

S1—C8—C9—C10	−177.6 (2)	S1—C8—C9—C10	−179.3 (2)
C7—C8—C9—C10	−62.4 (3)	C7—C8—C9—C10	−63.2 (3)
C11—C8—C9—C10	62.9 (4)	C11—C8—C9—C10	62.8 (4)
S1—C8—C11—O1	−107.5 (3)	S1—C8—C11—O1	−104.8 (3)
S1—C8—C11—C12	70.2 (3)	S1—C8—C11—C12	72.9 (3)
C7—C8—C11—O1	137.6 (3)	C7—C8—C11—O1	140.7 (3)
C7—C8—C11—C12	−44.6 (4)	C7—C8—C11—C12	−41.6 (4)
C9—C8—C11—O1	15.3 (4)	C9—C8—C11—O1	17.3 (4)
C9—C8—C11—C12	−167.0 (3)	C9—C8—C11—C12	−165.0 (3)

Reflections were measured for whole space to determine the absolute configuration. The structure was refined for two configurations:  $R = 0.054$  and  $wR = 0.072$  for the  $R$  modification;  $R = 0.043$  and  $wR = 0.056$  for the  $S$  modification. The absolute configuration was assigned from the enantiomeric structure which refined with the lower  $R$  value.

Lists of structure factors, anisotropic thermal parameters, H-atom coordinates and complete geometry have been deposited with the British Library Document Supply Centre as Supplementary Publication No. SUP 71094 (26 pp.). Copies may be obtained through The Technical Editor, International Union of Crystallography, 5 Abbey Square, Chester CH1 2HU, England. [CIF reference: AS1040]

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## Structures of $\alpha$ -Phenyl-amino-stilbene Derivatives

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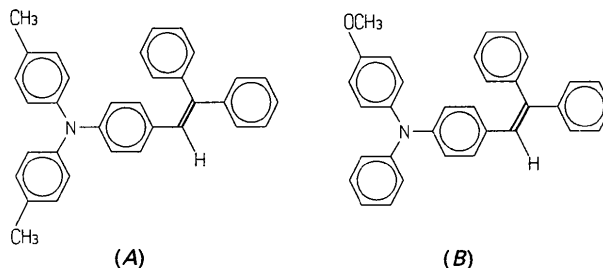
### Abstract

The crystal structures of two  $\alpha$ -phenyl-amino-stilbene derivatives have been determined: (A)  $\alpha$ -phenyl-4'-[bis(4-methylphenyl)amino]stilbene; (B)  $\alpha$ -phenyl-4'-

[(4-methoxyphenyl)phenylamino]stilbene. Compound (A) consists of two crystallographically independent molecules  $A$  and  $A'$ . The geometrical difference between molecules  $A$  and  $A'$  lies mainly in the distortion between the two benzene rings of the *trans*-stilbene moiety. The *trans*-stilbene moiety in compound (B) is approximately planar, while those in the molecules  $A$  and  $A'$  are not. Nevertheless, the planarity of the molecules  $A$  and  $A'$ , as a whole, is better than that of compound (B). The molecules in (A) are arranged on the  $ac$  plane in such a way that the directions of the *trans*-stilbene moiety are almost parallel and are stacked along the  $b$  axis. Planes of the *trans*-stilbene moiety in (B) are parallel; the anisole-group planes are nearly perpendicular to these planes.

### Comment

The structures of the title compounds were determined as part of studies on charge-transport materials. The C(8)—C(31) and C(8)—C(41) bond lengths observed in these compounds are longer than the corresponding distances in *trans*-bis(4-dimethylaminonaphthalene-1-azo)-4,4'-stilbene [1.458 (3) Å (Foitzik, Paulus, Haase & Loub, 1991)]. The angle C(4)—C(7)—C(8) is larger and the angles C(7)—C(8)—C(31) and C(7)—C(8)—C(41) are smaller than the corresponding angles in *trans*-bis(4-dimethylaminonaphthalene-1-azo)-4,4'-stilbene [127.1 (2), 127.5 (2)° (Foitzik, Paulus, Haase & Loub, 1991)]. They are the result of the repulsion between the two phenyl groups bonded to the  $\alpha$ -C atom.



