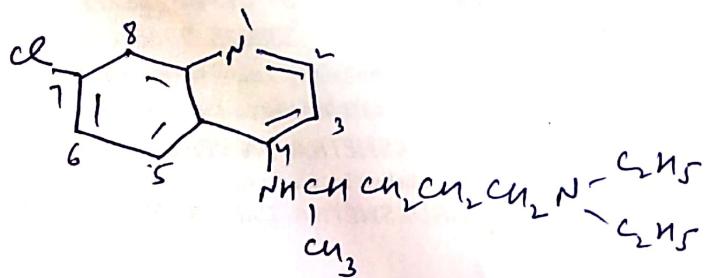
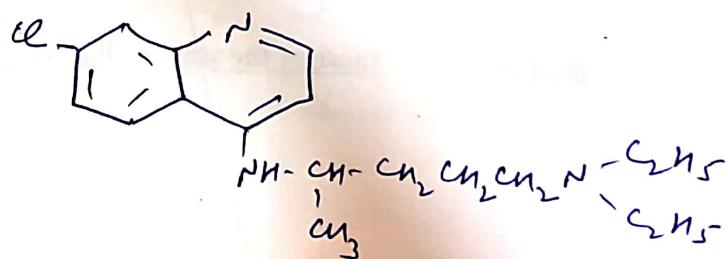
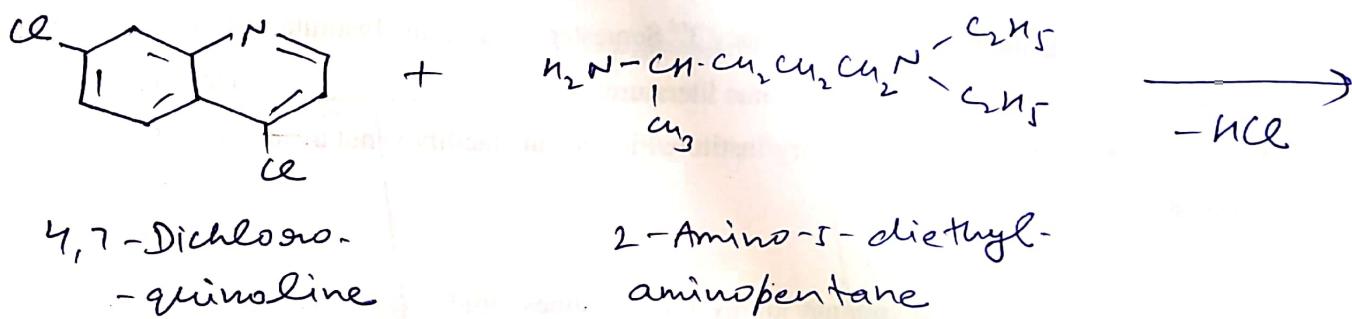


# Chloroquine



(RS)-7-Chloro-4-(4-diethyl-amino-1-methylbutylamino)-quinoline

## Synthesis:-

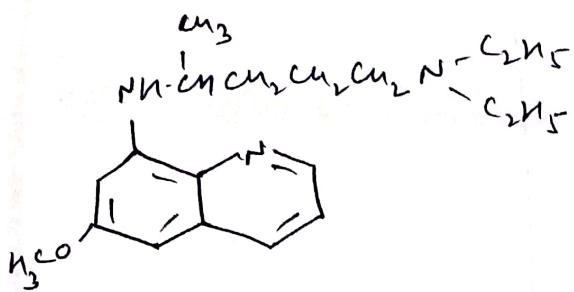


Chloroquine

MoA:- It acts by interaction with DNA. There is intercalation of chloroquine with guanine containing double stranded DNA. It has been reported to inhibit DNA polymerase markedly.

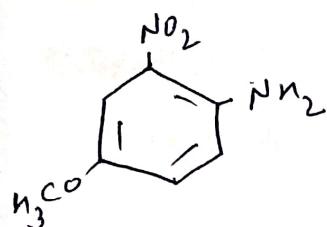
User:- It is used for the prophylaxis and treatment of malaria. It has a rapid schizontocidal effect. It kills the erythrocytic forms of malaria parasites at all stages of development.

