

CURRICULUM VITAE

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PERSONAL

Female, Married, Born on 27 Feb, 1984 in India.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

March 2019- Present: Senior Scientist

Custom Synthesis and Process Research & Development (Medicinal Chemistry)

PHARMAFFILIATES ANALYTICS & SYNTHETICS.

Involves custom synthesis molecules, API's molecules and improved cost effective synthesis of API's related impurity profiles involved in new synthetic route development and optimization of pharmaceutical intermediates.

January 2018- March 2019: Scientist

Custom Synthesis and Process Research & Development (Medicinal Chemistry)

INNOVISION LIFE SCIENCES PVT. LTD.

Involves custom synthesis molecules, process development of API's etc and new/improved cost effective synthesis of API's. Involved in new/infringing synthetic route development and optimization of pharmaceutical intermediates and contract research.

JUNE 2012- December 2017: Senior Research Associate

R&D Division (Medicinal Chemistry and Discovery Research)

GVK-BIO SCIENCES

Works in different areas of synthetic organic chemistry e.g. hetero cyclic chemistry, Parallel Synthesis, Linear, Library Synthesis and transition metal catalyzed coupling reaction.

June 2009 - May 2012: Research Associate

R&D Division
GVK-BIO SCIENCES
JUNE 2007- May 2009: Senior Chemist
R&D Division
GVK-BIO SCIENCES
November 2006- May 2007: Trainee Chemist
R&D Division
GVK-BIO SCIENCES.

EDUCATION

2012 -2018 Ph.D. (Organic Chemistry)
Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University Kakinada
Kakinada, East Godavari District
Andhra Pradesh, India-533 003

Thesis Title: “Synthesis and Characterization of 1,4-dihydroquinazoline and quinazoline derivatives”

Research Advisor: Dr. Naresh Kumar Katari, Assistant Professor in Gitam University and Dr. Manda Ravi Prakash Reddy, Scientist-E in C-MET.

A facile synthesis of 1,4-dihydroquinazolines from 2-aminobenzyl amine and carbon disulfide via dithiocarbamate performed at room temperature is reported. Corresponding *S*-alkyl quinazoline derivatives were obtained from 1,4-dihydroquinazolines in one-pot reactions under the palladium reagents after addition of alkyl halides. The versatility of this synthetic protocol has been demonstrated with various halo benzenes and also a novel method for the synthesis of *S*-aryl/heteroaryl-quinazoline has been developed through the cross-coupling of 1,4-dihydroquinazoline with variety of aryl and heteroaryl boronic acids under the assistance of [Cu(OAc)₂] as the catalyst for the formation of carbon-sulfur bonds. This newly developed method demonstrates that the conditions of the traditional copper-catalyzed Chan-Lam reaction can be improved; and optimization reaction involves base, solvent and catalyst. The quinazoline moiety has proven to be a versatile building block for development of variety of pharmaceutical entities. For example, many of the quinazoline show a broad spectrum of chemotherapeutic activities, researchers have already determined many therapeutic activities of quinazoline derivatives, including anti-cancer, anti-inflammation and anti-diabetes. Palladium-catalyzed coupling reaction, which plays a vital role in the pharmaceutical industry, is widely applied in chemical synthesis industry and laboratories as an efficient method for the formation of C-C and C-heteroatom bond.

2004-2006 M.Sc. (Organic Chemistry), I Class
Department of Chemistry

Andhra University
Andhra Pradesh
India

2002-2004 B.Sc. (Chemistry), I Class
Andhra University
Andhra Pradesh
India.

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

- Heterocyclic Chemistry
- Linear Synthesis
- Parallel Synthesis
- Library Synthesis
- Stereochemistry
- Organo-metallic Chemistry
- Synthesis of New active drug molecules
- Development of New drug molecules
- New methodological work
- Chemical development- Involved in new/infringing synthetic route development and optimization of active pharmaceutical ingredients, pharmaceutical intermediates and contract research.