The dihedral angle between the two *trans*-stilbene benzene rings in (B) [25.0 (2)°] is much smaller than those in (A) [60.1 (2) and 77.0 (2)° in molecules  $A$  and  $A'$ , respectively]. Therefore, the *trans*-stilbene moiety in (B) is approximately planar, while those in (A) are not. The plane N(1)—C(1)—C(11)—C(21) and the plane C(7)—C(8)—C(31)—C(41) in molecules  $A$  and  $A'$  of compound (A) are inclined in the same direction with respect to the plane formed by the C(1)—C(6) ring; but those in (B) are inclined in the opposite direction. The dihedral angles between the plane N(1)—C(1)—C(11)—C(21) and the plane C(7)—C(8)—C(31)—C(41) in molecules  $A$  and  $A'$  are small [10.2 (3) and 2.9 (3)°, respectively], while that in (B) is as large

as  $75.6(2)^\circ$ . Therefore, the planarity of the molecules in (A), as a whole, is better than that in (B).

No intermolecular distances shorter than the sum of the van der Waals radii were observed.

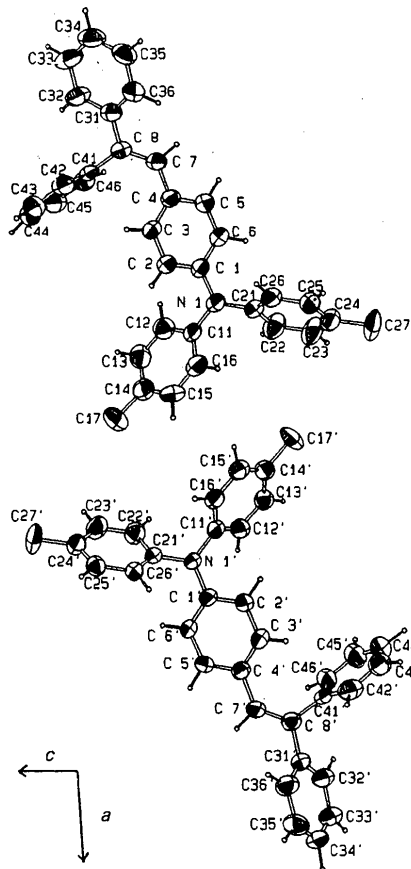


Fig. 1. ORTEP (Johnson, 1976) view down the *b* axis of molecules A and A' in (A), showing the atom-numbering scheme. H atoms are represented by spheres of arbitrary size (except the 12 H atoms bonded to the methyl C atoms which are omitted).

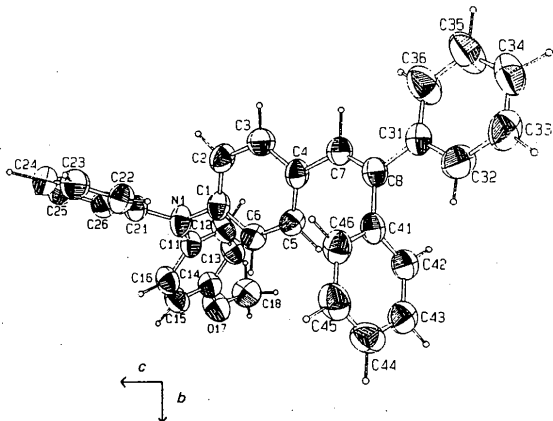


Fig. 2. ORTEP (Johnson, 1976) view down the *a* axis of a molecule of (B), showing the atom-numbering scheme. H atoms are represented by spheres of arbitrary size.

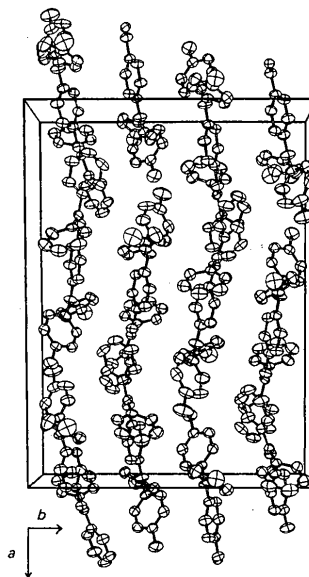


Fig. 3. The packing of molecules in (A) viewed down the *c* axis.

