

**DFT AND VIBRATIONAL SPECTROSCOPIC STUDY ON PYRIMIDINE DERIVATIVE INSECTICIDE****Laila Stephenson Anju<sup>1</sup>, Devadhas Aruldas<sup>2\*</sup>**<sup>1</sup>Research Scholar, Reg. Number: 12049, Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Abishekapatti, Tirunelveli, Tamil Nadu, India.<sup>2</sup>Department of Physics & Research Centre, Nesamony Memorial Christian College, Marthandam Tamilnadu, India.\*Corresponding author: [anju.ls2007@gmail.com](mailto:anju.ls2007@gmail.com)**ABSTRACT**

A complete vibrational analysis of (6-methyl-2-thiophen-2-ylpyrimidin-4-yl) *N,N*-dimethylcarbamate (MTPD) was performed by using theoretical information using density functional theory based on scaled quantum chemical approach. The structural and spectroscopic data of the molecule were obtained from B3LYP with 6-31G(d) basis set calculations. The complete vibrational distributions were performed on the basis of the potential energy distribution (PED) of the vibrational energy distribution analysis (VEDA 4) program. The stable geometry of the compound has been determined from potential energy surface scan. The calculated HOMO and LUMO energies show that charge transfer occur within the molecule. Comparison of simulated spectra with the experimental spectra provides important information about the ability of the computational method to describe the modes of vibration. Natural charge analysis and molecular electrostatic potential (MESP) has been calculated.

**Keywords:** Pyrimidine, Vibrational analysis, reactivity, UCA Fukui, MESP**1. INTRODUCTION**

Pyrimidine represents one of the most active classes of compounds, possessing a wide spectrum of biological activity [1]. It belongs to the family of nucleic acids and is of great interest, since they control the manufacture of protein and the functions of cell in living organisms. Pyrimidine does not exist in nature but in the form of its different derivatives are found as a part of more complex systems and are widely distributed. Pyrimidine and its derivatives are known for their biological activity and have related much attention from spectroscopists, drug, clinical and industrial researchers because of their therapeutic importance [2]. Nitrogen containing cyclic compounds has been increasing interest because of their utility in various applications. They are present in wide variety of drugs, biologically active compounds including insecticidal agents [3]. The current study is to focus on the significance of pyrimidine and its derivative as insecticidal agents to the development of more potent and effective insecticidal agents.

In the present study the molecular structure of (6-methyl-2-thiophen-2-ylpyrimidin-4-yl) *N,N*-dimethyl - carbamate (MTPD) is described. The purpose of this work is to investigate the performance of DFT method in predicting geometry and vibrational spectra of the title

compound. The natural bond orbital (NBO) analysis, Molecular electrostatic potential should help us to understand the structural and spectral characteristics and bioactivity of the compound.

**2. MATERIALS AND METHODS**

All geometric structure calculation have been carried out using Gaussian 09 package and Gauss view molecular visualizing program package, which has provided itself to be extremely useful to get a clear knowledge of optimized parameters, vibrational wavenumber, electronic structure properties and other molecular properties [4]. The geometry is fully optimized at Beck 3-Lee-Yang-Parr (B3LYP) level with standard 6-31G(d) basis set [5]. The computed wavenumbers were scaled by 0.9614 [6]. Additionally the calculated vibrational frequencies are clarified by means of the Potential energy distribution (PED) analysis of all fundamental vibrational modes by using Veda.4 program [7]. The theoretical tool Fukui function was performed by UCA-FUKUI software to understand the chemical reactivity the condensed Fukui function and related local and global parameters are calculated [8]. Potential Energy scan (PES) was performed to obtain a stable geometry of the compound.

### 3. RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

#### 3.1. Molecular Geometry

Complete geometrical parameters were performed within the  $C_1$  point group symmetry for the title compound (MTPD), the optimized geometries are shown in fig. 1 and are listed in table 1. The optimized structure parameters (bond length, bond angle, dihedral angle) of MTPD was calculated at DFT B3LYP/6-31G(d) basis set. The optimized geometries give nearly non planar structure to the compound. The backbone of the MTPD molecule consists of one methyl pyrimidine and a dimethyl carbamate.

