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rac-(E,trans)-4-Bromo-10,10-dimethyl-9,11-dioxabicyclo[6.3.0]undec-4-ene

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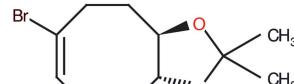
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In the title compound, a cyclooctene ring in a twist-boat conformation and a dioxolane ring with a distorted envelope conformation are annulated in a *trans* configuration. Alternating strands of single enantiomers build up the crystal. Within the strands, the molecules are connected by weak C—H···O hydrogen bonds.

3D view



Chemical scheme



Structure description

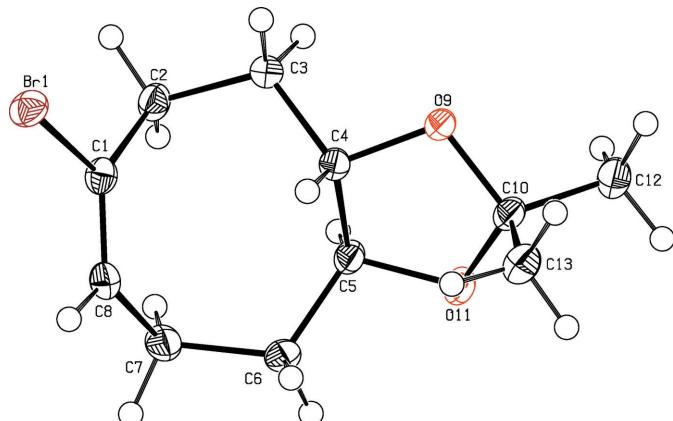
The title compound (Fig. 1) crystallizes as a racemic mixture of *R,R*- and *S,S*-enantiomers forming strands of identical enantiomers along the *b*-axis direction (Fig. 2). The molecules in the strands are connected *via* weak C—H···O contacts ($H7B\cdots O9$ 2.586 Å). A center of inversion relates these molecules with their enantiomeric counterparts in the parallel strands. The eight-membered ring features a twist-boat conformation. It is annulated to a dioxolane ring in a distorted envelope conformation. Within this envelope, atoms C4, C5, O11, and C10 are essentially coplanar (r.m.s. deviation 0.017 Å) but O9 lies 0.477 (2) Å below the mean plane. The cyclooctene part has two planar moieties: one is the olefinic part (C2—C1—C8—C7), the other one [planar within 0.034 (2) Å] is composed of the four methylene groups (C3—C2—C7—C6); these planes subtend a dihedral angle of 69.3 (2)°. A *trans*-ethylene bridge (C4,C5) connects the rings; atom C4 lies 0.357 (5) Å above the central plane of the cyclooctene moiety while C5 is positioned 0.541 (5) Å below this plane.

Synthesis and crystallization

The title compound was prepared in two steps from 4-bromo-9-oxabicyclo[6.1.0]non-4-ene (Mayer & Meier, 1989) *via* hydrolysis of the epoxide to the *trans*-diol in alkaline (pH 10) water/dioxane (1/4) [^1H NMR: 6.02 (*t*, 1 H), 3.58 (*m*, 2 H), 3.17 (*s*, 2 H, OH), 2.81 (*ddd*,

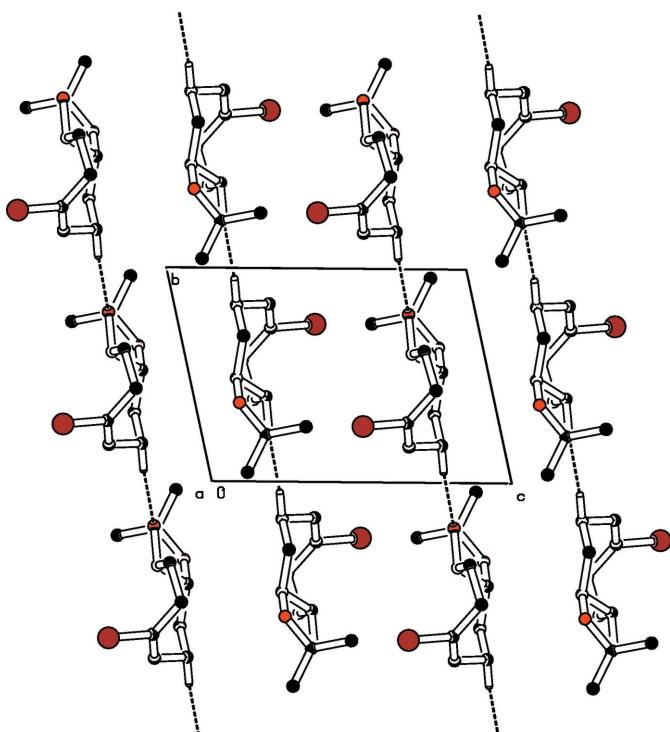


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**Figure 1**

Perspective view of the title compound. Displacement ellipsoids are drawn at the 50% probability level.

