

The Crystal and Molecular Structures of *trans* Square-planar Complexes of Tellurium Dithiocyanate and Diselenocyanate with Ethylenethiourea

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The crystal and molecular structures of *trans*-dithiocyanato- and *trans*-diselenocyanato-bis(ethylenethiourea)tellurium(II), $\text{Te}(\text{etu})_2(\text{SCN})_2$ (I) and $\text{Te}(\text{etu})_2(\text{SeCN})_2$ (II), have been determined by X-ray methods, and refined by least squares for the $0kl - 2kl$ and $h0l$ reflections. The crystals of the two compounds are isomorphous, space group $P2_1/c$ (No. 14) with $Z = 2$, and unit cells, $a = 6.00 \text{ \AA}$, $b = 12.47 \text{ \AA}$, $c = 10.92 \text{ \AA}$, $\beta = 99.6^\circ$ for I, and $a = 6.24 \text{ \AA}$, $b = 12.62 \text{ \AA}$, $c = 10.83 \text{ \AA}$, $\beta = 101.7^\circ$ for II. The tellurium atoms lie in centres of symmetry.

The dimensions of the *trans* square-planar coordination groups are: $\text{Te}-\text{S}(\text{thiocyanate}) = 2.684(7) \text{ \AA}$, $\text{Te}-\text{S}(\text{etu}) = 2.651(6) \text{ \AA}$, $\angle \text{S}-\text{Te}-\text{S} = 90.1(2)^\circ$ in I, and $\text{Te}-\text{Se}(\text{selenocyanate}) = 2.809(3) \text{ \AA}$, $\text{Te}-\text{S}(\text{etu}) = 2.676(6) \text{ \AA}$, $\angle \text{Se}-\text{Te}-\text{S} = 89.9(2)^\circ$ in II. The thio- and selenocyanate ligands coordinate through the sulphur and selenium atoms, and not through the nitrogen atoms.

Whereas sulphur dithiocyanate, selenium dithiocyanate, and selenium diselenocyanate, $\text{S}(\text{SCN})_2$, $\text{Se}(\text{SCN})_2$, and $\text{Se}(\text{SeCN})_2$, are known and their crystal structures have been determined,¹⁻³ neither tellurium dithiocyanate, $\text{Te}(\text{SCN})_2$, nor tellurium diselenocyanate, $\text{Te}(\text{SeCN})_2$, have been isolated so far, except possibly a polymeric form of the former.⁴ Complexes of tellurium dithiocyanate⁵⁻⁸ and tellurium diselenocyanate⁹ with thioureas have been prepared, not from the parent compounds, but from other tellurium(II) complexes through displacements.

A complex, $\text{Te}(\text{etu})_2(\text{SCN})_2$, isolated earlier,⁷ crystallizes in the space group $P2_1/c$ with four molecules per unit cell. The corresponding diselenocyanato complex, $\text{Te}(\text{etu})_2(\text{SeCN})_2$, was prepared later,⁹ through reaction of the dibromo complex, $\text{Te}(\text{etu})_2\text{Br}_2$, with potassium selenocyanate in methanol. It crystallizes in the space group $P2_1/c$ with two molecules per unit cell. The isomorphous dithiocyanato complex then crystallized from a filtered solution

of $\text{Te}(\text{etu})_2\text{Br}_2$ and potassium thiocyanate in methanol, on seeding with crystals of the diselenocyanato complex.

The crystal structure analyses, reported here, were carried out in 1965–1966. The results have been mentioned in a review.¹⁰

CRYSTAL DATA

The crystals of *trans*-dithiocyanatobis(ethylenethiourea)tellurium(II), $\text{Te}(\text{etu})_2(\text{SCN})_2$ (I), and *trans*-diselenocyanatobis(ethylenethiourea)tellurium(II), $\text{Te}(\text{etu})_2(\text{SeCN})_2$ (II), are isomorphous. They are yellow and brownish-red, respectively, and occur as short prisms extended along the a axis, bounded by {010}, {011}, and {100}. The space group is $P2_1/c$ (No. 14), and there are two molecules per unit cell; the tellurium atoms are required to lie in centres of symmetry.

