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# Synthesis and structure of 1-(2-bromophenyl)-2-chloro-3-(2-chloracetyl)-1 H-indole 

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In the title indole derivative, $\mathrm{C}_{16} \mathrm{H}_{10} \mathrm{BrCl}_{2} \mathrm{NO}$, the dihedral angle between the mean plane of the indole ring system and the mean plane of the disordered 2-bromophenyl ring is $77.6(1)^{\circ}$. The non-H atoms of the chloracetyl group are essentially coplanar with the indole core. In the crystal, pairs of molecules are face-to-face embraced via two weak $\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{H} \cdots \mathrm{O}$ hydrogen bonds, forming inversion dimers with an interplanar distance between two parallel indole planes of $3.360(3) \AA$. These dimers are connected by head-to-head $\mathrm{Cl} \cdots \mathrm{Cl}$ intermolecular contacts to build a two-dimensional molecular sheet parallel to (101). Neighbouring molecular sheets are stacked together to construct the threedimensional structure by further short $\mathrm{Cl} \cdots \mathrm{Cl}$ intermolecular contacts. The atoms of the bromophenyl group were refined as disordered over two sets of sites with refined occupancies of 0.61 (2) and 0.39 (2).

## 1. Chemical context

Indole derivatives occur in many natural products and they have been widely used as intermediates in the pharmaceutical industry (Chaskar et al., 2010). Indolyl is the base skeleton of tryptophan, which is one of the essential amino acids of human beings. In addition, indole derivatives such as indole-3-acetic acid (Won et al., 2011), serotonin (Batsikadze et al., 2013) and melatonin (Diss et al., 2013) act as hormones existing in different kinds of plants and animals. Some indole derivatives show anticarcinogenic, hypotensive and antineoplastic activities (Zhang et al., 2015). The indole skeleton can be found in many bioactive drugs, such as ajmalicine (Du et al., 2014), vinblastine (Ishikawa et al., 2008) and reserpine (Chen \& Huang, 2005).


To date, a collection of more than six thousand structures with the 1 H -indole substructure have been recorded in the Cambridge Structural Database (CSD; Groom et al., 2016), which includes a subset of more than one hundred structures containing the 1 -phenyl- 1 H -indole substructure, including as 1-phenyl-indolin-2-one and several derivatives, reported by our group (Wang et al., 2015). However, the structures of


Figure 1
The molecular structure of the title compound. Displacement ellipsoids are drawn at the $50 \%$ probability level. The minor component of disorder is shown with open bonds.
halogen-substituted 1-phenyl-1 $H$-indole derivatives, such as 2-iodo-1-phenyl-1H-indole (Messaoud et al., 2015) are very limited. Recently, we unexpectedly synthesized the new title compound, 1-(2-bromophenyl)-2-chloro-3-(2-chloracetyl)-1Hindole. Herein we report its synthesis and crystal structure.

## 2. Structural commentary

As shown in Fig. 1, the molecule consists basically of two planes, the indole unit and the phenyl ring. Nine non-H atoms (N1/C1-C8) are essentially planar and their mean plane defines the indole plane. Five more non-H atoms are approximately co-planar with the indole core with deviations of -0.050 (2) $\AA$ for $\mathrm{C} 15,0.067$ (1) $\AA$ for Cl1, 0.032 (1) $\AA$ for $\mathrm{O} 1,-0.190$ (2) $\AA$ for C 16 , and -0.355 (1) $\AA$ for Cl 2 . The $\mathrm{C} 4-$ H4. .O 1 short intermolecular contact (see Table 1) plays an important role in keeping the four non-H atoms of chloracetyl co-planar with the indole plane. The mean plane of the 2-bromophenyl ring (defined as the mean plane of the six C atoms of the major component and six C atoms of the minor component of the disordered benzene ring of the 2 -bromophenyl group) subtends a dihedral angle of $77.6(1)^{\circ}$ to the indole plane.

The deviation of atom N 1 from the $\mathrm{C} 1, \mathrm{C} 8, \mathrm{C} 9$ triangle is very small $\left[0.005\right.$ (2) $\AA$ ] , indicating $s p^{2}$ hybridization of this atom. The five-membered ring of the indole core shows similar bond-length characteristics to those of the reference structure 2-iodo-1-phenyl-1H-indole (Messaoud et al., 2015). The $\mathrm{C} 1=\mathrm{C} 2$ bond $[1.374(2) \AA$ ] is slightly longer than a double bond and longer than that of the reference structure. This is because of certain $\mathrm{C} 1 \cdots \mathrm{C} 2 \cdots \mathrm{C} 15 \pi$-conjugation of the three atoms, revealed by the shorter single bond $\mathrm{C} 2-\mathrm{C} 15$ [1.463 (2) Å]. The C1-N1 bond shows strong double-bond character with a length of $1.365(2) \AA$ while $\mathrm{C} 8-\mathrm{N} 1$

Table 1
Hydrogen-bond geometry ( $\mathrm{A}^{\circ}{ }^{\circ}$ ).

| $D-\mathrm{H} \cdots A$ | $D-\mathrm{H}$ | $\mathrm{H} \cdots A$ | $D \cdots A$ | $D-\mathrm{H} \cdots A$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $\mathrm{C} 4-\mathrm{H} 4 \cdots \mathrm{O} 1$ | $0.92(2)$ | $2.502(19)$ | $3.053(2)$ | $118.5(15)$ |
| $\mathrm{C} 10-\mathrm{H} 10 A \cdots \mathrm{O}^{\mathrm{i}}$ | 0.93 | 2.45 | $3.302(7)$ | 152 |

Symmetry code: (i) $-x+1,-y+1,-z+1$.
[1.3939 (19) $\AA$ ] is shorter than a single $\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{N}$ bond. Both the $\mathrm{C} 1-\mathrm{N} 1$ and the $\mathrm{C} 8-\mathrm{N} 1$ bond lengths are shorter than those of the reference structure.

