



# Structure of 2,3-dicarboxy-1-methylpyridinium chloride studied by X-ray diffraction, DFT calculation, NMR, FTIR and Raman spectra

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## ABSTRACT

The structure of 2,3-dicarboxy-1-methylpyridinium chloride (**1**) has been studied by X-ray diffraction, DFT calculations, NMR, FTIR and Raman spectra. The crystals are monoclinic, space group  $P2_1/c$ . Chloride anion links two 2,3-dicarboxy-1-methylpyridinium cations into infinite zigzag chains down the [001] direction by the  $\text{OH}\cdots\text{Cl}^-\cdots\text{HO}$  hydrogen bonds of 2.970(2) and 3.011(2) Å. Hydrogen bond lengths in single molecules (**2–4**) optimized by the B3LYP/6-311++G(d,p) approach depend on the environment and intramolecular O–H–O hydrogen bond. Linear correlations between the experimental  $^{13}\text{C}$  and  $^1\text{H}$  chemical shifts ( $\delta_{\text{exp}}$ ) of the investigated compound in DMSO- $d_6$  and the GIAO/B3LYP/6-311++G(d,p) magnetic isotropic shielding constants ( $\sigma_{\text{calc}}$ ) calculated using the screening solvation model (COSMO),  $\delta_{\text{exp}} = a + b \sigma_{\text{calc}}$ , are reported. The FTIR spectrum of the solid compound is consistent with the X-ray structure. The deformation in-plane and out-of-plane OH vibrations, both in FTIR and second-derivative ( $d^2$ ) spectra, appear as two bands consistent with the  $\text{OH}\cdots\text{Cl}^-\cdots\text{HO}$  arrangement.

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## 1. Introduction

The crystal structure of 2,3-pyridinedicarboxylic acid (quinolinic acid) was determined by X-ray [1] and neutron diffractions [2,3]. Quinolinic acid in the crystal is zwitterion (betaine) with one acidic hydrogen atom transferred to the nitrogen atom. The second acidic hydrogen atom is involved in a short intramolecular and asymmetric OHO hydrogen bond of 2.398(3) Å.

Pyridine carboxylic acids, at first heated with methyl iodide [4–6] or methyl sulfate [7] and then subjected to treatment with propylene oxide [8,9] or ion-exchange resins, Dovex-22C [5,9] or Amberlite [4], convert to carboxy-1-methylpyridinium inner salts (betaines).

In our earlier works, we have described H-bonding and electrostatic interactions in the structures of homarinium chloride [10], trigonellinium chloride [11], 4-carboxy-1-methylpyridinium chloride [12] and 3,4-dicarboxy-1-methylpyridinium chloride [13]. In this work we have synthesized 2,3-dicarboxy-1-methylpyridinium chloride (Scheme 1) and characterized it by single-crystal X-ray diffraction, FTIR, Raman and NMR spectroscopy and by DFT calculations.

## 2. Experimental and calculations

### 2.1. 2,3-Diethoxycarbonylpyridine

2,3-Pyridinedicarboxylic acid (10 g) and thionyl chloride (20 cm<sup>3</sup>) were refluxed for 2 h. Excess of thionyl chloride was evap-

orated. To the yellow crystals obtained, absolute ethanol (20 cm<sup>3</sup>) was added and the contents were refluxed for 1 h. Then ethanol was distilled off, the residue was treated with a water solution of potassium carbonate to pH 7.7–8.0, extracted with diethyl ether (5 × 30 cm<sup>3</sup>), and dried with magnesium sulfate. The solvent was distilled off and the residue redistilled under vacuum, (153 °C/1.2 mm Hg, 167–170/6 mm Hg [14] and yield 87%).

### 2.2. 2,3-Diethoxycarbonyl-1-methylpyridinium iodide

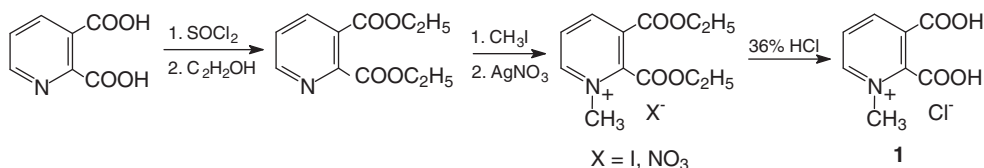
To 2,3-diethoxycarbonylpyridine (9.7 g) methyl iodide (15 g) was added and left for 4 days at room temperature. The excess of methyl iodide was evaporated and the solid yellow residue recrystallized from a 1:1 mixture of n-hexane with n-butanol; m.p. 134 °C, yield 87%. Elemental analysis calculated for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>16</sub>INO<sub>4</sub>: %N 3.84, %C 39.47, %H 4.42; found: %N 3.79, %C 39.38, %H 4.58.

### 2.3. 2,3-Diethoxycarbonyl-1-methylpyridinium nitrate

2,3-Diethoxycarbonyl-1-methylpyridinium iodide (5 g) was converted into its nitrate salt by adding aqueous solution of silver nitrate (2.3 g). Silver iodide was filtered off, water from filtrate evaporated under reduced pressure and to the solid residue absolute ethanol was added. Solvent was evaporated and the residue was recrystallized from isopropanol, m.p. 130–131 °C, yield 79%. Elemental analysis calculated for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>16</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>7</sub>: %N 9.33, %C 48.00, %H 5.37; found: %N 9.27, %C 47.83, %H 5.57.

