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# Quinazoline-2,4(1*H*,3*H*)-dione

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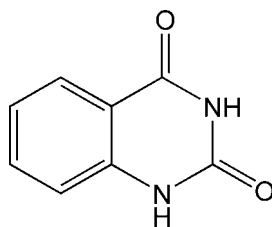
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 Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study;  $T = 293$  K; mean  $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.003$  Å;  $R$  factor = 0.055;  $wR$  factor = 0.104; data-to-parameter ratio = 11.5.

In the title compound,  $\text{C}_8\text{H}_6\text{N}_2\text{O}_2$ , intermolecular  $\text{N}-\text{H}\cdots\text{O}$  hydrogen bonds involving the amine and carbonyl groups create centrosymmetric dimers between adjacent nearly coplanar molecules. These dimers are further connected by weak  $\text{N}-\text{H}\cdots\text{O}$  hydrogen bonds, forming a two-dimensional network. Molecules are packed in the crystal structure with adjacent benzene and pyrimidine rings approximately coplanar; the centroid-centroid separation is 3.863 Å and the dihedral angle between the mean planes is  $0.64^\circ$ , indicating the presence of weak intermolecular face-to-face  $\pi-\pi$  stacking interactions.

## Related literature

For background, see: Goto *et al.* (1993); Mohri (2001); For further synthetic details, see: Mizuno *et al.* (2007).



## Experimental

### Crystal data

$\text{C}_8\text{H}_6\text{N}_2\text{O}_2$	$V = 720.2(3) \text{ \AA}^3$
$M_r = 162.15$	$Z = 4$
Monoclinic, $P2_1/c$	Mo $K\alpha$ radiation
$a = 10.891(2) \text{ \AA}$	$\mu = 0.11 \text{ mm}^{-1}$
$b = 5.2810(11) \text{ \AA}$	$T = 293(1) \text{ K}$
$c = 12.701(3) \text{ \AA}$	$0.20 \times 0.18 \times 0.15 \text{ mm}$
$\beta = 99.61(3)^\circ$	

### Data collection

Rigaku R-AXIS RAPID-S diffractometer	1262 independent reflections
Absorption correction: none	869 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
5683 measured reflections	$R_{\text{int}} = 0.051$

### Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.055$	110 parameters
$wR(F^2) = 0.103$	H-atom parameters constrained
$S = 1.06$	$\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 0.12 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$
1262 reflections	$\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.12 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$

**Table 1**

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °).

$D-\text{H}\cdots A$	$D-\text{H}$	$\text{H}\cdots A$	$D\cdots A$	$D-\text{H}\cdots A$
$\text{N2}-\text{H2B}\cdots\text{O1}^{\text{i}}$	0.86	2.00	2.854	176
$\text{N1}-\text{H1A}\cdots\text{O1}^{\text{ii}}$	0.86	2.13	2.976	168

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

Data collection: *RAPID-AUTO* (Rigaku, 1998); cell refinement: *RAPID-AUTO*; data reduction: *CrystalStructure* (Rigaku/MS, 2002); 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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Supplementary data and figures for this paper are available from the IUCr electronic archives (Reference: BH2183).

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**S1. Comment**

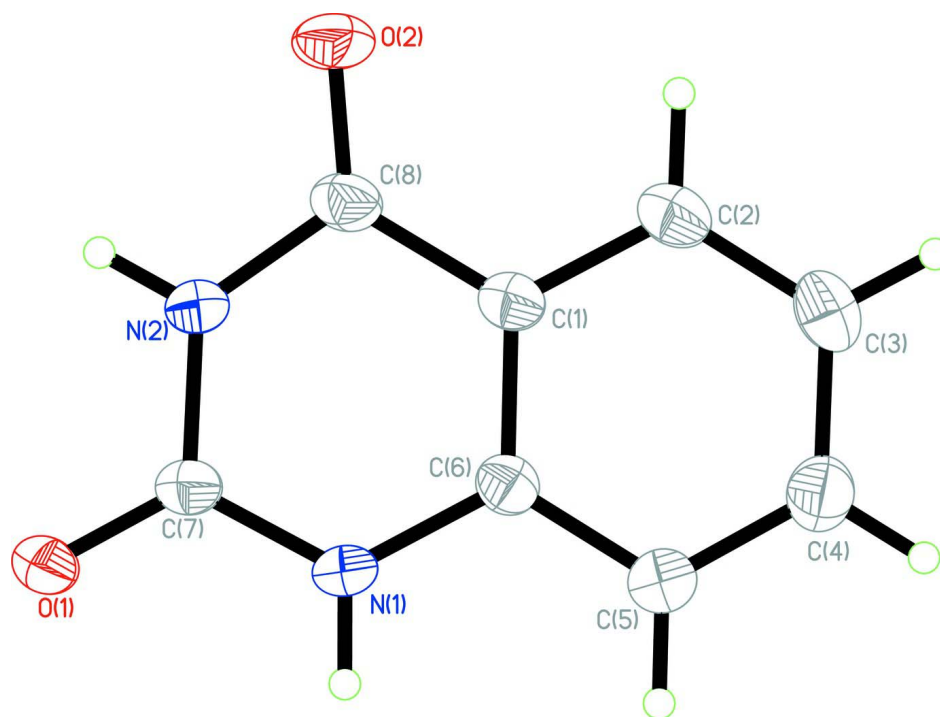
2,4(1*H*,3*H*)-Quinazolidinedione derivatives are of interest because of their biological activity, and they have been widely used as key structures in medicinal drugs (Goto *et al.*, 1993; Mohri, 2001; Mizuno *et al.*, 2007). We herein report the crystal structure of the title compound (I). In the molecule (Fig. 1), the bond lengths and angles are within normal ranges. Intermolecular N—H···O hydrogen bonds involving amine NH and carbonyl groups O atoms form a two dimensional network (Table 1 and Fig. 2). Weak  $\pi$ – $\pi$  stacking interactions are also observed in the crystal structure.

