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Monastrol derivatives were synthesized by environment-friendly three component condensation reaction of salicylaldehyde analogues, $\beta$-ketoester, and urea or thiourea under solvent-free conditions with $\mathrm{NaHSO}_{4}$ as catalyst in high yields. The reactions formed two different monastrol products, 4-(2-hydroxyphenyl)pyrimidines 4 and 9- methyl-11-oxo(or thioxo)-8-oxa-10,12-diazatricyclotrideca derivatives 5.
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## INTRODUCTION

It is well known that 3,4-dihydropyrimidin-2-(1H)ones (DHPMs) and their derivatives are an important class of heterocyclic compounds having important biological activities, pharmaceutical and therapeutic properties, such as antiviral [1], antitumour [2], antibacterial, anti-inflammatory, and antihypertensive [3]. Therefore, the preparation of this heterocyclic nucleus has gained great importance in organic synthesis. One of the simple and direct method for the synthesis of this class of compounds is known as Biginelli reaction involving one-pot condensation of aldehyde, $\beta$-ketoester, and urea under strong acidic conditions, which was first reported by Biginelli in 1893 [4]. In this class of compounds, Monastrol, ethyl 6-methyl-4-(3-hydroxyphenyl)-2-thioxo-

1,2,3,4-tetrahydropyrimidine-5-carboxylate, is a recently highlighted Biginelli compound [5,6], which showed promise in a new strategic approach to cancer research [7] and has been found to affect the function of mitotic kinesin Eg5, a motor protein responsible for spindle bipolarity [8]. Thus, kinesin spindle protein represents an attractive target for biochemical studies because human Eg5 inhibitors induce cell death via apoptosis [9]. Owing to the versatile biological activity of Monastrol derivatives, development of an alternative synthetic methodology is of paramount importance. This has led to the development of several new synthetic strategies involving combinations of Lewis acids and transition metal salts, e.g. $\mathrm{Sr}(\mathrm{OTf})_{2}$ [10], $p$-TsOH [11,12], HPA [13], NiCl 2.6 H 2 O [14], $\mathrm{LaCl}_{3}$ [15], $\mathrm{InBr}_{3}$ [16] and Bakers' yeast [17]. Obviously, most of these catalysts

Table 1
NaHSO4 mediated synthesis of monastrol derivatives.

| Products ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | $\mathrm{R}^{1}$ | $\mathrm{R}^{2}$ | $\mathrm{R}^{3}$ | X | Time (h) | Yield ${ }^{\text {b }}$ (\%) | $\mathrm{Mp}\left({ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 4a | H | Et | H | O | 3 | 91 | 201-202 |
| 4b | H | Et | H | S | 3 | 86 | 162-164 |
| 4c | H | Et | Ph | O | 4 | 83 | 98-100 |
| 4d | Cl | Et | H | O | 3.5 | 88 | 228-230 |
| 4e | Br | Et | H | O | 3.5 | 86 | 231-233 |
| 4f | Cl | Et | Ph | O | 4.5 | 82 | 102-104 |
| 4 g | Br | Et | Ph | O | 4.5 | 81 | 111-113 |
| 4h | Cl | Me | H | O | 3.5 | 84 | 257-259 |
| 4 i | Br | Me | H | O | 3.5 | 82 | 215-217 |
| 4j | Cl | Me | Ph | O | 4.5 | 82 | 107-109 |
| 4k | Br | Me | Ph | O | 4.5 | 81 | 114-116 |
| 5a | H | Me | H | O | 3 | 92 | 197-200 |
| 5b | H | Me | Ph | O | 3.5 | 89 | 118-120 |
| 5c | H | Me | H | S | 3 | 90 | 148-150 |
| 5d | Cl | Me | H | S | 4 | 86 | 238-240 |
| 5e | Cl | Et | H | S | 3.5 | 84 | 216-218 |
| 5f | Br | Me | H | S | 4 | 85 | 157-159 |
| 5 g | Br | Et | H | S | 3.5 | 83 | 127-129 |

${ }^{\text {a }}$ Products were characterized by ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H},{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR, IR, MS, and elemental analyses.
${ }^{\mathrm{b}}$ Isolated yield.
and solvents are not acceptable in the context of green synthesis. Thus, as a part of our program towards green synthesis [18], and continuing our studies on the MultiComponent reactions (MCRs) [19], we report herein, a simple, facile, and efficient MCRs for the preparation of some new Monastrol analogues with NaHSO4 as a nontoxic, inexpensive, and easily available reagent.

