

Ethyl 4-*tert*-butyl-2-(3-phenylureido)-1,3-thiazole-5-carboxylateDaniel E. Lynch<sup>a\*</sup> and Ian McClenaghan<sup>b</sup><sup>a</sup>School of Science and the Environment, Coventry University, Coventry CV1 5FB, England, and <sup>b</sup>Key Organics Ltd, Highfield Industrial Estate, Camelford, Cornwall PL32 9QZ, England

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## Key indicators

Single-crystal X-ray study

T = 120 K

Mean  $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.006 \text{ \AA}$ 

R factor = 0.050

wR factor = 0.136

Data-to-parameter ratio = 12.5

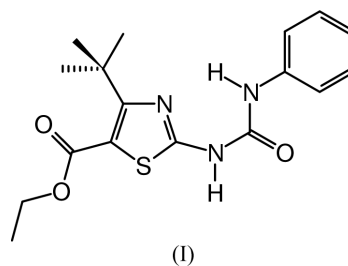
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The structure of the title compound,  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{21}\text{N}_3\text{O}_3\text{S}$ , (I), comprises an essentially flat molecule with a dihedral angle of  $25.7(2)^\circ$  between the thiazole and phenyl rings. An intramolecular hydrogen bond exists between the phenyl amine and the thiazole N atom, while intermolecular hydrogen bonds exist to and from the other two components of the urea moiety.

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## Experimental

The title compound was obtained from Key Organics Ltd and crystals were grown from an ethanol solution.

## Crystal data

 $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{21}\text{N}_3\text{O}_3\text{S}$  $M_r = 347.43$ Orthorhombic,  $P2_12_12_1$  $a = 6.1391(4) \text{ \AA}$  $b = 9.9755(6) \text{ \AA}$  $c = 28.248(2) \text{ \AA}$  $V = 1729.9(2) \text{ \AA}^3$ 

Z = 4

 $D_x = 1.334 \text{ Mg m}^{-3}$ Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation

Cell parameters from 8676

reflections

 $\theta = 2.9\text{--}27.5^\circ$  $\mu = 0.21 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ 

T = 120 (2) K

Block, colourless

 $0.10 \times 0.07 \times 0.06 \text{ mm}$ 

## Data collection

Bruker–Nonius KappaCCD area-detector diffractometer

 $\varphi$  and  $\omega$  scans

Absorption correction: multi-scan (SORTAV; Blessing, 1995)

 $T_{\min} = 0.980$ ,  $T_{\max} = 0.988$ 

6163 measured reflections

2867 independent reflections

2175 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$  $R_{\text{int}} = 0.073$  $\theta_{\text{max}} = 25.0^\circ$  $h = -6 \rightarrow 7$  $k = -11 \rightarrow 11$  $l = -33 \rightarrow 18$ 

## Refinement

Refinement on  $F^2$  $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.050$  $wR(F^2) = 0.136$ 

S = 0.79

2867 reflections

229 parameters

H atoms treated by a mixture of independent and constrained refinement

 $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.1P)^2]$ where  $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$  $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\text{max}} < 0.001$  $\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 0.26 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$  $\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.22 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$ 

Absolute structure: Flack (1983);

706 Friedel pairs

Flack parameter = 0.19 (13)

**Table 1**

Hydrogen-bonding geometry (Å, °).

<i>D</i> —H··· <i>A</i>	<i>D</i> —H	H··· <i>A</i>	<i>D</i> ··· <i>A</i>	<i>D</i> —H··· <i>A</i>
N21—H21···O22 <sup>i</sup>	0.82 (4)	2.03 (4)	2.821 (5)	159 (4)
N23—H23···N3	0.99 (4)	1.79 (4)	2.677 (5)	148 (3)
C25—H25···O22	0.95	2.44	2.966 (5)	115
C43—H432···O51	0.98	2.50	3.262 (5)	135
C44—H442···O51	0.98	2.22	3.061 (5)	143

 Symmetry code: (i)  $x - \frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2} - y, -z$ .

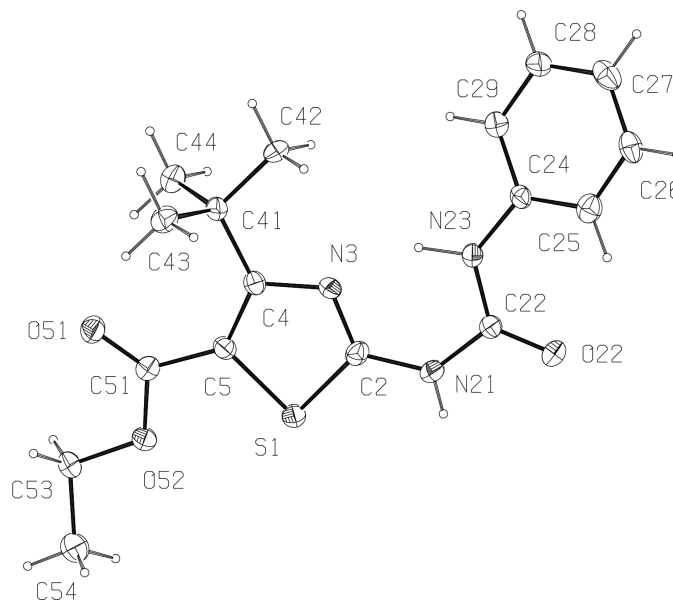
All H atoms were included in the refinement, at calculated positions, as riding models, with C—H distances set to 0.95 (Ar—H), 0.99 (CH<sub>2</sub>) and 0.98 Å (CH<sub>3</sub>), except for the N—H atoms, which were located in difference syntheses and for which both positional and displacement parameters were refined.

Data collection: *DENZO* (Otwinowski & Minor, 1997) and *COLLECT* (Hoof, 1998); cell refinement: *DENZO* and *COLLECT*; data reduction: *DENZO* and *COLLECT*; program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 1997); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 1997); molecular graphics: *PLATON97* (Spek, 1997); software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXL97*.

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**Figure 1**

The molecular configuration and atom-numbering scheme for the title compound, showing 50% probability ellipsoids.

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