

## Synthesis ,Characterization And Biological Evaluation Of Some New Thieno[2,3-d]Pyrimidine Derivatives

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**Abstract:** Several new thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidine derivatives 2-[3-chloro-2-(substitutedphenyl)-4-oxoazetidin-1-yl]amino }-N-(thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-yl)acetamide **6(a-j)**, 4-[(2E)-2-(substitutedbenzylidene)hydrazinyl]-2-[(2Z)-2-(2,4-dichlorobenzylidene) hydrazinyl] thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidine **9(a-j)** and 3-chloro-4-(substituted phenyl)-1-(thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-ylamino)azetidin-2-one **14(a-j)** were synthesized starting from 2-aminothiophene-3-carbonitrile **1**. The characterization of the newly synthesized compounds was established by IR, <sup>1</sup>H NMR, <sup>13</sup>C NMR and Elemental analysis. The final compounds were screened for their antibacterial activity against *Staphylococcus aureus* and *Streptococcus pyogenes* from Gram positive group of bacteria and *Escherichia coli* and *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* from Gram negative group of bacteria and antifungal activity against *Aspergillus niger*.

**Key words:** Thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidine, antimicrobial activity, schiff's base, azetidinone.

### INTRODUCTION

Thienopyrimidine derivatives, which are structure analogues of purines, have been focus of great interest because of their large range of pharmacological activities<sup>1</sup> as antibacterial,<sup>2,3</sup> antifungal,<sup>4</sup> analgesic,<sup>5-7</sup> antipyretic,<sup>8,9</sup> antiinflammatory,<sup>10</sup> antihistaminic,<sup>11,12</sup> anticancer,<sup>13-15</sup> radioprotective.<sup>16,17</sup> Many thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidine derivatives were reported as phosphodiesterase inhibitors,<sup>18</sup> also exhibited good H<sub>1</sub> receptor antagonistic activities,<sup>19</sup> 4-amino derivatives showed insecticidal, pesticidal and acaricidal activities.<sup>20</sup> Numerous thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidines have been proved to use in case of cerebral ischemia, malaria, tuberculosis, Alzheimer's and Parkinson's diseases.<sup>21</sup> This work aimed to synthesize some new thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidine derivatives starting with 2-aminothiophene-3-carbonitrile and to evaluate their biological activities.

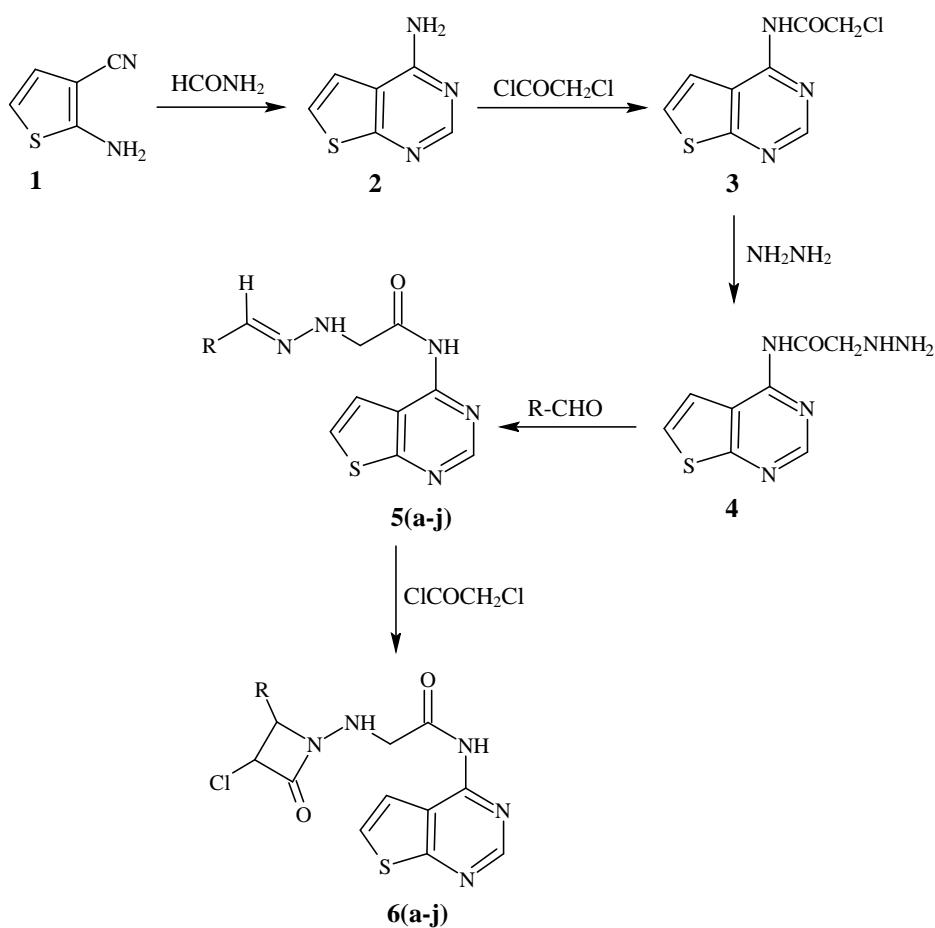
### EXPERIMENTAL

#### General Procedures:

Melting points were determined by open capillary method and are uncorrected. The structures of the compounds were confirmed by <sup>1</sup>H and <sup>13</sup>C nuclear magnetic resonance and Fourier transform infrared. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectra were recorded with Bruker Avance II 400 MHz NMR spectrometer at SAIF, Chandigarh, in CDCl<sub>3</sub> or DMSO-d<sub>6</sub> using TMS as internal standard and chemical shifts are expressed in ppm. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectra of the compounds were recorded with a Bruker Avance II 400 MHz NMR spectrometer at SAIF (Sophisticated Analytical Instrument Facilities), Chandigarh. The IR spectra were recorded with a Thermo Scientific Nicolet iS10 FTIR specrophotometer at the Deparetement of Chemistry, Veer Narmad South Gujarat University. Elemental analysis (C, H, N) were performed on Thermo Scientific FLASH 2000 at G.N.F.C.

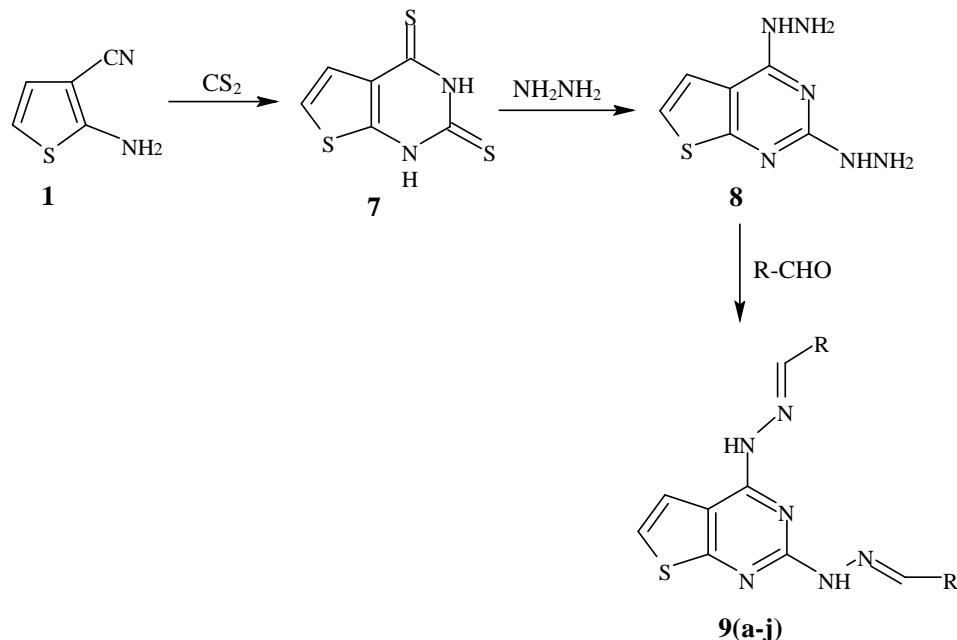
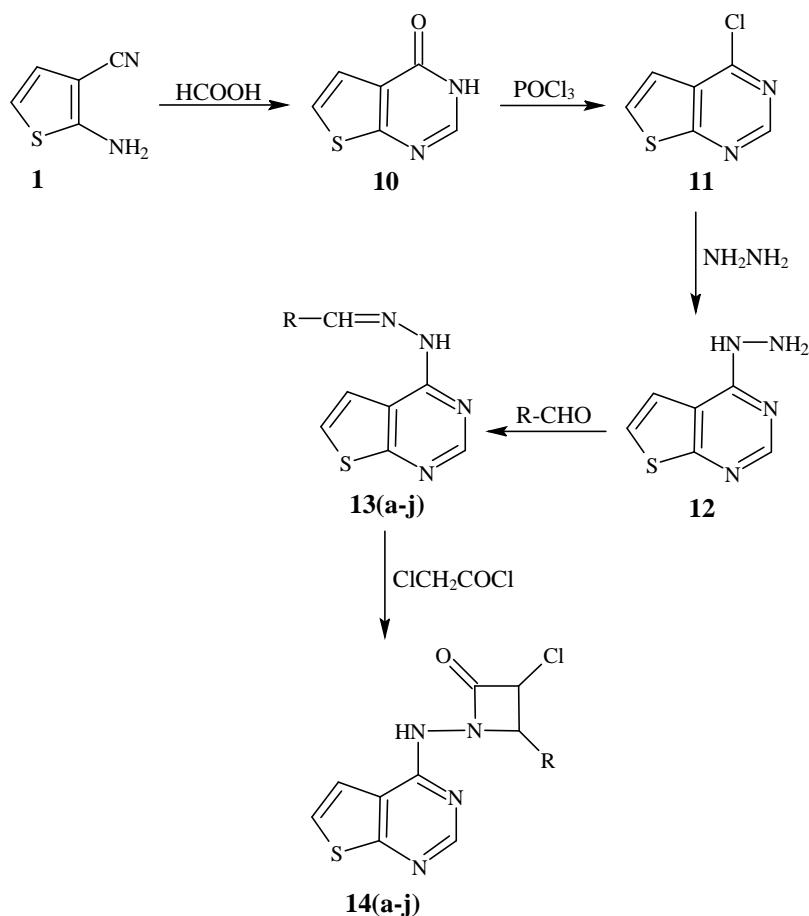
(Gujarat Narmada Valley Fertilizer Company Ltd., Bharuch). The progress of reactions and the purity of synthesized compounds were checked by TLC on E-Merck precoated 60 F<sub>254</sub> plates and the spots were examined under short-wave UV light. The synthesis of 2-{[3-chloro-2-(substitutedphenyl)-4-oxoazetidin-1-yl]amino}-N-(thieno[2,3-*d*]pyrimidin-4-yl)acetamide **6(a-j)** are shown in Scheme 1, 4-