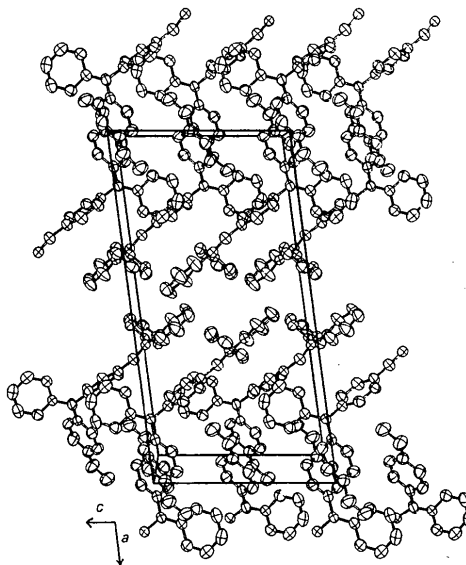


Fig. 4. The packing of molecules in (B) viewed down the *b* axis.

### Experimental Compound (A)

#### Crystal data

$C_{34}H_{29}N$   
 $M_r = 451.6$   
 Monoclinic  
 $P2_1/n$   
 $a = 25.126(4) \text{ \AA}$   
 $b = 18.960(2) \text{ \AA}$   
 $c = 11.014(2) \text{ \AA}$   
 $\beta = 94.22(1)^\circ$

Cu  $K\alpha$  radiation  
 $\lambda = 1.5418 \text{ \AA}$   
 Cell parameters from 20  
 reflections  
 $\theta = 18.5\text{--}30.0^\circ$   
 $\mu = 0.466 \text{ mm}^{-1}$   
 $T = 296 \text{ K}$   
 Plate  
 $0.51 \times 0.35 \times 0.10 \text{ mm}$

$V = 5232.3 (14) \text{ \AA}^3$	Pale yellow	C(2)'	1.0538 (2)	0.6559 (3)	0.5994 (5)	0.052 (3)
$Z = 8$	Crystal source: from	C(3)'	1.1038 (2)	0.6665 (3)	0.5559 (5)	0.053 (3)
$D_x = 1.146 \text{ Mg m}^{-3}$	methanol solution	C(4)'	1.1508 (2)	0.6526 (3)	0.6253 (5)	0.050 (3)
		C(5)'	1.1449 (2)	0.6281 (3)	0.7436 (5)	0.055 (3)
		C(6)'	1.0957 (2)	0.6167 (3)	0.7879 (5)	0.055 (3)
<b>Data collection</b>		C(7)'	1.2044 (2)	0.6637 (3)	0.5855 (5)	0.055 (3)
Mac Science MXC <sup>3</sup> four-	5469 observed reflections	C(8)'	1.2213 (2)	0.6638 (3)	0.4738 (5)	0.048 (3)
circle diffractometer	$[F_o > 3\sigma(F_o)]$	C(11)'	0.9538 (2)	0.6040 (3)	0.6764 (4)	0.047 (3)
$\omega$ - $2\theta$ scans of speed $4^\circ$	$\theta_{\max} = 65.0^\circ$	C(12)'	0.9563 (2)	0.5478 (3)	0.5960 (5)	0.056 (3)
$\min^{-1}$ and $\omega$ -scan width	$h = -28 \rightarrow 28$	C(13)'	0.9146 (2)	0.5354 (3)	0.5100 (5)	0.055 (3)
