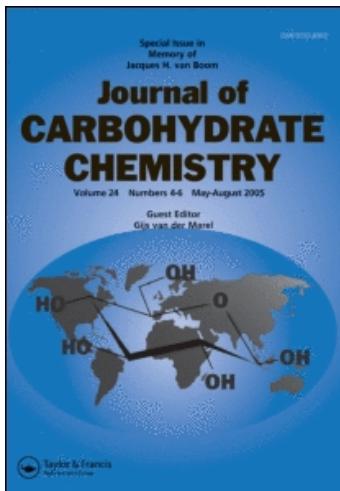


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REGIOCONTROLLED INCORPORATION AND ANNULATION OF GLUCOSE INTO SPIROTHIAZOLE AND SPIROTHIAZOLOXAZOLE DERIVATIVES

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ABSTRACT

Cyclic ketones **1a-f** reacted with mercaptoacetic acid in benzene and/or toluene in the presence of *p*-toluenesulfonic acid afforded the corresponding spiro-1,3-oxathialanone derivatives (**2a-f**). Compounds **2a-f** reacted with glucosamine hydrochloride in a mixture of pyridine and ethanol to yield 3-(2'-glucosyl)-2-spiro[1'-cycloalkyl]thiazolidin-4-one derivatives **4a-f**. Reaction of **4a-f** with fused sodium acetate in a mixture of acetic anhydride and acetic acid gave annulated spirothiazoloxazologlucose derivatives **6a-f**. All the synthesized spiro derivatives were identified by conventional methods (IR, ¹H NMR spectroscopy and elemental analyses).

INTRODUCTION

Spiroheterocyclic derivatives have considerable importance as drugs and a wide scope of applications.¹⁻¹⁵ Pharmacological activities of thiazolidinone derivatives have been extensively studied,¹⁶⁻¹⁸ while thiazoloxazoles showed diverse biological activities.¹⁹⁻²³ The incorporation of heterocyclic moieties with carbohydrates have gained some importance.²⁴⁻²⁷

The antimicrobial properties of glucosamine derivatives containing alkyl chains have been of major interest in the last few years.²⁸ From all the foregoing facts, and as a continuation of our previous work,²⁹⁻³⁶ we report herein the synthesis of some new spirothiazologlucose and spirothiazoloxazole derivatives.

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

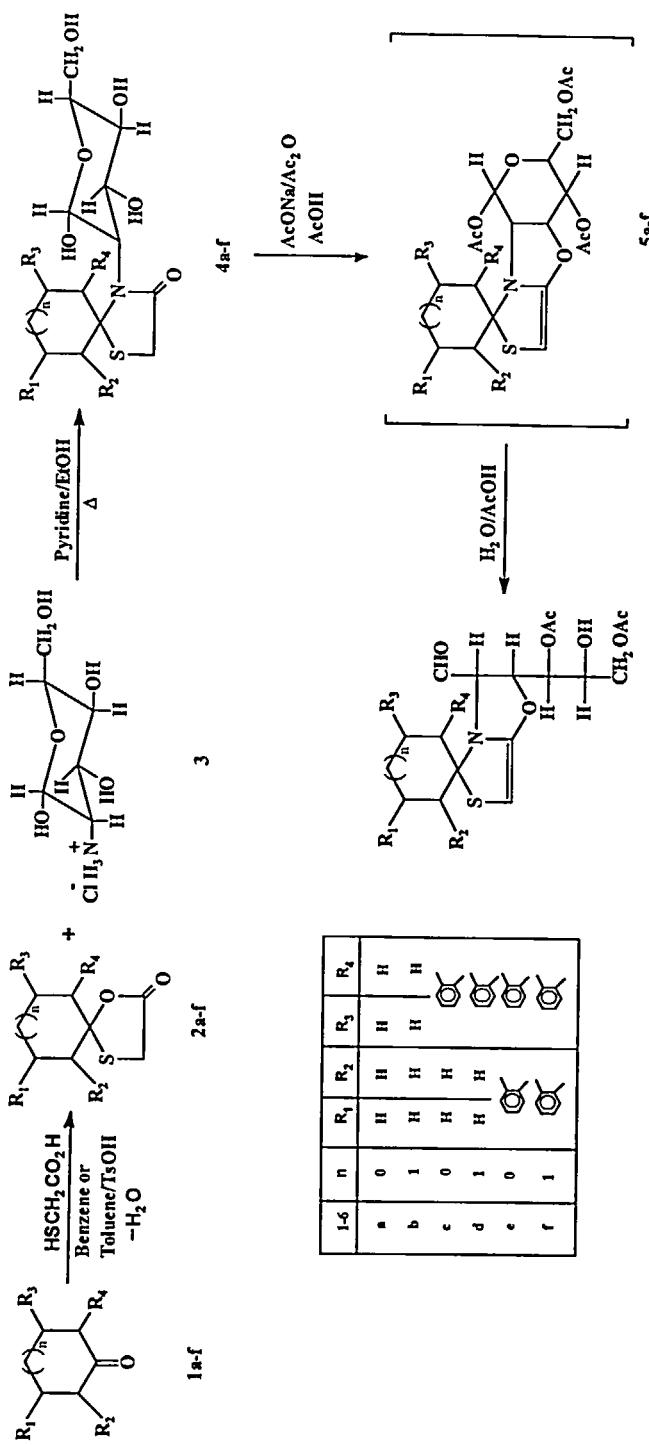
Our syntheses were started with the reaction of cyclopentanone (**1a**), cyclohexanone (**1b**), 1-indanone (**1c**), 1-tetralone (**1d**), fluorenone (**1e**) and anthrone (**1f**) with mercaptoacetic acid in benzene and/or toluene in the presence of *p*-toluenesulfonic acid to give 1-oxa-4-thiaspiro[4.4]nonan-2-one (**2a**), 1-oxa-4-thiaspiro[4.5]decan-2-one (**2b**), spiro[indan-1,2'-[1',3']oxathialan]-5'-one (**2c**), spiro[tetrahydronaphthalene-1,2'-[1',3']oxathialan]-5'-one (**2d**), spiro[fluoren-9,2'-[1',3']oxathialan]-5'-one (**2e**) and spiro[anthracene-9(10)-2'-[1',3']oxathialan]-5'-one (**2f**) respectively (Scheme). The structures of compounds **2a-f** were elucidated by the comparison of their physical properties, elemental analyses and spectroscopic data with the reported literature data.^{37,38}

