

**SYNTHESIS, CHARACTERIZATION AND BIOLOGICAL
EVALUATION OF 4-(4-BROMO-1-HYDROXYNAPHTHALEN-2-YL)-6-
ARYL-5,6-DIHYDROPYRIMIDIN-2(1H)-ONE**

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ABSTRACT

1-(4- Bromo -1-hydroxynaphthalen-2-yl)-ethan-1-one was prepared by refluxing 4- bromonaphthalen-1-ol with glacial acetic acid in presence of fused ZnCl₂. By condensing 1-(4- bromo -1-hydroxynaphthalen-2-yl)-ethan-1-ones with aromatic aldehydes, 1-(4- bromo -1-hydroxynaphthalen-2-yl)-3-aryl-prop-2-en-1-one were synthesized. 1-

(4- Bromo -1-hydroxy-naphthalen-2-yl)-3-aryl-prop-2-en-1-ones, urea and concentrated HCl in DMF were added and refluxed. Cool and pour in crushed ice. Treat it with cold NH₄OH solution to obtain titled compounds. The compounds thus synthesized have been characterized by physical and spectral data. All of these titled synthesized compounds have been screened for antimicrobial study and are found to posses excellent antimicrobial activities.

KEYWORDS: antimicrobial activities, cold NH₄OH solution, concentrated HCl in DMF.

INTRODUCTION

In recent scenario heterocycles play a major role in drug synthesis. Heterocyclic compounds like pyrazoles, pyrazolines, thiazoles, dihydropyrimidin-2-one etc having excellent antimicrobial and antifungal activities.^[1-4]

Dihydropyrimidin-2-one derivatives shows variety of pharmacological activities such as active and safe tumor anti-initiating and multi-potent blocking agent^[5], potential calcium channel blockers^[6], analgesic activity^[7], anti-microbial activities^[8, 9], antihypertensive agents^[10], antifilarial agents^[11] antioxidant agents^[12] vitro anticancer activity.^[13]

Synthesis characterization and biological evaluation of titled compound becomes favorite field for many investigator. Their efforts are quite significant in literature. Hence, Considering the scope of pyrimidine derivatives we have synthesized novel 4-(4-bromo-1-hydroxynaphthalen-2-yl)-6-aryl-5,6-dihydropyrimidin-2(1H)-one compounds from 4-bromo-naphthalen-1-ol and studied for their biological activities.

MATERIALS AND METHODS

The melting points (°C) were recorded by open capillary method and are uncorrected. IR spectra (ν max in cm^{-1}) were recorded on a Shimadzu FTIR 8300 spectrophotometer using KBr pellets. The ^1H NMR spectra were recorded on DRX-300 (300 MHz) instrument using CDCl_3 as solvent (chemical shift in δ ppm) and TMS as internal standard. Thin Layer Chromatography on silica gel-G, was used to check the purity of the compounds.

METHOD AND DISCUSSION OF RESULT

Synthesis of 1-(4-bromo-1-hydroxynaphthalen-2-yl)-ethan-1-one(2)

1-(4-Bromo-1-hydroxynaphthalen-2-yl)-ethan-1-one was prepared by modified Nenchi's Method in which 4-bromo-naphthalen-1-ol was refluxed with glacial acetic acid in presence of fused ZnCl_2 .

Synthesis of 1-(4-bromo-1-hydroxynaphthalen-2-yl)-3-aryl-prop-2-en-1-one(3-6)

1-(4-Bromo-1-hydroxynaphthalen-2-yl)-3-aryl-prop-2-en-1-one were synthesized from 1-(4-bromo-1-hydroxynaphthalen-2-yl)-ethan-1-one by condensing it with aromatic aldehydes.

Synthesis of 4-(4-bromo-1-hydroxynaphthalen-2-yl)-6-aryl-5,6-dihydropyrimidin-2(1H)-one(7-10)

1-(4-Bromo-1-hydroxynaphthalen-2-yl)-3-aryl-prop-2-en-1-ones, urea and concentrated HCl in DMF were added and refluxed for 8 Hours. Cool & pour in crushed ice It was then treated with cold NH_4OH Solution to get 4-(4-bromo-1-hydroxynaphthalen-2-yl)-6-aryl-5,6-dihydropyrimidin-2(1H)-one.

