2997 measured reflections

 $R_{\rm int} = 0.017$

2129 independent reflections

1790 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$

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Methyl 6-bromo-7-methoxy-1,3-benzodioxole-5-carboxylate

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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; T = 294 K; mean σ (C–C) = 0.004 Å; R factor = 0.036; wR factor = 0.097; data-to-parameter ratio = 14.5.

The non-H atoms of the title compound, $C_{10}H_9BrO_5$, are essentially coplanar, with the exception of the ester group [the O=C-O-C torsion angle is -143.4 (3)°].

Related literature

For related literature, see: Gerhard *et al.* (2003); Song & Xiao (1982).



Experimental

Crystal data

| $C_{10}H_9BrO_5$ | $\gamma = 113.457 \ (2)^{\circ}$ |
|----------------------------------|---|
| $M_r = 289.08$ | V = 527.13 (14) Å ³ |
| Triclinic, P1 | Z = 2 |
| a = 7.6933 (12) Å | Mo $K\alpha$ radiation |
| b = 8.0616 (13) Å | $\mu = 3.90 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ |
| c = 9.7039 (15) Å | T = 294 (2) K |
| $\alpha = 105.062 \ (2)^{\circ}$ | $0.22 \times 0.18 \times 0.08 \text{ mm}$ |
| $\beta = 91.667 \ (2)^{\circ}$ | |
| | |

Data collection

Bruker SMART CCD area-detector diffractometer Absorption correction: multi-scan (*SADABS*; Bruker, 1997) $T_{\rm min} = 0.481, T_{\rm max} = 0.745$

Refinement

| $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.035$ | 147 parameters |
|---------------------------------|--|
| $wR(F^2) = 0.096$ | H-atom parameters constrained |
| S = 1.03 | $\Delta \rho_{\rm max} = 0.67 \ {\rm e} \ {\rm \AA}^{-3}$ |
| 2129 reflections | $\Delta \rho_{\rm min} = -0.42 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$ |

Data collection: *SMART* (Bruker, 1997); cell refinement: *SAINT* (Bruker, 1997); 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: *SHELXTL*.

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Methyl 6-bromo-7-methoxy-1,3-benzodioxole-5-carboxylate

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Comment

The title compound, (I), is a key intermediate for the preparation of biphenyl derivatives. These may act to moderate liver ailments and, thus, be effective in the treatment of acute and chronic hepatitis (Song & Xiao, 1982). The non-hydrogen atoms in (I), Fig. 1, are essentially co-planar with the exception of the ester group; the O1-C7-C6-C1 torsion angle is -143.4 (3)°.

Experimental

The title compound (I) was prepared according to the procedure of Gerhard *et al.* (2003). The reaction was initiated by the addition of one molar equivalent of methanol to one molar equivalent of 6-bromo-7-methoxybenzo[d][1,3]dioxole-5-carboxylic acid in dichloromethane solution and subsequent stirring at room temperature for 12 h. A white powder resulted (yield 88%) and single crystals suitable for X-ray analysis were obtained by slow evaporation of an acetonitrile solution; m.p. 357 K.

Refinement

All H atoms were positioned geometrically and refined in the riding approximation with C—H = 0.93–0.97 Å, and with $U_{iso}(H) = 1.2U_{eq}(\text{carrier atom})$ and $1.5U_{eq}(\text{methyl-C})$.

Figures



Fig. 1. View of (I) showing the atom-labelling scheme. Displacement ellipsoids are drawn at the 35% probability level.

Methyl 6-bromo-7-methoxy-1,3-benzodioxole-5-carboxylate

Crystal data $C_{10}H_9BrO_5$ $M_r = 289.08$ Triclinic, *P*T Hall symbol: -P 1 a = 7.6933 (12) Å b = 8.0616 (13) Å c = 9.7039 (15) Å

Z = 2 $F_{000} = 288$ $D_x = 1.821 \text{ Mg m}^{-3}$ Melting point: 357 K Mo Ka radiation $\lambda = 0.71073 \text{ Å}$ Cell parameters from 1718 reflections $\theta = 2.9-26.3^{\circ}$

| $\alpha = 105.062 \ (2)^{\circ}$ | $\mu = 3.90 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| $\beta = 91.667 \ (2)^{\circ}$ | T = 294 (2) K |
| $\gamma = 113.457 \ (2)^{\circ}$ | Block, colorless |
| $V = 527.13 (14) \text{ Å}^3$ | $0.22\times0.18\times0.08~mm$ |

