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## Tricyclohexyl[(*N,N*-diethylthiocarbamoylthio)acetato-*O*]tin(IV)

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### Abstract

The Sn atom in the title compound, [Sn(C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>11</sub>)<sub>3</sub>(C<sub>7</sub>H<sub>12</sub>NO<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>)], is four-coordinate in a distorted tetrahedral arrangement.

### Comment

The tricyclohexyltin derivatives of *N,N*-dithiocarbamoylacetic acids have been assigned a tetrahedral geometry on the basis of spectroscopic measurements (Ng & Kumar Das, 1991) and this has been confirmed by the present study on the *N,N*-diethylthiocarbamoylacetate derivative, (I). Intermolecular distances exceed

3.5 Å and bond dimensions involving the Sn atom are similar to those found in four-coordinate triorganotin carboxylates (Tiekink, 1991, 1994).

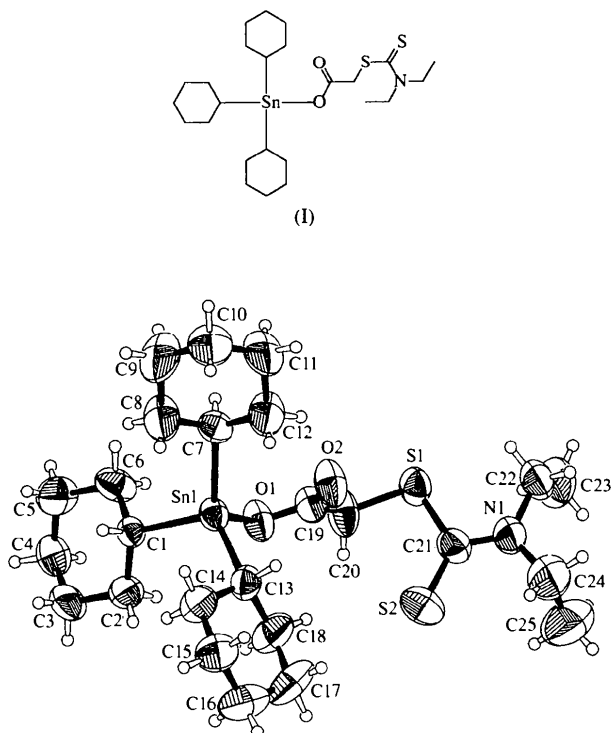


Fig. 1. ZORTEP (Zsolnai & Pritzkow, 1996) plot of compound (I). Displacement ellipsoids are shown at the 50% probability level and H atoms are drawn as small circles of arbitrary radii.

## Experimental

The title compound was synthesized from tricyclohexyltin hydroxide and *N,N*-diethylthiocarbamoylacetic acid in ethanol (Ng & Kumar Das, 1991).

### Crystal data

[Sn(C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>11</sub>)<sub>3</sub>(C<sub>7</sub>H<sub>12</sub>NO<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>)]

*M<sub>r</sub>* = 574.43

Triclinic

*P* $\bar{1}$

*a* = 9.3375 (8) Å

*b* = 10.0667 (9) Å

*c* = 17.456 (2) Å

$\alpha$  = 79.866 (9)°

$\beta$  = 81.874 (9)°

$\gamma$  = 62.776 (7)°

*V* = 1432.8 (3) Å<sup>3</sup>

*Z* = 2

*D<sub>x</sub>* = 1.331 Mg m<sup>-3</sup>

*D<sub>m</sub>* not measured

Mo K $\alpha$  radiation

$\lambda$  = 0.71073 Å

Cell parameters from 25 reflections

$\theta$  = 14.5–15.0°

$\mu$  = 1.057 mm<sup>-1</sup>

*T* = 300 K

Block

0.51 × 0.43 × 0.36 mm

Colorless

### Data collection

Enraf–Nonius CAD-4 diffractometer

4451 reflections with *I* > 2 $\sigma$ (*I*)

$\omega$  scans  $R_{\text{int}} = 0.0117$   
 Absorption correction:  $\theta_{\text{max}} = 24.97^\circ$   
 $\psi$  scans (North, Phillips & Mathews, 1968)  $h = 0 \rightarrow 11$   
 $T_{\text{min}} = 0.592, T_{\text{max}} = 0.684$   $k = -10 \rightarrow 11$   
 5348 measured reflections  $l = -20 \rightarrow 20$   
 5007 independent reflections 3 standard reflections  
 frequency: 60 min  
 intensity decay: 5.5%

**Refinement**

Refinement on  $F^2$   $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\text{max}} < 0.001$   
 $R(F) = 0.0375$   $\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 0.709 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$   
 $wR(F^2) = 0.1115$   $\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.281 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$   
 $S = 1.166$  Extinction correction: none  
 5004 reflections Scattering factors from  
 280 parameters *International Tables for*  
 H atoms:  $U(\text{H}) = 1.5U_{\text{eq}}(\text{C})$  *Crystallography* (Vol. C)  
 $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0562P)^2$   
 $+ 1.028P]$   
 where  $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$

Table 1. Selected geometric parameters ( $\text{\AA}, ^\circ$ )

Sn1—C1	2.158 (4)	Sn1—C13	2.144 (5)
Sn1—C7	2.149 (4)	Sn1—O1	2.066 (3)
C1—Sn1—C7	110.1 (2)	C7—Sn1—C13	115.5 (2)
C1—Sn1—C13	114.6 (2)	C7—Sn1—O1	113.5 (2)
C1—Sn1—O1	95.2 (1)	C13—Sn1—O1	106.1 (2)

Data collection: *CAD-4 VAX/PC* (Enraf–Nonius, 1988). Cell refinement: *CAD-4 VAX/PC*. Data reduction: *Xtal3.0* (Hall & Stewart, 1990). Program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS86* (Sheldrick, 1990). Program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL93* (Sheldrick, 1993). Molecular graphics: *ZORTEP* (Zsolnai & Pritzkow, 1996). Software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXL93*.

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**Bis[*N*-(4-bromophenyl)salicylaldimine]copper(II)**

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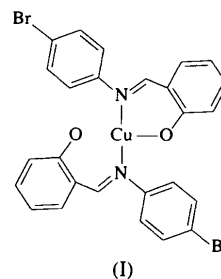
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**Abstract**

The title compound, bis[2-(4-bromophenyliminomethyl)-phenolato-*N,O*]copper(II),  $[\text{Cu}(\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_9\text{BrNO})_2]$ , has crystallographic inversion symmetry. The  $\text{Cu}^{\text{II}}$  ion shows a slightly distorted square-planar coordination. The Cu—N and Cu—O distances are 2.019 (4) and 1.879 (4) Å, respectively.

**Comment**

Metal derivatives of Schiff bases have been extensively studied, and copper(II) and nickel(II) complexes play a major role in both synthetic and structural research. Schiff-base complexes are one of the most important stereochemical models in main group and transition metal coordination chemistry with their easy preparation and structural variation (Garnovskii, Nivorozhkin & Minkin, 1993). Copper(II) and nickel(II) ions react with tridentate anionic Schiff bases, giving dimerized complexes with square-planar configurations (Maggio, Pizzino & Romano, 1974). We report here the results of the reaction of copper(II) with the bidentate ligand *N*-(4-bromophenyl)salicylaldimine, forming the title complex, (I).



The two bidentate ligands are coordinated as chelates to copper(II). The coordination of the Cu atom is necessarily square planar by symmetry. The Cu—O and Cu—N distances are 1.879 (4) and 2.019 (4) Å, respectively. These distances agree with values in other square-planar coordinated copper(II) complexes (Akhtar