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Syntheses and NMR study of [(2-dimethylaminomethyl)phenyl]vinylsilane derivatives and [(2-dimethylaminomethyl)phenyl]ethylsilane derivatives

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Abstract

Various vinylsilanes, SiX(CH=CH₂)(CH₃)[2-(CH₃)₂NCH₂C₆H₄], and ethylsilanes, SiX(CH₂CH₃)(CH₃)[2-(CH₃)₂NCH₂C₆H₄] [X = Cl (1); OMe (2); H (3); F (4); OSiMe₃ (5); NMe₂ (6); Me (7)], were synthesized in order to investigate the electronic effect of vinyl group on silicon atom having an intramolecular coordination arm. The magnitude of $\Delta\delta$ (ethyl \rightarrow vinyl for ²⁹Si-NMR) of chlorosilane, 1, was the biggest one among 1–7. The differences of ²⁹Si chemical shifts between vinylsilanes and ethylsilanes increased in the following order: X = Me, NMe₂ < H < OSiMe₃ < OMe < F < Cl. © 2003 Elsevier Science B.V. All rights reserved.

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1. Introduction

A ²⁹Si-NMR study on substituted pentacoordinate silicon complexes was carried out to investigate the electronic effect of various electronegative substituents (halogen, O, N) on silicon atoms [1]. However, to the best of our knowledge, a detailed study focussing on the electronic effect of substituents on vinylsilanes with intramolecular donor atom has not been reported. Recently, we found that the *meso* compound of diastereomeric 1,3-dihydroxy-1,3-bis[(2-dimethylamino-methyl)phenyl]-1,3-divinyldisiloxanes having both intramolecular coordination arms and vinyl groups showed a linear Si–O–Si skeleton, which was the first linear neutral disiloxandiol [2]. Interestingly, the Si–O–Si angle of the simple disiloxane with a vinyl group,

O[Si(vinyl)₃]₂, was also 180° [3]. It thus appears that the electronic effect of vinyl group on Si should play an important role to form a linear structure. That has prompted us to carry out NMR studies on various [(2dimethylaminomethyl)phenyl]vinylsilane derivatives and [(2-dimethylaminomethyl)phenyl]ethylsilane derivatives to investigate the electronic effect of a vinyl group on silicon atom in the presence of an intramolecular coordination arm.



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Scheme 1. Syntheses of 1-7.

2. Results and discussion

2.1. Syntheses of [(2-dimethylaminomethyl)phenyl]vinylsilane derivatives (1a-7a) and [(2-dimethylaminomethyl)phenyl]ethylsilane derivatives (1b-7b) (Scheme 1)

Compounds 1a [4] and 2a [5] were prepared according to literature methods. The reaction of ortho-lithiated (dimethylaminomethyl)phenyl with dichloroethylmethylsilane gave 1b in 70% yield. Compound 2b was obtained in 73% yield from the reaction of 1b with MeOH in the presence of triethylamine, as an HCl acceptor. The reductions of 1a and 1b using LiAlH₄ gave 3a [4] in 73% yield and 3b in 67% yield, respectively. Compounds 4a and 4b were synthesized in 84 and 89% yields by the reactions of 2a and 2b with BF₃·Et₂O, respectively. Compounds 1a and 1b reacted with Me₃SiCl in the presence of water and triethylamine to give 5a in 67% yield and 5b in 68% yield, respectively. The reactions of 1a and 1b with dimethylamine in the presence of an excess of triethylamine gave 6a in 62% yield and 6b in 56% yield, respectively. The reactions of ortho-lithiated (dimethylaminomethyl)phenyl with chlorodimethylvinylsilane and chloroethyldimethylsilane afforded 7a in 79% yield and 7b in 81% yield, respectively. All compounds were purified and isolated by vacuum distillation.

