



Synthesis, Spectral Analysis and Pharmacological Evaluation of Pyrido Thieno Triazolo Pyrimidin

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ABSTRACT

The were two possible convenient methods for synthesis of novel pyrido[3,2-d,5] thieno [3,2-d] [1,2,4]triazolo [5,4-a] pyrimidin-5-ones 8. The reaction between 2,3-dihydro-7,9-dimethyl-2-thioxo-pyrido [3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d] pyrimidin-4(1H)-one 3 or its 2-methylthio derivative 4 with hydrazonoylhalides 5 in dioxane under reflux in presence of triethylamine has been done by first method. The alternative route proceeded via reaction of 3 with the appropriate activechloromethylene compounds followed by coupling the products with benzenediazoniumchloride which afforded the azo coupling products and then was converted in situ to 8. The reaction mechanism was evaluated and the products were investigated for their pharmacology activity.

Keywords : pyrido [3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d][1,2,4] triazolo [5, 4-a] pyrimidin-5-one.

Introduction

Nowadays, the thienopyrimidines are getting particular interest for the synthesis of some non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs (NSAIDs) [1]. Also, they have been

Identified as potent inhibitors of VEGFR-2 kinase [2]. Moreover, condensed heterocycles containing thienopyrimidines have acquired great popularity

in recent years because of their wide variety of spectrum Pharmacological activities including analgesic, anticonvulsant and antimicrobial agents [3]. On the other hand, fused triazoles are proved to have diverse applications as antibacterial-, antidepressant-, antiviral-, antitumoral agents [4,5]. This reaction got inspired us to synthesize new heterocyclic system namely pyrido [3',2':4,5]thieno[3,2-d][1,2,4]triazolo[5,4-a] pyrimidin-5-ones 8. These compounds were studied in continuation of our previous work on the synthesis of bridgehead nitrogen polycyclic heterocycles [6-10].

Experimental

Melting points were recorded on Gallenkamp electrothermal apparatus and are uncorrected. Infrared spectra (KBr) were determined on a Pye Unicam SP-3000 infrared spectrophotometer. ¹H NMR was determined on a Varian Gemini 300 spectrometer (300 MHz) in DMSO-d₆ with TMS as internal standard. Mass spectra were recorded on a GCMS-QP 1000 EX Shimadzu spectrometer. Elemental analyses were carried out at the Microanalytical center. Hydrazonoyl halides 5 [11-16] were prepared by literature methods. The biological evaluation of the products was carried out at the Regional Center for Mycology and Biotechnology at CMJ University, Modrina Mansion Laitumkhrah Shillong Meghalaya.

Synthesis of 3-(ethoxycarbonylamino-carbothioyl amino)-4,6-dimethylthieno[2,3-b] pyridine-2-carboxylate (2).

A solution of ethoxycarbonyl isothiocyanate [prepared by mixing ethyl chloroformate (1.08 g, 10 mmole) in dry acetone with ammonium thiocyanate (0.76 g, 10 mmole) and heating in a water bath for 20 minutes] was added to a stirred solution of ethyl 3-amino-4,6-dimethyl-thieno[2,3-b] pyridine-2-carboxylate 1 [17] (2.50 g, 10 mmole) in acetone (30 mL). The mixture was heated under reflux in a water bath for 2 hours, and then evaporated under vacuum. The remaining product was triturated with ethanol, then collected by filtration, dried and recrystallized from ethanol as yellow crystals of 2. Mp 268 °C; yield 70% - IR 3406, 3384 (2NH), 1689, 1672

(2CO) cm⁻¹ - ¹H NMR d (DMSO-d₆) 1.30 (t, 3H), 1.32 (t, 3H), 4.12 (q, 2H), 4.29 (q, 2H), 2.54 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.82 (s, 3H, CH₃), 7.17 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 11.34 (s, 1H, NH), 14.23 (s, 1H, NH) - MS, m/z (%) 382 (M⁺⁺¹, 26), 381 (M⁺, 60), 205 (100), 131 (12), 65 (13) - C₁₆H₁₉N₃O₄S₂ (381): calcd. C, 50.38; H, 5.02; N, 11.02; S, 16.81; Found: C, 50.21; H, 5.11; N, 10.91; S, 16.73. Synthesis of 2,3-dihydro-7,9-dimethyl-2-thioxopyrido[3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d] pyrimidin-4(1H)-one (3).

Compound 2 (0.381 g, 1 mmol) was dissolved in a solution of sodium ethoxide [prepared by dissolving (0.23 g, 10 mg-atom) of sodium metal in absolute ethanol (20 mL)] and the solution was heated under reflux for 30 minutes. The solvent was evaporated in vacuum, some water was added to the residue, and the mixture was acidified to pH = 4 with hydrochloric acid. The product which separated was collected and recrystallized from dioxane as white crystals of 3. Mp 312 °C [Lit. mp > 300] [18], yield 70% - IR 3220, 3360 (2NH), 1680 (CO) cm⁻¹ - ¹H NMR d (DMSO-d₆) 2.50 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.84 (s, 3H, CH₃), 7.05 (s, 1H, Pyr-HH), 9.11 (s, 1H, NH), 11.00 (s, 1H) - MS, m/z (%) 264 (M⁺⁺¹, 12), 263 (M⁺, 100), 205 (40), 131 (12), 65 (10) - C₁₁H₉N₃O₂S₂ (263): calcd. C, 50.17; H, 3.44; N, 15.96; S, 24.35; Found: C, 50.02; H, 3.31; N, 15.64; S, 24.28.

