

## SYNTHESIS OF NEW ACHIRAL BIS-ALKYLATED GLYCINE ANALOGS

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A method for the synthesis of  $\alpha$ -bis-alkyl substituted derivatives of glycine by means of C-alkylation of the amino acid moiety of Ni<sup>II</sup>-complex of Schiff base of glycine with a chiral auxiliary reagent (S)-2-N-[N'-(benzylprolyl)amino]benzophenone (BPB) by propargyl-, allyl-, 2-bromobenzyl- and 4-fluorobenzyl bromides under conditions of base catalysis has been developed.

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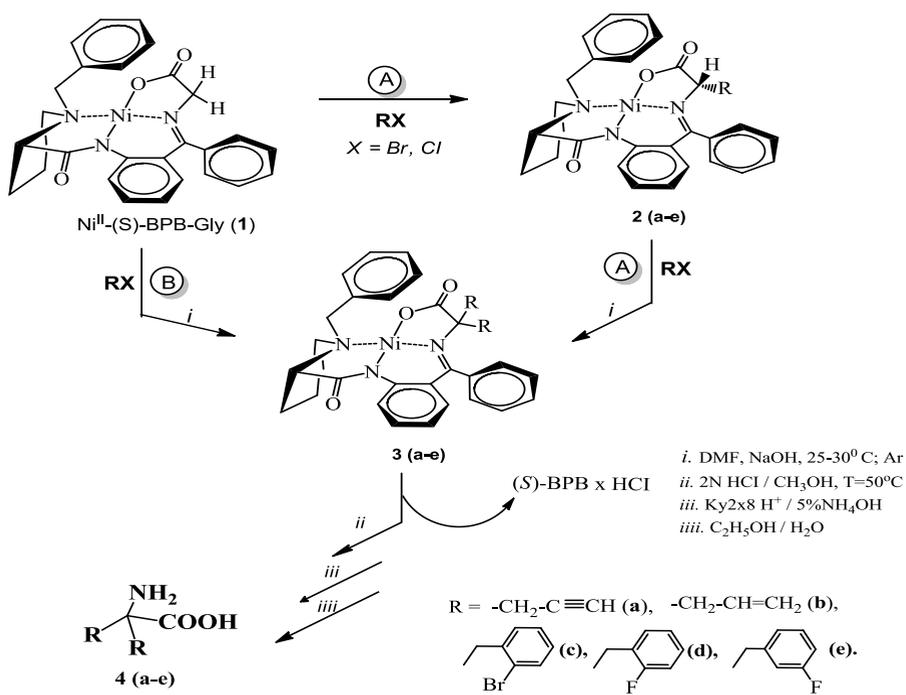
$\alpha$ -Amino acids of non-protein origin, as irreversible inhibitors of enzymes with high specificity and duration of action, are widely used in medicine, pharmaceutical chemistry, microbiology and other fields of science and technology [1-4]. In a series of non-proteinogenic amino acids,  $\alpha$ -alkyl substituted  $\alpha$ -amino acids that have strong antihypertensive, antiseptic and antitumor activities [5-8] are of certain interest. Among them halogen-containing aromatic ring derivatives of phenylalanine and its  $\alpha$ -alkylated analogs occupy a special place [9, 10]. Amino acids containing unsaturated groups (acetylene, allyl, etc.) in the side radical [11, 12] can have important pharmacological properties. There is a limited number of acetylenic amino acids, mainly isolated from fungal cells, which have an inhibitory effect on many enzymes [7]. For example, (S)-2-aminobut-3-ynic acid (propargylglycine) isolated from the fungi *Steroptomyces catenula*, inhibits the action of *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* and *Esherichia coli* cells; it is an inhibitor of amylase synthesis, an activator of pyridoxalphosphate-dependent enzymes [8] and is a component of antibiotic FR 900130 [9].

Earlier, to obtain  $\alpha$ -substituted  $\alpha$ -amino acids, the unique properties of square-planar Ni<sup>II</sup> complexes of Schiff base of amino acids and chiral auxiliary (S)-2-N-[N'-(benzylprolyl)amino] benzophenone (BPB) were used. Due to high CH-acidity of

the  $\alpha$ -carbon atom of the amino acid moiety of these complexes, its C-alkylation by alkyl halides resulted in the asymmetric syntheses of a wide range of  $\alpha$ -monosubstituted  $\alpha$ -amino acids (glycine, alanine, etc.) containing different alkyl substituents in the side radical [13].

This paper reports on the synthesis of achiral  $\alpha,\alpha$ -disubstituted glycine analogs with the propargyl, allyl, 2-bromobenzyl, 2-fluorobenzyl and 3-fluorobenzyl groups in the  $\alpha$ -position, by *bis*-alkylation of the glycine moiety of the Ni<sup>II</sup> complex of its Schiff base with chiral auxiliary (*S*)-BPB (Scheme). To obtain achiral *bis*-alkylated glycine derivatives, the reactions of both stepwise monoalkylation of the amino acid moiety of complexes **1** and **2 (a-e)** (**path A**), and direct *bis*-alkylation of the glycine moiety of complex **1** (**path B**) were studied.