## 3. Supramolecular features

In the crystal, pairs of molecules are connected by two $\mathrm{C}-$ $\mathrm{H} \cdots \mathrm{O}$ hydrogen bonds (see Table 1) and are face-to-face embraced to form an inversion dimer, with the interplanar spacing between the two parallel indole planes being 3.360 (3) $\AA$ (see Fig. 2). Neighbouring dimers are further connected by a type of head-to-head $\mathrm{Cl} 2 \cdots \mathrm{Cl} 2(-x+1,-y+2$, $-z+1$ ) short contacts of 3.3759 (8) $\AA$, forming chains along the $b$-axis direction. As shown in Fig. 3, the chains are linked by further side-by-side $\mathrm{Cl} 1 \cdots \mathrm{Cl} 1(-x+2,-y+1,-z+1)$ [3.3430 (7) $\AA$ ] short contacts, forming sheets parallel to the $a b$ plane.

The intermolecular interactions can be scaled by the electronic transfer integrals $(t)$ between two neighbouring molecules and can be calculated according to Deng \& Goddard, 2004) as $t=\left(E_{\mathrm{HOMO}}-E_{\mathrm{HOMO}-1}\right) / 2$ where $E_{\mathrm{HOMO}}$ and $E_{\mathrm{HOMO}-1}$ are the energy levels of the HOMO (highest occupied molecular orbital) and the HOMO-1 orbital of a two-molecule pair, respectively. The calculation was carried out by DFT methods at the level of b31yp $/ 6-311 \mathrm{~g}(\mathrm{~d})$ using the GAUSSIAN03 program (Frisch et al., 2003). The $t$ values for


Figure 2
A view along the $a^{*}$ direction, showing the $\mathrm{C} 10-\mathrm{H} 10 A \cdots \mathrm{O} 1^{\mathrm{i}}$ hydrogen bond in a dimer and the $\mathrm{Cl} 2 \cdots \mathrm{Cl} 2{ }^{\text {ii }}$ short contact forming chains along the $b$-axis direction. [Symmetry codes: (i) $-x+1,-y+1,-z+1$; (ii) $-x+1$, $-y+2,-z+1$.]


Figure 3
A view along the $c$-axis direction, showing the $\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{H} \cdots \mathrm{O}$ hydrogen bonds (see Table 1) and $\mathrm{Cl} \cdots \mathrm{Cl}$ contacts as dashed lines. Only H atoms H 4 and $\mathrm{H} 10 A$ have been included. The C atoms of the minor component of the disordered benzene ring have been omitted.
the face-to-face molecular pair (the dimer), the $\mathrm{Cl} 2 \cdots \mathrm{Cl} 2$ head-to-head pair, and the $\mathrm{Cl} 1 \cdots \mathrm{Cl} 1$ side-by-side pair were calculated to be $0.051,0.00053,0.00076 \mathrm{eV}$, respectively. This indicates that the intermolecular interactions of the dimer are the strongest.


Figure 4
The evolution of the calculated electronic transfer integrals $(t)$ as a function of spacing between the two molecules of the face-to-face dimer. The optimized spacing at the peak $t$-curve and the spacing in the X-ray structure are indicated.


Figure 5
Reaction scheme.

Fig. 4 shows the calculated electronic transfer integrals $(t)$ of an isolated face-to-face dimer versus the spacing between the two indole planes of the dimer. When varying the spacing, the molecular configuration is fixed to the X-ray molecular structure that resulted from a non-disorder refinement. The spacing $(3.493 \AA)$ at the peak of the $t$-curve is slightly larger than the spacing $[3.359(3) \AA$ ] in the X-ray structure, indicating a shrinking of the spacing of the dimer when the crystal packing is concerned.

## 4. Database survey

A search of the Cambridge Structural Database (WebCSD, last update 2016-10-26) for the substructure of the non-H 1 H indole skeleton gave 6467 hits. There are 151 structures which contain the 1-phenyl- 1 H -indole substructure. The only structure of the 2-halogen-1-phenyl- 1 H -indole type is 2-iodo-1-phenyl-1H-indole (Messaoud et al., 2015) and no structure for the title compound. There are no records of this compound in the SciFinder Database.

## 5. Synthesis and crystallization

The title compound was synthesized in three steps (see Fig. 5). Firstly, compound $\mathbf{2}$ was synthesized by acylation of compound $\mathbf{1}$ with chloracetyl chloride in $\mathrm{N}, \mathrm{N}$-dimethylacetamide (DMF). Compound $1 \quad(6.58 \mathrm{~g}, 26.5 \mathrm{mmol})$, chloracetyl chloride ( $3.2 \mathrm{~mL}, 40 \mathrm{mmol}$ ), and DMF solvent $(2 \mathrm{~mL})$ were added into a 250 mL flask and the mixture was stirred at 353 K for 2 h . Then 200 mL water was added into the mixture and it was kept stirring for 0.5 h . The colorless products ( 13.9 g ) were compound 2 together with some unreacted chloracetyl chloride.

