

## 1-[4-(4-Chlorobutoxy)-2-hydroxyphenyl]-ethanone

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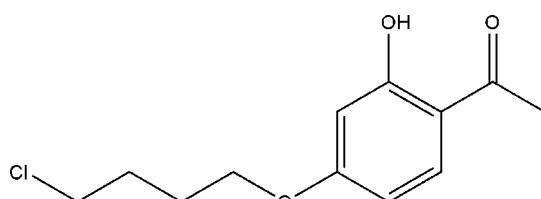
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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study;  $T = 298\text{ K}$ ; mean  $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.003\text{ \AA}$ ;  $R$  factor = 0.040;  $wR$  factor = 0.108; data-to-parameter ratio = 14.1.

In the title compound,  $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{15}\text{ClO}_3$ , the ethoxy group is nearly coplanar with the benzene ring, making a dihedral angle of  $9.03(4)^\circ$ , and is involved in an intramolecular  $\text{O}-\text{H}\cdots\text{O}$  hydrogen bond to the neighbouring hydroxy group.

### Related literature

For the synthesis of the title compound, see: Dermer (1934). For related structures, see: Schlemper (1986).



### Experimental

#### Crystal data

$\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{15}\text{ClO}_3$   
 $M_r = 242.69$   
Triclinic,  $P\bar{1}$

$a = 5.2750(4)\text{ \AA}$   
 $b = 9.8941(10)\text{ \AA}$   
 $c = 11.6529(12)\text{ \AA}$

#### Data collection

Bruker SMART CCD area-detector diffractometer  
Absorption correction: multi-scan (*SADABS*; Sheldrick, 1996)  
 $R_{\text{int}} = 0.019$   
 $T_{\text{min}} = 0.862$ ,  $T_{\text{max}} = 0.929$

3097 measured reflections  
2068 independent reflections  
1517 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$

#### Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.040$   
 $wR(F^2) = 0.108$   
 $S = 1.06$   
2068 reflections

147 parameters  
H-atom parameters constrained  
 $\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 0.20\text{ e \AA}^{-3}$   
 $\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.21\text{ e \AA}^{-3}$

**Table 1**  
Hydrogen-bond geometry ( $\text{\AA}$ ,  $^\circ$ ).

| $D-\text{H}\cdots A$ | $D-\text{H}$ | $\text{H}\cdots A$ | $D\cdots A$ | $D-\text{H}\cdots A$ |
|----------------------|--------------|--------------------|-------------|----------------------|
| O2—H2 $\cdots$ O1    | 0.82         | 1.82               | 2.539 (2)   | 146                  |

Data collection: *SMART* (Bruker, 1996); cell refinement: *SAINT* (Bruker, 1996); data reduction: *SAINT*; 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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### S1. Comment

The crystal structure of the title compound was determined as a part of a project on the synthesis of new acetophenone derivatives. To clearly identify the product a single crystal X-ray analysis was performed.

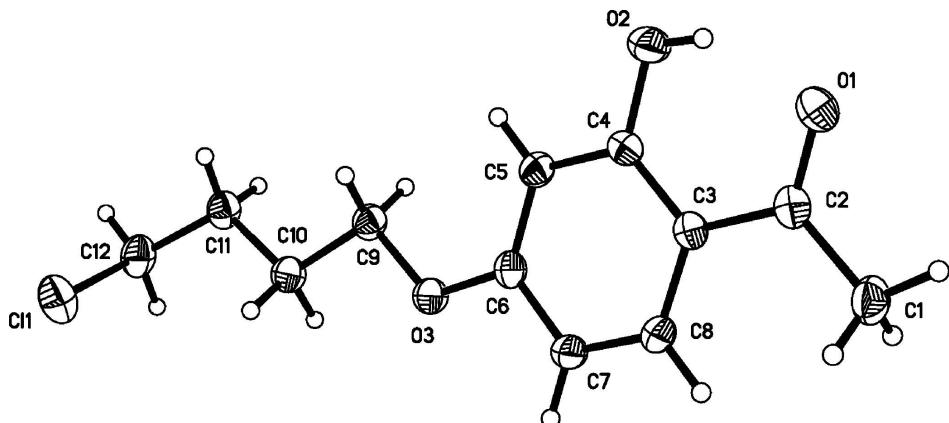
In the crystal structure of the title compound the dihedral angle between the benzene ring C3—C8 and the ethoxy group is (O3, C9 and C10) amount to 9.03 (4) $^{\circ}$ . The carbonyl oxygen atom is involved in intramolecular O—H $\cdots$ O hydrogen bonding to the neighbored hydroxy group