Unit cell dimensions were determined from $0kl$ and $h0l$ Weissenberg photographs, where sodium chloride powder lines had been superimposed for reference, $a_{\text{NaCl}} = 5.6394 \text{ \AA}$. The derived values, $a = 6.00 \text{ \AA}$, $b = 12.47 \text{ \AA}$, $c = 10.92 \text{ \AA}$, $\beta = 99.6^\circ$ for I, and $a = 6.24 \text{ \AA}$, $b = 12.62 \text{ \AA}$, $c = 10.83 \text{ \AA}$, $\beta = 101.7^\circ$ for II, are estimated to be reliable to within 0.3 %.

The *trans* form of $\text{Te}(\text{etu})_2(\text{SCN})_2$ obtained on seeding, considered here, appears to be unstable at room temperature, relative to the spontaneously crystallizing form. In the preparations of the former, crystals of the latter occurred in varying amounts; crystals of the former adhering to crystals of the latter had in some cases after a few days become opaque, and on oscillation photographs gave powder lines, and only faint layer lines of the original *trans* form. It was not possible, through seeding with the spontaneously crystallizing form of the dithiocyanato complex, to obtain isomorphous crystals of the diselenocyanato complex.

EXPERIMENTAL

Intensities of the $0kl$, $1kl$, $2kl$, and $h0l$ reflections were estimated visually from multiple-film integrated equi-inclination Weissenberg photographs, taken with Ni-filtered $\text{CuK}\alpha$ radiation. For the weakest $0kl$ reflections of I, a non-integrated film set was used. Out of 865 accessible, independent reflections for I, and 867 for II, 607 and 645, respectively, were strong enough to be measured. The crystals used for collecting intensity data had cross-sections $0.05 \times 0.05 \text{ mm}$ for the a -axis photographs and $0.08 \times 0.07 \text{ mm}$ for the b -axis photographs of I, and $0.06 \times 0.09 \text{ mm}$ for the a -axis photographs and $0.09 \times 0.13 \text{ mm}$ for the b -axis photographs of II ($\mu = 200 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ for I, and 228 cm^{-1} for II). No corrections for absorption were made.

Lorentz-polarization corrections, and reduction to relative observed structure factors, were carried out on the IBM 650 computer, using Shiono's program,¹¹ and so were Fourier summations and structure factor calculations¹² in the early stages. Least squares refinement was carried out on an IBM 1620 computer, using Mair's program,¹³ and Mair's weighting scheme No. 3,

$$W = 1/[1 + (KF_0 - b)^2/a^2]$$

where K is the scale factor, and a and b were put equal to 40 and 25, respectively, for structure factors based on half the cell content.

The calculated structure factors were based on the scattering curves listed in *International Tables* (Ref. 14, pp. 202, 206, 211). The Freeman-Watson curve for selenium (Ref. 14, p. 206) was used. The tellurium and selenium scattering curves were corrected for anomalous dispersion, using the $4f'$ and $4f''$ values given by Cromer,¹⁵ by taking the amplitude of f as the corrected value.

STRUCTURE ANALYSIS

With the tellurium atoms located in centres of symmetry, the structures were solved in a fairly straight-forward way in the $0kl$ and $h0l$ projections through Fourier summations of reflections with positive signs. Atoms in centres of symmetry in this space group do not contribute to reflections with $k+l$ odd. The first Fourier summation of each $0kl$ zone was therefore based on the strongest reflections with $k+l$ even. The resulting maps, although having false (extra) symmetry because of the omission of the $k+l$ odd reflections, permitted correct sets of sulphur and selenium coordinates to be picked out. In the $h0l$ projection of II, which was worked out before the $h0l$ projection of I, it turned out on inclusion of the contributions of all atoms, that one of the strongest reflections, 102, had negative sign. This reflection was put negative in the first Fourier summation of the $h0l$ reflections of I. The projections were refined by least squares.

Three-dimensional least squares refinement was started, using the coordinates derived from the projections. At first, only the coordinates of the heavy atoms, tellurium, sulphur, and selenium, were allowed to vary. Anisotropic thermal parameters for the heavy atoms were introduced at an early stage, and, finally, anisotropic thermal parameters for all atoms. In the case of I, five strong low-order reflections, 011, 020, 120, 140, and $\bar{2}11$,

Table 1. Atomic coordinates, in fractions of monoclinic cell edges. Origin at a centre of symmetry.

