



Synthesis, crystal structure and fluorescence spectrum of some new 1,2,3-triazol-xanthen-3-one derivatives

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Some new compounds 9-(1-aryl-5-methyl-1*H*-1,2,3-triazol-4-yl)-6-hydroxy-3*H*-xanthen-3-one **7a-j** have been synthesized for new fluorescence probe material. Their fluorescence and ultraviolet-visible spectra have been studied. Their structures are established by MS, IR and ¹H NMR spectral data. The structure of title compound **7c** has been identified by X-ray diffraction. C₂₂H₁₄C₁N₃O₃, belongs to triclinic system, space group *P* $\bar{1}$ with *a* = 8.296(4), *b* = 9.726(5), *c* = 11.976(6) Å, α = 90.953(7), β = 105.081(7), γ = 100.693(8)°, *V* = 914.7(8)Å³, *Z* = 2, *D_c* = 1.466 Mg/m³, *F*(000) = 416.0 and μ = 0.240 mm⁻¹. The title compound has a weaker inhibiting HIV-1 protease than indinavir.

Keywords: Xanthen-3-one, crystal structure, synthesis, fluorescence spectra, inhibiting HIV-1 protease, 1*H*-1,2,3-triazole

Fluorescence probes are excellent sensors for biomolecules, being sensitive, fast-responding and capable of affording high spatial resolution *via* microscopic imaging¹⁻⁴. Many fluorescence probes employing fluorescein as the core has been developed⁵⁻¹¹. They have been used in the detection of a variety of protein, nucleic acid, cell, HIV-1 nucleocapsid etc^{9,12-14}. Fluorescent compounds have been excellent tools for the sensitive and specific detection of a variety of analytes. Encouraged by these results, we are expanding the general approach to different fluorophores for better properties. Almost all the currently known electron donor are the benzene moiety and little are the heteroatomic moiety.

In addition to molecules containing 1,2,3-triazole nucleus are also important heterocycles and pharmacologically active molecules. Hence, they have been applied extensively to modify and potentiate anticancer¹⁵⁻²⁰, antibacterial^{15,16,19-21}, antifungal^{15,20}, antiviral^{15-16,20}, anti-inflammatory¹⁵, analgesic¹⁷, anti-tuberculosis^{16,20-21}, anti-diabetic¹⁵, anti-malarial¹⁶ and anti-Alzheimer drugs¹⁶. Substituted 1,2,3-triazoles are often applied as building blocks in designing drugs to inhibit the growth, invasion, and migration of cancer cells (Scheme I)²². Moreover, some of 1,2,3-triazole containing compounds such as Cefatrizine and Carboxyamidotriazole (Scheme II) have already been used in clinics or under clinical evaluation for cancer

treatment, revealing their potential as putative anticancer drugs²⁰.

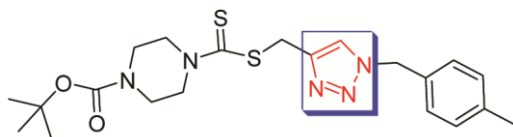
However, there is a little information describing compounds containing 3*H*-xanthen-3-one nucleus and 1,2,3-triazole moieties in one molecule. Such compounds should be reported for the subject. Some novel 9-(1-aryl-5-methyl-1*H*-1,2,3-triazol-4-yl)-6-hydroxy-3*H*-xanthen-3-one **7a-j** were synthesized from (2,4-dihydroxyphenyl)-(5-methyl-1-aryl-1*H*-1,2,3-triazol-4-yl)-methanone **6a-j**.

Experimental Section

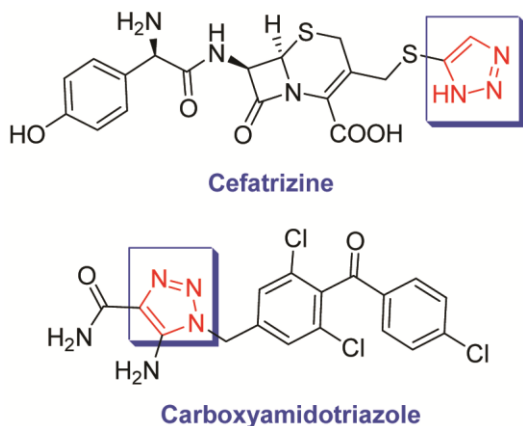
¹H NMR spectra were obtained in deuterated DMSO (CD₃SOCD₃) at 300 MHz. Starting materials **4-6** were synthesized as previously reported^{17-18,23}.