### S2. Experimental

2, 4-Dihydroxyacetonephenone (5 mmol), potassium carbonate (6 mmol), 1-bromo-4-chlorobutane (5 mmol) and 50 ml acetone were mixed in a 100 ml flask. After 2.5 h stirring at 329 K the crude product was filtered off. Single crystals suitable for X-ray analysis were obtained by slow evaporation of the solvent from a solution of the title compound in n-hexane/ethyl acetate/methanol (3:3:1, V/V) at room temperature.

### S3. Refinement

The H atoms were positioned with idealized geometry (O—H H atoms allowed to rotate but no to tip) with C—H distance in the range of 0.93–0.97 Å and O—H distance of 0.82 Å, and refined as riding, with  $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H}) = 1.2\text{--}1.5U_{\text{eq}}(\text{C}, \text{O})$ .



**Figure 1**

Crystal structure of the title compound with labeling and displacement ellipsoids drawn at the 30% probability level.

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 $b = 9.8941 (10)$  Å  
 $c = 11.6529 (12)$  Å  
 $\alpha = 99.735 (2)^\circ$   
 $\beta = 98.242 (1)^\circ$   
 $\gamma = 92.248 (1)^\circ$   
 $V = 591.97 (10)$  Å<sup>3</sup>  
 $Z = 2$

$F(000) = 256$   
 $D_x = 1.362$  Mg m<sup>-3</sup>  
Melting point = 317–318 K  
Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation,  $\lambda = 0.71073$  Å  
Cell parameters from 1252 reflections  
 $\theta = 2.5\text{--}27.5^\circ$   
 $\mu = 0.31$  mm<sup>-1</sup>  
 $T = 298$  K  
Triclinic, colourless  
0.49 × 0.40 × 0.24 mm

*Data collection*

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diffractometer  
Radiation source: fine-focus sealed tube  
Graphite monochromator  
 $\varphi$  and  $\omega$  scans  
Absorption correction: multi-scan  
(SADABS; Sheldrick, 1996)  
 $T_{\min} = 0.862$ ,  $T_{\max} = 0.929$

3097 measured reflections  
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 $R_{\text{int}} = 0.019$   
 $\theta_{\max} = 25.0^\circ$ ,  $\theta_{\min} = 2.5^\circ$   
 $h = -6 \rightarrow 5$   
 $k = -11 \rightarrow 9$   
 $l = -13 \rightarrow 13$

*Refinement*

Refinement on  $F^2$   
Least-squares matrix: full  
 $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.040$   
 $wR(F^2) = 0.108$   
 $S = 1.06$   
2068 reflections  
147 parameters  
0 restraints  
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  
 $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0463P)^2 + 0.1542P]$   
where  $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$   
 $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\max} < 0.001$   
 $\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.20$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>  
 $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.21$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>  
Extinction correction: SHELXL97 (Sheldrick,  
2008),  $Fc^* = kFc[1 + 0.001xFc^2\lambda^3/\sin(2\theta)]^{-1/4}$   
Extinction coefficient: 0.294 (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.

