

## 1,3-Benzothiazole-2(3H)-selone

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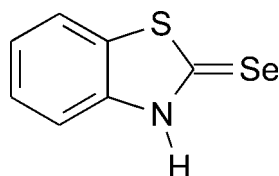
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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study;  $T = 100$  K; mean  $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.002$  Å;  $R$  factor = 0.016;  $wR$  factor = 0.041; data-to-parameter ratio = 23.2.

The title compound,  $\text{C}_7\text{H}_5\text{NNSe}$ , is the product of the reaction of 2-chlorobenzothiazole with sodium hydroselenide. The molecule is almost planar (r.m.s. deviation = 0.018 Å) owing to the presence of the long chain of conjugated bonds ( $\text{Se}=\text{C}-\text{N}-\text{C}=\text{C}-\text{C}=\text{C}-\text{C}=\text{C}$ ). The geometrical parameters correspond well to those of the analog *N*-methylbenzothiazole-2(3*H*)-selone, demonstrating that the S atom does not take a significant role in the electron delocalization within the molecule. In the crystal, molecules form centrosymmetric dimers by means of intermolecular  $\text{N}-\text{H}\cdots\text{Se}$  hydrogen bonds. The dimers have a nonplanar ladder-like structure. Furthermore, the dimers are linked into ribbons propagating in [010] by weak attractive  $\text{Se}\cdots\text{S}$  [3.7593 (4) Å] interactions.

### Related literature

For selones as potential antithyroid drugs, see: Taurog *et al.* (1994); Roy & Mughesh (2005, 2006); Roy *et al.* (2007, 2011). For 2,3-dihydro-1,3-benzothiazolo-2-selone synthesis, see: Warner (1963); Shibata & Mitsunobu (1992). For related compounds, see: Guziec & Guziec (1994); Husebye *et al.* (1997); Landry *et al.* (2006); Nakanishi *et al.* (2008).



### Experimental

#### Crystal data

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 $c = 15.1836$  (7) Å  
 $\beta = 101.195$  (1)°  
 $V = 728.50$  (6) Å<sup>3</sup>  
 $Z = 4$   
Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation  
 $\mu = 5.35$  mm<sup>-1</sup>  
 $T = 100$  K  
0.30 × 0.21 × 0.18 mm

#### Data collection

Bruker SMART 1K CCD diffractometer  
Absorption correction: multi-scan (SADABS; Sheldrick, 1998)  
 $T_{\min} = 0.297$ ,  $T_{\max} = 0.446$   
8129 measured reflections  
2108 independent reflections  
2042 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$   
 $R_{\text{int}} = 0.020$

#### Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.016$   
 $wR(F^2) = 0.041$   
 $S = 1.00$   
2108 reflections  
91 parameters  
H-atom parameters constrained  
 $\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.44$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>  
 $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.29$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>

Table 1

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °).

| $D-H\cdots A$                           | $D-H$ | $H\cdots A$ | $D\cdots A$ | $D-H\cdots A$ |
|---|-------|-------------|-------------|---------------|
| $\text{N3}-\text{H3}\cdots\text{Se1}^i$ | 0.88  | 2.56        | 3.4165 (10) | 163           |

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

Data collection: SMART (Bruker, 1998); cell refinement: SAINT (Bruker, 1998); data reduction: SAINT; program(s) used to solve structure: SHELXTL (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: SHELXTL; molecular graphics: SHELXTL; software used to prepare material for publication: SHELXTL.

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### Comment

In the last years, the selone derivatives have attracted considerable attention owing to their antithyroid properties (Taurog *et al.*, 1994; Roy & Mugesh, 2005, 2006; Roy *et al.*, 2007, 2011) as well as selone-selenol tautomerism (Guziec & Guziec, 1994; Husebye *et al.*, 1997; Landry *et al.*, 2006).

