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# Aquabis(methacrylato- $\kappa$ O)bis(pyridine- $\kappa$ N)copper(II)

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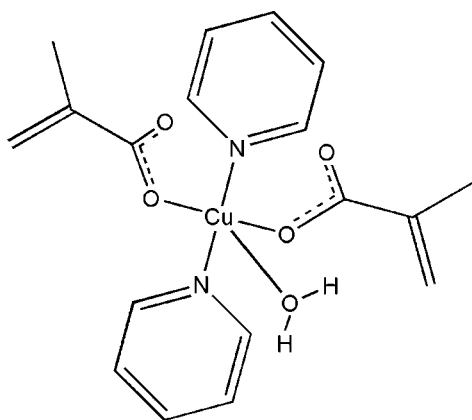
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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study;  $T = 293$  K; mean  $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.004$  Å;  $R$  factor = 0.021;  $wR$  factor = 0.055; data-to-parameter ratio = 14.6.

In the crystal structure of the title complex,  $[\text{Cu}(\text{C}_4\text{H}_5\text{O}_2)_2(\text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N})_2(\text{H}_2\text{O})]$ , the  $\text{Cu}^{\text{II}}$  cation is located on a twofold rotation axis and coordinated by two methacrylate anions, two pyridine ligands and one water molecule in a distorted square-pyramidal geometry. The coordinated water molecule is also located on the twofold axis. In the crystal structure  $\text{O}-\text{H}\cdots\text{O}$  hydrogen bonds link the molecules, forming chains along the  $c$  axis.

## Related literature

For general background to copper complexes, see: Du *et al.* (2004); Hu *et al.* (2004); Zhu *et al.* (2007). For a related structure, see: Wu & Wang (2004).



## Experimental

### Crystal data

 $[\text{Cu}(\text{C}_4\text{H}_5\text{O}_2)_2(\text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N})_2(\text{H}_2\text{O})]$  $M_r = 409.92$ Orthorhombic,  $Fdd2$  $a = 15.619$  (3) Å $b = 40.200$  (8) Å $c = 6.0576$  (12) Å $V = 3803.4$  (13) Å<sup>3</sup> $Z = 8$ Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation $\mu = 1.18$  mm<sup>-1</sup> $T = 293$  K $0.50 \times 0.36 \times 0.08$  mm

### Data collection

Rigaku R-Axis RAPID IP diffractometer  
Absorption correction: multi-scan *ABSCOR* (Higashi, 1995)  
 $T_{\text{min}} = 0.612$ ,  $T_{\text{max}} = 0.913$ 7925 measured reflections  
1808 independent reflections  
1740 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$   
 $R_{\text{int}} = 0.027$ 

### Refinement

 $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.021$  $wR(F^2) = 0.055$  $S = 1.09$ 

1808 reflections

124 parameters

1 restraint

H atoms treated by a mixture of independent and constrained refinement

 $\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 0.15$  e Å<sup>-3</sup> $\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.19$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>

Absolute structure: Flack (1983), 797 Friedel pairs

Flack parameter: 0.006 (13)

Table 1

Selected bond lengths (Å).

Cu—O1	2.281 (2)	Cu—N1	2.0254 (14)
Cu—O2	1.9389 (12)		

Table 2

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °).

$D-H\cdots A$	$D-H$	$H\cdots A$	$D\cdots A$	$D-H\cdots A$
$\text{O1}-\text{H1}\cdots\text{O3}^i$	0.83 (3)	1.96 (3)	2.783 (2)	178 (2)

Symmetry code: (i)  $x, y, z + 1$ .

Data collection: *PROCESS-AUTO* (Rigaku, 1998); cell refinement: *PROCESS-AUTO*; data reduction: *CrystalStructure* (Rigaku/MS, 2002); program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 2008); molecular graphics: *ORTEP-3 for Windows* (Farrugia, 1997); software used to prepare material for publication: *WinGX* (Farrugia, 1999).

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**Aquabis(methacrylato- $\kappa$ O)bis(pyridine- $\kappa$ N)copper(II)****Bin Wu and Haizhen Yao****S1. Comment**

Copper complexes with organic acids and other donor ligands exist extensively in living things, playing an important role in a vast range of chemical and biochemical catalytic systems. A series of copper-carboxylate complexes has been reported (Du *et al.*, 2004; Hu *et al.*, 2004; Zhu *et al.*, 2007).

The molecular structure is shown in Fig. 1. The Cu atom is located on a twofold axis and coordinated with two methacrylate, two pyridine ligands and one coordinated water molecule in a distorted square-pyramidal geometry (Table 1).

The compound is an infinite one-dimensional network structure connected by hydrogen bonds. It forms hydrogen bonds between coordination waters and carboxy group (Table 2).

