

# Solid-Phase Synthesis of Linked Heterocycles from a Selenopolystyrene Resin

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A linked heterocycle library of isoxazoles, 1,2,3-triazoles, bicyclo[2.2.1]hepta-2,5-diene or 4-methylcyclohexa-1,3-diene and 1,2,4-oxadiazoles was prepared by solid-phase organic synthesis. Key steps on resin-bound selenium were electrophilic additions; 1,3-dipolar cycloaddition; Porco's two-step, one-pot condensation of amidoxime and carboxylate; and Diels–Alder reaction.

## Introduction

Combinatorial chemistry has become a highly powerful tool in drug discovery,<sup>1</sup> and solid-phase organic synthesis (SPOS) is one of the core technologies used for synthesis of compound libraries.<sup>2</sup> Substituted heterocyclic compounds offer a high degree of structural diversity and have proven to be broadly useful as therapeutic agents. As a result, the field of solid-phase heterocyclic chemistry has rapidly expanded for the preparation of pharmaceutically useful heterocyclic compounds.<sup>3</sup>

Isoxazoles and oxadiazoles are present in various biologically active compounds, since isoxazoles are readily transformed into various biodynamic agents, including those with antithrombotic, PAF antagonist, and hypolipidemic properties.<sup>4</sup> Oxadiazoles are important bioisosters for esters and amides in drug discovery with reported muscarinic agonist, benzodiazepine receptor agonist, 5-HT agonist, and antirhinoviral activities.<sup>5</sup> Triazole, substituted bicyclo[2.2.1]hepta-2,5-dienes and 4-methylcyclohexa-1,3-dienes also play important roles as pharmacophores in many pharmaceuticals.<sup>6</sup> They have also been used in asymmetric catalysis.<sup>7</sup> Therefore, they are all interesting targets that can be made, potentially, through solid-phase chemistry.

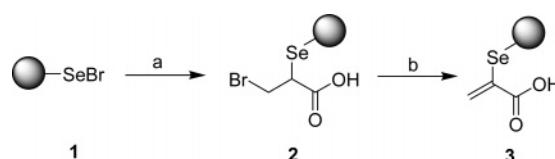
The first organoselenium resin<sup>8</sup> was reported in 1976, and in 1998, Nicolaou<sup>9a</sup> and Ruhland<sup>9b</sup> reported the development of organoselenium resins for their versatile reactivities. Recently, others<sup>10</sup> and our research group<sup>11</sup> have been interested in the preparation of heterocyclic libraries from organoselenium resins. Herein, we present our investigation of the applicability of SPOS methodology for the preparation of a linked heterocyclic library of isoxazoles, 1,2,3-triazoles, bicyclo[2.2.1]hepta-2,5-diene, or 4-methylcyclohexa-1,3-diene, and 1,2,4-oxadiazoles, with the advantages of straightforward synthetic operation, lack of odor and good stability of the supported selenium species, and high purities of the products.

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## Scheme 1<sup>a</sup>



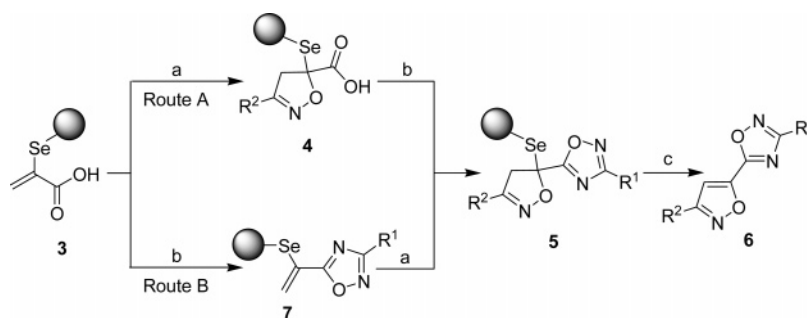
<sup>a</sup> Reagents and conditions: (a) CH<sub>2</sub>=CHCOOH (5.0 equiv), ZnCl<sub>2</sub> (0.1 equiv), CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, r.t., 2.0 h.; (b) *t*-BuONa (4.0 equiv), anhydrous Et<sub>2</sub>O, r.t., 12 h.

## Results and Discussion

Polystyrene-supported selenenyl bromide **1**<sup>9</sup> (dark-red resin, Br: 1.02 mmol/g) was chosen as the starting material. It was found that in the presence of 10 mol % ZnCl<sub>2</sub>, resin **1** could react with acrylic acid smoothly, and the dark-red resin changed to pale yellow after stirring for 2 h, FTIR showed a strong carbonyl absorption at 1712 cm<sup>-1</sup>, and prolonging the reaction time did not increase this. Resin **2** was then reacted with *t*-BuONa to give the corresponding yellow resin **3** almost quantitatively (Br was undetectable through microanalysis of resin **3**), and the carboxylate loading of resin **3** was determined by acid–base titration<sup>11e,12</sup> to be 0.99 mmol/g (Scheme 1).

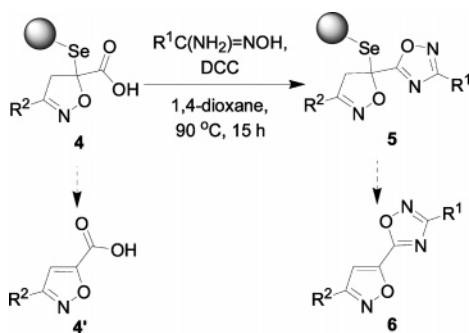
With resin **3** in hand, two choices existed (route A or route B) to allow construction of the linked heterocyclic product **6** through 1,3-dipolar cycloaddition reaction<sup>13</sup> and Porco's two-step, one-pot condensation<sup>14</sup> (Scheme 2).

In route A, a 1,3-dipolar cycloaddition reaction was performed on resin **3** to furnish the resin-bound 3-substituted 4,5-dihydroisoxazol **4**. Resin **4** was then reacted with amidoxime and DCC using Porco's two-step, one-pot condensation to give the resin-bound biheteroaryl **5**, which was followed by selenoxide syn elimination to give the substituted 5-(isoxazol-5-yl)-1,2,4-oxadiazole **6**. In route B, resin **3** reacted with amidoxime in the presence of DCC to give the resin-bound 3-substituted -5-vinyl-1,2,4-oxadiazole **7** initially, which then reacted with nitrile oxides through a 1,3-dipolar cycloaddition to furnish the resin-bound biheteroaryl **5**.

Scheme 2<sup>a</sup>

<sup>a</sup> Reagents and conditions: (a)  $R^2CH=NOH$ , NCS,  $CH_2Cl_2$ ,  $Et_3N$ , r.t., 24 h; (b) DCC,  $R^1C(NH_2)=NOH$ , 1,4-dioxane, 90 °C, 15 h; (c)  $H_2O_2$ , THF, 0 °C, 30 min, then r.t., 20 min.

## Scheme 3



Although the purity of the linked heterocycles **6** is good through either route A or route B, the yields were different. The yield of product **6** obtained through route B was higher than that through route A. Upon further investigation, it was found that resins **4** and **5** could undergo cleavage and aromatization to form the 3-substituted isoxazole-5-carboxylic acid **4'** and the substituted 5-(isoxazol-5-yl)-1,2,4-oxadiazole **6** (Scheme 3).

