



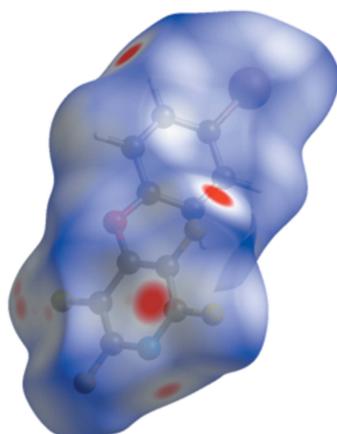
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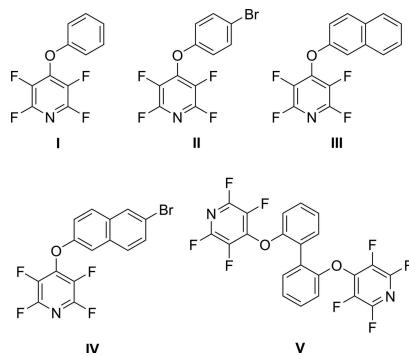
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Five new crystal structures of perfluoropyridine substituted in the 4-position with phenoxy, 4-bromophenoxy, naphthalen-2-yloxy, 6-bromonaphthalen-2-yloxy, and 4,4'-biphenoxy are reported, *viz.* 2,3,5,6-tetrafluoro-4-phenoxy-pyridine, C₁₁H₅F₄NO (**I**), 4-(4-bromophenoxy)-2,3,5,6-tetrafluoropyridine, C₁₁H₄BrF₄NO (**II**), 2,3,5,6-tetrafluoro-4-[(naphthalen-2-yl)oxy]pyridine, C₁₅H₇F₄NO (**III**), 4-[(6-bromonaphthalen-2-yl)oxy]-2,3,5,6-tetrafluoropyridine, C₁₅H₆BrF₄NO (**IV**), and 2,2'-bis[(perfluoropyridin-4-yl)oxy]-1,1'-biphenyl, C₂₂H₈F₈N₂O₂ (**V**). The dihedral angles between the aromatic ring systems in **I–IV** are 78.74 (8), 56.35 (8), 74.30 (7), and 64.34 (19)°, respectively. The complete molecule of **V** is generated by a crystallographic twofold axis: the dihedral angle between the pyridine ring and adjacent phenyl ring is 80.89 (5)° and the equivalent angle between the biphenyl rings is 27.30 (5)°. In each crystal, the packing is driven by C—H···F interactions, along with a variety of C—F···π, C—H···π, C—Br···N, C—H···N, and C—Br···π contacts. Hirshfeld surface analysis was conducted to aid in the visualization of these various influences on the packing.

1. Chemical context

Pentafluoropyridine, or perfluoropyridine (C₅F₅N) is one of the most important perfluoroheteroaromatic compounds. It is commercially available and its chemistry is well understood. As a result of the presence of five fluorine atoms, in addition to the nitrogen atom of the pyridine ring, these systems are highly electrophilic and undergo substitution reactions readily in a predictable pattern (Baker & Muir, 2010; Chambers *et al.*, 1988). This chemistry has already been used in the design of several drugs (Bhambra *et al.*, 2016) and in peptide modification (Gimenez *et al.*, 2017). In an effort to further understand the intermolecular interactions in the solid state of these fluorinated compounds, five new crystal structures of pentafluoropyridine derivatives are herein reported as well as their syntheses.



2. Structural commentary

Compounds **I**, **III**, and **V** each crystallize in orthorhombic space groups, with **I** and **III** in $P2_12_12_1$ and **V** in $Pbcn$. Compounds **II** and **IV** crystallize in the monoclinic space groups $P2_1/n$ and $P2_1$ respectively (Fig. 1). With the exception of **V**, which has one half molecule per asymmetric unit, each compound crystallizes with one molecule per asymmetric unit. The dihedral angle between the aryl substituent and the pyridine ring ranges between 56.35 (8) and 80.89 (5) $^{\circ}$. In **V**, the rings of the biphenyl system are rotated by 27.30 (5) $^{\circ}$ from each other.

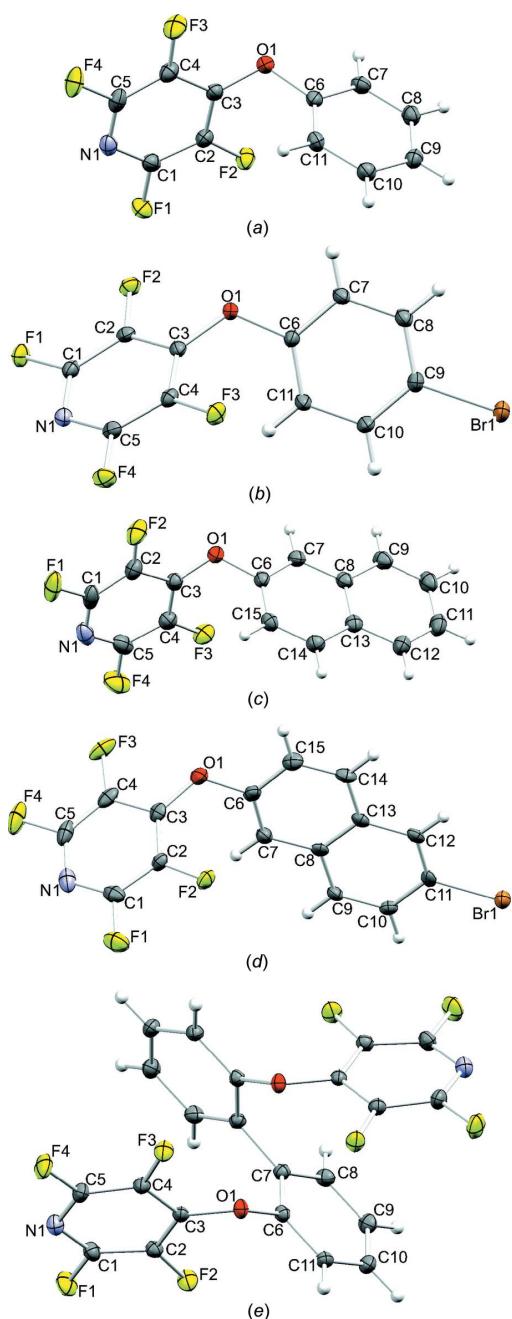


Figure 1

The molecular structures of (a) **I**, (b) **II**, (c) **III**, (d) **IV**, and (e) **V**. Displacement ellipsoids are shown at the 50% probability level.

3. Supramolecular features and Hirshfeld surface analysis

In the crystal structures of each compound, the packing is consolidated by various C—H \cdots F and C—F \cdots π interactions (Tables 1–5). In **II**, the packing is aided by C—H \cdots π and C—Br \cdots N interactions, the latter of which lead to the formation

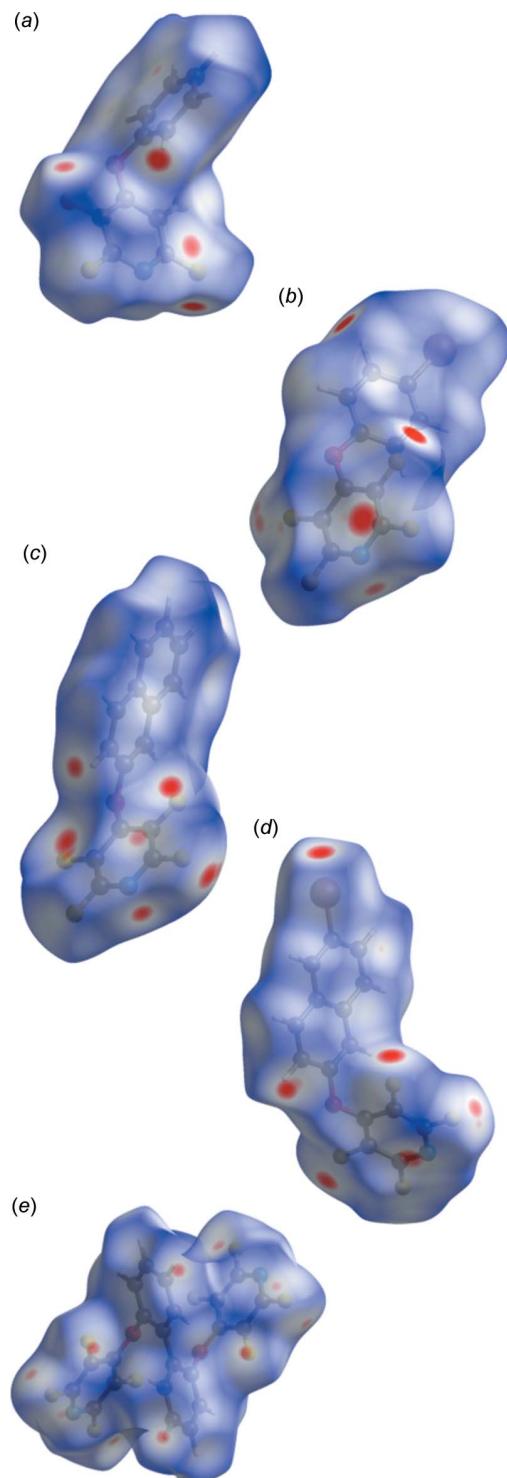


Figure 2

Hirshfeld surface of (a) **I**, (b) **II**, (c) **III**, (d) **IV**, and (e) **V** mapped with d_{norm} .

Table 1Contact geometry (\AA , $^\circ$) for **I**.*Cg1* is the centroid of the N1/C1–C5 ring.

<i>X</i> – <i>Y</i> ··· <i>A</i>	<i>X</i> – <i>Y</i>	<i>Y</i> ··· <i>A</i>	<i>X</i> ··· <i>A</i>	<i>X</i> – <i>Y</i> ··· <i>A</i>
C11–H11···F1 ⁱ	0.95	2.46	3.4049 (19)	170.3
C1–F1··· <i>Cg1</i> ⁱⁱ	1.3404 (18)	3.6822 (13)	4.8632 (17)	147.20 (9)

Symmetry codes: (i) $-x + 2, y - \frac{1}{2}, -z + \frac{1}{2}$; (ii) $2 - x, \frac{1}{2} + x, \frac{1}{2} - z$.**Table 2**Contact geometry (\AA , $^\circ$) for **II**.*Cg1* and *Cg2* are the centroids of the N1/C1–C4 and C6–C11 rings, respectively.

<i>X</i> – <i>Y</i> ··· <i>A</i>	<i>X</i> – <i>Y</i>	<i>Y</i> ··· <i>A</i>	<i>X</i> ··· <i>A</i>	<i>X</i> – <i>Y</i> ··· <i>A</i>
C10–H10···F3 ⁱ	0.95	2.39	3.2214 (19)	145.9
C11–H11··· <i>Cg2</i> ⁱ	0.95	2.90	3.668 (2)	139
C1–F1··· <i>Cg1</i> ⁱⁱ	1.3395 (19)	3.1531 (14)	4.068 (2)	124.76 (10)
C5–F4··· <i>Cg1</i> ⁱⁱⁱ	1.3401 (19)	3.1094 (13)	3.6241 (18)	101.55 (9)
C9–Br1···N1 ^{iv}	1.8952 (17)	3.2639 (16)	5.104 (3)	162.65 (7)

Symmetry codes: (i) $-x + \frac{3}{2}, y + \frac{1}{2}, -z + \frac{3}{2}$; (ii) $-x + \frac{1}{2}, y + \frac{1}{2}, -z + \frac{3}{2}$; (iii) $-x + 1, -y + 1, -z + 2$; (iv) $\frac{1}{2} + x, \frac{1}{2} - y, -\frac{1}{2} + z$.**Table 3**Contact geometry (\AA , $^\circ$) for **III**.*Cg1* and *Cg2* are the centroids of the N1/C1–C5 and C6–C15 rings, respectively.

