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Synthesis and Antioxidant activity of some novel pyridine derivatives.

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Abstract Synthesis of 2-amino-4-(furan-2-yl)-5,6-dimethylnicotinonitrile **4** was achieved from the mixture of malononitrile **1**, furan-2-carboxaldehyde **2**, butan-2-one **3** and ammonium acetate in ethanol. Compound **4** reacted with formamid, formic acid and acetic anhydride furnished pyrido[2,3-d]pyrimidine derivative **5**, pyridine derivatives **6** and **7**, respectively. Reaction of **6** with P₂S₅ afforded pyridine derivative **8**. Reaction of **4** with urea or with thiourea afforded **9** and **10**, respectively. Refluxing of **4** with urea in glacial acetic acid and hydrochloric acid afforded the diaminopyrimidine derivative **11**. Reaction of **4** with butanone or with acetylacetone furnished 1,8-naphthyridine derivatives **12** and **13**, respectively. Fusion of **4** with cyanoacetamide afforded the 2-oxo-1,8-naphthyridine derivative **14**. Condensation of **4** with 5,5-dimethyl-1,3-cyclohexanedione or cyclohexanone in ethanol furnished the pyridine derivatives **16** and **17**, respectively. Refluxing of **4** with ethylene diamine, carbon disulfide and concentrated sulfuric acid afforded 4,5-dihydro-1H-imidazol-2-yl pyridine derivative **19**, **20** and **21**, respectively. The reaction of **4** with phenacylchloride or with ethylchloroacetate 1-phenyl-3-(pipridin-1-yl)propan-1-one hydrochloride in glacial acetic acid afforded pyridine derivatives **22**, **23** and **24**, respectively. The structure of synthesized compounds was characterized by spectral data and elemental analyses. The new compounds were screened for antioxidant activity, whereas, some of them exhibited promising activities.

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Introduction

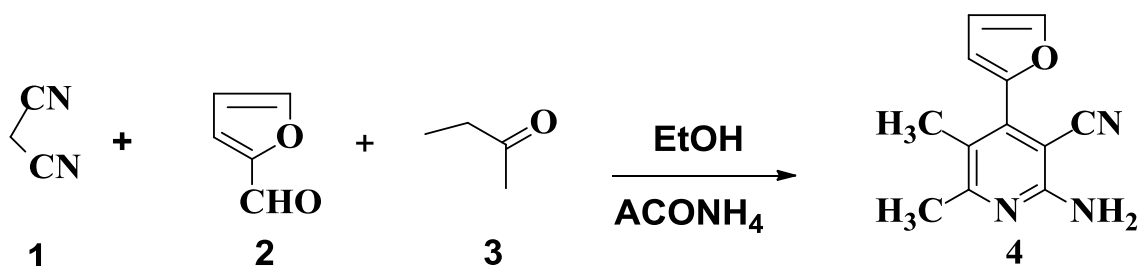
Pyridine derivatives have occupied a unique position in the field of medicinal chemistry. Many naturally occurring compounds having pyridine moiety show interesting biological and pharmacological activities (Purushothaman, *et. al.*, 2012). Pyridine derivatives have been used as herbicides (Temple, *et. al.*, 1992), for enrichment of cereals (Budgett, *et. al.*, 1947), for

regulation of arterial pressure (Mericier, *et. al.*, 1963) and cholesterol levels in blood (Doner, *et. al.*, 1961). Some of pyridines constitute an important class of antitumor compounds (Boger, *et. al.*, 1991) and (Boger, *et. al.*, 1989 and Zhang, *et. al.*, 1995). 2-amino-3-cyanopyridines have been identified to possess anti bacterial (Konda, *et. al.*, 2010), antimicrobial (Mungra, *et. al.*, 2009), (Altalbawy, 2013), antifungal (Makawana, *et. al.*, 2012), cardiotoxic (Bekhit, *et. al.*, 2005), analgesic

(Murata, *et. al.*, 2003), anti-inflammatory (Al-Said, *et. al.*, 2011) and anti lung cancer (Shi, *et. al.*, 2005) activities. Pyridine derivatives have also been found to be selective I κ B β serin-threonine protein kinase inhibitors (Altundas, *et. al.*, 2011). Recently, many synthetic methods have been used for the preparation of 2-amino-3-cyanopyridine derivatives (Davoodni, *et. al.*, 2010), (Tavakoli-Hoseini, *et. al.*, 2010) and (Gupta, *et. al.*, 2010).

Results and Discussion

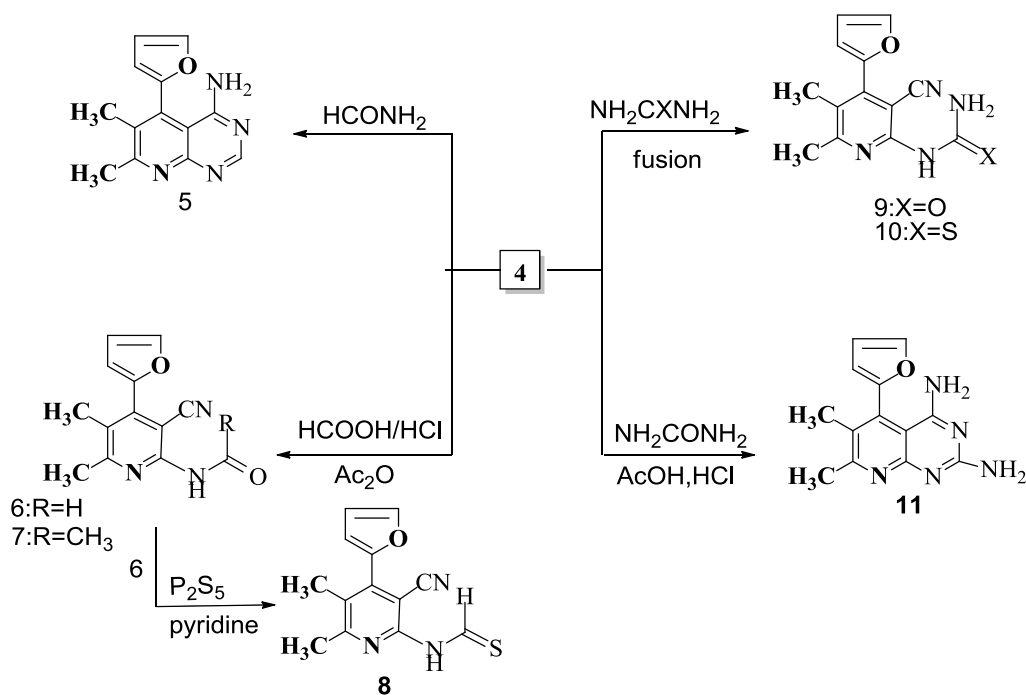
It has been reported that, 2-amino-4-(furan-2-yl)-5,6-dimethylnicotinonitrile **4** was obtained with high yield and purity *via* a One-pot condensation of malononitrile **1**, furan-2-carboxaldehyde **2**, butan-2-one **3**, and ammonium acetate in ethanol (Mahmoud, *et. al.*, 2013) (Scheme 1). Furthermore, compound **4** was used as a key intermediate for the synthesis of pyrimidine, quinoline, imidazole and pyridine derivatives. We reported herein, the synthesis and antioxidant activity of some pyridine derivatives (Scheme 1-5).



