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from the best plane is 0.014 Å [C(4')]. The angle between the least-squares planes through these moieties is 68°.

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## Crystal Studies of Acridinium Dyes. II. 9-(4-Dimethylamino-2-methylphenyl)-10-methylacridinium Chloride Dihydrate

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**Abstract.**  $C_{23}H_{23}N_2^+ \cdot Cl^- \cdot 2H_2O$ ,  $M_r = 398.9$ , triclinic,  $P\bar{1}$ ,  $a = 9.3079$  (6),  $b = 12.9187$  (9),  $c = 9.1687$  (6) Å,  $\alpha = 107.577$  (10),  $\beta = 91.752$  (7),  $\gamma = 86.121$  (7)°,  $V = 1048.6$  (2) Å<sup>3</sup>,  $Z = 2$ ,  $D_x = 1.26$  g cm<sup>-3</sup>,  $\lambda(Cu K\alpha) = 1.5418$  Å,  $\mu = 16.6$  cm<sup>-1</sup>,  $F(000) = 424$ , room temperature. Final  $R = 0.063$  for 2698 observed reflections. The acridinium group and the phenyl ring are each nearly planar. The angle between the acridinium plane and the phenyl ring is 72°. There are no unusual bond lengths or angles.

**Introduction.** The title compound is the second structure in a series of acridinium dyes [I: Goubitz, Reiss, Heijdenrijk, Jonker & Verhoeven (1989)]. In the structure here presented the phenyl ring is substituted with a methyl and a dimethylamino group.

**Experimental.** A blue-purple plate-shaped crystal (dimensions 0.08 × 0.38 × 0.38 mm approximately)

was used for data collection on an Enraf–Nonius CAD-4 diffractometer with graphite-monochromated Cu  $K\alpha$  radiation and  $\theta$ – $2\theta$  scan. A total of 3963 unique reflections was measured within the range  $-11 \leq h \leq 11$ ,  $-15 \leq k \leq 15$ ,  $0 \leq l \leq 11$ . Of these, 2698 were above the significance level of  $2.5\sigma(I)$ . The maximum value of  $(\sin\theta)/\lambda$  was 0.61 Å<sup>-1</sup>. Two standard reflections (221, 002) were measured hourly, the intensity decrease was 5.1% during the 45 h collecting time. Unit-cell parameters were refined by a least-squares-fitting procedure using 23 reflections with  $70 < 2\theta < 80$ °. Corrections for Lorentz and polarization effects were applied. The structure was determined by direct methods using the program *SIMPEL* (Schenk & Kiers, 1985). From a  $\Delta F$  synthesis the water molecules and the H atoms were derived. Block-diagonal least-squares refinement on  $F$ , anisotropic for the non-H and isotropic for the H atoms, converged to  $R = 0.063$ ,

Table 1. Fractional coordinates of the non-H atoms and equivalent isotropic thermal parameters

	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>	$U_{\text{eq}}$ ( $\text{\AA}^2$ )
Cl	0.9992 (1)	0.14324 (10)	0.2657 (1)	0.0658 (6)
C(1)	0.3671 (4)	0.1659 (3)	0.3973 (4)	0.045 (2)
C(2)	0.4040 (4)	0.1061 (3)	0.2537 (4)	0.057 (2)
C(3)	0.5415 (5)	0.0512 (4)	0.2274 (4)	0.062 (2)
C(4)	0.6361 (4)	0.0530 (3)	0.3429 (4)	0.052 (2)
C(5)	0.7455 (4)	0.1617 (3)	0.8871 (5)	0.057 (2)
C(6)	0.7086 (5)	0.2159 (4)	1.0320 (5)	0.069 (3)
C(7)	0.5792 (5)	0.2798 (4)	1.0648 (5)	0.070 (3)
C(8)	0.4882 (4)	0.2864 (3)	0.9487 (4)	0.054 (2)
C(9)	0.4264 (3)	0.2341 (4)	0.6730 (4)	0.038 (2)
C(11)	0.8404 (4)	0.0638 (4)	0.5816 (5)	0.063 (3)
N(10)	0.6926 (3)	0.1153 (2)	0.6144 (3)	0.042 (2)
C(4a)	0.5997 (3)	0.1135 (3)	0.4941 (4)	0.040 (2)
C(8a)	0.5202 (4)	0.2293 (3)	0.7946 (4)	0.041 (2)
C(9a)	0.4624 (3)	0.1723 (3)	0.5242 (4)	0.037 (2)
C(10a)	0.6553 (4)	0.1676 (3)	0.7618 (4)	0.042 (2)
O(1s)	0.7691 (4)	0.3163 (3)	0.4694 (5)	0.092 (3)
O(2s)	0.1324 (5)	0.0766 (3)	0.9313 (5)	0.099 (3)
C(1')	0.2881 (3)	0.3028 (3)	0.7034 (4)	0.039 (2)
C(2')	0.2705 (3)	0.3981 (3)	0.6628 (4)	0.042 (2)
C(3')	0.1400 (4)	0.4600 (3)	0.6909 (4)	0.045 (2)
C(4')	0.0239 (4)	0.4274 (3)	0.7553 (4)	0.044 (2)
C(5')	0.0444 (4)	0.3320 (3)	0.7973 (4)	0.047 (2)
C(6')	0.1745 (4)	0.2711 (3)	0.7722 (4)	0.046 (2)
C(7')	0.3910 (5)	0.4384 (4)	0.5908 (6)	0.065 (3)
C(9')	-0.1168 (5)	0.5960 (4)	0.7616 (6)	0.071 (3)
C(10')	-0.2197 (4)	0.4607 (4)	0.8605 (5)	0.064 (2)
N(8')	-0.1087 (3)	0.4863 (3)	0.7729 (4)	0.061 (2)

