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(S)-3-Acetyl-3-[(R)-1-(4-bromophenyl)-2nitroethyl]oxolan-2-one

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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; T = 296 K; mean σ (C–C) = 0.007 Å; R factor = 0.033; wR factor = 0.104; data-to-parameter ratio = 17.0.

The title compound, $C_{14}H_{14}BrNO_5$, has two chiral C atoms. The quaternary C atom in the oxolanone ring has an *S* configuration, while the adjacent tertiary C atom has an *R* configuration. The oxolanone ring adopts an envelope conformation, with the flap C atom lying 0.298 (3) Å from the mean plane of the remaining four atoms. In the crystal, molecules are connected into chains along [010] *via* weak C– $H \cdots O$ hydrogen bonds.

Related literature

For general background, see: Li *et al.* (2009), Malerich *et al.* (2008); For related structures, see: Li *et al.* (2005).



Experimental

Crystal data

 $C_{14}H_{14}BrNO_5$ $M_r = 356.17$ Monoclinic, $P2_1$ a = 9.6237 (7) Å b = 6.6547 (4) Å

c = 12.0503 (8) Å
$\beta = 105.794 \ (2)^{\circ}$
$V = 742.60 (9) \text{ Å}^3$
Z = 2
Mo $K\alpha$ radiation

 $\mu = 2.79 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ T = 296 K

Data collection

Rigaku R-AXIS RAPID/ZJUG diffractometer Absorption correction: multi-scan (*ABSCOR*; Higashi, 1995) $T_{\rm min} = 0.301, T_{\rm max} = 0.542$

Refinement

$$\begin{split} R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] &= 0.033 & \text{H-atom parameters constrained} \\ wR(F^2) &= 0.104 & \Delta\rho_{\text{max}} &= 0.45 \text{ e } \text{ Å}^{-3} \\ S &= 1.00 & \Delta\rho_{\text{min}} &= -0.45 \text{ e } \text{ Å}^{-3} \\ 3272 \text{ reflections} & \text{Absolute structure: Flack (1983),} \\ 192 \text{ parameters} & 1327 \text{ Friedel pairs} \\ 1 \text{ restraint} & \text{Flack parameter: } 0.014 (14) \end{split}$$

 $0.43 \times 0.27 \times 0.22 \text{ mm}$

7336 measured reflections

 $R_{\rm int} = 0.041$

3272 independent reflections

1893 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$

Table 1		
Hydrogen-bond	geometry	(Å,

$D - H \cdots A$	D-H	$H \cdot \cdot \cdot A$	$D \cdots A$	$D - H \cdots A$
$\begin{array}{c} C11 - H11 \cdots O5^{i} \\ C10 - H10 \cdots O3^{ii} \end{array}$	0.93 0.93	2.58 2.63	3.306 (2) 3.514 (2)	135 158

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

Data collection: *PROCESS-AUTO* (Rigaku, 2006); cell refinement: *PROCESS-AUTO*; data reduction: *CrystalStructure* (Rigaku, 2007); program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 2008); molecular graphics: *ORTEP-3 for Windows* (Farrugia, 1997); software used to prepare material for publication: *WinGX* (Farrugia, 1999).

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Comment

The organocatalytic Michael reaction is often regarded as one of the most efficient and broadly applicable carbon-carbon bond-forming reactions. One of the most studied reactions is the Michael addition of 1,3-dicarbonyl compounds to nitroolefins because the highly functionalized nitro compounds are versatile intermediates in organic synthesis. The title compound, which was readily synthesized by the organocatalytic Michael reaction of 3-acetyldihydrofuran-2(3*H*)-one to (*E*)-1-bromo-4-(2-nitrovinyl)benzene, could act as an intermediate in organic and natural product synthesis. In this article, the crystal structure of the title compoud (*S*)-3-acetyl-3-((*R*) -1-(4-bromophenyl)-2-nitroethyl)dihydrofuran-2(3*H*)-one is described (Fig. 1). The structure has two chiral centers. The quaternary carbon in the oxolanone ring of the title compound adopts an *S* configuration, while the adjacent tertiary carbon atom has *R* configuration. The oxolanone ring displays an envelope conformation, with the flap carbon atom lying 0.298 (3) Å from the mean plane of the remaining four atoms. In the crystal, molecules are connected into chains along the *b* axis direction by weak C11—H11···O5ⁱ and C10—H10···O3ⁱⁱ hydrogen bonds [Symmetry code: (i)x, -1 + y, z; (ii) 1 - x, -1/2 + y, 1 - z] (Fig. 2).

