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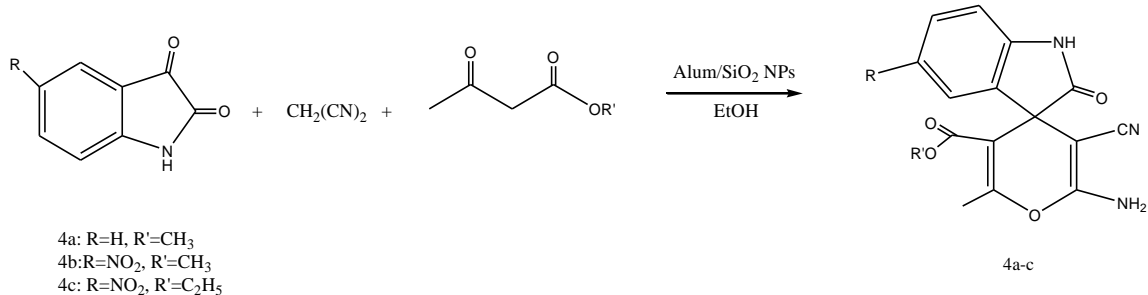
Synthesis of spirooxindoles with three component reaction between β -ketoesters, malononitrile and isatin derivatives in the presence of Alum.SiO₂ nanoparticles as a new nano catalyst

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Abstract

In this reseaech, some of the spirooxindole derivaties were prepared via β -ketoesters, malononitrile and isatin derivatives in the presence Alum.SiO₂ NPs as an effective, recyclable and inexpensive catalyst. The products were identified by IR, ¹HNMR, ¹³C NMR spectra, and melting point. The size of nanoparticles characterized by SEM and TEM techniques. A novel multicomponent synthesis of a series of spirooxindol derivatives is described. The procedures was carried out applying Alum/SiO₂ supported on NPS as the novel catalyst giving rise to high to excellent yielded synthetic route of spirooxindol compounds. The major advantages of this protocol are short reaction time ,good yields , simple procedure work up as well as friendly synthesis. In this work, some of the spirooxindole derivaties were prepared via β -ketoesters, malononitrile and isatin derivatives in the presence Alum.SiO₂ NPs as an effective, recyclable and inexpensive catalyst. The products were identified by IR,¹HNMR,¹³CNMR spectra, and melting point. The size of nanoparticles characterized by SEM and TEM techniques.(scheme 1)



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Keywords: Spirooxindoles, Molononitrile, System. Alum.SiO₂, nanoparticles .

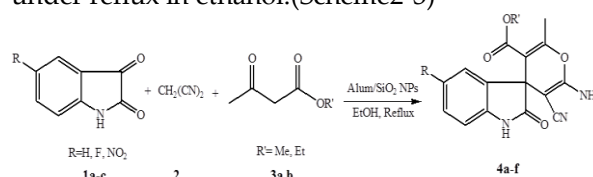
1 Introduction

Recently, many research studies have been devoted to the multicomponent reactions (MCR). MCRs are of significant importance from the view point of simplicity and its efficiency since the reactions are widely applied in pharmaceutical chemistry for producing different structures and combinatorial libraries for drug discovery [1]. One of the most applicable structures which have become a privileged skeleton with broad and promising activities in various therapeutic areas is spirooxindole compounds [1]. Nowadays, enantioselective synthesis of spirooxindoles via efficient catalysts has been developing utilizing novel catalyst systems [2-16]. Bergman and coworkers synthesized various derivatives of mono spirooxindol via one pot reaction of isatin and some α -amino acids in methanol and water [17]. Also, Yau et al. reported the MCR reaction of isatin, pyrrolidin, 2-carboxylic acid and malonate esters to furnish spirooxindols in good yields [18]. In addition, Yang and coworkers utilized four-component condensation between aromatic aldehyde, 1,3-indandione, sarcosine and isatin to prepare a series of di-spiropyrrolidin compounds via Knoevenagel reaction [19].

