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## SYNTHESIS OF (3-MORPHOLYL)PROPYLDITHIOCARBAMIC ACID ALKYL ESTERS

**Abstract.** The alkylation of potassium (3-morpholyl)propyldithiocarbamate with haloalkyls was studied. Conditions for the synthesis of new alkyl esters of (3-morpholyl)propyldithiocarbamic acid were developed. Hexyl, heptyl, octyl, nonyl, decyl and dodecyl esters of (3-morpholyl)propyldithiocarbamic acid were synthesized in 67, 68, 91, 81, 67 and 87 % yield. Structure of alkyl esters of (3-morpholyl)propyldithiocarbamic acid was established based on IR and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectroscopic data.

**Keywords:** alkylation reaction, potassium (3-morpholyl)propyldithiocarbamate, alkyl esters of (3-morpholyl)propyldithiocarbamic acid.

The chemistry of sulfur compounds is an important and intensively developing field of organic synthesis. Most of the reactions involving sulfur are associated with the use of various sulfurizing reagents. So, a special place in the synthesis of organic sulfur compounds is occupied by carbon disulfide, which is a sulfurizing reagent in the synthesis of dithiocarbamates and dithiocarbamic acids. Dithiocarbamates are widely used in various fields of practice: chemistry and chemical technology, mineral processing, agriculture, medicine and technology.

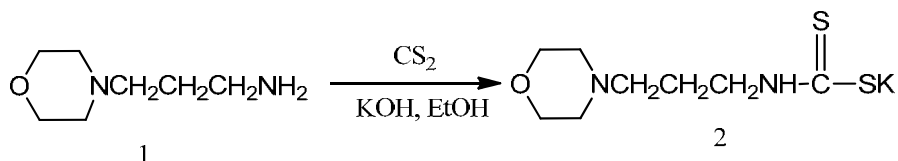
Dithiocarbamates are used in analytical chemistry to detect p- and d-elements having affinity to sulfur, as well as for separation, masking and extraction photometric determination of many metals, for example, Cu, Ag, Bi, Cd, Co, As (III), for gravimetric definition of In, titrimetric – Hg, Pb, Pt, Te. Thus, morpholindithiocarbamate is used for the photometric determination of Cu, Co, and Ni in an aqueous methanol medium. Diethanoldithiocarbamate is used for photometric determination of Cu, Co and Ni or pairs of elements Cu and Ni, Cu and Co in aqueous solutions, for the determination of Cu in lubricating oils, alloys, steels and aluminum alloys [1].

Derivatives of thio- and dithiocarbamic acids are widely used as herbicides and fungicides. By the transition from the derivatives of thiocarbamic acid to the derivatives of dithiocarbamic acid decreases herbicidal activity, whereas fungicidal and bactericidal activity increases. Salts of dithiocarbamic acids with different metals have the practical importance, which are used as fungicides for combating plants diseases [2]. Many derivatives of dithiocarbamic acids are used also as flotation reagents in the flotation of polymetallic sulphide ores [3].

The diverse activity of the dithiocarbamates and their derivatives, the increased stability of many of them to the action of radiation, as well as the use in mineral processing, agriculture and medicine, all contribute to the urgency of our studies on the synthesis of new dithiocarbamic acid derivatives.

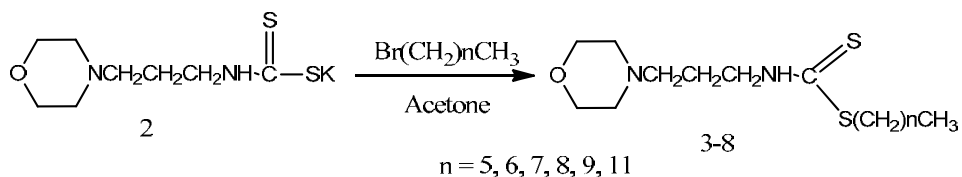
With a view to the synthesis of new derivatives of alkyl esters of dithiocarbamic acids containing in their structure the saturated hydrocarbonic chain was taken (3-morpholyl)propyldithiocarbamate potassium as the starting substrate.

