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5,8-Dimethoxy-3,9-dimethyl-3a,4,9,9a-tetrahydro-4,9-epoxynaphtho[2,3-d]-isoxazole

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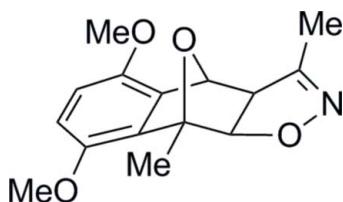
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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; $T = 147$ K; mean $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.002$ Å; R factor = 0.039; wR factor = 0.097; data-to-parameter ratio = 15.9.

The title compound, $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{17}\text{NO}_4$, is the *exo* isomer with a *syn* arrangement of the O atom in the isoxazole ring to the methyl group of the bicyclic alkene. The dihedral angle between the isoxazole ring and the benzene ring is $7.42(9)^\circ$. In the crystal, weak $\text{C}-\text{H}\cdots\text{O}$ hydrogen bonds link molecules, forming a three-dimensional network. The isoxazole O atom is an acceptor for both weak hydrogen bonds.

Related literature

For 1,3-dipolar cycloaddition reactions of symmetrical and unsymmetrical bicyclic alkenes, see: Yip *et al.* (2001); Mayo *et al.* (2001). For a related structure, see: Lough *et al.* (2014).



Experimental

Crystal data

 $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{17}\text{NO}_4$ $M_r = 275.29$

Monoclinic, $P2_1/n$
 $a = 9.0608(12)$ Å
 $b = 14.3998(17)$ Å
 $c = 10.1631(12)$ Å
 $\beta = 104.835(3)^\circ$
 $V = 1281.8(3)$ Å³

$Z = 4$
 Mo $K\alpha$ radiation
 $\mu = 0.10$ mm⁻¹
 $T = 147$ K
 $0.32 \times 0.16 \times 0.14$ mm

Data collection

Bruker Kappa APEX DUO CCD diffractometer
 Absorption correction: multi-scan (SADABS; Bruker, 2012)
 $T_{\min} = 0.660$, $T_{\max} = 0.746$

11844 measured reflections
 2937 independent reflections
 2271 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
 $R_{\text{int}} = 0.041$

Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.039$
 $wR(F^2) = 0.097$
 $S = 1.05$
 2937 reflections

185 parameters
 H-atom parameters constrained
 $\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 0.28$ e Å⁻³
 $\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.22$ e Å⁻³

Table 1

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °).

$D-\text{H}\cdots A$	$D-\text{H}$	$\text{H}\cdots A$	$D\cdots A$	$D-\text{H}\cdots A$
$\text{C1}-\text{H1A}\cdots\text{O2}^i$	1.00	2.35	3.2928 (17)	156
$\text{C14}-\text{H14C}\cdots\text{O2}^ii$	0.98	2.59	3.5340 (19)	161

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

Data collection: APEX2 (Bruker, 2012); cell refinement: SAINT (Bruker, 2012); data reduction: SAINT; program(s) used to solve structure: SHELXS97 (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: SHELXL2013 (Sheldrick, 2008); molecular graphics: PLATON (Spek, 2009); software used to prepare material for publication: SHELXTL (Sheldrick, 2008).

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S1. Comment

We have previously investigated the 1,3-dipolar cycloaddition reactions of symmetrical and unsymmetrical bicyclic alkenes (Yip *et al.*, 2001; Mayo *et al.*, 2001). When expanding this reaction with C1-substituted oxabenzonorbornadienes, the bicyclic alkene (III) reacts (see Fig. 1) with acetonitrile oxide (II) (generated *in situ*) in toluene, to give the cycloadducts (IV) and (V) as regioisomers in the ratio of 89:11 respectively (ratio was determined by ¹H NMR). The stereochemistry and regiochemistry of the major product (IV) was determined by this single-crystal X-ray analysis. Although different stereoisomers (*exo* and *endo*) could be formed, only the *exo* stereoisomer was formed with a mixture of the corresponding regioisomers. The major product (IV) obtained was found to be the product with the oxygen of the nitrile oxide *syn* to the C1-methyl group of the bicyclic alkene.

