

Table 1. Crystal data and structure refinement for  
**N,N'-BIS(P-METOXYPHENYL)-FORMAMMIDINE**

Empirical formula	C15 H16 N2 O2
Formula weight	256.30
Temperature	293(2) K
Wavelength	1.54178 Å
Crystal system	TRICLINIC
Space group	P-1
Unit cell dimensions	a = 9.925(2) Å alpha = 93.12(3) deg. b = 10.232(2) Å beta = 106.80(3) deg. c = 14.980(3) Å gamma = 107.76(3) deg.
Volume	1369.9(5) Å^3
Z	4
Density (calculated)	1.243 Mg/m^3
Absorption coefficient	0.675 mm^-1
F(000)	544
Crystal size	0.3 x 0.3 x 0.25 mm
Theta range for data collection	3.12 to 80.24 deg.
Index ranges	-10<=h<=10, -11<=k<=11, 0<=l<=15
Reflections collected	5358
Independent reflections	5158 [R(int) = 0.0688]
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F^2
Data / restraints / parameters	5148 / 0 / 398
Goodness-of-fit on F^2	0.990
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0544, wR2 = 0.1555
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0658, wR2 = 0.1850
Extinction coefficient	0.028(2)
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.249 and -0.256 e.Å^-3

Table 2. Atomic coordinates ( $\times 10^4$ ) and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ) for N,N'-BIS(P-METOXYPHENYL)-FORMAMIDINE  
 $U(\text{eq})$  is defined  
as one third of the trace of the orthogonalized  $U_{ij}$  tensor.

	x	y	z	$U(\text{eq})$
N(11)	4219(2)	7868(1)	3565(1)	53(1)
N(21)	3787(2)	8017(2)	5005(1)	54(1)
O(11)	432(2)	9249(1)	7127(1)	70(1)
O(21)	2644(2)	8946(2)	-137(1)	79(1)
C(11)	3505(2)	8174(2)	4112(1)	50(1)
C(21)	2962(2)	8398(1)	5539(1)	46(1)
C(31)	2484(2)	9540(1)	5413(1)	48(1)
C(41)	1621(2)	9850(1)	5918(1)	48(1)
C(51)	1264(2)	9037(2)	6581(1)	48(1)
C(61)	1775(2)	7925(2)	6735(1)	55(1)
C(71)	2608(2)	7606(2)	6216(1)	52(1)
C(81)	3775(2)	8064(1)	2612(1)	47(1)
C(91)	2278(2)	7706(2)	2071(1)	55(1)
C(101)	1859(2)	7982(2)	1155(1)	61(1)
C(111)	2937(2)	8602(2)	755(1)	57(1)
C(121)	4439(2)	8915(2)	1275(1)	62(1)
C(131)	4843(2)	8643(2)	2185(1)	57(1)
C(141)	6(3)	10437(3)	7078(2)	80(1)
C(151)	1162(3)	8875(4)	-612(2)	103(1)
N(12)	6411(2)	7189(2)	5950(1)	60(1)
N(22)	6737(2)	6793(2)	4521(1)	58(1)
O(12)	9480(2)	4990(1)	2173(1)	70(1)
O(22)	7092(3)	6585(2)	9712(1)	118(1)
C(12)	7082(2)	6746(2)	5429(1)	57(1)
C(22)	7453(2)	6344(1)	3941(1)	51(1)
C(32)	8935(2)	6379(2)	4270(1)	56(1)
C(42)	9566(2)	5919(2)	3661(1)	57(1)
C(52)	8753(2)	5436(2)	2718(1)	55(1)
C(62)	7293(2)	5411(2)	2384(1)	60(1)
C(72)	6661(2)	5870(2)	2997(1)	59(1)
C(82)	6673(2)	7051(2)	6909(1)	53(1)
C(92)	7185(2)	6034(2)	7327(1)	61(1)
C(102)	7324(2)	5915(2)	8256(1)	70(1)
C(112)	6943(2)	6793(2)	8797(1)	71(1)
C(122)	6442(2)	7814(2)	8394(1)	71(1)
C(132)	6318(2)	7931(2)	7467(1)	63(1)
C(142)	8743(3)	4612(3)	1198(2)	95(1)
C(152)	6369(6)	7225(4)	10204(2)	133(1)

Table 4. Bond lengths [Å], angles [deg] and torsion angles [deg] for N,N'-BIS(P-METOXYPHENYL)-FORMAMIDINE

N(11)-C(11)	1.308(2)
N(11)-C(81)	1.413(2)
N(11)-H(11)	0.78(5)
N(21)-C(11)	1.315(2)
N(21)-C(21)	1.415(2)
N(21)-H(21)	0.84(3)
O(11)-C(51)	1.370(2)
O(11)-C(141)	1.402(2)
O(21)-C(111)	1.372(2)
O(21)-C(151)	1.414(3)
C(11)-H(111)	0.99(2)
C(21)-C(71)	1.389(2)
C(21)-C(31)	1.391(2)
C(31)-C(41)	1.385(2)
C(31)-H(31)	0.93
C(41)-C(51)	1.385(2)
C(41)-H(41)	0.93
C(51)-C(61)	1.385(2)
C(61)-C(71)	1.379(2)
C(61)-H(61)	0.93
C(71)-H(71)	0.93
C(81)-C(131)	1.390(2)
C(81)-C(91)	1.392(2)
C(91)-C(101)	1.385(2)
C(91)-H(91)	0.93
C(101)-C(111)	1.380(3)
C(101)-H(101)	0.93
C(111)-C(121)	1.393(2)
C(121)-C(131)	1.374(2)
C(121)-H(121)	0.93
C(131)-H(131)	0.93
C(141)-H(143)	0.96
C(141)-H(144)	0.96
C(141)-H(145)	0.96
C(151)-H(153)	0.96
C(151)-H(154)	0.96
C(151)-H(155)	0.96
N(12)-C(12)	1.306(2)
N(12)-C(82)	1.406(2)
N(12)-H(12)	0.84(5)
N(22)-C(12)	1.311(2)
N(22)-C(22)	1.409(2)
N(22)-H(22)	0.89(4)
O(12)-C(52)	1.377(2)
O(12)-C(142)	1.403(3)
O(22)-C(112)	1.370(2)
O(22)-C(152)	1.425(4)
C(12)-H(122)	0.99(2)
C(22)-C(72)	1.380(2)
C(22)-C(32)	1.398(2)
C(32)-C(42)	1.382(2)
C(32)-H(32)	0.93
C(42)-C(52)	1.383(2)
C(42)-H(42)	0.93
C(52)-C(62)	1.381(2)

C(62)-C(72)	1.387(2)
C(62)-H(62)	0.93
C(72)-H(72)	0.93
C(82)-C(132)	1.384(2)
C(82)-C(92)	1.394(2)
C(92)-C(102)	1.374(3)
C(92)-H(92)	0.93
C(102)-C(112)	1.383(3)
C(102)-H(102)	0.93
C(112)-C(122)	1.384(3)
C(122)-C(132)	1.374(3)
C(122)-H(122)	0.93
C(132)-H(132)	0.93
C(142)-H(146)	0.96
C(142)-H(147)	0.96
C(142)-H(148)	0.96
C(152)-H(156)	0.96
C(152)-H(157)	0.96
C(152)-H(158)	0.96
C(11)-N(11)-C(81)	118.48(13)
C(11)-N(11)-H(11)	112(3)
C(81)-N(11)-H(11)	129(3)
C(11)-N(21)-C(21)	120.28(12)
C(11)-N(21)-H(21)	117(2)
C(21)-N(21)-H(21)	123(2)
C(51)-O(11)-C(141)	118.50(14)
C(111)-O(21)-C(151)	117.2(2)
N(11)-C(11)-N(21)	124.63(13)
N(11)-C(11)-H(111)	120.3(10)
N(21)-C(11)-H(111)	115.1(10)
C(71)-C(21)-C(31)	118.30(13)
C(71)-C(21)-N(21)	119.18(12)
C(31)-C(21)-N(21)	122.52(13)
C(41)-C(31)-C(21)	121.20(12)
C(41)-C(31)-H(31)	119.40(8)
C(21)-C(31)-H(31)	119.40(8)
C(31)-C(41)-C(51)	119.58(12)
C(31)-C(41)-H(41)	120.21(8)
C(51)-C(41)-H(41)	120.21(8)
O(11)-C(51)-C(61)	115.44(13)
O(11)-C(51)-C(41)	124.87(13)
C(61)-C(51)-C(41)	119.69(13)
C(71)-C(61)-C(51)	120.36(13)
C(71)-C(61)-H(61)	119.82(8)
C(51)-C(61)-H(61)	119.82(9)
C(61)-C(71)-C(21)	120.81(12)
C(61)-C(71)-H(71)	119.59(8)
C(21)-C(71)-H(71)	119.59(8)
C(131)-C(81)-C(91)	117.70(14)
C(131)-C(81)-N(11)	120.24(13)
C(91)-C(81)-N(11)	122.06(13)
C(101)-C(91)-C(81)	121.45(14)
C(101)-C(91)-H(91)	119.27(9)
C(81)-C(91)-H(91)	119.27(9)
C(111)-C(101)-C(91)	119.94(14)
C(111)-C(101)-H(101)	120.03(9)
C(91)-C(101)-H(101)	120.03(9)
O(21)-C(111)-C(101)	124.6(2)
O(21)-C(111)-C(121)	116.2(2)

