# ${ }^{2,3} J(\mathrm{P}, \mathrm{X})[\mathrm{X}=\mathrm{H}, \mathrm{C}]$ coupling constants dependency on the ring size, hybridization and substituents in new diazaphospholes and diazaphosphorinanes, NMR and X-ray crystallography studies 

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#### Abstract

New diazaphospholes and diazaphosphorinanes (1-12) were synthesized and characterized by ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H},{ }^{13} \mathrm{C},{ }^{31} \mathrm{P}$ NMR, mass and IR spectroscopy and elemental analysis. The factors which affect the ${ }^{2,3} J(\mathrm{P}, \mathrm{X})(\mathrm{X}=\mathrm{H}, \mathrm{C})$ coupling constants in compounds $\mathbf{1} \mathbf{- 1 2}$ were considered. The ring size and the hybridization are parameters which change the ${ }^{2} J(\mathrm{PNH})$ coupling constant in the sequence benzodiazaphospholes $>$ diazaphospholes $>$ diazaphosphorinanes. Also, attention was paid to exocyclic substituent effects. Asymmetric diazaphospholes 5-8 indicate two different ${ }^{2} J(\mathrm{P}, \mathrm{C})_{\text {aliphatic }}$ values, and the more deshielded carbon atom has a higher coupling constant. The crystal structures of compounds $\mathbf{7}$ and $\mathbf{1 0 - 1 2}$ were determined by X-ray crystallography. Hydrogen bonds produce a 2D framework for compound $\mathbf{1 0}$, which is composed of two symmetrically independent molecules. Compounds $\mathbf{7 , 1 1}$ and $\mathbf{1 2}$ exist as a polymeric chain, 2D framework and centrosymmetric dimer, respectively, which are made by hydrogen bonds. © 2006 Elsevier Ltd. All rights reserved.


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## 1. Introduction

Diazaphospholes and diazaphosphorinanes are considered as important compounds due to their great applications in chemistry and medicine [1,2]. So far, a few structures [3,4] and coupling constant assignments of these compounds have been reported [3]. Stereochemistry, P-C coupling constants in 1,3,2-benzodiazaphospholes [5] and 2-oxo-, 2-thio-diazaphosphorinanes have been presented [6]. Phosphorus-hydrogen coupling constants in some diazaphospholes with three coordinated phosphorus atoms were studied [7]. To further investigate this area, the new diazaphospholes and diazaphosphorinanes $\mathbf{1}-\mathbf{1 2}$ were syn-

[^0]thesized and characterized to find effective parameters for ${ }^{2,3} J(\mathrm{P}, \mathrm{X})$ coupling constants $(\mathrm{X}=\mathrm{H}, \mathrm{C})$.

## 2. Experimental

### 2.1. Spectroscopic measurements

NMR spectra of compounds $\mathbf{1}-\mathbf{1 2}$ were obtained from their prepared solutions, which must be fresh. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ and ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR spectra were recorded on a Bruker (Avance DRS) 500 spectrometer. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ and ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$, and ${ }^{31} \mathrm{P}$ chemical shifts were determined relative to tetramethylsilane (TMS) and $85 \%$ $\mathrm{H}_{3} \mathrm{PO}_{4}$ as external standards, respectively, and HSQC ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}_{-}{ }^{15} \mathrm{~N}$ spectra to external TMS and $\mathrm{CH}_{3}-\mathrm{NO}_{2}$ standards. Infrared (IR) spectra were recorded on a Shimadzu model IR-60 spectrometer. Elemental analysis was performed using a Heraeus CHN-O-RAPID apparatus. High-resolution Mass spectra were obtained with a Shimadzu model QP-1100EX spectrometer (EI, 20 eV ).


Scheme 1. The preparation of compounds 1-12.

### 2.2. Syntheses

Syntheses of compounds $\mathbf{1 - 1 2}$ were performed by the reaction of $N$-benzoyl- [8], $N$-trifluoroacetyl- [9], $N$-phenyl[10] and $N$-4-nitrophenyl- [11] phosphoramidic dichloride and (4-tolyl)-dichlorophosphate [12] with the corresponding amines in the presence of an HCl scavenger (triethylamine or an excess amount of the corresponding diamine).

## 2.3. $X$-ray measurements

X-ray data were collected on a Bruker SMART 1000 CCD single crystal diffractometer. Routine Lorentz and polarization corrections were applied and an absorption correction was performed using the sADABS program [13].

The structures were refined with shelxl-97 [14] by fullmatrix least-squares on $F^{2}$.

## 3. Results and discussion

### 3.1. NMR study

Several new diazaphospholes and diazaphosphorinanes 1-12 (Scheme 1) were synthesized to study effective parameters for ${ }^{2,3} J(\mathrm{P}, \mathrm{X})$ coupling constants $(\mathrm{X}=\mathrm{H}, \mathrm{C})$.

