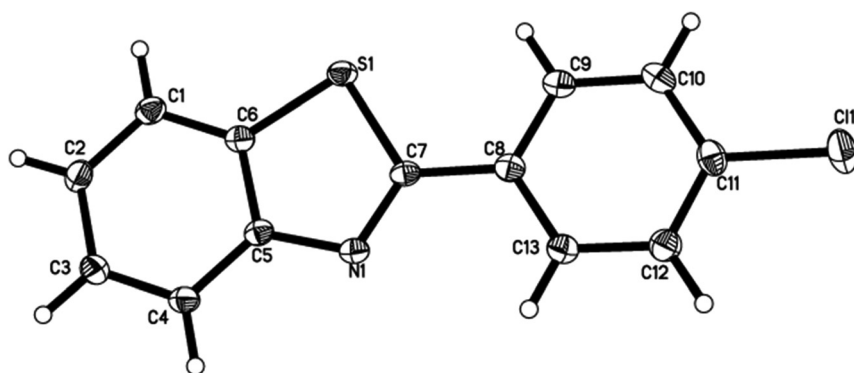


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Crystal structure of 2-(4-chlorophenyl) benzothiazole, C₁₃H₈ClNS



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Abstract

C₁₃H₈ClNS, monoclinic, *P*2₁/*c* (no. 14), *a* = 11.0497(5) Å, *b* = 14.1040(6) Å, *c* = 7.1466(3) Å, β = 98.556(4)°, *V* = 1101.37(8) Å³, *Z* = 4, *R*_{gt}(*F*) = 0.0298, *wR*_{ref}(*F*²) = 0.0815, *T* = 150 K.

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The crystal structure is shown in the figure. Table 1 contains details on crystal structure and measurement conditions and a list of the atoms including atomic coordinates and displacement parameters.

1 Source of material

A mixture of o-aminothiophenol (0.0624 g, 0.5 mmol), 4-chlorobenzaldehyde (0.0703 g, 0.5 mmol), and tetrabutylammonium tetrafluoroborate (20 mol%) was dissolved in ethanol (5 mL). A carbon rod was used as the anode, and a platinum sheet served as the cathode in the electrolytic cell. The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature while a constant current of 10 mA was applied for 20 min. After

Table 1: Data collection and handling.

Crystal:	Colourless plate
Size:	0.14 × 0.10 × 0.07 mm
Wavelength:	Mo Kα radiation (0.71073 Å)
μ:	0.50 mm ^{−1}
Diffractometer, scan mode:	Oxford Excalibur, ω scan
θ _{max} , completeness:	26.4°, 100 %
<i>N</i> (<i>hkl</i>) _{measured} , <i>N</i> (<i>hkl</i>) _{unique} , <i>R</i> _{int} :	9483, 2246, 0.028
Criterion for <i>I</i> _{obs} , <i>N</i> (<i>hkl</i>) _{gt} :	<i>I</i> _{obs} > 2 σ(<i>I</i> _{obs}), 1944
<i>N</i> (<i>param</i>) _{refined} :	145
Programs:	Oxford, ¹ Olex2, ² SHELX ³

completion, the mixture was washed with saturated brine and extracted with EtOAc. The organic layers were dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, concentrated under reduced pressure, and the residue was purified by flash column chromatography to afford the desired product. Melting point: 118 °C.

2 Experimental details

Hydrogen atoms were placed in their geometrically idealized positions and constrained to ride on their parent atoms.

3 Discussion

2-Aryl-benzothiazoles are an important class of nitrogen-containing heterocyclic compounds that have been widely applied in the agricultural field due to their insecticidal and antifungal bioactivities.^{4,5} In the pharmaceutical field, they exhibit antitumor and antitubercular effects.^{6,7} Additionally,

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2-(4-chlorophenyl)benzothiazole and its derivatives are also structural units for synthesizing optical materials, which can be used in luminescent devices⁸ and fluorescent probes.⁹ The molecular structure of a compound determines its properties. Therefore, the investigation on the crystal structures of benzothiazoles has received wide attention.^{10,11} However, the crystal structure of halogenated benzothiazole derivatives is less studied.¹²

The asymmetric unit contains one molecule of the title compound, which is constructed by a benzothiazole and 4-chlorophenyl molecules (see the Figure). The benzothiazole together with the 4-chlorophenyl molecule is almost in a strict plane, the dihedral angle between the benzothiazole and the 4-chlorophenyl molecule is found to be 4.4°. The N(1)–C(5)–C(6)–S(1) and C(5)–N(1)–C(7)–S(1) torsion angles are 0.50(16)° and 0.33(16)°. The N(1)–C(7)–C(8)–C(13) and S(1)–C(7)–C(8)–C(13) torsion angles are –2.80(2)° and 175.27(11)°. The C(6)–S(1)–C(7) and C(7)–N(1)–C(5) bond angle are 89.17(7)° and 110.73(13)°. The N(1)–C(7)–C(8) and C(10)–C(11)–Cl(1) bond angles are 124.26(14)° and 119.04(13)°. The distances in sulfur-carbon bonds and nitrogen-carbon bonds are 1.7285(16) Å for S(1)–C(6), 1.7558(15) Å for S(1)–C(7), 1.3875(19) Å for N(1)–C(5), and 1.3009(19) Å for N(1)–C(7), respectively. The 4-chlorophenyl group is connected to the benzothiazole ring through a C–C bond, leading to the more stable structure, which is similar to the stereo-configuration of the compound reported in the references.¹² The bond lengths and angles are all in the expected ranges. Interestingly for the title compound another polymorph, crystalline solid has been already reported.¹³

The complete set of X-ray diffraction data for the title compound was deposited to the Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre (CCDC entry No.2419729).

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