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## **SYNTHESIS AND ANTI-MICROBIAL ACTIVITY OF 1,2,4-TRIAZOLE DERIVATIVES**

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### **ABSTRACT**

The research work was aimed to design and synthesize new Schiff's bases and Amine derivatives of triazole and to evaluate them for their possible biological activities mainly anti-bacterial and anti-fungal activity. In the present work total 21 compounds were synthesized from three parent compounds parent-1, parent-2, parent-3. These parent compounds were used as nucleus for the synthesis of various Schiff base derivatives like 1 (a-g), 2(a-g), 3(a-g). All synthesized compounds were identified on the basis of M.P. range, IR, NMR and all compounds were evaluated for anti-bacterial and anti-fungal activity.

## 1.Introduction

Recent years have seen a rise in the importance of heterocyclic compounds because of their pharmacological effects. Five- and six-member heterocyclic compounds containing nitrogen, sulphur, and oxygen have played a significant role in the production of many physiologically active medications, including those with analgesic, anti-inflammatory, antidepressant, anticancer, antibacterial, and anti-fungal activity.

## 2.Methods & Materials

### Synthesis of 3-(4-chlorophenyl)-5-(methylthio)-4H-1,2,4-triazole-4-amine (parent-1)

Synthesis of Methyl-4-chlorobenzoate

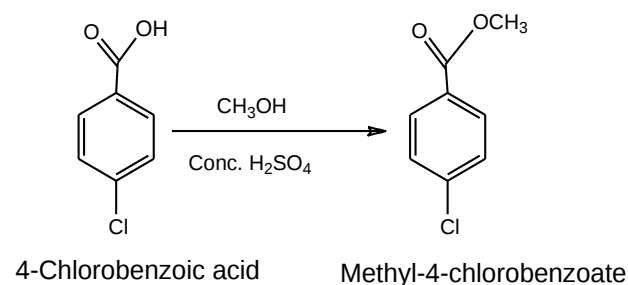


Figure: 1

Synthesis of acid hydrazide of methyl ester of 4-chloro benzoic acid<sup>15, 45</sup>

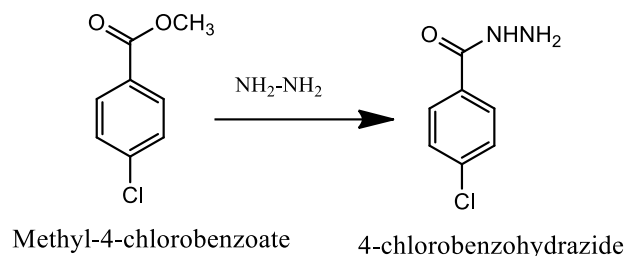


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Synthesis of potassium 2-(4-chlorobenzoyl) dithiocarbazate

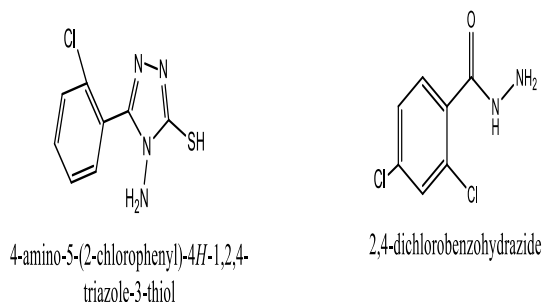
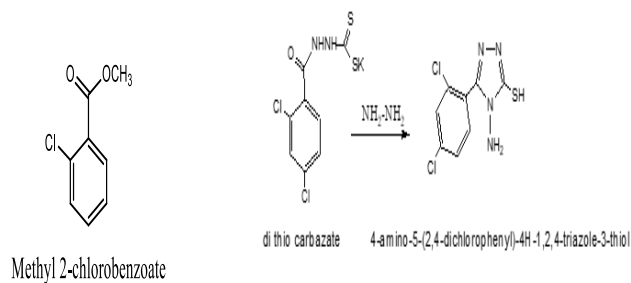
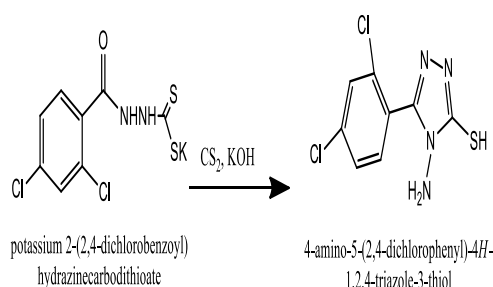


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Synthesis of 4-amino- 5-( 4-chlorophenyl )-4H-1,2,4-triazole-3-thiol <sup>9,15</sup>

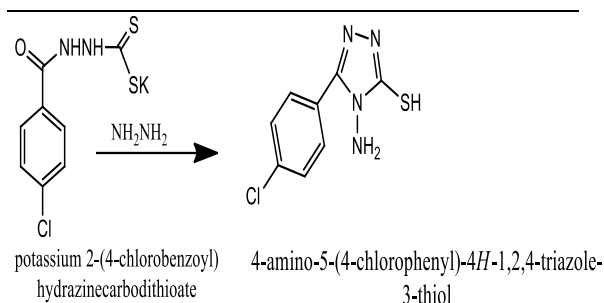


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Synthesis of 3-(4-chlorophenyl)-5-methylthio-4H-1,2,4-triazole-4H-1,2,4-triazole-4-amine

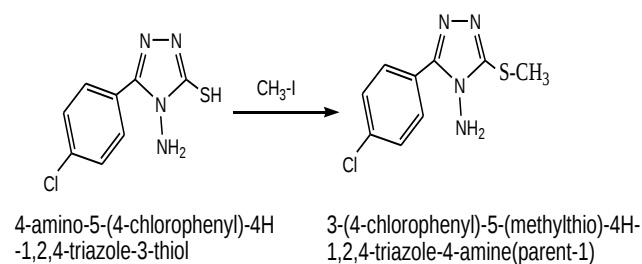


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Synthesis of Schiff bases derivative of (parent-1) N-benzylidene-3-(4-chlorophenyl)-5-(methylthio)-4H-1,2,4-triazole-4-amine 1(a)

