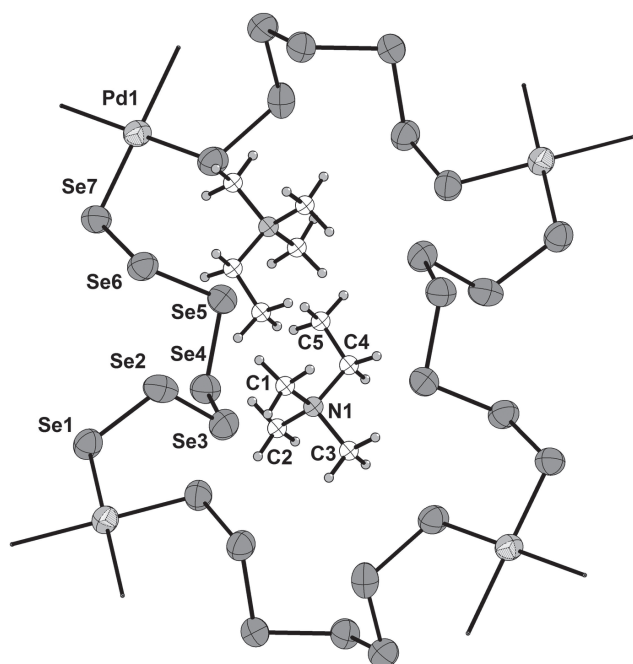


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Crystal structure of bis(*N,N,N*-trimethylethan-aminium) poly[bis(μ_2 -heptaselenido- κ^2 Se¹,Se⁷) palladate(II)], C₁₀H₂₈N₂PdSe₁₄



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Abstract

C₁₀H₂₈N₂PdSe₁₄, monoclinic, *P*₂₁/*c* (no. 14), *a* = 9.4146(7) Å, *b* = 14.3446(11) Å, *c* = 12.4731(9) Å, β = 113.403(2)°, *V* = 1545.9(2) Å³, *Z* = 2, *R*_{gt}(*F*) = 0.0510, *wR*_{ref}(*F*²) = 0.1446, *T* = 293 K.

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The crystal structure is shown in the figure. Tables 1 and 2 contain details on crystal structure and measurement conditions

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Table 1: Data collection and handling.

Crystal:	Polyhedron, black
Size:	0.20 × 0.14 × 0.12 mm
Wavelength:	Mo <i>K</i> α radiation (0.71073 Å)
μ :	17.1 mm ^{−1}
Diffractometer, scan mode:	Rigaku R-axis Rapid S, ω -scans
2 θ _{max} , completeness:	27.5°, >99%
<i>N</i> (<i>hkl</i>) _{measured} , <i>N</i> (<i>hkl</i>) _{unique} , <i>R</i> _{int} :	14982, 3526, 0.099
Criterion for <i>I</i> _{obs} , <i>N</i> (<i>hkl</i>) _{gt} :	<i>I</i> _{obs} > 2 σ (<i>I</i> _{obs}), 1710
<i>N</i> (<i>param</i>) _{refined} :	136
Programs:	Rigaku/MSDC [1], SHELX [2], WinGX, ORTEP [3], Diamond [4]

and a list of the atoms including atomic coordinates and displacement parameters.

Source of material

Na₂PdCl₄ (0.035 g, 0.12 mmol), Na₂Se₄ (0.129 g, 0.36 mmol) and EtMe₃NI (0.102 g, 0.48 mmol) were charged to a Pyrex tube with diameter of 9 mm under an argon atmosphere and about 0.5 mL MeOH was added. While the solvent was being frozen, the Pyrex tube was evacuated and sealed with the use of a flame. The sealed tube heated at 80 °C for 3 days, then cooled to room temperature. Reddish black polyhedral crystals were isolated by filtration and washed with MeOH and diethyl ether. Crystals of [EtMe₃N]₂[Pd(Se₇)₂] were obtained in 27% yield, based on the Pd metal used.

Experimental details

One ethyl group and two methyl groups in the EtMe₃N⁺ cation were refined to be disordered 0.64(3)/0.36(3). H atoms were positioned geometrically and treated as riding, with C—H = 0.97 (CH₂) and 0.96 (CH₃) Å with *U*_{iso}(H) = 1.2 (1.5 for methyl) *U*_{eq}(C).

Discussion

Recently (Et₂Me₂N)₂[Pd(Se₇)₂] has been reported as a new metal polyselenide compound possessing the longest bridging polyselenide anion, Se₇^{2−} ligand [5]. The title compound (EtMe₃N)₂[Pd(Se₇)₂] is another metal polyselenide compound with the bridging Se₇^{2−} ligand. Actually both

Table 2: Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters (Å²).

