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# 1-[5-[(*E*)-(4-Propylphenyl)diazenyl]-2-hydroxyphenyl]ethanone

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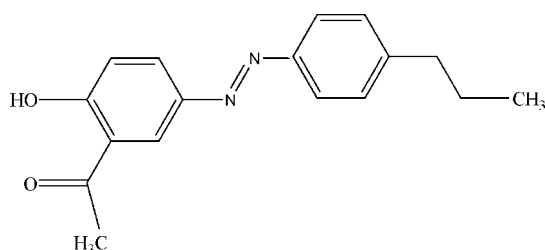
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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study;  $T = 150$  K; mean  $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.002$  Å;  $R$  factor = 0.035;  $wR$  factor = 0.097; data-to-parameter ratio = 15.7.

The molecular geometry of the title compound,  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{18}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2$ , displays an *E* configuration with respect to the azo group. The dihedral angle between the aromatic rings is  $10.39$  ( $4^\circ$ ). In the molecule, an intramolecular  $\text{O}-\text{H}\cdots\text{O}$  hydrogen bond generates an  $S(6)$  ring motif.

## Related literature

For general background to azo compounds, see: Russ & Tappe (1994); Tsuda *et al.* (2000). For bond-length data, see: Allen *et al.* (1987); Deveci *et al.* (2005); Karadayı *et al.*, (2006); El-Ghamry *et al.* (2008); Albayrak *et al.*, 2009; Yazıcı *et al.* (2010).



## Experimental

### Crystal data

$\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{18}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2$   
 $M_r = 282.33$   
Monoclinic,  $P2_1/c$   
 $a = 14.8315$  (5) Å  
 $b = 7.5573$  (2) Å

$c = 13.5020$  (4) Å  
 $\beta = 102.578$  (3) $^\circ$   
 $V = 1477.07$  (8) Å<sup>3</sup>  
 $Z = 4$   
Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation

$\mu = 0.08$  mm<sup>-1</sup>  
 $T = 150$  K

$0.75 \times 0.47 \times 0.21$  mm

### Data collection

Stoe IPDS II diffractometer  
Absorption correction: integration  
(*X-RED32*; Stoe & Cie, 2002)  
 $T_{\min} = 0.946$ ,  $T_{\max} = 0.984$

21625 measured reflections  
3054 independent reflections  
2680 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$   
 $R_{\text{int}} = 0.039$

### Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.035$   
 $wR(F^2) = 0.097$   
 $S = 1.04$   
3054 reflections  
195 parameters

H atoms treated by a mixture of independent and constrained refinement  
 $\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.21$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>  
 $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.16$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>

**Table 1**

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å,  $^\circ$ ).

$D-H\cdots A$	$D-H$	$H\cdots A$	$D\cdots A$	$D-H\cdots A$
$\text{O1}-\text{H1}\cdots\text{O2}$	0.921 (19)	1.675 (18)	2.5365 (13)	154.3 (16)

Data collection: *X-Area* (Stoe & Cie, 2002); cell refinement: *X-Area*; data reduction: *X-RED32* (Stoe & Cie, 2002); program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 2008); molecular graphics: *ORTEP-3 for Windows* (Farrugia, 1997); software used to prepare material for publication: *WinGX* (Farrugia, 1999).

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**S1. Comment**

Azo colorants, which are characterized by one or more azo bonds, are the most versatile class of dyes. They are used in textiles, printing, cosmetics, drugs and other consumer goods (Russ & Tappe, 1994; Tsuda *et al.*, 2000).

A view of a molecule of the title compound, together with the atom-numbering scheme, is shown in Fig. 1. The title molecule adopts the *E* configuration with respect to N=N bridge and the C1—N1—N2—C9 torsion angle is  $-178.33(8)^\circ$ . The *A/B* and *B/C* dihedral angles between the *A* (C1...C6), *B* (C9...14) and *C* (C12/C15/C16/C17) fragments are  $10.39(4)$  and  $76.04(8)^\circ$ , respectively.

