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## 2-Diethylamino-4,5-diphenyl-3H-pyrrol-3-one

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Abstract.  $C_{20}H_{20}N_2O$ ,  $M_r = 304.4$ , monoclinic, a = 13.195 (4), b = 17.389 (5), c = 15.542 (2) Å,  $\beta = 108.07$  (2)°, U = 3390 Å<sup>3</sup>; Z = 8,  $D_c = 1.193$  Mg m<sup>-3</sup>; F(000) = 1296, Mo  $K_{\alpha}$  radiation,  $\lambda = 0.71069$  Å,  $\mu$ (Mo  $K_{\alpha}$ ) = 0.41 mm<sup>-1</sup>. Space group  $P2_1/a$ . Final R = 0.065 for 2979 unique X-ray diffractometer data. The molecular structure has been elucidated.

**Introduction.** Diphenylcyclopropenone (I) reacts with N, N, N', N'-tetraalkyl-substituted guanidine (II) to give the blue 2-amino-4,5-diphenyl-3*H*-pyrrol-3-ones (III) (Eicher, Abdesaken, Franke & Weber, 1979). These five-membered heterocycles exhibit remarkable spectroscopic properties (Eicher & Franke, 1981), especially in their electronic spectra (Klessinger, 1978), in comparison to other azacyclopentadienones, thus indicating a strongly delocalized  $\pi$  system described by means of a mesomeric cyclomerocyanine structure (III A)  $\leftrightarrow$  (III B). These aspects made it desirable to determine the molecular structure of a compound of type (III) in order to obtain information on the degree of bond delocalization described by (III A)  $\leftrightarrow$  (III B).



Cell dimensions were obtained by least squares from the  $\theta$  angles of 58 reflexions. The intensities of 4808 reflexions were measured on a Nonius CAD-4 diffrac-

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tometer with graphite-monochromated Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation by the  $\omega/2\theta$  scan technique up to  $2\theta = 46^{\circ}$ . After averaging, 2979 independent observed reflexions (I >0) remained. The intensities were corrected for Lorentz and polarization effects but not for absorption. The structure was solved by direct methods with MULTAN 78 (Main, Woolfson, Lessinger, Germain & Declercq, 1978) and refined by blocked full-matrix least squares with SHELX (Sheldrick, 1976) with all atoms except H anisotropic. H atoms were placed in geometrically calculated positions (C-H 1.08 Å, H-C-H 109.5° in  $CH_2$  and  $CH_3$  groups, C-C-H angles equal); the phenyl groups were refined as rigid bodies. The scattering factors were taken from Cromer & Mann (1968) and Cromer & Liberman (1970) for C, N and O and from Cromer (personal communication to G. M. Sheldrick) for H. Refinement converged with unit weights to R = 0.065.\* The figures were drawn with PLUTO (Motherwell & Clegg, 1978) and POP1 (van de Waal, 1976).

**Discussion.** The structure of the title compound is shown in Fig. 1; a stereoview of the molecule is given in Fig. 2. The positional parameters and the equivalent values of the anisotropic temperature factors  $U_{ik} [U_{eq} = \frac{1}{3}(U_{11} + U_{22} + U_{33} + 2U_{23} \cos \alpha + 2U_{13} \cos \beta + 2U_{12} \times \cos \gamma)]$  for the heavy atoms and the isotropic temperature factors U for H atoms are given in Table 1. Bond lengths and angles are given in Table 2. The asymmetric unit contains two molecules with significant differences in the bond lengths and angles. An indication of bond delocalization in the heterocyclic system cannot be derived from these results. Signifi-

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<sup>\*</sup> Lists of structure factors, thermal parameters and a complete list of atoms have been deposited with the British Library Lending Division as Supplementary Publication No. SUP 36540 (22 pp.). Copies may be obtained through The Executive Secretary, International Union of Crystallography, 5 Abbey Square, Chester CH1 2HU, England.

Table 1. Fractional atomic coordinates ( $\times 10^4)$  and U (Å  $^2 \times 10^4)$ 

Table 2. Bond lengths (Å) and angles (°)

For each rigid phenyl ring only the coordinates of three C atoms are given.