This article describes the structure of 2,3-dihydro-1,3-benzothiazolo-2-selone, which was obtained by a reaction of 2-chlorobenzothiazole with sodium hydroselenide. It should be noted that, before us, the attempt to prepare this compound by the same reaction was unsuccessful (Shibata & Mitsunobu, 1992). Moreover, the preparation method of the title compound by the reaction of *o*-aminobenzothiol with CSe<sub>2</sub> was previously known, but conclusive evidences were not provided (Warner, 1963).

The molecule of C<sub>7</sub>H<sub>5</sub>NSSe, **I**, is practically planar (r.m.s. deviation = 0.018 Å) due to the presence of the long chain of conjugated bonds (Se1=C2–N3–C3A=C4–C5=C6–C7=C7A, Fig. 1). The geometrical parameters of **I** correspond well to those of the closer analog of **I** - *N*-methylbenzothiazole-2(3*H*)-selone (Husebye *et al.*, 1997) demonstrating that the sulfur atom does not take a significant part in the electron delocalization within the molecule.

In the crystal, the molecules of **I** form centrosymmetrical dimers by the intermolecular N3–H3⋯Se1<sup>i</sup> hydrogen bonds (Fig. 2, Table 1). It is interesting to point out that the dimers have non-planar *ladder*-like structure (Fig. 3). The dimers are further linked into ribbons propagating in [0 1 0] by the weak attractive intermolecular Se1⋯S1<sup>ii</sup> [Se⋯S distances are 3.7593 (4) Å] interactions (Nakanishi *et al.*, 2008) (Fig. 3). Symmetry codes: (i)  $-x+2, -y, -z+1$ ; (ii)  $x, -1+y, z$ .

### Experimental

To a suspension of selenium (1.92 g, 24.3 mmol) in water (15 ml) was added a solution of NaBH<sub>4</sub> (1.93 g, 50.8 mmol) in water (15 ml) with stirring at room temperature under argon. After 10 min, 2-chlorobenzothiazole (2.6 ml, 20 mmol) was added. The mixture was heated 3 h at 353 K and cooled to room temperature. Then to the solution was added 1M H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> (20 ml) to give yellow precipitate (Figure 4). The crystalline powder was separated by filtration, washed with water and dried on air at 413 K. The solid was recrystallized from CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> to give the selone as pale-yellow prisms. Yield is 73%. M.P. = 346–347 K. IR (KBr),  $\nu$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3431, 3010, 2343, 1595, 1490, 1456, 1421, 1319, 1244, 983, 750, 669; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, 600 MHz, 303 K):  $\delta$  = 7.34 (t, 1H, H6, J = 7.3), 7.41 (t, 1H, H5, J = 7.3), 7.47 (d, 1H, H7, J = 7.3), 7.75 (d, 1H, H4, J = 7.3), 14.40 (s, 1H, H3). Anal. Calcd. for C<sub>7</sub>H<sub>5</sub>NSSe: C, 39.27; H, 2.35; N, 6.54. Found: C, 39.18; H, 2.30; N, 6.47.

## Refinement

The amino hydrogen atom was localized in the difference Fourier map and included in the refinement with fixed positional and isotropic displacement parameters  $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H}) = 1.2U_{\text{eq}}(\text{N})$ . The other hydrogen atoms were placed in calculated positions with  $\text{C-H} = 0.95 \text{ \AA}$  and refined in the riding model with fixed isotropic displacement parameters  $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H}) = 1.2U_{\text{eq}}(\text{C})$ .

## Figures



Fig. 1. Molecular structure of title compound with the atom numbering scheme. Displacement ellipsoids are shown at the 50% probability level. The H atoms are presented as a small circles of arbitrary radius.



Fig. 2. The centrosymmetrical dimers in crystal structure of **I**. Dashed lines indicate the intermolecular hydrogen bonds  $\text{N3-H3}\cdots\text{Se1}^i$ . Symmetry code: (i)  $-x+2, -y, -z+1$ .

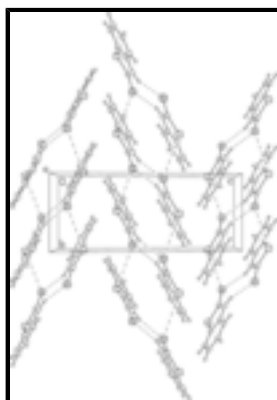


Fig. 3. Crystal packing of dimers of **I**. Dashed lines indicate the intermolecular  $\text{N-H}\cdots\text{Se}$  hydrogen bonding and weak attractive  $\text{Se}\cdots\text{S}$  interactions.



