

SYNTHESIS AND CHARACTERIZATION OF TWO MOIETIES OF-1,3-OXAZEPINE-1,5-DIONE COMPOUNDS VIA 4,4'-DIAMINODIPHENYLMETHANE IMINES AS PRECURSORS

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ABSTRACT : New derivatives of 1,3-oxazepine(1b–7b)(1c–7c) were synthesized by the reaction of Schiff bases (1a–7a) with Succinic and Maleic anhydride using dry benzene as a solvent. Schiff bases (1a–7a) were prepared by condensation of 4,4'-Diaminodiphenylmethane with methoxy and halobenzaldehyde using absolute ethanol as a solvent in the presence of glacial acetic acid as a catalyst. All synthesized compounds were monitored by TLC and characterized using spectroscopy techniques such as (FT-IR), (¹H-NMR) and (¹³C-NMR), they revealed that all synthesized compounds were conformity of the proposed structures.

Key words : Schiff bases, oxazepine, succinic anhydride, maleic anhydride.

INTRODUCTION

Schiff bases are organic compounds identified by the general formula (RR'C=NR'') where R, R' and R'' are alkyl, aryl, cycloalkyl or heterocyclic groups (Brodowska and Łodyga-chruscinska, 2014), which have been prepared by the German scientist Hugo Schiff (1864) by condensation reaction of amines and aldehydes or ketones, they were known as Imine and Azomethines compounds (Abirami and Nadaraj, 2014). Schiff bases considered as intermediates compounds in organic synthesis, especially of heterocyclic compounds (Williamson *et al*, 2014; Kapadiya *et al*, 2014; Al-Sultani, 2016; Rasheed *et al*, 2015; Alexander *et al*, 2016), organometallic complexes (Al-Shemary *et al*, 2016) and their applications in analytical chemistry (Cimerman *et al*, 2000), corrosion inhibitors (Mohammed, 2011), plant growth regulators (Ye *et al*, 2007). Most imine and their organometallic complexes exhibit significant biological activities (Arulmurugan and Kavitha, 2010) and pharmacological applications such as analgesic, anti-inflammatory, anthelmintic, anticancer, antimicrobial, antioxidant and antidepressant activities (Hussain *et al*, 2016). Oxazepine compounds are the class of seven-membered heterocyclic organic compounds that contain oxygen, nitrogen, and carbonyl group in the heptane ring (Kareem and Ghanim, 2015; Muslim *et al*, 2018). 1,3-oxazepines were prepared by reaction of imine and carboxylic anhydrides by polar mechanism (Muslim *et*

al, 2018). Oxazepines have a wide spectrum of biological activities and pharmacological applications such as anti-convulsant (Suha *et al*, 2015), anti-tumor and colorectal adenocarcinoma (Sunil *et al*, 2014), anti-bacterial (Ahmed *et al*, 2015), anti-oxidant and anti-inflammatory (Alexander *et al*, 2016), besides their uses as corrosion inhibitors (Hamak and Eissa, 2013) and liquid crystal components (Mohammad *et al*, 2016).

EXPERIMENTAL SECTION

2.1 Materials

4,4'-Diaminodiphenylmethane, 2-Methoxy Benzaldehyde, 3-Methoxy Benzaldehyde, 4-Methoxy Benzaldehyde, 3-Chloro Benzaldehyde, 4-Chloro Benzaldehyde, 3-Bromo Benzaldehyde, 4-Bromo Benzaldehyde, Succinic anhydride, and Maleic anhydride were supplied from Sigma-Aldrich, all solvents were supplied from Scharlau and Romal. Melting points were recorded on Electro-Thermal Melting Point Apparatus. FT-IR spectra were recorded on the Bruker-Tensor 27 spectrophotometer in the range of 4000-600 cm⁻¹. ¹H-NMR, ¹³C-NMR spectra were recorded on Bruker-500 MHz spectrometer using DMSO-*d*₆ as a solvent and TMS as internal standard.

2.2 Synthesis of Schiff Bases 1a–7a

A mixture of 4,4'-Diaminodiphenylmethane (10 mmol) and substituted Benzaldehyde (20 mmol) dissolved in absolute ethanol (50 mL) with 5 drops of glacial acetic

acid as a catalyst, they were placed in the round-bottom flask (100mL) equipped with a condenser and stirring magnetic bar, the mixture refluxed for 3hr then left to cool down to room temperature, the obtained precipitate was filtered and recrystallized twice from absolute ethanol (Kshash and Mokhle, 2017).

2.3 Characterization of Schiff Bases 1a–7a

[1a] (1E,1'E)-N,N'-(methylenebis(4,1-phenylene))bis(1-(2-methoxyphenyl)methanimine) : Brown gummy, (74% yield), m.p. gummy. IR (ν cm^{-1}): 3073 cm^{-1} (C–H aromatic), 3025 cm^{-1} (C–H alkene), 2960–2837 cm^{-1} (C–H aliphatic), 1618 cm^{-1} (C=N), 1593–1485 cm^{-1} (C=C aromatic). $^1\text{H-NMR}$ (500 MHz, DMSO- d_6): 8.86 (s, $\text{CH}=\text{N}$), 8.05–7.01 (m, $\text{H}_{\text{aromatic}}$), 3.93 (s, $-\text{CH}_2-$), 3.84 (s, $-\text{OCH}_3$).

[2a] (1E,1'E)-N,N'-(methylenebis(4,1-phenylene)) bis(1-(3-methoxyphenyl)methanimine) : White solid, (72% yield), m.p. 80–82 °C. IR (ν cm^{-1}): 3069 cm^{-1} (C–H aromatic), 3011 cm^{-1} (C–H alkene), 2965–2837 cm^{-1} (C–H aliphatic), 1626 cm^{-1} (C=N), 1582–1486 cm^{-1} (C=C aromatic). $^1\text{H-NMR}$ (500 MHz, DMSO- d_6): 8.58 (s, $\text{CH}=\text{N}$), 7.49–7.09 (m, $\text{H}_{\text{aromatic}}$), 3.99 (s, $-\text{CH}_2-$), 3.34 (s, $-\text{OCH}_3$).

