Supporting Information

para-Selective Copper-Catalyzed C(sp²)—H Amidation/Dimerization of Anilides *via a* Radical Pathway

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1. General Information:

All reagents and solvents were used as received from commercial sources unless otherwise noted. All experiments were carried out in a Teflon screw cap glass tube. Precoated plates (silica gel 60 PF254, 0.25 mm or 0.5 mm) were utilized for thin-layer chromatography (TLC). Visualization of the developed TLC plate was performed by irradiation with UV light. Column chromatographic purifications were carried out on flash silica gel (240–400 mesh) using ethyl acetate and petroleum ether as eluents. The ¹H and ¹³C NMR spectra were recorded on 400 and 100 MHz NMR spectrometers, respectively, in CDCl₃. Chemical shifts were reported as δ values from standard peaks. The ¹³C NMR spectra of compounds **2a**, **2c**, **2m**, **2n** and **2u** shows one carbon less and the compound **2o** shows two carbon less because of peak overlapping. The melting points were recorded on a Buchi instrument and are uncorrected. High-resolution mass spectrometry (HRMS) was performed on a TOF/Q-TOF mass spectrometer.

The NMR spectra of compounds **2a-g** show clean countable proton/carbon peaks. However, peak broadening was observed for aromatic peaks in the ¹H and ¹³C NMR spectra of **2i-l**. Scanning the sample at various concentrations in CDCl₃ and other deuterated solvents at different concentrations and even for a longer time (24 h) on a 700 MHz Bruker NMR instrument also did not change this peculiar pattern. However, scanning the ¹H NMR of a representative compound **2j** at higher temperature provided clean spectra (see page nos. 37 and 38). These compounds with the presence of proton on the carbon adjacent to the carbonyl group may have a different kind of inter or intramolecular interaction leading to such a pattern. To clarify the doubt about the structure, we prepared the same compound **2j** by acylation of the corresponding commercially available diamine (page S4). The peculiar peak broadening was observed in the NMR, but the spectral and analytical data was in complete agreement with the data of the compound **2j** synthesized by our protocol.

2. Experimental Procedures:

a] Synthesis of substrates 1a-z: The known substrates 1a-z were prepared using the following procedure.¹⁻³ To a solution of amine (1 equiv) and NEt₃ (1.1 equiv) in dry CH₂Cl₂ was added the corresponding acid chloride (1.00 equiv) drop-wise over 30 min at 0 °C. The resulting reaction mixture was then allowed to warm to room temperature (rt) and stirred for 12-24 h. After completion of the reaction, the solution was transferred to a separatory funnel and washed three times with saturated aqueous NaHCO₃ and once with brine. The organic layer was dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, and concentrated in vacuo. The crude residue was purified by recrystallization from EtOH.

b] General procedure for *para*-selective dimerization of anilides to obtain 2a-x: An ovendried screw cap glass tube equipped with a magnetic stirring bar was charged with anilide 1a-x (0.2 mmol, 1 equiv), ammonium persulfate (APS, 46 mg, 0.2 mmol, 1 equiv) and copper acetate (3.6 mg, 0.02 mmol, 0.1 equiv) under argon atmosphere. To this mixture, DMSO (2.0 mL) was added and the glass tube was backfilled with argon and heated at 100 °C in a preheated oil bath. The progress of the reaction was monitored using TLC. After maximum conversion (18 h), the reaction mixture was diluted with ethyl acetate (40 mL) and washed with ice cold water (30 mL x 3). The organic layer was dried over Na₂SO₄, concentrated under vacuum, and the crude residue was purified by flash column chromatography using ethyl acetate and petroleum ether as eluents.

c] Typical experimental procedure for the preparation of representative product 2a:

An oven-dried screw cap glass tube, equipped with a magnetic stirring bar, was charged with *N*-phenylpivalamide (**1a**, 35.4 mg, 0.2 mmol, 1 equiv), APS (46 mg, 0.2 mmol, 1 equiv) and copper acetate (3.6 mg, 0.02 mmol, 0.1 equiv) under argon atmosphere. To this mixture, DMSO (2.0 mL) was added and the glass tube was backfilled with argon and heated at 100 °C in a preheated oil bath. The progress of the reaction was monitored using TLC. After 18 h, the reaction mixture was diluted with ethyl acetate (40 mL) and washed with ice cold water (30 mL x 3). The organic layer was dried over Na₂SO₄, concentrated under vacuum, and the crude residue was purified by flash column chromatography using ethyl acetate and petroleum ether (1:4) to afford pure dimer product **2a** in 62% yield (22 mg) and 6.5 mg of **1a** was recovered unchanged. Accordingly, the actual yield based on the recovered starting material (brsm) was 77%.

d] Alternate synthesis of product 2**j**: The procedure reported⁴ for the acylation of amine was utilized. Acetyl chloride (86 μ L, 1.2 mmol, 2.2 equiv) was added to a solution of commercially available amine **4** (100 mg, 0.55 mmol, 1 equiv) in dry pyridine (4 mL), and the reaction mixture was stirred for 1h at rt. After the removal of pyridine under vacuum, the residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography using ethyl acetate and petroleum ether (1:1) to afford **2j** in 69% yield (102 mg).



e) General procedure for the attempted dimerization reaction of other amides:

An oven-dried screw cap glass tube equipped with a magnetic stirring bar was charged with amides (0.2 mmol, 1 equiv), ammonium persulfate (APS, 46 mg, 0.2 mmol, 1 equiv) and copper acetate (3.6 mg, 0.02 mmol, 0.1 equiv) under argon atmosphere. To this mixture, DMSO (2.0 mL) was added and the glass tube was backfilled with argon and heated at 100 °C in a preheated oil bath. The progress of the reaction was monitored using TLC. All the reactions failed to give an isolable quantity of dimer product. A trace amount of dimer product formation was observed (LCMS) in the crude reaction mixture of 3,4-dihydroquinolin-2(1H)-one, quinolin-2(1H)-one and 4-methyl-N-phenylbenzenesulfonamide.



f) General procedure for attempted Cross-coupling reactions:

An oven-dried screw cap glass tube equipped with a magnetic stirring bar was charged with anilide **1m** (0.2 mmol, 1 equiv), other amide (0.4 mmol, 2 equiv), ammonium persulfate (APS,

46 mg, 0.2 mmol, 1 equiv), and copper acetate (3.6 mg, 0.02 mmol, 0.1 equiv) under argon atmosphere. To this mixture, DMSO (2.0 mL) was added and the glass tube was backfilled with argon and heated at 100 °C in a preheated oil bath. The reaction was monitored using TLC. All the reactions failed to give cross-coupled product as confirmed by LCMS of the crude reaction mixture.



g) Radical trapping experiments:

An oven-dried screw cap glass tube, equipped with a magnetic stirring bar, was charged with anilide **1m** (20 mg, 0.1 mmol, 1 equiv), APS (23 mg, 0.1 mmol, 1 equiv), copper acetate (1.8 mg, 0.02 mmol, 0.1 equiv) and TEMPO (31 mg, 0.2 mmol, 2 equiv) under argon atmosphere. To this mixture, DMSO was added (1.0 mL) and the glass tube was backfilled with argon and heated at 100 $^{\circ}$ C in a preheated oil bath. The progress of the reaction was monitored using TLC, however the formation of the product **2m** was not observed and most of the starting material remained unreacted. LC-MS of the crude reaction mixture did not show any TEMPO adduct formation.



The same reaction was performed in the presence of BHT (44 mg, 0.2 mmol, 2 equiv) as a radical scavenger. In this case also, the formation of product **2m** was not observed. However, the peak corresponding to the molecular weight of BHT+**2m** was observed in LC-MS, which was reconfirmed by HRMS. HRMS of **3** (ESI–TOF) m/z $[M + H]^+$ calcd for C₂₈H₃₄NO₂, 416.2584 found, 416.2584.

