

Synthesis and biological evaluation of 3, 4 - dihydropyrimidines thiones derivatives

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Abstracts

3, 4-dihydropyrimidin-2(1H)-thiones, derivatives were synthesized by one pot solvent free green modified Biginelli cyclocondensation reaction catalyzed by triphenylphosphine as Lewis base. The structures of the synthesized compounds have been elucidated by IR, ¹H NMR and elemental analysis. Synthesized compounds were screened for their antimicrobial screened against the *E.coli* and staphylococcus aureus, Salmonella typhi, Bacillus subtilis, Escherichia coli and antifungal activity against Aspergillus niger, Penicillium crysogenum, Aspergillus flavus, and Candida albicans.

Key words – Dihydropyrimidines, Biginelli, synthesis, antimicrobial, antifungal.

I. Introduction

3, 4-Dihydropyrimidin-2(1H)-thiones, named Biginelli compounds, represent a heterocyclic system of significant pharmacological importance. In the past decades, a wide range of biological effects including anti-inflammatory ^[1], antimicrobial, antifungal, ²⁻³ calcium channel blockers ⁴ activities have been described for these compounds. Much of recently published research has been focused on the synthesis of dihydropyrimidines.

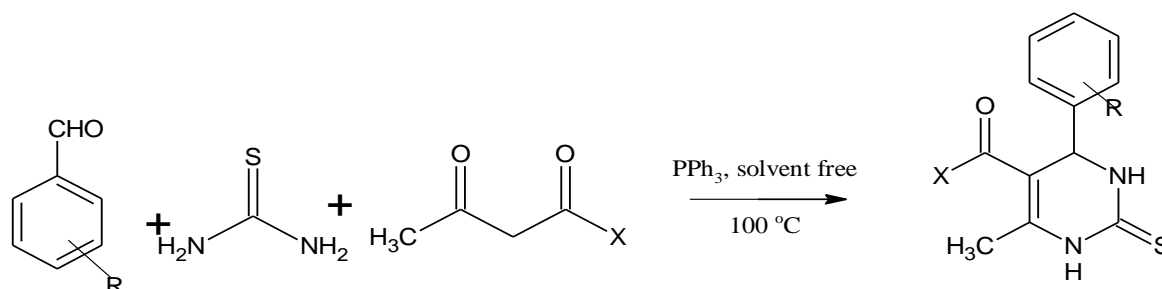
Dihydropyrimidines which are important compounds due to their therapeutic and pharmacological properties. They can serve as the integral of several calcium channel blockers, antihypertensive agents, and a-1a-antagonists and neuropeptide Y (NPY) antagonists. Dihydropyrimidin-2(1H)-thiones shown to possess potential antioxidant activity.⁵

In 1893, Italian Chemist Pietro Biginelli firstly synthesized 3, 4-dihydropyrimidin-2(1H)-one by heating a mixture of the three components in ethanol containing a catalytic amount of HCl. However, this procedure suffers from low yields, long reaction times and harsh reaction condition. ^[5] To overcome these problems number of synthetic catalyst like copper chloride ^[6], tetra butyl ammonium hydrogen sulfate and 50% aqueous NaOH, tetra-butyl ammonium bromide (TBAB), mesoporous aluminosilicate (AlKIT-5) nanocage, CuCl₂.2H₂O and HCL, triphenylphosphine, oxalic acid, . Many workers attempted to improve yield, purity & to develop new methodologies, technique till today. Pyrimidines with other heterocyclic molecules which plays important role in several biological systems.

We wish to report, here, a simple, but effective one pot synthetic procedure for Biginelli's three component cyclocondensation, producing high yields of 3,4-dihydropyrimidin-2(1H)-thiones by employing triphenylphosphine as catalyst. Synthesized compounds are characterized by spectral analysis and subjected to antibacterial and antifungal activity.