Work experience in synthetic organic Chemistry

Named Reactions Handle:

- Grignard Reactions, Suzuki coupling, Sand-Mayer Reactions, Mitsunobu reaction, Chan Lam Coupling, Friedal Craft Reactions, Jones oxidation, Buchwald Reactions, Ullman Reaction, Sonagashira coupling, Stille coupling, Swern oxidation, Strecker Synthesis, Simmons-Smith Reaction, Vilsmeier haack reaction, Clemmensen Reduction, Wolfkisher reaction and Merwin-ponndorf reaction

Reactions Handled:

- Protection and Deprotection of Amines, Aldehydes and Alcohols.
- Oxidations
- Reductions (Catalytic)
- Parr Hydrogenation
- Bromination
- Cyclizations
- Nitrations

Reagents Handled:

- KO^t-Bu, NaH, KHMDS & Different Oxidizing Reagents
- LAH, NaBH₄, Pd/C & Raney Ni
- Na Metal, Zn Powder, DIBALH & Different Reducing Reagents
- ZnCl₂, AlCl₃, NaN₃, SnCl₂.2H₂O.
- *n*-BuLi, LDA, LiHMDS, LiBH₄, NaO^t-Bu & Different Organo Metallic Ligands.

Catalysts Handled:

- Tetrakis, PdCl₂(dppf), Pd(OAc)₂, Pd(PPh₃)₂Cl₂

SUMMARY OF EXPERIENCE/QUALIFICATIONS

- I have industrial experience in custom synthesis molecules, intermediates in custom pharmaceutical services, **Pharmaffiliates Analytics & Synthetics**. Expertise in synthesis of target molecule of custom synthesis and lab scale operations, scale-up operations of API's, drug intermediates and its key interdependencies. So far works multiple projects of API's and API impurity profiles process development & scale-up activity carried out.
- I have industrial experience in custom synthesis molecules, process research & development of API's and drug intermediates in custom pharmaceutical services, **Innovision Life Sciences Pvt.Ltd**. Expertise in synthesis of target molecule of custom synthesis and process research and development for technical breakthroughs with respect to process development, lab scale operations and scale-up operations of API's, drug intermediates and its key interdependencies. So far works ~3 different projects of API's process development & scale-up activity carried out.
- 9.0 years of industrial experience in research & development and the preparation of final targets and drug intermediates for client requirements in **GVK BIO Science Pvt.Ltd**. Works in different areas of synthetic organic chemistry e.g. Hetero cyclic chemistry, Parallel Synthesis, Linear Synthesis and transition metal catalyzed coupling reaction etc.
- 2.0 years of project management in **GVK BIO Sciences**.

- Ph.D. from **JNTU Kakinada**, Kakinada, Andhra Pradesh, India-533 003. Work in the areas of substituted quinazoline synthesis especially in hetero cyclic chemistry.
- Development of new reagents of synthetic importance in organic synthesis., New heterocyclic products synthesis, heterocyclic chemistry, parallel and Linear synthesis of Library molecules etc.
- Proficient in diverse areas of organic synthesis: Expertise in development of new reagents of synthetic importance in organic synthesis., heterocyclic chemistry, organo-metalic or transition metal catalyzed chemistry etc.

Current Job: Roles & Responsibilities

- ✓ My role is responsible for client projects by route designing and synthesis of molecules as per specifications, independently and/ or through supervision of a team of chemists.
- ✓ **Set-up and execute reactions for synthesis of target molecules:**
 - Understand the project requirements and deliverables from supervisor/manager, as specified by the client
 - Understand the reaction protocol, Literature search and execution of projects with in the self-estimated and targeted timelines
 - Comprehend and discuss the MSDS (Material Safety Data Sheet) with supervisor/team members
 - Identify and mitigate any potential safety risk with the help of supervisor
 - Efficiently delegate work and monitor team members for effective planning, execution and delivery
 - Plan and execute reactions independently with proper reagents and equipment (glassware, stirrers, vacuum pumps etc.) maintaining specified conditions (temperature, pressure etc.), with optimum usage and minimum wastage
 - Ensure parallel execution of multiple reactions conducted both by self and the team
 - Monitor progress of the reactions by using standard methods and analytical techniques
 - Identify and execute appropriate workup and purification technique to produce an intermediate/ final compound of desired quality
 - Analyze analytical data, comprehend results and identify the issues
 - Troubleshoot as appropriate for successful execution with intimation to supervisor and guide juniors/team

