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Key indicators

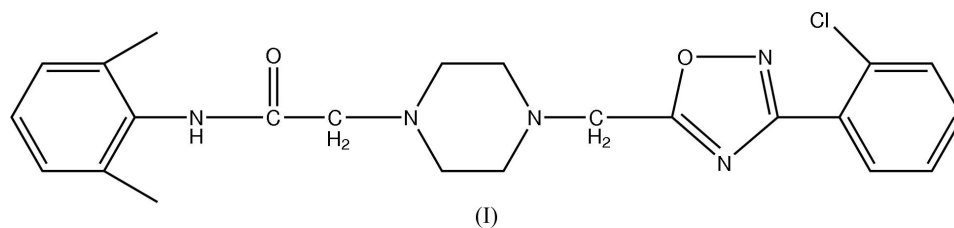
Single-crystal X-ray study
 $T = 293$ K
Mean $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.005$ Å
 R factor = 0.058
 wR factor = 0.201
Data-to-parameter ratio = 13.7For details of how these key indicators were
automatically derived from the article, see
<http://journals.iucr.org/e>.4-[[3-(2-Chlorophenyl)-1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl]-
methyl]-1-[(2,6-dimethylphenyl)aminocarbonyl-
methyl]piperazineThe title compound, $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{26}\text{ClN}_5\text{O}_2$, was synthesized by the
reaction of 4-[(2,6-dimethylphenyl)aminocarbonylmethyl]-
piperazine and 5-chloromethyl-3-(2-chlorophenyl)-1,2,4-
oxadiazole. In the structure, there are intramolecular $\text{C}-\text{H}\cdots\text{N}$,
 $\text{N}-\text{H}\cdots\text{N}$ and $\text{C}-\text{H}\cdots\text{O}$ hydrogen bonds, and
intermolecular $\text{N}-\text{H}\cdots\text{O}$ hydrogen bonds.

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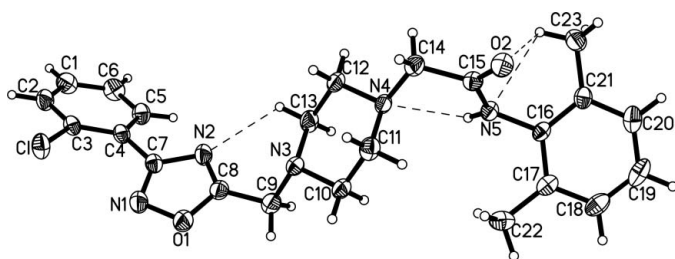
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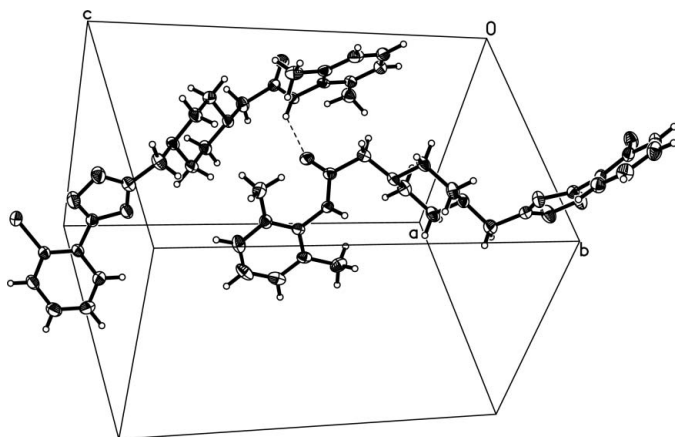
Piperazine derivatives are of great interest because of their
biological properties. Some derivatives of piperazine have
antifilarial, antiamebic and spermicidal properties (Sonurlikar
et al., 1977). Some show high efficacy in treating or preventing
neuronal damage or stimulating nerve growth (Tomlinson *et al.*,
2004). Some also treat psychosis and bipolar disorders (Aicher
et al., 2004) or act as neurokinin antagonists (Janssens
et al., 2004).The molecular structure of the title compound, (I), is shown
in Fig.1. The dashed lines indicate intramolecular $\text{C}-\text{H}\cdots\text{N}$,
 $\text{C}-\text{H}\cdots\text{O}$ and $\text{N}-\text{H}\cdots\text{N}$ hydrogen bonds (Table 2). The
bond lengths and angles are given in Table 1. In the crystal
structure, molecules are linked by $\text{N}-\text{H}\cdots\text{O}$ hydrogen bonds
(Table 2 and Fig. 2), forming a three-dimensional network.

Experimental

4-[(2,6-Dimethylphenyl)aminocarbonylmethyl]piperazine (20 mmol)
was dissolved in acetone (20 ml) and potassium carbonate (30 mmol)
was added. 3-(2-Chlorophenyl)-5-chloromethyl-1,2,4-oxadiazole
(20 mmol) in acetone (20 ml) was added to this mixture. The resulting
mixture was refluxed for 6 h. Concentration of the mixture under
reduced pressure afforded crude compound (I). Pure compound (I)
was obtained by recrystallization from ethyl acetate. Crystals of (I)
suitable for X-ray diffraction were obtained by slow evaporation of
an ethanol solution. ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , p.p.m.): δ 8.58 (*m*, 1H), 7.92–
7.94 (*m*, 1H), 7.51–7.53 (*m*, 1H), 7.40–7.44 (*m*, 1H), 7.35–7.39 (*m*, 1H),
7.05–7.09 (*m*, 3H), 3.99 (*s*, 2H), 3.21 (*m*, 2H), 2.78 (*m*, 8H), 2.21 (*s*,
6H).