Fig. 4. Reaction of 2-chlorobenzothiazole with sodium hydroselenide.

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$F(000) = 416$

$D_x = 1.952$   $\text{Mg m}^{-3}$

Melting point = 346–347 K

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Cell parameters from 6338 reflections

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$\mu = 5.35$   $\text{mm}^{-1}$

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Prism, pale-yellow

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| $T_{\text{min}} = 0.297$ , $T_{\text{max}} = 0.446$         | $h = -11 \rightarrow 11$   |
| 8129 measured reflections                                   | $k = -8 \rightarrow 8$   |
|   | $l = -20 \rightarrow 21$   |

*Refinement*

|                                 |  |
|---------------------------------|--|
| Refinement on $F^2$             | Primary atom site location: structure-invariant direct methods |
| Least-squares matrix: full      | Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier map           |
| $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.016$ | Hydrogen site location: difference Fourier map                 |
| $wR(F^2) = 0.041$               | H-atom parameters constrained                                  |
| $S = 1.00$                      | $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.023P)^2 + 0.371P]$                |
| 2108 reflections                | where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$                                 |
| 91 parameters                   | $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\text{max}} = 0.001$                         |
| 0 restraints                    | $\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 0.44 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$    |
|                                 | $\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.29 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$   |

*Special details*

**Geometry.** All s.u.'s (except the s.u. in the dihedral angle between two l.s. planes) are estimated using the full covariance matrix. The cell s.u.'s are taken into account individually in the estimation of s.u.'s in distances, angles and torsion angles; correlations between s.u.'s in cell parameters are only used when they are defined by crystal symmetry. An approximate (isotropic) treatment of cell s.u.'s is used for estimating s.u.'s 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  $F^2 > \sigma F^2$  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 ( $\text{\AA}^2$ )*

|     | $x$           | $y$           | $z$           | $U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$ |
|-----|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------------------------|
| Se1 | 1.277060 (14) | 0.076249 (19) | 0.579287 (8)  | 0.01478 (5)                      |
| S1  | 1.17970 (3)   | 0.51668 (5)   | 0.661496 (19) | 0.01522 (6)                      |
| C2  | 1.12217 (14)  | 0.27701 (18)  | 0.60187 (7)   | 0.01301 (19)                     |
| N3  | 0.95281 (12)  | 0.26504 (16)  | 0.57732 (6)   | 0.01391 (18)                     |
| H3  | 0.9022        | 0.1543        | 0.5457        | 0.017*                           |
| C3A | 0.86204 (14)  | 0.43853 (18)  | 0.60496 (8)   | 0.0126 (2)                       |

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|-----|--------------|--------------|-------------|------------|
| C4  | 0.68634 (15) | 0.4594 (2)   | 0.59126 (8) | 0.0155 (2) |
| H4  | 0.6135       | 0.3500       | 0.5601      | 0.019*     |
| C5  | 0.62189 (15) | 0.6465 (2)   | 0.62499 (8) | 0.0170 (2) |
| H5  | 0.5026       | 0.6659       | 0.6160      | 0.020*     |
| C6  | 0.72815 (15) | 0.8072 (2)   | 0.67190 (8) | 0.0167 (2) |
| H6  | 0.6801       | 0.9335       | 0.6940      | 0.020*     |
| C7  | 0.90347 (15) | 0.7839 (2)   | 0.68649 (8) | 0.0160 (2) |
| H7  | 0.9762       | 0.8923       | 0.7185      | 0.019*     |
| C7A | 0.96916 (14) | 0.59737 (19) | 0.65275 (8) | 0.0133 (2) |