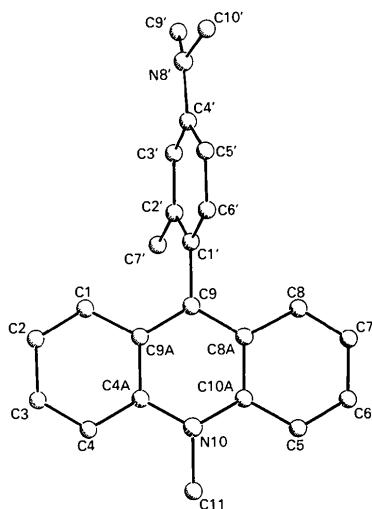


Fig. 1. Structure of  $[\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{23}\text{N}_2]^+$  showing the numbering scheme.

$wR = 0.082$ ,  $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\text{max}} = 0.45$ . A weighting scheme  $w = (5.04 + F_{\text{iso}} + 0.081F_{\text{obs}}^2)^{-1}$  was used. The isotropic secondary-extinction coefficient refined to  $2.6(6) \times 10^{-4}$  (Zachariasen, 1968). An empirical absorption correction was applied, with corrections in the range 0.44–1.63 (DIFABS; Walker & Stuart, 1983). A final difference Fourier map revealed a residual electron density between -0.2 and 0.5 e  $\text{\AA}^{-3}$ . Scattering factors were taken from Cromer & Mann

Table 2. Bond lengths ( $\text{\AA}$ ) and bond angles ( $^\circ$ )

