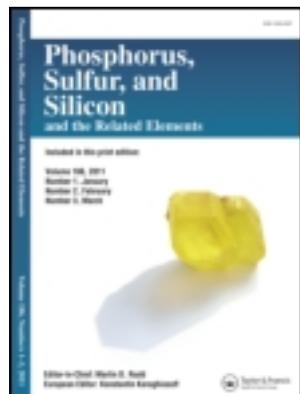


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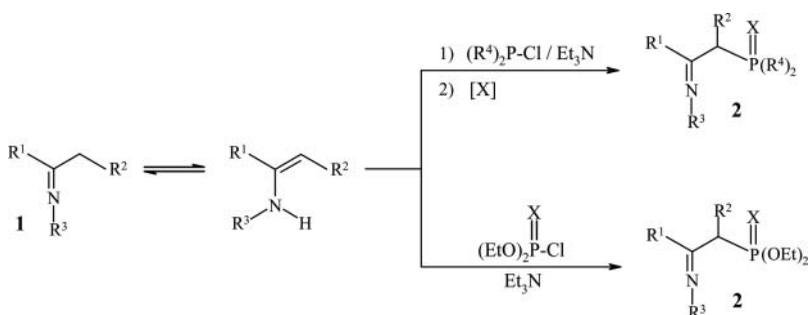
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GRAPHICAL ABSTRACT



Abstract Two synthetic methods leading to β -iminophosphonates, phosphineoxides, and sulfides **2** are reported. The first method involves the reaction of imines with chlorophosphines and phosphites followed by oxidation or sulfurization. The second one utilizes the reaction of imines with diethylchlorophosphate and thiophosphate. The stereochemistry of the obtained products is discussed, and their structure is confirmed by NMR (1H , ^{31}P , ^{13}C) and IR spectroscopies, and by mass spectrometry.

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Keywords Imines; β -iminophosphineoxides; β -iminophosphinesulfides; β -iminophosphonates

INTRODUCTION

An increasing interest has been paid for several years to the synthesis of β -iminophosphonates.^{1–6} Such interest has been stimulated by their utility as key intermediates

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in the synthesis of β -aminophosphonates,^{1-5,7} which are known for their interesting biological activities as antibacterial agents,⁸ enzyme inhibitors,⁹ haptens for catalytic antibodies,¹⁰ and anti-HIV agents.¹¹

β -Iminophosphonates are commonly obtained by the reaction of amines with β -ketophosphonates, which are difficult to synthesize.^{4,6,12} Another approach,¹³⁻¹⁷ but leading to β -iminophosphines, involves the reaction of lithium salts of imines with chlorophosphines. The phosphorus(III) derivatives obtained are unstable and cannot be widely used in further syntheses. Also, the reaction is limited by a competitive N-phosphorylation process affording N-phosphorus-substituted enamines.

This prompted us to develop new, simple, one-pot methodologies for the synthesis of β -iminophosphonates, phosphineoxides, and sulfides, which use easily made imines directly, instead of their lithium salts, and commercially available chlorophosphines, phosphites, or phosphates as starting materials. These new syntheses have the advantages of good yields, stable products, and mild reaction conditions; besides no competitive N-phosphorylation process was observed in all cases.

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

For the synthesis of β -iminophosphonates, phosphineoxides, and sulfides **2**, we have used two different approaches. The first one (Method A) involves the reaction of imines with chlorophosphines and phosphites followed by oxidation or sulfurization. The second method (Method B) utilizes the reaction of imines with diethylchlorophosphate and thiophosphate.

