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## 2,6-Dichloro-N-(4-chlorophenyl)-benzamide

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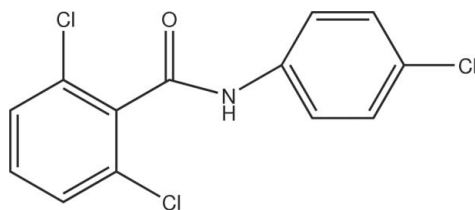
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 Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study;  $T = 293$  K; mean  $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.007$  Å;  $R$  factor = 0.057;  $wR$  factor = 0.181; data-to-parameter ratio = 15.1.

In the title compound,  $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_8\text{Cl}_3\text{NO}$ , the dihedral angle between the benzene rings is  $63.2(2)^\circ$ . In the crystal,  $\text{N}-\text{H}\cdots\text{O}$  hydrogen bonds link the molecules into  $C(4)$  chains propagating in  $[001]$ . Weak aromatic  $\pi-\pi$  stacking also occurs [centroid-centroid separations =  $3.759(3)$  and  $3.776(3)$  Å].

### Related literature

For further synthetic details, see: Lai &amp; Huang (2005).



### Experimental

#### Crystal data

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 $c = 9.6450(19)$  Å  
 $\beta = 100.60(3)^\circ$   
 $V = 1341.7(5)$  Å<sup>3</sup>  
 $Z = 4$ 

 Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation  
 $\mu = 0.67$  mm<sup>-1</sup>  
 $T = 293$  K  
 $0.30 \times 0.20 \times 0.10$  mm

#### Data collection

 Enraf-Nonius CAD-4 diffractometer  
 Absorption correction:  $\psi$  scan (North *et al.*, 1968)  
 $T_{\min} = 0.825$ ,  $T_{\max} = 0.936$   
 2587 measured reflections

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 $R_{\text{int}} = 0.031$   
 3 standard reflections every 200 reflections  
 intensity decay: 1%

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 163 parameters  
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 $\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.26$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>  
 $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.29$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>
**Table 1**

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °).

$D-H\cdots A$	$D-H$	$H\cdots A$	$D\cdots A$	$D-H\cdots A$
$\text{N}-\text{H}0\text{A}\cdots\text{O}^i$	0.86	1.97	2.828 (4)	176

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

Data collection: *CAD-4 EXPRESS* (Enraf-Nonius, 1989); cell refinement: *CAD-4 EXPRESS*; data reduction: *XCAD4* (Harms & Wocadlo, 1995); program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 2008); molecular graphics: *SHELXL97*; software used to prepare material for publication: *PLATON* (Spek, 2009).

Supplementary data and figures for this paper are available from the IUCr electronic archives (Reference: HB6644).

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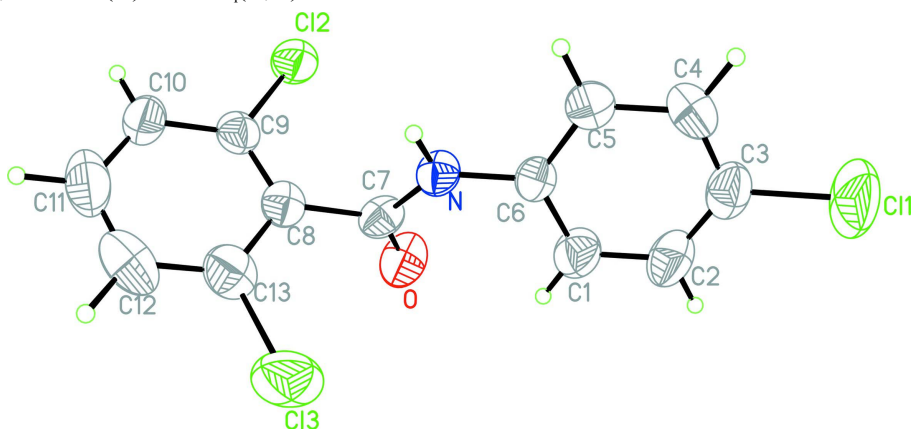
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### S1. Experimental

2,6-Dichlorobenzoyl chloride (0.02 mol, 4.20 g) and 4-chloroaniline (0.02 mol, 2.55 g) were refluxed in triethylamine (6 ml) and tetrahydrofuran (50 ml) for 8h, then the solvents were evaporated to give raw product, which was finally washed by water and collected by filtration. Colourless blocks were obtained by slow evaporation of an ethyl acetate solution.

