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# *N*-[3-(2-Nitrophenyl)allylidene]naphthalen-1-amine

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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; T = 293 K; mean  $\sigma$ (C–C) = 0.003 Å; R factor = 0.047; wR factor = 0.124; data-to-parameter ratio = 14.0.

In the crystal structure of the title compound,  $C_{19}H_{14}N_2O_2$ , the molecules are almost planar. The dihedral angle between the two aromatic ring systems is 3.67 (1)°.

### **Related literature**

For related literature, see: Yang et al. (2006).



### **Experimental**

Crystal data  $C_{19}H_{14}N_2O_2$   $M_r = 302.32$ Monoclinic,  $P2_1/c$ a = 15.440 (2) Å

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b = 7.4165 (10) A
c = 14.598 (2) Å
$\beta = 117.347 \ (2)^{\circ}$
V = 1484.7 (3) Å <sup>3</sup>

Z = 4Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation  $\mu = 0.09 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ 

#### Data collection

Siemens SMART 1000 CCD areadetector diffractometer Absorption correction: multi-scan (*SADABS*; Sheldrick, 1996)  $T_{\rm min} = 0.964, T_{\rm max} = 0.996$ 

Refinement

 $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.047$  $wR(F^2) = 0.124$ S = 1.022913 reflections T = 293 (2) K  $0.42 \times 0.26 \times 0.05$  mm

8073 measured reflections 2913 independent reflections 2014 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$  $R_{int} = 0.039$ 

Data collection: *SMART* (Siemens, 1996); cell refinement: *SAINT* (Siemens, 1996); data reduction: *SAINT*; program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 1997); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 1997); molecular graphics: *SHELXTL* (Bruker, 1997); software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXTL* (Bruker, 1997), *PARST* (Nardelli, 1995) and *PLATON* (Spek, 2003).

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## Comment

As part of our ongoing studies on push-pull Schiff bases, the title compound was synthesized and its crystal structure was determined (Yang *et al.*, 2006).

The molecule is almost planar with a dihedral angle of  $3.67 (1)^\circ$  between the two aromatic rings (Fig. 1). As expected, the bond lengths between the benzene and naphthalene rings in (I) alternates. In the crystal structure the molecules are stacked onto each other with distances of 3.782 and 3.731 Å between the centroids of the rings, indicating for  $\pi$ - $\pi$  interactions.

# **Experimental**

Compound (I) was prepared according to the method of Yang *et al.* (2006). Single crystals suitable for X-ray diffraction analysis were obtained by slow evaporation of the solvent from an ethanol-water (4:1 v/v) solution over a period of 3 d.

### Refinement

The H atoms were positioned with idealized geometry and were refined isotropic with  $U_{iso}(H) = 1.2 U_{eq}(C)$  using a riding model with C—H distances of 0.93 Å.

# **Figures**



Fig. 1. Crystal structure of I showing 50% probability displacement ellipsoids and the atom numbering scheme.

### N-[3-(2-Nitrophenyl)allylidene]naphthalen-1-amine

Crystal data	
$C_{19}H_{14}N_2O_2$	$F_{000} = 632$
$M_r = 302.32$	$D_{\rm x} = 1.352 \ {\rm Mg \ m}^{-3}$
Monoclinic, $P2_1/c$	Mo $K\alpha$ radiation $\lambda = 0.71073$ Å
a = 15.440 (2) Å	Cell parameters from 1605 reflections
b = 7.4165 (10)  Å	$\theta = 2.8 - 23.8^{\circ}$
c = 14.598 (2) Å	$\mu = 0.09 \text{ mm}^{-1}$
$\beta = 117.347 \ (2)^{\circ}$	T = 293 (2)  K
$V = 1484.7 (3) \text{ Å}^3$	Plate, yellow

#### Z = 4

 $0.42 \times 0.26 \times 0.05 \text{ mm}$ 

### Data collection

Siemens SMART 1000 CCD area-detector diffractometer	2913 independent reflections
Radiation source: fine-focus sealed tube	2014 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
Monochromator: graphite	$R_{\rm int} = 0.039$
Detector resolution: 8.33 pixels mm <sup>-1</sup>	$\theta_{\text{max}} = 26.1^{\circ}$
T = 293(2)  K	$\theta_{\min} = 1.5^{\circ}$
ω scans	$h = -19 \rightarrow 12$
Absorption correction: multi-scan (SADABS; Sheldrick, 1996)	$k = -9 \rightarrow 8$
$T_{\min} = 0.964, T_{\max} = 0.996$	$l = -18 \rightarrow 17$
8073 measured reflections	

