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## 4-Chloroanilinium perchlorate–18-crown-16 (1/1)

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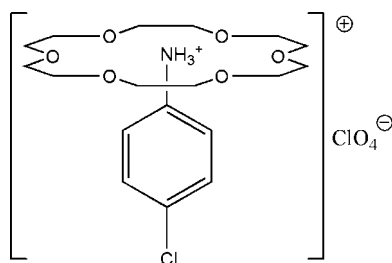
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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study;  $T = 293$  K; mean  $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.003$  Å;  $R$  factor = 0.045;  $wR$  factor = 0.114; data-to-parameter ratio = 18.2.

In the title compound,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_7\text{ClN}^+\cdot\text{ClO}_4^-\cdot\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{24}\text{O}_6$ , the cation forms a 1:1 complex with the crown ether, *viz.* [ $\text{C}_6\text{H}_7\text{ClN}-(18\text{-crown-6})$ ] $^+$ , in which the  $-\text{NH}_3^+$  unit nests in the crown and interacts with it through bifurcated  $\text{N}-\text{H}\cdots\text{O}$  hydrogen bonding. All constituents of the structure have crystallographically imposed mirror symmetry except for the H atoms of the  $-\text{NH}_3^+$  group which are disordered across the mirror.

## Related literature

The title compound was synthesized as part of a study aimed at finding new ferroelectric materials. For general background to ferroelectric compounds, see: Fu *et al.* (2009); Ye *et al.* (2006); Zhang, Xiong *et al.* (2008); Zhang, Ye *et al.* (2010). For background to crown ether/ammonium ion complexes, see: Fender *et al.* (2002); Kryatova *et al.* (2004).



## Experimental

## Crystal data

$\text{C}_6\text{H}_7\text{ClN}^+\cdot\text{ClO}_4^-\cdot\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{24}\text{O}_6$   
 $M_r = 492.34$

Orthorhombic,  $Pnma$   
 $a = 15.726$  (3) Å

$b = 11.525$  (2) Å  
 $c = 12.896$  (3) Å  
 $V = 2337.3$  (8) Å<sup>3</sup>  
 $Z = 4$

Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation  
 $\mu = 0.33$  mm<sup>-1</sup>  
 $T = 293$  K  
 $0.35 \times 0.32 \times 0.28$  mm

## Data collection

Rigaku SCXmini diffractometer  
Absorption correction: multi-scan  
(*CrystalClear*; Rigaku, 2005)  
 $T_{\min} = 0.891$ ,  $T_{\max} = 0.912$

23203 measured reflections  
2820 independent reflections  
2231 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$   
 $R_{\text{int}} = 0.048$

## Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.045$   
 $wR(F^2) = 0.114$   
 $S = 1.08$   
2820 reflections

155 parameters  
H-atom parameters constrained  
 $\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.25$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>  
 $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.36$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>

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

$D-\text{H}\cdots A$	$D-\text{H}$	$\text{H}\cdots A$	$D\cdots A$	$D-\text{H}\cdots A$
$\text{N1}-\text{H1A}\cdots\text{O4}$	0.89	2.14	2.896 (3)	142
$\text{N1}-\text{H1A}\cdots\text{O3}^i$	0.89	2.21	2.9311 (17)	138
$\text{N1}-\text{H1B}\cdots\text{O2}^i$	0.89	2.14	2.8952 (18)	143
$\text{N1}-\text{H1B}\cdots\text{O1}$	0.89	2.18	2.870 (3)	134
$\text{N1}-\text{H1C}\cdots\text{O2}$	0.89	2.15	2.8952 (18)	140
$\text{N1}-\text{H1C}\cdots\text{O3}$	0.89	2.20	2.9311 (17)	139

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

Data collection: *CrystalClear* (Rigaku, 2005); 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: *SHELXTL* (Sheldrick, 2008); software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXL97*.

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Supplementary data and figures for this paper are available from the IUCr electronic archives (Reference: MW2036).

