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## Terminal Alkynes in Reactions with 2,2,2-Tribromobenzo[d]-1,3,2-dioxaphosphol

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Reactions of 2,2,2-trihalobenzo[d]-1,3,2-dioxaphosphols derivatives with arylacetylenes and propargyl chloride that we have formerly investigated [1, 2] is a convenient prepartion method for benzo[e]-1,2-oxaphosphorinines, phosphorus-containing analogs of widely occurring natural heterocycles (coumarins and  $\alpha$ -chromenes [3, 4].

In this study we for the first time investigated the reaction of 2,2,2-tribromobenzo[d]-1,3,2-dioxaphosphol (**I**) [5] with unsubstituted alkylacetylene, 1-hexyne. In contrast to reaction with propargyl chloride 1-hexyne with phosphol **I** at 10–20°C afforded only two phosphorus-containing substances that in the  $^{31}P$  NMR spectrum gave rise to characteristic doublet signals of benzophosphorinines at  $\delta$  8–10 ppm ( $^2J_{\rm PCH}$  25–27 Hz).

By hydrolysis bromophosphorinines **II** and **III** were converted into the corresponding acids **IV** and **V**. In the <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectra of compounds **IV** and **V** in the region

of aromatic protons resonances the observed pattern corresponds to 1,2,4- and 1,2-substituted benzene rings. The introduction of a bromine atom into a phenylene fragment in the *para*-position to the endocyclic oxygen (compound **IV**) is confirmed by the multiplicity of H<sup>7</sup> (d.d.d,  ${}^3J_{\rm H^8CCH^7}$  8.7,  ${}^4J_{\rm H^5CCCH^7}$  2.3,  ${}^4J_{\rm POCCCH^7}$  2.0 Hz) and H<sup>5</sup> (d,  ${}^4J_{\rm H^5CCCH^7}$  2.3 Hz) signals. The structure of hydroxyphosphorinine **IV** was also proved by the data of  ${}^{13}C-\{{}^{1}H\}$  and  ${}^{13}C$  NMR spectra. In the  ${}^{13}C-\{{}^{1}H\}$  NMR spectrum three carbon atoms (C<sup>8</sup>, C<sup>8a</sup>, C<sup>4a</sup>) of the phenylene fragment among the six are coupled with phosphorus with constants similar to those in the spectrum 6-bromo-2-hydroxy-2-oxo-4-phenylbenzo[e]-1,2-oxaphosphorinine [1]. The signal from the atom C<sup>6</sup> linked to bromine appeared in a stronger field (123.85 ppm).

Thus the reaction of phosphol I with hexyne as a representative of terminal acetylenes provided a possibility to prepare in high yield new derivatives of 4-alkylbenzo-

[e]phosphorinines and significantly extended the opportunities of the method first described in [1] by an example of reaction between trihalobenzophosphols with arylacetylenes.

