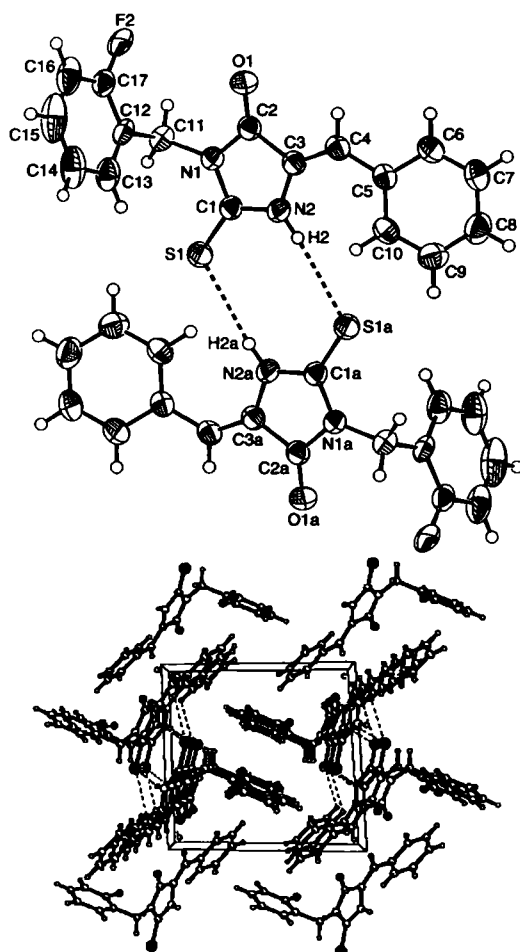


# Crystal structure of 5-phenylmethylidene-3-(2'-fluorobenzyl)-2-thio-4-imidazolidinone, $C_{17}H_{13}FN_2OS$

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## Discussion

This highly functionalized material possesses three distinct units: a phenyl ring, an imidazolinone ring, and a fluorobenzyl ring. These units do not lie in the same plane (figure, top). The phenyl ring is linked to imidazolinone ring by a methylidene group, the angle between the planes of these rings is  $20.72(7)^\circ$ . The imidazolinone ring is connected to fluorobenzyl ring by the N1 atom of imidazolinone, the planes of these rings show an angle of  $79.15(8)^\circ$ . The angle between phenyl and fluorobenzyl ring is equal  $63.85(8)^\circ$ . In the unit cell the molecules form layers via sets of nonlinear intermolecular hydrogen bonds, and they are packed in a crossed arrangement when viewed along *a*-axis (figure, bottom). Among the H bonds, there are two symmetrical hydrogen bonds,  $N2-H2\cdots S1a$  and  $N2a-H2a\cdots S1$  (symmetry code:  $1-x, 1-y, 1-z$ ), which are responsible for dimeric subunits. Bond length and bond angle are  $3.521 \text{ \AA}$  and  $165.9^\circ$ , respectively, being in the range known from literature data [2–5].

Table 1. Data collection and handling.

|                                                         |                                                                 |
|---------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|
| Crystal:                                                | colorless block, size $0.30 \times 0.36 \times 0.40 \text{ mm}$ |
| Wavelength:                                             | Mo $K_\alpha$ radiation ( $0.71073 \text{ \AA}$ )               |
| $\mu$ :                                                 | $2.34 \text{ cm}^{-1}$                                          |
| Diffractometer, scan mode:                              | Bruker SMART 1000 CCD, $\omega$                                 |
| $2\theta_{\text{max}}$ :                                | $52.86^\circ$                                                   |
| $N(hkl)_{\text{measured}}$ , $N(hkl)_{\text{unique}}$ : | 4257, 2986                                                      |
| Criterion for $I_{\text{obs}}$ , $N(hkl)_{\text{gt}}$ : | $I_{\text{obs}} > 2 \sigma(I_{\text{obs}})$ , 2986              |
| $N(\text{param})_{\text{refined}}$ :                    | 240                                                             |
| Programs:                                               | SHELXS-97 [6], SHELXL-97 [7], SHELXTL-Plus [8]                  |