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

|     | $U^{11}$     | $U^{22}$     | $U^{33}$     | $U^{12}$     | $U^{13}$     | $U^{23}$      |
|-----|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|
| Se1 | 0.01251 (7)  | 0.01418 (7)  | 0.01708 (7)  | 0.00142 (4)  | 0.00145 (4)  | -0.00172 (4)  |
| S1  | 0.01046 (12) | 0.01552 (13) | 0.01887 (13) | -0.00113 (9) | 0.00088 (10) | -0.00449 (10) |
| C2  | 0.0133 (5)   | 0.0130 (5)   | 0.0125 (5)   | 0.0000 (4)   | 0.0020 (4)   | 0.0006 (4)    |
| N3  | 0.0125 (4)   | 0.0132 (4)   | 0.0155 (4)   | -0.0010 (3)  | 0.0015 (3)   | -0.0021 (3)   |
| C3A | 0.0121 (5)   | 0.0134 (5)   | 0.0123 (5)   | -0.0008 (4)  | 0.0022 (4)   | 0.0001 (4)    |
| C4  | 0.0124 (5)   | 0.0177 (5)   | 0.0158 (5)   | -0.0016 (4)  | 0.0013 (4)   | 0.0001 (4)    |
| C5  | 0.0128 (5)   | 0.0219 (6)   | 0.0168 (5)   | 0.0018 (4)   | 0.0040 (4)   | 0.0019 (4)    |
| C6  | 0.0172 (5)   | 0.0179 (5)   | 0.0159 (5)   | 0.0032 (4)   | 0.0052 (4)   | 0.0001 (4)    |
| C7  | 0.0160 (5)   | 0.0163 (5)   | 0.0154 (5)   | 0.0000 (4)   | 0.0024 (4)   | -0.0026 (4)   |
| C7A | 0.0114 (5)   | 0.0149 (5)   | 0.0134 (5)   | -0.0012 (4)  | 0.0021 (4)   | -0.0009 (4)   |

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

|              |             |              |             |
|--------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|
| Se1—C2       | 1.8236 (11) | C4—C5        | 1.3890 (17) |
| S1—C2        | 1.7308 (12) | C4—H4        | 0.9500      |
| S1—C7A       | 1.7430 (12) | C5—C6        | 1.3986 (17) |
| C2—N3        | 1.3425 (14) | C5—H5        | 0.9500      |
| N3—C3A       | 1.3933 (14) | C6—C7        | 1.3913 (16) |
| N3—H3        | 0.8800      | C6—H6        | 0.9500      |
| C3A—C4       | 1.3935 (16) | C7—C7A       | 1.3906 (16) |
| C3A—C7A      | 1.3997 (15) | C7—H7        | 0.9500      |
| C2—S1—C7A    | 92.31 (5)   | C4—C5—C6     | 121.69 (11) |
| N3—C2—S1     | 110.16 (8)  | C4—C5—H5     | 119.2       |
| N3—C2—Se1    | 127.21 (9)  | C6—C5—H5     | 119.2       |
| S1—C2—Se1    | 122.63 (6)  | C7—C6—C5     | 120.67 (11) |
| C2—N3—C3A    | 115.97 (10) | C7—C6—H6     | 119.7       |
| C2—N3—H3     | 122.0       | C5—C6—H6     | 119.7       |
| C3A—N3—H3    | 122.0       | C7A—C7—C6    | 118.04 (11) |
| N3—C3A—C4    | 126.82 (10) | C7A—C7—H7    | 121.0       |
| N3—C3A—C7A   | 111.91 (10) | C6—C7—H7     | 121.0       |
| C4—C3A—C7A   | 121.25 (10) | C7—C7A—C3A   | 120.96 (11) |
| C5—C4—C3A    | 117.37 (11) | C7—C7A—S1    | 129.39 (9)  |
| C5—C4—H4     | 121.3       | C3A—C7A—S1   | 109.64 (8)  |
| C3A—C4—H4    | 121.3       |              |             |
| C7A—S1—C2—N3 | 0.42 (9)    | C5—C6—C7—C7A | 0.29 (18)   |