The effect of ring size on ${ }^{2} J(P N H)$ : Although the variation of the ${ }^{2} J(\mathrm{PNH})$ coupling constant in acyclic phosphoramidates has been considered (in the range of $4-12 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ) [15-17], less attention has been paid to diazaphospholes and diazaphosphorinanes. The ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR spectrum of

Table 1
${ }^{31} \mathrm{P}$ chemical shifts (ppm) and ${ }^{2} J(\mathrm{PNH})(\mathrm{Hz})$ in compounds $\mathbf{1}-\mathbf{1 4}$

${ }^{\text {a,b }}$ For compounds $\mathbf{1 3}$ and $\mathbf{1 4}$ see Refs. [15a] and [15b], respectively.
${ }^{\text {a }}{ }^{31} \mathrm{P}$ chemical shift was not reported in Ref. [15a].
compound 1 shows a doublet at 8.58 ppm with a high value ${ }^{2} J(\mathrm{PNH})$ coupling constant $(17.9 \mathrm{~Hz})$ for two equivalent NH protons and a doublet at 9.96 ppm with ${ }^{2} J(\mathrm{PNH})=8.4 \mathrm{~Hz}$ for the amidic proton. Also, in diazaphospholes 2 and 3, the two non-equivalent NH protons (of the ring) indicate two high value ${ }^{2} J(\mathrm{PNH})$ coupling constants, Table 1. Compound 4 shows a drastically reduction $\left({ }^{2} J(\mathrm{PNH})=5.0 \mathrm{~Hz}\right)$ on increasing the ring size (from five to six). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR spectra of diazaphospholes $5-8$ show ${ }^{2} J(\mathrm{PNH})$ values in the range $13.1-15.3 \mathrm{~Hz}$, which are reduced in comparison with compounds 1-3. A further reduction was obtained by increasing the ring size in cyclic aliphatic compounds $\mathbf{1 0} \mathbf{- 1 2}$, Table 1 . A major part of the observed changes more likely results from conformational averaging of the orientation of bond vectors in the sixmember rings when compared with the more fixed orientation of bond vectors in the five-member rings.

The effect of hybridization on ${ }^{2} J(P N H)$ : In compounds 1-3 the endocyclic nitrogen atoms of the NH groups are bonded to the carbon atoms with $\mathrm{sp}^{2}$ hybridization in five-membered rings, but in compounds 5-8 they are bonded to $\mathrm{sp}^{3}$ carbon atoms. ${ }^{2} J(\mathrm{PNH})$ in compounds $5-8$ are lower than those of compounds $\mathbf{1}-\mathbf{3}$. In molecule $\mathbf{9}$, possessing two various NH groups, one of the two NH protons is bonded to a $\mathrm{C}\left(\mathrm{sp}^{2}\right)$ atom and the other to $\mathrm{C}\left(\mathrm{sp}^{3}\right)$ in a six-membered ring. The ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR spectrum shows two different coupling constants, ${ }^{2} J(\mathrm{PNH})=5.7 \mathrm{~Hz}\left(\mathrm{sp}^{2}\right)$ and ${ }^{2} J(\mathrm{PNH})=4.6 \mathrm{~Hz}\left(\mathrm{sp}^{3}\right)$.

The effect of the substituent on ${ }^{2} J(P N H)$ : A comparison of the benzodiazaphospholes $\mathbf{1 - 3}, \mathbf{1 3}$ and $\mathbf{1 4}$ indicates a substituent effect (of the exocyclic group) on ${ }^{2} J\left(\mathrm{PN}_{\text {endocyclic }} \mathrm{H}\right)$, in the range of 18.0 Hz (for $\mathbf{1}$ with a
$\mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{5} \mathrm{C}(\mathrm{O}) \mathrm{NH}$ moiety) to 11.2 Hz (for $\mathbf{1 4}$ with a Cl substituent), Table 1. Furthermore, in diazaphospholes 5-8, the highest value of ${ }^{2} J(\mathrm{PNH})$ is observed for compound 5 with a $\mathrm{CF}_{3} \mathrm{C}(\mathrm{O}) \mathrm{N}(\mathrm{H})$ electronegative moiety.
${ }^{3} J(P N C H)$ coupling constants: In the asymmetric diazaphospholes 5-8, four H atoms of the $-\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{CH}_{2}$ moiety appear at different chemical shifts with various ${ }^{3} J(\mathrm{PNCH})_{\text {aliphatic }}$ coupling constants. Two benzylic protons of diazaphosphorinane $\mathbf{9}$ are diastereotopic and have different ${ }^{3} J(\mathrm{PNCH})$ coupling constants depending on the dihedral angles with the P atom. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR spectra of


Fig. 1. 2D HSQC ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}^{15}{ }^{15} \mathrm{~N}$ spectrum for compound 3 .


