

# One Pot Synthesis of Some New Pyrazole Containing Octahydroquinazolinone Derivatives Catalyzed by *p*-Toluenesulfonic Acid in Water

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**Abstract:** A novel green and efficient one-pot three component reaction synthesis of octahydroquinazolinone compounds (**4a-l**) in good yield has been reported. The methodology initially involved the formation of targeted compounds *via* reaction of a variety of pyrazolo carbaldehydes with dimedone and urea /thiourea in the presence of catalytic amount of *p*-TsOH in water. The structures of synthesized compounds were confirmed by spectral data.

**Keywords:** Octahydroquinazolinone, Pyrazole, Multicomponent

## Introduction

Pyrazole and quinazolinone containing molecules are of particular interest, especially in the field of medicinal chemistry<sup>1</sup>. For example, several classes of agrochemicals<sup>2,3</sup> and pharmaceuticals<sup>4,6</sup> discovered and identified. Quinazolinone derivatives have attracted considerable attention since they exhibit potent antibacterial activity<sup>7,8</sup>. Synthesis of quinazolinone derivatives have been developed several methods. Multicomponent reactions (MCRs) have emerged as a powerful tool in heterocyclic synthesis<sup>9,10</sup>. There are few reports on synthesis of octahydroquinazolinone derivatives with aromatic aldehydes using catalysts such as conc. H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub><sup>9</sup>, NH<sub>4</sub>VO<sub>3</sub><sup>10</sup> and ionic liquid<sup>11,12</sup> in multicomponent reaction<sup>13</sup>. Octahydroquinazolinone derivatives are synthesized in absolute ethanol but with low yields of products (19–69%)<sup>8</sup>. So the development of new carbaldehydes derivative with an environmentally friendly and high-yielding, green approach in the reaction. TsOH<sup>14</sup> has facile and eco friendly catalyst. We use the *para*-Toluenesulphonilic acid (*p*-TsOH) as an organic acid catalyst and water as a solvent. Select the bases of economic and easily availability will make this reaction eco friendly. These views introduce the synthesis of some new Octahydroquinazolinone derivatives. So we used water as a solvent and *p*-TsOH as a catalyst in the one pot reaction of dimedone (1), urea/ thiourea (2) and pyrazole containing carbaldehyde<sup>15,16</sup> (**3a-f**).

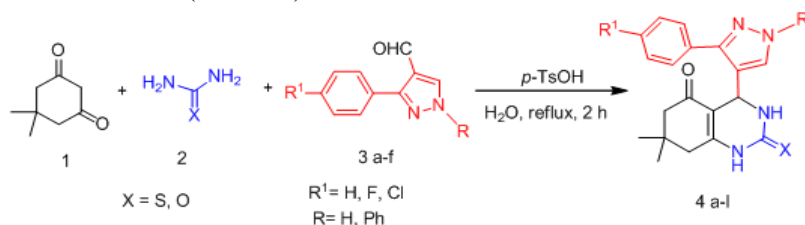
## Experimental

The completion of reactions of prepare compounds were checked by thin-layer chromatography (TLC) on aluminum plates coated with silica gel 60 F<sub>254</sub>, 0.25 mm thickness (Merck). Separation of compounds was carried out by column chromatography using silica gel (100-200 mesh). Melting points were determined by open capillary method using a melting point apparatus Buchi Melting Point B-540 apparatus and are uncorrected. IR spectra were recorded with KBr discs (for solids), with a Shimadzu FTIR-8400S instrument and are expressed in cm<sup>-1</sup>. NMR spectra were recorded at 25.0 °C with a Bruker Avance III 400 spectrometer operating at 400 MHz for <sup>1</sup>H and 100MHz for <sup>13</sup>C instrument DMSO-d<sub>6</sub> using as solvent and tetramethylsilane (TMS) as the internal standard (0.00 ppm). Chemical shifts values were given in δ (ppm) scales.

## Synthesis

### *Synthesis of 7,7-dimethyl-4-(3-phenyl-1H-pyrazol-4-yl)-3,4,7,8-tetra hydroquinazoline-2,5(1H,6H)-dione*

The reaction of carbaldehyde (0.01 mol), 5,5-dimethyl-1,3-cyclohexanedione (0.01 mol), and thiourea (0.015 mol) in the presence of *p*-TsOH (5 mmol%) was found to be complete within 2 h, as indicated by TLC, in refluxing water (H<sub>2</sub>O 20 mL) and 4-phenyl-7,7-dimethyl-5-oxo-1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8-octahydroquinazoline-2-thione **4a** in 92% yield precipitated from the reaction mixture on cooling to room temperature. Precipitate was filtered and recrystallize with ethanol (Scheme1).