Secondly, a Friedel-Crafts reaction of compound 2, under the catalysis of anhydrous $\mathrm{AlCl}_{3}$, resulted in the ring-closure compound 3. To a 250 mL flask, compound 2 ( 8.22 g ,
$25.4 \mathrm{mmol})$ and anhydrous $\mathrm{AlCl}_{3}(10.15 \mathrm{~g}, 76.1 \mathrm{mmol})$ were added and stirred mechanically for 15 minutes at 460 K . The mixture was poured into 200 mL water and extracted with $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}$. The crude product was purified by silica gel column chromatography with ethyl acetate and petroleum ether ( $v / v=1: 10$ ) as eluent. Compound $\mathbf{3}$ was obtained together with some residual chloracetyl chloride ( 3.50 g in all).

Finally, the title compound 4 was obtained as a by-product of trimerization of compound $\mathbf{3}$ in the presence of $\mathrm{POCl}_{3}$ and chloracetyl chloride. As shown in Fig. 5, the Cl atom bonded to the indole core should come from $\mathrm{POCl}_{3}$, which is supported by our other experiment. Compound $3(0.92 \mathrm{~g}, 3.2 \mathrm{mmol})$ and 6 mL POCl 3 were added into a 100 mL Schlenk tube and the mixture was stirred at 383 K in an argon atmosphere for 9 h . After cooling, the mixture was poured into 500 mL ice-water and stirred intensely until a black solid appeared. The solid was dissolved in $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}$, washed with water and dried with $\mathrm{MgSO}_{4}$. The solvent was removed and the crude solid was initially separated by silica gel column chromatography with ethyl acetate and petroleum ether $(v / v=1: 100)$ as eluent to obtain a mixture, which consists of the compound of trimerization (will be reported elsewhere) and the title compound 4. The colorless crystals of compound $4(0.0093 \mathrm{~g}, \mathrm{~m}$. p. $456-$ 458 K ), which were suitable for X-ray structure determination, were obtained by a silica gel column chromatography of the above mixture with $n$-hexane as eluent, following a quick evaporation of the $n$-hexane solution overnight. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $\left(400 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right) \delta 8.46(d, J=8.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.85(d, J=$ $8.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.57(t, J=15.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.50(t, J=15.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $7.43(d, J=7.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.37(t, J=15.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.27(t, J=$ $16.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.85(d, J=8.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.86(s, 1 \mathrm{H})$. As shown in Fig. 6, the ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR signals of all protons of the title compound are well separated and well characterized.


Figure 6
The ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR spectra of the title compound.

Table 2
Experimental details.

| Crystal data |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Chemical formula | $\mathrm{C}_{16} \mathrm{H}_{10} \mathrm{BrCl}_{2} \mathrm{NO}$ |
| $M_{\mathrm{r}}$ | 383.06 |
| Crystal system, space group | Monoclinic, $P 2_{1} / n$ |
| Temperature $(\mathrm{K})$ | 297 |
| $a, b, c(\AA)$ | $10.2155(10), 11.3645(11)$, |
|  | $13.5252(13)$ |
| $\beta\left({ }^{\circ}\right)$ | $101.141(2)$ |
| $V\left(\AA^{3}\right)$ | $1540.6(3)$ |
| $Z$ | 4 |
| Radiation type | Mo $K \alpha$ |
| $\mu\left(\mathrm{~mm}^{-1}\right)$ | 3.01 |
| Crystal size $(\mathrm{mm})$ | $0.48 \times 0.41 \times 0.38$ |
|  |  |
| Data collection | Bruker APEXII CCD |
| Diffractometer | Multi-scan $(A P E X 2 ;$ Bruker, 2005) |
| Absorption correction | $0.324,0.398$ |
| $T_{\text {min }}, T_{\text {max }}$ | $19200,4126,2654$ |
| No. of measured, independent and |  |
| $\quad$ observed $[I>2 \sigma(I)]$ reflections | 0.084 |
| $R_{\text {int }}$ | 0.689 |
| $(\text { sin } \theta / \lambda)_{\text {max }}\left(\AA \AA^{-1}\right)$ |  |
|  |  |
| Refinement | $0.032,0.086,0.94$ |
| $R\left[F^{2}>2 \sigma\left(F^{2}\right)\right], w R\left(F^{2}\right), S$ | 4126 |
| No. of reflections | 266 |
| No. of parameters | 2 |
| No. of restraints | H atoms treated by a mixture of |
| H-atom treatment | independent and constrained |
|  | refinement |
| $\Delta \rho_{\text {max }}, \Delta \rho_{\text {min }}\left(\mathrm{e} \AA{ }^{-3}\right)$ | $0.27,-0.37$ |
|  |  |

Computer programs: APEX2 and SAINT (Bruker, 2005), SHELXS97, SHELXL97 and SHELXTL (Sheldrick, 2008).

## 6. Refinement

Crystal data, data collection and structure refinement details are summarized in Table 2. H atoms of the disordered benzene ring were placed at calculated positions and refined using a riding-model approximation with $\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{H}=0.93 \AA$ and $U_{\text {iso }}=$ $1.2 U_{\text {eq }}(\mathrm{C})$. All other H atoms were located in difference maps and freely refined, leading to $\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{H}$ distances from 0.85 (2) to 1.08 (2) $\AA$. The 2-bromophenyl group was refined as disordered over two sets of sites, which gave better results $\left(R_{1}=\right.$ $0.032, \Delta \rho_{\max }=0.27$ ). By comparison, the results of the nondisordered treatment were relatively poor $\left(R_{1}=0.043, \Delta \rho_{\max }=\right.$ 0.93 ). However, the non-disordered molecular geometry was used for DFT calculation in this work.