<i>X</i> – <i>Y</i> ··· <i>A</i>	<i>X</i> – <i>Y</i>	<i>Y</i> ··· <i>A</i>	<i>X</i> ··· <i>A</i>	<i>X</i> – <i>Y</i> ··· <i>A</i>
C7–H7···F3 ⁱ	0.95	2.50	3.4366 (19)	169.6
C15–H15···N1 ⁱⁱ	0.95	2.59	3.455 (2)	152.1
C1–F1··· <i>Cg2</i> ⁱⁱⁱ	1.334 (2)	3.2922 (15)	3.5581 (19)	90.28 (10)
C5–F4··· <i>Cg1</i> ^{iv}	1.343 (2)	3.2790 (14)	4.2804 (18)	130.88 (11)

Symmetry codes: (i) $x + 1, y, z$; (ii) $-x, y + \frac{1}{2}, -z + \frac{1}{2}$; (iii) $1 - x, -\frac{1}{2} + y, \frac{1}{2} - z$; (iv) $-x, -\frac{1}{2} + y, \frac{1}{2} - z$.**Table 4**Contact geometry (\AA , $^\circ$) for **IV**.*Cg1*, *Cg2*, and *Cg3* are the centroids of the N1/C1–C5, C6–C15, and C8–C13 rings, respectively.

<i>X</i> – <i>Y</i> ··· <i>A</i>	<i>X</i> – <i>Y</i>	<i>Y</i> ··· <i>A</i>	<i>X</i> ··· <i>A</i>	<i>X</i> – <i>Y</i> ··· <i>A</i>
C15–H15···F3 ⁱⁱ	0.95	2.43	3.105 (5)	127.5
C9–H9··· <i>Cg3</i> ⁱ	0.95	2.83	3.519 (5)	130
C11–Br1··· <i>Cg1</i> ⁱⁱⁱ	1.901 (4)	3.6283 (19)	4.923 (5)	122.74 (13)
C11–Br1··· <i>Cg2</i> ^{iv}	1.901 (4)	3.735 (2)	5.037 (4)	123.34 (12)
C4–F3··· <i>Cg1</i> ^v	1.344 (6)	3.082 (3)	3.936 (5)	120.3 (3)

Symmetry codes: (i) $-x + 1, y + \frac{1}{2}, -z + 1$; (ii) $x + 1, y, z$; (iii) $-x + 1, y - \frac{1}{2}, -z + 1$; (iv) $-x + 2, y - \frac{1}{2}, -z + 1$; (v) $-x, y - \frac{1}{2}, -z$.**Table 5**Contact geometry (\AA , $^\circ$) for **V**.*Cg1* is the centroid of the N1/C1–C5 ring.

<i>X</i> – <i>Y</i> ··· <i>A</i>	<i>X</i> – <i>Y</i>	<i>Y</i> ··· <i>A</i>	<i>X</i> ··· <i>A</i>	<i>X</i> – <i>Y</i> ··· <i>A</i>
C11–H11···F3 ⁱ	0.95	2.63	3.2361 (13)	121.8
C11–H11···F3 ⁱⁱ	0.95	2.60	3.2711 (12)	127.8
C11–H11···O1 ⁱ	0.95	2.61	3.3446 (13)	134.3
C5–F4··· <i>Cg1</i> ⁱⁱⁱ	1.3382 (12)	3.4138 (9)	4.3778 (12)	128.77 (6)

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

of chains in the [10 $\bar{1}$] direction. Compound **III** also shows C–H···N hydrogen bonding. Further, in **IV**, C–H··· π and C–Br··· π interactions also contribute to the packing. Finally, in **I**, **III**, and **IV**, the packing is aided by halogen bonds of the type C–F···F–C or C–F···Br–C. In **I**, the C2–F2···F3 distance is 2.8156 (15) \AA , with an angle of 119.54 (8) $^\circ$ (symmetry code: $1 - x, \frac{1}{2} + y, \frac{1}{2} - z$). For **III**, the C2–F2···F3 distance is 2.766 (15) \AA , with an angle of 146.28 (10) $^\circ$ (symmetry code: $1 - x, \frac{1}{2} + y, \frac{1}{2} - z$). The bromine atom participates in the halogen bonding of **IV**, with the C11–Br1···F2 distance being 3.095 (5) \AA and the angle 164.46 (14) $^\circ$ (symmetry code: $2 - x, -\frac{1}{2} + y, 1 - z$). All the observed halogen-bonding geometries fall within typically observed values (Cavallo *et al.*, 2016).

Hirshfeld surface analysis was used to further investigate the intermolecular interactions in the crystal structures. The Hirshfeld surface analysis (Spackman & Jayatilaka, 2009) was generated by *CrystalExplorer* 17.5 (Turner *et al.*, 2017), and was comprised of d_{norm} surface plots. The plots of the Hirshfeld surface are mapped over d_{norm} using standard surface resolution with a fixed colour scale of –0.1300 (red) to 1.2500 (blue). The characteristic bright-red spots near F1 and H11 in the Hirshfeld surface of **I** (Fig. 2a) confirm the previously mentioned C11–H11···F1 (symmetry code: $-x + 2, y - \frac{1}{2}, -z + \frac{1}{2}$) inter-atomic contacts. As expected, the same bright-red spots are observed for the C10–H10···F3 (symmetry code: $-x + \frac{3}{2}, y + \frac{1}{2}, -z + \frac{3}{2}$) in **II** (Fig. 2b), C7–H7···F3 (symmetry code: $x + 1, y, z$) in **III** (Fig. 2c), C15–H15···F3 (symmetry code: $-x + 1, y + \frac{1}{2}, -z + 1$) in **IV** (Fig. 2d), and both C11–H11···F3ⁱ and C11–H11···F3ⁱⁱ [symmetry codes: (i) $-x + 1, -y + 1, -z + 1$; (ii) $x, -y + 1, z - \frac{1}{2}$] inter-atomic contacts in **V** (Fig. 2e). The contributions of the various intermolecular interactions in each of the title compounds are shown in Tables 6–10. With the exception of **IV**, the packing is dominated by ···H/H···F interactions, accounting for as high as 36.9% of the packing forces in **I**. In **IV**, the largest contribution is made by C···H/H···C interactions (19.1%), followed closely by F···H/H···F (18.8%).

Owing to the presence of nitrogen, oxygen and bromine atoms in the various structures, several other contact types are confirmed by the Hirshfeld surface maps. In **II**, the C9–Br1···N1 (symmetry code: $\frac{1}{2} - x, \frac{1}{2} - y, -\frac{1}{2} + z$) halogen bond is clearly visible. The analogous halogen bond is not observed in **IV**. Only in **III** does a C–H···N interaction significantly contribute to the packing, with the C15–H15···N1 (symmetry code: $-x, y + \frac{1}{2}, -z + \frac{1}{2}$) visible in the d_{norm} surface plot.

4. Database survey

A search of the November 2019 release of the Cambridge Structure Database (Groom *et al.*, 2016), with updates through May 2019, was performed using the program *ConQuest* (Bruno *et al.*, 2002). The search was limited to organic structures with $R \leq 0.1$. A search for perfluoropyridines bearing a ether-linked substituents in the 4-position returned six results: 2,3,5,6-tetrafluoropyridin-4-ol (UDUXEY; Sen *et al.*, 2009); benzophenone *O*-(2,3,5,6-tetrafluoro-4-pyridyl)oxime

Table 6

Percentage contributions of inter-atomic contacts to the Hirshfeld surface for **I**.

Contact	Percentage contribution
F···H/H···F	36.9
C···H/H···C	14.8
F···F	12.1
H···H	9.6
N···H/H···N	4.8
F···C/C···F	4.7
F···O/O···F	4.2
C···C	4.1
N···C/C···N	3.2
O···C/C···O	2.2
O···N/N···O	2.0
F···N/N···F	1.3
O···H/H···O	0.1

Table 7

Percentage contributions of inter-atomic contacts to the Hirshfeld surface for **II**.

Contact	Percentage contribution
F···H/H···F	18.7
F···C/C···F	11.8
C···H/H···C	11.7
F···F	10.8
Br···F/F···Br	8.3
Br···H/H···Br	7.7
H···H	6.9
F···N/N···F	6.1
O···H/H···O	4.6
Br···N/N···Br	3.5
C···C	3.4
Br···C/C···Br	2.2
Br···O/O···Br	1.8
N···C/C···N	0.9
F···O/O···F	0.8
O···C/C···O	0.6
N···H/H···N	0.2

Table 8

Percentage contributions of inter-atomic contacts to the Hirshfeld surface for **III**.

Contact	Percentage contribution
F···H/H···F	30.4
C···H/H···C	22.8
H···H	14.0
F···C/C···F	10.0
F···F	6.6
N···H/H···N	4.2
O···C/C···O	2.9
F···O/O···F	2.3
F···N/N···F	2.0
O···H/H···O	0.3
O···N/N···O	1.6
C···C	1.5
N···C/C···N	1.4

(HICBAW; Banks *et al.*, 1995); methyl *N,O*-bis(2,3,5,6-tetrafluoropyridin-4-yl)threoninate (GOFCIP; Webster *et al.*, 2014); 2,3,5,6-tetrafluoro-4-(4-nitrophenoxy)pyridine and 4,4'-(1,1'-binaphthalene)-2,2'diylbis(oxy)]bis(tetrafluoropyridine) (FISJUP and FISJOJ; Brittain & Cobb, 2019). In the binaphthalene-derived compound (FISJOJ), analogous to **V**, the

Table 9

Percentage contributions of inter-atomic contacts to the Hirshfeld surface for **IV**.

Contact	Percentage contribution
C···H/H···C	19.1
F···H/H···F	18.8
F···C/C···F	9.4
H···H	9.1
Br···H/H···Br	8.7
F···F	7.7
Br···C/C···Br	7.2
F···O/O···F	4.5
Br···F/F···Br	3.9
F···N/N···F	3.7
N···H/H···N	2.6
C···C	1.5
N···C/C···N	1.1
O···N/N···O	0.9
Br···N/N···Br	0.8
O···C/C···O	0.6
O···H/H···O	0.3

Table 10

Percentage contributions of inter-atomic contacts to the Hirshfeld surface for **V**.

Contact	Percentage contribution
F···H/H···F	32.3
F···C/C···F	19.0
H···H	11.6
F···F	11.3
N···H/H···N	7.1
F···N/N···F	6.3
C···H/H···C	4.8
O···H/H···O	4.5
F···O/O···F	1.8
C···C	1.3

naphthalene ring systems are rotated by 38.91 (5) $^{\circ}$ from each other.

