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Reaction of Picryl Azide with *N***-Methylindoles: the Crystal Structure of 1-Methyl-2-picryliminoindoline**

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Picryl azide reacts with *N*-methylindoles to form 2-*N*-picryl derivatives of 2-aminoindole. These compounds exist in the amino-form (I) in solution, but the three-dimensional crystal structure determination for the 1-methyl-2-*N*picryl derivative shows it to be in the iminoindoline form (II). The structure was determined from diffractometer data by direct methods and refined by least squares to R 0.053. The carbon-carbon bonds at C(3) are both of length 1.52 Å, and the positions of the two hydrogen atoms were clearly established from difference Fourier syntheses.

2-ALKYLINDOLES react with picryl azide forming 3,3'-azoindoles and with toluene-p-sulphonyl azide to form a mixture of the azo-compound and the 3-p-tolyl-

¹ A. S. Bailey and J. J. Merer, *J. Chem. Soc.* (C), 1966, 1345. ² A. S. Bailey, M. C. Churn, and J. J. Wedgwood, *Tetrahedron Letters*, 1968, 5953. sulphonylaminoindole.¹ Simple indoles unsubstituted in the 2-position form 2-p-tolylsulphonylaminoindoles [(I), (II); $\mathbb{R}^3 = \text{tosyl}$] when warmed with toluenep-sulphonyl azide.^{2,3} We now report the reaction of ³ A. S. Bailey and (Mrs.) W. A. Warr, unpublished observations. picryl azide with N-substituted indoles, together with the crystal and molecular structure of one of the adducts, in order to check the spectral assignment.



RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

Chemistry.—N-Methylindole, 1,3-dimethylindole, and indole-N-acetic acid react smoothly with picryl azide at room temperature. The products are sparingly soluble crystalline materials having similar u.v. spectra (Figure 1; the values of ε for curve A are probably too small, since the compound is very insoluble).



FIGURE 1 U.v. spectra of A, (I; $R^1 = Me$, $R^2 = H$, $R^3 = picryl$); B, (I; $R^1 = R^2 = Me$, $R^3 = picryl$); and C, (I; $= CH_2 \cdot CO_2H$, $R^2 = H$, $R^3 = picryl$), all in solution in ethanol

The mass spectra of these compounds gave little structural information. The base peak in the spectrum of (I; $R^1 = Me$, $R^2 = H$, $R^3 = picryl$) appeared at m/e339 $(M - H_2O)$. The molecular ion signal m/e 357 (14%) was small. Main peaks in the higher mass region arise from loss of NO or NO₂: 309 (13%, 339 - NO), 293 (14%, 339 - NO₂), and 247 (30%, 293 - NO₂). The second most intense peak in the spectrum [m/e 224](42%) (C₇H₄N₄O₅) probably arises by cleavage of the indole ring. There were no strong signals in the region of m/e 144, suggesting that picryl cleavage is unimportant and no peaks at 227-229 or 131, suggesting that $C \neq N$ -picryl cleavage is not occurring. A small signal at m/e 328 (M - 29) corresponds to loss of H and CO (less likely is 2H + HCN). This may indicate oxygen transfer to C(3) of the indole structure followed by loss of carbon monoxide (cf. 1-nitronaphthalene 4). The third strongest signal, m/e 105 (30%, PhCO⁺), may be formed in this manner.

The mass spectrum of (I; $R^1 = R^2 = Me$, $R^3 = picryl$) contains a weak molecular ion m/e 371 (4%), 356 (10%), $M - CH_3$), 355 (40%, M - O), 341 (10%, M - NO), and 340 (34%, M - H - NO). The base peak is at m/e 337 (100%, $M - H - CH_3 - H_3O$) and the second most intense peak at m/e 312 (54%, 355 - CH₃ - CO). Other intense signals were formed by loss of NO or NO₂; 323 (23%, $M - H_2O - NO$), 307 (31%, $M - H_2O NO_2$ 293 (22%, 323 – NO), 291 (18%, 337 – NO_2), 245 $(22\%, 337 - 2NO_2), 266 (8\%, 312 - NO_2), and 220 (13\%)$ $266 - NO_2$). There were no strong peaks below m/e 220. The following transformations were indicated by metastable peaks: 338 --> 337 (336.0), 355 --> 340 (325.6), 355 → 312 (274·5), 320 → 290 (262·8), 312 → 266 (226.6), and 266 → 220 (181.9).