The N1—C1 and N2—C9 bond lengths of 1.4203 (12) and 1.4271 (12) Å, respectively, indicate single-bond character, whereas the N1—N2 bond length of 1.2572 (12) Å indicates double-bond character. In the molecule, all bond lengths are in good agreement with those reported for other azo compounds (Allen *et al.*, 1987; Deveci *et al.*, 2005; El-Ghamry *et al.*, 2008; Albayrak *et al.*, 2009; Yazıcı *et al.*, 2010; Karadayı *et al.*, 2006). There is a strong intra-molecular hydrogen bond of 2.5365 (13) Å between atoms O1 and O2. The crystal packing is controlled by dipole-dipole and van der Waals interactions, and molecules are stacked along crystallographic [010] direction.

**S2. Experimental**

A mixture of 4-propylaniline (1.05 g, 7.8 mmol), water (20 ml) and concentrated hydrochloric acid (1.97 ml, 23.4 mmol) was stirred until a clear solution was obtained. This solution was cooled down to 0–5 °C and a solution of sodium nitrite (0.75 g 7.8 mmol) in water was added dropwise while the temperature was maintained below 5 °C. The resulting mixture was stirred for 30 min in an ice bath. 2-Hydroxyacetophenone (1.067 g, 7.8 mmol, solution at pH 9) was gradually added to a cooled solution of 4-propylbenzenediazonium chloride, prepared as described above, and the resulting mixture was stirred at 0–5 °C for 2 h in an ice bath. The product was recrystallized from ethanol to obtain solid (*E*)-2-acetyl-4-(4-propylphenyldiazenyl)phenol. Crystals were obtained after one day by slow evaporation from acetic acid (yield 45%, m.p. = 350–352 K).

**S3. Refinement**

All C-bonded H atoms were positioned with idealized geometry using a riding model, with C—H = 0.93–0.97 Å. Hydroxyl H atom H1 was found in a difference map and refined freely. All H atoms were refined with  $U_{\text{iso}}=1.2U_{\text{eq}}$ (parent atom) or  $U_{\text{iso}}=1.5U_{\text{eq}}$ (parent atom)

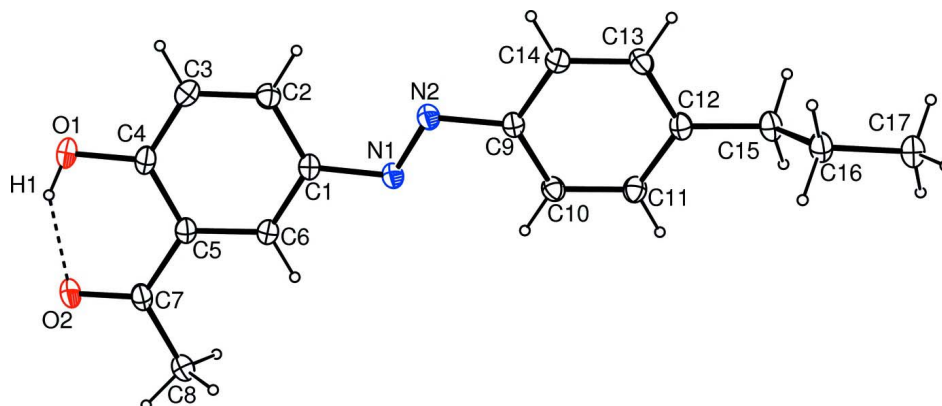


Figure 1

An ORTEP view of the title compound, with the atom-numbering scheme and 30% probability displacement ellipsoids.

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$V = 1477.07\ (8)\ \text{\AA}^3$

$Z = 4$

$F(000) = 600$

$D_x = 1.270\ \text{Mg m}^{-3}$

Melting point: 350 K

Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation,  $\lambda = 0.71073\ \text{\AA}$

Cell parameters from 29224 reflections

$\theta = 1.5\text{--}28.0^\circ$

$\mu = 0.08\ \text{mm}^{-1}$

$T = 150\ \text{K}$

Prism, brown

$0.75 \times 0.47 \times 0.21\ \text{mm}$

#### Data collection

Stoe IPDS II

diffractometer

Radiation source: fine-focus sealed tube

Graphite monochromator

Detector resolution: 6.67 pixels  $\text{mm}^{-1}$

$\omega$  scans

Absorption correction: integration

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3054 independent reflections