Scheme 1

The pyrido[2,3-d]pyrimidine **5** was obtained by refluxing of **4** in formamide. Reaction of **4** with formic acid or with acetic anhydride afforded the corresponding amide derivatives **6** and **7**, respectively. Refluxing of **6** with P_2S_5 in pyridine afforded the thioanilide

derivative **8**. Compound **4** was reacted with urea or thiourea to afford the ureado **9** and thioureado **10**, respectively. Whereas, refluxing of **4** with urea in a solution of glacial acetic acid and hydrochloric acid afforded the diaminopyrimidine derivative **11** (Scheme 2).



Scheme 2

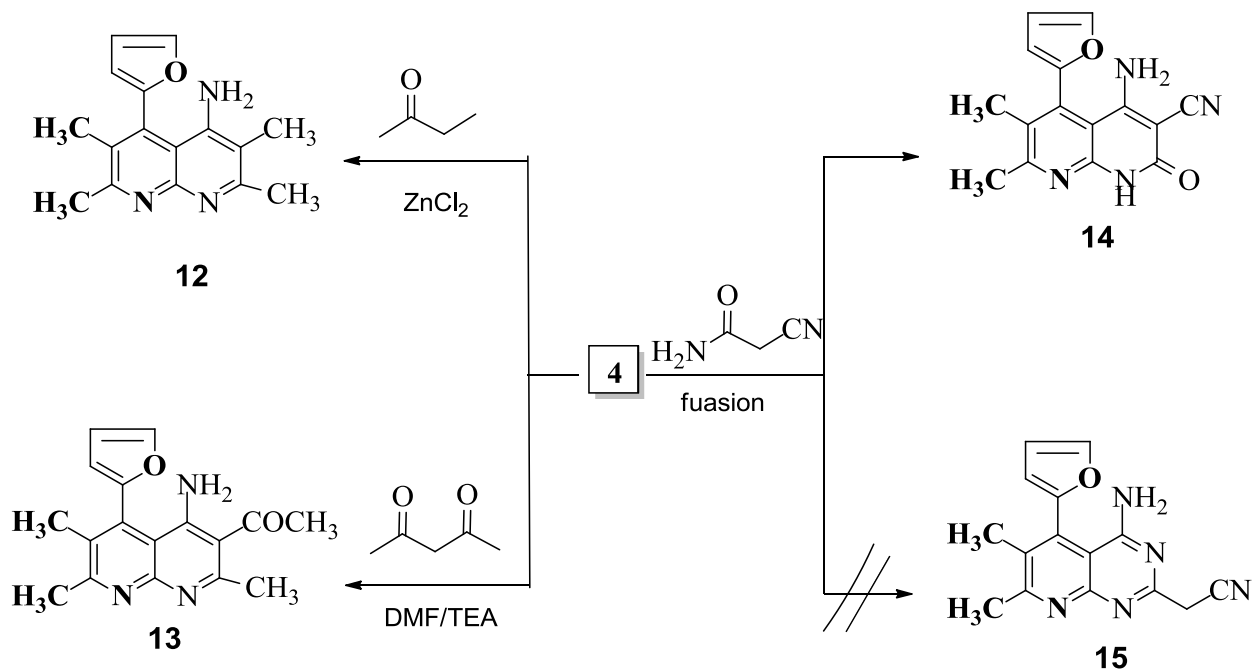
The structure of compound **5** was established through spectroscopic techniques, including IR, $^1\text{H-NMR}$ and mass spectroscopy and satisfactorily elemental analysis. Whereas, its IR spectrum revealed appearance of absorption bands at $\nu = 3388$ and 3305 cm^{-1} due to the stretching vibrations of NH_2 group. The $^1\text{H-NMR}$ of **5** showed singlet signal at δ 8.48 ppm which corresponds to the methine proton of the pyridine moiety.

Also, the structure of compounds **6-8** were confirmed by IR, $^1\text{H-NMR}$ and mass spectra and satisfactorily elemental analysis. The IR spectrum of compounds **6** and **7** showed absorption bands at $\nu = 2208$ and 2220 cm^{-1} for the CN group, respectively. Absorption bands at $\nu = 1657$ and 1640 cm^{-1} are attributed to the amidic carbonyl groups of **6** and **7**, respectively. The IR spectrum of **8** showed a characteristic absorption bands at $\nu = 3247$, 3137 and 2210 cm^{-1} due to NH, CH and CN groups, respectively. Furthermore, the $^1\text{H-NMR}$ spectrum of compound **6** exhibited singlet signal at δ 8.2 ppm due to the $\text{HC}=\text{O}$ proton. The $^1\text{H-NMR}$ spectrum of **7** displayed singlet signal at δ 1.9 ppm for an COCH_3 group. Finally, formation of **8** from its precursor **6** was confirmed by its mass

spectrum which showed a molecular ion peak at m/z 257(M^+) (0.2 %) corresponding to a molecular formula $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{11}\text{N}_3\text{OS}$.

The structures of compounds **9** and **10** were confirmed through spectroscopic techniques, including IR and mass spectroscopy and satisfactorily elemental analysis. The IR spectrum of **9** showed bands at $\nu = 2207$ and 1645 cm^{-1} due to a CN and CO group, respectively. Moreover, the mass spectra of compounds **9** and **10** showed the molecular ion peaks at m/z 256(M^+) (59.3%) and 272(M^+) (13.5 %), respectively, which are in agreement with the molecular formula $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{12}\text{N}_4\text{O}_2$ and $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{12}\text{N}_4\text{OS}$, respectively. The IR spectrum of compound **11** displayed broad bands at $\nu = 3406\text{ cm}^{-1}$ corresponding to (2NH_2) group. The $^1\text{H-NMR}$ of **11** exhibited two singlet signals at δ 7.43 and 7.91 ppm, each of them is corresponding to two protons of an NH_2 group, respectively.

Reaction of compound **4** with butanone or acetylacetone furnished the corresponding 1,8-naphthyridine derivatives **12** and **13** respectively. On the other hand, Fusion of **4** with cyanoacetamide afforded the 2-oxo-1,8-naphthyridine derivative **14** instead of pyrido [2,3-d]pyrimidine derivative **15** (Scheme 3).