The molecular structure of the title compound is shown in Fig. 2. The dihedral angle between the isoxazole ring (C4/C5/C6/O2/N1 with an r.m.s. deviation 0.0125 Å) and the benzene ring (C8–C13) is 7.42 (9)°. In the crystal, weak C—H⋯O hydrogen bonds link molecules forming a three-dimensional network (Fig. 3). The isoxazole O atom is an acceptor for both weak hydrogen bonds. We have prepared by a similar method and carried out the structure determination of a related cycloadduct (Lough *et al.*, 2014)

S2. Experimental

A solution of nitroethane (I) (130.0 mg, 1.733 mmol) in toluene (2 ml) was added to a flame-dried flask containing bicyclic alkene (II) (140 mg, 0.642 mmol), (BOC)₂O (233.7 mg, 1.07 mmol), DMAP (9.4 mg, 0.077 mmol) and toluene (6 ml) *via* a cannula over 10 minutes. The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for 18 h. The solvent was removed by rotary evaporation, and the crude product was purified by column chromatography (EtOAc:hexanes = 1:9 to 8:2) followed by recrystallization in methanol to give cycloadduct (IV) in 70% yield. Recrystallization of a solution of the title compound in MeOH provided crystals suitable for X-ray diffraction.

S3. Refinement

Hydrogen atoms were placed in calculated positions with C—H distances of 0.95–1.00 Å and included in the refinement in a riding-model approximation with $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H}) = 1.2U_{\text{eq}}(\text{C})$ or $1.5U_{\text{eq}}(\text{C}_{\text{methyl}})$.

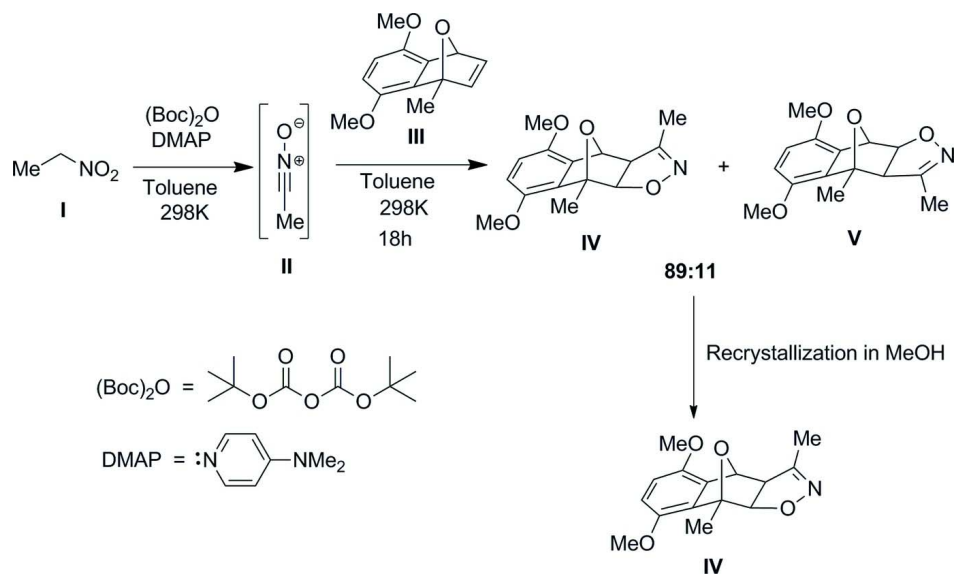


Figure 1

The reaction scheme.