Method A: Reaction of Imines with Chlorophosphines and Phosphites

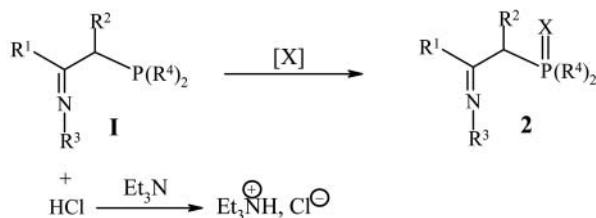
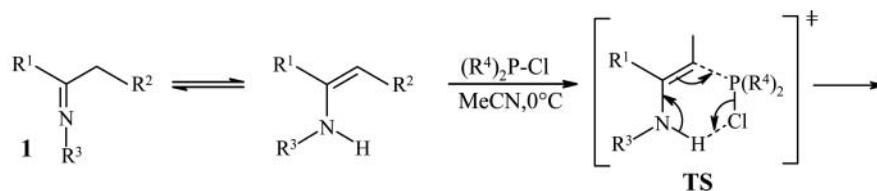
Treatment of imines **1** with chlorophosphines and phosphites, performed in acetonitrile at 0°C in the presence of an equimolar amount of triethylamine, led to the formation of the phosphine intermediate **I** (Scheme 1). A subsequent oxidation or sulfurization carried out, in a one-pot reaction, by treating respectively with dimethylsulfoxide (DMSO) under reflux or with elemental sulfur at 40°C, furnished the β -iminophosphonates, phosphineoxides, and sulfides **2** in good yields.

Based on some data in the literature¹⁸ concerning the reactivity of imines with electrophilic agents, we can propose the reaction mechanism of Scheme 1, which involves a six-membered cyclic transition state **TS**. This allows the hydrogen on the nitrogen atom to be transferred concertedly and avoids the formation of charged intermediates that are high in energy.

In order to obtain a better perspective on the reaction mechanism, we carried out a theoretical *ab initio* SCF/6-31G calculation, which established that the reaction proceeds through a six-membered cyclic transition state having a compact structure stabilized by MO interactions (Figure 1).

Method B: Reaction of Imines with Diethylchlorophosphate and Thiophosphate

Similar to the reaction of chlorophosphines and phosphites, we found that chlorophosphates and thiophosphates can also react with imines **1** in the presence of



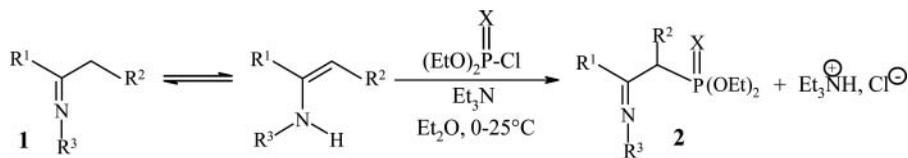
	2a	2b	2c	2d	2e	2f
R ¹	Ph	Ph	Ph	Et	Et	
R ²	H	H	H	H	H	(CH ₂) ₃
R ³	CH ₂ -Ph	Ph	CH ₂ -Ph	CH ₂ -Ph	CH ₂ -Ph	CH ₂ -Ph
R ⁴	Ph	EtO	EtO	Ph	Ph	EtO
X	O	O	S	S	O	S
Yield(%)	78	72	80	68	71	76

	2g	2h	2i	2j	2k
R ¹					
R ²	(CH ₂) ₃	(CH ₂) ₄			
R ³	CH ₂ -Ph	CH ₂ -Ph	iPr	CH ₂ -Ph	CH ₂ -Ph
R ⁴	EtO	Ph	EtO	EtO	Ph
X	O	S	S	O	O
Yield(%)	85	80	82	91	73

Scheme 1

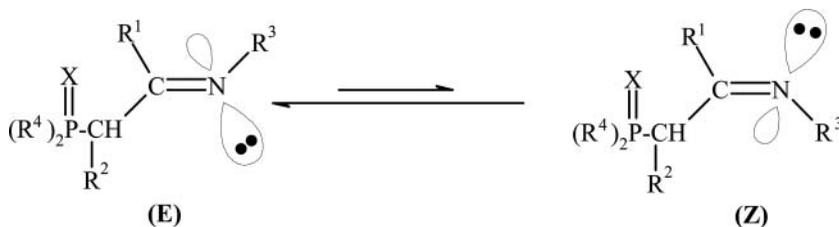
an equimolar amount of triethylamine and using diethylether as solvent to afford the β -iminophosphonates and phosphinesulfides **2** in good yields (Scheme 2).

It is important to note that all compounds **2**, synthesized by methods A and B, are obtained exclusively in their imine form. Indeed, the reaction did not afford any identifiable enamine tautomer for compounds **2**, as evidenced by spectroscopic data.