The n.m.r. spectra ($[{}^{2}H_{6}]$ dimethyl sulphoxide) of the three products all show the signals of the 'picryl' protons split into a pair of doublets with separations varying from 42 to 62 Hz and coupling constants of 2 Hz. The compound formed from 1-methylindole is rather insoluble in dimethyl sulphoxide and gives a poor spectrum; the spectra of the compound formed from 1,3-dimethylindole is shown (Figure 3). The splitting persists in trifluoracetic acid and, for the indole-Nacetic acid adduct, in deuterium oxide-sodium carbonate. The n.m.r. spectrum of N-phenylpicramide shows a sharp singlet [τ (Me₂SO) 1·1; τ (CHCl₃) 0·92] for the picryl protons.

The n.m.r. spectrum of 1,1-diphenyl-2-(2,4,6-trinitrophenyl)hydrazine showed the picryl signals as a broad band at 36° (methylene chloride) which had split into an AB system at -60° ;⁵ the signal from N-methylpicramide consisted of a sharp singlet at $+38^{\circ}$ and an AB system at -60° . The difference in chemical shifts for the hydrazine derivative varied with solvent, being smaller in acetone than in methylene chloride. A sample of (I; $R^1 = R^2 = Me$, $R^3 = picryl$) was heated in a variable-temperature probe; the AB spectrum of the picryl protons persisted up to 160°; the compound then decomposed.

The spectral information suggested two structural possibilities for these compounds.

(i) That the adducts were oxidation-reduction products-alkylindoles are readily oxidised at the 3-position, and aromatic nitro-compounds oxidise enamines.⁶

(ii) That the adducts were as predicted [either (I) or (II)], with severe restriction of free rotation of the o-nitro-groups.

This latter effect has been observed before.⁵ The restriction in rotation is presumably due to hydrogen bonding between an o-nitro-group and a hydrogen atom attached to the nitrogen. This hypothesis requires that in solution the adduct is present in the indole (I) rather

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than the indoline (II) form. Strong hydrogen bonding has been observed in the crystal structure of 2,3,4,6tetranitroaniline ⁷ (O · · · H contacts of 1.92 and 2.04 Å). An accurate crystal structure analysis (R = 0.053) of the *N*-methylindole adduct showed that it is of type (II) and is in the indoline form (Figure 2).

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The n.m.r. spectra (Figure 3) can be explained if, in solution (Me₂SO), the compound exists as the indole



FIGURE 3 N.m.r. spectra of (I; $R^1 = R^2 = Me$, $R^3 = picryl)$ in solution in A, trifluoroacetic acid and B, dimethyl sulphoxide

(I; $R^1 = Me$, $R^2 = H$, $R^3 = picryl$), as there is no sign of the signal to be expected from the methylene group in (II; $R^1 = Me$, $R^2 = H$, $R^3 = picryl$), although the corresponding tolylsulphonyl derivative ($R^1 = Me$, $R^2 =$

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H, $R^3 = \text{tosyl}$) is mainly (80%) in the imino-form (II).³ The proton at C(3) in the picryl compound is deshielded by the picryl group and its signal is moved into the aromatic region. This contrasts with the signal from H-C(3) in (I; $R^1 = Me$, $R^2 = H$, $R^3 = tosyl$), which appears at τ 4.1.³ A similar effect is seen in the 3-methyl-substituted compounds. In (I; $R^1 = R^2 =$ Me, $R^3 = tosyl$) this signal (Me) appears at $\tau 8.38$; when $R^3 = picryl$ the signal is moved down to τ 7.48. The acid $(R^1 = CH_2 CO_2H, R^2 = H, R^3 = picryl)$ is entirely in form (I) in both dimethyl sulphoxide and deuterium oxide-sodium carbonate, and the signal from H-C(3) is in the aromatic region. The 1-methyl compound and the 1,3-dimethyl compound ($R^3 = picryl$) exist in the indole form (I) in trifluoracetic acid (see Figure 3), whereas the corresponding tosyl derivatives exist in form (II; $R^3 = tosyl$).

