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2-[(4-Methylbenzoyl)hydrazono]-  
propionic acid monohydrate

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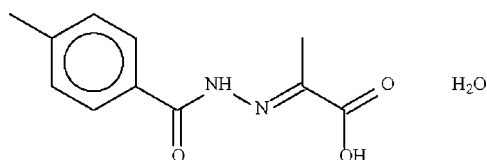
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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study;  $T = 100$  K; mean  $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.003$  Å;  
R factor = 0.030;  $wR$  factor = 0.083; data-to-parameter ratio = 7.8.

In the title compound,  $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{12}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3 \cdot \text{H}_2\text{O}$ , the water molecule is a hydrogen-bond donor to the double-bond amide and the carbonyl O atoms of two acid molecules; it is also a hydrogen-bond acceptor to the acid  $-\text{OH}$  and amide  $-\text{NH}-$  groups. These hydrogen-bonding interactions give rise to a layer structure, with the layers parallel to the  $ab$  plane.

## Related literature

The deprotonated anion of 2-arylylhydrazonopropionic acid furnishes a number of metal complexes; see, for example: Wu, Chen *et al.* (2006); Liu *et al.* (2007); Wu & Zeng (2007); Wu *et al.* (2006a,b); Yang *et al.* (2004); Yin & Chen (2006); Zhai *et al.* (2007).



## Experimental

## Crystal data

$\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{12}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3 \cdot \text{H}_2\text{O}$   
 $M_r = 238.24$   
 Monoclinic,  $P2_1$   
 $a = 6.8464$  (1) Å  
 $b = 11.9753$  (2) Å  
 $c = 7.0005$  (1) Å  
 $\beta = 102.169$  (1)°

$V = 561.06$  (2) Å<sup>3</sup>  
 $Z = 2$   
 Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation  
 $\mu = 0.11$  mm<sup>-1</sup>  
 $T = 100$  (2) K  
 $0.20 \times 0.10 \times 0.10$  mm

## Data collection

Bruker SMART APEX  
 diffractometer  
 Absorption correction: none  
 5272 measured reflections

1335 independent reflections  
 1211 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$   
 $R_{\text{int}} = 0.029$

## Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.030$   
 $wR(F^2) = 0.083$   
 $S = 1.02$   
 1335 reflections  
 172 parameters  
 5 restraints

H atoms treated by a mixture of independent and constrained refinement  
 $\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 0.19$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>  
 $\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.16$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>  
 Absolute structure: 1126 Friedel pairs were merged

Table 1

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °).

| $D-H \cdots A$                               | $D-H$    | $H \cdots A$ | $D \cdots A$ | $D-H \cdots A$ |
|--|----------|--------------|--------------|----------------|
| $\text{O1}-\text{H1} \cdots \text{O1W}$      | 0.83 (2) | 2.03 (2)     | 2.777 (2)    | 149 (3)        |
| $\text{O1W}-\text{H11} \cdots \text{O3}$     | 0.84 (2) | 1.97 (2)     | 2.794 (2)    | 165 (4)        |
| $\text{O1W}-\text{H12} \cdots \text{O2}^i$   | 0.84 (2) | 2.00 (1)     | 2.829 (2)    | 168 (3)        |
| $\text{N2}-\text{H2} \cdots \text{O1W}^{ii}$ | 0.87 (2) | 2.35 (1)     | 3.210 (2)    | 168 (3)        |

Symmetry codes: (i)  $-x + 3, y - \frac{1}{2}, -z + 2$ ; (ii)  $x - 1, y, z$ .

Data collection: *APEX2* (Bruker, 2007); cell refinement: *APEX2*; data reduction: *SAINT* (Bruker, 2007); program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 2008); molecular graphics: *X-SEED* (Barbour, 2001); software used to prepare material for publication: *publCIF* (Westrip, 2009).

