

## 2,6-Dibromo-4-butyylanilinium chloride

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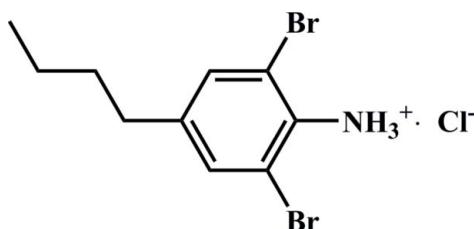
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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study;  $T = 298\text{ K}$ ; mean  $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.012\text{ \AA}$ ;  
 $R$  factor = 0.064;  $wR$  factor = 0.159; data-to-parameter ratio = 23.1.

In the crystal structure of the title salt,  $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{14}\text{Br}_2\text{N}^+\cdot\text{Cl}^-$ , the organic cations and chloride anions are linked into one-dimensional chains parallel to the  $a$  axis by  $\text{N}-\text{H}\cdots\text{Cl}$  and  $\text{N}-\text{H}\cdots\text{Br}$  hydrogen bonds.

## Related literature

For general background to supramolecular self-assembly chemistry, see: Lehn Lehn (1995); Scheiner (1997).



## Experimental

## Crystal data

$\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{14}\text{Br}_2\text{N}^+\cdot\text{Cl}^-$   
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 $a = 4.9785 (10)\text{ \AA}$   
 $b = 8.7844 (18)\text{ \AA}$

$c = 14.898 (3)\text{ \AA}$   
 $\alpha = 86.29 (3)^\circ$   
 $\beta = 87.58 (3)^\circ$   
 $\gamma = 87.17 (3)^\circ$   
 $V = 648.9 (2)\text{ \AA}^3$

$Z = 2$   
 Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation  
 $\mu = 6.42\text{ mm}^{-1}$

$T = 298\text{ K}$   
 $0.10 \times 0.03 \times 0.03\text{ mm}$

## Data collection

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 Absorption correction: multi-scan  
*(CrystalClear; Rigaku, 2005)*  
 $T_{\min} = 0.910$ ,  $T_{\max} = 1.000$

6685 measured reflections  
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## Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.064$   
 $wR(F^2) = 0.159$   
 $S = 1.04$   
 2959 reflections  
 128 parameters

7 restraints  
 H-atom parameters constrained  
 $\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.74\text{ e \AA}^{-3}$   
 $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.59\text{ e \AA}^{-3}$

**Table 1**  
 Hydrogen-bond geometry ( $\text{\AA}$ ,  $^\circ$ ).

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Data collection: *CrystalClear* (Rigaku, 2005); cell refinement: *CrystalClear*; data reduction: *CrystalClear*; program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 2008); molecular graphics: *SHELXTL* (Sheldrick, 2008); software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXTL*.

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### S1. Comment

In recent years there has been a rapidly increasing interest in the construction of various kinds of supramolecular systems for understanding molecular self-assembly principles and for designing molecular recognition. A supramolecular system generally refers to an assembly of molecules which are not covalently connected but assembled by other weak intermolecular interactions, such as hydrogen bonds (Lehn, 1995; Scheiner, 1997). We report here the crystal structure of the title compound, 2,6-dibromo-4-butylanilinium chloride.

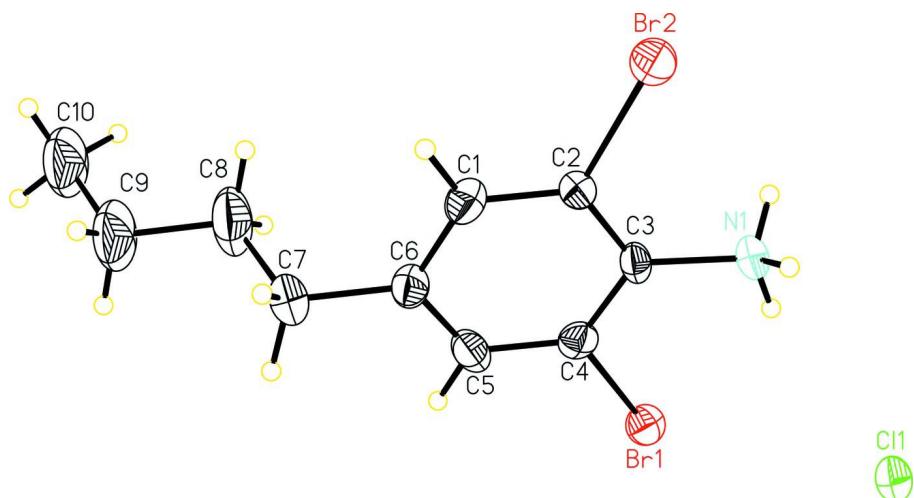
In the title compound (Fig. 1), the butyl group is approximately orthogonal to the benzene plane, as indicated by the torsion angles C1—C6—C7—C8 and C5—C6—C7—C8 of 76.2 (11) and -102.7 (10) $^{\circ}$ , respectively. The Br1, Br2 and N1 substituents are displaced by 0.0842 (8), 0.1142 (8) and -0.005 (5) Å, respectively, with respect to the benzene ring. Bond lengths and angles lie within normal ranges. In the crystal structure, the organic cations and Cl<sup>-</sup> anions are linked by N—H···Cl and N—H···Br hydrogen bonds (Table 1) to form one-dimensional chains along the *a* axis (Fig. 2).