Therefore, we chose route B. The results are described in Table 1 and show that the linked heterocycles **6** could be obtained in moderate to good yield with high purities. The structure of **6j** was established by X-ray diffraction studies (Figure 1).

In addition to nitrile oxides, azides can perform 1,3-dipolar cycloadditions easily. In the presence of CuI and proline, resin **7** reacted smoothly with aryl halides and sodium azide through a one-pot, 1, 3-dipolar cycloaddition<sup>15</sup> to furnish the resin-bound biheteroaryl **8**, which was followed by selenoxide syn elimination to give the substituted 4-(1,2,4-oxadiazol-5-yl)-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole **9** (Scheme 4). The results are presented in Table 2.

To expand the diversity of this method, Diels–Alder reactions were tested.<sup>16</sup> Cyclopentadiene was initially used as a diene to perform the Diels–Alder reaction on resin **7**, but low conversion was observed when the reaction was catalyzed by  $ZnCl_2$ .<sup>17</sup> Further investigation showed that the use of other solvents, such as THF, toluene,  $CH_2Cl_2$ , and acetone, did not improve the yield of the desired product. Fortunately, the use of 1.2 equiv of  $ZnI_2$  as the catalyst in DCM resulted in the formation of the desired adduct in good yield. Resin **10** was then treated with  $H_2O_2$  to give the substituted 5-(bicyclo[2.2.1]hepta-2,5-dien-2-yl)-1,2,4-oxadiazole **11** in good yields and high purities (Scheme 5, Table 3).

**Table 1.** Synthesis of the Substituted 5-(Isoxazol-5-yl)-1,2,4-oxadiazole

product	R <sup>1</sup>	R <sup>2</sup>	yield (%) <sup>a</sup>	purity (%) <sup>b</sup>	route
<b>6a</b>	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>5</sub>	4-CH <sub>3</sub> C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	51	92	A
<b>6a</b>	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>5</sub>	4-CH <sub>3</sub> C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	73	92	B
<b>6b</b>	4-ClC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	4-CH <sub>3</sub> C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	66	91	B
<b>6c</b>	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>5</sub>	4-CH <sub>3</sub> OC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	64	89	B
<b>6d</b>	4-CH <sub>3</sub> C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	4-CH <sub>3</sub> OC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	65	92	B
<b>6e</b>	4-BrC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	4-CH <sub>3</sub> OC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	60	91	B
<b>6f</b>	4-ClC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	4-CH <sub>3</sub> OC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	61	94	B
<b>6g</b>	4-FC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	4-CH <sub>3</sub> OC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	58	93	B
<b>6h</b>	2-ClC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	4-CH <sub>3</sub> OC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	59	94	B
<b>6i</b>	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>5</sub>	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>11</sub>	76	93	B
<b>6j</b>	4-CH <sub>3</sub> C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>11</sub>	74	95	B
<b>6k</b>	4-BrC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>11</sub>	71	92	B
<b>6l</b>	4-ClC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>11</sub>	71	90	B
<b>6m</b>	2-ClC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>11</sub>	67	95	B
<b>6n</b>	3-BrC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>11</sub>	55	91	A
<b>6n</b>	3-BrC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>11</sub>	70	91	B
<b>6o</b>	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>5</sub>	4-ClC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	71	88	B
<b>6p</b>	4-CH <sub>3</sub> C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	4-ClC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	68	90	B
<b>6q</b>	4-BrC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	4-ClC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	63	95	B
<b>6r</b>	4-ClC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	4-ClC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	61	90	B
<b>6s</b>	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>5</sub>	2-ClC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	58	90	B
<b>6t</b>	4-CH <sub>3</sub> C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	2-ClC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	59	93	B
<b>6u</b>	4-FC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	2-ClC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	56	88	B
<b>6v</b>	4-CH <sub>3</sub> C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	4-NO <sub>2</sub> C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	48	87	B
<b>6w</b>	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>5</sub>	COOEt	70	90	B

<sup>a</sup> Yield of the crude product based on the loading of resin **1**.

<sup>b</sup> Purity of the crude product was determined by HPLC ( $\lambda = 254$  nm).

The use of isoprene in place of cyclopentadiene gave the substituted 5-(4-methylcyclohexa-1,3-dienyl)-1,2,4-oxadiazole **13** (Scheme 6, Table 4).

## Conclusions

In summary, we have developed an efficient solid-phase parallel synthetic route to a bis-heterocycle library of isoxazoles, 1,2,3-triazoles, bicyclo[2.2.1]hepta-2,5-diene or 4-methylcyclohexa-1,3-diene, and 1,2,4-oxadiazoles using a polymer-supported selenium resin. The advantages of this method include straightforward operation, lack of odor and good stability of the supported selenium species, and the high purities of the products.

## Experimental Section

**General Methods.** Starting materials were obtained from commercial suppliers and used without further purification. THF was distilled from sodium/benzophenone immediately

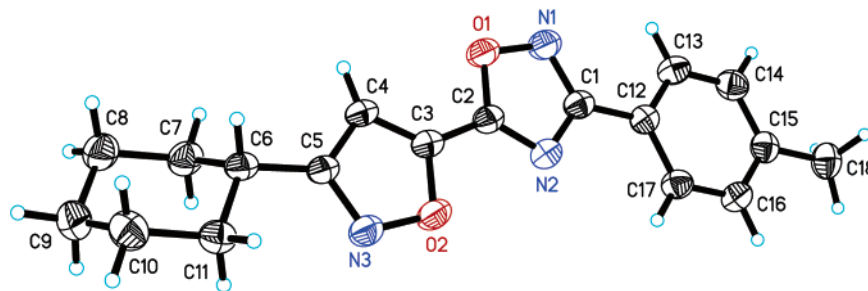
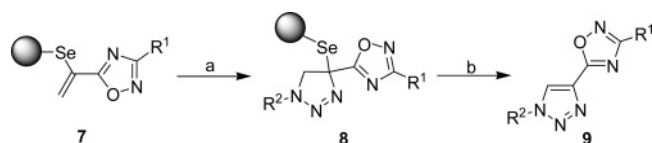


Figure 1. X-ray crystal structure of **6j**.

Scheme 4<sup>a</sup>



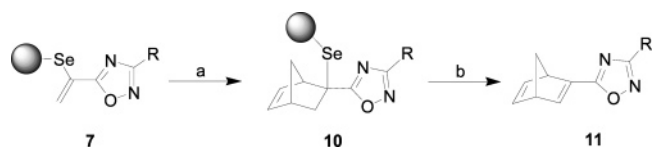
<sup>a</sup> Reagents and conditions: (a)  $\text{NaN}_3$ ,  $\text{R}^2\text{I}$ ,  $\text{CuI}$ , proline,  $\text{LiOH}$ ,  $\text{DMSO}$ ,  $65\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ , 15 h; (b)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$ ,  $\text{THF}$ ,  $0\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ , 30 min, then r.t., 40 min.