C(101)-C(111)-C(121)	119.17(14)
C(131)-C(121)-C(111)	120.4(2)
C(131)-C(121)-H(121)	119.80(10)
C(111)-C(121)-H(121)	119.80(10)
C(121)-C(131)-C(81)	121.23(14)
C(121)-C(131)-H(131)	119.38(10)
C(81)-C(131)-H(131)	119.38(9)
O(11)-C(141)-H(143)	109.47(11)
O(11)-C(141)-H(144)	109.47(11)
H(143)-C(141)-H(144)	109.5
O(11)-C(141)-H(145)	109.47(13)
H(143)-C(141)-H(145)	109.5
H(144)-C(141)-H(145)	109.5
O(21)-C(151)-H(153)	109.47(13)
O(21)-C(151)-H(154)	109.47(14)
H(153)-C(151)-H(154)	109.5
O(21)-C(151)-H(155)	109.5(2)
H(153)-C(151)-H(155)	109.5
H(154)-C(151)-H(155)	109.5
C(12)-N(12)-C(82)	123.28(13)
C(12)-N(12)-H(12)	112(3)
C(82)-N(12)-H(12)	125(3)
C(12)-N(22)-C(22)	123.51(13)
C(12)-N(22)-H(22)	116(3)
C(22)-N(22)-H(22)	120(3)
C(52)-O(12)-C(142)	117.9(2)
C(112)-O(22)-C(152)	117.5(2)
N(12)-C(12)-N(22)	122.05(14)
N(12)-C(12)-H(122)	119.3(11)
N(22)-C(12)-H(122)	118.6(11)
C(72)-C(22)-C(32)	118.3(2)
C(72)-C(22)-N(22)	118.34(14)
C(32)-C(22)-N(22)	123.3(2)
C(42)-C(32)-C(22)	120.2(2)
C(42)-C(32)-H(32)	119.90(9)
C(22)-C(32)-H(32)	119.90(10)
C(32)-C(42)-C(52)	120.74(14)
C(32)-C(42)-H(42)	119.63(9)
C(52)-C(42)-H(42)	119.63(9)
O(12)-C(52)-C(62)	124.3(2)
O(12)-C(52)-C(42)	116.19(14)
C(62)-C(52)-C(42)	119.5(2)
C(52)-C(62)-C(72)	119.6(2)
C(52)-C(62)-H(62)	120.18(10)
C(72)-C(62)-H(62)	120.18(9)
C(22)-C(72)-C(62)	121.56(14)
C(22)-C(72)-H(72)	119.22(9)
C(62)-C(72)-H(72)	119.22(10)
C(132)-C(82)-C(92)	117.4(2)
C(132)-C(82)-N(12)	118.00(13)
C(92)-C(82)-N(12)	124.5(2)
C(102)-C(92)-C(82)	120.9(2)
C(102)-C(92)-H(92)	119.55(10)
C(82)-C(92)-H(92)	119.55(10)
C(92)-C(102)-C(112)	120.8(2)
C(92)-C(102)-H(102)	119.61(10)
C(112)-C(102)-H(102)	119.61(11)
O(22)-C(112)-C(102)	116.8(2)
O(22)-C(112)-C(122)	124.2(2)
C(102)-C(112)-C(122)	119.0(2)

C(132)-C(122)-C(112)	119.8(2)
C(132)-C(122)-H(122)	120.11(10)
C(112)-C(122)-H(122)	120.11(12)
C(122)-C(132)-C(82)	122.2(2)
C(122)-C(132)-H(132)	118.93(10)
C(82)-C(132)-H(132)	118.93(10)
O(12)-C(142)-H(146)	109.47(12)
O(12)-C(142)-H(147)	109.47(13)
H(146)-C(142)-H(147)	109.5
O(12)-C(142)-H(148)	109.47(14)
H(146)-C(142)-H(148)	109.5
H(147)-C(142)-H(148)	109.5
O(22)-C(152)-H(156)	109.47(14)
O(22)-C(152)-H(157)	109.5(2)
H(156)-C(152)-H(157)	109.5
O(22)-C(152)-H(158)	109.5(2)
H(156)-C(152)-H(158)	109.5
H(157)-C(152)-H(158)	109.5
C(81)-N(11)-C(11)-N(21)	178.70(14)
C(21)-N(21)-C(11)-N(11)	179.12(14)
C(11)-N(21)-C(21)-C(71)	143.9(2)
C(11)-N(21)-C(21)-C(31)	-35.9(2)
C(71)-C(21)-C(31)-C(41)	-2.8(2)
N(21)-C(21)-C(31)-C(41)	177.05(13)
C(21)-C(31)-C(41)-C(51)	2.0(2)
C(141)-O(11)-C(51)-C(61)	173.7(2)
C(141)-O(11)-C(51)-C(41)	-5.7(3)
C(31)-C(41)-C(51)-O(11)	179.43(13)
C(31)-C(41)-C(51)-C(61)	0.1(2)
O(11)-C(51)-C(61)-C(71)	179.19(14)
C(41)-C(51)-C(61)-C(71)	-1.4(2)
C(51)-C(61)-C(71)-C(21)	0.6(2)
C(31)-C(21)-C(71)-C(61)	1.4(2)
N(21)-C(21)-C(71)-C(61)	-178.40(13)
C(11)-N(11)-C(81)-C(131)	137.7(2)
C(11)-N(11)-C(81)-C(91)	-41.6(2)
C(131)-C(81)-C(91)-C(101)	-3.3(2)
N(11)-C(81)-C(91)-C(101)	176.01(14)
C(81)-C(91)-C(101)-C(111)	1.2(3)
C(151)-O(21)-C(111)-C(101)	11.1(3)
C(151)-O(21)-C(111)-C(121)	-168.8(2)
C(91)-C(101)-C(111)-O(21)	-178.5(2)
C(91)-C(101)-C(111)-C(121)	1.4(3)
O(21)-C(111)-C(121)-C(131)	178.2(2)
C(101)-C(111)-C(121)-C(131)	-1.6(3)
C(111)-C(121)-C(131)-C(81)	-0.6(3)
C(91)-C(81)-C(131)-C(121)	3.1(2)
N(11)-C(81)-C(131)-C(121)	-176.30(14)
C(82)-N(12)-C(12)-N(22)	174.7(2)
C(22)-N(22)-C(12)-N(12)	179.0(2)
C(12)-N(22)-C(22)-C(72)	152.4(2)
C(12)-N(22)-C(22)-C(32)	-28.9(2)
C(72)-C(22)-C(32)-C(42)	-1.4(2)
N(22)-C(22)-C(32)-C(42)	179.91(14)
C(22)-C(32)-C(42)-C(52)	0.9(2)
C(142)-O(12)-C(52)-C(62)	6.5(3)
C(142)-O(12)-C(52)-C(42)	-174.3(2)
C(32)-C(42)-C(52)-O(12)	-179.40(13)
C(32)-C(42)-C(52)-C(62)	-0.2(2)

O(12)-C(52)-C(62)-C(72)	179.16(14)
C(42)-C(52)-C(62)-C(72)	0.0(2)
C(32)-C(22)-C(72)-C(62)	1.2(2)
N(22)-C(22)-C(72)-C(62)	-179.99(14)
C(52)-C(62)-C(72)-C(22)	-0.5(2)
C(12)-N(12)-C(82)-C(132)	158.7(2)
C(12)-N(12)-C(82)-C(92)	-25.2(3)
C(132)-C(82)-C(92)-C(102)	0.1(3)
N(12)-C(82)-C(92)-C(102)	-175.9(2)
C(82)-C(92)-C(102)-C(112)	0.8(3)
C(152)-O(22)-C(112)-C(102)	-164.7(3)
C(152)-O(22)-C(112)-C(122)	15.3(4)
C(92)-C(102)-C(112)-O(22)	178.8(2)
C(92)-C(102)-C(112)-C(122)	-1.1(3)
O(22)-C(112)-C(122)-C(132)	-179.4(2)
C(102)-C(112)-C(122)-C(132)	0.6(3)
C(112)-C(122)-C(132)-C(82)	0.3(3)
C(92)-C(82)-C(132)-C(122)	-0.7(3)
N(12)-C(82)-C(132)-C(122)	175.6(2)

Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

Table 5. Anisotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ) for  
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The anisotropic displacement factor exponent takes the form:  
 $-2 \pi^2 [ h^2 a^{*2} U_{11} + \dots + 2 h k a^* b^* U_{12} ]$

