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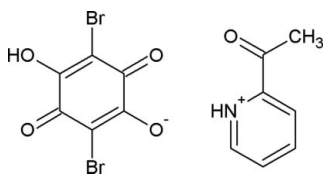
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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study;  $T = 100$  K; mean  $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.003$  Å;  $R$  factor = 0.022;  $wR$  factor = 0.050; data-to-parameter ratio = 14.4.

In the crystal of the title molecular salt (systematic name: 2-acetylpyridinium 2,5-dibromo-4-hydroxy-3,6-dioxocyclohexa-1,4-dienolate),  $\text{C}_7\text{H}_8\text{NO}^+ \cdot \text{C}_6\text{HBr}_2\text{O}_4^-$ , centrosymmetric rings consisting of two cations and two anions are formed, with the components linked by alternating  $\text{O}-\text{H} \cdots \text{O}$  and  $\text{N}-\text{H} \cdots \text{O}$  hydrogen bonds. Short  $\text{O} \cdots \text{Br}$  contacts [3.243 (2) and 3.359 (2) Å] may help to consolidate the packing.

### Related literature

For the structure of bromanilic acid, see: Robl (1987). For related structures, see: Tomura & Yamashita (2000); Zaman *et al.* (2001, 2004); Horiuchi *et al.* (2005).



### Experimental

#### Crystal data

$\text{C}_7\text{H}_8\text{NO}^+ \cdot \text{C}_6\text{HBr}_2\text{O}_4^-$

$M_r = 419.03$

Monoclinic,  $P2_1/c$   
 $a = 9.1323$  (5) Å  
 $b = 13.3821$  (7) Å  
 $c = 12.2287$  (7) Å  
 $\beta = 112.396$  (2)°  
 $V = 1381.74$  (13) Å<sup>3</sup>

$Z = 4$   
Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation  
 $\mu = 5.89$  mm<sup>-1</sup>  
 $T = 100$  K  
 $0.25 \times 0.2 \times 0.1$  mm

#### Data collection

Rigaku R-Axis RAPID IP diffractometer  
Absorption correction: empirical (using intensity measurements) (*CrystalClear*; Rigaku/MS, 2008)

$T_{\min} = 0.561$ ,  $T_{\max} = 1.000$  (expected range = 0.311–0.555)  
17193 measured reflections  
3156 independent reflections  
2793 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$   
 $R_{\text{int}} = 0.036$

#### Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.022$   
 $wR(F^2) = 0.050$   
 $S = 1.04$   
3156 reflections  
219 parameters

H atoms treated by a mixture of independent and constrained refinement  
 $\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.43$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>  
 $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.31$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>

Table 1

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °).

$D-H \cdots A$	$D-H$	$H \cdots A$	$D \cdots A$	$D-H \cdots A$
$\text{O4}-\text{H1} \cdots \text{O5}$	0.78 (3)	2.20 (3)	2.798 (2)	134 (3)
$\text{N1}-\text{H6} \cdots \text{O2}^{\ddagger}$	0.91 (3)	1.83 (3)	2.673 (2)	154 (3)

Symmetry code: (i)  $-x + 2, -y + 1, -z + 1$ .

Data collection: *CrystalClear* (Rigaku/MS, 2008); cell refinement: *CrystalClear*; data reduction: *CrystalClear*; program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 2008); molecular graphics: *ORTEP-3* (Farrugia, 1997) and *Mercury* (Macrae *et al.*, 2006); software used to prepare material for publication: *WinGX* (Farrugia, 1999).

Supplementary data and figures for this paper are available from the IUCr electronic archives (Reference: HB2948).