Table 2. Synthesis of the Substituted 4-(1,2,4-Oxadiazol-5-yl)-1H-1,2,3-triazole

product	R <sup>1</sup>	R <sup>2</sup>	yield (%) <sup>a</sup>	purity (%) <sup>b</sup>
<b>9a</b>	$\text{C}_6\text{H}_5$	$\text{C}_6\text{H}_5$	68	89
<b>9b</b>	$4\text{-CH}_3\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$	$\text{C}_6\text{H}_5$	66	90
<b>9c</b>	$4\text{-BrC}_6\text{H}_4$	$\text{C}_6\text{H}_5$	60	89
<b>9d</b>	$4\text{-ClC}_6\text{H}_4$	$\text{C}_6\text{H}_5$	61	92
<b>9e</b>	$4\text{-FC}_6\text{H}_4$	$\text{C}_6\text{H}_5$	58	89
<b>9f</b>	$2\text{-ClC}_6\text{H}_4$	$\text{C}_6\text{H}_5$	59	91
<b>9g</b>	$3\text{-BrC}_6\text{H}_4$	$\text{C}_6\text{H}_5$	60	91
<b>9h</b>	$\text{C}_6\text{H}_5$	$4\text{-CH}_3\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$	60	91
<b>9i</b>	$4\text{-CH}_3\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$	$4\text{-CH}_3\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$	61	91
<b>9j</b>	$4\text{-BrC}_6\text{H}_4$	$4\text{-CH}_3\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$	58	89
<b>9k</b>	$3\text{-BrC}_6\text{H}_4$	$4\text{-CH}_3\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$	58	88
<b>9l</b>	$\text{C}_6\text{H}_5$	$2\text{-CH}_3\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$	62	90
<b>9m</b>	$4\text{-CH}_3\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$	$2\text{-CH}_3\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$	60	89
<b>9n</b>	$4\text{-BrC}_6\text{H}_4$	$2\text{-CH}_3\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$	59	93
<b>9o</b>	$2\text{-ClC}_6\text{H}_4$	$2\text{-CH}_3\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$	56	90

<sup>a</sup> Yield of the crude product based on the loading of resin **1**.  
<sup>b</sup> Purity of the crude product was determined by HPLC ( $\lambda = 254\text{ nm}$ ).

Scheme 5<sup>a</sup>



<sup>a</sup> Reagents and conditions: (a) cyclopentadiene,  $\text{ZnI}_2$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ , r.t., 12 h; (b)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$ ,  $\text{THF}$ ,  $0\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ , 20 min, then r.t., 1.0 h.

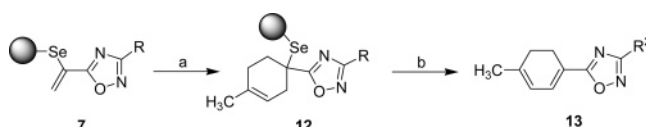
prior to use. Polystyrene (H 1000, 100–200 mesh, cross-linked with 1% divinylbenzene) was used for the preparation of selenenyl bromide resin (1.02 mmol of Br/g) according to the procedure described by Nicolaou and co-workers<sup>10</sup> and was purchased from commercial sources (Nankai University). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz) and <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz) spectra were recorded on a Bruker Avance spectrometer using  $\text{CDCl}_3$  as the solvent and TMS as an internal standard. Mass spectra (EI, 70 eV) were recorded on a HP5989B mass spectrometer. Infrared spectra were recorded on a Shimadzu IR-408 spectrometer. Elemental analyses were performed on a Flash EA1112 instrument. HPLC was performed on an Agilent 1100 (column, Eclipse XDB-C18 5  $\mu\text{m}$ ,  $4.6 \times 150\text{ mm}$ ;

Table 3. Synthesis of the Substituted 5-(Bicyclo[2.2.1]-hepta-2,5-dien-2-yl)-1,2,4-oxadiazole

product	R	yield (%) <sup>a</sup>	purity (%) <sup>b</sup>
<b>11a</b>	$\text{C}_6\text{H}_5$	78	90
<b>11b</b>	$4\text{-CH}_3\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$	78	91
<b>11c</b>	$4\text{-CH}_3\text{OC}_6\text{H}_4$	77	92
<b>11d</b>	$4\text{-BrC}_6\text{H}_4$	73	91
<b>11e</b>	$4\text{-ClC}_6\text{H}_4$	74	95
<b>11f</b>	$4\text{-FC}_6\text{H}_4$	71	87
<b>11g</b>	$2\text{-ClC}_6\text{H}_4$	68	92
<b>11h</b>	$3\text{-BrC}_6\text{H}_4$	73	89

<sup>a</sup> Yield of the crude product based on the loading of resin **1**.  
<sup>b</sup> Purity of the crude product was determined by HPLC ( $\lambda = 254\text{ nm}$ ).

Scheme 6<sup>a</sup>



<sup>a</sup> Reagents and conditions: (a) isoprene,  $\text{ZnI}_2$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ , r.t., 48 h; (b)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$ ,  $\text{THF}$ ,  $0\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ , 20 min, then r.t., 40 min.

Table 4. Synthesis of the Substituted 5-(4-Methylcyclohexa-1,3-dienyl)-1,2,4-oxadiazole

product	R	yield (%) <sup>a</sup>	purity (%) <sup>b</sup>
<b>13a</b>	$\text{C}_6\text{H}_5$	73	94
<b>13b</b>	$4\text{-CH}_3\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$	74	92
<b>13c</b>	$4\text{-CH}_3\text{OC}_6\text{H}_4$	74	91
<b>13d</b>	$4\text{-BrC}_6\text{H}_4$	69	90
<b>13e</b>	$4\text{-ClC}_6\text{H}_4$	70	89
<b>13f</b>	$4\text{-FC}_6\text{H}_4$	64	90
<b>13g</b>	$2\text{-ClC}_6\text{H}_4$	59	88
<b>13h</b>	$3\text{-BrC}_6\text{H}_4$	65	91

<sup>a</sup> Yield of the crude product based on the loading of resin **1**.  
<sup>b</sup> Purity of the crude product was determined by HPLC ( $\lambda = 254\text{ nm}$ ).

mobile phase,  $\text{THF}/\text{MeOH}/\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , 50/20/30 (v/v); flow rate, 1.0 mL/min; detector, UV 254 nm). The samples were further purified by TLC for <sup>13</sup>C NMR and microanalysis.

**Typical Procedure for the Preparation of Resin-Bound Acrylic Acid 3.** To a suspension of the swollen resin **1** (1.0 g, 1.02 mmol of Br/g) in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (10 mL) was added  $\text{ZnCl}_2$  (0.10 mmol). After 10 min with stirring at room temperature, acrylic acid (5 mmol) was added, and the mixture was stirred for 2.0 h. The resin was collected on a filter and washed successively with  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (20 mL  $\times$  2),  $\text{THF}$  (10 mL  $\times$  2), acetone (10 mL  $\times$  2),  $\text{THF}/\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (2:1) (10 mL  $\times$  2),  $\text{THF}$  (10 mL  $\times$  2), and  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (10 mL  $\times$  2) and then dried under vacuum overnight to afford resin **2**.

