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(E)-1-[1-(4-Chlorophenyl)ethylidene]thiosemicarbazide

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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; T = 293 K; mean σ (C–C) = 0.003 Å; R factor = 0.037; wR factor = 0.104; data-to-parameter ratio = 12.1.

In the crystal structure of the title compound, $C_9H_{10}ClN_3S$, the molecules form chains parallel to [001] through $N-H\cdots S$ hydrogen bonds. In addition, weak intermolecular $N-H\cdots Cl$ hydrogen bonds connect the chains, forming a two-dimensional network parallel to (001).

Related literature

For related compounds and their biological activity, see: Odenike *et al.* (2008); Rebolledo *et al.* (2008). For a related structure, see: Wang *et al.* (2007). For a description of the Cambridge Structural Database, see: Allen (2002).



Experimental

Crystal data

 $\begin{array}{l} C_9H_{10}{\rm Cln}_3{\rm S} \\ M_r = 227.71 \\ {\rm Monoclinic, } P2_1/c \\ a = 9.2760 \ (2) \ {\rm \AA} \\ b = 13.9990 \ (3) \ {\rm \AA} \\ c = 8.3970 \ (2) \ {\rm \AA} \\ \beta = 97.448 \ (2)^\circ \end{array}$

Data collection

Oxford Diffraction Xcalibur (Ruby, Gemini) diffractometer Absorption correction: multi-scan (CrysAlis PRO; Agilent, 2011) $T_{\rm min} = 0.256, T_{\rm max} = 1.000$ $V = 1081.19 (4) Å^{3}$ Z = 4 Cu K\alpha radiation $\mu = 4.64 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ T = 293 K 0.53 × 0.10 × 0.10 mm

6043 measured reflections 2024 independent reflections 1807 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$ $R_{\text{int}} = 0.027$

Refinement

 $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.037$ $wR(F^2) = 0.104$ S = 1.062024 reflections

167 parameters All H-atom parameters refined
$$\begin{split} &\Delta\rho_{max}=0.31\ e\ {\rm \AA}^{-3}\\ &\Delta\rho_{min}=-0.30\ e\ {\rm \AA}^{-3} \end{split}$$

Table 1 Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °).

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$D - H \cdots A$	D-H	$H \cdot \cdot \cdot A$	$D \cdots A$	$D - H \cdot \cdot \cdot A$
$N2-H9\cdots S1^{i}$	0.89 (3)	2.69 (3)	3.581 (2)	175 (2)
$N3-H10B\cdots S1^{ii}$	0.84 (3)	2.54 (3)	3.351 (2)	163 (2)
$N3-H10A\cdots Cl1^{iii}$	0.85 (3)	2.88 (2)	3.500 (2)	131 (2)

Symmetry codes: (i) $x, -y + \frac{1}{2}, z - \frac{1}{2}$; (ii) $x, -y + \frac{1}{2}, z + \frac{1}{2}$; (iii) $x, -y + \frac{3}{2}, z + \frac{1}{2}$.

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Comment

The family of thiosemicarbazone compounds have been extensively studied due to their wide range potential in medical applications (Odenike *et al.*,2008). Some studies with acetophenone derivates and their coordination complexes (Rebolledo *et al.* 2008) reveal that these compounds could be used as new class of *anti-trypanosomal drug* candidates. In this work we have synthesised and crystallised a new acetophenone thiosemicarbazone derivate (I).

The molecule exist in the thione form and *E*-configuration about hydrazine bond. The bond length N(1)–N(2) (1.380 (2) Å) and the dihedral angle C(7)=N(1)-N(2)-C(9) (171.36 (2) °) are similar to those found for thiosemicarbazone systems in CSD (Allen, 2002) [selected 371 hits, average distance N—N is 1.374 Å and mean dihedral angle is 178.21 °] (Fig. 1).

