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# Anti-proliferative activity and characterization data on oxadiazole derivatives



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# ABSTRACT

This data in brief article explains the anti-cancer activity and characterization of oxadiazoles [1]. The main objective of this article was to provide general synthetic procedures, spectral discussion and physical data on the new oxadiazole tethered indazole (OTDs). This article discusses the <sup>1</sup>H NMR, <sup>13</sup>C NMR, mass spectroscopy, HPLC and melting point of the synthetic compounds. MTT assay was used to determine the anti-proliferative activity in hepatocellular cell lines.

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#### Specifications table

Subject	Chemistry
Specific subject area	Organic Chemistry
Type of data	Figure, Spectra
How data were acquired	<sup>1</sup> H NMR and <sup>13</sup> C NMR spectra were recorded on the Agilent NMR instrument in DMSO-d6/CDCl <sub>3</sub> solvent. Mass spectra have been recorded on an Agilent LC-MS.HPLC was recorded Waters (USA) connected to W2998 Photo-Diode Arrary Detector. Cytotoxicity was determined by MTT Assay.
Data format	Raw
	Analyzed
Parameters for data collection	All reagents and solvents were commercially available in the reagent grade. These were used without further purification. All the final compounds were purified by column chromatography on silica gel (60–120 mesh).
Description of data collection	All the final isolated compounds were characterized by NMR spectroscopy, LC-MS and melting points.
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# Value of the data

- Indazole tethered oxadiazole (OTD) derivatives have significant anti-cancer activity against hepatocellular carcinoma (HCC) cells.
- The given procedure for the synthesis of Indazole tethered oxadiazoles could be useful for organic chemists to develop novel drugs.
- The given spectroscopic data on the Indazole tethered oxadiazoles could be useful for organic chemists for synthesis of OTDs.

# 1. Data description

A series of Indazole tethered oxadiazoles (OTDs) (**3a-k**) were synthesized by refluxing Nmethyindazole-acid hydrazide with different aromatic carboxylic acids (**2a-k**) in phosphorous oxychloride [1]. The synthetic route and structure of final compounds were given in Fig. 1. All the final compounds (**3a-k**) were characterized by <sup>1</sup>H NMR, <sup>13</sup>C NMR, LCMS and HPLC for active compounds **3c**, **3d**, **3f**, **3i**. All the spectra data are provided in this article (Figs. 2–38). The anticancer activities of the newly synthesized OTDs are given in Fig. 39. The Crystalographic data for compounds **3a**, **3h** & **3k** have been deposited with the Cambridge Crystalographic Data centre., CCDC No. 1992373, 1992374 and 1992375. Copies of the data can be obtained free of charge upon request to the CCDC, 12 Union Road, Cambridge CB21EZ, UK (fax: 044 (0) 1223 336033 or e-mail: deposit@ccdc.cam.ac.uk).

## 2. Experimental design, materials and methods

# 2.1. General information

The reagents used for the reaction are commercially available reagent class and were used without further purification. The chemicals were purchased from Sigma-Aldrich, TCI or SD-Fine. The reactions were monitored by thin layer chromatography using pre-coated Merck silica gel 60 F254 plates and analytical TLCs were conducted using ethyl acetate and hexanes as eluent. Then



Fig. 1. Synthetic scheme and structure of Oxadiazoles 3a-3k.

the spots were observed under UV light. The final compounds were purified by silica gel column chomatography using ethyl acetate and hexane as eluent and organic solvents were concentrated under reduced pressure on the rotary evaporator.

The purified samples were dissolved in either CDCl<sub>3</sub> or DMSO-d<sup>6</sup> to acquire the NMR spectra using Agilent NMR. <sup>1</sup>H NMR and <sup>13</sup>C NMR were recorded at 400 and 100 MHz respectively. The <sup>1</sup>H NMR Data are expressed in chemical shift ( $\delta$ , ppm) and multiplicity (s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, q = quartet, dt = doublet of triplet, dd = doublet of doublets, m = multiplet), coupling constant (*J*, Hz) and integration. The LCMS measurments were performed on Agilent LC-MS using 2 mg/mL of the solutions in HPLC grade acetonitrile or methanol. The HPLC was recorded



Fig. 2. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 3a.



Fig. 3. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of 3a.