Herein we wish to report the utilization of NaHSO4 as a catalyst in Biginelli's reaction of substitued salicylaldehydes, $\beta$-ketoester and urea or thiourea for the synthesis of some new Monastrol derivatives under solventfree conditions.
The three-component cyclocondensation reaction was performed under relatively simple reaction conditions by heating together the three components, salicylaldehyde, $\beta$-ketoester, and urea or thiourea, in the ratio of 1:1:1.5 and NaHSO4 $(20 \mathrm{~mol} \%)$, to $90^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ with stirring. After the completion of the reaction, as indicated by TLC, the reaction mixture was poured onto crushed ice. From which the Monastrol derivatives were isolated by filtration and recrystallized from ethanol as indicated in Table 1.
Reactions of salicylaldehyde, methyl acetoacetate with urea (or thiourea, phenylurea) as well as reactions of 5-chloro or 5-bromo salicylaldehyde, methyl (or ethyl) acetoacetate with thiourea did not give the expected free hydroxyl compounds 4, however, the product is the 9 -methyl-11-oxo(or thioxo)-8-oxa-10,12diazatricyclo $\quad\left[7 \cdot 3 \cdot 1 \cdot 0^{2,7}\right]$ trideca-2,4,6-triene $\quad \mathbf{5 a - g}$ (Scheme 1).

The results presented in the Table 1 indicate the scope and generality of the method, which is efficient,
not only for urea or thiourea, but also for salicylaldehydes as well as 5-chloro and 5-bromo salicylaldehydes. In most cases, the reactions proceeded smoothly to produce the corresponding Monastrol derivatives in high yields.

In the course of our work, we have observed that the product from reactions involving salicylaldehyde, methyl acetoacetate with urea (or thiourea, phenylurea) is in fact the 9-methyl-11-oxo(or thioxo)-8-oxa-10, 12-diazatricyclo [7.3.1.0 ${ }^{2,7}$ ]trideca-2,4,6-triene 5a-c rather than a free hydroxyl compounds, 4-(2-

Scheme 1


hydroxyphenyl)pyrimidines 4. However, this oxygenbridged pyrimidine structures were not discussed in several recent reports [13-15,20,21], but were supported by others [12,16,17]. The product from reactions involving 5-chloro or 5-bromosalicylaldehyde, methyl (or ethyl) acetoacetate with thiourea is also an oxygen-bridged compounds $5 \mathbf{d}-\mathbf{g}$ rather than the corresponding 4-(2hydroxyphenyl)pyrimidines.

The production of compounds 5a-g can be explained by the isomerization reaction of the 4-(2-hydroxyphenyl) pyrimidines, 4 which were initially formed (Scheme 2).

In summary, we have described a convenient, envi-ronment-friendly method for the preparation of some new Monastrol derivatives by the Biginelli cyclocondensation reaction of salicylaldehyde analogues, $\beta$-ketoester with urea or thiourea using nontoxic, cheap $\mathrm{NaHSO}_{4}$ catalyst. Additionally, when using salicylaldehyde as the aldehyde reagent, methyl acetoacetate as the active methylene compound, urea (or thiourea, phenylurea) as the condensation reagent, as well as using 5-chloro or 5bromo salicylaldehyde as the aldehyde reagent, methyl (or ethyl) acetoacetate as the active methylene compound, thiourea as the condensation reagent, the Biginelli product will be an oxygen-bridged compound, 9-methyl-11-oxo(or thioxo)-8-oxa-10,12-diazatricyclo[7.3.1.0 ${ }^{2,7}$ ]trideca-2,4,6-triene 5 rather than 4-(2hydroxyphenyl)pyrimidines 4.

