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DERIVATIVES OF NPCl₂(NSOCl)₂ AND (NPCl₂)₂NSOCl, PART XXV¹. REACTIONS OF NPCl₂(NSOX)₂ (X = Ph, Cl, F) WITH BIFUNCTIONAL REAGENTS

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Reactions of $NPCl_2(NSOX)_2$ (X = Ph, Cl, F) with 1,2-diaminoethane or 2-aminoethanol in a molar ratio 1:2 afford spirocyclic compounds with formula $NP[NH(CH_2)_2Y][NSOX]_2$ (Y = NH,O). Using the corresponding propane analogues as reagents, compounds $NP[NH(CH_2)_3Y][NSOX]_2$ (Y = NH,O) are obtained. The size of the spiro ring appears to affect the ³¹P NMR shift of the spiro phosphorus nucleus to a large extent. The crystal structure of $NP[NH(CH_2)_2O](NSOCl)_2$ has been determined by X-ray analysis. All the three oxygen atoms are on one side of the mean NPS-plane.

INTRODUCTION

Reaction of bifunctional reagents with the trimeric chloride, N₃P₃Cl₆ yields spirocyclic derivatives.²⁻¹⁰ In only one case the formation of a mixed ansa-spiro compound, viz. N₃P₃Cl₂(O(CH₂)₃O)₂ has been demonstrated.¹¹ An ansa derivative¹² and a spirocyclic phosphazene with a P—Fe—Fe three membered ring¹³ have also been reported. Two phosphazene rings bridged by a bifunctional reagent is also known.¹⁴

Recently, we have shown⁶ that the sulfur containing ring systems $NPCl_2(NSOX)_2$ and $(NPCl_2)_2NSOX$ (X = Ph, Cl) undergo a geminal replacement of chlorine atoms, when reacted with N,N'-dimethylethylenediamine. In this paper we report about the reactivity of systems $NPCl_2(NSOX)_2$ (X = Ph, Cl, F) towards aliphatic bifunctional reagents, varying the nature of the active groups as well as the number of bridging carbon atoms. A correlation between the ³¹P NMR chemical shift of the spiro-bound phosphorus atom and the size of the spiro ring is briefly discussed.

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

Reaction of trans-NPCl₂(NSOPh)₂ (1), cis-NPCl₂(NSOCl)₂ (2) and cis-NPCl₂(NSOF)₂ (3) with 1,2-diaminoethane in acetonitrile yield the expected spirocyclic compounds NPR₂(NSOX)₂ [X = Ph(trans), Cl(cis), F(cis)] [R₂ =

—NH(CH₂)₂—NH—]. The product obtained from the reaction of 2 and the diamine is highly moisture sensitive and decomposes to give an insoluble amorphous substance when exposed to atmospheric moisture. The decomposition is accompanied by the evolution of chlorine gas (qualitative test). The IR spectrum of this amorphous substance shows the retention of the characteristic frequency of the inorganic ring (1140, 1180 cm⁻¹), thus showing that the ring is not destroyed during reaction. A similar air-sensitive amorphous solid is obtained when 2 is treated with N,N'-dimethylethylenediamine in acetonitrile.⁶

Interestingly, the reaction of 1,3-propanediamine yields a stable product when reacted with 2. Analogous, well-defined spirocyclic compounds could be isolated from the reaction of 1 and 3 with 1,3-propanediamine.

We have also carried out the reactions of $NPCl_2(NSOX)_2$ (X = Ph, Cl, F) with 2-aminoethanol and 3-aminopropanol. Although well-defined crystalline products trans-NPR₂(NSOPh)₂[R₂ = NH(CH₂)_nO] [n = 2, 3] could be isolated from 1, the reactions with 3 always yielded a resinous mixture of products. However, cis-NPCl₂(NSOCl)₂ (2) yields a crystalline product (10) when reacted with 2-aminoethanol. Two structures A & B (as depicted below) are possible for this compound.

In order to determine the correct structure for this compound, a single crystal X-ray determination was carried out. The results are given in Figure 1 and in Table I. As can be seen from Figure 1 and Table I, the compound 10 has the structure [B] depicted above, with all the oxygen atoms on one side of the mean plane.

It is known from the reaction of 2 with primary and secondary amines that the first chlorine replaced is the one cis to the oxygen atoms on sulfur. So it is reasonable to assume that in the reaction of 2 with 2-aminoethanol, the first nucleophilic attack takes place on the oxygen side of the ring by means of the -NH₂ dent [-NH₂ being a better nucleophile than -OH]. This is followed by inversion about the phosphorus with the concurrent attack by the -OH group, on the oxygen side of the inorganic ring to form 10.

Similarly, 3-aminopropanol gives the spirocyclic compound

$$NP[NH(CH2)3O](NSOCI)2$$
(11)

when reacted with 2 in diethyl ether. Reaction in acetonitrile yields only a resinous material. By analogy, 11 is also expected to have the structure B with a six membered ring on phosphorus.