$(1.31 + 0.5\text{tan}\theta)^\circ$	$k = 0 \rightarrow 21$	C(14)'	0.8694 (2)	0.5766 (3)	0.5017 (5)	0.053 (3)
Absorption correction:	$l = 0 \rightarrow 12$	C(15)'	0.8666 (2)	0.6316 (3)	0.5863 (5)	0.057 (3)
none	3 standard reflections	C(16)'	0.9080 (2)	0.6444 (3)	0.6735 (5)	0.051 (3)
9830 measured reflections	monitored every 100	C(17)'	0.8233 (2)	0.5632 (4)	0.4045 (6)	0.080 (4)
9830 independent reflections	reflections	C(21)'	0.9904 (2)	0.6274 (3)	0.8868 (4)	0.046 (3)
	intensity variation: $\pm 3.1\%$	C(22)'	0.9625 (2)	0.5766 (3)	0.9462 (5)	0.059 (3)
		C(23)'	0.9549 (2)	0.5852 (3)	1.0698 (5)	0.064 (4)
		C(24)'	0.9745 (2)	0.6437 (3)	1.1343 (5)	0.056 (3)
		C(25)'	1.0012 (2)	0.6940 (3)	1.0721 (5)	0.053 (3)
		C(26)'	1.0091 (2)	0.6865 (3)	0.9495 (4)	0.047 (3)
		C(27)'	0.9668 (3)	0.6524 (4)	1.2709 (5)	0.090 (5)
		C(31)'	1.2781 (2)	0.6794 (3)	0.4533 (5)	0.051 (3)
		C(32)'	1.3033 (2)	0.7376 (3)	0.5042 (6)	0.067 (4)
		C(33)'	1.3570 (3)	0.7500 (4)	0.4844 (7)	0.078 (5)
		C(34)'	1.3850 (3)	0.7051 (4)	0.4177 (6)	0.074 (4)
		C(35)'	1.3599 (2)	0.6470 (4)	0.3667 (6)	0.076 (4)
		C(36)'	1.3064 (2)	0.6345 (4)	0.3817 (6)	0.065 (4)
		C(41)'	1.1866 (2)	0.6452 (3)	0.3618 (5)	0.048 (3)
		C(42)'	1.1713 (2)	0.6957 (4)	0.2763 (6)	0.069 (4)
		C(43)'	1.1370 (3)	0.6752 (5)	0.1743 (7)	0.088 (5)
		C(44)'	1.1206 (3)	0.6069 (5)	0.1610 (6)	0.081 (5)
		C(45)'	1.1373 (3)	0.5573 (4)	0.2425 (6)	0.080 (5)
		C(46)'	1.1700 (2)	0.5757 (3)	0.3435 (5)	0.063 (4)