	2b	2c	2g	2i
R ¹	Ph	Ph		
R ²	H	H	(CH ₂) ₃	(CH ₂) ₄
R ³	Ph	CH ₂ -Ph	CH ₂ -Ph	iPr
X	O	S	O	S
Yield(%)	83	65	80	71
	2j	2l	2m	2n
R ¹		Et	Ph	
R ²	(CH ₂) ₄	H	H	(CH ₂) ₄
R ³	CH ₂ -Ph	CH ₂ -Ph	CH ₂ -Ph	CH ₂ -Ph
X	O	O	O	S
Yield(%)	75	70	67	78

Scheme 2



Scheme 3

Table 2 ^{13}C NMR for compounds **2**: δ in ppm (J_{CP} in Hz)

	2a	2b	2c	2d	2e	2f	2g
C_1	26.1 (71.6)	20.8 (52.1; Z) 45.5 (67.9; E)	39.8 (44.3; Z) 46.5 (70.9; E)	44.4 (71.0)	30.7 (38.6)	63.3 (99.6; Z) 63.4 (98.9; E)	42.3 (109.4)
C_2	141.1	151.3 (Z) 154.7 (E)	150.7 (Z) 157.8 (E)	145.0	142.7	162.8 (Z) 160.2 (E)	157.4
C_3	—	—	—	45.3	45.0	33.7 (Z) 32.7 (E)	36.3 (18.1)
C_4	—	—	—	8.1	7.8	22.7 (Z) 23.1 (E)	19.4
C_5	—	—	—	—	—	30.3 (Z) 28.6 (E)	23.4
C_6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
C_7	42.8	—	39.4 (Z) 42.6 (E)	42.5	42.4	45.5	43.4
C_8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
C_9	—	65.0 (3.0; Z) 62.4 (4.5; E)	62.9 (4.5; Z) 66.2 (3.8; E)	—	—	62.6 (4.5; Z) 61.5 (6.0; E)	60.3 (6.0)
C_{10}	—	15.5 (8.3; Z) 15.9 (7.5; E)	16.0 (8.3; Z) 15.7 (7.5; E)	—	—	15.7 (7.5; Z) 16.2 (8.3; E)	14.3 (6.8)
C_{11}	127.7–137.8*	117.4–133.0	117.3–137.5	127.0–137.6	127.1–136.6	125.1–135.1	124.0–131.9
	2h	2i	2j	2k	2l	2m	2n
C_1	51.6 (92.1)	44.2 (126.0)	54.6 (184.0)	73.9 (81.7)	33.5 (123.8)	43.9 (67.2)	41.0 (125.7; Z) 57.0 (172.7; E)
C_2	143.8	136.6	140.4	136.4	168.6	155.9	158.0 (Z) 152.6 (E)
C_3	42.2 (18.0)	42.6 (14.3)	41.2 (18.1)	30.9 (4.7)	46.0	—	41.5 (15.8; Z) 29.0 (9.8; E)
C_4	23.9	24.3	24.5	25.0	8.5	—	23.7 (Z) 24.4 (E)
C_5	36.1 (15.5)	24.1 (14.3)	25.7 (18.1)	20.1 (9.7)	—	—	26.1 (6.8)
C_6	27.2	25.0	25.6	27.0	—	—	27.6 (Z) 27.3 (E)
C_7	45.1	40.9	44.7	42.0	44.8	41.6	45.1 (Z) 45.7 (E)
C_8	—	26.0	—	—	—	—	—
C_9	—	61.5 (5.3)	61.2 (6.0)	—	61.8 (5.3)	60.4 (5.3)	62.1 (5.3; Z) 65.7 (6.8; E)
C_{10}	—	14.9 (6.8)	15.7 (7.5)	—	15.7 (8.3)	14.4 (9.8)	15.5 (8.3; Z) 15.2 (8.0; E)
C_{11}	127.5–134.4	—	126.0–129.1	127.5–132.6	123.4–129.8	124.2–131.7	124.8–131.1

*For aromatic ^{13}C NMR individual signals, see the Experimental section.

resonates at a higher field when it is in syn position to the group on nitrogen atom (R^3 in our case).