Scheme 2. Fragmentation pathway in the mass spectrum of compound 1.

Table 2
The intensities of $\mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{5} \mathrm{CN}^{+}(m / z=103)$ and other fragments in mass spectra of compounds $\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{2}, \mathbf{4}, \mathbf{6}$ and $\mathbf{9}$ (the numbers in parentheses are intensities of these fragments)

| Compound | $\mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{5} \mathrm{CN}^{+}$ | Amidophosphoric <br> acid | Amidophosphoric acid- <br> $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$ |
| :--- | :---: | :--- | :--- |
| $\mathbf{1}$ | 69 | $170(100)$ | $152(59)$ |
| $\mathbf{2}$ | 100 | $184(14)$ | $166(2)$ |
| $\mathbf{4}$ | 100 | $220(65)$ | $202(45)$ |
| $\mathbf{6}$ | 100 | $184(9)$ | $166(3)$ |
| $\mathbf{9}$ | 100 | $198(55)$ | $180(21)$ |

compounds $\mathbf{1 0} \mathbf{- 1 2}$ show two different signals for $\mathrm{H}_{\text {axial }}$ and $\mathrm{H}_{\text {equatorial }}$. The torsion angles of $\mathrm{P}-\mathrm{N}-\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{H}_{\text {axial }}$ and $\mathrm{P}-\mathrm{N}-$ $\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{H}_{\text {equatorial }}$ are about $\pm 70^{\circ}$ and $\pm 170^{\circ}$, respectively, obtained from X-ray crystallography. Considering the Karplus equation [18], the values 24.8, 25.1 and 26.7 Hz are related to ${ }^{3} J\left(\mathrm{PNCH}_{\text {equatorial }}\right)$ values in $\mathbf{1 0 - 1 2}$. These values are larger than ${ }^{3} J(\mathrm{PNCH})$ values for acyclic phosphoramidates [15-17]. For $\mathrm{H}_{\text {axial }}$, the coupling with the P atom was not observed.

Ring size influence on ${ }^{2} J(P, C)_{\text {aromatic: }}$ Similar to the ${ }^{2} J(\mathrm{PNH})$ value, high values for ${ }^{2} J(\mathrm{P}, \mathrm{C})_{\text {aromatic }}$ were observed for diazaphospholes 1-3 (about 14.0 Hz ) which are larger than the values of acyclic phosphoramidates [19].

Deshielded carbon atoms and ${ }^{2} J(P, C)$ : In compounds 5-8, two different signals (and two different ${ }^{2} J(P, C)$ values)
appear for the aliphatic carbon atoms ( $\mathrm{C}^{1}$ and $\mathrm{C}^{2}$, Scheme 1) and the deshielded $C^{1}$ atoms show high values for ${ }^{2} J(\mathrm{P}, \mathrm{C})$ due to the effect of the phenyl ring.


Fig. 2. Molecular structure and atom-labelling scheme for compound 7, (4- $\left.\mathrm{CH}_{3}-\mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{4} \mathrm{O}\right) \mathrm{P}(\mathrm{O})\left[\mathrm{NHCH}_{2} \mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{~N}\left(\mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{5}\right)\right]$ ( $50 \%$ probability ellipsoids).



Fig. 3. Molecular structure and atom-labelling scheme for compound 10, $\mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{5} \mathrm{~N}(\mathrm{H}) \mathrm{P}(\mathrm{O})\left[\mathrm{NHCH}_{2} \mathrm{C}\left(\mathrm{CH}_{3}\right)_{2} \mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{NH}\right]$ ( $50 \%$ probability ellipsoids).


Fig. 4. Molecular structure and atom-labelling scheme for compound 11, $4-\mathrm{NO}_{2}-\mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{4} \mathrm{~N}(\mathrm{H}) \mathrm{P}(\mathrm{O})\left[\mathrm{NHCH}_{2} \mathrm{C}\left(\mathrm{CH}_{3}\right)_{2} \mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{NH}\right]$ ( $50 \%$ probability ellipsoids).

Substituent effect on ${ }^{2} J(P, C)$ : In compounds 5-8, both ${ }^{2} J\left(\mathrm{P}, \mathrm{C}^{1}\right)$ and ${ }^{2} J(\mathrm{PNH})$ coupling constants vary with different substituents in the following order: $\mathrm{CF}_{3} \mathrm{C}(\mathrm{O}) \mathrm{N}(\mathrm{H})>\mathrm{C}_{6}$ $\mathrm{H}_{5} \mathrm{C}(\mathrm{O}) \mathrm{N}(\mathrm{H})>4-\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{4}-\mathrm{O}>4-\mathrm{NO}_{2}-\mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{4} \mathrm{NH}$. Similarly, the highest value of ${ }^{2} J\left(\mathrm{P}, \mathrm{C}^{2}\right)$ was revealed for compound 5 with the $\mathrm{CF}_{3} \mathrm{C}(\mathrm{O}) \mathrm{N}(\mathrm{H})$ substituent. ${ }^{2} J\left(\mathrm{P}, \mathrm{C}^{2}\right)$ values were observed in the sequence $\mathrm{CF}_{3} \mathrm{C}(\mathrm{O}) \mathrm{N}(\mathrm{H})>$ $\mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{5} \mathrm{C}(\mathrm{O}) \mathrm{N}(\mathrm{H})>4-\mathrm{NO}_{2}-\mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{4} \mathrm{NH}>4-\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{4}-\mathrm{O}$.

