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***N'*-(2-Hydroxybenzylidene)-4-methoxybenzohydrazide**

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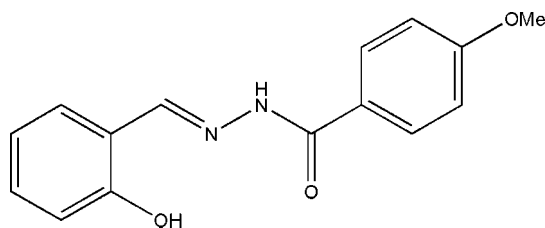
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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; $T = 298$ K; mean $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.002$ Å; R factor = 0.038; wR factor = 0.111; data-to-parameter ratio = 15.6.

The title Schiff base compound, $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{14}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$, was derived from the condensation reaction of salicylaldehyde with 4-methoxybenzohydrazide. The dihedral angle between the two benzene rings is $2.5(2)^\circ$. In the crystal structure, molecules are linked through intermolecular $\text{N}-\text{H}\cdots\text{O}$ hydrogen bonds, forming chains running along the b axis.

Related literature

For related structures, see: Tang (2006, 2007*a,b,c,d*). For reference structural data, see: Allen *et al.* (1987).



Experimental

Crystal data

$\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{14}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$
 $M_r = 270.28$
 Monoclinic, $P2_1/c$
 $a = 16.283(4)$ Å

$b = 5.1876(12)$ Å
 $c = 16.303(4)$ Å
 $\beta = 108.093(2)^\circ$
 $V = 1309.0(5)$ Å³

$Z = 4$
 Mo $K\alpha$ radiation
 $\mu = 0.10$ mm⁻¹

$T = 298(2)$ K
 $0.23 \times 0.20 \times 0.17$ mm

Data collection

Bruker SMART CCD area-detector diffractometer
 Absorption correction: multi-scan (SADABS; Sheldrick, 1996)
 $T_{\min} = 0.978$, $T_{\max} = 0.984$
 7166 measured reflections
 2862 independent reflections
 2288 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
 $R_{\text{int}} = 0.024$

Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.038$
 $wR(F^2) = 0.111$
 $S = 1.03$
 2862 reflections
 183 parameters
 H-atom parameters constrained
 $\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.18$ e Å⁻³
 $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.14$ e Å⁻³

Table 1

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °).

| $D-\text{H}\cdots A$ | $D-\text{H}$ | $\text{H}\cdots A$ | $D\cdots A$ | $D-\text{H}\cdots A$ |
|--|--------------|--------------------|-------------|----------------------|
| $\text{N}2-\text{H}2\cdots\text{O}2^i$ | 0.90 | 2.18 | 3.0112 (15) | 153 |
| $\text{O}1-\text{H}1\cdots\text{N}1$ | 0.82 | 1.90 | 2.6171 (14) | 146 |

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

Data collection: SMART (Bruker, 2002); cell refinement: SAINT (Bruker, 2002); data reduction: SAINT; program(s) used to solve structure: SHELXS97 (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: SHELXL97 (Sheldrick, 2008); molecular graphics: SHELXTL (Sheldrick, 2008); software used to prepare material for publication: SHELXL97.

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Comment

Recently, the author has reported the structures of several Schiff base compounds (Tang, 2006, 2007*a,b,c,d*) and, in continuation of work in this area, reports herein the structure of the title compound, (I), Fig. 1, a new Schiff base compound.

In the title compound (Fig. 1), the dihedral angle between the two benzene rings is 2.5 (2)°. The torsion angles C1—C7—N1—N2, C7—N1—N2—C8, and N1—N2—C8—C9 are 1.3 (2), 11.4 (2), and 0.6 (2)°, respectively. All the bond lengths are within normal values (Allen *et al.*, 1987).

In the crystal structure of the compound, molecules are linked through N—H···O intermolecular hydrogen bonds (Table 1), forming chains running along the *b* axis (Fig. 2).

