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SYNTHESIS AND BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY OF NEW DERIVATIVES OF ISOINDOLINE-1,3-DIONES AS NON-STEROIDAL ANALGESICS

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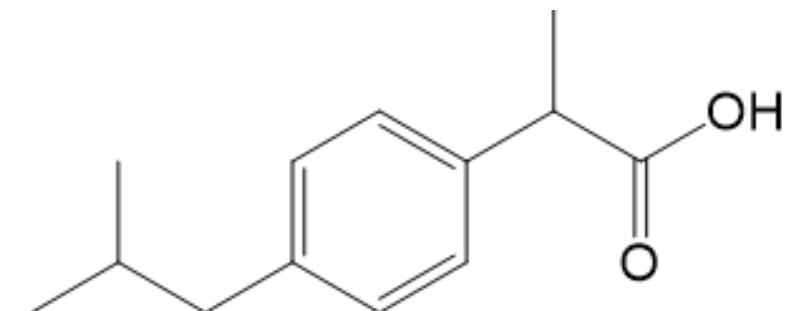
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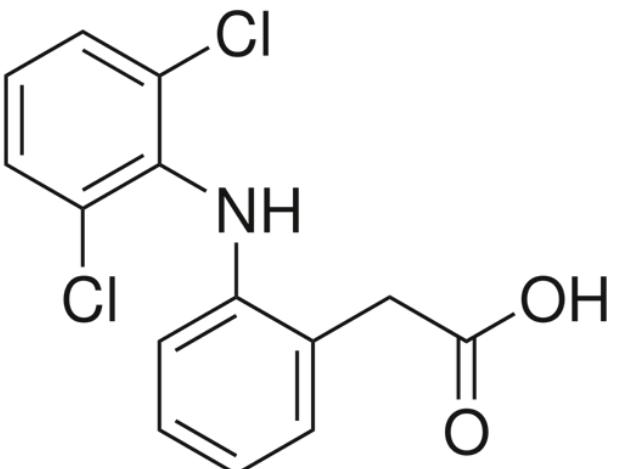


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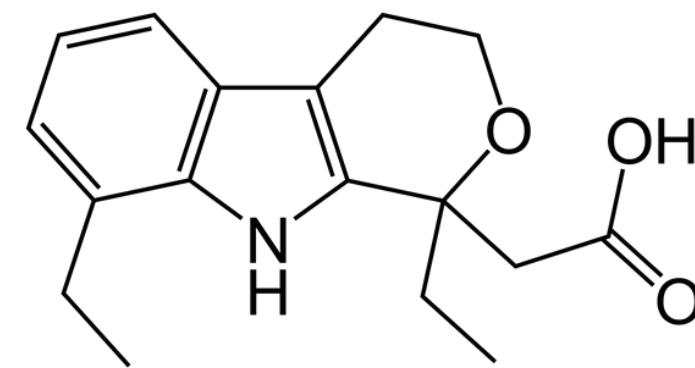
Today, there are many pain relievers available, but the search continues for more effective and less toxic organic molecules of non-steroidal structure



Ibuprofen



Diclofenac

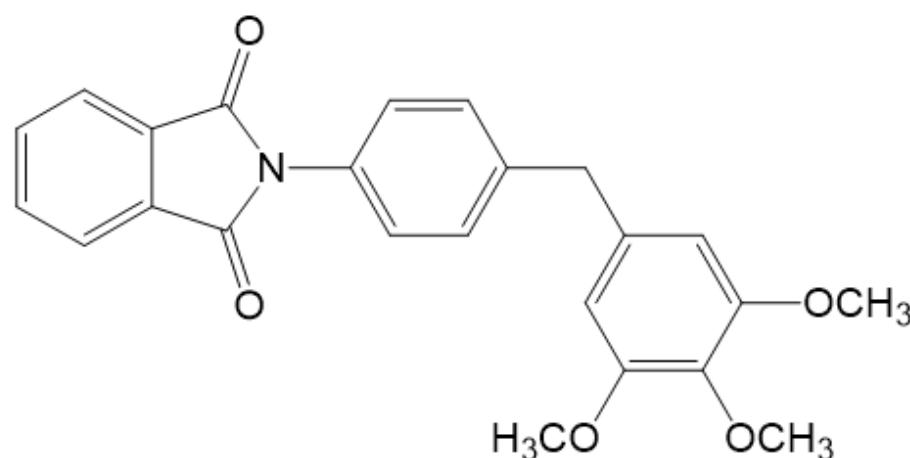


Etodolac

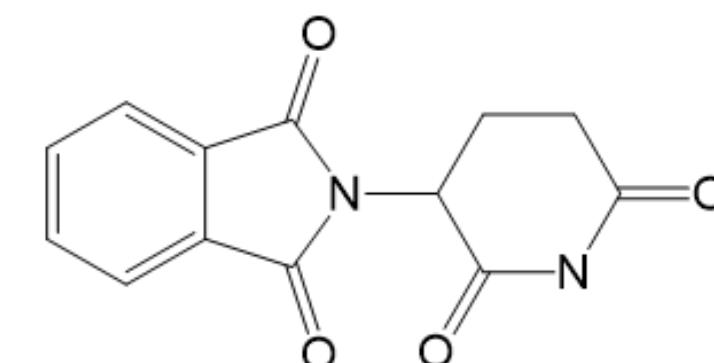


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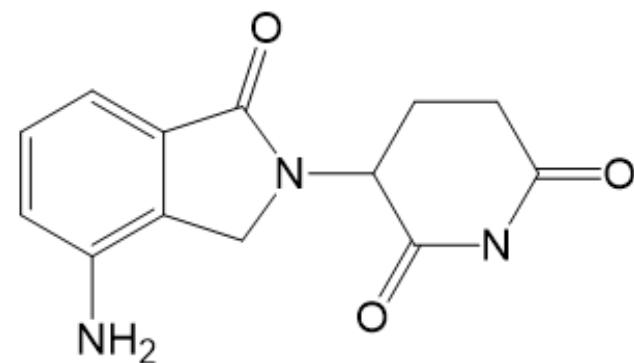
As a result of the literature review, it was decided to synthesize a molecule containing a substituted *N*-phthalimide fragment in its structure, which is present in the molecule of drugs such as thalidomide, lenalidomide, amphotalide and talmethoprim



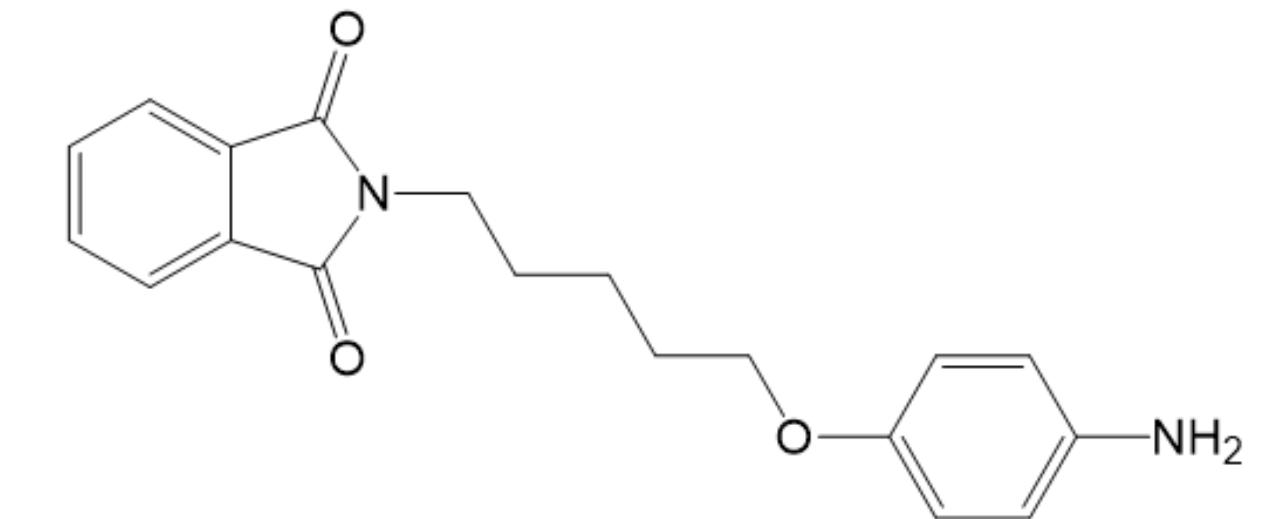
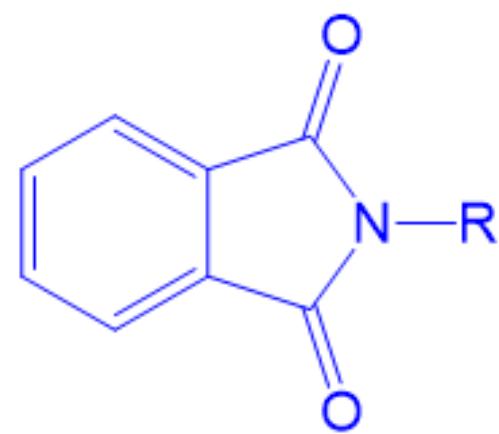
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thalidomide