*t*-BuONa (4.0 mmol) was added to a suspension of the swollen resin **2** in anhydrous diethyl ether (20 mL), and the mixture was stirred for 12 h at room temperature. Resin was collected by filtration, washed with H<sub>2</sub>O (20 mL × 2), THF/H<sub>2</sub>O (2:1) (10 mL × 2), THF (10 mL × 2), and CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (10 mL × 2) and then dried in a vacuum overnight to afford resin **3**.

**Typical Procedure for the Titration of Carboxylate of Resin 3.** Titration was effected by treating 0.5 g of resin **3** with an excess of *n*-BuLi in benzene and back-titrating with 0.1 N HCl. Resin **3** was found to contain around 0.99 mmol of functional group/g.

**Typical Procedure for the Preparation of Resin-Bound 3-Substituted -5-Vinyl-1,2,4-Oxadiazole 7.** Under a positive pressure of nitrogen, to a suspension of the swollen polystyrene resin **3** (1.0 g) in anhydrous 1,4-dioxane (15 mL) was added DCC (3.5 mmol) and amidoxime (3.0 mmol). The mixture was stirred at 90 °C for 15 h. Resin **7** was collected by filtration; washed with hot DMF (10 mL × 3), hot THF (10 mL × 3), hot EtOH (10 mL × 3), THF (10 mL × 2), and CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (10 mL × 2); and then dried in a vacuum.

**Typical Procedure for the Preparation of the Substituted 5-(Isoxazol-5-yl)-1,2,4-Oxadiazole 6 (Products 6a–v).** Under a positive pressure of nitrogen, to a suspension of the swollen resin **7** (0.6 g) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (15 mL) was added a solution of hydroximoyl halide (2.5 mmol) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (10 mL) (prepared from 2.5 mmol of aldoxime and 2.5 mmol of NCS in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (15 mL) stirring at room temperature for 4 h before use). A solution of Et<sub>3</sub>N (5 mmol) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (15 mL) was slowly added dropwise in three portions every 8 h (each time, 1.66 mmol in anhydrous CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (5 mL) was added). After stirring for 24 h at room temperature, resin **5** was collected by filtration; washed with DMF (10 mL × 3), THF (10 mL × 2), ether (10 mL × 2), THF/H<sub>2</sub>O (2:1) (10 mL × 2), H<sub>2</sub>O (10 mL × 2), THF (10 mL × 2), benzene (10 mL × 2), and CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (10 mL × 2).

The washed resin **5** was suspended in THF (15 mL), 30% (aq) H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> (0.5 mL) was added, and the mixture was stirred for 30 min at 0 °C, followed by 40 min at room temperature. The mixture was filtered, and the resin was washed with CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (15 mL × 2). The filtrate was washed with H<sub>2</sub>O (30 mL × 2), dried over MgSO<sub>4</sub>, and evaporated to dryness under vacuum to obtain the crude products **6**. Further purification was via flash chromatography with *n*-hexanes/EtOAc (8:1 v/v) as the eluent for <sup>13</sup>C NMR and microanalysis.

**6a.** White solid, mp: 191–193 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.20–8.18 (2H, m), 7.80 (2H, d, *J* = 8.0 Hz), 7.56–7.54 (3H, m), 7.47 (1H, s), 7.34 (2H, d, *J* = 8.0 Hz), 2.44 (3H, s); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 169.3, 165.4, 163.2, 155.7, 141.2, 131.8, 129.9, 129.0, 127.7, 126.9, 125.9, 124.7, 106.3, 21.5; MS *m/z* 158 (100), 303 (M<sup>+</sup>); IR  $\nu_{\max}$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 2924, 2854, 1651, 1513, 1428, 1357, 1112, 898, 824, 743, 695. Anal. Calcd for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>13</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O<sub>2</sub>: C, 71.28%; H, 4.32%; N, 13.85%. Found: C, 71.17%; H, 4.39%; N, 13.90%.

**6b.** White solid, mp: 200–202 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.14 (2H, d, *J* = 8.4 Hz), 7.80 (2H, d, *J* = 8.0 Hz), 7.53 (2H, d, *J* = 8.4 Hz), 7.47 (1H, s), 7.34 (2H, d, *J* = 8.0 Hz), 2.44 (3H, s); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 168.5, 165.5, 163.2, 155.4,

141.2, 138.0, 129.9, 129.4, 129.0, 126.9, 124.5, 124.3, 106.4, 21.5; MS *m/z* 158 (100), 337 (M<sup>+</sup>); IR  $\nu_{\max}$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 2924, 1655, 1604, 1509, 1429, 1410, 1351, 1094, 1017837, 819, 756. Anal. Calcd for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>12</sub>ClN<sub>3</sub>O<sub>2</sub>: C, 64.01%; H, 3.58%; N, 12.44%. Found: C, 64.09%; H, 3.54%; N, 12.38%.

**6c.** White solid, mp: 124–126 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 9.23 (1H, s), 8.09–8.07 (2H, m), 7.90 (2H, d, *J* = 8.8 Hz), 7.53–7.49 (3H, m), 7.05 (2H, d, *J* = 8.8 Hz), 3.89 (3H, s); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 168.7, 168.6, 162.3, 161.5, 159.7, 131.5, 130.9, 128.9, 127.5, 126.3, 118.8, 114.0, 106.7, 55.4; MS *m/z* 173 (100), 319 (M<sup>+</sup>); IR  $\nu_{\max}$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3098, 2932, 1645, 1613, 1447, 1358, 1254, 1137, 956, 823, 751, 690. Anal. Calcd for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>13</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O<sub>3</sub>: C, 67.71%; H, 4.10%; N, 13.16%. Found: C, 67.62%; H, 4.16%; N, 13.11%.

**6d.** White solid, mp: 126–128 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 9.21 (1H, s), 7.97 (2H, d, *J* = 8.0 Hz), 7.89 (2H, d, *J* = 8.8 Hz), 7.30 (2H, d, *J* = 8.0 Hz), 7.05 (2H, d, *J* = 8.8 Hz), 3.89 (3H, s), 2.42 (3H, s); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 168.6, 168.3, 162.2, 161.4, 159.6, 141.8, 130.9, 129.6, 127.4, 123.4, 118.8, 113.9, 106.7, 55.3, 21.5; MS *m/z* 173 (100), 333 (M<sup>+</sup>); IR  $\nu_{\max}$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 2925.1644, 1616, 1425, 1253, 1137, 873, 823, 759. Anal. Calcd for C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>15</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O<sub>3</sub>: C, 68.46%; H, 4.54%; N, 12.61%. Found: C, 68.58%; H, 4.49%; N, 12.56%.