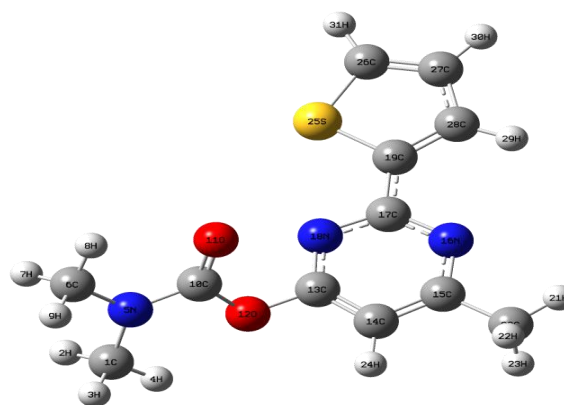


Fig. 1: Optimized structure of MTPD

Table 1: Optimized structure parameters of MTPD

Bond Length ( $\text{Å}$ )	Exp. value	Calculated value	Bond Angle ( $^\circ$ )	Exp. value	Calculated value	Dihedral angle ( $^\circ$ )	Exp. value	Calculated value
C <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>2</sub>	0.98	1.098	H <sub>2</sub> -C <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>3</sub>	109.5	108.1	H <sub>2</sub> -C <sub>1</sub> -N <sub>5</sub> -C <sub>6</sub>	69.3	55.6
C <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>3</sub>	0.98	1.098	H <sub>2</sub> -C <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>4</sub>	109.5	109	H <sub>2</sub> -C <sub>1</sub> -N <sub>5</sub> -C <sub>10</sub>	-104.9	-122.3
C <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>4</sub>	0.98	1.087	H <sub>2</sub> -C <sub>1</sub> -N <sub>5</sub>	109.4	110.7	H <sub>3</sub> -C <sub>1</sub> -N <sub>5</sub> -C <sub>6</sub>	-50.8	-63.6
C <sub>1</sub> -N <sub>5</sub>	1.456	1.455	H <sub>3</sub> -C <sub>1</sub> -H <sub>4</sub>	109.5	109	C <sub>3</sub> -C <sub>1</sub> -N <sub>5</sub> -C <sub>10</sub>	-104.9	118.4
N <sub>5</sub> -C <sub>6</sub>	1.457	1.455	H <sub>3</sub> -C <sub>1</sub> -N <sub>5</sub>	109.5	109.7	H <sub>4</sub> -C <sub>1</sub> -N <sub>5</sub> -C <sub>6</sub>	-170.7	175.8
N <sub>5</sub> -C <sub>10</sub>	1.337	1.361	H <sub>4</sub> -C <sub>1</sub> -N <sub>5</sub>	109.5	110.3	H <sub>4</sub> -C <sub>1</sub> -N <sub>5</sub> -C <sub>10</sub>	15.1	-2.2
C <sub>6</sub> -H <sub>7</sub>	0.98	1.098	C <sub>1</sub> -N <sub>5</sub> -C <sub>6</sub>	117.1	116.5	C <sub>1</sub> -N <sub>5</sub> -C <sub>6</sub> -H <sub>7</sub>	55.2	-61.7
C <sub>6</sub> -H <sub>8</sub>	0.98	1.089	C <sub>1</sub> -N <sub>5</sub> -C <sub>10</sub>	124.9	125.1	C <sub>1</sub> -N <sub>5</sub> -C <sub>6</sub> -H <sub>8</sub>	175.2	178.3
C <sub>6</sub> -H <sub>9</sub>	0.98	1.098	C <sub>6</sub> -N <sub>5</sub> -C <sub>10</sub>	117.9	118.4	C <sub>1</sub> -N <sub>5</sub> -C <sub>6</sub> -H <sub>9</sub>	55.2	58.1
C <sub>10</sub> -O <sub>11</sub>	1.213	1.211	N <sub>5</sub> -C <sub>6</sub> -H <sub>7</sub>	109.5	110.3	C <sub>10</sub> -N <sub>5</sub> -C <sub>6</sub> -H <sub>7</sub>	-130.2	116.4
C <sub>10</sub> -O <sub>12</sub>	1.37	1.399	N <sub>5</sub> -C <sub>6</sub> -H <sub>8</sub>	109.5	108.9	C <sub>10</sub> -N <sub>5</sub> -C <sub>6</sub> -H <sub>8</sub>	-10.24	-3.6
O <sub>12</sub> -C <sub>13</sub>	1.398	1.373	N <sub>5</sub> -C <sub>6</sub> -H <sub>9</sub>	109.5	110.4	C <sub>10</sub> -N <sub>5</sub> -C <sub>6</sub> -H <sub>9</sub>	109.7	-123.8
C <sub>13</sub> -C <sub>14</sub>	1.382	1.394	H <sub>7</sub> -C <sub>6</sub> -H <sub>8</sub>	109.5	109.4	C <sub>1</sub> -N <sub>5</sub> -C <sub>10</sub> -O <sub>11</sub>	176.8	176.1
C <sub>13</sub> -N <sub>18</sub>	1.314	1.321	H <sub>7</sub> -C <sub>6</sub> -H <sub>9</sub>	109.5	108.4	C <sub>1</sub> -N <sub>5</sub> -C <sub>10</sub> -O <sub>12</sub>	-4.0	-7.5
C <sub>14</sub> -C <sub>15</sub>	1.401	1.397	H <sub>8</sub> -C <sub>6</sub> -H <sub>9</sub>	109.5	109.5	C <sub>6</sub> -N <sub>5</sub> -C <sub>10</sub> -O <sub>11</sub>	2.7	-1.8
C <sub>14</sub> -C <sub>24</sub>	1.512	1.083	N <sub>5</sub> -C <sub>10</sub> -O <sub>11</sub>	126.2	126.4	C <sub>6</sub> -N <sub>5</sub> -C <sub>10</sub> -O <sub>12</sub>	-178.1	174.6
C <sub>15</sub> -N <sub>16</sub>	1.333	1.342	N <sub>5</sub> -O <sub>10</sub> -O <sub>12</sub>	111.5	110.6	N <sub>5</sub> -C <sub>10</sub> -O <sub>12</sub> -C <sub>13</sub>	176.0	154.6
C <sub>15</sub> -C <sub>20</sub>	1.501	1.506	O <sub>11</sub> -C <sub>10</sub> -O <sub>12</sub>	122.3	122.9	O <sub>11</sub> -C <sub>10</sub> -O <sub>12</sub> -C <sub>13</sub>	-4.8	-28.8
N <sub>16</sub> -C <sub>17</sub>	1.345	1.342	C <sub>10</sub> -O <sub>12</sub> -C <sub>13</sub>	115.2	118.4	C <sub>10</sub> -O <sub>12</sub> -C <sub>13</sub> -C <sub>14</sub>	87.0	132.2
C <sub>17</sub> -N <sub>18</sub>	1.351	1.348	O <sub>12</sub> -C <sub>13</sub> -C <sub>14</sub>	119.2	117.9	C <sub>10</sub> -O <sub>12</sub> -C <sub>13</sub> -N <sub>18</sub>	-95.7	-52
C <sub>20</sub> -H <sub>21</sub>	0.98	1.096	O <sub>12</sub> -C <sub>13</sub> -N <sub>18</sub>	114	118.3	O <sub>12</sub> -C <sub>13</sub> -C <sub>14</sub> -C <sub>15</sub>	175.7	175.9
C <sub>20</sub> -H <sub>22</sub>	0.98	1.096	C <sub>14</sub> -C <sub>13</sub> -N <sub>18</sub>	126.8	123.7	O <sub>12</sub> -C <sub>13</sub> -C <sub>14</sub> -C <sub>24</sub>	-4.2	-4.5
C <sub>20</sub> -H <sub>23</sub>	0.981	1.094	C <sub>13</sub> -C <sub>14</sub> -C <sub>15</sub>	113.4	116.1	N <sub>18</sub> -C <sub>13</sub> -C <sub>14</sub> -C <sub>15</sub>	-1.1	0.3
			C <sub>14</sub> -C <sub>15</sub> -N <sub>16</sub>	122.7	121.4	N <sub>18</sub> -C <sub>13</sub> -C <sub>14</sub> -C <sub>24</sub>	178.9	179.9
			C <sub>14</sub> -C <sub>15</sub> -C <sub>20</sub>	121.6	122	O <sub>12</sub> -C <sub>13</sub> -N <sub>18</sub> -C <sub>17</sub>	-177.0	-176.5
			N <sub>16</sub> -C <sub>15</sub> -C <sub>20</sub>	115.8	116.6	C <sub>14</sub> -C <sub>13</sub> -N <sub>18</sub> -C <sub>17</sub>	-0.02	-0.9
			C <sub>15</sub> -N <sub>16</sub> -C <sub>17</sub>	117.4	116.6	C <sub>13</sub> -C <sub>14</sub> -C <sub>15</sub> -N <sub>16</sub>	1	0.4
			N <sub>16</sub> -C <sub>17</sub> -N <sub>18</sub>	125	127	C <sub>13</sub> -C <sub>14</sub> -C <sub>15</sub> -C <sub>20</sub>	-179.0	179.9
			C <sub>13</sub> -N <sub>18</sub> -C <sub>17</sub>	114.7	115.3	C <sub>14</sub> -C <sub>15</sub> -C <sub>20</sub> -H <sub>21</sub>	-163.3	123.1
			C <sub>15</sub> -C <sub>20</sub> -H <sub>21</sub>	109.5	110	C <sub>14</sub> -C <sub>15</sub> -C <sub>20</sub> -H <sub>22</sub>	-43.2	-119.2

