

# Trailblazing Synthesis and Study of Aryl Substituted 1,3-Thiazine and its Nanoparticles with Special Reference to Plant Pathogens of Some Vegetable Crops

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**Abstract:** The synthesis, spectral analysis and biological activities of 4-phenyl-2-hydroxy-chlorosubstituted-2-imino-1,3 thiazines have been carried out. In this case 4-(2'-hydroxy-3',5'-dichlorophenyl)-6-(4''-nitrophenyl)-2-iminophenyl-6H-3N-phenyl-1,3-thiazine (C) has been screened. The compound (C) was synthesized from 2'-hydroxy-3,5-dichlorophenyl-4-(4''-nitrophenyl) chalcone (a) by the action of diphenylthiourea. The compound (a) was synthesized from 2'-hydroxy-3',5'-dichloroacetophenone by the action of p-nitrobenzaldehyde in ethanol and 40% NaOH. The nanoparticles of the compound (C) has been prepared by using ultrasonic technique. The titled compound and its nanoparticles were assayed for antipathogenic impact against some common crop pathogens viz - *Aspergillus niger*, *Pseudomonas lachrymans*, *Fusarium oxysporum* and *Fusarium solani*.

**Keywords:** Chalcone, thiazine, diphenylthiourea, antipathogenic activities.

## 1. Introduction

Thiazine is a six membered ring system, which contains two hetero atoms [N and S] placed in a heterocyclic ring at 1, 3 positions. Many workers have synthesized different 1,3-thiazines. The researchers have reported the synthesis of several thiazines<sup>1-6</sup> and also their potent biological activities such as antibacterial<sup>7</sup>, antimicrobial<sup>8-9</sup> antifungal<sup>10</sup>, plant pathogenic activity<sup>11</sup>, pesticidal activity<sup>12</sup>, insecticidal activity<sup>13</sup>, and cancer<sup>14</sup>. Moreover, thiazine nucleus is a pharmacophore of cephalosporin that occupy a very important place in the field, of antibiotics and drug chemistry. Chalcones and their analogues having  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ -unsaturated carbonyl system are very versatile substrates for the evolution of various reactions and physiologically active compounds. The reaction of thiourea with  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ -unsaturated ketones also results in the formation of 1,3-thiazines. The chlorosubstituted thiazines with amino group at position 2 in the ring exhibit promising biological activities<sup>15-19</sup>. Plant pathology deals with the cause etiology, resulting losses and control or management of the plant diseases. The normal physiological functions of the plants are disturbed when they are affected by pathogenic living organisms or by some environmental factors. As a result of the disease, plant

growth is reduced, deformed or even the plant dies. Plant diseases are caused by the pathogens like *fungi*, *bacteria*, *viruses* etc.

In the present study, the chlorosubstituted 1,3-thiazine (C) has been prepared along with its nanoparticles and were assayed for antipathogenic impact against some common crop pathogens viz - *Aspergillus niger*, *Pseudomonas lachrymans*, *Fusarium oxysporum* and *Fusarium solani*.

## 2. Experimental

All the glassware's used in the present work were of pyrex quality. Melting points were determined in hot paraffin bath and are uncorrected. The purity of compounds was monitored on silica gel coated TLC plate. IR spectra were recorded on Perkin-Elmer spectrophotometer in KBr pellets, <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectra on spectrophotometer in CDCl<sub>3</sub> with TMS as internal standard. UV spectra were recorded in nujol medium. The analytical data of the titled compounds was highly satisfactory. All the chemicals used were of analytical grade. All the solvents used were purified by standard methods. Physical characterisation data of all the compounds is given in Table 1.

**Table 1:** Characterisation data of newly synthesized compounds

Compounds	Molecular formula	M.P. in °C	% of yield	% of element			
				C	H	N	S
	C <sub>8</sub> H <sub>6</sub> O <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub>	54	80	47.90/48	2.95/3		
a	C <sub>15</sub> H <sub>9</sub> O <sub>4</sub> NCl <sub>2</sub>	250	70	53.10/53.25	2.40/2.66	3.98/4.18	
C	C <sub>28</sub> H <sub>19</sub> O <sub>3</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub> N <sub>3</sub> S	172	70	61.28/61.42	2.98/3.29	7.42/7.68	5.67/5.85

**2'-Hydroxy 3',5'-dichloroacetophenone:**

2'-Hydroxy-5-chloroacetophenone (3g) was dissolved in acetic acid (5 ml), and mixed with sodium acetate (3g). To this reaction mixture chlorine in acetic acid reagent (40 ml; 7.5 w/v) was added dropwise with stirring. The temperature of the reaction mixture was maintained below 20°C. The mixture was allowed to stand for 30 minutes and then poured into water. A pale- yellow solid thus obtained was filtered, dried and crystallized from ethanol to yield the compound.

