

**2,5-Dihydroxybenzaldehyde 4-methyl-thiosemicarbazone**

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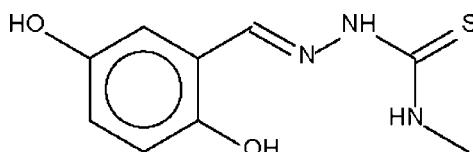
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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study;  $T = 100$  K; mean  $\sigma(C-C) = 0.003 \text{ \AA}$ ;  $R$  factor = 0.055;  $wR$  factor = 0.124; data-to-parameter ratio = 14.8.

The planar molecules of the title compound,  $C_9H_{11}N_3O_2S$ , are linked into a supramolecular chain via  $O-H\cdots S$  hydrogen bonds. These chains are connected into a two-dimensional array via  $N-H\cdots O$  hydrogen bonds; an intramolecular  $O-H\cdots N$  hydrogen bond is also present.

**Related literature**

For the medicinal activity of 2,5-dihydroxybenzaldehyde thiosemicarbazone, see: Libermann *et al.* (1953); Taniyama & Tanaka (1965); Xue *et al.* (2007). For the structure of 2-hydroxybenzaldehyde 4-methylthiosemicarbazone, see: Vrdoljak *et al.* (2005). For the structure of 3,4-dihydroxybenzaldehyde 4-ethylthiosemicarbazone, see: Kayed *et al.* (2008).

**Experimental***Crystal data*

$C_9H_{11}N_3O_2S$

$M_r = 225.27$

Triclinic,  $P\bar{1}$

$a = 5.9932 (4) \text{ \AA}$

$b = 8.5207 (6) \text{ \AA}$

$c = 10.3272 (6) \text{ \AA}$

$\alpha = 78.552 (4)^\circ$

$\beta = 74.181 (4)^\circ$

$\gamma = 81.743 (4)^\circ$

$V = 495.06 (6) \text{ \AA}^3$

$Z = 2$   
Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation  
 $\mu = 0.31 \text{ mm}^{-1}$

$T = 100 (2) \text{ K}$   
 $0.24 \times 0.16 \times 0.02 \text{ mm}$

*Data collection*

Bruker SMART APEX diffractometer  
Absorption correction: multi-scan (*SADABS*; Sheldrick, 1996)  
 $T_{\min} = 0.929$ ,  $T_{\max} = 0.994$

4189 measured reflections  
2258 independent reflections  
1580 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$   
 $R_{\text{int}} = 0.050$

*Refinement*

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.054$   
 $wR(F^2) = 0.123$   
 $S = 1.03$   
2258 reflections  
153 parameters  
4 restraints

H atoms treated by a mixture of independent and constrained refinement  
 $\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.32 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$   
 $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.47 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$

**Table 1**  
Hydrogen-bond geometry ( $\text{\AA}$ ,  $^\circ$ ).

$D-H\cdots A$	$D-H$	$H\cdots A$	$D\cdots A$	$D-H\cdots A$
O1—H1 $o$ —N3	0.84 (3)	1.97 (2)	2.698 (3)	144 (3)
O2—H2 $o$ —S1 <sup>i</sup>	0.84 (3)	2.46 (2)	3.182 (2)	144 (3)
N2—H2 $n$ —O1 <sup>ii</sup>	0.84 (3)	2.47 (3)	3.111 (3)	134 (3)

Symmetry codes: (i)  $x + 1, y + 1, z - 1$ ; (ii)  $x - 1, y, z$ .

Data collection: *APEX2* (Bruker, 2007); cell refinement: *SAINT* (Bruker, 2007); data reduction: *SAINT*; program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 2008); molecular graphics: *X-SEED* (Barbour, 2001); software used to prepare material for publication: *publCIF* (Westrip, 2008).