[3a] (1E,1'E)-N,N'-(methylenebis(4,1-phenylene))bis(1-(4-methoxyphenyl)methanimine) : White solid, (76% yield), m.p. 163–165 °C. IR (ν cm^{-1}): 3076 cm^{-1} (C–H aromatic), 3015 cm^{-1} (C–H alkene), 2965–2838 cm^{-1} (C–H aliphatic), 1620 cm^{-1} (C=N), 1597–1507 cm^{-1} (C=C aromatic). $^1\text{H-NMR}$ (500 MHz, DMSO- d_6): 8.51 (s, $\text{CH}=\text{N}$), 7.87–7.05 (m, $\text{H}_{\text{aromatic}}$), 3.96 (s, $-\text{CH}_2-$), 3.32 (s, $-\text{OCH}_3$).

[4a] (1E,1'E)-N,N'-(methylenebis(4,1-phenylene))bis(1-(2-chlorophenyl)methanimine) : White solid, (84% yield), m.p. 121–123 °C. IR (ν cm^{-1}): 3063 cm^{-1} (C–H aromatic), 3020 cm^{-1} (C–H alkene), 2989–2910 cm^{-1} (C–H aliphatic), 1616 cm^{-1} (C=N), 1588–1501 cm^{-1} (C=C aromatic). $^1\text{H-NMR}$ (500 MHz, DMSO- d_6): 8.84 (s, $\text{CH}=\text{N}$), 8.15–7.22 (m, $\text{H}_{\text{aromatic}}$), 3.99 (s, $-\text{CH}_2-$).

[5a] (1E,1'E)-N,N'-(methylenebis(4,1-phenylene))bis(1-(3-chlorophenyl)methanimine) : Yellow solid, (87% yield), m.p. 130–132 °C. IR (ν cm^{-1}): 3063 cm^{-1} (C–H aromatic), 3025 cm^{-1} (C–H alkene), 2979–2920 cm^{-1} (C–H aliphatic), 1618 cm^{-1} (C=N), 1597–1498 cm^{-1} (C=C aromatic). $^1\text{H-NMR}$ (500 MHz, DMSO- d_6): 8.62 (s, $\text{CH}=\text{N}$), 7.95–7.23 (m, $\text{H}_{\text{aromatic}}$), 3.99 (s, $-\text{CH}_2-$).

[6a] (1E,1'E)-N,N'-(methylenebis(4,1-phenylene))bis(1-(2-bromophenyl)methanimine) : White solid, (80% yield), m.p. 106–108 °C. IR (ν cm^{-1}): 3052 cm^{-1} (C–H aromatic), 3022 cm^{-1} (C–H alkene),

2946–2923 cm^{-1} (C–H aliphatic), 1615 cm^{-1} (C=N), 1588–1500 cm^{-1} (C=C aromatic). $^1\text{H-NMR}$ (500 MHz, DMSO- d_6): 8.77 (s, $\text{CH}=\text{N}$), 8.13–7.22 (m, $\text{H}_{\text{aromatic}}$), 4.00 (s, $-\text{CH}_2-$).

[7a] (1E,1'E)-N,N'-(methylenebis(4,1-phenylene))bis(1-(3-bromophenyl)methanimine) : Yellow solid, (78% yield), m.p. 126–128 °C. IR (ν cm^{-1}): 3053 cm^{-1} (C–H aromatic), 3016 cm^{-1} (C–H alkene), 2942–2919 cm^{-1} (C–H aliphatic), 1625 cm^{-1} (C=N), 1596–1499 cm^{-1} (C=C aromatic). $^1\text{H-NMR}$ (500 MHz, DMSO- d_6): 8.61 (s, $\text{CH}=\text{N}$), 8.10–7.21 (m, $\text{H}_{\text{aromatic}}$), 3.99 (s, $-\text{CH}_2-$).

2.4 Synthesis of 1,3-Oxazepines-4,7-dione derivatives

A mixture of Succinicanhydride (20mmol) and Schiff Bases (10mmol) in dry benzene (50 mL) was placed in the round-bottom flask (100mL) equipped with a condenser and stirring magnetic bar, the reaction mixture refluxed for 5hr then stirred overnight at room temperature, the obtained precipitate was filtered, dried and recrystallized twice from chloroform (Kshash, 2020).

2.5 Characterization of 1,3- Oxazepines-4,7-dione derivatives (1b–7b)

[1b] 3,3'-(methylenebis(4,1-phenylene))bis(2-(2-methoxyphenyl)-1,3-oxazepane-4,7-dione) : Yellow solid, (71% yield), m.p. 206–208 °C. IR (ν cm^{-1}): 3062 cm^{-1} (C–H aromatic), 2999–2843 cm^{-1} (C–H aliphatic), 1694 cm^{-1} (C=O lactone), 1655 cm^{-1} (C=O lactam), 1596–1525 cm^{-1} (C=C aromatic). $^1\text{H-NMR}$ (500 MHz, DMSO- d_6): 9.90 (s, $\text{O}-\text{CH}-\text{N}$), 8.01–7.03 (m, $\text{H}_{\text{aromatic}}$), 3.87 (s, $-\text{CH}_2-$), 3.81 (s, $-\text{OCH}_3$), 2.54–2.51 (m, CH_2-CH_2), $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$ (500 MHz, DMSO- d_6): 173.85 ($\text{C}=\text{O}-\text{O}$), 169.88 ($\text{C}=\text{O}-\text{N}$), 159.22–119.13 ($\text{C}_{\text{aromatic}}$), 119.07 ($\text{O}-\text{CH}-\text{N}$), 55.78 ($-\text{OCH}_3$), 39.96 ($-\text{CH}_2-$), 30.01–28.86 (CH_2-CH_2).

[2b] 3,3'-(methylenebis(4,1-phenylene))bis(2-(3-methoxyphenyl)-1,3-oxazepane-4,7-dione) : White solid, (75% yield), m.p. 222–224 °C. IR (ν cm^{-1}): 3081 cm^{-1} (C–H aromatic), 2989–2835 cm^{-1} (C–H aliphatic), 1693 cm^{-1} (C=O lactone), 1661 cm^{-1} (C=O lactam), 1596–1525 cm^{-1} (C=C aromatic). $^1\text{H-NMR}$ (500 MHz, DMSO- d_6): 9.87 (s, $\text{O}-\text{CH}-\text{N}$), 7.51–7.06 (m, $\text{H}_{\text{aromatic}}$), 3.89 (s, $-\text{CH}_2-$), 3.80 (s, $-\text{OCH}_3$), 2.53–2.50 (m, CH_2-CH_2), $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$ (500 MHz, DMSO- d_6): 173.84 ($\text{C}=\text{O}-\text{O}$), 169.87 ($\text{C}=\text{O}-\text{N}$), 154.74–121.12 ($\text{C}_{\text{aromatic}}$), 119.06 ($\text{O}-\text{CH}-\text{N}$), 55.24 ($-\text{OCH}_3$), 39.95 ($-\text{CH}_2-$), 30.00–28.85 (CH_2-CH_2).