**S2. Experimental**

To a 100-ml, 3-necked flask equipped with condenser, were added 2-aminobenzonitrile (5.91 g, 50 mmol) and 1,8-diazabicyclo(5.4.0)undec-7-ene (DBU, 1.50 ml, 10 mmol) under argon, together with a large magnetic stirring bar. Then, CO<sub>2</sub> (1 bar) was charged at 293 K. The mixture was vigorously stirred under CO<sub>2</sub> (1 bar) at 423 K for 4 h. The resulting white solid was then poured into 1 M HCl (100 ml) and washed with *t*-BuOMe (200 ml) to give pure (I). Single crystals of (I) were obtained from a water solution, at room temperature, by slow evaporation.

**S3. Refinement**

All H atoms were placed in geometrically idealized positions and constrained to ride on their parent atoms, with N—H = 0.86 Å, C—H = 0.93 Å, and with  $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H}) = 1.2U_{\text{eq}}(\text{parent atom})$ .

**Figure 1**

The structure of the title compound with 30% displacement probability ellipsoids.

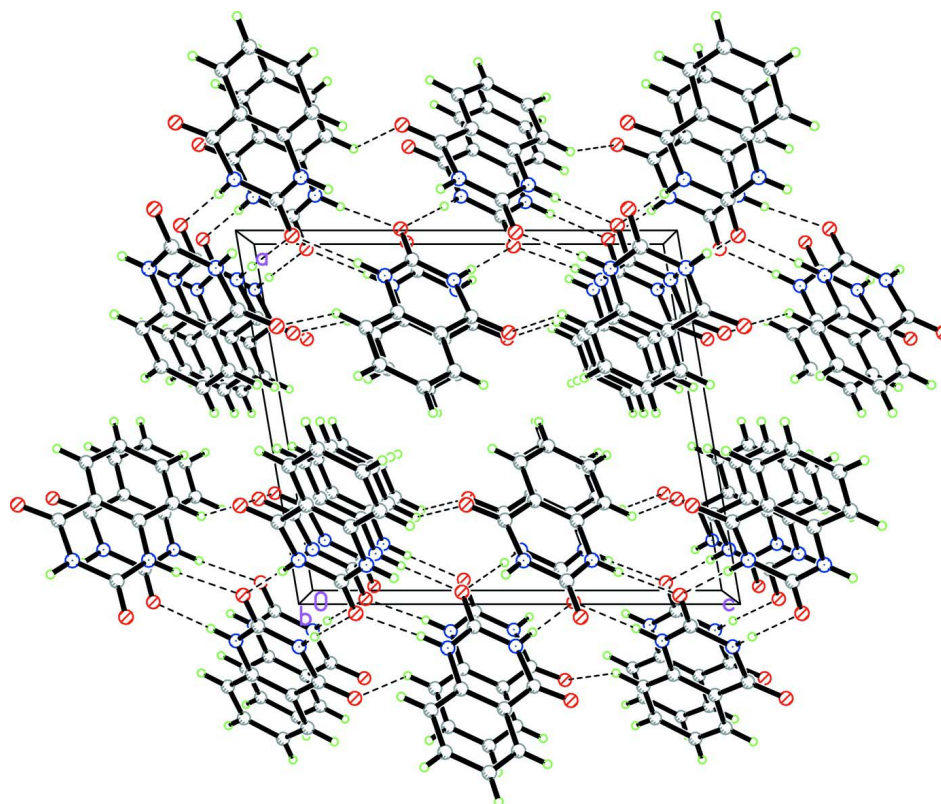


Figure 2

Two dimensional sheet formed by hydrogen bonds (dashed lines) in the title compound.