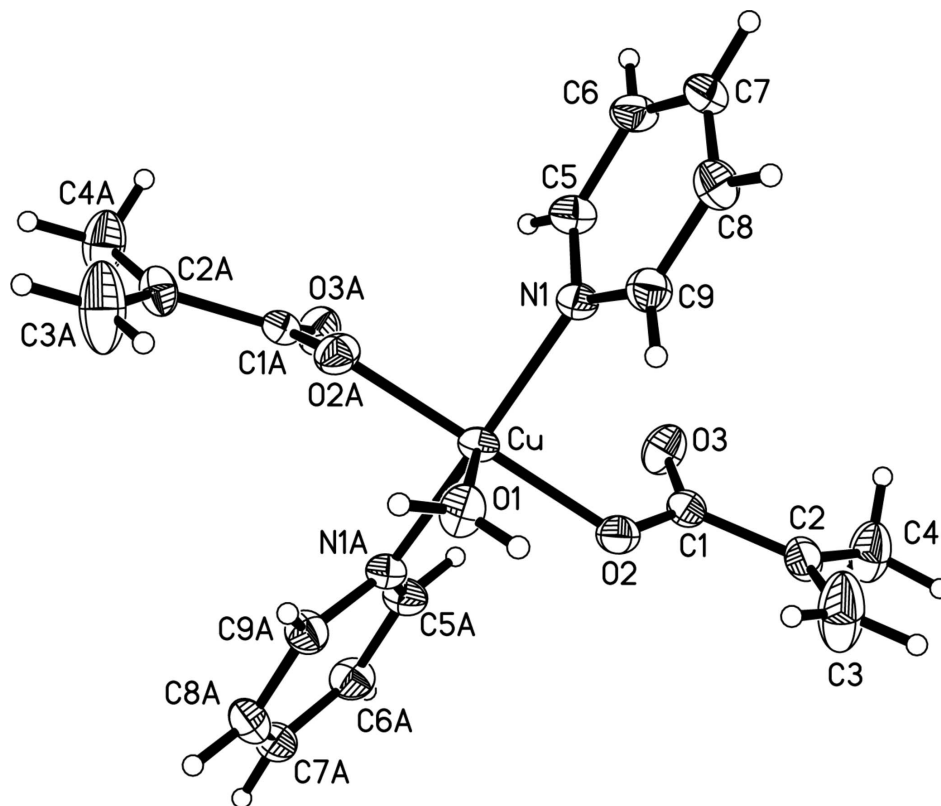
The corresponding complex with one pyridine ligand has binuclear cage structural unit, two Cu atoms are bridged by four  $\mu_2$ -O, $O'$ -methacrylate groups, forming a cage structure (Wu *et al.*, 2004).

**S2. Experimental**

HL,  $\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)\text{COOH}$ , (0.5 ml, 6.0 mmol) and  $\text{Cu}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (240 mg, 1.0 mmol) were dissolved in 60 ml  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , and the pH adjusted to 4.0 using 0.5 M NaOH. Two milliliters of 1.0 M pyridine solution were added into the mixed solution with stirring. After filtration, the filtrate was allowed to stand at room temperature and single crystals were obtained after one week.

**S3. Refinement**

Methyl H atoms were constrained to an ideal geometry with C—H distances of 0.96 Å and  $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H}) = 1.5U_{\text{eq}}(\text{C})$ , but each group was allowed to rotate freely about its C—C bond. The methylene H atoms and aromatic H atoms were placed in geometrically idealized positions and constrained to ride on their parent atoms with C—H distances of 0.93 Å and  $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H}) = 1.2U_{\text{eq}}(\text{C})$ .

**Figure 1**

The molecular structure of the title molecule showing the atom-labelling scheme. Displacement ellipsoids are drawn at the 30% probability level for non-H atoms.

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#### Crystal data

$[\text{Cu}(\text{C}_4\text{H}_5\text{O}_2)_2(\text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N})_2(\text{H}_2\text{O})]$

$M_r = 409.92$

Orthorhombic,  $Fdd2$

Hall symbol:  $F\ 2\ -2d$

$a = 15.619\ (3)\ \text{\AA}$

$b = 40.200\ (8)\ \text{\AA}$

$c = 6.0576\ (12)\ \text{\AA}$

$V = 3803.4\ (13)\ \text{\AA}^3$

$Z = 8$

$F(000) = 1704$

$D_x = 1.432\ \text{Mg m}^{-3}$

Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation,  $\lambda = 0.71069\ \text{\AA}$

