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# [2-(4-Chlorophenyl)-1,3-selenazol-4-yl]methanol

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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; T = 298 K; mean  $\sigma$ (C–C) = 0.006 Å; R factor = 0.041; wR factor = 0.104; data-to-parameter ratio = 13.6.

In the title compound,  $C_{10}H_8$ CINOSe, the dihedral angle between benzene and selenazole rings is 11.4 (3)° and the hydroxymethyl group is bent from the selenazole ring, making a dihedral angle of 63.8 (3)°. In the crystal, molecules are linked into inversion dimers by pairs of O-H···N hydrogen bonds. Roof-tile-like stacking of the molecules along [010] [b =4.5707 (4) Å] is observed, with the benzene and selenazole rings separated by a face-to-face distance of 3.57 Å and a mutual slippage of 2.85 Å.

#### **Related literature**

For the synthesis of 1,3-selenazoles and their biological activity, see: Shafiee *et al.* (1979); Koketsu & Ishihara (2003); Geisler *et al.* (2004). For crystal structures of 1,3-selenazole derivatives, see: Shen *et al.* (2011); Shi & Zhao, (2007).



Experimental

Crystal data C<sub>10</sub>H<sub>8</sub>CINOSe

 $M_r=272.58$ 

Monoclinic, $P2_1/c$
a = 14.8150 (15)  Å
b = 4.5707 (4)  Å
c = 14.9123 (14)  Å
$\beta = 96.642 \ (1)^{\circ}$
$V = 1003.01 (16) \text{ Å}^3$

#### Data collection

Bruker SMART APEX CCD	4466 measured reflections
diffractometer	1742 independent reflections
Absorption correction: multi-scan	1318 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
(SADABS; Bruker, 2007)	$R_{\rm int} = 0.059$
$T_{\min} = 0.337, \ T_{\max} = 0.587$	

Z = 4

Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation

 $0.35 \times 0.32 \times 0.15 \text{ mm}$ 

 $\mu = 3.97 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ 

T = 298 K

#### Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.041$	128 parameters
$wR(F^2) = 0.104$	H-atom parameters constrained
S = 1.01	$\Delta \rho_{\rm max} = 0.45 \ {\rm e} \ {\rm \AA}^{-3}$
1742 reflections	$\Delta \rho_{\rm min} = -0.45 \text{ e} \text{ Å}^{-3}$

#### Table 1

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °).

$D - H \cdots A$	D-H	$H \cdot \cdot \cdot A$	$D \cdots A$	$D - \mathbf{H} \cdot \cdot \cdot A$
$O1-H1\cdots N1^i$	0.82	2.07	2.891 (5)	174
Symmetry code: (i)	-r + 1 - v - z	+1		

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Data collection: *SMART* (Bruker, 2007); cell refinement: *SAINT* (Bruker, 2007); data reduction: *SAINT*; 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*.

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#### S1. Comment

It has well been confirmed that selenium-containing heterocyclic compounds are of considerable biochemical and pharmacological relevance. Thus, derivatives of selenazole have been extensively studied not only because of their interesting reactivities but also because of their pharmaceutical applications (Koketsu & Ishihara, 2003; Geisler *et al.*, 2004). Interested in this field, the title compound, a derivative of selenazole, was prepared and its crystal structure presented (Fig. 1). In the title compound,  $C_{10}H_8NOCISe$ , the dihedral angle between the nearly planar benzene and selenazole rings is 11.4 (3)°. The dihedral angle between the selenazole ring and the hydroxymethyl group, defined by C9 —C10–O1, is 63.8 (3)°. All the bond lengths and angles are normal and correspond to those observed in the related compounds (Shen *et al.*, 2011; Shi & Zhao, 2007). In the crystal structure, pairs of molecules are disposed about an inversion center, generating dimers linked by intermolecular O—H···N hydrogen bonds (Fig. 2 and Table 1). The aromatic parts of the molecules are stacked along [010] (b = 4.5707 (4) Å) in a roof tile-like fashion enabling slipped  $\pi$ - $\pi$ -stacking interactions. The face-to-face distance of the aromatic parts of the molecules (Se1, N1, C1 – C9) is 3.57 Å and their slippage 2.85 Å approximately parallel to the ring-to-ring bond C4—C7 (Fig. 2). This brings C11 in a position above/below the ring centroid of an adjacent benzene ring (C1-··centroid (C1 – C6) = 3.68 Å).

#### **S2.** Experimental

2-(4-Chlorophenyl)-4-chloromethyl-1,3-selenazole (0.01 mol) (Shafiee *et al.*, 1979) was added to dilute sulfuric acid (75 ml, 3.5 mol  $L^{-1}$ ) and heated at reflux for 8 h. The solution was made alkaline with dilute sodium hydroxide and extracted with chloroform. The organic layer was dried with Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered, and evaporated and the obtained solid was recrystallized from ethanol. Clear block-shaped crystals were obtained.