Scheme 3

The structure of each **12-14** was elucidated on the basis of spectral data and satisfactorily elemental analysis. The IR spectrum of

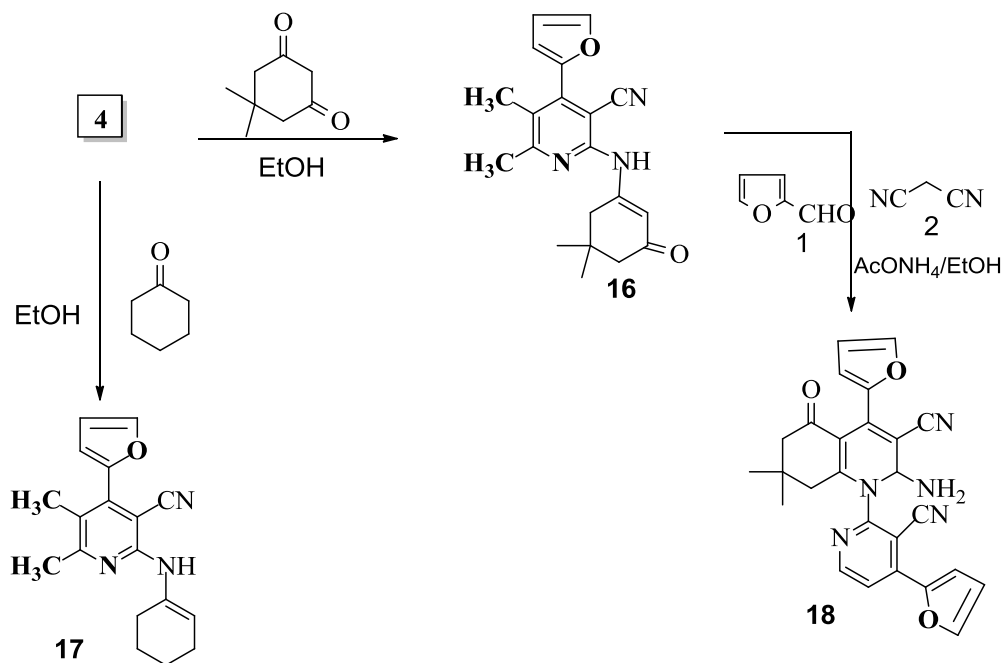
compounds **12** and **13** showed absorption bands in the region of at $\nu = 3405\text{-}3330\text{ cm}^{-1}$ due to stretching vibrations of the NH_2 groups.

Furthermore, IR spectrum of compound **14** showed the appearance of characteristic absorption bands at $\nu = (3379, 3334, 3243), 2211$ and 1700 cm^{-1} due to $(\text{NH}_2, \text{NH}), \text{CN}$ and CO , respectively. Moreover, the $^1\text{H-NMR}$ spectrum of **13** showed two singlet signals at δ 2.04 and 2.57 ppm attributed to methyl protons (CH_3CO and CH_3) at C-2 and C-3 of the constructed system. The $^1\text{H-NMR}$ spectrum of **14** displayed a comp.pat. signal at δ 6.58-7.02 (m, 5H, furanyl, NH_2), 7.90 ppm (s, 1H, NH).

The mass spectrum of **12** revealed molecular ion peak at m/z 267 (M^+) (15.7%) corresponding to a molecular formula $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{17}\text{N}_3\text{O}$. Finally, the mass spectrum of **14** exhibited molecular ion peak at m/z 280 (M^+) corresponding to a molecular formula $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{12}\text{N}_4\text{O}_2$.

On the other hand, the condensation of **4** with 5,5-dimethyl-1,3-cyclohexanedione or cyclohexanone in ethanol furnished the pyridine derivatives **16** and **17**, respectively. Compound **16** was reacted with malononitrile

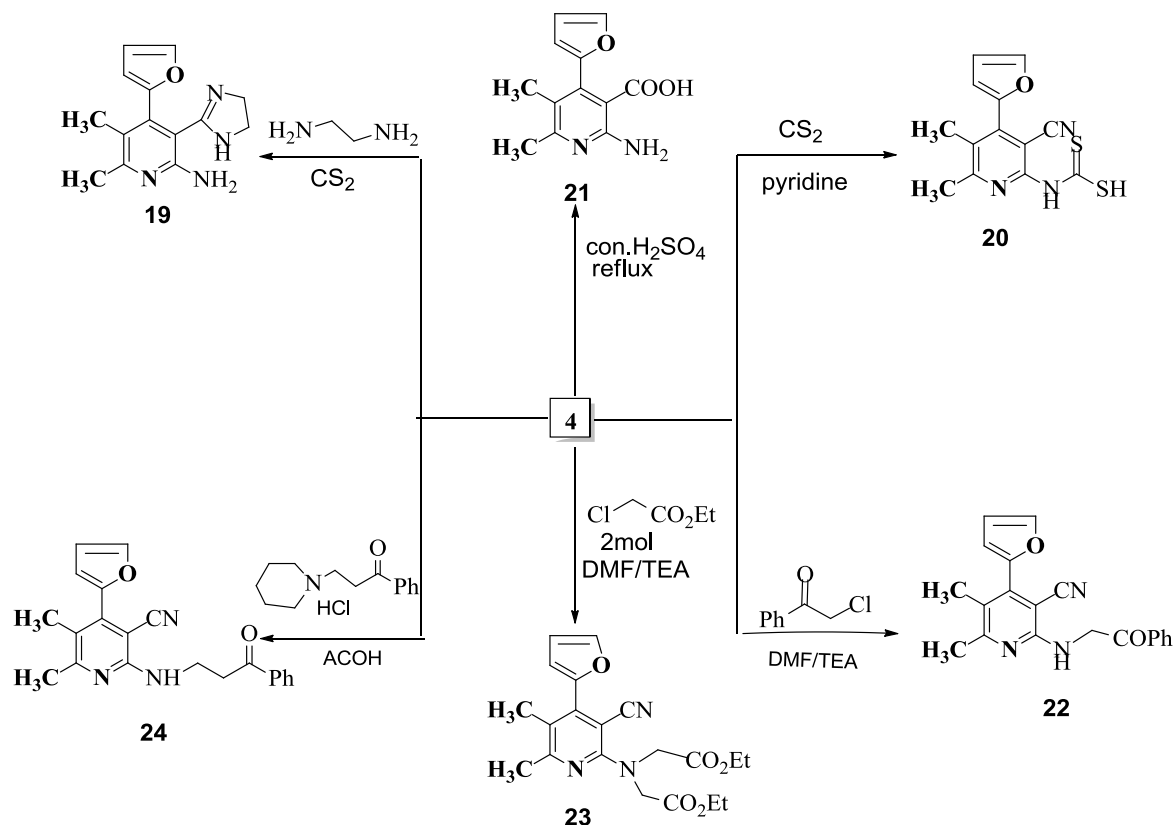
1, furan-2-carbaldehyde **2** and ammonium acetate in ethanol and afforded 5-oxoquinoline derivative **18** (Scheme 4). Assignment of compound **16-18** were based IR, $^1\text{H-NMR}$ and mass spectral data and satisfactorily elemental analysis. The IR spectrum of **16** showed absorption bands at $\nu = 3334, 3244, 2211$ and 1650 cm^{-1} due to NH, CN and CO groups, respectively. Moreover, the $^1\text{H-NMR}$ spectrum of **16** exhibited singlet signals at δ 1.15, 2.04, 2.30 and 2.58 ppm for $2\text{CH}_3, 2\text{CH}_2$ and CH_2CO protons, respectively. Furthermore, the IR spectrum of **17** revealed absorption bands at $\nu = 3326$ (NH), 2213 (CN) and 1648 cm^{-1} (C=N). The mass spectrum of **17** displayed molecular ion peak at m/z 293 (M^+) corresponding to a molecular formula $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{19}\text{N}_3\text{O}$. The IR spectrum of **18** revealed bands at (3405, 3334), 2206 and 1650 cm^{-1} attributed to (NH_2), CN and CO, respectively. The mass spectrum of **18** showed a deprotonated molecular ion peak at m/z 478 (M^-1) (33.1%), where **18** has a molecular formula $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{25}\text{N}_5\text{O}_3$.