Compounds **2a-f** reacted with glucosamine hydrochloride in a mixture of pyridine and ethanol to afford 1-thia-4-(2'-glucosyl)-4-azaspiro[4.4]nonan-3-one (**4a**), 1-thia-4-(2'-glucosyl)-4-azaspiro[4.5]decan-3-one (**4b**), 3-(2'-glucosyl)-2-spiro[1'-indanyl]thiazolidin-4-one (**4c**), 3-(2'-glucosyl)-2-spiro[1'-tetrahydronaphthalenyl]thiazolidin-4-one (**4d**), 3-(2'-glucosyl)-2-spiro[9'-flourenyl]thiazolidin-4-one (**4e**) and 3-(2'-glucosyl)-2-spiro[9'(10)anthracenyl]thiazolidin-4-one (**4f**) respectively in fairly good yield (65-77%, Table) (Scheme). The structures of compounds **4a-f** were established from their elemental analyses and spectroscopic data (Table). For example, the IR spectrum of compound **4d** showed the following absorption bands: 3650-3600 cm⁻¹ for the hydroxyl group of the glucose moiety, 3060 cm⁻¹ for aromatic CH stretching, 2860 cm⁻¹ for aliphatic CH stretching, 1720 cm⁻¹ for the carbonyl group and 720 cm⁻¹ for C-S stretching. The ¹H NMR spectrum of **4d** (DMSO-d₆/TMS) showed the following signals: δ 2.00-2.50 (6 H, m) for the three methylene groups of the tetralin ring, 2.75-3.00 (4 H, m) for the protons at C₁, C₂, C₃, C₄, C₅ of the glucose moiety, 3.40 (2 H, s) for the methylene protons of the thiazolidinone ring, 4.00-4.20 (5 H, m) for the four hydroxyl protons at C₁, C₃, C₄, C₆ and the C₂ proton of the

