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# 2-Carboxypyridinium maleate

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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; T = 295 K; mean  $\sigma$ (C–C) = 0.004 Å; R factor = 0.071; wR factor = 0.199; data-to-parameter ratio = 16.5.

In the title molecular salt, C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>6</sub>NO<sub>2</sub><sup>+</sup>·C<sub>4</sub>H<sub>3</sub>O<sub>4</sub><sup>-</sup>, the 2carboxypyridinium cation is essentially planar with a maximum deviation of 0.003 (3) Å. In the crystal, adjacent cations and anions are linked by an extensive system of weak N-H···O, O-H···O and C-H···O interactions, forming a layer parallel to the *ab* plane.

#### **Related literature**

For details of pyridine and its derivatives, see: Banerjee & Murugavel (2004); Bis et al. (2006). For bond-length data, see: Allen et al. (1987).



#### **Experimental**

Crystal data

$C_6H_6NO_2 \cdot C_4H_3O_4$
$M_r = 239.18$
Monoclinic, $P2_1/c$
a = 14.6498 (9)  Å
<i>b</i> = 10.3976 (8) Å
c = 6.9067 (5)  Å
$\beta = 100.089 \ (3)^{\circ}$

V = 1035.78 (13) Å<sup>3</sup> Z = 4Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation  $\mu = 0.13 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ T = 295 K $0.24 \times 0.20 \times 0.16 \; \rm mm$  9722 measured reflections

 $R_{\rm int} = 0.027$ 

2557 independent reflections

2092 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$ 

#### Data collection

Bruker Kappa APEXII CCD

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diffractometer
Absorption correction: multi-scan
  (SADABS; Sheldrick, 1996)
  T_{\min} = 0.970, T_{\max} = 0.980
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#### Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.071$	155 parameters
$wR(F^2) = 0.199$	H-atom parameters constrained
S = 1.10	$\Delta \rho_{\rm max} = 0.43 \ {\rm e} \ {\rm \AA}^{-3}$
2557 reflections	$\Delta \rho_{\rm min} = -0.33 \ {\rm e} \ {\rm \AA}^{-3}$

#### Table 1

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °).

$D - H \cdots A$	D-H	$H \cdot \cdot \cdot A$	$D \cdots A$	$D - \mathbf{H} \cdot \cdot \cdot A$
N1-H1···O2	0.86	2.28	2.639 (3)	105
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$C5 - H5 \cdots O4^{v}$	0.93	2.40	3.251 (4)	152
$C8 - H8 \cdots O6^{vi}$	0.93	2.40	3.285 (4)	158
Symmetry codes:	(i) - <i>x</i> +	$1, y + \frac{1}{2}, -z + \frac{1}{2};$	(ii) $-x + 1$ ,	-y, -z; (iii)
$-x+1, y-\frac{1}{2}, -z+\frac{1}{2};$	(iv) - <i>x</i>	+2, -y, -z + 1;	(v) $x, -y +$	$\frac{1}{2}, z + \frac{1}{2};$ (vi)
$-x+2, y-\frac{1}{2}, -z+\frac{1}{2}.$				

Data collection: APEX2 (Bruker, 2004); cell refinement: SAINT (Bruker, 2004); data reduction: SAINT; program(s) used to solve structure: SHELXS97 (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: SHELXL97 (Sheldrick, 2008); molecular graphics: PLATON (Spek, 2009); software used to prepare material for publication: SHELXL97.

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# Comment

Pyridine and its derivatives are some of the most frequently used synthons in supramolecular chemistry based on hydrogen bonds (Banerjee & Murugavel, 2004; Bis *et al.*, 2006). We herewith report the molecular and crystal structures of the title compound, **I**, which belongs to this class of compounds.

The asymmetric unit of **I**, (Fig. 1), contains a 2–carboxypyridinium cation and a malonate anion. The bond lengths (Allen *et al.*, 1987) and angles are within the normal range. The crystal structure exhibit weak intermolecular N—H···O, O—H···O and C—H···O (Table 1 & Fig. 2) interactions.

# Experimental

A solution of picolinic acid (0.123 g, 1 mmol) in 10 ml ethanol was added with stirring to a solution of maleic acid (0.116 g, 1 mmol) in 10 ml of distilled water at 303 K. After some time, white precipitate was obtained, which was dissolved in ethanol and colourless block–shaped single crystals were obtained by slow evaporation of the ethanol solution.

# Refinement

H atoms were positioned geometrically and refined using riding model with C—H = 0.93Å and  $U_{iso}(H) = 1.2U_{eq}(C)$  for aromatic H, N—H = 0.86Å and  $U_{iso}(H) = 1.2U_{eq}(N)$  for amine H and O—H = 0.82Å and  $U_{iso}(H) = 1.5U_{eq}(O)$  for hydroxyl H.

# **Computing details**

Data collection: *APEX2* (Bruker, 2004); cell refinement: *SAINT* (Bruker, 2004); data reduction: *SAINT* (Bruker, 2004); program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 2008); molecular graphics: *PLATON* (Spek, 2009); software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 2008).