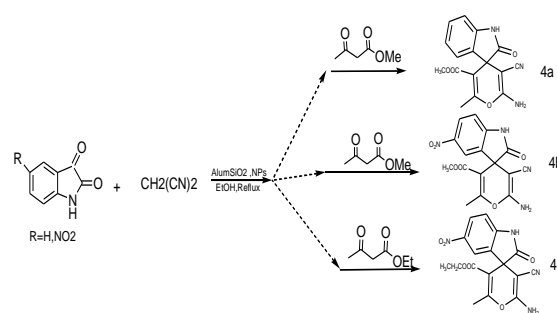
Experimental: The chemicals used in this work were purchased from sigma-Aldrich and Fluka and were used without further purification. Stable silica gel nanoparticles were readily prepared as described elsewhere [8] and used for preparation of the catalyst (Alum/SiO₂NPS). IR spectra were recorded on a Shimadzu IR-470 spectrometer as KBr discs. The NMR spectra were obtained on a Bruker Avance DRX-400 FT spectrometer (¹H NMR at 400 MHz, ¹³C NMR at 100 MHz) with DMSO-D₆ as solvent and TMS as internal standard. Melting points were determined with an Electrothermal 9100 apparatus. Elemental analysis was performed in the analytical laboratory of the Science and Research unit of Islamic Azad University. The morphology of the catalyst was observed by

scanning electron microscopy (SEM) with a VEGA/TESCAN, using an accelerating Voltage of 15 kV.

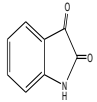
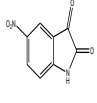
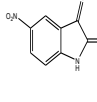
In this research, derivatives (4a), (4b), (4c) using reaction triple-component between β -keto acids, malononitrile and isatin derivatives in the presence of nano-catalyst was produced. This is an effective, recoverable and cheap way. The spirooxindole derivatives are included in numerous and they are dominant molecules in medicinal chemistry, such as pteropidine, horsfiline, isopteropidine and spirotryprostatin [2]. On the basis of biological studies, the existence of two different heterocyclic moieties in a single molecule often show enhances the biological activity dramatically [3]. In this article, we report a simple and efficient method for synthesis of spirooxindoles, through a three component reaction using isatins, β -ketoesters and malonitrile in the presence of Alum/SiO₂ NPs under reflux in ethanol. (Scheme 2-3)



(Scheme 2)



(Scheme 3)

MP: (°C)	(% Yield)	Products	β -keto Ester	Isatin derivatives	entry
298	85	4a	3a		1
295	88	4b	3a		2
293	90	4c	3b		3

(Table.1)

synthesis of spirooxindole derivatives in the presence of alum.SiO₂ NPS Catalyst:

To a suspension of 0.75g of silicagel nanoparticles in 10 ml of water 0.25g KAl(SO₄)₂.12H₂O was added. The suspension stirred at room temperature for 6h, then water was evaporated under reduced pressure for 20 min and the residue dried at 60°C for 3h. Alum/SiO₂ nanoparticles (0.08g) was added to a stirred mixture of the isatin derivatives (1mmol), β -ketoesters (1mmol) and malonitrile (1 mmol) in EtOH (5 mL). the materials were mixed and refluxed for the 15 min. The progress of the reaction was followed by TLC (n-hexane:ethyl acetate). After completion of the reaction, the mixture was filtered to remove the catalyst. After evaporation of the solvent, the crude product was recrystallised from hot ethanol to obtain the pure compound. (Table1-2)

	Catalys	Solvent	Time(min)	Yield
1	InCl ₃ (20 mol%)	CH ₃ CN /reflux	90	75
2	TEBAa (20 mol%)	H ₂ O/60°C	120	94
3	Sodium stearat (10 mol%)	H ₂ O /60°C	180	95
4	I ₂ (10 mol%)	H ₂ O /50°C	60	80
5	HAuCl ₄ .3H ₂ O (5 mol%)	PEGb 400 /70 °C	30	96
6	NH ₄ Cl (20 mol%)	H ₂ O /80 °C	10	92
7	MgO nanocrystallin (15 mol%)	H ₂ O /80 °C	120	95
8	KAl(SO ₄) ₂ .12H ₂ O (0.08g)	EtOH/reflux	15	60
9	Alum/SiO ₂ nanoparticles(0.08g)	EtOH/reflux	15	96

(Table.2)

Characterization of the synthesized compounds:

