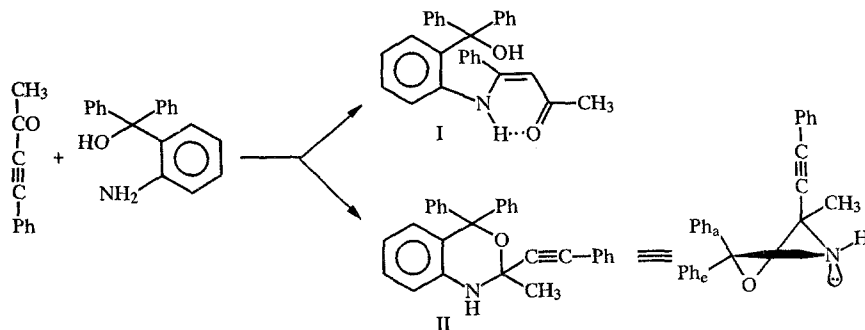


REACTION OF o-AMINOPHENYLDIPHENYLMETHANOL WITH α -ACETYLENIC KETONE

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A reaction of acetylenic ketones having an activated triple bond with o-aminophenyldiphenylmethanol has been carried out for the first time in order to synthesize new unsaturated ketones and heterocyclic compounds containing a triple bond in the side chain, which show promise as antimycotics.

We found that the reaction of o-aminophenyldiphenylmethanol with methyl phenylethynyl ketone in an acetic acid medium proceeds by two paths: besides the known addition of N,O-dinucleophile to the triple bond without involving the hydroxyl group, with the formation of ketone (I) [1], a condensation takes place at the carbonyl group with the retention of the acetylenic fragment and obtainment of a substituted 1,2-dihydro-4H-3,1-benzoxazine (II) [2].



The reaction is carried out using an equimolar ratio of the reagents, in acetic acid at a temperature of 5°C for 2 h. After the precipitation of simultaneously formed products I and II by aqueous alcohol, their separation is carried out on a column filled with 40/100 type silica gel, eluting with benzene. The yields of compounds I and II are 55 and 25%, respectively.

[2-(2-Acetyl-1-phenylethenylamino)phenyl]diphenylmethanol (I, C₂₉H₂₅NO₂), mp 180-182°C; R_f = 0.17. IR spectrum: 3320 (NH); 3200 (OH); 3030, 1580, 1530 (C=CH_{arom}); 1620 (C=C); 1680 cm⁻¹ (C=O). PMR spectrum (in CD₂Cl₂, δ): 1.53 (3H, s, CH₃); 5.30 (1H, s, OH); 6.60-7.82 (5H, m, C₆H₄, =CH); 7.20 (15H, s, Ph x 3); 8.62 ppm (1H, br.s, NH).

2-Methyl-2-phenylethynyl-4,4-diphenyl-1,2-dihydro-4H-3,1-benzoxazine II, C₂₉H₂₃NO, mp 58-59°C; R_f = 0.82. IR spectrum: 1040, 1080, 1120 (O-C-N), 3330 (NH), 2200 (C≡C), 3130, 3030, 1590, 1580 cm⁻¹ (C=CH). PMR spectrum (in CDCl₃, δ): 2.04 (3H, s, CH₃), 4.30 (1H, br.s., NH); 6.56 (4H, m, C₆H₄); 7.02 (5H, s, Ph); 7.14 (5H, s, Ph_a); 7.20 ppm (5H, s, Ph_e), comp. [3].

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