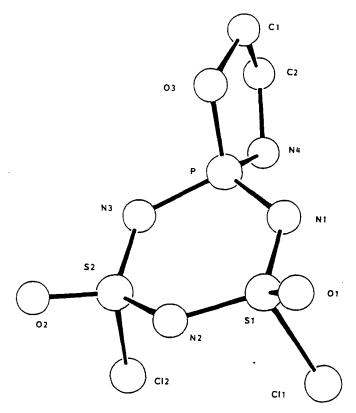


FIGURE 1. Molecular structure and adopted numbering scheme of NP[NH(CH₂)₂O](NSOCl)₂ (10).

TABLE I Selected structural data for NP[NH(CH₂)₂O](NSOCl)₂ (10)

P-N1	1.608(5) Å	N1—P—N3	111.1(3)°
PN3	1.613(6)	N1—S1—N2	116.6(3)
S1—N1	1.512(6)	N2-S2-N3	116.0(3)
S1-N2	1.574(6)	P-N1-S1	126.0(4)
S2—N2	1.584(5)	S1-N2-S2	119.8(4)
S2—N3	1.511(6)	P-N3-S2	125.6(4)
PN4	1.613(7)	N4—P—03	98.0(3)
P03	1.567(6)	01-S1-C11	104.0(3)
S1-01	1.433(5)	02-S2-C12	104.0(3)
S2—02	1.413(6)		
S1—Cl1	2.037(3)		
S2—C12	2.028(3)		

Distances of 01, 02 and 03 to the least-squares plane through PNISIN2S2N3 (equation in orthogonal coordinates -0.8741X' + 0.2977Y' - 0.3877Z' + 6.1143 = 0). 01 - 0.749, 02 - 0.598, 03 - 1.398 Å.

TABLE II

		δp	Ref
trans-NPCl ₂ (NSOPh) ₂	(1)	22.1ª	
$NP[NH(CH_2)_2NH](NSOPh)_2$	(4)	20.0 ^b	
$NP[NH(CH_2)_3NH](NSOPh)_2$	(5)	3.6 ^b	
$NP[NH(CH_2)_2O](NSOPh)_2$	(6)	22.5°	
$NP[NH(CH_2)_3O](NSOPh)_2$	(7)	4.6 ^b	
$NP[MeN(CH_2)_2NMe](NSOPh)_2$		15.0ª	[6]
cis-NPCl ₂ (NSOCl) ₂	(2)	28.6a	
$NP[NH(CH_2)_2NH](NSOCI)_2$	(8)	18.7°	
$NP[NH(CH_2)_3NH](NSOCI)_2$	(9)	8.0°	
$NP[NH(CH_2)_2O](NSOCI)_2$	(10)	27.0°	
NP[NH(CH ₂) ₃ O](NSOCI) ₂	(11)	5.2°	
NP[MeN(CH ₂), NMe](NSOCI),		14.5ª	[6]
cis-NPCl ₂ (NSOF) ₂	(3)	31.9ª	
$NP[NH(CH_2)_2NH](NSOF)_2$	(12)	27.0°	
$NP[NH(CH_2)_3NH](NSOF)_2$	(13)	10.6ª	
trans-NP(NH ₂) ₂ (NSOPh) ₂		7.1°	[20
$NP(NHEt)_2(NSOPh)_2$		6.7ª	[15
$NP(NHPr^n)_2(NSOPh)_2$		7.0 *	[15
cis-NP(NH ₂) ₂ (NSOCl) ₂		7.9°	[20
NP(NHMe) ₂ (NSOCI) ₂		10.9ª	[15
NP(NHEt) ₂ (NSOCl) ₂		7.2 ^a	[15
cis-NP(NH ₂) ₂ (NSOF) ₂		10.3°	[20
$NP(NHMe)_2(NSOF)_2$		13.0°	[15
$NP(NHEt)_2(NSOF)_2$		9.7ª	[15

[&]quot;CDCl₃; "DMSO-d₆; "CD₃CN

The ^{31}P NMR data for the known spirocyclic derivatives of the ring system NPCl₂(NSOX)₂ [X = Ph, Cl, F] along with their primary amino derivatives are summarized in Table II. As can be seen clearly, the chemical shift of the phosphorus nuclei incorporated in a five membered ring occurs at a much lower field than observed for the primary amino derivatives. The chemical shift of $\equiv P$ (spiro) in derivatives containing a six membered spiro ring is equal or slightly upfield (X = Ph). Similar observations have been made for the spirocyclic derivatives of (NPCl₂)₃ and (NPCl₂)₄. These observations can be explained from the steric strain in the five-membered ring leading to a decrease of the π -electron release from the exocyclic groups to the phosphorus atom. Similar arguments have also been advanced by Westheimer ¹⁶ to explain the rapid hydrolysis of five membered cyclic phosphate esters.

