

New Synthesis of 2,4-Dimethylfuro[3,2-*c*]quinolines

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Abstract—Thermal cyclization of ethyl α -(2-chloro-2-propenyl)- β -arylaminoacrylates in mineral oil afforded the corresponding substituted 2,4-dimethylfuro[3,2-*c*]quinolines instead of the expected 4-hydroxy-2-methyl-3-(2-chloro-2-propenyl)quinolines.