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## Computing details

Data collection: APEX2 (Bruker, 2005); cell refinement: SAINT (Bruker, 2005); data reduction: SAINT (Bruker, 2005); program(s) used to solve structure: SHELXS97 (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: SHELXL97 (Sheldrick, 2008); molecular graphics: SHELXTL (Sheldrick, 2008); software used to prepare material for publication: SHELXTL (Sheldrick, 2008).

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## Crystal data

$\mathrm{C}_{16} \mathrm{H}_{10} \mathrm{BrCl}_{2} \mathrm{NO}$
$M_{r}=383.06$
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Hall symbol: -P 2yn
$a=10.2155$ (10) $\AA$
$b=11.3645$ (11) $\AA$
$c=13.5252(13) \AA$
$\beta=101.141(2)^{\circ}$
$V=1540.6$ (3) $\AA^{3}$
$Z=4$

## Data collection

Bruker APEXII CCD
diffractometer
Radiation source: fine-focus sealed tube
Graphite monochromator
Detector resolution: 8.3 pixels $\mathrm{mm}^{-1}$
$\omega$ scans
Absorption correction: multi-scan
(APEX2; Bruker, 2005)
$T_{\text {min }}=0.324, T_{\text {max }}=0.398$

## Refinement

Refinement on $F^{2}$
Least-squares matrix: full
$R\left[F^{2}>2 \sigma\left(F^{2}\right)\right]=0.032$
$w R\left(F^{2}\right)=0.086$
$S=0.94$
4126 reflections
266 parameters
2 restraints

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F(000)=760
$$

$D_{\mathrm{x}}=1.652 \mathrm{Mg} \mathrm{m}^{-3}$
Mo $K \alpha$ radiation, $\lambda=0.71073 \AA$
Cell parameters from 6321 reflections
$\theta=2.3-26.3^{\circ}$
$\mu=3.01 \mathrm{~mm}^{-1}$
$T=297 \mathrm{~K}$
Parallelpiped, colourless
$0.48 \times 0.41 \times 0.38 \mathrm{~mm}$

19200 measured reflections
4126 independent reflections
2654 reflections with $I>2 \sigma(I)$
$R_{\text {int }}=0.084$
$\theta_{\text {max }}=29.3^{\circ}, \theta_{\text {min }}=2.3^{\circ}$
$h=-14 \rightarrow 13$
$k=-15 \rightarrow 15$
$l=-18 \rightarrow 18$

Primary atom site location: structure-invariant direct methods
Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier map
Hydrogen site location: mixed
H atoms treated by a mixture of independent and constrained refinement

# supporting information 

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\begin{gathered}
w=1 /\left[\sigma^{2}\left(F_{\mathrm{o}}^{2}\right)+(0.0405 P)^{2}\right] \\
\text { where } P=\left(F_{\mathrm{o}}^{2}+2 F_{\mathrm{c}}^{2}\right) / 3 \\
(\Delta / \sigma)_{\max }=0.002
\end{gathered}
$$

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \Delta \rho_{\max }=0.27 \mathrm{e} \AA^{-3} \\
& \Delta \rho_{\min }=-0.37 \mathrm{e}^{-3}
\end{aligned}
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## Special details

Experimental. Scan width $0.3^{\circ} \omega$, Crystal to detector distance 5.964 cm , exposure time $10 \mathrm{~s}, 10$ hours for data collection, without scale. The 4 omiga-run take the following theta, initial-omiga, phi values and the following sweep-ranges, respectively $-25,-28,0,186$ (negatively run) $-28,146,180,186$ (positively run) $-33,-28,90,186$ (negatively run) -33 , 127, 270, 220 (positively run)
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 $\mathrm{F}^{2}$ against ALL reflections. The weighted R -factor wR and goodness of fit S are based on $\mathrm{F}^{2}$, conventional R-factors $R$ are based on $F$, with $F$ set to zero for negative $F^{2}$. The threshold expression of $F^{2}>2 \operatorname{sigma}\left(F^{2}\right)$ is used only for calculating R-factors (gt) etc. and is not relevant to the choice of reflections for refinement. R-factors based on $\mathrm{F}^{2}$ 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 ( $\AA^{2}$ )