Dithiocyanatobis(ethylenethiourea)tellurium(II)

	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>
Te	0	0	0
S ₁	0.3546	0.1223	-0.0310
C ₁	0.2720	0.2323	0.0370
N ₁	0.2216	0.3052	0.0868
S ₂	0.1542	-0.0108	0.2418
C ₂	-0.0350	0.0702	0.2953
N ₂	-0.1772	0.0361	0.3631
C ₃	-0.3266	0.1200	0.4045
C ₄	-0.2567	0.2173	0.3321
N ₃	-0.0656	0.1751	0.2732

Diselenocyanatobis(ethylenethiourea)tellurium(II)

	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>
Te	0	0	0
Se	0.3651	0.1203	-0.0293
C ₁	0.2826	0.2409	0.0395
N ₁	0.2231	0.3125	0.0865
S	0.1533	-0.0063	0.2493
C ₂	-0.0419	0.0750	0.2929
N ₂	-0.1845	0.0427	0.3606
C ₃	-0.3166	0.1269	0.3939
C ₄	-0.2505	0.2229	0.3259
N ₃	-0.0581	0.1818	0.2705

had markedly lower observed than calculated values, and were omitted from the last stages of refinement. The last refinement cycles gave insignificant coordinate shifts also for the carbon and nitrogen atoms. The final value of the conventional *R* factor, with non-observed reflections included when $|F_c|$ exceeds the observable limit, and with the above-mentioned five strong reflections of I omitted, was 0.070 for I, and 0.065 for II.

The final atomic coordinates are listed in Table 1, thermal parameters in Table 2, and observed and calculated structure factors in Tables 3 and 4.

Table 2. Thermal parameters (\AA^2) in the form $\exp[-2\pi^2(h^2a^{-2}U_{11} + \dots + 2hka^{-1}b^{-1}U_{12} + \dots)]$. All values have been multiplied by 10^4 .

Dithiocyanatobis(ethylenethiourea)tellurium(II)

	U_{11}	U_{22}	U_{33}	U_{12}	U_{23}	U_{13}
Te	392	300	464	33	- 39	124
S ₁	520	485	1179	- 18	- 145	417
C ₁	286	510	842	- 272	- 9	- 73
N ₁	715	483	854	130	- 37	18
S ₂	807	757	571	303	- 43	50
C ₂	549	406	497	186	- 82	40
N ₂	734	425	773	- 224	51	67
C ₃	402	481	971	91	- 71	190
C ₄	587	543	648	156	162	195
N ₃	929	433	561	224	- 22	264

Diseelenocyanatobis(ethylenethiourea)tellurium(II)

	U_{11}	U_{22}	U_{33}	U_{12}	U_{23}	U_{13}
Te	366	236	421	25	- 34	118
Se	583	410	865	- 63	- 127	334
C ₁	965	315	542	30	- 35	- 38
N ₁	609	569	912	139	- 219	- 128
S	552	537	465	203	- 55	66
C ₂	316	336	367	66	- 85	33
N ₂	530	441	608	- 178	- 20	112
C ₃	535	480	837	- 1	- 89	435
C ₄	462	363	598	- 126	- 5	302
N ₃	525	391	444	66	- 40	235

RESULTS

Bond lengths and angles in the coordination groups, from the atomic coordinates of Table 1, are listed in Table 5. Views of the molecules are shown in Figs. 1 and 2.

Tellurium(II) is in each complex coordinated to four ligand atoms in a square-planar *trans* arrangement: to two ethylenethiourea sulphur atoms and two thiocyanate sulphur atoms in I, and to two ethylenethiourea sulphur atoms and two selenocyanate selenium atoms in II. The thiocyanate and selenocyanate ligands coordinate to tellurium(II) through the sulphur and selenium atoms, and not through the nitrogen atoms. Tellurium(II) is a class B¹⁶ or soft¹⁷ complex former.

Table 3. Observed and calculated structure factors ($\times 5$) for *trans*-dithiocyanatobis-(ethylenethiourea)tellurium(II). Unobserved reflections are indicated by a minus sign on $F(O)$ and are included at the threshold values.

