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## 2-Azido-2-deoxy-3,4-O-isopropylidene-2-C-methyl-D-talono-1,5-lactone

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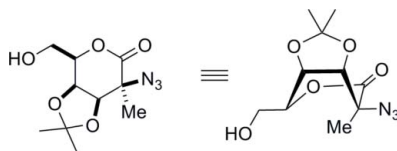
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Key indicators: single-crystal X-ray study;  $T = 150$  K; mean  $\sigma(\text{C}-\text{C}) = 0.003$  Å;  $R$  factor = 0.038;  $wR$  factor = 0.087; data-to-parameter ratio = 10.0.

The relative stereochemistry of the title compound,  $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{15}\text{N}_3\text{O}_5$ , was confirmed by the crystal structure determination. The absolute configuration was determined from the use of D-lyxonolactone as the starting material. The six-membered ring adopts a boat conformation with the larger azide group, rather than the methyl group, in the bowsprit position. In the crystal structure, a bifurcated intermolecular  $\text{O}-\text{H}\cdots\text{O}/\text{O}-\text{H}\cdots\text{N}$  hydrogen bond links molecules into chains running parallel to the  $b$  axis.

## Related literature

For carbohydrates as chirons, see: Lichtenthaler & Peters (2004); Fechter *et al.* (1999); Fleet (1989). For branched sugars and their use as chirons, see: Rao *et al.* (2008); Jones *et al.* (2008); Booth *et al.* (2008); Hotchkiss, Kato *et al.* (2007); da Cruz *et al.* (2008); Soengas *et al.* (2005). For the structures of similar sugars, see: Chesterton *et al.* (2006); Booth *et al.* (2007); Hotchkiss, Jenkinson *et al.* (2007); Baird *et al.* (1987); Bruce *et al.* (1990); Punzo *et al.* (2005). For the extinction correction, see: Larson (1970).



## Experimental

## Crystal data

 $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{15}\text{N}_3\text{O}_5$  $M_r = 257.25$ Orthorhombic,  $P2_12_12_1$  $a = 5.9481$  (3) Å $b = 13.3427$  (7) Å $c = 15.6351$  (9) Å $V = 1240.86$  (12) Å<sup>3</sup> $Z = 4$ Mo  $K\alpha$  radiation  
 $\mu = 0.11$  mm<sup>-1</sup> $T = 150$  K  
 $0.20 \times 0.15 \times 0.05$  mm

## Data collection

Nonius KappaCCD diffractometer  
Absorption correction: multi-scan  
(*DENZO/SCALEPACK*;  
Otwinowski & Minor, 1997)  
 $T_{\min} = 0.89$ ,  $T_{\max} = 0.99$ 10775 measured reflections  
1647 independent reflections  
1170 reflections with  $I > 2\sigma(I)$   
 $R_{\text{int}} = 0.077$ 

## Refinement

 $R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.038$   
 $wR(F^2) = 0.087$   
 $S = 0.88$   
1647 reflections164 parameters  
H-atom parameters constrained  
 $\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.53$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>  
 $\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.45$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>

Table 1

Hydrogen-bond geometry (Å, °).

$D-\text{H}\cdots A$	$D-\text{H}$	$\text{H}\cdots A$	$D\cdots A$	$D-\text{H}\cdots A$
$\text{O}15-\text{H}151\cdots\text{O}1^i$	0.84	2.14	2.930 (4)	157
$\text{O}15-\text{H}151\cdots\text{N}7^i$	0.84	2.52	3.072 (4)	125

Symmetry code: (i)  $-x + 1, y - \frac{1}{2}, -z + \frac{3}{2}$ .

Data collection: *COLLECT* (Nonius, 2001); cell refinement: *DENZO/SCALEPACK* (Otwinowski & Minor, 1997); data reduction: *DENZO/SCALEPACK*; program(s) used to solve structure: *SIR92* (Altomare *et al.*, 1994); program(s) used to refine structure: *CRYSTALS* (Betteridge *et al.*, 2003); molecular graphics: *CAMERON* (Watkin *et al.*, 1996); software used to prepare material for publication: *CRYSTALS*.

Supplementary data and figures for this paper are available from the IUCr electronic archives (Reference: LH5031).

