

SYNTHESIS AND SPECTRAL STUDIES OF 4H-1,4-BENZOTHAZINE S,S-DIOXIDES (SULFONES)

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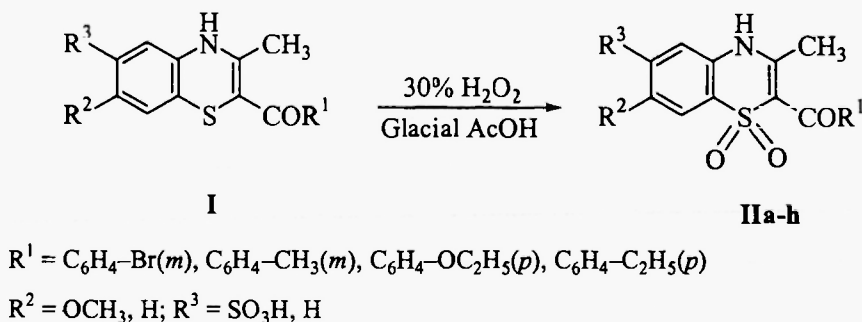
Abstract : The oxidation of 4H-1,4-benzothiazines by 30% hydrogen peroxide in glacial acetic acid leads to the formation of 4H-1,4-benzothiazine S,S-dioxides. The IR and ¹H NMR spectral studies are also included.

Introduction

4H-1,4-Benzothiazine-S,S-dioxides form an interesting class of heterocyclic compounds^{1,2} of therapeutic³⁻⁵ and industrial⁶ importance. These applications have stimulated our interest to understand the oxidation behaviour of 4H-1,4-benzothiazines S,S-dioxides in order to correlate the structural changes caused by the conversion of sulfide linkage into S,S-dioxide in IR and NMR spectra.

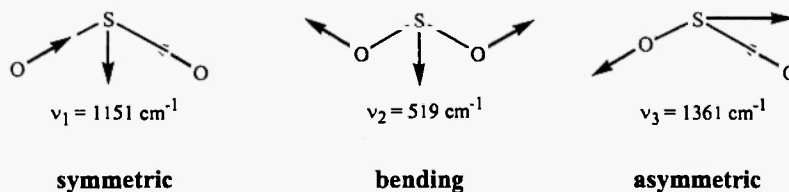
Result and Discussion

In the present work, 4H-1,4-benzothiazine S,S-dioxides (Scheme 1, IIa-h) have been prepared by the oxidation of 4H-1,4-benzothiazines (I) by 30% hydrogen peroxide in glacial acetic acid. 4H-1,4-Benzothiazines^{7,8} were prepared by the condensation and oxidative cyclization of 2-amino-5-methoxy/4-sulfonylbenzenethiol with β-diketones in dimethylsulfoxide.



Scheme 1

Infrared spectra of all the newly synthesized 4H-1,4-benzothiazine-S,S-dioxides have been recorded both in potassium bromide pellets and chloroform solution. All the 4H-1,4-benzothiazine S,S-dioxides exhibit three characteristic absorption bands due to sulfonyl group corresponding to three normal modes of vibrations^{9,10} in the molecule of sulfurdioxide as shown :



All the benzothiazine S,S-dioxides exhibit a single sharp band in the region $1384\text{--}1300 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ in chloroform solution corresponding to the asymmetric stretching mode of vibrations of sulfonyl group. While in solid state, this absorption band (ν_3), splits into three bands in the region $1395\text{--}1305 \text{ cm}^{-1}$, $1365\text{--}1285 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ and $1265\text{--}1255 \text{ cm}^{-1}$. The symmetric stretching vibrations (ν_1) give rise to a doublet in the region $1205\text{--}1150 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ and $1150\text{--}1105 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ in KBr pellets and chloroform respectively. The bending vibrations (ν_2) in sulfur dioxide exhibit a medium absorption band in the low frequency region at $570\text{--}520 \text{ cm}^{-1}$. By comparing the vibrational frequencies of 4H-1,4-benzothiazine S,S-dioxides and their parent 4H-1,4-benzothiazines, it is found that vibrational frequency corresponding to each substituent is shifted to higher frequency in the corresponding benzothiazine S,S-dioxide. A sharp band appearing in the region $1665\text{--}1605 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ due to $>\text{C}=\text{O}$ stretching vibrations in 4H-1,4-benzothiazines is shifted to higher frequency region $1685\text{--}1630 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ in the corresponding S,S-dioxides. The shifting of absorption band to higher frequency region is attributed to $-I$ effect of the SO_2 group combined with the mesomeric effect operating in the same direction which hinder the conjugation of lone pair of electrons at nitrogen with carbonyl group. A band observed in the region $3385\text{--}3270 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ in 4H-1,4-benzothiazines due to free N-H vibrations is shifted to higher frequency region $3410\text{--}3335 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ in the corresponding S,S-dioxides. And a medium intensity band appearing at $1060\text{--}1000 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ in 4H-1,4-benzothiazines due to C-S stretching vibrations is shifted to higher frequency $1070\text{--}1025 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ in the corresponding S,S-dioxides.