**6e.** Pale yellow solid, mp: 160–162 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 9.25 (1H, s), 7.96 (2H, d, *J* = 8.8 Hz), 7.87 (2H, d, *J* = 8.8 Hz), 7.65 (2H, d, *J* = 8.8 Hz), 7.05 (2H, d, *J* = 8.8 Hz), 3.90 (3H, s); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 168.8, 168.0, 162.3, 161.5, 159.7, 132.2, 130.9, 129.0, 126.1, 125.2, 118.7, 114.0, 106.5, 55.4; MS *m/z* 173 (100), 397 (M<sup>+</sup>), 399 (M + 2); IR  $\nu_{\max}$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3123, 2924, 1643, 1616, 1474, 1405, 1253, 1143, 798, 760. Anal. Calcd for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>12</sub>BrN<sub>3</sub>O<sub>3</sub>: C, 54.29%; H, 3.04%; N, 10.55%. Found: C, 54.22%; H, 3.09%; N, 10.51%.

**6f.** White solid, mp: 170–172 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 9.24 (1H, s), 8.03 (2H, d, *J* = 8.4 Hz), 7.87 (2H, d, *J* = 8.4 Hz), 7.48 (2H, d, *J* = 8.4 Hz), 7.05 (2H, d, *J* = 8.4 Hz), 3.90 (3H, s); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 168.8, 167.9, 162.3, 161.5, 159.7, 137.7, 130.9, 129.3, 124.8, 118.8, 114.0, 106.6, 55.4; MS *m/z* 173 (100), 353 (M<sup>+</sup>); IR  $\nu_{\max}$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3115, 2937, 1646, 1510, 1409, 1356, 1255, 1137, 834, 759. Anal. Calcd for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>12</sub>ClN<sub>3</sub>O<sub>3</sub>: C, 61.11%; H, 3.42%; N, 11.88%. Found: C, 61.02%; H, 3.46%; N, 11.85%.

**6g.** White solid, mp: 150–151 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 9.24 (1H, s), 8.10–8.07 (2H, m), 7.88 (2H, d, *J* = 8.8 Hz), 7.20–7.16 (2H, m), 7.06 (2H, d, *J* = 8.8 Hz), 3.90 (3H, s); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 168.7, 167.9, 164.7 (*J* = 249.9 Hz), 162.3, 161.5, 159.7, 130.9, 129.7 (*J* = 8.9 Hz), 122.5 (*J* = 3.9 Hz), 118.8, 116.2 (*J* = 22.0 Hz), 114.0, 106.6, 55.4; MS *m/z* 173 (100), 337 (M<sup>+</sup>); IR  $\nu_{\max}$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3128, 2925, 1609, 1523, 1420, 1260, 1153, 1129, 835, 762. Anal. Calcd for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>12</sub>FN<sub>3</sub>O<sub>3</sub>: C, 64.09%; H, 3.59%; N, 12.46%. Found: C, 64.00%; H, 3.63%; N, 12.43%.

**6h.** White solid, mp: 58–59 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 9.26 (1H, s), 7.94–7.92 (1H, m), 7.91 (2H, d, *J* = 9.2 Hz), 7.56–7.54 (1H, m), 7.47–7.41 (2H, m), 7.04 (2H, d, *J* = 9.2 Hz), 3.88 (3H, s); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 168.1, 167.6, 162.4, 161.6, 159.7, 133.6, 131.9, 131.7, 131.1, 130.9, 128.9, 127.0, 119.3, 114.2, 106.5, 55.4; MS *m/z* 139 (100), 353 (M<sup>+</sup>); IR  $\nu_{\max}$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 2929, 2855, 1645, 1615, 1474, 1257, 1144, 755. Anal.



Calcd for  $C_{18}H_{12}ClN_3O_3$ : C, 61.11%; H, 3.42%; N, 11.88%. Found: C, 61.19%; H, 3.45%; N, 11.82%.

**6i.** White solid, mp: 115–117 °C.  $^1H$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  8.15–8.12 (2H, m), 7.53–7.48 (3H, m), 7.04 (1H, s), 2.91–2.85 (1H, m), 2.06–1.27 (10H, m);  $^{13}C$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  169.1, 165.5, 160.8, 154.7, 131.6, 128.9, 127.6, 125.8, 106.9, 35.7, 31.9, 25.7, 25.6; MS  $m/z$  55 (100), 295 ( $M^+$ ); IR  $\nu_{max}$  ( $cm^{-1}$ ) 2927, 2852, 1654, 1531, 1447, 1360, 897, 745, 698. Anal. Calcd for  $C_{17}H_{17}N_3O_2$ : C, 69.14%; H, 5.80%; N, 14.23%. Found: C, 69.20%; H, 5.77%; N, 14.19%.

**6j.** White solid, mp: 112–115 °C.  $^1H$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  8.04 (2H, d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz), 7.31 (2H, d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz), 7.03 (1H, s), 2.91–2.85 (1H, m), 2.41(3H, s), 2.03–1.28 (10H, m);  $^{13}C$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  169.0, 165.3, 160.7, 154.7, 142.0, 129.6, 127.4, 122.9, 106.8, 35.6, 31.8, 25.7, 25.6, 21.5; MS  $m/z$  55 (100), 309 ( $M^+$ ); IR  $\nu_{max}$  ( $cm^{-1}$ ) 3114, 2933, 2851, 1654, 1614, 1531, 1479, 1451, 1412, 1350, 1123, 896, 757. Anal. Calcd for  $C_{18}H_{19}N_3O_2$ : C, 69.88%; H, 6.19%; N, 13.58%. Found: C, 69.80%; H, 6.23%; N, 13.63%.

**6k.** Pale yellow solid, mp: 125–128 °C.  $^1H$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  8.04 (2H, d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz), 7.67 (2H, d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz), 7.05 (1H, s), 2.93–2.87 (1H, m), 2.07–1.25 (10H, m);  $^{13}C$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  169.2, 168.4, 165.7, 154.6, 132.3, 129.1, 126.4, 124.8, 107.1, 35.7, 31.9, 25.8, 25.7; MS  $m/z$  55 (100), 373 ( $M^+$ ), 375 ( $M + 2$ ); IR  $\nu_{max}$  ( $cm^{-1}$ ) 2930, 2854, 1650, 1599, 1530, 1406, 1347, 1122, 1013, 757, 900, 837. Anal. Calcd for  $C_{17}H_{16}BrN_3O_2$ : C, 54.56%; H, 4.31%; N, 11.23%. Found: C, 54.43%; H, 4.40%; N, 11.16%.

**6l.** White solid, mp: 108–111 °C.  $^1H$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  8.12 (2H, d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz), 7.51 (2H, d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz), 7.05 (1H, s), 2.93–2.87 (1H, m), 2.07–1.25 (10H, m);  $^{13}C$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  169.2, 168.4, 165.7, 154.6, 138.0, 129.3, 128.9, 124.4, 107.0, 35.7, 31.9, 25.8, 25.7; MS  $m/z$  55 (100), 329 ( $M^+$ ); IR  $\nu_{max}$  ( $cm^{-1}$ ) 2931, 2853, 1650, 1602, 1530, 1470, 1448, 1409, 1349, 1092, 839, 758. Anal. Calcd for  $C_{17}H_{16}ClN_3O_2$ : C, 61.91%; H, 4.89%; N, 12.74%. Found: C, 61.78%; H, 4.83%; N, 12.70%.