Pamaquine

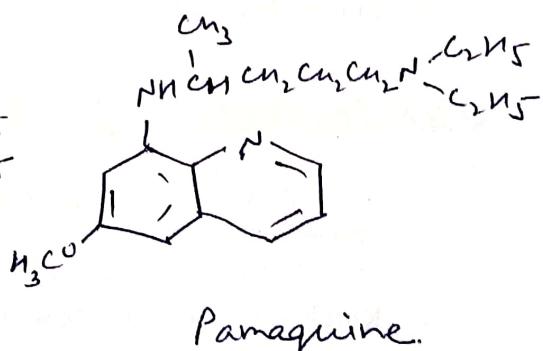
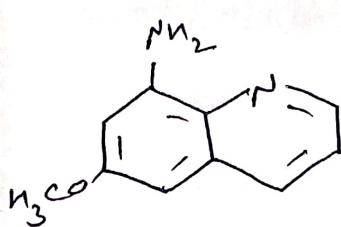
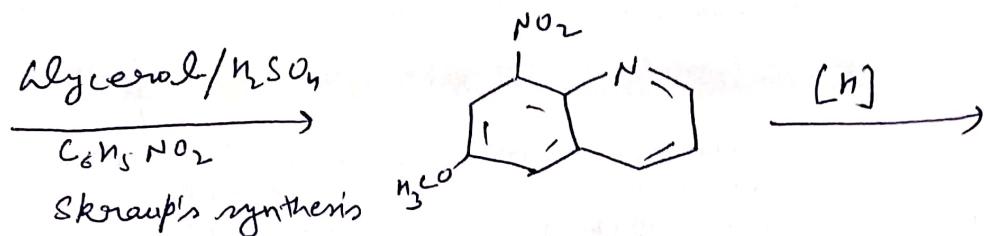


8-(4-Diethylamino-1-methylbutyl amino)-6-methoxy quinoline.

Synthesis:-



4-Methoxy-2-nitro-aniline



MOA:-

It kills the intrahepatic form of Plasmodium vivax and Plasmodium ovale, and thereby prevents the development of the erythrocytic forms that are responsible for relapses.

Uses:-

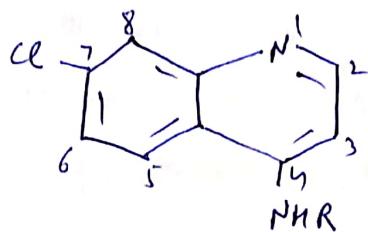
In the treatment of malaria caused by Plasmodium vivax and P. ovale.

# SAR of Antimalarial drugs

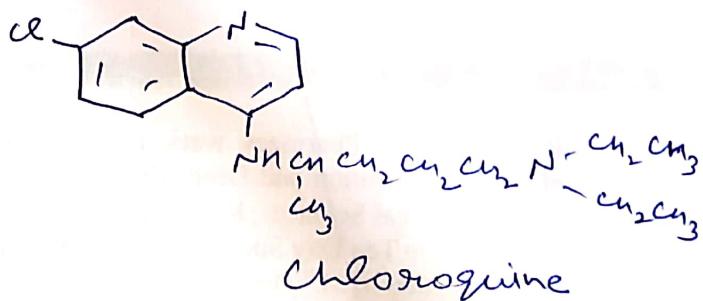
(Quinolines)

Prototype drug:- Quinine.

