1c5—C5—H1c5 ⁱⁱⁱ | 113.88 |
| O2—Sr1—O3 | 138.98 (2) | H1c5—C5—C6 | 107.52 |
| O2—Sr1—O4 | 78.21 (3) | C5—C6—H1c6 | 109.47 |
| O2 ⁱⁱ —Sr1—O3 | 138.98 (2) | C5—C6—H1c6 ⁱⁱⁱ | 109.47 |
| O2 ⁱⁱ —Sr1—O4 | 78.21 (3) | C5—C6—H2c6 | 109.47 |
| O3—Sr1—O4 | 115.74 (6) | C5—C6—H2c6 ⁱⁱⁱ | 109.47 |
| Sr1—O1—Sr1 ⁱ | 97.34 (4) | C5—C6—H3c6 | 109.47 |
| Sr1—O2—Sr1 ⁱ | 92.08 (5) | C5—C6—H3c6 ⁱⁱⁱ | 109.47 |
| O1—C1—O1 ⁱⁱⁱ | 121.20 (18) | H1c6—C6—H2c6 | 109.47 |
| O1—C1—C2 | 119.39 (10) | H1c6—C6—H3c6 | 109.47 |
| O1 ⁱⁱⁱ —C1—C2 | 119.39 (10) | H1c6 ⁱⁱⁱ —C6—H2c6 ⁱⁱⁱ | 109.47 |
| C1—C2—H1c2 | 105.88 | H1c6 ⁱⁱⁱ —C6—H3c6 ⁱⁱⁱ | 109.47 |
| C1—C2—H1c2 ⁱⁱⁱ | 105.88 | H2c6—C6—H3c6 | 109.47 |
| C1—C2—C3a | 109.54 (19) | H2c6 ⁱⁱⁱ —C6—H3c6 ⁱⁱⁱ | 109.47 |
| C1—C2—C3a ⁱⁱⁱ | 109.54 (19) | H1c7—C7—H2c7 | 109.47 |
| C1—C2—C3b | 114.96 (14) | H1c7—C7—H3c7 | 109.47 |
| C1—C2—C3b ⁱⁱⁱ | 114.96 (14) | H2c7—C7—H3c7 | 109.47 |
| H1c2—C2—C3a | 110.93 | H1c7—H3c7—H2c7 | 60 |

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| H1c2—C2—C3b | 105.01 | H1ow1—Ow1—H2ow1 | 103 (4) |
| H1c2 ⁱⁱⁱ —C2—C3a ⁱⁱⁱ | 110.93 | H1ow1—Ow1—H3ow1 | 104 (4) |
| C2—C3a—H1c3a | 109.47 | H2ow1—Ow1—H3ow1 | 104 (5) |
| C2—C3a—H2c3a | 109.47 | | |

Symmetry codes: (i) $-x+3/2, y, -z+1/2$; (ii) $x-1/2, y, -z+1/2$; (iii) $-x+1, y, z$; (iv) $x-1/2, -y+1/2, -z$; (v) $-x+3/2, -y+1/2, -z$; (vi) $x, -y, -z$; (vii) $-x+1, -y, -z$; (viii) $x-1/2, y-1/2, z$; (ix) $-x+2, y, z$; (x) $x+1/2, -y+1/2, -z$; (xi) $x+1/2, y-1/2, z$.

Hydrogen-bond geometry ($\text{\AA}, ^\circ$)

| $D-H\cdots A$ | $D-H$ | $H\cdots A$ | $D\cdots A$ | $D-H\cdots A$ |
|--|------------|-------------|-------------|---------------|
| O2—H1o2 \cdots O5 | 0.820 (16) | 1.936 (15) | 2.7465 (14) | 169.3 (17) |
| O3—H1o3 \cdots Ow1 ^{xii} | 0.827 (17) | 2.022 (17) | 2.8339 (18) | 167.1 (18) |
| O4—H1o4 \cdots O5 ⁱ | 0.844 (18) | 1.964 (17) | 2.7887 (16) | 165.3 (19) |
| Ow1—H1ow1 \cdots O5 ⁱⁱⁱ | 0.818 (18) | 1.976 (19) | 2.7913 (18) | 174 (2) |
| Ow1—H2ow1 \cdots Ow1 ^{xiii} | 0.82 (2) | 1.92 (3) | 2.736 (2) | 176 (5) |
| Ow1—H3ow1 \cdots Ow1 ^{xiv} | 0.803 (17) | 1.946 (17) | 2.747 (2) | 176 (5) |