1 H), 2.58 (ddd, 1 H), 2.0–2.33 (m, 4 H), 1.58 (m, 12 H); IR: (KBr): 3320, 2918, 1635, 1450, 1430, 1040, 980 and cetalization with 2,2-dimethoxypropane. Alternatively, it may be prepared, more conveniently, from 10,10-dimethyl-9,11-dioxabicyclo[6.3.0]undec-4-ene (Golding *et al.*, 1980) *via* bromination (Takahashi *et al.*, 2000) and dehydrobromination with 1,8-diazabicyclo[5.4.0]undec-7-ene (DBU). Procedure: DBU (6 ml) was added to 4,5-dibromo-10,10-dimethyl-9,11-dioxabicyclo[6.3.0]undec-4-ene (8.92 g, 0.026 mol) in toluene (20 ml) and the mixture was stirred for 72 h. After filtration, the organic layer was washed with water (3 × 20 ml), brine, and dried over MgSO₄. The solvent was evaporated *in vacuo* and

**Figure 2**

Partial packing diagram of the title compound, viewed along the *a* axis. H atoms not involved in C–H...O contacts are omitted.

Table 1
Experimental details.

| | |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|
| Crystal data | C ₁₁ H ₁₇ BrO ₂ |
| Chemical formula | 261.15 |
| M _r | Triclinic, <i>P</i>  |
| Crystal system, space group | 120 |
| Temperature (K) | 7.5770 (6), 7.6838 (6), 10.2038 (8) |
| <i>a</i> , <i>b</i> , <i>c</i> (Å) | 101.843 (6), 90.893 (6), 104.642 (6) |
| α , β , γ (°) | 561.11 (8) |
| <i>V</i> (Å ³) | 2 |
| Z | Radiation type |
| | Mo <i>K</i>  |
| | μ (mm ⁻¹) |
| | 3.64 |
| | Crystal size (mm) |
| | 0.38 × 0.32 × 0.28 |
| Data collection | |
| Diffractometer | Stoe IPDS 2T |
| Absorption correction | Integration (<i>X</i> -RED32; Stoe & Cie, 2019) |
| <i>T</i> _{min} , <i>T</i> _{max} | 0.195, 0.460 |
| No. of measured, independent and observed [<i>I</i> > 2σ(<i>I</i>)] reflections | 4770, 2631, 2481 |
| <i>R</i> _{int} | 0.018 |
| (sin θ/λ) _{max} (Å ⁻¹) | 0.658 |
| Refinement | |
| <i>R</i> [<i>F</i> ² > 2σ(<i>F</i> ²)], <i>wR</i> (<i>F</i> ²), <i>S</i> | 0.034, 0.087, 1.15 |
| No. of reflections | 2631 |
| No. of parameters | 129 |
| H-atom treatment | H-atom parameters constrained |
| Δρ _{max} , Δρ _{min} (e Å ⁻³) | 0.73, -0.47 |

Computer programs: *X*-AREA WinXpose, Recipe and Integrate (Stoe & Cie, 2019), SIR2004 (Burla *et al.*, 2005), SHELXL2018/3 (Sheldrick, 2015) and PLATON (Spek, 2020).

the residue purified by chromatography on silica (cyclohexane/ethyl acetate 40/1) to give the title compound as a yellowish oil in 88% yield (5.98 g). Crystallization from ethanol solution yielded colorless crystals, m.p. 313 K.

Spectroscopic data: ¹H NMR (CDCl₃): 6.03 (*t*, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1 H), 3.88 (*m*, 2 H), 2.76 (ddd, *J* = 15.1 Hz, *J'* = 10.4 Hz, *J''* = 10.2 Hz, 1 H), 2.54 (ddd, *J* = 14.7 Hz, *J* = 6.6 Hz, *J'* = 3.9 Hz, 1 H), 2.30 (*m*, 1 H), 2.16 (*m*, 3H), 1.55 (*m*, 2H), 1.38 (*s*, 3H), 1.37 (*s*, 3H). ¹³C NMR: 130.6 (CH), 124.0 (C–Br), 107.7 (O–C–O), 80.7(C–O), 79.9 (C–O), 32.2, 32.0, 29.4, 26.8 (CH₃), 24.7.

Refinement

Crystal data, data collection and structure refinement details are summarized in Table 1.