Trapping of intermediate with BHT using the above mentioned procedure



h) Bromination of anilide 1a with NBS under standard conditions:

An oven-dried screw cap glass tube, equipped with a magnetic stirring bar, was charged with *N*-phenylpivalamide (**1a**, 35.4mg, 0.2 mmol, 1 equiv), N-bromosuccinimide (71mg, 0.4 mmol, 2 equiv), APS (46 mg, 0.2 mmol, 1 equiv) and copper acetate (3.6 mg, 0.02 mmol, 0.1 equiv) under argon atmosphere. To this mixture, DMSO (2.0 mL) was added and the glass tube was backfilled with argon and heated at 100 °C in a preheated oil bath. The progress of the reaction was monitored by GC and GC-MS. After 18 h, the reaction mixture was diluted with ethyl acetate (40 mL) and washed with ice cold water (30 mL x 3). The organic layer was dried over Na₂SO₄, concentrated under vacuum, and the crude residue was passed through flash column chromatography using ethyl acetate and petroleum ether (1:3) to afford an inseparable mixture of **1a** and brominated product **4**. The ¹H NMR and GC/GC-MS analysis of inseparable mixture of **1a** and brominated product **4** shows 43% conversion.



3. Characterization Data of Compounds.

N-Phenyl-N-(4-pivalamidophenyl)pivalamide (2a)

According to the general procedure, the title compound 2a was obtained as a white solid (22 mg; 62% yield, [BRSM-77%]): Reaction time 18h, 100 °C; R_f 0.5 (ethyl acetate: pet. ether, 1:2); mp: (2a) 170-172 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 7.57-7.47 (m, 2H), 7.37-7.29 (m, 3H), 7.27-7.15 (m, 5H), 1.31 (s, 9H), 1.15 (m, 9H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 179.5, 176.6, 144.5, 140.2, 136.8, 129.1, 128.2, 126.7, 120.6, 41.6, 39.6, 29.7, 27.7; HRMS (ESI–TOF) m/z [M + H]⁺ calcd for C₂₂H₂₉N₂O₂, 353.2224; found, 353.2220.

N-(3-Methyl-4-pivalamidophenyl)-N-(o-tolyl)pivalamide (2b)

According to the general procedure, the title compound **2b** was obtained as a white solid (23 mg; 60% yield, [BRSM-72%]): Reaction time 18h, 100 °C; R_f 0.5 (ethyl acetate:pet. ether, 1:2); mp: 140-142 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 7.85 (d, J = 8.54 Hz, 1H), 7.24-7.12 (m, 5H), 7.05-7.96 (m, 2H), 2.23 (s, 3H), 2.21 (s, 3H), 1.33 (s, 9H), 1.14 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 179.5, 176.4, 142.7, 140.1, 135.7, 134.0, 131.4, 129.3, 129.2, 129.0, 127.6, 126.5, 125.9, 122.8, 41.7, 39.7, 29.5, 27.7, 18.6, 17.7; HRMS (ESI–TOF) m/z [M + H]⁺ calcd for C₂₄H₃₃N₂O₂, 381.2542; found, 381.2547. According to the general procedure, the title compound **2c** was obtained as a white solid (18 mg; 47% yield, [BRSM-80%]): Reaction time 18h, 100 °C; $R_f 0.5$ (ethyl acetate:pet. ether, 1:2); mp: (**2c**) 85-87 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 7.44 (d, J = 2.29 Hz, 1H), 7.41-7.34 (m, 2H), 7.19-7.14 (m, 1H), 7.13 (d, J = 8.70 Hz, 1H), 6.98 (d, J = 7.33 Hz, 1H), 6.95-6.90 (m, 2H), 2.29 (s, 3H), 2.2 (s, 3H), 1.31 (s, 9H), 1.14 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 179.7, 176.6, 143.7, 138.6, 137.2, 136.7, 129.9, 128.5, 127.8, 127.0, 124.4, 122.5, 117.8, 41.8, 39.6, 29.5, 27.6, 21.4, 18.7; HRMS (ESI–TOF) m/z [M + H]⁺ calcd for C₂₄H₃₃N₂O₂, 381.2542; found, 381.2540.

N-(3-Methoxy-4-pivalamidophenyl)-N-(2-methoxyphenyl)pivalamide (2d)



According to the general procedure, the title compound **2d** was obtained as a white solid (23 mg; 56% yield, [BRSM-68%]): Reaction time 18h, 100 °C; R_f 0.5 (ethyl acetate:pet. ether, 1:2); mp113-115 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 8.33 (d, *J* =

8.70 Hz, 1H), 8.05 (s, 1H), 7.26-7.18 (m, 2H), 6.93-6.88 (m, 4H), 3.86 (s, 3H), 3.86 (s, 3H), 1.30 (s, 9H), 1.15 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl3) δ (ppm) 179.1, 176.4, 155.2, 147.9, 139.8, 133.5, 130.0, 128.7, 126.6, 120.83, 120.79, 119.3, 111.9, 110.3, 55.9, 55.4, 41.4, 40.0, 29.2, 27.6; HRMS (ESI–TOF) m/z [M + H]⁺ calcd for C₂₄H₃₃N₂O₄, 413.2440; found, 413.2439.

N-(3-Fluoro-4-pivalamidophenyl)-N-(2-fluorophenyl)pivalamide (2e)

According to the general procedure, the title compound **2e** was obtained as a white solid (16 mg; 41% yield, [BRSM-62%]): Reaction time 18h, 100 °C; $R_f 0.5$ (ethyl acetate:pet. ether, 1:2); mp: 139-141 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 8.35 (t, J = 8.77 Hz, 1H), 7.60 (d, J = 2.29 Hz, 1H), 7.31-7.22 (m, 2H), 7.15-7.06 (m, 4H), 1.32 (s, 9H), 1.17 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 178.6, 176.6, 158.0 (d, J = 249.2 Hz), 152.0 (d, J = 243.5), 139.3 (d, J = 9.59 Hz), 132.0 (d, J = 12.46), 130.4, 129.4 (d, J = 7.67 Hz), 125.8 (d, 10.54 Hz), 124.6 (d, J = 3.83), 124.5, 121.4, 116.7 (d, J = 21.09 Hz), 115.1 (d, J = 20.13 Hz), 41.5, 40.0, 29.1, 27.5; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z [M + H]⁺ calcd for C₂₂H₂₇N₂O₂F₂, 389.2040; found, 389.2042.

N-(2-Fluoro-4-pivalamidophenyl)-N-(3-fluorophenyl)pivalamide (2f)



According to the general procedure, the title compound **2f** was obtained as a white solid (12 mg; 31% yield, [BRSM-74%]): Reaction time 18h, 100 °C; $R_f 0.5$ (ethyl acetate:pet. ether, 1:2); mp: 136-138 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 7.26 (m, 2H),

7.33-7.25 (m, 1H), 7.17 (d, J = 3.81 Hz, 2H), 7.06 (d, J = 7.63 Hz, 1H), 7.01-7.91 (m, 2H), 1.30 (s, 9H), 1.17 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl3) δ (ppm) 179.1, 176.8, 162.7 (d, J = 248.28 Hz), 159.1 (d, J = 249.2 Hz), 145.3 (d, J = 8.63 Hz), 139.3 (d, J = 10.54), 130.6, 130.1 (d, J = 8.63 Hz), 127.0 (d, J = 13.42 Hz), 123.7, 115.5 (d, J = 5.75 HZ), 115.2, 114.1 (d, J = 21.09), 108.5 (d, J = 25.88), 41.5, 39.7, 29.1, 27.5; HRMS (ESI–TOF) m/z [M + H]⁺ calcd for C₂₂H₂₇N₂O₂F₂, 389.2040; found, 389.2043.

N-(3-Iodo-4-pivalamidophenyl)-N-(2-iodophenyl)pivalamide (2g)

According to the general procedure, the title compound **2g** was obtained as a white solid (32 mg; 53% yield, [BRSM-72%]): Reaction time 18h, 100 °C; $R_f 0.5$ (ethyl acetate:pet. ether, 1:2); mp: 132-134 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 8.30 (d, J = 8.70 Hz, 1H), 7.90 (d, J = 7.79 Hz, 1H), 7.82 (s, 1H), 7.80 (d, J = 2.29 Hz, 1H), 7.40-7.30 (m, 2H), 7.24 (d, J = 7.78 Hz, 1H), 7.03-6.98 (t, J = 7.56, 1H), 1.36 (s, 9H), 1.20 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 179.1, 176.7, 146.2, 140.5, 139.8, 138.0, 137.2, 130.2, 129.3, 129.1, 128.8, 120.8, 100.3, 88.9, 41.9, 40.2, 29.5, 27.6; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z [M + H]⁺ calcd for C₂₂H₂₇N₂O₂I₂, 605.0162; found, 605.0164.