# Figure 1

The molecular structure of title compound with atom labels. Displacement ellipsoids are drawn at 30% probability level. H atoms are presented as asmall spheres of arbitrary radius.



# Figure 2

The packing of I, viewed down c axis. Intermolecular hydrogen bonds are shown as dashed lines. H atoms not involved in hydrogen bonding have been omitted for clarity.

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### Refinement

Refinement on  $F^2$ Least-squares matrix: full  $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.071$  $wR(F^2) = 0.199$ S = 1.102557 reflections 155 parameters 0 restraints Primary atom site location: structure-invariant direct methods Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier map F(000) = 496  $D_x = 1.534 \text{ Mg m}^{-3}$ Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation,  $\lambda = 0.71073 \text{ Å}$ Cell parameters from 4245 reflections  $\theta = 2.4-28.3^{\circ}$   $\mu = 0.13 \text{ mm}^{-1}$  T = 295 KBlock, colourless  $0.24 \times 0.20 \times 0.16 \text{ mm}$ 

9722 measured reflections 2557 independent reflections 2092 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$  $R_{int} = 0.027$  $\theta_{max} = 28.3^\circ, \theta_{min} = 1.4^\circ$  $h = -19 \rightarrow 18$  $k = -13 \rightarrow 13$  $l = -9 \rightarrow 9$ 

Hydrogen site location: inferred from neighbouring sites H-atom parameters constrained  $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0625P)^2 + 1.8972P]$ where  $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$  $(\Delta/\sigma)_{max} < 0.001$  $\Delta\rho_{max} = 0.43$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>  $\Delta\rho_{min} = -0.33$  e Å<sup>-3</sup> Extinction correction: *SHELXL*, Fc\*=kFc[1+0.001xFc^2\lambda^3/sin(2\theta)]^{-1/4} Extinction coefficient: 0.015 (3)

Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters  $(Å^2)$ 

	x	У	Ζ	$U_{ m iso}$ */ $U_{ m eq}$	
C1	0.57261 (18)	-0.0804 (3)	0.3125 (4)	0.0320 (6)	
C2	0.6336 (2)	-0.1778 (3)	0.3751 (5)	0.0389 (7)	
H2	0.6170	-0.2628	0.3454	0.047*	
C3	0.7201 (2)	-0.1492 (3)	0.4825 (5)	0.0438 (7)	
Н3	0.7618	-0.2149	0.5261	0.053*	
C4	0.7440 (2)	-0.0230 (3)	0.5246 (5)	0.0412 (7)	
H4	0.8020	-0.0027	0.5963	0.049*	
C5	0.6817 (2)	0.0725 (3)	0.4599 (5)	0.0401 (7)	
Н5	0.6971	0.1582	0.4869	0.048*	
N1	0.59856 (15)	0.0413 (2)	0.3575 (4)	0.0342 (5)	
H1	0.5599	0.1021	0.3187	0.041*	
C6	0.47635 (19)	-0.1001 (3)	0.1946 (4)	0.0346 (6)	

06	1.08852 (16)	0.1899 (3)	0.2139 (4)	0.0580 (7)	
H5A	0.8978	0.2340	0.0523	0.084*	
05	0.95136 (17)	0.2604 (2)	0.0741 (4)	0.0559 (7)	
O4	0.79341 (16)	0.1568 (2)	-0.0311 (4)	0.0601 (8)	
03	0.72935 (14)	-0.0300 (2)	0.0195 (4)	0.0446 (6)	
H2A	0.3766	-0.0161	0.1075	0.068*	
O2	0.42766 (14)	0.0007 (2)	0.1721 (4)	0.0453 (6)	
01	0.45516 (17)	-0.2082 (2)	0.1321 (4)	0.0566 (7)	
C10	1.0058 (2)	0.1714 (3)	0.1674 (5)	0.0401 (7)	
H9	1.0084	-0.0061	0.2955	0.047*	
C9	0.9664 (2)	0.0462 (3)	0.2149 (5)	0.0388 (7)	
H8	0.8762	-0.0878	0.2130	0.045*	
C8	0.8827 (2)	-0.0055 (3)	0.1646 (5)	0.0373 (6)	
C7	0.79780 (19)	0.0490 (3)	0.0421 (4)	0.0354 (6)	

