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# Synthesis of polar-terminated 3,5-diarylisozole liquid crystals. 

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#### Abstract

Polar-terminated 3,5-diarylisoxazole liquid crystals (ILCs) were synthetized and their mesogenic behavior characterized by differential scanning calorimetry (DSC) and polarizing optical microscopy (POM). Titles ILCs are composed of 3,5-diarylisoxazole as a hard core, one alkyl chain and one long polar-terminated flexible spacer. Polar groups are hydroxyl, bromine, ketal and 1,2-diol. ILCs Polar-terminated ILCs are hydroxyl-, bromine-ketal- and 1,2-diol-terminated .

In this communication, we describe the synthesis of polar liquid crystals containing the 3,5- diarylisoxazole ring, which was obtained by the [3+2] 1,3-dipolar cycloaddition followed by the oxidation reaction of the respective isoxazoline. The nextstep was deprotection reaction using $\mathrm{HBr} / \mathrm{AcOH}$ to provide the corresponding phenol. The next step was two alkylation reactions with the 1,10-dibromodecane and 1,4-dibromobutane in acetone and reflux for 72 hours. Both alkylating agents were used in excess in a ratio of 1:3. Excess of the reagent was removed through the soxhlet extractor using hexane as solvent. In the next steps will be the insertion reactions of other polar groups such as 1,2 - diol and ketal.

All ILCs compounds will be characterized by Infrared, $\mathrm{H}^{1}$ and $\mathrm{C}^{13}$ NMR spectroscopy, as well as polarized light microscopy, DSC and X-ray.


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