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Synthesis of Diphosphorus-Substituted Bisamides of Iso- and Terephthalic Acids Containing PCHNC(O) Fragments

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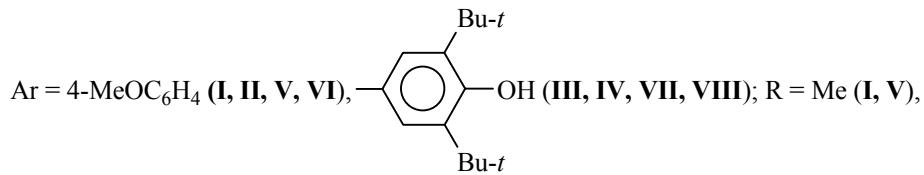
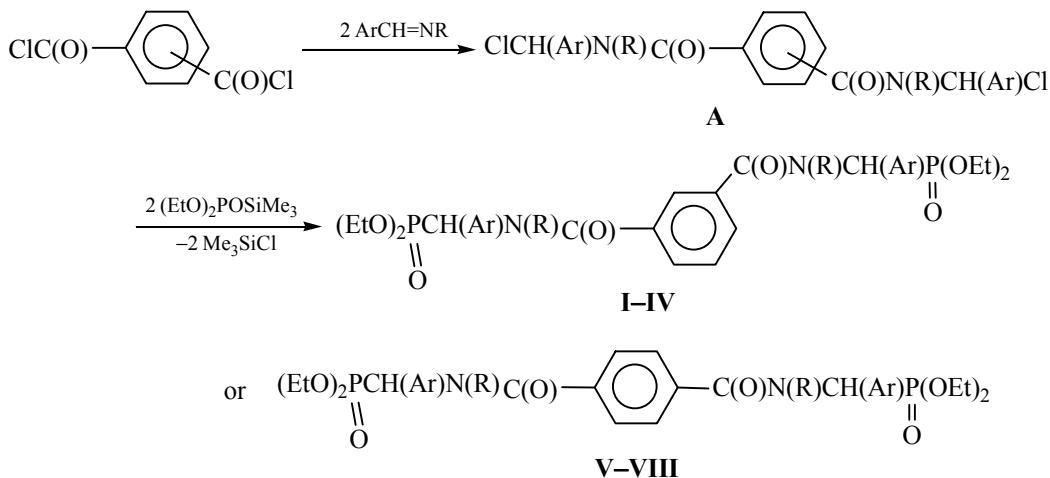
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The phosphorus-substituted amides of carboxylic acids are of great interest as effective ligands and biologically active substances of different action [1]. Recently we suggested convenient methods of synthesis of various phosphorus-substituted amides of carboxylic acids including those containing fragments of 2,6-di-*tert*-butylphenol on the basis of easily available *N*-chloroamides and trimethylsilyl esters of

the trivalent phosphorus acids [2]. In this work the easily available iso- and terephthaloyl chlorides [3] are shown to add readily to different imines in the methylene chloride medium to give intermediates **A** (cf. [4]), which react smoothly with diethyl(trimethylsilyl)phosphate excess under mild conditions, producing diphosphorus-substituted bisamides **I–VIII** in high yields.



The obtained compounds of chelate type **I–VIII** include carbonyl and phosphoryl groups along with the fragments of pyridine and 2,6-di-*tert*-butylphenol. They are of interest as effective polydentate ligands and also as promising antioxidants.

The NMR spectra of compounds **I–VIII** contain characteristic signals of fragments $\text{PC}^1\text{HN}(\text{C}^2)\text{C}^3(\text{O})$ whose parameters are given below. In the ^1H and ^{13}C NMR spectra signals of aromatic fragments of these compounds are partially or fully overlapped. Compounds **I–VIII** consist of two stereoisomers. The content of them was determined by the ^1H and ^{31}P NMR spectroscopy. Only the ^{31}P NMR spectra parameters are given for the Second isomers of compounds **III**, **IV**, **VI**, and **VII** due to the low content of these isomers.

