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2,4-Dioxa- λ^6 -thiatetracyclo-[5.3.1.1^{5,9}.0^{1,5}]dodecane-3,3-dione

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 Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; $T = 100$ K; mean $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.003$ Å;
 R factor = 0.036; wR factor = 0.097; data-to-parameter ratio = 12.6.

The crystal structure of the title compound, $\text{C}_9\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_4\text{S}$, was determined in order to investigate the effect of the eclipsed O atoms on the bond length of the vicinal quaternary C atoms. The two quaternary C atoms of the noradamantane skeleton and the two O atoms to which they are connected all located essentially in the same plane (maximum deviation = 0.01 Å), resulting in an eclipsed conformation of the C—O bonds. The C—C bond of the quaternary C atoms is 1.581 (3) Å, considerably longer than the other C—C bonds of the molecule due to the stretch of the cage structure.

Related literature

For reviews on noradamantene and analogous pyramidalized alkenes, see: Borden (1989, 1996); Vázquez & Camps (2005). For the syntheses of cyclic sulfates of acyclic alcohols, see: Byun *et al.* (2000); Kaiser (1970); Boer *et al.* (1968). For the synthesis of the precursor diol (tricyclo-[3.3.1.03,7]nonane-3,7-diol), an important intermediate in the synthetic route towards the generation of noradamantene, see: Zalikowski *et al.* (1980); Bertz (1985). For the synthesis of the title compound, see: Ioannou & Nicolaides (2009).



Experimental

Crystal data

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Monoclinic, $P2_1/n$	Mo $K\alpha$ radiation
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$b = 13.0442$ (6) Å	$T = 100$ K
$c = 9.1755$ (4) Å	$0.05 \times 0.03 \times 0.02$ mm
$\beta = 95.410$ (4)°	

Data collection

Oxford Diffraction SuperNova	Diffraction, 2008)
Dual Cu at zero Atlas diffractometer	$T_{\min} = 0.803$, $T_{\max} = 1.000$
Absorption correction: multi-scan (<i>CrysAlis RED</i> ; Oxford)	5195 measured reflections
	1596 independent reflections
	1389 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
	$R_{\text{int}} = 0.036$

Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.036$	127 parameters
$wR(F^2) = 0.097$	H-atom parameters constrained
$S = 1.02$	$\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 0.30$ e Å ⁻³
1596 reflections	$\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.36$ e Å ⁻³

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Comment

Five member cyclic sulfates are known for their exceptional reactivity to solvolysis in comparison to the six member rings or their acyclic analogs (Kaiser 1970, Boer *et al.* 1968). Their significant role in organic synthesis originates from their high reactivity towards various nucleophiles (Byun *et al.* 2000).

Pyramidalized alkenes is a special category of olefins which have their four substituents of the double bond not lying on the same plane (Borden 1989, 1996, Vázquez & Camps *et al.* 2005). This fact makes the higher pyramidalized alkenes (like noradamantene) very reactive and impossible to isolate at ambient conditions. Due to their high reactivity, once they form, they react instantly with any nucleophile. In the absence of any reactive compound during their formation, the most common product is their [2 + 2] dimer. Noradamantene is a member of a homologous series of this category and its preparation is quite important on studying the properties of these highly reactive compounds, as well as using it for the preparation of larger polycyclic hydrocarbons. The only convenient way of producing noradamantene quantitative is by reduction of the corresponding diiodide (scheme 3). Unfortunately, the precursor diol gives a very poor yield of diiodide (~20%) upon iodination (Ioannou *et al.* 2009). The title compound was synthesized in an attempt to build new good precursors for noradamantene, or even for the corresponding diiodide in order to improve the reaction yields.