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C <sub>15</sub> -C <sub>20</sub> -H <sub>22</sub>	109.5	111.8	C <sub>14</sub> -C <sub>15</sub> -C <sub>20</sub> -H <sub>23</sub>	76.8	1.9
C <sub>15</sub> -C <sub>20</sub> -H <sub>23</sub>	109.4	110	N <sub>16</sub> -C <sub>15</sub> -C <sub>20</sub> -H <sub>21</sub>	16.8	-57.3
H <sub>21</sub> -C <sub>20</sub> -H <sub>22</sub>	109.5	109	N <sub>16</sub> -C <sub>15</sub> -C <sub>20</sub> -H <sub>22</sub>	136.8	60.4
H <sub>21</sub> -C <sub>20</sub> -H <sub>23</sub>	109.5	107	N <sub>16</sub> -C <sub>15</sub> -C <sub>20</sub> -H <sub>23</sub>	-103.2	-178.6
H <sub>22</sub> -C <sub>20</sub> -H <sub>23</sub>	109.5	108.9	C <sub>15</sub> -N <sub>16</sub> -C <sub>17</sub> -N <sub>18</sub>	-1.6	-0.5
			N <sub>16</sub> -C <sub>17</sub> -N <sub>18</sub> -C <sub>13</sub>	1.5	1.1
			C <sub>14</sub> -C <sub>15</sub> -N <sub>16</sub> -C <sub>17</sub>	0.3	-0.3
			C <sub>20</sub> -C <sub>15</sub> -N <sub>16</sub> -C <sub>17</sub>	-179.8	-179.8

Pyrimidine ring is found to be near planar within small twist exo C<sub>13</sub>, C<sub>17</sub>, C<sub>15</sub> bond angles (N<sub>18</sub>-C<sub>13</sub>-O<sub>12</sub>, O<sub>20</sub>-C<sub>13</sub>-C<sub>14</sub>, N<sub>16</sub>-C<sub>17</sub>-S<sub>19</sub>, C<sub>14</sub>-C<sub>15</sub>-N<sub>16</sub>, C<sub>14</sub>-C<sub>15</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>) notably deviate from the expected trigonal angle and so transfer of electrons is possible between the pyrimidine ring and side chain atoms and this results in the molecular crowding effect arising from steric requirements which is responsible for biological activity. Decrease the endo cyclic angles of C<sub>13</sub>-N<sub>18</sub>-C<sub>17</sub>, C<sub>13</sub>-C<sub>14</sub>-C<sub>15</sub>, C<sub>15</sub>-N<sub>16</sub>-C<sub>17</sub> and the corresponding increase in the endo cyclic angles N<sub>14</sub>-C<sub>13</sub>-N<sub>18</sub>, N<sub>16</sub>-C<sub>15</sub>-C<sub>14</sub>, N<sub>16</sub>-C<sub>17</sub>-N<sub>18</sub> are due to the negative inductive effect in the pyrimidine ring. Lowering of bond angles N<sub>5</sub>-C<sub>10</sub>-O<sub>12</sub> and C<sub>10</sub>-O<sub>12</sub>-C<sub>13</sub> is due to the charge transfer from pyrimidine ring through carbamate group to the thiophene ring. In the molecule, the dimethyl carbamate part C-H, C-N, C-O, C-C bond lengths are almost identical. But when compared the C<sub>13</sub>-C<sub>18</sub> bond length is slightly decreased and C<sub>16</sub>-C<sub>17</sub> and C<sub>18</sub>-C<sub>17</sub> bond length is increased due to the attachment of thiophene

ring. The C<sub>16</sub>-C<sub>17</sub>-N<sub>18</sub> bond angle is calculated in MTPD as 125.8 Å°. This is difference is due to the attachment of thiophene groups. This also clears the C<sub>13</sub>-N<sub>18</sub>-C<sub>17</sub> bond angle (116.0 Å°).

### 3.2. NBO Analysis

NBO analysis gives the role of intermolecular hydrogen bonding interaction in the compound. This is carried out by considering all possible interaction between filled donor and empty acceptor. For each donor (i) and acceptor (j), the stabilization energy (E<sup>2</sup>) associated with the delocalization i→j is determined as

$$E^2 = \Delta E_{ij} = \frac{q_i(F_{i,j})^2}{E_j - E_i}$$

Where, q<sub>i</sub> is donor orbital occupancy, E<sub>i</sub>, E<sub>j</sub> are the diagonal elements, F<sub>ij</sub> is the off diagonal NBO fock matrix element.

**Table 2: Possible Hydrogen bonding and hyper-conjugative interactions for MTPD**

	Donor	ED (e)	Acceptor	ED (e)	E <sup>2</sup> (kJ/mol)
Hydrogen bonding	n <sub>i</sub> (O11)	1.815	σ*(C6-H8)	0.009	4.226
		-0.239		0.471	
	n <sub>i</sub> (O12)	1.935	σ*(C1-H4)	0.007	3.18
		-0.557		0.462	
	n <sub>1</sub> (N5)	1.688	σ*(C1-H2)	0.015	18.995
		-0.247		0.433	
Hyperconjugation	n <sub>1</sub> (N5)	1.688	σ*(C1-H3)	0.016	21.84
		-0.247		0.432	
	n <sub>1</sub> (N5)	1.688	σ*(C6-H7)	0.014	21.004
		-0.247		0.437	
	n <sub>1</sub> (N5)	1.688	σ*(C6-H9)	0.014	18.702
		-0.247		0.436	

Table 2 shows the most relevant hydrogen bonding and hyper-conjugative interactions for the compound performed by NBO analysis. The hyper-conjugative

interactions are formed by the orbital overlap between σ bond orbital to σ\*anti-bonding orbital, which results in intramolecular charge transfer causing the stabilization of

the system. These interactions can be identified by finding the increase in electron density in the anti-bonding orbital.

C-H...O intramolecular hydrogen bonds are possible in MTPD. C<sub>1</sub>...O<sub>12</sub> and C<sub>6</sub>...O<sub>11</sub> distance 2.702 Å and 2.789 Å which are shorter than the sum of related vander Walls radii. The corresponding C-H-O angle is 104.2 Å°.

