

New Perylene Structures

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The paper presents experimental data regarding five new thermo-resistant pigments synthesized by condensing perylene 3,4,9,10-tetracarboxylic dianhydride with different amines in various molar ratio. Reaction products were purified and characterized by elemental analysis, UV-VIS and IR.

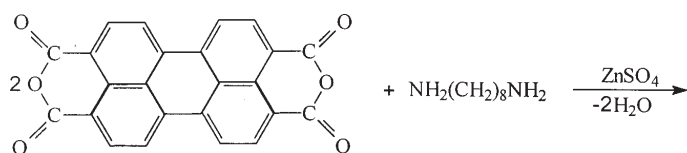
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Perylene dyes are known for their good thermo-resistant properties and their high fluorescence in different media [1]. Some of them are successfully used as crystal growing inhibitors. They are also used for synthesizing fluorescent pigments for liquid crystals devices such as displays and for the colored laser technique [2-4]. Perylene dyes have been used for laser applications since 1961 [5-7].

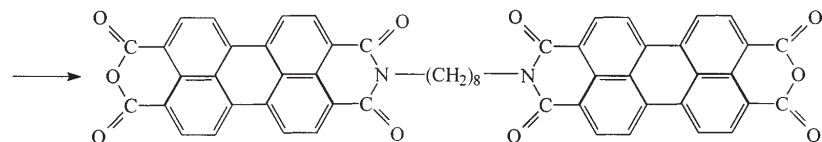
This paper presents the synthesis of new compounds starting from 3,4,9,10-perylenetetracarboxylic dianhydride by condensing it with different amines. The physical and chemical properties of all compounds were analyzed.

Experimental part

In the condensing reaction perylene 3,4,9,10-tetracarboxylic dianhydride, different amines (octane-1,6-diamine, hexane-1,6-diamine, 6-amino-hexan-1-ol, 2-amino-5-(3-hydroxy-prop-1-ene-1-sulfonyl)-benzoic acid, 3-(4-amino-benzenesulfonyl)-prop-2-en-1-ol, 3-(4-amino-3-methyl-benzenesulfonyl)-prop-2-en-1-ol), 1,4,6-C₆H₃, Zn(CH₃COO)₂ and inorganic compounds (HCl, NaOH) were used, according to the following reactions:



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P₁

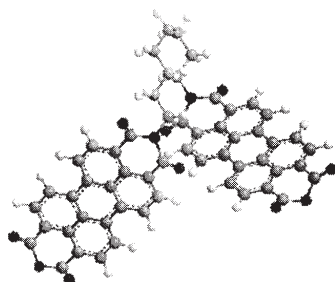


Fig. 1. Space configuration of the P₁ molecules

Synthesis of pigment 1 (P₁)

200 mL of 1,4,6-trichlorobenzene were introduced into a 3-necked flask with mechanical stirrer, reflux condenser and thermometer and were heated to 100° then 7.84 g (0.2 moles) of perylene 3,4,9,10-tetracarboxylic dianhydride and 2.16 g moles octane-1,6-diamine (0.015) were added while stirring. After dissolution of the reagents 1.77 g (0.01 moles) of Zn(CH₃COO)₂ were added. Reaction mass is heated at 200° for 12 h. The reaction is considered completed when a sample reaction mass no longer displays the characteristic fluorescence of the dianhydride heated with a NaOH solution at the boiling point. After the reaction is completed, the mixture is cooled to 100° and filtered. The precipitate is washed with HCl to remove the traces of the unreacted amine. Finally the precipitate is washed with boiling water to neutral pH. The solid phase is dried at 100°, 8.5 g (yield = 75.3%) of dried product is obtained.