### S2. Experimental

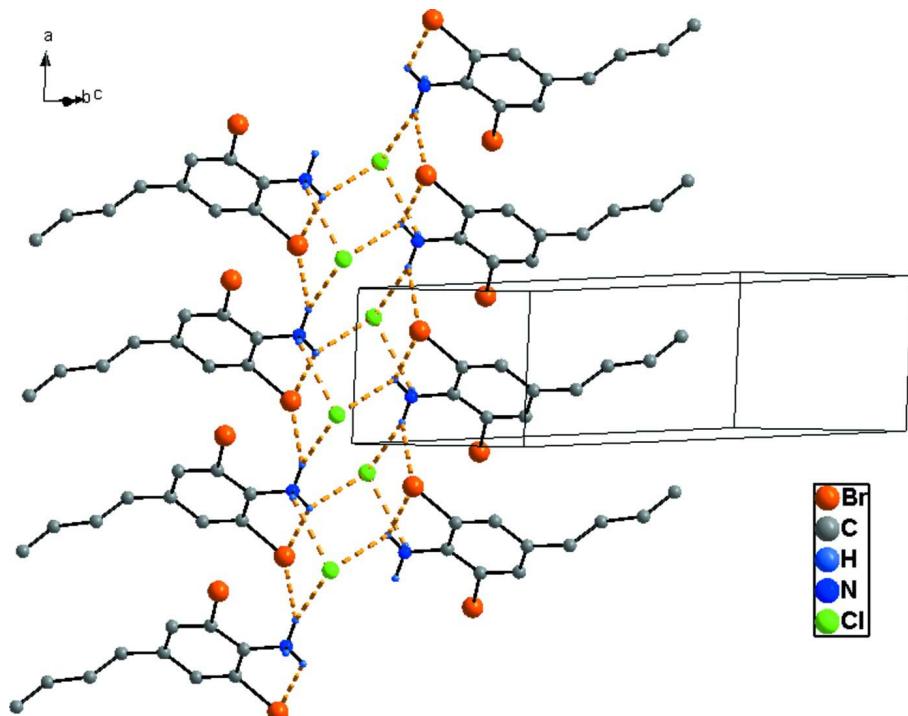
The title compound was purchased from ALFA AESAR. The compound (3 mmol) was dissolved in ethanol (20 ml) and the solution allowed to evaporate to obtain colourless block-shaped crystals of the title compound suitable for X-ray analysis.

### S3. Refinement

All H atoms were fixed geometrically and treated as riding, with C—H = 0.93–0.97 Å, N—H = 0.89 Å, and with  $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H}) = 1.2 U_{\text{iso}}(\text{C})$  or  $1.5 U_{\text{iso}}(\text{C}, \text{N})$  for methyl and protonated amine H atoms. Restraints (SIMU and DELU) were applied to the  $U_{ij}$  parameters of atoms C9 and C10.

**Figure 1**

A view of the title compound with the atomic numbering scheme. Displacement ellipsoids are drawn at the 30% probability level.

**Figure 2**

Partial crystal packing of the title compound showing a chain formed along the *a* axis. H atoms not involved in hydrogen bonding (dashed lines) are omitted for clarity.

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 $h = -6 \rightarrow 6$   
 $k = -11 \rightarrow 11$   
 $l = -19 \rightarrow 19$

#### Refinement

Refinement on  $F^2$   
Least-squares matrix: full  
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 $wR(F^2) = 0.159$   
 $S = 1.04$   
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128 parameters  
7 restraints  
Primary atom site location: structure-invariant  
direct methods

Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier  
map  
Hydrogen site location: inferred from  
neighbouring sites  
H-atom parameters constrained  
 $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0602P)^2 + 0.1405P]$   
where  $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$   
 $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\max} < 0.001$   
 $\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.74$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>  
 $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.59$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>

#### Special details

**Geometry.** All esds (except the esd in the dihedral angle between two l.s. planes) are estimated using the full covariance matrix. The cell esds are taken into account individually in the estimation of esds in distances, angles and torsion angles; correlations between esds in cell parameters are only used when they are defined by crystal symmetry. An approximate (isotropic) treatment of cell esds is used for estimating esds involving l.s. planes.

