

Natural Bond Orbital (NBO) Analysis of Certain Salicylanilide Derivatives

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ABSTRACT

Salicylanilides possess a wide range of biological activities and they act as inhibitors of the two component regulatory system in bacteria. A natural bond orbital analysis has been performed in order to study intra-molecular bonding, interactions among bonds and delocalization of unpaired electrons for certain salicylanilide derivatives. Stability of the molecules arising from hyper conjugative interactions, charge delocalization has been analyzed. The electron density (ED) is transferred from the n(O), n(Cl) n(N) to the anti-bonding π^* , σ^* orbital of the C-C, C-O, C-N bonds. The results show that electron density in the anti-bonding orbitals and second order delocalization energies confirm the occurrence of intra-molecular charge transfer within the molecules.

Key words: NBO analysis, salicylanilides, DFT, hyper-conjugation.

INTRODUCTION

Natural Bond Orbitals (NBOs) are localized few-center orbitals that describe the Lewis-like molecular bonding pattern of electron pairs (or of individual electrons in the open-shell case) in optimally compact form. The natural bonding orbitals analysis has been performed in order to investigate intra-molecular charge transfer interactions, re-hybridization and delocalization of electron density within the molecules. In the NBO analysis^{1, 2} the electronic wavefunctions are interpreted in terms of a set of occupied Lewis type (bond or lone pair) and a set of unoccupied non-Lewis (anti-bond or Rydberg) localized NBO orbitals. The delocalization of electron density (ED) between these orbitals corresponds to a stabilizing donor acceptor interaction. Second order perturbation theory has been employed to evaluate the stabilization energies of all possible interactions between donor and acceptor orbitals in the NBO

basis. The interaction result in a loss of occupancy from the localized NBO of the idealized Lewis structure into an empty non-Lewis orbital. The delocalization effects (or donor acceptor charge transfers) can be estimated from the off diagonal elements of the Fock matrix in the NBO basis. Salicylanilides (2-hydroxy-N-phenylbenzamides) show manifold pharmacological activities³⁻⁸. The presence of amide (-NHCO-) groups in the structure of phenylcarbamoylphenyl-N-alkylcarbamates can cause interaction with various enzymes or enzymatic systems, for example, a carbamate moiety is characteristic for a number of herbicides acting as photosynthetic electron inhibitors^{9,10}. Imramovsky *et al.*,¹¹ reported the photosynthesis inhibiting efficiency of a series of salicylanilide alkylcarbamates. Salicylanilides possess a wide range of biological activities and they act as inhibitors of the two component regulatory system in bacteria¹². Salicylanilides have been shown to be active against many pathogens, including

*Staphylococcus aureus*¹³, *Escherichia coli*, *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*¹⁴, *Aspergillus fumigatus*⁵, as well as being used as anthelmintics in veterinary practice¹⁵. Salicylanilides have shown activity against *M.tuberculosis*¹⁶ although cytotoxicity in mammalian cells is a common problem. Salicylanilides have been suggested to target multiple specific targets in both prokaryotes and eukaryotes, including two component systems⁷, transglycosylase¹⁷, type III secretion systems¹⁸, interleukin¹⁹, and protein tyrosine kinase²⁰. In the present work, the NBO analysis of a series of Salicylanilides derivatives, 4-Chloro-2-(3-chlorophenyl carbamoyl)phenyl acetate, 4-Chloro-2-(3,4-dichlorophenylcarbamoyl)phenyl acetate, 4-Chloro-2-(4-bromophenylcarbamoyl) phenyl acetate and 5-chloro-2-(3-chlorophenylcarbamoyl) phenylacetate are reported. Vibrational spectroscopic studies of these derivatives are reported by the authors previously²¹⁻²⁴.

Computational details

The natural bond orbitals (NBO) calculations were performed using NBO 3.1 program as implemented in the Gaussian 09 package^{25, 26} at the DFT/B3LYP level in order to understand various second-order interactions between the filled orbitals of one subsystem and vacant orbitals of another subsystem, which is a measure of the intermolecular delocalization or hyper-conjugation. NBO analysis provides the most accurate possible 'natural Lewis structure' picture of 'j' because all orbital details are mathematically chosen to include the highest possible percentage of the electron density. A useful aspect of the NBO method is that it gives information about interactions of both filled and virtual orbital spaces that could enhance the analysis of intra and inter molecular interactions. The second-order Fock- matrix was carried out to evaluate the donor-acceptor interactions in the NBO basis. The interactions result in a loss of occupancy from the localized NBO of the idealized Lewis structure into an empty non-Lewis orbital. For each donor (i) and acceptor (j) the stabilization energy (E2) associated with the delocalization $i \rightarrow j$ is determined as

$$E(2) = \Delta E_{ij} = q_i \frac{(F_{i,j})^2}{(E_j - E_i)}$$

$q_i \rightarrow$ donor orbital occupancy

$E_i, E_j \rightarrow$ diagonal elements

$F_{ij} \rightarrow$ the off diagonal NBO Fock matrix element

In NBO analysis large E(2) value shows the intensive interaction between electron-donors and electron-acceptors and greater the extent of conjugation of the whole system. The second-order perturbation theory analysis of Fock matrix in NBO basis shows strong intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interactions of π electrons are given in Tables 1, 3, 5, and 7 and the NBO results showing the formation of Lewis and non-Lewis orbitals are given in Tables 2,4,6 and 8.

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

4-Chloro-2-(3-chlorophenyl carbamoyl)phenyl acetate

The intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interactions are formed by the orbital overlap between $n(\text{Cl})$ and $\pi^*(\text{C}-\text{C})$ bond orbital which results in ICT causing stabilization of the system. The strong intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interaction of C_5-C_6 from of $n3(\text{Cl}_{10}) \rightarrow \pi^*(\text{C}_5-\text{C}_6)$ which increases ED (0.3773e) that weakens the respective bonds leading to stabilization of 12.05 kcal mol⁻¹. Also another intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interactions are formed by the orbital overlap between $n(\text{Cl})$ and $\pi^*(\text{C}-\text{C})$ bond orbital which results in ICT causing stabilization of the system. The strong intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interaction of $\text{C}_{18}-\text{C}_{22}$ from of $n3(\text{Cl}_{32}) \rightarrow \pi^*(\text{C}_{18}-\text{C}_{22})$ which increases ED (0.395e) that weakens the respective bonds leading to stabilization of 12.23 kcal mol⁻¹. These interactions are observed as an increase in electron density (ED) in C-C anti-bonding orbitals that weakens the respective bonds. The strong intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interaction of $\text{C}_{11}-\text{N}_{13}$ from of $n2(\text{O}_{12}) \rightarrow \sigma^*(\text{C}_{11}-\text{N}_{13})$ which increases ED (0.07808e) that weakens the respective bonds leading to stabilization of 25.38 kcalmol⁻¹. These interactions are observed as an increase in electron density (ED) in C-C anti-bonding orbitals that weakens the respective bonds. Again a strong intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interaction of $\text{O}_{25}-\text{C}_{26}$ from of $n2(\text{O}_{31}) \rightarrow \sigma^*(\text{O}_{25}-\text{C}_{26})$ which increases ED (0.13015e) that weakens the respective bonds leading to stabilization of 40.21 kcalmol⁻¹. A strong