**6m.** White solid, mp: 85–87 °C.  $^1H$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  7.99–7.96 (1H, m), 7.54–7.52 (1H, m), 7.46–7.37 (2H, m), 7.05 (1H, s), 2.89–2.83 (1H, m), 2.03–1.25 (10H, m);  $^{13}C$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  169.1, 167.8, 165.0, 154.5, 133.4, 132.1, 131.7, 130.9, 126.9, 125.1, 107.1, 35.6, 31.8, 25.7, 25.6; MS  $m/z$  55 (100), 329 ( $M^+$ ); IR  $\nu_{max}$  ( $cm^{-1}$ ) 3112, 2929, 2853, 1652, 1530, 1472, 1344, 1096, 1051, 755. Anal. Calcd for  $C_{17}H_{16}ClN_3O_2$ : C, 61.91%; H, 4.89%; N, 12.74%. Found: C, 61.83%; H, 4.98%; N, 12.68%.

**6n.** Pale yellow solid, mp: 160–161 °C.  $^1H$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  8.33–8.32 (1H, m), 8.11–8.09 (1H, m), 7.69–7.67 (1H, m), 7.42–7.38 (1H, m), 7.07 (1H, s), 2.93–2.88 (1H, m), 2.07–1.29 (10H, m);  $^{13}C$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  169.2, 168.0, 165.8, 154.6, 134.7, 130.6, 130.5, 137.8, 126.1, 123.1, 107.2, 35.7, 31.9, 25.8, 25.7; MS  $m/z$  55 (100), 373 ( $M^+$ ), 375 ( $M + 2$ ); IR  $\nu_{max}$  ( $cm^{-1}$ ) 3105, 2929, 2853, 1652, 1530, 1445, 1344, 899, 751. Anal. Calcd for  $C_{17}H_{16}BrN_3O_2$ : C, 54.56%; H, 4.31%; N, 11.23%. Found: C, 54.60%; H, 4.35%; N, 11.20%.

**6o.** Pale yellow solid, mp: 162–163 °C.  $^1H$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  9.29 (1H, s), 8.08–8.06 (2H, m), 7.90 (2H, d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz), 7.53–7.50 (5H, m);  $^{13}C$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  168.7, 168.1,

162.4, 159.1, 137.0, 131.5, 130.8, 128.9, 128.8, 127.4, 126.1, 125.1, 106.7; MS  $m/z$  118 (100), 323 ( $M^+$ ); IR  $\nu_{max}$  ( $cm^{-1}$ ) 2926, 2855, 1643, 1448, 1416, 1362, 1140, 1096, 827, 748, 689. Anal. Calcd for  $C_{17}H_{10}ClN_3O_2$ : C, 63.07%; H, 3.11%; N, 12.98%. Found: C, 62.98%; H, 3.25%; N, 12.91%.

**6p.** White solid, mp: 137–139 °C.  $^1H$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  9.27 (1H, s), 7.99 (2H, d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz), 7.90 (2H, d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz), 7.52 (2H, d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz), 7.31 (2H, d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz), 2.43 (3H, s);  $^{13}C$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  168.7, 167.9, 162.4, 159.1, 142.0, 137.0, 130.8, 129.7, 128.8, 127.4, 125.1, 123.3, 106.8, 21.6; MS  $m/z$  132 (100), 337 ( $M^+$ ); IR  $\nu_{max}$  ( $cm^{-1}$ ) 3129, 2924, 1729, 1641, 1483, 1419, 1361, 1146, 1093, 826, 758. Anal. Calcd for  $C_{18}H_{12}ClN_3O_2$ : C, 64.01%; H, 3.58%; N, 12.44%. Found: C, 64.09%; H, 3.65%; N, 12.47%.

**6q.** Pale yellow solid, mp: 178–179 °C.  $^1H$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  9.28 (1H, s), 7.94 (2H, d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz), 7.87 (2H, d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz), 7.65 (2H, d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz), 7.52 (2H, d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz);  $^{13}C$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  168.3, 168.0, 162.5, 159.1, 137.0, 132.3, 130.8, 128.9, 128.8, 126.2, 125.02, 124.99, 106.6; MS  $m/z$  177 (100), 401 ( $M^+$ ), 403 ( $M + 2$ ); IR  $\nu_{max}$  ( $cm^{-1}$ ) 2926, 1643, 1600, 1471, 1409, 1355, 1139, 1095, 1014, 828, 759. Anal. Calcd for  $C_{17}H_9BrClN_3O_2$ : C, 50.71%; H, 2.25%; N, 10.44%. Found: C, 50.59%; H, 2.38%; N, 10.46%.

**6r.** White solid, mp: 163–165 °C.  $^1H$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  9.29 (1H, s), 8.02 (2H, d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz), 7.88 (2H, d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz), 7.53 (2H, d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz), 7.50 (2H, d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz);  $^{13}C$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  168.3, 168.0, 162.5, 159.1, 137.8, 137.1, 130.8, 129.3, 128.9, 128.8, 125.0, 124.6, 106.6; MS  $m/z$  177 (100), 357 ( $M^+$ ); IR  $\nu_{max}$  ( $cm^{-1}$ ) 2925, 1729, 1642, 1603, 1473, 1412, 1141, 1096, 828, 736. Anal. Calcd for  $C_{17}H_9Cl_2N_3O_2$ : C, 57.01%; H, 2.53%; N, 11.73%. Found: C, 56.95%; H, 2.58%; N, 11.66%.

**6s.** White solid, mp: 97–99 °C.  $^1H$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  8.20–8.18 (2H, m), 7.86–7.83 (1H, m), 7.68 (1H, s), 7.56–7.52 (4H, m), 7.49–7.42 (2H, m);  $^{13}C$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  169.3, 165.3, 161.8, 155.2, 133.0, 131.8, 131.7, 131.1, 130.6, 129.0, 127.7, 127.4, 126.7, 125.8, 109.5; MS  $m/z$  178 (100), 323 ( $M^+$ ); IR  $\nu_{max}$  ( $cm^{-1}$ ) 2925, 1652, 1532, 1448, 1357, 1137, 1075, 741, 694. Anal. Calcd for  $C_{17}H_{10}ClN_3O_2$ : C, 63.07%; H, 3.11%; N, 12.98%. Found: C, 63.10%; H, 3.15%; N, 12.92%.

**6t.** White solid, mp: 151–153 °C.  $^1H$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  8.09 (2H, d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz) 7.86–7.83 (1H, m), 7.67 (1H, s), 7.56–7.54 (1H, m), 7.49–7.40 (2H, m), 7.35 (2H, d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz);  $^{13}C$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  169.3, 165.1, 161.8, 155.3, 142.3, 133.0, 131.7, 131.1, 130.6, 129.7, 127.6, 127.4, 126.7, 123.0, 109.4, 21.6; MS  $m/z$  178 (100), 337 ( $M^+$ ); IR  $\nu_{max}$  ( $cm^{-1}$ ) 3115, 2925, 1651, 1614, 1529, 1492, 1418, 1355, 1138, 1041, 905, 769, 728. Anal. Calcd for  $C_{18}H_{12}ClN_3O_2$ : C, 64.01%; H, 3.58%; N, 12.44%. Found: C, 63.95%; H, 3.65%; N, 12.39%.

