

Synthesis And Study The Biological Activity of Some Schiff-Bases Derived From 2- Aminothiazole or 2-Aminobenzothiazole and Vanillin Derivatives

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Abstract

Two series of 1,n-alkylene glycol di[4{N(2⁻-thiazolylazo-
methinyl)}2-methoxy] phenyl ether and 1,n-alkylene glycol
di[4{N(2⁻-benzo-thiazolylazomethinyl)}2-methoxy]phenyl ether were
synthesized via reactions 2-aminothiazole and 2-aminobenzothiazole
with dialdehyde , (which are synthesized from reaction vanillin with
1,n-dibromo or chloro alkane in the basic media) . The new
compounds characterized by elemental analysis (of some of theme) ,
physical and spectral data .All the schiff-bases have been screened for
their antifungal and antibacterial activity against *Aspergillus niger* ,
Escherichia coli (G-) and *Staphylococcus aureus* (G+) . All
compounds were found to be active antibacterial and antifungal
(except [III]₁₂ was not show any antifungal activity).

Introduction

The chemistry of 2-aminothiazoles and their derivatives has
attracted the attention of chemists , since they exhibit important
biological activity in medicinal chemistry (1) . 2-Aminothiazoles are
known mainly as biologically active compounds such as: antifungi ,
antibacterial (2,3) and anti-inflammatory (4) . And as an intermediates
in the synthesis of antibiotics , well known sulfa drugs , and some
dyes (5). 2-Aminobenzothiazoles and their derivatives has multiple

applications, they have a broad spectrum of biological activities (6-8) . And as intermediates for dyes (9) , and also show very intensive antitumor activity (10). On the other hand , bis-benzothiazoles and substituted bis-benzothiazoles are frequently fluorescent compounds and therefore convenient for fluorimetric measurements , which could serve as a potential method for detection of binding the biologically active compounds on DNA(11) . Schiff-bases containing benzothiazoles moiety show microbiological activity . The compounds [1]_{a,b} exhibited antibacterial activity against Bacillus subtilis as (G+) bacteria(12)but not show any significant antifungal activity .

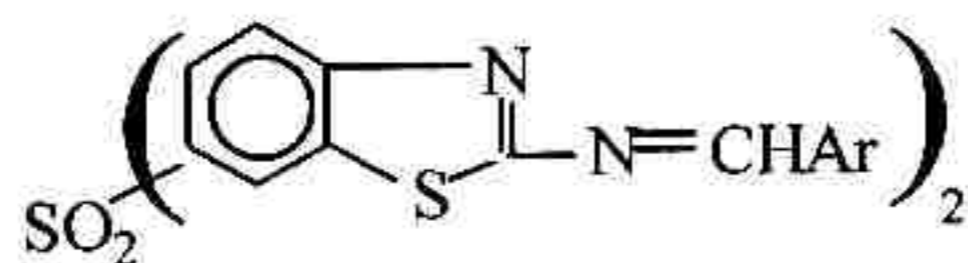
Schiff-bases derived from vanillin and 4-aminoantipyrine showed antibacterial activity against P. Pseudoalcaligenes , Vulgaris , Freundii , S. Subfava and B.megaterum(13) .

According to above facts , we decided to synthesize Schiff-bases compounds derived from 2-aminothiazole or 2-aminobenzothiazole and vanillin derivatives .

Experimental

Chemicals: Most of chemicals used were supplied from Aldrich , Merck and BDH chemicals Co. and were used as received .

Techniques: Melting points were determined by using an (Electro thermal) melting point apparatus and are uncorrected. IR spectra were



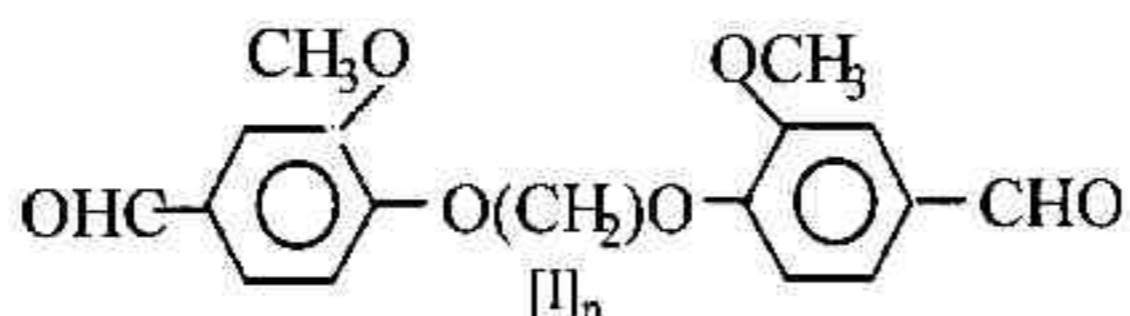
[1]_{a,b}

Ar = C₆H₅ - [1]_a or P-MeOC₆H₄- [1]_b

recorded on a PYE-UNICAME sp 1712 infrared spectrophotometer (KBr disc) and the UV spectra were performed on a Shimadzu UV-visible- 160 spectrophotometer . Elemental analysis were carried out by using Caro-Erba 5500 elemental analyzer .