[(2*E*)-2-(substitutedbenzylidene)hydrazinyl]-2-[*Z*-2-(2,4-dichlorobenzylidene) hydrazinyl] thieno[2,3-*d*]pyrimidine **9(a-j)** are shown in Scheme 2 and 3-chloro-4-(substitutedphenyl)-1-(thieno[2,3-*d*]pyrimidin-4-ylamino)azetidin-2-one **14(a-j)** are shown in Scheme 3.



- (a) R = 2,4-(Cl)<sub>2</sub>C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>3</sub>
- (b) R = 3,4-(OH)<sub>2</sub>C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>3</sub>
- (c) R = 3-OCH<sub>3</sub>C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>
- (d) R = 4-ClC<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>
- (e) R = 4-FC<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>
- (f) R = 4-OHC<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>
- (g) R = 4-OCH<sub>3</sub>C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>
- (h) R = 4-CH<sub>3</sub>C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>
- (i) R = 4-NO<sub>2</sub>C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>
- (j) R = 4-CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>3</sub>C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>

**Scheme-1**

**Scheme-2****Scheme-3**

### ***Thieno[2,3-d]pyrimdin-4-amine (2)***

A mixture of compound **1** (0.01 mol) and formamide (10 mL) was heated under reflux for 4 h. After cooling, the reaction mixture was poured into ice cold water. The separated product was collected by filtration, dried and recrystallised from dioxane to give compound **2** (0.95g, 63.00%); mp 214-219°C. IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3420-3313 (NH<sub>2</sub>); <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, ppm): 7.49 (d, 1H, CH), 7.71 (d, 1H, CH), 6.85 (s, 2H, NH<sub>2</sub>), 8.47 (s, 1H, CH). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>5</sub>N<sub>3</sub>S: C, 47.66; H, 3.33; N, 27.79; S, 21.21; found: C, 47.55; H, 3.42; N, 27.70; S, 21.32.

### ***2-Chloro-N-(thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-yl)acetamide (3)***

To a solution of compound **2** (0.01 mol) in chloroform (10 mL) and chloroacetyl chloride (0.01 mol) were refluxed in presence of K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> (0.01 mol) for 9-10 h. The solvent was distilled on vaccum and residue was treated with 5% NaHCO<sub>3</sub> (10 mL) and then with water (15 mL). The product was collected, dried and recrystallised from methanol to furnish compound **3** (1.64g, 72.00%); mp 243-248°C. IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3435 (NH), 1636 (CONH); <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, ppm): 4.31 (s, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>), 7.50 (d, 1H, CH), 7.70 (d, 1H, CH), 7.98 (s, 1H, CONH), 8.45 (s, 1H, CH). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>8</sub>H<sub>6</sub>ClN<sub>3</sub>OS: C, 42.20; H, 2.66; N, 18.46; S, 14.08; found: C, 42.11; H, 2.75; N, 18.34; S, 14.19.

### ***2-Hydrazinyl-N-(thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-yl)acetamide (4)***

A mixture of compound **3** (0.01 mol) and hydrazine hydrate (99%) (5 mL) in methanol (10 mL) was refluxed for 8h and then held for ~16h at room temperature. The separated product was filtered off, dried and recrystallised from ethanol to give compound **4** (1.49g, 67.00%); mp 177-182°C. IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3455 (NH), 3350 (NHNH<sub>2</sub>), 2888 (CH<sub>2</sub>), 1648 (CONH); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, ppm): 2.01 (brs, 2H, NH<sub>2</sub>, D<sub>2</sub>O exchangeable), 2.21 (brs, 1H, NH, D<sub>2</sub>O exchangeable), 3.60 (s, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>), 7.52 (d, 1H, CH), 7.73 (d, 1H, CH), 8.01 (s, 1H, CONH), 8.51 (s, 1H, CH). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>8</sub>H<sub>9</sub>N<sub>5</sub>OS: C, 43.04; H, 4.06; N, 31.37; S, 14.36; found: C, 43.16; H, 4.18; N, 31.25; S, 14.24.

### ***Synthesis of compounds 5(a-j)***

A solution of compound **4** (0.005 mol) in methanol (10 mL) and appropriate aromatic aldehyde (0.005 mol) containing 2-3 drops of glacial acetic acid, was boiled under reflux on a water bath for 8-9 h. The product that separated on cooling was filtered off, dried and recrystallized from ethanol to give **5(a-j)**.

### ***2-[2E]-2-(2,4-dichlorobenzylidene)hydrazinyl]-N-(thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-yl)acetamide (5a)***

Yield: 2.47g (65%); mp 219-224 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3265 (NH), 1648 (CONH), 1548 (N=CH); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 2.05 (s, 1H, NH), 3.54 (s, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>), 7.28-7.40 (m, 3H, Ar-H), 7.51 (d, 1H, CH), 7.77 (d, 1H, CH), 7.94 (s, 1H, CH), 8.2 (s, 1H, N=CH), 8.52 (s, 1H, CONH). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>11</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>N<sub>5</sub>OS: C, 47.38; H, 2.92; N, 18.42; S, 8.43; found: C, 47.31; H, 3.01; N, 18.36; S, 8.39.

### ***2-[2E]-2-(3,4-dihydroxybenzylidene)hydrazinyl]-N-(thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-yl)acetamide (5b)***

Yield: 2.44g (71%); mp 197-202 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3495 (OH), 3264 (NH), 1651 (CONH), 1554 (N=CH); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 2.10 (s, 1H, NH), 3.56 (s, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>), 6.40-6.84 (m, 3H, Ar-H), 7.50 (d, 1H, CH), 7.76 (d, 1H, CH), 7.96 (s, 1H, N=CH), 8.18 (s, 1H, CH), 8.45 (s, 1H, CONH), 9.13, 9.39 (2brs, 2H, 2OH). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>13</sub>N<sub>5</sub>O<sub>3</sub>S: C, 52.47; H, 3.82; N, 20.40; S, 9.34; found: C, 52.39; H, 3.92; N, 20.46; S, 9.43.

### ***2-[2E]-2-(3-methoxybenzylidene)hydrazinyl]-N-(thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-yl)acetamide (5c)***

Yield: 2.39g (70%); mp 214-219 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3277 (NH), 1649 (CONH), 1551 (N=CH); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 2.12 (s, 1H, NH), 3.54 (s, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>), 3.85 (s, 3H, OCH<sub>3</sub>), 6.65-7.09 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.56 (d, 1H, CH), 7.72 (d, 1H, CH), 7.96 (s, 1H, N=CH), 8.21 (s, 1H, CH), 8.51 (s, 1H, CONH). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>15</sub>N<sub>5</sub>O<sub>2</sub>S: C, 56.29; H, 4.43; N, 20.51; S, 9.39; found: C, 56.32; H, 4.38; N, 20.60; S, 9.31.