SCHEME

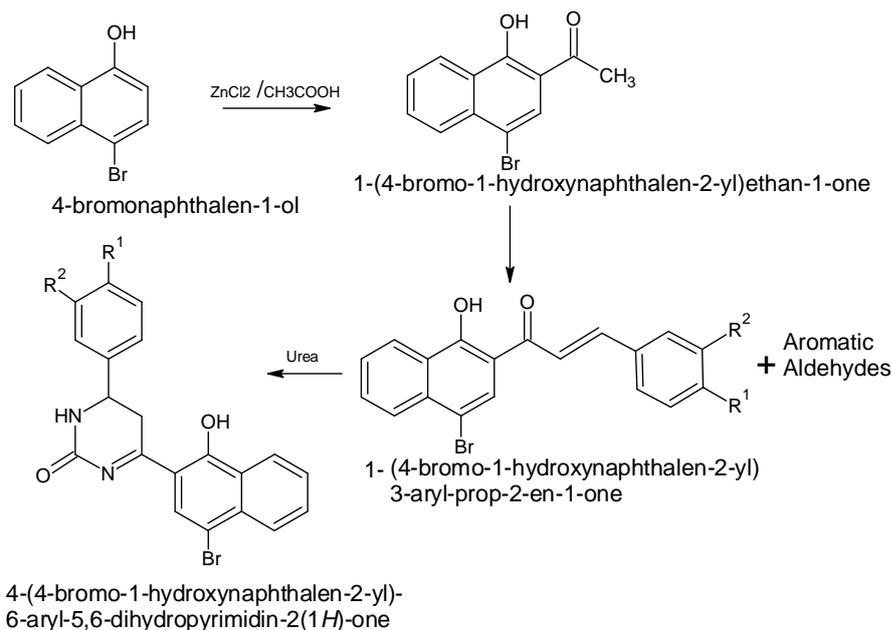


Table 1: Physical Data of Synthesized Compounds.

Sr.No.	Compound No	R ₁	R ₂	Molecular formula	Melting Point °C	% Yield	% Nitrogen		R.F. Value
							Found	Calculated	
1	3	-OCH ₃	-H	--	125 ⁰ C	57%	--	--	--
2	4	-OCH ₃	-OCH ₃	--	129 ⁰ C	61%	--	--	--
3	5	-H	-OH	--	141 ⁰ C	58%	--	--	--
4	6	-OH	-H	--	137 ⁰ C	54%	--	--	--
9	7	-OCH ₃	-H	C ₂₁ H ₁₇ BrN ₂ O ₃	257 ⁰ C	43%	6.60	6.59	0.58
10	8	-OCH ₃	-OCH ₃	C ₂₂ H ₁₉ BrN ₂ O ₄	217 ⁰ C	47%	6.19	6.16	0.65
11	9	-H	-OH	C ₂₀ H ₁₅ BrN ₂ O ₃	225 ⁰ C	42%	6.85	6.81	0.52
12	10	-OH	-H	C ₂₀ H ₁₅ BrN ₂ O ₃	267 ⁰ C	47%	6.83	6.81	0.53

Spectral Analysis: Spectral interpretation of (8)

IR (ν_{\max}) (cm⁻¹): 1705 (C=O, str), 3351 (NH₂, str), 2950 (CH aliphatic), 3225 (NH, bend), 1172 (C-O-C str), 1169 (C-O-C str)

NMR (δ ppm): 1.3-1.8 (m, 2H, -CH₂ of pyrimidine), 3.7 (s, 3H, -OCH₃), 3.9 (s, 3H, -OCH₃), 4.3 (t, 1H, CH of pyrimidine), 5.6 (s, 1H, NH exchangeable with D₂O), 7.1 – 8.9 (m, 9H, Ar-H)

Antimicrobial Studies

Above synthesized 4-(4-bromo-1-hydroxynaphthalen-2-yl)-6-aryl-5,6-dihydropyrimidin-2(1H)-ones have been studied for their antimicrobial activity against *Escherichia coli*, *Proteus mirabilis*, *Staphylococcus aureus*, *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*. The culture of each

species was incubated at 37⁰C and the zone of inhibition was measured after 24 hr. Most of these compounds were found active.

Sr. No.	Compound Number	Antimicrobial activity			
		E-coli	Proteus mirabilis	Staphylococcus aureas	Pseudomonas aeruginosa
1	7	14	10	13	11
2	8	12	11	08	14
3	9	10	09	18	18
4	10	13	12	12	13

Strongly active, range 15-18 Weakly active, range 7-10 mm

Moderately active, range 11-14mm Inactive, -

Thus from above results it was observed that these heterocyclic compounds were found effective against *Escherichia coli*, *Proteus mirabilis*, *Staphylococcus aureas*, *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*. So those compounds can be easily be used for the treatment of diseases caused by test pathogens, only when they does not have toxic and other side effects.

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