1,3-Bis{N-methyl-N-[4-anisyl(diethoxyphosphoryl)methyl]aminocarbonyl}benzene (I). To a solution of 6 g of anisal(methyl)amine in 15 ml of methylene chloride was dropwise added 4.06 g of isophthaloyl chloride in 10 ml of methylene chloride at 0°C under stirring. After 1 h to this mixture was added a solution of 8.5 g of diethyl(trimethylsilyl)phosphite in 10 ml of methylene chloride. The mixture was stirred for 2 h at 20°C. The solvent was removed, and to the residue was added 3 ml of hexane. This mixture was cooled to –10°C. The solvent was decanted, and the precipitated crystals were kept in a vacuum of 0.5 mm Hg for 1 h. Yield 12.5 g, 89%, mp 59°C. First isomer, content 75%. ^1H NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 6.30 d (C^1H , $^2J_{\text{PH}}$ 24 Hz), 2.78 s (MeN), 3.59 s (MeO). ^{13}C NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 52.42 d (C^1 , $^1J_{\text{PC}}$ 157 Hz), 34.29 (C^2), 170.21 (C^3), 55.03 (MeO), 159.60 ($\text{C}_{\text{Ar}}\text{O}$). ^{31}P NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 20.50. Second isomer: ^1H NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 4.92 d (C^1H , $^2J_{\text{PH}}$ 24 Hz), 2.69 s (MeN), 3.59 s (MeO). ^{13}C NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 59.25 d (C^1 , $^1J_{\text{PC}}$ 155 Hz), 30.81 (C^2), 166.95 (C^3), 55.03 (MeO), 159.60 ($\text{C}_{\text{Ar}}\text{O}$). ^{31}P NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 20.12. Found, %: C 57.78; H 6.49. $\text{C}_{34}\text{H}_{46}\text{N}_2\text{O}_{10}\text{P}_2$. Calculated, %: C 57.95; H 6.58.

1,3-Bis{N-pyrid-2-yl-N-[4-anisyl(diethoxyphosphoryl)methyl]aminocarbonyl}benzene (II). Yield 87%, mp 131°C. First isomer, content 60%. ^1H NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 5.80 d and 5.82 d (C^1H , $^2J_{\text{PH}}$ 20 and 24 Hz), 3.70 s (MeO). ^{13}C NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 50.61 d (C^1 , $^1J_{\text{PC}}$ 155 Hz), 172.10 (C^3), 55.48 (MeO). ^{31}P NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 23.27. Second isomer: ^1H NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 5.26 d and 5.28 d (C^1H , $^2J_{\text{PH}}$ 20 and 24 Hz), 3.70 s (MeO). ^{13}C NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 58.63 d (C^1 , $^1J_{\text{PC}}$ 158 Hz), 172.70 (C^3), 55.39

(MeO). ^{31}P NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 20.74. Found, %: C 60.59; H 5.73. $\text{C}_{42}\text{H}_{48}\text{N}_4\text{O}_{10}\text{P}_2$. Calculated, %: C 60.72; H 5.82.

1,3-Bis{N-phenyl-N-[3,5-di-*tert*-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl(diethoxyphosphoryl)methyl]aminocarbonyl}benzene (III). Yield 86%, mp 65°C. First isomer, content 95%. ^1H NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 4.88 d (C^1H , $^2J_{\text{PH}}$ 20 Hz), 5.70 br.s (OH), 1.42 s (*t*-Bu). ^{13}C NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 54.62 d (C^1 , $^1J_{\text{PC}}$ 151 Hz), 147.97 d (C^2 , $^3J_{\text{PC}}$ 14 Hz), 165.53 (C^3), 153.62 ($\text{C}_{\text{Ar}}\text{OH}$), 30.33 and 34.87 (*t*-Bu). ^{31}P NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 23.67. Second isomer: ^{31}P NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 20.86. Found, %: C 67.81; H 7.54. $\text{C}_{58}\text{H}_{78}\text{N}_2\text{O}_{10}\text{P}_2$. Calculated, %: C 67.95; H 7.67.

1,3-Bis{N-pyrid-2-yl-N-[3,5-di-*tert*-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl(diethoxyphosphoryl)methyl]aminocarbonyl}benzene (IV). Yield 89%, mp 94°C. First isomer, content 95%. ^1H NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 6.39 d (C^1H , $^2J_{\text{PH}}$ 24 Hz), 5.72 br.s (OH), 1.41 s (*t*-Bu). ^{13}C NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 57.61 d (C^1 , $^1J_{\text{PC}}$ 159 Hz), 160.46 (C^2), 165.76 (C^3), 154.10 ($\text{C}_{\text{Ar}}\text{OH}$), 30.33 and 34.87 (*t*-Bu). ^{31}P NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 21.36. Second isomer: ^{31}P NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 21.80. Found, %: C 65.43; H 7.39. $\text{C}_{56}\text{H}_{76}\text{N}_4\text{O}_{10}\text{P}_2$. Calculated, %: C 65.48; H 7.46.

