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Hydrogen 4-ammoniophenylphosphonate

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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; T = 200 K; mean σ (C–C) = 0.002 Å; R factor = 0.029; wR factor = 0.063; data-to-parameter ratio = 16.7.

The title compound, $C_6H_8NO_3P$, is isostructural with *p*-arsanilic acid. It exists as the zwitterion $H_3N^+C_6H_4PO_3H^-$. In the crystal, molecules are linked by $O-H\cdots O$ and $N-H\cdots O$ hydrogen-bond bridges, giving a three-dimensional network structure. The strongest hydrogen bonds are formed between adjacent PO₃H groups with $O\cdots O$ distances of 2.577 (2) Å.

Related literature

For the synthesis of 4-aminophenylphosphonic acid, see: Cooper *et al.* (2006). For the crystal structure of *p*-arsanilic acid, see: Nuttall & Hunter (1996). For a description of the *TOPOS* program, see: Blatov & Proserpio (2009). For graphset descriptors of hydrogen bonds, see: Bernstein *et al.* (1995). For tables of bond lengths in organic compounds, see: Allen *et al.* (1987).



Experimental

Crystal data C₆H₈NO₃P

 $M_r = 173.10$

Monoclinic, P21	
a = 7.0967 (13) Å	
b = 6.2911 (8) Å	
c = 8.4290 (13) Å	
$\beta = 100.606 \ (14)^{\circ}$	
$V = 369.89 (10) \text{ Å}^3$	

Data collection

Stoe IPDS 2T diffractometer 2885 measured reflections 1941 independent reflections

Refinement

$$\begin{split} R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] &= 0.029 \\ wR(F^2) &= 0.063 \\ S &= 1.08 \\ 1941 \text{ reflections} \\ 116 \text{ parameters} \\ 4 \text{ restraints} \end{split}$$

Z = 2Mo K\alpha radiation $\mu = 0.33 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ T = 200 K $0.28 \times 0.19 \times 0.06 \text{ mm}$

organic compounds

1801 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$ $R_{\text{int}} = 0.022$

H atoms treated by a mixture of independent and constrained refinement $\Delta \rho_{max} = 0.30 \text{ e} \text{ Å}^{-3}$ $\Delta \rho_{min} = -0.24 \text{ e} \text{ Å}^{-3}$ Absolute structure: Flack (1983), 864 Friedel pairs Flack parameter: 0.13 (8)

Table 1		
Hydrogen-bond geometry	(Å, °).	

$D - H \cdots A$	D-H	$H \cdots A$	$D \cdots A$	$D - H \cdots A$
$ \begin{array}{c} \hline O3-H4\cdots O1^{i} \\ N-H1\cdots O2^{ii} \\ N-H2\cdots O1^{iii} \\ N-H3\cdots O2^{iv} \end{array} $	0.95 (3)	1.64 (3)	2.5772 (17)	166 (3)
	0.92 (2)	1.83 (2)	2.7459 (19)	172 (2)
	0.93 (2)	1.83 (2)	2.751 (2)	170 (2)
	0.91 (2)	1.78 (2)	2.692 (2)	178 (3)

Symmetry codes: (i) $-x, y + \frac{1}{2}, -z$; (ii) $-x + 1, y - \frac{1}{2}, -z + 1$; (iii) $-x, y - \frac{1}{2}, -z + 1$; (iv) x, y, z + 1.

Data collection: X-AREA (Stoe & Cie, 2009); cell refinement: X-AREA; data reduction: X-RED (Stoe & Cie, 2009); program(s) used to solve structure: SHELXS97 (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: SHELXL97 (Sheldrick, 2008); molecular graphics: DIAMOND (Brandenburg, 2009); software used to prepare material for publication: SHELXL97 and PLATON (Spek, 2009).

Supplementary data and figures for this paper are available from the IUCr electronic archives (Reference: VM2144).