glucose moiety, 4.55 (2 H, m) for the methylene protons of C₆ of glucose unit and 7.00-7.80 (4 H, m) for the aromatic protons of the tetralin ring. Also, low resolution mass spectrometry of compound 4d showed a fragment of *m/z* (% relative intensity) 218 (66%) which indicated the incorporation of the glucose molecule with compounds 2a-f (Scheme). Reaction of compounds 4a-f with fused sodium acetate in a mixture of acetic anhydride and acetic acid at reflux followed by pouring the reaction mixture into cold water yielded the incorporated acetylated glucose moiety with spirothiazoloxazoles (6a-f) in excellent yield (73%-80% Table) (Scheme). The elucidation of the structures of compounds 6a-f were based on their elemental analyses and spectroscopic data (Table). For example, the IR spectrum of compound 6f showed characteristic absorption bands at 3630-3600 cm⁻¹ for the OH group of the glucose moiety, 3050 cm⁻¹ for the aromatic CH stretching, 2860 cm⁻¹ for the aliphatic CH stretching, 1800, 1720 cm⁻¹ for the carbonyl groups of the acetyl group at C₄ and C₆ of the glucose unit, 850 cm⁻¹ for the double bond in the thiazole ring and 720 cm⁻¹ for C-S stretching. The ¹H NMR spectrum of 6f (DMSO-d₆/TMS) showed the following signals: δ 2.45 (6 H, s) for the two methyl groups of the acetoxy groups at C₄ and C₆ of glucose moiety, 3.30 (2 H, s) for the methylene protons at C₁₀ of the anthracene ring, 2.90 (1 H, d) for the hydroxyl proton at C₅ of glucose residue, 4.10 (2 H, d) for the two protons at C₂ and C₃ of oxazole ring, 4.20 (2 H, d) for the two protons at C₄ and C₅ of the glucose molecule, 4.30 (2 H, s) for the methylene protons at C₆ of glucose, 4.60 (1 H, s) for the proton of the thiazole ring (C₅ at that ring), 7.00-8.20 (8 H, m) for the aromatic protons of the anthracene ring and 9.75 (1 H, s) for the proton of the aldehyde group of C₁ of the glucose molecule.

EXPERIMENTAL

General methods. The time required for completion of the reaction was monitored by thin-layer chromatography (TLC), melting points were determined in open glass capillaries and are uncorrected. IR spectra were recorded on a Pye-Unicam SP 200 G spectrophotometer. ¹H NMR spectra were measured using an EM 360 90 MHz NMR spectrophotometer. Microanalyses were determined on a Perkin Elmer 240 C microanalyser. Mass spectra were performed on a Finnigan 4023 quadrupole system equipped with a Model 4500 source upgrade.



Scheme

TABLE. Physical data of Spirothiazolo-3-(2'-glucosyl)-4-one derivatives (4a-f) and Spirothiazoloxazolyglucose derivatives (6a-f)

Compd. No.	Yield (%)	MP (°C)	Molecular Formula (governing crystallization)	Anal.Calcd./Found (%)			IR (KBr), cm ⁻¹	¹ H NMR (DMSO-d ₆), δ (TMS)ppm
				C	H	N		
4a	70	125-127	C ₁₃ H ₂₁ NO ₆ S (ethanol)	48.90 (48.70)	6.58 (6.40)	4.38 (4.25)	10.03 (10.00)	3650-3660 (OH), 2850 (CH aliph), 1720 (C=O), 720 (C-S).
4b	77	145-147	C ₁₄ H ₂₂ NO ₆ S (ethanol)	50.45 (50.25)	6.90 (6.80)	4.20 (4.10)	9.60 (9.50)	3640-3660 (OH), 2850 (CH aliph), 1720 (C=O), 720 (C-S).
4c	76	160-162	C ₁₅ H ₂₁ NO ₆ S (methanol)	55.58 (55.40)	5.72 (5.60)	3.81 (3.65)	8.71 (8.60)	3650-3660 (OH), 3050 (CH arom), 2860 (CH aliph), 1720 (C=O), 730 (C-S).
4d	69	215-217	C ₁₆ H ₂₁ NO ₆ S (methanol)	56.69 (56.60)	6.03 (6.00)	3.67 (3.65)	8.39 (8.30)	3650-3660 (OH), 3060 (CH arom), 2860 (CH aliph), 1720 (C=O), 720 (C-S).
4e	66	220-222	C ₁₇ H ₂₁ NO ₆ S (ethanol)	60.72 (60.60)	5.06 (5.00)	3.37 (3.25)	7.71 (7.65)	3640-3660 (OH), 3050 (CH arom), 2870 (CH aliph), 1720 (C=O), 730 (C-S).
4f	65	280-282	C ₁₈ H ₂₁ NO ₆ S (ethanol)	61.53 (61.40)	5.36 (5.25)	3.26 (3.20)	7.45 (7.40)	3630-3660 (OH), 3050 (CH arom), 2860 (CH aliph), 1720 (C=O), 730 (C-S).
6a	80	190-192	C ₁₇ H ₂₁ NO ₆ S (ethanol)	52.90 (52.80)	5.97 (5.90)	3.63 (3.60)	8.31 (8.25)	3630-3660 (OH), 2860 (CH aliph), 1800-1720 (C=O), 850 (C=C), 730 (C-S).

