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 $R_{\rm int} = 0.030$ 

943 independent reflections

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

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# Acrylamide

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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; T = 113 K; mean  $\sigma$ (C–C) = 0.002 Å; R factor = 0.041; wR factor = 0.107; data-to-parameter ratio = 17.5.

In the crystal structure of the title compound,  $C_3H_5NO$ , the molecules are linked through N-H···O hydrogen bonds, forming a two-dimensional supramolecular network.

#### **Related literature**

For related literature, see: Belloni et al. (2005); Kahwa et al. (1986); Parashar et al. (1988); Santos et al. (2001); Tynan et al. (2005). For a previous (low precision) structure determination, with an R factor of almost 0.20, see: Isakov (1966).



#### **Experimental**

#### Crystal data

C<sub>3</sub>H<sub>5</sub>NO  $M_{\rm r} = 71.08$ Monoclinic,  $P2_1/n$ a = 8.2062 (16) Åb = 5.7480 (11) Åc = 9.0527 (18) Å  $\beta = 111.37 \ (3)^{\circ}$ 

 $V = 397.65 (16) \text{ Å}^3$ Z = 4Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation  $\mu = 0.09 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ T = 113 (2) K  $0.10 \times 0.08 \times 0.06 \; \mathrm{mm}$  Data collection

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Rigaku Saturn diffractometer
Absorption correction: multi-scan
  (SADABS; Sheldrick, 1996)
  T_{\min} = 0.991, T_{\max} = 0.995
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#### Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.042$	H atoms treated by a mixture of
$wR(F^2) = 0.107$	independent and constrained
S = 1.11	refinement
943 reflections	$\Delta \rho_{\rm max} = 0.20 \ {\rm e} \ {\rm \AA}^{-3}$
54 parameters	$\Delta \rho_{\rm min} = -0.19 \ {\rm e} \ {\rm \AA}^{-3}$
3 restraints	

#### Table 1

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °).

$D - H \cdot \cdot \cdot A$	D-H	$H \cdots A$	$D \cdots A$	$D - \mathbf{H} \cdots A$
$\overline{N1 - H1A \cdots O1^{i}}$ $N1 - H1B \cdots O1^{ii}$	0.886 (8)	1.970 (8)	2.8465 (16)	169.9 (14)
	0.894 (8)	2.044 (8)	2.9291 (13)	170.6 (15)

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

Data collection: SMART (Bruker, 1999); cell refinement: SAINT (Bruker, 1999); 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.

Supplementary data and figures for this paper are available from the IUCr electronic archives (Reference: AT2300).

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## Comment

In order to establish control over the preparation of crystalline solid materials so that their architecture and properties are predictable (Belloni *et al.*, 2005; Tynan *et al.*, 2005; Parashar *et al.*, 1988), the synthesis of new and designed crystal structures has become a major strand of modern chemistry. Metal complexes based on Schiff bases have attracted much attention because they can be utilized as model compounds of the active centres in various proteins and enzymes (Kahwa *et al.*, 1986; Santos *et al.*, 2001). As part of an investigation of the coordination properties of Shiff bases functioning as ligands, we report the synthesis and crystal structure of the title compound, (I).

The expected geometric parameters are observed in (I) (Fig. 1). The molecules are linked through N—H···O hydrogen bonds (Table 2), forming a two-dimensional supramolecular network which leads to stable crystal structure. Fig. 2 shows a portion of this extensively hydrogen-bonded supramolecular assembly.

## **Experimental**

Acrylamide (1 g) was added to a Trichloro-methane (50 ml), with stirring at 350 K. The resulting colourless solution was filtered and the filtrate was allowed to stand in air at room temperature for 10 d, yielding colourless crystals of (I).

### Refinement

The H atoms of the NH<sub>2</sub> group were found from a difference Fourier map and refined freely. C-bound H atoms were placed in calculated positions with C—H = 0.93 Å and refined using a riding model, with  $U_{iso}(H) = 1.2U_{eq}(C)$ .

#### **Figures**



Fig. 1. The molecular structure of (I). Displacement ellipsoids are drawn at the 30% probability level.



Fig. 2. The crystal packing of (I), viewed down the a axis. Hydrogen bonds are indicated by dashed lines.

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$C \rightarrow 11$	
Crystal aata	
C <sub>3</sub> H <sub>5</sub> NO	$F_{000} = 152$
$M_r = 71.08$	$D_{\rm x} = 1.187 {\rm ~Mg} {\rm m}^{-3}$
Monoclinic, $P2_1/n$	Mo $K\alpha$ radiation $\lambda = 0.71073$ Å
Hall symbol: -P 2yn	Cell parameters from 1254 reflections
a = 8.2062 (16)  Å	$\theta = 2.3 - 25.0^{\circ}$
b = 5.7480 (11)  Å	$\mu = 0.09 \text{ mm}^{-1}$
c = 9.0527 (18)  Å	T = 113 (2) K
$\beta = 111.37 \ (3)^{\circ}$	Block, colourless
$V = 397.65 (16) \text{ Å}^3$	$0.10\times0.08\times0.06~mm$
Z = 4	

