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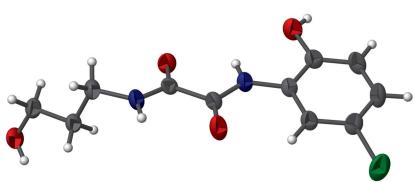
N-(5-Chloro-2-hydroxyphenyl)-N'-(3-hydroxypropyl)oxalamide

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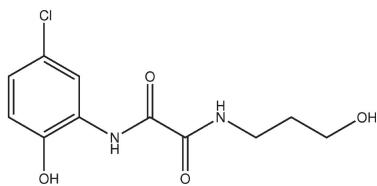
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In the structure of the title *N,N'*-bis(substituted)oxamide compound, C₁₁H₁₃ClN₂O₄, the chlorohydroxyphenyl ring plane subtends an angle of 15.06 (13)° to the plane of the oxalamide unit. This in turn is inclined to the hydroxypropyl substituent by 78.03 (14)°. In the crystal, classical O—H···O and N—H···O hydrogen bonds give rise to a three-dimensional supramolecular structure.

3D view



Chemical scheme



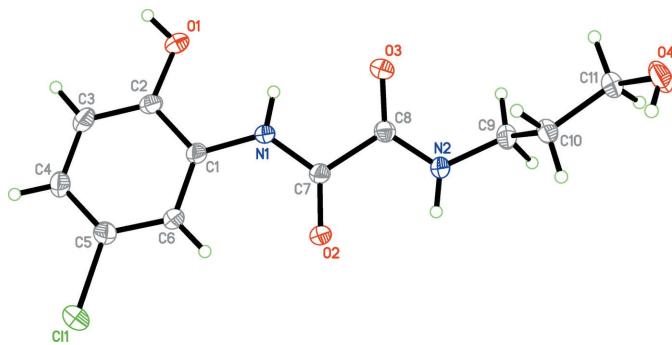
Structure description

Oxamide complexes are of considerable current interest due to their DNA-binding properties and cytotoxic activity (Martínez-Martínez *et al.*, 1998; Li *et al.*, 2012; Yue *et al.*, 2012 and Zheng *et al.*, 2012). The title oxamide compound, *N*-(5-chloro-2-hydroxyphenyl)-*N'*-(3-hydroxypropyl)oxalamide (H₃chhpox), adopts a *transoid* conformation as expected (Fig. 1). The benzene ring substituent is almost coplanar with the oxamide group with a C7—N1—C1—C6 torsion angle of 11.8 (4)° while the other hydroxyphenyl substituent arm is almost orthogonal to this plane with a C8—N2—C9—C10 torsion angle of 92.4 (3)°.

In the crystal, layers are formed parallel to the *ac* plane through O—H···O hydrogen bonds (Fig. 2, Table 1). Inversion-related N—H···O hydrogen bonds between the oxamide groups connect the parallel layers into a three-dimensional supramolecular structure.

Synthesis and crystallization

The synthesis of the title compound (H₃chhpox) was achieved in two steps. The first was the preparation of *N*-(5-chloro-2-hydroxyphenyl)oxalamide (H₃chox) according to a reported method (Marmur, 1961). Next, H₃chox (5 mmol, 1.22 g) in 20 mL absolute

**Figure 1**

The molecular structure with displacement ellipsoids drawn at the 30% probability level.

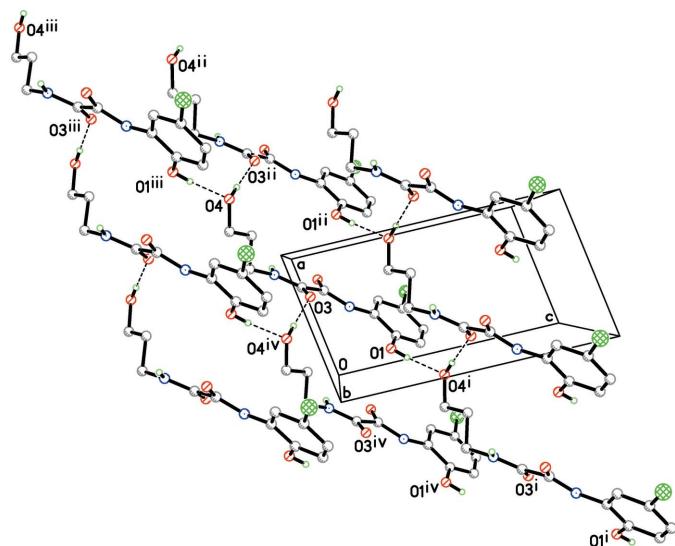
ethanol was added dropwise to 20 mL of an absolute ethanol solution containing 3-amino-1-propanol (6 mmol, 0.76 mL) at 273 K. The resulting solution was stirred for 2 h, and H₃chhpox was precipitated as a white powder. It was then recrystallized from ethanol at 273 K and dried under vacuum. Well-shaped colorless single crystals were obtained by slow evaporation of an ethanol solution of the recrystallized product. Yield: 83%. Analysis calculated for C₁₁H₁₃N₂O₄Cl: C, 48.45; H, 4.81; N, 10.27%. Found: C, 48.96; H, 4.77; N, 10.65%.

