

Synthesis of Bisphthaldicarboximide via the reaction of Phthalic anhydride with diamines and Evaluation of its Biological activity

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Abstract: Six compounds of N, N substituted phthaldicarboximides were synthesized from the reaction of phthalic anhydride with diamines (4,4'-sulfonyldianiline, 6-methyl-1,3,5-triazine-2,4-diamine, 6-phenyl-1,3,5-triazine-2,4-diamine, pyridine-2,6-diamine, 4-methylbenzene-1,3-diamine, 2,6-diaminopyrimidin-4-ol, 1,2,4-triazole-3,5-diamine). The structural formula of the synthesized compounds were confirmed by physical and spectroscopic methods (^1H - NMR, ^{13}C - NMR, I.R, UV-VIS, elemental analysis, and mass spectral data). The synthesized compounds were screened for their antibacterial activity against four microorganisms *Staphylococcus aureus*, *Bacillus subtilis*, *Escherichia Coli* and *Klebsiella pneumonia* and they were found to exhibit good to moderate antibacterial activity.

Key Words: phthalic anhydride, diamines, N,N substituted phthaldicarboximide, Pharmacological activity, *E. coli*, *K. pneumonia*, *S. aureus*, *B. subtilis*.

Introduction

Phthalimides are of high interest organic compounds used in organic synthesis and other industrial fields such as in drugs synthesis for the acetylenic phthalimides showed pharmacological activity to be anticholinergic agents and anti-Parkinsonian agent [1,2] other substituted phthalimides were found to possess satisfactory analgesic character and used as analgesic drug [3], also some of them have been employed as inhibitors against mammalian, plant, bacterial and fungal copper-containing amine oxidases [4]. Whereas other substituted phthalimides demonstrated inhibitory effect on the tested microorganisms [5,6], moreover they also employed as prevulcanization inhibitor used in sulphur cured rubber polymer systems [7]. Many amides can be used for the preparation of synthetic polymers, which can be used as insulating coating in electrical equipment [8] and plastic heat resistant glass fiber [9]. A number of imides also can be used as plant growth regulators and some of them are usefully as herbicides [10,11]. In view of interesting range of the products from the reaction of phthalaldehyde with diamine [12], it was decided to prepare these compounds by an alternative route in order to confirm the various structures. The following synthesis was carried out by using phthalic anhydride instead of phthalaldehyde [13].

Experimental

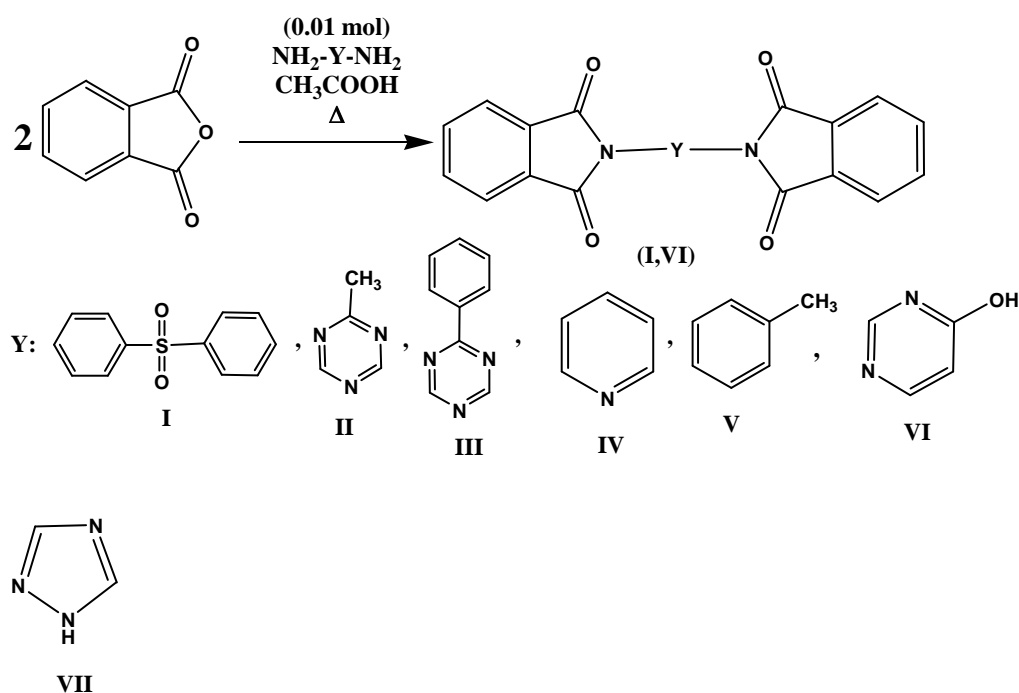
The course of reaction and Purity of the compounds was checked by TLC Melting points were measured by Electrothermal 1A9000 Digital-Series Melting point Apparatus and are uncorrected. FT-IR spectra were recorded on SHIMADZU FTIR –8400 Fourier Transform Infrared spectrophotometer as KBr disc ,

