

Crystal structure of dicyclohexylammonium *N*-phthaloylglycinate

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ABSTRACT Hydrogen bonds link the dicyclohexylammonium cations to the *N*-phthaloylglycinate anions in crystalline dicyclohexylammonium *N*-phthaloylglycinate to give rise to a linear chain structure. Crystals belong to the triclinic $P\bar{1}$ space group, with $a = 8.9837$ (8), $b = 9.6253$ (7), $c = 12.3863$ (7) Å, $\alpha = 100.029$ (5), $\beta = 93.394$ (6), $\gamma = 90.411$ (7)°.

ABSTRAK Ikatan hidrogen menyambung kation-kation disikloheksilamonium kepada anion-anion *N*-ftaloglisinat dalam hablur disikloheksilamonium *N*-ftaloglisinat untuk mewujudkan suatu struktur rantai linear. Sebastian ini menghablur dalam ruang kumpulan $P\bar{1}$, dengan $a = 8.9837$ (8), $b = 9.6253$ (7), $c = 12.3863$ (7) Å, $\alpha = 100.029$ (5), $\beta = 93.394$ (6), $\gamma = 90.411$ (7)°.

(dicyclohexylammonium *N*-phthaloylglycinate, crystal structure)

INTRODUCTION

In an extension to the studies on the structural characterization of the dicyclohexylammonium salts of biologically-active carboxylic acids [1, 2], this paper reports the crystal structure of the dicyclohexylammonium derivative of *N*-phthaloylglycine, a plant auxin [3].

EXPERIMENTAL

Phthalic anhydride was condensed with glycine to give *N*-phthaloylglycine [4]; the protected amino acid was treated with a molar equivalent of dicyclohexylamine in ethanol to yield the ammonium carboxylate. Single crystals were grown from its solution in the same solvent, and a 0.29 x 0.29 x 0.29 mm cube was used for the diffraction measurements.

Measurements was made on an Enraf-Nonius CAD4 diffractometer (graphite-monochromatized Mo- $K\alpha$ radiation, 0.71073 Å). Unit-cell dimensions were calculated from the 25 strongest reflections in the $10^\circ \leq \theta \leq 12^\circ$ range. The set of 3959 reflections was measured up to $2\theta_{\max} = 45^\circ$ ($0 \leq h \leq 10$, $-11 \leq k \leq 11$, $-14 \leq l \leq 14$) by ω -scans. Peak profiles were calculated [5]. The structure was solved by direct phase determination [6] and a θ -dependent correction [7] was applied to the data following isotropic refinement. Of the data 3701 ($R_{\text{int}} =$

0.031) independent data, the 1820 satisfying the $I \geq 3\sigma(I)$ criterion were used for solution and refinement. Non-H atoms were refined anisotropically; H-atoms were generated ($C-H = 0.95$ Å, $B = 5$ Å²) and were allowed to ride on the parent C- or N-atoms. Full-matrix least-squares refinements on F with 253 variables converged to $R = 0.095$; $R_w = 0.059$ and $S = 0.492$ for the $w = [\sigma(F)^2 + (0.02F)^2 + 1]^{-1}$ [8] weighting scheme. Residual peaks ranged from -0.11 (3) to 0.17 (3) eÅ⁻³. Scattering factors were taken from the *International Tables for X-ray Crystallography* [9]. All computations were performed on a MicroVAX minicomputer with the *MoLEN* structure determination package. [10]. Atomic coordinates are listed in Table 1, the structure is shown as an *ORTEP* [11] plot at the 50% probability level in Fig. 1.

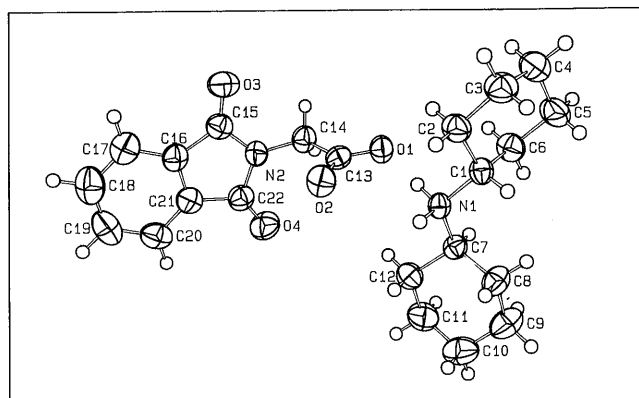


Figure 1: Atomic labeling scheme for dicyclohexylammonium *N*-phthaloylglycinate.

