

Synthesis and Crystal Structure of [Cu₂(OAc)₄(NCMe)₂]·2MeCN

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Copper Compound, Acetato Complex,
Crystal Structure

Tetrakis- μ -acetato-bis(acetonitrile-N)-dicopper(II) bisacetonitrile (**1**) was synthesized and characterized by IR spectroscopy and by an X-ray structure determination [Space group $P2_1/n$, $Z = 2$, lattice dimensions at -70°C : $a = 1064.2(1)$, $b = 1018.4(1)$, $c = 1088.3(1)$ pm, $\beta = 101.59(1)^\circ$, $R_1 = 0.048$]. According to the structural data the blue compound consists of centrosymmetric dimers [Cu₂(OAc)₄(NCMe)₂] and noncoordinated acetonitrile molecules.

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