#### Refinement

Refinement on $F^2$	Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier map
Least-squares matrix: full	Hydrogen site location: inferred from neighbouring sites
$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.047$	H-atom parameters constrained
$wR(F^2) = 0.124$	$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0587P)^2 + 0.0855P]$ where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
<i>S</i> = 1.03	$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\rm max} < 0.001$
2913 reflections	$\Delta \rho_{max} = 0.13 \text{ e} \text{ Å}^{-3}$
208 parameters	$\Delta \rho_{min} = -0.20 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$
Primary atom site location: structure-invariant direct methods	Extinction correction: none

#### Special details

**Geometry**. All e.s.d.'s (except the e.s.d. in the dihedral angle between two l.s. planes) are estimated using the full covariance matrix. The cell e.s.d.'s are taken into account individually in the estimation of e.s.d.'s in distances, angles and torsion angles; correlations between e.s.d.'s in cell parameters are only used when they are defined by crystal symmetry. An approximate (isotropic) treatment of cell e.s.d.'s is used for estimating e.s.d.'s involving l.s. planes.

**Refinement**. Refinement of  $F^2$  against ALL reflections. The weighted *R*-factor *wR* and goodness of fit S are based on  $F^2$ , conventional *R*-factors *R* are based on F, with F set to zero for negative  $F^2$ . The threshold expression of  $F^2 > 2 \operatorname{sigma}(F^2)$  is used only for calculating *R*-factors(gt) *etc.* and is not relevant to the choice of reflections for refinement. *R*-factors based on  $F^2$  are statistically about twice as large as those based on F, and R– factors based on ALL data will be even larger.

Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters  $(A^2)$ 

	x	У	Z	$U_{\rm iso}*/U_{\rm eq}$
C19	0.18422 (11)	0.8023 (2)	0.42612 (12)	0.0389 (4)
C6	-0.25313 (11)	0.6242 (2)	0.47210 (13)	0.0413 (4)
N2	0.02462 (10)	0.7772 (2)	0.41815 (11)	0.0487 (4)

N1	-0.40204 (11)	0.5240 (2)	0.31629 (12)	0.0548 (4)
C5	-0.35316 (11)	0.5882 (2)	0.42333 (12)	0.0420 (4)
C10	0.08469 (11)	0.7471 (2)	0.37018 (13)	0.0417 (4)
C1	-0.21576 (13)	0.6856 (2)	0.57357 (14)	0.0504 (5)
H1A	-0.1493	0.7096	0.6101	0.061*
C7	-0.18684 (11)	0.5971 (2)	0.42695 (13)	0.0466 (4)
H7A	-0.1989	0.5005	0.3821	0.056*
C11	0.05107 (13)	0.6791 (2)	0.27212 (14)	0.0519 (5)
H11A	-0.0135	0.6421	0.2361	0.062*
C14	0.24596 (11)	0.7850 (2)	0.37904 (13)	0.0424 (4)
C4	-0.41129 (13)	0.6127 (2)	0.47087 (15)	0.0518 (5)
H4A	-0.4775	0.5865	0.4358	0.062*
C13	0.20743 (13)	0.7164 (3)	0.27765 (14)	0.0523 (5)
H13A	0.2475	0.7066	0.2459	0.063*
C9	-0.04464 (12)	0.6684 (2)	0.40303 (14)	0.0494 (5)
H9A	-0.0528	0.5655	0.3635	0.059*
C12	0.11219 (13)	0.6645 (3)	0.22567 (14)	0.0553 (5)
H12A	0.0879	0.6192	0.1590	0.066*
C18	0.22384 (12)	0.8694 (2)	0.52798 (13)	0.0458 (4)
H18A	0.1839	0.8819	0.5596	0.055*
C17	0.31968 (13)	0.9160 (2)	0.58045 (14)	0.0525 (5)
H17A	0.3446	0.9597	0.6475	0.063*
C2	-0.27333 (15)	0.7122 (3)	0.62153 (15)	0.0582 (5)
H2B	-0.2458	0.7547	0.6890	0.070*
C15	0.34514 (12)	0.8360 (2)	0.43613 (15)	0.0509 (5)
H15A	0.3865	0.8264	0.4059	0.061*
C16	0.38070 (13)	0.8985 (2)	0.53407 (15)	0.0553 (5)
H16A	0.4462	0.9299	0.5706	0.066*
O2	-0.47769 (10)	0.4391 (2)	0.28762 (11)	0.0802 (5)
01	-0.36607 (10)	0.5584 (3)	0.25959 (10)	0.0848 (5)
C8	-0.11034 (12)	0.7017 (2)	0.44595 (14)	0.0493 (5)
H8A	-0.0989	0.8009	0.4890	0.059*
C3	-0.37129 (15)	0.6760 (3)	0.57018 (16)	0.0585 (5)
H3A	-0.4103	0.6943	0.6025	0.070*

