

## Graphical Abstract

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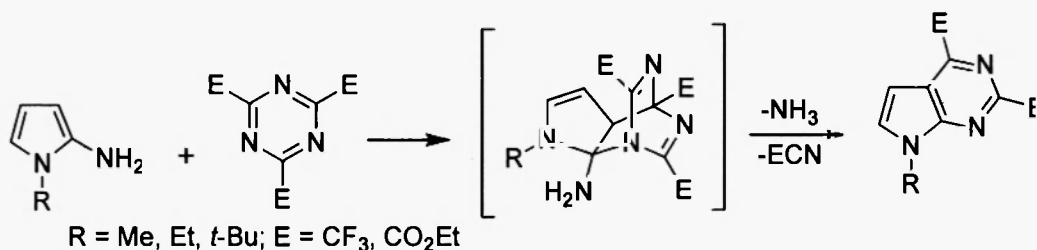
### Effect of electron-withdrawing substituents on the inverse-electron demand diels -alder reaction of 2-aminopyrroles and 1,3,5-triazines

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Inverse-electron demand Diels-Alder reactions of 1,3,5-triazines and 2-aminopyrroles are facilitated by electron-withdrawing groups (EWG) on both reactants. Whereas HOMO-LUMO calculations predict that EWG on 2-aminopyrroles should lower the relative rate of reaction. This apparent contradiction can be explained if the reaction cascade is under equilibrium control with at least one reversible step.



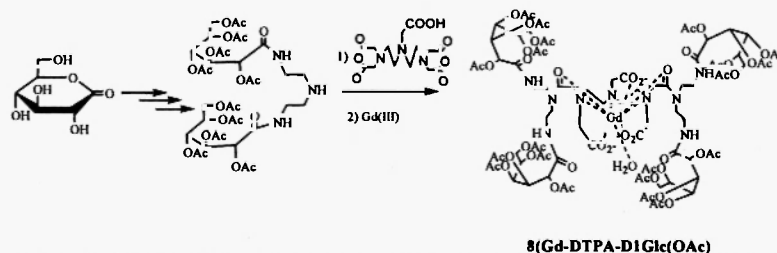
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### Studies on preparation and characterization of novel mri contrast agents for targeting organs and blood vessels

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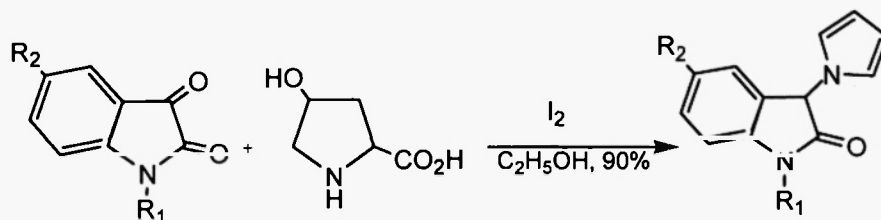
To improve MRI contrast agent of Gd-DTPA (Gadolinium-Diethylenetriamine-N,N,N',N'',N'''-pentaacetic acid complex), sugar dendritic derivatives which contains Gd-DTPA as the core part and four sugars dendrimer **8**(Gd-DTPA-D1Glc(OAc)) or twelve sugars dendrimer **10**(Gd-DTPA-D2Glc(OAc)) as the terminal part were prepared. From the result of relaxivity profile depending on temperature and magnitude of magnetic field, the smaller size MRI contrast agent **8**(Gd-DTPA-D1Glc(OAc)) showed similar behavior to that of Gd-DTPA and the dendrimer constructs DDS of Gd-DTPA and was proven to have the improved properties for MR imaging of blood vessel (MRA) as well as for targeting specific organs.



### Novel synthesis of substituted pyrrole bound to indolinone via molecular iodine-catalyzed reaction

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An expeditious synthesis of indolinone bound to pyrrole starting from isatin and 4-hydroxyproline via a molecular iodine-catalyzed reaction is described. A mechanism is postulated that describes the formation of ylide and zwitterion intermediates. It is suggested that iodine can catalyze several spontaneous processes.

