

The Synthesis and Characterization of 1-phenylpropan-2-amine (amphetamine) derivative.



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Introduction

Amphetamine is a potent central nervous system (CNS) stimulant drug under the law. However, we interested in the synthesis of amphetamine derivatives for the study as sample drugs in our laboratory.

Total synthesis

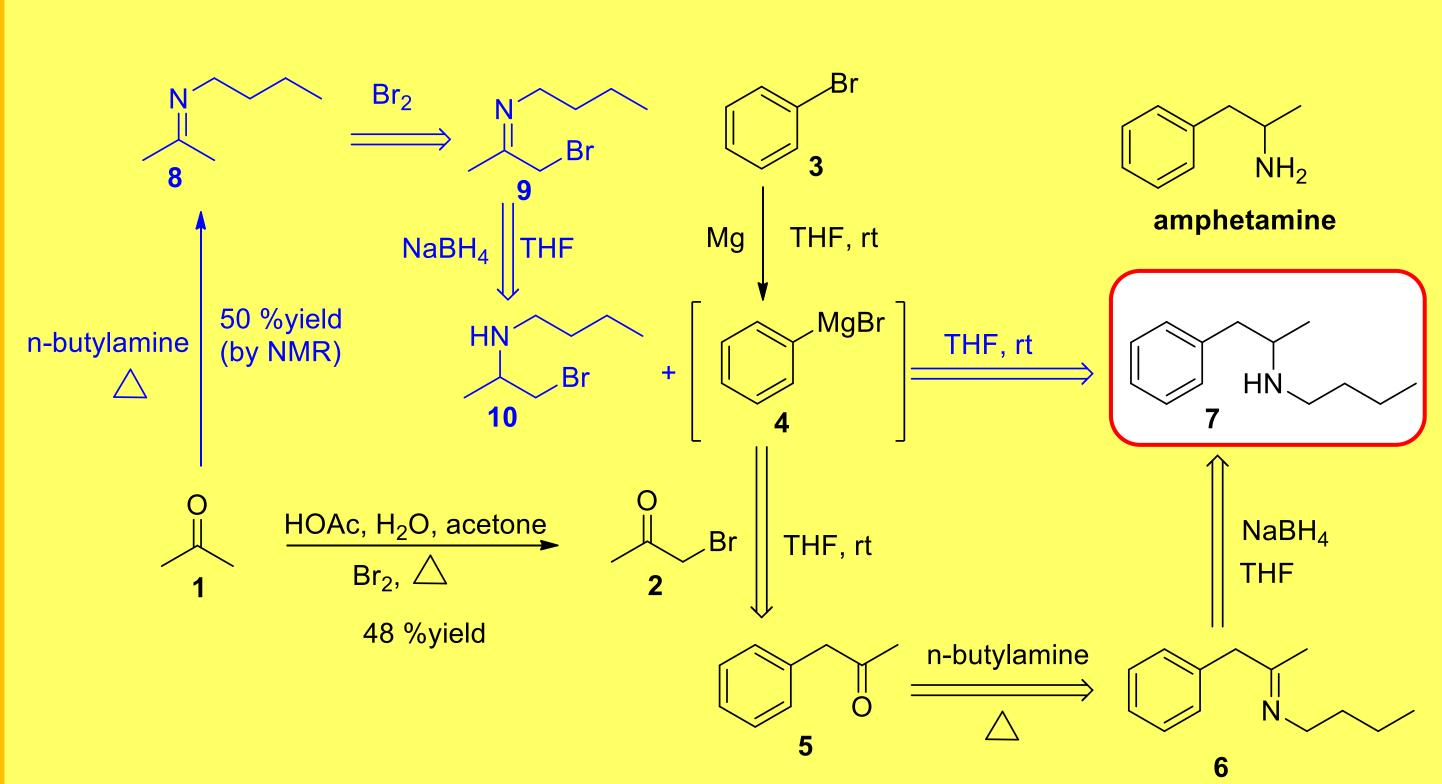
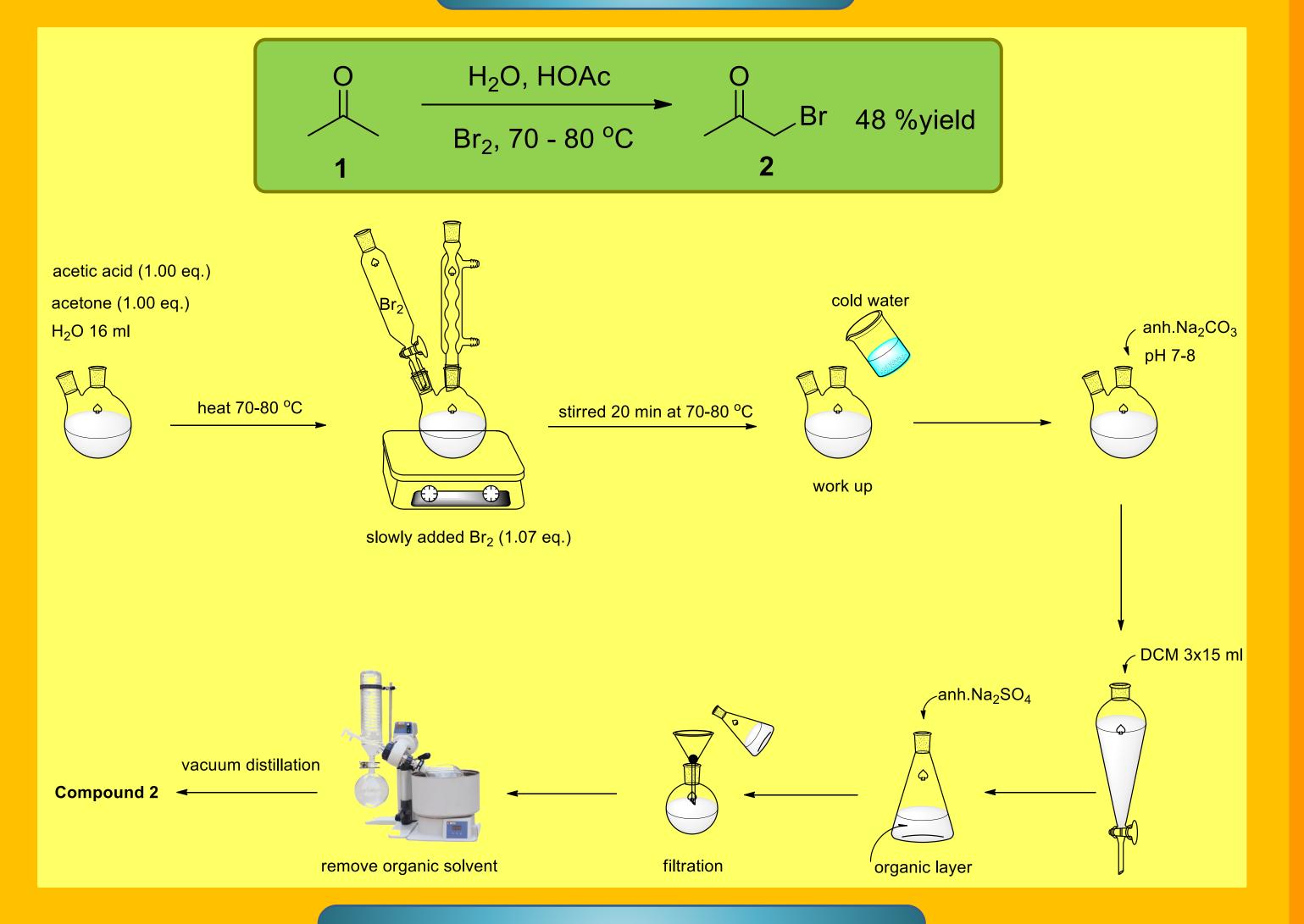