Crystal data: C₂₂H₃₀NO₄, $FW = 386.50$, triclinic, $P\bar{1}$ (No. 2), $a = 8.9837$ (8), $b = 9.6253$ (7), $c = 12.3863$ (7) Å, $\alpha = 100.029$ (5), $\beta = 93.394$ (6), $\gamma = 90.411$ (7)°, $V = 1052.7$ (1) Å³, $F(000) = 416$, $Z = 2$, $D_x = 1.219$ g cm⁻³, $\mu = 0.786$ cm⁻¹.

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

Dicyclohexylammonium *N*-phthaloylglycinate adopts a linear chain structure in which the anions are linked to

Table 1. Atomic coordinates and equivalent^a isotropic temperature factors.

| Atom | x | y | z | $B_{eq}(\text{\AA}^2)$ |
|------|------------|------------|------------|------------------------|
| O1 | 0.6913 (3) | 1.1582 (3) | 0.5644 (3) | 4.15 (7) |
| O2 | 0.9291 (3) | 1.1445 (3) | 0.6220 (3) | 4.72 (8) |
| O3 | 0.9911 (4) | 1.5170 (3) | 0.7764 (3) | 5.17 (8) |
| O4 | 0.8552 (4) | 1.1114 (4) | 0.8895 (3) | 5.98 (9) |
| N1 | 0.7788 (4) | 0.9389 (4) | 0.4115 (3) | 3.04 (7) |
| N2 | 0.8909 (4) | 1.3129 (4) | 0.8171 (3) | 3.88 (8) |
| C1 | 0.7421 (4) | 0.9750 (4) | 0.3011 (3) | 3.26 (9) |
| C2 | 0.8318 (5) | 1.1046 (5) | 0.2900 (4) | 4.0 (1) |
| C3 | 0.8001 (5) | 1.1442 (5) | 0.1773 (4) | 4.8 (1) |
| C4 | 0.6339 (6) | 1.1613 (5) | 0.1519 (4) | 5.4 (1) |
| C5 | 0.5462 (6) | 1.0314 (5) | 0.1667 (4) | 5.5 (1) |
| C6 | 0.5765 (5) | 0.9974 (5) | 0.2819 (4) | 4.4 (1) |
| C7 | 0.7040 (5) | 0.8102 (4) | 0.4396 (3) | 3.32 (9) |
| C8 | 0.7258 (6) | 0.6826 (5) | 0.3523 (4) | 4.6 (1) |
| C9 | 0.6651 (7) | 0.5497 (5) | 0.3860 (5) | 6.1 (1) |
| C10 | 0.7309 (7) | 0.5278 (6) | 0.4964 (5) | 6.5 (2) |
| C11 | 0.7102 (7) | 0.6553 (5) | 0.5828 (4) | 5.9 (1) |
| C12 | 0.7715 (6) | 0.7890 (5) | 0.5513 (4) | 4.4 (1) |
| C13 | 0.8002 (5) | 1.1894 (4) | 0.6315 (4) | 3.5 (1) |
| C14 | 0.7684 (5) | 1.2914 (5) | 0.7348 (4) | 4.2 (1) |
| C15 | 0.9959 (5) | 1.4215 (5) | 0.8279 (4) | 4.0 (1) |
| C16 | 1.1084 (5) | 1.3942 (5) | 0.9129 (4) | 3.9 (1) |
| C17 | 1.2332 (5) | 1.4703 (6) | 0.9583 (4) | 5.0 (1) |
| C18 | 1.3160 (6) | 1.4204 (6) | 1.0402 (5) | 5.9 (1) |
| C19 | 1.2739 (6) | 1.2998 (6) | 1.0759 (4) | 5.9 (1) |
| C20 | 1.1492 (6) | 1.2215 (6) | 1.0310 (4) | 5.2 (1) |
| C21 | 1.0665 (5) | 1.2723 (5) | 0.9488 (4) | 4.0 (1) |
| C22 | 0.9279 (5) | 1.2161 (5) | 0.8843 (4) | 4.3 (1) |

$${}^a B_{eq} = 4/3 [a^2 B_{1,1} + b^2 B_{2,2} + c^2 B_{3,3} + ab (\cos \gamma) B_{1,2} + ac (\cos \beta) B_{1,3} + bc (\cos \alpha) B_{2,3}]$$

the cation across an inversion center by short hydrogen bonds (2.733(5), 2.783(5) Å). In the ammonium counterion, the alkyl groups which adopt chair conformations subtend an angle of 117.9(3)° at the nitrogen atom; the angle has been opened up from the idealized tetrahedral angle of 109.5° in response to the steric bulk of the cyclohexyl rings. The carbon-nitrogen-carbon angle as well as the nitrogen-oxygen interactions are similar to those found in other dicyclohexylammonium [1,2, 12] derivatives.