5. Synthesis and crystallization

2,3,5,6-Tetrafluoro-4-phenoxyppyridine (I): To a stirred solution of potassium carbonate (1 *M*, 147.5 ml), phenol (5.58 g, 59.0 mmol), pentafluoropyridine (6.5 ml, 59 mmol), and DMF (150 ml) were added. The resulting solution was allowed to stir at room temperature for 24 h. Dichloromethane (75 ml) and saturated aqueous ammonium chloride (100 ml) were added and the biphasic solution stirred vigorously for an additional 24 h. The organic layer was separated, washed with water (5 \times 200 ml), dried over MgSO₄, and solvent removed *via* rotary evaporation. The resulting pale-brown solid was dissolved in refluxing EtOH (75 ml) and cooled to 278 K for 12 h. Vacuum filtration, washing with cold EtOH (20 ml) and vacuum drying afforded the target compound as a white, crystalline solid (14.3 g, 99%). Colourless needles were obtained from a saturated EtOH solution by cooling to 298 K. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): 6.92 (*d*, 2H, *J* = 8.0 Hz), 7.08 (*d*, 1H, *J* = 8.4 Hz), 7.24 (*t*, 2H, *J* = 8.0 Hz). ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃): -88.9, -154.4.

Table 11
Experimental details.

	I	II	III	IV	V
Crystal data					
Chemical formula	C ₁₁ H ₅ F ₄ NO	C ₁₁ H ₄ BrF ₄ NO	C ₁₅ H ₇ F ₄ NO	C ₁₅ H ₆ BrF ₄ NO	C ₂₂ H ₈ F ₈ N ₂ O ₂
M _r	243.16	322.06	293.22	372.12	484.30
Crystal system, space group	Orthorhombic, P2 ₁ 2 ₁ 2 ₁	Monoclinic, P2 ₁ /n	Orthorhombic, P2 ₁ 2 ₁ 2 ₁	Monoclinic, P2 ₁	Orthorhombic, Pbcn
Temperature (K)	100	100	100	100	100
a, b, c (Å)	5.4199 (5), 10.3293 (9), 17.4076 (15)	13.3530 (5), 5.8584 (2), 14.8863 (6)	5.4703 (5), 9.2548 (9), 24.109 (2)	6.0135 (3), 7.4994 (4), 14.6318 (7)	18.8516 (6), 10.6512 (3), 9.2196 (3)
α, β, γ (°)	90, 90, 90	90, 113.585 (2), 90	90, 90, 90	90, 101.401 (2), 90	90, 90, 90
V (Å ³)	974.54 (15)	1067.24 (7)	1220.6 (2)	646.84 (6)	1851.22 (10)
Z	4	4	4	2	4
Radiation type	Mo Kα	Mo Kα	Mo Kα	Mo Kα	Mo Kα
μ (mm ⁻¹)	0.16	3.89	0.14	3.23	0.17
Crystal size (mm)	0.25 × 0.11 × 0.09	0.15 × 0.10 × 0.09	0.54 × 0.36 × 0.29	0.30 × 0.14 × 0.04	0.33 × 0.27 × 0.26
Data collection					
Diffractometer	Bruker SMART APEX CCD	Bruker SMART APEX CCD	Bruker SMART APEX CCD	Bruker SMART APEX CCD	Bruker SMART APEX CCD
Absorption correction	Multi-scan (<i>SADABS</i> ; Bruker, 2017)	Multi-scan (<i>SADABS</i> ; Bruker, 2017)	Multi-scan (<i>SADABS</i> ; Bruker, 2017)	Multi-scan (<i>SADABS</i> ; Bruker, 2017)	Multi-scan (<i>SADABS</i> ; Bruker, 2017)
T _{min} , T _{max}	0.93, 0.99	0.21, 0.72	0.83, 0.96	0.63, 0.89	0.87, 0.96
No. of measured, independent and observed [I > 2σ(I)] reflections	13236, 2603, 2520	19174, 3544, 3013	26820, 3296, 3149	12954, 2775, 2566	36854, 2830, 2554
R _{int} (sin θ/λ) _{max} (Å ⁻¹)	0.021 0.684	0.040 0.735	0.025 0.684	0.040 0.641	0.028 0.714
Refinement					
R[F ² > 2σ(F ²)], wR(F ²), S	0.028, 0.073, 1.05	0.031, 0.083, 1.06	0.031, 0.078, 1.07	0.031, 0.058, 1.14	0.036, 0.098, 1.06
No. of reflections	2603	3544	3296	2775	2830
No. of parameters	154	163	190	200	154
No. of restraints	0	0	0	1	0
H-atom treatment	H-atom parameters constrained	H-atom parameters constrained	H-atom parameters constrained	H-atom parameters constrained	H-atom parameters constrained
Δρ _{max} , Δρ _{min} (e Å ⁻³)	0.26, -0.15	0.84, -0.77	0.27, -0.15	0.70, -0.47	0.54, -0.24
Absolute structure	Flack x determined using 1019 quotients [(I ⁺) - (I ⁻)]/[(I ⁺) + (I ⁻)] (Parsons et al., 2013)	–	Flack x determined using 1255 quotients [(I ⁺) - (I ⁻)]/[(I ⁺) + (I ⁻)] (Parsons et al., 2013)	Refined as an inversion twin	–
Absolute structure parameter	-0.20 (13)	–	-0.08 (14)	0.171 (12)	–

Computer programs: *APEX3* and *SAINT* (Bruker, 2017), *SHELXT* (Sheldrick, 2015a), *SHELXL2016/6* (Sheldrick, 2015b), *Mercury* (Macrae et al., 2008), *Olex2* (Dolomanov et al., 2009) and *publCIF* (Westrip, 2010).

4-(4-Bromophenoxy)-2,3,5,6-tetrafluoropyridine (II): To a stirred solution of potassium carbonate (1 M, 22.8 ml), 4-bromophenol (1.58 g, 9.11 mmol), pentafluoropyridine (1.00 ml, 9.11 mmol), and DMF (25 ml) were added. The resulting solution was allowed to stir at room temperature for 24 h. Diethyl ether (50 ml) and saturated aqueous ammonium chloride (50 ml) were added and the biphasic solution stirred vigorously for an additional 24 h. The organic layer was separated, washed with water (5 × 100 ml), dried over MgSO₄, and solvent removed via rotary evaporation. The resulting pale brown solid was dissolved in refluxing EtOH (15 ml) and cooled to 278 K for 12 h. Vacuum filtration, washing with cold EtOH (20 ml) and vacuum drying afforded the target compound as a white, crystalline solid (2.12 g, 73%). Colourless rectangular prisms were obtained from a saturated EtOH solution by cooling to 298 K. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃):

7.50 (d, 2H, J = 7.5 Hz), 6.96 (d, 2H, J = 7.5 Hz). ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃): -87.9, -154.0.

2,3,5,6-Tetrafluoro-4-[(naphthalen-2-yl)oxy]pyridine (III): To a stirred solution of potassium carbonate (1 M, 90 ml), naphthalen-2-ol (4.98 g, 34.5 mmol), pentafluoropyridine (3.8 ml, 34.5 mmol), and DMF (100 ml) were added. The resulting solution was allowed to stir at room temperature for 24 h. Dichloromethane (50 ml) and saturated aqueous ammonium chloride (100 ml) were added and the biphasic solution stirred vigorously for an additional 24 h. The organic layer was separated, washed with water (5 × 200 ml), dried over MgSO₄, and solvent removed via rotary evaporation. The resulting pale brown solid was dissolved in refluxing EtOH (50 ml) and cooled to 298 K for 12 h. Vacuum filtration, washing with cold EtOH (20 ml) and vacuum drying afforded the target compound as a white, crystalline solid (5.90 g, 58%).

Colourless rectangular prisms were obtained from a saturated EtOH solution by cooling to 298 K. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3): 7.90–7.86 (*m*, 2H), 7.76 (*d*, 1H, *J* = 8 Hz), 7.54–7.47 (*m*, 2H), 7.35–7.31 (*m*, 2H). ^{19}F NMR (471 MHz, CDCl_3): –88.3, –154.0.

2,3,5,6-Tetrafluoro-4-[(6-bromonaphthalen-2-yl)oxy]pyridine (IV): To a stirred solution of potassium carbonate (1 *M*, 60 ml), 6-bromo-2-naphthol (5.00 g, 22.4 mmol), pentafluoropyridine (2.45 ml, 22.4 mmol), and DMF (60 ml) were added. The resulting solution was allowed to stir at room temperature for 24 h. Diethyl ether (50 ml) and saturated aqueous ammonium chloride (100 ml) were added and the biphasic solution stirred vigorously for an additional 2 h. The organic layer was separated, washed with water (5 × 200 ml), dried over MgSO_4 , and solvent removed *via* rotary evaporation. The resulting off-white solid was dissolved in refluxing EtOH (40 ml) and cooled to 298 K for 12 h. Vacuum filtration, washing with cold EtOH (20 ml) and vacuum drying afforded the target compound as a white, crystalline solid (6.46 g, 78%). Colourless plates were obtained from a saturated EtOH solution by cooling to 298 K. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3): 8.00 (*s*, 1H), 7.81–7.75 (*m*, 1H), 7.63–7.55 (*m*, 2H), 7.35–7.27 (*m*, 2H). ^{19}F NMR (471 MHz, CDCl_3): –87.9, –153.8.

2,2'-Bis[(2,3,5,6-tetrafluoropyridin-4-yl)oxy]-1,1'-biphenyl (V): To a stirred solution of potassium carbonate (1 *M*, 30 ml), 2,2'-biphenol (1.02 g, 5.37 mmol), pentafluoropyridine (1.2 ml, 11 mmol), and DMF (30 ml) were added. The resulting solution was allowed to stir at room temperature for 24 h. Diethyl ether (50 ml) and saturated aqueous ammonium chloride (100 ml) were added and the biphasic solution stirred vigorously for an additional 2 h. The organic layer was separated, washed with water (5 × 200 ml), dried over MgSO_4 , and solvent removed *via* rotary evaporation. The resulting off-white solid was dissolved in refluxing EtOH (10 ml) and cooled to 298 K for 12 h. Vacuum filtration, washing with cold EtOH (20 ml) and vacuum drying afforded the target compound as a white solid (2.57 g, 97%). Colourless rectangular prisms were obtained from a saturated EtOH solution by cooling to 298 K. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3): 7.45–7.24 (*m*, 6H), 6.99 (*t*, 2H, *J* = 7.5 Hz). ^{19}F NMR (471 MHz, CDCl_3): –88.9, –155.0.

6. Refinement

Crystal data, data collection and structure refinement details are summarized in Table 11. H atoms were positioned

geometrically and refined using a riding model with C–H = 0.95 Å and $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H}) = 1.2U_{\text{eq}}(\text{C})$. The absolute structures of **I** and **III** were intermediate in the present refinement. Compound **IV** was refined as an inversion twin.

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Crystal structures and Hirshfeld surface analysis of a series of 4-O-aryl-perfluoropyridines

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Computing details

For all structures, data collection: *APEX3* (Bruker, 2017); cell refinement: *SAINT* (Bruker, 2017); data reduction: *SAINT* (Bruker, 2017); program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXT* (Sheldrick, 2015a); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL2016/6* (Sheldrick, 2015b); molecular graphics: *Mercury* (Macrae *et al.*, 2008). Software used to prepare material for publication: *Olex2* (Dolomanov *et al.*, 2009) and *publCIF* (Westrip, 2010) for (I); *publCIF* (Westrip, 2010) for (II), (III), (IV), (V).