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catena-Poly[[μ -aqua-diaqua(μ_3 -2-methylpropanoato- κ^4 O:O,O':O')](calcium/strontium)] 2-methylpropanoate dihydrate] (III)

Crystal data

$[\text{Ca}_{0.794}\text{Sr}_{0.206}(\text{C}_4\text{H}_7\text{O}_2)(\text{H}_2\text{O})_3]\cdot\text{C}_4\text{H}_7\text{O}_2\cdot 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$

$M_r = 314.2$

Orthorhombic, $Pbca$

Hall symbol: $-P\ 2ac\ 2ab$

$a = 6.7153$ (3) \AA

$b = 19.6061$ (10) \AA

$c = 23.3498$ (11) \AA

$V = 3074.3$ (3) \AA^3

$Z = 8$

$F(000) = 1342$

Data collection

Bruker D8 VENTURE Kappa Duo PHOTON

100 CMOS

diffractometer

Radiation source: X-ray tube

Quazar Mo multilayer optic monochromator

φ and ω scans

Absorption correction: multi-scan

(*SADABS*; Bruker, 2017)

$T_{\min} = 0.573, T_{\max} = 0.917$

Refinement

Refinement on F^2

$R[F > 3\sigma(F)] = 0.026$

$wR(F) = 0.062$

$S = 1.54$

3533 reflections

195 parameters

10 restraints

There have been used diffractions with $I/\sigma(I) > 20$ for the unit cell determination.

$D_x = 1.358$ Mg m^{-3}

Mo $K\alpha$ radiation, $\lambda = 0.71073$ \AA

Cell parameters from 9952 reflections

$\theta = 2.3\text{--}27.5^\circ$

$\mu = 1.08$ mm^{-1}

$T = 120$ K

Prism, colourless

$0.59 \times 0.18 \times 0.08$ mm

25462 measured reflections

3533 independent reflections

2787 reflections with $I > 3\sigma(I)$

$R_{\text{int}} = 0.030$

$\theta_{\max} = 27.5^\circ, \theta_{\min} = 2.1^\circ$

$h = -8\text{--}8$

$k = -25\text{--}24$

$l = -30\text{--}30$

75 constraints

Primary atom site location: charge flipping

H atoms treated by a mixture of independent and constrained refinement

Weighting scheme based on measured s.u.'s $w = 1/(\sigma^2(I) + 0.0004I^2)$

$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\max} = 0.041$

$$\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.27 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$$

$$\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.25 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$$

Extinction correction: B-C type 1 Lorentzian
isotropic (Becker & Coppens, 1974)
Extinction coefficient: 3100 (900)

Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters (\AA^2)