[3b] 3,3'-(methylenebis(4,1-phenylene))bis(2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-1,3-oxazepane-4,7-dione) : Yellow solid, (70% yield), m.p. 207–209 °C. IR (ν cm^{-1}): 3076 cm^{-1}

1 (C–H aromatic), 2999-2840 cm^{-1} (C–H aliphatic), 1692 cm^{-1} (C=O lactone), 1660 cm^{-1} (C=O lactam), 1596-1524 cm^{-1} (C=C aromatic). $^1\text{H-NMR}$ (500 MHz, DMSO- d_6): 9.88 (s, O–CH–N), 7.87-7.04(m, $\text{H}_{\text{aromatic}}$), 3.88 (s, –CH $_2$ –), 3.80 (s, –OCH $_3$), 2.53-2.50(m, CH $_2$ –CH $_2$), $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$ (500 MHz, DMSO- d_6): 173.84 (CO–O), 169.86 (CO–N), 159.25-119.12 (C $_{\text{aromatic}}$), 119.05 (O–CH–N), 55.40 (–OCH $_3$), 39.95(–CH $_2$ –), 30.99-28.84(CH $_2$ –CH $_2$).

[4b]3,3'-(methylenebis(4,1-phenylene))bis(2-(2-chlorophenyl)-1,3-oxazepane-4,7-dione) : White solid, (70% yield), m.p. 182-184 °C. IR (ν cm^{-1}): 3064 cm^{-1} (C–H aromatic), 2987-2865 cm^{-1} (C–H aliphatic), 1694 cm^{-1} (C=O lactone), 1657 cm^{-1} (C=O lactam), 1595-1525 cm^{-1} (C=C aromatic). $^1\text{H-NMR}$ (500 MHz, DMSO- d_6): 9.85 (s, O–CH–N), 8.14-7.08(m, $\text{H}_{\text{aromatic}}$), 3.99 (s, –CH $_2$ –), 2.54-2.49(m, CH $_2$ –CH $_2$), $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$ (500 MHz, DMSO- d_6): 173.86 (CO–O), 169.89 (CO–N), 155.80-121.30 (C $_{\text{aromatic}}$), 119.08 (O–CH–N), 39.85 (–CH $_2$ –), 30.01-28.86(CH $_2$ –CH $_2$).

[5b]3,3'-(methylenebis(4,1-phenylene))bis(2-(3-chlorophenyl)-1,3-oxazepane-4,7-dione) : White solid, (76% yield), m.p. 184-186 °C. IR (ν cm^{-1}): 3064 cm^{-1} (C–H aromatic), 2990-2884 cm^{-1} (C–H aliphatic), 1693 cm^{-1} (C=O lactone), 1656 cm^{-1} (C=O lactam), 1595-1525 cm^{-1} (C=C aromatic). $^1\text{H-NMR}$ (500 MHz, DMSO- d_6): 9.85 (s, O–CH–N), 7.57-7.08(m, $\text{H}_{\text{aromatic}}$), 3.99 (s, –CH $_2$ –), 2.52-2.44(m, CH $_2$ –CH $_2$), $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$ (500 MHz, DMSO- d_6): 173.86 (CO–O), 169.89 (CO–N), 158.70-121.32 (C $_{\text{aromatic}}$), 119.07 (O–CH–N), 39.85 (–CH $_2$ –), 30.01-28.86(CH $_2$ –CH $_2$).

[6b]3,3'-(methylenebis(4,1-phenylene))bis(2-(2-bromophenyl)-1,3-oxazepane-4,7-dione) : White solid, (63% yield), m.p. 230-232 °C. IR (ν cm^{-1}): 3078 cm^{-1} (C–H aromatic), 2990-2920 cm^{-1} (C–H aliphatic), 1693 cm^{-1} (C=O lactone), 1653 cm^{-1} (C=O lactam), 1595-1528 cm^{-1} (C=C aromatic). $^1\text{H-NMR}$ (500 MHz, DMSO- d_6): 9.87 (s, O–CH–N), 8.13-7.09(m, $\text{H}_{\text{aromatic}}$), 3.90 (s, –CH $_2$ –), 2.53-2.50(m, CH $_2$ –CH $_2$), $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$ (500 MHz, DMSO- d_6): 173.83 (CO–O), 169.86 (CO–N), 158.05-119.12 (C $_{\text{aromatic}}$), 119.05 (O–CH–N), 39.85(–CH $_2$ –), 30.99-28.84(CH $_2$ –CH $_2$).

[7b]3,3'-(methylenebis(4,1-phenylene))bis(2-(3-bromophenyl)-1,3-oxazepane-4,7-dione) : White solid, (67% yield), m.p. 190-192 °C. IR (ν cm^{-1}): 3065 cm^{-1} (C–H aromatic), 2997-2908 cm^{-1} (C–H aliphatic), 1693 cm^{-1} (C=O lactone), 1655 cm^{-1} (C=O lactam), 1596-1524 cm^{-1} (C=C aromatic). $^1\text{H-NMR}$ (500 MHz, DMSO- d_6): 9.87 (s, O–CH–N), 8.09-7.09(m, $\text{H}_{\text{aromatic}}$), 3.90(s, –CH $_2$ –), 2.53-2.50(m, CH $_2$ –CH $_2$), $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$ (500 MHz,

DMSO- d_6): 173.82 (CO–O), 169.85 (CO–N), 158.53-119.12 (C $_{\text{aromatic}}$), 119.04 (O–CH–N), 39.85 (–CH $_2$ –), 30.98-28.83(CH $_2$ –CH $_2$).

2.6 Characterization of 1,3- Oxazepines-4,7-dione derivatives (1c-7c).

[1c]3,3'-(methylenebis(4,1-phenylene))bis(2-(2-methoxyphenyl)-2,3-dihydro-1,3-oxazepine-4,7-dione) : Yellow solid, (69% yield), m.p. 204-206 °C. IR (ν cm^{-1}): 3082 cm^{-1} (C–H aromatic), 3034 cm^{-1} (C–H alkene), 2948-2840 cm^{-1} (C–H aliphatic), 1699 cm^{-1} (C=O lactone), 1632 cm^{-1} (C=O lactam), 1575-1505 cm^{-1} (C=C aromatic). $^1\text{H-NMR}$ spectrum (500 MHz, DMSO- d_6): 10.38 (s, O–CH–N), 7.54-7.14(m, $\text{H}_{\text{aromatic}}$), 6.47-6.28(m, CH=CH), 3.91 (s, –CH $_2$ –), 3.86 (s, –OCH $_3$), $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$ (500 MHz, DMSO- d_6): 166.79 (CO–O), 163.08 (CO–N), 156.93-122.44 (C $_{\text{aromatic}}$), 136.46 and 124.14 (CH=CH), 119.74 (O–CH–N), 55.78 (–OCH $_3$), 40.01 (–CH $_2$ –).