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Crystal data

$C_{11}H_{17}BrO_2$
 $M_r = 261.15$
Triclinic, $P\bar{1}$
 $a = 7.5770 (6)$ Å
 $b = 7.6838 (6)$ Å
 $c = 10.2038 (8)$ Å
 $\alpha = 101.843 (6)^\circ$
 $\beta = 90.893 (6)^\circ$
 $\gamma = 104.642 (6)^\circ$
 $V = 561.11 (8)$ Å³
 $Z = 2$

$F(000) = 268$
 $D_x = 1.546 \text{ Mg m}^{-3}$
Melting point: 313 K
Mo $K\alpha$ radiation, $\lambda = 0.71073$ Å
Cell parameters from 10380 reflections
 $\theta = 2.8\text{--}28.4^\circ$
 $\mu = 3.64 \text{ mm}^{-1}$
 $T = 120 \text{ K}$
Block, colourless
0.38 × 0.32 × 0.28 mm

Data collection

Stoe IPDS 2T
diffractometer
Radiation source: sealed X-ray tube, 12 x 0.4
mm long-fine focus
Detector resolution: 6.67 pixels mm⁻¹
rotation method, ω scans
Absorption correction: integration
(X-RED32; Stoe & Cie, 2019)
 $T_{\min} = 0.195$, $T_{\max} = 0.460$

4770 measured reflections
2631 independent reflections
2481 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
 $R_{\text{int}} = 0.018$
 $\theta_{\max} = 27.9^\circ$, $\theta_{\min} = 2.8^\circ$
 $h = -9 \rightarrow 9$
 $k = -9 \rightarrow 10$
 $l = -13 \rightarrow 13$

Refinement

Refinement on F^2
Least-squares matrix: full
 $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.034$
 $wR(F^2) = 0.087$
 $S = 1.15$
2631 reflections
129 parameters
0 restraints
Primary atom site location: dual

Hydrogen site location: inferred from
neighbouring sites
H-atom parameters constrained
 $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0141P)^2 + 2.0148P]$
where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
 $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\max} < 0.001$
 $\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.73 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$
 $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.47 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$

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. Hydrogen atoms were placed at calculated positions and were refined in the riding-model approximation with C–H ranging from 0.95 Å to 1.00 Å, and with $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H}) = 1.5 U_{\text{eq}}(\text{C}_{\text{methyl}})$ or $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H}) = 1.2 U_{\text{eq}}(\text{C})$ for the remaining H atoms.

Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters (\AA^2)

| | <i>x</i> | <i>y</i> | <i>z</i> | $U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$ |
|------|-------------|-------------|-------------|----------------------------------|
| Br1 | 0.69071 (4) | 0.73859 (5) | 0.45594 (3) | 0.02384 (10) |
| C1 | 0.5268 (4) | 0.7199 (4) | 0.3056 (3) | 0.0190 (6) |
| C2 | 0.5275 (4) | 0.5685 (4) | 0.1873 (3) | 0.0213 (6) |
| H2A | 0.653108 | 0.553370 | 0.179600 | 0.026* |
| H2B | 0.491553 | 0.603426 | 0.104621 | 0.026* |
| C3 | 0.3971 (4) | 0.3848 (4) | 0.1982 (3) | 0.0202 (6) |
| H3A | 0.383050 | 0.297930 | 0.110069 | 0.024* |
| H3B | 0.453460 | 0.332706 | 0.263967 | 0.024* |
| C4 | 0.2085 (4) | 0.3970 (4) | 0.2404 (3) | 0.0186 (6) |
| H4 | 0.217565 | 0.462069 | 0.336747 | 0.022* |
| C5 | 0.0995 (4) | 0.4826 (4) | 0.1559 (3) | 0.0191 (6) |
| H5 | 0.143866 | 0.470280 | 0.063509 | 0.023* |
| C6 | 0.0962 (4) | 0.6811 (4) | 0.2095 (3) | 0.0216 (6) |
| H6A | 0.059598 | 0.693629 | 0.302984 | 0.026* |
| H6B | 0.001262 | 0.708981 | 0.155601 | 0.026* |
| C7 | 0.2785 (4) | 0.8259 (4) | 0.2082 (3) | 0.0243 (7) |
| H7A | 0.329199 | 0.797994 | 0.119793 | 0.029* |
| H7B | 0.254789 | 0.948843 | 0.219350 | 0.029* |
| C8 | 0.4184 (4) | 0.8321 (4) | 0.3168 (3) | 0.0219 (6) |
| H8 | 0.429359 | 0.921776 | 0.398046 | 0.026* |
| O9 | 0.0976 (3) | 0.2121 (3) | 0.2245 (2) | 0.0214 (5) |
| C10 | -0.0876 (4) | 0.2202 (4) | 0.2147 (3) | 0.0208 (6) |
| O11 | -0.0850 (3) | 0.3686 (3) | 0.1490 (3) | 0.0252 (5) |
| C12 | -0.1986 (4) | 0.0422 (5) | 0.1258 (4) | 0.0260 (7) |
| H12A | -0.149514 | 0.026435 | 0.037059 | 0.039* |
| H12B | -0.326342 | 0.046279 | 0.116452 | 0.039* |
| H12C | -0.191901 | -0.061399 | 0.166112 | 0.039* |
| C13 | -0.1592 (5) | 0.2577 (5) | 0.3534 (4) | 0.0265 (7) |
| H13A | -0.081067 | 0.372480 | 0.407651 | 0.040* |
| H13B | -0.158069 | 0.155628 | 0.397053 | 0.040* |
| H13C | -0.284551 | 0.269087 | 0.344726 | 0.040* |

