

# ONE POT, MULTICOMPONENT SYNTHESIS OF 2,4,5-TRI-SUBSTITUTED IMIDAZOLE CATALYZED BY ZINC IN ACETIC ACID

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#### Abstract:

The preparation of one pot three components synthesis of 2,4,5 tri-subtituted imidazole derivatives using reactants aldehyde, benzil and ammonium acetate with zinc powder in acetic acid as solvent. Reaction carried out at 50  $^{0}$ C for 60 minutes with different derivatives of aldehyde.

Key Words: MCR, Imidazole, Benzil, Ammonium Acetate, Aldehyde, Acetic acid.

# 1. Introduction:

Now a day synthesis of organic compound synthesis is challenging task, but due to one pot multi compound reaction i.e. mcr provide important tool for the wide variety of organic molecules. This method having advantages and constructing complex molecules. The presence day, green catalyst and simple organic solvent like water, ethanol, chloroform, acetic acid and acetonitrile uses to satisfying the requirements of environment. Consequently industry still demanding novel and unique methodology and uses of available resources in laboratory. Out of these imadazole is the one of the best mcr product and its derivatives have wide range of biological activity make it importance .imidazole has become an most important element in pharmaceuticals chemistry. Its show properties such as antifungal, antiprotozoal, fungicides and antihypertensive etc. In this paper we report simple mild effective method for preparation of 2, 4, 5, triarylimidazoles by using catalyst Zinc in acetic acid. The reaction carried out by convential mild heating process up to 40 to 60 mint.

# 2. Experimental:

# 2.1 Experimental Section:

All chemical were purchased from Merck, sdfcl were commercially available and were used as received without further purification. Melting points were measured by open capillary method incorrectly.IR data collected on (range 4000-400) NMR Data recorded on bruker avance neo 500 NMR DMSO –d6 MHz spectrometer

#### 2.2 General method for synthesis of 2,4 ,5 tri substituted imidazole:

In round bottom flask benzil (1mmol), aldehyde (1mmol), ammonium acetate (4mmol) were added with zinc powder (10% mmol) at 50  $^{0}$ c with 8 ml acetic acid as solvent for about 40 mint to 60 minut with variable aldehyde. Reaction monitor by TLC. After completion of reaction was cooled to room temperature and solid substances washed with water which give the crude product for further purification it was recrystallized from ethanol to get pure product.

3: Reaction:



Figure 1: Synthesis of 2,4,5-imidazole catalyzed by zinc powder in acetic acid Experimental Table 1: One pot synthesis of 2,4,5-tri substituted imadazole using catalyst zinc from various

<b>S.</b>	No	Aldehyde	Products	Melting Point
	1	$C_6H_5$	80	270-271
1	2	$4-OCH_3C_6H_5$	80	221-222

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3	$4-ClC_6H_5$	80	260-262	
4	$3-NO_2C_6H_5$	60	302-310	
5	$4-NO_2C_6H_5$	80	228-230	
6	$4-NMe_2-C_6H_5$	75	251-256	
7	2-OH- C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>5</sub>	70	200-205	

#### Spectral and analytical data

ENTRY 2-2-(4-chlorophenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-1H-imidazole
M.P.-260-262
1H NMR-(500MHz-DMSO)- δ12.75, δ 8.15, δ7.58, δ 7.58, δ 7.44, δ 7.23, δ3.40, δ 2.50,

 $C \text{ NMR-}(125 \text{ MHz-} \text{ DMSO}) - \delta 12.75, \delta 8.15, \delta 7.38, \delta 7.38, \delta 7.44, \delta 7.25, \delta 3.40, \delta 2.30, C \text{ NMR-}(125 \text{ MHz-} \text{ DMSO} \text{ d} 6) - \delta 144.41, 137.30, 135.00, 132.00, 129.18, 128.56, 126.52, 39.81$ 

- 2) ENTRY 7-2-(2-hydroxyphenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-1H-imidazole
  - M.P. 200-205 1H NMR(500 MHz- DMSO d 6) –  $\delta$ 13.09 ,  $\delta$  8.96 ,  $\delta$  8.22,  $\delta$  7.79 ,  $\delta$  7.46,  $\delta$  7.27 ,  $\delta$  3.33,  $\delta$  2.51,  $\delta$  2.49 C NMR-(125 MHz- DMSO d 6) –  $\delta$ 148.28,143.28,131.75,130.31,127.06,122.49,119.31,39.77.

#### 3. Result and Discussion:

substituted imidazole and its derivatives synthesis of by using Zinc powder in acetic acid through a condensation in between aldehyde ,benzil,ammonia and ammonium acetate at 50 C gives product. It was found that the catalyst gives good result in between 70% to 80% yield. Encouraged by these expected result, we have uses the same methodology on other aldehyde .when aldehyde, benzil and ammonium acetate were investigated. The results as show in table -1

#### 4. Conclusion:

In conclusion we have prepared very simple and efficient method for the good yielding synthesis of 2,4,5- triaryl – 1H- imiazole using zinc as catalyst in acetic acid . By using this catalyst alternative way gives best result in short reaction time.

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## 6. Conflict of Interest:

The author have declared that no conflict of interest exists

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