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# Ethyl 5-bromonaphtho[2,1-b]furan-2carboxvlate

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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; T = 298 K; mean  $\sigma$ (C–C) = 0.006 Å; R factor = 0.045; wR factor = 0.127; data-to-parameter ratio = 13.1.

In the title compound,  $C_{15}H_{11}BrO_3$ , the dihedral angle between the naphthofuran ring system (r.m.s. deviation = 0.022 Å) and the side chain is  $4.50 (2)^{\circ}$ . In the crystal, short Br...Br [3.4435 (7) Å] contacts propagating along [010] in a zigzag manner and weak  $\pi$ - $\pi$  interactions [shortest centroidcentroid separation = 3.573(2) Å] directed along [100] are observed.

#### **Related literature**

For background to the biological activity of naphthofuran derivatives, see: Vaidya et al. (2011).



#### **Experimental**

#### Crystal data

C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>11</sub>BrO<sub>3</sub>  $V = 1279.16 (13) \text{ Å}^3$  $M_r = 319.15$ Z = 4Monoclinic,  $P2_1/c$ a = 7.3108 (4) Å  $\mu = 3.21 \text{ mm}^$ b = 11.1545 (6) Å T = 298 Kc = 15.9752 (10) Å  $\beta = 100.921 (4)^{\circ}$ 

#### Data collection

Bruker APEXII CCD diffractometer Absorption correction: multi-scan (SADABS; Sheldrick, 1996)  $T_{\min} = 0.467, T_{\max} = 0.595$ 

#### Refinement

 $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.045$  $wR(F^2) = 0.127$ S = 1.082249 reflections

Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation  $0.28 \times 0.24 \times 0.18 \; \rm mm$ 

10028 measured reflections 2249 independent reflections 1699 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$  $R_{\rm int} = 0.037$ 

172 parameters H-atom parameters constrained  $\Delta \rho_{\rm max} = 0.59 \text{ e} \text{ Å}^{-3}$  $\Delta \rho_{\rm min} = -0.54$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>

Data collection: APEX2 (Bruker, 2004); cell refinement: SAINT-Plus (Bruker, 2004); data reduction: SAINT-Plus; 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, 2012); software used to prepare material for publication: SHELXL97.

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#### S1. Comment

As part of our ongoing studies of naphthofuran derivatives with possible biological activities (Vaidya *et al.*, 2011), we now describe the structure of the title compound.

The title compound crystallizes in monoclinic crystal system with  $P2_1/c$  space group. The molecule is essentially planar with the dihedral angle between the mean planes defined by the naphthofuran moiety and the side chain is 4.50 (2)°, and the torsion angle of 179.81 (2)° for C15—C14—O3—C13 shows that the ethyl group is in planar orientation with the naphthofuran ring. In contrast to this, an antiperiplanar orientation is observed between the ethyl group and the naphthofuran ring in ethylnaphtho[2,1-*b*]furan-2-carboxylate. In the crystal, weak Br…Br and  $\pi$ - $\pi$  interaction between the rings C1—C6 and O1—C12 occur.

#### **S2. Experimental**

To a solution of ethyl naphtho[2,1-*b*]furan- 2-carboxylate (0.1 mol) in glacial acetic acid (20 ml) was added a solution of bromine (0.1 mol) in acetic acid (20 ml) with stirring during 1 h at  $10-20^{\circ}$ C and the stirring was continued for 3 h. The reaction mixture was poured into ice-cold water and the solid obtained was filtered out. It was washed with water, dried and the product was recrystallized from ethanol solution as colourless prisms.

#### S3. Refinement

The H atoms were positioned with idealized geometry using a riding model with C—H = 0.93 - 0.97 Å. The isotropic displacement parameters for all H atoms were set to 1.2 times of the  $U_{eq}$  of the parent atom (1.5 times of the  $U_{eq}$  of the parent atom for CH3).





Molecular structure of the title compound, showing displacement ellipsoids drawn at the 50% probability level.



## Figure 2

Molecular packing of the title compound. Hydrogen bonds are shown as dashed lines.



#### Figure 3

Molecular packing of the title compound through  $\pi$ - $\pi$  interactions are shown as dashed lines.

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Crystal data

C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>11</sub>BrO<sub>3</sub>  $M_r = 319.15$ Monoclinic,  $P2_1/c$ Hall symbol: -P 2ybc a = 7.3108 (4) Å b = 11.1545 (6) Å c = 15.9752 (10) Å  $\beta = 100.921$  (4)° V = 1279.16 (13) Å<sup>3</sup> Z = 4F(000) = 640

#### Data collection

Bruker APEXII CCD diffractometer Radiation source: fine-focus sealed tube Graphite monochromator Detector resolution: 0.95 pixels mm<sup>-1</sup> phi and  $\omega$  scans Absorption correction: multi-scan (*SADABS*; Sheldrick, 1996)  $T_{\min} = 0.467, T_{\max} = 0.595$ 