**Refinement**

Refinement on $F$	$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\max} = 0.31$
Final $R = 0.079$	$\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.192 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$
$wR = 0.076$	$\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.038 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$
$S = 2.29$	Atomic scattering factors
5469 reflections	from <i>International Tables</i>
815 parameters	for <i>X-ray Crystallogra-</i>
46 H atoms refined	<i>phy</i> (1974, Vol. IV, Table
Unit weights applied	2.3.1)

Table 1. Fractional atomic coordinates and equivalent isotropic thermal parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2$ ) for compound (A)

	$x$	$y$	$z$	$U_{\text{eq}}$
N(1)	0.6240 (2)	0.5867 (3)	0.6240 (4)	0.067 (3)
C(1)	0.5732 (2)	0.6026 (3)	0.6664 (5)	0.053 (3)
C(2)	0.5688 (2)	0.6370 (3)	0.7760 (5)	0.053 (3)
C(3)	0.5187 (2)	0.6516 (3)	0.8157 (5)	0.053 (3)
C(4)	0.4720 (2)	0.6342 (3)	0.7475 (5)	0.051 (3)
C(5)	0.4773 (2)	0.6011 (3)	0.6357 (5)	0.058 (3)
C(6)	0.5271 (2)	0.5848 (3)	0.5956 (5)	0.061 (4)
C(7)	0.4185 (2)	0.6523 (3)	0.7834 (5)	0.056 (3)
C(8)	0.4017 (2)	0.6593 (3)	0.8960 (5)	0.049 (3)
C(11)	0.6680 (2)	0.5740 (3)	0.7085 (5)	0.055 (3)
C(12)	0.6631 (3)	0.5278 (3)	0.8041 (6)	0.065 (4)
C(13)	0.7052 (3)	0.5171 (3)	0.8908 (6)	0.070 (4)
C(14)	0.7531 (3)	0.5516 (4)	0.8862 (6)	0.079 (5)
C(15)	0.7576 (3)	0.5970 (5)	0.7895 (7)	0.093 (6)
C(16)	0.7162 (3)	0.6082 (4)	0.7019 (6)	0.075 (4)
C(17)	0.7987 (3)	0.5414 (5)	0.9865 (7)	0.114 (6)
C(21)	0.6322 (2)	0.5975 (3)	0.4982 (5)	0.055 (3)
C(22)	0.6578 (3)	0.5471 (4)	0.4340 (6)	0.084 (5)
C(23)	0.6648 (3)	0.5588 (4)	0.3098 (6)	0.092 (5)
C(24)	0.6476 (3)	0.6200 (4)	0.2521 (6)	0.072 (4)
C(25)	0.6232 (2)	0.6707 (3)	0.3183 (5)	0.059 (4)
C(26)	0.6154 (2)	0.6596 (3)	0.4410 (5)	0.057 (3)
C(27)	0.6543 (3)	0.6330 (5)	0.1155 (6)	0.113 (6)
C(31)	0.3475 (2)	0.6857 (3)	0.9167 (5)	0.053 (3)
C(32)	0.3202 (2)	0.7314 (4)	0.8377 (6)	0.068 (4)
C(33)	0.2694 (3)	0.7543 (4)	0.8574 (7)	0.074 (4)
C(34)	0.2453 (3)	0.7336 (4)	0.9587 (8)	0.085 (5)
C(35)	0.2725 (3)	0.6911 (5)	1.0402 (8)	0.091 (5)
C(36)	0.3236 (2)	0.6672 (4)	1.0217 (6)	0.070 (4)
C(41)	0.4354 (2)	0.6377 (3)	1.0069 (4)	0.045 (3)
C(42)	0.4560 (2)	0.6877 (3)	1.0888 (6)	0.061 (4)
C(43)	0.4873 (3)	0.6673 (5)	1.1914 (6)	0.078 (5)
C(44)	0.4976 (3)	0.5977 (5)	1.2142 (6)	0.079 (5)
C(45)	0.4768 (2)	0.5464 (4)	1.1357 (6)	0.070 (4)
C(46)	0.4456 (2)	0.5666 (3)	1.0311 (5)	0.057 (3)
N(1)'	0.9985 (2)	0.6191 (3)	0.7596 (4)	0.058 (3)
C(1)'	1.0490 (2)	0.6304 (3)	0.7162 (4)	0.047 (3)

Table 2. Geometric parameters ( $\text{\AA}$ ,  $^\circ$ ) for compound (A)

N(1)—C(1)	1.421 (7)	N(1)'—C(1)'	1.405 (8)
N(1)—C(11)	1.414 (6)	N(1)'—C(11)'	1.426 (6)
N(1)—C(21)	1.430 (7)	N(1)'—C(21)'	1.438 (6)
C(4)—C(7)	1.469 (8)	C(4)'—C(7)'	1.462 (8)
C(7)—C(8)	1.345 (8)	C(7)'—C(8)'	1.331 (8)
C(8)—C(31)	1.485 (7)	C(8)'—C(31)'	1.491 (9)
C(8)—C(41)	1.491 (7)	C(8)'—C(41)'	1.500 (7)
C(1)—N(1)—C(11)	119.9 (4)	C(1)'—N(1)'—C(11)'	120.0 (4)
C(1)—N(1)—C(21)	119.0 (4)	C(1)'—N(1)'—C(21)'	120.7 (4)
C(11)—N(1)—C(21)	120.0 (4)	C(11)'—N(1)'—C(21)'	119.2 (4)
C(3)—C(4)—C(7)	123.6 (5)	C(3)'—C(4)'—C(7)'	125.1 (5)
C(4)—C(7)—C(8)	128.8 (5)	C(4)'—C(7)'—C(8)'	129.9 (5)
C(7)—C(8)—C(31)	122.0 (4)	C(7)'—C(8)'—C(31)'	121.0 (5)
C(7)—C(8)—C(41)	122.0 (4)	C(7)'—C(8)'—C(41)'	123.7 (5)

