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### 3-Benzyl-5-(2-fluorobenzylidene)-imidazolidine-2,4-dione

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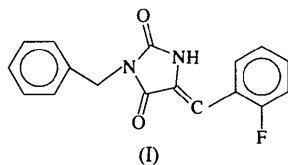
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#### Abstract

The title compound, C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>13</sub>FN<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>, has a dihedral angle of 160.5(1)° between the fluorobenzylidene and the imidazolidinedione rings with an angle of 109.3(1)° between the latter ring and the benzyl ring. The molecules are linked by an N—H···O hydrogen bond [N···O 2.852(3) Å].

#### Comment

The title compound, (I), belongs to a class of imidazolidine and thiazolidine derivatives that show different pharmacological activities including antibacterial, antifungal and insecticidal activity (Labouta, Salama, Eshba, Kader & El-Chrbini, 1987). As the knowledge of its stereochemistry may aid the understanding of its pharmacological behaviour, a crystal structure determination of (I) was undertaken.



The benzyl, imidazolidinedione and fluorobenzylidene rings are planar within experimental accuracy, as shown by the values of  $\sigma_{av}$  [defined as  $(\sum d_i^2/N - 3)^{1/2}$ ] which are 0.004, 0.010 and 0.004 Å, respectively.

The dihedral angle between the fluorobenzylidene and the imidazolidinedione rings is 160.5(1)° and that between the latter ring and the benzyl ring is 109.3(1)°. The exocyclic angles around N1 are greater than the endocyclic angle; however, the sum of the valency angles around N1 is 359.9°, indicating no significant

pyramidalization of this atom. The overall geometry of the five-membered ring is in good agreement, to within experimental accuracy, with that found in the literature (De Bondt, Blaton, Peeters & De Ranter, 1994; Bruno *et al.*, 1994; Olszak, Peeters, Blaton & De Ranter, 1994*a,b*).

The molecules are linked by a hydrogen bond [N2···O1<sup>i</sup> = 2.852(3), HN2···O1<sup>i</sup> = 1.94, N2—HN2 = 0.95 Å, N2—HN2···O1<sup>i</sup> = 162°; (i) = 1 - x, -y, 1 - z].

A ZORTEP (Zsolnai, 1995) illustration of the formula unit is presented in Fig. 1.

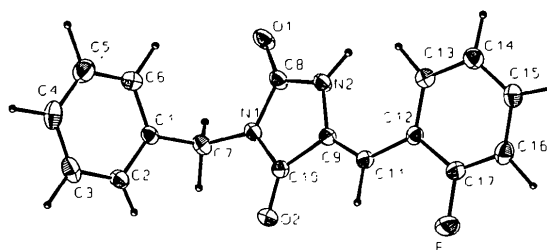


Fig. 1. Projection of C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>13</sub>FN<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> showing the atom labelling with 50% probability displacement ellipsoids for non-H atoms. H atoms are of an arbitrary size.

#### Experimental

The synthesis of the title compound has been reported elsewhere (Amorim *et al.*, 1992).

##### Crystal data

C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>13</sub>FN<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>  
*M<sub>r</sub>* = 296.30  
 Monoclinic  
*P*2<sub>1</sub>/*c*  
*a* = 13.102(2) Å  
*b* = 7.077(2) Å  
*c* = 16.233(2) Å  
 $\beta$  = 109.31(2)°  
*V* = 1420.5(5) Å<sup>3</sup>  
*Z* = 4  
*D<sub>x</sub>* = 1.386 Mg m<sup>-3</sup>  
*D<sub>m</sub>* not measured

##### Data collection

Enraf–Nonius CAD-4  
 diffractometer  
 $\omega/2\theta$  scans  
 Absorption correction:  
 none  
 2618 measured reflections  
 2500 independent reflections  
 1748 observed reflections  
 [*I* > 2 $\sigma$ (*I*)]

Mo *K* $\alpha$  radiation  
 $\lambda$  = 0.71073 Å  
 Cell parameters from 25  
 reflections  
 $\theta$  = 8.25–24.00°  
 $\mu$  = 0.101 mm<sup>-1</sup>  
*T* = 293(2) K  
 Irregular  
 0.45 × 0.25 × 0.15 mm  
 Colourless

*R*<sub>int</sub> = 0.0104  
 $\theta_{max}$  = 24.97°  
*h* = 0 → 15  
*k* = 0 → 9  
*l* = -19 → 19  
 2 standard reflections  
 frequency: 120 min  
 intensity decay: 0.7%

## Refinement

Refinement on $F^2$	$\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.338 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$
$R(F) = 0.0562$	$\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.233 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$
$wR(F^2) = 0.1387$	Extinction correction:
$S = 1.110$	<i>SHELXL93</i> (Sheldrick, 1993)
2500 reflections	Extinction coefficient:
201 parameters	0.050 (5)
H atoms riding, with one common $U = 0.085 (3) \text{ \AA}^2$	Atomic scattering factors from <i>International Tables for Crystallography</i> (1992, Vol. C, Tables 4.2.6.8 and 6.1.1.4)
$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0716P)^2 + 0.5960P]$	
where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$	
$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\max} < 0.001$	