The dihedral angle between chlorobenzene ring C1/C2/C3/C4/C5/C6/C11 (C3 atom max. deviation = 0.0098 (2) Å) and the moiety C7/N1/N2/C9/S1/N3 (N1 atom max. deviation = 0.0955 (2) Å) is 44.25 (1)° for structure (I). The dihedral angle for the analogous, structure (II), reported by Wang (2007), in which C1 atom is in *ortho* position, is 57.48 (1)° (Fig. 2). The spatial position of para-isomer favours π - π stacking interactions of chlorobenzene rings in (I) (Fig. 3).

In the crystal packing molecules are forming chains through N(2)—H(9)…S(1) and N(3)—H(10b)…S(1) hydrogen bonds along *a axis* (Table 1), as observed in other acetophenone thiosemicarbazone derivate, previously reported by (Wang *et al.* 2007). Weak intermolecular N(3)—H(10a)…Cl(1) hydrogen bond and π – π stacking interactions [Cg1(C1→C6)…Cg1(iv) = 4.2142 (1) Å, offset= 31.95° and dihedral angle = 13 (2) ° for iv: x,1/2-y,-1/2+z] are present in the crystal contributing to stabilize chains.

Experimental

A solution of 1-(4-chlorophenyl)ethanone (3.092 g 0.02 mol) and thiosemicarbazide (1.82 g, 0.02 mol) in absolute methanol (80 mL) was refluxed for 2 h in the presence of *p*-toluenesulfonic acid as catalyst, with continuous stirring. On cooling to room temperature the precipitate was filtered off, washed with copious cold methanol and dried in air. Colourless single crystals of compound (I) were obtained after recrystallisation from a solution in methanol.

Refinement

All H atoms located at the difference Fourier maps and isotropically refined. At the end of the refinement the highest peak in the electron density was $0.310 \text{ e}\text{\AA}^{-3}$, while the deepest hole was $-0.300 \text{ e}\text{\AA}^{-3}$.

Computing details

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Figure 1

A view of the molecular structure of the title molecule showing the atom-numbering scheme. Displacement ellipsoids are drawn at the 50% probability level.



Figure 2

The principal differences of para-isomer (I) and ortho-isomer (II).



Figure 3

Packing diagram viewed parallel to (001). Hydrogen bonds and intermolecular interactions are indicated by dashed lines. H atoms not involved in hydrogen bonding have been omitted for clarity.

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Refinement

Refinement on F^2 Least-squares matrix: full $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.037$ $wR(F^2) = 0.104$ S = 1.062024 reflections 167 parameters F(000) = 472 $D_x = 1.399 \text{ Mg m}^{-3}$ Cu $K\alpha$ radiation, $\lambda = 1.54180 \text{ Å}$ Cell parameters from 4083 reflections $\theta = 4.8-70.4^{\circ}$ $\mu = 4.64 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ T = 293 KNeedle, white $0.53 \times 0.10 \times 0.10 \text{ mm}$

6043 measured reflections 2024 independent reflections 1807 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$ $R_{int} = 0.027$ $\theta_{max} = 70.6^{\circ}, \theta_{min} = 4.8^{\circ}$ $h = -9 \rightarrow 11$ $k = -16 \rightarrow 16$ $l = -10 \rightarrow 9$

0 restraints Primary atom site location: structure-invariant direct methods Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier map Hydrogen site location: difference Fourier map All H-atom parameters refined $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0575P)^2 + 0.2508P]$ where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$ $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\text{max}} < 0.001$ $\Delta \rho_{\rm max} = 0.31 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$ $\Delta \rho_{\rm min} = -0.30 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$

Special details

Experimental. Absorption correction: CrysAlisPro, Agilent Technologies, Version 1.171.35.19 (release 27-10-2011 CrysAlis171 .NET) (compiled Oct 27 2011,15:02:11) Empirical absorption correction using spherical harmonics, implemented in SCALE3 ABSPACK scaling algorithm.