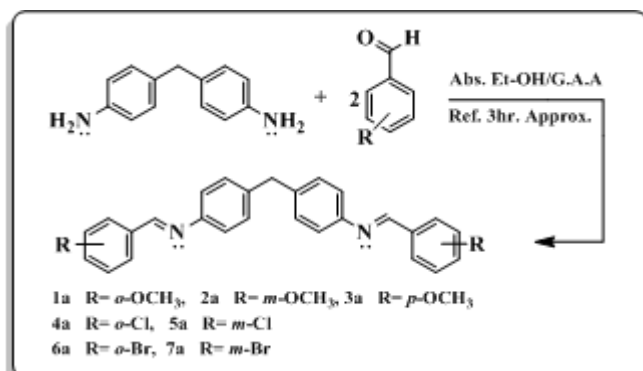
[2c]3,3'-(methylenebis(4,1-phenylene))bis(2-(3-methoxyphenyl)-2,3-dihydro-1,3-oxazepine-4,7-dione) : Yellow solid, (78% yield), m.p. 174-176 °C. IR (ν cm^{-1}): 3080 cm^{-1} (C–H aromatic), 3022 cm^{-1} (C–H alkene), 2988-2836 cm^{-1} (C–H aliphatic), 1699 cm^{-1} (C=O lactone), 1627 cm^{-1} (C=O lactam), 1578-1505 cm^{-1} (C=C aromatic). $^1\text{H-NMR}$ spectrum (500 MHz, DMSO- d_6): 10.37(s, O–CH–N), 7.56-7.08(m, $\text{H}_{\text{aromatic}}$), 6.47-6.28(m, CH=CH), 3.92 (s, –CH $_2$ –), 3.83 (s, –OCH $_3$), $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$ (500 MHz, DMSO- d_6): 166.77 (CO–O), 163.06 (CO–N), 159.95-119.76 (C $_{\text{aromatic}}$), 136.45 and 121.12 (CH=CH), 119.72 (O–CH–N), 55.40 (–OCH $_3$), 41.51(–CH $_2$ –).

[3c]3,3'-(methylenebis(4,1-phenylene))bis(2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2,3-dihydro-1,3-oxazepine-4,7-dione) : Yellow solid, (70% yield), m.p. 172-174 °C. IR (ν cm^{-1}): 3071 cm^{-1} (C–H aromatic), 3041 cm^{-1} (C–H alkene), 2954-2834 cm^{-1} (C–H aliphatic), 1698 cm^{-1} (C=O lactone), 1628 cm^{-1} (C=O lactam), 1573-1506 cm^{-1} (C=C aromatic). $^1\text{H-NMR}$ spectrum (500 MHz, DMSO- d_6): 10.39 (s, O–CH–N), 7.90-7.02(m, $\text{H}_{\text{aromatic}}$), 6.48-6.29(m, CH=CH), 3.91 (s, –CH $_2$ –), 3.82 (s, –OCH $_3$), $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$ (500 MHz, DMSO- d_6): 166.78 (CO–O), 163.08 (CO–N), 161.82-119.77 (C $_{\text{aromatic}}$), 136.47 and 121.02 (CH=CH), 119.73 (O–CH–N), 55.39 (–OCH $_3$), 41.52 (–CH $_2$ –).

[4c]3,3'-(methylenebis(4,1-phenylene))bis(2-(2-chlorophenyl)-2,3-dihydro-1,3-oxazepine-4,7-dione) : Yellow solid, (72% yield), m.p. 190-192 °C. IR (ν cm^{-1}): 3090 cm^{-1} (C–H aromatic), 3032 cm^{-1} (C–H alkene), 2979-2880 cm^{-1} (C–H aliphatic), 1699 cm^{-1} (C=O lactone), 1631 cm^{-1} (C=O lactam), 1507-1443 cm^{-1} (C=C aromatic).

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ spectrum (500 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$): 10.39(s, O-CH-N), 8.15-7.16(m, $\text{H}_{\text{aromatic}}$), 6.48-6.29(m, CH=CH), 3.93 (s, $-\text{CH}_2-$), $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$ (500 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$): 166.79 (CO-O), 163.12 (CO-N), 155.70-119.80 ($\text{C}_{\text{aromatic}}$), 136.46 and 121.23 (CH=CH), 119.76 (O-CH-N), 40.08 ($-\text{CH}_2-$).

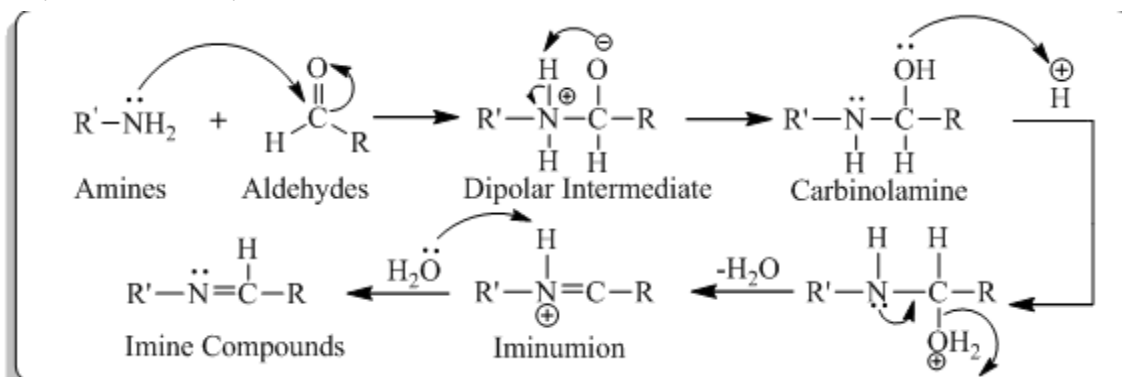
[5c]3,3'-(methylenebis(4,1-phenylene))bis(2-(3-chlorophenyl)-2,3-dihydro-1,3-oxazepine-4,7-dione)
: Yellow solid, (54% yield), m.p. 194-196 °C. IR ($\nu \text{ cm}^{-1}$): 3070 cm^{-1} (C-H aromatic), 3040 cm^{-1} (C-H alkene),



