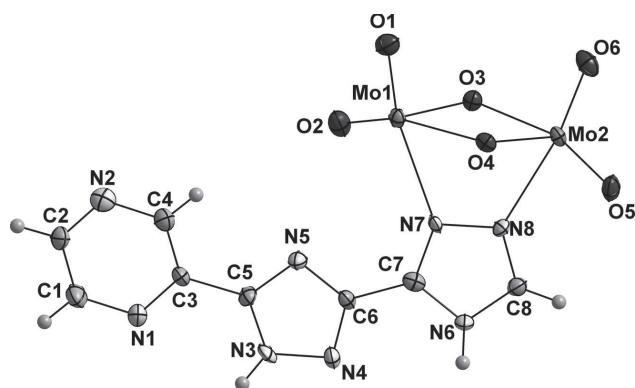


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# Crystal structure of *catena*-poly[di-( $\mu_3$ -oxido- $\kappa^3 O:O:O$ )-tetraoxido-( $\mu_2$ -5'-(pyrazin-2-yl)-1H,2'H-3,3'-bi(1,2,4-triazole)- $\kappa^2 N:N'$ )dimolybdenum(VI)], $C_8H_6Mo_2N_8O_6$

**Table 1:** Data collection and handling.

Crystal:	Colourless prism
Size:	0.20 × 0.05 × 0.05 mm
Wavelength:	Mo $K\alpha$ radiation (0.71073 Å)
$\mu$ :	18.9 cm <sup>-1</sup>
Diffractometer, scan mode:	Bruker APEX-II, $\omega$ scans
$2\theta_{\max}$ , completeness:	57°, 93.4%
$N(hk\ell)$ <sub>measured</sub> , $N(hk\ell)$ <sub>unique</sub> , $R_{\text{int}}$ :	4588, 3228, 0.029
Criterion for $I_{\text{obs}}$ , $N(hk\ell)$ <sub>gt</sub> :	$I_{\text{obs}} > 2 \sigma(I_{\text{obs}})$ , 2332
$N(\text{param})$ <sub>refined</sub> :	217
Programs:	Bruker programs [1], SHELX [2]

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**Abstract**

$C_8H_6Mo_2N_8O_6$ , triclinic,  $P\bar{1}$  (no. 2),  $a = 7.3053(7)$  Å,  $b = 8.7683(9)$  Å,  $c = 11.6150(12)$  Å,  $\alpha = 87.578(2)$ °,  $\beta = 74.490(2)$ °,  $\gamma = 71.912(2)$ °,  $V = 680.80(12)$  Å<sup>3</sup>,  $Z = 2$ ,  $R_{\text{gt}}(F) = 0.454$ ,  $wR_{\text{ref}}(F^2) = 0.1100$ ,  $T = 296$  K.

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The asymmetric unit of the title crystal structure is shown in the figure. Tables 1 and 2 contain details of the measurement method and a list of the atoms including atomic coordinates and displacement parameters.

**Source of material**

HCl, KOH and  $MoO_3$  were purchased from Sinopharm Chemical Reagent Co. Ltd; 3-(pyrazin-2-yl)-5-(1H-1,2,4-triazol-3-yl)-1,2,4-triazolyl ( $C_8H_6N_8$ ) was purchased from Jinan Camolai

Trading Company. All chemicals of analytical grade were obtained from commercial sources and used without further purification. The title compound was synthesized by hydrothermal reaction. A mixture of  $C_8H_6N_8$  (0.5 mmol),  $MoO_3$  (2 mmol) and water (10 mL) whose pH value was adjusted to 4 by HCl and KOH was placed in a 30 mL Teflon-lined stainless steel autoclave. Then the autoclave was sealed and heated to 200 °C under autogenous pressure for 5 days. After being slowly cooled to room temperature at a rate of 5 °C/h, colourless prismatic crystals were recovered by filtration, washed with distilled water and air dried.

**Experimental details**

The H atoms bond to C or N atoms were placed in idealized positions with C–H or N–H bond lengths constrained to 0.93 or 0.86 Å, respectively, and  $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H}) = 1.2U_{\text{eq}}$  (carrier C or N atom).