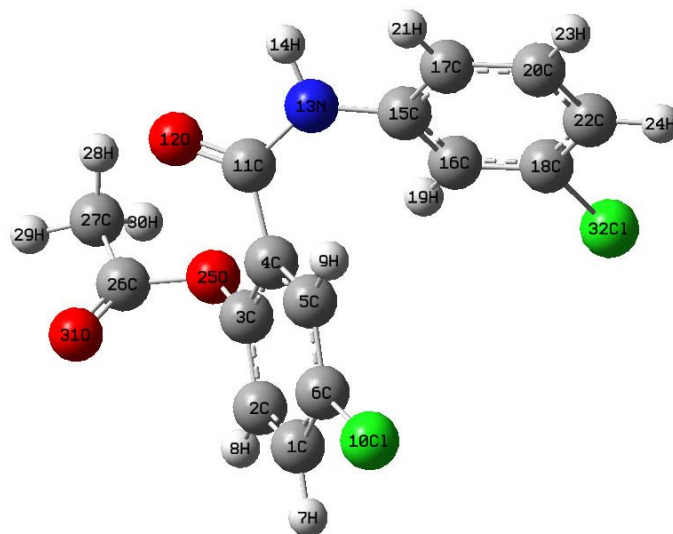


Fig. 1: 4-Chloro-2-(3-chlorophenyl carbamoyl) phenyl acetate

Table1. Second order perturbation theory analysis of Fock matrix in NBO basis corresponding to the intra-molecular bonds of the 4-Chloro-2-(3-chlorophenyl carbamoyl)phenyl acetate

Donor(i)	Type	ED/e	Acceptor(j)	Type	ED/e	E(2)	E(j)-E(i)	F(i,j)
C ₁ -C ₂	σ	1.96920	C ₆ -Cl ₁₀	σ*	0.02945	4.73	0.85	0.057
C ₃ -C ₄	π	1.64751	C ₁₁ -O ₁₂	π*	0.25055	11.54	0.32	0.056
C ₄ -C ₅	σ	1.96236	C ₆ -Cl ₁₀	σ*	0.02945	4.47	0.85	0.055
C ₆ -Cl ₁₀	σ	1.98900	C ₄ -C ₅	σ*	0.02139	2.49	1.27	0.050
N ₁₃ -H ₁₄	σ	1.97755	C ₁₅ -C ₁₆	σ*	0.02621	2.60	1.20	0.050
C ₁₅ -C ₁₆	σ	1.96807	C ₁₈ -Cl ₃₂	σ*	0.02950	4.35	0.85	0.054
C ₁₅ -C ₁₇	σ	1.97529	C ₁₁ -N ₁₃	σ*	0.07808	2.59	1.15	0.049
C ₁₆ -C ₁₈	σ	1.97862	N ₁₃ -C ₁₅	π*	0.03063	3.94	1.14	0.060
C ₁₇ -C ₂₀	σ	1.97844	N ₁₃ -C ₁₅	σ*	0.03063	4.11	1.12	0.061
C ₁₈ -Cl ₃₂	σ	1.98885	C ₁₅ -C ₁₆	σ*	0.02621	2.56	1.26	0.051
C ₂₀ -C ₂₂	σ	1.97301	C ₁₈ -Cl ₃₂	σ*	0.02950	4.86	0.84	0.057
C ₁₀ -C ₁₅	σ	1.98479	C ₃ -O ₂₅	σ*	0.03547	3.48	0.98	0.053
LP(1)Cl ₁₀	n	1.99332	C ₁ -C ₆	σ*	0.02642	1.28	1.47	0.039
LP(2)Cl ₁₀	n	1.97232	C ₅ -C ₆	σ*	0.02607	3.91	0.88	0.052
LP(3)Cl ₁₀	n	1.93216	C ₅ -C ₆	π*	0.37733	12.05	0.33	0.061
LP(1)O ₁₂	n	1.97597	C ₁₁ -N ₁₃	σ*	0.07808	1.78	1.12	0.040
LP(2)O ₁₂	n	1.86183	C ₁₁ -N ₁₃	π*	0.07808	25.38	0.69	0.120
LP(1)N ₁₃	n	1.69323	C ₁₁ -O ₁₂	π*	0.25055	39.49	0.32	0.102
LP(1)O ₂₅	n	1.94112	C ₂₆ -O ₃₁	σ*	0.02086	7.22	1.17	0.083
LP(2)O ₂₅	n	1.82270	C ₂₆ -O ₃₁	π*	0.18625	38.14	0.35	0.104
LP(1)O ₃₁	n	1.97516	O ₂₅ -C ₂₆	σ*	0.13015	1.23	1.00	0.032
LP(2)O ₃₁	n	1.83332	O ₂₅ -C ₂₆	σ*	0.13015	40.21	0.58	0.138
LP(1)Cl ₃₂	n	1.99329	C ₁₈ -C ₂₂	σ*	0.02622	1.25	1.47	0.039
LP(2)Cl ₃₂	n	1.97289	C ₁₆ -C ₁₈	σ*	0.02504	3.85	0.88	0.052
LP(3)Cl ₃₂	n	1.93006	C ₁₈ -C ₂₂	π*	0.39507	12.23	0.33	0.062

Table 2: NBO results showing the formation of Lewis and non-Lewis orbitals of 4-Chloro-2-(3-chlorophenyl carbamoyl)phenyl acetate