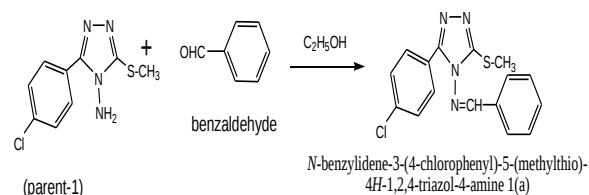


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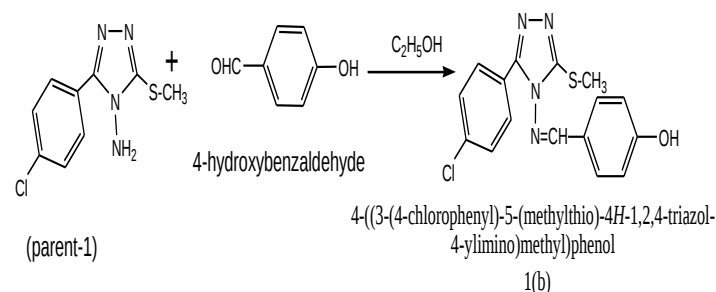


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Synthesis of Schiff base derivative 2-((3-(4-chlorophenyl)-5-(methylthio)-4H-1,2,4-triazole-4-ylimino)methyl)phenol 1(c)

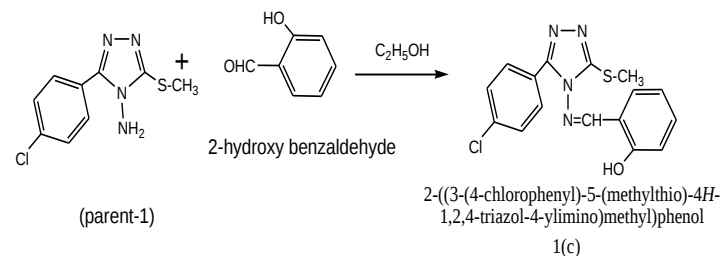


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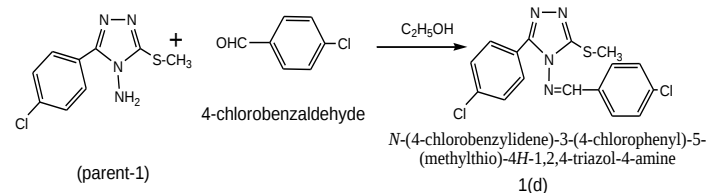


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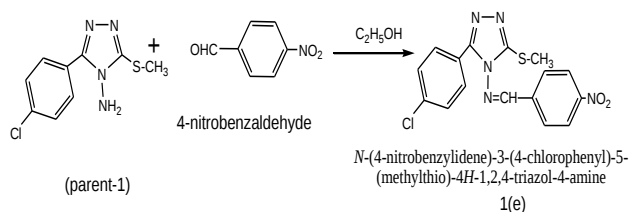


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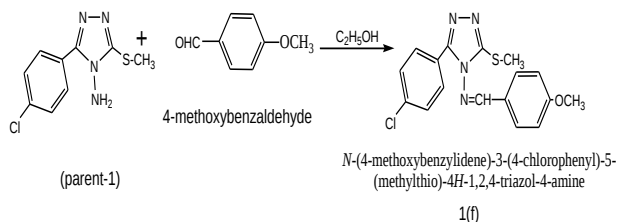


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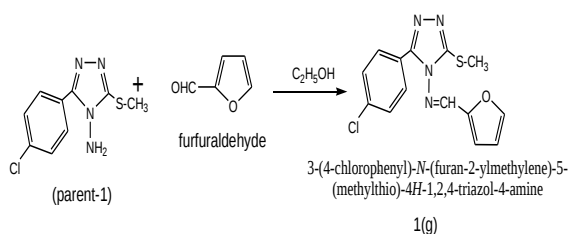
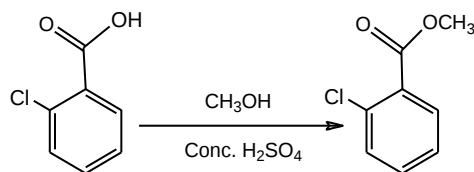


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Synthesis of 3-(2-chlorophenyl)-5-(methylthio)-4H-1,2,4-triazole-4-amine (parent-2)

Synthesis of 2-chloro methyl benzoate

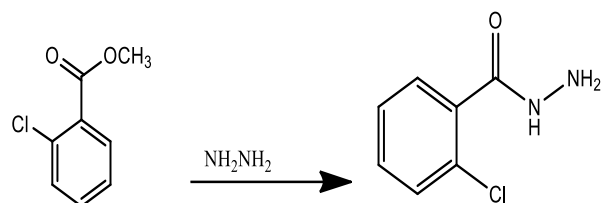


2-Chlorobenzoic acid

Methyl-2-chlorobenzoate

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Synthesis of 2-chlorobenzohydrazide

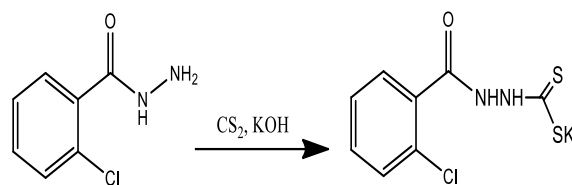


Methyl 2-chlorobenzoate

2-chlorobenzohydrazide

Figure: 14

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2-chlorobenzohydrazide

potassium 2-(2-chlorobenzoyl)hydrazinecarbodithioate

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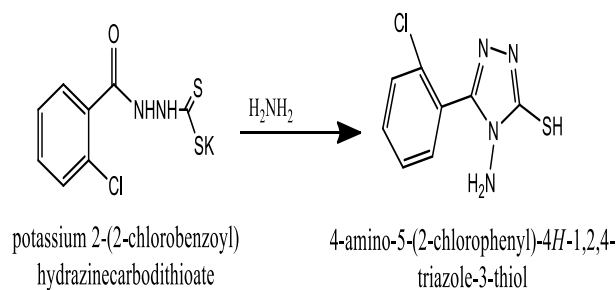


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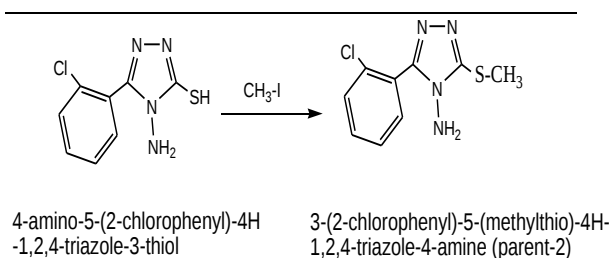