Table 3
Crystallographic data for compounds 7 and 10-12

|  | 7 | 10 | 11 | 12 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Empirical formula | $\mathrm{C}_{15} \mathrm{H}_{17} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{2} \mathrm{P}$ | $\mathrm{C}_{11} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{~N}_{3} \mathrm{OP}$ | $\mathrm{C}_{11} \mathrm{H}_{17} \mathrm{~N}_{4} \mathrm{O}_{3} \mathrm{P}$ | $\mathrm{C}_{12} \mathrm{H}_{19} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{2} \mathrm{P}$ |
| Formula weight | 288.28 | 239.25 | 284.26 | 254.26 |
| Temperature (K) | 120(2) | 120(2) | 120(2) | 120(2) |
| Wavelength (A) | 0.71073 | 0.71073 | 0.71073 | 0.71073 |
| Crystal system, space group | orthorhombic, Pna2(1) | monoclinic, $P 2{ }_{1} / c$ | monoclinic, $P 2{ }_{1} / c$ | monoclinic, $P 2_{1} / c$ |
| Unit cell dimensions |  |  |  |  |
| $a(\AA)$ | 15.348(4) | 10.853(3) | 14.084(3) | 11.8400(11) |
| $b(\AA)$ | 13.981(3) | 9.139(3) | 9.6692(18) | $8.9365(8)$ |
| $c(\AA)$ | 6.6695(16) | 25.091(7) | 9.8710 (19) | 12.7536(12) |
| $\alpha\left({ }^{\circ}\right)$ | 90.0 | 90.0 | 90.0 | 90.0 |
| $\beta\left({ }^{\circ}\right)$ | 90.0 | 98.274(6) | 92.759(4) | 104.122(2) |
| $\gamma\left(^{\circ}\right.$ ) | 90.0 | 90.0 | 90.0 | 90.0 |
| $V\left(\AA^{3}\right)$ | 1431.1(6) | 2462.8(11) | 1342.6(4) | 1308.7(2) |
| $Z$, calculated density ( $\mathrm{Mg} \mathrm{m}^{-3}$ ) | 4,1.338 | 8, 1.291 | 4,1.406 | 4, 1.291 |
| Absorption coefficient ( $\mathrm{mm}^{-1}$ ) | 0.195 | 0.208 | 0.215 | 0.203 |
| $F(000)$ | 608 | 1024 | 600 | 544 |
| Crystal size ( $\mathrm{mm}^{3}$ ) | $0.50 \times 0.35 \times 0.25$ | $0.35 \times 0.29 \times 0.21$ | $0.32 \times 0.29 \times 0.21$ | $0.4 \times 0.3 \times 0.08$ |
| $\theta$ Range for data collection ( ${ }^{\circ}$ ) | $1.97-27.50$ | 1.90-30.01 | 2.56-30.06 | $2.81-30.05$ |
| Limiting indices | $\begin{aligned} & -19 \leqslant h \leqslant 19 \\ & -18 \leqslant \mathrm{k} \leqslant 18 \\ & -8 \leqslant l \leqslant 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & -15 \leqslant h \leqslant 15, \\ & -12 \leqslant k \leqslant 11, \\ & -35 \leqslant l \leqslant 34 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & -19 \leqslant h \leqslant 19, \\ & -13 \leqslant \mathrm{k} \leqslant 12, \\ & -13 \leqslant l \leqslant 13 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & -14 \leqslant h \leqslant 16, \\ & -12 \leqslant k \leqslant 11, \\ & -17 \leqslant l \leqslant 17 \end{aligned}$ |
| Reflections collected/unique [ $R_{\text {int }}$ ] | 9981/2943 [0.0299] | 22982/7118 [0.0485] | 15405/3901 [0.0332] | 9946/3746 [0.0270] |
| Completeness to $\theta$ (\%) | (27.50 ${ }^{\circ} 93.7$ | (30.01 ${ }^{\circ}$ ) 99.1 | (30.06 ${ }^{\circ} 99.0$ | (30.05 ${ }^{\circ} 97.9$ |
| Absorption correction | semi-empirical from equivalents | semi-empirical from equivalents | semi-empirical from equivalents | semi-empirical from equivalents |
| Refinement method | full-matrix least-squares on $F^{2}$ | full-matrix least-squares on $F^{2}$ | full-matrix least-squares on $F^{2}$ | full-matrix least-squares on $F^{2}$ |
| Data/restraints/parameters | 2943/1/181 | 7118/0/317 | 3901/0/174 | 3746/0/154 |
| Goodness-of-fit on $F^{2}$ | 1.035 | 1.040 | 1.009 | 1.002 |
| Final $R$ indices | $\begin{aligned} & R_{1}=0.0388 \\ & w R_{2}=0.0821 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & R_{1}=0.0559 \\ & w R_{2}=0.1278 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & R_{1}=0.0546 \\ & w R_{2}=0.1237 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & R_{1}=0.0482 \\ & w R_{2}=0.1141 \end{aligned}$ |
| $R$ indices (all data) | $\begin{aligned} & R_{1}=0.0495 \\ & w R_{2}=0.0858 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & R_{1}=0.0700 \\ & w R_{2}=0.1342 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & R_{1}=0.0697 \\ & w R_{2}=0.1301 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & R_{1}=0.0536 \\ & w R_{2}=0.1175 \end{aligned}$ |
| Absolute structure parameter | 0.09(9) |  |  |  |
| Maximum and minimum transmission | 0.928 and 0.741 | 0.862203 and 0.600168 | 0.801651 and 0.679937 | 0.984 and 0.923 |
| Largest difference in peak and hole (e $\AA^{-3}$ ) | 0.359 and -0.189 | 0.659 and -0.405 | 0.512 and -0.376 | 0.384 and -0.337 |