**6u.** White solid, mp: 136–138 °C.  $^1H$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  8.22–8.18 (2H, m), 7.86–7.83 (1H, m), 7.68 (1H, s), 7.57–7.54 (1H, m), 7.47–7.42 (2H, m), 7.24–7.20 (2H, m);  $^{13}C$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  168.5, 165.4, 164.9 ( $J = 251.3$  Hz), 161.8, 155.1, 133.0, 131.7, 131.1, 130.6, 129.9 ( $J = 9.7$  Hz), 127.4, 126.7, 122.1 ( $J = 4.1$  Hz), 116.3 ( $J = 21.7$  Hz), 109.6; MS  $m/z$  178 (100), 341 ( $M^+$ ); IR  $\nu_{max}$  ( $cm^{-1}$ ) 1068, 1530, 1493, 1422, 1351, 1235, 1159, 842, 758. Anal. Calcd for  $C_{17}H_9$ -

ClF<sub>3</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>: C, 59.75%; H, 2.65%; N, 12.30%. Found: C, 59.79%; H, 2.62%; N, 12.34%.

**6v.** Pale yellow solid, mp: 160–162 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 9.35 (1H, s), 8.42 (2H, d, *J* = 8.8 Hz), 8.20 (2H, d, *J* = 8.8 Hz), 7.95 (2H, d, *J* = 8.0 Hz), 7.32 (2H, d, *J* = 8.0 Hz), 2.43 (3H, s); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 168.8, 167.5, 162.7, 158.4, 149.2, 142.2, 133.0, 130.7, 129.7, 127.4, 123.6, 123.1, 107.0, 21.6; MS *m/z* 132 (100), 348 (M<sup>+</sup>); IR  $\nu_{\max}$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3119, 2923, 2854, 1647, 1521, 1420, 1351, 1138, 853, 756. Anal. Calcd for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>12</sub>N<sub>4</sub>O<sub>4</sub>: C, 62.07%; H, 3.47%; N, 16.09%. Found: C, 62.00%; H, 3.53%; N, 16.16%.

**6w.** Pale yellow solid, mp: 104–106 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.19–8.16 (2H, m), 7.58–7.53 (4H, m), 4.52 (2H, q, *J* = 7.2 Hz), 1.47 (3H, t, *J* = 7.2 Hz); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 169.4, 164.6, 158.6, 157.2, 157.0, 131.9, 129.1, 127.7, 125.6, 108.6, 62.9, 14.1; MS *m/z* 285 (M<sup>+</sup>, 100); IR  $\nu_{\max}$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3137, 2926, 2855, 1728, 1446, 1354, 1272, 1182, 1115, 1013, 933, 745, 697. Anal. Calcd for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>11</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O<sub>4</sub>: C, 58.95%; H, 3.89%; N, 14.73%. Found: C, 58.91%; H, 3.93%; N, 14.77%.

**Typical Procedure for the Preparation of the Substituted 4-(1,2,4-Oxadiazol-5-yl)-1H-1,2,3-triazole 9 (Products 9a–o).** Under a positive pressure of nitrogen, to a suspension of the swollen resin **7** (0.6 g) in DMSO (10 mL) was added NaN<sub>3</sub> (2.0 mmol), ArI (4.0 mmol), proline (0.25 mmol), CuI (0.25 mmol), and Et<sub>3</sub>N (0.25 mmol). The mixture was stirred at 65 °C for 15 h. The resin **8** was collected by filtration and washed with DMF (10 mL × 3), DMF/0.1 N HCl (3:1) (10 mL × 2), H<sub>2</sub>O (10 mL × 3), and THF (10 mL × 3).

The washed resin **8** was suspended in THF (15 mL), 30% (aq) H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> (0.5 mL) was added, and the mixture was stirred for 30 min at 0 °C, followed by 40 min at room temperature. The mixture was filtered, and the resin was washed with CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (15 mL × 2). The filtrate was washed with H<sub>2</sub>O (30 mL × 2), dried over MgSO<sub>4</sub>, and evaporated to dryness under vacuum to obtain the crude products **9**. Further purification was via flash chromatography with *n*-hexanes/EtOAc (6:1 v/v) as the eluent for <sup>13</sup>C NMR and microanalysis.

**9a.** White solid, mp: 177–180 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.75 (1H, s), 8.21–8.18 (2H, m), 7.85–7.82 (2H, m), 7.62–7.51 (6H, m); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 168.9, 168.5, 136.1, 135.0, 131.4, 130.0, 129.8, 128.9, 127.6, 126.3, 123.6, 120.8; MS *m/z* 77 (100), 289 (M<sup>+</sup>); IR  $\nu_{\max}$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3139, 2923, 1642, 1492, 1446, 1386, 1344, 1106, 1042, 764, 749, 688. Anal. Calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>11</sub>N<sub>5</sub>O: C, 66.43%; H, 3.83%; N, 24.21%. Found: C, 66.51%; H, 3.89%; N, 24.12%.

**9b.** White solid, mp: 207–209 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.74 (1H, s), 8.09 (2H, d, *J* = 8.4 Hz), 7.84 (2H, d, *J* = 7.6 Hz), 7.62–7.54 (3H, m), 7.33 (2H, d, *J* = 7.6 Hz), 2.43 (3H, m); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 168.9, 168.4, 141.8, 136.2, 135.1, 130.0, 129.8, 129.6, 127.5, 123.6, 123.5, 120.8, 21.6; MS *m/z* 149 (100), 303 (M<sup>+</sup>); IR  $\nu_{\max}$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 2925, 2855, 1642, 1492, 1462, 1413, 1337, 1041, 760. Anal. Calcd for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>13</sub>N<sub>5</sub>O: C, 67.32%; H, 4.32%; N, 23.09%. Found: C, 67.21%; H, 4.40%; N, 23.05%.

**9c.** Pale yellow solid, mp: 228–229 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.74 (1H, s), 8.08 (2H, d, *J* = 8.4 Hz), 7.85–7.82 (2H, m), 7.68 (2H, d, *J* = 8.4 Hz), 7.63–7.55 (3H, m); <sup>13</sup>C NMR

(CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 168.8, 168.2, 136.2, 134.9, 132.2, 130.1, 129.9, 129.1, 126.1, 125.4, 123.7, 120.9; MS *m/z* 144 (100), 367 (M<sup>+</sup>), 369 (M + 2); IR  $\nu_{\max}$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3134, 1639, 1598, 1484, 1405, 1332, 1152, 1042, 832, 756. Anal. Calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>10</sub>-BrN<sub>5</sub>O: C, 52.19%; H, 2.74%; N, 19.02%. Found: C, 52.13%; H, 2.78%; N, 19.05%.