Refinement

Crystal data, data collection and structure refinement details are summarized in Table 2.

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**Figure 2**

The two-dimensional hydrogen-bonding network parallel to (010), constructed by classical O—H···O interactions. [Symmetry codes: (i) $x - \frac{3}{2}, y, z + \frac{1}{2}$; (ii) $x + 1, y, z$; (iii) $x + \frac{3}{2}, y, z - \frac{1}{2}$; (iv) $x - 1, y, z$].

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

| D—H···A | D—H | H···A | D···A | D—H···A |
|---------------------------|----------|----------|-----------|---------|
| O1—H1A···O4 ⁱ | 0.81 (2) | 1.88 (2) | 2.690 (2) | 173 (3) |
| O4—H4A···O3 ⁱⁱ | 0.81 (2) | 1.98 (2) | 2.794 (2) | 178 (3) |
| N2—H2···O2 ⁱⁱⁱ | 0.88 (2) | 2.12 (3) | 2.916 (2) | 150 (2) |

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

Table 2
Experimental details.

| | |
|---|---|
| Crystal data | |
| Chemical formula | C ₁₁ H ₁₃ ClN ₂ O ₄ |
| M _r | 272.68 |
| Crystal system, space group | Monoclinic, P2 ₁ /n |
| Temperature (K) | 296 |
| a, b, c (Å) | 6.1422 (14), 18.117 (4), 11.061 (2) |
| β (°) | 98.896 (8) |
| V (Å ³) | 1216.0 (5) |
| Z | 4 |
| Radiation type | Mo Kα |
| μ (mm ⁻¹) | 0.32 |
| Crystal size (mm) | 0.49 × 0.16 × 0.03 |
| Data collection | |
| Diffractometer | Bruker APEX area-detector |
| Absorption correction | Multi-scan (SADABS; Bruker, 2002) |
| T _{min} , T _{max} | 0.697, 0.746 |
| No. of measured, independent and observed [I > 2σ(I)] reflections | 10616, 2779, 1672 |
| R _{int} | 0.054 |
| (sin θ/λ) _{max} (Å ⁻¹) | 0.651 |
| Refinement | |
| R[F ² > 2σ(F ²)], wR(F ²), S | 0.047, 0.107, 1.00 |
| No. of reflections | 2779 |
| No. of parameters | 215 |
| No. of restraints | 2 |
| H-atom treatment | All H-atom parameters refined |
| Δρ _{max} , Δρ _{min} (e Å ⁻³) | 0.25, -0.20 |

Computer programs: SMART and SAINT (Bruker, 2002), SHELXS97 and XP in SHELXTL (Sheldrick, 2008), SHELXL2014 (Sheldrick, 2015), and WinGX (Farrugia, 2012).

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N-(5-Chloro-2-hydroxyphenyl)-N'-(3-hydroxypropyl)ethanediamide

Crystal data

$C_{11}H_{13}ClN_2O_4$
 $M_r = 272.68$
Monoclinic, $P2_1/n$
 $a = 6.1422$ (14) Å
 $b = 18.117$ (4) Å
 $c = 11.061$ (2) Å
 $\beta = 98.896$ (8)°
 $V = 1216.0$ (5) Å³
 $Z = 4$

$F(000) = 568$
 $D_x = 1.490$ Mg m⁻³
Mo $K\alpha$ radiation, $\lambda = 0.71073$ Å
Cell parameters from 2400 reflections
 $\theta = 3.5\text{--}25.0^\circ$
 $\mu = 0.32$ mm⁻¹
 $T = 296$ K
Prism, colorless
0.49 × 0.16 × 0.03 mm

Data collection

Bruker APEX area-detector
diffractometer
Radiation source: fine-focus sealed tube
 φ and ω scans
Absorption correction: multi-scan
(SADABS; Bruker, 2002)
 $T_{\min} = 0.697$, $T_{\max} = 0.746$
10616 measured reflections

