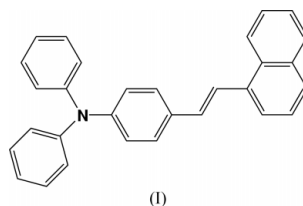


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## Key indicators

Single-crystal X-ray study  
 $T = 293$  K  
Mean  $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.003$  Å  
 $R$  factor = 0.044  
 $wR$  factor = 0.121  
Data-to-parameter ratio = 13.5For details of how these key indicators were  
automatically derived from the article, see  
<http://journals.iucr.org/e>.4-[2-(1-Naphthyl)vinyl]-*N,N*-diphenylaniline

The title compound,  $\text{C}_{30}\text{H}_{23}\text{N}$ , was synthesized *via* the Ullmann reaction. The plane of the vinyl linkage almost coincides with the plane of the directly attached aromatic ring of the triarylamine group [dihedral angle  $6.2(2)^\circ$ ] and forms a dihedral angle of  $41.07(4)^\circ$  with the mean plane of the naphthalene group.



## Experimental

0.01 mol of 4-(2-naphthalen-1-ylvinyl)aniline, 0.026 mol of iodo-benzene, 0.002 mol of  $\text{CuCl}$ , 0.001 mol of 1,10-phenanthroline and 24 g of  $\text{KOH}$  were dissolved in toluene (30 ml). The mixture was refluxed for 6 h, then the toluene was removed by evaporation. The residue was dissolved in dichloromethane (8 ml) and separated by column chromatography (silica gel, ethyl acetate/petroleum ether = 1:200) to give (I) (Pautmeier *et al.*, 1990). Its structure was identified by IR and MS. Single crystals were obtained by slow evaporation of a petroleum ether solution over a period of 15 d. M.p: 413 K; MS ( $m/z$ ): 397.2, 228.1, 198.5, 153.1, 77.

## Crystal data

$\text{C}_{30}\text{H}_{23}\text{N}$   
 $M_r = 397.49$   
Triclinic,  $P\bar{1}$   
 $a = 8.883(3)$  Å  
 $b = 9.446(3)$  Å  
 $c = 13.466(4)$  Å  
 $\alpha = 88.416(5)^\circ$   
 $\beta = 83.527(4)^\circ$   
 $\gamma = 74.129(4)^\circ$   
 $V = 1079.9(6)$  Å<sup>3</sup>

$Z = 2$   
 $D_x = 1.222$  Mg m<sup>-3</sup>  
Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation  
Cell parameters from 1023  
reflections  
 $\theta = 2.4\text{--}26.3^\circ$   
 $\mu = 0.07$  mm<sup>-1</sup>  
 $T = 293(2)$  K  
Block, yellow  
 $0.22 \times 0.20 \times 0.16$  mm

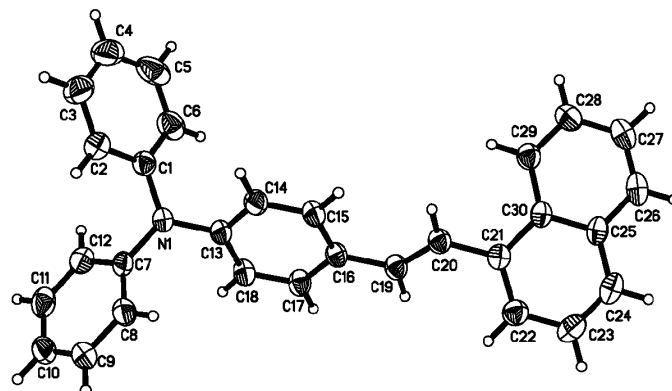


Figure 1

The molecular structure of (I). Displacement ellipsoids are drawn at the 30% probability level.

*Data collection*

Bruker SMART CCD area-detector diffractometer	3781 independent reflections 2384 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
$\varphi$ and $\omega$ scans	$R_{\text{int}} = 0.018$
Absorption correction: multi-scan (SADABS; Bruker, 1997)	$\theta_{\text{max}} = 25.0^\circ$
$T_{\text{min}} = 0.874$ , $T_{\text{max}} = 0.990$	$h = -8 \rightarrow 10$
5593 measured reflections	$k = -8 \rightarrow 11$
	$l = -14 \rightarrow 15$

*Refinement*

Refinement on $F^2$	$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0514P)^2 + 0.1151P]$
$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.044$	where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
$wR(F^2) = 0.121$	$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\text{max}} = 0.003$
$S = 1.00$	$\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 0.12 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$
3781 reflections	$\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.14 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$
280 parameters	
H-atom parameters constrained	

H atoms were positioned geometrically, with C–H = 0.93–0.98 Å, and refined in a riding model, with  $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H}) = 1.2U_{\text{eq}}(\text{carrier})$ .

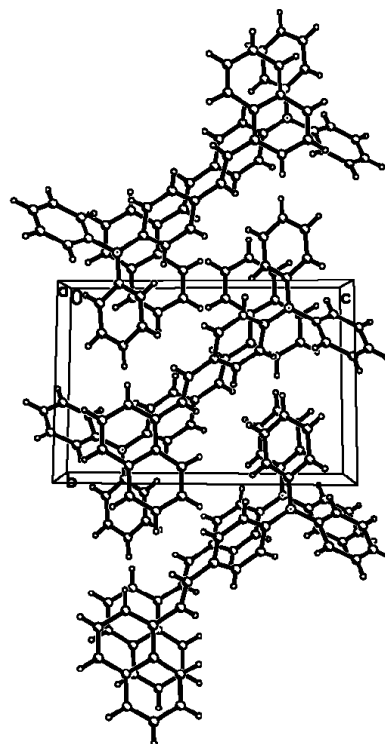
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**Figure 2**

The crystal structure of (I), viewed along the  $a$  axis.



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