



Synthesis of novel Sultams containing thiazolidin-4-one heterocycles

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ABSTRACT

Novel Thiazolidin-4-one Synthesis of 3-(2-(1,1-dioxido-1,2-thiazetidin-2-yl)ethyl)-2-phenylthiazolidin-4-one **8 (a-f)** were synthesized by condensation reaction between synthesis of 2-(2-(4-substituted benzylideneamino)ethyl)-1,2-thiazetidine 1,1-dioxide **6(a-f)** and a mixture of mercaptoacetic acid and anhydrous Zinc chloride. Synthesis of 2-(2-(4-substituted benzylideneamino)ethyl)-1,2-thiazetidine 1,1-dioxide **6(a-f)** was condensed with 4-substituted benzaldehyde in absolute alcohol. The synthesis of 2-(2-aminoethyl)-1,2-thiazetidine 1,1-dioxide(**4**) was synthesized by condensation of synthesis of 1,2-thiazetidine 1,1-dioxide (β -Sultam)(**3**) a mixture of K₂CO₃, TEBA, Acetonitrile and 2-chloro ethanamide. Synthesis of 1,2-thiazetidine-1,1-dioxide(β -Sultam) (**3**) was synthesized with Taurinesulfonylchloride (**2**) with Na₂CO₃, Ethyl acetate. Taurinesulfonylchloride (**2**) was synthesized by S-S bond cleavage Cystaminedihydroxychloride (**1**) with mixture of Chlorine gas, Chloroform and Ethanol solvent mixture.

Key words: Sultam, Thiazolidin-4-one, Cyclization, Antibacterial and antifungal activity.

INTRODUCTION

Thiazolidine moiety is associated with broad spectrum of biological activities including antibacterial¹⁰²⁻¹⁰², antifungal¹⁰⁵, anti-inflammatory¹⁰⁶⁻¹⁰⁸, hypnotic, anticonvulsant, antitubercular¹⁰⁹, antiviral^{104,112}, antihistaminic¹¹⁴, anthelmintic, cardiovascular and anticancer¹¹¹.

Cyclic sulfonamides (sultams) although not found in nature [1] have also found applications in drug development. Examples of biologically active sultams include the antiepileptic agent Sulthiame, [2] the antiinflammatory agent Ampiroxicam, [3] Brinzolamide [4, 5] for the treatment of glaucoma, S-2474, [6] a new antiarthritic drug candidate that is now under clinical trials, HIV-1 inhibitors [7, 8] selective inhibitors of Calpain I, [9] and most recently PBTd's [10] which are a new class of candidates for the treatment of chronic myelogenous leukemia (CML).

In addition to their medicinal value, sultams have been successfully used as chiral auxiliaries,[11, 12] reagents, [13-15] artificial sweeteners (i.e. saccharin), [16] and agricultural agents.[17] For example, the well known Oppolzer sultam has been utilized in numerous asymmetric reactions,[11,12] sultams has been used as a stereoselective oxidizing agent [15] and sultam has also found application as an electrophilic fluorinating agent to provide monofluorinated ketones. [13, 14] In agriculture, sultams have been used as herbicides.[17]

EXPERIMENTAL SECTION

All the chemicals were used as received without further purification. Melting points were measured on a Gallenkamp electro thermal melting point apparatus and are uncorrected. Reactions were carried out using household microwave oven (power consumption 1200W, microwave frequency 2450MHz) and monitored by thin layer chromatography (TLC) on silica gel plates (60F254) visualizing with ultraviolet light or iodine spray. ¹H NMR spectra were determined in DMSO- d₆ solution on JOEL AL300 spectrometers. Proton chemical shifts are relative to tetramethylsilane as internal standard and expressed in ppm.

taurine sulfonyl chloride (2)