Bond(A-B)	ED/energy	EDA%	EDB%	NBO	s%	p%
$\sigma_{C_1-C_2}$	1.96920 -0.71182	50.10	49.90	0.7078(sp ^{1.83})C +0.7064(sp ^{1.83})C	35.28 35.37	64.67 64.59
$\pi_{C_3-C_4}$	1.64751 -0.27331	47.78	52.22	0.6912(sp ^{1.00})C +0.7226(sp ^{99.99})C	0.00 0.03	100.0 99.94
$\sigma_{C_4-C_5}$	1.96236 -0.71430	50.99	49.01	0.7140(sp ^{1.84})C +0.7001(sp ^{1.87})C	35.24 34.79	64.72 65.17
$\sigma_{C_6-Cl_{10}}$	1.98900 -0.71904	45.68	54.32	0.6759(sp ^{3.39})C +0.7370(sp ^{4.60})Cl	22.72 17.79	77.12 81.75
$\sigma_{C_{15}-C_6}$	1.96807 -0.71911	50.65	49.35	0.7117(sp ^{1.75})C +0.7025(sp ^{1.89})C	36.36 34.58	63.61 65.38
$\sigma_{C_{15}-C_{17}}$	1.97529 -0.71732	51.15	48.85	0.7152(sp ^{1.75})C +0.6989(sp ^{1.90})C	36.31 34.41	63.66 65.55
$\sigma_{C_{16}-C_{18}}$	1.97862 -0.73612	49.55	50.45	0.7039(sp ^{1.86})C +0.7103(sp ^{1.59})C	34.99 38.63	64.97 61.34
$\sigma_{C_{17}-C_{20}}$	1.97844 -0.71172	50.31	49.69	0.7093(sp ^{1.80})C +0.7049(sp ^{1.84})C	35.71 35.25	64.25 64.71
$\sigma_{C_{18}-Cl_{32}}$	1.98885 -0.71861	45.55	54.45	0.6749(sp ^{3.46})C +0.7379(sp ^{4.60})Cl	22.39 17.78	77.44 81.76
$\sigma_{C_{20}-C_{22}}$	1.97301 -0.70865	49.74	50.26	0.7053(sp ^{1.86})C +0.7090(sp ^{1.83})C	35.12 35.26	64.84 64.70
$\sigma_{C_{26}-C_{27}}$	1.98479 -0.65797	49.03	50.97	0.7002(sp ^{1.51})C +0.7139(sp ^{3.60})C	39.80 26.01	60.15 73.93
n1Cl ₁₀	1.99332 -0.92204			sp ^{0.21}	82.44	17.55
n2Cl ₁₀	1.97232 -0.32380			sp ^{1.00}	0.00	99.98
n3Cl ₁₀	1.93216 -0.32232			sp ^{1.00}	0.00	99.97
n1O ₁₂	1.97597 -0.68723			sp ^{0.70}	58.82	41.14
n2O ₁₂	1.86183 -0.25643			sp ^{99.99}	0.02	99.76
n1N ₁₃	1.69323 -0.27386			sp ^{99.99}	0.62	99.37
n1O ₂₅	1.94112 -0.55618			sp ^{1.73}	36.55	63.39
n2O ₂₅	1.82270 -0.33868			sp ^{66.74}	1.47	98.44
n1O ₃₁	1.97516- 0.68145			sp ^{0.76}	56.89	43.05
n2O ₃₁	1.83332 -0.25878			sp ^{99.99}	0.04	99.69
n1Cl ₃₂	1.99329 -0.92336			sp ^{0.21}	82.44	17.55
n2Cl ₃₂	1.97289 -0.32450			sp ^{1.00}	0.00	99.98
n3Cl ₃₂	1.93006 -0.32323			sp ^{1.00}	0.00	99.97

intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interaction of $C_{26}-O_{31}$ from of $n2(O_{25}) \rightarrow \pi^*(C_{26}-O_{31})$ which increases ED (0.18625e) that weakens the respective bonds leading to stabilization of 38.14 kcal mol⁻¹. Also a very strong intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interaction of $C_{11}-O_{12}$ from of $n1(N_{13}) \rightarrow \pi^*(C_{11}-O_{12})$ which increases ED (0.2505e) that weakens the respective bonds leading to stabilization of 39.49 kcalmol⁻¹.

The NBO analysis also describes the bonding in terms of the natural hybrid orbital $n2(Cl_{10})$, which occupy a higher energy orbital (-0.32380a.u.) with considerable p-character (99.98%) and low occupation number (1.97323a.u.) and the other $n1(Cl_{10})$ occupy a lower energy orbital (-0.92204) with p-character (17.55%) and high occupation number (1.99332a.u.). Also $n2(Cl_{32})$, which occupy a higher energy orbital (-0.32450a.u.) with considerable p-character (99.98%) and low occupation number (1.97289a.u.) and the other $n1(Cl_{32})$ occupy a lower energy orbital (-0.92336a.u.) with p-character (17.55%) and high occupation number (1.99329a.u.). Thus, a very close to pure p-type lone pair orbital participates in the electron donation to

the $\sigma^*(C-C)$ orbital for $n2(Cl_{10}) \rightarrow \sigma^*(C-C)$ and $\sigma^*(C-C)$ orbital for $n1(Cl_{32}) \rightarrow \sigma^*(C-C)$ interactions in the compound.

4-Chloro-2-(3,4-dichlorophenylcarbamoyl) phenyl acetate

The strong intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interaction of C_4-C_5 from of $n3(Cl_{30}) \rightarrow \pi^*(C_4-C_5)$ which increases ED (0.37305e) that weakens the respective bonds leading to stabilization of 10.16 kcal mol⁻¹. Also another intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interactions are formed by the orbital overlap between $n(Cl)$ and $\pi^*(C-C)$ bond orbital which results in ICT causing stabilization of the system. The strong intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interaction of $C_{13}-C_{17}$ from of $n3(Cl_{31}) \rightarrow \pi^*(C_{13}-C_{17})$ which increases ED (0.45581e) that weakens the respective bonds leading to stabilization of 11.78 kcal mol⁻¹. Another is from $n(Cl)$ and $\pi^*(C-C)$ bond orbital which results in ICT causing stabilization of the system. The strong intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interaction of $C_{13}-C_{17}$ from of $n3(Cl_{32}) \rightarrow \pi^*(C_{13}-C_{17})$ which increases ED (0.45581e) that weakens the respective bonds leading to stabilization of 11.74 kcal mol⁻¹.

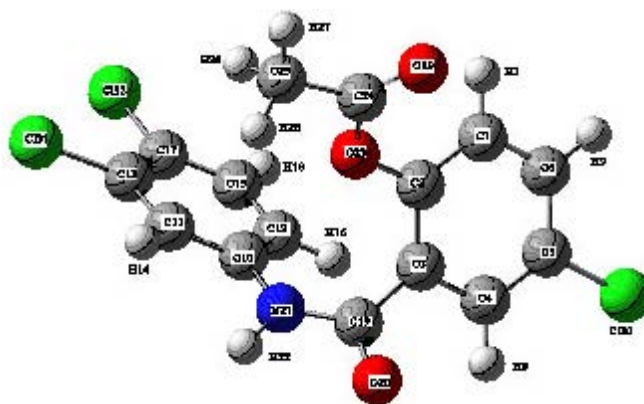


Fig. 2: 4-Chloro-2-(3,4-dichlorophenylcarbamoyl)phenyl acetate

Again a strong intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interaction of $C_{19}-N_{21}$ from of $n2(O_{20}) \rightarrow \sigma^*(C_{19}-N_{21})$ which increases ED (0.07320e) that weakens the respective bonds leading to stabilization of 22.25 kcal mol⁻¹. A strong intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interaction of $C_{24}-O_{29}$ from of $n2(O_{23}) \rightarrow \pi^*(C_{24}-O_{29})$ which increases ED (0.20995e) that weakens the respective bonds

leading to stabilization of 41.56 kcalmol⁻¹. Also a very strong intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interaction of $C_{19}-O_{20}$ from of $n1(N_{21}) \rightarrow \pi^*(C_{19}-O_{20})$ which increases ED (0.25931e) that weakens the respective bonds leading to stabilization of 43.65 kcal mol⁻¹. Again a strong intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interaction of $O_{23}-C_{24}$ from of $n2(O_{29}) \rightarrow \sigma^*(O_{23}-C_{24})$ which increases ED

(0.12495e) that weakens the respective bonds leading to stabilization of 38.71 kcal mol⁻¹.

