HETEROCYCLE SYNTHESIS BY DIAMINOCARBENE Pd(II) COMPLEX INTERMEDIATE

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Synthesis of heterocycles containing -N=CH-Y- unit by diaminocarbene Pd(II) complex intermediates is reported. Pd(II)Cl₂ catalyzed reaction of tert-butyl isocyanide with aminoalcohol and with aminothiol afforded the heterocycles (1) such as oxazoline, dihydro-oxazine and thiazoline in moderate yields according to the following equation.

Carbene-coordinated $\operatorname{Pd}(\operatorname{II})\operatorname{Cl}_2$ complexes (2), which are key intermediates in the heterocycle synthesis were isolated from the reactions of $\operatorname{Pd}(\operatorname{II})$ - $\operatorname{Cl}_2(\operatorname{tert-BuNC})_2$ with aminoalcohol. Similarly, reactions of alkyl isocyanide with A -hydroxycarbohydrazide, with A -aminocarbohydrazide and with A -aminocarboester produced dihydro-oxadiazinone (3), tetrahydro-triazinone (4) and imidazolone (5), respectively.

Furthermore, diaminocarbene $Pd(II)Cl_2$ complexs (6) were treated with Ag_2O to produce imino-oxazolines (7) in good yields. This cyclization reaction involves \mathcal{B} -hydroxycarbodiimide intermediate which is formed by oxidation of diaminocarbene ligand with Ag_2O .