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## Dimethyl(1,10-phenanthroline- $\kappa^2N,N'$ )-bis(thiocyanato- $\kappa N$ )tin(IV)

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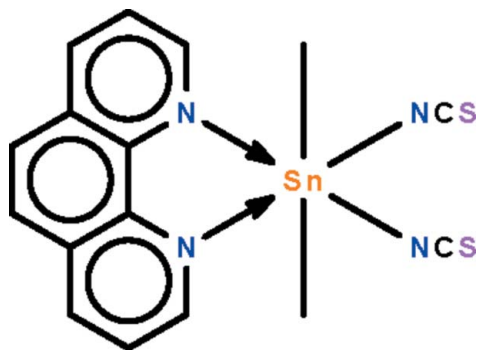
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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study;  $T = 295$  K; mean  $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.010$  Å;  $R$  factor = 0.039;  $wR$  factor = 0.106; data-to-parameter ratio = 20.0.

The Sn<sup>IV</sup> atom in the title compound,  $[\text{Sn}(\text{CH}_3)_2(\text{NCS})_2(\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_8\text{N}_2)]$ , is located on a twofold rotation axis in a distorted octahedral environment. The methyl groups are *trans* to each other [ $\text{C}-\text{Sn}-\text{C} = 175.7(3)^\circ$ ], whereas the thiocyanate groups are *cis* to each other.

### Related literature

For dimethyltin dithiothiocyanate, see: Britton (2006). For the 4,4'-bipyridine adduct, see: Najafi *et al.* (2011).



### Experimental

#### Crystal data

$[\text{Sn}(\text{CH}_3)_2(\text{NCS})_2(\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_8\text{N}_2)]$   
 $M_r = 445.12$   
 Orthorhombic, *Pccn*  
 $a = 6.8218(7)$  Å  
 $b = 12.9272(13)$  Å  
 $c = 20.746(2)$  Å

$V = 1829.5(3)$  Å<sup>3</sup>  
 $Z = 4$   
 Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation  
 $\mu = 1.63$  mm<sup>-1</sup>  
 $T = 295$  K  
 $0.30 \times 0.15 \times 0.05$  mm

#### Data collection

Agilent SuperNova Dual diffractometer with an Atlas detector  
 Absorption correction: multi-scan (*CrysAlis PRO*; Agilent, 2012)  
 $T_{\min} = 0.641$ ,  $T_{\max} = 0.923$

10262 measured reflections  
 1116 independent reflections  
 1368 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$   
 $R_{\text{int}} = 0.055$

#### Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.039$   
 $wR(F^2) = 0.106$   
 $S = 1.01$   
 2116 reflections

106 parameters  
 H-atom parameters constrained  
 $\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.51$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>  
 $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.63$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>

Data collection: *CrysAlis PRO* (Agilent, 2012); cell refinement: *CrysAlis PRO*; data reduction: *CrysAlis PRO*; 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, 2010).

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### S1. Comment

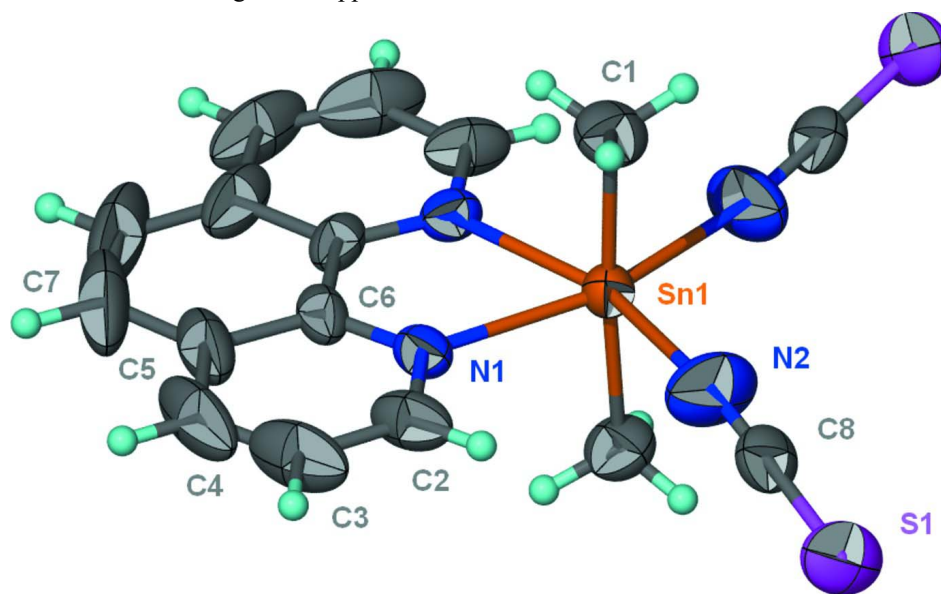
Few amine adducts of dimethyltin dithiocyanate, which exists as a weakly bridged polymeric chain (Britton, 2006), have been reported. The 4,4'-bipyridine adduct is polymeric (Najafi *et al.*, 2011). In the 1,10-phenanthroline adduct (Scheme I, Fig. 1), the Sn<sup>IV</sup> atom is located on a twofold rotation axis in an octahedral environment. The methyl groups are *trans* to each other whereas the thiocyanate groups are *cis* to each other.