### 3.3. MESP Analysis

Molecular electrostatic potential represents a point in the space around the molecule to provide an indication of net electrostatic effect produced at the point by the total charge distribution of the molecule and correlate with dipole moment and chemical reactions. The MSEP has been employed as an informative tool of chemistry to describe different physical and chemical features including non-covalent interactions in complex biological system. The Molecular Electrostatic Potential (MESP) is the most useful electrostatic property to study the relation between structure and activity. The molecular electrostatic potential at the surface are presented by distant colours. Red represents the region of most electronegative electrostatic potential. Blue represent the region of the most positive electrostatic potential. Green represents place of zero potential, potential increases in the order red < orange < green < blue. The red region refers to the area would favour interaction and lone pair region predicting site of hydrogen bonding donor. The computed molecular electrostatic potential for MTPD is shown in fig 2. The carbonyl group shows the negative potential or donor nature. This gives the evidence for the possibility of C-H...O hydrogen bonding.

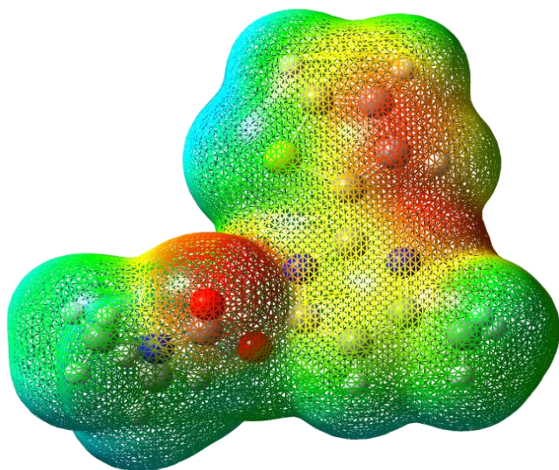


Fig. 2: Molecular electrostatic potential for MTPD

### 3.4. PES Analysis

A detailed potential energy surface (PES) scan study on dihedral angles N<sub>16</sub>-C<sub>15</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>-H<sub>21</sub> ( $\phi_1$ ) and H<sub>2</sub>-C<sub>1</sub>-N<sub>5</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> ( $\phi_2$ ) have been performed at B3LYP/6-31G(d) level. The PES scans were carried out by minimizing the potential energy in all geometrical parameters by changing the torsion angle at every 10° for a 360° rotation around the bond. The PES scan are shown in fig 3. In both the rotations minimum energy is obtained at 60°, 10° and 300°. For  $\phi_1$  the minimum energy obtained at 60° is due to the steric interaction H<sub>23</sub>...H<sub>24</sub> (2.472 Å°) where the stability is increased. The maximum energy is obtained at 360° due to the C<sub>20</sub>-H<sub>21</sub>...N<sub>16</sub> interaction (H<sub>21</sub>...N<sub>16</sub> = 2.714 Å°).

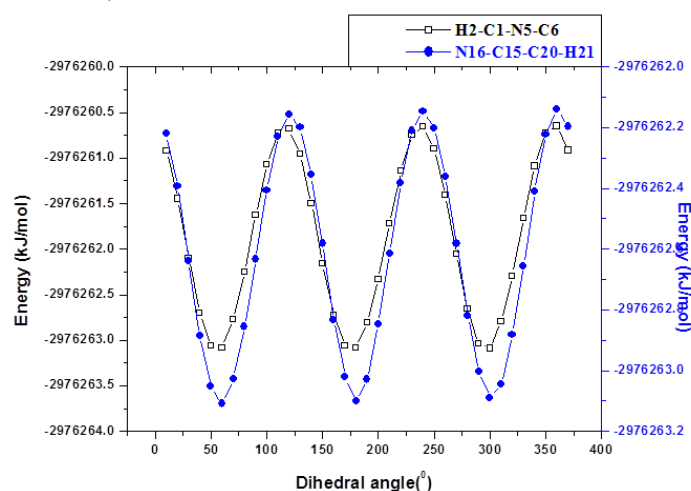


Fig. 3: Potential energy Scan curve of MTPD

### 3.5. Charge Analysis

The natural charge of title compound is shown in Fig 4. The result shows that the substitution of thiophene ring by pyrimidine ring leads to the redistribution of electron density.

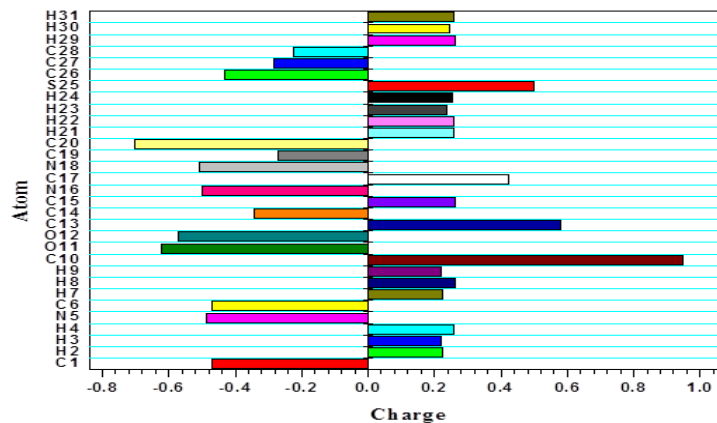


Fig 4: Charge analysis of MTPD

The compound shows that the presence of two large electronegative atom and one nitrogen atom impose very high charge on carbon atom ( $C_{10}$ ) of the carbamate group. Charge of  $N_{18}$  is decreased by the influence of  $C_{25}$ - $H_{26}$ ... $N_{18}$  hyperconjugative interaction. It is worthy to mention that  $C_{10}$ ,  $C_{13}$ ,  $C_{17}$  and  $C_{15}$  atoms exhibit positive charge while other carbon atoms exhibit negative charge.  $C_{20}$  having maximum negative value because of the attached electron donating methyl group. The charge on  $H_8$  in methyl group shows the maximum magnitude of

0.264e among the hydrogen atom due to the  $C_6$ - $H_8$ ... $O_{11}$  hydrogen bonding interaction.

### 3.6. Vibrational Analysis

The MTPD has 31 atoms with 87 modes of vibrations. The molecule does not exhibit symmetry and hence belongs to the  $C_1$  point group. The assignment of MTPD was done by theoretical calculations. The theoretical IR spectrum is shown in fig 5. The detailed vibrational assignments of calculated frequencies have been reported in the table 3.

