## Synthesis of 4-substitutedimino-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amines via palladiumcatalysed isocyanide insertion in 2-bromophenylthioureas

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#### Classical approaches to 4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amines

The classical methods to the synthesis of 4H-benzo[d][1,3]thiazin-2-amines involve the condensation of aromatic amine or thioureas bearing an *ortho* halomethyl (eq. 1), hydroxymethyl (eq. 2) or cycloalkyl or oxirane (eq. 3) with thioamides or thioureas in the presence of base or bronsted acid.



The references cited herein are ref. 5-7 in the manuscript.

#### Experimental

**General**- All experiments were monitored by analytical thin layer chromatography (TLC). TLC was performed on pre-coated silica gel plates. After elution, plate was visualized under UV illumination at 254 nm for UV active materials. Melting points are uncorrected and were determined in capillary tubes on a melting point apparatus containing silicon oil. IR spectra were recorded using a Perkin-Elmer FTIR spectrophotometer. <sup>1</sup>H NMR and <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectra were recorded either on Bruker 400 MHz spectrometer, using TMS as an internal standard (chemical shifts in  $\delta$ ). The ESI-MS were recorded on Thermo Finnigan LCQ Advantage, Ion Trap Mass spectrometer. The HRMS spectra were recorded as ESI-HRMS on Agilent 6520 Q-TOF, LC-MS/MS mass spectrometer. All reagents and solvents were used as obtained commercially or dried by following standard procedure.

#### General procedure for the synthesis of 2-halophenylthioureas as exemplified for 1a



To the flask containing aryl / alkyl isothiocyanate (5 mmol) in ethanol (5 mL), 2-halo aniline (5 mmol) was added and kept for stirring at room temperature. Formed thiourea precipitated

out from the reaction mixture, which was filtered, washed with hexane and dried under vaccum.<sup>(1, 2)</sup>

# General procedure for the synthesis substituted 4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amines as exemplified for synthesis of 3aA



2-Bromophenylthiourea **1a** (0.25 g, 0.82 mmol), cyclohexylisocyanide **2A** (0.25 ml, 1.23 mmol), Pd(OAc)<sub>2</sub> (18.4 mg, 10 mol %), dppf (45 mg, 10 mol%) and anhydrous toluene (5.0 mL) were added to a 50 ml of reaction vial equipped with a magnetic stirring bar under nitrogen atmosphere. After 15 min of reaction time Cs<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> (0.53 g, 2.0 equiv) was added to the reaction and the mixture was heated at 110 °C for 12 h. After completion of the reaction as indicated by TLC, the mixture was filtered on a bed of Celite and the solvent removed under vacuo to obtain a residue which was purified via silica gel column chromatography (hexanes/ EtOAc 97/ 3, v/v) to furnish **3aA** (0.29 g, 87%) as a yellow viscous oil.

(During the optimisation studies the reaction was performed with 0.1 g of **1a** to obtain 0.09 g of **3aA** and 0.033g of **4a**)



4-(Cyclohexylimino)-*N*-phenyl-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3aA). Yield: 87% as yellow oil (0.24 g from 0.25 g);  $R_f = 0.55$  (hexane: EtOAc, 90:10, v/v);  $\nu_{max}$ (Neat) 1659 (C=N), 3320 (NH) cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) =1.87-1.98 (m, 2H), 2.01-2.05 (m, 3H), 2.08-2.12 (m, 2H), 6.84 (s, 1H), 7.15-7.25 (m, 1H), 7.25-7.27 (m, 2H), 7.39-7.43 (m, 4H), 7.58-7.60 (m,

1H), 7.60-7.65 (m, 1H), 8.68-8.70 (m, 1H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 25.9, 26.6, 36.6, 62.0, 121.0, 124.2, 124.9, 126.0, 129.4, 132.6, 134.6, 141.5, 149.7, 150.6, 156.2; MS (ESI+) m/z= 336.0 (M+H)<sup>+</sup>; ES-HRMS calcd. For C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>22</sub>N<sub>3</sub>S [MH]<sup>+</sup> 336.1534, Found 336.1535.

**4-(Cyclohexylimino)-***N*-(**3-methoxyphenyl**)-**4***H*-**benzo**[*d*][**1**,**3**]**thiazin-2-amine**(**3bA**).Yield: 86% as yellow oil (0.23 g from 0.25 g);  $R_f = 0.55$  (hexane: EtOAc, 90:10, v/v);  $v_{max}$ 



(Neat) 1626 (C=N), 3383 (NH) cm-1; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 1.92-2.01 (m, 6H), 2.10-2.14 (m, 4H), 2.36-2.39 (m, 1H), 3.49 (s, 3H), 4.54 (s, 1H), 7.11 (t, 1H, *J* = 7.1 Hz), 7.31-7.34 (m, 2H), 7.40-7.44 (m, 1H), 7.70-7.75 (m, 1H), 8.06-8.39 (m, 1H), 8.41 (d, 1H, *J* = 1.3

Hz), 8.72 (d, 1H, J = 7.7 Hz); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 24.8, 26.1, 26.7, 33.2, 54.3, 59.9, 110.2, 116.6, 121.7, 122.9, 125.7, 125.8, 127.1, 134.4, 146.3, 149.2, 151.5, 157.9; MS (ESI+)  $m/z = 366.0 \text{ (M+H)}^+$ ; ES-HRMS calcd. For C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>24</sub>ON<sub>3</sub>S [MH]<sup>+</sup> 366.1640, Found 366.1645.