1,4-Bis{N-methyl-N-[4-anisyl(diethoxyphosphoryl)methyl]aminocarbonyl}benzene (V). Yield 92%, mp 83°C. First isomer, content 80%. ^1H NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 6.47 d (C^1H , $^2J_{\text{PH}}$ 20 Hz), 2.91 s (MeN), 3.81 s (MeO). ^{13}C NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 52.52 d (C^1 , $^1J_{\text{PC}}$ 157 Hz), 34.42 (C^2), 171.19 (C^3), 55.23 (MeO). ^{31}P NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 23.56. Second isomer: ^1H NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 4.45 d (C^1H , $^2J_{\text{PH}}$ 20 Hz), 2.86 (MeN), 3.78 (MeO). ^{13}C NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 59.33 d (C^1 , $^1J_{\text{PC}}$ 156 Hz), 34.78 (C^2), 171.67 (C^3), 55.23 (MeO). ^{31}P NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 23.84. Found, %: C 57.69; H 6.52. $\text{C}_{34}\text{H}_{46}\text{N}_2\text{O}_{10}\text{P}_2$. Calculated, %: C 57.95; H 6.58.

1,4-Bis{N-pyrid-2-yl-N-[4-anisyl(diethoxyphosphoryl)methyl]aminocarbonyl}benzene (VI). Yield 90%, mp 91°C. First isomer, content 95%. ^1H NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 5.92 d (C^1H , $^2J_{\text{PH}}$ 24 Hz), 3.83 s (MeO). ^{13}C NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 50.66 d (C^1 , $^1J_{\text{PC}}$ 154 Hz), 157.54 d (C^2 , $^3J_{\text{PC}}$ 9 Hz), 168.5 s (C^3), 55.13 s (MeO), 159.31 s ($\text{C}_{\text{Ar}}\text{O}$). ^{31}P NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 23.47. Second isomer: ^{31}P NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 20.98. Found, %: C 60.64; H 5.74. $\text{C}_{42}\text{H}_{48}\text{N}_4\text{O}_{10}\text{P}_2$. Calculated, %: C 60.72; H 5.82.

1,4-Bis{N-phenyl-N-[3,5-di-*tert*-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl(diethoxyphosphoryl)methyl]aminocarbonyl}benzene (VII). Yield 87%, mp 101°C. First isomer, content 98%. ^1H NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 5.00 d (C^1H , $^2J_{\text{PH}}$ 20 Hz), 5.78 br.s (OH), 1.57 s (*t*-Bu). ^{13}C NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 60.21 d (C^1 , $^1J_{\text{PC}}$ 153 Hz), 147.79 d (C^2 , $^3J_{\text{PC}}$ 12 Hz), 169.59 (C^3), 153.93 ($\text{C}_{\text{Ar}}\text{OH}$), 34.81 and 30.13 (*t*-Bu). ^{31}P NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 23.74. Second isomer: ^{31}P NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 23.05. Found, %: C 67.76; H 7.58. $\text{C}_{58}\text{H}_{78}\text{N}_2\text{O}_{10}\text{P}_2$. Calculated, %: C 67.95; H 7.67.

1,4-Bis{N-pyrid-2-yl-N-[3,5-di-*tert*-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl(diethoxyphosphoryl)methyl]aminocarbonyl}benzene (VIII). Yield 88%, mp 89°C. First isomer, content 65%. ^1H NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 6.40 d (C^1H , $^2J_{\text{PH}}$ 24 Hz), 5.72 br.s (OH), 1.41 s (*t*-Bu). ^{13}C NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 57.41 d (C^1 , $^1J_{\text{PC}}$ 161 Hz), 165.82 (C^3), 154.09 ($\text{C}_{\text{Ar}}\text{OH}$), 30.33 and 34.87 (*t*-Bu). ^{31}P NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 21.28. Second isomer: ^1H NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 6.30 d (C^1H , $^2J_{\text{PH}}$ 24 Hz), 5.72 br.s (OH), 1.41 s (*t*-Bu). ^{13}C NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 58.08 d (C^1 , $^1J_{\text{PC}}$ 160 Hz), 165.59 (C^3), 154.09 ($\text{C}_{\text{Ar}}\text{OH}$), 30.33 and 34.87 (*t*-Bu). ^{31}P NMR spectrum, δ , ppm: 21.92. Found, %: C 65.30; H 7.42. $\text{C}_{56}\text{H}_{76}\text{N}_4\text{O}_{10}\text{P}_2$. Calculated, %: C 65.48; H 7.46.

The NMR spectra were obtained on a Bruker Avance 400 spectrometer using CDCl_3 (**I**, **V**) and $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$ (**II–IV**, **VI–VIII**) as solvents and TMS (^1H , ^{13}C) and 85% H_3PO_4 in D_2O (^{31}P) as references.

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