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Synthesis of Schiff's base derivatives 2(a-g) of parent(2)

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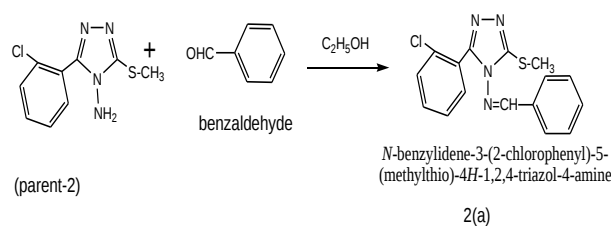


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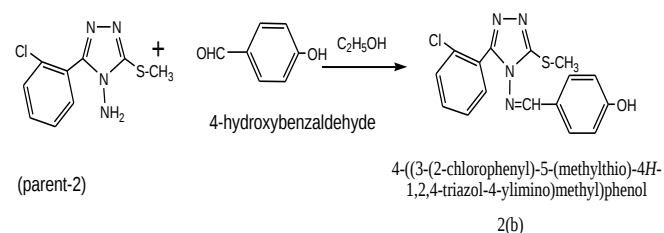


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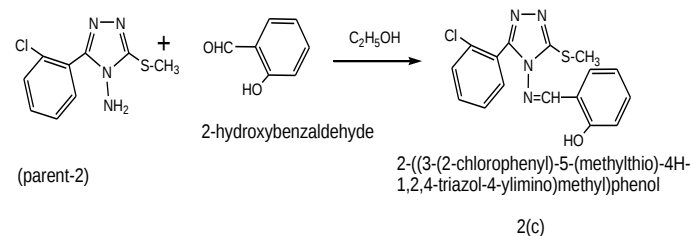


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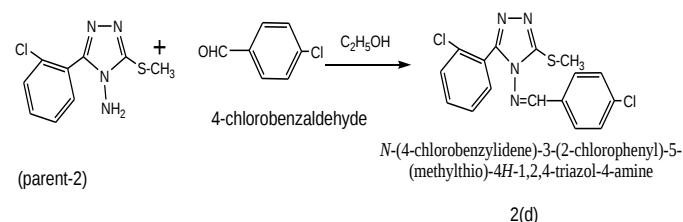


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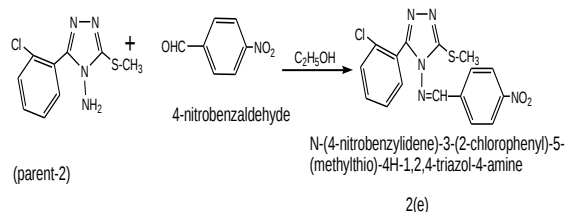


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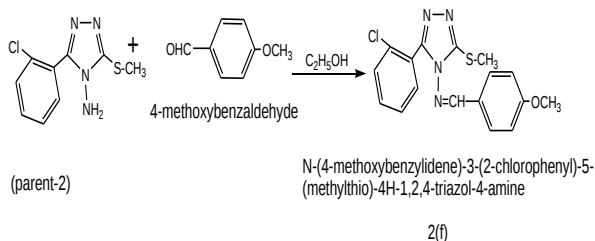


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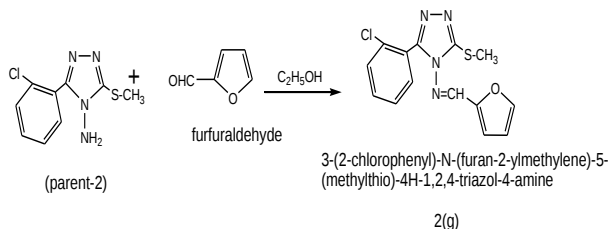
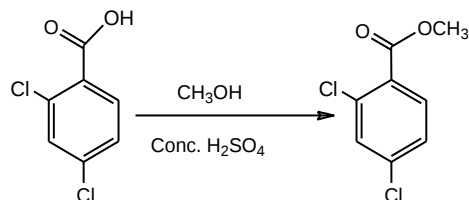


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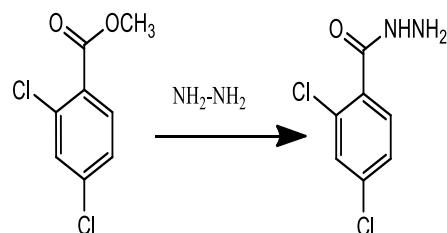
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Synthesis of acid hydrazide of methyl-2,4-dichlorobenzoate



Methyl-2,4-dichlorobenzoate 2,4-dichlorobenzohydrazide

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Synthesis of potassium -2-(2,4-dichlorobenzoyl) dithiocarbazate

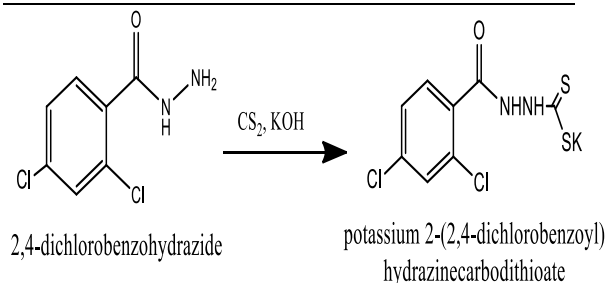


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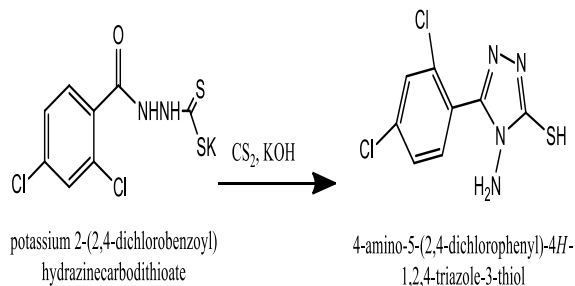


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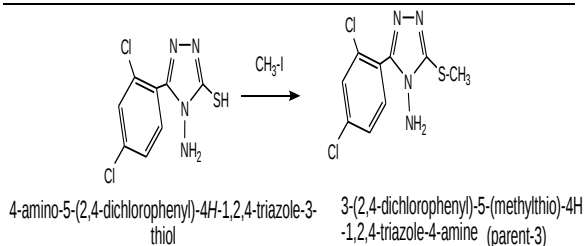


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Synthesis of Schiff bases derivatives 3 (a-g) of parent(3)

