## シリカゲルを固定相とした中圧分取液体クロマトグラフィーによる窒素上無保護ケチミンの加水分解の調査

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Hydrolysis Study of Nitrogen-Unprotected Ketimine by Silica Gel Medium-Pressure Liquid Chromatography System (*Research Foundation Itsuu Laboratory*) OShintaro Shibata

Nitrogen-unprotected imines (N-H imines) are valuable intermediates in a diverse range of fields from chemical to pharmaceutical industries. Because the N-H imines are convertible to primary amines when used as C-terminal electrophiles, to secondary amines when used as an N-terminal nucleophile, and to nitrogen-protected imines (N-R imines). Thus, N-H imines can lead to various nitrogen compounds. Among N-H imines, N-H aldimines (RCH=NH) derived from aldehydes are difficult to isolate due to thermal instability and easy self-polymerizations. By contrast, N-H ketimines ( $R_2$ C=NH) from ketones are relatively isolable, and expected as effective precursors for organic synthesis. However, there are few versatile synthetic studies of N-H ketimines. This is due to hydrolysis of N-H ketimines during conventional purification by liquid-liquid extraction or column chromatography. In this study, the hydrolysis properties of relatively stable N-H diaryl ketimines were investigated by silica gel column chromatography using a medium-pressure liquid chromatography (Yamazen EPCLC W-Prep 2XY). As a result, the hydrolysis of N-H ketimines was successfully suppressed under several conditions.

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