The other compounds were obtained using the similar procedure

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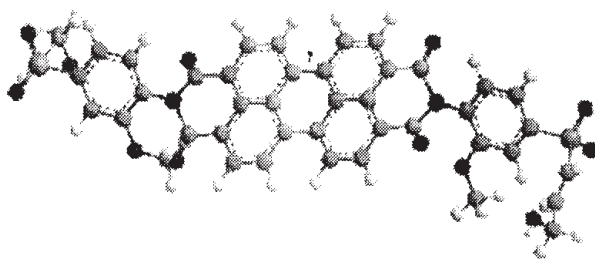
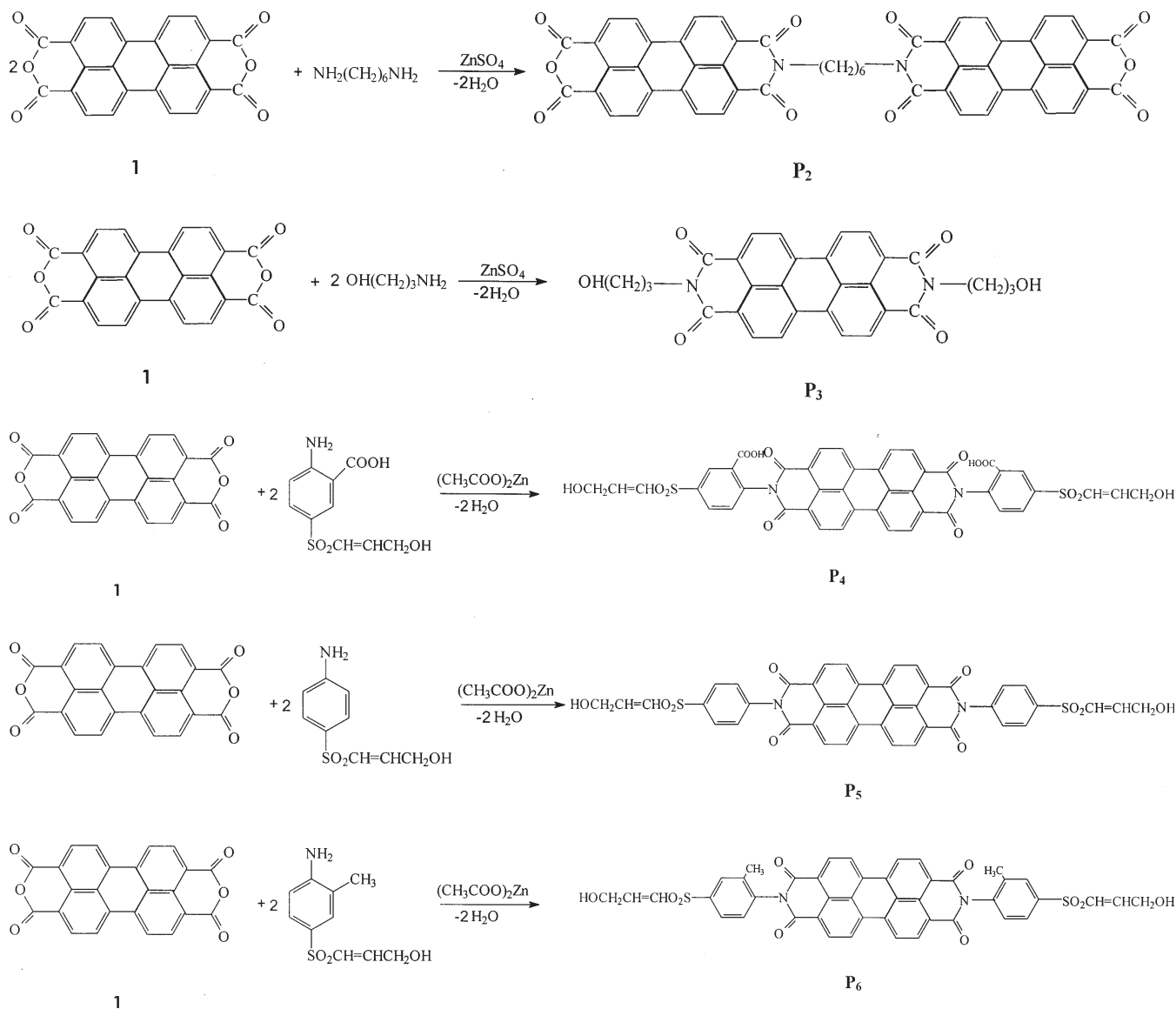


Fig. 2. Space configuration of the P_6 molecules

Results and discussions

In order to confirm the proposed structures the main physical and chemical characteristics were determined for the prepared compounds.

The reaction conditions are presented in table 1.

The purity of the obtained products was tested by TLC using Silica Gel F₂₅₄ plates and DMF as eluent.

The elemental analysis was done through combustion method. The results are given in tabel 2. The obtained percentages are comparable with the calculated ones.

The UV-VIZ spectroscopic measurements were performed with SPECORD 40 apparatus in the range of 200-800 nm in H₂SO₄ 95%. Compounds were characterized by the wavelength of their absorption maximum. Results of spectral analysis are presented in table 2.

The I.R. absorption spectra were recorded using a VERTEX 70 apparatus in KBr pellets in the range of 500-3500 cm⁻¹. Results of IR spectra are presented in table 3.

The data obtained from the study of the spectra shows that there is a concordance between the proposed and actual structures. It can be noted that the vibration bands of the C=O bond (characteristic for aromatic anhydrides) at 1024 cm⁻¹(vc-o asim) no longer appear. Opposite split bands characteristic of the cyclic imides can be noted at about 1700 cm⁻¹ (sym. C=O frequency) Similarly, each compound displays the characteristic bands of the amines with which the condensation took place.

