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(54)Title: BISTHIADIAZOLE DERIVATIVES AND SALTS THEREOF, DISEASE CONTROLLING AGENTS FOR AGRICULTURAL AND HORTICULTURAL USE, AND METHOD FOR THE USE THEREOF

ビスーチアジアゾール誘導体又はその塩類及び農園芸用病害防除剤並びにその使用方法 (54)発明の名称

(I)

(57) Abstract

Bisthiadiazole derivatives of general formula (I) and salts thereof, and disease controlling agents containing the derivatives or the salts as the active ingredients, wherein R^1 and R^2 are each H, C_1 - C_8 alkyl, C_1 - C_4 haloalkyl, substituted or unsubstituted phenyl, a 5- or 6-membered heterocyclic group containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from among O, S and N, or the like; X^1 and X^2 are each O or S; Y^1 and Y² are each O, S or -N(R³)-; and R is C_0 - C_{30} alkylene, -(C)_a(R³)(R⁴)- (wherein R³ and R⁴ are each H, halogeno, OH, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, C_1 - C_4 haloalkyl or the like; and a is 0 to 30), or the like.

ABSTRACT

A bis-thiadiazole derivative represented by general formula (I):

wherein R^1 and R^2 represent H, C_1 - C_8 alkyl, halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl, unsubstituted or substituted phenyl, 5- or 6-membered heterocycle containing 1 to 3 hetero atoms selected from O, S and N, or the like; X^1 and X^2 represent O or S; Y^1 and Y^2 represent O, S or -N(R^3)-; R represents C_0 - C_{30} alkylene, -(C)_a(R^3)(R^4)- (R^3 and R^4 represent H, halogen, OH, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl or the like; and a is 0 to 30; or a salt thereof, and an agrohorticultural disease controller containing said derivative or salt as an active ingredient.

DESCRIPTION

BIS-THIADIAZOLE DERIVATIVES OR SALTS THEREOF AND AGROHORTICULTURAL DISEASE CONTROLLER AND METHOD FOR USING THE SAME

TECHNIACL FIELD

The present invention relates to bisthiadiazole derivatives or salts thereof and an agrohorticultural disease controller containing said compounds as an active ingredient.

BACKGROUND ART

1,2,3-Thiadiazoles derivatives are disclosed in JP-A-2-149579/1990 as an agent for treating central nervous system diseases, in JP-A-54-9272/1979, JP-A-3-181463/1991, JA-A-4-234881/1992, Canadian Patent 947297, etc. as a herbicide and a plant growth regulator, and in WO 9501340 and JP-A-7-252242/1995 as a fungicide.

DISCLOSURE OF THE INVENTION

With the aim of creating a novel
agrohorticultural disease controller, the present
inventors have conducted extensive studies to find that
the bis-thiadiazole derivatives of the present invention
or salts thereof are useful as an agrohorticultural
disease controller. Based on this finding, the present

invention has been accomplished.

The present invention relates to bis-thiazole derivatives represented by the following general formula

(I) or salts thereof, and an agrohorticultural disease

5 controller containing said bis-thiadiazole derivative or a salt thereof as an active ingredient, and a method for using said disease controller:

wherein R¹ and R², same or different, represent hydrogen atom, C_1 - C_8 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, phenyl 10 group, substituted phenyl group having 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C₁-C₄ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₄ alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_4 15 alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₄ alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups, 5- or 6-membered hererocycle containing 1 to 3 same or different hetero 20 atoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen atom, sulfur atom and nitrogen atom, or substituted 5- or 6membered heterocycle containing 1 to 3 same or different hetero atoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen atom, sulfur atom and nitrogen atom and having 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups;

10 X^1 and X^2 , same or different, represent oxygen atom or sulfur atom;

 Y^1 and Y^2 , same or different, represent oxygen atom, sulfur atom or

-N(\mathbb{R}^3)- in which \mathbb{R}^3 is as defined later; and R represents C_0 - C_{30} alkylene group, an alkylene group of the following formula:

in which R³ and R⁴, same or different, represent hydrogen atom, halogen atom, hydroxyl group, nitro group, cyano group, C₁-C₄ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₄ alkyl group, C₁-C₄ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₄ alkoxy group, C₁-C₄ alkylthio group, C₁-C₄ alkylsulfinyl group, C₁-C₄ alkylsulfonyl group, hydroxy C₁-C₄ alkyl group, C₁-C₄ alkoxy C₁-C₄ alkyl group, C₁-C₄ alkoxy C₁-C₄ alkyl group, C₁-C₄ alkoxy C₁-C₄ alkyl group, amino group,

substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C1-C4 alkyl group, phenyl group and substituted phenyl groups having 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C1-C4 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1-C_4 alkoxy group, C_1-C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1-C_4 alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected 10 from the group consisting of C₁-C₄ alkyl and phenyl groups, amino C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, substituted amino C_1 - C_4 alkyl group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from C₁-C₄ alkyl group and substituted phenyl groups 15 having 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C1-C4 alkyl group, halo C_1-C_4 alkyl group, C_1-C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1-C_4 alkoxy group, C₁-C₄ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₄ alkylthio group, 20 amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl 25 group, mercapto group, C1-C4 alkyl group, halo C1-C4 alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, amino group

and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups, phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, substituted phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group having, on the ring thereof, 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C1-C4 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group 10 having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C1-C4 alkyl and phenyl groups, phenoxy group, substituted phenoxy group having, on the ring thereof, 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of 15 halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, C_1-C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1-C_4 alkoxy group, C_1-C_4 alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₄ alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or 20 different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups, phenoxy C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, substituted phenoxy C_1 - C_4 alkyl group having, on the ring thereof, 1 to 5 same or different substituents 25 selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C1-C4 alkyl group, halo C_1-C_4 alkyl group, C_1-C_4 alkoxy group,

halo C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_4

alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups, 5- or 6-membered heterocycle containing 1 to 3 same or different hetero atoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen atom, sulfur atom and nitrogen atom, substituted 5- or 6-membered heterocycle containing 1 to 3 same or different hetero atoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen atom, sulfur atom and nitrogen atom 10 and having 1 to 4 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C₁-C₄ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₄ alkyl group, C₁-C₄ alkoxy group, halo C_1-C_4 alkoxy group, C_1-C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1-C_4 alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group 15 having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups, 5- or 6-membered heterocycle C1-C4 alkyl group containing 1 to 3 same or different hetero atoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen atom, sulfur atom and 20 nitrogen atom, substituted 5- or 6-membered hetero cycle C_1 - C_4 alkyl group containing 1 to 3 same or different hetero atoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen atom, sulfur atom and nitrogen atom and having 1 to 4 same or different substituents selected from the group 25 consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C1-C4 alkyl group, halo

 C_1-C_4 alkyl group, C_1-C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1-C_4 alkoxy

group, C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups, or a group of

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$$(R^6) m- (Y^3) p-C-R^7$$

(wherein R^6 represents C_1 - C_6 alkylene group, substituted C_1 - C_6 alkylene group substituted by one or more same or different halogen atoms or C_1 - C_4 alkyl groups, or C_1 - C_6 alkylene group which may be intercepted by

10 -0-,

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-S(O)_n-

in which n is an integer of 0-2, or

 $-N(R^8)$

in which R⁸ represents hydrogen atom, halogen atom, C₁-C₄
alkyl group, halo C₁-C₄ alkyl group, C₁-C₄ alkoxycarbonyl
group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having 1 to
5 same or different substituents selected from the group
consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group,
hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C₁-C₄ alkyl group, halo
20 C₁-C₄ alkyl group, C₁-C₄ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₄ alkoxy
group, C₁-C₄ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₄ alkylthio group,
amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2
same or different substituents selected from the group
consisting of C₁-C₄ alkyl and phenyl groups, phenyl C₁-C₄

alkyl group, substituted phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group having 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups, or

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$$(R^{+})$$
 q - (Y^{+}) r - $C - R^{+}$ 2

(wherein R^{11} represents C_1 - C_6 alkylene group or substituted C_1 - C_6 alkylene group having one or more substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom and C_1 - C_4 alkyl group;

R¹² represents hydrogen atom, C₁-C₈ alkyl group,
15 halo C₁-C₄ alkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl
group having 1 to 5 same or different substituents
selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro
group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C₁-C₄
alkyl group, halo C₁-C₄ alkyl group, C₁-C₄ alkoxy group,

20 halo C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups, 5- or 6-membered heterocycle containing 1 to 3

same or different hetero atoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen atom, sulfur atom and nitrogen atom, or substituted 5- or 6-membered heterocycle containing 1 to 3 same or different hetero atoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen atom, sulfur atom and nitrogen atom and having 1 to 4 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C₁-C₄ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₄ alkyl group, C₁-C₄ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₄ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₄ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₄ alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C₁-C₄ alkyl and phenyl

15 Y⁴ represents

groups;

-0-,

-S- or

 $-N(R^{13})$ - in which R^{13} represents hydrogen atom or $C_1\text{-}C_4$ alkyl group;

20 X4 represents oxygen atom or sulfur atom; q represents an integer of 0 to 1; and r represents an integer of 0 to 1);

 R^7 represents hydrogen atom, C_1 - C_8 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_8 alkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group,

halo C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups, phenyl C₁-C₄ alkyl group, substituted phenyl C₁-C₄ alkyl group having, on the ring thereof, 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C₁-C₄ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₄ alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_4 10 alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₄ alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups, 5- or 6-membered heterocycle containing 1 to 3 same or different hetero 15 atoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen atom, sulfur atom and nitrogen atom, or substituted 5- or 6membered heterocycle containing 1 to 3 same or different hetero atoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen atom, sulfur atom and nitrogen atom and having, on the 20 ring thereof, 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C1-C4 alkyl group, halo C_1-C_4 alkyl group, C_1-C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_4 25 alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected

from the group consisting of C_1-C_4 alkyl and phenyl

groups;

Y³ represents

-0-,

-S- or

-N(R⁸) - in which R⁸ is as defined above;

X³ represents oxygen atom or sulfur atom;

m represents an integer of 0 to 5; and

p represents an integer of 0 or 1); and

letter a represents an integer of 0 to 30;

10 further, R^3 and R^4 may be taken conjointly to form a 3-to 8-membered ring including a C_0 - C_7 alkylene group, and said 3- to 8-membered ring may be intercepted by

-0-,

 $-S(O)_n$ - in which n represents an integer of

15 0-2,

 $-N(R^8)$ - in which R^8 is as defined above, or $-C(R^9)(R^{10})$ - in which R^9 and R^{10} , same or different, represent halogen atom, C_1 - C_4 alkyl group or a group of the following formula:

$$-(R^{11}) q - (Y^{1}) r - C - R^{12}$$

20 in which R^{11} , R^{12} , X^4 , Y^4 , q and r are as defined above; and R^9 and R^{10} may be taken conjointly to form a 3- to 7-membered ring including a C_2 - C_6 alkylene group; and

R alternatively represents C₀-C₃₀ alkylene group



which may be intercepted by one or more same or different group selected from the group consisting of