N-(4-chlorophenyl)-4-(cyclohexylimino)-4H-benzo[d][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3cA). Yield:

88% as yellow oil (0.24 g from 0.25 g);  $R_f = 0.56$  (hexane: EtOAc, 90:10, v/v);  $v_{max}$  (Neat) 1600 (C=N), 3392 (NH) cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 1.90-2.06 (m, 11H), 6.81 (s, 1H, ), 7.25 (t, 3H, J = 7.0 Hz), 7.33-7.40 (m, 3H), 7.59 (d, 2H, J = 8.2 Hz), 8.67 (d, 2H, J =

8.1 Hz); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 26.2, 27.1, 27.2, 27.3, 36.9, 37.4, 61.8, 122.1, 125.1, 125.9, 126.9, 129.2, 132.5, 134.6, 136.7, 143.4, 146.5, 150.1, 155.4; MS (ESI+)  $m/z = 369.9 \text{ (M+H)}^+$ ; ES-HRMS calcd. for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>21</sub>ClN<sub>3</sub>S [MH]<sup>+</sup> 370.1145, Found 370.1149.

*N*-(**3**-chlorophenyl)-4-(cyclohexylimino)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3dA). Yield:



85% as yellow oil (0.23 g from 0.25 g);  $R_f = 0.55$  (hexane: EtOAc, 90:10, v/v);  $\nu_{max}$  (Neat) 1600 (C=N), 3391 (NH) cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 1.85-1.94 (m, 6H), 1.98-2.09 (m, 4H), 2.20 (d, 1H, J = 10.9 Hz), 6.84 (s, 1H), 7.13 (d, 1H, J = 7.7 Hz), 7.32 (t, 2H, J = 8.0 Hz),

7.45 (t, 2H, J = 8.6 Hz), 7.62 (t, 1H, J = 7.0 Hz), 7.80 (s, 1H), 8.68 (d, 1H, J = 8.2 Hz); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 26.6, 27.1, 27.2, 37.0, 37.4, 61.9, 118.7, 120.8, 124.1, 125.3, 126.1, 128.9, 130.2, 131.0, 132.5, 134.7, 139.4, 143.4, 150.8, 156.1; MS (ESI+) m/z = 370.0 (M+H)<sup>+</sup>; ES-HRMS calcd. for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>21</sub>ClN<sub>3</sub>S [MH]<sup>+</sup> 370.1145, Found 370.1147.

4-(Cyclohexylimino)-*N*-(naphthalen-1-yl)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3eA). Yield: 87% as yellow oil (0.23 g from 0.25 g);  $R_f = 0.46$  (hexane: EtOAc, 90:10, v/v);  $v_{max}$  (Neat) 1655 (C=N), 3420 (NH) cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 1.63-1.75 (m, 4H), 1.86 (brs, 7H), 6.59 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.2 Hz), 7.06 (t, 1H, *J* = 2.4 Hz), 7.08-7.20 (m, 1H), 7.29 (d, 1H, *J* =

2.4 Hz), 7.38-7.54 (m, 5H), 7.60 (d, 1H, J = 7.5 Hz), 7.90 (d, 1H, J = 8.0 Hz), 8.63 (d, 1H, J = 8.4 Hz); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 25.8, 26.8, 31.8, 58.3, 108.1, 116.1, 123.7, 123.9, 124.2, 124.4, 126.0, 126.4, 132.0, 132.6, 133.7, 134.0, 143.1, 149.4, 152.0, 155.7; MS

(ESI+)  $m/z = 386.0 (M+H)^+$ ; ES-HRMS calcd. for  $C_{24}H_{23}N_3S [MH]^+ 386.1691$ , Found 386.1693.

**4-(Cyclohexylimino)-***N***-ethyl-***4H***-benzo**[*d*][**1,3]thiazin-2-amine** (**3fA).** Yield: 77% as yellow oil (0.21 g from 0.25 g);  $R_f = 0.55$  (hexane: EtOAc, 95:5, v/v);  $v_{max}$  (Neat) 1640



(C=N), 3399 (NH) cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 1.34 (t, 3H, J = 7.2 Hz), 1.59-1.66 (m, 2H), 1.82-1.93 (m, 2H), 1.96-2.07 (m, 7H), 3.57-3.65 (m, 2H), 4.90 (s, 1H, ), 7.13-7.18 (m, 1H), 7.31-7.33 (m, 1H), 7.53-7.57 (m, 1H), 8.64-8.66 (m, 1H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) =

14.8, 25.8, 26.5, 30.1, 37.3, 60.9, 123.8, 125.4, 125.8, 132.8, 134.5, 149.3, 153.6, 156.6; MS (ESI+)  $m/z = 288.0 \text{ (M+H)}^+$ ; ES-HRMS calcd. for  $C_{16}H_{22}N_3S$  [MH]<sup>+</sup> 288.1534, Found 288.1531.

