

# Bromidotetrakis(2-ethyl-1*H*-imidazole- $\kappa$ N<sup>3</sup>)copper(II) bromide

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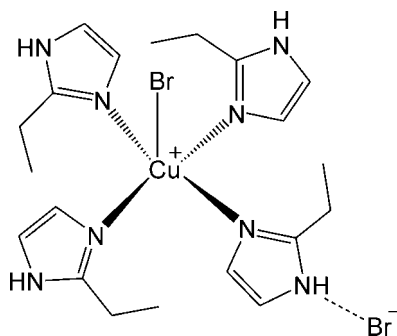
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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study;  $T = 150$  K; mean  $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.004$  Å;  $R$  factor = 0.024;  $wR$  factor = 0.060; data-to-parameter ratio = 14.3.

The Cu<sup>II</sup> ion in the title molecular salt, [CuBr(C<sub>5</sub>H<sub>8</sub>N<sub>2</sub>)<sub>4</sub>]Br, is coordinated in a square-pyramidal geometry by four N atoms of imidazole ligands and one bromide anion in the apical position. In the crystal, the ions are linked by N—H...Br hydrogen bonds involving both the coordinating and the free bromide species as acceptors. A C—H...Br interaction is also observed. Overall, a three-dimensional network results.

## Related literature

For more copper(II) complexes with bromido and imidazole ligands, see: Godlewska *et al.* (2011); Hossaini Sadr *et al.* (2004); Li *et al.* (2007); Liu *et al.* (2007); Näther *et al.* (2002*a,b*); Parker & Breneman (1995).



## Experimental

### Crystal data

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Monoclinic,  $P2_1/n$

$a = 10.1771$  (2) Å

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$\beta = 90.386$  (2)°

$V = 2549.08$  (8) Å<sup>3</sup>

$Z = 4$

Cu  $K\alpha$  radiation

$\mu = 5.06$  mm<sup>-1</sup>

$T = 150$  K

0.21 × 0.20 × 0.05 mm

### Data collection

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(Sapphire3, Gemini ultra)

diffractometer

Absorption correction: multi-scan

(*CrysAlis PRO*; Oxford

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4058 independent reflections

3719 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$

$R_{\text{int}} = 0.020$

### Refinement

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$wR(F^2) = 0.060$

$S = 1.05$

4058 reflections

284 parameters

H-atom parameters constrained

$\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 0.42$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>

$\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.34$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>

**Table 1**

Selected bond lengths (Å).

|        |             |         |             |
|--------|-------------|---------|-------------|
| Cu1—N3 | 1.9914 (19) | Cu1—N1  | 2.0250 (19) |
| Cu1—N7 | 1.9918 (19) | Cu1—Br1 | 3.0125 (4)  |
| Cu1—N5 | 2.014 (2)   |         |             |

**Table 2**

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °).

| $D-H\cdots A$               | $D-H$ | $H\cdots A$ | $D\cdots A$ | $D-H\cdots A$ |
|-----------------------------|-------|-------------|-------------|---------------|
| N2—H2...Br1 <sup>i</sup>    | 0.88  | 2.56        | 3.405 (2)   | 161           |
| N4—H4...Br2 <sup>ii</sup>   | 0.88  | 2.46        | 3.336 (2)   | 176           |
| N6—H6A...Br2                | 0.88  | 2.47        | 3.302 (2)   | 157           |
| N8—H8...Br1 <sup>iii</sup>  | 0.88  | 2.56        | 3.432 (2)   | 172           |
| C17—H17...Br2 <sup>iv</sup> | 0.95  | 2.89        | 3.653 (3)   | 138           |

Symmetry codes: (i)  $x - \frac{1}{2}, -y + \frac{3}{2}, z - \frac{1}{2}$ ; (ii)  $x - 1, y, z$ ; (iii)  $x + \frac{1}{2}, -y + \frac{3}{2}, z - \frac{1}{2}$ ; (iv)  $-x + \frac{3}{2}, y - \frac{1}{2}, -z + \frac{3}{2}$ .

Data collection: *CrysAlis PRO* (Oxford Diffraction, 2010); cell refinement: *CrysAlis PRO*; data reduction: *CrysAlis PRO*; 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: *SHELXL97*.

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**S1. Comment**

The title compound, (I), is the third in a series of similar complex compounds (Godlewska *et al.* (2011)). The complex cation features square pyramidal geometry around Cu atom with four N atoms in the basal plane and apical bromide ligand. The deviation of N—Cu—N angles from the values of 90 and 180 degrees are very small and such is the deviation of Cu atom (0.1077 Å) from the basal plane formed by the four nitrogen atoms of imidazole ligands. The complex cations and Br<sub>2</sub> anions form a three-dimensional network of interwoven NH $\cdots$ Br and CH $\cdots$ Br interactions that results in a "compact" packing of the interacting species and the relatively large density of the obtained crystals.