4b: 6-amino-3-methyl-1-phenyl-spiro[(3'H)-indole-3,4'(H)-pyrano[2,3-d]pyrazole]-(1'H)-2'-one-5-carbonitrile Dark red, crystal; mp 258-260°C; IR(KBr): 3455, 3295, 3175, 2190, 1696, 1649, 1123, 749

4d: 2-Amino-5-oxo-spiro[(4H)-5,6,7,8-tetrahydrochromene-4,3'-(3'H)-5'-Fluoro-indol]-(1H)-2'-one-3-carbonitrile White, solid; mp 289-291°C; IR(KBr): 3345, 3095, 2960, 2190, 1702, 1665, 1604, 1483, 1348, 1211, 1013, 803, ¹H NMR(DMSO-d₆, 400MHz) δ : 10.43 (s, 1H, NH), 7.30 (s, 2H, NH₂), 6.947.01 (m, 2H, ArH), 6.78 (d, 1H, J=4Hz), 2.63-2.67 (m, 2H, CH₂), 2.22-2.26 (m, 2H, CH₂), 1.90-1.95 (m, 2H, CH₂), ¹³C NMR(DMSO-d₆, 100MHz) δ : 195.10, 178.14, 166.37, 159.30, 156.95, 138.15, 136.24, 117.22, 114.407, 114.17, 111.33, 109.77, 56.89, 47.33, 36.26, 26.73, 19.68

4e: 2-Amino-5-oxo-spiro[4,5,6,7,8-tetrahydrocyclopenta(b)pyran-4,4'-(3'H)-5'-Fluoro-indol]-(1'H)-2'-one-3-carbonitrile Bright pink, Solid; mp 313-316°C; IR (KBr): 3315, 3060, 2995, 2199, 1712, 1673, 1601, 1484, 1344, 1231, 1009, 873, ¹H NMR (DMSO-d₆, 400MHz) δ : 10.61 (s, 1H, NH), 7.58 (s, 2H, NH₂), 7.04-7.07 (m, 1H, ArH), 7.01 (d, 1H, J=2.4, ArH), 6.83 (d, 1H, J=4.4, ArH), 2.82 (dd, 2H, J=4.8 Hz, J=4Hz, CH₂), 2.39 (t, 2H, J=4.8Hz, CH₂) ¹³C NMR(DMSO-d₆, 100MHz) δ : 199.80, 177.81, 160.53, 157.09, 138.01,

133.66, 117.39, 115.03, 114.30, 112.22, 111.97, 110.14, 55.88, 46.99, 33.13, 24.90

4f: 2-Amino 5,7-dioxo-sprino[(3')-5'-fluoro-indol-3',4,4(H)-5,6,7,8-tetrahydropyrano(2,3-d)pyrimidine]-(1' H)-2'-one-carbonitrile
White,solid;mp246-250
c';IR(KBr):3395,3160,2200,1716,1692,,1671,1483,1390,1223,1108,796, 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆,400MHz)&: 12.31 (s, 1H,NH),11.140(S 1H, NH), 10.49(s, 1H, NH), 7.42(s, 2H, NH₂),7.15(d d , 1H, J=2.6, J=8.2),6.96(dd, 1H, J=2.68, J=1.08 Hz), 6.75 d d , 1H,J=4.36Hz, J=4.28Hz), 13C NMR (DMSO-d₆, 100MHz) &:178.18 (c=o), 161.93, 159.92 (c=o), 158.78, 157.57, 149.70, 138.77, 117.29, 115.05,112.19(CN), 110.33(CN), 86.84,56.98

4g: 2-amino-5-benzoyl-spiro[pyrano-4,3-(3H)-5-fluoro-indole]-(1H)-2-one-6-phenyl 3-carbonitrile Dark pink,Crystal,mp 242-246C;IR (KBr):3990,3380,3155,2185,1722,1675,1649,1485,1346,1223,1054,805,1 HNMR(DMSO-d₆,400,MHZ)δ:10.77(s,1H,NH),7.79(d,2H,J=7064,arom)7.62(s,2H,NH₂),7.51(t,2H,j=6.04, arom),7036(t,1H,j=4.96HZ,arom),7.20(dd,1H,j=2.64,j=6.04,j=8.08HZ,arom)7.12 (dt, ,1H,J=16.0,J=2.6 HZ,arom),6.94(dd,1H, j=8.52HZ,j=4.28 HZ,arom),1.59(s,3H,CH₃)13 C NMR (DMSO-d₆,100 NMR) δ:178,161.51,160.30,157.93,145.46,144.30,138.19,137.69,134.48,129.87,127.07,118.33,116.09,113.31,113.07,111.26,96.30,56.15,12.18