Scheme



Complexes **2(a-e)** were obtained from complex **1** according to the previously developed procedure [12,14]. Propargyl bromide (**a**), allyl bromide (**b**), 2-bromobenzyl bromide (**c**), 2-fluorobenzyl chloride (**d**) and 3-fluorobenzyl bromide (**e**) were used as alkylating agents.

The alkylation reactions were tested in DMF/KOH, DMF/NaOH, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>/NaOH, THF/NaOH and CH<sub>3</sub>CN/NaOH at both room temperature and under heating to 55<sup>o</sup>C. To define the optimal conditions for alkylation on the example of propargyl bromide condensation (**a**) to complex **1**, different stoichiometric ratios of the substrate, alkylated reagent and base were studied. Investigations have shown that the optimal conditions for the alkylation reaction of complex **1** are: DMF as a

medium, NaOH – as a base, room temperature, the ratio of complex **1**/base/alkylating agent = 1/3/1.5 (see Table 1, exp. 9).

Table 1

**Results of alkylating complex 1 by propargyl bromide (a) under different conditions\***

No.	Quantity Br-CH <sub>2</sub> - C≡CH(equiv.)	Medium	Base (equiv.)	Reaction time (min.)	T °C	Chemical yield (%) **
1	1.2	CH <sub>3</sub> CN	NaOH (3)	120	60	<20
2	3	CH <sub>3</sub> CN	NaOH (5)	120	20	<20
3	1.2	CH <sub>3</sub> CN	KOH (3)	60	60	<20
4	1.2	CH <sub>3</sub> CN	KOH (5)	60	20	<20
5	1.2	CH <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub>	NaOH (5)	120	20	25
6	1.2	CH <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub>	NaOH (3)	45	40	25
7	1.5	DMF	KOH (3)	70	20	42
8	1.2	DMF	NaOH (3)	30	60	55
<b>9</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>DMF</b>	<b>NaOH (3)</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>92</b>
10	1.2	DMF	NaOH (5)	60	20	62
11	<b>1.2</b>	<b>DMF</b>	<b>KOH (3)</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>74</b>
12	1.2	THF	NaOH (3)	100	20	<20
13	1.2	THF	NaOH (5)	60	60	<20
14	1.2	THF	KOH (5)	70	60	<20

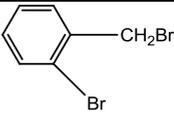
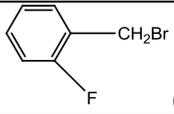
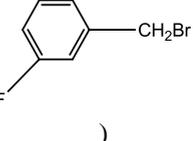
\*The reactions were carried out in the argon atmosphere, \*\* chemical yield is based on the TLC data and the isolated quantity of the alkylated complex (after crystallization from methanol)

The course of the alkylation reaction was monitored by TLC [SiO<sub>2</sub>, C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>5</sub>COOCH<sub>3</sub>/CH<sub>3</sub>COCH<sub>3</sub>(3/1)]. For quantitative assessment of the alkylation reaction, the TLC data were used, and for more successful TLC-based reactions, chemical yields were determined on the basis of the amount of isolated alkylated complexes after crystallization from methanol (Table 1, exp. 7-11).

A quantitative characteristic of the C-alkylation reaction of the amino acid moiety of complexes **1** and **2 (a-e)** is shown in Table 2.

Table 2

**The results of alkylation of complexes by different alkyl halides  
in DMF in the presence of NaOH at room temperature\***

No.	Alkyl halide	Chem. yield of <i>bis</i> -alkylated complexes (%)		
		<i>Bis</i> -alkylated complexes	Path A **	Path B
1	$\text{HC}\equiv\text{C}-\text{CH}_2\text{Br}$ ( <i>a</i> )	<b>3a</b>	83 (92)	45
2	$\text{H}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}-\text{CH}_2\text{Br}$ ( <i>b</i> )	<b>3b</b>	80 (89)	48
3	 ( <i>c</i> )	<b>3c</b>	73 (82)	44
4	 ( <i>d</i> )	<b>3d</b>	68 (76)	46
5	 ( <i>e</i> )	<b>3e</b>	72 (84)	48

\*Chemical yield of *bis*-alkylated complexes based on the initial amount of the glycine complex (**1**), \*\* in parenthesis is the chemical yield of *bis*-alkylated complexes **3(a-e)** after crystallization based on the amount of complexes **2(a-e)** (path A, stage 2).

Both the stepwise alkylation of the amino acid moiety of complexes **1** and **2 (a-e)** (**path A**) and the direct *bis*-alkylation of complex **1 (path B)** were conducted under specially selected optimal conditions for the alkylation reaction (See Table 1, exp. 9). However, in the case of direct *bis*-alkylation of the glycine complex, the alkylating agent and the base were taken in about double excess.

