

## 3,4,5-Trihydroxybenzohydrazide

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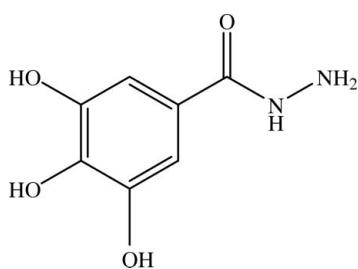
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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study;  $T = 273\text{ K}$ ; mean  $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.002\text{ \AA}$ ;  $R$  factor = 0.034;  $wR$  factor = 0.092; data-to-parameter ratio = 9.0.

In the title compound,  $C_7H_8N_2O_4$ , the dihedral angle between the aromatic ring and the hydrazide grouping is  $21.34(7)^\circ$ . In the crystal, the molecules are linked into a three-dimensional network by  $O-\text{H}\cdots O$ ,  $O-\text{H}\cdots N$  and  $N-\text{H}\cdots O$  hydrogen bonds.

## Related literature

For the biological activity of hydrazides, see: Maqsood *et al.* (2006). For related structures, see: Jamal *et al.* (2009); Saeed *et al.* (2008); Zareef *et al.* (2006).



## Experimental

## Crystal data

$C_7H_8N_2O_4$	$V = 740.65(10)\text{ \AA}^3$
$M_r = 184.15$	$Z = 4$
Monoclinic, $P2_1/c$	Mo $K\alpha$ radiation
$a = 3.7307(3)\text{ \AA}$	$\mu = 0.14\text{ mm}^{-1}$
$b = 22.8402(18)\text{ \AA}$	$T = 273\text{ K}$
$c = 8.7064(7)\text{ \AA}$	$0.28 \times 0.21 \times 0.20\text{ mm}$
$\beta = 93.290(2)^\circ$	

## Data collection

Bruker SMART APEX CCD area-detector diffractometer  
Absorption correction: multi-scan (*SADABS*; Bruker, 2000)  
 $T_{\min} = 0.963$ ,  $T_{\max} = 0.973$

4345 measured reflections  
1352 independent reflections  
1234 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$   
 $R_{\text{int}} = 0.016$

## Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.034$   
 $wR(F^2) = 0.092$   
 $S = 1.09$   
1352 reflections  
150 parameters

H atoms treated by a mixture of independent and constrained refinement  
 $\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.18\text{ e \AA}^{-3}$   
 $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.24\text{ e \AA}^{-3}$

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

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O1—H1A $\cdots$ O2 <sup>i</sup>	0.85 (3)	2.09 (2)	2.8254 (14)	145.0 (19)
N1—H1B $\cdots$ O1 <sup>ii</sup>	0.86 (2)	2.24 (2)	2.9960 (15)	146.2 (16)
O2—H2A $\cdots$ N2 <sup>iii</sup>	0.91 (3)	1.80 (2)	2.6877 (17)	165 (2)
N2—H2B $\cdots$ O3 <sup>iv</sup>	0.88 (2)	2.25 (2)	3.1158 (17)	167.0 (18)
N2—H2C $\cdots$ O4 <sup>v</sup>	0.92 (2)	2.454 (18)	3.2255 (18)	141.8 (15)
O3—H3A $\cdots$ O4 <sup>vi</sup>	0.89 (2)	1.77 (2)	2.6522 (15)	171 (2)

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Data collection: *SMART* (Bruker, 2000); cell refinement: *SAINT* (Bruker, 2000); data reduction: *SAINT*; program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 2008); molecular graphics: *SHELXTL* (Sheldrick, 2008); software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXTL*, *PARST* (Nardelli, 1995) and *PLATON* (Spek, 2009).

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### S1. Comment

In order to further explore the biological significance of hydrazides, we have prepared the title compound (I). It was found to be active against DPPH radical scavenging activity and inactive against all fungal strains (Maqsood *et al.* 2006). The crystal structures of trimethoxybenzohydrazide (Saeed *et al.* 2008, Zareef *et al.* 2006) and *para* hydroxybenzohydrazide (Jamal *et al.* 2009) analogues of (I) have already been reported.