**Table 3: The detailed vibrational assignments of calculated frequencies of MTPD**

Calculated IR wave number	Assignments with PED	IR intensity	Raman intensity
3139	$\nu C_{27}H_{30}(14)+\nu C_{26}H_{31}(80)$	0	0
3126	$\nu C_{26}H_{31}(85)+\nu C_{27}H_{30}(12)$	0	1
3115	$\nu C_{14}H_{24}(99)$	0	1
3099	$\nu C_{26}H_{31}(18)+\nu C_{27}H_{30}(73)$	1	0
3086	$\nu C_{1}H_2(63)+\nu C_6H_7(63)$	1	1
3072	$\nu C_6H_8(92)$	0	1
3024	$\nu_{asy} C_{20}H_{21}(94)$	2	25
3001	$\nu_{asy} C_{20}H_{21}(96)$	1	8
2966	$\nu C_1H_2(21)+\nu C_6H_7(25)+\nu C_6H_9(46)$	4	5
2960	$\nu_{sy} C_1H_2(71)+\nu C_6H_7(25)$	6	4
2942	$\nu_{sy} C_{20}H_{21}(95)$	2	4
2922	$\nu_{sy} C_1H_2(10)+\nu C_6H_9(53)$	13	8
2915	$\nu_{sy} C_1H_2(70)+\nu C_6H_9(17)$	8	7
1772	$\nu O_{11}C_{10}(77)+\nu N_5C_{10}(12)$	47	1
1568	$\nu C_{16}N_{15}(14)+\nu N_{18}C_{13}(14)+\nu C_{13}C_{14}(38)+\nu N_{16}C_{15}(10)$	33	6
1550	$\nu C_{16}N_{15}(34)+\nu N_{18}C_{13}(34)+\beta C_{19}C_{17}N_{16}(31)+\nu C_{14}C_{15}(31)$	16	5
1533	$\nu C_{19}C_{28}(54)+\nu C_{26}C_{27}(54)+\nu C_{17}C_{19}(11)+\beta H_{29}C_{28}C_{27}(12)+\beta H_{30}H_{27}C_{26}(12)$	18	6
1504	$\beta H_2C_1H_3(70)+\beta H_7C_6H_9(70)$	8	11
1473	$\beta H_2C_1H_4(23)+\beta H_2C_1H_3(24)+\beta H_7C_6H_9(24)+\beta H_2C_1H_3(24)+\beta H_7C_6H_8(31)$	4	57
1469	$\beta H_2C_1H_3(51)+\beta H_7C_6H_9(51)+\beta H_7C_6H_8(16)+\tau H_8C_6N_5C_1(11)$	4	48
1460	$\beta H_2C_1H_4(57)+\beta H_7C_6H_8(22)$	6	36
1456	$\beta H_{21}C_{20}H_{22}(69)+op C_{20}H_2C_{15}H_{22}(14)$	9	51
1446	$\beta H_{21}C_{20}H_{22}(84)+op C_{20}H_2C_{15}H_{23}(13)$	7	5
1434	$\nu C_{19}C_{28}(47)+\nu C_{26}C_{27}(47)+\nu C_{17}C_{19}(11)$	22	1
1432	$\beta H_2C_1H_4(57)+\beta H_3C_1H_4(57)+\beta H_8C_6H_9(17)$	20	1
1405	$\beta H_8C_6H_9(51)$	6	1
1402	$\nu N_{16}C_{15}(41)+\beta H_{24}C_{14}H_{13}(10)$	6	3
1392	$\nu N_5C_{10}(14)+\beta H_{21}C_{20}H_{22}(20)$	13	2

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1380	$\beta$ H21C20H22(38)	8	100
1369	$\nu$ N16C15(70)+ $\nu$ N18C13(10)+ $\nu$ C17C19(11)+ $\beta$ H21C20H22(27)	11	3
1335	$\nu$ C16N15(15)+ $\nu$ N18C13(15)+ $\nu$ C13C14(11)+ $\nu$ C14C15(10)	37	4
1324	$\nu$ C19C28(17)+ $\nu$ C26C27(17)+ $\beta$ H31C26H27(17)	17	1
1243	opC6H7N5H9(10)	8	1
1240	$\nu$ N16C15(73)+ $\nu$ N18C13(10)	7	0
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1147	$\nu$ O12C10(40)+ $\nu$ O12C13(10)+ $\nu$ N5C1(52)+ $\beta$ H24C14H13(37)	17	0
1144	$\beta$ H7C6H8(10)+opC1H4N5H2(33)+ $\tau$ H8C6N5C1(31)	19	1
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1027	$\nu$ C19C28(24)+ $\nu$ C26C27(24)+ $\beta$ H29C28C27(11)+ $\beta$ H30H27C26(11)	5	1
1013	$\nu$ O12C10(22)+ $\nu$ O12C13(22)+ $\nu$ N5C1(12)+ $\nu$ N5C6(12)	6	1
990	$\nu$ C14C15(10)+ $\beta$ C14C13N18(10)+opC20H2C15H22(41)	1	0
964	$\nu$ N16C15(10)+ $\nu$ N18C13(10)+ $\beta$ C14C13N18(15)+opC20H2C15H22(13)	0	2
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816	$\beta$ C17C19N28(34)+opC14C13C15H24(15)	4	0
799	$\nu$ N5C1(10)+ $\nu$ N5C6(10)+opC14C13C15H24(35)	2	0
770	$\tau$ C15N6C17CN18(58)+ $\tau$ C15C4C13N18(18)	2	1
723	$\nu$ S25C19(41)+ $\beta$ C17C19C28(42)	1	1
715	opO11N5O12C10(69)	1	1
694	$\tau$ H29C28C27C26(86)	6	1
672	$\tau$ C15C4C13N18(18)+opO11N5O12C10(19)+ $\tau$ C17N18C13O12(12)	2	0
635	$\beta$ N5C10O12(12)+ $\beta$ C19S25C26(31)	1	2
629	$\beta$ N16C17N18(12)+ $\beta$ C19S25C26(29)	1	1
599	$\beta$ N5C10O11(24)+ $\tau$ C15N16C17N16(10)	1	0
569	$\tau$ C19C28C27C26(11)+ $\tau$ C15N16C17N16(30)	0	0
551	$\tau$ C19C28C27C26(71)	0	0
534	$\nu$ C15C20(15)+ $\beta$ C13N18C17(42)	1	0
508	$\beta$ C13N18C17(11)+ $\beta$ N5C10O12(12)+ $\beta$ C14C13O12(19)+ $\beta$ C10O12O13(19)+ $\beta$ C14C15C20(11)	0	0