As follows from the data of Table 2, for almost all alkylating agents, *bis*-alkylation of glycine complex **1** proceeds most quantitatively with the method of two-step alkylation (**path A**) than in the case of the direct *bis*-alkylation of the glycine complex (**path B**). In the case of using the method of direct *bis*-alkylation of the glycine moiety of complex **1**, up to 30% of a side fraction, less mobile on the  $\text{SiO}_2$ , is formed with an unusual for these complexes dark color (oxidation products). Similar was also observed earlier in the study of the reaction of *bis*-alkylation of complex **1** by methyl iodide [14].

The main  $\alpha,\alpha$ -dialkyl-substituted **3(a-e)** complexes with a relatively large  $R_f$  value on the  $\text{SiO}_2$  were isolated from the reaction mixture by crystallization from methanol and characterized by physicochemical analysis methods (see Experimental Part).

To isolate the target  $\alpha,\alpha$ -*bis*-alkylated glycine analogs, preparative experiments using the two-step stepwise alkylation method (**path A**) were carried out and the samples of **3(a-e)** complexes were obtained. Decomposition of **3(a-e)** complexes and isolation of the target  $\alpha,\alpha$ -dialkyl-substituted glycine derivatives **4(a-e)** were carried out according to a standard procedure [15]. The structures of the synthesized new achiral analogs of glycine were investigated and established by spectral analysis methods (see Experimental Part).

Thus, an efficient method for obtaining achiral  $\alpha,\alpha$ -*bis*-alkylated analogs of glycine by C-alkylation of glycine in the chiral Ni<sup>II</sup> complex of its Schiff base with (*S*)-BPB by alkyl halides has been developed. For the first time the following complexes were synthesized -  $\alpha,\alpha$ -dipropargyl glycine (**4a**),  $\alpha,\alpha$ -diallylglycine (**4b**),  $\alpha,\alpha$ -di-(2-bromobenzyl)glycine (**4c**),  $\alpha,\alpha$ -di-(2-fluorobenzyl)glycine (**4d**) and  $\alpha,\alpha$ -di-(3-fluorobenzyl)glycine (**4e**). The presence of acetylene, allyl and aromatic groups in the side radical of the synthesized amino acids allows makes it possible to use them as initial synthons in the reactions of Suzuki, Heck, Sonogashira to obtain more complex unsaturated amino acids.

The preliminary medicobiological screening of the obtained samples proves that the synthesized amino acids can serve as potential enzyme inhibitors of the amylase class.

## Experimental Part

<sup>1</sup>H NMR and <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectra were recorded on a “Mercury-300 Varian” (300 MHz), the melting point was measured on a “StuartSMP3” device. Amino acids and other chemical reagents produced by “Aldrich” and “Reachim” were used in the work.

Complex Ni<sup>II</sup>-(*S*)-BPB-Gly (**1**) was obtained according to [15], and monoalkylated complexes **2(a-e)** were synthesized according to [13].

**General procedure of monoalkylation of complexes 2(a-e) (Path A).** To 10 g (0.018 mol) of complex **2a** in 50 ml of DMF were added at room temperature 2.2 g (0.055 mol) of NaOH and 1.9 ml (0.22 mol) of propargyl bromide (*a*). The reaction mixture was stirred for 1-1.5 h at room under argon atmosphere. The course of the reaction was monitored by TCL [SiO<sub>2</sub>, CH<sub>3</sub>COOEt/CH<sub>3</sub>COCH<sub>3</sub>(3/1)] following the disappearance of the traces of initial complex **2**. Upon completion of the reaction, the mixture was neutralized with CH<sub>3</sub>COOH, 100 ml of water was added and the alkylated product was precipitated from water. The obtained complex **3a** was crystallized from methanol.

**Bis-alkylation of complex 1 (Path B).** The direct *bis*-alkylation of the glycine moiety of complex **1** was carried out according to the afore-mentioned procedure for monoalkylation of complexes **2(a-e)** with the difference that the base and alkylating agents were taken in a 5-6-fold excess with respect to complex **1**, and the reaction mixture was stirred for 2-3 h. The results are given in Table 2.

