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2-Bromo-4-tert-butyl-6-[(pyridin-2-ylimino)methyl]phenol

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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; T = 293 K; mean σ (C–C) = 0.005 Å; R factor = 0.033; wR factor = 0.081; data-to-parameter ratio = 16.6.

In the title compound, C₁₆H₁₇BrN₂O, the pyridine and benzene rings are almost coplanar [dihedral angle = 1.3 (2)°]. An intramolecular $O-H \cdots Br$ interaction forms an S(5) ring motif.

Related literature

For the anti-bacterial and anti-tumor activity of substituted salicylaldehyde derivatives, see: Jesmin et al. (2010); Pelttari et al. (2007) and for the biological activity of 2-aminopryidine derivatives, see: Hagmann et al. (2000). For related structures, see: Puthilibai et al. (2008); Phurat et al. (2010); Wang et al.(2010). For the synthesis, see: Pannerselvam et al. (2005).



Experimental

Crystal data

 $C_{16}H_{17}BrN_2O$ $M_r = 333.23$ Monoclinic, Cc a = 10.0241 (11) Åb = 16.1355 (16) Å c = 9.4308 (13) Å $\beta = 92.050$ (6)





Data collection

 $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.033$

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S = 0.983051 reflections 184 parameters

2 restraints

Bruker SMART APEXII area-	3051 independent reflections
detector diffractometer	2564 reflections with $I > 2\sigma$
6913 measured reflections	$R_{\text{int}} = 0.035$
Refinement	

H-atom parameters constrained
$\Delta \rho_{\rm max} = 0.50 \ {\rm e} \ {\rm \AA}^{-3}$
$\Delta \rho_{\rm min} = -0.37 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$
Absolute structure: Flack (1983),
1147 Friedel pairs
Flack parameter: 0.009 (9)

Table 1

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °).

$\overline{D-\mathrm{H}\cdots A}$	D-H	$H \cdots A$	$D \cdots A$	$D - H \cdots A$
O1-H1···Br1	0.82	2.46	3.021 (3)	127

Data collection: APEX2 (Bruker, 2008); cell refinement: SAINT (Bruker, 2008); data reduction: SAINT; program(s) used to solve structure: SHELXS97 (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: SHELXL97 (Sheldrick, 2008); molecular graphics: ORTEP-3 (Farrugia, 1997); software used to prepare material for publication: SHELXL97 and PLATON (Spek, 2009).

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S1. Comment

The crystal structure determination of the title compound was undertaken as a part of the synthesis, structure and properties of new class of substituted salicylaldehyde derivatives.

In the crystal structure the pyridine ring and the substituted phenyl rings are essentially co-planar with a mean deviation of 0.0057Å and 0.0053Å, respectively, from the least square planes of the corresponding constituent ring atoms. Unlike the other structures, the N(1) atom of the pyridine ring aligns with the plane of the other atoms contributing the ring (C12 – C13–C14–C15–C16). The dihedral angle between pyridine ring and the phenyl ring is 1.3 (2)°. The Br(1) atom is almost co-planar with the phenyl ring (C1 to C6) with a mean deviation of 0.025 (1)Å. An intramolecular O(1)–H…Br(1) hydrogen bond forms a S(5) ring motif. Intramolecular C(7)–H…N(2) weak interaction is also observed in the structure.

S2. Experimental

The synthesis of the title compound follows the modified method of Schiff's base prepartion described by Pannerselvam *et al.* (2005). The microwave-assisted condensation of 3-bromo-5-*tert*-btuyl-2-hydroxybenzaldehyde and 2-amino pyridine was carried out in a domestic oven, Samsung SMH9151BE. Equimolar concentrations of 3-bromo-5-*tert*-btuyl-2-hydroxy benzaldehyde and 2-amino pyridine (3mmol each) were dissolved in anhydrous methanol (5mL) at ambient temperature in an 25mL Erlenmeyer flask. The mixture was subjected to microwave irradiation for an optimized time (8 mins) on the M-High setting (800W). It was then cooled and diluted with ice-cold water. The product yield was found to be 72% and the purity was checked using TLC. The compound was re-crystallized from methanol/water mixture at room temperature to yield single crystals.

S3. Refinement

Hydrogen atoms were placed in calculated positions with C—H = 0.93Å and refined using the riding model approximation with a fixed isotropic displacement parameter of $U_{iso}(H) = 1.6 U_{eq}(C)$.



Figure 1

Molecular structure of the title compound, showing displacement ellipsoids drawn at the 30% probability level. H atoms are presented as a small spheres of arbitrary radius.

