

**A new heterocyclic ring system in (4*S*,6*S*)-6-(2-phenylethyl)-4-phenyl-1,4,3-oxathiazin-2(6*H*)-one****Björn Schlummer,<sup>a</sup> Werner Massa<sup>a\*</sup> and Thorsten Bach<sup>b†</sup>**<sup>a</sup>Fachbereich Chemie der Philipps-Universität, Hans-Meerwein-Straße, D-35043 Marburg, Germany, and <sup>b</sup>Lehrstuhl f. Organische Chemie I, TU München, Lichtenbergstraße 4, D-85747 Garching, Germany

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massa@chemie.uni-marburg.de**Key indicators**

Single-crystal X-ray study  
 $T = 213\text{ K}$   
Mean  $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.003\text{ \AA}$   
 $R$  factor = 0.038  
 $wR$  factor = 0.105  
Data-to-parameter ratio = 14.5

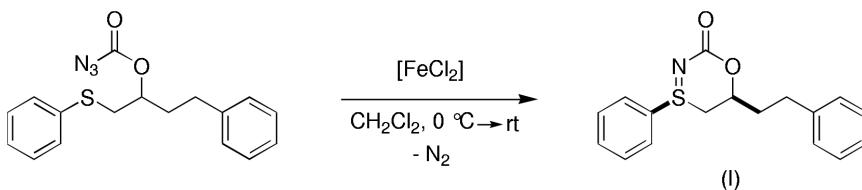
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<http://journals.iucr.org/e>.

The title compound,  $C_{17}H_{17}NO_2S$ , is formed by reaction of 2-azidocarbonyloxy-4-phenyl-1-thiophenylbutane with iron(II) chloride as catalyst. This is the first example of the 1,4,3-oxathiazin-2(6*H*)-one ring system.

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**Comment**

During our studies on iron(II)-catalyzed nitrogen transfer, we developed an intramolecular variant generating cyclic systems (Bach *et al.*, 2000*a,b*; Bach & Körber, 1998, 1999, 2000). By treating a thio-substituted alkoxy carbonyl azide with catalytic amounts of iron(II) chloride in dichloromethane, the title compound, (I), was precipitated as a mixture of diastereoisomers (55:45). After recrystallization, it could be obtained in diastereoisomerically pure form.



The interesting 1,4,3-oxathiazin-2(6*H*)-one ring system constitutes a new class of heterocycle. The ring atoms N3, C2 with O2, O1 and C6 are approximately coplanar [maximum deviation from the best plane 0.047 (1) Å; S4 is 0.559 (1) Å and C5 is 1.030 (2) Å above this plane. The phenyl ring at S4 shows a remarkable rotation towards the N5 atom [torsion angle N3–S4–C7–C12 = 24.4 (2)°]. The corresponding 1,4,3-oxathiazin-2(6*H*)-one 4-oxides have been prepared earlier and an X-ray structure analysis was reported (Hwang *et al.*, 1987). Heterocyclic sulfoximines show a wide variety of physiological activities (Kennewell & Taylor, 1980).

**Experimental**

Compound (I) was prepared by reaction of 2-azidocarbonyloxy-4-phenyl-1-thiophenylbutane with iron(II) chloride in dichloromethane according to the scheme above. The product was purified by chromatography and then dissolved in dichloromethane/*tert*-butyl methyl ether, from which crystals suitable for X-ray analysis were obtained.

**Crystal data**

$C_{17}H_{17}NO_2S$	Cu $K\alpha$ radiation
$M_r = 299.38$	Cell parameters from 25 reflections
Orthorhombic, $Pbca$	$\theta = 18.2\text{--}19.9^\circ$
$a = 9.0561 (4)\text{ \AA}$	$\mu = 1.99\text{ mm}^{-1}$
$b = 11.5330 (5)\text{ \AA}$	$T = 213 (2)\text{ K}$
$c = 28.0118 (13)\text{ \AA}$	Square plate, colourless
$V = 2925.7 (2)\text{ \AA}^3$	$0.25 \times 0.22 \times 0.06\text{ mm}$
$Z = 8$	
$D_x = 1.359\text{ Mg m}^{-3}$	

