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# 3-Phenylsulfanyl-4-phenylsulfonyl-1,2,5-oxadiazole 2-oxide

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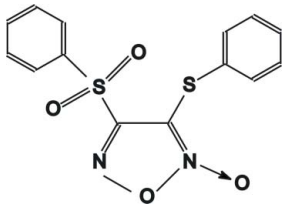
Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; $T$ = 293 K; mean $\sigma$(C–C) = 0.005 Å; $R$ factor = 0.030; $wR$ factor = 0.084; data-to-parameter ratio = 11.3.

In the title compound, $C_{14}H_{10}N_2O_4S_2$,the furoxan heterocyclic ring and the two S atoms are almost co-planar, with a mean deviation of 0.036 Å. The bond lengths in the pentagonal ring show electron delocalization and the furoxan N—O bond length is quite short [1.211 (3) Å]. The dihedral angles between the central ring and pendant phenyl rings are 78.05 (14) and 84.28 (2)°.

## Related literature

This is part of a study on phenylsulfonyl-substituted furoxans as intermediates for the synthesis of new functionalized furoxans with potential biological properties as *N*,*O*-donors. For details of the synthesis, see: Sorba *et al.* (1996); Tosco *et al.* (2004). For a related structure, see: Dutov *et al.*(2007).



## Experimental

### Crystal data

$C_{14}H_{10}N_2O_4S_2$ $M_r$ = 334.36
Orthorhombic, $Pna2_1$
$a$ = 15.0182 (2) Å
$b$ = 5.5402 (1) Å
$c$ = 17.8280 (2) Å
$V$ = 1483.36 (4) Å$^3$
$Z$ = 4
Cu $K\alpha$ radiation
$\mu$ = 3.44 mm$^{-1}$
$T$ = 293 K
0.20 × 0.16 × 0.14 mm

### Data collection

Gemini R Ultra diffractometer
Absorption correction: multi-scan (*CrysAlis RED*; Oxford Diffraction, 2008)
$T_{min}$ = 0.836, $T_{max}$ = 1.000
7933 measured reflections
2255 independent reflections
2134 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
$R_{int}$ = 0.023
$\theta_{max}$ = 62.2°

### Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)]$ = 0.030
$wR(F^2)$ = 0.084
$S$ = 1.05
2255 reflections
199 parameters
1 restraint
H-atom parameters constrained
$\Delta\rho_{max}$ = 0.20 e Å$^{-3}$
$\Delta\rho_{min}$ = −0.13 e Å$^{-3}$
Absolute structure: Flack (1983), 1039 Friedel pairs
Flack parameter: 0.010 (17)

Data collection: *CrysAlis CCD* (Oxford Diffraction, 2008); cell refinement: *CrysAlis RED* (Oxford Diffraction, 2008); data reduction: *CrysAlis RED*; program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 2008); molecular graphics: *XP* in *SHELXTL* (Sheldrick, 2008); software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXL97*.

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Supplementary data and figures for this paper are available from the IUCr electronic archives (Reference: CV2780).

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# supplementary materials

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## Comment

The title compound shows a planar moiety including the two sulfur atoms and the furoxanic ring, with a mean deviation from planarity of 0.036 Å. The planar ring contains also a significant delocalization in the N2C2C1N1O1 fragment, while the O1—N2 bond is quite greater than the corresponding N1—O1 (1.461 (3) Å *vs.* 1.363 (3) Å). The N2—O2 bond length is quite short (1.211 (3) Å), similar however to that reported by Sorba *et al.* (1996) and Dutov *et al.* (2007).

## Experimental

The 3-phenylthio-4-phenylsulfonyl-furoxanhas been obtained according to Tosco *et al.* (2004).

## Refinement

C-bound H atoms have been placed in geometrically idealized positions (C—H = 0.93 Å), and refined as riding, with $U_{iso}$(H) = 1.2 $U_{eq}$(C).

## Figures

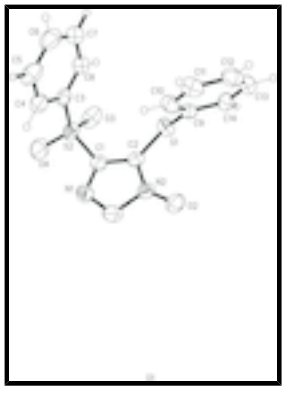

Fig. 1. The molecular structure of the title compound showing the atomic numbering and 30% probability displacements ellipsoids.

