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3-Fluoro-4-nitrophenyl 4-methylbenzenesulfonate

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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study; T = 293 K; mean σ (C–C) = 0.004 Å; R factor = 0.034; wR factor = 0.083; data-to-parameter ratio = 11.8.

In the title compound, $C_{13}H_{10}FNO_5S$, the dihedral angle between the benzene rings is 47.63 (14)°. In the crystal, $\pi - \pi$ stacking occurs between nearly parallel benzene rings of adjacent molecules, the centroid-centroid distance being 3.7806 (16) Å. Weak intermolecular $C-H\cdots O$ hydrogen bonding is also present in the crystal structure.

Related literature

For related compounds and their biological activity, see: Cho et al. (2003); Marson et al. (2007).



Experimental

Crystal data C13H10FNO5S

 $M_r = 311.28$ Orthorhombic, Pna21 a = 14.2596(5) Å b = 11.4800 (3) Å c = 8.3602 (2) Å

V = 1368.57 (7) Å³ Z = 4Mo $K\alpha$ radiation $\mu = 0.27 \text{ mm}^-$ T = 293 K $0.30 \times 0.30 \times 0.20 \text{ mm}$

Data collection

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Oxford Diffraction Xcalibur Eos
  diffractometer
Absorption correction: multi-scan
  (CrvsAlis PRO; Oxford
  Diffraction, 2006)
  T_{\rm min} = 0.979, \ T_{\rm max} = 1.0
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Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.034$	H-atom parameters constrained
$wR(F^2) = 0.083$	$\Delta \rho_{\rm max} = 0.12 \ {\rm e} \ {\rm \AA}^{-3}$
S = 1.05	$\Delta \rho_{\rm min} = -0.23 \text{ e} \text{ Å}^{-3}$
2251 reflections	Absolute structure: Flack (1983),
191 parameters	752 Friedel pairs
1 restraint	Flack parameter: -0.06 (9)

10802 measured reflections

 $R_{\rm int} = 0.025$

2251 independent reflections

1855 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$

Table 1

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °).

$D - H \cdots A$	D-H	$H \cdot \cdot \cdot A$	$D \cdots A$	$D - \mathbf{H} \cdot \cdot \cdot A$
$C6-H6\cdots O2^{i}$	0.93	2.55	3.224 (4)	129

Symmetry code: (i) $-x + 1, -y, z + \frac{1}{2}$.

Data collection: CrysAlis PRO (Oxford Diffraction, 2006); cell refinement: CrysAlis PRO; data reduction: CrysAlis PRO; program(s) used to solve structure: SHELXTL (Sheldrick, 2008); program(s) used to refine structure: SHELXTL; molecular graphics: OLEX2 (Dolomanov et al., 2009); software used to prepare material for publication: OLEX2.

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Comment

Aryloxyalkanoic acid hydroxyamides are potent inhibitors of histone deacetylase (Marson *et al.*, 2007; Cho *et al.*, 2003). 3-Fluoro-4-nitrophenyl 4-methylbenzenesulfonate is one of the key intermediates to synthesize the aryloxyalkanoic acid hydroxyamides derivatives. We report here its crystal structure. In the title compound (Fig. 1), the dihedral angle between the 3-fluoro-4-nitrophenyl ring and the 4-methylbenzene ring is 47.63 (14)°. In the crystal, intermolecular π - π stacking [centroid–centroid distance = 3.7806 (16) Å] stabilizes the structure (Fig. 2). Weak C—H···O hydrogen bonding is present in the crystal structure (Table 1).

Experimental

To the 3-fluoro-4-nitrophenol (19.10 mmol) in chloroform (20 ml) at 273 K were added pyridine (3.70 ml, 45.84 mmol) dropwise over a period of 20 min and *p*-toluenesulfonyl chloride (22.92 mmol) in small portions. This reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for 12 h and diluted with dichloromethane and then 10% aqueous HCl. The separated organic layer was washed with 10% aqueous HCl, water and saturated aqueous NaCl; dried over NaSO4; and concentrated *in vacuo*. The crude 3-fluoro-4-nitrophenyl 4-methylbenzenesulfonate were purified by recrystallization. Crystals suitable for X-ray analysis were obtained by slow evaporation from a solution of ethanol.