**Refinement.** Refinement of  $F^2$  against ALL reflections. The weighted R-factor  $wR$  and goodness of fit S are based on  $F^2$ , conventional R-factors R are based on F, with F set to zero for negative  $F^2$ . The threshold expression of  $F^2 > 2\text{sigma}(F^2)$  is used only for calculating R-factors(gt) etc. and is not relevant to the choice of reflections for refinement. R-factors based on  $F^2$  are statistically about twice as large as those based on F, and R-factors based on ALL data will be even larger.

#### Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters (Å<sup>2</sup>)

	x	y	z	$U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$
Br1	0.72826 (13)	0.30511 (8)	0.02752 (5)	0.0481 (3)
Br2	-0.07834 (15)	0.10595 (9)	0.28643 (5)	0.0591 (3)
C6	0.3280 (15)	0.5078 (8)	0.2416 (5)	0.0510 (18)
C3	0.3104 (12)	0.2297 (6)	0.1577 (4)	0.0380 (15)
C5	0.4948 (15)	0.4763 (7)	0.1683 (5)	0.0533 (19)
H5A	0.6159	0.5483	0.1463	0.064*
C2	0.1509 (13)	0.2581 (7)	0.2341 (5)	0.0399 (15)
N1	0.2929 (10)	0.0916 (5)	0.1091 (4)	0.0414 (13)

H1B	0.4105	0.0939	0.0624	0.062*
H1C	0.1273	0.0870	0.0895	0.062*
H1D	0.3304	0.0099	0.1457	0.062*
C4	0.4871 (13)	0.3411 (7)	0.1268 (4)	0.0426 (16)
C1	0.1564 (14)	0.3928 (8)	0.2748 (5)	0.0503 (18)
H1A	0.0447	0.4087	0.3253	0.060*
C11	0.2000 (3)	0.13452 (17)	-0.10326 (12)	0.0454 (4)
C7	0.332 (2)	0.6574 (9)	0.2856 (6)	0.074 (2)
H7A	0.4159	0.7317	0.2438	0.088*
H7B	0.1476	0.6943	0.2976	0.088*
C8	0.475 (2)	0.6474 (10)	0.3703 (8)	0.100 (3)
H8A	0.6534	0.6011	0.3588	0.120*
H8B	0.3813	0.5790	0.4131	0.120*
C9	0.507 (3)	0.7949 (12)	0.4139 (8)	0.121 (3)
H9A	0.5983	0.8641	0.3707	0.145*
H9B	0.3291	0.8403	0.4266	0.145*
C10	0.656 (3)	0.7844 (12)	0.4977 (8)	0.124 (3)
H10A	0.7705	0.8690	0.4979	0.185*
H10B	0.7628	0.6905	0.5015	0.185*
H10C	0.5302	0.7869	0.5484	0.185*

*Atomic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2$ )*

	$U^{11}$	$U^{22}$	$U^{33}$	$U^{12}$	$U^{13}$	$U^{23}$
Br1	0.0415 (4)	0.0531 (4)	0.0507 (5)	-0.0095 (3)	-0.0033 (3)	-0.0037 (3)
Br2	0.0639 (5)	0.0619 (5)	0.0529 (6)	-0.0181 (4)	0.0049 (4)	-0.0073 (4)
C6	0.065 (5)	0.044 (4)	0.045 (5)	-0.003 (4)	-0.011 (4)	-0.009 (3)
C3	0.042 (3)	0.030 (3)	0.044 (4)	-0.003 (3)	-0.012 (3)	-0.008 (3)
C5	0.064 (5)	0.034 (4)	0.063 (5)	-0.008 (3)	-0.019 (4)	0.002 (3)
C2	0.047 (4)	0.034 (3)	0.039 (4)	-0.004 (3)	-0.003 (3)	-0.002 (3)
N1	0.039 (3)	0.033 (3)	0.053 (4)	-0.007 (2)	-0.002 (3)	-0.010 (2)
C4	0.046 (4)	0.044 (4)	0.038 (4)	0.008 (3)	-0.012 (3)	0.001 (3)
C1	0.052 (4)	0.057 (4)	0.042 (4)	-0.001 (4)	0.003 (4)	-0.013 (3)
Cl1	0.0441 (9)	0.0400 (8)	0.0535 (11)	-0.0059 (7)	-0.0057 (8)	-0.0093 (7)
C7	0.109 (7)	0.044 (4)	0.070 (6)	-0.012 (4)	0.000 (6)	-0.013 (4)
C8	0.129 (8)	0.065 (6)	0.112 (10)	0.000 (6)	-0.036 (7)	-0.039 (6)
C9	0.181 (9)	0.080 (5)	0.111 (7)	-0.013 (6)	-0.050 (6)	-0.043 (5)
C10	0.183 (9)	0.083 (5)	0.113 (7)	-0.011 (6)	-0.049 (6)	-0.041 (5)