General preparation procedure of 9-(1-aryl-5-methyl-1*H*-1,2,3-triazol-4-yl)-6-hydroxy-3*H*-xanthen-3-one derivatives **7a-j** following the procedure method

A solution of (1-aryl-5-methyl-1*H*-1,2,3-triazol-4-yl)-(2,4-dihydroxy-phenyl)-methanone **6a-j** (0.0015 mol) and resorcinol (0.0018 mol) and 4-methyl-benzenesulfonic acid (0.011 mol) with stirring in 25mL round bottomed flask at 110°C under argon for 6-8 hours. Then reaction mixture was cooled to room temperature, a solution of 2g NaOH in 25mL water was added under acutely stirred. The reaction mixture was heated to solution of solid and was poured into



Scheme I — Anticancer compounds containing 1,2,3-triazole



Scheme II — Chemical structures of containing 1,2,3-triazole anticancer agents

25mL water. The pH of the reaction mixture was regulated to pH = 5 by glacial acetic acid. The red precipitation was separation, filtered, washed with water and recrystallized from ethanol to give **7a-j**.

6-Hydroxy-9-(5-methyl-1-phenyl-1*H*-1,2,3-triazol-4-yl)-3*H*-xanthen-3-one, **7a**

Yields (92%), red powder, m.p. >300°C. IR(KBr): 3395, 3046, 2919, 2696, 2495, 1967, 1878, 1638, 1587, 1504, 1459, 1384, 1328, 1262, 1207, 1175, 1101, 1009, 973, 907, 841, 816, 762, 714, 686, 655, 629, 611, 591, 554, 527, 499, 458 cm⁻¹; ¹HNMR(CD₃SOCD₃): δ 7.825-7.847(d, 2H, *J* = 6.6Hz), 7.685-7.710(m, 3H), 7.532-7.564(d, 2H, *J* = 9.6Hz, Xt 1,8-H), 6.753-6.784(d, 2H, *J* = 9.3Hz, Xt 2,7-H), 6.709(s, 2H, Xt 4,5-H), 3.6-4.0(b, 1H, -OH), 2.231(s, 3H, Tz-CH₃); HRMS(ESI) Calcd: C₂₂H₁₅N₃O₃ [M+H]⁺ 370.1186. Found: 370.1184.

6-Hydroxy-9-[5-methyl-1-(4-methylphenyl)-1*H*-1,2,3-triazol-4-yl]-3*H*-xanthen-3-one, **7b**

Yields (90%), red powder, m.p. >300°C. IR(KBr): 3385, 3065, 2923, 2582, 2508, 1878, 1708, 1639, 1586, 1501, 1458, 1385, 1330, 1266, 1209, 1180, 1103, 1009, 976, 939, 907, 845, 818, 760, 728, 693, 664, 630, 595, 555, 534, 517, 498, 462, 422 cm⁻¹; ¹HNMR(CD₃SOCD₃): δ 7.686-7.713(d, 2H, *J* = 8.1Hz, Ar 3,5-H), 7.531-7.561(d, 2H, *J* = 9.0Hz, Xt 1,8-H), 7.482-7.510(d, 2H, *J* = 8.4Hz, Ar 2,6-H), 6.762-6.793(d, 2H, *J* = 9.3Hz, Xt 2,7-H), 6.719(s, 2H,

Xt 4,5-H), 3.6-4.2(b, 1H, -OH), 2.454(s, 3H, Tz-CH₃), 2.206(s, 3H, Ar-CH₃); HRMS(ESI) Calcd: C₂₃H₁₇N₃O₃ [M+H]⁺ 384.1343. Found: 384.1342.

9-[1-(3-Chlorophenyl)-5-methyl-1*H*-1,2,3-triazol-4-yl]-6-hydroxy-3*H*-xanthen-3-one, **7c**

Yields (91%), red powder, m.p. >300°C. IR(KBr): 3422, 3069, 2968, 2921, 2410, 1872, 1812, 1637, 1588, 1515, 1484, 1456, 1388, 1321, 1275, 1206, 1167, 1106, 975, 907, 875, 845, 824, 787, 760, 726, 681, 659, 614, 586, 554, 519, 479 cm⁻¹; ¹HNMR(CD₃SOCD₃): δ 8.030(s, 1H), 7.823(m, 1H), 7.753(m, 2H), 7.532-7.564(d, 2H, *J* = 9.6Hz, Xt 1,8-H), 6.745-6.776(d, 2H, *J* = 9.3Hz, Xt 2,7-H), 6.710(s, 2H, Xt 4,5-H), 3.5-3.9(b, 1H, -OH), 2.241(s, 3H); HRMS(ESI) Calcd: C₂₂H₁₄ClN₃O₃ [M+H]⁺ 404.0796. Found: 404.0796.