|               |              |               |              |
|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| C7A—S1—C2—Se1 | -179.05 (7)  | C6—C7—C7A—C3A | 0.46 (17)    |
| S1—C2—N3—C3A  | -1.00 (13)   | C6—C7—C7A—S1  | -178.39 (9)  |
| Se1—C2—N3—C3A | 178.44 (8)   | N3—C3A—C7A—C7 | -179.85 (10) |
| C2—N3—C3A—C4  | -177.14 (11) | C4—C3A—C7A—C7 | -1.41 (17)   |
| C2—N3—C3A—C7A | 1.19 (14)    | N3—C3A—C7A—S1 | -0.80 (12)   |
| N3—C3A—C4—C5  | 179.72 (11)  | C4—C3A—C7A—S1 | 177.64 (9)   |
| C7A—C3A—C4—C5 | 1.53 (17)    | C2—S1—C7A—C7  | 179.17 (12)  |
| C3A—C4—C5—C6  | -0.77 (18)   | C2—S1—C7A—C3A | 0.22 (9)     |
| C4—C5—C6—C7   | -0.13 (18)   |               |              |

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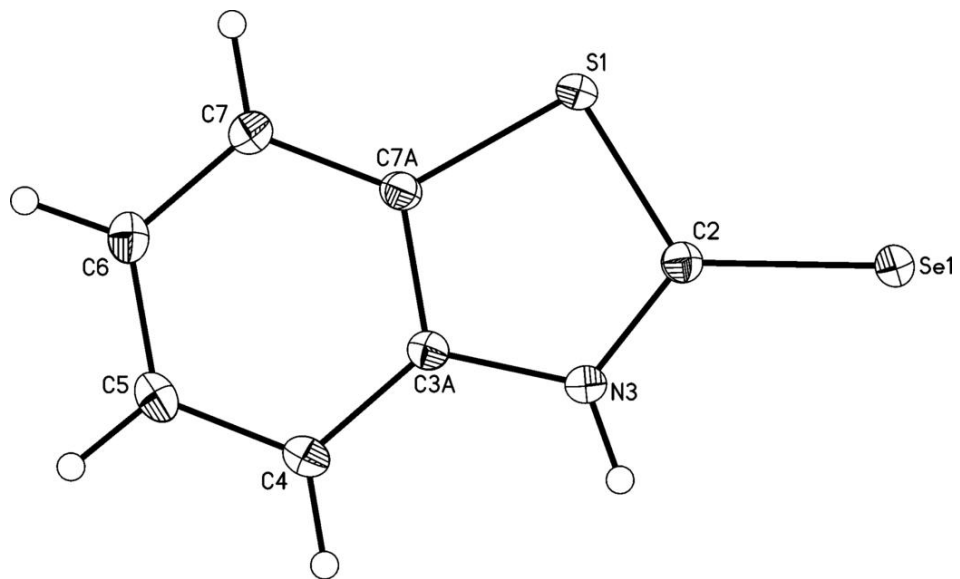




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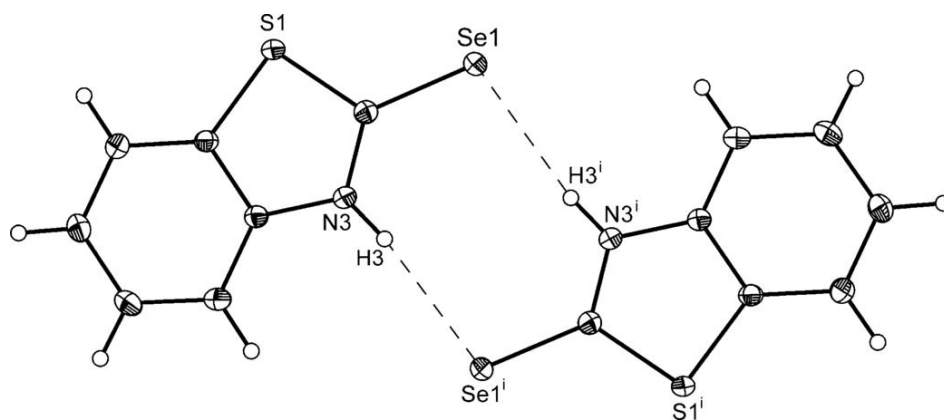