Experimental

Salicylaldehyde (0.1 mmol, 12.2 mg) and 4-methoxybenzohydrazide (0.1 mmol, 16.6 mg) were dissolved in an ethanol solution (20 ml). The mixture was stirred at reflux for 10 min to give a clear colorless solution. Colorless needle-like crystals of the compound were formed by slow evaporation of the solvent over several days.

Refinement

H atoms were constrained to ideal geometries, with C—H = 0.93–0.96 Å, O—H = 0.82 Å, N—H = 0.90 Å, and with $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H}) = 1.2U_{\text{eq}}(\text{C,N}), 1.5U_{\text{eq}}(\text{C15 and O1})$.

Figures

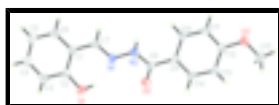


Fig. 1. The molecular structure of the compound, showing the atom-numbering scheme. Displacement ellipsoids are drawn at the 30% probability level.

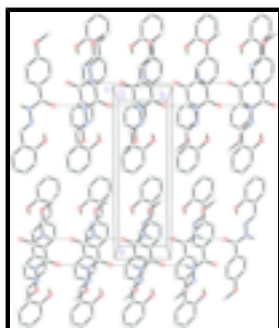


Fig. 2. Molecular packing of (I) with hydrogen bonds drawn as dashed lines.

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Crystal data

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| $C_{15}H_{14}N_2O_3$ | $F_{000} = 568$ |
| $M_r = 270.28$ | $D_x = 1.371 \text{ Mg m}^{-3}$ |
| Monoclinic, $P2_1/c$ | Mo $K\alpha$ radiation |
| Hall symbol: -P 2ybc | $\lambda = 0.71073 \text{ \AA}$ |
| $a = 16.283 (4) \text{ \AA}$ | Cell parameters from 2841 reflections |
| $b = 5.1876 (12) \text{ \AA}$ | $\theta = 2.5\text{--}28.4^\circ$ |
| $c = 16.303 (4) \text{ \AA}$ | $\mu = 0.10 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ |
| $\beta = 108.093 (2)^\circ$ | $T = 298 (2) \text{ K}$ |
| $V = 1309.0 (5) \text{ \AA}^3$ | Cut from a needle, colorless |
| $Z = 4$ | $0.23 \times 0.20 \times 0.17 \text{ mm}$ |

Data collection

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| Bruker SMART CCD area-detector diffractometer | 2862 independent reflections |
| Radiation source: fine-focus sealed tube | 2288 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$ |
| Monochromator: graphite | $R_{\text{int}} = 0.024$ |
| $T = 298(2) \text{ K}$ | $\theta_{\text{max}} = 27.0^\circ$ |
| ω scans | $\theta_{\text{min}} = 2.6^\circ$ |
| Absorption correction: multi-scan (SADABS; Sheldrick, 1996) | $h = -20 \rightarrow 17$ |
| $T_{\text{min}} = 0.978$, $T_{\text{max}} = 0.984$ | $k = -6 \rightarrow 5$ |
| 7166 measured reflections | $l = -20 \rightarrow 20$ |

Refinement

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|--|---|
| Refinement on F^2 | Hydrogen site location: inferred from neighbouring sites |
| Least-squares matrix: full | H-atom parameters constrained |
| $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.038$ | $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0543P)^2 + 0.1695P]$ |
| $wR(F^2) = 0.111$ | where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$ |
| $S = 1.03$ | $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\text{max}} = 0.001$ |
| 2862 reflections | $\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 0.19 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$ |
| 183 parameters | $\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.14 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$ |
| Primary atom site location: structure-invariant direct methods | Extinction correction: SHELXL97 (Sheldrick, 2008), $F_c^* = kF_c[1 + 0.001 \times F_c^2 \lambda^3 / \sin(2\theta)]^{-1/4}$ |
| Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier map | Extinction coefficient: 0.0102 (19) |

