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3-Phenyloxazolidin-2-one

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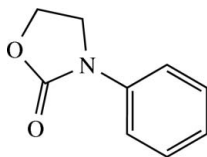
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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; $T = 200$ K; mean $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.002$ Å;
 R factor = 0.039; wR factor = 0.106; data-to-parameter ratio = 13.4.

In the title compound, $\text{C}_9\text{H}_9\text{NO}_2$, amide– π -system conjugation results in an almost coplanar arrangement of the phenyl ring and the almost planar heterocycle. In the crystal structure, π -stacked dimers [perpendicular distance 3.563 (2) Å] interact with neighbouring dimers via $\text{C}-\text{H}\cdots\pi$ interactions.

Related literature

For related literature, see: Shibuya *et al.* (1998); List (2000).



Experimental

Crystal data

$\text{C}_9\text{H}_9\text{NO}_2$

$M_r = 163.17$

Monoclinic, $P2_1/c$

$a = 8.9290$ (4) Å

$b = 8.1865$ (4) Å

$c = 10.7583$ (4) Å

$\beta = 104.127$ (3)°

$V = 762.62$ (6) Å³

$Z = 4$

Mo $K\alpha$ radiation

$\mu = 0.10$ mm⁻¹

$T = 200$ (2) K

$0.32 \times 0.29 \times 0.06$ mm

Data collection

Nonius KappaCCD diffractometer

Absorption correction: none

4808 measured reflections

1484 independent reflections

1205 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$

$R_{\text{int}} = 0.052$

Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.039$

$wR(F^2) = 0.106$

$S = 1.06$

1484 reflections

111 parameters

Only H-atom displacement parameters refined

$\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 0.16$ e Å⁻³

$\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.16$ e Å⁻³

Table 1

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °).

C_g is the centroid of the phenyl group.

$D-H\cdots A$	$D-H$	$H\cdots A$	$D\cdots A$	$D-H\cdots A$
$\text{C3}-\text{H31}\cdots\text{Cg}^i$	0.99	2.72	3.3854 (16)	125

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

Data collection: *COLLECT* (Nonius, 2004); cell refinement: *DENZO/SCALEPACK* (Otwinowski & Minor 1997); data reduction: *DENZO/SCALEPACK*; program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 1997); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 1997); molecular graphics: *ORTEPIII* (Burnett & Johnson, 1996); software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXL97*.

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Comment

The title compound, (I), was unintentionally prepared upon the attempted synthesis of 2,2'-spirobi[3-phenyl-1,3-oxazolone].

In the molecule of (I) a five-membered heterocycle is bonded to a phenyl moiety as an exocyclic substituent on the N atom (Fig. 1). Since (I) is an amide, the N atom binds essentially planarly. The phenyl group and the heterocycle are not in perfect co-planarity, yet the torsional angle between the two planes is found to be smaller than 9°. The heterocycle adopts a *twist* conformation; however, puckering is small, the amplitude being only 0.085 (2) Å. Bond lengths and angles are normal (List, 2000).

In the crystal structure, pairs of molecules are oriented parallel to each other with the aromatic moieties facing the heterocyclic rings (Fig. 2). The perpendicular distance of the dimer's mean planes is 3.563 (2) Å. The π -stacked dimers interact with neighbouring dimers *via* C–H/ π interactions: for C3–H31...Cg, the H...Cg distance is 2.72 Å (Cg is the centroid of the phenyl ring at 2_645).

Experimental

The title compound was accidentally obtained as the product upon the attempted synthesis of 2,2'-spirobi[3-phenyl-1,3-oxazolone] according to a published procedure (Shibuya *et al.*, 1998) by reacting 2-anilinoethanol with carbon disulfide in acetonitrile in the presence of triethylamine and silver nitrate. Crystals suitable for X-ray analysis were obtained directly from the crystallized reaction product.

Refinement

H atoms were located in a difference map and refined as riding on their parent atoms with C–H = 0.95 and 0.99 Å, for aromatic and methylene H atoms. One common isotropic displacement parameter for all H atoms was refined to $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H}) = 0.0444 (15) \text{ \AA}^2$.

