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2-{8-Hydroxybicyclo[5.1.0]oct-1(7)-en-8-yl}-1-cycloheptene-1-carboxylic Acid γ -Lactone, C₁₆H₂₀O₂ (I), and 2-{(1 α ,7 α ,8 α)-8-Hydroxybicyclo[5.1.0]oct-8-yl}-1-cycloheptene-1-carboxylic Acid γ -Lactone, C₁₆H₂₂O₂ (II)

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Abstract. (I) $M_r = 244.3$, monoclinic, $P2_1/c$, $a = 8.994$ (1), $b = 14.955$ (2), $c = 9.863$ (2) Å, $\beta = 93.76$ (2)°, $V = 1324$ Å³, $Z = 4$, $F(000) = 528$, $D_m = 1.22$, $D_x = 1.23$ g cm⁻³, $\mu = 5.8$ cm⁻¹, $R = 8.3\%$ for 1080 reflections having $F > 2\sigma_F$. (II) $M_r = 246.3$, tetragonal, $P4_12_12$, $a = 7.961$ (2), $c = 42.919$ (1) Å, $V = 2720$ Å³, $Z = 8$, $F(000) = 1072$, $D_m = 1.23$, $D_x = 1.20$ g cm⁻³, $\mu = 5.73$ cm⁻¹, $R = 5.2\%$ for 1607 reflections having $F > 2\sigma_F$. All data were collected at 298 K using Cu $K\alpha$ radiation ($\lambda = 1.5418$ Å). Compound (II) is the hydrogenation product of compound (I) in which the added H atoms are shown to be on the same side of the cyclopropyl ring as the lactone group. The connectivity of the compounds agrees with prediction based upon chemical and spectroscopic evidence.

Introduction. In the course of the synthesis of functionalized macrocycles, compound (I) and its hydrogenation product (II) were prepared (Finnegan & Delecki, 1969). X-ray analysis was undertaken in order to determine the connectivity of both molecules and the stereochemistry of the hydrogenation product.

Experimental. (I) Crystallized from ethanol. Crystal $0.08 \times 0.08 \times 0.40$ mm. Lattice parameters determined using 27 reflections, $40^\circ < 2\theta < 58^\circ$. Systematic absences $h0l$ $l = 2n + 1$, $0k0$ $k = 2n + 1$. Crystal mounted with a parallel to ϕ axis. Data with $\theta < 53^\circ$ measured. Max. variation in intensity standards 3%.

Table 1. Atomic coordinates [$\times 10^5$ for z in (II), $\times 10^4$ for all others] and isotropic thermal parameters ($\times 10$) for nonhydrogen atoms, with e.s.d.'s in parentheses

The temperature factor is of the form $\exp[-B(\sin\theta/\lambda)^2]$.

Compound (I)	x	y	z	B(Å ²)
C(1)	2880 (6)	-502 (4)	2015 (5)	39 (2)
C(2)	2564 (7)	-1477 (4)	2003 (6)	43 (2)
C(3)	1676 (7)	-1697 (4)	672 (7)	48 (2)
C(4)	2278 (7)	1294 (4)	623 (6)	47 (2)
C(5)	1805 (7)	-355 (4)	1005 (6)	40 (2)
C(6)	2687 (7)	385 (4)	-271 (5)	40 (2)
C(7)	2909 (6)	162 (4)	1185 (5)	37 (2)
C(8)	3555 (6)	334 (3)	2602 (5)	33 (2)
C(9)	3008 (5)	945 (3)	3635 (5)	30 (1)
C(10)	1383 (6)	1090 (5)	3784 (6)	39 (2)
C(11)	921 (7)	1081 (4)	5231 (6)	42 (2)
C(12)	1498 (7)	1846 (5)	6139 (7)	48 (2)
C(13)	3155 (7)	1822 (5)	6558 (6)	43 (2)
C(14)	4178 (6)	2015 (4)	5431 (6)	39 (2)
C(15)	4162 (5)	1321 (3)	4339 (5)	28 (1)
C(16)	5537 (7)	958 (4)	3839 (5)	40 (2)
O(1)	5172 (4)	366 (3)	2805 (3)	41 (1)
O(2)	6820 (4)	1101 (3)	4210 (4)	53 (1)
Compound (II)				
C(1)	339 (3)	1323 (3)	4613 (4)	32 (1)
C(2)	-1392 (3)	561 (3)	5036 (5)	41 (1)
C(3)	-2497 (3)	873 (4)	2165 (5)	54 (1)
C(4)	3254 (3)	2655 (4)	1996 (5)	56 (1)
C(5)	2049 (3)	4107 (4)	1543 (5)	49 (1)
C(6)	-852 (3)	4410 (3)	4301 (4)	41 (1)
C(7)	588 (3)	3189 (3)	4250 (4)	33 (1)
C(8)	1321 (2)	2282 (2)	7068 (4)	28 (1)
C(9)	976 (2)	2554 (2)	10422 (4)	27 (1)
C(10)	703 (2)	2923 (3)	11864 (4)	32 (1)
C(11)	1099 (3)	1879 (3)	14753 (5)	42 (1)
C(12)	-79 (3)	2325 (4)	17663 (5)	49 (1)
C(13)	1742 (3)	1746 (3)	17587 (5)	43 (1)
C(14)	2855 (3)	2689 (3)	15324 (5)	39 (1)
C(15)	2446 (2)	2471 (2)	11949 (4)	30 (1)
C(16)	3790 (2)	2162 (2)	9696 (4)	32 (1)
O(1)	3091 (2)	2034 (2)	6801 (3)	34 (1)
O(2)	5284 (2)	2022 (2)	10070 (4)	46 (1)

