



**SYNTHESIS CHARACTERIZATION AND BIOLOGICAL EVALUATION OF  
NOVEL 1-(5-((3,5-DIMETHYL-4-((4-  
(TRIFLUOROMETHYL)PHENYL)DIAZENYL)-1H-PYRAZOL-1-YL)METHYL)-2-  
METHYL-2-PHENYL-1,3,4-OXADIAZOL-3(2H)-YL)ETHANONE**

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**Abstract:** The article is aimed to synthesize, characterize and screening the biological activity of 1-(5-((3,5-dimethyl-4-((4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)diazenyl)-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)methyl)-2-methyl-2-phenyl-1,3,4-oxadiazol-3(2H)-yl)ethanone 8(a-f). 1-Chloro-2-phenyldiazene and pentane-2,4-dione were dissolved in DMF. To this reaction mixture anhydrous  $K_2CO_3$  was added and the reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature ( $35^\circ C$ ) for 8 hours. To afford 3-(phenylamino)pentane-2,4-dione. To this reaction mixture added Hydrazine hydride, chloroethyl acetate, acetophenone, EtOH and three drops of acetic acid is added and then heated on a steam bath for 5-6 hrs. To obtain 2-(3,5-dimethyl-4-((4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)diazenyl)-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)-N'-(1-phenylethylidene)acetohydrazide Compound (7). Finally compound 7(a) is treated with acetic anhydride to obtain target molecule 1-(5-((3,5-dimethyl-4-((4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)diazenyl)-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)methyl)-2-methyl-2-phenyl-1,3,4-oxadiazol-3(2H)-yl)ethanone. The structure of these newly synthesized compounds were characterized by  $^1H$  NMR,  $^{13}C$  NMR, Mass, IR, and elemental analysis. The antimicrobial activity of the novel compounds was screened by agar disc diffusion method.

**Keywords;-** Antibacterial activity, Antifungal activity, DMF acetic anhydride, 1,3,4 oxadiazole, pyrazole

### **Introduction**

Heterocyclic compounds represents an important class of biological molecules. The heterocyclic molecules which possess indole, 1,3,4 oxadiazole and pyrazole moieties exhibit wide range of biological activities. Pyrazoles are one of the most important alkaloids molecules found extensively in biological systems, which play vital role in many of the biochemical processes. Pyrazole ring constitutes an important basic skeleton and development of the drug. The classical indole drugs are N-cyclohexyl-5-phenyl-1-(quinolin-2-yl)-1H-pyrazole-4-carboxamide and N,N-diethyl-5-phenyl-1-(quinolin-2-yl)-1H-pyrazole-4-carboxamide. Pyrazole derivatives found to possess high range of biological activities which

includes antibacterial, analgesic, antipyretic, antifungal, anti-inflammatory, anthelmintic, cardiovascular, anticonvulsant activities<sup>1-5</sup>.

Among the five member heterocyclic compounds, 1,3,4-oxadiazoles has become an important synthon for the development new therapeutic agents. Compounds with 1,3,4-oxadiazole core substantiate for broad spectrum of biological activities including antimicrobial<sup>6</sup>, antifungal<sup>7</sup>, anti-inflammatory<sup>8</sup>, anticonvulsant<sup>9</sup>, antioxidant, analgesic<sup>10</sup> and mutagenic activity<sup>11</sup>. Compounds containing quinoline moiety are most widely used as antimalarials<sup>12</sup>, antibacterials<sup>13</sup>, antifungals<sup>14</sup>, anticancer agents<sup>15</sup> and potential HIV-1 integrase inhibitors<sup>16-17</sup>.

## MATERIALS AND METHODS

Melting points were determined on open capillaries using a cintex melting point apparatus. T.L.C. analysis were performed on precoated silica gel (E-Merck Kieselgel 60 F<sub>254</sub>) plates and visualisation was done by exposing to iodine vapour. Solvent were purified by standard procedures before use. Column chromatography was conducted by using Silica gel with different solvent systems as elutes. IR Spectra were recorded KBr on perkin-Elmer spectrum BX series FTIR spectrometer. <sup>1</sup>H-NMR spectrum were recorded on varian zemini 300MHz and 200MHz spectrometers using TMS as internal standard (chemical shifts in δ ppm). <sup>13</sup>C-NMR spectra were recorded on a brucker 75MHz spectrometer. mass spectra were scanned on a varian MATCH -7 and jeol JMSD-300 mass spectrometer at 70 eV. elemental analysis were carried out on carloerba 106 and perkin-analyser. all the chemicals used in the present investigation were purchased from Aldrich chemicals; U.S.A

