

NMR spectroscopic properties of furo[2',3':4,5]pyrrolo[1,2-d][1,2,4]triazine derivatives

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Abstract

The ¹H and ¹³C NMR spectroscopic properties of a series of furo[2',3':4,5]pyrrolo[1,2-d][1,2,4]triazin-8(7H)-ones and -thiones were investigated. The influence of various electron donating as well as electron withdrawing substituents at C-5 or N-7 on ¹H NMR chemical shifts as well as ¹³C chemical shifts at C8 were observed. The 5-chloromethyl group had a little influence on the chemical shift of H-7 proton and the 8-thione group causes deshielding of H-7 as well as H-5 protons in comparison with the C-8 carbonyl group.

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Introduction

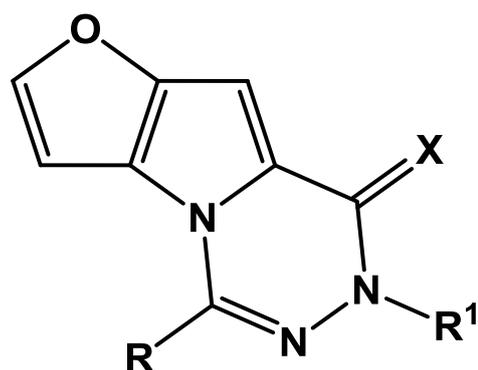
Furo[3,2-*b*]pyrroles are isosteres of the indole ring system in which the benzene ring is replaced by the furan ring. Efficient synthetic routes to these heterocycles are of great interest (Krutošiková *et al.* 1992; Beccalli *et al.* 2008; Zhao *et al.* 2014) as the furo[3,2-*b*]pyrrole core has been found in compounds with diverse biological activities (Sparey *et al.* 2008; Fehér *et al.* 2010) or they are used as the fluorescent dyes (Umezawa *et al.* 2008). Heterocyclic compounds containing five- and six-membered nitrogen heterocyclic rings have also attracted the attention due to the fact that they exhibit many biological interactions (Astakhina *et al.* 2016). In addition, 1,2,4-triazin-6-one is structural system found in numerous natural and synthetic biologically active compounds with a wide range of biological activity including anti-inflammatory (George *et al.* 2015) or anticonvulsant (El-Gendy *et al.* 2008). We have recently reported the synthesis of furo[2',3':4,5]pyrrolo[1,2-*d*][1,2,4]triazin-8(7H)-ones with interesting antibacterial activity

(Zemanová *et al.* 2017), but more complex spectroscopic studies were realised only on benzothieno[3,2-*d*]-1,2,3-triazines (Lauria *et al.* 2014) or 7-aryl-7H-pyrazolo[3,4-*d*]-[1,2,3]triazin-4-ols (Khutova *et al.* 2012). Therefore we report here on the NMR spectroscopic properties of the full series.

Results and Discussion

The title compounds **1a-1c** (Fig. 1) are well accessible from methyl 4*H*-furo[3,2-*b*]pyrrole-5-carboxylate *via* its hydrazinolysis and subsequent cyclization of hydrazides with orthoesters (triethyl orthoformate, triethyl orthochloroacetate or triethyl orthoacetate) in dimethylformamide. Resulting furo[2',3':4,5]pyrrolo[1,2-*d*][1,2,4]triazin-8(7H)-ones **1** were obtained in 69-75%. The carbonyl group at C-8 of triazine ring of **1a** can be easily thionated by reaction with phosphorus pentasulfide in pyridine to give thione **2a** in 85% yield. Alkylation or acylation of triazines **1a** and **2a** with alkylhalides (CH₃I, n-C₆H₉Br, ClCH₂CO₂Me)

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	X	R	R1
1a	O	H	H
1b	O	CH ₂ Cl	H
1c	O	CH ₃	H
1d	O	H	CH ₃
1e	O	H	n-C ₄ H ₉
1f	O	H	CH ₂ Ph
1g	O	H	CH ₂ CO ₂ CH ₃
1h	O	H	COCH ₃
2a	S	H	H
2b	S	H	CH ₃
2c	S	H	CH ₂ CO ₂ CH ₃

Fig. 1. Structure of furo[2',3':4,5]pyrrolo[1,2-d][1,2,4]triazin-8(7H)-ones **1** and thiones **2**.

or acetic anhydride in dimethylformamide in the presence of sodium hydride provided 7-substituted triazinones **1d-1h** or thiones **2b, 2c** (Fig.1) in 45-72 % yields (Zemanová *et al.* 2017).