| | x | y | z | $U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$ | Occ. (<1) |
|-------|--------------|---------------|--------------|----------------------------------|-------------|
| Ca1 | 0.51172 (3) | 0.147275 (10) | 0.285280 (8) | 0.01318 (7) | 0.7936 (16) |
| Sr1 | 0.51172 (3) | 0.147275 (10) | 0.285280 (8) | 0.01318 (7) | 0.2064 (16) |
| O1 | 0.67331 (12) | 0.12224 (5) | 0.18768 (4) | 0.0183 (3) | |
| O2 | 0.34659 (12) | 0.11963 (5) | 0.18993 (4) | 0.0193 (3) | |
| C1 | 0.50850 (17) | 0.11708 (6) | 0.16238 (5) | 0.0157 (4) | |
| C2 | 0.49970 (18) | 0.10867 (7) | 0.09788 (6) | 0.0197 (4) | |
| H1c2 | 0.446005 | 0.152571 | 0.082499 | 0.0236* | |
| C3 | 0.3591 (2) | 0.05083 (8) | 0.08122 (6) | 0.0329 (5) | |
| H1c3 | 0.350464 | 0.047978 | 0.039391 | 0.0494* | |
| H2c3 | 0.410119 | 0.00765 | 0.096456 | 0.0494* | |
| H3c3 | 0.22658 | 0.059708 | 0.097106 | 0.0494* | |
| C4 | 0.7032 (2) | 0.09886 (8) | 0.07048 (6) | 0.0271 (5) | |
| H1c4 | 0.688453 | 0.096553 | 0.02877 | 0.0407* | |
| H2c4 | 0.789504 | 0.137344 | 0.080535 | 0.0407* | |
| H3c4 | 0.762668 | 0.056376 | 0.084481 | 0.0407* | |
| O3 | 0.49864 (13) | 0.02977 (5) | 0.30914 (5) | 0.0278 (3) | |
| H1o3 | 0.3934 (13) | 0.0071 (7) | 0.3132 (7) | 0.0417* | |
| H2o3 | 0.5919 (16) | 0.0012 (6) | 0.3097 (7) | 0.0417* | |
| O4 | 0.76561 (13) | 0.23946 (5) | 0.24874 (4) | 0.0186 (3) | |
| H1o4 | 0.734 (2) | 0.2655 (6) | 0.2217 (4) | 0.0279* | |
| H2o4 | 0.807 (2) | 0.2641 (6) | 0.2757 (4) | 0.0279* | |
| O5 | 0.52603 (13) | 0.22321 (5) | 0.36693 (4) | 0.0223 (3) | |
| H1o5 | 0.4290 (15) | 0.2502 (6) | 0.3690 (7) | 0.0335* | |
| H2o5 | 0.6251 (14) | 0.2493 (6) | 0.3680 (6) | 0.0335* | |
| O6 | 0.69194 (12) | 0.30554 (5) | 0.14705 (4) | 0.0194 (3) | |
| O7 | 0.36161 (13) | 0.30221 (5) | 0.15020 (4) | 0.0197 (3) | |
| C5 | 0.52316 (17) | 0.31043 (6) | 0.12361 (5) | 0.0151 (3) | |
| C6 | 0.51349 (18) | 0.33128 (7) | 0.06086 (5) | 0.0198 (4) | |
| H1c6 | 0.381257 | 0.317376 | 0.044996 | 0.0237* | |
| C7 | 0.5386 (2) | 0.40842 (7) | 0.05757 (6) | 0.0296 (5) | |
| H1c7 | 0.434506 | 0.430552 | 0.080392 | 0.0444* | |
| H2c7 | 0.669669 | 0.421115 | 0.072612 | 0.0444* | |
| H3c7 | 0.527634 | 0.423207 | 0.017606 | 0.0444* | |
| C8 | 0.6670 (2) | 0.29505 (8) | 0.02419 (6) | 0.0333 (5) | |
| H1c8 | 0.649839 | 0.308533 | -0.015923 | 0.05* | |
| H2c8 | 0.800974 | 0.307583 | 0.037063 | 0.05* | |
| H3c8 | 0.649318 | 0.245608 | 0.027732 | 0.05* | |
| Ow1 | 0.22415 (14) | 0.42437 (5) | 0.19632 (5) | 0.0245 (3) | |
| H1ow1 | 0.1006 (4) | 0.4288 (9) | 0.1920 (7) | 0.0368* | |
| H2ow1 | 0.253 (2) | 0.3873 (4) | 0.1804 (6) | 0.0368* | |
| Ow2 | 0.81968 (14) | 0.43158 (5) | 0.19043 (4) | 0.0247 (3) | |

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| H1ow2 | 0.787 (2) | 0.3938 (4) | 0.1763 (6) | 0.0371* |
| H2ow2 | 0.793 (2) | 0.4272 (9) | 0.22542 (17) | 0.0371* |