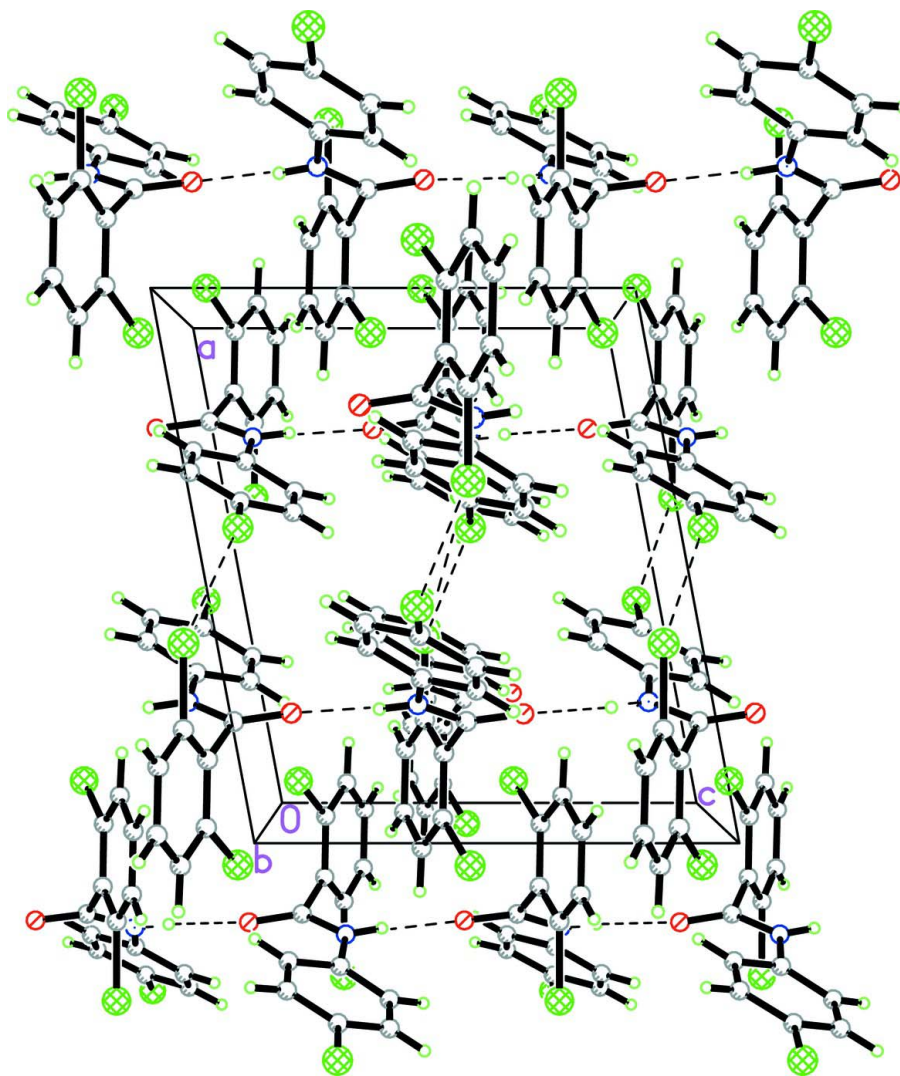
### S2. Refinement

H atoms were positioned geometrically, with N-H = 0.86 Å and C-H = 0.93 Å for aromatic H, and constrained to ride on their parent atoms, with  $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H}) = 1.2U_{\text{eq}}(\text{C}, \text{N})$ .



**Figure 1**

The molecular structure of the title molecule, with displacement ellipsoids drawn at the 50% probability level.



**Figure 2**

A packing diagram of (I) viewed down the *b* axis. Hydrogen bonds are drawn as dashed lines.