**4-(Cyclohexylimino)-***N***-propyl-4***H***-benzo**[*d*][**1,3**]**thiazin-2-amine** (**3gA**). Yield: 87% as <sub>H</sub> yellow oil (0.24 g from 0.25 g);  $R_f = 0.51$  (hexane: EtOAc, 93:7, v/v);  $v_{max}$ 



yellow oil (0.24 g from 0.25 g);  $R_f = 0.51$  (hexane: EtOAc, 93:7, v/v);  $v_{max}$  (Neat) 1626, 3397 (NH) cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 1.06 (t, 3H, J = 14.8 Hz), 1.90 (brs, 2H), 1.93 (brs, 4H), 1.97-2.00 (m, 7H), 3.52-3.57 (m, 2H), 4.95 (brs, 1H), 7.15 (t, 1H, J = 7.0 Hz), 7.32 (d, 1H, J = 7.6

Hz), 7.52-7.57 (m, 1H), 8.64 (d, 1H, J = 8.3 Hz); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 11.9, 26.2, 26.5, 27.1, 27.2, 37.0, 37.4, 44.1, 60.9, 125.4, 130.0, 132.8, 134.5, 138.9, 145.1, 151.0, 156.1; MS (ESI+) m/z = 302.0 (M+H)<sup>+</sup>; ES-HRMS calcd. for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>23</sub>N<sub>3</sub>S [MH]<sup>+</sup> 302.1691, found 301.1695.

4-(Cyclohexylimino)-N-isopropyl-4H-benzo[d][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3hA). Yield: 77% as



yellow oil (0.21 g from 0.25 g);  $R_f = 0.55$  (hexane: EtOAc, 93:7, v/v);  $v_{max}$  (Neat) 1618 (C=N), 3589 (NH) cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 1.33 (d, 6H, J = 6.5 Hz), 1.73-1.86 (m, 4H), 1.87-2.08 (m, 7H), 4.36-4.41 (m, 1H), 4.80 (d, 1H, J = 6.3 Hz, ), 7.12-7.16 (m, 1H), 7.30 (t, 1H, J = 7.6

Hz), 7.52-7.56 (m, 1H), 8.63-8.65 (m, 1H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 22.8, 25.9, 26.4, 36.9, 37.4, 44.0, 60.8, 123.5, 123.6, 125.4, 125.7, 132.7, 134.4, 145.0, 148.5, 150.1, 156.9; MS (ESI+) m/z = 302.0 (M+H)<sup>+</sup>; ES-HRMS calcd. for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>24</sub>N<sub>3</sub>S [MH]<sup>+</sup> 302.1691, Found 302.1693.

N-butyl-4-(Cyclohexylimino)-4H-benzo[d][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3iA). Yield: 77% as



1.97 (m, 4H), 1.99-2.07 (m, 7H), 3.55-3.60 (m, 2H), 4.92 (d, 1H, J = 4.0 Hz, ), 7.13-7.17 (m, 1H), 7.32 (d, 1H, J = 8.2 Hz), 7.52-7.57 (m, 1H), 8.63-8.66 (m, 1H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 13.8, 20.4, 25.7, 26.4, 31.3, 31.9, 42.0, 60.7, 123.6, 125.3, 125.6, 132.6, 134.4, 144.8, 149.3, 153.4, 155.4; MS (ESI+) m/z = 315.0 (M+H)<sup>+</sup>; ES-HRMS calcd. for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>25</sub>N<sub>3</sub>S [MH]<sup>+</sup> 316.1847, Found 316.1849

4-(Cyclohexylimino)-6-fluoro-N-isopropyl-4H-benzo[d][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3jA). Yield:



67% as yellow oil (0.18 g from 0.25 g);  $R_f = 0.56$  (hexane: EtOAc, 93:7, v/v);  $v_{max}$  (Neat) 1635 (C=N), 3439 (NH) cm <sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ (ppm) = 1.33 (d, 6H, J = 6.4 Hz), 1.93-1.98 (m, 4H), 2.01-2.07 (m, 7H), 4.31-4.39 (m, 1H), 4.77 (d, 1H, J = 6.9 Hz, ), 7.28- 7.30 (m, 2H),

8.30-8.33 (m, 1H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 22.9, 26.2, 26.5, 27.1, 37.0, 37.4, 44.1, 61.2, 116.6 (d, *J* = 24.9 Hz), 123.4 (d, *J* = 24.9 Hz), 127.6 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz), 141.7, 144.8, 148.3, 155.0 (d, *J* = 272.2 Hz), 158.0; MS (ESI+) *m*/*z* = 320.0 (M+H)<sup>+</sup>; ES-HRMS calcd. for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>23</sub>FN<sub>3</sub>S [MH]<sup>+</sup> 320.1597, Found 320.1592.

4-(*tert*-Butylimino)-*N*-phenyl-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3aB). Yield: 81% as colourless oil (0.21 g from 0.25 g);  $R_f = 0.51$  (hexane: EtOAc, 90:10, v/v);  $v_{\text{max}}$  (Neat) 1626 (C=N), 3367 (NH) cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ 

(ppm) = 1.26 (s, 9H), 6.04 (brs, 1H, ), 7.10 (t, 1H, J = 7.7 Hz), 7.45 (d, 1H, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.49-7.55 (m, 4H), 8.02-8.05 (m, 2H), 8.77 (d, 1H, J = 8.3 Hz); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 28.9, 53.4, 121.9, 123.0, 126.5, 127.6, 128.9, 131.9, 132.4, 135.0, 139.7, 147.1, 154.0, 156.8; MS (ESI+) m/z = 310.0 (M+H)<sup>+</sup>; ES-HRMS calcd. for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>20</sub>N<sub>3</sub>S [MH]<sup>+</sup> 310.1378, Found 310.1379.