**Complex 3a.** Yield 90%, mp 217-218 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 1.99-2.11 (m, 2 H,  $\gamma$ -H $\alpha$  Pro); 2.12 (dd, 1 H,  $J=17.2$ ,  $J=2.7$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{C}\equiv$ ); 2.20 (dd, 1 H,  $J=17.2$ ,  $J=2.5$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{C}\equiv$ ); 2.38 (t, 1 H,  $J=2.5$ ,  $\equiv\text{CH}$ ); 2.46-2.65 (m, 2 H,  $\beta$ - $\text{CH}_2$ Pro); 2.61 (t, 1 H,  $J=2.7$ ,  $\equiv\text{CH}$ ); 2.67 (dd, 1 H,  $J=17.0$ ,  $J=2.7$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{C}\equiv$ ); 2.73 (dd, 1 H,  $J=17.2$ ,  $J=2.5$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{C}\equiv$ ); 3.40 (dd, 1 H,  $J=10.7$ ,  $J=5.9$ ,  $\alpha$ -HPro); 3.50 (d, 1 H,  $J=12.5$ ,  $\underline{\text{CH}_2\text{Ph}}$ ); 3.46-3.59 (m, 1 H,  $\delta$ -H $\beta$ Pro); 3.71-3.78 (m,  $\delta$ - $\text{CH}_2$ Pro); 4.47 (d, 1 H,  $J=12.5$ ,  $\underline{\text{CH}_2\text{Ph}}$ ); 6.57-6.65 (m, 2 H, H-3,4,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$ ), 7.09 (ddd, 1 H,  $J=8.6$ ,  $J=4.8$ ,  $J=3.7$ , H-5  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$ ); 7.17-7.26 (m, 2 H, H-Ar); 7.33-7.45 (m, 3 H, H-Ar); 7.48-7.55 (m, 2 H, H-Ar); 7.67-7.73 (m, 1 H, H-Ar); 7.90 (d, 1 H,  $J=8.6$ , H-Ar); 8.37-8.41 (m, 2 H, H-Ar);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 23.2 ( $\gamma$ - $\text{CH}_2$ Pro); 29.2 ( $\text{CH}_2$ ); 30.9 ( $\beta$ - $\text{CH}_2$ Pro); 31.9 ( $\text{CH}_2$ ); 58.3 ( $\delta$ - $\text{CH}_2$ , Pro); 64.5 ( $\underline{\text{CH}_2\text{Ph}}$ ); 70.8 ( $\alpha$ - $\underline{\text{CH}}\text{Pro}$ ); 77.1 (Cq); 79.1 ( $\equiv\text{CH}$ ), 79.7 ( $\text{CH}_2\text{C}\equiv$ ); 120.7 (C-4  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$ ); 124.3 (CH-6  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$ ); 127.5, 127.7, 128.1, 128.3, 128.8 (CH-Ar); 128.9 (3,3'-CHPh); 129.0, 130.0, 131.7 (CH-Ar); 131.8 (2,2'-CHPh); 133.4, 134.4, 136.3, 142.1 (C); 172.8 (C=N-), 180.6, 180.8 (C=O).

**Complex 3b** Yield 87%, mp 203-204 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 1.96-2.12 (m, 2 H,  $\gamma$ -H $\alpha$  Pro); 2.19 (ddt, 1 H,  $J=14.5$ ,  $J=6.6$ ,  $J=1.2$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{CH}=\text{CH}_2$ ); 2.33-2.54 (m, 4 H,  $\text{CH}_2\text{CH}=\text{CH}_2$  и  $\beta$ -H $\alpha$ Pro); 2.62-2.73 (m, 1 H,  $\beta$ -H $\beta$ Pro); 3.25-3.42 (m, 1 H,  $\gamma$ -H $\beta$ Pro); 3.40 (dd, 1 H,  $J=10.7$ ,  $J=5.9$ ,  $\alpha$ -HPro); 3.58 (d, 1 H,  $J=12.5$ ,  $\underline{\text{CH}_2\text{Ph}}$ ); 3.65-3.72 (m, 1 H,  $\delta$ -H $\beta$ Pro); 4.38 (d, 1 H,  $J=12.5$ ,  $\underline{\text{CH}_2\text{Ph}}$ ); 5.24 (ddt, 1 H,  $J=17.2$ ,  $J=1.6$ ,  $J=1.3$ ,  $=\text{CH}_2$ ); 5.31 (ddt, 1 H,  $J=10.5$ ,  $J=1.6$ ,  $J=1.3$ ,  $=\text{CH}_2$ ); 5.38 (ddt, 1 H,  $J=17.1$ ,  $J=1.6$ ,  $J=1.3$ ,  $=\text{CH}_2$ ); 5.49 (ddt, 1 H,  $J=10.3$ ,  $J=1.6$ ,  $J=1.2$ ,  $=\text{CH}_2$ ); 5.80 (ddt, 1 H,  $J=17.1$ ,  $J=10.5$ ,  $J=6.6$ ,  $=\text{CH}$ ); 6.62 (ddt, 1 H,  $J=17.2$ ,  $J=10.3$ ,  $J=6.6$ ,  $=\text{CH}$ ); 6.57-6.63 (m, 2 H, H-3,4,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$ ), 7.05-7.09 (m, 1 H, H-Ar); 7.11 (ddd, 1 H,  $J=8.7$ ,  $J=5.5$ ,  $J=3.0$ ,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$ ); 7.22-7.28 (m, 1 H, H-Ar); 7.37-7.54 (m, 6 H, H-Ar); 7.95 (d, 1 H,  $J=8.7$ , H-Ar); 8.16-8.21 (m, 2 H, H-Ar);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 23.3 ( $\gamma$ - $\text{CH}_2$ Pro); 30.9 ( $\beta$ - $\text{CH}_2$ Pro); 42.5, 44.2 ( $\text{CH}_2\text{CH}=\text{CH}_2$ ); 57.8 ( $\delta$ - $\text{CH}_2$ , Pro); 64.2 ( $\underline{\text{CH}_2\text{Ph}}$ ); 70.9 ( $\alpha$ - $\underline{\text{C}}\text{Alyl}_2$ ), 119.0, 119.7 ( $=\text{CH}_2$ ); 120.7 (C-4  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$ ); 124.3 (CH-6  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$ ); 127.2, 127.9, 128.0, 128.6, 128.7 (CH-Ar); 129.0 (3,3'-CHPh); 129.1, 129.8, 131.6 (CH-Ar); 131.7 (2,2'-CHPh); 132.4, 132.7, 133.2 (CH-Ar); 134.3, 136.8, 141.9, (C); 172.8 (C=N-), 180.6, 180.8 (C=O).