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$k = 0 \rightarrow 15$

$l = -11 \rightarrow 11$

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*Refinement*

Refinement on  $F^2$

Least-squares matrix: full

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0 restraints

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

$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.095P)^2]$

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

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

$\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.26 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$

$\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.29 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$

*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.** 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 ( $\text{\AA}^2$ )*

	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>	$U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$
N	0.7580 (3)	0.3117 (2)	0.1127 (3)	0.0423 (8)
H0A	0.7677	0.2870	0.1972	0.051*
O	0.7776 (3)	0.2668 (2)	-0.1093 (3)	0.0660 (9)
Cl1	0.57123 (16)	0.75067 (10)	0.0703 (2)	0.1055 (6)
C1	0.7243 (4)	0.4801 (4)	-0.0171 (5)	0.0593 (12)
H1A	0.7651	0.4547	-0.0859	0.071*
Cl2	0.64198 (10)	0.05573 (10)	0.07481 (12)	0.0617 (4)
C2	0.6810 (5)	0.5830 (4)	-0.0246 (5)	0.0668 (13)
H2A	0.6917	0.6268	-0.0990	0.080*
Cl3	1.06285 (13)	0.25773 (11)	0.06642 (19)	0.0927 (6)
C3	0.6224 (4)	0.6202 (4)	0.0774 (6)	0.0594 (12)
C4	0.6040 (4)	0.5568 (4)	0.1854 (6)	0.0660 (13)
H4A	0.5638	0.5829	0.2543	0.079*
C5	0.6460 (4)	0.4524 (4)	0.1924 (5)	0.0544 (11)
H5A	0.6323	0.4082	0.2652	0.065*

C6	0.7070 (3)	0.4148 (3)	0.0926 (4)	0.0394 (9)
C7	0.7928 (4)	0.2481 (3)	0.0165 (4)	0.0443 (10)
C8	0.8579 (4)	0.1497 (3)	0.0788 (4)	0.0434 (10)
C9	0.7988 (4)	0.0590 (3)	0.1085 (4)	0.0465 (10)
C10	0.8603 (5)	-0.0302 (4)	0.1654 (5)	0.0595 (12)
H10A	0.8188	-0.0911	0.1831	0.071*
C11	0.9838 (5)	-0.0267 (5)	0.1951 (6)	0.0765 (15)
H11A	1.0264	-0.0859	0.2346	0.092*
C12	1.0461 (5)	0.0615 (5)	0.1683 (6)	0.0753 (15)
H12A	1.1302	0.0628	0.1906	0.090*
C13	0.9836 (4)	0.1479 (4)	0.1082 (5)	0.0593 (12)

*Atomic displacement parameters (Å<sup>2</sup>)*

	$U^{11}$	$U^{22}$	$U^{33}$	$U^{12}$	$U^{13}$	$U^{23}$
N	0.055 (2)	0.0430 (19)	0.0289 (16)	0.0040 (16)	0.0070 (14)	0.0032 (15)
O	0.109 (3)	0.0540 (19)	0.0365 (17)	0.0039 (17)	0.0164 (17)	-0.0042 (14)
C11	0.1079 (13)	0.0498 (8)	0.1576 (16)	0.0283 (8)	0.0215 (11)	0.0106 (9)
C1	0.077 (3)	0.052 (3)	0.051 (3)	0.006 (2)	0.018 (2)	0.010 (2)
C12	0.0515 (7)	0.0637 (7)	0.0707 (8)	-0.0022 (5)	0.0132 (5)	0.0087 (6)
C2	0.085 (4)	0.046 (3)	0.068 (3)	0.004 (3)	0.011 (3)	0.016 (2)
C13	0.0706 (9)	0.0743 (10)	0.1392 (14)	-0.0252 (7)	0.0347 (9)	-0.0239 (9)
C3	0.048 (3)	0.043 (3)	0.084 (4)	0.003 (2)	0.002 (2)	0.003 (2)
C4	0.063 (3)	0.063 (3)	0.078 (3)	0.013 (2)	0.028 (3)	-0.007 (3)
C5	0.062 (3)	0.052 (3)	0.053 (3)	0.004 (2)	0.019 (2)	0.006 (2)
C6	0.042 (2)	0.036 (2)	0.039 (2)	-0.0007 (17)	0.0032 (17)	-0.0009 (17)
C7	0.058 (3)	0.044 (2)	0.031 (2)	-0.0057 (19)	0.0088 (18)	-0.0004 (18)
C8	0.052 (2)	0.043 (2)	0.036 (2)	0.0019 (19)	0.0082 (18)	-0.0073 (18)
C9	0.049 (2)	0.052 (2)	0.040 (2)	0.006 (2)	0.0127 (18)	-0.001 (2)
C10	0.071 (3)	0.049 (3)	0.061 (3)	0.013 (2)	0.021 (2)	0.011 (2)
C11	0.076 (4)	0.076 (4)	0.076 (4)	0.032 (3)	0.008 (3)	0.011 (3)
C12	0.046 (3)	0.095 (4)	0.082 (4)	0.013 (3)	0.003 (3)	-0.013 (3)
C13	0.055 (3)	0.052 (3)	0.071 (3)	-0.003 (2)	0.013 (2)	-0.015 (2)

