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# 2-[(4-Methylbenzoyl)hydrazono]propionic acid monohydrate

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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; T = 100 K; mean  $\sigma$ (C–C) = 0.003 Å; R factor = 0.030; wR factor = 0.083; data-to-parameter ratio = 7.8.

In the title compound,  $C_{11}H_{12}N_2O_3 \cdot H_2O$ , the water molecule is a hydrogen-bond donor to the double-bond amide and the carbonyl O atoms of two acid molecules; it is also a hydrogenbond acceptor to the acid -OH and amide -NH- groups. These hydrogen-bonding interactions give rise to a layer structure, with the layers parallel to the *ab* plane.

# **Related literature**

The deprotonated anion of 2-aroylhydrazonopropionic acid furnishes a number of metal complexes; see, for example: Wu, Chen et al. (2006); Liu et al. (2007); Wu & Zeng (2007); Wu et al. (2006a,b); Yang et al. (2004); Yin & Chen (2006); Zhai et al. (2007).



#### **Experimental**

#### Crystal data

$C_{11}H_{12}N_2O_3 \cdot H_2O$	
$M_r = 238.24$	
Monoclinic, P21	
a = 6.8464 (1)  Å	
b = 11.9753 (2) Å	
c = 7.0005 (1)  Å	
$\beta = 102.169 \ (1)^{\circ}$	

V = 561.06 (2) Å<sup>3</sup> Z = 2Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation  $\mu = 0.11 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ T = 100 (2) K  $0.20 \times 0.10 \times 0.10 \ \mathrm{mm}$ 

Data collection

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Bruker SMART APEX
  diffractometer
Absorption correction: none
5272 measured reflections
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Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.030$	H atoms treated by a mixture of
$wR(F^2) = 0.083$	independent and constrained
S = 1.02	refinement
1335 reflections	$\Delta \rho_{\rm max} = 0.19 \ {\rm e} \ {\rm \AA}^{-3}$
172 parameters	$\Delta \rho_{\rm min} = -0.16 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$
5 restraints	Absolute structure: 1126 Friedel
	pairs were merged

#### Table 1 Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °).

$D - H \cdots A$	D-H	$H \cdots A$	$D \cdots A$	$D - \mathbf{H} \cdots \mathbf{A}$
$01-H1\cdots O1W$ $01W-H11\cdots O3$ $01W-H12\cdots O2^{i}$ $N2-H2\cdots O1W^{ii}$	0.83 (2) 0.84 (2) 0.84 (2) 0.87 (2)	2.03 (2) 1.97 (2) 2.00 (1) 2.35 (1)	2.777 (2) 2.794 (2) 2.829 (2) 3.210 (2)	149 (3) 165 (4) 168 (3) 168 (3)

Symmetry codes: (i) -x + 3,  $y - \frac{1}{2}$ , -z + 2; (ii) x - 1, y, z.

Data collection: APEX2 (Bruker, 2007); cell refinement: APEX2; data reduction: SAINT (Bruker, 2007); program(s) used to solve structure: SHELXS97 (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: SHELXL97 (Sheldrick, 2008); molecular graphics: X-SEED (Barbour, 2001); software used to prepare material for publication: publCIF (Westrip, 2009).

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 $R_{\rm int} = 0.029$ 

organic compounds

1335 independent reflections

1211 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$ 

# supporting information

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# S1. Experimental

4-Toluihydrazide (1 g, 0.007 mol) and pyruvic acid (0.6 g, 0.007 mol) were dissolved in methanol (30 ml). The solution was heated for 3 h; slow evaporation of the solvent gave colorless crystals.

# S2. Refinement

Carbon-bound H atoms were placed in calculated positions (C—H 0.93-0.99 Å) and were included in the refinement in the riding model approximation, with U(H) set to 1.2 to 1.5U(C). The methyl H atoms were rotated to fit the electron density.

The oxygen- and nitrogen-bound H atoms were located in a difference Fourier map, and were refined with distance restraints [N—H 0.88 (2) and O—H 0.84 (2) Å]; their temperature factors were freely refined.



# Figure 1

Displacement ellipsoids plot (Barbour, 2001) of the title compound at the 70% probability level. Hydrogen atoms are drawn as spheres of arbitrary radius.