N-(4-Isobutyramidophenyl)-N-phenylisobutyramide (2i)

According to the general procedure, the title compound **2i** was obtained as a sticky solid (18 mg; 56% yield, [BRSM-71%]): Reaction time 18h, 100 °C; $R_f 0.5$ (ethyl acetate:pet. ether, 1:2); mp: 140-142 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.71 (s, 1H), 7.59-7.29 (m, 5H), 7.26-7.05 (m, 4H), 2.79-2.67 (m, 1H), 2.55-2.44 (m, 1H), 1.22 (d, J = 6.71 Hz, 6H), 1.13 (d, J = 6.71 Hz, 6H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 177.9, 175.5, 142.9, 138.6, 131-125 (5C's), 120.6, 36.4, 31.9, 19.6, 19.5; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z [M + H]⁺ calcd for C₂₀H₂₅N₂O₂, 325.1916; found, 325.1919.

N-(4-Acetamidophenyl)-N-phenylacetamide (2j)

According to the general procedure, the title compound 2j was obtained as a sticky solid (14mg; 52% yield, [BRSM-68%]): Reaction time 18h, 100 °C; $R_f 0.5$ (ethyl acetate:pet. ether, 1:2); ¹H NMR (400 (**2j**) MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 7.77 (s, 1H), 7.55 (s, 1H), 7.45-7.32 (m, 4H), 7.28-7.23 (m, 2H), 7.22-7.14 (m, 2H); 2.14 (s, 3H), 2.07 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl3) δ (ppm) 170.8, 168.5, 129.7-126.4 (7C's), 120.6, 24.4, 23.7; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z $[M + H]^+$ calcd for $C_{16}H_{17}N_2O_2$, 269.1290; found, 269.1295.

N-Phenyl-N-(4-propionamidophenyl)propionamide (2k)



obtained as a sticky solid (16mg; 54% yield, [BRSM-77%]): Reaction time 18h, 100 °C; $R_f 0.5$ (ethyl acetate:pet. ether, 1:2); ¹H (2k) NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 7.63 (s, 1H), 7.57 (m, 2H), 7.41-7.31 (m, 2H), 7.31-7.22 (m, 3H), 7.18 (d, J = 7.93 Hz, 2H), 2.35 (q, J = 7.52 Hz, 2H), 2.28 (q, J = 7.32 Hz, 2H), 1.22 (t, J = 7.32 Hz, 3H), 1.13 (t, J = 7.62 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl3) δ (ppm) 174.2, 172.2, 142.8, 138.5, 131-124 (5C's), 120.6, 30.6, 28.7, 9.7, 9.6; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z [M + H]⁺ calcd for C₁₈H₂₁N₂O₂, 297.1603; found, 297.1605.

According to the general procedure, the title compound 2k was



According to the general procedure, the title compound 21 was obtained as a sticky solid (18 mg; 46% yield, [BRSM-65%]): Reaction time 18h, 100 °C; $R_f 0.5$ (ethyl acetate:pet. ether, 1:2); ¹H (**2I**) NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.80 (s, 1H), 7.65-7.30 (m, 5H), 7.23 (d, J = 7.32 Hz, 2H), 7.20-7.10 (m, 2H); 2.39-2.22 (m, 4H), 1.78-1.59 (m, 4H), 1.40-1.30 (m, 4H), 1.29-1.21 (m, 4H), 0.95-0.8 (m, 6H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl3) δ (ppm) 173.7, 171.7, 142.9, 138.5, 130-125 (5C's), 120.6, 37.5, 35.1, 33.7, 31.4, 29.7, 25.6, 22.4, 22.4, 13.9, 13.9; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z [M + H]⁺ calcd for C₂₄H₃₃N₂O₂, 381.2542; found, 381.2538.

N-(4-Benzamidophenyl)-N-phenylbenzamide (2m)



According to the general procedure, the title compound 2m was obtained as a white solid (21 mg; 53% yield, [BRSM-72%]): Reaction time 18h, 100 °C; R_f 0.5 (ethyl acetate:pet. ether 1:2); mp: 188-190 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 8.16 (s, 1H), 7.85 (d, J = 7.32 Hz, 2H), 7.58 (d, J = 8.54 Hz, 2H), 7.53 (d, J = 7.32 Hz, 1H), 7.49-7.42 (m, 4H), 7.35-7.27 (m, 2H), 7.26-7.16 (m, 4H), 7.16-7.06 (m, 4H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl3) δ (ppm) 170.8, 165.7, 143.8, 139.9, 136.3, 135.9, 134.8, 131.8, 130.3, 129.2, 129.1, 128.7, 127.9, 127.4, 127.1, 126.4, 120.8; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z [M + H]⁺ calcd for C₂₆H₂₁N₂O₂, 393.1598; found, 393.1592.



According to the general procedure, the title compound 2n was obtained as a white solid (21mg; 51% yield, [BRSM-71%]): Reaction time 18h, 100 °C; R_f 0.5 (ethyl acetate:pet. ether, 1:2); mp: 168-170 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) 7.91-7.82 (m, 3H), 7.68 (s, 1H), 7.62-7.52 (m, 2H), 7.52-7.44 (m, 4H), 7.30 (d, J = 7.32 Hz, 1H), 7.26-7.12

(m, 5H), 7.07 (d, J = 7.32 Hz, 1H), 6.97-6.92 (m, 1H), 2.29 (s, 3H), 2.25 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl3) δ (ppm); 170.4, 165.5, 142.1, 136.0, 135.4, 134.8, 133.5, 131.9, 131.4, 130.3, 130.1, 129.6, 129.3, 128.9, 128.4, 128.1, 127.9, 127.6, 127.0, 124.7, 123.1, 18.4, 17.9; HRMS $(ESI-TOF) m/z [M + H]^+$ calcd for C₂₈H₂₅N₂O₂, 421.1916; found, 421.1921.

N-(*4*-*Benzamido*-2-*methylphenyl*)-*N*-(*m*-tolyl)benzamide (20)



According to the general procedure, the title compound **20** was obtained as a white solid (18 mg; 42% yield, [BRSM-80%]): Reaction time 18h, 100 °C; R_f 0.5 (ethyl acetate:pet. ether, 1:2); mp: 138-140 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) 8.19 (s,

1H), 7.87 (d, *J* = 7.33 Hz, 2H), 7.57-7.41 (m, 8H), 7.32 (t, *J* = 7.33 Hz, 1H), 7.27-7.21 (m, 2H), 7.09 (t, J = 6.87 Hz, 1H), 7.0 (d, J = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 6.93 (d, J = 7.33 Hz, 1H), 6.86-6.79 (m, 1H), 2.26 (s, 3H), 2.24 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl3) δ (ppm); 170.6, 165.8, 138.9, 138.3, 137.2, 136.1, 136.0, 134.9, 131.8, 130.3, 128.9, 128.7, 128.6, 127.9, 127.1, 126.8, 126.7, 123.6, 122.7, 118.8, 21.3, 18.5; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z $[M + H]^+$ calcd for C₂₈H₂₅N₂O₂, 421.1916; found, 421.1921.