Synthesis

- n-Alkyleneglycol di (4-formyl-2-methoxy) phenyl ether [I]_n

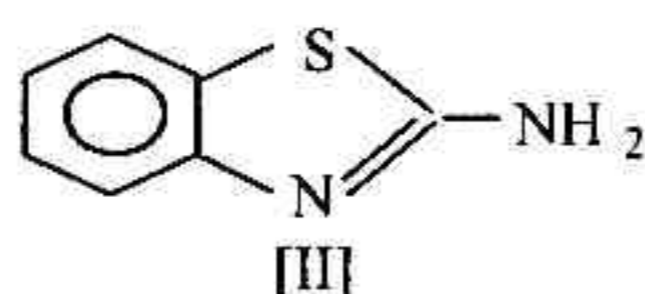


$n=2,3,4,10$ and 12

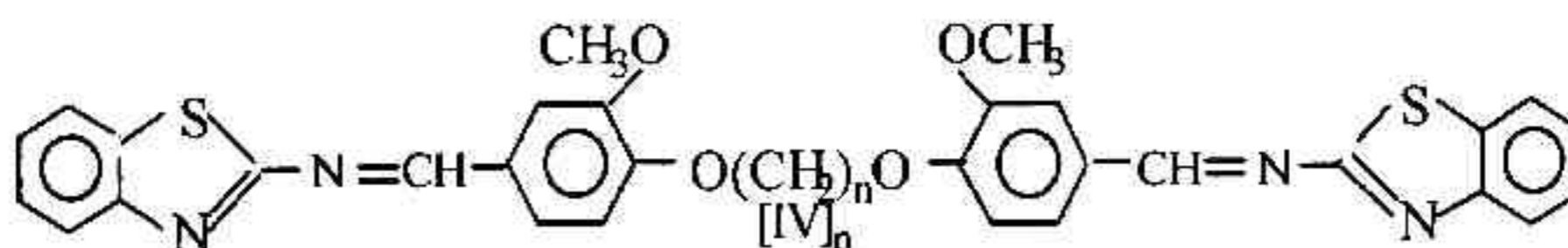
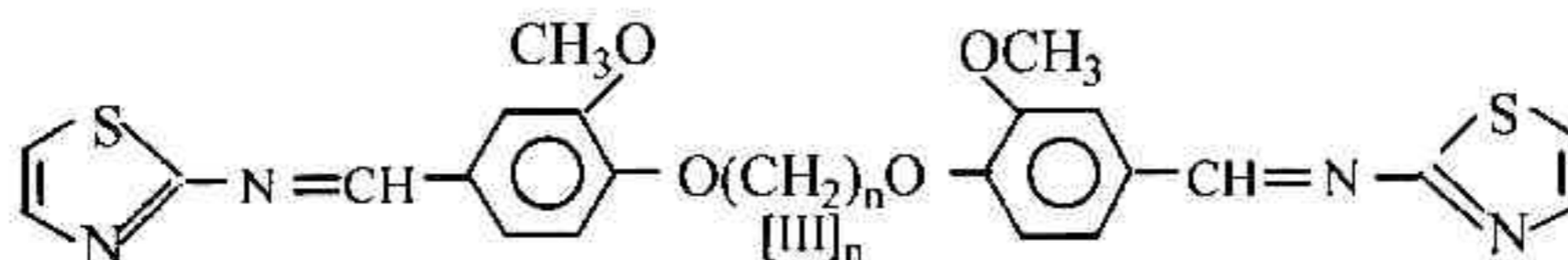
In a 100 mL flask , 3-methoxy-4-hydroxybenzaldehyde (2.44 gm , 0.02 mol) was dissolved in 15 mL of dry N,N - dimethylformamide (DMF).

Anhydrous sodium carbonate (2.65 gm , 0.025 mol) and (0.01 mol) of the appropriate 1,n-dibromo or chloro alkane were added to the reaction mixture . The stirred mixture was heated under reflux for 4hrs , allowed to cool and Then poured into 400mL of cold water , cooled to 5 °C overnight .The precipitated was formed, filtered and washed with water , dried in air and recrystallized from ethanol(14),(yields 85-94%) .

-Aminobenzothiazoles[II] : was prepared according to the Literature (15) .



1,n-alkyleneglycol di[4{N(2⁻-thiazolylazomethinyl)}2-methoxy]phenyl ether [III]_n and 1,n-alkyleneglycol di[4{N(2⁻-benzothiazolylazo-methinyl)}2-methoxy]phenyl ether [IV]_n .



