

Crystal structure of (2-benzyloxy-pyrimidin-5-yl)boronic acid

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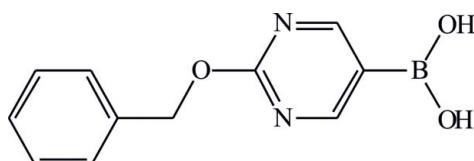
The boronic acid group in the title compound, $C_{11}H_{11}BN_2O_3$, adopts a *syn-anti* conformation and is almost coplanar with the aromatic rings, making a dihedral angle of $3.8(2)^\circ$. In the crystal, adjacent molecules are linked via pairs of $O-H\cdots O$ interactions, forming centrosymmetric dimers with an $R_2^2(8)$ motif, which have recently been shown to be energetically very favorable (Durka *et al.*, 2012, 2014). The hydroxy groups in an *anti* conformation are engaged in lateral hydrogen-bonding interactions with N atoms from neighbouring molecules, leading to the formation of chains along [001]. $O\cdots B$ [3.136 (2) Å] and $C(\pi)\cdots B$ [3.393 (2) Å] stacking interactions in turn link parallel chains of centrosymmetric dimers into layers parallel to (010).

Keywords: crystal structure; arylboronic acid; hydrogen-bonding interactions.

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1. Related literature

For general background to the structures of boronic acids, see, for example: Hall (2011); Luliński *et al.* (2007); Maly *et al.* (2006); Shimpi *et al.* (2007). For the characterization of related pyrimidylboronic acids, see: Clapham *et al.* (2007); Liao *et al.* (1964); Peters *et al.* (1990); Saygili *et al.* (2004).



2. Experimental

2.1. Crystal data

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|-------------------------------|---|
| $C_{11}H_{11}BN_2O_3$ | $V = 1029.0(4) \text{ \AA}^3$ |
| $M_r = 230.03$ | $Z = 4$ |
| Monoclinic, $P2_1/n$ | Mo $K\alpha$ radiation |
| $a = 5.498(1) \text{ \AA}$ | $\mu = 0.11 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ |
| $b = 30.4320(17) \text{ \AA}$ | $T = 100 \text{ K}$ |
| $c = 6.7086(19) \text{ \AA}$ | $0.20 \times 0.15 \times 0.15 \text{ mm}$ |
| $\beta = 113.54(4)^\circ$ | |

2.2. Data collection

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| Kuma KM-4 CCD diffractometer | 18472 measured reflections |
| Absorption correction: multi-scan (<i>CrysAlis PRO</i> ; Agilent, 2013) | 4167 independent reflections |
| $T_{\min} = 0.993$, $T_{\max} = 1.000$ | 2975 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$ |
| | $R_{\text{int}} = 0.044$ |

2.3. Refinement

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| $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.053$ | H atoms treated by a mixture of independent and constrained refinement |
| $wR(F^2) = 0.135$ | $\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.57 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$ |
| $S = 1.03$ | $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.30 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$ |
| 4167 reflections | |
| 160 parameters | |

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

| $D-H\cdots A$ | $D-H$ | $H\cdots A$ | $D\cdots A$ | $D-H\cdots A$ |
|-------------------------|------------|-------------|-------------|---------------|
| $C2-H2\cdots O2^i$ | 0.95 | 2.60 | 3.5104 (15) | 161 |
| $O2-H2A\cdots O1^{ii}$ | 0.852 (19) | 1.915 (19) | 2.7615 (16) | 172.7 (17) |
| $O1-H1A\cdots N1^{iii}$ | 0.849 (18) | 2.067 (18) | 2.8188 (15) | 147.2 (16) |

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

Data collection: *CrysAlis PRO* (Agilent, 2013); cell refinement: *CrysAlis PRO*; data reduction: *CrysAlis PRO*; program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL2013* (Sheldrick, 2008); molecular graphics: *DIAMOND* (Brandenburg, 2005); software used to prepare material for publication: *publCIF* (Westrip, 2010).

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S1. Comment

Heterocyclic boronic acids have been intensively studied in the recent years. They have found numerous application as Suzuki-Miyaura cross-coupling partners. However, pyrimidylboronic acids have been largely neglected, although some derivatives were synthesized (Clapham *et al.*, 2007; Liao *et al.*, 1964; Peters *et al.*, 1990; Saygili *et al.*, 2004). In this manuscript we focus our attention on a pyrimidine boronic acid derivative containing a benzyloxy group at the 2nd position.