Atomic displacement parameters (Å²)

| | U^{11} | U^{22} | U^{33} | U^{12} | U^{13} | U^{23} |
|-----|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|
| Ca1 | 0.01013 (11) | 0.01378 (12) | 0.01565 (12) | 0.00007 (8) | -0.00019 (8) | -0.00028 (8) |
| Sr1 | 0.01013 (11) | 0.01378 (12) | 0.01565 (12) | 0.00007 (8) | -0.00019 (8) | -0.00028 (8) |
| O1 | 0.0151 (4) | 0.0226 (5) | 0.0172 (5) | -0.0002 (4) | -0.0021 (4) | -0.0025 (4) |
| O2 | 0.0155 (5) | 0.0251 (5) | 0.0174 (5) | -0.0001 (4) | 0.0011 (4) | -0.0033 (4) |
| C1 | 0.0187 (6) | 0.0096 (6) | 0.0190 (6) | 0.0001 (5) | -0.0004 (5) | -0.0004 (5) |
| C2 | 0.0224 (7) | 0.0211 (7) | 0.0155 (6) | -0.0011 (6) | -0.0007 (5) | 0.0007 (5) |
| C3 | 0.0371 (9) | 0.0443 (10) | 0.0173 (7) | -0.0170 (8) | -0.0002 (6) | -0.0081 (7) |
| C4 | 0.0282 (8) | 0.0356 (9) | 0.0174 (7) | -0.0058 (7) | 0.0041 (6) | -0.0059 (7) |
| O3 | 0.0155 (5) | 0.0175 (5) | 0.0504 (7) | 0.0009 (4) | -0.0001 (5) | -0.0016 (5) |
| O4 | 0.0240 (5) | 0.0167 (5) | 0.0151 (5) | -0.0007 (4) | -0.0006 (4) | 0.0003 (4) |
| O5 | 0.0154 (5) | 0.0276 (6) | 0.0240 (5) | -0.0002 (4) | 0.0007 (4) | 0.0028 (4) |
| O6 | 0.0168 (4) | 0.0239 (5) | 0.0176 (5) | 0.0003 (4) | -0.0022 (4) | 0.0013 (4) |
| O7 | 0.0174 (5) | 0.0223 (5) | 0.0194 (5) | -0.0011 (4) | 0.0029 (4) | 0.0017 (4) |
| C5 | 0.0179 (6) | 0.0107 (6) | 0.0167 (6) | -0.0006 (5) | 0.0000 (5) | -0.0013 (5) |
| C6 | 0.0187 (6) | 0.0247 (7) | 0.0159 (6) | -0.0023 (6) | -0.0016 (5) | 0.0012 (5) |
| C7 | 0.0421 (9) | 0.0257 (8) | 0.0210 (7) | 0.0039 (7) | -0.0007 (6) | 0.0075 (6) |
| C8 | 0.0479 (9) | 0.0339 (9) | 0.0181 (7) | 0.0067 (8) | 0.0086 (7) | 0.0007 (7) |
| Ow1 | 0.0189 (5) | 0.0206 (6) | 0.0341 (6) | -0.0002 (4) | 0.0022 (4) | -0.0031 (5) |
| Ow2 | 0.0237 (5) | 0.0235 (6) | 0.0269 (6) | 0.0002 (4) | -0.0025 (4) | -0.0035 (5) |

Geometric parameters (Å, °)