Atomic displacement parameters (\AA^2)

| | U^{11} | U^{22} | U^{33} | U^{12} | U^{13} | U^{23} |
|-----|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| Br1 | 0.02067 (16) | 0.02777 (17) | 0.02333 (17) | 0.00805 (12) | -0.00350 (11) | 0.00432 (12) |
| C1 | 0.0179 (14) | 0.0207 (14) | 0.0172 (14) | 0.0025 (11) | -0.0001 (11) | 0.0049 (11) |
| C2 | 0.0169 (14) | 0.0223 (15) | 0.0221 (15) | 0.0023 (11) | 0.0036 (11) | 0.0026 (12) |
| C3 | 0.0181 (14) | 0.0179 (14) | 0.0245 (15) | 0.0050 (11) | 0.0011 (11) | 0.0042 (12) |
| C4 | 0.0162 (14) | 0.0169 (14) | 0.0228 (15) | 0.0034 (11) | -0.0005 (11) | 0.0056 (11) |
| C5 | 0.0146 (13) | 0.0196 (14) | 0.0234 (15) | 0.0029 (11) | -0.0011 (11) | 0.0073 (12) |

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|-----|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|
| C6 | 0.0194 (14) | 0.0219 (15) | 0.0249 (16) | 0.0077 (12) | -0.0029 (12) | 0.0055 (12) |
| C7 | 0.0242 (16) | 0.0199 (15) | 0.0290 (17) | 0.0057 (12) | -0.0057 (13) | 0.0065 (13) |
| C8 | 0.0198 (15) | 0.0172 (14) | 0.0253 (16) | 0.0014 (11) | -0.0019 (12) | 0.0019 (12) |
| O9 | 0.0145 (10) | 0.0178 (10) | 0.0331 (13) | 0.0040 (8) | 0.0007 (9) | 0.0088 (9) |
| C10 | 0.0142 (13) | 0.0214 (15) | 0.0281 (16) | 0.0042 (11) | -0.0002 (11) | 0.0088 (12) |
| O11 | 0.0159 (11) | 0.0232 (11) | 0.0375 (14) | 0.0019 (9) | -0.0047 (9) | 0.0136 (10) |
| C12 | 0.0197 (15) | 0.0251 (16) | 0.0309 (18) | 0.0017 (12) | 0.0003 (13) | 0.0064 (13) |
| C13 | 0.0199 (15) | 0.0303 (17) | 0.0288 (17) | 0.0058 (13) | 0.0034 (13) | 0.0065 (14) |

Geometric parameters (\AA , ^\circ)