## EXPERIMENTAL SECTION:

### Synthesis of 3-(phenylamino)pentane-2,4-dione(3a):

A mixture of 1-chloro-2-phenyldiazene, anhydrous K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>, pentane-2,4-dione and DMF were stirred at room temperature for 8 hours. The reaction mixture was diluted with ice cold water. The separated solid was identified as 3-(phenylamino)pentane-2,4-dione (3a):

### Synthesis of 3,5-dimethyl-4-(phenyldiazenyl)-1H-pyrazole(4a):

A solution of 3(a) (0.01mol) and hydrazine hydrate (0.015) in ethanol (20ml) was refluxed for 5 hours. The reaction mixture was cooled and poured in to ice cold water with stirring. The separated solid was filtered, washed with water and recrystallised from ethanol.

### Ethyl 2-(3,5-dimethyl-4-(phenyldiazenyl)-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)acetate(5a):

An equimolar mixture of ethyl 2-(3,5-dimethyl-4-(phenyldiazenyl)-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)acetate(5a) and chloroethyl acetate were dissolved in dimethyl formamide solvent and to this reaction mixture anhydrous K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> was added and the reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature (35°C) for 8 hours and the progress of the reaction was monitored by TLC using cyclohexane and ethylacetate solvent mixture (7:3) as eluent the reaction mixture was kept over night. After completion of the reaction the solvent was evaporated on rota-evaporator. The gummy solid was separated and it was recrystallised from 2-propanol-petroleum ether (80°C) solvent mixture. The crystalline solid was found to be ethyl 2-(3,5-dimethyl-4-(phenyldiazenyl)-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)acetate(5a) with a yield of 75% and mp 143-145°C.

### 2-(3,5-dimethyl-4-(phenyldiazenyl)-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)-N'-(1-phenylethylidene)acetohydrazide(7a):

To the solution of 2-(3,5-dimethyl-4-((4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)diazenyl)-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)acetohydrazide 6(a) (0.01mole) in hot methanol (25ml), acetophenone(0.01) and a drop of

glacial acetic acid were added. The solid that separated on refluxing for 3 hours was filtered, washed with cold methanol and recrystallised from methanol to give 7(a). M.P. 236<sup>0</sup>C, yield 84%. The IR (KBr) spectrum of 2-(3,5-dimethyl-4-(phenyldiazenyl)-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)-N'-(1-phenylethylidene)acetohydrazide (7a) was recorded in the range 4000-667 cm<sup>-1</sup> and the absorption signals were found at 3100 (-NH), 3075 (ν-Ar-H), 2850 and 2958 (ν aliphatic CH<sub>2</sub> and CH<sub>3</sub>), 1725 (ν CO of ester group), 1610 (C=N), and 1155 (ν C-O-C of ester group).

<sup>1</sup> H NMR spectra (300 MHz, (CD)<sub>2</sub> SO, TMS): ; 2.53 (s, 3H, attached to phenyl ring), 2.52 (s, 3H, CH<sub>3</sub> attached to pyrazole ring), 4.90 (s, 1H, -N-NH), 3.98 (s, 2H, -N-CH<sub>2</sub>), 3.55 (s, 2H, -N-CH<sub>2</sub>), 7.15 - 8.35 (m, 9H due to 9H of two phenyl rings).

