

Figure 4. ¹H NMR spectra of D_2O solutions containing ethylenediamine and $BW_{11}Co$ in (a) 1:2 mole ratio at pH=7.6, and (b) 2:1 mole ratio at pH=8.0. Chemical shifts in ppm from TMS. The singlet at 3.29 ppm is attributed to the free ligand.



Figure 5. ¹H NMR spectrum of a D_2O solutions containing pyrazine and $BW_{11}Co$ in (a) 1:2 and (b) 4:1 mole ratio at pH=6.9. Chemical shifts in ppm from TMS.

When these ligands are coordinated to the heteropolyanions, the 2-H lines are always shifted upfield. Heteropolyanions exhibit some difference in the ability to form dumbbellshaped 1:2 ligand-heteropolyanion complexes: $BW_{11}Co$ forms 1:2 complexes better than $SiW_{11}Co$ does. These bidentate ligands may be useful in preparing extended systems from appropriate cobalt complexes.

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A Convenient Synthesis of N-Alkyl-N'-(1-carboalkoxyalkyl)sulfamides

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3-Oxo-1,2,5-thiadiazolidine 1,1-dioxides(3) which can be easily obtained by the cyclization of N-(1-carboalkoxyalkyl)sulfamides 2 under the basic condition have been found to possess some pharmacological properties.¹ Three procedures have been reported for the preparation of 2; successive reactions of chlorosulfonyl isocyanate with formic acid or benzyl alcohol followed by α -amino acid alkyl esters.² treatment of α -amino acid alkyl esters with sulfamoyl chloride.³ and ethanolysis of 3-imino-1,2,5-thiadiazolidine 1,1-dioxides.⁴ These methods are, however, very tedious and complicated.

We now wish to report a new method to prepare the unsymmetrical sulfamides 2 from 2-hydroxyphenyl N-alkylsulfamates 1 which are easily obtainable from catechol sulfate and alkylamines by DuBois' procedure.⁵ Reaction of sulfamates 1 with various α -amino acid alkyl esters in the presence of N,N-dimethylaminopyridine (DMAP) in refluxing dioxane afforded the unsymmetrical sulfamides 2 in excellent to good yields. When DMAP was absent, the yield was quite low. This route thus represents a very convenient and general method to prepare unsymmetrical N-alkyl-N'-arylsulfamides which are valuable key intermediates for many heterocycles containing N-SO₂-N moiety.6

Experimental

General Methods. Infrared spectra were obtained on a Perkin Elmer 710B spectrophotometer and NMR spectra were recorded on Bruker AC 100(100 MHz) and JMN-EX 400(400 MHz) FT NMR spectrometers. Chemical shifts(\delta) are given in ppm relative to TMS. Reagents and solvents were used without further purification.

General Procedure for the Preparation of 2-Hydroxyphenyl Sulfamates 1.⁵

To a DMF (10 m/) solution of amine (3.0 mmol) and triethylamine (0.30 g, 3.0 mmol) was added methylene chloride (3.0 m/) solution of catechol sulfate (0.50 g, 3.0 mmol) dropwise with vigorous stirring at 0° for 2 hr under dry nitrogen. The solution was poured into a 1% aqueous HCl solution (100 m/) and the precipitate was filtered and dried to give 1 as a white solid.

2-Hydroxyphenyl N-Benzylsulfamates(1a). From benzylamine (0.32 g) **1a** was obtained in 93% yield (0.75 g): mp. 116-118°C (lit.^{5a} mp. 116.5-117.5°C); IR (KBr) 1155, 1355, 3240, 3385 cm⁻¹; ¹H-NMR (CDCl₃) δ 4.27 (d, 2H, J=6.0 Hz), 6.75 (t, 2H, J=6.0 Hz), 7.20-7.50 ppm (m. 9H).