Table 1 ¹H-NMR spectral data (δ (ppm), 500 MHz, toluene- d_8 , 293 K)

Compound	CH ₂ N (dd, 2H)	J (H, H ₁ Hz)
1a	3.213, 3.303	13.31
1b	3.210, 3.079	13.06
2a	3.345, 3.255	12.81
2b	3.448, 3.321	12.70
3a	3.318, 3.238	12.74
3b	3.318, 3.283	12.50
4a	3.163, 3.058	13.20
4b	3.187, 3.097	13.00
5a	3.437, 3.340	12.81
5b	3.456, 3.405	13.20
6a	3.492, 3.435	13.20
6b	3.450 (s, 2H)	_
7a	3.364 (s, 2H)	-
7b	3.386 (s, 2H)	-

2.2. NMR study of [(2-dimethylaminomethyl)phenyl]vinylsilanes (1a-7a) and [(2-dimethylaminomethyl)phenyl]ethylsilanes (1b-7b)

The benzylic proton resonances of CH_2N are given in Table 1. The ¹H-NMR spectra of **1–5** and **6a** show the diastereotopism of benzylic protons [6]. The coupling constants of methylene protons of vinylsilanes increase

in the order: $X = H < OSiMe_3 < OMe < NMe_2 < F < Cl.$

The ²⁹Si-NMR and $\Delta\delta$ (ethyl \rightarrow vinyl) are given in Table 2. The increased shielding of silicon by the vinyl group, as expected, implies that π electrons of the vinyl substituent might be delocalized over the σ^* orbital of Si-X bond through $\pi - \sigma^*$ conjugation [7]. This delocalization could partially affect the linear structures of two vinylsiloxanes mentioned in introduction, although the more complicated factors might be involved. The shielding of the Si atom in vinylsilane was enhanced by the presence of electronegative substituents (vinyl \rightarrow Si \rightarrow X). The magnitudes of $\Delta \delta$ increased in the order: X = Me, NMe_2 , $H < OSiMe_3 < OMe < F < Cl$. The magnitude of $\Delta\delta$ of chlorosilane, 1, was biggest, which shows no direct correlation with the electronegativities of substituents. In comparison with this result, ²⁹Si-NMR studies on the replacement of a methyl by a phenyl group in the absence of an intramolecular donor atom, done by Cragg and Lane [8], showed that the differential shifts of ²⁹Si-NMR for $Me_{2-n}Ph_nSiX_2$ by phenyl substitution increased in the order: X = H < $NMe_2 < OMe < Cl < F$. It was also reported that the differences of ²⁹Si chemical shifts between SiMe₄ and $SiMe_3X$ increased in the order: $X = NMe_2 < OMe <$ Cl < F [9].

In summary, the various vinylsilanes, SiX(CH= CH₂)(CH₃)[2-(CH₃)₂NCH₂C₆H₄], and ethylsilanes, SiX(CH₂CH₃)(CH₃)[2-(CH₃)₂NCH₂C₆H₄], having an intramolecular donor atom were synthesized. The magnitude of $\Delta\delta$ (ethyl \rightarrow vinyl for ²⁹Si-NMR) of chlorosilane, **1**, was 28.59 ppm, which indicates the significant electronic effect of the vinyl group. The differences of ²⁹Si chemical shifts between vinylsilanes and ethylsilanes also increased in the following order: X = Me, NMe₂, H < OSiMe₃ < OMe < F < Cl.

3. Experimental

3.1. General comments

In all reactions where air-sensitive chemicals were used, the reagents and solvents were dried prior to use. Diethyl ether and *n*-hexane were distilled from Na/ Ph₂CO. Other starting materials were purchased in reagent grade and used without further purification. Glassware was flame-dried under nitrogen or argon flushing prior to use. Experiments were performed under a nitrogen or argon atmosphere. ¹H-, ¹³C-, and ²⁹Si-NMR spectra were recorded on a Bruker AMX 500 NMR spectrometer and referenced to residual protons of the solvent, carbons of solvent, and silicons of SiMe₄, respectively. Analyses of product mixtures were accomplished using a HP 5890 II with FID (HP-1, 15 m column). Mass spectra were recorded on a low-resolu-

Table 2 29 Si-NMR spectral data (δ (ppm, TMS), 99 MHz, toluene- d_8 , 293 K)

Compound (X) Vinyls	ilane (a) Ethylsilane (b)	$\Delta\delta$
1 (Cl) -15.5	3 13.06	28.59
4 (F) -13.2	1 8.97	22.18
2 (OMe) -7.8	5 8.30	16.15
5 (OSIMe ₃) -16.0	2 -1.10	14.92
3 (H) -26.7	1 -15.19	11.52
$6 (NMe_2) - 8.2$	1 2.31	10.52
7 (Me) -7.2	1 3.01	10.22

tion HP 5971A mass spectrometer and a high-resolution VG ANALITICLA 70-VSEQ mass spectrometer.