Atom	x	y	z	<i>U</i> _{iso} [*] / <i>U</i> _{eq}
Pd1	1.0000	0.0000	1.0000	0.0560(4)
Se1	0.25052(13)	0.43317(9)	0.62469(10)	0.0680(4)
Se2	0.24434(16)	0.27134(9)	0.61734(12)	0.0780(4)
Se3	0.26159(16)	0.21996(9)	0.44441(12)	0.0829(5)
Se4	0.52638(16)	0.19721(9)	0.49111(11)	0.0731(4)
Se5	0.59337(15)	0.07442(9)	0.62466(10)	0.0721(4)
Se6	0.64013(14)	0.14936(9)	0.80493(10)	0.0681(4)
Se7	0.90510(14)	0.15372(8)	0.91797(11)	0.0672(4)
N1	0.7835(13)	0.0536(8)	0.2355(9)	0.082(3)
C1	0.729(2)	0.0734(12)	0.3312(14)	0.130(6)
H1A	0.6632	0.0235	0.3355	0.195*
H1B	0.6714	0.1308	0.3148	0.195*
H1C	0.8162	0.0786	0.4044	0.195*
C2	0.885(4)	0.124(2)	0.232(3)	0.115(11)*
H2A	0.9731	0.1265	0.3055	0.172*
H2B	0.8327	0.1832	0.2176	0.172*
H2C	0.9195	0.1113	0.1706	0.172*
C3	0.650(3)	0.056(2)	0.1200(18)	0.099(9)
H3A	0.5779	0.0075	0.1173	0.149*
H3B	0.6864	0.0456	0.0591	0.149*
H3C	0.5998	0.1152	0.1092	0.149*
C4	0.850(4)	−0.044(2)	0.246(2)	0.118(12)
H4A	0.7696	−0.0895	0.2348	0.142*
H4B	0.8885	−0.0534	0.1848	0.142*
C5	0.968(5)	−0.056(3)	0.353(4)	0.19(2)
H5A	1.0090	−0.1180	0.3583	0.291*
H5B	0.9300	−0.0469	0.4128	0.291*
H5C	1.0488	−0.0116	0.3626	0.291*
C2X	0.839(7)	0.153(4)	0.197(5)	0.104(17)*
H2X1	0.8743	0.1416	0.1356	0.156*
H2X2	0.9211	0.1798	0.2628	0.156*
H2X3	0.7528	0.1954	0.1690	0.156*
C3X	0.684(6)	−0.021(4)	0.163(5)	0.13(2)*
H3X1	0.7161	−0.0363	0.1006	0.198*
H3X2	0.5784	−0.0010	0.1305	0.198*
H3X3	0.6936	−0.0758	0.2100	0.198*
C4X	0.958(5)	0.014(3)	0.292(3)	0.069(12)*
H4X1	1.0005	0.0199	0.2331	0.083*
H4X2	1.0169	0.0556	0.3553	0.083*
C5X	0.995(5)	−0.086(3)	0.341(4)	0.068(13)*
H5X1	1.1049	−0.0959	0.3733	0.103*
H5X2	0.9466	−0.1304	0.2790	0.103*
H5X3	0.9562	−0.0952	0.4007	0.103*

Atoms C2–H5C and the atoms C2X–H5X3 are included with an occupancy of 0.63(3) and 0.36(3), respectively.

(EtMe₃N)₂[Pd(Se₇)₂] and (Et₂Me₂N)₂[Pd(Se₇)₂] are structural analogs containing the [Pd(Se₇)₂]^{2−} coordination polymer. EtMe₃N⁺ is another unsymmetric alkyl ammonium cation, but smaller than Et₂Me₂N⁺. The size difference between EtMe₃N⁺ and Et₂Me₂N⁺ does not seem to be large enough to show the counterion effects well manifested in Pd polyselenide compounds [6–9]. Other ammonium cations of

similar size, including Et₃MeN⁺ have been also adopted to stabilize the [Pd(Se₇)₂]^{2−} anion without success. In the title structure (EtMe₃N)₂[Pd(Se₇)₂], the Pd atom is sitting on the special position with the site symmetry $\bar{1}$ and the square planar geometry around Pd, coordinated by four bridging heptaselenide ligands, is quite ideal as Se–Pd–Se angles are in the range of 89.29(4)–90.71(4)°. The Pd–Se and Se–Se distances are also typical, ranging from 2.4456(11) to 2.4468(11) Å, and from 2.3230(18) to 2.3704(18) Å, respectively, similar to those found in the other [Pd(Se_x)₂]^{2−} complexes [5, 6, 9–13]. In the layers of polymeric [Pd(Se₇)₂]^{2−}, heptaselenide Se₇^{2−} ligand chains are connecting Pd metal centers, resulting in 32-membered rings composed of four Pd and 28 Se atoms. The distances between two couples of Pd centers faced diagonally in the 32-membered ring are 14.3446(11) and 17.9874(12) Å, respectively. These distances are 15.1503(14) and 17.6160(13) Å for (Et₂Me₂N)₂[Pd(Se₇)₂]. A little smaller cation, EtMe₃N⁺ is considered to be responsible for the shrinkage of the 32-membered ring into a little narrower shape and smaller size, compared to the ring with the cation, Et₂Me₂N⁺.

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