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[(4*S*,5*S*)-2,2-Dimethyl-1,3-dioxolane-4,5-diyl]bis[*N*-(thiophen-2-ylmethylidene)-methanamine]

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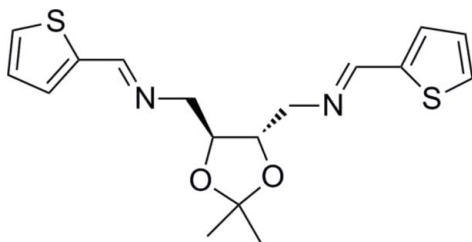
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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; $T = 296$ K; mean $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.004$ Å; R factor = 0.038; wR factor = 0.092; data-to-parameter ratio = 14.9.

In the title compound, $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{20}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}_2$, the five-membered heterocycle exhibits an envelope conformation and the molecular chirality and configuration are well preserved from L-tartaric acid. The dihedral angle between the two thiophene rings is $17.0(2)^\circ$. In the crystal, molecules are linked by $\text{C}-\text{H}\cdots\text{O}$ and $\text{C}-\text{H}\cdots\text{S}$ hydrogen interactions, which are effective in the stabilization of the crystal structure.

Related literature

For general background to spiranes, see: Takashi *et al.* (2011); Yong (2001).



Experimental

Crystal data

 $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{20}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}_2$ $M_r = 348.47$

Monoclinic, $P2_1$
 $a = 10.475(2)$ Å
 $b = 7.4792(15)$ Å
 $c = 11.533(2)$ Å
 $\beta = 92.339(4)^\circ$
 $V = 902.8(3)$ Å³

$Z = 2$
 Mo $K\alpha$ radiation
 $\mu = 0.31$ mm⁻¹
 $T = 296$ K
 $0.20 \times 0.18 \times 0.15$ mm

Data collection

Bruker SMART CCD area-detector diffractometer
 Absorption correction: multi-scan (*SADABS*; Sheldrick, 2004)
 $T_{\min} = 0.942$, $T_{\max} = 0.956$

5249 measured reflections
 3140 independent reflections
 2575 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
 $R_{\text{int}} = 0.043$

Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.038$
 $wR(F^2) = 0.092$
 $S = 1.02$
 3140 reflections
 211 parameters
 19 restraints

H-atom parameters constrained
 $\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 0.14$ e Å⁻³
 $\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.18$ e Å⁻³
 Absolute structure: Flack (1983),
 1322 Friedel pairs
 Flack parameter: 0.00 (8)

Table 1

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °).

$D-H\cdots A$	$D-H$	$H\cdots A$	$D\cdots A$	$D-H\cdots A$
$\text{C9}-\text{H9}\cdots\text{O1}^i$	0.93	2.56	3.431 (4)	155
$\text{C8}-\text{H8}\cdots\text{S2}^i$	0.93	2.94	3.793 (3)	153
$\text{C12}-\text{H12}\cdots\text{O1}^{ii}$	0.93	2.68	3.466 (4)	143

Symmetry codes: (i) $-x + 3, y + \frac{1}{2}, -z + 2$; (ii) $x - 1, y, z$.

Data collection: *SMART* (Bruker, 2000); cell refinement: *SAINT* (Bruker, 2000); data reduction: *SAINT*; program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXTL* (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXTL*; molecular graphics: *SHELXTL*; software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXTL*.