Synthesis of 7,9-dimethyl-2-methylthiopyrido [3',2':4,5]thieno [3,2-d] pyrimidin-4(3H)-one (4).

To a suspension of 2,3-dihydro-7,9-dimethyl-2-thioxopyrido [3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d] pyrimidin-4(1H)-one 3 (2.63 g, 10 mmol) in DMF (20 mL) in the presence of anhydrous K₂CO₃ (2.07 g, 15 mmol), was added methyl iodide (1.42 g, 10 mmol). The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for one hour then poured into ice water. The solid formed was filtered, washed with water, dried and recrystallized from DMF to give white crystals of 4. Mp 287 °C; yield 78% - IR 3332 (NH), 1666 (CO) cm⁻¹ - ¹H NMR d (DMSO-d₆) 2.49 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.86 (s, 3H, CH₃), 3.11 (s, 3H, SCH₃), 7.11 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 11.08 (s, 1H) - MS, m/z (%) 278 (M⁺⁺¹, 0.23), 277 (M⁺, 0.65), 250 (85), 204 (100), 132 (19) - C₁₂H₁₁N₃O₂S₂ (277): calcd. C, 51.96; H, 4.00; N, 15.15; S, 23.12; Found: C, 51.68; H, 4.03; N, 15.01; S, 23.08. Synthesis of 8,10-dimethyl-1,3-disubstituted pyrido [3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d][1,2,4] triazolo [5, 4-a] pyrimidin-5-ones 8a-v.

Method 1: To a solution of 2,3-dihydro-7,9-dimethyl-2-thioxopyrido [3',2':4,5]thieno [3,2-d] pyrimidin-4(1H)-one 3 (2.63 g, 10 mmol) in dioxane (50 mL) in the presence of triethylamine (1.4 mL, 10 mmole), was added the appropriate hydrazonoyl

halides 5 (10 mmol). Thereaction mixture was refluxed for 6-10 h until all the starting materials have been disappeared (monitored by TLC) and hydrogen sulfide gas ceased to liberate. The solvent was evaporated and the residue was triturated with methanol. The solid that formed was filtered and recrystallized from DMF to give compounds 8.