4-(tert-Butylimino)-N-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4H-benzo[d][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3bB). Yield:



85% as colourless oil (0.21 g from 0.25 g);  $R_f = 0.51$  (hexane: EtOAc, 90:10, v/v);  $v_{max}$  (Neat) 1640 (C=N), 3369 (NH) cm<sup>-1</sup>;<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 1.39 (s, 9H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 5.90 (s, 1H), 6.82 (d, 4H, J = 7.6 Hz), 7.02 (d, 4H, J = 7.4 Hz); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

 $\delta$  (ppm) = 31.7, 55.6, 57.3, 114.7, 114.8, 124.2, 128.3, 128.5, 131.6, 131.7, 133.5, 139.4, 152.2, 156.9, 156.9; MS (ESI+) m/z = 340.0 (M+H)<sup>+</sup>; ES-HRMS calcd. for C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>21</sub>N<sub>3</sub>OS [MH]<sup>+</sup> 340.1484, Found 340.1484.

**4-(***tert***-Butylimino)**-*N*-(**4-chlorophenyl**)-**4***H*-**benzo**[*d*][**1,3**]**thiazin-2-amine** (**3cB**). Yield: 84% as colourless oil (0.21 g from 0.25 g);  $R_f = 0.51$  (hexane: EtOAc, 90:10, v/v);  $v_{max}$  (Neat) 1626 (C=N), 3380 (NH) cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 1.26 (s, 9H), 7.38-7.40 (m, 2H), 7.50-7.52 (m, 2H), 7.61-7.64 (m, 2H), 7.85-7.87 (m, 2H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 31.8, 59.9, 114.2, 116.1, 119.5, 123.6, 124.2, 128.5, 128.6, 132.7, 135.3, 139.4, 152.0, 153.2; MS (ESI+) m/z = 344.0 (M+H)<sup>+</sup>; ES-HRMS calcd. For C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>19</sub>ClN<sub>3</sub>S [MH]<sup>+</sup> 344.0988, Found 344.0991.

4-(*tert*-Butylimino)-*N*-(3-chlorophenyl)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3dB). Yield: 79% as colourless oil (0.2 g from 0.25 g);  $R_f = 0.55$  (hexane: EtOAc, 90:10, v/v);  $v_{max}$  (Neat) 1635 (C=N), 3376 (NH) cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 1.26 (s, 9H), 4.29 (s, 1H), 7.38 (s, 2H), 7.46 (d, 1H, *J* = 5.0 Hz), 7.59-7.63 (m, 5H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 29.8, 51.9, 112.2, 116.0, 119.4, 128.3, 128.4, 131.6, 131.7, 136.7, 140.4, 148.2, 152.8, 156.1; MS (ESI+)

 $m/z = 344.0 (M+H)^+$ ; ES-HRMS calcd. for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>19</sub>N<sub>3</sub>ClS [MH]<sup>+</sup> 344.0988, Found 344.0992. 4-(*tert*-Butylimino)-6-chloro-*N*-phenyl-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3kB). Yield:



77% as brown oil (0.19 g from 0.25 g);  $R_f = 0.55$  (hexane: EtOAc, 90:10, v/v);  $v_{max}$  (Neat) 1640 (C=N), 3326 (NH) cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 1.26 (s, 9H), 4.64 (d, 1H, J = 1.5 Hz), 7.26 (brs, 3H),

7.37-7.40 (m, 2H), 7.46 (t, 1H, J = 1.8 Hz), 7.59-7.64 (m, 2H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 27.1, 55.6, 125.7, 126.9, 128.0, 129.0, 131.1, 131.3, 131.7, 146.3, 153.4, 157.3; MS (ESI+) m/z = 344.0 (M+H)<sup>+</sup>. ES-HRMS calcd. for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>19</sub>N<sub>3</sub>ClS [MH]<sup>+</sup> 344.0988, Found 345.0983.

4-(tert-Butylimino)-N-(naphthalen-1-yl)-4H-benzo[d][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3eB). Yield:



88% as black oil (0.22 g from 0.25 g);  $R_f = 0.53$  (hexane: EtOAc, 90:10, v/v);  $v_{max}$  (Neat) 1640 (C=N), 3340 (NH) cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 1.26 (s, 9H), 7.07 (d, 1H, J = 7.0 Hz), 7.37-7.45 (m, 3H), 7.53-7.58 (m, 3H), 7.68-7.72 (m, 3H), 7.85 (d, 1H, J = 7.3 Hz), 8.09

(d, 1H, J = 7.9 Hz); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 28.6, 56.7, 121.7, 122.6, 123.6, 125.8, 125.9, 126.1, 126.4, 126.6, 126.8, 127.4, 127.8, 128.7, 129.5, 130.7, 131.9, 147.9, 148.6, 160.5; MS (ESI+) m/z = 359.0 (M+H)<sup>+</sup>; ES-HRMS calcd. for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>21</sub>N<sub>3</sub>S [MH]<sup>+</sup> 360.1534, Found 360.1538.