3.2. Synthesis of 1b

To dichloroethylmethylsilane (6.7 ml, 0.050 mol) at 0 °C was added slowly 2-(N,N-dimethylaminomethyl)phenyllithium (7.1 g, 0.050 mol) in 200 ml of diethyl ether. The reaction mixture was stirred for about 12 h at room temperature (r.t.). After filtration of precipitated LiCl, volatiles were distilled under vacuum. The residue was distilled to yield **1b** (8.4 g) in 70% yield. b.p.: $80-85 \degree C$ (0.15 Torr). MS: m/z (relative intensity) 241 (M⁺, 4.8), 226 (17.5), 169 (7.5), 107 (5.0), 91 (15.5), 58 (100), 42 (7.8). ¹H-NMR (toluene- d_8 , 500 MHz): δ 0.58 (s, 3H), 0.96-1.11 (m, 5H), 1.78 (s, 6H), 3.07-3.22 (dd, 2H), 6.92–8.33 (m, 4H). ¹³C-NMR (toluene-*d*₈, 125 MHz): δ 2.23 (SiCH₃), 7.70, 11.24 (ethyl), 44.63 (N(CH₃)₂), 64.64 (NCH₂), 127.1, 130.0, 134.1, 137.4, 138.4, 145.4 (C₆H₄). HRMS—C₁₂H₂₀ClNSi: 241.1054 (Calc.); 241.1047 (Found).

3.3. Synthesis of 2b

A mixture of MeOH (3.0 ml, 0.074 mol) and Et₃N (10.3 ml, 0.074 mol) was slowly added to 2.9 g (0.012 mol) of 1b in 100 ml of diethyl ether at 0 °C. After the addition was completed, the mixture was refluxed for 6 h. The reaction mixture was cooled, the precipitated $Et_3N^+HCl^-$ was removed by filtration, and volatiles were distilled from the filtrate under vacuum. The residue was distilled off to afford 2b in 73% yield (2.1 g). b.p.: 62-65 °C (0.15 Torr). MS: m/z (relative intensity) 237 (M⁺, 10.0), 222 (32.5), 208 (12.5), 194 (100), 165 (20.0), 135 (22.5), 119 (12.3), 58 (55.0). ¹H-NMR (toluene- d_8 , 500 MHz): δ 0.36 (s, 3H), 0.88–1.05 (m, 5H), 2.02 (s, 6H), 3.35 (s, 3H), 3.31-3.45 (dd, 2H), 7.14–7.71 (m, 4H). ¹³C-NMR (toluene- d_8 , 125 MHz): δ -3.46 (SiCH₃), 7.42, 8.04 (ethyl), 45.14 (N(CH₃)₂), 50.28 (OMe), 64.94 (NCH₂), 126.7, 128.2, 136.0, 136.2, 137.5, 144.3 (C₆H₄). HRMS—C₁₃H₂₃NOSi: 237.1549 (Calc.); 237.1547 (Found).

3.4. Synthesis of 3b

To 1b (2.6 g, 0.011 mol) in 100 ml of diethyl ether was added LiAlH₄ (0.104 g, 0.0027 mol) at 0 °C. After the mixture was refluxed for 3 h, it was stirred for 12 h at r.t. The precipitate was removed by filtration and volatiles were distilled from the filtrate under vacuum. The residue was distilled off to afford 3b in 67% yield (1.5 g). b.p.: 55–60 °C (0.15 Torr). MS: m/z (relative intensity) 207 (M⁺, 3.6), 192 (14.1), 178 (91.7), 162 (19.3), 135 (64.1), 133 (100), 107 (14.4), 91 (13.3), 58 (53.0), 43 (13.4). ¹H-NMR (toluene- d_8 , 500 MHz): δ 0.31 (s, 3H), 0.80-1.07 (m, 5H), 1.99 (s, 6H), 3.27-3.33 (dd, 2H), 4.44–4.51 (m, 1H), 7.09–7.55 (m, 4H). ¹³C-NMR (toluene- d_8 , 125 MHz): δ -4.42 (SiCH₃), 6.66, 8.80 (ethyl), 44.42 (N(CH₃)₂), 64.98 (NCH₂), 126.7, 128.1, 136.0, 137.0, 137.4, 146.1 (C₆H₄). HRMS-C₁₂H₂₁NSi: 207.1443 (Calc.); 207.1445 (Found).