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| Ca1—Sr1 | 0 | C6—C7 | 1.524 (2) |
| Ca1—O3 | 2.3719 (10) | C6—C8 | 1.517 (2) |
| Ca1—O2 ⁱ | 2.3845 (9) | C7—H1c7 | 0.98 |
| Ca1—O1 ⁱⁱ | 2.4091 (8) | C7—H2c7 | 0.98 |
| Ca1—O5 | 2.4209 (10) | C7—H3c7 | 0.98 |
| Ca1—O2 | 2.5457 (9) | C8—H1c8 | 0.98 |
| Ca1—O1 | 2.5714 (9) | C8—H2c8 | 0.98 |
| Ca1—O4 ⁱⁱ | 2.5747 (9) | C8—H3c8 | 0.98 |
| Ca1—O4 | 2.6271 (9) | O3—H1o3 | 0.840 (11) |
| Sr1—O1 | 2.5714 (9) | O3—H2o3 | 0.840 (12) |
| Sr1—O1 ⁱⁱ | 2.4091 (8) | O4—H1o4 | 0.840 (11) |
| Sr1—O2 | 2.5457 (9) | O4—H2o4 | 0.840 (11) |
| Sr1—O2 ⁱ | 2.3845 (9) | O5—H1o5 | 0.840 (11) |
| Sr1—O3 | 2.3719 (10) | O5—H2o5 | 0.840 (11) |
| Sr1—O4 | 2.6271 (9) | Ow1—H1ow1 | 0.840 (4) |
| Sr1—O4 ⁱⁱ | 2.5747 (9) | Ow1—H2ow1 | 0.840 (10) |
| Sr1—O5 | 2.4209 (10) | Ow2—H1ow2 | 0.840 (10) |
| O1—C1 | 1.2587 (14) | Ow2—H2ow2 | 0.840 (5) |
| O2—C1 | 1.2644 (15) | C2—C6 | 4.450 (2) |
| C1—C2 | 1.5160 (18) | C2—C8 | 4.192 (2) |