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Refinement on F^2 Least-squares matrix: full $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.033$ $wR(F^2) = 0.081$ S = 0.983051 reflections 184 parameters F(000) = 680 $D_x = 1.452 \text{ Mg m}^{-3}$ Mo K α radiation, $\lambda = 0.71073 \text{ Å}$ Cell parameters from 3053 reflections $\theta = 2.4-28.3^{\circ}$ $\mu = 2.69 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ T = 293 KBlock, red $0.2 \times 0.2 \times 0.2 \text{ mm}$

2564 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$ $R_{int} = 0.035$ $\theta_{max} = 28.3^\circ, \ \theta_{min} = 2.4^\circ$ $h = -13 \rightarrow 13$ $k = -21 \rightarrow 21$ $l = -12 \rightarrow 12$

2 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 $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0327P)^2]$ where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$ $(\Delta/\sigma)_{max} = 0.001$ $\Delta\rho_{max} = 0.50$ e Å⁻³

Special details

 $\Delta \rho_{\min} = -0.37 \text{ e } \text{Å}^{-3}$ Absolute structure: Flack (1983), **1147 Friedel pairs** Absolute structure parameter: 0.009 (9)

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 $F^2 > 2$ 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	Ζ	$U_{\rm iso}$ */ $U_{\rm eq}$
C1	0.5566 (3)	0.96379 (15)	0.4642 (4)	0.0358 (6)
C2	0.6217 (3)	1.03392 (15)	0.5239 (3)	0.0349 (6)
C3	0.5803 (3)	1.11292 (14)	0.4782 (4)	0.0391 (7)
H3	0.6233	1.1589	0.5178	0.047*
C4	0.4795 (3)	1.12589 (15)	0.3781 (4)	0.0361 (6)
C5	0.4150 (3)	1.05601 (17)	0.3224 (4)	0.0379 (7)
Н5	0.3454	1.0623	0.2554	0.045*
C6	0.4536 (3)	0.97694 (16)	0.3657 (4)	0.0388 (7)
C7	0.7280 (3)	1.02509 (19)	0.6298 (4)	0.0421 (8)
H7	0.7676	1.0725	0.6684	0.051*
C8	0.8724 (4)	0.94730 (17)	0.7759 (5)	0.0423 (7)
C9	0.9091 (3)	0.8682 (2)	0.8210 (5)	0.0531 (9)
Н9	0.8653	0.8219	0.7837	0.064*
C10	1.0103 (4)	0.8595 (3)	0.9207 (5)	0.0653 (11)
H10	1.0367	0.8069	0.9510	0.078*
C11	1.0721 (4)	0.9279 (3)	0.9754 (5)	0.0698 (11)
H11	1.1401	0.9235	1.0447	0.084*
C12	1.0307 (4)	1.0042 (3)	0.9248 (5)	0.0695 (13)
H12	1.0734	1.0511	0.9615	0.083*
C13	0.4388 (3)	1.2146 (2)	0.3348 (4)	0.0436 (8)
C14	0.3815 (4)	1.2584 (2)	0.4631 (5)	0.0662 (10)
H14A	0.3569	1.3140	0.4375	0.099*
H14B	0.4475	1.2596	0.5394	0.099*
H14C	0.3041	1.2289	0.4929	0.099*
C15	0.5606 (3)	1.26226 (17)	0.2862 (5)	0.0564 (9)
H15A	0.5982	1.2340	0.2074	0.085*
H15B	0.6259	1.2656	0.3629	0.085*
H15C	0.5342	1.3171	0.2576	0.085*
C16	0.3336 (4)	1.2144 (3)	0.2134 (6)	0.0654 (12)
H16A	0.3703	1.1896	0.1309	0.098*

Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters (\hat{A}^2)

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H16B	0.3071	1.2704	0.1921	0.098*	
H16C	0.2573	1.1832	0.2410	0.098*	
Br1	0.36263 (5)	0.884372 (16)	0.28725 (6)	0.06324 (14)	
N1	0.7694 (2)	0.95411 (16)	0.6724 (3)	0.0412 (6)	
N2	0.9331 (3)	1.01500 (19)	0.8263 (4)	0.0573 (8)	
O1	0.5940 (2)	0.88708 (9)	0.5015 (3)	0.0519 (7)	
H1	0.5462	0.8533	0.4592	0.078*	