	U <sub>11</sub>	U <sub>22</sub>	U <sub>33</sub>	U <sub>23</sub>	U <sub>13</sub>	U <sub>12</sub>
N(11)	47(1)	67(1)	58(1)	16(1)	24(1)	29(1)
N(21)	50(1)	73(1)	56(1)	20(1)	24(1)	35(1)
O(11)	86(1)	83(1)	76(1)	28(1)	51(1)	49(1)
O(21)	88(1)	102(1)	54(1)	19(1)	24(1)	37(1)
C(11)	42(1)	58(1)	57(1)	13(1)	19(1)	23(1)
C(21)	39(1)	55(1)	49(1)	12(1)	17(1)	20(1)
C(31)	48(1)	51(1)	48(1)	16(1)	19(1)	19(1)
C(41)	52(1)	49(1)	50(1)	12(1)	17(1)	24(1)
C(51)	47(1)	56(1)	50(1)	12(1)	22(1)	21(1)
C(61)	63(1)	59(1)	60(1)	24(1)	32(1)	28(1)
C(71)	56(1)	54(1)	60(1)	21(1)	25(1)	29(1)
C(81)	43(1)	51(1)	53(1)	8(1)	21(1)	20(1)
C(91)	40(1)	64(1)	63(1)	12(1)	22(1)	14(1)
C(101)	45(1)	73(1)	60(1)	7(1)	13(1)	17(1)
C(111)	64(1)	62(1)	48(1)	6(1)	20(1)	25(1)
C(121)	55(1)	77(1)	60(1)	12(1)	31(1)	21(1)
C(131)	39(1)	77(1)	60(1)	9(1)	22(1)	21(1)
C(141)	96(2)	102(2)	77(1)	23(1)	43(1)	67(1)
C(151)	111(2)	137(2)	63(1)	26(1)	10(1)	61(2)
N(12)	55(1)	75(1)	67(1)	20(1)	27(1)	37(1)
N(22)	51(1)	69(1)	70(1)	18(1)	28(1)	32(1)
O(12)	66(1)	71(1)	89(1)	12(1)	46(1)	26(1)
O(22)	189(2)	135(2)	66(1)	32(1)	40(1)	103(2)
C(12)	48(1)	61(1)	73(1)	19(1)	26(1)	28(1)
C(22)	44(1)	49(1)	69(1)	14(1)	25(1)	19(1)
C(32)	42(1)	56(1)	68(1)	8(1)	19(1)	15(1)
C(42)	38(1)	57(1)	82(1)	12(1)	26(1)	16(1)
C(52)	51(1)	46(1)	78(1)	14(1)	36(1)	16(1)
C(62)	53(1)	63(1)	65(1)	11(1)	23(1)	17(1)
C(72)	42(1)	69(1)	71(1)	15(1)	21(1)	23(1)
C(82)	41(1)	57(1)	66(1)	11(1)	17(1)	21(1)
C(92)	58(1)	64(1)	71(1)	12(1)	21(1)	33(1)
C(102)	73(1)	72(1)	72(1)	18(1)	16(1)	41(1)
C(112)	80(1)	76(1)	59(1)	10(1)	15(1)	35(1)
C(122)	89(1)	67(1)	67(1)	7(1)	25(1)	40(1)
C(132)	67(1)	62(1)	71(1)	15(1)	25(1)	35(1)
C(142)	101(2)	111(2)	89(2)	4(1)	50(1)	44(2)
C(152)	237(5)	128(3)	80(2)	33(2)	76(2)	97(3)

Table 6. Hydrogen coordinates ( $\times 10^4$ ) and isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ) for N,N'-BIS(P-METOXYPHENYL)-FORMAMIDINE

	x	y	z	U(eq)
H(11)	4811(54)	7544(47)	3822(31)	47(15)
H(21)	4469(37)	7681(31)	5230(21)	50(11)
H(111)	2685(20)	8549(18)	3860(12)	53(4)
H(31)	2749(2)	10104(1)	4983(1)	54(4)
H(41)	1284(2)	10600(1)	5811(1)	54(4)
H(61)	1555(2)	7390(2)	7189(1)	77(6)
H(71)	2937(2)	6851(2)	6321(1)	63(5)
H(91)	1544(2)	7273(2)	2331(1)	60(5)
H(101)	853(2)	7749(2)	811(1)	88(7)
H(121)	5172(2)	9311(2)	1006(1)	74(6)
H(131)	5849(2)	8850(2)	2521(1)	94(7)
H(143)	-567(3)	10451(3)	7495(2)	113(9)
H(144)	-588(3)	10420(3)	6443(2)	90(7)
H(145)	882(3)	11252(3)	7265(2)	113(9)
H(153)	1096(3)	9138(4)	-1225(2)	129(10)
H(154)	886(3)	9496(4)	-254(2)	129(11)
H(155)	498(3)	7943(4)	-680(2)	160(15)
H(12)	5735(53)	7461(47)	5626(31)	70(16)
H(22)	5922(48)	7004(42)	4259(27)	92(15)
H(122)	7861(22)	6337(20)	5723(13)	69(5)
H(32)	9498(2)	6713(2)	4901(1)	63(5)
H(42)	10548(2)	5935(2)	3888(1)	84(6)
H(62)	6737(2)	5088(2)	1751(1)	77(6)
H(72)	5680(2)	5857(2)	2766(1)	71(5)
H(92)	7435(2)	5427(2)	6972(1)	81(6)
H(102)	7679(2)	5237(2)	8524(1)	88(7)
H(122)	6191(2)	8419(2)	8750(1)	76(6)
H(132)	5985(2)	8625(2)	7206(1)	76(6)
H(146)	9366(3)	4323(3)	903(2)	112(8)
H(147)	8534(3)	5394(3)	939(2)	112(9)
H(148)	7823(3)	3860(3)	1084(2)	107(9)
H(156)	6556(6)	7002(4)	10833(2)	160(13)
H(157)	5312(6)	6891(4)	9878(2)	259(32)
H(158)	6750(6)	8215(4)	10234(2)	170(15)

Table 1. Crystal data and structure refinement for  
*N,N'*-bis(p-methylphenyl)-formamidine

Empirical formula	C15 H16 N2
Formula weight	224.30
Temperature	293(2) K
Wavelength	1.54178 Å
Crystal system	TRICLINIC
Space group	P-1
Unit cell dimensions	a = 6.0990(10) Å alpha = 93.17(3) deg. b = 10.519(2) Å beta = 96.34(3) deg. c = 10.122(2) Å gamma = 80.99(3) deg.
Volume	637.0(2) Å <sup>3</sup>
Z	2
Density (calculated)	1.169 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Absorption coefficient	0.535 mm <sup>-1</sup>
F(000)	240
Crystal size	0.2 x 0.2 x 0.2 mm
Theta range for data collection	4.26 to 80.20 deg.
Index ranges	-7<=h<=7, -12<=k<=12, 0<=l<=11
Reflections collected	2733
Independent reflections	2542 [R(int) = 0.5168]
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>
Data / restraints / parameters	2536 / 0 / 176
Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.020
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0683, WR2 = 0.1725
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0874, WR2 = 0.1873
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.380 and -0.441 e.Å <sup>-3</sup>

Table 2. Atomic coordinates ( $\times 10^4$ ) and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ) for  
*N,N'-bis(p-methylphenyl)-formamidine*  
 $U(\text{eq})$  is defined  
as one third of the trace of the orthogonalized  $U_{ij}$  tensor.

	x	y	z	$U(\text{eq})$
H(1)	3175(2)	-37(1)	6368(1)	43(1)
C(1)	4612(2)	-1015(1)	6716(1)	43(1)
N(2)	6182(2)	-1579(1)	5946(1)	47(1)
C(2)	1782(2)	533(1)	7345(1)	40(1)
C(3)	2634(2)	791(2)	8653(1)	47(1)
C(4)	1240(3)	1417(2)	9554(1)	51(1)
C(5)	-1004(3)	1826(2)	9191(2)	48(1)
C(6)	-1850(2)	1553(2)	7888(2)	47(1)
C(7)	-481(2)	910(2)	6981(1)	43(1)
C(8)	7772(2)	-2662(1)	6311(1)	44(1)
C(9)	9791(3)	-2845(2)	5776(2)	52(1)
C(10)	11384(3)	-3900(2)	6096(2)	58(1)
C(11)	11042(3)	-4786(2)	6969(2)	57(1)
C(12)	9019(3)	-4598(2)	7494(2)	62(1)
C(13)	7378(3)	-3560(2)	7171(2)	56(1)
C(14)	-2485(3)	2560(2)	10169(2)	66(1)
C(15)	12819(4)	-5920(2)	7326(3)	83(1)

Table 4. Bond lengths [Å] and angles [deg] for  
*N,N'*-bis(p-methylphenyl)-formamidine

