

# Heterocondensed Pyridines by Cycloaddition-Extrusion Sequence of Bi- and Tricyclic 1,3-Oxazinones with *N,N*-Diethyl-1-propynylamine

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Dihalotriphenylphosphoranes convert the *N*-benzoylated ethyl 2-amino-4,5-dihydrofuran- (5b), -pyrrole- (7b), -isoxazole- (9b), and -oxazole-3- or -4-carboxylates (11b) into heterocondensed 1,3-oxazinones 6, 8, 10, and 12. Treatment with *N,N*-diethyl-1-propynylamine of these compounds as well as the already known 1,3-oxazinones 1a,b, 2a,b, and 3 results in a regioselective cycloaddition-extrusion sequence to afford the corresponding heterocondensed pyridines 13a,b, 14a,b, 15a,b, and 16–21. Of these 15b and the 4-oxonaphthyridines 16, 17 represent examples of insertion of the acetylene reagent.

## Heterocyclische $\beta$ -Enaminoester, 48<sup>1)</sup>. – Heterokondensierte Pyridine durch Cycloaddition-Extrusion-Sequenz bi- und tricyclischer 1,3-Oxazinone mit *N,N*-Diethyl-1-propynylamin

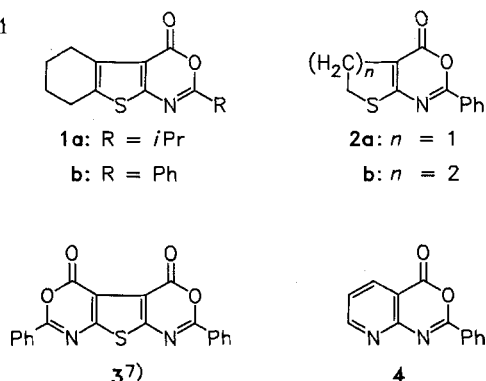
Dihalogenetriphenylphosphorane überführen die *N*-benzoylierten 2-Amino-4,5-dihydrofuran- (5b), -pyrrol- (7b), -isoxazol- (9b) und -oxazol-3- oder -4-carbonsäure-ethylester (11b) in die heterokondensierten 1,3-Oxazinone 6, 8, 10 und 12. Mit *N,N*-Diethyl-1-propynylamin ergeben diese und die bereits beschriebenen 1,3-Oxazinone 1a,b, 2a,b und 3 regiospezifisch in einer Cycloadditions-Extrusions-Sequenz die entsprechenden heterokondensierten Pyridine 13a,b, 14a,b, 15a,b, 16–21, von denen 15b und die 4-Oxonaphthyridine 16, 17 Beispiele für die Insertion des Acetylen-Reagens darstellen.

### I. Heterocondensed 1,3-Oxazinones

1,3-Oxazin-6-ones are versatile intermediates in heterocyclic synthesis, and manifold methods exist for their preparation<sup>4)</sup>. Recently, we have described a general and smooth access to heterocondensed 1,3-oxazin-6-ones by treatment of *N*-acylated heterocyclic  $\beta$ -enamino esters with dihalotriphenylphosphoranes<sup>5)</sup>, and this method has been also applied to the synthesis of monocyclic 1,3-oxazin-6-ones, e.g. from *tert*-butyl 3-(acylamino)acrylates<sup>4,6)</sup>.

The heterocondensed 1,3-oxazinones 1a,b, 2a,b<sup>5)</sup>, 3<sup>7)</sup>, and 4<sup>8)</sup> are already known.

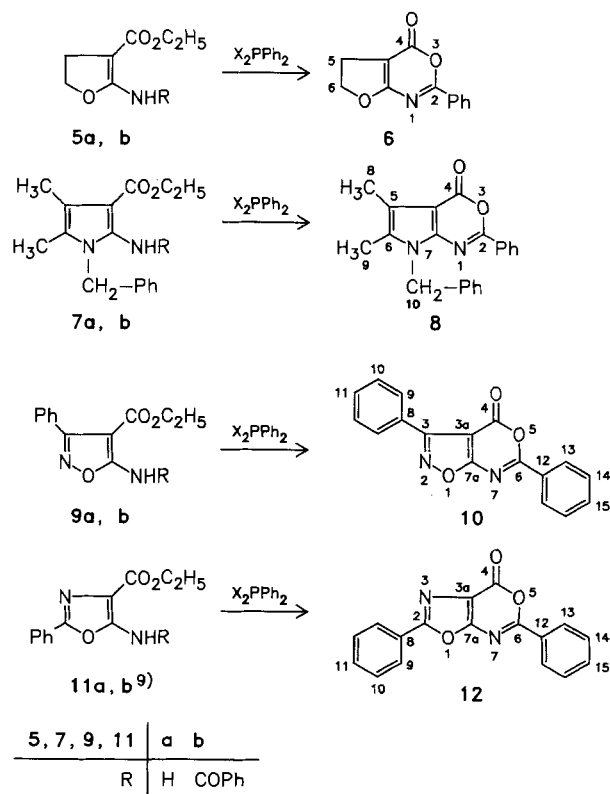
Scheme 1



Additionally, the new heterocondensed 1,3-oxazinones 6, 8, 10, 12 have been prepared on the same route by acylation of the 2-amino group of 5b, 7b, 9b, 11b and subsequent ring closure with the aid of dihalotriphenylphosphoranes.