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## 2-[(4-Methylbenzoyl)hydrazono]propionic acid monohydrate

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### Experimental

4-Toluihydrazide (1 g, 0.007 mol) and pyruvic acid (0.6 g, 0.007 mol) were dissolved in methanol (30 ml). The solution was heated for 3 h; slow evaporation of the solvent gave colorless crystals.

### Refinement

Carbon-bound H atoms were placed in calculated positions (C—H 0.93–0.99 Å) and were included in the refinement in the riding model approximation, with  $U(\text{H})$  set to 1.2 to 1.5 $U(\text{C})$ . The methyl H atoms were rotated to fit the electron density.

The oxygen- and nitrogen-bound H atoms were located in a difference Fourier map, and were refined with distance restraints [N—H 0.88 (2) and O—H 0.84 (2) Å]; their temperature factors were freely refined.

### Figures

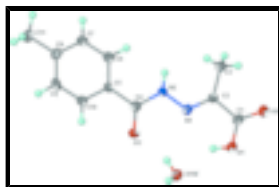


Fig. 1. Displacement ellipsoids plot (Barbour, 2001) of the title compound at the 70% probability level. Hydrogen atoms are drawn as spheres of arbitrary radius.

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$Z = 2$

$F_{000} = 252$

$D_x = 1.410$  Mg m<sup>-3</sup>

Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation

$\lambda = 0.71073$  Å

Cell parameters from 1743 reflections

$\theta = 3.0$ – $26.9$ °

$\mu = 0.11$  mm<sup>-1</sup>

$T = 100$  (2) K

Irregular block, colourless

$0.20 \times 0.10 \times 0.10$  mm

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diffractometer

Radiation source: fine-focus sealed tube

$$R_{\text{int}} = 0.029$$

Monochromator: graphite

$$\theta_{\text{max}} = 27.5^\circ$$

$T = 100(2)$  K

$$\theta_{\text{min}} = 3.0^\circ$$

$\omega$  scans

$$h = -8 \rightarrow 8$$

Absorption correction: none

$$k = -14 \rightarrow 15$$

5272 measured reflections

$$l = -9 \rightarrow 9$$

1335 independent reflections

## Refinement

Refinement on  $F^2$

Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier map

Least-squares matrix: full

Hydrogen site location: inferred from neighbouring sites

$$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.030$$

H atoms treated by a mixture of independent and constrained refinement

$$wR(F^2) = 0.083$$

$$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0559P)^2 + 0.0248P]$$

$$\text{where } P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$$

$$S = 1.02$$

$$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\text{max}} = 0.001$$

1335 reflections

$$\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 0.19 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$$

172 parameters

$$\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.16 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$$

5 restraints

Extinction correction: none

Primary atom site location: structure-invariant direct methods

Absolute structure: 1126 Friedel pairs were merged

## 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.

## Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2$ )

|     | <i>x</i>   | <i>y</i>     | <i>z</i>   | $U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$ |
|-----|------------|--------------|------------|----------------------------------|
| O1  | 1.4450 (2) | 0.99988 (13) | 0.8798 (3) | 0.0255 (4)                       |
| O2  | 1.2160 (2) | 1.13156 (13) | 0.8463 (2) | 0.0269 (4)                       |
| O3  | 1.2831 (2) | 0.64501 (13) | 0.7200 (2) | 0.0260 (4)                       |
| O1W | 1.6032 (2) | 0.78718 (13) | 0.8663 (3) | 0.0251 (4)                       |
| N1  | 1.1624 (2) | 0.84748 (15) | 0.7821 (3) | 0.0192 (4)                       |
| N2  | 1.0279 (3) | 0.76060 (15) | 0.7458 (3) | 0.0202 (4)                       |
| C1  | 1.2584 (3) | 1.03349 (18) | 0.8395 (3) | 0.0204 (5)                       |
| C2  | 1.0961 (3) | 0.94692 (18) | 0.7861 (3) | 0.0183 (4)                       |
| C3  | 0.8847 (3) | 0.98625 (18) | 0.7447 (3) | 0.0232 (5)                       |
| H3A | 0.8131     | 0.9412       | 0.6686     | 0.035*                           |
| H3B | 0.8400     | 0.9951       | 0.8651     | 0.035*                           |
| H3C | 0.8754     | 1.0568       | 0.6777     | 0.035*                           |
| C4  | 1.1067 (3) | 0.65752 (18) | 0.7236 (3) | 0.0198 (4)                       |

