Acta Crystallographica Section E
Structure Reports Online
ISSN 1600-5368

4-[(2′-Cyanobiphenyl-4-yl)methyl]-morpholin-4-ium nitrate

Weiwei SiMa

Ordered Matter Science Research Center, Southeast University, Nanjing 210096, People's Republic of China
Correspondence e-mail: nysima@126.com

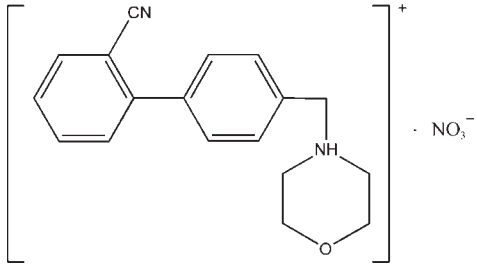
Received 24 June 2010; accepted 11 July 2010

Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; T = 293 K; mean σ(C–C) = 0.003 Å; R factor = 0.062; wR factor = 0.178; data-to-parameter ratio = 17.0.

The title ion pair, $C_{18}H_{19}N_2O^+\cdot NO_3^-$, features an N—H···O hydrogen bond linking the cation to the anion. The morpholine portion adopts a chair conformation; the aromatic rings of the biphenylene portion are twisted [torsion angles for the four atoms involving the aryl–aryl bond = 35.1 (2)–40.4 (2)°].

Related literature

For the synthesis, see: Li *et al.* (2008); Zhang *et al.* (2009).



Experimental

Crystal data

$C_{18}H_{19}N_2O^+\cdot NO_3^-$
M_r = 341.36
Monoclinic, $P2_1/c$
a = 12.670 (6) Å
b = 13.120 (5) Å
c = 10.865 (5) Å
β = 110.927 (8)°
V = 1687.0 (12) Å^3
Z = 4
Mo $K\alpha$ radiation
μ = 0.10 mm^{-1}
T = 293 K
0.20 × 0.20 × 0.20 mm

Data collection

Rigaku SCXmini diffractometer
Absorption correction: multi-scan (*CrystalClear*; Rigaku, 2005)
T_{min} = 0.981, T_{max} = 0.981
18242 measured reflections
3852 independent reflections
2848 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
R_{int} = 0.052

Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)]$ = 0.062
$wR(F^2)$ = 0.178
S = 1.17
3852 reflections
226 parameters
H-atom parameters constrained
$\Delta\rho_{max}$ = 0.24 e Å^{-3}
$\Delta\rho_{min}$ = −0.24 e Å^{-3}

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

D—H···A	D—H	H···A	D···A	D—H···A
N2—H2A···O2	0.91	1.88	2.784 (2)	172

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*.

The author acknowledges the starter fund of Southeast University for the purchase of the X-ray diffractometer.

Supplementary data and figures for this paper are available from the IUCr electronic archives (Reference: NG2795).

References

Li, X. Z., Qu, Z. R. & Xiong, R. G. (2008). *Chin. J. Chem.* **11**, 1959–1962.
Rigaku (2005). *CrystalClear*. Rigaku Corporation, Tokyo, Japan.
Sheldrick, G. M. (2008). *Acta Cryst.* A**64**, 112–122.
Zhang, W., Chen, L. Z., Xiong, R. G., Nakamura, T. & Huang, S. D. (2009). *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **131**, 12544–12545.

supporting information

Acta Cryst. (2010). E**66**, o2042 [https://doi.org/10.1107/S1600536810027443]

4-[(2′-Cyanobiphenyl-4-yl)methyl]morpholin-4-ium nitrate

Weiwei SiMa

S1. Comment

As a continuation of our study of dielectric-ferroelectric materials, including organic ligands (Li *et al.*, 2008), metal-organic coordination compounds (Zhang *et al.*, 2009), organic-inorganic hybrids, we are interested in the dielectric properties (capacitance and dielectric loss measurements) of the title compound(I), unfortunately, there was no distinct anomaly observed from 93 K to 350 K. In thisarticle, the crystal structure of (I) has been presented.