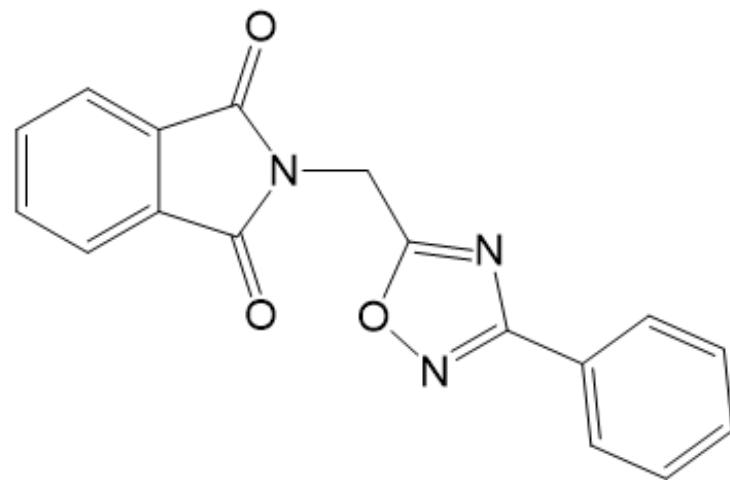
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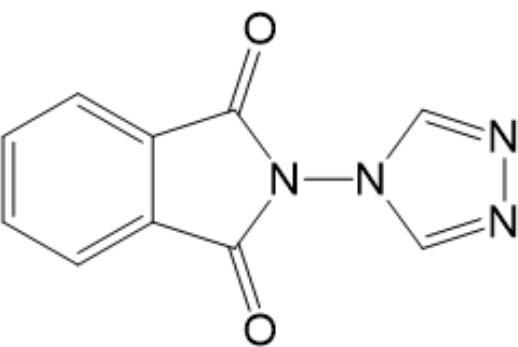
amphotalide

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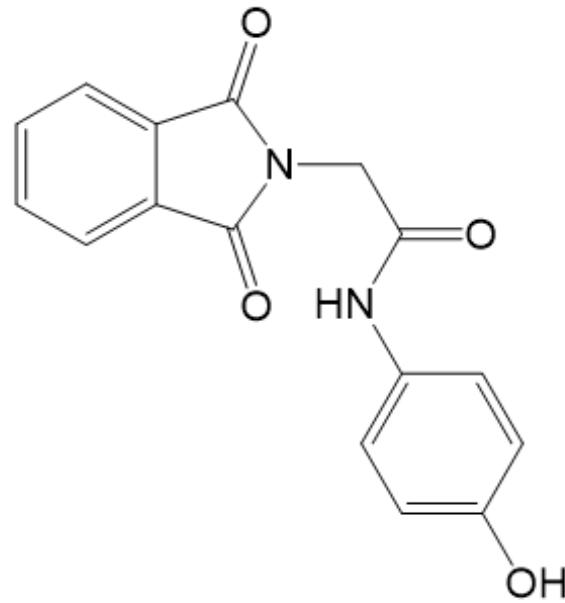
Known *N*-substituted derivatives of phthalimide, which have analgesic [1,2], hypolipidemic [3], anti-inflammatory [4], anticonvulsant [5] activities.



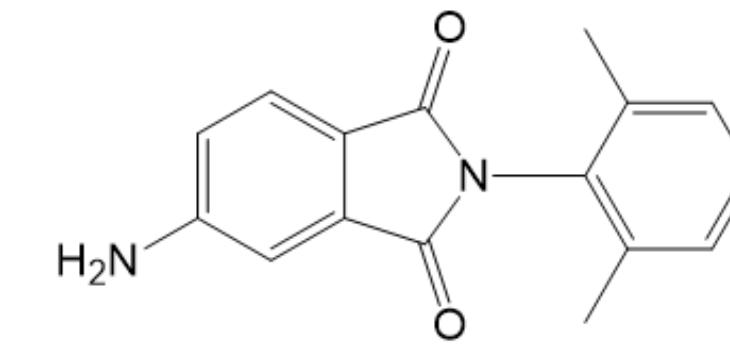
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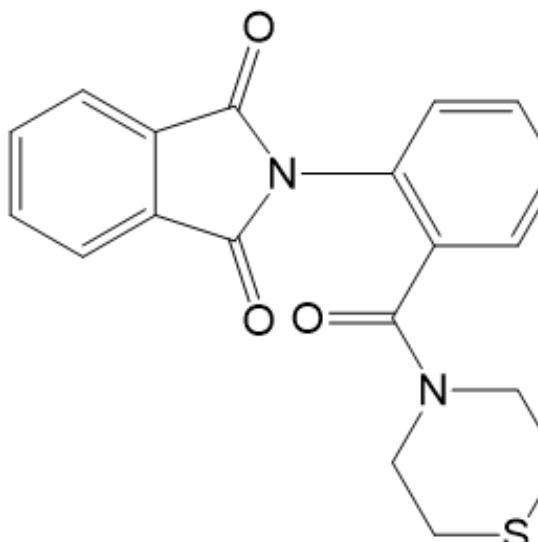
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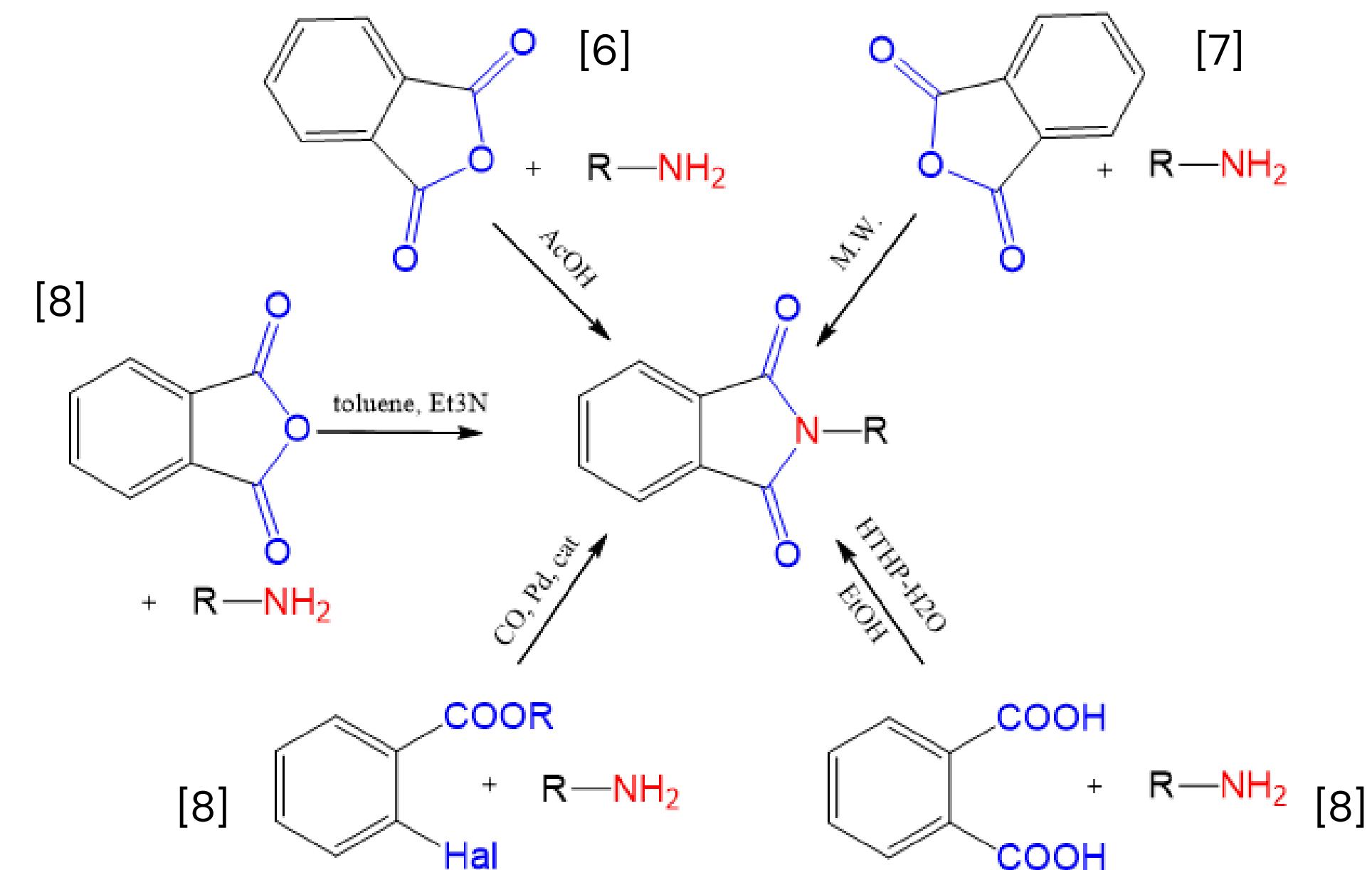