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| C2—H1c2 | 1 | C2—C8 ⁱⁱⁱ | 4.084 (2) |
| C2—C3 | 1.526 (2) | C3—C7 ⁱⁱⁱ | 3.972 (2) |
| C2—C4 | 1.5210 (18) | C3—C7 ^{iv} | 3.903 (2) |
| C3—H1c3 | 0.98 | C3—C8 ⁱⁱⁱ | 4.105 (2) |
| C3—H2c3 | 0.98 | C4—C6 ^v | 3.9526 (19) |
| C3—H3c3 | 0.98 | C4—C7 ^v | 3.746 (2) |
| C4—H1c4 | 0.98 | C4—C7 ^{vi} | 4.128 (2) |
| C4—H2c4 | 0.98 | C4—C8 | 4.003 (2) |
| C4—H3c4 | 0.98 | C4—C8 ^v | 4.349 (2) |
| O6—C5 | 1.2624 (14) | C6—C8 ⁱⁱⁱ | 3.936 (2) |
| O7—C5 | 1.2603 (15) | C8—C8 ⁱⁱⁱ | 3.959 (2) |
| C5—C6 | 1.5225 (18) | C8—C8 ^v | 3.959 (2) |
| C6—H1c6 | 1 | | |
| O1—Ca1—O1 ⁱⁱ | 126.26 (3) | Ca1—O2—Ca1 ⁱⁱ | 98.63 (3) |
| O1—Ca1—O2 | 50.81 (3) | Ca1—O2—Sr1 ⁱⁱ | 98.63 (3) |
| O1—Ca1—O2 ⁱ | 76.93 (3) | Ca1 ⁱⁱ —O2—Sr1 | 98.63 (3) |
| O1—Ca1—O3 | 92.20 (3) | Ca1 ⁱⁱ —O2—O1 | 160.57 (5) |
| O1—Ca1—O4 | 64.51 (3) | Ca1 ⁱⁱ —O2—O1 ⁱⁱ | 54.25 (2) |
| O1—Ca1—O4 ⁱⁱ | 97.55 (3) | Ca1 ⁱⁱ —O2—O3 ⁱⁱ | 51.84 (3) |
| O1—Ca1—O5 | 143.00 (3) | Ca1 ⁱⁱ —O2—O4 ⁱⁱ | 60.18 (3) |
| O1 ⁱⁱ —Ca1—O2 | 76.99 (3) | Ca1 ⁱⁱ —O2—O5 ⁱⁱ | 48.02 (2) |
| O1 ⁱⁱ —Ca1—O2 ⁱ | 141.23 (3) | Sr1—O2—Sr1 ⁱⁱ | 98.63 (3) |
| O1 ⁱⁱ —Ca1—O3 | 72.88 (3) | Ca1—O4—Ca1 ⁱ | 91.94 (3) |
| O1 ⁱⁱ —Ca1—O4 | 146.87 (3) | Ca1—O4—Sr1 ⁱ | 91.94 (3) |
| O1 ⁱⁱ —Ca1—O4 ⁱⁱ | 67.56 (3) | Ca1 ⁱ —O4—Sr1 | 91.94 (3) |
| O1 ⁱⁱ —Ca1—O5 | 87.50 (3) | Sr1—O4—Sr1 ⁱ | 91.94 (3) |
| O2—Ca1—O2 ⁱ | 125.08 (3) | O1—C1—O2 | 120.94 (11) |
| O2—Ca1—O3 | 89.00 (3) | O1—C1—C2 | 120.62 (11) |
| O2—Ca1—O4 | 98.35 (3) | O2—C1—C2 | 118.44 (10) |
| O2—Ca1—O4 ⁱⁱ | 66.42 (3) | C1—C2—H1c2 | 106.1 |
| O2—Ca1—O5 | 146.83 (3) | C1—C2—C3 | 110.99 (11) |
| O2 ⁱ —Ca1—O3 | 75.94 (3) | C1—C2—C4 | 113.37 (10) |
| O2 ⁱ —Ca1—O4 | 67.86 (3) | H1c2—C2—C3 | 108.97 |
| O2 ⁱ —Ca1—O4 ⁱⁱ | 147.12 (3) | H1c2—C2—C4 | 106.36 |
| O2 ⁱ —Ca1—O5 | 84.90 (3) | C3—C2—C4 | 110.76 (11) |
| O3—Ca1—O4 | 140.23 (3) | C2—C3—H1c3 | 109.47 |
| O3—Ca1—O4 ⁱⁱ | 136.93 (3) | C2—C3—H2c3 | 109.47 |
| O3—Ca1—O5 | 114.44 (4) | C2—C3—H3c3 | 109.47 |
| O4—Ca1—O4 ⁱⁱ | 80.41 (3) | H1c3—C3—H2c3 | 109.47 |
| O4—Ca1—O5 | 78.87 (3) | H1c3—C3—H3c3 | 109.47 |
| O4 ⁱⁱ —Ca1—O5 | 80.60 (3) | H2c3—C3—H3c3 | 109.47 |
| O1—Sr1—O1 ⁱⁱ | 126.26 (3) | C2—C4—H1c4 | 109.47 |
| O1—Sr1—O2 | 50.81 (3) | C2—C4—H2c4 | 109.47 |
| O1—Sr1—O2 ⁱ | 76.93 (3) | C2—C4—H3c4 | 109.47 |
| O1—Sr1—O3 | 92.20 (3) | H1c4—C4—H2c4 | 109.47 |
| O1—Sr1—O4 | 64.51 (3) | H1c4—C4—H3c4 | 109.47 |
| O1—Sr1—O4 ⁱⁱ | 97.55 (3) | H2c4—C4—H3c4 | 109.47 |