^1H NMR spectra of 4H-1,4-benzothiazine S,S-dioxides exhibit a singlet in the region $\delta 8.42\text{--}9.51 \text{ ppm}$ due to N-H proton. The multiplet observed in the region $\delta 6.34\text{--}8.46 \text{ ppm}$ is due to aromatic protons. Compounds (IIe-h) exhibits a singlet in the region $\delta 3.68\text{--}3.84 \text{ ppm}$ due to OCH_3 protons. The compounds (IIb) and (IIf) exhibit a singlet at $\delta 1.82\text{--}1.85 \text{ ppm}$ due to CH_3 protons at benzoyl side chain at C_2 . All the compounds show a singlet in the region $\delta 1.99\text{--}2.50 \text{ ppm}$ which can be assigned to CH_3 protons at C_3 . The compounds (IIc) and (IIg) exhibits a triplet and quartet in the region $\delta 1.35\text{--}1.37 \text{ ppm}$ and $\delta 3.76\text{--}4.12 \text{ ppm}$ due to CH_3 and CH_2 protons of OC_2H_5 group at p -position in benzoyl side chain at C_2 . A quartet at $\delta 2.55\text{--}2.66 \text{ ppm}$ and triplet at $\delta 1.20 \text{ ppm}$ are observed in the compounds (IIId) and (IIh) due to CH_2 and CH_3 protons of C_2H_5 group at p -position in benzoyl side chain at C_2 .

Table 1 : Physical data of substituted 4H-1,4-benzothiazine S,S-dioxides (IIa-h)

	Compound			M.P. °C	Yield %	Molecular formula	% Found (Calcd.)				
	R ¹ II	R ² III	R ³ IV				C VIII	H IX	N X	S XI	
a.	C ₆ H ₄ -Br(<i>m</i>)	H	SO ₃ H	220	25	C ₁₆ H ₁₂ NO ₆ S ₂ Br	41.26 (41.92)	2.62 (2.64)	3.01 (3.05)	13.95 (13.99)	
b.	C ₆ H ₄ -CH ₃ (<i>m</i>)	H	SO ₃ H	179	33	C ₁₇ H ₁₅ NO ₆ S ₂	52.18 (51.89)	3.87 (3.84)	3.60 (3.56)	16.33 (16.29)	
c.	C ₆ H ₄ -OC ₂ H ₅ (<i>p</i>)	H	SO ₃ H	170	16	C ₁₈ H ₁₇ NO ₇ S ₂	51.64 (51.05)	4.06 (4.04)	3.36 (3.30)	15.18 (15.14)	
d.	C ₆ H ₄ -C ₂ H ₅ (<i>p</i>)	H	SO ₃ H	106	21	C ₁₈ H ₁₇ NO ₆ S ₂	52.75 (53.05)	4.18 (4.20)	3.38 (3.43)	15.68 (15.73)	
e.	C ₆ H ₄ -Br(<i>m</i>)	OCH ₃	H	152	32	C ₁₇ H ₁₄ NO ₄ SBr	50.32 (50.00)	3.48 (3.45)	3.46 (3.43)	7.91 (7.85)	
f.	C ₆ H ₄ -CH ₃ (<i>m</i>)	OCH ₃	H	109	21	C ₁₈ H ₁₇ NO ₄ S	62.73 (62.95)	4.97 (4.99)	4.06 (4.08)	9.28 (9.33)	
g.	C ₆ H ₄ -OC ₂ H ₅ (<i>p</i>)	OCH ₃	H	98	29	C ₁₉ H ₁₉ NO ₅ S	61.45 (61.11)	5.15 (5.12)	3.79 (3.75)	8.61 (8.58)	
h.	C ₆ H ₄ -C ₂ H ₅ (<i>p</i>)	OCH ₃	H	122	40	C ₁₉ H ₁₉ NO ₄ S	64.09 (63.84)	5.38 (5.35)	3.95 (3.91)	9.01 (8.97)	

Experimental

The melting points of all the synthesized 4*H*-1,4-benzothiazine *S,S*-dioxides are uncorrected. The purity of all the compounds was checked by thin layer chromatography using various non-aqueous solvent systems. The infrared spectra were recorded on a NICOLET MAGNA FT IR spectrophotometer model 550 in KBr discs. NMR spectra were recorded at 90 MHz on Jeol FX 90Q FT NMR spectrometer using TMS as internal standard. The physical data of newly synthesized compounds are tabulated in Table-1.

Preparation of substituted 4*H*-1,4-benzothiazine *S,S*-dioxides (IIa-h)

30% Hydrogen peroxide (5 ml) was added to the solution of 4*H*-1,4-benzothiazine (0.01 mole) in glacial acetic acid (20 ml) and refluxed for fifteen minutes. Heating was stopped and another lot of hydrogen peroxide (5 ml) was added. The reaction mixture was refluxed for 3–4 hours. The excess of solvent was removed by distillation under reduced pressure and the concentrated solution was poured into a beaker containing crushed ice. The yellow residue obtained was filtered off, washed with water and crystallized from ethanol.

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