*Geometric parameters (Å, °)*

N—C7	1.338 (5)	C4—H4A	0.9300
N—C6	1.417 (5)	C5—C6	1.366 (5)
N—H0A	0.8600	C5—H5A	0.9300
O—C7	1.216 (4)	C7—C8	1.506 (5)
C11—C3	1.737 (5)	C8—C9	1.378 (6)
C1—C6	1.381 (5)	C8—C13	1.389 (6)
C1—C2	1.382 (6)	C9—C10	1.379 (6)
C1—H1A	0.9300	C10—C11	1.365 (7)
C12—C9	1.733 (4)	C10—H10A	0.9300
C2—C3	1.365 (7)	C11—C12	1.363 (7)
C2—H2A	0.9300	C11—H11A	0.9300
C13—C13	1.732 (5)	C12—C13	1.365 (7)

C3—C4	1.358 (7)	C12—H12A	0.9300
C4—C5	1.394 (6)		
C7—N—C6	128.0 (3)	O—C7—N	124.9 (4)
C7—N—H0A	116.0	O—C7—C8	121.7 (4)
C6—N—H0A	116.0	N—C7—C8	113.4 (3)
C6—C1—C2	120.1 (4)	C9—C8—C13	117.1 (4)
C6—C1—H1A	120.0	C9—C8—C7	123.2 (4)
C2—C1—H1A	120.0	C13—C8—C7	119.7 (4)
C3—C2—C1	119.8 (4)	C8—C9—C10	122.2 (4)
C3—C2—H2A	120.1	C8—C9—C12	119.6 (3)
C1—C2—H2A	120.1	C10—C9—C12	118.3 (3)
C4—C3—C2	120.9 (4)	C11—C10—C9	118.2 (5)
C4—C3—C11	119.4 (4)	C11—C10—H10A	120.9
C2—C3—C11	119.7 (4)	C9—C10—H10A	120.9
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C5—C4—H4A	120.2	C10—C11—H11A	119.2
C6—C5—C4	120.2 (4)	C11—C12—C13	119.1 (5)
C6—C5—H5A	119.9	C11—C12—H12A	120.4
C4—C5—H5A	119.9	C13—C12—H12A	120.4
C5—C6—C1	119.5 (4)	C12—C13—C8	121.7 (5)
C5—C6—N	117.6 (3)	C12—C13—C13	119.2 (4)
C1—C6—N	122.7 (4)	C8—C13—C13	119.1 (4)
C6—C1—C2—C3	0.8 (7)	O—C7—C8—C13	82.0 (5)
C1—C2—C3—C4	-1.2 (8)	N—C7—C8—C13	-96.3 (5)
C1—C2—C3—C11	178.4 (4)	C13—C8—C9—C10	0.3 (6)
C2—C3—C4—C5	0.2 (7)	C7—C8—C9—C10	179.9 (4)
C11—C3—C4—C5	-179.4 (4)	C13—C8—C9—C12	179.9 (3)
C3—C4—C5—C6	1.2 (7)	C7—C8—C9—C12	-0.5 (5)
C4—C5—C6—C1	-1.6 (6)	C8—C9—C10—C11	1.2 (6)
C4—C5—C6—N	173.8 (4)	C12—C9—C10—C11	-178.5 (4)
C2—C1—C6—C5	0.6 (7)	C9—C10—C11—C12	-0.8 (8)
C2—C1—C6—N	-174.5 (4)	C10—C11—C12—C13	-1.1 (8)
C7—N—C6—C5	161.0 (4)	C11—C12—C13—C8	2.6 (8)
C7—N—C6—C1	-23.7 (6)	C11—C12—C13—C13	-177.0 (4)
C6—N—C7—O	-5.6 (7)	C9—C8—C13—C12	-2.2 (6)
C6—N—C7—C8	172.6 (3)	C7—C8—C13—C12	178.2 (4)
O—C7—C8—C9	-97.7 (5)	C9—C8—C13—C13	177.4 (3)
N—C7—C8—C9	84.1 (5)	C7—C8—C13—C13	-2.2 (5)

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