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Compd. No.	Yield (%)	MP (°C)	Molecular Formula (solvent of crystallization)	Anal. Calcd/(Found) %			IR (KBr), cm ⁻¹	¹ H NMR (DMSO-d ₆), δ (TMS)/ppm	
				C	H	N			
6b	77	160-162	C ₁₁ H ₃₃ NO ₂ S (methanol)	54.13 (54.00)	6.26 (6.10)	3.50 (3.40)	8.02 (8.00)	3650-3600 (OH), 2890 (CH aliph), 1800,1720 (C=O), 840 (C=C), 720 (C-S).	1.32-1.75 (6 H, m), 1.90-2.20 (4 H, m), 2.40 (6 H, s), 2.90 (1 H, d), 4.10 (2 H, d), 4.20 (2 H, d), 4.30 (2 H, s), 4.60 (1 H, s), 9.70 (1 H, s).
6c	78	170-172	C ₁₁ H ₃₃ NO ₂ S (ethanol)	58.19 (58.00)	5.31 (5.20)	3.23 (3.15)	7.39 (7.30)	3650-3600 (OH), 3060 (CH arom), 2870 (CH aliph), 1800,1720 (C=O), 850 (C=C), 730 (C-S).	2.00-2.40 (4 H, m), 2.40 (6 H, s), 2.90 (1 H, d), 4.10 (2 H, d), 4.20 (2 H, d), 4.30 (2 H, s), 4.60 (1 H, s), 7.00-7.80 (4 H, m).
6d	76	180-182	C ₂₃ H ₅₃ NO ₂ S (methanol)	60.13 (60.00)	5.44 (5.40)	3.05 (3.00)	6.97 (6.85)	3640-3610 (OH), 3060 (CH arom), 2850 (CH aliph), 1800,1720 (C=O), 850 (C=C), 720 (C-S).	2.00-2.50 (6 H, m), 2.45 (6 H, s), 2.90 (1 H, d), 4.10 (2 H, d), 4.20 (2 H, d), 4.30 (2 H, s), 4.60 (1 H, s), 7.00-7.80 (4 H, m), 9.80 (1 H, s).
6e	75	200-202	C ₂₃ H ₅₃ NO ₂ S (ethanol)	62.37 (62.30)	4.78 (4.75)	2.91 (2.85)	6.65 (6.60)	3640-3600 (OH), 3060 (CH arom), 2860 (CH aliph), 1800,1720 (C=O), 850 (C=C), 730 (C-S).	2.45 (6 H, s), 2.90 (1 H, d), 4.10 (2 H, d), 4.20 (2 H, d), 4.30 (2 H, s), 4.60 (1 H, s), 7.00-8.20 (8 H, m), 9.75 (1 H, s).
6f	73	210-212	C ₂₆ H ₅₃ NO ₂ S (ethanol)	63.03 (63.00)	5.05 (5.00)	2.82 (2.80)	6.46 (6.40)	3650-3600 (OH), 3050 (CH arom), 2860 (CH aliph), 1800,1720 (C=O), 850 (C=C), 720 (C-S).	2.45 (6 H, s), 2.90 (1 H, d), 3.30 (2 H, s), 4.10 (2 H, d), 4.20 (2 H, d), 4.30 (2 H, s), 4.60 (1 H, s), 7.00-8.20 (8 H, m), 9.75 (1 H, s).

Preparation of spiro[cycloalkyl and/or polycyclic-2'-(1',3')oxathialan]-5'-one derivatives (2a-f). These compounds were prepared according to the reported procedure.^{37,38}

Synthesis of 3-(2'-glucosyl)-2-spiro[1'-cycloalkyl]thiazolidin-4-one derivatives (4a-f). General procedure. Each compound 2a-f (10 mmol) was dissolved in a mixture of pyridine/ethanol (50 mL, 1:4). To this solution glucosamine hydrochloride (2.16 g, 10 mmol) was added, and the reaction mixture was refluxed for 12 h. At the end of the reflux time, the reaction mixture was cooled to room temperature, poured into cold 10% hydrochloric acid solution (50 mL) whereby the target products 4a-f precipitated, were removed by filtration, dried and crystallized from appropriate solvents: 4a, ethanol; 4b, ethanol; 4c, methanol; 4d, methanol; 4e, ethanol; 4f, ethanol. Yields, melting points, elemental and spectral analyses are depicted in the Table.

Synthesis of the annulated spirothiazoloxazologlucose derivatives (6a-f). General procedure. Each compound 4a-f (1 mmol) was fused with fused sodium acetate (5 mmol), then dissolved in a mixture of acetic anhydride and acetic acid (25 mL, 2:1). The reaction mixture was refluxed for 6 h, then cooled to room temperature and poured into cold water (50 mL) whereby the desired products 6a-f were precipitated, filtered off, dried and crystallized from appropriate solvents: 6a, ethanol; 6b, methanol; 6c, ethanol; 6d, methanol; 6e, ethanol; 6f, ethanol. Yields, melting points, elemental and spectral analyses are depicted in the Table.

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