

Metal-binding modes in sulfoxines: supramolecular network in (8-hydroxyquinoline-5-sulfonato-*N*¹,*O*⁸)sodium(I)

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Key indicators

Single-crystal X-ray study
T = 293 K
Mean $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.002 \text{ \AA}$
R factor = 0.031
wR factor = 0.091
Data-to-parameter ratio = 15.8

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In the title compound, $[\text{Na}(\text{C}_9\text{H}_6\text{NO}_4\text{S})]$, the sodium ion is coordinated by the N and O atoms of the quinolinol moiety (usual bidentate chelation) and three O atoms from three different sulfonate groups. The quinolinol O atom and one of the sulfonate O atoms are in the axial positions and the ring N atom and two O atoms from two different sulfonate groups lie in the equatorial positions of the trigonal bipyramid around sodium. Unlike other metal sulfoxinates, the quinolinol O atom is not deprotonated, but is involved in hydrogen bonding. Moreover, all three sulfonate O atoms are involved in coordination, leading to a supramolecular three-dimensional network structure.

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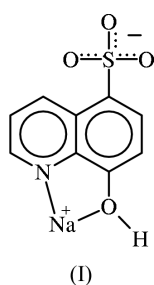
Oxine and its derivatives are well known analytical reagents and antiameobic agents (Bambury, 1979). Oxine is a bidentate chelator forming complexes with many metal ions through the quinoline N and deprotonated quinolinol O atoms. Metal chelation has been implicated in the biological activity of oxine derivatives (Martel & Calvin, 1959). The incorporation of sulfonic acid in the oxine moiety provides additional metal-binding and potential hydrogen-bonding acceptor sites/modes. This type of ligand is called sulfoxine (sulfonic acid + oxine). In metal sulfoxinates, in addition to the usual bidentate chelation of the oxine moiety through the N and O atoms, sulfonic O atoms also coordinate to the metal. Hydrogen-bonding patterns and metal-binding modes of sulfoxinates are of current interest (Cai, Chen, Liao, Feng & Chen, 2001; Cai, Chen, Liao, Yao *et al.*, 2001; Cai, Chen, Feng *et al.*, 2001). It has recently been demonstrated that the combination of coordination and the sulfonate group can result in the formation of strong supramolecular aggregates through hydrogen bonding and this represents a new strategy for the design of SHG (second harmonic generation) materials (Xie *et al.*, 2002). Information on the structural chemistry of metal sulfoxinates is relatively rare, due to the poor coordinating ability of sulfoxinates compared with that of phosphonates. Various remarkable structural features of metal sulfoxinates have prompted us to investigate systematically the structural chemistry of these compounds. The crystal structures of 7-iodo-8-hydroxyquinoline-5-sulfonic acid (ferron; Balasubramanian & Muthiah, 1996*a*), 7-nitro-8-hydroxyquinoline-5-sulfonic acid monohydrate (Balasubramanian & Muthiah, 1996*b*), the cobalt complex of ferron (Balasubramanian, 1995), the nickel complex of 8-hydroxyquinoline-5-sulfonic acid (HQS; Baskar Raj *et al.*, 2001), the nickel complex of ferron (Baskar Raj *et al.*, 2002) and the lithium complex of HQS (Murugesan & Muthiah, 1997) have also been reported from our laboratory.

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In metal sulfoxinates, the sulfonate motifs can be linked in two ways. In one type, in addition to the usual bidentate chelation of the oxine motif, two centrosymmetrically related monomers are bridged by one of the sulfonate O atoms involved in the coordination, forming a cage-like dimer, as observed in the copper–sulfoxinate complexes (Petit, Coquerel *et al.*, 1993; Petit, Ammor *et al.*, 1993), the cobalt complex of ferron (Balasubramanian, 1995), the nickel complex of ferron (Baskar Raj *et al.*, 2002) and the lithium complex of HQS (Murugesan & Muthiah, 1997). In another type, in addition to the usual bidentate chelation, a sulfonic acid O atom of one molecule is coordinated to the metal atom of another molecule, leading to a one-dimensional polymeric arrangement, as observed in the copper–sulfoxinate complex (Petit, Coquerel *et al.*, 1993).