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

|     | $x$          | $y$           | $z$          | $U_{\text{iso}}^* / U_{\text{eq}}$ |
|-----|--------------|---------------|--------------|------------------------------------|
| Cl1 | 0.69127 (14) | 0.39709 (8)   | 0.91715 (5)  | 0.0668 (3)                         |
| O1  | -0.6516 (3)  | -0.02779 (17) | 0.10226 (14) | 0.0545 (5)                         |

|      |             |               |              |            |
|------|-------------|---------------|--------------|------------|
| O2   | -0.2483 (3) | -0.06891 (15) | 0.23591 (14) | 0.0513 (5) |
| H2   | -0.3821     | -0.0896       | 0.1897       | 0.077*     |
| O3   | 0.2113 (3)  | 0.32392 (15)  | 0.48072 (12) | 0.0444 (4) |
| C1   | -0.7899 (4) | 0.1907 (3)    | 0.0771 (2)   | 0.0508 (6) |
| H1A  | -0.9234     | 0.1367        | 0.0217       | 0.076*     |
| H1B  | -0.6955     | 0.2480        | 0.0370       | 0.076*     |
| H1C  | -0.8647     | 0.2473        | 0.1371       | 0.076*     |
| C2   | -0.6130 (4) | 0.0977 (2)    | 0.13236 (17) | 0.0385 (5) |
| C3   | -0.3944 (4) | 0.1550 (2)    | 0.22183 (17) | 0.0338 (5) |
| C4   | -0.2210 (4) | 0.0684 (2)    | 0.27035 (17) | 0.0349 (5) |
| C5   | -0.0135 (4) | 0.1209 (2)    | 0.35608 (18) | 0.0379 (5) |
| H5   | 0.1012      | 0.0623        | 0.3866       | 0.045*     |
| C6   | 0.0206 (4)  | 0.2611 (2)    | 0.39548 (17) | 0.0357 (5) |
| C7   | -0.1489 (4) | 0.3496 (2)    | 0.34910 (18) | 0.0407 (5) |
| H7   | -0.1254     | 0.4439        | 0.3761       | 0.049*     |
| C8   | -0.3499 (4) | 0.2967 (2)    | 0.26358 (18) | 0.0390 (5) |
| H8   | -0.4606     | 0.3566        | 0.2321       | 0.047*     |
| C9   | 0.3983 (4)  | 0.2437 (2)    | 0.53460 (18) | 0.0400 (5) |
| H9A  | 0.5055      | 0.2040        | 0.4783       | 0.048*     |
| H9B  | 0.3150      | 0.1700        | 0.5636       | 0.048*     |
| C10  | 0.5562 (4)  | 0.3405 (2)    | 0.63445 (19) | 0.0433 (6) |
| H10A | 0.4454      | 0.3780        | 0.6899       | 0.052*     |
| H10B | 0.6285      | 0.4163        | 0.6039       | 0.052*     |
| C11  | 0.7719 (4)  | 0.2729 (2)    | 0.69890 (18) | 0.0440 (6) |
| H11A | 0.7030      | 0.1880        | 0.7170       | 0.053*     |
| H11B | 0.8976      | 0.2495        | 0.6469       | 0.053*     |
| C12  | 0.9052 (4)  | 0.3603 (3)    | 0.8113 (2)   | 0.0517 (6) |
| H12A | 0.9737      | 0.4459        | 0.7941       | 0.062*     |
| H12B | 1.0479      | 0.3128        | 0.8443       | 0.062*     |