Experimental

To a solution of (*E*)-1-bromo-4-(2-nitrovinyl)benzene (1 mmol) and 3-acetyldihydrofuran-2(3*H*)-one (1 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (3 ml) was added 3-((1*S*)-(6-methoxyquinolin-4-yl) (8-vinylquinuclidin-2-yl)methylamino)-4- ((*S*)-1-phenylethylamino)cyclobut -3-ene-1,2-dione(0.025 mmol) as catalyst, and the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 12 h (monitored by TLC). Then the solvent was distilled under vacuum, and the residue was purified by flash column chromatography (silica gel, Hex/AcOEt, v/v, 3:1) giving the title compound. Single crystals were obtained by slow evaporation of a CH₂Cl₂ and *i*PrOH solution.

Refinement

H atoms were placed in calculated positions with C—H = 0.98 (1) Å (*sp*), C—H = 0.97 (1) Å (sp2), C—H = 0.96 (1) Å (sp3), C—H = 0.93 (1) Å (aromatic). All H atoms included in the final cycles of refinement using a riding model, with $U_{iso}(H) = 1.2U_{eq}$ or $1.5U_{eq}$ (sp3) of the carrier atoms.

Figures



Fig. 1. The asymmetric unit of the structure of the title compound. Displacement ellipsoids are drawn at the 50% probability level.



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Cell parameters from 5006 reflections

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ω scans	$h = -12 \rightarrow 12$
Absorption correction: multi-scan (ABSCOR; Higashi, 1995)	$k = -8 \rightarrow 8$
$T_{\min} = 0.301, \ T_{\max} = 0.542$	$l = -15 \rightarrow 15$
7336 measured reflections	

Refinement

Refinement on F^2

Hydrogen site location: inferred from neighbouring sites

Least-squares matrix: full	H-atom parameters constrained
$P(F^2 > 2, (F^2)) = 0.022$	$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_0^2) + (0.0212P)^2 + 0.6532P]$
R[F > 26(F)] = 0.033	where $P = (F_0^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
$wR(F^2) = 0.104$	$(\Delta/\sigma)_{max} < 0.001$
<i>S</i> = 1.00	$\Delta \rho_{max} = 0.45 \text{ e} \text{ Å}^{-3}$
3272 reflections	$\Delta \rho_{min} = -0.45 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$
192 parameters	Extinction correction: <i>SHELXL97</i> (Sheldrick, 2008),
	$Fc^* = kFc[1+0.001xFc^2\lambda^3/sin(2\theta)]^{-1/4}$
1 restraint	Extinction coefficient: 0.013 (2)
Primary atom site location: structure-invariant direct methods	Absolute structure: Flack (1983), 1327 Friedel pairs
Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier man	Flack parameter: 0.014 (14)

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.