Figures

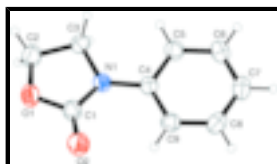


Fig. 1. The molecular structure of the title molecule, with the atom-numbering scheme. Displacement ellipsoids are drawn at the 50% probability level.

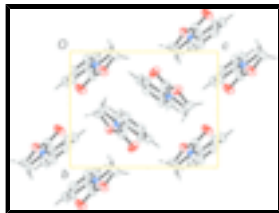


Fig. 2. A packing diagram of (I), viewed along $[-1\ 0\ 0]$.

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Crystal data

$C_9H_9NO_2$	$F_{000} = 344$
$M_r = 163.17$	$D_x = 1.421\text{ Mg m}^{-3}$
Monoclinic, $P2_1/c$	Mo $K\alpha$ radiation
Hall symbol: $-P\ 2_1/c$	$\lambda = 0.71073\ \text{\AA}$
$a = 8.9290\ (4)\ \text{\AA}$	Cell parameters from 6001 reflections
$b = 8.1865\ (4)\ \text{\AA}$	$\theta = 3.1\text{--}26.0^\circ$
$c = 10.7583\ (4)\ \text{\AA}$	$\mu = 0.10\text{ mm}^{-1}$
$\beta = 104.127\ (3)^\circ$	$T = 200\ (2)\text{ K}$
$V = 762.62\ (6)\ \text{\AA}^3$	Platelet, colorless
$Z = 4$	$0.32 \times 0.29 \times 0.06\text{ mm}$

Data collection

Nonius KappaCCD diffractometer	1205 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
Radiation source: rotating anode	$R_{\text{int}} = 0.052$
Monochromator: MONTEL, graded multilayered X-ray optics	$\theta_{\text{max}} = 26.0^\circ$
$T = 200(2)\text{ K}$	$\theta_{\text{min}} = 3.2^\circ$
CCD; rotation images; thick slices scans	$h = -11 \rightarrow 11$
Absorption correction: none	$k = -9 \rightarrow 10$
4808 measured reflections	$l = -13 \rightarrow 13$
1484 independent reflections	

Refinement

Refinement on F^2	Hydrogen site location: difference Fourier map
Least-squares matrix: full	Only H-atom displacement parameters refined
$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.039$	$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0415P)^2 + 0.1977P]$
$wR(F^2) = 0.106$	where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
$S = 1.06$	$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\text{max}} < 0.001$
1484 reflections	$\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 0.16\text{ e \AA}^{-3}$
111 parameters	$\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.15\text{ e \AA}^{-3}$
	Extinction correction: SHELXL

Primary atom site location: structure-invariant direct methods Extinction coefficient: 0.042 (6)

Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier map

Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters (\AA^2)

	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>	$U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$
O1	0.90188 (11)	0.16725 (14)	0.22618 (10)	0.0422 (3)
O2	0.75635 (13)	0.32281 (15)	0.07287 (11)	0.0517 (4)
N1	0.64862 (13)	0.12175 (14)	0.17631 (11)	0.0295 (3)
C1	0.76398 (17)	0.21333 (19)	0.14944 (14)	0.0340 (4)
C2	0.88041 (19)	0.0318 (2)	0.30567 (16)	0.0429 (4)
H21	0.9276	0.0556	0.3971	0.0444 (15)*
H22	0.9282	-0.0685	0.2812	0.0444 (15)*
C3	0.70748 (17)	0.01065 (18)	0.28320 (13)	0.0322 (4)
H31	0.6760	-0.1035	0.2599	0.0444 (15)*
H32	0.6714	0.0425	0.3598	0.0444 (15)*
C4	0.48820 (16)	0.13842 (16)	0.12138 (12)	0.0276 (3)
C5	0.38575 (16)	0.04866 (19)	0.17378 (14)	0.0343 (4)
H5	0.4245	-0.0220	0.2444	0.0444 (15)*
C6	0.22804 (18)	0.0620 (2)	0.12354 (15)	0.0402 (4)
H6	0.1593	-0.0001	0.1597	0.0444 (15)*
C7	0.16968 (17)	0.1646 (2)	0.02150 (15)	0.0403 (4)
H7	0.0613	0.1742	-0.0122	0.0444 (15)*
C8	0.27030 (18)	0.2529 (2)	-0.03092 (14)	0.0378 (4)
H8	0.2304	0.3233	-0.1014	0.0444 (15)*
C9	0.42905 (17)	0.24101 (18)	0.01742 (13)	0.0328 (4)
H9	0.4970	0.3024	-0.0201	0.0444 (15)*