EXPERIMENTAL

^1H , ^{31}P , and ^{13}C NMR spectra were recorded with CDCl_3 as solvent on a Bruker-300 spectrometer. The chemical shifts are reported in ppm relative to TMS (internal reference) for ^1H and ^{13}C NMR and relative to 85% H_3PO_4 (external reference) for ^{31}P NMR. The coupling constants are reported in Hz. For the ^1H NMR, the multiplicities of signals are indicated by the following abbreviations: s: singlet, d: doublet, t: triplet, q: quartet, qp: quintet, m: multiplet.

Mass spectra were determined on a Micromass Quatro-ultima Pt (triple quadrupole) spectrometer under electrospray ionization (ESI) conditions, or on a GCMSD 5975B (Agilent technologies) spectrometer under electronic impact ionization (EI) conditions.

IR spectra were recorded in CHCl_3 , on a Perkin Elmer Paragon 1000 PC spectrometer. The progress of the reactions was controlled by TLC. Purification of products was performed by column chromatography using silica gel 60 (Fluka).

Synthesis of Imines 1

The starting imines **1** were prepared according to reported procedures.^{23–25}

Synthesis of β -Iminophosphonates, Phosphineoxides, and Sulfides 2

Method A. To a mixture of imine **1** (0.01 mol), triethylamine (0.012 mol), and dry MeCN (50 mL), cooled at 0°C and maintained under a nitrogen atmosphere, a solution of chlorophosphine or phosphite (0.01 mol) in dry MeCN (30 mL) was added dropwise with stirring. Stirring at 0°C was continued for 1 h. The reaction mixture was then treated with DMSO or sulfur as follows:

Oxidation. DMSO (0.01 mol) was added, and the mixture was heated under reflux for 2 h. After cooling, CHCl_3 (50 mL) was added. The organic phase was washed with water (2×25 mL), dried over Na_2SO_4 , and concentrated in vacuo. The residue obtained was chromatographed on a silica gel column using ether as eluent.

Sulfurization. Sulfur (0.01 mol) was added, and the mixture was heated at 40°C for 30 min. After cooling, CHCl_3 (50 mL) was added. The organic phase was washed with water (2×25 mL), dried over Na_2SO_4 , and concentrated in vacuo. The residue obtained was chromatographed on a silica gel column using ether as eluent.

Method B. To a mixture of imine **1** (0.01 mol), triethylamine (0.012 mol), and dry Et_2O (50 mL), cooled at 0°C and maintained under a nitrogen atmosphere, a solution of diethylchlorophosphate or thiophosphate (0.01 mol) in dry Et_2O (10 mL) was added dropwise with stirring. Stirring was continued for 24 h at 25°C . The reaction mixture was then extracted with water (2×25 mL). The organic phase was dried over Na_2SO_4 and concentrated in vacuo. The residue obtained was chromatographed on a silica gel column using ether as eluent.

2a: mp = 265°C ; ^1H NMR: δ = 1.79 (d, 2H, $^2J_{\text{PH}} = 13.6$, $\text{CH}_2\text{-P=O}$); 3.56 (s, 2H, N- CH_2 -Ph); 7.11–7.97(m, 20H, H arom); IR: $\nu_{\text{C=N}} = 1656$ cm^{-1} ; $\nu_{\text{P=O}} = 1252$ cm^{-1} ; ^{13}C NMR for arom-C: δ = 127.7, 127.9, 128.1, 128.2, 128.3, 128.6, 128.7, 129.0, 130.4, 130.6, 130.8, 131.1, 131.2, 132.5, 136.0, 137.8; ESI-MS: $m/z = 427.552$ ($[\text{M}+\text{NH}_4]^+$).

2b: Oil; $^1\text{H NMR}$: $\delta = 1.04$ (t, 6H, $^3J_{\text{HH}} = 6.0$, $\text{CH}_3\text{-CH}_2\text{-O}$; **E**); 1.14 (t, 6H, $^3J_{\text{HH}} = 6.0$, $\text{CH}_3\text{-CH}_2\text{-O}$; **Z**); 2.12 (d, 2H, $^2J_{\text{PH}} = 25.0$, $\text{CH}_2\text{-P=O}$; **Z**); 2.33 (d, 2H, $^2J_{\text{PH}} = 15.0$, $\text{CH}_2\text{-P=O}$; **Z**); 3.88 (qp, 4H; $^3J_{\text{HH}} = ^3J_{\text{PH}} = 6.0$, $\text{CH}_3\text{-CH}_2\text{-O}$; **E**); 4.04 (qp, 4H, $^3J_{\text{HH}} = ^3J_{\text{PH}} = 6.0$, $\text{CH}_3\text{-CH}_2\text{-O}$; **Z**); 6.50–7.80 (m, 10H, H arom); IR: $\nu_{\text{C=N}} = 1642\text{ cm}^{-1}$; $\nu_{\text{P=O}} = 1266\text{ cm}^{-1}$; $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ for arom-C: $\delta = 117.4, 119.5, 121.0, 123.7, 127.8, 128.0, 128.1, 128.3, 128.4, 128.7, 129.1, 129.3, 132.4, 133.0$; ESI-MS: $m/z = 349.428$ ($[\text{M}+\text{NH}_4]^+$).