	x	У	Z	$U_{\rm iso}$ */ $U_{\rm eq}$
Br1	0.01386 (6)	0.39571 (12)	0.91217 (5)	0.0776 (3)
01	0.6151 (4)	0.8445 (6)	0.9285 (3)	0.0692 (12)
O2	0.5776 (5)	1.1368 (6)	0.8363 (4)	0.0713 (12)
O3	0.6176 (3)	0.9028 (8)	0.5481 (3)	0.0608 (8)
O4	0.2157 (5)	0.9380 (9)	0.4296 (4)	0.0967 (17)
O5	0.1045 (5)	1.0968 (9)	0.5321 (5)	0.121 (2)
N1	0.2123 (6)	1.0229 (7)	0.5175 (4)	0.0647 (12)
C1	0.4009 (5)	0.8284 (6)	0.6525 (4)	0.0429 (11)
H1	0.3954	0.7478	0.5833	0.051*
C2	0.5624 (5)	0.8272 (6)	0.7251 (4)	0.0424 (11)
C3	0.6125 (6)	0.6151 (8)	0.7740 (5)	0.0550 (13)
H3A	0.5456	0.5124	0.7346	0.066*
H3B	0.7080	0.5846	0.7665	0.066*
C4	0.6136 (8)	0.6296 (10)	0.9003 (5)	0.0751 (18)
H4A	0.5284	0.5655	0.9125	0.090*
H4B	0.6985	0.5636	0.9487	0.090*
C5	0.5860 (5)	0.9572 (8)	0.8336 (4)	0.0524 (14)
C6	0.6619 (5)	0.8984 (11)	0.6521 (4)	0.0505 (10)
C7	0.8152 (6)	0.9490 (11)	0.7133 (5)	0.085 (2)
H7A	0.8786	0.8842	0.6752	0.127*

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

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H7B	0.8368	0.9035	0.7917	0.127*
H7C	0.8286	1.0919	0.7121	0.127*
C8	0.3494 (6)	1.0384 (8)	0.6113 (4)	0.0506 (13)
H8A	0.3336	1.1162	0.6749	0.061*
H8B	0.4221	1.1062	0.5829	0.061*
C9	0.2998 (5)	0.7295 (7)	0.7150 (4)	0.0421 (11)
C10	0.2338 (5)	0.5493 (7)	0.6755 (4)	0.0494 (12)
H10	0.2479	0.4934	0.6087	0.059*
C11	0.1475 (5)	0.4496 (7)	0.7317 (4)	0.0528 (13)
H11	0.1046	0.3277	0.7042	0.063*
C12	0.1266 (5)	0.5352 (8)	0.8298 (4)	0.0498 (12)
C13	0.1879 (6)	0.7160 (9)	0.8705 (5)	0.0616 (15)
H13	0.1721	0.7721	0.9367	0.074*
C14	0.2725 (6)	0.8132 (7)	0.8127 (4)	0.0548 (13)
H14	0.3124	0.9373	0.8393	0.066*

Atomic displacement parameters (\AA^2)