Experimental

Synthesis of tricyclo[3.3.1.0^{3,7}]nonane-3,7-diol cyclic sulfate. Tricyclo[3.3.1.0^{3,7}]nonane-3,7-diol (500 mg, 3.25 mmol) was added to concd H₂SO₄ (95–97%, 5 ml) and the resulting mixture was stirred at 130 °C for 1 h. After cooling, H₂O (100 ml) was added very slowly. The solution was extracted with CH₂Cl₂ (4 x 20 ml), and the combined organic phase was dried (Na₂SO₄) and the solvent was removed under vacuum to give crude product (629 mg, 90%). Crystallization by slow evaporation of the solvent (hexane/dichloromethane 4:1), afforded colorless needle-like crystals. Mp 117–118 °C; ν_{max} (KBr) 2955, 2922, 2853, 1460, 1382, 1337, 1306, 1242, 1202, 1090, 960, 837, 812, 777; δ_{H} (300 MHz, CDCl₃) 2.65 (2H, s, –CH), 2.32 (4Heq, d, J = 11.1 Hz), 2.19 (4Hax, d, J = 10.8 Hz), 1.55 (2H, s, –CH₂ bridge); δ_{C} (75.5 MHz, CDCl₃) 94.47 (C–O), 46.44 (CH₂), 37.04 (CH), 33.00 (CH₂ bridge). Anal. Calcd for C₉H₁₂O₄S: C, 50.0; H, 5.6; S, 14.8. Found: C, 50.4; H, 5.6; S, 14.4.

Refinement

The H atoms are positioned with idealized geometry and refined using a riding model with $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H}) = 1.2$ of $U_{\text{eq}}(\text{C})$.

Computing details

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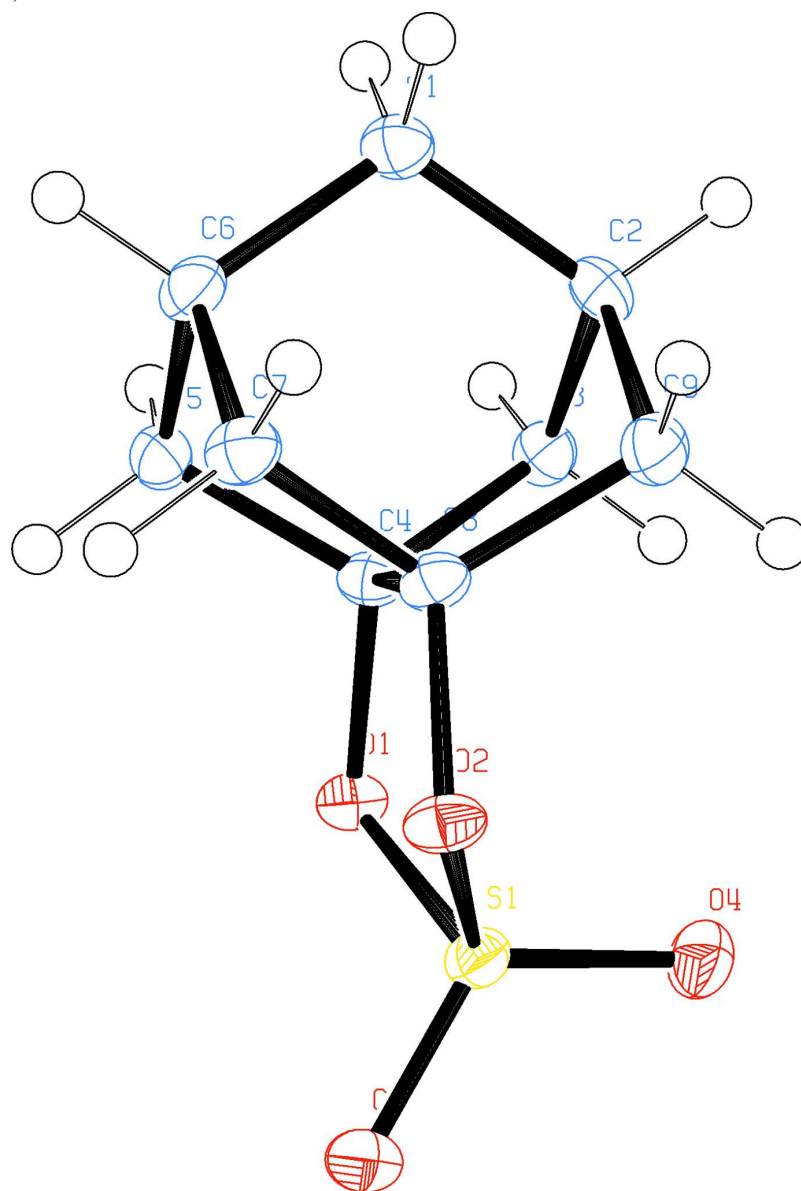