The asymmetric unit of the title compound consists of one 4′-morpholinemethylbiphenyl-2-carbonitrile cation and one nitrate anion(fig1). The intermolecular N—H···O, N—H···N hydrogen bonds link the cations and anions to chains along *b* axis(fig2), and make great contribution to the stability of the structure.The title compound crystallizes in the monoclinic system, space group$P2_1/c$.

S2. Experimental

4′-morpholinemethylbiphenyl-2-carbonitrile (10 mmol)was dissolved in 10 ml e thanol, to which nitrate acid(10 mmol) was added dropwise under stirring, the reaction solution was stirred for a few minutes.water was added untill all suspended substrates disappeared. Colorless crystals suitable for X-ray analysis were formed after several days by slow evaporation of the solvent at room temperature.

S3. Refinement

Positional parameters of all the H atoms were calculated geometrically and were allowed to ride on the C, N atoms to which they are bonded, with C—H =0.93 to 0.97 Å, U_{iso}(H) = 1.2 U_{eq}(C), N—H = 0.91 Å, U_{iso}(H)= 1.5 U_{eq}(N).

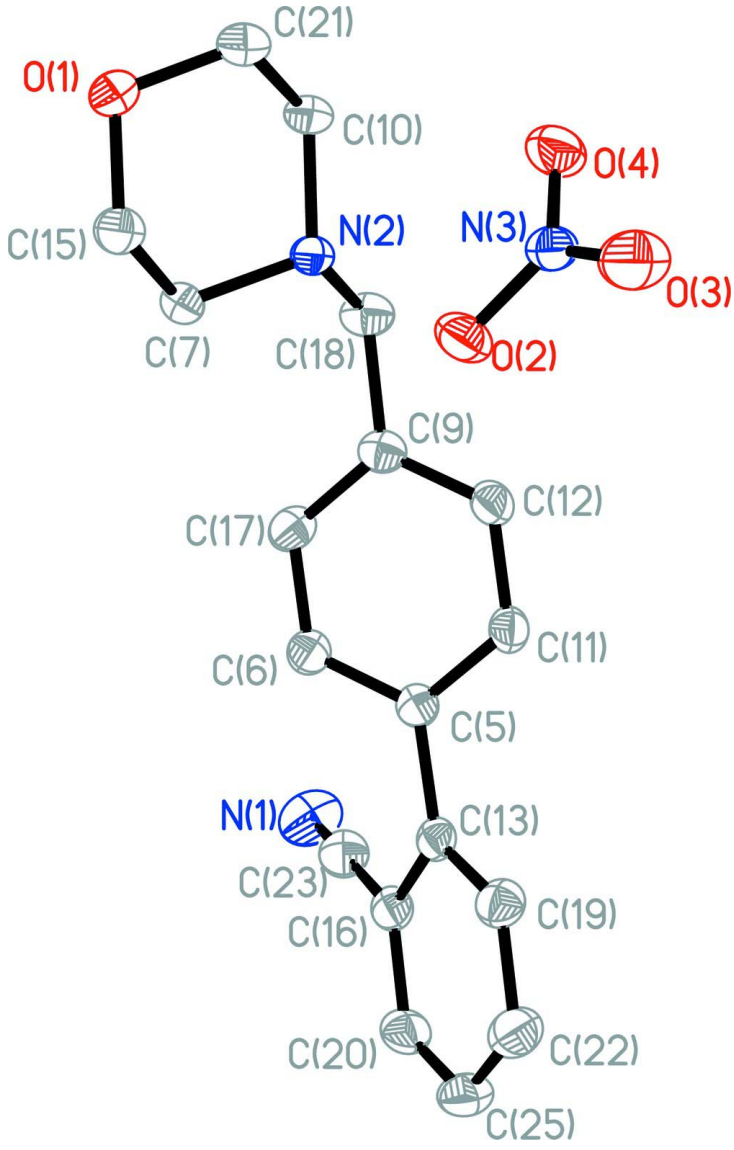


Figure 1

The molecular structure of the title compound, with the atomic numbering scheme. Displacement ellipsoids are drawn at the 30% probability level.