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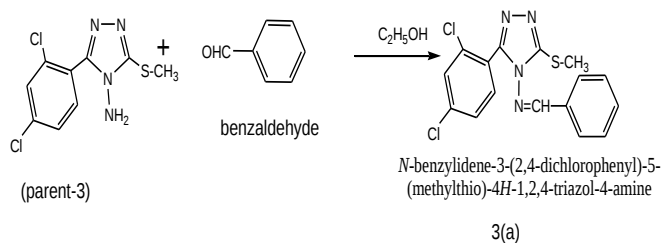


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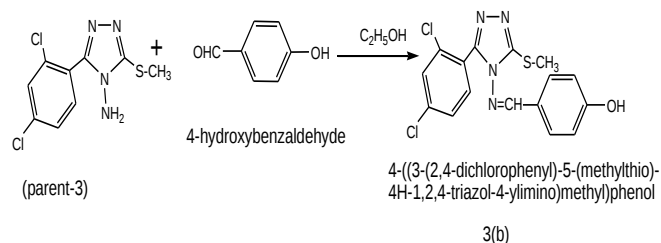


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Synthesis of Schiff bases derivative 2-((3-(2,4-dichlorophenyl)-5-(methylthio)-4H-1,2,4-triazole-4-ylidene)methyl)phenol 3(c)

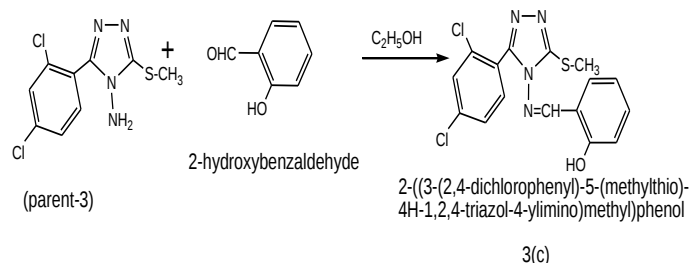


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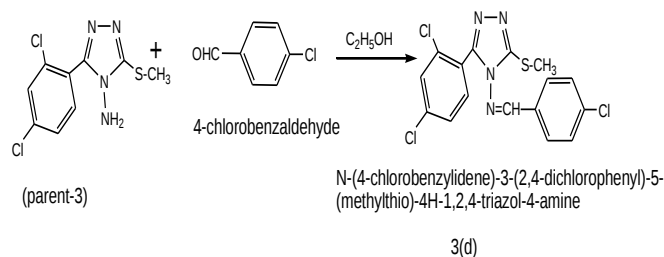


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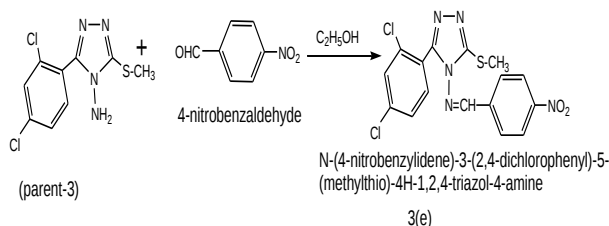


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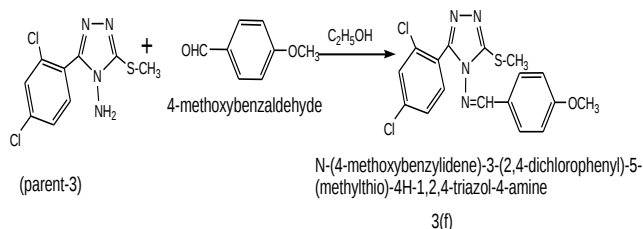


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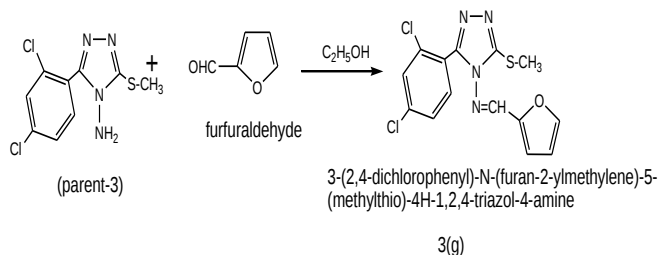


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### 3.In Vitro Antimicrobial Sensitivity Determination Test

#### Well Diffusion Method

Well diffusion method was employed to assess the antibacterial and antifungal activities.

#### Preparation of Stock Solution (Test Compounds)

Newly synthesized chemical stock solutions were diluted in 100% (DMSO). Different concentrations of the stock solutions were created. Stocks of 15 mg per 12 mL (A), 15 mg per 6 mL (B), and 15 mg per 3 mL (C) were made at varied quantities. 100 liters of the diluted stock solution containing the test compound concentrations of A-125 g, B-250 g, and C-500 g were taken. They were promptly injected using a sterilised micropipette into each agar well.

#### Stock Solution Preparation of standard drugs

For the fluconazole stock, several concentrations of 16.95 mg per 12 mL (A), 16.95 mg per 6 mL (B), and 16.95 mg per 3 mL (C) were created. 100 mL of the diluted stock solution were taken, each holding the standard drug concentrations of A-62.5 $\mu$ g, B-125, C-250  $\mu$ g, and D-500 $\mu$ g. Allowance for the potency of the powder (standard

drugs) were made by using following formula:

$$\text{weight of powder (mg)} = \frac{\text{volume of solvent (ml)} \times \text{concentration} \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{ml}}\right)}{\text{potency of powder} \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{g}}\right)}$$

### Test microorganisms

The three bacterial strains and the two fungal strains used in the present study were the clinical isolates obtained from Institute of microbial technology sector 39-A, Chandigarh, India. Bacterial Inoculum Preparation

Reactivated clinical isolate cultures onto Sabouraud dextrose agar medium and Sabouraud dextrose broth and incubated at 35 °C for 24 hours.

