Synthesis, characterization and antimicrobial activity of 3-(substituted piperazin)acetyimidazolidine-2,4-diones

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ABSTRACT

5,5-disubstituted imidazolidine-2,4-dione derivatives possess a variety of biochemical and medicinal properties. Due to these vast pharmacological applications of these derivatives, fifteen new compounds were synthesized via the famous Bucherer-Berg reaction followed chloroacetylation and the reactions with substituted piperazins. The final products were characterized and evaluated for their antimicrobial activities. The results showed the moderate bioactivity in some compounds.

Keywords: Imidazolidinediones, Hydentoin, Piperazin

INTRODUCTION

Over the last few decades, there has been progressive interest found in the synthesis and characterization of Imidazolidinediones derivatives as an important class of heterocyclic molecules. They are well known as Hydantoin derivatives. These molecules are useful as the anticonvulsants in the treatment of epilepsy and other diseases too. These derivatives have not only been used in medicinal chemistry as anti-HSV, antidiabetic, but also used as fungicides and herbicides in agrochemical research [1-4]. These hydantoins are also called phenytoins are used for the treatment of different types of convulsions and seizures. Due to the great importance of these compounds, we have decided to synthesize some active substituted imidazolidinedione derivatives. From the literature review we found that there several methods for the preparation of hydantoin derivatives [5-10]. Among these methods we used the Bucherer-Berg reaction for the synthesis of the intermediate compounds. The paper describes the synthesis, characterization and activity of the products.

MATERIALS AND METHODS

All reagents and chemicals were of analytical reagent grade, they were used without further purification. The melting points were determined in open capillary tubes on SUNBIM apparatus and are uncorrected. IR spectra were recorded on Bruker ALPHA FTIR spectrophotometer in KBr pellets. The H-NMR spectra were recorded on Bruker Avance II spectrometer in d-DMSO. Chemical shifts relative to TMS used as internal standard were obtained in d unit. The FTIR spectral analysis was carried out at Department of Chemical Engineering, VEGC, Chandkheda. The antimicrobial tests were performed at microlab Surat.

General Experimental Procedure:
According to Bucherer-Berg reaction, (Scheme-1) three different ketones(0.05mol) were added in 50% of Ethanol with KCN(0.1 mol) and stirred for 3 hours at 30-35°C temperature. Than it was added Ammonium bicarbonate (0.3 mol) and refluxed for 35 to 38 hours at 70-75°C. These ketones were treated with chloroacety chloride at 0-5°C.
These products were then allowed to react with five different substituted piperazines. Thus we obtained fifteen new molecules. The reaction completion was checked by thin layer chromatography for each step.

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\begin{align*}
\text{X}_1, \text{X}_2 \text{and X}_3 \\
\text{X}_4, \text{X}_5 \text{and X}_6
\end{align*}
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Where,

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\begin{align*}
R_1 &= \text{-CH}_3 \\
R_2 &= \text{-CH}_3, \text{-C}_3\text{H}_5, \text{-Ph} \\
R_3 &= \text{Substituted piperazines}
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\text{Scheme 1: Synthesis path}
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\textbf{RESULTS AND DISCUSSION}

The synthesis of imidazolidinedione derivatives with the piperazines A(11-15), A(21-25) and A(31-35) was accomplished. The main three intermediates \(X_1\), \(X_2\) and \(X_3\)(Scheme-1) were synthesized according to the Bucherer-Berg reaction method followed by condensation reaction with chloroacetyl chloride. To get good yield the last step was carried out at 0-3°C. Than these intermediates were merged with five different piperazines viz. N-methylpiperazine, N-ethylpiperazine, N-phenylpiperazine, N-(2,3-dichlorophenyl)piperazine and N-(2,5-dichlorophenyl)piperazine the yields of the products were reasonably good to better. All the compounds were purified by column chromatography and checked for M.P. The results of physical and analytical tests are given in Table-1.