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Introduction

There are several approaches to the preparation of *N*-substituted phthalimide derivatives



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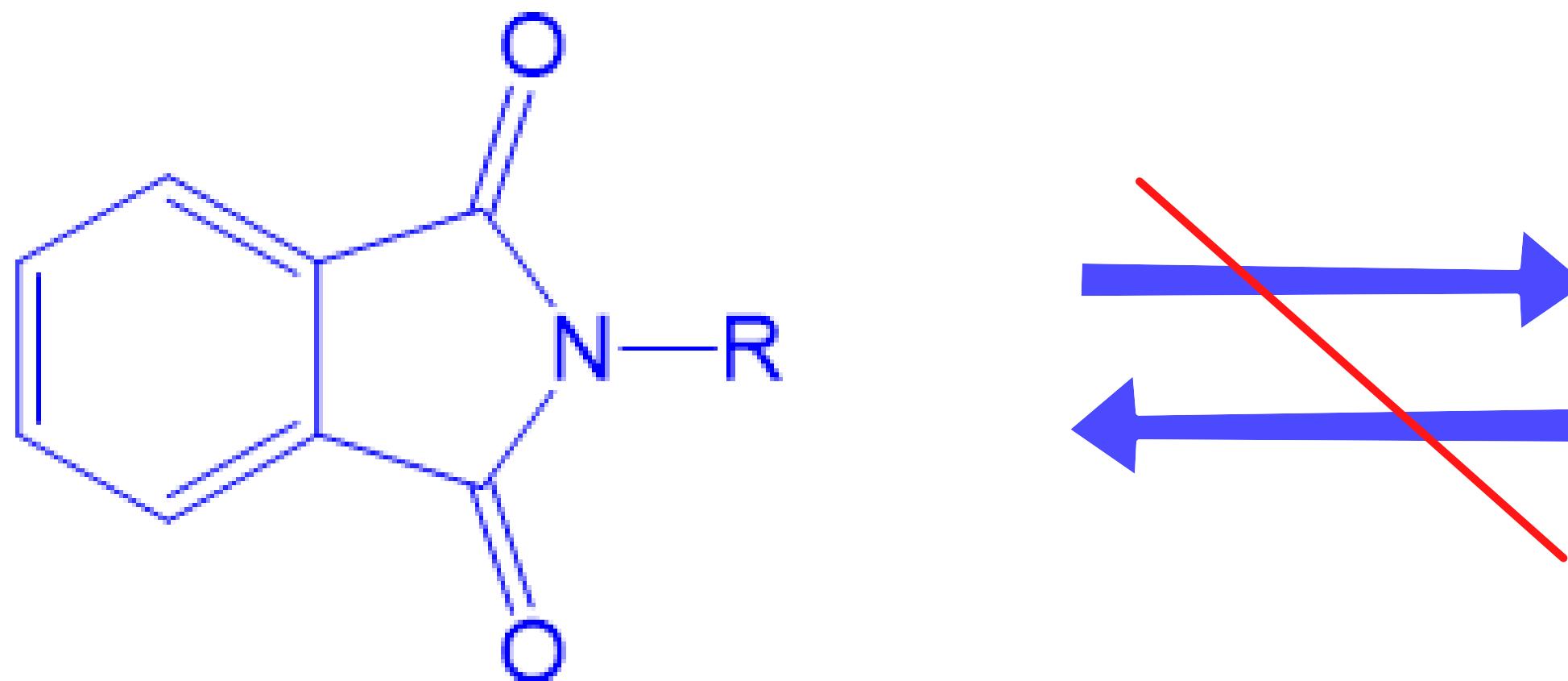
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Purpose

Development of a simple method for the synthesis of new analgesics containing in their structure an *N*-substituted phthalimide fragment

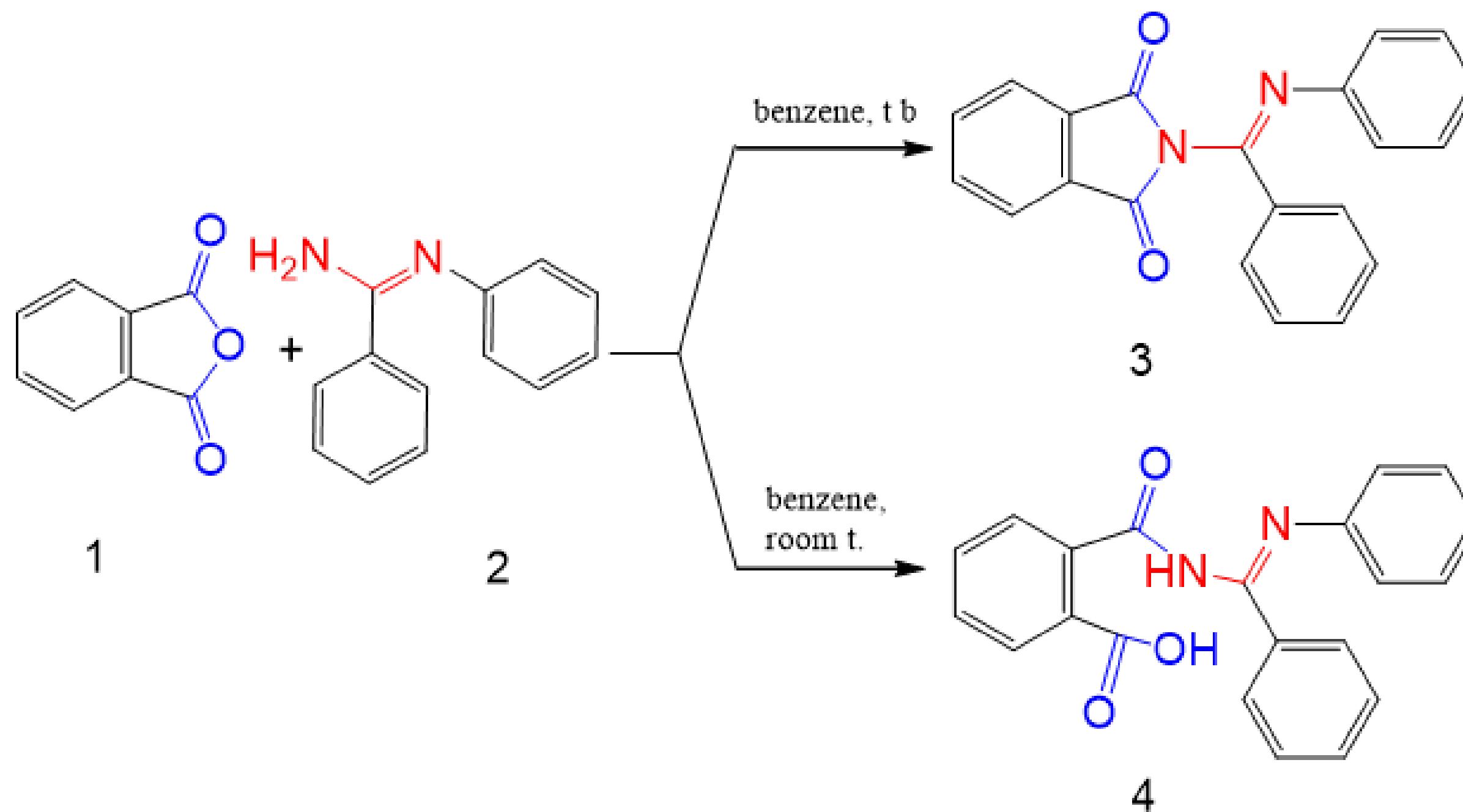
Particular attention was paid to the absence of tautomerism and chirality of the target molecule



