

Fig. 3. Packing of the molecules viewed down the a axis.

= 1.80 Å (Bondi, 1964)]. A similar observation has been made in the structure of 3,3-bis(methylthio)-2-nitro-2-propene-1-nitrile (Kamath & Venkatesan, 1984).

On the basis of the results reported on the directional preferences for the approach of electrophiles and nucleophiles to the divalent sulphur atom (Rosenfield, Parthasarathy & Dunitz, 1977) it appears that, in the present structure, O(6) acts as a nucleophile as it approaches the sulphur atom along the LUMO orbital of S. The oxygen atom is 34.8° out of the plane defined by atoms C(15), S(1) and C(3) and the C(15)–S(1)···O(6) angle is approximately linear [175.8 (3)°].

The packing of the molecule viewed down the a axis is displayed in Fig. 3. There are no intermolecular short contacts of special significance. The illustrations were made with *ORTEP* II (Johnson, 1976).

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Structure of exo-(8bR S,8cSR,12aRS,12bSR)-8b,8c,9,10,12a,12b-Hexahydrobenzocyclobuta[1,2-e]pyrene, C₂₂H₁₈

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Abstract. $M_r = 282.38$, monoclinic, $P2_1/a$, a = 21.698 (2), b = 13.240 (1), c = 5.1026 (4) Å, $\beta = 93.802$ (7)°, V = 1462.7 (2) Å³, Z = 4, $D_m = 1.26$, $D_x = 1.282$ Mg m⁻³, λ (Cu K α) = 1.5418 Å, $\mu = 0.51$ mm⁻¹, m.p. 404.5-405.5 K, T = 300 K, F(000) = 600, final R = 0.050 for 2044 reflexions above

 $1.0\sigma(F)$. The structure of one of the photocycloaddition products of pyrene and 1,3-cyclohexadiene has been determined. The configuration of the H atoms in the cyclobutane ring was confirmed to be *cis*—*anti*, leading to the conclusion that the title compound was formed by $2\pi s + 2\pi s$ photocycloaddition in solution.

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Table 1. Final atomic parameters (positional $\times 10^4$) with e.s.d.'s in parentheses

Table	2. Bond lengths (Å) and angles (°) with e.s.d.	's in
	parentheses	

$B_{\rm eq} = \frac{4}{3} \sum_l \beta_{ll} / a_l^{*2}.$				
	x	У	z	
C(1)	7471.8 (9)	2484 (2)	3383 (4)	
C(2)	8102(1)	2623 (2)	4064 (5)	
C(3)	8286-4 (9)	3276 (2)	6041 (5)	
C(4)	8040 (1)	4512 (2)	9467 (4)	
C(5)	7625 (1)	5068 (2)	10674 (4)	
C(6)	6554 (1)	5661 (2)	11016 (5)	
C(7)	5944 (1)	5646 (2)	10145 (5)	
C(8)	5738 (1)	4976 (2)	8184 (5)	
C(9)	4963 (1)	2394 (2)	4310 (5)	
C(10)	4956 (1)	1592 (2)	2763 (5)	
C(11)	5487 (1)	893 (2)	2604 (5)	
C(12)	5944 (1)	947 (2)	4964 (4)	
C(13)	7854.0 (9)	3830 (2)	7367 (4)	
C(14)	6980 (1)	5022 (1)	9871 (4)	
C(15)	6772-4 (9)	4338 (1)	7882 (4)	
C(16)	7217-0 (8)	3717 (1)	6624 (4)	
C(17)	6136-6 (9)	4316 (1)	7050 (4)	
C(18)	5886-3 (8)	3593 (1)	4976 (4)	
C(19)	5499+1 (9)	2709 (2)	6102 (4)	
C(20)	6066-3 (8)	2015 (1)	5926 (4)	
C(21)	6357.0 (8)	2803 (1)	4096 (4)	
C(22)	7031-2 (8)	3011 (1)	4659 (4)	



Fig. 1. View of the molecule with numbering of C atoms and nomenclature of the rings. Ellipsoids of 50% probability are used for the C atoms; the H atoms are represented as spheres equivalent to B = 1.0 Å².



Fig. 2. Projection of the crystal structure along c (•:C, •:H). Symmetry code: (i) x, y, z; (ii) $-\frac{1}{2} + x$, $\frac{1}{2} - y$, z; (iii) 1 - x, 1 - y, 2-z; (iv) $\frac{3}{2}-x$, $\frac{1}{2}+y$, 2-z.