Refinement

H atoms were positioned geometrically and refined using a riding model with C—H = 0.93 Å and $U_{iso}(H) = 1.2U_{eq}(C)$ for aromatic H atoms and C—H = 0.96 Å and $U_{iso}(H) = 1.5U_{eq}(C)$ for methyl H atoms.

Figures



Fig. 1. The molecular structure of the title compound, with displacement ellipsoids drawn at the 30% probability level.



Fig. 2. The cell packing of the title compound.

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C₁₃H₁₀FNO₅S F(000) = 640 $M_r = 311.28$ $D_{\rm x} = 1.511 {\rm Mg m}^{-3}$ Mo K α radiation, $\lambda = 0.7107$ Å Orthorhombic, Pna21 Cell parameters from 4234 reflections Hall symbol: P 2c -2n *a* = 14.2596 (5) Å $\theta = 2.9 - 29.1^{\circ}$ *b* = 11.4800 (3) Å $\mu = 0.27 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ c = 8.3602 (2) ÅT = 293 K $V = 1368.57 (7) \text{ Å}^3$ Block, colorless Z = 4 $0.30 \times 0.30 \times 0.20 \text{ mm}$

Data collection

Oxford Diffraction Xcalibur Eos diffractometer	2251 independent reflections
Radiation source: fine-focus sealed tube	1855 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
graphite	$R_{\rm int} = 0.025$
Detector resolution: 16.0874 pixels mm ⁻¹	$\theta_{\text{max}} = 26.4^{\circ}, \ \theta_{\text{min}} = 2.9^{\circ}$
ω scans	$h = -17 \rightarrow 17$
Absorption correction: multi-scan (<i>CrysAlis PRO</i> ; Oxford Diffraction, 2006)	$k = -14 \rightarrow 14$
$T_{\min} = 0.979, \ T_{\max} = 1.0$	$l = -7 \rightarrow 10$
10802 measured reflections	

Refinement

Refinement on F^2	Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier map
Least-squares matrix: full	Hydrogen site location: inferred from neighbouring sites
$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.034$	H-atom parameters constrained
$wR(F^2) = 0.083$	$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.039P)^2 + 0.1799P]$ where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
<i>S</i> = 1.05	$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\text{max}} = 0.025$
2251 reflections	$\Delta \rho_{max} = 0.12 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$

191 parameters

1 restraint

methods

 $\Delta \rho_{min} = -0.23 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$ Absolute structure: Flack (1983), 752 Friedel pairs Primary atom site location: structure-invariant direct Flack parameter: -0.06 (9)

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.