Table 4
Selected bond lengths $(\AA)$ and angles $\left({ }^{\circ}\right)$ for compounds 7 and 10-12

| $\mathbf{7}$ |  | $\mathbf{1 0}$ | $\mathbf{1 1}$ | $\mathbf{1 2}$ |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{O}(1)$ | $1.4724(17)$ | $\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{O}(1)$ | $1.4883(13)$ | $\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{O}(1)$ | $1.4730(14)$ | $\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{O}(1)$ | $1.4737(10)$ |
| $\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{O}(2)$ | $1.6140(15)$ | $\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(2)$ | $1.6512(15)$ | $\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(1)$ | $1.6386(17)$ | $\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(1)$ | $1.6191(12)$ |
| $\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(1)$ | $1.6718(16)$ | $\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(9)$ | $1.6522(16)$ | $\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(7)$ | $1.6325(16)$ | $\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{O}(2)$ | $1.6226(10)$ |
| $\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(2)$ | $1.6142(19)$ | $\mathrm{P}\left(1^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{O}\left(1^{\prime}\right)$ | $1.4862(13)$ | $\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(8)$ | $1.6708(15)$ | $\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(2)$ | $1.6275(13)$ |
| $\mathrm{O}(2)-\mathrm{C}(9)$ | $1.399(3)$ | $\mathrm{P}\left(1^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{N}\left(9^{\prime}\right)$ | $1.6537(16)$ | $\mathrm{O}(16)-\mathrm{N}(15)$ | $1.245(2)$ | $\mathrm{O}(2)-\mathrm{C}(6)$ | $1.4103(17)$ |
| $\mathrm{N}(1)-\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(2)$ | $95.82(9)$ | $\mathrm{O}(1)-\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(2)$ | $109.69(8)$ | $\mathrm{O}(1)-\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(1)$ | $112.06(8)$ | $\mathrm{O}(1)-\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(1)$ | $115.28(6)$ |
| $\mathrm{O}(1)-\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{O}(2)$ | $105.25(9)$ | $\mathrm{O}(1)-\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(9)$ | $111.37(8)$ | $\mathrm{O}(1)-\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(7)$ | $114.60(9)$ | $\mathrm{O}(1)-\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{O}(2)$ | $111.65(6)$ |
| $\mathrm{O}(1)-\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(1)$ | $118.69(9)$ | $\mathrm{N}(2)-\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(9)$ | $110.11(8)$ | $\mathrm{O}(1)-\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(8)$ | $113.35(8)$ | $\mathrm{N}(1)-\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{O}(2)$ | $104.39(6)$ |
| $\mathrm{O}(2)-\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(1)$ | $106.89(8)$ | $\mathrm{O}\left(1^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{P}\left(1^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{N}\left(2^{\prime}\right)$ | $114.93(8)$ | $\mathrm{N}(1)-\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(7)$ | $105.41(8)$ | $\mathrm{O}(1)-\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(2)$ | $114.92(6)$ |
| $\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{O}(2)-\mathrm{C}(9)$ | $121.92(12)$ | $\mathrm{O}\left(1^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{P}\left(1^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{N}\left(8^{\prime}\right)$ | $109.74(8)$ | $\mathrm{N}(1)-\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(8)$ | $105.16(8)$ | $\mathrm{N}(1)-\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(2)$ | $106.41(6)$ |
| $\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(1)-\mathrm{C}(3)$ | $125.65(14)$ | $\mathrm{N}\left(8^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{P}\left(1^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{N}\left(2^{\prime}\right)$ | $105.62(8)$ | $\mathrm{N}(7)-\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(8)$ | $105.45(8)$ | $\mathrm{O}(2)-\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(2)$ | $102.95(6)$ |
| $\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(1)-\mathrm{C}(1)$ | $111.23(13)$ | $\mathrm{O}\left(1^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{P}\left(1^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{N}\left(9^{\prime}\right)$ | $111.52(8)$ | $\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(8)-\mathrm{C}(12)$ | $126.54(12)$ | $\mathrm{C}(6)-\mathrm{O}(2)-\mathrm{P}(1)$ | $118.56(8)$ |
| $\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(2)-\mathrm{C}(2)$ | $111.80(14)$ | $\mathrm{N}\left(2^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{P}\left(1^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{N}\left(9^{\prime}\right)$ | $104.51(8)$ | $\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(7)-\mathrm{C}(7)$ | $119.74(13)$ | $\mathrm{C}(1)-\mathrm{N}(1)-\mathrm{P}(1)$ | $117.89(9)$ |

