



# Synthesis and Antimicrobial Activity of Heterocyclic Compounds

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## ABSTRACT

4-(naphthalen-2-yl)thiazol-2-amine (I) on reaction with 2-bromo-1-arylethanone(IIa-f) yields 6-Aryl-3-(naphthalen-2-yl)imidazo[2,1-b]thiazole (III a-f). The structures of all the compounds series (IIIa-f) were characterized analytically. The compounds were also monitored for anti-microbial activity.

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## Introduction

In recent years lots of research was done to synthesis anti-microbial actives compounds for various microorganisms, particularly for bacteria and several fungi. The numerous derivatives of imidazole heterocycle moiety and natural products have been synthesized for their antibacterial, Insecticidal, anti-HIV, antifungal, anticancer and anti-inflammatory activities.[1-7]

On the other hand, thiazolo were reported with their anticancer, antiparasitic, antibacterial, antifungal agents and antifolate activity.[8-12]

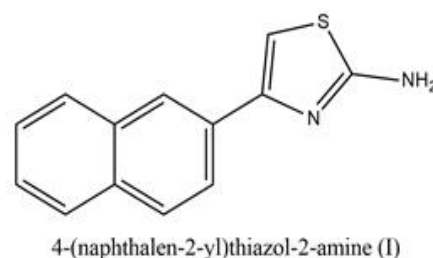
Hence, Thiazole and Imidazole containing compounds into one molecule may have good medicinal property. Thus it was thought to explore this type of merge molecules. The present communication deals with the synthetic approach shown in scheme-1.

## Experimental

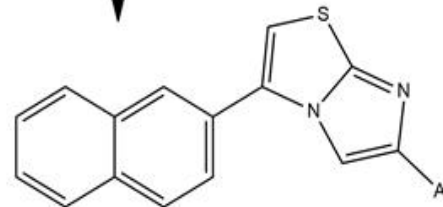
4-(naphthalen-2-yl)thiazol-2-amine (I) and 2-bromo-1-arylethanone (IIa-f) were synthesis by reported method. [13,14] All other reagents were used laboratory grade. The IR spectra of all compounds were taken in KBr pellets on a Nicolet 400D spectrometer. Proton NMR spectra were recorded on a Bruker (400 MHz) spectrometer. Deuterated DMSO was used as a solvent. LC-MS of selected samples taken on LC-MSD-Trip-SL\_01046. All the compounds were checked for their purity by TLC. The characterization data of all these compounds are given in Table.1.

The antibacterial activity of both the series of compounds (IIIa-f) were studied against gram +Ve and -Ve bacteria shown in Table-4. The activity was measured at a conc, 50µg/ml by agar-cup plate method.[15] The % age inhibition of growth of bacteria by the compounds is shown in Table-2.

The antifungal activity of both the series of compounds (IIIa-f) were measured at 1000ppm concentration in vitro Plant pathogen shown in Table-3 have been selected for study.[16]



Dry EtOH  
ArCOCH<sub>2</sub>Br (IIa-f)



Where Ar= Ph, 4-ClPh, 4-BrPh, 4-CH<sub>3</sub>Ph, 4OHPh, 4-NO<sub>2</sub>Ph

## Synthesis of 6-Aryl-3-(naphthalen-2-yl)imidazo[2,1-b]thiazole (III a-f)

A mixture of 4-(naphthalen-2-yl)thiazol-2-amine (I) (0.01 mol) and 2-bromo-1-arylethanone (IIIa-f) (0.01 mol) in anhydrous ethyl alcohol (30 mL) was reflux for 6-7 hrs. Then reaction mixture was cooled under tap water, then poured into cold H<sub>2</sub>O. The solid product which precipitated was collected by filtration, washed with solid product with water, dried and crystallized from ethyl alcohol. The details are given in Table-1.