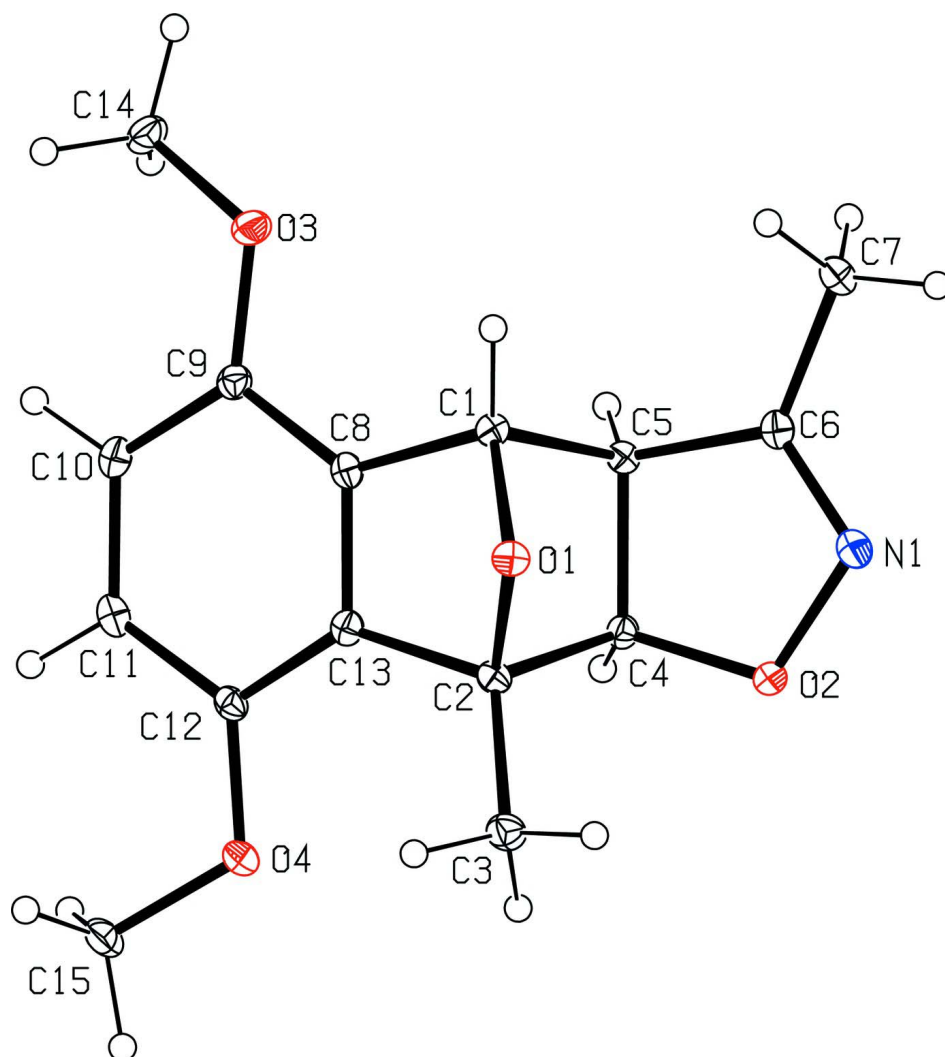


Figure 2

The molecular structure of the title compound showing 30% probability ellipsoids.