#### S3. Refinement

C-bonded H atoms were placed in calculated positions and thereafter treated as riding, C—H = 0.93 and 0.97 Å,  $U_{iso}(H) = 1.2U_{eq}(C)$ . The hydroxyl H atom was refined with AFIX 147 of program *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 2008), O—H = 0.82 Å,  $U_{iso}(H) = 1.5U_{eq}(O)$ .



## Figure 1

The molecular structure of the title compound with 50% probability displacement ellipsoids.



### Figure 2

Packing diagram of the title compound indicating H-bonds by dashed lines and  $\pi$ - $\pi$ -stacking by red double arrows (see Table 1 and text).

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$T_{\min} = 0.337, \ T_{\max} = 0.587$	$l = -17 \rightarrow 14$
Refinement	

F(000) = 536

 $\theta = 2.8 - 27.1^{\circ}$ 

 $\mu = 3.97 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ T = 298 K

Block, white

 $0.35 \times 0.32 \times 0.15 \text{ mm}$ 

 $D_{\rm x} = 1.805 {\rm Mg} {\rm m}^{-3}$ 

Mo *K* $\alpha$  radiation,  $\lambda = 0.71073$  Å

Cell parameters from 1928 reflections

Refinement on $F^2$	Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier
Least-squares matrix: full	map
$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.041$	Hydrogen site location: inferred from
$wR(F^2) = 0.104$	neighbouring sites
<i>S</i> = 1.01	H-atom parameters constrained
1742 reflections	$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0525P)^2]$
128 parameters	where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
0 restraints	$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\rm max} < 0.001$
Primary atom site location: structure-invariant	$\Delta \rho_{\rm max} = 0.45 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$
direct methods	$\Delta  ho_{ m min} = -0.45  \mathrm{e}  \mathrm{\AA}^{-3}$

Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters  $(Å^2)$ 

	x	У	Ζ	$U_{ m iso}$ */ $U_{ m eq}$	
Se1	0.74166 (3)	0.13939 (10)	0.30636 (3)	0.0423 (2)	
Cl1	0.93843 (9)	1.0498 (3)	0.66855 (9)	0.0586 (4)	
01	0.4348 (2)	-0.0090 (8)	0.3910 (2)	0.0465 (8)	
H1	0.4149	-0.0297	0.4396	0.070*	
N1	0.6330(2)	0.1313 (7)	0.4388 (2)	0.0313 (8)	
C1	0.8698 (3)	0.8234 (9)	0.5942 (3)	0.0394 (11)	
C2	0.7838 (3)	0.7563 (10)	0.6124 (3)	0.0401 (11)	
H2	0.7612	0.8350	0.6628	0.048*	
C3	0.7307 (3)	0.5702 (9)	0.5551 (3)	0.0352 (10)	
H3	0.6722	0.5232	0.5672	0.042*	
C4	0.7644 (3)	0.4523 (9)	0.4790 (2)	0.0308 (10)	
C5	0.8507 (3)	0.5313 (11)	0.4624 (3)	0.0410 (11)	
Н5	0.8735	0.4589	0.4112	0.049*	

C6	0.9042 (4)	0.7147 (11)	0.5196 (3)	0.0503 (13)
H6	0.9626	0.7637	0.5078	0.060*
C7	0.7083 (3)	0.2511 (9)	0.4200 (2)	0.0285 (9)
C8	0.6372 (3)	-0.0813 (9)	0.2973 (3)	0.0373 (11)
H8	0.6171	-0.1989	0.2481	0.045*
С9	0.5933 (3)	-0.0506 (9)	0.3712 (2)	0.0293 (9)
C10	0.5071 (3)	-0.2087 (10)	0.3850 (3)	0.0410 (11)
H10A	0.4912	-0.3417	0.3349	0.049*
H10B	0.5167	-0.3236	0.4399	0.049*