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S1. Comment

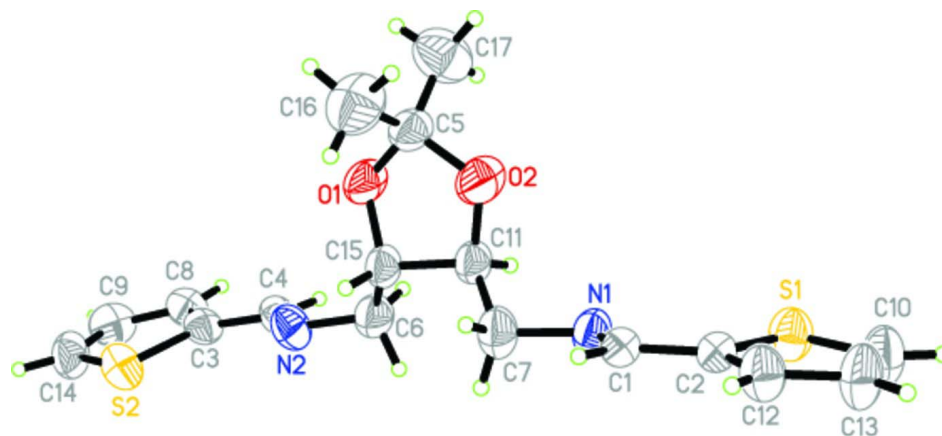
Multidentate and chiral C_2 -symmetric ligands have attracted considerable interest, however, the number of chiral precursors available from nature is seriously limited (Yong, 2001). The *L*-(+)-tartaric acid is a well known chiral pool possessing two useful chiral centers which is an important chiral material in synthesis (Takashi *et al.*, 2011). Herein, we synthesized ((4*S*,5*S*)-2,2-dimethyl-1,3-dioxolane-4,5-diyl)bis(*N*-(thiophen-2-ylmethylene)methanamine) based on *L*-tartaric acid and present the structure of it. The five-membered heterocycle (Fig. 1) adopts envelope conformation, the molecular chirality and configuration are well preserved from *L*-tartaric acid. The dihedral angle between the two thiofuran rings is 17.0 (2)°. Molecules are linked by intermolecular weak hydrogen interactions (C—H···O and C—H···S) and probably C—H··· π interactions which are effective in the stabilization of the crystal structure. Fig. 2 shows the crystal packing of the title compound along the *c* axis.

S2. Experimental

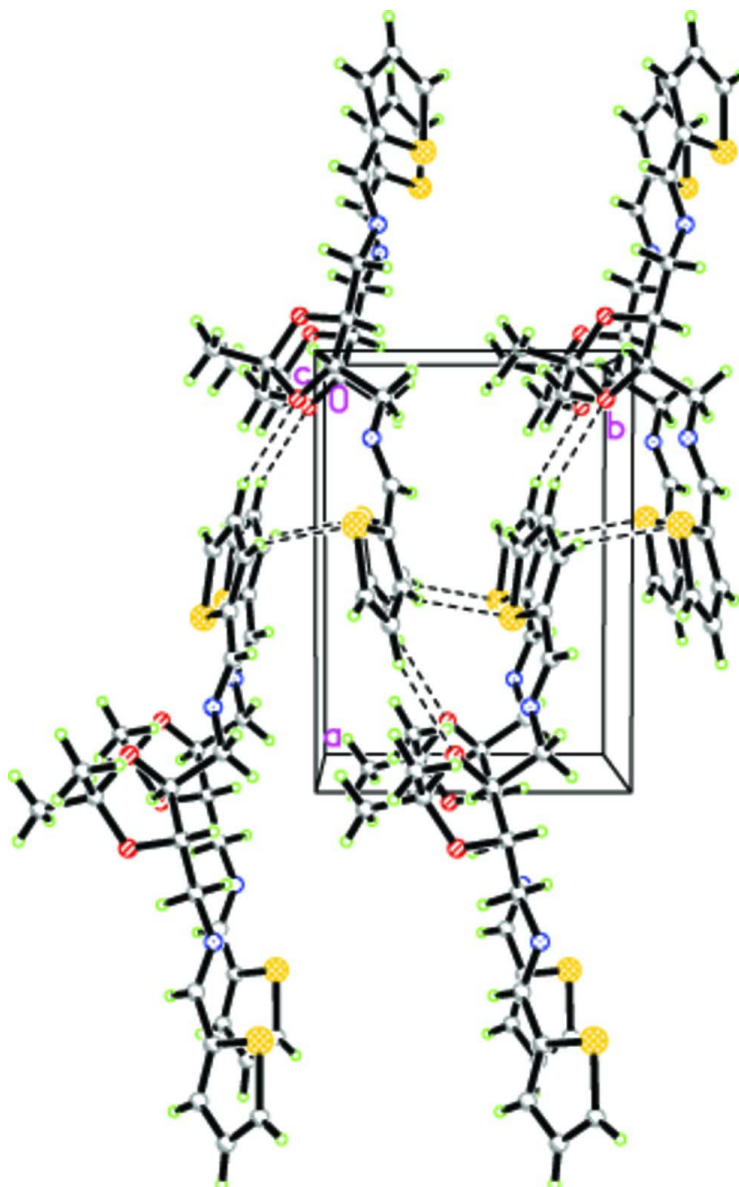
To a solution of 2-thiophenealdehyde (0.9 g, 8.04 mmol) in ethanol (10 ml), ((4*S*,5*S*)-2,2-dimethyl-1,3-dioxolane-4,5-diyl)dimethanamine (0.6 g, 3.75 mmol) dissolved in ethanol (10 ml) was added. The mixture was refluxed for 2 h to complete the reaction and then cooled to room temperature. The compound was recrystallized from ethanol to afford a yellow solid (1 g, 76% yield, m.p. 361.5–363.4 K). Single crystals suitable for X-ray diffraction were also obtained by evaporation of an ethanol solution.