C(1)—C(2)	1.351 (5)	N(10)—C(4a)	1.376 (4)
C(1)—C(9a)	1.427 (5)	N(10)—C(10a)	1.360 (4)
C(2)—C(3)	1.411 (6)	C(4a)—C(9a)	1.432 (4)
C(3)—C(4)	1.352 (6)	C(8a)—C(10a)	1.432 (5)
C(4)—C(4a)	1.409 (5)	C(1')—C(2')	1.388 (5)
C(5)—C(6)	1.344 (6)	C(1')—C(6')	1.392 (5)
C(5)—C(10a)	1.420 (6)	C(2')—C(3')	1.394 (5)
C(6)—C(7)	1.400 (7)	C(2')—C(7')	1.515 (6)
C(7)—C(8)	1.359 (6)	C(3')—C(4')	1.394 (5)
C(8)—C(8a)	1.413 (5)	C(4')—C(5')	1.398 (6)
C(9)—C(8a)	1.409 (5)	C(4')—N(8')	1.393 (5)
C(9)—C(9a)	1.395 (4)	C(5')—C(6')	1.385 (5)
C(9)—C(1')	1.497 (4)	C(9')—N(8')	1.449 (7)
C(11)—N(10)	1.485 (5)	C(10')—N(8')	1.442 (6)
C(2)—C(1)—C(9a)	121.5 (3)	C(1)—C(9a)—C(9)	122.3 (3)
C(1)—C(2)—C(3)	119.4 (4)	C(1)—C(9a)—C(4a)	117.6 (3)
C(2)—C(3)—C(4)	121.9 (3)	C(9)—C(9a)—C(4a)	120.1 (3)
C(3)—C(4)—C(4a)	119.8 (3)	C(5)—C(10a)—N(10)	122.0 (3)
C(6)—C(5)—C(10a)	121.3 (4)	C(5)—C(10a)—C(8a)	117.9 (3)
C(5)—C(6)—C(7)	121.1 (4)	N(10)—C(10a)—C(8a)	120.0 (3)
C(6)—C(7)—C(8)	119.7 (4)	C(9)—C(1')—C(2')	120.9 (3)
C(7)—C(8)—C(8a)	121.6 (4)	C(9)—C(1')—C(6')	120.1 (3)
C(8a)—C(9)—C(9a)	119.2 (3)	C(2')—C(1')—C(6')	119.1 (3)
C(8a)—C(9)—C(1')	120.4 (3)	C(1')—C(2')—C(3')	119.7 (3)
C(9a)—C(9)—C(1')	120.3 (3)	C(1')—C(2')—C(7')	121.7 (3)
C(11)—N(10)—C(4a)	119.0 (3)	C(3')—C(2')—C(7')	118.6 (4)
C(11)—N(10)—C(10a)	119.1 (3)	C(2')—C(3')—C(4')	121.8 (4)
C(4a)—N(10)—C(10a)	121.8 (3)	C(3')—C(4')—C(5')	117.6 (3)
C(4)—C(4a)—N(10)	121.2 (3)	C(3')—C(4')—N(8')	121.0 (4)
C(4)—C(4a)—C(9a)	119.7 (3)	C(5')—C(4')—N(8')	121.4 (4)
N(10)—C(4a)—C(9a)	119.1 (3)	C(4')—C(5')—C(6')	120.9 (4)
C(8)—C(8a)—C(9)	122.4 (3)	C(1')—C(5')—C(5')	120.9 (4)
C(8)—C(8a)—C(10a)	118.3 (3)	C(4')—N(8')—C(9')	119.2 (4)
C(9)—C(8a)—C(10a)	119.3 (3)	C(4')—N(8')—C(10')	119.7 (4)
C(9)—N(8')—C(10')		C(9')—N(8')—C(10')	116.3 (3)

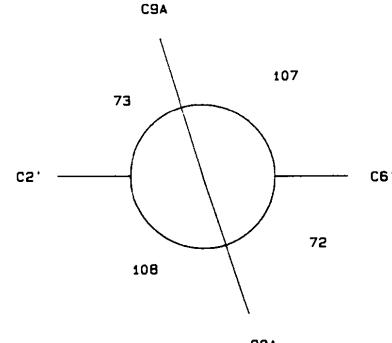


Fig. 2. The Newman projection along the C(9)—C(1') bond.

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**Discussion.** Final positional parameters for the non-H atoms are listed in Table 1, bond lengths and bond angles in Table 2. A *PLUTO* (Motherwell & Clegg, 1978) drawing of the molecule is given in Fig. 1 and the Newman projection along the C(9)—C(1') bond in Fig. 2. A least-squares plane through the acridinium atoms shows that the maximum distance from the plane is 0.095 Å [C(2)]. N(10) lies 0.085, C(6) 0.085 and C(9) 0.078 Å from the plane, all other distances are less than 0.061 Å. The phenyl ring is planar {max. distance from the best plane is 0.014 Å [C(3')]. The angle between the two planes is 72°.

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### Crystal Studies of Acridinium Dyes. III. 10-Methyl-9-(2-methylphenyl)acridinium Perchlorate

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**Abstract.**  $C_{21}H_{18}N^+ \cdot ClO_4^-$ ,  $M_r = 383.8$ , monoclinic,  $P2_1/a$ ,  $a = 14.738 (2)$ ,  $b = 11.866 (2)$ ,  $c = 11.041 (2)$  Å,  $\beta = 105.75 (2)^\circ$ ,  $V = 1858.4 (6)$  Å<sup>3</sup>,  $Z = 4$ ,  $D_x = 1.37$  g cm<sup>-3</sup>,  $\lambda(Mo\text{ }K\alpha) = 0.71069$  Å,  $\mu = 2.28$  cm<sup>-1</sup>,  $F(000) = 800$ , room temperature. Final  $R = 0.066$  for 1830 observed reflections. The acridinium group and phenyl ring are each nearly planar. The angle between the acridinium plane and the phenyl ring is 76°. There are no unusual bond lengths or angles.