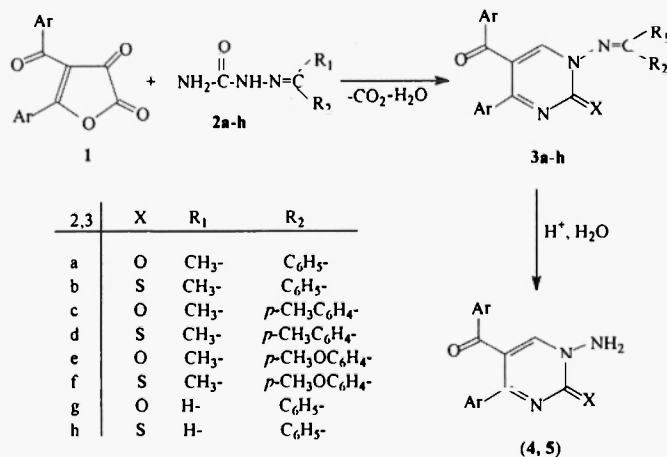


### Reactions of 4-(4-methylbenzoyl)-5-(4-methylphenyl)-2,3-furandione with semi-thiosemi-carbazones

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The 4-(4-methylbenzoyl)-5-(4-methylphenyl)-2,3-furandione (**1**) and various semi-/thiosemi-carbazones **2a-h** combine with loss of carbon dioxide and water yielding 1-methylenaminopyrimidine-2-one and -thione derivatives **3a-h**. Hydrolysis of **3c** and **3h** lead to the **4**) and **5**.



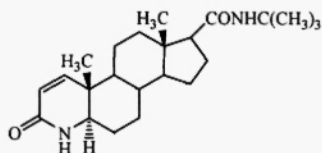
**Facile water mediated synthesis of Finasteride Form-I, an azaandrosterane steroid**

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A simple method for the preparation of 17 $\alpha$ -(N-*tert*-butyl carbamoyl)-4-aza-5 $\alpha$ -androst-1-ene-3-one form I from bis-finasteride tetrahydrofuran monohydrate solvate was prepared by using eco friendly solvent water.



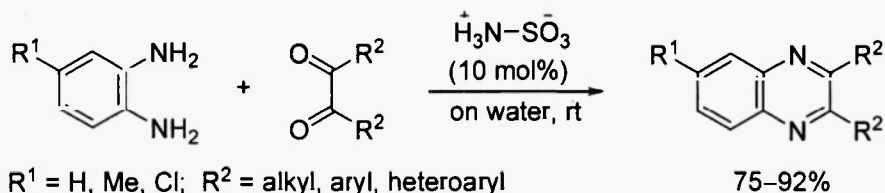
Finasteride

**Efficient route to quinoxalines catalyzed by sulfamic acid in tap water suspension**

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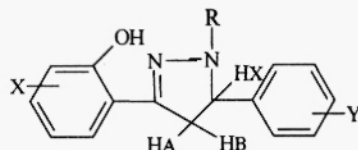
Quinoxalines were synthesized *via* direct condensations of *o*-phenylenediamines with  $\alpha$ -diketones promoted by sulfamic acid at room temperature in tap water suspension in high yields and by simple work-up.

**Synthesis characterization and biological activity of some new 1-n substituted-3, 5-diphenyl-2-pyrazolines**

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A group of four series (A-D) of 22 new bioactive 1-N-acid substituted 3, 5-diphenyl-2-pyrazolines were synthesized by cyclization of variably substituted chalcones and simple or substituted phenyl hydrazine and / or semicarbazide, using acetic acid as a solvent. The chemical structure of the compounds was characterized by FTIR, <sup>1</sup>HNMR, EIMS spectroscopy and CHN analysis. The antibacterial and antifungal activities of these compounds were evaluated by agar well diffusion method and agar tube dilution method respectively.

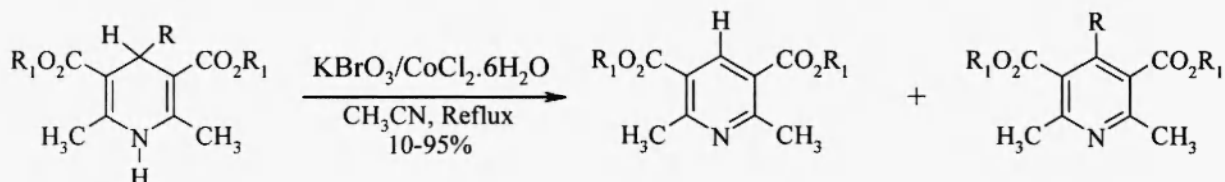


**Oxidative-aromatization of hantzsch ester 1,4-dihydro-pyridines by  $\text{KBrO}_3/\text{CoCl}_2 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$  under mild condition**

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1,4-Dihydropyridines can be converted to their corresponding pyridine derivatives in moderate to excellent yields.