### S2. Experimental

Dimethyltin dithiocyanate (0.27 g, 1 mmol) and 1,10-phenanthroline hydrate (0.19 g, 1 mmol) were loaded into a convection tube; the tube was filled with ethyl alcohol and kept at 333 K. Colorless crystals were collected from the side arm after several days.

### S3. Refinement

Carbon-bound H-atoms were placed in calculated positions [C–H 0.93 to 0.96 Å,  $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H})$  1.2 to 1.5  $U_{\text{eq}}(\text{C})$ ] and were included in the refinement in the riding model approximation.



**Figure 1**

Thermal ellipsoid plot (Barbour, 2001) of  $(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{Sn}(\text{NCS})_2(\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_8\text{N}_2)$  at the 50% probability level; hydrogen atoms are drawn as spheres of arbitrary radius.

Dimethyl(1,10-phenanthroline- $\kappa^2N,N'$ )bis(thiocyanato- $\kappa N$ )tin(IV)

## Crystal data

[Sn(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>(NCS)<sub>2</sub>(C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>8</sub>N<sub>2</sub>)] $M_r = 445.12$ Orthorhombic, *Pccn*

Hall symbol: -P 2ab 2ac

 $a = 6.8218$  (7) Å $b = 12.9272$  (13) Å $c = 20.746$  (2) Å $V = 1829.5$  (3) Å<sup>3</sup> $Z = 4$  $F(000) = 880$  $D_x = 1.616$  Mg m<sup>-3</sup>Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation,  $\lambda = 0.71073$  Å

Cell parameters from 1757 reflections

 $\theta = 3.2$ – $27.5^\circ$  $\mu = 1.63$  mm<sup>-1</sup> $T = 295$  K

Prism, colorless

 $0.30 \times 0.15 \times 0.05$  mm

## Data collection

Agilent SuperNova Dual

diffractometer with an Atlas detector

Radiation source: SuperNova (Mo) X-ray

Source

Mirror monochromator

Detector resolution: 10.4041 pixels mm<sup>-1</sup> $\omega$  scan

Absorption correction: multi-scan

(CrysAlis PRO; Agilent, 2012)

 $T_{\min} = 0.641$ ,  $T_{\max} = 0.923$ 

10262 measured reflections

2116 independent reflections

1368 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$  $R_{\text{int}} = 0.055$  $\theta_{\max} = 27.6^\circ$ ,  $\theta_{\min} = 3.2^\circ$  $h = -6 \rightarrow 8$  $k = -16 \rightarrow 16$  $l = -27 \rightarrow 24$ 

## Refinement

Refinement on  $F^2$ 

Least-squares matrix: full

 $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.039$  $wR(F^2) = 0.106$  $S = 1.01$ 

2116 reflections

106 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

 $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0429P)^2 + 0.5974P]$ where  $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$  $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\max} = 0.001$  $\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.51$  e Å<sup>-3</sup> $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.63$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>

Extinction correction: SHELXL97 (Sheldrick,

2008),  $F_c^* = kF_c[1 + 0.001x F_c^2 \lambda^3 / \sin(2\theta)]^{-1/4}$ 

Extinction coefficient: 0.0024 (4)