|  | $x$ | $y$ | $z$ | $U_{\text {iso }} * / U_{\text {eq }}$ | Occ. $(<1)$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Br1 | $0.9017(3)$ | $0.45726(16)$ | $0.23888(15)$ | $0.0680(7)$ | $0.61(2)$ |
| Br1 $^{\prime}$ | $0.8772(11)$ | $0.4504(4)$ | $0.2351(4)$ | $0.1042(14)$ | $0.39(2)$ |
| C11 | $0.84021(4)$ | $0.52798(5)$ | $0.50311(4)$ | $0.06661(18)$ |  |
| C12 | $0.58942(6)$ | $0.87898(4)$ | $0.54210(5)$ | $0.07744(19)$ |  |
| O1 | $0.42385(12)$ | $0.70363(11)$ | $0.42434(10)$ | $0.0616(4)$ |  |
| N1 | $0.68599(12)$ | $0.39373(11)$ | $0.37045(10)$ | $0.0431(3)$ |  |
| C1 | $0.69364(14)$ | $0.49615(15)$ | $0.42401(13)$ | $0.0416(4)$ |  |
| C2 | $0.57445(15)$ | $0.55577(13)$ | $0.40546(13)$ | $0.0391(4)$ |  |
| C3 | $0.48447(14)$ | $0.48228(14)$ | $0.33524(12)$ | $0.0379(3)$ |  |
| C4 | $0.35010(16)$ | $0.49101(17)$ | $0.28691(14)$ | $0.0467(4)$ |  |
| C5 | $0.29617(18)$ | $0.40323(18)$ | $0.22190(14)$ | $0.0539(5)$ | $0.61(2)$ |
| C6 | $0.37137(19)$ | $0.30638(18)$ | $0.20265(15)$ | $0.0569(5)$ | $0.61(2)$ |
| C7 | $0.50340(19)$ | $0.29551(17)$ | $0.24809(14)$ | $0.0520(4)$ | $0.61(2)$ |
| C8 | $0.55681(15)$ | $0.38361(13)$ | $0.31437(12)$ | $0.0401(4)$ | $0.61(2)$ |
| C9 | $0.7934(11)$ | $0.3110(9)$ | $0.3708(9)$ | $0.040(2)$ | $0.61(2)$ |
| C10 | $0.7877(9)$ | $0.2168(11)$ | $0.4317(7)$ | $0.059(2)$ | $0.61(2)$ |
| H10A | 0.7200 | 0.2113 | 0.4686 | $0.070^{*}$ | $0.61(2)$ |
| C11 | $0.8827(10)$ | $0.1295(8)$ | $0.4386(7)$ | $0.079(3)$ | $0.61(2)$ |
| H11A | 0.8793 | 0.0648 | 0.4802 | $0.094^{*}$ | $0.61(2)$ |
| C12 | $0.9831(7)$ | $0.1383(7)$ | $0.3834(8)$ | $0.067(5)$ | $0.61(2)$ |
| H12A | 1.0474 | 0.0794 | 0.3891 | $0.081^{*}$ | $0.39(2)$ |
| C13 | $0.9900(11)$ | $0.2300(12)$ | $0.3216(9)$ | $0.062(3)$ | $0.39(2)$ |
| H13A | 1.0569 | 0.2342 | 0.2839 | $0.074^{*}$ | $0.39(2)$ |
| C14 | $0.8935(12)$ | $0.3191(8)$ | $0.3156(10)$ | $0.044(2)$ | $0.041(4)$ |
| C9 | $0.7814(16)$ | $0.3002(12)$ | $0.3785(15)$ | $0.042(3)$ | $0.050^{*}$ |
| C10 | $0.7798(10)$ | $0.1928(12)$ | $0.4275(10)$ | $0.062(4)$ |  |
| H10B | 0.7110 | 0.1754 | 0.4611 | $0.4262(9)$ |  |


| H11B | 0.8801 | 0.0397 | 0.4589 | $0.074^{*}$ | $0.39(2)$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| C12' | $0.9841(11)$ | $0.1377(11)$ | $0.3759(12)$ | $0.078(9)$ | $0.39(2)$ |
| H12B | 1.0519 | 0.0833 | 0.3751 | $0.094^{*}$ | $0.39(2)$ |
| C13' | $0.9857(15)$ | $0.2451(15)$ | $0.3270(14)$ | $0.053(5)$ | $0.39(2)$ |
| H13B | 1.0546 | 0.2625 | 0.2933 | $0.063^{*}$ | $0.39(2)$ |
| C14' | $0.8844(19)$ | $0.3263(12)$ | $0.3282(16)$ | $0.051(5)$ | $0.39(2)$ |
| C15 | $0.53832(16)$ | $0.66877(14)$ | $0.44448(12)$ | $0.0427(4)$ |  |
| C16 | $0.64660(19)$ | $0.73974(16)$ | $0.50983(16)$ | $0.0537(5)$ |  |
| H5 | $0.2000(19)$ | $0.4086(16)$ | $0.1867(14)$ | $0.054(5)^{*}$ |  |
| H4 | $0.305(2)$ | $0.5574(17)$ | $0.3006(15)$ | $0.062(6)^{*}$ |  |
| H6 | $0.3308(18)$ | $0.2474(17)$ | $0.1547(14)$ | $0.058(5)^{*}$ |  |
| H7 | $0.555(2)$ | $0.240(2)$ | $0.2376(15)$ | $0.072(7)^{*}$ |  |
| H16A | $0.6823(19)$ | $0.6949(18)$ | $0.5708(16)$ | $0.063(6)^{*}$ |  |
| H16B | $0.728(2)$ | $0.7566(19)$ | $0.4713(15)$ | $0.074(6)^{*}$ |  |