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### Crystal data

 $\begin{array}{l} {\rm C}_{11}{\rm H}_{12}{\rm N}_{2}{\rm O}_{3}{\rm \cdot H}_{2}{\rm O}\\ M_{r}=238.24\\ {\rm Monoclinic}, P2_{1}\\ {\rm Hall \ symbol: \ P \ 2yb}\\ a=6.8464\ (1)\ {\rm \AA}\\ b=11.9753\ (2)\ {\rm \AA}\\ c=7.0005\ (1)\ {\rm \AA}\\ \beta=102.169\ (1)^{\circ}\\ V=561.06\ (2)\ {\rm \AA}^{3}\\ Z=2 \end{array}$ 

#### Data collection

Bruker SMART APEX	1211 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
diffractometer	$R_{\rm int} = 0.029$
Radiation source: fine-focus sealed tube	$\theta_{\text{max}} = 27.5^{\circ}, \ \theta_{\text{min}} = 3.0^{\circ}$
Graphite monochromator	$h = -8 \rightarrow 8$
ω scans	$k = -14 \rightarrow 15$
5272 measured reflections	$l = -9 \rightarrow 9$
1335 independent reflections	

F(000) = 252

 $\theta = 3.0-26.9^{\circ}$ 

 $\mu = 0.11 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ T = 100 K

 $D_{\rm x} = 1.410 {\rm Mg} {\rm m}^{-3}$ 

Mo *K* $\alpha$  radiation,  $\lambda = 0.71073$  Å

Irregular block, colourless

 $0.20 \times 0.10 \times 0.10$  mm

Cell parameters from 1743 reflections

# Refinement

Refinement on $F^2$ Least-squares matrix: full	Hydrogen site location: inferred from neighbouring sites
$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.030$	H atoms treated by a mixture of independent
$wR(F^2) = 0.083$	and constrained refinement
S = 1.02	$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0559P)^2 + 0.0248P]$
1335 reflections	where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
172 parameters	$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\rm max} = 0.001$
5 restraints	$\Delta \rho_{\rm max} = 0.19 \text{ e} \text{ Å}^{-3}$
Primary atom site location: structure-invariant	$\Delta \rho_{\rm min} = -0.16 \text{ e} \text{ Å}^{-3}$
direct methods	Absolute structure: 1126 Friedel pairs were
Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier	merged
map	

# 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.

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

	x	у	Ζ	$U_{ m iso}$ */ $U_{ m eq}$	
01	1.4450 (2)	0.99988 (13)	0.8798 (3)	0.0255 (4)	
O2	1.2160 (2)	1.13156 (13)	0.8463 (2)	0.0269 (4)	
03	1.2831 (2)	0.64501 (13)	0.7200 (2)	0.0260 (4)	
O1W	1.6032 (2)	0.78718 (13)	0.8663 (3)	0.0251 (4)	
N1	1.1624 (2)	0.84748 (15)	0.7821 (3)	0.0192 (4)	
N2	1.0279 (3)	0.76060 (15)	0.7458 (3)	0.0202 (4)	
C1	1.2584 (3)	1.03349 (18)	0.8395 (3)	0.0204 (5)	

