acridine moiety, Table 3, somewhat less pronounced in the ( $Z$ ) derivative, is of the same order as found in other acridines considered to be planar: for both compounds the best planes of the two outer rings are roughly parallel to one another and also parallel to the central ring in $(Z)$ while in $(E)$ they are rotated with respect to the best plane of the central ring by 1.4 (1) ${ }^{\circ}$.

As far as the geometry of the ethylenic $\mathrm{C}(15)=\mathrm{C}(16)$ bond is concerned, the distortion about the double bond is given in terms of the trans torsion angle in the $(E)$ and the cis torsion angle in the $(Z)$ derivative, reported in Table 2. The puckering value for the cis, greater than that of the trans compound, reflects the mutual steric interaction of the xylyl and the acridinyl groups.

The packing is consistent with van der Waals interactions.

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# Structure of 7,14,15,17-Tetraoxa-10-azapentacyclo[10.2.1.1 $\left.1^{2,11} .1^{5,8} .0^{3,9}\right]-$ heptadeca-3,9-dien-2-ol, a Pentacyclic Alcohol Prepared from Levoglucosenone 

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#### Abstract

C}_{12} \mathrm{H}_{13} \mathrm{NO}_{5}, \quad M_{r}=251 \cdot 2\), orthorhombic, $P 2_{1} 2_{1} 2_{1}, \quad a=9.294$ (3), $\quad b=10 \cdot 714$ (3), $\quad c=$ $10 \cdot 846$ (3) $\AA, \quad V=1080 \cdot 0(6) \AA^{3}, \quad Z=4, \quad D_{m}=1 \cdot 55$, $D_{x}=1.55 \mathrm{Mg} \mathrm{m}^{-3}, \quad \lambda(\mathrm{Cu} \mathrm{K} \mathrm{\alpha})=1.54178 \mathrm{~A}, \quad \mu=$ $1.04 \mathrm{~mm}^{-1}, F(000)=528, T=293 \mathrm{~K}, R=0.039$ for 800 unique observed reflections. The crystal structure consists of helical chains of the title molecule, the principal intrachain interaction being hydrogen bonding between the hydroxyl and imine groups. The structure previously assigned on the basis of chemical and spectroscopic evidence is confirmed. The conformation of the pyranose ring is ${ }^{1} C_{4}$ distorted towards a mixture of $E_{0}$ and ${ }^{1} H_{0}$, and that of the anhydro rings is between ${ }^{0} E$ and ${ }^{0} T_{4}$. The inherent rigidity of the pentacyclic skeleton of the title alcohol forces $\mathrm{N}=\mathrm{C}$ and $\mathrm{C}=\mathrm{C}$ bonds of the $\alpha, \beta$-unsaturated imine moiety, $-\mathrm{N}=\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{C}=\mathrm{C}-$, to


be coplanar but there is no crystallographic evidence for any conjugation within this moiety.

Introduction. The title compound (III) was prepared by reaction of glycoside precursor (I), 1,6-anhydro-3,4-dideoxy- $\beta$-D-glycero-hex-3-enopyranos-2-ulose (levoglucosenone) (Bhaté \& Horton, 1983), with ammonium carbonate in refluxing $95 \%$ ethanol. Spectroscopic and analytical data (Bystrický, Sticzay, Koóš, Kettmann, 1986) were consistent with the structure (III), i.e. the reaction was found to proceed in a different way from that observed in pyrones, which, under the same reaction conditions, prefer substitution of the ring oxygen by nitrogen to give pyridones (Kaiser, Work, Wolfe \& Hauser, 1967). The carbohydrate product (III) must thus have arisen by a novel sequential reaction, the
sequence involving the conjugate attack of ammonium carbonate from the exo face of the cyclic enone system followed by condensation of the resulting $\quad 1,6$-anhydro-3,4-dideoxy-4-exo(axial)-amino- $\beta$-D-hexopyranos-2-ulose (II) with another molecule of levoglucosenone.


The structure (III), however, especially whether or not the central cyclization had taken place, could not be established unambiguously from spectroscopic data. To resolve this ambiguity and determine the detailed stereochemistry of this compound, an X-ray diffraction study of (III) was undertaken.