Scheme 4

Moreover, refluxing of **4** with ethylenediamine in carbon disulfide afforded 4,5-dihydro-1H-imidazol-2-ylpyridine derivative **19** (Scheme 5). Refluxing of **4** with carbon disulfide in pyridine; or with concentrated sulfuric acid furnished pyridine derivatives **20** and **21**, respectively. On the other hand, the reaction of **4** with phenacylchloride; or with

ethylchloroacetate in *N,N*-dimethylformamide and catalytic amount of triethylamine afforded pyridine derivatives **22** and **23**, respectively. Furthermore, reaction of **4** with the mannish base 1-phenyl3-(piperidin-1-yl)propan-1-one hydrochloride in glacial acetic acid afforded phenylpropylaminopyridine derivative **24** (scheme 5).



Scheme 5

The Structure of each compounds **19-21** were confirmed on basis of their spectral data and satisfactorily elemental analysis. The IR spectrum of **19** was characterized by the absence of a CN group and the appearance of NH and NH₂ absorption bands at $\nu=3477$, 3381 and 3248 cm^{-1} , respectively. Furthermore, the IR spectrum of **20** showed the presence of bands at $\nu=3336(\text{NH})$, $2211(\text{CN})$ and $1256(\text{CS})\text{ cm}^{-1}$. Moreover, the IR spectrum of **21** was characterized by the disappearance of CN group and the appearance of OH, NH₂ and CO bands at $\nu=3413$ and 1670 cm^{-1} , respectively.

The ¹H-NMR spectrum of **19** revealed two characteristic singlet signals at δ 1.86 ppm corresponding to two CH₂ protons. Further, the ¹H-NMR spectrum of **20** exhibited characteristic singlet signal at δ 8.60 ppm attributed to SH proton. Furthermore, the ¹H-NMR spectrum of **21** displayed signal at δ 10.4 ppm due to OH proton. The mass spectrum of **20** showed an ion peak at m/z 288 ($M-17^+$) (0.5%) derived from a molecular ion M^+ which is corresponding to a molecular formula C₁₃H₁₁N₃OS₂ and a base peak at m/z

186. Also, the mass spectrum of **21** revealed the presence of a molecular ion peak at m/z 232 (M^+) (0.3 %) and the base peak at m/z 69 (100 %).

The structure of each of the products **22** and **23** was confirmed on basis of their spectral data satisfactorily elemental analysis. The IR spectrum of **22** displayed bands at $\nu=3327$, 2207 and 1656 cm^{-1} corresponding to NH, CN, and CO groups, respectively. The IR spectrum of **23** characterized by appearance of absorption bands at $\nu=2208$, 1738 and 1657 cm^{-1} due to stretching vibration of CN and (2CO) groups, respectively. The mass spectrum of **22** exhibited molecular ion peak at $331(M^+)$ corresponding to a molecular formula C₂₀H₁₇N₃O₂. The mass spectrum of **23** showed molecular ion peak at $385(M^+)$ (2.1%) corresponding to a molecular formula of C₂₀H₂₃N₃O₅ and a base peak at m/z 79.

Moreover, the IR spectrum of **24** revealed absorption bands at $\nu=3328$, 2207 and 1657 cm^{-1} due to NH, CN and CO groups, respectively. In addition, the mass spectrum of **24** showed molecular ion peak at $345(M^+)$ (51.2%) corresponding to molecular formula C₂₁H₁₉N₃O₂ and a base peak at m/z 79 (100%).

ABTS Antioxidant assay

Antioxidant activity screening assay ABTS method. For each of the investigated compounds (2 mL) of ABTS solution (60 μ M) was added to 3 mL MnO₂ solution (25mg/mL), all prepared in (5 mL) aqueous phosphate buffer solution (pH 7, 0.1 M). The mixture was shaken, centrifuged, filtered and the absorbance of the resulting green blue solution (ABTS radical solution) at 734 nm was adjusted to approx. ca. 0.5. Then, 50 μ l of (2 mM) solution of the tested compound in spectroscopic grade MeOH/phosphate buffer (1:1) was added. The absorbance was measured and the reduction in color intensity was expressed as inhibition

percentage. L -ascorbic acid was used as standard antioxidant (Positive control). Blank sample was run without ABTS and using MeOH/phosphate buffer (1:1) instead of tested compounds. Negative control was run with ABTS and MeOH/phosphate buffer (1:1) only (Lissi, *et. al.*,1999) ,(El-Gazar, *et. al.*, 2009) and (Aeschlach *et. al.*, 1994). Some of the tested compounds displayed antioxidant activity compared with L-ascorbic acid as shown in Table 1. Compounds **8**, **19** and **22** displayed high antioxidant potency, while compounds **5**, **13** and **18** showed moderate antioxidant activity and the rest of the tested compounds showed weak antioxidant activity.

Table 1: ABTS Antioxidant activity assay of the new compounds

Compound No	Absorbance of samples (λ)	% inhibition
Control of ABTS ^a	0.525	0%
Ascorbic acid	0.042	89.90%
4	0.476	9.33%
5	0.433	70.52%
9	0.472	30.09%
8	0.488	75.04%
12	0.451	14.09%
13	0.497	50.33%
18	0.152	71.04%
19	0.508	80.23%
22	0.468	79.85%

^a ABTS: The method used for antioxidant activity
 (%) Inhibition = [A (control) – A (test) /A (control)] x 100

Bleomycin-dependent DNA damage assay

The bleomycin are a family of glycopeptides antibiotics that are used routinely as antitumor agents. The bleomycin assay has been adopted for assessing the pro-oxidant of food antioxidants. The antitumor antibiotic bleomycin binds iron ions and DNA. The bleomycin – iron complex degrades DNA that, heating with thiobarbituric acid (TBA), yields a pink chromogen. Upon the addition of

suitable reducing agents antioxidant compete with DNA and diminish formation (Gutteridge, *et. al.*, 1981).

Bleomycin - dependent DNA damage assay

To the reaction mixtures in a final volume of 1.0 ml, the following reagents at the final concentrations started were added: DNA (0.2 mg/mL), dependent (0.05 mg/mL), FeCl₃ (0.025 mM), magnesium chloride (5

mM), KH_2PO_4 – KOH buffer pH 7.0 (30 mM), and L- ascorbic acid (0.24 mM) or the test fractions diluted in MeOH to give a concentration of (0.1 mg/mL). The reaction mixtures were incubated in water – bath at 37° C for 1 h. At the end of the incubation period, 0.1 mL of ethylenediaminetetraacetic acid (EDTA) (0.1 M) was added to stop the reaction (the iron – EDTA complex is unreactive in the bleomycin assay). DNA damage was assessed by adding 1 mL 1% (w/v) thiobarbituric acid (TBA) and 1 ml of 25% (v/v) hydrochloric acid (HCl) following by heating in a water-bath maintained at 80C for 15 min. The chromogen

formed was extracted into 1-butanol, and the absorbance was measured at 532 nm (Abdel-Wahab, *et. al.*, 2009) and (Badria, *et. al.*, 2007).

