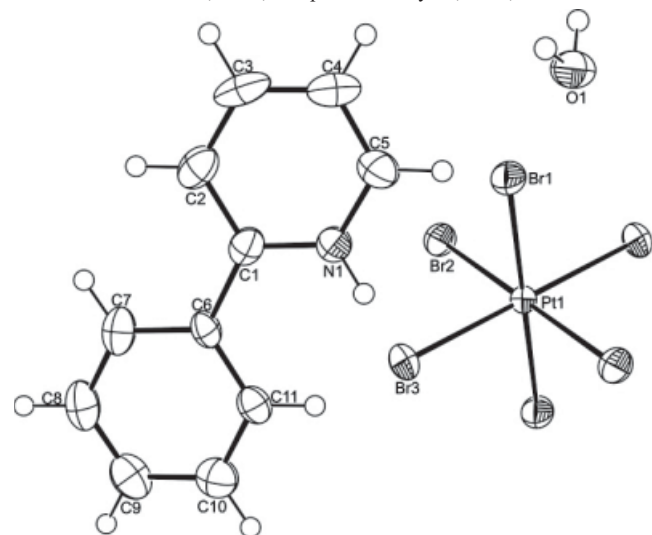


# Crystal structure of bis(2-phenylpyridin-1-ium)hexabromidoplatinate(IV) dihydrate, $C_{22}H_{24}Br_6N_2O_2Pt$

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## Abstract

$C_{22}H_{24}Br_6N_2O_2Pt$ , triclinic,  $P\bar{1}$  (no. 2),  $a = 7.711(1)$  Å,  $b = 9.078(2)$  Å,  $c = 11.018(2)$  Å,  $\alpha = 69.643(4)^\circ$ ,  $\beta = 71.268(4)^\circ$ ,  $\gamma = 78.109(4)^\circ$ ,  $V = 680.9$  Å<sup>3</sup>,  $Z = 1$ ,  $R_{\text{gt}}(F) = 0.0317$ ,  $wR_{\text{ref}}(F^2) = 0.0718$ ,  $T = 200$  K.

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

Crystal:	red blocks, size 0.06×0.10×0.11 mm
Wavelength:	Mo $K_{\alpha}$ radiation (0.71073 Å)
$\mu$ :	139.78 cm <sup>-1</sup>
Diffractometer, scan mode:	Bruker SMART 1000 CCD, $\varphi$ and $\omega$
$2\theta_{\text{max}}$ :	52.14°
$N(hkl)_{\text{measured}}$ , $N(hkl)_{\text{unique}}$ :	4211, 2580
Criterion for $I_{\text{obs}}$ , $N(hkl)_{\text{gt}}$ :	$I_{\text{obs}} > 2\sigma(I_{\text{obs}})$ , 2069
$N(\text{param})_{\text{refined}}$ :	154
Programs:	SHELX [5], ORTEP-3[6], PLATON [7]

## Source of material

To a solution of  $K_2PtBr_6$  (0.245 g, 0.325 mmol) in  $H_2O$  (30 ml) / EtOH (30 ml) was added 2-phenylpyridine (*ppy*; 0.129 g, 0.830 mmol) and stirred for 72 h at room temperature. After evaporation of the solvent, the residue was washed with  $H_2O$  and dried at 50 °C, to give an orange powder (0.245 g). Crystals suitable for X-ray diffraction analysis were obtained by slow evaporation from a  $CH_3CN$  solution. The crystallization water originating from the synthesis is still present.

## Experimental details

Carbon-bound hydrogen atoms were positioned geometrically and allowed to ride on their parent atoms with  $d(C-H) = 0.95$  Å and  $U_{\text{iso}}(H) = 1.2U_{\text{eq}}(C)$ . Nitrogen-bound hydrogen atom was lo-

cated from the difference Fourier map and then refined with  $U_{\text{iso}}(H) = 1.2U_{\text{eq}}(N)$ . The H atoms of the solvent water molecule were located from the difference Fourier map and then allowed to ride on their parent O atom in the final cycles of refinement with  $d(O-H) = 0.84$  Å and  $U_{\text{iso}}(H) = 1.5U_{\text{eq}}(O)$ . The highest peak (1.10 e<sup>-</sup>Å<sup>-3</sup>) and the deepest hole (−1.03 e<sup>-</sup>Å<sup>-3</sup>) in the difference Fourier map are located 1.09 Å and 1.11 Å from the atoms Br3 and Pt1, respectively.

## Discussion

The asymmetric unit of the title crystal structure contains a protonated 2-phenylpyridine cation, one half of  $[PtBr_6]^{2-}$  and a water molecule. The structure of the ionic compound is much different from that of the product of the analogous reaction of *ppy* with  $K_2PtCl_6$ , in which an anionic Pt(IV) complex  $[PtCl_4(C_{11}H_8N)]^-$  with a 2-phenylpyridinium counter-cation was synthesized [1]. The octahedral dianionic complex  $[PtBr_6]^{2-}$  is located on an inversion center. The distances  $d(Pt-Br)$  are nearly equivalent (2.4611(8) Å, 2.4662(8) Å and 2.4668(8) Å), and the *cis*  $\angle Br-Pt-Br$  bond angles lie in the range of 89.81(3)–90.19(3)°. These values are similar to those found in the complexes  $K_2[PtBr_6]$  [2],  $[Rh(NH_3)_5Cl][PtBr_6]$  [3] and  $(C_{21}H_{19}N_2)_2[PtBr_6]$  [4]. In the crystal structure, the ions and the water molecules are linked by intermolecular  $O-H\cdots Br$  hydrogen bonds with  $d(O\cdots Br) = 3.512(5)$  Å, 3.513(5) Å and 3.630(5) Å, thereby forming a chain structure along [100]. Each water molecule, as an H-bond acceptor, is linked to the 2-phenylpyridinium N–H group with  $d(N\cdots O) = 2.744(8)$  Å. In addition, the nearly planar cations are stacked in columns also along [100]. When viewed down [100], the successive cations are stacked in the opposite direction. In the columns, several intermolecular  $\pi-\pi$  interactions between adjacent six-membered rings are present. For Cg1 (the centroid of ring C6–C11) and Cg2<sup>i</sup> (ring N1–C5, symmetry code *i*: −*x*, 1−*y*, −*z*), the centroid-centroid distance is 3.967(5) Å and the dihedral angle between the ring planes is 1.9(4)°.