Experimental. Crystals of (III) suitable for X-ray analysis recrystallized from ethanol, crystal used: $0.4 \times 0.4 \times 0.5 \mathrm{~mm} ; ~ D_{m}$ by flotation in bromoform/ cyclohexane; systematic absences $h 00$ for $h$ odd, $0 k 0$ for $k$ odd and $00 l$ for $l$ odd, from Weissenberg photographs; Syntex $P 2_{1}$ diffractometer; accurate unit-cell parameters by least-squares refinement of 15 reflections, $12<\theta<45^{\circ}$; intensity data ( $h=0$ to $9, k$ $=0$ to $11, l=0$ to 11) by $\theta / 2 \theta$ scans, variable rate 4.9 to $29.3^{\circ} \mathrm{min}^{-1}$ in $2 \theta$, background-to-scan-time ratio $=1 \cdot 0$, scan width $2^{\circ}$ plus $\alpha_{1}-\alpha_{2}$ dispersion, $\mathrm{Cu} K \alpha$ radiation filtered by graphite monochromator; two standards measured every 98 reflections, no appreciable trends; 811 unique reflections, $5<\theta \leq 55^{\circ}, 800$ with $I \geq 2 \sigma(I)$ considered observed and included in the refinement; Lp correction but none for absorption or extinction; structure solved by direct methods using MULTAN78 (Main, Hull, Lessinger, Germain, Declercq \& Woolfson, 1978) and MAGIC (Declercq, Germain \& Woolfson, 1979) and refined by block-diagonal least squares, $\Delta \rho$ map showed positions of all H atoms, refinement continued on positional parameters, anisotropic thermal parameters for non-H atoms and isotropic thermal parameters for H atoms fixed equal to those of covalently bonded atoms; in final cycle $R=0.039, w R=0.045$ for observed reflections only, $S=1 \cdot 8$, max. shift/ e.s.d. $0 \cdot 16$, function minimized $\sum w(\Delta F)^{2}$, where $w=1$ if $\left|F_{o}\right|<25$ and $w=25 /\left|F_{o}\right|$ if $\left|F_{o}\right| \geq 25$, max. and min. heights in final $\Delta \rho$ synthesis 0.19 and $0 \cdot 17 \mathrm{e} \AA^{-3}$, scattering factors for uncharged atoms from International Tables for X-ray Crystallography (1974); all calculations except MULTAN and

MAGIC performed with local version of the NRC system (Ahmed, Hall, Pippy \& Huber, 1973).

Discussion. Final atomic coordinates of non-H atoms and equivalent isotropic $B$ 's for the title alcohol (III) are listed in Table 1,* bond distances and angles in Table 2. A perspective drawing of the molecule and numbering of the atoms are shown in Fig. 1. The absolute configuration at chiral centres of adduct (III) was determined from stereochemical arguments, from ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ and ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR data, and from circular dichroism spectra (Bystrický, Sticzay, Koóš \& Kettmann, 1986). These results are now unambiguously confirmed and extended by this crystal structure determination, Fig. 1 giving the correct enantiomorphic form. As shown in Fig. 1, the derived alcohol (III) may be considered as being composed of two 1,6 -anhydropyranose subunits, one saturated and the other unsaturated, linked to each other by an imine nitrogen bridge and via the $\mathrm{C}(2)-\mathrm{C}\left(3^{\prime}\right)$ bond; the unsaturated ('primed') subunit can be interpreted alternatively as levoglucosenone substituted at $\mathrm{C}\left(2^{\prime}\right)$, having a $\mathrm{C}=\mathrm{N}$ instead of a $\mathrm{C}=\mathrm{O}$ bond. Thus, the product (III) must be formed by the chemical transformations depicted in the reaction scheme above.