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

	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>	$U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$
Sn1	0.7500	0.2500	0.243352 (18)	0.04816 (19)
S1	0.3311 (2)	0.45584 (12)	0.09896 (7)	0.0957 (6)
N1	0.5798 (5)	0.3037 (3)	0.33508 (16)	0.0515 (8)
N2	0.5246 (7)	0.3231 (4)	0.1785 (2)	0.1073 (18)
C1	0.5903 (7)	0.1114 (4)	0.2395 (2)	0.0746 (14)
H1A	0.6337	0.0710	0.2034	0.112*
H1B	0.4533	0.1267	0.2349	0.112*
H1C	0.6109	0.0731	0.2786	0.112*
C2	0.4146 (7)	0.3576 (4)	0.3337 (3)	0.0736 (14)
H2	0.3600	0.3748	0.2941	0.088*
C3	0.3208 (10)	0.3891 (5)	0.3898 (4)	0.107 (2)
H3	0.2060	0.4276	0.3875	0.128*

C4	0.3969 (12)	0.3635 (6)	0.4470 (4)	0.115 (3)
H4	0.3327	0.3832	0.4846	0.138*
C5	0.5721 (10)	0.3073 (5)	0.4510 (3)	0.0882 (18)
C6	0.6600 (6)	0.2783 (3)	0.3924 (2)	0.0556 (11)
C7	0.6688 (15)	0.2767 (9)	0.5097 (3)	0.142 (5)
H7	0.6135	0.2956	0.5490	0.170*
C8	0.4443 (7)	0.3778 (4)	0.1449 (2)	0.0644 (12)

*Atomic displacement parameters (Å<sup>2</sup>)*

	$U^{11}$	$U^{22}$	$U^{33}$	$U^{12}$	$U^{13}$	$U^{23}$
Sn1	0.0574 (3)	0.0459 (3)	0.0411 (3)	0.00503 (18)	0.000	0.000
S1	0.1188 (12)	0.0817 (11)	0.0866 (11)	0.0168 (9)	-0.0541 (9)	-0.0028 (8)
N1	0.056 (2)	0.043 (2)	0.055 (2)	0.0032 (17)	0.0090 (16)	-0.0054 (17)
N2	0.127 (4)	0.085 (4)	0.110 (4)	0.010 (3)	-0.058 (3)	0.019 (3)
C1	0.081 (4)	0.065 (3)	0.078 (4)	-0.010 (3)	-0.014 (2)	-0.009 (3)
C2	0.062 (3)	0.054 (3)	0.105 (4)	0.005 (2)	0.023 (3)	-0.010 (3)
C3	0.085 (4)	0.075 (4)	0.161 (7)	-0.002 (3)	0.061 (5)	-0.028 (5)
C4	0.137 (6)	0.096 (5)	0.113 (6)	-0.044 (5)	0.087 (5)	-0.050 (5)
C5	0.123 (5)	0.082 (4)	0.059 (3)	-0.039 (4)	0.038 (3)	-0.022 (3)
C6	0.071 (3)	0.052 (3)	0.044 (2)	-0.021 (2)	0.014 (2)	-0.008 (2)
C7	0.225 (15)	0.156 (12)	0.044 (3)	-0.092 (10)	0.035 (4)	-0.019 (4)
C8	0.071 (3)	0.068 (3)	0.054 (3)	-0.001 (3)	-0.015 (2)	-0.009 (2)