	C(1)-C(2)	1.401 (3)	C(11) - C(12)	1.510 (3)
	C(1) - C(22) 1	1.381 (3)	C(12) - C(20)	1.514(3)
$B_{aa}(\dot{\Delta}^2)$	C(2) - C(3)	1.367 (3)	C(13) - C(16)	1.417 (3)
	C(3) - C(13)	.401 (3)	C(14) - C(15)	1.412(3)
4.03 (8)	C(4) - C(5)	1.344(3)	C(15) - C(16)	1.449 (3)
4.54 (9)	C(4) - C(13)	.438 (3)	C(15) - C(17)	1.417(3)
4.40 (8)	C(5) - C(14)	.433 (3)	C(16) - C(22)	1.410(3)
4.58(11)	C(6) - C(7)	.368 (4)	C(17) - C(18)	1.502 (3)
4.81 (10)	C(6) - C(14)	.408 (4)	C(18) - C(19)	1.572(3)
$5 \cdot 14(10)$	C(7) - C(8)	.389 (4)	C(18) - C(21)	1.549 (3)
5.45 (11)	C(8) - C(17)	.383 (3)	C(19) - C(20)	1.543 (3)
4.64 (10)	C(9) - C(10)	(323(4))	C(20) - C(21)	1.543(3)
$5 \cdot 22(13)$	C(9) - C(19)	.491 (4)	C(21) - C(22)	1.498 (3)
5.61 (13)	C(10) - C(11)	.484 (4)	C(21) $C(22)$	1.470 (3)
5.06 (12)		(+)		
4.14 (9)	C(2)-C(1)-C(22)	120.8 (2)	C(13)-C(16)-C(1	5) 119.2 (2)
3.78 (8)	C(1)-C(2)-C(3)	119-9 (2)	C(13)-C(16)-C(2	2) 119.2 (2)
4.04 (9)	C(2)-C(3)-C(13)	121.0 (2)	C(15)-C(16)-C(2	2) 121.6 (2)
3.27 (8)	C(5)-C(4)-C(13)	121.5 (2)	C(8)-C(17)-C(15) 119.0 (2)
3.25 (7)	C(4) - C(5) - C(14)	121.1 (2)	C(8)-C(17)-C(18) 119.4 (2)
3.53 (8)	C(7)-C(6)-C(14)	120.3 (3)	C(15)-C(17)-C(1	8) 121.6 (2)
3.48 (7)	C(6) - C(7) - C(8)	120.1 (3)	C(17)-C(18)-C(1	9) 113.2 (2)
3.92 (8)	C(7)-C(8)-C(17)	121.7 (2)	C(17)-C(18)-C(2	1) 114.8 (2)
3.29 (7)	C(10)-C(9)-C(19)	124.6 (3)	C(19)-C(18)-C(2	1) 89.0 (2)
3.25 (7)	C(9)-C(10)-C(11)	123.7 (3)	C(9)-C(19)-C(18) 113.5 (2)
3-26 (7)	C(10)-C(11)-C(12)) 113.5 (2)	C(9)-C(19)-C(20) 113.0 (2)
	C(11)-C(12)-C(20)) 113-2 (2)	C(18)-C(19)-C(2	0) 88.5 (2)
	C(3)-C(13)-C(4)	121.7 (2)	C(12)-C(20)-C(1)	9) 116.8 (2)
	C(3)-C(13)-C(16)	119.2 (2)	C(12)-C(20)-C(2)	1) 120.0 (2)
	C(4) - C(13) - C(16)	119.1 (2)	C(19)-C(20)-C(2	1) 89.6 (2)
	C(5)-C(14)-C(6)	120.7 (2)	C(18) - C(21) - C(2)	0) 88.7(2)
	C(5)-C(14)-C(15)	119.5 (2)	C(18)-C(21)-C(2)	2) $118.3(2)$
	C(6)-C(14)-C(15)	119.8 (2)	C(20)-C(21)-C(2)	2) 115.9 (2)
	C(14)-C(15)-C(16)) 119.5 (2)	C(1)-C(22)-C(16) 119.7 (2)
	C(14)-C(15)-C(17)) 119-1 (2)	C(1)-C(22)-C(21) 121.0 (2)
	C(16)-C(15)-C(17)) 121.3 (2)	C(16)-C(22)-C(2	1) 119.2 (2)

Introduction. As part of a study of novel photocycloaddition between pyrene and cyclohexadiene (Kimura, Nukada, Satake, Morosawa & Tamagake, 1984), the X-ray structure analysis of the title compound (1) has been undertaken; the ¹H NMR spectrum of (1) was too complicated to be analyzed and ¹H NMR coupling constants for the corresponding epoxidized compound (2) could not differentiate the $2\pi s$ + $2\pi s$ structure (1) from the $2\pi s + 2\pi a$ structure (3).



Experimental. Compound (1) prepared by the irradiation of pyrene and 1,3-cyclohexadiene in benzene with a 450 W high-pressure Hg lamp at room temperature (Kimura et al., 1984). Colorless prisms (slow evaporation from ethanol) elongated along c. D_m by flotation in aqueous KI. Crystal $0.15 \times 0.15 \times$