Potassium (3-morpholyl)propyldithiocarbamate was synthesized by the interaction of equimolar amounts of 4- (3-aminopropyl)morpholine **1** with carbon disulfide at a temperature of 0-5 °C in the presence of potassium hydroxide in ethyl alcohol. Potassium dithiocarbamate **2** was formed as a white crystalline substance, which was isolated by filtration from the reaction mixture and washed with methylene chloride. The potassium (3-morpholyl)propyldithiocarbamate **2** was synthesized in 96% yield.



The composition and structure of the potassium dithiocarbamate **2** were established by the elemental analysis and IR spectroscopy. The physicochemical characteristics of the compound **2** are shown in the table 1. An absorption band of the valence vibrations of the NH group is present in the IR spectrum in the region of 3299 cm<sup>-1</sup>. The absorption bands in the region 2962, 2918, 1241-1448 cm<sup>-1</sup> refer to the valence vibrations of the CH<sub>2</sub> groups. The valence vibrations C = S correspond to absorption in the region of 1027 cm<sup>-1</sup>. In the region of 816 cm<sup>-1</sup> appears an absorption band of the C-S bond.

Conditions of alkylation of potassium (3-morpholyl)propyldithiocarbamate were studied and new alkyl esters of (3-morpholyl)propyldithiocarbamic acid were synthesized. The alkylation reaction of potassium (3-morpholyl)propyldithiocarbamate **2** with saturated haloalkyls was carried out at room temperature in acetone.



As a result of isolation from reaction mixtures were obtained in the individual form hexyl, heptyl, octyl, nonyl, decyl and dodecyl esters of (3-morpholyl)propyldithiocarbamic acid **3-8** in 67, 68, 91, 81, 67, 87 % yield, respectively.

The elemental analysis, TLC and IR spectral data confirm composition and individuality of the synthesized compounds. The yield and physicochemical constants are presented in table 1. Structure of the synthesized alkyl esters of (3-morpholyl)propyldithiocarbamic acid **3-8** is established based on the <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectra, the spectral data of which are presented in table 2.

Table1 – Physicochemical constants for compounds **2-8**

№	Yield, %	m.p., °C	R <sub>f</sub> acetone : hexane (1:7)	ИК-spectra, $\nu$ , $\text{cm}^{-1}$		
				NH	C=S	C-S
<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>
2	96	193-195	0.14	3299	1027	816
3	67	Oil	0.86	3234	1117	939
4	68	Oil	0.85	3234	1120	936
5	91	Oil	0.83	3240	1115	868
6	81	34-36	0.82	3234	1120	936
7	67	oil	0.81	3236	1115	869
8	87	38-40	0.79	3238	1115	998

*Continous of the table 1*

№	Found, %				Formula	Calculated, %			
	C	H	N	S		C	H	N	S
<b>1</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>
2	37.30	5.57	10.62	25.03	C <sub>8</sub> H <sub>15</sub> KN <sub>2</sub> OS <sub>2</sub>	37.18	5.85	10.84	24.81
3	55.45	9.03	9.50	21.36	C <sub>14</sub> H <sub>28</sub> N <sub>2</sub> OS <sub>2</sub>	55.22	9.27	9.20	21.06
4	56.32	9.27	8.55	20.31	C <sub>15</sub> H <sub>30</sub> N <sub>2</sub> OS <sub>2</sub>	56.56	9.49	8.79	20.13
5	57.57	9.50	8.20	19.05	C <sub>16</sub> H <sub>32</sub> N <sub>2</sub> OS <sub>2</sub>	57.78	9.70	8.42	19.28
6	58.75	9.68	8.31	18.29	C <sub>17</sub> H <sub>34</sub> N <sub>2</sub> OS <sub>2</sub>	58.91	9.89	8.08	18.50
7	59.80	10.28	7.53	17.53	C <sub>18</sub> H <sub>36</sub> N <sub>2</sub> OS <sub>2</sub>	59.95	10.06	7.77	17.78
8	61.37	10.25	4.04	19.13	C <sub>19</sub> H <sub>38</sub> N <sub>2</sub> OS <sub>2</sub>	61.58	10.03	4.22	19.34