9-[1-(4-Chlorophenyl)-5-methyl-1*H*-1,2,3-triazol-4-yl]-6-hydroxy-3*H*-xanthen-3-one, **7d**

Yields (93%), red powder, m.p. >300°C. IR(KBr): 3409, 3057, 2970, 2872, 2708, 2573, 2501, 1929, 1717, 1634, 1607, 1498, 1472, 1406, 1368, 1330, 1266, 1213, 1182, 1108, 1006, 979, 907, 835, 765, 727, 691, 664, 615, 594, 562, 543, 515, 495, 465, 406 cm⁻¹; ¹HNMR(CD₃SOCD₃): δ 7.876-7.905(d, 2H, *J* = 8.7Hz, Ar 3,5-H), 7.775-7.804(d, 2H, *J* = 8.7Hz, Ar 2,6-H), 7.521-7.552(d, 2H, *J* = 9.3Hz, Xt 1,8-H), 6.731-6.762(d, 2H, *J* = 9.3Hz, Xt 2,7-H), 6.696(s, 2H, Xt 4,5-H), 3.6-4.0(b, 1H, -OH), 2.231(s, 3H, Tz-CH₃); HRMS(ESI) Calcd: C₂₂H₁₄ClN₃O₃ [M+H]⁺ 404.0796. Found: 404.0799.

9-[1-(4-Bromophenyl)-5-methyl-1*H*-1,2,3-triazol-4-yl]-6-hydroxy-3*H*-xanthen-3-one, **7e**

Yields (93%), red powder, m.p. >300°C. IR(KBr): 3411, 3058, 2965, 2921, 2709, 2580, 2512, 1634, 1608, 1494, 1472, 1443, 1402, 1367, 1332, 1265, 1213, 1183, 1157, 1108, 1074, 1005, 980, 907, 835, 764, 728, 688, 663, 614, 594, 561, 536, 512, 492, 445 cm⁻¹; ¹HNMR(CD₃SOCD₃): δ 7.909-7.939(d, 2H, *J* = 9.0Hz, Ar 3,5-H), 7.802-7.829(d, 2H, *J* = 8.1Hz, Ar 2,6-H), 7.495-7.526(d, 2H, *J* = 9.3Hz, Xt 1,8-H), 6.710-6.741(d, 2H, *J* = 9.3Hz, Xt 2,7-H), 6.669(s, 2H, Xt 4,5-H), 3.4-4.2(b, 1H, -OH), 2.229(s, 3H, Tz-CH₃); HRMS(ESI) Calcd: C₂₂H₁₄BrN₃O₃ [M+H]⁺ 448.0291. Found: 448.0288.

9-[1-(2-Ethoxyphenyl)-5-methyl-1*H*-1,2,3-triazol-4-yl]-6-hydroxy-3*H*-xanthen-3-one, **7f**

Yields (85%), red powder, m.p. >300°C. IR(KBr): 3432, 3061, 2983, 2892, 2711, 2593, 2501, 1908,

1872, 1701, 1638, 1585, 1553, 1501, 1457, 1386, 1327, 1269, 1206, 1172, 1102, 1035, 1006, 977, 907, 850, 821, 766, 685, 656, 613, 592, 556, 517, 496, 455 cm^{-1} ; $^1\text{H NMR}(\text{CD}_3\text{SOCD}_3)$: δ 7.628-7.702(m, 2H), 7.325-7.376(m, 3H), 7.208-7.259(t, 1H, $J = 7.5\text{Hz}$), 6.714-6.745(d, 2H, $J = 9.3\text{Hz}$, Xt 2,7-H), 6.669(s, 2H, Xt 4,5-H), 4.125-4.193(q, 2H, $J = 6.6\text{Hz}$, O-CH₂), 3.6-4.2(b, 1H, -OH), 2.050(s, 3H, Tz-CH₃), 1.258-1.305(t, 3H, $J = 7.2\text{Hz}$, C-CH₃); HRMS (ESI) Calcd: C₂₄H₁₉N₃O₄ [M+H]⁺ 414.1448. Found: 414.1451.

