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(-)-(3S)-4-(2-{[4,4-Dimethoxy-6-(benzyloxymethyl)perhydropyran-2yl]methyl}-1,3-dithian-2-yl)-4-methyl-3-(1,1,2,2-tetramethyl-1-silapropoxy)pentan-1-ol

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The absolute configuration was determined for the title compound, (-)-C₃₂H₅₆O₆S₂Si, (I), which was prepared in a synthetic study on the natural products bryostatins. Two independent molecules show similar conformations, except for the orientation of the methoxy groups.

Comment

The absolute configuration was determined for the title compound, which was prepared in a synthetic study on the natural products bryostatins. A synthetic study on bryostatin 3 has been reported (Obitsu *et al.*, 1998).



Crystal data

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\begin{array}{l} C_{32}H_{56}O_6S_2Si\\ M_r = 629.00\\ Monoclinic, P2_1\\ a = 6.878 (3) Å\\ b = 19.658 (3) Å\\ c = 26.493 (2) Å\\ \beta = 91.33 (2)^\circ\\ V = 3581.1 (17) Å^3\\ Z = 4 \end{array}
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Data collection

Rigaku AFC-5 diffractometer ω scans Absorption correction: by integration (Coppens *et al.*, 1965) $T_{\min} = 0.881, T_{\max} = 0.977$ 7078 measured reflections 6497 independent reflections 4622 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$

Refinement

Refinement on F^2 $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0591P)^2]$ R(F) = 0.051+ 1.2827P] $wR(F^2) = 0.130$ where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$ S = 1.02 $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\rm max} = 0.017$ $\Delta \rho_{\rm max} = 1.00 \text{ e} \text{ Å}^{-3}$ 6497 reflections $\Delta \rho_{\rm min} = -0.29 \ {\rm e} \ {\rm \AA}^{-3}$ 745 parameters H atoms treated by a mixture of Absolute structure: Flack (1983), no independent and constrained Friedel pairs refinement Flack parameter = 0.0(1)

Table 1

Selected geometric parameters (Å, °).

S1-C10	1.805 (7)	Si3-O8	1.648 (4)
S1-C13	1.859 (5)	Si3-C36	1.856 (8)
S2-C12	1.807 (7)	Si3-C37	1.864 (10)
S2-C13	1.843 (6)	Si3-C38	1.878 (8)
S51-C60	1.807 (7)	Si53-O58	1.663 (5)
S51-C63	1.861 (5)	Si53-C86	1.845 (8)
S52-C62	1.829 (7)	Si53-C87	1.853 (9)
S52-C63	1.836 (5)	Si53-C88	1.876 (8)
Si3-O8-C33	128.8 (4)	Si53-O58-C83	128.8 (4)

 $D_x = 1.167 \text{ Mg m}^{-3}$

Cell parameters from 25 reflections

Mo $K\alpha$ radiation

 $\theta = 14.3 - 15.0^{\circ}$ $\mu = 0.220 \text{ mm}^{-1}$

T = 298 (1) K

 $R_{\rm int} = 0.030$

 $\theta_{\rm max} = 25^{\circ}$

 $h = 0 \rightarrow 8$

 $k = 0 \rightarrow 23$

 $l = -31 \rightarrow 31$

3 standard reflections

every 100 reflections

intensity decay: 1.0%

Plate-like, colourless

 $0.7 \times 0.6 \times 0.1 \ \mathrm{mm}$

Table 2

Hydrogen-bonding geometry (Å, °).

$\overline{D-\mathrm{H}\cdots A}$	D-H	$H \cdot \cdot \cdot A$	$D \cdots A$	$D - H \cdots A$
O9−H9····O4 ⁱ	0.97 (5)	2.17 (6)	3.035 (6)	147 (5)
$O9-H9\cdots O7^{i}$	0.97 (5)	2.41 (4)	3.188 (7)	136 (5)
O59−H59···O54 ⁱⁱ	0.98 (5)	2.30 (6)	3.096 (6)	138 (5)
O59−H59···O57 ⁱⁱ	0.98 (5)	2.28 (5)	3.082 (7)	139 (5)

Symmetry codes: (i) $-x, \frac{1}{2} + y, 2 - z$; (ii) $-1 - x, \frac{1}{2} + y, 1 - z$.

Hydroxyl H atoms were located from a difference synthesis and their positional parameters were refined with a restraint of O–H = 0.98 Å (s.u. 0.01 Å) and with $U_{\rm iso}({\rm H}) = 1.2U_{\rm eq}({\rm parent atom})$. The other H-atom positional parameters were calculated geometrically and fixed with $U_{\rm iso}({\rm H}) = 1.2U_{\rm eq}({\rm parent atom})$. A maximum residual density of 1.00 e Å⁻³ was located 1.11 Å from the C88 atom, suggesting an orientational disorder of the tetramethylsilapropoxy

Experimental

The optically active title compound was prepared by the authors in a synthetic study on bryostatins (Ohmori *et al.*, 2000). The angle of rotation $[\alpha]_D^{22}$ is -6.24° (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃). Crystals were grown from a hexane/ethyl acetate solution.

group. The absolute structure was determined based on a Flack parameter value of 0.0 (1), which is consistent with the expected absolute configuration of 3S produced by Sharpless asymmetric epoxidation protocl. The two independent molecules are related approximately by a translation of (0.47, -0.05, 0.50), except for the methoxy O atoms.

Data collection: *MSC/AFC Diffractometer Control Software* (Molecular Structure Corporation, 1993); cell refinement: *MSC/AFC Diffractometer Control Software*; data reduction: *TEXSAN* (Molecular Structure Corporation, 1999); program(s) used to solve structure: SiR92 (Altomare *et al.*, 1994); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL*97 (Sheldrick, 1997); software used to prepare material for publication: *TEXSAN*.

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