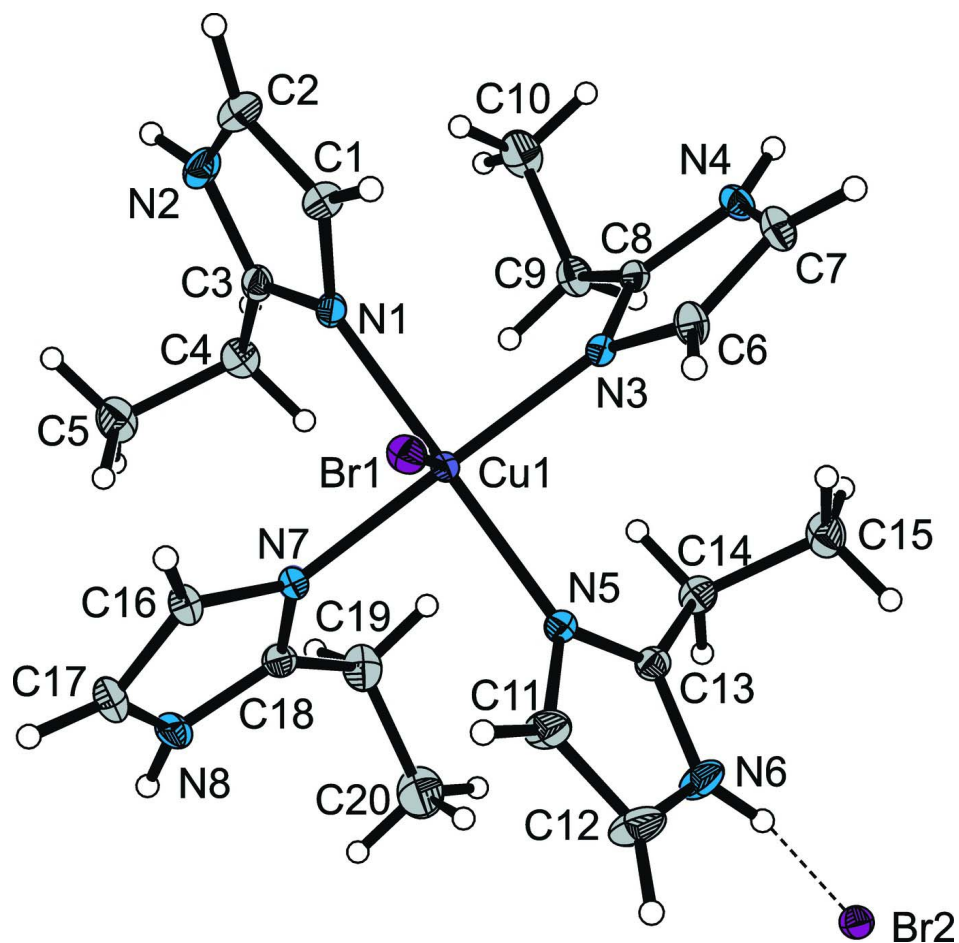
The asymmetric unit of (I) is shown in Fig. 1 and packing diagram is presented in Fig.2.

**S2. Experimental**

The title compound was prepared by adding a solution of 0.223 g (1 mmol) copper(II) bromide in 4 ml of methanol to a solution of 0.433 g (4.5 mmol) 2-ethylimidazole in 2 ml of methanol. After few days violet crystals were obtained by slow evaporation of solvent from the reaction mixture.