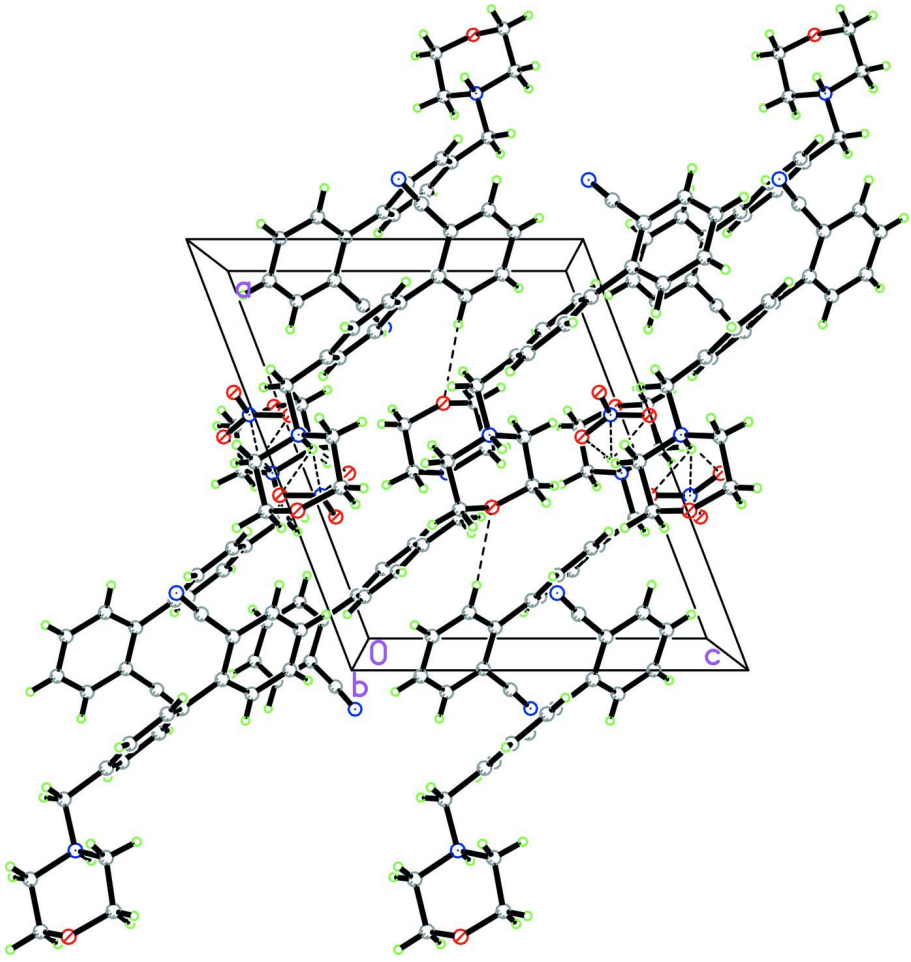


Figure 2

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

4-[(2′-Cyanobiphenyl-4-yl)methyl]morpholin-4-ium nitrate

Crystal data

$C_{18}H_{19}N_2O^+·NO_3^-$
M_r = 341.36
Monoclinic, $P2_1/c$
Hall symbol: -P 2ybc
a = 12.670 (6) Å
b = 13.120 (5) Å
c = 10.865 (5) Å
β = 110.927 (8)°
V = 1687.0 (12) Å^3
Z = 4
$F(000)$ = 720
D_x = 1.344 Mg m^{-3}
Mo $K\alpha$ radiation, λ = 0.71073 Å
Cell parameters from 3727 reflections
θ = 2.3–27.5°
μ = 0.10 mm^{-1}
T = 293 K
Prism, colourless
0.20 × 0.20 × 0.20 mm