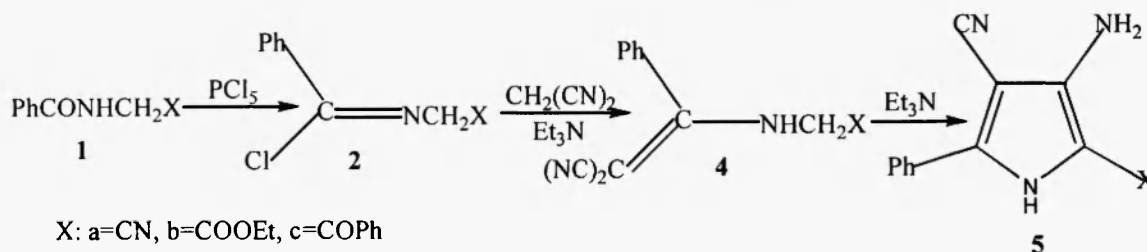
R: Alkyl, Aryl, Heterocycle

 $\text{R}_1: \text{C}_2\text{H}_5$ **A new route to the synthesis of 3-aminomethylene derivatives of 2-cyano-3-phenylacrylonitriles and the polyfunctionalized pyrroles synthesis thereof**

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A new route to the synthesis of 3-aminomethylene derivatives of 2-cyano-3-phenyl-acrylonitrile, starting from N-benzoylamino-methylene compounds, their conversion to the corresponding N-chlorophenylmethylenes and their reaction with malononitrile, is described. These products are useful intermediates for the synthesis of polyfunctionalized 3-amino-pyrroles, important synthetic targets in heterocyclic chemistry.



**Synthesis and Antimicrobial activity of *N*-(substituted)-*N'*-[8-oxido dinaphtho-16*H*-(2,1-*d*:(1',2'-*g*))1,3,2-dioxaphosphocin-8-yl]ureas**

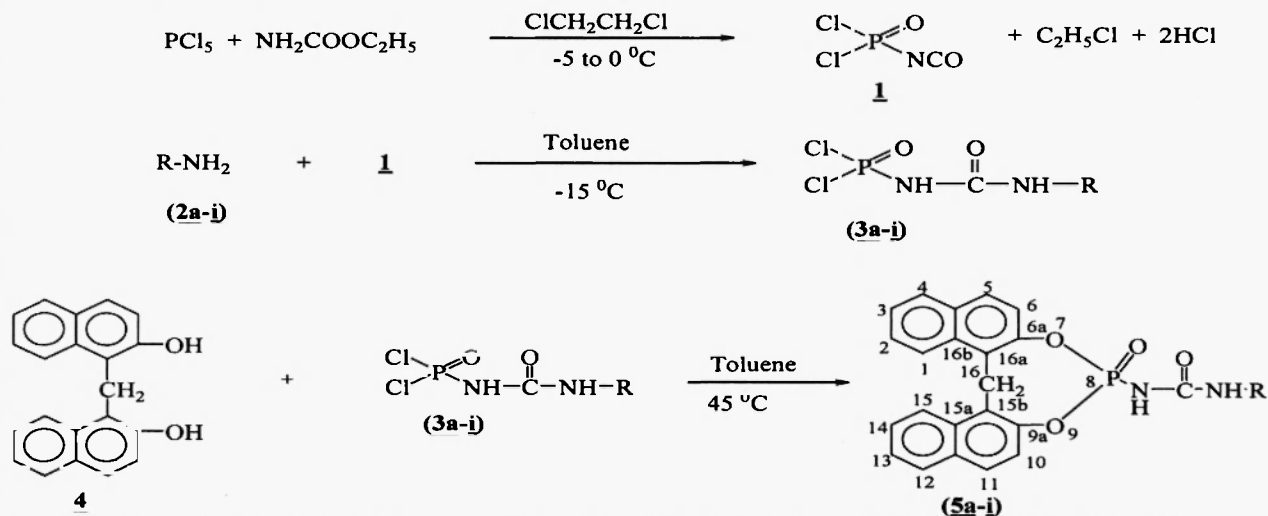
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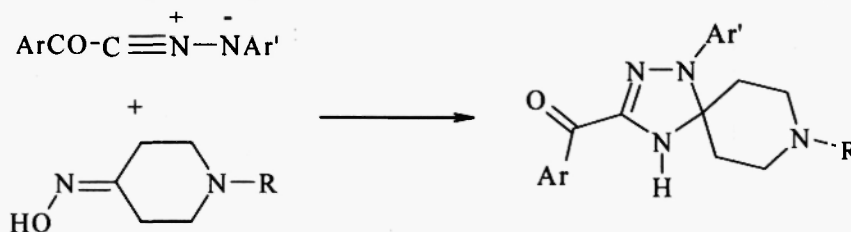
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Substituted dinaphtho-16*H*-(2,1-*d*:(1',2'-*g*))1,3,2-dioxaphosphocin-8-yl]ureas (**5a-i**) were synthesized by reacting bis(2-hydroxy-1-naphthyl)methane (**4**) with different carbamidophosphoric acid dichlorides (**3**) in the presence of triethylamine in dry toluene at 45-50 °C. Their structures were established by elemental analysis, IR, <sup>1</sup>H, <sup>13</sup>C & <sup>31</sup>P NMR spectral data. These compounds were found to possess good antimicrobial activity.