N-(4-Benzamido-3-methoxyphenyl)-N-(2-methoxyphenyl)benzamide (**2p**)

According to the general procedure, the title compound **2p** was obtained as a white solid (23 mg; 50% yield, [BRSM-67%]): Reaction time 18h, 100 °C; R_f 0.5 (ethyl acetate:pet. ether, 1:2); mp: 152-154 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) 8.48 (s, 1H), 8.42 (d, J = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 7.88 (s, 1H), 7.86 (d, J = 1.34 Hz, 1H), 7.60-7.44 (m, 6H), 7.30-7.25 (m,1H), 7.24-7.17 (m, 4H), 6.91 (t, J =7.56 Hz, 1H), 6.86 (s, 1H), 6.74 (dd, J = 8.70, 2.29 Hz, 1H), 3.82 (s, 3H), 3.71 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 171.1, 165.1, 154.8, 148.1, 139.4, 136.4, 135.2, 132.6, 131.7, 129.9, 129.5, 128.8, 128.7, 128.5, 127.6, 127.0, 125.7, 121.1, 119.6, 118.8, 112.2, 109.3, 55.9, 55.5; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z [M + H]⁺ calcd for C₂₈H₂₅N₂O₄, 453.1814; found, 453.1821.

N-(4-Benzamido-3-fluorophenyl)-N-(2-fluorophenyl)benzamide (2q)

According to the general procedure, the title compound **2q** was obtained as a white solid (17 mg; 40% yield, [BRSM-72%]): Reaction time 18h, 100 °C; R_f 0.5 (ethyl acetate:pet. ether, 1:2); mp: 162-164 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 8.41 (t, J = 8.77 Hz, 1H), 8.04 (s, 1H), 7.87 (d, J = 6.87 Hz, 2H), 7.61-7.5 (m, 1H), 7.54-7.47 (m, 4H), 7.37-7.31 (m, 1H), 7.31-7.22 (m, 3H), 7.22-7.16 (m, 1H), 7.16-7.03 (m, 3H), 7.98 (d, J = 8.39 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 170.5, 165.4, 157.6 (d, J = 251.12 Hz), 152.2 (d, J = 245.37 Hz), 139.0 (d, J = 10.54 Hz), 135.0, 134.2, 132.3, 131.0 (d, J = 12.46 Hz), 130.6, 129.8, 129.0 (d, J = 7.67 Hz), 128.9, 128.7, 128.0, 127.1, 124.9, 124.9 (d, J = 4.79 Hz), 122.8, 121.7, 116.8 (d, J = 20.13 Hz), 113.7 (d, J =21.09 Hz); HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z [M + H]⁺ calcd for C₂₆H₁₉N₂O₂F₂, 429.1414; found, 429.1415. N-(4-Benzamido-2-bromophenyl)-N-(3-bromophenyl)benzamide (2r)



According to the general procedure, the title compound 2r was obtained as a white solid (20 mg; 36% yield, [BRSM-61%]): Reaction time 18h, 100 °C; R_f 0.5 (ethyl acetate:pet. ether, 1:2); mp: 202-204 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃); 8.37 (s. 1H), 7.96 (s, 1H), 7.88 (d, J = 7.32 Hz, 2H), 7.66 (d, J = 7.32 Hz, 1H), 7.60-7.52 (m, 3H), 7.50-7.43 (m, 2H), 7.41-7.36 (m, 1H), 7.33-7.26 (m, 3H), 7.22 (s, 1H), 7.10 (d, J = 7.93 Hz, 2H), 7.02 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl3) δ (ppm) 170.7, 165.8, 138.8, 137.5, 135.0, 134.7, 134.4, 132.1, 130.9, 130.1, 129.3, 129.1, 128.9, 128.7, 128.1, 127.2, 127.1, 125.2, 124.9, 123.2, 122.4,

120.3; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z $[M + H]^+$ calcd for C₂₆H₁₉N₂O₂⁷⁹Br₂, 548.9813; found, 548.9824.

4-Methyl-N-(4-(4-methylbenzamido)phenyl)-N-phenylbenzamide (2t)



According to the general procedure, the title compound 2t was obtained as a white solid (22 mg; 52% yield, [BRSM-74%]): Reaction time 18h, 100 $^{\circ}$ C; R_f 0.5 (ethyl acetate:pet. ether, 1:2); mp: 162-164 °C; ¹H NMR (400

MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 8.02 (s, 1H), 7.78 (d, J = 5.95 HZ, 2H), 7.62-7.52 (m, 2H), 7.37 (d, J = 5.95 HZ, 2H), 7.62-7.52 (m, 2H), 7.37 (d, J = 5.95 HZ, 2H), 7.62-7.52 (m, 2H), 7.37 (d, J = 5.95 HZ, 2H), 7.62-7.52 (m, 2H), 7.37 (d, J = 5.95 HZ, 2H), 7.62-7.52 (m, 2H), 7.37 (d, J = 5.95 HZ, 2H), 7.62-7.52 (m, 2H), 7.37 (d, J = 5.95 HZ, 2H), 7.62-7.52 (m, 2H), 7.37 (d, J = 5.95 HZ, 2H), 7.62-7.52 (m, 2H), 7.37 (d, J = 5.95 HZ, 2H), 7.62-7.52 (m, 2H), 7.37 (d, J = 5.95 HZ, 2H), 7.62-7.52 (m, 2H), 7.37 (d, J = 5.95 HZ, 2H), 7.62-7.52 (m, 2H), 7.37 (d, J = 5.95 HZ, 2H), 7.62-7.52 (m, 2H), 7.37 (d, J = 5.95 HZ, 2H), 7.62-7.52 (m, 2H), 7.37 (d, J = 5.95 HZ, 2H), 7.62-7.52 (m, 2H), 7.37 (d, J = 5.95 HZ, 2H), 7.62-7.52 (m, 2H), 7.37 (d, J = 5.95 HZ, 2H), 7.62-7.52 (m, 2H), 7.37 (m, 2H), 7.37 (m, 2H), 7.58 (m 7.33 Hz, 2H), 7.32-7.21 (m, 4H), 7.21-7.07 (m, 5H), 7.03 (d, J = 7.33 Hz, 2H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 2.30 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl3) δ (ppm) 170.9, 165.8, 144.1, 142.5, 140.7, 140.1, 136.4, 133.0, 132.0, 129.51, 129.48, 129.2, 128.7, 128.1, 127.5, 127.2, 126.4, 120.9, 21.6, 21.5; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z $[M + H]^+$ calcd for C₂₈H₂₅N₂O₂, 421.1911; found, 421.1907.

4-Methoxy-N-(4-(4-methoxybenzamido)phenyl)-N-phenylbenzamide (2u)

According to the general procedure, the title compound 2u was obtained as a white solid (25 mg; 56% yield, [BRSM-77%]): Reaction time 18h, 100 °C; R_f 0.5 (ethyl acetate:pet. MeC (2u) ether, 1:2); mp: 190-192 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 7.99 (s, 1H), 8.83 (d, J = 8.55 Hz, 2H), 7.57 (d, J = 7.55 Hz, 2H), 7.45 (d, J = 9.16 Hz, 2H), 7.33-7.22 (m, 2H), 7.21-7.07 (m, 5H), 6.94 (d, J = 7.93 Hz, 2H), 6.73 (d, J = 8.55 Hz, 2H), 3.86 (s, 3H), 3.78 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl3) δ (ppm) 170.4, 165.2, 162.5, 161.1, 144.2, 140.2, 136.2, 131.4, 129.1, 129.0, 127.9, 127.3, 126.9, 126.1, 120.8, 113.9, 113.2, 55.4, 55.2; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z [M + H]⁺ calcd for C₂₈H₂₅N₂O₄, 453.1809; found, 453.1806.

3-Fluoro-N-(4-(3-fluorobenzamido)phenyl)-N-phenylbenzamide (2v)



According to the general procedure, the title compound 2v was obtained as a white solid (18 mg; 43% yield, [BRSM-63%]): Reaction time 18h, 100 °C; $R_f 0.5$ (ethyl acetate:pet. ether, 1:2); mp: 162-164 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 8.18 (s, 1H), 7.63 (d, J = 7.63 Hz, 1H), 7.58 (d, J = 8.39 Hz, 3H), 7.46-7.39 (m, 1H), 7.30 (d, J = 7.30 Hz, 1H), 7.26-7.16 (m, 6H), 7.15-7.07 (m, 4H), 7.04-7.98 (m, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl3) δ (ppm) 169.4, 164.4, 162.7 (d, J = 248.24 Hz), 162.1 (d, J = 247.3 Hz), 143.3, 139.6, 138.0 (d, J = 7.67 Hz), 137.0 (d, J = 6.71Hz), 136.3, 130.4 (d, J = 7.67 Hz), 129.6 (d, J = 7.67 Hz), 129.3, 127.8, 127.3, 126.8, 124.8 (d, J = 2.88 Hz), 122.6 (d, J = 2.88 Hz), 121.0, 118.9 (d, J = 21.09 Hz), 117.4 (d, J = 21.09 Hz), 116.2 (d, J = 23 Hz), 114.6 (d, J = 23 Hz); HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z [M + H]⁺ calcd for C₂₆H₁₉N₂O₂F₂, 429.1409; found, 429.1404.