#### Refinement

Refinement on  $F^2$ Least-squares matrix: full  $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.045$  $wR(F^2) = 0.127$ S = 1.08 prism  $D_x = 1.657 \text{ Mg m}^{-3}$ Melting point: 402 K Mo K $\alpha$  radiation,  $\lambda = 0.71073 \text{ Å}$ Cell parameters from 2249 reflections  $\theta = 2.2-25.0^{\circ}$   $\mu = 3.21 \text{ mm}^{-1}$  T = 298 KPrism, colourless  $0.28 \times 0.24 \times 0.18 \text{ mm}$ 

10028 measured reflections 2249 independent reflections 1699 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$  $R_{int} = 0.037$  $\theta_{max} = 25.0^{\circ}, \theta_{min} = 2.2^{\circ}$  $h = -8 \rightarrow 8$  $k = -12 \rightarrow 13$  $l = -18 \rightarrow 18$ 

2249 reflections 172 parameters 0 restraints 0 constraints

#### 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	Ζ	$U_{ m iso}$ */ $U_{ m eq}$
C15	-0.1065 (7)	-0.5565 (4)	0.3863 (3)	0.0671 (13)
H15A	-0.1556	-0.6243	0.3523	0.101*
H15B	-0.1951	-0.5306	0.4198	0.101*
H15C	0.0077	-0.5787	0.4233	0.101*
O1	0.1492 (4)	-0.0566 (2)	0.36398 (17)	0.0472 (7)
C1	0.3625 (5)	0.1416 (3)	0.5778 (3)	0.0429 (10)
C2	0.4360 (6)	0.2041 (4)	0.6518 (3)	0.0584 (12)
H2	0.4792	0.2821	0.6487	0.070*
C3	0.4446 (7)	0.1483 (5)	0.7312 (4)	0.0722 (15)
Н3	0.4956	0.1924	0.7794	0.087*
C4	0.3872 (6)	0.0395 (4)	0.7436 (3)	0.0581 (12)
H4	0.3924	0.0076	0.7978	0.070*
C5	0.3127 (6)	-0.0296 (4)	0.6643 (3)	0.0552 (11)
Н5	0.2734	-0.1083	0.6687	0.066*
C6	0.3009 (5)	0.0217 (3)	0.5838 (3)	0.0442 (9)
C7	0.2283 (5)	-0.0402 (3)	0.5065 (3)	0.0402 (9)
C8	0.2182 (5)	0.0167 (3)	0.4302 (3)	0.0420 (9)
C9	0.2729 (6)	0.1358 (3)	0.4210 (3)	0.0497 (10)
H9	0.2609	0.1722	0.3678	0.060*
C10	0.3435 (5)	0.1938 (3)	0.4934 (3)	0.0487 (11)
C11	0.1573 (5)	-0.1595 (3)	0.4862 (3)	0.0422 (9)
H11	0.1442	-0.2204	0.5244	0.051*
C12	0.1141 (5)	-0.1642 (3)	0.4006 (3)	0.0421 (9)
C13	0.0419 (6)	-0.2605 (4)	0.3405 (3)	0.0488 (10)
C14	-0.0706 (7)	-0.4583 (4)	0.3302 (3)	0.0616 (12)
H14A	0.0183	-0.4838	0.2958	0.074*
H14B	-0.1852	-0.4355	0.2923	0.074*
O2	0.0212 (6)	-0.2527 (3)	0.2649 (2)	0.0744 (10)
O3	0.0034 (4)	-0.3571 (2)	0.38317 (19)	0.0535 (8)
Br1	0.42767 (7)	0.35357 (4)	0.48343 (4)	0.0708 (2)

