

**Methyl 4-isonicotinamidobenzoate monohydrate****Yang Zhang and Xiao-Li Zhao\***

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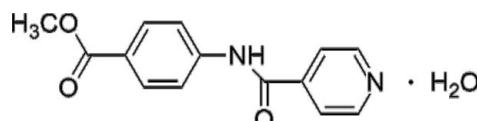
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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study;  $T = 296\text{ K}$ ; mean  $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.002\text{ \AA}$ ;  $R$  factor = 0.035;  $wR$  factor = 0.102; data-to-parameter ratio = 12.8.

The title compound,  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{12}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3\cdot\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , synthesized by the reaction of methyl 4-aminobenzoate with isonicotinoyl chloride hydrochloride, is relatively planar, with the pyridine ring being inclined by  $7.46(7)^\circ$  to the benzene ring. In the crystal, the methyl 4-isonicotinamidobenzoate molecules are interlinked by water molecules *via*  $\text{N}-\text{H}\cdots\text{O}$ ,  $\text{O}-\text{H}\cdots\text{N}$  and  $\text{O}-\text{H}\cdots\text{O}$  hydrogen bonds, leading to the formation of a double-chain ribbon-like structure.

**Related literature**

For the synthesis of methyl 4-aminobenzoate and isonicotinoyl chloride hydrochloride, see: Margiotta *et al.* (2008). For the use of such ligands in coordination chemistry, see: Saeed *et al.* (2010); Kitagawa (2005). For standard bond distances, see: Allen *et al.* (1987).

**Experimental***Crystal data* $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{12}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3\cdot\text{H}_2\text{O}$  $M_r = 274.27$ Triclinic,  $P\bar{1}$  $a = 6.8836(3)\text{ \AA}$  $b = 8.8810(4)\text{ \AA}$  $c = 10.9658(5)\text{ \AA}$  $\alpha = 96.062(1)^\circ$  $\beta = 90.896(1)^\circ$  $\gamma = 95.854(1)^\circ$  $V = 662.91(5)\text{ \AA}^3$ 

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 $\mu = 0.10\text{ mm}^{-1}$

$T = 296\text{ K}$   
 $0.48 \times 0.37 \times 0.27\text{ mm}$

*Data collection*

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Absorption correction: multi-scan (*SADABS*; Sheldrick, 1996)  
 $T_{\min} = 0.952$ ,  $T_{\max} = 0.973$

7689 measured reflections  
2318 independent reflections  
1968 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$   
 $R_{\text{int}} = 0.015$

*Refinement*

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.035$   
 $wR(F^2) = 0.102$   
 $S = 1.06$   
2318 reflections  
181 parameters

3 restraints  
H-atom parameters constrained  
 $\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.14\text{ e \AA}^{-3}$   
 $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.16\text{ e \AA}^{-3}$

**Table 1**  
Hydrogen-bond geometry ( $\text{\AA}$ ,  $^\circ$ ).

$D-\text{H}\cdots A$	$D-\text{H}$	$\text{H}\cdots A$	$D\cdots A$	$D-\text{H}\cdots A$
$\text{N}1-\text{H}1\text{A}\cdots\text{O}1\text{W}^{\text{i}}$	0.86	2.10	2.9014 (14)	155
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$\text{O}1\text{W}-\text{H}1\text{WB}\cdots\text{O}2$	0.89	1.96	2.8385 (14)	172

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

Data collection: *SMART* (Bruker, 2007); cell refinement: *SAINT* (Bruker, 2007); 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 local programs.

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### S1. Comment

The title compound was synthesized as a potential ligand for use in coordination chemistry (Saeed *et al.*, 2010; Kitagawa, 2005). It was synthesized via the reaction of methyl 4-benzoate with isonicotinoyl.HCl and contains both a coordination site [the N atom in the pyridyl ring], and a guest interaction site [the amide group].

The molecular structure of the title compound is illustrated in Fig. 1. The bond distances are normal (Allen *et al.*, 1987), and the molecule is relatively planar with the dihedral angle involving the pyridine and benzene rings being 7.46 (7)°.

