



Synthesis of Mono and Di-4',4'-Dihydroxy-2,2-Diphenylpropane Mannich Side Chain

Anwar, E. M. Nor-Eljaleel¹, Himat, M. A. Fadul² and M. J. A. Abualreish^{1,3}

^{1,2}Department of Chemistry, Omdorman Islamic University, Faculty of Science and technology, Khartoum- Sudan.

^{1,3}Department of Chemistry, Faculty of Science, Northern Border University, Arar, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

Abstract: Four compounds of mono and di-4',4'-dihydroxy-2,2-diphenylpropane mannich side chain were synthesized by three components Mannich reaction. These compounds (1-4) were synthesized by reaction of dialkylphenol (4',4'-dihydroxy-2,2-diphenylpropane) with suitable secondary amines (dimethyl amine or pyrrolidine) and formaldehyde solution in methanol. The products were purified by thin layer chromatography and identified along with by NMR spectroscopic methods (¹HNMR, ¹³CNMR, APT, COSY, HSQC, HMBC and NOSEY).

[Anwar, E. M. Nor-Eljaleel, Himat, M. A. Fadul and M. J. A. Abualreish¹. **Synthesis of Mono and Di-4',4'-Dihydroxy-2,2-Diphenylpropane Mannich Side Chain.** Life Sci J 2023;20(4):57-61]. ISSN 1097-8135 (print); ISSN 2372-613X (online). <http://www.lifesciencesite.com>.doi:[10.7537/marslsj200423.06](https://doi.org/10.7537/marslsj200423.06).

Key word: Mannich reaction, three components reaction, alkyldiphenol

1-Introduction

The Mannich reaction is one of the most important C-C bond formation methods in organic synthesis (Sharifi, et al, 2001). The Mannich reaction is employed in the organic synthesis of natural compounds like for instance Peptides-Nucleotides-Antibiotics and Alkaloids. Other applications are in agrochemicals such as plant growth regulators, paint and other polymer chemistry, catalysts and crosslinking. The Mannich reaction is also used to synthesized medicinal compounds. A large number of different bioactivities of Mannich bases, antimalarial (Nasr, et al 1978), (Li, et al 2003), (Raynes, et al 1999), anticancer (Dimmock, et al 1998), (Gul, et al 2002), analgesic (Janssen, et al 1959), anticonvulsant (Gul, et al 2002), (Janssen, et al 1959) and antimicrobial activity (Bayrak, et al 2008), (Bayrak, et al 2008) are known.

2-Materials and methods:

NMR spectroscopy was carried out using procker instrument model AVANCE II 600

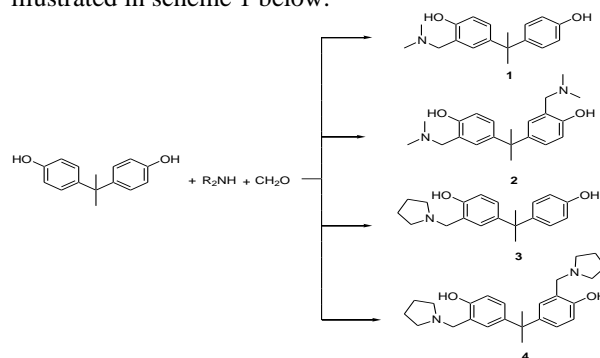
Synthesis of mono and di-4',4'-dihydroxy-2,2-diphenylpropane mannich side chain

Formaldehyde solution (1 ml) was added dropwise to a mixture of 4',4'-dihydroxy(2,2-diphenyl)propane (1.2g, 0.001 mol) and secondary amine (dimethylamine 1ml or pyrrolidine 0.8 ml) in methanol (10 ml). The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature overnight. The solvent was removed under vacuum and the product purified by TLC chromatography (hexane: ethyl acetate 7:3).

3. Results and discussion :

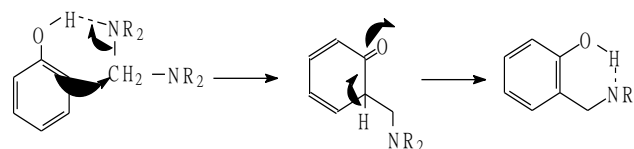
The aim of this work is to introduced mannich side chain of dialkylphenol which increase the hydrophilicity by amine group and increase the lipophilicity by methylene group.