The protective activity against DNA damage induced by Bleomycine iron complex was examined in order to show the mechanism of action of the potent **5**, **8,9,12,13,18,19** and **22** compounds. The results in Table 2 showed that compound **19** exhibited a high protection against DNA damage induced by the bleomycine iron complex, thus, diminishing chromogen formation between the damaged DNA and TBA molecules.

Table 2: Bleomycin dependent-DNA damage of the investigated compounds.

Compound No	Absorbance of samples
Ascorbic acid	0.083
4	0.168
5	0.119
8	0.192
9	0.134
12	0.128
13	0.237
18	0.085
19	0.253
22	0.144

Experimental

All the melting points are recorded on Gallenkamp electric melting point apparatus and are uncorrected. The IR spectra ν (cm^{-1}) (KBr) were recorded on a Perkin Elmer Infrared Spectrophotometer Model 157 at the Microanalytical Unit, Faculty of Science, Mansoura University. The $^1\text{H-NMR}$ spectra were obtained on a Varian Spectrophotometer at 300 MHz using tetramethylsilane (TMS) as an internal reference and $\text{DMSO-}d_6$ as solvent and were carried out at the Microanalytical Center, Cairo University. The mass spectra (EI) were recorded on 70 eV with Kratos MS equipment and/or a Varian MAT 331 A Spectrophotometer at the Micro analytical Center, Cairo University, Giza, Egypt. Elemental analyses (C, H and N) were carried out at the Micro analytical Center, Cairo University, Giza, Egypt. Biological activities

were carried out at the Pharmacognosy Department, Faculty of Pharmacy, Mansoura University, Mansoura, Egypt.

Synthesis of 2-amino-4-(furan-2-yl)-5,6-dimethyl pyridine-3-carbonitrile (4). A mixture of furan-2-carboxaldehyde (0.48 g, 5mmol), 2-butanone (0.36 g, 5mmol), malononitrile (0.33g, 5mmol) and ammonium acetate (4.66gm, 40 mmol) in ethyl alcohol (10 ml) was heated under reflux for 12 hr. The reaction mixture was cooled and the formed precipitate was filtered, washed with water, dried and crystallized from methanol to give **4**.

Yellow crystals, yield, 50%, m.p:198 °C, IR (KBr): $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$: 3380, 3336; (NH_2); 2211 (CN), 1645 (C=N). $^1\text{H NMR}$ ($\text{DMSO-}d_6$): δ 2.30 (s, 3H, CH_3), 2.49 (s, 3H, CH_3), 6.57-7.19 (m, 3H, furanyl-H), 7.90 (s, 2H, NH_2). MS: m/z (%) = 213 (M^+ , 100), 197 (0.95), Anal. Calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{11}\text{N}_3\text{O}$ (213.09): C,

67.59; H, 5.20; N, 19.71. Found: C, 67.61; H, 5.23; N, 19.73%.

Synthesis of 5-(furan-2-yl)-6,7-dimethylpyrido[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-amine (5).

A mixture of compound **4** (1.06g, 5mmol) and (10ml) of formamide was refluxed for 11hr. After cooling the precipitated crystals were filtered off, washed with ethanol and crystallized from DMF to give **5**. Green crystals, yield 30 %, m.p = 170°C, IR(KBr) $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ = 3388, 3305 (NH₂). ¹H-NMR(DMSO-d₆) δ ppm = 2.36 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.50 (s, 3H, CH₃), 6.59-7.90 (m, 3H, furanyl-H), 7.95 (s, 2H, NH₂), 8.48 (s, 1H, =CH), MS : m/z (%) : 240 (M⁺, 30.6), 223 (5.4), 213 (100), 196 (5.8), 184 (42.3), 171 (4.6), 167 (7.3), 143 (81.7), 132 (2.3), 104 (11.2), 115 (78.9), 93 (2.6), 88 (85.4), 76 (96.4). Anal. Calcd for C₁₃H₁₂N₄O (240.26): C, 64.99; H, 5.03; N, 23.32. Found: C, 65.01; H, 5.06; N, 23.34%.

Synthesis of N-(3-cyano-4-(furan-2yl)-5,6-dimethylpyridin-2-yl) formamide (6).

A mixture of compound **4** (1.06g, 5mmol), formic acid (10ml) and concentrated hydrochloric acid (1ml) was heated under reflux for 18hr. The reaction mixture was cooled, poured into cold water and neutralized with KOH to give **6**. Brown crystals, yield 56 %, m.p = 232°C. IR(KBr) $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ = 3326 (NH), 3162 (CH), 2208 (CN), 1657 (CO). ¹H-NMR (DMSO-d₆) δ ppm = 2.37 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.49 (s, 3H, CH₃), 6.58-6.83 (m, 3H, furanyl), 7.91 (s, 1H, NH), 8.20 (s, 1H, HCO). MS : m/z (%) : 221 (M⁺-20, 7.2), 221 (7.2), 213 (56.4), 185 (11.9), 173 (8.4), 156 (10.3), 143 (20.9), 128 (8.7), 117 (9.8), 103 (7.5), 89 (22.4), 77 (54.2), 50 (100). Anal. Calcd for C₁₃H₁₁N₃O₂ (241.25): C, 64.72; H, 4.60; N, 17.42. Found: C, 64.76; H, 4.62; N, 17.44%.

Synthesis of N-(3-cyano-4-(furan-2yl)-5,6-dimethylpyridin-2-yl)acetamide (7).

A mixture of compound **4** (1.06g, 5mmol) and acetic anhydride (15ml) was heated under reflux for 24 hr. The reaction mixture was cooled and poured in ice cold water. The formed precipitate was collected by filtration and crystallized from ethanol to give **7**. Black crystals, yield 20 %, m.p = above 320 °C. IR(KBr) $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ = 3350 (NH), 2220 (CN),

1640 (CO). ¹H-NMR(DMSO-d₆) δ ppm = 1.90 (s, 3H, COCH₃), 2.36 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.54 (s, 3H, CH₃), 6.60-7.20 (m, 3H, furanyl), 7.90 (s, 1H, NH). MS : m/z (%) : 258 (M⁺+21⁺, 0.2), 256 (M⁺+17⁺, 11.1), 229 (31.1), 213 (71.7), 205 (1.8), 193 (3.1), 184 (1.8), 178 (1.81), 165 (1.9), 155 (6.7), 141 (6.8), 133 (4.3), 123 (2.16), 114 (5.7), 78 (76.1), 63 (100). Anal. Calcd for C₁₄H₁₃N₃O₂ (255.27): C, 65.87; H, 5.13; N, 16.46. Found: C, 65.89; H, 5.15; N, 16.48%.

N-(3-cyano-4-(furan-2yl)-5,6-dimethylpyridin-2-yl) methane thioamide (8).