The corresponding bonding and torsional parameters for the chemically equivalent portions of the two subunits, i.e. the anhydro rings, agree within the limits of experimental error, with the exception of the $\mathrm{C}(1)-\mathrm{O}(1)$ and $\mathrm{C}\left(1^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{O}\left(1^{\prime}\right)$ bonds which differ by a significant amount $(9 \sigma)$. Similar observations have also been reported for two symmetryindependent molecules in the structure of 1,6 -an-hydro- $\beta$-D-mannopyranose (Maluszynska, Kinoshita \& Jeffrey, 1982) and explained as being due to the involvement of the O atom of the longer $\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{O}$ bond in a hydrogen-bonding interaction. In the present structure such an explanation has been discarded in view of the fact that both $O(1)$ and $O\left(1^{\prime}\right)$ have a very similar crystal-field environment [neither $O(1)$ nor $O\left(1^{\prime}\right)$ is involved in any hydrogen-bonding interaction] and the reason for the discrepancy remains unclear.

The bond distances within the saturated $1,6-\mathrm{an}-$ hydropyranose moiety show typical features of similar structures reported in the literature (e.g. Maluszynska, Kinoshita \& Jeffrey, 1982, and references therein; Shelling, Dolphin, Wirz, Cobbledick \& Einstein, 1984), i.e. the geometry of the parent 1,6 -anhydropyranose system is not significantly per-

[^0]Table 1. Final atomic coordinates ( $\times 10^{4}$ ) with e.s.d.'s in parentheses and equivalent isotropic thermal parameters

| $B_{\text {eq }}=\frac{4}{3} \sum_{i} \sum_{j} \boldsymbol{\beta}_{i j} \mathbf{a}_{i} \mathbf{a}_{j}$. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $x$ | $y$ | $z$ | $B_{\text {eq }}\left(\AA^{2}\right)$ |
| C(1) | 3890 (3) | 2516 (2) | 7729 (2) | $2 \cdot 64$ |
| C(2) | 3178 (3) | 1499 (2) | 6920 (2) | 2.12 |
| C(3) | 3777 (3) | 238 (2) | 7308 (2) | 2.44 |
| C(4) | 3487 (3) | 151 (2) | 8711 (2) | 2.64 |
| C(5) | 4116 (3) | 1306 (2) | 9361 (2) | 2.91 |
| C(6) | 5623 (3) | 1612 (3) | 8953 (3) | 3.55 |
| O(1) | 5396 (2) | 2333 (2) | 7828 (2) | 3.03 |
| O(2) | 3535 (2) | 1813 (1) | 5681 (1) | $2 \cdot 74$ |
| O(5) | 3351 (2) | 2401 (1) | 8950 (1) | 2.72 |
| N(4) | 1935 (2) | 106 (2) | 8972 (2) | $2 \cdot 67$ |
| $\mathrm{C}\left(1^{\prime}\right)$ | -476 (3) | 732 (3) | 8458 (3) | $3 \cdot 40$ |
| C(2') | 1112 (3) | 741 (2) | 8252 (2) | 2.52 |
| $\mathrm{C}\left(3^{\prime}\right)$ | 1604 (3) | 1479 (2) | 7160 (2) | 2.24 |
| $\mathrm{C}\left(4^{\prime}\right)$ | 581 (3) | 2057 (2) | 6521 (2) | 2.75 |
| C(5) | -966 (3) | 1986 (2) | 6908 (2) | 3.05 |
| C(6) | -1625 (3) | 752 (3) | 6563 (3) | 3.97 |
| O(1) | -1158 (2) | -62 (2) | 7553 (2) | $4 \cdot 23$ |
| O(5) | -1037 (2) | 1937 (2) | 8231 (1) | 3.17 |

Table 2. Interatomic distances ( $\AA$ ) and valence angles $\left({ }^{\circ}\right)$ with e.s.d.'s in parentheses
$\mathrm{C}(1)-\mathrm{C}(2)$
$\mathrm{C}(1)-\mathrm{O}(1)$
$\mathrm{C}(1)-\mathrm{O}(5)$
$\mathrm{C}(2)-\mathrm{C}(3)$
$\mathrm{C}(2)-\mathrm{O}(2)$
$\mathrm{C}(2)-\mathrm{C}(3)$
$\mathrm{C}(3)-\mathrm{C}(4)$
$\mathrm{C}(4)-\mathrm{C}(5)$
$\mathrm{C}(4)-\mathrm{N}(4)$
$\mathrm{C}(4)-\mathrm{O}(5)$
$\mathrm{C}(5)-\mathrm{C}(6)$