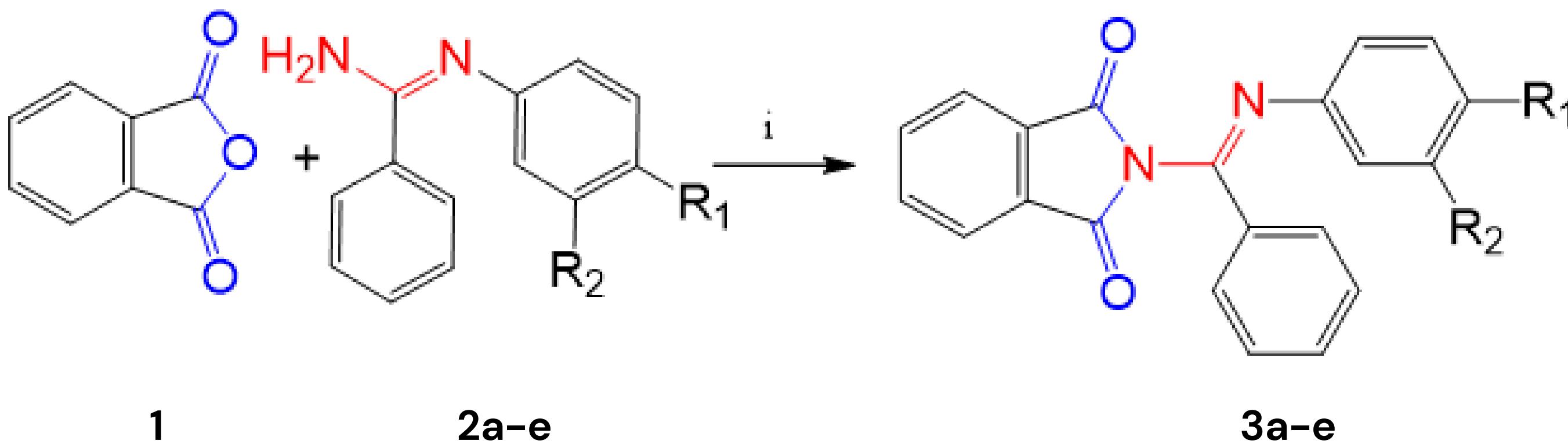
tautomer
or
enantiomer

Results and discussion

The starting reagents were phthalic anhydride **1** and *N*-phenylbenzenecarboximidamide **2**. The target product (substituted *N*-phthalimide) could be obtained only by refluxing in benzene. Intermediate **4** was obtained without heating



Results and discussion

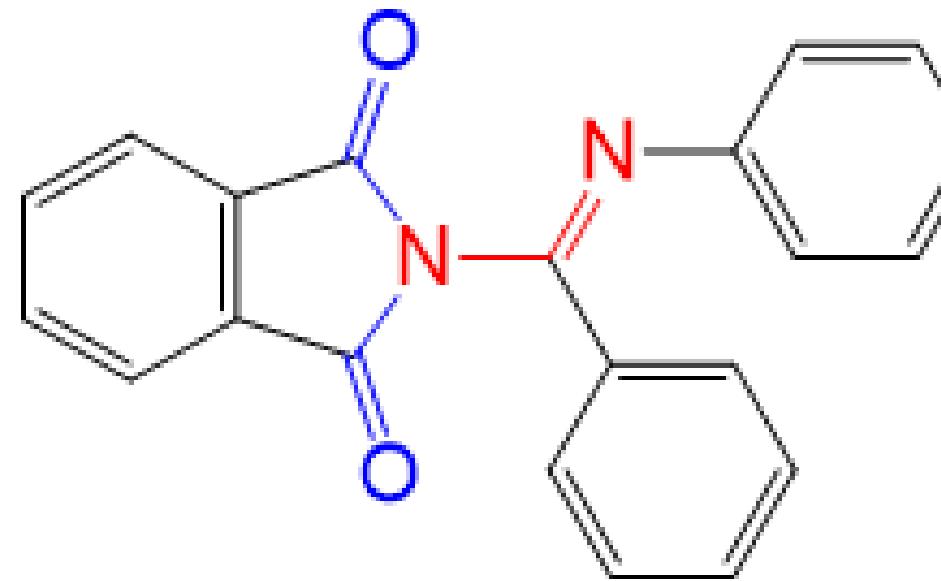


| Compounds number | R ₁ | R ₂ | Yield (%) |
|------------------|----------------|----------------|-----------|
| 3a | H | H | 84 |
| 3b | OMe | H | 75 |
| 3c | Me | H | 94 |
| 3d | Br | H | 78 |
| 3e | H | Cl | 78 |

Conditions: i, benzene, Δ , 4–7 hours.

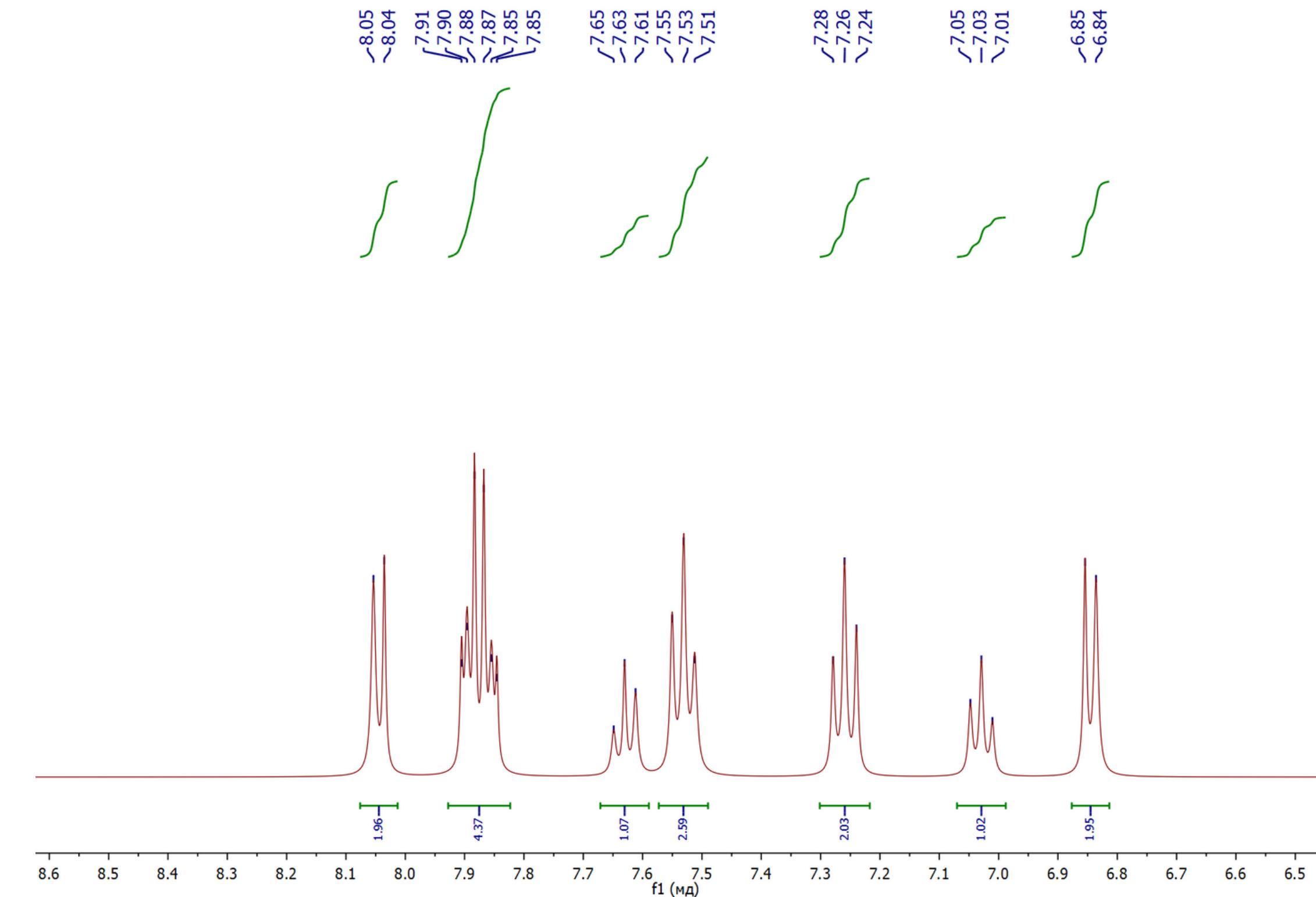
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Typical ^1H NMR spectrum for compounds **3a-e** by the example of ^1H NMR spectrum for **3a**. The spectrum was recorded in DMSO-d₆ (400 MHz) relatively tetramethylsilane as internal standard