2779 independent reflections
1672 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
 $R_{\text{int}} = 0.054$
 $\theta_{\max} = 27.5^\circ$, $\theta_{\min} = 3.5^\circ$
 $h = -7 \rightarrow 7$
 $k = -23 \rightarrow 23$
 $l = -13 \rightarrow 14$

Refinement

Refinement on F^2
Least-squares matrix: full
 $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.047$
 $wR(F^2) = 0.107$
 $S = 1.00$
2779 reflections
215 parameters
2 restraints
Primary atom site location: structure-invariant
direct methods

Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier
map
Hydrogen site location: difference Fourier map
All H-atom parameters refined
 $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0419P)^2 + 0.2977P]$
where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
 $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\max} < 0.001$
 $\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.25$ e Å⁻³
 $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.20$ e Å⁻³

Special details

Geometry. All esds (except the esd in the dihedral angle between two l.s. planes) are estimated using the full covariance matrix. The cell esds are taken into account individually in the estimation of esds in distances, angles and torsion angles; correlations between esds in cell parameters are only used when they are defined by crystal symmetry. An approximate (isotropic) treatment of cell esds is used for estimating esds 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.

Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters (\AA^2)

| | x | y | z | $U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$ |
|------|--------------|--------------|---------------|----------------------------------|
| C11 | 0.54932 (13) | 0.33941 (3) | 0.39890 (7) | 0.0621 (3) |
| O1 | 0.2065 (3) | 0.63169 (9) | 0.24549 (16) | 0.0484 (5) |
| O2 | 0.7936 (3) | 0.50435 (8) | 0.08106 (16) | 0.0485 (5) |
| O3 | 0.6905 (2) | 0.69246 (8) | 0.03286 (14) | 0.0400 (4) |
| O4 | 1.4561 (3) | 0.80399 (10) | -0.10518 (19) | 0.0523 (5) |
| N1 | 0.5547 (3) | 0.58139 (10) | 0.15803 (17) | 0.0334 (5) |
| N2 | 0.8959 (3) | 0.61585 (10) | -0.06633 (18) | 0.0356 (5) |
| C1 | 0.4604 (3) | 0.53575 (11) | 0.23849 (19) | 0.0312 (5) |
| C2 | 0.2779 (4) | 0.56333 (12) | 0.2848 (2) | 0.0356 (5) |
| C3 | 0.1802 (4) | 0.52106 (14) | 0.3647 (2) | 0.0449 (6) |
| C4 | 0.2617 (4) | 0.45182 (13) | 0.4005 (2) | 0.0450 (6) |
| C5 | 0.4420 (4) | 0.42605 (12) | 0.3552 (2) | 0.0390 (6) |
| C6 | 0.5429 (4) | 0.46656 (12) | 0.2747 (2) | 0.0345 (5) |
| C7 | 0.7077 (3) | 0.56439 (11) | 0.0884 (2) | 0.0310 (5) |
| C8 | 0.7663 (3) | 0.63118 (11) | 0.0148 (2) | 0.0308 (5) |
| C9 | 0.9727 (4) | 0.67265 (14) | -0.1426 (2) | 0.0385 (6) |
| C10 | 1.1919 (4) | 0.70438 (13) | -0.0862 (2) | 0.0363 (6) |
| C11 | 1.2472 (4) | 0.77284 (13) | -0.1527 (2) | 0.0398 (6) |
| H1 | 0.507 (4) | 0.6260 (14) | 0.150 (2) | 0.049 (7)* |
| H1A | 0.122 (4) | 0.6487 (14) | 0.288 (2) | 0.061 (9)* |
| H2 | 0.946 (4) | 0.5705 (14) | -0.068 (2) | 0.052 (8)* |
| H3 | 0.060 (4) | 0.5401 (13) | 0.394 (2) | 0.048 (7)* |
| H4 | 0.191 (4) | 0.4237 (12) | 0.453 (2) | 0.044 (7)* |
| H4A | 1.527 (5) | 0.7724 (14) | -0.065 (3) | 0.086 (12)* |
| H6 | 0.663 (4) | 0.4498 (12) | 0.2439 (19) | 0.038 (6)* |
| H9A | 0.863 (4) | 0.7103 (13) | -0.158 (2) | 0.048 (7)* |
| H9B | 0.985 (4) | 0.6512 (13) | -0.223 (2) | 0.051 (7)* |
| H10A | 1.300 (4) | 0.6690 (13) | -0.089 (2) | 0.049 (7)* |
| H10B | 1.191 (4) | 0.7173 (12) | 0.001 (2) | 0.047 (7)* |
| H11A | 1.134 (4) | 0.8107 (13) | -0.142 (2) | 0.051 (7)* |
| H11B | 1.244 (4) | 0.7627 (13) | -0.239 (2) | 0.055 (8)* |