N-phenyl-4-(tosylmethylimino)-4H-benzo[d][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3aC). Yield: 83% as



yellow oil (0.28 g from 0.25 g);  $R_f = 0.52$  (hexane: EtOAc, 90:10, v/v);  $v_{max}$  (Neat) 1619, 3359 (NH) cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 2.62 (s, 3H), 4.64 (s, 2H), 7.26 (s, 4H), 7.36-7.40 (m, 5H), 7.58-7.64 (m, 4H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 24.9, 60.4, 119.9, 120.9, 123.2, 124.1,

126.2, 128.5, 129.7, 132.3, 132.9, 140.0, 145.1, 151.6, 159.0; MS (ESI+) m/z= 422.0 (M+H)<sup>+</sup>; ES-HRMS calcd. for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>20</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub> [MH]<sup>+</sup> 422.0997, Found 422.0993.

#### *N*-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-(tosylmethylimino)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3bC)



Yield: 86% as yellow oil (0.29 g from 0.25 g);  $R_f = 0.55$  (hexane: EtOAc, 90:10, v/v);  $v_{max}$  (Neat) 1635 (C=N), 3376 (NH) cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 2.31 (s, 3H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 4.87 (brs, 1H), 5.34 (s, 2H), 6.61 (d, 1H, J = 8.2 Hz), 7.10 (d, 4H, J = 7.9

Hz), 7.28-7.30 (m, 3H), 7.38 (d, 2H, J = 8.2 Hz), 7.72 (d, 1H, J = 0.8 Hz), 7.91 (s, 1H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 22.8, 51.6, 70.1, 114.2, 116.0, 128.4, 128.6, 131.7, 131.8, 133.0, 133.1, 139.4, 144.3, 149.2, 152.0, 154.4, 156.9; MS (ESI+) m/z = 452.0 (M+H)<sup>+</sup>; ES-HRMS calcd. for C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>22</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O<sub>3</sub>S<sub>2</sub> [MH]<sup>+</sup> 452.1103, Found 452.1108.

*N*-(4-Chlorophenyl)-4-(tosylmethylimino)-4*H*-benzo[d][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3cC). Yield: 83% as yellow oil (0.28 g from 0.25 g);  $R_f = 0.51$  (hexane: EtOAc, 90:10, *v*/v); *v*<sub>max</sub> (Neat) 1630 (C=N), 3376 (NH) cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 2.38 (s, 3H), 4.15 (s, 2H), 5.34 (brs, 1H, ), 6.59-6.63 (m, 2H), 6.75-6.77 (m, 1H), 7.06-7.12 (m, 3H), 7.29 (s, 3H), 7.54 (t, 3H, J) = 7.4 Hz); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 22.8, 70.1, 123.6, 124.2, 127.8, 128.5, 128.6, 131.8, 132.7, 135.3, 139.4, 148.5, 153.2, 156.5; MS (ESI+) *m*/z = 456.0 (M+H); ES-

128.6, 131.8, 132.7, 135.3, 139.4, 148.5, 153.2, 156.5; MS (ESI+) m/z = 456.0 (M+H); ES-HRMS calcd. for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>19</sub>ClN<sub>3</sub>O<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub> [MH]<sup>+</sup> 456.0607, Found 456.0612.

*N*-(3-Chlorophenyl)-4-(tosylmethylimino)-4*H*-benzo[d][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3dC).



Yield: 85% as colourless oil (0.28 g from 0.25 g);  $R_f = 0.55$  (hexane: EtOAc, 90:10, v/v);  $v_{max}$  (Neat) 1659 (C=N), 3336 (NH) cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 2.31 (s, 3H), 4.43 (brs, 1H), 4.78 (s, 2H), 6.60 (d, 2H, J = 8.2 Hz), 7.05 (d, 2H, J = 2.4 Hz), 7.29 (d, 1H, J = 8.2

Hz), 7.37 (s, 3H), 7.39 (s, 3H), 7.51-7.54 (m, 1H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 22.8, 70.1, 115.9, 119.5, 123.2, 124.0, 124.1, 128.5, 129.7, 130.1, 131.0, 131.7, 131.8, 132.5, 132.7, 133.0, 144.2, 148.7, 150.9, 156.6; MS (ESI+)  $m/z = 456.0 \text{ (M+H)}^+$ ; ES-HRMS: calcd. for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>19</sub>ClN<sub>3</sub>S<sub>2</sub> [MH]<sup>+</sup> 456.0607, Found 456.0609.

#### *N*-(Naphthalen-1-yl)-4-(tosylmethylimino)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3eC).



Yield: 73% as brown oil (0.24 g from 0.25 g);  $R_f = 0.55$  (hexane: EtOAc, 90:10, v/v);  $v_{max}$  (Neat) 1655 (C=N), 3376 (NH) cm-1; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 2.31 (s, 3H), 5.30 (s, 2H), 6.97 (t, 2H, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.10 (d, 2H, J = 8.1 Hz), 7.62-7.68 (m, 5H), 7.72-7.77 (m, 5H), 9.00

(d, 1H, J = 8.3 Hz); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 22.1, 73.4, 116.0, 117.9, 118.6, 119.2, 120.4, 121.3, 123.6, 124.1, 125.6, 126.1, 129.1, 138.8, 140.2, 147.9, 150.4, 155.1; MS (ESI+) m/z = 472.0 (M+H)<sup>+</sup>; ES-HRMS calcd. for C<sub>26</sub>H<sub>22</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub> [MH]<sup>+</sup> 472.1153, Found 472.1155.

*N*-Phenyl-4-(2,4,4-trimethylpentan-2-ylimino)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3aD).