-0-,

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 $-S(0)_n$ in which n is as defined above,

 $-N(R^3)$ - in which R^3 is as defined above,

 $-C(R^3)=C(R^4)$ - in which R^3 and R^4 are as defined above,

-C≡C-,



(Z represents halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group,

hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C₁-C₄ alkyl group, halo

C₁-C₄ alkyl group, C₁-C₄ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₄ alkoxy

group, C₁-C₄ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₄ alkylthio group,

amino group, substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same

or different substituents selected from the group

consisting of C₁-C₄ alkyl and phenyl groups, or a group

of the following formula:

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$$(R^6)$$
 m- (Y^3) p-C-R⁷

in which R^6 , R^7 , Y^3 , X^3 , m and p are as defined above) and





(Z is as defined above);
5 provided that:

(1) when R^1 is the same as defined above, each of X^1 and X^2 is oxygen atom, Y^1 is oxygen atom or sulfur atom, Y^2 is $-NR^3$ - (wherein R^3 is the same as defined

above), and R is $C_1 \cdot C_6$ alkylene group or $-(C)_a - (wherein)_{R^4}$

 R^3 and R^4 , same or different, represent $C_1 \cdot C_6$ alkyl group or phenyl group, and \underline{a} is the same as defined above), then R^2 is not hydrogen atom, halogen atom or $C_1 \cdot C_6$ alkyl group;

(2) when R^1 is the same as defined above, each of X^1 and X^2 is oxygen atom, Y^1 is oxygen atom or sulfur atom, Y^2 is oxygen atom, and R is $C_1 \cdot C_{12}$ alkylene group

$$R^3$$
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or $-(C)_a$ - (wherein each of R^3 and R^4 is hydroxyl group,
 R^4

and \underline{a} is the same as defined above), then R^2 is not hydrogen atom, halogen atom or $C_1 \cdot C_6$ alkyl group;

(3) when R^1 is the same as defined above, each of X^1 and X^2 is oxygen atom, Y^1 is $-NR^3$ (wherein R^3 is the same as defined above), Y^2 is oxygen atom or -NH-, and R is



above), then R^2 is not hydrogen atom, halogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group or C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group; and

(4) when R^1 is the same as defined above, each of X^1 and X^2 is oxygen atom, Y^1 is- NR^3 -(wherein R^3 is the same as defined above), Y^2 is -NH-, and R is C_1 - C_{12} alkylene group, then R^2 is not hydrogen atom, halogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group or C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group.

BEST MODE FOR CARRYING OUT THE INVENTION

In the definitions of the substituents in the bis-thiadiazole derivatives of the present invention represented by general formula (I), the term "halogen atom" means chlorine atom, bromine atom, iodine atom or fluorine atom; the term C_1-C_8 alkyl group means a straight or branched chain alkyl group having 1 to 8 carbon atoms such as methyl, ethyl, n-propyl, i-propyl, n-butyl, i-butyl, s-butyl, t-butyl, n-pentyl, n-hexyl, nheptyl, n-octyl and the like; the term "halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl group" means an same or different straight or branched chain alkyl group substituted by at least one halogen atom; and the term "5- or 6-membered heterocycle containing 1 to 3 same or different hetero atoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen atom, nitrogen atom and sulfur atom" means a 5- or 6-membered heterocycle such as furan, thiophene, pyrrole, oxazole, thiazole, isothiazole, pyrazole, imidazole, 1,2,3-thiadiazole,

1,2,4-thiadiazole, 1,2,5-thiadiazole, 1,3,4-thiadiazole,

1,2,4-triazole, pyridine, pyridazine, pyrimidine, pyrazine, pyrrolidine, piperidine, morpholine, thiomorpholine, dithiolane, dithiane, piperazine, dioxalane, imidazolidine and the like.



As examples of the salt of the bis-thiadiazole derivative represented by general formula (I), there can be referred to salts of alkali metals such as sodium, potassium and the like, salts of alkaline earth metals such as calcium, magnesium and the like, ammonium salts, substituted ammonium salts substituted by one or more same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C₁-C₁₂ alkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group, benzyl group and substituted benzyl group, guanidium salt and the like.

As preferred substituents in the general formula (I) of the present invention, the following can be referred to. Thus, as R¹ and R² which may be same or different, methyl group, ethyl group, i-propyl group, cyclopropyl group and the like are preferred. As X¹ and X², oxygen atom is preferred. As Y¹ and Y², oxygen atom and -NH- are preferred. As R, preferred are phenylene group, alkylene group having 2-6 carbon atoms, -(CH₂CH₂O)₁₋₃- and a group of the following formula:

The bis-thiadiazole derivatives of the present invention represented by formula (I) or salts thereof can be produced, for example, by the following production

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processes.

Production process 1

wherein R, R^1 , R^2 , Y^1 and Y^2 are as defined above and Hal represents halogen atom.

A bis-thiadiazole derivative represented by general formula (I) can be produced by reacting a compound represented by general formula (II) with a compound represented by general formula (IV) in the absence or presence of a base, in the absence or presence of an inert solvent.

This reaction can be performed according to the method described in "Shin Jikken Kagaku Koza", Vol. 15 (II), p.1012 (Maruzen K.K.) and ibid. p.1142.

Production process 2 (a case where Y^1 and Y^2 are oxygen atoms)



wherein R, R^1 , R^2 and Hal are as defined above.

A bis-thiadiazole derivative represented by general formula (I-I) can be produced by reacting a compound represented by general formula (III) with a compound represented by general formula (V) in the presence or absence of a base, in the presence or absence of an inert solvent.

This reaction can be performed according to the description of "Shin Jikken Kagaku Koza", Vol. 15 (II),

10 p. 1008.

Production process 3



wherein R, R^1 , R^2 , Y^1 , Y^2 and Hal are as defined above.

A bis-thiadiazole derivative represented by general formula (I) can be produced by reacting a compound represented by general formula (II) with a 5 compound represented by general formula (IV) in the presence or absence of a base, in the presence or absence of an inert solvent to form a thiadiazole derivative represented by general formula (VI), and after isolating the compound (VI) or without isolating (VI), reacting the 10 compound (VI) with a compound represented by general formula (II').

This reaction can be performed according to the known method described in the paragraph of Method 1.

The compounds represented by general formulas

(II) and (III) which are starting compounds in the

Production process 1 and 2 can be produced, for example,
by the known method described below.



wherein R^1 and Hal are as defined above, R' represents C_1 - C_8 alkyl group, and R'' represents C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group or an amino group which may have a substituent.

A compound represented by general formula (II) 5 can be produced by reacting a compound represented by general formula (X) with a compound represented by general formula (IX) to form a compound represented by general formula (VIII) and, after isolating the compound 10 (VIII) or without isolating (VIII), subjecting the compound (VIII) to a ring closure reaction using thionyl chloride to form a compound represented by general formula (VII), and after isolating the compound (VII) or without isolating (VII), hydrolyzing the compound (VII) to form a compound represented by general formula (III), 15 and after isolating the compound (III) or without isolating (III), halogenating the compound (III) with a halogenating agent.

This reaction can be performed according to a 20 known method described in J. Am. Chem. Soc., <u>77</u>, 5359 (1955), etc.

The compound represented by general formula (II') can also be produced by the same method as above.

Next, typical examples of the bis-thiadiazole

25 derivative of the present invention represented by
general formula (I) will be mentioned below. The present
invention is by no means limited by these examples.

In Table 1, meanings of the abbreviations are

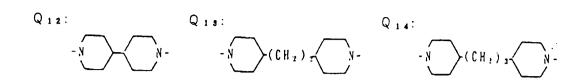


as follows:

Me: methyl group, Et: ethyl group, Pr: propyl group,

Bu: butyl group, Ph: phenyl or phenylene group,





General formula (I)



Table 1

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	No	R¹	χı	Υ¹	R	R²	X²	γ²
	ı	Me	0	0	CH₂	Me	0	0
	2	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	Me	0	0
	3	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₃	Me	0	0
	4	Me	0	0	(CH ₂),	Me	0	0
	5	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₅	Me	0	0
	6	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₆	Me	0	0
	7	Me	0	0	(CH ₂),	Me	0	0
	8	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₈	Ме	0	0
	9	Me	0	0	(CH ₂),	Me	0	0
	10	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₁₀	Me	0	0
	11	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₁₁	Me	0	0
	12	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₁₂	Me	0	0
	13	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₁₃	Me	0	0
	14	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₁₄	Me	0	0
	15	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₁₅	Me	0	0
	16	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₁₆	Me	0	0
	17	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₁₇	Me	0	0
	18	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₁₈	Me	0	0
	19	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₁₉	Me	0	0
	20	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂₀	Me	0	0
	21	Me	0	0	CH2CH(Me)	Ме	0	0
	22	Ме	0	0	CH ₂ CH(CH ₂ F)	Ме	0	0



Table 1 (Continued)

			_				
No	R¹	Χ¹	Υ'	R	R²	Χ²	γ2
23	Me	0	0	CH2CH(CH2C1)	Me	0	0
24	Me	0	0	CH₂CH(CH₂Br)	Me	0	0
25	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(Et)	Me	0	0
26	Me	. 0	0	CH₂CH(n-Pr)	Me	0	0
27	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(i-Pr)	Me	0	0
28	Me	0	0	CH₂CH(n-Bu)	Me	0	0
29	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(i-Bu)	Me	0	0
30	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(t-Bu)	Me	0	0
31	Me	0	0	$CH_2CH(n-C_6H_{13})$	Me	0 -	0
32	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(n-C ₈ H ₁₇)	Me	0	0
33	Me	0	0	$CH_2CH(n-C_{10}H_{21})$	Me	0	0
34	Me	0	0	$CH_2CH(n-C_{12}H_{25})$	Me	0	0
35	Me	. 0	0	CH ₂ CH(Ph)	Me	0	0
36	Me	0	0	CH₂CH(2-C1-Ph)	Me	0	0
37	Me	0	0	CH₂CH(3-Cl-Ph)	Me	0	0
38	Me	0	0	CH2CH(4-C1-Ph)	Me	0	0
39	Me	0	0	CH₂CH(2-Me-Ph)	Me	0	0
40	Me	0	0	CH₂CH(3-Me-Ph)	Me	0	0
41	Me	0	0	CH₂CH(4-Me-Ph)	Me	0	0
42	Me	0	0	CH₂CH(4-i-Pr-Ph)	Me	0	0
43	Me	0	0	CH₂CH(3-i-PrO-Ph)	Me	0	0
44	Me	0	0	CH₂CH(4-Br-Ph)	Me	0	0



Table 1 (Continued)