N(1)-C(1)	1.280(2)
N(1)-C(2)	1.421(2)
C(1)-N(2)	1.346(2)
C(1)-H(1)	0.99(2)
N(2)-C(8)	1.413(2)
C(2)-C(7)	1.389(2)
C(2)-C(3)	1.396(2)
C(3)-C(4)	1.385(2)
C(3)-H(3)	0.93
C(4)-C(5)	1.384(2)
C(4)-H(4)	0.93
C(5)-C(6)	1.394(2)
C(5)-C(14)	1.512(2)
C(6)-C(7)	1.386(2)
C(6)-H(6)	0.93
C(7)-H(7)	0.93
C(8)-C(9)	1.380(2)
C(8)-C(13)	1.384(2)
C(9)-C(10)	1.383(2)
C(9)-H(9)	0.93
C(10)-C(11)	1.373(3)
C(10)-H(10)	0.93
C(11)-C(12)	1.379(3)
C(11)-C(15)	1.512(2)
C(12)-C(13)	1.388(2)
C(12)-H(12)	0.93
C(13)-H(13)	0.93
C(14)-H(141)	0.96
C(14)-H(142)	0.96
C(14)-H(143)	0.96
C(15)-H(151)	0.96
C(15)-H(152)	0.96
C(15)-H(153)	0.96
C(1)-N(1)-C(2)	116.53(12)
N(1)-C(1)-N(2)	123.25(13)
N(1)-C(1)-H(1)	120.9(10)
N(2)-C(1)-H(1)	115.8(10)
C(1)-N(2)-C(8)	124.02(13)
C(1)-N(2)-H(2)	117.9(12)
C(8)-N(2)-H(2)	116.6(12)
C(7)-C(2)-C(3)	118.45(13)
C(7)-C(2)-N(1)	119.47(12)
C(3)-C(2)-N(1)	121.99(13)
C(4)-C(3)-C(2)	120.19(14)
C(4)-C(3)-H(3)	119.91(9)
C(2)-C(3)-H(3)	119.91(9)
C(3)-C(4)-C(5)	121.73(14)
C(3)-C(4)-H(4)	119.13(9)
C(5)-C(4)-H(4)	119.13(9)
C(4)-C(5)-C(6)	117.80(14)
C(4)-C(5)-C(14)	121.2(2)
C(6)-C(5)-C(14)	121.0(2)
C(7)-C(6)-C(5)	121.04(14)
C(7)-C(6)-H(6)	119.48(8)

C(5)-C(6)-H(6)	119.48(9)
C(6)-C(7)-C(2)	120.76(13)
C(6)-C(7)-H(7)	119.62(8)
C(2)-C(7)-H(7)	119.62(8)
C(9)-C(8)-C(13)	118.49(14)
C(9)-C(8)-N(2)	118.91(14)
C(13)-C(8)-N(2)	122.59(14)
C(8)-C(9)-C(10)	120.8(2)
C(8)-C(9)-H(9)	119.62(9)
C(10)-C(9)-H(9)	119.62(11)
C(11)-C(10)-C(9)	121.6(2)
C(11)-C(10)-H(10)	119.20(11)
C(9)-C(10)-H(10)	119.20(11)
C(12)-C(11)-C(10)	117.3(2)
C(12)-C(11)-C(15)	121.9(2)
C(10)-C(11)-C(15)	120.9(2)
C(11)-C(12)-C(13)	122.2(2)
C(11)-C(12)-H(12)	118.89(10)
C(13)-C(12)-H(12)	118.89(11)
C(8)-C(13)-C(12)	119.7(2)
C(8)-C(13)-H(13)	120.17(10)
C(12)-C(13)-H(13)	120.17(11)
C(5)-C(14)-H(141)	109.47(10)
C(5)-C(14)-H(142)	109.47(10)
H(141)-C(14)-H(142)	109.5
C(5)-C(14)-H(143)	109.47(10)
H(141)-C(14)-H(143)	109.5
H(142)-C(14)-H(143)	109.5
C(11)-C(15)-H(151)	109.47(14)
C(11)-C(15)-H(152)	109.47(12)
H(151)-C(15)-H(152)	109.5
C(11)-C(15)-H(153)	109.47(12)
H(151)-C(15)-H(153)	109.5
H(152)-C(15)-H(153)	109.5

Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

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Table. Anisotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ) for  
*N,N'*-bis(p-methylphenyl)-formamidine

The anisotropic displacement factor exponent takes the form:  
 $-2 \pi^2 [ h^2 a^*{}^2 U_{11} + \dots + 2 h k a^* b^* U_{12} ]$

	U11	U22	U33	U23	U13	U12
N(1)	44(1)	49(1)	35(1)	4(1)	5(1)	0(1)
C(1)	47(1)	45(1)	37(1)	5(1)	5(1)	-2(1)
N(2)	52(1)	47(1)	41(1)	9(1)	9(1)	5(1)
C(2)	43(1)	42(1)	34(1)	5(1)	5(1)	-4(1)
C(3)	44(1)	58(1)	37(1)	5(1)	0(1)	-3(1)
C(4)	55(1)	62(1)	34(1)	-1(1)	3(1)	-7(1)
C(5)	52(1)	50(1)	42(1)	0(1)	13(1)	-9(1)
C(6)	41(1)	53(1)	46(1)	5(1)	5(1)	-4(1)
C(7)	44(1)	50(1)	35(1)	3(1)	2(1)	-7(1)
C(8)	48(1)	40(1)	41(1)	2(1)	1(1)	-2(1)
C(9)	54(1)	51(1)	51(1)	7(1)	10(1)	1(1)
C(10)	51(1)	57(1)	61(1)	0(1)	5(1)	4(1)
C(11)	60(1)	43(1)	62(1)	0(1)	-11(1)	0(1)
C(12)	68(1)	47(1)	69(1)	17(1)	-1(1)	-6(1)
C(13)	55(1)	52(1)	62(1)	12(1)	7(1)	-6(1)
C(14)	65(1)	77(1)	55(1)	-11(1)	22(1)	-6(1)
C(15)	80(1)	54(1)	102(2)	11(1)	-17(1)	12(1)

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Table. Hydrogen coordinates ( $\times 10^4$ ) and isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ) for N,N'-bis(p-methylphenyl)-formamidine

	x	y	z	U(eq)
H(1)	4643(28)	-1391(17)	7591(17)	49(4)
H(2)	6439(31)	-1146(20)	5250(20)	58(5)
H(3)	4142(2)	541(2)	8920(1)	58(5)
H(4)	1828(3)	1567(2)	10426(1)	78(6)
H(6)	-3358(2)	1805(2)	7623(2)	55(5)
H(7)	-1083(2)	730(2)	6119(1)	59(5)
H(9)	10082(3)	-2252(2)	5195(2)	69(6)
H(10)	12719(3)	-4012(2)	5710(2)	78(7)
H(12)	8744(3)	-5188(2)	8084(2)	91(7)
H(13)	6020(3)	-3468(2)	7530(2)	63(5)
H(141)	-3978(3)	2760(2)	9745(2)	167(15)
H(142)	-1929(3)	3344(2)	10463(2)	147(13)
H(143)	-2488(3)	2042(2)	10920(2)	198(18)
H(151)	14098(4)	-5883(2)	6862(3)	258(27)
H(152)	12243(4)	-6707(2)	7074(3)	196(19)
H(153)	13247(4)	-5891(2)	8268(3)	163(15)

Table 1. Crystal data and structure refinement for  
*N,N'*-bis(*p*-fluorophenyl)-formamidine

Empirical formula	C13 H10 F2 N2
Formula weight	232.23
Temperature	293(2) K
Wavelength	1.54178 Å
Crystal system	triclinic
Space group	P-1
Unit cell dimensions	a = 10.882(2) Å alpha = 69.51(3) deg. b = 10.930(2) Å beta = 65.70(3) deg. c = 11.326(2) Å gamma = 72.12(3) deg.
Volume	1128.9(4) Å <sup>3</sup>
Z	4
Density (calculated)	1.366 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Absorption coefficient	0.892 mm <sup>-1</sup>
F(000)	480
Crystal size	0.25 x 0.25 x 0.25 mm
Theta range for data collection	2.40 to 75.10 deg.
Index ranges	0<=h<=12, -11<=k<=11, -11<=l<=11
Reflections collected	3748
Independent reflections	3530 [R(int) = 0.0364]
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>
Data / restraints / parameters	3506 / 0 / 339
Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	0.928
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0455, wR2 = 0.1156
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0655, wR2 = 0.1383
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.164 and -0.207 e.Å <sup>-3</sup>

Table 2. Atomic coordinates ( $\times 10^4$ ) and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ) for N,N'-bis(p-fluorophenyl)-formamidine  
 $U(\text{eq})$  is defined  
as one third of the trace of the orthogonalized  $U_{ij}$  tensor.