#### Data collection

Rigaku Saturn diffractometer	943 independent reflections		
Radiation source: rotating anode	832 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$		
Monochromator: confocal	$R_{\rm int} = 0.030$		
T = 113(2)  K	$\theta_{\text{max}} = 27.9^{\circ}$		
ω scans	$\theta_{\min} = 2.9^{\circ}$		
Absorption correction: multi-scan (SADABS; Sheldrick, 1996)	$h = -10 \rightarrow 10$		
$T_{\min} = 0.991, \ T_{\max} = 0.995$	$k = -6 \rightarrow 7$		
2936 measured reflections	$l = -11 \rightarrow 11$		

# Refinement

Refinement on $F^2$	Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier map
Least-squares matrix: full	Hydrogen site location: inferred from neighbouring sites
$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.042$	H atoms treated by a mixture of independent and constrained refinement
$wR(F^2) = 0.107$	$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0533P)^2 + 0.053P]$ where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
<i>S</i> = 1.11	$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\rm max} < 0.001$
943 reflections	$\Delta \rho_{max} = 0.20 \text{ e} \text{ Å}^{-3}$
54 parameters	$\Delta \rho_{\rm min} = -0.19 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$
3 restraints	Extinction correction: none
Primary atom site location: structure-invariant direct	

Primary methods

# 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		Uiso*	$/U_{eq}$		
01	0.01963 (11)	0.26267 (14	4)	0.86873	(9)	0.030	3 (3)		
N1	0.21481 (13)	0.36721 (18	8)	1.10725	(11)	0.028	1 (3)		
C1	0.15782 (14)	0.2263 (2)		0.98265	(12)	0.022	6 (3)		
C2	0.26969 (15)	0.0222 (2)		0.98707	(13)	0.028	3 (3)		
H2	0.3754	0.0058		1.0719		0.034	*		
C3	0.22422 (19)	-0.1360 (2)	)	0.87512	(16)	0.038	3 (4)		
H3A	0.1189	-0.1220		0.7896		0.046	*		
H3B	0.2972	-0.2623		0.8812		0.046	*		
H1A	0.3147 (13)	0.344 (2)		1.1876 (	13)	0.032	(3)*		
H1B	0.1520 (16)	0.492 (2)		1.1129 (	17)	0.041 (4)*			
Atomic displacen	nent parameters (	$(A^2)$							
	$U^{11}$	$U^{22}$	$U^{33}$		$U^{12}$		$U^{13}$		$U^{23}$
01	0.0228 (4)	0.0377 (6)	0.0219 (	4)	0.0031 (3)		-0.0021 (3)		-0.0051 (3)
N1	0.0226 (5)	0.0298 (6)	0.0221 (	5)	0.0056 (4)		-0.0034 (4)		-0.0023 (4)
C1	0.0191 (5)	0.0277 (6)	0.0189 (	5)	-0.0011 (4)		0.0045 (4)		0.0016 (4)
C2	0.0284 (6)	0.0317 (7)	0.0256 (	6)	0.0058 (5)		0.0109 (5)		0.0057 (5)
C3	0.0482 (8)	0.0314 (7)	0.0399 (	7)	0.0052 (6)		0.0215 (7)		0.0008 (5)
Geometric param	neters (Å, °)								
01—C1		1.2413 (14)		C2—C3			1.	.3106	(18)
N1—C1		1.3275 (14)	(14) C2—H2			0.9300			
N1—H1A		0.886 (8)	(8) C3—H3A		A		0.9300		
N1—H1B		0.894 (8)	) C3—H3B		В	0.9300			
C1—C2		1.4815 (16)							
C1—N1—H1A		122.6 (9)		C3—C2	—C1		12	21.98	(12)
C1—N1—H1B		120.3 (9)	С3-		С3—С2—Н2		1	119.0	
H1A—N1—H1B		117.1 (11)		C1—C2	—Н2		1	19.0	
01-C1-N1		122.39 (11)		C2—C3	—НЗА		12	20.0	
O1—C1—C2		121.69 (10)		C2—C3	—Н3В		12	20.0	

# supplementary materials

N1—C1—C2	115.93 (10)	НЗА—СЗ—НЗВ	120.0			
O1—C1—C2—C3	-3.48 (18)	N1—C1—C2—C3	176.71 (12)			
Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °)						
D—H···A	D—H	$H \cdots A$	$D \cdots A$	D—H··· $A$		
N1—H1A···O1 <sup>i</sup>	0.886 (8)	1.970 (8)	2.8465 (16)	169.9 (14)		
N1—H1B…O1 <sup>ii</sup>	0.894 (8)	2.044 (8)	2.9291 (13)	170.6 (15)		
Symmetry codes: (i) $x+1/2$ , $-y+1/2$ , $z+1/2$ ; (ii) $-x$ , $-y+1$ , $-z+2$ .						