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## supporting information

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**4-Chloroanilinium perchlorate–18-crown-16 (1/1)****Chun-Hua Yu****S1. Comment**

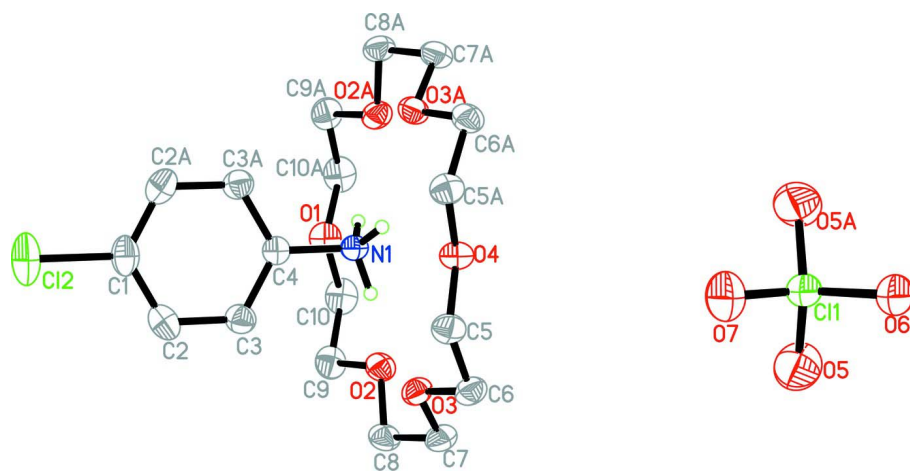
We synthesized the title compound, (I), with the aim of finding new ferroelectric materials (Fu *et al.*, 2009; Ye *et al.*, 2006; Zhang, Xiong *et al.*, 2008; Zhang, Ye *et al.*, 2010). There is currently a significant interest in crown ethers because of their ability to form noncovalent, hydrogen bonding complexes with ammonium cations both in the solid state and in solution (Fender *et al.*, 2002; Kryatova *et al.*, 2004). In the crystal, the *p*-chloroanilium cations and 18-crown-6 molecules are associated *via* hydrogen bonding with the  $-\text{NH}_3^+$  group forming bifurcated hydrogen bonds with all six O atoms of the crown ether molecule (Figure 1, Table 1). Despite the disorder in the  $-\text{NH}_3^+$  group, it is clear that in each orientation the cation forms three bifurcated hydrogen bonds.

**S2. Experimental**

*p*-chloroaniline (1.28 g, 10 mmol) was dissolved in *N,N*-dimethyl formamide(DMF) (10 ml) to which an aqueous solution of perchloric acid was dropped slowly with stirring until the pH of the solution was *ca* 7. 18-crown-6 (2.64 g 10 mmol) was added to the solution and more DMF was added until the initial precipitate dissolved. The solution was filtered to a clean beaker and massive crystals of (I) were obtained *via* slow evaporation of the DMF solution at room temperature over several weeks.

**S3. Refinement**

H atoms attached to C were placed in calculated positions (C—H = 0.93 Å for  $Csp^2$  atoms and 0.97 Å for  $Csp^3$  atoms) while those attached to N were placed in positions derived from a difference map and the N—H distances adjusted to 0.89 Å. All were included as riding contributions with  $U_{\text{iso}}$  values tied to those of the attached atoms ( $U_{\text{iso}} = 1.2U_{\text{eq}}(Csp^2/N)$  and  $1.5U_{\text{eq}}(Csp^3)$ ).



**Figure 1**

Perspective view of (I), showing the atom-numbering scheme. Displacement ellipsoids are drawn at the 30% probability level.