	U^{11}	U^{22}	U^{33}	U^{12}	U^{13}	U^{23}
Br1	0.0668 (3)	0.1015 (5)	0.0779 (4)	-0.0184 (4)	0.0426 (3)	-0.0001 (4)
01	0.077 (2)	0.091 (4)	0.0396 (18)	0.004 (2)	0.0162 (17)	0.010 (2)
02	0.089 (3)	0.052 (3)	0.070 (3)	-0.007 (2)	0.018 (2)	-0.014 (2)
03	0.073 (2)	0.0688 (19)	0.0500 (18)	-0.006 (3)	0.0329 (16)	0.001 (3)
04	0.105 (3)	0.120 (5)	0.054 (2)	0.013 (3)	0.002 (2)	-0.020 (3)
05	0.070 (3)	0.150 (5)	0.124 (4)	0.035 (3)	-0.005 (3)	-0.052 (4)
N1	0.070 (3)	0.059 (3)	0.059 (3)	0.004 (2)	0.008 (3)	-0.001 (2)
C1	0.051 (3)	0.039 (3)	0.043 (2)	0.002 (2)	0.020 (2)	0.001 (2)
C2	0.051 (3)	0.037 (2)	0.045 (2)	0.0014 (19)	0.023 (2)	0.0041 (19)
C3	0.050 (3)	0.052 (3)	0.067 (3)	0.005 (2)	0.024 (3)	0.012 (3)
C4	0.081 (5)	0.073 (4)	0.073 (4)	0.012 (3)	0.024 (4)	0.029 (4)
C5	0.048 (3)	0.065 (4)	0.046 (3)	-0.003 (2)	0.016 (2)	0.003 (2)
C6	0.054 (3)	0.046 (2)	0.057 (3)	-0.003 (3)	0.025 (2)	0.001 (3)
C7	0.062 (3)	0.119 (7)	0.079 (4)	-0.024 (4)	0.028 (3)	0.001 (4)
C8	0.055 (3)	0.042 (3)	0.052 (3)	0.003 (3)	0.010 (3)	-0.001 (2)
C9	0.043 (3)	0.041 (2)	0.046 (3)	0.001 (2)	0.017 (2)	0.000 (2)
C10	0.057 (3)	0.048 (3)	0.049 (3)	-0.007 (2)	0.025 (2)	-0.012 (2)
C11	0.053 (3)	0.053 (3)	0.059 (3)	-0.003 (2)	0.027 (2)	-0.006 (2)
C12	0.039 (3)	0.064 (3)	0.050 (3)	-0.002 (2)	0.019 (2)	0.002 (3)
C13	0.054 (3)	0.083 (4)	0.056 (3)	-0.009 (3)	0.028 (3)	-0.020 (3)
C14	0.062 (3)	0.056 (3)	0.056 (3)	-0.013 (2)	0.033 (3)	-0.021 (2)

Geometric parameters (Å, °)

Br1—C12	1.900 (5)	C4—H4A	0.9700
O1—C5	1.332 (6)	C4—H4B	0.9700
O1—C4	1.470 (8)	C6—C7	1.497 (7)
O2—C5	1.199 (6)	С7—Н7А	0.9600
O3—C6	1.210 (5)	С7—Н7В	0.9600
O4—N1	1.208 (6)	С7—Н7С	0.9600

O5—N1	1.204 (6)	C8—H8A	0.9700
N1—C8	1.489 (7)	C8—H8B	0.9700
C1—C8	1.521 (6)	C9—C10	1.380 (6)
C1—C9	1.532 (6)	C9—C14	1.391 (6)
C1—C2	1.562 (7)	C10—C11	1.376 (7)
C1—H1	0.9800	C10—H10	0.9300
C2—C5	1.532 (6)	C11—C12	1.375 (7)
C2—C6	1.541 (6)	C11—H11	0.9300
C2—C3	1.555 (6)	C12—C13	1.371 (7)
C3—C4	1.522 (8)	C13—C14	1.369 (7)
С3—НЗА	0.9700	C13—H13	0.9300
С3—Н3В	0.9700	C14—H14	0.9300
C5—O1—C4	111.3 (4)	O3—C6—C2	120.0 (4)
O5—N1—O4	123.4 (5)	C7—C6—C2	118.1 (4)
O5—N1—C8	118.7 (5)	С6—С7—Н7А	109.5
O4—N1—C8	117.9 (5)	С6—С7—Н7В	109.5
C8—C1—C9	111.2 (4)	H7A—C7—H7B	109.5
C8—C1—C2	111.9 (4)	С6—С7—Н7С	109.5
C9—C1—C2	113.0 (4)	H7A—C7—H7C	109.5
C8—C1—H1	106.8	H7B—C7—H7C	109.5
С9—С1—Н1	106.8	N1—C8—C1	109.1 (4)
C2—C1—H1	106.8	N1—C8—H8A	109.9
C5—C2—C6	110.0 (4)	C1—C8—H8A	109.9
C5—C2—C3	103.3 (4)	N1—C8—H8B	109.9
C6—C2—C3	108.6 (4)	C1—C8—H8B	109.9
C5—C2—C1	111.7 (4)	H8A—C8—H8B	108.3
C6—C2—C1	110.9 (4)	C10-C9-C14	117.7 (4)
C3—C2—C1	112.1 (4)	C10-C9-C1	119.9 (4)
C4—C3—C2	103.8 (4)	C14—C9—C1	122.4 (4)
С4—С3—НЗА	111.0	C11—C10—C9	122.1 (5)
С2—С3—НЗА	111.0	C11—C10—H10	118.9
С4—С3—Н3В	111.0	С9—С10—Н10	118.9
С2—С3—Н3В	111.0	C10-C11-C12	118.2 (5)
НЗА—СЗ—НЗВ	109.0	C10-C11-H11	120.9
O1—C4—C3	106.8 (4)	C12-C11-H11	120.9
O1—C4—H4A	110.4	C13—C12—C11	121.4 (5)
C3—C4—H4A	110.4	C13—C12—Br1	119.5 (4)
O1—C4—H4B	110.4	C11—C12—Br1	119.0 (4)
С3—С4—Н4В	110.4	C14—C13—C12	119.4 (5)
H4A—C4—H4B	108.6	C14—C13—H13	120.3
O2—C5—O1	122.5 (5)	С12—С13—Н13	120.3
O2—C5—C2	126.2 (5)	C13—C14—C9	121.1 (5)
O1—C5—C2	111.3 (4)	C13-C14-H14	119.5
O3—C6—C7	121.8 (4)	C9—C14—H14	119.5
C8—C1—C2—C5	60.9 (5)	C5—C2—C6—C7	43.1 (7)
C9—C1—C2—C5	-65.5 (5)	C3—C2—C6—C7	-69.3 (7)
C8—C1—C2—C6	-62.2 (5)	C1—C2—C6—C7	167.1 (5)
C9—C1—C2—C6	171.4 (4)	O5—N1—C8—C1	117.9 (6)