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### Comment

Carbohydrates are a diverse set of chirons for the synthesis of complex amino acids and iminosugars (Lichtenthaler & Peters, 2004; Fechter et al., 1999; Fleet, 1989). 2-*C*-Methyl branched sugars constitute a class of rare sugars with chemotherapeutic potential (Rao et al., 2008; Jones et al., 2008; Booth et al., 2008) and can be used as building blocks in the synthesis of biologically active compounds (da Cruz et al., 2008; Hotchkiss, Kato et al., 2007; Soengas et al., 2005).

The azidolactone 3 (Fig. 1) would be a key intermediate for the synthesis of branched pyrrolidines, piperidines and prolines derived from *D*-lyxonolactone. Nucleophilic displacement of a triflate leaving group at the tertiary centre by azide was confirmed by X-ray crystallography to have proceeded with overall inversion of configuration (Booth et al. 2007; Hotchkiss, Jenkinson et al. 2007). The 6-membered lactone ring adopts a boat conformation, as is common with 3,4-*O*-isopropylidene-1,5-lactones (Baird et al., 1987; Bruce et al., 1990; Punzo et al., 2005), with the larger azide group, rather than the methyl, in the bowsprit position (Fig. 2). The absolute configuration was determined from the use of *D*-lyxonolactone as the starting material. As is common with these materials the azide is non linear [ $N7 - N8 - N9 = 172.4(3)^\circ$ ] (Chesterton et al., 2006), with the anisotropic atomic displacement parameter of the central atom lowered with respect to its neighbours. The compound exists as hydrogen bonded chains of molecules running parallel to the *b*-axis (Fig. 3). The hydrogen bond is bifurcated. Only classical hydrogen bonding is considered.

### Experimental

The title compound was recrystallised by slow evaporation from a mixture of diethyl ether and cyclohexane: m.p. 397-403 K,  $[\alpha]_D^{25} +112.4$  (*c*, 1.145 in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ).

### Refinement

In the absence of significant anomalous scattering, Friedel pairs were merged and the absolute configuration was assigned from the use of *D*-lyxonolactone as the starting material.

The H atoms were all located in a difference map, but those attached to carbon atoms were repositioned geometrically. The H atoms were initially refined with soft restraints on the bond lengths and angles to regularize their geometry (C—H in the range 0.93–0.98, O—H = 0.82 Å) and  $U_{\text{iso}}(\text{H})$  (in the range 1.2–1.5 times  $U_{\text{eq}}$  of the parent atom), after which the positions were refined with riding constraints.

### Figures



Fig. 1. Synthetic Scheme

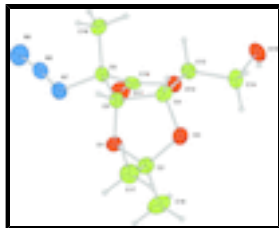


Fig. 2. The title compound with displacement ellipsoids drawn at the 50% probability level. H atoms are shown as spheres of arbitrary radius.

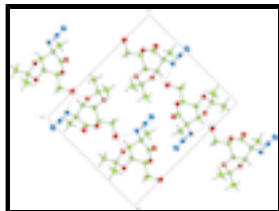


Fig. 3. Packing diagram for the title compound projected along the *a*-axis. Hydrogen bonds are shown by dotted lines.

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$h = -7 \rightarrow 7$

$k = -17 \rightarrow 17$

$l = -20 \rightarrow 20$

### Refinement

Refinement on  $F^2$

Least-squares matrix: full

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.038$

Hydrogen site location: inferred from neighbouring sites

H-atom parameters constrained

Method = Modified Sheldrick  $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F^2) + (0.05P)^2 + 0.16P]$ ,

$wR(F^2) = 0.087$

$S = 0.88$

1647 reflections

164 parameters

0 restraints

Primary atom site location: structure-invariant direct methods

where  $P = [\max(F_o^2, 0) + 2F_c^2]/3$

$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\max} = 0.0003$

$\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.53 \text{ e } \text{Å}^{-3}$

$\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.45 \text{ e } \text{Å}^{-3}$

Extinction correction: Larson (1970), Equation 22

Extinction coefficient: 460 (60)