### ***2-[2E]-2-(4-chlorobenzylidene)hydrazinyl]-N-(thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-yl)acetamide (5d)***

Yield: 2.35g (68%); mp 229-234 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3262 (NH), 1645 (CONH), 1551 (N=CH); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, ppm): 2.05 (s, 1H, NH), 3.52 (s, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>), 7.18-7.40 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.55 (d, 1H, CH), 7.75 (d, 1H, CH), 7.89 (s, 1H, N=CH), 8.10 (s, 1H, CH), 8.50 (s, 1H, CONH). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>12</sub>ClN<sub>5</sub>OS: C, 52.10; H, 3.50; N, 20.25; S, 9.27; found: C, 52.20; H, 3.55; N, 20.18; S, 9.32.

### ***2-[2E]-2-(4-fluorobenzylidene)hydrazinyl]-N-(thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-yl)acetamide (5e)***

Yield: 2.17g (66%); mp 270-275 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3271 (NH), 1639 (CONH), 1550 (N=CH); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 2.11 (s, 1H, NH), 3.59 (s, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>), 7.07-7.13 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.50 (d, 1H, CH), 7.71 (d, 1H, CH), 7.94 (s, 1H, N=CH), 8.18 (s, 1H, CH), 8.47 (s, 1H, CONH).

Anal. calcd. for  $C_{15}H_{12}FN_5OS$ : C, 54.70; H, 3.67; N, 21.26; S, 9.74; found: C, 54.62; H, 3.73; N, 21.32; S, 9.67.

**2-[*(2E*)-2-(4-hydroxybenzylidene)hydrazinyl]-*N*-(thieno[2,3-*d*]pyrimidin-4-yl)acetamide (5f)**

Yield: 2.39g (73%); mp 256-261 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3489 (OH), 3263 (NH), 1647 (CONH), 1554 (N=CH); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 2.08 (s, 1H, NH), 3.48 (s, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>), 6.70-7.12 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.51 (d, 1H, CH), 7.73 (d, 1H, CH), 7.92 (s, 1H, N=CH), 8.14 (s, 1H, CH), 8.52 (s, 1H, CONH), 9.75 (s, 1H, OH). Anal. calcd. for  $C_{15}H_{13}N_5O_2S$ : C, 55.03; H, 4.00; N, 21.39; S, 9.79; found: C, 55.08; H, 4.10; N, 21.31; S, 9.86.

**2-[*(2E*)-2-(4-methoxybenzylidene)hydrazinyl]-*N*-(thieno[2,3-*d*]pyrimidin-4-yl)acetamide (5g)**

Yield: 2.28g (67%); mp 211-216 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3269 (NH), 1643 (CONH), 1548 (N=CH); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 2.14 (s, 1H, NH), 3.57 (s, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>), 3.80 (s, 3H, OCH<sub>3</sub>), 6.70-6.84 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.54 (d, 1H, CH), 7.76 (d, 1H, CH), 7.96 (s, 1H, N=CH), 8.20 (s, 1H, CH), 8.51 (s, 1H, CONH). Anal. calcd. for  $C_{16}H_{15}N_5O_2S$ : C, 56.29; H, 4.43; N, 20.51; S, 9.39; found: C, 56.36; H, 4.36; N, 20.45; S, 9.31

**2-[*(2E*)-2-(4-methylbenzylidene)hydrazinyl]-*N*-(thieno[2,3-*d*]pyrimidin-4-yl)acetamide (5h)**

Yield: 2.34g (72%); mp 262-267 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3259 (NH), 1654 (CONH), 1544 (N=CH); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 2.09 (s, 1H, NH), 2.33 (s, 3H, CH<sub>3</sub>), 3.57 (s, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>), 7.00-7.35 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.59 (d, 1H, CH), 7.80 (d, 1H, CH), 7.90 (s, 1H, N=CH), 8.08 (s, 1H, CH), 8.49 (s, 1H, CONH). Anal. calcd. for  $C_{16}H_{15}N_5OS$ : C, 59.06; H, 4.65; N, 21.52; S, 9.85; found: C, 59.16; H, 4.60; N, 21.49; S, 9.82.

**2-[*(2E*)-2-(4-nitrobenzylidene)hydrazinyl]-*N*-(thieno[2,3-*d*]pyrimidin-4-yl)acetamide (5i)**

Yield: 2.31g (65%); mp 259-264 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3263 (NH), 1651 (CONH), 1549 (N=CH); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 2.04 (s, 1H, NH), 3.52 (s, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>), 7.07-7.45 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.51 (d, 1H, CH), 7.77 (d, 1H, CH), 7.91 (s, 1H, N=CH), 8.19 (s, 1H, CH), 8.44 (s, 1H, CONH). Anal. calcd. for  $C_{15}H_{12}N_6O_3S$ : C, 50.56; H, 3.39; N, 23.58; S, 9.00; found: C, 50.45; H, 3.45; N, 23.52; S, 9.06

**2-[*(2E*)-2-(4-butylbenzylidene)hydrazinyl]-*N*-(thieno[2,3-*d*]pyrimidin-4-yl)acetamide (5j)**

Yield: 2.24g (61%); mp 271-276 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3265 (NH), 1656 (CONH), 1543

(N=CH); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 1.01 (t, 3H, CH<sub>3</sub>), 1.26-1.45 (m, 6H, 3CH<sub>2</sub>), 2.10 (s, 1H, NH), 3.53 (s, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>), 7.07-7.45 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.55 (d, 1H, CH), 7.75 (d, 1H, CH), 7.97 (s, 1H, N=CH), 8.18 (s, 1H, CH), 8.49 (s, 1H, CONH). Anal. calcd. for  $C_{19}H_{21}N_5OS$ : C, 62.10; H, 5.76; N, 19.06; S, 8.73; found: C, .18; H, 5.70; N, 19.16; S, 8.69.

**Synthesis of compounds 6(a-j)**

Chloroacetyl chloride (0.005 mol) was added drop wise to a solution of Schiff's base **5(a-j)** (0.005 mol) and triethylamine (2-3 drops) in dry dioxane (10 mL) at 5-10°C. The reaction mixture was stirred for 3 hrs and then refluxed for 4-5 h. On cooling, the precipitate was obtained which was filtered, dried and recrystallised from dimethylformamide to produce **6(a-j)**.

**2-[3-chloro-2-(2,4-dichlorophenyl)-4-oxoazetidin-1-yl]amino}-*N*-(thieno[2,3-*d*]pyrimidin-4-yl)acetamide (6a)**

Yield: 3.06g (67%); mp 213-218 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3259 (NH), 1657 (CONH), 1751 (CO, -lactum); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 3.04 (s, 1H, NH), 3.56 (s, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>), 5.12 (d, 1H, CH-Ar), 5.46 (d, 1H, CH-Cl), 7.23-7.40 (m, 3H, Ar-H), 7.50 (d, 1H, CH), 7.71 (d, 1H, CH), 8.12 (s, 1H, CH), 8.45 (s, 1H, CONH); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 53.4 (CH<sub>2</sub>), 62.5 (CH), 63.5 (CH-Cl), 110.1-170.3 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 163.7 (CO, -lactam), 168.8 (CONH). Anal. calcd. for  $C_{17}H_{12}Cl_3N_5O_2S$ : C, 44.70; H, 2.65; N, 15.33; S, 7.02; found: C, 44.76; H, 2.61; N, 15.39; S, 7.10.

**2-[3-chloro-2-(3,4-dihydroxyphenyl)-4-oxoazetidin-1-yl]amino}-*N*-(thieno[2,3-*d*]pyrimidin-4-yl)acetamide (6b)**

Yield: 2.18g (52%); mp 198-203 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3495 (OH), 3249 (NH), 1652 (CONH), 1745 (CO, -lactum); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 3.08 (s, 1H, NH), 3.60 (s, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>), 5.06 (d, 1H, CH-Ar), 5.44 (d, 1H, CH-Cl), 6.61-6.77 (m, 3H, Ar-H), 7.50 (d, 1H, CH), 7.71 (d, 1H, CH), 8.08 (s, 1H, CH), 8.41 (s, 1H, CONH), 9.14, 9.34 (2brs, 2H, 2OH); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 53.3 (CH<sub>2</sub>), 62.9 (CH), 63.3 (CH-Cl), 110.3-170.1 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 163.3 (CO, -lactam), 169.1 (CONH). Anal. calcd. for  $C_{17}H_{14}ClN_5O_4S$ : C, 48.63; H, 3.36; N, 16.68; S, 7.64; found: C, 48.70; H, 3.42; N, 16.59; S, 7.58.