Data collection

| Bruker SMART CCD area-detector diffractometer | 2129 independent reflections |
|---|--|
| Radiation source: fine-focus sealed tube | 1790 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$ |
| Monochromator: graphite | $R_{\rm int} = 0.017$ |
| T = 294(2) K | $\theta_{\text{max}} = 26.4^{\circ}$ |
| ϕ and ω scans | $\theta_{\min} = 2.2^{\circ}$ |
| Absorption correction: multi-scan (SADABS; Bruker, 1997) | $h = -9 \rightarrow 9$ |
| $T_{\min} = 0.481, T_{\max} = 0.745$ | $k = -7 \rightarrow 10$ |
| 2997 measured reflections | $l = -11 \rightarrow 12$ |

Refinement

| Refinement on F^2 | Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier map |
|--|---|
| Least-squares matrix: full | Hydrogen site location: inferred from neighbouring sites |
| $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.035$ | H-atom parameters constrained |
| $wR(F^2) = 0.096$ | $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0596P)^2 + 0.1433P]$ where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$ |
| <i>S</i> = 1.03 | $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\text{max}} = 0.001$ |
| 2129 reflections | $\Delta \rho_{max} = 0.67 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$ |
| 147 parameters | $\Delta \rho_{min} = -0.42 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$ |
| Primary atom site location: structure-invariant direct | Extinction correction: none |

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 $F^2 > \sigma(F^2)$ 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 | Ζ | $U_{\rm iso}*/U_{\rm eq}$ |
|-----|-------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------------|
| Br1 | 0.35252 (5) | 1.09757 (4) | 0.17325 (3) | 0.05585 (16) |

| 01 | 0.4065 (4) | 0.7325 (4) | 0.0679 (3) | 0.0741 (8) |
|------|------------|------------|-------------|------------|
| O2 | 0.1696 (3) | 0.4868 (3) | 0.1074 (2) | 0.0508 (5) |
| O3 | 0.1494 (4) | 0.7239 (3) | 0.6385 (2) | 0.0559 (6) |
| O4 | 0.1874 (4) | 1.0334 (3) | 0.6889 (2) | 0.0591 (6) |
| O5 | 0.2912 (4) | 1.2488 (3) | 0.4655 (2) | 0.0627 (7) |
| C1 | 0.2920 (4) | 0.9669 (4) | 0.3141 (3) | 0.0379 (6) |
| C2 | 0.2692 (4) | 1.0680 (4) | 0.4491 (3) | 0.0411 (6) |
| C3 | 0.2222 (4) | 0.9728 (4) | 0.5508 (3) | 0.0393 (6) |
| C4 | 0.1986 (4) | 0.7872 (4) | 0.5206 (3) | 0.0394 (6) |
| C5 | 0.2151 (4) | 0.6849 (4) | 0.3893 (3) | 0.0399 (6) |
| Н5 | 0.1945 | 0.5589 | 0.3711 | 0.048* |
| C6 | 0.2645 (4) | 0.7784 (4) | 0.2832 (3) | 0.0362 (6) |
| C7 | 0.2905 (4) | 0.6697 (4) | 0.1411 (3) | 0.0430 (6) |
| C8 | 0.1837 (6) | 0.3669 (5) | -0.0273 (4) | 0.0601 (9) |
| H8A | 0.1717 | 0.4182 | -0.1041 | 0.090* |
| H8B | 0.0831 | 0.2419 | -0.0467 | 0.090* |
| H8C | 0.3057 | 0.3608 | -0.0206 | 0.090* |
| C9 | 0.1525 (6) | 0.8809 (5) | 0.7482 (3) | 0.0559 (8) |
| H9A | 0.2526 | 0.9183 | 0.8279 | 0.067* |
| H9B | 0.0307 | 0.8472 | 0.7844 | 0.067* |
| C10 | 0.3163 (6) | 1.3726 (5) | 0.6061 (4) | 0.0565 (8) |
| H10A | 0.1953 | 1.3405 | 0.6412 | 0.085* |
| H10B | 0.3653 | 1.5008 | 0.6025 | 0.085* |
| H10C | 0.4053 | 1.3601 | 0.6697 | 0.085* |