## Abstract

$C_{17}H_{13}FN_2OS$ , triclinic,  $P\bar{1}$  (no. 2),  $a = 6.465(3) \text{ \AA}$ ,  $b = 10.658(4) \text{ \AA}$ ,  $c = 11.080(4) \text{ \AA}$ ,  $\alpha = 85.153(6)^\circ$ ,  $\beta = 78.525(6)^\circ$ ,  $\gamma = 79.650(6)^\circ$ ,  $V = 735.1 \text{ \AA}^3$ ,  $Z = 2$ ,  $R_{\text{gt}}(F) = 0.038$ ,  $wR_{\text{eff}}(F^2) = 0.095$ ,  $T = 293 \text{ K}$ .

## Source of material

In search for biological active imidazolinones [1] we have synthesized the title compound for the first time via tandem aza-Wittig reaction, the light yellow product was purified by double crystallization from the mixed solvents of  $\text{CH}_3\text{CN}$ , petroleum ether and diethyl ether. Single crystals suitable for the X-ray structure analysis were obtained from  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ .

Table 2. Atomic coordinates and displacement parameters (in  $\text{\AA}^2$ ).

| Atom   | Site | <i>x</i> | <i>y</i> | <i>z</i> | $U_{\text{iso}}$ |
|--------|------|----------|----------|----------|------------------|
| H(2)   | 2i   | 0.4290   | 0.3434   | 1.0178   | 0.049            |
| H(4)   | 2i   | 0.1767   | 0.0564   | 1.0545   | 0.049            |
| H(6)   | 2i   | 0.2454   | −0.0626  | 1.2391   | 0.062            |
| H(7)   | 2i   | 0.4588   | −0.1257  | 1.3837   | 0.077            |
| H(8)   | 2i   | 0.7521   | −0.0305  | 1.3832   | 0.076            |
| H(9)   | 2i   | 0.8387   | 0.1256   | 1.2332   | 0.067            |
| H(10)  | 2i   | 0.6276   | 0.1895   | 1.0866   | 0.055            |
| H(11A) | 2i   | −0.0248  | 0.5261   | 0.7598   | 0.052            |
| H(11B) | 2i   | −0.1810  | 0.4265   | 0.7973   | 0.052            |
| H(13)  | 2i   | 0.3432   | 0.4194   | 0.6085   | 0.067            |
| H(14)  | 2i   | 0.4508   | 0.3326   | 0.4165   | 0.089            |
| H(15)  | 2i   | 0.2139   | 0.2413   | 0.3335   | 0.106            |
| H(16)  | 2i   | −0.1307  | 0.2370   | 0.4426   | 0.091            |

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**Table 3.** Atomic coordinates and displacement parameters (in Å<sup>2</sup>).