**Complex 3c.** Yield 78%, mp 231-232 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 1.68-1.79 (m, 1 H,  $\gamma$ -H $\alpha$  Pro); 2.01-2.13 (m, 1 H,  $\delta$ -HPro); 2.25-2.46 (m, 3 H,  $\gamma$ -H $\beta$  и  $\beta$ -H $\alpha$ , Pro); 2.44 (d, 1 H,  $J=18.0$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{Br}$ ); 3.20 (d, 1 H,  $J=18.0$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{Br}$ ); 3.22-3.28 (m, 1 H,  $\delta$ -HPro); 3.39 (d, 1 H,  $J=14.4$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{Br}$ ); 3.41 (dd, 1 H,  $J=9.0$ ,  $J=7.2$ ,  $\alpha$ -CHPro); 3.49 (d, 1 H,  $J=12.6$ ,  $\underline{\text{CH}_2\text{Ph}}$ ); 3.72 (d, 1 H,  $J=14.4$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{Br}$ ); 4.39 (d, 1 H,  $J=12.6$ ,  $\underline{\text{CH}_2\text{Ph}}$ ); 6.33 (d, 1H,  $J=7.8$ ,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_5$ ); 6.43-6.55 (m, 2 H, H-3,4,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$ ), 7.04-7.18 (m, 3H, H-Ar); 7.20-7.29 (m, 3H, H-Ar); 7.33-7.51 (m, 6 H, H-Ar); 7.56-7.64 (m, 2 H, H-Ar); 7.70-7.76 (m, 2 H, H-Ar); 8.04-8.16 (m, 3 H, H-Ar).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 23.4 ( $\gamma$ - $\text{CH}_2$ Pro); 30.9 ( $\beta$ - $\text{CH}_2$ Pro); 46.5 ( $\text{CH}_2\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{Br}$ ); 47.2 ( $\text{CH}_2\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{Br}$ ); 58.1 ( $\delta$ - $\text{CH}_2$ , Pro); 64.1 ( $\underline{\text{CH}_2\text{Ph}}$ ); 70.5 ( $\alpha$ -CPro); 80.9 ( $\underline{\text{C}}\text{-CH}_2\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{Br}$ ), 120.5 (C-4  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$ ); 123.9 (CH-6  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$ ); 125.8, 126.5, 126.7, 127.3, 127.6 (CH-Ar); 127.8 (3,3'-CHPh); 127.9, 128.0, 128.2, 129.0, 129.6 (CH-

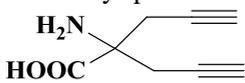
Ar); 131.6 (2,2'-CHPh); 131.9, 133.2, 133.6, 133.7, 133.8 (CH-Ar); 133.9, 136.3, 136.4, 137.4, 142.5 (C); 172.6 (C=N-); 178.0, 180.3 (C=O).