*Geometric parameters (Å, °)*

Sn1—C1	2.098 (5)	C1—H1C	0.9600
Sn1—C1 <sup>i</sup>	2.098 (5)	C2—C3	1.388 (8)
Sn1—N2 <sup>i</sup>	2.251 (4)	C2—H2	0.9300
Sn1—N2	2.251 (4)	C3—C4	1.337 (10)
Sn1—N1	2.335 (3)	C3—H3	0.9300
Sn1—N1 <sup>i</sup>	2.335 (3)	C4—C5	1.401 (9)
S1—C8	1.588 (5)	C4—H4	0.9300
N1—C2	1.326 (5)	C5—C6	1.405 (6)
N1—C6	1.350 (5)	C5—C7	1.442 (9)
N2—C8	1.134 (5)	C6—C6 <sup>i</sup>	1.430 (9)
C1—H1A	0.9600	C7—C7 <sup>i</sup>	1.31 (2)
C1—H1B	0.9600	C7—H7	0.9300
C1—Sn1—C1 <sup>i</sup>	175.7 (3)	Sn1—C1—H1C	109.5
C1—Sn1—N2 <sup>i</sup>	88.48 (19)	H1A—C1—H1C	109.5
C1 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—N2 <sup>i</sup>	88.94 (18)	H1B—C1—H1C	109.5
C1—Sn1—N2	88.94 (18)	N1—C2—C3	121.9 (6)
C1 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—N2	88.48 (19)	N1—C2—H2	119.1
N2 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—N2	106.6 (3)	C3—C2—H2	119.1
C1—Sn1—N1	91.51 (16)	C4—C3—C2	119.5 (7)
C1 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—N1	92.01 (15)	C4—C3—H3	120.2
N2 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—N1	162.09 (16)	C2—C3—H3	120.2

N2—Sn1—N1	91.30 (17)	C3—C4—C5	120.7 (6)
C1—Sn1—N1 <sup>i</sup>	92.01 (15)	C3—C4—H4	119.6
C1 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—N1 <sup>i</sup>	91.51 (16)	C5—C4—H4	119.6
N2 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—N1 <sup>i</sup>	91.30 (17)	C4—C5—C6	116.9 (6)
N2—Sn1—N1 <sup>i</sup>	162.09 (16)	C4—C5—C7	125.6 (6)
N1—Sn1—N1 <sup>i</sup>	70.80 (18)	C6—C5—C7	117.6 (7)
C2—N1—C6	119.4 (4)	N1—C6—C5	121.6 (5)
C2—N1—Sn1	124.2 (3)	N1—C6—C6 <sup>i</sup>	118.2 (2)
C6—N1—Sn1	116.4 (3)	C5—C6—C6 <sup>i</sup>	120.2 (4)
C8—N2—Sn1	163.6 (5)	C7 <sup>i</sup> —C7—C5	122.2 (4)
Sn1—C1—H1A	109.5	C7 <sup>i</sup> —C7—H7	118.9
Sn1—C1—H1B	109.5	C5—C7—H7	118.9
H1A—C1—H1B	109.5	N2—C8—S1	178.8 (5)
C1—Sn1—N1—C2	-89.4 (4)	Sn1—N1—C2—C3	-178.9 (4)
C1 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—N1—C2	88.1 (4)	N1—C2—C3—C4	-0.9 (9)
N2 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—N1—C2	-179.2 (5)	C2—C3—C4—C5	1.4 (10)
N2—Sn1—N1—C2	-0.5 (4)	C3—C4—C5—C6	-1.1 (9)
N1 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—N1—C2	179.0 (4)	C3—C4—C5—C7	179.2 (8)
C1—Sn1—N1—C6	91.6 (3)	C2—N1—C6—C5	0.2 (6)
C1 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—N1—C6	-90.9 (3)	Sn1—N1—C6—C5	179.3 (3)
N2 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—N1—C6	1.8 (6)	C2—N1—C6—C6 <sup>i</sup>	-178.9 (4)
N2—Sn1—N1—C6	-179.5 (3)	Sn1—N1—C6—C6 <sup>i</sup>	0.1 (6)
N1 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—N1—C6	0.0 (2)	C4—C5—C6—N1	0.3 (7)
C1—Sn1—N2—C8	-167.4 (17)	C7—C5—C6—N1	-180.0 (6)
C1 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—N2—C8	9.2 (17)	C4—C5—C6—C6 <sup>i</sup>	179.4 (5)
N2 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—N2—C8	-79.3 (17)	C7—C5—C6—C6 <sup>i</sup>	-0.8 (9)
N1—Sn1—N2—C8	101.1 (17)	C4—C5—C7—C7 <sup>i</sup>	179.3 (13)
N1 <sup>i</sup> —Sn1—N2—C8	99.4 (17)	C6—C5—C7—C7 <sup>i</sup>	-0.5 (19)
C6—N1—C2—C3	0.0 (7)		

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