Method 2: To a solution of 7,9-dimethyl-2-methylthiopyrido[3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d] pyrimidin-4(3H)-one 4 (2.77 g, 10 mmol) in dioxane (50 mL) in the presence of triethylamine (1.4 mL, 10 mmole), was added the appropriate hydrazonoyl halides 5 (10 mmol). Thereaction mixture was refluxed for 6-10 h and worked up as usual to give the products which were found to be identical in all respects (mp. mixed mp. and IR) with products 8. 8,10-Dimethyl-1,3-diphenylpyrido [3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d] [1,2,4] triazolo[5,4-a] pyrimidin-5-one (8a) Mp 278 °C; yield 78% - IR 1701 (CO) cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆) TM = 2.55 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.93 (s, 3H, CH₃), 7.12 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 7.43 - 8.28 (m, 10H, Ar-H) - MS, m/z (%) 424 (M++1, 34), 423 (M+, 100), 91 (15), 77 (21) - C₂₄H₁₇N₅O₂S (423): calcd. C, 68.07; H, 4.05; N, 16.54; S, 7.57; Found: C, 67.96; H, 4.01; N, 16.32; S, 7.41. 3-Acetyl-8,10-dimethyl-1-phenylpyrido [3',2':4,5] thieno[3,2-d][1,2,4] triazolo[5,4-a] pyrimidin-5-one (8b) Mp 238 °C; yield 72% - IR 1724, 1690 (2CO) cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆) TM = 2.53 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.78 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.84 (s, 3H, COCH₃), 7.18 (s, 1H, Pyr-H) 7.43-8.2 (m, 5H, Ar-H) - MS, m/z (%) 391 (M++1, 28), 390 (M+, 100), 347 (27), 306 (11), 77 (17) - C₂₀H₁₅N₅O₂S (389): calcd. C, 61.68; H, 3.88; N, 17.98; S, 8.23; Found: C, 61.43; H, 3.62; N, 17.66; S, 8.03. 3-Acetyl-1-(4-chlorophenyl)-8,10-dimethyl-1-(4-methylphenyl)pyrido[3',2':4,5] thieno[3,2-d][1,2,4] triazolo[5,4-a]pyrimidin-5-one (8c) Mp 242 °C; yield 76% - IR 1701, 1666 (2CO) cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆) TM = 2.38 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.52 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.77 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.83 (s, 3H, COCH₃), 7.16 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 7.41 (d, 2H), 8.01 (d, 2H) - MS, m/z (%) 404 (M++1, 23), 403 (M+, 100), 361 (18), 77 (4.4) - C₂₁H₁₇N₅O₂S (403): calcd. C, 62.52; H, 4.25; N, 17.36; S, 7.93; Found: C, 62.45; H, 4.11; N, 17.19; S, 7.84. 3-Acetyl-1-(4-chlorophenyl)-8,10-dimethyl-1-(4-methoxyphenyl)pyrido[3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d] [1,2,4] triazolo [5,4-a]pyrimidin-5-one (8d) Mp 236 °C; yield 75% - IR 1705, 1662 (2CO) cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆) TM = 2.57 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.78 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.88 (s, 3H, COCH₃), 7.26 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 7.72 (d, 2H), 8.23 (d, 2H) - MS, m/z (%) 425 (M++2, 40), 424 (M++1, 27), 423 (M+, 100), 381 (34), 340 (12) - C₂₀H₁₄N₅O₂S (423): calcd. C, 56.67; H, 3.33; N, 16.52; S, 7.56; Found: C, 56.48; H, 3.30; N, 16.36; S, 7.43. 3-Acetyl-8,10-dimethyl-1-(4-methoxyphenyl)pyrido[3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d][1,2,4] triazolo[5,4-a]pyrimidin-5-one (8e) Mp 250 °C; yield 65% - IR 1744, 1694 (2CO) cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆) TM = 2.52 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.78 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.86 (s, 3H, COCH₃), 3.56 (s, 3H, OCH₃), 7.20 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 7.44 (d, 2H), 8.16 (d, 2H) - MS, m/z (%) 420 (M+, 6), 101 (14), 86 (100), 58 (37) - C₂₁H₁₇N₅O₃S (419): calcd. C, 60.13; H, 4.09; N, 16.70; S, 7.64; Found: C, 60.01; H, 4.02; N, 16.51; S, 7.44. 3-Acetyl-8,10-dimethyl-1-(4-nitrophenyl)pyrido[3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d][1,2,4] triazolo [5,4-a]pyrimidin-5-one (8f) Mp 207 °C; yield 74% Mp 207 °C; yield 74% - IR 1735, 1666 (2CO) cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆) TM = 2.58 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.71 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.82 (s, 3H, CH₃), 7.24 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 7.72 (d, 2H, CH₂), 8.5 (d, 2H) - MS, m/z (%) 435 (M++1, 15), 434 (M+, 36), 263 (100), 205 (61), 131 (21) - C₂₀H₁₄N₆O₄S (434): calcd. C, 55.29; H, 3.25; N, 19.35; S, 7.38; Found: C, 55.13; H, 3.12; N, 19.10; S, 7.31. Ethyl 8,10-dimethyl-5-oxo-1-phenylpyrido [3',2':4,5] thieno[3,2-d][1,2,4] triazolo[5,4-a]pyrimidin-3-carboxylate (8g) Mp 228 °C; yield 72% - IR 1751, 1705 (2CO) cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆) TM = 1.45 (t, 3H, CH₃), 2.56 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.84 (s, 3H, CH₃), 4.55 (q, 2H, CH₂), 7.18 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 7.42-8.14 (m, 5H, Ar-H) - MS, m/z (%) 420 (M++1, 26), 419 (M+, 100), 347 (42), 306 (19), 77 (21) - C₂₁H₁₇N₅O₃S (419): calcd. C, 60.13; H, 4.09; N, 16.70; S, 7.64; Found: C, 60.11; H, 4.02; N, 16.50; S, 7.58. Ethyl 8,10-dimethyl-5-oxo-1-(4-methylphenyl)pyrido[3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d] [1,2,4] triazolo [5,4-a]pyrimidin-3-carboxylate (8h) Mp 260 °C; yield 71% - IR 1755, 1701 (2CO) cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆) TM = 1.42 (t, 3H, CH₃), 2.38 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.53 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.83 (s, 3H, CH₃), 4.54