Atomic displacement parameters  $(Å^2)$ 

	$U^{11}$	U <sup>22</sup>	U <sup>33</sup>	$U^{12}$	$U^{13}$	$U^{23}$
C19	0.0397 (9)	0.0348 (9)	0.0434 (9)	0.0039 (7)	0.0203 (8)	0.0073 (7)
C6	0.0381 (9)	0.0376 (9)	0.0486 (10)	0.0023 (7)	0.0203 (8)	0.0062 (7)
N2	0.0363 (8)	0.0543 (9)	0.0576 (9)	0.0043 (7)	0.0233 (7)	0.0046 (7)
N1	0.0438 (9)	0.0663 (10)	0.0467 (9)	0.0024 (8)	0.0142 (8)	0.0057 (8)
C5	0.0391 (9)	0.0423 (9)	0.0437 (9)	0.0014 (7)	0.0183 (8)	0.0049 (8)
C10	0.0359 (9)	0.0431 (10)	0.0463 (10)	0.0052 (7)	0.0192 (8)	0.0074 (8)
C1	0.0442 (10)	0.0497 (11)	0.0519 (11)	-0.0041 (8)	0.0173 (9)	-0.0010 (8)
C7	0.0403 (10)	0.0476 (10)	0.0532 (10)	0.0030 (8)	0.0225 (8)	0.0034 (8)
C11	0.0397 (10)	0.0581 (11)	0.0484 (10)	-0.0003 (8)	0.0122 (8)	0.0065 (9)
C14	0.0409 (9)	0.0413 (10)	0.0469 (10)	0.0042 (7)	0.0218 (8)	0.0086 (8)

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C4	0.0443 (10)	0.0515 (11)	0.0659 (12)	-0.0009 (8)	0.0306 (10)	0.0038 (9)
C13	0.0552 (11)	0.0605 (12)	0.0500 (11)	0.0076 (9)	0.0317 (9)	0.0065 (9)
C9	0.0381 (9)	0.0499 (11)	0.0596 (11)	0.0067 (8)	0.0218 (9)	0.0063 (9)
C12	0.0564 (12)	0.0661 (13)	0.0422 (10)	0.0027 (9)	0.0215 (9)	0.0013 (9)
C18	0.0492 (10)	0.0444 (10)	0.0471 (10)	-0.0002 (8)	0.0249 (9)	0.0023 (8)
C17	0.0521 (11)	0.0508 (11)	0.0471 (10)	-0.0059 (8)	0.0163 (9)	0.0005 (9)
C2	0.0704 (13)	0.0532 (12)	0.0553 (11)	-0.0028 (10)	0.0325 (10)	-0.0055 (9)
C15	0.0421 (10)	0.0518 (11)	0.0645 (12)	0.0020 (8)	0.0293 (9)	0.0115 (9)
C16	0.0394 (10)	0.0531 (11)	0.0640 (12)	-0.0076 (8)	0.0155 (9)	0.0065 (9)
O2	0.0538 (9)	0.1017 (12)	0.0619 (9)	-0.0247 (8)	0.0067 (7)	-0.0022 (8)
01	0.0686 (10)	0.1381 (16)	0.0511 (8)	-0.0080 (9)	0.0304 (8)	-0.0017 (9)
C8	0.0392 (10)	0.0510(11)	0.0589 (11)	0.0057 (8)	0.0235 (9)	0.0062 (9)
C3	0.0675 (13)	0.0547 (12)	0.0711 (13)	0.0005 (9)	0.0472 (11)	-0.0016 (10)

Geometric parameters (Å, °)