Crystal Structure of the N-Methylindole Adduct.—The atom numbering, interatomic distances, and interbond angles, together with their estimated standard deviations, are shown in Figure 2.

The compound is formulated as an indoline adduct on the basis of the following evidence. (i) On a difference Fourier map at the convergence of isotropic refinement $(R \ 0.128)$, two clearly resolved peaks of *ca*. 0.7e at *ca*. 1 Å from C(3), completed a tetrahedron about this atom, and must correspond to hydrogen atom positions. The other nine hydrogen atom positions were equally well defined, but no maxima were observed about N(11). (ii) Table 1 gives a comparison of bond lengths reported

TABLE 1

Comparison of the dimensions (Å) of indole compounds

				Calc.
	L-Tryptophan	Indole-3-acetic	This	for
Bond	hydrochloride a	acid b	work	indole
N(1)-C(2)	1.377	1.401	1.360	1.36
C(2) - C(3)	1.344	1.342	1.522	1.36
C(3) - C(4)	1.451	1.470	1.516	1.42
C(4) - C(5)	1.412	1.434	1.374	1.41
C(5) - C(6)	1.397	1.409	1.411	1.38
C(6) - C(7)	1.386	1.396	1.388	1.40
C(7) - C(8)	1.399	1.409	1.388	1.38
C(8) - C(9)	1.400	1.422	1.388	1.40
C(4) - C(9)	1.382	1.407	1.395	1.41
N(1) - C(9)	1.391	1.385	1.406	1.37
σ (mean)	0.015	0.018	0.005	
	^a Ref. 8. ^b]	Ref. 9. • Ref. 10		

for indole compounds with those obtained in this work. Of especial interest is the bond C(2)-C(3). In the known indole structures the length of this bond agrees well with the calculated value (1.34 Å):¹⁰ the π -bond order is 0.5. Our bond length (1.522 Å) corresponds to that of a carbon-carbon (C-C=C) single σ -bond (1.510 Å),¹¹ as required by the indoline formulation. Other bond lengths in the heterocycle show the expected deviations from the indole values. (iii) On the basis of a semi-empirical

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bond-order-bond-length relationship,¹² the π -bond order of C(2)-N(11)(1.285 Å) is very nearly one. N(11)-C(12)is longer (1.377 Å), although not as long as expected for a single σ -bond, e.g. in a picryl azide molecular complex the corresponding bond length is 1.46 Å.13 The indoline formulation requires double and single bonds in these respective positions. (iv) The indoline structure requires that N(11) should be sp^2 hybridised and that the hybrid orbitals should be coplanar with the indoline ring. C(12) is coplanar and N(11) is only slightly out of plane

TABLE 2

Least-squares planes

(a) Distances (Å) of atoms from planes (parentheses indicate atoms not in calculation)

	Indoline	Picryl nucleus
N(1)	-0.002	•
C(2)	0.007	
C(3)	-0.011	
C(4)	0.009	
C(5)	0.008	
C(6)	-0.005	
C(7)	-0.011	
C(8)	-0.002	
C(9)	-0.003	
C(10)	0.009	
C(11)	(0.055)	
C(12)	(-0.0002)	-0.002
C(13)		0.016
C(14)		-0.014
C(15)		-0.001
C(16)		0.014
C(17)		-0.013

(b) Equations of planes: ax + by + cz = 1 where x, y, and z are fractional co-ordinates

Plane	a	b	С
Indoline	-1.788	21.25	-37.46
Picryl nucleus	1.098	0.926	-0.381
Nitro-group on C(13)	-1.340	0.800	1.250
Nitro-group on C(15)	1.012	0.917	-0.340
Nitro-group on C(17)	0.186	1.101	-0.185

(0.05 Å) as can be seen from Table 2, which shows the equations of some least-squares planes through the molecule, together with deviations of atoms from the planes. For the indoline ring, no atom deviates by $>2\sigma$ from the plane, but the picryl ring is significantly nonplanar (deviations $> 3\sigma$). This effect is believed to be a real one, having been noticed before for polysubstituted benzene nuclei,⁷ and is possibly due to a steric effect.