Scheme 1

## Results and Discussion

### *7,7-Dimethyl-4-(3-phenyl-1H-pyrazol-4-yl)-3,4,7,8-tetrahydroquinazoline-2,5(1H,6H)-dione (4a)*

Milky White solid, 92% yield, mp-203 °C; IR (KBr):3214,17321678 <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>,400 MHz) δ7.67(d,2H J=5.0Hz) δ7.34 (s,1H) δ7.02-6.94 (m,5H) δ5.59 (s,1H) δ4.78 (s,1H) δ2.26-2.29 (d,2H J=16Hz) δ1.06(s,3H) δ0.96 (s,3H) <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz): δ 196.76, 179.65, 136.78, 132.15, 131.11, 129.31, 128.79, 128.41, 117.34, 115.62, 33.89, 32.41, 27.39, 23.21 ms(ESI+); *m/z*: 336.29[M+H]<sup>+</sup> Mol.Formula: C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>20</sub>N<sub>4</sub>O<sub>2</sub>.

### *4-(3-(4-Fluorophenyl)-1H-pyrazol-4-yl)-7,7-dimethyl-3,4,7,8-tetrahydroquinazoline-2,5(1H,6H)-dione (4b)*

Milky White solid, 90% yield, mp-215 °C; IR(KBr): 3230, 1743, 1650, <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>,400 MHz) δ7.89 (d,2H J=8.0Hz) δ7.46 (s,1H) δ7.11-7.02 (m,4H) δ5.93 (s,1H) δ4.89(s,1H) δ2.31-2.35 (d,2H J=16Hz) δ1.10(s,3H) δ0.99 (s,3H) <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz): δ 198.64, 181.64, 146.45, 142.23, 141.28, 136.45, 133.44, 130.64, 128.41, 117.34, 115.62, 35.89, 33.71, 30.59, 28.63, 27.35 ms(ESI+); *m/z*: 354.27 [M+H]<sup>+</sup>. Mol. Formula: C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>19</sub>FN<sub>4</sub>O<sub>2</sub>.

*4-(3-(4-Chlorophenyl)-1H-pyrazol-4-yl)-7,7-dimethyl-3,4,7,8-tetra hydroquinazoline-2,5(1H,6H)-dione (4c)*

Milky White solid, 95% yield, mp-194 °C, IR (KBr):3222,1753,1642, <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>,400MHz) δ7.72(d,2H J=10.0Hz) δ 7.40 (s,1H) δ 6.95-7.02 (m,4H) δ5.42 (s,1H) δ 4.70(s,1H ) δ2.27-2.30 (d, 2H J=16Hz) δ 1.15 (s,3H) δ0.93(s,3H) <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100MHz) δ 192.14, 176.26, 142.15, 141.03, 140.67, 134.12, 133.21, 129.14, 128.17, 117.04, 114.52, 35.53, 32.43, 29.91, 29.14, 26.04 ms(ESI+): *m/z*: 370.10 [M+H]<sup>+</sup>. Mol. Formula: C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>19</sub>ClN<sub>4</sub>O<sub>2</sub>.

*4-(1,3-Diphenyl-1H-pyrazol-4-yl)-7,7-dimethyl-3,4,7,8-tetrahydro quinazoline-2,5 (1H,6H)-dione (4d)*

Milky White solid, 96% yield, mp-185 °C; IR (KBr):3257,1742,1632 <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>,400 MHz) δ7.58 (d,2H J=10.0Hz) δ6.55-6.50 (m,5H) δ6.43-6.36 (m,5H) δ5.12 (s,1H) δ4.53 (s,1H) δ2.07-2.11 (d,2H J=16Hz) δ1.03(s,3H) δ0.96 (s,3H) <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100MHz): δ189.12, 178.43, 146.45, 143.83, 143.65, 142.06, 141.73, 141.28, 134.42, 132.42, 130.34, 129.34, 118.46, 115.62, 34.89, 32.71, 29.59, 28.63, 26.35, ms(ESI+): *m/z*: 412.42 [M+H]<sup>+</sup>. Mol.Formula: C<sub>25</sub>H<sub>24</sub>N<sub>4</sub>O<sub>2</sub>.