C19—C18	1.413 (2)	C14—C15	1.418 (2)
C19—C14	1.414 (2)	C4—C3	1.371 (3)
C19—C10	1.429 (2)	C4—H4A	0.9300
C6—C1	1.396 (2)	C13—C12	1.364 (2)
C6—C5	1.398 (2)	C13—H13A	0.9300
C6—C7	1.464 (2)	С9—С8	1.438 (2)
N2—C9	1.275 (2)	С9—Н9А	0.9300
N2—C10	1.413 (2)	C12—H12A	0.9300
N1—01	1.2171 (18)	C18—C17	1.362 (2)
N1—O2	1.2192 (18)	C18—H18A	0.9300
N1—C5	1.468 (2)	C17—C16	1.396 (2)
C5—C4	1.376 (2)	C17—H17A	0.9300
C10-C11	1.375 (2)	C2—C3	1.371 (3)
C1—C2	1.375 (2)	C2—H2B	0.9300
C1—H1A	0.9300	C15—C16	1.356 (3)
С7—С8	1.331 (2)	C15—H15A	0.9300
С7—Н7А	0.9300	C16—H16A	0.9300
C11—C12	1.396 (2)	C8—H8A	0.9300
C11—H11A	0.9300	С3—НЗА	0.9300
C14—C13	1.412 (2)		
C18—C19—C14	118.73 (15)	C12—C13—C14	120.81 (17)
C18-C19-C10	122.28 (15)	C12—C13—H13A	119.6
C14-C19-C10	118.96 (15)	C14—C13—H13A	119.6
C1—C6—C5	115.11 (15)	N2—C9—C8	121.30 (18)
C1—C6—C7	119.26 (15)	N2—C9—H9A	119.3
C5—C6—C7	125.60 (16)	С8—С9—Н9А	119.3
C9—N2—C10	120.23 (16)	C13—C12—C11	120.28 (17)
O1—N1—O2	122.65 (17)	C13—C12—H12A	119.9
O1—N1—C5	118.92 (15)	C11—C12—H12A	119.9
O2—N1—C5	118.43 (16)	C17—C18—C19	120.97 (16)
C4—C5—C6	122.82 (16)	C17—C18—H18A	119.5
C4—C5—N1	116.38 (15)	C19—C18—H18A	119.5
C6—C5—N1	120.79 (15)	C18—C17—C16	120.30 (17)

C11—C10—N2	123.64 (15)	C18—C17—H17A	119.9
C11—C10—C19	119.50 (15)	C16—C17—H17A	119.9
N2-C10-C19	116.74 (15)	C3—C2—C1	120.16 (19)
C2—C1—C6	122.55 (17)	C3—C2—H2B	119.9
C2—C1—H1A	118.7	C1—C2—H2B	119.9
C6—C1—H1A	118.7	C16—C15—C14	121.05 (17)
C8—C7—C6	124.28 (17)	C16—C15—H15A	119.5
С8—С7—Н7А	117.9	C14—C15—H15A	119.5
С6—С7—Н7А	117.9	C15—C16—C17	120.43 (16)
C10-C11-C12	121.18 (16)	C15—C16—H16A	119.8
C10-C11-H11A	119.4	C17—C16—H16A	119.8
C12—C11—H11A	119.4	C7—C8—C9	123.05 (18)
C13—C14—C19	119.25 (15)	С7—С8—Н8А	118.5
C13—C14—C15	122.24 (16)	С9—С8—Н8А	118.5
C19—C14—C15	118.51 (16)	C2—C3—C4	119.54 (18)
C3—C4—C5	119.81 (17)	С2—С3—НЗА	120.2
C3—C4—H4A	120.1	С4—С3—Н3А	120.2
C5—C4—H4A	120.1		
C1—C6—C5—C4	0.6 (2)	C18—C19—C14—C15	-0.1 (2)
C7—C6—C5—C4	178.47 (15)	C10-C19-C14-C15	-178.49 (14)
C1C6C5N1	179.58 (15)	C6—C5—C4—C3	0.4 (3)
C7—C6—C5—N1	-2.5 (3)	N1C5C4C3	-178.66 (16)
O1—N1—C5—C4	154.51 (17)	C19—C14—C13—C12	-1.0 (3)
O2—N1—C5—C4	-25.0 (2)	C15-C14-C13-C12	178.42 (16)
O1—N1—C5—C6	-24.5 (2)	C10—N2—C9—C8	-176.27 (14)
O2—N1—C5—C6	155.98 (16)	C14—C13—C12—C11	0.2 (3)
C9—N2—C10—C11	36.7 (2)	C10-C11-C12-C13	0.6 (3)
C9—N2—C10—C19	-147.33 (16)	C14—C19—C18—C17	-0.3 (2)
C18—C19—C10—C11	-178.51 (16)	C10-C19-C18-C17	178.06 (15)
C14—C19—C10—C11	-0.2 (2)	C19—C18—C17—C16	0.1 (3)
C18-C19-C10-N2	5.3 (2)	C6—C1—C2—C3	0.8 (3)
C14—C19—C10—N2	-176.33 (14)	C13-C14-C15-C16	-178.85 (17)
C5—C6—C1—C2	-1.2 (2)	C19-C14-C15-C16	0.6 (2)
C7—C6—C1—C2	-179.20 (16)	C14—C15—C16—C17	-0.8 (3)
C1—C6—C7—C8	-36.3 (2)	C18—C17—C16—C15	0.4 (3)
C5—C6—C7—C8	145.94 (17)	C6—C7—C8—C9	177.95 (15)
N2-C10-C11-C12	175.23 (16)	N2	175.93 (17)
C19—C10—C11—C12	-0.6 (2)	C1—C2—C3—C4	0.2 (3)
C18—C19—C14—C13	179.40 (15)	C5—C4—C3—C2	-0.8 (3)
C10-C19-C14-C13	1.0 (2)		