## EXPERIMENTAL

IR spectra were recorded on a Nicolet FTIR-500 spectrometer. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR and ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR spectra were recorded on a Bruker AVANCE 400 MHz spectrometer at 400 MHz and 75 MHz . Elemental analysis was performed on an Elementar Vario EL III analyzer. Melting points were determined on a XT-5A digital melting-points apparatus and are uncorrected.

General procedure for the synthesis of Monastrol derivatives $\mathbf{4 a - k}$ and $5 \mathrm{a}-\mathrm{g}$. A mixture of the appropriate salicylaldehyde ( 2 mmol ), $\beta$-ketoester ( 2 mmol ), urea or thiourea ( 3 $\mathrm{mmol})$, and NaHSO4 $(0.4 \mathrm{mmol})$ was heated with stirring at $90^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for the time period as indicated in Table 1. After completion of the reaction (TLC analysis), ice water was added to the mixture, and the crude products collected by filtration were recrystallized from EtOH , to give the products $4 \mathrm{a}-\mathrm{k}$ or $\mathbf{5 a - g}$ (Table 1). All products were characterized by ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H},{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR, IR, MS spectral, and by elemental analyses.

Ethyl 6-methyl-2-oxo-4-(2-hydroxyphenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahy-dropyrimidine-5-carboxylate (4a). Yellow powder, yield 91\%, $\mathrm{mp} 201-202^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{IR}(\mathrm{KBr})$, $\left(v_{\max } / \mathrm{cm}^{-1}\right): 3355,3267,1683$, 1597. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{H}}: 9.6(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{NH}), 9.10(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}$, $\mathrm{NH}), 6.68-7.16(\mathrm{~m}, 5 \mathrm{H}$, arom, OH), $5.45(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{H}-4), 3.93(\mathrm{q}$, $\left.J=6.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{2}\right), 2.26\left(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}\right), 1.01(\mathrm{t}, J=6.8 \mathrm{~Hz}$, $3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}$ ). ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{C}}: 14.9,18.6,44.7,59.8$, $98.6,116.1,119.6,121.3,128.1,129.5,149.4,151.5,155.5$, 169.3. $\mathrm{MS}(\mathrm{ESI}) \mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}: 277.0(\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H})$. Anal. Calcd. for $\mathrm{C}_{14} \mathrm{H}_{16} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{4}$ : C, 60.86 ; H, $5.84 ; \mathrm{N}, 10.14$. Found : C, 60.89 ; H, 5.88; N, 10.17 .

Ethyl 6-methyl-2-thioxo-4-(2-hydroxyphenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetra-hydropyrimidine-5-carboxylate (4b). Yellow powder, yield $86 \%, \mathrm{mp} 162-164^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{IR}(\mathrm{KBr}),\left(v_{\max } / \mathrm{cm}^{-1}\right): 3359,3279$, 1689. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{H}}: 9.72$ (s, $1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{NH}$ ), 9.10 ( s , $1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{NH}), 6.83-7.31(\mathrm{~m}, 5 \mathrm{H}$, arom, OH$), 5.51(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{H}-4)$, $4.14\left(\mathrm{q}, J=7.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{2}\right), 2.21\left(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}\right), 1.13(\mathrm{t}, J=$ $7.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}$ ). ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{C}}: 14.4,18.9,44.2$, 58.6, 102.5, 118.7, 120.9, 127.2, 129.1, 130.1, 148.3, 150.5, 169.2, 177.5. MS(ESI) $m / z: 293.1(\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H})$. Anal. Calcd. for $\mathrm{C}_{14} \mathrm{H}_{16} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{3} \mathrm{~S}: \mathrm{C}, 57.51$; H, 5.52; N, 9.58. Found : C, 57.46; H, 5.44; N, 9.65.