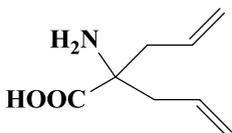
**Complex 3d.** Yield 72%, mp 227-228 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 1.57-1.72 (m, 1 H,  $\gamma$ -H $\alpha$  Pro); 2.01-2.32 (m, 4 H,  $\delta$ -H,  $\gamma$ -H $\nu$  и  $\beta$ -H $\alpha$ , Pro); 2.53 (d, 1 H,  $J$ =17.7,  $\text{CH}_2$   $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 3.02 (d, 1 H,  $J$ =14.6,  $\text{CH}_2$   $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 3.18 (d, 1 H,  $J$ =17.7,  $\text{CH}_2$   $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 3.19-3.28 (m, 1 H,  $\delta$ -HPro); 3.33 (dd, 1 H,  $J$ =9.3,  $J$ =7.4,  $\alpha$ -CHPro); 3.40 (d, 1 H,  $J$ =14.6,  $\text{CH}_2$   $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 3.43 (d, 1 H,  $J$ =12.6,  $\underline{\text{CH}_2}$ Ph); 4.36 (d, 1 H,  $J$ =12.6,  $\underline{\text{CH}_2}$ Ph); 6.50 (dd, 1 H,  $J$ =8.5,  $J$ =2.1  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$ ); 6.53 (ddd, 1 H,  $J$ =8.5,  $J$ =6.4,  $J$ =1.1  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$ ); 6.64 (dt, 1 H,  $J$ =7.8,  $J$ =1.4  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$ ); 7.03-7.11 (m, 2 H, H-3.4, H-Ar); 7.16-7.25 (m, 4 H, H-Ar); 7.28-7.53 (m, 8 H, H-Ar); 7.72-7.79 (m, 1 H, H-Ar); 7.83 (td, 1 H,  $J$ =7.6,  $J$ =1.6 H-Ar); 7.99-8.06 (m, 3 H, H-Ar).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 23.1 ( $\gamma$ - $\text{CH}_2$ Pro); 30.8 ( $\beta$ - $\text{CH}_2$ Pro); 39.5 ( $\text{CH}_2$   $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 40.6 ( $\text{CH}_2$   $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 58.0 ( $\delta$ - $\text{CH}_2$ , Pro); 63.9 ( $\underline{\text{CH}_2}$ Ph); 700 ( $\alpha$ -CHPro); 79.8 ( $\underline{\text{C}}$ - $\text{CH}_2$   $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ), 115.2 (d,  $J$ =22.1  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 115.9 (d,  $J$ =23.0  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 120.4 ( $\text{CHC}_6\text{H}_4$ ); 123.6 ( $\text{CHC}_6\text{H}_4$ ); 124.0 (d,  $^3J$ =15.8  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 124.1 (d,  $J$ =3.8  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 124.8 (d,  $J$ =3.2  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 125.1 (d,  $^2J$ =14.7  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 127.1 (d,  $J$ =6.3  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 127.4, 127.9, 128.0, 128.2, 128.3 (CH-Ar); 129.0 (3,3'-CHPh); 129.3 (d,  $J$ =8.2  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 129.6 (CH-Ar); 129.9 (d,  $J$ =4.0  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 131.6 (2,2'-CHPh); 131.8, 133.2 (d,  $^4J$ =4.5  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 133.6, 133.9 (CH-Ar); 136.7, 142.4 (C); 161.0 (d,  $^1J$ =246.0  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 162.3 (d,  $J$ =246.4 CF); 173.6 (C=N-), 179.3, 180.3 (C=O).

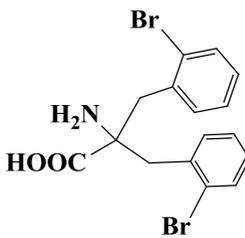
**Complex 3e.** Yield 81%, mp 205-206 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 1.62-1.74 (m, 1H,  $\gamma$ -HaPro); 1.96-2.36 (m, 4H,  $\beta$ -Ha,b,  $\gamma$ -Hb,  $\delta$ -HaPro); 2.74 (d, 1H,  $J$ =16.9,  $\text{CH}_2$ -Ar); 3.01 (d, 1H,  $J$ =14.4,  $\text{CH}_2$ -Ar); 3.12 (d, 1H,  $J$ =14.4,  $\text{CH}_2$ -Ar); 3.21 (dd, 1H,  $J$ =10.5,  $J$ =5.8,  $\alpha$ -HPro); 3.25-3.33 (m, 1H,  $\delta$ -HbPro); 3.29 (d, 1H,  $J$ =16.9,  $\text{CH}_2$ -Ar); 3.29 (d, 1H,  $J$ =12.5,  $\text{CH}_2$ -Ph); 4.34 (d, 1H,  $J$ =12.5,  $\text{CH}_2$ -Ph); 6.51 (dd, 1H,  $J$ =8.4, 1.7, H- $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$ ); 6.56 (dd, 1H,  $J$ =8.4,  $J$ =6.8,  $J$ =1.1, H- $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$ ); 6.96-7.21 (m, 8H, Ar.); 7.29-7.55 (m, 9H, Ar.); 7.84 (dd, 1H,  $J$ =8.7,  $J$ =1.1, H- $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$ ); 8.04-8.08 (m, 2H, H-Ph).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  = 23.0 ( $\gamma$ - $\underline{\text{CH}_2}$ Pro); 30.7 ( $\beta$ - $\underline{\text{CH}_2}$ Pro); 45.1 ( $\underline{\text{CH}_2}$ -Ar); 46.0 ( $\underline{\text{CH}_2}$ -Ar); 58.5 ( $\delta$ - $\underline{\text{CH}_2}$ Pro); 64.3 ( $\underline{\text{CH}_2}$ -Ph); 70.1 ( $\alpha$ - $\underline{\text{CH}}$ Pro); 80.5 ( $\underline{\text{C}}$ - $\text{CH}_2$ -Ar.); 113.6 (d,  $J_{\text{C,F}}$ =21.0,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 114.5 (d,  $J_{\text{C,F}}$ =20.9,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 116.2 (d,  $J_{\text{C,F}}$ =21.6,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 118.2 (d,  $J_{\text{C,F}}$ =21.1,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 120.6 (CH- $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$ ); 124.2 (CH- $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$ ); 125.2 (d,  $J_{\text{C,F}}$ =2.6,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 126.7 (d,  $J_{\text{C,F}}$ =2.8,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 127.4 (CH); 127.6 (CH); 127.9; 128.2 (CH); 128.9 (CH); 129.0 (3,3'-CHPh); 130.0 (d,  $J_{\text{C,F}}$ =8.4,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 130.3 (d,  $J_{\text{C,F}}$ =8.4,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 131.6 (2,2'-CHPh); h); 131.7 (CH); 131.9 (CH- $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$ ); 133.5 (CH- $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$ ); 133.7; 136.8; 139.1 (d,  $J_{\text{C,F}}$ =7.3,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 139.5 (d,  $J_{\text{C,F}}$ =7.3,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 142.5; 163.1 (d,  $J_{\text{C,F}}$ =246.4,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 163.3 (d,  $J_{\text{C,F}}$ =246.4,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ ); 172.7 (C=N-); 179.3; 180.5 (C=O).