Atomic displacement parameters (\AA^2)

| | U^{11} | U^{22} | U^{33} | U^{12} | U^{13} | U^{23} |
|-----|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| C11 | 0.0836 (6) | 0.0395 (4) | 0.0696 (5) | 0.0142 (3) | 0.0319 (4) | 0.0192 (3) |
| O1 | 0.0533 (12) | 0.0387 (9) | 0.0596 (12) | 0.0148 (8) | 0.0290 (10) | 0.0017 (8) |
| O2 | 0.0544 (11) | 0.0292 (9) | 0.0709 (12) | 0.0096 (8) | 0.0384 (10) | 0.0073 (8) |
| O3 | 0.0459 (10) | 0.0263 (8) | 0.0499 (10) | 0.0023 (7) | 0.0141 (8) | 0.0018 (7) |
| O4 | 0.0427 (11) | 0.0400 (10) | 0.0750 (14) | -0.0110 (9) | 0.0117 (10) | 0.0195 (10) |

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|-----|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| N1 | 0.0382 (11) | 0.0235 (10) | 0.0425 (12) | 0.0032 (8) | 0.0186 (9) | 0.0008 (8) |
| N2 | 0.0357 (11) | 0.0289 (10) | 0.0461 (12) | -0.0019 (9) | 0.0184 (10) | 0.0019 (9) |
| C1 | 0.0342 (12) | 0.0274 (11) | 0.0339 (12) | -0.0022 (9) | 0.0108 (10) | -0.0037 (9) |
| C2 | 0.0374 (13) | 0.0289 (11) | 0.0425 (14) | 0.0035 (10) | 0.0127 (11) | -0.0046 (10) |
| C3 | 0.0439 (15) | 0.0473 (15) | 0.0495 (16) | 0.0031 (12) | 0.0257 (13) | -0.0036 (12) |
| C4 | 0.0556 (17) | 0.0402 (14) | 0.0447 (15) | -0.0047 (12) | 0.0253 (13) | 0.0021 (12) |
| C5 | 0.0497 (15) | 0.0310 (12) | 0.0383 (14) | 0.0001 (11) | 0.0129 (12) | -0.0003 (10) |
| C6 | 0.0364 (14) | 0.0310 (12) | 0.0393 (13) | 0.0033 (10) | 0.0154 (11) | -0.0009 (10) |
| C7 | 0.0307 (12) | 0.0257 (11) | 0.0383 (13) | -0.0012 (10) | 0.0105 (10) | -0.0026 (10) |
| C8 | 0.0272 (12) | 0.0285 (11) | 0.0366 (13) | -0.0026 (9) | 0.0050 (10) | -0.0007 (10) |
| C9 | 0.0384 (15) | 0.0399 (14) | 0.0395 (15) | -0.0035 (12) | 0.0129 (12) | 0.0060 (12) |
| C10 | 0.0351 (14) | 0.0324 (12) | 0.0430 (15) | -0.0028 (11) | 0.0105 (11) | 0.0063 (11) |
| C11 | 0.0433 (15) | 0.0352 (13) | 0.0429 (16) | -0.0037 (12) | 0.0131 (12) | 0.0075 (12) |

Geometric parameters (\AA , ^\circ)