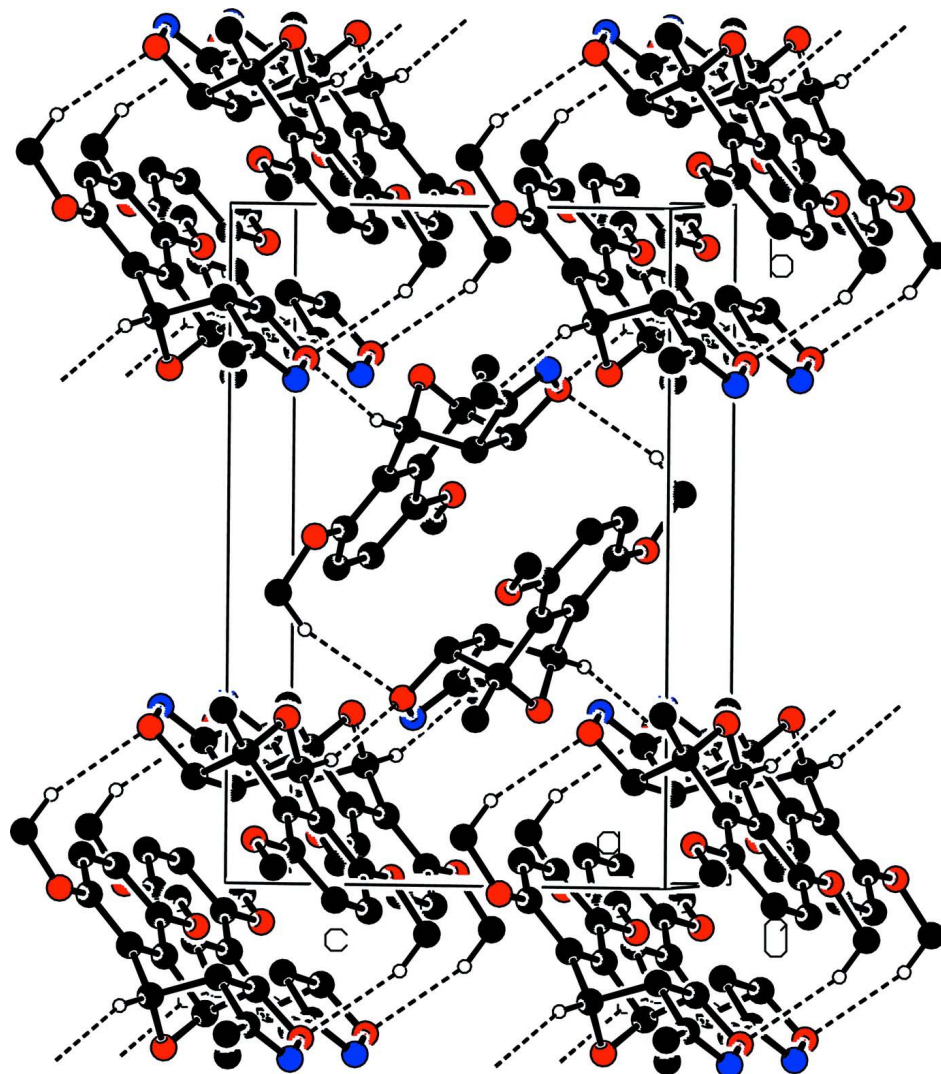


Figure 3

Part of the crystal structure with weak hydrogen bonds shown as dashed lines.

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 $h = -11 \rightarrow 11$
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Refinement on F^2
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Hydrogen site location: inferred from
neighbouring sites
H-atom parameters constrained
 $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0459P)^2 + 0.2574P]$
where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
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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 (\AA^2)

	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>	$U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$
O1	0.50314 (11)	0.25637 (7)	0.36251 (9)	0.0158 (2)
O2	0.59142 (11)	0.27152 (7)	0.66027 (10)	0.0199 (2)
O3	0.27204 (11)	0.49102 (7)	0.15675 (10)	0.0217 (2)
O4	0.89378 (11)	0.43196 (7)	0.37701 (10)	0.0205 (2)
N1	0.44029 (14)	0.24274 (9)	0.65909 (12)	0.0200 (3)
C1	0.39743 (15)	0.33293 (10)	0.34640 (13)	0.0147 (3)
H1A	0.2909	0.3190	0.2927	0.018*
C2	0.63942 (15)	0.30606 (9)	0.43544 (13)	0.0147 (3)
C3	0.77661 (17)	0.24375 (10)	0.46760 (15)	0.0201 (3)
H3A	0.8081	0.2309	0.3841	0.030*
H3B	0.7510	0.1853	0.5060	0.030*
H3C	0.8603	0.2743	0.5338	0.030*
C4	0.58557 (15)	0.34340 (10)	0.55933 (13)	0.0148 (3)
H4A	0.6418	0.4007	0.5992	0.018*
C5	0.41454 (15)	0.36162 (10)	0.49764 (13)	0.0141 (3)
H5A	0.3833	0.4272	0.5086	0.017*
C6	0.34470 (16)	0.29242 (10)	0.57416 (14)	0.0162 (3)
C7	0.17703 (16)	0.27995 (11)	0.55319 (15)	0.0203 (3)
H7A	0.1580	0.2282	0.6092	0.030*
H7B	0.1300	0.2665	0.4570	0.030*
H7C	0.1328	0.3369	0.5795	0.030*
C8	0.47998 (16)	0.40647 (10)	0.28645 (13)	0.0145 (3)