Figure 1

Structure of the title compound tricyclo-[3.3.1.0^{3,7}]nonane-3,7-diol cyclic sulfate with the atom-labelling. Displacement ellipsoids are drawn at the 50% probability level.

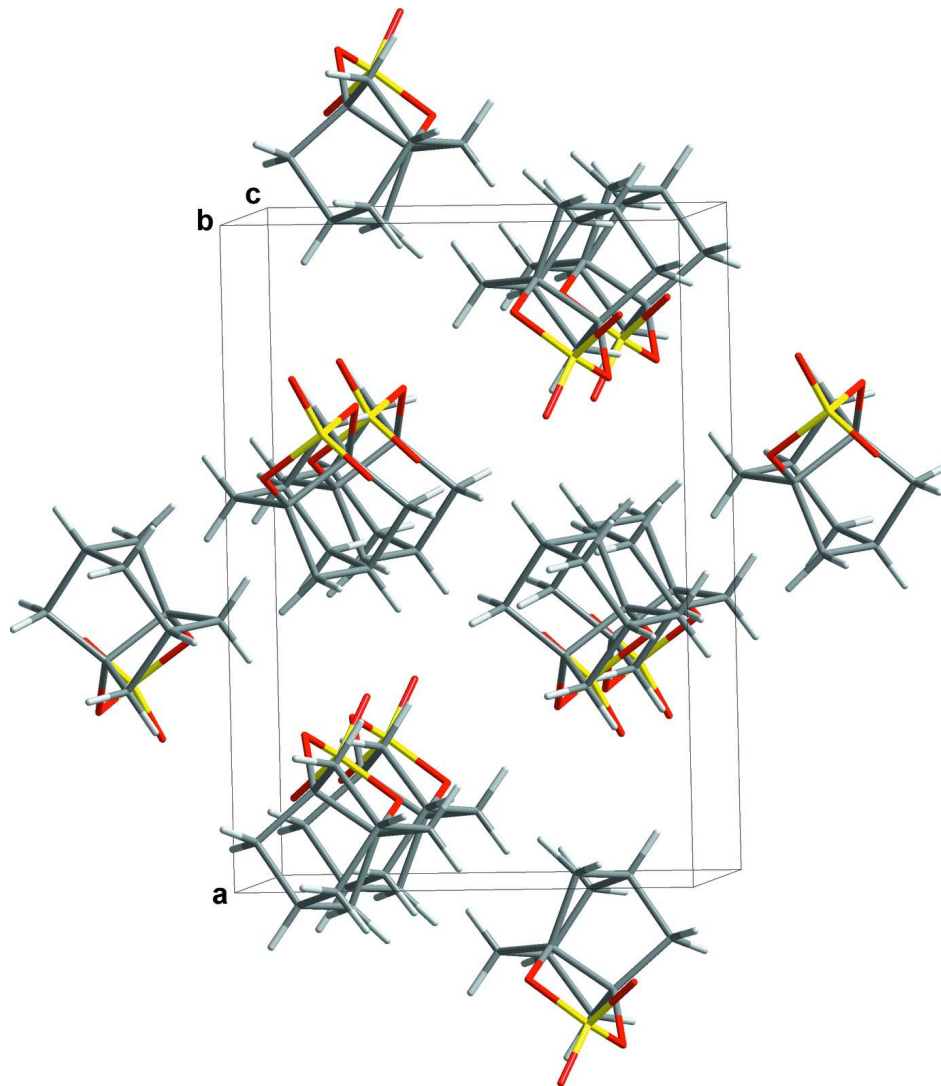
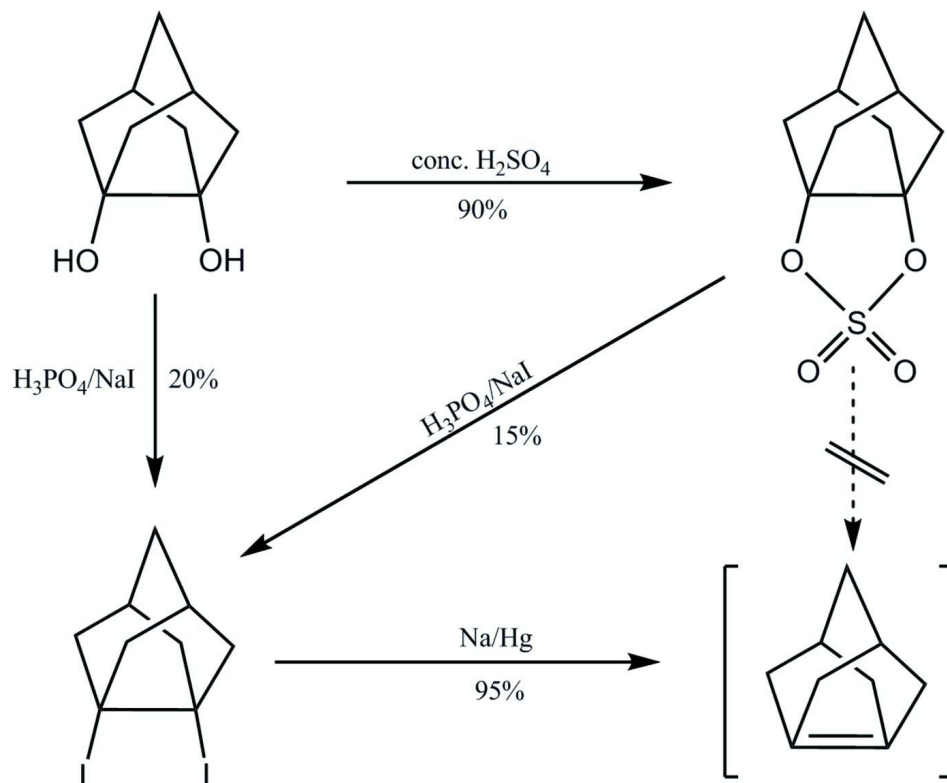