In the sodium complex of HQS, (I), the coordination geometry around the sodium ion is distorted trigonal bipyramidal. In addition to the usual bidentate chelation involving the N and O atoms of the oxine moiety, three sulfonate O atoms from three different sulfonate groups are coordinated

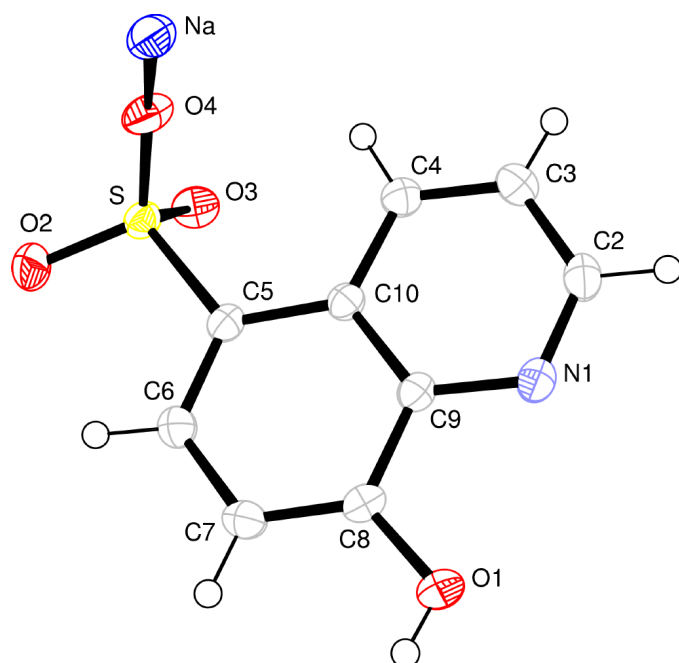


Figure 1
View of (I), with the atom-labelling scheme and 50% probability displacement ellipsoids.

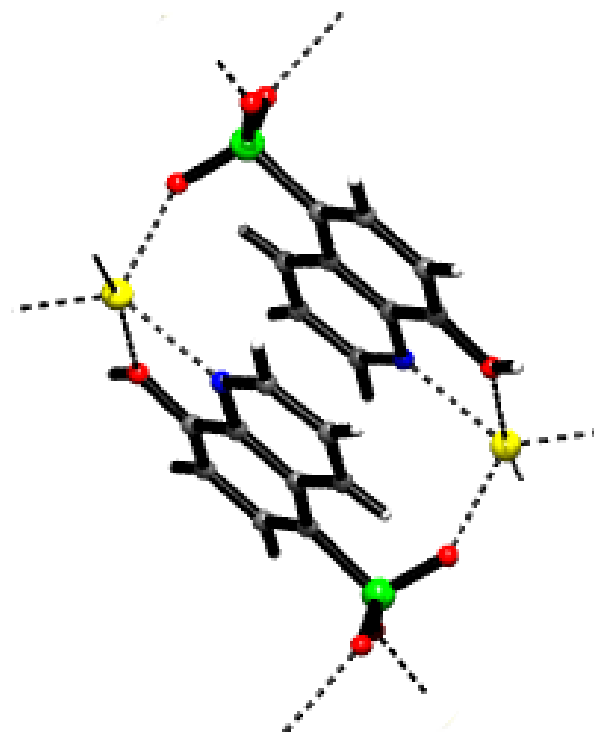


Figure 2
The cage-like dimeric arrangement of (I), made up of two inversion-related monomers.

to the sodium ion. The O atom of the quinolinol moiety and one of the O atoms (O3) from the sulfonate group bind to the Na⁺ ion at the axial positions and two O atoms (O2 and O4) from two different sulfonate groups and the ring N atom lie in the equatorial positions. A view of the complex unit of (I), with the atom-labelling scheme, is shown in Fig. 1. One of the sulfonate O atoms bridges the two inversion-related monomers, leading to a cage-like dimeric unit (Fig. 2). The distance between two neighbouring Na atoms is 5.4718 (15) Å. A view of the packing is shown in Fig. 3. The present sodium complex is quite different from other metal sulfoxinates reported in the literature (Balasubramanian, 1995; Murugesan & Muthiah, 1997; Petit, Coquerel *et al.*, 1993; Petit, Ammor *et al.*, 1993; Baskar Raj *et al.*, 2001, 2002) in the sense that all three sulfonate O atoms are involved in the coordination, leading to a supramolecular network structure. The smaller N–Na–O bite angle in (I) may be the result of longer coordination bonds than those in the Co and Ni complexes. The Na–O(quinolinol) and Na–N(ring) bond distances are not significantly different from one another. The Na–N(ring) distance [2.4418 (15) Å] in (I) agrees with the range of values [2.459 (7)–2.539 (6) Å] reported in the literature (Papadimitriou *et al.*, 1998). Also, the Na–O(quinolinol) distance [2.4892 (14) Å] in (I) agrees with the corresponding distance [2.42 (9) Å] in small molecules (Harding, 2002) reported in the Cambridge Structural Database (Allen & Kennard, 1993). The Na–O(sulfonate) distances agree with the corresponding distance reported in the literature (Cai, Chen, Liao, Feng & Chen, 2001; Cai, Chen, Liao, Yao *et al.*, 2001; Cai, Chen, Feng