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**Scheme 1.** Synthesis of 2,3-dicarboxy-1-methylpyridinium chloride (**1**) from 2,3-pyridinedicarboxylic acid.

#### 2.4. 2,3-Dicarboxy-1-methylpyridinium chloride (**1**)

A portion of 5 g of 2,3-diethoxycarbonyl-1-methylpyridinium nitrate was heated under reflux with excess of 36% aqueous hydrochloride for 12 h. After cooling 3.2 g of 2,3-dicarboxy-1-methylpyridinium chloride was separated and the crude white crystals were recrystallized from methanol, m.p. 236–238 °C. Elemental analysis: calculated for  $C_8H_8ClNO_4$ : %N 6.44, %C 44.16, %H 3.71; found: %N 6.35, %C 43.90, %H 3.84.

#### 2.5. Measurements and calculations

The crystals (**1**) were stable under normal conditions and the X-ray diffraction measurements were carried out on an Oxford Diffraction Super Nova diffractometer using Cu K $\alpha$  radiation at room temperature:  $\omega$ -scan data collection with  $\Delta\omega = 1^\circ$  frames and 40 s exposures were applied. The structure was solved by direct methods using SHELXS-97 program and refined on  $F^2$  by full-matrix least-squares with the SHELXL-97 program [15]. Two acidic H-atoms at O(1) and O(3) were located from difference Fourier maps and refined with isotropic temperature factors. The positions of all other hydrogen atoms were determined from molecular geometry (C–H distances of 0.93 and 0.96 Å) and their  $U_{iso}$ 's were related to the thermal vibrations of their carriers. The crystal data, together with the details concerning data collection and structure refinement are given in Table 1 and the atomic coordinates in Table 2. The parameters in the CIF form are available as Electronic Supplementary Information from the Cambridge Crystallographic

**Table 2**

Atomic coordinates ( $\times 10^4$ ) and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ) for 2,3-dicarboxy-1-methylpyridinium chloride (**1**).  $U_{eq}$  is defined as one third of the trace of the orthogonalized  $U_{ij}$  tensor.

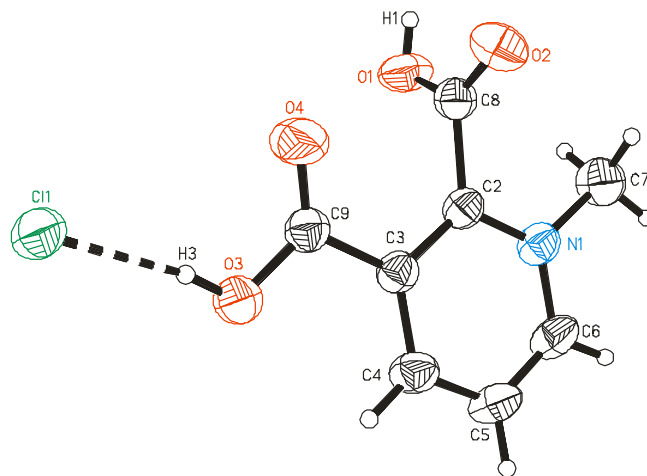
Atom	x	y	z	$U_{eq}/U_{iso}$
Cl(1)	3204(1)	−5232(1)	1434(1)	50(1)
N(1)	1975(2)	−4647(2)	7732(2)	37(1)
C(2)	2126(3)	−4329(2)	6616(2)	33(1)
C(3)	2498(3)	−5189(2)	5828(2)	34(1)
C(4)	2712(3)	−6360(2)	6202(2)	41(1)
C(5)	2531(3)	−6655(2)	7347(2)	47(1)
C(6)	2164(3)	−5782(2)	8096(2)	45(1)
C(7)	1673(4)	−3740(2)	8614(2)	53(1)
C(8)	1817(3)	−3024(2)	6309(2)	37(1)
C(9)	2622(3)	−4827(2)	4584(2)	37(1)
O(1)	3367(2)	−2434(2)	6540(2)	51(1)
O(2)	294(2)	−2639(2)	5966(2)	53(1)
O(3)	3284(3)	−5667(2)	4006(2)	54(1)
O(4)	2138(4)	−3880(2)	4186(2)	77(1)
H(71)	1596	−4121	9353	80
H(72)	542	−3321	8313	80
H(73)	2688	−3191	8747	80
H(4)	2976	−6943	5685	50
H(5)	2657	−7439	7605	56
H(6)	2044	−5976	8868	54
H(1)	3180(50)	−1760(40)	6500(30)	88(13)
H(3)	3180(50)	−5460(30)	3250(40)	97(13)

Database Centre (842381). Molecular illustrations were prepared using programs ORTEP [16] and XP [17].