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### S1. Comment

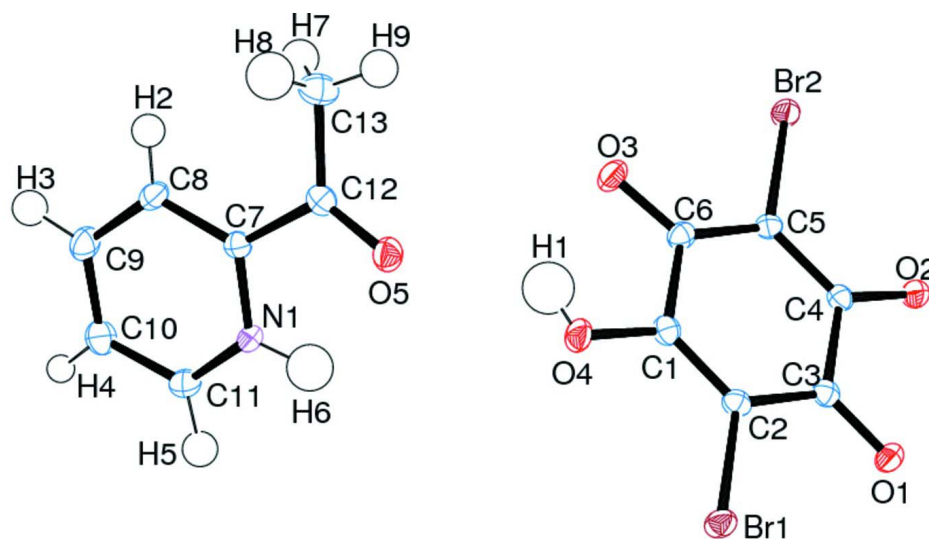
The structure of the molecular proton-transfer salt of bromanilic acid with 2-acetylpyridine at 100 K is reported (Fig. 1). A proton is transferred from the bromanilic acid molecule to the N atom on the acetylpyridine (Fig. 1). All previously reported structures containing bromanilic acid have shown the tendency for extended chains of molecules to form. In this case, hydrogen-bonded rings are formed between alternating cations and anions (Fig. 2) and these rings are held together to form a three-dimensional structure by one Br $\cdots$ O close contact of 3.243 (2) Å (cf the sum of the van der Waals radii for Br and O of 3.37 Å) and one on the limit of the sum of the van der Waals radii of 3.359 (2) Å (Fig. 3). The deprotonated hydroxyl group on the bromanilic acid molecule is stabilized by forming a moderate hydrogen bond [2.673 (2) Å] with the N atom on the 2-acetylpyridine molecule to which the proton has been transferred, and a short O $\cdots$ Br contact with another bromanilic acid molecule. The C—O bond length to the deprotonated oxygen is notably shortened compared to that to the protonated hydroxyl group [1.253 (2) Å *versus* 1.322 (2) Å]. The longer of the two O $\cdots$ Br close contacts is to the C=O group on the bromanilic acid [C=O bond length 1.221 (2) Å].

### S2. Experimental

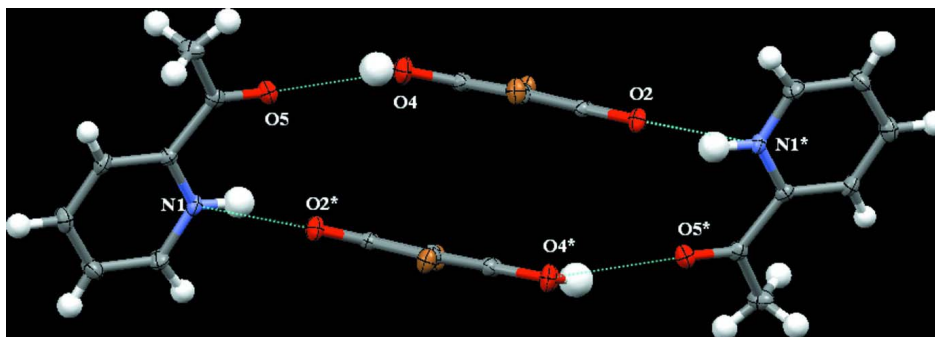
Red blocks of (I) were grown by slow evaporation of solvent from a 1:1 solution of bromanilic acid and 2-acetylpyridine in methanol.