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

|     | $U^{11}$    | $U^{22}$    | $U^{33}$    | $U^{12}$     | $U^{13}$     | $U^{23}$    |
|-----|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|
| Cl1 | 0.0704 (5)  | 0.0785 (5)  | 0.0487 (4)  | 0.0060 (4)   | 0.0128 (3)   | 0.0000 (3)  |
| O1  | 0.0550 (10) | 0.0450 (10) | 0.0549 (10) | -0.0085 (8)  | -0.0092 (8)  | 0.0018 (8)  |
| O2  | 0.0548 (10) | 0.0345 (9)  | 0.0583 (10) | 0.0009 (7)   | -0.0059 (8)  | 0.0026 (7)  |
| O3  | 0.0404 (9)  | 0.0406 (9)  | 0.0452 (9)  | 0.0034 (7)   | -0.0114 (7)  | 0.0026 (7)  |
| C1  | 0.0449 (14) | 0.0580 (16) | 0.0450 (13) | -0.0012 (11) | -0.0079 (11) | 0.0097 (11) |
| C2  | 0.0355 (12) | 0.0454 (14) | 0.0339 (11) | -0.0028 (10) | 0.0052 (9)   | 0.0068 (10) |
| C3  | 0.0321 (11) | 0.0373 (12) | 0.0317 (10) | 0.0002 (9)   | 0.0054 (9)   | 0.0048 (9)  |
| C4  | 0.0366 (12) | 0.0329 (12) | 0.0346 (11) | 0.0012 (9)   | 0.0068 (9)   | 0.0031 (9)  |
| C5  | 0.0367 (12) | 0.0390 (13) | 0.0382 (11) | 0.0078 (9)   | 0.0028 (9)   | 0.0086 (9)  |
| C6  | 0.0321 (11) | 0.0416 (13) | 0.0326 (10) | 0.0005 (9)   | 0.0027 (9)   | 0.0062 (9)  |
| C7  | 0.0428 (13) | 0.0336 (12) | 0.0426 (12) | 0.0037 (9)   | -0.0018 (10) | 0.0042 (10) |
| C8  | 0.0379 (12) | 0.0394 (13) | 0.0384 (11) | 0.0065 (9)   | -0.0019 (9)  | 0.0087 (9)  |
| C9  | 0.0368 (12) | 0.0439 (13) | 0.0390 (12) | 0.0068 (10)  | 0.0033 (9)   | 0.0074 (10) |
| C10 | 0.0390 (12) | 0.0444 (13) | 0.0434 (12) | 0.0035 (10)  | -0.0021 (10) | 0.0057 (10) |
| C11 | 0.0360 (12) | 0.0546 (15) | 0.0408 (12) | 0.0086 (10)  | 0.0033 (10)  | 0.0079 (11) |

|     |             |             |             |             |              |             |
|-----|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|
| C12 | 0.0396 (13) | 0.0678 (17) | 0.0460 (13) | 0.0051 (11) | -0.0020 (11) | 0.0123 (12) |
|-----|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|