Figure 2
Molecular packing of the title compound, viewed along [1 0 0].


Figure 3

Preparation of the title compound and the experimental path of noradamantene formation.

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Data collection

Oxford Diffraction SuperNova Dual Cu at zero

Atlas

diffractometer

Radiation source: SuperNova (Mo) X-ray

Source

Mirror monochromator

Detector resolution: 10.4223 pixels mm⁻¹

ω scans

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$R_{\text{int}} = 0.036$

$\theta_{\max} = 25.0$ °, $\theta_{\min} = 3.1$ °

$h = -9 \rightarrow 9$

$k = -14 \rightarrow 15$

$l = -10 \rightarrow 10$

Refinement

Refinement on F^2

Least-squares matrix: full

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.036$

$wR(F^2) = 0.097$

$S = 1.02$

1596 reflections

127 parameters

0 restraints

Primary atom site location: structure-invariant
direct methods

Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier
map

Hydrogen site location: inferred from
neighbouring sites

H-atom parameters constrained

$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0463P)^2 + 0.8407P]$

where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$

$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\max} < 0.001$

$\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.30 \text{ e } \text{Å}^{-3}$

$\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.36 \text{ e } \text{Å}^{-3}$

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)

	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>	$U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$
S1	-0.10031 (6)	0.20071 (4)	0.77561 (6)	0.01630 (19)
O1	-0.05353 (18)	0.13375 (11)	0.64114 (16)	0.0169 (4)
O2	0.09088 (18)	0.23740 (11)	0.83001 (17)	0.0175 (4)
O3	-0.20095 (19)	0.28604 (12)	0.72290 (18)	0.0224 (4)
O4	-0.16597 (19)	0.13680 (12)	0.88353 (17)	0.0226 (4)
C1	0.4547 (3)	0.01132 (17)	0.7302 (2)	0.0185 (5)
H1A	0.5641	0.0202	0.7913	0.022*
H1B	0.4684	-0.0465	0.6658	0.022*
C2	0.3060 (3)	-0.01186 (16)	0.8282 (2)	0.0177 (5)
H2	0.3305	-0.0733	0.8881	0.021*
C3	0.1296 (3)	-0.01977 (16)	0.7334 (2)	0.0170 (5)
H3A	0.1327	-0.0705	0.6564	0.020*
H3B	0.0330	-0.0344	0.7914	0.020*
C4	0.1219 (3)	0.08940 (16)	0.6732 (2)	0.0147 (5)
C5	0.2365 (3)	0.09867 (17)	0.5474 (2)	0.0178 (5)
H5A	0.2076	0.1589	0.4879	0.021*
H5B	0.2300	0.0380	0.4860	0.021*
C6	0.4163 (3)	0.10886 (17)	0.6370 (2)	0.0180 (5)
H6	0.5104	0.1242	0.5750	0.022*
C7	0.3780 (3)	0.19974 (17)	0.7360 (3)	0.0181 (5)
H7A	0.4735	0.2121	0.8111	0.022*
H7B	0.3524	0.2620	0.6803	0.022*
C8	0.2171 (3)	0.15760 (16)	0.7992 (2)	0.0153 (5)
C9	0.2700 (3)	0.08211 (17)	0.9218 (2)	0.0189 (5)
H9A	0.1757	0.0698	0.9831	0.023*
H9B	0.3742	0.1043	0.9819	0.023*

Atomic displacement parameters (\AA^2)

	U^{11}	U^{22}	U^{33}	U^{12}	U^{13}	U^{23}
S1	0.0148 (3)	0.0156 (3)	0.0191 (3)	0.0000 (2)	0.0042 (2)	-0.0004 (2)
O1	0.0144 (7)	0.0174 (8)	0.0187 (8)	0.0018 (6)	0.0006 (6)	-0.0029 (6)
O2	0.0150 (7)	0.0138 (8)	0.0239 (9)	0.0009 (6)	0.0027 (6)	-0.0052 (7)
O3	0.0209 (8)	0.0200 (9)	0.0269 (10)	0.0054 (7)	0.0048 (7)	0.0023 (7)
O4	0.0223 (8)	0.0237 (9)	0.0229 (9)	-0.0025 (7)	0.0076 (6)	0.0031 (7)
C1	0.0188 (11)	0.0159 (11)	0.0210 (12)	0.0020 (9)	0.0026 (9)	-0.0014 (9)
C2	0.0210 (11)	0.0120 (11)	0.0196 (12)	0.0014 (9)	0.0005 (9)	0.0040 (9)
C3	0.0184 (11)	0.0132 (11)	0.0196 (12)	-0.0017 (9)	0.0037 (8)	-0.0004 (9)
C4	0.0116 (10)	0.0132 (11)	0.0191 (12)	-0.0001 (9)	-0.0001 (8)	-0.0010 (9)
C5	0.0209 (11)	0.0169 (11)	0.0159 (12)	0.0022 (9)	0.0036 (9)	0.0005 (9)
C6	0.0165 (10)	0.0161 (11)	0.0225 (12)	-0.0006 (9)	0.0075 (9)	0.0004 (9)
C7	0.0156 (11)	0.0155 (12)	0.0236 (13)	-0.0016 (9)	0.0037 (9)	-0.0011 (9)
C8	0.0148 (10)	0.0124 (11)	0.0189 (12)	0.0007 (9)	0.0037 (8)	-0.0035 (9)
C9	0.0185 (10)	0.0222 (12)	0.0158 (12)	0.0001 (10)	0.0007 (8)	0.0006 (10)

