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Graphical Abstract

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Studies on Synthesis of Amino Acid Derived Thiazoles. Preparation of Bis-Thiazoles as Key Fragments of Aerucyclamide Analogs.	
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The scope and limitations of Hantzsch, modified Hantzsch and Kelly methodologies for the synthesis of amino acid derived thiazoles have been presented. In addition, bis-thiazoles as key fragments of natural products and analogs were obtained.	
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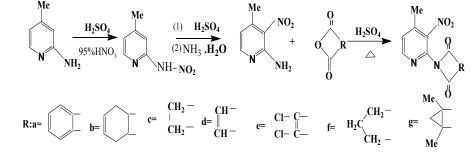
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 Synthesis of 2,3-disubstituted pyridine derivatives with microwave

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2-Amino-4-methyl-3-nitropyridine are important intermediates for synthesis of 2,3 -substituted pyridine derivatives. Seven novel 2dicarbonylimideyl-3-nitro-4-methylpyridine (e-g) are synthesized with microwave in high yield and confirmed by spectral (¹HNMR, ¹³C NMR) analysis and elemental analysis.



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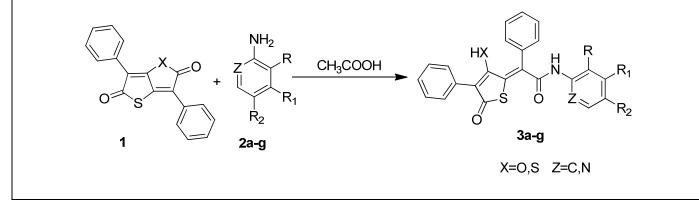
 Synthesis of some new pulvinamides and their anti-inflammatory activity

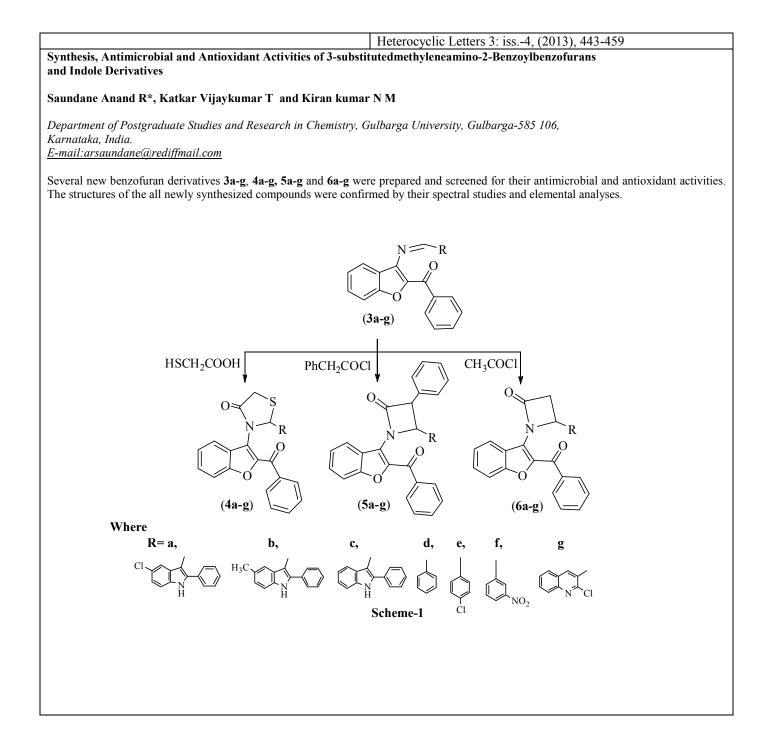
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Reaction of 3,6-diphenylthieno[3,2-*b*]furan-2,5-dione (1) with substituted anilines (2a-g) in glacial acetic acid afforded 2-(3-hydroxy-5oxo-4-phenylthiophen-2(5*H*)-ylidene)-*N*,2-diphenylacetamides (3a-g). Similarly reaction of 3,6-diphenylthieno[3,2-*b*]thiophene-2,5-dione (4) with substituted anilines (5a-e) in acidic medium afforded 2-(3-mercapto-5-oxo-4-phenylthiophen-2(5*H*)-ylidene)-*N*,2diphenylacetamides (6a-e). All the compounds have screened *in vitro* for their anti-inflammatory activity against the carrageenan induced rat paw oedema in albino rats. In the primary screening, some of the compounds 3b, 3c, 3e, 3g and 6e exhibited significant activity.





