

Review of: "Synthesis of 1, 2-Disubstituted Benzimidazoles at Ambient Temperature Catalyzed by 1-Methylimidazolium Tetrafluoroborate ([Hmim] BF₄) and Investigating Their Anti-ovarian Cancer Properties Through Molecular Docking Studies and Calculations"

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The authors described the "Synthesis of 1, 2-Disubstituted Benzimidazoles at Ambient Temperature Catalyzed by 1-Methylimidazolium Tetrafluoroborate ([Hmim] BF₄) and Investigated Their Anti-ovarian Cancer Properties Through Molecular Docking Studies and Calculations."

After reviewing the manuscript, in my opinion, the following modifications are necessary before publication.

The inclusion of a possible mechanism, including the catalytic activity of ([Hmim] BF₄), will be more advantageous for the readers to understand the reaction path and the catalyst role in the reaction.

In comparison of 1-methylimidazolium tetrafluoroborate catalytic activity (Table 6), appropriate text should be included in the manuscript mentioning the advantages of the ([Hmim] BF₄) catalyst compared to previously reported catalytic systems.

It is necessary to describe the names of the methodology and programs of computational calculations in detail in the Experimental section.

The "*ortho* or *O*-" should be in italics throughout the manuscript.

The compound and ligand numbers should be bolded at all places in the manuscript.

In page No:8, the sentence "According to Lee Pinsky's laws, the molecular mass of the drug should not be more than 500 g/mol," was repeated.

The following reference may be cited as part of previous reports on benzimidazoles

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There are some sticky words in the manuscript due to space issues. Check the manuscript thoroughly.