No	R¹	X ¹	γ'	R	R²	Χ²	γ²
45	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(4-CF ₃ -Ph)	Me	0	0
46	Me	0	0	CH(Me)CH(Me)	Me	0	0
47	Ме	0	0	CH ₂ C(Me) ₂	Me	0	0
48	Me	0	0	CH(Me)C(Me)₂	Me	0	0
49	Me	0	0	C(Me) ₂ C(Me) ₂	Me	0	0
50	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(CH ₂ OMe)	Me	0	0
51	Me	0	0	CH2CH(CH2OPh)	Me	0	0
52	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(CH ₂ O(3-C1-Ph))	Me	0	0
53	Me	0	0	CH₂CH(CH₂O(4-MeO-Ph))	Me	0	0
54	Me	0	0	CH2CH(CH2O-CH2Ph)	Me	0	0
55	Me	0	0	CH₂CH(CH₂O-COMe)	Me	0	0
56	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(CH ₂ O-COBu-t)	Me	0	0
57	Me	0	0	CH₂CH(CH₂O-COPh)	Me	0	0
58	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(CH ₂ O-CO(2-C1-Ph))	Me	0	0
59	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(CH ₂ O-CO(3-C1-Ph))	Ме	0	0
60	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(CH ₂ O-CO(4-C1-Ph))	Ме	0	0
61	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(CH ₂ O-CO(4-CF ₃ -Ph))	Me	0	0
62	Me	0	0	CH2CH(CH2SMe)	Me	0	0
63	Me	0	0	CH2CH(CH2SOMe)	Ме	0	0
·64	Me	0	0	CH₂CH(CH₂SO₂Me)	Me	0	0
65	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(CH ₂ N(Me) ₂)	Me	0	0
66	Ме	0	0	CH ₂ CH(CH ₂ N(Et) ₂)	Me	0	0

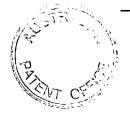


Table 1 (Continued)

No	R¹	Χ¹	Υ¹	R	R²	χ²	γ2
67	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(CH ₂ -Q ₁)	Ме	0	0
68	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(CH ₂ -Q ₂)	Me	0	0
69	Me	0	0	CH₂CH(CH₂NHCOMe)	Me	0	0
70	Me	0	0	CH2CH(CH2NHCOEt)	Me	0	0
71	Me	0	0	CH2CH(CH2NHCOPr-i)	Me	0	0
72	Ме	0	0	CH ₂ CH(CH ₂ NHCOBu-n)	Me	0	0
73	Me	0	0	CH₂CH(CH₂NHCOPh)	Me	0	0
74	Me	0	0	CH2CH(CH2NHCO(2-Cl-Ph)	Me	0	0
75	Me	0	0	CH₂CH(CH₂NHCO(3-C1-Ph)	Me	0	0
76	Me	0	0	CH2CH(CH2NHCO(4-C1-Ph)	Me	0	0
77	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(CN)	Me	0	0
78	Me	0	0	CH(Ph)CH(Ph) (meso)	Me	0	0
79	Me	0	0	CH(Ph)CH(Ph) (+/-)	Me	0	0
80	Ме	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ CH(Me)	Me	0	0
81	Me	0	0	CH₂CH(Me)CH₂	Me	0	0
82	Me	0	0	CH ₂ C(Me) ₂ CH ₂	Me	0	0
83	Me	0	0	CH ₂ C(CH ₂ Br) ₂ CH ₂	Me	0	0
84	Me	0	0	CH(Me)CH₂CH(Me)	Me	0	0
85	Me	0	0	CH(Me)CH ₂ C(Me) ₂	Me	0	0
86	Me	0	0	$C(Me)_2CH_2C(Me)_2$	Me	0	0
87	Me	0	0	CH ₂ C(Me)(Et)CH ₂	Ме	0	C
88	Me	0	0	CH ₂ C(Et) ₂ CH ₂	Me	0	0



Table 1 (Continued)

No	R۱	χ,	Υ¹	R	R²	χ²	Υ²
89	Me	0	0	CH₂C(Me)(n-Pr)CH₂	Me	0	0
90	Me	0	0	CH(i-Pr)C(Me) ₂ CH ₂	Me	0	0
91	Me	0	0	CH(n-Pr)C(Et) ₂ CH ₂	Me	0	0
92	Me	0	0	CH₂C(Et)(n-Bu)CH₂	Me	0	0
93	Me	0	0	$CH_2C(Me)(CH_2O-COQ_3)CH_2$	Me	0	0
94	М́е	0	0	$CH_2C(NO_2)(CH_2O-COQ_3)CH_2$	Ме	0	0
95	Me	0	0	CH ₂ C(Et)(CH ₂ O-COQ ₃)CH ₂	Me	0	0
96	Ме	0	0	CH ₂ C(Et)(CH ₂ O-COQ ₃)CH ₂	Ме	0	0
97	Me	0	0	CH2CH(C1)CH2	Me	0	0
98	Me	0	0	CH2CH(Br)CH2	Me	0	0
99	Me	0	0	CH ₂ C(Br)(NO ₂)CH ₂	Me	0	0
100	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(OH)CH ₂	Me	0	0
101	Me	0	0	CH₂CH(OMe)CH₂	Me	0	0
102	Me	0	0	CH2CH(OCH2Ph)CH2	Me	0	0
103	Me	0	0	CH2CH(O-COMe)CH2	Me	0	0
104	Me	0	0	CH2CH(O-COPh)CH2	Me	0	0
105	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(0-CO(4-C1-Ph))CH ₂	Me	0	0
106	Me	0	0	CH2CH(O-COQ3)CH2	Me	0	0
107	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(O-COOMe)CH ₂	Me	0	0
108	Ме	0	0	CH ₂ CH(NH ₂)CH ₂	Me	0	0
109	Me	0	0	CH2C(Me)(NHCOQ3)CH2	Me	0	0
110	Me	0	0	CH ₂ C(Et)(NHCOQ ₃)CH ₂	Me	0	C



Table 1 (Continued)

No	R¹	χι	γ'	R	R²	Χ²	Υ2
111	Me	0	0	CH ₂ C(CH ₂ COQ ₃)(NHCOQ ₃)CH ₂	Me	0	0
112	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(NHCOMe)CH ₂	Me	0	0
113	Me	0	0	CH2CH(NHCOPh)CH2	Me	0	0
114	Me	0	0	CH2CH(NHCOQ3)CH2	Me	0	0
115	Me	0	0	CH₂CH(SMe)CH₂	Me	0	0
116	Me	0	0	CH ₂ C(COOMe) ₂ CH ₂	Me	0	0
117	Me	0	0	CH ₂ C(COOEt) ₂ CH ₂	Me	0	0
118	Me	0	0	CH ₂ C(COOPr-i) ₂ CH ₂	Me	0	0
119	Me	0	0	CH ₂ C(CN) ₂ CH ₂	Me	0	0
120	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ C(Me) ₂	Me	0	0
121	Me	0	0	CH(Me)CH ₂ C(Me) ₂	Me	0	0
122	Me	0	0	CH(Me)CH2CH2C(Me)2	Me	0	0
123	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(C1)CH(C1)CH ₂	Me	0	0
124	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(Br)CH(Br)CH ₂	Me	0	0
125	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ CH(OH)CH ₂	Ме	0	0
126	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ CH(O-COQ ₃)CH ₂	Me	0	0
127	Me	0	0	$CH_2CH(O-COQ_3)CH(O-COQ_3)CH_2$	Me	0	0
128	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(COOMe)CH(COOMe)CH ₂	Me	0	0
129	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(COOEt)CH(COOEt)CH ₂	Me	0	0
130	Ме	0	0	CH₂CH₂CH2CH(Me)	Me	0	0
131	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH(Me)	Me	0	0
132	Ме	0	0	$(CH_2)_3C(NO_2)((CH_2)_3O-COQ_3)(CH_2)_3$	Me	0	0



Table 1 (Continued)

No	R¹	χı	Υ¹	R	R²	X ²	Υ²
133	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH=CHCH ₂ (E)	Me	0	0
134	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH=CHCH ₂ (2)	Me	0	0
135	Me	0	0	$CH_2C(Me)=C(Me)CH_2$ (E)	Me	0	0
136	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH=C(Me)CH ₂ (E)	Me	0	0
137	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH=C(Me)CH ₂ (Z)	Me	0	0
138	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH=C(C1)CH ₂ (E)	Me	0	0
139	Me	0	0	$CH_2CH=C(C1)CH_2$ (Z)	Me	0	0
140	Ме	0	0	$CH_2C \equiv CCH_2$	Me	0	0
141	Ме	0	0	1-cyclo-C ₅ H ₈ -2	Me	0	0
142	Me	0	0	$1-\text{cyclo-C}_5\text{H}_8-3$	Me	0	0
143	Me	0	0	1-cyclo-C ₆ H ₁₀ -2	Me	0	0
144	Me	0	0	1-cyclo-C ₆ H ₁₀ -3	Ме	0	0
145	Me	0	0	1-cyclo-C ₆ H ₁₀ -4	Me	0	0
146	Me	0	0	Q 2 0	Me	0	0
147	Me	0	0	1-(5-0-COQ ₃ -cyclo-C ₆ H ₁₀)-3	Me	0	0
148	Me	0	0	CH ₂ -1-cyclo-C ₆ H ₁₀ -1	Me	0	0
149	Me	0	0	$CH_2-1-cyclo-C_6H_{10}-2-CH_2$	Me	0	0
150	Ме	0	0	Q21	Me	0	0
151	Me	0	0	Q 2 2	Me	0	0
152	Me	0	0	1-cyclo-C ₈ H ₁₄ -2	Me	0	0
153	Me	0	0	Q ₂₃	Me	0	0
154	Me	. 0	0	1-Ph-2	Me	0	0



Table 1 (Continued)

No	R¹	Х, А,	R	R²	χ²	γ²
155	Me	0 0	1-Ph-3	Me	0	0
156	Me	0 0	1-Ph-4	Me	0	0
157	Me	0 0	1-(3-F-Ph)-2	Me	0	0
158	Me	0 0	1-(3-Me-Ph)-2	Me	0	0
159	Me	0 0	1-(3-MeO-Ph)-2	Me	0	. 0
160	Me	0 0	1-(4-C1-Ph)-3	Me	0	0
161	Me	0 0	1-(4, 6-Cl ₂ -Ph)-3	Me	0	0
162	Me	0 0	1-(5-Me-Ph)-3	Ме	0	0
163	Ме	0 0	1-(4-Et-Ph)-3	Me	0	0
164	Me	0 0	1-(5-C ₅ H ₁₁ -Ph)-3	Me	0	0
165	Me	0 0	1-(5-OMe-Ph)-3	Me	0	0
166	Me	0 0	1-(5-0-COQ ₃ -Ph)-3	Me	0	0
167	Me	0 0	1-(2-C1-Ph)-4	Me	0	0
168	Me	0 0	1-(2-Me-Ph)-4	Me	0	0
169	Me	0 0	1-(2, 3, 5-Me₃-Ph)-4	Ме	0	0
170	Me	0 0		Me	0	0
171	Me	0 0	-00	Ме	0	0
172	Ме	0 0	100	Me	0	0



Table 1 (Continued)

No	R۱	Χ¹	Υı	R	R²	Χ²	γ2
173	Ме	0	0	00	Me	0	0
174	Ме	0	0	- 	Me	0	0
175	Ме	0	0	-CH2	Ме	0	0
176	Me	0	0	-C (Me) 2-C	Me	0	0
177	Me	0	0	-(C(CF ₃) ₂ -(-)-	Me	0	0
178	Me	0	0	CH(Et)CH(Et)	Me	0	0
179	Me	0	0	-C(Et)=C(Et)	Me	0	0
180	Me	0	0	- CH,	Me	0	0
181	Ме	0	0	- C H 2	Ме	0	0
182	Ме	0	0	- C H 2 O M e	Ме	0	0
183	Ме	0	0	- C H 2 C H 2-	Me	0	0 .