Ethyl 1-phenyl-6-methyl-2-oxo-4-(2-hydroxyphenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydropyrimidine-5-carboxylate (4c). Green powder, yield $83 \%$, mp $98-100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, IR (KBr), $\left(v_{\text {max }} / \mathrm{cm}^{-1}\right)$ : $3347,3268,1681$, 1589. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{H}}: 7.50(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{NH}), 6.83-7.45$ $(\mathrm{m}, 10 \mathrm{H}$, arom, OH$), 5.58(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{H}-4), 4.22(\mathrm{q}, J=6.9 \mathrm{~Hz}$, $2 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{2}$ ), $2.29\left(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}\right), 1.28$ (t, $J=6.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}$ ). ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{C}}: 14.7,18.9,44.9,59.2,99.3,113.1$, $117.5,119.3,121.5,127.6,129.1,129.8,130.7,149.6,150.1$, 152.2, 155.9, 169.7. MS(ESI) m/z: 353.1 (M+H). Anal. Calcd. for $\mathrm{C}_{20} \mathrm{H}_{20} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{4}$ : C, 68.17; H, 5.72; N, 7.95. Found : C, 68.22; H, 5.75; N, 7.87 .

Ethyl 6-methyl-2-oxo-4-(2-hydroxy-5-chlorphenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydropyrimidine-5-carboxylate (4d). Yellow powder, yield $88 \%, \mathrm{mp} 228-230^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \operatorname{IR}(\mathrm{KBr}),\left(v_{\max } / \mathrm{cm}^{-1}\right): 3344,3249$, 1679, 1605. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{H}}: 9.93$ (s, 1H, NH), 9.17 ( $\mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{NH}$ ), $6.80(\mathrm{t}, J=6.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{ArH}), 6.92(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \operatorname{ArH}$ ), $7.19(\mathrm{t}, J=6.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{ArH}), 7.28(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{OH}), 5.41(\mathrm{~s}$, $1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{H}-4), 3.92\left(\mathrm{q}, J=7.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{2}\right), 2.27\left(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}\right)$, $1.04\left(\mathrm{t}, J=7.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}\right) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{C}}$ : 14.4, 18.2, 51.2, 59.5, 97.7, 117.6, 122.5, 127.6, 128.4, 132.5, 149.4, 152.5, 154.2, 165.8. MS (ESI) $m / z: 309.0$ (M-H). Anal. Calcd. for $\mathrm{C}_{14} \mathrm{H}_{15} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{4} \mathrm{Cl}$ : C, 54.11; H, 4.87; N, 9.02. Found : C, 54.16; H, 4.92; N, 9.07.

Ethyl 6-methyl-2-oxo-4-(2-hydroxy-5-bromophenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydropyrimidine-5-carboxylate (4e). Gray powder, yield $86 \%, \mathrm{mp} 231-233^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \operatorname{IR}(\mathrm{KBr}),\left(\mathrm{v}_{\max } / \mathrm{cm}^{-1}\right): 3339,3252$, 1677, 1609. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{H}}: 9.91$ (s, $1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{NH}$ ), 9.19 ( $\mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{NH}$ ), $6.77(\mathrm{t}, J=6.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{ArH}), 6.95(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{ArH})$,
7.23 (t, $J=6.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{ArH}), 7.31(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{OH}), 5.42(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}$, $\mathrm{H}-4), 5.42(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{H}-4), 3.90\left(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{2}\right), 2.29$ $\left(\mathrm{s}, 3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}\right), 1.07\left(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}\right) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{C}}: 14.5,18.6,51.1,59.3,97.5,110.2,118.2$, 129.7, 132.0, 132.5, 149.7, 152.8, 154.5, 166.8. MS(ESI) $m / z$ : $356.9(\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H})$. Anal. Calcd. for $\mathrm{C}_{14} \mathrm{H}_{15} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{4} \mathrm{Br}$ : C, 47.34; H, 4.26; N,7.89. Found: C, 47.38; H, 4.22; N, 7.83.