| | | | |
|------------|-----------|--------------|-----------|
| Br1—C1 | 1.917 (3) | C6—H6A | 0.9900 |
| C1—C8 | 1.324 (4) | C6—H6B | 0.9900 |
| C1—C2 | 1.496 (4) | C7—C8 | 1.507 (4) |
| C2—C3 | 1.532 (4) | C7—H7A | 0.9900 |
| C2—H2A | 0.9900 | C7—H7B | 0.9900 |
| C2—H2B | 0.9900 | C8—H8 | 0.9500 |
| C3—C4 | 1.519 (4) | O9—C10 | 1.423 (4) |
| C3—H3A | 0.9900 | C10—O11 | 1.433 (4) |
| C3—H3B | 0.9900 | C10—C12 | 1.512 (5) |
| C4—O9 | 1.432 (4) | C10—C13 | 1.521 (5) |
| C4—C5 | 1.531 (4) | C12—H12A | 0.9800 |
| C4—H4 | 1.0000 | C12—H12B | 0.9800 |
| C5—O11 | 1.441 (4) | C12—H12C | 0.9800 |
| C5—C6 | 1.518 (4) | C13—H13A | 0.9800 |
| C5—H5 | 1.0000 | C13—H13B | 0.9800 |
| C6—C7 | 1.541 (4) | C13—H13C | 0.9800 |
| | | | |
| C8—C1—C2 | 125.9 (3) | C7—C6—H6B | 108.5 |
| C8—C1—Br1 | 118.7 (2) | H6A—C6—H6B | 107.5 |
| C2—C1—Br1 | 115.3 (2) | C8—C7—C6 | 113.1 (3) |
| C1—C2—C3 | 112.4 (3) | C8—C7—H7A | 109.0 |
| C1—C2—H2A | 109.1 | C6—C7—H7A | 109.0 |
| C3—C2—H2A | 109.1 | C8—C7—H7B | 109.0 |
| C1—C2—H2B | 109.1 | C6—C7—H7B | 109.0 |
| C3—C2—H2B | 109.1 | H7A—C7—H7B | 107.8 |
| H2A—C2—H2B | 107.9 | C1—C8—C7 | 123.8 (3) |
| C4—C3—C2 | 114.7 (3) | C1—C8—H8 | 118.1 |
| C4—C3—H3A | 108.6 | C7—C8—H8 | 118.1 |
| C2—C3—H3A | 108.6 | C10—O9—C4 | 106.7 (2) |
| C4—C3—H3B | 108.6 | O9—C10—O11 | 105.1 (2) |
| C2—C3—H3B | 108.6 | O9—C10—C12 | 108.3 (3) |
| H3A—C3—H3B | 107.6 | O11—C10—C12 | 108.9 (3) |
| O9—C4—C3 | 107.0 (2) | O9—C10—C13 | 110.8 (3) |
| O9—C4—C5 | 103.2 (2) | O11—C10—C13 | 110.8 (3) |
| C3—C4—C5 | 117.5 (3) | C12—C10—C13 | 112.7 (3) |
| O9—C4—H4 | 109.6 | C10—O11—C5 | 109.5 (2) |
| C3—C4—H4 | 109.6 | C10—C12—H12A | 109.5 |

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|--------------|------------|----------------|------------|
| C5—C4—H4 | 109.6 | C10—C12—H12B | 109.5 |
| O11—C5—C6 | 107.9 (2) | H12A—C12—H12B | 109.5 |
| O11—C5—C4 | 103.7 (2) | C10—C12—H12C | 109.5 |
| C6—C5—C4 | 117.6 (3) | H12A—C12—H12C | 109.5 |
| O11—C5—H5 | 109.1 | H12B—C12—H12C | 109.5 |
| C6—C5—H5 | 109.1 | C10—C13—H13A | 109.5 |
| C4—C5—H5 | 109.1 | C10—C13—H13B | 109.5 |
| C5—C6—C7 | 115.2 (3) | H13A—C13—H13B | 109.5 |
| C5—C6—H6A | 108.5 | C10—C13—H13C | 109.5 |
| C7—C6—H6A | 108.5 | H13A—C13—H13C | 109.5 |
| C5—C6—H6B | 108.5 | H13B—C13—H13C | 109.5 |
| | | | |
| C8—C1—C2—C3 | -90.1 (4) | Br1—C1—C8—C7 | -177.4 (2) |
| Br1—C1—C2—C3 | 86.3 (3) | C6—C7—C8—C1 | 83.7 (4) |
| C1—C2—C3—C4 | 46.3 (4) | C3—C4—O9—C10 | -158.8 (2) |
| C2—C3—C4—O9 | 170.9 (3) | C5—C4—O9—C10 | -34.3 (3) |
| C2—C3—C4—C5 | 55.6 (4) | C4—O9—C10—O11 | 32.6 (3) |
| O9—C4—C5—O11 | 22.7 (3) | C4—O9—C10—C12 | 148.9 (3) |
| C3—C4—C5—O11 | 140.1 (3) | C4—O9—C10—C13 | -87.1 (3) |
| O9—C4—C5—C6 | 141.8 (3) | O9—C10—O11—C5 | -17.2 (3) |
| C3—C4—C5—C6 | -100.8 (3) | C12—C10—O11—C5 | -133.1 (3) |
| O11—C5—C6—C7 | -173.1 (3) | C13—C10—O11—C5 | 102.5 (3) |
| C4—C5—C6—C7 | 70.1 (4) | C6—C5—O11—C10 | -129.1 (3) |
| C5—C6—C7—C8 | -74.8 (4) | C4—C5—O11—C10 | -3.6 (3) |
| C2—C1—C8—C7 | -1.2 (5) | | |