A suspension of cystamine dihydrochloride (1) (10.0 g, 44.4 mmol) was mixed in dry chloroform (250 mL) and dry ethanol (125 mL). Chlorine was passed into the solution at -10°C under an atmosphere of nitrogen until complete saturation, noted by a permanent pale green coloration (1 hour). The system was purged with nitrogen, and dry diethyl ether (60 mL) was added to the mixture, which was stirred for a further 1 hour at room temperature. The reaction mixture was stored at 4°C overnight. The white precipitate was filtered off under vacuum and washed with dry diethyl ether to give taurine sulfonyl chloride (2) the product as a white solid (13.82 g, 94%). The yield of taurinesulfonylchloride (2) was found to be (94%, 13.82g) with M.P.141-143°C. The structure of taurinesulfonylchloride (2) was established by IR. The IR spectrum of taurinesulfonylchloride (2) was recorded in the 4000-400 cm⁻¹ range in KBr pellets reflect the molecular structure and showed the characteristic bonds around. The IR spectra of taurinesulfonylchloride (2) recorded in the 4000-450 cm⁻¹ range in KBr pellets reflect the molecular structure and showed the characteristic bands around 2995 (w), 2912 (w), 2910 (bs, NH₃), 1599 (w), 1558 (w), 1515 (w), 1399 (w), 1371 (s, SO₂), 1279 (w), 1173 (m), 1159 (s, SO₂) groups respectively; The elemental analysis C₂H₇NO₂S Cl₂ (180); found % C, 13.33; H, 3.88; N, 7.77 agreed well with the calculated % C, 13.38; H, 3.93; N, 7.82.

1,2-thiazetidin-1,1-dioxide (β-sultam) (3)

Taurine sulfonyl chloride (2) 13.54 g, 81.5 mmol) was added to finely ground anhydrous Sodium carbonate (17.28 g, 163.0 mmol, 2 eq.) in dry ethyl acetate (370 mL) and stirred at RT for 46 hours. The reaction mixture was filtered through Celite®. The solvent was removed *in vacuo* to give the product as a white solid (2.62-5.29 g, 14-60 %, m.p.= 50-52°C, lit: m.p.=53°C²⁹). The structure of 1,2-thiazetidin-1,1-dioxide (3) was established by IR, ¹H-NMR and ¹³C NMR. The IR spectrum of 1,2-thiazetidin-1,1-dioxide (3) was recorded in the 4000-400 cm⁻¹ range in KBr pellets reflect the molecular structure and showed the characteristic bonds around 3581 (br), 3297 (br, NH), 3048 (w), 2987 (w), 2919 (w), 1629 (w), 1485 (w), 1415 (w), 1300 (s, SO₂), 1252 (s), 1150 (s, SO₂), 1114 (m), 992 (w), 963 (m), 917 (w), 763 (m), 654 (m) respectively; The ¹H NMR structure of the compound 1,2-thiazetidin-1,1-dioxide (3) in CDCl₃ showed the following signals at δppm (400 MHz, CDCl₃) 5.32 (1H, bs, NH), 4.25 (2H, dt, *J*=7.0 CH₂SO₂), 3.33 (2H, dt, *J*=7.0 and 3.9 Hz, CH₂NH). ¹³C NMR δppm (400 MHz, CDCl₃); The ¹³C NMR δppm (400 MHz) data of the compound 1,2-thiazetidin-1,1-dioxide (3) was recorded in CDCl₃ showed the following signals at 60.93 (CH₂SO₂), 28.14 (CH₂NH); The elemental analysis C₂H₅NO₂S (107); found % C, 22.42; H, 4.67; N, 13.08 agreed well with the calculated % C, 22.47; H, 4.72; N, 13.13.

Synthesis of 2-(2-aminoethyl)-1,2-thiazetidine 1,1-dioxide (4)

To a solution of sultam (0.25 mmol) and TEBA (5.7 mg, 0.025 mmol) in dry acetonitrile (1 mL) at 25°C, anhydrous potassium carbonate (51.8 mg, 0.375 mmol) was added. The resulting heterogeneous mixture was stirred for 10 min, then the alkylating agent RX (0.375 mmol) was added and the reaction was monitored by TLC until completion. The mixture was filtered through a celite pad and, after evaporation of the solvent (RV), the crude was purified by Flash Column Chromatography. The structure of 2-(2-aminoethyl)-1,2-thiazetidine 1,1-dioxide (4) was characterized by IR, (KBr), ¹H NMR spectra and Elemental analysis. The IR spectra of 2-(2-aminoethyl)-1,2-thiazetidine 1,1-dioxide (4) recorded in the 4000-450 cm⁻¹ range in KBr pellets reflect the molecular structure and showed the characteristic bands around 3581 (br), 3297 (br, NH), 3048 (w), 2987 (w), 2919 (w), 1629 (w), 1485 (w), 1415 (w), 1300 (s, SO₂), 1252 (s), 1150 (s, SO₂), 1114 (m), 992 (w), 963 (m), 917 (w), 763 (m), 654 (m); The ¹H NMR structure of the compound 2-(2-aminoethyl)-1,2-thiazetidine 1,1-dioxide (4) in DMSO d₆ showed the following signals at δppm ¹H NMR δ (400 MHz, DMSO d₆): 5.11 (1H, bs, NH₂), 4.25 (2H, dt, *J*=7.0 and 1.7 Hz, CH₂SO₂), 3.33 (2H, dt, *J*=7.0 and 3.9 Hz, CH₂NH₂), 3.11 (2H, dt, *J*=7.0 and 3.9 Hz, CH₂N), 2.81 (2H, dt, *J*=7.0 and 3.9 Hz, CH₂); The elemental analysis C₄H₁₀N₂O₂S (150); found % C, 32.00; H, 6.66; N, 32.00 agreed well with the calculated % C, 32.05; H, 6.71; N, 32.05.