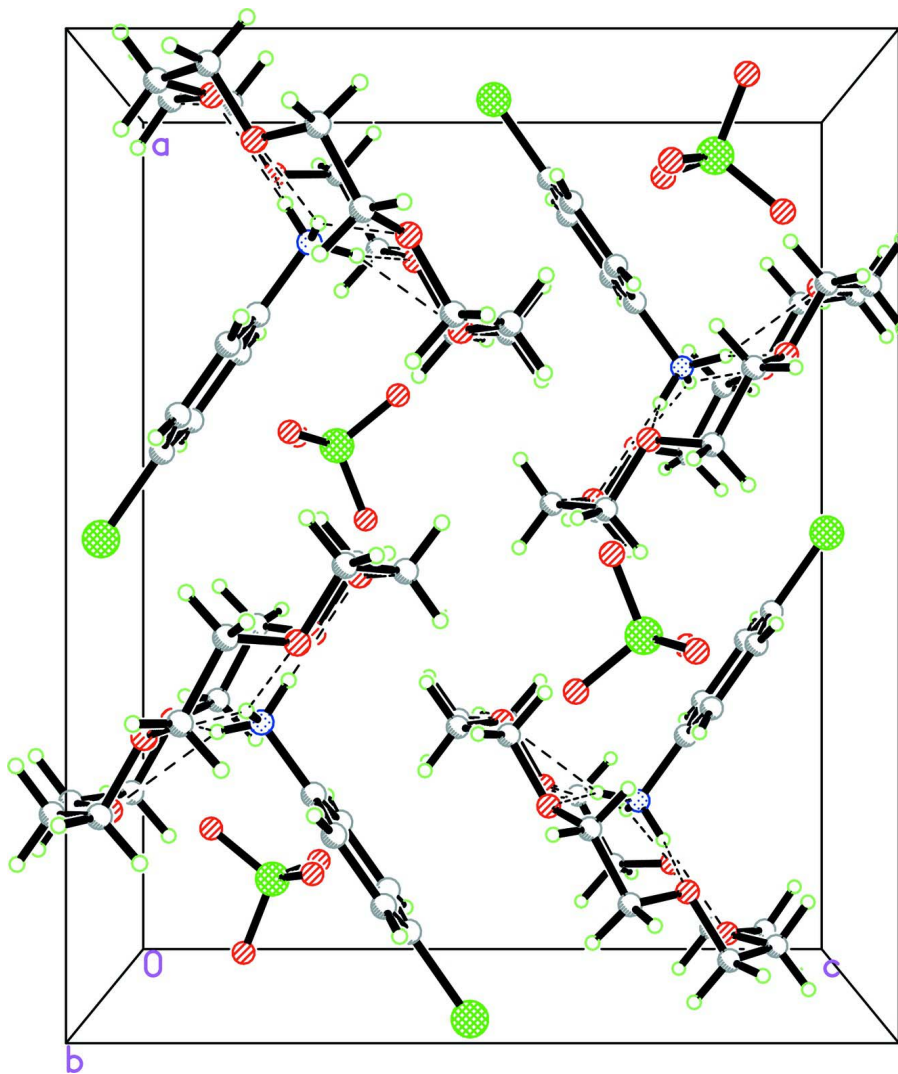


Figure 2

A view of the packing of the title compound down the *b* axis. Dashed lines indicate hydrogen bonds.

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Hall symbol: -P 2ac 2n

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$V = 2337.3$  (8) Å<sup>3</sup>

$Z = 4$

$F(000) = 1040$

$D_x = 1.399$  Mg m<sup>-3</sup>

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

Cell parameters from 2820 reflections

$\theta = 3.0$ – $27.5^\circ$

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$T = 293$  K

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Graphite monochromator	2231 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
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Absorption correction: multi-scan ( <i>CrystalClear</i> ; Rigaku, 2005)	$\theta_{\text{max}} = 27.5^\circ$ , $\theta_{\text{min}} = 3.0^\circ$
$T_{\text{min}} = 0.891$ , $T_{\text{max}} = 0.912$	$h = -20 \rightarrow 20$
	$k = -14 \rightarrow 14$
	$l = -16 \rightarrow 16$

*Refinement*

Refinement on $F^2$	Hydrogen site location: inferred from neighbouring sites
Least-squares matrix: full	H-atom parameters constrained
$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.045$	$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0418P)^2 + 0.9195P]$
$wR(F^2) = 0.114$	where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
$S = 1.08$	$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\text{max}} = 0.001$
2820 reflections	$\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 0.25 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$
155 parameters	$\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.36 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$
0 restraints	Extinction correction: <i>SHELXL97</i> (Sheldrick, 2008), $F_c^* = kFc[1 + 0.001x \text{Fc}^2 \lambda^3 / \sin(2\theta)]^{-1/4}$
Primary atom site location: structure-invariant direct methods	Extinction coefficient: 0.0159 (11)
Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier 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.

