

Ethyl 2-amino-5-oxo-4-(*p*-tolyl)-4*H*,5*H*-pyrano[3,2-*c*]chromene-8-carboxylateJing Wang,<sup>a</sup> Daqing Shi<sup>a,b,\*</sup> and Xiangshan Wang<sup>a,b</sup><sup>a</sup>Department of Chemistry, Xuzhou Normal University, Xuzhou 221116, People's Republic of China, and <sup>b</sup>The Key Laboratory of Biotechnology for Medical Plants of Jiangsu Province, Xuzhou 221116, People's Republic of China

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## Key indicators

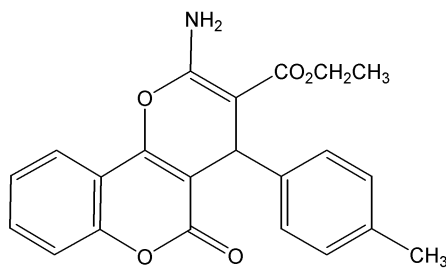
Single-crystal X-ray study  
*T* = 296 K  
Mean  $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.003 \text{ \AA}$   
Disorder in main residue  
*R* factor = 0.040  
*wR* factor = 0.101  
Data-to-parameter ratio = 12.8For details of how these key indicators were automatically derived from the article, see <http://journals.iucr.org/e>.

The title compound,  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{19}\text{NO}_5$ , was synthesized by the reaction of 4-hydroxycoumarin and ethyl 4'-methyl-2-cyanocinnamate in the presence of triethylbenzylammonium chloride in an aqueous medium. In the crystal structure, the amino group is involved in both intra- and intermolecular  $\text{N}-\text{H}\cdots\text{O}$  hydrogen bonds.

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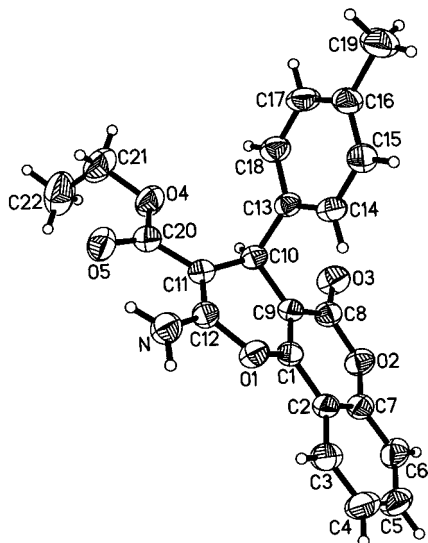
## Comment

Coumarin and its derivatives are natural compounds and are important chemicals in the perfume, cosmetic and pharmaceutical industries (Soine, 1964). As part of our program aimed at developing new and environmentally friendly methodologies for the preparation of fine chemicals (Shi, Chen *et al.*, 2003; Shi, Wu *et al.*, 2003) we have synthesized 4*H*-pyrano[3,2-*c*]chromenone derivatives by a two-component reaction employing water as the reaction medium. We report here the crystal structure of the title compound, (I), synthesized by the reaction of 4-hydroxycoumarin and ethyl 4'-methyl-2-cyanocinnamate in the presence of triethylbenzylammonium chloride in an aqueous medium.

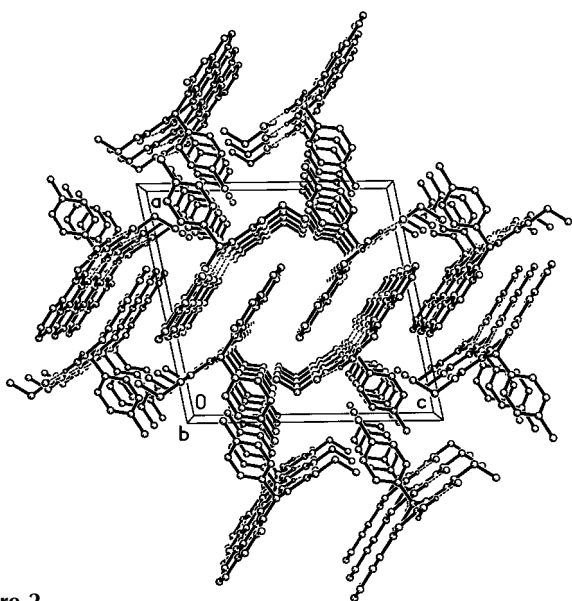


(I)