Synthesis of 2-(2-(4-substituted benzylideneamino)ethyl)-1,2-thiazetidone 1,1-dioxide 6(a-f)

Equimolar quantities of 2-(2-aminoethyl)-1,2-thiazetidone 1,1-dioxide (4) and Benzaldehyde (5a-f) were dissolved in absolute alcohol and heated at 100°C for 5-6 hours. The progress of the reaction was monitored by TLC using hexane : ethylacetate(7:3) as mobile phase, the reaction mixture was kept overnight and evaporation of the solvent under reduced pressure with rotaevaporator afforded residue which was recrystallized from DCM(Dichloro methane) afforded 2-(2-(4-substituted benzylideneamino)ethyl)-1,2-thiazetidone 1,1-dioxide (**6a**). The yield was 70% and m.p.166-168°C. The similar procedure was adopted with 2-(2-aminoethyl)-1,2-thiazetidone 1,1-dioxide (4) and 4-methylbenzaldehyde, 4-fluorobenzaldehyde, 4-chlorobenzaldehyde, 4-trifluorobenzaldehyde and 4-nitrobenzaldehyde. The structure of (6a-f) was established by IR and ¹HNMR and elemental analysis.

IR (KBr) pellets reflect the molecular structure and showed the characteristic bonds around 2987 & 2919 (Aliphatic C-H), 1620 (>C=N), 1300 & 1252 (SO₂); ¹HNMR(DMSO d₆) (δ ppm) : 4.25(t, 2H, J=7.0, -CH₂SO₂ of sultam ring), 3.33 (t, 2H, J=7.0, -CH₂ attached to nitrogen sultam ring), 8.70(s,1H, -CH=N-, attached to phenyl ring),7.10-7.20(m, 5H of C₆H₅); The elemental analysis C₁₁H₁₄N₂O₂S (238); found % C,55.46; H,5.88; N,11.76 agreed well with the calculated % C,55.51; H,5.93; N,11.81.

2-(2-((4-methylbenzylidene)amino)ethyl)-1,2-thiazetidone 1,1-dioxide 6(b): yield 60%, m.p.172°C; IR (KBr) pellets reflect the molecular structure and showed the characteristic bonds around 2987 & 2919 (Aliphatic C-H), 1615 (>C=N), 1300 & 1252 (SO₂). ¹HNMR(DMSO d₆) (δ ppm) : 4.25(t, 2H, J=7.0, -CH₂SO₂ of sultam ring), 3.33 (t, 2H, J=7.0, -CH₂ attached to nitrogen sultam ring), 8.70(s,1H, -CH=N-, attached to phenyl ring),6.90-7.10(m, 4H of C₆H₄), 2.34(s,3H,-CH₃); The elemental analysis C₁₂H₁₆N₂O₂S (252); found % C,57.14; H,6.34; N,11.11 agreed well with the calculated % C,57.19; H,6.39; N,11.16.

2-(2-((4-fluorobenzylidene)amino)ethyl)-1,2-thiazetidone 1,1-dioxide 6(c): yield 70%, m.p.159°C; IR (KBr) pellets reflect the molecular structure and showed the characteristic bonds around 2987 & 2919 (Aliphatic C-H), 1620 (>C=N), 1300 & 1252 (SO₂); ¹HNMR(DMSO d₆) (δ ppm) : 4.25(t, 2H, J=7.0, -CH₂SO₂ of sultam ring), 3.33 (t, 2H, J=7.0, -CH₂ attached to nitrogen sultam ring), 8.70(s,1H, -CH=N-, attached to phenyl ring),7.30-7.40(m, 4H of C₆H₄); The elemental analysis C₁₁H₁₃N₂O₂FS (255); found% C,51.76; H,5.09; N,10.98 agreed well with the calculated % C,51.81; H,5.14; N,11.03.

