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# Dibromido{2-morpholino-N-[1-(2pyridyl)ethylidene]ethanamine- $\kappa^3 N, N', N''$ zinc(II)

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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; T = 298 K; mean  $\sigma$ (C–C) = 0.013 Å; R factor = 0.065; wR factor = 0.177; data-to-parameter ratio = 18.7.

In the title complex,  $[ZnBr_2(C_{13}H_{19}N_3O)]$ , the  $Zn^{II}$  atom is five-coordinated by the three N-donor atoms of the Schiff base ligand and by two Br atoms in a distorted square-pyramidal geometry. The morpholine ring adopts a chair conformation.

#### **Related literature**

For background to Schiff base complexes, see: Dhar & Chakravarty (2003); Das et al. (2006); Nayak et al. (2006). For the crystal structures of similar Schiff base-zinc(II) complexes, see: Wang (2010); Zhu et al. (2007); Li & Zhang (2004); Zhu & Yang (2008).



### **Experimental**

#### Crystal data

$[ZnBr_2(C_{13}H_{19}N_3O)]$
$M_r = 458.50$
Monoclinic, $P2_1/n$
a = 9.831 (4)  Å
b = 13.985 (6) Å
c = 12.183 (5) Å
$\beta = 106.626 \ (4)^{\circ}$

#### Data collection

Bruker SMART CCD area-detector diffractometer Absorption correction: multi-scan (SADABS; Bruker, 2001)  $T_{\min} = 0.209, T_{\max} = 0.230$ 

#### Refinement

 $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.065$  $wR(F^2) = 0.177$ S = 1.053411 reflections

 $V = 1604.9 (11) \text{ Å}^3$ Z = 4Mo Ka radiation  $\mu = 6.51 \text{ mm}^-$ T = 298 K $0.35 \times 0.32 \times 0.32$  mm

12426 measured reflections 3411 independent reflections 2159 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$  $R_{\rm int} = 0.108$ 

182 parameters H-atom parameters constrained  $\Delta \rho_{\rm max} = 1.35 \text{ e} \text{ Å}^{-3}$  $\Delta \rho_{\rm min} = -1.26 \text{ e} \text{ Å}^{-3}$ 

Data collection: SMART (Bruker, 2007); cell refinement: SAINT (Bruker, 2007); data reduction: SAINT; program(s) used to solve structure: SHELXS97 (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: SHELXL97 (Sheldrick, 2008); molecular graphics: SHELXTL (Sheldrick, 2008); software used to prepare material for publication: SHELXTL and publCIF (Westrip, 2010).

Supplementary data and figures for this paper are available from the IUCr electronic archives (Reference: SU2250).

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# Dibromido{2-morpholino-*N*-[1-(2-pyridyl)ethylidene]ethanamine- $\kappa^3 N, N', N''$ }zinc(II)

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#### Comment

In the last few years, considerable attention has focused on the preparation and properties of Schiff base complexes (Dhar & Chakravarty, 2003; Das *et al.*, 2006; Nayak *et al.*, 2006). Herein we report on the crystal structure of a new Schiff base zinc(II) complex.

The molecular structure of the title mononuclear zinc(II) complex is shown in Fig. 1. The Zn atom is five-coordinated by the three N-donor atoms of the Schiff base ligand, and by two Br atoms in a distorted square-pyramidal geometry. All the coordinate bond lengths are within normal values and are comparable to those in similar zinc(II) complexes with Schiff bases (Wang, 2010; Zhu *et al.*, 2007; Li & Zhang, 2004; Zhu & Yang, 2008). As expected, the morpholine ring adopts a chair conformation.

#### Experimental

The title complex was prepared by the reaction of 2-acetylpyridine (0.20 g, 1.65 mmol), 4-(2-aminoethyl)morpholine (0.21 g, 1.65 mmol), and zinc bromide (0.37 g, 1.65 mmol) in methanol at ambient temperature. Colourless block-like single crytals were formed by slow evaporation of the solution in air.

#### Refinement

The C-bound H-atoms were included in calculated positions and treated as riding atoms: C-H = 0.93, 0.97 and 0.96 Å for CH, CH<sub>2</sub> and CH<sub>3</sub> H-atoms, respectively, with  $U_{iso}(H) = k \times U_{eq}(C)$ , where k = 1.2 for CH and CH<sub>2</sub> H-atoms, and 1.5 for CH<sub>3</sub> H-atoms. The highest residual density peak, 1.35 e Å<sup>-2</sup>, is 0.58 Å from atom Zn1, while the deepest residual density hole, -1.26 e Å<sup>-2</sup>, is 0.62 Å from atom Br1.