We synthesized four compounds of mono and di-4',4'-dihydroxy-2,2-diphenylpropane mannich side chain by reaction of dialkylphenol (4',4'-dihydroxy-2,2-diphenylpropane) with formaldehyde and secondary amine (dimethyl amine or pyrrolidine). The reaction was illustrated in scheme 1 below.



Scheme 1: mono and di-4',4'-dihydroxy-2,2-diphenylpropane mannich side

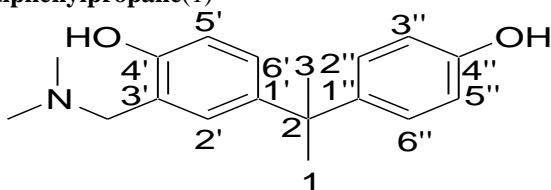
The reaction mechanism was suggested according to the observation for attack the alkylaminogroup at ortho position to hydroxyl group. Therefore the mechanism of mannich reaction involves hydrogen bonding of bis(dialkylamino) methane with phenolic group (scheme 2)



Scheme 2: reaction mechanism

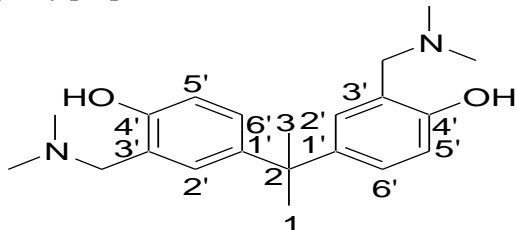
When 4',4'-dihydroxy-2,2-diphenylpropane was reacted with dimethylamine and formalin in methanol at room temperature mono-3'-dimethylaminomethyl-4',4'-dihydroxy-2,2-diphenylpropane(1) and di-3',3'-(dimethylaminomethyl)-4',4'-dihydroxy-2,2-diphenylpropane(2) were obtained (yield 65 % and 25% respectively).

3'-dimethylaminomethyl-4',4'-dihydroxy-2,2-diphenylpropane(1)



$^1\text{H-NMR}$: δ (CD_3OD) 1.60 (s, 6H, H-1/3), 2.30 (s, 6H, 2 $\text{CH}_3\text{-N-}$), 3.59 (s, 2H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{-N-}$), 6.73 (d, 1H, J 7.8, H-5'), 6.75 (d, 2H, j 8.8, H-2,6), 6.81 (d, 1H, J 2.3, H-2'), 7.02 (dd, 1H, J 7.8, 2.3, H-6'), 7.05 (d, 2H, j 8.8, H-3,5). $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$: δ (CD_3OD) 31.1 (C-1/3), 44.40 ((CH_3) $_2\text{-N-}$), 62.9 ($-\text{CH}_2\text{-N-}$), 114.7 (C-2''/6''), 115.4 (C-5'), 121.0 (C-1'), 126.6 (C-2') 126.9 (C-6'), 127.7 (C-3''/5''), 141.7 (C-1'') 142.6 (C-3') 153.9 (C-4').

3',3'-(dimethylaminomethyl)-4',4'-dihydroxy-2,2-diphenylpropane(2)



$^1\text{H-NMR}$: δ (CD_3OD) 1.58 (s, 6H, H-1/3), 2.30 (s, 12H, 4 $\text{CH}_3\text{-N-}$), 3.56 (s, 2H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{-N-}$), 6.71 (d, 1H, J 8.4, H-5'), 6.76 (d, 1H, J 2.3, H-2'), 7.01 (dd, 1H, J 8.4, 2.3, H-6'). $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$: δ (CD_3OD) 31.0 (C-1/3), 44.6 ((CH_3) $_2\text{-N-}$), 63.2 ($-\text{CH}_2\text{-N-}$), 115.2 (C-5'), 121.0 (C-1'), 126.7 (C-2') 126.9 (C-6'), 141.6 (C-3'), 155.2 (C-4').

