



Synthesis of new 6-substituted-3-((4-substitutedphenyl) Diazenyl)-2, 4-dimethyl quinoline derivatives

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Abstract

A synthesis of new (E)-6-substituted-3-((4-substitutedphenyl) diazenyl)-2,4-dimethyl quinolines has been achieved by the Combs reaction. The synthesis of the derivatives is based on diazonium coupling reaction. The intermediate compound (E)-3-((4-substitutedphenyl)diazenyl)pentane-2,4-dione derivatives (I-VI) was obtained from diazonium coupling reaction between primary aromatic amines with acetyl acetone, then condensation to a (Z)-3-((E)-(4-substituted phenyl)diazenyl)-4-((4-substituted phenyl)imino)pentan-2-one derivatives (VII – XIV) followed by elimination of a water molecule and cyclisation of the result by the heating and elimination of water in presence Sulphuric acid to afford final compounds (E)-6-substituted-3-((4-substitutedphenyl)diazenyl)-2,4-dimethylquinoline derivatives (XV – XXII) The identities and purity of synthesized compounds were elucidated through the thin layer chromatography (TLC), melting point and spectroscopy data such as (IR, UV, ¹HNMR, and mass spectroscopy).

Keywords: quinoline; synthesis; combs reaction; diazonium coupling reaction; acetyl acetone; *p*. substituted aromatic amines

Introduction

Quinoline moiety is of great importance to chemists as well as biologists as it is found in a large variety of naturally occurring compounds and also chemically useful molecules having diverse biological activities. Amongst the various activities of their derivatives, antimicrobial activity is noteworthy. (Eswaran *et al.*, 2010) [5]. Quinoline synthesis and its derivatives has been prevalent in biomedical studies and attracted both synthetic and biological chemist because of its diverse chemical and pharmacological properties and synthetic methods as well as the relative low-cost production of these compounds. Apart from classical method for the synthesis of quinoline ring available like Skraup, Doebner-Miller, Friedländer, Pfitzinger, Conrad-Limpach, Camps, Nimentowski, Pictet, Gould-Jacobs's, Miscellaneous, Povarov and Combes syntheses (Kumar *et al.*, 2009) [7]. The quinoline nucleus is an important class of heterocyclic compounds found in many synthetic and natural products with wide range pharmacological activities such as antiviral (Nayak *et al.* 2016) [8], anticancer (Denny *et al.*, 2006) [3], antibacterial (El Faydy *et al.*, 2016) [4], antifungal (Wang *et al.*, 2010) [11], anti-inflammatory (Zarghi and Ghodsi 2010) [12], antileishmanial (Boa *et al.*, 2005) [1], anti-tuberculosis (De Souza *et al.*, 2009) [2], and anti-HIV (Mouscadet and Desmaële 2010) [9], which can be illustrated by the large number of drugs in the market containing this heterocyclic class. Quinoline and its derivatives are well known for their antimalarial drugs, such as chloroquine, quinine and mefloquine are main stays of chemotherapy against malaria (Zibaseresht *et al.*, 2013) [13]. Quinolines have been attracted considerable interest because a large number of natural products and drugs contain this heterocyclic moiety. Further, these compounds are used to building blocks of various other compounds (Hajalsiddig and Saeed 2019) [6]. The present study, was focused on synthesise of disubstituted quinoline derivatives by the developing Combs reaction to form final compounds in multi-step reaction. The synthesized compounds were characterized by IR, UV, ¹HNMR and mass spectroscopy.

Experimental Section

General equipment

All chemical reagents are obtained from commercial suppliers and used without further purification. Melting points of all synthesized compounds were determined on an electro thermal melting point ST 150SA.UK. Ultraviolet Spectroscopy (UV) data was carried out at (UV.3101PC. Shimadzu-Japan. TLC for progress of all synthesized compounds was carried out on Aluminum per-coated plates with different mobile phases and visualizing the spots in Iodine crystalized. IR spectra were carried out as KBr discs on model FTIR-84005 Spectrometer (Shimadzu, Japan). ¹HNMR spectra were scanned on Vario Germany instrument model ultrashield-300MH using DMSO as solvent. The mass spectral recorded on (GC-MS) Shimadzu Qp-1000 EX. Japan.

Synthesis

General method for synthesis (E)-3-((4-substitutedphenyl)diazenyl)pentane-2,4-dione derivatives (I-VI)

p-substituted aniline (0.01mole) was dissolved in a mixture of concentrated HCl (8 ml) and water (6 mL) and cooled to 0-5°C on ice bath. A cold aqueous solution of sodium nitrite (0.02mole) was added. The cold diazonium salt solution was filtered into a cooled solution of acetyl acetone in presence of sodium nitrite (0.01mole) and sodium acetate (0.05mole) in aqueous ethanol (20 mL) and stirred for 2 hours and resulting solid was filtered, dried and purified by recrystallization from ethanol to afford compounds (I – VI) intermediate (1) see scheme (1).

(E)-3-((4-Chlorophenyl) diazenyl)pentane-2,4-dione (I)

Color: yellow, Yield: 94%, m.p.: 133-135 °C, M.W.: 238.67, Rf.: 0.79, IR (KBr, cm-1): 3431 (N-H), 3095 (Ar-C-H), 1668 (C=O), 1623 (C=N), 1519 (C=C), 1305 (N=N), 1417 (-C-CH₃), 1188 (Ar-C-N), 769 (C-Cl).