Yield: 75% as yellow oil (0.22 g from 0.25 g);  $R_f = 0.54$  (hexane: EtOAc, 90:10, v/v);  $\nu_{max}$  (Neat) 1633 (C=N), 3356 (NH) cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 1.06 (s, 9H), 1.57 (s, 6H), 1.74 (s, 2H), 6.61 (d, 1H, J = 7.8 Hz, ), 7.07-7.10 (m, 5H), 7.26-7.31 (m, 4H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz,

CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 29.7, 31.6, 31.9, 51.8, 55.5, 120.8, 122.4, 122.5, 123.2, 123.5, 126.1, 128.9, 129.5, 133.8, 139.8, 149.7, 151.6, 155.3; MS (ESI+) m/z = 366.0 (M+H)<sup>+</sup>; ES-HRMS calcd. for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>28</sub>N<sub>3</sub>S [MH]<sup>+</sup> 366.2004 Found 366.2009.

## N-(4-Chlorophenyl)-4-(2,4,4-trimethylpentan-2-ylimino)-4H-benzo[d] [1,3] thiazin-2-ylimino)-4H-benzo[d] [1,3] thiazin-2-ylimino-4H-benzo[d] [1,3] thiazin-2-ylimino-4H-b



**amine (3cD).** Yield: 79% as yellow oil (0.23 g from 0.25 g);  $R_f = 0.54$  (hexane: EtOAc, 90:10, v/v);  $v_{max}$  (Neat) 1633 (C=N), 3423 (NH) cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 0.91 (s, 9H), 1.22 (s, 6H), 1.49 (s, 2H), 7.06-7.10 (m, 1H), 7.15-7.19 (m, 1H), 7.33 (s, 1H), 7.64-7.66 (m,

1H), 7.87 (d, 1H, J = 7.6 Hz); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 31.7, 32.0, 32.1, 58.3, 59.3, 123.3, 124.6, 125.7, 128.5, 130.0, 130.7, 131.2, 132.4, 140.8, 145.5, 150.2, 154.3; MS (ESI+) m/z = 400.0 (M+H)<sup>+</sup>; ES-HRMS calcd. for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>27</sub>ClN<sub>3</sub>S [MH]<sup>+</sup> 400.1614, Found 400.1619.

4-(2,6-Dimethylphenylimino)-N-phenyl-4H-benzo[d][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3aE). Yield:



86% as yellow oil (0.25 g from 0.25 g);  $R_f = 0.43$  (hexane: EtOAc, 90:10, v/v);  $\nu_{max}$  (Neat) 1623 (C=N), 3376 (NH) cm-1; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 1.95 (s, 6H), 6.59-6.64 (m, 2H), 6.75-6.77 (m, 2H), 6.96 (d, 2H, J = 7.5 Hz), 7.39-7.47 (m, 6H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ 

(ppm) = 18.3, 121.4, 121.6, 123.5, 123.9, 125.9, 126.1, 128.1, 128.5, 129.9, 130.8, 132.2, 132.7, 136.8, 137.6, 144.2, 147.5, 157.9, 162.1; MS (ESI+) m/z = 358.0 (M+H)<sup>+</sup>; ES-HRMS calcd. for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>20</sub>N<sub>3</sub>S [MH]<sup>+</sup> 358.1378 Found 358.1381.

## N-(4-Chlorophenyl)-4-(2,6-dimethylphenylimino)-4H-benzo[d][1,3]thiazin-2-amine



(3cE). Yield: 88% (0.25 g from 0.25 g) as yellow oil;  $R_f = 0.49$  (hexane: EtOAc, 90:10, v/v);  $v_{max}$  (Neat) 1633 (C=N), 3367 (NH) cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 2.16 (s, 6H), 6.12 (s, 1H), 6.93-6.98(m, 2H), 7.27-7.34 (m, 2H), 7.41-7.48 (m, 5H), 7.68-7.71 (m, 1H), 8.70 (d, 1H, J = 8.2 Hz); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 17.6, 122.3, 122.6, 125.1, 125.8, 126.0, 126.4, 128.2, 128.9, 129.1, 130.1, 135.3, 136.0, 136.3, 144.3, 152.0, 156.9, 163.6; MS (ESI+) m/z = 392.0 (M+H)<sup>+</sup>; ES-HRMS; calcd. for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>19</sub>ClN<sub>3</sub>S [MH]<sup>+</sup> 392.0988, Found 392.0985.



*N*-Phenylbenzo[*d*]thiazol-2-amine (4a). Yield: 68% (0.05 g from 0.1 g) as a yellow solid, mp = 162-164 °C,  $[161-162 °C]^4$ ;  $R_f = 0.44$  (hexane: EtOAc, 90:10, v/v); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 6.74 (s, 1H, ), 7.26 (s, 1H), 7.39-7.51 (m, 5H), 7.62 (t, 3H, *J* = 6.4 Hz); MS (ESI+) m/z = 227.0 (M+H)<sup>+</sup>; ES-HRMS; calcd. for C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>10</sub>N<sub>2</sub>S [MH]<sup>+</sup> 227.0643, Found 227.0647.