Atomic displacement parameters $(Å^2)$

	U^{11}	U^{22}	U^{33}	U^{12}	U^{13}	U^{23}
C1	0.0336 (12)	0.0318 (11)	0.0417 (18)	0.0008 (10)	-0.0011 (12)	0.0018 (12)
C2	0.0341 (12)	0.0318 (11)	0.0383 (18)	0.0021 (10)	-0.0067 (12)	0.0026 (12)
C3	0.0421 (14)	0.0292 (12)	0.0452 (19)	0.0002 (10)	-0.0085 (14)	-0.0002 (12)
C4	0.0337 (12)	0.0357 (13)	0.0387 (18)	0.0014 (10)	-0.0023 (13)	0.0025 (13)
C5	0.0330 (13)	0.0400 (14)	0.0401 (18)	-0.0020 (10)	-0.0077 (12)	0.0009 (13)
C6	0.0383 (14)	0.0352 (12)	0.0428 (19)	-0.0049 (11)	0.0003 (13)	-0.0021 (13)
C7	0.0447 (16)	0.0343 (13)	0.047 (2)	0.0019 (11)	-0.0068 (15)	-0.0023 (14)
C8	0.0405 (15)	0.0473 (13)	0.0388 (19)	0.0049 (15)	-0.0022 (13)	0.0061 (18)
C9	0.0532 (19)	0.0542 (18)	0.052 (2)	0.0096 (13)	-0.0039 (16)	0.0086 (16)
C10	0.060 (2)	0.076 (2)	0.059 (3)	0.0227 (19)	-0.003 (2)	0.026 (2)
C11	0.0523 (19)	0.101 (3)	0.055 (2)	0.011 (2)	-0.0214 (17)	0.015 (2)
C12	0.060 (2)	0.081 (3)	0.066 (3)	-0.0077 (19)	-0.024 (2)	0.010 (2)
C13	0.0484 (17)	0.0345 (15)	0.047 (2)	0.0037 (13)	-0.0061 (16)	0.0045 (14)
C14	0.076 (2)	0.0498 (18)	0.074 (3)	0.0211 (16)	0.013 (2)	0.0060 (18)
C15	0.067 (2)	0.0377 (14)	0.064 (3)	-0.0013 (13)	-0.0035 (18)	0.0117 (15)
C16	0.067 (3)	0.051 (2)	0.077 (3)	0.0112 (17)	-0.024 (2)	0.011 (2)
Br1	0.0703 (2)	0.04400 (16)	0.0735 (3)	-0.01579 (16)	-0.02473 (16)	-0.0033 (2)
N1	0.0381 (12)	0.0418 (13)	0.0431 (17)	0.0045 (10)	-0.0089 (11)	0.0036 (11)
N2	0.0525 (15)	0.0573 (16)	0.060 (2)	-0.0037 (12)	-0.0218 (14)	0.0070 (15)
01	0.0612 (14)	0.0255 (9)	0.0679 (19)	-0.0005 (8)	-0.0146 (13)	0.0030 (9)

Geometric parameters (Å, °)

C1-01	1.337 (3)	C10-C11	1.359 (7)
C1—C6	1.380 (4)	C10—H10	0.9300
C1—C2	1.413 (3)	C11—C12	1.378 (6)
C2—C3	1.404 (3)	C11—H11	0.9300
C2—C7	1.441 (5)	C12—N2	1.336 (5)
C3—C4	1.373 (5)	C12—H12	0.9300
С3—Н3	0.9300	C13—C16	1.529 (5)
C4—C5	1.393 (4)	C13—C15	1.527 (5)
C4—C13	1.540 (4)	C13—C14	1.531 (6)
C5—C6	1.390 (4)	C14—H14A	0.9600
С5—Н5	0.9300	C14—H14B	0.9600
C6—Br1	1.887 (3)	C14—H14C	0.9600
C7—N1	1.278 (4)	C15—H15A	0.9600
С7—Н7	0.9300	C15—H15B	0.9600