#### **Figures**



Fig. 1. Molecular structure of the title compound, with displacement ellipsoids drawn at the 30% probability level.

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F(000) = 904

 $\theta = 2.3 - 25.1^{\circ}$ 

 $\mu = 6.51 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ 

Block, colourless

 $0.35 \times 0.32 \times 0.32 \text{ mm}$ 

T = 298 K

 $D_{\rm x} = 1.898 {\rm Mg m}^{-3}$ 

Mo *K* $\alpha$  radiation,  $\lambda = 0.71073$  Å

Cell parameters from 1887 reflections

#### Crystal data

[ZnBr<sub>2</sub>(C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>19</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O)]  $M_r = 458.50$ Monoclinic,  $P2_1/n$ Hall symbol: -P 2yn a = 9.831 (4) Å*b* = 13.985 (6) Å c = 12.183 (5) Å $\beta = 106.626 \ (4)^{\circ}$  $V = 1604.9 (11) \text{ Å}^3$ Z = 4

#### Data collection

Bruker SMART CCD area-detector diffractometer	3411 independent reflections
Radiation source: fine-focus sealed tube	2159 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
graphite	$R_{\rm int} = 0.108$
ω scans	$\theta_{\text{max}} = 27.0^{\circ}, \ \theta_{\text{min}} = 2.3^{\circ}$
Absorption correction: multi-scan ( <i>SADABS</i> ; Bruker, 2001)	$h = -12 \rightarrow 12$
$T_{\min} = 0.209, T_{\max} = 0.230$	$k = -17 \rightarrow 17$
12426 measured reflections	$l = -15 \rightarrow 15$

#### Refinement

Refinement on $F^2$	Primary atom site location: structure-invariant direct methods
Least-squares matrix: full	Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier map
$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.065$	Hydrogen site location: inferred from neighbouring sites
$wR(F^2) = 0.177$	H-atom parameters constrained
<i>S</i> = 1.05	$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0584P)^2 + 5.9893P]$ where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
3411 reflections	$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\rm max} < 0.001$
182 parameters	$\Delta \rho_{max} = 1.35 \text{ e} \text{ Å}^{-3}$
0 restraints	$\Delta \rho_{min} = -1.26 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$

#### 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.

	x	У	Ζ	$U_{\rm iso}$ */ $U_{\rm eq}$
Zn1	0.27265 (9)	0.91109 (6)	0.83908 (8)	0.0207 (3)
Br1	0.45896 (10)	0.79761 (8)	0.87089 (9)	0.0448 (3)
Br2	0.04314 (10)	0.86043 (7)	0.72941 (9)	0.0418 (3)
01	0.3163 (7)	0.9365 (6)	0.4853 (6)	0.0490 (19)
N1	0.2385 (7)	0.8835 (5)	1.0100 (6)	0.0247 (16)
N2	0.2537 (7)	1.0444 (5)	0.9095 (6)	0.0252 (16)
N3	0.3418 (6)	1.0118 (5)	0.7105 (5)	0.0227 (15)
C1	0.1995 (7)	0.9617 (6)	1.0565 (6)	0.0210 (18)
C2	0.1623 (9)	0.9559 (7)	1.1573 (7)	0.033 (2)
H2	0.1349	1.0105	1.1889	0.040*
C3	0.1660 (11)	0.8680 (8)	1.2116 (8)	0.044 (3)
H3	0.1394	0.8630	1.2788	0.053*
C4	0.2089 (10)	0.7900 (8)	1.1649 (8)	0.042 (3)
H4	0.2155	0.7307	1.2006	0.051*
C5	0.2422 (10)	0.8003 (7)	1.0642 (8)	0.036 (2)
Н5	0.2690	0.7460	1.0314	0.043*
C6	0.2071 (8)	1.0522 (6)	0.9937 (7)	0.0251 (19)
C7	0.1620 (9)	1.1447 (6)	1.0362 (8)	0.036 (2)
H7A	0.2439	1.1770	1.0840	0.054*
H7B	0.0967	1.1315	1.0797	0.054*
H7C	0.1167	1.1847	0.9721	0.054*
C8	0.2824 (10)	1.1260 (6)	0.8452 (8)	0.036 (2)
H8A	0.3204	1.1785	0.8969	0.043*
H8B	0.1954	1.1472	0.7902	0.043*
C9	0.3870 (10)	1.0959 (6)	0.7849 (8)	0.037 (2)
H9A	0.4031	1.1489	0.7388	0.045*
H9B	0.4764	1.0815	0.8414	0.045*
C10	0.4615 (9)	0.9792 (7)	0.6732 (8)	0.038 (2)
H10A	0.5339	0.9538	0.7384	0.045*
H10B	0.5020	1.0331	0.6434	0.045*
C11	0.4195 (12)	0.9037 (7)	0.5826 (9)	0.046 (3)
H11A	0.5026	0.8835	0.5610	0.055*
H11B	0.3829	0.8487	0.6135	0.055*
C12	0.1956 (11)	0.9629 (8)	0.5184 (8)	0.048 (3)
H12A	0.1594	0.9073	0.5485	0.057*
H12B	0.1223	0.9850	0.4516	0.057*
C13	0.2283 (9)	1.0409 (7)	0.6081 (8)	0.036 (2)
H13A	0.2573	1.0982	0.5759	0.043*

## Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters $(A^2)$

# supplementary materials

H13B	0.1432	1.0558	0.629	8 0.	043*		
Atomic displa	cement paramete	rs (Å <sup>2</sup> )					
	$U^{11}$	$U^{22}$	$U^{33}$	$U^{12}$	$U^{13}$	$U^{23}$	
Zn1	0.0158 (5)	0.0246 (5)	0.0212 (5)	-0.0006 (4)	0.0046 (4)	-0.0044 (4)	
Br1	0.0322 (6)	0.0540 (7)	0.0475 (7)	0.0094 (5)	0.0102 (5)	0.0007 (5)	
Br2	0.0264 (5)	0.0500 (6)	0.0486 (7)	-0.0049 (4)	0.0101 (4)	-0.0081 (5)	
01	0.038 (4)	0.083 (5)	0.030 (4)	0.004 (4)	0.016 (3)	-0.002 (4)	
N1	0.022 (4)	0.032 (4)	0.019 (4)	0.004 (3)	0.004 (3)	-0.001 (3)	
N2	0.024 (4)	0.027 (4)	0.022 (4)	0.000 (3)	0.001 (3)	-0.004 (3)	
N3	0.018 (3)	0.028 (4)	0.020 (4)	-0.003 (3)	0.004 (3)	0.005 (3)	
C1	0.007 (4)	0.037 (5)	0.015 (4)	0.000 (3)	-0.003 (3)	-0.005 (3)	
C2	0.025 (5)	0.049 (6)	0.027 (5)	-0.005 (4)	0.007 (4)	-0.015 (4)	
C3	0.046 (6)	0.070 (8)	0.014 (5)	-0.009(5)	0.006 (4)	0.002 (5)	
C4	0.052 (6)	0.049 (6)	0.025 (5)	-0.006 (5)	0.010 (5)	0.009 (5)	
C5	0.035 (5)	0.034 (5)	0.036 (6)	0.006 (4)	0.007 (4)	0.000 (4)	
C6	0.021 (4)	0.028 (4)	0.023 (5)	-0.003 (3)	0.002 (4)	-0.010 (4)	
C7	0.028 (5)	0.034 (5)	0.047 (6)	0.010 (4)	0.014 (4)	-0.012 (4)	
C8	0.051 (6)	0.026 (5)	0.031 (5)	-0.008 (4)	0.012 (5)	-0.006 (4)	
С9	0.040 (6)	0.032 (5)	0.037 (6)	-0.023 (4)	0.006 (4)	-0.002 (4)	
C10	0.020 (5)	0.055 (6)	0.041 (6)	-0.003 (4)	0.011 (4)	0.008 (5)	
C11	0.051 (6)	0.055 (7)	0.041 (6)	0.007 (5)	0.027 (5)	-0.003 (5)	
C12	0.043 (6)	0.072 (8)	0.023 (5)	-0.005 (5)	0.002 (5)	-0.003 (5)	
C13	0.030 (5)	0.042 (6)	0.035 (5)	0.002 (4)	0.007 (4)	0.008 (4)	
Geometric na	rameters (Å °)						
7n1 N2	(11, )	2.083(7)	C4	Н/	0.0	300	
$Z_{n1} = N2$		2.085(7)	C4—.	114 115	0.9	300	
Zn1—N3		2.233(7)	C6—	C7	0.9	07 (11)	
Zn1— $Rs1$		2.347(0) 2 3701(15)	C7—1	С7 Н7л	1.5	600	
Zn1 Br?		2.3701 (13)	C7—1	H7R	0.9	600	
01-C11		1.398(12)	C7—1	H7C	0.9	600	
01 - C12		1.393(12) 1 407 (12)	C8—1	C9	1.4	85 (13)	
N1-C5		1.334(11)	C8—1	U9 H8A	0.9	700	
N1-C1		1.337(10)	C8—1	H8R	0.9	700	
N2-C6		1 241 (11)	C9—1	H9A	0.9	700	