C2	1.0961 (3)	0.94692 (18)	0.7861 (3)	0.0183 (4)
C3	0.8847 (3)	0.98625 (18)	0.7447 (3)	0.0232 (5)
H3A	0.8131	0.9412	0.6686	0.035*
H3B	0.8400	0.9951	0.8651	0.035*
H3C	0.8754	1.0568	0.6777	0.035*
C4	1.1067 (3)	0.65752 (18)	0.7236 (3)	0.0198 (4)
C5	0.9684 (3)	0.56054 (18)	0.7054 (3)	0.0178 (4)
C6	0.7608 (3)	0.5709 (2)	0.6510(3)	0.0218 (4)
H6	0.7018	0.6422	0.6192	0.026*
C7	0.6408 (3)	0.47675 (19)	0.6437 (3)	0.0231 (5)
H7	0.4998	0.4845	0.6067	0.028*
C8	0.7226 (3)	0.37199 (18)	0.6891 (3)	0.0214 (5)
C9	0.9315 (3)	0.3617 (2)	0.7379 (3)	0.0221 (5)
H9A	0.9904	0.2901	0.7659	0.026*
C10	1.0524 (3)	0.45480 (19)	0.7457 (3)	0.0202 (4)
H10	1.1936	0.4467	0.7787	0.024*
C11	0.5927 (3)	0.27036 (19)	0.6870 (4)	0.0288 (5)
H11A	0.6157	0.2411	0.7985	0.043*
H11B	0.4542	0.2924	0.6689	0.043*
H11C	0.6071	0.2211	0.5815	0.043*
H11	1.496 (3)	0.755 (3)	0.813 (5)	0.059 (10)*
H12	1.653 (4)	0.748 (2)	0.963 (3)	0.052 (10)*
H1	1.445 (5)	0.9307 (9)	0.867 (5)	0.056 (11)*
H2	0.906 (2)	0.773 (2)	0.761 (4)	0.031 (7)*

Atomic displacement parameters  $(Å^2)$ 

	$U^{11}$	$U^{22}$	$U^{33}$	$U^{12}$	$U^{13}$	$U^{23}$
01	0.0193 (8)	0.0198 (9)	0.0371 (10)	-0.0029 (6)	0.0049 (7)	-0.0031 (7)
O2	0.0234 (7)	0.0182 (8)	0.0384 (9)	-0.0001 (6)	0.0047 (7)	-0.0028 (7)
O3	0.0171 (7)	0.0206 (8)	0.0416 (9)	-0.0005 (6)	0.0094 (6)	-0.0039 (7)
O1W	0.0205 (7)	0.0208 (8)	0.0331 (10)	-0.0018 (6)	0.0036 (7)	0.0028 (7)
N1	0.0186 (9)	0.0171 (9)	0.0218 (9)	-0.0017 (7)	0.0042 (7)	0.0008 (7)
N2	0.0139 (8)	0.0165 (9)	0.0301 (10)	-0.0001 (7)	0.0048 (7)	-0.0012 (7)
C1	0.0198 (10)	0.0212 (11)	0.0202 (11)	-0.0033 (8)	0.0043 (8)	-0.0013 (8)
C2	0.0167 (9)	0.0179 (10)	0.0209 (10)	-0.0012 (8)	0.0054 (8)	-0.0004 (8)
C3	0.0174 (10)	0.0189 (11)	0.0329 (13)	0.0007 (8)	0.0044 (9)	0.0033 (9)
C4	0.0200 (10)	0.0186 (10)	0.0207 (10)	-0.0004 (8)	0.0041 (8)	0.0004 (9)
C5	0.0170 (10)	0.0169 (10)	0.0201 (10)	0.0010 (8)	0.0049 (8)	-0.0013 (8)
C6	0.0205 (10)	0.0204 (10)	0.0240 (11)	0.0024 (9)	0.0036 (8)	-0.0003 (9)
C7	0.0159 (10)	0.0238 (11)	0.0289 (12)	0.0017 (9)	0.0034 (8)	-0.0049 (9)
C8	0.0225 (11)	0.0216 (11)	0.0211 (11)	-0.0046 (9)	0.0068 (8)	-0.0057 (9)
C9	0.0260 (11)	0.0154 (10)	0.0254 (11)	0.0042 (9)	0.0067 (9)	0.0005 (8)
C10	0.0160 (9)	0.0214 (11)	0.0226 (11)	0.0021 (8)	0.0030 (8)	-0.0004 (9)
C11	0.0282 (11)	0.0228 (12)	0.0370 (14)	-0.0050 (10)	0.0110 (10)	-0.0044 (10)

Geometric parameters (Å, °)