**Table-1 Physical and Analytical Data of the Compounds Synthesized (IIIa-f)**

Comp. No.	Molecular Formula*	M.P. °C	Elemental Analysis			
			C%	H%	N%	S%
			Calcd. Found	Calcd. Found	Calcd. Found	Calcd. Found
IIIa	C <sub>21</sub> H <sub>14</sub> N <sub>2</sub> S (326)	278-279	77.2 77.27	4.3 4.32	8.5 8.58	9.8 9.82
IIIb	C <sub>21</sub> H <sub>13</sub> N <sub>2</sub> SCl (360.5)	264-265	69.8 69.90	3.6 3.63	7.7 7.76	8.8 8.89
IIIc	C <sub>21</sub> H <sub>13</sub> N <sub>2</sub> SBr (405)	275-277	62.2 62.23	3.2 3.23	6.9 6.91	7.8 7.91
IIId	C <sub>22</sub> H <sub>16</sub> N <sub>2</sub> S (340)	270-271	77.6 77.62	4.7 4.74	8.2 8.23	9.4 9.42
IIIe	C <sub>21</sub> H <sub>14</sub> N <sub>2</sub> OS (342)	263-264	73.6 73.66	4.1 4.12	8.1 8.18	9.3 9.36
IIIf	C <sub>21</sub> H <sub>13</sub> N <sub>3</sub> O <sub>2</sub> S (371)	272-273	67.9 67.91	3.5 3.53	11.3 11.31	8.6 8.63

\*Uncorrected LC-MS data for IIIb:367, IIIe: 348

### Results and Discussions

The 4-(naphthalen-2-yl)thiazol-2-amine(I) on reaction with 2-bromo-1-arylethanone(IIa-f) gives 6-Aryl-3-(naphthalen-2-yl) imidazo [2,1-b]thiazole (III a-f).

**Table-2 Antibacterial Activity of Compounds (IIIa-f)**

Comp. No.	Zone of Inhibition(mm)			
	Gram +ve		Gram -ve	
	<i>Bacillus Subtilis</i>	<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	<i>Klebsiella promioe</i>	<i>E.coil</i>
IIIa	55	49	63	61
IIIb	72	51	82	69
IIIc	70	47	80	63
IIId	59	49	74	62
IIIe	60	44	60	59
IIIf	70	50	81	66
Tetracycline	79	55	87	72

The structures of (IIIa-f) were confirmed by elemental analysis and IR spectra showing an absorption bands at 3030-3080 cm<sup>-1</sup>(C-H of Ar), 710 cm<sup>-1</sup> (C-S),1120 cm<sup>-1</sup> (C-N), 1080(-Cl),1555, 1375(-NO<sub>2</sub>), 2960, 1370 cm<sup>-1</sup> (-CH<sub>3</sub>),690 cm<sup>-1</sup> (C-Br),3250-3300 cm<sup>-1</sup> (OH),1180-1200 cm<sup>-1</sup> (C-OH).<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400MHz, DMSO - d<sub>6</sub>, δ / ppm) : 8.40-7.65(m,7H,Ar-H),8.90-8.12(m,2H,Ar-H of thiazole-Imidazole ring), (IIIa): 8.15-7.40 (m,5H, ArH); (IIIb): 8.00-7.60 (s,4H,ArH) ; (IIIc): 7.84-7.62(s,4H,ArH);(IIId):7.70-7.24(s,4H,ArH), 2.37 (s,3H, CH<sub>3</sub>); (IIIe): 5.80(s,1H,OH),7.52-6.82(s,4H,ArH), (IIIf): 8.40-7.96(s,4H,ArH).The C,H,N analysis data of all compounds are presented in Table-1.

**Table 3. Antifungal Activity of Compounds (IIIa-f)**

Comp. No.	Zone of Inhibition at 1000 ppm (%)			
	<i>Botrydepladia Thiobromine</i>	<i>Nigrosspora Sp.</i>	<i>Penicillium Expansum</i>	<i>Rhizopus Nigricans</i>
IIIa	58	66	57	55
IIIb	68	74	72	67
IIIc	62	68	64	62
IIId	60	70	66	59
IIIe	61	69	65	61
IIIf	75	72	70	64

All the elemental and spectral features suggest that the data are consistent with the predicted structure shown in Scheme-1. The LC-MS of selected compounds shows the peak of M<sup>+</sup> ion which is consistent of their molecular weight. All these facts confirm the structures IIIa-f.

The examination of antibacterial activity data reveals that all compounds toxic against microbes and the compounds IIIb and IIIe found more active against the gram-positive and gram-negative bacteria.

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