According to the general procedure, the title compound 2w was obtained as a white solid (22 mg; 48% yield, [BRSM-75%]): Reaction time 18h, 100 °C; R_f 0.5 (ethyl acetate:pet. Ether: 1:2): mp: 161-163 °C: ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 8.12 (s, 1H), 7.80 (d, J = 8.24 Hz, 2H), 7.57 (d, J = 8.70 Hz, 2H), 7.41 (d, J = 7.41 Hz, 2H), 7.38 (d, J = 8.24 Hz, 2H), 7.33-7.27 (m, 2H), 7.23-7.17 (m, 3H),

7.16-7.05 (m, 4H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl3) δ (ppm) 169.7, 164.7, 143.4, 139.7, 138.2, 136.4, 136.3, 134.2, 133.0, 130.6, 129.3, 129.0, 128.6, 128.3, 127.8, 127.3, 126.7, 121.0; HRMS $(ESI-TOF) m/z [M + H]^+$ calcd for C₂₆H₁₉N₂O₂Cl₂, 461.0818; found, 461.0811.

3-Iodo-N-(4-(3-iodobenzamido)phenyl)-N-phenylbenzamide (2x)



According to the general procedure, the title compound 2x was obtained as a white solid (30 mg; 46% yield, [BRSM-68%]): Reaction time 18h, 100 $^{\circ}$ C; R_f 0.5 (ethyl acetate:pet. ether, 1:2); mp: 81-83 °C; ¹H NMR

(400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) 8.21-8.17 (m, 1H), 8.06 (s, 1H), 7.89-7.86 (m, 1H), 7.86-7.84 (m, 1H), 7.86 (m, 1H), 7.86-7.84 (m, 1H), 7.86 (m, 1H), 7. 1H), 7.84-7.80 (m, 1H), 7.65-7.62 (m, 1H), 7.58 (d, J = 9.16 Hz, 2H), 7.37-7.34 (m, 1H), 7.32-7.28 (m, 2H), 7.23-7.18 (m, 2H), 7.16-7.09 (m, 4H) 6.97-6.91 (m, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl3) δ (ppm) 168.9, 164.1, 143.3, 140.8, 139.6, 139.2, 138.1, 137.8, 136.7, 136.2, 136.1, 130.4, 129.5, 129.3, 128.1, 127.9, 127.4, 126.8, 126.3, 121.0, 94.4, 93.5; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z $[M + H]^+$ calcd for C₂₆H₁₉N₂O₂I₂, 644.9530; found, 644.9526.

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5. Copies of ¹H, ¹³C and HRMS Spectra:



ABV-6 #256 RT: 1.14 AV: 1 NL: 1.60E9 T: FTMS + p ESI Full ms [133.4000-2000.0000]



















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ESI-HRMS Chromatogram













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ABV-2 #257 RT: 1.14 AV: 1 NL: 1.23E8 T: FTMS + p ESI Full ms [133.4000-2000.0000]













ABV-4 #266 RT: 1.18 AV: 1 NL: 2.23E7 T: FTMS + p ESI Full ms [133.4000-2000.0000] 644.9526 R=45007 C₂₆ H₁₉ O₂ N₂ I₂ = 644.9530 -0.6259 ppm (**2x**) 65-60-645.9559 R=44402 646.9589 R=42402 637.4549 R=37700 639.4081 640.4088 R=41600 R=32400 647.9619 R=29000 ъ0 · · · · · m/z











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2 8.73	33	1061	1066	1079	BV	21077	0	2149386	73.53%	42.373%

Sum of corrected areas: 5072480

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6. X-ray data:

X-ray intensity data measurements of compounds Amol Vivek (2a) and Amol 2R (2m) were carried out on a Bruker D8 VENTURE Kappa Duo PHOTON II CPAD diffractometer equipped with Incoatech multilayer mirrors optics. The intensity measurements were carried out with Mo micro-focus sealed tube diffraction source (Mo- $K\alpha = 0.71073$ Å) at 100(2) K temperature. The X-ray generator was operated at 50 kV and 1.4 mA. A preliminary set of cell constants and an orientation matrix were calculated from three sets of 12 frames for Mo radiations. Data were collected with φ and ω scan width of 0.5° at different settings of φ , ω and θ with a frame time of 10-20 sec keeping the sample-to-detector distance fixed at 5.00 cm. The X-ray data collection was monitored by APEX3 program (Bruker, 2016). All the data were corrected for Lorentzian, polarization and absorption effects using SAINT and SADABS programs (Bruker, 2016). Using APEX3 (Bruker) program suite, the structure was solved with the ShelXS-97 (Sheldrick, 2008)² structure solution program, using direct methods. The model was refined with the version of ShelXL-2013 (Sheldrick, 2015)³ using Least Squares minimization. All the hydrogen atoms were placed in a geometrically idealized position and constrained to ride on their parent atoms except N-H (N2-H2) proton in Amol_2R which has been located in the difference Fourier map and refined isotropically. An ORTEP III⁴ view of compound was drawn at the 50% probability displacement ellipsoids, and H atoms are shown as small spheres of arbitrary radii.

Crystal data of Amol_Vivek (2a): C₂₂H₂₈N₂O₂, M = 352.46, colorless plate, 0.32 x 0.21 x 0.10 mm³, monoclinic, space group $P2_1/c$, a = 18.3781(7) Å, b = 9.6218(4) Å, c = 11.0075(4) Å, V = 101.862(2) Å³, Z = 4, T = 100(2) K, $\lambda = 0.71073$ Å, $2\theta_{max} = 52.00^{\circ}$, D_{calc} (g cm⁻³) = 1.229, F(000) = 760, μ (mm⁻¹) = 0.079, 31398 reflections collected, 3721 unique reflections ($R_{int} = 0.0661$, Rsig = 0.0451), 2813 observed ($I > 2\sigma$ (I)) reflections, multi-scan absorption correction, $T_{min} = 0.975$, $T_{max} = 0.992$, 241 refined parameters, Good of Fit = S = 1.018, R1 = 0.0473, wR2 = 0.0965 (all data R = 0.0715, wR2 = 0.1065), maximum and minimum residual electron densities; $\Delta \rho_{max} = 0.270$, $\Delta \rho_{min} = -0.209$ (eÅ⁻³).



Table 1. Crystal data and structure refinement for A	MOL(2a).
Identification code	AMOL
Empirical formula	C22 H28 N2 O2
Formula weight	352.46
Temperature	100(2) K
Wavelength	0.71073 Å

Table 1. Crystal data and structure refinement for AMOL (2a)

Crystal system	Monoclinic	
Space group	P2 ₁ /c	
Unit cell dimensions	a = 18.3781(7) Å	α= 90°.
	b = 9.6218(4) Å	$\beta = 101.862(2)^{\circ}.$
	c = 11.0075(4) Å	$\gamma = 90^{\circ}.$
Volume	1904.89(13) Å ³	
Z	4	
Density (calculated)	1.229 Mg/m ³	
Absorption coefficient	0.079 mm ⁻¹	
F(000)	760	
Crystal size	0.320 x 0.210 x 0.100 mm ³	
Theta range for data collection	2.265 to 26.000°.	
Index ranges	-22<=h<=22, -11<=k<=11, -13<=l<=13	
Reflections collected	31398	
Independent reflections	3721 [R(int) = 0.0661]	
Completeness to theta = 25.242°	99.4 %	
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents	
Max. and min. transmission	0.992 and 0.975	
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²	
Data / restraints / parameters	3721 / 0 / 241	
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.018	
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0473, wR2 = 0.0965	
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0715, wR2 = 0.1065	
Extinction coefficient	n/a	
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.270 and -0.209 e.Å ⁻³	