9-[1-(4-Ethoxyphenyl)-5-methyl-1H-1,2,3-triazol-4-yl]-6-hydroxy-3H-xanthen-3-one, 7g

Yields (95%), red powder, m.p. >300°C. IR(KBr): 3428, 3069, 2979, 2932, 2710, 2583, 1893, 1638, 1613, 1579, 1553, 1518, 1492, 1465, 1416, 1388, 1330, 1253, 1211, 1181, 1103, 1041, 1002, 975, 905, 841, 759, 727, 696, 666, 611, 594, 545, 516, 491, 451 cm^{-1} ; $^1\text{H NMR}(\text{CD}_3\text{SOCD}_3)$: δ 7.696-7.725(d, 2H, $J = 8.7\text{Hz}$, Ar 3,5-H), 7.594-7.626(d, 2H, $J = 9.6\text{Hz}$, Xt 1,8-H), 7.171-7.201(d, 2H, $J = 9.0\text{Hz}$, Ar 2,6-H), 6.805-6.836(d, 2H, $J = 9.3\text{Hz}$, Xt 2,7-H), 6.774(s, 2H, Xt 4,5-H), 4.099-4.169(q, 2H, $J = 6.9\text{Hz}$, O-CH₂), 3.6-4.2(b, 1H, -OH), 2.169(s, 3H, Tz-CH₃), 1.346-1.396(t, 3H, $J = 6.9\text{Hz}$, C-CH₃); HRMS(ESI) Calcd: C₂₄H₁₉N₃O₄ [M+H]⁺ 414.1448. Found: 414.1444.

6-Hydroxy-9-[1-(4-methoxyphenyl)-5-methyl-1H-1,2,3-triazol-4-yl]-3H-xanthen-3-one, 7h

Yields (95%), red powder, m.p. >300°C. IR(KBr): 3427, 3071, 2914, 2830, 2446, 1878, 1635, 1600, 1571, 1514, 1460, 1387, 1315, 1253, 1204, 1165, 1105, 1039, 998, 973, 905, 840, 756, 725, 665, 627, 599, 563, 543, 515, 485, 462 cm^{-1} ; $^1\text{H NMR}(\text{CD}_3\text{SOCD}_3)$: δ 7.733-7.763(d, 2H, $J = 9.0\text{Hz}$, Ar 3,5-H), 7.614-7.644(d, 2H, $J = 9.0\text{Hz}$, Xt 1,8-H), 7.212-7.241(d, 2H, $J = 8.7\text{Hz}$, Ar 2,6-H), 6.817-6.852(d, 2H, $J = 10.5\text{Hz}$, Xt 2,7-H), 6.792(s, 2H, Xt 4,5-H), 3.886(s, 3H, O-CH₃), 3.6-4.2(b, 1H, -OH), 2.190(s, 3H, Tz-CH₃); HRMS(ESI) Calcd: C₂₃H₁₇N₃O₄ [M+H]⁺ 400.1292. Found: 400.1295.

6-Hydroxy-9-[5-methyl-1-(α -naphthalenyl)-1H-1,2,3-triazol-4-yl]-3H-xanthen-3-one, 7i

Yields (86%), red powder, m.p. >300°C. IR(KBr): 3426, 3059, 2919, 2852, 2475, 1874, 1640, 1583, 1511, 1464, 1382, 1321, 1261, 1203, 1168, 1106, 963, 908, 845, 801, 774, 698, 670, 654, 615, 555, 513, 488 cm^{-1} ; $^1\text{H NMR}(\text{CD}_3\text{SOCD}_3)$: δ 8.296-8.324(d, 1H, $J = 8.4\text{Hz}$), 8.181-8.209(d, 1H, $J = 8.4\text{Hz}$), 8.021-8.042(d, 1H, $J = 6.3\text{Hz}$), 7.794-7.845(t, 1H, $J = 7.5\text{Hz}$), 7.702-

7.726(t, 2H, $J = 3.6\text{Hz}$), 7.640-7.671(d, 2H, $J = 9.3\text{Hz}$, Xt 1,8-H), 7.417-7.442(d, 1H, $J = 7.5\text{Hz}$), 6.819-6.850(d, 2H, $J = 9.3\text{Hz}$, Xt 2,7-H), 6.753(s, 2H, Xt 4,5-H), 3.6-4.0(b, 1H, -OH), 2.052(s, 3H, Tz-CH₃); HRMS(ESI) Calcd: C₂₆H₁₇N₃O₃ [M+H]⁺ 420.1343. Found: 420.1344.