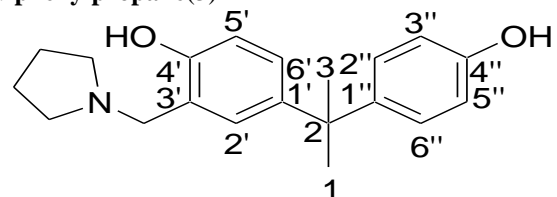
$^1\text{H-NMR}$ spectrum showed singlet peaks at δ 1.60 (2H) and δ 1.58 (4H) were assigned to methyl groups in compounds 1 and 2 respectively. The other six protons of compound 1 and twelve protons of compound 2 methyl groups of amino groups appeared at δ 2.30. The singlet's at δ 3.59 (2H) and δ

3.56 (4H) is characteristic of $\text{N-CH}_2\text{-}$ of this two compounds 1 and 2 respectively. Compound 1 spectrum showed resonances as doublet at δ value 6.73 (H-5'), doublet at δ value 6.81 (H-2'), and doublet of doublet at δ value 7.02 (H-6') is characteristic of ABX system. While the peaks as

doublet at δ 6.75 and δ 7.05 indicated for AB system. The resonances peaks of compound 2 at δ values 6.71 (doublet), 6.76 (doublet) and 7.01 (doublet doublet) were characteristic of H-5', H-2' and H-6' of ABX system respectively.

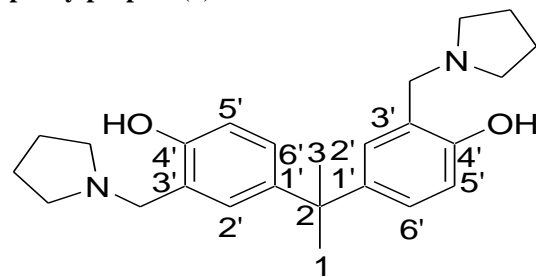
When 4',4'-dihydroxy-2,2-diphenylpropane was reacted with pyrrolidine and formalin in methanol the mono-3'-(pyrrolidinomethyl)-4',4''-dihydroxy-2,2-diphenylpropane (3) and di-3',3'-(pyrrolidinomethyl)-4',4'-dihydroxy-2,2-diphenylpropane(4) were obtained (yield 70% and 15 % respectively).

3'-(pyrrolidinomethyl)-4',4''-dihydroxy-2,2-diphenylpropane(3)



$^1\text{H-NMR}$: δ (CD_3OD) 1.58 (s, 6H, H-1/3), 3.54 (br s, 4H, 2- $\text{CH}_2\text{-}$), 3.64 (s, 2H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{-N-}$), 3.73 (br s, 4H, 2- $\text{CH}_2\text{-}$), 6.71 (d, 1H, J 8.6, H-5'), 6.73 (d, 2H, j 8.8, H-2'',6''), 6.82 (d, 1H, J 2.3, H-2'), 7.03 (dd, 1H, J 8.6, 2.3, H-6'), 7.05 (d, 2H, j 8.8, H-3'',5''). $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$: δ (CD_3OD) 31.1 (C-1/3), 41.5 (C-2), 52.8 (C-($\text{CH}_2\text{-}$)), 62.0 (C- CH_2), 66.7 (C-2 CH_2), 114.7 (C-2'',6''), 115.3 (C-5'), 119.7 (C-1'), 127.0 (C-2'), 127.2 (C-6'), 127.7 (C-3'',5''), 142.0 (C-3') 142.5 (C-3''), 153.9 (C-4'), 154.8 (C-4'').

3',3'-(pyrrolidinomethyl)-4',4'-dihydroxy-2,2-diphenylpropane(4)



$^1\text{H-NMR}$: δ (CD_3OD) 1.57 (s, 6H, H-1/3), 2.54 (br s, 8H, 2- $\text{CH}_2\text{-}$), 3.64 (s, 4H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{-N-}$), 3.74 (br s, 8H, 2- $\text{CH}_2\text{-}$), 6.71 (d, 1H, J 8.6, H-5'), 6.80 (d, 1H, J 2.3, H-2'), 7.01 (dd, 1H, J 8.6, 2.3, H-6'). $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$: δ (CD_3OD) 31.3 (C-1/3), 41.56 (C-2), 44.5 (C-4 NCH_3), 63.2 (C- CH_2), 115.2 (C-5'), 121.1 (C-1'), 126.7 (C-2'), 129.9 (C-6'), 141.6 (C-3'), 155.6 (C-4').