4h: Phenyl2'-Amino-3'-cyano-6'-phenol-2-oxo-2-hydrospiro[5-fluoro-indol-3,4'-Pyran]-5'-methanone

Dark pink,Crystal,mp 242-246C;IR(KBr):3280,2225,1730,1589,1482,1346,1178,1100,1H NMR ((DMSO-d₆,400 M HZ) δ:11.24(S,2H,NH₂),8018(M,2H,arom),817(d, 1H,J=1.44 HZ, arom),7.55(td,3H, J=4.3 HZ, , J=2.64 HZ, ,arom),7.45(td,3H, J=9.2 HZ, , J=2.64 HZ, ,arom),7.35(S-br,1H,NH),6.97(d,2H, J=4.32 HZ, arom),6.95(d,2H, J=4.28 HZ,arom),13C NMR (DMSO-d₆,100 M HZ) δ:164.15(C=O),159.15(C=O),156.77,150.68,150.64,143.47,143.45,133.50 ,129.32,127.88,125.02, 124.79, 119.70,119.61, 113.38, 113.33, 112.53, 112.27,111.67(CN), 93.71,82.73

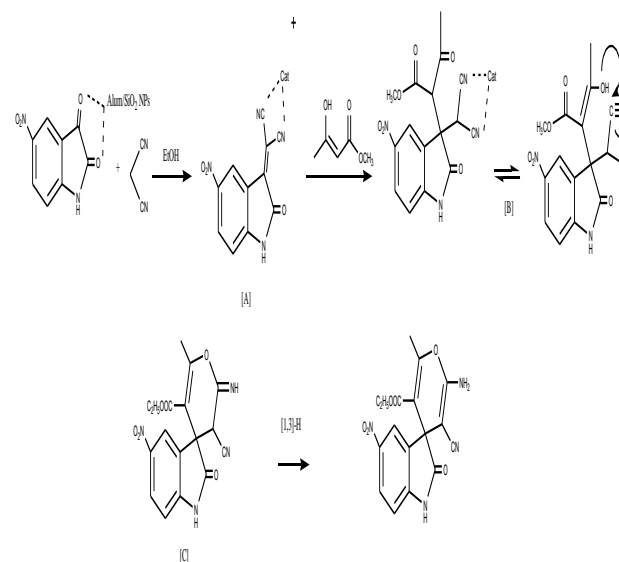
4i: 2Amino-5oxo-spiro[(4H)-indole(1,2-b)pyran-4,3'-(3'H)-5'-Fluoro-indol]-(1'H)-2'-one-3-carbonitrile

Dark yellow,Solid;mp 286-288c;Ir (kBr): 3305, 3190, 2955, 2195, 1729, 1666, 1603,1485, 1334, 1179, 1037, 924; 1H NMR (DMSO-d₆, 400MHz)δ:10.73(s,1H,NH),7.78(sbr, 2H, NH₂),7.58(td, 1H, J=6.8Hz, J=1.2Hz), 7.38(d,1H,J=6.8Hz),7.32(d, 1H, J=7.2Hz), 7.28(dd, 1H, J=8 Hz, J=2.8Hz), 7.08(td,1H, J=8.8 Hz, J=2.8 Hz), 6.90(d, 1H, J=4.4Hz)13C NMR(DMSO-d₆, 100MHz) δ:1899.32, 160.46, 159.57, 157.22, 137.96, 136.29, 135.10, 133.63, 131.35, 130.48, 122.75, 118.84, 117.22, 117.22, 115.61, 115.38, 112.69, 112.45, 110.35, 110.48

Results and Discussion:

In summary, Alum/SiO₂ nanoparticles is synthesized and have shown that it has advantages in the preparation of spirooxindole derivatives such as shorter reaction times, simple work-up, and affords excellent yield. The present method does not involve any hazardous organic solvent. Therefore, this procedure could be classified as green chemistry. In continuation of our previous research on the use of solid acids in organic synthesis, 4,5 the synthesis of Alum/SiO₂ NPs as a new catalyst have been investigated and applied for the synthesis of spirooxindole derivatives, by the condensation of an isatins, β-ketoesters and malonitrile.

