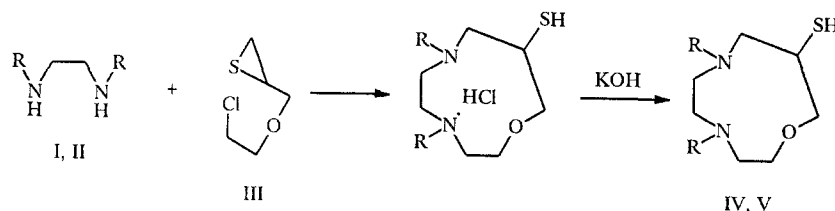


# SYNTHESIS OF MERCAPTO-SUBSTITUTED DIAZACROWN ETHERS

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We have developed a method for the synthesis of mercapto-substituted diazacrown ethers IV and V by the reaction of ethylenediamines I and II with 1,2-epithio-4-oxa-6-chlorohexane (III) in methanol with subsequent treatment with alkali:



IV R=Et; V R=CH<sub>2</sub>=CH-CH<sub>2</sub>

A mixture of 0.05 mole of diamine I or II and 0.05 mole of III in 300 ml of methanol was stirred for 10-12 h at 60°C, after which it was cooled, and a methanol solution of 0.05 mole of KOH was added dropwise. Stirring was continued for another 2 h at 20-25°C, after which the mixture was filtered. The solvent was removed by distillation, and the residue was washed with water and extracted with benzene. The extract was dried with Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, the benzene was removed by distillation, and fractional distillation of the residue in vacuo gave IV and V.

**1-Oxa-4,7-diethyl-4,7-diaza-9-cyclodecanethiol (IV).** This compound had bp 131°C (2 mm),  $n_D^{20}$  1.5030, and  $d_4^{20}$  1.0064.  $MR_D$  found 68.14;  $MR_D$  calculated 68.22. IR spectrum (thin layer): 2580 (SH), 1147 cm<sup>-1</sup> (C—O—C). PMR spectrum (benzene): 1.05 (6H, t, CH<sub>3</sub>), 2.45-2.65 (12H, m, NCH<sub>2</sub>), 3.15-3.45 ppm (5H, m, OCH<sub>2</sub> and SCH). The yield was 32%.

**1-Oxa-4,7-diallyl-4,7-diaza-9-cyclodecanethiol (V).** This compound had bp 154°C (2 mm),  $n_D^{20}$  1.5160, and  $d_4^{20}$  1.0098.  $MR_D$  found 76.56;  $MR_D$  calculated 76.64. IR spectrum (thin layer): 3085 (CH), 2580 (SH), 1648 (C=C), 1150 cm<sup>-1</sup> (C—O—C). PMR spectrum (benzene): 2.42-2.65 (8H, t, NCH<sub>2</sub>), 2.88 (4H, d, NCH<sub>2</sub>), 3.15-3.56 (H, m, OCH<sub>2</sub> and SCH), 4.88-4.96 (4H, dd, =CH<sub>2</sub>), 5.2-5.76 ppm (2H, m, —CH=). The yield was 34%.

The results of elementary analysis of mercapto-containing diazacrown ethers IV and V were in agreement with the calculated values.