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4,5-Dichloro-2-methylpyridazin-3(2*H*)one

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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; T = 100 K; mean σ (C–C) = 0.002 Å; R factor = 0.030; wR factor = 0.085; data-to-parameter ratio = 25.9.

The asymmetric unit of the title compound, $C_5H_4Cl_2N_2O$, contains one half-molecule: all the non-H atoms lie on a crystallographic mirror plane. In the crystal structure, molecules are linked into chains along the *c* axis by weak intermolecular $C-H\cdots O$ hydrogen bonds.

Related literature

For general background to and applications of pyridazine derivatives, see: Banerjee *et al.* (2009); Samuel & Bose (1987); Siddiqui & Wani (2004). For standard bond lengths, see: Allen *et al.* (1987). For the stability of the temperature controller used for the data collection, see: Cosier & Glazer (1986).



Experimental

Crystal data C₅H₄Cl₂N₂O

 $M_r=179.00$

| Orthorhombic, Cmca |
|--------------------------------|
| a = 6.5157 (1) Å |
| b = 15.9127 (4) Å |
| c = 13.5175 (3) Å |
| V = 1401.53 (5) Å ³ |

Data collection

| Bruker SMART APEXII CCD |
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| area-detector diffractometer |
| Absorption correction: multi-scan |
| (SADABS; Bruker, 2005) |
| $T_{\rm min} = 0.717, T_{\rm max} = 0.837$ |

Refinement

$$\begin{split} R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] &= 0.030 & \text{H atoms treated by a mixture of} \\ wR(F^2) &= 0.085 & \text{independent and constrained} \\ S &= 1.09 & \text{refinement} \\ 1659 \text{ reflections} & \Delta\rho_{\text{max}} &= 0.55 \text{ e } \text{ Å}^{-3} \\ 64 \text{ parameters} & \Delta\rho_{\text{min}} &= -0.40 \text{ e } \text{ Å}^{-3} \end{split}$$

Table 1

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °).

| $D - \mathbf{H} \cdot \cdot \cdot A$ | D-H | $H \cdot \cdot \cdot A$ | $D \cdots A$ | $D - \mathbf{H} \cdots A$ |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------|---------------------------|
| $C4-H4A\cdotsO1^{i}$ | 0.980 (19) | 2.328 (19) | 3.2988 (18) | 170.6 (16) |
| Symmetry code: (i) | $-r + 1 - v + \frac{1}{2} z$ | +1 | | |

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

Data collection: *APEX2* (Bruker, 2005); cell refinement: *SAINT* (Bruker, 2005); data reduction: *SAINT*; program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXTL* (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXTL*; molecular graphics: *SHELXTL*; software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXTL* and *PLATON* (Spek, 2009).

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Z = 8

Mo $K\alpha$ radiation

 $0.42 \times 0.29 \times 0.22 \text{ mm}$

13402 measured reflections 1659 independent reflections

1427 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$

 $\mu = 0.85 \text{ mm}^{-1}$

T = 100 K

 $R_{\rm int} = 0.029$

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Comment

Pyridazin-3(2*H*)-one derivatives represent one of the most active class of compounds possessing a wide spectrum of biological activities such as cardiovascular properties, anti-inflammatory, anti-diabetic, analgesic, anti-AIDS, anti-cancer, antimicrobial and anti-convulsant activities (Banerjee *et al.*, 2009; Siddiqui & Wani, 2004). Effects of substituted pyridazinones on photosynthetic electron transport have been studied by various workers and are known to inhibit photosystem II (PS II) electron transport (Samuel & Bose, 1987). Herein we report the crystal structure of the title compound.

The asymmetric unit of the title compound contains one half-molecule and all atoms, with the exception of one methyl hydrogen atom [symmetry related H atom generated by 1-x, y, z], lie on a crystallographic mirror plane (Fig. 1). The bond lengths (Allen *et al.*, 1987) and angles are within normal ranges. In the crystal structure (Fig. 2), neighbouring molecules are linked into one-dimensional chains along the *c* axis by intermolecular C4—H4A···O1ⁱ hydrogen bonds (Table 1).

Experimental

4,5-dichloropyridazin-3(2*H*)-one (0.01 mol) and methanol (9.7 ml) was placed into a R.B. flask. The contents were stirred for 15 minutes. Sodium hydroxide (0.5 g) in de-mineralized water (10.0 ml) was added with constant stirring. As a clear solution is observed, the R.B. flask was cooled to 278 K. When the temperature fell below 278 K, dimethyl sulphate (0.01 mol) was added dropwise. Stirring was continued, maintaining the temperature between 288–293 K over 1 h. Excess methanol was distilled off under reduced pressure. The solid obtained was collected by filtration, washed with water and dried. The crude product obtained was purified by recrystallization from ethanol. Single crystals suitable for X-ray analysis were obtained recrystallization from a 1:2 mixture of DMF and ethanol by slow evaporation.