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 F², 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 F² are statistically about twice as large as those based on F, and R- factors based on ALL data will be even larger.

	x	у	Ζ	$U_{\rm iso}$ */ $U_{\rm eq}$
S1	0.83335 (6)	0.21962 (3)	0.00603 (5)	0.05163 (19)
C11	0.57019 (7)	0.94286 (4)	-0.18264 (9)	0.0821 (2)
N2	0.81521 (19)	0.39415 (10)	-0.11515 (19)	0.0491 (4)
N1	0.77525 (18)	0.48923 (10)	-0.10634 (18)	0.0476 (4)
C9	0.8022 (2)	0.33823 (12)	0.0125 (2)	0.0432 (4)
N3	0.7653 (2)	0.38062 (13)	0.1416 (2)	0.0605 (5)
C7	0.8045 (2)	0.54568 (12)	-0.2186 (2)	0.0438 (4)
C5	0.8203 (2)	0.72184 (13)	-0.2668 (3)	0.0515 (5)
C4	0.7665 (2)	0.81370 (14)	-0.2571 (3)	0.0565 (5)
C6	0.74834 (19)	0.64447 (12)	-0.2095 (2)	0.0424 (4)
C3	0.6403 (2)	0.82766 (12)	-0.1920 (2)	0.0520 (5)
C1	0.6206 (2)	0.66152 (13)	-0.1440 (3)	0.0529 (5)
C2	0.5654 (2)	0.75293 (15)	-0.1350 (3)	0.0587 (5)
C8	0.8862 (3)	0.51830 (16)	-0.3537 (3)	0.0637 (6)
Н5	0.908 (3)	0.7122 (16)	-0.314 (3)	0.065 (7)*
H4	0.812 (3)	0.8684 (18)	-0.300 (3)	0.068 (7)*
H1	0.572 (2)	0.6117 (16)	-0.111 (3)	0.053 (6)*
H2	0.482 (3)	0.7642 (18)	-0.088 (3)	0.069 (7)*
H9	0.825 (3)	0.3660 (17)	-0.208 (3)	0.068 (7)*
H10B	0.764 (2)	0.3508 (19)	0.228 (3)	0.064 (7)*
H10A	0.748 (3)	0.4403 (19)	0.138 (3)	0.061 (6)*
H24	0.958 (3)	0.477 (2)	-0.323 (3)	0.085 (8)*
H25	0.913 (4)	0.570 (3)	-0.406 (4)	0.105 (10)*
H23	0.820 (4)	0.488 (3)	-0.430 (4)	0.115 (12)*

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

Atomic displacement parameters $(Å^2)$

	U^{11}	U ²²	U^{33}	U^{12}	U^{13}	U ²³
S 1	0.0813 (4)	0.0306 (3)	0.0452 (3)	0.00960 (19)	0.0166 (2)	0.00294 (15)
Cl1	0.0895 (5)	0.0360 (3)	0.1238 (6)	0.0149 (2)	0.0247 (4)	0.0101 (3)
N2	0.0750 (11)	0.0292 (7)	0.0452 (8)	0.0056 (7)	0.0163 (7)	0.0029 (6)

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N1	0.0665 (10)	0.0281 (7)	0.0493 (8)	0.0045 (6)	0.0121 (7)	0.0020 (6)
C9	0.0566 (10)	0.0317 (8)	0.0422 (8)	0.0027 (7)	0.0100 (7)	0.0003 (6)
N3	0.1046 (15)	0.0321 (9)	0.0482 (9)	0.0092 (8)	0.0234 (9)	0.0027 (7)
C7	0.0549 (10)	0.0308 (8)	0.0459 (9)	-0.0027 (7)	0.0078 (7)	0.0015 (7)
C5	0.0563 (11)	0.0365 (9)	0.0636 (12)	-0.0035 (8)	0.0149 (9)	0.0039 (8)
C4	0.0660 (12)	0.0306 (9)	0.0740 (13)	-0.0058 (8)	0.0130 (10)	0.0066 (9)
C6	0.0532 (10)	0.0304 (8)	0.0434 (8)	-0.0021 (7)	0.0051 (7)	0.0026 (6)
C3	0.0620 (12)	0.0308 (9)	0.0622 (11)	0.0036 (8)	0.0041 (9)	0.0034 (8)
C1	0.0624 (12)	0.0332 (9)	0.0659 (12)	-0.0032 (8)	0.0188 (10)	0.0078 (8)
C2	0.0622 (13)	0.0427 (11)	0.0743 (13)	0.0036 (9)	0.0203 (11)	0.0046 (9)
C8	0.0942 (18)	0.0367 (11)	0.0664 (13)	0.0043 (11)	0.0346 (13)	0.0046 (10)