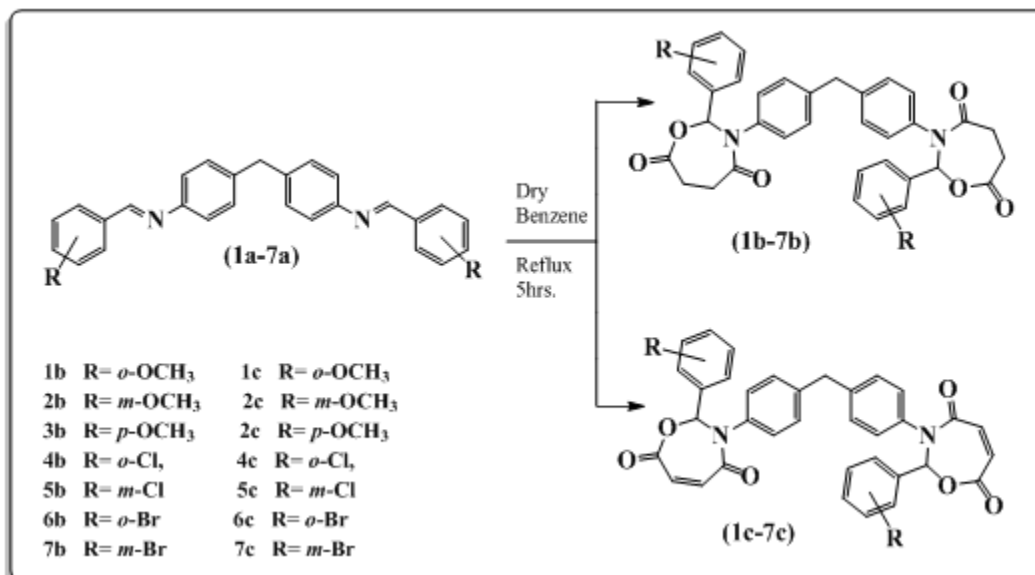
Scheme 1 : Synthetic route for synthesized Schiff Bases (1a-7a).

2983-2875 cm^{-1} (C-H aliphatic), 1722 cm^{-1} (C=O lactone), 1626 cm^{-1} (C=O lactam), 1567-1500 cm^{-1} (C=C aromatic). $^1\text{H-NMR}$ spectrum (500 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$): 10.39 (s, O-CH-N), 7.95-7.12(m, $\text{H}_{\text{aromatic}}$), 6.48-6.29(m, CH=CH), 3.93 (s, $-\text{CH}_2-$), $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$ (500 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$): 166.77 (CO-O), 163.08 (CO-N), 158.63-119.77 ($\text{C}_{\text{aromatic}}$), 136.51 and 121.25 (CH=CH), 119.73 (O-CH-N), 40.06 ($-\text{CH}_2-$).

[6c]3,3'-(methylenebis(4,1-phenylene))bis(2-(2-bromophenyl)-2,3-dihydro-1,3-oxazepine-4,7-dione)
: Yellow solid, (62% yield), m.p. 191-193 °C. IR ($\nu \text{ cm}^{-1}$): 3071 cm^{-1} (C-H aromatic), 3041 cm^{-1} (C-H alkene), 2983-2862 cm^{-1} (C-H aliphatic), 1722 cm^{-1} (C=O lactone), 1628 cm^{-1} (C=O lactam), 1574-1501 cm^{-1} (C=C aromatic). $^1\text{H-NMR}$ spectrum (500 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$): 10.39 (s, O-CH-N), 7.59-7.12(m, $\text{H}_{\text{aromatic}}$), 6.48-6.27(m, CH=CH), 3.93 (s, $-\text{CH}_2-$), $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$ (500 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$): 166.81 (CO-O), 163.12 (CO-N), 150.51-119.78 ($\text{C}_{\text{aromatic}}$), 136.48 and 121.22 (CH=CH), 119.19 (O-CH-N), 10.02 ($-\text{CH}_2-$).



Scheme 2 : Proposed mechanism for the formation of azomethine compounds.



Scheme 3 : Synthetic route for synthesized Oxazepines compounds.

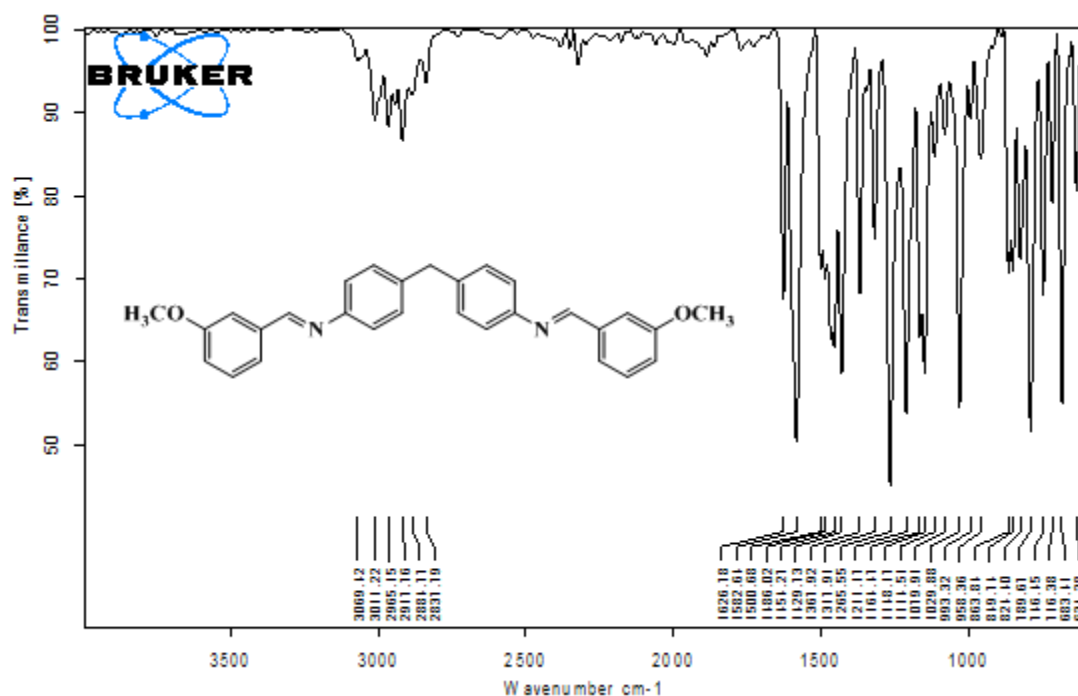


Fig. 1 : FT-IR spectra for (2a) compound as illustration.

