

The Anti-Microbial Activity of Metal Complexes Derived from Schiff's Bases

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Abstract: *Co(II), Ni(II), Cu(II) complexes of the Schiff base derived from substituted benzaldehyde and m-aminobenzoic acid were synthesized and characterized by elemental analysis, IR, UV-Vis. The IR results demonstrate the bidentate binding mode of the ligand involving azomethine nitrogen and carboxylate oxygen atoms. The antimicrobial activity of the synthesized ligand and its complexes were screened by disc diffusion method. The results show that the metal complexes were found to be more active than the ligand.*

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