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S1. Comment

Compound (I) is isostructural to the corresponding arsenic derivative *p*-arsanilic acid (Nuttall & Hunter, 1996). Like in the case of the arsenic derivative, compound (I) exists in the form of zwitter ions $H_3N^+C_6H_4PO_3H^-$, *i.e. p*-ammoniophenyl-phosphonate. Phosphorus is coordinated nearly tetrahedrally by three O atoms and the carbon atom of the aryl group. The bond lengths between phophorus and the terminal oxygen atoms O1 and O2 are found to be shorter (1.517 (1) and 1.511 (1) Å) than the P—OH bond (1.569 (1) Å). This is in agreement with the orbservation in *p*-arsanilic acid with As—O bonds of 1.656 (6), 1.669 (6) and 1.737 (8) Å. The C—N bond legth of 1.465 (2) Å is essentially the same as in *p*-arsanilic acid (1.479 (10) Å). This is a typical value for $C_{arvl}NH_3^+$ distances (Allen *et al.*, 1987).

The zwitterions are linked by two different types of hydrogen bonds (Table 1). The strongest hydrogen bonds are observed in the case of O—H..O bridges that are formed between adjacing PO₃H units. Consequently chains with C1,1(4) motifs are formed. Additionally there are N—H···O hydrogen bridges, that are formed between ammonium nitrogen atoms as donors and phosphonate oxygen atoms as acceptors. In this case C1,1(8) structural motifs are found (Bernstein *et al.*, 1995).

As a result of the linkage of NH_3^+ and PO_3H^- groups by hydrogen bonds puckered 6^3 nets are formed. A further (covalent) linkage of the NH_3^+ and PO_3H^- groups by C_6H_4 units, which act as a kind of pillars between the NH_3^+ - PO_3H^- layers, leads to a three-dimensional network. This network contains O atoms as 3- c nodes and P and N atoms as 4- c nodes. According to a topological analysis using TOPOS the three-dimensional net can be described by the Schläfli symbol $\{6^3.8^2.10\}\{6^3.8^3\}\{6^3\}^2$ (Blatov & Proserpio, 2009).

S2. Experimental

4-aminophenylphosphonic acid was synthesized according to a published procedure by Cooper *et al.* (2006). Single crystals were obtained by recrystallization from hot water.

S3. Refinement

H atoms bonded to C were placed in calculated positions with a C—H distance of 0.95 Å, $U_{iso}(H)=1.2U_{eq}(C)$. H atoms bonded to N were located from difference fourier maps and refined with N—H distances fixed in the range of 0.91–0.93 Å, $U_{iso}(H)$ were refined freely. The H atom attached to the phosphonate O atom was located from the difference fourier map and refined freely.



Figure 1

Molecular structure of (I). Thermal ellipsoids are drawn at the 50% probability level.



Figure 2

Packing diagram of (I) displaying the hydrogen bond network.

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Data collection

Stoe IPDS 2T
diffractometer
Radiation source: fine-focus sealed tube
Graphite monochromator
Detector resolution: 6.67 pixels mm ⁻¹
rotation method scans
2885 measured reflections

Refinement

Refinement on F^2	Hydrogen site location: inferred from
Least-squares matrix: full	neighbouring sites
$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.029$	H atoms treated by a mixture of independent
$wR(F^2) = 0.063$	and constrained refinement
S = 1.08	$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0348P)^2 + 0.0226P]$
1941 reflections	where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
116 parameters	$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\rm max} = 0.002$
4 restraints	$\Delta \rho_{\rm max} = 0.30 \text{ e} \text{ Å}^{-3}$
Primary atom site location: structure-invariant	$\Delta \rho_{\rm min} = -0.24 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$
direct methods	Absolute structure: Flack (1983), 864 Friedel
Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier	pairs
map	Absolute structure parameter: 0.13 (8)

Special details

Geometry. All e.s.d.'s (except the e.s.d. in the dihedral angle between two l.s. planes) are estimated using the full covariance matrix. The cell e.s.d.'s are taken into account individually in the estimation of e.s.d.'s in distances, angles and torsion angles; correlations between e.s.d.'s in cell parameters are only used when they are defined by crystal symmetry. An approximate (isotropic) treatment of cell e.s.d.'s is used for estimating e.s.d.'s 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 $F^2 > \sigma(F^2)$ 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.

