

Tautomerism of Allyl-5-(pyridin-2-yl)-[1,3,4] Thiadiazol-2-yl) Amine

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Abstract

The radical and ionic structures of allyl-(5-pyridin-2-yl-[1,3,4] thiadiazol-2-yl)-amine **1A** \leftrightarrow **1A'** \leftrightarrow **1A''**, **1A (I)** \leftrightarrow **1A (I)'** \leftrightarrow **1A (I)''** have been determined by means of its ^1H (100 MHz, 500 MHz) ^{13}C and ^{15}N NMR spectra and B3LYP/6-31G** computations. The tautomeric interconversions of **1A** \leftrightarrow **1A (I)** \Rightarrow **1B**, **1A** \leftrightarrow **1A (I)** \Rightarrow **1C** have been observed in the ^1H NMR spectra (100 MHz)

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1. Introduction

The ^1H ^{13}C ^{15}N NMR studies of allyl- (**1**) and (3-phenyl-allyl)- (**2**) (5-(pyridin-2-yl)-[1,3,4] thiadiazol-2-yl)-amine and theoretical calculations support ionic and radical structures (Figs 1–4)¹. The XRD data support only one tautomer **a** – type in the crystals of both compounds **1**, **2**. In the solid state the *exo*-amino form **a** is stabilized by different H bonds, and the differences in the total energy between tautomers **a** and **b** are equal to –35.6

and –34.3 kJ/mol for **1** and **2**, respectively, according to DFT level of theory calculations¹. The ^1H - data (100 MHz, 500 MHz), ^{13}C -and ^{15}N NMR spectra as well as the theoretical calculations of allyl-(**1**) and (3-phenyl-allyl)- (**2**) (5-pyridin-2-yl-[1,3,4] thiadiazol-2-yl)-amine (tautomer **a** – type) point to the changes of the amine – type **a** nitrogen atom N-6 to pyridine – type **A** and pyrrole – type **A (I)** of **1**, **2** and to *sp* hybridization **A (II)** of **2**. In the range of the chemical shifts of the NH proton from δ 8.665 to 7.233, the ^1H NMR (100 MHz) spectra of **1**, **2** there are no

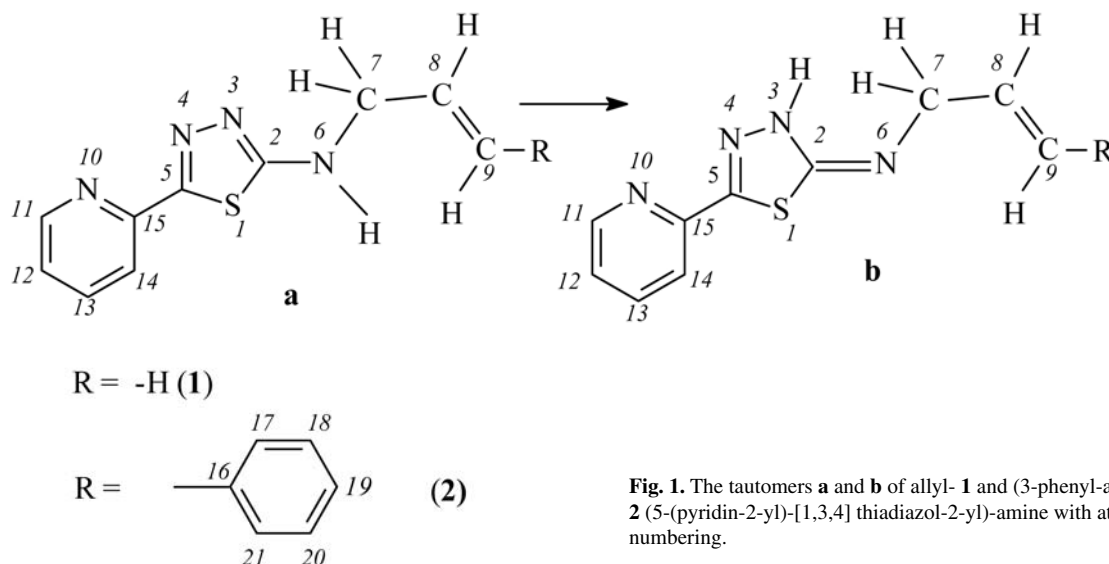


Fig. 1. The tautomers **a** and **b** of allyl- **1** and (3-phenyl-allyl)- **2** (5-(pyridin-2-yl)-[1,3,4] thiadiazol-2-yl)-amine with atom numbering.

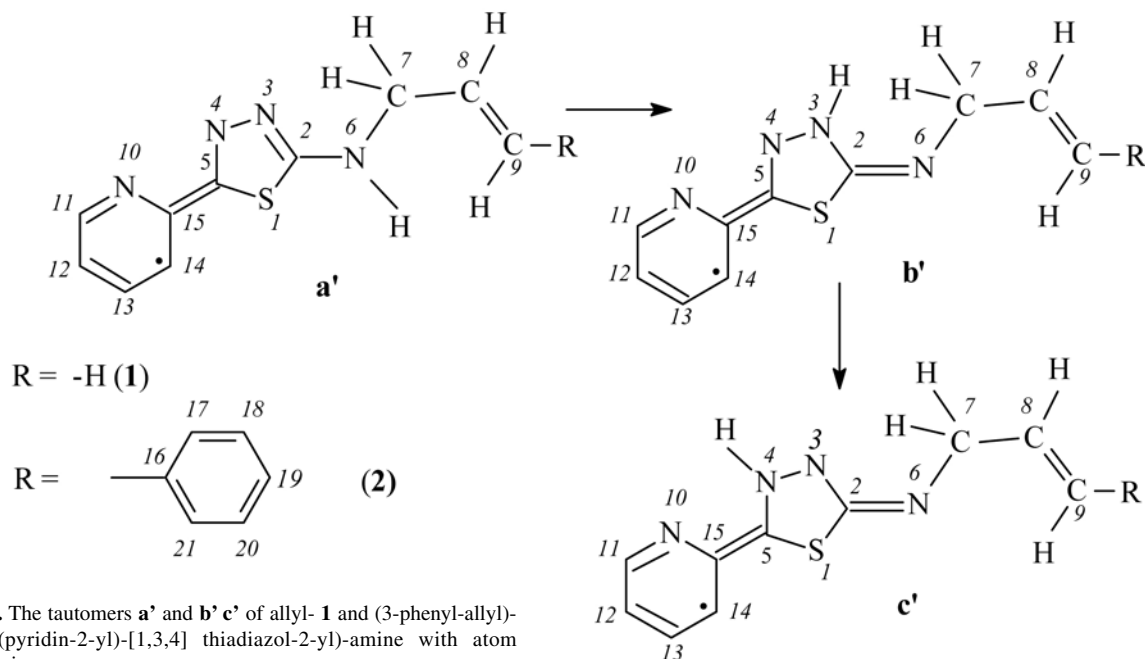


Fig. 2. The tautomers **a'** and **b'**, **c'** of allyl- **1** and (3-phenyl-allyl)-**2** (5-(pyridin-2-yl)-[1,3,4] thiadiazol-2-yl)-amine with atom numbering.

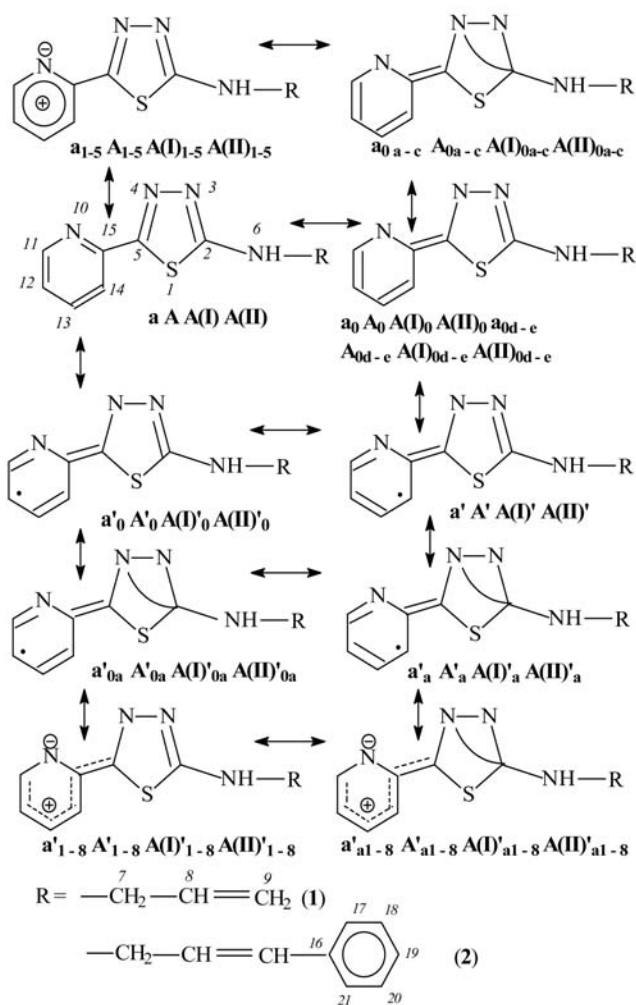


Fig. 3. The resonance structures of allyl-**1** and (3-phenyl-allyl)-**2** (5-(pyridin-2-yl)-[1,3,4]thiadiazol-2-yl)-amine.

transitions of electrons of p orbitals of 1S 2C 3N 4N 5C of 1,3,4-thiadiazole ring. The nitrogen atoms N3, N4, N10 appear as pyridine – type, pyrrole – type and amine – type. Due to the changes of the electronic structure of these atoms the radical structures are possible (Fig. 3). The changes of the electronic structure of the nitrogen atoms N3, N4, N10 have been described previously².

Previous 100 MHz ¹H NMR investigations of **1**, **2** in the solution in the range from δ 8.665 to 7.233 of the chemical shift of N-H proton support the tautomeric equilibrium between allyl – (**1**) (3-phenyl-allyl)- (**2**) (5-pyridin-2-yl-[1,3,4] thiadiazol-2-yl)- amine **1A** **1A'**, **2A** (**I**) **2A** (**I'**), **2A** (**II**) **2A** (**II'**), 3H allyl- (**1**) (3-phenyl-allyl)- (**2**) (5-pyridin-2-yl-[1,3,4] thiadiazol-2-ylidene-) amine **1B** **1B'**, **2B** **2B'** **2B** (**II')** and 4H allyl- (**1**) (3-phenyl-allyl)- (**2**) (5-pyridin-2-yl-[1,3,4] thiadiazol-2-ylidene-) amine **1C'**, **2C'** **2C** (**II**)^{2,3}.

In the ¹H NMR spectra 100 MHz of **1**, **2** the signals of NH proton in the range of the chemical shifts from δ 8.665 to 7.233 point to the co – existence of two tautomeric forms **1A'** \Rightarrow **1B'**, **1A'** \Rightarrow **1C'**, **2A(I')** \Rightarrow **2B'**, **2A(II')** \Rightarrow **2C(II')**. In the ¹H NMR spectra 100 MHz of **1** the intensities of the signals of N-H proton confirm the interconversions of the **1A'**₅ \Rightarrow **1B'**₅ \Rightarrow **1C'**₄ as well as the balance of **1A'**₇ \Rightarrow **1B'**₇ and **1A'**₇ \Rightarrow **1C'**₇ tautomers and support pyridine – type nitrogen atoms N-10 N-4 N-6 and the amine – type nitrogen atoms N-4 N-3 of 1,3,4 – thiadiazole ring², respectively. In the ¹H NMR spectra of **2** (100MHz) the interconversions of **2A(I')**₁₋₄ \Rightarrow **2B'**₁₋₄ **2A(II')**₁₋₄ \Rightarrow **2C(II')**₁₋₄, **2A(I')**_{6,7} \Rightarrow **2B'**_{6,7}, **2A(II')**_{6,7} \Rightarrow **2C(II')**_{6,7} tautomers have been observed and support the amine – type nitrogen atoms N4, N3 of 1,3,4 – thiadiazole ring³.