Table 1 (Continued)

No	R'	Χ¹	Υ¹	R	R²	Χ²	γ²
184	Me	0	0	- C H 2 - C H 2 -	Me	0	0
185	Me	0	0	Me Me CH2-	Me	0	0
186	Me	0	0	-C (Me) 2-C (Me) 2-	Me	0	0
187	Me	0	0	CH2CH2OCH2CH2	Me	0	0
188	Me	0	0	CH2CH2(OCH2CH2)2	Me	0	0
189	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ (OCH ₂ CH ₂) ₃	Me	0	0
190	Me	0	0	CH2CH2(OCH2CH2)4	Me	0	0
191	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ (OCH ₂ CH ₂) ₅	Me	0	0
192	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ (OCH ₂ CH ₂) ₆	Me	0	0
193	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ (OCH ₂ CH ₂) ₇	Me	0	0
194	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ (OCH ₂ CH ₂) ₈	Me	0	0
195	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ (OCH ₂ CH ₂) ₉	Me	0	0
196	Ме	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ (OCH ₂ CH ₂)n(Mean	n=3)Me	0	0
197	Ме	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ (OCH ₂ CH ₂)n (Mean	n=7)Me	0	0
198	Ме	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ (OCH ₂ CH ₂)n (Mean	n=10)	0	. 0
199	Ме	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₂ OCH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₂	Me	0	0
200	Me	0	0	CH2CH2SCH2CH2	Me	0 .	0
201	Ме	0	0	CH2CH2SSCH2CH2	Me	0	0



Table 1 (Continued)

No	R¹	Χ¹	γ'	R	R²	Χ2	γ2
202	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ SOCH ₂ CH ₂	Me	0	0
203	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ SO ₂ CH ₂ CH ₂	Me	0	0
204	Me	0	0	CH2CH2CH2CH2CH2CH2	Me	0	0
205	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ (SCH ₂ CH ₂) ₂	Me	0	0
206	Me	0	0	CH2CH2NHCH2CH2	Me	0	0
207	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ N(Me)CH ₂ CH ₂	Me	0	0
208	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ N(Et)CH ₂ CH ₂	Me	0	0
209	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ N(Ph)CH ₂ CH ₂	Me	0	0
210	Me	0	0	$CH_2CH_2N(3-C1-Ph)CH_2CH_2$	Me	0	0
211	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ N(COMe)CH ₂ CH ₂	Me	0	0
212	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ N(COEt)CH ₂ CH ₂	Me	0	0
213	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ N(COBu-t)CH ₂ CH ₂	Me	0	0
214	Me	0	0	CH2CH2N(COPh)CH2CH2	Me	0	0
215	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ N(CO(4-C1-Ph))CH ₂ CH ₂	Me	0	0
216	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ N(COQ ₃)CH ₂ CH ₂	Me	0	0
217	Me	0	. 0	CH ₂ CH ₂ N(COOMe)CH ₂ CH ₂	Me	0	0
218	Me	0	0	$CH(Me)CH_2N(COQ_3)CH_2CH(Me)$	Ме	0	0
219	Me	0	0	$CH_2CH_2N(CH_2CH_2O-COQ_3)CH_2CH_2$	Me	0	0
220	Me	0	0	$CH(Me)CH_2N(CH_2CH_2O-COQ_3)CH_2CH_2$	Me	0	0
221	Ме	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ -Q ₄ -CH ₂ CH ₂	Me	0	0
222	Ме	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ (N(COMe)CH ₂ CH ₂) ₂	Me	0	0
223	Ме	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ (N(COEt)CH ₂ CH ₂) ₂	Me	0	0



Table 1 (Continued)

No	R¹	χ'	Υι	R	R²	Χ²	γ²
224	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ (N(COPh)CH ₂ CH ₂) ₂	Ме	0	0
225	Me	0	. 0	$CH_2CH_2(N(COQ_3)CH_2CH_2)_2$	Me	0	0
226	Me	0	0	CH ₂ -CO-CH ₂	Me	0	0
227	Me	0	0	$CH_2-CO-CH(OH)CH_2$	Me	0	0
228	Me	0	0	$CH_2-CO-CH(O-COQ_3)CH_2$	Me	0	0
229	Me	0	0	CH ₂ -CO-CO-CH ₂	Me	0	0
230	Me	0	0	Q ₅	Me	0	0
231	Me	0	0	Q_6	Me	0	0
232	Me	0	0	Q ₁	Me	0	0
233	Me	0	0	Q ₈	Me	0	0
234	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	Me	0	S
235	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₃	Me	0	S
236	Me	0.	0	(CH ₂) ₄	Me	0	S
237	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₅	Me	0	S
238	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₆	Me	0	S
239	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₇	Me	0	S
240	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₈	Me	0	S
241	Me	0	0	CH(Me)CH₂	Me	0	S
242	Me	0	0	CH(Me)C(Me)	Ме	0	S
243	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(O-COQ ₃)CH ₂	Me	0	S
244	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(S-COQ ₃)CH ₂	Ме	0	S
245	Ме	0	0	$CH_2(S-COQ_3)CH(S-COQ_3)CH_2$	Me	0	S



Table 1 (Continued)

No	R¹	Χ1	γι	R	R²	Χ²	Υ²
246	Me	,0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	Me	0	N-Me
247	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	Me	0	N-Et
248	Me	0	0 .	(CH ₂) ₂	Me	0	N-Pr-n
249	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	Me	0	N-Pr-i
250	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	Me	0	N-Bu-t
251	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	Me	0	N-Ph
252	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	Me	0	NCH₂Ph
253	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₃	Me	0	NH
254	Me	0	0	(CH ₂).	Me	0	NH
255	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₅	Me	0	NH
256	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₆	Me	0	NH
257	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₇	Me	0	NH
258	Me	0	0	(CH ₂) ₈	Me	0	NH
259	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(Me)	Me	0	NH
260	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH(Et)	Ме	0	NH
261	Me	0	0	CH2CH(Ph)	Me	0	NH
262	Me	0	0	CH2CH(CH2Ph)	Me	0	NH
263	Me	0	0	CH ₂ C(Me) ₂	Me	0	NH
264	Me	0	0	CH(Ph)CH₂	Me	0	NH
265	Ме	0	0	CH(3-Q₃COOPh)CH₂	Me	0	NH
266	Me	0	0	CH(4-Q₃COOPh)CH₂	Ме	0	NH
267	Me	0	0	CH(Ph)CH₂	Me	0	N-Me



Table 1 (Continued)

No	R¹	χ1	γι	R	R²	χ²	γ²
268	Me	0	0	CH(CH₂Ph)CH₂	Me	0	NH
269	Me	0	0	CH(Ph)CH(Me)	Ме	0	NH
270	Me	0	0	CH(Ph)CH(Me)	Me	0	N-Me
271	Me	0	0	CH(4-Q₃COOPh)CH(Me)	Me	0	N-Me
272	Me	0	0	Q ₀	Me	0	-
273	Me	0	0	Qıo	Me	0	-
274	Me	0	0	2, 2, 6, 6-Me ₄ -Q ₁₀	Me	0	<u></u>
275	Me	0	0	CH ₂ -Q ₁₁	Me	0	_
276	Ме	0	- 0	CH ₂ -Q ₉	Me	0	_
277	Me	0	0	CH ₂ -Q ₁₀	Me	0	_
278	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ -Q ₁₁	Me	0	-
279	Me	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ -Q ₉	Me	0	-
280	Ме	0	0	CH ₂ CH ₂ -Q ₁₀	Me	0	_
281	Me	0	0	1-Ph-2	Me	0	NH
282	Me	0	0	1-Ph-3	Me	0	NH
283	Me	0	0	1-Ph-3	Me	0	NH
284	Me	0	0	1-(5-C1-Ph)-2	Ме	0	NH
285	Me	0	0	1-(4-Me-Ph)-2	Me	0	NH
286	Ме	0	0	1-(4-t-Bu-Ph)-2	Me	0	NH
287	Ме	0	0	1-(2-Me-Ph)-3	Me	0	NH
288	Me	0	0	$1-(2, 6-Cl_2-Ph)-4$	Me	0	NH
289	Ме	0	0	1-(4-Me-Ph)-3	Me	0	NH



Table 1 (Continued)

No	R¹	Χ¹	γ'	R	R ²	Χ²	γ²
290	Me	0	0	1-(5-0-COQ ₃ -Ph)-4	Me	0	NH
291	Me	0	0	100	Ме	0	NH
292	Ме	0	0		Me	0	NH
293	Me	0	0	CH ₂ -1-(5-Me-Ph)-2	Ме	0	NH
294	Me	0	S	(CH ₂) ₂	Me	0	S
295	Me	0	S	(CH ₂) ₃	Ме	0	S
296	Me	0	S	(CH ₂) ₄	Me	0	S
297	Me	0	S	(CH ₂) ₅	Me	0	S
298	Me	0	S	(CH ₂) ₆	Ме	0	S
299	Me	0	S	(CH ₂) ₁	Ме	0	S
300	Me	0	S	(CH ₂) _B	Me	0	S
301	Me	0	S	CH(Me)CH(Me)	Me	0	S
302	Me	0	S	CH2CH2SCH2CH2	Me	0	S
303	Me	0	S	CH ₂ CH(COOEt)	Me	0	NH
304	Me	0	S	1-Ph-2	Me	0	NH
305	Me	0	S	1-Ph-4	М́е	0	NH
306	Me	0	NH	(CH ₂) ₂	Me	0	NH
307	Me	0	NH	(CH ₂) ₂	Me	0	N-Me
308	Ме	0	NH	(CH ₂) ₂	Me	0	N-Et
309	Ме	0	NH	(CH ₂) ₂	Me	0	N-Pr-n



Table 1 (Continued)