S3. Refinement

All H atoms were placed in geometrically idealized positions and constrained to ride on their parent atoms, with C—H distances of 0.93–0.98 Å, and with $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H}) = 1.2(1.5 \text{ for methyl})U_{\text{eq}}(\text{C})$. As the Flack parameter was not unambiguous the data were refined using TWIN and BASF.

**Figure 1**

The molecular structure of the title compound. Displacement ellipsoids are drawn at the 50% probability level.

**Figure 2**

Crystal packing viewed along the *c* axis. Dashed lines indicate C—H...O and C—H...S interactions.

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Refinement on F^2
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 Primary atom site location: structure-invariant
 direct methods
 Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier
 map

Hydrogen site location: inferred from
 neighbouring sites
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 $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0442P)^2]$
 where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
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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 (\AA^2)

	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>	$U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$
S1	0.51034 (7)	0.34500 (12)	0.54421 (6)	0.0557 (2)
S2	1.38990 (7)	0.13103 (10)	1.18352 (6)	0.0563 (2)
C1	0.5853 (2)	0.1387 (4)	0.7331 (2)	0.0410 (6)
H1	0.5679	0.0569	0.7911	0.049*
C2	0.4830 (2)	0.1972 (4)	0.6549 (2)	0.0401 (6)
N1	0.6976 (2)	0.1954 (3)	0.72485 (19)	0.0479 (6)
C3	1.4097 (2)	0.2230 (4)	1.0493 (2)	0.0437 (6)
O1	1.10405 (16)	-0.0651 (3)	0.77918 (17)	0.0565 (5)
C4	1.3054 (3)	0.2405 (4)	0.9630 (2)	0.0471 (7)
H4	1.3210	0.3027	0.8953	0.056*
N2	1.1964 (2)	0.1774 (4)	0.97401 (19)	0.0530 (6)
C5	1.0211 (3)	-0.1649 (4)	0.7025 (2)	0.0537 (7)
C6	1.1023 (3)	0.2134 (4)	0.8812 (3)	0.0531 (7)
H6A	1.1456	0.2609	0.8151	0.064*
H6B	1.0440	0.3046	0.9069	0.064*

