

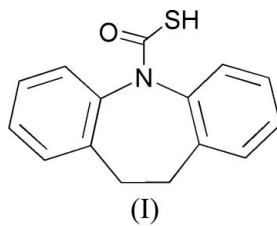
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Key indicators

Single-crystal X-ray study
 $T = 298$ K
Mean $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.005$ Å
 R factor = 0.050
 wR factor = 0.123
Data-to-parameter ratio = 13.2For details of how these key indicators were
automatically derived from the article, see
<http://journals.iucr.org/e>.10,11-Dihydrodibenzo[*b,f*]azepine-5-carbothioic
S-acidIn the title molecule, $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{13}\text{NOS}$, the bond lengths and angles
show normal values. No classical hydrogen bonds are found in
the crystal packing, which is stabilized by van der Waals forces.Received 31 May 2006
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Comment

Molecules containing a modified azepine ring encompass a
wide range of biological activities and are known to be anti-
depressants (Syeda *et al.*, 2005) and to exhibit anticancer
activity (Link & Kunick, 1998). Recently, the photochemistry
of a series of *N*-substituted dibenzo[*b,f*]azepines has been
studied (Querner *et al.*, 2004).In the title molecule, (I), (Fig. 1), the bond lengths and
angles show normal values (Allen *et al.*, 1987). The mean
planes formed by the atoms C1–C7/N1 [r.m.s. deviation of
0.0219 (2) Å] and C7–C14/N1 [r.m.s. deviation of
0.1972 (3) Å] make a dihedral angle of 61.0 (2)°. The crystal
packing (Fig. 2) demonstrates no classical hydrogen bonds and
is mainly stabilized by van der Waals forces.

Experimental

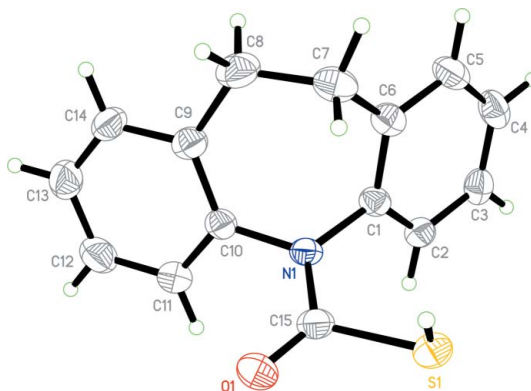
Sulfur (30 mmol, 0.96 g) and Se powder (0.05 g) were added to a
solution of 10,11-dihydro-5*H*-dibenzo[*b,f*]azepine (10 mmol, 1.95 g)

Figure 1
View of the title compound, showing the atom numbering and
displacement ellipsoids drawn at the 30% probability level.

in chlorobenzene (20 ml) at 373 K; carbon monoxide was introduced (0.2 ml min⁻¹) over a period of 12 h. After cooling, a white solid was collected, treated with NaOH solution (*w/w* 10%, 10 ml) and filtered. The aqueous solution was neutralized with dilute HCl to pH 8, giving the title compound in 41% yield. Single crystals suitable for X-ray data collection were obtained by slow evaporation of a solution in ethanol.

Crystal data

C ₁₅ H ₁₃ NOS	Z = 4
<i>M_r</i> = 255.32	<i>D_x</i> = 1.318 Mg m ⁻³
Orthorhombic, <i>Pca</i> 2 ₁	Mo <i>K</i> α radiation
<i>a</i> = 16.6550 (15) Å	<i>μ</i> = 0.24 mm ⁻¹
<i>b</i> = 10.6438 (10) Å	<i>T</i> = 298 (2) K
<i>c</i> = 7.2559 (7) Å	Block, colourless
<i>V</i> = 1286.3 (2) Å ³	0.25 × 0.15 × 0.13 mm

Data collection

Bruker APEX area-detector diffractometer	6593 measured reflections
<i>φ</i> and <i>ω</i> scans	2189 independent reflections
Absorption correction: multi-scan (<i>SADABS</i> ; Bruker, 2002)	2094 reflections with <i>I</i> > 2σ(<i>I</i>)
<i>T_{min}</i> = 0.943, <i>T_{max}</i> = 0.968	<i>R_{int}</i> = 0.024
	<i>θ_{max}</i> = 25.2°

Refinement

Refinement on <i>F</i> ²	$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0605P)^2 + 0.2276P]$
$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.050$	where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
$wR(F^2) = 0.123$	(Δ/σ) _{max} < 0.001
<i>S</i> = 1.18	$\Delta\rho_{max} = 0.26 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$
2189 reflections	$\Delta\rho_{min} = -0.22 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$
166 parameters	Absolute structure: Flack (1983),
H atoms treated by a mixture of independent and constrained refinement	2769 Friedel pairs
	Flack parameter: -0.06 (13)

The S-bound H atom was located in a difference map and refined with the bond restraint S—H = 1.10 (3) Å and *U*_{iso}(H) = 1.2*U*_{eq}(S). The remaining H atoms were positioned geometrically (C—H = 0.93–0.96 Å) and refined as riding, with *U*_{iso}(H) = 1.2*U*_{eq}(C).

Data collection: *SMART* (Bruker, 2002); cell refinement: *SAINTE* (Bruker, 2002); data reduction: *SAINTE*; program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 1997); program(s) used to refine

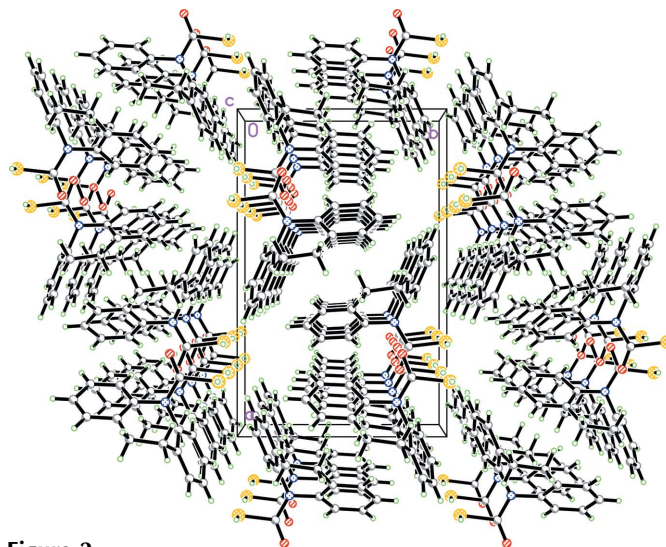


Figure 2
A perspective view of the crystal packing.

structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 1997); molecular graphics: *SHELXTL* (Bruker, 2002); software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXL97*.

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