C9	0.42749 (16)	0.48105 (10)	0.20091 (14)	0.0163 (3)
C10	0.53678 (17)	0.53792 (10)	0.16776 (14)	0.0178 (3)
H10A	0.5052	0.5885	0.1070	0.021*
C11	0.69228 (17)	0.52157 (10)	0.22265 (14)	0.0182 (3)
H11A	0.7647	0.5609	0.1976	0.022*
C12	0.74383 (16)	0.44869 (10)	0.31354 (13)	0.0153 (3)
C13	0.63422 (15)	0.39029 (9)	0.34279 (13)	0.0144 (3)
C14	0.21634 (18)	0.57380 (10)	0.08270 (15)	0.0220 (3)
H14A	0.1046	0.5751	0.0622	0.033*
H14B	0.2481	0.5748	-0.0025	0.033*
H14C	0.2581	0.6282	0.1376	0.033*
C15	1.00530 (17)	0.47219 (11)	0.31725 (16)	0.0227 (3)
H15A	1.1070	0.4499	0.3652	0.034*
H15B	1.0019	0.5400	0.3244	0.034*
H15C	0.9835	0.4543	0.2212	0.034*

Atomic displacement parameters (Å²)

	U^{11}	U^{22}	U^{33}	U^{12}	U^{13}	U^{23}
O1	0.0159 (5)	0.0130 (5)	0.0180 (5)	-0.0010 (4)	0.0035 (4)	-0.0021 (4)
O2	0.0152 (5)	0.0255 (6)	0.0188 (5)	0.0024 (4)	0.0042 (4)	0.0073 (4)
O3	0.0169 (5)	0.0212 (6)	0.0255 (5)	0.0018 (4)	0.0029 (4)	0.0078 (4)
O4	0.0145 (5)	0.0259 (6)	0.0217 (5)	-0.0024 (4)	0.0057 (4)	0.0032 (4)
N1	0.0188 (6)	0.0216 (7)	0.0211 (6)	-0.0009 (5)	0.0077 (5)	0.0020 (5)
C1	0.0149 (7)	0.0139 (7)	0.0149 (6)	-0.0003 (5)	0.0031 (5)	-0.0003 (5)
C2	0.0140 (7)	0.0143 (7)	0.0161 (6)	-0.0012 (5)	0.0044 (5)	-0.0019 (5)
C3	0.0192 (8)	0.0183 (7)	0.0240 (7)	0.0035 (6)	0.0077 (6)	0.0010 (6)
C4	0.0161 (7)	0.0142 (7)	0.0144 (6)	0.0005 (5)	0.0043 (5)	0.0010 (5)
C5	0.0140 (7)	0.0133 (7)	0.0153 (6)	-0.0003 (5)	0.0044 (5)	-0.0005 (5)
C6	0.0197 (7)	0.0140 (7)	0.0159 (6)	-0.0006 (6)	0.0065 (5)	-0.0013 (5)
C7	0.0180 (8)	0.0220 (8)	0.0228 (7)	-0.0016 (6)	0.0088 (6)	0.0004 (6)
C8	0.0171 (7)	0.0139 (7)	0.0135 (6)	-0.0013 (5)	0.0055 (5)	-0.0025 (5)
C9	0.0171 (7)	0.0177 (7)	0.0140 (6)	0.0011 (6)	0.0035 (5)	-0.0008 (5)
C10	0.0241 (8)	0.0148 (7)	0.0149 (6)	0.0005 (6)	0.0058 (6)	0.0009 (5)
C11	0.0219 (8)	0.0173 (7)	0.0176 (7)	-0.0046 (6)	0.0092 (6)	-0.0027 (6)
C12	0.0151 (7)	0.0175 (7)	0.0144 (6)	-0.0007 (6)	0.0060 (5)	-0.0031 (5)
C13	0.0178 (7)	0.0133 (7)	0.0127 (6)	0.0007 (5)	0.0048 (5)	-0.0026 (5)
C14	0.0232 (8)	0.0204 (8)	0.0209 (7)	0.0060 (6)	0.0029 (6)	0.0048 (6)
C15	0.0165 (7)	0.0279 (8)	0.0256 (8)	-0.0038 (6)	0.0091 (6)	0.0005 (6)