*N*-Ethylbenzo[*d*]thiazol-2-amine(4f). Yield: 66% (0.11 g from 0.25 g) as a white solid; mp = 114-116 °C [114-116 °C] <sup>5</sup>;  $R_f = 0.43$  (hexane: EtOAc, 90:10, v/v); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) =1.10 (t, 3H, *J* = 7.5 Hz), 2.38(s, 1H, ), 3.20 (d, 2H, *J* = 4.0 Hz), 6.84(t, 1H, *J* = 7.3 Hz), 7.00 (t, 1H, *J* = 7.8 Hz), 7.35 (d, 1H, *J* = 7.9 Hz); MS (ESI+) *m*/*z* = 179.0 (M+H)<sup>+</sup>; ES-HRMS; calcd. for C<sub>9</sub>H<sub>10</sub>N<sub>2</sub>S [MH]<sup>+</sup> 179.0643, Found 179.0648.

*N*-**Propylbenzo**[*d*]**thiazol-2-amine (4g).** Yield: 67% (0.12 g from 0.25 g) as a white solid; mp = 79-80 °C [79-81 °C]<sup>6</sup>);  $R_f = 0.44$  (hexane: EtOAc, 90:10, v/v); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  (ppm) = 1.02 (t, 3H, J = 7.4 Hz), 1.78-1.83 (m, 2H), 3.72-3.77 (m, 2H), 4.48-4.52 (m, 1H, ), 7.28-7.32 (m, 1H), 7.41-7.45 (m, 1H), 7.70 (d, 1H, J = 8.1 Hz); MS (ESI+)  $m/z = 193.0 (M+H)^+$ ; ES-HRMS; calcd. for C<sub>10</sub>H<sub>12</sub>N<sub>2</sub>S [MH]<sup>+</sup> 193.0799, Found 199.0797.

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**Fig:** S-1 <sup>1</sup>H spectrum of (*Z*)-4-(Cyclohexylimino)-*N*-phenyl-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3aA**)



**Fig: S-2**<sup>13</sup>C spectrum of (*Z*)-4-(Cyclohexylimino)-*N*-phenyl-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3aA)



**Fig: S-3** Comparison between the <sup>1</sup>H spectra of (*Z*)-4-(Cyclohexylimino)-*N*-phenyl-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3aA**) recorded in  $CDCl_{3,}$  DMSO,  $D_2O + DMSO$  for confirmation of the exocylic NH group.



**Fig:** S-4 <sup>1</sup>H spectrum of (*Z*)-4-(Cyclohexylimino)-*N*-(3-methoxyphenyl)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3bA)



**Fig: S-5** <sup>13</sup>C spectrum of (*Z*)-4-(Cyclohexylimino)-*N*-(3-methoxyphenyl)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3bA**)



**Fig:** S-6 <sup>1</sup>H spectrum of (*Z*)-*N*-(4-chlorophenyl)-4-(cyclohexylimino)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3cA)



**Fig:** S-7 <sup>13</sup>C spectrum of (*Z*)-*N*-(4-Chlorophenyl)-4-(cyclohexylimino)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3cA)



**Fig:** S-8 <sup>1</sup>H spectrum of (*Z*)-*N*-(3-Chlorophenyl)-4-(cyclohexylimino)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3dA)



**Fig: S-9**<sup>13</sup>C spectrum of (*Z*)-*N*-(3-Chlorophenyl)-4-(cyclohexylimino)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3dA**)



**Fig:** S-10 <sup>1</sup>H spectrum of (*Z*)-4-(Cyclohexylimino)-*N*-(naphthalen-1-yl)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3eA)



**Fig: S-11**<sup>13</sup>C spectrum of (*Z*)-4-(Cyclohexylimino)-*N*-(naphthalen-1-yl)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3eA**)



**Fig:** S.-12 <sup>1</sup>H spectrum of (*Z*)-4-(Cyclohexylimino)-*N*-ethyl-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3fA**)



**Fig:** S-13 <sup>13</sup>C spectrum of (*Z*)-4-(Cyclohexylimino)-*N*-ethyl-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3fA**)



**Fig: S-14** <sup>1</sup>H spectrum of (*Z*)-4-(Cyclohexylimino)-*N*-propyl-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3gA**)



**Fig: S-15** <sup>13</sup>C spectrum of (*Z*)-4-(Cyclohexylimino)-*N*-propyl-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3gA**)



**Fig:** S-16 <sup>1</sup>H spectrum of (*Z*)-4-(cyclohexylimino)-*N*-isopropyl-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3hA**)



**Fig: S-17** <sup>13</sup>C spectrum of (*Z*)-4-(cyclohexylimino)-*N*-isopropyl-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3hA**)



**Fig:** S-18 <sup>1</sup>H spectrum of (*Z*)-*N*-Butyl-4-(cyclohexylimino)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3iA**)



**Fig: S-19** <sup>13</sup>C spectrum of (*Z*)-*N*-Butyl-4-(cyclohexylimino)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3iA**)



**Fig:** S-20. <sup>1</sup>H spectrum of (*Z*)-4-(Cyclohexylimino)-6-fluoro-*N*-isopropyl-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3jA**)



**Fig: S-21.** <sup>13</sup>C spectrum of (*Z*)-4-(Cyclohexylimino)-6-fluoro-*N*-isopropyl-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3jA**)



**Fig: S-22** <sup>1</sup>H spectrum of (*Z*)-4-(*tert*-Butylimino)-*N*-phenyl-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3aB**)



**Fig:** S-23 <sup>13</sup>C spectrum of (*Z*)-4-(*tert*-Butylimino)-*N*-phenyl-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3aB)

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**Fig:** S-24<sup>1</sup>H spectrum of (*Z*)-4-(*tert*-Butylimino)-*N*-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3bB**)