Reaction of 2,2,2-tribromobenzo[d]-1,3,2-di**oxaphosphol (I) with hexyne.** To a solution of 31.1 g (0.082 mol) of freshly prepared phosphol I [5] in 30 ml of dichloromethane was added at stirring in an argon atmosphere a solution of 18.8 ml (0.164 mol) of 1-hexyne in 15 ml of dichloromethane. The <sup>31</sup>P NMR spectrum of the reaction mixture was as follows (36.48 MHz,  $CH_2Cl_2$ ),  $\delta$ , ppm: 9.4 d ( ${}^2J_{PCH}$  26.5 Hz), compound III; 8.6 d ( ${}^{2}J_{PCH}$  25.1 Hz), compound II. A week later the reaction mixture was dried in a vacuum to obtain thick glassy substance that was dissolved in 30 ml of hexane. On storage of the mixture for 3–4 days a crystalline precipitate separated (compound III) that was filtered off and hydrolyzed in ethyl ether (30 ml) containing 0.5 ml of HCl. The organic layer was separated and evaporated to a half of volume in a vacuum. The precipitate separated therewith was filtered off and dried in a vacuum to obtain 2.61 g (10%) of 4-butyl-2hydroxy-2-oxobenzo[e]-1,2-oxaphosphorinine (V), mp 115°C. IR spectrum,  $\nu$ , cm<sup>-1</sup>: 413, 448, 482, 501, 523, 572, 591, 629, 654, 669, 722, 749, 765, 781, 876, 946, 1004, 1042, 1124, 1163, 1197, 1301, 1378, 1421, 1447, 1462, 1486, 1559, 1600, 1673, 2359, 2724, 2854, 2925. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>),  $\delta$ , ppm (J, Hz): 0.92 t (3H,  $C^{12}H_3$ ,  ${}^3J_{H^{11}CCH^{12}}$  7.3), 1.38 t. q (2H,  $C^{11}H_2$ ,  ${}^3J_{HCCH}$  7.2,  $^{3}J_{\text{HCCH}}$  7.2), 1.53 t.t (2H,  $C^{10}H_{2}$ ,  $^{3}J_{\text{HCCH}}$  7.9,  $^{3}J_{\text{HCCH}}$  7.9), 2.66 m (2H,  $C^9H_2$ ,  ${}^3J_{HCCH}$  7.4), 6.12 br.d (1H,  $H^3$ , <sup>2</sup>J<sub>PCH</sub> 17.7), 7.16 d.d (1H, H<sup>8</sup>, <sup>3</sup>J<sub>H</sub><sup>7</sup>CCH<sup>8</sup> 8.1, <sup>4</sup>J<sub>H</sub><sup>6</sup>CCCH<sup>8</sup> 1.2), 7.20 d.d.d (1H, H<sup>6</sup>,  ${}^{3}J_{H^{7}CCH^{6}}$  7.6,  ${}^{3}J_{H^{5}CCH^{6}}$  7.6,  ${}^{4}J_{\mathrm{H}^{8}\mathrm{CCCH}^{6}}$  1.1), 7.40 d.d.d.d (1H, H<sup>7</sup>,  ${}^{3}J_{\mathrm{H}^{8}\mathrm{CCH}^{7}}$  8.0,  ${}^{3}J_{\text{H}^{6}\text{CCH}^{7}}$  8.0,  ${}^{4}J_{\text{H}^{5}\text{CCCH}^{7}}$  1.5,  ${}^{5}J_{\text{POCCCH}^{7}}$  1.5), 7.62 d.d (1H, H<sup>5</sup>,  ${}^{3}J_{\text{H}^{6}\text{CCH}^{7}}$  7.9,  ${}^{4}J_{\text{H}^{7}\text{CCCH}^{5}}$  1.4). <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum (100.6 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>),  $\delta$ , ppm (*J*, Hz) (in parentheses is indicated the appearance of the signal in the <sup>13</sup>C-{<sup>1</sup>H} NMR spectrum): 113.01 d.d.t(d) ( $C^3$ ,  ${}^1J_{PC^3}$  172.8,  ${}^{1}J_{HC^{3}}$  161.2,  ${}^{3}J_{HC^{9}CC^{3}}$  5.6–6.0), 153.26 m(s) (C<sup>4</sup>),  $122.30 \,\mathrm{m}(\mathrm{d}) \,(\mathrm{C}^{4a}, {}^{3}J_{\mathrm{PCCC}^{4a}} \,16.9), \,126.79 \,\mathrm{d.d(s)} \,(\mathrm{C}^{5}, {}^{1}J_{\mathrm{HC}^{5}})$ 159.5,  ${}^{2}J_{HC^{7}CC^{5}}$  8.5), 123.85 d.d(s) (C<sup>6</sup>,  ${}^{1}J_{HC^{6}}$  163.8,  ${}^{3}J_{HC^{8}CC^{6}}$  8.2), 131.12 d.d(s) (C<sup>7</sup>,  ${}^{1}J_{HC^{7}}$  163.0,  ${}^{3}J_{HC^{5}CC^{7}}$ 9.2), 119.68 d.d.d.d(d) ( $C^8$ ,  ${}^1J_{HC}$  162.1,  ${}^3J_{POCC^8}$  7.3,  ${}^{3}J_{\text{HCCC}^{8}}$  7.9,  ${}^{2}J_{\text{HCC}^{8}}$  1.3–1.8), 152.10 m(d) (C<sup>8a</sup>,  ${}^{2}J_{\text{POC}^{8a}}$ 7.5), 34.59 t.d.m(d) ( $C^9$ ,  ${}^3J_{PCCC^9}$  18.0,  ${}^1J_{HC^9}$  123.8), 30.81 t.m(s) ( $C^{10}$ ,  ${}^{1}J_{HC^{10}}$  123.0), 22.66 t(s) ( $C^{11}$ ,  ${}^{1}J_{HC^{11}}$ 121.7), 13.82 q.t.t(s) ( $C^{12}$ ,  ${}^{1}J_{HC}{}^{12}$  124.7,  ${}^{3}J_{HC}{}^{10}C_{C}{}^{12}$  4.0,  $^{2}J_{HC^{11}C^{12}}$  4.0).  $^{31}P$  NMR spectrum (36.48 MHz, DMSO), δ, ppm: 5.9 d ( ${}^2J_{PCH}$  17.1 Hz). Found, %: C 60.70;

