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Key indicators

Single-crystal X-ray study

$T = 100$ K

Mean $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.002$ Å

R factor = 0.041

wR factor = 0.098

Data-to-parameter ratio = 16.4

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4-Ethoxycarbonyl-3-furoic acid

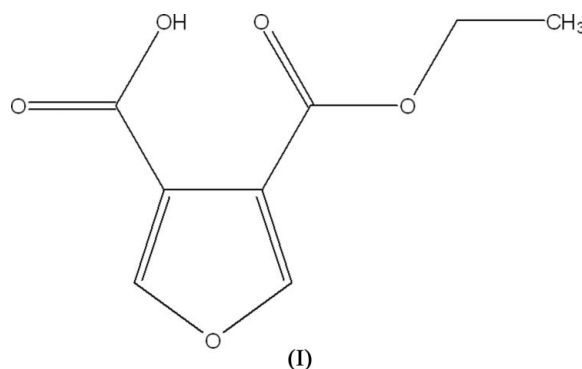
The structure of 4-ethoxycarbonyl-3-furoic acid, $\text{C}_8\text{H}_8\text{O}_5$, has been determined at 100 K.

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Comment

The title compound, (I), represents the first example of a
 crystal structure of a mono-ester of furoic acid. Previous
 related crystal structures observed in the Cambridge Struc-
 tural Database (CSD, Version 5.26; Allen, 2002) include the
 cyclohexane (CSD refcode CIHNIQ; Baldwin *et al.*, 1997) and
 methyl (CSD refcode FURCAM; Okada *et al.*, 1971) diesters,
 and the diacid (CSD refcode FURDCB and derivatives),
 although there has been some discussion as to the correct
 space group of this compound (Williams & Rundle, 1964;
 Semmingsen *et al.*, 1986).



The molecular structure of the title compound is essentially
 flat, with all the non-H atoms coplanar. No intermolecular
 hydrogen bonding is observed, although there are a number of

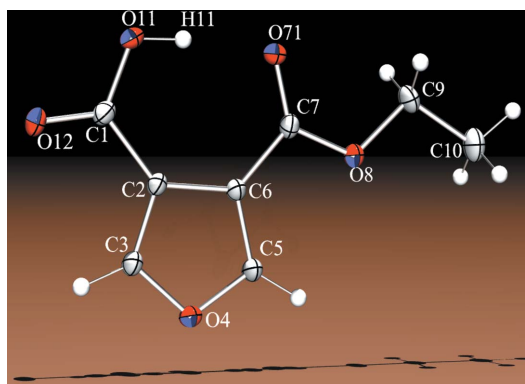


Figure 1

The molecular structure of (I) observed in the crystal structure, showing
 anisotropic displacement parameter ellipsoids and the numbering scheme
 used. The displacement ellipsoids are drawn at the 50% probability level.

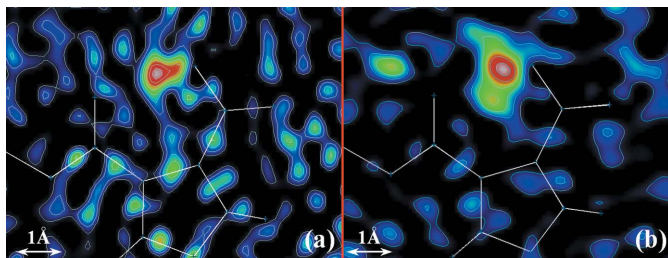


Figure 2
Difference Fourier map sections through the intramolecular hydrogen bond in the same crystal at (a) 100 K and (b) 293 K.

non-classical C—H···O interactions observed between molecules. The single hydrogen bond observed in the title structure is an intramolecular O11—H11···O71 hydrogen bond (Table 2 and Fig. 1), lying approximately perpendicular to the (021) plane. Much of our interest in such materials lies in the possibility of hydrogen-bond disorder. The difference Fourier map (Fig. 2) shows that no disorder is observed in this hydrogen bond at this temperature; there is also no disorder observed in the hydrogen bond at higher temperatures, as a difference Fourier map of the hydrogen bond from a data set collected at 293 K on the same crystal shows (Fig. 2). The data for the 293 K structure have been deposited with the Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre.

The packing of the molecule in this structure is layered, with each layer having rows of the title molecule in alternating directions (Fig. 3a). The layers are then superimposed on each other, with alternating rows lying on top of one another (Fig. 3b). These layers are quite distinct throughout the structure (Fig. 3c).

Experimental

The title material was prepared from diethyl-3,4-furandicarboxylate after exposure to moist air, the crystals being observed floating in the parent material a few days after exposure.