In (I), (Fig. 1) the pyran ring of coumarin is almost planar, with deviations of  $-0.005$  (2),  $0.009$  (2),  $-0.010$  (2),  $0.017$  (2),  $-0.007$  (2) and  $-0.013$  (2)  $\text{\AA}$  for atoms C1, C2, C7, C8, C9 and O2, respectively. The other pyran ring adopts a flattened boat conformation; atoms O1 and C10 deviate from the plane defined by atoms C1, C9, C11 and C12 by  $0.164$  (2) and  $0.331$  (3)  $\text{\AA}$ , respectively. Similar distortions were observed in the structure of ethyl 2-amino-4-(2,4-dichlorophenyl)-4*H*-benzo[*f*]chromene-3-carboxylate (Shi, Wang *et al.*, 2003) and ethyl 9-amino-7-(4-methoxyphenyl)-7*H*-pyrano[3,2-*c*]coumarin-8-carboxylate (Wang *et al.*, 2004). The dihedral angle between the coumarin pyran ring O2, C7, C2, C1, C9, C8 and the fused benzene ring is  $0.5$  (2) $^\circ$  and that between the coumarin pyran ring and the *p*-tolyl ring is  $81.8$  (2) $^\circ$ . The sum of the bond angles around N ( $356.6^\circ$ ) indicates a planar



**Figure 1**  
The molecular structure of (I), showing 30% probability displacement ellipsoids and the atom-numbering scheme. Only one of the disorder components is shown.



**Figure 2**  
A molecular packing diagram of the crystal structure of (I). Dashed lines indicate hydrogen bonds. H atoms have been omitted.

geometry. The bond lengths and angles in (I) (Table 1) have normal values.

An intramolecular hydrogen bond is formed between the amino N atom and atom O5 of the carbonyl group (Table 2). The other H atom of the amino group is involved in N—H1B...O3(*x*, *y* − 1, *z*) interactions, forming polymeric chains (Fig. 2).

### Experimental

The title compound was prepared by the reaction of 4-hydroxycoumarin (0.32 g) and ethyl 4'-methyl-2-cyanocinnamate (0.43 g) in the presence of triethylbenzylammonium chloride (0.1 g) in water at 348 K for 6 h (yield 80%, m.p. 464–465 K). IR: 3395, 3284 (NH<sub>2</sub>),

1710, 1683 (C=O), 1611, 1532, 1492, 1456, 786, 762, 750 (benzene ring); <sup>1</sup>H NMR: 1.12 (3H, *t*, *J* = 7.2 Hz, CH<sub>3</sub>), 2.21 (3H, *s*, CH<sub>3</sub>), 3.99 (2H, *q*, *J* = 7.2 Hz, CH<sub>2</sub>O), 4.66 (1H, *s*, CH), 7.03 (2H, *d*, *J* = 8.0 Hz, ArH), 7.11 (2H, *d*, *J* = 8.0 Hz, ArH), 7.43–7.51 (2H, *m*, ArH), 7.68–7.71 (1H, *m*, ArH), 7.80 (2H, *s*, NH<sub>2</sub>), 7.97 (1H, *d*, *J* = 7.2 Hz, ArH); Analysis calculated for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>19</sub>NO<sub>5</sub>: C 70.02; H 5.07; N 3.71%; found: C 70.26; H 4.83; N 3.69%. Single crystals suitable for X-ray diffraction were obtained by slow evaporation of an *N,N*-dimethylformamide–water solution.

### Crystal data

C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>19</sub>NO<sub>5</sub>  
*M<sub>r</sub>* = 377.38  
 Monoclinic, *P*2<sub>1</sub>/*c*  
*a* = 15.239 (2) Å  
*b* = 7.850 (1) Å  
*c* = 15.846 (3) Å  
 β = 101.00 (1)°  
*V* = 1860.7 (5) Å<sup>3</sup>  
*Z* = 4

*D<sub>x</sub>* = 1.347 Mg m<sup>−3</sup>  
 Mo Kα radiation  
 Cell parameters from 39 reflections  
 θ = 3.1–14.8°  
 μ = 0.10 mm<sup>−1</sup>  
*T* = 296 (2) K  
 Block, colorless  
 0.58 × 0.52 × 0.12 mm

### Data collection

Siemens P4 diffractometer  
 ω scans  
 Absorption correction: none  
 3918 measured reflections  
 3379 independent reflections  
 2173 reflections with *I* > 2σ(*I*)  
*R*<sub>int</sub> = 0.014