## 4. Result & Discussion

Physical characterization of Synthesized compounds

**Table: 1 Physical characterization data of synthesized compounds**

| C.Code   | Yield% | M.P.range (°C) | Rf value | Solvent system                        | Solubility        |
|----------|--------|----------------|----------|---------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Parent-1 | 64     | 164-166        | 0.86     | Ethylacetate :<br>n-Hexane<br>(3 : 2) | DMF<br>Chloroform |
| 1(a)     | 71     | 132-134        | 0.86     | Ethylacetate :<br>Butanol<br>(1 : 2)  | DMF<br>Chloroform |
| 1(b)     | 64     | 126-128        | 0.82     | Ethylacetate :<br>Butanol             | DMF<br>Chloroform |

IR spectral analysis:

IR spectra of Compounds in KBr pellet was recorded on a Shimadzu IR spectrophotometer. Potassium bromide pellets were prepared by 200 mg of dehydrated Potassium bromide to this added 1 mg of compound and stirred well in mortar. The mixture is placed in die and given pressure of 10-15 torr. Then placed in a pellet holder and scanned by the mixture via IR.

|          |           |                |             |                                       |                               |
|----------|-----------|----------------|-------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
|          |           |                |             | (1 : 2)                               |                               |
| 1(c)     | <u>75</u> | <u>144-146</u> | <u>0.74</u> | Ethylacetate :<br>n-Hexane<br>(3 : 2) | <u>DMF<br/>Ethanol</u>        |
| 1(d)     | <u>74</u> | <u>138-140</u> | <u>0.64</u> | Ethylacetate :<br>n-Hexane<br>(1 : 2) | <u>DMF<br/>Ethanol</u>        |
| 1(e)     | <u>91</u> | <u>186-188</u> | <u>0.74</u> | Ethylacetate :<br>n-Hexane<br>(1 : 2) | <u>DMF<br/>Ethanol</u>        |
| 1(f)     | <u>73</u> | <u>176-178</u> | <u>0.64</u> | Chloroform<br>:Acetic Acid<br>(2:1)   | <u>DMF<br/>Chloroform</u>     |
| 1(g)     | <u>90</u> | <u>152-154</u> | <u>0.64</u> | Chloroform<br>:Acetic Acid<br>(2:1)   | <u>DMF<br/>Ethanol</u>        |
| Parent-2 | <u>64</u> | <u>164-166</u> | <u>0.86</u> | Ethylacetate :<br>n-Hexane<br>(1 : 2) | <u>Chloroform<br/>Ethanol</u> |
| 2(a)     | <u>71</u> | <u>128-130</u> | <u>0.86</u> | Ethylacetate :<br>Butanol<br>(1 : 2)  | <u>DMSO<br/>Ethanol</u>       |
| 2(b)     | <u>64</u> | <u>126-128</u> | <u>0.82</u> | Ethylacetate :<br>Butanol<br>(1 : 2)  | <u>DMSO<br/>Ethanol</u>       |
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|          |        |                   |             |                                       |                          |
|----------|--------|-------------------|-------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|
|          |        |                   |             | n-Hexane<br>(1 : 2)                   | Ethanol                  |
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| C.Code   | Yield% | M.P.range<br>(°C) | Rf<br>value | Solvent<br>system                     | Solubility               |
| 2(g)     | 64     | 152-154           | 0.86        | Ethylacetate :<br>n-Hexane<br>(1 : 2) | Ethanol<br>DMF           |
| Parent-3 | 64     | 164-166           | 0.86        | Ethylacetate :<br>n-Hexane<br>(3 : 1) | Ethanol<br>DMF           |
| 3(a)     | 71     | 153-155           | 0.82        | Ethylacetate :<br>n-Hexane<br>(3 : 1) | Ethanol<br>DMF           |
| 3(b)     | 75     | 144-146           | 0.74        | Ethylacetate :<br>n-Hexane<br>(3 : 1) | Ethanol<br>DMF           |
| 3(c)     | 74     | 138-140           | 0.64        | Ethylacetate :<br>n-Hexane<br>(3 : 1) | Ethanol<br>DMF           |
| 3(d)     | 91     | 122-124           | 0.74        | Ethylacetate :<br>n-Hexane<br>(3 : 1) | Ethanol<br>DMF           |

|      |    |         |      |                                       |                |
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## Results of Antibacterial Activity of compounds

Table : 2. Zone of inhibition (diameter in mm) of Synthesized compounds

| Zone of inhibition by agar well diffusion (diameter in mm) |                                |     |     |                              |     |     |                              |     |     |
|------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----|-----|------------------------------|-----|-----|------------------------------|-----|-----|
| Compound<br>Code                                           | <i>S.aureous</i>               |     |     | <i>B.subtilis</i>            |     |     | <i>E.coli</i>                |     |     |
|                                                            | 125                            | 250 | 500 | 125                          | 250 | 500 | 125                          | 250 | 500 |
|                                                            | $\mu\text{g}/100\ \mu\text{L}$ |     |     | $\mu\text{g}/100\mu\text{L}$ |     |     | $\mu\text{g}/100\mu\text{L}$ |     |     |
| 1(a)                                                       | -                              | -   | 10  | -                            | -   | 11  | -                            | -   | 11  |
| 1(b)                                                       | -                              | 12  | 14  | -                            | 10  | 14  | -                            | 10  | 12  |
| 1(c)                                                       | -                              | -   | 10  | -                            | 12  | 15  | 12                           | 14  | 16  |
| 1(d)                                                       | -                              | 10  | 12  | 10                           | 13  | 15  | -                            | -   | 12  |
| 1(e)                                                       | -                              | -   | 12  | -                            | 10  | 12  | -                            | 12  | 14  |
| 1(f)                                                       | -                              | -   | 10  | 12                           | 14  | 16  | -                            | -   | 12  |
| 1(g)                                                       | 13                             | 15  | 19  | 10                           | 13  | 17  | -                            | -   | 12  |
| 2(a)                                                       | -                              | -   | 12  | -                            | -   | 14  | 12                           | 14  | 18  |

|            |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 2(b)       | -  | 14 | 16 | -  | 12 | 14 | -  | -  | 12 |
| 2(c)       | -  | 10 | 12 | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | 12 |
| 2(d)       | 12 | 15 | 19 | -  | 13 | 15 | -  | -  | 13 |
| 2(e)       | -  | -  | 13 | -  | -  | 13 | 14 | 17 | 19 |
| 2(f)       | -  | 15 | 16 | -  | -  | 11 | -  | -  | -  |
| 2(g)       | -  | 14 | 18 | -  | 11 | 15 | -  | -  | 12 |
| 3(a)       | -  | -  | 11 | -  | -  | 12 | -  | -  | 14 |
| 3(b)       | -  | 13 | 15 | -  | 12 | 14 |    | 10 | 12 |
| 3(c)       | -  | -  | 10 | -  | 12 | 15 | 12 | 14 | 16 |
| 3(d)       | -  | 10 | 12 | 10 | 13 | 15 | -  | -  | 12 |
| 3(e)       | -  | -  | 12 | -  | 10 | 12 | -  | 12 | 14 |
| 3(f)       | -  | -  | 10 | -  | 12 | 14 | -  | -  | 12 |
| 3(g)       | 12 | 15 | 19 | 10 | 14 | 17 | -  | -  | 11 |
| Control(-) | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  |
| Ampicillin | 19 | 25 | 35 | 15 | 19 | 24 | 11 | 14 | 18 |