${ }^{2,3} J(P, C)_{\text {aliphatic }}$ : In compounds $\mathbf{1 0}-\mathbf{1 2},{ }^{3} J(\mathrm{P}, \mathrm{C})_{\text {aliphatic }}>$ ${ }^{2} J(\mathrm{P}, \mathrm{C})_{\text {aliphatic. }}$. Also, ${ }^{2} J(\mathrm{P}, \mathrm{C})_{\text {aliphatic }}$ in compound 7 is greater than that of compound $\mathbf{1 2}$, due to the ring size effect.
${ }^{31} P$ NMR study: In diazaphospholes with a five-membered ring heterocycle, the P atoms are more deshielded than those of diazaphosphorinanes with a six-membered ring (Table 1). By considering the high value coupling constants in diazaphospholes, it seems that the deshielded phosphorus atoms in diazaphospholes have a significant interaction with the H atoms.
$2 D H S Q C{ }^{1} H_{-}^{15} N$ : The 2D HSQC ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}^{-15} \mathrm{~N}$ spectrum for 3 (Fig. 1) indicates the endocyclic N atoms are observed at 59.4 and 60.1 ppm , and $\mathrm{NO}_{2}$ and NH nitrogen atoms in the $4-\mathrm{NO}_{2} \mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{4} \mathrm{NH}$ moiety are at 75.0 and 75.2 ppm . The spectra of compounds $\mathbf{1 0} \mathbf{- 1 2}$ showed that the aliphatic N atoms appear upfield (at about 20 ppm ) and the aromatic N atoms of $\mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{5} \mathrm{NH}$ and $4-\mathrm{NO}_{2} \mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{4} \mathrm{NH}$ groups (in 10, 11) are downfield (at 61.4 and 75.4 ppm , respectively).

## 4. Mass spectroscopy investigation

Mass spectra of compounds with the general formula $\mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{5} \mathrm{C}(\mathrm{O}) \mathrm{N}(\mathrm{H}) \mathrm{P}(\mathrm{O}) \mathrm{R}(\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{2}, 4,6$ and 9) show a fragment ion at $m / z=103$, which in compounds $\mathbf{2}, \mathbf{4}, \mathbf{6}$ and 9 are base peaks, and is assigned to $\mathrm{PhCN}^{+}$. In earlier work, Lapidot and Samuel reported on the pyrolysis of N benzoyl phosphoramidates that led to PhCN and the related amidophosphoric acids [20]. Mass spectra of these compounds also show the presence of related amidophosphoric acid cations, with high intensity. In compound 1, the cation $\left(\mathrm{P}(\mathrm{O})(\mathrm{OH})\left(2-\mathrm{NH}-\mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{4}-\mathrm{NH}\right)^{+}\right)$is the base peak. It is assumed that the fragmentation pathway contains $\mathrm{P}-\mathrm{N}$ cleavage and $\mathrm{P}-\mathrm{O}$ formation and then the rearranged molecule is cleaved in a pseudo McLafferty mechanism to PhCN and the related amidophosphoric acid cations, see Scheme 2 for compound 1. The $m / z$ values and the intensities of the amidophosphoric acid fragments of these compounds are given in Table 2. In the next step, a water molecule is removed from the amidophosphoric acid.