(q, 2H, CH₂), 7.19 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 7.37 (d, 2H), 7.98 (d, 2H) - MS, m/z (%) 434 (M++1, 28), 433 (M+, 100), 361 (14), 320 (14), 77 (18) - C₂₂H₁₉N₅O₃S (433): calcd. C, 60.69; H, 4.42; N, 16.16; S, 7.40; Found: C, 60.46; H, 4.31; N, 16.01; S, 7.34. Ethyl 1-(3-chlorophenyl)-8,10-dimethyl-5-oxopyrido[3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d] [1,2,4] triazolo[5,4-a]pyrimidin-3-carboxylate (8i) Mp 257 °C; yield 70% - IR 1761, 1705 (2CO) cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆) TM = 1.40 (t, 3H, CH₃), 2.58 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.82 (s, 3H, CH₃), 4.56 (q, 2H, CH₂), 7.22 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 7.63-7.72 (m, 4H) - MS, m/z (%) 455 (M++2, 5), 454 (M++1, 17), 453 (M+, 8), 263 (10), 175 (14), 111 (36), 86 (58), 77 (24), 55 (100) - C₂₁H₁₆N₅O₃S (453): calcd. C, 55.57; H, 3.55; N, 15.43; S, 7.06; Found: C, 55.42; H, 3.33; N, 15.26; S, 7.02. Ethyl 1-(4-chlorophenyl)-8,10-dimethyl-5-oxopyrido[3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d] [1,2,4] triazolo [5,4-a]pyrimidin-3-carboxylate (8j) Mp 266 °C; yield 73% - IR 1751, 1705 (2CO) cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆) TM = 1.41 (t, 3H, CH₃), 2.59 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.81 (s, 3H, CH₃), 4.56 (q, 2H, CH₂), 7.2 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 7.61 (d, 2H), 7.73 (d, 2H) - MS, m/z (%) 455 (M++2, 7), 454 (M++1, 5), 453 (M+, 12), 381 (100), 230 (74), 131 (17) - C₂₁H₁₆N₅O₃S (453): calcd. C, 55.57; H, 3.55; N, 15.43; S, 7.06; Found: C, 55.47; H, 3.51; N, 15.21; S, 7.01. Ethyl 8,10-dimethyl-5-oxo-1-(4-nitrophenyl)pyrido[3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d] [1,2,4] triazolo[5,4-a]pyrimidin-3-carboxylate (8k) Mp 246 °C; yield 70% - IR 1751, 1705 (2CO) cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆) TM = 1.41 (t, 3H, CH₃), 2.54 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.85 (s, 3H, CH₃), 4.55 (q, 2H, CH₂), 7.24 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 8.41 (d, 2H), 8.64 (d, 2H) - MS, m/z (%) 465 (M++1, 28), 464 (M+, 100), 392 (92), 346 (18), 230 (10), 77 (10) - C₂₁H₁₆N₆O₅S (464): calcd. C, 54.31; H, 3.47; N, 18.09; S, 6.90; Found: C, 54.22; H, 3.24; N, 17.98; S, 6.80. 8,10-Dimethyl-1-phenyl-3-(N-phenyl carbamoyl)pyrido[3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d] [1,2,4] triazolo[5,4-a]pyrimidin-5-one (8l) Mp 278 °C; yield 73% - IR 3437 (NH), 1674, 1627 (2CO) cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆) TM = 2.61 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.86 (s, 3H, CH₃), 7.1 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 7.2-8.28 (m, 10H, Ar-H), 11.64 (s, 1H, NH) - MS, m/z (%) 467 (M++1, 38), 466 (M+, 100), 421 (64), 346 (19), 306 (18), 77 (22) - C₂₅H₁₈N₆O₂S (466): calcd. C, 64.36; H, 3.89; N, 18.01; S, 6.87; Found: C, 64.29; H, 3.74; N, 17.85; S, 6.68. 8,10-Dimethyl-1-(4-methylphenyl)-3-(N-phenyl carbamoyl)pyrido[3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d] [1,2,4] triazolo [5,4-a]pyrimidin-5-one (8m) Mp 274 °C; yield 70% - IR 3406 (NH), 1674, 1627 (2CO) cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆) TM = 2.39 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.56 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.91 (s, 3H, CH₃), 7.12 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 7.22-7.4 (m, 5H, Ar-H), 7.71 (d, 2H), 8.11 (d, 2H), 11.62 (s, 1H, NH) - MS, m/z (%) 482 (M+, 11), 480 (100), 435 (67), 320 (17), 91 (18) - C₂₆H₂₀N₆O₂S (480): calcd. C, 64.98; H, 4.20; N, 17.49; S, 6.67; Found: C, 64.82; H, 4.11; N, 17.25; S, 6.43. 1-(4-chlorophenyl)-8,10-dimethyl-3-(N-phenyl carbamoyl)pyrido[3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d] [1,2,4] triazolo [5,4-a]pyrimidin-5-one (8n) Mp 286 °C; yield 78% - IR 3236 (NH), 1674, 1662 (2CO) cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆) TM = 2.61 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.92 (s, 3H, CH₃), 7.19 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 7.23-7.51 (m, 5H, Ar-H), 7.81 (d, 2H), 8.12 (d, 2H), 11.64 (s, 1H, NH) - MS, m/z (%) 502 (M++2, 18), 501 (M++1, 28), 500 (M+, 35), 340 (30), 263 (55), 119 (57), 77 (90), 65 (100) - C₂₅H₁₇N₆O₂S (500): calcd. C, 59.94; H, 3.42; N, 16.78; S, 6.40; Found: C, 59.77; H, 3.31; N, 16.46; S, 6.23. 3-Benzoyl-8,10-dimethyl-1-phenylpyrido[3',2':4,5] thieno[3,2-d] [1,2,4] triazolo [5,4-a]pyrimidin-5-one (8o) Mp 294 °C; yield 70% - IR 1742, 1674 (2CO) cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆) TM = 2.71 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.84 (s, 3H, CH₃), 7.25 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 7.5-8.41 (m, 10H, Ar-H) - MS, m/z (%) 452 (M++1, 12), 451 (M+, 31), 263 (100), 205 (43), 105 (29) - C₂₅H₁₇N₅O₂S (451): calcd. C, 66.50; H, 3.80; N, 15.51; S, 7.10; Found: C, 66.37; H, 3.69; N, 15.36; S, 7.04. 3-Benzoyl-8,10-dimethyl-1-(4-methylphenyl)pyrido[3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d] [1,2,4] triazolo[5,4-a]pyrimidin-5-one (8p) Mp 276 °C; yield 72% - IR 1740, 1681 (2CO) cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆) TM = 2.36 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.71 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.84 (s, 3H, CH₃), 7.21 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 7.44-8.41 (m, 9H, Ar-H) - MS, m/z (%) 466 (M++1, 10), 465 (M+, 38), 263 (100), 205 (50), 59 (62) - C₂₆H₁₉N₅O₂S (465): calcd. C, 67.08; H, 4.11; N, 15.04; S, 6.89; Found: C, 67.01; H, 4.05; N, 14.89; S, 6.75. 3-Benzoyl-1-(3-chlorophenyl)-8,10-dimethylpyrido[3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d] [1,2,4] triazolo [5,4-a]pyrimidin-5-one (8q) Mp 258 °C; yield 75% - IR 1739, 1693 (2CO) cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆) TM =