(E)-4-((2,4-dioxopentan-3-yl)diazenyl)benzene sulfonamide (II)

Color: yellow, Yield: 45 %, m.p.: 117-119 °C, M.W.: 283.30, Rf.: 0.59, IR (KBr, cm-1): 3257 (N-H), 3022 (Ar-C-H), 1679 (C=O), 1633 (C=N), 1504 (C=C), 1321 (N=N), 1417 (-C-CH₃), 1147 (Ar-C-N).

(E)-3-((4-bromophenyl)diazenyl)pentane-2,4-dione (III)

Color: yellow, Yield: 90 %, m.p.: 99-103 °C, M.W.: 283.13, Rf.: 0.75, IR (KBr, cm-1): 3533 (N-H), 3085 (Ar C-H), 1668 (C=O), 1625 (C=N), 1504 (C=C), 1315 (N=N), 1182 (Ar-C-N), 1421 (-C-CH₃), 624 (Br).

(E)-3-(phenyldiazenyl) pentane-2,4-dione (IV)

Color: deep yellow, Yield: 53 %, m.p.: 85-87 °C, M.W.: 204.23, Rf.: 0.62, IR (KBr, cm-1): 3533 (N-H), 3093 (Ar C-H), 1674 (C=O), 1623 (C=N), 1519 (C=C), 1417 (-C-CH₃), 1188 (Ar-C-N), 1309 (N=N).

(E)-3-((4-acetylphenyl)diazenyl)pentane-2,4-dione (V)

Color: brown, Yield: 78 %, m.p.: 144-146 °C, M.W.: 246.27, Rf.: 0.66, IR (KBr, cm-1): 3446 (N-H), 3051 (Ar C-H), 1674 (C=O), 1600 (C=N), 1506 (C=C), 1303 (N=N), 1419 (-C-CH₃), 1195 (Ar-C-N).

(E)-4-(2-(2, 4-dioxopentan-3-yl)diazenyl)benzoic acid (VI)

Color: brown, Yield: 88 %, m.p.: 272-274 °C, M.W.: 248.24, Rf.: 0.72, IR (KBr, cm-1): 2977 (N-H), 2663 (Ar C-H), 1679 (C=O), 1614 (C=N), 1510 (C=C), 1301 (-N=N-), 1423 (-C-CH₃), 1166 (Ar-C-N), 3776 (O-H).

General method for Synthesis (Z)-3-((E)-(4-substituted phenyl) diazenyl)-4-((4-substituted phenyl) imino) pentan-2-one derivatives (VII – XIV)

Add to a mixture of 5.32g (0.05 mole) of aniline *p*. substituent and 5.1g (0.05mole) of (E)-3-((4-substitutedphenyl)diazenyl)pentane-2, 4-dione (I - VI) contained in a 100 ml round bottomed flask 10g of granular anhydrous calcium sulphate. Attach an air condenser fitted with calcium chloride guard-tube to the flask and heat the mixture on a steam bath for 1 hour, with occasional shaking. Cool, add 40 ml of ether to the reaction mixture and filter. Wash the calcium sulphate in the filter funnel with 40 ml ether and evaporate the combined ether filtrates. Drying and recrystallization the solid obtained from hexane to afford compounds (VII – XIV) intermediate 2 see scheme 2.

(Z)-3-((E)-(4-chlorophenyl)diazenyl)-4-((4-chlorophenyl)imino)pentan-2-one (VII)

Color: yellow, Yield: 68 %, m.p.: 139-142 °C, M.W.: 348.23, Rf.: 0.84, IR (KBr, cm-1): 3078 (Ar-C-H), 3001 (C-H), 1668 (C=O), 1625 (C=N), 1519 (C=C), 1305 (-N=N-), 1417 (-C-CH₃), 1188 (Ar-C-N), 1305 (-N=N-), 3436 (O-H), 769 (C-Cl).

(Z)-3-((E)-(4-chlorophenyl)diazenyl)-4-(*p*-tolylimino)pentan-2-one (VIII)

Color: yellow, Yield: 69 %, m.p.: 102-104 °C, M.W.: 327.81, Rf.: 0.69, IR (KBr, cm-1): 3058 (Ar-C-H), 3224 (C-H), 1652 (C=O), 1589 (C=N), 1519 (C=C), 1433 (-C-CH₃), 1174 (Ar-C-N), 1280 (-N=N-), 3396 (O-H), 769 (C-Cl).

((Z)-4-oxo-3-((E)-(4-sulfamoyophenyl)diazenyl)pentan-2-ylidene)amino)benzene sulfonamide (IX).

Color: pall yellow, Yield: 95 %, m.p.: 154 -156 °C, M.W.: 437.49, Rf.: 0.81, IR (KBr, cm-1): (3321-3251) (NH₂), 1679 (C=O), 1591 (C=N), 1502 (C=C), 1147 (C-N), 1309 (-N=N-), 3477 (O-H), 1433 (-C-CH₃).

(Z)-3-((E)-(4-bromophenyl) diazenyl)-4-((4-bromophenyl)imino)pentane-2-one (X)

Color: brown, Yield: 73 %, m.p.: 78-80 °C, M.W.: 437.14, Rf.: 0.79, IR (KBr, cm-1): 3087 (Ar C-H), 1668 (C=O), 1625 (C=N), 1506 (C=C), 1315 (-N=N-), 1186 (Ar-C-N), 1417 (C-CH₃).