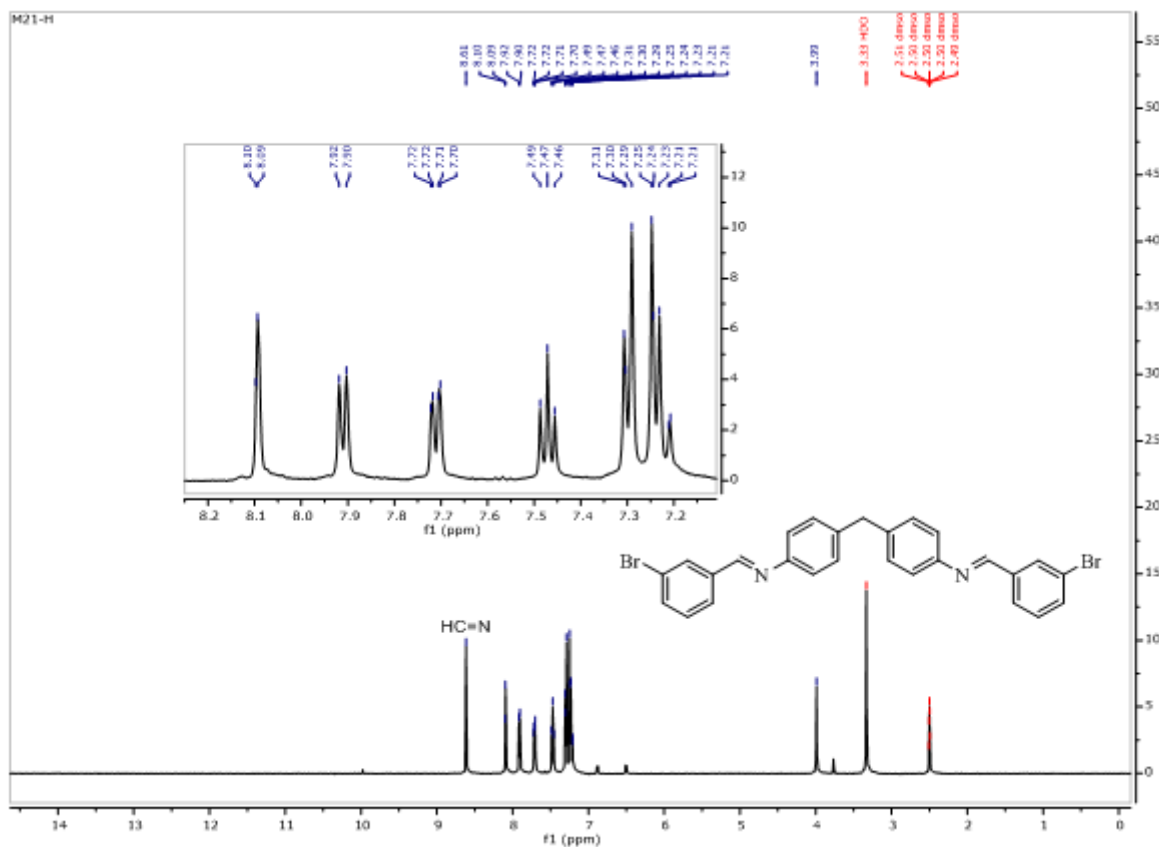


Fig. 2 : $^1\text{H-NMR}$ spectra for Compound (7a).

[7c]3,3'-(methylenebis(4,1-phenylene))bis(2-(3-bromophenyl)-2,3-dihydro-1,3-oxazepine-4,7-dione) : Yellow solid, (60% yield), m.p. 192-194°C. IR (ν cm^{-1}): 3069 cm^{-1} (C-H aromatic), 3038 cm^{-1} (C-H alkene), 2983-2880 cm^{-1} (C-H aliphatic), 1721 cm^{-1} (C=O

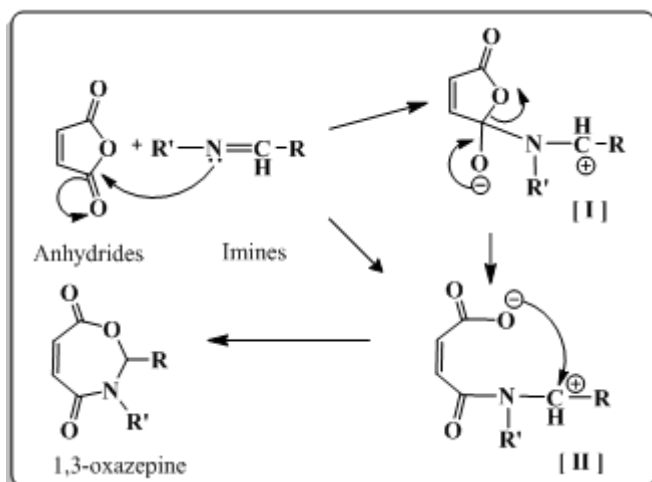
lactone), 1625 cm^{-1} (C=O lactam), 1545-1499 cm^{-1} (C=C aromatic). $^1\text{H-NMR}$ spectrum (500 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$): 10.39 (s, O-CH-N), 8.09-7.12 (m, $\text{H}_{\text{aromatic}}$), 6.48-6.29 (m, CH=CH), 3.92 (s, -CH₂-), $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$ (500 MHz, $\text{DMSO-}d_6$): 166.78 (CO-O), 163.09 (CO-N), 158.53-

119.78 (C_{aromatic}), 136.51 and 121.26 ($\underline{C}H=\underline{C}H$), 119.74 ($O-\underline{C}H-N$), 40.02 ($-\underline{C}H_2-$).

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

Schiff Bases (1a-7a) compounds were prepared by the condensation reaction of 4,4'-Diaminodiphenylmethane with methoxy and halo benzaldehyde using absolute ethanol as a solvent and glacial acetic acid as a catalyst (Scheme 1).

The formation mechanism of Schiff Bases explained by literature and suggested to be occurred via nucleophilic addition of the amino group to the carbonyl group to form a hemiaminal, followed by dehydration to produce the Schiff Bases (Muzammil *et al*, 2015) as shown in Scheme 2.