The aim of the present paper was to describe the electronic structure of the nitrogen atoms of **1a** tautomer

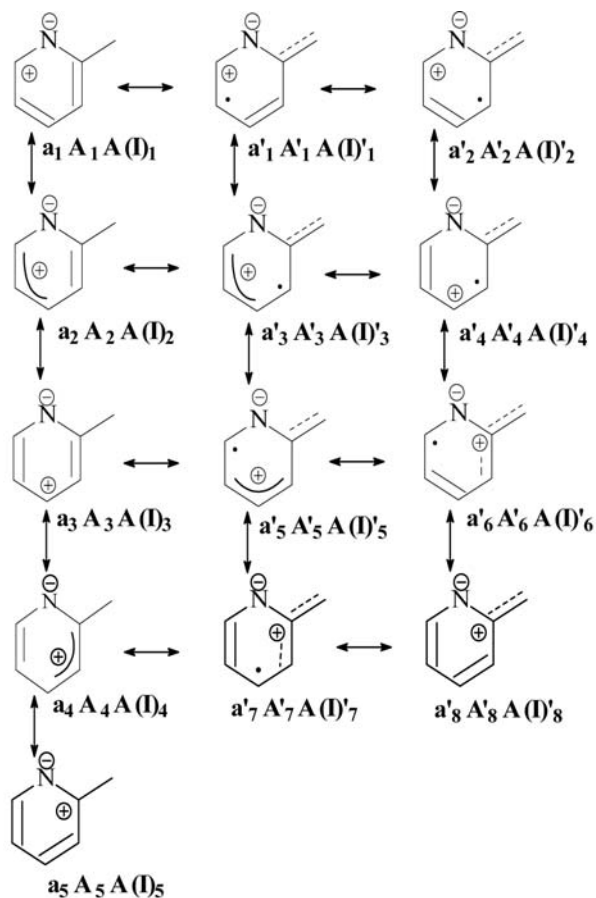


Fig. 4. The resonance structures of the pyridyl substituent.

in the range from δ 7.125–6.500 of the chemical shifts of the N-H proton and its interconversions to the imino forms in the solution.

The structural studies of the 2-amino-[1,3,4]thiadiazole derivatives have been performed in order to know the properties of the compounds with the determined biological activity. The N6 and/or 5-substituted-2-amino 1, 3, 4-thiadiazoles depending on the nature of substituents show varied pharmacological activity. They have revealed potent activity against the leukemia, melanoma, lung carcinoma. They are also known to be the carbonic anhydrase inhibitors, and some of them possess the antimycobacterial, anesthetic, antidepressant and anxiolytic activity⁴⁻¹⁴. The 2-amino-[1,3,4]thiadiazoles are found in a new class of herbicides with a broad spectrum of activity¹⁵ as well as the corrosion inhibitors¹⁶.

2. Experimental

The product **1** was prepared according to the published method¹⁷ and its NMR spectra (¹H, ¹³C, ¹⁵N) were recorded under various conditions: on Tesla BS 677 A and Bruker AM 500 spectrometers.

The ¹H-, ¹³C- and ¹⁵N-NMR measurements of **1** were taken in CDCl₃ and in DMSO - d₆ solutions, respectively on a Bruker AM 500 spectrometer, operating at 500.18 MHz for hydrogen, 125.76 MHz for carbon and 50.68 MHz for nitrogen, using standard conditions. The 2D spectra of ¹H-¹³C HMQC, ¹H-¹³C HMBC, ¹H-¹H COSY (500 MHz) have been recorded in a CDCl₃ solution according to procedure given in the Bruker programme library. The ¹H-NMR spectra (1–6) of **1** were measured on a Tesla BS 677 A spectrometer (100 MHz with T.F.) in CDCl₃ or DMSO solutions at room temperature with TMS as the internal standard. The ¹H-NMR spectra 1, 1₃ 1₄, 2–6, 6₅, 6₆ (100 MHz) and 1₇ (500 MHz) have been recorded in CDCl₃ solution and the spectra 1₁ 1₂ (100 MHz) in DMSO solution^{17, 18, 1}. The ¹H-NMR spectra 1₁₋₄ (100 MHz)¹⁸ have been taken using various concentration of **1** in DMSO or CDCl₃ solutions:

- in a DMSO solution, the concentration of **1** amounts to 1:3 (spectra 1₁ 1₂, respectively);
- in a CDCl₃ solution, the concentration of **1** amounts to: 10 mg/0.5 ml and 25 mg/0.5 ml (maximal concentration, spectra 1₃ 1₄, respectively).

The ¹H-NMR spectra 1–6, 6₅ 6₆¹⁷, 1₇¹ and 1₈¹⁸ have been recorded in CDCl₃ and DMSO - D₂O solutions, respectively, without any determination of the concentration of **1**. In the ¹H-NMR spectra 1–6 of **1** the signals of the protons of allyl, pyridyl substituents as well as of NH proton of 1,3,4-thiadiazole have been recorded. In the ¹H-NMR spectra 6₅ 6₆ of **1**¹⁷ only the signals of the NH proton of the 1,3,4-thiadiazole have been recorded.

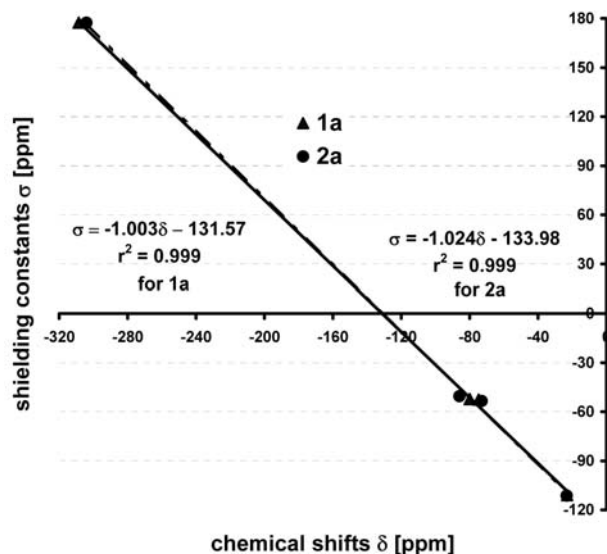
The molecular geometries and properties corresponding to the local minima of the energy were calculated¹ at the DFT level of the theory with the B3LYP density functional and the 6-31G** basis set^{19, 20}. The same basis set and functional were used for the ¹H-, ¹³C- and ¹⁵N-NMR shielding constants calculations by applying the GIAO CPHF methods. The atomic charges were taken from the ESP fit using Breneman model (CHELPG). The Gaussian 98 package²¹ was employed for these calculations.

3. Results and Discussion

The calculated chemical shifts of the nitrogen atoms ¹⁵N for **a** - type and **b** - type tautomers occur in the different ranges: from about δ - 309 to about - 23 for **a** - type tautomer and from about δ - 225 to about - 80 for **b**-one (Table 1, Fig. 5)¹. The shielding constants for the N3 and N10 atom in the 1,3,4 - thiadiazole and pyridine rings, respectively are almost equal whereas N4 atom is much less shielded¹. The amino N6 atom is strongly shielded in **1** (about δ - 308) but in **2** the shielding decreases by a few ppm (to about δ - 304). The value of the chemical shift for the NH proton of **1** recorded in CDCl₃ solution at 500,16 MHz, 5.81 ppm¹ is in agreement with the resonances of the amino protons. In ¹⁵N NMR spectrum of **1** the signal of the nitrogen

Table 1. Calculated ^{15}N and ^1H NMR chemical shifts δ [ppm] of type **a** and **b** tautomers

Comp.	^{15}N	^1H	
1a 2a	-309 - -23		
1a	N6 - 131.57 N3 - 77.78	H 14	8.125
2a	N10 - 86.0 N6 - 133.98	H 6	7.5
1b 2b	-225 - -80		

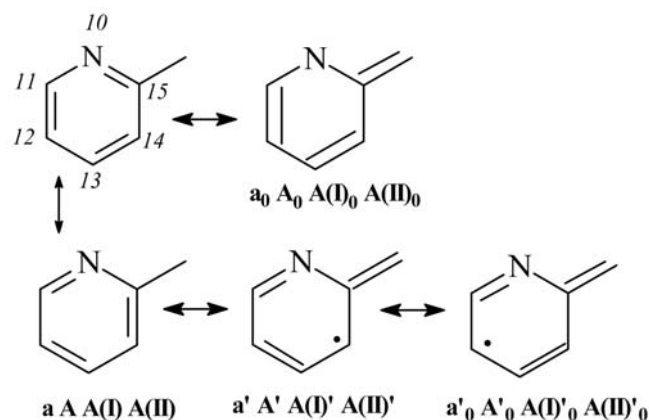
**Fig. 5.** The linear regression of shielding constants δ [ppm] versus chemical shifts δ [ppm] for **1a** and **2a**.

atom N6 at $\delta - 308.58^1$ supports the amino - type nitrogen. The calculated chemical shift of the nitrogen atom N6 $\delta - 131.57$ confirms pyridine - type nitrogen atom (Table 1).

In the ^{15}N -NMR spectrum of **1** the chemical shift of N10 at $\delta - 80.01^1$ supports pyrrole - type nitrogen atom of the pyridyl substituent. The calculated chemical shift value of N3 at $\delta - 77.78$ and ^{13}C resonances line of C2 at $\delta 171.42$ in ^{13}C NMR spectrum 1 confirm pyridine - type nitrogen atom of **1**. The $^1\text{H} - ^{13}\text{C}$ HMQC correlation spectra show a correlation signal between H14 at $\delta 8.360$ and C15 at $\delta 149.7^2$. The above data prove the existence of the diradical resonance structures $\mathbf{a}_0 \mathbf{A}_0 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I})_0 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{II})_0 \mathbf{a}'_0 \mathbf{A}'_0 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I}')_0 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{II}')_0$, (Figs 3, 6).

The calculated signal at $\delta 8.125$ (H14) of **1** (Table 1) as well as the coupling constants $J(\text{H}_{12}\text{H}_{14})$ 1,0 Hz $J(\text{H}_{11}\text{H}_{14})$ 0,5 Hz 1 confirm the lack of the charges on the pyridine ring. In the 2D $^1\text{H} - ^{13}\text{C}$ HMBC spectra of **1** the cross - peaks between H14 and C14 at $\delta 8.150$, $\delta 119.9$ support the structures $\mathbf{a} \mathbf{A} \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I}) \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{II})$ (Figs 3, 6).

The calculated chemical shift of N10 at $\delta - 86.0$ of **2** (Table 1) 1 points to an amine - type nitrogen atom. The ^1H

**Fig. 6.** The resonance structures of the pyridyl substituent

^{13}C HMQC correlation spectra of **2** show a correlation signal between H-14 at $\delta 8.290$ and C15 at $\delta 149.7$. The above data prove the diradical resonance structures $\mathbf{a}_{0c} \mathbf{A}_{0c} \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I})_{0c} \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{II})_{0c}$, $\mathbf{a}_{0e} \mathbf{A}_{0e} \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I})_{0e} \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{II})_{0e}$ (Fig. 3) and the lack of the charges over pyridine and 1,3,4-thiadiazole rings. 3

The pyridyl H14 proton of the diradical resonance structures $\mathbf{a}_0 \mathbf{A}_0 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I})_0 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{II})_0 \mathbf{a}'_0 \mathbf{A}'_0 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I}')_0 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{II}')_0$, and $\mathbf{a}_{0c} \mathbf{A}_{0c} \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I})_{0c} \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{II})_{0c}$, $\mathbf{a}_{0e} \mathbf{A}_{0e} \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I})_{0e} \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{II})_{0e}$ is more intensely deshielded by about 0.2 ppm and 0.15 ppm in relation to the structures $\mathbf{a} \mathbf{A} \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I}) \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{II})$, respectively. The spectroscopic data support the conjugation of the aromatic π electrons of the pyridyl substituent with the π electrons of the C = N double bond of the 1,3,4 thiadiazole ring in the solution.