Atomic displacement parameters (\AA^2)

| | U^{11} | U^{22} | U^{33} | U^{12} | U^{13} | U^{23} |
|-----------|-------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Br1 | 0.0810 (3) | 0.0505 (2) | 0.0386 (2) | 0.02651 (18) | 0.01453 (16) | 0.01850 (15) |
| 01 | 0.0930 (19) | 0.0607 (15) | 0.0638 (17) | 0.0274 (14) | 0.0469 (15) | 0.0149 (13) |
| 02 | 0.0636 (13) | 0.0423 (11) | 0.0361 (11) | 0.0205 (10) | 0.0119 (10) | -0.0025 (9) |
| 03 | 0.0856 (16) | 0.0481 (12) | 0.0368 (11) | 0.0277 (12) | 0.0195 (11) | 0.0165 (10) |
| 04 | 0.0962 (18) | 0.0519 (13) | 0.0328 (11) | 0.0369 (13) | 0.0203 (11) | 0.0079 (10) |
| 05 | 0.111 (2) | 0.0402 (12) | 0.0420 (12) | 0.0379 (13) | 0.0153 (13) | 0.0095 (10) |
| C1 | 0.0412 (14) | 0.0408 (15) | 0.0303 (13) | 0.0155 (12) | 0.0058 (11) | 0.0109 (11) |
| C2 | 0.0475 (16) | 0.0350 (14) | 0.0372 (15) | 0.0179 (12) | 0.0028 (12) | 0.0045 (12) |
| C3 | 0.0452 (15) | 0.0398 (14) | 0.0293 (13) | 0.0189 (12) | 0.0044 (11) | 0.0031 (11) |
| C4 | 0.0432 (15) | 0.0418 (15) | 0.0321 (14) | 0.0166 (12) | 0.0060 (11) | 0.0110 (12) |
| C5 | 0.0465 (15) | 0.0353 (14) | 0.0370 (15) | 0.0181 (12) | 0.0078 (12) | 0.0073 (11) |
| C6 | 0.0384 (14) | 0.0353 (14) | 0.0309 (13) | 0.0152 (11) | 0.0050 (11) | 0.0040 (11) |
| C7 | 0.0495 (16) | 0.0460 (16) | 0.0348 (15) | 0.0239 (14) | 0.0099 (13) | 0.0073 (13) |
| C8 | 0.076 (2) | 0.058 (2) | 0.0400 (17) | 0.0346 (18) | 0.0086 (16) | -0.0053 (15) |
| C9 | 0.076 (2) | 0.059 (2) | 0.0340 (16) | 0.0299 (17) | 0.0155 (15) | 0.0121 (14) |
| C10 | 0.080 (2) | 0.0455 (17) | 0.0461 (18) | 0.0349 (17) | 0.0083 (16) | 0.0027 (14) |
| Geometric | parameters (Å, °) | | | | | |
| D 1 C1 | | 1.005 (2) | C 2 | C 4 | 1.20 | 2 (1) |

| Br1—C1 | 1.895 (3) | C3—C4 | 1.382 (4) |
|--------|-----------|-------|-----------|
| O1—C7 | 1.192 (4) | C4—C5 | 1.366 (4) |