2-Hydroxyphenyl N-(3,4-Dimethoxybenzyl)sulfamates(1b). From 3,4-dimethoxybenzylamine(0.50 g) 1b was obtained in 97% yield (0.99 g); mp. 82-84°C (lit.^{5c} mp. 78-80 °C); IR (KBr) 1180, 1370, 3235, 3385 cm⁻¹; ¹H-NMR (CDCl₃) δ 3.72 (s, 6H), 4.22 (d, 2H, J=6.1 Hz), 5.80-6.15 (m, 2H), 6.70-7.20 ppm (m, 8H).

General Procedure for the Amination of Sulfamates 1

A dry dioxane (5 m/) solution containing 1 (1.00 mmol), α -amino acid alkyl ester hydrochloride (1.10 mmol), triethylamine (1.10 mmol) and DMAP (0.15 mmol) was refluxed for 4 hr under dry nitrogen, allowed to cool and poured into a 5% aqueous HCl solution (50 m/). The solid product was recrystallized from ethanol and the oily product was purified by column chromatography.

N-Benzyl-N'-carbo-t-butoxymethylsulfamide (2a). Reaction of **1a** with glycine *t*-butyl ester hydrochloride gave **2a** in 61% yield; mp. 115-117°C; IR (KBr) 1160, 1350, 1730, 3300 cm⁻¹; ¹H-NMR (CDCl₃) δ 1.46 (s, 9H), 3.70 (s, 2H), 4.26 (s, 2H), 4.70 (brd s, 1H), 4.90 (brd s, 1H), 7.30 ppm (s, 5H). ¹³C-NMR (DMSO-d₆) δ 25.64, 45.01, 47.05, 83.54, 127.31, 128.03, 129.30, 138.47, 169.13 ppm.



N-Benzyl-N'-carbobenzyloxymethylsulfamide(2b). Reaction of **1a** with glycine benzyl ester hydrochloride gave **2b** in 53% yield; mp. 112-114°C; IR (KBr) 1140, 1330, 1728, 3250 cm⁻¹; ¹H-NMR (CDCl₃) & 3.84 (d, 2H, J=5.2 Hz), 4.22 (d, 2H, J=4.8 Hz), 4.78 (t, 2H, J=5.2 Hz), 5.07 (t, 1H, J=4.8 Hz), 5.18 (s, 2H), 7.24-7.35 ppm (m, 10H). ¹³C-NMR (DMSO-d₆) & 44.31, 47.16, 66.92, 127.11, 127.96, 128.09, 128.13, 128.22, 128.34, 136.72, 138.06, 169.92 ppm.

N-Benzyl-N'-(1-carbethoxyisobutyl)sulfamide(2c). Reaction of **1a** with value ethyl ester hydrochloride gave **2c** in 85% yield; mp. 48-49°C; $[\alpha]_0^{20} = +2.1$ (c=2.28, CHCl₃); IR (KBr) 1140, 1340, 1735, 3325 cm⁻¹; ¹H-NMR (CDCl₃) & 0.98 (d, 3H. J=6.8 Hz), 1.06 (d, 3H, J=6.4 Hz), 1.13 (t, 3H, J=7.0 Hz), 2.05-2.18 (m, 1H), 3.90 (dd, 1H, J=4.8, 6.8 Hz), 4.16-4.24 (m, 4H), 4.49 (t, 1H, J=5.6 Hz), 5.09 (d, 1H, J=6.8 Hz), 7.22-7.31 ppm (m, 5H). ¹³C-NMR (DMSO-d₆) & 14.64, 17.92, 18.25, 32.06, 46.52, 62.01, 62.64, 127.17, 127.64, 128.11, 138.12, 172.49 ppm.