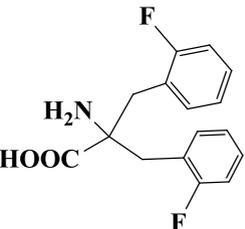
**Isolation of the target amino acids 4(a-e).** Decomposition of complexes 3(a-e) and isolation of  $\alpha,\alpha$ -dialkylated analogs of glycine 4(a-e) were carried out according to the standard procedure [15]. For this, the dry moiety of the complexes was dissolved in 50 ml of  $\text{CH}_3\text{OH}$  and the solution was slowly added to 50 ml of 2N HCl solution heated to 60°C. After the disappearance of red color, typical for these complexes, the solution was concentrated under vacuum, 50 ml of water was added

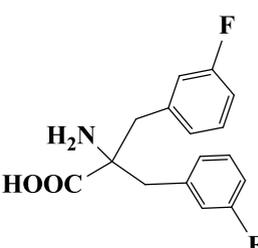
and the initial chiral auxiliary reagent (*S*)-BPB was filtered off as hydrochloride. From the aqueous filtrate, the amino acid was isolated by passing the solution through an ion exchange column with 100 ml of Ku-2x8 resin in H<sup>+</sup>-form, and the resin was washed with 5% NH<sub>4</sub>OH solution. The ammonia eluate was concentrated in vacuum and the amino acid was crystallized from a water-alcohol (1/1) solution. The structure of the obtained  $\alpha,\alpha$ -dialkyl-substituted glycine derivatives **4(a-e)** was studied by spectral analysis methods.

 **2-Amino-2-(prop-2-yn-1-yl)pent-4-ynoic acid. 4a.** Yield 81%, mp 227-228 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, DOD):  $\delta$  = 2.53 (t, 2 H,  $J=2.44$ , CH<sub>2</sub>-C≡CH); 2.82 (dd, 4H,  $J=17.7$ ,  $J=2.5$  CH<sub>2</sub>-C≡CH); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, DOD):  $\delta$  = 25.5 (CH<sub>2</sub>-C≡CH); 62.2 (C-CH<sub>2</sub>-C≡CH); 74.3 (CH<sub>2</sub>-C≡CH); 76.8 (CH<sub>2</sub>-C≡CH); 173.0 (C=O).

 **2-Allyl-2-aminopent-4-enoic acid. 4b.** Yield 75%, mp 234-235°C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, DOD):  $\delta$  = 2.46 (dd, 2 H,  $J=14.5$ ,  $J=8.5$  CH<sub>2</sub>-CH=CH<sub>2</sub>); 2.67 (dd, 2 H,  $J=14.5$ ,  $J=6.4$  CH<sub>2</sub>-CH=CH<sub>2</sub>); 5.26 (d, 4 H,  $J=14.5$ , CH<sub>2</sub>-CH=CH<sub>2</sub>); 5.66-5.78 (m, 2 H, CH<sub>2</sub>-CH=CH<sub>2</sub>). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, DOD):  $\delta$  = 40.1 (CH<sub>2</sub>-CH=CH<sub>2</sub>); 63.9 (C-CH<sub>2</sub>-CH=CH<sub>2</sub>); 121.5 (CH<sub>2</sub>-CH=CH<sub>2</sub>); 130.3 (CH<sub>2</sub>-CH=CH<sub>2</sub>); 174.8 (C=O).

 **2-Amino-2-(2-bromobenzyl)-3-(2-bromophenyl)propanoic acid. 4c.** Yield 78%, mp 181-182°C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, DMSO/CCl<sub>4</sub>):  $\delta$  = 3.50 (d, 2 H,  $J=14.6$ , CH<sub>2</sub> C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>Br); 3.68 (d, 2 H,  $J=14.6$ , CH<sub>2</sub> C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>Br); 7.16 (ddd, 2 H,  $J=8.0$ ,  $J=7.4$ ,  $J=1.6$ , C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>); 7.30 (ddd, 2 H,  $J=7.7$ ,  $J=7.4$ ,  $J=1.3$ , C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>); 7.54 (dd, 2 H,  $J=8.0$ ,  $J=1.3$ , C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>); 7.65 (dd, 2 H,  $J=7.7$ ,  $J=1.6$ , C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>); 8.92 (m, 3H, NH<sub>2</sub> and COOH). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, DMSO/CCl<sub>4</sub>):  $\delta$  = 39.47 (CH<sub>2</sub> C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>Br); 62.6(C-CH<sub>2</sub> C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>Br), 125.7 (C-Ar); 127.2, 128.5, 132.4, 132.5 (CH-Ar); 133.5 (C-Ar); 170.2 (C=O).