### 4.1. X-ray crystallography

Single crystals of 7 were obtained from a mixture of methanol/acetonitrile and those of $\mathbf{1 0} \mathbf{- 1 2}$ from a mixture of methanol/n-heptane, at room temperature. The structures of these compounds are shown in Figs. 2-5, respectively. Crystallographic data and structure refinement parameters are listed in Table 3 and selected bond lengths and angles are presented in Table 4. The hydrogen bonding data are given in Table 5.

The nitrogen atom environments in the structure of 7 are nearly planar. The sum of the surrounding angles around $\mathrm{N}(1)$ and $\mathrm{N}(2)$ are slightly lower than $\mathrm{sp}^{2}$ angles, $358.38^{\circ}$ and $356.31^{\circ}$, respectively. $\mathrm{P}-\mathrm{N}$ bonds in this molecule are smaller than a $\mathrm{P}-\mathrm{N}$ single bond (1.77 $\AA$ ) [21]; also, $\mathrm{P}-\mathrm{N}_{\text {aliphatic }}(1.614 \AA)$ is stronger than $\mathrm{P}-\mathrm{N}_{\text {aromatic }}$ $(1.672 \AA)$. The angle $\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{O}(2)-\mathrm{C}(9)$ is $121.92(12)^{\circ}\left(\mathrm{sp}^{2}\right.$ angle). Compound $\mathbf{1 0}$ exists as two independent molecules ( $\mathbf{1 0}$ and $\mathbf{1 0}^{\prime}$ ) in the crystal lattice. The endocyclic nitrogen atoms in compounds $\mathbf{1 0}-\mathbf{1 2}$ are distorted from planarity. The deviations from planarity in these structures are larger than that of diazaphosphole 7 and previously reported phodsphoramidates [19,22]. The sum of the angles around the endocyclic N atoms in compounds $\mathbf{1 0 - 1 2}$ (that are in the range of $352.76^{\circ}-338.59^{\circ}$ ) are lower than those of diazaphosphole 7. The exocyclic nitrogen atoms of aniline and nitroaniline groups are relatively planar. $\mathrm{P}-\mathrm{N}$ bonds in these molecules are in the range $1.6708(15)-1.6192(12) \AA$ (smaller than a $\mathrm{P}-\mathrm{N}$ single bond). The $\mathrm{P}=\mathrm{O}$ bond lengths in these molecules are slightly longer than the PO double bond length $(1.45 \AA)$ [21]. This bond is in an equatorial position. The equatorial preference for the $\mathrm{P}=\mathrm{O}$ bond was previously observed by Bentrude [23] and was attributed to the overlap of the endocyclic nitrogen p-orbital with the $\mathrm{P}-\mathrm{N}$ (exocyclic) anti-bonding orbital.

Hydrogen bonds: Compound 7 forms an infinite zigzag chain via an intermolecular $-\mathrm{P}=\mathrm{O} \ldots \mathrm{H}-\mathrm{N}-$ hydrogen bond. In diazaphosphorinane 10, each independent molecule is connected to its symmetrically similar molecule via two equal $-\mathrm{P}=\mathrm{O} \ldots \mathrm{H}-\mathrm{N}-$ hydrogen bonds and produces a centrosymmetric dimer in the crystal lattice, $\mathrm{P}(1)-$

Table 5
Hydrogen bonds D-H...A for compounds 7 and 10-12

| Compound | D-H...A | $d(\mathrm{D}-\mathrm{H})$ | $d$ ( $\mathrm{H} . . \mathrm{A}$ ) | $\angle \mathrm{DHA}$ | $d$ ( $\mathrm{D} . . \mathrm{A}$ ) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 7 | N2-H2N. . $\mathrm{O} 1[-x,-y+1, z-1 / 2]$ | 0.936 | 1.916 | 170.42 | 2.843 |
| 10 | N8-H8N ${ }^{\prime} \ldots . . \mathrm{O}^{\prime}[-x,-y+1,-z]$ | 0.811 | 2.139 | 170.98 | 2.943 |
|  | N2-H2N...O1 $[-x+1,-y,-z]$ | 0.888 | 2.078 | 167.51 | 2.950 |
|  | N8-H8N...N8' $[-x,-y+1,-z]$ | 0.840 | 2.441 | 156.90 | 3.231 |
|  | N9'-H9N ${ }^{\prime} \ldots . . \mathrm{Ol}[x, y+1, z]$ | 0.881 | 1.960 | 175.93 | 2.839 |
|  | N9-H9N... $\mathrm{Ol}^{\prime}$ | 0.829 | 2.020 | 174.80 | 2.846 |
|  | $\mathrm{N} 2^{\prime}-\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{~N}^{\prime} \ldots \mathrm{N} 2[-x+1,-y+1,-z]$ | 0.828 | 2.479 | 159.81 | 3.269 |
| 11 | N8-H8N...O1 $[-x,-y+1 / 2,-z+1 / 2]$ | 0.806(2) | 2.033(4) | 165.57(1) | 2.820(4) |
|  | N1-H1N...O16 [-x+1, -y, -z+1] | 0.854(2) | $2.316(4)$ | 161.97(1) | $2.139(4)$ |
|  | N7-H7N...O16 [ $-x+1,-y+1 / 2,-z+3 / 2]$ | 0.876(2) | 2.279(4) | 145.14(1) | $3.039(4)$ |
| 12 | N1-H1N...O1 $[-x+1,-y+2,-z]$ | 0.86 | 1.99 | 176 | 2.841(2) |
|  | N2-H2N...O2 $[-x+1,-y+1,-z]$ | 0.78 | 2.46 | 156 | 3.183(2) |

