

# New Synthetic Pathway for $\alpha$ -Benzil monoximethio carbo hydrazide Compound

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**Abstract-** Benzilmonoximethio carbo hydrazide synthesis is an important intermediate step for many hydrazine organic synthetic reactions. Synthesis of  $\alpha$ -benzil monoximethio carbo hydrazide can be done by reaction of  $\alpha$ -benzil monoxime with thiocarbo hydrazide (1,3-Diamino-2-thiourea) and anhydrous sodium acetate in water, methanol (50:50v/v) at 60°C giving 73% yield (based on [ $\alpha$ -benzilmonoxime]). However, in this article, we achieve a 93% yield (based on [ $\alpha$ -benzil monoxime]) by carrying out the reaction in ethanolic solution (50:50 v/v) at room temperature.

**Keywords-** carbo hydrazide, ethanolic solution etc.

## I. INTRODUCTION

The chemistry and applications of thiocarbo hydrazide in synthetic organic chemistry and biological sciences have recently been reviewed<sup>1</sup>. The applications of this compound include assessment process of the three-dimensional ultra structure examination techniques of inter phase nuclei and tissues; use as fogging agent; use in cool-burning pyrotechnic compounds for dissemination of smoke.

use in chemical warfare and as therapeutic agents; use in performing a highly selective heavy metal ion adsorbent and as complexing agents in solvent extraction separation methods<sup>2-6</sup> etc.  $\alpha$ -benzil monoximethio carbo hydrazide is an important class thiocarbo hydrazine derivatives and useful intermediates in many organic synthesis. As such, laboratory synthesis of  $\alpha$ -benzil monoximethio carbo hydrazine by many chemists is unavoidable. Green chemistry practice would then suggest a synthetic pathway that produces less solvent waste with very high-quality product yields. Currently,  $\alpha$ -benzil monoximethio carbohydrazide can be synthesized using condensation reaction<sup>7</sup>. However,

this method gives a 25% product yield based on  $\alpha$ -benzil monoxime concentration. Consequently, there is a high waste solvent generation. This research article reports a new pathway that allows an 93% high-quality product yield with minimal waste solvent generation. This synthesized compound is here in characterized and their synthetic pathway proposed.

## II. METHODOLOGY

### 1. Chemicals

All the chemical materials were purchased from Lobachemie and used as received without further purification.

### 2. Synthesis of $\alpha$ -benzil monoximethio carbo hydrazide according to Literature<sup>7</sup>:

$\alpha$ -Benzil monoximethio carbo hydrazine was prepared by mixing hot aqueous solution of 20.000 g of thiocarbo hydrazide (0.188 mol) with ethanolic solution of 10.000 g of  $\alpha$ -benzilmonoxime (0.044 mol) in presence of sodium acetate (20.000 g), the mixture was refluxed for 7h on a water bath and kept overnight, a colorless solid was obtained. This was filtered and washed by hot water and dried at 100 °C. [The yield of a product was 10.165 g, 73.80% of the theoretical. Melting point is 168 °C].

### 3. Synthesis of Thiocarbo hydrazide(New Method)

A 500 mL two neck round bottomed flask was connected to a reflux apparatus and 0.10 moles of  $\alpha$ -benzil monoxime and 100ml ethanol were added to the flask and stirred using a magnetic stirrer at 60°C and 3mL conc HCl was added. Then dropwise added 0.11 moles of thiocarbohydrazide (in 150mL water) solution in 45 minutes. The reaction mixture was then refluxed at 90°C for 24 hours. Recovered the methanol from reaction mixture. Finally, the solution was permitted to cool to room temperature and the resultant precipitate,  $\alpha$ -benzil monoximethio carbo hydrazide, was separated by filtration. The precipitate was washed with cold methanol and dried. The crude product was purified by dissolving in methanol at 60°C and cooling to room temperature. The light yellow color compound finally obtained were washed with cold methanol and dried in vacuum. The actual yield was 0.084 moles (84%).

### 4. Measurements

The data for  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  spectrum was obtained on a Bruker AV400 NMR spectrometer at the resonance frequency of 400MHz. Fourier transform infrared (FT-IR) spectrum was carried out on a Bruker Vector 22 infrareds pectro meter using KBr pellet method. Electro spray ionization mass spectrum (ESI-MS) were recorded using a Xevo G2 QT ESI-MS. Ultra-violet spectrum was recorded on JASCO V650 spectro photometry.

## III. RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

In the laboratory, researchers encounter different challenges that include non-intended results. In this work, synthesis of benzil monoximethio carbohydrazide<sup>7</sup> in large amounts was desired so as to synthesize various substituted aldehydes. Characterization of synthesized compound obtained in glacial acetic acid and methanol as reaction solvents using  $^1\text{H NMR}$  and FTIR (see **Fig.-1**) show the products to be similar. The FTIR shows thiocarbonyl groups (C=S) with a stretch at  $1210\text{ cm}^{-1}$ , while primary amines ( $-\text{NH}_2$ ) record two peaks at  $3317$  and  $3217\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . The secondary amines have a peak at  $3205\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . The morphology of a powder sample from methanol product before recrystallization shows a crystalline product whereas the sample from water product shows small crystals coagulated

together. However, after recrystallization of both samples in water, the morphology was similar.

## IV. CONCLUSIONS

In this article, a high yield of  $\alpha$ -benzil monoximethio carbo hydrazide (84% based on [ $\alpha$ -benzil monoxime]) is achieved when the reaction mixture is changed from water to methanol. This method saves on the loss of methanol that is relatively expensive.

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