6-Hydroxy-9-[5-methyl-1-(β -naphthalenyl)-1H-1,2,3-triazol-4-yl]-3H-xanthen-3-one, 7j

Yields (87%), red powder, m.p. >300°C. IR(KBr): 3418, 3058, 2921, 2407, 1918, 1636, 1577, 1510, 1459, 1428, 1385, 1317, 1270, 1248, 1204, 1167, 1105, 971, 942, 906, 844, 815, 743, 692, 663, 636, 615, 596, 559, 537, 514, 475 cm^{-1} ; $^1\text{H NMR}(\text{CD}_3\text{SOCD}_3)$: δ 8.454(s, 1H), 8.251-8.281(d, 1H, $J = 9.0\text{Hz}$), 8.154(m, 2H), 7.946-7.982(d, 1H, $J = 10.8\text{Hz}$), 7.702-7.733(m, 2H), 7.634-7.665(d, 2H, $J = 9.3\text{Hz}$, Xt 1,8-H), 6.831-6.862(d, 2H, $J = 9.3\text{Hz}$, Xt 2,7-H), 6.792(s, 2H, Xt 4,5-H), 3.2-4.0(b, 1H, -OH), 2.319(s, 3H, Tz-CH₃); HRMS(ESI) Calcd: C₂₆H₁₇N₃O₃ [M+H]⁺ 420.1343. Found: 420.1346.

X-ray structure determination (Supporting Information file)

The structure of title compound **7c** (CCDC 2034640), C₂₂H₁₄ClN₃O₃, belongs to triclinic system, space group $P\bar{1}$ with $a = 8.296(4)$, $b = 9.726(5)$, $c = 11.976(6)$ Å, $\alpha = 90.953(7)$, $\beta = 105.081(7)$, $\gamma = 100.693(8)^\circ$, $V = 914.7(8)\text{Å}^3$, $Z = 2$, $D_c = 1.466$ Mg/m³, $F(000) = 416.0$ and $\mu = 0.240$ mm⁻¹.

Results and Discussion

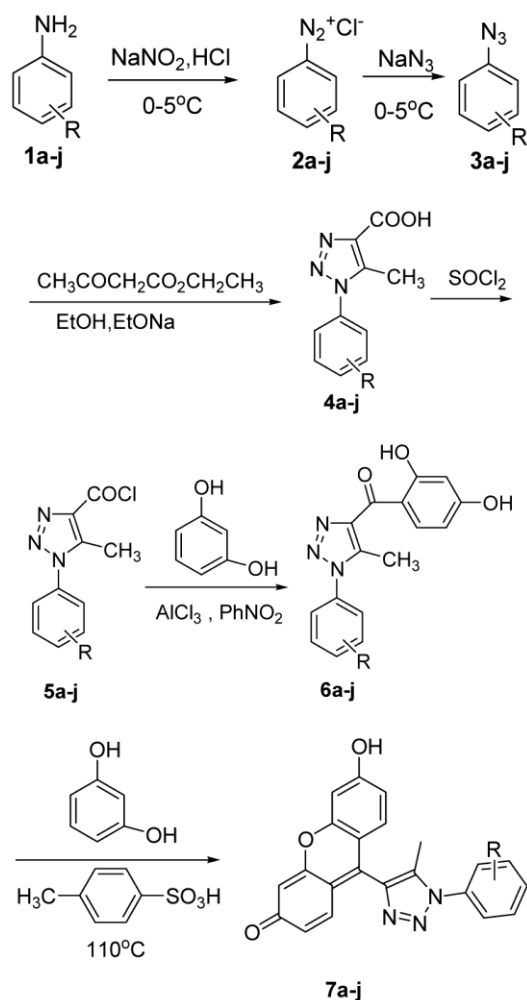
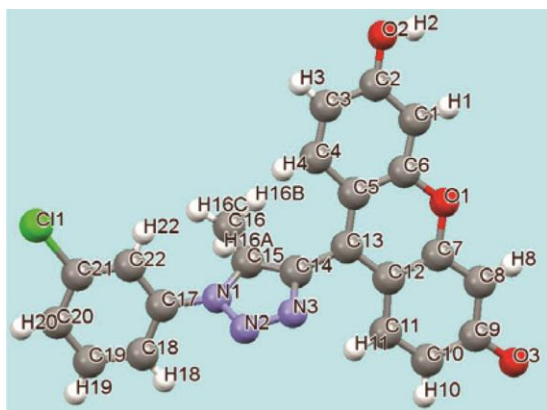
Synthesis of the title compound

Ten new high fluorescence quantum yield compounds 9-(1-aryl-5-methyl-1H-1,2,3-triazol-4-yl)-6-hydroxy-3H-xanthen-3-one **7a-j** were synthesized by the condensation reaction of (2,4-dihydroxyphenyl)-(5-methyl-1-aryl-1H-1,2,3-triazol-4-yl)-methanone **6a-j** and resorcinol at fusing in the catalytic agent. The route of synthesis is shown in Scheme III.