Ethyl 6-methyl-1-phenyl-2-oxo-4-(2-hydroxy-5-chlorphenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydropyrimidine-5-carboxylate (4f). Yellow powder, yield $82 \%, \mathrm{mp} 102-104^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \operatorname{IR}(\mathrm{KBr}),\left(v_{\max } / \mathrm{cm}^{-1}\right): 3355$, 3269, 1688, 1611. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{H}}: 9.06$ (s, 1H, $\mathrm{NH}), 6.86-7.45(\mathrm{~m}, 9 \mathrm{H}$, arom, OH), 5.48 (s, 1H, H-4), 4.12 (q, $\left.J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{2}\right), 2.27\left(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}\right), 1.25(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}$, $3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}$ ). ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{C}}$ : 14.9, 18.6, 50.3, 59.4, $99.8,113.1,117.3,118.1,122.1,127.9,129.1,129.9,132.4$, 149.5, 150.3, 152.6, 154.9, 167.4. MS(ESI) $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}: 385.1$ (M-H). Anal. Calcd. for $\mathrm{C}_{20} \mathrm{H}_{19} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{4} \mathrm{Cl}: \mathrm{C}, 62.11 ; \mathrm{H}, 4.95 ; \mathrm{N}, 7.24$. Found: C, 62.07; H, 4.88; N, 7.29.

Ethyl 6-methyl-1-phenyl-2-oxo-4-(2-hydroxy-5-bromophenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydropyrimidine-5-carboxylate (4g). Yellow powder, yield $81 \%, \mathrm{mp} 111-113^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \operatorname{IR}(\mathrm{KBr})$, $\left(v_{\max } / \mathrm{cm}^{-1}\right): 3349$, 3257, 1678, 1599. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{H}}: 9.09(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}$, $\mathrm{NH}), 6.73-7.32(\mathrm{~m}, 9 \mathrm{H}$, arom, OH ), $5.49(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{H}-4), 4.12(\mathrm{q}$, $\left.J=6.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{2}\right), 2.29\left(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}\right), 1.26(\mathrm{t}, J=6.9 \mathrm{~Hz}$, $3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}$ ). ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{C}}: 14.4,18.2,50.9,58.9$, $98.4,110.5,117.8,118.4,122.6,129.4,129.9,132.8,133.3$, 149.6, 150.8, 152.7, 154.8, 168.1. MS(ESI) m/z: 432.9 (M+H). Anal. Calcd. for $\mathrm{C}_{20} \mathrm{H}_{19} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{4} \mathrm{Br}$ : C, $55.70 ; \mathrm{H}, 4.44 ; \mathrm{N}, 6.50$. Found : C, 55.66; H, 4.41; N, 6.57.

Methyl 6-methyl-2-oxo-4-(2-hydroxy-5-chlorphenyl)-1,2,3, 4-tetrahydropyrimidine-5-carboxylate (4h). Yellow powder, yield $84 \%, \mathrm{mp} 257-259^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \operatorname{IR}(\mathrm{KBr}),\left(v_{\text {max }} / \mathrm{cm}^{-1}\right): 3346,3261$, 1688, 1592. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{H}}: 9.96$ (s, 1H, NH), 9.22 (s, $1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{NH}), 6.78(\mathrm{t}, J=7.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{ArH}), 7.05(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{ArH}), 7.24$ (t, $J=7.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{ArH}), 7.29(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{OH}), 5.41(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{H}-4)$, $-7.24(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}$, arom, OH$), 5.37(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{H}-4), 3.41\left(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}\right)$, $2.19\left(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}\right) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{C}}: 18.4,48.9,50.8$, $98.3,110.1,118.1,129.1,130.7,132.2,147.9,151.2,154.3$, 164.9. MS(ESI) m/z: 297.1. Anal. Calcd. for $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{13} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{4} \mathrm{Cl}: \mathrm{C}$, 52.62; H, 4.42; N, 9.44. Found : C, 52.67; H, 4.38; N, 9.48.

Methyl 6-methyl-2-oxo-4-(2-hydroxy-5-bromophenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydropyrimidine-5-carboxylate (4i). Yellow powder, yield $82 \%, \mathrm{mp} 215-217^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \operatorname{IR}(\mathrm{KBr}),\left(\mathrm{v}_{\max } / \mathrm{cm}^{-1}\right): 3339,3254$, 1676, 1599. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{H}}: 10.03$ (s, 1H, NH), $9.21(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{NH}), 6.77(\mathrm{t}, J=7.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{ArH}), 7.02(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}$, ArH ), $7.22(\mathrm{t}, J=7.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{ArH}), 7.27(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{OH}), 5.41$ (s, 1H, H-4), 5.41 (s, 1H, H-4), 3.50 (s, 3H, CH3 ), 2.29 ( s, 3H, $\mathrm{CH}_{3}$ ). ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{C}}: 18.3,49.6,51.2,97.5,110.3$, 118.3, 130.0, 131.4, 132.8, 149.8, 152.6, 154.7, 166.2. MS(ESI) m/z: $342.9(\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H})$. Anal. Calcd. for $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{13} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{4} \mathrm{Br}$ : C, 45.77; H, 3.84; N, 8.21. Found: C, 45.73; H, 3.89; N, 8.26.