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 $F^2 > \sigma(F^2)$ 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 (\AA^2)

| | <i>x</i> | <i>y</i> | <i>z</i> | $U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$ |
|------|--------------|--------------|--------------|----------------------------------|
| O1 | 0.28687 (6) | 0.79939 (18) | 0.04446 (6) | 0.0589 (3) |
| H1 | 0.2415 | 0.8168 | 0.0558 | 0.071* |
| O2 | 0.07668 (6) | 0.61484 (17) | 0.09720 (6) | 0.0513 (3) |
| O3 | -0.28125 (6) | 0.8712 (2) | 0.15298 (7) | 0.0603 (3) |
| N1 | 0.18099 (6) | 1.0151 (2) | 0.11628 (7) | 0.0458 (3) |
| N2 | 0.09898 (6) | 1.0412 (2) | 0.12266 (7) | 0.0458 (3) |
| H2 | 0.0786 | 1.2025 | 0.1239 | 0.055* |
| C1 | 0.32018 (7) | 1.1824 (2) | 0.13304 (8) | 0.0418 (3) |
| C2 | 0.34309 (8) | 0.9849 (2) | 0.08499 (8) | 0.0447 (3) |
| C3 | 0.42580 (9) | 0.9783 (3) | 0.07764 (9) | 0.0539 (3) |
| H3 | 0.4407 | 0.8497 | 0.0451 | 0.065* |
| C4 | 0.48579 (9) | 1.1612 (3) | 0.11825 (9) | 0.0564 (4) |
| H4A | 0.5410 | 1.1548 | 0.1129 | 0.068* |
| C5 | 0.46509 (9) | 1.3546 (3) | 0.16693 (9) | 0.0559 (4) |
| H5 | 0.5063 | 1.4758 | 0.1950 | 0.067* |
| C6 | 0.38275 (8) | 1.3652 (3) | 0.17323 (8) | 0.0497 (3) |
| H6 | 0.3685 | 1.4972 | 0.2050 | 0.060* |
| C7 | 0.23383 (8) | 1.2025 (2) | 0.14075 (8) | 0.0448 (3) |
| H7 | 0.2172 | 1.3510 | 0.1634 | 0.054* |
| C8 | 0.04904 (7) | 0.8257 (2) | 0.11109 (7) | 0.0393 (3) |
| C9 | -0.03888 (7) | 0.8543 (2) | 0.11895 (7) | 0.0376 (3) |
| C10 | -0.06242 (8) | 1.0470 (2) | 0.16743 (8) | 0.0439 (3) |
| H10 | -0.0232 | 1.1763 | 0.1929 | 0.053* |
| C11 | -0.14321 (8) | 1.0465 (2) | 0.17758 (8) | 0.0475 (3) |
| H11 | -0.1580 | 1.1738 | 0.2106 | 0.057* |
| C12 | -0.20273 (8) | 0.8575 (2) | 0.13885 (8) | 0.0438 (3) |
| C13 | -0.18097 (8) | 0.6676 (2) | 0.08943 (8) | 0.0465 (3) |
| H13 | -0.2209 | 0.5417 | 0.0626 | 0.056* |
| C14 | -0.09942 (8) | 0.6672 (2) | 0.08042 (8) | 0.0436 (3) |
| H14 | -0.0847 | 0.5386 | 0.0478 | 0.052* |
| C15 | -0.33848 (9) | 0.6588 (3) | 0.12432 (11) | 0.0682 (4) |
| H15A | -0.3531 | 0.6430 | 0.0628 | 0.102* |
| H15B | -0.3901 | 0.6869 | 0.1397 | 0.102* |

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H15C -0.3108 0.5034 0.1511 0.102*

Atomic displacement parameters (\AA^2)