The NBO analysis also describes the bonding in terms of the natural hybrid orbital n2(Cl₃₀), which occupy a higher energy orbital (-0.32821a.u.) with considerable p-character (99.99%) and low occupation number (1.97714a.u.) and the other n1(Cl₃₀) occupy a lower energy orbital (-0.94737) with p-character (14.27%) and high occupation number (1.99419a.u.). Also n2(Cl₃₁), which occupy a higher energy orbital (-0.33722a.u.) with considerable p-character (99.84%) and low occupation number (1.97504a.u.) and the other n1(Cl₃₁) occupy a lower energy orbital (-0.95640a.u.) with p-character (14.30%) and high occupation number (1.99395a.u.). Also n2(Cl₃₂), which occupy a higher

energy orbital (-0.33356a.u.) with considerable p-character (99.82%) and low occupation number (1.97441a.u.) and the other n1(Cl₃₂) occupy a lower energy orbital (-0.95127a.u.) with p-character (14.42%) and high occupation number (1.99395a.u.). Thus, a very close to pure p-type lone pair orbital participates in the electron donation to the $\sigma^*(C-C)$ orbital for n2(Cl₃₀) $\rightarrow \sigma^*(C-C)$, $\sigma^*(C-C)$ orbital for n2(Cl₃₁) $\rightarrow \sigma^*(C-C)$ and $\sigma^*(C-C)$ orbital for n2(Cl₃₂) $\rightarrow \sigma^*(C-C)$ interactions in the compound.

4-Chloro-2-(4-bromophenylcarbamoyl)phenyl acetate

The strong intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interaction of C₄-C₅ from of n3(Cl₂₀) $\rightarrow \pi^*(C_4-C_5)$ which increases ED (0.39490e) that weakens the respective bonds leading to

Table 3: Second order perturbation theory analysis of Fock matrix in NBO basis corresponding to the intramolecular bonds of the 4-Chloro-2-(3,4-dichlorophenyl carbamoyl) phenyl acetate

Donor(i)	Type	ED/e	Acceptor(j)	Type	ED/e	E(2)	E(j)-E(i)	F(i,j)
C ₁ -C ₆	σ	1.96577	C ₂ -O ₂₃	σ^*	0.03875	5.14	0.96	0.063
C ₂ -C ₃	σ	1.65023	C ₁₉ -O ₂₀	π^*	0.25931	10.03	0.30	0.050
C ₃ -C ₄	σ	1.95906	C ₅ -Cl ₃₀	σ^*	0.03499	4.87	0.78	0.055
C ₅ -Cl ₃₀	σ	1.98833	C ₁ -C ₆	σ^*	0.01686	2.46	1.22	0.049
C ₁₀ -C ₁₁	σ	1.96789	C ₁₃ -Cl ₃₁	σ^*	0.03100	4.29	0.79	0.052
C ₁₁ -C ₁₃	σ	1.97284	C ₁₇ -Cl ₃₂	σ^*	0.03034	4.64	0.82	0.055
C ₁₂ -C ₁₅	σ	1.96996	C ₁₇ -C ₃₂	σ^*	0.03034	4.56	0.79	0.053
C ₁₅ -C ₁₇	σ	1.97453	C ₁₃ -C ₃₁	σ^*	0.03100	4.93	0.80	0.056
N ₂₁ -H ₂₂	σ	1.98019	C ₃ -C ₁₉	σ^*	0.06271	4.30	1.05	0.061
C ₂₄ -C ₂₅	σ	1.98459	C ₂ -O ₂₃	σ^*	0.03875	3.70	0.93	0.053
LP(1)O ₂₀	σ	1.97766	C ₁₉ -N ₂₁	σ^*	0.07320	1.78	1.11	0.040
LP(2)O ₂₀	n	1.87575	C ₁₉ -N ₂₁	σ^*	0.07320	22.25	0.66	0.110
LP(1)N ₂₁	σ	1.67335	C ₁₉ -O ₂₀	π^*	0.25931	43.65	0.29	0.102
LP(1)O ₂₃	σ	1.96057	C ₂₄ -O ₂₉	σ^*	0.02257	7.68	1.05	0.080
LP(2)O ₂₃	n	1.76697	C ₂₄ -O ₂₉	π^*	0.20995	41.56	0.30	0.101
LP(1)O ₂₉	n	1.97324	C ₂₄ -C ₂₅	σ^*	0.04321	2.66	1.08	0.048
LP(2)O ₂₉	n	1.84656	O ₂₃ -C ₂₄	σ^*	0.12495	38.71	0.53	0.129
LP(1)Cl ₃₀	n	1.99419	C ₅ -C ₆	σ^*	0.02502	1.01	1.47	0.035
LP(2)Cl ₃₀	σ	1.97714	C ₄ -C ₅	σ^*	0.02388	3.26	0.85	0.047
LP(3)Cl ₃₀	n	1.94118	C ₄ -C ₅	π^*	0.37305	10.16	0.31	0.054
LP(1)Cl ₃₁	n	1.99395	C ₁₁ -C ₁₃	σ^*	0.02250	1.06	1.47	0.035
LP(2)Cl ₃₁	n	1.97504	C ₁₃ -C ₁₇	σ^*	0.03878	3.96	0.83	0.051
LP(3)Cl ₃₁	n	1.93595	C ₁₃ -C ₁₇	π^*	0.45581	11.78	0.29	0.058
LP(1)Cl ₃₂	n	1.99395	C ₁₅ -C ₁₇	σ^*	0.02456	1.10	1.46	0.036
LP(2)Cl ₃₂	n	1.97441	C ₁₃ -C ₁₇	σ^*	0.03878	4.13	0.83	0.052
LP(3)Cl ₃₂	n	1.93681	C ₁₃ -C ₁₇	π^*	0.45581	11.74	0.29	0.058

Table 4: NBO results showing the formation of Lewis and non-Lewis orbitals of 4-Chloro-2-(3,4-dichlorophenylcarbamoyl)phenyl acetate