**Compound (B)***Crystal data* $\text{C}_{33}\text{H}_{27}\text{NO}$  $M_r = 453.6$ 

Monoclinic

 $P2_1/c$  $a = 21.595 (5) \text{ \AA}$  $b = 10.311 (3) \text{ \AA}$  $c = 11.206 (1) \text{ \AA}$  $\beta = 97.44 (3)^\circ$  $V = 2474.3 (7) \text{ \AA}^3$  $Z = 4$  $D_x = 1.217 \text{ Mg m}^{-3}$ *Data collection*Mac Science MXC<sup>3</sup> four-circle diffractometerCu  $K\alpha$  radiation $\lambda = 1.5418 \text{ \AA}$ 

Cell parameters from 20 reflections

 $\theta = 8.0\text{--}20.0^\circ$  $\mu = 0.526 \text{ mm}^{-1}$  $T = 296 \text{ K}$ 

Needle

 $0.40 \times 0.25 \times 0.15 \text{ mm}$ 

Pale green

Crystal source: from

methanol solution

2043 observed reflections  
 $[F_o > 3\sigma(F_o)]$

$\omega$ -2 $\theta$  scans of speed 4°  
min<sup>-1</sup> and  $\omega$ -scan width  
(1.24 + 0.5tan $\theta$ )°  
Absorption correction:  
none  
3133 measured reflections  
3133 independent reflections

$\theta_{\max}$  = 50.0°  
 $h$  = -21 → 20  
 $k$  = 0 → 10  
 $l$  = 0 → 11  
3 standard reflections  
monitored every 100  
reflections  
intensity variation: none

**Refinement**

Refinement on  $F$   
Final  $R$  = 0.053  
 $wR$  = 0.047  
 $S$  = 1.19  
2043 reflections  
424 parameters  
All H-atom parameters re-  
fined  
Unit weights applied

$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\max}$  = 0.316  
 $\Delta\rho_{\max}$  = 0.089 e Å<sup>-3</sup>  
 $\Delta\rho_{\min}$  = -0.016 e Å<sup>-3</sup>  
Atomic scattering factors  
from *International Tables*  
for *X-ray Crystallogra-*  
*phy* (1974, Vol. IV, Table  
2.3.1)

C(11)—N(1)—C(21) 121.3 (3) C(13)—C(14)—O(17) 124.5 (4)  
C(3)—C(4)—C(7) 116.7 (4) C(14)—O(17)—C(18) 117.9 (5)  
C(4)—C(7)—C(8) 131.1 (5)

Locations of H atoms in both compounds were found from difference Fourier maps, but the 12 H atoms bonded to the methyl C atoms C(17), C(27), C(17)' and C(27)' in (A) could not be located owing to their free rotation. The high  $R$  value for compound (A) may result from the poor crystal quality and exclusion of the 12 H atoms from the structure-factor calculations.

Data collection: MXC<sup>3</sup> control. Data reduction: Mac Science software. Program(s) used to solve structure: *MULTAN78* (Main, Hull, Lessinger, Germain, Declercq & Woolfson, 1978). Program(s) used to refine structure: *DS\*SYSTEM* (Okada & Koyama, 1991).

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Table 3. Fractional atomic coordinates and equivalent isotropic thermal parameters (Å<sup>2</sup>) for compound (B)