No	R¹	Χ¹	γι	R	R²	Χ²	γ2
310	Ме	0	NH	(CH ₂) ₂	Me	0	N-Pr-i
311	Me	0	NH	(CH ₂) ₃	Me	0	NH
312	Me	0	NH	(CH ₂) ₃	Me	0	N-Me
313	Me	0	NH	(CH ₂),	Ме	0	N-Pr-1
314	Me	0	NH	(CH ₂) ₅	Me	0	NH
315	Me	0	NH	(CH ₂) ₆	Me	0	NH
316	Me	0	NH	(CH ₂) ₇	Ме	0	NH
317	Me	0	NH	(CH ₂) ₈	Me	0	NH
318	Me	0	NH	(CH ₂),	Me	0	NH
319	Me	0	NH	(CH ₂) ₁₀	Me	0	NH
320	Me	0	NH	(CH ₂) ₁₁	Me	0	NH
321	Me	0	NH	(CH ₂) ₁₂	Me	0	NH
322	Me	0	NH	CH₂CH(Me)	Me	0	NH
323	Me	0	NH	CH ₂ C(Me) ₂ CH ₂	Me	0	NH
324	Ме	0	NH	CH ₂ CH(COOEt)	Me	0	NH
325	Ме	0	NH	CH ₂ CH ₂ CH(COOEt)	Me	0	NH
326	: Me	0	NH	CH2CH2CH2CH(COOEt)	Ме	0	NH
327	Me	0	NH	CH2CH2CH2CH2CH(COOEt)	Me	0	NH
328	Me	0	NH	CH2CH2OCH2CH2	Me	.0	NH
329	Me	0	NH	CH2CH2(OCH2CH2)2	Me	0	NH
330	Me	0	NH	CH2CH2(OCH2CH2)3	Me	0	NH
331	Me	0	NH	CH2CH2(OCH2CH2)4	Me	0	NH



Table 1 (Continued)

No	R¹	χ¹	Υ¹	R	R²	Χ²	γ²
332	Me	0	NH	CH ₂ CH ₂ N(Me)CH ₂ CH ₂	Me	0	NH
333	Ме	0	NH	CH2CH2N(COQ3)CH2CH2	Ме	0	NH
334	Me	0	NH	$CH_2CH_2(N(COQ_3)CH_2CH_2)_2$	Ме	0	NH
335	Me	0	NH	$CH_2CH_2(N(COQ_3)CH_2CH_2)_3$	Me	0	NH
336	Me	0	NH	CH ₂ CH ₂ (N(COQ ₃)CH ₂ CH ₂),	Me	0	NH
337	Me	0	NH	CH2CH2(N(COQ3)CH2CH2)5	Me	0	NH
338	Me	0	NH	CH ₂ CH ₂ (N(COQ ₃)CH ₂ CH ₂) ₆	Me	0	NH
339	Me	0	NH	$CH_2CH_2N(COQ_3)-(CH_2)_3$	Me	0	NH
340	Me	0	NH	CH ₂ CH ₂ N(Me)-(CH ₂) ₃	Me	0	NH
341	Me	0	NH	(CH2)3N(COQ3)-(CH2)3	Me	0	NH
342	Me	0	NH	(CH2)4N(COQ3)-(CH2)4	Me	0	NH
343	Me	0	NH	(CH2)4(N(COQ3)-(CH2)4)2	Ме	0	NH
344	Me	0	NH	(CH2)4(N(COQ3)-(CH2)4)3	Me	0	NH
345	Me	0	NH	(CH2)6N(COQ3)-(CH2)6	Ме	0	NH
346	Ме	0	NH	1-cyclo-C ₆ H ₁₀ -2	Ме	0	NH
347	Me	0	NH	1-cyclo-C ₆ H ₁₀ -5	Ме	0	NH
348	Me	0	NH	Q10	Me	0	-
349	Me	0	NH	CH2CH2Q10	Ме	0	
350	Me	0	NH	1-Ph-2	Me	0	NH
351	Me	0	NH	1-Ph-3	Me	0	NF
352	Me	0	NH	1-Ph-4	Me	0	NH
353	Me	0	NH	1-(4-C1-Ph)-2	Me	0	NH



Table 1 (Continued)

No	R¹	Χ	γι	R	R²	χ²	γ?
354	Me	0	NH	1-(4, 5-Me₂-Ph)-2	Ме	0	NH
355	Me	0	NH	1-(4-0Me-Ph)-2	Me	0	NH
356	Me	0	NH	1-(2-Me-Ph)-3	Me	0	NH
357	Me	0	NH	1-(4-Me-Ph)-3	Me	0	NH
358	Me	0	NH	1-(4-0Me-Ph)-3	Me	0	NH
359	Me	0	NH	1-(2-Cl-Ph)-4	Ме	0	NH
360	Me	0	NH	1-(2, 5-C1 ₂ -Ph)-4	Ме	0	NH
361	Me	0	NH	1-(2, 6-C1 ₂ -Ph)-4	Me	0	NH
362	Me	0	NH ·	1-(2-OMe-Ph)-4	Me	0	NH
363	Me	0	NH	1-(1, 3, 5, 6-Me ₄ -Ph)-4	Me	0	NH
364	Me	0	N-Me	(CH ₂) ₂	Me	0	N-Me
365	Me	0	N-Et	$(CH_2)_2$	Me	0	N-Et
366	Me	0	N-Pr-n	(CH ₂) ₂	Me	0	N-Pr
367	Me	0	N-Pr-i	(CH ₂) ₂	Me	0	N-Pr
368	Me	0	_	Q.	Me	0	_
369	Me	0		Q ₁₂	Me	0	_
370	Me	0	_	Q ₁₃	Ме	0	_
371	Me	0	_	Q ₁₄	Ме	0	_
372	Et	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	Et	0	0
373	Pr-i	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	Pr-i	0	0
374	CH ₂ C1	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	CH ₂ C1	0	0
375	CF ₃	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	CF ₃	0	0

Table 1 (Continued)

No	R¹ .	Χ¹	γι	R	R°2	χ²	γ?
376	Ph	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	Ph	0	0
377	2-C1-Ph	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	2-Cl-Ph	0	0
378	3-C1-Ph	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	3-CI-Ph	0	0
379	4-C1-Ph	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	4-Cl-Ph	0	0
380	2-Me-Ph	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	2-Me-Ph	0	0
381	3-Me-Ph	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	3-Me-Ph	0	0
382	4-Me-Ph	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	4-Me-Ph	0	0
383	4-t-Bu-Ph	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	4-t-Bu-Ph	0	0
384	2-CF ₃ -Ph	0	. 0	(CH ₂) ₂	2-CF ₃ -Ph	0	0
385	4-CF ₃ -Ph	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	4-CF ₃ -Ph	0	0
386	2, 4-Me ₂ -Ph	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	2, 4-Me ₂ -Ph	0	0
387	3, 4-Me ₂ -Ph	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	3, 4-Me₂-Ph	0	0
388	4-OH-Ph	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	4-0H-Ph	0	0
389	4-MeO-Ph	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	4-MeO-Ph	0	0
390	4-CF ₃ O-Ph	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	4-CF ₃ O-Ph	0	0
391	4-PhO-Ph	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	4-PhO-Ph	0	0
392	2, 4-(MeO) ₂ -Ph	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	2, 4-(MeO) ₂ -Ph	0	0
393	3, 4-(MeO) ₂ -Ph	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	3, 4-(MeO) ₂ -Ph	0	0
394	4-COOMe-Ph	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	4-COOMe-Ph	0	0
395	2, 4-Cl ₂ -Ph	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	2, 4-C1 ₂ -Ph	0	0
396	3, 4-C1 ₂ -Ph	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	3, 4-C1 ₂ -Ph	0	0
397	Q15	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	Q 1 5	0	0
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Table 1 (Continued)

No	R¹	Χ¹	γι	R	R²	χ2	γ2
398	Q 1 6	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	Q 1 6	0	0
399	Q17	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	Q17	0	0
400	Q 1 8	0	0 .	(CH ₂) ₂	Q18	0	0
401	Q 1 9	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	Q19	0	0
402	6-C1-Q ₁₉	0	0	(CH ₂) ₂	6-C1-Q19	0	0
403	Me	S	NH	(CH ₂) ₂	Me	S	NH
404	Me	S	NH	(CH ₂) ₃	Me	S	NH
405	Me	S	NH	(CH ₂),	Me	S	NH
406	Ме	S	NH	1-Ph-2	Me	S	NH .
407	Ме	S	NH	1-Ph-3	Me	S	NH
408	Ме	S	NH	1-Ph-4	Ме	S	NH

Table 1 shows that, for example, R of compound No.141 is "1-cyclo- C_5H_8 -2" which means Y^1 and Y^2 are linked to the 1-position and 2-potition, respectively, of a cyclopentyl ring. It is similarly shown that R of compound No. 154 is "1-Ph-2" which means Y^1 and Y^2 are linked to the 1-position and 2-position, respectively, of the phenyl ring of 1,2-phenylene group.

Table 2 lists characteristic properties of the 10 typical compounds shown in Table 1.

Table 2

Compound No.	Property
2	m.p. 54℃
4	m.p. 91° C
21	Paste [NMR (CDCl $_3$ /TMS, δ value (ppm))]
	1.47(d, 6.6Hz, 3H), 2.94(s, 6H),
	4.40(dd, 6.7Hz, 12.1Hz, 1H),
	4.60(dd, 3.2Hz, 12.1Hz, 1H),
	5.4-5.6(m, 1H)
35	nD 1.5722 (22℃)
82	nD 1.5403 (22℃)
95	m.p. 95℃
96	m.p. 190℃
106	Paste [NMR (CDCl $_3$ /TMS, δ value (ppm))]
	2.97(s, 9H), 4.60(dd, 2H), 4.75(dd)
	2H), 5.65-5.80(m, 1H).
140	m.p. 79℃
156	m.p. 205℃
166	m.p. 184℃
176	m.p. 149℃
184	m.p. 122℃
187	nD 1.5416 (26℃)
188	nD 1.5325 (26℃)
196	nD 1.5222 (26℃)
197	Paste [NMR (CDCl $_3$ /TMS, δ value (ppm))]
	2.95(s, 6H), 3.50-3.70(m, = 24H),

Compound No.	Property
	3.76-3.82(m, 4H), 4.45-4.52(m, 4H).
198	Paste [NMR (CDCl $_3$ /TMS, δ value (ppm))]
	2.97(s, 6H), 3.57-3.75(m, $=$ 38H),
	3.76-3.83(m, 4H), 4.45-4.53(m, 4H).
214	nD 1.5627 (21℃)
219	Paste [NMR (CDCl $_3$ /TMS, δ value (ppm))]
	2.92(s, 69H), 2.96-3.06(m, 6H),
	4.34-4.45(m, 6H).
281	m.p. 112℃
282	m.p. 152℃
283	m.p. 167℃
288	m.p. 164℃
306	m.p. 149℃
350	m.p. 189℃
351	m.p. 210℃
352	m.p. 260℃



The bis-thiadiazole derivatives of the general formula (I) or salts thereof according to the present invention are useful for agricultural and horticultural disease control. For example, these compounds have a 5 very high controlling effect against various diseases, for instance, rice blast (Pyricularia oryzae), rice sheath blight (Rhizoctonia solani), rice helminthosporium leaf spot (Cochiobolus miyabeanus), powdery mildew of various host plants such as powdery mildew of barley and 10 wheat (Erysiphe graminis), oats crown rust (Puccinia coronata) and rust of other plants, tomato late blight (Phytophthora infestans) and late blight or Phytophthora rots of other plants, downy mildew of various plants such as cucumber downy mildew (Pseudoperonospora cubensis) and 15 grape downy mildew (Plasmopara viticola), apple scab (Venturia inaequalis), apple alternaria leaf spot (Alternaria mali), pear black spot (Alternaria kikuchiana), citrus melanose (Diaporthe citri), bacterial diseases including Pseudomonas diseases such as cucumber bacterial blight (Pseudomonas syringae pv. lachrymans) and tomato bacterial wilt (Pseudomonas solanacearum), Xanthomonas diseases such as cabbage black rot (Xanthomonas campestris), rice bacterial leaf blight (Xanthomonas oryzae) and citrus canker (Xanthomonas 25 citri) and Erwinia diseases such as cabbage bacterial soft rot (Erwinia carotovora), and viral diseases such as

The agrohorticultural disease controller

tobacco mosaic (Tobacco mosaic virus).

containing the bis-thiadiazole derivative of general formula (I) or salts thereof as an active ingredient according to the present invention exhibits a marked controlling effect against the above-exemplified diseases 5 which damage paddy field crops, upland field crops, fruit trees, vegetables, other crop plants, flowers, ornamental plants, and the like. Accordingly, the desired effects of the agrohorticultural disease controller of the present invention can be obtained by applying the disease controller to the paddy field water, stalks and leaves or soil of the paddy field, upland field, fruit trees, vegetables, other crops, flowers and ornamental plants at a season at which the diseases are expected to occur, before their occurrence or at the time when their occurrence has been confirmed.