In the carboxylato anion, the negative charge is delocalized over the -CO₂ entity as the two carbon-oxygen bond distances are equal (1.244(5), 1.245(5) Å). The anion retains the basic conformation adopted by the parent acid, which crystallizes as a monohydrate. The carbon-oxygen single-bond distance (1.322 (6) Å) exceeds the double-bond distance (1.196 (7) Å) in the acid; the water molecule in the parent acid hydrate

Table 2. Bond distances (Å) and angles (°).

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|-------------|-----------|---------------|-----------|
| O1-C13 | 1.245 (5) | C7-C12 | 1.525 (6) |
| O2-C13 | 1.244 (5) | C8-C9 | 1.520 (7) |
| O3-C15 | 1.206 (6) | C9-C10 | 1.507 (8) |
| O4-C22 | 1.210 (6) | C10-C11 | 1.501 (8) |
| N1-C1 | 1.488 (6) | C11-C12 | 1.517 (7) |
| N1-C7 | 1.508 (5) | C13-C14 | 1.513 (6) |
| N2-C14 | 1.442 (6) | C15-C16 | 1.474 (7) |
| N2-C15 | 1.387 (6) | C16-C17 | 1.371 (7) |
| N2-C22 | 1.384 (6) | C16-C21 | 1.383 (7) |
| C1-C2 | 1.510 (6) | C17-C18 | 1.378 (8) |
| C1-C6 | 1.515 (6) | C18-C19 | 1.371 (8) |
| C2-C3 | 1.522 (7) | C19-C20 | 1.378 (8) |
| C3-C4 | 1.523 (7) | C20-C21 | 1.385 (7) |
| C4-C5 | 1.516 (7) | C21-C22 | 1.484 (7) |
| C5-C6 | 1.528 (7) | N1...O1 | 2.733 (5) |
| C7-C8 | 1.510 (6) | N1...O2' | 2.783 (5) |
| C1-N1-C7 | 117.9 (3) | O1-C13-C14 | 115.2 (4) |
| C14-N2-C15 | 124.2 (4) | O2-C13-C14 | 118.2 (4) |
| C14-N2-C22 | 123.1 (4) | N2-C14-C13 | 114.3 (4) |
| C15-N2-C22 | 112.1 (4) | O3-C15-N2 | 125.0 (5) |
| N1-C1-C2 | 108.8 (4) | O3-C15-C16 | 129.0 (5) |
| N1-C1-C6 | 111.8 (4) | N2-C15-C16 | 106.0 (4) |
| C2-C1-C6 | 111.3 (4) | C15-C16-C17 | 130.7 (5) |
| C1-C2-C3 | 110.8 (4) | C15-C16-C21 | 108.2 (4) |
| C2-C3-C4 | 111.9 (4) | C17-C16-C21 | 121.1 (5) |
| C3-C4-C5 | 111.1 (5) | C16-C17-C18 | 117.7 (6) |
| C4-C5-C6 | 111.3 (4) | C17-C18-C19 | 121.1 (6) |
| C1-C6-C5 | 109.1 (4) | C18-C19-C20 | 122.1 (6) |
| N1-C7-C8 | 110.6 (4) | C19-C20-C21 | 116.5 (6) |
| N1-C7-C12 | 107.3 (4) | C16-C21-C20 | 121.5 (5) |
| C8-C7-C12 | 111.4 (4) | C16-C21-C22 | 107.9 (4) |
| C7-C8-C9 | 110.9 (4) | C20-C21-C22 | 130.6 (5) |
| C8-C9-C10 | 112.4 (5) | O4-C22-N2 | 125.0 (5) |
| C9-C10-C11 | 111.1 (5) | O4-C22-C21 | 129.2 (5) |
| C10-C11-C12 | 112.2 (5) | N2-C22-C21 | 105.8 (4) |
| C7-C12-C11 | 111.0 (4) | O1...N1...O2' | 126.1 (2) |

Symmetry transformation ('): 2 - x, 2 - y, 1 - z.

acts as a hydrogen-bond donor to the imido oxygen atoms [13]. Bond dimensions of the phthalimido portion of the *N*-phthaloylglycinato anion of the dicyclohexylammonium derivative compare well with those of phthalimide [14].

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