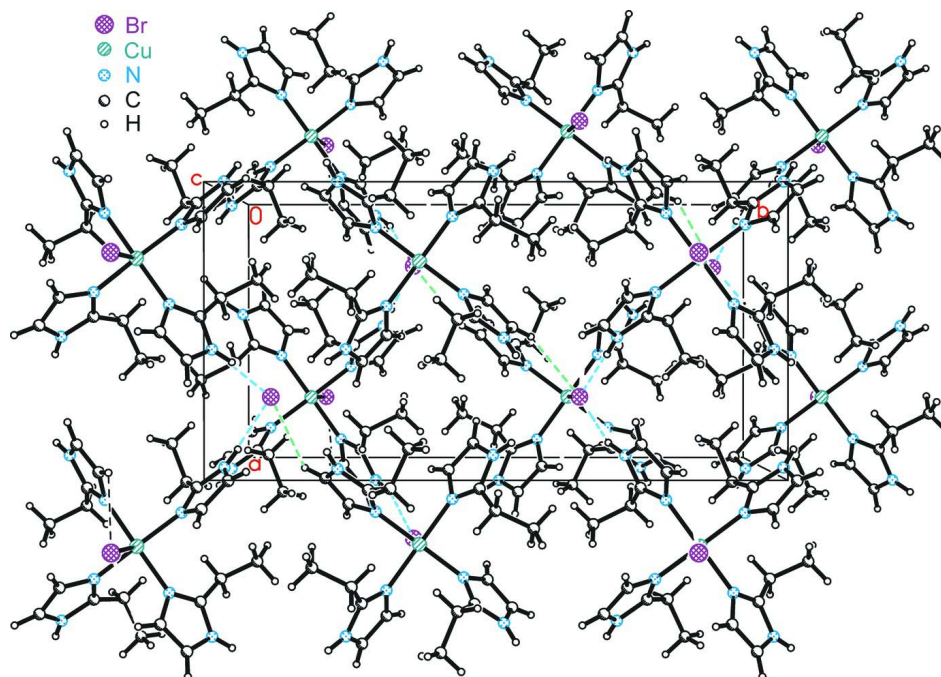
**S3. Refinement**

All C—H hydrogen atoms were refined as riding on carbon atoms with methyl C—H = 0.99 Å, methylene C—H = 0.98 Å, aromatic C—H = 0.95 Å and  $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H})=1.5U_{\text{eq}}(\text{C})$  for methyl groups and  $1.2 U_{\text{eq}}(\text{C})$  for the rest of H atoms.



**Figure 1**

The molecular structure of (I) with displacement ellipsoids drawn at the 30% probability level. Hydrogen bond indicated by the dashed line.

**Figure 2**

The crystal packing of (I). NH—Br hydrogen bonds indicated as blue dashed lines and CH—Br contacts as green dashed lines.

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Refinement on  $F^2$

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Primary atom site location: structure-invariant  
direct methods

Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier  
map

Hydrogen site location: inferred from  
neighbouring sites

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$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0323P)^2 + 1.0444P]$

where  $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$

$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\max} = 0.002$

$\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.42 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$

$\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.34 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$

Special details

**Geometry.** All s.u.'s (except the s.u. in the dihedral angle between two l.s. planes) are estimated using the full covariance matrix. The cell s.u.'s are taken into account individually in the estimation of s.u.'s in distances, angles and torsion angles; correlations between s.u.'s in cell parameters are only used when they are defined by crystal symmetry. An approximate (isotropic) treatment of cell s.u.'s is used for estimating s.u.'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  $F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)$  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.

Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2$ )

|     | $x$          | $y$           | $z$           | $U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$ |
|-----|--------------|---------------|---------------|----------------------------------|
| Cu1 | 0.24721 (3)  | 0.861967 (16) | 0.79905 (3)   | 0.01634 (9)                      |
| Br1 | 0.23840 (2)  | 0.845061 (13) | 1.036999 (19) | 0.02191 (8)                      |
| N1  | 0.08773 (19) | 0.80290 (10)  | 0.77538 (16)  | 0.0205 (4)                       |
| N2  | -0.0633 (2)  | 0.73282 (11)  | 0.71786 (18)  | 0.0298 (5)                       |
| H2  | -0.1047      | 0.7035        | 0.6774        | 0.036*                           |
| C1  | -0.0142 (2)  | 0.80070 (13)  | 0.8483 (2)    | 0.0257 (6)                       |
| H1  | -0.0181      | 0.8257        | 0.9126        | 0.031*                           |
| C2  | -0.1070 (3)  | 0.75730 (14)  | 0.8132 (2)    | 0.0321 (6)                       |
| H2A | -0.1867      | 0.7460        | 0.8478        | 0.038*                           |
| C3  | 0.0542 (2)   | 0.76125 (12)  | 0.6966 (2)    | 0.0235 (5)                       |
| C4  | 0.1271 (3)   | 0.74770 (14)  | 0.5965 (2)    | 0.0284 (6)                       |
| H4A | 0.1946       | 0.7829        | 0.5871        | 0.034*                           |
| H4B | 0.0651       | 0.7507        | 0.5357        | 0.034*                           |
| C5  | 0.1940 (3)   | 0.67900 (15)  | 0.5945 (2)    | 0.0376 (7)                       |
| H5A | 0.2570       | 0.6759        | 0.6536        | 0.056*                           |
| H5B | 0.2403       | 0.6734        | 0.5270        | 0.056*                           |
| H5C | 0.1276       | 0.6437        | 0.6016        | 0.056*                           |
| N3  | 0.12993 (18) | 0.94198 (10)  | 0.79926 (15)  | 0.0185 (4)                       |
| N4  | -0.0231 (2)  | 1.01429 (10)  | 0.75619 (17)  | 0.0234 (5)                       |
| H4  | -0.0838      | 1.0353        | 0.7188        | 0.028*                           |
| C6  | 0.1095 (2)   | 0.98466 (12)  | 0.8846 (2)    | 0.0244 (5)                       |
| H6  | 0.1547       | 0.9829        | 0.9509        | 0.029*                           |
| C7  | 0.0141 (3)   | 1.02935 (13)  | 0.8579 (2)    | 0.0271 (6)                       |
| H7  | -0.0200      | 1.0642        | 0.9013        | 0.033*                           |
| C8  | 0.0490 (2)   | 0.96163 (12)  | 0.72257 (19)  | 0.0192 (5)                       |