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The agrohorticultural disease controller of the present invention is generally put to use after being prepared into a conveniently usable form according to an ordinary manner for preparation of pesticides.

20 That is, the bis-thiadiazole derivative represented by the general formula (I) or a salt thereof according to the present invention and, optionally, an adjuvant are blended with an appropriate inert carrier in a proper proportion, prepared into a suitable preparation form such as suspension, emulsifiable concentrate, 25 soluble concentrate, wettable powder, granule, dust, tablet, etc. and put to use through dissolution, separation, suspension, mixing, impregnation, adsorption

or sticking.

The inert carrier used in the present invention may be either solid or liquid. As the material usable as solid carrier, there can be exemplified soybean flour, 5 cereal flour, wood flour, bark flour, saw dust, powdered tobacco stalks, powdered walnut shells, bran, powdered cellulose, extraction residue of vegetables, powdered synthetic polymers of synthetic resins and the like, clays such as kaolin, bentonite, acid clay and the like, 10 talcs such as talc, pyrophyllite and the like, silica powders and flakes such as diatomaceous earth, siliceous sand, mica, white carbon (namely, synthetic, highdispersion silicic acid , also called finely divided hydrated silica or hydrated silicic acid, some of the commercially available products thereof contain calcium 15 silicate as the major component), activated carbon, powdered sulfur, pumice, calcined diatomaceous earth, crushed brick, fly ash, sand, inorganic mineral powders such as calcium carbonate, calcium phosphate and the 20 like, chemical fertilizers such as ammonium sulfate, ammonium phosphate, ammonium nitrate, urea, ammonium chloride and the like, and compost. These carriers may be used alone or as a mixture thereof.

The material constituting the liquid carrier is selected from materials having a dissolving ability in themselves and materials which have no dissolving ability in themselves but can disperse the active ingredient compound by aid of an adjuvant. The following are

typical examples of the liquid carrier material, which can be used either alone or in the form of a mixture: water; alcohols such as methanol, ethanol, isopropanol, butanol, ethylene glycol and the like; ketones such as acetone, methyl ethyl ketone, methyl isobutyl ketone, diisobutyl ketone, cyclohexanone and the like; ethers such as ethyl ether, dioxane, cellosolve, dipropyl ether, tetrahydrofuran and the like; aliphatic hydrocarbons such as kerosene, mineral oils and the like; aromatic

- hydrocarbons such as benzene, toluene, xylene, solvent naphtha, alkylnaphthalene and the like; halogenated hydrocarbons such as dichloroethene, chloroform, carbon tetrachloride, chlorobenzene and the like; esters such as ethyl acetate, diisopropyl phthalate, dibutyl phthalate,
- dioctyl phthalate and the like; amides such as dimethylformamide, diethylformamide, dimethylacetamide and the like; nitriles such as acetonitrile and the like; dimethyl sulfoxide; etc.

As the adjuvant, the following can be referred to as typical ones. These adjuvants are used depending upon purposes, either alone or in combination of two or more in some cases. It is also possible to use no adjuvant at all, in some cases.

A surfactant is used for the purpose of

25 emulsifying, dispersing, solubilizing and/or wetting an
active ingredient. As the surfactant, there can be
exemplified polyoxyethylene alkyl ethers, polyoxyethylene
alkylaryl ethers, polyoxyethylene higher fatty acid

esters, polyoxyethylene resin acid esters,
polyoxyethylene sorbitan monolaurate, polyoxyethylene
sorbitan monooleate, alkylarylsulfonates,
naphthalenesulfonic acid condensates, ligninsulfonic acid
salts, higher alcohol sulfuric esters, etc.

The following adjuvants can also be used for the purpose of stabilizing, tackifying and/or binding the dispersion of active ingredient compound: casein, gelatin, starch, methyl cellulose, carboxymethyl cellulose, gum arabic, polyvinyl alcohol, turpentine, bran oil, bentonite, ligninsulfonic acid salts and the like.

Further, wax, stearic acid salts, alkyl phosphates and the like may be used as an adjuvant for the purpose of improving flowability of a solid product.

Further, naphthalenesulfonic acid condensates, polycondensed phosphoric acid salts and the like may also be used as a peptizer for dispersible products.

Adjuvants such as silicone oils may also be 20 used as a defoaming agent.

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The content of the active ingredient may be increased or decreased according to the need. For example, in dusts and granules, the suitable content thereof is from 0.01 to 50% by weight. In emulsifiable concentrates and wettable powders, too, the suitable content thereof is from 0.01 to 50% by weight.

For controlling various diseases, the agrohorticultural disease controller of the present

invention itself or its appropriate dilution or suspension in water or the like is applied to a crop on which the diseases are expected to occur or a site where occurrence of the diseases is undesirable, in an amount effective for disease control. For example, for controlling the diseases of paddy rice, said disease controller can be used by a method such as direct application to regular paddy field, application to a rice nursery bed, dressing of seeds for direct sowing to

10 flooded paddy field, seed disinfection, etc. For controlling the diseases of barley, wheat, oat or the like, the disease controller of the present invention is applied to stalks and leaves or used for soil treatment where the disease controller is absorbed from the roots.

The application amount of the agrohorticultural disease controller of the present invention may vary depending on various factors including purpose of application, objective disease, state of plant growth, tendency of prevalence of the disease, weather,

environmental conditions, preparation form, method of application, site of application, time of application, etc. The application amount, however, should be properly chosen in the range of from 0.1 g to 10 kg per 10 ares as expressed in terms of amount of active ingredient,

25 depending on purposes.

In order to expand the spectrum of controllable diseases and the time period of effective application or to reduce the dosage, it is also possible to use the

disease controller of the present invention in the form of a mixture with other agrohorticultural disease controllers.

Next, typical examples, formulation examples and test examples of the present invention are presented below. The present invention is by no means limited by these examples.

Example 1: Production of ethylene-bis(4-methyl-1,2,3thiadiazole-5-carboxylate) (Compound No. 2)

In 30 ml of tetrahydrofuran was dissolved 0.80 g (4.9 mmol) of 4-methyl-1,2,3-thiadiazole-5-carbonyl chloride, to which was then added 0.12 g (2.0 mmol) of ethylene glycol. While stirring the mixture at room temperature, 0.50 ml of triethylamine was dropwise added thereto and stirred at room temperature for 4 hours.

After the reaction was completed, ethyl acetate was added to the reaction mixture, the organic layer was washed successively with aqueous solution of hydrochloric acid and aqueous solution of sodium hydrogen carbonate, dried on anhydrous magnesium sulfate, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by silica gel

column chromatography using 2:1 mixture of n-hexane and ethyl acetate. Thus, the objective compound was obtained in a yield of 0.34 g.

Property: m.p. 54°C

5 Yield: 56%

Example 2: Production of 2-butynylene-bis(4-methyl-1,2,3-thiadiazole-5-carboxylate) (Compound No. 140)

In 30 ml of tetrahydrofuran was dissolved 0.70 g (4.3 mmol) of 4-methyl-1,2,3-thiadiazole-5-carbonyl

10 chloride, to which was added 0.15 g (1.7 mmol) of 2-butyne-1,4-diol. While stirring the mixture at room temperature, 0.50 ml of triethylamine was dropwise added and stirred at room temperature for 4 hours. After the reaction was completed, ethyl acetate was added to the

15 reaction mixture, the organic layer was washed successively with aqueous solution of hydrochloric acid and aqueous solution of sodium hydrogen carbonate and dried on anhydrous magnesium sulfate, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by

20 silica gel column chromatography using 2:1 mixture of n-hexane and ethyl acetate. Thus, the objective compound

was obtained in a yield of 0.34 g.

Property: m.p. 79°C

Yield: 61%

Example 3: Production of p-phenylene-bis(4-methyl-1,2,3thiadiazole-5-carboxylate) (Compound No. 156)

In 30 ml of tetrahydrofuran was dissolved 1.0 g (6.2 mmol) of 4-methyl-1,2,3-thiadiazole-5-carbonyl chloride, to which was then added 0.27 g (2.5 mmol) of phydroquinone. While stirring the mixture at room 10 temperature, 0.50 ml of triethylamine was dropwise added thereto and stirred at room temperature for 4 hours. After the reaction was completed, ethyl acetate was added to the reaction mixture, and the organic layer was washed successively with aqueous solution of hydrochloric acid 15 and aqueous solution of sodium hydrogen carbonate and dried on anhydrous magnesium sulfate. The dried organic solution was concentrated under reduced pressure, and the residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography using 2:1 mixture of n-hexane and ethyl acetate. the objective compound was obtained in a yield of 0.30 g.

Property: m.p. 205°C

Yield: 34%

Example 4: Production of p- α , α -xylylene-bis(4-methyl-1,2,3-thiadiazole-5-carboxylate (Compound No. 184)

In 30 ml of acetonitrile was dissolved 0.50 g

5 (3.5 mmol) of 4-methyl-1,2,3-thiadiazole-5-carboxylic acid, to which were added 0.37 g (1.4 mmol) of p-α,α-xylylene dibromide and 0.50 g (3.6 mmol) of anhydrous potassium carbonate. The resulting mixture was heated under reflux for 4 hours. After the reaction was

10 completed, ethyl acetate was added to the reaction mixture, the organic layer was dried over anhydrous magnesium sulfate and concentrated under reduced pressure, and the residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography using 4:1 mixture of n-hexane and ethyl acetate. Thus, the objective compound was obtained in a yield of 0.15 g.