**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.

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

	$x$	$y$	$z$	$U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$	Occ. (<1)
C1	0.91237 (18)	0.2500	0.5933 (2)	0.0575 (8)	
C2	0.87729 (13)	0.1459 (2)	0.62262 (16)	0.0587 (5)	
H2	0.9016	0.0763	0.6014	0.070*	
C3	0.80513 (12)	0.14605 (17)	0.68421 (15)	0.0500 (5)	
H3	0.7808	0.0764	0.7052	0.060*	
C4	0.76968 (15)	0.2500	0.71422 (17)	0.0378 (5)	
C5	0.53619 (13)	0.14754 (16)	0.59540 (14)	0.0496 (5)	
H5A	0.5865	0.1403	0.5524	0.059*	
H5B	0.4868	0.1508	0.5504	0.059*	
C6	0.52948 (12)	0.04615 (17)	0.66648 (16)	0.0512 (5)	
H6A	0.4820	0.0570	0.7135	0.061*	
H6B	0.5194	-0.0239	0.6266	0.061*	
C7	0.59921 (13)	-0.04958 (17)	0.80440 (16)	0.0544 (5)	
H7A	0.5829	-0.1238	0.7751	0.065*	
H7B	0.5557	-0.0262	0.8535	0.065*	

C8	0.68241 (13)	-0.06071 (17)	0.85833 (16)	0.0545 (5)	
H8A	0.6801	-0.1240	0.9079	0.065*	
H8B	0.7269	-0.0775	0.8084	0.065*	
C9	0.77936 (13)	0.0436 (2)	0.96481 (17)	0.0600 (6)	
H9A	0.8262	0.0451	0.9158	0.072*	
H9B	0.7837	-0.0269	1.0056	0.072*	
C10	0.78372 (15)	0.1468 (2)	1.03395 (16)	0.0644 (6)	
H10A	0.7344	0.1485	1.0791	0.077*	
H10B	0.8342	0.1423	1.0770	0.077*	
C11	0.10405 (4)	0.2500	0.20475 (5)	0.0469 (2)	
C12	1.00340 (6)	0.2500	0.51600 (8)	0.0976 (4)	
N1	0.69437 (12)	0.2500	0.78054 (15)	0.0387 (5)	
H1A	0.6518	0.2853	0.7478	0.046*	0.50
H1B	0.7058	0.2875	0.8392	0.046*	0.50
H1C	0.6796	0.1772	0.7949	0.046*	0.50
O1	0.78626 (12)	0.2500	0.97279 (13)	0.0544 (5)	
O2	0.70060 (8)	0.04546 (12)	0.91065 (11)	0.0527 (4)	
O3	0.60630 (8)	0.03499 (11)	0.72394 (10)	0.0478 (3)	
O4	0.54115 (12)	0.2500	0.65597 (13)	0.0455 (4)	
O5	0.11758 (11)	0.14801 (15)	0.26549 (15)	0.0858 (6)	
O6	0.01894 (12)	0.2500	0.16435 (17)	0.0607 (6)	
O7	0.16221 (14)	0.2500	0.11884 (19)	0.0741 (6)	