Crystal data

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| $C_8H_8O_5$ | $Z = 2$ |
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| Triclinic, $P\bar{1}$ | Mo $K\alpha$ radiation |
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| $b = 7.4653$ (12) Å | $\theta = 2-31^\circ$ |
| $c = 9.0724$ (14) Å | $\mu = 0.13 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ |
| $\alpha = 111.236$ (4)° | $T = 100 \text{ K}$ |
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| $V = 410.18$ (11) Å ³ | |

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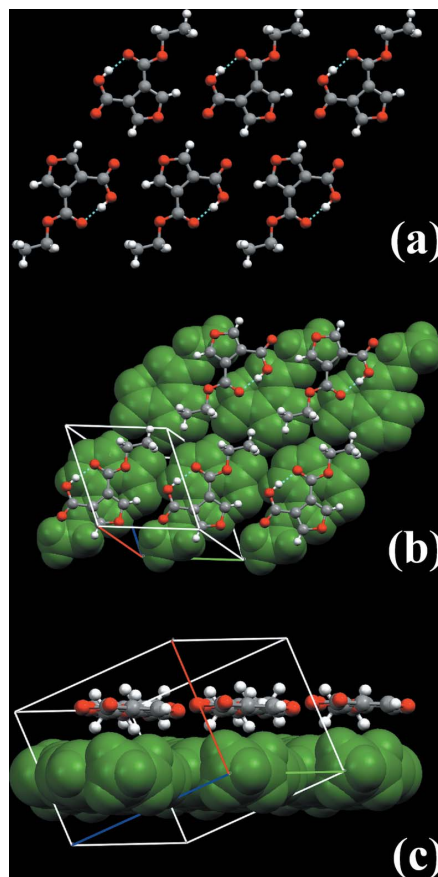


Figure 3
Packing diagrams showing (a) the layered structure of the molecule, (b) how the layers fit together and (c) a side view of the layers.

Refinement

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| Refinement on F^2 | All H-atom parameters refined |
| $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.041$ | $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F^2) + 0.05]$ |
| $wR(F^2) = 0.098$ | $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\text{max}} < 0.001$ |
| $S = 0.93$ | $\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 0.54 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$ |
| 2461 reflections | $\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.48 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$ |
| 150 parameters | |

Table 1

Selected geometric parameters (Å, °).

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| C6—C2 | 1.4527 (18) | C3—O4 | 1.3713 (16) |
| C6—C5 | 1.3621 (19) | O4—C5 | 1.3634 (17) |
| C6—C7 | 1.4669 (19) | C7—O8 | 1.3311 (16) |
| C2—C1 | 1.4874 (18) | C7—O71 | 1.2289 (16) |
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| C1—O12 | 1.2182 (17) | C9—C10 | 1.506 (2) |
| C1—O11 | 1.3327 (17) | | |
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| C2—C1—O12 | 121.56 (12) | C7—O8—C9 | 116.73 (11) |
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| O12—C1—O11 | 120.26 (12) | | |

Table 2

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °).

| $D-H\cdots A$ | $D-H$ | $H\cdots A$ | $D\cdots A$ | $D-H\cdots A$ |
|----------------------|----------|-------------|-------------|---------------|
| O11–H11 \cdots O71 | 0.94 (2) | 1.70 (2) | 2.6267 (16) | 172 (2) |

All H atoms were found in difference density syntheses and were refined isotropically without restraints.

Data collection: *APEX2* (Bruker, 2005); cell refinement: *APEX2*; data reduction: *APEX2*; program(s) used to solve structure: *SIR92* (Altomare *et al.*, 1994); program(s) used to refine structure: *CRYSTALS* (Betteridge *et al.*, 2003); molecular graphics: *MERCURY* (Bruno *et al.*, 2002), *ORTEP-3 for Windows* (Farrugia, 1997) and *WinGX* (Farrugia, 1999); software used to prepare material for publication: *CRYSTALS*.

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

| | <i>x</i> | <i>y</i> | <i>z</i> | $U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$ |
|-----|--------------|---------------|--------------|----------------------------------|
| C6 | 0.70076 (19) | 0.1024 (2) | 0.41479 (16) | 0.0154 |
| C2 | 0.65366 (19) | -0.1080 (2) | 0.29745 (16) | 0.0153 |
| C1 | 0.6760 (2) | -0.2927 (2) | 0.31147 (17) | 0.0178 |
| O12 | 0.62826 (16) | -0.45688 (15) | 0.19436 (13) | 0.0236 |
| O11 | 0.74836 (16) | -0.27534 (16) | 0.45702 (13) | 0.0216 |

