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## 3,4-Dichlorohypnone

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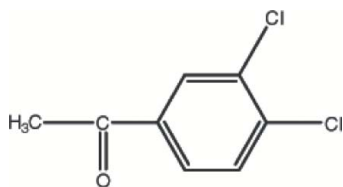
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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study;  $T = 294$  K; mean  $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.002$  Å;  $R$  factor = 0.033;  $wR$  factor = 0.094; data-to-parameter ratio = 16.2.

The title compound [systematic name: 1-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)ethanone],  $\text{C}_8\text{H}_6\text{Cl}_2\text{O}$ , was prepared by the reaction of aluminium trichloride with *o*-dichlorobenzene and acetyl chloride. There is  $\pi$  stacking in the structure.

### Related literature

For related literature, see: Evans & Trotter (1988); Haisa *et al.* (1976); Hatanaka *et al.* (1989).



### Experimental

#### Crystal data

$\text{C}_8\text{H}_6\text{Cl}_2\text{O}$   
 $M_r = 189.03$

Monoclinic,  $P2_1/c$   
 $a = 7.2878$  (15) Å

$b = 10.597$  (2) Å  
 $c = 10.610$  (2) Å  
 $\beta = 102.717$  (3)°  
 $V = 799.3$  (3) Å<sup>3</sup>  
 $Z = 4$

Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation

$\mu = 0.74$  mm<sup>-1</sup>

$T = 294$  (2) K

$0.20 \times 0.18 \times 0.16$  mm

#### Data collection

Bruker SMART CCD area-detector diffractometer

Absorption correction: multi-scan (*SADABS*; Bruker, 1997)

$T_{\min} = 0.866$ ,  $T_{\max} = 0.890$

4489 measured reflections

1637 independent reflections

1449 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$

$R_{\text{int}} = 0.018$

#### Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.033$

$wR(F^2) = 0.094$

$S = 1.05$

1637 reflections

101 parameters

H-atom parameters constrained

$\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 0.26$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>

$\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.29$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>

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

Supplementary data and figures for this paper are available from the IUCr electronic archives (Reference: AT2284).

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#### Comment

Hypnone derivate is an important kind of intermediate in industry of fine chemicals. They are extensively used as starting material in the synthetic of pesticide and medication (Hatanaka *et al.*, 1989). Because of the low melt point of them, the crysstal of hypnone derivate are rare. As part of our search for new hypnone derivate compounds we synthesized the title compound (I), and describe its structure here.

The distance of C7—O1 of 1.201 (2) Å is shorter than the C—O distance of 1.215 Å reported by Haisa *et al.* (1976). The C4—Cl2 and C3—Cl1 distances of 1.7063 (17) and 1.7072 (17) Å, respectively, are similar to the C—Cl distance of 1.747Å reported by Evans *et al.* (1988).

#### Experimental

A mixture of the *o*-dichloro benzene (0.1 mol), acetyl chloride (0.1 mol) and aluminium trichloride (0.15 mol), was stirred in refluxing trichloromethane (30 ml) for 5 h to afford the title compound (0.085 mol, yield 85%). Single crystals of the title compound (I) suitable for X-ray measurements were obtained by recrystallization from EtOH at room temperature.

#### Refinement

H atoms were fixed geometrically and allowed to ride on their attached atoms, with C—H = 0.93 - 0.96 Å , and  $U_{\text{iso}}=1.2-1.5U_{\text{eq}}$ .

#### Figures

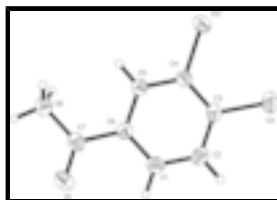


Fig. 1. The structure of the title compound (I), showing 30% probability displacement ellipsoids and the atom-numbering scheme.

#### 1-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)ethanone

##### Crystal data

C<sub>8</sub>H<sub>6</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>O

$M_r = 189.03$

Monoclinic,  $P2_1/c$

$F_{000} = 384$

$D_x = 1.571 \text{ Mg m}^{-3}$

Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation

$\lambda = 0.71073 \text{ \AA}$

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Hall symbol: -P 2ybc

$a = 7.2878$  (15) Å

$b = 10.597$  (2) Å

$c = 10.610$  (2) Å

$\beta = 102.717$  (3)°

$V = 799.3$  (3) Å<sup>3</sup>

$Z = 4$

Cell parameters from 3035 reflections

$\theta = 2.9$ – $26.4$ °

$\mu = 0.74$  mm<sup>-1</sup>

$T = 294$  (2) K

Block, colourless

$0.20 \times 0.18 \times 0.16$  mm

## Data collection

Bruker SMART CCD area-detector  
diffractometer

Radiation source: fine-focus sealed tube

Monochromator: graphite

$T = 294$ (2) K

$\varphi$  and  $\omega$  scans

Absorption correction: multi-scan  
(SADABS; Bruker, 1997)