FTIR spectra were recorded in Nujol and Fluorolube suspension between KBr plates on a Bruker IFS 66v/S spectrometer, evacuated to avoid water and CO<sub>2</sub> absorptions, at a 2 cm<sup>−1</sup> resolution. Each FTIR spectrum was measured by acquisition of 64 scans. The Raman spectrum of crystalline sample was measured on a Bruker

**Table 1**  
Crystal data and structure refinement for 2,3-dicarboxy-1-methylpyridinium chloride (**1**).

Empirical formula	$C_8H_8ClNO_4$
Formula weight	217.60
Temperature	293(2)
Wavelength	1.54178 Å
Crystal system	Monoclinic
Space group	$P2_1/c$
Unit cell dimensions	$a = 7.3767(2)$ Å $b = 11.2790(2)$ Å $c = 11.4339(2)$ Å $\beta = 101.590(2)^\circ$
Volume	931.92(3) Å <sup>3</sup>
Z	4
Calculated density	1.551 g cm <sup>−3</sup>
Absorption coefficient	3.585 mm <sup>−1</sup>
$F(000)$	448
Crystal size	0.25 × 0.20 × 0.15 mm
$\theta$ range for data collection	5.57–73.96°
Max/min. indices $h, k, l$	$-8 \leq h \leq 5, -14 \leq k \leq 13, -14 \leq l \leq 13$
Reflections collected/unique	6436/1846 $R_{int} = 0.0115$
Completeness to $\theta_{max} = 73.96^\circ$	98.1%
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on $F^2$
Data/restraints/parameters	1846/0/135
Goodness-of-fit on $F^2$	1.048
Final $R$ indices [ $I > 2\sigma_I$ ]	$R_1 = 0.0443, wR_2 = 0.1305$
$R$ indices (all data)	$R_1 = 0.0446, wR_2 = 0.1307$
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.560 and $-0.294$ eÅ <sup>−3</sup>



**Fig. 1.** Atom numbering for 2,3-dicarboxy-1-methylpyridinium chloride (**1**). The hydrogen bond is indicated by the dashed line, and the thermal ellipsoids are drawn at the 50% probability level.

**Table 3**

X-ray and calculated bond lengths (Å), bond and torsion angles (°) for 2,3-dicarboxy-1-methylpyridinium chloride.

Parameter	X-ray	B3LYP/6-311++G(d,p)		
	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> DMSO	<b>4</b> DMSO
<b>Bond lengths</b>				
N(1)–C(2)	1.352(3)	1.3601	1.3568	1.3622
N(1)–C(6)	1.345(3)	1.3563	1.3515	1.3517
N(1)–C(7)	1.484(3)	1.4837	1.4883	1.4899
C(2)–C(3)	1.388(3)	1.3879	1.3907	1.4022
C(2)–C(8)	1.520(3)	1.5217	1.5220	1.5438
C(3)–C(4)	1.388(3)	1.3912	1.3974	1.3982
C(3)–C(9)	1.500(3)	1.5410	1.5065	1.5154
C(4)–C(5)	1.384(3)	1.3939	1.3873	1.3852
C(5)–C(6)	1.367(3)	1.3782	1.3793	1.3769
O(1)–C(8)	1.303(3)	1.3431	1.3280	1.2670
O(2)–C(8)	1.195(3)	1.2027	1.2034	1.2304
O(3)–C(9)	1.305(3)	1.2495	1.3166	1.3038
O(4)–C(9)	1.187(3)	1.2406	1.2147	1.2287
<b>Bond angles</b>				
N(1)–C(2)–C(3)	119.5(2)	120.339	120.138	118.770
N(1)–C(6)–C(5)	120.9(2)	121.012	121.072	121.266
N(1)–C(2)–C(8)	116.0(2)	117.431	116.508	117.219
C(7)–N(1)–C(2)	120.7(2)	120.203	120.331	121.025
C(7)–N(1)–C(6)	117.8(2)	119.118	118.688	117.188
C(2)–N(1)–C(6)	121.4(2)	120.674	120.979	121.781
C(2)–C(3)–C(4)	119.4(2)	119.184	118.983	119.204
C(2)–C(3)–C(9)	118.9(2)	118.332	119.417	125.516
C(3)–C(4)–C(5)	119.6(2)	119.771	119.852	120.383
C(3)–C(2)–C(8)	124.5(2)	122.129	123.289	123.946
C(4)–C(3)–C(9)	121.8(2)	122.476	121.599	115.279
C(4)–C(5)–C(6)	119.2(2)	119.014	118.975	118.517
O(1)–C(8)–O(2)	127.6(2)	125.958	126.539	128.683
O(1)–C(8)–C(2)	111.3(2)	111.133	111.385	114.672
O(2)–C(8)–C(2)	121.0(2)	121.516	121.898	116.640
O(3)–C(9)–O(4)	125.0(2)	132.194	125.873	121.207
O(3)–C(9)–C(3)	112.5(2)	114.164	112.357	120.332
O(4)–C(9)–C(3)	122.5(2)	113.641	121.771	118.397
<b>Torsion angles</b>				
N(1)–C(2)–C(3)–C(4)	–0.2(3)	–0.59	0.04	3.09
N(1)–C(2)–C(3)–C(8)	178.7(2)	178.42	179.90	–176.52
N(1)–C(2)–C(8)–O(1)	91.4(2)	94.38	91.90	126.82
N(1)–C(2)–C(8)–O(2)	–84.8(2)	–72.90	–83.56	–53.89
N(1)–C(6)–C(5)–C(4)	0.2(3)	–0.13	0.04	1.64
C(7)–N(1)–C(2)–C(3)	176.9(2)	–179.32	–179.69	177.77
C(7)–N(1)–C(2)–C(8)	–4.7(3)	–2.92	–2.51	–5.05
C(7)–N(1)–C(6)–C(5)	–176.9(2)	179.70	179.63	179.79
C(2)–N(1)–C(6)–C(5)	0.5(3)	0.53	0.06	–1.09
C(6)–N(1)–C(2)–C(3)	–0.4(3)	–0.17	–0.12	–1.32
C(6)–N(1)–C(2)–C(8)	178.0(2)	176.23	177.06	175.86
C(2)–C(3)–C(4)–C(5)	0.8(3)	0.98	0.10	–2.53
C(3)–C(4)–C(5)–C(6)	–0.8(3)	–0.63	–0.16	0.20
C(4)–C(3)–C(2)–C(8)	–178.5(2)	–176.82	–176.94	–173.89
C(5)–C(4)–C(3)–C(9)	–178.1(2)	–177.98	–179.76	177.10
C(8)–C(2)–C(3)–C(9)	0.4(3)	2.19	2.92	6.51
O(1)–C(8)–C(2)–C(3)	–19.2(2)	–89.29	–91.02	–56.16
O(2)–C(8)–C(2)–C(3)	93.5(3)	103.43	93.52	123.13
O(3)–C(9)–C(3)–C(2)	168.9(2)	176.05	179.79	26.31
O(3)–C(9)–C(3)–C(4)	–12.2(3)	–4.98	–1.36	–153.31
O(4)–C(9)–C(3)–C(2)	–12.0(3)	–4.34	–1.32	–156.59
O(4)–C(9)–C(3)–C(4)	166.9(2)	174.63	178.54	23.80