|      |              |               |              |             |
|------|--------------|---------------|--------------|-------------|
| C9   | 0.0401 (3)   | 0.93264 (13)  | 0.6135 (2)   | 0.0270 (6)  |
| H9A  | 0.1069       | 0.8968        | 0.6062       | 0.032*      |
| H9B  | 0.0604       | 0.9681        | 0.5609       | 0.032*      |
| C10  | -0.0951 (3)  | 0.90355 (15)  | 0.5886 (3)   | 0.0417 (8)  |
| H10A | -0.1172      | 0.8695        | 0.6418       | 0.063*      |
| H10B | -0.0943      | 0.8829        | 0.5178       | 0.063*      |
| H10C | -0.1608      | 0.9395        | 0.5900       | 0.063*      |
| N5   | 0.40712 (19) | 0.92118 (10)  | 0.81018 (16) | 0.0208 (4)  |
| N6   | 0.5637 (2)   | 0.99454 (12)  | 0.78382 (19) | 0.0340 (6)  |
| H6A  | 0.6086       | 1.0277        | 0.7556       | 0.041*      |
| C11  | 0.5028 (3)   | 0.91305 (14)  | 0.8881 (2)   | 0.0323 (6)  |
| H11  | 0.5007       | 0.8808        | 0.9437       | 0.039*      |
| C12  | 0.5992 (3)   | 0.95818 (17)  | 0.8722 (2)   | 0.0414 (8)  |
| H12  | 0.6766       | 0.9638        | 0.9140       | 0.050*      |
| C13  | 0.4484 (2)   | 0.97063 (12)  | 0.7479 (2)   | 0.0227 (5)  |
| C14  | 0.3819 (3)   | 0.99879 (13)  | 0.6518 (2)   | 0.0268 (6)  |
| H14A | 0.3141       | 0.9667        | 0.6268       | 0.032*      |
| H14B | 0.4473       | 1.0039        | 0.5944       | 0.032*      |
| C15  | 0.3173 (3)   | 1.06667 (14)  | 0.6727 (2)   | 0.0355 (7)  |
| H15A | 0.2571       | 1.0627        | 0.7329       | 0.053*      |
| H15B | 0.2681       | 1.0808        | 0.6093       | 0.053*      |
| H15C | 0.3851       | 1.1000        | 0.6893       | 0.053*      |
| N7   | 0.36498 (18) | 0.78339 (10)  | 0.77723 (16) | 0.0189 (4)  |
| N8   | 0.5199 (2)   | 0.71775 (11)  | 0.71834 (18) | 0.0270 (5)  |
| H8   | 0.5820       | 0.7013        | 0.6776       | 0.032*      |
| C16  | 0.3837 (2)   | 0.73151 (12)  | 0.8490 (2)   | 0.0245 (5)  |
| H16  | 0.3364       | 0.7253        | 0.9132       | 0.029*      |
| C17  | 0.4800 (3)   | 0.69128 (13)  | 0.8130 (2)   | 0.0302 (6)  |
| H17  | 0.5136       | 0.6522        | 0.8467       | 0.036*      |
| C18  | 0.4486 (2)   | 0.77323 (13)  | 0.6977 (2)   | 0.0237 (5)  |
| C19  | 0.4629 (3)   | 0.81532 (15)  | 0.6011 (2)   | 0.0340 (6)  |
| H19A | 0.3952       | 0.8510        | 0.6017       | 0.041*      |
| H19B | 0.4476       | 0.7872        | 0.5373       | 0.041*      |
| C20  | 0.5988 (3)   | 0.84754 (18)  | 0.5942 (3)   | 0.0557 (10) |
| H20A | 0.6180       | 0.8718        | 0.6603       | 0.084*      |
| H20B | 0.6005       | 0.8790        | 0.5342       | 0.084*      |
| H20C | 0.6651       | 0.8126        | 0.5835       | 0.084*      |
| Br2  | 0.73566 (2)  | 1.087768 (13) | 0.61807 (2)  | 0.02419 (8) |