Methyl 6-methyl-1-phenyl-2-oxo-4-(2-hydroxy-5-chlorphenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydropyrimidine-5-carboxylate (4j). Brown powder, yield $82 \%, \mathrm{mp} 107-109^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \operatorname{IR}(\mathrm{KBr}),\left(v_{\max } / \mathrm{cm}^{-1}\right): 3341,3269$, 1682, 1603. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{H}}: 9.11$ (s, 1H, NH), 6.71-7.39 (m, 9H, arom, OH), $5.44(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{H}-4), 3.45(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}$, $\mathrm{CH}_{3}$ ), $2.24\left(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}\right) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{C}}: 18.1$, $48.4,51.3,99.6,112.1,117.4,118.5,122.3,128.1,129.5$, 130.1, 132.6, 148.4, 150.2, 152.8, 154.2, 166.9. MS(ESI) $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}$ : 373.1. Anal. Calcd. for $\mathrm{C}_{19} \mathrm{H}_{17} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{4} \mathrm{Cl}: \mathrm{C}, 61.21 ; \mathrm{H}, 4.60$; N , 7.53. Found : C, 61.16 ; H, 4.53 ; N, 7.56 .

Methyl 6-methyl-1-phenyl-2-oxo-4-(2-hydroxy-5-bromophenyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydropyrimidine-5-carboxylate (4k). Yellow powder, yield $81 \%, \mathrm{mp} 114-116^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \operatorname{IR}(\mathrm{KBr}),\left(v_{\text {max }} / \mathrm{cm}^{-1}\right): 3336,3258$, 1671, 1589. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{H}}: 9.15$ ( $\mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{NH}$ ), 6.69-7.37 (m, 9H, arom, OH), $5.49(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{H}-4), 3.52(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}$, $\mathrm{CH}_{3}$ ), $2.26\left(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}\right) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{C}}: 18.2$, 49.1, 51.7, 98.6, 111.3, 115.7, 118.3, 120.4, 128.3, 129.1, 130.6, 131.5, 149.1, 151.9, 153.7, 154.2, 167.1. MS(ESI) $m / z$ : $418.9(\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H})$. Anal. Calcd. for $\mathrm{C}_{19} \mathrm{H}_{17} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{4} \mathrm{Br}$ : C, 54.69 ; H , 4.11; N, 6.72. Found : C, 54.62; H, 4.06; N, 6.78.

13-Methoxycarbonyl-9-methyl-11-oxo-8-oxa-10,12-diazatricyclo[7.3.1. $0^{2,7}$ ]trideca-2,4,6-triene (5a). Yellow powder, yield $92 \%$, mp $117-120^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \operatorname{IR}(\mathrm{KBr}),\left(v_{\text {max }} / \mathrm{cm}^{-1}\right): 3308,3075$, 1683, 1643. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{H}}: 7.19$ ( $\mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{NH}$ ), 6.78-7.18 (m, 5H, arom, NH), 4.61 (dd, $J=2.8,2.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}$, $\mathrm{H}-1), 3.69\left(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}\right), 3.49-3.52(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{H}-13), 1.78(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}$, $\mathrm{CH}_{3}$ ). ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{C}}: 24.7,44.0,48.9,51.8,82.1$, $116.4,121.7,124.6,128.5,130.1,151.3,155.8,169.1$. MS(ESI) $m / z: 262.9(M+H)$. Anal. Calcd. for $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{14} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{4}$ : C, 59.53 ; H, 5.38 ; N, 10.68. Found : C, 59.58 ; H, 5.35 ; N, 10.62 .