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### S1. Comment

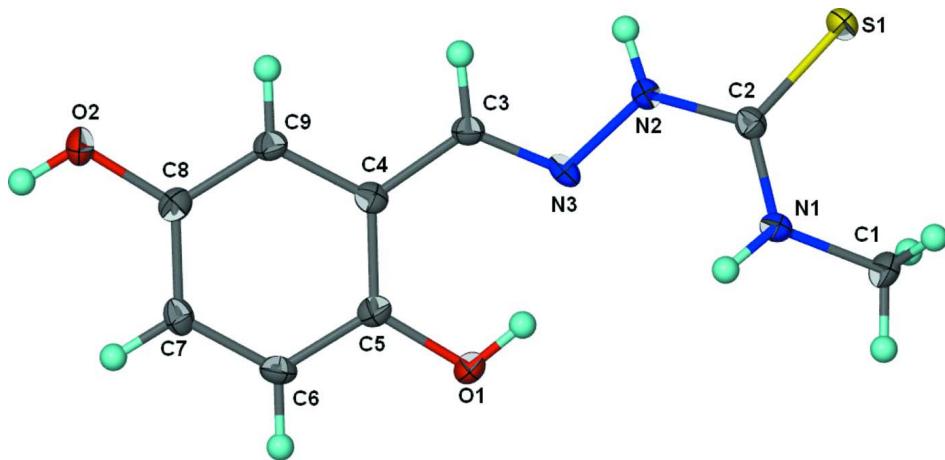
The title compound (**I**, Fig. 1) possesses useful medicinal properties (Liebermann *et al.*, 1953; Taniyama & Tanaka, 1965; Xue *et al.*, 2007). The molecules are linked into supramolecular chains by O—H $\cdots$ S hydrogen bonds involving the O2-hydroxy group, Table 1. The hydrogen-bonded chains are consolidated into a layer motif via N—NH $\cdots$ O hydrogen bond, involving the O1-hydroxy group. An intramolecular N—H $\cdots$ O hydrogen bond, also involving the O1-hydroxy group is also noted. In contrast, 2-hydroxybenzaldehyde 4-methylthiosemicarbazone, which features an intramolecular O—H $\cdots$ N hydrogen bond, adopts a chain structure (Vrdoljak *et al.*, 2005) as it lacks a second hydroxy substituent for layer formation.

### S2. Experimental

4-Methylthiosemicarbazide (0.11 g, 1 mmol) and 2,5-dihydroxybenzaldehyde (0.14 g, 1 mmol) were heated in ethanol (10 ml) for 1 h. Slow evaporation of the solvent yielded yellow crystals of (**I**).

### S3. Refinement

Carbon-bound H-atoms were placed in calculated positions (C—H 0.95 to 0.98 Å) and were included in the refinement in the riding model approximation, with  $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H})$  set to 1.2–1.5  $U_{\text{eq}}(\text{C})$ . The hydroxy and amino H-atoms were located in a difference Fourier map, and were refined isotropically with distance restraints of O—H, N—H = 0.85±0.01 Å.



**Figure 1**

Thermal ellipsoid plot of (**I**) at the 70% probability level showing atom labeling. Hydrogen atoms are drawn as spheres of arbitrary radii.

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Triclinic, *P*1  
Hall symbol: -P 1  
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*b* = 8.5207 (6) Å  
*c* = 10.3272 (6) Å  
 $\alpha$  = 78.552 (4) $^\circ$   
 $\beta$  = 74.181 (4) $^\circ$   
 $\gamma$  = 81.743 (4) $^\circ$   
*V* = 495.06 (6) Å<sup>3</sup>

*Z* = 2  
*F*(000) = 236  
*D<sub>x</sub>* = 1.511 Mg m<sup>-3</sup>  
Mo *Kα* radiation,  $\lambda$  = 0.71073 Å  
Cell parameters from 558 reflections  
 $\theta$  = 2.9–23.0 $^\circ$   
 $\mu$  = 0.31 mm<sup>-1</sup>  
*T* = 100 K  
Plate, yellow  
0.24 × 0.16 × 0.02 mm

*Data collection*

Bruker SMART APEX  
diffractometer  
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Graphite monochromator  
 $\omega$  scans  
Absorption correction: multi-scan  
(SADABS; Sheldrick, 1996)  
*T*<sub>min</sub> = 0.929, *T*<sub>max</sub> = 0.994

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1580 reflections with *I* > 2 $\sigma$ (*I*)  
*R*<sub>int</sub> = 0.050  
 $\theta_{\text{max}} = 27.5^\circ$ ,  $\theta_{\text{min}} = 2.5^\circ$   
*h* = -7 → 7  
*k* = -11 → 8  
*l* = -13 → 13

*Refinement*

Refinement on *F*<sup>2</sup>  
Least-squares matrix: full  
*R*[*F*<sup>2</sup> > 2 $\sigma$ (*F*<sup>2</sup>)] = 0.054  
*wR*(*F*<sup>2</sup>) = 0.123  
*S* = 1.03  
2258 reflections  
153 parameters  
4 restraints  
Primary atom site location: structure-invariant  
direct methods

Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier  
map  
Hydrogen site location: inferred from  
neighbouring sites  
H atoms treated by a mixture of independent  
and constrained refinement  
*w* = 1/[ $\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0471P)^2$ ]  
where *P* = (*F<sub>o</sub>*<sup>2</sup> + 2*F<sub>c</sub>*<sup>2</sup>)/3  
( $\Delta/\sigma$ )<sub>max</sub> = 0.001  
 $\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 0.32$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>  
 $\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.47$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>

*Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters (Å<sup>2</sup>)*

	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>	<i>U</i> <sub>iso</sub> */*/ <i>U</i> <sub>eq</sub>
S1	0.44298 (12)	0.47335 (9)	0.72966 (7)	0.0189 (2)
O1	1.3132 (3)	0.8655 (2)	0.47568 (18)	0.0188 (4)
O2	1.2446 (3)	1.1893 (2)	-0.03406 (18)	0.0200 (5)
N1	0.8637 (4)	0.5405 (3)	0.7312 (2)	0.0147 (5)
N2	0.7415 (4)	0.6387 (3)	0.5359 (2)	0.0159 (5)
N3	0.9289 (4)	0.7298 (3)	0.4833 (2)	0.0145 (5)
C1	0.8391 (5)	0.4576 (3)	0.8709 (2)	0.0188 (6)
H1A	0.9802	0.4633	0.8996	0.028*
H1B	0.8160	0.3447	0.8763	0.028*
H1C	0.7044	0.5088	0.9310	0.028*
C2	0.7001 (4)	0.5552 (3)	0.6642 (2)	0.0134 (6)
C3	0.9368 (4)	0.8121 (3)	0.3637 (2)	0.0136 (6)

H3	0.8213	0.8018	0.3194	0.016*
C4	1.1147 (4)	0.9200 (3)	0.2937 (2)	0.0133 (6)
C5	1.2915 (4)	0.9450 (3)	0.3503 (2)	0.0140 (6)
C6	1.4505 (5)	1.0551 (3)	0.2796 (2)	0.0157 (6)
H6	1.5673	1.0745	0.3193	0.019*
C7	1.4389 (5)	1.1372 (3)	0.1504 (3)	0.0153 (6)
H7	1.5496	1.2111	0.1016	0.018*
C8	1.2669 (4)	1.1117 (3)	0.0929 (2)	0.0149 (6)
C9	1.1055 (4)	1.0049 (3)	0.1638 (2)	0.0146 (6)
H9	0.9866	0.9887	0.1243	0.018*
H1o	1.206 (4)	0.805 (3)	0.511 (3)	0.048 (12)*
H2o	1.352 (5)	1.245 (4)	-0.082 (3)	0.059 (13)*
H1n	0.988 (3)	0.581 (4)	0.689 (3)	0.032 (9)*
H2n	0.640 (4)	0.656 (4)	0.491 (3)	0.042 (10)*

*Atomic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2$ )*

	$U^{11}$	$U^{22}$	$U^{33}$	$U^{12}$	$U^{13}$	$U^{23}$
S1	0.0149 (4)	0.0241 (4)	0.0175 (3)	-0.0083 (3)	-0.0051 (3)	0.0033 (3)
O1	0.0222 (11)	0.0221 (12)	0.0140 (9)	-0.0081 (9)	-0.0089 (8)	0.0025 (8)
O2	0.0244 (11)	0.0202 (12)	0.0149 (9)	-0.0088 (9)	-0.0059 (8)	0.0047 (8)
N1	0.0114 (12)	0.0181 (13)	0.0148 (11)	-0.0035 (10)	-0.0038 (9)	-0.0007 (9)
N2	0.0153 (12)	0.0168 (13)	0.0158 (11)	-0.0060 (10)	-0.0056 (9)	0.0024 (9)
N3	0.0121 (11)	0.0136 (12)	0.0175 (11)	-0.0050 (9)	-0.0013 (9)	-0.0023 (9)
C1	0.0198 (15)	0.0231 (16)	0.0128 (12)	-0.0048 (12)	-0.0051 (11)	0.0015 (11)
C2	0.0137 (13)	0.0106 (14)	0.0155 (12)	-0.0011 (11)	-0.0032 (10)	-0.0022 (11)
C3	0.0136 (13)	0.0138 (14)	0.0147 (12)	-0.0019 (11)	-0.0053 (10)	-0.0025 (11)
C4	0.0134 (13)	0.0118 (14)	0.0153 (12)	-0.0008 (10)	-0.0034 (10)	-0.0038 (11)
C5	0.0137 (13)	0.0154 (15)	0.0133 (12)	0.0001 (11)	-0.0041 (10)	-0.0034 (11)
C6	0.0139 (13)	0.0162 (15)	0.0193 (13)	-0.0029 (11)	-0.0070 (10)	-0.0039 (11)
C7	0.0163 (14)	0.0102 (14)	0.0178 (13)	-0.0021 (11)	-0.0024 (10)	-0.0006 (11)
C8	0.0160 (14)	0.0144 (15)	0.0143 (12)	0.0006 (11)	-0.0050 (10)	-0.0023 (11)
C9	0.0158 (14)	0.0156 (15)	0.0140 (12)	-0.0021 (11)	-0.0059 (10)	-0.0031 (11)