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| C3 | 0.5715 (2) | -0.1164 (2) | 0.15520 (17) | 0.0178 |
| O4 | 0.56311 (16) | 0.07133 (15) | 0.17399 (12) | 0.0209 |
| C5 | 0.6426 (2) | 0.2022 (2) | 0.33238 (16) | 0.0191 |
| C7 | 0.7916 (2) | 0.1998 (2) | 0.58785 (16) | 0.0164 |
| O8 | 0.81253 (15) | 0.39804 (15) | 0.65420 (12) | 0.0205 |
| C9 | 0.9021 (2) | 0.5115 (2) | 0.82699 (18) | 0.0227 |
| C10 | 0.9139 (3) | 0.7307 (2) | 0.8735 (2) | 0.0276 |
| O71 | 0.84080 (15) | 0.10958 (15) | 0.66351 (12) | 0.0199 |
| H31 | 0.517 (2) | -0.230 (3) | 0.049 (2) | 0.022 (4)* |
| H51 | 0.654 (2) | 0.346 (3) | 0.3662 (19) | 0.019 (4)* |
| H91 | 1.036 (3) | 0.504 (3) | 0.844 (2) | 0.024 (4)* |
| H92 | 0.811 (2) | 0.442 (3) | 0.881 (2) | 0.022 (4)* |
| H101 | 0.976 (3) | 0.819 (3) | 0.990 (3) | 0.044 (6)* |
| H102 | 1.010 (3) | 0.804 (3) | 0.817 (2) | 0.039 (5)* |
| H103 | 0.780 (3) | 0.733 (3) | 0.857 (2) | 0.035 (5)* |
| H11 | 0.781 (3) | -0.143 (3) | 0.538 (3) | 0.052 (6)* |

Atomic displacement parameters (Å²)

| | U^{11} | U^{22} | U^{33} | U^{12} | U^{13} | U^{23} |
|-----|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|------------|
| C6 | 0.0192 (6) | 0.0132 (6) | 0.0130 (6) | 0.0059 (5) | 0.0026 (5) | 0.0048 (5) |
| C2 | 0.0190 (6) | 0.0122 (6) | 0.0153 (6) | 0.0069 (5) | 0.0036 (5) | 0.0052 (5) |
| C1 | 0.0187 (6) | 0.0151 (6) | 0.0208 (7) | 0.0075 (5) | 0.0033 (5) | 0.0080 (5) |
| O12 | 0.0316 (5) | 0.0137 (5) | 0.0225 (6) | 0.0105 (4) | 0.0007 (4) | 0.0032 (4) |
| O11 | 0.0318 (5) | 0.0168 (5) | 0.0190 (5) | 0.0121 (4) | 0.0009 (4) | 0.0082 (4) |
| C3 | 0.0238 (7) | 0.0137 (6) | 0.0160 (7) | 0.0087 (5) | 0.0040 (5) | 0.0048 (5) |
| O4 | 0.0333 (5) | 0.0165 (5) | 0.0142 (5) | 0.0118 (4) | 0.0014 (4) | 0.0062 (4) |
| C5 | 0.0288 (7) | 0.0140 (6) | 0.0137 (7) | 0.0089 (5) | 0.0021 (5) | 0.0042 (5) |
| C7 | 0.0182 (6) | 0.0132 (6) | 0.0164 (7) | 0.0055 (5) | 0.0037 (5) | 0.0047 (5) |
| O8 | 0.0296 (5) | 0.0137 (5) | 0.0147 (5) | 0.0089 (4) | -0.0007 (4) | 0.0022 (4) |
| C9 | 0.0266 (7) | 0.0195 (7) | 0.0145 (7) | 0.0070 (6) | -0.0002 (6) | 0.0012 (6) |
| C10 | 0.0299 (8) | 0.0187 (7) | 0.0251 (8) | 0.0073 (6) | 0.0049 (6) | 0.0009 (6) |
| O71 | 0.0252 (5) | 0.0178 (5) | 0.0165 (5) | 0.0091 (4) | -0.0006 (4) | 0.0067 (4) |

Geometric parameters (Å, °)

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| C1—O12 | 1.2182 (17) | C9—H91 | 0.971 (17) |
| C1—O11 | 1.3327 (17) | C9—H92 | 0.957 (16) |
| O11—H11 | 0.94 (2) | C10—H101 | 1.00 (2) |
| C3—O4 | 1.3713 (16) | C10—H102 | 1.004 (19) |
| C3—H31 | 0.971 (17) | C10—H103 | 0.955 (19) |
| O4—C5 | 1.3634 (17) | | |

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| C2—C1—O11 | 118.18 (12) | O8—C9—H92 | 106.8 (10) |
| O12—C1—O11 | 120.26 (12) | C10—C9—H92 | 111.5 (10) |
| C1—O11—H11 | 113.3 (13) | H91—C9—H92 | 110.7 (14) |
| C2—C3—O4 | 110.72 (12) | C9—C10—H101 | 112.0 (12) |
| C2—C3—H31 | 131.4 (10) | C9—C10—H102 | 111.4 (11) |
| O4—C3—H31 | 117.8 (10) | H101—C10—H102 | 103.1 (15) |
| C3—O4—C5 | 106.99 (10) | C9—C10—H103 | 111.0 (11) |
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