

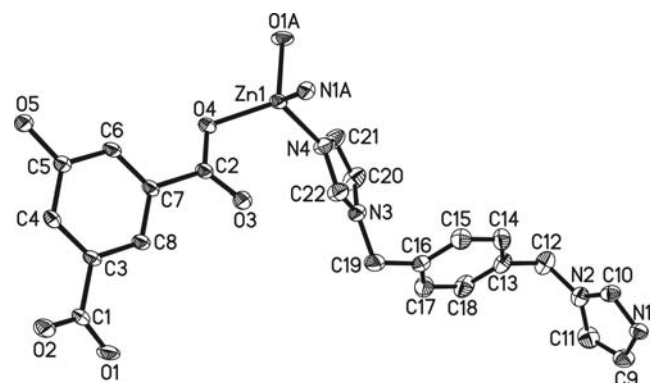
Crystal structure of (1,4-bis((1*H*-imidazol-1-yl)methyl)benzene)-(5-hydroxyisophthalato)zinc(II), $\text{Zn}(\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{14}\text{N}_4)(\text{C}_8\text{H}_4\text{O}_5)$

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Abstract

$\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{18}\text{N}_4\text{O}_5\text{Zn}$, monoclinic, $P2_1/n$ (no. 14), $a = 8.1529(4)$ Å, $b = 9.6506(4)$ Å, $c = 25.706(1)$ Å, $\beta = 97.864(4)^\circ$, $V = 2003.5$ Å³, $Z = 4$, $R_{\text{gt}}(F) = 0.031$, $wR_{\text{ref}}(F^2) = 0.064$, $T = 293$ K.

Source of material

All reagents and solvents were purchased from commercial sources and used as received except 1,4-bis((1*H*-imidazol-1-yl)methyl)benzene which was prepared according to [1]. A mixture of 5-hydroxyisophthalic acid (0.018 g, 0.1 mmol), $\text{Zn}(\text{OH})_2$ (0.01 g, 0.1 mmol) and 1,4-bis((1*H*-imidazol-1-yl)methyl)benzene (0.024 g, 0.1 mmol) was added to 4 mL ethanol and 4 mL water with stirring at room temperature. After a few minutes, the solution was transferred to a 15 mL Teflon-lined reactor, which was heated at 120 °C for 3 days and then cooled to room temperature at 10 °C/h. Colorless block-shaped crystals of the title compound were collected in 25 % yield.

Experimental details

All H atoms on C and O atoms were generated geometrically and refined as riding with $d(\text{C}—\text{H}) = 0.93 - 0.97$ Å, $d(\text{O}—\text{H}) = 0.82$ Å, and $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H}) = 1.2 U_{\text{eq}}(\text{C})$, $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H}) = 1.5 U_{\text{eq}}(\text{O})$.

Discussion

The asymmetric unit contains one Zn(II) ion, one 5-hydroxyisophthalate anion and one 1,4-bis((1*H*-imidazol-1-yl)methyl)benzene molecule. Zn(II) is four-coordinated by two N atoms from two different 1,4-bis((1*H*-imidazol-1-yl)methyl)benzene units with $d(\text{Zn}—\text{N1}) = 2.004$ Å, $d(\text{Zn}—\text{N4}) = 1.993$ Å and two O atoms from two 5-hydroxyisophthalate anions with $d(\text{Zn}—\text{O1}) = 1.971$ Å, $d(\text{Zn}—\text{O4}) = 1.968$ Å in a tetrahedral manner. The 1,4-

bis((1*H*-imidazol-1-yl)methyl)benzene molecules serve as bridges linking adjacent Zn centers into chains. The chains are further linked by the 5-hydroxyisophthalate anions via Zn—O bond to form a layer. The hydroxyl group of 5-hydroxyisophthalate is not deprotonated and does not participate in the coordinative interaction.

Table 1. Data collection and handling.