$C_{22}H_{18}$

Table 3. Torsion angles (°) around the bonds in the cyclobutane ring

$\begin{array}{c} C(17)-C(18)-C(19)-C(9)\\ C(17)-C(18)-C(19)-C(20)\\ C(21)-C(18)-C(19)-C(9)\\ C(21)-C(18)-C(19)-C(20)\\ C(17)-C(18)-C(21)-C(20)\\ C(17)-C(18)-C(21)-C(22)\\ C(19)-C(18)-C(21)-C(22)\\ C(19)-C(18)-C(21)-C(20)\\ \end{array}$	144.3 (2) -101.2 (2) -99.0 (2) 15.5 (1) 99.9 (2) -19.1 (3) -15.3 (1)	$\begin{array}{c} C(19)-C(18)-C(21)-C(22)\\ C(9)-C(19)-C(20)-C(12)\\ C(9)-C(19)-C(20)-C(21)\\ C(18)-C(19)-C(20)-C(21)\\ C(18)-C(19)-C(20)-C(21)\\ C(12)-C(20)-C(21)-C(18)\\ C(12)-C(20)-C(21)-C(22)\\ \end{array}$	-134.3 (2) -24.2 (3) 99.6 (2) -139.2 (2) -15.4 (1) 136.7 (2) -102.1 (2)	$\begin{array}{c} C(19)-C(20)-C(21)-C(18)\\ C(19)-C(20)-C(21)-C(22)\\ H(18)-C(18)-C(21)-H(21)\\ H(18)-C(18)-C(19)-H(19)\\ H(21)-C(21)-C(20)-H(20)\\ H(19)-C(19)-C(20)-H(20)\\ \end{array}$	15.6 (1) 136.8 (2) -21 (2) -106 (2) 149 (2) -23 (2)
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0.40 mm. Rigaku AFC-5 four-circle diffractometer. Lattice parameters determined from 20 reflexions by least-squares method. Intensities measured up to $2\theta = 120^{\circ}$, $\omega - 2\theta$ scan method [scan speed 4° min⁻¹ in 2 θ ; scan range (2 θ): $1 \cdot 2^\circ + 0 \cdot 15^\circ \tan \theta$], Ni-filtered Cu Ka, 40 kV, 200 mA, background measured for 4 s on either side of the peak. Three reference reflexions showed no intensity deterioration. Lorentz and polarization corrections; no absorption correction. 2179 unique data, 2044 (ranging over h = -24 to 24, k=0 to 14, l=0 to 5) with $|F_0| > 1 \cdot 0\sigma(F)$ used in refinement. Structure solved by MULTAN78, and refined (C atoms anisotropic) by block-diagonal least squares; $\sum w(|F_{o}| - |F_{c}|)^{2}$ minimized; w = 1.0 for $0 < |F_o| \le 15.0$ and $(15.0/|F_o|)^2$ for $|F_o| > 15.0$. H-atom positions determined from a difference Fourier map, and refined (isotropically) by least squares. $R = 0.050, R_w = 0.061, S = 0.529, (\Delta/\sigma)_{max}$ in final refinement cycle for C and H atoms 0.3 and 1.2 respectively, max. and min. $\Delta \rho$ in final difference Fourier map $+0.17 \text{ e} \text{ Å}^{-3}$. Atomic scattering factors from International Tables for X-ray Crystallography (1974). Computations carried out at the Crystallographic Research Center, Institute for Protein Research, Osaka University, and at the Okayama University Computer Center. Programs MULTAN78 (Main, Hull, Lessinger, Germain, Declercq & Woolfson, 1978), HBLSV (Ashida, 1973), MOLCON (Fujii, 1979) and ORTEP (Johnson, 1965).

Discussion. The final atomic parameters are listed in Table 1.* The thermal ellipsoids with atomic numbering are shown in Fig. 1. Bond lengths and angles are given in Table 2. The torsion angles around the bonds in the cyclobutane ring are given in Table 3. A projection of the crystal structure viewed along **c** is shown in Fig. 2.

The molecule has the *transoid* configuration (Fig. 1, Table 3). This leads to the conclusion that (1) is formed by $2\pi s + 2\pi s$ photocycloaddition. The cyclobutane ring takes a skewed conformation with C-C-C-C torsion angles of $15 \cdot 3$ (1)- $15 \cdot 6$ (1)° in the ring. The C-C bond lengths $[1 \cdot 572 (3) \text{ and } 1 \cdot 561 (3) \text{ Å}]$ at the ring junction are comparable to those found in some

photodimers containing the cyclobutane ring (Karle, 1982*a*,*b*).

The phenanthrene ring in the molecule is planar within 0.109 (2) Å, the largest deviations being found at C(22) [-0.109 (2) Å] and at C(3) [0.104 (2) Å]. Inspection of the bond lengths and angles shows that the ring has a pseudo mirror plane bisecting the C(4)-C(5) and C(15)-C(16) bonds perpendicular to the ring plane. The shortest bond in the ring is C(4)-C(5), 1.344 (3) Å, which is shorter than the 1.372 Å of the corresponding bond in phenanthrene (Trotter, 1963), but longer than the 1.320 Å in pyrene (Camerman & Trotter, 1965).

The six-membered rings D and F take the half-chair conformation: C(15), C(16), C(17), C(18) and C(22) in ring D, and C(9), C(10), C(11), C(19) and C(20) in ring F form planes within 0.023 (3) and 0.014 (3) Å, respectively. C(21) and C(12) are displaced by 0.126 (3) and 0.507 (3) Å respectively from each plane.

The molecules are hexagonally packed *via* van der Waals interactions to form a sheet parallel to (001). The sheets are stacked along **c** to complete the structure. A short contact of 2.62 (2) Å is observed between H(6) and C(2^{Iv}).

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