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# 2-Bromo-3-hydroxy-6-methylpyridine

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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; T = 298 K; mean  $\sigma$ (C–C) = 0.003 Å; R factor = 0.025; wR factor = 0.066; data-to-parameter ratio = 15.3.

In the title compound, C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>6</sub>BrNO, the Br atom is displaced from the pyridine ring mean plane by 0.0948 (3) Å, while the hydroxyl O atom and the methyl C atom are displaced by 0.0173 (19) and 0.015 (3) Å, respectively. In the crystal, molecules are linked via O-H···N hydrogen bonds, forming chains propagating along the *a*-axis direction. These chains are linked by C-H···Br hydrogen bonds, forming corrugated two-dimensional networks lying parallel to the ac plane.

### **Related literature**

3-Hydroxypyridine, the core skeleton of the title compound is an integral part of Nikkomycin Z (a potent fungicide), see: Tetsu et al. (1990). For the synthesis, see: Kjell et al. (1969).



### **Experimental**

Crystal data C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>6</sub>BrNO

 $M_r = 188.03$ 

Orthorhombic, Pbca
a = 11.4484 (19)  Å
b = 9.0914 (15) Å
c = 13.230 (2) Å
V = 1377.1 (4) Å <sup>3</sup>

#### Data collection

Bruker SMART CCD area-detector	12822 measured reflections
diffractometer	1335 independent reflections
Absorption correction: multi-scan	1115 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
(SADABS; Bruker, 2001)	$R_{\rm int} = 0.032$
$T_{\min} = 0.255, \ T_{\max} = 0.539$	

Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.025$	H atoms treated by a mixture of
$wR(F^2) = 0.066$	independent and constrained
S = 1.06	refinement
1335 reflections	$\Delta \rho_{\rm max} = 0.22 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$
87 parameters	$\Delta \rho_{\rm min} = -0.36 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$

#### Table 1

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °).

$D - H \cdot \cdot \cdot A$	$D-\mathrm{H}$	$H \cdot \cdot \cdot A$	$D \cdots A$	$D - \mathbf{H} \cdot \cdot \cdot A$
$O1-H1\cdots N1^{i}$	0.80 (3)	1.92 (3)	2.717 (3)	174 (3)
$C6-H6B\cdots Br1^{ii}$	0.96	3.04	3.993 (3)	174

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

Data collection: SMART (Bruker, 2001); cell refinement: SAINT (Bruker, 2001); data reduction: SAINT; 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: SHELXTL and X-SEED (Barbour, 2001).

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Z = 8

Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation

 $0.32 \times 0.22 \times 0.12 \text{ mm}$ 

 $\mu = 5.88 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ 

T = 298 K

# supporting information

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# S1. Comment

3-Hydroxypyridine is an integral part of Nikkomycin *Z* (NZ), a potent fungicide, insecticide, miticide, and inhibitor of fungal and insect chitin synthetase (Tetsu *et al.*, 1990). Various biaryl derivative compounds, derived originally from 3-hydroxypyridine, are PDE4 inhibitors useful for the treatment and prevention of strokes, myocardial infarction and cardiovascular inflammatory diseases and disorders. Herein we describe the crystal structure of the 2-bromo derivative of 3-hydroxy-6-methylpyridine, previously synthesized by (Kjell *et al.*, 1969).

The molecular structure of the title molecule is illustrated in Fig. 1. The bond lengths and angles are normal.

In the crystal, molecules are linked via O-H…N hydrogen bonds forming chains propagating along the a axis direction (Fig. 2 and Table 1). These chains are linked by weak C-H…Br hydrogen bonds forming corrugated two-dimensional networks lying parallel to the ac plane (Fig. 2 and Table 1).

### S2. Experimental

The title compound was synthesized following the published procedure (Kjell *et al.*, 1969). Colourless crystals suitable for X-ray diffraction analysis were obtained by slow evaporation of a solution of the title compound in ethanol [m.p. = 460–462 K].