01—C1	1.312 (3)	C4—C5	1.487 (3)
01—H1	0.83 (2)	C5—C10	1.395 (3)
O2—C1	1.213 (3)	C5—C6	1.397 (3)
O3—C4	1.222 (2)	C6—C7	1.390 (3)
O1W—H11	0.84 (2)	С6—Н6	0.9500
O1W—H12	0.82 (2)	C7—C8	1.383 (3)
N1—C2	1.277 (3)	С7—Н7	0.9500
N1—N2	1.377 (2)	C8—C9	1.404 (3)
N2C4	1.369 (3)	C8—C11	1.506 (3)
N2—H2	0.87 (2)	C9—C10	1.383 (3)
C1—C2	1.508 (3)	С9—Н9А	0.9500
C2—C3	1.491 (3)	C10—H10	0.9500
С3—НЗА	0.8400	C11—H11A	0.8400
С3—Н3В	0.9620	C11—H11B	0.9663
С3—НЗС	0.9620	C11—H11C	0.9662
C1—O1—H1	108 (2)	C6—C5—C4	123.14 (19)
H11—O1W—H12	106 (3)	C7—C6—C5	119.8 (2)
C2—N1—N2	118.80 (17)	С7—С6—Н6	120.1
C4—N2—N1	116.00 (17)	С5—С6—Н6	120.1
C4—N2—H2	124.9 (19)	C8—C7—C6	121.34 (19)
N1—N2—H2	118.1 (19)	С8—С7—Н7	119.3
02—C1—O1	121.2 (2)	С6—С7—Н7	119.3
O2—C1—C2	120.35 (19)	C7—C8—C9	118.5 (2)
01—C1—C2	118.40 (18)	C7—C8—C11	121.41 (19)
N1—C2—C3	128.72 (19)	C9—C8—C11	120.1 (2)
N1—C2—C1	113.55 (17)	C10—C9—C8	120.6 (2)
C3—C2—C1	117.73 (19)	С10—С9—Н9А	119.7
С2—С3—НЗА	109.5	С8—С9—Н9А	119.7
С2—С3—Н3В	109.9	C9—C10—C5	120.40 (18)
НЗА—СЗ—НЗВ	112.0	C9—C10—H10	119.8
С2—С3—Н3С	109.5	C5-C10-H10	119.8
НЗА—СЗ—НЗС	106.6	C8—C11—H11A	109.5
НЗВ—СЗ—НЗС	109.3	C8—C11—H11B	110.0
O3—C4—N2	121.82 (19)	H11A—C11—H11B	102.8
O3—C4—C5	121.12 (19)	C8—C11—H11C	110.2
N2-C4-C5	117.06 (17)	H11A—C11—H11C	115.2
C10—C5—C6	119.3 (2)	H11B—C11—H11C	108.8
C10—C5—C4	117.61 (17)		
C2—N1—N2—C4	173.5 (2)	N2—C4—C5—C6	20.0 (3)
N2—N1—C2—C3	-3.9 (3)	C10—C5—C6—C7	2.0 (3)
N2—N1—C2—C1	176.43 (17)	C4—C5—C6—C7	-177.78 (19)
O2-C1-C2-N1	179.1 (2)	C5—C6—C7—C8	-0.1 (3)
01-C1-C2-N1	-1.5 (3)	C6—C7—C8—C9	-1.8 (3)
O2—C1—C2—C3	-0.6 (3)	C6—C7—C8—C11	178.2 (2)

O1—C1—C2—C3	178.78 (19)	C7—C8—C9—C10	1.8 (3)
N1—N2—C4—O3	-5.9 (3)	C11—C8—C9—C10	-178.2 (2)
N1—N2—C4—C5	173.67 (17)	C8—C9—C10—C5	0.1 (3)
O3—C4—C5—C10	19.8 (3)	C6—C5—C10—C9	-2.0 (3)
N2-C4-C5-C10	-159.73 (19)	C4—C5—C10—C9	177.77 (19)
O3—C4—C5—C6	-160.4 (2)		

# Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °)

D—H···A	<i>D</i> —Н	H···A	$D \cdots A$	<i>D</i> —H… <i>A</i>
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O1 <i>W</i> —H11…O3	0.84 (2)	1.97 (2)	2.794 (2)	165 (4)
O1 <i>W</i> —H12···O2 <sup>i</sup>	0.84 (2)	2.00(1)	2.829 (2)	168 (3)
N2—H2···O1 <i>W</i> <sup>ii</sup>	0.87 (2)	2.35 (1)	3.210 (2)	168 (3)

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