	x	У	z	$U_{eq}$ or $U$
C(1)	9014 (3)	604 (2)	5710 (3)	51 (2)
C(2)	8020 (3)	259 (2)	5395 (3)	51 (2)
Cisi	8850 (3)	-468 (2)	6558 (3)	57 (2)
C(4)	9613 (3)	139 (2)	6445 (3)	52 (2)
C(5)	8247 (4)	-1597 (3)	7204 (4)	91 (3)
H(51)	8634 (4)	-2138(3)	7446 (4)	201 (13)
H(52)	7708 (4)	-1671(3)	6527 (4)	201 (13)
C(6)	7629 (5)	-1337(4)	7811 (4)	114 (4)
H(61)	7036 (5)	-1763 (4)	7816 (4)	201 (13)
H(62)	7242 (5)	797 (4)	7569 (4)	201 (13)
H(63)	8167 (5)	-1263(4)	8489 (4)	201 (13)
C(7)	98 (4)	-1059(3)	7911 (3)	90 (33)
H(71)	462 (4)	-496 (3)	8015 (3)	147 (9)
H(72)	9964 (4)	-1250(3)	8528 (3)	147 (9)
C(8)	849 (5)	-1616(4)	7669 (4)	111 (4)
H(81)	1594 (5)	-1636 (4)	8212 (4)	147 (9)
H(82)	993 (5)	-1428(4)	7055 (4)	147 (9)
H(83)	495 (5)	-2182(4)	7568 (4)	147 (9)
O(1)	562 (3)	187 (2)	6903 (2)	94 (2)
N(I)	7890 (3)	-390 (2)	5911 (2)	61 (2)
N(2)	9068 (3)	-1008(2)	7193 (2)	70 (2)
C(1)	9437 (2)	1309 (2)	5417 (2)	54 (2)
C(13)	9316 (2)	2665 (2)	5062 (2)	92 (3)
C(15)	854 (2)	1938 (2)	5006 (2)	88 (3)
C(21)	7120 (2)	499 (2)	4583 (2)	54 (2)
C(23)	6425 (2)	1017 (2)	3097 (2)	78 (3)
C(25)	5233 (2)	387 (2)	3781 (2)	105 (3)
C'(1)	7689 (3)	5236 (2)	9892 (3)	52 (2)
C'(2)	8393 (3)	5447 (2)	9439 (3)	54 (2)
C'(3)	7804 (4)	4374 (3)	8772 (3)	65 (2)
C'(4)	7221 (3)	4528 (2)	9473 (3)	60 (2)
C'(5)	7080 (4)	3047 (3)	8372 (4)	82 (3)
H'(51)	6973 (4)	3061 (3)	9033 (4)	161 (10)
H'(52)	7552 (4)	2551 (3)	8323 (4)	161 (10)
C'(6)	6041 (5)	2991 (3)	7687 (4)	100 (3)
H'(61)	5647 (5)	2472 (3)	7795 (4)	161 (10)
H'(62)	6142 (5)	2974 (3)	7024 (4)	161 (10)
H'(63)	5564 (5)	3484 (3)	7733 (4)	161 (10)
C'(7)	7990 (7)	3833 (4)	7276 (6)	162 (6)
<b>H'(7</b> 1)	8166 (7)	4412 (4)	7117 (6)	267 (20)
H'(72)	7418 (7)	3578 (4)	6692 (6)	267 (20)
C'(8)	8810 (6)	3425 (5)	7625 (7)	164 (6)
H'(81)	9240 (6)	3354 (5)	7142 (7)	267 (20)
H′(82)	8569 (6)	2868 (5)	7801 (7)	267 (20)
H'(83)	9318 (6)	3702 (5)	8226 (7)	267 (20)
O'(1)	6525 (3)	4130 (2)	9619 (2)	81 (2)
N'(1)	8465 (3)	4942 (2)	8760 (2)	68 (2)
N'(2)	7653 (4)	3762 (3)	8243 (3)	99 (3)
C'(11)	7482 (2)	5541 (1)	709 (2)	53 (2)
C'(13)	8116 (2)	5955 (1)	2269 (2)	78 (2)
C'(15)	6224 (2)	5850(1)	1503 (2)	85 (2)
C'(21)	9082 (2)	6134 (2)	9564 (2)	48 (2)
C'(23)	692 (2)	6715 (2)	9432 (2)	63 (3)
C'(25)	9489 (2)	7461 (2)	9997 (2)	65 (3)

 $U_{lk} \times 10^3 \{ \exp \left[ -2\pi^2 (U_{11}h^2 a^{*2} + \ldots + 2U_{12}hka^* b^*) \right] \}$  for the disordered atoms C'(7) and C'(8)

	$U_{11}$	$U_{22}$	$U_{33}$	$U_{23}$	$U_{13}$	$U_{12}$
C'(7)	143 (7)	113 (6)	215 (10)	33 (6)	-25 (7)	-25 (5)
C'(8)	102 (6)	142 (7)	269 (11)	48 (7)	34 (7)	-2 (5)