**Fig:** S-25 <sup>13</sup>C spectrum of (*Z*)-4-(*tert*-Butylimino)-*N*-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3bB**)



**Fig:** S-26 <sup>1</sup>H spectrum of (*Z*)-4-(*tert*-butylimino)-*N*-(4-chlorophenyl)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3cB)



**Fig: S-27**<sup>13</sup>C spectrum of (*Z*)-4-(*tert*-Butylimino)-*N*-(4-chlorophenyl)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3cB**)



**Fig: S-28** <sup>1</sup>H spectrum of (*Z*)-4-(*tert*-Butylimino)-*N*-(3-chlorophenyl)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3dB**)



**Fig:** S-29 <sup>13</sup>C spectrum of (*Z*)-4-(*tert*-Butylimino)-*N*-(3-chlorophenyl)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3dB)

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**Fig:S-30** <sup>1</sup>H spectrum of (*Z*)-4-(*tert*-Butylimino)-6-chloro-*N*-phenyl-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3kB**)

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**Fig: S-31** <sup>13</sup>C spectrum of (*Z*)-4-(*tert*-Butylimino)-6-chloro-*N*-phenyl-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3kB**)



**Fig: S-32** <sup>1</sup>H spectrum of (*Z*)-4-(*tert*-Butylimino)-*N*-(naphthalen-1-yl)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3eB**)



**Fig:** S-33 <sup>13</sup>C spectrum of (*Z*)-4-(*tert*-Butylimino)-*N*-(naphthalen-1-yl)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3eB**)



**Fig:S-34** <sup>1</sup>H spectrum of (*Z*)-*N*-Phenyl-4-(tosylmethylimino)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3aC**)



**Fig:** S-35 <sup>13</sup>C spectrum of (*Z*)-*N*-Phenyl-4-(tosylmethylimino)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3aC**)



**Fig:** S-36 <sup>1</sup>H spectrum of (*Z*)-*N*-(4-Methoxyphenyl)-4-(tosylmethylimino)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3bC)



**Fig:** S-37 <sup>13</sup>C spectrum of (*Z*)-*N*-(4-Methoxyphenyl)-4-(tosylmethylimino)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3bC)



**Fig:S-38** <sup>1</sup>H spectrum of (*Z*)-*N*-(4-Chlorophenyl)-4-(tosylmethylimino)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3cC**)



**Fig:** S-39 <sup>13</sup>C spectrum of (*Z*)-*N*-(4-Chlorophenyl)-4-(tosylmethylimino)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3cC)



**Fig: S-40** <sup>1</sup>H spectrum of (*Z*)-*N*-(3-Chlorophenyl)-4-(tosylmethylimino)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3dC**)



**Fig:** S-41 <sup>13</sup>C spectrum of (*Z*)-*N*-(3-Chlorophenyl)-4-(tosylmethylimino)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3dC)



**Fig:** S-42 <sup>1</sup>H spectrum of (*Z*)-*N*-(naphthalen-1-yl)-4-(tosylmethylimino)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3eC**)



**Fig: S-43** <sup>13</sup>C spectrum of (*Z*)-*N*-(Naphthalen-1-yl)-4-(tosylmethylimino)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3eC**)



**Fig: S-44** <sup>1</sup>H spectrum of (*Z*)-*N*-Phenyl-4-(2,4,4-trimethylpentan-2-ylimino)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3aD**)



Fig: S-45<sup>13</sup>C spectrum of (Z)-N-phenyl-4-(2,4,4-trimethylpentan-2-ylimino)-4*H*-benzo[d][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3aD)



**Fig:** S-46 <sup>1</sup>H spectrum of (*Z*)-*N*-(4-Chlorophenyl)-4-(2,4,4-trimethylpentan-2-ylimino)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3cD**)



**Fig:** S-47 <sup>13</sup>C spectrum of (*Z*)-*N*-(4-Chlorophenyl)-4-(2,4,4-trimethylpentan-2-ylimino)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3cD)



**Fig:S-48** <sup>1</sup>H spectrum of (*Z*)-4-(2,6-Dimethylphenylimino)-*N*-phenyl-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3aE**)



**Fig:** S-49 <sup>13</sup>C spectrum of (*Z*)-4-(2,6-Dimethylphenylimino)-*N*-phenyl-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3aE**)



**Fig: S-50** <sup>1</sup>H spectrum of (**Z**)-*N*-(4-Chlorophenyl)-4-(2, 6-dimethylphenylimino)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3cE**)



**Fig:** S-51 <sup>13</sup>C spectrum of (Z)-*N*-(4-Chlorophenyl)-4-(2,6-dimethylphenylimino)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (3cE)



**Fig: S-52** <sup>1</sup>H spectrum of *N*-Phenylbenzo[*d*]thiazol-2-amine (4a)



**Fig:** S-53 <sup>1</sup>H spectrum of *N*-Ethylbenzo[*d*]thiazol-2-amine (4f)



**Fig:** S-54 <sup>1</sup>H spectrum of *N*-Propylbenzo[*d*]thiazol-2-amine (4g)



**Fig:** S-55 ESMS spectra of (*Z*)-*N*-Ethyl-4-(phenylsulfonylmethylimino)-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3fC**) (crude product)



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Fig: S-56 ESMS spectra of (Z)-4-(phenylsulfonylmethylimino)-*N*-propyl-4*H*-benzo[*d*][1,3]thiazin-2-amine (**3gC**) (crude product)