Refinement

The hydrogen atom H4A was located from difference Fourier map and allowed to refine freely. The hydrogen atoms bound to atom C5 were located geometrically and refined using a riding model with C—H = 0.96 Å and $U_{iso}(H) = 1.5 U_{eq}(C)$.

Figures



Fig. 1. The molecular structure of the title compound, showing 50% probability displacement ellipsoids for non-H atoms and the atom-numbering scheme [symmetry code: 1-x, y, z for one methyl hydrogen atom not lying on the mirror plane].

Fig. 2. Part of the crystal structure of the title compound viewed along the a axis, showing one-dimensional chains along the c axis. Hydrogen bonds are shown as dashed lines.

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| Crystal data | |
|-------------------------------|---|
| $C_5H_4Cl_2N_2O$ | $F_{000} = 720$ |
| $M_r = 179.00$ | $D_{\rm x} = 1.697 {\rm Mg m}^{-3}$ |
| Orthorhombic, Cmca | Mo <i>K</i> α radiation, $\lambda = 0.71073$ Å |
| Hall symbol: -C 2bc 2 | Cell parameters from 6513 reflections |
| a = 6.5157(1) Å | $\theta = 2.6 - 34.7^{\circ}$ |
| b = 15.9127 (4) Å | $\mu = 0.85 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ |
| c = 13.5175 (3) Å | T = 100 K |
| $V = 1401.53 (5) \text{ Å}^3$ | Block, colourless |
| Z = 8 | $0.42 \times 0.29 \times 0.22 \text{ mm}$ |
| | |

Data collection

| Bruker SMART APEXII CCD area-detector diffractometer | 1659 independent reflections | | |
|---|--|--|--|
| Radiation source: fine-focus sealed tube | 1427 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$ | | |

| Monochromator: graphite | $R_{\rm int} = 0.029$ |
|--|--------------------------------------|
| T = 100 K | $\theta_{\text{max}} = 35.0^{\circ}$ |
| φ and ω scans | $\theta_{\min} = 2.6^{\circ}$ |
| Absorption correction: multi-scan (<i>SADABS</i> ; Bruker, 2005) | $h = -10 \rightarrow 10$ |
| $T_{\min} = 0.717, \ T_{\max} = 0.837$ | $k = -25 \rightarrow 24$ |
| 13402 measured reflections | $l = -20 \rightarrow 21$ |
| | |

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 |
| $wR(F^2) = 0.085$ | $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0513P)^2 + 0.3383P]$ where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$ |
| S = 1.09 | $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\rm max} < 0.001$ |
| 1659 reflections | $\Delta \rho_{max} = 0.55 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$ |
| 64 parameters | $\Delta \rho_{\rm min} = -0.40 \ {\rm e} \ {\rm \AA}^{-3}$ |
| Primary atom site location: structure-invariant direct | Extinction correction: none |

methods Extinction correction: none

Special details

Experimental. The crystal was placed in the cold stream of an Oxford Cyrosystems Cobra open-flow nitrogen cryostat (Cosier & Glazer, 1986) operating at 100.0 (1)K.

Geometry. All esds (except the esd in the dihedral angle between two l.s. planes) are estimated using the full covariance matrix. The cell esds are taken into account individually in the estimation of esds in distances, angles and torsion angles; correlations between esds in cell parameters are only used when they are defined by crystal symmetry. An approximate (isotropic) treatment of cell esds is used for estimating esds 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 $F^2 > 2 \text{sigma}(F^2)$ 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 | $U_{\rm iso}*/U_{\rm eq}$ |
|-----|--------|---------------|--------------|---------------------------|
| Cl1 | 0.5000 | 0.152043 (19) | 0.19640 (2) | 0.01834 (9) |
| C12 | 0.5000 | 0.07981 (2) | 0.41860 (3) | 0.02540 (10) |
| O1 | 0.5000 | 0.33799 (6) | 0.19775 (7) | 0.0221 (2) |
| N1 | 0.5000 | 0.35316 (6) | 0.36546 (8) | 0.0182 (2) |
| N2 | 0.5000 | 0.32435 (8) | 0.45961 (9) | 0.0194 (2) |
| C1 | 0.5000 | 0.30554 (8) | 0.28034 (9) | 0.0159 (2) |
| C2 | 0.5000 | 0.21504 (8) | 0.29869 (10) | 0.0152 (2) |
| C3 | 0.5000 | 0.18537 (8) | 0.39241 (10) | 0.0173 (2) |