θ<sub>max</sub> = 25.3°  
*h* = 0 → 18  
*k* = 0 → 9  
*l* = −19 → 18  
 3 standard reflections  
 every 97 reflections  
 intensity decay: 4.9%

### Refinement

Refinement on *F*<sup>2</sup>  
*R* [*F*<sup>2</sup> > 2σ(*F*<sup>2</sup>)] = 0.040  
*wR*(*F*<sup>2</sup>) = 0.101  
*S* = 0.91  
 3379 reflections  
 263 parameters  
 H atoms treated by a mixture of independent and constrained refinement

*w* = 1/[σ<sup>2</sup>(*F<sub>o</sub>*<sup>2</sup>) + (0.0538*P*)<sup>2</sup>]  
 where *P* = (*F<sub>o</sub>*<sup>2</sup> + 2*F<sub>c</sub>*<sup>2</sup>)/3  
 (Δ/σ)<sub>max</sub> < 0.001  
 Δρ<sub>max</sub> = 0.17 e Å<sup>−3</sup>  
 Δρ<sub>min</sub> = −0.15 e Å<sup>−3</sup>  
 Extinction correction: *SHELXL*  
 Extinction coefficient: 0.0124 (9)

**Table 1**

Selected geometric parameters (Å, °).

O1—C1	1.365 (2)	N—C12	1.330 (2)
O1—C12	1.381 (2)	C1—C9	1.339 (2)
O2—C8	1.379 (2)	C1—C2	1.437 (2)
O2—C7	1.382 (2)	C8—C9	1.447 (2)
O3—C8	1.207 (2)	C9—C10	1.509 (2)
O4—C20	1.349 (2)	C10—C11	1.521 (2)
O4—C21	1.449 (2)	C11—C12	1.364 (2)
O5—C20	1.224 (2)		
C1—O1—C12	117.65 (13)	O3—C8—C9	125.82 (16)
C8—O2—C7	121.75 (14)	O2—C8—C9	118.19 (16)
C20—O4—C21	117.13 (16)	C1—C9—C8	118.84 (16)
C9—C1—O1	122.75 (15)	C1—C9—C10	121.54 (15)
C9—C1—C2	123.37 (16)	C8—C9—C10	119.60 (15)
O1—C1—C2	113.88 (15)	C9—C10—C11	108.14 (13)
O2—C7—C2	121.38 (15)	N—C12—C11	128.99 (17)
O2—C7—C6	116.85 (17)	N—C12—O1	109.15 (16)
O3—C8—O2	115.99 (16)	C11—C12—O1	121.84 (16)
C12—O1—C1—C9	19.3 (2)	C9—C10—C11—C12	28.4 (2)
C12—O1—C1—C2	−161.54 (14)	C9—C10—C11—C20	−157.01 (15)
C8—O2—C7—C2	1.7 (2)	C20—C11—C12—N	−8.7 (3)
C7—O2—C8—O3	176.84 (15)	C10—C11—C12—N	166.09 (18)
C7—O2—C8—C9	−3.2 (2)	C20—C11—C12—O1	172.70 (15)
O1—C1—C9—C8	178.61 (15)	C10—C11—C12—O1	−12.5 (2)
C2—C1—C9—C8	−0.5 (3)	C1—O1—C12—N	168.35 (14)
O1—C1—C9—C10	0.3 (3)	C1—O1—C12—C11	−12.8 (2)

**Table 2**  
Hydrogen-bonding geometry (Å, °).

$D-H\cdots A$	$D-H$	$H\cdots A$	$D\cdots A$	$D-H\cdots A$
N–H1A $\cdots$ O5	0.883 (9)	2.042 (16)	2.702 (2)	131 (2)
N–H1B $\cdots$ O3 <sup>i</sup>	0.883 (9)	2.058 (10)	2.935 (2)	171 (2)

Symmetry code: (i)  $x, y - 1, z$ .

Amino atoms H1A and H1B were refined isotropically. Other H atoms were positioned geometrically and refined as riding, with  $C-H = 0.93-0.98$  Å and  $U_{iso}(H) = 1.2U_{eq}(C)$ . Each H atom of the *p*-tolyl methyl group is disordered over two positions of equal occupancy.

Data collection: *XSCANS* (Siemens, 1994); cell refinement: *XSCANS*; data reduction: *SHELXTL* (Bruker, 1997); program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 1997); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 1997); molecular graphics: *SHELXTL*; software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXTL*.

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