(Z)-3-((E)-phenyldiazenyl)-4-(*p*-tolylimino)pentane-2-one (XI)

Color: yellow, Yield: 82 %, M.P.: 91-93 °C, M.W.: 293. 37, Rf.: 0.83, IR (KBr, cm-1): 3095 (Ar C-H), 1674 (C=O), 1623 (C=N), 1519 (C=C), 1415 (-C-CH₃), 1188 (Ar-C-N), 3006 (C-H), 1309 (N=N).

(Z)-4-((4-acetylphenyl)imino)-3-((E)-phenyldiazenyl)pentan-2-one (XII)

Color: green yellow, Yield: 35 %, m.p.: 101-103 °C, M.W.: 238.67, Rf.: 0.66, IR (KBr, cm⁻¹): 3394 (O-H), 1647 (C=N), 1589 (C=C), 1433 (-C-CH₃), 1170 (Ar-C-N), 1272 (-N=N-).

(Z)-3-((E)-(4-acetylphenyl)diazenyl)-4-((4-acetylphenyl)imino)pentane-2-one (XIII)

Color: yellow, Yield: 79 %, m.p.: 138-140 °C, M.W.: 363.42, Rf.: 0.78, IR (KBr, cm⁻¹): 2995 (C-H), 3089 (Ar C-H), 1674 (C=O), 1596 (C=N), 1504 (C=C), 1303 (-N=N-), 1153 (Ar-C-N), 3452 (O-H).

((E)-(Z)-2-oxo-4-((4-sulfamoylphenyl)imino)pentan-3-yl)diazenyl)benzoic acid (XIV).

Color: yellow, Yield: 91 %, m.p.: 227-229 °C, M.W.: 384.41, Rf.: 0.80, IR (KBr, cm⁻¹): 2977 (Ar C-H), 1677 (C=O), 1596 (C=N), 1508 (C=C), 1159 (Ar-C-N), 1423 (-C-CH₃), 1303(-N=N-), 3477 (O-H), 3317-3242 (NH₂).

General method for synthesis (E)-6-substituted-3-((4-substitutedphenyl)diazenyl)-2,4-dimethylquinoline derivatives (XV – XXII)

Add 6g (0.032mole) of above (Z)-3-((E)-(4-substitutedphenyl)diazenyl)-4-((4-substituted phenyl)imino)pentan-2-one (VII - XIV) in portions, to 25 ml of concentration sulphuric acid (*d*_{1.84}) contained in a 250 ml conical flask. Swirl the mixture occasionally to ensure through mixing. The first portion of the enamine dissolve rather slowly but solution occurs more rapidly with later portions as the temperature of the mixture increase to 60 – 70 °C. When addition is complete, heat the mixture on water-bath at 100° for 5 hr, then cool the brown solution at room temperature and cautiously pour into ice-water (200 ml) in 1-liter baker. Basify the resulting solution by adding solid sodium carbonate, and filter off then cool the mixture in an ice-water bath until the precipitated product from 60 % aqueous ethanol to afford compounds (XV - XXII) see scheme 3.

(E)-6-chloro-3-((4-chlorophenyl) diazenyl)-2,4-dimethylquinoline (XV)

Color: yellow, yield: 86 %, m.p.: 113-115 °C, M.W.: 330.21, Rf.: 0.81, IR (KBr, cm⁻¹): 3078 (Ar-C-H) 1600 (C=O), 1521 (C=N), 1415 (C=C), 1303 (-N=N-) 1307 (-N=N-), 1184 (C-N), 1415 (C-CH₃), 769 (C-Cl). UV, λ_{max} (EtOH 60 %): 203, 241, 310, 357. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO, δ, ppm): 2.43(s, 3H, CH₃), 3.35 (s, 3H, CH₃), 7.15 (d, 2H, H-Ar), 7.18 (d, 2H, H-Ar), 7.22 (s, 1H, CH quinoline), 7.47 (d, 1H, CH quinoline), 7.60 (d, 1H, CH quinoline). MS (EI, *m/z* (%)): 325.90 (M⁺, 4.46), 314.03 (M⁺+1-C₁₆H₁₀Cl₂N₃, 4.44), 271.10 (M⁺+2 - C₁₅H₁₂ClN₃, 2.66), 111.00 (M⁺-C₆H₄Cl, 33.27), 192.03 (M⁺-C₉H₁₁ClN, 5.35), 178.03 (M⁺- C₉H₇ClN₂, 9.48).

(E)-3-((4-chlorophenyl) diazenyl)-2,4,6-trimethylquinoline (XVI)

Color: yellow, yield: 79 %, m.p.: 97-99 °C, M.W.: 309.80, Rf.: 0.79, IR (KBr, cm⁻¹): 1650 (C=N), 1589 (C=C), 1172 (C-N), 1274 (-N=N-), 1431 (C-CH₃), 831 (C-Cl). UV, λ_{max} (EtOH 60 %): 205, 234, 334. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO, δ, ppm): 2.36 (t, 6H, CH₃), 2.48 (s, 3H, CH₃), 7.17 (d, 2H, H-Ar), 7.18 (d, 2H, H-Ar), 7.40 – 7.43 (m, 3H, H -Ar), 7.52 (t, 1H, H-Ar), 7.68 (d, 1H, H-Ar). MS (EI, *m/z* (%)): 309.95 ([M⁺+2], 0.48), 308.95 ([M⁺+1], 0.34), 256.06 (M⁺- C₁₄H₁₁ClN₃, 0.45), 120.05 ([M⁺+2], C₇H₆N₃, 100.00), 111.00 (M⁺-C₆H₄Cl, 17.72), 99.00 (M⁺-C₃H₄Cl, 34.92), 92.05 ([M⁺+2] - C₇H₆, 49.79).