The signals of the NH proton and the pyridyl substituent in the ^1H NMR spectra (100 MHz) of **1** support the ionic $\mathbf{a} \mathbf{A} \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I})$, \mathbf{a}_{1-5} , $\mathbf{A}_{1-5} \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I})_{1-5}$ and radical resonance structures \mathbf{a}'_{1-8} , $\mathbf{A}'_{1-8} \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I}')_{1-8}$, $\mathbf{a}' \mathbf{A}' \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I}') \mathbf{a}'_0 \mathbf{A}'_0 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I}')_0$ (Figs 1–4, 6, Tables 2–11). The resonance structures of the pyridine ring are shown on Fig. 4.

In the ^{13}C -NMR spectrum of **1** the chemical shifts of C11 at $\delta 149.31$ and C15 at $\delta 149.87^1$ confirm pyridine - type nitrogen atom N10 of the structures $\mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{A}_1 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I})_1 \mathbf{a}'_1 \mathbf{A}'_1 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I}')_1 \mathbf{a}'_2 \mathbf{A}'_2 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I}')_2$ and $\mathbf{a}_5 \mathbf{A}_5 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I})_5$, respectively. The chemical shift of C12 at $\delta 124.01^1$ supports the pyridine - type nitrogen atom N10 of the structures $\mathbf{a}_2 \mathbf{A}_2 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I})_2 \mathbf{a}'_3 \mathbf{A}'_3 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I}')_3 \mathbf{a}'_5 \mathbf{A}'_5 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I}')_5$. The signal of C14 at $\delta 119.87^1$ points to the structures $\mathbf{a}_3 \mathbf{A}_3 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I})_3 \mathbf{a}'_4 \mathbf{A}'_4 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I}')_4 \mathbf{a}_5 \mathbf{A}_5 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I})_5$. The signal of C13 at $\delta 136.77^1$ confirms the structures $\mathbf{a}_2 \mathbf{A}_2 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I})_2 \mathbf{a}'_3 \mathbf{A}'_3 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I}')_3 \mathbf{a}_4 \mathbf{A}_4 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I})_4 \mathbf{a}'_5 \mathbf{A}'_5 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I}')_5$.

The ^1H -NMR spectrum 1_7 (500 MHz) shows the signal of H14 of the structures $\mathbf{a}'_1 \mathbf{A}'_1 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I}')_1 \mathbf{a}'_5 \mathbf{A}'_5 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I}')_5$, $\mathbf{a}'_6 \mathbf{A}'_6 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I}')_6$ at $\delta 8.185$. In the $^1\text{H} - ^{13}\text{C}$ HMBC and HMQC correlation spectra the signal of H14 at $\delta 8.180$ exhibits a correlation to C14 at $\delta 119.7$ and C12 at $\delta 124.0$, C15 at $\delta 149.7$, C5 at $\delta 160.0$, respectively and confirms $\mathbf{a}'_5 \mathbf{A}'_5 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I}')_5$, $\mathbf{a}'_6 \mathbf{A}'_6 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I}')_6$ structures. In the 2D $^1\text{H} - ^{13}\text{C}$ HMQC spectra the cross - peak between H11 at $\delta 8.340$ and C14

Table 2. The ¹H NMR chemical shifts δ [ppm] from TMS of **1**.

Spectrum No / Solvent	H 7	H 8	H 9	Pyridin-2-yl
1 ₁ DMSO	3.922 – 4.061 2H m	5.772 – 6.148 1H m	5.104 – 5.399 2H m	8.637 – 8.562 1H H 11 8.135 – 7.988 1H H 13 H 14 7.935 – 7.837 1H H 12 H 13 7.503 – 7.336 1H H 14 H 12
1 ₂ DMSO	3.988 – 4.086 2H m	5.809 – 6.187 1H m	5.133 – 5.435 2H m	8.665 – 8.589 1H H 11 8.174 – 8.010 1H H 13 H 14 7.954 – 7.859 1H H 12 H 13 7.517 – 7.381 1H H 14 H 12
1 ₃ CDCl ₃	4.003 – 4.086 2H m	5.782 – 6.160 1H m	5.191 – 5.482 2H m	8.606 – 8.530 1H H 11 8.245 – 8.145 1H H 13 H 14 7.859 – 7.688 1H H 12 H 13 7.349 – 7.212 1H H 14 H 12
1 ₄ CDCl ₃	4.003 – 4.086 2H m	5.782 – 6.160 1H m	5.191 – 5.482 2H m	8.601 – 8.525 1H H 11 8.237 – 8.137 1H H 13 H 14 7.854 – 7.681 1H H 12 H 13 7.342 – 7.205 1H H 14 H 12
1 ₈ DMSO – D ₂ O	4.069 – 3.988 2.5H m	5.804 – 6.180 1.14H m	5.143 – 5.431 2.21H m	8.662 – 8.586 1.07H H 11 8.174 – 8.023 1H H 13 H 14 7.967 – 7.869 1.42H H 12 H 13 7.532 – 7.395 1.21H H 14 H 12

Table 3. The ¹H NMR chemical shifts δ [ppm] from TMS of **1**.

Spectrum No Solvent	H 7	H 8	H 9	Pyridin – 2– yl
1 CDCl ₃	4.079 – 3.999 2H	6.101 – 5.778 1H	5.458 – 5.196 2H	8.594 – 8.519 1H H 11 8.232 – 8.143 1H H 13 H 14 7.847 – 7.674 1H H 12 H 13 7.336 – 7.200 1H H 14 H 12
2 CDCl ₃	4.083 – 4.003 2H	6.106 – 5.782 1H	5.463 – 5.196 2H	8.580 – 8.537 1H H 11 8.237 – 8.148 1H H 13 H 14 7.847 – 7.674 1H H 12 H 13 7.336 – 7.200 1H H 14 H 12
3 CDCl ₃	4.088 – 4.003 2H	6.111 – 5.787 1H	5.477 – 5.182 2H	8.598 – 8.537 1H H 11 8.237 – 8.148 1H H 13 H 14 7.847 – 7.674 1H H 12 H 13 7.331 – 7.195 1H H 14 H 12
4 CDCl ₃	4.088 – 4.003 2H	6.111 – 5.787 1H	5.482 – 5.186 2H	8.603 – 8.528 1H H 11 8.242 – 8.152 1H H 13 H 14 7.852 – 7.683 1H H 12 H 13 7.341 – 7.204 1H H 14 H 12
5 CDCl ₃	4.088 – 4.008 2H	6.101 – 5.778 1H	5.468 – 5.177 2H	8.589 – 8.514 1H H 11 8.387 – 8.345 1H H 11 8.223 – 8.143 1H H 13 H 14 8.077 – 7.974 1H H 13 H 14 7.838 – 7.646 2H H 12 H 13 7.397 – 7.143 2H H 14 H 12
6 CDCl ₃	4.083 – 4.003 2H	6.106 – 5.782 1H	5.482 – 5.196 2H	8.598 – 8.523 1H H 11 8.228 – 8.138 1H H 13 H 14 7.852 – 7.678 1H H 12 H 13 7.336 – 7.200 1H H 14 H 12

at δ 119.9 as well as the correlation signals of H11 at δ 8.360 to C14 at δ 119.9, C15 at δ 149.7 support structures $\mathbf{a}'_2 \mathbf{A}'_2 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I})'_2$, $\mathbf{a}'_1 \mathbf{A}'_1 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I})'_1$. The chemical shift of N10 in ^{15}N -NMR spectrum of **1** at δ - 74.78 supports the structures $\mathbf{a}_2 \mathbf{A}_2 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I})_2$, $\mathbf{a}'_3 \mathbf{A}'_3 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I})'_3$, $\mathbf{a}_4 \mathbf{A}_4 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I})_4$, $\mathbf{a}'_{5-8} \mathbf{A}'_{5-8} \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I})'_{5-8}$.

The ^1H - ^1H coupling constants $J(\text{H}_{14}\text{H}_{13})$ 8.0 Hz $J(\text{H}_{13}\text{H}_{14})$ 8.0 Hz $J(\text{H}_{12}\text{H}_{13})$ 8.0 Hz¹ of **1a** tautomer confirm the positive charge at C13 atom of the structures $\mathbf{a}_3 \mathbf{A}_3 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I})_3$, $\mathbf{a}'_4 \mathbf{A}'_4 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I})'_4$ while the coupling constants $J(\text{H}_{12}\text{H}_{13})$ 5.8 Hz $J(\text{H}_{11}\text{H}_{12})$ 5.6 Hz $J(\text{H}_{13}\text{H}_{11})$ 1.6 Hz¹ indicate the positive charge at C15 and the negative one at N10 atoms of pyridine substituent of the structures $\mathbf{a}_4 \mathbf{A}_4 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I})_4$, $\mathbf{a}'_7 \mathbf{A}'_7 \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{I})'_7$.

In the range of the chemical shifts of NH proton from δ 7.125 to - 0.033 the transitions of electrons of 2p orbitals of C2 N3 N4 C5 and of 3p of S1 occur. In the ^1H NMR spectra of **1** the chemical shifts of NH proton in the range from δ 7.125 to 6.500 ppm point to the transitions of electrons of p orbitals of the following polar structures:
 - $\mathbf{1A}'(1) \mathbf{1A}'_0(1) \mathbf{1A}_0(1)$, $\mathbf{1A}(2) \mathbf{1A}'(2) \mathbf{1A}'_0(2) \mathbf{1A}_0(2)$, $\mathbf{1A}(3)$, $\mathbf{1A}(4)$ (Fig. 7),
 - $\mathbf{1A}(5) \leftrightarrow \mathbf{1A}(\mathbf{I})(5)$, $\mathbf{1A}'(5) \leftrightarrow \mathbf{1A}(\mathbf{I})'(5)$, $\mathbf{1A}'_0(5) \leftrightarrow \mathbf{1A}(\mathbf{I})'_0(5)$, $\mathbf{1A}_0(5) \leftrightarrow \mathbf{1A}(\mathbf{I})_0(5)$, $\mathbf{1A}(6) \leftrightarrow \mathbf{1A}(\mathbf{I})(6)$,

$\mathbf{1A}'(6) \leftrightarrow \mathbf{1A}(\mathbf{I})'(6)$, $\mathbf{1A}'_0(6) \leftrightarrow \mathbf{1A}(\mathbf{I})'_0(6)$, $\mathbf{1A}_0(6) \leftrightarrow \mathbf{1A}(\mathbf{I})_0(6)$, (Fig. 8)

- $\mathbf{1B}(2) \mathbf{1B}'(2) \mathbf{1B}'_0(2) \mathbf{1B}_0(2)$, $\mathbf{1B}'(1) \mathbf{1B}'_0(1) \mathbf{1B}_0(1)$, $\mathbf{1B}(3)$, $\mathbf{1B}(4)$ (Fig. 9), $\mathbf{1B}(5) \mathbf{1B}'(5) \mathbf{1B}'_0(5) \mathbf{1B}_0(5)$, $\mathbf{1B}(5) \mathbf{1B}(2) \mathbf{1B}'(1)$ (Fig. 10), $\mathbf{1C}(6) \mathbf{1C}(5) \mathbf{1C}(4)$ (Fig. 10),

- $\mathbf{1C}(2) \mathbf{1C}'(2) \mathbf{1C}'_0(2) \mathbf{1C}_0(2)$, $\mathbf{1C}(4)$, $\mathbf{1C}(3)$, $\mathbf{1C}'(5) \mathbf{1C}'_0(5) \mathbf{1C}_0(5)$, $\mathbf{1C}(5)$ (Fig. 11).