**Data collection**

Enraf–Nonius CAD-4 diffractometer

$\omega$  scans

Absorption correction: numerical via indexed faces (*SHELXTL*; Sheldrick, 1996)

$T_{\min} = 0.636$ ,  $T_{\max} = 0.886$

5578 measured reflections

2779 independent reflections

**Refinement**

Refinement on  $F^2$

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.039$

$wR(F^2) = 0.106$

$S = 1.05$

2779 reflections

191 parameters

H-atom parameters constrained

2222 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$

$R_{\text{int}} = 0.046$

$\theta_{\max} = 70.3^\circ$

$h = 0 \rightarrow 11$

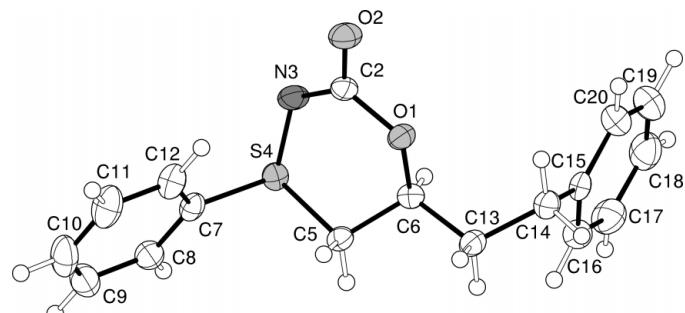
$k = 0 \rightarrow 14$

$l = -34 \rightarrow 34$

2 standard reflections

frequency: 120 min

intensity decay: 1.9%



**Figure 1**

*DIAMOND* (Brandenburg, 1999) drawing of a molecule of (I) with the atomic numbering scheme. Displacement ellipsoids are shown at the 50% probability level.

Data collection: *CAD-4 EXPRESS* (Enraf–Nonius, 1993); cell refinement: *CAD-4 EXPRESS*; data reduction: *XCAD4* (Harms, 1997); program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 1997); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 1997); molecular graphics: *DIAMOND* (Brandenburg, 1999); software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXL97*.

**Table 1**

Selected geometric parameters ( $\text{\AA}$ ,  $^\circ$ ).

O1—C2	1.375 (2)	S4—C5	1.8002 (19)
O1—C6	1.446 (2)	C5—C6	1.516 (2)
C2—O2	1.217 (2)	C6—C13	1.522 (3)
C2—N3	1.357 (3)	C13—C14	1.532 (3)
N3—S4	1.6176 (17)	C14—C15	1.511 (3)
S4—C7	1.792 (2)		
C2—O1—C6	120.37 (15)	C6—C5—S4	104.89 (12)
O2—C2—N3	123.06 (18)	O1—C6—C5	109.15 (14)
O2—C2—O1	115.86 (18)	O1—C6—C13	106.54 (15)
N3—C2—O1	120.94 (17)	C5—C6—C13	111.25 (15)
C2—N3—S4	122.82 (14)	C8—C7—S4	116.91 (15)
N3—S4—C7	105.65 (9)	C12—C7—S4	120.81 (16)
N3—S4—C5	105.40 (9)	C6—C13—C14	113.86 (16)
C7—S4—C5	100.24 (9)	C15—C14—C13	115.52 (17)
C6—O1—C2—O2	-172.27 (17)	C2—O1—C6—C13	-173.30 (16)
C6—O1—C2—N3	3.6 (3)	S4—C5—C6—O1	65.97 (16)
O2—C2—N3—S4	-159.80 (16)	S4—C5—C6—C13	-176.75 (13)
O1—C2—N3—S4	24.6 (3)	N3—S4—C7—C8	154.71 (15)
C2—N3—S4—C7	101.39 (18)	C5—S4—C7—C8	-95.97 (16)
C2—N3—S4—C5	-4.2 (2)	O1—C6—C13—C14	-64.6 (2)
N3—S4—C5—C6	-38.78 (14)	C5—C6—C13—C14	176.58 (16)
C7—S4—C5—C6	-148.29 (13)	C6—C13—C14—C15	-67.0 (2)
C2—O1—C6—C5	-53.1 (2)	C13—C14—C15—C16	-41.3 (3)

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