FRA-106/S instrument operating at the 1064 nm exciting line of Nd:YAG laser, with the resolution of 1 cm<sup>–1</sup>. The spectrum was measured by acquisition of 200 scans.

NMR spectra in DMSO-d<sub>6</sub> solution relative to TMS were recorded on a Bruker Advance DRX spectrometer operating at 599.93 and 150.85 MHz for <sup>1</sup>H and <sup>13</sup>C, respectively.

The DFT calculations were performed using the Gaussian 03 program package [18]. The calculations employed the B3LYP exchange–correlation functional, which combines the hybrid functional of Becke [19,20] with the gradient-correlation functional of

Lee et al. [21] and the split-valence polarized 6-311++G(d,p) basis set [22]. The X-ray geometry of **1** was used as a starting point of the calculations. The magnetic isotropic shielding constants were calculated using the standard GIAO/B3LYP/6-311++G(d,p) (Gauge-Independent Atomic Orbital) approach with the Gaussian 03 program package using the conductor-like screening solvation model (COSMO) [23–25].

### 3. Results and discussion

#### 3.1. Crystal structure

The molecular structure and atom numbering of 2,3-dicarboxy-1-methylpyridinium chloride (**1**) are shown in Fig. 1. The bond lengths, bond and torsion angles determined in the X-ray study are summarized in Tables 3 and 4.

The linking of cations and anions is governed by hydrogen bonds OH⋯Cl⋯HO, forming infinite zigzag chains down the [001] direction, as illustrated in Fig. 2, and by electrostatic attractions. The ribbon-like chains are arranged in such a manner that the chloride anions are located close to the nitrogen atoms in pyridine rings of the neighboring ribbons located below and above in the [100] direction. The Cl⋯N distances are 3.495(2) and 4.121(2) Å, while four short Cl⋯HC contacts (Cl⋯H distance from 2.74 to 3.29 Å) are formed to the pyridine and methyl H-atoms of two cations along the (100) plane. Thus each Cl<sup>–</sup> anion is sixfold coordinated by cations, two of which are OH⋯Cl bonded and four others attracted electrostatically (Table 4). An analogous octahedral coordination arrangement of six Cl<sup>–</sup> anions is formed about each of the cations (Fig. 3). The angles between pyridine ring and carboxylate groups at 2 and 3 positions are 87.5(1)° and 12.3(2)°, respectively; the angle between the two carboxyl groups is 84.9(3)°.

#### 3.2. Optimized structures

The structures of the molecules optimized by the B3LYP/6-311++G(d,p) approach of monomers in vacuum (**2**) and DMSO (**3** and **4**) are shown in Fig. 4. The calculated geometrical parameters, total energies and dipole moments of the optimized molecules are listed in Tables 3 and 4. In **2** (vacuum) and **4** (DMSO) the hydrogen bonded proton is linked with chloride atom (Cl–H⋯O(3)), while in **3** (DMSO) the structure is similar to that in the crystal (Cl⋯H–O(3)). In **4** the intramolecular O(3)–H⋯O(1) hydrogen bond is present. The energy of **3** is by 9.57 kcal/mol lower in comparison to that in **4**. In **3** the angles between pyridine ring and carboxylate groups at 2 and 3 positions are 82.3° and 1.3°, respectively, while the angle between the two carboxyl groups is 106.8°.