O(1)-C(13)	1.2231(19)
O(2)-C(18)	1.2304(19)
N(1)-C(13)	1.379(2)
N(1)-C(7)	1.449(2)
N(1)-C(1)	1.458(2)
N(2)-C(18)	1.356(2)
N(2)-C(4)	1.427(2)
N(2)-H(2N)	0.8800
C(1)-C(2)	1.384(2)
C(1)-C(6)	1.385(2)
C(2)-C(3)	1.385(2)
C(2)-H(2)	0.9500
C(3)-C(4)	1.388(2)
C(3)-H(3)	0.9500
C(4)-C(5)	1.384(2)
C(5)-C(6)	1.384(2)
C(5)-H(5)	0.9500
C(6)-H(6)	0.9500
C(7)-C(12)	1.386(2)
C(7)-C(8)	1.386(2)
C(8)-C(9)	1.391(2)
C(8)-H(8)	0.9500
C(9)-C(10)	1.384(2)
C(9)-H(9)	0.9500
C(10)-C(11)	1.382(2)
C(10)-H(10)	0.9500
C(11)-C(12)	1.391(2)
C(11)-H(11)	0.9500
C(12)-H(12)	0.9500
C(13)-C(14)	1.546(2)
C(14)-C(17)	1.530(2)
C(14)-C(16)	1.533(2)
C(14)-C(15)	1.535(2)
C(15)-H(15A)	0.9800

Table 2. Bond lengths [Å] and angles $[\circ]$ for AMOL.

C(15)-H(15B)	0.9800
C(15)-H(15C)	0.9800
C(16)-H(16A)	0.9800
C(16)-H(16B)	0.9800
C(16)-H(16C)	0.9800
C(17)-H(17A)	0.9800
C(17)-H(17B)	0.9800
C(17)-H(17C)	0.9800
C(18)-C(19)	1.536(2)
C(19)-C(22)	1.528(2)
C(19)-C(20)	1.532(2)
C(19)-C(21)	1.533(2)
C(20)-H(20A)	0.9800
C(20)-H(20B)	0.9800
C(20)-H(20C)	0.9800
C(21)-H(21A)	0.9800
C(21)-H(21B)	0.9800
C(21)-H(21C)	0.9800
C(22)-H(22A)	0.9800
C(22)-H(22B)	0.9800
C(22)-H(22C)	0.9800
C(13)-N(1)-C(7)	129.36(13)
C(13)-N(1)-C(1)	117.84(13)
C(7)-N(1)-C(1)	112.80(12)
C(18)-N(2)-C(4)	124.97(14)
C(18)-N(2)-H(2N)	117.5
C(4)-N(2)-H(2N)	117.5
C(2)-C(1)-C(6)	119.95(15)
C(2)-C(1)-N(1)	119.89(14)
C(6)-C(1)-N(1)	120.04(15)
C(1)-C(2)-C(3)	119.90(15)
C(1)-C(2)-H(2)	120.0
C(3)-C(2)-H(2)	120.0
C(2)-C(3)-C(4)	120.23(16)
C(2)-C(3)-H(3)	119.9

C(4)-C(3)-H(3)	119.9
C(5)-C(4)-C(3)	119.65(15)
C(5)-C(4)-N(2)	122.04(14)
C(3)-C(4)-N(2)	118.27(15)
C(4)-C(5)-C(6)	120.16(15)
C(4)-C(5)-H(5)	119.9
C(6)-C(5)-H(5)	119.9
C(5)-C(6)-C(1)	120.10(15)
C(5)-C(6)-H(6)	120.0
C(1)-C(6)-H(6)	120.0
C(12)-C(7)-C(8)	119.88(15)
C(12)-C(7)-N(1)	119.98(14)
C(8)-C(7)-N(1)	119.67(14)
C(7)-C(8)-C(9)	120.05(16)
C(7)-C(8)-H(8)	120.0
C(9)-C(8)-H(8)	120.0
C(10)-C(9)-C(8)	120.07(16)
C(10)-C(9)-H(9)	120.0
C(8)-C(9)-H(9)	120.0
C(11)-C(10)-C(9)	119.80(16)
C(11)-C(10)-H(10)	120.1
C(9)-C(10)-H(10)	120.1
C(10)-C(11)-C(12)	120.34(16)
C(10)-C(11)-H(11)	119.8
C(12)-C(11)-H(11)	119.8
C(7)-C(12)-C(11)	119.85(16)
C(7)-C(12)-H(12)	120.1
C(11)-C(12)-H(12)	120.1
O(1)-C(13)-N(1)	118.52(15)
O(1)-C(13)-C(14)	120.22(14)
N(1)-C(13)-C(14)	121.24(14)
C(17)-C(14)-C(16)	107.32(14)
C(17)-C(14)-C(15)	108.04(14)
C(16)-C(14)-C(15)	110.66(14)
C(17)-C(14)-C(13)	107.48(13)
C(16)-C(14)-C(13)	109.31(14)

C(15)-C(14)-C(13)	113.77(13)
C(14)-C(15)-H(15A)	109.5
C(14)-C(15)-H(15B)	109.5
H(15A)-C(15)-H(15B)	109.5
C(14)-C(15)-H(15C)	109.5
H(15A)-C(15)-H(15C)	109.5
H(15B)-C(15)-H(15C)	109.5
C(14)-C(16)-H(16A)	109.5
C(14)-C(16)-H(16B)	109.5
H(16A)-C(16)-H(16B)	109.5
C(14)-C(16)-H(16C)	109.5
H(16A)-C(16)-H(16C)	109.5
H(16B)-C(16)-H(16C)	109.5
C(14)-C(17)-H(17A)	109.5
C(14)-C(17)-H(17B)	109.5
H(17A)-C(17)-H(17B)	109.5
C(14)-C(17)-H(17C)	109.5
H(17A)-C(17)-H(17C)	109.5
H(17B)-C(17)-H(17C)	109.5
O(2)-C(18)-N(2)	121.62(15)
O(2)-C(18)-C(19)	122.64(14)
N(2)-C(18)-C(19)	115.74(14)
C(22)-C(19)-C(20)	109.00(15)
C(22)-C(19)-C(21)	109.72(14)
C(20)-C(19)-C(21)	109.13(15)
C(22)-C(19)-C(18)	109.12(13)
C(20)-C(19)-C(18)	111.42(14)
C(21)-C(19)-C(18)	108.44(13)
C(19)-C(20)-H(20A)	109.5
C(19)-C(20)-H(20B)	109.5
H(20A)-C(20)-H(20B)	109.5
C(19)-C(20)-H(20C)	109.5
H(20A)-C(20)-H(20C)	109.5
H(20B)-C(20)-H(20C)	109.5
C(19)-C(21)-H(21A)	109.5
C(19)-C(21)-H(21B)	109.5

H(21A)-C(21)-H(21B)	109.5
C(19)-C(21)-H(21C)	109.5
H(21A)-C(21)-H(21C)	109.5
H(21B)-C(21)-H(21C)	109.5
C(19)-C(22)-H(22A)	109.5
C(19)-C(22)-H(22B)	109.5
H(22A)-C(22)-H(22B)	109.5
C(19)-C(22)-H(22C)	109.5
H(22A)-C(22)-H(22C)	109.5
H(22B)-C(22)-H(22C)	109.5

Table 3. Torsion angles [°] for AMOL.