2,3,5,6-Tetrafluoro-4-phenoxyppyridine (I)

Crystal data

C ₁₁ H ₅ F ₄ NO	D _x = 1.657 Mg m ⁻³
M _r = 243.16	Mo $K\alpha$ radiation, λ = 0.71073 Å
Orthorhombic, P2 ₁ 2 ₁ 2 ₁	Cell parameters from 7895 reflections
a = 5.4199 (5) Å	θ = 2.3–29.5°
b = 10.3293 (9) Å	μ = 0.16 mm ⁻¹
c = 17.4076 (15) Å	T = 100 K
V = 974.54 (15) Å ³	Needle, colourless
Z = 4	0.25 × 0.11 × 0.09 mm
F(000) = 488	

Data collection

Bruker SMART APEX CCD diffractometer	13236 measured reflections
Radiation source: fine focus sealed tube	2603 independent reflections
Graphite monochromator	2520 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
Detector resolution: 8.3333 pixels mm ⁻¹	$R_{\text{int}} = 0.021$
ω Scans scans	$\theta_{\text{max}} = 29.1^\circ$, $\theta_{\text{min}} = 2.3^\circ$
Absorption correction: multi-scan (SADABS; Bruker, 2017)	$h = -7 \rightarrow 7$
$T_{\text{min}} = 0.93$, $T_{\text{max}} = 0.99$	$k = -14 \rightarrow 14$
	$l = -23 \rightarrow 23$

Refinement

Refinement on F^2	Primary atom site location: structure-invariant direct methods
Least-squares matrix: full	Hydrogen site location: inferred from neighbouring sites
$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.028$	H-atom parameters constrained
$wR(F^2) = 0.073$	$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0371P)^2 + 0.2471P]$
$S = 1.05$	where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
2603 reflections	$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\text{max}} < 0.001$
154 parameters	
0 restraints	

$\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.26 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$ $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.15 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$ Absolute structure: Flack x determined using
1019 quotients $[(I^+)-(I)]/[(I^+)+(I)]$ (Parsons *et al.*, 2013)Absolute structure parameter: $-0.20 (13)$ *Special details*

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.

Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters (\AA^2)

	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>	$U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$
F1	1.0458 (2)	0.96948 (10)	0.27358 (6)	0.0304 (2)
F2	0.64334 (19)	0.87849 (9)	0.34737 (5)	0.0247 (2)
F3	0.4522 (2)	0.64159 (11)	0.12257 (6)	0.0339 (3)
F4	0.8628 (2)	0.74537 (11)	0.05818 (6)	0.0354 (3)
O1	0.3304 (2)	0.70337 (11)	0.27133 (6)	0.0220 (2)
N1	0.9535 (3)	0.85667 (14)	0.16598 (8)	0.0232 (3)
C1	0.8951 (3)	0.88735 (15)	0.23682 (9)	0.0214 (3)
C2	0.6915 (3)	0.84050 (14)	0.27546 (8)	0.0185 (3)
C3	0.5371 (3)	0.75320 (15)	0.23844 (9)	0.0182 (3)
C4	0.5954 (3)	0.72270 (15)	0.16263 (9)	0.0223 (3)
C5	0.8047 (3)	0.77713 (16)	0.13038 (9)	0.0240 (3)
C6	0.3557 (3)	0.65167 (14)	0.34628 (8)	0.0179 (3)
C7	0.1718 (3)	0.68151 (16)	0.39875 (9)	0.0212 (3)
H7	0.041504	0.738816	0.385477	0.025*
C8	0.1829 (3)	0.62530 (16)	0.47149 (9)	0.0227 (3)
H8	0.058655	0.644261	0.508309	0.027*
C9	0.3749 (3)	0.54150 (15)	0.49061 (9)	0.0214 (3)
H9	0.380741	0.503169	0.540181	0.026*
C10	0.5583 (3)	0.51402 (15)	0.43697 (9)	0.0210 (3)
H10	0.689859	0.4575	0.450189	0.025*
C11	0.5492 (3)	0.56943 (15)	0.36367 (9)	0.0194 (3)
H11	0.673132	0.550979	0.326676	0.023*

Atomic displacement parameters (\AA^2)

	U^{11}	U^{22}	U^{33}	U^{12}	U^{13}	U^{23}
F1	0.0275 (5)	0.0317 (5)	0.0320 (5)	-0.0123 (4)	-0.0031 (4)	0.0032 (4)
F2	0.0311 (5)	0.0254 (5)	0.0177 (4)	-0.0052 (4)	0.0026 (4)	-0.0038 (4)
F3	0.0478 (7)	0.0312 (5)	0.0228 (5)	-0.0132 (5)	-0.0036 (5)	-0.0051 (4)
F4	0.0497 (7)	0.0354 (6)	0.0210 (5)	0.0030 (5)	0.0127 (5)	-0.0014 (4)
O1	0.0185 (5)	0.0281 (6)	0.0193 (5)	-0.0037 (5)	-0.0018 (4)	0.0049 (4)
N1	0.0218 (6)	0.0234 (6)	0.0242 (6)	0.0035 (5)	0.0047 (5)	0.0067 (5)
C1	0.0201 (7)	0.0196 (7)	0.0245 (7)	-0.0010 (6)	-0.0025 (6)	0.0044 (6)
C2	0.0208 (7)	0.0184 (6)	0.0163 (6)	0.0007 (6)	-0.0006 (5)	0.0013 (5)
C3	0.0178 (6)	0.0177 (6)	0.0191 (6)	0.0008 (5)	-0.0012 (5)	0.0029 (5)

C4	0.0295 (8)	0.0184 (7)	0.0190 (7)	-0.0002 (6)	-0.0018 (6)	0.0005 (5)
C5	0.0316 (8)	0.0222 (7)	0.0182 (7)	0.0061 (7)	0.0058 (6)	0.0029 (6)
C6	0.0178 (6)	0.0185 (6)	0.0175 (6)	-0.0035 (5)	-0.0013 (5)	0.0009 (5)
C7	0.0160 (6)	0.0235 (7)	0.0240 (7)	0.0018 (6)	0.0000 (6)	-0.0006 (6)
C8	0.0199 (7)	0.0270 (7)	0.0214 (7)	-0.0002 (6)	0.0041 (6)	-0.0017 (6)
C9	0.0238 (7)	0.0216 (7)	0.0188 (7)	-0.0013 (6)	0.0010 (6)	0.0019 (5)
C10	0.0199 (7)	0.0186 (7)	0.0245 (7)	0.0013 (6)	0.0005 (6)	0.0022 (6)
C11	0.0183 (6)	0.0186 (7)	0.0212 (7)	-0.0002 (5)	0.0035 (6)	0.0000 (5)

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

F1—C1	1.3404 (18)	C6—C11	1.383 (2)
F2—C2	1.3375 (17)	C6—C7	1.387 (2)
F3—C4	1.3382 (19)	C7—C8	1.394 (2)
F4—C5	1.3366 (18)	C7—H7	0.9500
O1—C3	1.3594 (18)	C8—C9	1.394 (2)
O1—C6	1.4164 (18)	C8—H8	0.9500
N1—C5	1.307 (2)	C9—C10	1.393 (2)
N1—C1	1.312 (2)	C9—H9	0.9500
C1—C2	1.380 (2)	C10—C11	1.399 (2)
C2—C3	1.389 (2)	C10—H10	0.9500
C3—C4	1.393 (2)	C11—H11	0.9500
C4—C5	1.385 (2)		
C3—O1—C6	116.81 (12)	C11—C6—O1	120.43 (13)
C5—N1—C1	116.66 (14)	C7—C6—O1	116.98 (13)
N1—C1—F1	117.05 (14)	C6—C7—C8	118.34 (15)
N1—C1—C2	124.49 (15)	C6—C7—H7	120.8
F1—C1—C2	118.46 (14)	C8—C7—H7	120.8
F2—C2—C1	120.62 (14)	C9—C8—C7	120.50 (15)
F2—C2—C3	120.48 (14)	C9—C8—H8	119.8
C1—C2—C3	118.90 (14)	C7—C8—H8	119.8
O1—C3—C2	123.16 (13)	C10—C9—C8	119.95 (14)
O1—C3—C4	120.02 (14)	C10—C9—H9	120.0
C2—C3—C4	116.73 (14)	C8—C9—H9	120.0
F3—C4—C5	121.20 (15)	C9—C10—C11	120.18 (15)
F3—C4—C3	120.24 (15)	C9—C10—H10	119.9
C5—C4—C3	118.56 (15)	C11—C10—H10	119.9
N1—C5—F4	117.04 (15)	C6—C11—C10	118.52 (14)
N1—C5—C4	124.62 (15)	C6—C11—H11	120.7
F4—C5—C4	118.33 (16)	C10—C11—H11	120.7
C11—C6—C7	122.50 (14)		
C5—N1—C1—F1	-179.60 (14)	C1—N1—C5—F4	180.00 (14)
C5—N1—C1—C2	0.7 (2)	C1—N1—C5—C4	-1.1 (2)
N1—C1—C2—F2	-178.92 (14)	F3—C4—C5—N1	-179.80 (15)
F1—C1—C2—F2	1.4 (2)	C3—C4—C5—N1	-0.4 (2)
N1—C1—C2—C3	1.1 (2)	F3—C4—C5—F4	-0.9 (2)

F1—C1—C2—C3	−178.63 (13)	C3—C4—C5—F4	178.56 (14)
C6—O1—C3—C2	−49.3 (2)	C3—O1—C6—C11	−46.61 (19)
C6—O1—C3—C4	134.31 (15)	C3—O1—C6—C7	136.93 (15)
F2—C2—C3—O1	1.0 (2)	C11—C6—C7—C8	−0.5 (2)
C1—C2—C3—O1	−178.94 (14)	O1—C6—C7—C8	175.90 (14)
F2—C2—C3—C4	177.58 (14)	C6—C7—C8—C9	0.1 (2)
C1—C2—C3—C4	−2.4 (2)	C7—C8—C9—C10	0.4 (2)
O1—C3—C4—F3	−1.8 (2)	C8—C9—C10—C11	−0.6 (2)
C2—C3—C4—F3	−178.48 (14)	C7—C6—C11—C10	0.3 (2)
O1—C3—C4—C5	178.73 (14)	O1—C6—C11—C10	−175.95 (14)
C2—C3—C4—C5	2.1 (2)	C9—C10—C11—C6	0.2 (2)

4-(4-Bromophenoxy)-2,3,5,6-tetrafluoropyridine (II)*Crystal data*

$C_{11}H_4BrF_4NO$
 $M_r = 322.06$
Monoclinic, $P2_1/n$
 $a = 13.3530 (5) \text{ \AA}$
 $b = 5.8584 (2) \text{ \AA}$
 $c = 14.8863 (6) \text{ \AA}$
 $\beta = 113.585 (2)^\circ$
 $V = 1067.24 (7) \text{ \AA}^3$
 $Z = 4$

$F(000) = 624$
 $D_x = 2.004 \text{ Mg m}^{-3}$
Mo $K\alpha$ radiation, $\lambda = 0.71073 \text{ \AA}$
Cell parameters from 7652 reflections
 $\theta = 2.6\text{--}31.9^\circ$
 $\mu = 3.89 \text{ mm}^{-1}$
 $T = 100 \text{ K}$
Rectangular prism, colourless
 $0.15 \times 0.10 \times 0.09 \text{ mm}$

Data collection

Bruker SMART APEX CCD
diffractometer
Radiation source: fine focus sealed tube
Graphite monochromator
Detector resolution: 8.3333 pixels mm^{-1}
 ω Scans scans
Absorption correction: multi-scan
(SADABS; Bruker, 2017)
 $T_{\min} = 0.21$, $T_{\max} = 0.72$

19174 measured reflections
3544 independent reflections
3013 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
 $R_{\text{int}} = 0.040$
 $\theta_{\max} = 31.5^\circ$, $\theta_{\min} = 1.7^\circ$
 $h = -19 \rightarrow 19$
 $k = -8 \rightarrow 8$
 $l = -21 \rightarrow 21$

Refinement

Refinement on F^2
Least-squares matrix: full
 $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.031$
 $wR(F^2) = 0.083$
 $S = 1.06$
3544 reflections
163 parameters
0 restraints

Primary atom site location: structure-invariant
direct methods
Hydrogen site location: inferred from
neighbouring sites
H-atom parameters constrained
 $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.050P)^2]$
where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
 $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\max} = 0.002$
 $\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.84 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$
 $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.77 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$

Special details

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.

Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters (\AA^2)

	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>	$U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$
Br1	0.69708 (2)	0.16236 (3)	0.49318 (2)	0.01909 (7)
F1	0.26006 (9)	0.89335 (18)	0.84433 (9)	0.0217 (2)
F2	0.38676 (8)	1.02091 (16)	0.74927 (8)	0.0180 (2)
F3	0.57954 (9)	0.32539 (15)	0.85557 (9)	0.0198 (2)
F4	0.44206 (9)	0.22697 (18)	0.94178 (8)	0.0204 (2)
O1	0.55019 (9)	0.75025 (19)	0.75137 (9)	0.0171 (3)
N1	0.35097 (12)	0.5592 (2)	0.89200 (11)	0.0165 (3)
C1	0.33969 (13)	0.7540 (3)	0.84459 (13)	0.0158 (3)
C2	0.40295 (14)	0.8195 (2)	0.79609 (13)	0.0138 (3)
C3	0.48559 (14)	0.6752 (3)	0.79564 (13)	0.0139 (3)
C4	0.49951 (13)	0.4716 (3)	0.84799 (12)	0.0146 (3)
C5	0.42904 (14)	0.4238 (3)	0.89247 (12)	0.0151 (3)
C6	0.57942 (13)	0.6035 (3)	0.69117 (12)	0.0140 (3)
C7	0.52283 (14)	0.4050 (3)	0.65069 (13)	0.0161 (3)
H7	0.460999	0.360861	0.662945	0.019*
C8	0.55832 (14)	0.2716 (3)	0.59177 (13)	0.0167 (3)
H8	0.522146	0.13251	0.564996	0.02*
C9	0.64660 (14)	0.3426 (3)	0.57230 (13)	0.0147 (3)
C10	0.70034 (14)	0.5462 (3)	0.61029 (13)	0.0162 (3)
H10	0.759498	0.595176	0.594964	0.019*
C11	0.66669 (14)	0.6774 (3)	0.67088 (13)	0.0153 (3)
H11	0.703098	0.816021	0.698056	0.018*

Atomic displacement parameters (\AA^2)

	U^{11}	U^{22}	U^{33}	U^{12}	U^{13}	U^{23}
Br1	0.02336 (11)	0.01936 (10)	0.01944 (11)	0.00095 (6)	0.01371 (8)	-0.00288 (6)
F1	0.0176 (5)	0.0205 (5)	0.0311 (7)	0.0047 (4)	0.0139 (5)	-0.0027 (4)
F2	0.0211 (5)	0.0126 (4)	0.0200 (5)	0.0021 (4)	0.0079 (4)	0.0014 (4)
F3	0.0176 (5)	0.0176 (5)	0.0239 (6)	0.0066 (4)	0.0081 (4)	0.0008 (4)
F4	0.0280 (6)	0.0157 (5)	0.0170 (5)	-0.0011 (4)	0.0082 (4)	0.0035 (4)
O1	0.0209 (6)	0.0151 (6)	0.0210 (7)	-0.0036 (5)	0.0145 (5)	-0.0047 (5)
N1	0.0169 (7)	0.0177 (6)	0.0166 (7)	-0.0019 (5)	0.0086 (6)	-0.0027 (5)
C1	0.0138 (7)	0.0155 (7)	0.0182 (9)	0.0004 (6)	0.0065 (6)	-0.0041 (6)
C2	0.0158 (7)	0.0110 (7)	0.0134 (8)	-0.0011 (5)	0.0047 (6)	-0.0020 (5)
C3	0.0136 (7)	0.0155 (7)	0.0137 (8)	-0.0031 (5)	0.0064 (6)	-0.0037 (5)
C4	0.0132 (7)	0.0149 (7)	0.0143 (8)	0.0018 (6)	0.0040 (6)	-0.0020 (5)
C5	0.0196 (8)	0.0136 (7)	0.0107 (8)	-0.0006 (6)	0.0047 (6)	0.0006 (5)
C6	0.0147 (7)	0.0142 (7)	0.0142 (8)	0.0006 (6)	0.0068 (6)	-0.0016 (6)
C7	0.0151 (7)	0.0176 (7)	0.0181 (8)	-0.0044 (6)	0.0094 (6)	-0.0042 (6)
C8	0.0189 (8)	0.0156 (7)	0.0172 (9)	-0.0040 (6)	0.0091 (7)	-0.0045 (6)
C9	0.0153 (7)	0.0167 (7)	0.0132 (8)	0.0016 (6)	0.0068 (6)	-0.0003 (5)
C10	0.0143 (7)	0.0186 (7)	0.0174 (8)	-0.0022 (6)	0.0080 (6)	-0.0009 (6)
C11	0.0151 (7)	0.0166 (7)	0.0155 (8)	-0.0041 (6)	0.0076 (7)	-0.0014 (6)

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

Br1—C9	1.8952 (17)	C4—C5	1.379 (2)
F1—C1	1.3395 (19)	C6—C11	1.385 (2)
F2—C2	1.3430 (18)	C6—C7	1.386 (2)
F3—C4	1.3386 (18)	C7—C8	1.392 (2)
F4—C5	1.3401 (19)	C7—H7	0.95
O1—C3	1.352 (2)	C8—C9	1.385 (2)
O1—C6	1.4050 (19)	C8—H8	0.95
N1—C5	1.308 (2)	C9—C10	1.390 (2)
N1—C1	1.318 (2)	C10—C11	1.389 (2)
C1—C2	1.368 (2)	C10—H10	0.95
C2—C3	1.392 (2)	C11—H11	0.95
C3—C4	1.396 (2)		
C3—O1—C6	120.41 (13)	C11—C6—O1	114.89 (14)
C5—N1—C1	116.63 (15)	C7—C6—O1	123.25 (15)
N1—C1—F1	116.72 (15)	C6—C7—C8	118.76 (16)
N1—C1—C2	124.29 (15)	C6—C7—H7	120.6
F1—C1—C2	118.99 (16)	C8—C7—H7	120.6
F2—C2—C1	121.02 (15)	C9—C8—C7	119.74 (16)
F2—C2—C3	119.63 (15)	C9—C8—H8	120.1
C1—C2—C3	119.34 (15)	C7—C8—H8	120.1
O1—C3—C2	117.79 (14)	C8—C9—C10	121.07 (16)
O1—C3—C4	125.59 (15)	C8—C9—Br1	120.46 (12)
C2—C3—C4	116.43 (15)	C10—C9—Br1	118.47 (13)
F3—C4—C5	120.31 (15)	C11—C10—C9	119.35 (16)
F3—C4—C3	121.15 (15)	C11—C10—H10	120.3
C5—C4—C3	118.54 (15)	C9—C10—H10	120.3
N1—C5—F4	116.96 (15)	C6—C11—C10	119.20 (15)
N1—C5—C4	124.73 (16)	C6—C11—H11	120.4
F4—C5—C4	118.29 (15)	C10—C11—H11	120.4
C11—C6—C7	121.80 (16)		
C5—N1—C1—F1	-179.75 (15)	C1—N1—C5—C4	0.5 (3)
C5—N1—C1—C2	0.7 (3)	F3—C4—C5—N1	177.56 (15)
N1—C1—C2—F2	-179.99 (15)	C3—C4—C5—N1	-2.2 (3)
F1—C1—C2—F2	0.5 (2)	F3—C4—C5—F4	-0.9 (2)
N1—C1—C2—C3	-0.2 (3)	C3—C4—C5—F4	179.31 (14)
F1—C1—C2—C3	-179.71 (15)	C3—O1—C6—C11	-163.96 (15)
C6—O1—C3—C2	-137.39 (15)	C3—O1—C6—C7	19.0 (2)
C6—O1—C3—C4	47.9 (2)	C11—C6—C7—C8	3.0 (3)
F2—C2—C3—O1	3.2 (2)	O1—C6—C7—C8	179.83 (16)
C1—C2—C3—O1	-176.63 (15)	C6—C7—C8—C9	-2.0 (3)
F2—C2—C3—C4	178.33 (14)	C7—C8—C9—C10	-0.4 (3)
C1—C2—C3—C4	-1.5 (2)	C7—C8—C9—Br1	179.46 (13)
O1—C3—C4—F3	-2.5 (3)	C8—C9—C10—C11	1.7 (3)
C2—C3—C4—F3	-177.21 (15)	Br1—C9—C10—C11	-178.07 (13)

O1—C3—C4—C5	177.29 (16)	C7—C6—C11—C10	−1.7 (3)
C2—C3—C4—C5	2.5 (2)	O1—C6—C11—C10	−178.70 (15)
C1—N1—C5—F4	179.03 (14)	C9—C10—C11—C6	−0.8 (3)

2,3,5,6-Tetrafluoro-4-[(naphthalen-2-yl)oxy]pyridine (III)*Crystal data*

$C_{15}H_7F_4NO$
 $M_r = 293.22$
Orthorhombic, $P2_12_12_1$
 $a = 5.4703 (5) \text{ \AA}$
 $b = 9.2548 (9) \text{ \AA}$
 $c = 24.109 (2) \text{ \AA}$
 $V = 1220.6 (2) \text{ \AA}^3$
 $Z = 4$
 $F(000) = 592$

$D_x = 1.596 \text{ Mg m}^{-3}$
Mo $K\alpha$ radiation, $\lambda = 0.71073 \text{ \AA}$
Cell parameters from 9963 reflections
 $\theta = 2.4\text{--}29.2^\circ$
 $\mu = 0.14 \text{ mm}^{-1}$
 $T = 100 \text{ K}$
Rectangular prism, colourless
 $0.54 \times 0.36 \times 0.29 \text{ mm}$

Data collection

Bruker SMART APEX CCD
diffractometer
Radiation source: fine focus sealed tube
Graphite monochromator
Detector resolution: 8.3333 pixels mm^{-1}
 ω Scans scans
Absorption correction: multi-scan
(SADABS; Bruker, 2017)
 $T_{\min} = 0.83$, $T_{\max} = 0.96$

26820 measured reflections
3296 independent reflections
3149 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
 $R_{\text{int}} = 0.025$
 $\theta_{\max} = 29.1^\circ$, $\theta_{\min} = 2.4^\circ$
 $h = -7 \rightarrow 7$
 $k = -12 \rightarrow 12$
 $l = -32 \rightarrow 33$

Refinement

Refinement on F^2
Least-squares matrix: full
 $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.031$
 $wR(F^2) = 0.078$
 $S = 1.07$
3296 reflections
190 parameters
0 restraints
Primary atom site location: structure-invariant
direct methods

Hydrogen site location: inferred from
neighbouring sites
H-atom parameters constrained
 $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0385P)^2 + 0.2387P]$
where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
 $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\max} < 0.001$
 $\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.27 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$
 $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.15 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$
Absolute structure: Flack x determined using
1255 quotients $[(I^+)-(I)]/[(I^+)+(I)]$ (Parsons *et al.*, 2013)
Absolute structure parameter: −0.08 (14)

Special details

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.

Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters (\AA^2)

	x	y	z	$U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$
F1	0.1901 (3)	0.27940 (14)	0.13034 (5)	0.0479 (3)
F2	0.5809 (2)	0.39295 (12)	0.18393 (4)	0.0389 (3)
F3	0.2850 (2)	0.16943 (11)	0.34729 (4)	0.0312 (2)

F4	-0.0860 (2)	0.06445 (13)	0.28603 (6)	0.0493 (3)
O1	0.6420 (2)	0.34634 (14)	0.29382 (5)	0.0277 (3)
N1	0.0540 (3)	0.17233 (17)	0.20838 (7)	0.0356 (3)
C1	0.2194 (4)	0.25229 (19)	0.18427 (7)	0.0320 (4)
C2	0.4193 (3)	0.31157 (17)	0.21119 (6)	0.0265 (3)
C3	0.4454 (3)	0.28847 (16)	0.26793 (6)	0.0222 (3)
C4	0.2711 (3)	0.20160 (17)	0.29324 (6)	0.0246 (3)
C5	0.0823 (3)	0.14819 (18)	0.26127 (8)	0.0320 (4)
C6	0.6094 (3)	0.40005 (17)	0.34853 (6)	0.0228 (3)
C7	0.7792 (3)	0.36372 (17)	0.38711 (6)	0.0241 (3)
H7	0.908206	0.299232	0.377994	0.029*
C8	0.7619 (3)	0.42322 (17)	0.44129 (6)	0.0226 (3)
C9	0.9344 (3)	0.3885 (2)	0.48337 (7)	0.0285 (3)
H9	1.064542	0.323683	0.475557	0.034*
C10	0.9133 (3)	0.4482 (2)	0.53513 (7)	0.0320 (4)
H10	1.030211	0.425143	0.562892	0.038*
C11	0.7196 (4)	0.5437 (2)	0.54765 (7)	0.0326 (4)
H11	0.707125	0.584129	0.583766	0.039*
C12	0.5492 (4)	0.57864 (19)	0.50802 (7)	0.0294 (3)
H12	0.419415	0.642863	0.516865	0.035*
C13	0.5662 (3)	0.51895 (17)	0.45372 (6)	0.0233 (3)
C14	0.3926 (3)	0.55230 (17)	0.41174 (7)	0.0250 (3)
H14	0.260636	0.615515	0.419906	0.03*
C15	0.4135 (3)	0.49422 (17)	0.35952 (6)	0.0242 (3)
H15	0.298037	0.51716	0.331426	0.029*

Atomic displacement parameters (\AA^2)

	U^{11}	U^{22}	U^{33}	U^{12}	U^{13}	U^{23}
F1	0.0678 (8)	0.0484 (7)	0.0276 (5)	0.0196 (6)	-0.0202 (6)	-0.0095 (5)
F2	0.0582 (7)	0.0356 (5)	0.0229 (4)	-0.0087 (5)	0.0076 (5)	0.0027 (4)
F3	0.0379 (6)	0.0285 (5)	0.0271 (5)	-0.0018 (4)	0.0053 (4)	0.0050 (4)
F4	0.0365 (6)	0.0367 (6)	0.0748 (9)	-0.0157 (5)	0.0055 (6)	-0.0067 (6)
O1	0.0237 (5)	0.0394 (6)	0.0199 (5)	-0.0060 (5)	0.0015 (4)	-0.0052 (5)
N1	0.0318 (7)	0.0300 (7)	0.0449 (8)	0.0049 (6)	-0.0128 (7)	-0.0146 (6)
C1	0.0416 (10)	0.0272 (8)	0.0271 (8)	0.0118 (7)	-0.0106 (7)	-0.0084 (6)
C2	0.0358 (8)	0.0221 (7)	0.0216 (7)	0.0024 (7)	-0.0004 (6)	-0.0010 (5)
C3	0.0234 (7)	0.0210 (6)	0.0221 (7)	0.0008 (6)	-0.0015 (6)	-0.0011 (5)
C4	0.0267 (7)	0.0212 (6)	0.0260 (7)	0.0015 (6)	0.0005 (6)	0.0001 (6)
C5	0.0261 (8)	0.0224 (7)	0.0474 (10)	-0.0016 (6)	-0.0013 (7)	-0.0064 (7)
C6	0.0228 (7)	0.0273 (7)	0.0182 (6)	-0.0047 (6)	0.0010 (5)	-0.0003 (6)
C7	0.0192 (6)	0.0293 (7)	0.0237 (6)	-0.0001 (6)	0.0012 (5)	-0.0001 (6)
C8	0.0200 (7)	0.0264 (7)	0.0215 (6)	-0.0026 (6)	-0.0010 (6)	0.0033 (5)
C9	0.0230 (7)	0.0378 (9)	0.0248 (7)	0.0001 (7)	-0.0019 (6)	0.0061 (6)
C10	0.0306 (8)	0.0429 (10)	0.0227 (7)	-0.0051 (8)	-0.0055 (7)	0.0062 (7)
C11	0.0396 (9)	0.0379 (9)	0.0204 (7)	-0.0058 (8)	-0.0011 (7)	-0.0016 (6)
C12	0.0333 (8)	0.0298 (8)	0.0251 (7)	-0.0003 (7)	0.0009 (7)	-0.0028 (6)
C13	0.0246 (7)	0.0231 (7)	0.0222 (7)	-0.0034 (6)	-0.0001 (6)	0.0015 (5)

C14	0.0250 (7)	0.0234 (7)	0.0264 (7)	0.0018 (6)	-0.0010 (6)	0.0003 (6)
C15	0.0237 (7)	0.0259 (7)	0.0231 (7)	-0.0016 (6)	-0.0041 (6)	0.0025 (5)

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

F1—C1	1.334 (2)	C7—H7	0.95
F2—C2	1.334 (2)	C8—C13	1.421 (2)
F3—C4	1.3389 (18)	C8—C9	1.422 (2)
F4—C5	1.343 (2)	C9—C10	1.369 (2)
O1—C3	1.3538 (19)	C9—H9	0.95
O1—C6	1.4209 (18)	C10—C11	1.413 (3)
N1—C5	1.304 (3)	C10—H10	0.95
N1—C1	1.305 (3)	C11—C12	1.374 (2)
C1—C2	1.385 (3)	C11—H11	0.95
C2—C3	1.392 (2)	C12—C13	1.424 (2)
C3—C4	1.389 (2)	C12—H12	0.95
C4—C5	1.380 (2)	C13—C14	1.421 (2)
C6—C7	1.357 (2)	C14—C15	1.374 (2)
C6—C15	1.407 (2)	C14—H14	0.95
C7—C8	1.421 (2)	C15—H15	0.95
C3—O1—C6	117.82 (12)	C7—C8—C9	121.61 (15)
C5—N1—C1	116.78 (16)	C13—C8—C9	119.34 (14)
N1—C1—F1	117.23 (17)	C10—C9—C8	120.20 (16)
N1—C1—C2	124.26 (16)	C10—C9—H9	119.9
F1—C1—C2	118.50 (18)	C8—C9—H9	119.9
F2—C2—C1	121.05 (15)	C9—C10—C11	120.68 (15)
F2—C2—C3	120.19 (16)	C9—C10—H10	119.7
C1—C2—C3	118.73 (16)	C11—C10—H10	119.7
O1—C3—C4	124.90 (14)	C12—C11—C10	120.51 (15)
O1—C3—C2	118.27 (15)	C12—C11—H11	119.7
C4—C3—C2	116.76 (15)	C10—C11—H11	119.7
F3—C4—C5	120.43 (15)	C11—C12—C13	120.26 (16)
F3—C4—C3	121.15 (14)	C11—C12—H12	119.9
C5—C4—C3	118.42 (15)	C13—C12—H12	119.9
N1—C5—F4	116.90 (17)	C14—C13—C8	119.22 (13)
N1—C5—C4	125.00 (17)	C14—C13—C12	121.77 (15)
F4—C5—C4	118.11 (17)	C8—C13—C12	119.00 (14)
C7—C6—C15	123.10 (14)	C15—C14—C13	120.81 (15)
C7—C6—O1	117.64 (14)	C15—C14—H14	119.6
C15—C6—O1	119.15 (13)	C13—C14—H14	119.6
C6—C7—C8	119.25 (14)	C14—C15—C6	118.57 (14)
C6—C7—H7	120.4	C14—C15—H15	120.7
C8—C7—H7	120.4	C6—C15—H15	120.7
C7—C8—C13	119.05 (13)		
C5—N1—C1—F1	-179.02 (15)	C3—O1—C6—C7	134.10 (15)
C5—N1—C1—C2	0.1 (3)	C3—O1—C6—C15	-49.6 (2)

N1—C1—C2—F2	−179.70 (15)	C15—C6—C7—C8	−0.4 (2)
F1—C1—C2—F2	−0.6 (2)	O1—C6—C7—C8	175.80 (13)
N1—C1—C2—C3	−1.6 (3)	C6—C7—C8—C13	0.3 (2)
F1—C1—C2—C3	177.43 (14)	C6—C7—C8—C9	179.80 (15)
C6—O1—C3—C4	−39.6 (2)	C7—C8—C9—C10	179.68 (15)
C6—O1—C3—C2	143.33 (15)	C13—C8—C9—C10	−0.8 (2)
F2—C2—C3—O1	−2.2 (2)	C8—C9—C10—C11	0.6 (3)
C1—C2—C3—O1	179.72 (14)	C9—C10—C11—C12	−0.2 (3)
F2—C2—C3—C4	−179.48 (15)	C10—C11—C12—C13	−0.1 (3)
C1—C2—C3—C4	2.4 (2)	C7—C8—C13—C14	0.2 (2)
O1—C3—C4—F3	0.8 (2)	C9—C8—C13—C14	−179.35 (15)
C2—C3—C4—F3	177.89 (14)	C7—C8—C13—C12	−179.93 (15)
O1—C3—C4—C5	−178.91 (15)	C9—C8—C13—C12	0.5 (2)
C2—C3—C4—C5	−1.8 (2)	C11—C12—C13—C14	179.78 (16)
C1—N1—C5—F4	−179.19 (15)	C11—C12—C13—C8	−0.1 (2)
C1—N1—C5—C4	0.6 (3)	C8—C13—C14—C15	−0.6 (2)
F3—C4—C5—N1	−179.41 (16)	C12—C13—C14—C15	179.57 (16)
C3—C4—C5—N1	0.3 (3)	C13—C14—C15—C6	0.5 (2)
F3—C4—C5—F4	0.4 (2)	C7—C6—C15—C14	0.0 (2)
C3—C4—C5—F4	−179.88 (14)	O1—C6—C15—C14	−176.10 (14)

4-[(6-Bromonaphthalen-2-yl)oxy]-2,3,5,6-tetrafluoropyridine (IV)

Crystal data

$C_{15}H_6BrF_4NO$
 $M_r = 372.12$
Monoclinic, $P2_1$
 $a = 6.0135$ (3) Å
 $b = 7.4994$ (4) Å
 $c = 14.6318$ (7) Å
 $\beta = 101.401$ (2)°
 $V = 646.84$ (6) Å³
 $Z = 2$

$F(000) = 364$
 $D_x = 1.911 \text{ Mg m}^{-3}$
Mo $K\alpha$ radiation, $\lambda = 0.71073 \text{ \AA}$
Cell parameters from 7392 reflections
 $\theta = 3.1\text{--}27.4^\circ$
 $\mu = 3.23 \text{ mm}^{-1}$
 $T = 100 \text{ K}$
Plate, colourless
0.30 × 0.14 × 0.04 mm

Data collection

Bruker SMART APEX CCD
diffractometer
Radiation source: fine focus sealed tube
Graphite monochromator
Detector resolution: 8.3333 pixels mm⁻¹
 ω Scans scans
Absorption correction: multi-scan
(SADABS; Bruker, 2017)
 $T_{\min} = 0.63$, $T_{\max} = 0.89$

12954 measured reflections
2775 independent reflections
2566 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
 $R_{\text{int}} = 0.040$
 $\theta_{\max} = 27.1^\circ$, $\theta_{\min} = 1.4^\circ$
 $h = -7 \rightarrow 7$
 $k = -9 \rightarrow 9$
 $l = -18 \rightarrow 18$

Refinement

Refinement on F^2
Least-squares matrix: full
 $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.031$
 $wR(F^2) = 0.058$
 $S = 1.14$
2775 reflections

200 parameters
1 restraint
Primary atom site location: structure-invariant
direct methods
Hydrogen site location: inferred from
neighbouring sites

H-atom parameters constrained
 $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0174P)^2 + 0.147P]$
 where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
 $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\max} = 0.001$

$\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.70 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$
 $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.46 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$
 Absolute structure: Refined as an inversion twin
 Absolute structure parameter: 0.171 (12)

Special details

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. Refined as a 2-component inversion twin.

Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters (\AA^2)

	x	y	z	$U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$
Br1	1.11387 (6)	0.12723 (7)	0.65331 (3)	0.02027 (12)
F1	0.1437 (5)	0.8959 (4)	0.1693 (2)	0.0341 (8)
F2	0.4300 (3)	0.6186 (6)	0.20499 (14)	0.0245 (5)
F3	-0.1671 (5)	0.2537 (4)	0.04981 (19)	0.0325 (7)
F4	-0.4284 (4)	0.5505 (4)	0.0217 (2)	0.0430 (9)
O1	0.2637 (6)	0.2724 (4)	0.1423 (2)	0.0258 (8)
N1	-0.1424 (7)	0.7231 (7)	0.0963 (3)	0.0276 (11)
C1	0.0692 (8)	0.7344 (7)	0.1415 (3)	0.0242 (11)
C2	0.2157 (7)	0.5921 (6)	0.1599 (3)	0.0163 (12)
C3	0.1384 (8)	0.4227 (8)	0.1316 (3)	0.0187 (11)
C4	-0.0837 (8)	0.4126 (7)	0.0826 (3)	0.0227 (11)
C5	-0.2127 (9)	0.5642 (8)	0.0680 (4)	0.0277 (15)
C6	0.4160 (7)	0.2377 (6)	0.2262 (3)	0.0196 (10)
C7	0.3753 (7)	0.2843 (6)	0.3113 (3)	0.0186 (10)
H7	0.238946	0.343679	0.31662	0.022*
C8	0.5417 (7)	0.2423 (5)	0.3922 (3)	0.0148 (9)
C9	0.5119 (7)	0.2886 (6)	0.4829 (3)	0.0164 (9)
H9	0.375158	0.344584	0.490712	0.02*
C10	0.6783 (7)	0.2534 (6)	0.5599 (3)	0.0165 (9)
H10	0.657322	0.284878	0.620469	0.02*
C11	0.8803 (7)	0.1702 (5)	0.5475 (3)	0.0157 (11)
C12	0.9146 (6)	0.1211 (10)	0.4619 (2)	0.0165 (7)
H12	1.052023	0.064184	0.45575	0.02*
C13	0.7438 (6)	0.1551 (7)	0.3814 (3)	0.0150 (11)
C14	0.7724 (7)	0.1040 (8)	0.2918 (3)	0.0199 (11)
H14	0.90638	0.042866	0.284841	0.024*
C15	0.6108 (6)	0.1412 (10)	0.2154 (3)	0.0208 (9)
H15	0.628527	0.10273	0.155347	0.025*

Atomic displacement parameters (\AA^2)

	U^{11}	U^{22}	U^{33}	U^{12}	U^{13}	U^{23}
Br1	0.01749 (18)	0.0207 (2)	0.0211 (2)	0.0017 (3)	0.00019 (13)	0.0006 (3)
F1	0.047 (2)	0.021 (2)	0.036 (2)	0.0032 (15)	0.0129 (16)	0.0016 (15)

F2	0.0190 (10)	0.0269 (13)	0.0241 (12)	-0.0047 (19)	-0.0044 (9)	-0.003 (2)
F3	0.0324 (15)	0.0414 (19)	0.0232 (15)	-0.0209 (14)	0.0041 (12)	-0.0085 (13)
F4	0.0148 (13)	0.082 (3)	0.0296 (16)	0.0036 (13)	-0.0019 (12)	0.0034 (15)
O1	0.037 (2)	0.0213 (19)	0.0158 (17)	0.0043 (15)	-0.0035 (14)	-0.0020 (14)
N1	0.022 (3)	0.039 (3)	0.022 (3)	0.010 (2)	0.005 (2)	0.007 (2)
C1	0.036 (3)	0.020 (3)	0.019 (3)	0.004 (2)	0.011 (2)	0.001 (2)
C2	0.0181 (19)	0.018 (4)	0.0127 (19)	-0.0040 (19)	0.0015 (15)	0.0025 (18)
C3	0.022 (3)	0.023 (3)	0.011 (2)	-0.001 (2)	0.0038 (19)	0.004 (2)
C4	0.022 (2)	0.035 (3)	0.012 (2)	-0.010 (2)	0.0045 (18)	-0.002 (2)
C5	0.015 (3)	0.051 (4)	0.017 (3)	0.001 (2)	0.001 (2)	0.004 (2)
C6	0.026 (2)	0.014 (2)	0.017 (2)	-0.0022 (19)	-0.0007 (18)	-0.0005 (19)
C7	0.018 (2)	0.016 (2)	0.021 (2)	0.0012 (17)	0.0039 (18)	0.0000 (19)
C8	0.018 (2)	0.008 (2)	0.019 (2)	-0.0034 (16)	0.0052 (17)	-0.0006 (17)
C9	0.016 (2)	0.013 (2)	0.021 (2)	0.0029 (17)	0.0047 (18)	-0.0009 (18)
C10	0.019 (2)	0.014 (2)	0.017 (2)	-0.0024 (18)	0.0045 (18)	-0.0025 (18)
C11	0.0161 (19)	0.009 (3)	0.021 (2)	-0.0012 (15)	0.0009 (16)	0.0038 (16)
C12	0.0174 (17)	0.0099 (18)	0.0233 (19)	0.000 (3)	0.0069 (14)	0.000 (3)
C13	0.0178 (18)	0.009 (3)	0.020 (2)	-0.0012 (17)	0.0077 (15)	0.0013 (19)
C14	0.0220 (19)	0.016 (3)	0.024 (2)	0.000 (2)	0.0118 (16)	-0.004 (2)
C15	0.028 (2)	0.020 (3)	0.0167 (19)	-0.003 (3)	0.0091 (15)	0.001 (3)

Geometric parameters (\AA , $^\circ$)

Br1—C11	1.901 (4)	C7—C8	1.427 (6)
F1—C1	1.328 (6)	C7—H7	0.95
F2—C2	1.342 (4)	C8—C13	1.416 (6)
F3—C4	1.344 (6)	C8—C9	1.417 (6)
F4—C5	1.344 (6)	C9—C10	1.376 (6)
O1—C3	1.348 (6)	C9—H9	0.95
O1—C6	1.403 (5)	C10—C11	1.408 (6)
N1—C5	1.304 (7)	C10—H10	0.95
N1—C1	1.316 (6)	C11—C12	1.360 (6)
C1—C2	1.376 (6)	C12—C13	1.424 (5)
C2—C3	1.387 (7)	C12—H12	0.95
C3—C4	1.388 (6)	C13—C14	1.408 (6)
C4—C5	1.369 (7)	C14—C15	1.358 (6)
C6—C7	1.361 (6)	C14—H14	0.95
C6—C15	1.412 (7)	C15—H15	0.95
C3—O1—C6	120.7 (4)	C13—C8—C7	119.1 (4)
C5—N1—C1	116.0 (5)	C9—C8—C7	121.7 (4)
N1—C1—F1	116.6 (5)	C10—C9—C8	120.9 (4)
N1—C1—C2	124.5 (5)	C10—C9—H9	119.6
F1—C1—C2	118.9 (4)	C8—C9—H9	119.6
F2—C2—C1	119.8 (4)	C9—C10—C11	119.1 (4)
F2—C2—C3	121.0 (4)	C9—C10—H10	120.5
C1—C2—C3	119.2 (5)	C11—C10—H10	120.5
O1—C3—C2	125.8 (4)	C12—C11—C10	122.0 (4)

O1—C3—C4	118.2 (5)	C12—C11—Br1	118.8 (3)
C2—C3—C4	115.8 (5)	C10—C11—Br1	119.2 (3)
F3—C4—C5	121.4 (4)	C11—C12—C13	119.8 (4)
F3—C4—C3	119.1 (5)	C11—C12—H12	120.1
C5—C4—C3	119.5 (5)	C13—C12—H12	120.1
N1—C5—F4	116.7 (4)	C14—C13—C8	119.7 (4)
N1—C5—C4	124.8 (5)	C14—C13—C12	121.3 (4)
F4—C5—C4	118.4 (5)	C8—C13—C12	119.0 (4)
C7—C6—O1	123.3 (4)	C15—C14—C13	120.8 (4)
C7—C6—C15	122.5 (4)	C15—C14—H14	119.6
O1—C6—C15	114.2 (4)	C13—C14—H14	119.6
C6—C7—C8	118.7 (4)	C14—C15—C6	119.2 (4)
C6—C7—H7	120.7	C14—C15—H15	120.4
C8—C7—H7	120.7	C6—C15—H15	120.4
C13—C8—C9	119.2 (4)		
C5—N1—C1—F1	179.0 (5)	C3—O1—C6—C15	-147.8 (5)
C5—N1—C1—C2	0.0 (8)	O1—C6—C7—C8	179.9 (4)
N1—C1—C2—F2	178.6 (4)	C15—C6—C7—C8	3.4 (7)
F1—C1—C2—F2	-0.3 (6)	C6—C7—C8—C13	0.5 (6)
N1—C1—C2—C3	-1.5 (7)	C6—C7—C8—C9	179.3 (4)
F1—C1—C2—C3	179.5 (4)	C13—C8—C9—C10	1.5 (6)
C6—O1—C3—C2	42.9 (7)	C7—C8—C9—C10	-177.3 (4)
C6—O1—C3—C4	-141.8 (4)	C8—C9—C10—C11	0.0 (6)
F2—C2—C3—O1	-2.3 (7)	C9—C10—C11—C12	-1.0 (7)
C1—C2—C3—O1	177.8 (4)	C9—C10—C11—Br1	178.3 (3)
F2—C2—C3—C4	-177.7 (4)	C10—C11—C12—C13	0.6 (8)
C1—C2—C3—C4	2.4 (7)	Br1—C11—C12—C13	-178.8 (4)
O1—C3—C4—F3	1.6 (7)	C9—C8—C13—C14	178.2 (5)
C2—C3—C4—F3	177.4 (4)	C7—C8—C13—C14	-3.0 (7)
O1—C3—C4—C5	-177.8 (4)	C9—C8—C13—C12	-1.9 (7)
C2—C3—C4—C5	-2.0 (7)	C7—C8—C13—C12	176.9 (4)
C1—N1—C5—F4	180.0 (4)	C11—C12—C13—C14	-179.2 (5)
C1—N1—C5—C4	0.5 (9)	C11—C12—C13—C8	0.9 (8)
F3—C4—C5—N1	-178.8 (5)	C8—C13—C14—C15	1.6 (8)
C3—C4—C5—N1	0.6 (9)	C12—C13—C14—C15	-178.3 (6)
F3—C4—C5—F4	1.7 (7)	C13—C14—C15—C6	2.2 (9)
C3—C4—C5—F4	-178.9 (4)	C7—C6—C15—C14	-4.9 (9)
C3—O1—C6—C7	35.4 (6)	O1—C6—C15—C14	178.4 (5)