- Meet productivity benchmarks on number of reactions/ number of steps/ number of compounds/ quantity/ compound purity/ project timelines of self and team
 - **Improve delivery efficiency and quality through project management:**
 - Support project manager in finalizing the estimation of the project by identifying relevant literature and proposing appropriate synthetic routes
 - Assess potential risks on the project proposals
 - **Ensure safety at work through enforcement of good laboratory practices:**
 - Follow safety protocols and guidelines in the labs
 - Maintenance and usage of equipment/apparatus/instruments as per SOPs
 - Guide team members/juniors on safety protocols and ensure compliance
 - **Maintain records, data integrity and IP confidentiality:**
 - Document reactions, research findings/ observations accurately in lab note books as per client requirements to ensure data integrity
 - Maintain strict IP Confidentiality and adhere to all related policies
 - Preparation of Weekly Reports, Final Reports, Weekly update etc.
 - Identify and report non-compliance of LNB guidelines updated by junior team members
 - **Ensure high morale and skill development of self and team:**
 - Guiding a team of chemists to meet productivity/ quality targets
 - Train & develop team members, regularly monitor their performance
 - Improve knowledge of organic chemistry (particularly synthesis)/ Analytical techniques etc
- ✓ Handling average 20-25 project per year.
 - ✓ 5 chemists directly reporting to me.
 - ✓ Create and sustain a high quality function which aims to continuously improve in competence, scientific excellence and innovation.
 - ✓ Support to the Manager for new technology initiatives designed to increase efficiency and productivity. Develop effective interactions with other groups
 - ✓ Interpretation of organic compounds by Mass (LC-MS & GC-MS), ¹HNMR, ¹³CNMR, IR & HPLC
 - ✓ Carrying out efficient separation and purification of compounds by Preparative Thin-Layer Chromatography, Column Chromatography, High Vacuum Fractional Distillation, grace purification technique and Recrystallization etc.

- ✓ Updating the projects by preparing weekly reports and Final Reports., participating in Teleconferences with the client over project reviews and updates
- ✓ Direct Interaction with the clients regarding the project requirements and updates.
- ✓ Lead and guide a team of chemists in process research and development for technical breakthroughs with respect to process development, lab scale operations and scale-up activities
- ✓ Planning and resources identification, giving project projections
- ✓ Coordination between various departments for smooth execution of the project
- ✓ Selection of non-infringing synthetic route by the thorough review of literature and patents.
- ✓ Development of eco-friendly, cost effective and plant feasible process from early feasibility study to lab validations
- ✓ Major role is to design cost effective and atom efficient synthetic routes of drug candidate product. Process-development of the synthetic routes selected for the development and undertakes scale-up activities (100 g to 1 Kg) for pre clinical, safety toxicology and commercial scale.
- ✓ Delivering the target products by strict adherence to safety while using different hazardous chemicals.
- ✓ Optimization and scale up of compounds having higher scale target
- ✓ Drive project completion in time and ensure high levels of customer satisfaction.
- ✓ Ensure that the team member work according to the SOPs and other laboratory best practices for GMP and GLP.
- ✓ Writing reports, research articles, reviews, delivering talks in conferences/work-shops

RESEARCH AND CONSULTANCY ACHIEVEMENTS

✓ International Academic Conference	:	3
✓ National Conferences	:	5
✓ Workshop Attended	:	2
✓ Oral Presentations	:	4
✓ Poster Presentations	:	6

PERSONAL BIODATA

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C/O- Mr. Surya Prakasha Rao
Gunupudi, Bhimavaram-534 201
West Godavari District
Andhra Pradesh
India.