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Hall symbol: -P 2ybc

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$b = 5.2810$  (11) Å

$c = 12.701$  (3) Å

$\beta = 99.61$  (3)°

$V = 720.2$  (3) Å<sup>3</sup>

$Z = 4$

$F(000) = 336$

$D_x = 1.495$  Mg m<sup>-3</sup>

Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation,  $\lambda = 0.71073$  Å

Cell parameters from 5473 reflections

$\theta = 3.3$ – $27.5$ °

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

$T = 293$  K

Block, colorless

$0.20 \times 0.18 \times 0.15$  mm

#### Data collection

Rigaku R-AXIS RAPID-S  
diffractometer

Radiation source: fine-focus sealed tube

Graphite monochromator

$\omega$  scans

5683 measured reflections

1262 independent reflections

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

$R_{int} = 0.051$

$\theta_{max} = 25.0$ °,  $\theta_{min} = 3.3$ °

$h = -12 \rightarrow 12$

$k = -6 \rightarrow 6$

$l = -15 \rightarrow 15$

#### Refinement

Refinement on  $F^2$

Least-squares matrix: full

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.055$

$wR(F^2) = 0.103$

$S = 1.07$

1262 reflections

110 parameters

0 restraints

0 constraints

Primary atom site location: structure-invariant  
direct methods

Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier  
map

Hydrogen site location: inferred from  
neighbouring sites

H-atom parameters constrained

$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0327P)^2 + 0.2501P]$

where  $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$

$(\Delta/\sigma)_{max} = 0.004$

$\Delta\rho_{max} = 0.12$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>

$\Delta\rho_{min} = -0.12$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>

Extinction correction: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick,  
2008),  $F_c^* = kFc[1 + 0.001xFc^2\lambda^3/\sin(2\theta)]^{-1/4}$

Extinction coefficient: 0.009 (3)

#### Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters (Å<sup>2</sup>)

	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>	$U_{iso}^*/U_{eq}$
C1	0.2762 (2)	0.9421 (4)	0.57398 (17)	0.0395 (6)
N1	0.11953 (17)	1.0471 (4)	0.67998 (14)	0.0453 (6)
H1A	0.0866	1.0176	0.7357	0.054*
O1	-0.01889 (16)	1.3655 (3)	0.62957 (12)	0.0546 (5)
C2	0.3772 (2)	0.7919 (5)	0.5574 (2)	0.0494 (7)
H2A	0.4148	0.8190	0.4977	0.059*
N2	0.12516 (17)	1.2702 (4)	0.52514 (14)	0.0442 (6)
H2B	0.0924	1.3842	0.4809	0.053*
O2	0.26963 (17)	1.2019 (3)	0.41910 (13)	0.0633 (6)

C3	0.4210 (2)	0.6050 (5)	0.6289 (2)	0.0560 (8)
H3A	0.4884	0.5060	0.6179	0.067*
C4	0.3646 (2)	0.5637 (5)	0.7176 (2)	0.0540 (7)
H4A	0.3943	0.4359	0.7655	0.065*
C5	0.2655 (2)	0.7091 (5)	0.7357 (2)	0.0502 (7)
H5A	0.2287	0.6809	0.7956	0.060*
C6	0.2210 (2)	0.8984 (4)	0.66362 (17)	0.0388 (6)
C7	0.0702 (2)	1.2336 (5)	0.61374 (18)	0.0419 (6)
C8	0.2277 (2)	1.1435 (5)	0.49911 (18)	0.0444 (6)