^1H NMR and ^{13}C NMR spectra were recorded on Bruker spectropin ultra shield magnets 300 MHz instrument using tetramethylsilane (TMS) as an internal standard and DMSO-d₆ as a solvent, Elemental analysis was performed on a Heraeus CHN-O rapid analyzer, The ESI+VE MS spectra were recorded on a Bruker Daltonics LC-MS spectrometer .U.V. spectra were obtained from Shimadzu U.V-V is spectrophotometer in CHCl_3 .

Methods of preparation:

Synthesis of N,N substituted phthaldicarboximide :

Phthalic anhydride (2.962gr, 0.02mole) and (2.48 gr,0.01 mole)4,4'-sulfonyldianiline ,(1.25gr,0.01mole)6-methyl-1,3,5-triazine-2,4-diamine, (1.87gr,0.01mole) 6-phenyl-1,3,5-triazine-2,4-diamine, (1.09gr,0.01mole) pyridine-2,6-diamine,(1.22gr,0.01mole)4-methylbenzene-1,3-diamine,(1.26gr,0.01mole)2,6-diamino pyrimidin-4-ol, (0.99 gr,0.01 mole) 3,5-Diamino-1,2,4-triazol were refluxed in (50ml) acetic acid for two hour The reaction mixture was filtered off while hot and the filtrate was allowed to cool The solvent was evaporated to dryness and the residue was recrystallized from methyl acetate petroleum ether (40-60°C) to give the phthaldicarboximide derivatives [14,15,16]. The physical properties, elemental analysis data and spectral data shown in Tables (I,II,III,IV).



Scheme (I)

Table (I) : Physical properties of compounds (I-VII) .

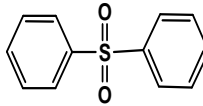
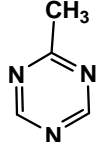
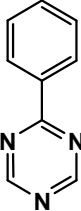
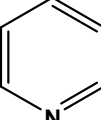
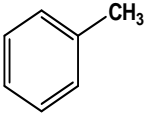
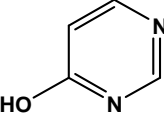
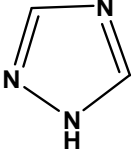
| Comp. No. | Y | M.P (⁰ C) | Yield (%) | Molecular Weight | Molecular formula | Colour | U.V(CHCl ₃) λ max(nm) |
|-----------|---|--------------------------|--------------|---------------------|--|--------|--------------------------------------|
| I |  | 230 | 60 | 508.5 | C ₂₈ H ₁₆ N ₂ O ₆ S | yellow | 295 |
| II |  | 270 | 30 | 385 | C ₂₀ H ₁₁ N ₅ O ₄ | White | 298 |
| III |  | 201 | 40 | 447 | C ₂₅ H ₁₃ N ₅ O ₄ | White | 300 |
| IV |  | 345 | 60 | 369 | C ₂₁ H ₁₁ N ₃ O ₄ | Brown | 310 |
| V |  | 246 | 65 | 382 | C ₂₃ H ₁₄ N ₂ O ₄ | White | 280 |
| VI |  | 180 | 70 | 386 | C ₂₀ H ₁₀ N ₄ O ₅ | White | 316 |
| VII |  | 290 | 75 | 359 | C ₁₈ H ₉ N ₅ O ₄ | White | 317 |

Table (II) FT-IR Spectral data for compounds (I-IV)