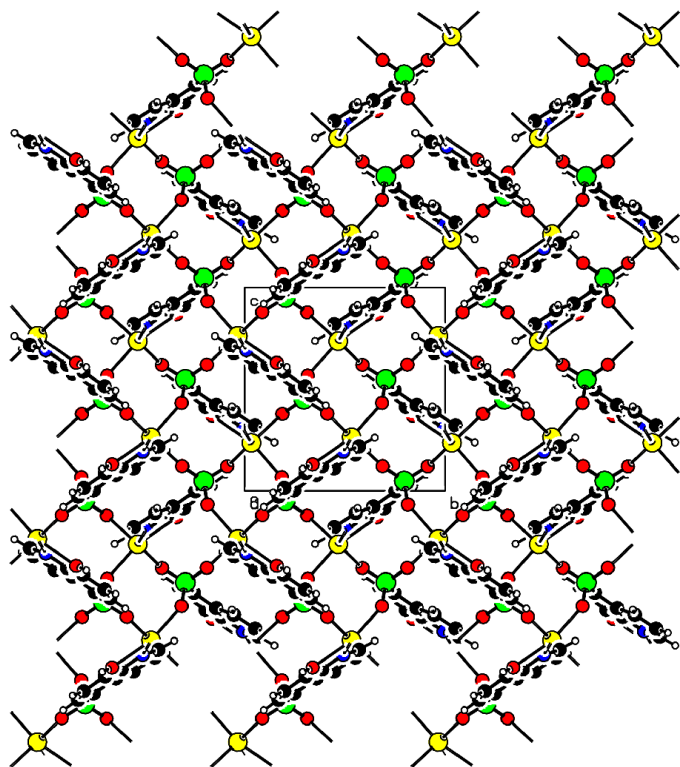


Figure 3
View of the packing diagram of (I), showing the dimeric arrangement in the *bc* plane.

et al., 2001) and are significantly shorter than the Na—O(quinolinol) distance (Table 1).

Unlike other sulfoxinates, the quinolinol O atom is not deprotonated, but is involved in a hydrogen bond with a symmetry-related O atom of the sulfonic acid group [O1—H1 \cdots O3ⁱ; symmetry code: (i) 1 + *x*, *y*, *z*]. Atoms C4 and C6 are also involved in intramolecular hydrogen bonding with atoms O4 and O2 of the sulfonate group (Table 2), forming five-membered rings on both sides of the S—C bond. Intramolecular hydrogen bonding involving atom C6 with one of the sulfonate O atoms has also been observed in both 7-nitro-8-hydroxyquinoline-5-sulfonic acid monohydrate (Balasubramanian & Muthiah, 1996*b*) and ferron (Balasubramanian & Muthiah, 1996*a*). There is also a glide-related C—H \cdots π interaction [H \cdots Cg 2.6341 (6) Å and C2—H2 \cdots Cg 134.02 (5) $^\circ$; atom C2 is in the pyridine ring and Cg is the phenyl-ring centroid]. Stacking interactions between the pyridine and phenyl rings in adjacent complex units are observed. The centroid-to-centroid and interplanar distances are 3.499 (9) and 3.303 (4) Å, respectively. The slip angle (angle between the centroid vector and the normal to the plane) is 20.73 (3) $^\circ$.

Experimental

An aqueous solution of sodium diethyldithiocarbamate (0.113 g) and an aqueous solution of 8-hydroxyquinoline-5-sulfonic acid monohydrate were mixed and warmed over a water bath for 30 min. The product was then recrystallized from acetonitrile.