H 6.21; P 12.95.  $C_{12}H_{15}O_3P$ . Calculated, %: C 60.50; H 6.30; P 13.03.

The hexane filtrate after separation of part of bromophosphorinine III was hydrolyzed with water. The precipitate separated therewith was filtered off and dried to obtain 1.82 g (7%) of 6-bromo-4-butyl-2-hydroxy-2-oxobenzo[e]-1,2-oxaphosphorinine (IV), mp 131°C. IR spectrum, cm<sup>-1</sup>: 443, 502, 545, 587, 626, 656, 731, 778, 821, 872, 880, 904, 945, 1014, 1083, 1135, 1181, 1235, 1270, 1311, 1351, 1377, 1419, 1466, 1552, 1600, 1896, 1959, 2261, 2359, 2725, 3046. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>),  $\delta$ , ppm (*J*, Hz): 0.98 t (3H, C<sup>12</sup>H<sub>3</sub>,  ${}^{3}J_{H^{II}CCH^{I2}}$  7.3), 1.45 t.q (2H,  $C^{II}H_{2}$ ,  ${}^{3}J_{HCCH}$  7.2,  ${}^{3}J_{HCCH}$ 7.2), 1.62 t.t (2H,  $C^{10}H_2$ ,  ${}^3J_{HCCH}$  7.0,  ${}^3J_{HCCH}$  7.0), 2.63 t  $(2H, C^9H_2, {}^3J_{HCCH}, 7.7), 6.11 \text{ br.d } (1H, H^3, {}^2J_{PCH}, 16.6),$ 7.09 d (1H, H<sup>8</sup>,  ${}^{3}J_{H^{7}CCH^{8}}$  8.7), 7.47 d.d.d (1H, H<sup>7</sup>,  ${}^{3}J_{\mathrm{H}^{8}\mathrm{CCH}^{7}}$  8.7,  ${}^{4}J_{\mathrm{H}^{5}\mathrm{CCCH}^{7}}$  2.3,  ${}^{4}J_{\mathrm{POCCCH}^{7}}$  2.0), 7.63 d (1H,  $H^5$ ,  ${}^4J_{H^7CCCH^5}$  2.3).  ${}^{31}P$  NMR spectrum (36.48 MHz, DMSO),  $\delta$ , ppm: 5.8 d ( ${}^2J_{PCH}$  17.1 Hz). Mass spectrum, m/z (peaks of molecular ions are given which contain the most abundant isotopes): 316  $[M]^+$ , 274  $[M - C_3H_6]^+$ , 256, 237, 212, 209, 196, 178, 144, 131, 115, 102, 77, 63, 43, 41, 27. Found, %: C 45.56; H 4.41; Br 24.85; P 9.84. C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>14</sub>BrO<sub>3</sub>P. Calculated, %: C 45.28; H 4.72; Br 25.16; P 9.75.

IR spectra were recorded on Bruker Vector-22 instrument from mulls in mineral oil.

NMR spectra were registered on a spectrometer MSL-400 with respect to internal reference HMDS ( $^{1}$ H), external reference H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> ( $^{31}$ P), or the solvent signal ( $^{13}$ C).

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