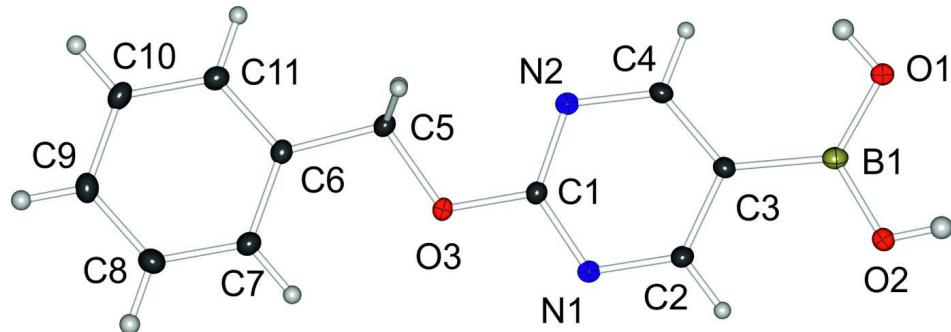
The molecular structure of **1** shows that the B(OH)₂ group adopts the usual *syn-anti* conformation. The entire molecule including both aromatic rings and boronic group remains essentially planar (Figure 1). On the first level of material organization, centrosymmetric O—H···O hydrogen-bonded dimers are formed. They are linked *via* lateral hydrogen-bonding interactions with nitrogen atoms from neighbouring molecules. It results in the formation of molecular chains propagated along the [001] direction (Figure 2). Molecules from adjacent chains interact by weak O···B and C(π)···B stacking interactions, which link parallel oriented chains into 2D layers. These contacts are additionally supported by weak C—H···N interactions between the methylene group and one of the N atoms of the pyrimidyl ring, and also by C—H···O interactions formed between the C(pyrimidyl)—H group and an oxygen atom from the B(OH)₂ group. The supramolecular architecture extends further due to weak C—H···C(π) contacts leading to a three-dimensional network.

S2. Crystallization

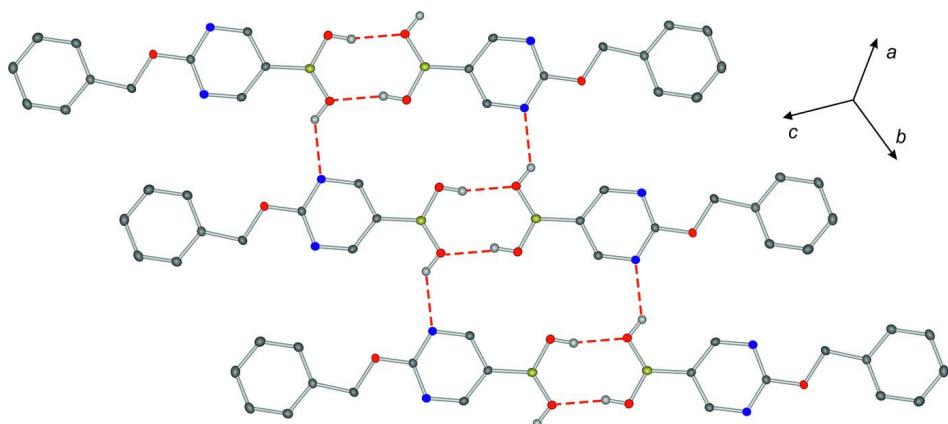
The title compound was received from Aldrich. Crystals suitable for single-crystal X-ray diffraction analysis were grown by cooling a solution of the boronic acid (0.2 g) in acetone (4 ml).