Atomic displacement parameters (\AA^2)

	U^{11}	U^{22}	U^{33}	U^{12}	U^{13}	U^{23}
O1	0.0282 (6)	0.0456 (7)	0.0504 (7)	-0.0038 (5)	0.0048 (5)	0.0089 (5)
O2	0.0416 (7)	0.0524 (8)	0.0590 (8)	-0.0089 (5)	0.0085 (5)	0.0224 (6)
N1	0.0279 (6)	0.0284 (7)	0.0326 (6)	0.0004 (5)	0.0080 (5)	0.0032 (5)
C1	0.0309 (8)	0.0324 (8)	0.0390 (8)	-0.0019 (6)	0.0092 (6)	0.0019 (7)
C2	0.0343 (9)	0.0429 (10)	0.0480 (9)	0.0000 (7)	0.0033 (7)	0.0096 (7)
C3	0.0340 (8)	0.0311 (8)	0.0307 (7)	0.0017 (6)	0.0062 (6)	0.0034 (6)
C4	0.0282 (7)	0.0260 (7)	0.0288 (7)	0.0007 (6)	0.0074 (5)	-0.0047 (6)
C5	0.0325 (8)	0.0330 (8)	0.0376 (8)	-0.0009 (6)	0.0087 (6)	0.0032 (6)
C6	0.0314 (8)	0.0423 (10)	0.0476 (9)	-0.0056 (7)	0.0112 (7)	-0.0011 (7)
C7	0.0289 (8)	0.0445 (10)	0.0441 (9)	0.0015 (7)	0.0023 (6)	-0.0071 (7)
C8	0.0392 (9)	0.0397 (9)	0.0313 (7)	0.0069 (7)	0.0025 (6)	-0.0013 (7)
C9	0.0350 (8)	0.0334 (8)	0.0315 (7)	0.0020 (6)	0.0106 (6)	0.0000 (6)

Geometric parameters (\AA , $^\circ$)

O1—C1	1.3579 (18)	C4—C5	1.395 (2)
O1—C2	1.4414 (19)	C4—C9	1.395 (2)