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

	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>	$U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$
O1	0.4977 (3)	0.87439 (12)	0.79200 (10)	0.0276
C2	0.5736 (5)	0.85325 (19)	0.87769 (16)	0.0297
O3	0.7326 (3)	0.77432 (13)	0.86551 (10)	0.0334
C4	0.8307 (4)	0.78267 (17)	0.78210 (15)	0.0258
C5	0.6901 (4)	0.86484 (17)	0.73767 (14)	0.0250
C6	0.6110 (4)	0.83522 (18)	0.64929 (15)	0.0247
N7	0.4436 (4)	0.91275 (16)	0.62475 (14)	0.0317
N8	0.3742 (4)	0.90581 (16)	0.55031 (15)	0.0313
N9	0.2976 (4)	0.90888 (18)	0.48383 (15)	0.0443
C10	0.4914 (4)	0.73333 (18)	0.65603 (15)	0.0243
O11	0.3123 (3)	0.71606 (13)	0.62348 (11)	0.0323
O12	0.5913 (3)	0.66364 (12)	0.70449 (11)	0.0256
C13	0.8169 (4)	0.68186 (17)	0.73740 (16)	0.0250
C14	0.8716 (5)	0.59403 (17)	0.79413 (17)	0.0309
O15	0.8866 (3)	0.50433 (11)	0.74599 (11)	0.0351
C16	0.8056 (4)	0.83600 (19)	0.58502 (16)	0.0303
C17	0.6857 (5)	0.9437 (2)	0.91665 (18)	0.0385
C18	0.3762 (5)	0.8142 (2)	0.92680 (19)	0.0459
H41	0.9905	0.8032	0.7872	0.0311*
H51	0.7740	0.9284	0.7350	0.0310*
H131	0.9235	0.6813	0.6888	0.0288*
H141	1.0180	0.6075	0.8209	0.0398*
H142	0.7552	0.5873	0.8388	0.0391*
H161	0.7461	0.8167	0.5292	0.0461*
H162	0.8707	0.9027	0.5818	0.0463*
H163	0.9219	0.7893	0.6024	0.0460*
H172	0.7391	0.9258	0.9730	0.0598*
H171	0.5743	0.9972	0.9206	0.0603*
H173	0.8113	0.9635	0.8797	0.0603*
H182	0.4260	0.7957	0.9845	0.0690*
H181	0.2604	0.8655	0.9297	0.0694*
H183	0.3174	0.7559	0.8975	0.0688*
H151	0.7591	0.4778	0.7453	0.0532*

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

	$U^{11}$	$U^{22}$	$U^{33}$	$U^{12}$	$U^{13}$	$U^{23}$
O1	0.0272 (9)	0.0348 (9)	0.0207 (8)	0.0036 (8)	-0.0008 (8)	0.0009 (7)
C2	0.0358 (14)	0.0323 (13)	0.0209 (12)	0.0025 (12)	-0.0027 (11)	-0.0011 (12)
O3	0.0480 (11)	0.0305 (9)	0.0217 (9)	0.0089 (9)	-0.0031 (8)	0.0004 (8)
C4	0.0254 (13)	0.0278 (12)	0.0241 (13)	-0.0041 (11)	-0.0031 (10)	0.0007 (11)
C5	0.0249 (12)	0.0250 (12)	0.0252 (12)	0.0006 (10)	-0.0006 (11)	0.0016 (11)
C6	0.0253 (12)	0.0255 (12)	0.0233 (13)	0.0057 (11)	-0.0011 (11)	0.0031 (10)
N7	0.0361 (12)	0.0337 (11)	0.0253 (11)	0.0090 (10)	-0.0035 (10)	-0.0003 (10)
N8	0.0309 (12)	0.0300 (11)	0.0330 (13)	0.0066 (10)	0.0013 (11)	0.0030 (11)
N9	0.0446 (14)	0.0544 (16)	0.0340 (14)	0.0089 (13)	-0.0105 (12)	0.0052 (12)
C10	0.0210 (12)	0.0297 (13)	0.0221 (11)	0.0039 (11)	0.0023 (11)	-0.0047 (11)
O11	0.0255 (9)	0.0391 (10)	0.0322 (10)	-0.0029 (9)	-0.0047 (8)	-0.0022 (9)
O12	0.0228 (8)	0.0246 (8)	0.0293 (9)	-0.0005 (7)	-0.0023 (7)	0.0012 (8)
C13	0.0192 (11)	0.0267 (12)	0.0292 (14)	0.0008 (10)	-0.0021 (11)	0.0020 (11)
C14	0.0327 (14)	0.0247 (12)	0.0351 (14)	0.0018 (12)	-0.0044 (12)	0.0045 (12)
O15	0.0297 (9)	0.0248 (9)	0.0509 (12)	0.0035 (8)	0.0037 (9)	0.0003 (9)
C16	0.0318 (13)	0.0317 (13)	0.0274 (13)	0.0010 (12)	0.0036 (11)	0.0049 (11)
C17	0.0484 (17)	0.0374 (15)	0.0297 (14)	0.0015 (14)	-0.0060 (14)	-0.0059 (12)
C18	0.0446 (17)	0.063 (2)	0.0300 (16)	-0.0052 (15)	0.0033 (13)	0.0041 (15)

