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# Poly[ $\mu$ -azido-( $\mu_3$ -nicotinato *N*-oxide)-zinc(II)]

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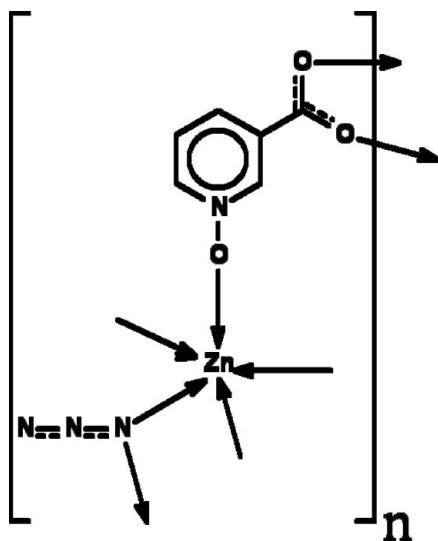
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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study;  $T = 293$  K; mean  $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.008$  Å;  $R$  factor = 0.065;  $wR$  factor = 0.122; data-to-parameter ratio = 13.9.

The title compound,  $[\text{Zn}(\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{NO}_3)(\text{N}_3)]$ , has been prepared by the reaction of nicotinate *N*-oxide acid, zinc(II) nitrate and sodium azide. The Zn atom is five coordinated by two azide anions and three nicotinate *N*-oxide ligands. Each nicotinate *N*-oxide bridges three Zn atoms, whereas the azide bridges two Zn atoms, resulting in the formation of a two-dimensional metal-organic polymer developing parallel to (100).

## Related literature

For background to metal-azide complexes, see: Escuer *et al.* (1997); Liu *et al.* (2005); Monfort *et al.* (2000); Shen *et al.* (2000).



## Experimental

## Crystal data

$[\text{Zn}(\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{NO}_3)(\text{N}_3)]$   
 $M_r = 245.50$   
Monoclinic,  $P2_1/c$   
 $a = 8.1132$  (16) Å  
 $b = 6.1342$  (12) Å  
 $c = 15.786$  (3) Å  
 $\beta = 101.19$  (3)°

$V = 770.7$  (3) Å<sup>3</sup>  
 $Z = 4$   
Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation  
 $\mu = 3.17$  mm<sup>-1</sup>  
 $T = 293$  (2) K  
 $0.20 \times 0.18 \times 0.15$  mm

## Data collection

Rigaku SCXmini diffractometer  
Absorption correction: multi-scan (*ABSCOR*; Higashi, 1995)  
 $T_{\min} = 0.786$ ,  $T_{\max} = 1.000$   
(expected range = 0.489–0.622)

7629 measured reflections  
1761 independent reflections  
1293 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$   
 $R_{\text{int}} = 0.091$

## Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.065$   
 $wR(F^2) = 0.122$   
 $S = 1.12$   
1761 reflections

127 parameters  
H-atom parameters constrained  
 $\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.50$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>  
 $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.52$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>

Data collection: *CrystalClear* (Rigaku, 2007); 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: *ORTEP3* (Burnett & Johnson, 1996) and *PLATON* (Spek, 2003); software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXTL* (Sheldrick, 2008).

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**Poly[ $\mu$ -azido-( $\mu_3$ -nicotinato N-oxide)zinc(II)]****Chun-Wei Xin and Fu-Chen Liu****S1. Comment**

Metal azide complexes have attracted great attention in recent years. The azide anion have rich coordinated mode. (Shen, *et al.*, 2000). In this sense, several 1-D, 2-D, and 3-D metal-azide complexes have been reported. (Monfort, *et al.*, 2000). In most of the compounds reported to date, the coligands are neutral organic ligands, while charged ligands are very scarce (Escuer *et al.*, 1997). Synthesizing high-dimensional compounds with azide and negatively charged ligands represents then a challenge for researchers working in this field. (Liu, *et al.*, 2005)