Data collection

Rigaku SCXmini diffractometer
Radiation source: fine-focus sealed tube
Graphite monochromator
Detector resolution: 13.6612 pixels mm^{-1}
ω scans
Absorption correction: multi-scan (*CrystalClear*; Rigaku, 2005)
T_{min} = 0.981, T_{max} = 0.981
18242 measured reflections

3852 independent reflections
2848 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
$R_{int} = 0.052$
$\theta_{max} = 27.5°$, $\theta_{min} = 1.7°$
$h = -16 \rightarrow 16$
$k = -17 \rightarrow 17$
$l = -14 \rightarrow 14$

Refinement

Refinement on F^2
Least-squares matrix: full
$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.062$
$wR(F^2) = 0.178$
$S = 1.17$
3852 reflections
226 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-atom parameters constrained
$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0839P)^2 + 0.0408P]$ where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
$(\Delta/\sigma)_{max} < 0.001$
$\Delta\rho_{max} = 0.24$ e Å^{-3}
$\Delta\rho_{min} = -0.24$ e Å^{-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 (Å²)

	x	*y*	*z*	U_{iso}*/U_{eq}
N2	0.45201 (13)	0.21560 (12)	0.92144 (15)	0.0332 (4)
H2A	0.4862	0.2716	0.9032	0.040*
O1	0.63116 (14)	0.06839 (12)	0.98832 (15)	0.0521 (5)
C5	0.12498 (16)	0.35987 (15)	0.5246 (2)	0.0358 (5)
C6	0.12785 (18)	0.25575 (16)	0.5517 (2)	0.0417 (5)
H6A	0.0840	0.2110	0.4873	0.050*
C7	0.45639 (18)	0.13253 (16)	0.8303 (2)	0.0392 (5)
H7A	0.4217	0.1556	0.7399	0.047*
H7B	0.4140	0.0742	0.8423	0.047*
C9	0.26229 (17)	0.28322 (17)	0.7722 (2)	0.0393 (5)
C10	0.51627 (19)	0.18427 (17)	1.06051 (19)	0.0430 (5)
H10A	0.4767	0.1291	1.0849	0.052*
H10B	0.5206	0.2412	1.1190	0.052*
C11	0.19283 (18)	0.42418 (16)	0.6230 (2)	0.0419 (5)
H11A	0.1930	0.4937	0.6065	0.050*
C12	0.26004 (18)	0.38675 (17)	0.7450 (2)	0.0441 (5)
H12A	0.3041	0.4314	0.8093	0.053*
C13	0.05740 (17)	0.40207 (15)	0.3931 (2)	0.0371 (5)
C15	0.5770 (2)	0.10142 (19)	0.8560 (2)	0.0485 (6)
H15A	0.5782	0.0467	0.7964	0.058*
H15B	0.6181	0.1588	0.8389	0.058*