13-Methoxycarbonyl-9-methyl-10-phenyl-11-oxo-8-oxa-10,12diazatricyclo[7.3.1.0 ${ }^{2,7}$ ]trideca-2,4,6-triene (5b). Green powder, yield $89 \%$, mp $118-120^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \operatorname{IR}(\mathrm{KBr}),\left(v_{\text {max }} / \mathrm{cm}^{-1}\right): 3316,3089$, 1675, 1653. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{H}}: 8.51(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{NH})$, 6.78-7.68 (m, 9H, arom), 4.38 (dd, $J=2.9,2.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{H}-1$ ), $3.70\left(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}\right), 3.43-3.58(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{H}-13), 1.85(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}$, $\mathrm{CH}_{3}$ ). ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{C}}: 25.1,47.2,49.1,51.8,83.1$, $112.3,116.5,117.8,120.9,123.5,128.3,129.7,130.4,150.6$, 151.7, 156.4, 167.3. MS(ESI) $m / z: 339.1(\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H})$. Anal. Calcd. for $\mathrm{C}_{19} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{4}$ : C, 67.44; H, 5.36; N, 8.28. Found : C, 67.48; H, 5.31; N, 8.25.

13-Methoxycarbonyl-9-methyl-11-thioxo-8-oxa-10,12-diazatricyclo[7.3.1.0 ${ }^{2,7}$ ]trideca-2,4,6-triene ( $5 c$ ). Yellow powder, yield $90 \%, \mathrm{mp} 148-150^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \operatorname{IR}(\mathrm{KBr}),\left(\mathrm{v}_{\mathrm{max}} / \mathrm{cm}^{-1}\right): 3307,3073$, 1670. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{H}}: 9.17$ (s, $1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{NH}$ ), 6.81-7.22 $(\mathrm{m}, 4 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{ArH}), 4.58(\mathrm{dd}, J=3.1,2.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{H}-1), 3.69(\mathrm{~s}$, $\left.3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}\right), 3.34-3.37(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{H}-13), 1.77\left(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}\right) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{C}}: 24.2,43.0,48.8,53.0,82.2,117.3$, 121.7, 124.6, 129.6, 130.6, 151.3, 169.2, 177.2. MS(ESI) $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}$ : $279.0(\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H})$. Anal. Calcd. for $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{14} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{3} \mathrm{~S}: \mathrm{C}, 56.09$; H , 5.07; N, 10.07. Found : C, 56.13; H, 5.13; N, 10.02.

13-Methoxycarbonyl-9-methyl-4-chlor-11-thioxo-8-oxa-10,12diazatricyclo[7.3.1.0 ${ }^{2,7}$ ]trideca-2,4,6-triene (5d). Gray powder, yield $86 \%$, mp $238-240^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, $\operatorname{IR}(\mathrm{KBr}),\left(\mathrm{v}_{\mathrm{max}} / \mathrm{cm}^{-1}\right): 3298,3079$, 1689. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{H}}: 10.01(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{NH}), 9.22$ ( s , $1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{NH}), 6.80(\mathrm{t}, J=6.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{ArH}), 6.90(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{ArH})$, $7.13(\mathrm{t}, J=6.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{ArH}), 5.41(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{H}-4), 4.55(\mathrm{dd}, J=$ $3.2,2.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{H}-1), 3.56\left(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}\right), 3.35-3.41(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}$, $\mathrm{H}-13$ ), $1.82\left(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}\right) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{C}}: 24.5$, $43.5,47.2,52.5,82.1,117.8,122.7,125.0,129.4,131.3,150.2$, 168.1, 177.2. MS(ESI) m/z: $313.0(\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H})$. Anal. Calcd. for $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{13} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{3} \mathrm{SCl}$ : C, 49.92; H, 4.19; N, 8.96. Found : C, 49.88; H, 5.15; N, 8.93.