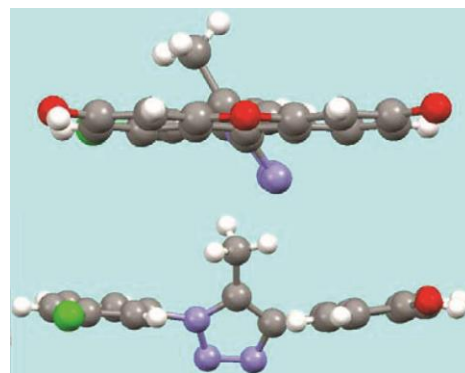
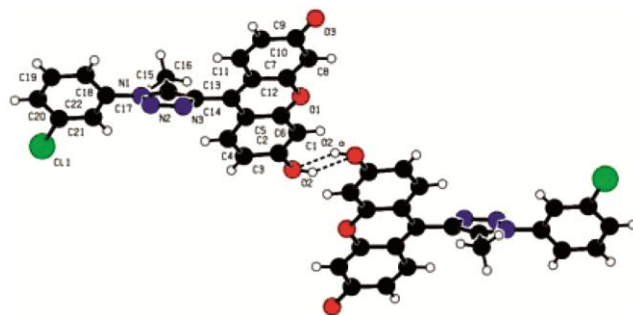
7a Ar = C₆H₅, **7b** Ar = 4-CH₃C₆H₄, **7c** Ar = 3-ClC₆H₄, **7d** Ar = 4-ClC₆H₄, **7e** Ar = 4-BrC₆H₄, **7f** Ar = 2-CH₃CH₂OC₆H₄, **7g** Ar = 4-CH₃CH₂OC₆H₄, **7h** Ar = 4-CH₃OC₆H₄, **7i** Ar = α -C₁₀H₇, **7j** Ar = β -C₁₀H₇.

The crystal structure of the title compound, 7c

The structure of the title compound **7c** is shown in Figure 1. The data of selected bond lengths (Å), bond angles (°) and selected dihedral bond torsion angles (°) for the target compound **7c** is shown (Table I-III, Supporting Information file).

Scheme III — The synthesis route of title compound **7a-j**Figure 1 — Mercury view of the molecular structure for the title compound **7c** showing the atom numbering scheme

The planes of title compound **7c** is shown in Figure 2 that plane of Xanthen-3-one ring, 1,2,3-triazole ring (C(12)-C(13)-C(14)-N(3), 53°) and aryl ring, 1,2,3-triazole ring (C(18)-C(17)-N(1)-N(2), 58°)

Figure 2 — The title compound **7c** showing tri-ring planeFigure 3 — The H-bond structure of the compound **7c** (PWT drawing for the Platon)

is not on one plane in crystal structure compound **7c**.

These are the interactions of hydrogen bond on the molecular stacking [O(2)-H(2) 0.82 H(2)-O(2a) 1.86 O(2)-H(2)...O(2a) 2.570(3) Å, <O(2)-H(2)...O(2a), 143.54°]. A view of H-bond structure for the title compound **7c** is shown in Figure 3.

The fluorescence excitation and emission spectrum determinations of the title compounds, **7a-j**

The fluorescence was taken using SPECTRUM ASCII PEDS 1.60 in LS 55(Perkin Elmer, American). Excitation was provided at 500 nm. Emission was obtained starting from 450 nm to 700 nm. All the analytes were tested in the same concentration (0.1 mM). The fluorescence excitation and emission spectra data of compounds **7a-j** in the pH = 13.0 and in EtOH is showed in Table IV-V (Supporting Information file).

The pH = 13 is a solution 0.1ML⁻¹ NaOH in distilled water. The part of the fluorescence emission spectra of compounds in EtOH and in the pH = 13.0 is showed in Figure 4 and Figure 5. The fluorescence images of the fluorescence emission spectra of compounds **7a-j** in EtOH and in the pH = 13.0 is showed in Figure 6 and Figure 7.