## 3-Phenylsulfanyl-4-phenylsulfonyl-1,2,5-oxadiazole 2-oxide

*Crystal data*

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|---|---|
| $C_{14}H_{10}N_2O_4S_2$ | $D_x$ = 1.497 Mg m$^{-3}$ |
| $M_r$ = 334.36 | Cu $K\alpha$ radiation, $\lambda$ = 1.5418 Å |
| Orthorhombic, *Pna*2$_1$ | Cell parameters from 5370 reflections |
| *a* = 15.0182 (2) Å | $\theta$ = 3.8–62.0° |
| *b* = 5.5402 (1) Å | $\mu$ = 3.44 mm$^{-1}$ |

| | |
|---|---|
| $c$ = 17.8280 (2) Å | $T$ = 293 K |
| $V$ = 1483.36 (4) Å$^3$ | Prismatic, colorless |
| $Z$ = 4 | 0.20 × 0.16 × 0.14 mm |
| $F$(000) = 688 | |

*Data collection*

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|---|---|
| Gemini R Ultra diffractometer | 2255 independent reflections |
| Radiation source: Ultra (Cu) X-ray Source | 2134 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$ |
| mirror | $R_{int}$ = 0.023 |
| Detector resolution: 10.2890 pixels mm$^{-1}$ | $\theta_{max}$ = 62.2°, $\theta_{min}$ = 5.0° |
| f scans | $h$ = −17→16 |
| Absorption correction: multi-scan (*CrysAlis RED*; Oxford Diffraction, 2008) | $k$ = −6→5 |
| $T_{min}$ = 0.836, $T_{max}$ = 1.000 | $l$ = −20→20 |
| 7933 measured reflections | |

*Refinement*

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|---|---|
| Refinement on $F^2$ | Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier map |
| Least-squares matrix: full | Hydrogen site location: inferred from neighbouring sites |
| $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)]$ = 0.030 | H-atom parameters constrained |
| $wR(F^2)$ = 0.084 | $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0626P)^2 + 0.0158P]$ where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$ |
| $S$ = 1.05 | $(\Delta/\sigma)_{max} < 0.001$ |
| 2255 reflections | $\Delta\rho_{max}$ = 0.20 e Å$^{-3}$ |
| 199 parameters | $\Delta\rho_{min}$ = −0.13 e Å$^{-3}$ |
| 1 restraint | Absolute structure: Flack (1983), 1039 Friedel pairs |
| Primary atom site location: structure-invariant direct methods | Flack parameter: 0.010 (17) |

*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 $F^2 > \sigma(F^2)$ 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.

*Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters (Å$^2$)*

| | $x$ | $y$ | $z$ | $U_{iso}$*/$U_{eq}$ |
|---|---|---|---|---|

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| C1 | 0.35417 (17) | 0.1230 (4) | 0.94838 (14) | 0.0566 (5) |
| C2 | 0.39856 (16) | 0.1654 (4) | 1.01631 (14) | 0.0538 (5) |
| C3 | 0.47584 (18) | 0.0455 (5) | 0.83468 (14) | 0.0581 (6) |
| C4 | 0.4633 (2) | 0.2458 (5) | 0.78924 (16) | 0.0724 (7) |
| H4A | 0.4065 | 0.3080 | 0.7814 | 0.087* |
| C5 | 0.5353 (3) | 0.3495 (7) | 0.7563 (2) | 0.0918 (11) |
| H5A | 0.5277 | 0.4827 | 0.7252 | 0.110* |
| C6 | 0.6182 (3) | 0.2605 (8) | 0.7684 (2) | 0.0959 (11) |
| H6A | 0.6670 | 0.3351 | 0.7461 | 0.115* |
| C7 | 0.6311 (2) | 0.0621 (9) | 0.8129 (2) | 0.0975 (12) |
| H7A | 0.6881 | 0.0014 | 0.8203 | 0.117* |
| C8 | 0.5582 (2) | −0.0488 (6) | 0.84725 (17) | 0.0777 (8) |
| H8A | 0.5658 | −0.1832 | 0.8778 | 0.093* |
| C9 | 0.56551 (16) | 0.2429 (4) | 1.07525 (13) | 0.0555 (6) |
| C10 | 0.58306 (19) | 0.4240 (5) | 1.02395 (18) | 0.0676 (7) |
| H10A | 0.5503 | 0.4356 | 0.9798 | 0.081* |
| C11 | 0.6499 (2) | 0.5868 (5) | 1.0393 (2) | 0.0762 (8) |
| H11A | 0.6613 | 0.7112 | 1.0056 | 0.091* |
| C12 | 0.6999 (2) | 0.5685 (5) | 1.1036 (2) | 0.0766 (8) |
| H12A | 0.7448 | 0.6797 | 1.1134 | 0.092* |
| C13 | 0.6829 (2) | 0.3840 (6) | 1.15337 (19) | 0.0788 (8) |
| H13A | 0.7175 | 0.3688 | 1.1964 | 0.095* |
| C14 | 0.6155 (2) | 0.2229 (6) | 1.14018 (17) | 0.0684 (7) |
| H14A | 0.6035 | 0.1010 | 1.1746 | 0.082* |
| O1 | 0.28139 (13) | 0.4102 (3) | 0.99925 (13) | 0.0742 (5) |
| O2 | 0.36323 (16) | 0.4572 (4) | 1.10686 (15) | 0.0875 (7) |
| O3 | 0.4114 (2) | −0.3036 (4) | 0.91510 (14) | 0.0920 (7) |
| O4 | 0.31016 (18) | −0.0940 (5) | 0.82679 (15) | 0.1039 (8) |
| N1 | 0.28650 (15) | 0.2629 (5) | 0.93815 (14) | 0.0701 (6) |
| N2 | 0.35456 (14) | 0.3441 (4) | 1.04923 (14) | 0.0635 (5) |
| S1 | 0.48529 (5) | 0.01160 (11) | 1.05918 (5) | 0.0699 (2) |
| S2 | 0.38327 (5) | −0.08944 (13) | 0.87725 (4) | 0.0696 (2) |