2-(2-((4-chlorobenzylidene)amino)ethyl)-1,2-thiazetidone 1,1-dioxide 6(d): yield 68%, m.p.151°C; IR (KBr) pellets reflect the molecular structure and showed the characteristic bonds around 2987 & 2919 (Aliphatic C-H), 1617 (>C=N), 1300 & 1252 (SO₂); ¹HNMR(DMSO d₆) (δ ppm) : 4.25(t, 2H, J=7.0, -CH₂SO₂ of sultam ring), 3.33 (t, 2H, J=7.0, -CH₂ attached to nitrogen sultam ring), 8.70(s,1H, -CH=N-, attached to phenyl ring),7.25-7.36(m, 4H of C₆H₄); The elemental analysis C₁₁H₁₃N₂O₂ClS (272.5); found % C,48.44; H,4.77; N,10.27 agreed well with the calculated % C,48.49; H,4.82; N,10.32.

2-(2-((4-trifluoromethyl)benzylidene)amino)ethyl)-1,2-thiazetidone 1,1-dioxide 6(e): yield 72%, m.p.184°C; IR (KBr) pellets reflect the molecular structure and showed the characteristic bonds around 2987 & 2919 (Aliphatic C-H), 1622 (>C=N), 1300 & 1252 (SO₂); ¹HNMR(DMSO d₆) (δ ppm) : 4.25(t, 2H, J=7.0, -CH₂SO₂ of sultam ring), 3.33 (t, 2H, J=7.0, -CH₂ attached to nitrogen sultam ring), 8.70(s,1H, -CH=N-, attached to phenyl ring),7.40-7.50(m, 4H of C₆H₅); The elemental analysis C₁₂H₁₃N₂O₂F₃S (303); found % C, 47.52; H,4.29; N,9.24 agreed well with the calculated % C,47.57; H,4.34; N,9.29.

2-(2-((4-nitrobenzylidene)amino)ethyl)-1,2-thiazetidone 1,1-dioxide 6(f) : yield 68%, m.p.193°C; IR (KBr) pellets reflect the molecular structure and showed the characteristic bonds around 2987 & 2919 (Aliphatic C-H), 1625 (>C=N), 1622 (>C=N), 1300 & 1252 (SO₂). ¹HNMR(DMSO d₆) (δ ppm) : 4.25(t, 2H, J=7.0, -CH₂SO₂ of sultam ring), 3.33 (t, 2H, J=7.0, -CH₂ attached to nitrogen sultam ring), 8.70(s,1H, -CH=N-, attached to phenyl ring),7.5-7.8(m, 4H of C₆H₄); The elemental analysis C₁₁H₁₃N₃O₄S (283); found % C,46.64; H,4.59; N,14.84 agreed well with the calculated % C,46.69; H,4.64; N,14.89.

3-(2-(1,1-dioxido-1,2-thiazetidone-2-yl)ethyl)-2-phenylthiazolidone-4-one 8 (a-f)

A mixture of 2-(2-(benzylideneamino)ethyl)-1,2-thiazetidone 1,1-dioxide (**6a**) and Mercaptoacetic acid dissolved in dioxane (20 ml) anhydrous Zinc Chloride (0.5 mg) was added and refluxed for 8 hrs. The reaction was monitored by TLC using hexane and ethyl acetate (7:3) as mobile phase. The reaction mixture was cooled and refluxing solid was washed with Sodium bicarbonate solution and recrystallized from absolute alcohol. The yield was 65% with

m.p:142-1⁰C. Similar procedure was adopted to synthesis **8(a-f)** from **6(a-f)** with thioacetic acid. The structures of **8(a-f)** were established by IR, ¹H-NMR, ¹³C-NMR, Mass Spectral analysis and the elemental analysis