| $\mathrm{O}(5)-\mathrm{C}(1)-\mathrm{C}(2)$ | 108.4 (2) | $\mathrm{C}(1)-\mathrm{O}(1)-\mathrm{C}(6)$ | $106 \cdot 3$ (2) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\mathrm{O}(1)-\mathrm{C}(1)-\mathrm{C}(2)$ | 111.6 (2) | $\mathrm{C}(4)-\mathrm{N}(4)-\mathrm{C}\left(2^{\prime}\right)$ | 116.6 (2) |
| $\mathrm{O}(1)-\mathrm{C}(1)-\mathrm{O}(5)$ | $105 \cdot 4$ (2) | $\mathrm{O}\left(5^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{C}\left(1^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{C}\left(2^{\prime}\right)$ | 109.4 (2) |
| $\mathrm{C}(1)-\mathrm{C}(2)-\mathrm{C}(3)$ | 108.2 (2) | $\mathrm{O}\left(1^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{C}(1)-\mathrm{C}\left(2^{\prime}\right)$ | 109.6 (2) |
| $\mathrm{C}(1)-\mathrm{C}(2)-\mathrm{O}(2)$ | $105 \cdot 6$ (2) | $\mathrm{O}(1)-\mathrm{C}\left(1^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{O}\left(5^{\prime}\right)$ | 104.9 (2) |
| $\mathrm{C}(1)-\mathrm{C}(2)-\mathrm{C}(3)$ | 109.4 (2) | $\mathrm{C}\left(1^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{C}\left(2^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{C}\left(3^{\prime}\right)$ | $115 \cdot 1$ (2) |
| $\mathrm{C}(3)-\mathrm{C}(2)-\mathrm{O}(2)$ | $112 \cdot 7$ (2) | $\mathrm{C}(1)-\mathrm{C}(2)-\mathrm{N}(4)$ | 119.5 (2) |
| $\mathrm{C}(3)-\mathrm{C}(2)-\mathrm{C}(3)$ | 107.4 (2) | $\mathrm{C}(3)-\mathrm{C}(2)-\mathrm{N}(4)$ | 125.3 (2) |
| $\mathrm{C}(3)-\mathrm{C}(2)-\mathrm{O}(2)$ | 113.4 (2) | $\mathrm{C}\left(2^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{C}(3)-\mathrm{C}(4)$ | 116.1 (2) |
| $\mathrm{C}(2)-\mathrm{C}(3)-\mathrm{C}(4)$ | 105.1 (2) | $\mathrm{C}\left(2^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{C}(3)-\mathrm{C}(2)$ | 116.6 (2) |
| $\mathrm{C}(3)-\mathrm{C}(4)-\mathrm{C}(5)$ | $109 \cdot 6$ (2) | $\mathrm{C}\left(4^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{C}\left(3^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{C}(2)$ | $127 \cdot 3$ (2) |
| $\mathrm{C}(3)-\mathrm{C}(4)-\mathrm{N}(4)$ | 111.3 (2) | $\mathrm{C}\left(3^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{C}\left(4^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{C}\left(5^{\prime}\right)$ | 121.1 (2) |
| $\mathrm{C}(5)-\mathrm{C}(4)-\mathrm{N}(4)$ | 108.1 (2) | $\mathrm{C}\left(4^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{C}\left(5^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{O}\left(5^{\prime}\right)$ | 109.0 (2) |
| $\mathrm{C}(4)-\mathrm{C}(5)-\mathrm{O}(5)$ | 108.9 (2) | $\mathrm{C}\left(4^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{C}\left(5^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{C}\left(6^{\prime}\right)$ | 111.4 (2) |
| $\mathrm{C}(4)-\mathrm{C}(5)-\mathrm{C}(6)$ | 113.2 (2) | $\mathrm{O}\left(5^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{C}\left(5^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{C}\left(6^{\prime}\right)$ | 101.4 (2) |
| $\mathrm{O}(5)-\mathrm{C}(5)-\mathrm{C}(6)$ | 113.2 (2) | $\mathrm{O}\left(5^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{C}\left(5^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{C}\left(6^{\prime}\right)$ | 101.4 (2) |
| $\mathrm{C}(1)-\mathrm{O}(5)-\mathrm{C}(5)$ | $100 \cdot 7$ (2) | $\mathrm{C}(1)-\mathrm{O}(1)-\mathrm{C}\left(6^{\prime}\right)$ | $106 \cdot 3$ (2) |
| $\mathrm{C}(5)-\mathrm{C}(6)-\mathrm{O}(1)$ | 103.1 (2) | $\mathrm{C}(1)-\mathrm{O}\left(5^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{C}\left(5^{\prime}\right)$ | 101.0 (2) |