C16	−0.05099 (18)	0.36520 (16)	0.3153 (2)	0.0416 (5)
C17	0.19541 (18)	0.21840 (17)	0.6737 (2)	0.0447 (5)
H17A	0.1961	0.1488	0.6901	0.054*
C18	0.33288 (18)	0.24421 (19)	0.9069 (2)	0.0459 (6)
H18A	0.2960	0.1849	0.9265	0.055*
H18B	0.3359	0.2962	0.9716	0.055*
C19	0.1012 (2)	0.47979 (17)	0.3390 (2)	0.0482 (6)
H19A	0.1713	0.5072	0.3883	0.058*
C20	−0.1077 (2)	0.40316 (19)	0.1893 (2)	0.0533 (6)
H20A	−0.1783	0.3774	0.1390	0.064*
C21	0.63421 (19)	0.14995 (18)	1.0763 (2)	0.0494 (6)
H21A	0.6758	0.2068	1.0588	0.059*
H21B	0.6734	0.1278	1.1663	0.059*
C22	0.0438 (2)	0.5178 (2)	0.2140 (3)	0.0586 (7)
H22A	0.0755	0.5701	0.1807	0.070*
C23	−0.11159 (19)	0.29425 (19)	0.3668 (2)	0.0513 (6)
N1	−0.1659 (2)	0.2409 (2)	0.4032 (3)	0.0747 (7)
C25	−0.0596 (2)	0.4786 (2)	0.1392 (3)	0.0606 (7)
H25A	−0.0972	0.5031	0.0545	0.073*
O2	0.54586 (15)	0.38211 (13)	0.83891 (15)	0.0550 (5)
N3	0.60177 (17)	0.43391 (14)	0.93873 (18)	0.0465 (5)
O4	0.60072 (17)	0.40818 (14)	1.04806 (16)	0.0646 (5)
O3	0.65691 (17)	0.50803 (15)	0.92616 (18)	0.0771 (6)

Atomic displacement parameters (Å²)

	U^{11}	U^{22}	U^{33}	U^{12}	U^{13}	U^{23}
N2	0.0332 (9)	0.0350 (9)	0.0292 (9)	−0.0012 (7)	0.0086 (7)	0.0015 (7)
O1	0.0519 (10)	0.0499 (10)	0.0448 (9)	0.0160 (7)	0.0054 (8)	0.0012 (7)
C5	0.0265 (9)	0.0401 (11)	0.0396 (11)	0.0025 (8)	0.0102 (8)	−0.0027 (9)
C6	0.0344 (11)	0.0383 (12)	0.0457 (12)	−0.0037 (9)	0.0063 (9)	−0.0019 (9)
C7	0.0430 (12)	0.0375 (11)	0.0322 (11)	−0.0007 (9)	0.0075 (9)	−0.0028 (8)
C9	0.0290 (10)	0.0500 (12)	0.0385 (12)	0.0021 (9)	0.0115 (9)	0.0009 (9)
C10	0.0486 (13)	0.0479 (13)	0.0275 (10)	0.0041 (10)	0.0073 (9)	0.0029 (9)
C11	0.0402 (11)	0.0350 (11)	0.0454 (12)	0.0045 (9)	0.0089 (10)	−0.0062 (9)
C12	0.0394 (11)	0.0441 (12)	0.0418 (12)	0.0035 (9)	0.0059 (10)	−0.0089 (9)
C13	0.0327 (10)	0.0347 (11)	0.0406 (11)	0.0066 (8)	0.0092 (9)	−0.0026 (9)
C15	0.0489 (13)	0.0535 (14)	0.0397 (12)	0.0093 (11)	0.0116 (11)	−0.0016 (10)
C16	0.0348 (11)	0.0423 (12)	0.0436 (12)	0.0057 (9)	0.0089 (10)	−0.0037 (9)
C17	0.0367 (11)	0.0400 (12)	0.0508 (13)	−0.0032 (9)	0.0077 (10)	0.0064 (10)
C18	0.0361 (11)	0.0621 (15)	0.0405 (12)	0.0040 (10)	0.0149 (10)	0.0049 (10)
C19	0.0422 (12)	0.0469 (13)	0.0503 (14)	0.0010 (10)	0.0102 (11)	0.0017 (10)
C20	0.0441 (13)	0.0616 (16)	0.0428 (13)	0.0069 (11)	0.0015 (11)	−0.0046 (11)
C21	0.0446 (13)	0.0540 (14)	0.0388 (12)	0.0050 (10)	0.0018 (10)	−0.0002 (10)
C22	0.0632 (16)	0.0534 (15)	0.0562 (15)	0.0029 (12)	0.0178 (13)	0.0099 (12)
C23	0.0306 (11)	0.0584 (15)	0.0557 (15)	0.0016 (10)	0.0043 (11)	−0.0023 (12)
N1	0.0444 (13)	0.0834 (18)	0.0884 (18)	−0.0072 (12)	0.0139 (13)	0.0157 (14)
C25	0.0644 (17)	0.0659 (17)	0.0423 (13)	0.0150 (13)	0.0075 (12)	0.0088 (12)

