

## Chloro[5,6-diphenyl-1,2,4-triazine-3(2H)-thionato]dimethyltin(IV)

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## Key indicators

Single-crystal X-ray study  
T = 296 K  
Mean  $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.004 \text{ \AA}$   
R factor = 0.028  
wR factor = 0.071  
Data-to-parameter ratio = 15.7

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The reaction between dichlorodimethyltin(IV) and 5-methoxy-5,6-diphenyl-4,5-dihydro-2H-1,2,4-triazine-3-thione yields the title complex,  $[\text{SnClMe}_2(\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{10}\text{N}_3\text{S})]$ . The coordination sphere of the Sn atom is formed by the S, amine N and Cl atoms and two methyl groups, giving a pentacoordinate geometry. The distances Sn–N = 2.525 (2) Å, Sn–S = 2.4671 (7) Å, Sn–C = 2.109 (3) and 2.111 (4) Å, and Sn–Cl = 2.4220 (7) Å are in the ranges expected for this type of complex. The coordination mode of the triazinethione ligand results in a four-membered chelate ring.

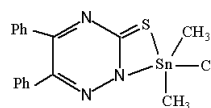
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## Comment

In the title molecule, (I), the geometry is intermediate between a square-base pyramid and a trigonal bipyramid ( $t = 0.41$ ; Addison *et al.*, 1984). The thione bond distance of 1.738 (3) Å is longer than in the uncoordinated precursor molecule [1.628 (2) Å; Arquero *et al.*, 1998] and is intermediate between the theoretical C–S single- and double-bond lengths (Sutton, 1965); this is also the case for the N–N bonds. The X-ray analysis confirms the structure proposed from spectroscopy measurements.



(I)

## Experimental

The complex was synthesized as described by López-Torres *et al.* (2003). Recrystallization from chloroform afforded yellow crystals suitable for X-ray analysis.

## Crystal data

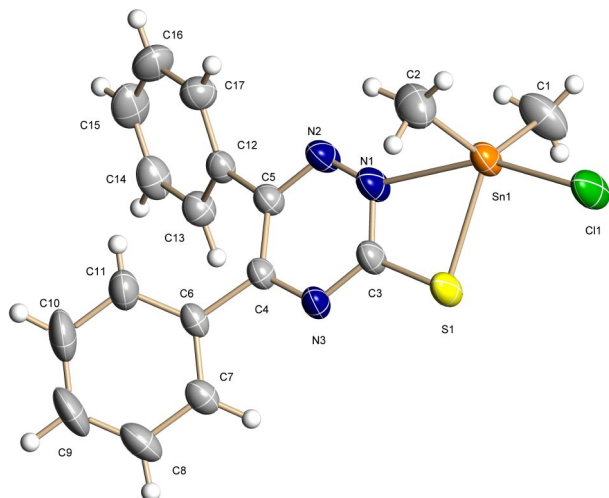
$[\text{SnCl}(\text{CH}_3)_2(\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{10}\text{N}_3\text{S})]$   
 $M_r = 448.53$   
Triclinic,  $P\bar{1}$   
 $a = 7.5737 (1) \text{ \AA}$   
 $b = 10.6393 (1) \text{ \AA}$   
 $c = 12.4602 (1) \text{ \AA}$   
 $\alpha = 79.524 (1)^\circ$   
 $\beta = 74.738 (1)^\circ$   
 $\gamma = 73.828 (1)^\circ$

$V = 923.890 (17) \text{ \AA}^3$   
 $Z = 2$   
 $D_x = 1.612 \text{ Mg m}^{-3}$   
Cu  $K\alpha$  radiation  
 $\mu = 13.39 \text{ mm}^{-1}$   
 $T = 296 (2) \text{ K}$   
Prism, yellow  
 $0.30 \times 0.20 \times 0.20 \text{ mm}$

## Data collection

Bruker SMART CCD diffractometer  
 $\omega$  scans  
Absorption correction: multi-scan (SADABS; Sheldrick, 1997–2001)  
 $T_{\text{min}} = 0.062$ ,  $T_{\text{max}} = 0.069$   
10 236 measured reflections

3309 independent reflections  
3256 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$   
 $R_{\text{int}} = 0.042$   
 $\theta_{\text{max}} = 70.4^\circ$   
 $h = -9 \rightarrow 9$   
 $k = -12 \rightarrow 12$   
 $l = -15 \rightarrow 15$



**Figure 1**  
A view of (I), with the atomic numbering scheme. Displacement ellipsoids are drawn at the 50% probability level.

#### Refinement

Refinement on  $F^2$   
 $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.028$   
 $wR(F^2) = 0.071$   
 $S = 1.04$   
 3309 reflections  
 211 parameters  
 H-atom parameters constrained

$$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0419P)^2 + 0.3651P]$$

where  $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$   
 $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\max} = 0.001$   
 $\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.91 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$   
 $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.73 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$   
 Extinction correction: *SHELXL97*  
 Extinction coefficient: 0.0023 (2)

H atoms were placed in idealized positions, with C—H distances of 0.93 Å (0.96 Å for methyl), and were included in the refinement in the riding-model approximation, with  $U_{\text{iso}}$  values equal to  $1.2U_{\text{eq}}$  ( $1.5U_{\text{eq}}$  for methyl) of the carrier atom.

Data collection: *SMART* (Bruker, 1997–2001); cell refinement: *SMART*; data reduction: *SAINT-Plus-NT* (Bruker, 1997–2001); program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 1997); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 1997); molecular graphics: *SHELXTL* (Bruker, 2000); software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXTL*.

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