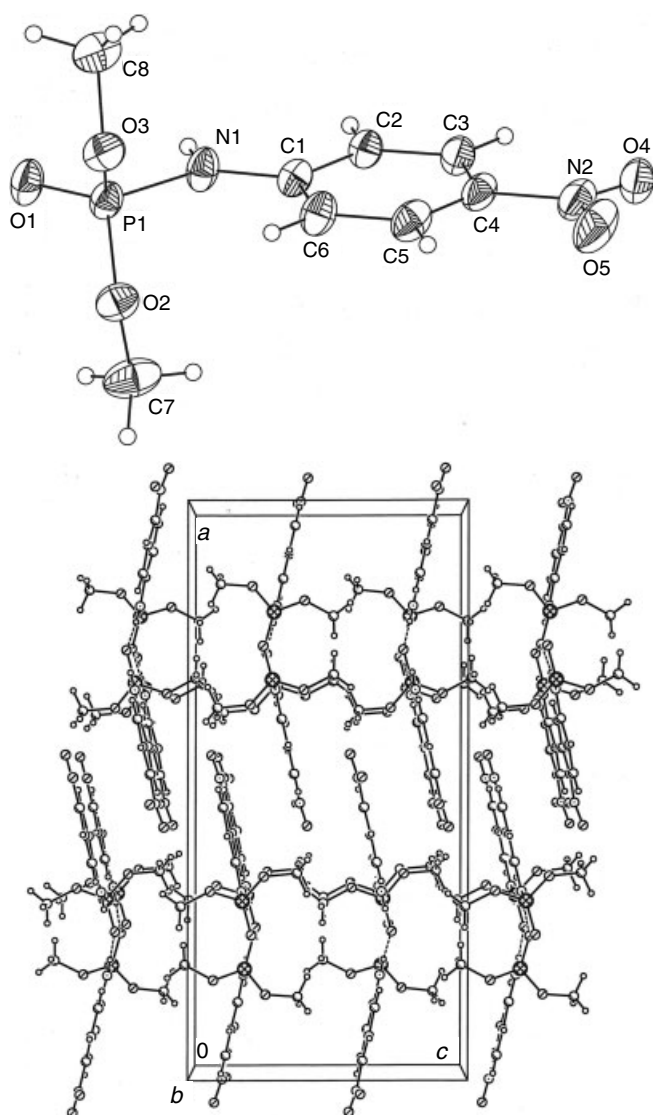


# Refinement of the crystal structure of *N*-4-nitrophenylphosphoramidic acid dimethyl ester, $(\text{CH}_3\text{O})_2\text{PONHC}_6\text{H}_4\text{NO}_2$ , at 120 K

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Elemental analysis: found – C, 38.95 %; H, 4.46 %; N, 11.41 %; calc. for  $\text{C}_8\text{H}_{11}\text{N}_2\text{O}_5\text{P}$  – C, 39.03 %; H, 4.50 %; N, 11.38 %.

## Discussion

Phosphoramidic acid esters have attracted attention due to their synthetic and biological applications [3,4]. So far, the structures have been determined only for a few molecules of this series [5]. Here, we report the crystal structure of *N*-4-nitrophenyl phosphoramidic acid dimethyl ester at 120 K which confirms the result at 283 K – 303 K [1]. Methoxy groups in this structure (figure, top) have *syn* orientation to each other. Molecule is obtained as polymeric chain produced by  $-\text{P}=\text{O}\cdots\text{H}-\text{N}-$  hydrogen bond (figure, bottom). Furthermore, there are  $\text{C}2-\text{H}2\text{A}\cdots\text{O}1'$  and  $\text{C}7-\text{H}7\text{A}\cdots\text{O}4'$  weak hydrogen bonds in the crystal with  $d(\text{C}2\cdots\text{O}1') = 3.352 \text{ \AA}$ ,  $\angle\text{C}2-\text{H}2\text{A}\cdots\text{O}1' = 135.9^\circ$  and  $d(\text{C}7\cdots\text{O}4') = 3.302 \text{ \AA}$ ,  $\angle\text{C}7-\text{H}7\text{A}\cdots\text{O}4' = 133.6^\circ$ , respectively. Another feature of the structure is the electrostatic interaction between  $\text{N}2-\text{O}4$  in one molecule with  $\text{O}4'-\text{N}2'$  in neighboring molecule (two equivalent  $\text{N}2\cdots\text{O}4$  interactions with distances that are equal to  $2.966 \text{ \AA}$ ).