	Molecule 1	Molecule 2
C(1)–C(2)	1.385 (5)	1.378 (5)
C(2) - N(1)	1.426 (5)	1.398 (5)
N(1)–C(3)	1.357 (5)	1.322 (5)
C(3)–C(4)	1.505 (5)	1.539 (6)
C(4) - C(1)	1.423 (6)	1.439 (6)
C(1)-C(11)	1.477 (5)	1.477 (5)
C(2)–C(21)	1.477 (5)	1.479 (4)
C(3)–N(2)	1.328 (4)	1.321 (6)
N(2)-C(5)	1.496 (6)	1.501 (6)
C(5)-C(6)	1.494 (7)	1.454 (7)
N(2)–C(7)	1.469 (4)	*
C(7)–C(8)	1.514 (7)	*
C(4)–O(1)	1.236 (4)	1.226 (5)
C(2)-C(1)-C(4)	105.5 (3)	105.0 (3)
C(2)-C(1)-C(11)	131-1 (3)	132.6 (3)
C(4)-C(1)-C(11)	123.4 (3)	122.0 (3)
C(1)-C(2)-N(1)	114.2 (3)	115.7 (3)
C(1)-C(2)-C(21)	128.9 (3)	129.4 (3)
N(1)-C(2)-C(21)	116.9 (3)	115.0 (3)
N(1)-C(3)-C(4)	110.4 (3)	110.9 (4)
N(1)-C(3)-N(2)	123.9 (3)	124.5 (4)
C(4)-C(3)-N(2)	125.7 (3)	124.6 (4)
C(3)-C(4)-C(1)	105.4 (3)	103.4 (3)
C(3)-C(4)-O(1)	125.1 (4)	126.9 (4)
C(1)-C(4)-O(1)	129.4 (4)	129.7 (4)
C(3)-N(2)-C(5)	120.2 (3)	124.8 (4)
C(3)-N(2)-C(7)	122.9 (4)	*
C(5)-N(2)-C(7)	116.9 (4)	*
N(2)-C(5)-C(6)	109.8 (4)	110.9 (4)
N(2)-C(7)-C(8)	111.9 (4)	*
C(1)-C(11)-C(12)	121.2 (2)	120.7 (2)
C(1)-C(11)-C(16)	118.7 (3)	119.2 (2)
C(2)-C(21)-C(22)	120.9 (2)	118.0 (2)
C(2)-C(21)-C(26)	119.1 (3)	122.0 (2)

\* The abnormal anisotropic temperature factors of the atoms C'(7) and C'(8) indicate disorder. The corresponding distances and angles cannot be interpreted as bond distances and bond angles and are omitted in this table.



Fig. 1. General view of the molecule.



Fig. 2. Stereoscopic view of the two independent molecules.

cant differences in the orientation of the phenyl groups and the ethyl groups with respect to the five-membered heterocycle and the distances of the nearest intermolecular neighbours to the five-membered heterocycle,  $C(3)\cdots C$  3.547 (6),  $C(4)\cdots C$  3.607 (6),  $N(1)\cdots C$  3.629 (6),  $C'(3)\cdots C$  3.447 (6),  $C'(4)\cdots C$  3.499 (6), N'(1)...C 3.480 (6) Å, indicate that the two independent molecules are deformed differently by packing forces.

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## 4-Phenoxy-10*H*-benzimidazo[2,1-c][ $1\lambda^4$ ,2,4,6]thiatriazine 2-Oxide

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**Abstract.**  $C_{14}H_{10}N_4O_2S$ , monoclinic,  $P2_1/n$ , a = 9.329 (2), b = 4.603 (5), c = 30.124 (7) Å,  $\beta = 92.57$  (2)°, V = 1292 (2) Å<sup>3</sup>,  $D_c = 1.533$  Mg m<sup>-3</sup>, Z = 4, F(000) = 616. The structure was solved by direct methods and refined by full-matrix least squares to a final R = 0.068 for 1089 intensities. A rare trigonal-

pyramidal O=S moiety with an axially oriented O

atom is embedded in the non-planar thiatriazine ring. However, the bonding and conformation of the thiatriazine S-oxide ring resemble those observed for 1,4-dihydro-3,5-dimethoxy-1-tosylimino- $1\lambda^4$ ,2,4,6thiatriazine [Kálmán, Argay, Fischer & Teller (1981). Acta Cryst. B37, 164–168]. The S=O distance of 1.452 (7) Å is considerably shorter than the 1.51 Å observed in various sulphoxides.

**Introduction.** As established by this X-ray analysis the reaction of 2-amino-1-phenoxyformimidoylbenzimidazole with N-sulphinyl-p-toluenesulphonamide and a consecutive but unexpected hydrolysis of the intermediate\* resulted in the title compound. Intensities were collected on an Enraf–Nonius CAD-4 diffractometer equipped with a graphite monochromator using Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation ( $\lambda = 0.71073$  Å). Cell constants were determined by least-squares refinement from the setting angles of 25 reflexions; of the total of 1231 measure-

<sup>\*</sup> A protected synthesis of the parent 1-tosyliminothiatriazine carried out by Professor E. Fischer and Dr M. Teller is in progress.