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Key indicators

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2-(2-Nitrophenyl)-4,5-benz-1,3-oxazin-6-one

In the title compound, $C_{14}H_8N_2O_4$, the planar benzoxazinone moiety forms a dihedral angle of 54.54 (8)° with the phenyl ring. The crystal structure is stabilized by weak $C-H\cdots O$ hydrogen bonds and van der Waals interactions.

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Comment

The preparation of several new 2-phenyl substituted phenyl benzoxazinones and evaluation of their biological activity against some pathogenic fungi and bacteria have been reported (Kumar *et al.*, 1977). A project has been undertaken by us to study the crystal structures of some of these benzoxazinones to establish their stereochemistry. The present paper reports the structure of the title compound, $C_{14}H_8N_2O_4$ (I), a benzoxazinone derivative.



A displacement ellipsoid plot of the molecule is shown in Fig. 1. The benzoxazinone moiety is essentially planar, with O2 deviating by a maximum of 0.037 (1) Å, and it forms a dihedral angle of 54.54 (8)° with the phenyl ring. The nitro group is twisted out of the phenyl ring plane by 19.63 (11)°. Although there is no -NH or -OH group available in the structure to form strong hydrogen bonds, the C atoms are involved in the formation of weak $C-H \cdots O$ hydrogen bonds with the O atoms O3 and O4 of the nitro group (Table 2 and Fig. 2). Some other short intermolecular contacts are listed in Table 3.

Experimental

The title compound was obtained by the reaction of *o*-nitrobenzoyl chloride with anthranilic acid at 273 K (Kumar *et al.*, 1977). The precipitate was recrystallized from EtOH/H₂O (4:1) as pale-yellow crystals.

| Crystal data | |
|-------------------------------|---|
| $C_{14}H_8N_2O_4$ | $D_x = 1.506 \text{ Mg m}^{-3}$ |
| $M_r = 268.22$ | Cu $K\alpha$ radiation |
| Monoclinic, $P2_1/c$ | Cell parameters from 25 |
| a = 4.1824 (6) Å | reflections |
| b = 22.191(2) Å | $\theta = 11.2 - 35.2^{\circ}$ |
| c = 12.767 (1) Å | $\mu = 0.96 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ |
| $\beta = 93.26 \ (1)^{\circ}$ | T = 293 (2) K |
| $V = 1183.0 (2) \text{ Å}^3$ | Needle, light yellow |
| Z = 4 | $0.36 \times 0.24 \times 0.15 \text{ mm}$ |

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Data collection

Enraf-Nonius CAD-4 diffractometer ω -2 θ scans Absorption correction: ψ scan (North *et al.*, 1968) $T_{min} = 0.968, T_{max} = 0.999$ 2438 measured reflections 2130 independent reflections 1739 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$

Refinement

Table 1

Refinement on F^2 $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.038$ $wR(F^2) = 0.105$ S = 1.062130 reflections 182 parameters H-atom parameters constrained $\begin{aligned} R_{\rm int} &= 0.014 \\ \theta_{\rm max} &= 67.7^{\circ} \\ h &= 0 \rightarrow 5 \\ k &= 0 \rightarrow 26 \\ l &= -15 \rightarrow 15 \\ 3 \text{ standard reflections} \\ frequency: 60 \text{ min} \\ \text{intensity decay: none} \end{aligned}$

$$\begin{split} w &= 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0456P)^2 \\ &+ 0.4728P] \\ \text{where } P &= (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3 \\ (\Delta/\sigma)_{\text{max}} < 0.001 \\ \Delta\rho_{\text{max}} &= 0.24 \text{ e } \text{Å}^{-3} \\ \Delta\rho_{\text{min}} &= -0.15 \text{ e } \text{Å}^{-3} \\ \text{Extinction correction: } SHELXL97 \\ \text{Extinction coefficient: } 0.0048 (6) \end{split}$$