The  $\text{P}1-\text{O}2$  and  $\text{P}1-\text{O}3$  bond lengths are  $1.563(2) \text{ \AA}$  and  $1.571(2) \text{ \AA}$ , respectively, which are smaller than the  $\text{P}-\text{O}$  single bond length ( $1.64 \text{ \AA}$  [6]). The bond angles  $\text{C}7-\text{O}2-\text{P}1$  and  $\text{C}8-\text{O}3-\text{P}1$  are  $120.1(1)^\circ$  and  $121.0(1)^\circ$ , respectively, corresponding to  $sp^2$  hybridization bond angles. Also, the  $\text{P}-\text{N}$  bond length ( $1.639(2) \text{ \AA}$ ) is shorter than the  $\text{P}-\text{N}$  single bond length ( $1.77 \text{ \AA}$  [6]) and the nitrogen atom is nearly planar. The deviation from planarity can be supported by the torsion angle  $\text{H}1\text{N}-\text{P}1-\text{C}1-\text{N}1$  being about  $0.4^\circ$ . The sum of the angles around nitrogen atom is  $360.0^\circ$ . The angles  $\text{C}1-\text{N}1-\text{H}1\text{N}$  and  $\text{P}1-\text{N}1-\text{C}1$  are  $122.8^\circ$  and  $128.9^\circ$ , respectively and the angle  $\text{P}1-\text{N}1-\text{H}1\text{N}$  is smaller ( $108.4^\circ$ ). The phosphorus atom has a distorted tetrahedral coordination. The surrounding angles of  $\text{P}1$  are in the range of  $96.5^\circ - 116.9^\circ$ . The minimum and maximum values of angles are observed for angles  $\text{O}2-\text{P}1-\text{O}3$  and  $\text{O}1-\text{P}1-\text{O}2$ , respectively.

**Table 1.** Data collection and handling.

Crystal:	light yellow prism, size $0.20 \times 0.28 \times 0.31 \text{ mm}$
Wavelength:	$\text{Mo } K\alpha$ radiation ( $0.71073 \text{ \AA}$ )
$\mu$ :	$2.62 \text{ cm}^{-1}$
Diffractometer, scan mode:	Bruker SMART 1000 CCD, $\varphi/\omega$
$2\theta_{\text{max}}$ :	$59.98^\circ$
$N(hkl)_{\text{measured}}$ , $N(hkl)_{\text{unique}}$ :	16467, 3153
Criterion for $I_{\text{obs}}$ , $N(hkl)_{\text{gt}}$ :	$I_{\text{obs}} > 2\sigma(I_{\text{obs}})$ , 2254
$N(\text{param})_{\text{refined}}$ :	147
Program:	SHELXTL [7]

## Abstract

$\text{C}_8\text{H}_{11}\text{N}_2\text{O}_5\text{P}$ , orthorhombic, *Pbcn* (no. 60),  $a = 24.714(5) \text{ \AA}$ ,  $b = 7.330(1) \text{ \AA}$ ,  $c = 11.980(2) \text{ \AA}$ ,  $V = 2170.3 \text{ \AA}^3$ ,  $Z = 8$ ,  $R_{\text{gt}}(F) = 0.054$ ,  $wR_{\text{ref}}(F^2) = 0.128$ ,  $T = 120 \text{ K}$ .

## Source of material

The title compound was synthesized according to a well-established method [1,2]. Crystals were obtained from a mixture of *n*-heptane and methanol after slow evaporation at room temperature.

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**Table 2.** Atomic coordinates and displacement parameters (in Å<sup>2</sup>).

Atom	Site	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>	<i>U</i> <sub>iso</sub>
H(1N)	8 <i>d</i>	0.2972	−0.0632	0.2031	0.056
H(2A)	8 <i>d</i>	0.3466	−0.3442	0.1856	0.034
H(3A)	8 <i>d</i>	0.4267	−0.4956	0.1490	0.039
H(5A)	8 <i>d</i>	0.5022	−0.0142	0.1075	0.042
H(6A)	8 <i>d</i>	0.4215	0.1385	0.1421	0.040
H(7A)	8 <i>d</i>	0.3830	0.3398	0.4279	0.070