Atomic displacement parameters  $(Å^2)$ 

	$U^{11}$	$U^{22}$	U <sup>33</sup>	$U^{12}$	$U^{13}$	$U^{23}$
Se1	0.0457 (4)	0.0490 (4)	0.0337 (3)	-0.0017 (2)	0.0118 (2)	-0.0033 (2)
Cl1	0.0543 (9)	0.0538 (9)	0.0629 (8)	-0.0135 (6)	-0.0131 (6)	-0.0081 (6)
01	0.037 (2)	0.060(2)	0.0427 (18)	0.0018 (18)	0.0058 (15)	0.0102 (16)
N1	0.034 (2)	0.029 (2)	0.0299 (17)	0.0012 (16)	-0.0013 (15)	-0.0014 (14)
C1	0.042 (3)	0.031 (3)	0.042 (2)	-0.002 (2)	-0.008(2)	0.0014 (19)
C2	0.049 (3)	0.037 (3)	0.034 (2)	-0.008 (2)	0.005 (2)	-0.0008 (19)
C3	0.027 (3)	0.041 (3)	0.039 (2)	-0.004 (2)	0.0053 (19)	0.0034 (19)
C4	0.035 (3)	0.029 (2)	0.028 (2)	0.0021 (19)	0.0035 (18)	0.0047 (16)
C5	0.027 (3)	0.046 (3)	0.052 (3)	-0.002 (2)	0.013 (2)	-0.009(2)
C6	0.036 (3)	0.047 (3)	0.069 (3)	-0.004 (2)	0.010 (3)	-0.005 (3)
C7	0.030 (3)	0.029 (2)	0.0265 (19)	0.0094 (19)	0.0022 (17)	0.0039 (17)
C8	0.040 (3)	0.039 (3)	0.032 (2)	0.004 (2)	-0.0018 (19)	-0.0006 (18)
C9	0.027 (2)	0.029 (2)	0.030(2)	0.0053 (18)	-0.0034 (18)	0.0012 (17)
C10	0.042 (3)	0.039 (3)	0.039 (2)	-0.007 (2)	-0.004 (2)	-0.002 (2)

# Geometric parameters (Å, °)

Se1—C8	1.839 (5)	С3—Н3	0.9300	
Se1—C7	1.889 (4)	C4—C5	1.378 (6)	
Cl1—C1	1.753 (4)	C4—C7	1.463 (6)	
O1—C10	1.419 (6)	C5—C6	1.380 (6)	
01—H1	0.8200	С5—Н5	0.9300	
N1—C7	1.303 (5)	С6—Н6	0.9300	
N1—C9	1.383 (5)	C8—C9	1.350 (6)	
C1—C2	1.367 (6)	C8—H8	0.9300	
C1—C6	1.370 (6)	C9—C10	1.502 (6)	
C2—C3	1.385 (6)	C10—H10A	0.9700	
С2—Н2	0.9300	C10—H10B	0.9700	
C3—C4	1.399 (5)			
C8—Se1—C7	84.78 (19)	C1—C6—C5	118.8 (5)	
C10-01-H1	109.5	C1—C6—H6	120.6	
C7—N1—C9	113.5 (4)	С5—С6—Н6	120.6	
C2-C1-C6	121.5 (4)	N1—C7—C4	125.2 (4)	
C2-C1-Cl1	119.6 (4)	N1-C7-Se1	113.5 (3)	

C6—C1—C11	118.9 (4)	C4—C7—Se1	121.3 (3)
C1—C2—C3	119.5 (4)	C9—C8—Se1	111.3 (3)
C1—C2—H2	120.3	С9—С8—Н8	124.3
С3—С2—Н2	120.3	Se1—C8—H8	124.3
C2—C3—C4	120.4 (4)	C8—C9—N1	116.9 (4)
С2—С3—Н3	119.8	C8—C9—C10	123.9 (4)
С4—С3—Н3	119.8	N1-C9-C10	119.1 (4)
C5—C4—C3	118.1 (4)	O1—C10—C9	111.1 (4)
C5—C4—C7	122.0 (4)	O1-C10-H10A	109.4
C3—C4—C7	119.9 (4)	C9-C10-H10A	109.4
C6—C5—C4	121.8 (4)	O1-C10-H10B	109.4
С6—С5—Н5	119.1	C9-C10-H10B	109.4
C4—C5—H5	119.1	H10A—C10—H10B	108.0
C6-C1-C2-C3	1.1 (7)	C3—C4—C7—N1	-11.4 (6)
Cl1—C1—C2—C3	-178.0 (3)	C5-C4-C7-Se1	-11.1 (6)
C1—C2—C3—C4	-0.2 (7)	C3—C4—C7—Se1	169.0 (3)
C2—C3—C4—C5	-1.1 (6)	C8—Se1—C7—N1	0.0 (3)
C2—C3—C4—C7	178.7 (4)	C8—Se1—C7—C4	179.7 (3)
C3—C4—C5—C6	1.7 (7)	C7—Se1—C8—C9	0.3 (3)
C7—C4—C5—C6	-178.2 (5)	Se1—C8—C9—N1	-0.6 (5)
C2-C1-C6-C5	-0.6 (7)	Se1-C8-C9-C10	-178.4 (3)
Cl1—C1—C6—C5	178.5 (4)	C7—N1—C9—C8	0.6 (5)
C4—C5—C6—C1	-0.8 (7)	C7—N1—C9—C10	178.6 (4)
C9—N1—C7—C4	-180.0 (4)	C8-C9-C10-O1	-117.4 (4)
C9—N1—C7—Se1	-0.3 (4)	N1-C9-C10-O1	64.8 (5)
C5—C4—C7—N1	168.5 (4)		

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °)

D—H···A	<i>D</i> —Н	H··· <i>A</i>	$D \cdots A$	<i>D</i> —H··· <i>A</i>
O1—H1…N1 <sup>i</sup>	0.82	2.07	2.891 (5)	174

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