

Preparative and nuclear magnetic resonance studies of 1,3,2,4-diazadiphosphetidines. IV. Methyl- and methoxyfluorodiazadiphosphetidines. Harris, Robin K.; Wazeer, Mohamed I. M.; Schlak, Ottfried; Schmutzler, Reinhard. Sch. Chem. Sci., Univ. East Anglia, Norwich, UK. Journal of the Chemical Society, Dalton Transactions: Inorganic Chemistry (1972-1999) (1974), (17), 1912-21.

Abstract

Diazadiphosphetidines I (R = Me, MeO; m = 3, n = 2, m = n = 1, 2; m = 2, n = 1) were prepd. by substitution of fluorinated analogs by MeMgI, MeLi, or LiOMe. ¹H-decoupled ¹⁹F and ³¹P NMR were analyzed using subspectral techniques and iterative computer fitting. The concerted pseudorotation nature of the axial-equatorial exchange permitted the exchange to be slowed on the NMR timescale at low temps. in only 2 cases. Chem. shift and coupling const. (J) values were influenced by the substituents and geometry. Values of ²J_{PP} were pos. and could be reproduced by a product of parameters characteristic of the environment of each P nucleus.