In the ^1H NMR spectra (100 MHz) of **1a** tautomer in the range from δ 7.125 to 6.500 the nitrogen atoms N3, N4, N10 appear as pyridine - type, pyrrole - type nitrogen while N6 as pyridine - type **A**, pyrrole - type **A(I)** or in sp hybridization **A(II)**.

In the ^1H NMR spectrum **1₁** of **1** (100MHz, DMSO) the signal of H7 arises as three doublets of doublets at δ 3.922–3.954, δ 3.978–4.008, δ 4.032–4.061 (Figs 12, 13).

At the chemical shift δ 3.922–3.954 (dd) the electrons of 2p orbitals of N6 C7 show differences in their spin states. The differences in the coupling constants $J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{9\text{B}})$ 17.6 Hz $J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{7\text{C}})$ 18.8Hz, $J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{9\text{A}})$ 10.6Hz $J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{7\text{D}})$ 11.2Hz (100MHz)¹⁸ and the ^{13}C NMR signals of allyl substituent C9 at δ 117.99, C8 at δ 132.80, C7 at δ 49.28¹ support the negatively charged pyridine - type nitrogen atom and positively charged allyl cation. The nitro-

Table 4. The ^1H NMR chemical shifts δ [ppm] from TMS of **1**.

Spectrum No Solvent	Pyridin - 2- yl		
	H 14 - of the structures	H 14, H 13	H 13 - of the structures
1 ₃ (CDCl ₃)	$\mathbf{a}'_1 \mathbf{A}'_1 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_2 \mathbf{A}'_2 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_0 \mathbf{A}'_0$	8.245 - 8.145	$\mathbf{a}'_1 \mathbf{A}'_1 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_2 \mathbf{A}'_2$
1 ₄ (CDCl ₃)	$\mathbf{a}'_3 \mathbf{A}'_3 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_1 \mathbf{A}'_1$	8.237 - 8.137	$\mathbf{a}_2 \mathbf{A}_2 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_3 \mathbf{A}'_3$
4(CDCl ₃)	$\mathbf{a}'_2 \mathbf{A}'_2 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_1 \mathbf{A}'_1 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_0 \mathbf{A}'_0$	8.242 - 8.152	$\mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{A}_1 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_1 \mathbf{A}'_1 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a} \mathbf{A}$
2, 3(CDCl ₃)	$\mathbf{a}'_3 \mathbf{A}'_3 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_1 \mathbf{A}'_1 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_0 \mathbf{A}'_0$	8.237 - 8.148	$\mathbf{a}_2 \mathbf{A}_2 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}' \mathbf{A}'$
1(CDCl ₃)	$\mathbf{a}'_4 \mathbf{A}'_4 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_1 \mathbf{A}'_1 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_0 \mathbf{A}'_0$	8.232 - 8.143	$\mathbf{a}'_3 \mathbf{A}'_3 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}' \mathbf{A}'$
5(CDCl ₃)	$\mathbf{a}_4 \mathbf{A}_4 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_1 \mathbf{A}'_1 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_0 \mathbf{A}'_0$	8.223 - 8.143	$\mathbf{a}_4 \mathbf{A}_4 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_3 \mathbf{A}'_3 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}' \mathbf{A}'$
6(CDCl ₃)	$\mathbf{a}_2 \mathbf{A}_2 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}_4 \mathbf{A}_4 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_1 \mathbf{A}'_1$	8.228 - 8.138	$\mathbf{a}_2 \mathbf{A}_2 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}_4 \mathbf{A}_4 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_3 \mathbf{A}'_3$
1 ₈ (DMSO-D ₂ O)	$\mathbf{a}'_4 \mathbf{A}'_4 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_5 \mathbf{A}'_5$	8.174 - 8.023	$\mathbf{a}_4 \mathbf{A}_4 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_3 \mathbf{A}'_3$
1 ₂ (DMSO)	$\mathbf{a}'_4 \mathbf{A}'_4 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_6 \mathbf{A}'_6$	8.174 - 8.010	$\mathbf{a}_4 \mathbf{A}_4 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_5 \mathbf{A}'_5$
1 ₁ (DMSO)	$\mathbf{a}'_5 \mathbf{A}'_5 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_6 \mathbf{A}'_6 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_7 \mathbf{A}'_7$	8.135 - 7.998	$\mathbf{a}'_5 \mathbf{A}'_5 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_3 \mathbf{A}'_3$
5(CDCl ₃)	$\mathbf{a}'_8 \mathbf{A}'_8 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_6 \mathbf{A}'_6 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_7 \mathbf{A}'_7$	8.077 - 7.974	$\mathbf{a}'_3 \mathbf{A}'_3 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_5 \mathbf{A}'_5 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_4 \mathbf{A}'_4$

Table 5. The ^1H -NMR chemical shifts δ [ppm] from TMS of **1**.

Spectrum No Solvent	Pyridin - 2- yl		
	H 13 - of the structures	H 13, H 12	H 12 - of the structures
1 ₈ (DMSO-D ₂ O)	$\mathbf{a}_3 \mathbf{A}_3 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_3 \mathbf{A}'_3 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a} \mathbf{A}$	7.967 - 7.869	$\mathbf{a}_5 \mathbf{A}_5 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}_1 \mathbf{A}_1 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_8 \mathbf{A}'_8 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a} \mathbf{A}$
1 ₂ (DMSO)	$\mathbf{a}'_3 \mathbf{A}'_3 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_5 \mathbf{A}'_5 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a} \mathbf{A}$	7.954 - 7.859	$\mathbf{a}'_8 \mathbf{A}'_8 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_7 \mathbf{A}'_7$
1 ₁ (DMSO)	$\mathbf{a}'_4 \mathbf{A}'_4 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_5 \mathbf{A}'_5 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a} \mathbf{A}$	7.935 - 7.837	$\mathbf{a}'_7 \mathbf{A}'_7 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_6 \mathbf{A}'_6$
1 ₃ (CDCl ₃)	$\mathbf{a}'_5 \mathbf{A}'_5 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_3 \mathbf{A}'_3 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_0 \mathbf{A}'_0$	7.859 - 7.688	$\mathbf{a}'_7 \mathbf{A}'_7 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_1 \mathbf{A}'_1 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a} \mathbf{A}$
1 ₄ (CDCl ₃)	$\mathbf{a}'_3 \mathbf{A}'_3 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_5 \mathbf{A}'_5$	7.854 - 7.681	$\mathbf{a}'_1 \mathbf{A}'_1 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_2 \mathbf{A}'_2 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}' \mathbf{A}'$
4(CDCl ₃)	$\mathbf{a}'_3 \mathbf{A}'_3 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_4 \mathbf{A}'_4 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_0 \mathbf{A}'_0$	7.852 - 7.683	$\mathbf{a}_2 \mathbf{A}_2 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_2 \mathbf{A}'_2 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a} \mathbf{A}$
6(CDCl ₃)	$\mathbf{a}'_3 \mathbf{A}'_3 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_4 \mathbf{A}'_4$	7.852 - 7.678	$\mathbf{a}_2 \mathbf{A}_2 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_1 \mathbf{A}'_1$
1 - 3(CDCl ₃)	$\mathbf{a}'_3 \mathbf{A}'_3 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_5 \mathbf{A}'_5 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_4 \mathbf{A}'_4$	7.847 - 7.674	$\mathbf{a}'_1 \mathbf{A}'_1 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_2 \mathbf{A}'_2$
5(CDCl ₃)	$\mathbf{a}'_5 \mathbf{A}'_5 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_4 \mathbf{A}'_4$	7.838 - 7.646	$\mathbf{a}'_6 \mathbf{A}'_6 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_1 \mathbf{A}'_1 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{a}'_3 \mathbf{A}'_3$

Table 6. The ¹H-NMR chemical shifts δ [ppm] from TMS of 1.

Spectrum No / Solvent	Pyridin – 2– yl		
	H 12 – of the structures	H 12, H 14	H 14 – of the structures
1 ₈ (DMSO–D ₂ O)	a ₅ A ₅ ↔ a ₄ A ₄ ↔ a ₆ A ₆ ↔ a ₀ A ₀	7.532 – 7.395	a ₁ A ₁ ↔ a ₁ A ₁ ↔ aA
1 ₂ (DMSO)	a ₇ A ₇ ↔ a ₁ A ₁ ↔ a ₆ A ₆ ↔ a ₀ A ₀	7.517 – 7.381	a ₂ A ₂ ↔ a ₃ A ₃ ↔ aA
1 ₁ (DMSO)	a ₇ A ₇ ↔ a ₄ A ₄ ↔ a ₀ A ₀	7.503 – 7.336	a ₂ A ₂ ↔ a ₄ A ₄ ↔ aA
1 ₃ (CDCl ₃)	a ₄ A ₄ ↔ a ₂ A ₂ ↔ a ₁ A ₁	7.349 – 7.212	a ₃ A ₃ ↔ a'A
1 ₄ (CDCl ₃)	a ₄ A ₄ ↔ a ₁ A ₁ ↔ a ₀ A ₀	7.342 – 7.205	a ₄ A ₄ ↔ a'A
5(CDCl ₃)	a ₇ A ₇ ↔ a ₄ A ₄ ↔ a ₂ A ₂ ↔ a ₁ A ₁ ↔ a ₅ A ₅ ↔ a ₃ A ₃	7.397 – 7.143	a ₁ A ₁ ↔ a ₃ A ₃ ↔ a ₄ A ₄ a ₅ A ₅ ↔ a ₆ A ₆ ↔ a ₇ A ₇
4(CDCl ₃)	a ₄ A ₄ ↔ a ₃ A ₃ ↔ a ₁ A ₁	7.341 – 7.204	a ₄ A ₄ ↔ aA
1, 2, 6(CDCl ₃)	a ₂ A ₂ ↔ a ₅ A ₅ ↔ a ₀ A ₀	7.336 – 7.200	a ₄ A ₄ ↔ a'A ↔ a ₅ A ₅
3(CDCl ₃)	a ₁ A ₁ ↔ a ₅ A ₅	7.331 – 7.195	a ₅ A ₅ ↔ a'A ↔ a ₆ A ₆

Table 7. The ¹H-NMR chemical shifts δ [ppm] from TMS of 1.