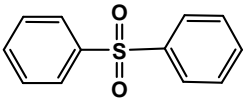
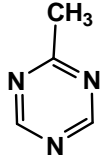
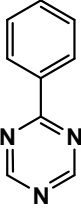
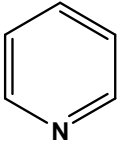
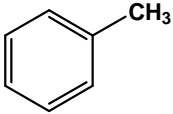
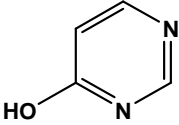
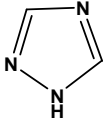
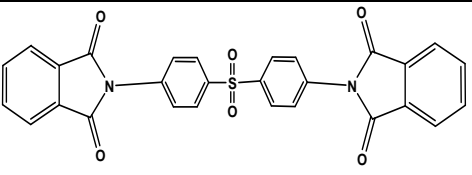
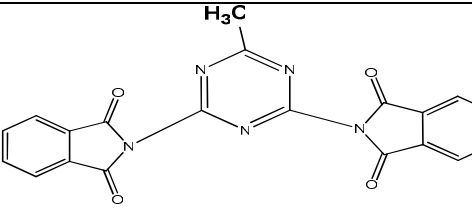
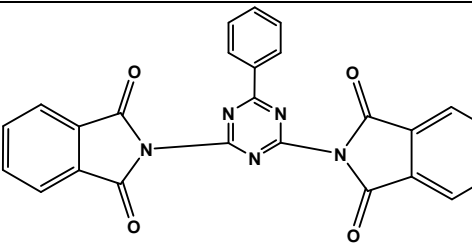
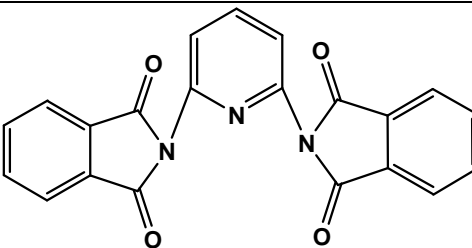
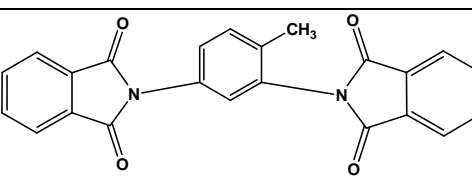
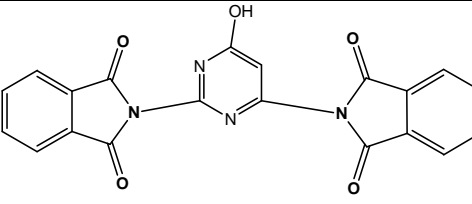
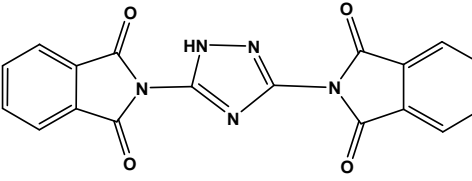
| Comp. No. | Y | ν (C-H) cm^{-1} | ν (C=C) cm^{-1} | · C=O | Others |
|-----------|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|-------------|--|
| I |  | 3197.4 | 1575.56 | ••••• •• | 1230.36(asymmetric – SO ₂ -) 1155.28(symmetrical-SO ₂ -stretch) |
| II |  | 3186.23 | 1600 | 1720.25 | |
| III |  | 3178.91 | 1610 | 1715.63 | |
| IV |  | 3169.25 | 1590.23 | 1724 | |
| V |  | 3100.01 | 1509.03 | 1723.09 | |
| VI |  | 3150.75 | 1593.23 | 1709.01 | 3284.18(OH) |
| VII |  | 3160.23 | 1599.12 | 1710.16 | |

Table (III) Depicted Elemental Analysis (C.H.N) of synthesis Compounds

| compounds | Calc. | | | Found | | |
|-----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| | H% | N% | C% | H% | N% | C% |
| I | 3.17 | 5.51 | 66.14 | 3.01 | 5.23 | 65.12 |
| II | 2.88 | 18.17 | 62.34 | 2.08 | 17.98 | 61.25 |
| III | 2.93 | 15.65 | 67.11 | 2.86 | 15.23 | 66.45 |
| IV | 3.00 | 11.38 | 68.29 | 2.93 | 11.03 | 67.89 |
| V | 3.69 | 7.33 | 72.25 | 3.59 | 6.89 | 71.56 |
| VI | 2.61 | 14.50 | 62.18 | 2.59 | 14.45 | 61.45 |
| VII | 2.52 | 19.49 | 60.17 | 2.49 | 19.39 | 60.01 |

Table (IV) $^1\text{H-NMR}$ and $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$ spectral data for some of the prepared compounds.

