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 $R_{\rm int} = 0.026$

2789 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$

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Ethyl 2-methyl-1-(4-phenylthiazol-2-yl)-1H-benzimidazole-6-carboxvlate

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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; T = 173 K; mean σ (C–C) = 0.003 Å; R factor = 0.037; wR factor = 0.107; data-to-parameter ratio = 14.2.

The title compound, $C_{20}H_{17}N_3O_2S$, was prepared by the reaction of ethyl 4-acetamido-3-thioureidobenzoate with 2-bromo-1-phenylethanone in acetone under reflux, followed by neutralization with ammonia. The molecule contains a nonplanar benzimidazole system, displaying a dihedral angle of 1.24 (8)°. The dihedral angle between the thiazole and phenyl rings is $3.62 (5)^\circ$. The crystal structure is stabilized by $C-H \cdots O$ hydrogen bonding. The molecules are packed in a face-to-face arrangement showing $\pi - \pi$ stacking (centroid-tocentroid distance 3.804 Å).

Related literature

For general background, see: Turan-Zitouni et al. (2003).

Experimental

Crystal data

$C_{20}H_{17}N_3O_2S$	$\gamma = 101.950 \ (1)^{\circ}$
$M_r = 363.44$	V = 873.04 (8) Å ³
Triclinic, P1	Z = 2
a = 7.4220 (4) Å	Mo $K\alpha$ radiation
b = 10.2999 (6) Å	$\mu = 0.21 \text{ mm}^{-1}$
c = 12.9328 (7) Å	T = 173 (2) K
$\alpha = 109.850 \ (1)^{\circ}$	$0.48 \times 0.41 \times 0.15 \text{ mm}$
$\beta = 100.866 \ (1)^{\circ}$	

Data collection

Bruker SMART 1000 CCD areadetector diffractometer Absorption correction: none 6843 measured reflections

Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.037$	237 parameters
$wR(F^2) = 0.107$	H-atom parameters constrained
S = 1.09	$\Delta \rho_{\rm max} = 0.24 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$
3373 reflections	$\Delta \rho_{\rm min} = -0.26 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$

Table 1

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °).

$D - H \cdots A$	D-H	$H \cdots A$	$D \cdots A$	$D - \mathbf{H} \cdots A$
C13-H13···O1 ⁱ	0.95	2.35	3.283 (2)	166
$C16-H16\cdots O1^{i}$	0.95	2.44	3.307 (3)	151

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

Data collection: SMART (Bruker, 2001); cell refinement: SAINT-Plus (Bruker, 2003); data reduction: SAINT-Plus; program(s) used to solve structure: SHELXS97 (Sheldrick, 1997); program(s) used to refine structure: SHELXL97 (Sheldrick, 1997); molecular graphics: SHELXTL (Bruker, 1997); software used to prepare material for publication: SHELXTL.

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Ethyl 2-methyl-1-(4-phenylthiazol-2-yl)-1H-benzimidazole-6-carboxylate

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Comment

Heterocyclic compounds containing thiazole ring and benzimidazole rings generally exhibit broad-spectrum biological activity. They were usually studied for their antitumor, antiviral and antimicrobial activities (Turan-Zitouni *et al.*, 2003). We report here the synthesis and structure of the title benzimidazole thiazole derivative(I).

The molecular structure of the title compound is illustrated in Fig. 1. The molecule contains four aromatic rings. The large steric effect of the thiazole substituents results in benzyl ring and imidazole ring in the benzimidazole rings being non-coplanar with dihedral angles of $1.24 (8)^{\circ}$. The dihedral angle between the thiazole ring and the least-squares planes of the benzene ring (C15—C20) is $3.62 (5)^{\circ}$. The molecules were associated *via* C—H···O hydrogen bonds (Table 1) and the crystal structure is further stabilized by van der Waals forces. Adjacent benzene units in the benzimidazole rings are exactly parallel and the centroid–centroid distances is 3.804 Å.

Experimental

Ethyl 4-acetamido-3-thioureidobenzoate (5 mmol) and 2-bromo-1-phenyl-ethanone (5 mmol) were dissolved in 50 ml acetone, then the solution was refluxed, the course of the reaction was followed by thin-layer chromatography. After the reaction had finished (about 40 min), the mixture was cooled to room temperature and filtered, the white solid was obtained. The solid product was dissolved in 10 ml e thanol, drop ammonia till pH = 9, a yellow precipitate appeared, which was filtered off and dried to obtain the title compound. Crystals suitable for X-ray crystallographic analysis were obtained by slow evaporation of an ethanol solution at room temperature.