*Atomic displacement parameters (Å$^2$)*

| | $U^{11}$ | $U^{22}$ | $U^{33}$ | $U^{12}$ | $U^{13}$ | $U^{23}$ |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| C1 | 0.0491 (13) | 0.0607 (12) | 0.0600 (14) | −0.0109 (10) | 0.0043 (11) | 0.0001 (12) |
| C2 | 0.0525 (12) | 0.0502 (11) | 0.0587 (14) | −0.0059 (10) | 0.0079 (10) | −0.0043 (10) |
| C3 | 0.0677 (16) | 0.0610 (14) | 0.0456 (13) | −0.0054 (11) | −0.0020 (11) | −0.0079 (10) |
| C4 | 0.0842 (18) | 0.0719 (16) | 0.0610 (15) | 0.0049 (14) | 0.0063 (14) | 0.0019 (14) |
| C5 | 0.120 (3) | 0.080 (2) | 0.0751 (19) | −0.008 (2) | 0.030 (2) | 0.0072 (16) |
| C6 | 0.091 (2) | 0.120 (3) | 0.076 (2) | −0.030 (2) | 0.0235 (18) | −0.008 (2) |
| C7 | 0.067 (2) | 0.151 (4) | 0.075 (2) | 0.0048 (19) | 0.0035 (16) | −0.001 (2) |
| C8 | 0.0695 (19) | 0.101 (2) | 0.0628 (16) | 0.0053 (16) | −0.0018 (13) | 0.0043 (15) |
| C9 | 0.0526 (13) | 0.0510 (11) | 0.0631 (15) | 0.0039 (9) | 0.0033 (11) | 0.0003 (10) |
| C10 | 0.0629 (16) | 0.0666 (14) | 0.0731 (17) | 0.0052 (12) | −0.0055 (13) | 0.0093 (13) |
| C11 | 0.0633 (17) | 0.0614 (14) | 0.104 (2) | 0.0004 (13) | 0.0009 (17) | 0.0146 (15) |
| C12 | 0.0595 (16) | 0.0703 (16) | 0.100 (2) | −0.0051 (13) | 0.0000 (16) | −0.0116 (18) |

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| C13 | 0.0634 (16) | 0.104 (2) | 0.0688 (17) | −0.0045 (15) | −0.0104 (14) | −0.0098 (16) |
| C14 | 0.0734 (17) | 0.0754 (17) | 0.0564 (14) | 0.0003 (14) | −0.0004 (12) | 0.0070 (13) |
| O1 | 0.0579 (10) | 0.0763 (11) | 0.0884 (14) | 0.0081 (9) | 0.0033 (9) | −0.0055 (10) |
| O2 | 0.0837 (14) | 0.0954 (15) | 0.0832 (14) | 0.0031 (11) | 0.0031 (12) | −0.0354 (13) |
| O3 | 0.136 (2) | 0.0522 (10) | 0.0875 (15) | −0.0183 (11) | 0.0244 (13) | −0.0049 (10) |
| O4 | 0.0855 (15) | 0.139 (2) | 0.0869 (17) | −0.0348 (15) | −0.0055 (13) | −0.0339 (14) |
| N1 | 0.0576 (12) | 0.0834 (14) | 0.0693 (13) | −0.0066 (11) | −0.0004 (11) | 0.0002 (12) |
| N2 | 0.0566 (12) | 0.0684 (12) | 0.0653 (13) | −0.0045 (10) | 0.0050 (10) | −0.0112 (11) |
| S1 | 0.0718 (4) | 0.0536 (3) | 0.0843 (5) | −0.0042 (3) | −0.0134 (4) | 0.0067 (3) |
| S2 | 0.0740 (4) | 0.0725 (4) | 0.0624 (4) | −0.0216 (3) | 0.0049 (3) | −0.0155 (3) |