*Atomic displacement parameters (Å<sup>2</sup>)*

	$U^{11}$	$U^{22}$	$U^{33}$	$U^{12}$	$U^{13}$	$U^{23}$
C1	0.0414 (14)	0.0406 (14)	0.0384 (13)	-0.0030 (12)	0.0121 (11)	-0.0038 (12)
N1	0.0517 (13)	0.0533 (13)	0.0344 (11)	0.0086 (11)	0.0179 (10)	0.0109 (10)
O1	0.0556 (11)	0.0681 (13)	0.0450 (10)	0.0219 (10)	0.0221 (8)	0.0109 (9)
C2	0.0500 (16)	0.0520 (17)	0.0499 (16)	0.0001 (14)	0.0191 (13)	-0.0075 (14)
N2	0.0538 (13)	0.0474 (13)	0.0346 (11)	0.0079 (10)	0.0169 (10)	0.0077 (10)
O2	0.0853 (14)	0.0669 (13)	0.0469 (10)	0.0062 (11)	0.0380 (10)	0.0071 (10)
C3	0.0486 (16)	0.0527 (17)	0.0670 (19)	0.0098 (14)	0.0107 (15)	-0.0099 (16)
C4	0.0556 (17)	0.0519 (17)	0.0532 (16)	0.0063 (14)	0.0049 (14)	0.0017 (14)
C5	0.0523 (16)	0.0550 (17)	0.0445 (15)	0.0044 (14)	0.0117 (12)	0.0057 (13)
C6	0.0385 (14)	0.0404 (14)	0.0378 (13)	-0.0006 (12)	0.0077 (11)	-0.0037 (12)
C7	0.0456 (15)	0.0482 (15)	0.0336 (13)	0.0018 (13)	0.0118 (12)	0.0019 (12)
C8	0.0547 (17)	0.0442 (15)	0.0379 (14)	-0.0022 (13)	0.0181 (12)	-0.0070 (12)

*Geometric parameters (Å, °)*

C1—C6	1.393 (3)	N2—C8	1.389 (3)
C1—C2	1.401 (3)	N2—H2B	0.8600
C1—C8	1.465 (3)	O2—C8	1.221 (3)
N1—C7	1.348 (3)	C3—C4	1.388 (3)
N1—C6	1.399 (3)	C3—H3A	0.9300
N1—H1A	0.8600	C4—C5	1.375 (3)
O1—C7	1.238 (3)	C4—H4A	0.9300
C2—C3	1.372 (3)	C5—C6	1.387 (3)
C2—H2A	0.9300	C5—H5A	0.9300
N2—C7	1.373 (3)		
C6—C1—C2	119.1 (2)	C5—C4—C3	120.9 (3)
C6—C1—C8	119.6 (2)	C5—C4—H4A	119.5
C2—C1—C8	121.3 (2)	C3—C4—H4A	119.5
C7—N1—C6	124.0 (2)	C4—C5—C6	119.3 (2)
C7—N1—H1A	118.0	C4—C5—H5A	120.3
C6—N1—H1A	118.0	C6—C5—H5A	120.3
C3—C2—C1	120.2 (2)	C5—C6—C1	120.5 (2)
C3—C2—H2A	119.9	C5—C6—N1	120.3 (2)
C1—C2—H2A	119.9	C1—C6—N1	119.2 (2)

C7—N2—C8	127.2 (2)	O1—C7—N1	123.4 (2)
C7—N2—H2B	116.4	O1—C7—N2	121.0 (2)
C8—N2—H2B	116.4	N1—C7—N2	115.6 (2)
C2—C3—C4	119.9 (2)	O2—C8—N2	120.2 (2)
C2—C3—H3A	120.0	O2—C8—C1	125.4 (2)
C4—C3—H3A	120.0	N2—C8—C1	114.3 (2)
C6—C1—C2—C3	-0.1 (4)	C7—N1—C6—C1	0.0 (3)
C8—C1—C2—C3	179.8 (2)	C6—N1—C7—O1	-179.3 (2)
C1—C2—C3—C4	0.3 (4)	C6—N1—C7—N2	0.9 (3)
C2—C3—C4—C5	-0.5 (4)	C8—N2—C7—O1	177.6 (2)
C3—C4—C5—C6	0.4 (4)	C8—N2—C7—N1	-2.7 (3)
C4—C5—C6—C1	-0.3 (4)	C7—N2—C8—O2	-177.4 (2)
C4—C5—C6—N1	179.4 (2)	C7—N2—C8—C1	3.1 (3)
C2—C1—C6—C5	0.1 (3)	C6—C1—C8—O2	178.7 (2)
C8—C1—C6—C5	-179.9 (2)	C2—C1—C8—O2	-1.3 (4)
C2—C1—C6—N1	-179.6 (2)	C6—C1—C8—N2	-1.8 (3)
C8—C1—C6—N1	0.4 (3)	C2—C1—C8—N2	178.2 (2)
C7—N1—C6—C5	-179.7 (2)		

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °)

<i>D</i> —H... <i>A</i>	<i>D</i> —H	H... <i>A</i>	<i>D</i> ... <i>A</i>	<i>D</i> —H... <i>A</i>
N2—H2B...O1 <sup>i</sup>	0.86	2.00	2.854	176
N1—H1A...O1 <sup>ii</sup>	0.86	2.13	2.976	168

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