Atomic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2$ )

|     | $U^{11}$     | $U^{22}$     | $U^{33}$     | $U^{12}$     | $U^{13}$      | $U^{23}$     |
|-----|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| Cu1 | 0.01598 (17) | 0.01449 (17) | 0.01854 (18) | 0.00071 (13) | -0.00093 (13) | 0.00029 (13) |
| Br1 | 0.02224 (14) | 0.02382 (14) | 0.01968 (14) | 0.00267 (10) | 0.00118 (10)  | 0.00369 (10) |
| N1  | 0.0216 (10)  | 0.0164 (10)  | 0.0233 (11)  | -0.0011 (8)  | -0.0030 (8)   | 0.0007 (8)   |
| N2  | 0.0298 (12)  | 0.0262 (12)  | 0.0333 (13)  | -0.0099 (10) | -0.0089 (10)  | -0.0016 (10) |
| C1  | 0.0244 (13)  | 0.0288 (14)  | 0.0240 (13)  | -0.0035 (11) | 0.0002 (10)   | 0.0001 (11)  |
| C2  | 0.0276 (14)  | 0.0350 (15)  | 0.0336 (15)  | -0.0101 (12) | -0.0004 (12)  | 0.0033 (13)  |

|     |              |              |              |               |               |              |
|-----|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|
| C3  | 0.0247 (13)  | 0.0185 (12)  | 0.0272 (13)  | -0.0005 (10)  | -0.0082 (10)  | 0.0025 (10)  |
| C4  | 0.0325 (14)  | 0.0301 (14)  | 0.0226 (13)  | 0.0025 (12)   | -0.0063 (11)  | -0.0050 (11) |
| C5  | 0.0433 (17)  | 0.0336 (16)  | 0.0359 (16)  | 0.0049 (13)   | -0.0065 (13)  | -0.0115 (13) |
| N3  | 0.0187 (10)  | 0.0160 (10)  | 0.0208 (10)  | -0.0006 (8)   | -0.0001 (8)   | 0.0006 (8)   |
| N4  | 0.0228 (10)  | 0.0220 (11)  | 0.0253 (11)  | 0.0072 (9)    | -0.0009 (9)   | 0.0045 (9)   |
| C6  | 0.0334 (14)  | 0.0208 (13)  | 0.0190 (13)  | 0.0033 (11)   | 0.0009 (10)   | -0.0029 (10) |
| C7  | 0.0346 (14)  | 0.0221 (13)  | 0.0247 (13)  | 0.0080 (11)   | 0.0042 (11)   | -0.0015 (11) |
| C8  | 0.0187 (12)  | 0.0172 (12)  | 0.0218 (12)  | -0.0002 (10)  | -0.0006 (10)  | 0.0026 (10)  |
| C9  | 0.0326 (14)  | 0.0262 (14)  | 0.0222 (13)  | 0.0048 (11)   | -0.0035 (11)  | 0.0026 (11)  |
| C10 | 0.0432 (17)  | 0.0373 (17)  | 0.0443 (18)  | 0.0062 (14)   | -0.0207 (14)  | -0.0104 (14) |
| N5  | 0.0184 (10)  | 0.0196 (10)  | 0.0243 (11)  | -0.0007 (8)   | 0.0001 (8)    | 0.0020 (9)   |
| N6  | 0.0286 (12)  | 0.0348 (13)  | 0.0384 (14)  | -0.0148 (10)  | -0.0038 (10)  | 0.0108 (11)  |
| C11 | 0.0269 (14)  | 0.0379 (16)  | 0.0320 (15)  | -0.0047 (12)  | -0.0083 (12)  | 0.0128 (13)  |
| C12 | 0.0294 (15)  | 0.055 (2)    | 0.0393 (17)  | -0.0153 (14)  | -0.0138 (13)  | 0.0157 (15)  |
| C13 | 0.0212 (12)  | 0.0240 (13)  | 0.0230 (13)  | -0.0013 (10)  | 0.0024 (10)   | -0.0025 (10) |
| C14 | 0.0288 (14)  | 0.0273 (14)  | 0.0243 (14)  | -0.0023 (11)  | 0.0034 (11)   | 0.0047 (11)  |
| C15 | 0.0418 (16)  | 0.0286 (15)  | 0.0362 (16)  | 0.0019 (13)   | 0.0009 (13)   | 0.0108 (13)  |
| N7  | 0.0191 (10)  | 0.0164 (10)  | 0.0213 (10)  | 0.0017 (8)    | 0.0003 (8)    | 0.0000 (8)   |
| N8  | 0.0240 (11)  | 0.0256 (12)  | 0.0314 (12)  | 0.0075 (9)    | 0.0041 (9)    | -0.0071 (10) |
| C16 | 0.0290 (13)  | 0.0213 (13)  | 0.0231 (13)  | 0.0039 (11)   | -0.0010 (11)  | 0.0014 (10)  |
| C17 | 0.0371 (15)  | 0.0222 (14)  | 0.0311 (15)  | 0.0091 (12)   | -0.0040 (12)  | 0.0003 (11)  |
| C18 | 0.0215 (12)  | 0.0237 (13)  | 0.0259 (13)  | 0.0007 (10)   | 0.0013 (10)   | -0.0062 (11) |
| C19 | 0.0445 (16)  | 0.0313 (15)  | 0.0264 (14)  | 0.0022 (13)   | 0.0115 (12)   | -0.0002 (12) |
| C20 | 0.050 (2)    | 0.047 (2)    | 0.070 (2)    | 0.0011 (16)   | 0.0324 (18)   | 0.0124 (18)  |
| Br2 | 0.02263 (14) | 0.02361 (14) | 0.02629 (15) | -0.00013 (10) | -0.00150 (10) | 0.00541 (10) |