The fluorescence emission intensity of title compounds is higher than fluorescein in ethanol as the solvent, but is lower than fluorescein in a NaOH aqueous solution. In alkaline condition, the

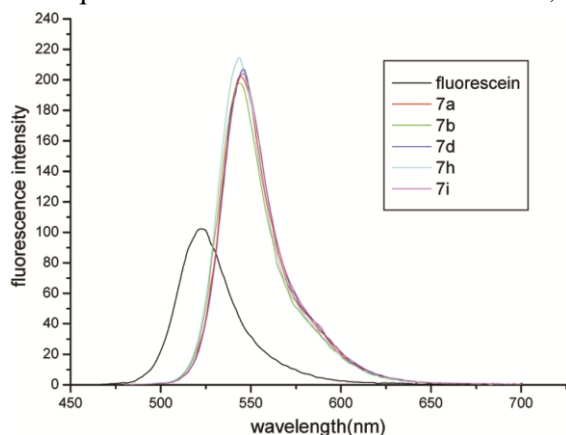


Figure 4 — A part of the fluorescence spectra of compounds in EtOH

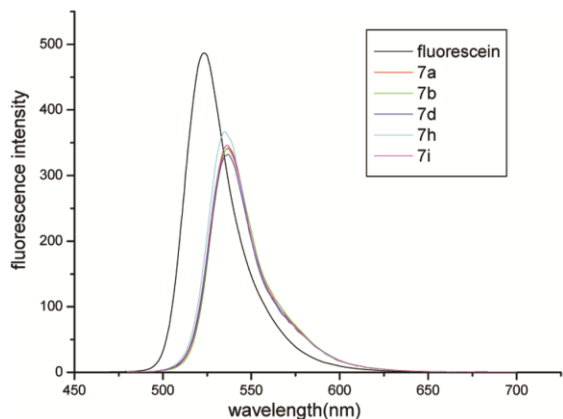


Figure 5 — A part of the fluorescence spectra of compounds in the pH = 13.0

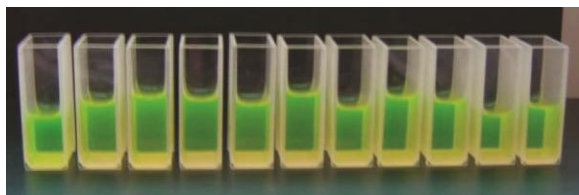


Figure 6 — The fluorescence images of title compounds **7a-j** in EtOH

fluorescein is a double negative ion structures, to the donor of ring for the electronic effect is stronger, fluorescence emission intensity of fluorescein is higher than the title compounds.

The fluorescent excitation wavelength and intensity of title compounds is singlet in ethanol as the solvent, the maximum intensity peak wavelength range is 526-529.5nm. When the NaOH aqueous solution as solvent, the fluorescent excitation wavelength and intensity of title compounds is three groups of peak, maximum intensity peak wavelength range is 478.5-480nm. In ethanol as the solvent, title compounds is mainly a neutral molecular structure. But in alkaline condition, the structure of title compounds is mainly a negative ion and a neutral molecular structure. The mainly structure and fluorescent excitation wavelength of title compounds in different solution condition is shown in Scheme IV.

The ultraviolet-visible spectra determinations of the title compounds, **7a-j**

The ultraviolet-visible spectra were taken using SPECTRUM ASCII PEDS 1.60 in Cary 100 (Varian UV-VIS-NIR). The ultraviolet absorbance spectra were obtained starting from 300 nm to 700 nm. All the analytes were tested in the same concentration (0.1 mM). The ultraviolet-visible spectra data of compounds **7a-j** in the pH = 13.0 and in EtOH is showed in Table VI (Supporting Information file).

The part of the ultraviolet-visible spectra of compounds in the pH = 13.0 and in EtOH is showed in Figure 8 and Figure 9.

The initial inhibiting HIV-1 protease

Test items: in vitro HIV-1 protease (HIV-1 PR) activity screening.

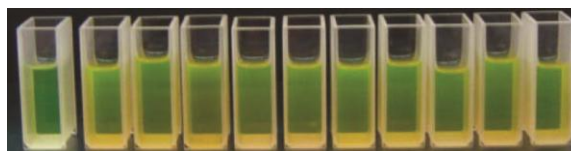
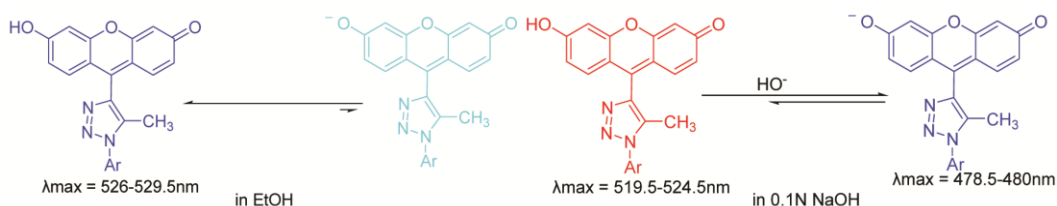