Geometric parameters (Å, °)

O1—C1	1.4420 (16)	C5—C6	1.5001 (19)
O1—C2	1.4550 (16)	C5—H5A	1.0000
O2—N1	1.4278 (16)	C6—C7	1.490 (2)
O2—C4	1.4487 (16)	C7—H7A	0.9800
O3—C9	1.3719 (17)	C7—H7B	0.9800
O3—C14	1.4309 (17)	C7—H7C	0.9800

O4—C12	1.3680 (17)	C8—C9	1.387 (2)
O4—C15	1.4282 (17)	C8—C13	1.3877 (19)
N1—C6	1.2744 (19)	C9—C10	1.391 (2)
C1—C8	1.5118 (18)	C10—C11	1.396 (2)
C1—C5	1.5605 (18)	C10—H10A	0.9500
C1—H1A	1.0000	C11—C12	1.397 (2)
C2—C3	1.4997 (19)	C11—H11A	0.9500
C2—C13	1.5288 (19)	C12—C13	1.3903 (19)
C2—C4	1.5580 (18)	C14—H14A	0.9800
C3—H3A	0.9800	C14—H14B	0.9800
C3—H3B	0.9800	C14—H14C	0.9800
C3—H3C	0.9800	C15—H15A	0.9800
C4—C5	1.5381 (18)	C15—H15B	0.9800
C4—H4A	1.0000	C15—H15C	0.9800
C1—O1—C2	97.72 (10)	C7—C6—C5	123.78 (12)
N1—O2—C4	109.89 (10)	C6—C7—H7A	109.5
C9—O3—C14	116.97 (11)	C6—C7—H7B	109.5
C12—O4—C15	116.97 (11)	H7A—C7—H7B	109.5
C6—N1—O2	109.07 (11)	C6—C7—H7C	109.5
O1—C1—C8	101.45 (10)	H7A—C7—H7C	109.5
O1—C1—C5	101.24 (10)	H7B—C7—H7C	109.5
C8—C1—C5	106.07 (11)	C9—C8—C13	122.42 (13)
O1—C1—H1A	115.4	C9—C8—C1	132.02 (13)
C8—C1—H1A	115.4	C13—C8—C1	105.43 (12)
C5—C1—H1A	115.4	O3—C9—C8	116.40 (12)
O1—C2—C3	111.39 (11)	O3—C9—C10	126.44 (13)
O1—C2—C13	100.84 (10)	C8—C9—C10	117.16 (13)
C3—C2—C13	120.13 (12)	C9—C10—C11	120.80 (13)
O1—C2—C4	100.42 (10)	C9—C10—H10A	119.6
C3—C2—C4	116.36 (11)	C11—C10—H10A	119.6
C13—C2—C4	104.91 (11)	C10—C11—C12	121.55 (13)
C2—C3—H3A	109.5	C10—C11—H11A	119.2
C2—C3—H3B	109.5	C12—C11—H11A	119.2
H3A—C3—H3B	109.5	O4—C12—C13	118.06 (12)
C2—C3—H3C	109.5	O4—C12—C11	124.58 (13)
H3A—C3—H3C	109.5	C13—C12—C11	117.35 (13)
H3B—C3—H3C	109.5	C8—C13—C12	120.62 (13)
O2—C4—C5	105.12 (11)	C8—C13—C2	104.85 (12)
O2—C4—C2	111.31 (11)	C12—C13—C2	134.47 (13)
C5—C4—C2	102.75 (10)	O3—C14—H14A	109.5
O2—C4—H4A	112.3	O3—C14—H14B	109.5
C5—C4—H4A	112.3	H14A—C14—H14B	109.5
C2—C4—H4A	112.3	O3—C14—H14C	109.5
C6—C5—C4	100.96 (11)	H14A—C14—H14C	109.5
C6—C5—C1	112.71 (11)	H14B—C14—H14C	109.5
C4—C5—C1	101.07 (11)	O4—C15—H15A	109.5
C6—C5—H5A	113.6	O4—C15—H15B	109.5