Refinement

Methyl H atoms were placed in calculated positions with C—H = 0.98 Å and torsion angles were refined, with $U_{iso}(H) = 1.5U_{eq}(C)$. Other H atoms were placed in geometrically idealized positions and refined as riding, with C—H = 0.99 (methylene) and 0.95 Å (aromatic), $U_{iso}(H)=1.2U_{eq}(C)$.

Figures



Fig. 1. The molecular structure of (I), with atom labels and 50% probability displacement ellipsoids for non-H atoms.



Fig. 2. The crystal packing for (I), showing π - π stacking interactions as dashed lines.

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Z = 2
$F_{000} = 380$
$D_{\rm x} = 1.383 {\rm ~Mg} {\rm ~m}^{-3}$
Mo $K\alpha$ radiation $\lambda = 0.71073$ Å
Cell parameters from 4266 reflections
$\theta = 2.2 - 27.0^{\circ}$
$\mu = 0.21 \text{ mm}^{-1}$
T = 173 (2) K
Plate, yellow
$0.48\times0.41\times0.15~mm$

Data collection

Bruker SMART 1000 CCD area-detector diffractometer	2789 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
Radiation source: fine-focus sealed tube	$R_{\rm int} = 0.026$
Monochromator: graphite	$\theta_{\text{max}} = 26.0^{\circ}$
T = 173(2) K	$\theta_{\min} = 1.7^{\circ}$
φ and ω scans	$h = -9 \rightarrow 9$
Absorption correction: none	$k = -12 \rightarrow 12$
6843 measured reflections	$l = -15 \rightarrow 15$
3373 independent reflections	

Refinement

Refinement on F^2	Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier map
Least-squares matrix: full	Hydrogen site location: inferred from neighbouring sites
$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.037$	H-atom parameters constrained
$wR(F^2) = 0.107$	$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0501P)^2 + 0.3963P]$ where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
S = 1.09	$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\text{max}} = 0.001$
3373 reflections	$\Delta \rho_{max} = 0.24 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$
237 parameters	$\Delta \rho_{\rm min} = -0.26 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$

Primary atom site location: structure-invariant direct Extinction correction: none

Special details

Geometry. All e.s.d.'s (except the e.s.d. in the dihedral angle between two l.s. planes) are estimated using the full covariance matrix. The cell e.s.d.'s are taken into account individually in the estimation of e.s.d.'s in distances, angles and torsion angles; correlations between e.s.d.'s in cell parameters are only used when they are defined by crystal symmetry. An approximate (isotropic) treatment of cell e.s.d.'s is used for estimating e.s.d.'s 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 F^2 , conventional *R*-factors *R* are based on F, with F set to zero for negative F^2 . The threshold expression of $F^2 > 2 \operatorname{sigma}(F^2)$ is used only for calculating *R*-factors(gt) *etc.* and is not relevant to the choice of reflections for refinement. *R*-factors based on F^2 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	0.15728 (6)	-0.11625 (5)	0.37067 (4)	0.02891 (15)
C1	0.2904 (3)	0.0828 (2)	0.22862 (15)	0.0288 (4)
C2	0.1496 (3)	-0.0595 (2)	0.15201 (16)	0.0381 (5)
H2A	0.1177	-0.0651	0.0732	0.057*
H2B	0.0328	-0.0702	0.1772	0.057*
H2C	0.2053	-0.1369	0.1551	0.057*
C3	0.4919 (3)	0.2931 (2)	0.28858 (15)	0.0287 (4)
C4	0.6071 (3)	0.4251 (2)	0.29823 (16)	0.0323 (4)
H4	0.6029	0.4486	0.2331	0.039*
C5	0.7263 (3)	0.5196 (2)	0.40374 (16)	0.0313 (4)
H5	0.8041	0.6101	0.4117	0.038*
C6	0.7356 (3)	0.48484 (19)	0.50072 (15)	0.0267 (4)
C7	0.6201 (2)	0.35458 (18)	0.49293 (14)	0.0240 (4)
H7	0.6245	0.3309	0.5580	0.029*
C8	0.4988 (2)	0.26145 (18)	0.38600 (14)	0.0243 (4)
C9	0.8658 (3)	0.59264 (19)	0.61240 (16)	0.0288 (4)
C10	0.9946 (3)	0.6407 (2)	0.80855 (17)	0.0385 (5)
H10A	0.9371	0.7189	0.8396	0.046*
H10B	1.1251	0.6844	0.8063	0.046*
C11	1.0032 (4)	0.5554 (3)	0.8808 (2)	0.0744 (9)
H11A	0.8743	0.5180	0.8863	0.112*
H11B	1.0887	0.6173	0.9576	0.112*
H11C	1.0523	0.4746	0.8462	0.112*
C12	0.3068 (2)	0.05844 (18)	0.41850 (14)	0.0228 (4)
C13	0.1779 (2)	-0.09185 (19)	0.51055 (15)	0.0269 (4)
H13	0.1158	-0.1622	0.5346	0.032*
C14	0.2952 (2)	0.04196 (18)	0.58256 (15)	0.0238 (4)
C15	0.3498 (2)	0.10339 (19)	0.70895 (14)	0.0247 (4)
C16	0.3088 (3)	0.0173 (2)	0.76966 (16)	0.0317 (4)
H16	0.2450	-0.0830	0.7296	0.038*
C17	0.3611 (3)	0.0781 (2)	0.88837 (17)	0.0390 (5)