A mixture of compound **6** (1.2g, 5mmol) and phosphorous pentasulfide (1.1g, 5mmol) in pyridine (10ml) was refluxed for 14 hr, the reaction mixture was cooled and then poured onto ice cold water, then acidified with diluted HCl. The obtained solid was crystallized from ethanol to give **8**. Black crystals, yield 30 %, m.p = above 320 °C. IR(KBr) $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ = 3240 (NH), 3136 (CH), 2210 (CN). MS : m/z (%) : 259 (M⁺+21⁺, 0.13), 258 (M⁺+17⁺, 0.1), 257 (M⁺, 0.2), 237 (2.3), 227 (0.2), 219 (0.1), 213 (100), 206 (0.2), 198 (3.1), 188 (2.0), 171 (5.4), 148 (0.3), 125 (0.3), 77 (18.9). Anal. Calcd for C₁₃H₁₁N₃OS (257.31): C, 60.68; H, 4.31; N, 16.33. Found: C, 60.69; H, 4.33; N, 16.35%.

Synthesis of 1-(3-cyano-4-(furan-2yl)-5,6-dimethylpyridin-2-yl)urea (9). Synthesis of 1-(3-cyano-4-(furan-2yl)-5,6-dimethylpyridin-2-yl)thiourea (10).

A mixture of compound **4** (1.06g, 5mmol) and urea (0.3g, 5mmol) or thiourea (0.38g, 5mmol) was heated at 180°C on a sand bath for 6hr. The mixture was solidified by cooling and addition of methanol (10ml), then filtered and recrystallized from DMF:EtOH to give **9** and **10**, respectively.

Compound 9: Black crystals, yield 36 %, m.p = above 300°C. IR(KBr) $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ = 3444, 3330, 3121 (NH₂, NH), 2207 (CN), 1645 (CO). ¹H-NMR(DMSO-d₆) δ ppm = 2.36 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.41 (s, 3H, CH₃), 6.38-6.89 (m, 3H, furanyl-H), 7.90 (s, 2H, NH₂), 11.09 (br, 1H, NH). MS : m/z (%) : 257 (M⁺+17⁺, 62.8), 256 (M⁺, 59.3), 240 (7.1),

234(3.3), 227(23.3), 213(100), 205(3.3), 199(14.3), 184(36.3), 164(2.5), 144(22.3), 129(20.2), 116(26.3), 76(70.2). Anal. Calcd for $C_{13}H_{12}N_4O_2$ (256.1): C, 60.93; H, 4.72; N, 21.86. Found: C, 60.96; H, 4.75; N, 21.88%.

Compound 10: Black crystals, yield 34 %, m.p = above 300° C. IR(KBr) v_{max}/cm^{-1} = 3404, 3327, 3157(NH₂, NH), 2207(CN), . MS : m/z (%) : 273 ($M+1$), 13.7), 272 (M^+ , 13.5), 263(5.2), 251(5.2), 245 (1.9), 237(3.3), 225(6.8), 213(44.6), 194(4.2), 184(52.7), 157(47.2), 133(13.06), 116 (100), 64 (14.4). Anal. Calcd for $C_{13}H_{12}N_4OS$ (272.3): C, 57.34; H, 4.44; N, 20.57. Found: C, 57.36; H, 4.46; N, 20.59%.

Synthesis of 5-furan-2-yl-6,7-dimethylpyrido [2,3-d]pyrimidine 2,4-diamine(11).

A mixture of compound 4 (1.06g, 5mmol) and urea (0.3g, 5mmol) was refluxed in glacial acetic acid and hydrochloric acid (3:1) for 10hr. After cooling the formed precipitated was filtered off and crystallized from EtOH to give 11. Brown crystals, yield 29%, m.p = above 320°C, IR (KBr) v_{max}/cm^{-1} = 3406(2NH₂). ¹H-NMR(DMSO-d₆) δ ppm = 2.37 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.50 (s, 3H, CH₃), 6.58-7.27 (m, 3H, furanyl-H), 7.43 (s, 2H, NH₂), 7.91 (s, 2H, NH₂). MS : m/z (%) : 257 ($M+2$), 1.8), 256 ($M+1$), 2.04), 255 (M^+ , 1.9), 244 (2.9), 237(2.1), 220(2.0), 213(100), 198(3.9), 184(34.3), 170(10.6), 167(3.1), 155(4.2), 128(2.9), 116(6.6), 69(39.5). Anal. Calcd for $C_{13}H_{13}N_5O$ (255.28): C, 61.17; H, 5.13; N, 27.43. Found: C, 61.19; H, 5.15; N, 27.44%.

Synthesis of 5-(furan-2-yl)-2, 3, 6, 7-tetramethyl-1,8-naphthyridin-4-amine(12).

A mixture of compound 4 (1.06g, 5mmol), butanone (0.36g, 5mmol) and ZnCl₂ (0.68g, 5mmol) was heated at 120-130°C for 2-3hr. After cooling, the reaction mixture was stirred in ice and neutralized with aqueous NaOH solution. The separated solid was collected by filtration and crystallized from ethanol to give 12. White crystals, yield 40%, m.p = 160°C. IR(KBr) v_{max}/cm^{-1} = 3405(NH₂). ¹H-NMR(DMSO-d₆) δ ppm = 2.34(s, 3H, CH₃), 2.39(s, 3H, CH₃), 2.43 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.57

(s, 3H, CH₃), 6.58-7.20 (m, 3H, furanyl), 7.91 (br, s, 2H, NH₂). MS : m/z (%): 267 (M^+ , 15.7), 255(17.5), 247(20.4), 235(15.7), 213 (17.5), 206(15.2), 192(18.2), 184(15.2), 177(16.9), 167(15.2), 140(15.2), 117 (27.7), 69(100). Anal. Calcd for $C_{16}H_{17}N_3O$ (267.14): C, 71.89; H, 6.41; N, 15.72. Found: C, 71.90; H, 6.42; N, 15.75%.

Synthesis of 5-(furan-2-yl)-2,6,7-trimethyl-3-acetyl-1,8-naphthyridin-4-amine (13).

A mixture of compound 4 (1.06gm, 5mmol), acetylacetone (0.5g, 5mmol), DMF(10ml) and triethylamine (5drops) was refluxed for 15 hr. The reaction mixture was cooled, then poured onto cold water and neutralized with dil HCl. The separated solid was collected by filtration and crystallized from ethanol to give 13. Black crystals, yield 35 %, m.p = above 320 °C. IR(KBr) v_{max}/cm^{-1} = 3380, 3343(NH₂), 1649(CO). ¹H-NMR(DMSO-d₆) δ ppm = 2.04(s, 3H, COCH₃), 2.30(s, 3H, CH₃), 2.36(s, 3H, CH₃), 2.57 (s, 3H, CH₃), 6.68-7.35(m, 3H, furanyl), 7.95 (br, s, 2H, NH₂). MS : m/z (%): 294 ($M+1$), 0.2), 287(0.2), 265(1.1), 253(0.3), 237 (48.7), 227(0.5), 216(0.3), 205(0.9), 186 (89.4), 155(2.0), 135(2.4), 122(1.1), 97 (69.9), 68(100). Anal. Calcd for $C_{17}H_{17}N_3O_2$ (295.13): C, 69.14; H, 5.80; N, 14.23. Found: C, 69.15; H, 5.82; N, 14.25%.

Synthesis of 4-amino-5(furan-2-yl)-1,2-dihydro-6,7-dimethyl-2-oxo-1,8-naphthyridine-3-carbonitrile(14).