(E)-2,4-dimethyl-3-((4-sulfamoylphenyl) diazenyl) quinoline-6-sulfonamide (XVII)

Color: orange, yield: 51 %, m.p.: 222-224 °C, M.W.: 419.37, Rf.: 0.69, IR (KBr, cm⁻¹): 1596 (C=N), 1514 (C=C), 1317 (-N=N-), 3342-3257 (NH₂), 1423 (C-CH₃), 1149 (Ar-C-N). UV, λ_{max} (EtOH 60 %): 209, 257, 363. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO, δ, ppm): 2.45 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.51 (s, 3H, CH₃), 6.85 (s, 4H, 2NH₂ sulfonamide), 7.73-7.79 (m, 4H, H-Ar), 7.68 (d, 1H, CH quinoline), 7.71 (d, 1H, CH quinoline), 7.85 (s, 1H, CH quinoline). MS (EI, *m/z* (%)): 418.06 (M⁺), 403.05 ([M⁺+1], 1.58), 249.90 (M⁺+1, C₁₁H₁₁N₃O₂S, 9.77), 171.95 ([M⁺+1], C₆H₆N₂O₂S, 36.46), 236.00 ([M⁺+1], C₁₁H₁₁N₂O₂S, 2.01), 184.95 ([M⁺+1], C₆H₆N₃O₂S, 7.94), 250.90 (M⁺ - C₁₁H₁₂N₃O₂S, 2.41).

(E)-6-bromo-3-((4-bromophenyl) diazenyl)-2,4-dimethylquinoline (XVIII)

Color: dark brown, yield: 90 %, m.p.: 163-165 °C, M.W.: 419.12, Rf.: 0.82, IR (KBr, cm⁻¹): 3033 (Ar-C-H), 2918 (C-H), 1618 (C=N), 1494 (C=C), 1186 (C-N), 1236 (-N=N-), 622 (C-Br). UV, λ_{max} (EtOH 60 %): 206, 236. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO, δ, ppm): 2.37 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.87 (s, 3H, CH₃), 7.23 (q, 2H, H-Ar), 7.87 (q, 2H, H-Ar), 8.13-8.41 (q, 2H, CH quinoline), 9.14 (s, 1H, CH quinoline). MS (EI, *m/z* (%)): 420.00 (M⁺, 2.64), 405.00 ([M⁺+4], C₁₆H₁₀Br₂N₃, 2.77), 342.00 ([M⁺+4], C₁₇H₁₃BrN₃, 3.32), 237.00 ([M⁺+4], C₁₁H₉BrN, 3.68), 186.00 ([M⁺+4], C₆H₄BrN₂, 7.13), 313.00 264.00 ([M⁺+2] - C₁₁H₉BrN₃, 2.49), (M⁺ -C₁₅H₁₂BrN₃, 5.22).

(E)-2, 4,6-trimethyl-3-(phenyldiazenyl)quinoline (XIX)

Color: yellow, yield: 78 %, m.p.: 261-263 °C, M.W.: 275.63, Rf.: 0.66, IR (KBr, cm⁻¹): 3056 (Ar-C-H), 1637 (C=N), 1517 (C=C), 1190 (C-N), 1315 (-N=N-), 1438 (C-CH₃). UV, λ_{max} (EtOH 60 %): 203, 247, 363. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO, δ, ppm): 2.31 (t, 6H, CH₃), 2.43 (s, 3H, CH₃), 7.03 (t, H, H-Ar), 7.49 (d, 2H, H-Ar), 7.25 (t, 2H, H -Ar), 7.51(m, 1H, 1H, CH quinoline), 7.58 (m, 1H, 1H, CH quinoline), 7.66 (t, 1H, 1H, CH quinoline). MS (EI, *m/z* (%)): 276.10 (M⁺, 2.36), 262.10 ([M⁺+2]- C₁₇H₁₄N₃, 6.86), 224.00 ([M⁺+2], C₁₄H₁₂N₃, 2.71), 200.00 ([M⁺+2], C₁₂H₁₂N₃, 20.03), 77.05 (M⁺ - C₆H₅, 76.24), 170.90 (M⁺-C₁₂H₁₂N, 34.58), 91.05 (M⁺ - C₆H₅N, 59.46), 105.05 ([M⁺ - C₆H₅N₂, 35.27), 65.00 (M⁺ - C₄H₃N, 100.00).

(E)-1-(2,4-dimethyl-3-(phenyldiazenyl) quinoline-6-yl) ethan-1-one (XX)