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

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H17	0.3330	0.0187	0.9291	0.047*
C18	0.4534 (3)	0.2235 (3)	0.94804 (17)	0.0441 (5)
H18	0.4868	0.2644	1.0294	0.053*
C19	0.4973 (3)	0.3099 (2)	0.88858 (17)	0.0432 (5)
H19	0.5624	0.4100	0.9293	0.052*
C20	0.4463 (3)	0.2503 (2)	0.77009 (16)	0.0336 (4)
H20	0.4771	0.3099	0.7299	0.040*
N1	0.3646 (2)	0.12445 (15)	0.34639 (12)	0.0245 (3)
N2	0.3621 (2)	0.18000 (17)	0.19236 (13)	0.0320 (4)
N3	0.3666 (2)	0.12749 (15)	0.52841 (12)	0.0241 (3)
O1	0.9530 (2)	0.71445 (14)	0.62906 (12)	0.0380 (3)
O2	0.87693 (19)	0.54106 (14)	0.69478 (11)	0.0336 (3)

Atomic displacement parameters $(Å^2)$

	U^{11}	U^{22}	U^{33}	U^{12}	U^{13}	U^{23}
S1	0.0304 (3)	0.0264 (2)	0.0251 (2)	0.00200 (18)	0.00595 (18)	0.00911 (18)
C1	0.0339 (10)	0.0339 (10)	0.0218 (9)	0.0142 (8)	0.0092 (7)	0.0117 (8)
C2	0.0417 (11)	0.0416 (11)	0.0236 (9)	0.0060 (9)	0.0047 (8)	0.0101 (8)
C3	0.0389 (10)	0.0311 (10)	0.0252 (9)	0.0169 (8)	0.0145 (8)	0.0150 (8)
C4	0.0469 (12)	0.0354 (10)	0.0307 (10)	0.0186 (9)	0.0217 (9)	0.0227 (8)
C5	0.0384 (10)	0.0309 (10)	0.0380 (10)	0.0135 (8)	0.0215 (9)	0.0217 (8)
C6	0.0295 (9)	0.0271 (9)	0.0303 (9)	0.0105 (8)	0.0136 (8)	0.0154 (8)
C7	0.0286 (9)	0.0260 (9)	0.0254 (9)	0.0106 (7)	0.0128 (7)	0.0152 (7)
C8	0.0289 (9)	0.0253 (9)	0.0259 (9)	0.0108 (7)	0.0130 (7)	0.0142 (7)
С9	0.0284 (9)	0.0291 (10)	0.0375 (10)	0.0101 (8)	0.0155 (8)	0.0192 (8)
C10	0.0342 (11)	0.0384 (11)	0.0344 (11)	0.0035 (9)	0.0031 (9)	0.0119 (9)
C11	0.081 (2)	0.0746 (19)	0.0469 (15)	-0.0151 (16)	-0.0070 (14)	0.0343 (14)
C12	0.0232 (8)	0.0247 (9)	0.0234 (8)	0.0084 (7)	0.0080 (7)	0.0112 (7)
C13	0.0271 (9)	0.0285 (9)	0.0274 (9)	0.0062 (7)	0.0087 (7)	0.0142 (8)
C14	0.0238 (8)	0.0252 (9)	0.0262 (9)	0.0079 (7)	0.0089 (7)	0.0132 (7)
C15	0.0237 (8)	0.0304 (9)	0.0245 (9)	0.0092 (7)	0.0106 (7)	0.0134 (7)
C16	0.0292 (9)	0.0373 (10)	0.0324 (10)	0.0064 (8)	0.0109 (8)	0.0192 (8)
C17	0.0368 (11)	0.0576 (13)	0.0302 (10)	0.0093 (10)	0.0127 (9)	0.0273 (10)
C18	0.0455 (12)	0.0607 (14)	0.0240 (10)	0.0105 (11)	0.0131 (9)	0.0154 (10)
C19	0.0517 (13)	0.0411 (12)	0.0286 (10)	0.0077 (10)	0.0113 (9)	0.0074 (9)
C20	0.0440 (11)	0.0298 (10)	0.0291 (10)	0.0092 (9)	0.0131 (9)	0.0135 (8)
N1	0.0289 (8)	0.0265 (8)	0.0200 (7)	0.0079 (6)	0.0082 (6)	0.0110 (6)
N2	0.0422 (9)	0.0359 (9)	0.0244 (8)	0.0158 (7)	0.0123 (7)	0.0156 (7)
N3	0.0284 (8)	0.0236 (7)	0.0220 (7)	0.0065 (6)	0.0079 (6)	0.0111 (6)
01	0.0395 (8)	0.0298 (7)	0.0443 (8)	0.0011 (6)	0.0127 (7)	0.0190 (6)
02	0.0359 (7)	0.0298 (7)	0.0307 (7)	0.0000 (6)	0.0049 (6)	0.0148 (6)