The angle between the least-squares planes through the indoline and picryl nuclei is 96°. The o-nitro-groups are twisted out of the plane of the picryl nucleus by 137 and 125°, while the p-nitro-group is almost coplanar with it. The direction of rotation is that suggested in ref. 14, *i.e.* right-handed about the direction of numbering.

The crystal lattice consists of isolated molecules held together by van der Waals forces. The picryl rings stack on top of each other but to minimise interactions between the noncoplanar nitro-groups at C(13) and C(17) and the corresponding nitro-groups in neigh-12 C. A. Coulson and A. Golebiewski, Proc. Phys. Soc., 1961, 78, 1310.
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bouring molecules, the rings are staggered with respect to their neighbours. The stacks of rings are parallel to the a axis, with the ring nuclei almost parallel to c



FIGURE 4 The crystal structure of 1-methyl-2-picryliminoindoline projected down c

(Figure 4). The indoline rings are packed parallel to each other up c, but are not overlapping as are the picryl rings.

The carbon-carbon bond lengths of the picryl nucleus are similar to those reported for 2,3,4,6-tetranitroaniline,⁷ where the carbon-carbon bonds attached to the amine nitrogen are significantly larger than the normal (1.397 Å) reported for benzene,¹⁵ and average 1.412 Å. The remaining four average 1.381 Å, which is significantly shorter than the benzene value. Also, in common with other polynitro-compounds,^{7,13} the ring has internal angles significantly $>120^{\circ}$ at the carbon atoms attached to nitro-groups. This effect now appears to be general in such compounds.

The root-mean-square displacements along the principal axes of the thermal ellipsoids (Table 3) show definite evidence for considerable rigid-body motion of the indoline ring about N(11), since the magnitude of the principal displacement increases in the indoline ring with distance from this atom. The almost isotropic displacements in the picryl nucleus show that this unit remains essentially stationary during movement of the indoline ring. The nitro-groups show the expected rotational movement about the C-N vectors.

Conclusion.—Although the nature of these compounds is as expected (*i.e.* they are not oxidation-reduction

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products), the crystal structure with the compound in the indoline form does not indicate whether one (or both) of the *o*-nitro-groups is locked in position by hydrogen bonding when in the indole form.

TABLE 3

The root-mean-square magnitudes and direction cosines of the principal axes of the thermal ellipsoids (the direction cosines are with respect to the crystallographic axes)