Spectrum No Solvent	Pyridin – 2– yl	
	H 11	structures
1 ₂ (DMSO)	8.665 – 8.589	a ₄ A ₄ ↔ a ₄ A ₄ ↔ a ₇ A ₇ ↔ aA
1 ₈ (DMSO–D ₂ O)	8.662 – 8.586	a ₄ A ₄ ↔ a ₆ A ₆ ↔ aA
1 ₁ (DMSO)	8.637 – 8.562	a ₃ A ₃ ↔ a ₅ A ₅ ↔ a ₆ A ₆
1 ₃ (CDCl ₃)	8.606 – 8.530	a ₇ A ₇ ↔ a ₁ A ₁ ↔ a ₈ A ₈ ↔ aA
4(CDCl ₃)	8.603 – 8.528	a ₄ A ₄ ↔ a ₅ A ₅ ↔ aA
1 ₄ (CDCl ₃)	8.601 – 8.525	a ₆ A ₆ ↔ a ₃ A ₃ ↔ aA
3(CDCl ₃)	8.598 – 8.537	a ₅ A ₅ ↔ a ₈ A ₈ ↔ aA
6(CDCl ₃)	8.598 – 8.523	a ₅ A ₅ ↔ a'A
1(CDCl ₃)	8.594 – 8.519	a ₅ A ₅ ↔ a ₃ A ₃ ↔ a ₀ A ₀
5(CDCl ₃)	8.589 – 8.514	a ₃ A ₃ ↔ a'A
2(CDCl ₃)	8.580 – 8.537	a ₃ A ₃ ↔ a ₅ A ₅ ↔ a ₈ A ₈ ↔ aA
5(CDCl ₃)	8.387 – 8.345	a ₁ A ₁ ↔ a ₂ A ₂ ↔ a ₁ A ₁

Table 8. The ¹H NMR chemical shifts δ [ppm] from TMS of the NH proton of 1A 1A(I), 1A' 1A(I)', 1B 1B', 1C 1C' tautomers

Spectrum No, (CDCl ₃)	δ	NH	Structure
6 ₅	7.125	2.09H	1A (2, 3) ⇒ 1B (2–4) 1A (4) ⇒ 1C (3, 4)
6 ₅	7.040	0.786H	1A (2, 3, 4) ₅ , 1B (2, 3, 4) ₅ , 1C (2, 3, 4) ₅
6 ₆	7.120	3.03H	1A (5) ↔ 1A (I) (5) ⇒ 1B (5) 1A (6) ↔ 1A(I)(6) ⇒ 1C (6)
6 ₆	7.035	0.802H	1A (5) ₅ ↔ 1A (I) (5) ₅ , 1A (6) ₅ ↔ 1A(I)(6) ₅ , 1B (5) ₅ , 1C (6) ₅ , 1C (5) ₅
1 ₄	6.771	1H s	1A' (1, 2), 1A'(5) ↔ 1A (I)'(5), 1A'(6) ↔ 1A(I)'(6), 1B'(1, 2, 5), 1C'(2, 5)
1 *	6.750 (H 3) 7.8 (H 12)		1B'(1, 2, 5) ₂
3	6.683	1H s	1A' (1, 2) _{2,3} , 1A' (5) _{2,3} ↔ 1A (I)' (5) _{2,3} , 1A'(6) _{2,3} ↔ 1A(I)'(6) _{2,3} ,
5	6.683	1.142H s	1B' (1, 2, 5) _{2,3} , 1C' (2, 5) _{2,3}
2	6.674	1H s	1A' (1, 2) _{4,5} , 1A' (5) _{4,5} ↔ 1A (I)' (5) _{4,5} , 1A'(6) _{4,5} ↔ 1A(I)'(6) _{4,5} , 1B'(1, 2, 5) _{4,5} , 1C'(2, 5) _{4,5}
1	6.657	1H s	1A' (1, 2) ₆ , 1A' (5) ₆ ↔ 1A (I)' (5) ₆ , 1A'(6) ₆ ↔ 1A(I)'(6) ₆ , 1B'(1, 2, 5) ₆ , 1C'(2, 5) ₆
6	6.632	1H s	1A' (1, 2) ₇ , 1A' (5) ₇ ↔ 1A (I)' (5) ₇ , 1A'(6) ₇ ↔ 1A(I)'(6) ₇ , 1B'(1, 2, 5) ₇ , 1C'(2, 5) ₇
4	6.500	1.009H s	1A' (2) ₈ , 1A' (5) ₈ ↔ 1A (I)' (5) ₈ , 1A'(6) ₈ ↔ 1A(I)'(6) ₈ , 1B'(1, 2, 5) ₈ , 1C'(2) ₈

* 2D ¹H ¹H COSY spectrum of 1

gen atom N6, the pyridine – type, is occupied with eight electrons. The coupling constants $J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{9\text{B}})$ 17.6 Hz, $J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{9\text{A}})$ 10.6 Hz, $J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{9\text{B}})$ 17.3 Hz, $J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{9\text{A}})$ 10.9 Hz (100 MHz)¹⁸ $J(\text{H}_{9\text{B}}\text{H}_{9\text{A}})$ 1.2 Hz (500 MHz)¹ point to the differences in the spin states of electrons of 2p orbitals of pyridine – type nitrogen and carbon atoms N6 C7 of **1**. At the

Table 9. The ¹H-NMR chemical shifts δ [ppm] from TMS and the ¹H-¹H long – range coupling constants [Hz] of **1**

Spectrum No. (CDCl ₃)	δ	J	NH
4	8.528	$J(\text{H}_{11}\text{H}_{9\text{A}})$ 37.280	
6	8.598	$J(\text{H}_{11}\text{H}_{9\text{A}})$ 38.144	0.1 H
1	7.754	$J(\text{H}_{12}\text{H}_{9\text{A}})$ 38.336	0.43 H
4	8.584	$J(\text{H}_{11}\text{H}_{9\text{A}})$ 38.400	
6	7.852	$J(\text{H}_{12}\text{H}_{9\text{A}})$ 38.912	0.14 H
5	7.998	$J(\text{H}_{13}\text{H}_{9\text{A}})$ 40.064	0.756 H
5	7.974	$J(\text{H}_{13}\text{H}_{9\text{A}})$ 39.296	
4	7.331	$J(\text{H}_{14}\text{H}_{9\text{A}})$ 39.392	0.46 H
4	7.341	$J(\text{H}_{14}\text{H}_{9\text{A}})$ 40.640	
2	6.008	$J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{12})$ 39.872	0.071 H
2	5.890	$J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{13})$ 41.728	
6	5.839	$J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{12})$ 39.936	0.03 H
1	8.152	$J(\text{H}_{13}\text{H}_{9\text{A}})$ 40.672	0.38 H
5	7.819	$J(\text{H}_{12}\text{H}_{9\text{A}})$ 40.832	1.356 H
3	6.012	$J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{13})$ 40.832	0.019 H
3	5.895	$J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{13})$ 42.368	
3	5.886	$J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{14})$ 39.168	
1	8.223	$J(\text{H}_{13}\text{H}_{9\text{A}})$ 41.760	0.38 H
6	7.697	$J(\text{H}_{12}\text{H}_{9\text{A}})$ 41.984	0.14 H
6	8.218	$J(\text{H}_{13}\text{H}_{9\text{B}})$ 42.240	0.172 H
4	8.594	$J(\text{H}_{11}\text{H}_{9\text{B}})$ 42.432	
5	8.223	$J(\text{H}_{13}\text{H}_{9\text{B}})$ 43.776	0.633 H

Table 10. The ¹H-NMR chemical shifts δ [ppm] from TMS and the ¹H-¹H long – range coupling constants [Hz] of **1**

Spectrum No. (CDCl ₃)	δ	J	NH
1	3.999	$J(\text{H}_{7\text{D}}\text{H}_{11})$ 37.696	0.822 H
6 ₆	3.999	$J(\text{H}_6\text{H}_{12})$ 40.960	0.199 H
3	(–0.033)	$J(\text{H}_6\text{H}_{11})$ 38.272	0.099 H
6 ₆	4.018	$J(\text{H}_6\text{H}_{11})$ 38.656	0.19 H
5	5.266	$J(\text{H}_{9\text{A}}\text{H}_{12})$ 40.960	0.9 H
5	5.449	$J(\text{H}_{9\text{A}}\text{H}_{13})$ 39.680	
3	5.477	$J(\text{H}_{9\text{A}}\text{H}_{13})$ 40.192	0.26 H
3	5.787	$J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{14})$ 43.136	
4	5.214	$J(\text{H}_{9\text{B}}\text{H}_{14})$ 43.712	0.24 H
4	5.280	$J(\text{H}_{9\text{A}}\text{H}_{12})$ 40.224	

chemical shifts δ 3.978–4.008 (dd), the electrons of 2p orbitals of N6 C7 show no differences in their spin states. The coupling constants $J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{9\text{B}})$ 17.1 Hz, $J(\text{H}_{9\text{B}}\text{H}_8)$ 17.1 Hz, $J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{9\text{A}})$ 10.1 Hz, $J(\text{H}_{9\text{A}}\text{H}_8)$ 10.1 Hz, $J(\text{H}_{9\text{B}}\text{H}_{9\text{A}})$ 1.0 Hz (500 MHz)¹ point to the lack of the differences in the spin states of electrons of 2p orbitals of pyridine – type nitrogen atom N6 C7 of **1**, structure **A**, the exocyclic nitrogen atom N6 is surrounded by seven electrons.. The magnitude of the couplings $J(\text{H}_7\text{H}_8) = J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_7)$ 5.6 Hz (500 MHz)¹ for **1** confirms pyrrole – type nitrogen atom N6, structures **1A (I)**, **1A (I)₀**, **1A (I)₀'**, **1A (I)'** and the possible transformation of $\text{sp}^2 \leftrightarrow \text{sp}$ hybridization, the structures **1A (I) ↔ 1A (II)**, **1A (I)₀ ↔ 1A (II)₀**, **1A (I)₀' ↔ 1A (II)₀'**, **1A (I)' ↔ 1A (II)'**. The calculated chemical shift value of H6 at δ 7.5 of **2** (Table 1) points to the lack of the differences in the spin states of electrons of 2p orbitals of C2 N3, C2 N6, N6 C7.

The doublet of a doublet at δ 4.032–4.061 supports the **1A (I)** (**5, 6**), **1A (I)₀'** (**5, 6**), **1A (I)₀** (**5, 6**) structures (Figs 12, 13, 8).

In ¹⁵N NMR spectrum of **1** the chemical shift of N4 δ –22.98¹ points to the pyrrole – type nitrogen atom and to the presence of the polar structures **1A'(I)**, **1A₀(I)**, **1A'₀(I)** (Fig. 7).

The ¹H ¹H long-range coupling constants in the 37.280 Hz – 43.776 Hz range¹⁸ support the coupling of the protons of the pyridyl and – N – CH₂ – CH = CH₂ groups via 2p orbitals of C14 C7 of the rigid structures **A'**, **A'_a** and sp^2 hybridization of the exocyclic nitrogen atom N6 (spectra 1–6, Table 9, Fig. 14). The signals at δ – 0.033–5.787 (Table 10, spectra 1, 3–6₆) confirm the transformation of $\text{sp}^2 \leftrightarrow \text{sp}^3$ of N6 and **A' ↔ a'**, **A'_a ↔ a'_a** resonance structures.

In the ¹H NMR spectra 1_{3,4} (100 MHz, CDCl₃) the coupling constants of the protons $J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{9\text{B}})$ 17.3 Hz, $J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{7\text{C}})$ 18.9 Hz, $J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{7\text{D}})$ 11.5 Hz, $J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{9\text{A}})$ 10.9 Hz¹⁸ confirm the sp^2 hybridization of nitrogen and carbon N6 C7 atoms. The coupling constants of the protons $J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{9\text{B}})$ 12.3 Hz, $J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{9\text{A}})$ 8.5 Hz, $J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{7\text{C}})$ 7.5 Hz, $J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{7\text{D}})$ 7.4 Hz support the sp^3 hybridization of carbon C7 atom. The coupling constants of the protons $J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{7\text{C}})$ 8.2 Hz, $J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{7\text{D}})$ 7.8 Hz¹⁸ confirm the changes of $\text{sp}^2 \leftrightarrow \text{sp}^3$ hybridization of the nitrogen and carbon atoms N6 C7.

The ¹H ¹H long-range coupling constants $J(\text{H}_6\text{H}_{11})$ 38.272 Hz, $J(\text{H}_6\text{H}_{11})$ 38.656 Hz (Table 10) support the structures **A'(I)**, **A'(5)**, **A'(6)** (Figs 7, 8).

In the ¹H NMR spectra 6₅, 6₆ (100MHz) of **1** the signals at δ 7.125 and δ 7.120 support the co – existence of two tautomeric forms **A (2, 3) ⇒ B (2-4)**, **A (4) ⇒ C (3, 4)** and **A (5) ↔ A (I) (5) ⇒ B (5)** or **A (6) ↔ A (I) (6) ⇒ C (6)**, respectively. The intensities of the signals at δ 7.125 (2.09H, Fig. 15) and δ 7.120 (3.03H, Fig. 15) indicate the interconversion of **1A (2) ⇒ 1B (2, 4)**, **1A (3) ⇒ 1B (3, 4)**, **1A (4) ⇒ 1C (3, 4)** and **1A (5) ↔ 1A (I) (5) ⇒ 1B (5)** or **1A (6) ↔ 1A (I) (6) ⇒ 1C (6)** tautomers, respectively (Figs 9–11, Table 8).