The heterocyclic systems 3<sup>7)</sup>, 6, and 10 have not yet been described in the literature. For the oxazolo[5,4-*d*][1,3]oxazine system 12 cf. ref.<sup>9,10)</sup> and for the pyrrolo[2,3-*d*][1,3]oxazine 8 cf. ref.<sup>11)</sup>.

Scheme 2



### II. Cycloaddition-Extrusion Reaction with *N,N*-Diethyl-1-propynylamine

As Steglich et al.<sup>4,12)</sup> have shown with monocyclic 1,3-oxazin-6-ones, alkynes add smoothly in a [4 + 2] manner

with subsequent CO<sub>2</sub> expulsion to furnish pyridines, and employing ynamines this transformation reaction has been also observed with 4*H*-3,1-benzoxazinones<sup>13</sup>.

As we have found this cycloaddition-extrusion reaction can be extended easily also to heterocondensed 1,3-oxazinones resulting in a smooth and simple annelation of a pyridine ring to an existing heterocyclic system. In the case of **1a,b**, **2a,b**, **3**, **6**, **8**, **10**, **12** this reaction proceeds completely regiospecifically to give the heterocondensed pyridines **13a,b**, **14a,b**, **15a**, **18–21**.

Scheme 3

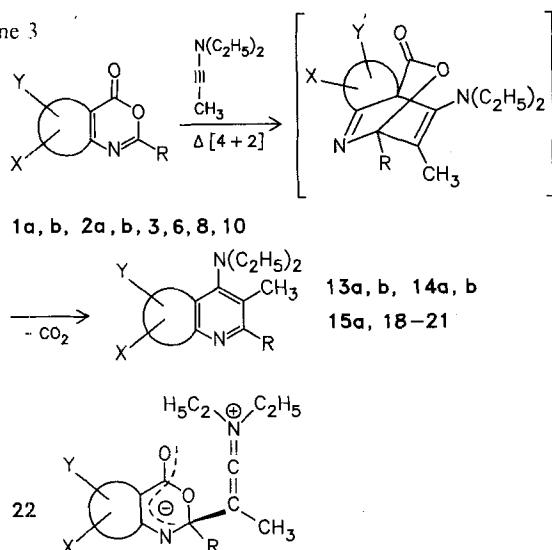
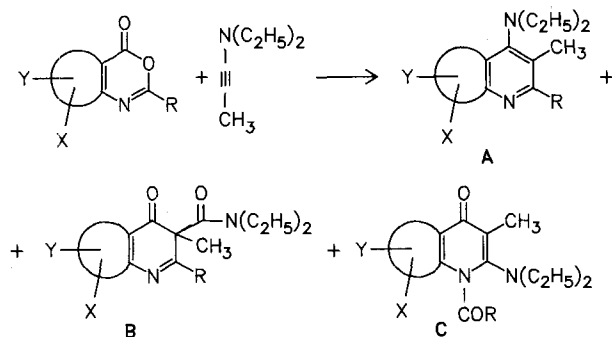
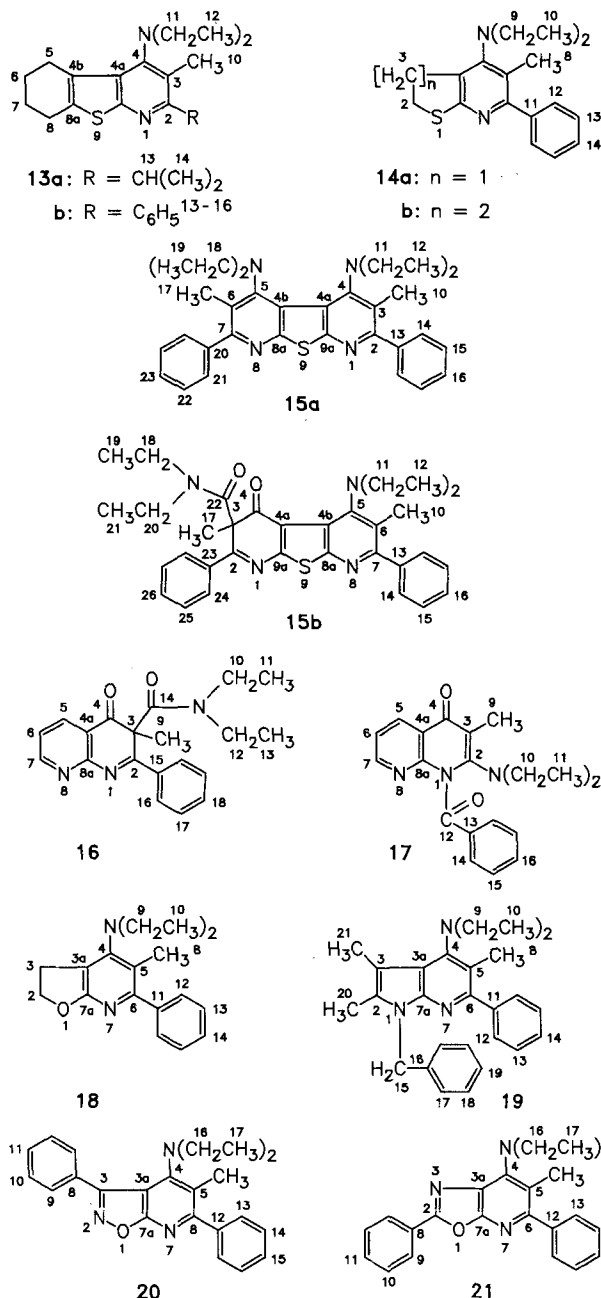