Z = 2

F(000) = 180

 $\mu = 0.33 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ T = 200 K

Plate, colourless

 $R_{\rm int} = 0.022$

 $h = -9 \rightarrow 9$ $k = -8 \rightarrow 8$ $l = -11 \rightarrow 11$

 $0.28 \times 0.19 \times 0.06$ mm

 $\theta_{\rm max} = 29.1^{\circ}, \ \theta_{\rm min} = 2.5^{\circ}$

1941 independent reflections 1801 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$

 $D_{\rm x} = 1.554 {\rm Mg} {\rm m}^{-3}$

Mo *K* α radiation, $\lambda = 0.71073$ Å

Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters $(Å^2)$

	x	У	Ζ	$U_{ m iso}$ */ $U_{ m eq}$	
Р	0.16365 (5)	0.66144 (6)	0.17272 (4)	0.01583 (9)	
O2	0.33057 (17)	0.6022 (2)	0.09314 (14)	0.0225 (3)	
O1	-0.02778 (17)	0.5711 (2)	0.09090 (14)	0.0214 (3)	
O3	0.1487 (2)	0.9089 (2)	0.19018 (14)	0.0243 (3)	
H4	0.086 (5)	0.972 (5)	0.091 (4)	0.065 (10)*	

Ν	0.3279 (2)	0.3192 (2)	0.85315 (16)	0.0188 (3)
H1	0.446 (3)	0.256 (4)	0.878 (3)	0.030 (6)*
H2	0.229 (3)	0.226 (3)	0.862 (3)	0.032 (7)*
Н3	0.332 (4)	0.417 (4)	0.933 (3)	0.040 (7)*
C4	0.2901 (2)	0.4096 (3)	0.69025 (18)	0.0167 (3)
C6	0.2847 (2)	0.3629 (3)	0.4075 (2)	0.0196 (3)
H6A	0.3068	0.2772	0.3199	0.024*
C1	0.2134 (2)	0.5699 (3)	0.37885 (18)	0.0169 (3)
C5	0.3230 (2)	0.2830 (3)	0.56352 (19)	0.0199 (3)
H5A	0.3713	0.1428	0.5833	0.024*
C3	0.2190 (2)	0.6139 (3)	0.66533 (18)	0.0197 (4)
H3A	0.1967	0.6983	0.7535	0.024*
C2	0.1805 (2)	0.6939 (3)	0.50798 (18)	0.0188 (4)
H2A	0.1316	0.8340	0.4889	0.023*

Atomic displacement parameters $(Å^2)$

	U^{11}	U^{22}	U^{33}	U^{12}	U^{13}	U ²³
Р	0.01598 (16)	0.01927 (19)	0.01195 (14)	-0.00100 (19)	0.00178 (11)	-0.00142 (18)
O2	0.0202 (5)	0.0307 (8)	0.0176 (5)	-0.0028 (5)	0.0059 (4)	-0.0041 (4)
01	0.0173 (6)	0.0266 (7)	0.0190 (5)	-0.0008(5)	-0.0003 (4)	-0.0048(5)
O3	0.0343 (7)	0.0199 (7)	0.0169 (6)	-0.0007 (6)	-0.0002 (5)	0.0001 (5)
Ν	0.0178 (7)	0.0227 (9)	0.0157 (6)	0.0003 (5)	0.0023 (5)	0.0020 (5)
C4	0.0135 (6)	0.0212 (8)	0.0150 (6)	-0.0018 (6)	0.0019 (5)	0.0016 (6)
C6	0.0225 (8)	0.0195 (8)	0.0169 (7)	0.0016 (6)	0.0039 (6)	-0.0029 (6)
C1	0.0150 (7)	0.0214 (8)	0.0138 (7)	-0.0021 (6)	0.0018 (5)	0.0003 (6)
C5	0.0206 (7)	0.0184 (8)	0.0210(7)	0.0024 (7)	0.0045 (6)	-0.0002(7)
C3	0.0218 (7)	0.0224 (11)	0.0155 (6)	0.0014 (6)	0.0049 (6)	-0.0022 (6)
C2	0.0209 (7)	0.0174 (10)	0.0180 (7)	0.0018 (6)	0.0033 (5)	-0.0007 (6)