#### 3.3. <sup>13</sup>C and <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectra

The <sup>13</sup>C and <sup>1</sup>H chemical shifts for **1** in DMSO-d<sub>6</sub> are listed in Table 5. The relations between the experimental <sup>13</sup>C and <sup>1</sup>H chemical shifts (δ<sub>exp</sub>) and Gauge Inducting Atomic Orbitals (GIAO) isotropic magnetic shielding constants (σ<sub>calc</sub>, Table 5) calculated for the optimized structures **3** and **4**, which are now widely used [26–28], are usually linear and described by the following equation: δ<sub>exp</sub> = a + b σ<sub>calc</sub>. The slope and intercept of the least-square correlation lines are used to scale the GIAO isotropic magnetic shielding constants, σ, and to predict the chemical shifts, δ<sub>pred</sub> = a + b σ<sub>calc</sub> (Fig. 5). As shown by the data in Table 5, the agreement between the experimental and calculated data is satisfactory both for carbon-13 and hydrogen. The r.m.s. data for **4** are lower than for **3**, which suggests

**Table 4**  
Energies (Hartree, a.u.), dipole moments ( $\mu$ , Debye), hydrogen bond distances ( $\text{\AA}$ ), the shortest intermolecular contacts ( $\text{\AA}$ ), angles ( $^\circ$ ) in the crystals (**1**), vacuum (**2**) and DMSO (**3–4**) for 2,3-dicarboxy-1-methylpyridinium chloride.

Compounds	Energy	$\mu$	D–H...A	D–H	H...A	D...A	D–H...A	$\text{N}^+\cdots\text{Cl}^-$
X-ray <b>1</b>			O(3)–H(3)···Cl(1) O(1)–H(1)···Cl(1) <sup>a</sup>	0.88(5) 0.77(4)	2.10(5) 2.25(4)	2.970(2) 3.011(2)	171 169	7.4663 <sup>b</sup> 3.495(2) <sup>c</sup> 4.121(2) <sup>c</sup> 4.199(2) <sup>d</sup>
B3LYP/6-311++G(d,p)								
<b>2</b> Vacuum	–1125.7351966	17.5222	Cl(1)–H···O(3)	1.3444	1.6418	2.9805	172.92	7.6290 <sup>b</sup>
<b>3</b> DMSO	–1125.8076926	32.4765	O(3)–H(3)···Cl(1)	1.0120	1.9823	2.9831	169.57	7.5542 <sup>b</sup>
<b>4</b> DMSO	–1125.7924472	19.2640	Cl(1)–H···O(4)	1.3424	1.6499	2.9888	174.50	7.6194 <sup>b</sup>
			O(3)–H···O(1)	1.0300	1.4774	2.4856	164.64	

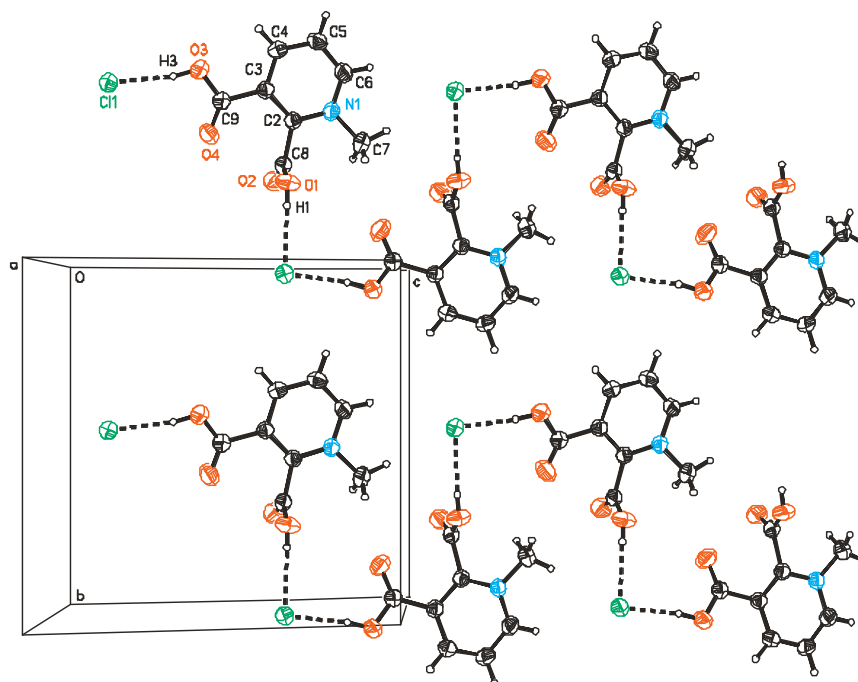
Symmetry codes:

<sup>a</sup>  $x, -0.5-y, -0.5+z$ .

<sup>b</sup>  $x, y, z$ .

<sup>c</sup>  $-x, -y-1, -z+1$ .

<sup>d</sup>  $x, y, z+1$ .



**Fig. 2.** Autostereographic projection [35] of two chains of hydrogen bonded ionic pairs in the crystal structure of (**1**). The hydrogen bonds are indicated by the dashed line, and the thermal ellipsoids are shown at the 50% probability level.

that in DMSO solution the intramolecular O–H···O hydrogen bond is formed.