A mixture of compound [I]_n (0.01mole) , 2-aminothiazole or 2-amino benzothiazole (0.02mole) , glacial acetic acid (3drops) and absolute ethanol (15 mL) was refluxed for 4 hrs . The mixture was then cooled to room temperature, then precipitate was formed filtered and recrystallized from chloroform. Physical properties of the synthesized compounds are given in table 1 .

Results and Discussions

1,n-Alkyleneglycol di (4-formyl-2-methoxy) phenyl ether [I]_n were obtained from the reaction of vaniline with 1,n-dibromo or dichloro alkane using DMF as the solvent in basic medium (NaCO₃) . The structures of these compounds were characterized by IR spectroscopy. The IR-spectra of these compounds showed the disappearance of a C=H stretching band of 4-hydrobenzaldehyde.

2-Aminobenzothiazoles [II] was synthesized by using the literature (15) . The structure of this compound was identified by IR spectrum , which is showed three prominent bands in the region (3190–3345) cm⁻¹ , 1620 cm⁻¹ and (2120–2160) cm⁻¹ which are attributed to the NH₂ symmetrical and asymmetrical stretching frequency (typical amino NH₂ pair of bands) and a stretching band of C=N and S-C=N parameter of thiazole ring , respectively.

The compounds [I]_n were allowed to react with 2-aminothiazole and 2-aminobenzothiazole in the presence of catalytic amount of glacial acetic acid and absolute ethanol to give Schiff-bases series [III]_n and [IV]_n . The structure of these compounds were confirmed on the bases of their melting points Table (1) , elemental analysis for some of them , IR and UV spectra .

Table (2) showed the value of elemental analysis for some of them which are in good agreement with the theoretical data .

IR- absorption bands of these compounds showed the disappearance of two absorption bands due to NH₂ stretching of aminothiazol and aminobenzothiazol with the appearance of stretching band in the range (1640–1675) cm⁻¹ attribute to the Imine C=N group. It also show a stretching band in the range (2750-2945) cm⁻¹ due to aliphatic – CH₂- stretching . Table 3 exhibited the characteristic IR absorption bands of these compounds and the UV data (λ_{max}) which are obtained in DMSO (as a solvent) [C(M)=1×10⁻³] .

Biological Screening : Antibacterial and Antifungal Activity Test.

Biologically significant of 2-aminothiazole and 2-amino benzothiazole derivatives are well documented in the Literature . Such as , 2-Alkylthio-5-benzylideneamine-thiazol was shown to be strong antibacterial and antifungal(16) . And N-benzoyl-N-2-benzothiazolyl thioureas have higher activity against E.Coli and S.aureus(15).

The synthesized compounds Table 4 have been screened for their antifungal activity against *Aspergillus niger* by Poisoned Food technique(17) and antibacterial activity against *Escherichia coli*(G-) and *Staphylococcus aureus*(G+) by agar diffusion technique(18) . Each compound was dissolved in DMSO to give a final concentration of 0.01mg/mL . From the data obtained in Table 4, it is clear that all the compounds exhibited biological activity against bacteria (G-) and (G+) but in different range . Also the number of carbon atoms in alkyl group $(CH_2)_n$ affected on these data . Compounds $[III]_n$ (with $n= 2,3,4,12$) and compounds $[IV]_n$ (with $n= 4,12$) were found to be highly active against E.Coli, Compounds $[IV]_n$ (with $n= 2,3,10$) were found to be moderately active . While Compound $[III]_{10}$ was found to be slightly active against this type of bacteria . Compounds $[III]_n$ (with $n= 3,12$) and compounds $[IV]_n$ (with $n= 4,12$) were found to be highly active . Compounds $[III]_n$ (with $n= 2,4$) and $[IV]_n$ (with $n=2,3$) were found to be moderately active but Compounds $[III]_{10}$ and $[IV]_{10}$ were found to be slightly active against S.aureus . The test against fungi exhibited , all the compounds showed antifungal activity except the compound $[III]_{12}$ which was not show any antifungal activity (Inhibition zone = zero) . Compound $[III]_3$ and compound $[IV]_{12}$ showed very high activity (a complete inhibition), Compound $[III]_2$ and compound $[IV]_n$ (with $n=2,4,$) showed moderately activity .While Compound $[III]_n$ ($n=4,10$) and compound $[IV]$ ($n=3,10$) showed slight activity against *Aspergillus nagger* .

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Table(1) The physical data of new two series [III]_n and [IV]_n .