Crystal data

[Na(C₉H₆NO₄S)]
M_r = 247.21
Monoclinic, *P*2₁/*c*
a = 8.284 (2) Å
b = 10.488 (2) Å
c = 10.916 (2) Å
 β = 103.25 (2) $^\circ$
V = 923.2 (3) Å³
Z = 4

D_x = 1.779 Mg m⁻³
Mo *K* α radiation
Cell parameters from 50 reflections
 θ = 3.0–29.6 $^\circ$
 μ = 0.39 mm⁻¹
T = 293 (2) K
Cuboid, colourless
0.34 × 0.26 × 0.17 mm

Data collection

Bruker AXS SMART CCD diffractometer
 ω scans
Absorption correction: multi-scan (SHELXTL-NT; Bruker, 1997)
T_{min} = 0.787, *T_{max}* = 0.936
132 007 measured reflections

2662 independent reflections
2119 reflections with *I* > 2 σ (*I*)
R_{int} = 0.032
 θ_{max} = 30.6 $^\circ$
h = -11 \rightarrow 11
k = -14 \rightarrow 14
l = -14 \rightarrow 14

Refinement

Refinement on *F*²
R [*F*² > 2 σ (*F*²)] = 0.031
wR(*F*²) = 0.091
S = 1.01
2662 reflections
169 parameters

All H-atom parameters refined
w = 1/[$\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0587P)^2$]
where *P* = (*F_o*² + 2*F_c*²)/3
(Δ/σ)_{max} = 0.003
 $\Delta\rho_{max}$ = 0.35 e Å⁻³
 $\Delta\rho_{min}$ = -0.29 e Å⁻³

Table 1

Selected geometric parameters (Å, $^\circ$).

S—O2	1.4482 (12)	Na—O3 ⁱⁱ	2.4175 (13)
S—O3	1.4731 (12)	Na—O1 ⁱⁱⁱ	2.4892 (14)
S—O4	1.4563 (12)	Na—N1 ⁱⁱⁱ	2.4418 (15)
S—C5	1.7740 (15)	O1—C8	1.3551 (18)
Na—O2	2.2979 (14)	N1—C2	1.3213 (19)
Na—O4 ⁱ	2.3357 (13)	N1—C9	1.3735 (18)
O2—S—O3	112.20 (7)	O1 ⁱⁱⁱ —Na—N1 ⁱⁱⁱ	64.86 (4)
O2—S—O4	114.35 (7)	Na ^{iv} —O1—C8	121.03 (9)
O2—S—C5	106.31 (7)	S—O2—Na	133.30 (7)
O3—S—O4	110.92 (7)	S—O3—Na ⁱⁱ	139.97 (7)
O3—S—C5	105.53 (7)	S—O4—Na ^v	140.35 (7)
O4—S—C5	106.88 (7)	Na ^{iv} —N1—C2	121.33 (10)
O2—Na—O4 ⁱ	122.27 (5)	C2—N1—C9	117.40 (12)
O2—Na—O3 ⁱⁱ	91.71 (5)	Na ^{iv} —N1—C9	121.24 (9)
O1 ⁱⁱⁱ —Na—O2	85.61 (5)	N1—C2—C3	123.97 (13)
O2—Na—N1 ⁱⁱⁱ	131.41 (5)	S—C5—C10	120.01 (10)
O3 ⁱⁱ —Na—O4 ⁱ	93.20 (5)	S—C5—C6	119.61 (10)
O1 ⁱⁱⁱ —Na—O4 ⁱ	103.57 (5)	O1—C8—C9	115.68 (12)
O4 ⁱ —Na—N1 ⁱⁱⁱ	102.47 (5)	O1—C8—C7	124.04 (13)
O1 ⁱⁱⁱ —Na—O3 ⁱⁱ	161.68 (5)	N1—C9—C10	122.93 (12)
O3 ⁱⁱ —Na—N1 ⁱⁱⁱ	104.65 (5)	N1—C9—C8	117.16 (12)

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

Table 2

Hydrogen-bonding geometry (Å, $^\circ$).

<i>D</i> —H \cdots <i>A</i>	<i>D</i> —H	H \cdots <i>A</i>	<i>D</i> \cdots <i>A</i>	<i>D</i> —H \cdots <i>A</i>
O1—H1 \cdots O3 ⁱ	0.805 (18)	1.902 (18)	2.7029 (17)	173.4 (17)
C4—H4 \cdots O4	0.936 (17)	2.584 (18)	3.1235 (19)	117.1 (13)
C6—H6 \cdots O2	0.972 (18)	2.381 (17)	2.8657 (19)	110.2 (12)

Symmetry code: (i) 1 + *x*, *y*, *z*.

The H atoms were located in difference Fourier maps and refined with isotropic displacement parameters. The C—H and O—H bond lengths are 0.883 (18)–0.98 (3) and 0.805 (18) Å, respectively.

Data collection: *SMART* (Bruker, 1997); cell refinement: *SMART*; data reduction: *SAINTE* (Bruker, 1997); program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 1997); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 1997); molecular graphics: *PLATON* (Spek, 1997); software used to prepare material for publication: *PLATON*.

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