



Synthesis and Biological Evaluation of Some Novel Hydrazones Carrying Benzimidazole and Pyrene/Vanillin Moiety

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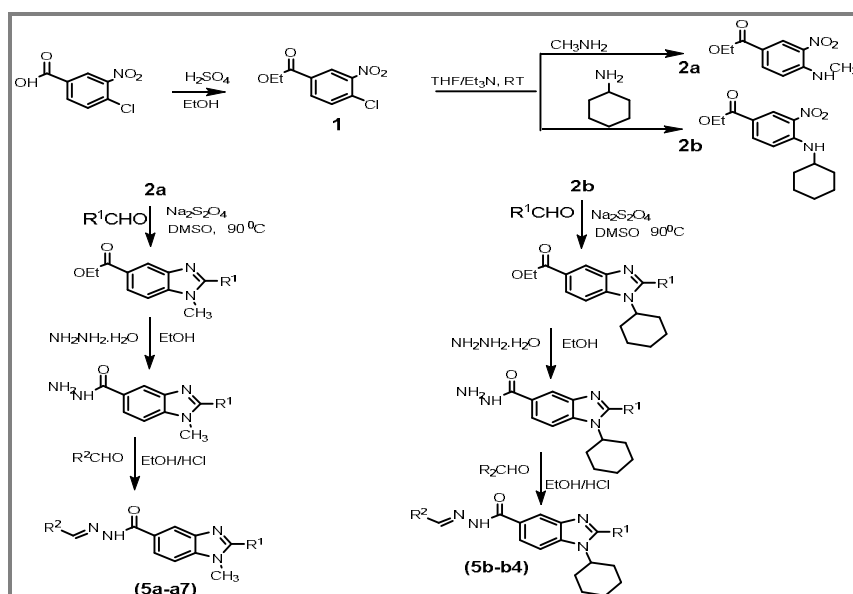
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ABSTRACT

Novel series of hydrazones carrying benzimidazole moiety are prepared by the condensation benzimidazole carbohydrazide carrying pyrene/vanillin with appropriate aldehydes. The novel hydrazones so prepared were characterized by Elemental analyses, UV, IR, ¹H NMR, and Mass spectral studies. These novel compounds were screened for the antibacterial activity against *S. aureus*, *S. mutans*, *P. aeruginosa* and *E. coli*, and antifungal activity against *A. niger* and *C. albicans* sps. and antioxidant activity by DPPH method. The results revealed that most of the compounds exhibited good antibacterial and antifungal properties at 75 $\mu\text{L mL}^{-1}$. Besides, they showed good antioxidant activity as compared with standard Butylated hydroxy anisole.

Graphical Abstract



Synthetic route of final compound 5a-a6, 5b-54

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