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457	$\tau\text{C19S25C26C27}(80)$	0	0
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368	$\beta\text{C6N5C10}(43)$	2	0
342	$\nu\text{C17C19}(13)+\beta\text{N16C17N18}(12)+\beta\text{C14C15C20}(14)+\beta\text{C6N5C10}(11)$	0	0
329	$\beta\text{C19C17N16}(10)+\beta\text{C17C19C28}(42)+\beta\text{C14C13O12}(19)+\beta\text{C10O12O13}(19)+\beta\text{C6N5C10}(16)$	0	0
272	$\nu\text{C17C19}(14)$	0	0
248	$\tau\text{C17N6C17CN18}(58)+\tau\text{C15N16C17N16}(11)$	0	0
231	$\tau\text{C17C19S25C26}(19)+\tau\text{C17C19S25C26}(14)+\tau\text{C15C4C13N18}(14)+\tau\text{C15N16C17C19}(12)$	0	0
221	$\text{opC6C1C10N5}(63)$	0	0
214	$\beta\text{N5C10O12}(12)+\beta\text{C14C15C20}(14)+\text{opC6C1C10N5}(11)$	0	0
178	$\tau\text{C13C4C15C20}(48)$	0	0
143	$\tau\text{H4C1N5C6}(43)+\tau\text{C1N5C10O12}(18)$	0	0
127	$\tau\text{H4C1N5C6}(37)$	0	0
96	$\beta\text{C17C17N16}(13)+\tau\text{C17C19S25C26}(22)+\tau\text{C15N16C17C19}(31)$	0	0
94	$\tau\text{C1N5C10O12}(41)+\text{opC6C1C10N5}(10)$	0	0
70	$\tau\text{H4C1N5C10}(70)$	0	0
65	$\tau\text{C20H21C5N16}(47)$	0	0
58	$\tau\text{C20H21C5N16}(43)$	0	0
47	$\tau\text{C17N18C13O12}(17)$	0	0
30	$\tau\text{C13O12C10N5}(40)+\tau\text{C1N5C10O12}(11)$	0	0
21	$\tau\text{C13O12C10N5}(50)$	0	0

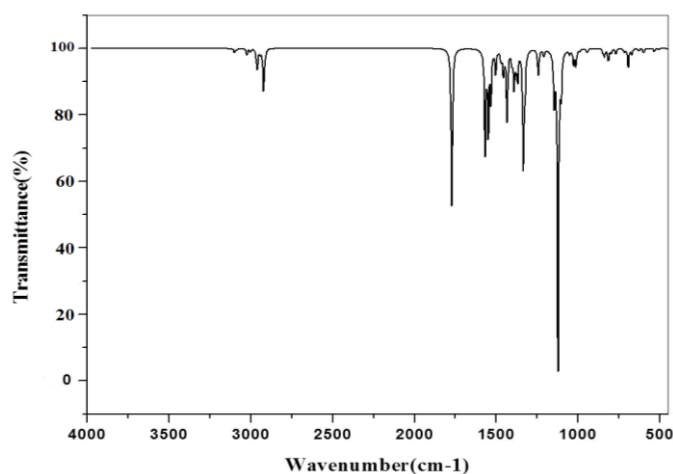


Fig. 5: Theoretical IR spectrum of MTPD

### 3.6.1. Pyrimidine ring vibration

Spectral region around  $3100\text{--}3000\text{ cm}^{-1}$  [9] is the characteristic region of C-H vibrations in the heteroatomic structure. However, in tri-substituted

pyrimidine with only one free ring hydrogen atom and the band is very weak which is observed at  $3115\text{ cm}^{-1}$ .

Due to C-C and C-N stretching vibrations, strong absorption in pyrimidine was observed at  $1600\text{--}1500\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . The fundamental bands due to the coupled C-C and C-N stretching vibrations of pyrimidine ring moiety in MTPD have been observed at  $1568\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . Another significant mode to discuss is the ring breathing mode, a distinctive mode for cyclic molecules that is recognized as a powerful band at  $964\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . In this regard, this assignment is consistent with different derivatives of pyrimidine. [10–14]. Usually an in plane deformation vibration is at higher than the out of plane vibration. In the present study, the bands observed at  $620\text{ cm}^{-1}$  is attributed to ring in-plane bending modes. The ring out-of-plane bending mode is established at  $508\text{ cm}^{-1}$ .

### 3.6.2. Thiophene ring vibration

The CH stretching vibrations are expected to appear in the region  $3100\text{--}3000\text{ cm}^{-1}$ , with multiple weak bands.



The nature of substituents does not have much effect on the bands in this region [15, 16]. CH stretching vibrations of the molecule is observed at  $3099\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . The CH in-plane bendings vibrations appear as sharp but weak to medium bands in the region  $1100\text{--}1500\text{ cm}^{-1}$  region. The in plane bending mode is observed at  $1027\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . These bands are not sensitive to the nature of substituents. The out of plane bending vibrations occur in the wavenumber range  $800\text{--}1000\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . In TMPD, the out of plane bending mode is observed at  $816\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . It is difficult to distinguish the C-S bands in thiophene. This can be clarified by the shorter bond duration and greater polarity of the thiophene C-S bond. [17]. The C-S stretching mode is predicted to occur at  $691, 707\text{ cm}^{-1}$  and is observed at  $743$  and  $771\text{ cm}^{-1}$  [18].

### 3.6.3. C=O vibrations

The stretching vibrations of  $\text{C}=\text{O}$  are generally found in the region  $1850\text{--}1600\text{ cm}^{-1}$  region [19, 20]. In TMPD, the  $\text{C}=\text{O}$  vibrations is observed as very strong band at  $1770\text{ cm}^{-1}$ .

### 3.6.4. Methyl group vibration

For the assignment of  $\text{CH}_3$  group frequencies, basically nine fundamentals can be associated to  $\text{CH}_3$  group, namely symmetric stretch; asymmetric stretch, in-plane bending, symmetric bending, in-plane rocking, out-of-plane rocking and twisting hydrogen bending modes. In addition to that, out-of-plane stretch, and, out-of-plane bending, modes of the  $\text{CH}_3$  group would be expected. The asymmetric stretching wave number is assigned at  $3024, 3001\text{ cm}^{-1}$  and symmetric stretching established at  $2942\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . We have observed the symmetrical methyl deformation mode at  $1369\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . The methyl in-plane-bending and out-of-plane bending deformation modes are observed at  $1446$  and  $1380\text{ cm}^{-1}$  respectively. The in-plane and out-of-plane rocking modes of TMPD observed at  $1032$  and  $1099\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . The calculated frequency  $65\text{ cm}^{-1}$  is attributed to methyl twisting mode.