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Atom	Axis i	U_i (A)	l_i	mi	n_i
O(1)	1	0.348	0.723	0.577	-0.460
- (-)	$\tilde{2}$	0.271	-0.662	0.815	0.212
	3	0.188	-0.199	-0.053	-0.862
O(2)	ĩ	0.356	0.409	0.861	-0.187
• /	2	0.288	0.729	-0.414	0.376
	3	0.177	-0.549	0.297	0.908
O(3)	ī	0.322	-0.102	0.957	0.231
• /	2	0.267	0.864	0.132	-0.705
	3	0.185	0.494	-0.260	0.671
O(4)	1	0.311	0.827	0.333	0.063
• /	2	0.244	-0.463	0.202	0.957
	3	0.188	-0.319	0.921	-0.284
O(5)	1	0.297	0.743	0.576	-0.360
	2	0.242	0.487	-0.497	0.604
	3	0.178	-0.460	0.649	0.711
O(6)	1	0.308	0.836	0.450	-0.325
	2	0.242	-0.047	0.133	0.945
	3	0.182	-0.547	0.883	-0.029
N(1)	1	0.254	0.250	-0.144	0.848
	2	0.230	-0.643	-0.686	0.326
a (a)	3	0.162	-0.724	0.714	0.419
C(2)	1	0.239	0.702	0.560	0.030
	2	0.196	0.134	-0.555	0.791
C (0)	3	0.171	-0.700	0.615	0.611
U(3)	1	0.244	0.104	-0.175	0.914
	2	0.219	0.723	0.604	-0.236
0(1)	3	0.178	-0.683	0.778	0.330
U(4)	1	0.270	0.327	-0.175	0.802
	z	0.230	0.939	0.052	-0.584
C (5)	3	0.221	0.100	-0.983	0.120
C(0)	1	0.280	0.971	-0.274	0.009
	2	0.273	0.194	0.156	0.026
C (6)	1	0.212	0.070	0.115	
	9	0.239	0.047	0.189	0.069
	ã	0.186	-0.238	0.977	0.158
C(7)	ĩ	0.263	0.872	0.370	
(()	$\overline{2}$	0.246	-0.043	-0.197	0.959
	3	0.186	-0.488	0.908	0.227
C(8)	ĭ	0.239	0.763	0.247	0.269
-(-)	$\hat{2}$	0.214	-0.403	-0.375	0.927
	3	0.185	-0.505	0.894	0.262
C(9)	i	0.238	0.712	0.271	0.334
,	2	0.215	-0.390	-0.472	0.882
	3	0.189	-0.584	0.839	0.333
C(10)	1	0.338	0.241	-0.299	0.835
	2	0.262	-0.501	-0.795	0.104
	3	0.181	-0.831	0.528	0.541
N(11)	1	0.233	0.549	-0.008	0.623
	2	0.220	-0.452	-0.764	0.536
	3	0.120	-0.703	0.645	0.570
C(12)	1	0.204	0.192	-0.568	0.759
	2	0.189	0.498	0.708	0.171
0/10)	3	0.169	-0.846	0.420	0.628
C(13)	1	0.209	0.331	0.802	0.233
	2	0.187	-0.816	0.123	0.792
C(14)	3 1	0.180	0.475		0.262
U(14)	1	0.214	0.205	-0.812	0.046
	2	0.191	0.224	0.490	0.314
C(15)	0 1	0.202	0.774	0.311	0.210
0(10)	2	0.190	0.850	0.590	0.100
	3	0.165	-0.752	0.624	0.538
C(16)	ĩ	0.196	-0.150	-0.963	0.197
()	$\overline{2}$	0.193	0.328	-0.014	0.797
	3	0-181	0.933	-0.271	-0.571

		Table	3 (contin	uued)	
Atom	Axis i	U_i (Å)	li	mi	ni
C(17)	1	0.203	0.232	-0.928	0.336
	2	0.197	0.924	0.213	-0.101
	3	0.164	0.305	-0.306	-0.937
N(18)	1	0.263	0.974	0.077	-0.187
• •	2	0.208	-0.132	0.935	-0.370
	3	0.177	0.184	-0.345	-0.910
N(19)	1	0.227	-0.129	-0.463	0.902
• •	2	0.208	0.703	0.490	0.143
	3	0.178	0.699	0.739	0.407
N(20)	1	0.276	0.531	0.704	0.117
	2	0.193	0.279	-0.584	0.705
	3	0.177	-0.800	0.404	0.699

EXPERIMENTAL

N.m.r. spectra were measured with a Perkin-Elmer R14 (100MHz) instrument and mass spectra with an AEI MS 9 instrument.

1-Methyl-2-picrylaminoindole (I; $R^1 = Me$, $R^2 = H$, $R^3 = picryl).-1-Methylindole$ (2 g.; distilled from sodium) 16 and picryl azide (3 g.) were dissolved in ethyl acetate (30 ml.) and the resulting red solution was kept for 6 days. Nitrogen was evolved and solid started to separate after 6 hr. The solid was collected, washed with ethyl acetate, and dried (3.28 g., 78%). (With dimethyl sulphoxide as solvent the reaction appeared to be complete in 4 hr.). Crystallisation from dioxan gave material which softened and slowly decomposed without melting above 170°. From dimethylformamide the compound crystallised with solvent (n.m.r.); it softened at 180° and decomposed at 210° (Found: C, 50.4; H, 3.5; N, 18.8, 19.2 C₁₅H₁₁N₅O₆ requires C, 50.4; H, 3.1; N, 19.5%). N.m.r. spectra: τ (CF₃·CO₂H) 0.95 (1H, d, J 2 Hz), 1.08 (1H, d, J 2 Hz), 1.8—2.5 (5H, m), and 5.67 (3H, s, NMe); τ [(CD₃)₂SO] -0.2 (NH), 1.3 (1H, d, J 2 Hz), 1.82 (1H, d, J 2 Hz), 1.8-2.6 (5H, m), and 6.4 (3H, s, NMe).