| Atom  | Site | x          | y          | z         | U <sub>11</sub> | U <sub>22</sub> | U <sub>33</sub> | U <sub>12</sub> | U <sub>13</sub> | U <sub>23</sub> |
|-------|------|------------|------------|-----------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| S(1)  | 2i   | 0.3118(1)  | 0.5668(1)  | 0.8619(1) | 0.068(1)        | 0.040(1)        | 0.054(1)        | −0.021(1)       | −0.024(1)       | 0.007(1)        |
| O(1)  | 2i   | −0.0507(2) | 0.1870(1)  | 0.8920(1) | 0.064(1)        | 0.056(1)        | 0.052(1)        | −0.030(1)       | −0.018(1)       | 0.000(1)        |
| N(1)  | 2i   | 0.0984(2)  | 0.3717(1)  | 0.8551(1) | 0.046(1)        | 0.041(1)        | 0.035(1)        | −0.013(1)       | −0.012(1)       | 0.000(1)        |
| N(2)  | 2i   | 0.3299(2)  | 0.3337(1)  | 0.9796(1) | 0.051(1)        | 0.039(1)        | 0.040(1)        | −0.014(1)       | −0.018(1)       | 0.001(1)        |
| C(1)  | 2i   | 0.2478(3)  | 0.4224(2)  | 0.8996(1) | 0.044(1)        | 0.038(1)        | 0.033(1)        | −0.009(1)       | −0.008(1)       | −0.003(1)       |
| C(2)  | 2i   | 0.0757(3)  | 0.2511(2)  | 0.9103(1) | 0.047(1)        | 0.042(1)        | 0.033(1)        | −0.013(1)       | −0.006(1)       | −0.003(1)       |
| C(3)  | 2i   | 0.2343(3)  | 0.2239(2)  | 0.9928(1) | 0.048(1)        | 0.038(1)        | 0.033(1)        | −0.012(1)       | −0.006(1)       | −0.004(1)       |
| C(4)  | 2i   | 0.2631(3)  | 0.1150(2)  | 1.0626(2) | 0.052(1)        | 0.035(1)        | 0.036(1)        | −0.013(1)       | −0.005(1)       | −0.004(1)       |
| C(5)  | 2i   | 0.4081(3)  | 0.0743(2)  | 1.1489(2) | 0.050(1)        | 0.029(1)        | 0.036(1)        | −0.006(1)       | −0.005(1)       | −0.004(1)       |
| C(6)  | 2i   | 0.3631(3)  | −0.0233(2) | 1.2381(2) | 0.061(1)        | 0.041(1)        | 0.055(1)        | −0.017(1)       | −0.013(1)       | 0.007(1)        |
| C(7)  | 2i   | 0.4914(4)  | −0.0614(2) | 1.3244(2) | 0.078(2)        | 0.056(1)        | 0.061(1)        | −0.018(1)       | −0.023(1)       | 0.022(1)        |
| C(8)  | 2i   | 0.6677(4)  | −0.0053(2) | 1.3237(2) | 0.068(1)        | 0.061(1)        | 0.063(1)        | −0.005(1)       | −0.029(1)       | 0.008(1)        |
| C(9)  | 2i   | 0.7185(3)  | 0.0885(2)  | 1.2346(2) | 0.049(1)        | 0.053(1)        | 0.067(1)        | −0.010(1)       | −0.016(1)       | −0.002(1)       |
| C(10) | 2i   | 0.5909(3)  | 0.1273(2)  | 1.1472(2) | 0.050(1)        | 0.036(1)        | 0.048(1)        | −0.008(1)       | −0.004(1)       | 0.001(1)        |
| C(11) | 2i   | −0.0328(3) | 0.4357(2)  | 0.7669(2) | 0.044(1)        | 0.046(1)        | 0.042(1)        | −0.005(1)       | −0.015(1)       | −0.003(1)       |
| C(12) | 2i   | 0.0418(7)  | 0.3803(5)  | 0.6407(3) | 0.055(3)        | 0.037(3)        | 0.038(3)        | −0.005(2)       | −0.026(2)       | 0.001(2)        |
| C(13) | 2i   | 0.2482(6)  | 0.3829(5)  | 0.5753(4) | 0.047(3)        | 0.065(2)        | 0.046(2)        | 0.012(2)        | −0.011(2)       | 0.008(2)        |
| C(14) | 2i   | 0.3127(7)  | 0.3308(5)  | 0.4602(4) | 0.073(3)        | 0.078(3)        | 0.050(2)        | 0.031(2)        | −0.006(2)       | 0.007(2)        |
| C(15) | 2i   | 0.1707(8)  | 0.2762(5)  | 0.4105(3) | 0.150(5)        | 0.059(3)        | 0.044(3)        | 0.025(3)        | −0.024(3)       | −0.016(3)       |
| C(16) | 2i   | −0.0357(8) | 0.2736(4)  | 0.4759(4) | 0.145(4)        | 0.043(2)        | 0.054(3)        | −0.021(3)       | −0.048(3)       | −0.001(2)       |
| C(17) | 2i   | −0.1002(6) | 0.3256(4)  | 0.5910(3) | 0.069(2)        | 0.038(2)        | 0.047(2)        | −0.015(2)       | −0.028(2)       | 0.008(2)        |
| F(2)  | 2i   | −0.2940(3) | 0.3172(2)  | 0.6557(2) | 0.070(1)        | 0.104(2)        | 0.001(2)        | −0.039(1)       | −0.031(1)       | −0.013(1)       |

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