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Key indicators

Single-crystal X-ray study T = 183 KMean $\sigma(C-C) = 0.002 \text{ Å}$ R factor = 0.058 wR factor = 0.136 Data-to-parameter ratio = 20.1

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© 2002 International Union of Crystallography Printed in Great Britain – all rights reserved The molecule of the title compound, $C_{19}H_{23}NO$, contains two phenyl rings and a piperidinyl ring. The dihedral angle between the phenyl rings is 40.99 (5)°. The piperidine ring has a chair conformation. There is an intramolecular $O-H\cdots N$ hydrogen bond.

erythro-2-Piperidinyl-1,2-diphenylethanol

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Comment

During the process of UV-radiation curing, oxygen is present as a free radical in the medium. To overcome the negative effect caused by the oxygen, we synthesized *erythro*-2-piperidinyl-1,2 diphenylethanol to use it as a hydrogen donor for Type II initiators (Davidson, 1999). In this paper we report the structure of *erythro*-2-piperidinyl-1,2 diphenylethanol, (I). An *ORTEP*III (Burnett & Johnson, 1996) plot of the structure is shown in Fig. 1.



The C6-N1 and C1-N1 bond distances are 1.4749 (19) and 1.4730 (18) Å, respectively, and are similar to the corresponding bond lengths in ethyl 4-{2-[1-(6-methyl-3pyridazinyl)-4-piperidinyl]ethoxy}benzoate [1.467 (5) and 1.472 (4) Å; Jottier et al., 1991] and 3-{2-[4-(6-fluoro-1,2-benzisoxazol-3-yl)-1-piperidinyl]ethyl]-2,9-dimethyl]-4Hpyrido[1,2-a]pyrimidin-4-one (Ocaperidone) [1.477 (9) and 1.463 (9) A; Jottier et al., 1992]. The C7-N1, C7-C14 and C14-O2 bond distances are 1.4872 (17) 1.5563 (19) and 1.4286 (17) Å, respectively, similar to the corresponding bond lengths in N-(2-hydroxyethyl)-piperidine, N-(2hydroxyethyl)morpholine and N-(2-hydroxyethyl)piperazine [1.495 (4), 1.493 (4) and 1.397 (4) Å, respectively; Castellari & Sabatino, 1996]. The erythro-2-piperidinyl-1,2-diphenyl ethanol molecule contains three rings: two phenyl rings and a piperidinyl ring. For the piperidinyl ring we calculated, following the method of Cremer & Pople (1975), phase angle $\theta_2 = 2.15 \ (17)^\circ$ and $\varphi_2 = 34 \ (5)^\circ$, indicating a chair conformation, and a puckering amplitude Q = 0.5814 (17) Å.

There is an intramolecular $O2-H2A\cdots N1$ hydrogen bond (Table 1).

Experimental

1 g of *trans*-stilbene oxide and 1 molar equivalent of distilled piperidine were refluxed for 12 h with vigorous stirring. The product was extracted with diethyl ether and excess morpholine was separated by the addition of 5 ml of distilled water. The combined organic layers were washed with distilled water several times. The solution was dried over anhydrous magnesium sulfate. The crude product was recrystallized from ethanol. M.p: 373 K Analysis calculated for $C_{19}H_{23}NO$: C, 81.14; H, 8.18; N, 4.98. Found C, 81.22; H, 8.19; N, 5.03.

Crystal data

C ₁₉ H ₂₃ NO	$D_x = 1.174 \text{ Mg m}^{-3}$
$M_r = 281.38$	Mo $K\alpha$ radiation
Monoclinic, $P2_1/n$	Cell parameters from 5874
a = 13.6624 (10) Å	reflections
b = 5.6452 (10) Å	$\theta = 3.0-28.3^{\circ}$
c = 20.678 (4) Å	$\mu = 0.07 \text{ mm}^{-1}$
$\beta = 93.46 \ (4)^{\circ}$	T = 183 (2) K
V = 1591.9 (4) Å ³	Block, colourless
Z = 4	$0.72 \times 0.50 \times 0.36 \text{ mm}$

Data collection

Siemens SMART CCD area-
detector diffractometer
ω scans
Absorption correction: none
9095 measured reflections
3833 independent reflections

Refinement

$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2)]$
where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\rm max} < 0.001$
$\Delta \rho_{\rm max} = 0.23 \ {\rm e} \ {\rm \AA}^{-3}$
$\Delta \rho_{\rm min} = -0.33 \ {\rm e} \ {\rm \AA}^{-3}$
Extinction correction: SHELXI
Extinction coefficient: 0.044 (4)

2344 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$

 $R_{\rm int} = 0.080$

 $\theta_{\rm max} = 28.3^{\circ}$

 $\begin{array}{l} h = -15 \rightarrow 18 \\ k = -7 \rightarrow 7 \end{array}$

 $l = -27 \rightarrow 25$

Table 1

Selected geometric parameters (Å, °).

O2-C14	1.4286 (17)	N1-C7	1.4872 (17)
N1-C1	1.4730 (18)	C7-C14	1.5563 (19)
N1-C6	1.4749 (19)		
C1-N1-C6	108.77 (12)	C8-C7-C14	110.26 (11)
C1-N1-C7	111.98 (11)	C9-C8-C13	117.81 (14)
C6-N1-C7	111.87 (11)	C9-C8-C7	122.51 (13)
N1-C6-C4	111.82 (13)	O2-C14-C15	109.76 (12)
N1-C7-C8	112.18 (11)	O2-C14-C7	109.39 (11)
N1-C7-C14	108.24 (11)		

Table 2

Hydrogen-bonding	geometry ((A, °).
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$\overline{D - \mathbf{H} \cdots A}$	D-H	$H \cdot \cdot \cdot A$	$D \cdots A$	$D - H \cdot \cdot \cdot A$
$O2-H2A\cdots N1$	0.82	2.39	2.774 (2)	109



Figure 1

An *ORTEP*III (Burnett & Johnson, 1996) drawing of the title compound, showing the atom-numbering scheme. Displacement ellipsoids of non-H atoms are shown at the 50% probability level.

All H atoms, located in a difference Fourier map, were positioned geometrically and constrained with a riding model. The C–H bond distances range from 0.93 to 0.98 Å.

Data collection: *SMART* (Siemens, 1996); cell refinement: *SAINT* (Siemens, 1996); data reduction: *SAINT*; program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXTL* (Sheldrick, 1997); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXTL*; molecular graphics: *SHELXTL*; software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXTL*, *PARST* (Nardelli, 1995) and *PLATON* (Spek, 1990).

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