H	K	L	F(O)	F(C)	H	K	L	F(O)	F(C)	H	K	L	F(O)	F(C)	H	K	L	F(O)	F(C)	
0	0	2	339	347	0	7	12	-14	-9	-1	1	1	271	312	1	5	5	154	159	
0	0	4	616	631	0	8	0	411	409	-1	1	2	282	312	1	5	6	-69	45	
0	0	6	158	155	0	8	1	30	37	-1	1	3	73	73	1	5	7	220	202	
0	0	8	225	273	0	8	2	348	349	-1	1	4	-26	-30	1	5	8	-56	30	
0	0	10	89	94	0	8	3	329	327	-1	1	5	34	340	1	5	9	85	90	
0	0	12	99	102	0	8	4	329	329	-1	1	5	-56	0	1	5	10	-72	-5	
0	1	1	428	456	0	8	5	55	53	-1	1	7	149	160	1	5	11	83	83	
0	1	2	180	154	0	8	6	158	164	-1	1	8	-70	-55	1	5	12	-48	12	
0	1	3	660	702	0	8	7	-26	13	-1	1	9	231	205	-1	5	1	424	471	
0	1	4	129	-119	0	8	8	172	175	-1	1	10	-77	13	-1	5	2	103	93	
0	1	5	412	418	0	8	9	-24	15	-1	1	11	74	76	-1	5	3	294	311	
0	1	6	79	70	0	8	10	38	56	-1	1	12	-67	-23	-1	5	4	-56	33	
0	1	7	237	234	0	8	11	-17	-6	-1	1	13	92	99	-1	5	5	465	501	
0	1	8	-24	13	0	9	1	340	332	1	2	0	463	625	-1	5	6	-66	14	
0	1	9	144	169	0	9	2	85	75	1	2	1	373	-388	-1	5	7	186	185	
0	1	10	-26	23	0	9	3	262	270	1	2	2	12	30	1	5	8	-75	12	
0	1	11	87	85	0	9	4	76	53	1	2	3	-42	-7	1	5	9	220	235	
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0	1	13	65	78	0	9	6	-26	-4	1	2	5	140	-113	-1	5	11	84	90	
0	2	0	452	554	0	9	7	113	121	1	2	6	247	238	-1	5	12	-57	8	
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0	3	5	309	269	0	11	3	124	112	-1	2	11	-73	-29	-1	6	4	321	324	
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0	6	9	-98	164	1	1	0	6	-60	36	-1	4	11	-71	-6	-1	8	9	-72	75
0	6	10	263	288	1	1	0	10	144	133	-1	4	12	75	85	-1	8	1	271	271
0	6	11	-25	-1	1	0	12	82	75	-1	4	13	-43	-43	-1	8	2	164	164	
0	6	12	45	93	1	1</td														

Table 3. Continued.

H	K	L	F(0)	F(C)	H	K	L	F(0)	F(C)	H	K	L	F(0)	F(C)	H	K	L	F(0)	F(C)
-1	14	6	55	73	-2	2	11	-39	-12	-2	5	10	-40	14	2	9	1	104	95
-1	14	1	-63	-3	-2	2	12	69	75	-2	5	11	69	87	2	9	2	-40	-43
-1	14	2	118	113	-2	2	13	-28	17	-2	5	12	-31	7	2	9	3	174	166
-1	14	3	-59	-8	2	3	1	178	184	-2	5	13	45	66	2	9	4	-24	26
-1	14	4	104	123	2	3	1	220	212	2	6	0	256	265	2	9	5	84	96
-1	14	5	-50	21	2	3	2	-23	-18	2	6	1	137	-133	2	9	6	-41	-12
-1	15	6	98	104	2	3	3	553	545	2	6	2	299	291	2	9	7	116	120
-1	15	7	-50	20	2	3	3	40	34	2	6	3	293	-29	2	9	8	235	237
-1	15	8	67	5	2	3	5	172	164	2	6	4	229	219	2	9	9	58	54
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																	38	64	64

The Te-S bond lengths are close to 2.68 Å, which is the weighted average of earlier values for the length of Te-S bonds in centrosymmetric, square-planar complexes of tellurium(II).¹⁰ With single covalent bond radii for ligand atoms, this corresponds to a bonding radius of 1.64 Å for tellurium(II). So does the Te-Se bond length in the diselenocyanato complex, 2.81 Å.

The S-Te-S and Se-Te-S bond angles are 90° within the error. The bond angles at the sulphur and selenium atoms are in the range 96 to 100°.

The ethylenethiourea carbon and nitrogen coordinates give bond lengths, 1.29 to 1.44 Å for C₂-N₂ and C₂-N₃, 1.44 to 1.50 Å for N₂-C₃ and N₃-C₄,

Table 4. Observed and calculated structure factors ($\times 5$) for *trans*-diselenocyanatobis-(ethylenethiourea)tellurium(II). Unobserved reflections are indicated by a minus sign on $F(O)$ and are included at the threshold values.