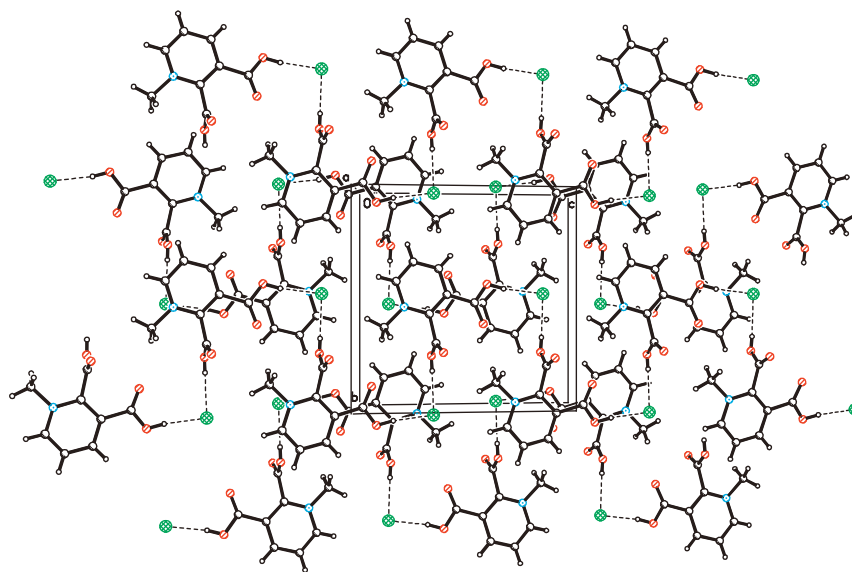
### 3.4. FTIR and Raman spectra

The FTIR spectra of **1** and its deuterated analog measured in the solid state are shown in Fig. 6a and frequencies are listed in Table 6. The broad and strong absorption with three maxima at 2709, 2562 and 2467  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  arise from the  $\nu\text{OH}$  stretching vibration. In the Raman spectrum, the intensity of this absorption is much weaker (Fig. 6c). In the spectrum of deuterated sample the  $\nu\text{OD}$  bands are located at 2087, 1990 and 1926  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . In general the FTIR spectra of the compounds investigated are similar to those of 3,4-dicarboxy-1-methylpyridinium chloride and its deuterated sample [13].

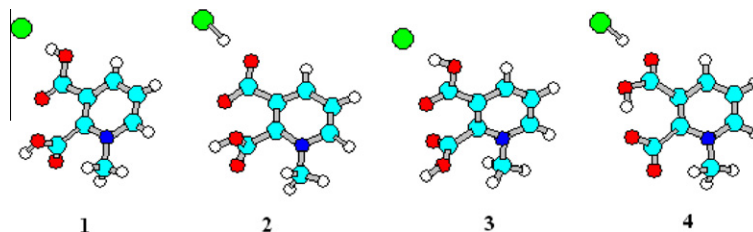
The fine structure of the  $\nu\text{OH}$  and  $\nu\text{OD}$  absorptions observed in the investigated chlorides are generated by the strong anharmonic coupling mechanism, in which the most prominent role is played by the high frequency proton stretching vibration  $\nu\text{AH}$ , anharmonically coupled with the low frequency  $\text{A–H}\cdots\text{B}$  hydrogen bond stretching vibration  $\nu(\text{A–H}\cdots\text{B})$  [29,30]. Further contribution to the absorption is brought by the Fermi resonance between the overtones and  $\nu\text{AH}$  vibration [31].

The intense doublets at 1750 and 1729  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  correspond to the  $\nu\text{C=O}$  vibrations. In deuterated complex these bands are shifted to 1747 and 1725  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . In Raman spectrum the single  $\nu\text{C=O}$  band is at 1725  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ .

In the spectrum of **1** the OH deformation in-plane and out-of-plane vibrations appear as doublets at 1398 and 1381  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  ( $\beta\text{OH}$ ) and 890 and 868  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  ( $\gamma\text{OH}$ ) which on deuteration are shifted to 1028, 1016 and 635, 626  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ , respectively. The absorption at



**Fig. 3.** Autostereographic projection [35] of the ionic packing in crystal structure of 2,3-dicarboxy-1-methylpyridinium chloride. The hydrogen bonds are indicated by the dashed line.



**Fig. 4.** Comparison of the X-ray (1) and B3LYP/6-311++G(d,p) (2–4) structures of 2,3-dicarboxy-1-methylpyridinium chloride.

**Table 5**

Experimental, predicted ( $\delta_{pred} = a + b \sigma_{calc}$ ) carbon-13 and proton chemical shifts (ppm) and calculated GIAO/B3LYP/6-311G(d,p) isotropic magnetic shielding constants ( $\sigma_{calc}$ ) for 2,3-dicarboxy-1-methylpyridinium chloride in DMSO.