Crystal:	colorless block, size 0.18 × 0.20 × 0.23 mm
Wavelength:	Mo K_{α} radiation (0.71073 Å)
μ :	12.71 cm ^{−1}
Diffractometer, scan mode:	Oxford Diffraction Gemini R Ultra, ω
$2\theta_{\text{max}}$:	58.3°
$N(hkl)_{\text{measured}}$, $N(hkl)_{\text{unique}}$:	8857, 4626
Criterion for I_{obs} , $N(hkl)_{\text{gt}}$:	$I_{\text{obs}} > 2 \sigma(I_{\text{obs}})$, 2583
$N(\text{param})_{\text{refined}}$:	289
Programs:	SHELXS-97, SHELXL-97 [2]

Table 2. Atomic coordinates and displacement parameters (in Å²).

Atom	Site	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>	<i>U</i> _{iso}
H(5A)	4e	0.4221	−0.2458	0.4655	0.080
H(5)	4e	0.4638	−0.0186	0.5624	0.041
H(12A)	4e	1.1042	0.0183	0.5758	0.056
H(12B)	4e	1.2500	0.1233	0.5895	0.056
H(7)	4e	0.5634	−0.3008	0.6772	0.038
H(3)	4e	0.4812	−0.4202	0.5263	0.050
H(15)	4e	0.8438	0.4276	0.4704	0.057
H(17)	4e	1.1611	0.1828	0.4096	0.065
H(10)	4e	1.0335	0.3115	0.7308	0.057
H(14)	4e	0.9163	0.3263	0.5513	0.058
H(19A)	4e	0.8356	0.4230	0.3775	0.076
H(19B)	4e	1.0188	0.4741	0.3797	0.076
H(18)	4e	1.2275	0.0764	0.4901	0.060
H(22)	4e	0.9211	0.0603	0.2574	0.056
H(20)	4e	1.1203	0.4230	0.2956	0.049
H(9)	4e	0.8140	0.1163	0.6075	0.048
H(21)	4e	0.8265	0.1341	0.3398	0.066
H(11)	4e	1.2441	0.2573	0.6748	0.059

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Table 3. Atomic coordinates and displacement parameters (in Å²).