Atomic displacement parameters  $(\mathring{A}^2)$ 

$U^{11}$	$U^{22}$	$U^{33}$	$U^{12}$	$U^{13}$	$U^{23}$
0.0282 (13)	0.0299 (13)	0.0366 (14)	-0.0020 (10)	0.0024 (10)	0.0014 (11)
0.0389 (15)	0.0262 (13)	0.0493 (17)	0.0000 (11)	0.0014 (13)	0.0055 (12)
0.0374 (15)	0.0392 (16)	0.0514 (18)	0.0078 (13)	-0.0014 (13)	0.0081 (14)
0.0284 (13)	0.0471 (17)	0.0440 (17)	-0.0014 (12)	-0.0051 (12)	-0.0031 (13)
0.0310 (14)	0.0349 (15)	0.0518 (18)	-0.0029 (11)	0.0001 (12)	-0.0068 (13)
0.0270 (11)	0.0274 (11)	0.0458 (14)	0.0014 (9)	-0.0005 (10)	0.0004 (10)
0.0270 (13)	0.0327 (14)	0.0417 (15)	-0.0060 (10)	-0.0003 (11)	0.0041 (11)
0.0295 (13)	0.0331 (14)	0.0426 (15)	0.0006 (11)	0.0031 (11)	-0.0015 (12)
0.0358 (14)	0.0296 (13)	0.0451 (16)	0.0011 (11)	0.0029 (12)	0.0029 (12)
0.0352 (14)	0.0320 (14)	0.0452 (17)	0.0020 (11)	-0.0041 (12)	0.0017 (12)
0.0378 (15)	0.0350 (15)	0.0459 (17)	-0.0054 (12)	0.0024 (13)	-0.0057 (13)
0.0479 (13)	0.0352 (12)	0.0781 (18)	-0.0090 (10)	-0.0125 (12)	-0.0019 (12)
0.0261 (10)	0.0393 (12)	0.0648 (15)	-0.0008 (9)	-0.0079 (9)	-0.0009 (10)
0.0323 (10)	0.0425 (12)	0.0555 (14)	-0.0055 (9)	-0.0018 (9)	0.0043 (10)
0.0395 (12)	0.0409 (13)	0.092 (2)	-0.0009 (10)	-0.0120 (12)	0.0193 (13)
0.0458 (13)	0.0373 (12)	0.0786 (18)	-0.0083 (10)	-0.0054 (12)	0.0109 (12)
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Geometric parameters (Å, °)

C1—N1	1.342 (4)	C6—O2	1.261 (3)
C1—C2	1.370 (4)	C7—O4	1.227 (4)
C1—C6	1.514 (4)	С7—ОЗ	1.284 (3)
C2—C3	1.384 (4)	C7—C8	1.488 (4)
С2—Н2	0.9300	C8—C9	1.328 (4)
C3—C4	1.376 (5)	C8—H8	0.9300
С3—Н3	0.9300	C9—C10	1.484 (4)
C4—C5	1.369 (4)	С9—Н9	0.9300
C4—H4	0.9300	C10—O6	1.213 (4)
C5—N1	1.336 (4)	C10—O5	1.315 (4)
С5—Н5	0.9300	O2—H2A	0.8200
N1—H1	0.8600	O5—H5A	0.8200

C6—01	1.224 (4)		
N1 C1 C2	118.8(2)	O1 C6 O2	128.0 (3)
N1 - C1 - C2	116.0(2)	01 - C6 - 02	128.0(3)
NI = CI = C0	110.8(2)		117.9(3)
C2C1C6	124.4 (3)	02	114.0 (2)
C1—C2—C3	119.7 (3)	04	123.4 (3)
C1—C2—H2	120.1	O4—C7—C8	124.1 (3)
C3—C2—H2	120.1	O3—C7—C8	112.5 (3)
C4—C3—C2	119.5 (3)	C9—C8—C7	129.5 (3)
С4—С3—Н3	120.2	С9—С8—Н8	115.2
С2—С3—Н3	120.2	С7—С8—Н8	115.2
C5—C4—C3	119.5 (3)	C8—C9—C10	132.4 (3)
C5—C4—H4	120.3	С8—С9—Н9	113.8
C3—C4—H4	120.3	С10—С9—Н9	113.8
N1C5C4	119.4 (3)	O6—C10—O5	120.7 (3)
N1—C5—H5	120.3	O6—C10—C9	119.4 (3)
С4—С5—Н5	120.3	O5—C10—C9	120.0 (3)
C5—N1—C1	123.1 (2)	C6—O2—H2A	109.5
C5—N1—H1	118.5	C10—O5—H5A	109.5
C1—N1—H1	118.5		
N1 - C1 - C2 - C3	0.0(5)	C2—C1—C6—O1	-8.5 (5)
C6-C1-C2-C3	-1799(3)	N1 - C1 - C6 - O2	-7.8(4)
C1 - C2 - C3 - C4	-0.3(5)	$C_{2}$ $C_{1}$ $C_{6}$ $C_{2}$	1721(3)
$C_{2} = C_{3} = C_{4} = C_{5}$	0.2(5)	04-07-08-09	-1.2.(6)
$C_{3}$ $C_{4}$ $C_{5}$ $N_{1}$	0.2(5)	03-07-08-09	178.2(3)
$C_{4}$ $C_{5}$ $N_{1}$ $C_{1}$	-0.6(5)	C7 C8 C9 C10	-1.2(6)
$C_{\tau} = C_{\tau} = 0$	0.0(3)	$C_{1} = C_{2} = C_{10}$	-171 4 (4)
$C_2 = C_1 = N_1 = C_3$	0.3(3)	$C_{0} = C_{0} = C_{10} = 0_{0}$	-1/1.4(4)
$C_0 - C_1 - N_1 - C_2$	-1/9.7(3)	03-09-010-05	8.0 (0)
NI-CI-C6-01	171.6 (3)		

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