



Synthesis, characterization, theoretical study and evaluation of the anticorrosive activities of some mono and bi-heterocyclic compounds, derived from triazole and tetrazole

Abstract

The work of this thesis is part of the work carried out within the Organic Chemistry Laboratory (LCO, Accreditation 2014-2019), and the Laboratory of Organometallic, Molecular and Environmental Materials Engineering (LIMOME, Accreditation 2020-2025), concerning the synthesis and structural characterization, the reactivity and the studies of the Physico-chemical and electrochemical of new heterocyclic systems derived from triazole and tetrazole.

Given the richness of heterocyclic chemistry, and the diversity of applications it possesses, we have carried out the synthesis and characterization of a new tetrazole compound, N-((tetrazol-5-yl)methyl)cyclohexanamine via the N-alkylation reaction of cyclohexylamine with chloroacetonitrile, followed by a 1,3- dipolar cycloaddition reaction between 2-(cycloxyamino) acetonitrile and sodium azide.

Based on the structural model of the oxazolinic compound, we designed and synthesized new biheterocyclic hybrid compounds (oxazoline-1,2,3-triazole), namely diethyl 1-((4-methyl-2-phenyl-4,5-dihydrooxazol-4-yl)methyl)-1H-1,2,3-triazole-4,5-dicarboxylate, 1-((4-methyl-2-phenyl-4,5-dihydrooxazol-4-yl)methyl)-1H-1,2,3-triazole-4,5-dicarboxylate and ethyl 1-((4-methyl-2-phenyl-4,5-dihydrooxazol-4-yl)methyl)-1H-1,2,3-triazole-4,5-carboxylate via Huisgen's dipolar cycloaddition reaction, 3 dipolar cycloaddition reaction, as well as the Copper I (CuAAC), catalyzed reaction between 4-(4'-azidomethyltriazolomethyl)4-ethyl-2-phenyl oxazoline and three mono and di-substituted alkynes: Diethyl but-2-ynedioate, Dimethyl but-2-ynedioate, and Ethyl propiolate. These three synthesized compounds were characterized using different spectroscopic and analytical methods: 1D NMR (^1H , ^{13}C), 2D NMR (^1H - ^1H and ^1H - ^{13}C), MS-ESI, and X-ray diffraction.

The evaluation of the anti-corrosive activity of the three synthesized compounds, was also evaluated using three methods: the transient method, gravimetry, and stationary method. The results obtained show that the compound diethyl 1-((4-methyl-2-phenyl-4,5(dihydrooxazol-4-yl)methyl)-1H-1,2,3-triazole-4,5-di-carboxylate is a good inhibitor against corrosion of mild steel in 1M HCl.

Furthermore, DFT calculation is carried out to predict the geometry and reproduce the crystal structure parameters of the molecule 1-phenyl-N-(benzomethyl)-N-({1-[(2-benzo-4-methyl-4,5-dihydro-1,3-oxazol-4-yl)methyl]-1H-1,2,3-triazol-4-yl)methyl)methanamine. Similarly, the Hirshfeld surface study revealed that H...H and C...H interactions are more dominant in this compound.

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