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$R_{\text{int}} = 0.039$

$\theta_{\max} = 26.5^\circ$ ,  $\theta_{\min} = 2.8^\circ$

$h = -18 \rightarrow 18$

$k = -9 \rightarrow 9$

$l = -16 \rightarrow 16$

#### Refinement

Refinement on  $F^2$

Least-squares matrix: full

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.035$

$wR(F^2) = 0.097$

$S = 1.04$

3054 reflections

195 parameters

0 restraints

0 constraints

Primary atom site location: structure-invariant

direct methods

Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier map

Hydrogen site location: inferred from neighbouring sites

H atoms treated by a mixture of independent and constrained refinement

$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0487P)^2 + 0.2885P]$

where  $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$

$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\max} < 0.001$

$\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.21\ \text{e \AA}^{-3}$

$\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.16\ \text{e \AA}^{-3}$

Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2$ )

	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>	$U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$
C1	0.47997 (7)	0.68823 (13)	0.36509 (7)	0.0259 (2)
C2	0.50206 (7)	0.61432 (14)	0.27782 (8)	0.0288 (2)
H2	0.5600	0.5644	0.2815	0.035*
C3	0.43876 (7)	0.61552 (14)	0.18743 (8)	0.0310 (2)
H3	0.4540	0.5670	0.1299	0.037*
C4	0.35131 (7)	0.68914 (14)	0.18103 (8)	0.0293 (2)
C5	0.32685 (7)	0.76156 (13)	0.26807 (7)	0.0264 (2)
C6	0.39293 (7)	0.75846 (13)	0.35970 (7)	0.0260 (2)
H6	0.3780	0.8045	0.4180	0.031*
C7	0.23300 (7)	0.83175 (13)	0.26066 (8)	0.0287 (2)
C8	0.20412 (7)	0.89985 (15)	0.35252 (8)	0.0319 (2)
H8A	0.1425	0.9460	0.3335	0.048*
H8B	0.2455	0.9921	0.3829	0.048*
H8C	0.2058	0.8053	0.4004	0.048*
C9	0.68461 (7)	0.65001 (13)	0.55710 (7)	0.0253 (2)
C10	0.65886 (7)	0.69262 (14)	0.64747 (8)	0.0281 (2)
H10	0.5984	0.7262	0.6467	0.034*
C11	0.72316 (7)	0.68489 (14)	0.73810 (8)	0.0290 (2)
H11	0.7055	0.7149	0.7980	0.035*
C12	0.81431 (7)	0.63289 (13)	0.74182 (8)	0.0277 (2)
C13	0.83931 (7)	0.59345 (15)	0.65066 (8)	0.0310 (2)
H13	0.8999	0.5611	0.6513	0.037*
C14	0.77553 (7)	0.60153 (14)	0.55917 (8)	0.0298 (2)
H14	0.7934	0.5746	0.4991	0.036*
C15	0.88314 (7)	0.61869 (15)	0.84173 (8)	0.0323 (2)
H15A	0.9176	0.5094	0.8424	0.039*
H15B	0.8498	0.6120	0.8959	0.039*
C16	0.95106 (7)	0.77208 (15)	0.86325 (8)	0.0332 (2)
H16A	0.9171	0.8825	0.8588	0.040*
H16B	0.9881	0.7742	0.8122	0.040*
C17	1.01453 (8)	0.75689 (16)	0.96802 (8)	0.0364 (3)
H17A	1.0562	0.8557	0.9791	0.055*
H17B	1.0492	0.6489	0.9722	0.055*
H17C	0.9782	0.7565	1.0188	0.055*
N1	0.54195 (6)	0.69552 (12)	0.46137 (6)	0.0276 (2)
N2	0.62283 (6)	0.64756 (12)	0.45996 (6)	0.0276 (2)
O1	0.29175 (6)	0.68415 (12)	0.09043 (6)	0.0392 (2)
O2	0.17695 (6)	0.83191 (12)	0.17831 (6)	0.0416 (2)
H1	0.2391 (13)	0.734 (2)	0.1040 (13)	0.074 (5)*

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

	$U^{11}$	$U^{22}$	$U^{33}$	$U^{12}$	$U^{13}$	$U^{23}$
C1	0.0254 (5)	0.0280 (5)	0.0231 (5)	-0.0024 (4)	0.0022 (4)	0.0021 (4)
C2	0.0267 (5)	0.0311 (5)	0.0286 (5)	-0.0007 (4)	0.0062 (4)	0.0006 (4)