IR (KBr) Spectra(ν_{\max} , cm⁻¹) of 3-(2-(1,1-dioxido-1,2-thiazetidin-2-yl)ethyl)-2-phenylthiazolidin-4-one (**8a**) was recorded in 4000-400 cm⁻¹ range in KBr pellets reflect the molecular structure and showed signals at around 3045(Ar-H stretching),2990 & 2965(Aliphatic C-H stretching), 1675 (>C=O group of thiazolidine-2-one) and 1306 & 1160cm⁻¹ (stretching of SO₂ group); ¹HNMR(DMSO d₆) (δ ppm) : 3.85(d, 1 Ha, C-Ha, of thiazolidin attached to -S, J=6.5 Hz), 3.95(d, 1 Hb, C-Hb, of thiazolidin attached to, >C=O group, J=6.5 Hz), 5.90(s, 1 H, -CH, of thiazolidine attached to, phenyl ring),7.0-7.20(m, 5H of C₆H₅ ring), 4.25 (t, 2H, -CH₂, of 1,2-thiazetidin, J=7 Hz), 3.30 (t, 2H, -CH₂-SO₂ of 1,2-thiazetidin, J=7 Hz), 2.90(t, 2H, -CH₂ attached to thiazetidin, J=8 Hz), 3.60(t, 2H, -CH₂ attached to thiazolidine, J=8 Hz); ¹³CNMR(CDCl₃) (δ ppm): 53.3, 43.0, 33.9, 171.2, 70.5, 143.8, 126.9, 128.6, 127.1, 126.9 and the signals are ascribed to C1&C3, C2 & C4, C5, C6, C7, C8, C9, C10, C12, C11&C13; The elemental analysis C₁₃H₁₆N₂O₃S₂ (312.06); found % C,49.99; H,5.12; N,8.97 agreed well with the calculated % C,50.04; H, 5.17; N,9.02.

3-(2-(1,1-dioxido-1,2-thiazetidin-2-yl)ethyl)-2-(p-tolyl)thiazolidin-4-one **8(b) :**

yield,55%; m.p: 162-1⁰C IR (KBr) pellets reflect the molecular structure and showed the characteristic bonds around 3040(Ar-H stretching), 2985 & 2960(Aliphatic C-H stretching), 1670 (>C=O group of thiazolidine-2-one) and 1305 & 1150cm⁻¹ (stretching of SO₂ group); ¹HNMR(DMSO d₆) (δ ppm) : 3.85(d, 1 Ha, C-Ha, of thiazolidin attached to -S, J=6.5 Hz), 3.95(d, 1 Hb, C-Hb, of thiazolidin attached to, >C=O group, J=6.5 Hz), 5.90(s, 1 H, -CH, of thiazolidine attached to, phenyl ring),7.0-7.20(m, 5H of C₆H₅ ring), 4.25 (t, 2H, -CH₂, of 1,2-thiazetidin, J=7 Hz), 3.30 (t, 2H, -CH₂-SO₂ of 1,2-thiazetidin, J=7 Hz), 2.90(t, 2H, -CH₂ attached to thiazetidin, J=8 Hz), 3.60(t, 2H, -CH₂ attached to thiazolidine, J=8 Hz), 2.54(t, 3H, -CH₃ attached to phenyl ring), 6.90-7.10(m, 4H, C₆H₄ ring); ¹³CNMR(CDCl₃) (δ ppm): 53.3, 43.0, 33.9, 171.2, 70.5, 140.8, 128.6, 128.9, 136.8, 128.6, 21.3 and the signals are ascribed to C1&C3, C2 & C4, C5, C6, C7, C8, C9, C10, C12, C11&C13, C14; The elemental analysis C₁₄H₁₈N₂O₃S₂ (326); found % C,51.52; H,5.52; N,8.58 agreed well with the calculated % C,51.57; H, 5.57; N,8.63.

3-(2-(1,1-dioxido-1,2-thiazetidin-2-yl)ethyl)-2-(4-fluorophenyl)thiazolidin-4-one **8(c) :**

yield, 60%; m.p: 190-3⁰C IR (KBr) pellets reflect the molecular structure and showed the characteristic bonds around3055(Ar-H stretching),2993 & 2967(Aliphatic C-H stretching), 1680 (>C=O group of thiazolidine-2-one) and 1320 & 1165cm⁻¹ (stretching of SO₂ group); ¹HNMR(DMSO d₆) (δ ppm) : 3.85(d, 1 Ha, C-Ha, of thiazolidin attached to -S, J=6.5 Hz), 3.95(d, 1 Hb, C-Hb, of thiazolidin attached to, >C=O group, J=6.5 Hz), 5.90(s, 1 H, -CH, of thiazolidine attached to, phenyl ring),7.0-7.20(m, 5H of C₆H₅ ring), 4.25 (t, 2H, -CH₂, of 1,2-thiazetidin, J=7 Hz), 3.30 (t, 2H, -CH₂-SO₂ of 1,2-thiazetidin, J=7 Hz), 2.90(t, 2H, -CH₂ attached to thiazetidin, J=8 Hz), 3.60(t, 2H, -CH₂ attached to thiazolidine, J=8 Hz), 7.20-7.40(m, 4H, C₆H₄ ring); ¹³CNMR(CDCl₃) (δ ppm): 53.3, 43.0, 33.9, 171.2, 70.5, 139.4, 130.3, 115.4, 162.3, 130.3 and the signals are ascribed to C1&C3, C2 & C4, C5, C6, C7, C8, C9, C10, C12, C11&C13; The elemental analysis C₁₃H₁₅N₂O₃S₂F (329); found % C,47.84; H,4.60; N,8.58 agreed well with the calculated % C,47.89; H, 4.65; N,8.63.