### 3.6.5. (N-CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub> vibration

The  $\text{CH}_3$  groups next to the nitrogen atom in amines are somewhat shifted. The symmetric stretch at  $2830\text{--}2770\text{ cm}^{-1}$  is lowered in wave number and intensified and stands out among other aliphatic bonds. Due to the possibility of  $\text{C-H}\dots\text{O}$  hydrogen bonding ( $\text{C}_1\text{-H}_4\dots\text{O}_{12}$  and  $\text{C}_6\text{-H}_8\dots\text{O}_{11}$ ) there is a blue shift affected in the region  $2915\text{--}2966\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . C-N vibrations usually absorb in the region  $1350\text{--}1160\text{ cm}^{-1}$  [21]. In TMPD these vibrations are observed at  $1354\text{ cm}^{-1}, 1153\text{ cm}^{-1}$  in FTIR

and the corresponding calculated values observed at  $1169, 1147\text{ cm}^{-1}$  PED percentages of about 70%, 40%.

### 3.7. HOMO LUMO Analysis

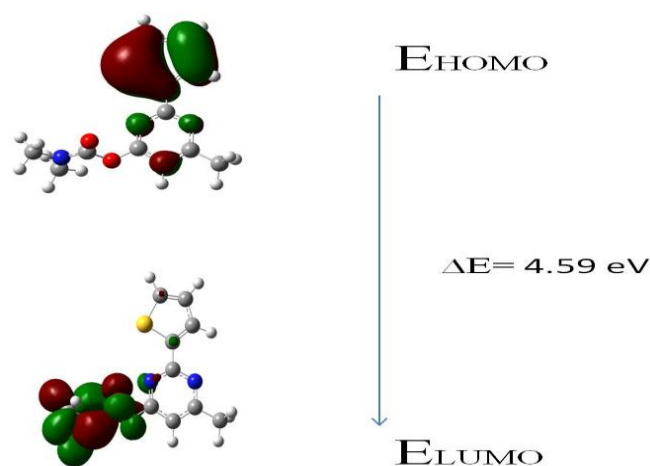
Highest Molecular orbital and Lower Molecular Orbital are very important parameter in quantum chemistry and these orbitals are known as FMO. HOMO can be considered as the outermost orbital which contains electrons representing the ability to donate electron while LUMO can considered the innermost orbital containing few places representing the ability to accept the electrons. The lower value of HOMO-LUMO value indicates both the intra molecular charge transfer within the molecule and lower chemical reactivity. The lower energy gap ( $\Delta E = E_{\text{LUMO}} - E_{\text{HOMO}}$ ) explains eventual charge transfer within the molecule.

From the energy gap value it is observed that MTPD has lower band energy. It explains an eventual charge transfer interaction within the molecule and high chemical reactivity. The small value of H-L gap gives more number of charge transitions to occur between the thiophene ring to carbamate group through pyrimidine ring that can be effectively used for insecticidal activity [22]. According to calculation, the energy band ( $\Delta E$ ) of the molecule to the first excited state is

HOMO energy:  $-5.96\text{ eV}$

LUMO energy:  $-1.37\text{ eV}$

HOMO-LUMO energy gap:  $4.59\text{ eV}$



**Fig. 6: HOMO and LUMO plot of MTPD**

The HOMO LUMO energy gap explains the eventual charge transfer interaction taking place within the molecule. The frontier orbital (HOMO, LUMO) of MTPD is plotted in Fig.6.



By using HOMO and LUMO energy values for a molecule, electronegativity and chemical hardness can be calculated as follows:

Global reactivity descriptors are calculated using the energies of frontier molecular orbitals  $E_{LUMO}$  as  $\chi = 1/2(E_{HOMO}+E_{LUMO})$ ,  $\mu = -1/2 (E_{HOMO}+E_{LUMO})$ ,  $\eta = 1/2(E_{HOMO} -E_{LUMO})$ ,  $S=1/2\eta$  and  $\omega = \mu^2 /2\eta$ . The energies of frontier molecular orbitals ( $E_{LUMO}$ ,  $E_{HOMO}$ ) and global reactivity descriptors are listed in table 4. Energy gap of title molecule is calculated 4.590eV. A molecule with a small frontier orbital gap is generally associated with a high chemical reactivity and low kinetic stability. Larger the HOMO-LUMO energy gap, harder the molecule. Higher the value of the electrophilicity index better is the electrophilic character. The Zero point vibrational Energy, Dipole moment (D) and SCF Energy are calculated as 629.27kJ/mol, 2.822 and - 1178.018 respectively.

**Table 4: Global reactivity descriptors**

Global reactivity descriptors	MTPD
Ionization potential (I)	5.960
Electron affinity (A)	1.370
Electro-negativity ( $\chi$ )	3.665
Chemical potential ( $\mu$ )	-3.665
Global hardness( $\eta$ )	2.295
Global softness (S)	0.218
Electrophilicity index ( $\omega$ )	2.926

### 3.8. Local reactivity descriptors

The Fukui function is a descriptor of local reactivity that shows the preferred regions where a chemical species will change its density when the number of electrons is modified. The Fukui function is a local reactivity descriptor that indicates the preferred areas where a chemical species changes its density when the number of electrons changes. The condensed or atomic Fukui functions on the  $j^{\text{th}}$  atom site are given as per the following equations for an electrophilic  $f_j^-(r)$ , nucleophilic and free radical attack  $f_j^+(r)$ , on the reference molecule, respectively listed in table ( ).

$$f_j^- = q_j(N) - q_j(N-1)$$

$$f_j^+ = q_j(N+1) - q_j(N)$$

$$f_j^0 = 1/2 [q_j(N+1) - q_j(N-1)]$$

Morell et al. [23] proposed a dual descriptor ( $\Delta f(r)$ ), defined as the difference between the nucleophilic and electrophilic Fukui function and is given by:

$$\Delta f(r) = [f^+(r) - f^-(r)]$$

If  $\Delta f(r) > 0$ , the site is favoured for a nucleophilic attack. If  $\Delta f(r) < 0$ , the site may be favoured for an electrophilic attack. Dual descriptors  $\Delta f(r)$  gives a clear difference between nucleophilic and electrophilic attack at a particular region with their sign. It gives positive value for site where nucleophilic attack is possible and a negative value where electrophilic attack is possible.