### S3. Refinement

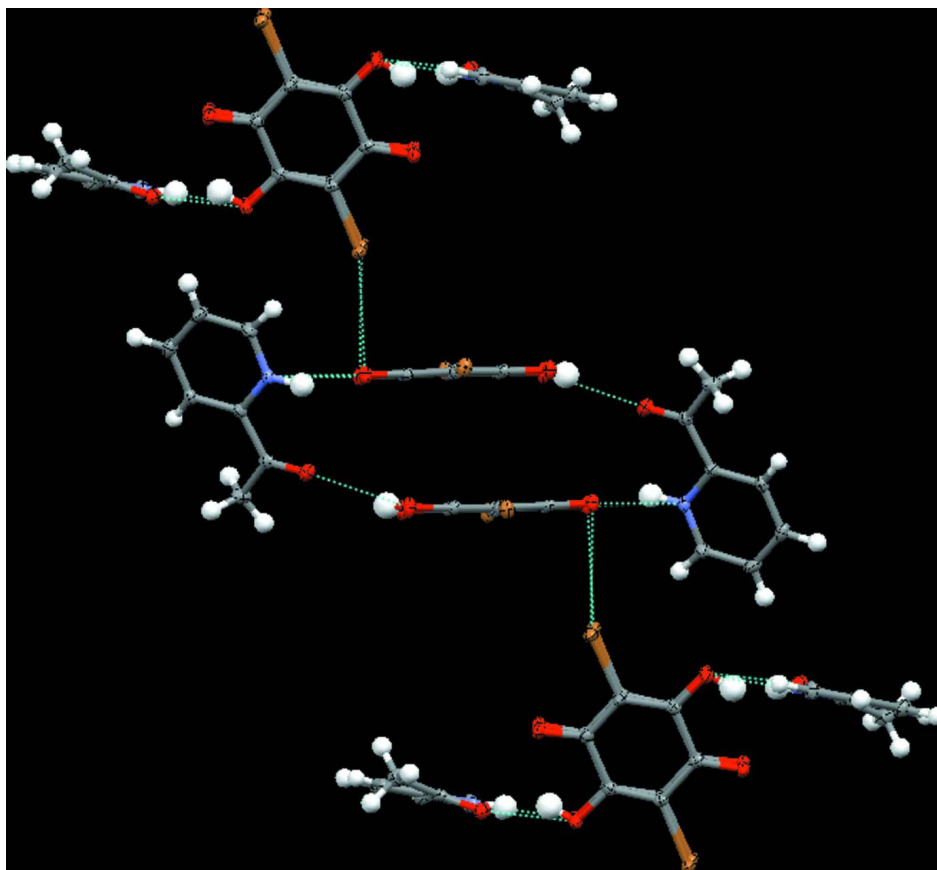
The H atoms were identified in the difference map, and their positions were freely refined. The O- and N-bonded species were allowed to refine isotropically and the C-bonded H atoms were constrained, with  $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H}) = 1.2U_{\text{eq}}(\text{C})$ .

**Figure 1**

The molecular structure of (I) with displacement ellipsoids drawn at the 50% probability level.

**Figure 2**

The hydrogen bonded ring between alternating bromanilic acid and acetylpyridine molecules. The hydrogen bonds are indicated by dashed lines. The \* indicates the atoms are related by the symmetry code  $2 - x, 1 - y, 1 - z$ .



**Figure 3**

The short bromine-oxygen close contacts connecting the hydrogen bonded rings. The short contacts and hydrogen bonds are indicated by dashed lines.

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$h = -11 \rightarrow 11$   
 $k = -17 \rightarrow 17$   
 $l = -15 \rightarrow 15$

*Refinement*

Refinement on  $F^2$   
 Least-squares matrix: full  
 $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.022$   
 $wR(F^2) = 0.050$   
 $S = 1.04$   
 3156 reflections  
 219 parameters  
 0 restraints  
 Primary atom site location: structure-invariant  
 direct methods

Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier  
 map  
 Hydrogen site location: difference Fourier map  
 H atoms treated by a mixture of independent  
 and constrained refinement  
 $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0229P)^2 + 0.7894P]$   
 where  $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$   
 $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\text{max}} = 0.001$   
 $\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 0.43 \text{ e } \text{Å}^{-3}$   
 $\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.31 \text{ e } \text{Å}^{-3}$

*Special details*

**Geometry.** All s.u.'s (except the s.u. in the dihedral angle between two l.s. planes) are estimated using the full covariance matrix. The cell s.u.'s are taken into account individually in the estimation of s.u.'s in distances, angles and torsion angles; correlations between s.u.'s in cell parameters are only used when they are defined by crystal symmetry. An approximate (isotropic) treatment of cell s.u.'s is used for estimating s.u.'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  $F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)$  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. The isotropic displacement parameters for the hydrogen atoms involved in hydrogenbonds are refined freely. All other hydrogen atoms are refined against the atoms to which they are bonded.

*Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{Å}^2$ )*

	$x$	$y$	$z$	$U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$
H6	0.611 (3)	0.307 (2)	0.195 (3)	0.041 (8)*
O5	0.50649 (17)	0.44777 (11)	0.25644 (13)	0.0201 (3)
N1	0.5396 (2)	0.29814 (12)	0.11977 (16)	0.0152 (3)
C12	0.4282 (2)	0.45501 (15)	0.15172 (18)	0.0160 (4)
C11	0.5549 (2)	0.22016 (16)	0.05849 (19)	0.0200 (4)
H5	0.637 (3)	0.1735 (18)	0.102 (2)	0.024*
C8	0.3294 (2)	0.36207 (16)	-0.04572 (18)	0.0173 (4)
H2	0.263 (3)	0.4122 (18)	-0.076 (2)	0.021*
C10	0.4555 (3)	0.20854 (17)	-0.0595 (2)	0.0223 (5)
H4	0.468 (3)	0.156 (2)	-0.099 (2)	0.027*
C7	0.4298 (2)	0.37017 (14)	0.07151 (17)	0.0145 (4)
C9	0.3417 (3)	0.28035 (17)	-0.11190 (19)	0.0217 (4)
H3	0.274 (3)	0.2759 (19)	-0.195 (2)	0.026*
C13	0.3272 (3)	0.54328 (17)	0.0970 (2)	0.0232 (5)
H9	0.351 (3)	0.595 (2)	0.152 (2)	0.028*
H7	0.340 (3)	0.5618 (19)	0.027 (2)	0.028*
H8	0.222 (3)	0.5245 (19)	0.076 (2)	0.028*
H1	0.663 (4)	0.511 (2)	0.426 (3)	0.050 (10)*
Br1	0.92699 (2)	0.416206 (15)	0.738904 (17)	0.01764 (6)
Br2	0.98903 (2)	0.811177 (15)	0.427719 (17)	0.01869 (6)

O1	1.19471 (16)	0.56928 (11)	0.79086 (12)	0.0180 (3)
O2	1.22536 (16)	0.73058 (10)	0.67034 (12)	0.0186 (3)
O3	0.73311 (16)	0.64428 (11)	0.37219 (12)	0.0198 (3)
C5	0.9790 (2)	0.69726 (14)	0.51628 (17)	0.0150 (4)
O4	0.70848 (17)	0.48853 (11)	0.48976 (14)	0.0197 (3)
C1	0.8359 (2)	0.54445 (15)	0.54043 (18)	0.0152 (4)
C6	0.8462 (2)	0.63450 (15)	0.46801 (17)	0.0149 (4)
C4	1.1029 (2)	0.67882 (14)	0.62391 (18)	0.0139 (4)
C3	1.0879 (2)	0.58650 (14)	0.69581 (17)	0.0143 (4)
C2	0.9474 (2)	0.52459 (14)	0.64757 (17)	0.0145 (4)

*Atomic displacement parameters (Å<sup>2</sup>)*

	$U^{11}$	$U^{22}$	$U^{33}$	$U^{12}$	$U^{13}$	$U^{23}$
O5	0.0225 (8)	0.0205 (7)	0.0161 (7)	-0.0024 (6)	0.0059 (6)	-0.0021 (6)
N1	0.0126 (8)	0.0165 (8)	0.0135 (8)	0.0001 (6)	0.0014 (7)	0.0008 (7)
C12	0.0157 (10)	0.0161 (10)	0.0184 (10)	-0.0023 (7)	0.0088 (8)	0.0005 (8)
C11	0.0178 (10)	0.0179 (10)	0.0219 (11)	0.0044 (8)	0.0048 (9)	0.0002 (8)
C8	0.0129 (10)	0.0206 (10)	0.0158 (10)	0.0007 (8)	0.0024 (8)	0.0035 (8)
C10	0.0277 (12)	0.0212 (11)	0.0185 (11)	0.0005 (9)	0.0093 (9)	-0.0056 (9)
C7	0.0138 (9)	0.0143 (9)	0.0158 (10)	-0.0004 (7)	0.0062 (8)	0.0011 (8)
C9	0.0242 (11)	0.0246 (11)	0.0137 (10)	-0.0027 (9)	0.0045 (9)	-0.0002 (8)
C13	0.0271 (12)	0.0209 (11)	0.0249 (12)	0.0057 (9)	0.0135 (10)	0.0023 (9)
Br1	0.01649 (11)	0.01824 (11)	0.01617 (11)	-0.00241 (7)	0.00395 (8)	0.00493 (7)
Br2	0.02145 (12)	0.01616 (11)	0.01540 (11)	-0.00364 (7)	0.00360 (9)	0.00339 (7)
O1	0.0164 (7)	0.0188 (7)	0.0144 (7)	-0.0007 (5)	0.0011 (6)	0.0018 (6)
O2	0.0172 (7)	0.0158 (7)	0.0185 (7)	-0.0026 (5)	0.0020 (6)	0.0016 (6)
O3	0.0182 (7)	0.0229 (8)	0.0137 (7)	-0.0020 (6)	0.0008 (6)	0.0032 (6)
C5	0.0184 (10)	0.0128 (9)	0.0129 (9)	-0.0001 (7)	0.0051 (8)	0.0021 (7)
O4	0.0168 (8)	0.0208 (8)	0.0154 (7)	-0.0058 (6)	-0.0008 (6)	0.0026 (6)
C1	0.0155 (10)	0.0153 (9)	0.0154 (10)	-0.0005 (7)	0.0065 (8)	-0.0014 (8)
C6	0.0156 (10)	0.0165 (10)	0.0127 (9)	0.0016 (7)	0.0057 (8)	0.0005 (8)
C4	0.0147 (10)	0.0122 (9)	0.0152 (10)	0.0003 (7)	0.0061 (8)	-0.0013 (7)
C3	0.0164 (10)	0.0136 (9)	0.0145 (10)	0.0013 (7)	0.0077 (8)	-0.0015 (7)
C2	0.0167 (10)	0.0130 (9)	0.0151 (9)	-0.0001 (7)	0.0075 (8)	0.0012 (7)