(-), indicates there was no observed zone of inhibition

Table-3 Spectral and elemental characterization of Synthesized Compounds

| No       | IR spectral data (cm <sup>-1</sup> )<br>(KBr)                                                                                                             | <sup>1</sup> HNMR (DMSO-d <sub>6</sub> ) $\delta$                                                                                                                                         |
|----------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Parent-1 | 1603,1582 C=N str.),759 (mono substituted benzene) ,3272,3172 (-NH str.),3127,3109 (=CH str.),3064,3030 (Ar-H str.) , 1247(N-N=C str.) , 696 (C-S-C str.) | 7.44 (2H, t , Ar-H <sub>a</sub> ), 7.33(2H, t , Ar-H <sub>b</sub> ), 2.46 (3H,s,CH <sub>3</sub> -S-) .                                                                                    |
| 1(a)     | 1603,1582(C=N str.), 759 (mono substituted benzene) 3120, 3109 (=CH-str.), 3064,3030 (Ar-H str.),1247(N-N=C str.), 696 (C-S-C str.)                       | 7.43 (2H, t, Ar-H <sub>a</sub> ), 7.30 (2H, t, Ar-H <sub>b</sub> ) , 7.6 (2H, q, Ar-H <sub>c</sub> ), 7.20 (3H, t, Ar-H <sub>d</sub> ), 2.47(3H , s, CH <sub>3</sub> -S-), 8.1 (s, -N=CH) |
| 1(b)     | 1603,1582(C=N str.), 756 (mono                                                                                                                            | 7.43(2H, t, Ar-H <sub>a</sub> ), 7.20(2H, t, Ar-                                                                                                                                          |

|          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
|----------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|          | substituted benzene) , 3411(OH-stretch) ,<br>3127,3109 (=CH- str.), 3054,3020 (Ar-H<br>str.), 1250 (N-N=C str.), 690 (C-S-C str.)                                                                                   | H <sub>b</sub> ), 2.47 (3H,s,CH <sub>3</sub> -S-) , 6.8(2H, t,<br>Ar-H <sub>a</sub> '), 8.1(s, N=CH)                                                                                                                           |
| 1(c)     | 1603, 1582(C=N str.), 756 (mono<br>substituted benzene) , 3420(OH-stretch) ,<br>3126,3100 (=CH- str.), 3054,3020 (Ar-H<br>str.),1250 (N-N=C str.), 690 (C-S-C str.)                                                 | 7.42(2H, t, Ar-H <sub>a</sub> ), 7.33 (2H, t, Ar-<br>H <sub>b</sub> ), 2.47 (3H, s, CH <sub>3</sub> -S-) , 6.8(2H,<br>d, Ar-H <sub>c</sub> ), 8.1(s, N=CH)                                                                     |
| 1(d)     | 7.42 (2H, t, Ar-H <sub>a</sub> ), 7.33 (2H, t, Ar-H <sub>b</sub> ), 2.47<br>(3H, s, CH <sub>3</sub> -S-) , 7.6(2H, d, Ar-H <sub>c</sub> ),<br>7.3(2H,d,Ar-H), 8.1(s, N=CH)                                          | N-(4-chlorobenzylidene-3-(4-<br>chlorophenyl)-5-(methyl thio)-<br>4H-1,2,4-triazole-4-amine                                                                                                                                    |
| 1(e)     | 1681 (C=C stretch), 1311 ( C-N stretch),<br>1641 (N=C stretch), 1066 (C-S stretch),<br>1575 (C=N-N stretch), 1534 (C-NO <sub>2</sub><br>stretch) , 603 , 1582(C=N) , 759<br>(monosubstituted benzene) , 696 (C-S-C) | 7.42(2H, t, Ar-H <sub>a</sub> ), 7.33(2H, t, Ar-<br>H <sub>b</sub> ), 2.47 (3H, s, CH <sub>3</sub> -S-) , 7.9(2H,<br>t, Ar-H <sub>c</sub> ), 8.2(2H, t, Ar-H <sub>d</sub> ), 8.1(s,<br>N=CH)                                   |
| 1(f)     | 1600,1580(C=N),750 (mono substituted<br>benzene) ,3272,3174 (-NH),3127,3109<br>(=CH),3060,3030 (Ar-H),1245(N-N=C),690<br>(C-S-C)                                                                                    | 7.43(2H, t, Ar-H <sub>a</sub> ), 7.20 (2H, t, Ar-<br>H <sub>b</sub> ) , 2.43 (3H,s, CH <sub>3</sub> -S-) , 3.73 (s,<br>3H, OCH <sub>3</sub> ), 7.5(2H, t, Ar-H <sub>c</sub> ),<br>6.8(2H, t, Ar-H <sub>d</sub> ), 8.1(s, N=CH) |
| 1(g)     | 1603, 1582(C=N str.), 759 (mono<br>substituted benzene) ,3272,3172 (-NH -<br>str.),3127,3109 (=CH- str.) , 3064, 3030 (Ar-<br>H), 1247(N-N=C str.) , 696 (C-S-C str.)                                               | 7.44(2H, t, Ar-H <sub>a</sub> ), 7.34(2H, t, Ar-<br>H <sub>b</sub> ), 2.4 (3H, s,CH <sub>3</sub> -S-) , 6.3(d, 2H-<br>furan), 8.1(s, -N=CH)                                                                                    |
| Parent-2 | 1603, 1582(C=N str.),759 (mono                                                                                                                                                                                      | 7.43-7.16 (m, Ar-H), 2.46 (3H, s,                                                                                                                                                                                              |