| | | | |
|------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|
| C1—C5 | 1.742 (2) | C3—C4 | 1.385 (3) |
| O1—C2 | 1.362 (3) | C3—H3 | 0.92 (2) |
| O1—H1A | 0.813 (17) | C4—C5 | 1.366 (3) |
| O2—C7 | 1.217 (2) | C4—H4 | 0.93 (2) |
| O3—C8 | 1.232 (2) | C5—C6 | 1.374 (3) |
| O4—C11 | 1.426 (3) | C6—H6 | 0.91 (2) |
| O4—H4A | 0.812 (17) | C7—C8 | 1.532 (3) |
| N1—C7 | 1.340 (3) | C9—C10 | 1.507 (3) |
| N1—C1 | 1.404 (3) | C9—H9A | 0.96 (2) |
| N1—H1 | 0.86 (2) | C9—H9B | 0.98 (2) |
| N2—C8 | 1.317 (3) | C10—C11 | 1.507 (3) |
| N2—C9 | 1.454 (3) | C10—H10A | 0.93 (2) |
| N2—H2 | 0.88 (2) | C10—H10B | 0.99 (2) |
| C1—C6 | 1.388 (3) | C11—H11A | 1.00 (2) |
| C1—C2 | 1.395 (3) | C11—H11B | 0.97 (2) |
| C2—C3 | 1.375 (3) | | |
| C2—O1—H1A | 111.1 (19) | C1—C6—H6 | 118.3 (14) |
| C11—O4—H4A | 107 (2) | O2—C7—N1 | 126.43 (19) |
| C7—N1—C1 | 128.59 (18) | O2—C7—C8 | 122.01 (18) |
| C7—N1—H1 | 114.1 (16) | N1—C7—C8 | 111.56 (17) |
| C1—N1—H1 | 117.2 (16) | O3—C8—N2 | 125.7 (2) |
| C8—N2—C9 | 122.0 (2) | O3—C8—C7 | 119.94 (18) |
| C8—N2—H2 | 117.3 (16) | N2—C8—C7 | 114.32 (18) |
| C9—N2—H2 | 120.4 (16) | N2—C9—C10 | 112.3 (2) |
| C6—C1—C2 | 119.7 (2) | N2—C9—H9A | 109.1 (14) |
| C6—C1—N1 | 123.15 (19) | C10—C9—H9A | 111.4 (14) |
| C2—C1—N1 | 117.09 (18) | N2—C9—H9B | 108.7 (14) |
| O1—C2—C3 | 124.1 (2) | C10—C9—H9B | 109.7 (14) |
| O1—C2—C1 | 116.49 (19) | H9A—C9—H9B | 106 (2) |
| C3—C2—C1 | 119.4 (2) | C11—C10—C9 | 111.5 (2) |
| C2—C3—C4 | 120.9 (2) | C11—C10—H10A | 109.9 (14) |

| | | | |
|--------------|-------------|---------------|--------------|
| C2—C3—H3 | 118.0 (15) | C9—C10—H10A | 108.7 (14) |
| C4—C3—H3 | 121.1 (15) | C11—C10—H10B | 108.4 (13) |
| C5—C4—C3 | 118.8 (2) | C9—C10—H10B | 110.5 (13) |
| C5—C4—H4 | 121.6 (14) | H10A—C10—H10B | 108 (2) |
| C3—C4—H4 | 119.6 (14) | O4—C11—C10 | 113.8 (2) |
| C4—C5—C6 | 121.9 (2) | O4—C11—H11A | 106.9 (13) |
| C4—C5—C11 | 119.99 (18) | C10—C11—H11A | 107.2 (13) |
| C6—C5—C11 | 118.14 (17) | O4—C11—H11B | 108.6 (14) |
| C5—C6—C1 | 119.2 (2) | C10—C11—H11B | 110.7 (15) |
| C5—C6—H6 | 122.5 (14) | H11A—C11—H11B | 109.4 (19) |
| | | | |
| C7—N1—C1—C6 | 11.8 (4) | C2—C1—C6—C5 | 0.5 (3) |
| C7—N1—C1—C2 | -169.5 (2) | N1—C1—C6—C5 | 179.1 (2) |
| C6—C1—C2—O1 | 179.8 (2) | C1—N1—C7—O2 | 0.9 (4) |
| N1—C1—C2—O1 | 1.1 (3) | C1—N1—C7—C8 | -179.4 (2) |
| C6—C1—C2—C3 | -0.9 (3) | C9—N2—C8—O3 | 2.5 (4) |
| N1—C1—C2—C3 | -179.5 (2) | C9—N2—C8—C7 | -178.6 (2) |
| O1—C2—C3—C4 | 179.9 (2) | O2—C7—C8—O3 | -173.5 (2) |
| C1—C2—C3—C4 | 0.5 (4) | N1—C7—C8—O3 | 6.7 (3) |
| C2—C3—C4—C5 | 0.2 (4) | O2—C7—C8—N2 | 7.5 (3) |
| C3—C4—C5—C6 | -0.6 (4) | N1—C7—C8—N2 | -172.22 (19) |
| C3—C4—C5—C11 | 179.7 (2) | C8—N2—C9—C10 | 92.4 (3) |
| C4—C5—C6—C1 | 0.3 (4) | N2—C9—C10—C11 | -168.6 (2) |
| C11—C5—C6—C1 | 179.97 (18) | C9—C10—C11—O4 | -178.3 (2) |

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °)

| D—H···A | D—H | H···A | D···A | D—H···A |
|---------------------------|----------|----------|-----------|---------|
| O1—H1A···O4 ⁱ | 0.81 (2) | 1.88 (2) | 2.690 (2) | 173 (3) |
| O4—H4A···O3 ⁱⁱ | 0.81 (2) | 1.98 (2) | 2.794 (2) | 178 (3) |
| N2—H2···O2 ⁱⁱⁱ | 0.88 (2) | 2.12 (3) | 2.916 (2) | 150 (2) |

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