| Selected geometric parameters (Å, °). | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|--|--|--|
| C5-N1 | 1.401 (2) | C8-O2 | 1.366 (2) | | | |
| C7-O1 | 1.193 (2) | C14-N2 | 1.469 (2) | | | |
| C7-O2 | 1.392 (2) | N2-O3 | 1.213 (2) | | | |
| C8-N1 | 1.265 (2) | N2-O4 | 1.216 (2) | | | |
| O1-C7-O2 | 117.08 (17) | O2-C8-C9 | 112.39 (14) | | | |
| O1-C7-C6 | 127.93 (17) | O3-N2-O4 | 123.76 (17) | | | |
| N1-C8-O2 | 126.33 (15) | O3-N2-C14 | 118.43 (15) | | | |
| N1-C8-C9-C10 | -54.3 (2) | C13-C14-N2-O3 | 158.17 (18) | | | |
| O2-C8-C9-C10 | 121.85 (18) | C9-C14-N2-O3 | -18.0(3) | | | |
| N1-C8-C9-C14 | 127.61 (19) | C13-C14-N2-O4 | -20.3(3) | | | |
| O2-C8-C9-C14 | -56.3 (2) | C9-C14-N2-O4 | 163.51 (19) | | | |

Table 2

Hydrogen-bonding geometry (Å, °).

| $D - \mathbf{H} \cdot \cdot \cdot A$ | D-H | $H \cdot \cdot \cdot A$ | $D \cdots A$ | $D - H \cdots A$ |
|--------------------------------------|------|-------------------------|--------------|------------------|
| C1-H1···O1 ^{iv} | 0.93 | 2.75 | 3.434 (2) | 131 |
| $C12-H12\cdots O1^{v}$ | 0.93 | 2.91 | 3.470 (3) | 120 |
| $C13-H13\cdots O1^{v}$ | 0.93 | 2.68 | 3.353 (2) | 130 |
| $C12-H12\cdots O3^{vi}$ | 0.93 | 2.61 | 3.386 (2) | 141 |
| $C11-H11\cdots O4^{vi}$ | 0.93 | 2.79 | 3.633 (3) | 151 |
| $C2-H2\cdots O4^{vii}$ | 0.93 | 2.84 | 3.342 (3) | 115 |
| C3-H3···O4 ^{vii} | 0.93 | 2.53 | 3.189 (2) | 129 |

Symmetry codes: (iv) -x, -y, -z; (v) $x, \frac{1}{2} - y, \frac{1}{2} + z$; (vi) $x - 1, \frac{1}{2} - y, \frac{1}{2} + z$; (vii) $1 - x, y - \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} - z$.

Table 3

Some short inter-molecular contacts shorter than 3.5 Å.

| 3.353 (3) | $O3 \cdot \cdot \cdot C9^i$ | 3.200 (3) |
|-----------|-------------------------------------|---|
| 3.045 (3) | $O3 \cdot \cdot \cdot C14^i$ | 3.103 (3) |
| 3.485 (3) | $O4 \cdot \cdot \cdot C11^{iii}$ | 3.245 (3) |
| | 3.353 (3) 3.045 (3) 3.485 (3) | $\begin{array}{rl} 3.353 \ (3) & O3\cdots C9^{i} \\ 3.045 \ (3) & O3\cdots C14^{i} \\ 3.485 \ (3) & O4\cdots C11^{iii} \end{array}$ |

Symmetry codes: (i) 1 + x, y, z; (ii) x - 1, y, z; (iii) $x, \frac{1}{2} - y, z - \frac{1}{2}$.

After checking their presence in a difference map, all the H atoms were positioned geometrically and were treated as riding on their aromatic parent C atoms, with C-H = 0.93 Å.



Figure 1

An ORTEP-3 plot (Farrugia, 1997) of the molecule, with 50% probability displacement ellipsoids for non-H atoms.



Figure 2

A view of the weak C-H···O hydrogen bonds in the title compound. Symmetry codes: (i) -x, -y, -z, (ii) x, $\frac{1}{2} - y$, $\frac{1}{2} + z$ (iii) = 1 + x, $\frac{1}{2} - y$, $\frac{1}{2} + z$ and (iv) = 1 - x, $\frac{1}{2} + y$, $\frac{1}{2} - z$.

Data collection: *CAD-4 EXPRESS* (Enraf–Nonius, 1994); cell refinement: *CAD-4 EXPRESS*; data reduction: *MoLEN* (Fair,1990); program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 1997); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 1997); molecular graphics: *ORTEP-3* (Farrugia, 1997); software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXL97*.

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