The $^1\text{H-NMR}$ spectrum showed a broad singlet peak at δ 2.54 (4H of compound 3) and at δ 2.54 (8H of compound 4) characteristic of the four or eight

methylene protons of $\text{C(H}_2\text{)-C(H}_2\text{-)}$ moiety

respectively. The broad resonance centered at δ 3.73 (4H in compound 3) and 3.74 (8H in compound 4) were assigned for four or eight protons methylene

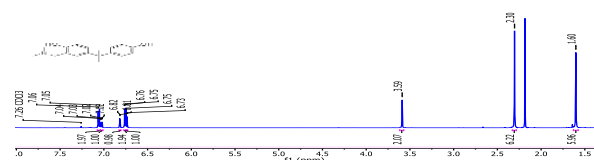
group $\begin{matrix} -CH_2 \\ | \\ -CH_2-N- \end{matrix}$ of the pyrrolidine ring. The signal at δ 3.54 (s, 2H), is characteristic of two

methylene $\begin{matrix} >N-CH_2- \\ | \\ >N-CH_2- \end{matrix}$ in the Mannich side chain. The two methyl groups were observed as a singlet at δ 1.58 (3) and 1.57 (4), while the other two or four of methyl protons of amino group appeared as singlet at δ 2.54 of compounds 3 and 4. The doublet at δ 6.71 in 3 and 4 spectra responding to C₅-H, and the doublet at δ 6.82 and 6.80 (3 and 4 respectively) for C₂-H, while the doublet of doublet at δ 7.03 and 7.01 (3 and 4 respectively) for C₆-H were presenting ABX system. The signals at δ 6.73 (3) for C₂'- and C₆'-H and at δ 7.05 (C₃'- and C₅'-H) were assigned for AB system of compound (3). ¹H-¹H cosy NMR

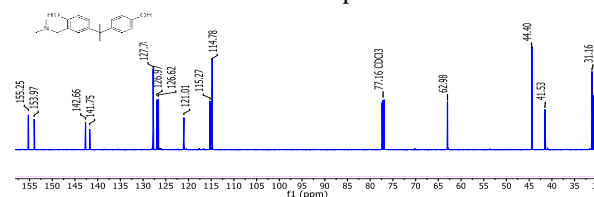
demonstrated a diagonal relationship between neighboring protons in synthesized compounds (1, 2, 3 and 4). The ¹³CNMR spectrum showed an exact number of the carbons for all compounds (1, 2, 3 and 4). Apt experiments gave evidence for the types of the protons (negative and positive mode). HSQC and HMBC experiments showed full relationship for all types of protons with all types of carbons in structures of all compounds (1, 2, 3 and 4). The noesy experiments showed long range coupling between $\begin{matrix} >N-CH_2- \\ | \\ >N-CH_2- \end{matrix}$ and C₂-H in all synthesized compounds (1, 2, 3 and 4). We

Conclusion

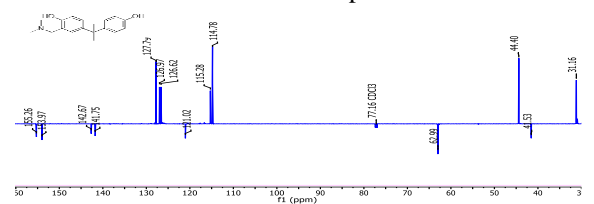
introduced mono or di-alkylaminomethyl groups to 4',4'-dihydroxy-2,2-diphenylpropane as Mannich side chain and the final compounds were confirmed by NMR techniques



