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**Temperature Initiated P-Polymerization in Solid [Cd<sub>3</sub>Cu]CuP<sub>10</sub>. —**

Heat treatment of solid [Cd<sub>3</sub>Cu]CuP<sub>10</sub> in evacuated silica ampules at 500 °C for 4 d leads to the formation of Cd<sub>15</sub>Cu<sub>10</sub>P<sub>46</sub>, which contains [P<sub>6</sub>] rings and tubular [P<sub>26</sub>] polymer units. A structure redetermination of [Cd<sub>3</sub>Cu]CuP<sub>10</sub> by single crystal XRD shows that this compound crystallizes in the cubic space group  $F\bar{4}3m$  with  $Z = 4$ . Cd<sub>15</sub>Cu<sub>10</sub>P<sub>46</sub> crystallizes in the monoclinic space group  $C2$  with  $Z = 4$ . The polymerization and decomposition mechanism of [Cd<sub>3</sub>Cu]CuP<sub>10</sub> is analyzed by thermogravimetry and powder XRD. — (BAWOHL, M.; SCHMIDT\*, P.; NILGES, T.; Inorg. Chem. 52 (2013) 20, 11895-11901, <http://dx.doi.org/10.1021/ic401508n>; Fac. Sci., BTU Cottbus-Senftenberg, D-01968 Senftenberg, Germany; Eng.) — W. Pewestorf