**2-[3-chloro-2-(3-methoxyphenyl)-4-oxoazetidin-1-yl]amino}-*N*-(thieno[2,3-*d*]pyrimidin-4-yl)acetamide (6c)**

Yield: 2.76g (66%); mp 244-249 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3253 (NH), 1659 (CONH), 1754

(CO, -lactum); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 3.10 (s, 1H, NH), 3.53 (s, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>), 3.83 (s, 3H, OCH<sub>3</sub>), 5.09 (d, 1H, CH-Ar), 5.45 (d, 1H, CH-Cl), 7.32-7.48 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.50 (d, 1H, CH), 7.73 (d, 1H, CH), 8.02 (s, 1H, CH), 8.52 (s, 1H, CONH); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 53.1 (CH<sub>2</sub>), 62.9 (CH), 63.3 (CH-Cl), 110.6-170.8 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 163.3 (CO, -lactam), 168.7 (CONH). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>16</sub>ClN<sub>5</sub>O<sub>3</sub>S: C, 51.74; H, 3.86; N, 16.76; S, 7.67; found: C, 51.68; H, 3.81; N, 16.71; S, 7.72.

#### **2-[{3-chloro-2-(4-chlorophenyl)-4-oxoazetidin-1-yl}amino]-N-(thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-yl)acetamide (6d)**

Yield: 3.08g (73%); mp 229-234 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3252 (NH), 1656 (CONH), 1751 (CO, -lactum); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 3.08 (s, 1H, NH), 3.60 (s, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>), 5.05 (d, 1H, CH-Ar), 5.44 (d, 1H, CH-Cl), 7.27-7.48 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.56 (d, 1H, CH), 7.78 (d, 1H, CH), 8.06 (s, 1H, CH), 8.49 (s, 1H, CONH); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 53.3 (CH<sub>2</sub>), 62.4 (CH), 63.7 (CH-Cl), 110.6-170.9 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 163.7 (CO, -lactam), 168.2 (CONH). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>13</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>N<sub>5</sub>O<sub>2</sub>S: C, 48.35; H, 3.10; N, 16.58; S, 7.59; found: C, 48.30; H, 3.17; N, 16.63; S, 7.62.

#### **2-[{3-chloro-2-(4-fluorophenyl)-4-oxoazetidin-1-yl}amino]-N-(thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-yl)acetamide (6e)**

Yield: 2.72g (67%); mp 214-219 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3252 (NH), 1657 (CONH), 1756 (CO, -lactum); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 3.10 (s, 1H, NH), 3.55 (s, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>), 5.12 (d, 1H, CH-Ar), 5.48 (d, 1H, CH-Cl), 7.13-7.43 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.59 (d, 1H, CH), 7.80 (d, 1H, CH), 8.09 (s, 1H, CH), 8.47 (s, 1H, CONH); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 53.7 (CH<sub>2</sub>), 62.5 (CH), 63.2 (CH-Cl), 110.6-170.5 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 164.3 (CO, -lactam), 168.8 (CONH). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>13</sub>ClFN<sub>5</sub>O<sub>2</sub>S: C, 50.31; H, 3.23; N, 17.26; S, 7.90; found: C, 50.37; H, 3.28; N, 17.16; S, 7.95.

#### **2-[{3-chloro-2-(4-hydroxyphenyl)-4-oxoazetidin-1-yl}amino]-N-(thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-yl)acetamide (6f)**

Yield: 2.42g (60%); mp 204-209 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3291 (OH), 3246 (NH), 1659 (CONH), 1760 (CO, -lactum); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 3.15 (s, 1H, NH), 3.58 (s, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>), 4.93 (s, 1H, OH), 5.16 (d, 1H, CH-Ar), 5.46 (d, 1H, CH-Cl), 7.08-7.41 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.52 (d, 1H, CH), 7.74 (d, 1H, CH), 8.04 (s, 1H, CH), 8.51 (s, 1H, CONH); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 53.8 (CH<sub>2</sub>), 62.4 (CH), 63.6 (CH-Cl), 110.3-170.6 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 164.4 (CO, -lactam), 168.4

(CONH). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>14</sub>ClN<sub>5</sub>O<sub>3</sub>S: C, 50.56; H, 3.49; N, 17.34; S, 7.94; found: C, 50.50; H, 3.54; N, 17.29; S, 7.90

#### **2-[{3-chloro-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-oxoazetidin-1-yl}amino]-N-(thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-yl)acetamide (6g)**

Yield: 3.00g (72%); mp 244-249 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3259 (NH), 1657 (CONH), 1751 (CO, -lactum); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 3.08 (s, 1H, NH), 3.59 (s, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>), 3.81 (s, 3H, OCH<sub>3</sub>), 5.11 (d, 1H, CH-Ar), 5.50 (d, 1H, CH-Cl), 7.30-7.51 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.55 (d, 1H, CH), 7.76 (d, 1H, CH), 8.12 (s, 1H, CH), 8.54 (s, 1H, CONH); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 53.5 (CH<sub>2</sub>), 62.7 (CH), 63.9 (CH-Cl), 110.2-170.8 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 163.7 (CO, -lactam), 168.5 (CONH). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>16</sub>ClN<sub>5</sub>O<sub>3</sub>S: C, 51.74; H, 3.86; N, 16.76; S, 7.67; found: C, 51.68; H, 3.81; N, 16.71; S, 7.72.

#### **2-[{3-chloro-2-(4-methylphenyl)-4-oxoazetidin-1-yl}amino]-N-(thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-yl)acetamide (6h)**

Yield: 2.77g (69%); mp 250-255 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3252 (NH), 1658 (CONH), 1745 (CO, -lactum); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 2.34 (s, 3H, CH<sub>3</sub>), 3.01 (s, 1H, NH), 3.56 (s, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>), 5.24 (d, 1H, CH-Ar), 5.49 (d, 1H, CH-Cl), 7.25-7.44 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.54 (d, 1H, CH), 7.75 (d, 1H, CH), 8.05 (s, 1H, CH), 8.53 (s, 1H, CONH); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 53.1 (CH<sub>2</sub>), 62.8 (CH), 63.3 (CH-Cl), 110.9-170.5 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 163.8 (CO, -lactam), 168.8 (CONH). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>16</sub>ClN<sub>5</sub>O<sub>2</sub>S: C, 53.80; H, 4.01; N, 17.43; S, 7.98; found: C, 53.86; H, 4.09; N, 17.34; S, 7.91

#### **2-[{3-chloro-2-(4-nitrophenyl)-4-oxoazetidin-1-yl}amino]-N-(thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-yl)acetamide (6i)**

Yield: 3.07g (71%); mp 263-268 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3257 (NH), 1651 (CONH), 1753 (CO, -lactum); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 3.09 (s, 1H, NH), 3.57 (s, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>), 5.21 (d, 1H, CH-Ar), 5.52 (d, 1H, CH-Cl), 7.12-7.49 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.53 (d, 1H, CH), 7.75 (d, 1H, CH), 8.01 (s, 1H, CH), 8.50 (s, 1H, CONH); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 53.3 (CH<sub>2</sub>), 62.6 (CH), 63.7 (CH-Cl), 110.4-170.3 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 164.2 (CO, -lactam), 168.3 (CONH). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>13</sub>ClN<sub>6</sub>O<sub>4</sub>S: C, 47.17; H, 3.03; N, 19.42; S, 7.41; found: C, 47.09; H, 3.11; N, 19.37; S, 7.48.

**2-[{3-chloro-2-(4-butylphenyl)-4-oxoazetidin-1-yl]amino}-N-(thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-yl)acetamide (6i)**

Yield: 3.20g (72%); mp 297-302 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3262 (NH), 1656 (CONH), 1758 (CO, -lactum); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 1.05 (t, 3H, CH<sub>3</sub>), 1.31-1.72 (m, 6H, 3CH<sub>2</sub>), 3.04 (s, 1H, NH), 3.60 (s, 2H, CH<sub>2</sub>), 5.19 (d, 1H, CH-Ar), 5.45 (d, 1H, CH-Cl), 6.61-6.77 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.50 (d, 1H, CH), 7.72 (d, 1H, CH), 8.06 (s, 1H, CH), 8.54 (s, 1H, CONH); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 53.6 (CH<sub>2</sub>), 62.4 (CH), 63.1 (CH-Cl), 110.1-170.4 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 163.9 (CO, -lactam), 168.9 (CONH). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>22</sub>ClN<sub>5</sub>O<sub>2</sub>S: C, 56.81; H, 4.99; N, 15.78; S, 7.22; found: C, 56.87; H, 5.05; N, 15.72; S, 7.18.

**Thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidine-2,4(1H,3H)-dithione (7)**

A mixture of compound **1** (0.01 mol) and carbon disulphide (0.01 mol) in pyridine (10 mL) were heated under reflux for 8 h. After completion of reaction, the reaction mixture was cooled at room temperature then poured into ice cold water (50 mL) and neutralized with hydrochloric acid. The separated product was collected by filtration, washed with water, dried and recrystallised from ethanol to give compound **7**. Yield 1.28 g (64%); mp 198-203°C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3342, 3215 (2NH), 1360, 1348 (2C=S); <sup>1</sup>NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, ppm): 7.50 (d, 1H, CH), 7.76 (d, 1H, CH), 8.76 (brs, 1H, NH, D<sub>2</sub>O exchangeable), 12.45 (brs, 1H, NH, D<sub>2</sub>O exchangeable). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>N<sub>2</sub>S<sub>3</sub>: C, 35.98; H, 2.01; N, 13.99; S, 48.02; found: C, 36.09; H, 2.17; N, 13.88; S, 47.91.