Bond(A-B)	ED/energy	EDA%	EDB%	NBO	s%	p%
$\sigma_{C_1-C_6}$	1.96577 -0.72037	49.93	50.07	0.7066(sp ^{1.85})C +0.7076(sp ^{1.00})C	35.03 35.03	64.97 64.97
$\sigma_{C_2-C_3}$	1.65023 -0.29436	48.44	51.56	0.6960(sp ^{99.99})C +0.7180(sp ^{99.99})C	0.03 0.02	99.97 99.98
$\sigma_{C_3-C_4}$	1.95906 -0.72540	51.22	48.78	0.7157(sp ^{1.89})C +0.6915(sp ^{1.90})C	34.63 34.54	65.37 65.46
$\sigma_{C_5-Cl_{30}}$	1.98833 -0.68799	45.17	54.83	0.6721(sp ^{3.63})C +0.7405(sp ^{5.92})Cl	21.62 14.45	78.38 85.55
$\sigma_{C_{10}-C_{11}}$	1.96789 -0.73695	50.56	49.44	0.7110(sp ^{1.81})C +0.7032(sp ^{1.85})C	35.57 35.05	64.43 64.95
$\sigma_{C_{11}-C_{13}}$	1.97284 -0.75894	49.15	50.85	0.7011(sp ^{1.87})C +0.7131(sp ^{1.55})C	34.80 39.25	65.20 60.75
$\sigma_{C_{12}-C_{15}}$	1.96996 -0.72839	49.89	50.11	0.7063(sp ^{1.84})C +0.7079(sp ^{1.81})C	35.16 35.59	64.84 64.41
$\sigma_{C_{15}-C_{17}}$	1.97453 -0.75206	48.85	51.15	0.6989(sp ^{1.93})C +0.7152(sp ^{1.55})C	34.17 39.17	65.83 60.83
$\sigma_{C_{24}-C_{25}}$	1.98459 -0.68976	49.76	50.24	0.7054(sp ^{1.44})C +0.7088(sp ^{2.89})C	41.03 25.73	58.97 74.27
$n1O_{20}$	1.97766 -0.71073			sp ^{0.57}	63.83	36.17
$n2O_{20}$	1.87575 -0.26649			sp ^{99.99}	0.05	99.95
$n1N_{21}$	1.67335- 0.28463			sp ^{1.00}	0.01	99.99
$n1O_{23}$	1.96057 -0.55677			sp ^{1.83}	35.33	64.67
$n2O_{23}$	1.76697 -0.35561			sp ^{1.00}	0.00	100.0
$n1O_{29}$	1.97324 -0.72760			sp ^{0.62}	61.80	38.20
$n2O_{29}$	1.84656 -0.29499			sp ^{99.99}	0.12	99.88
$n1Cl_{30}$	1.99419 -0.94737			sp ^{0.17}	85.73	14.27
$n2Cl_{30}$	1.97714 -0.32821			sp ^{1.00}	0.01	99.99
$n3Cl_{30}$	1.94118 -0.32628			sp ^{1.00}	0.00	100.0
$n1Cl_{31}$	1.99395 -0.95640			sp ^{0.17}	85.70	14.30
$n2Cl_{31}$	1.97504 -0.33722			sp ^{99.99}	0.16	99.84
$n3Cl_{31}$	1.93595 -0.33479			sp ^{1.00}	0.00	100.0
$n1Cl_{32}$	1.99395 -0.95127			sp ^{0.17}	85.58	14.42
$n2Cl_{32}$	1.97441 -0.33356			sp ^{99.99}	0.18	99.82
$n3Cl_{32}$	1.93681 -0.33080			sp ^{1.00}	0.00	100.0

stabilization of 10.08 kcal mol⁻¹. Also another intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interactions are formed by the orbital overlap between n(O) and σ^* (C–N) bond orbital which results in ICT causing stabilization of the system. The strong intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interaction of N₂₂-C₂₃ from of n2(O₂₅) \rightarrow σ^* (N₂₂-C₂₃) which increases ED (0.07648 e) that weakens the respective bonds leading to stabilization of 26.06 kcal mol⁻¹. These interactions are observed as an increase in electron density (ED) in C-C anti-bonding orbitals that weakens the respective bonds. Another intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interactions are formed by the orbital overlap between n(Br) and σ^* (C–C) bond orbital which results in ICT causing stabilization of the system. The strong intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interaction of C₁₃-C₁₇

from of n3(Br₂₁) \rightarrow π^* (C₁₃-C₁₇) which increases ED (0.38778e) that weakens the respective bonds leading to stabilization of 9.09 kcal mol⁻¹. Again a strong intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interaction of C₂₇-O₂₉ from of n2(O₂₆) \rightarrow π^* (C₂₇-O₂₉) which increases ED (0.20971e) that weakens the respective bonds leading to stabilization of 43.54 kcal mol⁻¹. A strong intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interaction of O₂₆-C₂₇ from of n2(O₂₉) \rightarrow π^* (O₂₆-C₂₇) which increases ED (0.12474 e) that weakens the respective bonds leading to stabilization of 41.46 kcal mol⁻¹. Also a very strong intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interaction of C₂₃-O₂₅ from of n1(N₂₂) \rightarrow π^* (C₂₃-O₂₅) which increases ED (0.28165e) that weakens the respective bonds leading to stabilization of 52.19 kcal mol⁻¹.

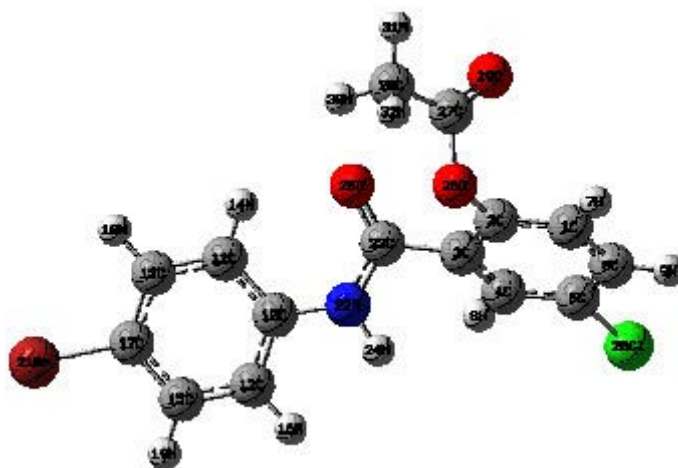


Fig. 3: 4-Chloro-2-(3,4-bromophenylcarbamoyl)phenyl acetate

The NBO analysis also describes the bonding in terms of the natural hybrid orbital n2(Cl₂₀), which occupy a higher energy orbital (-0.32870a.u.) with considerable p-character (100.0%) and low occupation number (1.97815a.u.) and the other n1(Cl₂₀) occupy a lower energy orbital (-0.94563) with p-character (14.46%) and high occupation number (1.99428a.u.). Also n2(Br₂₁), which occupy a higher energy orbital (-0.29450a.u.) with considerable p-character (100.00%) and low occupation number (1.97873a.u.) and the other n1(Br₂₁) occupy a lower energy orbital (-0.97568a.u.) with p-character (12.21%) and high occupation number

(1.99530a.u.). Thus, a very close to pure p-type lone pair orbital participates in the electron donation to the $\rightarrow\sigma^*$ (C–C) orbital for n2(Cl₂₀) \rightarrow σ^* (C–C) and orbital for n2(Br₂₁) \rightarrow σ^* (C–C) interactions in the compound.