Table 1. Product distribution in the reaction of heterocondensed 1,3-oxazinones **1a,b**, **2a,b**, **3**, **4**, **6**, **8**, **10** with *N,N*-diethyl-1-propynylamine. Solvents toluene (T), acetonitrile (A), ether (E)



| Starting compound | Solv. | Time   | Temp. [°C] | Products                   | Product distribution [%] |    |    |
|-------------------|-------|--------|------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|----|----|
|                   |       |        |            |                            | A                        | B  | C  |
| <b>1a,b</b>       | T     | 60 min | 110        | <b>13a</b>                 | 76                       |    |    |
|                   | T     | 60 min | 110        | <b>13b</b>                 | 71                       |    |    |
| <b>2a,b</b>       | T     | 20 min | 110        | <b>14a</b>                 | 84                       |    |    |
|                   | T     | 60 min | 110        | <b>14b</b>                 | 80                       |    |    |
| <b>3</b>          | T     | 40 min | 110        | <b>15a,b</b> <sup>a)</sup> | 25                       | 51 |    |
| <b>4</b>          | T     | 40 min | 110        | <b>16</b>                  |                          | 58 |    |
| <b>4</b>          | A     | 40 min | 110        | <b>17</b>                  |                          |    | 75 |
| <b>6</b>          | T     | 20 min | 110        | <b>18</b>                  | 87                       |    |    |
| <b>8</b>          | A     | 48 h   | 81         | <b>19</b>                  | 10                       |    |    |
| <b>10</b>         | E     | 60 min | RT         | <b>20</b>                  | 35                       |    |    |
| <b>12</b>         | E     | 60 min | 35         | <b>21</b>                  | 95                       |    |    |

<sup>a)</sup> Separated and isolated by chromatography.



We have found, however, that the nature of the heterocycle condensed to the 1,3-oxazine system plays a certain role in the reactivity and the product distribution. Thus, from the reaction of the thieno-bis[1,3]oxazine **3** with *N,N*-diethyl-1-propynylamine the thieno[2,3-*b*:5,4-*b'*]dipyridine **15b** was isolated as side product; upon heating in toluene and acetonitrile, the pyrido[1,3]oxazine **4** results, however, solely in the formation of a 4-oxo-3,4-dihydro- (**16**) and 4-oxo-1,4-dihydronaphthyridine **17** (cf. Table 1), respectively, by insertion of the reagent. A similar behaviour has been reported for the treatment of 2-(trifluoromethyl)-4*H*-3,1-benzoxazinones with the same reagent<sup>13</sup>, where a dipolar system, such as **22**, was discussed as primary adduct.

Monitoring the cycloaddition-extrusion sequence, the reaction is usually finished in 20–60 min; only the transformation **8** → **19** needs, as exemption, 48 h for completion.

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## Experimental

IR spectra: Perkin-Elmer 157-G. —  $^1\text{H}$ -NMR spectra: Bruker WH-90 and AC-200. —  $^{13}\text{C}$ -NMR spectra: Bruker WH-90 and AC-200, TMS as internal standard. MS: MS-50 of Kratos (A.E.I.). — Melting points: uncorrected. — Elemental analyses: Analytical Laboratory of the Institute and Mikroanalytisches Laboratorium Dr. F. Pascher, D-5480 Remagen.

The synthesis of the heterocyclic and heteroaromatic  $\beta$ -enamino esters **5a**, **7a**, **9a**, and **11a** is described in ref. <sup>14–17</sup>.

*Ethyl 2-(Benzoylamino)-4,5-dihydro-3-furancarboxylate (5b)* was prepared according to ref. <sup>18</sup> from 7.85 g (50 mmol) of **5a**<sup>14</sup> and 7.7 g (55 mmol) of benzoyl chloride in 15 ml of pyridine by warming to 40–50°C for 2 h. Working up like ref. <sup>18</sup>, yield 5.0 g (39%); m.p. 127–128°C. — IR (KBr): 3200  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (NH), 1705 (CO), 1670 (amide). —  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 1.35 (t,  $\text{CH}_3$ ,  $J$  = 7 Hz), 2.90 (t,  $\text{CH}_2$ -5,  $J$  = 9 Hz), 4.25 (q,  $\text{CH}_2$ ,  $J$  = 7 Hz), 4.70 (t,  $\text{CH}_2$ -4,  $J$  = 9 Hz), 7.5–8.2 (m,  $\text{H}_{\text{ar}}$ ).