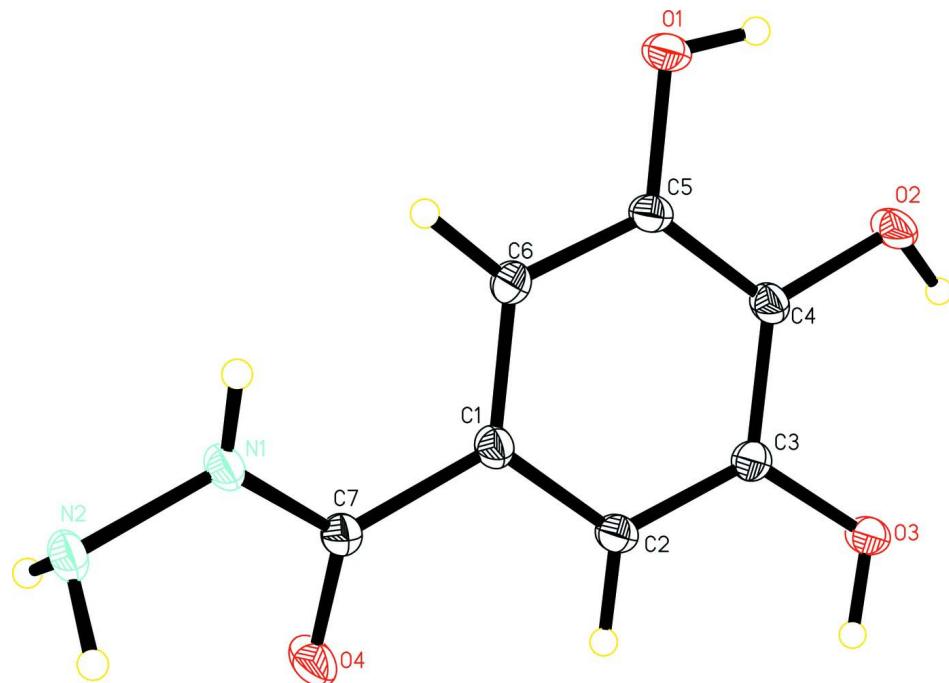
The molecular structure of (I) is composed of a hydrazide moiety attached to the phenyl ring (Fig. 1). The phenyl ring is almost planar with a maximum deviation of 0.009 (1) Å from the least-squares plane. The bond lengths and angles all are in normal range as in other structurally related compounds (Saeed *et al.* 2008; Zareef *et al.*, 2006). In the crystal, the molecules are linked to form three-dimensional molecular network *via* O1—H1A···O2, N1—H1B···O1, O2—H2A···N2, N2—H2B···O3, N2—H2C···O4 and O3—H3A···O4 intermolecular hydrogen bonds (Tab. 1 & Fig. 2).

### S2. Experimental

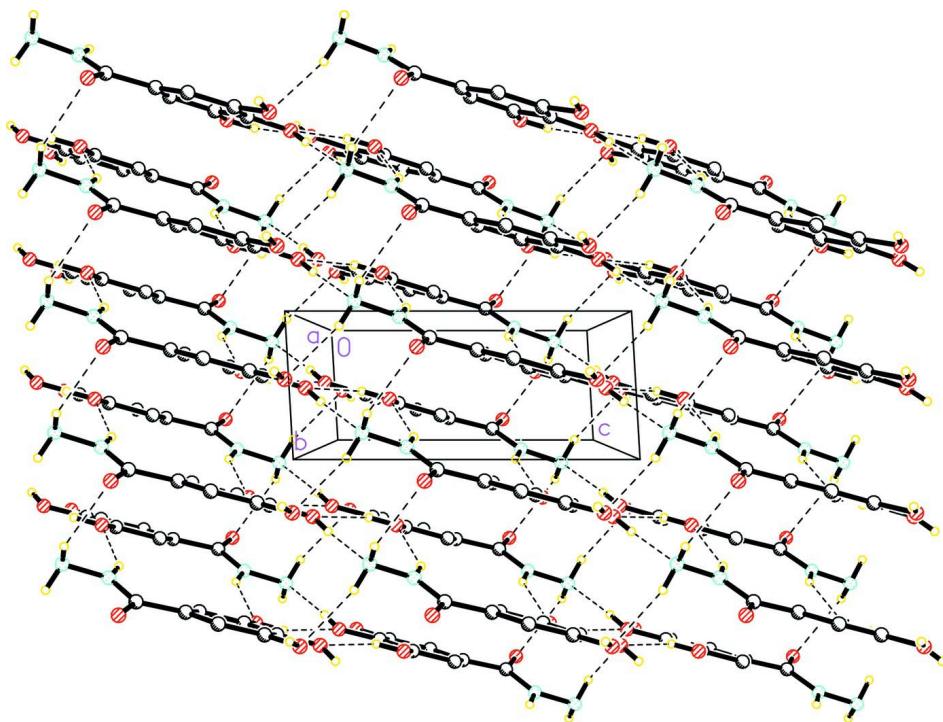
To a solution of methyl-3,4,5-trihydroxybenzoate (3.68 g, 20 mmol) in 75 ml ethanol, hydrazine hydrate (5.0 ml, 100 mmol) was added. The mixture was refluxed for 5 h and a solid was obtained upon removal of the solvent by rotary evaporation. The resulting solid was washed with hexane to afford 3,4,5-trihydroxybenzohydrazide (yield 87%) (Maqsood *et al.*, 2006). Colourless blocks of (I) were grown from a solution of methanol by slow evaporation at room temperature.