General procedure for synthesis of compounds A – T

A mixture of aldehyde (2 mmol), ethyl acetoacetate (2.5 mmol), thiourea (2.5 mmol) and triphenylphosphine (0.2 mmol) was heated with stirring at 100 C for 8 h. After cooling, the reaction mixture was poured into crushed ice with stirring. The crude product was filtered washed with cold water, dried and recrystallized from 95% ethanol or ethyl acetate to give pure products.¹¹



Scheme 1 - General Synthetic scheme of all compounds.

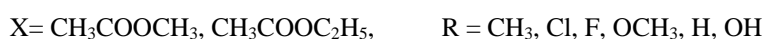


Table 1- Physical and analytical data of synthesized derivatives

| Sr. No | R | X | Molecular Formula | Melting Point (°C)* | Yield (%) |
|--------|---------------|-------------------------------|--|---------------------|-----------|
| A | 4-Chloro | CH ₃ | C ₁₃ H ₁₃ ClN ₂ O ₂ S | 208-210 | 80% |
| B | 4-Fluro | CH ₃ | C ₁₃ H ₁₃ FN ₂ O ₂ S | 180-182 | 82% |
| C | 3-Methyl | CH ₃ | C ₁₄ H ₁₆ N ₂ O ₂ S | 204-206 | 80% |
| D | 2-Methyl | CH ₃ | C ₁₄ H ₁₆ N ₂ O ₂ S | 210-212 | 80% |
| N | 3,4-Fluro | C ₂ H ₅ | C ₁₄ H ₁₄ F ₂ N ₂ O ₂ S | 184-186 | 72% |
| O | 3,4-Methoxy | C ₂ H ₅ | C ₁₆ H ₂₀ N ₂ O ₄ S | 212-214 | 75% |
| P | 2,4,6-Methyl | C ₂ H ₅ | C ₁₇ H ₂₂ N ₂ O ₂ S | 204-206 | 80% |
| R | 2,4,5-Hydroxy | C ₂ H ₅ | C ₁₄ H ₁₆ N ₂ O ₅ S | 212-214 | 70% |
| T | 2,6 -Methyl | C ₂ H ₅ | C ₁₄ H ₁₆ N ₂ O ₂ S | 188-190 | 70% |

Spectroscopic data of selected compounds:-

1) **B**: IR (KBr) in cm⁻¹: N-H str (3309), COOCH₃ (1776), Ar-str (3110), C=C (1573.5), C-F str (1223), C=S (695.2); **¹H NMR (CDCl₃)** H: 7.01-7.77 (Multiplet, 5H, J=228Hz, Ar-CH), 5.39-5.37(d, 2H, J=6Hz,-NH), 3.66(S, 3H,-OCH₃), 2.37(S, 3H, Ar-CH₃); **MASS**: m/z 279.53 (280.31)

2) **I**: IR (KBr) in cm⁻¹: N-H str (3314), COOCH₃ (1799), Ar-str (3111.0), C=C (1572), C=S (692.3); **¹H NMR (CDCl₃)**: 7.08-8.01 (H-Multiplet, 5H, Ar-CH), 5.36-5.34(d, 2H,J=6Hz,NH),4.12-4.07(T, 2H, J=15Hz, CH₂-O-R), 2.38-2.35(d, 6H, J= 9Hz, Ar-CH₃), 1.22-1.15(T, 3H, J=21Hz, R-CH₃),. **MASS**: m/z 291.6 (290.38)

3) **M**: IR (KBr) in cm⁻¹: N-H str (3356.5), COOCH₃ str (1707.6), Ar-str (3011.2), C=C (1502), C=S (651.8) **¹H NMR (CDCl₃)**: 7.27-6.95 (Multiplet, 4H, J=96Hz CH-Ar), 5.59(S, 2H, NH), 4.07-3.96(q, 2H, J=33Hz, CH₂-O-R), 2.40(S, 9H, Ar-CH₃), 1.13-1.06(T, 3H, J=21Hz, R-CH₃),. **MASS**: m/z 305.77(304.4)