2c: Oil; $^1\text{H NMR}$: $\delta = 1.10$ (t, 6H, $^3J_{\text{HH}} = 6.0$, $\text{CH}_3\text{-CH}_2\text{-O}$; **Z**); 1.17 (t, 6H, $^3J_{\text{HH}} = 6.0$, $\text{CH}_3\text{-CH}_2\text{-O}$; **E**); 1.28 (d, 2H, $^2J_{\text{PH}} = 9.0$, $\text{CH}_2\text{-P = S}$, **E**); 1.60 (d, 2H, $^2J_{\text{PH}} = 9.0$, $\text{CH}_2\text{-P = S}$; **Z**); 3.92 (qp, 4H, $^3J_{\text{HH}} = ^3J_{\text{PH}} = 6.0$, $\text{CH}_3\text{-CH}_2\text{-O}$; **Z**); 4.06 (qp, 4H, $^3J_{\text{HH}} = ^3J_{\text{PH}} = 6.0$, $\text{CH}_3\text{-CH}_2\text{-O}$; **E**); 6.21 (s, 2H, Ph- CH_2 ; **Z**); 6.23 (s, 2H, Ph- CH_2 ; **E**); 6.99–7.73 (m, 10H, H arom); IR: $\nu_{\text{C=N}} = 1610\text{ cm}^{-1}$; $\nu_{\text{P=S}} = 1100\text{ cm}^{-1}$; $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ for arom-C: $\delta = 117.3, 125.5, 125.7, 125.9, 126.0, 126.9, 127.4, 127.6, 128.1, 128.7, 129.2, 130.9, 137.3, 137.5$; EI-MS: $m/z = 361$ (M^+ , 15%); 345(30%); 332(16%); 270(60%); 91(100%); 77(28%).

2d: Oil; $^1\text{H NMR}$: $\delta = 1.19$ (t, 3H, $^3J_{\text{HH}} = 7.0$, $\text{CH}_3\text{-CH}_2$); 2.05 (d, 2H, $^2J_{\text{PH}} = 35.7$, $\text{CH}_2\text{-P=S}$); 3.04 (q, 2H, $^3J_{\text{HH}} = 7.0$, $\text{CH}_3\text{-CH}_2$); 3.64 (s, 2H, Ph- CH_2); 6.92–8.16 (m, 15H, H arom). IR: $\nu_{\text{C=N}} = 1645\text{ cm}^{-1}$; $\nu_{\text{P=S}} = 1111\text{ cm}^{-1}$; $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ for arom-C: $\delta = 127.0, 127.2, 127.3, 127.6, 128.5, 128.7, 130.2, 130.3, 131.2, 132.8, 136.5, 137.6$; EI-MS: $m/z = 377$ (M^+ , 8%); 286(10%); 217(10%); 160(66%); 91(100%); 77(20%).

2e: Mp = 138°C ; $^1\text{H NMR}$: $\delta = 1.28$ (t, 3H, $^3J_{\text{HH}} = 6.6$, $\text{CH}_3\text{-CH}_2$); 2.22 (d, 2H, $^2J_{\text{PH}} = 47.1$, $\text{CH}_2\text{-P=O}$); 3.02 (q, 2H, $^3J_{\text{HH}} = 6.6$, $\text{CH}_3\text{-CH}_2$); 3.66 (s, 2H, Ph- CH_2); 7.14–7.54 (m, 15H, H arom). IR: $\nu_{\text{C=N}} = 1646\text{ cm}^{-1}$; $\nu_{\text{P=O}} = 1260\text{ cm}^{-1}$; $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ for arom-C: $\delta = 127.1, 127.3, 127.6, 127.7, 127.9, 128.1, 128.2, 128.9, 129.7, 131.2, 134.8, 136.6$; EI-MS: $m/z = 361$ (M^+ , 33%); 270(13%); 201(53%); 160(86%); 91(100%); 77(29%).

