An Efficient and Solvent Free Synthesis of N-Aryl 2,3-Dihydro-4H naphtho-[2,1-e] 1,3-oxazines

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ABSTRACT

Oxazine compounds have proved to have many pharmaceutical applications and most of these compounds nowadays are used as drugs. For the importance of this class of heterocyclic compounds we are here investigate the synthesis of new derivatives of 1,3-oxazines using solvent free one pot three component system in a drug discovery program so starting from β-Naphthol, formaldehyde and aromatic amines in presence of zirconyl chloride as catalyst, compounds 1-9 were synthesized, Benzo 1,3 diazines (10-14) were also synthesized from their corresponding 1,3 oxazines. These compounds were characterized by IR, some representative by [1] HNMR and were discussed.

Keywords: Aryl; 1,3-Naphthoxazines; Solvent free; synthesis

Introduction

Due to their importance in biological applications oxazines have drew attention of many researchers to investigate this type of heterocyclic compounds. these researchers have succeeded to prepare different types of oxazines using different methodologies [1-10] most of the starting material is anthranilic acid or its derivatives with aldehydes, isocyanate, acetic anhydride or with oxazolones [11]. Some other researchers used phenal, amine and aldehydes to the synthesis of these oxazine compounds [12]. Other researchers used chalcones for the synthesis of this type of compounds [13,14] or from 2-Iodoaryl Azides and Amines [15]. Among the studied reactions of oxazine compounds were opening and reclosing of the oxazine ring which is the other way for the synthesis of new oxazine derivatives [16]. The research work on studying the biological activities of some oxazine compounds revealed that most of these compounds have several pharmacological applications for using these compounds as drugs [17-19]. In addition the latest studies on oxazine compounds showed the ability to stop the cancer cell growth and repairing the DNA strands [20] and according to the above facts we studied the synthesis of some new compounds using green technique for this synthesis. These new compounds will be our goal for studying their biological activities in our ongoing drug discovery program.

Experimental

All melting points were uncorrected using electro thermal SMP30 UK melting point apparatus. IR spectra were recorded using Alpha (ATR) instrument. [1] HNMR spectra were recorded using Varian Agilant (USA) 300MHz instrument, DMSO as solvent. All chemical was supplied by sigma –Aldrich, BDH and Fluka companies. Compounds 10 a, b was synthesized following some published procedure [21].

General Procedure for the Synthesis of Naphthoxazine Compounds (1-9)

| Comp. No. | Ar            | Molecular formula | M.wt | m.p.(°C) | Yield (%) | Colour |
|-----------|---------------|-------------------|------|----------|-----------|--------|
| 1         | 4-chlorophenyl | C_{15}H_{14}ClNO  | 295.76 | 98-100   | 73        | Yellow |
General Procedure for the Preparation of N-Substituted 2-Methyl, Aryl Benzo-1,3-Diazone-4-one (11-24)

Compound 10a or 10b (0.1mol), aromatic or aliphatic amine (0.1mol). This mixture was refluxed for 6h, cooled. The whole mixture was then powered on cold water (50ml) with stirring. The precipitate was filtered off and dried then crystallized from benzene.

The physical properties of the synthesized compound were illustrated in Table 2 (Schem 1,2).

Table 2: Physical properties of compounds (10-13).

| Comp. o. | Ar              | Molecular formula | M.wt  | m.p.(°C) | Yield (%) | Colour |
|----------|-----------------|-------------------|--------|----------|-----------|--------|
| 10       | 2-naphthyl      | C_{21}H_{17}NO    | 299.37 | 86-92    | 83        | brown  |
| 11       | 2-benzothiazolyl| C_{18}H_{13}N_{2}O | 306.38 | 193-196  | 92        | white  |
Results and Discussion

It is worth to state here that power sonic 405 micro processes-controlled bench-top ultra-sonic cleaner was used for ultrasonic chemical condensation affording nearly the same yield within the same given time which is another green technique for the synthesis of these compounds. As it was mentioned in the experimental part, compounds 10a,b were prepared and showed the same melting points, for 10a was found: 79-81°C, while for 10b it was found 120°C the published one at 121-122°C with identical IR data [21].

N-Aryl 2,4H(1,2E) Napha Oxazine Compounds (1-9)

These compounds were synthesized using similar procedure [22] and were characterized by IR and showed the following main absorption bands (υ \text{max} \text{ cm}^{-1}): 3020-3092 for CH, sharp bands at (1654-1624) for C=N, 1589-1454 for C=C, C=c Aromatic. While C=N appeared at 1390-1328, C-O-C at 1250-1022 other band were illustrated in Table 3. [1] HNMR for individual compounds were as follow:

Compound (1)

In which the aryl group is p-Chloro phenyl. The Aromatic protons were 6 types as follows: 7.99, 7.83, 7.78 ppm. for carbon 8 of naphthyl ring, 7.71, 7.70 ppm. for proton 5. this ring 7.54, 7.40 ppm. for protons 6,7 while protons 4,3 appeared at 7.12, 7.11 and 7.054, 7.02 ppm. Phenyl protons appeared as AB (q) at 6.79, 6.78 ppm.
CH$_2$ protons of the oxazine ring between oxygen and nitrogen appeared at 5.54, 5.5ppm. and the other CH$_2$ protons appeared at 4.96, 4.77ppm. protons of naphthyl ring protons appeared as two triplet signals which can be easily differentiated from other protons.