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

	$U^{11}$	$U^{22}$	$U^{33}$	$U^{12}$	$U^{13}$	$U^{23}$
C1	0.0407 (14)	0.090 (2)	0.0422 (15)	0.000	-0.0008 (12)	0.000
C2	0.0585 (12)	0.0672 (14)	0.0505 (11)	0.0166 (10)	0.0025 (10)	-0.0023 (10)
C3	0.0553 (11)	0.0468 (11)	0.0479 (10)	0.0032 (9)	0.0018 (9)	0.0011 (8)
C4	0.0391 (12)	0.0444 (13)	0.0300 (11)	0.000	-0.0071 (10)	0.000
C5	0.0565 (11)	0.0473 (11)	0.0449 (10)	-0.0017 (9)	-0.0074 (9)	-0.0085 (8)
C6	0.0509 (11)	0.0433 (11)	0.0593 (12)	-0.0099 (8)	-0.0062 (9)	-0.0063 (9)
C7	0.0625 (12)	0.0391 (10)	0.0615 (12)	-0.0065 (9)	0.0045 (10)	0.0074 (9)
C8	0.0642 (12)	0.0384 (10)	0.0608 (12)	0.0091 (9)	0.0062 (10)	0.0101 (9)
C9	0.0535 (12)	0.0660 (14)	0.0605 (13)	0.0097 (10)	-0.0093 (10)	0.0190 (11)
C10	0.0638 (13)	0.0852 (17)	0.0443 (11)	0.0034 (12)	-0.0125 (10)	0.0145 (11)
C11	0.0432 (3)	0.0385 (3)	0.0590 (4)	0.000	-0.0009 (3)	0.000
C12	0.0602 (5)	0.1460 (10)	0.0868 (7)	0.000	0.0281 (5)	0.000
N1	0.0406 (11)	0.0353 (10)	0.0402 (11)	0.000	-0.0047 (9)	0.000
O1	0.0623 (12)	0.0639 (13)	0.0371 (10)	0.000	-0.0077 (9)	0.000
O2	0.0505 (8)	0.0460 (8)	0.0615 (8)	0.0089 (6)	-0.0078 (6)	0.0064 (6)
O3	0.0491 (7)	0.0395 (7)	0.0549 (8)	-0.0047 (5)	-0.0017 (6)	0.0056 (6)
O4	0.0579 (11)	0.0386 (10)	0.0402 (9)	0.000	-0.0079 (8)	0.000
O5	0.0794 (11)	0.0744 (12)	0.1034 (13)	0.0009 (9)	-0.0148 (10)	0.0373 (10)
O6	0.0463 (11)	0.0551 (12)	0.0807 (14)	0.000	-0.0060 (10)	0.000
O7	0.0584 (13)	0.0833 (16)	0.0807 (15)	0.000	0.0156 (12)	0.000