¹H NMR Spectroscopy

The influence of various substituents (C5)-R and

(N7)-R¹ on ¹H NMR chemical shifts of the protons in triazinones **1** and triazinethiones **2** were investigated (Table 1). The influence of C-5 substituent (H, CH₂Cl, CH₃) on chemical shifts of the protons of derivatives **1a-1c** showed the slight increasing of the chemical shift value of H-7 proton in case of electron withdrawing group (CH₂Cl) at C-5 (Fig. 2).

Table 1. ¹H NMR chemical shifts of furo[2',3':4,5]pyrrolo[1,2-d][1,2,4]triazin-8(7H)-ones **1a-1h** and thiones **2a-2c** in DMSO-d₆.

	Chemical shift (ppm)					other
	H-2	H-3	H-5	H-7	H-9	
1a	8.00	7.11	8.75	11.81	7.14	-
1b	7.97	6.67	-	12.09	6.88	5:09 (CH ₂)
1c	7.99	7.15	-	11.65	7.10	2.60 (CH ₃)
1d	7.99	7.09	8.81	-	7.14	3.56 (CH ₃)
1e	7.99	7.09	8.82	-	7.13	3.99 (t, CH ₂), 1.73 (sextet, CH ₂), 1.37 (sextet, CH ₂), 0.93 (t, CH ₃)
1f	8.01	7.09	8.83	-	7.19	5.17 (CH ₂)
1g	8.01	7.09	8.83	-	7.20	4.77 (CH ₂), 3.67 (CH ₃)
1h	8.09	7.11	8.83	-	7.39	2.59 (CH ₂)
2a	8.09	7.15	9.16	13.29	7.29	-
2b	8.31	7.34	10.98	-	7:76	4.17 (CH ₃)
2c	8.11	7.15	9.24	-	7.36	5.32 (CH ₂), 3.67 (CH ₃)

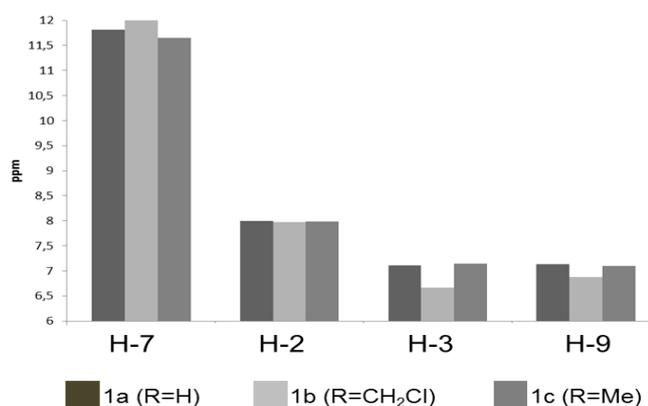


Fig. 2. The influence of substituent on C-5 of **1a-1c** on the chemical shifts of protons in ¹H NMR.

As it is shown in Table 1, the presence either electron withdrawing either electron donating substituents at N-7 has no significant influence on the chemical shifts of protons in compounds **1d-1h** in comparison with N-7 unsubstituted derivative **1a**. The values of H-2 shifts are in 7.99-8.09 ppm region, H-3 resonate in 7.09-7.11 ppm. In case of H-5 the range is only

8.81-8.83 ppm. The chemical shifts of H-9 are in 7.14 - 7.39 ppm range (Fig. 3). When the carbonyl group at C-8 was replaced by thione, the chemical shifts of H-2 and H-3 were not significantly influenced, but the shifts of H-5 significantly deshielded to 9.16 - 10.98 ppm. Deshielding of H-7 protons is not so remarkable, except **2b** with value 7.76 ppm (Fig. 4).

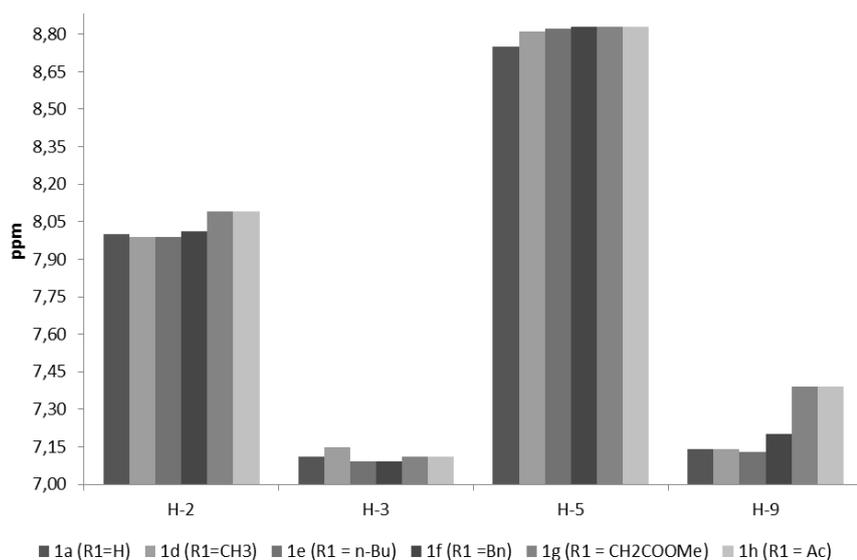


Fig. 3. The influence of substituent on N-7 of **1a**, **1d-1h** on the chemical shifts of protons in ^1H NMR.