	x	y	z	$U(\text{eq})$
N(11)	1521(2)	8001(2)	9452(2)	47(1)
N(21)	-95(2)	7103(2)	9388(2)	47(1)
F(11)	-4559(1)	4624(2)	11468(2)	80(1)
F(21)	3508(2)	9771(2)	12218(2)	93(1)
C(11)	456(2)	7462(2)	10053(2)	44(1)
C(21)	-1235(2)	6464(2)	9964(2)	42(1)
C(31)	-1774(2)	5886(2)	11325(2)	56(1)
C(41)	-2901(2)	5276(2)	11830(2)	61(1)
C(51)	-3448(2)	5236(2)	10969(2)	55(1)
C(61)	-2925(2)	5750(3)	9626(2)	66(1)
C(71)	-1810(2)	6372(2)	9124(2)	61(1)
C(81)	1982(2)	8422(2)	10225(2)	43(1)
C(91)	1108(2)	9140(2)	11153(2)	50(1)
C(101)	1614(3)	9593(2)	11826(2)	59(1)
C(111)	3000(3)	9318(2)	11561(2)	60(1)
C(121)	3898(3)	8608(3)	10664(2)	67(1)
C(131)	3388(2)	8162(2)	9992(2)	58(1)
N(12)	1270(2)	7885(2)	6303(2)	48(1)
N(22)	2348(2)	9272(2)	6520(2)	47(1)
F(12)	4799(2)	13634(1)	4765(2)	76(1)
F(22)	809(2)	5632(1)	2863(1)	74(1)
C(12)	2083(2)	8715(2)	5780(2)	44(1)
C(22)	3005(2)	10369(2)	6028(2)	41(1)
C(32)	3490(2)	11012(2)	4670(2)	48(1)
C(42)	4098(2)	12110(2)	4247(2)	53(1)
C(52)	4216(2)	12540(2)	5182(2)	53(1)
C(62)	3778(2)	11920(2)	6516(2)	57(1)
C(72)	3159(2)	10830(2)	6940(2)	51(1)
C(82)	1186(2)	7303(2)	5401(2)	42(1)
C(92)	2322(2)	6564(2)	4640(2)	53(1)
C(102)	2206(2)	6004(2)	3782(2)	57(1)
C(112)	935(2)	6187(2)	3705(2)	50(1)
C(122)	-210(2)	6898(2)	4438(2)	53(1)
C(132)	-81(2)	7452(2)	5291(2)	48(1)

Table 4. Bond lengths [Å] and angles [deg] for N,N'-bis(p-fluorophenyl)-formamidine

N(11)-C(11)	1.283(3)
N(11)-C(81)	1.418(2)
N(21)-C(11)	1.342(2)
N(21)-C(21)	1.414(2)
N(21)-H(111)	0.87(2)
F(11)-C(51)	1.377(2)
F(21)-C(111)	1.367(2)
C(11)-H(11)	0.95(2)
C(21)-C(71)	1.380(3)
C(21)-C(31)	1.386(3)
C(31)-C(41)	1.391(3)
C(31)-H(31)	0.93
C(41)-C(51)	1.354(3)
C(41)-H(41)	0.93
C(51)-C(61)	1.356(3)
C(61)-C(71)	1.388(3)
C(61)-H(61)	0.93
C(71)-H(71)	0.93
C(81)-C(91)	1.387(3)
C(81)-C(131)	1.395(3)
C(91)-C(101)	1.380(3)
C(91)-H(91)	0.93
C(101)-C(111)	1.366(3)
C(101)-H(101)	0.93
C(111)-C(121)	1.363(4)
C(121)-C(131)	1.378(3)
C(121)-H(121)	0.93
C(131)-H(131)	0.93
N(12)-C(12)	1.281(3)
N(12)-C(82)	1.423(2)
N(22)-C(12)	1.349(2)
N(22)-C(22)	1.410(2)
N(22)-H(222)	0.84(2)
F(12)-C(52)	1.371(2)
F(22)-C(112)	1.363(2)
C(12)-H(12)	0.96(2)
C(22)-C(32)	1.393(3)
C(22)-C(72)	1.382(3)
C(32)-C(42)	1.390(3)
C(32)-H(32)	0.93
C(42)-C(52)	1.363(3)
C(42)-H(42)	0.93
C(52)-C(62)	1.363(3)
C(62)-C(72)	1.388(3)
C(62)-H(62)	0.93
C(72)-H(72)	0.93
C(82)-C(92)	1.386(3)
C(82)-C(132)	1.390(3)
C(92)-C(102)	1.379(3)
C(92)-H(92)	0.93
C(102)-C(112)	1.370(3)
C(102)-H(102)	0.93
C(112)-C(122)	1.361(3)
C(122)-C(132)	1.376(3)
C(122)-H(122)	0.93

C(132)-H(132)	0.93
C(11)-N(11)-C(81)	118.2(2)
C(11)-N(21)-C(21)	126.3(2)
C(11)-N(21)-H(111)	117.5(14)
C(21)-N(21)-H(111)	116.2(14)
N(11)-C(11)-N(21)	122.2(2)
N(11)-C(11)-H(11)	121.9(12)
N(21)-C(11)-H(11)	116.0(12)
C(71)-C(21)-C(31)	118.4(2)
C(71)-C(21)-N(21)	118.4(2)
C(31)-C(21)-N(21)	123.2(2)
C(21)-C(31)-C(41)	120.4(2)
C(21)-C(31)-H(31)	119.78(12)
C(41)-C(31)-H(31)	119.78(13)
C(51)-C(41)-C(31)	119.0(2)
C(51)-C(41)-H(41)	120.52(12)
C(31)-C(41)-H(41)	120.52(13)
C(61)-C(51)-C(41)	122.5(2)
C(61)-C(51)-F(11)	118.6(2)
C(41)-C(51)-F(11)	118.9(2)
C(51)-C(61)-C(71)	118.5(2)
C(51)-C(61)-H(61)	120.73(13)
C(71)-C(61)-H(61)	120.73(13)
C(21)-C(71)-C(61)	121.2(2)
C(21)-C(71)-H(71)	119.42(12)
C(61)-C(71)-H(71)	119.42(13)
C(91)-C(81)-C(131)	118.2(2)
C(91)-C(81)-N(11)	123.2(2)
C(131)-C(81)-N(11)	118.5(2)
C(81)-C(91)-C(101)	121.0(2)
C(81)-C(91)-H(91)	119.48(12)
C(101)-C(91)-H(91)	119.48(14)
C(111)-C(101)-C(91)	118.6(2)
C(111)-C(101)-H(101)	120.70(13)
C(91)-C(101)-H(101)	120.70(13)
C(121)-C(111)-C(101)	122.5(2)
C(121)-C(111)-F(21)	118.6(2)
C(101)-C(111)-F(21)	118.9(2)
C(111)-C(121)-C(131)	118.6(2)
C(111)-C(121)-H(121)	120.68(14)
C(131)-C(121)-H(121)	120.68(14)
C(121)-C(131)-C(81)	121.0(2)
C(121)-C(131)-H(131)	119.52(14)
C(81)-C(131)-H(131)	119.52(12)
C(12)-N(12)-C(82)	115.9(2)
C(12)-N(22)-C(22)	126.1(2)
C(12)-N(22)-H(222)	119(2)
C(22)-N(22)-H(222)	115(2)
N(12)-C(12)-N(22)	122.6(2)
N(12)-C(12)-H(12)	120.9(12)
N(22)-C(12)-H(12)	116.4(12)
C(32)-C(22)-C(72)	118.8(2)
C(32)-C(22)-N(22)	123.0(2)
C(72)-C(22)-N(22)	118.2(2)
C(22)-C(32)-C(42)	120.4(2)
C(22)-C(32)-H(32)	119.78(11)
C(42)-C(32)-H(32)	119.78(13)
C(52)-C(42)-C(32)	118.8(2)
C(52)-C(42)-H(42)	120.59(12)

C(32)-C(42)-H(42)	120.59(13)
C(62)-C(52)-C(42)	122.3(2)
C(62)-C(52)-F(12)	118.9(2)
C(42)-C(52)-F(12)	118.8(2)
C(52)-C(62)-C(72)	118.9(2)
C(52)-C(62)-H(62)	120.57(12)
C(72)-C(62)-H(62)	120.57(13)
C(22)-C(72)-C(62)	120.8(2)
C(22)-C(72)-H(72)	119.61(11)
C(62)-C(72)-H(72)	119.61(13)
C(92)-C(82)-C(132)	118.3(2)
C(92)-C(82)-N(12)	122.4(2)
C(132)-C(82)-N(12)	119.3(2)
C(82)-C(92)-C(102)	121.0(2)
C(82)-C(92)-H(92)	119.49(12)
C(102)-C(92)-H(92)	119.49(13)
C(112)-C(102)-C(92)	118.4(2)
C(112)-C(102)-H(102)	120.80(13)
C(92)-C(102)-H(102)	120.80(13)
C(122)-C(112)-F(22)	118.6(2)
C(122)-C(112)-C(102)	122.6(2)
F(22)-C(112)-C(102)	118.8(2)
C(112)-C(122)-C(132)	118.5(2)
C(112)-C(122)-H(122)	120.76(12)
C(132)-C(122)-H(122)	120.76(12)
C(122)-C(132)-C(82)	121.2(2)
C(122)-C(132)-H(132)	119.41(12)
C(82)-C(132)-H(132)	119.41(12)