C7	0.7933 (3)	0.1333 (5)	0.8120 (2)	0.0567 (8)
H7A	0.7628	0.0256	0.8487	0.068*
H7B	0.8061	0.2240	0.8715	0.068*
C8	1.5345 (3)	0.2735 (4)	1.0366 (2)	0.0495 (7)
H8	1.5644	0.3257	0.9698	0.059*
C9	1.6117 (3)	0.2371 (5)	1.1363 (3)	0.0608 (8)
H9	1.6984	0.2638	1.1430	0.073*
C10	0.3523 (3)	0.3486 (6)	0.5036 (3)	0.0653 (8)
H10	0.3180	0.4158	0.4419	0.078*
C11	0.9188 (2)	0.0949 (4)	0.7565 (2)	0.0457 (7)
H11	0.9426	0.1971	0.7088	0.055*
O2	0.90851 (19)	-0.0604 (3)	0.6865 (2)	0.0779 (7)
C12	0.3575 (3)	0.1538 (5)	0.6571 (2)	0.0538 (7)
H12	0.3242	0.0739	0.7097	0.065*
C13	0.2831 (3)	0.2434 (5)	0.5706 (3)	0.0670 (9)
H13	0.1949	0.2306	0.5612	0.080*
C14	1.5472 (3)	0.1603 (5)	1.2200 (3)	0.0615 (9)
H14	1.5845	0.1262	1.2912	0.074*
C15	1.0267 (2)	0.0527 (4)	0.8430 (2)	0.0453 (7)
H15	0.9937	-0.0092	0.9105	0.054*
C16	0.9858 (4)	-0.3401 (5)	0.7552 (4)	0.0851 (11)
H16A	0.9536	-0.3199	0.8308	0.128*
H16B	1.0599	-0.4155	0.7617	0.128*
H16C	0.9212	-0.3972	0.7067	0.128*
C17	1.0853 (3)	-0.1869 (6)	0.5889 (3)	0.0855 (12)
H17A	1.0303	-0.2529	0.5358	0.128*
H17B	1.1642	-0.2504	0.6016	0.128*
H17C	1.1022	-0.0712	0.5568	0.128*

Atomic displacement parameters (Å²)

	U^{11}	U^{22}	U^{33}	U^{12}	U^{13}	U^{23}
S1	0.0541 (4)	0.0605 (5)	0.0525 (4)	0.0002 (4)	0.0023 (3)	0.0154 (4)
S2	0.0611 (5)	0.0610 (5)	0.0466 (4)	-0.0102 (4)	-0.0018 (3)	0.0023 (4)
C1	0.0447 (15)	0.0404 (15)	0.0378 (13)	0.0071 (13)	0.0013 (11)	-0.0003 (13)
C2	0.0392 (14)	0.0417 (15)	0.0394 (13)	0.0054 (12)	0.0011 (11)	-0.0008 (12)
N1	0.0394 (13)	0.0531 (16)	0.0507 (13)	0.0081 (11)	-0.0034 (10)	0.0050 (11)
C3	0.0493 (16)	0.0386 (15)	0.0428 (14)	-0.0064 (13)	-0.0028 (12)	-0.0072 (12)
O1	0.0404 (10)	0.0560 (13)	0.0717 (12)	0.0093 (9)	-0.0144 (9)	-0.0117 (11)
C4	0.0574 (18)	0.0430 (16)	0.0401 (14)	-0.0056 (14)	-0.0061 (13)	-0.0031 (13)
N2	0.0486 (13)	0.0649 (18)	0.0445 (12)	-0.0056 (12)	-0.0102 (10)	-0.0034 (12)
C5	0.0486 (15)	0.0469 (17)	0.0646 (17)	0.0053 (15)	-0.0102 (13)	-0.0117 (16)
C6	0.0515 (16)	0.0516 (19)	0.0553 (17)	0.0053 (14)	-0.0082 (14)	-0.0019 (15)
C7	0.0461 (16)	0.072 (2)	0.0519 (16)	0.0054 (16)	-0.0050 (13)	0.0108 (17)
C8	0.0515 (18)	0.0472 (17)	0.0497 (16)	-0.0113 (13)	0.0018 (14)	-0.0049 (14)
C9	0.0450 (16)	0.062 (2)	0.075 (2)	-0.0085 (15)	-0.0073 (16)	-0.0150 (18)
C10	0.0618 (19)	0.077 (2)	0.0566 (17)	0.008 (2)	-0.0081 (15)	0.020 (2)
C11	0.0415 (14)	0.0458 (17)	0.0489 (14)	0.0037 (12)	-0.0092 (12)	-0.0010 (12)