Geometric parameters (Å, °)

P	1.5114 (13)	C4—C5	1.386 (2)	
P—O1	1.5165 (13)	C6—C5	1.387 (2)	
Р—ОЗ	1.5692 (14)	C6—C1	1.402 (3)	
P—C1	1.8026 (16)	С6—Н6А	0.9500	
O3—H4	0.95 (3)	C1—C2	1.393 (2)	
N—C4	1.465 (2)	C5—H5A	0.9500	
N—H1	0.918 (17)	C3—C2	1.398 (2)	
N—H2	0.928 (17)	С3—НЗА	0.9500	
N—H3	0.908 (18)	C2—H2A	0.9500	
C4—C3	1.383 (2)			
O2—P—O1	114.54 (7)	C5—C6—C1	120.08 (16)	
O2—P—O3	110.99 (8)	С5—С6—Н6А	120.0	
O1—P—O3	110.14 (8)	C1—C6—H6A	120.0	
O2—P—C1	108.58 (8)	C2—C1—C6	119.51 (15)	
01—P—C1	108.57 (8)	C2—C1—P	122.87 (14)	

O3—P—C1	103.37 (8)	C6—C1—P	117.60 (12)
Р—ОЗ—Н4	111 (2)	C4—C5—C6	119.41 (17)
C4—N—H1	112.4 (15)	C4—C5—H5A	120.3
C4—N—H2	108.1 (15)	C6—C5—H5A	120.3
H1—N—H2	112 (2)	C4—C3—C2	118.74 (15)
C4—N—H3	114.3 (18)	C4—C3—H3A	120.6
H1—N—H3	103 (2)	С2—С3—НЗА	120.6
H2—N—H3	107 (2)	C1—C2—C3	120.55 (16)
C3—C4—C5	121.71 (15)	C1—C2—H2A	119.7
C3—C4—N	120.13 (15)	C3—C2—H2A	119.7
C5—C4—N	118.15 (16)		
C5-C6-C1-C2	-0.3 (3)	C3—C4—C5—C6	0.3 (2)
C5—C6—C1—P	-179.11 (13)	N-C4-C5-C6	178.67 (16)
O2—P—C1—C2	135.65 (14)	C1—C6—C5—C4	0.0 (3)
O1—P—C1—C2	-99.23 (15)	C5—C4—C3—C2	-0.3 (2)
O3—P—C1—C2	17.73 (16)	N—C4—C3—C2	-178.62 (14)
O2—P—C1—C6	-45.59 (15)	C6—C1—C2—C3	0.3 (2)
O1—P—C1—C6	79.53 (14)	P-C1-C2-C3	179.06 (13)
O3—P—C1—C6	-163.52 (13)	C4—C3—C2—C1	0.0 (2)

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °)

D—H···A	D—H	H···A	D···· A	D—H···A	
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N—H1···O2 ⁱⁱ	0.92 (2)	1.83 (2)	2.7459 (19)	172 (2)	
N—H2···O1 ⁱⁱⁱ	0.93 (2)	1.83 (2)	2.751 (2)	170 (2)	
N—H3····O2 ^{iv}	0.91 (2)	1.78 (2)	2.692 (2)	178 (3)	

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