N2-C8		1 457 (11)	C9—1	H9B	0.9	700	
N3—C10		1 451 (11)	C10-	-C11	1.4	96 (13)	
N3—C13		1.474 (10)	C10—H10A		0.9	0.9700	
N3—C9		1.474 (10)	C10—H10R		0.9	0.9700	
C1—C2		1.380 (12)	C11–	-H11A	0.9	700	
C1—C6		1.492 (11)	C11–	-H11B	0.9	700	
C2—C3		1.391 (14)	C12–	-C13	1.5	12 (13)	
С2—Н2		0.9300	C12-	-H12A	0.9	700	
C3—C4		1.352 (14)	C12-	-H12B	0.9	700	
С3—Н3		0.9300	C13-	-H13A	0.9	700	
C4—C5		1.365 (13)	C13–	-H13B	0.9	700	
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N2—Zn1—N1	73.5 (3)	С6—С7—Н7В	109.5
N2—Zn1—N3	79.4 (3)	H7A—C7—H7B	109.5
N1—Zn1—N3	151.0 (2)	С6—С7—Н7С	109.5
N2—Zn1—Br1	133.48 (18)	H7A—C7—H7C	109.5
N1—Zn1—Br1	92.70 (17)	H7B—C7—H7C	109.5
N3—Zn1—Br1	98.80 (16)	N2—C8—C9	108.2 (7)
N2—Zn1—Br2	108.40 (19)	N2—C8—H8A	110.1
N1—Zn1—Br2	95.80 (18)	С9—С8—Н8А	110.1
N3—Zn1—Br2	102.32 (16)	N2—C8—H8B	110.1
Br1—Zn1—Br2	117.20 (6)	С9—С8—Н8В	110.1
C11—O1—C12	108.1 (7)	H8A—C8—H8B	108.4
C5—N1—C1	118.3 (8)	N3—C9—C8	113.6 (7)
C5—N1—Zn1	128.4 (6)	N3—C9—H9A	108.8
C1—N1—Zn1	113.1 (5)	С8—С9—Н9А	108.8
C6—N2—C8	123.3 (7)	N3—C9—H9B	108.8
C6—N2—Zn1	121.2 (6)	С8—С9—Н9В	108.8
C8—N2—Zn1	115.2 (5)	Н9А—С9—Н9В	107.7
C10—N3—C13	107.9 (7)	N3-C10-C11	112.0 (7)
C10—N3—C9	108.4 (7)	N3-C10-H10A	109.2
C13—N3—C9	108.8 (7)	C11-C10-H10A	109.2
C10—N3—Zn1	115.9 (5)	N3-C10-H10B	109.2
C13—N3—Zn1	115.9 (5)	C11—C10—H10B	109.2
C9—N3—Zn1	99.3 (5)	H10A-C10-H10B	107.9
N1—C1—C2	120.6 (8)	O1-C11-C10	112.0 (8)
N1—C1—C6	114.4 (7)	O1-C11-H11A	109.2
C2—C1—C6	124.9 (8)	C10-C11-H11A	109.2
C1—C2—C3	119.9 (9)	O1—C11—H11B	109.2
С1—С2—Н2	120.1	C10-C11-H11B	109.2
С3—С2—Н2	120.1	H11A—C11—H11B	107.9
C4—C3—C2	118.7 (9)	O1—C12—C13	112.0 (8)
С4—С3—Н3	120.6	O1—C12—H12A	109.2
С2—С3—Н3	120.6	C13—C12—H12A	109.2
C3—C4—C5	118.5 (9)	O1—C12—H12B	109.2
C3—C4—H4	120.7	C13—C12—H12B	109.2
C5—C4—H4	120.7	H12A—C12—H12B	107.9
N1—C5—C4	123.9 (9)	N3—C13—C12	111.5 (8)
N1—C5—H5	118.1	N3—C13—H13A	109.3
C4—C5—H5	118.1	C12-C13-H13A	109.3
N2—C6—C1	115.7 (7)	N3—C13—H13B	109.3
N2—C6—C7	125.1 (8)	С12—С13—Н13В	109.3
C1—C6—C7	119.3 (8)	H13A—C13—H13B	108.0
С6—С7—Н7А	109.5		



Fig. 1