

*N'*-(4-Chlorobenzoyl)-*N,N*-diphenylthioureaHakan Arslan,<sup>a</sup> Ulrich Flörke<sup>b\*</sup>  
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## Key indicators

Single-crystal X-ray study

*T* = 293 KMean  $\sigma$ (C–C) = 0.004 Å*R* factor = 0.041*wR* factor = 0.122

Data-to-parameter ratio = 18.0

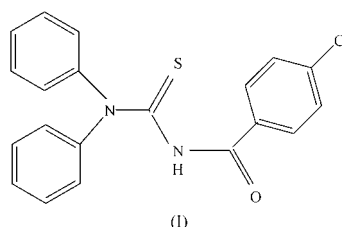
For details of how these key indicators were  
automatically derived from the article, see  
<http://journals.iucr.org/e>.The crystal packing in the title compound, C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>15</sub>ClN<sub>2</sub>OS, shows sheets of molecules stacked along [001].

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## Comment

Recently, we discussed a novel series of thiourea derivatives and their metal complexes (Arslan *et al.*, 2003). One of these new derivatives is the title compound, (I), reported here.

The bond lengths and angles in the thiourea moiety are typical for thiourea derivatives; the C8–S1 and C7–O1 bonds both show typical double-bond character. However, the C–N bond lengths C7–N1, C8–N1 and C8–N2 are shorter than the normal C–N single-bond length of about 1.48 Å. The shortening of these C–N bonds reveals the effects of resonance in this part of the molecule. All other bond lengths fall within the expected ranges; the terminal C3–Cl1 bond length is 1.735 (2) Å. The conformation of the molecule with respect to the thiocarbonyl and carbonyl moieties is twisted, as reflected by the torsion angles O1–C7–N1–C8 and C7–N1–C8–N2 of 4.9 (3) and 49.8 (3)°, respectively. Intermolecular hydrogen-bonding *D*–H···*A* parameters are: N1–H1A···S1(–*x* + 1, –*y* + 2, –*z* + 1) with H···*A* = 2.48 Å and a *D*–H···*A* angle of 153°; C2–H2A···O1(*x* + 1, *y*, *z*) with H···*A* = 2.32 Å and a *D*–H···*A* angle of 133°; a weak interaction C12–H12A···O1(–*x*, –*y* + 2, –*z* + 2) with H···*A* = 2.68 Å and a *D*–H···*A* angle of 160° (values

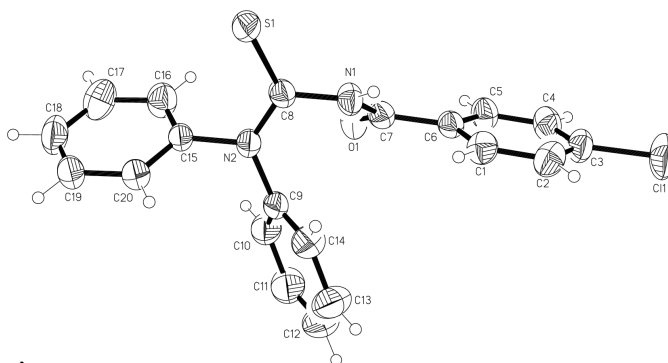
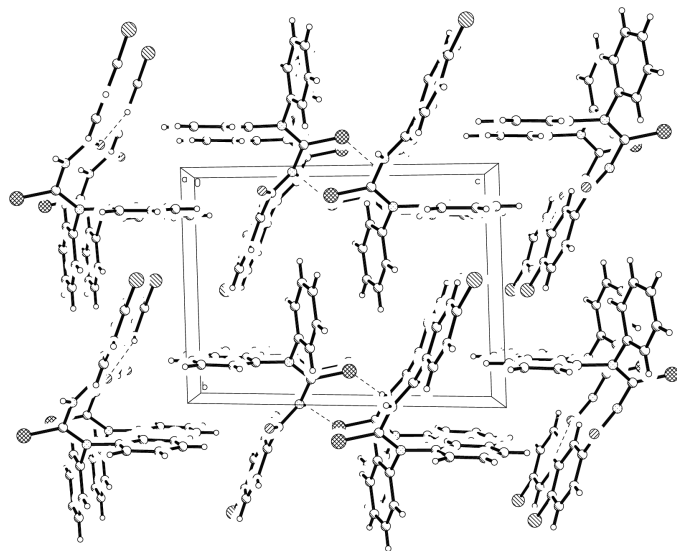


Figure 1

The molecular structure of the title compound. Displacement ellipsoids are drawn at the 50% probability level.