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O2—C1	1.2079 (18)	C5—C6	1.384 (2)
N1—C1	1.3608 (19)	C5—H5	0.9500
N1—C4	1.4164 (18)	C6—C7	1.380 (2)
N1—C3	1.4598 (17)	C6—H6	0.9500
C2—C3	1.513 (2)	C7—C8	1.377 (2)
C2—H21	0.9900	C7—H7	0.9500
C2—H22	0.9900	C8—C9	1.389 (2)
C3—H31	0.9900	C8—H8	0.9500
C3—H32	0.9900	C9—H9	0.9500
C1—O1—C2	110.01 (11)	C5—C4—C9	118.92 (13)
C1—N1—C4	126.80 (12)	C5—C4—N1	118.47 (12)
C1—N1—C3	111.40 (12)	C9—C4—N1	122.60 (13)
C4—N1—C3	121.44 (11)	C6—C5—C4	120.38 (14)
O2—C1—O1	120.84 (13)	C6—C5—H5	119.8
O2—C1—N1	129.34 (14)	C4—C5—H5	119.8
O1—C1—N1	109.81 (12)	C7—C6—C5	120.63 (15)
O1—C2—C3	105.75 (12)	C7—C6—H6	119.7
O1—C2—H21	110.6	C5—C6—H6	119.7
C3—C2—H21	110.6	C8—C7—C6	119.23 (14)
O1—C2—H22	110.6	C8—C7—H7	120.4
C3—C2—H22	110.6	C6—C7—H7	120.4
H21—C2—H22	108.7	C7—C8—C9	121.21 (14)
N1—C3—C2	102.22 (12)	C7—C8—H8	119.4
N1—C3—H31	111.3	C9—C8—H8	119.4
C2—C3—H31	111.3	C8—C9—C4	119.63 (14)
N1—C3—H32	111.3	C8—C9—H9	120.2
C2—C3—H32	111.3	C4—C9—H9	120.2
H31—C3—H32	109.2		
C2—O1—C1—O2	-178.30 (15)	C3—N1—C4—C5	1.54 (19)
C2—O1—C1—N1	2.78 (17)	C1—N1—C4—C9	8.8 (2)
C4—N1—C1—O2	-2.2 (3)	C3—N1—C4—C9	-178.57 (13)
C3—N1—C1—O2	-175.42 (15)	C9—C4—C5—C6	-0.3 (2)
C4—N1—C1—O1	176.62 (12)	N1—C4—C5—C6	179.63 (13)
C3—N1—C1—O1	3.37 (17)	C4—C5—C6—C7	-0.3 (2)
C1—O1—C2—C3	-7.44 (17)	C5—C6—C7—C8	0.6 (2)
C1—N1—C3—C2	-7.58 (16)	C6—C7—C8—C9	-0.3 (2)
C4—N1—C3—C2	178.76 (12)	C7—C8—C9—C4	-0.3 (2)
O1—C2—C3—N1	8.73 (16)	C5—C4—C9—C8	0.6 (2)
C1—N1—C4—C5	-171.09 (14)	N1—C4—C9—C8	-179.31 (12)

Hydrogen-bond geometry (\AA , $^\circ$)

$D-H\cdots A$	$D-H$	$H\cdots A$	$D\cdots A$	$D-H\cdots A$
C3—H31 \cdots Cg ⁱ	0.99	2.72	3.3854 (16)	125

Symmetry codes: (i) $-x+1, y-1/2, -z+1/2$.

Fig. 1

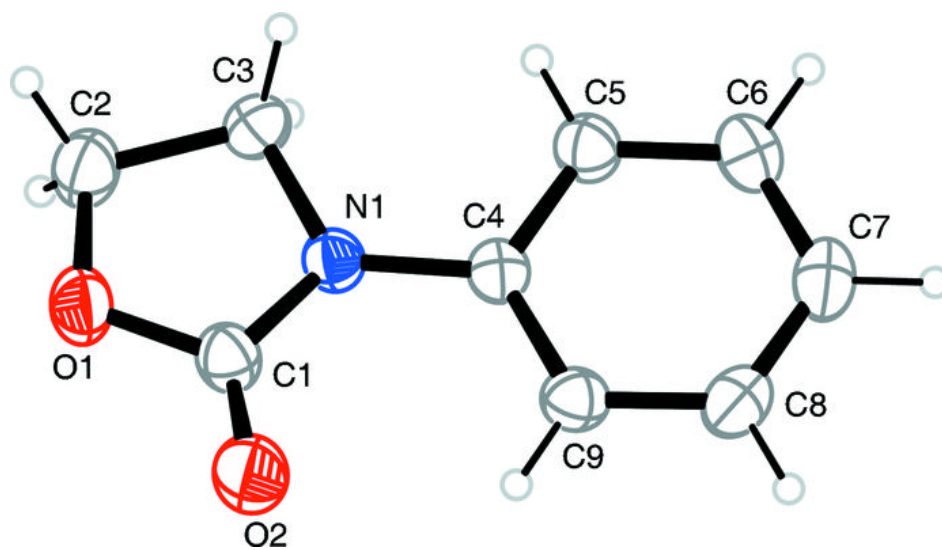


Fig. 2