**Preparation of 2'-hydroxy-3,5-dichlorophenyl-4-(4''-nitrophenyl)-chalcone (a):**

2'-Hydroxy-3',5'-dichloroacetophenone (0.1 mol) was dissolved in ethanol (50 ml) and p-nitrobenzaldehyde (0.1 mol) was added gradually to the solution and the mixture was heated to boiling. Then aqueous sodium hydroxide solution [40%; 40 ml] was added dropwise with constant stirring. The mixture was stirred mechanically at room temperature for about half an hour and kept for overnight. It was then acidified by hydrochloric acid (10%) solution. The solid product thus separated, was filtered, and washed with sodium bicarbonate (10%) followed by water. Finally it was crystallized from ethanol acetic acid mixture to get the compound (a).

**Preparation of 4-(2'-hydroxy-3',5'-dichlorophenyl)-6-(4''-nitrophenyl)-2- iminophenyl-6H-3N-phenyl-1,3-thiazine (C):**

2'-Hydroxy-3,5-dichlorophenyl-4-(4''-nitrophenyl)-chalcone (a) (0.01 mol) and diphenyl thiourea (0.02 mol) were dissolved in ethanol (30 ml). To this aqueous KOH solution (0.02 mol) was added. The reaction mixture was refluxed for

three hours, cooled, diluted with water and acidified with conc. HCl. The product thus obtained was crystallized from ethanol to get the compound (C).

The newly synthesized compound was characterised on the basis of elemental analysis, molecular determination, UV, IR, NMR. spectral data.

**The UV, IR, and NMR spectral data:****Compound (C):****UV:** Spectrum No. 01

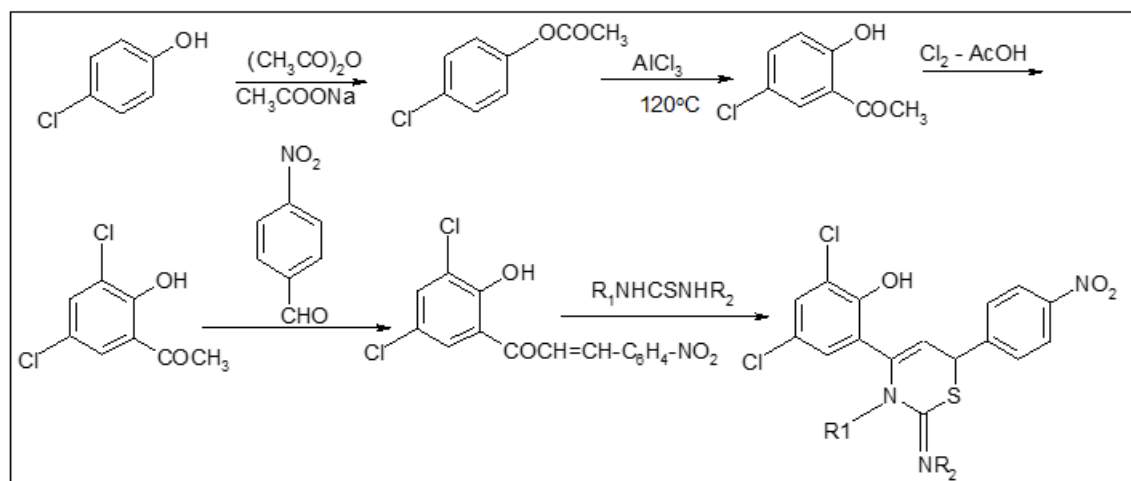
The UV-Vis spectrum of the compound C reported in dioxane showed  $\lambda_{\max}$  value 385 nm corresponding to n $\rightarrow$  $\pi^*$  transition.

**IR KBr:** Spectrum No. 02

3464.61  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (-OH phenolic), 2797.56  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (aliphatic C-H stretching), 3035.27  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (aromatic C-H stretching), 3206.13  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (-NH stretching), 1649.58  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (-C=N stretching), 1344.11  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (-C-N=) (-C-NO<sub>2</sub>) stretching, 757.35  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (C-Cl stretching in aliphatic), 1108.54  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (C-Cl stretching in aromatic).

**PMR:** Spectrum No. 03

$\delta$  2.51 (d, 1H, -C=C-C-H);  $\delta$  3.3 (d, 1H, C=C-H);  $\delta$  7.09 to 8.07 (m, 17H, Ar-H);  $\delta$  9.6 (s, 1H, O-H).