*4-(3-(4-Fluorophenyl)-1-phenyl-1H-pyrazol-4-yl)-7,7-dimethyl-3,4,7,8-tetrahydro-quinazoline-2,5(1H,6H)-dione (4e)*

Milky White solid, 89% yield, mp-202 °C; IR(KBr): 32558,1749,1643 <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>,400MHz) δ7.76(d,2H J=10.0Hz) δ6.79-6.83 (m,4H) δ6.45-7.49 (m,5H) δ5.27 (s,1H) δ4.68 (s,1H) δ2.27-2.23 (d,2H J=16Hz) δ1.13 (s,3H) δ 0.99(s, 3H) <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz): δ 193.45, 181.63, 147.87, 144.43, 143.92 143.04, 142.61, 141.91, 136.79, 132.42, 132.41, 129.44, 119.67, 117.42, 34.96, 33.11, 30.59, 28.69, 26.83, ms(ESI+): *m/z*: 430.05 [M+H]<sup>+</sup>. Mol.Formula: C<sub>25</sub>H<sub>23</sub>FN<sub>4</sub>O<sub>2</sub>.

*4-(3-(4-chlorophenyl)-1-phenyl-1H-pyrazol-4-yl)-7,7-dimethyl-3,4,7,8-tetrahydro-quinazoline-2,5(1H,6H)-dione (4f)*

Milky White solid, 92% yield, mp-189 °C; IR (KBr): 3257,1742,1632 <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>,400 MHz) δ7.62(d,2H J=8.0 Hz) δ6.67-6.72 (m,4H) δ6.52-7.57 (m,5H) δ5.05 (s,1H) δ4.65(s,1H) δ2.17-2.21 (d,2H J= 16Hz) δ1.11 (s,3H) δ0.98(s,3H) <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz): δ 192.52, 179.32, 145.72, 143.57, 143.11, 142.80, 142.23, 141.54, 134.95, 131.22, 130.81, 129.12, 120.38, 117.21, 33.66, 32.64, 28.49, 27.37, 26.63, ms(ESI+): *m/z*: 446.03 [M+H]<sup>+</sup>. Mol.Formula: C<sub>25</sub>H<sub>24</sub>ClN<sub>4</sub>O<sub>2</sub>.

*7,7-Dimethyl-4-(3-phenyl-1H-pyrazol-4-yl)-2-thioxo-1,2,3,4,7,8-hexahydroquinazolin-5(6H)-one (4g)*

Milky White solid, 92% yield, mp-201 °C; IR (KBr): 3218,1763,1642, <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>,400MHz) δ7.71(d,2H, J=8.0Hz) δ7.36 (s,1H) δ7.15-7.01 (m,5H) δ5.67 (s,1H) δ4.81(s,1H ) δ2.28-2.32 (d,2H, J=16Hz) δ1.11(s,3H) δ0.98(s,3H) <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 100 MHz): δ 197.19, 178.85, 138.78, 137.18, 132.62, 129.81, 129.59, 128.84, 118.15, 115.82, 34.39, 31.89, 29.53,27.71, ms(ESI+): *m/z*: 352.64 [M+H]<sup>+</sup>. Mol.Formula: C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>20</sub>N<sub>4</sub>O<sub>2</sub>S.

*4-(3-(4-Fluorophenyl)-1H-pyrazol-4-yl)-7,7-dimethyl-2-thioxo-1,2,3,4,7,8-hexahydroquinazolin-5(6H)-one (4h)*

Milky White solid, 89% yield, mp-205°C; IR (KBr): 3269,1762,1647, <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>,400 MHz) δ7.90(d,2H J=8.0Hz) δ7.50 (s,1H) δ7.17-7.23 (m,4H) δ5.96 (s,1H) δ 4.89(s,1H)

$\delta$ 2.36-2.39 (d,2H  $J=12$ Hz)  $\delta$  1.13(s,3H)  $\delta$ 0.99(s,3H)  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz):  $\delta$  198.64, 182.64, 146.45, 142.23, 141.28, 136.45, 133.44, 130.64, 128.41, 124.96, 120.51, 36.83, 32.98, 31.45, 29.36, 27.46 ms(ESI+):  $m/z$ : 370.31 [M+H]<sup>+</sup>. Mol. Formula: C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>19</sub>FN<sub>4</sub>OS.

*4-(3-(4-Chlorophenyl)-1H-pyrazol-4-yl)-7,7-dimethyl-2-thioxo-1,2,3,4,7,8-hexahydroquinazolin-5(6H)-one (4i)*

Milky White solid, 94% yield, mp-182 °C; IR (KBr): 3254,1761,1632  $^1\text{H}$  NMR(DMSO- $d_6$ ,400 MHz)  $\delta$ 7.70(d,2H,  $J=12.0$ Hz)  $\delta$ 7.42 (s,1H)  $\delta$ 6.98-7.05 (m,4H)  $\delta$ 5.44 (s,1H)  $\delta$ 4.76(s,1H)  $\delta$ 2.28-2.32 (d,2H  $J=16$ Hz)  $\delta$ 1.12 (s,3H)  $\delta$ 0.98 (s,3H)  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100MHz):  $\delta$ 197.87, 181.33, 147.76, 143.47, 143.52, 141.89, 141.43, 140.34, 134.53, 124.96, 120.51, 36.83, 32.98, 29.45, 27.36, 25.46, ms(ESI+):  $m/z$ : 386.72 [M+H]<sup>+</sup>. Mol. Formula: C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>19</sub>ClN<sub>4</sub>OS.