2,2'-Bis[(2,3,5,6-tetrafluoropyridin-4-yl)oxy]-1,1'-biphenyl (V)*Crystal data*

$C_{22}H_8F_8N_2O_2$
 $M_r = 484.30$
Orthorhombic, $Pbcn$
 $a = 18.8516 (6) \text{ \AA}$
 $b = 10.6512 (3) \text{ \AA}$
 $c = 9.2196 (3) \text{ \AA}$

$V = 1851.22 (10) \text{ \AA}^3$
 $Z = 4$
 $F(000) = 968$
 $D_x = 1.738 \text{ Mg m}^{-3}$
Mo $K\alpha$ radiation, $\lambda = 0.71073 \text{ \AA}$
Cell parameters from 9894 reflections

$\theta = 3.1\text{--}31.0^\circ$ $\mu = 0.17 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ $T = 100 \text{ K}$ *Data collection*Bruker SMART APEX CCD
diffractometer

Radiation source: fine focus sealed tube

Graphite monochromator

Detector resolution: 8.3333 pixels mm⁻¹ ω Scans scansAbsorption correction: multi-scan
(SADABS; Bruker, 2017) $T_{\min} = 0.87$, $T_{\max} = 0.96$

Rectangular prism, colourless

0.33 × 0.27 × 0.26 mm

*Refinement*Refinement on F^2

Least-squares matrix: full

 $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.036$ $wR(F^2) = 0.098$ $S = 1.06$

2830 reflections

154 parameters

0 restraints

Primary atom site location: structure-invariant
direct methodsHydrogen site location: inferred from
neighbouring sites

H-atom parameters constrained

 $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0477P)^2 + 1.0353P]$
where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$ $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\max} < 0.001$ $\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.54 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$ $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.24 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$ *Special details*

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.

Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters (\AA^2)

	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>	$U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$
F1	0.23289 (4)	0.82100 (7)	0.58850 (9)	0.02742 (18)
F2	0.36863 (4)	0.80572 (6)	0.50165 (8)	0.02166 (16)
F3	0.39175 (4)	0.45355 (6)	0.81381 (8)	0.02052 (15)
F4	0.25208 (4)	0.47778 (7)	0.87330 (8)	0.02652 (17)
O1	0.45506 (4)	0.60742 (7)	0.62192 (8)	0.01451 (15)
N1	0.24272 (5)	0.64972 (10)	0.73110 (11)	0.0206 (2)
C1	0.27334 (6)	0.72890 (11)	0.64163 (12)	0.0190 (2)
C2	0.34353 (5)	0.72303 (10)	0.59814 (11)	0.01551 (19)
C3	0.38644 (5)	0.62907 (9)	0.65624 (11)	0.01334 (18)
C4	0.35408 (5)	0.54608 (9)	0.75268 (11)	0.01526 (19)
C5	0.28294 (6)	0.56017 (11)	0.78372 (12)	0.0184 (2)
C6	0.49905 (5)	0.70787 (9)	0.57843 (11)	0.01314 (18)
C7	0.51479 (5)	0.80445 (9)	0.67541 (11)	0.01353 (19)
C8	0.56072 (6)	0.89900 (10)	0.62696 (11)	0.0168 (2)
H8	0.571595	0.967538	0.689043	0.02*
C9	0.59065 (6)	0.89380 (10)	0.48901 (12)	0.0184 (2)
H9	0.621893	0.958404	0.457927	0.022*

C10	0.57499 (6)	0.79449 (11)	0.39657 (12)	0.0176 (2)
H10	0.59608	0.790723	0.30309	0.021*
C11	0.52840 (5)	0.70047 (10)	0.44090 (11)	0.01560 (19)
H11	0.516981	0.632684	0.378125	0.019*

Atomic displacement parameters (\AA^2)

	U^{11}	U^{22}	U^{33}	U^{12}	U^{13}	U^{23}
F1	0.0200 (3)	0.0288 (4)	0.0334 (4)	0.0094 (3)	-0.0009 (3)	0.0074 (3)
F2	0.0203 (3)	0.0201 (3)	0.0246 (3)	-0.0002 (2)	0.0006 (3)	0.0094 (3)
F3	0.0197 (3)	0.0198 (3)	0.0220 (3)	0.0033 (2)	0.0021 (2)	0.0073 (3)
F4	0.0211 (3)	0.0304 (4)	0.0280 (4)	-0.0027 (3)	0.0089 (3)	0.0090 (3)
O1	0.0122 (3)	0.0132 (3)	0.0181 (3)	-0.0012 (2)	0.0020 (3)	0.0001 (3)
N1	0.0146 (4)	0.0256 (5)	0.0217 (4)	0.0017 (3)	0.0019 (3)	0.0007 (4)
C1	0.0160 (4)	0.0206 (5)	0.0203 (5)	0.0038 (4)	-0.0018 (4)	0.0006 (4)
C2	0.0156 (4)	0.0152 (4)	0.0157 (4)	-0.0001 (3)	-0.0008 (3)	0.0016 (3)
C3	0.0129 (4)	0.0141 (4)	0.0130 (4)	-0.0007 (3)	0.0000 (3)	-0.0016 (3)
C4	0.0151 (4)	0.0155 (4)	0.0152 (4)	0.0006 (3)	0.0003 (3)	0.0012 (4)
C5	0.0160 (4)	0.0217 (5)	0.0174 (5)	-0.0025 (4)	0.0030 (4)	0.0018 (4)
C6	0.0120 (4)	0.0126 (4)	0.0148 (4)	-0.0011 (3)	0.0001 (3)	0.0010 (3)
C7	0.0141 (4)	0.0135 (4)	0.0130 (4)	0.0008 (3)	-0.0003 (3)	0.0008 (3)
C8	0.0188 (5)	0.0145 (4)	0.0170 (5)	-0.0029 (4)	-0.0011 (4)	0.0002 (3)
C9	0.0185 (5)	0.0173 (5)	0.0196 (5)	-0.0037 (4)	0.0009 (4)	0.0030 (4)
C10	0.0163 (4)	0.0210 (5)	0.0153 (4)	-0.0015 (4)	0.0020 (3)	0.0018 (4)
C11	0.0153 (4)	0.0172 (4)	0.0143 (4)	-0.0008 (3)	0.0001 (3)	-0.0014 (3)

Geometric parameters (\AA , $^\circ$)

F1—C1	1.3356 (13)	C6—C11	1.3856 (14)
F2—C2	1.3383 (12)	C6—C7	1.3949 (14)
F3—C4	1.3390 (12)	C7—C8	1.4012 (14)
F4—C5	1.3382 (12)	C7—C7 ⁱ	1.4842 (19)
O1—C3	1.3517 (12)	C8—C9	1.3925 (15)
O1—C6	1.4118 (12)	C8—H8	0.95
N1—C5	1.3114 (14)	C9—C10	1.3900 (15)
N1—C1	1.3134 (15)	C9—H9	0.95
C1—C2	1.3840 (15)	C10—C11	1.3934 (14)
C2—C3	1.3938 (14)	C10—H10	0.95
C3—C4	1.3942 (14)	C11—H11	0.95
C4—C5	1.3795 (14)		
C3—O1—C6	119.96 (8)	C11—C6—O1	116.82 (9)
C5—N1—C1	116.44 (10)	C7—C6—O1	120.12 (9)
N1—C1—F1	116.81 (10)	C6—C7—C8	117.20 (9)
N1—C1—C2	124.97 (10)	C6—C7—C7 ⁱ	120.93 (7)
F1—C1—C2	118.22 (10)	C8—C7—C7 ⁱ	121.85 (8)
F2—C2—C1	120.06 (9)	C9—C8—C7	120.86 (10)
F2—C2—C3	121.52 (9)	C9—C8—H8	119.6

C1—C2—C3	118.42 (10)	C7—C8—H8	119.6
O1—C3—C2	126.01 (9)	C10—C9—C8	120.28 (10)
O1—C3—C4	117.37 (9)	C10—C9—H9	119.9
C2—C3—C4	116.52 (9)	C8—C9—H9	119.9
F3—C4—C5	120.55 (9)	C9—C10—C11	120.06 (10)
F3—C4—C3	120.20 (9)	C9—C10—H10	120.0
C5—C4—C3	119.25 (10)	C11—C10—H10	120.0
N1—C5—F4	117.00 (9)	C6—C11—C10	118.63 (10)
N1—C5—C4	124.36 (10)	C6—C11—H11	120.7
F4—C5—C4	118.64 (10)	C10—C11—H11	120.7
C11—C6—C7	122.93 (9)		
C5—N1—C1—F1	-179.46 (10)	F3—C4—C5—N1	178.43 (10)
C5—N1—C1—C2	1.11 (17)	C3—C4—C5—N1	-1.84 (17)
N1—C1—C2—F2	177.24 (10)	F3—C4—C5—F4	-1.58 (16)
F1—C1—C2—F2	-2.18 (16)	C3—C4—C5—F4	178.15 (9)
N1—C1—C2—C3	-2.24 (17)	C3—O1—C6—C11	-119.50 (10)
F1—C1—C2—C3	178.34 (10)	C3—O1—C6—C7	64.48 (12)
C6—O1—C3—C2	30.14 (14)	C11—C6—C7—C8	2.07 (15)
C6—O1—C3—C4	-153.56 (9)	O1—C6—C7—C8	177.84 (9)
F2—C2—C3—O1	-1.91 (16)	C11—C6—C7—C7 ⁱ	-176.48 (10)
C1—C2—C3—O1	177.56 (10)	O1—C6—C7—C7 ⁱ	-0.71 (15)
F2—C2—C3—C4	-178.24 (9)	C6—C7—C8—C9	-1.77 (15)
C1—C2—C3—C4	1.24 (15)	C7 ⁱ —C7—C8—C9	176.77 (10)
O1—C3—C4—F3	3.69 (14)	C7—C8—C9—C10	0.33 (16)
C2—C3—C4—F3	-179.66 (9)	C8—C9—C10—C11	0.92 (17)
O1—C3—C4—C5	-176.05 (9)	C7—C6—C11—C10	-0.88 (16)
C2—C3—C4—C5	0.61 (15)	O1—C6—C11—C10	-176.78 (9)
C1—N1—C5—F4	-179.01 (10)	C9—C10—C11—C6	-0.66 (16)
C1—N1—C5—C4	0.98 (17)		

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