**Table 2.** Atomic coordinates and displacement parameters (in Å<sup>2</sup>).

Atom	Site	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>	$U_{\text{iso}}$
H(1N)	2i	0.115(9)	0.431(9)	0.257(8)	0.039
H(2)	2i	0.3599	0.7268	−0.0837	0.048
H(3)	2i	0.3784	0.8835	0.0391	0.056
H(4)	2i	0.2612	0.8086	0.2720	0.058
H(5)	2i	0.1354	0.5724	0.3794	0.049
H(7)	2i	0.3425	0.5773	−0.1774	0.048
H(8)	2i	0.3235	0.4076	−0.2892	0.054
H(9)	2i	0.2062	0.1680	−0.1709	0.051
H(10)	2i	0.0801	0.1048	0.0635	0.051
H(11)	2i	0.0936	0.2761	0.1746	0.037
H(1A)	2i	−0.0142	0.7848	0.5310	0.060
H(1B)	2i	0.1258	0.7246	0.5806	0.060

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**Table 3.** Atomic coordinates and displacement parameters (in Å<sup>2</sup>).

Atom	Site	x	y	z	U <sub>11</sub>	U <sub>22</sub>	U <sub>33</sub>	U <sub>12</sub>	U <sub>13</sub>	U <sub>23</sub>
Pt(1)	1f	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	0.0277(2)	0.0274(2)	0.0201(2)	−0.0081(2)	−0.0045(2)	−0.0069(2)
Br(1)	2i	0.4815(1)	0.28234(8)	0.47780(8)	0.0502(5)	0.0283(4)	0.0335(4)	−0.0095(3)	−0.0061(4)	−0.0100(4)
Br(2)	2i	0.81934(9)	0.00948(9)	0.35533(8)	0.0302(4)	0.0466(5)	0.0329(4)	−0.0119(3)	0.0012(3)	−0.0148(4)
Br(3)	2i	0.3857(1)	0.07260(9)	0.30017(8)	0.0443(4)	0.0443(5)	0.0265(4)	−0.0087(3)	−0.0157(4)	−0.0081(4)
N(1)	2i	0.1723(8)	0.5143(7)	0.2135(6)	0.038(4)	0.030(3)	0.028(4)	−0.007(3)	−0.005(3)	−0.011(3)
C(1)	2i	0.2360(9)	0.5523(8)	0.0798(7)	0.024(4)	0.034(4)	0.031(4)	−0.005(3)	−0.009(3)	−0.002(4)
C(2)	2i	0.314(1)	0.6945(8)	0.0116(9)	0.038(4)	0.030(4)	0.043(5)	−0.003(3)	−0.014(4)	0.001(4)
C(3)	2i	0.324(1)	0.7874(9)	0.085(1)	0.033(4)	0.027(4)	0.077(7)	−0.011(3)	−0.020(4)	−0.005(5)
C(4)	2i	0.256(1)	0.7435(9)	0.222(1)	0.045(5)	0.040(5)	0.066(7)	−0.015(4)	−0.014(5)	−0.020(5)
C(5)	2i	0.182(1)	0.6057(9)	0.2842(9)	0.047(5)	0.043(5)	0.040(5)	−0.009(4)	−0.009(4)	−0.020(4)
C(6)	2i	0.2217(9)	0.4438(8)	0.0103(7)	0.025(4)	0.036(4)	0.021(4)	0.000(3)	−0.004(3)	−0.013(3)
C(7)	2i	0.289(1)	0.4812(9)	−0.1275(8)	0.038(4)	0.046(5)	0.027(4)	0.001(4)	−0.003(4)	−0.007(4)
C(8)	2i	0.279(1)	0.379(1)	−0.1940(8)	0.043(5)	0.058(6)	0.028(5)	0.003(4)	−0.007(4)	−0.014(4)
C(9)	2i	0.207(1)	0.239(1)	−0.1248(9)	0.042(5)	0.048(5)	0.043(5)	0.009(4)	−0.014(4)	−0.025(5)
C(10)	2i	0.135(1)	0.2005(9)	0.0142(9)	0.043(5)	0.039(5)	0.047(5)	−0.002(4)	−0.018(4)	−0.013(4)
C(11)	2i	0.1429(9)	0.3028(8)	0.0797(8)	0.028(4)	0.036(4)	0.030(4)	0.001(3)	−0.013(3)	−0.011(4)
O(1)	2i	0.0345(7)	0.6974(6)	0.5710(5)	0.047(3)	0.036(3)	0.042(3)	−0.010(2)	−0.016(3)	−0.012(3)

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