$\mathrm{O}(1) \ldots \mathrm{H}(2 \mathrm{~N})-\mathrm{N}(2)$ and $\mathrm{P}\left(1^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{O}\left(1^{\prime}\right) \ldots \mathrm{H}\left(8 \mathrm{~N}^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{N}\left(8^{\prime}\right)$ hydrogen bonds in $\mathbf{1 0}$ and $\mathbf{1 0}^{\prime}$. These dimeric aggregates are connected to each other to form a 2D polymer. Each


Fig. 5. Molecular structure and atom-labelling scheme for compound 12, $4-\mathrm{CH}_{3}-\mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{4} \mathrm{OP}(\mathrm{O})\left[\mathrm{NHCH}_{2} \mathrm{C}\left(\mathrm{CH}_{3}\right)_{2} \mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{NH}\right]$ ( $50 \%$ probability ellipsoids).


Fig. 6. Each dimer of $\mathbf{1 0}^{\prime}$ is placed between four dimers of $\mathbf{1 0}$.
dimer of $\mathbf{1 0}$ is connected to two dimers of $\mathbf{1 0}^{\prime}$ by two equal $\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{O}(1) \ldots \mathrm{H}\left(9 \mathrm{~N}^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{N}\left(9^{\prime}\right) \mathrm{H}$-bonds and then connected to the two other dimers of $\mathbf{1 0}^{\prime}$ by two other equal $\mathrm{P}\left(1^{\prime}\right)-$ $\mathrm{O}\left(1^{\prime}\right) \ldots \mathrm{H}(9 \mathrm{~N})-\mathrm{N}(9) \mathrm{H}$-bonds. Therefore, one dimer of $\mathbf{1 0}$ is placed between four dimers of $\mathbf{1 0}^{\prime}$ and vice versa, Fig. 6. Furthermore two weak $\mathrm{P}\left(1^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{N}\left(8^{\prime}\right) \ldots \mathrm{H}(8 \mathrm{~N})-\mathrm{N}(8)$ and $\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{N}(2) \ldots \mathrm{H}\left(2 \mathrm{~N}^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{N}\left(2^{\prime}\right) \mathrm{H}$-bonds are produced in the packing. Compound $\mathbf{1 1}$ exists as a two dimensional polymer in the crystal lattice via $-\mathrm{P}=\mathrm{O} \ldots \mathrm{H}-\mathrm{N}-$ and $-\mathrm{N}-$ $\mathrm{O} . . \mathrm{H}-\mathrm{N}-$ hydrogen bonds. Compound $\mathbf{1 2}$ forms centrosymmetric dimers via two equal $\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{O}(1) \ldots \mathrm{H}(1 \mathrm{~N})-\mathrm{N}(1)$ hydrogen bonds and these dimers are connected via a weak H-bonds, $\mathrm{P}(1)-\mathrm{O}(2) \ldots \mathrm{H}(2 \mathrm{~N})-\mathrm{N}(2)$.

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## Appendix A. Supplementary material

CCDC 247599, 247080, 247082 and 247081 contain the supplementary crystallographic data for $7\left(\mathrm{C}_{15} \mathrm{H}_{17} \mathrm{~N}_{2}-\right.$ $\left.\mathrm{O}_{2} \mathrm{P}_{1}\right), 10\left(\mathrm{C}_{11} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{~N}_{3} \mathrm{OP}\right), 11\left(\mathrm{C}_{11} \mathrm{H}_{17} \mathrm{~N}_{4} \mathrm{O}_{3} \mathrm{P}\right)$ and $\mathbf{1 2}$ $\left(\mathrm{C}_{12} \mathrm{H}_{19} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{2} \mathrm{P}\right)$. These data can be obtained free of charge via http://www.ccdc.cam.ac.uk/conts/retrieving.html, or from the Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre, 12 Union Road, Cambridge CB2 1EZ, UK; fax: $(+44)$ 1223-336-033; or e-mail: deposit@ccdc.cam.ac.uk. Spectroscopic data of compounds $\mathbf{1} \mathbf{- 1 2}$ can be obtained as supplementary material. Supplementary data associated with this article can be found, in the online version, at doi:10.1016/ j.poly.2006.09.092.

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