O2	0.0617 (11)	0.0570 (10)	0.0381 (9)	−0.0137 (8)	0.0075 (8)	−0.0069 (7)
N3	0.0480 (11)	0.0412 (11)	0.0392 (11)	−0.0038 (8)	0.0022 (9)	0.0047 (8)
O4	0.0876 (14)	0.0602 (11)	0.0383 (9)	−0.0121 (9)	0.0129 (9)	0.0019 (8)
O3	0.0796 (14)	0.0641 (12)	0.0676 (13)	−0.0319 (10)	0.0018 (11)	0.0168 (10)

Geometric parameters (Å, º)

N2—C7	1.487 (3)	C13—C19	1.388 (3)
N2—C10	1.495 (3)	C13—C16	1.416 (3)
N2—C18	1.508 (3)	C15—H15A	0.9700
N2—H2A	0.9100	C15—H15B	0.9700
O1—C15	1.422 (3)	C16—C20	1.391 (3)
O1—C21	1.426 (3)	C16—C23	1.441 (3)
C5—C11	1.392 (3)	C17—H17A	0.9300
C5—C6	1.395 (3)	C18—H18A	0.9700
C5—C13	1.485 (3)	C18—H18B	0.9700
C6—C17	1.386 (3)	C19—C22	1.384 (3)
C6—H6A	0.9300	C19—H19A	0.9300
C7—C15	1.508 (3)	C20—C25	1.372 (4)
C7—H7A	0.9700	C20—H20A	0.9300
C7—H7B	0.9700	C21—H21A	0.9700
C9—C12	1.388 (3)	C21—H21B	0.9700
C9—C17	1.392 (3)	C22—C25	1.372 (4)
C9—C18	1.506 (3)	C22—H22A	0.9300
C10—C21	1.511 (3)	C23—N1	1.146 (3)
C10—H10A	0.9700	C25—H25A	0.9300
C10—H10B	0.9700	O2—N3	1.261 (2)
C11—C12	1.384 (3)	N3—O3	1.233 (2)
C11—H11A	0.9300	N3—O4	1.240 (2)
C12—H12A	0.9300		
C7—N2—C10	109.59 (16)	C7—C15—H15A	109.4
C7—N2—C18	112.76 (16)	O1—C15—H15B	109.4
C10—N2—C18	109.72 (16)	C7—C15—H15B	109.4
C7—N2—H2A	108.2	H15A—C15—H15B	108.0
C10—N2—H2A	108.2	C20—C16—C13	121.0 (2)
C18—N2—H2A	108.2	C20—C16—C23	117.0 (2)
C15—O1—C21	109.68 (17)	C13—C16—C23	121.7 (2)
C11—C5—C6	117.98 (19)	C6—C17—C9	121.2 (2)
C11—C5—C13	119.90 (19)	C6—C17—H17A	119.4
C6—C5—C13	122.03 (19)	C9—C17—H17A	119.4
C17—C6—C5	120.6 (2)	C9—C18—N2	114.26 (17)
C17—C6—H6A	119.7	C9—C18—H18A	108.7
C5—C6—H6A	119.7	N2—C18—H18A	108.7
N2—C7—C15	110.57 (17)	C9—C18—H18B	108.7
N2—C7—H7A	109.5	N2—C18—H18B	108.7
C15—C7—H7A	109.5	H18A—C18—H18B	107.6
N2—C7—H7B	109.5	C22—C19—C13	122.1 (2)