**2,4-dihydrazinylthieno[2,3-d]pyrimidine (8)**

A solution of compound **7** (0.01 mol) in ethanol (20 mL) was treated with hydrazine hydrate (99%) (20 mL) and refluxed on water bath for 8 h and then held for ~16 h at room temperature. The separated product was filtered off, dried and recrystallised from dioxane to give compound **8**. Yield 1.37 g (70%); mp 173-178°C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3434-3243 (2NH<sub>2</sub>, 2NH); <sup>1</sup>NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, ppm): 4.17 (brs, 2H, NH<sub>2</sub>, D<sub>2</sub>O exchangeable), 4.66 (brs, 2H, NH<sub>2</sub>, D<sub>2</sub>O exchangeable), 5.73 (brs, 1H, NH, D<sub>2</sub>O exchangeable), 6.52 (brs, 2H, NH, D<sub>2</sub>O exchangeable), 7.48 (d, 1H, CH), 7.72 (d, 1H, CH). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>8</sub>N<sub>6</sub>S: C, 36.72; H, 4.11; N, 42.83; S, 16.34; found: C, 36.65; H, 4.24; N, 42.74; S, 16.41.

**Synthesis of compounds 9(a-j)**

A mixture of compound **8** (0.005 mol) and appropriate aromatic aldehyde (0.005 mol) in 10 mL ethanol containing 2-3 drops of glacial acetic acid,

was boiled under reflux on a water bath for 10-12 h. The product that separated on cooling was filtered off, dried and recrystallized from ethanol to give **9(a-j)**.

**4-[{(2E)-2-(2,4-dichlorobenzylidene)hydrazinyl]-2-[(2Z)-2-(2,4-dichlorobenzylidene)hydrazinyl]thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidine (9a)}**

Yield: 3.62g (71%); mp 236-241°C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3252 (NH), 1590 (N=CH); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 7.25-7.42 (m, 6H, Ar-H), 7.51 (d, 1H, CH), 7.73 (d, 1H, CH), 8.25 (s, 1H, N=CH), 9.10 (s, 1H, NH); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 108.2-167.8 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 144.7 (CH), 151.2 (CH). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>12</sub>Cl<sub>4</sub>N<sub>6</sub>S: C, 47.08; H, 2.37; N, 16.47; S, 6.28; found: C, 47.17; H, 2.43; N, 16.36; S, 6.19.

**4-[{(E)-(2-{2-[(2Z)-2-(3,4-dihydroxybenzylidene)hydrazinyl]thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-yl}hydrazinylidene)methyl]benzene-1,2-diol (9b)}**

Yield: 2.18g (50%); mp 232-237°C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3437 (OH), 3247 (NH), 1596 (N=CH); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 3.63 (brs, 4H, 4OH), 6.87-7.12 (m, 6H, Ar-H), 7.54 (d, 1H, CH), 7.77 (d, 1H, CH), 8.23 (s, 1H, N=CH), 9.23 (s, 1H, NH); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 108.8-167.6 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 144.7 (CH), 151.6 (CH). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>16</sub>N<sub>6</sub>O<sub>4</sub>S: C, 55.04; H, 3.70; N, 19.26; S, 7.35; found: C, 55.11; H, 3.62; N, 19.19; S, 7.42.

**4-[{(2E)-2-(3-methoxybenzylidene)hydrazinyl]-2-[(2Z)-2-(2,4-dichlorobenzylidene)hydrazinyl]thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidine (9c)}**

Yield: 3.41g (79%); mp 245-250°C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3246 (NH), 1602 (N=CH); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 3.75 (s, 6H, 2OCH<sub>3</sub>), 6.98-7.36 (m, 8H, Ar-H), 7.50 (d, 1H, CH), 7.73 (d, 1H, CH), 8.28 (s, 1H, N=CH), 9.09 (s, 1H, NH); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 108.8-167.6 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 145.4 (CH), 151.9 (CH). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>20</sub>N<sub>6</sub>O<sub>2</sub>S: C, 61.10; H, 4.66; N, 19.43; S, 7.41; found: C, 61.21; H, 4.58; N, 19.52; S, 7.34.

**4-[{(2E)-2-(4-chlorobenzylidene)hydrazinyl]-2-[(2Z)-2-(4-chlorobenzylidene)hydrazinyl]thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidine (9d)}**

Yield: 3.18g (72%); mp 271-276°C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3250 (NH), 1595 (N=CH); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 7.24-7.48 (m, 8H, Ar-H), 7.49 (d, 1H, CH), 7.71 (d, 1H, CH), 8.30 (s, 1H, N=CH), 9.12 (s, 1H, NH); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 108.2-167.0 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 144.7 (CH), 151.4 (CH). Anal. calcd. for

$C_{20}H_{14}Cl_2N_6S$ : C, 54.43; H, 3.20; N, 19.04; S, 7.27; found: C, 54.35; H, 3.29; N, 18.93; S, 7.35.

**4-[*(2E*)-2-(4-fluorobenzylidene)hydrazinyl]-2-[*(2Z*)-2-(4-fluorobenzylidene)hydrazinyl]thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidine (**9e**)**

Yield: 2.82g (69%); mp 252-257°C; IR spectrum (KBr,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3254 (NH), 1599 (N=CH);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): .20-7.41 (m, 8H, Ar-H), 7.51 (d, 1H, CH), 7.72 (d, 1H, CH), 8.23 (s, 1H, N=CH), 9.11 (s, 1H, NH);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 108.2-167.8 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 145.5 (CH), 151.6 (CH). Anal. calcd. for  $C_{20}H_{14}F_2N_6S$ : C, 58.81; H, 3.46; N, 20.58; S, 7.85; found: C, 58.76; H, 3.52; N, 20.50; S, 7.92.

**4-[*(E*)-(2-{*(2Z*)-2-(4-hydroxybenzylidene)hydrazinyl}thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-yl)hydrazinylidene)methylphenol (**9f**)**

Yield: 3.03g (75%); mp 209-214°C; IR spectrum (KBr,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3445 (OH), 3251 (NH), 1594 (N=CH);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 4.55 (s, 2H, 2OH), 6.94-7.21 (m, 8H, Ar-H), 7.48 (d, 1H, CH), 7.70 (d, 1H, CH), 8.23 (s, 1H, N=CH), 9.12 (s, 1H, NH);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 108.9-167.2 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 144.9 (CH), 151.9 (CH). Anal. calcd. for  $C_{20}H_{16}N_6O_4S$ : C, 59.39; H, 3.99; N, 20.78; S, 7.93; found: C, 59.30; H, 4.09; N, 20.69; S, 8.01.

**4-[*(2E*)-2-(4-methoxybenzylidene)hydrazinyl]-2-[*(2Z*)-2-(4-methylbenzylidene)hydrazinyl]thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidine (**9g**)**

Yield: 3.28g (76%); mp 245-250°C; IR spectrum (KBr,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3245 (NH), 1603 (N=CH);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 3.78 (s, 6H, 2OCH<sub>3</sub>), 7.33-7.48 (m, 8H, Ar-H), 7.50 (d, 1H, CH), 7.72 (d, 1H, CH), 8.25 (s, 1H, N=CH), 9.10 (s, 1H, NH);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 108.2-167.5 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 145.2 (CH), 151.8 (CH). Anal. calcd. for  $C_{22}H_{20}N_6O_2S$ : C, 61.10; H, 4.66; N, 19.43; S, 7.41; found: C, 61.01; H, 4.59; N, 19.54; S, 7.48.

**4-[*(2E*)-2-(4-methylbenzylidene)hydrazinyl]-2-[*(2Z*)-2-(4-methylbenzylidene)hydrazinyl]thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidine (**9h**)**

Yield: 3.24g (81%); mp 248-253°C; IR spectrum (KBr,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3256 (NH), 1598 (N=CH);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 2.25 (s, 6H, 2CH<sub>3</sub>), 7.26-7.42 (m, 8H, Ar-H), 7.52 (d, 1H, CH), 7.71 (d, 1H, CH), 8.23 (s, 1H, N=CH), 9.07 (s, 1H, NH);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 108.6-167.7 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 145.1 (CH), 151.5 (CH). Anal. calcd. for  $C_{22}H_{20}N_6S$ : C, 65.98; H, 5.03; N,

20.98; S, 8.01; found: C, 66.08; H, 5.11; N, 20.88; S, 7.94.