*Geometric parameters (Å, °)*

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| Cu1—N3  | 1.9914 (19) | C10—H10B | 0.9800    |
| Cu1—N7  | 1.9918 (19) | C10—H10C | 0.9800    |
| Cu1—N5  | 2.014 (2)   | N5—C13   | 1.328 (3) |
| Cu1—N1  | 2.0250 (19) | N5—C11   | 1.386 (3) |
| Cu1—Br1 | 3.0125 (4)  | N6—C13   | 1.341 (3) |
| N1—C3   | 1.334 (3)   | N6—C12   | 1.373 (4) |
| N1—C1   | 1.390 (3)   | N6—H6A   | 0.8800    |
| N2—C3   | 1.351 (3)   | C11—C12  | 1.346 (4) |
| N2—C2   | 1.371 (4)   | C11—H11  | 0.9500    |
| N2—H2   | 0.8800      | C12—H12  | 0.9500    |
| C1—C2   | 1.352 (4)   | C13—C14  | 1.491 (4) |
| C1—H1   | 0.9500      | C14—C15  | 1.527 (4) |
| C2—H2A  | 0.9500      | C14—H14A | 0.9900    |
| C3—C4   | 1.490 (4)   | C14—H14B | 0.9900    |
| C4—C5   | 1.529 (4)   | C15—H15A | 0.9800    |
| C4—H4A  | 0.9900      | C15—H15B | 0.9800    |
| C4—H4B  | 0.9900      | C15—H15C | 0.9800    |
| C5—H5A  | 0.9800      | N7—C18   | 1.333 (3) |
| C5—H5B  | 0.9800      | N7—C16   | 1.385 (3) |
| C5—H5C  | 0.9800      | N8—C18   | 1.347 (3) |



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| N3—C8      | 1.323 (3)   | N8—C17        | 1.365 (4)   |
| N3—C6      | 1.386 (3)   | N8—H8         | 0.8800      |
| N4—C8      | 1.350 (3)   | C16—C17       | 1.348 (4)   |
| N4—C7      | 1.364 (3)   | C16—H16       | 0.9500      |
| N4—H4      | 0.8800      | C17—H17       | 0.9500      |
| C6—C7      | 1.358 (4)   | C18—C19       | 1.483 (4)   |
| C6—H6      | 0.9500      | C19—C20       | 1.528 (4)   |
| C7—H7      | 0.9500      | C19—H19A      | 0.9900      |
| C8—C9      | 1.490 (4)   | C19—H19B      | 0.9900      |
| C9—C10     | 1.524 (4)   | C20—H20A      | 0.9800      |
| C9—H9A     | 0.9900      | C20—H20B      | 0.9800      |
| C9—H9B     | 0.9900      | C20—H20C      | 0.9800      |
| C10—H10A   | 0.9800      |               |             |
|            |             |               |             |
| N3—Cu1—N7  | 172.13 (8)  | C9—C10—H10B   | 109.5       |
| N3—Cu1—N5  | 90.87 (8)   | H10A—C10—H10B | 109.5       |
| N7—Cu1—N5  | 89.04 (8)   | C9—C10—H10C   | 109.5       |
| N3—Cu1—N1  | 89.17 (8)   | H10A—C10—H10C | 109.5       |
| N7—Cu1—N1  | 90.31 (8)   | H10B—C10—H10C | 109.5       |
| N5—Cu1—N1  | 175.54 (8)  | C13—N5—C11    | 106.2 (2)   |
| N3—Cu1—Br1 | 93.80 (6)   | C13—N5—Cu1    | 130.70 (17) |
| N7—Cu1—Br1 | 94.06 (6)   | C11—N5—Cu1    | 122.98 (17) |
| N5—Cu1—Br1 | 91.48 (6)   | C13—N6—C12    | 108.1 (2)   |
| N1—Cu1—Br1 | 92.97 (6)   | C13—N6—H6A    | 126.0       |
| C3—N1—C1   | 106.4 (2)   | C12—N6—H6A    | 126.0       |
| C3—N1—Cu1  | 132.14 (17) | C12—C11—N5    | 109.1 (2)   |
| C1—N1—Cu1  | 121.50 (16) | C12—C11—H11   | 125.5       |
| C3—N2—C2   | 108.4 (2)   | N5—C11—H11    | 125.5       |
| C3—N2—H2   | 125.8       | C11—C12—N6    | 106.5 (2)   |
| C2—N2—H2   | 125.8       | C11—C12—H12   | 126.8       |
| C2—C1—N1   | 109.1 (2)   | N6—C12—H12    | 126.8       |
| C2—C1—H1   | 125.4       | N5—C13—N6     | 110.1 (2)   |
| N1—C1—H1   | 125.4       | N5—C13—C14    | 127.8 (2)   |
| C1—C2—N2   | 106.4 (2)   | N6—C13—C14    | 122.0 (2)   |
| C1—C2—H2A  | 126.8       | C13—C14—C15   | 112.8 (2)   |
| N2—C2—H2A  | 126.8       | C13—C14—H14A  | 109.0       |
| N1—C3—N2   | 109.6 (2)   | C15—C14—H14A  | 109.0       |
| N1—C3—C4   | 127.8 (2)   | C13—C14—H14B  | 109.0       |
| N2—C3—C4   | 122.5 (2)   | C15—C14—H14B  | 109.0       |
| C3—C4—C5   | 113.6 (2)   | H14A—C14—H14B | 107.8       |
| C3—C4—H4A  | 108.8       | C14—C15—H15A  | 109.5       |
| C5—C4—H4A  | 108.8       | C14—C15—H15B  | 109.5       |
| C3—C4—H4B  | 108.8       | H15A—C15—H15B | 109.5       |
| C5—C4—H4B  | 108.8       | C14—C15—H15C  | 109.5       |
| H4A—C4—H4B | 107.7       | H15A—C15—H15C | 109.5       |
| C4—C5—H5A  | 109.5       | H15B—C15—H15C | 109.5       |
| C4—C5—H5B  | 109.5       | C18—N7—C16    | 106.9 (2)   |
| H5A—C5—H5B | 109.5       | C18—N7—Cu1    | 127.62 (17) |