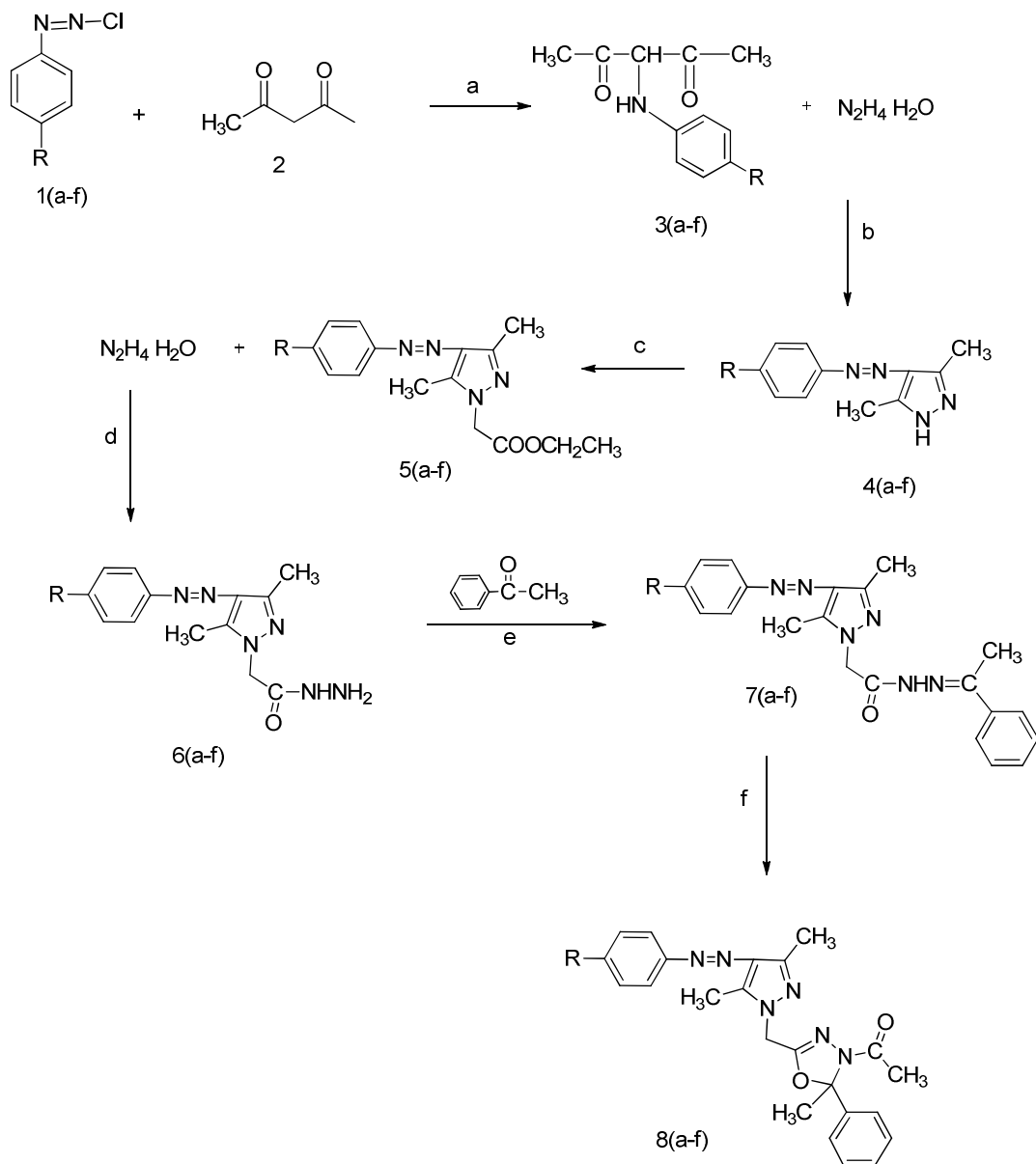
**1-(5-((3,5-dimethyl-4-(phenyldiazenyl)-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)methyl)-2-methyl-2-phenyl-1,3,4-oxadiazol-3(2H)-yl)ethanone 8(a):**

A mixture of 3(a) (0.01 mole) and excessive acetic anhydride (10 ml) was refluxed for two hours.

The excessive acetic anhydride was distilled off and the residue was poured in to crushed ice. The solid thus obtained was filtered, washed with water and recrystallised from aqueous methanol to furnish the obtained compound. M.P. 185<sup>0</sup>C, yield 58 %

The IR (KBr) spectrum of 1-(5-((3,5-dimethyl-4-(phenyldiazenyl)-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)methyl)-2-methyl-2-phenyl-1,3,4-oxadiazol-3(2H)-yl)ethanone 8(a) was recorded in the range 4000-667 cm<sup>-1</sup> and the absorption signals were found at 3198 (-NH), 3045 (ν-Ar-H), 2975 and 2958 (ν aliphatic CH<sub>2</sub> and CH<sub>3</sub>), 1755 (ν CO of ester group), 1640 (C=N), and 1195 (ν C-O-C of ester group).

<sup>1</sup> H NMR spectra (300 MHz, (CD)<sub>2</sub> SO, TMS): ; 2.23 (s, 3H, attached to phenyl ring), 2.42 (s, 3H, CH<sub>3</sub> attached to pyrazole ring), 3.78 (s, 2H, -N-CH<sub>2</sub>), 2.46 (s, 3H, -CO-CH<sub>3</sub>), 3.77 (s, 2H, -N-CH<sub>2</sub>), 7.2 - 8.5 (m, 9H due to 9H of two phenyl rings), 2.55 (s, 3H, attached to 1,3,4-oxadiazole ring).