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C8—C1—C2—C3	176.3 (4)	O4—N1—C8—C1	-62.9 (7)
C9—C1—C2—C3	49.8 (5)	C9—C1—C8—N1	-68.4 (5)
C5—C2—C3—C4	17.2 (5)	C2-C1-C8-N1	164.2 (4)
C6—C2—C3—C4	133.9 (5)	C8—C1—C9—C10	121.9 (5)
C1—C2—C3—C4	-103.2 (5)	C2-C1-C9-C10	-111.2 (5)
C5—O1—C4—C3	12.5 (7)	C8—C1—C9—C14	-59.0 (6)
C2—C3—C4—O1	-18.2 (6)	C2—C1—C9—C14	67.8 (6)
C4—O1—C5—O2	177.8 (5)	C14—C9—C10—C11	-2.3 (7)
C4—O1—C5—C2	-0.8 (6)	C1C9C10C11	176.8 (5)
C6—C2—C5—O2	54.9 (7)	C9-C10-C11-C12	0.6 (8)
C3—C2—C5—O2	170.7 (5)	C10-C11-C12-C13	0.8 (8)
C1—C2—C5—O2	-68.7 (7)	C10-C11-C12-Br1	-177.7 (4)
C6—C2—C5—O1	-126.5 (4)	C11-C12-C13-C14	-0.4 (8)
C3—C2—C5—O1	-10.8 (5)	Br1-C12-C13-C14	178.1 (4)
C1—C2—C5—O1	109.9 (4)	C12-C13-C14-C9	-1.4 (9)
C5—C2—C6—O3	-140.6 (6)	C10-C9-C14-C13	2.7 (8)
C3—C2—C6—O3	107.0 (7)	C1—C9—C14—C13	-176.4 (5)
C1—C2—C6—O3	-16.5 (8)		

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °)

D—H···A	<i>D</i> —Н	$H \cdots A$	$D \cdots A$	D—H··· A		
C11—H11···O5 ⁱ	0.93	2.58	3.306 (2)	135		
C10—H10…O3 ⁱⁱ	0.93	2.63	3.514 (2)	158		
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Fig. 2