Cell parameters from 8692 reflections

$\theta = 3.0\text{--}27.5^\circ$

$\mu = 1.18\ \text{mm}^{-1}$

$T = 293\ \text{K}$

Platelet, blue

$0.50 \times 0.36 \times 0.08\ \text{mm}$

#### Data collection

Rigaku R-AXIS RAPID IP

diffractometer

Radiation source: fine-focus sealed tube

Graphite monochromator

Detector resolution:  $10.00\ \text{pixels mm}^{-1}$

$\omega$  scans

Absorption correction: multi-scan

*ABSCOR* (Higashi, 1995)

$T_{\min} = 0.612$ ,  $T_{\max} = 0.913$

7925 measured reflections

1808 independent reflections

1740 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$

$R_{\text{int}} = 0.027$

$\theta_{\max} = 25.8^\circ$ ,  $\theta_{\min} = 3.3^\circ$

$h = -18 \rightarrow 18$

$k = -48 \rightarrow 48$

$l = -7 \rightarrow 7$

*Refinement*Refinement on  $F^2$ 

Least-squares matrix: full

 $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.021$  $wR(F^2) = 0.055$  $S = 1.09$ 

1808 reflections

124 parameters

1 restraint

Primary atom site location: structure-invariant  
direct methodsSecondary atom site location: difference Fourier  
mapHydrogen site location: inferred from  
neighbouring sitesH atoms treated by a mixture of independent  
and constrained refinement $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0325P)^2 + 0.6515P]$ where  $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$  $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\max} < 0.001$  $\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.15 \text{ e } \text{Å}^{-3}$  $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.19 \text{ e } \text{Å}^{-3}$ Absolute structure: Flack (1983), 797 Friedel  
pairs

Absolute structure parameter: 0.006 (13)

*Special details***Experimental.** Analysis: calculated C 52.74, H 5.41, N 6.83%; found C 52.61, H 5.22, N 6.69%. Spectroscopic analysis: IR (KBr,  $\nu \text{ cm}^{-1}$ ): 700, 832, 936, 1036, 1214, 1243, 1368, 1417, 1599, 1642.**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 ( $\text{Å}^2$ )*

	$x$	$y$	$z$	$U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$
Cu	1.0000	0.0000	0.11357 (7)	0.03375 (10)
O1	1.0000	0.0000	0.4901 (4)	0.0450 (5)
O2	1.05574 (8)	0.04310 (3)	0.1163 (3)	0.0442 (3)
O3	1.03022 (11)	0.05452 (4)	-0.2378 (3)	0.0529 (4)
N1	0.88531 (9)	0.02292 (3)	0.0789 (3)	0.0361 (3)
C1	1.05091 (11)	0.06268 (5)	-0.0494 (3)	0.0371 (4)
C2	1.07255 (14)	0.09857 (5)	-0.0019 (4)	0.0460 (5)
C3	1.0791 (3)	0.10857 (7)	0.2115 (5)	0.0967 (13)
H3A	1.0922	0.1306	0.2439	0.116*
H3B	1.0705	0.0934	0.3252	0.116*
C4	1.0850 (2)	0.12071 (5)	-0.1829 (5)	0.0694 (7)
H4A	1.1000	0.1423	-0.1281	0.104*
H4B	1.0331	0.1222	-0.2672	0.104*
H4C	1.1302	0.1125	-0.2752	0.104*
C5	0.83858 (12)	0.01819 (5)	-0.1017 (3)	0.0431 (5)
H5	0.8607	0.0050	-0.2143	0.052*
C6	0.75841 (12)	0.03207 (5)	-0.1284 (8)	0.0485 (4)
H6	0.7275	0.0286	-0.2576	0.058*
C7	0.72506 (13)	0.05110 (5)	0.0387 (4)	0.0493 (5)
H7	0.6705	0.0602	0.0262	0.059*
C8	0.77349 (15)	0.05649 (5)	0.2250 (5)	0.0523 (6)

H8	0.7525	0.0695	0.3397	0.063*
C9	0.85367 (14)	0.04220 (4)	0.2390 (4)	0.0443 (4)
H9	0.8868	0.0461	0.3640	0.053*
H1	1.0098 (15)	0.0163 (6)	0.569 (6)	0.052 (8)*

