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Dehydration of Hydrosilylation Products of α-Glycols Containing Terminal Acetylene Bond

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ABSTRACT. Dehydration reaction (pinacoline rearrangement) of hydrosilylation products of some α -glycols containing terminal acetylene bond, is studied. Dehydration products (products of pinacoline rearrangement) are isolated and identified. Comparison of these products with products formed in conditions of hydrosilylation (Speier's catalyst in isopropyl alcohol) of acetylene α -glycols allows to conclude that in the latter case pinacolines are not formed. © 2010 Bull. Georg. Natl. Acad. Sci.

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In the reaction conditions of hydrosilylation of acetylene α -glycols hydrosilylation occurs, basically, by Farmer's rule, however, in parallel, rather in small quantity, products of hydrosilylation by Markovnikov's rule are also formed. The basic process can be accompanied also by dehydration of formed hydrosilylation products. It was necessary to find out, whether there occurs a dehydration reaction (pinacoline rearrangement) of hydrosilylation products of α -glycols in these conditions. We synthesized hydrosilylation products of acetylene α -glycols containing terminal acetylene bond, and have carried out their dehydration, the formed pinacolines are isolated and investigated.

The following have been selected as initial glycols: 3,4-dimethyl-1-triethylsilylpentene-1-diol-3,4; 3,4-dimethyl-1-triethylsilylhexene-1-diol-3,4; and 3,5-dimethyl-1-triethylsilylhexene-1-diol-3,4; triethylhydridesilane as hydrosilylization agent and Speier's catalyst are used [1-3]. Dehydration of prepared hydrosilylation products of α -glycols is carried out in the presence of sulfuric acid as catalyst [4]. Dehydration products (products of pinacoline rearrangement) are isolated and identified.

The study of spectra of the obtained pinacolines

shows the presence in their molecules of carbonyl group (frequency 1700 cm^{-1}); the frequencies of hydroxyl groups are not found out, the frequency, characteristic of ethylene bond – 1600 cm^{-1} is observed. As is known, ethylene bond conjugated with carbonyl group, causes a strong absorption band in the region of 1600 cm^{-1} .

Experiment. Hydrosilylation of acetylene α -glycols containing terminal acetylene bond is carried out as follows: to a mix of 0.1 mole of initial acetylene α -glycol and 0.1 mole trialkylsilane the catalyst - 1 ml of 0.1 molar solution of H₂PtCl₆ in isopropyl alcohol is added. The mix is heated up 4 hours at 100 °C by blending. The prepared material is exposed to fractional distillation under vacuum. Individual compounds are isolated by chromatography on Al₂O₃ column.

Dehydration of hydrosilylation products of α -glycols containing terminal acetylene bond is carried out as follows: silicon containing ethylene glycol (0.016 M) is placed in the distillation flask, 6N sulfuric acid (5.5 g) is added and the mix heated and distilled under vacuum. In these conditions, at first water is distilled, and at the further increase of temperature - mix of water and oily mass. The prepared material is exposed to fractional distillation under vacuum. Individual compounds are isolated by chromatography on Al₂O₃ column.

UR spectra are registered by spectrometer UR-10 in a thin layer of compound, in liquid paraffin. The purity of individual compounds is checked by means of gaschromatography on the chromatograph CHROM 5 (Flame-ionization detector; column 1200 cm; carrier - fire brick; stationary phase - dodecyl phthalate; carrier gas – nitrogen, 30-32 ml/min; temperature of column 150 °C; temperature of dosimeter 190 °C).

3,3-dimethyl-1-triethylsilylpentene-1-one-4 (I) from 3,4-dimethyl-1-triethylsilyl-pentene-1-diol-3,4:

CH₃-CO-C(CH₃)₂-CH=CH-Si(C₂H₅)₃ (**I**): Yellow mobile liquid, b.p. 97-100^O at 2 mm, yield 30%, n_{D}^{20} 1.4510, d_{4}^{20} 0.8452, Rf = 0.93 (Al₂O₃, benzene-diethyl ether 3:2).

Anal. Calcd. for C₁₃H₂₆OSi: C,69.02; H, 11.50; Si, 12.39. MR_D 71.48. M 226.

Found: C, 69.28; H, 11.84; Si, 12.15. MR_D 71.54. M 230.

3,4-dimethyl-1-triethylsilylhexene-1-one-4 (II) from 3,4-dimethyl-1-triethylsilylhexene-1-diol-3,4;

CH₃-CH₂-CO-C(CH₃)₂-CH=CH-Si(C₂H₅)₃ (**II**): yellow mobile liquid, b.p. 120-124^O at 3.5 mm, yield 31%, n_{D}^{20} 1.4679, d_{4}^{20} 0.8821, Rf = 0.87 (Al₂O₃, benzene-diethyl ether 3:2).

Anal. Calcd. for C₁₄H₂₈OSi: C,70.00; H, 11.66; Si, 11.66. MR_p 76.11. M 240.

Found: C, 70.11; H, 11.91; Si, 11.43. MR_D 75.61. M 245.

3,5-dimethyl-1-triethylsilylhexene-1-one-4 (II) from 3,5-dimethyl-1-triethylsilyl-hexene-1-diol-3,4;

 $(CH_3)_2$ -CH-CO-CH (CH_3) -CH=CH-Si $(C_2H_5)_3$ (III): yellow mobile liquid, b.p. 95-100^O at 1 mm, yield 42%, n_D^{20} 1.4499, d_4^{20} 0.8491, Rf = 0.85 (Al₂O₃, benzene-diethyl ether 3:2).

Anal. Calcd. for C₁₄H₂₈OSi: C,70.00; H, 11.66; Si, 11.66. MR_D 76.11. M 240.

Found: C, 70.27; H, 11.80; Si, 11.64. MR_D 75.79. M 246.

The presence of carbonyl group in compounds **I-III** was also confirmed by reaction with 2,4-dinitrophenyl hydrazine.

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