Property: m.p. 122°C

Yield: 27%

Example 5: Production of polyoxyethylene(mean value of 20, n=4)-bis(4-methyl-1,2,3-thiadiazole-5-carboxylate)

(Compound No. 196)

In 30 ml of tetrahydrofuran was dissolved 1.60 g (10 mmol) of 4-methyl-1,2,3-thiadiazole-5-carbonyl chloride, to which was added 0.50 g (2.5 mmol) of PEG 200 (polyethylene glycol). While stirring the resulting mixture at room temperature, 0.50 ml of triethylamine was dropwise added thereto and stirred at room temperature for 4 hours. After the reaction was completed, ethyl acetate was added to the reaction mixture, the organic 10 layer was washed successively with aqueous solution of hydrochloric acid and aqueous solution of sodium hydrogen carbonate, dried over anhydrous magnesium sulfate and concentrated under reduced pressure, and the residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography using 1:1 15 mixture of n-hexane and ethyl acetate. Thus, the objective compound was obtained in a yield of 0.59 g.

Property: nD 1.5222 (26°C)

Yield: 52%

Example 6: Production of 2,6-dichloro-4-(4-methyl-1,2,3thiadiazol-5-ylcarbonylamino)-phenyl 4-methyl-1,2,3thiadiazole-5-carboxylate (Compound No. 288)

In 30 ml of tetrahydrofuran was dissolved 1.0 g

(4.1 mmol) of 4-methyl-1,2,3-thiadiazole-5-carbonyl
chloride, to which was added 0.20 g (2.0 mmol) of 2,6dichloro-p-aminophenol. While stirring the mixture at

5 room temperature, 1.0 ml of triethylamine was dropwise
added and stirred at room temperature for 4 hours. After
the reaction was completed, ethyl acetate was added to
the reaction mixture, and the organic layer was washed
successively with aqueous solution of hydrochloric acid

10 and aqueous solution of sodium hydrogen carbonate, dried
over anhydrous magnesium sulfate, and concentrated under
reduced pressure. Thus, the objective compound was
obtained in a yield of 0.62 g.

Property: m.p. 260°C

15 Yield: 33%

Example 7: Production of N,N'-p-phenylenebis(4-methyl1,2,3-thiadiazole-5-carboxamide) (Compound No. 352)

In 30 ml of tetrahydrofuran was dissolved 0.80 g (4.9 mmol) of 4-methyl-1,2,3-thiadiazole-5-carbonyl chloride, to which was added 0.20 g (1.9 mmol) of p-phenylenediamine. While stirring the mixture at room temperature, 1.0 ml of triethylamine was dropwise added and stirred at room temperature for 4 hours. After the reaction was completed, ethyl acetate was added to the reaction mixture, and the organic layer was washed successively with aqueous solution of hydrochloric acid and aqueous solution of sodium hydrogen carbonate, dried over anhydrous magnesium sulfate, and concentrated under reduced pressure. Thus, the objective compound was obtained in a yield of 0.62 g.

Property: m.p. 164°C

15 Yield: 73%

Next, typical examples and test examples of the present invention are presented below.

In the formulation examples, the term parts means parts by weight.

20 <u>Formulation Example 1</u>

The compound of Table 1

50 parts

Xylene

40 parts

Mixture of polyoxyethylene

nonylphenyl ether and calcium

25 alkylbenzenesulfonate

10 parts

The ingredients mentioned above are uniformly

mixed and dissolved together to prepare an emulsifiable concentrate.

Formulation Example 2

The compound of Table 1

3 parts

5 Clay powder

82 parts

Diatomaceous earth powder

15 parts

The ingredients mentioned above are uniformly mixed and pulverized to prepare a dust.

Formulation Example 3

10 The compound of Table 1

5 parts

Powdered mixture of bentonite

and clay

90 parts

Calcium ligninsulfonate

5 parts

The ingredients mentioned above are uniformly

15 mixed together, kneaded together with an appropriate

quantity of water, granulated and dried to prepare a

granular composition.

Formulation Example 4

The compound of Table 1

20 parts

20

Kaolinite and synthetic

high-disperse silicic acid

75 parts

Mixture of polyoxyethylene

nonylphenyl ether and calcium

alkylbenzenesulfonate

5 parts

The ingredients mentioned above are uniformly



mixed and pulverized to prepare a wettable powder.

<u>Test Example 1</u>: Rice blast-controlling test by submerged application

A chemical agent containing the compound shown

in Table 1 as an active ingredient was applied to paddy
rice plants of the 5- to 6-leaved stage, cultivated in
1/10000 are pots, by the method of submerged application
at a dosage of 200 g/10 a as expressed in terms of active
ingredient. After standing in a greenhouse for a week,

the plants were inoculated with a spore suspension of
rice blast fungus (Pyricularia oryzae) by the method of
spraying.

After the inoculation, the plants were allowed to stand in a moist chamber for one day and then in a greenhouse for 6 days to cause the disease sufficiently. Then, lesions on each leaf were counted and compared with those in the untreated plot, from which the controlling degree was calculated, whereby the effect was judged according to the following criterion:

20	Effect	Controlling degree (%)
	A	100-95
	В	94-85
	С	84-60
	D	59- 0

The results of the above test demonstrate that the compounds listed in Table 1 were found to have a marked blast-controlling activity. Of these compounds,

the following were rated C or higher: Compound Nos. 2, 82, 96, 106, 140, 156, 166, 176, 187, 188, 196, 219, 281, 282, 283, 288, 351 and 352; among which Compound Nos. 2, 106, 156, 166, 188, 196, 219, 282, 283, 288, 351 and 352 exhibit so high a controlling effect as rated A.

THE CLAIMS DEFINING THE INVENTION ARE AS FOLLOWS:

1. A bis-thiadiazole derivative represented by the following general formula (I) or a salt thereof:

wherein R^1 and R^2 , same or different, represent hydrogen atom, C_1 - C_8 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C_1-C_4 alkyl group, halo C_1-C_4 alkyl group, C₁-C₄ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₄ alkoxy group, C₁-C₄ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₄ alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C1-C4 alkyl and phenyl groups, 5- or 6-membered hererocycle containing 1 to 3 same or different hetero atoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen atom, sulfur atom and nitrogen atom, or substituted 5- or 6membered heterocycle containing 1 to 3 same or different hetero atoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen atom, sulfur atom and nitrogen atom and having 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C_1-C_4 alkyl group, halo

 C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups;

 X^1 and X^2 , same or different, represent oxygen atom or sulfur atom;

 Y^1 and Y^2 , same or different, represent oxygen atom, sulfur atom or

 $-N(R^3)$ - in which R^3 is as defined later; and R represents C_0 - C_{30} alkylene group, an alkylene group of the following formula:

in which R^3 and R^4 , same or different, represent hydrogen atom, halogen atom, hydroxyl group, nitro group, cyano group, C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, C_1 - C_4 alkylsulfinyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkylsulfonyl group, hydroxy C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy C_1 - C_4 alkoxycarbonyl group, amino group, substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, phenyl group and substituted phenyl groups having 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group,

cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C1-C4 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1-C_4 alkoxy group, C_1-C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1-C_4 alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C₁-C₄ alkyl and phenyl groups, amino C₁-C₄ alkyl group, substituted amino C₁-C₄ alkyl group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from C₁-C₄ alkyl group and substituted phenyl groups having 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C1-C4 alkyl group, halo C_1-C_4 alkyl group, C_1-C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1-C_4 alkoxy group, C_1-C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1-C_4 alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₄ alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups, phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, substituted phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group having, on the ring thereof, 1 to 5 same or different substituents

selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C1-C4 alkyl group, halo C₁-C₄ alkyl group, C₁-C₄ alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups, phenoxy group, substituted phenoxy group having, on the ring thereof, 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C1-C4 alkyl group, halo C1-C4 alkyl group, C_1-C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1-C_4 alkoxy group, C_1-C_4 alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₄ alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups, phenoxy C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, substituted phenoxy C_1 - C_4 alkyl group having, on the ring thereof, 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C1-C4 alkyl group, halo C₁-C₄ alkyl group, C₁-C₄ alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups, 5- or 6-membered heterocycle containing 1 to 3 same or different hetero atoms selected from the group

consisting of oxygen atom, sulfur atom and nitrogen atom, substituted 5- or 6-membered heterocycle containing 1 to 3 same or different hetero atoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen atom, sulfur atom and nitrogen atom and having 1 to 4 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C1-C4 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₄ alkoxy group, C₁-C₄ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₄ alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups, 5- or 6-membered heterocycle C₁-C₄ alkyl group containing 1 to 3 same or different hetero atoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen atom, sulfur atom and nitrogen atom, substituted 5- or 6-membered hetero cycle C_1 - C_4 alkyl group containing 1 to 3 same or different hetero atoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen atom, sulfur atom and nitrogen atom and having 1 to 4 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, halo C_1-C_4 alkyl group, C_1-C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1-C_4 alkoxy group, C_1-C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1-C_4 alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups, or a group

$$-(R^6) m-(Y^3) p-C-R'$$

(wherein R^6 represents C_1 - C_6 alkylene group, substituted C_1 - C_6 alkylene group substituted by one or more same or different halogen atoms or C_1 - C_4 alkyl groups, or C_1 - C_6 alkylene group which may be interrupted by

-0-,

 $-S(0)_{n}-$

in which n is an integer of 0-2, or

 $-N(R^8)$

in which R^8 represents hydrogen atom, halogen atom, C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C1-C4 alkyl group, halo C_1-C_4 alkyl group, C_1-C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1-C_4 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups, phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, substituted phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group having 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C1-C4 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, C₁-C₄ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₄ alkylthio



group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups, or

$$-(R^{++}) q - (Y^{+}) r - C - R^{+2}$$

(wherein R^{11} represents C_1 - C_6 alkylene group or substituted C_1 - C_6 alkylene group having one or more substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom and C_1 - C_4 alkyl group;

 R^{12} represents hydrogen atom, $C_1\text{-}C_8$ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₄ alkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C1-C4 alkyl group, halo C_1-C_4 alkyl group, C_1-C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups, 5- or 6-membered heterocycle containing 1 to 3 same or different hetero atoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen atom, sulfur atom and nitrogen atom, or substituted 5- or 6-membered heterocycle containing 1 to 3 same or different hetero atoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen atom, sulfur atom and nitrogen atom and having 1 to 4 same or different substituents

selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups;

Y4 represents

-0-,

-S- or

 $-N(R^{13})$ - in which R^{13} represents hydrogen atom or $C_1\text{-}C_4$ alkyl group;

X⁴ represents oxygen atom or sulfur atom;
q represents an integer of 0 to 1; and
r represents an integer of 0 to 1);

 R^7 represents hydrogen atom, C_1 - C_8 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_8 alkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups, phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, substituted phenyl C_1 - C_4 alkyl group having, on the ring thereof, 1 to 5 same or

different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C₁-C₄ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₄ alkyl group, C₁-C₄ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₄ alkoxy group, C₁-C₄ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₄ alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C₁-C₄ alkyl and phenyl groups, 5- or 6-membered heterocycle containing 1 to 3 same or different hetero atoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen atom, sulfur atom and nitrogen atom, or substituted 5- or 6membered heterocycle containing 1 to 3 same or different hetero atoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen atom, sulfur atom and nitrogen atom and having, on the ring thereof, 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C1-C4 alkyl group, halo C_1-C_4 alkyl group, C_1-C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups;