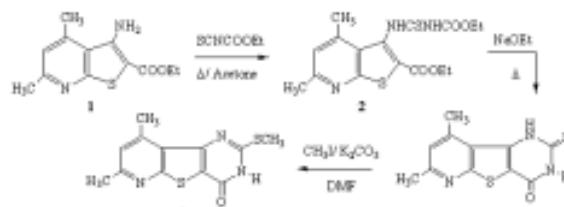
2.61 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.53(s, 3H, CH₃), 7.3 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 7.5-8.5 (m, 9H, Ar-H) - MS, m/z (%) 488 (M⁺⁺, 10), 487 (M⁺⁺, 32), 486(M⁺, 27), 105 (100), 77 (56) - C₂₅H₁₆N₄O₂S (486): calcd. C, 61.79; H, 3.32; N, 14.41; S, 6.60; Found: C, 61.59; H, 3.17; N, 14.28; S, 6.51. 3-Benzoyl-1-(4-chlorophenyl)-8,10-dimethylpyrido[3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d] [1,2,4] triazolo[5, 4-a]pyrimidin-5-one (8r)Mp 283 °C; yield 78% - IR 1742, 1690 (2CO)cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆)TM = 2.60 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.54(s, 3H, CH₃), 7.31 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 7.48-8.50 (m, 9H) - MS, m/z (%) 487 (M⁺⁺, 37), 486 (M⁺⁺, 30), 485(M⁺, 28), 263 (100), 205 (60), 77 (51) - C₂₅H₁₆N₄O₂S(486): calcd. C, 61.79; H, 3.32; N, 14.41; S, 6.60; Found: C, 61.61; H, 3.27; N, 14.30; S, 6.53. 3-Benzoyl-8,10-dimethyl-1-(4-methoxy phenyl) pyrido[3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d] [1,2,4] triazolo [5,4-a]pyrimidin-5-one (8s)Mp 290 °C; yield 70% - IR 1739, 1678 (2CO)cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆)TM = 2.73 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.82(s, 3H, CH₃), 3.62 (s, 3H, CH₃), 7.20 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 7.43-8.42 (m, 9H, Ar-H) - MS, m/z (%) 482 (M⁺⁺, 35), 481(M⁺, 32), 263 (100), 205 (56), 77 (54) - C₂₆H₁₉N₅O₃S(481): calcd. C, 64.85, H, 3.98; N, 14.54; S, 6.66; Found: C, 64.73; H, 3.80; N, 14.29; S, 6.54. 3-Benzoyl-8,10-dimethyl-1-(4-nitrophenyl) pyrido[3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d] [1,2,4] triazolo [5,4-a]pyrimidin-5-one (8t)Mp 238 °C; yield 80% - IR 1739, 1678 (2CO)cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆)TM = 2.53 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.88(s, 3H, CH₃), 6.61 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 7.12-7.93 (m, 9H, Ar-H) - MS, m/z (%) 498 (M⁺, 6) 263 (100), 205 (51), 132(23), 59 (64)-C₂₅H₁₆N₆O₄S (497): calcd. C, 60.48; H, 3.25; N, 16.93; S, 6.46; Found: C, 60.28; H, 3.09; N, 16.72; S, 6.29. 1-(4-Chlorophenyl)-8,10-dimethyl-3-(2-furoyl) pyrido[3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d] [1,2,4] triazolo [5,4-a]pyrimidin-5-one (8u)Mp 253 °C; yield 68% - IR 1705, 1664 (2CO)cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆)TM = 2.53 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.82(s, 3H, CH₃), 7.14 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 6.40-7.75 (m, 7H, Ar-H) - MS, m/z (%) 475 (M⁺, 23), 11 (100), 104 (28) -C₂₃H₁₄N₄O₃S (475): calcd. C, 58.05; H, 2.97; N, 14.72; S, 6.74; Found: C, 57.89; H, 2.79; N, 14.46; S, 6.51. 