2f: Oil; $^1\text{H NMR}$: $\delta = 1.08$ (t, 6H, $^3J_{\text{HH}} = 6.0$, $\text{CH}_3\text{-CH}_2\text{-O}$; **Z**); 1.19 (t, 6H, $^3J_{\text{HH}} = 6.0$, $\text{CH}_3\text{-CH}_2\text{-O}$; **E**); 1.25–3.05 (m, 7H, cyclic H and CH-P=S); 3.79–4.15 (m, 6H, $\text{CH}_3\text{-CH}_2\text{-O}$ and Ph- CH_2); 6.94–7.31 (m, 5H, H arom); IR: $\nu_{\text{C=N}} = 1616\text{ cm}^{-1}$; $\nu_{\text{P=S}} = 1096\text{ cm}^{-1}$; $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ for arom-C: $\delta = 125.1, 125.7, 127.0, 127.7, 128.2, 128.4, 132.9, 135.1$; EI-MS: $m/z = 325$ (M^+ , 25%); 234(16%); 186(60%); 91(100%).

2g: Oil; $^1\text{H NMR}$: $\delta = 1.22$ (t, 6H, $^3J_{\text{HH}} = 6.0$; $\text{CH}_3\text{-CH}_2\text{-O}$); 1.39–3.20 (m, 7H, cyclic H and CH-P=O); 3.98–4.30 (m, 6H, $\text{CH}_3\text{-CH}_2\text{-O}$ and Ph- CH_2); 7.00–7.60 (m, 5H, H arom); IR: $\nu_{\text{C=N}} = 1620\text{ cm}^{-1}$; $\nu_{\text{P=O}} = 1250\text{ cm}^{-1}$; $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ for arom-C: $\delta = 124.0, 125.2, 126.8, 131.9$; EI-MS: $m/z = 309$ (M^+ , 33%); 218(20%); 186(67%); 91(100%).

2h: Oil; $^1\text{H NMR}$: $\delta = 1.50\text{--}3.10$ (m, 9H, cyclic H and CH-P=S); 4.10 (s, 2H, Ph- CH_2); 6.90–8.20 (m, 15H, H arom). IR: $\nu_{\text{C=N}} = 1650\text{ cm}^{-1}$; $\nu_{\text{P=S}} = 1106\text{ cm}^{-1}$; $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ for arom-C: $\delta = 127.5, 127.6, 128.0, 128.4, 128.5, 128.6, 128.7, 131.5, 131.6, 132.0, 133.1, 134.4$; EI-MS: $m/z = 403$ (M^+ , 16%); 312(20%); 217(29%); 186(75%); 91(100%); 77(25%).

2i: Oil; $^1\text{H NMR}$: $\delta = 1.07$ (d, 6H, $^3J_{\text{HH}} = 6.0$, $\text{CH}_3\text{-CH-N}$); 1.22 (t, 6H, $^3J_{\text{HH}} = 6.0$, $\text{CH}_3\text{-CH}_2\text{-O}$); 1.38–2.25 (m, 9H, cyclic H and CH-P=S); 3.36 (m, 1H, $^3J_{\text{HH}} = 6.0$, $\text{CH}_3\text{-CH-N}$); 3.88–4.10 (m, 4H, $\text{CH}_3\text{-CH}_2\text{-O}$); IR: $\nu_{\text{C=N}} = 1632\text{ cm}^{-1}$; $\nu_{\text{P=S}} = 1097\text{ cm}^{-1}$; ESI-MS: $m/z = 292.474$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$).

