

## 5,7-Diiodoquinolin-8-ol

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## Key indicators

Single-crystal X-ray study

T = 173 K

Mean  $\sigma(C-C)$  = 0.006 Å

R factor = 0.031

wR factor = 0.077

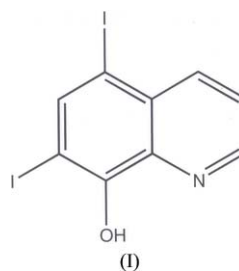
Data-to-parameter ratio = 18.7

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The title compound,  $C_9H_5I_2NO$ , features an almost planar molecule. Geometric parameters are in the usual ranges. The crystal packing shows that two hydrogen-bonded molecules are related by a twofold rotation axis.

## Comment

5,7-Diiodoquinolin-8-ol, (I), is of therapeutic interest. Quinolin-8-ol and its derivatives have antibacterial activity and form chelate complexes with divalent metal ions (Rohde *et al.*, 1976). The importance of metallic oxinates in analytical chemistry is also well known. Oxine and its derivatives have found extensive application as analytical reagents (Guerreiro *et al.*, 2002) in absorption spectroscopy, fluorimetry, extraction with solvents and chromatography. In an attempt to prepare the manganese complex of 5,7-diiodo-8-hydroxyquinoline we obtained crystals of the ligand, (I). A perspective view of the title compound is shown in Fig. 1. Bond lengths and angles can be regarded as normal (Cambridge Structural Database; Version 5.27, November 2005, updated August 2006; Allen, 2002). The molecule is essentially planar (r.m.s. deviation for all non-H atoms is 0.058 Å). The packing diagram (Fig. 2) reveals that two molecules, which are related by a twofold rotation axis, are connected by an O—H...N hydrogen bonds (Table 1).



## Experimental

An attempt was made to complex 5,7-diiodoquinolin-8-ol with manganese. Unfortunately, ligand (I) crystallized out in an attempt to recrystallize the complex (m.p. 471–473 K) from toluene.

## Crystal data

$C_9H_5I_2NO$   
 $M_r$  = 396.94  
Monoclinic,  $P2_1/c$   
 $a$  = 14.1699 (13) Å  
 $b$  = 4.2915 (4) Å  
 $c$  = 16.1565 (13) Å  
 $\beta$  = 96.801 (7)°  
 $V$  = 975.57 (15) Å<sup>3</sup>

$Z$  = 4  
 $D_x$  = 2.703 Mg m<sup>-3</sup>  
Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation  
 $\mu$  = 6.40 mm<sup>-1</sup>  
 $T$  = 173 (2) K  
Rod, yellow  
0.31 × 0.11 × 0.10 mm

Data collection

Stoe IPDS-II two-circle diffractometer  
 $\omega$  scans  
 Absorption correction: multi-scan (MULABS; Spek, 2003; Blessing, 1995)  
 $T_{\min} = 0.318$ ,  $T_{\max} = 0.527$

7396 measured reflections  
 2244 independent reflections  
 2163 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$   
 $R_{\text{int}} = 0.046$   
 $\theta_{\text{max}} = 27.5^\circ$

Refinement

Refinement on  $F^2$   
 $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.031$   
 $wR(F^2) = 0.077$   
 $S = 1.17$   
 2244 reflections  
 120 parameters  
 H-atom parameters constrained

$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0385P)^2 + 2.4632P]$   
 where  $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$   
 $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\text{max}} = 0.001$   
 $\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 1.25 \text{ e } \text{Å}^{-3}$   
 $\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -1.23 \text{ e } \text{Å}^{-3}$   
 Extinction correction: SHELXL97  
 Extinction coefficient: 0.0083 (5)

Table 1

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °).

D—H...A	D—H	H...A	D...A	D—H...A
O1—H1...N7 <sup>i</sup>	0.84	1.98	2.757 (5)	154

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

H atoms were found in a difference Fourier map but they were constrained, with C—H = 0.95 Å and O—H = 0.84 Å, and were refined using a riding model;  $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H}) = 1.2U_{\text{eq}}(\text{C}, \text{O})$ . The hydroxyl group was allowed to rotate but not to tip. The highest peak in the final difference Fourier map is located at 0.77 Å from I1 and the deepest hole is at 0.98 Å from I2.

Data collection: X-AREA (Stoe & Cie, 2001); cell refinement: X-AEA; data reduction: X-AEA; program(s) used to solve structure: SHELXS86 (Sheldrick, 1990); program(s) used to refine structure: SHELXL97 (Sheldrick, 1997); molecular graphics: PLATON (Spek, 2003) and XP in SHELXTL-Plus (Sheldrick, 1991); software used to prepare material for publication: SHELXL97 and PLATON.

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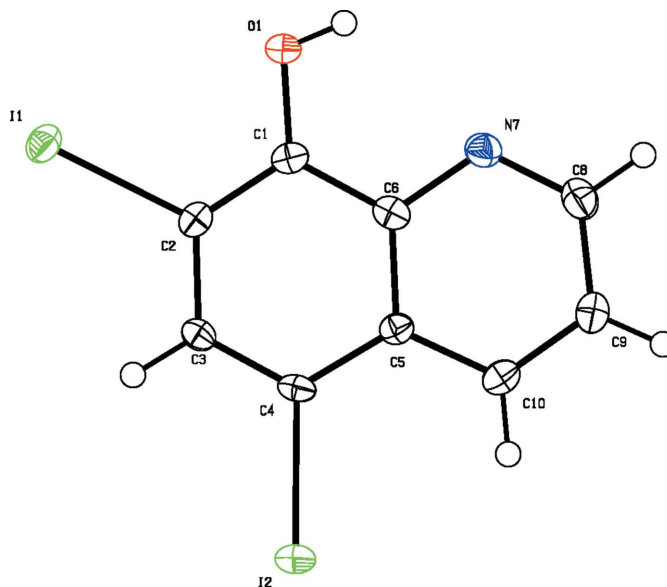


Figure 1 Molecular structure of (I). Displacement ellipsoids are drawn at the 50% probability level.

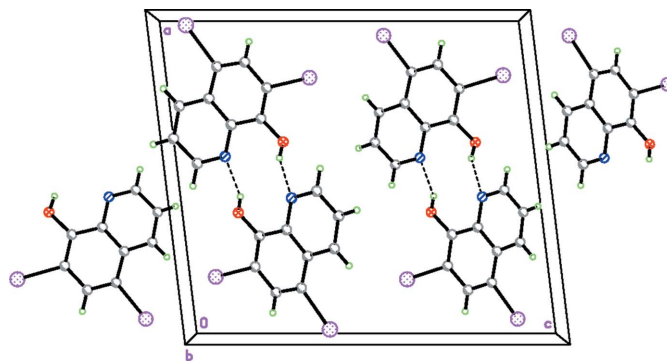


Figure 2 Packing diagram of (I) viewed along the *b* axis. Hydrogen bonds are shown as dashed lines.

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