F	K	L	F(O)	F(C)	H	K	L	F(O)	F(C)	H	K	L	F(O)	F(C)	H	K	L	F(O)	F(C)	
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0	0	6	222	222	0	8	2	504	518	-1	1	4	-43	0	-1	5	1	650	688	
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Table 4. Continued.

H	K	L	F(O)	F(C)	H	K	L	F(O)	F(C)	H	K	L	F(O)	F(C)	H	K	L	F(O)	F(C)
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1	15	1	63	66	2	3	6	84	77	2	6	9	-84	22	-2	9	5	425	386
1	15	2	137	153	2	3	7	345	350	2	6	10	93	88	-2	9	6	-93	1
1	15	4	67	77	2	3	8	-93	-2	2	6	11	-53	18	-2	9	7	186	188
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1.54 and 1.52 Å for C₃—C₄, and bond angles, 124 to 127° for S₂—C₂—N₂ and S₂—C₂—N₃, 110 and 112° for N₂—C₂—N₃, 107 to 115° for C₂—N₂—C₃ and C₂—N₃—C₄, and 100 to 104° for N₂—C₃—C₄ and N₃—C₄—C₃, with rather large standard deviations (0.024–0.031 Å and 1.5–1.8°). The ethylene-thiourea groups are planar within the error; the deviations of the atoms from the least-squares planes of the groups, with the sulphur coordinates given four times the weight of the carbon and nitrogen coordinates, are 0.001–0.035 Å in I, and 0.006–0.049 Å in II. In both compounds, the least-squares

Table 5. Bond lengths and angles in the coordination groups. Standard deviations, in parentheses, do not include uncertainties in unit cell dimensions.

	Dithiocyanato complex	Diselenocyanato complex
$\angle S - Te - S$	90.1(2)°	
$\angle Se - Te - S$		89.9(2)°
Thio- or seleno-cyanato ligand		
Te-S	2.684(7) Å	
Te-Se		2.809(3) Å
S-C	1.673(21)	
Se-C		1.814(21)
$\angle Te - S - C$	96.3(8)°	
$\angle Te - Se - C$		95.9(9)°
Ethylenethiourea ligand		
Te-S	2.651(6) Å	2.676(6) Å
S-C	1.694(22)	1.730(22)
$\angle Te - S - C$	99.9(8)°	97.5(8)°

planes of the ethylenethiourea groups make angles of 89.7° with the planes of the TeS_4 or TeS_2Se_2 coordination groups.

In the thio- and selenocyanate groups, the C-N bond length is 1.13 and 1.14 Å, respectively, each ± 0.03 Å, and the S-C-N and Se-C-N bond angles, 178 and 176°, each $\pm 2^\circ$.

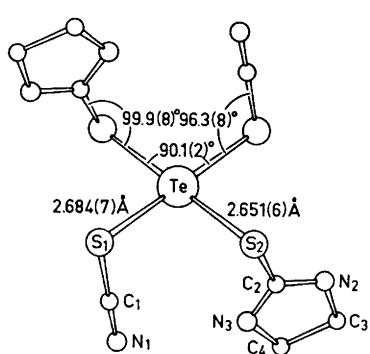


Fig. 1. The *trans*-dithiocyanatobis(ethylenethiourea)tellurium(II) molecule as seen along the normal to a plane through Te, C_2 , and the midpoint between S_1' and S_2' , where S_1' is at $-x, -y, -z$ relative to S_1 .

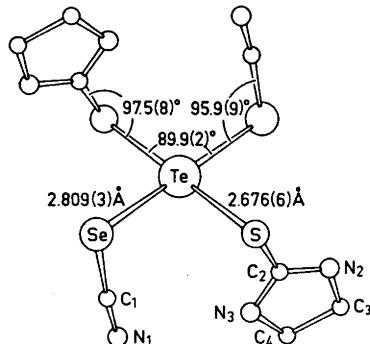


Fig. 2. The *trans*-diselenocyanatobis(ethylenethiourea)tellurium(II) molecule as seen along the normal to a plane through Te, C_2 , and the midpoint between Se' and Se'' , where Se' is at $-x, -y, -z$ relative to Se .

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