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Chemoselective acylation of 2-amino-8-quinolinol in the generation of C2-amides or C8-esters

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Two different ways in chemoselective acylation of 2-amino-8-quinolinol with unique features to generate C2-amides or C8-esters were developed. The coupling reaction with a variety of carboxylic acids using EDCI and DMAP provided C8-ester derivatives whereas N-heteroaromatic acids were not introduced on the C8-hydroxy group but, rather on the C2-amino group under the same conditions. To obtain C2-amides selectively the anionic nucleophile from 2-amino-8-quinolinol was treated with less reactive acyl imidazolides or esters.

Biography

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