### S3. Refinement

The H atoms on the N atoms (N—H= 0.92 (2)–0.86 (19) Å) O atoms (O—H= 0.91 (3)–0.85 (19) Å) and Carbon (C—H= 0.961 (18)–0.955 (17) Å) atoms were located in difference Fourier maps and refined isotropically.

**Figure 1**

The molecular structure of (I) with displacement ellipsoids drawn at 50% probability level.

**Figure 2**

The crystal packing of the title compound I. Only hydrogen atoms involved in hydrogen bonding are shown.

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 $V = 740.65 (10)$  Å<sup>3</sup>  
 $Z = 4$

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 $D_x = 1.651$  Mg m<sup>-3</sup>  
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 $k = -27 \rightarrow 26$   
 $l = -10 \rightarrow 10$

*Refinement*

Refinement on  $F^2$   
Least-squares matrix: full  
 $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.034$   
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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  
H atoms treated by a mixture of independent  
and constrained refinement  
 $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0509P)^2 + 0.2069P]$   
where  $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$   
 $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\max} = 0.001$   
 $\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.18$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>  
 $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.24$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>

*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<sup>2</sup>)*

	$x$	$y$	$z$	$U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$
O1	0.6088 (3)	0.49395 (4)	0.75022 (12)	0.0388 (3)
O2	0.4790 (3)	0.57014 (4)	0.97692 (11)	0.0328 (3)
H2A	0.375 (6)	0.5994 (11)	1.029 (3)	0.069 (7)*

O3	0.5451 (3)	0.68880 (5)	0.93130 (11)	0.0334 (3)
H3A	0.602 (6)	0.7255 (10)	0.907 (2)	0.061 (6)*
O4	0.7876 (3)	0.70585 (5)	0.36218 (12)	0.0402 (3)
N1	1.0268 (3)	0.62028 (5)	0.30646 (13)	0.0270 (3)
H1B	1.100 (5)	0.5854 (9)	0.329 (2)	0.037 (5)*
N2	1.1408 (4)	0.64212 (6)	0.16535 (13)	0.0283 (3)
H2C	1.285 (5)	0.6739 (9)	0.188 (2)	0.041 (5)*
H2B	0.950 (6)	0.6553 (8)	0.112 (2)	0.044 (5)*
C1	0.7698 (4)	0.63145 (6)	0.55422 (14)	0.0224 (3)
C2	0.7029 (4)	0.67156 (6)	0.66914 (15)	0.0250 (3)
H2	0.718 (4)	0.7128 (8)	0.6488 (18)	0.031 (4)*
C3	0.6093 (4)	0.65203 (6)	0.81195 (14)	0.0235 (3)
C4	0.5743 (4)	0.59242 (6)	0.84021 (14)	0.0231 (3)
C5	0.6437 (4)	0.55257 (6)	0.72421 (15)	0.0244 (3)
C6	0.7421 (4)	0.57157 (6)	0.58183 (15)	0.0246 (3)
H6	0.780 (4)	0.5428 (7)	0.5049 (19)	0.030 (4)*
C7	0.8618 (4)	0.65546 (6)	0.40269 (14)	0.0239 (3)
H1A	0.548 (6)	0.4893 (9)	0.842 (3)	0.057 (6)*