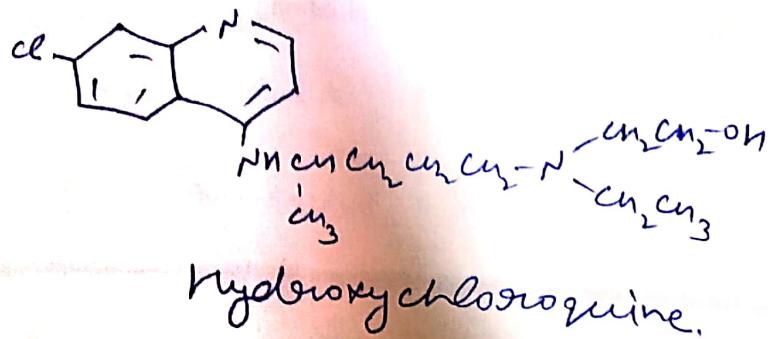
## 4-Aminoquinolines:-



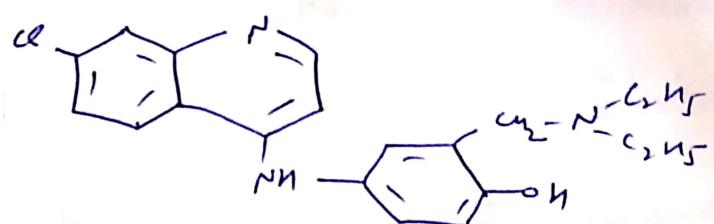
→ At C-4 position, the dialkylaminoalkyl side chain has 2-5 carbon atoms between the nitrogen atoms, which is optimum for activity. e.g. Chloroquine, quinacrine.



→ The substitution of a hydroxyl group on one of the ethyl groups on the tertiary amine reduces toxicity. e.g. Hydroxychloroquine.



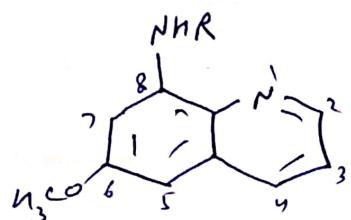
→ Incorporation of an aromatic ring in the side chain, gives a compound with reduced toxicity.  
~~and active~~ e.g. Amodiaquine.



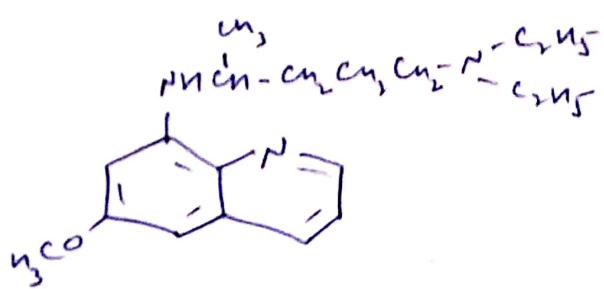
Amodiaquine

- The tertiary amine in the side chain is essential for activity.
- The 7-Chloro group in the quinoline nucleus is optimal.

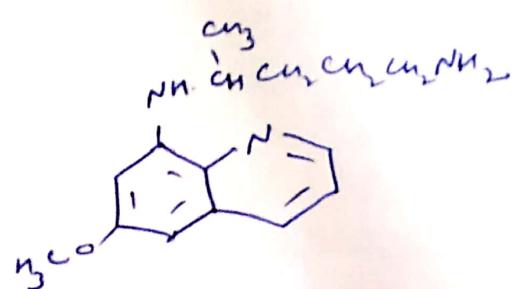
### 8-Aminoquinolines:-



- If the dialkylaminoalkyl side chain is attached at 8<sup>th</sup> position, it gives derivatives of 8-aminoquinolines, e.g. Pamaquine, Primaquine, Quinocide.



Pamaquine

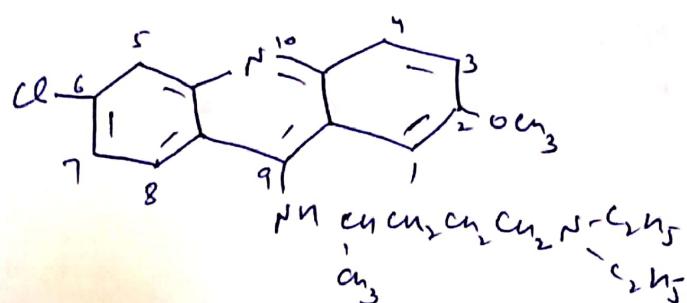


Primaquine.

- In this category, tertiary amine is not essential for activity. e.g. Primaquine.
- Methoxy group at position 6 is optimum for activity.

### 9-Aminoacridines :-

The fusion of an aromatic ring with quinoline nucleus results in the production of an active drug, i.e. Quinacrine.



Quinacrine.