C3	0.0357 (6)	0.0334 (5)	0.0244 (5)	-0.0029 (4)	0.0076 (4)	-0.0017 (4)
C4	0.0333 (5)	0.0295 (5)	0.0219 (5)	-0.0040 (4)	-0.0010 (4)	0.0019 (4)
C5	0.0271 (5)	0.0260 (5)	0.0240 (5)	-0.0016 (4)	0.0012 (4)	0.0025 (4)
C6	0.0265 (5)	0.0276 (5)	0.0227 (5)	-0.0019 (4)	0.0028 (4)	0.0002 (4)
C7	0.0279 (5)	0.0260 (5)	0.0283 (5)	-0.0010 (4)	-0.0024 (4)	0.0037 (4)
C8	0.0261 (5)	0.0347 (6)	0.0330 (6)	0.0025 (4)	0.0023 (4)	0.0038 (4)
C9	0.0239 (5)	0.0255 (5)	0.0250 (5)	-0.0010 (4)	0.0019 (4)	0.0016 (4)
C10	0.0228 (5)	0.0324 (5)	0.0291 (5)	0.0007 (4)	0.0053 (4)	0.0017 (4)
C11	0.0282 (5)	0.0331 (5)	0.0253 (5)	-0.0022 (4)	0.0050 (4)	0.0013 (4)
C12	0.0266 (5)	0.0254 (5)	0.0285 (5)	-0.0028 (4)	0.0003 (4)	0.0037 (4)
C13	0.0226 (5)	0.0343 (5)	0.0344 (6)	0.0035 (4)	0.0029 (4)	0.0005 (4)
C14	0.0268 (5)	0.0343 (5)	0.0281 (5)	0.0024 (4)	0.0057 (4)	-0.0016 (4)
C15	0.0298 (5)	0.0336 (6)	0.0297 (5)	-0.0012 (4)	-0.0019 (4)	0.0058 (4)
C16	0.0316 (5)	0.0325 (5)	0.0311 (5)	-0.0010 (4)	-0.0032 (4)	0.0037 (4)
C17	0.0321 (6)	0.0419 (6)	0.0311 (6)	-0.0022 (5)	-0.0019 (4)	0.0017 (5)
N1	0.0236 (4)	0.0315 (4)	0.0259 (4)	0.0001 (3)	0.0015 (3)	0.0012 (3)
N2	0.0238 (4)	0.0314 (4)	0.0265 (4)	0.0001 (3)	0.0026 (3)	0.0014 (3)
O1	0.0409 (5)	0.0493 (5)	0.0220 (4)	0.0021 (4)	-0.0050 (3)	-0.0028 (3)
O2	0.0359 (4)	0.0484 (5)	0.0326 (4)	0.0095 (4)	-0.0100 (3)	-0.0021 (4)

*Geometric parameters (Å, °)*

C1—C6	1.3830 (14)	C10—C11	1.3792 (14)
C1—C2	1.4057 (14)	C10—H10	0.9300
C1—N1	1.4203 (12)	C11—C12	1.3982 (14)
C2—C3	1.3682 (14)	C11—H11	0.9300
C2—H2	0.9300	C12—C13	1.3930 (15)
C3—C4	1.3965 (15)	C12—C15	1.5079 (13)
C3—H3	0.9300	C13—C14	1.3840 (14)
C4—O1	1.3444 (12)	C13—H13	0.9300
C4—C5	1.4135 (15)	C14—H14	0.9300
C5—C6	1.4013 (13)	C15—C16	1.5217 (15)
C5—C7	1.4725 (14)	C15—H15A	0.9700
C6—H6	0.9300	C15—H15B	0.9700
C7—O2	1.2349 (12)	C16—C17	1.5233 (14)
C7—C8	1.4893 (15)	C16—H16A	0.9700
C8—H8A	0.9600	C16—H16B	0.9700
C8—H8B	0.9600	C17—H17A	0.9600
C8—H8C	0.9600	C17—H17B	0.9600
C9—C14	1.3917 (14)	C17—H17C	0.9600
C9—C10	1.3933 (14)	N1—N2	1.2572 (12)
C9—N2	1.4271 (12)	O1—H1	0.919 (19)
C6—C1—C2	119.58 (9)	C10—C11—C12	121.34 (10)
C6—C1—N1	116.35 (9)	C10—C11—H11	119.3
C2—C1—N1	124.06 (9)	C12—C11—H11	119.3
C3—C2—C1	120.34 (10)	C13—C12—C11	118.02 (9)
C3—C2—H2	119.8	C13—C12—C15	121.11 (9)