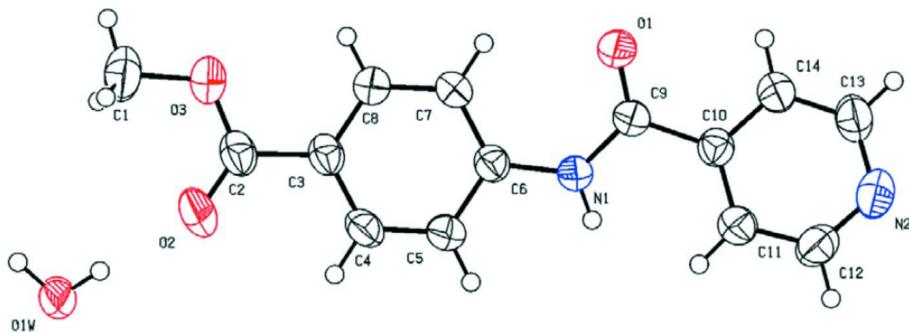
In the crystal molecules are connected by hydrogen bonds, with the water molecule H-atoms serving as hydrogen-bond donors and the pyridyl nitrogen and ester oxygen atoms serving as acceptors (Fig. 2 and Table 1). At the same time, the amide nitrogen atom acts as a hydrogen-bond donor and the water oxygen atom as a hydrogen-bond acceptor. In this way a double stranded ribbon-like structure is formed with base vector [11-1].

### S2. Experimental

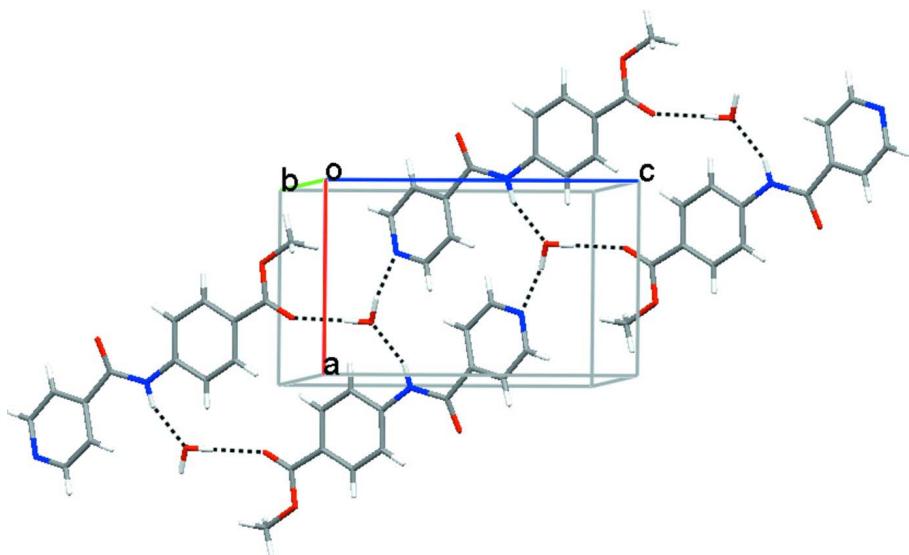
Methyl 4-aminobenzoate and isonicotinoyl chloride hydrochloride were synthesized using the literature methods (Margiotta *et al.*, 2008). Methyl 4-aminobenzoate (3.02 g, 20 mmol), isonicotinoyl chloride hydrochloride (3.56 g, 20 mmol), and K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> (5.52 g, 49 mmol) were mixed in acetone (100 ml). The mixture was kept at 343 K for 8 h with constant stirring. The white precipitate that formed was filtered off and washed with distilled water and then dried. Colourless block-like crystals, suitable for x-ray analysis, were obtained from a DMF-methanol solution (1:1; v:v) *via* vapour evaporation at room temperature after two weeks.

### S3. Refinement

The water molecule H-atoms were located in a difference Fourier map and were refined with U<sub>iso</sub>(H) = 1.5U<sub>eq</sub>(Ow) and a restrained bond distance of 0.85 (2) Å. The remaining H-atoms were positioned geometrically and refined using a riding model: N-H = 0.86 Å, C—H = 0.93–0.96 Å with U<sub>iso</sub>(H) = k × U<sub>eq</sub>(N,C), where k = 1.2 for NH, CH and CH<sub>2</sub> H-atoms, and k = 1.5 for CH<sub>3</sub> H-atoms.

**Figure 1**

The molecular structure of the title compound, with atom labels and displacement ellipsoids drawn at the 50% probability level.

**Figure 2**

A view of the crystal packing of the title compound, showing one layer of molecules connected by O—H···N, O—H···O and N—H···O hydrogen bonds (dashed lines) [Symmetry codes: A = x+1, y+1, z-1; B = -x, -y+2, -z].