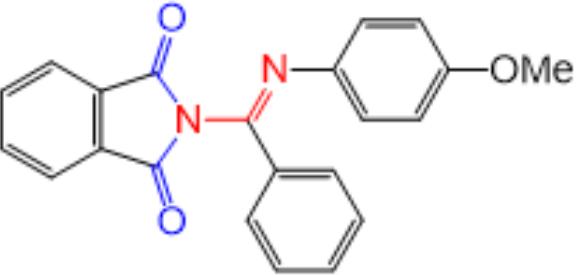
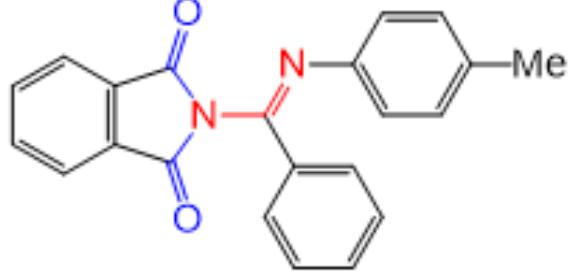
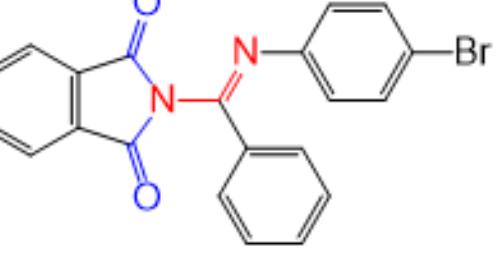
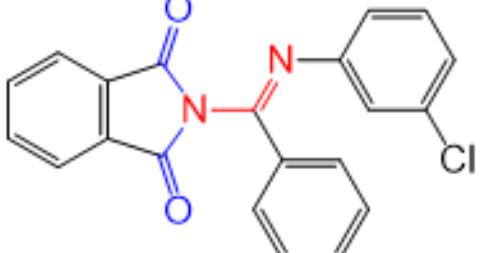
^1H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d₆)

δ 6.85 (d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 2H),
7.03 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1H),
7.26 (t, $J = 7.9$ Hz, 2H),
7.53 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 3H),
7.63 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1H),
7.93 – 7.82 (m, 4H),
8.04 (d, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 2H).

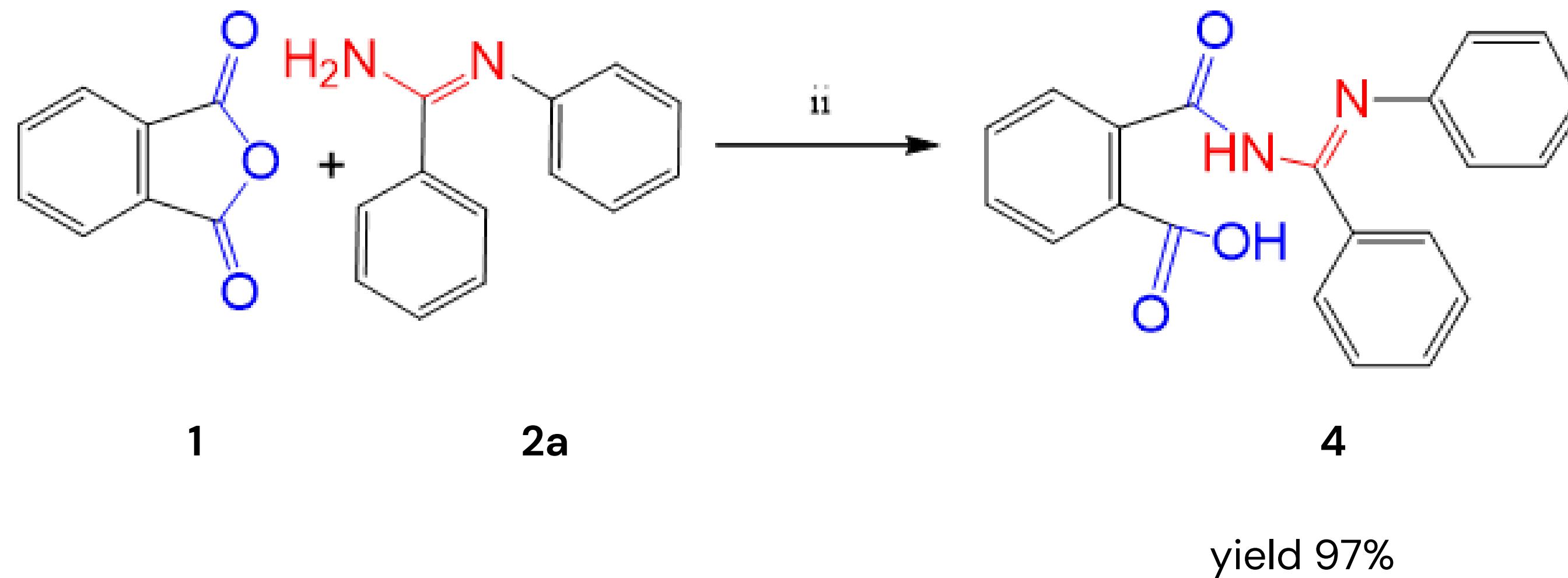


Results and discussion

Spectral characteristics of compounds **3b-e** (DMSO-d₆, 400 MHz) relatively tetramethylsilane as internal standard

| Compounds number | δ , ppm |
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|  3b | 3.64 (s, 3H), 6.80 (m, 4H), 7.51 (t, 2H, J=7.6 Hz), 7.61 (t, 1H, J=7.4 Hz), 7.91 (m, 4H), 7.98 (d, 2H, J=7.4 Hz) |
|  3c | 2.16 (s, 3H), 6.73 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.06 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.52 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.62 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.89 (q, J = 4.4 Hz, 4H), 8.00 (d, J = 7.4 Hz, 2H) |
|  3d | 6.80 (d, 2H, J=8.6 Hz), 7.46 (d, 2H, J=8.6 Hz), 7.53 (t, 2H, J=7.7 Hz), 7.64 (t, 1H, J=7.4 Hz), 7.90 (m, 4H), 8.03 (d, 2H, J=7.3 Hz) |
|  3e | 6.76 (d, 1H, J=7.9 Hz), 6.90 (s, 1H), 7.10 (d, 1H, J=8.0 Hz), 7.27 (t, 1H, J=8.0 Hz), 7.54 (t, 2H, J=7.7 Hz), 7.65 (t, 1H, J=7.3 Hz), 7.90 (m, 4H), 8.04 (d, 2H, J=7.6 Hz) |