	x	У	z	$U_{\rm iso}$ */ $U_{\rm eq}$
S1	0.16636 (4)	0.27076 (5)	0.58998 (10)	0.05567 (19)
F1	0.34171 (15)	-0.14722 (14)	0.6292 (3)	0.1007 (7)
01	0.56870 (17)	-0.0441 (2)	0.8899 (4)	0.0906 (8)
O2	0.51366 (19)	-0.1649 (2)	0.7187 (3)	0.1041 (9)
O3	0.18775 (13)	0.20401 (17)	0.7566 (2)	0.0574 (5)
O4	0.16341 (14)	0.18606 (19)	0.4665 (3)	0.0675 (6)
O5	0.08578 (12)	0.33777 (18)	0.6260 (3)	0.0788 (7)
N1	0.5080 (2)	-0.0778 (2)	0.7989 (3)	0.0675 (7)
C1	0.4217 (2)	-0.0077 (2)	0.7863 (4)	0.0523 (7)
C2	0.3442 (2)	-0.0442 (2)	0.7026 (4)	0.0601 (8)
C3	0.2660 (2)	0.0248 (2)	0.6906 (4)	0.0580 (7)
Н3	0.2136	-0.0003	0.6341	0.070*
C4	0.26682 (18)	0.1317 (2)	0.7636 (3)	0.0474 (6)
C5	0.3427 (2)	0.1698 (2)	0.8491 (4)	0.0548 (7)
Н5	0.3417	0.2424	0.8987	0.066*
C6	0.4204 (2)	0.0995 (2)	0.8609 (4)	0.0566 (7)
H6	0.4722	0.1243	0.9192	0.068*
C7	0.26414 (17)	0.3597 (2)	0.5642 (3)	0.0468 (6)
C8	0.33831 (18)	0.3209 (2)	0.4704 (4)	0.0532 (7)
H8	0.3359	0.2483	0.4213	0.064*
C9	0.41530 (18)	0.3917 (2)	0.4512 (4)	0.0538 (7)
Н9	0.4659	0.3650	0.3914	0.065*
C10	0.41940 (19)	0.5008 (2)	0.5179 (3)	0.0519 (7)
C11	0.34570 (19)	0.5373 (2)	0.6128 (4)	0.0584 (7)
H11	0.3483	0.6103	0.6609	0.070*
C12	0.26858 (19)	0.4679 (2)	0.6375 (3)	0.0551 (7)
H12	0.2198	0.4931	0.7028	0.066*
C13	0.5028 (2)	0.5786 (3)	0.4867 (5)	0.0752 (9)
H13A	0.4860	0.6370	0.4096	0.113*

Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters (\dot{A}^2)

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H13B	0.5537	0.5327	0.4460	0.113*
H13C	0.5215	0.6155	0.5847	0.113*

Atomic displacement parameters (\AA^2)

	U^{11}	U^{22}	U^{33}	U^{12}	U^{13}	U^{23}
S1	0.0420 (3)	0.0668 (4)	0.0582 (4)	0.0045 (3)	-0.0005 (4)	0.0083 (4)
F1	0.1299 (17)	0.0508 (9)	0.1214 (18)	0.0063 (10)	-0.0321 (16)	-0.0197 (11)
01	0.0640 (15)	0.0999 (18)	0.108 (2)	0.0104 (14)	-0.0161 (15)	0.0259 (17)
O2	0.135 (2)	0.0934 (17)	0.0836 (18)	0.0580 (16)	-0.0025 (17)	-0.0028 (15)
03	0.0489 (11)	0.0689 (12)	0.0543 (12)	0.0047 (9)	0.0104 (10)	0.0087 (10)
O4	0.0635 (14)	0.0765 (13)	0.0625 (13)	-0.0099 (10)	-0.0104 (11)	-0.0038 (11)
O5	0.0452 (11)	0.0901 (14)	0.1011 (19)	0.0158 (9)	0.0081 (13)	0.0152 (14)
N1	0.0737 (19)	0.0709 (17)	0.0579 (17)	0.0151 (14)	0.0075 (15)	0.0231 (15)
C1	0.0533 (18)	0.0547 (16)	0.0487 (17)	0.0054 (12)	0.0020 (14)	0.0132 (14)
C2	0.078 (2)	0.0415 (14)	0.0605 (19)	-0.0031 (14)	-0.0059 (17)	0.0043 (14)
C3	0.0585 (17)	0.0529 (15)	0.0627 (19)	-0.0129 (13)	-0.0115 (15)	0.0035 (14)
C4	0.0457 (14)	0.0534 (14)	0.0430 (15)	-0.0017 (11)	0.0040 (13)	0.0085 (12)
C5	0.0580 (17)	0.0520 (15)	0.0543 (17)	-0.0027 (13)	-0.0022 (15)	0.0005 (13)
C6	0.0557 (18)	0.0606 (17)	0.0534 (18)	-0.0076 (14)	-0.0060 (15)	0.0069 (14)
C7	0.0431 (13)	0.0520 (13)	0.0453 (17)	0.0104 (10)	0.0012 (13)	0.0046 (13)
C8	0.0524 (16)	0.0467 (13)	0.0604 (17)	0.0088 (12)	0.0042 (15)	-0.0067 (13)
C9	0.0453 (15)	0.0563 (16)	0.0597 (18)	0.0090 (12)	0.0078 (14)	-0.0005 (14)
C10	0.0506 (16)	0.0555 (16)	0.0497 (17)	0.0051 (12)	-0.0056 (13)	0.0021 (12)
C11	0.0692 (18)	0.0491 (13)	0.0568 (18)	0.0042 (12)	-0.0026 (18)	-0.0081 (14)
C12	0.0601 (17)	0.0582 (15)	0.0471 (17)	0.0176 (12)	0.0093 (14)	-0.0015 (13)
C13	0.069 (2)	0.0714 (19)	0.085 (2)	-0.0119 (15)	0.001 (2)	-0.0069 (18)

