SYNTHESIS OF STEREOISOMERIC 2-IMINO-1,3-OXAZINE AND 2-IMINO-1,3-THIAZINE DERIVATIVES WITH CONDENSED SKELETON

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As a continuation of our synthetic and stereochemical studies on bicyclic and tricyclic saturated compounds containing two hetero atoms, our present aim was the synthesis and stereochemical investigation of 2-imino-1,3-oxazines and 2-imino-1,3-thiazines. As bioisosteric analogues of guanidine derivatives, the synthesized compounds are of interest for pharmacological purposes.

From cis or trans-1,3-aminoalcohols (1,2) the urea and thiourea derivatives 3 and 4 were synthesized, from which, depending upon the reaction conditions, compounds 5,6 or 7 were obtained. The ring-closure reactions starting from 1 occurred with retention, and those from 2 with retention or inversion, depending on the configuration and reagents.

Configuration: cis or trans; R^1 H, CH_3 , $C_6H_5CH_2$; R^2 CH_3 , C_6H_5

The favoured conformations of the \underline{cis} isomers of 1,3-oxazines and 1,3-thiazines were determined by $^1\text{H-nmr}$ spectroscopy. It was found that the predominant conformation depends on the bulk of the substituent attached to the annellation point.

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