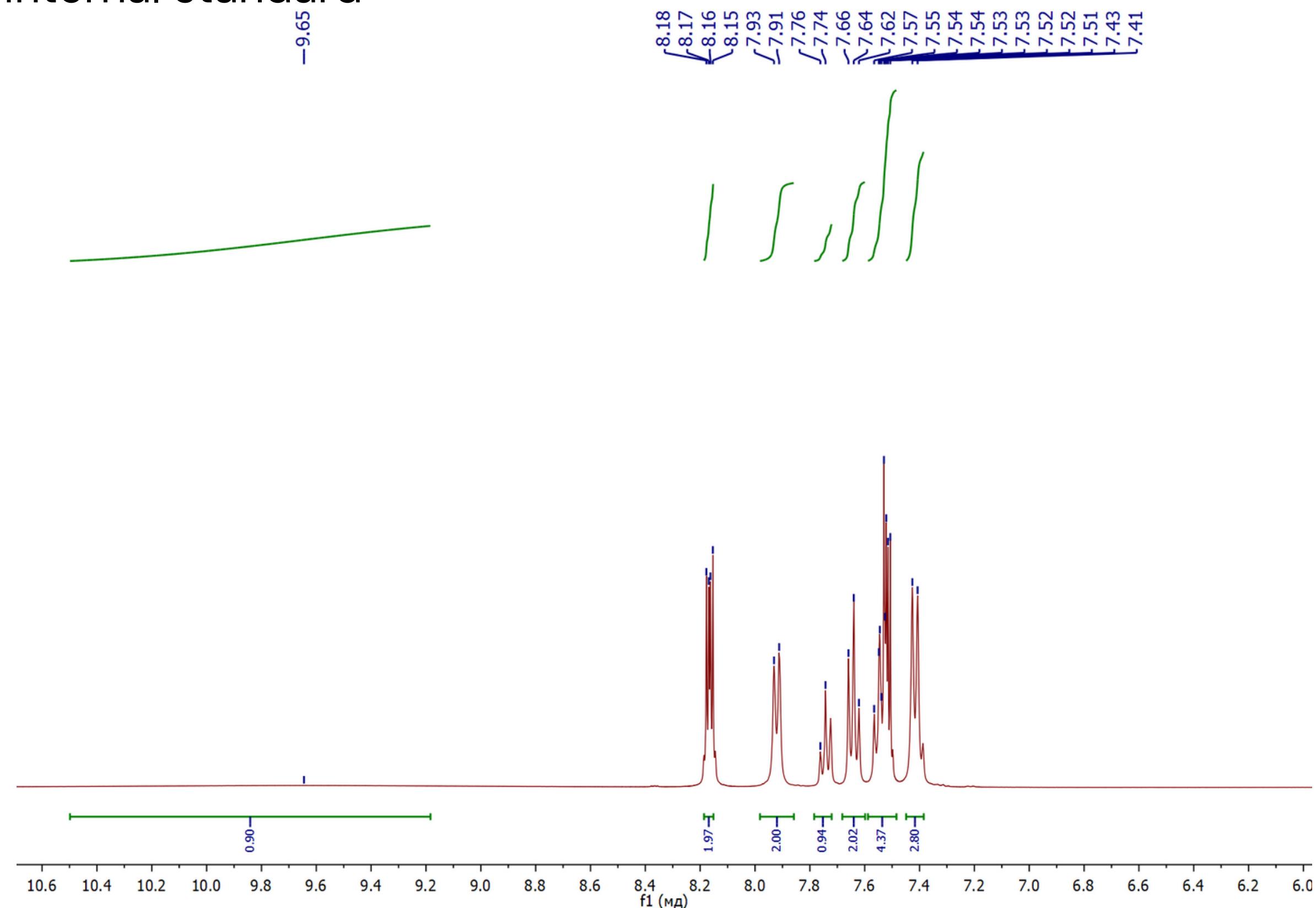
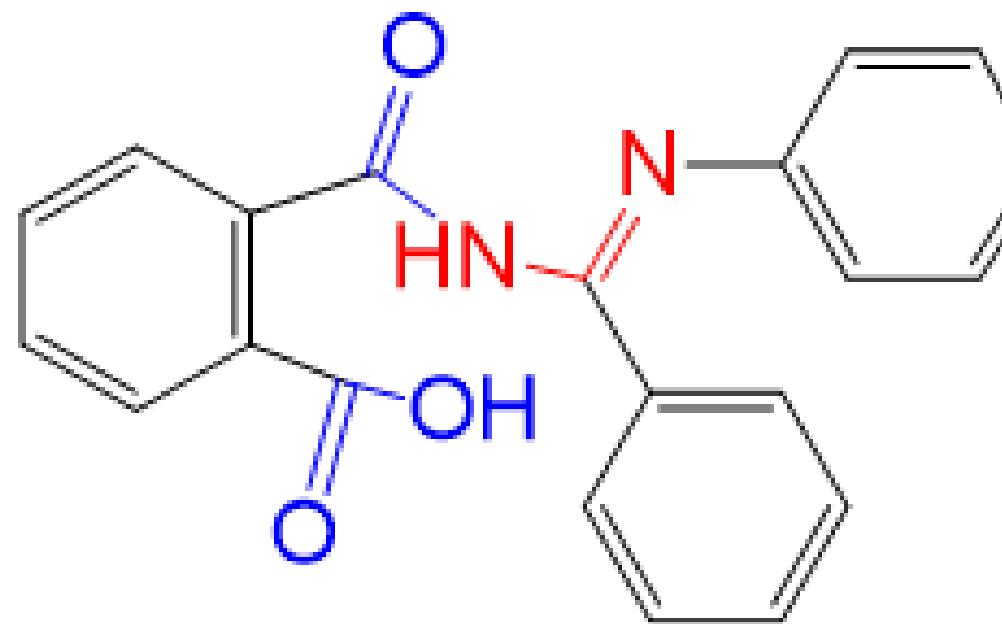
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Conditions: ii, benzene, 25 °C, 4 hours

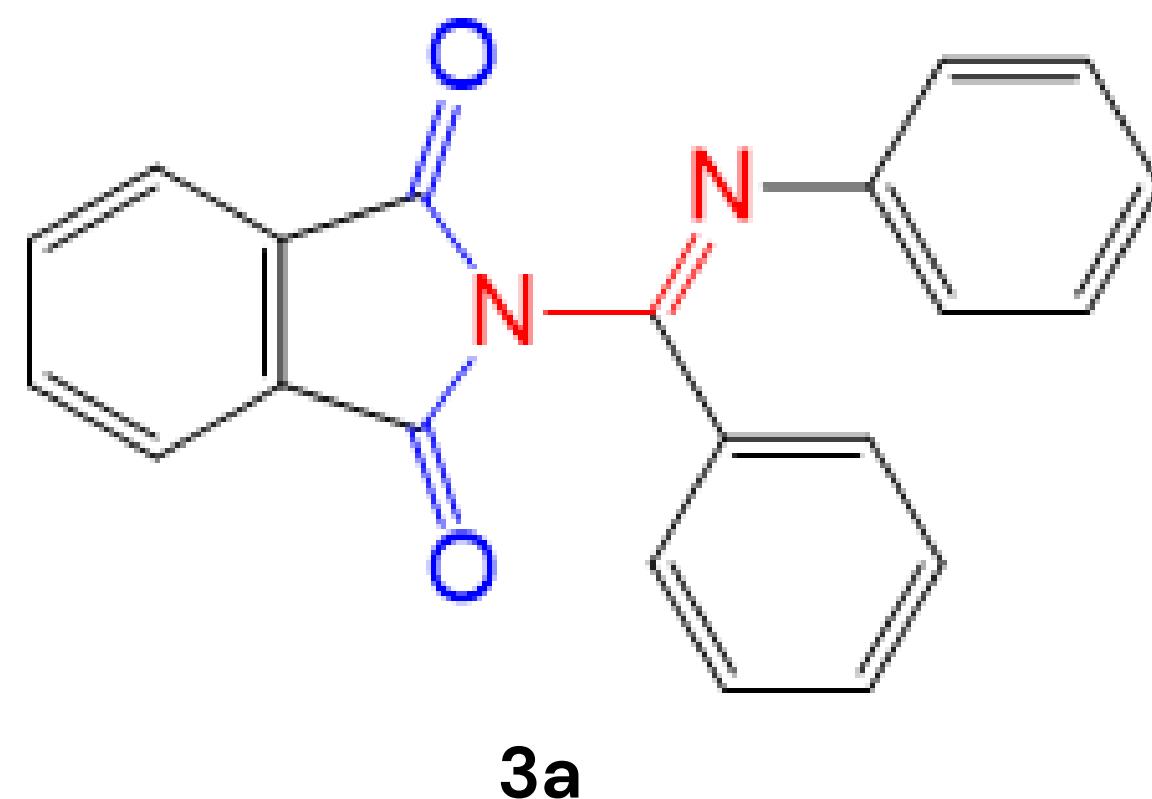
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^1H NMR spectrum for compounds 4. The spectrum was recorded in DMSO-d₆ (400 MHz) relatively tetramethylsilane as internal standard