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The strong intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interaction of C₁-C₆ from of n3(Cl₁₀) \rightarrow π^* (C₁-C₆) which increases ED (0.3871e) that weakens the respective bonds leading to stabilization of 10.74 kcal mol⁻¹. Also another intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interactions are formed by the orbital

overlap between $n(\text{O})$ and $\pi^*(\text{C}-\text{O})$ bond orbital which results in ICT causing stabilization of the system. The strong intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interaction of $\text{C}_{12}-\text{O}_{13}$ from of $n2(\text{O}_{11}) \rightarrow \pi^*(\text{C}_{12}-\text{O}_{13})$ which increases ED (0.213e) that weakens the respective bonds leading to stabilization of 45.25 kcal mol⁻¹. These interactions are observed as an increase in electron density (ED) in C-C anti-bonding orbitals that weakens the respective bonds. Another intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interactions are formed by the orbital overlap between $n(\text{Cl})$ and $\pi^*(\text{C}-\text{C})$ bond orbital which results in ICT causing stabilization of the system. The strong intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interaction of $\text{C}_{23}-\text{C}_{25}$ from of $n3(\text{Cl}_{32}) \rightarrow \pi^*(\text{C}_{23}-\text{C}_{25})$ which increases ED (0.3906 e) that weakens the respective bonds leading to stabilization of 10.53 kcal mol⁻¹. Again a strong intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interaction of $\text{O}_{11}-\text{C}_{12}$

from of $n2(\text{O}_{13}) \rightarrow \sigma^*(\text{O}_{11}-\text{C}_{12})$ which increases ED (0.11944 e) that weakens the respective bonds leading to stabilization of 39.73 kcal mol⁻¹. A strong intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interaction of $\text{C}_{18}-\text{N}_{20}$ from of $n2(\text{O}_{19}) \rightarrow \sigma^*(\text{C}_{18}-\text{N}_{20})$ which increases ED (0.07389e) that weakens the respective bonds leading to stabilization of 23.51 kcal mol⁻¹. Also a very strong intra-molecular hyper-conjugative interaction of $\text{C}_{18}-\text{O}_{19}$ from of $n1(\text{N}_{20}) \rightarrow \pi^*(\text{C}_{18}-\text{O}_{19})$ which increases ED (0.26075e) that weakens the respective bonds leading to stabilization of 47.65 kcal mol⁻¹.

The NBO analysis also describes the bonding in terms of the natural hybrid orbital $n2(\text{Cl}_{10})$, which occupy a higher energy orbital (-0.32467a.u.) with considerable p-character (99.98%) and low occupation number (1.97760a.u.) and the other $n1(\text{Cl}_{10})$ occupy a lower

Table 5: Second order perturbation theory analysis of Fock matrix in NBO basis corresponding to the intramolecular bonds of the 4-Chloro-2-(4-bromophenylcarbamoyl) phenyl acetate

Donor(i)	Type	ED/e	Acceptor(j)	Type	ED/e	E(2)	E(j)-E(i)	F(i,j)
C_1-C_6	σ	1.96333	$\text{C}_5-\text{Cl}_{20}$	σ^*	0.03833	5.68	0.79	0.060
C_1-C_6	π	1.65046	C_2-C_3	π^*	0.41809	23.22	0.27	0.072
C_2-C_3	π	1.63502	$\text{C}_{23}-\text{O}_{25}$	π^*	0.28165	10.80	0.30	0.052
C_3-C_4	σ	1.95875	$\text{C}_5-\text{Cl}_{20}$	σ^*	0.03833	50.25	0.80	0.058
C_3-C_{23}	σ	1.96919	$\text{C}_{10}-\text{N}_{22}$	σ^*	0.03172	4.38	1.07	0.061
$\text{C}_5-\text{Cl}_{20}$	σ	1.98769	C_3-C_4	σ^*	0.02298	2.87	1.25	0.054
$\text{C}_{11}-\text{C}_{13}$	σ	1.96568	$\text{C}_{17}-\text{Br}_{21}$	σ^*	0.03601	5.30	0.77	0.057
$\text{C}_{12}-\text{C}_5$	σ	1.96689	$\text{C}_{17}-\text{Br}_{21}$	σ^*	0.03601	5.18	0.78	0.057
$\text{C}_{17}-\text{Br}_{21}$	σ	1.98579	$\text{C}_{12}-\text{C}_{15}$	σ^*	0.01737	3.12	1.23	0.055
$\text{N}_{22}-\text{H}_{24}$	σ	1.98380	$\text{C}_{23}-\text{O}_{25}$	σ^*	0.02695	4.31	1.23	0.065
$\text{C}_{27}-\text{C}_{28}$	σ	1.98315	C_2-O_{26}	σ^*	0.03841	4.24	0.97	0.058
LP(1)Cl ₂₀	n	1.99428	C_5-C_6	σ^*	0.02629	1.01	1.51	0.035
LP(2)Cl ₂₀	n	1.97815	C_4-C_5	σ^*	0.02686	3.12	0.89	0.047
LP(3)Cl ₂₀	n	1.94380	C_4-C_5	π^*	0.39490	10.08	0.31	0.055
LP(1)Br ₂₁	n	1.99530	$\text{C}_{13}-\text{C}_{17}$	σ^*	0.02654	1.10	1.56	0.037
LP(2)Br ₂₁	n	1.97873	$\text{C}_{15}-\text{C}_{17}$	σ^*	0.02642	2.82	0.87	0.044
LP(3)Br ₂₁	n	1.94519	$\text{C}_{13}-\text{C}_{17}$	π^*	0.038778	9.09	0.30	0.051
LP(1)N ₂₂	n	1.66148	$\text{C}_{23}-\text{O}_{25}$	π^*	0.028165	52.19	0.29	0.112
LP(1)O ₂₅	n	1.97371	$\text{N}_{22}-\text{C}_{23}$	σ^*	0.07648	2.49	1.11	0.048
LP(2)O ₂₅	n	1.86177	$\text{N}_{22}-\text{C}_{23}$	σ^*	0.07648	26.06	0.70	0.122
LP(1)O ₂₆	n	1.95825	$\text{C}_{27}-\text{O}_{29}$	σ^*	0.02255	8.32	1.08	0.085
LP(2)O ₂₆	n	1.76193	$\text{C}_{27}-\text{O}_{29}$	π^*	0.020971	43.54	0.32	0.107
LP(1)O ₂₉	n	1.97318	$\text{C}_{27}-\text{C}_{28}$	σ^*	0.004812	2.69	1.07	0.048
LP(2)O ₂₉	n	1.84084	$\text{O}_{26}-\text{C}_{27}$	σ^*	0.012474	41.46	0.58	0.139

Table 6: NBO results showing the formation of Lewis and non-Lewis orbitals of 4-Chloro-2-(4-bromophenylcarbamoyl)phenyl acetate