3-Benzoyl-1-(4-chlorophenyl)-8,10-dimethylpyrido[3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d] [1,2,4] triazolo[5, 4-a] pyrimidin-5-one (8r)Mp 283 °C; yield 78% - IR 1742, 1690 (2CO)cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆)TM = 2.60 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.54(s, 3H, CH₃), 7.31 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 7.48-8.50 (m, 9H) - MS, m/z (%) 487 (M⁺⁺, 37), 486 (M⁺⁺, 30), 485(M⁺, 28), 263 (100), 205 (60), 77 (51) - C₂₅H₁₆N₄O₂S(486): calcd. C, 61.79; H, 3.32; N, 14.41; S, 6.60; Found: C, 61.61; H, 3.27; N, 14.30; S, 6.53. 3-Benzoyl-8,10-dimethyl-1-(4-methoxy phenyl) pyrido[3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d] [1,2,4] triazolo [5,4-a]pyrimidin-5-one (8s)Mp 290 °C; yield 70% - IR 1746, 1666 (2CO)cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆)TM = 2.73 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.82(s, 3H, CH₃), 3.62 (s, 3H, CH₃), 7.20 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 7.43-8.42 (m, 9H, Ar-H) - MS, m/z (%) 482 (M⁺⁺, 35), 481(M⁺, 32), 263 (100), 205 (56), 77 (54) - C₂₆H₁₉N₅O₃S(481): calcd. C, 64.85, H, 3.98; N, 14.54; S, 6.66; Found: C, 64.73; H, 3.80; N, 14.29; S, 6.54. 3-Benzoyl-8,10-dimethyl-1-(4-nitrophenyl) pyrido[3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d] [1,2,4] triazolo [5,4-a]pyrimidin-5-one (8t)Mp 238 °C; yield 80% - IR 1739, 1678 (2CO)cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆)TM = 2.53 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.88(s, 3H, CH₃), 6.61 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 7.12-7.93 (m, 9H, Ar-H) - MS, m/z (%) 498 (M⁺, 6) 263 (100), 205 (51), 132(23), 59 (64)-C₂₅H₁₆N₆O₄S (497): calcd. C, 60.48; H, 3.25; N, 16.93; S, 6.46; Found: C, 60.28; H, 3.09; N, 16.72; S, 6.29. 1-(4-Chlorophenyl)-8,10-dimethyl-3-(2-furoyl) pyrido[3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d] [1,2,4] triazolo [5,4-a]pyrimidin-5-one (8u)Mp 253 °C; yield 68% - IR 1705, 1664 (2CO)cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆)TM = 2.53 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.82(s, 3H, CH₃), 7.14 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 6.40-7.75 (m, 7H, Ar-H) - MS, m/z (%) 475 (M⁺, 23), 11 (100), 104 (28) -C₂₃H₁₄N₄O₃S (475): calcd. C, 58.05; H, 2.97; N, 14.72; S, 6.74; Found: C, 57.89; H, 2.79; N, 14.46; S, 6.51. 1-(4-Chlorophenyl)-8,10-dimethyl-3-(2-thenoyl) pyrido[3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d] [1,2,4] triazolo [5,4-a]pyrimidin-5-one (8v)Mp 244 °C; yield 70% - IR 1705, 1651 (2CO)cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆)TM = 2.56 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.88(s, 3H, CH₃), 7.23 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 6.40-7.75 (m, 7H, Ar-H) - MS, m/z (%) 491 (M⁺, 17), 354 (33), 111 (100), 104(14)-C₂₃H₁₄N₄O₃S₂ (491): calcd. C, 56.15; H, 2.87; N, 14.24; S, 13.04; Found: C, 55.97; H, 2.78; N, 14.02; S, 12.97.