 **2-Amino-2-(2-fluorobenzyl)-3-(2-fluorophenyl)propanoic acid. 4d.** Yield 70%, mp 228-229°C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, DOD):  $\delta$  = 3.31 (d, 2 H,  $J=14.7$ , CH<sub>2</sub> C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>F); 3.39 (d, 2 H,  $J=14.7$ , CH<sub>2</sub> C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>F); 7.04-7.14 (m, 4 H, C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>F); 7.22-7.35 (m, 4 H, C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>F).

 **2-Amino-2-(3-fluorobenzyl)-3-(3-fluorophenyl)propanoic acid. 4e.** Yield 62%, mp 231-232 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, DOD):  $\delta$  = 3.18 (d, 2 H,  $J=14.6$ , CH<sub>2</sub> C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>F); 3.29 (d, 2 H,  $J=14.6$ , CH<sub>2</sub> C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>F); 7.01-7.09 (m, 4 H, C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>F); 7.12-7.24 (m, 4 H, C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>F).

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Աշխատանքում հետազոտվել է գլիցինի  $\alpha, \alpha$ -երկտեղակալված աքիրալ նմանակների սինթեզի հնարավորությունը միևնույն ալիլոդ ազենտով գլիցինի էլեկտրոֆիլ բիս-տեղակալման ճանապարհով: Դրա համար որպես ելային ամինոթիթվային սինտոն օգտագործվել է գլիցինի NiII-(S)-BPB-Gly (1) կոմպլեքսը: Ուսումնասիրվել է այդ կոմպլեքսի ամինոթիթվային մնացորդի էլեկտրոֆիլ տեղակալումը պրոպարգիլբրոմիդով (a), ալիլբրոմիդով (b), 2-բրոմբենզիլբրոմիդով (c), 2-ֆտորբենզիլբրոմիդով (R) և 3-ֆտորբենզիլբրոմիդով (e), ինչպես հաջորդաբար մոնոտեղակալմամբ արդեն իսկ հայտնի մեթոդներով (A), այնպես էլ անմիջական (միանգամից) երկտեղակալման ճանապարհով (B):

Էլեկտրոֆիլ տեղակալման ռեակցիաներն իրականացվել են DMF/NaOH համակարգում, արգոնի մթնոլորտում, սենյակային ջերմաստիճանի պայմաններում: Տեղակալման ռեակցիաների ընթացքին հարմար է հետևել ՆՇՔ մեթոդով՝ սլիլիկազերի թիթեզների վրա,  $\text{CH}_3\text{COOC}_2\text{H}_5/(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{CO}$  (3/1) լուծիչների համակարգում:

Ինչպես երևում է արձանագրված արդյունքներից, նպատակահարմար է սինթեզն իրականացնել երկփուլանի (A) ալիլիման եղանակով, քանզի միաժամանակյա (B) երկտեղակալման ժամանակ ելքը չի գերազանցում 50%-ը: Իսկ հաջորդաբար մոնոտեղակալմամբ երկտեղակալման դեպքում արգասիք կոմպլեքսների ելքը գերազանցում է 70%-ը հաշվարկված (1) կոմպլեքսի ելային քանակության վրա:

Նպատակային ոչ սպիրտակուցային աքիրալ  $\alpha, \alpha$ -երկտեղակալված ամինոթիթոնների (4a-e) անջատումը արգասիք կոմպլեքսներից (3a-e) իրականացվել է նախկինում մշակված ստանդարտ մեթոդով:

Այսպիսով, սինթեզվել են գրականության մեջ չհնարագրված գլիցինի  $\alpha, \alpha$ -բիս-տեղակալված աքիրալ նմանակներ 2,2-դի(պրոպարգիլ)գլիցին, 2,2-դի(ալիլ)գլիցին, 2-ամինո-2-(պրոպ-2-ին-1-իլ)պինտ-4-յինաթիթոն (4a), 2-ալիլ-2-ամինոպինտ-4-ենաթիթոն (4b), 2-ամինո-2-(2-բրոմբենզիլ)-3-(2-բրոմֆենիլ)պրոպա-նաթիթոն (4c), 2-ամինո-2-(2-ֆտորբենզիլ)-3-(2-ֆտորֆենիլ)պրոպանաթիթոն (4d) 2-ամինո-2-(3-ֆտորբենզիլ)-3-(3-ֆտորֆենիլ)պրոպանաթիթոն (4e)։

СИНТЕЗ НОВЫХ АХИРАЛЬНЫХ БИС-АЛКИЛИРОВАННЫХ АНАЛОГОВ ГЛИЦИНА

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Разработан метод синтеза  $\alpha$ -бис-алкилзамещенных производных глицина путем С-алкилирования аминокислотного остатка Ni<sup>II</sup>-комплекса основания Шиффа глицина и хирального вспомогательного реагента (S)-2-N-[N'-(бензилпропил)амино]бензофенона (BPB) пропаргил-, аллил-, 2-бромбензил- и 4-фторбензилбромиды в условиях основного катализа.

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