|      |            |              |            |             |
|------|------------|--------------|------------|-------------|
| C5   | 0.9684 (3) | 0.56054 (18) | 0.7054 (3) | 0.0178 (4)  |
| C6   | 0.7608 (3) | 0.5709 (2)   | 0.6510 (3) | 0.0218 (4)  |
| H6   | 0.7018     | 0.6422       | 0.6192     | 0.026*      |
| C7   | 0.6408 (3) | 0.47675 (19) | 0.6437 (3) | 0.0231 (5)  |
| H7   | 0.4998     | 0.4845       | 0.6067     | 0.028*      |
| C8   | 0.7226 (3) | 0.37199 (18) | 0.6891 (3) | 0.0214 (5)  |
| C9   | 0.9315 (3) | 0.3617 (2)   | 0.7379 (3) | 0.0221 (5)  |
| H9A  | 0.9904     | 0.2901       | 0.7659     | 0.026*      |
| C10  | 1.0524 (3) | 0.45480 (19) | 0.7457 (3) | 0.0202 (4)  |
| H10  | 1.1936     | 0.4467       | 0.7787     | 0.024*      |
| C11  | 0.5927 (3) | 0.27036 (19) | 0.6870 (4) | 0.0288 (5)  |
| H11A | 0.6157     | 0.2411       | 0.7985     | 0.043*      |
| H11B | 0.4542     | 0.2924       | 0.6689     | 0.043*      |
| H11C | 0.6071     | 0.2211       | 0.5815     | 0.043*      |
| H11  | 1.496 (3)  | 0.755 (3)    | 0.813 (5)  | 0.059 (10)* |
| H12  | 1.653 (4)  | 0.748 (2)    | 0.963 (3)  | 0.052 (10)* |
| H1   | 1.445 (5)  | 0.9307 (9)   | 0.867 (5)  | 0.056 (11)* |
| H2   | 0.906 (2)  | 0.773 (2)    | 0.761 (4)  | 0.031 (7)*  |

Atomic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2$ )