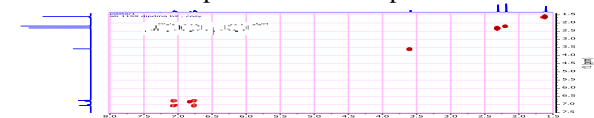
¹H NMR of compound 1



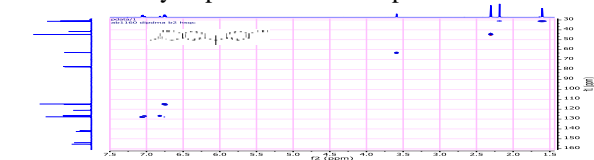
¹³C NMR of compound 1



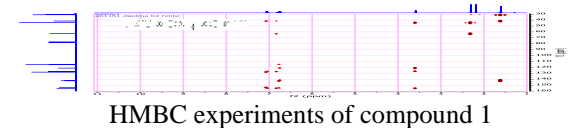
APT experiments of compound 1



Cosy experiments of compound 1



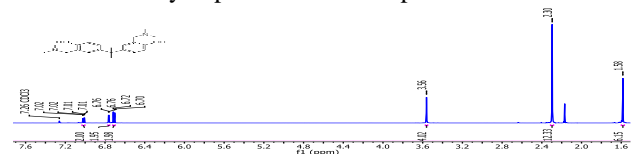
HSQC experiments of compound 1



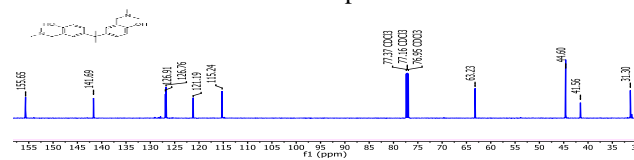
HMBC experiments of compound 1



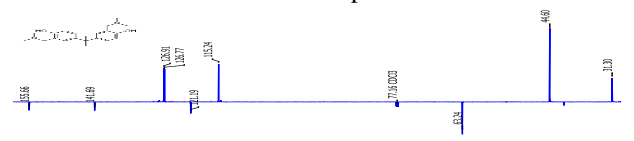
Noesy experiments of compound 1



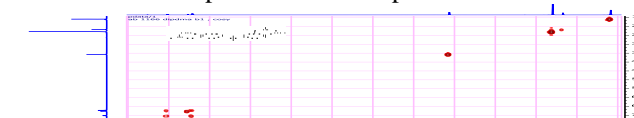
¹H NMR of compound 2



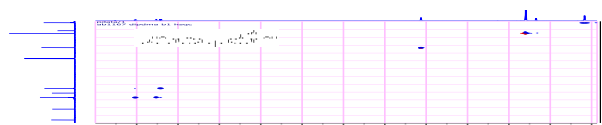
¹³C NMR of compound 2



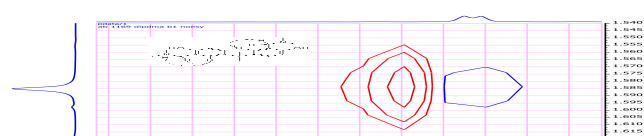
APT experiments of compound 2



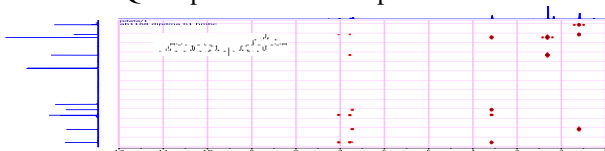
Cosy experiments of compound 2



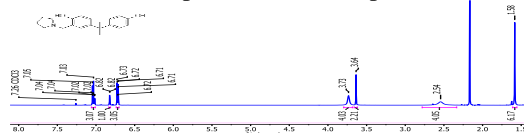
HSQC experiments of compound 2



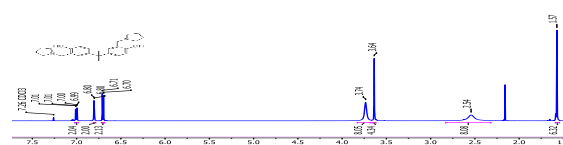
Noesy experiments of compound 2



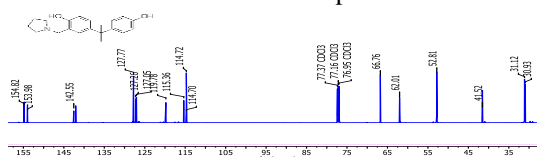
HMBC experiments of compound 2



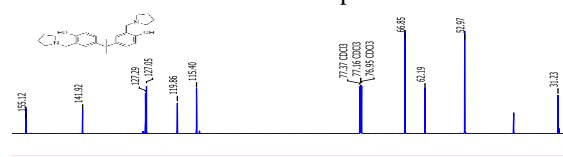
¹H NMR of compound 3



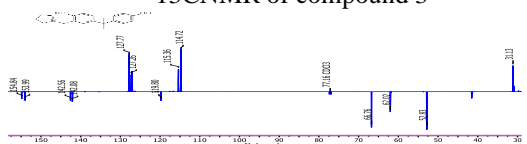
¹H NMR of compound 4



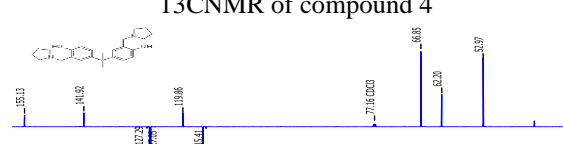
¹³C NMR of compound 3



¹³C NMR of compound 4



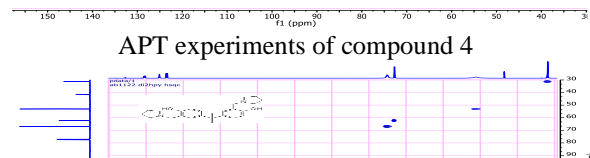
APT experiments of compound 3



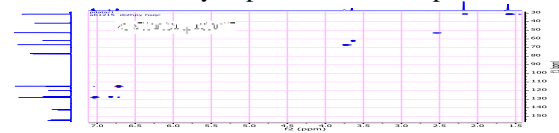
APT experiments of compound 4



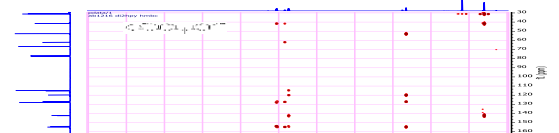
Cosy experiments of compound 3



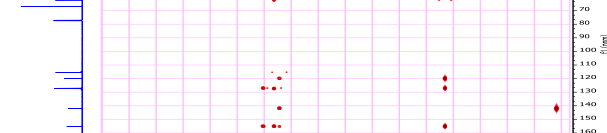
HSQC experiments of compound 4



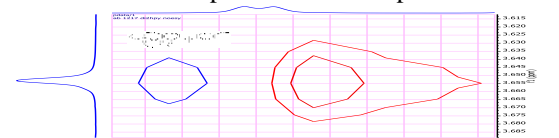
HSQC experiments of compound 3



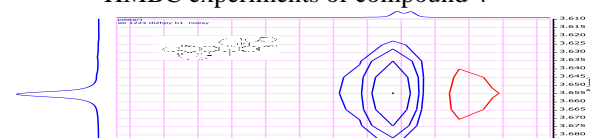