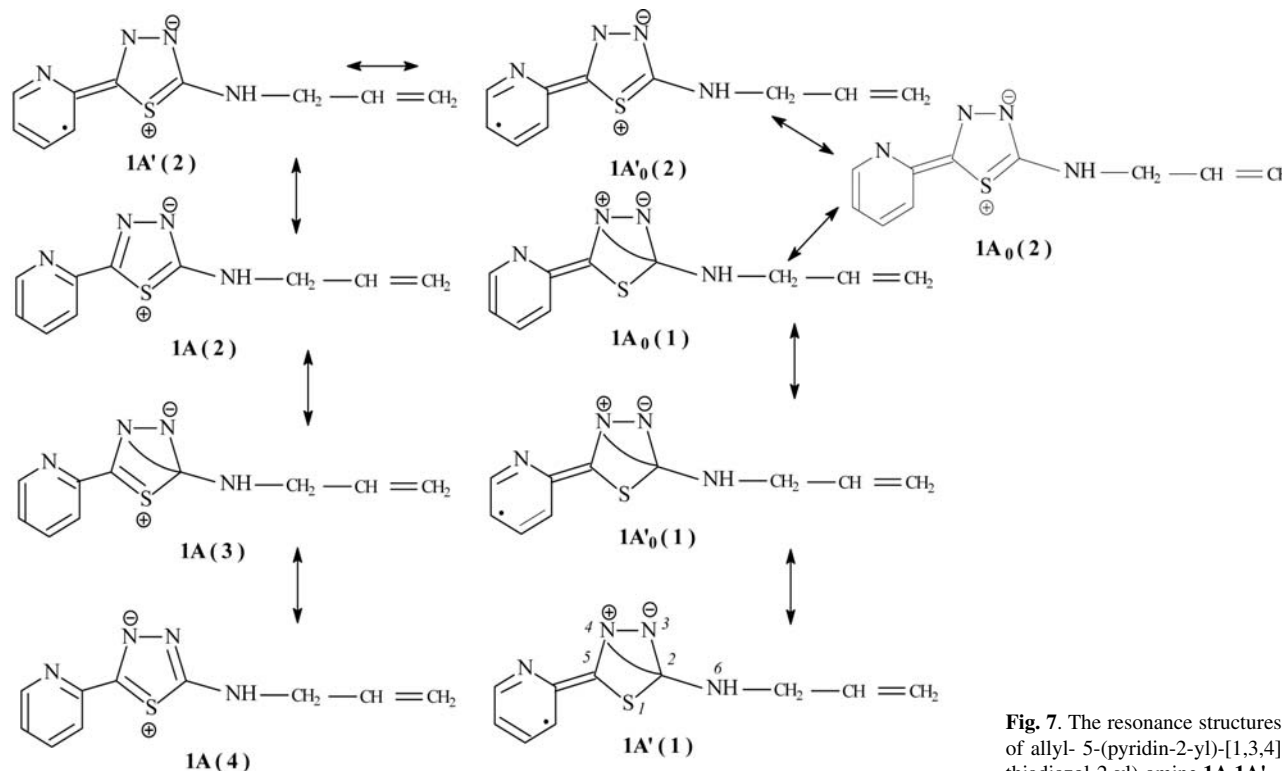


Fig. 7. The resonance structures of allyl- 5-(pyridin-2-yl)-[1,3,4]thiadiazol-2-yl-amine 1A 1A'

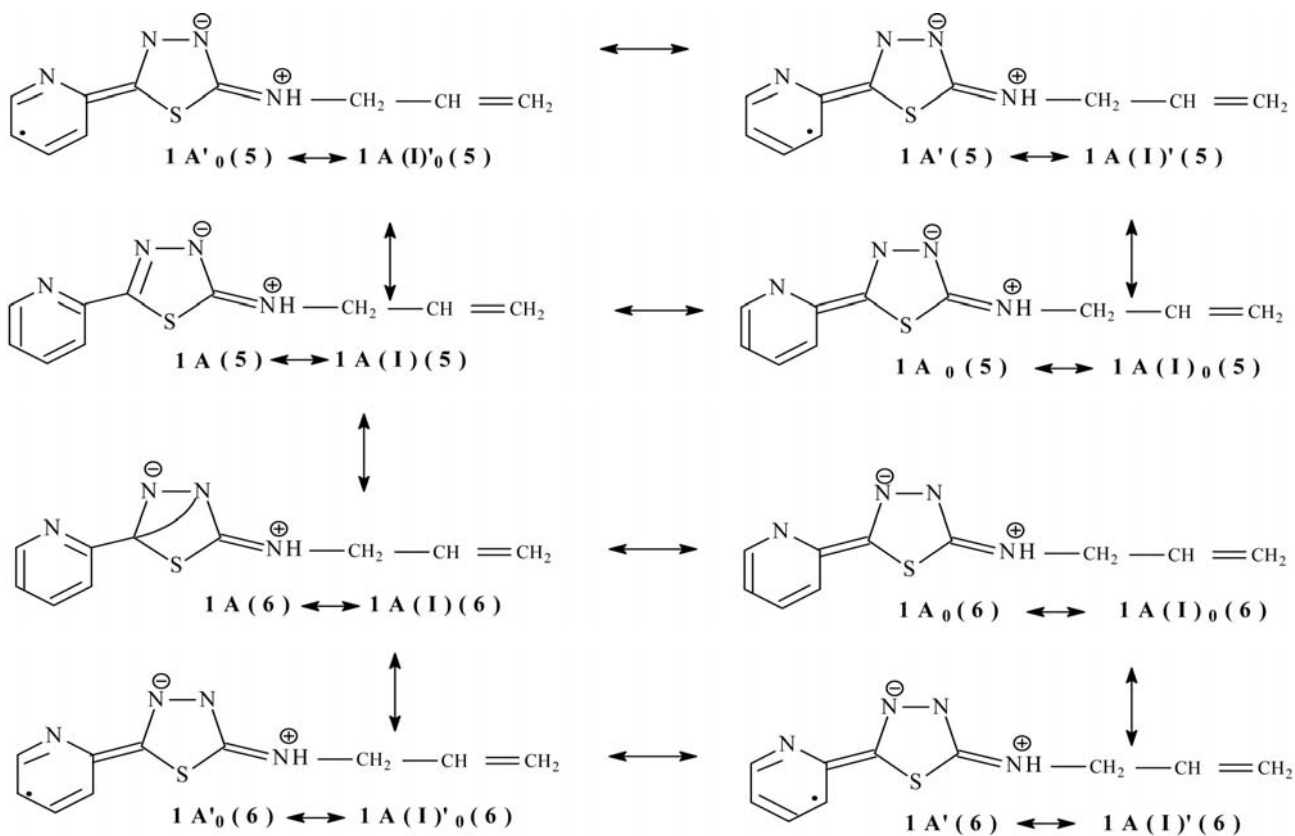


Fig. 8. The resonance structures of allyl-5-(pyridin-2-yl)-[1,3,4]thiadiazol-2-yl-amine 1A 1A' 1A(I) 1A(I)'

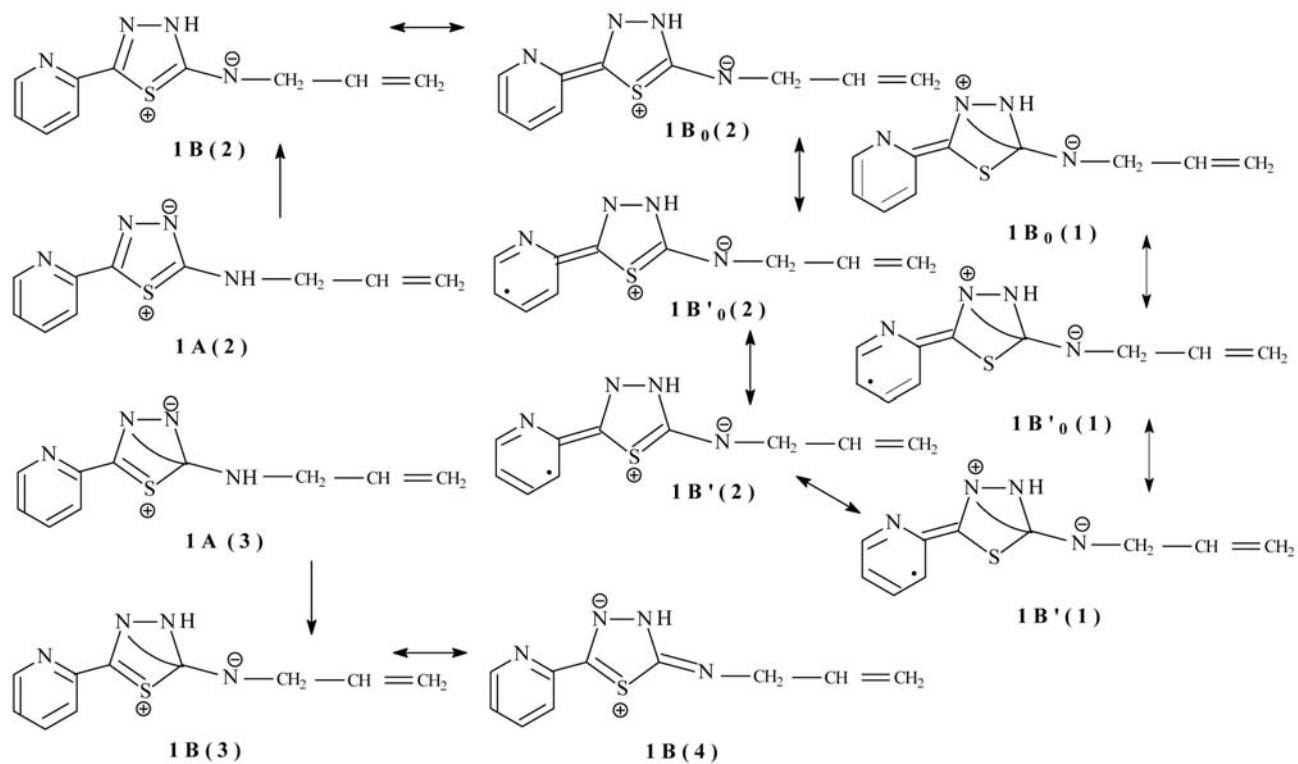


Fig. 9. The tautomeric interconversions of **1A** \Rightarrow **1B** tautomers.