\textit{Spectral Analysis:}

\textbf{5,5-dimethyl-3-[(4-methylpiperazin-1-yl)acetyl]imidazolidinedione-2,4-dione (A11): } IR (KBr, cm\(^{-1}\)): 3278(NH), 1769, 1718, 1710(c=\(=\)), 1422, 1401(-CH\(_3\), -\(\text{CH}_2\)), 1055, 1042; \(^1\text{H NMR}\) (400 MHz, DMSO-d\(_6\)) : \(\delta\) ppm = 1.20-1.28(s, 6H), 2.41-2.46(s, 3H), 3.09-3.33(m, 8H) 4.10-4.15(s, 2H), 8.40(s, br, 1H).

\textbf{5,5-dimethyl-3-[(4-ethylpiperazin-1-yl)acetyl]imidazolidinedione-2,4-dione (A12): } IR (KBr, cm\(^{-1}\)): 3291(NH), 1751, 1731, 1719(c=\(=\)), 1461, 1436, 1408(-CH\(_3\), -\(\text{CH}_2\)), 1045, 1021; \(^1\text{H NMR}\) (400 MHz, DMSO-d\(_6\)) : \(\delta\) ppm = 1.08-1.19(s, 6H), 3.07-3.26(t, 3H), 3.49-3.73(m, 8H) 4.10-4.15(s, 2H), 5.15-5.27(q, 2H), 9.08(s, br, 1H).

\textbf{5-ethyl-3-[(4-ethylpiperazin-1-yl)acetyl]-5-methylimidazolidinedione-2,4-dione (A22): } IR (KBr, cm\(^{-1}\)): 3331(NH), 1747, 1730, 1719(c=\(=\)), 1449, 1421, 1412(-CH\(_3\), -\(\text{CH}_2\)), 145, 1072; \(^1\text{H NMR}\) (400 MHz, DMSO-d\(_6\)) : \(\delta\) ppm = 1.19-1.24(s, 3H), 1.32-1.58(t, 3H), 2.02-2.28(t, 3H), 3.29-3.44(m, 8H) 4.30-4.36(s, 2H), 4.89-4.95(q, 2H), 5.44-5.49(q, 2H), 9.77(s, br, 1H).

\textbf{3-[(4-(2,5-dichlorophenyl)piperazin-1-yl)acetyl]-5-ethyl-5-phenylimidazolidinedione-2,4-dione (A35): } IR (KBr, cm\(^{-1}\)): 3340(NH), 1769, 1718, 1709(c=\(=\)), 1520(\(\text{c=c Ar}\)), 1422, 1401(-\(\text{CH}_3\), -\(\text{CH}_2\)), 1104, 1042, 834; \(^1\text{H NMR}\) (400 MHz, DMSO-d\(_6\)) : \(\delta\) ppm = 1.56(s, 3H), 2.79-3.07(m, 8H), 3.53(s, 2H), 7.10(s, 1H Ar), 7.44 (s, 1H Ar), 7.50-7.56(m, 5H Ar), 7.30 (s, 1H Ar), 9.56(s, br, 1H).
Antimicrobial Studies:
All the newly synthesized imidazolidine-2, 4-diones were screened for their antimicrobial (antibacterial and antifungal) activities. For antibacterial studies microorganisms employed were P. aeruginosa, E. coli, B. subtilis and S. aureus, for antifungal P. piricola, A. niger and F. oxysporum were used as microorganisms. Both antimicrobial studies were assessed by zone inhibition (mm) method. The results are given in Table-2.

Table-2: Antimicrobial activities of the synthesized compounds

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The results show that all the compounds exhibited potent to moderate inhibitory activities against bacterial and fungal organisms. Especially the compounds A12, A22, A31 and A32 exhibited good results against the above bacterial organisms at lower concentration when compared with other compounds. The three compounds A11, A31 and A32 exhibited good results against fungal organisms.
CONCLUSION

In conclusion, a series of new imidazoline 2,4-diones derivatives of piperazine was accomplished with reasonably good yields. In the development of the target molecules, the substituted piperazines were effectively coupled with hydantoin good yields. The antimicrobial activities of the titled compounds were evaluated. The compounds A31 (5-methyl-3-[(4-methylpiperazin-1-yl)acetyl]-5-phenylimidazolidine-2,4-dione) and A32 (3-[(4-ethylpiperazin-1-yl)acetyl]-5-methyl-5-phenylimidazolidine-2,4-dione) were found to be promising antibacterial compounds with good activity.

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