Bond(A-B)	ED/energy	EDA%	EDB%	NBO	s%	p%
$\sigma_{C_1-C_6}$	1.96333 -0.72785	49.84	50.16	0.7060(sp ^{1.84})C +0.7083(sp ^{1.85})C	35.21 35.12	64.79 64.88
$\pi_{C_1-C_6}$	1.65046 -0.27907	50.74	49.26	0.7123(sp ^{1.00})C +0.7018(sp ^{1.00})C	0.00 0.00	100.0 100.0
$\pi_{C_2-C_3}$	1.63502 -0.29232	48.37	51.63	0.6955(sp ^{1.00})C +0.6324(sp ^{99.99})C	0.00 0.00	100.0 100.0
$\sigma_{C_3-C_4}$	1.95875 -0.73977	50.73	49.27	0.7123(sp ^{1.83})C +0.7019(sp ^{1.86})C	35.37 34.91	64.63 65.09
$\sigma_{C_3-C_{23}}$	1.96919 -0.67810	52.37	47.63	0.7237(sp ^{2.33})C +0.6901(sp ^{1.79})C	29.90 35.87	70.01 64.13
$\sigma_{C_5-Cl_{20}}$	1.98769 -0.68838	44.93	55.07	0.6703(sp ^{3.73})C +0.7421(sp ^{1.00})C	21.12 14.65	78.88 85.35
$\sigma_{C_{11}-C_{13}}$	1.96568 -0.70889	49.77	50.23	0.7055(sp ^{1.84})C +0.7087(sp ^{1.81})C	35.22 35.53	64.78 64.47
$\sigma_{C_{12}-C_{15}}$	1.96689 -0.71926	50.06	49.94	0.7076(sp ^{1.78})C +0.7067(sp ^{1.82})C	35.93 35.41	64.07 64.59
$\sigma_{C_{17}-Br_{21}}$	1.98579 -0.64043	49.38	50.62	0.7027(sp ^{3.63})C +0.7115(sp ^{7.06})O	21.60 12.41	78.40 87.59
$\sigma_{C_{27}-C_{28}}$	1.98315 -0.68075	49.73	50.27	0.7052(sp ^{1.44})C +0.7090(sp ^{2.92})C	40.92 25.53	59.08 74.47
$n1Cl_{20}$	1.99428 -0.94563			sp ^{0.17}	85.54	14.46
$n2Cl_{20}$	1.97815 -0.32870			sp ^{1.00}	0.00	100.0
$n3Cl_{20}$	1.94380 -0.32665			sp ^{1.00}	0.00	100.0
$n1Br_{21}$	1.99530 -0.97568			sp ^{0.14}	87.79	12.21
$n2Br_{21}$	1.97873 -0.29450			sp ^{1.00}	0.00	100.0
$n3Br_{21}$	1.94519 -0.29244			sp ^{1.00}	0.00	100.0
$n1N_{22}$	1.66148 -0.28386			sp ^{99.99}	0.10	99.90
$n1O_{25}$	1.97371 -0.68104			sp ^{0.69}	59.23	40.77
$n2O_{25}$	1.86177 -0.26527			sp ^{99.99}	0.10	99.90
$n1O_{26}$	1.95825 -0.51226			sp ^{2.32}	30.14	69.86
$n2O_{26}$	1.76193 -0.35236			sp ^{99.99}	0.78	99.22
$n1O_{29}$	1.97318 -0.69876			sp ^{0.72}	58.15	41.85
$n2O_{29}$	1.84084 -0.28834			sp ^{99.99}	0.02	99.98

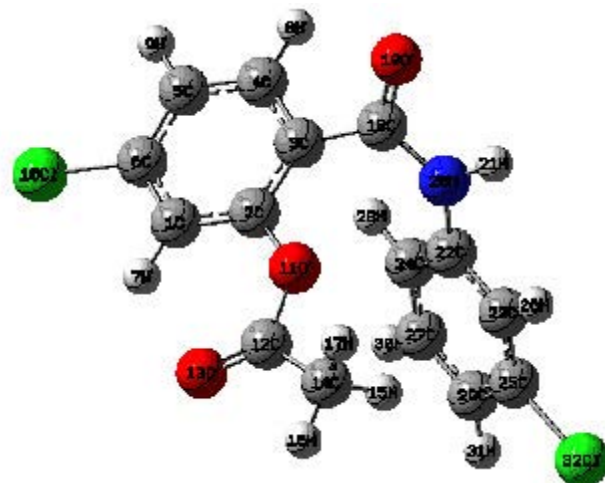


Fig. 4: 5-Chloro-2-(3-chlorophenylcarbamoyl)phenylacetate

Table 7: Second order perturbation theory analysis of Fock matrix in NBO basis corresponding to the intramolecular bonds of the 5-chloro-2-(3-chlorophenylcarbamoyl) phenylacetate

Donor(i)	Type	ED/e	Acceptor(j)	Type	ED/e	E(2)	E(j)-E(i)	F(i,j)
C ₁ -C ₂	σ	1.96896	C ₆ -Cl ₁₀	σ*	0.03654	4.82	0.82	0.05
C ₁ -C ₆	σ	1.97514	C ₂ -O ₁₁	σ*	0.04019	4.94	1.03	0.064
C ₁ -C ₆	π	1.67644	C ₂ -C ₃	π*	0.42225	20.86	0.29	0.071
C ₂ -C ₃	π	1.64819	C ₁₈ -O ₁₉	π*	0.26075	8.82	0.32	0.049
C ₃ -C ₄	σ	1.96519	C ₂ -O ₁₁	σ*	0.04019	4.11	1.00	0.057
C ₄ -C ₅	σ	1.96784	C ₆ -Cl ₁₀	σ*	0.03654	5.57	0.80	0.060
C ₄ -C ₅	π	1.65305	C ₁ -C ₆	π*	0.38714	23.59	0.27	0.072
N ₂₀ -H ₂₁	σ	1.97834	C ₃ -C ₁₈	σ*	0.06647	4.74	1.08	0.065
C ₂₂ -C ₂₄	σ	1.65122	C ₂₇ -C ₂₉	π*	0.01802	21.57	0.29	0.071
C ₂₃ -C ₂₅	σ	1.97806	N ₂₀ -C ₂₂	σ*	0.03284	3.63	1.15	0.058
C ₂₃ -C ₂₅	π	1.70306	C ₂₂ -C ₂₄	π*	0.37734	19.24	0.30	0.069
C ₂₄ -C ₂₇	σ	1.97629	N ₂₀ -C ₂₂	σ*	0.03284	4.65	1.11	0.064
C ₂₇ -C ₂₉	σ	1.96897	C ₂₅ -Cl ₃₂	σ*	0.03736	5.69	0.79	0.060
C ₂₇ -C ₂₉	π	1.65888	C ₂₃ -C ₂₅	π*	0.39068	23.52	0.26	0.071
LP(1)Cl ₁₀	σ	1.99400	C ₅ -C ₆	σ*	0.02632	1.03	1.50	0.035
LP(2)Cl ₁₀	n	1.97760	C ₁ -C ₆	σ*	0.02700	3.28	0.89	0.048
LP(3)Cl ₁₀	σ	1.93692	C ₁ -C ₆	π*	0.38714	10.74	0.32	0.057
LP(1)O ₁₁	σ	1.95754	C ₁₂ -O ₁₃	σ*	0.02288	8.52	1.08	0.086
LP(2)O ₁₁	n	1.76189	C ₁₂ -O ₁₃	π*	0.21315	45.25	0.32	0.108
LP(1)O ₁₃	n	1.97334	C ₁₂ -C ₁₄	σ*	0.04584	2.48	1.08	0.046
LP(2)O ₁₃	n	1.84857	O ₁₁ -C ₁₂	σ*	0.11944	39.73	0.58	0.137
LP(1)O ₁₉	n	1.97680	C ₁₈ -N ₂₀	σ*	0.07389	1.85	1.13	0.041
LP(2)O ₁₉	σ	1.87256	C ₁₈ -N ₂₀	σ*	0.07389	23.51	0.70	0.116
LP(1)N ₂₀	n	1.68348	C ₁₈ -O ₁₉	π*	0.26075	47.65	0.31	0.109
LP(1)Cl ₃₂	n	1.99416	C ₂₃ -C ₂₅	σ*	0.02489	0.98	1.51	0.035
LP(2)Cl ₃₂	n	1.97808	C ₂₃ -C ₂₅	σ*	0.02489	3.14	0.89	0.047
LP(3)Cl ₃₂	n	1.94190	C ₂₃ -C ₂₅	π*	0.39068	10.53	0.32	0.056

