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# SYNTHESIS OF (2-FURYL)AMINOMETHANEPHOSPHONIC ACIDS DERIVATIVES

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Abstract: Synthetical aspects of furylaminophosphonic acids are discussed here.

Studies on aminophosphonic acids started in late 40's<sup>1</sup>, since then various derivatives containing alkyl, aryl or heterocyclic groups<sup>2,3</sup> were synthesized.

To our knowledge, furylaminophosphonic acids derivatives were scarcely studied. Here we want to report some preliminary results of their synthesis. The reaction sequence, when based on a published procedures<sup>3</sup>, gave poor results (conv. rate = 75% after 72 hrs). But operating on such factors as temperature, a catalyst and an amount of a reagent, we improved conversion rates and consequently yields.

R'NH<sub>2</sub>

R'NH<sub>2</sub>

R H, CH<sub>2</sub>OH

$$R = H$$
, CH<sub>2</sub>OH

 $R' = C(CH_3)_3$ ;  $CH_2Ph$ ;  $CH_2Fur$ ; (+) and (-)  $CH(CH_3)Ph$ 

a: 80°, MeCN, HP(O)(OEt)<sub>2(XS)</sub>, CF<sub>3</sub>COOH, 6 hrs, conv. rate - 98%, Y  $\approx$  65 - 90%

We also performed stereochemical studies. Chiral (+) and (-)  $-\alpha$ -methylbenzylimines when applied, yielded two diastereoisomers in 1 : 4 ratio. These results show a certain stereoselectivity of the addition of a phosphonate. But this topic is still under study.

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