Atom <sup>a</sup>	$\delta_{exp}$	$\delta_{pred}$ (3)	$\delta_{pred}$ (4)	$\sigma_{calc}$ (3)	$\sigma_{calc}$ (4)
<b>Carbon</b>					
C(2)	149.47	148.15	151.28	27.6592	23.1598
C(3)	128.29	129.70	127.11	46.9872	48.3205
C(4)	146.67	148.31	147.58	27.4888	27.0114
C(5)	127.26	128.82	124.28	47.9166	51.2630
C(6)	149.25	147.62	147.16	28.2136	27.4530
C(7)	46.54	45.87	47.93	134.8489	130.7285
C(8)OO	161.21	161.62	161.36	13.3969	12.6663
C(9)OO	163.02	161.49	165.02	13.6755	6.8635
$a^b$				174.5361	173.5333
$b^c$				−0.9541	−0.9608
$r^d$				0.9993	0.9988
Av. dif. <sup>e</sup>		0.02	−0.02		
R.m.s. <sup>f</sup>		1.44	1.91		
<b>Proton</b>					
H(4)	8.98 (d)	8.96	9.42	22.4128	22.7277
H(5)	8.24 (dd)	9.03	8.23	22.3254	23.8791
H(6)	9.28 (d)	8.39	8.78	23.0737	23.3457
NCH <sub>3</sub>	4.33	4.46	4.39	27.8359	27.9142
				27.4893	26.9951
				27.5507	27.9214
NCH <sub>3</sub> av				27.6253	27.6102
$a^b$				28.3030	32.8075
$b^c$				−0.8632	−1.0291
$r^d$				0.9532	0.9858
Av. dif. <sup>e</sup>		−0.003	−0.003		
R.m.s. <sup>f</sup>		0.69	0.39		

<sup>a</sup> Numbering of atoms is given in Fig. 1.

<sup>b</sup> Intercept.

<sup>c</sup> Slope.

<sup>d</sup> Correlation coefficient.

<sup>e</sup> Average (signed) differences between experimental and predicted chemical shifts.

<sup>f</sup> Root-mean-square errors.

higher frequencies corresponds to the shorter  $\text{OH} \cdots \text{Cl}^-$  hydrogen bonds. Two bands of deformation OH and OD vibrations are in good agreement with the X-ray data.

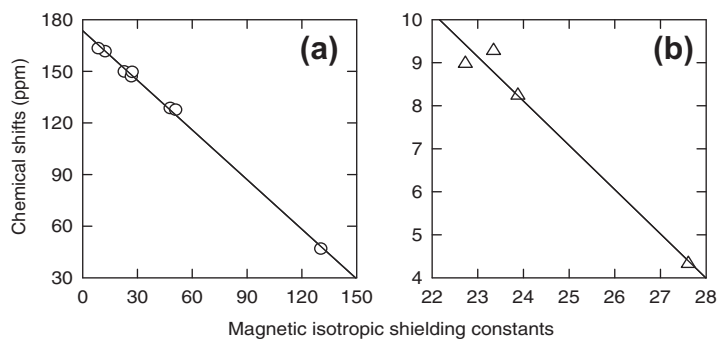
In the second-derivative spectra,  $d^2$ , the minima have the same wavenumbers as the maxima in the absorbance spectra [29,32–34]. The intensity of relative amplitudes of bands in  $d^2$  spectra varies inversely to the square of their half-width ratio. The half-widths of the  $\nu\text{OH}$  and  $\nu\text{OD}$  bands are too large and therefore intensities of these bands in the  $d^2$  spectra are very weak (Fig. 6b).

The band at  $1227 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  in the spectrum of **1** which disappears on deuteration (Fig. 6a) does not correspond to a fundamental transition, but it should be assigned to a combination of skeletal vibrations with  $\gamma\text{OH}$ . An analogous new band at  $1335 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  in the deuterated IR spectrum should be a combination of skeletal vibrations with  $\beta\text{OD}$ .