C1—C2—H2	119.8	C11—C12—C15	120.87 (9)
C2—C3—C4	120.37 (10)	C14—C13—C12	121.16 (9)
C2—C3—H3	119.8	C14—C13—H13	119.4
C4—C3—H3	119.8	C12—C13—H13	119.4
O1—C4—C3	117.55 (9)	C13—C14—C9	120.04 (10)
O1—C4—C5	122.04 (10)	C13—C14—H14	120.0
C3—C4—C5	120.39 (9)	C9—C14—H14	120.0
C6—C5—C4	118.09 (9)	C12—C15—C16	114.06 (8)
C6—C5—C7	122.34 (9)	C12—C15—H15A	108.7
C4—C5—C7	119.54 (9)	C16—C15—H15A	108.7
C1—C6—C5	121.21 (9)	C12—C15—H15B	108.7
C1—C6—H6	119.4	C16—C15—H15B	108.7
C5—C6—H6	119.4	H15A—C15—H15B	107.6
O2—C7—C5	120.17 (10)	C15—C16—C17	111.68 (9)
O2—C7—C8	119.36 (9)	C15—C16—H16A	109.3
C5—C7—C8	120.46 (9)	C17—C16—H16A	109.3
C7—C8—H8A	109.5	C15—C16—H16B	109.3
C7—C8—H8B	109.5	C17—C16—H16B	109.3
H8A—C8—H8B	109.5	H16A—C16—H16B	107.9
C7—C8—H8C	109.5	C16—C17—H17A	109.5
H8A—C8—H8C	109.5	C16—C17—H17B	109.5
H8B—C8—H8C	109.5	H17A—C17—H17B	109.5
C14—C9—C10	119.50 (9)	C16—C17—H17C	109.5
C14—C9—N2	116.13 (9)	H17A—C17—H17C	109.5
C10—C9—N2	124.35 (9)	H17B—C17—H17C	109.5
C11—C10—C9	119.92 (9)	N2—N1—C1	113.86 (8)
C11—C10—H10	120.0	N1—N2—C9	113.96 (8)
C9—C10—H10	120.0	C4—O1—H1	103.0 (11)
C6—C1—C2—C3	1.58 (15)	N2—C9—C10—C11	177.63 (9)
N1—C1—C2—C3	-178.81 (9)	C9—C10—C11—C12	-0.73 (15)
C1—C2—C3—C4	-0.41 (15)	C10—C11—C12—C13	1.73 (15)
C2—C3—C4—O1	-179.12 (9)	C10—C11—C12—C15	-177.81 (9)
C2—C3—C4—C5	-0.68 (16)	C11—C12—C13—C14	-1.41 (15)
O1—C4—C5—C6	178.96 (9)	C15—C12—C13—C14	178.13 (9)
C3—C4—C5—C6	0.59 (15)	C12—C13—C14—C9	0.11 (16)
O1—C4—C5—C7	0.93 (15)	C10—C9—C14—C13	0.93 (15)
C3—C4—C5—C7	-177.43 (9)	N2—C9—C14—C13	-177.46 (9)
C2—C1—C6—C5	-1.67 (15)	C13—C12—C15—C16	77.33 (13)
N1—C1—C6—C5	178.69 (9)	C11—C12—C15—C16	-103.14 (12)
C4—C5—C6—C1	0.59 (15)	C12—C15—C16—C17	176.16 (9)
C7—C5—C6—C1	178.56 (9)	C6—C1—N1—N2	-172.82 (9)
C6—C5—C7—O2	180.00 (10)	C2—C1—N1—N2	7.55 (14)
C4—C5—C7—O2	-2.06 (15)	C1—N1—N2—C9	-178.33 (8)
C6—C5—C7—C8	-1.21 (15)	C14—C9—N2—N1	-178.69 (9)
C4—C5—C7—C8	176.72 (9)	C10—C9—N2—N1	3.01 (14)
C14—C9—C10—C11	-0.62 (15)		

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O1—H1···O2	0.921 (19)	1.675 (18)	2.5365 (13)	154.3 (16)