4) **O**: IR (KBr) in cm⁻¹: N-H str (3310.2), COOCH₃ str (1663.3), Ar-str (3108.6), C=C (1506.1), C=S (651.8),**¹H NMR (CDCl₃)**: 7.27-6.95 (Multiplet, 4H, J=273Hz CH-Ar), 5.35-5.34(d, 2H, J=3Hz, NH), 4.06-4.16(q, 2H, J=30Hz, CH₂-O-R), 2.37(S, 3H, Ar-CH₃), 1.16-1.23(T, 3H, J=21Hz, R-CH₃), **MASS**: m/z 335.67(336.40)

5) **T**: IR (KBr) in cm⁻¹: N-H str (3365.1), COOCH₃ str (1703.8), Ar-str (3103.8), C=C (1576.5), C=S (687.5) **¹H NMR (CDCl₃)**: 7.17-7.00 (Multiplet, 4H, J=42Hz CH-Ar), 5.98(S, 2H, NH), 3.48(S, 3H,-OCH₃), 2.40-2.26(d, 9H,J=42Hz, Ar-CH₃),**MASS**: m/z 277.7 (276.35).

II. Result and discussion

Literature survey indicates dihydropyrimidines thiones having different important activities like antihypertensive activity, ¹⁴ antitumor activities, ¹⁵ antiepileptics, ¹⁶ anti-inflammatory, ¹⁷ anti-tubercular activity. ¹⁸

Computational tool PASS (prediction of activity spectra for substances) predicted Membrane integrity agonist, [PA-0.8] anti-anginal [PA-0.7], calcium channel blockers [PA-0.6], antihypertensive [PA-0.4], Gout treatment [PA-0.4], antifungal [PA-0.4], antibacterial activity [PA-0.3] for these derivatives. Hence their inhibitory potential has been evaluated

using in vitro biological evaluation study against standards inhibitors. Computational approach has helped in better understanding of inhibitor binding to the enzyme active site.¹⁹⁻²⁰

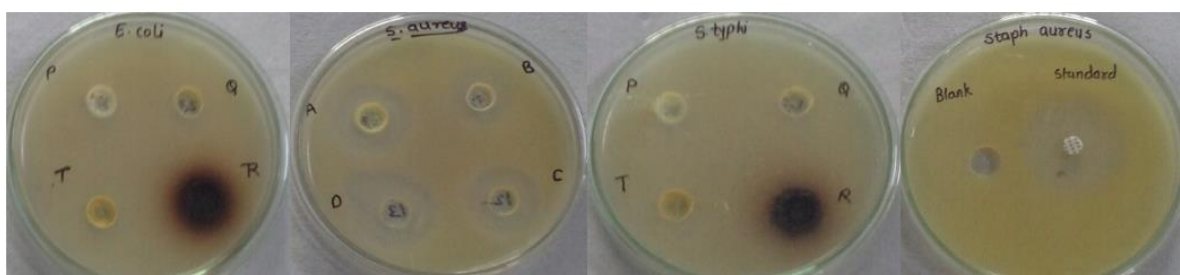
The antibacterial activity^{20- 21} of the synthesized compound was carried out by using agar cup method

using nutrient agar as medium. Stock solution 1% of all compounds was prepared in dimethyl sulphoxide. And incubated for 24 hrs at room temp. Using penicillin as standard drug. The results obtained are presented in Table 2.

Table 2: Antibacterial Data of synthesized compounds

| Sr. No | Compound | Escherichia coli | Salmonella typhi | staphylococcus aureus | Bacillus subtilis |
|--------|-----------|------------------|------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|
| 1 | A | 13mm | -ve | 24mm | 20mm |
| 2 | B | 12mm | 12mm | 20mm | 14mm |
| 3 | C | 13mm | -ve | 23mm | 16mm |
| 4 | D | 12mm | -ve | 27mm | 18mm |
| 5 | O | -ve | -ve | 19mm | 13mm |
| 6 | P | -ve | -ve | 16mm | 15mm |
| 7 | R | 14mm | 16mm | 21mm | 17mm |
| 8 | T | 11mm | -ve | 25mm | 22mm |
| 9 | DMSO | -ve | -ve | -ve | -ve |
| 10 | Pencillin | 13mm | 18mm | 36mm | 18mm |

Legends- -ve = No Antibacterial Activity, Zone of inhibition = - - mm



From the all synthesized compound R shows higher zone of inhibition, compounds A, and C show equal inhibition zone as compared to standard drug (Penicillin). While other compounds had shown less significant activities to E.coli as compared to the standard Penicillin.