turbed by the presence of the cyclic imine structure, as far as bond lengths are concerned. Significant differences, however, appear among valence and torsion angles. The central cyclization has caused a considerable puckering of the pyranose ring at the $\mathrm{C}(3)$ side, i.e. the ring is less flattened at $\mathrm{C}(3)$ compared with the parent, unperturbed 1,6 -anhydropyranoses. This is reflected in the angular distortions at $\mathrm{C}(2), \mathrm{C}(3)$ and $\mathrm{C}(4)$, e.g. the endocyclic angle at $\mathrm{C}(3)$ is $5-7^{\circ}$ smaller than in the corresponding parent molecules; similarly, the torsion angles at $\mathrm{C}(3)$
$[\mathrm{C}(1)-\mathrm{C}(2)-\mathrm{C}(3)-\mathrm{C}(4)=55.3(2), \quad \mathrm{C}(2)-\mathrm{C}(3)-$ $\left.\mathrm{C}(4)-\mathrm{C}(5)=-53.9(2)^{\circ}\right]$ are $10-20^{\circ}$ larger than in 1,6-anhydropyranose derivatives.

The conformations of the rings can also be expressed in terms of Cremer \& Pople (1975) ringpuckering parameters with e.s.d.'s according to Norrestam (1981). The pyranose ring in the title compound is characterized by $Q=0.684$ (4) $\AA, \varphi_{2}=$ 195 (1) and $\theta=171$ (1) ${ }^{\circ}$, showing that the ring is ${ }^{1} C_{4}$ chair distorted toward a conformation which is midway between sofa $E_{0}$ and half-chair ${ }^{1} H_{0}$. The corresponding $Q$ values for unperturbed 1,6 -anhydropyranose so far investigated vary in the range $0.61-0.64 \AA$ with the conformation limited to the range $E_{0}{ }^{5} H_{0}$ (Jeffrey \& Yates, 1979), thus showing again a larger overall puckering amplitude for the pyranoid ring of the present structure as well as its different distortion mode from the ${ }^{1} C_{4}$ form. As expected, the conformation of the anhydro rings is between ${ }^{0} T_{4}$ and ${ }^{0} E$, similar to those of related 1,6-anhydropyranoses; the values of the ring-


Fig. 1. The molecular structure of the title compound (III) and labelling of the atoms.


Fig. 2. The crystal structure as seen along the $c$ axis. The broken lines represent hydrogen bonds. Only atoms of the reference molecule involved in the independent hydrogen bond are numbered.
puckering coordinates are $Q=0 \cdot 446(3) \AA, \varphi_{2}=$ 351 (2) ${ }^{\circ}$ for the sequence $\mathrm{O}(5), \mathrm{C}(1), \mathrm{O}(1), \mathrm{C}(6), \mathrm{C}(5)$ and $Q=0.445(4) \AA, \varphi_{2}=350(2)^{\circ}$ for the sequence $\mathrm{O}\left(5^{\prime}\right), \mathrm{C}\left(1^{\prime}\right), \mathrm{O}\left(1^{\prime}\right), \mathrm{C}\left(6^{\prime}\right), \mathrm{C}\left(5^{\prime}\right)$. The newly formed six-membered heterocycle has an envelope conformation with $\mathrm{C}(3)$ displaced 0.781 (2) $\AA$ from the mean plane through the remaining five atoms.