HMBC experiments of compound 3



HMBC experiments of compound 4



Noesy experiments of compound 3



Noesy experiments of compound 4

References

- [1]. Aytemir. M. D. and Çalış. U. *Hacettepe University Journal of the Faculty of Pharmacy*, **27**, 1, (2007).
- [2]. Bayrak. H., Demirbas. A., Karaoglu. S. A. and Demirbas. N., *European Journal of Medicinal Chemistry* **xx**, 10, (2008).
- [3]. Dimmock, J. R., Vashishtha, C. R., J.Quail, W., Pugazhenth, U., Z and Zimpel, Sudom, A. M., Allen, T. M., Kao, G. Y., Balzarini. J., and De Clercq *J. Med. Chem.*, **41**, 4012, (1998).
- [4]. Gul, H. I., Calisb, U. and Vepsalainen, J., *Drug Res.*, **52**, 863, (2002); Verkade, J. M. M., Hemert, L. J. C., Quaeflieg, P. L. M. and Rutjes, F. J. T., *Chem. Soc. Rev.*, **37**, 29, (2002).
- [5]. Janssen. P. A. J. Jagneau. A. H. M., Demoen. P. J., Alfons. C. V. W.; Raeymaekers. H. M., Wouters. M. J. W, Sanczuk. S, Hermans. B. F. and Loomans. J. M. *Journal of Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Chemistry*, **1**, 106, (1959).
- [6]. Li. Y., Yang. Z., Zhang. H., Cao. B., Wang. F., Zhang. Y., Shi. Y., Yangb, J. and Wu, B., *Bioorganic & Medicinal Chemistry* **11**, 4363, (2003).
- [7]. Nasr, M., Nabih, I. and Burckhalter. J. H. *Journal of Medicinal Chemistry*, **21**, 295, (1978).
- [8]. Pernak. J., Mirskab. I., Kmiecika. R. *Eur. J. Med. Chem.* **34**, 765, (1999).
- [9]. Raynes. K. J., Stocks. P. A., Neill. P. M., Park. B. K. and Ward. S. T., *J. Med. Chem.*, **42**, 2747, (1999).
- [10]. Sharifi A., Mirzaei, M. and Naimi-Jamal. M. R. *Monatshefte fuer Chemie*. **132**, 875, (2001).

4/22/2023