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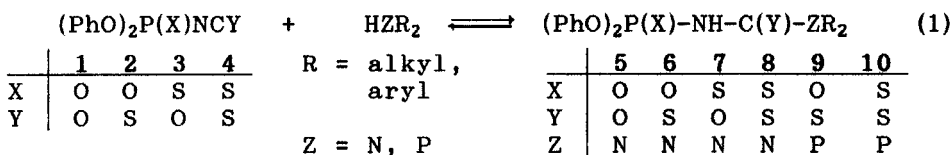
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## REACTIONS OF PHOSPHORYL AND THIOPHOSPHORYL ISOCYANATES AND ISOTHIOCYANATES WITH SECONDARY AMINES AND PHOSPHINES

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The addition of secondary amines and phosphines to a phosphorylated or thiophosphorylated isocyanate or isothiocyanate group occurs according to equation (1) in a *reversible* equilibrium reaction.



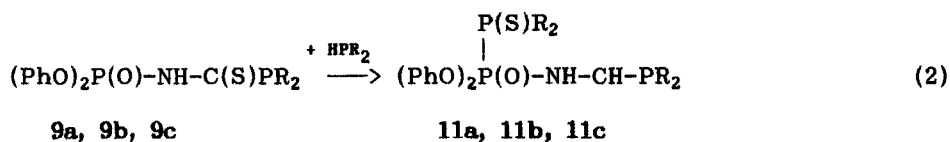
The degree of the formation of the corresponding derivatives of phosphorylated ureas 5 - 10 depends on the electrophilic properties of the NCY group, on the nucleophilicity of HZR<sub>2</sub> as well as on the temperature.

1 and 3 form with dialkyl and diaryl amines 5 and 7, respectively, in a nearly quantitative yield. The addition reaction of dialkylamines with 2 and 4 proceeds in most cases without any complication 6 and 8, respectively, whereas diphenylamine reacts only in form of the potassium salt. The addition products 9 and 10 of diorganylphosphines (R= Ph, Et) with 2 and 4 have been isolated only at low temperature (-25 °C). The compounds (PhO)<sub>2</sub>P(O)-NH-C(O)-NMePh, (PhO)<sub>2</sub>P(S)-NH-C(S)-NMePh, and (PhO)<sub>2</sub>P(O)-NH-C(S)-PPh<sub>2</sub> were characterized by x-ray crystal structure analysis<sup>1, 2</sup>.

The shift of the equilibrium (1) in dependence on the temperature was studied by NMR spectroscopy. Solving well characterized pure samples

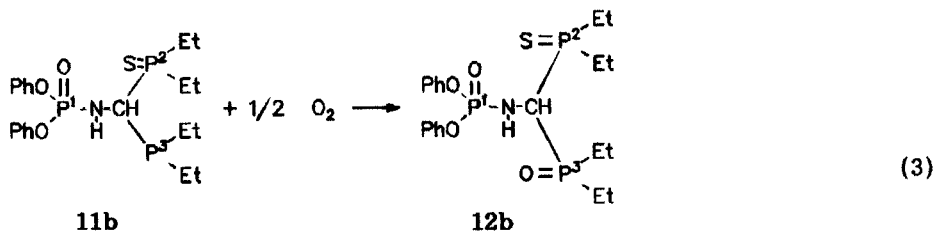
of 6 the signal of the educt 2 is observed. The dissociation increases with rising temperature. The equilibrium (1) is on the left side in case of the compounds 9 and 10. Compounds of the type 8 are more stable. Signals of 4 are observed only after shaking solutions of 8 with diluted mineral acids.

The compounds 9a and 9b and solutions of 9c are not stable at room temperature. They undergo decomposition, and 11 is formed according to equation (2).

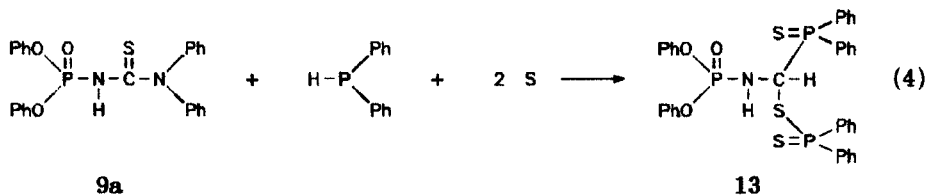


a: R = Ph, b: R = Et, c: R = Pr

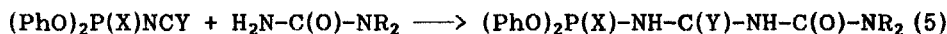
Under the influence of air 12 reacts to 13.



