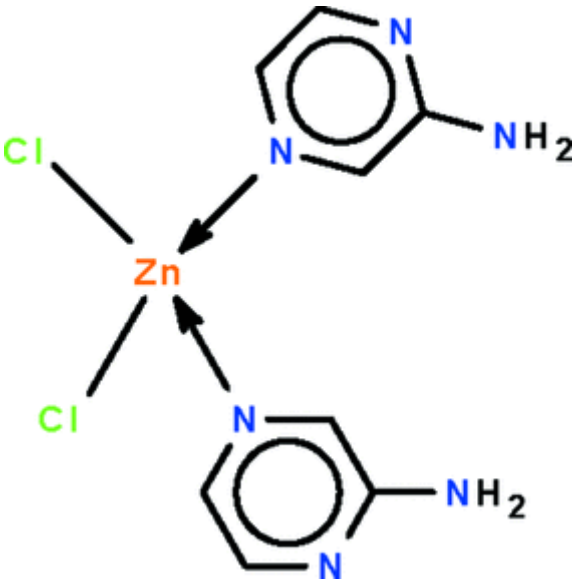

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Bis(2-aminopyrazine-κN^4)dichloridozinc

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Abstract: In the title adduct, $[ZnCl_2(C_4H_5N_3)_2]$, the Zn^{II} atom lies on a twofold rotation axis that relates one Cl atom to the other as well as one 2-aminopyrazine ligand to the other; the coordination geometry is a distorted tetrahedron. In the crystal, adjacent molecules are linked by N-H...N hydrogen bonds across the center of inversion, generating a chain; neighboring chains are linked by N-H...Cl hydrogen bonds, forming a three-dimensional network.