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Table . Anisotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ) for  
 $\text{N,N}'\text{-bis(p-fluorophenyl)-formamidine}$

The anisotropic displacement factor exponent takes the form:  
 $-2 \pi^2 [ h^2 a^*{}^2 U_{11} + \dots + 2 h k a^* b^* U_{12} ]$

	U11	U22	U33	U23	U13	U12
N(11)	51(1)	54(1)	41(1)	-11(1)	-12(1)	-23(1)
N(21)	52(1)	55(1)	36(1)	-11(1)	-10(1)	-24(1)
F(11)	63(1)	101(1)	83(1)	-26(1)	-5(1)	-49(1)
F(21)	115(1)	126(1)	76(1)	-33(1)	-40(1)	-57(1)
C(11)	52(1)	44(1)	37(1)	-8(1)	-14(1)	-14(1)
C(21)	41(1)	41(1)	43(1)	-13(1)	-8(1)	-13(1)
C(31)	63(1)	67(1)	44(1)	-12(1)	-13(1)	-30(1)
C(41)	64(1)	72(2)	46(1)	-11(1)	-5(1)	-34(1)
C(51)	45(1)	59(1)	61(1)	-20(1)	-3(1)	-26(1)
C(61)	64(1)	87(2)	60(1)	-19(1)	-20(1)	-35(1)
C(71)	67(1)	82(2)	44(1)	-11(1)	-15(1)	-38(1)
C(81)	51(1)	46(1)	35(1)	-5(1)	-15(1)	-19(1)
C(91)	54(1)	51(1)	48(1)	-12(1)	-15(1)	-16(1)
C(101)	77(2)	56(1)	49(1)	-19(1)	-19(1)	-17(1)
C(111)	80(2)	70(1)	47(1)	-11(1)	-27(1)	-35(1)
C(121)	58(1)	92(2)	62(1)	-19(1)	-21(1)	-28(1)
C(131)	53(1)	75(2)	54(1)	-24(1)	-14(1)	-19(1)
N(12)	51(1)	57(1)	42(1)	-14(1)	-10(1)	-25(1)
N(22)	54(1)	57(1)	37(1)	-13(1)	-10(1)	-26(1)
F(12)	74(1)	63(1)	102(1)	-8(1)	-34(1)	-39(1)
F(22)	115(1)	70(1)	64(1)	-22(1)	-44(1)	-29(1)
C(12)	46(1)	50(1)	39(1)	-14(1)	-11(1)	-16(1)
C(22)	34(1)	45(1)	45(1)	-14(1)	-10(1)	-13(1)
C(32)	44(1)	56(1)	48(1)	-17(1)	-11(1)	-16(1)
C(42)	46(1)	56(1)	55(1)	-8(1)	-11(1)	-20(1)
C(52)	40(1)	48(1)	72(2)	-11(1)	-17(1)	-19(1)
C(62)	59(1)	58(1)	69(2)	-23(1)	-27(1)	-16(1)
C(72)	55(1)	57(1)	47(1)	-15(1)	-15(1)	-21(1)
C(82)	48(1)	45(1)	37(1)	-7(1)	-14(1)	-18(1)
C(92)	47(1)	66(1)	53(1)	-21(1)	-17(1)	-13(1)
C(102)	62(1)	58(1)	54(1)	-23(1)	-19(1)	-7(1)
C(112)	75(1)	45(1)	42(1)	-6(1)	-27(1)	-22(1)
C(122)	56(1)	59(1)	52(1)	-6(1)	-25(1)	-23(1)
C(132)	45(1)	55(1)	46(1)	-13(1)	-14(1)	-15(1)

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Table. Hydrogen coordinates ( $\times 10^4$ ) and isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ) for N,N'-bis(p-fluorophenyl)-formamidine

	x	y	z	U(eq)
H(111)	292(22)	7260(21)	8520(23)	50(6)
H(11)	3(20)	7304(18)	10990(20)	39(5)
H(31)	-1379(2)	5907(2)	11905(2)	56(6)
H(41)	-3273(2)	4900(2)	12745(2)	86(8)
H(61)	-3306(2)	5687(3)	9054(2)	95(9)
H(71)	-1445(2)	6733(2)	8205(2)	78(8)
H(91)	167(2)	9320(2)	11325(2)	63(7)
H(101)	1024(3)	10076(2)	12446(2)	74(7)
H(121)	4836(3)	8429(3)	10508(2)	82(8)
H(131)	3991(2)	7681(2)	9373(2)	79(8)
H(222)	2122(22)	8942(21)	7351(23)	50(6)
H(12)	2524(21)	8988(20)	4822(22)	49(5)
H(32)	3407(2)	10704(2)	4043(2)	67(7)
H(42)	4419(2)	12543(2)	3341(2)	70(7)
H(62)	3891(2)	12221(2)	7131(2)	77(8)
H(72)	2845(2)	10406(2)	7849(2)	53(6)
H(92)	3176(2)	6444(2)	4709(2)	70(7)
H(102)	2971(2)	5514(2)	3267(2)	74(7)
H(122)	-1060(2)	7007(2)	4365(2)	68(7)
H(132)	-856(2)	7935(2)	5803(2)	80(8)

Table 1. Crystal data and structure refinement for  
*N,N'*-bis(*p*-nitrophenyl)-formamidine.

Empirical formula	C13 H10 N4 O4
Formula weight	286.25
Temperature	293(2) K
Wavelength	1.54178 Å
Crystal system	triclinic
Space group	P-1
Unit cell dimensions	a = 7.674(2) Å alpha = 76.28(3) deg. b = 8.575(2) Å beta = 79.46(3) deg. c = 10.489(2) Å gamma = 78.13(3) deg.
Volume	649.6(3) Å <sup>3</sup>
z	2
Density (calculated)	1.463 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Absorption coefficient	0.949 mm <sup>-1</sup>
F(000)	296
Crystal size	0.25 x 0.25 x 0.30 mm
Theta range for data collection	4.38 to 69.96 deg.
Index ranges	-9<=h<=8, -10<=k<=9, -12<=l<=0
Reflections collected	1618
Independent reflections	1594 [R(int) = 0.1031]
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>
Data / restraints / parameters	1587 / 0 / 200
Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	0.988
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0533, wR2 = 0.1449
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.1071, wR2 = 0.1775
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.163 and -0.248 e.Å <sup>-3</sup>

Table 2. Atomic coordinates ( $\times 10^4$ ) and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ) for *N,N'*-bis(p-nitrophenyl)-formamidine. U(eq) is defined as one third of the trace of the orthogonalized Uij tensor.

	x	y	z	U(eq)
N(1)	4994(4)	8299(3)	1436(3)	57(1)
C(1)	3770(4)	7891(4)	960(3)	53(1)
N(2)	3039(4)	8842(3)	-110(3)	54(1)
C(2)	1593(4)	8512(4)	-588(3)	48(1)
C(3)	599(5)	7333(4)	109(4)	59(1)
C(4)	-810(5)	7061(4)	-380(4)	60(1)
C(5)	-1280(4)	7959(4)	-1558(4)	60(1)
C(6)	-339(6)	9180(5)	-2278(4)	71(1)
C(7)	1116(5)	9430(4)	-1771(3)	60(1)
C(8)	5726(4)	7126(4)	2489(3)	47(1)
C(9)	6264(5)	5499(4)	2423(4)	56(1)
C(10)	7093(5)	4421(5)	3412(4)	65(1)
C(11)	7379(4)	4979(5)	4463(3)	62(1)
C(12)	6825(5)	6577(5)	4571(3)	64(1)
C(13)	5996(5)	7638(5)	3578(3)	57(1)
N(3)	8317(5)	3837(6)	5505(4)	94(1)
O(1)	8539(4)	4343(5)	6443(3)	119(2)
O(2)	8835(6)	2442(6)	5372(4)	142(2)
N(4)	-2840(5)	7685(5)	-2040(5)	87(1)
O(3)	-3301(5)	8579(4)	-3059(4)	130(2)
O(4)	-3577(4)	6546(5)	-1398(4)	115(1)