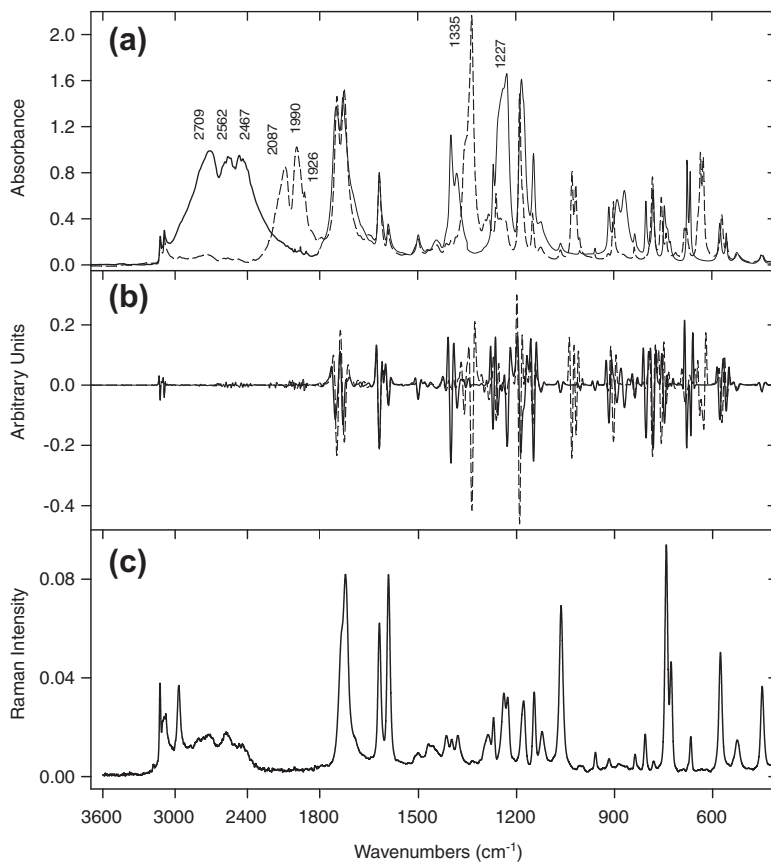
#### 4. Conclusions

The molecular and crystal structures of 2,3-dicarboxy-1-methylpyridinium chloride (**1**) have been determined by X-ray diffraction and the B3LYP/6-311++G(d,p) calculations. In the crystal, each  $\text{Cl}^-$  ion is engaged in two hydrogen bonds with the COOH groups of two molecules,  $\text{OH} \cdots \text{Cl}^- \cdots \text{HO}$ , of 2.970(2) and 3.011(2) Å. According to the B3LYP/6-311++G(d,p) calculations, in molecule **2** (vacuum) and **4** (DMSO) the hydrogen bonded proton is linked with chlorine atom,  $\text{Cl}-\text{H} \cdots \text{O}$ , while in **3** (DMSO) the  $\text{Cl}^-$  anion interacts with COOH group, similarly as in the crystal ( $\text{Cl}^- \cdots \text{H}-\text{O}$ ). The correlations between the experimental  $^{13}\text{C}$  and  $^1\text{H}$  chemical shifts in DMSO- $d_6$  and the isotropic magnetic shielding constants obtained by the GIAO/B3LYP/6311++G(d,p)





**Fig. 5.** Plot of the experimental chemical shifts in DMSO- $d_6$  ( $\delta_{\text{exp}}$ ) vs. the magnetic isotropic shielding constants ( $\sigma_{\text{calc}}$ ) from the GIAO/B3LYP/6-311++G(d,p) calculations for 2,3-dicarboxy-1-methylpyridinium chloride (**3**) in DMSO; (a) carbon-13, (b) proton.



**Fig. 6.** Spectra of 2,3-dicarboxy-1-methylpyridinium chloride (**1**): (a) FTIR spectra in Nujol and Fluorolube, (b) second-derivative spectra, and (c) Raman spectrum in solid state. Dashed line denotes spectra of deuterated sample.

**Table 6**

Experimental vibrational data for 2,3-dicarboxy-1-methylpyridinium chloride.

Raman	FTIR		Approximate assign. <sup>a</sup>
H	H	D	
3181			$\nu\text{CH}$
3127	3123	3124	$\nu\text{CH}$
3104			$\nu\text{CH}$
3093	3089	3089	$\nu\text{CH}_3$
3079			$\nu\text{CH}_3$
2971			$\nu\text{CH}_3$
2800–2400	2900–2300	2100–1900	$\nu\text{OH}/\nu\text{OD}$
1725	1750	1747	$\nu\text{C=O}$
	1729	1725	$\nu\text{C=O}$
1621	1618	1617	$\nu\text{CC}$
1594	1590	1591	$\nu\text{CC}$

Table 6 (continued)

Raman	FTIR		Aproximate assign. <sup>a</sup>
1503	1498	1498	$\beta$ CH
1471			$\nu$ CC
1458	1442	1442	$\nu$ CC
1416			$\nu$ CC
1400	1398	1028	$\beta$ OH/ $\beta$ OD
1381	1381	1016	$\beta$ OH/ $\beta$ OD
1289		1282	$\beta$ CH
1272	1267	1260	$\nu$ CN
1241	1238	1233	$\beta$ CH
1229	1227	1335	$\nu$ CC + $\gamma$ OH/ $\gamma$ OD
1180	1182	1188	$\beta$ CH <sub>3</sub> , $\beta$ CH
1148	1146	1148	$\beta$ CH <sub>3</sub>
1124	1123	1124	$\nu$ CC
1066			$\beta$ CH <sub>3</sub>
960	957		$\gamma$ CH
919	915	901	$\nu$ CN, $\nu$ CC
	890	635	$\gamma$ OH/ $\gamma$ OD
	868	626	$\gamma$ OH/ $\gamma$ OD
839	839	837	Ring, $\nu$ CN
808	802	802	Ring, $\nu$ CN
	780	781	Ring, $\nu$ CN
744	745	754	$\tau$ CO
729	727	740	$\gamma$ CH
669	675	689	Ring + $\beta$ CO
	666	677	Ring + $\beta$ CO
578	576	569	Ring + $\beta$ CO
	556	554	Ring + $\beta$ CO
527	524	521	Ring + $\beta$ CO
450	448	447	Ring + $\nu$ CN

<sup>a</sup> Abbreviations:  $\nu$ , stretching;  $\beta$ , deformation in plane;  $\gamma$ , deformation out-of-plane;  $\tau$ , torsion.

approaches are linear with good correlation coefficients. The broad bands in the 2900–2400 cm<sup>−1</sup> region correspond to the OH stretching vibrations. In the Raman spectrum, the intensity of this absorption is much weaker. The half-width of this absorption is too large and in the  $d^2$  spectrum the corresponding negative peak is very weak. The deformation in-plane and out-of-plane OH modes, both in FTIR and  $d^2$  spectra, appear as two bands corresponding to two OH...Cl<sup>−</sup> bonds. In FTIR spectrum there are two bands corresponding to the  $\nu$ C=O vibration, while only one in Raman spectrum.

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