C(13)-N(1)-C(1)-C(2)	86.57(19)
C(7)-N(1)-C(1)-C(2)	-92.74(17)
C(13)-N(1)-C(1)-C(6)	-97.34(18)
C(7)-N(1)-C(1)-C(6)	83.36(18)
C(6)-C(1)-C(2)-C(3)	1.0(2)
N(1)-C(1)-C(2)-C(3)	177.10(14)
C(1)-C(2)-C(3)-C(4)	-0.3(2)
C(2)-C(3)-C(4)-C(5)	-0.4(2)
C(2)-C(3)-C(4)-N(2)	177.33(15)
C(18)-N(2)-C(4)-C(5)	-53.3(2)
C(18)-N(2)-C(4)-C(3)	129.04(17)
C(3)-C(4)-C(5)-C(6)	0.2(2)
N(2)-C(4)-C(5)-C(6)	-177.37(15)
C(4)-C(5)-C(6)-C(1)	0.5(2)
C(2)-C(1)-C(6)-C(5)	-1.1(2)
N(1)-C(1)-C(6)-C(5)	-177.23(14)
C(13)-N(1)-C(7)-C(12)	-92.7(2)
C(1)-N(1)-C(7)-C(12)	86.45(17)
C(13)-N(1)-C(7)-C(8)	95.1(2)
C(1)-N(1)-C(7)-C(8)	-85.74(18)
C(12)-C(7)-C(8)-C(9)	-0.6(2)
N(1)-C(7)-C(8)-C(9)	171.61(15)
C(7)-C(8)-C(9)-C(10)	0.7(3)
C(8)-C(9)-C(10)-C(11)	0.1(2)
C(9)-C(10)-C(11)-C(12)	-1.1(2)
C(8)-C(7)-C(12)-C(11)	-0.4(2)
N(1)-C(7)-C(12)-C(11)	-172.55(15)
C(10)-C(11)-C(12)-C(7)	1.2(3)
C(7)-N(1)-C(13)-O(1)	-179.11(16)
C(1)-N(1)-C(13)-O(1)	1.7(2)
C(7)-N(1)-C(13)-C(14)	2.5(3)
C(1)-N(1)-C(13)-C(14)	-176.71(14)
O(1)-C(13)-C(14)-C(17)	9.6(2)
N(1)-C(13)-C(14)-C(17)	-172.04(15)

O(1)-C(13)-C(14)-C(16)	-106.61(18)
N(1)-C(13)-C(14)-C(16)	71.79(19)
O(1)-C(13)-C(14)-C(15)	129.13(17)
N(1)-C(13)-C(14)-C(15)	-52.5(2)
C(4)-N(2)-C(18)-O(2)	2.8(2)
C(4)-N(2)-C(18)-C(19)	-177.33(14)
O(2)-C(18)-C(19)-C(22)	-10.2(2)
N(2)-C(18)-C(19)-C(22)	169.89(14)
O(2)-C(18)-C(19)-C(20)	-130.60(17)
N(2)-C(18)-C(19)-C(20)	49.5(2)
O(2)-C(18)-C(19)-C(21)	109.27(17)
N(2)-C(18)-C(19)-C(21)	-70.63(18)

Table 4. Hydrogen bonds for AMOL [Å and °].

D-HA	d(D-H)	d(HA)	d(DA)	<(DHA)

Crystal data of Amol_2R (2m): C₂₆H₂₀N₂O₂, M = 392.44, colorless plate, 0.21 x 0.15 x 0.09 mm³, monoclinic, space group $P2_1/c$, a = 12.6898(9) Å, b = 8.3673(6) Å, c = 19.2488(12) Å, $\beta = 106.184(2)^\circ$, V = 1962.8(2) Å³, Z = 4, T = 100(2) K, $\lambda = 0.71073$ Å, $2\theta_{max} = 52.0^\circ$, D_{calc} (g cm⁻³) = 1.328, F(000) = 824, μ (mm⁻¹) = 0.085, 16767 reflections collected, 3847 unique reflections ($R_{int} = 0.0566$, Rsig = 0.0541), 3067 observed ($I > 2\sigma$ (I)) reflections, multi-scan absorption correction, $T_{min} = 0.982$, $T_{max} = 0.992$, 275 refined parameters, Good of Fit = S = 1.169, R1 = 0.0801, wR2 = 0.1470 (all data R = 0.1024, wR2 = 0.1551), maximum and minimum residual electron densities; $\Delta \rho_{max} = 0.318$, $\Delta \rho_{min} = -0.303$ (eÅ⁻³).



Table 1. Crystal data and structure refinement for mo_amol_2_r_0m_a. (2m)

Identification code	mo_amol_2_r_0m_a	
Empirical formula	C26 H20 N2 O2	
Formula weight	392.44	
Temperature	100(2) K	
Wavelength	0.71073 Å	
Crystal system	Monoclinic	
Space group	P21/c	
Unit cell dimensions	a = 12.6898(9) Å	$\alpha = 90^{\circ}$.
	b = 8.3673(6) Å	β=106.184(2)°.

	$c = 19.2488(12) \text{ Å}$ $\gamma = 90^{\circ}.$
Volume	1962.8(2) Å ³
Z	4
Density (calculated)	1.328 Mg/m ³
Absorption coefficient	0.085 mm ⁻¹
F(000)	824
Crystal size	0.210 x 0.150 x 0.090 mm ³
Theta range for data collection	2.672 to 25.997°.
Index ranges	-15<=h<=15, -10<=k<=10, -23<=l<=19
Reflections collected	16767
Independent reflections	3847 [R(int) = 0.0566]
Completeness to theta = 25.242°	99.7 %
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents
Max. and min. transmission	0.992 and 0.982
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²
Data / restraints / parameters	3847 / 0 / 275
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.169
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0801, $wR2 = 0.1470$
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.1024, wR2 = 0.1551
Extinction coefficient	n/a
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.318 and -0.303 e.Å ⁻³

O(1)-C(13)	1.236(4)
O(2)-C(20)	1.223(4)
N(1)-C(13)	1.356(4)
N(1)-C(1)	1.441(4)
N(1)-C(7)	1.456(4)
N(2)-C(20)	1.365(4)
N(2)-C(4)	1.419(4)
N(2)-H(2N)	0.90(3)
C(1)-C(2)	1.377(4)
C(1)-C(6)	1.388(4)
C(2)-C(3)	1.390(4)
C(2)-H(2)	0.9500
C(3)-C(4)	1.390(4)
C(3)-H(3)	0.9500
C(4)-C(5)	1.382(4)
C(5)-C(6)	1.379(4)
C(5)-H(5)	0.9500
C(6)-H(6)	0.9500
C(7)-C(12)	1.375(4)
C(7)-C(8)	1.382(4)
C(8)-C(9)	1.386(4)
C(8)-H(8)	0.9500
C(9)-C(10)	1.377(4)
C(9)-H(9)	0.9500
C(10)-C(11)	1.379(4)
C(10)-H(10)	0.9500
C(11)-C(12)	1.393(4)
C(11)-H(11)	0.9500
C(12)-H(12)	0.9500
C(13)-C(14)	1.505(4)
C(14)-C(15)	1.387(4)
C(14)-C(19)	1.391(4)
C(15)-C(16)	1.389(4)
C(15)-H(15)	0.9500

Table 2. Bond lengths [Å] and angles $[\circ]$ for mo_amol_2_r_0m_a.

C(16)-C(17)	1.375(5)
C(16)-H(16)	0.9500
C(17)-C(18)	1.384(5)
C(17)-H(17)	0.9500
C(18)-C(19)	1.387(4)
C(18)-H(18)	0.9500
C(19)-H(19)	0.9500
C(20)-C(21)	1.497(4)
C(21)-C(26)	1.392(5)
C(21)-C(22)	1.400(4)
C(22)-C(23)	1.383(5)
C(22)-H(22)	0.9500
C(23)-C(24)	1.385(5)
C(23)-H(23)	0.9500
C(24)-C(25)	1.388(5)
C(24)-H(24)	0.9500
C(25)-C(26)	1.377(5)
C(25)-H(25)	0.9500
C(26)-H(26)	0.9500
C(13)-N(1)-C(1)	121.7(2)
C(13)-N(1)-C(7)	120.6(2)
C(1)-N(1)-C(7)	117.5(2)
C(20)-N(2)-C(4)	125.8(3)
C(20)-N(2)-H(2N)	116(2)
C(4)-N(2)-H(2N)	117(2)
C(2)-C(1)-C(6)	119.9(3)
C(2)-C(1)-N(1)	121.7(3)
C(6)-C(1)-N(1)	118.4(3)
C(1)-C(2)-C(3)	120.2(3)
C(1)-C(2)-H(2)	119.9
C(3)-C(2)-H(2)	119.9
C(4)-C(3)-C(2)	119.8(3)
C(4)-C(3)-H(3)	120.1
C(2)-C(3)-H(3)	120.1
C(5)-C(4)-C(3)	119.4(3)