| Compd. No. | Compd. Structure | $^1\text{H-NMR}$ spectra data | $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$ spectra data |
|------------|---|--|--|
| I |  | 7.81-7.86(m,8H,Ar), 7.85(m,8H,Ar phthalic anhydride) | 122.6,128.5,137(12C,Ar), 127.6,132,132.3(12C,Ar,phthalic anhydride),170.3(2C,2C=O) |
| II |  | 2.35(s,H ₃ ,CH ₃) 7.85(s,8H,Ar-phthalic anhydride) | 25.2(CH ₃),127.6,132,132.3(12C,phthalic anhydride) ,167.1(4C,4C=O),176.8(2C,2C-N),180.7(1C,CH ₃ -Ar) |
| III |  | 7.48,7.50,8.36(m,5H,Ar), 7.85(s,8H,Ar-phthalic anhydride) | 127.6,132,132.3(12C,Ar-phthalic anhydride) ,128.8,129.3,127.5,130.6(6C,Ar),174.9,177.6(3C,Ar),167.1(4C,4C=O) |
| IV |  | 5.92(d,2H,Ar), 7.13(m,1H,Ar), 7.85(s,4H,Ar) | 99.3,140.6,146.7(5C,Ar),127.6,132.3,132(12C,Ar-phthalic),167.1(2C=O) |
| V |  | 2.35(s,3H,CH ₃ -Ar),7.7.02,7.90(m,3H,Ar),7.85(s,8H,Ar) | 19.2(CH ₃),117.1,113.2,129.9,135.7,129.9(6c,Ar),127.6,132.3,132(12C,Ar-phthalic anhydride) 167.1(2C=O) |
| VI |  | 4.96(s,1H,Ar),7.85(s,4H,Ar),11.40(s,1H,OH) | 88,171.7,160.2,165.9(4C,Ar),127.6,132.3,132(6C,Ar-phthalic),170.3(2C,2C=O) |
| VII |  | 7.85(s,8H,Ar),9.61(s,1H,NH) | 127.6,132.3,132(6C,Ar),148(2C,C-N),167.1(2C,2C=O) |

Result and Discussion

The product (I-VII) was formed from the reaction of two molecules of phthalic anhydride for each mole of diamine. The infrared of products exhibited characteristic peak at 1720.25 cm^{-1} due to $\nu(\text{C}=\text{O})$ group and no absorption band due to NH_2 group. The UV spectra showed λ_{max} at 280-316 nm. $^1\text{H-NMR}$ for compounds (I-VI) show single signal at (7.85 ppm) due to aromatic proton of phthalic. $^1\text{H-NMR}$ for compounds (II, V) show single signal at (2.35 ppm) due to CH_3 group. $^1\text{H-NMR}$ for compounds (VI) show single signal at (11.40 ppm) due to OH group and $^1\text{H-NMR}$ for compound (VII) show single signal at (9.61 ppm) due to NH group. $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$ of compounds (I-VII) showed signals at (127, 132, 132.9 ppm) due to aromatic carbons of phthalic anhydride and signal at (170.3 ppm) due to imidic $\text{C}=\text{O}$. $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$ spectrum of compound (I) showed signal at (122.6, 128.5, 137.7 ppm) due to aromatic carbons of sulphonyl. $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$ spectrum of compound (II, V) showed signal at (25.2, 19.2 ppm) due to CH_3 group. $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$ spectrum of compound (III) showed signal at (128.8, 129.3, 127.5, 130.6) ppm due to aromatic carbons of aromatic ring of 6-phenyl-1,3,5-triazine-2,4-diamine. $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$ spectrum of compound (VI) showed signals at (99.3, 140.6, 146.7 ppm) due to aromatic carbons of pyridine. $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$ spectrum of compound (VI) showed signals at (88, 171.7, 160.2, 165.9) due to aromatic carbons of pyrimidin-4-ol. $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$ spectrum of compound (VII) showed signal at (148 ppm) due to 1,2,4-triazole.

Antimicrobial activity

The antimicrobial activity of both categories of compounds was determined by the disc diffusion method [17]. The *in vitro* antimicrobial activity was carried out in two gram positive bacteria, and two gram negative bacteria. The gram positive bacteria used were *Staphylococcus aureus* and *Bacillus subtilis*, gram negative bacteria used were *Escherichia coli* and *Klebsiella pneumoniae*. The compounds were tested at a concentration of $100\text{ }\mu\text{g/ml}$ in Dimethylsulfoxide. The zone of inhibition was compared after 24 h of incubation at 37° against Ciprofloxacin ($100\text{ }\mu\text{g/ml}$) as standards for comparison of antibacterial activity (table V). In general, all synthesized compounds exhibited good inhibitory activity against tested pathogenic microorganism (*S. aureus*, *B. subtilis*, *E. coli*, *K. pneumoniae*) peculiar against (*S. aureus*).

Table(V) Antimicrobial activity of N,N substituted phthaldicarboximide

| Compound | Zone of inhibition (mm) | | | |
|----------|-------------------------|--------------------|------------------------|----------------------|
| | Gram positive bacteria | | Gram negative bacteria | |
| | <i>S. aureus</i> | <i>B. subtilis</i> | <i>E. coli</i> | <i>K. pneumoniae</i> |
| I | 7 | 7.5 | 7 | 7.5 |
| II | 8 | 8 | 6.5 | 7.5 |
| III | 7.5 | 7.5 | 7.5 | 7.5 |
| IV | 8 | 7.5 | 7 | 7 |
| V | 7.5 | 7.5 | 7.5 | 7.5 |
| VI | 7 | 7 | 7.5 | 7 |
| * | 10 | 10 | 9.5 | 9.5 |

*Ciprofloxacin (Standard)

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