Fig. 4. Mass spectrum of 3a.



Fig. 5. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 3b.



Fig. 6. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of 3b.



Fig. 7. Mass spectrum of 3b.



Fig. 8. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 3c.



Fig. 9. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of 3c.



Fig. 10. Mass spectrum of 3c.



Fig. 11. HPLC spectrum of 3c.



Fig. 12. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 3d.



Fig. 13. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of 3d



Fig. 14. Mass spectrum of 3d



Fig. 15. HPLC spectrum of 3d



Fig. 16. <sup>1</sup>HNMR spectrum of 3e.



Fig. 17. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of 3e.



Fig. 18. Mass spectrum of 3e.



Fig. 19. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 3f.



Fig. 20. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of 3f.



Fig. 21. Mass spectrum of 3f.



Fig. 22. HPLC spectrum of 3f.



Fig. 23. <sup>1</sup>HNMR spectrum of 3g.



Fig. 24. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of 3g.



Fig. 25. Mass spectrum of 3g.



Fig. 26. <sup>1</sup>HNMR spectrum of 3h.



Fig. 27. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of 3h.



Fig. 28. Mass spectrum of 3h.



Fig. 29. <sup>1</sup>HNMR spectrum of 3i.



Fig. 30. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of 3i.



Fig. 31. Mass spectrum of 3i.



Fig. 32. HPLC spectrum of 3i.



Fig. 33. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum 3j.



Fig. 34. <sup>13</sup>C NMR Spectrum of 3j.



Fig. 35. Mass spectrum of 3j.



Fig. 36. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 3k.



Fig. 37. <sup>13</sup>CNMR spectrum of 3k.



Fig. 38. Mass spectrum of 3k.

using Waters (USA) connected to W2998 Photo-Diode Array Detector, Column: Syncronis-C18,  $4.6 \times 150$  mm,  $5 \mu$ m, Mobile Phase-A: 0.1% Formic acid in Water, Mobile Phase-B: Acetonitrile.

The OTDs were screened for their anti-proliferative potency against human hepatocellular carcinoma cell lines (HepG2, HCCLM3) and normal Liver human cell line (LO2) using MTT assay [2].

# 2.2. General procedure

To a stirred solution of 1-methyl-1H-indazole-3-carboxylic acid (1 gm, 0.0056 mol) in anhydrous ethanol (15 mL). The catalytic amount of conc. Sulfuric acid was added and refluxed for 6 h. The excess of ethanol was concentrated off on a rota-evaporator. The reaction mixture was cooled and the contents of the flask were transferred to a separating funnel containing about 250 mL of distilled water. The synthesized ester was extracted three times with 50 mL Ethyl acetate each. The organic layers were mixed and washed with brine and dried over Sodium sulfate. Ethyl acetate was then distilled off under reduced pressure to get the ester **1** in 89% yield.

To a stirred solution of ethyl 1-methyl-1H-indazole-3-carboxylate **1** (0.5 gm, 0.0024 mol) taken in a round bottom flask containing 250 mL of ethanol, 99% hydrazine hydrate (0.15 mL, 0.0029 mol) was added and refluxed for 6 h. The excess of ethanol and hydrazine hydrate were distilled off under reduced pressure. Ice-cold water was poured into the above reaction mixture and the precipitate so obtained was filtered off and recrystallized from a suitable solvent and the product N-methy indazole-acid hydrazide [3] was obtained in 92% yield.



Fig. 39. Anti-proliferative activity of Oxadiazoles as determined by MTT Assay.

# 2.3. Procedure for the synthesis of 3a-k

A mixture of 1-methyl-1H-indazole-3-carbohydrazide (1eq), different aromatic acids (**2a-k**) (1eq) and phosphorus oxychloride ( $POCl_3$ ) (2 mL) were taken in round bottom flask and refluxed for 8 h. The contents of the reaction mixture were cooled and poured onto the crushed ice. The solid obtained was filtered, treated with potassium carbonate, washed with water and purified by column chromatography using ethyl acetate and hexane as eluent to afford oxadiazoles.