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

	$U^{11}$	$U^{22}$	$U^{33}$	$U^{12}$	$U^{13}$	$U^{23}$
C15	0.088 (3)	0.045 (3)	0.069 (3)	-0.018 (2)	0.017 (3)	-0.009 (2)
01	0.0569 (16)	0.0351 (15)	0.0501 (17)	-0.0048 (12)	0.0113 (13)	0.0043 (12)
C1	0.0341 (18)	0.034 (2)	0.063 (3)	0.0046 (16)	0.0143 (18)	-0.0021 (19)
C2	0.053 (3)	0.045 (3)	0.075 (3)	0.000 (2)	0.007 (2)	-0.014 (2)
C3	0.064 (3)	0.082 (4)	0.065 (4)	0.009 (3)	-0.003 (3)	-0.029 (3)
C4	0.046 (2)	0.059 (3)	0.069 (3)	0.007 (2)	0.009 (2)	0.030 (2)
C5	0.057 (2)	0.051 (3)	0.059 (3)	0.006 (2)	0.014 (2)	0.007 (2)
C6	0.0378 (19)	0.040 (2)	0.056 (3)	0.0072 (16)	0.0116 (18)	0.0010 (19)
C7	0.0356 (18)	0.033 (2)	0.052 (2)	0.0031 (15)	0.0074 (17)	-0.0044 (18)
C8	0.0411 (19)	0.034 (2)	0.053 (3)	0.0019 (16)	0.0152 (18)	0.0009 (19)
C9	0.053 (2)	0.037 (2)	0.063 (3)	0.0029 (18)	0.020 (2)	0.008 (2)
C10	0.040(2)	0.0272 (19)	0.081 (3)	-0.0003 (16)	0.018 (2)	-0.001(2)
C11	0.044 (2)	0.035 (2)	0.049 (3)	0.0037 (16)	0.0113 (18)	0.0072 (18)
C12	0.042 (2)	0.030(2)	0.054 (3)	-0.0015 (16)	0.0098 (18)	0.0041 (17)
C13	0.051 (2)	0.044 (2)	0.052 (3)	-0.0052 (18)	0.010 (2)	0.000 (2)
C14	0.083 (3)	0.045 (2)	0.057 (3)	-0.015 (2)	0.014 (2)	-0.015 (2)
O2	0.114 (3)	0.063 (2)	0.046 (2)	-0.027 (2)	0.0132 (19)	-0.0010 (16)
O3	0.0742 (19)	0.0390 (16)	0.0463 (17)	-0.0151 (14)	0.0087 (15)	-0.0038 (13)
Br1	0.0814 (4)	0.0354 (3)	0.0987 (5)	-0.0111 (2)	0.0247 (3)	0.0021 (2)

Atomic displacement parameters  $(Å^2)$ 

### Geometric parameters (Å, °)

C15—C14	1.470 (7)	C6—C7	1.426 (6)
C15—H15A	0.9600	C7—C8	1.363 (6)
C15—H15B	0.9600	C7—C11	1.443 (5)
C15—H15C	0.9600	C8—C9	1.403 (5)
O1—C8	1.357 (5)	C9—C10	1.341 (6)
O1—C12	1.380 (4)	С9—Н9	0.9300
C1—C2	1.389 (6)	C10—Br1	1.902 (4)
C1—C6	1.420 (5)	C10—Br1	1.902 (4)
C1C10	1.451 (6)	C11—C12	1.345 (6)
C2—C3	1.404 (8)	C11—H11	0.9300
С2—Н2	0.9300	C12—C13	1.471 (6)
C3—C4	1.311 (7)	C13—O2	1.192 (5)
С3—Н3	0.9300	C13—O3	1.333 (5)
C4—C5	1.495 (7)	C14—O3	1.452 (5)
C4—H4	0.9300	C14—H14A	0.9700
C5—C6	1.396 (6)	C14—H14B	0.9700
С5—Н5	0.9300	Br1—Br1	0.0000
C14—C15—H15A	109.5	O1—C8—C9	124.0 (4)
C14—C15—H15B	109.5	C7—C8—C9	124.5 (4)
H15A—C15—H15B	109.5	C10—C9—C8	115.9 (4)
C14—C15—H15C	109.5	С10—С9—Н9	122.1
H15A—C15—H15C	109.5	С8—С9—Н9	122.1

H15B—C15—H15C	109.5	C9—C10—C1	124.2 (4)
C8—O1—C12	105.4 (3)	C9—C10—Br1	117.2 (3)
C2—C1—C6	119.5 (4)	C1-C10-Br1	118.5 (3)
C2-C1-C10	122.9 (4)	C9—C10—Br1	117.2 (3)
C6—C1—C10	117.6 (4)	C1-C10-Br1	118.5 (3)
C1—C2—C3	119.4 (4)	Br1—C10—Br1	0.00 (4)
C1—C2—H2	120.3	C12—C11—C7	105.7 (3)
С3—С2—Н2	120.3	C12—C11—H11	127.2
C4—C3—C2	125.9 (5)	C7—C11—H11	127.2
С4—С3—Н3	117.1	C11—C12—O1	111.7 (3)
С2—С3—Н3	117.1	C11—C12—C13	132.7 (4)
C3—C4—C5	115.1 (5)	O1—C12—C13	115.6 (4)
С3—С4—Н4	122.4	O2—C13—O3	125.4 (4)
C5—C4—H4	122.4	O2—C13—C12	124.7 (4)
C6—C5—C4	121.2 (4)	O3—C13—C12	110.0 (4)
С6—С5—Н5	119.4	O3—C14—C15	108.3 (4)
С4—С5—Н5	119.4	O3—C14—H14A	110.0
C5—C6—C1	118.9 (4)	C15—C14—H14A	110.0
C5—C6—C7	123.1 (4)	O3—C14—H14B	110.0
C1—C6—C7	118.0 (4)	C15—C14—H14B	110.0
C8—C7—C6	119.8 (4)	H14A—C14—H14B	108.4
C8—C7—C11	105.8 (4)	C13—O3—C14	114.9 (3)
C6—C7—C11	134.4 (4)	Br1—Br1—C10	0
O1—C8—C7	111.4 (3)		