*Geometric parameters (Å, °)*

O5—C12	1.209 (2)	C13—H7	0.94 (3)
N1—C11	1.323 (3)	C13—H8	0.93 (3)
N1—C7	1.353 (2)	Br1—C2	1.8826 (19)
N1—H6	0.91 (3)	Br2—C5	1.8922 (19)
C12—C13	1.491 (3)	O1—C3	1.221 (2)
C12—C7	1.504 (3)	O2—C4	1.253 (2)
C11—C10	1.390 (3)	O3—C6	1.239 (2)
C11—H5	0.96 (3)	C5—C4	1.392 (3)
C8—C7	1.381 (3)	C5—C6	1.407 (3)
C8—C9	1.390 (3)	O4—C1	1.322 (2)

C8—H2	0.89 (2)	O4—H1	0.79 (3)
C10—C9	1.381 (3)	C1—C2	1.344 (3)
C10—H4	0.88 (3)	C1—C6	1.520 (3)
C9—H3	0.97 (3)	C4—C3	1.552 (3)
C13—H9	0.93 (3)	C3—C2	1.451 (3)
C11—N1—C7	122.38 (18)	H9—C13—H7	112 (2)
C11—N1—H6	119.2 (18)	C12—C13—H8	107.8 (16)
C7—N1—H6	118.2 (18)	H9—C13—H8	110 (2)
O5—C12—C13	123.61 (19)	H7—C13—H8	107 (2)
O5—C12—C7	118.77 (18)	C4—C5—C6	123.42 (18)
C13—C12—C7	117.62 (18)	C4—C5—Br2	119.00 (14)
N1—C11—C10	120.53 (19)	C6—C5—Br2	117.57 (14)
N1—C11—H5	115.3 (15)	C1—O4—H1	107 (2)
C10—C11—H5	124.2 (15)	O4—C1—C2	123.31 (19)
C7—C8—C9	119.83 (19)	O4—C1—C6	114.51 (17)
C7—C8—H2	117.2 (16)	C2—C1—C6	122.18 (17)
C9—C8—H2	122.9 (16)	O3—C6—C5	127.49 (19)
C9—C10—C11	118.8 (2)	O3—C6—C1	114.86 (17)
C9—C10—H4	122.0 (16)	C5—C6—C1	117.65 (17)
C11—C10—H4	119.1 (16)	O2—C4—C5	126.44 (18)
N1—C7—C8	119.03 (18)	O2—C4—C3	116.07 (17)
N1—C7—C12	116.30 (17)	C5—C4—C3	117.48 (17)
C8—C7—C12	124.67 (18)	O1—C3—C2	122.78 (18)
C10—C9—C8	119.39 (19)	O1—C3—C4	118.58 (17)
C10—C9—H3	120.6 (15)	C2—C3—C4	118.64 (17)
C8—C9—H3	119.9 (15)	C1—C2—C3	120.51 (18)
C12—C13—H9	109.4 (16)	C1—C2—Br1	121.41 (15)
C12—C13—H7	110.4 (16)	C3—C2—Br1	118.08 (14)

*Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °)*

<i>D</i> —H $\cdots$ <i>A</i>	<i>D</i> —H	H $\cdots$ <i>A</i>	<i>D</i> $\cdots$ <i>A</i>	<i>D</i> —H $\cdots$ <i>A</i>
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