observed C—H distances are in the ranges (I) 0.95–1.10 Å and (II) 0.87–1.12 Å.*

The connectivity of the compounds revealed by crystallographic analysis agrees with the predictions based upon chemical and spectroscopic evidence (Delecki, 1970). In the hydrogenation product (II), the H atoms were added to C(1) and C(7) on the same side of the cyclopropyl ring as the O(1) substituent (Fig. 2). The bond lengths and angles in the *A* rings of the two structures are in excellent agreement, and the overall conformations of the rings are nearly identical despite differences in crystal packing. A least-squares fit of atoms C(8) to C(16), O(1) and O(2) in the two structures yields a mean-square difference in the relative position of these atoms of 0.03 Å. The *A* rings have a chair conformation in which atoms C(9) and C(15) are 'above' and C(12) is 'below' the plane of atoms C(10), C(11), C(13) and C(14). The ring has mirror symmetry across a plane bisecting the C(9)—C(15) bond and intersecting C(12). The *C* ring of (II) has a similar chair conformation with atoms C(1) and C(7) 'above' and atom C(4) 'below' the plane of atoms C(2), C(3), C(5) and C(6). This ring is more symmetric and more puckered than the *A* rings as indicated by the magnitudes of its torsion angles. The *C* ring of (I) also has a chair conformation with a mirror plane intersecting C(4) and bisecting the C(1)—C(7) bond. This ring however is much flatter due to the double bond in the cyclopropyl ring. The positions of C(1), C(7) and C(4) relative to the other four atoms of the *C* ring in (I) are reversed as indicated by the change of signs of the

* Tables of structure factors, positional and thermal parameters for H, anisotropic thermal parameters for the non-H atoms and packing diagrams have been deposited with the British Library Lending Division as Supplementary Publication No. SUP 39379 (21 pp.). Copies may be obtained through The Executive Secretary, International Union of Crystallography, 5 Abbey Square, Chester CH1 2HU, England.

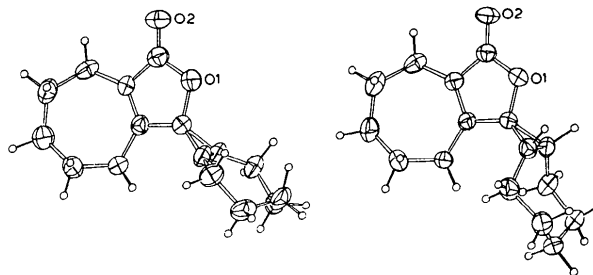


Fig. 2. ORTEP drawings of (I) (left) and (II) (right) with thermal ellipsoids for nonhydrogen atoms scaled to 50% probability.

torsion angles from those of the *C* ring of (II). There are no intermolecular contacts less than 3.35 Å between nonhydrogen atoms.

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The Low-Temperature X-ray Study of Thianthrene 5,5,10,10-Tetraoxide, C₁₂H₈O₄S₂

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Abstract. $M_r = 280.33$, orthorhombic, *Pbcn*, $a = 19.613$ (9), $b = 12.161$ (2), $c = 14.433$ (8) Å, $V = 3442$ (3) Å³, $Z = 12$, $D_m = 1.59$ (2) (294 K), $D_x = 1.623$ g cm⁻³ (163 K), $\lambda(\text{Mo } K\alpha_{1,2}) = 0.71069$ Å, $\mu = 4.57$ cm⁻¹, $F(000) = 1728$. Final $R = 0.050$ for 3077

observed reflections. There are 1.5 molecules in the asymmetric unit. In one unit cell, there are eight molecules located on general position *d*, while four molecules lie around twofold axes in such a way that the S...S intramolecular axes are perpendicular to the