**Table 2.** Continued.

Atom	Site	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>	<i>U</i> <sub>iso</sub>
H(7B)	8 <i>d</i>	0.3741	0.1352	0.3944	0.070
H(7C)	8 <i>d</i>	0.3243	0.2584	0.4247	0.070
H(8A)	8 <i>d</i>	0.3253	0.3107	−0.0787	0.069
H(8B)	8 <i>d</i>	0.2686	0.3250	−0.0205	0.069
H(8C)	8 <i>d</i>	0.2991	0.1375	−0.0243	0.069

**Table 3.** Atomic coordinates and displacement parameters (in Å<sup>2</sup>).

Atom	Site	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>	<i>U</i> <sub>11</sub>	<i>U</i> <sub>22</sub>	<i>U</i> <sub>33</sub>	<i>U</i> <sub>12</sub>	<i>U</i> <sub>13</sub>	<i>U</i> <sub>23</sub>
P(1)	8 <i>d</i>	0.31166(2)	0.21461(7)	0.19758(5)	0.0215(2)	0.0241(2)	0.0372(3)	−0.0000(2)	−0.0024(2)	0.0012(2)
O(1)	8 <i>d</i>	0.25467(5)	0.2336(2)	0.2297(1)	0.0211(6)	0.0307(7)	0.0542(9)	0.0038(5)	0.0005(6)	0.0007(7)
O(2)	8 <i>d</i>	0.35437(6)	0.3094(2)	0.2744(1)	0.0289(7)	0.0341(7)	0.0350(8)	−0.0072(6)	−0.0034(6)	0.0021(6)
O(3)	8 <i>d</i>	0.32954(6)	0.3097(2)	0.0860(1)	0.0351(7)	0.0313(7)	0.0349(8)	−0.0033(6)	−0.0046(6)	0.0032(6)
O(4)	8 <i>d</i>	0.52296(7)	−0.5309(3)	0.1162(1)	0.0455(9)	0.060(1)	0.0397(9)	0.0275(8)	−0.0042(7)	−0.0057(8)
O(5)	8 <i>d</i>	0.56206(6)	−0.2734(3)	0.0769(2)	0.0271(8)	0.090(1)	0.043(1)	0.0152(8)	0.0096(7)	0.0139(9)
N(1)	8 <i>d</i>	0.32587(6)	−0.0034(2)	0.1900(2)	0.0196(7)	0.0243(7)	0.049(1)	−0.0001(6)	0.0010(7)	0.0029(7)
N(2)	8 <i>d</i>	0.52200(7)	−0.3637(3)	0.1041(2)	0.0311(9)	0.068(1)	0.0263(9)	0.0180(9)	−0.0004(7)	0.0002(9)
C(1)	8 <i>d</i>	0.37564(7)	−0.0875(3)	0.1677(2)	0.0225(8)	0.0311(9)	0.031(1)	0.0020(7)	−0.0008(7)	0.0026(8)
C(2)	8 <i>d</i>	0.37775(7)	−0.2779(3)	0.1697(2)	0.0233(8)	0.0294(9)	0.032(1)	0.0017(7)	0.0005(7)	0.0015(8)
C(3)	8 <i>d</i>	0.42544(8)	−0.3688(3)	0.1482(2)	0.0297(9)	0.037(1)	0.031(1)	0.0085(8)	−0.0013(8)	−0.0001(8)
C(4)	8 <i>d</i>	0.47160(8)	−0.2667(3)	0.1253(2)	0.0250(9)	0.052(1)	0.0224(9)	0.0113(8)	0.0012(7)	0.0017(8)
C(5)	8 <i>d</i>	0.47079(8)	−0.0794(3)	0.1230(2)	0.0230(9)	0.048(1)	0.033(1)	−0.0001(8)	0.0027(8)	0.0062(9)
C(6)	8 <i>d</i>	0.42256(7)	0.0117(3)	0.1439(2)	0.0240(8)	0.034(1)	0.041(1)	0.0007(8)	0.0027(8)	0.0071(9)
C(7)	8 <i>d</i>	0.3594(1)	0.2562(4)	0.3901(2)	0.037(1)	0.071(2)	0.034(1)	−0.018(1)	−0.004(1)	0.006(1)
C(8)	8 <i>d</i>	0.3035(1)	0.2672(4)	−0.0180(2)	0.044(1)	0.054(1)	0.041(1)	−0.002(1)	−0.009(1)	−0.000(1)

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