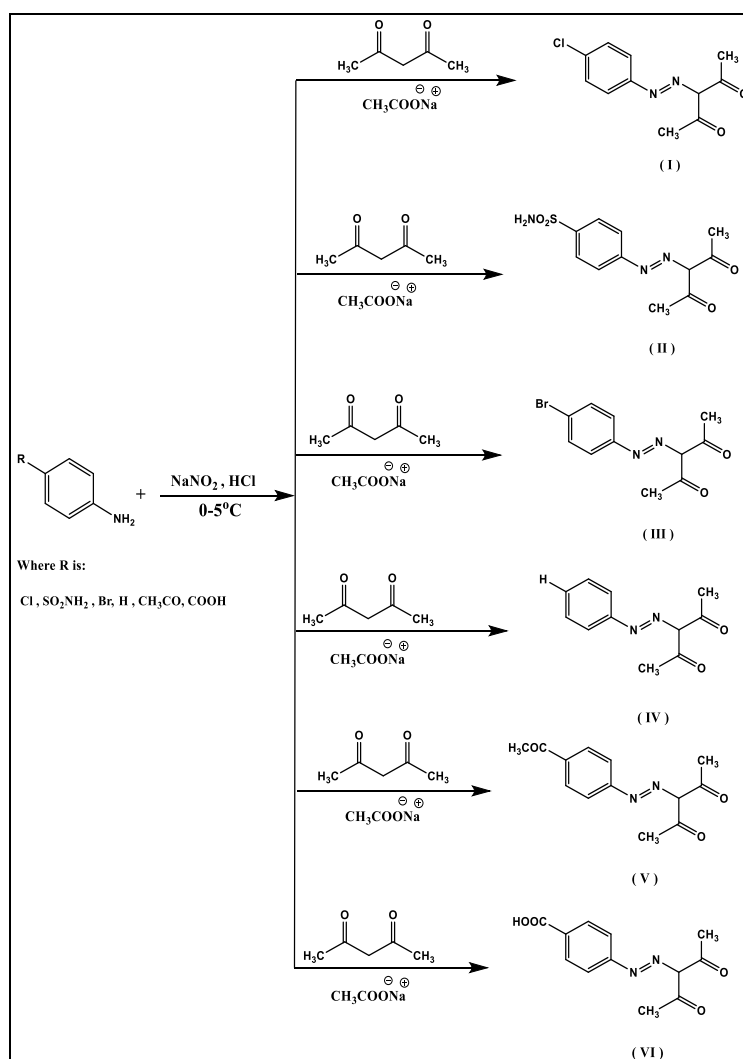
Color: green yellow, yield: 84 %, m.p.: 117-119 °C, M.W.: 303.37, Rf.: 0.75, IR (KBr, cm⁻¹): 1645 (C=O), 1519 (C=N), 1420 (C=C), 1272 (-N=N-), 1176 (C-N), 1433 (C-CH₃). UV, λ_{max} (EtOH 60 %): 204, 235, 320. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO, δ, ppm): 2.31 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.43 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.48 (s, 3H, -OCH₃), 7.48 (q, 2H, H-Ar), 7.50 (q, 2H, H-Ar), 7.63 (m, 2H, H-Ar), 7.64 (d, 1H, CH quinoline), 7.66 (d, 1H, CH quinoline), 7.68 (s, 1H, CH quinoline). MS (EI, m/z (%)): 303.00 (M⁺), 304.00 ([M⁺+1], 1.15), 305.00 ([M⁺+1], 1.07), 237.00 ([M⁺+2]-C₁₅H₁₃N₃, 1.41), 146.00 ([M⁺+2]-C₉H₈N₂, 5.77), 95.05 ([M⁺+1]-C₆H₅N, 55.71), 120.05 (M⁺-C₈H₆O, 100.00), 251.00 (M⁺-C₁₅H₁₃N₃O, 3.76), 185.00 (M⁺-C₁₁H₁₁N₃, 2.48).

(E)-1-(4-((6-acetyl-2,4-dimethylquinoline-3-yl) diazenyl) phenyl) ethan-1-one (XXI)