LIST OF PUBLICATIONS

International Publications: 07

1. "Tandem One Pot (TOP) and efficient method for the palladium reagent-catalyzed cross-coupling of quinazoline thiols" Published in **Journal of Hetero Cyclic Chemistry-2014, Vol. 49, P. 992-995**

P Satya Karuna,^a R.V.V. Ramana Murthy,^b M.R.P. Reddy,^c Naresh Kumar Katari^d and Kummari Srinivas^d

2. "Transition metal-promoted synthesis of 2-aryl/heteroaryl-thioquinazoline: C-S Bond formation by "Chan-Lam Cross-Coupling" Reaction" published in **Journal of Chemical Science-2016, Vol. 51, P. 899-902.**

Pulakhandam Satya Karuna,^a M.R.P. Reddy,^b and Naresh Kumar Katari^{c*}

3. "Microwave-Promoted Syntheses of *S*-Substituted Quinazoline Derivatives from 1,4-dihydroquinazoline-2-thiol" published in **Letters in Drug Design & Discovery - 2017, Vol. 15, P. 583-589.**

Pulakhandam Satya Karuna,^a M.R.P. Reddy,^b and Naresh Kumar Katari^{c*}

4. "Oxone mediated oxidation of 2-(aryl/alkyl thio) quinazolines: a green approach". (**Current Green Chemistry-2018, Vol 5, Issue 3, 108-113**).

Pulakhandam Satya Karuna^a, Siva Reddy Annem^b, Naresh Kumar Katari^{*b} and M.R.P. Reddy^c

5. Synthesis of Novel Analogues of 2-Thioquinazoline". Published in **Molecular Diversity-2018.**

Satya Karuna Pulakhandam^a, Naresh Kumar Katari^{b,c,*} and Sreekantha B. Jonnalagadda^c

6. Preparation of linear frac concentration with different hydrocarbons like petrol, diesel, kerosene compatibility & breaker test by using oxidizer, breakers. Published in **Journal of Applied chemistry July, 2013**.

R.V.V. Ramana Murthy^a, Subrahmannian P^a, Naresh Kumar Katari^{b*}, **P. Satya Karuna^b** and M.R.P.Reddy^c

7. L-Arginine catalysed knoevenagel Condensation: An Unambiguous synthesis of cyano-nitrophenylacetamide, benzimidazole acetonitrile & 3-indole substituted alkenes. Published in **Current organo catalysis 2015, P. 44-50**.

K.Srinivas^{a*}, Naresh Kumar Katari^a, **P. Satya Karuna^b** and M.S.Surendrababu^c

Oral Presentations

1. Microwave-Promoted Syntheses of *S*-Substituted Quinazoline Derivatives from 1,4-dihydroquinazoline-2-thiol. **Pulakhandam Satya Karuna¹**, Naresh Kumar Katari,^{*2} Rambabu Gundla,² and Manda Ravi Prakash Reddy³

National Seminar on “**Shaping the future with Green Chemistry**” (SFGC-14). 27-28th JUNE 2014 held at S.P.M.H.Kalasala, Machilipatnam, Krishna District, A.P, India.

2. Copper catalysed synthesis of 2-aryl/heteryl-thioquinazoline: Cascade C-S Bond formation by “Chan-Lam Cross-Coupling” Reaction. **Pulakhandam Satya Karuna^a**, M.R.P. Reddy,^b and Naresh Kumar Katari^{c*}

National Seminar on “**The Role of Natural Product Chemistry in Drug Discovery**” (RNPCDD-14). 11-12th September 2014 held at Siddartha Auditorium, Vijayawada, A.P, India.