# Figure 1

A view of the molecular structure of the title molecule, with atom labelling. Displacement ellipsoids are drawn at the 35% probability level.



### Figure 2

A view normal to the ac plane of the crystal packing of the title compound. Hydrogen bonds are shown as dashed lines (see Table 1 for details; a axis vertical; c axis horizontal).

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Crystal data	
C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>6</sub> BrNO	F(000) = 736
$M_r = 188.03$	$D_{\rm x} = 1.814 {\rm ~Mg} {\rm ~m}^{-3}$
Orthorhombic, Pbca	Mo $K\alpha$ radiation, $\lambda = 0.71073$ Å
Hall symbol: -P 2ac 2ab	Cell parameters from 4373 reflections
a = 11.4484 (19)  Å	$\theta = 3.1 - 25.7^{\circ}$
b = 9.0914 (15)  Å	$\mu = 5.88 \text{ mm}^{-1}$
c = 13.230 (2) Å	T = 298  K
V = 1377.1 (4) Å <sup>3</sup>	Needle, colorless
Z = 8	$0.32 \times 0.22 \times 0.12 \text{ mm}$

Data collection

Bruker SMART CCD area-detector diffractometer Radiation source: fine-focus sealed tube Graphite monochromator phi and $\omega$ scans Absorption correction: multi-scan ( <i>SADABS</i> ; Bruker, 2001) $T_{\min} = 0.255$ , $T_{\max} = 0.539$ <i>Refinement</i>	12822 measured reflections 1335 independent reflections 1115 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$ $R_{int} = 0.032$ $\theta_{max} = 25.9^{\circ}, \ \theta_{min} = 3.1^{\circ}$ $h = -14 \rightarrow 14$ $k = -11 \rightarrow 11$ $l = -16 \rightarrow 16$
Refinement on $F^2$ Least-squares matrix: full $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.025$ $wR(F^2) = 0.066$ S = 1.06 1335 reflections 87 parameters 0 restraints Primary atom site location: structure-invariant direct methods	Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier map Hydrogen site location: inferred from neighbouring sites H atoms treated by a mixture of independent and constrained refinement $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0376P)^2 + 0.3754P]$ where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$ $(\Delta/\sigma)_{max} = 0.001$ $\Delta\rho_{max} = 0.22$ e Å <sup>-3</sup> $\Delta\rho_{min} = -0.36$ e Å <sup>-3</sup>

### Special details

**Geometry**. Bond distances, angles etc. have been calculated using the rounded fractional coordinates. All su's are estimated from the variances of the (full) variance-covariance matrix. The cell esds are taken into account in the estimation of distances, angles and torsion angles

**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  $(Å^2)$ 

	x	У	Ζ	$U_{ m iso}$ */ $U_{ m eq}$	
Br1	0.71386 (2)	1.06988 (3)	0.63569 (2)	0.0542 (1)	
01	0.95756 (15)	0.9896 (2)	0.69349 (15)	0.0603 (7)	
N1	0.68110 (16)	0.8898 (2)	0.79970 (15)	0.0419 (6)	
C1	0.76362 (18)	0.9477 (2)	0.74339 (17)	0.0380 (6)	
C2	0.88204 (18)	0.9217 (2)	0.75492 (19)	0.0422 (7)	
C3	0.9120 (2)	0.8254 (3)	0.83193 (19)	0.0498 (8)	
C4	0.8269 (2)	0.7633 (3)	0.89095 (18)	0.0506 (8)	
C5	0.7110 (2)	0.7963 (3)	0.87433 (17)	0.0466 (8)	
C6	0.6136 (2)	0.7345 (4)	0.9362 (2)	0.0664 (10)	
H1	1.023 (3)	0.961 (3)	0.700 (2)	0.075 (10)*	
Н3	0.99010	0.80290	0.84360	0.0600*	
H4	0.84740	0.69860	0.94240	0.0610*	
H6A	0.57840	0.81170	0.97520	0.1000*	
H6B	0.64370	0.66040	0.98090	0.1000*	
H6C	0.55610	0.69160	0.89240	0.1000*	