Table 3: Physical properties of compounds (10-13).

| Comp. No. | Ar                  | IR $\nu$ cm$^{-1}$ (neet) | Others       |
|-----------|---------------------|----------------------------|--------------|
| 1         | Cl                  | Ar C-H 3059, C=N 1588, 1482, C=C 1366, C=O 1220, 1094 | C-Cl 736     |
| 2         | NO2                 | Ar C-H 3048, C=N 1586, 1454, C=C 1328, C=O 1204, 1157 | C-H alph 2910 |
| 3         | S                  | Ar C-H 3020, C=N 1572, 1462, C=C 1381, C=O 1256, 1066 | C-S 749      |
| 4         | Cl                  | Ar C-H 3051, C=N 1588, 1464, C=C 1390, C=O 1215, 1046 | N-O sym 1259, asym 1508 |
| 5         | Br                  | Ar C-H 3061, C=N 1586, 1478, C=C 1368, C=O 1219, 1064 | C-Br 486     |
**Compound (2), Ar is (4-methyl-2-pyridyl)**

This compound also showed 6 signals for the aromatic protons resonated at 8.1, 8.0, 7.5, 7.4, 6.85ppm, for 8,5,6, 7,3,4 protons while the phenyl protons appeared at 7.9, 7.89 ppm. for AB like system, 7.53, 7.52 ppm. for the rest protons nearly equivalents oxazine protons, CH2 resonated at 5.7, 5.68 ppm. for protons 4,3 respectively.

**Compound (6) Ar is (2-Bromo phenyl)**

Protons NMR chart for this compound also showed the following signals: 8.0, 8.02, 7.5, 7.45, 7.65, 6.91ppm. for naphthyl ring protons of 8,5 protons, 6,7 and 3,4 protons respectively for oxazine ring protons 6.1, 5.05ppm while the phenyl ring protons 7.61 ortho to carbon bearing Br substituent, 6.67, 7.21, 6.65ppm. for the next protons the value of 6.65ppm. is for proton of the ring adjacent to the nitrogen attachment.

**Compound (8) where Ar is (p-Amino phenyl)**

This compound showed the following resonating signals :8.1, 8.02, 7.5, 7.45, 7.64, 6.9ppm. for 8,5,6,7 and 4,3 protons respectively. Oxazine protons showed two signals (with and opposite side of ring plane) at 6.1, 6.05ppm. for CH2 between N, O atoms and near N atom respectively. The phenyl protons appeared as two types of protons; near nitrogen oxazine attachment at 6.1, 6.05ppm, near NH2 on both sides 6.45, 6.46ppm. while the phenyl NH protons resonated at 5.5.

**Compound (9) where Ar is (o-methyl, P-Nitro phenyl)**

This compound was also giving 3 types of protons of the NMR spectra of naphthyl ring protons resonating at 8.1, 8.02, 7.54, 7.41, 7.65, 6.91ppm. for 8,7,6,5 and 3,4 protons. The oxazine ring protons were resonating at 5.0, 6ppm. for CH2 near N atom and between N, O atoms respectively. Phenyl ring protons of two types resonating at 7.89, 7.87ppm. near NO2 group, 6.0ppm. near nitrogen attachment of the oxazine ring, CH2 of oxazine near nitrogen 5.0 ppm, 6.1ppm. for the CH2 protons of the oxazine between N, O atoms while the protons of the phenyl ring appeared at 2.1 ppm.

**N-substituted, Methyl or Phenyl Benzoxazine -4- one Compounds (11-14)**

The detail of IR data for these compounds were shown in Table 4. The NMR spectra of some selected samples were characterized by the following resonating signals:

| Comp. No. | X                  | IR υ cm⁻¹ (neet) |
|-----------|--------------------|------------------|
| Y         |                    | N-H | Ar C-H | alph C-H | C=O | C=C-C=N | C=C-C=Ar | C=N others |
| 11        | CH₃                | 3233| 3011   | 2977     | 1740| 1668    | 1569     | 1266       |
| 12        | CH₃                | 3279| 3130   | 2924     | 1741| 1689    | 1637     | 1511       |
| 13        | CH₃                | 3271| 3031   | 2810     | 1671| 1585    | 1585,150,1428 | 1289       |
**Compound (11) 2-n-methyl-N-t-butyl-4-oxo benzo-1,3-Diazino Carbamate**

The benzene ring protons were found at 8.12, ppm, for carbon 5 proton, 7.65, for carbon 8 proton. The other protons of this ring were resonated at 7.86, 7.65, 7.61ppm for protons at carbon,7,6 respectively, protons of the t-Butyl group appeared at 1.48ppm, 3.16 ppm for CH₃NH at 10ppm.

**Compound (12) N-2thiazolyl-4 benzo-1,3-Diazine-4-one**

Benzene ring protons appeared at 8.4, 8.0, 7.62ppm assigned to protons 2,5,8 and at 7.7, 7.66ppm, for protons 7,6 respectively. The thiozolyl protons appeared at 7.2 (near nitrogen proton), the other at 6.7 ppm, 3.18ppm, for CH₃ of Diazine ring protons and 2.35ppm for pyridyl protons (Figures 1, 2).
Conclusions

We conclude from the above study that all the synthesized compounds were a really oxazine compounds that is comes from their structure’s elucidation using the spectral data for both green techniques used on their synthesis. The screening effects will be studied and their results will be our next paper.

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