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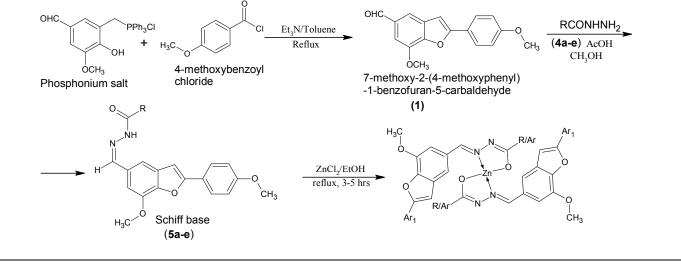
 Synthesis and computational stydy of 7-methoxy-2-[4-methoxyphenyl]-1-benzofuran-5-Carboxaldehyde and synthesis of its schiff bases

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Vanillin undergoes sequence of reaction forming phosphonium salt through dimethyaminomethyl derivative (Mannich reaction). The synthesis of phosphonium salt can be achieved by sequence of three steps which was condense with 4-methoxybenzoyl chlorides by refluxing in toluene in presence of triethylamine forming 7-Methoxy-2-[4-methoxyphenyl]-l-benzofuran-5-carboxaldehyde (1). Computational study of (1) such as Binding energy, density of state, HOMO, LUMO, charge density and reactivity is done by using density functional theory. The aldehyde (1) is condensed with series of hydrazides (4a-e) forming schiff bases (5a-e). The acid hydrazide was synthesized from corresponding carboxylic acid (2a-e). The schiff bases (5a-e) are characterized by IR, NMR and mass spectra.



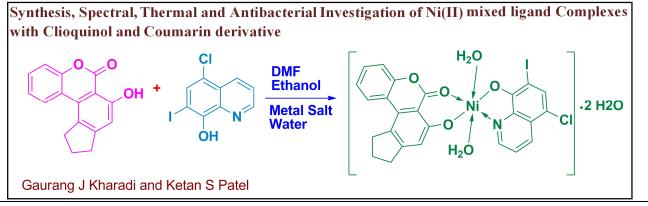
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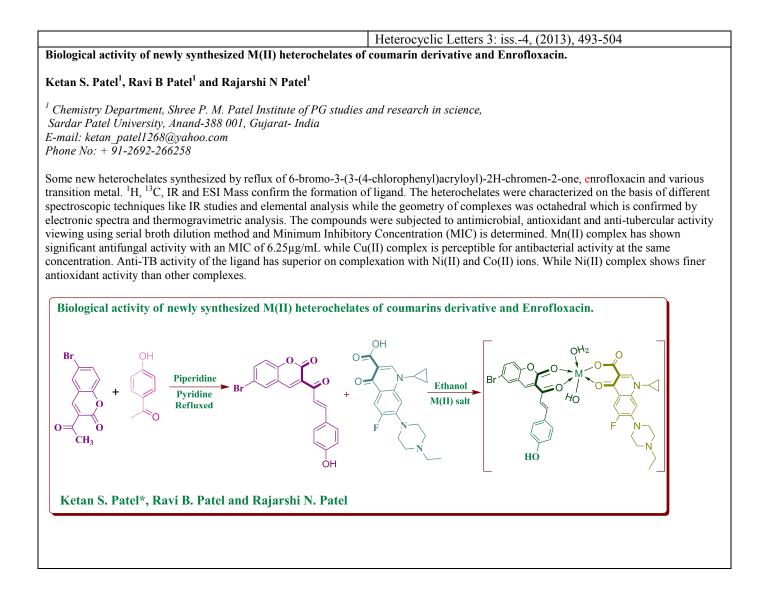
Synthesis, Spectral, Thermal and Antibacterial Investigation of Ni(II) mixed ligand Complexes with Clioquinol and Coumarin derivative