Y³ represents

-0-,

-S- or

 $-N(R^8)$ - in which R^8 is as defined above; X^3 represents oxygen atom or sulfur atom; m represents an integer of 0 to 5; and p represents an integer of 0 or 1); and

letter <u>a</u> represents an integer of 0 to 30; further, R^3 and R^4 may be taken conjointly to form a 3-to 8-membered ring including a C_0 - C_7 alkylene group, and said 3- to 8-membered ring may be interrupted by

-0-,

 $-S(0)_n$ - in which n represents an integer of 0-2,

 $-N(R^8)$ - in which R^8 is as defined above, or $-C(R^9)(R^{10})$ - in which R^9 and R^{10} , same or different, represent halogen atom, C_1 - C_4 alkyl group or a group of the following formula:

$$-(R^{11}) q - (Y^{4}) r - C - R^{12}$$

in which R^{11} , R^{12} , X^4 , Y^4 , q and r are as defined above; and R^9 and R^{10} may be taken conjointly to form a 3- to 7-membered ring including a C_2 - C_6 alkylene group; and

R alternatively represents C_0 - C_{30} alkylene group which may be interrupted by one or more same or different group selected from the group consisting of

-0-,

 $-S(0)_n$ - in which n is as defined above,

 $-N(R^3)$ - in which R^3 is as defined above,

 $-C(R^3)=C(R^4)$ - in which R^3 and R^4 are as defined



above,

-C≡C-,

5



(Z represents halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group,

hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C₁-C₄ alkyl group, halo

C₁-C₄ alkyl group, C₁-C₄ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₄ alkoxy

group, C₁-C₄ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₄ alkylthio group,

amino group, substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same

or different substituents selected from the group

consisting of C₁-C₄ alkyl and phenyl groups, or a group

of the following formula:

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$$-(R^{6})m-(Y^{3})p-C-R^{7}$$

in which R^6 , R^7 , Y^3 , X^3 , m and p are as defined above) and



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(Z is as defined above); provided that:



(1) when R^1 is the same as defined above, each of X^1 and X^2 is oxygen atom, Y^1 is oxygen atom or sulfur atom, Y^2 is-NR³-(wherein R³ is the same as defined

above), and R is $C_1 \cdot C_6$ alkylene group or $-(C)_a - (wherein)_{R^4}$

 R^3 and R^4 , same or different, represent $C_1 \cdot C_6$ alkyl group or phenyl group, and <u>a</u> is the same as defined above), then R^2 is not hydrogen atom, halogen atom or $C_1 \cdot C_6$ alkyl group;

(2) when R^1 is the same as defined above, each of X^1 and X^2 is oxygen atom, Y^1 is oxygen atom or sulfur atom, Y^2 is oxygen atom, and R is $C_1 \cdot C_{12}$ alkylene group

 R^3 or $-(C)_a$ - (wherein each of R^3 and R^4 is hydroxyl group, R^4

and \underline{a} is the same as defined above), then R^2 is not hydrogen atom, halogen atom or $C_1 \cdot C_6$ alkyl group;

(3) when R^1 is the same as defined above, each of X^1 and X^2 is oxygen atom, Y^1 is $-NR^3$ (wherein R^3 is the same as defined above), Y^2 is oxygen atom or -NH-, and R is (wherein Z is the same as defined

above), then R^2 is not hydrogen atom, halogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group or C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group; and





- (4) when R^1 is the same as defined above, each of X^1 and X^2 is oxygen atom, Y^1 is-NR³-(wherein R³ is the same as defined above), Y^2 is -NH-, and R is C_1 - C_{12} alkylene group, then R^2 is not hydrogen atom, halogen atom, C_1 - C_6 alkyl group or C_1 - C_6 alkoxy group.
- 2. A bis-thiadiazole derivative or a salt thereof according to Claim 1, wherein

 $$R^1$$ and $R^2,$ same or different, represent hydrogen atom, $C_1\text{-}C_8$ alkyl group or halo $C_1\text{-}C_4$ alkyl



group;

 X^1 and X^2 , same or different, represent oxygen atom or sulfur atom;

 Y^1 and Y^2 , same or different, represent oxygen atom, sulfur atom or

 $-N(R^3)$ - in which R^3 is as defined later; and R represents C_0 - C_{30} alkylene group, an alkylene group represented by the following formula:

in which R^3 and R^4 , same or different, represent hydrogen atom, halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups, or a group of the following formula:



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$$(R^6)$$
 m- (Y^3) p-C-R⁷

(wherein R^6 represents C_1 - C_6 alkylene group, substituted C_1 - C_6 alkylene group substituted by C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, or C_1 - C_6 alkylene group which may be interrupted by

-0- or

 $-S(0)_n$ - in which n is an integer of 0-2;

R⁷ represents hydrogen atom, C₁-C₈ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₈ alkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C1-C4 alkyl group, halo C_1-C_4 alkyl group, C_1-C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C₁-C₄ alkyl and phenyl groups, 5- or 6-membered heterocycle containing 1 to 3 hetero atoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen atom, sulfur atom and nitrogen atom, substituted 5- or 6membered heterocycle containing 1 to 3 same or different hetero atoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen atom, sulfur atom and nitrogen atom and having, on the ring thereof, 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C_1 - C_4



alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups;

Y³ represents

-0-.

-S- or

-N(R8) - in which R8 represents hydrogen atom, halogen atom, C₁-C₄ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₄ alkyl group, C₁-C₄ alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C₁-C₄ alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C₁-C₄ alkyl and phenyl groups, phenyl C₁-C₄ alkyl group, substituted phenyl C₁-C₄ alkyl group having 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C1-C4 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected

from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups, or a group of the following formula:

$$- (R^{++}) q - (Y^{+}) r - C - R^{+2}$$

(wherein R^{11} represents C_1 - C_6 alkylene group or substituted C_1 - C_6 alkylene group having one or more same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom and C_1 - C_4 alkyl group;

R¹² represents hydrogen atom, C₁-C₈ alkyl group, halo C₁-C₄ alkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C1-C4 alkyl group, halo C₁-C₄ alkyl group, C₁-C₄ alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C1-C4 alkyl and phenyl groups, 5- or 6-membered heterocycle containing 1 to 3 same or different hetero atoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen atom, sulfur atom and nitrogen atom, or substituted 5- or 6-membered heterocycle containing 1 to 3 same or different hetero atoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen atom, sulfur atom and nitrogen atom and having 1 to 4 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro



group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups;

 Y^4 represents -O-, -S- or -N(R^{13})- in which R^{13} represents hydrogen atom or C_1 - C_4 alkyl group;

X⁴ represents oxygen atom or sulfur atom;

q represents an integer of 0 to 2; and

r represents an integer of 0 to 1); and

X³ represents oxygen atom or sulfur atom;

 $$\rm m,\ same\ or\ different,\ represents\ an\ integer\ of\ 0\ to\ 10;\ and$

p represents an integer of 0 or 1); and letter \underline{a} represents an integer of 0 to 30; further R^3 and R^4 may be taken conjointly to form a 3- to 8-membered ring including a C_0 - C_7 alkylene group, and said 3- to 8-membered ring may be interrupted by

-0-,

 $-S(O)_n$ - in which n is an integer of 0 to 2, or $-N(R^8)$ - in which R^8 is as defined above, or a C_0 - C_{30} alkylene group which may be intercepted by one or more same or different groups selected from the group consisting of

-0-,

 $-S(0)_n$ - in which n is as defined above,



-N(R³)- in which R³ is as defined above, $-(R^3) = C(R^4) - \text{ in which } R^3 \text{ and } R^4 \text{ are as defined}$ above,

-C≡C-, and a group of the following formula:



(Z represents halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, amino group, substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups, or a group of the following formula:

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$$(R^6)$$
 m- (Y^3) p-C-R⁷

in which R^6 , R^7 , Y^3 , X^3 , m and p are as defined above).

3. A bis-thiazole derivative or a salt thereof according to Claim 2, wherein

 R^1 and R^2 , same or different, represent hydrogen atom, $C_1\text{-}C_8$ alkyl group or halo $C_1\text{-}C_4$ alkyl group;

 X^1 and X^2 , same or different, represent oxygen atom or sulfur atom;

 Y^1 and Y^2 , same or different, represent oxygen atom, sulfur atom or

 $-N(R^3)$ - in which R^3 is as defined later; and R represents C_0 - C_{30} alkylene group, an alkylene group represented by the following formula:

in which R^3 and R^4 , same or different, represent hydrogen atom, halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxycarbonyl group, phenyl group or a group of the following formula:

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$$(R^6)$$
 m - (Y^3) p - $C - R^7$

(wherein R^6 represents C_1 - C_6 alkylene group, substituted C_1 - C_6 alkylene group substituted by C_1 - C_4 alkylene group interrupted by

-0- or

 $-S(0)_n$ in which n is an integer of 0-2;

 R^7 represents hydrogen atom, $C_1\text{-}C_8$ alkyl group, halo $C_1\text{-}C_8$ alkyl group, phenyl group, substituted phenyl group having 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro



group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C1-C4 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups, 5- or 6-membered heterocycle containing 1 to 3 same or different hetero atoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen atom, sulfur atom and nitrogen atom, or substituted 5- or 6-membered heterocycle containing 1 to 3 same or different hetero atoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen atom, sulfur atom and nitrogen atom and having, on the ring thereof, 1 to 5 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, hydroxyl group, mercapto group, C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, C₁-C₄ alkoxy group, halo C₁-C₄ alkoxy group, C₁-C₄ alkylthio group, halo C₁-C₄ alkylthio group, amino group and substituted amino group having 1 or 2 same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl and phenyl groups;

Y³ represents -O- or -S-;

X³ represents oxygen atom or sulfur atom;

 $$\mathsf{m},$$ same or different, represents an integer of 0 to 10; and

p represents an integer of 0 or 1); and letter \underline{a} represents an integer of 0 to 30; and R alternatively represents a C_0 - C_{30} alkylene



group which may be intercepted by one or more same or different groups selected from the group consisting of

-0-,

 $-S(0)_n$ - in which n is as defined above,

 $-N(R^3)$ - in which R^3 is as defined above,

 $-C(R^3)=C(R^4)$ - in which R^3 and R^4 are as defined above,

-C≡C- or

a group of the following formula:



(Z is halogen atom, nitro group, cyano group, C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl group, C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkoxy group, C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group, halo C_1 - C_4 alkylthio group or a group of the following formula:

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$$(R^6)$$
 m- (Y^3) p-C-R¹

in which R^6 , R^7 , Y^3 , X^3 , m and p are as defined above).

- 4. An agrohorticultural disease controller which comprises the bis-thiadiazole derivative or a salt thereof according to one of Claims 1 to 3 as an active ingredient.
- 5. A method for controlling a plant disease which comprises treating a plant on which occurrence of plant



disease is undesirable with an effective quantity of the agrohorticultural disease controller according to Claim 4.

6. A bis-thiadiazole derivative as defined in claim 1 substantially as hereinbefore described with reference to the Examples.

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