Synthesis of 11a-c General procedure: To a solution of 3 (2.63 g, 10 mmol) in ethanol (20 mL) was added an aqueous solution of potassium hydroxide (1 mL, 75%) and the mix-

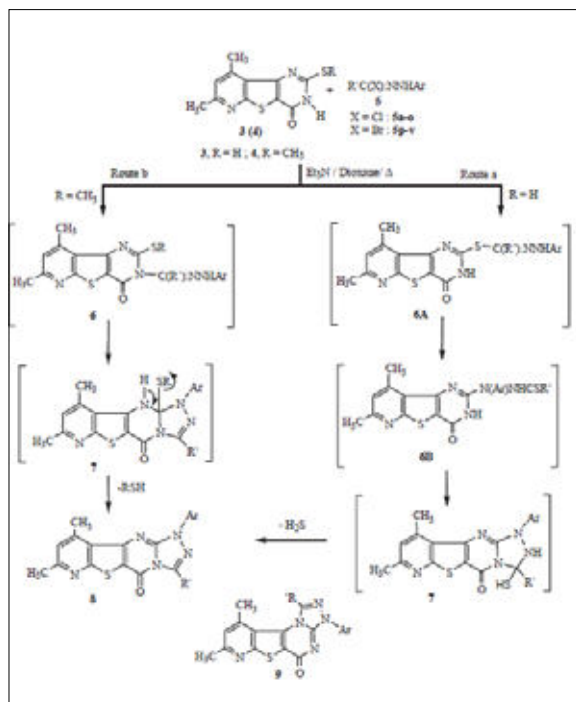
ture was warmed for 10 min. in a water bath at 80 °C then added the appropriate chloromethylene compounds 10a-c (10mmol) dropwise while stirring. After complete addition, the reaction mixture was stirred for further 18 h at room temperature. The solid that precipitated was filtered off, washed with water, dried and finally recrystallized from DMF to give pure 11a-c with the following physical and spectral data. 3-[(2,3-Dihydro-7,9-dimethyl-4-oxopyrido[3',2':4,5]thieno[3,2-d]pyrimidin-2-yl) thio]-2,4-pentandione (11a) Mp 240 °C; yield 65% - IR 3224 (NH), 1742 (2CO)cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆)TM = 2.11 (s, 6H, 2 COCH₃), 2.54 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.76 (s, 3H, CH₃), 4.48 (s, 1H, CH), 7.23 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 10.47 (s, 1H, NH) - MS, m/z (%) 361 (M⁺, 8.2), 351 (38), 301 (16), 247 (11), 185 (14), 129 (34), 95 (62), 57 (100) - C₁₆H₁₅N₃O₃S₂ (361): calcd. C, 53.17; H, 4.18; N, 11.63; S, 17.74; Found: C, 53.10; H, 4.11; N, 11.23; S, 17.58. Ethyl 2-[(2,3-dihydro-7,9-dimethyl-4-oxopyrido[3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d]pyrimidin-2-yl) thio]-3-oxobutanoate (11b) Mp 180 °C; yield 72% - IR 3128 (NH), 1740, 1674(2CO) cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆)TM = 1.42 (t, 3H, CH₃), 2.53 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.76 (s, 3H, CH₃), 4.10 (q, CH₂), 4.34 (s, 1H, CH), 7.17 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 10.41 (s, 1H, NH) - MS, m/z (%) 392 (M⁺, 64), 345 (87), 276 (100), 263(13), 230 (40), 131 (26) - C₁₇H₁₇N₃O₄S₂ (391): calcd. C, 52.16; H, 4.38; N, 10.73; S, 16.38; Found: C, 52.03; H, 4.30; N, 10.47; S, 16.19. N-phenyl-2-[(2,3-dihydro-7,9-dimethyl-4-oxopyrido[3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d] pyrimidin-2-yl) thio]-3-oxobutamide (11c) Mp 174 °C; yield 70% - IR 3425, 3294 (2NH), 1738, 1654 (2CO) cm⁻¹ - 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆)TM = 2.72 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.81 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.89 (s, 3H, CH₃), 4.58 (s, 1H, CH), 6.79 (s, 1H, Pyr-H), 7.1-8.13 (m, 5H), 10.31 (s, 1H, NH), 10.6 (s, 1H, NH) - MS, m/z (%) 438 (M⁺, 1.4), 404 (2.3), 345 (15), 263 (17), 93 (100) - C₂₁H₁₈N₄O₃S₂ (438): calcd. C, 57.52; H, 4.14; N, 12.78; S, 14.62; Found: C, 57.41; H, 4.03; N, 12.47; S, 14.49.

Results and Discussion

The starting compound namely 2,3-dihydro-7,9-dimethyl-2-thioxo-pyrido [3',2':4,5] thieno[3,2-d]pyrimidin-4(1H)-one 3 was prepared by adopting a procedure reported recently [19] as depicted in Scheme 1. Thus, reaction of ethyl 3-amino-4,6-dimethyl-thieno[2,3-b]pyridine-2-carboxylate 1 [17] with ethoxycarbonyl isothiocyanate in acetone under reflux in water bath afforded the compound 2. Treatment of the latter with ethanolic solution of sodium ethoxide under reflux followed by acidification led to formation of the starting material 3. The physical constants and the spectral data (mass, IR, 1H NMR) of compound 3 were found to be identical with that reported for the same compound which was prepared by another method [18]. For example, the IR spectrum revealed the 2 NH and CO bands in the regions 3360, 3220 and 1680 cm⁻¹, respectively. The 1H NMR spectrum of 3 exhibited, in addition to the aromatic proton, two characteristic signals at δ 2.50-2.86, 9.11-11.00 assignable to CH₃ and NH protons, respectively. Methylation of the latter 3 with methyl iodide in DMF in the presence of anhydrous potassium carbonate afforded the corresponding 2-methylthio derivative 4. The 1H NMR spectrum of 4 displayed the signals of Ar-CH₃, S-CH₃ and NH at δ 2.49-2.86, 3.11 and 11.08, respectively.



Reaction of 3 with hydrazonoyl halides 5 in dioxane in presence of triethylamine under reflux was found to give one isolable product that was identified as tetraheterocyclic system, namely, pyrido [3',2':4,5] thieno[3,2-d] [1,2,4] triazolo [4,5-a] pyrimidin-5-one 8 rather than its isomeric structure pyrido [3',2':4,5] thieno [3,2-d] [1,2,4] triazolo[5,4-b]pyrimidin-5-one 9 (Scheme 2) [20].