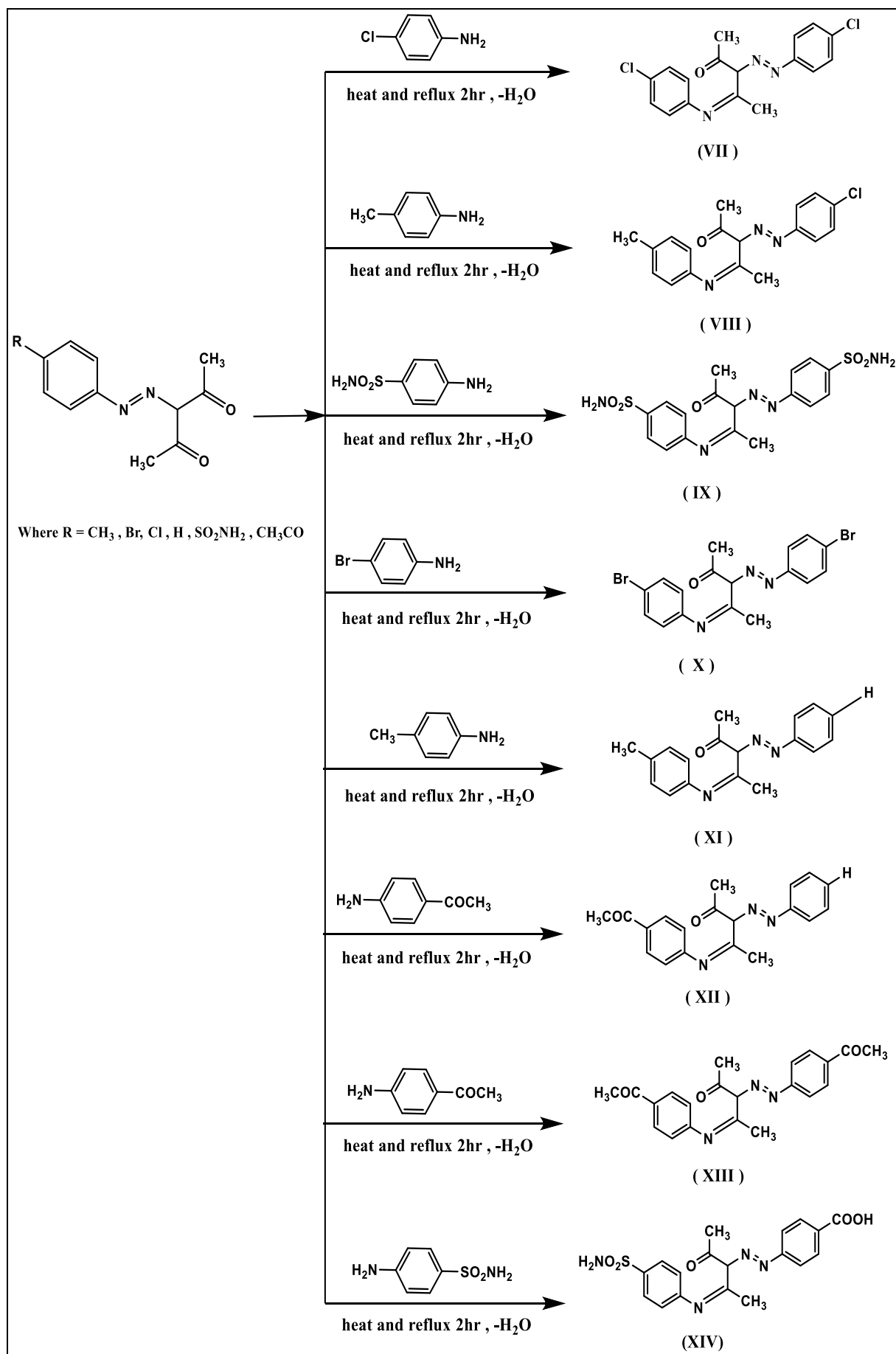
Color: brown, yield: 62 %, m.p.: 141-143 °C, M.W.: 345.40, Rf.: 0.69, Rf.: 0.83, IR (KBr, cm⁻¹): 3997(Ar-C-H), 1674 (C=O), 1596 (C=N), 1504 (C=C), 1261 (-N=N-), 1153 (C-N), 1357 (C-CH₃). UV, λ_{max} (EtOH 60 %): 241, 271, 369. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO, δ, ppm): 2.31 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.43 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.48 (s, 3H, -OCH₃), 7.59 (q, 2H, H-Ar), 7.64 (q, 2H, H-Ar), 7.95 (d, 1H, CH quinoline), 7.99 (d, 1H, CH quinoline), 8.00 (s, 1H, CH quinoline). MS (EI, m/z (%)): 345.00 ([M⁺], 3.38), 346.00 ([M⁺+1], 3.04), 347.00 ([M⁺+2], 3.88), 149.05 ([M⁺+2]-C₈H₇N₂O, 14.96), 57.05 ([M⁺+1]-C₃H₄O, 100.00), 320.00 ([M⁺+1]-C₁₉H₁₇N₃O₂, 5.83), 160.00 ([M⁺+1]-C₁₀H₉NO, 9.80), 106.00 ([M⁺+1]-C₆H₅N₂, 53.51), 276.00 (M⁺-C₁₇H₁₄N₃O, 5.54), 264.00 (M⁺-C₁₆H₁₄N₃O, 5.30).

(E)-4-((2,4-dimethyl-6-sulfamoylquinoline-3-yl) diazenyl) benzoic acid (XXII)