*4-(1,3-Diphenyl-1H-pyrazol-4-yl)-7,7-dimethyl-2-thioxo-1,2,3,4,7,8-hexahydroquinazolin-5(6H)-one (4j)*

Milky White solid, 95% yield, mp-196 °C; IR (KBr): 3261,1726,1644  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,400 MHz)  $\delta$ 7.60 (d,2H  $J=10.0$ Hz)  $\delta$ 6.57-6.65 (m,5H)  $\delta$ 6.40-6.33 (m,5H)  $\delta$ 5.25 (s,1H)  $\delta$ 4.59 (s,1H)  $\delta$ 2.11-2.14 (d,2H,  $J=12$ Hz)  $\delta$ 1.04 (s,3H)  $\delta$ 0.98(s,3H)  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100MHz):  $\delta$  190.24, 179.51, 145.73, 143.46, 143.11 142.70, 142.24, 141.41, 134.98, 132.02, 131.65, 128.34, 119.67, 117.69, 34.66, 31.35, 30.21, 28.23, 26.33, ms (ESI+):  $m/z$ : 428.11 [M+H]<sup>+</sup>. Mol.Formula: C<sub>25</sub>H<sub>24</sub>N<sub>4</sub>OS.

*4-(3-(4-Fluorophenyl)-1-phenyl-1H-pyrazol-4-yl)-7,7-dimethyl-2-thioxo-1,2,3,4,7,8-hexahydroquinazolin-5(6H)-one (4k)*

Milky White solid, 93%yield, mp-173 °C; IR(KBr): 3254,1749,1639  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,400MHz)  $\delta$ 7.82(d,2H,  $J=10.0$ Hz)  $\delta$ 6.79-6.88 (m,4H)  $\delta$ 6.48-7.55 (m,5H)  $\delta$ 5.34 (s,1H)  $\delta$ 4.79 (s,1H)  $\delta$ 2.29-2.33 (d,2H,  $J=16$  Hz)  $\delta$ 1.14 (s,3H)  $\delta$ 1.04(s,3H)  $^{13}\text{C}$ NMR (100 MHz):  $\delta$ 193.45, 181.63, 147.64, 144.77, 144.12 143.65, 142.96, 142. 14, 137.39, 132.97, 132.83, 130.76, 120.36, 118.61, 35.34, 33.84, 31.65, 29.12, 27.67, ms (ESI+):  $m/z$ : 445.57 [M+H]<sup>+</sup>. Mol.Formula: C<sub>25</sub>H<sub>23</sub>FN<sub>4</sub>OS.

*4-(3-(4-Chlorophenyl)-1-phenyl-1H-pyrazol-4-yl)-7,7-dimethyl-2-thioxo-1,2,3,4,7,8-hexahydroquinazolin-5(6H)-one (4l)*

Milky White solid, 92% yield, mp-221 °C; IR (KBr): 3254,1723,1651  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,400 MHz)  $\delta$ 7.66(d,2H,  $J=12.0$ Hz)  $\delta$ 6.69-6.76 (m,4H)  $\delta$ 6.56-7.64 (m,5H)  $\delta$ 5.12 (s,1H)  $\delta$ 4.72(s,1H)  $\delta$ 2.21-2.25 (d,2H,  $J=16$  Hz)  $\delta$ 1.12 (s,3H)  $\delta$ 1.01(s,3H)  $^{13}\text{C}$ NMR (100 MHz):  $\delta$ 192.89, 181.43, 146.72, 144.73, 143.36, 142.94, 142.67, 141.85, 135.43, 131.64, 131.64, 129.63, 122.58, 119.38, 33.96, 33.14, 29.34, 28.78, 27.31, ms(ESI+):  $m/z$ : 462.82 [M+H]<sup>+</sup>. Mol.Formula: C<sub>25</sub>H<sub>19</sub>ClN<sub>4</sub>OS.

## Conclusion

In present methodology water was using as a solvent due to low toxicity, no inflammability, and including its low cost. We successfully synthesized octahydroquinazoline-2(1H)-thiones and octahydroquinazolin-2(1H)-ones derivatives with excellent yields by one pot reaction of pyrazole containing aldehydes with dimedone and thiourea or urea in the presence of catalytic amount of *p*-TsOH in water.

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