**Figure 2**  
Packing diagram, viewed along [100]. Hydrogen bonding is indicated by dashed lines.

normalized for N–H = 1.03 and C–H = 1.08 Å). Accordingly, molecules are packed in parallel sheets along [001].

## Experimental

The title compound was prepared according to the method of Arslan *et al.* (2003) by converting 4-chlorobenzoyl chloride into 4-chlorobenzoyl isothiocyanate and then condensing with the appropriate secondary amine. The compound was recrystallized from ethanol/dichloromethane (1:1).

### Crystal data

$C_{20}H_{15}ClN_2OS$   
 $M_r = 366.85$   
Triclinic,  $P\bar{1}$   
 $a = 6.811$  (2) Å  
 $b = 9.950$  (1) Å  
 $c = 13.442$  (2) Å  
 $\alpha = 88.14$  (1)°  
 $\beta = 79.12$  (2)°  
 $\gamma = 89.54$  (1)°  
 $V = 894.1$  (3) Å<sup>3</sup>

$Z = 2$   
 $D_x = 1.363$  Mg m<sup>-3</sup>  
Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation  
Cell parameters from 26 reflections  
 $\theta = 7.5$ – $18.6$ °  
 $\mu = 0.34$  mm<sup>-1</sup>  
 $T = 293$  (2) K  
Prism, pale yellow  
 $0.38 \times 0.25 \times 0.14$  mm

### Data collection

Bruker P4 diffractometer  
 $\omega$  scans  
Absorption correction:  $\psi$  scan  
(North *et al.*, 1968)  
 $T_{\min} = 0.811$ ,  $T_{\max} = 0.946$   
5122 measured reflections  
4095 independent reflections  
2774 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$

$R_{\text{int}} = 0.016$   
 $\theta_{\text{max}} = 27.5$ °  
 $h = -1 \rightarrow 8$   
 $k = -12 \rightarrow 12$   
 $l = -17 \rightarrow 17$   
3 standard reflections  
every 397 reflections  
intensity decay: <1%

### Refinement

Refinement on  $F^2$   
 $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.041$   
 $wR(F^2) = 0.122$   
 $S = 1.08$   
4095 reflections  
227 parameters  
H-atom parameters constrained

$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0433P)^2 + 0.3889P]$   
where  $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$   
( $\Delta/\sigma$ )<sub>max</sub> = 0.001  
 $\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 0.33$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>  
 $\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.25$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>  
Extinction correction: *SHELXL97*  
Extinction coefficient: 0.010 (2)

**Table 1**

Selected geometric parameters (Å, °).

Cl1–C3	1.735 (2)	N1–C7	1.389 (3)
S1–C8	1.664 (2)	N1–C8	1.393 (2)
O1–C7	1.213 (3)	N2–C8	1.346 (3)
C7–N1–C8	124.4 (2)	N2–C8–N1	116.1 (2)
O1–C7–N1	122.3 (2)	N2–C8–S1	123.6 (2)
O1–C7–C6	122.7 (2)	N1–C8–S1	120.3 (2)
N1–C7–C6	115.0 (2)		

H atoms were refined at calculated positions riding on the C atoms, with isotropic displacement parameters  $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H}) = 1.2U_{\text{eq}}(\text{C})$ .

Data collection: *XSCANS* (Siemens, 1996); cell refinement: *XSCANS*; data reduction: *SHELXTL* (Bruker, 1998); program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXTL*; program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXTL*; molecular graphics: *SHELXTL*; software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXTL*.

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