Scheme 4 : The mechanism formation of 1,3-oxazepine derivatives.

The FT-IR spectra for prepared Schiff bases showed that the disappearance of the stretching frequency absorption bands of ($-NH_2$) group at ($3530-3225\text{cm}^{-1}$) and ($C=O$) group at ($1720-1700\text{cm}^{-1}$) in amines and aldehydes respectively and the appearance of the aromatic ($C-H$) at ($3076-3052\text{ cm}^{-1}$), ($=C-H$) at ($3025-3011\text{ cm}^{-1}$), aliphatic ($C-H$) at ($2989-2837\text{ cm}^{-1}$), imine groups ($C=N$) at ($1626-1615\text{ cm}^{-1}$) and ($C=C$) of the aromatic ring at ($1597-1485\text{ cm}^{-1}$) (Silverstein *et al*, 2005).

The $^1\text{H-NMR}$ spectra of the prepared Schiff Bases showed signals of the following groups at δ ppm range: ($=C-H$) at range (2H, s, 8.86-8.51), aromatic protons at range (16H, m, 8.15-7.01), $-\text{CH}_2-$ at range (2H, s, 4.00-3.93), Ar-OCH_3- at range (3H, s, 3.84-3.32) (Timothy, 2009).

1,3-oxazepine derivatives have been synthesized by reaction of Schiff Bases with Succinic and Maleic anhydride as shown in Scheme 3.

The reaction is take place by nucleophilic attack of nitrogen atom for azomethine group on the electrophilic carbonyl group of the cyclic anhydride to give a dipolar intermediate [I], which give intermediate [II], which undergoes internal cyclization to give the target molecule (Scheme 4) (Ahmed *et al*, 2015).

FT-IR spectra for 1,3-Oxazepine derivatives showed that the disappearance of stretching absorption bands of ($-C=N$) group at ($1626-1615\text{ cm}^{-1}$) and that of ($C=O$) group at ($1825-1780\text{cm}^{-1}$) for Schiff Bases and carboxylic anhydrides respectively and appearance of the stretching absorption bands of aromatic ($C-H$) at ($3044-3041\text{ cm}^{-1}$)

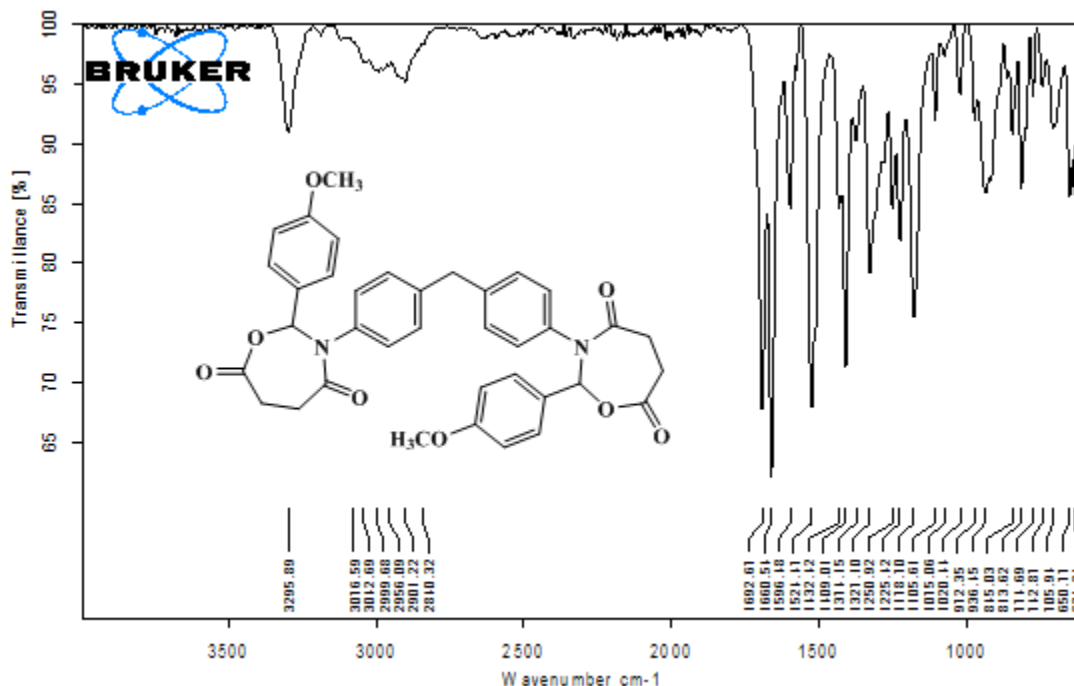


Fig. 3 : FT-IR spectra for (3b) compound as illustration.

