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# Analytical Application of 3-hydroxy-3-propyl-1-(4-carbamimidoylsulfamoyl)phenyltriazene (CSPT) in the Spectrophotometric Determination of Palladium(II)

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#### **ABSTRACT**

The spectrophotometric behavior of complex of Pd(II) with 3-hydroxy-3-propyl-1-(4-carbamimidoylsulfamoyl)phenyltriazenehas been studies in ppm level. The reagent forms light violet coloured complex with Pd(II) in alcoholic medium at pH range 1.8-2.2. The mean value of molar absorbtivity and sandell's sensitivity was calculated and was found to be 8372 Lmol<sup>-1</sup> and 12.71 mg.cm<sup>-1</sup> for the complex. It was observed that 3-hydroxy-3-propyl-1-(4-carbamimidoylsulfamoyl) phenyltriazene forms 1:2 complex with Pd(II).

# **Graphical Abstract**

**Keywords:** 3-hydroxy-3-propyl-1-(4-carbamimidoylsulfamoyl)phenyltriazene, spectrophotometric determination of Pd(II), PASS, CADD.

#### INTRODUCTION

Hydroxytriazene possess the functional group [-N(OH)-N=N-]. The complexing ability [1-2] of this class of compounds have been explored exhaustively in our laboratory during last many years. Their application as analytical reagents [3-6] is quite established as shown by various reviews. Hydroxytriazenes and their metal complexes have been found to possess a number of biological activities like anti-inflammatory [7], antimicrobial [8], analgesic [9], antifungal [10], antibacterial [10], wound healing [11], insecticidal [12]. In the present paper 3-hydroxy-3-propyl-1-(4-carbamimidoylsulfamoyl)phenyltriazene has been synthesized using standard method, duly

characterized by elemental analysis(CHN), melting point determination, IR and <sup>1</sup>HNMR. Biological activity of 3-hydroxy-3-propyl-1-(4-carbamimidoylsulfamoyl)phenyltriazene has been screened using computer aided program PASS. PASS (Prediction of Activity Spectra for Substances) [13-14] is a very simple tool for prediction of probable activity theoretically on the basis of molecular structure which would pave a way to CADD.

#### **MATERIALS AND METHODS**

Reagents were synthesized as per standard method using AR grade chemicals. The synthesis is completed in three steps.

**Step-1: Preparation of hydroxylamine:** In the preparation of hydroxylamine, 0.1 mole of nitropropane, 0.1 mole of NH<sub>4</sub>Cl and 75 (50 ml water+25 ml spirit) ml solvent were mixed and stirred mechanically at 0-5°C and then 20 gm of Zn dust was added in the small lots to maintain temperature of the reaction between 0-5°C. After one hour the reaction mixture was filtered and the solution obtained was kept in refrigerator at about 0°C which was further used for coupling.

$$H_3C$$
 $NO_2$ 
 $NH_4CI / Zn-dust$ 
 $O-5^0C$ 
 $H_3C$ 
 $NH$ 
 $OH$ 

Scheme 1. Reduction of Nitro Compound

**Step-2: Preparation of diazonium salts**: 4-Amino-N-(aminoiminomethyl)benzenesulfonamide (0.1 mole) was dissolved in mixture containing 25 mL of HCl and 25 mL of water. In other beaker 0.1 moles sodium nitrite was dissolved in minimum quantity of water. The temperature of the reaction mixture was maintained between 0-5°C. To this solution, sodium nitrite solution was added drop by drop with stirring. The diazotized product so obtained was directly used for coupling.