Geometric parameters (Å, °)

1.619 (2)	C5—C6	1.374 (4)
1.419 (2)	С6—Н6	0.9300
1.4152 (19)	С7—С8	1.390 (4)
1.741 (3)	C7—C12	1.386 (3)
1.332 (3)	С8—Н8	0.9300
1.216 (4)	C8—C9	1.375 (3)
1.206 (3)	С9—Н9	0.9300
1.401 (3)	C9—C10	1.373 (4)
1.475 (4)	C10—C11	1.382 (4)
1.374 (4)	C10-C13	1.509 (4)
1.380 (4)	C11—H11	0.9300
1.372 (4)	C11—C12	1.374 (4)
0.9300	C12—H12	0.9300
1.371 (4)	C13—H13A	0.9600
1.369 (4)	C13—H13B	0.9600
0.9300	C13—H13C	0.9600
121.8 (3)	C6—C1—N1	117.8 (3)
117.2 (3)	С6—С5—Н5	120.4
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01—N1—C1	117.7 (3)	С7—С8—Н8	120.5
O2—N1—O1	124.3 (3)	C7—C12—H12	120.3
O2—N1—C1	118.0 (3)	C8—C7—S1	119.45 (19)
O3—S1—C7	103.48 (11)	С8—С9—Н9	119.1
O4—S1—O3	107.89 (11)	C9—C8—C7	119.0 (2)
O4—S1—C7	109.59 (13)	С9—С8—Н8	120.5
O5—S1—O3	103.14 (14)	C9—C10—C11	118.5 (2)
O5—S1—O4	120.23 (14)	C9—C10—C13	120.2 (3)
O5—S1—C7	110.97 (11)	C10—C9—C8	121.7 (2)
С1—С6—Н6	119.9	С10—С9—Н9	119.1
C2-C1-N1	122.7 (3)	C10-C11-H11	119.4
C2—C1—C6	119.5 (3)	C10-C13-H13A	109.5
С2—С3—Н3	120.7	C10-C13-H13B	109.5
C3—C2—C1	121.0 (3)	C10-C13-H13C	109.5
C3—C4—O3	120.3 (2)	C11—C10—C13	121.3 (3)
C4—O3—S1	117.93 (16)	C11—C12—C7	119.3 (2)
C4—C3—C2	118.6 (3)	C11—C12—H12	120.3
С4—С3—Н3	120.7	C12—C7—S1	120.46 (19)
С4—С5—Н5	120.4	C12—C7—C8	120.1 (2)
C4—C5—C6	119.1 (3)	C12-C11-C10	121.3 (2)
C5—C4—O3	118.0 (2)	C12-C11-H11	119.4
C5—C4—C3	121.7 (2)	H13A—C13—H13B	109.5
C5—C6—C1	120.2 (3)	H13A—C13—H13C	109.5
С5—С6—Н6	119.9	H13B—C13—H13C	109.5

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °)

D—H···A	<i>D</i> —Н	$H \cdots A$	$D \cdots A$	D—H··· A
C6—H6···O2 ⁱ	0.93	2.55	3.224 (4)	129
Symmetry codes: (i) $-x+1, -y, z+1/2$.				







Fig. 2