**Scheme:**

Where:

- 1) R<sub>1</sub> = -C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>5</sub>
- 2) R<sub>2</sub> = -C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>5</sub>

**3. Experimental Details and Discussion of Results**

The newly synthesized thiazine (C) and its nanoparticles in the study were tested against some common pathogens for their antifungal and antibacterial activities, using disc diffusion method. The vegetable crop pathogens namely *Aspergillus niger*, *Pseudomonas lachrymans*, *Fusarium oxysporum*, *Fusarium solani* were procured from

Department of Plant Pathology, Punjabrao Deshmukh Agriculture Krishi Vidyapeeth, Akola. The punch discs of 6.25 mm diameter of whatman filter paper No. 1 were prepared and dispensed in the batches of 100 in screw capped bottles. These were sterilized by dry heat at 140°C for 60 minutes. The solutions of 0.01 mole dilution of the nanoparticles of test compounds mentioned in the part V of the study were prepared in dioxane solvent. The discs were soaked assuming that each discs will contain approximately 0.01 ml of the test solution.

The culture media for pathogens was prepared by using the following composition for one litre distilled water.

**Composition of nutrient agar-agar:**

- Peptone : 5.0 g/litre
- Sodium chloride : 5.0 g/litre
- Beef extract : 1.5 g/litre
- Yeast extract : 1.5 g/litre
- Agar : 15.0 g/litre
- pH (approximately): 7.4 + 0.2

The culture medium prepared was sterilized in an autoclave at 15 lbs/inch pressure at 121°C temperature for 15 minutes. After sterilization it was cooled down to about 50°C and poured into presterilized petriplates of 8.5 cm in diameter each and allowed to solidify the nutrient agar medium of about 14 m depth. The petriplates were kept with nutrient broth at 37°C for 4 hours in an incubator.

The cultures of pathogens were inoculated separately in petriplates on the surface nutrient agar broth uniformly with all a septic precautions. The plates were dried again for 30 minutes and without further delay the discs soaked in the test compounds were applied at adequate spacing 2 cm or more apart to the surface medium with the help of sterilized forceps. The discs were pressed gently to ensure their full contacts with the medium. The control was run using plane dioxane solvent for aseptic conditions. The plates were kept in incubator at 37°C for about 18 to 24 hours. Soon after the incubation period is over the degree of sensitivity to test the compounds were determined by measuring the visible clear area of growth free zones [zone of inhibition] produced by diffusion of the antibiotics into media from the discs by calipers in mm. The results are tabulated as:

**Zones of Inhibition (mm)**

**Vegetable Crop Pathogens:  
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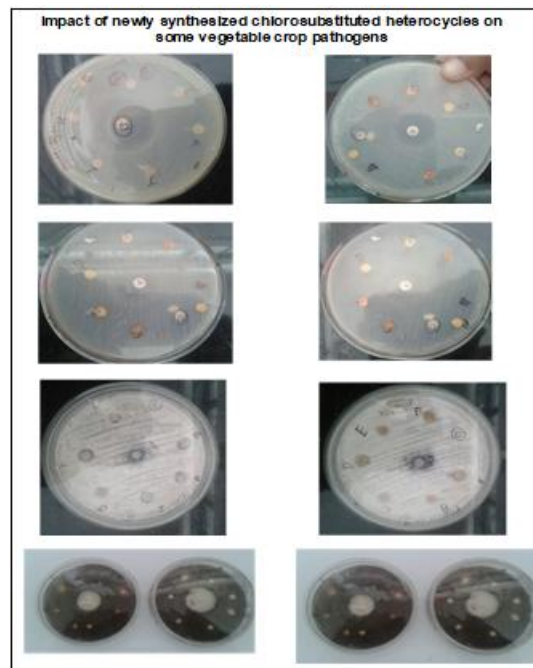
Sr.No.	Aspergillus niger	Pseudomonas lachrymans	Fusarium oxysporum	Fusarium solani
(1) C (7a)	-	1.5 mm	0.5 mm	-
(2) Control	-	-	-	-
(3) Antibacterial agent	-	11 mm	11 mm	-
(4) Antifungal agent	8 mm	-	8 mm	-

- Zero mm : Non active
- 0 – 2 mm : Weakly active
- 3 – 5 mm : Moderately active
- 6 – 8 mm : Active
- 9 – 11 mm : Strongly active
- 12 – 14 mm : Very strongly active

**4. Result and Discussion**

The nanoparticles of test compounds when screened *in vitro* against test vegetable crop pathogens viz. *Aspergillus niger*, *Pseudomonas lachrymans*, *Fusarium oxysporum*, *Fusarium solani* then it was noticed that most of these compounds (C) showed remarkable inhibitory activity against all the test organisms.

Compound C shows remarkable inhibitory activity against vegetable crop pathogen *Pseudomonas lachrymans* & *Fusarium oxysporum*.





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