The compounds B, E, G, M, and R. showed the significant antimicrobial activity amongst the synthesized compounds. While remaining compounds lacked significant activity to S. typhi as compared to the standard Penicillin.

The compounds A, D, R, and T showed the moderate activities among the synthesized compounds. Other compounds did not show significant activity to S. aureus as compared to standard Penicillin.

From the all synthesized compounds A, T. showed higher activity as compared to standard Penicillin. Compounds D showed the equal activities to B. subtilis among the synthesized compounds.

The Antifungal activity of synthesized compounds was carried out by using the Poison plate method using Potato Dextrose Agar. Stock solutions 1% of all compounds was prepared in dimethyl sulphoxide

and incubated for 48 hrs at room temp. Using Gresofulvin as standard. The results obtained are presented in Table 3.

Table 3: Anti fungal Data of synthesized compounds

| Sr. No | Compounds | Aspergillus Niger | Penecillium Crysogenum | Aspergillus flavus. |
|--------|---------------------------|-------------------|------------------------|---------------------|
| 1 | A | -ve | -ve | -ve |
| 2 | B | -ve | -ve | RG |
| 3 | C | -ve | -ve | RG |
| 4 | D | +ve | -ve | RG |
| 5 | O | +ve | -ve | -ve |
| 6 | P | RG | -ve | RG |
| 7 | Q | -ve | -ve | +ve |
| 8 | R | RG | -ve | RG |
| 9 | T | RG | -ve | RG |
| 10 | +ve Control | +ve | +ve | +ve |
| 11 | -ve Control (Gresofulvin) | -ve | -ve | -ve |



Compounds A, B, C, J, M, and Q showed the good antifungal activities among the synthesized compounds while compounds L, P, R, T .showed moderate activity against Aspergillus Niger. The compounds A, E, J, and O showed good antifungal activities among the synthesized compounds. While compounds B, C, D, G, L, M, P, R, T showed moderate activity against Aspergillus flavus. Other Compounds had shown less significant activities as compared to the standard Gresofulvin.

The Antifungal activity of synthesized compounds was carried out by using Agar Cup Method using Yeast Extracts Malt Extract Agar as nutrient medium. Stock solution 1% of all compounds was prepared in dimethyl sulphoxide. This is incubated for 48 hrs at room temp. Using Flucanazole as standard. The results obtained are presented in Table. 4.

Table 4: Antifungal Data of synthesized compounds

| Sr. No | Compounds | Candida Albicans (Zone of inhibition-mm) |
|--------|---------------------------|---|
| 01 | A | -ve |
| 02 | C | -ve |
| 03 | J | -ve |
| 04 | L | -ve |
| 05 | M | -ve |
| 06 | P | -ve |
| 07 | R | -ve |
| 08 | Blank(DMSO) | -ve |
| 09 | Standard (Flucanazole) | 46 |



The all synthesized compounds aren't showing Negative activity for Candida albicans as compared to the standard Flucanazole.

III. Conclusion

This research work was oriented towards the finding of newer 3, 4-dihydropyrimidines thiones derivatives with antimicrobial and anti fungal activities. The different substituted 3, 4-dihydropyrimidines derivatives were synthesized by Michel Lewis base catalyzed Biginelli-type reaction using triphenylphosphine as catalyst and under solvent-free conditions

The structures of the different substituted 3, 4-dihydropyrimidines were confirmed by using different analytical techniques, Elemental analysis, IR, ¹HNMR and Mass spectrometers. The results of this analysis showed that the expected different substituted 3, 4-dihydropyrimidines were prepared.

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