

Dimethylalkoxygallane incorporating a donor-functionalised alkoxide: the monomeric gas-phase structure

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Electronic Supplementary Information

Table S1 Nozzle-to-film distances / mm, weighting functions / nm⁻¹, scale factors, correlation parameters and electron wavelengths / pm used in the electron diffraction study of Me₂GaOCH₂CH₂NMe₂.

Nozzle-to-film distance ^a	Δs	s_{\min}	sw_1	sw_2	s_{\max}	Scale factor ^b	Correlation parameter	Electron wavelength
93.39	0.4	10.0	12.0	27.6	30.0	0.900(38)	0.334	6.18
254.54	0.2	2.0	4.0	12.0	13.0	1.282(37)	0.344	6.18

^a Determined by reference to the scattering pattern of benzene. ^b Values in parentheses are the estimated standard deviations.

Table S2 GED coordinates (in Å) for Me₂GaOCH₂CH₂NMe₂.

Atom	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>
C(1)	1.7386	1.9461	3.0477
C(2)	1.2864	4.0551	0.1823
C(3)	-1.7980	3.2018	0.5985
Ga(4)	1.1479	2.3115	1.1653
O(5)	1.1653	0.8031	0.0000
C(6)	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
C(7)	-1.2717	0.8765	0.0000
H(8)	2.8089	2.0875	3.1493
H(9)	1.2424	2.6141	3.7431
H(10)	1.5042	0.9266	3.3334
H(11)	0.8419	3.9771	-0.8038
H(12)	0.7734	4.8431	0.7225
H(13)	2.3237	4.3478	0.0627
H(14)	-1.3314	3.5688	-0.3090
H(15)	-2.8515	3.0433	0.3960
H(16)	-1.7122	3.9716	1.3573
H(17)	0.0000	-0.6471	-0.8702
H(18)	0.0000	-0.6471	0.8702
H(19)	-2.1480	0.2748	0.2150
H(20)	-1.4029	1.3559	-0.9638
N(21)	-1.1519	1.9401	1.0511
C(22)	-1.5070	1.3876	2.3885
H(23)	-0.8384	0.5709	2.6375
H(24)	-1.4176	2.1628	3.1415
H(25)	-2.5256	1.0156	2.3929

Table S3 Calculated coordinates [MP2(full)/6-311+G*] for Me₂GaOCH₂CH₂NMe₂.

Atom	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>
C(1)	-1.5511	-0.0374	1.8724
C(2)	-1.7348	-0.9389	-1.4900
C(3)	1.4189	-1.8337	-0.5950
Ga(4)	-0.9184	0.0576	0.0037
O(5)	-0.2770	1.7407	-0.5274
C(6)	1.0969	1.8797	-0.3170
C(7)	1.8055	0.5712	-0.6672
H(8)	-2.6077	0.2448	1.9171
H(9)	-1.4773	-1.0455	2.2931
H(10)	-1.0091	0.6461	2.5314
H(11)	-1.1740	-0.8099	-2.4201
H(12)	-1.8247	-2.0110	-1.2886
H(13)	-2.7466	-0.5643	-1.6757
H(14)	1.0163	-1.8076	-1.6072
H(15)	2.4954	-2.0436	-0.6373
H(16)	0.9236	-2.6340	-0.0412
H(17)	1.4999	2.6720	-0.9623
H(18)	1.3297	2.1710	0.7221
H(19)	2.8860	0.5929	-0.4587
H(20)	1.6581	0.3813	-1.7343
N(21)	1.1632	-0.5461	0.0708
C(22)	1.6658	-0.6084	1.4553
H(23)	1.5002	0.3441	1.9563
H(24)	1.1280	-1.3825	2.0037
H(25)	2.7394	-0.8372	1.4614

Energy = -2290.99283 Hartrees (not corrected for ZPE).