2-(4-chlorophenyl)-3-(2-(1,1-dioxido-1,2-thiazetidin-2-yl)ethyl)thiazolidin-4-one **8(d) :**

yield, 70%; m.p: 196-1⁰C IR (KBr) pellets reflect the molecular structure and showed the characteristic bonds around3050(Ar-H stretching),2995 & 2976(Aliphatic C-H stretching), 1670 (>C=O group of thiazolidine-2-one) and 1315 & 1165cm⁻¹ (stretching of SO₂ group); ¹HNMR(DMSO d₆) (δ ppm) : 3.85(d, 1 Ha, C-Ha, of thiazolidin attached to -S, J=6.5 Hz), 3.95(d, 1 Hb, C-Hb, of thiazolidin attached to, >C=O group, J=6.5 Hz), 5.90(s, 1 H, -CH, of thiazolidine attached to, phenyl ring),7.0-7.20(m, 5H of C₆H₅ ring), 4.25 (t, 2H, -CH₂, of 1,2-thiazetidin, J=7 Hz), 3.30 (t, 2H, -CH₂-SO₂ of 1,2-thiazetidin, J=7 Hz), 2.90(t, 2H, -CH₂ attached to thiazetidin, J=8 Hz), 3.60(t, 2H, -CH₂ attached to thiazolidine, J=8 Hz), 7.10-7.30(m, 4H, C₆H₄ ring); ¹³CNMR(CDCl₃) (δ ppm): 53.3, 43.0, 33.9, 171.2, 70.5, 141.9, 130.1, 128.7, 132.7, 130.1 and the signals are ascribed to C1&C3, C2 & C4, C5, C6, C7, C8, C9, C10, C12, C11&C13; The elemental analysis C₁₃H₁₅N₂O₃S₂Cl (346.5); found % C,45.40; H,4.36; N,8.14 agreed well with the calculated % C,45.45; H, 4.41; N,8.19.

3-(2-(1,1-dioxido-1,2-thiazetidin-2-yl)ethyl)-2-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)thiazolidin-4-one **8(e) :**

yield,60%; m.p: 172-1⁰C IR (KBr) pellets reflect the molecular structure and showed the characteristic bonds around 3060(Ar-H stretching), 2993 & 2965(Aliphatic C-H stretching), 1680 (>C=O group of thiazolidine-2-one) and 1325 & 1160cm⁻¹ (stretching of SO₂ group); ¹HNMR(DMSO d₆) (δ ppm) : 3.85(d, 1 Ha, C-Ha, of thiazolidin attached to -

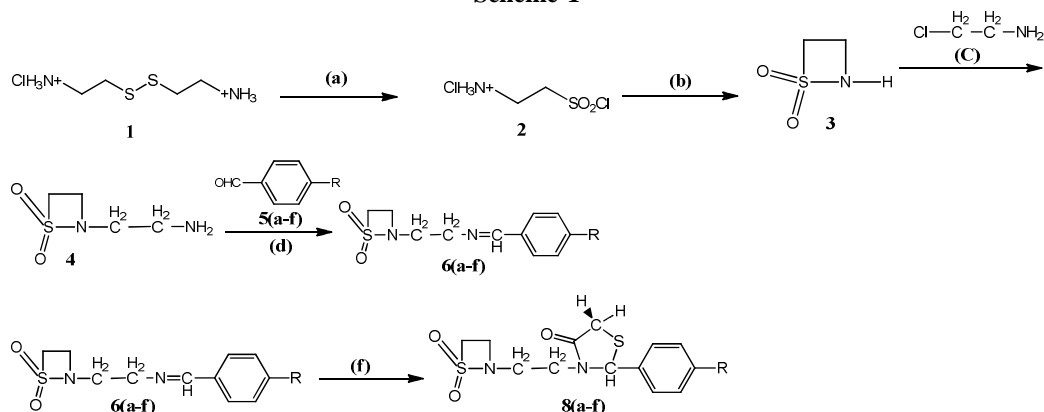
S, J=6.5 Hz), 3.95(d, 1 Hb, C-Hb, of thiazolidin attached to, >C=O group, J=6.5 Hz), 5.90(s, 1 H, -CH, of thiazolidine attached to, phenyl ring), 7.0-7.20(m, 5H of C₆H₅ ring), 4.25 (t, 2H, -CH₂, of 1,2-thiazetidin, J=7 Hz), 3.30 (t, 2H, -CH₂-SO₂ of 1,2-thiazetidin, J=7 Hz), 2.90(t, 2H, -CH₂ attached to thiazetidin, J=8 Hz), 3.60(t, 2H, -CH₂ attached to thiazolidine, J=8 Hz), 7.30-7.50(m, 4H, C₆H₄ ring); ¹³CNMR(CDCl₃) (δ ppm): 53.3, 43.0, 33.9, 171.2, 70.5, 147.1, 129.0, 125.0, 129.4, 125.0, 124.1 and the signals are ascribed to C1&C3, C2 & C4, C5, C6, C7, C8, C9, C10, C12, C11&C13, C14; The elemental analysis C₁₄H₁₅N₂O₃S₂F₃ (377); found % C,44.91; H,4.01; N,7.48 agreed well with the calculated % C,44.96; H, 4.06; N,7.53.

