



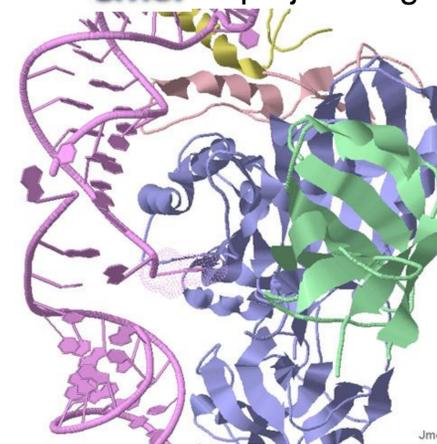
# The Blue Obelisk community



## Introduction

The Internet has brought together a group of chemists who are driven by wanting to do things better, but are frustrated with the Closed systems that chemists currently have to work with. They share a belief in the concepts of **Open Data**, **Open Standards** and **Open Source**. And they express this in software, data, algorithms, specifications, tutorials, demonstrations, articles and anything that helps get the message across.

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## OpenSMILES Specification

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This document formally defines an open specification version of the SMILES language, a typographical line notation for specifying chemical structure. It is hosted under the banner of the Blue Obelisk project, with the intent to solicit contributions and comments from the entire computational chemistry community.

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## Cheminformatics Toolkits



Open-Source Cheminformatics and Machine Learning



Open Babel

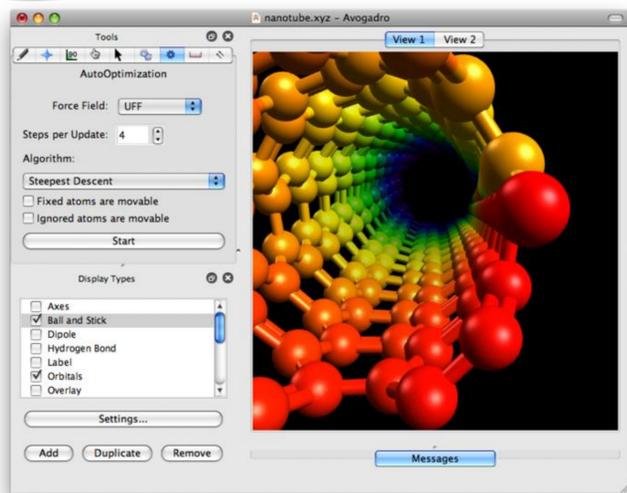


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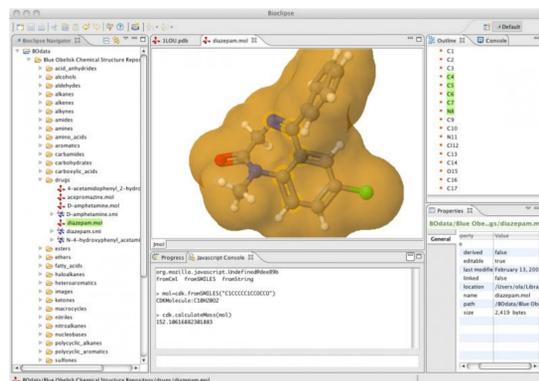


Indigo

Avogadro <http://avogadro.sf.net>



<http://bioclipse.net>



Welcome to cclib

cclib is an [open source](#) library, written in [Python](#), for parsing and interpreting the results of computational chemistry packages. The current version, cclib 1.0, parses output files from [ADF](#), [GAMESS \(US\)](#), [GAMESS-UK](#), [Gaussian](#), [Jaguar](#), [Molpro](#), [ORCA](#) and [Firefly](#). See [what's new in cclib 1.0](#).

### The goals of cclib

- to facilitate the implementation of algorithms that are not specific to a particular computational chemistry package
- to provide a simple and standard interface to the results of computational chemistry calculations, particularly those results that are useful for algorithms or visualisation
- to maximise interoperability with other open source computational chemistry and cheminformatic software libraries

<http://cclib.sf.net>

## OSCAR3, parsing chemistry from text

7.3.1 Preparation of (2E,4R\*,5R\*)-ethyl-4,5-epoxy-hex-2-enoate (172)

Trifluoroacetic anhydride (14.8 ml, 104 mmol) was added slowly to a suspension of (2E,4E)-ethylhexa-2,4-dienoate (171 (2.44 g, 17.4 mmol), [bicyclic hydrogen peroxide](#) (27.6 g, 195 mmol) in DCM (250 ml) at 0°C. After removing from the ice bath, the reaction mixture was stirred at rt for 30 min and then cautiously poured into a vigorously stirred and precooled (0°C) solution of NaHCO<sub>3</sub> (800 ml). After effervescence had ceased, the phases were separated and the organic phase washed sequentially with NaHCO<sub>3</sub> solution (3 x 300 ml) and NaCl solution (300 ml), dried (MgSO<sub>4</sub>) and filtered. Concentration in vacuo followed by flash colt 7:1 provided the epoxide 172 (1.09 g, 7 mmol, 41%) as: 2981, 1716 (C=O), 1655 (C=C), 1446, 1378, 1367, 1310, 1031, 1005, 975; <sup>1</sup>H (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): 1.15 (3H, t, J 6.8-H x 3), 2.84 (1H, qd, J 5.2, 2.0, 5-H), 3.05 (1H, dd, J OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>3</sub>), 5.99 (1H, dd, J 15.7, 0.6, 2-H), 6.54 (1H, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): 165.5, 144.5, 123.6, 60.4, 57.3, 57.1, 17.4, 14 Found: [MNa]<sup>+</sup>, 179.060. [C<sub>8</sub>H<sub>12</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Na]<sup>+</sup> requires 179 reported in the literature.16

- Experimental data
- Ontology term
- Chemical (etc.) with structure
- Chemical (etc.), without structure
- Reaction
- Chemical adjective
- Enzyme -ase word
- Chemical prefix

<http://oscar3-chem.sf.net>

## Cheminformatics Databases



Pgchem::tigress



Mychem

ORCHEM ambit



ChemiSQL

Bingo

# And much more...!

## Want to get involved?

Membership is informal and open to anyone with an interest in open data, open standards or open source in chemistry. Just send an email to our public mailing list and introduce yourself. There are also regular meetups at chemistry conferences so keep an eye out for announcements.

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