**4-[*(2E*)-2-(4-nitrobenzylidene)hydrazinyl]-2-[*(2Z*)-2-(4-nitrobenzylidene)hydrazinyl]thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidine (**9i**)**

Yield: 3.28g (71%); mp 278-283°C; IR spectrum (KBr,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3259 (NH), 1593 (N=CH);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 7.33-7.45 (m, 8H, Ar-H), 7.48 (d, 1H, CH), 7.70 (d, 1H, CH), 8.29 (s, 1H, N=CH), 9.13 (s, 1H, NH);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 108.3-167.6 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 144.6 (CH), 151.1 (CH). Anal. calcd. for  $C_{20}H_{14}N_8O_4S$ : C, 51.94; H, 3.05; N, 24.23; S, 6.93; found: C, 51.86; H, 3.15; N, 24.12; S, 7.01.

**4-[*(2E*)-2-(4-butylbenzylidene)hydrazinyl]-2-[*(2Z*)-2-(4-nitrobenzylidene)hydrazinyl]thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidine (**9j**)**

Yield: 3.54g (73%); mp 291-296°C; IR spectrum (KBr,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3251 (NH), 1601 (N=CH);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 1.02 (t, 6H, 2CH<sub>3</sub>), 1.31-1.72 (m, 12H, 6CH<sub>2</sub>), 7.26-7.40 (m, 6H, Ar-H), 7.52 (d, 1H, CH), 7.75 (d, 1H, CH), 8.30 (s, 1H, N=CH), 9.11 (s, 1H, NH);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 109.1-167.0 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 144.8 (CH), 151.3 (CH). Anal. calcd. for  $C_{28}H_{32}N_6S$ : C, 69.39; H, 6.66; N, 17.34; S, 6.62; found: C, 69.30; H, 6.59; N, 17.43; S, 6.72.

**Thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4(3H)-one (**10**)**

A mixture of compound **1** (0.01 mol) and formic acid (20 mL) was refluxed for 10 h. After the completion of reaction, the reaction mixture was allowed to cool and then poured into ice cold water. The solid thus obtained was filtered, washed with water, dried and crystallized from ethanol to give compound **10**. Yield 0.86g (57%); mp 192-197°C; IR spectrum (KBr,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3160 (NH), 1684 (C=O);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, ppm): 7.57 (d, 1H, CH), 7.81 (d, 1H, CH), 8.15 (s, 1H, CH), 10.46 (brs, 1H, NH, D<sub>2</sub>O exchangeable). Anal. calcd. for  $C_{18}H_{13}ClN_8OS_3$ : C, 47.36; H, 2.65; N, 18.41; S, 21.07; found: C, 36.09; H, 2.17; N, 13.88; S, 47.91.

**4-chlorothieno[2,3-d]pyrimidine (**11**)**

A mixture of compound **10** (0.01 mol) and phosphorus oxychloride (20 mL) was refluxed for 12 h. The excess of phosphorus oxychloride was distilled off under reduced pressure and the residue thus obtained was treated with sodium bicarbonate solution (10%). The resulting solid was collected, washed with water, dried and recrystallized from ethanol to give compound **11**. Yield 1.14g (67%); mp 259-264°C;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, ppm): 7.50 (d, 1H, CH), 7.73 (d, 1H, CH), 8.23 (s, 1H, CH). Anal.

calcd. for  $C_6H_3ClN_2S$ : C, 42.24; H, 1.77; N, 16.42; S, 18.79; found: C, 36.09; H, 2.17; N, 13.88; S, 47.91.

#### **4-hydrazinylthieno[2,3-d]pyrimidine (12)**

A mixture of compound **11** (0.01 mol) in hydrazine hydrate (99%) (10 mL) and ethanol were refluxed for 6 h. After cooling the separated product was filtered off, washed with water, dried and recrystallized from dioxane to give compound **12**. Yield 1.12g (68%); mp 177-182°C; IR spectrum (KBr,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3416-3206 (NH, NH<sub>2</sub>); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, ppm): 4.06 (brs, 2H, NH<sub>2</sub>, D<sub>2</sub>O exchangeable), 6.52 (brs, 1H, NH, D<sub>2</sub>O exchangeable), 7.55 (d, 1H, CH), 7.79 (d, 1H, CH), 8.29 (s, 1H, CH). Anal. calcd. for  $C_6H_6N_4S$ : C, 43.36; H, 3.64; N, 33.71; S, 19.29; found: C, 36.09; H, 2.17; N, 13.88; S, 47.91.

#### **Synthesis of compounds 13(a-j)**

A solution of compound **12** (0.005 mol) in ethanol (10 mL) and appropriate aromatic aldehyde (0.005 mol) containing 2-3 drops of glacial acetic acid, was boiled under reflux on a water bath for 8-9 h. The product that separated on cooling was filtered off, washed with water, dried and recrystallized from dioxane to give **13(a-j)**.

#### **4-[2-(2,4-dichlorobenzylidene)hydrazinyl]thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidine (13a)**

Yield: 2.23g (69%); mp 168-173 °C; IR spectrum (KBr,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3268 (NH), 1549 (N=CH); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 7.32-7.50 (m, 3H, Ar-H), 7.55 (d, 1H, CH), 7.79 (d, 1H, CH), 8.05 (s, 1H, N=CH), 8.29 (s, 1H, CH), 8.92 (s, 1H, NH). Anal. calcd. for  $C_{13}H_8Cl_2N_4S$ : C, 48.31; H, 2.49; N, 17.34; S, 9.9; found: C, 48.25; H, 2.55; N, 17.40; S, 9.82.

#### **4-[2-(thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-yl)hydrazinylidene]methylbenzene-1,2-diol (13b)**

Yield: 1.49g (52%); mp 201-206 °C; IR spectrum (KBr,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3486 (OH), 3260 (NH), 1543 (N=CH); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 3.54 (s, 2H, 2OH), 6.88-7.22 (m, 3H, Ar-H), 7.51 (d, 1H, CH), 7.73 (d, 1H, CH), 8.06 (s, 1H, N=CH), 8.27 (s, 1H, CH), 8.99 (s, 1H, NH). Anal. calcd. for  $C_{13}H_{10}N_4O_2S$ : C, 54.54; H, 3.52; N, 19.57; S, 11.20; found: C, 54.59; H, 3.60; N, 19.51; S, 11.11.

#### **4-[2-(3-methoxybenzylidene)hydrazinyl]thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidine (13c)**

Yield: 2.22g (78%); mp 213-218 °C; IR spectrum (KBr,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3272 (NH), 1540 (N=CH); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 3.80 (s, 3H, OCH<sub>3</sub>), 7.23-7.35 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.53 (d, 1H, CH), 7.72 (d, 1H, CH), 8.09 (s, 1H, N=CH), 8.23 (s, 1H, CH), 8.93 (s, 1H,

NH). Anal. calcd. for  $C_{14}H_{12}N_4OS$ : C, 59.14; H, 4.25; N, 19.70; S, 11.28; found: C, 59.07; H, 4.32; N, 19.61; S, 11.35.

#### **4-[2-(4-chlorobenzylidene)hydrazinyl]thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidine (13d)**

Yield: 2.11g (73%); mp 225-230 °C; IR spectrum (KBr,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3276 (NH), 1551 (N=CH); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 7.30-7.45 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.53 (d, 1H, CH), 7.75 (d, 1H, CH), 7.99 (s, 1H, N=CH), 8.29 (s, 1H, CH), 8.95 (s, 1H, NH). Anal. calcd. for  $C_{13}H_9ClN_4S$ : C, 54.07; H, 3.14; N, 19.40; S, 11.10; found: C, 54.17; H, 3.19; N, 19.34; S, 11.01.

#### **4-[2-(4-fluorobenzylidene)hydrazinyl]thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidine (13e)**

Yield: 1.77g (65%); mp 206-211 °C; IR spectrum (KBr,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3275 (NH), 1549 (N=CH); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 7.23-7.49 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.59 (d, 1H, CH), 7.81 (d, 1H, CH), 8.05 (s, 1H, N=CH), 8.30 (s, 1H, CH), 8.95 (s, 1H, NH). Anal. calcd. for  $C_{13}H_9FN_4S$ : C, 57.34; H, 3.33; N, 20.58; S, 11.78; found: C, 57.29; H, 3.28; N, 20.65; S, 11.83.

#### **4-[2-(thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-yl)hydrazinylidene]methylphenol (13f)**

Yield: 1.89g (70%); mp 217-222 °C; IR spectrum (KBr,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3282 (NH), 1554 (N=CH); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 3.94 (s, 1H, OH), 7.27-7.47 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.56 (d, 1H, CH), 7.80 (d, 1H, CH), 8.05 (s, 1H, N=CH), 8.28 (s, 1H, CH), 8.91 (s, 1H, NH). Anal. calcd. for  $C_{13}H_{10}N_4OS$ : C, 57.76; H, 3.73; N, 20.73; S, 11.86; found: C, 57.65; H, 3.65; N, 20.83; S, 11.93.