2j: Oil; $^1\text{H NMR}$: $\delta = 1.18$ (t, 6H, $^3J_{\text{HH}} = 7.2$, $\text{CH}_3\text{-CH}_2\text{-O}$); 1.53–2.28 (m, 9H, cyclic H and CH-P=O); 3.80–4.05 (m, 6H, $\text{CH}_3\text{-CH}_2\text{-O}$ and Ph- CH_2); 7.04–7.30 (m, 5H, H arom); IR: $\nu_{\text{C=N}} = 1631\text{ cm}^{-1}$; $\nu_{\text{P=O}} = 1254\text{ cm}^{-1}$; $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ for arom-C: $\delta = 126.0, 126.7, 127.8, 129.1$; EI-MS: $m/z = 323$ (M^+ , 36%); 232(15%); 186(62%); 91(100%).

2k: Mp = 176°C ; $^1\text{H NMR}$: $\delta = 1.50\text{--}2.50$ (m, 9H, cyclic H and CH-P=O); 5.52 (m, 2H, Ph- CH_2); 7.00–8.30 (m, 15H, H arom); IR: $\nu_{\text{C=N}} = 1664\text{ cm}^{-1}$; $\nu_{\text{P=O}} = 1253\text{ cm}^{-1}$; $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ for arom-C: $\delta = 127.5, 127.6, 127.9, 128.2, 128.4, 128.8, 129.0, 130.0, 130.8, 131.8,$

132.5, 132.6; EI-MS: $m/z = 387(M^+, 19\%); 296(71\%); 201(63\%); 186(90\%); 91(100\%); 77(28\%)$.

2l: Oil; 1H NMR: $\delta = 1.15$ (t, 3H, $^3J_{HH} = 6.0$, $\underline{CH_3-CH_2-C}$); 1.25 (t, 6H, $^3J_{HH} = 6.0$; $\underline{CH_3-CH_2-O}$); 2.18 (d, 2H, $^2J_{PH} = 21.0$, $\underline{CH_2-P=O}$); 3.02 (q, 2H, $^3J_{HH} = 6.0$, $\underline{CH_3-CH_2-C}$); 3.84–4.16 (m, 6H, $\underline{CH_3-CH_2-O}$ and $\underline{Ph-CH_2}$); 7.00–7.62 (m, 5H, H arom). IR: $\nu_{C=N} = 1651\text{ cm}^{-1}$; $\nu_{P=O} = 1265\text{ cm}^{-1}$; ^{13}C NMR for arom-C: $\delta = 123.4, 125.2, 128.6, 129.8$; EI-MS: $m/z = 297(M^+, 14\%); 281(34\%); 268(16\%); 207(67\%); 91(100\%); 77(17\%)$.

2m: Oil; 1H NMR: $\delta = 1.24$ (t, 6H, $^3J_{HH} = 6.0$, $\underline{CH_3-CH_2-O}$); 2.35 (d, 2H, $^2J_{PH} = 30.0$, $\underline{CH_2-P=O}$); 3.85–4.30 (m, 6H, $\underline{CH_3-CH_2-O}$ and $\underline{Ph-CH_2}$); 6.80–8.20 (m, 10H, H arom); IR: $\nu_{C=N} = 1630\text{ cm}^{-1}$; $\nu_{P=O} = 1274\text{ cm}^{-1}$; ^{13}C NMR for arom-C: $\delta = 124.2, 124.6, 125.1, 126.9, 127.4, 127.7, 128.0, 131.5, 131.7$; EI-MS: $m/z = 345(M^+, 20\%); 329(15\%); 254(60\%); 91(100\%); 77(20\%)$.

2n: Oil; 1H NMR: $\delta = 1.14$ (t, 6H, $^3J_{HH} = 6.0$, $\underline{CH_3-CH_2-O, Z}$); 1.25 (t, 6H, $^3J_{HH} = 6.0$, $\underline{CH_3-CH_2-O, E}$); 1.45–3.01 (m, 9H, cyclic H and $\underline{CH-P=S}$); 3.84–4.19 (m, 6H, $\underline{CH_3-CH_2-O}$ and $\underline{Ph-CH_2}$); 7.00–7.57 (m, 5H, H arom); IR: $\nu_{C=N} = 1631\text{ cm}^{-1}$; $\nu_{P=S} = 1096\text{ cm}^{-1}$; ^{13}C NMR for arom-C: $\delta = 124.8, 126.3, 126.7, 127.2, 127.9, 128.3, 130.4, 131.1$; EI-MS: $m/z = 339(M^+, 30\%); 248(12\%); 186(55\%); 91(100\%)$.

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