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DYES CONTAINING LONG-CHAINED ALIPHATIC RADICALS

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The investigation of the synthesis and properties of compounds containing long-chained aliphatic radicals has been extended to the preparation of several azo dyes, coupling products of β —naphthol with the appropriately substituted aromatic diazonium chlorides. The dyes prepared include those from a series of three *p*—alkoxyanilines, ROC₆H₄NH₂, where R is *n*—C₁₂H₂₅—, *n*—C₁₄H₂₉—, and *n*—C₁₆H₃₃—, all deep red in color; and two brighter red compounds from *p*—(N—alkylsulfonamido)—anilines, H₂ NC₆H₄SO₂NHR, where R is *n*—C₁₂H₂₅— and *n*—C₁₈H₃₇—.

These compounds are crystalline solids, soluble in the usual organic solvents and in fats and oils. The melting points of the compounds are such that they might serve as derivatives for the corresponding anilines.

The compounds prepared and their melting points are: 1— (p—dodecoxyphenylazo)—2—naphthol, m. 80-82°; 1—(p—tetradecoxyphenylazo)—2—naphthol, m. 81.5-83°; 1—(p—hexadecoxyphenylazo)—2—naphthol, m. 82-84°; 1—[p—(N—dodecylsulfonamido)—phenylazo]—2—naphthol, m. 163-164°; and 1— [p—(N—octadecylsulfonamido) — phenylazo]—2—naphthol, m. 158-159.5°.

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NEW SYNTHETIC TOOLS IN THE PYRIDINE, QUINOLINE AND OTHER NITROGEN-HETEROCYCLIC SERIES

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The halogen-metal interconversion reaction now makes possible the preparation of hitherto difficultly or completely inaccessible organolithium compounds from the corresponding bromo- or iodo-nuclear substituted nitrogen heterocycles by means of other organolithium compounds like n—propyllithium and n—butyllithium:

 $C_5H_4NBr + n - C_4H_9Li \longrightarrow C_5H_4NLi + n - C_4H_9Br$ (3-bromopyridine) (3-pyridyllithium)

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