# 2. 3 characterization data

# 2-(1-methyl-1H-indazol-3-yl)-5-phenyl-1,3,4-oxadiazole, 3a:

White Solid; mp178–182°C; 81% yield;<sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400 MHz)  $\delta$ : 8.35(d, *J*=8.4 Hz, 1H), 8.18–8.16 (m, 2H), 7.44–7.49 (m,5 H), 7.31–7.33 (m, 1H), 4.16 (s, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR: 163.05, 159.19, 139.97, 130.74, 128.49, 128.01, 126.49, 126.19, 122.74, 122.01, 121.35, 121.04, 108.45, 35.33; LCMS (ESI): *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>12</sub>N<sub>4</sub>O [M + H] +: 277.1044; Found: 277.0432.

**2-(2-chlorophenyl)-5-(1-methyl-1H-indazol-3-yl)-1,3,4-oxadiazole, 3b:**White solid; mp 160–164°C; 78% yield;<sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400 MHz)  $\delta$ : 8.08–8.6(m,1H),8.05–7.45 (m,1H), 7.45–7.43 (m,1H),7.42–7.37(m,3H), 7.36–7.31(m,2H) 4.15 (s,3H);<sup>13</sup>CNMR:161.32,159.56, 139.97,132.34,131.36,130.38,130.21,128.22,126.45,126.03,122.08,122.37,120.90,108.49,35.36; LCMS (ESI): *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>11</sub>ClN<sub>4</sub>O [M + H] +: 311.0654; Found:310.9835.

**2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-5-(1-methyl-1H-indazol-3-yl)-1,3,4-oxadiazole,3c:**Off white solid; mp 196–200°C; 83% yield;<sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400 MHz)  $\delta$ : 8.39 (d, *J*=8 Hz,1H), 8.15 (d, *J*=8. 8 Hz,2H), 7.49–7.45(m,2H),7.37–7.34(m,1H),7.01(d, *J*=8.8 Hz, 2H),4.20(s,3H),3.87 (s, 3H); <sup>13</sup>CNMR:164.00,162.35,159.73,140.94, 128.97, 128.544, 127.44,122.91, 122.28,122.08, 116.24, 114.43,109.42,55.46,36.29;LCMS (ESI): *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>14</sub>N<sub>4</sub>O<sub>2</sub>[M+H] +: 307.1150; Found:307.0354.

**2-(3-chlorophenyl)-5-(1-methyl-1H-indazol-3-yl)-1,3,4-oxadiazole,3d:** White solid; mp180–184°C; 86% yield;<sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>,400 MHz) $\delta$ : 8.41(d, *J*=8.4Hz,1H), 8.23–8.22(m,1H),8.12 (d *J*=8 Hz, 1H),7.54–7.46(m,4H), 7.417.37 (m,1H), 4.22(s,3H); <sup>13</sup>CNMR: 162.90, 160.47, 141.01, 135.21,131.75,130.36,129.31,127.55,127.09,125.42,125.26,123.13,122.40,122.02,109.47,36.33;LCMS (ESI): *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>11</sub>ClN<sub>4</sub>O[M + H] +: 311.0654; Found:310.9835.

**4-(5-(1-methyl-1H-indazol-3-yl)-1,3,4-oxadiazol-2-yl)phenol,3e**:off white solid; mp170–174°C; 88% yield;<sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-D6, 400 MHz) δ: 10.24 (s,1H),8.22 (s, 1H), 8.12(d, J=7.2 Hz,1H),7.9(d, J=8 Hz,1H),7.56 (d, J=7.6 Hz,1H),7.99–7.26 (m, 2H), 6.95(d, J=8.4 Hz,2H), 3.87 (s,3H);<sup>13</sup>C NMR:162.51, 160.89, 137.45, 132.16, 128.70, 124.89, 123.27, 121.86, 120.86, 116.61,114.97, 111.27, 99.03, 33.50;LCMS (ESI): m/z Calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>12</sub>N<sub>4</sub>O<sub>2</sub>[M+H] +: 293.0993; Found:293.0221.