Scheme 2. Diazotization of 4-Amino-N-(aminoiminomethyl)benzenesulfonamide

**Step-3: Coupling:** The temperature of hydroxylamine prepared in step-1 and diazotized product obtained from step-2 (4) were maintain between 0-5°C. Step-2 solution was added to solution obtained in step-1 with continuous stirring and pH of the solution was maintained 5-7 by adding sodium acetate solution. The resultant product was filtered, washed with cold water and dried. The crude compounds were purified and recrystallized. The purity of hydroxytriazenes were checked by I.R, <sup>1</sup>H NMR and melting point determination. Their compositions were verified by elemental analysis. The synthetic scheme 3 can be represented as

Scheme 3. Synthetic Hydroxytriazene

Table 1. Physical Characteristics of the reagents

Reagent	Molecular	Color and	M.P.ºC		Analysis	
	Formula	Shape of the reagent		Calculated	Experimental	Structure
3-hydroxy-3- propyl-1-(4- carbamimidoy lsulfamoyl) phenyltriazene		Light violet crystal	172	C- 39.99% H- 5.37% N- 27.98%	C- 38.92% H- 5.17% N- 27.78%	

#### Characterization data of synthesized hydroxytriazenes

3-hydroxy-3-propyl-1-(4-carbamimidoylsulfamoyl)phenyltriazene 5d :IR 3426( $_{O-H}$ ),3346( $_{N-H}$ ), 1609( $_{C-N}$ ), 1335( $_{N-N}$ ), 1126( $_{S-O}$ )cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>HNMR (DMSO):  $\delta$ : 12.36(1H,s,OH), 7.2-7.8(H,m,ArH), 6.64(1H,s,SO<sub>2</sub>NH), 3.25(4H,s,NH<sub>2</sub>), 2.49-2.48(2H,t,CH<sub>2</sub>), 4.19-4.13(4H,m,CH<sub>2</sub>), 1.42-1.39(2H,t,CH<sub>3</sub>).

#### Spectrophotometric Studies of Pd (II) complexes

**Standard solution of Pd (II)**: A 10<sup>-2</sup> M stock solution of AR grade palladium chloride was prepared by dissolving the required quantity of palladium chloride in the minimum volume of hot concentrate HCl and diluting with double distilled water. The solution was then standardized complexometrically using sulfosalicylic acid as an indicator with EDTA, ammonium acetate and standard ferric ammonium sulphate solutions. Dilute solution is prepared using stock solution when required.

**Reagent solution**: A stock solution of 10<sup>-3</sup> M is prepared by dissolving the required amount of hydroxytriazene in alcohol. Solutions of desired concentrations were prepared by appropriate dilution of the stock solution with alcohol.

## **Solutions for pH adjustment:**

- (a) **Tris buffer solution-** A 1% solution of tris (hydroxymethyl) amino methane was prepared by dissolving 1.0 gm of the tris buffer in minimum quantity of distilled water and then making it up to 100 ml with distilled water.
- **(b) Perchloric acid solution-** A 1 % Perchloric acid solution was prepared by dissolving 1.0 ml of the Perchloric acid in minimum quantity of distilled water and then making up to 100 ml with distilled water.

**Instrument:** ELICO double beam SL 210 UV-VIS spectrophotometer was used for study.

**Selection of suitable working wavelength:** Solution of Pd: R in 1:10 ratio was taken in 10 mL volumetric flask and was made up to the mark with alcohol. Absorbance of solution against its reagent

blank was measured in the wavelength region 300-500nm. The working wavelength is selected in a region where the absorption of Pd (II) complex was maximum and absorption due to reagent was minimum.

**Effect of pH on absorbance**: Absorbance of each solution at various pH values containing Pd (II) and reagent solution in 1:10 ratio was carried out at working wavelength against reagent blank. The optimum pH range for constant maximum absorbance was selected.

**Composition of the Pd (II) complex**: The composition of the Pd (II) complex was determined using Job's method and mole ratio method of Yoe and Jones. The composition as determined by both the method agreed well.

**Job's method:** In this method set of solution was prepared by varying the volume of equimolar Pd (II) and reagent solution from 0 to 3 ml. After pH adjustment the solution were made up with alcohol. The absorbance of solution was measured at working wavelength against reagent blank. The composition of complex was found to be 1:2 [Pd: R]. Complex composition with Pd (II) has been tabulated in table-2.