1,3-Dimethyl-2-picrylaminoindole (I: $R^1 = R^2 = Me$, $R^3 = picryl$) was prepared from 1,3-dimethylindole (4 g.; obtained by methylation of skatole¹⁶) and picryl azide (6 g.) in ethyl acetate (45 ml.) (yield 67% after 6 days). The compound formed yellow needles from n-propanol, darkening at 229°, m.p. 240-241° (decomp.) (Found: C, 51·5; H, 3·5; N, 19·0. $C_{16}H_{13}N_5O_6$ requires C, 51·8; H, 3·5; N, 18·9%), τ (CF₃·CO₂H) 0·80 (1H, d, J 2 Hz), 1·24 (1H, d, J 2Hzh, 1·58 (1H, split d, J 7 and 2 Hz), 1·8-2·4 (3H, m), 6·01 (3H, s, NMe), and 7·12 (3H, s, CMe); τ [(CD₃)₂SO] -1·75 (NH), 1·30 (1H, d, J 2 Hz), 1·92 (1H, d J 2 Hz), 1·9-2·5 (4H, m), 6·38 (3H, s, NMe), and 7·5 (3H, s, CMe).

The reaction between indole-N-acetic acid (2·1 g.) and picryl azide (3·0 g.) in ethyl acetate (70 ml.) was slow. After 11 days the solid (36% yield) was collected. Recrystallisation from acetic acid gave the *compound* (I; $R^1 = CH_2 \cdot CO_2 H$, $R^2 = H$, $R^3 = picryl$) as yellow needles which contained acetic acid (n.m.r., and i.r. band at 1705 cm.⁻¹) and which darkened at 210° and decomposed between 254 and 290° (Found: C, 47·8; H, 3·0; N, 16·8. ($C_{18}H_{11}N_5O_8$)₂, $C_2H_4O_2$ requires C, 47·4; H, 3·0; N, 16·8. ($C_{18}H_{11}N_5O_8$)₂, $C_2H_4O_2$ requires C, 47·4; H, 3·0; N, 16·2%), τ [(CD_3)₂SO] -0·23 (NH), 1·27 (1H, d, J 2 Hz), 1·79 (1H, d, J 2 Hz), 1·9—2·8 (5H, m), 5·12 (2H, s, N· CH_2 · CO_2H), and 8·09 (acetic acid of crystallisation); τ (D₂O–Na₂CO₃) 1·26 (1H, d, J 2·5 Hz), 1·68 (1H, d, J 2·5 Hz), 2·0—2·8 (5H, m), and 5·03 (2H, s). The compound decomposed in the mass spectrometer inlet (270°).

¹⁶ K. T. Potts and J. E. Saxton, Org. Synth., 1960, 40, 68.

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Crystallographic Data

Large crystals of the N-methylindole adduct were obtained by slow crystallisation from ethyl acetate. Suitable crystals for X-ray investigation were obtained by partially dissolving a large crystal with dioxan. Approximate cell parameters were obtained from Weissenberg and precession photographs and were refined by use of a Hilger and Watts four-circle PDP 8 instrument (Y 290-FA 128), before commencement of data collection.

Crystal Data.— $C_{15}H_{11}N_5O_6$, M = 357.3, Triclinic a = 8.01 ± 0.01 , $b = 13.20 \pm 0.01$, $c = 7.79 \pm 0.01$, $\alpha = 13.20 \pm 0.01$ 92.7 ± 0.2 , $\beta = 107.5 \pm 0.2, \quad \gamma = 96.5 \pm 0.2,$ U =780.2 Å³, $D_{\rm m} = 1.515$ (by flotation), Z = 2, $D_{\rm c} = 1.520$. Space group $P\overline{I}$ (C_i^1 , No. 2). Mo- K_{α} radiation, $\lambda = 0.7107$ Å, $\mu(Mo-K_{\alpha}) = 1.31 \text{ cm}.^{-1}$.