|      |                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                                                                                                                                                    |
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|      | substituted benzene) ,3272,3172 (-NH-str.), 3127,3109 (=CH-), 3064, 3030 (Ar-H), 1247(N-N=C str.), 696 (C-S-C str.)                                                                                | CH <sub>3</sub> -S-) , 2.0(-NH <sub>2</sub> )                                                                                                      |
| 2(a) | 1603, 1582 C=N str.), 759 (mono substituted benzene) , 3127,3109 (=CH-), 3064,3030 (Ar-H), 1247(N-N=C str.), 696 (C-S-C str.)                                                                      | 7.43-7.16 (m, Ar-H), 7.6 (2H, q, Ar-H <sub>c</sub> ), 7.20 (3H, t, Ar-H <sub>d</sub> ), 2.47(3H , s, CH <sub>3</sub> -S-), 8.1(s, N=CH)            |
| 2(b) | 1603, 1582(C=N str.),756 (mono substituted benzene) , 3411(OH-stretch) , 3127,3109 (=CH), 3020 (Ar-H), 1250 (N-N=C str.), 690 (C-S-C str.)                                                         | 7.33-7.16 (m, Ar-H), 7.4 (2H, t, Ar-H <sub>c</sub> ), 6.8 (2H, t, Ar-H <sub>d</sub> ), 2.47(3H , s, CH <sub>3</sub> -S-), 8.1(s, -N=CH), 5.0(C-OH) |
| 2(c) | 1582 (C=N str.), 756 (mono substituted benzene) , 3420 OH-stretch) , 3126 (=CH str.), 3020 (Ar-H), 1250 (N-N=C str.), 690 (C-S-C str.)                                                             | 7.5-7.1(m, Ar-H), 2.47 (3H, s, CH <sub>3</sub> -S-), 8.1 (s,N=CH) , 6.8(2H, d ,Ar-H), 5.0(C-OH,aromatic)                                           |
| 2(d) | 1603,1582(C=N str.), 1621 (C=C stretch), 1269, 756 (mono substituted benzene), 1615 (N=C stretch), 1120 (C-S -C stretch), 1587 (N-N=C stretch) , 698 (C-Cl stretch)                                | 7.5-7.1(m, Ar-H), 2.47 (3H, s, CH <sub>3</sub> -S-), 8.1 (s,-N=CH) , 6.8(2H, d ,Ar-H),7.6(2H, t, Ar-H)                                             |
| 2(e) | 1681 (C=C stretch), 1311 ( C-N stretch), 1641 (N=C stretch), 1066 (C-S stretch), 1575 (C=N-N stretch), 1534 (C-NO <sub>2</sub> stretch) , 1582 (C=N) , 759 (monosubstituted benzene) , 696 (C-S-C) | 7.4-7.1(m, Ar-H), 2.47 (3H, s, CH <sub>3</sub> -S-), 8.1 (s,N=CH) , 7.9(2H, t , Ar-H), 8.2 (2H, t, Ar-H)                                           |

|          |                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
|----------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 2(f)     | 1600, 1580(C=N str.), 750 (mono substituted benzene) , 3272, 3174 (-NH-str.),3127,3109 (=CH- str.), 3060, 3030 (Ar-H), 1245(N-N=C str.), 690 (C-S-C str.) | 7.4-7.1(m, Ar-H), 2.47 (3H, s, CH <sub>3</sub> -S-), 8.1 (s,N=CH) , 6.8(2H, t ,Ar-H),7.5(2H, t, Ar-H),3.73 (s, 3H, -OCH <sub>3</sub> ).                                                                            |
| 2(g)     | 1603, 1582(C=N), 759 (mono substituted benzene), 3272, 3172 (-NH str.), 3127, 3109 (=CH str.), 3064, 3030 (Ar-H), 1247(N-N=C str.), 696 (C-S-C str.)      | 7.4-7.1(m, Ar-H), 2.47 (3H, s, CH <sub>3</sub> -S-), 7.5 (s,N=CH) , 6.3(2H, d , furan).                                                                                                                            |
| Parent-3 | 1585 (C=N-N str.), 3272, 3172 (-NH), 3127, 3109 (=CH), 3064,3030 (Ar-H), 1247 (N-N=C str.), 696 (C-S-C str.)                                              | 7.34 (1H, s ,Ar-H), 2.46 (3H, s, CH <sub>3</sub> -S-), 7.21(1H ,d , Ar-H), 7.36(1H, d, Ar-H), 2.0(s, -NH <sub>2</sub> ).                                                                                           |
| 3(a)     | 3137, 3115 ( Ar-H), 1604 (C=C str.), 1275 (N-N=C str.), 1582(C=N str.) , 1247(N-N=C str.), 696 (C-S-C str.)                                               | 7.34 (1H, s, Ar-H <sub>a</sub> ), 7.21 (1H, d, Ar-H <sub>c</sub> ), 7.36(1H, d, Ar-H <sub>b</sub> ), 2.47 (3H, s, CH <sub>3</sub> -S-), 7.6(2H, q, Ar-H), 7.3(3H, t, Ar-H), 8.1(s, -N=CH).                         |
| 3(b)     | 1603, 1582(C=N str.), 3411(OH-stretch) , 3127,3109 (=CH- str.), 3054,3020 (Ar-H str.), 1250 (N-N=C str.), 690 (C-S-C str.)                                | 7.34 (1H, s, Ar-H <sub>a</sub> ), 7.21 (1H, d, Ar-H <sub>c</sub> ), 7.36(1H, d, Ar-H <sub>b</sub> ), 6.8 (2H, t, Ar-H <sub>d</sub> ), 2.47(3H , s, CH <sub>3</sub> -S-), 8.1(s, N=CH), 5.0(C-OH)                   |
| 3(c)     | 1603 (C=N), 756 (mono substituted benzene) , 3420 (Ar- OH-stretch) , 3126,3100 (=CH- str.), 3054, 3020 (Ar-H), 1250 (N-N=C str.) , 690 (C-S-C str.)       | 7.34 (1H, s, Ar-H <sub>a</sub> ), 7.21 (1H, d, Ar-H <sub>c</sub> ), 7.36(1H, d, Ar-H <sub>b</sub> ), 7.1 (1H, t, Ar-H) 6.8 (2H, t, Ar-H <sub>d</sub> ), 2.47(3H , s, CH <sub>3</sub> -S-), 8.1(s, N=CH), 5.0(C-OH) |
| 3(d)     | 1582(C=N), 1621 (C=C stretch), 1269 cm-1, 1615 (N=C stretch), 1120 (C-S-C                                                                                 | 7.34 (1H, s, Ar-H <sub>a</sub> ), 7.21 (1H, d, Ar-H <sub>c</sub> ), 7.36(1H, d, Ar-H <sub>b</sub> ), 7.3                                                                                                           |