S3. Refinement

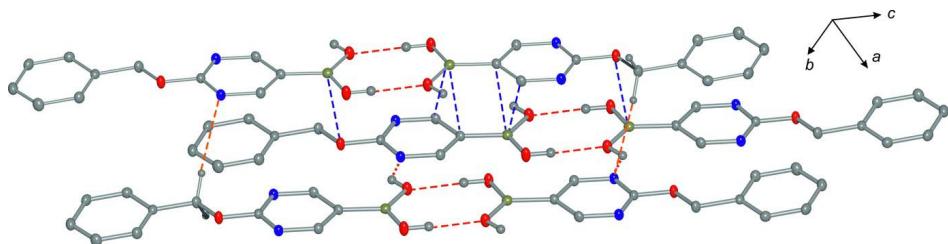
Crystal data, data collection and structure refinement details are summarized in Table 1. All CH (methylene, phenyl) hydrogen atoms were placed in calculated positions with C—H distances of 0.95 Å (phenyl) and 0.99 Å (methylene). They were included in the refinement in riding-motion approximation with U_{iso}(phenyl H)=1.2U_{eq}(C), and U_{iso}(methyl H)=1.5U_{eq}(C). The positions of OH hydrogen atoms were refined with U_{iso}(hydroxy H)=1.5U_{eq}(C).

**Figure 1**

Labelling of atoms and estimation of their atomic thermal motion as Anisotropic Displacement Parameters (ADPs, 50% probability level) for **1**.

**Figure 2**

The molecular chains in **1**. Hydrogen bonds are shown as red, dashed lines. Aromatic and aliphatic hydrogen atoms are omitted for clarity.

**Figure 3**

Structural graph displaying the intermolecular O···B, C(π)···B (blue), C—H···N (orange) and O—H···O, O—H···N (red) interactions.

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 $h = -8 \rightarrow 8$
 $k = -48 \rightarrow 47$
 $l = -10 \rightarrow 10$

Refinement

Refinement on F^2
Least-squares matrix: full
 $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.053$
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 $S = 1.03$
4167 reflections
160 parameters
0 restraints

Hydrogen site location: mixed
H atoms treated by a mixture of independent
and constrained refinement
 $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0561P)^2 + 0.4141P]$
where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
 $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\max} < 0.001$
 $\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.57 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$
 $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.30 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$

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 (\AA^2)

| | x | y | z | $U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$ |
|-----|------------|-------------|---------------|----------------------------------|
| C1 | 0.7668 (2) | 0.09979 (4) | 0.33931 (19) | 0.0119 (2) |
| C2 | 0.4044 (2) | 0.05846 (4) | 0.16000 (19) | 0.0129 (2) |
| H2 | 0.2541 | 0.0426 | 0.1570 | 0.016* |
| C3 | 0.4464 (2) | 0.06065 (4) | -0.03164 (19) | 0.0120 (2) |
| C4 | 0.6720 (2) | 0.08390 (4) | -0.01318 (19) | 0.0135 (2) |
| H4 | 0.7143 | 0.0856 | -0.1371 | 0.016* |
| C5 | 1.1273 (2) | 0.14700 (4) | 0.5176 (2) | 0.0144 (2) |
| H5A | 1.0515 | 0.1694 | 0.4023 | 0.017* |
| H5B | 1.2516 | 0.1286 | 0.4803 | 0.017* |
| C6 | 1.2746 (2) | 0.16928 (4) | 0.73226 (19) | 0.0119 (2) |
| C7 | 1.1923 (2) | 0.16861 (4) | 0.9030 (2) | 0.0152 (2) |
| H7 | 1.0405 | 0.1521 | 0.8908 | 0.018* |
| C8 | 1.3326 (3) | 0.19224 (4) | 1.0918 (2) | 0.0178 (2) |

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|-----|--------------|-------------|---------------|--------------|
| H8 | 1.2757 | 0.1916 | 1.2081 | 0.021* |
| C9 | 1.5544 (3) | 0.21671 (4) | 1.1128 (2) | 0.0170 (2) |
| H9 | 1.6466 | 0.2333 | 1.2410 | 0.020* |
| C10 | 1.6401 (3) | 0.21665 (4) | 0.9434 (2) | 0.0161 (2) |
| H10 | 1.7933 | 0.2329 | 0.9567 | 0.019* |
| C11 | 1.5022 (2) | 0.19294 (4) | 0.7556 (2) | 0.0143 (2) |
| H11 | 1.5630 | 0.1928 | 0.6415 | 0.017* |
| B1 | 0.2490 (3) | 0.03690 (4) | -0.2435 (2) | 0.0129 (2) |
| N1 | 0.5624 (2) | 0.07726 (3) | 0.34800 (16) | 0.0133 (2) |
| N2 | 0.8334 (2) | 0.10406 (4) | 0.16971 (17) | 0.0137 (2) |
| O1 | 0.28595 (18) | 0.03484 (3) | -0.43207 (14) | 0.01608 (19) |
| O2 | 0.03654 (19) | 0.01745 (3) | -0.22897 (15) | 0.0177 (2) |
| O3 | 0.91719 (17) | 0.11992 (3) | 0.52723 (14) | 0.01468 (18) |
| H1A | 0.416 (3) | 0.0477 (6) | -0.445 (3) | 0.022* |
| H2A | -0.068 (3) | 0.0034 (6) | -0.340 (3) | 0.022* |