$\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_4$  (261.3) Calcd. C 64.37 H 5.78 N 5.36  
Found C 64.37 H 5.83 N 5.93

*Ethyl 2-(Benzoylamino)-1-benzyl-4,5-dimethyl-3-pyrrolecarboxylate (7b)* was prepared like **5b** from 8.2 g (30 mmol) of **7a**<sup>15</sup> and 4.65 g (33 mmol) of benzoyl chloride in 15 ml of pyridine, yield 7.6 g (67%); m.p. 131–133°C. — IR (KBr): 3295  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (NH), 1690 (CO), 1660, 1585 (amide, C=C). —  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 1.30 (t,  $\text{CH}_3$ ,  $J$  = 7 Hz), 2.05 (s,  $\text{CH}_3$ ), 2.15 (s,  $\text{CH}_3$ ), 4.25 (q,  $\text{CH}_2$ ,  $J$  = 7 Hz), 5.15 (s,  $\text{CH}_2$ -Ph), 6.8–8.0 (m,  $\text{H}_{\text{ar}}$ ), 8.92 (s, NH).

$\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{24}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$  (376.5) Calcd. C 73.39 H 6.42 N 7.44  
Found C 73.37 H 6.35 N 7.59

*Ethyl 5-(Benzoylamino)-3-phenyl-4-isoxazolecarboxylate (9b)* was prepared from 10.0 g (43 mmol) of **9a**<sup>16</sup> and 9 ml of 1,5-Diazabicyclo[4.3.0]non-5-ene (DBN) in 250 ml of dry benzene. To the refluxing solution slowly 7.0 g (50 mmol) of benzoyl chloride is added. After completion (TLC) and cooling to ambient temperature the solution is extracted two times with 100 ml of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ . The product is precipitated by acidification of the aqueous layer with acetic acid (to pH 5). An additional crop is obtained by evaporation of the benzene phase till dryness, extraction of the residue with ethanol, and evaporation of the solvent. From acetonitrile m.p. 106°C; yield 10.0 g (69%). — IR (KBr): 3280  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (NH), 1710, 1670 (CO). —  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $[\text{D}_6]\text{DMSO}$ ):  $\delta$  = 1.07 (t,  $\text{CH}_3$ ,  $J$  = 8 Hz), 4.19 (q,  $\text{CH}_2$ ,  $J$  = 8 Hz), 7.4–8.1 (m,  $\text{H}_{\text{ar}}$ ), 11.64 (s, NH). — MS:  $m/z$  = 336 ( $\text{M}^+$ ).

$\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_2\text{O}_4$  (336.4) Calcd. C 67.85 H 4.79 N 8.33  
Found C 67.18 H 4.94 N 8.34

*Ethyl 5-(Benzoylamino)-3-phenyl-4-oxazolecarboxylate (11b)*<sup>9</sup> is prepared like **9b** from 10.0 g (43 mmol) of **11a**<sup>17</sup> and 9 ml of DBN in 250 ml of benzene with 7.0 g (50 mmol) of benzoyl chloride. Yield 7.32 g (51%); m.p. 142–143°C. — IR (KBr): 3300  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (NH), 1700, 1675 (CO). —  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 1.47 (t,  $\text{CH}_3$ ,  $J$  = 7 Hz), 4.47 (q,  $\text{CH}_2$ ,  $J$  = 7 Hz), 7.4–8.2 (m,  $\text{H}_{\text{ar}}$ ), 10.22 (s, NH). — MS:  $m/z$  = 336 ( $\text{M}^+$ ).

$\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_2\text{O}_4$  (336.4) Calcd. C 67.85 H 4.79 N 8.33  
Found C 67.81 H 4.91 N 8.41

*5,6-Dihydro-2-phenyl-4H-furo[2,3-d]-1,3-oxazin-4-one (6)*: To a solution of 1.31 g (5.0 mmol) of **5b** and 2.53 g (6.0 mmol) of dibromotriphenylphosphorane in 50 ml of absol. acetonitrile 0.9 ml (6 mmol) of triethylamine is added under argon. After working up as described in ref. <sup>5</sup> 0.30 g (20%) of **6** are obtained, m.p. 176–178°C. — IR (KBr): 1760  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (CO), 1585 (C=N). —  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 3.10 (t, 5-H,  $J$  = 9 Hz), 5.04 (t, 6-H,  $J$  = 9 Hz), 7.5–8.4 (m,  $\text{H}_{\text{ar}}$ ). — MS:  $m/z$  = 215 ( $\text{M}^+$ ).

$\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_9\text{NO}_3$  (215.3) Calcd. C 66.97 H 4.18 N 6.51  
Found C 67.10 H 3.49 N 6.45

*7-Benzyl-5,6-dimethyl-2-phenylpyrrolo[2,3-d]-1,3-oxazine-4(7H)-one (8)*: To a solution of 3.76 g (10 mmol) of **7b**, 3.2 g (12 mmol) of triphenylphosphane, and 2.9 g (12 mmol) of hexachloroethane in 100 ml of absol. acetonitrile 1.7 ml (12 mmol) of triethylamine is added under argon. Working up like ref. <sup>5</sup> affords 3.0 g (90%) of **8** as yellow crystals of m.p. 182–183°C. — IR (KBr): 1760  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (CO), 1560 (C=N, C=C). —  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 2.15 (s, 8-H), 2.30 (s, 9-H), 5.45 (s, 10-H), 7.2–8.5 (m,  $\text{H}_{\text{ar}}$ ). — MS:  $m/z$  = 330 ( $\text{M}^+$ ).