*Geometric parameters ( $\text{\AA}$ ,  $\text{^\circ}$ )*

Br1—C4	1.898 (7)	C1—H1A	0.9300
Br2—C2	1.907 (6)	C7—C8	1.473 (12)
C6—C5	1.377 (10)	C7—H7A	0.9700
C6—C1	1.407 (10)	C7—H7B	0.9700
C6—C7	1.507 (10)	C8—C9	1.504 (12)
C3—C2	1.389 (9)	C8—H8A	0.9700
C3—C4	1.391 (8)	C8—H8B	0.9700

C3—N1	1.461 (7)	C9—C10	1.474 (15)
C5—C4	1.378 (9)	C9—H9A	0.9700
C5—H5A	0.9300	C9—H9B	0.9700
C2—C1	1.365 (9)	C10—H10A	0.9600
N1—H1B	0.8900	C10—H10B	0.9600
N1—H1C	0.8900	C10—H10C	0.9600
N1—H1D	0.8900		
C5—C6—C1	117.0 (6)	C8—C7—C6	113.8 (7)
C5—C6—C7	121.8 (7)	C8—C7—H7A	108.8
C1—C6—C7	121.2 (7)	C6—C7—H7A	108.8
C2—C3—C4	117.2 (5)	C8—C7—H7B	108.8
C2—C3—N1	122.6 (5)	C6—C7—H7B	108.8
C4—C3—N1	120.1 (6)	H7A—C7—H7B	107.7
C6—C5—C4	121.8 (7)	C7—C8—C9	116.7 (9)
C6—C5—H5A	119.1	C7—C8—H8A	108.1
C4—C5—H5A	119.1	C9—C8—H8A	108.1
C1—C2—C3	121.7 (6)	C7—C8—H8B	108.1
C1—C2—Br2	118.2 (5)	C9—C8—H8B	108.1
C3—C2—Br2	120.2 (4)	H8A—C8—H8B	107.3
C3—N1—H1B	109.5	C10—C9—C8	116.4 (10)
C3—N1—H1C	109.5	C10—C9—H9A	108.2
H1B—N1—H1C	109.5	C8—C9—H9A	108.2
C3—N1—H1D	109.5	C10—C9—H9B	108.2
H1B—N1—H1D	109.5	C8—C9—H9B	108.2
H1C—N1—H1D	109.5	H9A—C9—H9B	107.4
C5—C4—C3	121.1 (6)	C9—C10—H10A	109.5
C5—C4—Br1	119.1 (5)	C9—C10—H10B	109.5
C3—C4—Br1	119.8 (5)	H10A—C10—H10B	109.5
C2—C1—C6	121.1 (6)	C9—C10—H10C	109.5
C2—C1—H1A	119.4	H10A—C10—H10C	109.5
C6—C1—H1A	119.4	H10B—C10—H10C	109.5
C1—C6—C5—C4	2.6 (11)	C2—C3—C4—Br1	175.9 (5)
C7—C6—C5—C4	−178.4 (7)	N1—C3—C4—Br1	−5.7 (8)
C4—C3—C2—C1	3.2 (9)	C3—C2—C1—C6	−1.0 (10)
N1—C3—C2—C1	−175.1 (6)	Br2—C2—C1—C6	177.7 (5)
C4—C3—C2—Br2	−175.5 (4)	C5—C6—C1—C2	−1.9 (10)
N1—C3—C2—Br2	6.1 (8)	C7—C6—C1—C2	179.1 (7)
C6—C5—C4—C3	−0.4 (10)	C5—C6—C7—C8	−102.7 (10)
C6—C5—C4—Br1	−178.9 (5)	C1—C6—C7—C8	76.2 (11)
C2—C3—C4—C5	−2.5 (9)	C6—C7—C8—C9	175.0 (10)
N1—C3—C4—C5	175.9 (6)	C7—C8—C9—C10	−178.9 (11)

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