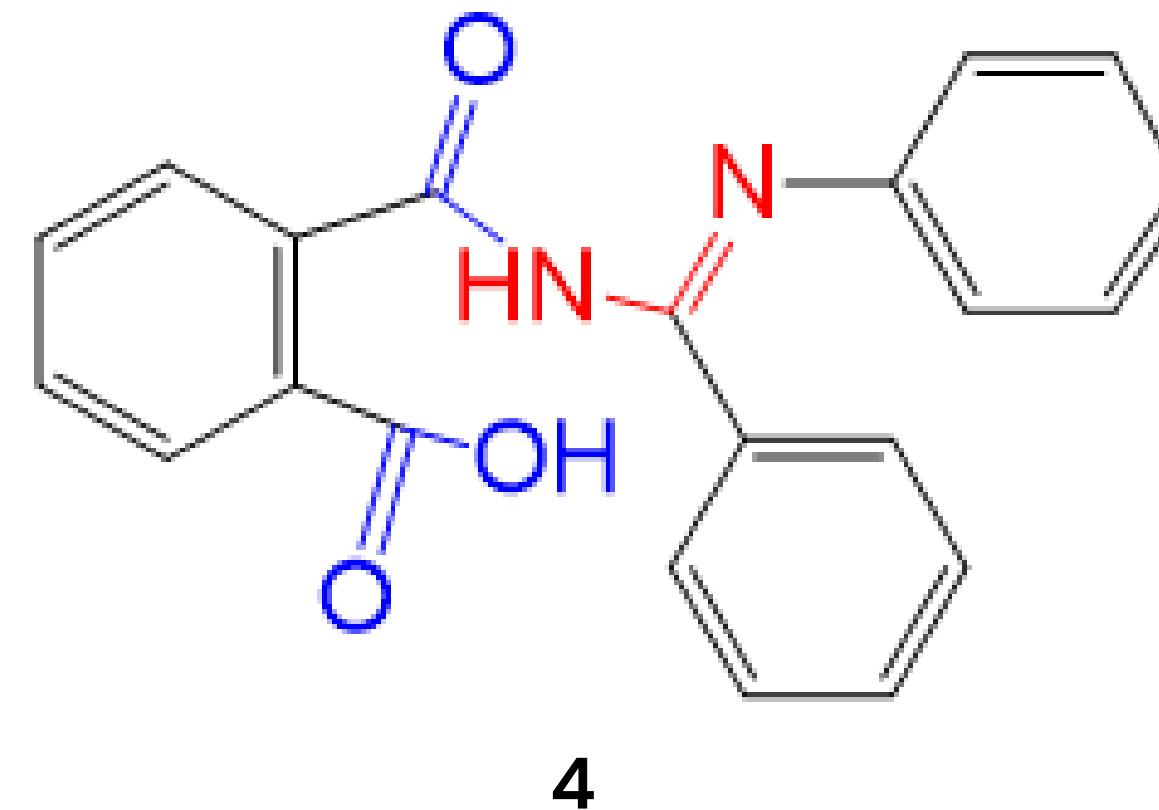
Results and discussion

According to the results of an acute toxicity study *in vivo* in laboratory mice, it was found that compounds **3a** and **4** are practically non-toxic when administered intraperitoneally. Compound **4** was found to be less toxic in comparison with **3a**, which correlates with the *in silico* data obtained using the online program GUSAR



LD50 (*in vivo*)=1270,0 mg/kg

LD50 (*in silico*)=722,6 mg/kg

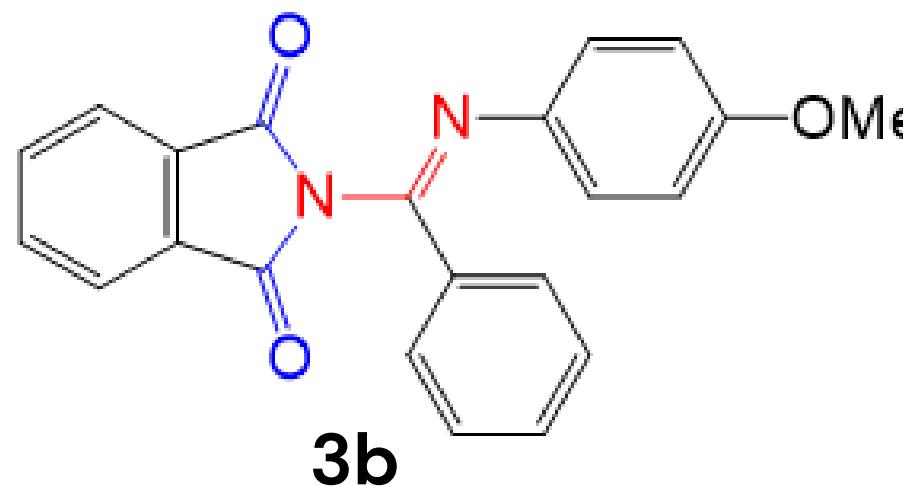


LD50 (*in vivo*)=1440,0 mg/kg

LD50 (*in silico*)=861,5 mg/kg

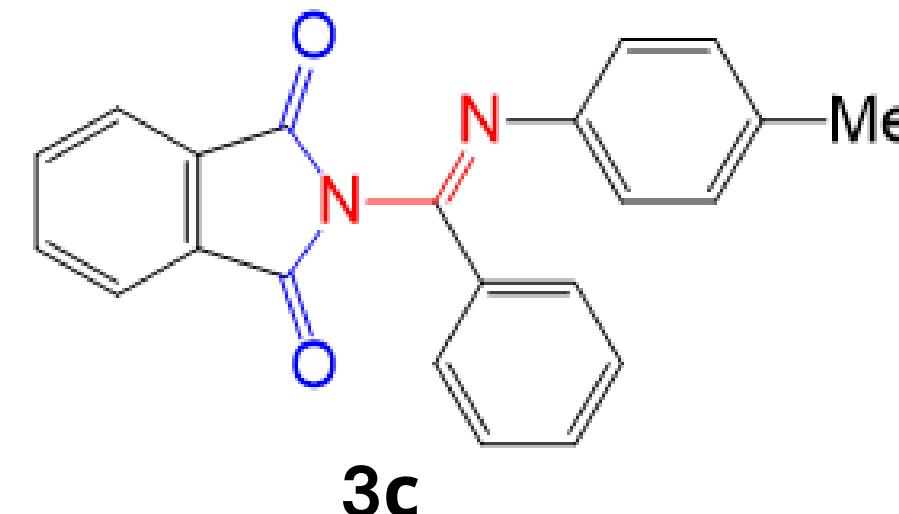
Results and discussion

According to the results of an acute toxicity study *in vivo* in laboratory mice, it was found that compounds **3b–e** are practically non-toxic when administered intraperitoneally. Experimental data are comparable to results the *in silico* data obtained using the online program GUSAR



