

**Compound Information**

Chemical Names: 3,3',4,4',5-Pentachlorobiphenyl  
 3,4,5,3',4'-Pentachlorobiphenyl  
 3,3',4,4',5-Pentachloro-1,1'-biphenyl  
 PCB 126

Chemical formula: C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>5</sub>Cl<sub>5</sub>

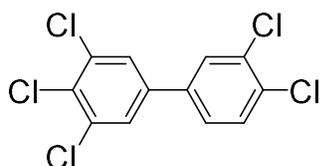
Molecular weight: 326.42

PubChem CID: 63090

InChI Key: REHONNLQRWTIFF-UHFFFAOYSA-N

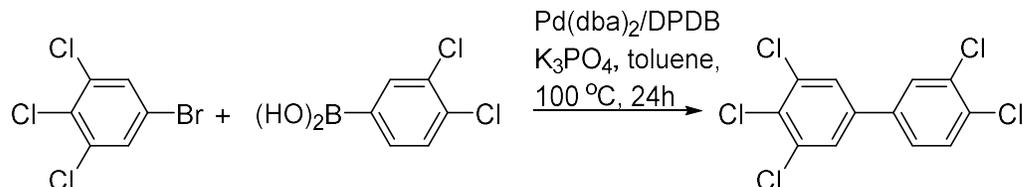
CAS number: 57465-28-8

Structure:



Synthesis: Suzuki Cross Coupling reaction between 3,4,5-trichlorobromobenzene and 3,4-dichlorophenylboronic acid under the catalysis of Pd(dba)<sub>2</sub>/DPDB system (Joshi et al., 2011).

Reaction scheme:



GC-MS (*m/z*): 323.9, 254.0, 218.0, 184.0 (Gadupudi et al., 2018)

Purification: Flash column chromatography (silica-gel and hexane)

Purity: > 99% by GC-MS, detail of analysis method see reference (Li et al., 2018)

State: White solid

Melting Point: 158-160 °C

### Instruments and software used to record and process raw data

| Files                         | Instruments for raw data   | Software to process raw data  |
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| <sup>1</sup> HNMR<br>raw.rar  | Bruker AV500 spectrometer in the University of Iowa Central NMR Research Facility (Iowa City, IA, USA)   | Spectrometer software: Vnmr Varian, Vnmr J Varian, TopSpin Bruker<br>Other software: Mnova, NMRPipe, ACD, SpinWorks, matNMR                               |
| <sup>13</sup> CNMR<br>raw.rar | Bruker AV500 spectrometer in the University of Iowa Central NMR Research Facility (Iowa City, IA, USA)   | Spectrometer software: Vnmr Varian, Vnmr J Varian, TopSpin Bruker<br>Other software: Mnova, NMRPipe, ACD, SpinWorks, matNMR                               |
| GC-MS<br>raw.D.rar            | Mass spectra of all compounds were recorded on an Agilent 7890A gas chromatograph equipped with an Agilent 5975C Inert Mass Selective Detector (Agilent Technologies, CA, USA) | Agilent ChemStation is commonly used to process the raw data in .d format. Raw data can be converted into the desired format using ProteoWizard software. |

### Reference:

- Gadupudi GS, Elser BA, Sandgruber FA, Li X, Gibson-Corley KN & Robertson LW (2018) PCB126 inhibits the activation of AMPK-CREB signal transduction required for energy sensing in liver. *Toxicol. Sci.* 163: 440-453.
- Joshi SN, Vyas SM, Duffel MW, Parkin S & Lehmler HJ (2011) Synthesis of Sterically Hindered Polychlorinated Biphenyl Derivatives. *Synthesis*: 1045-1054.

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Li X, Holland EB, Feng W, Zheng J, Dong Y, Pessah IN, Duffel MW, Robertson LW & Lehmler HJ (2018)

Authentication of synthetic environmental contaminants and their (bio)transformation products in toxicology: polychlorinated biphenyls as an example. *Environ Sci Pollut Res* 25: 16508-16521.