Data were collected from an approximately rod-shaped crystal (0.8×0.6 mm. diam.), mounted about the rod axis (c). An ω -2 θ scan was used to collect 3376 reflections in the range $\theta = 0-27^{\circ}$. In the range $\theta = 0-20^{\circ}$ balanced filters (zirconium oxide-yttrium carbonate) were used; at $\theta > 20^{\circ}$ a single zirconium oxide filter was employed.

Each reflection was scanned over 0.8°, counting at intervals of 0.02° sec.-1, with background counted for 10 sec. on both sides of the scan. A measurement was discarded if the backgrounds differed by more than 15 σ * of their total count. Of the 3376 reflections counted 2051 had sufficiently equal backgrounds and an intensity $>3 \sigma$.

Solution and Refinement of the Structure.--Approximate atomic co-ordinates were generated by a symbolic addition program, developed by Hodder and Prout 17 for the English Electric KDF 9 computer. The computer chooses the origin determining reflections, and then those for which symbols are assigned are chosen one by one as required to continue the phase determination. This programme used all triple products of probability over 0.942 given by the 737 reflections with $E > 1 \cdot 1$. To fix the origin of the unit cell $03\overline{6}$, $22\overline{1}$, and $11\overline{3}$ were given positive signs. The signs of $6\overline{46}$, 094, and $21\overline{1}$ were represented by the symbols A, B, and C respectively. 381 signs with a probability >0.9975were determined. The probability was then lowered to 0.880, and a further 180 signs were determined.

Using these 561 phased E values, Fourier syntheses were computed for the most probable signs of A, B, and C. The correct solution, with A and C positive, and B negative was found to be the third most probable (ignoring the solution for all three positive). In the correct solution only three phases (all of low probability) were subsequently shown to be incorrect. In the synthesis using these phases 26 large peaks (corresponding to the positions of all the nonhydrogen atoms) were observed.

In the full-matrix least-squares refinement of the trial structure, the quantity minimised was $\Sigma w(|F_0| - |F_c|)^2$. Isotropic temperature factors were assumed for all atoms. Scattering curves used were those given in ref. 18. After four cycles of refinement parameter shifts were considerably less than their estimated standard deviations and R was 0.128. From a difference Fourier map all the hydrogen atom positions were apparent, as well as considerable anisotropic movement in the indole ring. The co-ordinates of all but the N-methyl hydrogen atoms were deduced from the molecular geometry.

All nonhydrogen atoms were then assigned anisotropic temperature factors and a further six cycles of leastsquares refinement were computed with alternating matrix blocking until convergence was achieved; in the two final cycles two matrix blocks were used, one containing all space parameters and the other the F_{c} value, scale factor, and all temperature factors. Unit weights were used for $|F_0|$ <2000, otherwise the relation $\sqrt{\omega} = 2000/|F_0|$ was used.

TABLE 5

Fractional atomic co-ordinates $(\times 10^5)$ with standard deviations in parentheses

Atom	x a	y /b	z c
O(1)	06535(42)	90023(24)	01858(36)
O(2)	32875(41)	86421(26)	06845(37)
O(3)	59838(35)	88152(24)	87691(36)
O(4)	40911(39)	74606(19)	76075(36)
O(5)	18881(35)	115887(20)	74822(34)
O(6)	07491(37)	118024(19)	46642(36)
N(1)	39844(37)	60669(21)	29688(40)
C(2)	32627(44)	68728(25)	34656(43)
C(3)	13524(45)	65057(25)	33253(49)
C(4)	11678(46)	53798(25)	27172(46)
C(5)	-02229(53)	46100(29)	23713(56)
C(6)	00064(58)	36157(29)	18048(60)
C(7)	15994(59)	34265(28)	16101(58)
C(8)	30168(52)	41967(27)	19599(52)
C(9)	27705(47)	51673(25)	25201(47)
C(10)	58179(56)	61493(32)	29440(66)
N(11)	41584(36)	77631(20)	39855(37)
C(12)	34007(39)	85885(23)	44050(41)
C(13)	36876(40)	89630(24)	62165(41)
C(14)	31625(40)	98533(24)	67402(41)
C(15)	22145(39)	103950(23)	53834(41)
C(16)	18272(40)	100827(23)	35722(41)
C(17)	24546(38)	92018(23)	31276(37)
N(18)	46647(39)	83598(23)	76468(38)
N(19)	15798(34)	113374(20)	58843(38)
N(20)	21094(41)	89247(21)	11848(36)