3.5. Syntheses of 4a and 4b

To 2a (3.5 g, 0.015 mol) in 100 ml of *n*-hexane was added slowly $BF_3 \cdot Et_2O$ (1.3 ml, 0.0065 mol) at r.t. The reaction mixture was stirred for 1 h at r.t. The gel was removed by filtration and volatiles were distilled from the filtrate under vacuum. The residue was distilled off to give 4a in 84% yield (2.8 g). In a similar manner using **2b**, **4b** was obtained in 89% yield (1.8 g). **4a**—b.p.: 55– 60 °C (0.10 Torr). MS: m/z (relative intensity) 223 (M⁺ 15.0), 208 (35.0), 180 (100), 132 (18.8), 115 (12.5), 91 (21.8), 63 (17.3), 58 (95.0), 47 (15.0). ¹H-NMR (toluene d_8 , 500 MHz): δ 0.37, 0.40 (d, 3H), 1.78 (s, 6H), 3.05-3.18 (dd, 2H), 5.91-6.15 (m, 3H), 7.12-8.05 (m, C₆H₄). ¹³C-NMR (toluene- d_8 , 125 MHz): δ -1.68, -1.85 (SiCH₃), 44.78 (N(CH₃)₂), 64.37 (CH₂N), 128.70, 132.48 (vinyl), 127.24, 130.04, 136.85, 137.42, 137.48, 145.5 (C₆H₄). HRMS—C₁₂H₁₈FNSi: 223.1193 (Calc.); 223.1189 (Found). **4b**—b.p.: 100–105 °C (1.0 Torr). MS: m/z (relative intensity) 225 (M⁺, 10.0), 210 (31.3), 196 (7.8), 153 (17.5), 125 (7.5), 91 (27.0), 63 (7.3), 58 (100). ¹H-NMR (toluene- d_8 , 500 MHz): δ 0.33, 0.34 (d, 3H), 0.78-1.10 (m, 5H), 1.81 (s, 6H), 3.08-3.20 (dd, 2H), 6.94-7.98 (m, C₆H₄). HRMS-C₁₂H₂₀FNSi: 225.1349 (Calc.); 225.1342 (Found).

3.6. Syntheses of 5a and 5b

Water (10.0 ml, 0.56 mol) was slowly added to a mixture of Me₃SiCl (34.0 ml, 0.27 mol), Et₃N (74.1 ml, 0.53 mol), and **1a** (9.0 g, 0.038 mol) in 100 ml of diethyl ether at 0 °C. After the addition was completed, the reaction mixture was refluxed for 1 h. The reaction mixture was cooled, the precipitated $Et_3N^+HCl^-$ was removed by filtration, and volatiles were distilled from the filtrate under vacuum. The residue was distilled off to give **5a** in 67% yield (7.5 g). In a similar manner using

1b, **5b** was prepared in 68% yield (7.6 g). **5a**—b.p.: 60– 65 °C (0.15 Torr). MS: m/z (relative intensity) 278 $(M^+ - 15, 20.0), 251 (23.5), 250 (100), 207 (8.1), 193$ (10.0), 159 (7.5), 133 (13.3), 117 (7.8), 73 (8.5), 58 (27.5). ¹H-NMR (toluene- d_8 , 500 MHz): δ 0.18 (s, 9H), 0.46 (s, 3H), 2.00 (s, 6H), 3.33-3.45 (dd, 2H), 5.76-6.35 (m, 3H), 7.16–7.83 (m, 4H). ¹³C-NMR (toluene- d_8 , 125 MHz): δ 0.34 (SiCH₃), 2.25 (OSiMe₃), 44.91 (N(CH₃)₂), 64.73 (CH₂N), 128.9, 131.5 (vinyl), 126.6, 129.5, 135.8, 137.2, 139.9, 145.5 (C₆H₄). ²⁹Si-NMR (toluene-d₈, 99 MHz): δ 7.88, -16.02. HRMS—C₁₅H₂₇NOSi₂: 293.1631 (Calc.); 293.1631 (Found). 5b-b.p.: 90-95 °C (1.2 Torr). MS: m/z (relative intensity) 295 $(M^+, 7.2), 280 (33.6), 226 (18.3), 207 (23.6), 190$ (38.0), 179 (27.0), 161 (28.1), 133 (22.0), 58 (100). ¹H-NMR (toluene-d₈, 500 MHz): δ 0.18 (s, 9H), 0.40 (s, 3H), 0.85-1.05 (m, 5H), 2.05 (6H), 3.39-3.47 (m, 2H), 6.97-7.77 (m, C₆H₄). ²⁹Si-NMR (toluene- d_8 , 99 MHz): δ 7.16, -1.10. HRMS—C₁₅H₂₉NOSi₂: 295.1788 (Calc.); 295.1786 (Found).