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

O1—C2	1.442 (3)	C10—O12	1.338 (3)
O1—C5	1.431 (3)	O12—C13	1.458 (3)
C2—O3	1.428 (3)	C13—C14	1.505 (3)
C2—C17	1.508 (4)	C13—H131	0.989
C2—C18	1.496 (4)	C14—O15	1.417 (3)
O3—C4	1.433 (3)	C14—H141	0.983
C4—C5	1.544 (3)	C14—H142	0.987
C4—C13	1.518 (3)	O15—H151	0.837
C4—H41	0.993	C16—H161	0.977
C5—C6	1.512 (3)	C16—H162	0.972
C5—H51	0.985	C16—H163	0.969
C6—N7	1.486 (3)	C17—H172	0.967
C6—C10	1.538 (3)	C17—H171	0.976
C6—C16	1.533 (3)	C17—H173	0.981
N7—N8	1.238 (3)	C18—H182	0.981
N8—N9	1.136 (3)	C18—H181	0.972
C10—O11	1.203 (3)	C18—H183	0.969
C2—O1—C5	106.47 (18)	C4—C13—O12	111.08 (19)
O1—C2—O3	103.17 (18)	C4—C13—C14	114.0 (2)
O1—C2—C17	110.9 (2)	O12—C13—C14	106.09 (19)
O3—C2—C17	110.6 (2)	C4—C13—H131	109.0
O1—C2—C18	107.4 (2)	O12—C13—H131	108.6
O3—C2—C18	109.4 (2)	C14—C13—H131	108.0

C17—C2—C18	114.7 (2)	C13—C14—O15	111.0 (2)
C2—O3—C4	109.49 (17)	C13—C14—H141	107.5
O3—C4—C5	104.14 (19)	O15—C14—H141	109.0
O3—C4—C13	109.17 (18)	C13—C14—H142	109.6
C5—C4—C13	113.14 (19)	O15—C14—H142	110.1
O3—C4—H41	109.8	H141—C14—H142	109.7
C5—C4—H41	111.0	C14—O15—H151	107.9
C13—C4—H41	109.5	C6—C16—H161	108.1
C4—C5—O1	103.26 (17)	C6—C16—H162	110.0
C4—C5—C6	113.20 (19)	H161—C16—H162	109.8
O1—C5—C6	108.46 (18)	C6—C16—H163	110.5
C4—C5—H51	110.9	H161—C16—H163	109.9
O1—C5—H51	110.7	H162—C16—H163	108.6
C6—C5—H51	110.1	C2—C17—H172	108.4
C5—C6—N7	105.21 (19)	C2—C17—H171	108.1
C5—C6—C10	108.20 (19)	H172—C17—H171	110.3
N7—C6—C10	108.84 (18)	C2—C17—H173	108.3
C5—C6—C16	111.2 (2)	H172—C17—H173	110.7
N7—C6—C16	109.39 (19)	H171—C17—H173	111.0
C10—C6—C16	113.6 (2)	C2—C18—H182	108.8
C6—N7—N8	114.5 (2)	C2—C18—H181	109.6
N7—N8—N9	172.4 (3)	H182—C18—H181	110.4
C6—C10—O11	123.4 (2)	C2—C18—H183	108.6
C6—C10—O12	116.6 (2)	H182—C18—H183	110.0
O11—C10—O12	120.0 (2)	H181—C18—H183	109.4
C10—O12—C13	119.50 (19)		