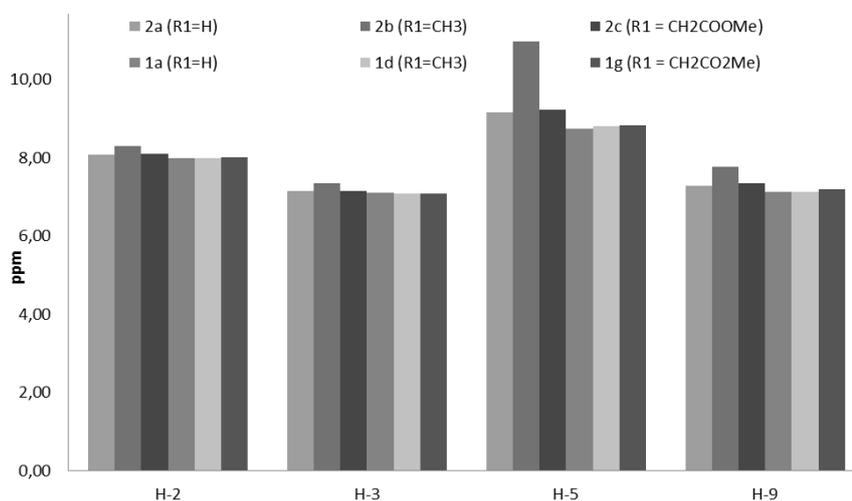


Fig. 4. The influence of C-8 thione group of **2a-2c** on the chemical shifts of protons in ^1H NMR in comparison with C-8 carbonyl compounds **1a**, **1d** and **1g**.

^{13}C NMR Spectroscopy

There was very little variation in the C-8 (C=O) signal of triazinones **1a-1h** (Table 1). The range was only 153.7-154.6 ppm. C-8a carbons resonate at 123.6-125.7 ppm and C-5 carbons resonate

at 127.7-35.7 ppm, respectively. When the carbonyl group is replaced by thione, the value of C-8 signal of **2a-2c** has deshielded and appear at 173.1-162.3 ppm region, signals of C-8a appear at 130.5-130.9 ppm and C-5 at 131.6-144.8 ppm region, respectively (Table 2).

Table 2. ^{13}C NMR chemical shifts of furo[2',3':4,5]pyrrolo[1,2-*d*][1,2,4]triazin-8(7*H*)-ones **1a-1h** and thiones **2a-2c** in DMSO-*d*₆.

	Chemical shift (ppm)							
	C-2	C-3	C-3a	C-5	C-8	C-8a	C-9	C-9a
1a	149.5	100.0	123.5	127.7	155.2	124.8	92.4	148.4
1b	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1c	149.8	101.7	123.9	135.7	155.3	125.6	92.9	148.9
1d	149.9	100.6	123.8	127.8	154.6	124.9	93.0	149.2
1e	150.0	100.6	123.8	128.0	154.3	124.9	93.3	149.3
1f	149.7	100.1	123.5	128.3	153.9	124.2	93.2	148.7
1g	149.7	99.8	123.5	127.5	153.7	123.6	93.2	148.3
1h	151.6	100.7	124.3	128.6	154.4	125.7	97.6	149.2
2a	150.5	100.2	123.9	131.7	173.1	130.5	95.3	149.4
2b	157.7	106.1	125.9	144.8	162.3	130.9	99.7	156.5
2c	150.9	100.4	127.9	131.6	167.4	130.6	96.8	150.9

The ^{13}C NMR spectrum was unmeasurable because of the low solubility of **1b**.

Conclusions

The chemical shifts in ^1H and ^{13}C NMR spectra of series of furo[2',3':4,5]pyrrolo[1,2-*d*][1,2,4]triazin-8(7*H*)-ones were investigated. Among the C-5 substituted compounds the little influence of electron withdrawing chloromethyl group on the chemical shift of H-7 proton was observed, while the substitution on N-7 has no significant influence on the chemical shifts of protons. Thione group at C-8 causes deshielding of H-7 as well as H-5 protons in comparison with the C-8 carbonyl group. ^{13}C NMR spectra of **1a-1h** showed only little variation of signals, the significant influence of thione group of **2a-2c** on C-8, C-8a and C-5 chemical shifts deshielding in comparison with C-8 carbonyl was observed.

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