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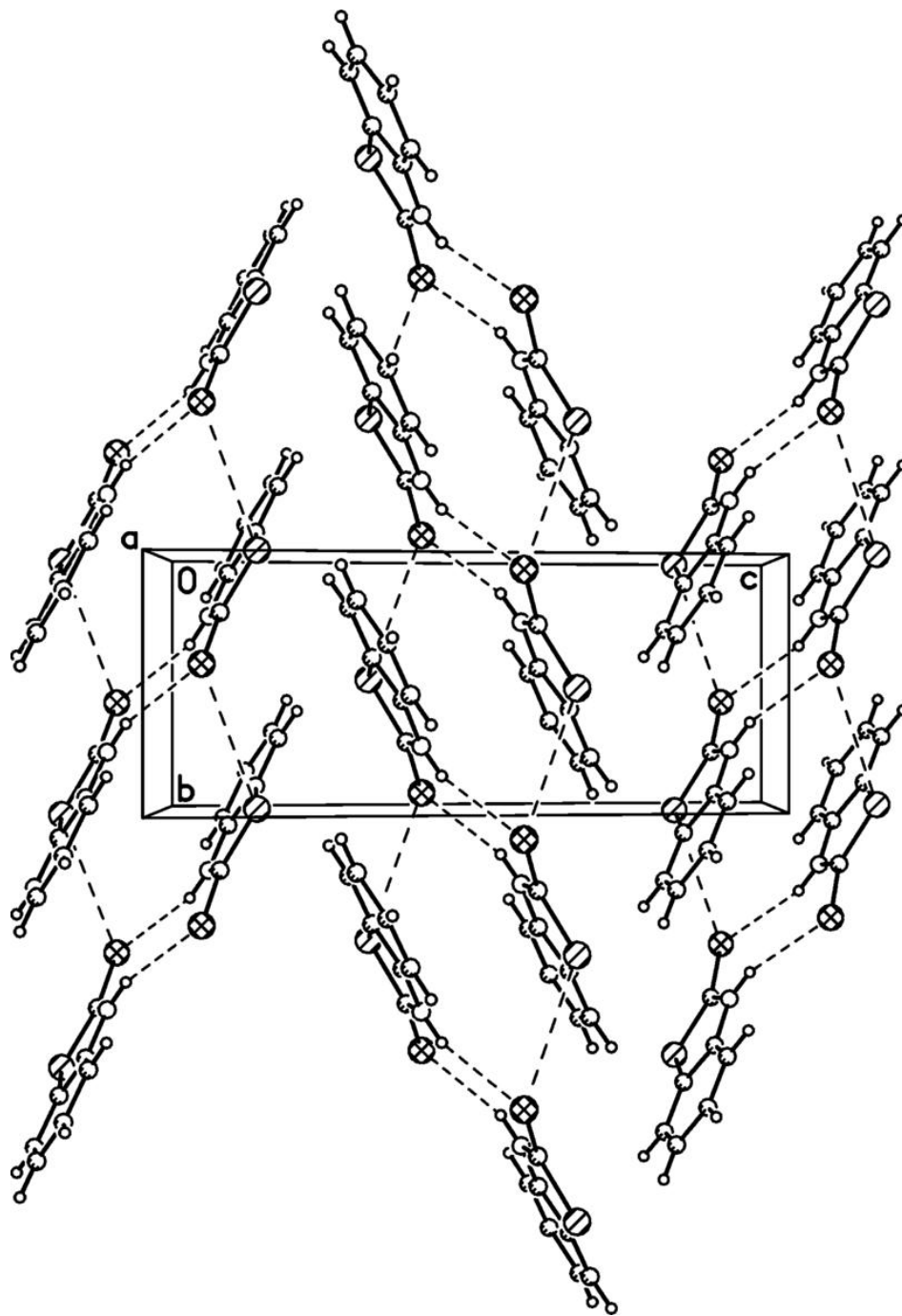


Fig. 4