Com. No.	Formula	M.P(°C)	Yields %	Color
[III] ₂	C ₂₄ H ₂₆ N ₄ O ₄ S ₂	174-175	92	Pale yellow
[III] ₃	C ₂₅ H ₂₈ N ₄ O ₄ S ₂	120-122	84	Pale yellow
[III] ₄	C ₂₆ H ₃₀ N ₄ O ₄ S ₂	118-119	90	Brown
[III] ₁₀	C ₃₂ H ₄₂ N ₄ O ₄ S ₂	104-106	80	Orange
[III] ₁₂	C ₃₄ H ₄₆ N ₄ O ₄ S ₂	76-78	90	Orange
[IV] ₂	C ₃₂ H ₂₆ N ₄ O ₄ S ₂	180-182	90	Pale yellow
[IV] ₃	C ₃₃ H ₂₈ N ₄ O ₄ S ₂	126-128	94	Yellow
[IV] ₄	C ₃₄ H ₃₀ N ₄ O ₄ S ₂	67-69	85	Yellow-green
[IV] ₁₀	C ₄₀ H ₄₂ N ₄ O ₄ S ₂	95-97	88	Yellow
[IV] ₁₂	C ₄₂ H ₄₆ N ₄ O ₄ S ₂	88-89	84	Yellow-green

Table (2) Elemental analysis of the Schiff-base derivatives [VII].

Comp. No.	Theoretical			Experimental		
	C%	H%	N%	C%	H%	N%
[IV] ₂	64.64	4.37	9.42	64.98	4.66	9.96
[IV] ₁₀	67.98	5.94	7.93	68.26	5.59	8.24
[III] ₃	58.59	5.46	10.93	58.89	5.22	10.68
[III] ₁₂	63.94	7.21	8.77	63.64	7.50	8.98

Table (3) haracteristic IR absorption bands and UV data(λ_{max}) of new two series .

Comp. No.	Characteristic bands IR spectra (cm ⁻¹)				UV data
	ν C-H Aliph.	ν C=N Azomethin group	ν C=N thiazole ring	ν C=C Arom.	λ_{max} (nm) in DMSO as a solvent
[III] ₂	2750-2880	1645	1620	1565-1575	290
[III] ₃	2750-2845	1645	1625	1570-1585	292
[III] ₄	2765-2875	1640	1628	1570-1590	296
[III] ₁₀	2790-2880	1650	1625	1565-1590	299
[III] ₁₂	2785-2885	1640	1625	1570-1585	302
[IV] ₃	2735-2910	1670	1630	1590-1605	297
[IV] ₂	2730-2940	1675	1630	1590-1610	298
[IV] ₄	2750-2925	1675	1632	1585-1605	295
[IV] ₁₀	2745-2940	1670	1635	1585-1610	304
[IV] ₁₂	2750-2945	1670	1632	1590-1610	305

Table (4) Results of biological activity of the compounds [III]_n and [IV]_n.

Comp. No.	E. coli (G-)	S. aureus (G+)	A. niger
[III] ₂	+++	++	50%
[III] ₃	+++	+++	100%
[III] ₄	+++	++	25%
[III] ₁₀	+	+	25%
[III] ₁₂	+++	+++	zero%
[IV] ₂	++	++	75%
[IV] ₃	++	++	30%
[IV] ₄	+++		+++55%
[IV] ₁₀	++	+	25%
[IV] ₁₂	+++	+++	100%

High active = +++ (inhibition zone > 14mm) , Moderately active = ++ (inhibition zone 10-13mm) Slightly active = + (inhibition zone 6-9mm) , Inactive = - (inhibition zone < 6mm)

تحضير ودراسة الفعالية البيولوجية لبعض من قواعد شف المشتقة من

2- امينوثيازول او 2-امينوبنزوثيازول ومشتقات

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الخلاصة

شمل هذا البحث على تحضير سلسلتين من قواعد شف هما السلسلة I ، ن الكيلين كلايكول ثنائي [$4(N-2)$ - ثيازولايلايل ازوميثانيل) - { 2-ميثوكسي] فنيل ايثر والسلسلة 1 ، ن الكيلين كلايكول ثنائي [$4(N-2)$ - بنزو ثيازولايلايل ازوميثانيل] - { 2-ميثوكسي] فنيل ايثر وذلك عن طريق مفاعلة 2-امينوثيازول و 2-امينوبنزوثيازول مع ثنائي الالديهيد (الذي حضر من مفاعلة الفانلين مع 1 ، ن-ثنائي برومو او كلورو الكان في وسط قاعدي) . شخست المركبات المحضرة باستعمال التحليل الدقيق للعناصر (للعض منها) والقياسات الطيفية والفيزيائية . اظهرت جميع المركبات المستعملة فعالية بايولوجية تجاه البكتريا المستخدمة بنوعها وتجاه الفطر المستعمل باستثناء المركب III₁₂ , اذ لم يظهر أي فعالية بايولوجية تجاه الفطر المستعمل فقط.