**Heterocyclic synthesis using nitrilimines: part 7 synthesis of some new 3-substituted 1-aryl-1,2,4,8-tetraazaspiro[4.5]dec-2-enes**Hany M. Dalloul<sup>a</sup>, Peter H. Boyle<sup>b</sup><sup>a</sup>Al-Aqsa University of Gaza, Gaza-Palestine. <sup>b</sup>Trinity College, Dublin 2, Ireland.

A series of new 1,2,4,8-tetraazaspiro[4.5]dec-2-enes **4a-r** were synthesized from the reaction of corresponding hydrazonoyl halides **1** with substituted heterocyclic oximes **3**. The structures of the synthesized compounds were confirmed by their elemental analysis and spectral data.

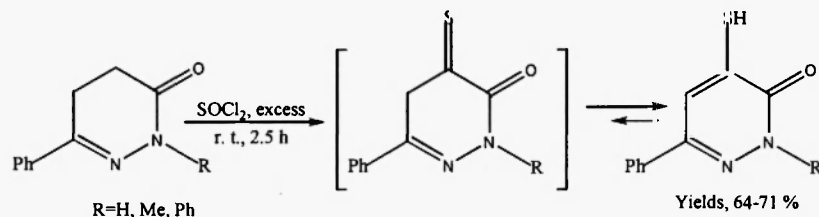


**A simple and efficient synthesis of 4-mercapto-6-phenylpyridazin-3(2H)-ones**

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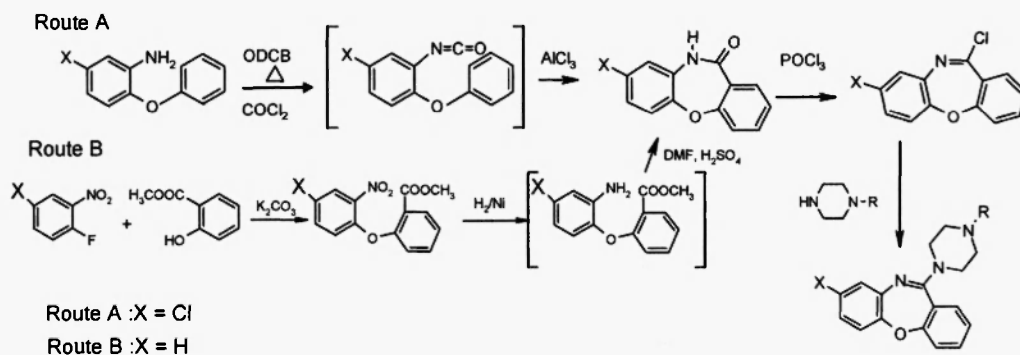
The reaction of excess thionyl chloride on some 6-phenyl-4,5-dihydropyridazin-3(2H)-ones under mild conditions to the corresponding 4-mercapto-6-phenylpyridazin-3(2H)-ones, depending on the 2-position substituent, in good yields, is described.