Atom	Site	x	y	z	U ₁₁	U ₂₂	U ₃₃	U ₁₂	U ₁₃	U ₂₃
Zn(01)	4e	0.63247(3)	0.24674(2)	0.690186(9)	0.0468(2)	0.0231(1)	0.0280(1)	0.0022(1)	0.0107(1)	−0.0006(1)
O(5)	4e	0.4256(2)	−0.1767(2)	0.48417(6)	0.099(2)	0.0320(9)	0.0257(9)	0.0059(9)	−0.005(1)	−0.0021(7)
O(4)	4e	0.5213(2)	0.0970(1)	0.64693(6)	0.056(1)	0.0236(8)	0.0323(9)	0.0019(7)	0.0030(8)	−0.0056(7)
O(3)	4e	0.6064(2)	−0.0514(2)	0.71118(6)	0.103(2)	0.0325(9)	0.0266(9)	0.0034(9)	0.006(1)	−0.0029(7)
O(1)	4e	0.5664(2)	−0.5642(1)	0.66708(6)	0.082(1)	0.0273(8)	0.0308(9)	0.0095(8)	0.0111(9)	0.0048(7)
O(2)	4e	0.5844(3)	−0.6164(2)	0.58500(7)	0.212(3)	0.031(1)	0.037(1)	0.027(1)	0.004(1)	−0.0046(9)
N(2)	4e	1.0537(2)	0.1670(2)	0.62513(7)	0.043(1)	0.050(1)	0.025(1)	0.0069(9)	0.010(1)	−0.0003(9)
N(1)	4e	0.8652(2)	0.2177(2)	0.67554(7)	0.044(1)	0.038(1)	0.030(1)	0.0023(9)	0.0097(9)	0.0000(8)
C(8)	4e	0.5502(3)	−0.0261(2)	0.66522(9)	0.047(2)	0.024(1)	0.033(1)	0.001(1)	0.014(1)	−0.002(1)
N(3)	4e	0.9685(3)	0.3080(2)	0.33374(7)	0.066(2)	0.047(1)	0.028(1)	0.005(1)	0.015(1)	0.0065(9)
C(5)	4e	0.4794(3)	−0.1104(2)	0.57298(8)	0.049(2)	0.022(1)	0.031(1)	0.004(1)	0.007(1)	0.001(1)
C(6)	4e	0.5191(3)	−0.1413(2)	0.62569(8)	0.042(1)	0.021(1)	0.027(1)	0.002(1)	0.008(1)	−0.0018(9)
N(4)	4e	1.0513(2)	0.2444(2)	0.25978(6)	0.050(1)	0.0323(9)	0.0252(9)	−0.003(1)	0.0071(8)	0.0056(9)
C(2)	4e	0.5275(3)	−0.3839(2)	0.60440(9)	0.053(2)	0.024(1)	0.027(1)	0.003(1)	0.004(1)	−0.001(1)
C(12)	4e	1.1307(3)	0.1159(3)	0.58068(9)	0.051(2)	0.060(2)	0.032(1)	0.013(1)	0.011(1)	−0.002(1)
C(7)	4e	0.5406(3)	−0.2793(2)	0.64172(8)	0.043(1)	0.028(1)	0.025(1)	0.0016(9)	0.008(1)	0.0015(9)
C(13)	4e	1.0796(3)	0.1899(2)	0.52937(9)	0.038(2)	0.046(1)	0.029(1)	0.000(1)	0.010(1)	−0.003(1)
C(3)	4e	0.4891(3)	−0.3502(2)	0.55144(9)	0.070(2)	0.025(1)	0.030(1)	0.005(1)	0.002(1)	−0.008(1)
C(16)	4e	0.9952(3)	0.3171(2)	0.43150(9)	0.056(2)	0.045(1)	0.030(1)	0.000(1)	0.015(1)	0.002(1)
C(15)	4e	0.9228(3)	0.3575(2)	0.47415(9)	0.061(2)	0.046(1)	0.037(1)	0.011(1)	0.013(1)	0.004(1)
C(17)	4e	1.1102(3)	0.2117(3)	0.4380(1)	0.064(2)	0.069(2)	0.034(1)	0.015(1)	0.023(1)	0.003(1)
C(4)	4e	0.4626(3)	−0.2150(2)	0.53576(9)	0.060(2)	0.030(1)	0.027(1)	0.004(1)	0.004(1)	−0.0001(9)
C(10)	4e	1.0149(3)	0.2655(2)	0.69875(9)	0.054(2)	0.056(2)	0.032(1)	0.000(1)	0.005(1)	−0.011(1)
C(14)	4e	0.9654(3)	0.2958(3)	0.52275(9)	0.061(2)	0.057(2)	0.031(1)	0.004(1)	0.017(1)	−0.005(1)
C(19)	4e	0.9497(4)	0.3923(3)	0.37994(9)	0.100(2)	0.061(2)	0.036(2)	0.017(2)	0.029(2)	0.006(1)
C(1)	4e	0.5584(3)	−0.5325(2)	0.61914(9)	0.067(2)	0.025(1)	0.035(1)	0.003(1)	0.001(1)	−0.004(1)
C(18)	4e	1.1508(3)	0.1483(3)	0.48651(9)	0.052(2)	0.061(2)	0.038(2)	0.015(1)	0.015(1)	0.002(1)
C(22)	4e	0.9494(3)	0.1426(2)	0.27525(9)	0.060(2)	0.046(1)	0.034(1)	−0.012(1)	0.007(1)	0.009(1)
C(20)	4e	1.0593(3)	0.3417(2)	0.29614(9)	0.058(2)	0.039(1)	0.027(1)	−0.004(1)	0.011(1)	0.006(1)
C(9)	4e	0.8947(3)	0.1586(2)	0.63135(9)	0.042(2)	0.046(1)	0.033(1)	0.002(1)	0.005(1)	−0.004(1)
C(21)	4e	0.8973(3)	0.1828(3)	0.3209(1)	0.060(2)	0.065(2)	0.042(2)	−0.009(2)	0.017(2)	0.015(1)
C(11)	4e	1.1321(3)	0.2356(3)	0.66806(9)	0.041(1)	0.069(2)	0.037(1)	−0.003(1)	0.002(1)	−0.011(1)

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