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Key indicators

Single-crystal X-ray study T = 173 K Mean σ (C–C) = 0.003 Å R factor = 0.045 wR factor = 0.152 Data-to-parameter ratio = 17.7

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6,7-Dimethyl-5-phenyl-1*H*-thieno[2,3-e]-[1,4]diazepin-2(3*H*)-one

In the title molecule, $C_{15}H_{14}N_2OS$, the seven-membered ring adopts a boat conformation. The carbonyl, imine and phenyl groups lie to one side of the molecule, and the thienyl ring and methylene group to the other.

Comment

Compounds related to the title compound, (I), are known to enhance agonist binding to the A_1 adenosine receptor (Tranberg *et al.*, 2001). In this context, the conformation of the seven-membered ring is of some interest as this determines the conformation of the N atoms which, in turn, influences activity.



The structure of (I) is shown in Fig. 1 from which it can be seen that the seven-membered ring adopts a boat conformation. In this description, the N1, N4, C2 and C5 atoms are essentially coplanar, so that the N1–H, C2=O2 and phenyl groups lie to one side of the molecule, and the thienyl ring and methylene group to the other. Centrosymmetrically related pairs of molecules associate *via* hydrogen bonding between the amide groups: N1–H1 0.88 Å, H1···O2ⁱ 1.95 Å, N1···O2ⁱ 2.824 (3) Å and N1–H1···O2ⁱ 173° [symmetry code: (i) 2 - x, -y, -z]. Interactions of the type C–H··· π also operate in the structure such that C3–H3b··· Cg^{ii} is 2.62 Å (*Cg* is the centroid of the thienyl ring), with the angle subtended at H3b being 162° [symmetry code: (ii) x, $\frac{1}{2} - y$, $-\frac{1}{2} + z$].

Experimental

Dry ammonia gas was introduced with ice cooling, to a solution of *N*-(3-benzoyl-4,5-dimethyl-thiophen-2-yl)-2-iodoacetamide (3.2 g, 8.0 mmol) in CHCl₃ (dry, 10 ml) and methanol (dry, 1 ml) over a period of 40 min. The mixture was then stirred at room temperature for a further 5 h. After this time, ice and water were added. The organic phase was washed with NaHCO₃ solution (saturated, 10 ml), H₂O (3 × 10 ml) and dried with MgSO₄. Subsequent removal of solvent under reduced pressure gave 2.024 g of crude product which was purified with silica chromatography. Hexane–ethyl acetate (1:1) as eluent gave the product (1.158 g, 53%) which was recrystallized from ethyl acetate to give clear crystals, m.p. (decomposition) 511–

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514 K. ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 1.50 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.24 (s, 3H, CH₃), 3.80 (d, 1H, CH₂), 4.50 (d, 1H, CH₂), 7.39–7.45 (m, 5H, C₆H₅), 11.03 (br, s, 1H, NH). ¹³C NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 12.43, 14.09, 57.85, 125.02, 125.94, 128.26, 128.34, 128.98, 129.93, 138.48, 142.48, 166.36, 168.29.

Crystal data

 $\begin{array}{l} C_{15}H_{14}N_2OS\\ M_r = 270.34\\ Orthorhombic, Pbca\\ a = 34.115 (6) Å\\ b = 10.4377 (17) Å\\ c = 7.484 (3) Å\\ V = 2664.7 (13) Å^3\\ Z = 8\\ D_x = 1.348 \ {\rm Mg \ m^{-3}} \end{array}$

Data collection

Rigaku AFC-7*R* diffractometer ω scans 5860 measured reflections 3057 independent reflections 2084 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$ $R_{int} = 0.030$ $\theta_{max} = 27.5^{\circ}$

Refinement

Refinement on F^2 $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.045$ $wR(F^2) = 0.152$ S = 1.023057 reflections 173 parameters Mo $K\alpha$ radiation Cell parameters from 24 reflections $\theta = 7.4-10.3^{\circ}$ $\mu = 0.24 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ T = 173 (2) K Block, colourless $0.50 \times 0.31 \times 0.18 \text{ mm}$

 $h = 0 \rightarrow 44$ $k = -13 \rightarrow 10$ $l = -8 \rightarrow 9$ 3 standard reflections every 400 reflections intensity decay: 0.6%

H-atom parameters constrained $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.1P)^2]$ where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$ $(\Delta/\sigma)_{max} = 0.002$ $\Delta\rho_{max} = 0.40 \text{ e} \text{ Å}^{-3}$ $\Delta\rho_{min} = -0.25 \text{ e} \text{ Å}^{-3}$



Figure 1

The molecular structure and crystallographic numbering scheme for (I). Displacement ellipsoids are shown at the 50% probability level (*ORTEPII*; Johnson, 1976).

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