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NOVEL Cr(III) COMPLEXES OF D-AMINOACID-SCHIFF AS ANTIMICROBIAL AGENTS

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The aim of this work was to assess the antibacterial of novel Schiff bases-Cr(III) complexes: [Cr(5F-Gly)Cl(H₂O)₂], [Cr(5F-Ala)Cl(H₂O)₂], [Cr(5F-3Cl-Gly)Cl(H₂O)₂], [Cr(5F-3Cl-Ala)Cl(H₂O)₂] (Figure 1) [1].

All these complexes have been examined for antibacterial activity against pathogenic strains *Listeria monocytogenes* 4b ATCC19115, *Staphylococcus aureus* ATCC25923, *Escherichia coli* ATCC1280, *Salmonella typhi* H NCTC 901.8394, *Staphylococcus epidermidis* sp., *Shigella dysenteriae* typ 10 NCTC 9351 and antifungal activity against *Candida albicans* Y-1200-NIH, Tokyo. Concentrations of Cr(III) complexes were prepared to be 0.25 µg/µL in DMF against the tested bacterial species (Table 1) [2].

Table 1

Microorg.	Compound			
	[Cr(5F-Gly)A]	[Cr(5F-Ala)A]	[Cr(5F-3Cl-Gly)A]	[Cr(5F-3Cl-Ala)A]
<i>Sh.dys. typ 10</i>	8	-	10	-
<i>L.monocytogenes</i>	8.5	9	10	-
<i>S.typhi H</i>	12	13.5	11.5	11.5
<i>S.aureus</i>	7	10	10	-
<i>S.epidermidis</i>	8.5	8.5	-	7
<i>E.coli</i>	12.5	-	8.5	-
<i>C.albicans</i>	13.5	10	15.5	15.5

A: Cl(H₂O)₂

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COMPARISON ANTIBACTERIAL AND ANTIFUNGAL PROPERTIES OF BETWEEN DIAMAGNETIC AND PARAMAGNETIC Ni(II) COMPLEXES

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The aim of this work was to investigate the antibacterial and antifungal activities of novel diamagnetic and paramagnetic Ni(II) complexes with ligand aminoacid-Schiff bases including fluorine atom. This new Ni(II) complexes were synthesis by template methods [1]. And then, novel complexes have been examined for antibacterial activity against pathogenic strains *Escherichia coli* ATCC1280, *Salmonella typhi* H NCTC 901.8394, *Staphylococcus epidermidis* sp., *Micrococcus luteus* ATCC 9341, and antifungal activity against *Candida albicans* Y-1200-NIH, Tokyo [2].

The antimicrobial test results of complexes (0.25 µg/µL in DMF) exhibited better activity than some known antibiotics as Kanamycin and Amoxycillin. In particular, diamagnetic Ni(II) complexes were more potent bactericides than all of the substances synthesized (Table 1). A: [Ni(5F-Gly)(H₂O)₃]; B: [Ni(5F-Ala)(H₂O)₃]; C: [Ni(5F-3Cl-Gly)(H₂O)]; D: [Ni(5F-3Cl-Ala)(H₂O)].

Table 1

Microorganisms	Compound				
	A	B	C	D	Control
<i>S.typhi</i> H	-	10.5	20	12.5	-
<i>S.epidermidis</i>	8.5	13	14	16	-
<i>M.luteus</i>	12	11.5	24	31.5	-
<i>E.coli</i>	11.5	10	16.5	19.5	-
<i>C. albicans</i>	13	10.5	20.5	20	-

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MICROBIOLOGICAL ACTIVITIES OF NOVEL BIS-CROWN ETHERS

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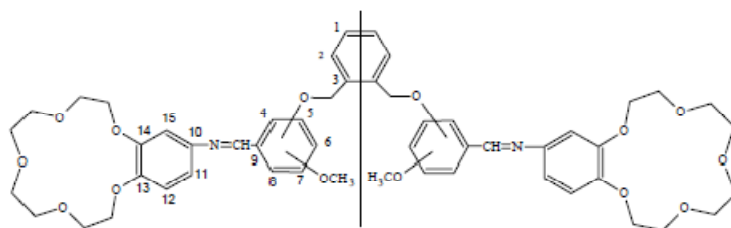
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Mono- and *bis*-crown ethers have been a topic of great interest in chemical and biological research for more than four decades [1]. They have recently demonstrated function as antimicrobial agents [2]. The aim of this work was to investigate the antibacterial activities of four novel *bis*-crown ethers including methoxy group and benzo-15-crown-5 moieties. This novel compounds have been examined for antibacterial activity against pathogenic strains *Staphylococcus aureus* RSKK-07035, *Shigella dysenteriae* typ 7 NCTC-9363 and *Salmonella typhi* H NCTC 901.8394, *Staphylococcus epidermis* sp.

The antimicrobial test results of compounds (10^3 μ M in DMF) exhibited better activity than some known antibiotics as Nystatin and SCF Sulbactam.

Table 1

Microorganisms	Compound			
	1	2	3	4
<i>S.aureus</i>	13	-	15	15
<i>Sh.dys. typ 7</i>	11	15	13	19
<i>S.typhi H</i>	-	-	14	13
<i>E.coli</i>	-	-	20	21



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