**Introduction.** The title compound is the third structure in a series of acridinium dyes [I: Goubitz, Reiss, Heijdenrijk, Jonker & Verhoeven (1989); II: Reiss, Goubitz & Heijdenrijk (1989)]. In the structure here presented the phenyl ring is substituted with a methyl group.

**Experimental.** A bright-yellow cubic-shaped crystal (dimensions 0.30 × 0.30 × 0.30 mm approximately) was used for data collection on an Enraf-Nonius CAD-4 diffractometer with graphite-monochromated Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation and  $\theta-2\theta$  scan. A total of 3862 reflections was measured within the range  $-18 \leq h \leq 18$ ,  $0 \leq k \leq 14$ ,  $0 \leq l \leq 13$ . Of these, 1830 were above the significance level of  $2.5\sigma(I)$ . The maximum value of  $(sin\theta)/\lambda$  was 0.61 Å<sup>-1</sup>. Two standard reflections (021, 201) were measured hourly, the

- intensity decrease was 4.6% during 43 h collection time. Unit-cell parameters were refined by a least-squares method. The final  $R = 0.066$ .
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intensity decrease was 4.6% during 43 h collection time. Unit-cell parameters were refined by a least-squares method. The final  $R = 0.066$ .

Table 1. Fractional coordinates of the non-H atoms and equivalent isotropic thermal parameters

	$x$	$y$	$z$	$U_{eq}$ (Å <sup>2</sup> )
Cl	0.3611 (1)	0.7971 (1)	0.3894 (1)	0.0694 (9)
C(1)	0.3063 (4)	1.2380 (5)	0.2828 (5)	0.058 (3)
C(2)	0.3859 (4)	1.2725 (5)	0.3670 (5)	0.067 (4)
C(3)	0.3850 (4)	1.3793 (6)	0.4258 (5)	0.075 (4)
C(4)	0.3084 (4)	1.4443 (5)	0.4021 (5)	0.066 (4)
C(5)	-0.0238 (4)	1.5021 (5)	0.1840 (6)	0.069 (4)
C(6)	-0.1019 (4)	1.4693 (5)	0.0957 (6)	0.076 (4)
C(7)	-0.1028 (4)	1.3710 (6)	0.0247 (6)	0.070 (4)
C(8)	-0.0242 (4)	1.3064 (5)	0.0464 (5)	0.056 (3)
C(9)	-0.1404 (3)	1.2693 (4)	0.1629 (4)	0.045 (3)
C(11)	0.1404 (5)	1.5751 (6)	0.3677 (7)	0.086 (5)
N(10)	0.1421 (3)	1.4700 (3)	0.2954 (4)	0.054 (3)
O(1)	0.2812 (5)	0.7775 (7)	0.2859 (6)	0.156 (6)
O(2)	0.4387 (4)	0.7579 (5)	0.3481 (5)	0.113 (4)
O(3)	0.3764 (8)	0.9076 (6)	0.4172 (10)	0.214 (9)
O(4)	0.3512 (6)	0.7408 (6)	0.4935 (6)	0.146 (6)
C(4a)	0.2235 (4)	1.4080 (4)	0.3175 (4)	0.051 (3)
C(8a)	0.0594 (3)	1.3358 (4)	0.1389 (4)	0.047 (3)
C(9a)	0.2225 (3)	1.3025 (4)	0.2535 (4)	0.048 (3)
C(10a)	0.0605 (4)	1.4382 (4)	0.2086 (5)	0.050 (3)
C(1')	0.1395 (3)	1.1614 (4)	0.0911 (4)	0.045 (3)
C(2')	0.1335 (4)	1.0567 (4)	0.1447 (5)	0.052 (3)
C(3')	0.1358 (4)	0.9610 (5)	0.0716 (5)	0.063 (3)
C(4')	0.1390 (4)	0.9692 (5)	-0.0508 (5)	0.065 (4)
C(5')	0.1422 (4)	1.0713 (5)	-0.1052 (5)	0.065 (4)
C(6')	0.1429 (4)	1.1696 (5)	-0.0349 (5)	0.055 (3)
C(7')	0.1245 (5)	1.0448 (6)	0.2755 (6)	0.079 (4)