*Geometric parameters (Å, °)*

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|---|---|---|---|
| C1—N1 | 1.291 (4) | C9—C10 | 1.383 (4) |
| C1—C2 | 1.402 (4) | C9—C14 | 1.384 (4) |
| C1—S2 | 1.784 (3) | C9—S1 | 1.782 (2) |
| C2—N2 | 1.327 (3) | C10—C11 | 1.377 (4) |
| C2—S1 | 1.734 (3) | C10—H10A | 0.9300 |
| C3—C8 | 1.362 (4) | C11—C12 | 1.374 (5) |
| C3—C4 | 1.387 (4) | C11—H11A | 0.9300 |
| C3—S2 | 1.752 (3) | C12—C13 | 1.378 (5) |
| C4—C5 | 1.358 (4) | C12—H12A | 0.9300 |
| C4—H4A | 0.9300 | C13—C14 | 1.370 (4) |
| C5—C6 | 1.357 (6) | C13—H13A | 0.9300 |
| C5—H5A | 0.9300 | C14—H14A | 0.9300 |
| C6—C7 | 1.370 (6) | O1—N1 | 1.363 (3) |
| C6—H6A | 0.9300 | O1—N2 | 1.461 (3) |
| C7—C8 | 1.396 (5) | O2—N2 | 1.211 (3) |
| C7—H7A | 0.9300 | O3—S2 | 1.429 (3) |
| C8—H8A | 0.9300 | O4—S2 | 1.420 (3) |
| N1—C1—C2 | 113.3 (2) | C11—C10—C9 | 118.9 (3) |
| N1—C1—S2 | 119.2 (2) | C11—C10—H10A | 120.6 |
| C2—C1—S2 | 127.4 (2) | C9—C10—H10A | 120.6 |
| N2—C2—C1 | 105.7 (2) | C12—C11—C10 | 121.1 (3) |
| N2—C2—S1 | 123.1 (2) | C12—C11—H11A | 119.5 |
| C1—C2—S1 | 130.9 (2) | C10—C11—H11A | 119.5 |
| C8—C3—C4 | 121.8 (3) | C11—C12—C13 | 119.4 (3) |
| C8—C3—S2 | 119.1 (2) | C11—C12—H12A | 120.3 |
| C4—C3—S2 | 119.1 (2) | C13—C12—H12A | 120.3 |
| C5—C4—C3 | 118.9 (3) | C14—C13—C12 | 120.6 (3) |
| C5—C4—H4A | 120.6 | C14—C13—H13A | 119.7 |
| C3—C4—H4A | 120.6 | C12—C13—H13A | 119.7 |
| C6—C5—C4 | 120.6 (4) | C13—C14—C9 | 119.5 (3) |
| C6—C5—H5A | 119.7 | C13—C14—H14A | 120.3 |
| C4—C5—H5A | 119.7 | C9—C14—H14A | 120.3 |
| C5—C6—C7 | 120.9 (3) | N1—O1—N2 | 107.14 (18) |
| C5—C6—H6A | 119.6 | C1—N1—O1 | 106.9 (2) |
| C7—C6—H6A | 119.6 | O2—N2—C2 | 135.1 (2) |
| C6—C7—C8 | 119.8 (4) | O2—N2—O1 | 117.9 (2) |

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| C6—C7—H7A | 120.1 | C2—N2—O1 | 107.0 (2) |
| C8—C7—H7A | 120.1 | C2—S1—C9 | 103.02 (11) |
| C3—C8—C7 | 118.1 (3) | O4—S2—O3 | 120.89 (17) |
| C3—C8—H8A | 120.9 | O4—S2—C3 | 110.29 (15) |
| C7—C8—H8A | 120.9 | O3—S2—C3 | 108.92 (15) |
| C10—C9—C14 | 120.5 (2) | O4—S2—C1 | 105.81 (14) |
| C10—C9—S1 | 123.0 (2) | O3—S2—C1 | 106.53 (13) |
| C14—C9—S1 | 116.3 (2) | C3—S2—C1 | 102.76 (12) |

**Fig. 1**