|      |    |                  |                   |     |                  |                  |
|------|----|------------------|-------------------|-----|------------------|------------------|
| Comp | 7a | 7b               | 7c                | 7d  | 7e               | 7f               |
|      | 8a | 8b               | 8c                | 8d  | 8e               | 8f               |
| R    | -H | -CH <sub>3</sub> | -OCH <sub>3</sub> | -Cl | -NO <sub>2</sub> | -CF <sub>3</sub> |

Characterization of above compound

| COMPOUN<br>D | YIEL<br>D | M.P.O <sup>0</sup><br>C | % of Analysis |           |           |           |           |           |
|--------------|-----------|-------------------------|---------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
|              |           |                         | C             |           | H         |           | N         |           |
|              |           |                         | Calc<br>d     | FOUN<br>D | Calc<br>d | FOUN<br>D | Calc<br>d | FOUN<br>D |
| 8a           | 58%       | 185                     | 58.33         | 57.31     | 3.70      | 3.73      | 19.44     | 19.43     |
| 8b           | 55%       | 190                     | 59.19         | 59.17     | 4.06      | 4.03      | 18.83     | 18.82     |
| 8c           | 53%       | 180                     | 57.14         | 57.13     | 3.89      | 3.92      | 18.17     | 18.18     |
| 8d           | 52%       | 182                     | 53.73         | 53.68     | 54.07     | 54.01     | 18.02     | 18.00     |
| 8e           | 56%       | 185                     | 52.83         | 52.82     | 3.14      | 3.17      | 20.53     | 20.54     |
| 8f           | 51%       | 180                     | 52.80         | 52.79     | 3.00      | 3.02      | 16.80     | 16.79     |

#### Anti-Bacterial Activity

The anti bacterial activity of synthesized compounds was studied by the disc diffusion method against the following pathogenic organisms. The gram-positive bacteria screened were staphylococcus aureus NCCS 2079 . The gram negative bacteria screened were Escherichia coli NCCS 2065 and pseudomonas aeruginosa NCCS 2200.

The synthesized compounds were used at the concentration of 250 µg/ml and 500µg/ml using DMSO as a solvent the Ciprofloxacin 10µg/ml disc was used as a standard .(Himedia,Laboratories Ltd, Mumbai).

The test results presented in the table -1, suggest that 8b,8d,8e exhibit high activity against the tested bacteria, the rest of the compounds were found to be moderate active against the tested microorganisms.

#### Antifungal activity

Compounds were treated at the concentrations of 500µg/ml and 1000µg/ml using DMSO as solvent. The standard used was Cyclopiroxolamine 50µg/ml against both organisms. The test results were presented in the table-2.

TABLE.- Antibacterial activity by disc diffusion method of pyrazole linked 1,3,4 oxadiazole 8(a.f).

| Compound      | Zone of inhibition (mm) |                |            |                        |
|---------------|-------------------------|----------------|------------|------------------------|
|               | E.Coli                  | Staphylococcus | Klebsiella | Pseudomonas aeruginosa |
| 8a            | 7.5(18)                 | 7.5(20)        | 7.5(18)    | 7.5(18)                |
| 8b            | 14(15)                  | 14(15)         | 14(18)     | 8(18)                  |
| 8c            | 11(10)                  | -              | -          | 12.5(15)               |
| 8d            | 13(14)                  | -              | 7.5(12)    | -                      |
| 8e            | 14(15)                  | -              | 7.5(11)    | -                      |
| 8f            | 8(18)                   | 8(16)          | 7.5(18)    | -                      |
| Ciprofloxacin | 6.25(30)                | 6.25(30)       | 6.25(27)   | 6.25(28)               |

Table-;2 Antifungal activity by disc diffusion method for pyrazole linked 1,3,4 oxadiazole 8(a.f).

| Compound          | Zone of inhibition (mm) |              |
|-------------------|-------------------------|--------------|
|                   | Penicillium             | Trichophyton |
| 8a                | 7.5(18)                 | 7.5(18)      |
| 8b                | 13(15)                  | 13(11)       |
| 8c                | 13(10)                  | -            |
| 8d                | 13(15)                  | -            |
| 8e                | 13(12)                  | -            |
| 8f                | 7.5(16)                 | 7.5(18)      |
| Cyclopiroxolamine | 7.5(27)                 | 3.12(30)     |

#### Conclusions:

1. Further more the substitution with phenyl group having a chloro group at p-position showed better activities.
2. The pyrazole derivatives showed better antibacterial and antifungal activities.
3. 1,3,4 oxadiazoles and its derivatives were found to play an important role in medicinal chemistry as herbicidal, fungicidal, bacterial, anti-inflammatory.

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