Atomic displacement parameters (\AA^2)

| | U^{11} | U^{22} | U^{33} | U^{12} | U^{13} | U^{23} |
|-----|------------|------------|------------|-------------|------------|-------------|
| C1 | 0.0114 (5) | 0.0120 (5) | 0.0124 (5) | -0.0016 (4) | 0.0048 (4) | -0.0011 (4) |
| C2 | 0.0135 (5) | 0.0138 (5) | 0.0122 (5) | -0.0028 (4) | 0.0059 (4) | -0.0002 (4) |
| C3 | 0.0129 (5) | 0.0125 (5) | 0.0112 (5) | -0.0013 (4) | 0.0054 (4) | -0.0001 (4) |
| C4 | 0.0150 (5) | 0.0157 (5) | 0.0119 (5) | -0.0016 (4) | 0.0074 (4) | -0.0008 (4) |
| C5 | 0.0134 (5) | 0.0163 (5) | 0.0144 (5) | -0.0052 (4) | 0.0066 (4) | -0.0024 (4) |
| C6 | 0.0112 (5) | 0.0111 (5) | 0.0128 (5) | -0.0006 (4) | 0.0039 (4) | -0.0003 (4) |
| C7 | 0.0145 (5) | 0.0163 (5) | 0.0159 (5) | -0.0030 (4) | 0.0073 (5) | -0.0007 (4) |
| C8 | 0.0201 (6) | 0.0202 (6) | 0.0149 (5) | -0.0038 (5) | 0.0088 (5) | -0.0018 (5) |
| C9 | 0.0167 (6) | 0.0169 (6) | 0.0152 (5) | -0.0021 (4) | 0.0040 (5) | -0.0029 (4) |
| C10 | 0.0121 (5) | 0.0165 (6) | 0.0183 (6) | -0.0027 (4) | 0.0046 (5) | -0.0012 (4) |
| C11 | 0.0136 (5) | 0.0149 (5) | 0.0153 (5) | -0.0008 (4) | 0.0067 (4) | 0.0002 (4) |
| B1 | 0.0134 (6) | 0.0125 (6) | 0.0133 (6) | 0.0003 (4) | 0.0060 (5) | 0.0019 (5) |
| N1 | 0.0130 (5) | 0.0154 (5) | 0.0119 (4) | -0.0033 (4) | 0.0054 (4) | -0.0013 (4) |
| N2 | 0.0141 (5) | 0.0157 (5) | 0.0125 (4) | -0.0035 (4) | 0.0064 (4) | -0.0016 (4) |
| O1 | 0.0171 (4) | 0.0204 (4) | 0.0126 (4) | -0.0069 (3) | 0.0079 (3) | -0.0029 (3) |
| O2 | 0.0179 (4) | 0.0240 (5) | 0.0124 (4) | -0.0093 (4) | 0.0071 (3) | -0.0041 (4) |
| O3 | 0.0148 (4) | 0.0175 (4) | 0.0121 (4) | -0.0069 (3) | 0.0057 (3) | -0.0036 (3) |

Geometric parameters (\AA , ^\circ)

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|-------|-------------|---------|-------------|
| C1—N2 | 1.3336 (15) | C6—C11 | 1.3972 (16) |
| C1—N1 | 1.3375 (15) | C7—C8 | 1.3912 (18) |
| C1—O3 | 1.3474 (15) | C7—H7 | 0.9500 |
| C2—N1 | 1.3407 (16) | C8—C9 | 1.3870 (18) |
| C2—C3 | 1.3957 (17) | C8—H8 | 0.9500 |
| C2—H2 | 0.9500 | C9—C10 | 1.3933 (19) |
| C3—C4 | 1.3898 (16) | C9—H9 | 0.9500 |
| C3—B1 | 1.5775 (19) | C10—C11 | 1.3856 (18) |
| C4—N2 | 1.3415 (16) | C10—H10 | 0.9500 |