#### **4-[2-(4-methoxybenzylidene)hydrazinyl]thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidine (13g)**

Yield: 2.10g (74%); mp 168-173 °C; IR spectrum (KBr,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3276 (NH), 1556 (N=CH); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 3.85 (s, 3H, OCH<sub>3</sub>), 7.23-7.44 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.54 (d, 1H, CH), 7.77 (d, 1H, CH), 8.01 (s, 1H, N=CH), 8.28 (s, 1H, CH), 8.92 (s, 1H, NH). Anal. calcd. for  $C_{14}H_{12}N_4OS$ : C, 59.14; H, 4.25; N, 19.70; S, 11.28; found: C, 59.23; H, 4.31; N, 19.63; S, 11.19.

#### **4-[2-(4-methylbenzylidene)hydrazinyl]thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidine (13h)**

Yield: 2.04g (76%); mp 225-230 °C; IR spectrum (KBr,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3280(NH), 1559 (N=CH); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 2.27 (s, 3H, CH<sub>3</sub>), 7.33-7.49 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.59 (d, 1H, CH), 7.81 (d, 1H, CH), 7.98 (s, 1H, N=CH), 8.25 (s, 1H, CH), 8.99 (s, 1H, NH). Anal. calcd. for  $C_{14}H_{12}N_4S$ : C, 62.66; H, 4.51; N, 20.88; S, 11.95; found: C, 62.60; H, 4.57; N, 20.80; S, 12.04.

**4-[2-(4-nitrobenzylidene)hydrazinyl]thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidine (13i)**

Yield: 2.09g (70%); mp 202-207 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3275 (NH), 1562 (N=CH); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 7.28-7.47 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.52 (d, 1H, CH), 7.76 (d, 1H, CH), 7.99 (s, 1H, N=CH), 8.27 (s, 1H, CH), 8.92 (s, 1H, NH). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>9</sub>N<sub>5</sub>O<sub>2</sub>S: C, 52.17; H, 3.03; N, 23.40; S, 10.71; found: C, 52.26; H, 3.11; N, 23.34; S, 10.66.

**4-[2-(4-butylbenzylidene)hydrazinyl]thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidine (13j)**

Yield: 2.20g (71%); mp 217-222 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3281 (NH), 1557 (N=CH); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 1.09 (t, 3H, CH<sub>3</sub>), 1.34-1.77 (m, 6H, 3CH<sub>2</sub>), 7.30-7.45 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.53 (d, 1H, CH), 7.74 (d, 1H, CH), 8.03 (s, 1H, N=CH), 8.25 (s, 1H, CH), 8.95 (s, 1H, NH). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>18</sub>N<sub>4</sub>S: C, 65.78; H, 5.84; N, 18.05; S, 10.33; found: C, 65.72; H, 5.91; N, 17.95; S, 10.27.

**Synthesis of compounds 14(a-j)**

Chloroacetyl chloride (0.005 mol) was added drop wise to a solution of Schiff's base **13(a-j)** (0.005 mol) and triethylamine (2-3 drops) in dry benzene (15 mL) at 5-10°C. The reaction mixture was stirred for 3 h and then refluxed for 4-5 h. On cooling, the precipitate was obtained which was filtered, washed with water, dried and recrystallised from dimethylformamide to produce **14(a-j)**.

**3-chloro-4-(2,4-dichlorophenyl)-1-(thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-ylamino)azetidin-2-one (14a)**

Yield: 2.20g (55%); mp 199-204 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3262 (NH), 1748 (C=O); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 4.46 (s, 1H, NH), 5.01 (d, 1H, CH-Ar), 5.49 (d, 1H, CH-Cl), 7.21-7.43 (m, 3H, Ar-H), 7.54 (d, 1H, CH), 7.75 (d, 1H, CH), 8.14 (s, 1H, CH); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 63.9 (CH-Cl), 67.4 (CH), 110.4-167.3 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 166.7 (CO). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>9</sub>Cl<sub>3</sub>N<sub>4</sub>OS: C, 45.08; H, 2.27; N, 14.02; S, 8.02; found: C, 45.15; H, 2.32; N, 13.98; S, 7.91.

**3-chloro-4-(3,4-dihydroxyphenyl)-1-(thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-ylamino)azetidin-2-one (14b)**

Yield: 1.48g (41%); mp 188-193 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3446 (OH), 3268 (NH), 1752 (C=O); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 3.69 (s, 2H, 2OH), 4.41 (s, 1H, NH), 5.01 (d, 1H, CH-Ar), 5.52 (d, 1H, CH-Cl), 6.78-7.19 (m, 3H, Ar-H), 7.50 (d, 1H, CH), 7.72 (d, 1H, CH), 8.13 (s, 1H, CH); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 63.8 (CH-Cl), 67.3 (CH), 111.1-167.5 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 166.7 (CO). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>11</sub>ClN<sub>4</sub>O<sub>3</sub>S: C,

49.66; H, 3.06; N, 15.44; S, 8.84; found: C, 49.61; H, 3.14; N, 15.39; S, 8.93.

**3-chloro-4-(3-methoxyphenyl)-1-(thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-ylamino)azetidin-2-one (14c)**

Yield: 2.02g (56%); mp 198-203 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3271 (NH), 1759 (C=O); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 3.72 (s, 3H, OCH<sub>3</sub>), 4.43 (s, 1H, NH), 4.99 (d, 1H, CH-Ar), 5.45 (d, 1H, CH-Cl), 7.34-7.49 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.58 (d, 1H, CH), 7.79 (d, 1H, CH), 8.13 (s, 1H, CH); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 63.9 (CH-Cl), 67.4 (CH), 110.8-167.3 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 166.7 (CO). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>13</sub>ClN<sub>4</sub>O<sub>2</sub>S: C, 53.26; H, 3.63; N, 15.53; S, 8.89; found: C, 53.17; H, 3.56; N, 15.57; S, 8.95.

**3-chloro-4-(4-chlorophenyl)-1-(thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-ylamino)azetidin-2-one (14d)**

Yield: 2.19g (60%); mp 207-212 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3262 (NH), 1748 (C=O); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 4.49 (s, 1H, NH), 5.03 (d, 1H, CH-Ar), 5.45 (d, 1H, CH-Cl), 7.08-7.17 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.52 (d, 1H, CH), 7.74 (d, 1H, CH), 8.09 (s, 1H, CH); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 63.7 (CH-Cl), 67.3 (CH), 110.3-166.9 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 166.7 (CO). Anal. calcd. For C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>10</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>N<sub>4</sub>OS: C, 49.33; H, 2.76; N, 15.34; S, 8.78; found: C, 49.24; H, 2.69; N, 15.44; S, 8.83.

**3-chloro-4-(4-fluorophenyl)-1-(thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-ylamino)azetidin-2-one (14e)**

Yield: 1.88g (54%); mp 216-221 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3273 (NH), 1753 (C=O); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 4.45 (s, 1H, NH), 5.01 (d, 1H, CH-Ar), 5.50 (d, 1H, CH-Cl), 7.39-7.49 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.51 (d, 1H, CH), 7.75 (d, 1H, CH), 8.12 (s, 1H, CH); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 63.9 (CH-Cl), 67.5 (CH), 110.6-167.6 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 166.7 (CO). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>10</sub>ClF<sub>2</sub>N<sub>4</sub>OS: C, 51.65; H, 2.89; N, 16.06; S, 9.19; found: C, 51.60; H, 2.93; N, 16.15; S, 9.08.

**3-chloro-4-(4-hydroxyphenyl)-1-(thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-ylamino)azetidin-2-one (14f)**

Yield: 1.63g (47%); mp 192-197 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3465 (OH), 3263 (NH), 1745 (C=O); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 4.46 (s, 1H, NH), 4.55 (s, 1H, OH), 5.06 (d, 1H, CH-Ar), 5.56 (d, 1H, CH-Cl), 7.27-7.43 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.53 (d, 1H, CH), 7.74 (d, 1H, CH), 8.14 (s, 1H, CH); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 63.3 (CH-Cl), 67.7 (CH), 111.2-167.4 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 166.7 (CO). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>11</sub>ClN<sub>4</sub>O<sub>2</sub>S: C, 51.95; H, 3.20; N, 16.16; S, 9.25; found: C, 51.89; H, 3.12; N, 16.26; S, 9.33.

**3-chloro-4-(4-methoxyphenyl)-1-(thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-ylamino)azetidin-2-one (14g)**

Yield: 2.24g (62%); mp 183-188 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3269 (NH), 1754 (C=O); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 3.75(s, 3H, OCH<sub>3</sub>), 4.48 (s, 1H, NH), 5.05 (d, 1H, CH-Ar), 5.50 (d, 1H, CH-Cl), 7.11-7.39 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.56 (d, 1H, CH), 7.78 (d, 1H, CH), 8.06 (s, 1H, CH). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 63.8 (CH-Cl), 67.4 (CH), 110.5-167.7 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 166.7 (CO). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>13</sub>ClN<sub>4</sub>O<sub>2</sub>S: C, 53.26; H, 3.63; N, 15.53; S, 8.89; found: C, 53.17; H, 3.56; N, 15.60; S, 8.97.