**Comment**

In recent years, investigation on coordination polymers (CPs) represents one of the most active areas of material science and chemical research. Major advances have been made in these materials not only because of their fascinating topology and intriguing architectures, but also due to their potential applications in magnetism, luminescence, ion exchange and

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**Table 2:** Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2$ ).

Atom	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>	$U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$
Mo1	0.45797(7)	0.33867(6)	0.94691(5)	0.01391(15)
Mo2	0.03824(7)	0.63160(6)	1.08741(4)	0.01337(15)
O3	0.1646(6)	0.3926(5)	0.9854(4)	0.0156(9)
O4	0.3258(6)	0.5657(5)	1.0704(3)	0.0146(9)
O1	0.5004(7)	0.2122(5)	1.0564(4)	0.0245(10)
O6	-0.0410(6)	0.5610(6)	1.2235(4)	0.0250(11)
N3	0.7871(7)	0.5002(6)	0.4577(4)	0.0191(12)
H7	0.8476	0.5057	0.3839	0.023*
N1	1.1146(8)	0.2218(6)	0.3708(5)	0.0213(12)
N5	0.7228(8)	0.4071(6)	0.6368(4)	0.0184(11)
C3	1.0222(9)	0.2391(7)	0.4875(5)	0.0160(13)
N4	0.6191(8)	0.6135(6)	0.5195(4)	0.0194(12)
N7	0.3528(7)	0.5689(6)	0.8262(4)	0.0141(10)
C5	0.8460(9)	0.3794(7)	0.5264(5)	0.0161(13)
C1	1.2738(10)	0.0913(8)	0.3363(6)	0.0271(16)
H1	1.3443	0.0747	0.2560	0.033*
C8	0.1437(9)	0.8056(7)	0.8221(5)	0.0183(13)
H8	0.0356	0.8989	0.8438	0.022*
C6	0.5893(9)	0.5487(7)	0.6266(5)	0.0155(12)
N2	1.2461(8)	-0.0018(7)	0.5338(5)	0.0247(13)
C4	1.0874(9)	0.1303(8)	0.5684(6)	0.0223(14)
H4	1.0197	0.1489	0.6491	0.027*
N6	0.2865(8)	0.7785(6)	0.7177(4)	0.0186(11)
H6	0.2950	0.8421	0.6594	0.022*
N8	0.1792(7)	0.6820(6)	0.8882(4)	0.0152(11)
C7	0.4149(9)	0.6296(8)	0.7232(5)	0.0175(13)
O5	-0.0295(6)	0.8312(5)	1.1137(4)	0.0255(11)
O2	0.5282(7)	0.2190(6)	0.8242(4)	0.0274(11)
C2	1.3364(9)	-0.0202(8)	0.4175(6)	0.0227(14)
H2	1.4456	-0.1109	0.3894	0.027*

catalysis [3–6]. Exploring new CP materials with specific networks remains of a particularly important and active subject in the field of crystal engineering and supramolecular chemistry. The most effective and facile approach for constructing new CPs is the judicious choice of various organic linkers such as aryl carboxylates and *N*-donor ligands. In this work, we introduced a *N*-donor ligand, namely 5'-(pyrazin-2-yl)-1*H*,2' *H*-

3,3'-bi(1,2,4-triazole) in our experiment and afforded a new CP compound.

The structure of the title compound features a one-dimensional (1D) structure running along the *a* axis. There is one organic  $C_8H_6N_8$  ligand, two molybdenum atoms and six oxygen atoms in an asymmetric unit of the title structure. Each crystallographically unique molybdenum atom is surrounded by five O atoms and one N atom of  $C_8H_6N_8$  ligand to form distorted octahedral  $MoO_5N$  coordination. Furthermore, the  $MoO_5N$  octahedra share common edges or vertices with one another to form a 1D chain running along the aforementioned *a* axis. Adjacent chains are interconnected via hydrogen bonds.

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