O2	0.0607 (13)	0.0720 (16)	0.0975 (16)	0.0196 (12)	-0.0402 (12)	-0.0357 (14)
C12	0.0469 (15)	0.063 (2)	0.0516 (16)	-0.0044 (15)	0.0005 (13)	0.0115 (16)
C13	0.0433 (17)	0.084 (3)	0.072 (2)	0.0022 (17)	-0.0138 (16)	0.015 (2)
C14	0.0631 (19)	0.061 (2)	0.0581 (18)	0.0014 (17)	-0.0218 (15)	0.0003 (17)
C15	0.0390 (14)	0.0486 (16)	0.0476 (15)	0.0041 (13)	-0.0089 (12)	0.0022 (14)
C16	0.086 (2)	0.061 (2)	0.108 (3)	-0.010 (2)	-0.003 (2)	0.004 (2)
C17	0.073 (2)	0.106 (4)	0.077 (2)	-0.012 (2)	0.0019 (19)	-0.017 (2)

Geometric parameters (Å, °)

S1—C10	1.703 (3)	C7—H7A	0.9700
S1—C2	1.721 (3)	C7—H7B	0.9700
S2—C14	1.699 (3)	C8—C9	1.404 (4)
S2—C3	1.714 (3)	C8—H8	0.9300
C1—N1	1.258 (3)	C9—C14	1.331 (5)
C1—C2	1.440 (3)	C9—H9	0.9300
C1—H1	0.9300	C10—C13	1.337 (5)
C2—C12	1.355 (4)	C10—H10	0.9300
N1—C7	1.466 (3)	C11—O2	1.417 (3)
C3—C8	1.375 (4)	C11—C15	1.510 (3)
C3—C4	1.453 (3)	C11—H11	0.9800
O1—C15	1.422 (3)	C12—C13	1.410 (4)
O1—C5	1.425 (3)	C12—H12	0.9300
C4—N2	1.247 (4)	C13—H13	0.9300
C4—H4	0.9300	C14—H14	0.9300
N2—C6	1.450 (3)	C15—H15	0.9800
C5—O2	1.421 (3)	C16—H16A	0.9600
C5—C16	1.497 (5)	C16—H16B	0.9600
C5—C17	1.505 (4)	C16—H16C	0.9600
C6—C15	1.496 (4)	C17—H17A	0.9600
C6—H6A	0.9700	C17—H17B	0.9600
C6—H6B	0.9700	C17—H17C	0.9600
C7—C11	1.513 (4)		
C10—S1—C2	91.42 (15)	C14—C9—H9	123.7
C14—S2—C3	91.17 (15)	C8—C9—H9	123.7
N1—C1—C2	121.6 (3)	C13—C10—S1	112.0 (2)
N1—C1—H1	119.2	C13—C10—H10	124.0
C2—C1—H1	119.2	S1—C10—H10	124.0
C12—C2—C1	127.8 (3)	O2—C11—C15	104.0 (2)
C12—C2—S1	111.0 (2)	O2—C11—C7	110.4 (2)
C1—C2—S1	121.2 (2)	C15—C11—C7	113.6 (2)
C1—N1—C7	117.2 (2)	O2—C11—H11	109.5
C8—C3—C4	126.4 (3)	C15—C11—H11	109.5
C8—C3—S2	110.9 (2)	C7—C11—H11	109.5
C4—C3—S2	122.6 (2)	C11—O2—C5	109.5 (2)
C15—O1—C5	107.45 (19)	C2—C12—C13	112.4 (3)
N2—C4—C3	124.2 (3)	C2—C12—H12	123.8