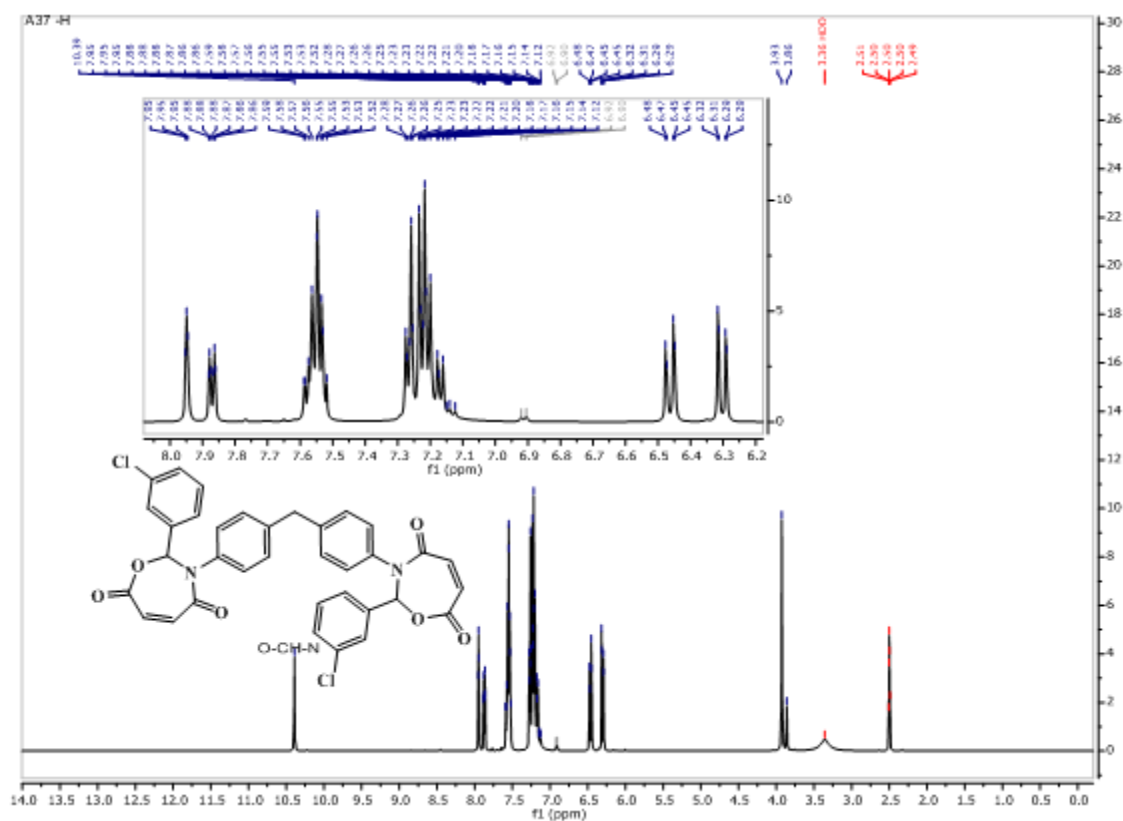


Fig. 4 : ¹H-NMR spectra for Compound (5c).

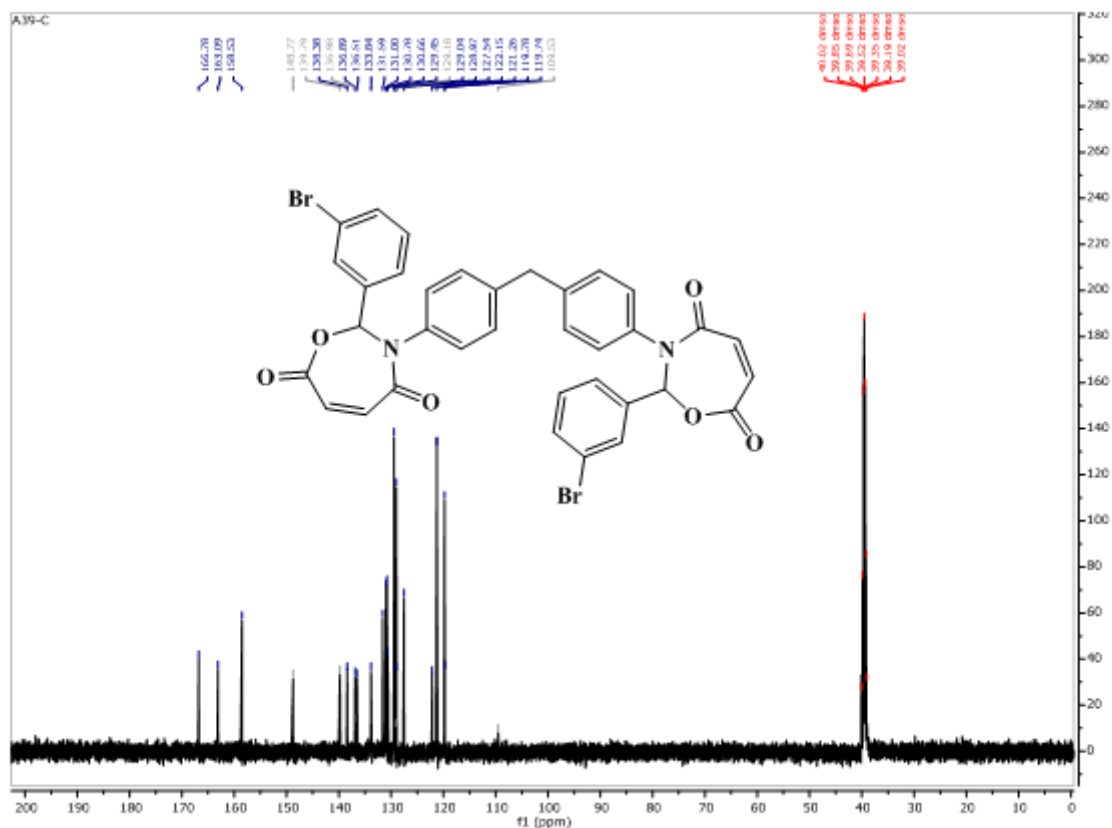


Fig. 5 : ¹³C-NMR spectra for Compound (7c).

¹), (=C-H) at (3041-3022 cm⁻¹) aliphatic, (C-H) at (2999-2834 cm⁻¹), lactone (C=O) at (1722-1629 cm⁻¹), lactam (C=O) at (1661-1625 cm⁻¹), aromatic ring (C=C) at (1596-1443 cm⁻¹) (Silverstein *et al.*, 2005). Figure (3) FT-IR spectra for (3b) compound as illustration.

¹H-NMR spectra of the prepared 1,3-oxazepine derivatives showed signals of the following groups at δ ppm range: O-CH-N at range (2H,s, 10.39-9.85), aromatic protons at range (16H, m,8.15-7.02),CH=CH at range (4H, d,6.27-6.48),-CH₂- at range (1H, s, 3.99-3.87), Ar-OCH₃ at range (6H, s,3.86-3.80), CH₂-CH₂ at range (2H, s,2.54-2.44) (Timothy, 2009). Figure (4)¹H-NMR spectra for(5c)compound as illustration.

¹³C-NMR spectra of the prepared 1,3-oxazepine derivatives showed signals of the following groups at δ ppm range: O-(CO) at range (2C, 173.86-166.77), N-(CO) at range (2C, 169.89-163.06), aromatic carbons at range (24C, 161.82-119.12),CH=CH at range (4C, 136.51-136.45 and 124.14-121.02), O-CH-N at range (2C, 119.76-119.04), -CH₂- at range (2C, 41.52-39.85),Ar-OCH₃ at range (2C, 55.78-55.24), CH₂-CH₂ at range (8H, 31.01-28.80) (Balcim, Basic ¹H- And ¹³C-NMR Spectroscopy, 2004). Figure (5)¹³C-NMR spectra for(7c)compound as illustration.

CONCLUSION

Two moieties of 1,3-oxazepines were successfully synthesized in the same molecule via reactions of Schiff bases as a precursor with Succinic and Maleic anhydride, all reactions have been monitored by TLC and synthesized compounds identified by FT-IR, ¹H.NMR and ¹³C.NMR spectral.

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