*Atomic displacement parameters (Å<sup>2</sup>)*

	$U^{11}$	$U^{22}$	$U^{33}$	$U^{12}$	$U^{13}$	$U^{23}$
Cu	0.02640 (14)	0.04033 (15)	0.03451 (15)	0.00130 (13)	0.000	0.000
O1	0.0619 (14)	0.0422 (12)	0.0309 (11)	-0.0041 (9)	0.000	0.000
O2	0.0355 (6)	0.0454 (6)	0.0516 (8)	-0.0031 (5)	-0.0055 (7)	0.0079 (7)
O3	0.0684 (10)	0.0493 (7)	0.0410 (8)	-0.0091 (7)	0.0044 (8)	-0.0081 (7)
N1	0.0290 (7)	0.0405 (7)	0.0389 (9)	0.0003 (6)	0.0015 (7)	0.0002 (7)
C1	0.0287 (9)	0.0394 (9)	0.0432 (10)	0.0040 (7)	0.0049 (8)	-0.0027 (8)
C2	0.0534 (12)	0.0379 (9)	0.0468 (11)	0.0101 (8)	-0.0090 (10)	-0.0030 (9)
C3	0.185 (4)	0.0516 (14)	0.0534 (16)	0.0172 (18)	-0.027 (2)	-0.0070 (12)
C4	0.109 (2)	0.0436 (10)	0.0552 (16)	-0.0013 (12)	-0.0059 (15)	0.0058 (11)
C5	0.0357 (9)	0.0541 (10)	0.0394 (12)	0.0002 (8)	-0.0002 (8)	-0.0046 (8)
C6	0.0362 (9)	0.0556 (10)	0.0538 (11)	-0.0010 (8)	-0.0128 (11)	0.0031 (17)
C7	0.0319 (9)	0.0450 (10)	0.0711 (15)	0.0064 (8)	-0.0002 (10)	0.0046 (10)
C8	0.0475 (12)	0.0461 (11)	0.0634 (14)	0.0101 (9)	0.0061 (11)	-0.0088 (11)
C9	0.0419 (11)	0.0457 (9)	0.0453 (11)	0.0022 (8)	-0.0027 (9)	-0.0038 (9)

*Geometric parameters (Å, °)*

Cu—O1	2.281 (2)	C3—H3B	0.9300
Cu—O2	1.9389 (12)	C4—H4A	0.9600
Cu—O2 <sup>i</sup>	1.9391 (12)	C4—H4B	0.9600
Cu—N1	2.0254 (14)	C4—H4C	0.9600
Cu—N1 <sup>i</sup>	2.0254 (14)	C5—C6	1.380 (3)
O1—H1	0.82 (3)	C5—H5	0.9300
O2—C1	1.278 (2)	C6—C7	1.371 (5)
O3—C1	1.230 (3)	C6—H6	0.9300
N1—C5	1.329 (3)	C7—C8	1.376 (4)
N1—C9	1.336 (3)	C7—H7	0.9300
C1—C2	1.510 (3)	C8—C9	1.380 (3)
C2—C3	1.357 (4)	C8—H8	0.9300
C2—C4	1.425 (3)	C9—H9	0.9300
C3—H3A	0.9300		
O2—Cu—O2 <sup>i</sup>	179.03 (10)	H3A—C3—H3B	120.0
O2—Cu—N1	89.51 (5)	C2—C4—H4A	109.5
O2 <sup>i</sup> —Cu—N1	90.59 (5)	C2—C4—H4B	109.5
O2—Cu—N1 <sup>i</sup>	90.59 (5)	H4A—C4—H4B	109.5
O2 <sup>i</sup> —Cu—N1 <sup>i</sup>	89.51 (5)	C2—C4—H4C	109.5
N1—Cu—N1 <sup>i</sup>	168.08 (10)	H4A—C4—H4C	109.5
O2—Cu—O1	89.51 (5)	H4B—C4—H4C	109.5
O2 <sup>i</sup> —Cu—O1	89.51 (5)	N1—C5—C6	122.5 (3)

N1—Cu—O1	95.96 (5)	N1—C5—H5	118.8
N1 <sup>i</sup> —Cu—O1	95.96 (5)	C6—C5—H5	118.8
Cu—O1—H1	126 (2)	C7—C6—C5	118.9 (3)
C1—O2—Cu	121.15 (13)	C7—C6—H6	120.5
C5—N1—C9	118.52 (16)	C5—C6—H6	120.5
C5—N1—Cu	120.41 (13)	C6—C7—C8	119.0 (2)
C9—N1—Cu	121.03 (14)	C6—C7—H7	120.5
O3—C1—O2	125.43 (17)	C8—C7—H7	120.5
O3—C1—C2	119.36 (18)	C7—C8—C9	118.9 (2)
O2—C1—C2	115.21 (18)	C7—C8—H8	120.5
C3—C2—C4	122.5 (2)	C9—C8—H8	120.5
C3—C2—C1	118.8 (2)	N1—C9—C8	122.1 (2)
C4—C2—C1	118.7 (2)	N1—C9—H9	118.9
C2—C3—H3A	120.0	C8—C9—H9	118.9
C2—C3—H3B	120.0		

Symmetry code: (i)  $-x+2, -y, z$ .

*Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °)*

<i>D—H...A</i>	<i>D—H</i>	<i>H...A</i>	<i>D...A</i>	<i>D—H...A</i>
O1—H1...O3 <sup>ii</sup>	0.83 (3)	1.96 (3)	2.783 (2)	178 (2)

Symmetry code: (ii)  $x, y, z+1$ .