**Table 5: Condensed Fukui function of FC molecule by UCA-FUKUI**

Atoms	$f^-$	$f^+$	$f^0$	dual descriptor $\Delta f$
C1	-0.0108	-0.0046	0.0077	-0.006
H2	0.0234	0.0117	0.0175	-0.012
H3	0.0265	0.0167	0.0216	-0.0099
H4	0.0023	-0.0075	0.0026	0.0050
N5	0.0717	0.0104	0.041	-0.061
C6	-0.0105	-0.0047	0.0076	-0.006
H7	0.0217	0.0100	0.0158	-0.012
H8	0.0077	0.0027	0.0052	-0.005
H9	0.0264	0.0159	0.0211	-0.010
C10	-0.0099	-0.0073	0.0086	-0.003
O11	0.0453	0.0059	0.0256	-0.039
O12	0.0198	0.0119	0.0159	-0.008
C13	0.0048	0.0272	0.0160	0.0220
C14	0.1101	0.1235	0.1168	0.014
C15	0.0117	0.0337	0.0227	0.022
N16	0.0547	0.0382	0.0464	-0.017
C17	-0.017	0.1162	0.0496	0.099
N18	0.032	0.0446	0.0383	0.013
C19	0.121	0.0024	0.0617	-0.119
C20	-0.0126	-0.015	0.0138	0.002
H21	0.0196	0.0225	0.021	0.003
H22	0.0196	0.0229	0.0213	0.003
H23	0.0179	0.023	0.0205	0.005
C24	0.0264	0.0389	0.0327	0.013
S25	0.0667	0.1373	0.1020	0.0710
C26	0.1367	0.0981	0.1174	-0.039
C27	0.0433	0.0106	0.0270	-0.033
C28	0.0535	0.1065	0.0800	0.0530
H29	0.0293	0.0297	0.0295	0.0004
H30	0.0364	0.0383	0.0373	0.0020
H31	0.0325	0.0404	0.0365	0.0080

From the values reported in table 5 the nucleophilic attacking sites for the title compound are H<sub>4</sub>, C<sub>13</sub>, C<sub>14</sub>,

C<sub>15</sub>, N<sub>18</sub>, C<sub>20</sub>, H<sub>21</sub>, H<sub>22</sub>, H<sub>23</sub>, C<sub>24</sub>, S<sub>25</sub>, C<sub>28</sub>, H<sub>29</sub>, H<sub>30</sub>, H<sub>31</sub> (positive value i.e.  $\Delta f(r) > 0$ ) and the electrophilic attacking sites are C<sub>1</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>, H<sub>3</sub>, N<sub>5</sub>, C<sub>6</sub>, H<sub>7</sub>, H<sub>8</sub>, H<sub>9</sub>, C<sub>10</sub>, O<sub>11</sub>, O<sub>12</sub>, N<sub>16</sub>, C<sub>19</sub>, C<sub>26</sub>, C<sub>27</sub> (negative value i.e.  $\Delta f(r) < 0$ ).

### 3.9. Molecular docking

The Docking study of MTPD was performed with two different proteins. Docking is performed for the different receptors (PDB ID-1J16, 1DLC) and shown in table 6; autodock binding energies, binding residues and bond energy were obtained. Among them the inhibition of MTPD with 1DLC target protein has the lowest free energy -6.20 kcal/mol. Thus this possesses the highest potential binding affinity into the binding site of the

molecule. Out of hundred docking runs converged on a top-ranked cluster (1DLC) as shown in Fig. 7, the best docked conformations are those found to have the lowest binding energy and the greatest number of members in the cluster, indicating good convergence. Carbamate group present in the active site of the target ASN 618 is attached to MTPD by C-H...O hydrogen bonding indicated by dashed lines. From the above observations it is identified that the binding of protein 1DLC with MTPD is more effective and shows more insecticidal activity. The lowest value of hydrogen bonding interaction leads to the insecticidal activity of the compound (1.98 Å).

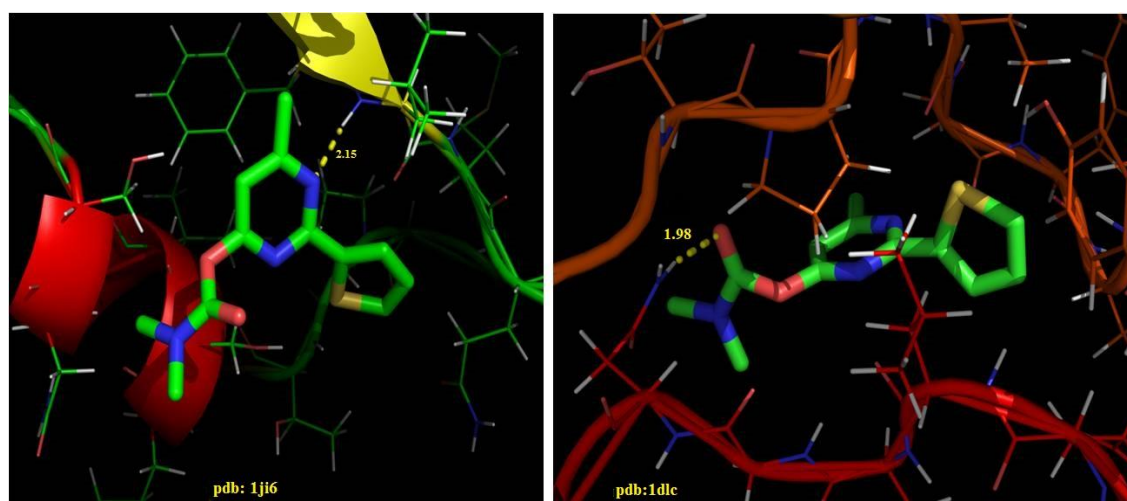


Fig. 7: Autodocked target proteins for MTPD

Table 6: Molecular docking results of MTPD with different protein targets

Protein (PDB:ID)	Binding Residue	Bond energy	H-Bond distance	Incubation constant ( $\mu\text{m}$ )	Binding affinity (kcal/mol)
1J16	LEU 483	-5.29	2.15	321.69	-4.4
1DLC	ASN 618	-7.09	1.98	26.68	-6.2

### 4. CONCLUSION

In the present work, the optimized geometric parameters (bond lengths, bond angles and dihedral angles) were theoretically determined. The increase in wavenumber from the expected value leads to the blue shift and exhibits the possibility of intramolecular hydrogen bonding. Molecular electrostatic potential shows the carbonyl group having negative potential or donor nature. This gives the evidence for the possibility of C-H...O hydrogen bonding.

Fukui function analysis reveals that C<sub>13</sub> in the pyrimidine ring shows high nucleophilic character. The lowering of HOMO-LUMO band gap supports insecticidal activity of title compound. The lowest binding energy of protein 1DLC with MTPD is more effective and shows more insecticidal activity. Thus from above studies, it can be concluded that MTPD is a good insecticidal agent and further work can be responsible for biological activity.

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