**Table 4.** Bond lengths [Å] and angles [deg] for  
*N,N'*-bis(*p*-nitrophenyl)-formamidine

N(1)-C(1)	1.282(4)
N(1)-C(8)	1.419(4)
C(1)-N(2)	1.360(4)
C(1)-H(2)	0.93
N(2)-C(2)	1.401(4)
N(2)-H(22)	0.99(5)
C(2)-C(7)	1.371(4)
C(2)-C(3)	1.379(5)
C(3)-C(4)	1.360(5)
C(3)-H(3)	0.93
C(4)-C(5)	1.359(5)
C(4)-H(4)	0.93
C(5)-C(6)	1.388(6)
C(5)-N(4)	1.461(5)
C(6)-C(7)	1.395(5)
C(6)-H(6)	0.93
C(7)-H(7)	0.93
C(8)-C(13)	1.380(5)
C(8)-C(9)	1.386(5)
C(9)-C(10)	1.371(5)
C(9)-H(9)	0.93
C(10)-C(11)	1.370(5)
C(10)-H(10)	0.93
C(11)-C(12)	1.374(5)
C(11)-N(3)	1.471(5)
C(12)-C(13)	1.368(5)
C(12)-H(12)	0.93
C(13)-H(13)	0.93
N(3)-O(2)	1.213(6)
N(3)-O(1)	1.215(6)
N(4)-O(3)	1.222(5)
N(4)-O(4)	1.226(5)
C(1)-N(1)-C(8)	115.6(3)
N(1)-C(1)-N(2)	122.0(3)
N(1)-C(1)-H(2)	119.0(2)
N(2)-C(1)-H(2)	119.0(2)
C(1)-N(2)-C(2)	123.7(3)
C(1)-N(2)-H(22)	119(2)
C(2)-N(2)-H(22)	117(2)
C(7)-C(2)-C(3)	118.9(3)
C(7)-C(2)-N(2)	118.7(3)
C(3)-C(2)-N(2)	122.4(3)
C(4)-C(3)-C(2)	120.7(3)
C(4)-C(3)-H(3)	119.7(2)
C(2)-C(3)-H(3)	119.7(2)
C(5)-C(4)-C(3)	120.7(4)
C(5)-C(4)-H(4)	119.7(2)
C(3)-C(4)-H(4)	119.7(2)
C(4)-C(5)-C(6)	120.5(3)
C(4)-C(5)-N(4)	119.7(4)
C(6)-C(5)-N(4)	119.7(4)
C(5)-C(6)-C(7)	118.1(3)
C(5)-C(6)-H(6)	121.0(2)
C(7)-C(6)-H(6)	121.0(2)

C(2)-C(7)-C(6)	121.1(3)
C(2)-C(7)-H(7)	119.4(2)
C(6)-C(7)-H(7)	119.4(2)
C(13)-C(8)-C(9)	119.1(3)
C(13)-C(8)-N(1)	118.9(3)
C(9)-C(8)-N(1)	121.9(3)
C(10)-C(9)-C(8)	120.4(4)
C(10)-C(9)-H(9)	119.8(3)
C(8)-C(9)-H(9)	119.8(2)
C(11)-C(10)-C(9)	118.9(4)
C(11)-C(10)-H(10)	120.5(2)
C(9)-C(10)-H(10)	120.5(3)
C(10)-C(11)-C(12)	122.0(3)
C(10)-C(11)-N(3)	119.1(4)
C(12)-C(11)-N(3)	118.9(4)
C(13)-C(12)-C(11)	118.4(4)
C(13)-C(12)-H(12)	120.8(3)
C(11)-C(12)-H(12)	120.8(2)
C(12)-C(13)-C(8)	121.1(4)
C(12)-C(13)-H(13)	119.4(3)
C(8)-C(13)-H(13)	119.4(2)
O(2)-N(3)-O(1)	123.8(4)
O(2)-N(3)-C(11)	117.8(5)
O(1)-N(3)-C(11)	118.4(5)
O(3)-N(4)-O(4)	124.5(4)
O(3)-N(4)-C(5)	118.3(5)
O(4)-N(4)-C(5)	117.2(4)

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Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

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Table 6. Hydrogen coordinates ( $\times 10^4$ ) and isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ) for N,N'-bis(p-nitrophenol)-formamidine

	x	y	z	U(eq)
H(2)	3369(4)	6914(4)	1360(3)	61(10)
H(22)	3560(55)	9811(54)	-596(42)	95(13)
H(3)	894(5)	6718(4)	922(4)	81(12)
H(4)	-1458(5)	6251(4)	96(4)	80(12)
H(6)	-669(6)	9814(5)	-3076(4)	84(12)
H(7)	1775(5)	10233(4)	-2245(3)	91(13)
H(9)	6060(5)	5135(4)	1704(4)	64(11)
H(10)	7456(5)	3329(5)	3369(4)	67(11)
H(12)	7009(5)	6929(5)	5302(3)	92(14)
H(13)	5609(5)	8723(5)	3639(3)	60(10)

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Table 5. Anisotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ) for  
 $N,N'$ -bis(p-nitrophenyl)-formamidine

The anisotropic displacement factor exponent takes the form:

$$-2 \pi^2 [ h^2 a^*{}^2 U_{11} + \dots + 2 h k a^* b^* U_{12} ]$$

	U <sub>11</sub>	U <sub>22</sub>	U <sub>33</sub>	U <sub>23</sub>	U <sub>13</sub>	U <sub>12</sub>
N(1)	62(2)	56(2)	58(2)	-2(1)	-24(2)	-19(1)
C(1)	58(2)	51(2)	52(2)	-4(2)	-14(2)	-17(2)
N(2)	60(2)	49(2)	56(2)	3(2)	-23(1)	-16(1)
C(2)	47(2)	42(2)	59(2)	-13(2)	-19(2)	-4(2)
C(3)	62(2)	50(2)	70(2)	-7(2)	-23(2)	-12(2)
C(4)	57(2)	56(2)	72(2)	-16(2)	-16(2)	-15(2)
C(5)	51(2)	51(2)	90(3)	-28(2)	-27(2)	-2(2)
C(6)	91(3)	56(2)	66(2)	-12(2)	-40(2)	9(2)
C(7)	77(2)	48(2)	61(2)	-3(2)	-22(2)	-20(2)
C(8)	44(2)	49(2)	47(2)	2(2)	-16(2)	-14(2)
C(9)	59(2)	54(2)	55(2)	1(2)	-16(2)	-16(2)
C(10)	56(2)	53(2)	72(3)	8(2)	-6(2)	-9(2)
C(11)	43(2)	82(3)	45(2)	19(2)	-8(2)	-13(2)
C(12)	54(2)	95(3)	43(2)	0(2)	-13(2)	-22(2)
C(13)	53(2)	60(3)	59(2)	-6(2)	-18(2)	-8(2)
N(3)	52(2)	125(4)	77(3)	41(3)	-15(2)	-17(2)
O(1)	74(2)	197(4)	62(2)	35(2)	-27(2)	-26(2)
O(2)	140(3)	103(3)	147(4)	53(3)	-61(3)	4(3)
N(4)	72(2)	74(3)	135(3)	-55(2)	-49(2)	10(2)
O(3)	145(3)	99(3)	179(4)	-55(2)	-123(3)	29(2)
O(4)	78(2)	123(3)	180(4)	-72(3)	-41(2)	-28(2)

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Table 1. Crystal data and structure refinement for  
*N,N'-bis(m-bromophenyl)-formamidine.*

Empirical formula	C13 H10 Br2 N2					
Formula weight	354.05					
Temperature	293(2) K					
Wavelength	1.54178 Å					
Crystal system	orthorombic					
Space group	Pbca					
Unit cell dimensions	a = 7.4590(10) Å	alpha = 90 deg.	b = 14.509(3) Å	beta = 90 deg.	c = 23.751(5) Å	gamma = 90 deg.
Volume	2570.4(8) Å^3					
Z	8					
Density (calculated)	1.830 Mg/m^3					
Absorption coefficient	7.819 mm^-1					
F(000)	1376					
Crystal size	0.3 x 0.2 x 0.05 mm					
Theta range for data collection	3.72 to 70.18 deg.					
Index ranges	0<=h<=9, 0<=k<=16, 0<=l<=25					
Reflections collected	2178					
Independent reflections	2178 [R(int) = 0.0000]					
Max. and min. transmission	1.02 and 0.99					
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F^2					
Data / restraints / parameters	2165 / 0 / 195					
Goodness-of-fit on F^2	1.109					
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0751, wR2 = 0.2377					
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0819, wR2 = 0.2669					
Extinction coefficient	0.0000(2)					
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.807 and -0.740 e.Å^-3					
Absorption correction:empirical	T(min)= 0.99, T(max) = 1.02					

Table 2. Atomic coordinates ( $\times 10^4$ ) and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ) *N,N'*-bis(*m*-bromophenyl)-formamidine.  
 $U(\text{eq})$  is defined as one third of the trace of the orthogonalized  $U_{ij}$  tensor.

	x	y	z	$U(\text{eq})$
Br(1)	-6434(1)	7952(1)	6248(1)	104(1)
Br(2)	1168(1)	8633(1)	2213(1)	105(1)
N(1)	-42(7)	10116(3)	4201(2)	80(1)
N(2)	-2227(7)	9443(4)	4765(2)	82(1)
C(1)	-1522(8)	9658(5)	4255(3)	81(2)
C(2)	-3882(8)	9017(4)	4847(3)	78(2)
C(3)	-5137(9)	8879(5)	4426(3)	86(2)
C(4)	-6760(10)	8438(5)	4552(4)	91(2)
C(5)	-7201(9)	8181(5)	5079(3)	90(2)
C(6)	-5925(8)	8337(5)	5502(3)	84(2)
C(7)	-4330(9)	8766(4)	5399(3)	78(1)
C(8)	546(8)	10228(5)	3641(3)	82(2)
C(9)	1118(9)	11102(6)	3458(4)	89(2)
C(10)	1723(11)	11205(6)	2922(4)	101(2)
C(11)	1780(11)	10497(6)	2543(4)	97(2)
C(12)	1226(8)	9633(6)	2726(3)	88(2)
C(13)	632(8)	9489(5)	3269(3)	81(2)

Table 4. Bond lengths [Å], angles [deg] and torsion angles [deg] for N,N'-bis(*m*-bromophenyl)-formamidine.