Figure 7 — The fluorescence images of title compounds **7a-j** in the pH = 13.0



Scheme IV — The structure and fluorescent excitation wavelength of title compounds **7a-j** in different solution condition

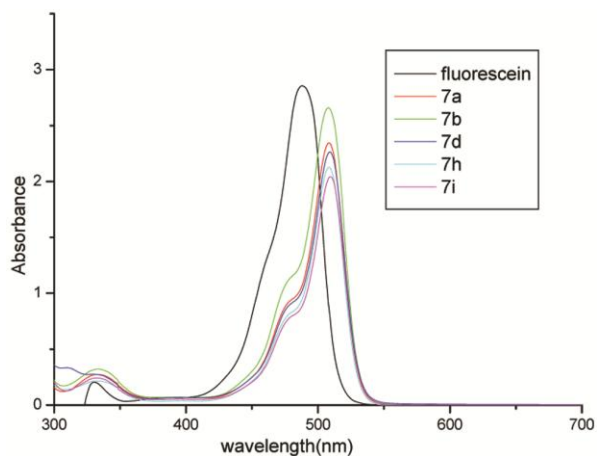


Figure 8 — A part of the ultraviolet-visible spectra of compounds in the pH = 13.0

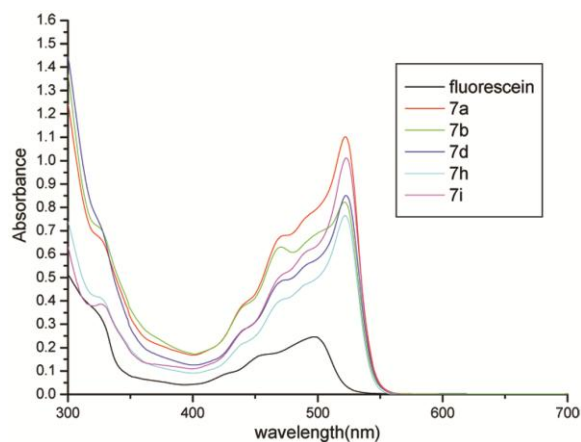


Figure 9 — A part of the ultraviolet-visible spectra of compounds in EtOH

Test principle: HIV-1 protease in the optimum reaction condition and reaction system can be cut fluorescently labeled substrates, intensity of fluorescence detection enzyme in the reaction product to reflect the activity of enzyme. In the reaction system to join the sample can be used for screening the enzyme inhibitors.

Testing materials and methods

- 1 HIV-1 PR sample is made by The National Center for Drug Screening appointed antiviral screening laboratory-Shanghai Institute of Materia Medica, Chinese Academy of Medical Sciences, medical biotechnology laboratory virus drugs, preserved - 85°C.
- 2 Processing: The sample is dissolved in DMSO or dual steaming water before using, the match into the appropriate concentration, five times diluted, each a series for five dilution degrees.

- 3 The indinavir was used for positive control medicine by Glaxo Wellcome, S. A. offer.
- 4 The substrate was offered by Invitrogen Corporation USA.

Test method

The title compound **7g** was diluted and added to in the reaction buffer of the substrate contain fluorescent mark. Then, the target enzyme gene engineering was joined. The mixed solution was incubated under the optimum reaction conditions. The fluorescence value data was taken using FLUO star Galaxy fluorescence spectrometer.

The IC₅₀ of title compound **7g** is 15.23 (ug/ml) (40nM, 50) and has a weaker inhibiting HIV-1 PR. Test samples under different concentration of inhibition rate was showed:

50(ug/ml) 62.61; 10(ug/ml) 27.81; 2.0(ug/ml) 27.58; 0.40(ug/ml) 28.18; 0.08(ug/ml) 22.59; IC₅₀(ug/ml) 15.23; (indinavir, 10nM, 88.1).

Conclusion

Ten new high fluorescence quantum yield compounds 9-(1-aryl-5-methyl-1H-1,2,3-triazol-4-yl)-6-hydroxy-3H-xanthen-3-one **7a-j** were synthesized. The fluorescence emission intensity of title compounds is higher than fluorescein in ethanol as the solvent, but is lower than fluorescein in a NaOH aqueous solution. The title compound has a weaker inhibiting HIV-1 protease than indinavir.

Supplementary Information

Supplementary information is available in the website <http://nopr.niscair.res.in/handle/123456789/60>.

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