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

|  | $U^{11}$ | $U^{22}$ | $U^{33}$ | $U^{12}$ | $U^{13}$ | $U^{23}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Br1 | 0.0676 (9) | 0.0545 (7) | 0.0882 (9) | 0.0102 (3) | 0.0310 (8) | 0.0153 (4) |
| Br1' | 0.113 (3) | 0.0880 (14) | 0.131 (2) | 0.0047 (11) | 0.0714 (17) | 0.0209 (9) |
| Cl 1 | 0.0333 (2) | 0.0777 (3) | 0.0813 (4) | 0.0123 (2) | -0.0078 (2) | -0.0336 (3) |
| Cl 2 | 0.1014 (4) | 0.0418 (3) | 0.0902 (4) | 0.0102 (3) | 0.0213 (3) | -0.0139 (2) |
| O1 | 0.0450 (7) | 0.0610 (8) | 0.0766 (9) | 0.0230 (6) | 0.0063 (6) | -0.0095 (7) |
| N1 | 0.0339 (7) | 0.0424 (7) | 0.0506 (8) | 0.0114 (6) | 0.0025 (6) | -0.0093 (6) |
| C1 | 0.0295 (7) | 0.0446 (8) | 0.0488 (10) | 0.0049 (7) | 0.0032 (7) | -0.0088 (7) |
| C2 | 0.0321 (7) | 0.0402 (8) | 0.0453 (9) | 0.0058 (6) | 0.0081 (7) | -0.0018 (7) |
| C3 | 0.0322 (7) | 0.0397 (8) | 0.0410 (9) | 0.0013 (6) | 0.0052 (7) | 0.0043 (7) |
| C4 | 0.0318 (8) | 0.0526 (10) | 0.0545 (11) | 0.0037 (8) | 0.0056 (7) | 0.0118 (9) |
| C5 | 0.0382 (9) | 0.0636 (12) | 0.0552 (12) | -0.0099 (8) | -0.0025 (8) | 0.0127 (9) |
| C6 | 0.0576 (12) | 0.0555 (11) | 0.0526 (11) | -0.0156 (9) | -0.0020 (9) | 0.0019 (9) |
| C7 | 0.0556 (11) | 0.0442 (10) | 0.0536 (11) | 0.0014 (9) | 0.0045 (9) | -0.0036 (8) |
| C8 | 0.0348 (8) | 0.0414 (8) | 0.0429 (9) | 0.0026 (7) | 0.0042 (7) | 0.0009 (7) |
| C9 | 0.040 (4) | 0.037 (3) | 0.042 (4) | 0.017 (3) | 0.006 (3) | -0.001 (2) |
| C10 | 0.073 (4) | 0.051 (4) | 0.059 (4) | 0.024 (3) | 0.032 (3) | -0.001 (3) |
| C11 | 0.125 (7) | 0.064 (3) | 0.058 (3) | 0.044 (4) | 0.046 (4) | 0.021 (3) |
| C12 | 0.067 (8) | 0.072 (9) | 0.062 (6) | 0.050 (7) | 0.011 (5) | 0.010 (5) |
| C13 | 0.055 (5) | 0.075 (6) | 0.057 (5) | 0.037 (4) | 0.015 (4) | -0.010 (4) |
| C14 | 0.044 (4) | 0.052 (4) | 0.040 (3) | 0.011 (3) | 0.015 (3) | -0.013 (2) |
| C9' | 0.030 (5) | 0.054 (8) | 0.040 (6) | 0.003 (4) | 0.008 (4) | -0.010 (5) |
| C10' | 0.045 (4) | 0.029 (4) | 0.048 (5) | 0.009 (3) | 0.001 (3) | 0.000 (3) |
| C11' | 0.060 (6) | 0.049 (4) | 0.069 (6) | 0.038 (4) | -0.008 (5) | -0.018 (4) |
| C12' | 0.091 (15) | 0.080 (16) | 0.072 (11) | 0.033 (11) | 0.038 (9) | -0.018 (9) |
| C13' | 0.055 (8) | 0.051 (6) | 0.060 (7) | 0.005 (6) | 0.030 (6) | -0.014 (4) |
| C14' | 0.053 (8) | 0.045 (5) | 0.056 (9) | 0.019 (5) | 0.010 (5) | -0.005 (5) |
| C15 | 0.0419 (9) | 0.0396 (8) | 0.0474 (10) | 0.0100 (7) | 0.0105 (7) | 0.0022 (7) |
| C16 | 0.0566 (11) | 0.0387 (9) | 0.0651 (13) | 0.0053 (8) | 0.0101 (10) | -0.0075 (9) |

Geometric parameters ( $A,{ }^{\circ}$ )

