## UGI BISAMIDES BASED ON PYRROLYL-β-CHLOROVINYL ALDEHYDE: SYNTHESIS AND REACTIVITY

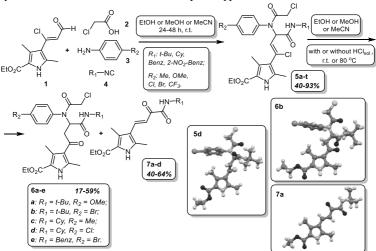
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The multicomponent Ugi reaction is a powerful tool for creating libraries of organic substances, which may include new biologically active compounds and new components of functional materials [1]. A special role is played by so-called *post*-Ugi reactions, which allow modification of functional groups and amide bonds in Ugi products [1–3].

The combination of pyrrolyl- $\beta$ -chlorovinylaldehyde 1, which is a representative of the understudied class of aldehydes in MCR [2], chloroacetic acid 2, para-substituted anilines 3, and the corresponding isocyanides 4 led to the production of Ugi bisamides 5a–t. In turn, the presence of several functional groups in them, including an amide fragment with the potential for conversion [3], allows us to make assumptions about the high probability of post-conversions for these peptidomimetics. Thus, under conditions of acid hydrolysis at room temperature or heating, bisamides 5a–t undergo autocatalytic transformation with the participation of HCl into bisamides 6a–e and arylidenepyruvic acid amide derivatives 7a–d.



Scheme 1. Synthesis and *post*-transformation of Ugi bisamides

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