**3-chloro-4-(4-methylphenyl)-1-(thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-ylamino)azetidin-2-one (14h)**

Yield: 2.24g (65%); mp 203-208 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3278 (NH), 1768 (C=O); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 2.23 (s, 3H, CH<sub>3</sub>), 4.47 (s, 1H, NH), 5.03 (d, 1H, CH-Ar), 5.53 (d, 1H, CH-Cl), 6.97-7.34 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.52 (d, 1H, CH), 7.73 (d, 1H, CH), 8.11 (s, 1H, CH); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 63.3 (CH-Cl), 67.4 (CH), 110.2-167.6 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 166.7 (CO). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>13</sub>ClN<sub>4</sub>OS: C, 55.73; H, 3.80; N, 16.25; S, 9.30; found: C, 55.67; H, 3.76; N, 16.31; S, 9.38.

**3-chloro-4-(4-nitrophenyl)-1-(thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-ylamino)azetidin-2-one (14i)**

Yield: 2.03g (54%); mp 231-236 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3269 (NH), 1757 (C=O); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 4.42 (s, 1H, NH), 4.96 (d, 1H, CH-Ar), 5.47 (d, 1H, CH-Cl), 7.22-7.44 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.50 (d, 1H, CH), 7.72 (d, 1H, CH), 8.08 (s, 1H, CH); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 64.4 (CH-Cl), 67.5 (CH), 110.4-167.7 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 166.7 (CO). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>10</sub>ClN<sub>5</sub>O<sub>3</sub>S: C, 47.94; H, 2.68; N, 18.64; S, 8.53; found: C, 47.89; H, 2.61; N, 18.73; S, 8.61.

**4-(4-butylphenyl)-3-chloro-1-(thieno[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-ylamino)azetidin-2-one (14j)**

Yield: 2.36g (61%); mp 245-250 °C; IR spectrum (KBr, , cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3266 (NH), 1759 (C=O); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 1.04 (t, 3H, CH<sub>3</sub>), 1.29-1.50 (m, 6H, 3CH<sub>2</sub>), 4.44 (s, 1H, NH), 5.02 (d, 1H, CH-Ar), 5.49 (d, 1H, CH-Cl), 7.19-7.32 (m, 4H, Ar-H), 7.51 (d, 1H, CH), 7.73 (d, 1H, CH), 8.15 (s, 1H, CH); <sup>13</sup>C

NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, ppm): 63.2 (CH-Cl), 67.9 (CH), 110.6-167.7 (thienopyrimidine aromatic carbon atoms), 166.7 (CO). Anal. calcd. for C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>19</sub>ClN<sub>4</sub>OS: C, 58.98; H, 4.95; N, 14.48; S, 8.29; found: C, 59.03; H, 4.90; N, 14.54; S, 8.22.

## BIOLOGICAL EVALUATION

### Antimicrobial activity

The prepared compounds were tested against *S.aureus* (ATCC-96) and *S.pyogenes* (ATCC-443) as Gram positive and *E.coli* (ATCC-442) and *P.aeruginosa* (ATCC-441) as Gram negative bacterial strains. Antifungal activities of the compounds were tested against *A.niger* (ATCC-282) as fungal strain. All the newly synthesized compounds were screened *in vitro* for their antibacterial and antifungal activities by broth dilution method (Table-1). The lowest concentration inhibiting growth of the organism is recorded as the MIC. DMSO was used as diluent. The stock 1000 µg/ml was prepared. Serial dilutions were prepared in primary and secondary screening. Mueller Hinton Broth was used as nutrient medium to grow and dilute the drug suspension for the test bacteria, and sabaouraus dextrose broth used for fungal nutrition. Inoculum size for test strain was adjusted to 10<sup>8</sup> CFU [Colony Forming Unit] per milliliter by comparing the turbidity. The control tube containing no antibiotic is immediately sub cultured (before inoculation) by spreading a loopful evenly over a quarter of plate of medium suitable for the growth of the test organism and put for incubation at 37°C overnight. The tubes are then incubated overnight. The MIC of the control organism is read to check the accuracy of the drug concentrations. The amount of growth from the control tube before incubation (which represents the original inoculum) is compared. Ampicillin and Chloramphenicol were used as standard antibacterial and Nystatin and Gresefulvin were used as standard antifungal drugs. Standard strains were procured from Institute of Microbial Technology, Chandigarh.

**Table 1.** Antimicrobial activity (MIC  $\mu\text{g/ml}$ ) of some selected synthesized compounds.

| Compd.                 | Minimum Inhibitory Concentration ( $\mu\text{g/ml}$ ) |                               |                           |                                 |                            |
|------------------------|---|-------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------|
|                        | Gram +ve  |                               | Gram -ve                  |                                 | Antifungal                 |
|                        | <i>S.aureus</i><br>ATCC-96                            | <i>S.pyogenes</i><br>ATCC-443 | <i>E.coli</i><br>ATCC-442 | <i>P.aeruginosa</i><br>ATCC-441 | <i>A.niger</i><br>ATCC-282 |
| <b>6a</b>              | 250   | 250                           | 100                       | 250                             | 500                        |
| <b>6b</b>              | 500   | 1000                          | 250                       | 500                             | 1000                       |
| <b>6c</b>              | 100   | 200                           | 150                       | 250                             | 1000                       |
| <b>6d</b>              | 250   | 250                           | 100                       | 200                             | 1000                       |
| <b>6e</b>              | 500   | 500                           | 100                       | 250                             | 500                        |
| <b>6f</b>              | 62.5  | 100                           | 500                       | 500                             | 250                        |
| <b>6g</b>              | 100   | 100                           | 150                       | 200                             | 1000                       |
| <b>6h</b>              | 500   | 1000                          | 250                       | 250                             | 1000                       |
| <b>6i</b>              | 500   | 500                           | 500                       | 500                             | 1000                       |
| <b>6j</b>              | 250   | 250                           | 1000                      | 500                             | 500                        |
| <b>9a</b>              | 500   | 250                           | 500                       | 1000                            | 1000                       |
| <b>9b</b>              | 200   | 200                           | 100                       | 100                             | 1000                       |
| <b>9c</b>              | 100   | 100                           | 150                       | 200                             | 1000                       |
| <b>9d</b>              | 250   | 250                           | 500                       | 500                             | 1000                       |
| <b>9e</b>              | 500   | 500                           | 500                       | 1000                            | 1000                       |
| <b>9f</b>              | 500   | 500                           | 500                       | 500                             | 1000                       |
| <b>9g</b>              | 250   | 250                           | 500                       | 500                             | 1000                       |
| <b>9h</b>              | 250   | 250                           | 1000                      | 500                             | 500                        |
| <b>9i</b>              | 250   | 250                           | 100                       | 100                             | 1000                       |
| <b>9j</b>              | 100   | 200                           | 200                       | 100                             | 500                        |
| <b>14a</b>             | 500   | 125                           | 250                       | 250                             | 500                        |
| <b>14b</b>             | 1000  | 1000                          | 500                       | 1000                            | 1000                       |
| <b>14c</b>             | 1000  | 500                           | 250                       | 1000                            | 1000                       |
| <b>14d</b>             | 1000  | 500                           | 500                       | 500                             | 250                        |
| <b>14e</b>             | 500   | 500                           | 500                       | 500                             | 500                        |
| <b>14f</b>             | 100   | 100                           | 62.5                      | 100                             | 1000                       |
| <b>14g</b>             | 500   | 500                           | 500                       | 500                             | 1000                       |
| <b>14h</b>             | 100   | 250                           | 500                       | 500                             | 1000                       |
| <b>14i</b>             | 500   | 500                           | 200                       | 200                             | 500                        |
| <b>14j</b>             | 500   | 200                           | 150                       | 200                             | 1000                       |
| <b>Ampicillin</b>      | 250   | 100                           | 100                       | 100                             | -                          |
| <b>Chloramphenicol</b> | 50  | 50                            | 50                        | 50                              | -                          |
| <b>Gresefulvin</b>     | -   | -                             | -                         | -                               | 100                        |
| <b>Nystatin</b>        | -   | -                             | -                         | -                               | 100                        |

From the screening results, it can be seen that compound 6f showed excellent activity against Gram positive bacteria *S.aureus* and compound 14f showed excellent activity against Gram negative bacteria *E.coli*. Rest of the compounds showed good to moderate activity against other bacteria compared with the standard drugs.

## CONCLUSION

In this work, we have prepared some new thieno[2,3-*d*]pyrimidine derivatives 6(a-j), 9(a-j) and 14(a-j) which were screened for their antibacterial and antifungal activities. The structures of all new synthesized compounds are confirmed successfully

by IR,  $^1\text{H}$  NMR,  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectra and elemental analysis. Antibacterial activity of title compounds showed that hydroxyl group present at 4<sup>th</sup> position of phenyl ring in compound 6f could be responsible for increase activity against *S.aureus*. Compound 14f also contain hydroxyl group at 4<sup>th</sup> position in phenyl ring to show highest activity against *E.coli*.

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