A mixture of compound 4 (1.06g, 5mmol) and cyanoacetamide (0.4g, 5mmol) was heated in a sand bath for 15hr. The mixture was solidified by cooling and addition of methanol (10ml), then filtered and crystallized from DMF:EtOH to give 14. Black crystals, yield 45 %, m.p = above 320 °C. IR(KBr) v_{max}/cm^{-1} = 3379, 3334, 3243(NH₂, NH), 2211(CN), 1700(CO). ¹H-NMR (DMSO-d₆) δ ppm = 2.37 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.57 (s, 3H, CH₃), 6.58-7.02 (m, 5H, furanyl, NH₂), 7.90 (s, 1H, NH). MS: m/z (%): 280 (M^+ , 2.3), 267(3.2), 250(2.3), 248(3.1), 237(3.0), 222(2.3), 213(9.5), 192(2.8), 186(100), 162(2.4), 144(4.3), 128(3.0), 118(8.2), 105(9.5), 67(65.2). Anal. Calcd for $C_{15}H_{12}N_4O_2$

(280.1): C, 64.28; H, 4.32; N, 19.99. Found: C, 64.30; H, 4.33; N, 20.00%.

Synthesis of 2-(3,3-dimethyl-5-oxocyclohexylideneamino)-4-(furan-2-yl)-5,6-dimethylpyridine-3-carbonitril(16).

A mixture of a compound **4** (1.06g, 5mmol), 5,5-dimethyl-1,3-cyclohexandione (0.7g, 5mmol) and ethanol (10ml) was heated under reflux for 6hr. The formed solid mass collected and crystallized from DMF: EtOH (2:1) to give **16**. Black crystals, yield 30% m.p= 230 °C. IR(KBr) $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ = 3334, 3244(NH), 2211(CN), 1650(CO). $^1\text{H-NMR}$ (DMSO- d_6) δ ppm = 1.15 (br,s,6H,2CH₃), 2.04 (br,s,2H,CH₂), 2.36 (s,3H,CH₃), 2.49 (s,3H,CH₃), 2.58 (s,2H,CH₂CO), 6.58-7.20 (m,4H,3H-furany,CH=), 7.90(s,1H,NH). MS: m/z (%): 321 (M^+ -CH₂, 9.8), 307(7.6), 298(10.5), 277(8.3), 256(8.7), 243(10.2), 236(7.1), 224(9.8), 213(100), 204(7.1), 198(9.1), 186(12.0), 162(7.8), 124(7.4), 69(67.6). Anal. Calcd for C₂₀H₂₁N₃O₂ (335.16): C, 71.62; H, 6.31; N, 12.53. Found: C, 71.64; H, 6.33; N, 12.55%.

Synthesis of 2-(cyclohexylideneamino)-4-(furan-2-yl)-5,6-dimethylnicotinonitrile(17).

A mixture of compound **4** (1.06g, 5mmol), cyclohexanone (0.5g, 5mmol) and ethanol (10ml) was refluxed in for 5hr. The reaction mixture was allowed to cool to room temperature, then the deposited solid was filtered off, dried and crystallized by ethanol to give **17**. Brown crystals, yield 35% m.p=239°C. IR(KBr) $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ = 3326(NH) 2213 (CN), 1648(C=N). MS: m/z (%): 293 (M^+ , 0.2), 288(0.2), 279(0.5), 268(0.3), 255(1.2), 237 (12.8), 213(7.3), 205(0.6), 186 (100), 173 (56.7), 158(3.1), 147(4.2), 126(2.6), 110(3.6), 68(8.4). Anal Calcd for C₁₈H₁₉N₃O (293.15): C, 73.69; H, 6.53; N, 14.32. Found: C, 73.70; H, 6.54; N, 14.33%.

Synthesis of 2-amino-1-(3-cyano-4-(furan-2-yl)-5,6-dimethylpyridin-2-yl)-4-(furan-2-yl)-1,2,5,6,7,8-hexahydro-7,7-dimethyl-5-oxoquinoline-3-carbonitrile(18).

A mixture of compound **4** (1.6g, 5mmol), malononitrile (0.33g, 5mmol), furan-2-

carbaldehyde (0.46g, 5mmol) in ethanol (10ml) containing triethylamine (3drops) was refluxed for 10hr. The reaction mixture was cooled and then poured onto cold water, the obtained solid was filtered off dried, then crystallized from methanol to give **18**. Brown crystals, yield 50% m.p= 260 °C IR(KBr) $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ = 3405, 3334(NH₂), 2206(CN), 1650(CO). MS: m/z (%): 478 (M^+), 33.1, 477 (M^+), 43.8, 440(33.6), 414(28.8), 405(39.1), 377(43.3), 340(32.1), 325(4.8), 387 (39.04), 261 (33.69), 228 (39.57), 213(29.9), 197(31.0), 172 (59.36), 69 (100). Anal. Calcd for C₂₈H₂₅N₅O₃ (479.2): C, 70.13; H, 5.25; N, 14.60. Found: C, 70.15; H, 5.27; N, 14.62%.

Synthesis of 4-(furan-2-yl)-3-(4,5-dihydro-1H-imidazol-2-yl)-5,6-dimethylpyridine-2-

amine(19). A mixture of compound **4** (1.06g, 5mmol) and ethylenediamine (0.3g, 5mmol) was refluxed in carbon disulfide (2ml) for 6hr. The reaction mixture was allowed to cool to room temperature. The formed solid collected by filtration and crystallized by methanol to give **19**. Brown crystals, yield 55% m.p= 150 °C. IR(KBr) $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ = 3477, 3381, 3248(NH, NH₂). $^1\text{H-NMR}$ (DMSO- d_6) δ ppm = 1.86(br, 4H, 2CH₂), 2.36(s, 3H, CH₃), 2.57(s, 3H, CH₃), 6.57-7.19 (m, 3H, furanyl), 7.90-7.95 (m, 3H, NH, NH₂). MS: m/z (%): 256 (M^+ , 16.1), 237(0.6), 226(0.6), 213 (74.6), 208(0.3), 192 (8.6), 184 (48.3), 174(0.2), 163(0.3), 146(2.1), 127(23.5), 101(100), 88(18.2), 63(91.8). Anal. Calcd for C₁₄H₁₆N₄O (256.13): C, 65.61; H, 6.29; N, 21.86. Found: C, 65.62; H, 6.30; N, 21.87%.

Synthesis of (3-cyano-4-(furan-2-yl)-5,6-dimethylpyridine-2-yl)carbomodithioic acid(20).

A mixture of compound **4** (1.06g, 5mmol) in pyridine (20ml) and carbon disulfide (0.76g, 10mmol) was heated on water-bath (80°C) for 20hr. The reaction mixture was allowed to cool the precipitate was filtered off washed with ethanol and dried to give **20**. Black crystals, yield 50% m.p= 286 °C. IR(KBr) $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ = 3336 (NH), 2211(CN),

1256(CS). ^1H -NMR(DMSO- d_6) δ ppm= 2.36 (s,3H,CH₃), 2.57 (s,3H,CH₃), 6.58-7.37 (m,3H,furanyl), 7.94 (s,1H,NH), 8.60(s,1H,SH).