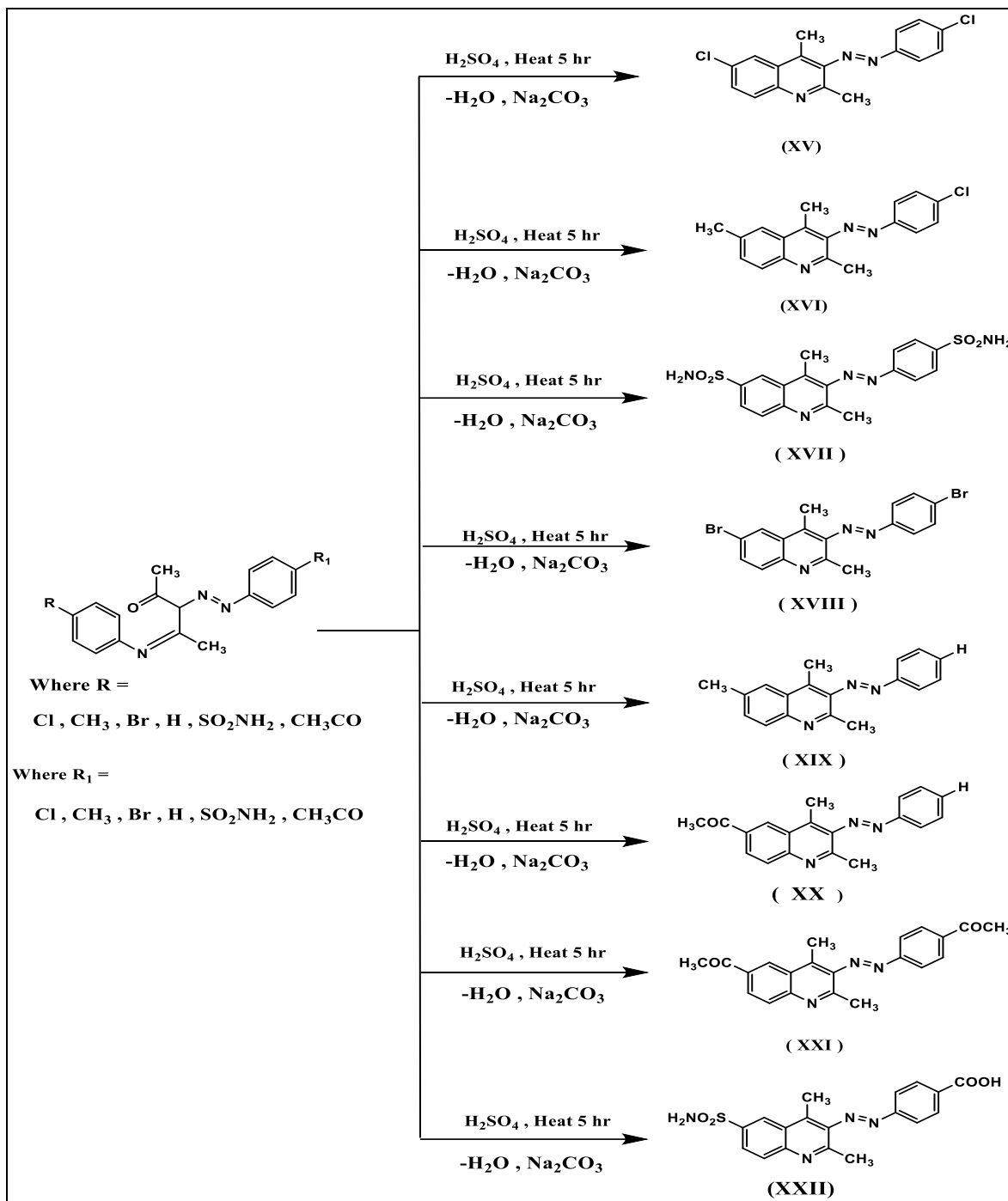
Color: pall brown, yield: 89 %, m.p.: 170-173 °C, M.W.: 384.41, Rf.: 0.69, Rf.: 0.78, IR (KBr, cm⁻¹): 1600 (C=O), 1552 (C=N), 1512 (C=C), 1309 (-N=N-), 1151 (C-N), 1392 (C-CH₃), 3369-3269 (NH₂), 1095 (S=O), 3461 (O-H). UV, λ_{max} (EtOH 60 %): 209, 260, 366. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO, δ, ppm): 2.31(s, 3H, CH₃), 2.43 (s, 3H, CH₃), 5.78 (s, 2H, NH₂), 7.73-7.09 (d, 2H, H-Ar), 7.27 (d, 2H, H-Ar), 7.44 (d, 1H, CH quinoline), 7.48 (d, 1H, CH quinoline), 7.84 (s, 1H, CH quinoline), 8.94 (s, 1H, COOH). MS (EI, m/z (%)): 384.08 (M⁺), 307.00 ([M⁺+2], C₁₃H₁₁N₃O₄, 1.39), 316.95 ([M⁺+2], C₁₇H₁₅N₄O₂S, 2.54), 307.00 ([M⁺+2]-C₁₃H₁₁N₃O₄S, 1.39), 289.00 ([M⁺+1], C₁₃H₁₂N₄O₂S, 1.16), 189.00 ([M⁺+1]-C₁₀H₈N₂O₂, 32.78), 264.00 ([M⁺+1], C₁₁H₁₁N₄O₂S, 32.78).



Scheme 1: chemical structure of (E)-3-((4-substitutedphenyl) diazenyl)pentane-2,4-dione (I-VI)



Scheme 2: chemical structure of (Z)-3-((E)-(4-substituted phenyl) diazenyl)-4-((4-substituted phenyl) imino)pentan-2-one (VII – XIV)



Scheme 3: chemical structure of (*E*)-6-substituted-3-((4-substitutedphenyl) Diazenyl)-2,4-dimethylquinoline derivatives (XV – XXII)

Result and Discussion

The objective of the present study is to have synthesized quinoline derivatives by Combs reaction in three steps. The first step involves diazonium coupling reaction which is generally considered to proceed with an intermediate formation of (*E*)-3-((4-substitutedphenyl)diazenyl) pentane-2,4-dione derivatives (I-VI) (Scheme 1), then condensation to a (*Z*)-3-((*E*)-(4-substituted phenyl) diazenyl)-4-((4-substitutedphenyl)imino)pentan-2-one derivatives (VII-XIV) (Scheme 2) followed by elimination of a water molecule and cyclisation of the resulting by the heating and elimination of water in present Sulphuric acid to afford final compounds (*E*)-6-substituted-3-((4-substitutedphenyl)diazenyl)-2,4-dimethyl quinoline derivatives (XV-XXII) (Scheme 3).

The starting product structure of quinoline in this study has been synthesized by combs reaction which is treatment *p*-substituted aniline with acetyl acetone in presence of sodium nitrite, sodium acetate, hydrochloric acid and ethanol to yielded (*E*)-3-((4-substitutedphenyl)diazenyl) pentane-2,4-dione derivatives (I-VI) (Scheme 1) (Thakare *et al.*, 2012) [10].

The (*Z*)-3-((*E*)-(4-substituted phenyl) diazenyl)-4-((4-substituted phenyl) imino) pentan-2-one derivatives (VII-XIV) were obtained in good yields by condensation of the (*E*)-3-((4-substitutedphenyl)diazenyl) pentane-2,4-dione derivatives (I-VI) with 4-substitutedaniline in present Calcium Sulphate, heat and dissolved mixture in

ether (Scheme 2). The treatment of (Z)-3-((E)-(4-substituted phenyl) diazenyl)-4-((4-substituted phenyl) imino) pentan-2-one derivatives (VII-XIV) with the Sulphuric acid in base medium (Na_2CO_3) as Catalyst to yielded the final compounds (E)-6-substituted-3-((4-substituted phenyl) diazenyl)-2,4-dimethyl quinoline derivatives (XV-XXII) (Scheme 3).