Table 6: NBO results showing the formation of Lewis and non-Lewis orbitals of 4-Chloro-2-(4-bromophenylcarbamoyl)phenyl acetate

Bond(A-B)	ED/energy	EDA%	EDB%	NBO	s%	p%
σC_1-C_2	1.96896	49.53	50.47	0.7038(sp ^{1.97})C	33.64	66.36
	-0.74668			+0.7104(sp ^{1.55})C	39.17	60.83
σC_1-C_6	1.97514	49.60	50.40	0.7043(sp ^{1.88})C	34.72	65.28
	-0.75555			+0.7099(sp ^{1.56})C	39.12	60.88
πC_1-C_6	1.67644	48.33	51.67	0.6952(sp ^{1.00})C	0.00	100.0
	-0.29247			+0.7188(sp ^{1.00})C	0.00	100.0
πC_2-C_3	1.64819	48.32	51.68	0.6951(sp ^{99.99})C	0.02	99.98
	-0.29091			+0.7189(sp ^{99.99})C	0.01	99.99
σC_3-C_4	1.96519	51.48	48.52	0.7175(sp ^{1.87})C	34.90	65.10
	-0.72784			+0.6965(sp ^{1.86})C	34.65	65.35
πC_4-C_5	1.96784	49.86	50.14	0.7061(sp ^{1.86})C	35.23	64.77
	-0.72418			+0.7081(sp ^{1.86})C	35.01	64.99
σC_4-C_5	1.65305	48.47	51.53	0.6962(sp ^{1.00})C	0.00	100.0
	-0.27586			+0.7178(sp ^{1.87})C	0.00	100.0
$\sigma C_{22}-C_{24}$	1.65122	49.87	50.13	0.7062(sp ^{1.00})C	0.00	100.0
	-0.28157			+0.7080(sp ^{99.99})C	0.02	99.98
$\pi C_{23}-C_{25}$	1.97806	49.64	50.36	0.7046(sp ^{1.85})C	35.03	64.97
	-0.76021			+0.7096(sp ^{1.54})C	39.36	60.64
$\sigma C_{23}-C_{25}$	1.70306	48.73	51.27	0.6981(sp ^{1.00})C	0.01	99.99
	-0.29660			+0.7160(sp ^{1.00})C	0.00	100.0
$\sigma C_{24}-C_{27}$	1.97629	50.31	49.69	0.7093(sp ^{1.83})C	35.34	64.66
	-0.72283			+0.7049(sp ^{1.84})C	35.16	64.84
$\sigma C_{27}-C_{29}$	1.96897	49.62	50.38	0.7044(sp ^{1.86})C	34.93	65.07
	-0.72213			+0.7098(sp ^{1.84})C	35.15	64.85
$\pi C_{27}-C_{29}$	1.65888	48.94	51.06	0.6996(sp ^{1.00})C	0.00	100.0
	-0.27452			+0.7145(sp ^{1.00})C	0.00	100.0
n1Cl ₁₀	1.99400			sp ^{0.17}	85.27	14.73
	-0.94295					
n2Cl ₁₀	1.97760			sp ^{99.99}	0.02	99.98
	-0.32467					
n3Cl ₁₀	1.93692			sp ^{1.00}	0.00	100.0
	-0.32298					
n1O ₁₁	1.95754			sp ^{2.32}	30.08	69.92
	-0.52212					
n2O ₁₁	1.76189			sp ^{99.99}	0.06	99.94
	-0.35564					
n1O ₁₃	1.97334			sp ^{0.69}	59.06	40.94
	-0.70367					
n2O ₁₃	1.84857			sp ^{99.99}	0.04	99.96
	-0.28842					
n1O ₁₉	1.97680			sp ^{0.64}	60.81	39.19
	-0.68397					
n2O ₁₉	1.87256			sp ^{99.99}	0.07	99.93
	-0.25927					
n1N ₂₀	1.68348			sp ^{1.00}	0.00	100.0
	-0.27670					
n1Cl ₃₂	1.99416			sp ^{0.17}	85.32	14.68
	-0.94692					
n2Cl ₃₂	1.97808			sp ^{1.00}	0.00	100.0
	-0.32921					
n3Cl ₃₂	1.94190			sp ^{1.00}	0.00	100.0
	-0.32746					

energy orbital (-0.94295) with p-character (14.73%) and high occupation number (1.99400a.u.). Also $n2(Cl_{32})$, which occupy a higher energy orbital (-0.32921 a.u.) with considerable p-character (100.00%) and low occupation number (1.97808a.u.) and the other $n1(Cl_{32})$ occupy a lower energy orbital (-0.94692a.u.) with p-character (14.68%) and high occupation number (1.99416a.u.). Thus, a very close to pure p-type lone pair orbital participates in the electron donation to the $\sigma^*(C-C)$ orbital for $n2(Cl_{10}) \rightarrow \sigma^*(C-C)$ and $\sigma^*(C-C)$ orbital for $n2(Cl_{32}) \rightarrow \sigma^*(C-C)$ interactions in the compound.

CONCLUSIONS

A natural bond orbital analysis has been performed in order to study intramolecular bonding, interactions among bonds and delocalization of unpaired electrons for certain salicylanilide derivatives. The electron density (ED) is transferred from the $n(O)$, $n(Cl)$ $n(N)$ to the anti-bonding π^* , σ^* orbital of the C-C, C-O, C-N. Stability of the molecules arising from hyper-conjugative interactions and charge delocalization has been analyzed using natural bond orbital analysis. The results show that electron density in the anti-bonding orbitals and second order delocalization energies confirm the occurrence of intra-molecular charge transfer within the molecule.

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