## Geometric parameters (Å, °)

C1—C2	1.374 (3)	C8—O2	1.426 (2)
C1—C2 <sup>i</sup>	1.374 (3)	C8—H8A	0.9700
C1—C12	1.744 (3)	C8—H8B	0.9700
C2—C3	1.385 (3)	C9—O2	1.422 (2)
C2—H2	0.9300	C9—C10	1.489 (3)
C3—C4	1.377 (2)	C9—H9A	0.9700
C3—H3	0.9300	C9—H9B	0.9700
C4—C3 <sup>i</sup>	1.377 (2)	C10—O1	1.427 (2)
C4—N1	1.461 (3)	C10—H10A	0.9700
C5—O4	1.418 (2)	C10—H10B	0.9700
C5—C6	1.489 (3)	C11—O5	1.4284 (16)
C5—H5A	0.9700	C11—O5 <sup>i</sup>	1.4284 (16)
C5—H5B	0.9700	C11—O6	1.436 (2)
C6—O3	1.423 (2)	C11—O7	1.437 (2)
C6—H6A	0.9700	N1—H1A	0.8896
C6—H6B	0.9700	N1—H1B	0.8899
C7—O3	1.428 (2)	N1—H1C	0.8901
C7—C8	1.487 (3)	O1—C10 <sup>i</sup>	1.427 (2)
C7—H7A	0.9700	O4—C5 <sup>i</sup>	1.418 (2)
C7—H7B	0.9700		
C2—C1—C2 <sup>i</sup>	121.7 (3)	C7—C8—H8A	109.9
C2—C1—C12	119.15 (13)	O2—C8—H8B	109.9
C2 <sup>i</sup> —C1—C12	119.15 (13)	C7—C8—H8B	109.9
C1—C2—C3	119.1 (2)	H8A—C8—H8B	108.3
C1—C2—H2	120.5	O2—C9—C10	108.79 (17)
C3—C2—H2	120.5	O2—C9—H9A	109.9
C4—C3—C2	119.59 (19)	C10—C9—H9A	109.9
C4—C3—H3	120.2	O2—C9—H9B	109.9
C2—C3—H3	120.2	C10—C9—H9B	109.9
C3 <sup>i</sup> —C4—C3	120.9 (2)	H9A—C9—H9B	108.3
C3 <sup>i</sup> —C4—N1	119.52 (12)	O1—C10—C9	109.65 (16)
C3—C4—N1	119.52 (12)	O1—C10—H10A	109.7
O4—C5—C6	108.56 (15)	C9—C10—H10A	109.7
O4—C5—H5A	110.0	O1—C10—H10B	109.7
C6—C5—H5A	110.0	C9—C10—H10B	109.7
O4—C5—H5B	110.0	H10A—C10—H10B	108.2
C6—C5—H5B	110.0	O5—C11—O5 <sup>i</sup>	110.74 (17)
H5A—C5—H5B	108.4	O5—C11—O6	109.74 (9)
O3—C6—C5	109.35 (15)	O5 <sup>i</sup> —C11—O6	109.74 (9)
O3—C6—H6A	109.8	O5—C11—O7	109.15 (10)
C5—C6—H6A	109.8	O5 <sup>i</sup> —C11—O7	109.15 (10)
O3—C6—H6B	109.8	O6—C11—O7	108.27 (14)
C5—C6—H6B	109.8	C4—N1—H1A	109.4
H6A—C6—H6B	108.3	C4—N1—H1B	109.5
O3—C7—C8	109.26 (15)	H1A—N1—H1B	109.5

O3—C7—H7A	109.8	C4—N1—H1C	109.5
C8—C7—H7A	109.8	H1A—N1—H1C	109.5
O3—C7—H7B	109.8	H1B—N1—H1C	109.5
C8—C7—H7B	109.8	C10—O1—C10 <sup>i</sup>	112.8 (2)
H7A—C7—H7B	108.3	C9—O2—C8	113.21 (15)
O2—C8—C7	108.89 (15)	C6—O3—C7	111.95 (14)
O2—C8—H8A	109.9	C5—O4—C5 <sup>i</sup>	112.76 (19)
C2 <sup>i</sup> —C1—C2—C3	-0.6 (4)	O2—C9—C10—O1	-65.6 (2)
C12—C1—C2—C3	179.84 (17)	C9—C10—O1—C10 <sup>i</sup>	175.35 (13)
C1—C2—C3—C4	0.4 (3)	C10—C9—O2—C8	-168.13 (16)
C2—C3—C4—C3 <sup>i</sup>	-0.3 (4)	C7—C8—O2—C9	-179.95 (16)
C2—C3—C4—N1	-179.03 (18)	C5—C6—O3—C7	171.17 (16)
O4—C5—C6—O3	-66.0 (2)	C8—C7—O3—C6	177.55 (16)
O3—C7—C8—O2	65.9 (2)	C6—C5—O4—C5 <sup>i</sup>	-172.01 (12)

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

#### Hydrogen-bond geometry ( $\text{\AA}, ^\circ$ )

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N1—H1A $\cdots$ O4	0.89	2.14	2.896 (3)	142
N1—H1A $\cdots$ O3 <sup>i</sup>	0.89	2.21	2.9311 (17)	138
N1—H1B $\cdots$ O2 <sup>i</sup>	0.89	2.14	2.8952 (18)	143
N1—H1B $\cdots$ O1	0.89	2.18	2.870 (3)	134
N1—H1C $\cdots$ O2	0.89	2.15	2.8952 (18)	140
N1—H1C $\cdots$ O3	0.89	2.20	2.9311 (17)	139

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