Figure 1. Total synthesis of amphetamine derivative (7)

Experimental



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Results and discussion

The products of bromination reaction were fully characterized by ¹H, ¹³C NMR and IR spectroscopy. The ¹H NMR spectra of compound **2** shows in **Figure 2.** The result shows that the methyl proton (-CH₃) was observed at 2.31 ppm and the methylene proton (-CH₂) was found at 3.86 ppm, respectively.

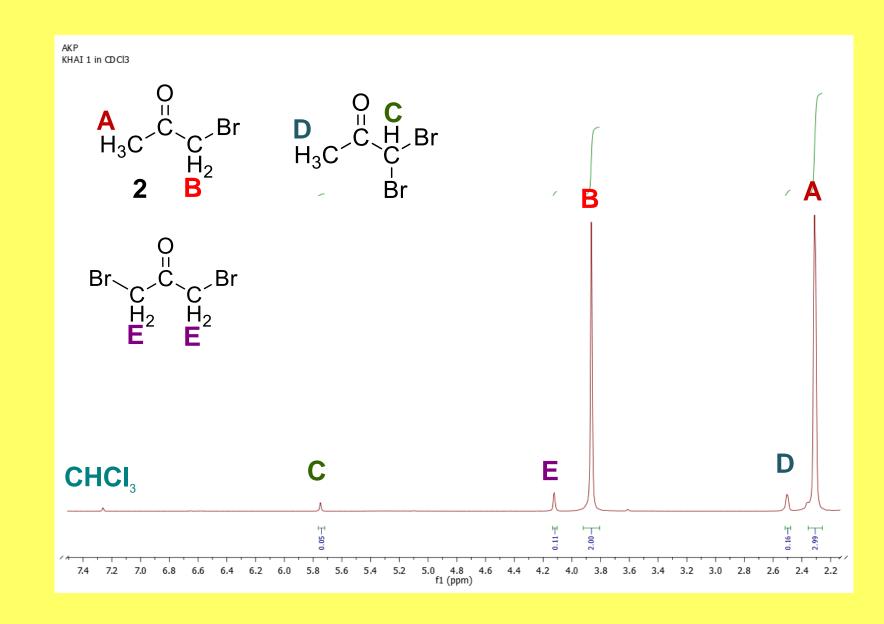


Figure 2. ¹H NMR spectra of the bromination products

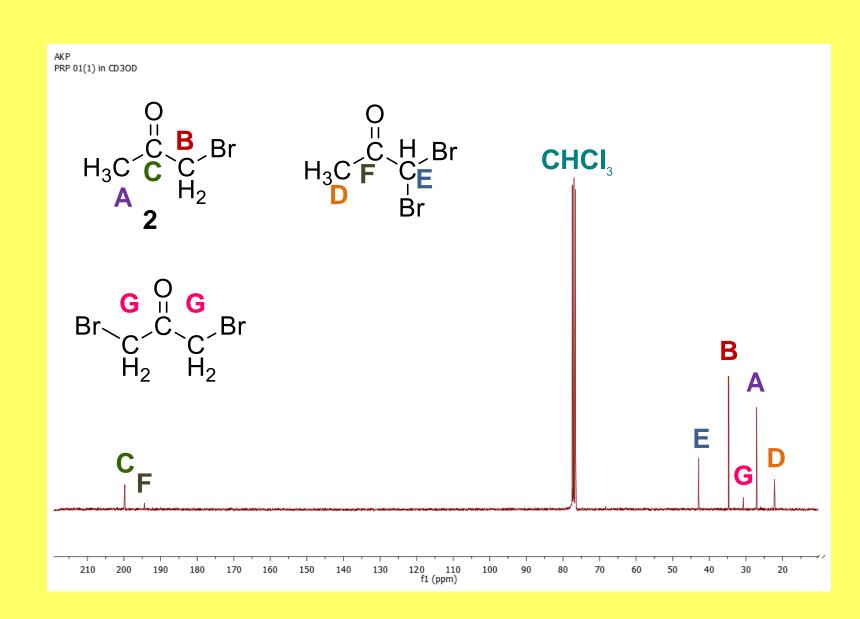


Figure 3. ¹³C NMR spectra of the bromination products

The ¹H NMR spectra of immine formation shows that is a mixture products in **Figure 4**. The reaction affords compound **8**: acetone: n-butylamine with the ratio 1.00: 1.42: 0.31 by NMR.

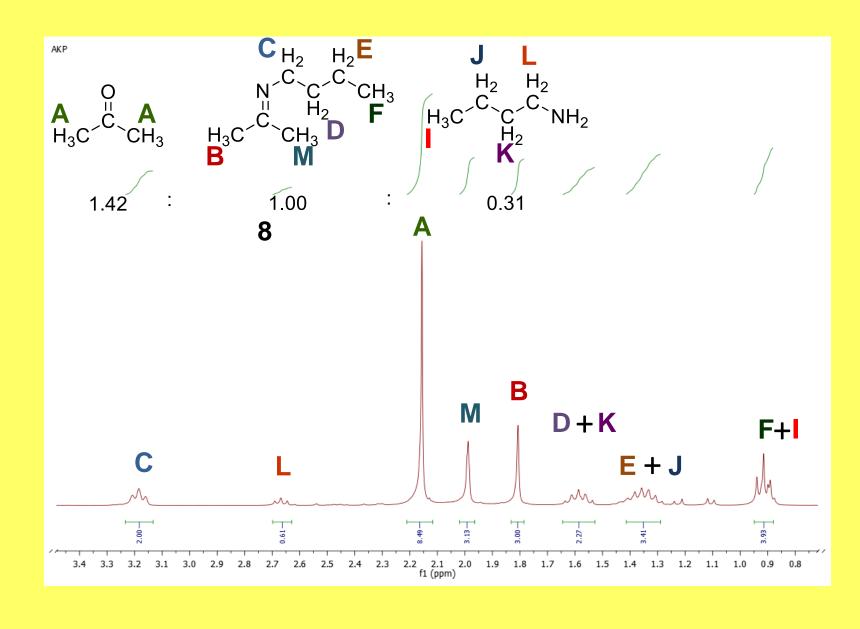


Figure 4. ¹H NMR spectra of the mixture products from immine formation

Conclusions

We achieved to synthesis and characterization compounds 2 and 8. These compounds will be used as starting material for synthesis of compound 7.