TABLE 6

Anisotropic thermal parameters *

Atom	U_{11}	U_{22}	U_{33}	$2U_{23}$	$2U_{31}$	$2U_{12}$
O(1)	0.08695	0.09222	0.03889	-0.01168	-0.00510	0.05620
O(2)	0.08997	0.11425	0.04973	0.01018	0.07159	0.06852
O(3)	0.05325	0.10128	0.04763	0.03875	0.00148	0.03190
O(4)	0.09010	0.04944	0.06206	0.03604	0.05730	0.06056
O(5)	0.07440	0.05978	0.04734	-0.01666	0.03827	0.05047
O(6)	0.07837	0.05235	0.05815	0.01421	0.03102	0.06792
N(1)	0.04840	0.04136	0.06191	-0.00107	0.05192	0.03207
C(2)	0.04931	0.04365	0.03813	0.00923	0.03727	0.03594
C(3)	0.04538	0.03961	0.05865	0.00108	0.04151	0.02381
C(4)	0.06151	0.04902	0.07067	0.00200	0.05313	0.01271
C(5)	0.07440	0.04557	0.07616	0.00210	0.04800	0.00234
C(6)	0.08256	0.03748	0.07245	-0.00019	0.04796	0.02921
C(7)	0.06489	0.04296	0.06005	0.00428	0.04199	0.03786
C(8)	0.05417	0.03902	0.04868	0.00889	0.04116	0.02645
C(9)	0.05293	0.04128	0.04945	0.00908	0.04172	0.02638
C(10)	0.06486	0.06242	0.10376	-0.01636	0.09893	0.03053
N(11)	0.04731	0.04099	0.04865	-0.00117	0.04554	0.02564
C(12)	0.03378	0.03628	0.03846	-0.00069	0.02952	0.01075
C(13)	0.03634	0.04090	0.03511	0.03196	0.02320	0.01878
C(14)	0.03550	0.04228	0.03460	-0.00420	0.02468	0.01878
C(15)	0.03339	0.03438	0.03786	-0.00198	0.02669	0.01389
C(16)	0.03471	0.03830	0.02686	0.00557	0.02518	0.01177
C(17)	0.03876	0.03913	0.02907	-0.00260	0.02373	0.00903
N(18)	0.06785	0.04235	0.03346	-0.00030	0.02990	0.02006
N(19)	0.04045	0.03922	0.04867	-0.00259	0.03124	0.01913
N(20)	0.05399	0.06100	0.04068	0.02608	0.04546	0.05490
*	In the for	rm: exp[$-2\pi^2 (U_{11}$	$h^2a^{*2} + U_2$	$_{2}k^{2}b^{*2} + U$	$_{33}l^2c^{*2} +$
$2U_{2}$	klb*c* +	2U311hc*	$a* + 2\hat{U}$	12lka*b*)].		

¹⁷ O. J. R. Hodder and C. K. Prout, unpublished work.
¹⁸ 'International Tables for X-Ray Crystallography,' vol. III, Kynoch Press, Birmingham, 1962.

^{*} If the difference in backgrounds was $< 6 \sigma$ they were averaged; from $6-15 \sigma$ the first background was used. This relatively loose limit was used because of very pronounced streaking induced by the crystal.

The final R was 0.053, at which point a difference Fourier map showed no peaks or holes >0.2e.

In Table 4 are compared the observed structure amplitudes with structure factors calculated from the atom positional parameters (Table 5). Anisotropic temperature parameters are shown in Table 6.

Calculations were carried out on an English Electric KDF 9 computer. Isotropic refinement and Fourier synthesis were calculated using 'Novtape', initially developed

by J. S. Rollett *et al.*, with modifications by O. J. R. Hodder. Anisotropic refinement was programmed by G. C. Ford and J. S. Rollett. Calculation of anisotropic root-mean-square displacements was programmed by J. R. Carruthers.

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