C(5)-C(4)-N(2)	117.0(3)
C(3)-C(4)-N(2)	123.6(3)
C(6)-C(5)-C(4)	120.7(3)
C(6)-C(5)-H(5)	119.7
C(4)-C(5)-H(5)	119.7
C(5)-C(6)-C(1)	119.8(3)
C(5)-C(6)-H(6)	120.1
C(1)-C(6)-H(6)	120.1
C(12)-C(7)-C(8)	121.0(3)
C(12)-C(7)-N(1)	120.3(3)
C(8)-C(7)-N(1)	118.7(3)
C(7)-C(8)-C(9)	119.0(3)
C(7)-C(8)-H(8)	120.5
C(9)-C(8)-H(8)	120.5
C(10)-C(9)-C(8)	120.4(3)
C(10)-C(9)-H(9)	119.8
C(8)-C(9)-H(9)	119.8
C(9)-C(10)-C(11)	120.2(3)
C(9)-C(10)-H(10)	119.9
C(11)-C(10)-H(10)	119.9
C(10)-C(11)-C(12)	119.7(3)
C(10)-C(11)-H(11)	120.1
C(12)-C(11)-H(11)	120.1
C(7)-C(12)-C(11)	119.5(3)
C(7)-C(12)-H(12)	120.2
C(11)-C(12)-H(12)	120.2
O(1)-C(13)-N(1)	123.2(3)
O(1)-C(13)-C(14)	120.9(3)
N(1)-C(13)-C(14)	115.9(2)
C(15)-C(14)-C(19)	120.2(3)
C(15)-C(14)-C(13)	119.3(3)
C(19)-C(14)-C(13)	120.4(3)
C(14)-C(15)-C(16)	119.6(3)
C(14)-C(15)-H(15)	120.2
C(16)-C(15)-H(15)	120.2
C(17)-C(16)-C(15)	120.2(3)

C(17)-C(16)-H(16)	119.9
C(15)-C(16)-H(16)	119.9
C(16)-C(17)-C(18)	120.4(3)
C(16)-C(17)-H(17)	119.8
C(18)-C(17)-H(17)	119.8
C(17)-C(18)-C(19)	120.0(3)
C(17)-C(18)-H(18)	120.0
C(19)-C(18)-H(18)	120.0
C(18)-C(19)-C(14)	119.6(3)
C(18)-C(19)-H(19)	120.2
C(14)-C(19)-H(19)	120.2
O(2)-C(20)-N(2)	122.4(3)
O(2)-C(20)-C(21)	121.3(3)
N(2)-C(20)-C(21)	116.2(3)
C(26)-C(21)-C(22)	118.7(3)
C(26)-C(21)-C(20)	124.9(3)
C(22)-C(21)-C(20)	116.4(3)
C(23)-C(22)-C(21)	120.4(3)
C(23)-C(22)-H(22)	119.8
C(21)-C(22)-H(22)	119.8
C(22)-C(23)-C(24)	120.1(3)
C(22)-C(23)-H(23)	119.9
C(24)-C(23)-H(23)	119.9
C(23)-C(24)-C(25)	119.9(3)
C(23)-C(24)-H(24)	120.0
C(25)-C(24)-H(24)	120.0
C(26)-C(25)-C(24)	120.0(4)
C(26)-C(25)-H(25)	120.0
C(24)-C(25)-H(25)	120.0
C(25)-C(26)-C(21)	120.9(3)
C(25)-C(26)-H(26)	119.5
C(21)-C(26)-H(26)	119.5

C(13)-N(1)-C(1)-C(2)	49.5(4)
C(7)-N(1)-C(1)-C(2)	-136.2(3)
C(13)-N(1)-C(1)-C(6)	-131.6(3)
C(7)-N(1)-C(1)-C(6)	42.7(4)
C(6)-C(1)-C(2)-C(3)	1.9(4)
N(1)-C(1)-C(2)-C(3)	-179.2(3)
C(1)-C(2)-C(3)-C(4)	0.7(5)
C(2)-C(3)-C(4)-C(5)	-2.8(4)
C(2)-C(3)-C(4)-N(2)	177.3(3)
C(20)-N(2)-C(4)-C(5)	149.6(3)
C(20)-N(2)-C(4)-C(3)	-30.5(4)
C(3)-C(4)-C(5)-C(6)	2.4(4)
N(2)-C(4)-C(5)-C(6)	-177.8(3)
C(4)-C(5)-C(6)-C(1)	0.2(5)
C(2)-C(1)-C(6)-C(5)	-2.4(4)
N(1)-C(1)-C(6)-C(5)	178.7(3)
C(13)-N(1)-C(7)-C(12)	69.1(4)
C(1)-N(1)-C(7)-C(12)	-105.3(3)
C(13)-N(1)-C(7)-C(8)	-110.4(3)
C(1)-N(1)-C(7)-C(8)	75.2(3)
C(12)-C(7)-C(8)-C(9)	-1.6(5)
N(1)-C(7)-C(8)-C(9)	177.8(3)
C(7)-C(8)-C(9)-C(10)	-1.1(5)
C(8)-C(9)-C(10)-C(11)	2.8(5)
C(9)-C(10)-C(11)-C(12)	-1.9(5)
C(8)-C(7)-C(12)-C(11)	2.5(5)
N(1)-C(7)-C(12)-C(11)	-176.9(3)
C(10)-C(11)-C(12)-C(7)	-0.7(5)
C(1)-N(1)-C(13)-O(1)	2.5(5)
C(7)-N(1)-C(13)-O(1)	-171.7(3)
C(1)-N(1)-C(13)-C(14)	-175.5(3)
C(7)-N(1)-C(13)-C(14)	10.3(4)
O(1)-C(13)-C(14)-C(15)	-94.0(4)
N(1)-C(13)-C(14)-C(15)	84.1(4)

Table 3. Torsion angles [°] for mo_amol_2_r_0m_a.

O(1)-C(13)-C(14)-C(19)	83.0(4)
N(1)-C(13)-C(14)-C(19)	-98.9(3)
C(19)-C(14)-C(15)-C(16)	-0.8(5)
C(13)-C(14)-C(15)-C(16)	176.3(3)
C(14)-C(15)-C(16)-C(17)	1.5(5)
C(15)-C(16)-C(17)-C(18)	-0.5(5)
C(16)-C(17)-C(18)-C(19)	-1.2(5)
C(17)-C(18)-C(19)-C(14)	1.9(5)
C(15)-C(14)-C(19)-C(18)	-0.9(4)
C(13)-C(14)-C(19)-C(18)	-177.9(3)
C(4)-N(2)-C(20)-O(2)	4.2(5)
C(4)-N(2)-C(20)-C(21)	-173.6(3)
O(2)-C(20)-C(21)-C(26)	161.5(3)
N(2)-C(20)-C(21)-C(26)	-20.7(4)
O(2)-C(20)-C(21)-C(22)	-17.7(4)
N(2)-C(20)-C(21)-C(22)	160.1(3)
C(26)-C(21)-C(22)-C(23)	1.2(5)
C(20)-C(21)-C(22)-C(23)	-179.5(3)
C(21)-C(22)-C(23)-C(24)	-0.2(5)
C(22)-C(23)-C(24)-C(25)	-0.8(5)
C(23)-C(24)-C(25)-C(26)	0.8(5)
C(24)-C(25)-C(26)-C(21)	0.2(5)
C(22)-C(21)-C(26)-C(25)	-1.2(5)
C(20)-C(21)-C(26)-C(25)	179.6(3)

D-HA	d(D-H)	d(HA)	d(DA)	<(DHA)
N(2)-H(2N)O(1)#1	0.90(3)	2.24(3)	3.111(4)	162(3)
C(3)-H(3)O(2)	0.95	2.39	2.870(4)	111.0

Table 4. Hydrogen bonds for mo_amol_2_r_0m_a [Å and °].

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