| Br1-C14 | 1.892 (5) | C9-C14 | 1.381 (7) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Br1'-C14' | 1.883 (6) | C10-C11 | 1.379 (7) |
| C11-C1 | 1.7025 (15) | C10-H10A | 0.9300 |
| C12-C16 | 1.7703 (18) | C11-C12 | 1.385 (7) |
| O1-C15 | 1.2147 (18) | C11-H11A | 0.9300 |
| N1-C1 | 1.365 (2) | C12-C13 | 1.346 (7) |
| N1-C8 | 1.3939 (19) | C12-H12A | 0.9300 |
| N1-C9' | 1.432 (6) | C13-C14 | 1.404 (7) |
| N1-C9 | 1.444 (4) | C13-H13A | 0.9300 |
| C1-C2 | 1.374 (2) | C9'- ${ }^{\text {C } 10}{ }^{\prime}$ | 1.3900 |
| C2-C3 | 1.452 (2) | C9'-C14' | 1.3900 |
| C2-C15 | 1.463 (2) | C10'-C11' | 1.3900 |
| C3-C8 | 1.401 (2) | C10'-H10B | 0.9300 |
| C3-C4 | 1.405 (2) | C11'-C12' | 1.3900 |
| C4-C5 | 1.373 (3) | C11'-H11B | 0.9300 |
| C4-H4 | 0.92 (2) | C12'-C13' | 1.3900 |
| C5-C6 | 1.395 (3) | C12'-H12B | 0.9300 |
| C5-H5 | 1.007 (19) | C13'- ${ }^{\text {C }} 14^{\prime}$ | 1.3900 |
| C6-C7 | 1.375 (3) | C13'-H13B | 0.9300 |
| C6-H6 | 0.969 (19) | C15-C16 | 1.509 (2) |
| C7-C8 | 1.384 (2) | C16-H16A | 0.98 (2) |
| C7-H7 | 0.85 (2) | C16-H16B | 1.08 (2) |
| C9-C10 | 1.359 (7) |  |  |
| C1-N1-C8 | 108.06 (12) | C12-C11-H11A | 120.1 |
| $\mathrm{C} 1-\mathrm{N} 1-\mathrm{C} 9^{\prime}$ | 128.6 (9) | C13-C12-C11 | 121.6 (4) |
| $\mathrm{C} 8-\mathrm{N} 1-\mathrm{C} 9^{\prime}$ | 122.6 (9) | C13-C12-H12A | 119.2 |
| $\mathrm{C} 1-\mathrm{N} 1-\mathrm{C} 9$ | 126.0 (6) | C11-C12-H12A | 119.2 |
| C8-N1-C9 | 125.9 (6) | C12-C13-C14 | 118.4 (5) |
| C9'-N1-C9 | 8.5 (10) | C12-C13-H13A | 120.8 |
| $\mathrm{N} 1-\mathrm{C} 1-\mathrm{C} 2$ | 111.46 (13) | C14-C13-H13A | 120.8 |
| N1-C1-Cl1 | 117.90 (11) | C9-C14-C13 | 120.3 (5) |
| C2-C1-C11 | 130.61 (13) | C9-C14-Br1 | 117.9 (7) |
| C1-C2-C3 | 105.22 (14) | C13-C14--Br1 | 121.7 (7) |
| C1-C2-C15 | 130.08 (15) | C10'-C9'-C14' | 120.0 |
| C3-C2-C15 | 124.70 (13) | $\mathrm{C} 10^{\prime}-\mathrm{C} 9^{\prime}-\mathrm{N} 1$ | 128.1 (11) |
| C8-C3-C4 | 117.94 (16) | C14'-C9'-N1 | 111.9 (11) |
| C8-C3-C2 | 107.47 (13) | C $9^{\prime}-\mathrm{C} 10^{\prime}-\mathrm{C} 11^{\prime}$ | 120.0 |
| C4-C3-C2 | 134.58 (16) | C9'-C10'-H10B | 120.0 |
| C5-C4-C3 | 118.80 (18) | $\mathrm{C} 11^{\prime}-\mathrm{C} 10^{\prime}-\mathrm{H} 10 \mathrm{~B}$ | 120.0 |
| C5-C4-H4 | 124.5 (13) | C12'-C11'- ${ }^{\text {C } 10^{\prime}}$ | 120.0 |
| C3-C4-H4 | 116.7 (13) | C12'-C11'-H11B | 120.0 |
| C4-C5-C6 | 121.70 (17) | C10'-C11'-H11B | 120.0 |
| C4- $\mathrm{C} 5-\mathrm{H} 5$ | 119.5 (11) | C11'- $\mathrm{C} 12^{\prime}-\mathrm{C} 13^{\prime}$ | 120.0 |
| C6-C5-H5 | 118.8 (11) | C11'-C12'-H12B | 120.0 |
| C7- $76-\mathrm{C} 5$ | 121.01 (18) | C13'- ${ }^{\text {C12 }}$ - -H 12 B | 120.0 |


| C7-C6-H6 | 119.6 (11) |
| :---: | :---: |
| C5-C6-H6 | 119.4 (11) |
| C6-C7-C8 | 117.03 (18) |
| C6-C7-H7 | 125.0 (14) |
| C8-C7-H7 | 118.0 (14) |
| C7-C8-N1 | 128.72 (15) |
| C7-C8- 3 | 123.51 (15) |
| N1-C8-C3 | 107.76 (13) |
| C10-C9-C14 | 120.2 (4) |
| C10-C9-N1 | 113.1 (9) |
| C14-C9-N1 | 126.6 (9) |
| C9-C10-C11 | 119.7 (4) |
| C9-C10-H10A | 120.1 |
| C11-C10-H10A | 120.1 |
| C10-C11-C12 | 119.8 (4) |
| C10-C11-H11A | 120.1 |
| C8-N1-C1-C2 | -0.4 (2) |
| C9'-N1-C1-C2 | -170.9 (8) |
| C9-N1-C1-C2 | 178.9 (6) |
| C8-N1-C1-Cl1 | 177.68 (12) |
| C9'-N1-C1-Cl1 | 7.2 (8) |
| C9-N1-C1-Cl1 | -3.0 (6) |
| N1-C1-C2-C3 | 1.0 (2) |
| C11-C1-C2-C3 | -176.78 (15) |
| N1-C1-C2-C15 | -178.77 (16) |
| C11-C1-C2-C15 | 3.4 (3) |
| C1-C2-C3-C8 | -1.20 (19) |
| C15-C2-C3-C8 | 178.58 (15) |
| C1-C2-C3-C4 | 179.79 (19) |
| C15-C2-C3-C4 | -0.4 (3) |
| C8-C3-C4-C5 | 0.0 (2) |
| C2-C3-C4-C5 | 178.90 (19) |
| C3-C4-C5-C6 | -0.2 (3) |
| C4-C5-C6-C7 | -0.3 (3) |
| C5-C6-C7-C8 | 1.0 (3) |
| C6-C7-C8-N1 | 179.49 (17) |
| C6-C7-C8-C3 | -1.2 (3) |
| C1-N1-C8-C7 | 179.00 (18) |
| C9'-N1-C8-C7 | -9.8 (8) |
| C9-N1-C8-C7 | -0.3 (6) |
| C1-N1-C8-C3 | -0.38 (18) |
| C9'-N1-C8-C3 | 170.8 (8) |
| C9-N1-C8-C3 | -179.7 (6) |
| C4-C3-C8-C7 | 0.8 (3) |
| C2-C3-C8-C7 | -178.44 (16) |
| C4-C3-C8-N1 | -179.82 (15) |
| $\mathrm{C} 2-\mathrm{C} 3-\mathrm{C} 8-\mathrm{N} 1$ | 0.98 (18) |