9a reacts in benzene with sulfur forming 13 according to equ. (4)



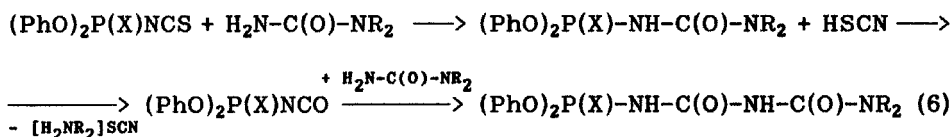
1,1-Diorganyl derivatives of urea react similar to equation (1) with 1, 2, 3 and 4 yielding the phosphorylated derivatives of the biuret.



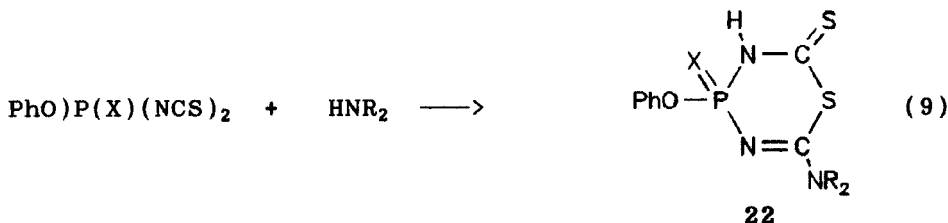
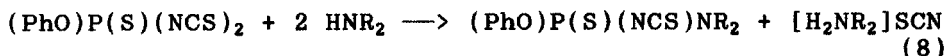
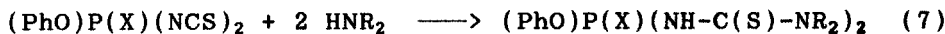
1, 2, 3, 4

	14	15	16	17
X	O	O	S	S
Y	O	S	O	S

However, with phosphorylated isothiocyanates the reaction (5) occurs incompletely. Beside the addition reaction the substitution reaction (5) is observed in these cases and byproducts as e.g. 14 and 16 are formed.



The phenoxy(thio)phosphoryl diisothiocyanates 18 and 19 react with secondary amines in three different ways (equation (7)-(9)):



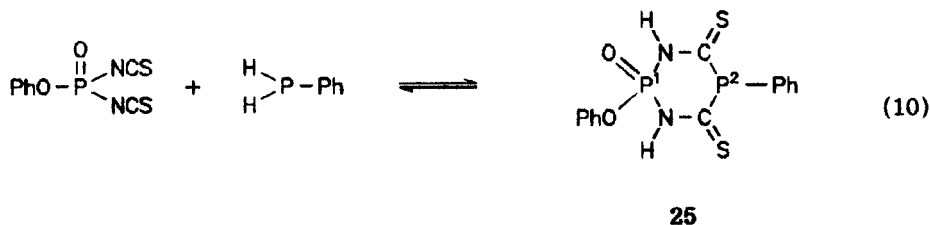
It is possible to obtain all three types of compounds 20, 21 or 22 in good yields by variation of the reaction conditions and the kind of amine.

For  $\text{X} = \text{S}$  a compound of the type 20 can be synthesized with diphenylamine. With dialkylamines the corresponding dialkylammonium salts  $(\text{PhO})\text{P}(\text{X})(\text{NH}-\text{C}(\text{S})-\text{NR}_2)_2 \cdot \text{HNR}_2$  23 are formed, which are however unstable. By standing for a longer time at room temperature from 23 ( $\text{X} = \text{S}$ ) a compound  $(\text{PhO})_2\text{P}(\text{S})(\text{NR}_2)-\text{NH}-\text{C}(\text{S})-\text{NR}_2$ , 24, is yielded. The formation of 24 occurs via the substitution product 21, which can be obtained separately according to equation (8), if the dialkylamine and

20 are used in the ratio 2:1.  $(\text{PhO})\text{P}(\text{O})(\text{NH}-\text{C}(\text{S})-\text{PR}_2)_2$ , 24, and  $(\text{PhO})\text{P}(\text{O})(\text{NCS})\text{NH}-\text{C}(\text{S})-\text{PR}_2$ , 25, was observed in a reaction of diphenylphosphine with 18, similar to equation (8).

With 18 compounds of the type 22 are obtained in a high yield. Dialkylamines form the corresponding ammonium salts. Their structures were determined by NMR spectroscopy and x-ray crystal structure analysis.

Phenylphosphine reacts with 18 and according to equation (10) the derivative 25 of a 1,3,2,5-diazaphosphorinane is formed.



The thiophosphorylated thioureas 8 are excellent extractants for weak metal ions. They form square planare complexes with nickel<sup>3</sup> and with copper(I) a complex  $[\text{Cu}(\text{PhO})_2\text{P}(\text{S})\text{NC}(\text{S})\text{NR}_2]^4$ .

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