13-Ethoxycarbonyl-9-methyl-4-chlor-11-thioxo-8-oxa-10,12diazatricyclo[7.3.1.0 ${ }^{2,7}$ ]trideca-2,4,6-triene (5e). Yellow powder, yield $84 \%, \mathrm{mp} 216-218^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{IR}(\mathrm{KBr}),\left(v_{\max } / \mathrm{cm}^{-1}\right): 3315$, 3091, 1689. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{H}}: 10.06(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{NH})$, $9.23(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{NH}), 6.82(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \operatorname{ArH}), 6.94(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}$, ArH ), 7.18 (t, $J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{ArH}$ ), 5.41 (s, $1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{H}-4$ ), 4.58 (dd, $J=3.0,2.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{H}-1), 4.03(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}$, $\mathrm{CH}_{2}$ ), 3.34-3.44 (m, 1H, H-13), $1.80\left(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}\right), 1.24(\mathrm{t}, J$
$=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}$ ). ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{C}}: 14.9,24.4$, 43.1, 47.3, 57.5, 82.2, 117.9, 123.3, 125.6, 130.4, 133.5, 152.2, 167.1, 177.1. MS(ESI) $m / z: 328.5$ (M+H). Anal. Calcd. for $\mathrm{C}_{14} \mathrm{H}_{15} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{3} \mathrm{SCl}$ : C, 51.45 ; H, 4.63 ; N, 8.57. Found : C, 51.48; H, 4.67; N, 8.53.

13-Methoxycarbonyl-9-methyl-4-bromo-11-thioxo-8-oxa-10,12diazatricyclo[7.3.1.0 $0^{2,7}$ ]trideca-2,4,6-triene ( $5 f$ ). Gray powder, yield $85 \%, \mathrm{mp} 157-159^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{IR}(\mathrm{KBr}),\left(v_{\max } / \mathrm{cm}^{-1}\right)$ : 3295,3077, 1681. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{H}}: 10.04(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{NH}), 9.25(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}$, $\mathrm{NH}), 6.77(\mathrm{t}, J=6.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{ArH}), 6.95(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \operatorname{ArH}), 7.27(\mathrm{t}$, $J=6.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{ArH}), 5.41(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{H}-4), 4.57(\mathrm{dd}, J=3.0,2.4$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{H}-1), 3.61\left(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}\right.$ ), 3.41 (m, 1H, H-13), 1.75 ( s , $3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}$ ). ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{C}}: 24.3,43.2,47.6,52.3$, $82.3,113.5,120.4,124.5,130.8,131.7,149.9,168.8,177.5$. $\mathrm{MS}(\mathrm{ESI}) \mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}: 358.9(\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H})$. Anal. Calcd. for $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{13} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{3} \mathrm{SBr}$ : C, 43.71; H, 3.67; N, 7.84. Found : C, 43.78; H, 3.72; N, 7.81.

13-Ethoxycarbonyl-9-methyl-4-bromo-11-thioxo-8-oxa-10,12diazatricyclo[7.3.1.0 ${ }^{2,7}$ ]trideca-2,4,6-triene (5g). Gray powder, yield $83 \%, \mathrm{mp} 127-129^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \operatorname{IR}(\mathrm{KBr}),\left(v_{\text {max }} / \mathrm{cm}^{-1}\right): 3309,3091$, 1673. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{H}}: 10.04(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{NH}), 9.21(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}$, NH ), $6.75(\mathrm{t}, J=7.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{ArH}), 7.04(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{ArH}), 7.24(\mathrm{t}$, $J=7.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{ArH}), 5.41(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{H}-4), 4.54(\mathrm{dd}, J=3.2,2.2$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{H}-1), 3.92\left(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{2}\right), 3.35 \sim 3.42(\mathrm{~m}$, $1 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{H}-13), 1.78\left(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}\right), 1.23\left(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}, \mathrm{CH}_{3}\right)$. ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (DMSO-d6) $\delta_{\mathrm{C}}: 14.3,24.5,43.4,47.2,61.2,82.1$, 112.6, 119.2, 125.6, 131.8, 132.2, 150.7, 167.5, 177.2. MS(ESI) $m / z: 372.9(\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H})$. Anal. Calcd. for $\mathrm{C}_{14} \mathrm{H}_{15} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{3} \mathrm{SBr}$ : C, 45.29; H, 4.07; N, 7.55. Found : C, 45.23; H, 4.04; N, 7.52.

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