Mechanism:



Conclusion:

The stable catalyst is easily prepared and used for preparation of spirooxindole derivatives. The dimensions of nanoparticles were observed with SEM. As shown in Figure 1, the size of commercial Alum/SiO₂ nanoparticles

are about 23-30 nm. To optimize the reaction conditions, the reaction of isatin, ethylacetoacetate and malonitrile was used as a model reaction. In order to establish the better catalytic activity of Alum/SiO₂ nanoparticles, the model reaction has compared with other catalysts reported in literature. To study the scope of the reaction, a series of β -ketoesters and isatin derivatives with malonitrile were examined by Alum/SiO₂ nanoparticles as catalyst. An interesting feature of this method is that the reagent can be regenerated at the end of the reaction and can be used several times without losing its activity. Alum/SiO₂ nanoparticles were prepared as a new catalyst and shown to have advantages in the preparation of spirooxindole derivatives, including shorter reaction time, high yields, and simple work-up. This method does not involve use of hazardous organic solvent, so it can be classified as green chemistry.

Figure 1. SEM images of Alum/SiO₂ nanoparticles

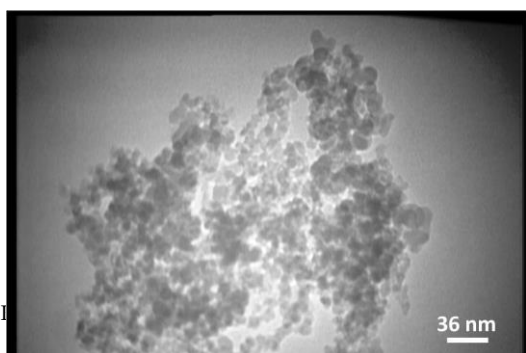
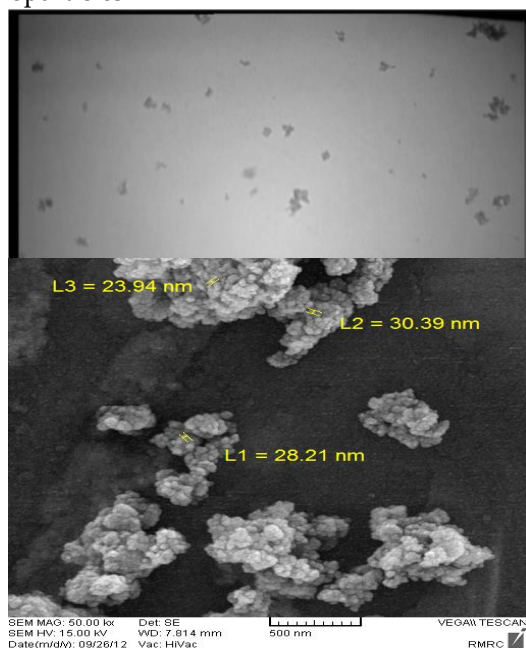
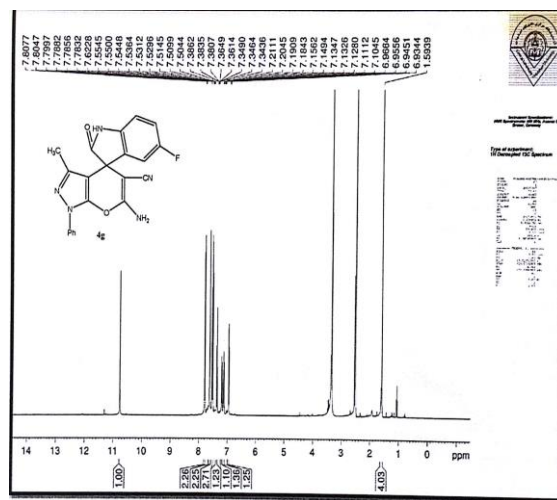


Figure 2. spectroscopy images of (spirooxindole derivatives)



شکل ۳-۴. پیوست: طیف ¹H NMR ترکیب ۴

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