Ar = ZC_6H_4	Compd No.	R'/Z	Compd No.	R'/Z	Compd No.
Ph/H	8a	COOEt/4-CH ₃	8h	COPh/H	8o
COCH ₃ /H	8b	COOEt/3-Cl	8i	COPh/4-CH ₃	8p
COCH ₃ /4-CH ₃	8c	COOEt/4-Cl	8j	COPh/3-Cl	8q
COCH ₃ /4-Cl	8d	COOEt/4-NO ₂	8k	COPh/4-Cl	8r
COCH ₃ /4-OCH ₃	8e	CONHPh/H	8l	COPh/4-OCH ₃	8s
COCH ₃ /4-NO ₂	8f	CONHPh/4-CH ₃	8m	COPh/4-NO ₂	8t
COOEt/H	8g	CONHPh/4-Cl	8n	2-Furoyl/4-Cl	8u
				2-Thieryl/4-Cl	8v

The direct formation of products 8 from the reaction of compound 3 with hydrazonoyl halides 5 indicates that the intermediate thiohydrazonate esters 6A underwent Smiles rearrangement [21] to give the corresponding thiohydrazides 6B, which in situ underwent cyclization with concurrent elimination of hydrogen sulfide to give 8 as end products (Route a, Scheme 2). All attempts to isolate the intermediates 6A and 6B were failed since they were consumed as soon as they were formed under the employed reaction conditions. The formation of 6A from reaction of 3 with 5 (Route a, Scheme 2) is analogous to S-alkylation reactions reported for 2-thioxypyrimidines [22]. Alternatively, the formation of 8 from 2-methylthio derivative 4 and hydrazonoyl halides 5 can be accomplished via cyclization of the intermediate amidrazone 6 with concurrent elimination of methanethiol to give 8 as end products (Route b, Scheme 2). To account for these transformations (Routes a, b, Scheme 2), an alternative way of synthesis of the products 8 was thought. The synthesis that employed in the present work for the preparation of the latter compounds is based on application

of Japp-Klingemann reaction [23] and Smiles rearrangement [21]. Thus, treatment of 3 with each of active chloromethylene compounds 10a-c in KOH/DMF at room temperature yielded the S-alkylation products 11a-c respectively [22]. The structure of the latter products was evidenced by its microanalysis and spectral data (mass, IR, ¹H NMR). The ¹H NMR data showed singlet signals near δ = 2.72 and 4.4 ppm assignable to the CH₃CO and S-(CH)-R protons in addition to the characteristic signals of COCH₃, COOEt and CONHPh groups in the compounds 11a-c, respectively (Scheme 3). Treatment of 11a-c with benzenediazonium chloride in ethanol in presence of sodium acetate at low temperature (0-5°C) yielded the corresponding thiohydrazonate esters 12a-c via Japp-Klingemann cleavage of the acetyl group [23]. The latter 12a-c underwent in situ Smiles rearrangement [21] to give the products 13a-c and then cyclization of the latter accompanied by elimination of hydrogen sulfide gave products identical in all respect (mp, mixed mp, IR), with that obtained from reactions of each of compounds 3 and 4 with hydrazonoyl halides 5. Pharmacological Evaluation The compounds 8d, 8f-h, 8k and 8o were tested for their antimicrobial activities using four fungi species namely *Aspergillus fumigatus* AF, *Penicillium italicum* PI, *Syncephalastrum racemosum* SR and *Candida albicans* CA. Also, four bacteria species namely *Staphylococcus aureus* SA, *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* PA, *Bacillus subtilis* BS and *Escherichia coli* EC were tested. The organisms were tested against the activity of solutions of concentration of 5 mg/mL of each compound and using inhibition zone diameter in cm (IZD) as criterion for the antimicrobial activity. The fungicide Terbinafin and the bactericide Chloramphenicol were used as references to evaluate the potency of the tested compounds under the same conditions. The results are depicted in Table 1. The results disclosed that compounds 8h and 8k exhibited moderate inhibition against AF, while compounds 8f and 8o have high inhibition effect against EC. All the tested compounds have little inhibition effect against CA and PA. The biological activities of the other compounds against the tested organisms are weak, however, the activities of the tested compounds are less than that of standard antifungal and antibacterial agents used.

Table 1 Antimicrobial Activity of Products ^a 8d, 8f-h, 8k and 8o, Micro-Organism/IZD (cm) ^b								
Compound No.	AF	PI	SR	CA	SA	PA	BS	EC
8d	++	+	+	+	0	+	0	+
8f	0	0	0	+	+	+	0	++
8g	0	+	0	+	+	+	0	0
8h	++	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
8k	++	0	+	+	0	+	+	0
8o	+	+	+	+	0	+	+	++
CA ^b					1.0	2.8	2.6	1.0
TE ^c	3.0	3.6	3.6	3.0				

a; The concentration of solution 5.0 mg/ml was tested.
b, Chloramphenicol; c, Terbinafin.

^aIZD beyond control (sign): 1.1-1.5 cm/(+++); 0.6-1.0 cm/(++); 0.1-0.5 cm/(+); 0 cm/(-) AF; *Aspergillus fumigatus* PI; *Penicillium italicum*, SR; *Syncephalastrum racemosum*, CA; *Candida albicans* SA; *Staphylococcus aureus* PA; *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*, BS; *Bacillus subtilis*, EC; *Escherichia coli*

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