Geometric parameters (\AA , $^\circ$)

S1—O3	1.4129 (16)	C3—H3B	0.9700
S1—O4	1.4221 (16)	C4—C5	1.520 (3)
S1—O2	1.5759 (15)	C4—C8	1.581 (3)
S1—O1	1.5801 (15)	C5—C6	1.541 (3)
O1—C4	1.466 (2)	C5—H5A	0.9700
O2—C8	1.466 (2)	C5—H5B	0.9700
C1—C6	1.546 (3)	C6—C7	1.538 (3)
C1—C2	1.546 (3)	C6—H6	0.9800
C1—H1A	0.9700	C7—C8	1.514 (3)
C1—H1B	0.9700	C7—H7A	0.9700
C2—C9	1.536 (3)	C7—H7B	0.9700
C2—C3	1.540 (3)	C8—C9	1.521 (3)
C2—H2	0.9800	C9—H9A	0.9700
C3—C4	1.526 (3)	C9—H9B	0.9700
C3—H3A	0.9700		
O3—S1—O4	118.88 (9)	C3—C4—C8	105.15 (17)
O3—S1—O2	109.24 (9)	C4—C5—C6	98.78 (17)
O4—S1—O2	109.66 (9)	C4—C5—H5A	112.0
O3—S1—O1	108.94 (9)	C6—C5—H5A	112.0
O4—S1—O1	109.92 (9)	C4—C5—H5B	112.0
O2—S1—O1	98.22 (8)	C6—C5—H5B	112.0
C4—O1—S1	109.39 (12)	H5A—C5—H5B	109.7
C8—O2—S1	109.44 (12)	C7—C6—C5	99.84 (16)
C6—C1—C2	111.76 (17)	C7—C6—C1	110.17 (18)
C6—C1—H1A	109.3	C5—C6—C1	109.73 (18)
C2—C1—H1A	109.3	C7—C6—H6	112.2
C6—C1—H1B	109.3	C5—C6—H6	112.2
C2—C1—H1B	109.3	C1—C6—H6	112.2
H1A—C1—H1B	107.9	C8—C7—C6	98.85 (17)

C9—C2—C3	100.12 (16)	C8—C7—H7A	112.0
C9—C2—C1	110.47 (17)	C6—C7—H7A	112.0
C3—C2—C1	109.83 (18)	C8—C7—H7B	112.0
C9—C2—H2	111.9	C6—C7—H7B	112.0
C3—C2—H2	111.9	H7A—C7—H7B	109.7
C1—C2—H2	111.9	O2—C8—C7	113.03 (17)
C4—C3—C2	98.27 (16)	O2—C8—C9	116.85 (17)
C4—C3—H3A	112.1	C7—C8—C9	110.41 (17)
C2—C3—H3A	112.1	O2—C8—C4	105.88 (15)
C4—C3—H3B	112.1	C7—C8—C4	105.08 (17)
C2—C3—H3B	112.1	C9—C8—C4	104.40 (16)
H3A—C3—H3B	109.8	C8—C9—C2	98.76 (17)
O1—C4—C5	113.56 (17)	C8—C9—H9A	112.0
O1—C4—C3	116.37 (16)	C2—C9—H9A	112.0
C5—C4—C3	110.08 (18)	C8—C9—H9B	112.0
O1—C4—C8	105.98 (16)	C2—C9—H9B	112.0
C5—C4—C8	104.54 (16)	H9A—C9—H9B	109.7
