

# N-Benzyl- und N-Heptyl-substituierte Tetraazacyclododecane

N-Benzyl and N-Heptyl Substituted Tetraazacyclodecanes

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1,5-Bis(methylsulfonyloxi)-3-aza-3-*p*-toluenesulfonylamidopentane (**1**) reacts with 4-benzyl-1,7-bis(*p*-toluenesulfonyl)diethylenetriamine (**2**) and 4-benzyl-1,7-bis(*p*-nitrophenylsulfonyl)diethylenetriamine (**3**) and Cs<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> yielding 1-benzyl-4,7,10-tris(*p*-toluenesulfonyl)-1,4,7,10-tetraazacyclododecane (**9a**) and 1-benzyl-4,10-bis(*p*-nitrophenylsulfonyl)-7-*p*-toluenesulfonyl)-1,4,7,10-tetraazacyclododecane (**10a**), respectively. The corresponding dimers 1,13-bis(benzyl)-4,7,10,16,19,22-hexa(*p*-toluenesulfonyl)-1,4,7,10,13,16,19,22-octaazacyclotetracosane (**9b**) and 1,13-bis(benzyl)-4,10,16,22-tetra(*p*-nitrophenylsulfonyl)-7,19-bis(*p*-toluenesulfonyl)-1,4,7,10,13,16,19,22-octaaza-cyclotetracosane (**10b**) could not be isolated but detected by mass spectroscopy. The reactions of **1** with 4-heptyl-1,7-bis(*p*-nitrophenylsulfonyl)diethylenetriamine (**5**) and Cs<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> results in the formation of 1-heptyl-4,10-bis(*p*-nitrophenylsulfonyl)-7-*p*-toluenesulfonyl)-1,4,7,10-tetraazacyclododecane (**11**) and **1** reacts with 4-benzyl-diethylenetriamine (**4**) and Cu(O<sub>2</sub>CCH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub> forming the dimeric copper complex [{C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>5</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N(CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>NH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>2</sub>Cu(μ-Cl)OSO<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>3</sub>]<sub>2</sub>} (**12**). The <sup>1</sup>H and <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectra of the new compounds as well as the single crystal X-ray structure analyses of **9a**, **11**, and **12** are reported and discussed.

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