| | U^{11} | U^{22} | U^{33} | U^{12} | U^{13} | U^{23} |
|-----|------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|------------|-------------|
| O1 | 0.0530 (6) | 0.0498 (6) | 0.0720 (6) | -0.0030 (4) | 0.0166 (5) | -0.0180 (5) |
| O2 | 0.0492 (5) | 0.0387 (5) | 0.0677 (6) | 0.0032 (4) | 0.0206 (4) | -0.0064 (4) |
| O3 | 0.0521 (6) | 0.0612 (6) | 0.0769 (7) | -0.0039 (5) | 0.0339 (5) | -0.0048 (5) |
| N1 | 0.0397 (5) | 0.0411 (6) | 0.0572 (6) | 0.0003 (4) | 0.0159 (5) | 0.0006 (5) |
| N2 | 0.0392 (5) | 0.0368 (6) | 0.0628 (7) | 0.0017 (4) | 0.0180 (5) | -0.0017 (5) |
| C1 | 0.0423 (6) | 0.0367 (6) | 0.0455 (6) | -0.0002 (5) | 0.0123 (5) | 0.0029 (5) |
| C2 | 0.0471 (7) | 0.0398 (7) | 0.0455 (7) | 0.0003 (5) | 0.0118 (5) | 0.0016 (5) |
| C3 | 0.0568 (8) | 0.0536 (8) | 0.0565 (8) | 0.0054 (6) | 0.0250 (6) | -0.0013 (6) |
| C4 | 0.0476 (7) | 0.0623 (9) | 0.0647 (8) | -0.0017 (6) | 0.0253 (6) | 0.0080 (7) |
| C5 | 0.0494 (7) | 0.0522 (8) | 0.0650 (8) | -0.0130 (6) | 0.0163 (6) | 0.0007 (7) |
| C6 | 0.0505 (7) | 0.0422 (7) | 0.0561 (8) | -0.0051 (6) | 0.0163 (6) | -0.0040 (6) |
| C7 | 0.0451 (7) | 0.0390 (7) | 0.0499 (7) | 0.0019 (5) | 0.0141 (5) | -0.0020 (5) |
| C8 | 0.0421 (6) | 0.0361 (6) | 0.0382 (6) | 0.0018 (5) | 0.0102 (5) | -0.0005 (5) |
| C9 | 0.0418 (6) | 0.0334 (6) | 0.0368 (6) | 0.0006 (5) | 0.0111 (5) | 0.0014 (4) |
| C10 | 0.0487 (7) | 0.0356 (6) | 0.0466 (7) | -0.0034 (5) | 0.0134 (5) | -0.0069 (5) |
| C11 | 0.0556 (7) | 0.0409 (7) | 0.0505 (7) | 0.0012 (6) | 0.0229 (6) | -0.0074 (5) |
| C12 | 0.0444 (6) | 0.0449 (7) | 0.0455 (6) | 0.0015 (5) | 0.0187 (5) | 0.0046 (5) |
| C13 | 0.0456 (7) | 0.0434 (7) | 0.0494 (7) | -0.0079 (5) | 0.0131 (5) | -0.0063 (5) |
| C14 | 0.0490 (7) | 0.0380 (7) | 0.0451 (6) | -0.0019 (5) | 0.0165 (5) | -0.0068 (5) |
| C15 | 0.0492 (8) | 0.0726 (11) | 0.0883 (11) | -0.0098 (7) | 0.0293 (8) | 0.0025 (8) |

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

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| O1—C2 | 1.3509 (15) | C5—H5 | 0.9300 |
| O1—H1 | 0.8200 | C6—H6 | 0.9300 |
| O2—C8 | 1.2303 (14) | C7—H7 | 0.9300 |
| O3—C12 | 1.3695 (14) | C8—C9 | 1.4839 (16) |
| O3—C15 | 1.4248 (17) | C9—C14 | 1.3870 (16) |
| N1—C7 | 1.2773 (16) | C9—C10 | 1.3997 (16) |
| N1—N2 | 1.3780 (14) | C10—C11 | 1.3759 (17) |
| N2—C8 | 1.3604 (15) | C10—H10 | 0.9300 |
| N2—H2 | 0.9000 | C11—C12 | 1.3854 (17) |
| C1—C6 | 1.3974 (17) | C11—H11 | 0.9300 |
| C1—C2 | 1.4085 (17) | C12—C13 | 1.3864 (17) |
| C1—C7 | 1.4538 (16) | C13—C14 | 1.3805 (17) |
| C2—C3 | 1.3891 (17) | C13—H13 | 0.9300 |
| C3—C4 | 1.3750 (19) | C14—H14 | 0.9300 |
| C3—H3 | 0.9300 | C15—H15A | 0.9600 |
| C4—C5 | 1.384 (2) | C15—H15B | 0.9600 |
| C4—H4A | 0.9300 | C15—H15C | 0.9600 |
| C5—C6 | 1.3772 (18) | | |
| C2—O1—H1 | 109.4 | O2—C8—N2 | 121.27 (11) |
| C12—O3—C15 | 117.01 (11) | O2—C8—C9 | 121.51 (10) |