C4—C5—H5A	113.6	H15A—C15—H15B	109.5
C1—C5—H5A	113.6	O4—C15—H15C	109.5
N1—C6—C7	121.36 (13)	H15A—C15—H15C	109.5
N1—C6—C5	114.85 (13)	H15B—C15—H15C	109.5
C4—O2—N1—C6	-3.33 (15)	O1—C1—C8—C13	-32.41 (13)
C2—O1—C1—C8	51.19 (11)	C5—C1—C8—C13	72.97 (13)
C2—O1—C1—C5	-57.97 (11)	C14—O3—C9—C8	172.37 (12)
C1—O1—C2—C3	-179.30 (11)	C14—O3—C9—C10	-8.0 (2)
C1—O1—C2—C13	-50.69 (11)	C13—C8—C9—O3	-177.44 (12)
C1—O1—C2—C4	56.86 (11)	C1—C8—C9—O3	-2.2 (2)
N1—O2—C4—C5	2.76 (13)	C13—C8—C9—C10	2.9 (2)
N1—O2—C4—C2	-107.78 (12)	C1—C8—C9—C10	178.11 (13)
O1—C2—C4—O2	78.42 (12)	O3—C9—C10—C11	178.30 (13)
C3—C2—C4—O2	-41.92 (16)	C8—C9—C10—C11	-2.1 (2)
C13—C2—C4—O2	-177.29 (11)	C9—C10—C11—C12	-0.8 (2)
O1—C2—C4—C5	-33.63 (12)	C15—O4—C12—C13	161.27 (12)
C3—C2—C4—C5	-153.97 (12)	C15—O4—C12—C11	-19.88 (19)
C13—C2—C4—C5	70.66 (12)	C10—C11—C12—O4	-176.08 (12)
O2—C4—C5—C6	-1.30 (13)	C10—C11—C12—C13	2.8 (2)
C2—C4—C5—C6	115.27 (11)	C9—C8—C13—C12	-0.9 (2)
O2—C4—C5—C1	-117.31 (11)	C1—C8—C13—C12	-177.18 (12)
C2—C4—C5—C1	-0.74 (13)	C9—C8—C13—C2	176.63 (12)
O1—C1—C5—C6	-71.58 (13)	C1—C8—C13—C2	0.31 (13)
C8—C1—C5—C6	-177.12 (11)	O4—C12—C13—C8	176.95 (12)
O1—C1—C5—C4	35.38 (12)	C11—C12—C13—C8	-1.98 (19)
C8—C1—C5—C4	-70.15 (13)	O4—C12—C13—C2	0.3 (2)
O2—N1—C6—C7	-178.46 (12)	C11—C12—C13—C2	-178.59 (14)
O2—N1—C6—C5	2.48 (16)	O1—C2—C13—C8	31.49 (13)
C4—C5—C6—N1	-0.72 (15)	C3—C2—C13—C8	154.22 (12)
C1—C5—C6—N1	106.32 (14)	C4—C2—C13—C8	-72.49 (13)
C4—C5—C6—C7	-179.75 (13)	O1—C2—C13—C12	-151.53 (15)
C1—C5—C6—C7	-72.71 (17)	C3—C2—C13—C12	-28.8 (2)
O1—C1—C8—C9	151.77 (14)	C4—C2—C13—C12	104.49 (17)
C5—C1—C8—C9	-102.85 (16)		

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °)

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C1—H1A...O2 ⁱ	1.00	2.35	3.2928 (17)	156
C14—H14C...O2 ⁱⁱ	0.98	2.59	3.5340 (19)	161

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