In the IR spectra of compounds **3-8** in the region of  $3234 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  is found an absorption band of the stretching vibrations of the NH group. An absorption band of the valence vibrations of the C = S group is present in the region of  $1115-1120 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . The absorption band of the C-S bond is present in the region of  $543-669 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ .

Analysis of the  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectra (table 2) of the compounds **3-8** confirms their structure. In the  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum, the signal of the carbon atom of the methyl group is manifested in the strong-field spectral region  $\delta 14.11-14.24 \text{ ppm}$ . Chemical shifts of carbon atoms of methylene groups of the alkane chain appear in the range of  $\delta 22.55-58.60 \text{ ppm}$ . The carbon atoms of morpholine are resonated in the range of  $\delta 53.40-53.60 \text{ ppm}$ . (-N (CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>2</sub>) and  $\delta 66.54-67.04 \text{ ppm}$ . (O (CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>2</sub>). The carbon atom of the C = S group resonates in the weak-field region  $\delta 197.43-197.77 \text{ ppm}$ .

Table 2 –  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR( $\delta$ , ppm) spectral data for compounds 3-8

Carbon atom						
	3	4	5	6	7	8
O(CH <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> -	67,02	66,61	66,54	66,85	67,04	66,71
N(CH <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> -	53,60	53,42	53,40	53,53	53,60	53,47
-C=S	197,43	197,73	197,77	197,62	197,44	197,73
C <sup>1</sup> H <sub>2</sub>	58,57	58,17	58,12	58,46	58,60	58,30
C <sup>2</sup> H <sub>2</sub>	22,67	22,68	22,72	22,77	22,77	22,79
C <sup>3</sup> H <sub>2</sub>	48,50	47,84	47,75	48,27	48,55	48,01
C <sup>4</sup> H <sub>2</sub>	35,23	35,24	35,24	35,27	35,24	35,27
C <sup>5</sup> H <sub>2</sub>	29,34	29,34	29,32	29,56	29,00	29,75
C <sup>6</sup> H <sub>2</sub>	28,63	28,94	28,98	29,00	29,28	29,01
C <sup>7</sup> H <sub>2</sub>	31,43	28,94	29,22	29,29	29,40	29,37
C <sup>8</sup> H <sub>2</sub>	22,60	31,78	29,22	29,36	29,63	29,73
C <sup>9</sup> H <sub>2</sub>	–	22,55	31,88	29,38	29,60	29,70
C <sup>10</sup> H <sub>2</sub>	–	–	22,55	31,96	29,40	29,62
C <sup>11</sup> H <sub>2</sub>	–	–	–	22,55	31,97	29,44
C <sup>12</sup> H <sub>2</sub>	–	–	–	–	22,64	29,30
C <sup>13</sup> H <sub>2</sub>	–	–	–	–	–	32,09
C <sup>14</sup> H <sub>2</sub>	–	–	–	–	–	22,54
CH <sub>3</sub>	14,11	14,19	14,20	14,23	14,22	14,24

### Experiment

Control of the reaction was carried out by TLC on Silufol UV-254 plates, eluent acetone-hexane (1: 7). IR spectra of synthesized compounds are recorded on a Nicolet 5700 device in tablets with KBr, with 0.25% and in a thin layer. NMR spectra were obtained on a JNM-ECA 400 (JEOL) spectrometer.