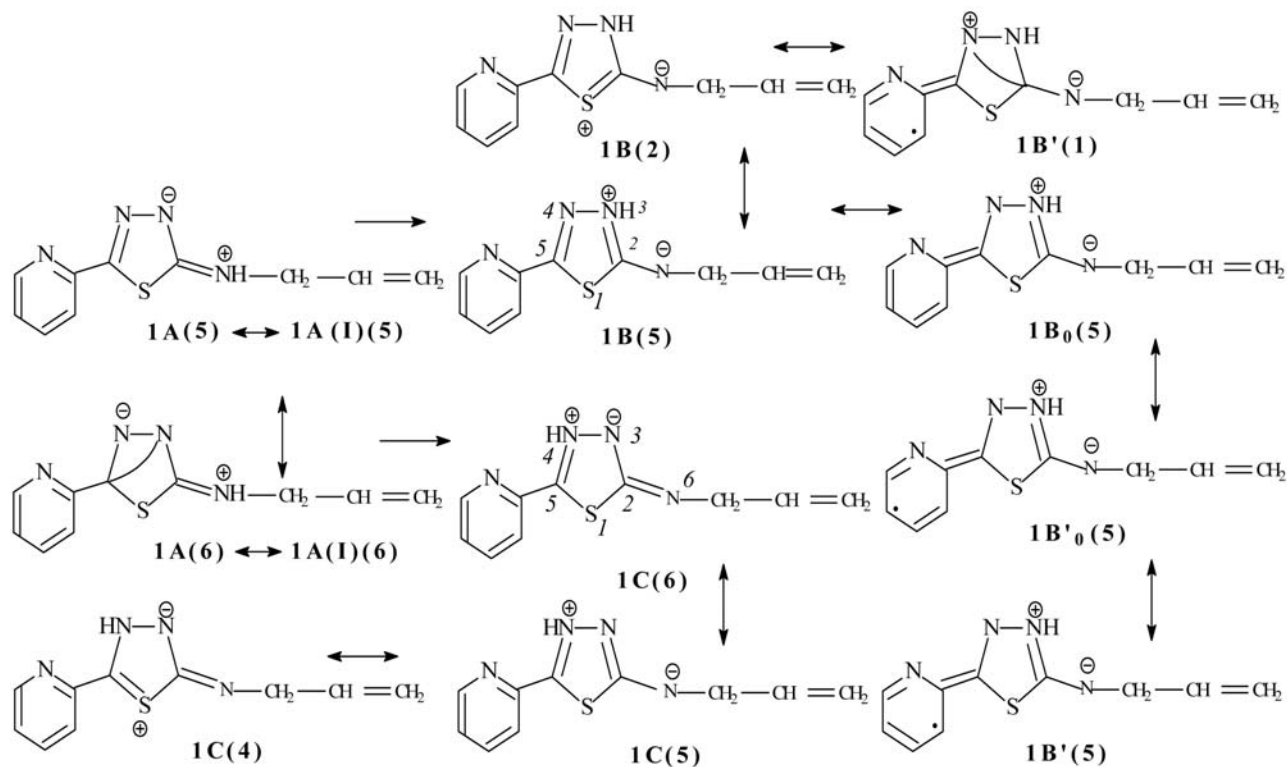


Fig. 10. The tautomeric transitions of **1A** \leftrightarrow **1A(I)** \Rightarrow **1B** and **1A** \leftrightarrow **1A(I)** \Rightarrow **1C** tautomers

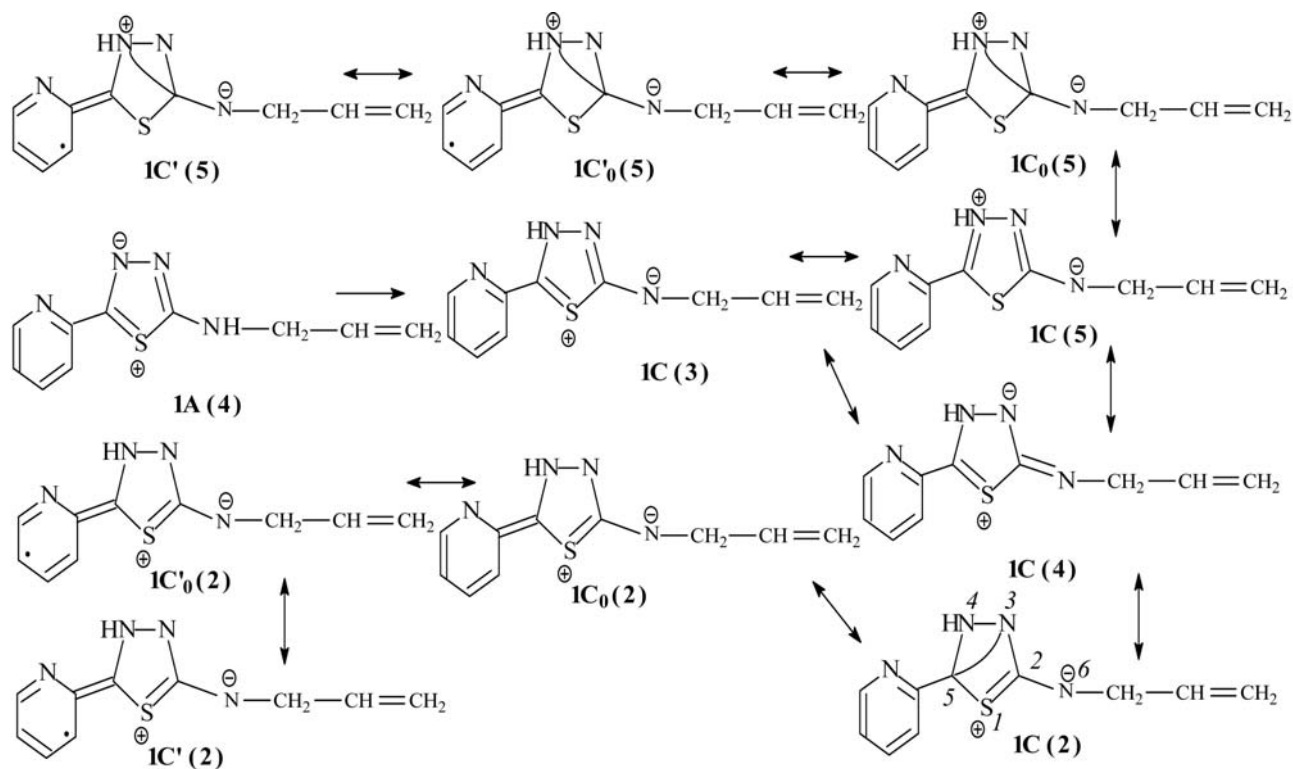


Fig. 11. The tautomeric balance of 1A \Rightarrow 1C tautomers

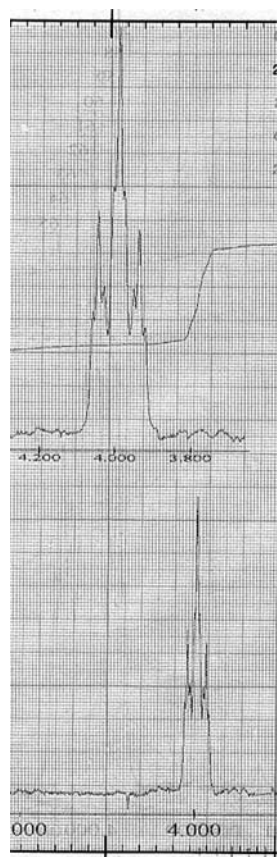


Fig. 12. The ^1H NMR signals of H 7 proton at 3.922 ppm – 4.061 ppm (spectrum 1₁, DMSO, 100 MHz)

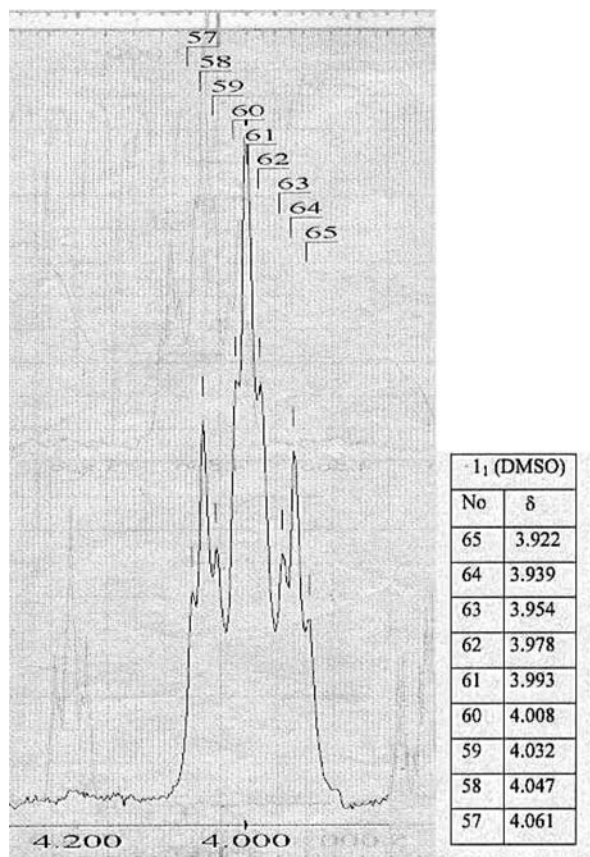


Fig. 13. The ^1H NMR signals of H 7 proton at 3.922 ppm – 4.061 ppm (spectrum 1₁, DMSO, 100 MHz)

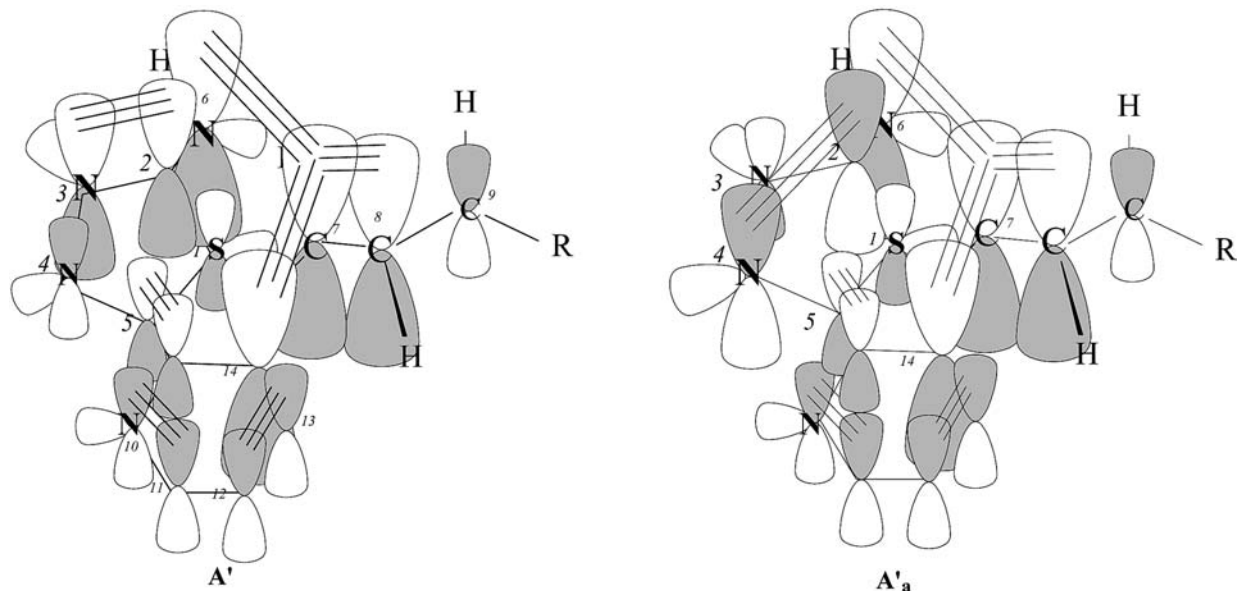
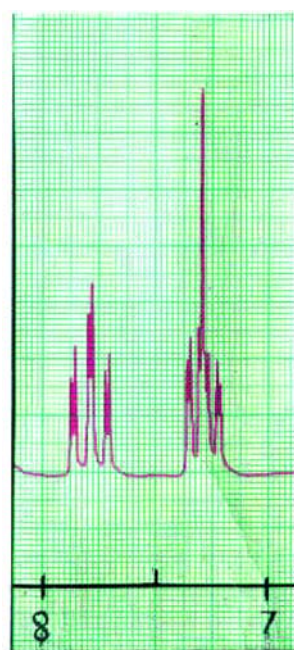


Fig. 14. The resonance rigid structures A' , A'_a of allyl-(5-pyridin-2-yl-[1,3,4]thiadiazol-2-yl)-amine

The signals at δ 7.040 (0.786H) and δ 7.035 (0.802H) correspond to the NH proton of the structures **1A** (2, 3, 4)₅ **1B** (2, 3, 4)₅ **1C** (2, 3, 4)₅, and **1A** (5)₅ \leftrightarrow **1A** (I) (5)₅, **1A** (6)₅ \leftrightarrow **1A** (I) (6)₅, **1B** (5)₅ **1C** (6)₅ **1C** (5)₅, respectively (Figs 9–11, 4, spectra 6₅, 6₆, Table 8).