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| C4 | 0.5000 | 0.24313 (| 9) 0.47 | 317 (11) | 0.0190 (2) | |
|---------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------|------------|---------------|
| C5 | 0.5000 | 0.44471 (| 9) 0.35 | 542 (13) | 0.0296 (3) | |
| H5A | 0.5000 | 0.4700 | 0.41 | 99 | 0.044* | |
| H5B | 0.6203 | 0.4621 | 0.31 | 99 | 0.044* | |
| H4A | 0.5000 | 0.2257 (1) | 2) 0.54 | 27 (14) | 0.016 (4)* | |
| Atomic displa | cement parameter | $s(A^2)$ | | | | |
| | U^{11} | U ²² | U ³³ | U^{12} | U^{13} | U^{23} |
| Cl1 | 0.02167 (15) | 0.01747 (14) | 0.01587 (16) | 0.000 | 0.000 | -0.00382 (10) |
| C12 | 0.03383 (19) | 0.01782 (15) | 0.02456 (19) | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.00717 (11) |
| O1 | 0.0344 (6) | 0.0193 (4) | 0.0124 (4) | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.0030 (3) |
| N1 | 0.0257 (5) | 0.0156 (4) | 0.0133 (5) | 0.000 | 0.000 | -0.0007 (4) |
| N2 | 0.0235 (5) | 0.0218 (5) | 0.0129 (5) | 0.000 | 0.000 | -0.0014 (4) |
| C1 | 0.0192 (5) | 0.0152 (5) | 0.0132 (5) | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.0005 (4) |
| C2 | 0.0165 (5) | 0.0156 (5) | 0.0134 (5) | 0.000 | 0.000 | -0.0007 (4) |
| C3 | 0.0193 (5) | 0.0173 (5) | 0.0155 (5) | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.0019 (4) |
| C4 | 0.0214 (5) | 0.0224 (6) | 0.0132 (6) | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.0012 (4) |
| C5 | 0.0503 (10) | 0.0160 (5) | 0.0224 (7) | 0.000 | 0.000 | -0.0012 (5) |
| Geometric pa | vrameters (Å, °) | | | | | |
| Cl1—C2 | | 1.7078 (13) | C1- | C2 | | 1.4613 (18) |
| Cl2—C3 | | 1.7166 (13) | C2- | -C3 | | 1.3520 (19) |
| O1—C1 | | 1.2301 (15) | С3— | -C4 | | 1.427 (2) |
| N1—N2 | | 1.3528 (16) | C4— | -H4A | | 0.980 (18) |
| N1-C1 | | 1.3778 (16) | С5— | -H5A | | 0.9599 |
| N1—C5 | | 1.4631 (17) | С5— | -H5B | | 0.9600 |
| N2—C4 | | 1.3053 (19) | | | | |
| N2—N1—C1 | | 126.82 (11) | C2- | -C3C4 | | 119.46 (12) |
| N2—N1—C5 | | 115.13 (11) | C2- | -C3-Cl2 | | 122.34 (11) |
| C1—N1—C5 | | 118.04 (11) | C4— | -C3-Cl2 | | 118.20 (11) |
| C4—N2—N1 | | 117.88 (11) | N2- | C4C3 | | 122.03 (13) |
| 01—C1—N1 | | 121.81 (11) | N2- | C4H4A | | 114.5 (11) |
| O1—C1—C2 | | 124.60 (11) | С3— | -C4—H4A | | 123.5 (11) |
| N1—C1—C2 | | 113.59 (11) | N1- | -C5-H5A | | 109.5 |
| C3—C2—C1 | | 120.22 (12) | N1- | -C5-H5B | | 109.5 |
| C3—C2—Cl1 | | 123.62 (10) | H5A | —С5—Н5В | | 109.5 |
| C1—C2—Cl1 | | 116.16 (9) | | | | |
| C1—N1—N2- | —C4 | 0.0 | N1- | -C1-C2-Cl1 | | 180.0 |
| C5—N1—N2- | C4 | 180.0 | C1- | -C2-C3-C4 | | 0.0 |
| N2-N1-C1- | 01 | 180.0 | C11- | C2C3C4 | | 180.0 |
| C5—N1—C1- | 01 | 0.0 | C1- | -C2-C3-Cl2 | | 180.0 |
| N2—N1—C1- | —C2 | 0.0 | Cl1- | | 2 | 0.0 |
| C5—N1—C1- | C2 | 180.0 | N1- | -N2-C4-C3 | | 0.0 |
| 01—C1—C2- | —С3 | 180.0 | C2- | -C3-C4-N2 | | 0.0 |
| N1-C1-C2- | —С3 | 0.0 | Cl2- | C3C4N2 | | 180.0 |
| O1—C1—C2- | Cl1 | 0.0 | | | | |

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °)

| D—H···A | <i>D</i> —Н | $H \cdots A$ | $D \cdots A$ | D—H··· A |
|---|-------------|--------------|--------------|------------|
| C4—H4A···O1 ⁱ | 0.980 (19) | 2.328 (19) | 3.2988 (18) | 170.6 (16) |
| Symmetry codes: (i) $-x+1$, $-y+1/2$, $z+1/2$. | | | | |





Fig. 2