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| O1—Sr1—O5 | 143.00 (3) | O6—C5—O7 | 123.33 (11) |
| O1 ⁱⁱ —Sr1—O2 | 76.99 (3) | O6—C5—C6 | 118.43 (10) |
| O1 ⁱⁱ —Sr1—O2 ⁱ | 141.23 (3) | O7—C5—C6 | 118.14 (10) |
| O1 ⁱⁱ —Sr1—O3 | 72.88 (3) | C5—C6—H1c6 | 108.73 |
| O1 ⁱⁱ —Sr1—O4 | 146.87 (3) | C5—C6—C7 | 108.08 (11) |
| O1 ⁱⁱ —Sr1—O4 ⁱⁱ | 67.56 (3) | C5—C6—C8 | 112.86 (11) |
| O1 ⁱⁱ —Sr1—O5 | 87.50 (3) | H1c6—C6—C7 | 110.49 |
| O2—Sr1—O2 ⁱ | 125.08 (3) | H1c6—C6—C8 | 105.47 |
| O2—Sr1—O3 | 89.00 (3) | C7—C6—C8 | 111.19 (11) |
| O2—Sr1—O4 | 98.35 (3) | C6—C7—H1c7 | 109.47 |
| O2—Sr1—O4 ⁱⁱ | 66.42 (3) | C6—C7—H2c7 | 109.47 |
| O2—Sr1—O5 | 146.83 (3) | C6—C7—H3c7 | 109.47 |
| O2 ⁱ —Sr1—O3 | 75.94 (3) | H1c7—C7—H2c7 | 109.47 |
| O2 ⁱ —Sr1—O4 | 67.86 (3) | H1c7—C7—H3c7 | 109.47 |
| O2 ⁱ —Sr1—O4 ⁱⁱ | 147.12 (3) | H2c7—C7—H3c7 | 109.47 |
| O2 ⁱ —Sr1—O5 | 84.90 (3) | C6—C8—H1c8 | 109.47 |
| O3—Sr1—O4 | 140.23 (3) | C6—C8—H2c8 | 109.47 |
| O3—Sr1—O4 ⁱⁱ | 136.93 (3) | C6—C8—H3c8 | 109.47 |
| O3—Sr1—O5 | 114.44 (4) | H1c8—C8—H2c8 | 109.47 |
| O4—Sr1—O4 ⁱⁱ | 80.41 (3) | H1c8—C8—H3c8 | 109.47 |
| O4—Sr1—O5 | 78.87 (3) | H2c8—C8—H3c8 | 109.47 |
| O4 ⁱⁱ —Sr1—O5 | 80.60 (3) | H1o3—O3—H2o3 | 105.9 (12) |
| Ca1—O1—Ca1 ⁱ | 97.29 (3) | H1o4—O4—H2o4 | 107.3 (11) |
| Ca1—O1—Sr1 ⁱ | 97.29 (3) | H1o5—O5—H2o5 | 103.2 (11) |
| Ca1 ⁱ —O1—Sr1 | 97.29 (3) | H1ow1—Ow1—H2ow1 | 105.5 (15) |
| Ca1 ⁱ —O1—O2 | 160.27 (5) | H1ow2—Ow2—H2ow2 | 103.8 (15) |
| Sr1—O1—Sr1 ⁱ | 97.29 (3) | | |

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| $D-H\cdots A$ | $D-H$ | $H\cdots A$ | $D\cdots A$ | $D-H\cdots A$ |
|--|------------|-------------|-------------|---------------|
| O3—H1o3 \cdots Ow2 ^{vii} | 0.840 (11) | 2.061 (12) | 2.8767 (14) | 163.6 (13) |
| O3—H2o3 \cdots Ow1 ^{vii} | 0.840 (12) | 1.953 (12) | 2.7842 (14) | 169.8 (13) |
| O4—H1o4 \cdots O6 | 0.840 (11) | 1.932 (10) | 2.7498 (13) | 164.2 (11) |
| O4—H2o4 \cdots O7 ⁱ | 0.840 (11) | 1.920 (10) | 2.7382 (13) | 164.2 (11) |
| O5—H1o5 \cdots O6 ⁱⁱ | 0.840 (11) | 1.964 (11) | 2.7831 (13) | 164.9 (15) |
| O5—H2o5 \cdots O7 ⁱ | 0.840 (11) | 1.944 (11) | 2.7636 (13) | 165.0 (14) |
| Ow1—H1ow1 \cdots Ow2 ^{viii} | 0.840 (4) | 1.888 (3) | 2.7233 (14) | 172.8 (16) |
| Ow1—H2ow1 \cdots O7 | 0.840 (10) | 1.951 (11) | 2.7836 (14) | 170.7 (15) |
| Ow2—H1ow2 \cdots O6 | 0.840 (10) | 1.967 (10) | 2.8050 (14) | 175.3 (15) |
| Ow2—H2ow2 \cdots Ow1 ⁱ | 0.840 (5) | 1.887 (5) | 2.7248 (15) | 175.2 (17) |

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