$\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{18}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2$  (330.4) Calcd. C 76.36 H 5.45 N 8.48  
Found C 76.41 H 5.60 N 8.54

*3,6-Diphenyl-4H-isoxazolo[5,4-d][1,3]oxazin-4-one (10)*: To a mixture of 0.76 g (3.2 mmol) of hexachloroethane, 0.86 g (3.2 mmol) of triphenylphosphane and 1.0 g of **9b** in 20 ml of acetonitrile a solution of 1 ml of triethylamine in 5 ml of acetonitrile is added dropwise under inert gas. After 1 h stirring at room temp. the reaction mixture is refluxed for 1 h. After cooling the product precipitates together with triethylamine hydrochloride. The product is washed with ethanol and recrystallized from ethanol, yield 0.66 g (78%) of m.p. 214–215°C. — IR (KBr): 1790  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (CO). —  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $[\text{D}_6]\text{DMSO}$ ):  $\delta$  = 7.5–8.4 (m,  $\text{H}_{\text{ar}}$ ). —  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $[\text{D}_6]\text{DMSO}$ ):  $\delta$  = 94.88 (C-3a), 126.25 (C-8), 128.12 (C-10), 128.41 (C-12), 129.09 (C-9, -13), 129.42 (C-14), 131.59 (C-11), 134.79 (C-15), 154.21 (C-3), 159.33 (C-6), 166.16 (C-4), 176.29 (C-7a). — MS:  $m/z$  = 290 ( $\text{M}^+$ ).

$\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{10}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$  (290.3) Calcd. C 70.34 H 3.47 N 9.65  
Found C 71.02 H 3.59 N 9.54

*2,6-Diphenyl-4H-oxazolo[5,4-d][1,3]oxazin-4-one (12)* is obtained like **10** from 0.76 g (3.2 mmol) of hexachloroethane, 0.86 g (3.2 mmol) of triphenylphosphane, 1.0 g of **11b** in 20 ml of dry acetonitrile, and 1 ml of triethylamine solved in 5 ml of acetonitrile; yield 0.38 g (41%), yellow crystals of m.p. 224°C. — IR (KBr): 1780  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . —  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3/[\text{D}_6]\text{DMSO}$ ):  $\delta$  = 7.5–8.3 (m,  $\text{H}_{\text{ar}}$ ). —  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3/[\text{D}_6]\text{DMSO}$ ):  $\delta$  = 116.66 (C-3a), 125.03 (C-8), 126.66 (C-10), 128.12 (C-14), 128.59 (C-12), 128.75 (C-9), 128.84 (C-13), 131.79 (C-11), 133.47 (C-15), 153.12 (C-2), 159.51 (C-7a), 163.40 (C-6), 163.47 (C-4). — MS:  $m/z$  = 290 ( $\text{M}^+$ ).

$\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{10}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$  (290.3) Calcd. C 70.34 H 3.47 N 9.65  
Found C 70.64 H 3.71 N 9.51

*Synthesis of the Heterocondensed Pyridines 13a,b, 14a,b, 15a,b, 16–19; General Procedure*: To a solution of 10 mmol of **1a,b**, **2a,b**, **3**, **4**, **6**, and **8** in 15 ml of toluene or acetonitrile 1.7 ml (10 mmol) of *N,N*-diethyl-1-propynylamine is added. The mixture is heated under gentle reflux or kept at room temp. for 20 min to 48 h (cf. Table 1). After removal of the solvent, the resulting residue is crystallized from ether/petroleum ether. **15a,b** were separated by column chromatography on  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$  (eluent: petroleum ether (b.r. 60–90°C)/chloroform 1:1).

*4-(Diethylamino)-5,6,7,8-tetrahydro-2-isopropyl-3-methylbenzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-b]pyridine (13a)*: Yield 2.4 g (76%), m.p. 98–99°C. — IR (KBr): 1560, 1510  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (C=C, C=N); —  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):

$\delta = 1.06$  (t, 12-H,  $J = 7$  Hz), 1.76–2.02 (m, 6-, 7-H), 2.25 (s, 10-H), 2.66–3.10 (m, 5-, 8-H), 3.20 (q, 11-H,  $J = 7$  Hz). —  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta = 13.85$  (C-12), 14.40 (C-10), 21.95 (C-14), 23.08 (C-6), 23.21 (C-7), 26.25 (C-5), 26.51 (C-8), 31.62 (C-17), 47.90 (C-11), 126.57 (C-4a), 128.14 (C-3), 131.35 (C-4b), 134.45 (C-8a), 150.96 (C-4), 159.57 (C-6), 162.94 (C-2). — MS:  $m/z = 316$  ( $\text{M}^+$ ).