3. An efficient and convenient protocol for the synthesis of *S*-substituted Sulfonyl quinazoline derivatives using oxidizing reagents. **Pulakhandam Satya Karuna^a**, Naresh Kumar Katari^{*b} and M.R.P. Reddy^d

National Seminar on “**New Aspects of Heterocycle Chemistry in Medchem and Chemical Biology**”. 19-20th February 2015 held at R.B.V.R.R.Womens College, Narayanaguda, Hyderabad-500027, Telangana State, India.

4. Design and Novel synthesis of Quinazolinone and its Derivatives. **P Satya Karuna^a**, Naresh Kumar Katari ^{*b}, Choragudi Chandrasekhar ^a and M.R.P. Reddy.

International Conference on “**Trend setting Innovations in Chemical Sciences & Technology Nature Inspired Chemistry & Engineering**” (TSCST-NICE-2016). 4th-6th October 2016 held at JNTU Hyderabad-500085, Telangana state, India.

Poster Presentations

1. Tandem One Pot (TOP) and efficient method for the palladium reagent-catalyzed cross-coupling of quinazoline thiols. **P Satya Karuna**,^a R.V.V. Ramana Murthy,^b M.R.P. Reddy,^c Naresh Kumar Katari^d and Kummari Srinivas^d.
International Conference on “**New Dimensions in Chemistry and Chemical Technologies Applications in Pharma Industry**” (NDCT-2014). 23th-24th JUNE 2014 held at JNTU Hyderabad-500085, Telangana state, India.
2. Microwave-Promoted Syntheses of *S*-Substituted Quinazoline Derivatives from 1, 4-dihydroquinazoline-2-thiol. **Pulakhandam Satya Karuna**,¹ Naresh Kumar Katari,^{*2} Rambabu Gundla,² and Manda Ravi Prakash Reddy³
National conference on “**Drug Discovery and Development in Chemistry Applications in Pharma Industry**” (DDDC-2015) on September 14th-15th 2015 held at Sri Venkateswara university, Tirupati-2, A.P state, India.
3. An efficient and convenient protocol for the synthesis of *S*-substituted sulfonyl quinazoline derivatives using oxidizing reagents **P. Satya Karuna**^a, Naresh Kumar Katari^{*b} and M.R.P. Reddy^c. National Seminar on “**Current Research Trends and Developments in Organic Synthesis**” (CRTADIOS-2015). 5th-6th October-2015 held at Aadikavi Nannaya University, Rajahmundry A.P state, India.
4. Design and Novel synthesis of Quinazolinone and its Derivatives. **P Satya Karuna**^a, Naresh Kumar Katari ^{*b}, Choragudi Chandrasekhar ^a and M.R.P. Reddy.
International Conference on “**International Congress on Recent Advances in Chemistry and Chemical Engineering**” (NDCT-2016). 11th-13th JULY 2016 held at JNTU Hyderabad-500085, Telangana state, India.
5. Design and novel synthesis of new Thioquinazoline analogous. **P Satya Karuna**^a, Naresh Kumar Katari ^{*b}, Gundla Rambabu^b and M.R.P. Reddy^c.
“National Symposium” (CRSI-NSC 21-2017). 13th-15th JULY 2017 held at IICT Hyderabad-500076, Telangana state, India.
6. Design and novel synthesis of new Thioquinazoline analogous. **P Satya Karuna**^a, Naresh Kumar Katari ^{*b}, Gundla Rambabu^b and M.R.P. Reddy^c.
“National Symposium” (**Materials in Healthcare-2018**). 6th-8th September 2018 held in Gitam University, Hyderabad Telangana state, India.

National-Work Shops attended

1. One Day National Workshop on “**Modern Trends in Drug Discovery and Development (MTDDD- 16)**” in Gitam University, Hyderabad. April 2nd 2016.

2. One Day National Workshop on “**Big Data Applications in Drug Repurposing (BDADR- 17)**” in Gitam University, Hyderabad. October 23rd 2017.

Books Published

1. Research published in “**LAP LAMBERT Academic Publishing**” in Brivibas gatve 197, LV-1039, Riga, Latvia, European Union in April 29th 2019.

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