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|---------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| C4—H4 | 0.9500 | C11—H11 | 0.9500 |
| C5—O3 | 1.4412 (14) | B1—O2 | 1.3475 (16) |
| C5—C6 | 1.5028 (18) | B1—O1 | 1.3602 (16) |
| C5—H5A | 0.9900 | O1—H1A | 0.849 (18) |
| C5—H5B | 0.9900 | O2—H2A | 0.852 (19) |
| C6—C7 | 1.3898 (17) | | |
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| N2—C1—N1 | 127.51 (11) | C6—C7—H7 | 120.1 |
| N2—C1—O3 | 118.63 (10) | C8—C7—H7 | 120.1 |
| N1—C1—O3 | 113.86 (10) | C9—C8—C7 | 121.03 (12) |
| N1—C2—C3 | 124.24 (11) | C9—C8—H8 | 119.5 |
| N1—C2—H2 | 117.9 | C7—C8—H8 | 119.5 |
| C3—C2—H2 | 117.9 | C8—C9—C10 | 119.09 (12) |
| C4—C3—C2 | 114.36 (11) | C8—C9—H9 | 120.5 |
| C4—C3—B1 | 125.58 (11) | C10—C9—H9 | 120.5 |
| C2—C3—B1 | 120.05 (10) | C11—C10—C9 | 120.12 (12) |
| N2—C4—C3 | 123.72 (11) | C11—C10—H10 | 119.9 |
| N2—C4—H4 | 118.1 | C9—C10—H10 | 119.9 |
| C3—C4—H4 | 118.1 | C10—C11—C6 | 120.71 (12) |
| O3—C5—C6 | 110.46 (10) | C10—C11—H11 | 119.6 |
| O3—C5—H5A | 109.6 | C6—C11—H11 | 119.6 |
| C6—C5—H5A | 109.6 | O2—B1—O1 | 120.19 (12) |
| O3—C5—H5B | 109.6 | O2—B1—C3 | 116.12 (11) |
| C6—C5—H5B | 109.6 | O1—B1—C3 | 123.67 (11) |
| H5A—C5—H5B | 108.1 | C1—N1—C2 | 114.70 (10) |
| C7—C6—C11 | 119.14 (11) | C1—N2—C4 | 115.40 (10) |
| C7—C6—C5 | 123.72 (11) | B1—O1—H1A | 121.3 (12) |
| C11—C6—C5 | 117.11 (11) | B1—O2—H2A | 117.4 (12) |
| C6—C7—C8 | 119.86 (11) | C1—O3—C5 | 114.90 (9) |
| | | | |
| N1—C2—C3—C4 | 0.78 (18) | C4—C3—B1—O2 | -177.72 (12) |
| N1—C2—C3—B1 | 179.43 (11) | C2—C3—B1—O2 | 3.78 (17) |
| C2—C3—C4—N2 | -2.18 (18) | C4—C3—B1—O1 | 3.3 (2) |
| B1—C3—C4—N2 | 179.25 (12) | C2—C3—B1—O1 | -175.21 (12) |
| O3—C5—C6—C7 | -8.77 (17) | N2—C1—N1—C2 | -2.59 (19) |
| O3—C5—C6—C11 | 173.27 (10) | O3—C1—N1—C2 | 177.44 (10) |
| C11—C6—C7—C8 | 1.58 (19) | C3—C2—N1—C1 | 1.38 (18) |
| C5—C6—C7—C8 | -176.34 (12) | N1—C1—N2—C4 | 1.33 (19) |
| C6—C7—C8—C9 | 0.2 (2) | O3—C1—N2—C4 | -178.69 (11) |
| C7—C8—C9—C10 | -1.5 (2) | C3—C4—N2—C1 | 1.25 (18) |
| C8—C9—C10—C11 | 0.98 (19) | N2—C1—O3—C5 | 4.30 (16) |
| C9—C10—C11—C6 | 0.78 (19) | N1—C1—O3—C5 | -175.72 (10) |
| C7—C6—C11—C10 | -2.06 (18) | C6—C5—O3—C1 | 177.64 (10) |
| C5—C6—C11—C10 | 176.00 (11) | | |

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