$\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{28}\text{N}_2\text{S}$  (316.5) Calcd. C 72.10 H 8.92 N 8.85  
Found C 72.01 H 8.96 N 8.63

4-(Diethylamino)-5,6,7,8-tetrahydro-3-methyl-2-phenylbenzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-b]pyridine (**13b**): Yield 2.5 g (71%), m.p. 104–106°C. — IR (KBr): 1560, 1510  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (C=C, C=N). —  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta = 1.06$  (t, 12-H,  $J = 7$  Hz), 1.77–2.02 (m, 14–16-H), 2.20 (s, 10-H), 2.69–3.20 (m, 5,8-H), 3.30 (q, 11-H,  $J = 7$  Hz), 7.2–7.6 (m,  $\text{H}_{\text{ar.}}$ ). —  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta = 13.79$  (C-12), 17.19 (C-10), 22.98 (C-6), 23.11 (C-7), 26.31 (C-5), 26.38 (C-8), 47.58 (C-11), 126.33 (C-4a), 127.63 (C-3), 128.11 (C-15,16), 129.28 (C-14), 131.83 (C-4b), 136.04 (C-8a), 141.51 (C-13), 151.81 (C-4), 157.24 (C-9a), 159.80 ppm (C-2). — MS:  $m/z = 350$  ( $\text{M}^+$ ).

$\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{26}\text{N}_2\text{S}$  (350.5) Calcd. C 75.39 H 7.48 N 7.99  
Found C 75.26 H 7.64 N 7.99

4-(Diethylamino)-2,3-dihydro-5-methyl-6-phenylthienof[2,3-b]pyridine (**14a**): Yield 2.5 g (84%), m.p. 73–74°C. — IR (KBr): 1540  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (C=C, C=N). —  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta = 1.00$  (t, 10-H,  $J = 7$  Hz), 2.12 (s, 8-H), 2.85–3.60 (m, 2,3-H), 3.10 (q, 9-H,  $J = 7$  Hz), 7.2–7.5 (m,  $\text{H}_{\text{ar.}}$ ). —  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta = 13.85$  (C-10), 16.15 (C-8), 30.85 (C-3), 33.44 (C-2), 45.83 (C-9), 124.87 (C-3a), 127.56 (C-14), 127.98 (C-13), 128.37 (C-5), 129.21 (C-12), 141.32 (C-11), 153.88 (C-4), 159.31 (C-7a), 163.75 (C-6). — MS:  $m/z = 298$  ( $\text{M}^+$ ).

$\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{22}\text{N}_2\text{S}$  (298.5) Calcd. C 72.44 H 7.43 N 9.39  
Found C 72.59 H 7.54 N 9.23

5-(Diethylamino)-3,4-dihydro-6-methyl-7-phenyl-2H-thiopyrano[2,3-b]pyridine (**14b**): Yield 2.55 g (80%), m.p. 99–100°C. — IR (KBr): 1530  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (C=C, C=N). —  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta = 1.04$  (t, 10-H,  $J = 7$  Hz), 1.90–2.40 (m, 3-H), 2.10 (s, 8-H), 2.50–2.90 (m, 4-H), 2.90–3.28 (m, 2-H), 3.25 (q, 9-H,  $J = 7$  Hz), 7.25–7.65 (m,  $\text{H}_{\text{ar.}}$ ). — MS:  $m/z = 312$  ( $\text{M}^+$ ).

$\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{24}\text{N}_2\text{S}$  (312.5) Calcd. C 73.03 H 7.44 N 8.96  
Found C 73.07 H 7.79 N 8.69

4,5-Bis(diethylamino)-3,6-dimethyl-2,7-diphenylthienof[2,3-b:5,4-b']dipyridine (**15a**): Yield 1.28 g (25%), m.p. 250–252°C. — IR (KBr): 1550, 1530  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (C=C, C=N). —  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta = 1.00$  (t, 12,19-H,  $J = 7$  Hz), 2.35 (s, 10,17-H), 3.34 (q, 11,18-H,  $J = 7$  Hz), 7.25–7.85 (m,  $\text{H}_{\text{ar.}}$ ). —  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta = 14.95$  (C-12,19), 19.19 (C-10,17), 46.35 (C-11,18), 120.63 (C-4a,4b), 122.93 (C-3,6), 128.18 (C-15,16,22,23), 129.96 (C-14,21), 141.06 (C-13,20), 152.94 (C-4,5), 158.21 (C-8a,9a), 159.22 (C-2,7). — MS:  $m/z = 508$  ( $\text{M}^+$ ).