**2-(2-bromophenyl)-5-(1-methyl-1H-indazol-3-yl)-1,3,4-oxadiazole,3f:**white solid; mp160–165°C; 88% yield; <sup>1</sup>HNMR(CDCl<sub>3</sub>,400 MHz)  $\delta$ :8.41(d, *J*=8.4 Hz,1H), 8.06–8.04(m,1H),7.68–64(m,1H),7.51–7.45(m,3H),7.41–7.35(m,2H),4.21(s,3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR:162.85,160.61,140.9, 134.49,132.41,131.80,129.26,127.52,127.43,125.28,123.07,122.38,121.93(2),109.47,36.32; LCMS (ESI): *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>11</sub>BrN<sub>4</sub>O[M + H] +: 356.0095; Found:356.9287.

**2-(1-methyl-1H-indazol-3-yl)-5-(m-tolyl)-1,3,4-oxadiazole,3 g:**off white solid; mp150–152°C; 85% yield;<sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400 MHz)  $\delta$ : 8.41(d, *J*=8.4Hz,1H), 8.04–8.01(m,2H), 7.50–7.34(m,5H), 4.21 (s,3H), 2.44 (s,3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR: 164.21, 160.10, 140.98, 138.89, 132.89, 132.54, 129.57, 128.90, 127.66, 127.47, 124.36, 123.61, 122.61, 122.97, 122.35, 122.08, 109.42, 36.30,29.67;LCMS (ESI): *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>14</sub>N<sub>4</sub>O[M+H] +: 291.1201; Found: 291.0395.

**2-(1-methyl-1H-indazol-3-yl)-5-(p-tolyl)-1,3,4-oxadiazole,3h:**off white solid; mp182–186°C; 83% yield; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400 MHz)  $\delta$ : 8.4(d, *J*=8 Hz,1H), 8.11–8.09 (m,2H), 7.5–7.47(m,2H), 7.38–7.31(m,3H), 4.20(s,3H), 2.43(s,3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR: 164.20, 159.94, 142.30, 140.95,129.71,129.58,127.45,127.14,122.95,122.31,122.07,120.95,109.43,36.30,21.67;LCMS (ESI): *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>14</sub>N<sub>4</sub>O[M + H] +: 291.120; Found: 291.0395.

**2-(3-bromophenyl)-5-(1-methyl-1H-indazol-3-yl)-1,3,4-oxadiazole,3i**: Pale yellow solid; mp172–176°C; 77% yield; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400 MHz)  $\delta$ : 8.42–8.37(m,2H),8.17 (d, *J*=8 Hz, 1H), 7.68 (d, *J*=8 Hz, 1H),7.52–7.50 (m,2H), 7.437.37 (m,2H), 4.23 (s,3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR: 162.75,160.48,140.99,134.70,130.59,129.92,129.26,127.58,125.72,125.57,123.15,123.08,122.37,122.02, 109.51,36.38;LCMS (ESI): *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>11</sub>BrN<sub>4</sub>O[M + H] <sup>+</sup>: 355.0116; Found: 354.9381.

**2-(4-chlorophenyl)-5-(1-methyl-1H-indazol-3-yl)-1,3,4-oxadiazole,3j:**off white solid; mp180–186°C; 87% yield;<sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400 MHz)  $\delta$ : 8.38 (d, *J*= 8 Hz,1 H), 8 . 1 4 (d, *J*=8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.50–7.46 (m.4H), 7.38–7.34 (m,1H), 4.02(s,3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR: 163.21,160.30, 140.98, 137.98, 129.38, 128.41, 127.50, 123.06, 122.35, 122.25, 121.99,109.46,36.30;LCMS (ESI): *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>11</sub>ClN<sub>4</sub>O[M+H] +: 311.0621; Found: 310.9912.

**2-(4-bromophenyl)-5-(1-methyl-1H-indazol-3-yl)-1,3,4-oxadiazole,3k:**off white solid; mp184–190°C; 85% yield;<sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400 MHz)  $\delta$ : 8.39(d, *J*=8.4 Hz, 1H), 8.09–8.06 (m,2H), 7.68–7.65 (m,2H), 7.501–7.49 (m,2H),7.39–7.35(m,1H),4.21(s,3H);<sup>13</sup>C NMR:163.31, 160.32, 140.97, 132.36, 129.28, 128.56, 127.54, 126.44, 123.11, 122.65, 122.36, 121.99,109.49,36.36;LCMS (ESI): *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>11</sub>BrN<sub>4</sub>O[M + H] +: 356.0095; Found: 356.9370.

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The authors declare that they are no known competing financial interests reported in this article.

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