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Hall symbol: -P 1

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Cell parameters from 4652 reflections

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 $R_{\text{int}} = 0.015$   
 $\theta_{\max} = 25.0^\circ$ ,  $\theta_{\min} = 1.9^\circ$   
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 $k = -10 \rightarrow 10$   
 $l = -13 \rightarrow 12$

*Refinement*

Refinement on  $F^2$   
 Least-squares matrix: full  
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 $wR(F^2) = 0.102$   
 $S = 1.06$   
 2318 reflections  
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 Primary atom site location: structure-invariant direct methods

Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier map  
 Hydrogen site location: inferred from neighbouring sites  
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 $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0526P)^2 + 0.1234P]$   
 where  $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$   
 $(\Delta/\sigma)_{\max} < 0.001$   
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*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  $F^2 > \sigma(F^2)$  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<sup>2</sup>)*

	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>	$U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$
N1	0.02099 (15)	0.81758 (12)	0.39503 (10)	0.0431 (3)
H1A	-0.0956	0.7830	0.3698	0.052*
N2	-0.34705 (19)	0.52096 (14)	0.70330 (12)	0.0576 (3)
O3	0.61235 (16)	1.21607 (13)	0.08752 (10)	0.0623 (3)
O2	0.33143 (18)	1.24867 (15)	-0.00513 (11)	0.0772 (4)
O1	0.23987 (15)	0.81573 (15)	0.55168 (10)	0.0713 (4)
O1W	0.30526 (15)	1.33795 (13)	-0.24537 (9)	0.0662 (3)
H1WA	0.4223	1.3964	-0.2516	0.099*
H1WB	0.3142	1.3192	-0.1677	0.099*
C1	0.7154 (3)	1.3157 (2)	0.00895 (17)	0.0722 (5)
H1B	0.8527	1.3251	0.0290	0.108*
H1C	0.6685	1.4142	0.0207	0.108*
H1D	0.6937	1.2740	-0.0751	0.108*
C2	0.4195 (2)	1.19167 (16)	0.07065 (12)	0.0507 (4)
C3	0.3244 (2)	1.08944 (15)	0.15573 (11)	0.0440 (3)
C4	0.1229 (2)	1.05719 (15)	0.14751 (12)	0.0480 (3)

H4A	0.0521	1.0974	0.0881	0.058*
C5	0.0271 (2)	0.96663 (15)	0.22619 (12)	0.0462 (3)
H5A	-0.1079	0.9452	0.2192	0.055*
C6	0.13107 (19)	0.90658 (14)	0.31652 (11)	0.0397 (3)
C7	0.3329 (2)	0.93699 (16)	0.32434 (12)	0.0467 (3)
H7A	0.4041	0.8963	0.3833	0.056*
C8	0.4280 (2)	1.02781 (16)	0.24441 (13)	0.0479 (3)
H8A	0.5633	1.0479	0.2501	0.057*
C9	0.07765 (19)	0.78029 (15)	0.50566 (12)	0.0442 (3)
C10	-0.07614 (19)	0.69056 (14)	0.57202 (11)	0.0408 (3)
C11	-0.2737 (2)	0.69375 (16)	0.55336 (12)	0.0483 (3)
H11A	-0.3201	0.7522	0.4959	0.058*
C12	-0.4020 (2)	0.60887 (18)	0.62121 (14)	0.0573 (4)
H12A	-0.5351	0.6136	0.6086	0.069*
C13	-0.1559 (2)	0.51992 (17)	0.72155 (14)	0.0566 (4)
H13A	-0.1137	0.4597	0.7790	0.068*
C14	-0.0171 (2)	0.60287 (16)	0.66023 (13)	0.0515 (4)
H14A	0.1151	0.6002	0.6778	0.062*

*Atomic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2$ )*

	$U^{11}$	$U^{22}$	$U^{33}$	$U^{12}$	$U^{13}$	$U^{23}$
N1	0.0379 (6)	0.0495 (6)	0.0418 (6)	-0.0031 (5)	-0.0043 (4)	0.0129 (5)
N2	0.0608 (8)	0.0573 (7)	0.0527 (7)	-0.0070 (6)	0.0120 (6)	0.0074 (6)
O3	0.0606 (7)	0.0702 (7)	0.0580 (6)	-0.0041 (5)	0.0084 (5)	0.0254 (5)
O2	0.0824 (9)	0.0973 (9)	0.0553 (7)	-0.0071 (7)	-0.0077 (6)	0.0408 (6)
O1	0.0464 (6)	0.1138 (10)	0.0532 (6)	-0.0184 (6)	-0.0125 (5)	0.0349 (6)
O1W	0.0574 (6)	0.0887 (8)	0.0504 (6)	-0.0217 (6)	-0.0132 (5)	0.0287 (5)
C1	0.0783 (12)	0.0701 (11)	0.0688 (11)	-0.0096 (9)	0.0164 (9)	0.0245 (8)
C2	0.0648 (9)	0.0515 (8)	0.0351 (7)	-0.0004 (7)	0.0007 (6)	0.0076 (6)
C3	0.0542 (8)	0.0438 (7)	0.0331 (6)	0.0004 (6)	0.0002 (6)	0.0052 (5)
C4	0.0552 (8)	0.0509 (8)	0.0383 (7)	0.0027 (6)	-0.0103 (6)	0.0115 (6)
C5	0.0428 (7)	0.0516 (8)	0.0441 (7)	0.0010 (6)	-0.0069 (6)	0.0097 (6)
C6	0.0432 (7)	0.0388 (6)	0.0369 (6)	0.0018 (5)	-0.0015 (5)	0.0053 (5)
C7	0.0429 (7)	0.0545 (8)	0.0457 (7)	0.0061 (6)	-0.0028 (6)	0.0183 (6)
C8	0.0420 (7)	0.0565 (8)	0.0461 (7)	0.0018 (6)	0.0008 (6)	0.0134 (6)
C9	0.0410 (7)	0.0512 (7)	0.0401 (7)	0.0001 (6)	-0.0036 (5)	0.0090 (6)
C10	0.0428 (7)	0.0423 (7)	0.0365 (6)	0.0013 (5)	0.0017 (5)	0.0034 (5)
C11	0.0458 (8)	0.0580 (8)	0.0414 (7)	0.0048 (6)	-0.0005 (6)	0.0076 (6)
C12	0.0429 (8)	0.0741 (10)	0.0522 (8)	-0.0028 (7)	0.0048 (6)	0.0027 (7)
C13	0.0642 (10)	0.0536 (8)	0.0553 (9)	0.0076 (7)	0.0097 (7)	0.0193 (7)
C14	0.0473 (8)	0.0592 (8)	0.0513 (8)	0.0093 (6)	0.0046 (6)	0.0180 (7)