Geometric parameters (Å, °)

S1—C9	1.6875 (17)	C5—C6	1.390 (3)
Cl1—C3	1.7443 (18)	С5—Н5	0.96 (2)
N2—C9	1.345 (2)	C4—C3	1.369 (3)
N2—N1	1.386 (2)	C4—H4	0.97 (2)
N2—H9	0.89 (3)	C6—C1	1.390 (3)
N1—C7	1.286 (2)	C3—C2	1.375 (3)
C9—N3	1.319 (2)	C1—C2	1.384 (3)
N3—H10B	0.84 (3)	C1—H1	0.89 (2)
N3—H10A	0.85 (3)	C2—H2	0.93 (3)
С7—С6	1.483 (2)	C8—H24	0.90 (3)
С7—С8	1.493 (3)	C8—H25	0.90 (4)
C5—C4	1.386 (3)	C8—H23	0.93 (4)
C9—N2—N1	117.64 (15)	C5—C6—C1	118.38 (17)
C9—N2—H9	118.2 (16)	C5—C6—C7	121.38 (17)
N1—N2—H9	122.1 (16)	C1—C6—C7	120.23 (16)
C7—N1—N2	117.88 (15)	C4—C3—C2	121.79 (18)
N3—C9—N2	116.91 (16)	C4—C3—C11	119.54 (15)
N3—C9—S1	122.19 (14)	C2—C3—C11	118.67 (17)
N2	120.89 (13)	C2—C1—C6	121.34 (18)
C9—N3—H10B	121.6 (17)	C2—C1—H1	120.2 (14)
C9—N3—H10A	118.9 (16)	C6—C1—H1	118.5 (14)
H10B—N3—H10A	119 (2)	C3—C2—C1	118.5 (2)
N1—C7—C6	115.22 (16)	C3—C2—H2	120.4 (16)
N1—C7—C8	125.12 (17)	C1—C2—H2	121.0 (16)
С6—С7—С8	119.66 (16)	C7—C8—H24	112.5 (18)
C4—C5—C6	120.66 (19)	C7—C8—H25	111 (2)
С4—С5—Н5	119.0 (14)	H24—C8—H25	115 (3)
С6—С5—Н5	120.3 (14)	С7—С8—Н23	107 (2)
C3—C4—C5	119.27 (18)	H24—C8—H23	107 (3)
C3—C4—H4	118.2 (15)	H25—C8—H23	103 (3)
C5—C4—H4	122.5 (15)		
C9—N2—N1—C7	171.36 (17)	N1—C7—C6—C1	-30.9 (2)
N1—N2—C9—N3	-6.1 (3)	C8—C7—C6—C1	148.1 (2)
N1—N2—C9—S1	174.28 (14)	C5—C4—C3—C2	0.3 (3)

N2—N1—C7—C6	175.21 (15)	C5—C4—C3—Cl1	-178.89 (17)
N2—N1—C7—C8	-3.8 (3)	C5-C6-C1-C2	-0.2 (3)
C6—C5—C4—C3	-0.8 (3)	C7—C6—C1—C2	-179.58 (19)
C4—C5—C6—C1	0.7 (3)	C4—C3—C2—C1	0.2 (3)
C4—C5—C6—C7	-179.92 (18)	Cl1—C3—C2—C1	179.40 (17)
N1-C7-C6-C5	149.71 (19)	C6—C1—C2—C3	-0.3 (3)
C8—C7—C6—C5	-31.3 (3)		

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