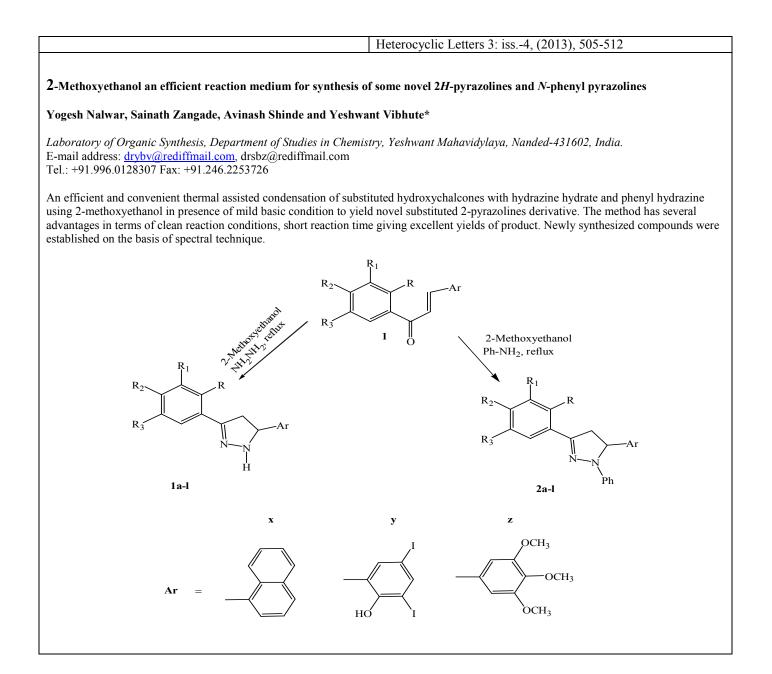
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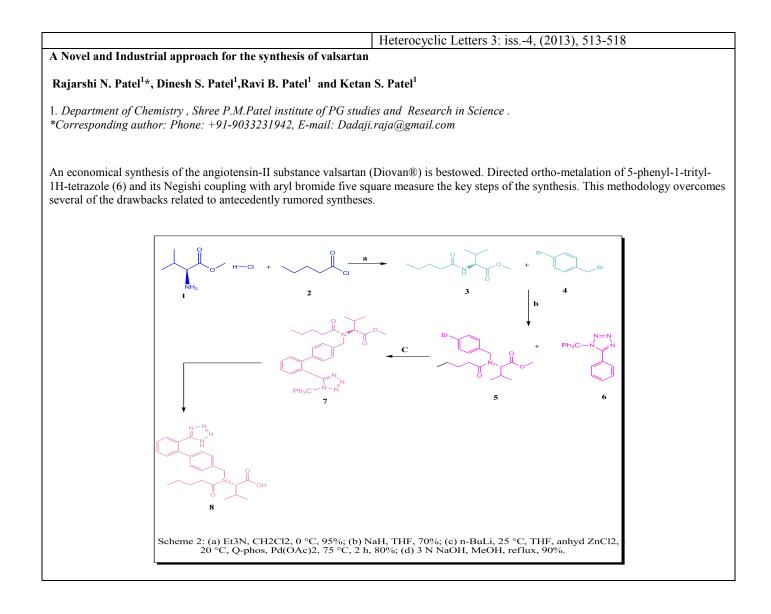
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The antibiotic agent clioquinol is well known for its drug design and coordinating ability towards metal ions. Ni(II) complexes of clioquinol with various monobasic bidentate ligands have been prepared. All the complexes have been synthesized, characterized and screened for their *in vitro* antibacterial activity against a range of Gram-positive and Gram-negative bacteria. Structural and spectroscopic properties have been studied on the basis of elemental analysis, infrared spectra, NMR spectra, electronic spectra, magnetic measurements, FAB mass spectrum and thermo gravimetric analysis. The kinetic parameters such as order of reaction (n = 0.97 to 1.51) and the energy of activation ($E_a = 3.76$ to 88.40 kJmol⁻¹) have been reported using Freeman-Carroll method. The pre-exponential factor (A), the activation entropy ($S^* = -175$ to -283 JK⁻¹mol⁻¹), the activation enthalpy ($H^* = 0.856$ to 80.97 kJmol⁻¹) and the free energy of activation ($G^* = 97.6$ to 251 kJmol⁻¹) have been calculated.