*Geometric parameters ( $\text{\AA}$ ,  $\text{^\circ}$ )*

S1—C2	1.695 (3)	C1—H1B	0.9800
O1—C5	1.367 (3)	C1—H1C	0.9800
O1—H1o	0.84 (3)	C3—C4	1.450 (4)
O2—C8	1.379 (3)	C3—H3	0.9500
O2—H2o	0.84 (3)	C4—C5	1.401 (4)
N1—C2	1.325 (3)	C4—C9	1.403 (3)
N1—C1	1.453 (3)	C5—C6	1.388 (4)
N1—H1n	0.84 (3)	C6—C7	1.393 (3)
N2—C2	1.349 (3)	C6—H6	0.9500
N2—N3	1.382 (3)	C7—C8	1.383 (4)
N2—H2n	0.84 (3)	C7—H7	0.9500
N3—C3	1.286 (3)	C8—C9	1.379 (4)

C1—H1A	0.9800	C9—H9	0.9500
C5—O1—H1O	110 (2)	C4—C3—H3	118.6
C8—O2—H2O	117 (3)	C5—C4—C9	118.9 (2)
C2—N1—C1	123.8 (2)	C5—C4—C3	123.2 (2)
C2—N1—H1N	117 (2)	C9—C4—C3	117.9 (2)
C1—N1—H1N	119 (2)	O1—C5—C6	117.7 (2)
C2—N2—N3	121.3 (2)	O1—C5—C4	122.3 (2)
C2—N2—H2N	122 (2)	C6—C5—C4	120.0 (2)
N3—N2—H2N	116 (2)	C5—C6—C7	120.1 (3)
C3—N3—N2	114.5 (2)	C5—C6—H6	120.0
N1—C1—H1A	109.5	C7—C6—H6	120.0
N1—C1—H1B	109.5	C8—C7—C6	120.3 (2)
H1A—C1—H1B	109.5	C8—C7—H7	119.9
N1—C1—H1C	109.5	C6—C7—H7	119.9
H1A—C1—H1C	109.5	O2—C8—C9	116.7 (2)
H1B—C1—H1C	109.5	O2—C8—C7	123.3 (2)
N1—C2—N2	118.2 (2)	C9—C8—C7	119.9 (2)
N1—C2—S1	123.80 (19)	C8—C9—C4	120.8 (2)
N2—C2—S1	118.0 (2)	C8—C9—H9	119.6
N3—C3—C4	122.7 (2)	C4—C9—H9	119.6
N3—C3—H3	118.6		
C2—N2—N3—C3	-175.1 (2)	C3—C4—C5—C6	-177.4 (2)
C1—N1—C2—N2	178.3 (2)	O1—C5—C6—C7	178.8 (2)
C1—N1—C2—S1	-2.5 (4)	C4—C5—C6—C7	-2.0 (4)
N3—N2—C2—N1	-11.0 (4)	C5—C6—C7—C8	1.1 (4)
N3—N2—C2—S1	169.69 (19)	C6—C7—C8—O2	179.7 (2)
N2—N3—C3—C4	177.5 (2)	C6—C7—C8—C9	0.2 (4)
N3—C3—C4—C5	-0.6 (4)	O2—C8—C9—C4	179.8 (2)
N3—C3—C4—C9	-179.5 (2)	C7—C8—C9—C4	-0.7 (4)
C9—C4—C5—O1	-179.3 (2)	C5—C4—C9—C8	-0.2 (4)
C3—C4—C5—O1	1.8 (4)	C3—C4—C9—C8	178.8 (2)
C9—C4—C5—C6	1.5 (4)		

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