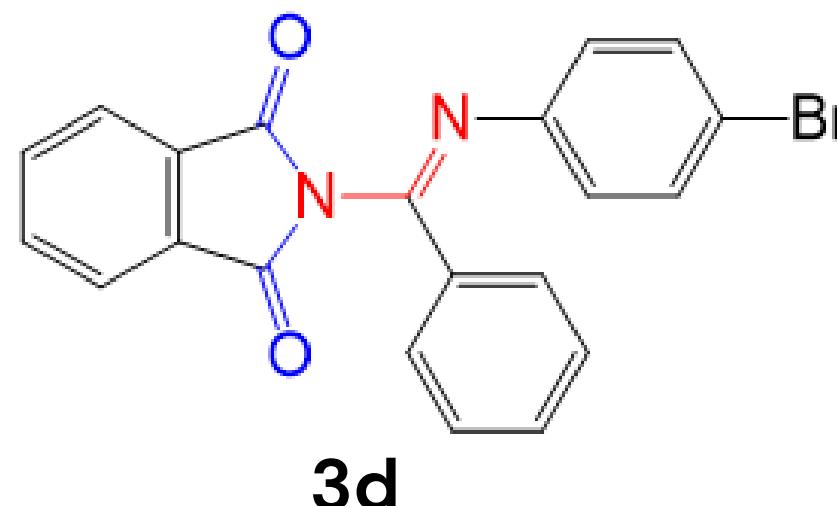
LD50 (in vivo)=1020,0 mg/kg

LD50 (in silico)=572,4 mg/kg



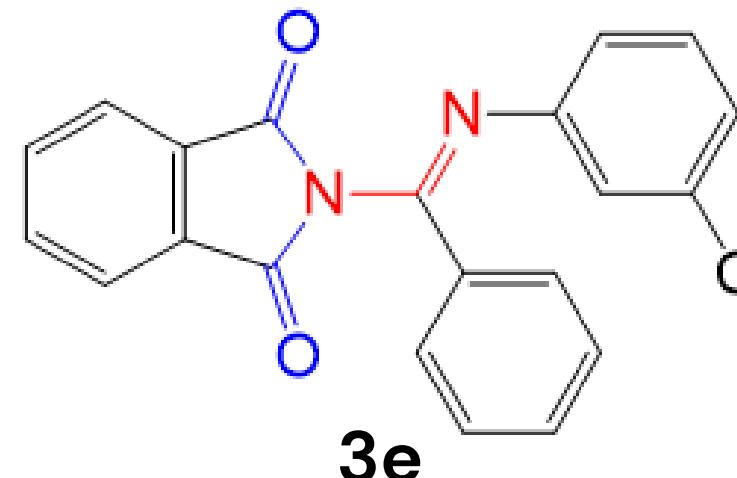
LD50 (in vivo)=930,0 mg/kg

LD50 (in silico)=407,6 mg/kg



LD50 (in vivo)=1160,0 mg/kg

LD50 (in silico)=658,7 mg/kg

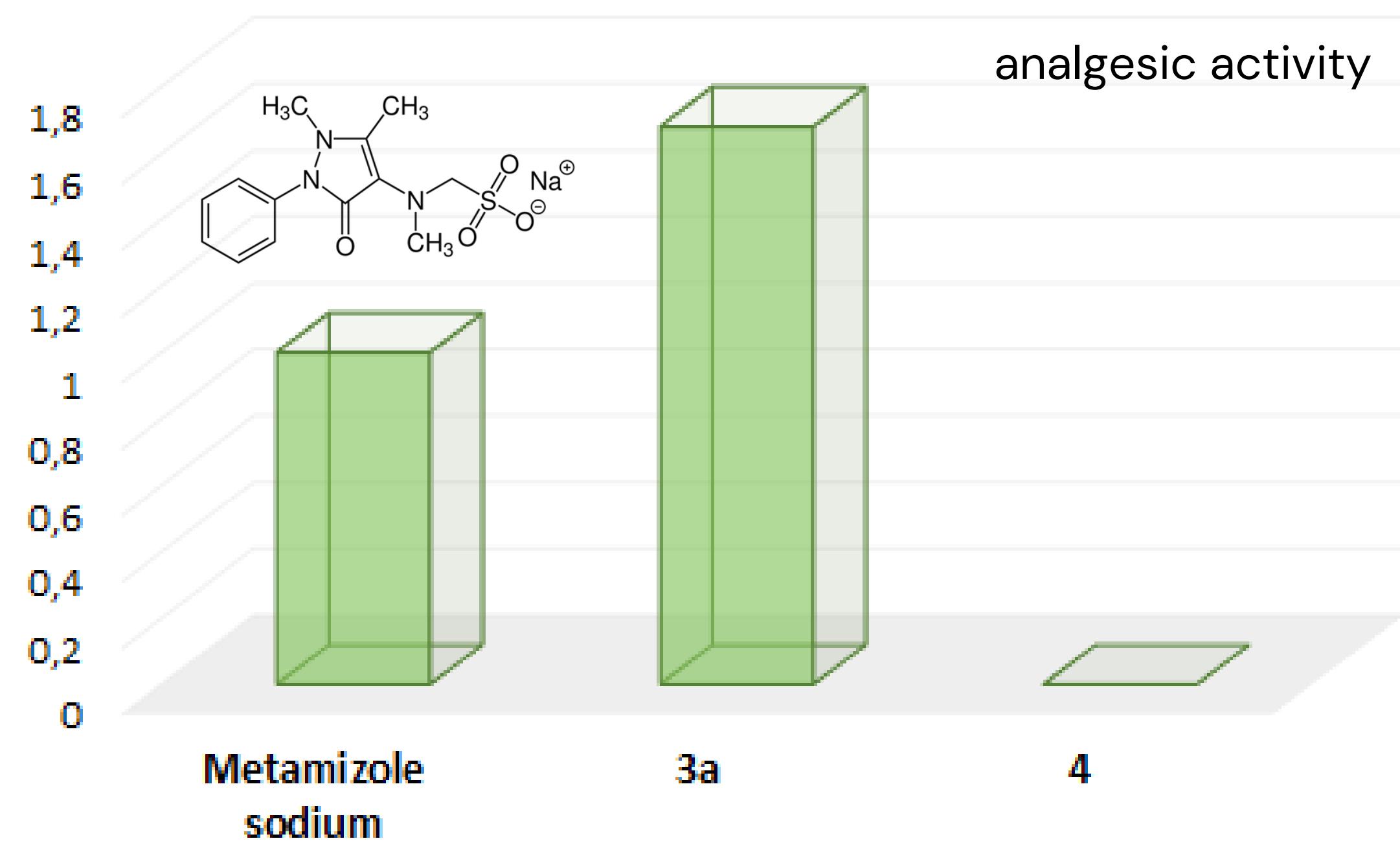


LD50 (in vivo)=1270,0 mg/kg

LD50 (in silico)=724,2 mg/kg

Results and discussion

The study of analgesic activity *in vivo* on laboratory mice showed that compound **3a** exhibits pronounced analgesic activity, which is 1.6 times higher than the activity of the reference drug (metamizole sodium). In turn, compound **4** has no analgesic activity. The obtained data correlate with the results of *in silico* analysis obtained using the Pass-online program



Conclusion

- A simple method has been developed for the synthesis of five new substituted isoindoline-1,3-diones **3a–e**, consisting in the interaction of *N*-arylbenzenecarboxymidamides **2a–e** with phthalic anhydride **1** in a benzene medium during boiling.
- It was found that carrying out the reaction without heating leads to the formation of 2-((phenyl(phenylimino)methyl)carbamoyl)benzoic acid **4**.
- The structure of all isolated substances was proved using ¹H and ¹³C NMR spectroscopy.
- Acute toxicity study *in vivo* in laboratory mice showed low toxicity of all compounds, which is comparable to the results *in silico* (GUSAR online software package). Using the PASS online software package, it was predicted that isoindoline-1,3-diones **3a–e** have analgesic activity with a probability of 40–80 %, while for 2-((phenyl(phenylimino)methyl)carbamoyl)benzoic acid **4**, this activity was not predicted.
- For the most bioactive compound – 2-(phenyl(phenylimino)methyl)isoindoline-1,3-dione **3a** and for 2-((phenyl(phenylimino)methyl)carbamoyl)benzoic acid **4**, the analgesic activity *in vivo* was studied in laboratory mice. It was found that compound **3a** has a high analgesic activity, 1.6 times higher than the activity of the reference drug metamizole sodium, while compound **4** does not. The obtained experimental data are fully consistent with computer forecasts

Conclusion

Thank you for your attention!



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