3.7. Syntheses of 6a and 6b

A mixture of dimethylamine (130 ml, 0.26 mol) diluted to 2.0 M in THF and Et₃N (45.0 ml, 0.32 mol) was slowly added to a solution of 1a (3.9 g, 0.016 mol) in 100 ml of diethyl ether at 0 °C. After the addition was completed, the reaction mixture was stirred at r.t. for 12 h. The precipitated $Et_3N^+HCl^-$ was removed by filtration and volatiles were distilled from the filtrate under vacuum. The residue was distilled off to give 6a in 62% yield (2.5 g). In a similar manner using **1b**, **6b** was prepared in 56% yield (1.9 g). 6a-b.p.: 80-85 °C (0.10 Torr). MS: m/z (relative intensity) 248 (M⁺, 8.3), 233 (14.4), 196 (100), 159 (33.0), 132 (13.8), 105 (11.1), 91 (20.4), 58 (70.7). ¹H-NMR (toluene- d_8 , 500 MHz): δ 0.44 (s, 3H), 2.09 (s, 6H), 2.49 (s, 6H), 3.42-3.51 (dd, 2H), 5.69–6.38 (m, 3H), 7.13–7.60 (m, C₆H₄). HRMS– C₁₄H₂₄N₂Si: 248.1709 (Calc.); 248.1712 (Found). **6b** b.p.: 87–90 °C (0.55 Torr). MS: m/z (relative intensity) 250 (M⁺, 5.2), 235 (19.7), 207 (45.2), 161 (23.0), 58 (100). ¹H-NMR (toluene- d_8 , 500 MHz): δ 0.35 (s, 3H), 0.89-1.01 (m, 5H), 2.11 (s, 6H), 2.44 (s, 6H), 3.45 (s, 2H), 7.12–7.55 (m, C_6H_4). HRMS— $C_{14}H_{26}N_2Si$: 250.1865 (Calc.); 250.1870 (Found).

3.8. Syntheses of 7a and 7b

To dimethylvinylchlorosilane (2.8 ml, 0.020 mol) at 0 °C was added slowly 2-(N,N-dimethylaminomethyl)phenyllithium (2.8 g, 0.020 mol) in 120 ml of diethyl ether. The reaction mixture was stirred for 12 h at r.t. After filtration of precipitated LiCl, volatiles were distilled under vacuum. The residue was distilled to yield **7a** (3.5 g) in 79% yield. In a similar manner using ethyldimethylchlorosilane, **7b** was prepared in 81% yield (3.6 g). **7a**—b.p.: 75–80 °C (0.15 Torr). MS: m/z (relative intensity) 219 (M⁺, 4.0), 204 (10.0), 176 (100), 159 (5.5), 145 (7.5), 105 (7.5), 91 (6.3), 84 (5.5), 58 (32.0). ¹H-NMR (toluene- d_8 , 500 MHz): δ 0.39 (s, 6H), 2.01 (s, 6H), 3.36 (s, 2H), 5.69–6.41 (m, 3H), 7.11–7.57 (m, C₆H₄). HRMS—C₁₃H₂₁NSi: 219.1443 (Calc.); 219.1443 (Found). **7b**—b.p.: 70–75 °C (0.10 Torr). MS: m/z (relative intensity) 221 (M⁺, 12.5), 206 (30.0), 192 (40.0), 176 (15.5), 149 (39.0), 121 (17.5), 105 (11.3), 87 (15.8), 58 (100). ¹H-NMR (toluene- d_8 , 500 MHz): δ 0.33 (s, 3H), 0.84–1.01 (m, 5H), 2.05 (s, 6H), 3.39 (s, 2H), 7.13–7.54 (m, C₆H₄). HRMS—C₁₃H₂₃NSi: 221.1600 (Calc.); 221.1607 (Found).

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