*Geometric parameters ( $\text{\AA}$ ,  $^\circ$ )*

N1—C9	1.3528 (17)	C4—C5	1.3721 (19)
N1—C6	1.4078 (16)	C4—H4A	0.9300
N1—H1A	0.8600	C5—C6	1.3946 (17)

N2—C12	1.327 (2)	C5—H5A	0.9300
N2—C13	1.329 (2)	C6—C7	1.3879 (18)
O3—C2	1.3296 (18)	C7—C8	1.3807 (19)
O3—C1	1.4422 (17)	C7—H7A	0.9300
O2—C2	1.2043 (18)	C8—H8A	0.9300
O1—C9	1.2156 (16)	C9—C10	1.5032 (18)
O1W—H1WA	0.9207	C10—C11	1.3758 (19)
O1W—H1WB	0.8877	C10—C14	1.3853 (19)
C1—H1B	0.9600	C11—C12	1.380 (2)
C1—H1C	0.9600	C11—H11A	0.9300
C1—H1D	0.9600	C12—H12A	0.9300
C2—O2	1.2043 (18)	C13—C14	1.375 (2)
C2—C3	1.4833 (19)	C13—H13A	0.9300
C3—C4	1.387 (2)	C14—H14A	0.9300
C3—C8	1.3871 (19)		
C9—N1—C6	127.41 (11)	C7—C6—C5	119.24 (12)
C9—N1—H1A	116.3	C7—C6—N1	124.08 (11)
C6—N1—H1A	116.3	C5—C6—N1	116.69 (11)
C12—N2—C13	116.54 (12)	C8—C7—C6	119.91 (12)
C2—O3—C1	116.54 (13)	C8—C7—H7A	120.0
O2—O2—C2	0 (10)	C6—C7—H7A	120.0
H1WA—O1W—H1WB	100.2	C7—C8—C3	120.88 (13)
O3—C1—H1B	109.5	C7—C8—H8A	119.6
O3—C1—H1C	109.5	C3—C8—H8A	119.6
H1B—C1—H1C	109.5	O1—C9—N1	124.09 (12)
O3—C1—H1D	109.5	O1—C9—C10	120.49 (12)
H1B—C1—H1D	109.5	N1—C9—C10	115.42 (11)
H1C—C1—H1D	109.5	C11—C10—C14	117.50 (12)
O2—C2—O2	0.00 (10)	C11—C10—C9	123.90 (12)
O2—C2—O3	123.17 (13)	C14—C10—C9	118.56 (12)
O2—C2—O3	123.17 (13)	C10—C11—C12	118.98 (13)
O2—C2—C3	123.63 (14)	C10—C11—H11A	120.5
O2—C2—C3	123.63 (14)	C12—C11—H11A	120.5
O3—C2—C3	113.20 (12)	N2—C12—C11	123.99 (14)
C4—C3—C8	118.92 (12)	N2—C12—H12A	118.0
C4—C3—C2	118.31 (12)	C11—C12—H12A	118.0
C8—C3—C2	122.76 (13)	N2—C13—C14	123.67 (14)
C5—C4—C3	120.67 (12)	N2—C13—H13A	118.2
C5—C4—H4A	119.7	C14—C13—H13A	118.2
C3—C4—H4A	119.7	C13—C14—C10	119.26 (13)
C4—C5—C6	120.37 (12)	C13—C14—H14A	120.4
C4—C5—H5A	119.8	C10—C14—H14A	120.4
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