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| C4—C5—H5C     | 109.5        | C16—N7—Cu1     | 125.24 (16)  |
| H5A—C5—H5C    | 109.5        | C18—N8—C17     | 108.8 (2)    |
| H5B—C5—H5C    | 109.5        | C18—N8—H8      | 125.6        |
| C8—N3—C6      | 106.7 (2)    | C17—N8—H8      | 125.6        |
| C8—N3—Cu1     | 127.30 (16)  | C17—C16—N7     | 108.8 (2)    |
| C6—N3—Cu1     | 125.82 (16)  | C17—C16—H16    | 125.6        |
| C8—N4—C7      | 108.5 (2)    | N7—C16—H16     | 125.6        |
| C8—N4—H4      | 125.8        | C16—C17—N8     | 106.5 (2)    |
| C7—N4—H4      | 125.8        | C16—C17—H17    | 126.7        |
| C7—C6—N3      | 108.7 (2)    | N8—C17—H17     | 126.7        |
| C7—C6—H6      | 125.6        | N7—C18—N8      | 109.0 (2)    |
| N3—C6—H6      | 125.6        | N7—C18—C19     | 126.5 (2)    |
| C6—C7—N4      | 106.3 (2)    | N8—C18—C19     | 124.5 (2)    |
| C6—C7—H7      | 126.8        | C18—C19—C20    | 112.2 (3)    |
| N4—C7—H7      | 126.8        | C18—C19—H19A   | 109.2        |
| N3—C8—N4      | 109.8 (2)    | C20—C19—H19A   | 109.2        |
| N3—C8—C9      | 126.1 (2)    | C18—C19—H19B   | 109.2        |
| N4—C8—C9      | 124.0 (2)    | C20—C19—H19B   | 109.2        |
| C8—C9—C10     | 112.7 (2)    | H19A—C19—H19B  | 107.9        |
| C8—C9—H9A     | 109.1        | C19—C20—H20A   | 109.5        |
| C10—C9—H9A    | 109.1        | C19—C20—H20B   | 109.5        |
| C8—C9—H9B     | 109.1        | H20A—C20—H20B  | 109.5        |
| C10—C9—H9B    | 109.1        | C19—C20—H20C   | 109.5        |
| H9A—C9—H9B    | 107.8        | H20A—C20—H20C  | 109.5        |
| C9—C10—H10A   | 109.5        | H20B—C20—H20C  | 109.5        |
|               |              |                |              |
| N3—Cu1—N1—C3  | 118.9 (2)    | N3—Cu1—N5—C13  | -57.2 (2)    |
| N7—Cu1—N1—C3  | -53.2 (2)    | N7—Cu1—N5—C13  | 115.0 (2)    |
| Br1—Cu1—N1—C3 | -147.3 (2)   | Br1—Cu1—N5—C13 | -151.0 (2)   |
| N3—Cu1—N1—C1  | -60.63 (19)  | N3—Cu1—N5—C11  | 126.8 (2)    |
| N7—Cu1—N1—C1  | 127.22 (19)  | N7—Cu1—N5—C11  | -61.0 (2)    |
| Br1—Cu1—N1—C1 | 33.14 (18)   | Br1—Cu1—N5—C11 | 33.0 (2)     |
| C3—N1—C1—C2   | 0.7 (3)      | C13—N5—C11—C12 | 0.7 (3)      |
| Cu1—N1—C1—C2  | -179.70 (18) | Cu1—N5—C11—C12 | 177.6 (2)    |
| N1—C1—C2—N2   | -0.5 (3)     | N5—C11—C12—N6  | -0.2 (4)     |
| C3—N2—C2—C1   | 0.1 (3)      | C13—N6—C12—C11 | -0.5 (4)     |
| C1—N1—C3—N2   | -0.6 (3)     | C11—N5—C13—N6  | -1.0 (3)     |
| Cu1—N1—C3—N2  | 179.83 (16)  | Cu1—N5—C13—N6  | -177.53 (18) |
| C1—N1—C3—C4   | 177.1 (2)    | C11—N5—C13—C14 | 179.6 (3)    |
| Cu1—N1—C3—C4  | -2.5 (4)     | Cu1—N5—C13—C14 | 3.0 (4)      |
| C2—N2—C3—N1   | 0.3 (3)      | C12—N6—C13—N5  | 1.0 (3)      |
| C2—N2—C3—C4   | -177.5 (2)   | C12—N6—C13—C14 | -179.6 (3)   |
| N1—C3—C4—C5   | 107.0 (3)    | N5—C13—C14—C15 | 104.3 (3)    |
| N2—C3—C4—C5   | -75.6 (3)    | N6—C13—C14—C15 | -75.1 (3)    |
| N5—Cu1—N3—C8  | 117.5 (2)    | N5—Cu1—N7—C18  | -62.3 (2)    |
| N1—Cu1—N3—C8  | -58.1 (2)    | N1—Cu1—N7—C18  | 113.3 (2)    |
| Br1—Cu1—N3—C8 | -151.00 (19) | Br1—Cu1—N7—C18 | -153.7 (2)   |
| N5—Cu1—N3—C6  | -68.5 (2)    | N5—Cu1—N7—C16  | 111.1 (2)    |