3-(2-(1,1-dioxido-1,2-thiazetidin-2-yl)ethyl)-2-(4-nitrophenyl)thiazolidin-4-one 8(f) : yield, 55%; m.p: 215-1⁰C IR (KBr) pellets reflect the molecular structure and showed the characteristic bonds around 3065(Ar-H stretching), 2995&2967(Aliphatic C-H stretching), 1685 (>C=O group of thiazolidine-2-one) and 1325 & 1150cm⁻¹ (stretching of SO₂ group); ¹HNMR(DMSO d₆) (δ ppm) : 3.85(d, 1 Ha, C-Ha, of thiazolidin attached to -S, J=6.5 Hz), 3.95(d, 1 Hb, C-Hb, of thiazolidin attached to, >C=O group, J=6.5 Hz), 5.90(s, 1 H, -CH, of thiazolidine attached to, phenyl ring), 7.0-7.20(m, 5H of C₆H₅ ring), 4.25 (t, 2H, -CH₂, of 1,2-thiazetidin, J=7 Hz), 3.30 (t, 2H, -CH₂-SO₂ of 1,2-thiazetidin, J=7 Hz), 2.90(t, 2H, -CH₂ attached to thiazetidin, J=8 Hz), 3.60(t, 2H, -CH₂ attached to thiazolidine, J=8 Hz), 7.40-7.60(m, 4H, C₆H₄ ring); ¹³CNMR(CDCl₃) (δ ppm): 53.3, 43.0, 33.9, 171.2, 70.5, 149.9, 129.6, 123.8, 146.3, 123.8, and the signals are ascribed to C1&C3, C2 & C4, C5, C6, C7, C8, C9, C10, C12, C11&C13; The elemental analysis C₁₃H₁₅N₃O₅S₂ (357); found % C,44.06; H,4.23; N,11.86 agreed well with the calculated % C,44.11; H, 4.28; N,11.91.

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

The development of sultam-thiazolidin-4-one heterocycles was described in the scheme-1 of synthetic sequence. The different steps involve simple reaction conditions and good yield procedure. Compounds 6(a-f) were allowed to react with 4-substituted benzaldehyde 5(a-f) to afford 8(a-f) in good yield. The IR spectrum of 8a revealed the appearance of bands characteristics of 3045(Ar-H stretching), 2990 & 2965(Aliphatic C-H stretching), 1675 (>C=O group of thiazolidine-2-one) and 1306 & 1160cm⁻¹ (stretching of SO₂ group); ¹HNMR(DMSO d₆) (δ ppm) : 3.85(d, 1 Ha, C-Ha, of thiazolidin attached to -S, J=6.5 Hz), 3.95(d, 1 Hb, C-Hb, of thiazolidin attached to, >C=O group, J=6.5 Hz), 5.90(s, 1 H, -CH, of thiazolidine attached to, phenyl ring), 7.0-7.20(m, 5H of C₆H₅ ring), 4.25 (t, 2H, -CH₂, of 1,2-thiazetidin, J=7 Hz), 3.30 (t, 2H, -CH₂-SO₂ of 1,2-thiazetidin, J=7 Hz), 2.90(t, 2H, -CH₂ attached to thiazetidin, J=8 Hz), 3.60(t, 2H, -CH₂ attached to thiazolidine, J=8 Hz); ¹³CNMR(CDCl₃) (δ ppm): 53.3, 43.0, 33.9, 171.2, 70.5, 143.8, 126.9, 128.6, 127.1, 126.9 and the signals are ascribed to C1&C3, C2 & C4, C5, C6, C7, C8, C9, C10, C12, C11&C13; The elemental analysis C₁₃H₁₆N₂O₃S₂ (312.06); found % C,49.99; H,5.12; N,8.97 agreed well with the calculated % C,50.04; H, 5.17; N,9.02. conformed the formation of sultam-thiazolidin-4-one(8a).