Geometric parameters (Å, °)

S1—C13	1.7118 (18)	C10-C11	1.486 (3)
S1—C12	1.7348 (17)	C10—H10A	0.9900
C1—N2	1.303 (2)	C10—H10B	0.9900
C1—N1	1.396 (2)	C11—H11A	0.9800

C1—C2	1.487 (3)	C11—H11B	0.9800
C2—H2A	0.9800	C11—H11C	0.9800
C2—H2B	0.9800	C12—N3	1.292 (2)
C2—H2C	0.9800	C12—N1	1.406 (2)
C3—N2	1.390 (2)	C13—C14	1.360 (2)
C3—C4	1.399 (3)	С13—Н13	0.9500
C3—C8	1.399 (2)	C14—N3	1.383 (2)
C4—C5	1.371 (3)	C14—C15	1.476 (2)
C4—H4	0.9500	C15—C16	1.395 (2)
C5—C6	1.410 (2)	C15—C20	1.398 (3)
С5—Н5	0.9500	C16—C17	1.386 (3)
C6—C7	1.395 (2)	С16—Н16	0.9500
С6—С9	1.481 (3)	C17—C18	1.378 (3)
С7—С8	1.384 (2)	C17—H17	0.9500
С7—Н7	0.9500	C18—C19	1.389 (3)
C8—N1	1.407 (2)	C18—H18	0.9500
C9—O1	1.211 (2)	C19—C20	1.384 (3)
C9—O2	1.339 (2)	С19—Н19	0.9500
C10—O2	1.449 (2)	C20—H20	0.9500
C13—S1—C12	88.61 (8)	C10-C11-H11B	109.5
N2-C1-N1	112.84 (16)	H11A—C11—H11B	109.5
N2—C1—C2	123.53 (16)	C10-C11-H11C	109.5
N1—C1—C2	123.60 (16)	H11A—C11—H11C	109.5
C1—C2—H2A	109.5	H11B—C11—H11C	109.5
C1—C2—H2B	109.5	N3—C12—N1	120.33 (15)
H2A—C2—H2B	109.5	N3—C12—S1	115.25 (13)
C1—C2—H2C	109.5	N1-C12-S1	124.41 (13)
H2A—C2—H2C	109.5	C14—C13—S1	110.76 (13)
H2B—C2—H2C	109.5	C14—C13—H13	124.6
N2—C3—C4	129.56 (16)	S1—C13—H13	124.6
N2—C3—C8	110.72 (16)	C13—C14—N3	114.64 (15)
C4—C3—C8	119.72 (17)	C13—C14—C15	127.17 (16)
C5—C4—C3	118.58 (16)	N3—C14—C15	118.18 (15)
С5—С4—Н4	120.7	C16—C15—C20	118.75 (16)
C3—C4—H4	120.7	C16-C15-C14	121.34 (16)
C4—C5—C6	121.16 (17)	C20-C15-C14	119.91 (15)
C4—C5—H5	119.4	C17—C16—C15	120.09 (18)
С6—С5—Н5	119.4	C17—C16—H16	120.0
C7—C6—C5	121.03 (17)	C15-C16-H16	120.0
C7—C6—C9	120.57 (16)	C18—C17—C16	120.83 (18)
C5—C6—C9	118.36 (16)	C18—C17—H17	119.6
C8—C7—C6	116.93 (15)	C16—C17—H17	119.6
С8—С7—Н7	121.5	C17—C18—C19	119.61 (18)
С6—С7—Н7	121.5	C17—C18—H18	120.2
C7—C8—C3	122.56 (16)	C19—C18—H18	120.2
C7—C8—N1	132.74 (15)	C20—C19—C18	120.0 (2)
C3—C8—N1	104.70 (15)	С20—С19—Н19	120.0
01	122.95 (18)	С18—С19—Н19	120.0
01—C9—C6	124.57 (17)	C19—C20—C15	120.68 (18)