C15—C7—H7B	109.5	C22—C19—H19A	119.0
H7A—C7—H7B	108.1	C13—C19—H19A	119.0
C12—C9—C17	118.2 (2)	C25—C20—C16	120.1 (2)
C12—C9—C18	120.0 (2)	C25—C20—H20A	119.9
C17—C9—C18	121.8 (2)	C16—C20—H20A	119.9
N2—C10—C21	110.85 (18)	O1—C21—C10	111.03 (18)
N2—C10—H10A	109.5	O1—C21—H21A	109.4
C21—C10—H10A	109.5	C10—C21—H21A	109.4
N2—C10—H10B	109.5	O1—C21—H21B	109.4
C21—C10—H10B	109.5	C10—C21—H21B	109.4
H10A—C10—H10B	108.1	H21A—C21—H21B	108.0
C12—C11—C5	121.4 (2)	C25—C22—C19	120.1 (3)
C12—C11—H11A	119.3	C25—C22—H22A	120.0
C5—C11—H11A	119.3	C19—C22—H22A	120.0
C11—C12—C9	120.7 (2)	N1—C23—C16	175.7 (3)
C11—C12—H12A	119.7	C20—C25—C22	120.1 (2)
C9—C12—H12A	119.7	C20—C25—H25A	120.0
C19—C13—C16	116.55 (19)	C22—C25—H25A	120.0
C19—C13—C5	120.05 (19)	O3—N3—O4	121.4 (2)
C16—C13—C5	123.37 (19)	O3—N3—O2	119.7 (2)
O1—C15—C7	111.16 (18)	O4—N3—O2	118.84 (19)
O1—C15—H15A	109.4		

C11—C5—C6—C17	0.8 (3)	C5—C13—C16—C23	9.9 (3)
C13—C5—C6—C17	177.3 (2)	C5—C6—C17—C9	−0.2 (3)
C10—N2—C7—C15	−53.1 (2)	C12—C9—C17—C6	−0.3 (3)
C18—N2—C7—C15	−175.65 (17)	C18—C9—C17—C6	177.73 (19)
C7—N2—C10—C21	52.7 (2)	C12—C9—C18—N2	−90.3 (3)
C18—N2—C10—C21	177.06 (18)	C17—C9—C18—N2	91.7 (3)
C6—C5—C11—C12	−0.9 (3)	C7—N2—C18—C9	−61.1 (2)
C13—C5—C11—C12	−177.56 (19)	C10—N2—C18—C9	176.48 (18)
C5—C11—C12—C9	0.5 (3)	C16—C13—C19—C22	−1.7 (3)
C17—C9—C12—C11	0.1 (3)	C5—C13—C19—C22	176.6 (2)
C18—C9—C12—C11	−177.9 (2)	C13—C16—C20—C25	−1.0 (3)
C11—C5—C13—C19	36.9 (3)	C23—C16—C20—C25	173.4 (2)
C6—C5—C13—C19	−139.6 (2)	C15—O1—C21—C10	60.9 (2)
C11—C5—C13—C16	−144.9 (2)	N2—C10—C21—O1	−57.1 (2)
C6—C5—C13—C16	38.6 (3)	C13—C19—C22—C25	−0.1 (4)
C21—O1—C15—C7	−61.6 (2)	C20—C16—C23—N1	−30 (4)
N2—C7—C15—O1	58.4 (2)	C13—C16—C23—N1	144 (4)
C19—C13—C16—C20	2.3 (3)	C16—C20—C25—C22	−1.0 (4)
C5—C13—C16—C20	−176.0 (2)	C19—C22—C25—C20	1.5 (4)
C19—C13—C16—C23	−171.9 (2)		

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, º)

D—H···*A*	*D*—H	H···*A*	*D*···*A*	*D*—H···*A*
N2—H2*A*···O2	0.91	1.88	2.784 (2)	172

N2—H2*A*···O4	0.91	2.48	3.158 (3)	131
N2—H2*A*···N3	0.91	2.53	3.404 (3)	160