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

|            |             |               |             |
|------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|
| C11—C12    | 1.791 (2)   | C6—C7         | 1.393 (3)   |
| O1—C2      | 1.232 (2)   | C7—C8         | 1.367 (3)   |
| O2—C4      | 1.346 (2)   | C7—H7         | 0.9300      |
| O2—H2      | 0.8200      | C8—H8         | 0.9300      |
| O3—C6      | 1.357 (2)   | C9—C10        | 1.499 (3)   |
| O3—C9      | 1.431 (2)   | C9—H9A        | 0.9700      |
| C1—C2      | 1.493 (3)   | C9—H9B        | 0.9700      |
| C1—H1A     | 0.9600      | C10—C11       | 1.513 (3)   |
| C1—H1B     | 0.9600      | C10—H10A      | 0.9700      |
| C1—H1C     | 0.9600      | C10—H10B      | 0.9700      |
| C2—C3      | 1.464 (3)   | C11—C12       | 1.504 (3)   |
| C3—C4      | 1.402 (3)   | C11—H11A      | 0.9700      |
| C3—C8      | 1.403 (3)   | C11—H11B      | 0.9700      |
| C4—C5      | 1.390 (3)   | C12—H12A      | 0.9700      |
| C5—C6      | 1.382 (3)   | C12—H12B      | 0.9700      |
| C5—H5      | 0.9300      |               |             |
| C4—O2—H2   | 109.5       | C7—C8—H8      | 119.0       |
| C6—O3—C9   | 119.86 (16) | C3—C8—H8      | 119.0       |
| C2—C1—H1A  | 109.5       | O3—C9—C10     | 106.13 (17) |
| C2—C1—H1B  | 109.5       | O3—C9—H9A     | 110.5       |
| H1A—C1—H1B | 109.5       | C10—C9—H9A    | 110.5       |
| C2—C1—H1C  | 109.5       | O3—C9—H9B     | 110.5       |
| H1A—C1—H1C | 109.5       | C10—C9—H9B    | 110.5       |
| H1B—C1—H1C | 109.5       | H9A—C9—H9B    | 108.7       |
| O1—C2—C3   | 120.04 (19) | C9—C10—C11    | 113.12 (18) |
| O1—C2—C1   | 119.69 (19) | C9—C10—H10A   | 109.0       |
| C3—C2—C1   | 120.26 (19) | C11—C10—H10A  | 109.0       |
| C4—C3—C8   | 117.24 (18) | C9—C10—H10B   | 109.0       |
| C4—C3—C2   | 120.54 (18) | C11—C10—H10B  | 109.0       |
| C8—C3—C2   | 122.21 (18) | H10A—C10—H10B | 107.8       |
| O2—C4—C5   | 117.17 (18) | C12—C11—C10   | 114.25 (19) |
| O2—C4—C3   | 121.47 (18) | C12—C11—H11A  | 108.7       |
| C5—C4—C3   | 121.36 (19) | C10—C11—H11A  | 108.7       |
| C6—C5—C4   | 119.31 (19) | C12—C11—H11B  | 108.7       |
| C6—C5—H5   | 120.3       | C10—C11—H11B  | 108.7       |
| C4—C5—H5   | 120.3       | H11A—C11—H11B | 107.6       |
| O3—C6—C5   | 124.69 (18) | C11—C12—C11   | 111.58 (16) |
| O3—C6—C7   | 114.72 (18) | C11—C12—H12A  | 109.3       |
| C5—C6—C7   | 120.59 (19) | C11—C12—H12A  | 109.3       |
| C8—C7—C6   | 119.5 (2)   | C11—C12—H12B  | 109.3       |
| C8—C7—H7   | 120.3       | C11—C12—H12B  | 109.3       |
| C6—C7—H7   | 120.3       | H12A—C12—H12B | 108.0       |
| C7—C8—C3   | 122.01 (19) |               |             |

|             |              |                 |              |
|-------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------|
| O1—C2—C3—C4 | 2.8 (3)      | C4—C5—C6—O3     | 178.18 (18)  |
| C1—C2—C3—C4 | -177.19 (19) | C4—C5—C6—C7     | -0.8 (3)     |
| O1—C2—C3—C8 | -176.56 (19) | O3—C6—C7—C8     | -179.25 (18) |
| C1—C2—C3—C8 | 3.5 (3)      | C5—C6—C7—C8     | -0.2 (3)     |
| C8—C3—C4—O2 | 179.90 (18)  | C6—C7—C8—C3     | 1.1 (3)      |
| C2—C3—C4—O2 | 0.6 (3)      | C4—C3—C8—C7     | -0.9 (3)     |
| C8—C3—C4—C5 | -0.1 (3)     | C2—C3—C8—C7     | 178.46 (19)  |
| C2—C3—C4—C5 | -179.47 (18) | C6—O3—C9—C10    | -172.47 (17) |
| O2—C4—C5—C6 | -179.10 (18) | O3—C9—C10—C11   | -177.85 (18) |
| C3—C4—C5—C6 | 0.9 (3)      | C9—C10—C11—C12  | -170.21 (19) |
| C9—O3—C6—C5 | 1.4 (3)      | C10—C11—C12—Cl1 | 63.0 (2)     |
| C9—O3—C6—C7 | -179.63 (17) |                 |              |

*Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °)*

| D—H···A    | D—H  | H···A | D···A     | D—H···A |
|------------|------|-------|-----------|---------|
| O2—H2···O1 | 0.82 | 1.82  | 2.539 (2) | 146     |