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O_{2} C_{0} C_{6}	112 49 (15)	C10 C20 U20		110.7
02 - 09 - 00	112.48 (13)	С19—С20—Н20		119.7
02 - 010 - 011	100.03 (17)	C13 - C20 - H20		119.7
$C_1 = C_1 $	110.4	C1 = N1 = C12		129.34(13)
	110.4	$C1 = N1 = C\delta$		100.00(14)
02-C10-H10B	110.4	C12—N1—C8		125.98 (14)
	110.4	C1 = N2 = C3		105.72 (15)
HIOA—CIO—HIOB	108.6	C12 - N3 - C14		110.72 (15)
CIO-CII-HIIA	109.5	C9—O2—C10		116.61 (15)
N2—C3—C4—C5	-179.36 (18)	C16—C17—C18—C19		-1.0 (3)
C8—C3—C4—C5	0.7 (3)	C17—C18—C19—C20		0.8 (3)
C3—C4—C5—C6	0.9 (3)	C18—C19—C20—C15		0.3 (3)
C4—C5—C6—C7	-1.6 (3)	C16—C15—C20—C19		-1.1 (3)
C4—C5—C6—C9	-179.29 (16)	C14—C15—C20—C19		179.53 (18)
C5—C6—C7—C8	0.7 (2)	N2-C1-N1-C12		171.17 (16)
C9—C6—C7—C8	178.32 (15)	C2-C1-N1-C12		-10.8 (3)
C6—C7—C8—C3	0.9 (3)	N2-C1-N1-C8		-1.0 (2)
C6—C7—C8—N1	-179.73 (17)	C2-C1-N1-C8		176.99 (17)
N2—C3—C8—C7	178.39 (16)	N3-C12-N1-C1		-165.96 (16)
C4—C3—C8—C7	-1.7 (3)	S1-C12-N1-C1		14.8 (2)
N2—C3—C8—N1	-1.10 (19)	N3—C12—N1—C8		5.0 (2)
C4—C3—C8—N1	178.81 (16)	S1—C12—N1—C8		-174.28 (13)
C7—C6—C9—O1	-170.71 (17)	C7—C8—N1—C1		-178.19 (18)
C5—C6—C9—O1	7.0 (3)	C3-C8-N1-C1		1.23 (18)
C7—C6—C9—O2	9.0 (2)	C7—C8—N1—C12		9.1 (3)
C5—C6—C9—O2	-173.34 (15)	C3-C8-N1-C12		-171.50 (15)
C13—S1—C12—N3	0.32 (14)	N1—C1—N2—C3		0.3 (2)
C13—S1—C12—N1	179.60 (15)	C2-C1-N2-C3		-177.68 (17)
C12-S1-C13-C14	-0.89 (13)	C4—C3—N2—C1		-179.39 (19)
S1—C13—C14—N3	1.30 (19)	C8—C3—N2—C1		0.5 (2)
S1—C13—C14—C15	-179.55 (14)	N1-C12-N3-C14		-178.97 (14)
C13—C14—C15—C16	11.1 (3)	S1-C12-N3-C14		0.34 (19)
N3-C14-C15-C16	-169.78 (16)	C13-C14-N3-C12		-1.1 (2)
C13-C14-C15-C20	-169.58 (18)	C15-C14-N3-C12		179.71 (14)
N3-C14-C15-C20	9.5 (2)	O1—C9—O2—C10		2.3 (3)
C20-C15-C16-C17	0.9 (3)	C6—C9—O2—C10		-177.43 (15)
C14—C15—C16—C17	-179.74 (16)	С11—С10—О2—С9		-173.47 (19)
C15—C16—C17—C18	0.1 (3)			
Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °)				
D—H···A	D—H	H···A	$D \cdots A$	D—H··· A
C13 $H13O1^{i}$	0.95	2 35	3283(2)	166

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C13—H13…O1 ⁱ	0.95	2.35	3.283 (2)	166
C16—H16···O1 ⁱ	0.95	2.44	3.307 (3)	151
Symmetry codes: (i) x -1, y -1, z .				