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| O2—C7 | 1.336 (4) | C5—C6 | 1.404 (4) |
|-------------------------------------|----------------------|--|------------|
| O2—C8 | 1.446 (4) | С5—Н5 | 0.9300 |
| O3—C4 | 1.375 (3) | C6—C7 | 1.496 (4) |
| O3—C9 | 1.418 (4) | C8—H8A | 0.9600 |
| O4—C3 | 1.375 (3) | C8—H8B | 0.9600 |
| O4—C9 | 1.424 (4) | C8—H8C | 0.9600 |
| O5—C2 | 1.363 (3) | С9—Н9А | 0.9700 |
| O5—C10 | 1.421 (4) | С9—Н9В | 0.9700 |
| C1—C6 | 1.396 (4) | С10—Н10А | 0.9600 |
| C1—C2 | 1.408 (4) | С10—Н10В | 0.9600 |
| C2—C3 | 1.374 (4) | C10—H10C | 0.9600 |
| C7—O2—C8 | 115.8 (3) | 01—C7—O2 | 123.3 (3) |
| C4—O3—C9 | 105.9 (2) | 01—C7—C6 | 125.9 (3) |
| C3—O4—C9 | 105.8 (2) | 02 | 110.8 (2) |
| $C_{2} = 05 = C_{10}$ | 1197(2) | 02—C8—H8A | 109.5 |
| C6-C1-C2 | 122.1(3) | 02—C8—H8B | 109.5 |
| C6-C1-Br1 | 122.1(3) 121.5(2) | H8A - C8 - H8B | 109.5 |
| $C_2 - C_1 - Br_1$ | 121.3(2) 1164(2) | $\Omega^2 - C^8 - H^8 C$ | 109.5 |
| 05-02-03 | 126.2 (3) | H8A - C8 - H8C | 109.5 |
| 05 62 63 | 120.2(3) | | 109.5 |
| $C_{3}^{3} = C_{2}^{2} = C_{1}^{1}$ | 117.2(3) | $\begin{array}{ccc} 110D - C0 & -110C \\ 03 & C0 & 04 \end{array}$ | 109.5 |
| $c_{3} = c_{2} = c_{1}$ | 110.0(2) 120.2(2) | 03 - 04 | 108.0 (2) |
| $C_2 = C_3 = C_4$ | 129.3(3) | $O_4 = C_9 = H_9 A$ | 110.0 |
| $C_2 = C_3 = C_4$ | 121.1(2) | $O_4 = C_9 = H_9 A$ | 110.0 |
| 04 - 03 - 04 | 109.6 (2) | 03-C9-H9B | 110.0 |
| C5-C4-O3 | 126.8 (3) | 04—C9—H9B | 110.0 |
| C5-C4-C3 | 123.3 (3) | Н9А—С9—Н9В | 108.3 |
| O3—C4—C3 | 109.8 (2) | O5-C10-H10A | 109.5 |
| C4—C5—C6 | 117.0 (3) | O5-C10-H10B | 109.5 |
| С4—С5—Н5 | 121.5 | H10A—C10—H10B | 109.5 |
| С6—С5—Н5 | 121.5 | O5-C10-H10C | 109.5 |
| C1—C6—C5 | 119.8 (2) | H10A—C10—H10C | 109.5 |
| C1—C6—C7 | 122.8 (3) | H10B-C10-H10C | 109.5 |
| C5—C6—C7 | 117.4 (2) | | |
| C10—O5—C2—C3 | 16.9 (5) | O4—C3—C4—O3 | -0.4 (3) |
| C10 | -164.8 (3) | O3—C4—C5—C6 | 179.0 (3) |
| C6—C1—C2—O5 | -177.1 (3) | C3—C4—C5—C6 | 2.0 (4) |
| Br1—C1—C2—O5 | 0.5 (4) | C2-C1-C6-C5 | -0.9 (4) |
| C6—C1—C2—C3 | 1.3 (4) | Br1-C1-C6-C5 | -178.4 (2) |
| Br1—C1—C2—C3 | 179.0 (2) | C2-C1-C6-C7 | -179.2 (3) |
| O5—C2—C3—O4 | -0.2 (5) | Br1-C1-C6-C7 | 3.3 (4) |
| C1—C2—C3—O4 | -178.5 (3) | C4—C5—C6—C1 | -0.8 (4) |
| O5—C2—C3—C4 | 178.2 (3) | C4—C5—C6—C7 | 177.6 (3) |
| C1—C2—C3—C4 | -0.1 (4) | C8—O2—C7—O1 | -1.4 (5) |
| C9—O4—C3—C2 | -177.9 (3) | C8—O2—C7—C6 | -179.1 (2) |
| C9—O4—C3—C4 | 3.6 (3) | C1—C6—C7—O1 | 34.9 (5) |
| C9—O3—C4—C5 | 179.7 (3) | C5—C6—C7—O1 | -143.4 (3) |
| C9—O3—C4—C3 | -3.0 (3) | C1—C6—C7—O2 | -147.4 (3) |
| C2—C3—C4—C5 | -1.6 (4) | C5—C6—C7—O2 | 34.2 (4) |
| | | | |

| O4—C3—C4—C5 | 177.0 (3) | C4—O3—C9—O4 | 5.2 (4) |
|-------------|------------|-------------|----------|
| C2—C3—C4—O3 | -179.1 (3) | C3—O4—C9—O3 | -5.5 (4) |

Fig. 1