In the 2D ¹H ¹H COSY correlation spectrum the cross – peak between H3 at δ 6.750 and H12 at δ 7.8 supports **B'**(1, 2, 5)₂ structures of **b** – type tautomer of **1** (Fig.



Spectrum No	ppm	integral
6 ₅	7.125	1H 658.176 1376.512
6 ₆	7.120	1H 400.896 1213.696

Fig. 15. The ¹H NMR signals of NH proton at 7.125 ppm, 7.120 ppm (spectra 6₅, 6₆)

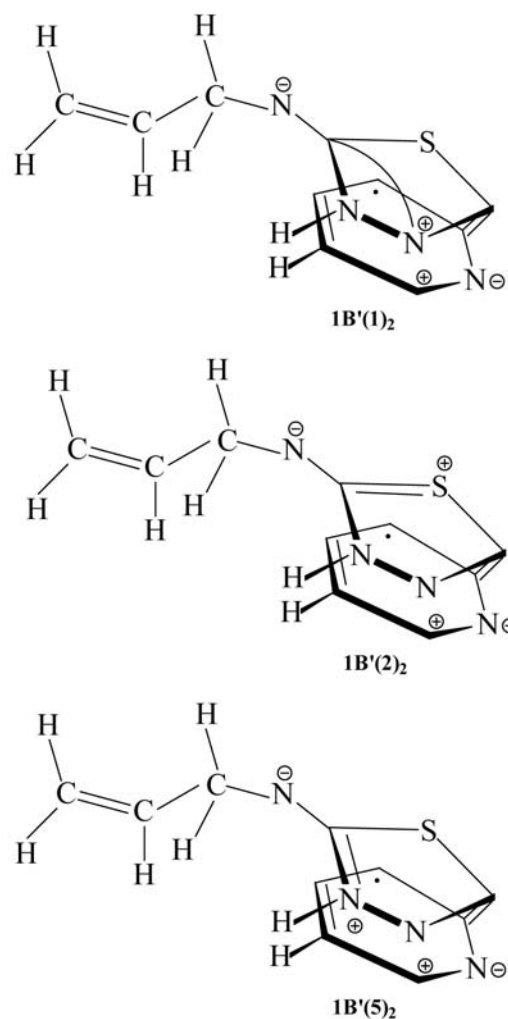


Fig. 16. The resonance structures of 3H allyl-(5-pyridin-2-yl-[1,3,4]thiadiazol-2-ylidene)-amine **1B'**

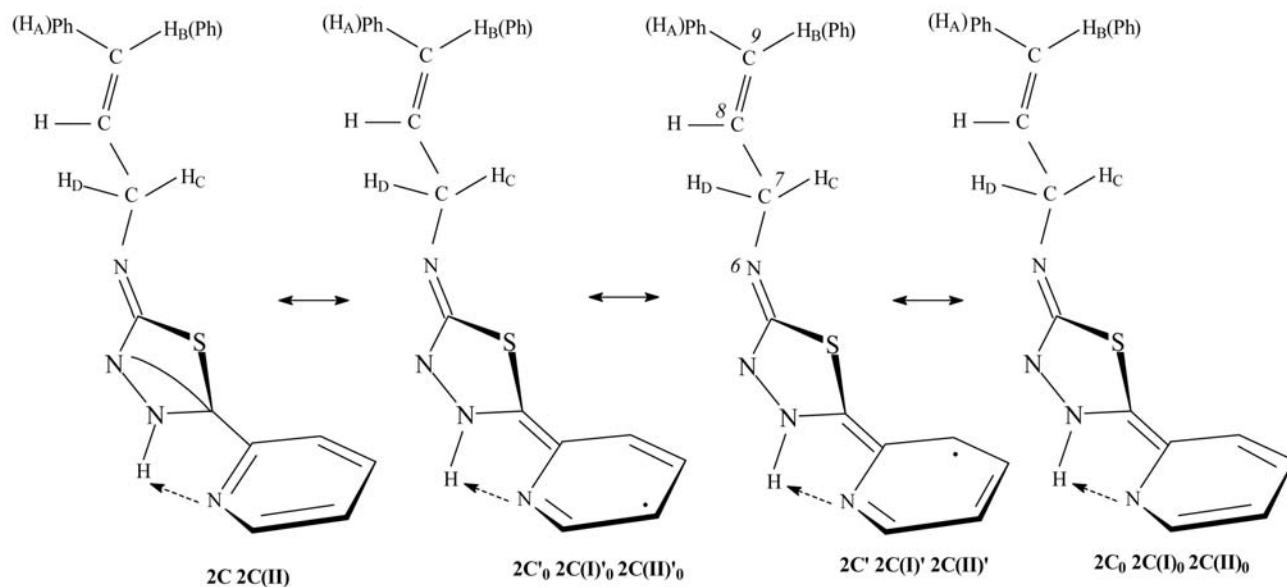


Fig. 17. The resonance structures 4H-(3-phenyl-allyl)-(5-pyridin-2-yl-[1,3,4]thiadiazol-2-ylidene) amine **2C**, **2C'**.

Table 11. The $^1\text{H-NMR}$ chemical shifts δ [ppm] from TMS of the NH group of tautomers **1A** **1A'**.

Spectrum No, Solvent	δ	NH	Structure
1 ₁ (DMSO)	8.637 – 8.562	0.08 H	1A 1A'
1 ₃ (CDCl ₃)	8.606 – 8.530	0.2 H	1A ₁ 1A ₂
1 ₄ (CDCl ₃)	8.601 – 8.525	0.05 H	
3 (CDCl ₃)	8.598 – 8.537	0.23 H	
6 (CDCl ₃)	8.598 – 8.523	0.1 H	
1 (CDCl ₃)	8.594 – 8.519	0.38 H	
5 (CDCl ₃)	8.589 – 8.514	0.637 H	
2 (CDCl ₃)	8.580 – 8.537	0.08 H	
5 (CDCl ₃)	8.077 – 7.974	0.756 H	1A' ₁
4 (CDCl ₃)	7.852 – 7.683	0.13 H	1A' ₂
6 (CDCl ₃)	7.852 – 7.678	0.14 H	1A' ₃
1 (CDCl ₃)	7.847 – 7.674	0.43 H	
2 (CDCl ₃)	7.847 – 7.674	0.18 H	
3 (CDCl ₃)	7.847 – 7.674	0.25 H	
5 (CDCl ₃)	7.838 – 7.646	1.356 H	
1 ₇ (CDCl ₃)	7.78 – 7.73	0.505 H	

16, Table 8). In the $^1\text{H-NMR}$ spectrum δ_5 of product **2** recorded in CDCl₃ solution at 100 MHz the considerable deshielding of the NH proton at δ 13.64²² indicates the possible intramolecular hydrogen bond and supports **2C'** **2C (I)'** **2C (II)'** tautomers (Fig. 17).

In the $^1\text{H-NMR}$ spectrum 1₁ (100 MHz, DMSO) of **1** the magnitude of the couplings $J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{7\text{D}}) = J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{7\text{C}})$ 8.2 Hz¹⁸ support the changes of $\text{sp}^2 \leftrightarrow \text{sp}^3$ hybridization of the nitrogen and carbon atoms N6 C7. The coupling constants of the protons $J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{9\text{B}})$ 15.4 Hz, $J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{9\text{A}})$ 8.5 Hz,

$J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{7\text{C}})$ 7.6 Hz, $J(\text{H}_8\text{H}_{7\text{D}})$ 7.6 Hz¹⁸ support the sp^3 hybridization of C7 carbon atom.

In the $^1\text{H-NMR}$ (100 MHz) spectra of **1** the NH proton signals in the δ 8.637–8.514 and δ 8.077–7.646 range confirm the **1A**, **1A'**, **1A**₁, **1A**₂ and **1A'**₁, **1A'**₂, **1A'**₃ resonance structures, respectively (Table 11)². The signals at δ 8.594 $J(\text{H}_{11}\text{H}_{9\text{B}})$ 42.432 Hz, δ 8.584 $J(\text{H}_{11}\text{H}_{9\text{A}})$ 38.400 Hz, δ 8.528 $J(\text{H}_{11}\text{H}_{9\text{A}})$ 37.280 Hz and δ 7.998 $J(\text{H}_{13}\text{H}_{9\text{A}})$ 40.064 Hz (spectra 4, 5 Table 9)² point to the transition of **A' ↔ A** and **A'**₁ ↔ **A**₁ tautomers as well as to the rapid exchange at the NH group hydrogen of structures **A** **A'**.

The interconversions of the structures **1A ↔ 1A'** ↔ **1A'**_a, **1A (I) ↔ 1A (I)' ↔ 1A (I)'**_a and the rapid exchange of the NH hydrogen suggest the proton transfer of **1A ↔ 1A (I) ⇒ 1B**, **1A ↔ 1A (I) ⇒ 1C** tautomers *via* solvent. Doubled signals of the protons corresponding to both tautomeric forms are present in the $^1\text{H-NMR}$ (100 MHz) spectra of **1** (Fig. 15, Table 8). The proton transfer reactions for different systems have been described in the literature^{23, 24}.

In the $^1\text{H-NMR}$ (100 MHz) spectra 1₄, 1–6 the NH proton singlets in the δ 6.771 to 6.500 range with the intensity of 1H confirm the resonance structures **1A'**(**1**, **2**), **1A'**(**5**) ↔ **1A (I)'**(**5**), **1A'**(**6**) ↔ **1A (I)'**(**6**), **1B'**(**1**, **2**, **5**), **1C'**(**2**, **5**) (Table 8, Figs 7–11, 4).

4. Conclusions

The ^1H , ^{13}C , ^{15}N NMR studies (100MHz) of allyl-(5-pyridin-2-yl-[1,3,4]thiadiazol-2-yl-) amine support the **A ↔ A' ↔ A'**_a, **A(I) ↔ A(I)' ↔ A(I)'**_a structures. The intensities of the signals of N-H proton at δ 7.125 and δ 7.120 confirm the balance of two tautomeric forms **A ↔**

A (I) ⇒ B, A ⇌ A (I) ⇒ C in the solution. Doubled signals of the NH proton in the ¹H-NMR (100 MHz) spectra of **1** (Fig. 15, Table 8) confirm both tautomeric forms. Because of the rapid exchange of NH group hydrogen in this case the pathway of the proton transfer *via* solvent may take place.

The signals of H7 in the ¹H NMR spectrum **1**₁ (100 MHz, DMSO) of **1** at δ 3.922–3.954, δ 3.978–4.008, δ 4.032–4.061, the coupling constants of the protons of allyl-substituent as well as the calculated chemical shift of the nitrogen atom N6 δ – 131.57 confirm **1A 1A' 1A'_a 1A (I) 1A (I)' 1A (I)'_a** and **1B 1B', 1C 1C'** tautomers.

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Povzetek

Radikalne in ionske strukture alil-(5-piridin-2-il-[1,3,4]tiadiazol-2-il)-amina **1A** ⇌ **1A'** ⇌ **1A'_a**, **1A (I)** ⇌ **1A (I)'** ⇌ **1A (I)'_a** so bile določene z uporabo ¹H (100 MHz, 500 MHz) ¹³C and ¹⁵N NMR spektroskopije in B3LYP/6-31G** računi. Spekter ¹H NMR (100 Mhz) nam je potrdil obstoj tautomernega prehoda **1A** ⇌ **1A (I)** ⇒ **1B**, **1A** ⇌ **1A (I)** ⇒ **1C**.