Table 1. Fractional atomic coordinates and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2$ )
$$U_{\text{eq}} = (1/3)\sum_i\sum_j U_{ij}a_i^*a_j^* \mathbf{a}_i \cdot \mathbf{a}_j.$$

	x	y	z	$U_{\text{eq}}$
F	0.5492 (2)	0.0574 (4)	0.10106 (12)	0.1100 (9)
O1	0.6346 (2)	-0.0005 (4)	0.57096 (13)	0.0799 (8)
O2	0.8216 (2)	0.1232 (3)	0.38575 (13)	0.0706 (6)
N1	0.7531 (2)	0.0640 (3)	0.49662 (14)	0.0522 (6)
N2	0.5782 (2)	0.0575 (3)	0.42271 (14)	0.0553 (6)
C1	0.8854 (2)	0.2551 (4)	0.6084 (2)	0.0485 (7)
C2	0.9683 (2)	0.3531 (5)	0.5941 (2)	0.0642 (8)
C3	0.9966 (3)	0.5317 (5)	0.6298 (2)	0.0777 (10)
C4	0.9420 (3)	0.6100 (5)	0.6808 (2)	0.0773 (10)
C5	0.8589 (3)	0.5118 (6)	0.6947 (2)	0.0844 (11)
C6	0.8309 (3)	0.3358 (5)	0.6587 (2)	0.0706 (9)
C7	0.8539 (2)	0.0612 (4)	0.5709 (2)	0.0582 (7)
C8	0.6524 (2)	0.0364 (4)	0.5038 (2)	0.0557 (7)
C9	0.6284 (2)	0.0928 (4)	0.3609 (2)	0.0492 (7)
C10	0.7456 (2)	0.0976 (4)	0.4114 (2)	0.0512 (7)
C11	0.5902 (2)	0.1134 (4)	0.2748 (2)	0.0522 (7)
C12	0.4797 (2)	0.1054 (4)	0.2147 (2)	0.0503 (7)
C13	0.3872 (2)	0.1248 (4)	0.2381 (2)	0.0584 (7)
C14	0.2851 (2)	0.1156 (5)	0.1769 (2)	0.0675 (8)
C15	0.2720 (3)	0.0865 (5)	0.0902 (2)	0.0681 (8)
C16	0.3614 (3)	0.0681 (5)	0.0640 (2)	0.0710 (9)
C17	0.4615 (2)	0.0771 (4)	0.1266 (2)	0.0622 (8)

Table 2. Selected geometric parameters ( $\text{\AA}$ ,  $^\circ$ )

F—C17	1.351 (3)	N2—C8	1.362 (3)
O1—C8	1.216 (3)	N2—C9	1.392 (3)
O2—C10	1.214 (3)	C1—C7	1.503 (4)
N1—C10	1.374 (3)	C9—C11	1.327 (4)
N1—C8	1.375 (3)	C9—C10	1.483 (4)
N1—C7	1.465 (3)	C11—C12	1.455 (4)
C10—N1—C8	111.0 (2)	C11—C9—C10	122.7 (2)
C10—N1—C7	125.1 (2)	N2—C9—C10	104.8 (2)
C8—N1—C7	123.8 (2)	O2—C10—N1	125.3 (3)
C8—N2—C9	111.1 (2)	O2—C10—C9	129.1 (3)
N1—C7—C1	111.9 (2)	N1—C10—C9	105.6 (2)
O1—C8—N2	127.0 (2)	C9—C11—C12	130.3 (2)
O1—C8—N1	125.4 (3)	F—C17—C16	118.1 (3)
N2—C8—N1	107.5 (2)	F—C17—C12	117.3 (3)
C11—C9—N2	132.5 (2)	C16—C17—C12	124.6 (3)

Data collection: *CAD-4 Software* (Enraf-Nonius, 1989). Cell refinement: *CAD-4 Software*. Data reduction: *CAD-4 Software*. Program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS86* (Sheldrick, 1985). Program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL93* (Sheldrick, 1993). Molecular graphics: *ZORTEP* (Zsolnai, 1995).

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**(Z)-1-(Dichloro-*p*-methoxyphenyltelluro)-1-phenyl-2-thiophenylethene**

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## Abstract

The Te<sup>IV</sup> atom in the title compound, C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>18</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>OSTe, is in a trigonal bipyramidal configuration with the lone pair of electrons occupying one of the equatorial positions. Distances and angles are: Te—Cl 2.5140 (10) and 2.5012 (10), Te—C 2.127 (3) and 2.121 (4)  $\text{\AA}$  (aryl); Cl—Te—Cl 173.07 (4), Cl—Te—C 90.96 (10), 87.71 (9), 90.09 (10) and 85.36 (9), C—Te—C 99.92 (13) $^\circ$ .