Hydrogen-bond geometry ( $\text{\AA}$ ,  $^\circ$ )

<i>D</i> —H $\cdots$ <i>A</i>	<i>D</i> —H	H $\cdots$ <i>A</i>	<i>D</i> $\cdots$ <i>A</i>	<i>D</i> —H $\cdots$ <i>A</i>
C5—H51 $\cdots$ O15 <sup>i</sup>	0.99	2.28	3.141 (4)	146
C13—H131 $\cdots$ O11 <sup>ii</sup>	0.99	2.57	3.473 (4)	152
C16—H161 $\cdots$ O11 <sup>iii</sup>	0.98	2.46	3.333 (4)	149
C16—H163 $\cdots$ O11 <sup>ii</sup>	0.97	2.54	3.465 (4)	159
O15—H151 $\cdots$ O1 <sup>iv</sup>	0.84	2.14	2.930 (4)	157
O15—H151 $\cdots$ N7 <sup>iv</sup>	0.84	2.52	3.072 (4)	125

Symmetry codes: (i)  $-x+2, y+1/2, -z+3/2$ ; (ii)  $x+1, y, z$ ; (iii)  $x+1/2, -y+3/2, -z+1$ ; (iv)  $-x+1, y-1/2, -z+3/2$ .



Fig. 1

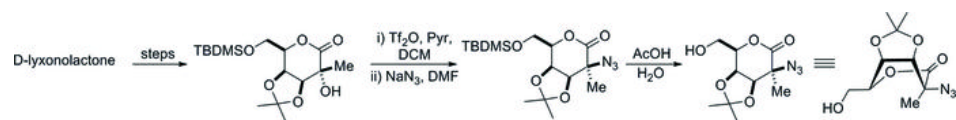


Fig. 2

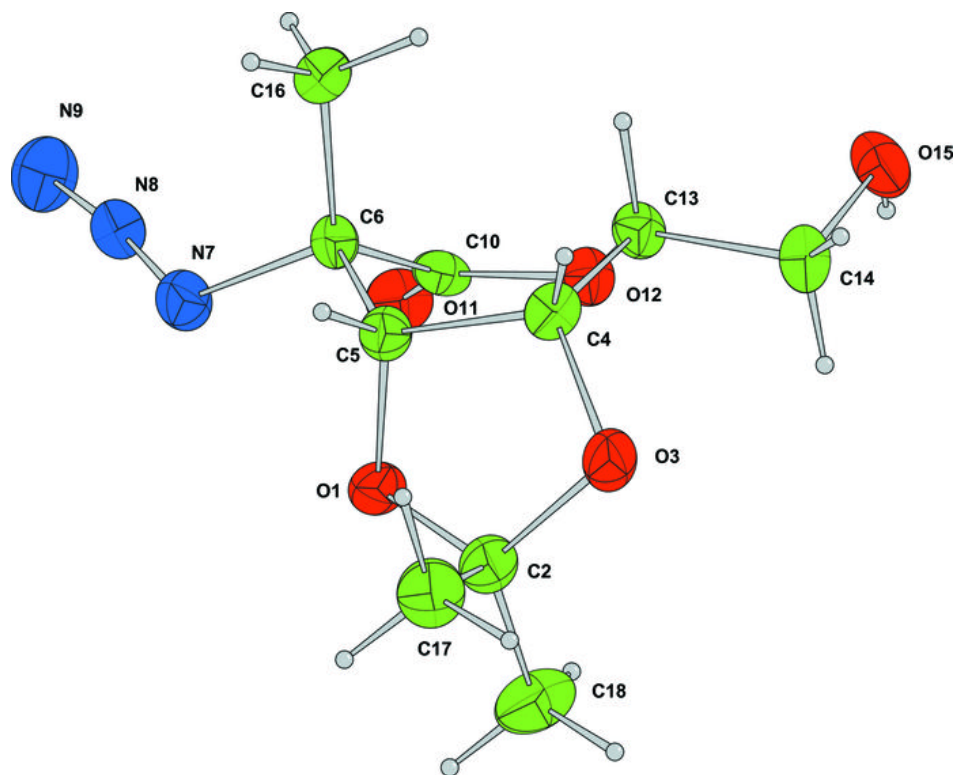


Fig. 3