C8—N2	1.330 (5)	C15—H15C	0.9600
C8—C9	1.390 (4)	C16—H16A	0.9600
C8—N1	1.399 (5)	C16—H16B	0.9600
C9—C10	1.366 (6)	C16—H16C	0.9600
С9—Н9	0.9300	01—H1	0.8200
	0.9500		0.0200
O1—C1—C6	121.0 (3)	C12—C11—H11	121.1
01 - C1 - C2	121.0(3)	N2-C12-C11	124.2 (4)
C6-C1-C2	117.9 (2)	N2-C12-H12	117.9
$C_{3} - C_{2} - C_{1}$	117.5(2) 118.5(3)	C11—C12—H12	117.9
$C_{3} - C_{2} - C_{7}$	120.4(3)	C16-C13-C15	108.3(3)
C1 - C2 - C7	120.1(3) 121.1(2)	C16-C13-C14	108.9(3)
C4-C3-C2	121.1(2) 123.5(2)	C15 - C13 - C14	100.9(1) 109.4(3)
C4—C3—H3	118.3	C16-C13-C4	109.1(3) 111.5(3)
$C_2 - C_3 - H_3$	118.3	C15 - C13 - C4	110.0(3)
$C_{2} = C_{3} = C_{4} = C_{5}$	117.1(2)	C13 - C13 - C4	108.8(3)
C_{3} C_{4} C_{13}	117.1(2) 1204(3)	C13 - C14 - H14A	100.0 (5)
$C_5 C_4 C_{13}$	120.4(3) 122.5(3)	C13 - C14 - H14R	109.5
$C_{6} - C_{5} - C_{4}$	122.3(3)	H14A - C14 - H14B	109.5
C6 C5 H5	110.6	C_{13} C_{14} H_{14} H_{14}	109.5
$C_4 C_5 H_5$	119.0	H_{14} C_{14} H_{14} H_{14}	109.5
$C_1 - C_5 - H_5$	119.0	H14R C14 H14C	109.5
$C_1 = C_0 = C_3$	122.2(3) 118.8(2)	$C_{13} = C_{15} = H_{15} \Lambda$	109.5
$C_{1} = C_{0} = B_{11}$	110.0(2)	C13 - C15 - H15R	109.5
C_{3} C_{0} C_{1} C_{2} C_{2}	119.1(2) 122.0(3)	U15A C15 U15P	109.5
N1 = C7 = U7	122.0 (5)	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	109.5
$N_{1} = C_{7} = H_{7}$	119.0	H15A C15 H15C	109.5
$C_2 - C_1 - H_1$	119.0	H15R - C15 - H15C	109.5
$N_2 = C_0 = C_9$	122.1(4)	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	109.5
$N_2 - C_0 - N_1$	120.1(3)	C13 - C10 - H10A	109.5
C_{2}	117.8(3)		109.5
C10 - C9 - C8	119.2 (4)	H10A - C10 - H10B	109.5
C_{10} C_{9} H_{9}	120.4		109.5
C8—C9—H9	120.4	H16A - C16 - H16C	109.5
	119.6 (4)	H16B - C16 - H16C	109.5
C9-C10-H10	120.2	C = N = C	120.9 (3)
CII—CI0—HI0	120.2	C8 = N2 = C12	117.1(4)
	117.8 (4)	CI—OI—HI	109.5
С10—С11—Н11	121.1		
$O_1 C_1 C_2 C_2$	179 5 (2)	N2 C8 C0 C10	0.2(6)
01 - 01 - 02 - 03	1/0.3(3)	$N_2 - C_8 - C_9 - C_{10}$	0.5(0)
$C_0 - C_1 - C_2 - C_3$	-1.2(4)	N1 - C8 - C9 - C10	1/9.5(3)
$C_{1} = C_{1} = C_{2} = C_{1}$	-1.0(4)	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	-1.2 (0)
$C_0 - C_1 - C_2 - C_1$	1/8.3(3)	$C_{10} = C_{11} = C_{12} = C_{12}$	-1.2(0)
$C_1 - C_2 - C_3 - C_4$	-0.1(3)	C10-C11-C12-N2	0.5(/)
$C_1 - C_2 - C_3 - C_4$	-1/9.8(3)	$C_{5} = C_{4} = C_{12} = C_{16}$	1/5.1 (4)
$C_2 = C_3 = C_4 = C_1^2$	1.1(3)	$C_{2} = C_{4} = C_{12} = C_{15}$	-0.8(3)
$C_2 - C_3 - C_4 - C_{13}$	1/9.4 (3)	C_{3} — C_{4} — C_{13} — C_{15}	55.0 (5)
C3-C4-C5-C6	-1.0(5)	C5—C4—C13—C15	-126.9 (3)

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C13—C4—C5—C6	-179.1 (3)	C3—C4—C13—C14	-64.8 (4)	
O1—C1—C6—C5	-178.3 (3)	C5-C4-C13-C14	113.3 (4)	
C2-C1-C6-C5	1.4 (5)	C2C7N1C8	-179.8 (3)	
O1-C1-C6-Br1	1.6 (4)	N2-C8-N1-C7	-3.3 (5)	
C2-C1-C6-Br1	-178.7 (2)	C9—C8—N1—C7	177.7 (3)	
C4—C5—C6—C1	-0.3 (5)	C9—C8—N2—C12	-1.0 (6)	
C4—C5—C6—Br1	179.8 (2)	N1-C8-N2-C12	-180.0 (3)	
C3—C2—C7—N1	-179.1 (3)	C11—C12—N2—C8	0.6 (6)	
C1-C2-C7-N1	1.3 (5)			

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °)

<i>D</i> —H··· <i>A</i>	D—H	Н…А	D····A	<i>D</i> —H··· <i>A</i>
O1—H1…Br1	0.82	2.46	3.021 (3)	127
C7—H7…N2	0.93	2.38	2.723 (5)	102