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|-----------|-------------|---------------|-------------|
| C7—N1—N2 | 118.44 (11) | N2—C8—C9 | 117.19 (10) |
| C8—N2—N1 | 117.41 (10) | C14—C9—C10 | 118.34 (11) |
| C8—N2—H2 | 123.9 | C14—C9—C8 | 117.39 (10) |
| N1—N2—H2 | 117.6 | C10—C9—C8 | 124.13 (10) |
| C6—C1—C2 | 118.30 (11) | C11—C10—C9 | 120.40 (11) |
| C6—C1—C7 | 119.64 (11) | C11—C10—H10 | 119.8 |
| C2—C1—C7 | 122.06 (11) | C9—C10—H10 | 119.8 |
| O1—C2—C3 | 117.92 (11) | C10—C11—C12 | 120.42 (11) |
| O1—C2—C1 | 122.26 (11) | C10—C11—H11 | 119.8 |
| C3—C2—C1 | 119.82 (12) | C12—C11—H11 | 119.8 |
| C4—C3—C2 | 120.29 (13) | O3—C12—C11 | 116.36 (11) |
| C4—C3—H3 | 119.9 | O3—C12—C13 | 123.72 (11) |
| C2—C3—H3 | 119.9 | C11—C12—C13 | 119.92 (11) |
| C3—C4—C5 | 120.86 (12) | C14—C13—C12 | 119.39 (11) |
| C3—C4—H4A | 119.6 | C14—C13—H13 | 120.3 |
| C5—C4—H4A | 119.6 | C12—C13—H13 | 120.3 |
| C6—C5—C4 | 119.20 (12) | C13—C14—C9 | 121.52 (11) |
| C6—C5—H5 | 120.4 | C13—C14—H14 | 119.2 |
| C4—C5—H5 | 120.4 | C9—C14—H14 | 119.2 |
| C5—C6—C1 | 121.51 (12) | O3—C15—H15A | 109.5 |
| C5—C6—H6 | 119.2 | O3—C15—H15B | 109.5 |
| C1—C6—H6 | 119.2 | H15A—C15—H15B | 109.5 |
| N1—C7—C1 | 119.60 (11) | O3—C15—H15C | 109.5 |
| N1—C7—H7 | 120.2 | H15A—C15—H15C | 109.5 |
| C1—C7—H7 | 120.2 | H15B—C15—H15C | 109.5 |

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °)

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|--------------------------------|-------------|---------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| N2—H2 \cdots O2 ⁱ | 0.90 | 2.18 | 3.0112 (15) | 153 |
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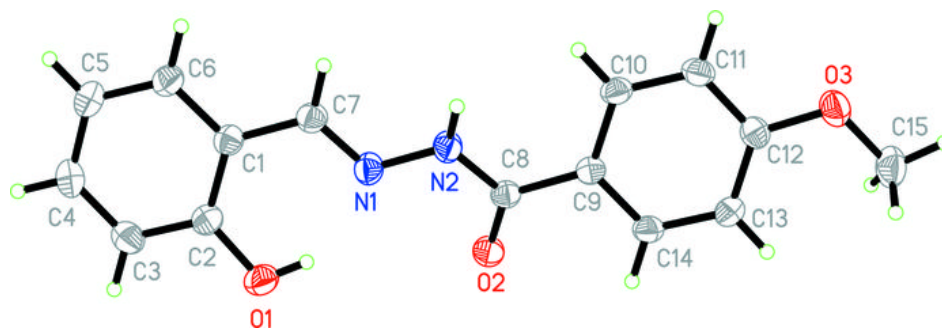


Fig. 2