Scheme-1



Compound	6a	6b	6c	6d	6e	6f
	8a	8b	8c	8d	8e	8f
R	-H	-CH ₃	-F	-Cl	-CF ₃	-NO ₂

Anti- Microbial Activity

The anti-microbial activity of (8a-f) was determined by the disc diffusion method with Amoxicillin and Griseofulvin as the reference antibiotics [18]. The newly synthesised compounds were examined, respectively, against *Staphylococcus aureus*, *Bacillus Cereus*, *Escherichia Coli* and *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* bacteria. The test results were presented in the table-1, suggest that –Nitro, -Chloro and –Flouro exhibit high activity against the tested bacteria, the rest of the compounds were found to be either slightly active or inactive against the tested microorganisms. The order of anti-bacterial activity was found to be 8f>8d>8e>8b>8a>8c.

Table 1. Antibacterial Activity by the disc diffusion method

S.No.	Compound	Zone of Inhibition			
		<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> NCCS2079	<i>Bacillus Cereus</i> NCCS2106	<i>Escherichia Coli</i> NCCS2065	<i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i> NCCS2200
1	3-(2-(1,1-dioxido-1,2-thiazetidin-2-yl)ethyl)-2-phenylthiazolidin-4-one 8(a)	07	08	06	06
2	3-(2-(1,1-dioxido-1,2-thiazetidin-2-yl)ethyl)-2-(p-tolyl)thiazolidin-4-one 8(b)	05	07	05	06
3	3-(2-(1,1-dioxido-1,2-thiazetidin-2-yl)ethyl)-2-(4-fluorophenyl)thiazolidin-4-one 8(c)	06	07	06	07
4	2-(4-chlorophenyl)-3-(2-(1,1-dioxido-1,2-thiazetidin-2-yl)ethyl)thiazolidin-4-one 8(d)	06	07	06	05
5	3-(2-(1,1-dioxido-1,2-thiazetidin-2-yl)ethyl)-2-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)thiazolidin-4-one 8(e)	09	09	07	09
6	3-(2-(1,1-dioxido-1,2-thiazetidin-2-yl)ethyl)-2-(4-nitrophenyl)thiazolidin-4-one 8(f)	08	08	06	07
7	Amoxycillin	21	22	24	27

Antifungal activity

Antifungal activity of final compounds 3-(2-(1,1-dioxido-1,2-thiazetidin-2-yl)ethyl)-2-phenylthiazolidin-4-one 8(a-f) were screened against *Aspergillus niger*, *Helminthosporium Oryzae*. The compounds 8(a-f) showed more fungal activity while 8(a-c) exhibited low activity. The fungal activity thiazolidin-4-one 8(a-f) was shown in the (Table-2). Here Griseofulvin [19-20] is tested as reference compound to compare the activity.

Table 2. Antifungal Activity by the disc diffusion method

S.No.	Compound	Zone of Inhibition	
		<i>Aspergillus niger</i> NCCS 1196 250(µg/disc)	<i>Helminthosporium Oryzae</i> 250(µg/disc)
1	3-(2-(1,1-dioxido-1,2-thiazetidin-2-yl)ethyl)-2-phenylthiazolidin-4-one 8(a)	9	8
2	3-(2-(1,1-dioxido-1,2-thiazetidin-2-yl)ethyl)-2-(p-tolyl)thiazolidin-4-one 8(b)	10	9
3	3-(2-(1,1-dioxido-1,2-thiazetidin-2-yl)ethyl)-2-(4-fluorophenyl)thiazolidin-4-one 8(c)	8	6
4	2-(4-chlorophenyl)-3-(2-(1,1-dioxido-1,2-thiazetidin-2-yl)ethyl)thiazolidin-4-one 8(d)	18	19
5	3-(2-(1,1-dioxido-1,2-thiazetidin-2-yl)ethyl)-2-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)thiazolidin-4-one 8(e)	16	17
6	3-(2-(1,1-dioxido-1,2-thiazetidin-2-yl)ethyl)-2-(4-nitrophenyl)thiazolidin-4-one 8(f)	17	18
7	Griseofulvin	28	26

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