$T_{\min} = 0.866$ ,  $T_{\max} = 0.890$

4489 measured reflections

1637 independent reflections

1449 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$

$R_{\text{int}} = 0.018$

$\theta_{\max} = 26.4$ °

$\theta_{\min} = 2.8$ °

$h = -9 \rightarrow 8$

$k = -9 \rightarrow 13$

$l = -13 \rightarrow 12$

## Refinement

Refinement on  $F^2$

Least-squares matrix: full

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.033$

$wR(F^2) = 0.094$

$S = 1.05$

1637 reflections

101 parameters

Primary atom site location: structure-invariant direct  
methods

Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier map

Hydrogen site location: inferred from neighbouring  
sites

H-atom parameters constrained

$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0506P)^2 + 0.2513P]$

where  $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$

$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\max} = 0.001$

$\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.26$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>

$\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.29$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>

Extinction correction: none

## Special details

**Geometry.** All esds (except the esd in the dihedral angle between two l.s. planes) are estimated using the full covariance matrix. The cell esds are taken into account individually in the estimation of esds in distances, angles and torsion angles; correlations between esds in cell parameters are only used when they are defined by crystal symmetry. An approximate (isotropic) treatment of cell esds is used for estimating esds involving l.s. planes.

**Refinement.** Refinement of  $F^2$  against ALL reflections. The weighted R-factor  $wR$  and goodness of fit  $S$  are based on  $F^2$ , conventional R-factors  $R$  are based on  $F$ , with  $F$  set to zero for negative  $F^2$ . The threshold expression of  $F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)$  is used only for calculating R-factors(gt) etc. and is not relevant to the choice of reflections for refinement. R-factors based on  $F^2$  are statistically about twice as large as those based on  $F$ , and R-factors based on ALL data will be even larger.

Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2$ )

|     | x           | y            | z            | $U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$ |
|-----|-------------|--------------|--------------|----------------------------------|
| Cl1 | 0.09028 (8) | 0.22661 (5)  | 0.39055 (6)  | 0.06076 (19)                     |
| Cl2 | 0.12712 (9) | 0.44153 (5)  | 0.19719 (5)  | 0.0671 (2)                       |
| O1  | 0.4462 (2)  | 0.73876 (15) | 0.70133 (14) | 0.0665 (4)                       |
| C1  | 0.2990 (2)  | 0.50645 (18) | 0.61880 (17) | 0.0466 (4)                       |
| H1  | 0.3372      | 0.5199       | 0.7073       | 0.056*                           |
| C2  | 0.2314 (3)  | 0.39160 (18) | 0.57462 (18) | 0.0495 (4)                       |
| H2  | 0.2227      | 0.3271       | 0.6325       | 0.059*                           |
| C3  | 0.1763 (2)  | 0.37135 (16) | 0.44448 (18) | 0.0421 (4)                       |
| C4  | 0.1904 (2)  | 0.46613 (16) | 0.35993 (16) | 0.0409 (4)                       |
| C5  | 0.2580 (2)  | 0.58170 (16) | 0.40441 (16) | 0.0409 (4)                       |
| H5  | 0.2675      | 0.6458       | 0.3464       | 0.049*                           |
| C6  | 0.3120 (2)  | 0.60317 (16) | 0.53495 (16) | 0.0383 (4)                       |
| C7  | 0.3855 (2)  | 0.72665 (17) | 0.58718 (18) | 0.0462 (4)                       |
| C8  | 0.3836 (4)  | 0.83410 (19) | 0.4994 (2)   | 0.0637 (5)                       |
| H8A | 0.4336      | 0.9073       | 0.5485       | 0.096*                           |
| H8B | 0.2567      | 0.8507       | 0.4540       | 0.096*                           |
| H8C | 0.4592      | 0.8146       | 0.4385       | 0.096*                           |

Atomic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2$ )