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| N1—Cu1—N3—C6  | 115.9 (2)    | N1—Cu1—N7—C16  | -73.3 (2)    |
| Br1—Cu1—N3—C6 | 23.00 (19)   | Br1—Cu1—N7—C16 | 19.70 (19)   |
| C8—N3—C6—C7   | 0.8 (3)      | C18—N7—C16—C17 | 1.1 (3)      |
| Cu1—N3—C6—C7  | -174.24 (17) | Cu1—N7—C16—C17 | -173.44 (17) |
| N3—C6—C7—N4   | -0.4 (3)     | N7—C16—C17—N8  | -0.7 (3)     |
| C8—N4—C7—C6   | -0.2 (3)     | C18—N8—C17—C16 | 0.0 (3)      |
| C6—N3—C8—N4   | -0.9 (3)     | C16—N7—C18—N8  | -1.1 (3)     |
| Cu1—N3—C8—N4  | 174.05 (15)  | Cu1—N7—C18—N8  | 173.31 (16)  |
| C6—N3—C8—C9   | 177.0 (2)    | C16—N7—C18—C19 | 178.9 (2)    |
| Cu1—N3—C8—C9  | -8.0 (3)     | Cu1—N7—C18—C19 | -6.7 (4)     |
| C7—N4—C8—N3   | 0.7 (3)      | C17—N8—C18—N7  | 0.7 (3)      |
| C7—N4—C8—C9   | -177.3 (2)   | C17—N8—C18—C19 | -179.3 (3)   |
| N3—C8—C9—C10  | 119.5 (3)    | N7—C18—C19—C20 | 116.9 (3)    |
| N4—C8—C9—C10  | -62.9 (3)    | N8—C18—C19—C20 | -63.1 (4)    |

*Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °)*

| <i>D—H...A</i>              | <i>D—H</i> | <i>H...A</i> | <i>D...A</i> | <i>D—H...A</i> |
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| N2—H2...Br1 <sup>i</sup>    | 0.88       | 2.56         | 3.405 (2)    | 161            |
| N4—H4...Br2 <sup>ii</sup>   | 0.88       | 2.46         | 3.336 (2)    | 176            |
| N6—H6A...Br2                | 0.88       | 2.47         | 3.302 (2)    | 157            |
| N8—H8...Br1 <sup>iii</sup>  | 0.88       | 2.56         | 3.432 (2)    | 172            |
| C17—H17...Br2 <sup>iv</sup> | 0.95       | 2.89         | 3.653 (3)    | 138            |

Symmetry codes: (i)  $x-1/2, -y+3/2, z-1/2$ ; (ii)  $x-1, y, z$ ; (iii)  $x+1/2, -y+3/2, z-1/2$ ; (iv)  $-x+3/2, y-1/2, -z+3/2$ .