The structure of the above compounds (I -XIV) Scheme 1 and 2 was mentioned by TLC and confirmed by IR spectral data, but the structure of compounds (XV-XXII) Scheme 3 were confirmed by analytical spectral data IR, UV, NMR, MS spectra. The spectrum formation of compounds I, II, III, IV, V and VI (Scheme 1) was confirmed by the peak at $\sim 3350\text{ cm}^{-1}$ in IR spectrum which is due to the NH stretching of hydrazinylidene. A band at $\sim 1670\text{ cm}^{-1}$ is due to C=O stretch of the ketone group, the band for C=N in diazenyl group show at $\sim 1580\text{ cm}^{-1}$, the C=C of aromatic group appeared in $\sim 1480\text{ cm}^{-1}$, the C-Cl group appeared in $\sim 769\text{ cm}^{-1}$, and the C-Br group appeared in $\sim 622\text{ cm}^{-1}$.

The structure of all (Z)-3-((E)-(4-substituted phenyl) diazenyl)-4-((4-substituted phenyl) imino) pentan-2-one derivatives (VII-XIV) (Scheme 2) were confirmed by using FT-IR spectroscopy. It showed several characteristic sharp bands in the IR region, where the bands in the range between $1644\text{--}1665\text{ cm}^{-1}$ indicated the appearance of the carbonyl C=O group of the formed ketone, which was conjugated to hydrogen bond. The absorption bands at $1460\text{--}1578\text{ cm}^{-1}$ due the aromatic C=C group.

The IR Spectra of (E)-6-substituted-3-((4-substituted phenyl) diazenyl)-2,4-dimethyl quinoline (XIV-XXI) (Scheme 3) was confirmed by the peak at $\sim 3200\text{ cm}^{-1}$ in IR spectrum which is due to the aromatic C-H, The band for C=N in aromatic ring show at $\sim 1580\text{ cm}^{-1}$, the C=C of aromatic group appeared in $\sim 1480\text{ cm}^{-1}$, the C-Cl group appeared in $\sim 880\text{ cm}^{-1}$, and the C-Br group appeared in $\sim 780\text{ cm}^{-1}$, and the band --N=N-- in diazenyl group showed in $\sim 1167\text{ cm}^{-1}$.

Ultra violet spectroscopy (UV) is the technique provides information about compounds with conjugated double bonds. The UV-V is spectra of Synthesis of (E)-6-substituted-3-((4-substituted phenyl) diazenyl)-2,4-dimethylquinoline (XV – XXII) recorded in 60% ethanol. The λ_{max} values of all synthesized compounds are absorption band positions broadly lie between $234\text{--}366\text{ nm}$ assignable to $\pi\text{--}\pi^*$ transitions due to the conjugated in quinoline moiety.

$^1\text{HNMR}$ tool of the NMR technique used in structure determination of the unknown molecules. It give information about the number, and the magnetic environment of the each proton found the unknown molecule. The results were in δ value (ppm), on which the resonance of the proton in DMSO, all compounds have the same structure but different in the substituent (R, R₁). The $^1\text{HNMR}$ spectra of the synthesized quinoline derivatives (XV-XXII). All synthesized compounds (XV, XVI, XVII, XVIII, XIX, XX, XXI, XXII) have three protons of methyl group (--CH_3) appeared as single (s) peak at the $2.31\text{--}2.87\text{ ppm}$, and their aromatic protons in different environment were appeared at expected region and the bound of them was tabulated in table (2.20). Compounds (XV, XVII, XVIII, XIX, XX, XXI, XXII) appeared CH- quinoline protons as single, doublet, multiplied between range ($7.99\text{--}9.14$) ppm.

XX, XXI compounds exhibit two single (s) peak at 2.53 ppm and 2.51 ppm characteristic of acetyl group ($\text{CH}_3\text{CO--}$ link with aromatic ring. Six protons of three amino group (3NH_2) attached to XVII and XXII observed as single peak at $5.78\text{--}6.85\text{ ppm}$. Compound XVII have one proton of carboxylic acid group (--COOH) which is appeared as single (s) peak at 8.94 ppm . Mass spectra of all synthesized compounds (XV- XXII) appear peaks $[\text{M}^+]$, $[\text{M}^++1]$, $[\text{M}^++2]$, $[\text{M}^++3]$ and $[\text{M}^++4]$ and these were consistent with product structures. The M+1 and M+2 isotopes peaks was observed in compounds (XVII - XXII). M+1 occur due to the presence of isotopes ^2H , ^{13}C . M+2 the isotope peak of one halogen atom (Cl) in compounds (XVI). Compounds XV, XVIII showing M+4 isotopes peak due to these compounds have two halogen atoms (Cl or Br).

Conclusion

Quinoline its very importance heterocyclic compound established literature review in the biological activity, and their derivatives considerable subject of many research studies used to build other compounds due their wide prevalence biological activities. In this manuscript, we have synthesized of some new (E)-6-substituted-3-((4-substituted phenyl) diazenyl)-2,4-dimethyl quinoline derivatives as the gist with good synthesized. The identities of synthesized compounds used spectral data such as (IR, UV, $^1\text{HNMR}$, and mass spectroscopy). The importance of such study lies synthesis of (E)-3-((4-substituted phenyl) diazenyl) pentane-2,4-dione derivatives (I-VI) (Scheme 1) which could be helpful chemist to synthesis other heterocyclic compounds have many importance.

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