|     | $U^{11}$    | $U^{22}$    | $U^{33}$    | $U^{12}$     | $U^{13}$    | $U^{23}$      |
|-----|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|---------------|
| Cl1 | 0.0682 (3)  | 0.0402 (3)  | 0.0742 (4)  | -0.0130 (2)  | 0.0164 (3)  | -0.0048 (2)   |
| Cl2 | 0.1019 (4)  | 0.0493 (3)  | 0.0420 (3)  | -0.0029 (2)  | -0.0015 (2) | -0.00618 (19) |
| O1  | 0.0833 (10) | 0.0658 (10) | 0.0479 (8)  | -0.0126 (8)  | 0.0089 (7)  | -0.0161 (7)   |
| C1  | 0.0508 (9)  | 0.0526 (10) | 0.0374 (8)  | -0.0012 (8)  | 0.0117 (7)  | 0.0003 (7)    |
| C2  | 0.0566 (10) | 0.0464 (10) | 0.0486 (10) | -0.0027 (8)  | 0.0182 (8)  | 0.0091 (8)    |
| C3  | 0.0387 (8)  | 0.0353 (8)  | 0.0540 (10) | -0.0018 (6)  | 0.0138 (7)  | -0.0021 (7)   |
| C4  | 0.0432 (8)  | 0.0399 (9)  | 0.0385 (8)  | 0.0028 (7)   | 0.0065 (7)  | -0.0021 (7)   |
| C5  | 0.0460 (9)  | 0.0363 (8)  | 0.0403 (9)  | 0.0011 (7)   | 0.0095 (7)  | 0.0014 (7)    |
| C6  | 0.0362 (8)  | 0.0406 (9)  | 0.0398 (8)  | 0.0017 (6)   | 0.0122 (6)  | -0.0022 (7)   |
| C7  | 0.0469 (9)  | 0.0463 (10) | 0.0471 (10) | -0.0023 (7)  | 0.0139 (8)  | -0.0109 (8)   |
| C8  | 0.0870 (15) | 0.0401 (10) | 0.0653 (13) | -0.0095 (10) | 0.0195 (11) | -0.0077 (9)   |

Geometric parameters ( $\text{\AA}$ ,  $^\circ$ )

|        |             |        |           |
|--------|-------------|--------|-----------|
| Cl1—C3 | 1.7072 (17) | C4—C5  | 1.365 (2) |
| Cl2—C4 | 1.7063 (17) | C5—C6  | 1.373 (2) |
| O1—C7  | 1.201 (2)   | C5—H5  | 0.9300    |
| C1—C2  | 1.357 (3)   | C6—C7  | 1.475 (2) |
| C1—C6  | 1.374 (3)   | C7—C8  | 1.469 (3) |
| C1—H1  | 0.9300      | C8—H8A | 0.9600    |
| C2—C3  | 1.367 (3)   | C8—H8B | 0.9600    |
| C2—H2  | 0.9300      | C8—H8C | 0.9600    |
| C3—C4  | 1.366 (2)   |        |           |

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|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| C2—C1—C6      | 121.12 (17)  | C6—C5—H5    | 120.0        |
| C2—C1—H1      | 119.4        | C5—C6—C1    | 118.97 (16)  |
| C6—C1—H1      | 119.4        | C5—C6—C7    | 121.72 (16)  |
| C1—C2—C3      | 119.55 (17)  | C1—C6—C7    | 119.31 (15)  |
| C1—C2—H2      | 120.2        | O1—C7—C8    | 120.41 (18)  |
| C3—C2—H2      | 120.2        | O1—C7—C6    | 119.75 (17)  |
| C4—C3—C2      | 120.00 (16)  | C8—C7—C6    | 119.84 (16)  |
| C4—C3—C11     | 121.05 (14)  | C7—C8—H8A   | 109.5        |
| C2—C3—C11     | 118.95 (14)  | C7—C8—H8B   | 109.5        |
| C5—C4—C3      | 120.43 (16)  | H8A—C8—H8B  | 109.5        |
| C5—C4—C12     | 118.92 (14)  | C7—C8—H8C   | 109.5        |
| C3—C4—C12     | 120.65 (14)  | H8A—C8—H8C  | 109.5        |
| C4—C5—C6      | 119.93 (16)  | H8B—C8—H8C  | 109.5        |
| C4—C5—H5      | 120.0        |             |              |
| C6—C1—C2—C3   | 0.4 (3)      | C4—C5—C6—C1 | 0.9 (2)      |
| C1—C2—C3—C4   | 0.4 (3)      | C4—C5—C6—C7 | -179.87 (15) |
| C1—C2—C3—C11  | -179.62 (14) | C2—C1—C6—C5 | -1.0 (3)     |
| C2—C3—C4—C5   | -0.5 (3)     | C2—C1—C6—C7 | 179.71 (16)  |
| C11—C3—C4—C5  | 179.49 (13)  | C5—C6—C7—O1 | -173.66 (17) |
| C2—C3—C4—C12  | 178.55 (14)  | C1—C6—C7—O1 | 5.6 (3)      |
| C11—C3—C4—C12 | -1.4 (2)     | C5—C6—C7—C8 | 6.5 (3)      |
| C3—C4—C5—C6   | -0.1 (3)     | C1—C6—C7—C8 | -174.27 (18) |
| C12—C4—C5—C6  | -179.19 (12) |             |              |

Fig. 1