The central part of the molecule [formed by the atoms $\mathrm{N}(4), \mathrm{C}\left(2^{\prime}\right), \mathrm{C}\left(3^{\prime}\right), \mathrm{C}\left(4^{\prime}\right), \mathrm{C}\left(1^{\prime}\right), \mathrm{C}(4), \mathrm{C}(2)$ and $\left.\mathrm{C}\left(5^{\prime}\right)\right]$ is planar to within $\pm 0.016$ (3) $\AA$ with the exception of C(5') which is 0.027 (3) $\AA$ out of the least-squares plane of this eight-atom fragment. The twist angle about the central $\mathrm{C}\left(2^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{C}\left(3^{\prime}\right)$ bond as measured by the angle between the planes $[\mathrm{N}(4)$, $\left.\mathrm{C}\left(2^{\prime}\right), \mathrm{C}\left(1^{\prime}\right)\right]$ and $\left[\mathrm{C}(2), \mathrm{C}\left(3^{\prime}\right), \mathrm{C}\left(4^{\prime}\right)\right]$ is only $1 \cdot 1\left(2^{\circ}\right.$. On the other hand, the pattern of bond lengths within the alkylidenimine grouping, $-\mathrm{N}=$ $\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{C}=\mathrm{C}-$, is entirely consistent with integer bond orders: the $\mathrm{N}(4)-\mathrm{C}\left(2^{\prime}\right)$ and $\mathrm{C}\left(3^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{C}\left(4^{\prime}\right)$ bond distances of 1.288 (3) and 1.330 (3) $\AA$ are in good agreement with the values reported for pure $\mathrm{C}=\mathrm{N}$ (Schenetti, Taddei, Greci, Marchetti, Milani, Andreetti, Bocelli \& Sgarabotto, 1980) and $\mathrm{C}=\mathrm{C}$ (Bartell, Roth, Hollowell, Kuchitsu \& Young, 1965) double bonds, and the $\mathrm{C}\left(2^{\prime}\right)-\mathrm{C}\left(3^{\prime}\right)$ bond has a length $[1.496$ (3) $\AA$ ] which is slightly larger than the value of 1.487 (5) $\AA$ normally accepted for a $\mathrm{C}\left(s p^{2}\right)-\mathrm{C}\left(s p^{2}\right)$ single bond (Shmueli, Shanan-Atidi, Horwitz \& Shvo, 1973). The latter bond length compares quite well with the central bond length in 2,2'-bipyrimidine [ 1 -497 (4) $\AA$; Fernholt, Rømming \& Samdal, 1981] where conjugation is hindered by repulsion. There is, therefore, no evidence for any $\pi$-electron delocalization between $\mathrm{N}(4)=\mathrm{C}\left(2^{\prime}\right)$ and $\mathrm{C}\left(3^{\prime}\right)=\mathrm{C}\left(4^{\prime}\right)$. Thus it may be concluded that the planarity of the central portion of the molecule results from rigidity of the polycyclic skeleton rather than from conjugation within the $\alpha, \beta$-unsaturated imine function.

The crystal structure of the compound is shown in Fig. 2. Molecules are linked by hydrogen bonds, $\mathrm{O}(2)-\mathrm{H} \cdots \mathrm{N}(4)\left(\frac{1}{2}-x,-y,-\frac{1}{2}+z\right)[\mathrm{O} \cdots \mathrm{N}=2 \cdot 802(3)$, $\mathrm{O}-\mathrm{H}=0.78(3), \quad \mathrm{H} \cdots \mathrm{N}=2.03(3) \AA, \quad \mathrm{O}-\mathrm{H} \cdots \mathrm{N}=$ 176 (3) ${ }^{\circ}$ ], to form infinite chains running along $2_{1}$ screw axes $\left[\left(\frac{1}{4}, 0, z\right)\right.$ and $\left.\left(\frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{2}, z\right)\right]$. The chains are packed by van der Waals forces only.

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# Structure of Phenacyl Pentamethylenedithiocarbamate 

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$0.32 \mathrm{~mm}^{-1}, F(000)=592, T=293 \mathrm{~K}$, final $R=0.043$ for 1150 observed reflections. The molecule of the title substance (1) has normal bond lengths and angles. The nearly planar phenacyl group is approximately perpendicular to the dithiocarbamate group. The conformation of (1) is discussed with regard to © 1989 International Union of Crystallography


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