$\text{C}_{32}\text{H}_{36}\text{N}_4\text{S}$  (508.7) Calcd. C 75.76 H 7.13 N 11.02  
Found C 75.85 H 7.10 N 11.02

5-(Diethylamino)-N,N-diethyl-3,4-dihydro-3,6-dimethyl-4-oxo-2,7-diphenylthienof[2,3-b:5,4-b']dipyridine-3-carboxamide (**15b**): Yield 2.8 g (51%), m.p. 212–214°C. — IR (KBr): 1670  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ , 1650 (CO, CO-amide), 1530 (C=C, C=N). —  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta = 0.65$  (t, 20-H,  $J = 7$  Hz), 0.90 (t, 19-H,  $J = 7$  Hz), 1.04 (t, 12-H,  $J = 7$  Hz), 1.98 (s, 17-H), 2.28 (s, 10-H), 2.53 (dq, 20-H,  $J = 12.6$ ; 7 Hz), 3.30 (dq, 18-H,  $J = 12.6$ ; 7 Hz), 3.42 (m, 11-H), 7.34–7.63 (m,  $\text{H}_{\text{ar.}}$ ), 8.22–8.30 (m,  $\text{H}_{\text{ar.}}$ ). —  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta = 11.61$  (C-19), 12.09 (C-21), 15.16 (C-12), 17.96 (C-10), 24.38 (C-17), 39.82 (C-18), 41.18 (C-20), 47.60 (C-11), 63.28 (C-3), 118.58 (C-4b), 124.25 (C-4a), 127.49 (C-6), 128.12 (C-25), 128.17 (C-16), 128.54 (C-24), 128.59 (C-15), 129.30 (C-14), 132.25 (C-26), 134.96 (C-23), 140.72

(C-13), 154.52 (C-5), 157.92 (C-7), 159.46 (C-2), 163.63 (C-8a), 168.59 (C-9a), 175.13 (C-22), 187.93 (C-4). — MS:  $m/z = 552$  ( $\text{M}^+$ ).

$\text{C}_{33}\text{H}_{36}\text{N}_4\text{O}_2\text{S}$  (552.7) Calcd. C 71.70 H 6.52 N 10.14  
Found C 72.20 H 6.53 N 10.20

N,N-Diethyl-3,4-dihydro-3-methyl-4-oxo-2-phenyl-1,8-naphthyridine-3-carboxamide (**16**): Yield 1.94 g (58%), m.p. 162–164°C. — IR (KBr): 1702  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ , 1645 (CO), 1585, 1565 (C=C, C=N). —  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta = 0.63$  (t, 13-H,  $J = 7$  Hz), 0.85 (t, 11-H,  $J = 7$  Hz), 1.84 (s, 9-H), 2.48 (dq, 12-H,  $J = 13$ ; 7 Hz), 3.25 (dq, 10-H,  $J = 13$ ; 7 Hz), 7.32–7.52 (m,  $\text{H}_{\text{ar.}}$ ), 8.40 (dd, 5- $\text{H}_{\text{ar.}}$ ,  $J = 7.5$ ; 7 Hz), 8.93 (dd, 7- $\text{H}_{\text{ar.}}$ ,  $J = 4.5$ ; 7 Hz). —  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta = 11.40$  (C-11), 12.04 (C-13), 25.54 (C-9), 39.88 (C-10), 41.01 (C-12), 60.50 (C-3), 116.20 (C-4a), 123.84 (C-6), 128.44 (C-17), 128.73 (C-16), 132.32 (C-18), 135.19 (C-15), 135.59 (C-5), 156.56 (C-7), 158.60 (C-2), 167.76 (C-8a), 175.66 (C-14), 194.40 (C-4). — MS:  $m/z = 335$  ( $\text{M}^+$ ).

$\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{21}\text{N}_3\text{O}_2$  (335.4) Calcd. C 71.62 H 6.30 N 12.53  
Found C 71.95 H 6.30 N 12.58

1-Benzoyl-2-(diethylamino)-3-methyl-4-oxo-1,8-naphthyridine-4(1H)-one (**17**): Yield 2.5 g (75%), m.p. 141°C. — IR (KBr): 1750  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (CO), 1616, 1590, 1545 (C=C, C=N). —  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta = 0.70$  (t, 11-H,  $J = 7$  Hz), 2.11 (s, 9-H), 3.07 (q, 10-H,  $J = 7$  Hz), 7.24 (dd, 6-H,  $J = 8.0$ ; 4.7 Hz), 7.25–7.71 (m,  $\text{H}_{\text{ar.}}$ ), 8.50 (dd, 5-H,  $J = 4.7$ ; 2 Hz), 8.67 ppm (dd, 7-H,  $J = 8$ ; 2 Hz). —  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta = 10.68$  (C-9), 12.27 (C-11), 46.42 (C-10), 115.39 (C-4a), 117.07 (C-3), 119.53 (C-6), 128.86 (C-14), 129.67 (C-15), 133.55 (C-13), 134.10 (C-16), 135.72 (C-5), 149.21 (C-2), 152.27 (C-7), 153.78 (C-8a), 169.87 (C-12), 179.90 (C-4). — MS:  $m/z = 335$  ( $\text{M}^+$ ).