EXPERIMENTAL

General. All experiments were carried out under dry nitrogen. Solvents were purified and dried by conventional methods. 1,2-diaminoethane, 1,3-diaminopropane, 2-aminoethanol, and 3-aminopropanol were purified by distillation, the former two over KOH pellets, the latter two over molecular sieves. trans-NPCl₂(NSOPh)₂¹⁷, cis-NPCl₂(NSOCl)₂¹⁸ and cis-NPCl₂(NSOF)₂¹⁹ were prepared by previously reported methods. Elemental analyses (on C, H, N and S) were performed in the Microanalytical Department of this University under supervision of Mr. A. F. Hamminga. All compounds isolated gave satisfactory analytical data. Infrared spectra were recorded on a Hitachi-EPI-9 spectrometer using KBr discs. ³¹ P NMR spectra (proton-noise decoupled) were recorded on a Nicolet 283 A FT spectrometer

TABLE III

Reaction conditions, melting points of the products

Starting compound	$H_2N(CH_2)_nX$			Solvent for crystalli-	Yield	M. P
	n	X	Product	zation	%	°C
(1)	2	NH ₂	(4)	MeCN	24	300-
_						303
(1)	3	NH_2	(5)	MeCN	40	288-
						290
(1)	2	OH	(6) .	CH ₂ Cl ₂	27	193-
						194
(1)	3	OH	(7)	CH ₂ Cl ₂	21	166-
						168
(3)	2	NH_2	(12)	$Et_2O-nC_5H_{12}$	16	185-
		_		(3:1)		187
(3)	3	NH_2	(13)	$Et_2O-nC_5H_1$	17	140-
		_		(2:1)		142
(2)	2 3	NH_2	(8)	(a)		
(2)	3	NH_{2}	(9)	Et ₂ O-nC ₅ H ₁₂	15	153-
		*	. ,	(2:1)		155
(2)	2	OH	(10)	CH ₂ Cl ₂	13	155-
•			. ,			157
(2)	3	OH_{P}	(11)	CH ₂ Cl ₂	20	168-
. ,			, -,	<u>2</u> - · <u>2</u>		169

[&]quot;Could not be crystallized from common solvents, decomposition at 154°C (DTA); m/e = 297 (M³⁵Cl2%), 262 (M³⁵Cl $^{-35}$ Cl $^{-35}$ C

^hReaction carried out in Et₂O.

operating at 80.9 MHz using 85% $\rm H_3PO_4$ as an external reference. Low field shifts are positive. Proton NMR spectra were recorded with a Jeol C60-HL instrument using TMS as internal standard. Mass spectra were taken on an AEI MS9 spectrometer at 70 eV with an accelerating voltage of 8 kV. Single crystal X-ray studies at 298°K were performed on an Enraf-Nonius CAD4-SDP23M diffractometer, using graphite monochromated MoK α radiation ($\lambda = 0.7107$ Å). All calculations were carried out on a PDP-11/23, making use of Enraf-Nonius CAD4-SDP programs.

Preparation. 3.5 mmoles of NPCl₂(NSOX)₂ were dissolved in 30 ml acetonitrile. The solution was stirred and cooled to -17° C. 7.0 mmoles of the bifunctional reagent $H_2N(CH_2)_nY[n=2,3, Y=NH_2,OH]$ dissolved in 20 ml acetonitrile was added dropwise and the reaction mixture allowed to warm to room temperature and stirred for a further 17 hrs. After filtration of the aminehydrochloride under dry conditions, the solvent was evaporated under vacuum. The residue was recrystallized from a suitable solvent or solvent mixture. The results are summarized in Table III.

Structure determination of 10. A suitable crystal $(0.25 \times 0.23 \times 0.50 \text{ mm})$ grown from CH₂Cl₂ was glued on top of a glass fiber. 24 reflections with $14.6^{\circ} \le \theta \le 18.7^{\circ}$ were used to refine the cell parameters. The intensities of 2294 unique reflections $(1^{\circ} \le \theta \le 35^{\circ})$ were collected by the ω -2 θ scan technique, 1683 reflections having I $\ge 3\sigma(I)$. The intensities were corrected for Lorentz and polarization effects. No absorption corrections were applied. The structure was solved by direct methods (Multan 82) and refined on F by full matrix least-squares techniques with anisotropic thermal parameters. Hydrogen atoms were not included in the refinement. Convergence was reached at R = 0.067, R_w = 0.073 (w = 1). The atoms 0(3) and N(4) could be discerned unambiguously. A refinement with 0(3) = N led to a lower temperature factor, than that found for N(4) while the final difference fourier map showed two peaks at 0.2Å from N with an electron density 1.42 eÅ⁻³ (peak height elsewhere $\le 0.6eÅ^{-3}$).

Crystal data. $C_2H_5N_4O_3PS_2Cl_2$. M = 299.10. Orthorhombic spacegroup $Pna2_1$, a = 10.534(7), b = 8.892(1), c = 10.703(1) Å, V = 1002.6 Å³, Z = 4, $D_c = 1.986$ gcm⁻³, $\mu(MoK\alpha) = 11.95$ cm⁻¹, F(000) = 600.

Note. Positional and anisotropic thermal parameters, a listing of bond lengths and angles and a table of least-squares planes of the molecule are deposited with the Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre (CCDC), UK.

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