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

	$U^{11}$	$U^{22}$	$U^{33}$	$U^{12}$	$U^{13}$	$U^{23}$
O1	0.0733 (9)	0.0179 (5)	0.0271 (6)	0.0005 (5)	0.0199 (5)	0.0016 (4)
O2	0.0557 (7)	0.0214 (5)	0.0230 (5)	0.0030 (5)	0.0173 (5)	0.0034 (4)
O3	0.0602 (8)	0.0190 (5)	0.0227 (5)	-0.0028 (5)	0.0169 (5)	-0.0024 (4)
O4	0.0707 (9)	0.0224 (5)	0.0295 (6)	0.0123 (5)	0.0199 (5)	0.0066 (4)
N1	0.0409 (8)	0.0210 (6)	0.0202 (6)	0.0058 (5)	0.0118 (5)	0.0038 (4)
N2	0.0388 (8)	0.0276 (7)	0.0194 (6)	0.0021 (6)	0.0105 (5)	0.0028 (5)
C1	0.0257 (7)	0.0229 (7)	0.0190 (6)	0.0014 (5)	0.0045 (5)	0.0011 (5)
C2	0.0332 (8)	0.0188 (7)	0.0235 (7)	-0.0002 (6)	0.0063 (5)	0.0012 (5)
C3	0.0291 (8)	0.0211 (7)	0.0209 (6)	0.0002 (5)	0.0061 (5)	-0.0016 (5)
C4	0.0280 (8)	0.0225 (7)	0.0194 (6)	0.0006 (5)	0.0062 (5)	0.0023 (5)
C5	0.0317 (8)	0.0177 (7)	0.0241 (7)	0.0009 (5)	0.0055 (5)	0.0014 (5)
C6	0.0322 (8)	0.0218 (7)	0.0205 (7)	0.0027 (6)	0.0064 (5)	-0.0023 (5)
C7	0.0302 (8)	0.0211 (7)	0.0207 (6)	0.0001 (5)	0.0047 (5)	0.0000 (5)

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

O1—C5	1.3654 (16)	N2—H2B	0.88 (2)
O1—H1A	0.85 (2)	C1—C2	1.3897 (18)
O2—C4	1.3603 (16)	C1—C6	1.3934 (19)
O2—H2A	0.91 (3)	C1—C7	1.4869 (17)
O3—C3	1.3678 (16)	C2—C3	1.3844 (18)
O3—H3A	0.89 (2)	C2—H2	0.961 (18)
O4—C7	1.2306 (17)	C3—C4	1.3912 (19)
N1—C7	1.3363 (18)	C4—C5	1.3946 (19)
N1—N2	1.4139 (15)	C5—C6	1.3828 (19)
N1—H1B	0.860 (19)	C6—H6	0.955 (17)

N2—H2C	0.92 (2)		
C5—O1—H1A	108.1 (14)	O3—C3—C2	123.28 (12)
C4—O2—H2A	107.7 (15)	O3—C3—C4	116.38 (11)
C3—O3—H3A	110.1 (14)	C2—C3—C4	120.35 (12)
C7—N1—N2	120.34 (12)	O2—C4—C3	123.55 (12)
C7—N1—H1B	124.6 (12)	O2—C4—C5	117.28 (12)
N2—N1—H1B	114.4 (12)	C3—C4—C5	119.17 (12)
N1—N2—H2C	107.3 (11)	O1—C5—C6	119.29 (12)
N1—N2—H2B	107.8 (12)	O1—C5—C4	119.76 (12)
H2C—N2—H2B	106.7 (17)	C6—C5—C4	120.95 (12)
C2—C1—C6	120.31 (12)	C5—C6—C1	119.26 (12)
C2—C1—C7	117.11 (12)	C5—C6—H6	118.0 (10)
C6—C1—C7	122.56 (12)	C1—C6—H6	122.7 (10)
C3—C2—C1	119.94 (13)	O4—C7—N1	119.12 (12)
C3—C2—H2	120.1 (9)	O4—C7—C1	122.66 (12)
C1—C2—H2	119.9 (9)	N1—C7—C1	118.21 (12)
C6—C1—C2—C3	0.2 (2)	C3—C4—C5—C6	-0.8 (2)
C7—C1—C2—C3	178.80 (13)	O1—C5—C6—C1	178.56 (13)
C1—C2—C3—O3	178.95 (13)	C4—C5—C6—C1	-0.4 (2)
C1—C2—C3—C4	-1.4 (2)	C2—C1—C6—C5	0.7 (2)
O3—C3—C4—O2	0.5 (2)	C7—C1—C6—C5	-177.85 (13)
C2—C3—C4—O2	-179.16 (13)	N2—N1—C7—O4	5.1 (2)
O3—C3—C4—C5	-178.65 (13)	N2—N1—C7—C1	-175.85 (13)
C2—C3—C4—C5	1.7 (2)	C2—C1—C7—O4	-20.3 (2)
O2—C4—C5—O1	1.0 (2)	C6—C1—C7—O4	158.29 (15)
C3—C4—C5—O1	-179.71 (13)	C2—C1—C7—N1	160.76 (13)
O2—C4—C5—C6	179.99 (13)	C6—C1—C7—N1	-20.7 (2)

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