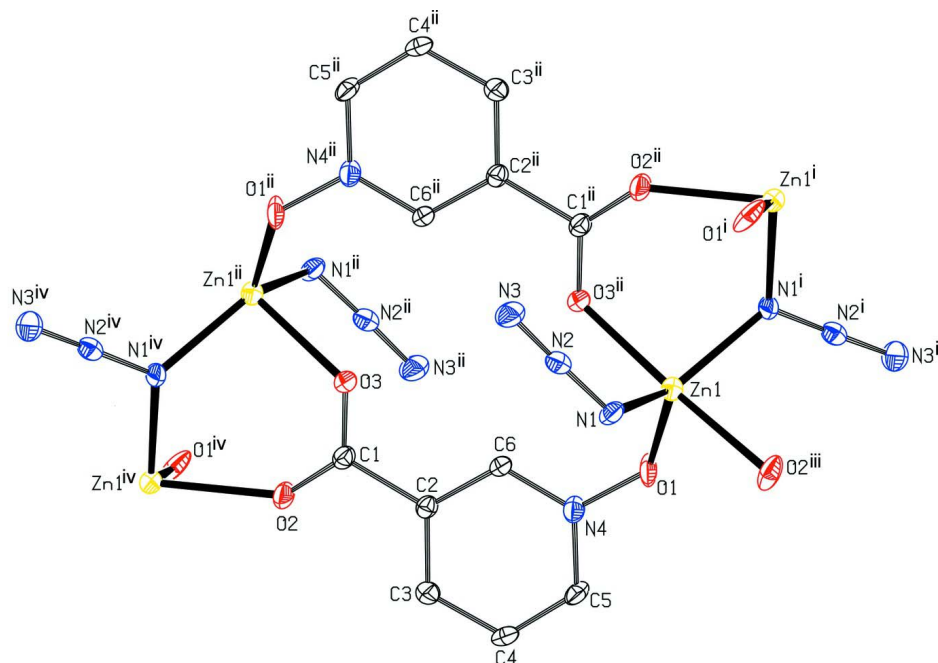
In the title compound, the zinc atom is five coordinated by two azide anions and three nicotinate N-oxide ligands (Fig. 1). Each nicotinate N-oxide bridges three zinc atoms whereas the azide is bridging two zinc atoms resulting in the formation of a two dimensional metal organic polymer developping parallel to the (1 0 0) plane.

**S2. Experimental**

A mixture of zinc(II)nitrate and sodium azide (1 mmol), nicotinate N-oxide acid(0.5 mmol), in 10 ml of water was sealed in a Teflon-lined stainless-steel Parr bomb that was heated at 363 K for 48 h. Pink crystals of the title complex were collected after the bomb was allowed to cool to room temperature. Yield 30% based on zinc(II). Caution: Metal azides may be explosive. Although we have met no problems in this work, only a small amount of them should be prepared and handled with great caution.

**S3. Refinement**

Hydrogen atoms were included in calculated positions and treated as riding on their parent C atoms with C—H = 0.93 Å and  $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H}) = 1.2U_{\text{eq}}(\text{C})$ .



**Figure 1**

A partial view of the title compound showing the coordination of Zn atom with the atom-labelling scheme. Ellipsoids are drawn at the 30% probability level. H atom have been omitted for clarity. [ Symmetry codes: (i)  $-x+2, y+1/2, -z+3/2$ ; (ii)  $-x+2, -y+2, -z+2$ ; (iii)  $x, -y+3/2, z-1/2$ ; (iv)  $x, -y+3/2, z+1/2$ ]

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$F(000) = 488$

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Cell parameters from 6677 reflections

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Block, pink

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$h = -10 \rightarrow 10$

$k = -7 \rightarrow 7$

$l = -20 \rightarrow 20$

Refinement

Refinement on  $F^2$

Least-squares matrix: full

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0 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

$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0419P)^2 + 1.4372P]$

where  $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$

$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\max} < 0.001$

$\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.50 \text{ e } \text{Å}^{-3}$

$\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.52 \text{ e } \text{Å}^{-3}$

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.

Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{Å}^2$ )

	$x$	$y$	$z$	$U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$
Zn1	0.92049 (8)	1.07685 (11)	0.77114 (4)	0.0250 (2)
N2	1.2498 (6)	0.9185 (8)	0.8332 (3)	0.0259 (10)
O3	0.9850 (5)	0.8093 (6)	1.1049 (2)	0.0246 (9)
O2	0.8412 (5)	0.5276 (7)	1.1413 (3)	0.0396 (11)
O1	0.7173 (5)	0.9338 (8)	0.7978 (2)	0.0395 (11)
N4	0.7150 (5)	0.7746 (8)	0.8558 (3)	0.0261 (11)
C6	0.8023 (7)	0.7911 (9)	0.9367 (3)	0.0229 (12)
H6A	0.8716	0.9110	0.9526	0.028*
N1	1.1263 (6)	0.8822 (7)	0.7773 (3)	0.0268 (11)
C5	0.6141 (6)	0.6031 (10)	0.8310 (3)	0.0263 (13)
H5A	0.5543	0.5953	0.7745	0.032*
C4	0.5987 (7)	0.4421 (10)	0.8872 (4)	0.0308 (14)
H4A	0.5276	0.3247	0.8700	0.037*
C2	0.7901 (7)	0.6329 (9)	0.9958 (3)	0.0208 (12)
N3	1.3654 (6)	0.9564 (8)	0.8842 (3)	0.0361 (13)
C3	0.6906 (7)	0.4538 (10)	0.9712 (4)	0.0299 (14)
H3A	0.6847	0.3418	1.0103	0.036*
C1	0.8807 (7)	0.6564 (9)	1.0894 (4)	0.0232 (12)

