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**{ 1,1'-[2,2-Dimethylpropane-1,3-diylbis(nitrilomethylidyne)]  
di-2-naphtholato}nickel(II)**

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**Abstract**

In the title Schiff base complex, [Ni(C<sub>27</sub>H<sub>24</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>)], the Ni<sup>II</sup> atom shows a slightly distorted square-planar geometry. The dihedral angle between the mean planes of the two aromatic rings is 6.16 (6)°. In the crystal, pairs of inter-molecular weak C - H...O hydrogen bonds link neighboring mol-ecules into a chain along the a axis. The crystal structure is further stabilized by two inter-molecular π-π inter-actions with centroid-centroid distances of 3.7252 (13) and 3.8323 (13) Å.

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