**Mole ratio method:** In this method the concentration of Pd (II) was kept constant and reagent concentration was varied. A series of solution having Pd (II):R ratio 1:1 to 1:10 were prepared with maintaining the pH of constant absorbance. Absorbance of each solution of a set was measured at working wavelength against reagent blank. The composition was found to be 1:2 [Pd:R] by this method. It agree with the ratio determination by Job's method, thus proving Pd (II)-hydroxytriazenes for 1:2 Pd (II):R complex.

**Beer's validity law:** A set of solution having M:L ratio 1:10 was prepared. The studies were performed under optimum condition of pH, concentration and solvent at corresponding working wavelength. The absorbance was measured for the complex against the reagent blank.

**Sandell's sensitivity:** The molar absorptivity of the Pd (II) complexes was calculated from the Beer's law graph and the value thus obtained was used for determining Sandell's sensitivity of the complex. The values show that the method used is quite sensitive and satisfactory for the determination of Pd (II).

S. No.	Pd (II) complex with reagent	Job's/ Mole ratio Composition of the complex [Pd(II): R]	Working wavelengt h or λ max (nm)	Optimu m pH range	Molar absorbtivity [L.mol <sup>-1</sup> .cm <sup>-1</sup> ]	Sandell's sensitivity [mg.cm <sup>-2</sup> ]
1	3-hydroxy-3- propyl-1-(4- carbamimidoy lsulfamoyl)ph enyltriazene	1:2	367	1.8 – 2.4	8372	12.71

Table 2. Spectrophotometric Determination of Pd (II) with Reagents

# **RESULTS AND DISCUSSION**

3-hydroxy-3-propyl-1-(4-carbamimidoylsulfamoyl)phenyltriazene forms 1:2 complex with Pd(II). 3-hydroxy-3-propyl-1-(4-carbamimidoylsulfamoyl)phenyltriazene act as bidentate ligand which indicates a tetra-coordinated Pd (II) complex with probable square planner geometry. The result of PASS prediction for 3-hydroxy-3-propyl-1-(4-carbamimidoylsulfamoyl)phenyltriazene is given in table-3.

Pi Pa Activity 0,870 0,005 Antiinflammatory 0,006 0,818 Omptin inhibitor 0,645 0,024 Venombin AB inhibitor 0,013 Cathepsin T inhibitor 0,608 0,619 0,062 Polyporopepsin inhibitor CDP-glycerol 0,076 0,620 glycerophosphotransferase inhibitor 0,544 0,011 Gingipain K inhibitor Methylumbelliferyl-acetate deacetylase 0,531 0,023 inhibitor 0,486 0,018 Carboxypeptidase D inhibitor 0,012 0,471 Clostripain inhibitor 0,469 0,025 Neuropeptide Y4 antagonist 0,019 0,431 Para amino benzoic acid antagonist 0,452 0,053 Endopeptidase So inhibitor 0,429 0,040 Renal tissue kallikrein inhibitor 0,484 0,101 Glutamyl endopeptidase II inhibitor 0,398 0,022 Acrosin inhibitor Peptidyl-Lys metalloendopeptidase 0,368 0.014 inhibitor 0,365 0,026 Antineoplastic (pancreatic cancer)

**Table 3.** Prediction of percent activity(Pa) and inactivity(Pi) of 3-hydroxy-3-propyl-1-(4-carbamimidoylsulfamoyl)phenyltriazene

#### **APPLICATION**

3-hydroxy-3-propyl-1-(4-carbamimidoylsulfamoyl)phenyltriazene (CSPT) regent is used to for the determination of Pd(II) and is a probable activity reagent as anti-inflammatory and biological active compound.

## **CONCLUSIONS**

As described above ligand has been developed as an analytical reagent for the determination of Pd (II). It can be seen from the results of PASS prediction that most probable activity of reagent is anti-inflammatory and is biologically active compound. Thus, it will be useful drug candidate if explored further.

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