**Figure 1**

A view of the molecular structure of (I); the dashed lines indicate intramolecular C—H...O, C—H...N and N—H...N hydrogen bonds. Displacement ellipsoids for non-H atoms are drawn at the 30% probability level

**Figure 2**

Part of the crystal structure of (I). The dashed line indicates the intermolecular N—H...O hydrogen bond.

Crystal dataC₂₃H₂₆ClN₅O₂M_r = 439.94Monoclinic, P2₁/a

a = 12.296 (1) Å

b = 10.587 (2) Å

c = 17.164 (2) Å

β = 99.77 (3)°

V = 2201.8 (6) Å³

Z = 4

D_x = 1.327 Mg m⁻³

Mo Kα radiation

Cell parameters from 25 reflections

θ = 10–13°

μ = 0.20 mm⁻¹

T = 293 (2) K

Block, colourless

0.4 × 0.3 × 0.2 mm

Data collection

Enraf–Nonius CAD-4 diffractometer

ω/2θ scans

Absorption correction: none

4061 measured reflections

3861 independent reflections

2427 reflections with I > 2σ(I)

R_{int} = 0.030θ_{max} = 25.0°

h = -14 → 0

k = 0 → 12

l = -20 → 20

3 standard reflections

every 200 reflections

intensity decay: none

RefinementRefinement on F²R[F² > 2σ(F²)] = 0.058wR(F²) = 0.201

S = 1.01

3861 reflections

281 parameters

H-atom parameters constrained

w = 1/[σ²(F_o²) + (0.1259P)²]where P = (F_o² + 2F_c²)/3(Δ/σ)_{max} < 0.001Δρ_{max} = 0.41 e Å⁻³Δρ_{min} = -0.30 e Å⁻³

Extinction correction: SHELXL97

Extinction coefficient: 0.023 (4)

Table 1

Selected geometric parameters (Å, °).

C1—C3	1.732 (3)	N4—C11	1.458 (4)
O1—C8	1.321 (4)	N4—C12	1.462 (4)
O1—N1	1.408 (4)	N5—C15	1.342 (4)
O2—C15	1.221 (4)	N5—C16	1.440 (4)
N1—C7	1.290 (4)	C4—C7	1.475 (4)
N2—C8	1.285 (4)	C8—C9	1.496 (5)
N2—C7	1.376 (4)	C10—C11	1.506 (5)
N3—C13	1.464 (4)	C12—C13	1.508 (5)
N3—C9	1.467 (4)	C14—C15	1.528 (4)
N3—C10	1.474 (4)	C17—C22	1.490 (5)
N4—C14	1.444 (4)	C21—C23	1.501 (5)
C8—O1—N1	106.5 (3)	N2—C8—C9	131.0 (3)
C7—N1—O1	103.5 (3)	O1—C8—C9	115.8 (3)
C8—N2—C7	103.1 (3)	N3—C9—C8	113.1 (3)
C13—N3—C9	111.7 (3)	N3—C10—C11	110.1 (3)
C13—N3—C10	109.5 (3)	N4—C11—C10	111.1 (3)
C9—N3—C10	109.2 (3)	N4—C12—C13	109.8 (3)
C14—N4—C11	111.3 (3)	N3—C13—C12	110.9 (3)
C14—N4—C12	112.2 (3)	N4—C14—C15	113.5 (3)
C11—N4—C12	108.4 (2)	O2—C15—N5	124.0 (3)
C15—N5—C16	124.2 (3)	O2—C15—C14	121.3 (3)
C2—C3—C1	117.1 (3)	N5—C15—C14	114.6 (3)
C4—C3—C1	121.6 (3)	C21—C16—N5	119.3 (3)
C5—C4—C7	118.1 (3)	C17—C16—N5	117.8 (3)
C3—C4—C7	124.4 (3)	C18—C17—C22	120.6 (3)
N1—C7—N2	113.7 (3)	C16—C17—C22	121.9 (3)
N1—C7—C4	123.2 (3)	C16—C21—C23	122.4 (3)
N2—C7—C4	123.1 (3)	C20—C21—C23	120.2 (3)
N2—C8—O1	113.2 (3)		

Table 2

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °).

D—H...A	D—H	H...A	D...A	D—H...A
N5—H5A...N4	0.86	2.38	2.747 (4)	106
N5—H5A...O2 ⁱ	0.86	2.37	3.070 (3)	138
C13—H13A...N2	0.97	2.59	3.247 (5)	125
C23—H23A...O2	0.96	2.56	3.068 (4)	113
C23—H23A...N5	0.96	2.43	2.896 (4)	110

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

All H atoms were placed geometrically at C—H distances of 0.93–0.97 Å and an N—H distance of 0.86 Å, and included in the refinement in the riding-model approximation with $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H}) = 1.2U_{\text{eq}}(\text{C}, \text{N})$ or $1.5U_{\text{eq}}(\text{C})$.

Data collection: *CAD-4 Software* (Enraf–Nonius, 1989); cell refinement: *CAD-4 Software*; data reduction: *XCAD4* (Harms & Wocadlo, 1995); program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 1997); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 1997); molecular graphics: *SHELXTL* (Siemens, 1996); software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXL97*.

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