Br(1)-C(6)	1.896(8)
Br(2)-C(12)	1.896(8)
N(1)-C(1)	1.296(8)
N(1)-C(8)	1.410(8)
N(2)-C(1)	1.356(8)
N(2)-C(2)	1.394(8)
N(2)-H(2)	0.81(6)
C(1)-H(1)	0.94(9)
C(2)-C(3)	1.385(10)
C(2)-C(7)	1.401(10)
C(3)-C(4)	1.401(10)
C(3)-H(3)	0.92(10)
C(4)-C(5)	1.348(11)
C(4)-H(4)	1.05(10)
C(5)-C(6)	1.401(10)
C(5)-H(5)	1.14(6)
C(6)-C(7)	1.365(9)
C(7)-H(7)	0.84(8)
C(8)-C(13)	1.392(10)
C(8)-C(9)	1.407(10)
C(9)-C(10)	1.358(13)
C(9)-H(9)	0.88(6)
C(10)-C(11)	1.367(13)
C(10)-H(10)	0.97(8)
C(11)-C(12)	1.390(11)
C(11)-H(11)	0.88(8)
C(12)-C(13)	1.380(9)
C(13)-H(13)	1.00(7)
C(1)-N(1)-C(8)	114.7(5)
C(1)-N(2)-C(2)	124.7(6)
C(1)-N(2)-H(2)	118(4)
C(2)-N(2)-H(2)	117(4)
N(1)-C(1)-N(2)	122.4(6)
N(1)-C(1)-H(1)	126(5)
N(2)-C(1)-H(1)	111(5)
C(3)-C(2)-N(2)	124.2(6)
C(3)-C(2)-C(7)	118.5(6)
N(2)-C(2)-C(7)	117.2(6)
C(2)-C(3)-C(4)	119.7(7)
C(2)-C(3)-H(3)	114(6)
C(4)-C(3)-H(3)	126(6)
C(5)-C(4)-C(3)	122.4(7)
C(5)-C(4)-H(4)	126(6)
C(3)-C(4)-H(4)	112(6)
C(4)-C(5)-C(6)	117.0(6)
C(4)-C(5)-H(5)	130(3)
C(6)-C(5)-H(5)	113(3)
C(7)-C(6)-C(5)	122.5(7)
C(7)-C(6)-Br(1)	118.5(6)
C(5)-C(6)-Br(1)	119.0(5)
C(6)-C(7)-C(2)	119.6(7)
C(6)-C(7)-H(7)	118(5)
C(2)-C(7)-H(7)	122(5)
C(13)-C(8)-C(9)	118.9(6)
C(13)-C(8)-N(1)	121.7(6)

C(9)-C(8)-N(1)	119.4(6)
C(10)-C(9)-C(8)	119.3(8)
C(10)-C(9)-H(9)	128(4)
C(8)-C(9)-H(9)	112(4)
C(9)-C(10)-C(11)	123.1(8)
C(9)-C(10)-H(10)	116(4)
C(11)-C(10)-H(10)	120(4)
C(10)-C(11)-C(12)	117.5(7)
C(10)-C(11)-H(11)	120(6)
C(12)-C(11)-H(11)	122(6)
C(13)-C(12)-C(11)	121.7(8)
C(13)-C(12)-Br(2)	118.5(6)
C(11)-C(12)-Br(2)	119.7(6)
C(12)-C(13)-C(8)	119.4(7)
C(12)-C(13)-H(13)	124(4)
C(8)-C(13)-H(13)	116(4)
C(8)-N(1)-C(1)-N(2)	176.4(6)
C(2)-N(2)-C(1)-N(1)	174.6(6)
C(1)-N(2)-C(2)-C(3)	-9.9(10)
C(1)-N(2)-C(2)-C(7)	174.1(6)
N(2)-C(2)-C(3)-C(4)	179.7(6)
C(7)-C(2)-C(3)-C(4)	-4.3(10)
C(2)-C(3)-C(4)-C(5)	3.6(11)
C(3)-C(4)-C(5)-C(6)	-2.7(11)
C(4)-C(5)-C(6)-C(7)	2.9(10)
C(4)-C(5)-C(6)-Br(1)	-177.9(5)
C(5)-C(6)-C(7)-C(2)	-3.9(10)
Br(1)-C(6)-C(7)-C(2)	176.9(5)
C(3)-C(2)-C(7)-C(6)	4.5(9)
N(2)-C(2)-C(7)-C(6)	-179.2(6)
C(1)-N(1)-C(8)-C(13)	-48.5(8)
C(1)-N(1)-C(8)-C(9)	133.8(6)
C(13)-C(8)-C(9)-C(10)	0.6(10)
N(1)-C(8)-C(9)-C(10)	178.5(7)
C(8)-C(9)-C(10)-C(11)	1.1(12)
C(9)-C(10)-C(11)-C(12)	-1.5(12)
C(10)-C(11)-C(12)-C(13)	0.2(11)
C(10)-C(11)-C(12)-Br(2)	177.2(6)
C(11)-C(12)-C(13)-C(8)	1.5(10)
Br(2)-C(12)-C(13)-C(8)	-175.6(5)
C(9)-C(8)-C(13)-C(12)	-1.9(10)
N(1)-C(8)-C(13)-C(12)	-179.7(6)

Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

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Table. Anisotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ) for N,N'-bis(*m*-bromophenyl)-formamidine.

The anisotropic displacement factor exponent takes the form:  
 $-2 \pi^2 [ h^2 a^*{}^2 U_{11} + \dots + 2 h k a^* b^* U_{12} ]$

	U <sub>11</sub>	U <sub>22</sub>	U <sub>33</sub>	U <sub>23</sub>	U <sub>13</sub>	U <sub>12</sub>
Br(1)	105(1)	101(1)	106(1)	12(1)	19(1)	-5(1)
Br(2)	102(1)	114(1)	98(1)	-9(1)	9(1)	5(1)
N(1)	83(3)	70(3)	88(3)	4(2)	1(2)	-2(2)
N(2)	84(3)	80(3)	81(3)	-3(2)	0(2)	-11(2)
C(1)	78(3)	81(4)	83(4)	1(3)	2(3)	2(3)
C(2)	78(3)	60(3)	95(4)	0(3)	3(3)	0(2)
C(3)	84(4)	80(4)	94(4)	4(3)	-1(3)	0(3)
C(4)	88(4)	83(4)	102(5)	-5(4)	-7(3)	-4(3)
C(5)	83(4)	74(4)	112(5)	1(3)	8(3)	-4(3)
C(6)	84(3)	69(3)	101(4)	-10(3)	12(3)	-3(3)
C(7)	80(3)	72(3)	83(4)	0(3)	0(3)	-2(3)
C(8)	76(3)	85(4)	85(3)	5(3)	-3(3)	-3(3)
C(9)	84(4)	81(4)	101(5)	7(4)	0(3)	-5(3)
C(10)	98(5)	88(5)	119(6)	26(5)	8(4)	5(4)
C(11)	95(4)	99(5)	98(5)	20(4)	12(4)	2(4)
C(12)	81(3)	95(5)	88(4)	8(3)	3(3)	5(3)
C(13)	75(3)	87(4)	82(3)	18(3)	4(2)	-3(3)

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Table. Hydrogen coordinates ( $\times 10^4$ ) and isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ) for N,N'-bis(*m*-bromophenyl)-formamidine

	x	y	z	U(eq)
H(2)	-1668(73)	9589(40)	5044(26)	58(14)
H(1)	-2340(118)	9532(51)	3966(36)	107(23)
H(3)	-4762(137)	9055(62)	4074(41)	123(29)
H(4)	-7563(155)	8355(68)	4194(39)	141(32)
H(5)	-8528(75)	7910(43)	5252(27)	70(17)
H(7)	-3596(89)	8803(53)	5665(35)	85(21)
H(9)	1171(71)	11507(46)	3736(26)	59(15)
H(10)	1940(105)	11833(54)	2800(30)	91(20)
H(11)	2325(121)	10573(57)	2219(35)	111(27)
H(13)	323(96)	8872(49)	3429(30)	85(17)