	$U^{11}$	$U^{22}$	$U^{33}$	$U^{12}$	$U^{13}$	$U^{23}$
Br1	0.0429 (2)	0.0644 (2)	0.0552 (2)	0.0084 (1)	-0.0049 (1)	0.0091 (1)
01	0.0266 (9)	0.0798 (13)	0.0746 (13)	0.0023 (8)	0.0044 (8)	0.0172 (11)
N1	0.0281 (8)	0.0498 (10)	0.0479 (11)	-0.0018 (8)	-0.0013 (8)	-0.0035 (9)
C1	0.0286 (10)	0.0420 (12)	0.0434 (11)	0.0032 (9)	-0.0032 (9)	-0.0038 (9)
C2	0.0252 (10)	0.0493 (13)	0.0520 (13)	-0.0004 (9)	-0.0013 (9)	-0.0039 (10)
C3	0.0304 (11)	0.0610 (15)	0.0580 (14)	0.0062 (11)	-0.0076 (10)	-0.0011 (12)
C4	0.0447 (13)	0.0576 (15)	0.0496 (13)	0.0047 (12)	-0.0095 (10)	0.0038 (12)
C5	0.0395 (13)	0.0516 (14)	0.0486 (14)	-0.0036 (10)	0.0007 (10)	-0.0032 (10)
C6	0.0535 (15)	0.0822 (19)	0.0634 (17)	-0.0139 (14)	0.0056 (13)	0.0121 (15)

Atomic displacement parameters  $(Å^2)$ 

Geometric parameters (Å, °)

Br1—C1	1.894 (2)	C4—C5	1.378 (3)
O1—C2	1.338 (3)	C5—C6	1.493 (4)
O1—H1	0.80 (3)	С3—Н3	0.9300
N1—C5	1.347 (3)	C4—H4	0.9300
N1—C1	1.313 (3)	C6—H6A	0.9600
C1—C2	1.385 (3)	C6—H6B	0.9600
C2—C3	1.386 (3)	C6—H6C	0.9600
C3—C4	1.370 (3)		
C2—O1—H1	113 (2)	N1—C5—C4	119.9 (2)
C1—N1—C5	119.07 (19)	С2—С3—Н3	120.00
Br1—C1—N1	116.45 (15)	С4—С3—Н3	120.00
N1-C1-C2	125.0 (2)	C3—C4—H4	120.00
Br1—C1—C2	118.52 (16)	C5—C4—H4	120.00
01—C2—C1	119.2 (2)	C5—C6—H6A	109.00
C1—C2—C3	115.5 (2)	C5—C6—H6B	109.00
O1—C2—C3	125.3 (2)	C5—C6—H6C	110.00
C2—C3—C4	120.2 (2)	H6A—C6—H6B	109.00
C3—C4—C5	120.3 (2)	Н6А—С6—Н6С	109.00
N1—C5—C6	116.7 (2)	H6B—C6—H6C	109.00
C4—C5—C6	123.4 (2)		
C5—N1—C1—Br1	176.80 (17)	N1—C1—C2—O1	-178.9 (2)
C5—N1—C1—C2	-0.8 (3)	C1—C2—C3—C4	-0.2 (3)
C1—N1—C5—C6	179.7 (2)	O1—C2—C3—C4	179.3 (2)
C1—N1—C5—C4	0.3 (3)	C2—C3—C4—C5	-0.1 (4)
Br1-C1-C2-C3	-176.81 (17)	C3—C4—C5—C6	-179.2 (3)
Br1-C1-C2-O1	3.6 (3)	C3—C4—C5—N1	0.1 (4)
N1—C1—C2—C3	0.7 (3)		

# Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °)

D—H···A	<i>D</i> —Н	H···A	D····A	<i>D</i> —H··· <i>A</i>
O1—H1···N1 <sup>i</sup>	0.80 (3)	1.92 (3)	2.717 (3)	174 (3)
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