| $\mathrm{C} 12^{\prime}-\mathrm{C} 13^{\prime}-\mathrm{C} 14 '_{\prime}$ | 120.0 |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\mathrm{C} 12^{\prime}-\mathrm{C} 13^{\prime}-\mathrm{H} 13 \mathrm{~B}$ | 120.0 |
| $\mathrm{C} 14^{\prime}-\mathrm{C} 13^{\prime}-\mathrm{H} 13 \mathrm{~B}$ | 120.0 |
| $\mathrm{C} 13^{\prime}-\mathrm{C} 14^{\prime}-\mathrm{C}^{\prime}$ | 120.0 |
| $\mathrm{C} 13^{\prime}-\mathrm{C} 14^{\prime}-\mathrm{Br}^{\prime}$ | $114.9(9)$ |
| $\mathrm{C}^{\prime}-\mathrm{C} 14^{\prime}-\mathrm{Br}^{\prime}$ | $123.5(9)$ |
| $\mathrm{O} 1-\mathrm{C} 15-\mathrm{C} 2$ | $120.30(15)$ |
| $\mathrm{O} 1-\mathrm{C} 15-\mathrm{C} 16$ | $121.46(15)$ |
| $\mathrm{C} 2-\mathrm{C} 15-\mathrm{C} 16$ | $118.24(13)$ |
| $\mathrm{C} 15-\mathrm{C} 16-\mathrm{C} 12$ | $112.50(12)$ |
| $\mathrm{C} 15-\mathrm{C} 16-\mathrm{H} 16 \mathrm{~A}$ | $109.1(11)$ |
| $\mathrm{C} 12-\mathrm{C} 16-\mathrm{H} 16 \mathrm{~A}$ | $110.2(12)$ |
| $\mathrm{C} 15-\mathrm{C} 16-\mathrm{H} 16 \mathrm{~B}$ | $111.0(11)$ |
| $\mathrm{C} 12-\mathrm{C} 16-\mathrm{H} 16 \mathrm{~B}$ | $106.4(11)$ |
| $\mathrm{H} 16 \mathrm{~A}-\mathrm{C} 16-\mathrm{H} 16 \mathrm{~B}$ | $107.5(16)$ |

168 (10)
0.2 (7)
179.1 (11)
0.0 (9)
-0.7 (9)
1.2 (8)
0.3 (7)
-178.4 (12)
-176.1 (10)
5.2 (10)
-1.0 (7)
175.3 (11)
100.8 (14)
-68.5 (16)
176 (11)
-80.0 (9)
110.7 (8)
-5 (9)
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179.2 (19)
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-166.3 (16)
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-179.3 (16)
165.0 (17)
-14.2 (13)
-174.92 (18)
5.4 (3)

## supporting information

| $\mathrm{C} 1-\mathrm{N} 1-\mathrm{C} 9-\mathrm{C} 10$ | $99.5(8)$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\mathrm{C} 8-\mathrm{N} 1-\mathrm{C} 9-\mathrm{C} 10$ | $-81.3(8)$ |
| $\mathrm{C} 9-\mathrm{N} 1-\mathrm{C} 9-\mathrm{C} 10$ | $-11(9)$ |
| $\mathrm{C} 1-\mathrm{N} 1-\mathrm{C} 9-\mathrm{C} 14$ | $-81.7(8)$ |
| $\mathrm{C} 8-\mathrm{N} 1-\mathrm{C} 9-\mathrm{C} 14$ | $97.4(9)$ |


| $\mathrm{C} 1-\mathrm{C} 2-\mathrm{C} 15-\mathrm{C} 16$ | $5.1(3)$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\mathrm{C} 3-\mathrm{C} 2-\mathrm{C} 15-\mathrm{C} 16$ | $-174.67(17)$ |
| $\mathrm{O} 1-\mathrm{C} 15-\mathrm{C} 16-\mathrm{C} 12$ | $-4.9(2)$ |
| $\mathrm{C} 2-\mathrm{C} 15-\mathrm{C} 16-\mathrm{C} 12$ | $175.12(13)$ |

Hydrogen-bond geometry ( $A,{ }^{\circ}$ )

| $D-\mathrm{H} \cdots A$ | $D-\mathrm{H}$ | $\mathrm{H} \cdots A$ | $D \cdots A$ | $D-\mathrm{H} \cdots A$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $\mathrm{C} 4 — \mathrm{H} 4 \cdots \mathrm{O} 1$ | $0.92(2)$ | $2.502(19)$ | $3.053(2)$ | $118.5(15)$ |
| $\mathrm{C} 16-\mathrm{H} 16 A \cdots \mathrm{Cl1}$ | $0.98(2)$ | $2.759(19)$ | $3.1275(18)$ | $103.0(13)$ |
| $\mathrm{C} 10-\mathrm{H} 10 A \cdots \mathrm{O} 1^{\mathrm{i}}$ | 0.93 | 2.45 | $3.302(7)$ | 152 |

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