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

	$U^{11}$	$U^{22}$	$U^{33}$	$U^{12}$	$U^{13}$	$U^{23}$
Zn1	0.0290 (4)	0.0231 (4)	0.0213 (3)	0.0007 (3)	0.0006 (2)	0.0007 (3)
N2	0.030 (3)	0.019 (2)	0.030 (3)	-0.001 (2)	0.008 (2)	0.000 (2)
O3	0.028 (2)	0.024 (2)	0.021 (2)	-0.0054 (17)	0.0008 (16)	-0.0007 (17)

O2	0.047 (3)	0.046 (3)	0.021 (2)	-0.024 (2)	-0.0064 (18)	0.011 (2)
O1	0.032 (2)	0.055 (3)	0.027 (2)	-0.014 (2)	-0.0085 (17)	0.025 (2)
N4	0.024 (3)	0.033 (3)	0.021 (2)	-0.002 (2)	0.002 (2)	0.005 (2)
C6	0.026 (3)	0.023 (3)	0.019 (3)	-0.006 (2)	0.000 (2)	-0.002 (2)
N1	0.025 (3)	0.025 (3)	0.026 (3)	0.004 (2)	-0.006 (2)	-0.007 (2)
C5	0.022 (3)	0.035 (4)	0.020 (3)	-0.007 (3)	-0.002 (2)	-0.004 (3)
C4	0.035 (3)	0.027 (3)	0.027 (3)	-0.012 (3)	-0.001 (2)	-0.008 (3)
C2	0.023 (3)	0.023 (3)	0.018 (3)	0.001 (2)	0.004 (2)	-0.002 (2)
N3	0.029 (3)	0.036 (3)	0.039 (3)	-0.006 (2)	-0.004 (2)	-0.004 (3)
C3	0.039 (4)	0.026 (3)	0.024 (3)	-0.010 (3)	0.004 (3)	0.002 (3)
C1	0.025 (3)	0.024 (3)	0.020 (3)	0.002 (2)	0.002 (2)	-0.003 (2)

*Geometric parameters (Å, °)*

Zn1—O1	1.983 (4)	N4—C5	1.344 (7)
Zn1—N1 <sup>i</sup>	2.031 (5)	C6—C2	1.363 (7)
Zn1—N1	2.040 (4)	C6—H6A	0.9300
Zn1—O3 <sup>ii</sup>	2.079 (4)	C5—C4	1.349 (8)
Zn1—O2 <sup>iii</sup>	2.125 (4)	C5—H5A	0.9300
N2—N3	1.134 (6)	C4—C3	1.392 (7)
N2—N1	1.220 (6)	C4—H4A	0.9300
O3—C1	1.255 (6)	C2—C3	1.374 (8)
O2—C1	1.225 (7)	C2—C1	1.523 (7)
O1—N4	1.342 (6)	C3—H3A	0.9300
N4—C6	1.338 (6)		
O1—Zn1—N1 <sup>i</sup>	112.69 (19)	C2—C6—H6A	119.9
O1—Zn1—N1	115.93 (19)	N2—N1—Zn1 <sup>v</sup>	120.5 (4)
N1 <sup>i</sup> —Zn1—N1	130.49 (12)	N2—N1—Zn1	118.5 (4)
O1—Zn1—O3 <sup>ii</sup>	96.82 (16)	Zn1 <sup>v</sup> —N1—Zn1	115.5 (2)
N1 <sup>i</sup> —Zn1—O3 <sup>ii</sup>	93.02 (17)	N4—C5—C4	120.7 (5)
N1—Zn1—O3 <sup>ii</sup>	90.14 (16)	N4—C5—H5A	119.7
O1—Zn1—O2 <sup>iii</sup>	87.86 (18)	C4—C5—H5A	119.7
N1 <sup>i</sup> —Zn1—O2 <sup>iii</sup>	85.13 (18)	C5—C4—C3	119.2 (5)
N1—Zn1—O2 <sup>iii</sup>	87.80 (17)	C5—C4—H4A	120.4
O3 <sup>ii</sup> —Zn1—O2 <sup>iii</sup>	175.31 (17)	C3—C4—H4A	120.4
N3—N2—N1	178.4 (6)	C6—C2—C3	119.5 (5)
C1—O3—Zn1 <sup>ii</sup>	123.1 (4)	C6—C2—C1	120.7 (5)
C1—O2—Zn1 <sup>iv</sup>	140.4 (4)	C3—C2—C1	119.7 (5)
N4—O1—Zn1	126.1 (3)	C2—C3—C4	119.1 (5)
C6—N4—O1	121.4 (5)	C2—C3—H3A	120.4
C6—N4—C5	121.1 (5)	C4—C3—H3A	120.4
O1—N4—C5	117.3 (4)	O2—C1—O3	127.3 (5)
N4—C6—C2	120.3 (5)	O2—C1—C2	116.6 (5)
N4—C6—H6A	119.9	O3—C1—C2	116.1 (5)

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