

Crystal and Molecular Structure of (*trans*-3,4-Diamino-2,2,6,6-tetramethylpiperidine- 1-oxyl- N^3,N^4)(oxalato- O,O')platinum(II) Dihydrate

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Abstract—The crystal and molecular structure of (*trans*-3,4-diamino-2,2,6,6-tetramethylpiperidine-1-oxyl- N^3,N^4)(oxalato- O,O')platinum(II) dihydrate was studied by single crystal X-ray diffraction. The crystals belong to the monoclinic system; a 8.261, b 13.129, c 15.224 Å; β 104.29°, Z 4, space group $P2_1/n$. The structure was solved by the direct method and refined by the full-matrix least-squares method in the anisotropic approximation to R 0.026 for all the 3660 measured unique reflections. The structure consists of individual mononuclear bischelate molecules containing two different bidentate ligands. The Pt^{2+} coordination is distorted square-planar. The complex molecules and water molecules in the crystal of **I** are linked by hydrogen bonds forming an infinite 3D network.