N2—C4—H4	117.9	C13—C12—H12	123.8
C3—C4—H4	117.9	C10—C13—C12	113.1 (3)
C4—N2—C6	116.9 (2)	C10—C13—H13	123.5
O2—C5—O1	105.9 (2)	C12—C13—H13	123.5
O2—C5—C16	108.4 (3)	C9—C14—S2	113.0 (2)
O1—C5—C16	111.2 (3)	C9—C14—H14	123.5
O2—C5—C17	110.2 (3)	S2—C14—H14	123.5
O1—C5—C17	108.3 (3)	O1—C15—C6	110.1 (2)
C16—C5—C17	112.6 (3)	O1—C15—C11	102.4 (2)
N2—C6—C15	113.8 (2)	C6—C15—C11	113.5 (2)
N2—C6—H6A	108.8	O1—C15—H15	110.2
C15—C6—H6A	108.8	C6—C15—H15	110.2
N2—C6—H6B	108.8	C11—C15—H15	110.2
C15—C6—H6B	108.8	C5—C16—H16A	109.5
H6A—C6—H6B	107.7	C5—C16—H16B	109.5
N1—C7—C11	110.6 (2)	H16A—C16—H16B	109.5
N1—C7—H7A	109.5	C5—C16—H16C	109.5
C11—C7—H7A	109.5	H16A—C16—H16C	109.5
N1—C7—H7B	109.5	H16B—C16—H16C	109.5
C11—C7—H7B	109.5	C5—C17—H17A	109.5
H7A—C7—H7B	108.1	C5—C17—H17B	109.5
C3—C8—C9	112.2 (3)	H17A—C17—H17B	109.5
C3—C8—H8	123.9	C5—C17—H17C	109.5
C9—C8—H8	123.9	H17A—C17—H17C	109.5
C14—C9—C8	112.7 (3)	H17B—C17—H17C	109.5
N1—C1—C2—C12	-176.7 (3)	N1—C7—C11—C15	172.7 (3)
N1—C1—C2—S1	1.3 (4)	C15—C11—O2—C5	-16.5 (3)
C10—S1—C2—C12	0.7 (3)	C7—C11—O2—C5	-138.8 (3)
C10—S1—C2—C1	-177.6 (2)	O1—C5—O2—C11	-3.2 (3)
C2—C1—N1—C7	177.3 (2)	C16—C5—O2—C11	116.2 (3)
C14—S2—C3—C8	-0.2 (2)	C17—C5—O2—C11	-120.1 (3)
C14—S2—C3—C4	179.2 (3)	C1—C2—C12—C13	176.8 (3)
C8—C3—C4—N2	172.8 (3)	S1—C2—C12—C13	-1.3 (4)
S2—C3—C4—N2	-6.5 (4)	S1—C10—C13—C12	-0.8 (4)
C3—C4—N2—C6	177.7 (3)	C2—C12—C13—C10	1.4 (5)
C15—O1—C5—O2	23.2 (3)	C8—C9—C14—S2	-0.9 (4)
C15—O1—C5—C16	-94.4 (3)	C3—S2—C14—C9	0.6 (3)
C15—O1—C5—C17	141.4 (3)	C5—O1—C15—C6	-153.6 (2)
C4—N2—C6—C15	134.1 (3)	C5—O1—C15—C11	-32.6 (3)
C1—N1—C7—C11	140.1 (3)	N2—C6—C15—O1	-72.7 (3)
C4—C3—C8—C9	-179.6 (3)	N2—C6—C15—C11	173.2 (2)
S2—C3—C8—C9	-0.2 (3)	O2—C11—C15—O1	29.7 (3)
C3—C8—C9—C14	0.7 (4)	C7—C11—C15—O1	149.8 (3)
C2—S1—C10—C13	0.1 (3)	O2—C11—C15—C6	148.3 (2)
N1—C7—C11—O2	-70.8 (3)	C7—C11—C15—C6	-91.5 (3)

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C9—H9 \cdots O1 ⁱ	0.93	2.56	3.431 (4)	155
C8—H8 \cdots S2 ⁱ	0.93	2.94	3.793 (3)	153
C12—H12 \cdots O1 ⁱⁱ	0.93	2.68	3.466 (4)	143

Symmetry codes: (i) $-x+3, y+1/2, -z+2$; (ii) $x-1, y, z$.