|     | $U^{11}$    | $U^{22}$    | $U^{33}$    | $U^{12}$     | $U^{13}$    | $U^{23}$     |
|-----|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| O1  | 0.0193 (8)  | 0.0198 (9)  | 0.0371 (10) | -0.0029 (6)  | 0.0049 (7)  | -0.0031 (7)  |
| O2  | 0.0234 (7)  | 0.0182 (8)  | 0.0384 (9)  | -0.0001 (6)  | 0.0047 (7)  | -0.0028 (7)  |
| O3  | 0.0171 (7)  | 0.0206 (8)  | 0.0416 (9)  | -0.0005 (6)  | 0.0094 (6)  | -0.0039 (7)  |
| O1W | 0.0205 (7)  | 0.0208 (8)  | 0.0331 (10) | -0.0018 (6)  | 0.0036 (7)  | 0.0028 (7)   |
| N1  | 0.0186 (9)  | 0.0171 (9)  | 0.0218 (9)  | -0.0017 (7)  | 0.0042 (7)  | 0.0008 (7)   |
| N2  | 0.0139 (8)  | 0.0165 (9)  | 0.0301 (10) | -0.0001 (7)  | 0.0048 (7)  | -0.0012 (7)  |
| C1  | 0.0198 (10) | 0.0212 (11) | 0.0202 (11) | -0.0033 (8)  | 0.0043 (8)  | -0.0013 (8)  |
| C2  | 0.0167 (9)  | 0.0179 (10) | 0.0209 (10) | -0.0012 (8)  | 0.0054 (8)  | -0.0004 (8)  |
| C3  | 0.0174 (10) | 0.0189 (11) | 0.0329 (13) | 0.0007 (8)   | 0.0044 (9)  | 0.0033 (9)   |
| C4  | 0.0200 (10) | 0.0186 (10) | 0.0207 (10) | -0.0004 (8)  | 0.0041 (8)  | 0.0004 (9)   |
| C5  | 0.0170 (10) | 0.0169 (10) | 0.0201 (10) | 0.0010 (8)   | 0.0049 (8)  | -0.0013 (8)  |
| C6  | 0.0205 (10) | 0.0204 (10) | 0.0240 (11) | 0.0024 (9)   | 0.0036 (8)  | -0.0003 (9)  |
| C7  | 0.0159 (10) | 0.0238 (11) | 0.0289 (12) | 0.0017 (9)   | 0.0034 (8)  | -0.0049 (9)  |
| C8  | 0.0225 (11) | 0.0216 (11) | 0.0211 (11) | -0.0046 (9)  | 0.0068 (8)  | -0.0057 (9)  |
| C9  | 0.0260 (11) | 0.0154 (10) | 0.0254 (11) | 0.0042 (9)   | 0.0067 (9)  | 0.0005 (8)   |
| C10 | 0.0160 (9)  | 0.0214 (11) | 0.0226 (11) | 0.0021 (8)   | 0.0030 (8)  | -0.0004 (9)  |
| C11 | 0.0282 (11) | 0.0228 (12) | 0.0370 (14) | -0.0050 (10) | 0.0110 (10) | -0.0044 (10) |

Geometric parameters ( $\text{\AA}$ ,  $^\circ$ )

|         |           |        |           |
|---------|-----------|--------|-----------|
| O1—C1   | 1.312 (3) | C4—C5  | 1.487 (3) |
| O1—H1   | 0.83 (2)  | C5—C10 | 1.395 (3) |
| O2—C1   | 1.213 (3) | C5—C6  | 1.397 (3) |
| O3—C4   | 1.222 (2) | C6—C7  | 1.390 (3) |
| O1W—H11 | 0.84 (2)  | C6—H6  | 0.9500    |
| O1W—H12 | 0.82 (2)  | C7—C8  | 1.383 (3) |
| N1—C2   | 1.277 (3) | C7—H7  | 0.9500    |