$$U_{eq} = \frac{1}{3} \sum_i \sum_j U_{ij} a_i^* a_j^* a_i a_j$$

	$x$	$y$	$z$	$U_{eq}$
N(1)	0.1540 (1)	0.0892 (4)	0.5108 (3)	0.061 (2)
C(1)	0.1915 (2)	0.0468 (4)	0.6176 (3)	0.054 (3)
C(2)	0.2102 (2)	-0.0822 (5)	0.6304 (4)	0.063 (3)
C(3)	0.2474 (2)	-0.1212 (5)	0.7340 (4)	0.062 (3)
C(4)	0.2682 (2)	-0.0359 (4)	0.8255 (3)	0.053 (3)
C(5)	0.2474 (2)	0.0924 (4)	0.8128 (4)	0.052 (3)
C(6)	0.2096 (2)	0.1320 (5)	0.7104 (4)	0.055 (3)
C(7)	0.3086 (2)	-0.0900 (4)	0.9297 (4)	0.057 (3)
C(8)	0.3512 (2)	-0.0335 (4)	1.0112 (3)	0.049 (2)
C(11)	0.0973 (2)	0.1566 (4)	0.5239 (3)	0.054 (3)
C(12)	0.0596 (2)	0.1137 (5)	0.6060 (4)	0.064 (3)
C(13)	0.0050 (2)	0.1791 (5)	0.6222 (4)	0.066 (3)
C(14)	-0.0121 (2)	0.2860 (4)	0.5533 (4)	0.063 (3)
C(15)	0.0248 (2)	-0.3273 (5)	0.4684 (4)	0.071 (3)
C(16)	0.0794 (2)	0.2633 (5)	0.4559 (4)	0.065 (3)
O(17)	-0.0648 (1)	0.3588 (3)	0.5616 (3)	0.090 (2)
C(18)	-0.1034 (3)	0.3217 (7)	0.6477 (6)	0.090 (4)
C(21)	0.1685 (2)	0.0532 (4)	0.3976 (3)	0.051 (3)
C(22)	0.2305 (2)	0.0287 (4)	0.3810 (4)	0.062 (3)
C(23)	0.2455 (3)	-0.0087 (5)	0.2707 (5)	0.073 (3)
C(24)	0.2003 (3)	-0.0218 (5)	0.1743 (5)	0.077 (4)
C(25)	0.1395 (3)	0.0039 (5)	0.1881 (4)	0.072 (3)
C(26)	0.1237 (2)	0.0417 (4)	0.2982 (4)	0.060 (3)
C(31)	0.3870 (2)	-0.1102 (4)	1.1089 (3)	0.049 (2)
C(32)	0.4306 (2)	-0.0518 (5)	1.1924 (5)	0.082 (3)
C(33)	0.4624 (3)	-0.1206 (7)	1.2873 (5)	0.089 (4)
C(34)	0.4529 (2)	-0.2494 (6)	1.2996 (4)	0.081 (4)
C(35)	0.4117 (3)	-0.3092 (6)	1.2163 (5)	0.103 (4)
C(36)	0.3799 (3)	-0.2406 (6)	1.1226 (5)	0.090 (4)
C(41)	0.3665 (2)	0.1066 (4)	1.0059 (3)	0.048 (2)
C(42)	0.3446 (2)	0.1972 (5)	1.0820 (4)	0.056 (3)
C(43)	0.3596 (2)	0.3261 (5)	1.0758 (4)	0.064 (3)
C(44)	0.3970 (2)	0.3690 (5)	0.9932 (5)	0.069 (3)
C(45)	0.4194 (2)	0.2800 (6)	0.9190 (5)	0.075 (3)
C(46)	0.4046 (2)	0.1512 (5)	0.9248 (4)	0.063 (3)

Table 4. Geometric parameters (Å, °) for compound (B)

N(1)—C(1)	1.425 (5)	C(8)—C(31)	1.484 (5)
N(1)—C(11)	1.430 (5)	C(8)—C(41)	1.484 (6)
N(1)—C(21)	1.396 (5)	C(14)—O(17)	1.376 (6)
C(4)—C(7)	1.473 (5)	O(17)—C(18)	1.409 (8)
C(7)—C(8)	1.343 (5)		
C(1)—N(1)—C(11)	117.6 (3)	C(7)—C(8)—C(31)	121.0 (4)
C(1)—N(1)—C(21)	120.7 (3)	C(7)—C(8)—C(41)	122.1 (4)

Lists of structure factors, anisotropic thermal parameters, H-atom coordinates, complete geometry and least-squares-planes data have been deposited with the British Library Document Supply Centre as Supplementary Publication No. SUP 71127 (57 pp.). Copies may be obtained through The Technical Editor, International Union of Crystallography, 5 Abbey Square, Chester CH1 2HU, England. [CIF reference: AS1045]

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## Two Novel Ten-Membered Ring Compounds: 1,2,5,8-Dithiadiazecine-6,7-diones

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**Abstract**

The structures of two new ten-membered ring compounds, 3,4,5,8,9,10-hexamethyl-1,2,5,8-dithiadiazecine-6,7(5*H*,8*H*)-dione (I) and 11,14-dimethyldibenzo[*c*,*i*]-