**Synthesis and evaluation of antipsychotic activity of 11-(4-aryl-1-piperazinyl)-dibenz [b, f][1,4]oxazepines and their 8-chloro analogues**

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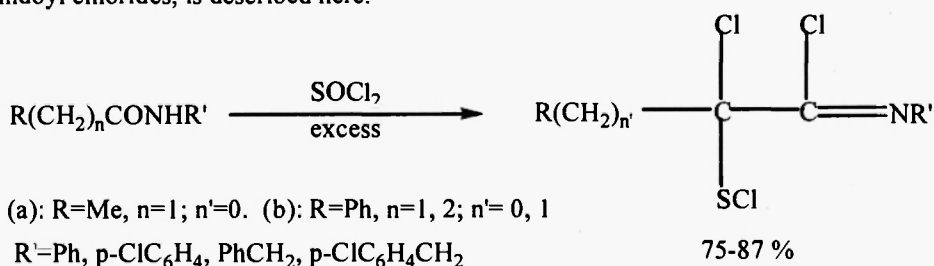
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**A convenient one-pot synthesis of  $\alpha$ -chloro- $\alpha$ -chlorosulfonyl-imidoyl chlorides via an abnormal reaction of excess thionyl chloride on secondary amides**

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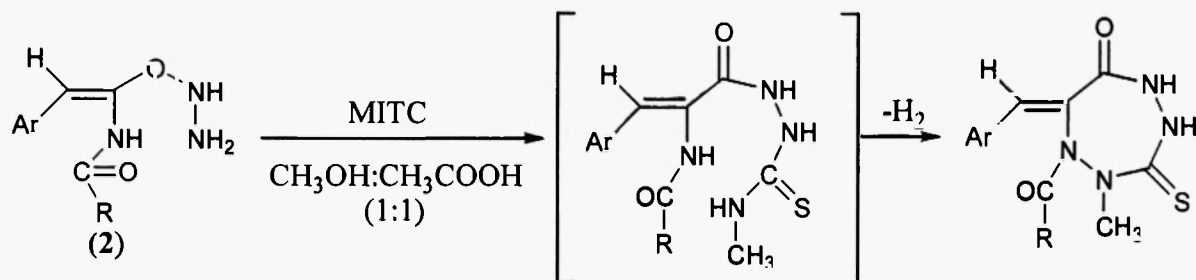
The abnormal reaction of excess thionyl chloride on some secondary amides resulting to the corresponding  $\alpha$ -chloro- $\alpha$ -chlorosulfonyl-imidoyl chlorides, is described here.

### One pot synthesis of 1-(N-acetyl benzoyl)-7-(substituted phenylmethylene)-2-methyl- 6-oxo-3-thioxo-1,2,4,5-tetraazaperhydropipins

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Cycloaddition of substituted a-acetamido / benzamido cinnam hydrazides [2(a-g)] with methyl isothiocyanate (MITC) to yield the title compounds [3(a-g)].



### Synthesis of [<sup>3</sup>H] quinocetone

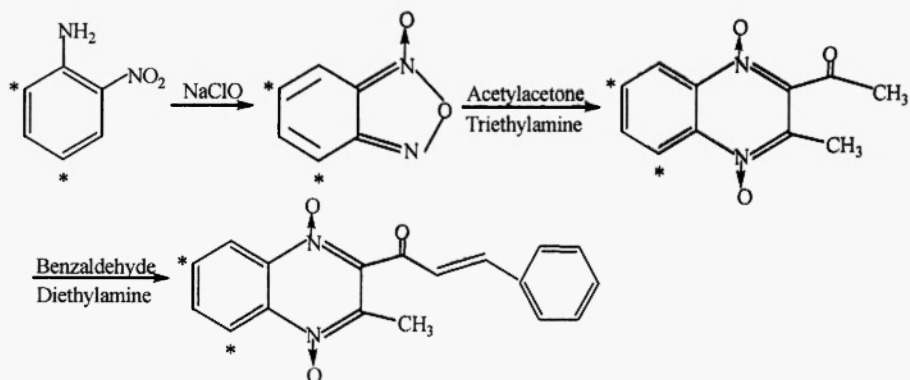
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[<sup>3</sup>H]Quinocetone was prepared from [<sup>3</sup>H]o-nitroaniline with a radiochemical yield of 59.2%. [<sup>3</sup>H]o-nitroaniline, as starting material, was oxidized with NaClO to [<sup>3</sup>H]benzofurazan oxide. [<sup>3</sup>H]Benzofurazan oxide was recombined with acetylacetone to 3-methyl-2-acetyl-quinoxaline-1,4-dioxide with [<sup>3</sup>H] in parent structure. In the last reaction, 3-methyl-2-acetyl-quinoxaline-1,4-dioxide with [<sup>3</sup>H] was condensed with benzaldehyde to the title compound-[<sup>3</sup>H]Quinocetone. The specific radioactivity of the labeled product was 12.14mCi/mmol and its radiochemical purity was >98%.



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