|      |                                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
|------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|      | stretch), 1580 (N-N=C stretch) , 690 (C-Cl stretch)                                                                                                                       | (2H, t, Ar-H), 7.6 (2H, t, Ar-H), 2.47(3H , s, CH <sub>3</sub> -S-), 8.1(s, N=CH).                                                                                                                             |
| 3(e) | 1680 (C=C stretch), 1310 ( C-N stretch), 1630 (N=C stretch), 1066 (C-S stretch), 1570 (C=N-N stretch), 1530 (C-NO <sub>2</sub> stretch), 1582(C=N str.), 694 (C-S-C str.) | 7.34 (1H, s, Ar-H <sub>a</sub> ), 7.21 (1H, d, Ar-H <sub>c</sub> ), 7.36 (1H, d, Ar-H <sub>b</sub> ), 2.47 (3H, s, CH <sub>3</sub> -S-), 8.1 (s, N=CH) , 7.9(2H, t , Ar-H), 8.2 (2H, t, Ar-H)                  |
| 3(f) | 1600, 1580(C=N str.), 3272,3174 (-NH str.), 3127,3109 (=CH- str.), 3060, 3030 (Ar-H), 1235(N-N=C str.), 685 (C-S-C str.)                                                  | 7.34 (1H, s, Ar-H <sub>a</sub> ), 7.21 (1H, d, Ar-H <sub>c</sub> ), 7.36(1H, t, Ar-H <sub>b</sub> ), 7.5(2H,t ,Ar-H), 6.8 (2H, t, Ar-H) , 2.47 (3H, s, CH <sub>3</sub> -S-) , 3.74 (s, 3H, -OCH <sub>3</sub> ) |
| 3(g) | 1603 (C=N str.), 272,3172 (-NH str.) ,3127, 3109 (=CH str.), 3030 (Ar-H), 1247(N-N=C str.), 696 (C-S-C str.)                                                              | 7.34 (1H, s, Ar-H <sub>a</sub> ), 7.21 (1H, d, Ar-H <sub>c</sub> ), 7.36(1H, t, Ar-H <sub>b</sub> ), 2.47 (3H, s, CH <sub>3</sub> -S-), 7.5 (s, -N=CH) , 6.3(2H, d , furan), 7.4(1H, d, furan).                |

### Results of Antifungal Activity

Table: 4 Zone of inhibition (diameter in mm) of Synthesized compounds

| Zone of inhibition by agar well diffusion(diameter in mm) |                          |          |          |                         |          |          |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|----------|----------|-------------------------|----------|----------|
| Compound Code                                             | <i>Aspergillus niger</i> |          |          | <i>Candida albicans</i> |          |          |
|                                                           | 125                      | 250      | 500      | 125                     | 250      | 500      |
|                                                           | µg/100µL                 | µg/100µL | µg/100µL | µg/100µL                | µg/100µL | µg/100µL |
| 1(a)                                                      | -                        | 12       | 16       | -                       | 14       | 18       |
| 1(b)                                                      | -                        | 11       | 15       | -                       | 12       | 17       |

|                                                           |                          |     |     |                         |     |     |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|-----|-----|-------------------------|-----|-----|
| 1(c)                                                      | -                        | 13  | 16  | 10                      | 13  | 15  |
| 1(d)                                                      | -                        | 10  | 12  | -                       | -   | 12  |
| 1(e)                                                      | -                        | -   | 10  | -                       | -   | 13  |
| 1(f)                                                      | 11                       | 12  | 16  | -                       | 15  | 19  |
| 1(g)                                                      | -                        | -   | 14  | 11                      | 13  | 17  |
| 2(a)                                                      | -                        | -   | 13  | 12                      | 14  | 17  |
| 2(b)                                                      | -                        | 14  | 16  | -                       | -   | 12  |
| 2(c)                                                      | 12                       | 14  | 16  | 11                      | 13  | 18  |
| 2(d)                                                      | 10                       | 13  | 15  | -                       | -   | 11  |
| 2(e)                                                      | -                        | 10  | 12  | -                       | 11  | 13  |
| 2(f)                                                      | 10                       | 12  | 13  | -                       | 15  | 17  |
| 2(g)                                                      | -                        | -   | 11  | -                       | -   | 13  |
| 3(a)                                                      | -                        | 11  | 13  | -                       | -   | 10  |
| 3(b)                                                      | -                        | 12  | 14  | -                       | -   | 12  |
| 3(c)                                                      | -                        | -   | 12  | 12                      | 15  | 19  |
| Zone of inhibition by agar well diffusion(diameter in mm) |                          |     |     |                         |     |     |
| Fungal strain                                             | <i>Aspergillus niger</i> |     |     | <i>Candida albicans</i> |     |     |
| Compound code                                             | 125                      | 250 | 500 | 125                     | 250 | 500 |
| 3(e)                                                      | -                        | 13  | 16  | -                       | -   | 12  |
| 3(g)                                                      | -                        | -   | 13  | -                       | -   | 11  |
| Control                                                   | -                        | -   | -   | -                       | -   | -   |
| Fluconazole                                               | 22                       | 28  | 36  | 24                      | 30  | 38  |

(-), indicates there was no observed zone of inhibition

## 5.Conclusion

In the present work total 21 compounds were synthesized from three parent compounds. These parent compounds were used as nucleus for the synthesis of various Schiff base derivatives like 1 (a-g), 2(a-g), 3(a-g). All synthesized compounds

were identified for anti-bacterial and anti-fungal activity. Among the compounds tested, 1(g), 2(b), 2(g), 3(g), exhibited good inhibitory activity against *B. subtilis* and *S. aureus*. Compound 1(c), 2(a), 2(e), 3(c), showed good inhibitory activity against *E. coli*. Ampicillin was used as control for

antibacterial activity against *S. aureus*, *B.subtilis* and *E.coli*..Antifungal activity of compounds against the two important fungal strain *Aspergillus niger* and *Candida albicans* using well diffusion method. Fluconazole was used as standard drug for comparison of results. Compound 3(f) was found to be very good antifungal agent for *A.niger*, whereas compound 1(c), 1(f), 2(b), 2(d), showed moderate activity. Compounds 1(g), 2(a), 2(c), 3(c) were found to be very good antifungal agent for *C.albicans*. whereas compound 1(a), 1(b), 1(f), 2(f), showed moderate activity.

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