**Potassium (3-morpholyl)propyl dithiocarbamate 2.** Solution of potassium hydroxide (8.4 g, 0.15 mol) in water (5 ml) was added to the mixture of 4-(3-aminopropyl) morpholine 1 (21.63 g, 0.15 mol) in 50 ml of alcohol. Then a solution of carbon disulfide (12.16 g, 0.16 mole) in alcohol (10 ml) was added dropwise at 0-5 ° C with stirring. The reaction mixture was stirred at 0-5 ° C for 3 hours. The resulting white crystals were filtered on a Shott funnel and washed with methylene chloride. Potassium (3-morpholyl)propyl dithiocarbamate was obtained in 35 g (96%) yield.

**Hexyl(3-morpholynolpropyl)carbамodithioate 3.** Solution of 1-Bromohexane (4.95 g, 0.03 mol) in acetone (5 ml) was added dropwise to the mixture of Potassium (3-morpholyl)propyl dithiocarbamate 2 in acetone (25 ml) with stirring. The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for 16 hours. The precipitate formed was filtered out, the solvent was distilled off in a vacuum of the water jet pump. The resulting mass as an oil was dried in a vacuum of the oil pump. Product was obtained in 6.12 g (67%) yield.

**Heptyl(3-morpholynolpropyl)carbамodithioate 4** was synthesized by the similar procedure. The yield was 6.5 g (68%).

**Octyl(3-morpholynolpropyl)carbамodithioate 5** was synthesized by the similar procedure. The yield was 9.11 g (91%).

**Nonyl(3-morpholynolpropyl)carbамodithioate 6** was synthesized by the similar procedure. The yield was 7.02 g (81%).

**Decyl(3-morpholynolpropyl)carbамodithioate 7** was synthesized by the similar procedure. The yield was 7.19 g (67%).

**Dodecyl(3-morpholynolpropyl)carbамodithioate 8** was synthesized by the similar procedure. The yield was 10.17 g (87%).

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## Резюме

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### (3-МОРФОЛИЛ)ПРОПИЛДИТИОКАРБАМИН ҚЫШҚЫЛЫНЫҢ АЛКИЛ ЭФИРЛЕРІНІҢ СИНТЕЗДЕУ

Калий (3-морфолил)пропилдителиокарбаматын галогеналкилдермен алкилдеу зерттелінді. (3-морфолил)пропилдителиокарбамин қышқылының жаңа алкил эфирлері синтезінің жағдайлары жасалынды. (3-морфолил)пропилдителиокарбамин қышқылының гексил, гептил, октил, нонил, децил және додецил эфирлері сәйкесінше 67, 68, 91, 81, 67, 87% шығыммен синтезделінді. ИҚ-спектроскопиясы және ЯМР 13С спектроскопия әдістері арқылы (3-морфолил)пропилдителиокарбамин қышқылының алкил эфирлерінің құрылысы анықталынды.

**Түйін сөздер:** алкилдеу реакциясы, калий (3-морфолил)пропилдителиокарбаматтар, (3-морфолил)пропилдителиокарбамин қышқылының алкил эфирлері.

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**СИНТЕЗ АЛКИЛОВЫХ ЭФИРОВ  
(3-МОФОЛИЛ)ПРОПИЛДИТИОКАРБАМИНОВОЙ КИСЛОТЫ**

Изучено алкилирование (3-морфолил)пропилдитиокарбамата калия галогеналкилами. Разработаны условия синтеза новых алкиловых эфиров (3-морфолил)пропилдитиокарбаминаминовой кислоты. Синтезированы гексилловый, гептиловый, октиловый, нонилловый, дециловый и додециловый эфиры (3-морфолил)пропилдитиокарбаминаминовой кислоты с выходами 67,68, 91, 81, 67, 87%, соответственно. Методами ИК-спектроскопии и спектроскопии ЯМР  $^{13}\text{C}$  установлена структура алкиловых эфиров (3-морфолил)пропилдитиокарбаминаминовой кислоты.

**Ключевые слова:** реакция алкилирования, (3-морфолил)пропилдитиокарбамат калия, алкиловые эфиры (3-морфолил)пропилдитиокарбаминаминовой кислоты.