$\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{21}\text{N}_3\text{O}_2$  (335.4) Calcd. C 71.62 H 6.30 N 12.53  
Found C 71.88 H 6.33 N 12.45

4-(Diethylamino)-2,3-dihydro-5-methyl-6-phenylfuro[2,3-b]pyridine (**18**): Yield 2.15 g (87%), m.p. 83–83°C. — IR (KBr): 1585, 1570  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (C=C, C=N). —  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta = 1.02$  (t, 10-H,  $J = 7$  Hz), 2.13 (s, 8-H), 3.17 (q, 9-H,  $J = 7$  Hz), 3.22 (t, 3-H,  $J = 8$  Hz), 4.55 (t, 2-H,  $J = 8$  Hz), 7.25–7.6 (m,  $\text{H}_{\text{ar.}}$ ). —  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta = 13.14$  (C-10), 16.05 (C-8), 29.10 (C-3), 45.35 (C-9), 68.17 (C-2), 110.83 (C-3a), 120.51 (C-5), 127.30 (C-14), 127.66 (C-13), 129.34 (C-12), 141.41 (C-11), 155.98 (C-4), 156.60 (C-6), 167.34 (C-7a). — MS:  $m/z = 282$  ( $\text{M}^+$ ).

$\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{22}\text{N}_2\text{O}$  (282.4) Calcd. C 76.56 H 7.86 N 9.92  
Found C 76.69 H 7.84 N 10.02

1-Benzyl-4-(diethylamino)-2,3,5-trimethyl-6-phenylpyrrolo[2,3-b]pyridine (**19**): Yield 0.40 g (10%), m.p. 144–146°C. — IR (KBr): 1585, 1540  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (C=C, C=N). —  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta = 1.08$  (t, 10-H,  $J = 7$  Hz), 2.19 (s, 21-H), 2.23 (s, 8-H), 2.35 (s, 15-H), 3.28 (q, 9-H,  $J = 7$  Hz), 5.45 (s, 15-H), 7.2–7.8 (m,  $\text{H}_{\text{ar.}}$ ). —  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta = 10.42$  (C-21), 10.88 (C-20), 14.37 (C-10), 17.32 (C-8), 44.90 (C-15), 47.68 (C-9), 104.52 (C-3a), 117.69 (C-5), 120.96 (C-3), 126.90 (C-19), 127.00 (C-14,17), 127.79 (C-13), 128.47 (C-18), 129.80 (C-12), 132.48 (C-2), 139.25 (C-11), 143.00 (C-16), 148.28 (C-4), 150.09 (C-6), 152.94 (C-7a). — MS:  $m/z = 397$  ( $\text{M}^+$ ).

$\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{31}\text{N}_3$  (397.6) Calcd. C 81.57 H 7.86 N 10.57  
Found C 81.39 H 7.85 N 10.50

4-(Diethylamino)-5-methyl-3,6-diphenylisoxazolo[5,4-b]pyridine (**20**) and 4-(Diethylamino)-5-methyl-2,6-diphenyloxazolo[5,4-b]pyridine (**21**): To 0.50 g (1.5 mmol) of **10** or **12** in 50 ml of dry ether 0.19 g (1.7 mmol) of N,N-diethyl-1-propynylamine is added. While the oxazinones are slowly solved, stirring is continued for 1 h at the temp. listed in Table 1. Then, the solvent is removed *in vacuo*, and the residue is recrystallized several times from ethanol.

**20:** 0.21 g, m.p. 147°C. — IR (KBr): 1590  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (C=C, C=N). —  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 1.02 (t, 17-H,  $J$  = 6 Hz), 2.22 (s, 18-H), 3.04 (q, 16-H,  $J$  = 6 Hz), 7.4–7.8 (m,  $\text{H}_{\text{ar}}$ ). —  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 13.69 (C-17), 18.93 (C-18), 47.09 (C-16), 106.20 (C-3a), 121.54 (C-5), 128.18, 128.40 (C-10, C-14)\*, 128.66, 129.76 (C-11, C-15)\*, 128.99, 129.54 (C-9, C-13)\*, 129.15, 130.35 (C-8, C-12)\*, 140.67 (C-4), 154.88 (C-3), 158.34 (C-6), 162.68 (C-7a). — MS:  $m/z$  = 357 ( $\text{M}^+$ ).

$\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{23}\text{N}_3\text{O}$  (357.5) Calcd. C 77.28 H 6.49 N 11.76  
Found C 77.66 H 6.62 N 11.80

**21:** 0.58 g (95%), m.p. 99°C. — IR (KBr): 1615, 1575  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (C=C, C=N). —  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 1.20 (t, 17-H,  $J$  = 6 Hz), 2.33 (s, 18-H), 3.66 (q, 16-H,  $J$  = 6 Hz), 7.38–8.42 (m,  $\text{H}_{\text{ar}}$ ). —  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 13.56 (C-17), 18.03 (C-18), 46.56 (C-16), 122.06 (C-3a), 126.85 (C-5), 127.43 (C-10), 127.92 (C-14), 128.05 (C-11, C-15), 128.86 (C-9), 129.63 (C-13), 131.32 (C-8), 141.32 (C-12), 150.00 (C-2), 155.62 (C-4), 159.02 (C-6), 159.57 (C-7a). — MS:  $m/z$  = 357 ( $\text{M}^+$ ).

$\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{23}\text{N}_3\text{O}$  (357.5) Calcd. C 77.28 H 6.49 N 11.76  
Found C 77.36 H 6.75 N 11.58

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