Fluorescent spectra were recorded using a CARY 10 (VARIAN) apparatus in the $\lambda = 190-1000$ nm range. The

Table 1
REACTION PARAMETERS

Comp.	Molar ratio (anhydride/ amine)	Catalyst	Reaction medium	Time (h)	Temp (°C)	Color	Yield (%)
P ₁	0.01:0.004	(CH ₃ COO) ₂ Zn	C ₆ H ₃ Cl ₃	8	180	Brown-red	75.4
P ₂	0.01:0.004	(CH ₃ COO) ₂ Zn	C ₆ H ₃ Cl ₃	8	180	Brown-red	78.36
P ₃	0.01:0.03	(CH ₃ COO) ₂ Zn	C ₆ H ₃ Cl ₃	8	180	Brick-red	87.7
P ₄	0.01:0.025	(CH ₃ COO) ₂ Zn	C ₆ H ₃ Cl ₃	12	200	Brick-red	79
P ₅	0.01:0.025	(CH ₃ COO) ₂ Zn	C ₆ H ₃ Cl ₃	12	200	Brick-red	82
P ₆	0.01:0.025	(CH ₃ COO) ₂ Zn	C ₆ H ₃ Cl ₃	12	200	Red	85

Table 2
ELEMENTAL ANALYSIS

Comp	Molecular formula	M ₁ */2*	C%		H%		N%	
			1*	2*	1*	2*	1*	2*
P ₁	C ₅₆ H ₃₂ O ₁₀ N ₂	892/890	75.33	75.32	3.58	3.47	3.13	3.08
P ₂	C ₅₄ H ₂₈ O ₁₀ N ₂	864/862	75	74.89	3.24	3.18	3.24	3.21
P ₃	C ₃₀ H ₂₂ O ₆ N ₂	506/504	71.14	71.1	4.34	4.31	5.53	5.49
P ₄	C ₄₄ H ₂₆ O ₁₄ N ₂ S ₂	870/868	60.68	58.94	2.98	2.83	3.21	3.18
P ₅	C ₄₂ H ₂₆ O ₁₀ N ₂ S ₂	782/778	64.45	63.62	3.32	3.26	3.58	3.47
P ₆	C ₄₄ H ₃₀ O ₁₀ N ₂ S ₂	810/808	65.18	64.93	3.7	3.63	3.45	3.37

1*=calculated; 2*=determined

Compound	λ(nm)	Type of bond	Frequency (cm ⁻¹)	R _f
P ₁	247,6 555,5 601,8	-CH _{2sim} -CH _{2asim} -CH=CH- C=O _{sim} C-O _{sim} C-O _{asim}	2860,37 2927,01 1593,59 1701,36 939,1 1122,16	0,85
P ₂	247 310 555 600	C=O _{sim} C=O _{asim} -CH _{2sim} -CH _{2asim} C-O _{sim} C-O _{asim}	1772,03 1704,57 2860,37 2927,32 939,26 1122,13	0,8
P ₃	250.46 550.38 600.58	-OH -CH _{2sim} -CH _{2asim} C=C C=O _{sim}	1197,8 2852,24 2926,14 1590,78 1773,5	0,75
P ₄	220,7 245,4 511.2 578.6	-OH -SO _{2asim} -SO _{2sim} C=O _{sim} C=O _{asim} COOH C-N	1198,56 1365,04 1559,35 1771,32 1703,81 3325,29 1250,8	0,79
P ₅	225,7 245.01 485,6 520,6 587,9	-OH -SO _{2asim} -SO _{2sim} C=C C=O _{sim} C=O _{asim} C-N	1193,32 1367,72fi 1569,12fi 1591,23 1772,48 1701,02 1360,58	0,83
P ₆	221,9 246,3 510,8 584.4	-OH -SO _{2asim} -SO _{2sim} C=C C=O _{sim} C=O _{asim}	1197,32 1359,24 1546,12 1592 1770,38 1701,3	0,84

Table 3
PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL
PARAMETERS OF THE
SYNTHESIZED COMPOUNDS

recorded absorption maxima (in dioxane) for the studied compounds were in the range of 485-519 nm. The tests were performed at pH = 9 and at pH = 12.

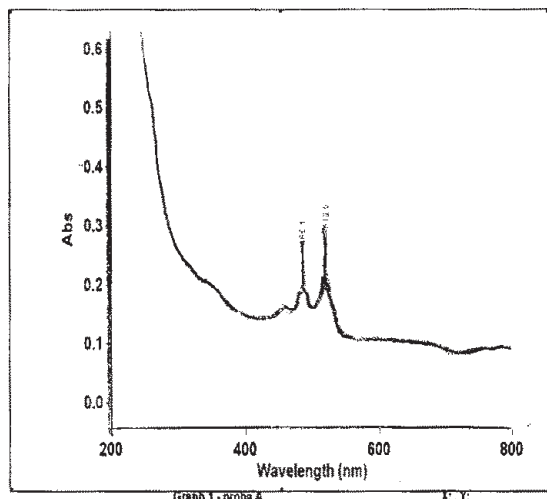


Fig. 3 Fluorescent spectra of P₁

The obtained compounds were insoluble in water- and they could be used as pigments. The melting points are over 300°.

Conclusion

The 6 new pigments having perylene structure were synthesized by condensing 3,4,9,10-perylenetetra-

carboxylic 3,4,9,10-dianhydride with various amines. Reactions were performed in 1,2,4-trichlorobenzene using (CH₃COO)₂Zn as catalyst.

The analysis for the determination of the structures for this type of pigments is particularly difficult due to their insolubility. The obtained pigments are insoluble in HCl, but they are soluble in H₂SO₄ yielding fluorescent solutions with red-violet to violet-blue coloration.

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