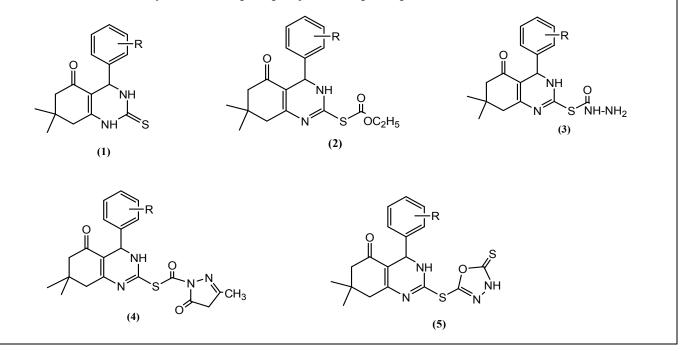
Synthesis and biological evaluation of novel pyrazoles and oxadiazoles derivatives

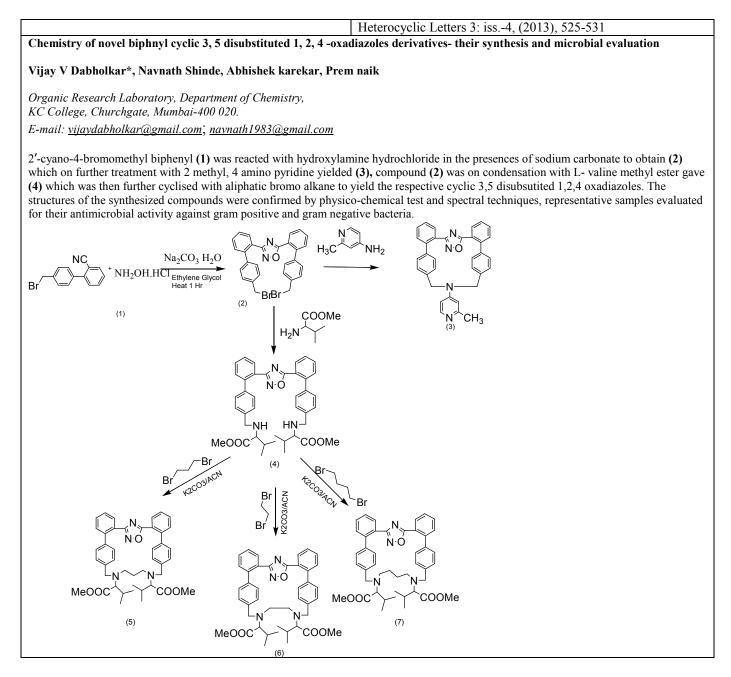
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The Thiocarbonic acid S-(7,7-dimethyl-5-oxo-4-substitured phenyl-1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8-octahydroquinazolin-2-yl)ester-O-ethyl ester (**2a-c**) was synthesized by reacting compounds (**1a-c**) with ethyl chloroformate in dry acetone at refluxed temperature. Compounds (**2a-c**) on reaction with hydrazine hydrate in refluxing ethanol afforded respective carbohydrazide (**3a-c**).

The hydrazide (**3a-c**) was subjected to cyclocondensation with acetyl acetone in dry methanol containing catalytic amount of conc. hydrochloric acid to yield 3-Methyl-5-oxo-4,5-dihydro-pyrazole-1-carbothioic acid S-(7,7-dimethyl-5-oxo-4-substituted phenyl-1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8-octahydro-quinazolin-2yl) ester (**4a-c**). The compound (**3a-c**) on reaction with carbon disulphide and potassium hydroxide in dry methanol under reflux conditions afforded 7,7-dimethyl-4-substituted phenyl-2-(5-thioxo-4,5-dihydro-[1,3,4]oxadiazol-2-ylsulfanyl)-2,3,4,6,7,8-hexahydro-1H-quinazolin-5-one.(**5a-c**). The structures of the compounds was elucidated on the basis of their spectral techniques and also their antimicrobial activity was evaluates against gram positive and gram negative bacteria.





REVIEWS

Heterocyclic Letters 3: iss.-4, (2013), 533-547 Synthesis, reactions and biological activity of derivatives of oximes of four-membered heterocycles

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Literature data on the synthesis and structure of oximes of four-membered heterocycles with one heteroatom were reviewed. Synthesis of

novel heterocycles from oximes of four-membered heterocycles was described. Biological activity of these oximes was also reviewed.