N-Benzyl-N'-(1-carbo-t-butoxylsopentyl)sulfamide(2 d). Reaction of **1a** with leucine *t*-butyl ester hydrochloride gave **2d** in 76% yield; mp. 110-112°C; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -5.0^\circ$ (c=2.0, CHCl₃); IR (KBr) 1120, 1330, 1720, 3350 cm⁻¹; ¹H-NMR (CDCl₃) δ 0.93 (d, 6H, f=6.5 Hz), 0.99 (d, 3H, f=6.1 Hz), 1.47 (s, 9H), 1.43-1.52 (m, 2H), 1.72-1.91 (m, 1H), 3.83-3.96 (m, 1H), 4.21 (d, 2H, J=5.3 Hz), 4.86 (t, 1H, J=5.3 Hz), 5.32 (d, 1H, J=6.2 Hz), 7.23-7.37 ppm (m, 5H). ¹³C-NMR (CDCl₃) δ 22.24, 23.22, 25.02, 28.39, 42.53, 47.73, 55.69, 82.87, 128.27, 128.53, 129.14, 137.30, 173.33 ppm.

N-Benzyl-N'-(1-carbethoxyphenethyl)sulfamide(2e). Reaction of **1a** with phenylalanine ethyl ester hydrochloride gave **2a** as an oil in 68% yield; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -4.4^\circ$ (c=2.00, CHCl₃); IR (KBr) 1150, 1340, 1730, 3320 cm⁻¹; ¹H-NMR (CDCl₃) δ 1.18 (t, 3H. J=7.2 Hz), 2.99-3.11 (m, 2H), 3.78-4.02 (m, 1H), 4.03-4.28 (m, 4H), 4.70 (t, 1H, J=5.1 Hz), 5.19 (m, 1H. J=6.2 Hz), 7.12-7.35 ppm (m, 10H), ¹³C-NMR (DMSOd₆) δ 14.52, 39.45, 47.44, 57.70, 62.33, 127.74, 128.32, 128.43, 128.95, 129.11, 130.02, 136.12, 137.05, 172.40 ppm.

N-(1-Carbethoxyisobutyi)-N'-(3,4-dimethoxybenzyl) sulfamide(2f). Reaction of 1b with value ethyl ester hydrochloride gave 2f as an oil in 67% yield: $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ =:+1.8° $(c=1.20, \text{CHCl}_3)$; IR (KBr) 1160, 1320, 1720, 3260 cm⁻¹; ¹H-NMR (CDCl}3) & 0.88 (d, 3H, J=6.8 Hz), 1.03 (d, 3H, J=6.6 Hz), 1.17 (t, 3H, J=7.0 Hz), 1.95-2.02 (m, 1H), 3.82 (dd, 1H, J=5.5, 7.2 Hz), 3.85 (s, 3H), 3.86 (s, 3H), 4.08-4.25 (m, 4H), 4.73 (t, 1H, J=5.1 Hz), 5.21 (d, 1H, J=7.2 Hz), 6.78-6.86 ppm (m, 3H). ¹³C-NMR (CDCl}3) & 14.63, 17.94, 19.51, 31.78, 47.61, 56.37, 61.76, 62.10, 111.69, 111.73, 120.77, 129.56, 149.21, 149.62, 172.87 ppm.

N-(1-Carbethoxyphenethyl)-N'-(3,4-dimethoxybenzyl)suifamide(2g). Reaction of **1b** with phenylalanine ethyl ester hydrochloride gave **2g** in 88% yield; mp. 52-54°C : $[\alpha]_{\rho}^{20}$ = +7.0° (c=0.47, CHCl₃); IR (KBr) 1160, 1370, 1728, 3250 cm⁻¹; ¹H-NMR (CDCl₃) δ 1.02 (t, 3H, *J*=7.0 Hz), 2.93 (m, 2H), 3.65-3.88 (m, 1H), 3.72 (s, 3H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.92-4.03 (m, 2H), 4.11-4.19 (m, 2H), 5.22 (t, 1H, *J*=5.0 Hz), 5.53 (d, 1H, *J*=6.3 Hz), 6.63-6.71 (m, 3H), 7.10-7.11 ppm (m, 5H). ¹³C-NMR (CDCl₃) δ 14.69, 39.02, 47.24, 56.52, 58.01, 61.98, 112.71, 112.75, 120.11, 127.08, 128.91, 130.11, 130.45, 147.52, 139.01, 139.83, 177.25 ppm.

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