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|              |              |               |              |
|--------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| N1—N2        | 1.377 (2)    | C8—C9         | 1.404 (3)    |
| N2—C4        | 1.369 (3)    | C8—C11        | 1.506 (3)    |
| N2—H2        | 0.87 (2)     | C9—C10        | 1.383 (3)    |
| C1—C2        | 1.508 (3)    | C9—H9A        | 0.9500       |
| C2—C3        | 1.491 (3)    | C10—H10       | 0.9500       |
| C3—H3A       | 0.8400       | C11—H11A      | 0.8400       |
| C3—H3B       | 0.9620       | C11—H11B      | 0.9663       |
| C3—H3C       | 0.9620       | C11—H11C      | 0.9662       |
| C1—O1—H1     | 108 (2)      | C6—C5—C4      | 123.14 (19)  |
| H11—O1W—H12  | 106 (3)      | C7—C6—C5      | 119.8 (2)    |
| C2—N1—N2     | 118.80 (17)  | C7—C6—H6      | 120.1        |
| C4—N2—N1     | 116.00 (17)  | C5—C6—H6      | 120.1        |
| C4—N2—H2     | 124.9 (19)   | C8—C7—C6      | 121.34 (19)  |
| N1—N2—H2     | 118.1 (19)   | C8—C7—H7      | 119.3        |
| O2—C1—O1     | 121.2 (2)    | C6—C7—H7      | 119.3        |
| O2—C1—C2     | 120.35 (19)  | C7—C8—C9      | 118.5 (2)    |
| O1—C1—C2     | 118.40 (18)  | C7—C8—C11     | 121.41 (19)  |
| N1—C2—C3     | 128.72 (19)  | C9—C8—C11     | 120.1 (2)    |
| N1—C2—C1     | 113.55 (17)  | C10—C9—C8     | 120.6 (2)    |
| C3—C2—C1     | 117.73 (19)  | C10—C9—H9A    | 119.7        |
| C2—C3—H3A    | 109.5        | C8—C9—H9A     | 119.7        |
| C2—C3—H3B    | 109.9        | C9—C10—C5     | 120.40 (18)  |
| H3A—C3—H3B   | 112.0        | C9—C10—H10    | 119.8        |
| C2—C3—H3C    | 109.5        | C5—C10—H10    | 119.8        |
| H3A—C3—H3C   | 106.6        | C8—C11—H11A   | 109.5        |
| H3B—C3—H3C   | 109.3        | C8—C11—H11B   | 110.0        |
| O3—C4—N2     | 121.82 (19)  | H11A—C11—H11B | 102.8        |
| O3—C4—C5     | 121.12 (19)  | C8—C11—H11C   | 110.2        |
| N2—C4—C5     | 117.06 (17)  | H11A—C11—H11C | 115.2        |
| C10—C5—C6    | 119.3 (2)    | H11B—C11—H11C | 108.8        |
| C10—C5—C4    | 117.61 (17)  |               |              |
| C2—N1—N2—C4  | 173.5 (2)    | N2—C4—C5—C6   | 20.0 (3)     |
| N2—N1—C2—C3  | -3.9 (3)     | C10—C5—C6—C7  | 2.0 (3)      |
| N2—N1—C2—C1  | 176.43 (17)  | C4—C5—C6—C7   | -177.78 (19) |
| O2—C1—C2—N1  | 179.1 (2)    | C5—C6—C7—C8   | -0.1 (3)     |
| O1—C1—C2—N1  | -1.5 (3)     | C6—C7—C8—C9   | -1.8 (3)     |
| O2—C1—C2—C3  | -0.6 (3)     | C6—C7—C8—C11  | 178.2 (2)    |
| O1—C1—C2—C3  | 178.78 (19)  | C7—C8—C9—C10  | 1.8 (3)      |
| N1—N2—C4—O3  | -5.9 (3)     | C11—C8—C9—C10 | -178.2 (2)   |
| N1—N2—C4—C5  | 173.67 (17)  | C8—C9—C10—C5  | 0.1 (3)      |
| O3—C4—C5—C10 | 19.8 (3)     | C6—C5—C10—C9  | -2.0 (3)     |
| N2—C4—C5—C10 | -159.73 (19) | C4—C5—C10—C9  | 177.77 (19)  |
| O3—C4—C5—C6  | -160.4 (2)   |               |              |

### Hydrogen-bond geometry ( $\text{\AA}$ , $^\circ$ )

| <i>D</i> —H $\cdots$ <i>A</i> | <i>D</i> —H | H $\cdots$ <i>A</i> | <i>D</i> $\cdots$ <i>A</i> | <i>D</i> —H $\cdots$ <i>A</i> |
|-------------------------------|-------------|---------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| O1—H1 $\cdots$ O1W            | 0.83 (2)    | 2.03 (2)            | 2.777 (2)                  | 149 (3)                       |
| O1W—H11 $\cdots$ O3           | 0.84 (2)    | 1.97 (2)            | 2.794 (2)                  | 165 (4)                       |

|                           |          |          |           |         |
|---------------------------|----------|----------|-----------|---------|
| O1W—H12···O2 <sup>i</sup> | 0.84 (2) | 2.00 (1) | 2.829 (2) | 168 (3) |
| N2—H2···O1W <sup>ii</sup> | 0.87 (2) | 2.35 (1) | 3.210 (2) | 168 (3) |

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