MS: m/z (%): 288($M-1$), 274(1.1), 260(1.5), 246(1.2), 236 (3.7), 223(2.1), 213 (1.8), 186 (100), 173(71.0), 158 (32.9), 134(18.7), 116(11.5), 80(6.8), 63(71.7). Anal. Calcd for C₁₃H₁₁N₃OS₂ (289.13): C, 53.96; H, 3.83; N, 14.52. Found: C, 53.98; H,3.85 ; N, 14.53%.

Synthesis of 2-amino-4-(furan-2-yl)-5,6-dimethyl pyridine-3-carboxylic acid(21).

A solution of **4** (1.06g, 5mmol), in conc. H₂SO₄ (10ml) was refluxed for 18hr. The reaction mixture was allowed to cool to room temperature and poured onto cooled water. The formed solid was collected and treated with ethanol then filtered and crystallized by ethanol to give **21**. Black crystals, yield 15 % ,m.p= 230°C. IR(KBr) $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ = 3413 (brNH₂, OH), 1670 (CO). ^1H -NMR(DMSO- d_6) δ ppm = 2.4 (s,6H,2CH₃), 4.0(s,2H,NH₂), 6.9-7.4(m,3H,furanyl), 10.4(s,1H,OH). MS: m/z (%): 232 (M⁺, 0.3), 227(0.7), 213(1.3), 209(0.3), 198(0.1), 175(1.5), 162(0.7), 149 (7.6), 122(3.8), 118(0.5), 110(4.6), 99(3.3), 69(100), 56(7.7). Anal Calcd for C₁₂H₁₂N₂O₃ (232.08): C, 62.06; H, 5.21; N, 12.06. Found: C, 62.08; H,5.22 ; N, 12.07%.

Synthesis of 2-(2-oxo-2-phenylethylamino)-4-(furan-2-yl)-5,6-dimethyl pyridine-2-yl)-3-carbonitrile(22).

A mixture of compound **4** (1.06g, 5mmol), phenacylchloride (0.77g, 5mmol), DMF (5ml) and TEA (0.3ml) was refluxed in for 7hr. The reaction mixture was allowed to cool to room temperature and poured onto cooled water. The formed solid was collected by filtration and crystallized by ethanol to give **22**. Brown crystals, yield 30 % ,m.p= 224 °C. IR(KBr) $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ = 3327(NH), 2207(CN), 1656(CO). MS: m/z (%): 331(M⁺, 1.8), 322(0.7), 314(0.5), 299(0.9), 275(11.6), 254(2.8), 238(0.3), 212(7.8), 199(6.1), 162(16.6), 140(1.6), 120(7.8), 102(1.8), 80(100). Anal Calcd for C₂₀H₁₇N₃O₂ (331.13):

C, 72.49; H, 5.17; N, 12.68. Found: C, 72.50; H, 5.18 ; N, 12.88%.

Synthesis of Bis-ethyl-(2-(3-cyano-4-(furan-2-yl)-5,6-dimethylpyridin-2-ylamino)acetate(23).

A mixture of compound **4**(1.06g ,5mmol), ethyl chloroacetate (1.2g,10mmol) in DMF (15ml) and potassium carbonate (1.2g ,5mmol) was refluxed for 20hr. The reaction mixture was allowed to cool to room temperature and poured onto cooled water. The formed solid was collected by filtration and crystallized by ethanol to give **23**. Brown crystals, yield 25 % ,m.p=above 300°C. IR(KBr) $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ = 2208 (CN)1738, 1657 (2CO). MS: m/z (%): 385(M⁺, 2.1), 361(0.1), 337(0.7), 356(0.1), 314(0.3), 296 (0.2), 272(0.1), 257 (2.6), 220 (0.5), 198(0.8), 174(0.2), 124(3.1), 110(3.3), 79(100) Anal. Calcd for C₂₀H₂₃N₃O₅ (385.16): C, 62.33; H, 6.01; N, 10.90. Found: C, 62.35; H,6.02 ; N, 10.11%.

Synthesis of 2-(3-oxo-3-phenylpropylamino)-4-(furan-2-yl)-5,6-dimethyl pyridine-2-yl)-3-carbonitrile(24).

A mixture of compound **4** (1.06g,5mmol), 1-phenyl-3-(pipridinyl)-propan-1-one hydrochloride (1.14g,5mmol), acetic acid (5ml) was refluxed for 10hr. The reaction mixture was allowed to cool to room temperature. The formed solid was collected by filtration and crystallized from ethanol to give **24**. Pale brown crystals, yield 10 %, m.p= 265 °C. IR(KBr) $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ = 3328 (NH), 2207 (CN), 1657(CO). ^1H -NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ ppm :2.37 (m,5H,CH₃,CH₂CO), 2.5 (m,5H,CH₃,CH₂), 6.58-6.83(m,8H,Ar-H), 7.91 (s,1H,NH). MS: m/z (%):345 (M⁺, 51.2), 334(37.8), 318(34.7), 307(42.6), 297 (59.1), 274(35.5), 257(34.7), 223 (53.05), 213(51.22), 170 (44.5), 133(51.2), 108(1.7), 69 (98.1), 55(100). Anal Calcd for C₂₁H₁₉N₃O₂ (345.13): C, 73.03; H, 5.54; N, 12.17. Found: C, 73.05; H,5.55 ; N, 12.19%.

Conclusion

The objective of the present study was to synthesize and evaluate the antioxidant activity of some novel pyridine, imadazole and quinoline derivatives with the hope of discovering new structure serving as antioxidant agent. The data showed clearly that compounds **8**, **12**, **13**, **19** and **22** displayed promising *in vitro* antioxidant activities using ABTS method. Compound **19** exhibited high protection against DNA damage induced by the bleomycine iron complex.

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تحضير ٤ -امينو-فيروانيل-٥و٦-داى ميثيل نيكوتينونيتريل ٤ وتفاعله مع فورماميد والفورميك اسيد والاسيتك انهيدرايد لانتاج بيريدو بريميدين ٥ و ٦ و ٧ ثم تفاعل ٦ مع فوسفرس بينتاسلفيت واعطاء ٨. تفاعل ٤ مع يوريا والثيو يوريا الانتاج ٩ و ١٠ تفاعل ٤ مع يوريا فى وجود حمض الخليك الثلج وحمض الهيدروكلوريك يعطى ١١. تفاعل ٤ مع البيتانون والاسيتيل اسيتون يعطى ١٢ و ١٣. صهر ٤ مع سيانوايتاميد يعطى ١٤. تفاعل ٤ مع ٥ و ٥-داميثيل-١ و ٣-سيكلوهيكسادايون وسيكلوهيكسانوني يعطى ١٦ و ١٧. تفاعل ٤ مع ايثيلين داسامين وكاربوندايسالفيد و حمض السافوريك اسد يعطى ١٩ و ٢٠ و ٢١. اخيرا تفاعل ٤ مع فينسيل كلوريد و ايسيل كلورو اسيتات و ١-فينيل-٣-(بيبيردينيل-١-يل)بروبان-١-ون هيدروكلوريد يعطى ٢٢ و ٢٣ و ٢٤.