**9d.** White solid, mp: 227–228 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.74 (1H, s), 8.16 (2H, d, *J* = 8.4 Hz), 7.85–7.83 (2H, m), 7.63–7.55 (3H, m), 7.52 (2H, d, *J* = 8.4 Hz); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 168.8, 168.2, 137.7, 136.2, 134.9, 130.1, 129.9, 129.3, 129.0, 124.9, 123.7, 120.9; MS *m/z* 144 (100), 323 (M<sup>+</sup>); IR  $\nu_{\max}$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3135, 2924, 1639, 1600, 1486, 1407, 1334, 1097, 1042, 759. Anal. Calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>10</sub>ClN<sub>5</sub>O: C, 59.36%; H, 3.11%; N, 21.63%. Found: C, 59.29%; H, 3.19%; N, 21.60%.

**9e.** White solid, mp: 205–206 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.74 (1H, s), 8.21–8.17 (2H, m), 7.83–7.81 (2H, m), 7.61–7.57 (2H, m), 7.55–7.51 (1H, m), 7.22–7.17 (2H, m); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 168.7, 168.1, 164.7 (*J* = 250.3 Hz), 136.1, 134.9, 130.1, 129.8 (*J* = 8.2 Hz), 129.2, 123.6, 122.6 (*J* = 2.8 Hz), 120.9, 116.1 (*J* = 21.9 Hz); MS *m/z* 144 (100), 307 (M<sup>+</sup>); IR  $\nu_{\max}$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3118, 2926, 1641, 1606, 1493, 1416, 1335, 1231, 1155, 1039, 760. Anal. Calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>10</sub>-FN<sub>5</sub>O: C, 62.54%; H, 3.28%; N, 22.79%. Found: C, 62.59%; H, 3.31%; N, 22.73%.

**9f.** White solid, mp: 172–174 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.76 (1H, s), 8.05–8.02 (1H, m), 7.83–7.81 (2H, m), 7.60–7.39 (6H, m); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 168.1, 167.7, 136.1, 134.8, 133.5, 131.9, 130.9, 130.0, 129.8, 126.9, 125.7, 123.8, 120.8; MS *m/z* 144 (100), 323 (M<sup>+</sup>); IR  $\nu_{\max}$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3144, 3060, 1638, 1598, 1481, 1328, 1261, 1042, 761. Anal. Calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>10</sub>ClN<sub>5</sub>O: C, 59.36%; H, 3.11%; N, 21.63%. Found: C, 59.22%; H, 3.21%; N, 21.65%.

**9g.** Pale yellow solid, mp: 141–143 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.75 (1H, s), 8.38–8.37 (1H, m), 8.15–8.12 (1H, m), 7.85–7.83 (2H, m), 7.68–7.55 (4H, m), 7.42–7.38 (1H, m); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 168.9, 167.8, 136.2, 134.9, 134.4, 130.7, 130.5, 130.1, 129.9, 128.3, 126.1, 123.7, 123.0, 120.9; MS *m/z* 77 (100), 367 (M<sup>+</sup>), 369 (M + 2); IR  $\nu_{\max}$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3137, 2925, 2853, 1643, 1486, 1339, 1262, 1042, 759, 685. Anal. Calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>10</sub>BrN<sub>5</sub>O: C, 52.19%; H, 2.74%; N, 19.02%. Found: C, 52.27%; H, 2.72%; N, 18.99%.

**9h.** White solid, mp: 187–189 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.70 (1H, s), 8.22–8.19 (2H, m), 7.71 (2H, d, *J* = 8.0 Hz), 7.54–7.52 (3H, m), 7.40 (2H, d, *J* = 8.0 Hz), 2.47 (3H, s); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 168.9, 168.6, 140.1, 134.9, 133.9, 131.4, 130.5, 128.9, 127.6, 126.6, 123.5, 120.8, 21.1; MS *m/z* 158 (100), 303 (M<sup>+</sup>); IR  $\nu_{\max}$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3299, 3134, 2928, 2854, 1645, 1521, 1445, 1343, 1042, 828, 748, 691. Anal. Calcd for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>13</sub>N<sub>5</sub>O: C, 67.32%; H, 4.32%; N, 23.09%. Found: C, 67.37%; H, 4.34%; N, 23.04%.

**9i.** White solid, mp: 202–205 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.68 (1H, s), 8.10 (2H, d, *J* = 8.0 Hz), 7.71 (2H, d, *J* = 8.0 Hz), 7.40 (2H, d, *J* = 8.0 Hz), 7.34 (2H, d, *J* = 8.0 Hz), 2.47 (3H, s), 2.44 (3H, s); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 168.9, 168.5, 141.8, 140.1, 135.0, 134.0, 130.6, 129.6, 127.6, 123.6, 123.5, 120.8, 21.6, 21.2; MS *m/z* 158 (100), 317 (M<sup>+</sup>); IR  $\nu_{\max}$  (cm<sup>-1</sup>) 3137, 2924, 2853, 1640, 1521, 1048, 1336, 1041,

827, 757. Anal. Calcd for  $C_{18}H_{15}N_5O$ : C, 68.13%; H, 4.76%; N, 22.07%. Found: C, 68.01%; H, 4.82%; N, 22.14%.

**9j.** White solid, mp: 220–222 °C.  $^1H$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  8.68 (1H, s), 8.09 (2H, d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz), 7.71 (2H, d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz), 7.68 (2H, d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz), 7.40 (2H, d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz), 2.47 (3H, s);  $^{13}C$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  168.9, 168.2, 140.2, 134.7, 133.9, 132.2, 130.6, 129.2, 126.1, 125.4, 123.6, 120.8, 21.2; MS  $m/z$  43 (100), 381 ( $M^+$ ), 383 ( $M + 2$ ); IR  $\nu_{max}$  ( $cm^{-1}$ ) 3135, 2923, 1637, 1602, 1405, 1100, 1043, 832, 758. Anal. Calcd for  $C_{17}H_{12}BrN_5O$ : C, 53.42%; H, 3.16%; N, 18.32%. Found: C, 53.46%; H, 3.18%; N, 18.29%.

**9k.** Pale yellow solid, mp: 140–141 °C.  $^1H$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  8.54 (1H, s), 8.15–8.14 (1H, m), 7.95–7.93 (1H, m), 7.66–7.64 (1H, m), 7.47 (2H, d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz), 7.40–7.34 (3H, m), 2.51 (3H, s);  $^{13}C$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  167.8, 166.1, 141.0, 137.3, 134.7, 133.3, 130.6, 130.5, 129.8, 127.8, 126.0, 125.7, 124.0, 123.0, 21.3; MS  $m/z$  158 (100), 381 ( $M^+$ ), 383 ( $M + 2$ ); IR  $\nu_{max}$  ( $cm^{-1}$ ) 2925, 1633, 1516, 1402, 1355, 1169, 1122, 1073, 820, 751. Anal. Calcd for  $C_{17}H_{12}BrN_5O$ : C, 53.42%; H, 3.16%; N, 18.32%. Found: C, 53.35%; H, 3.27%; N, 18.38%.

**9l.** White solid, mp: 146–148 °C.  $^1H$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  8.51 (1H, s), 8.22–8.19 (2H, m), 7.54–7.48 (4H, m), 7.45–7.41 (3H, m), 2.29 (3H, s);  $^{13}C$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  168.9, 168.7, 135.5, 134.4, 133.7, 131.7, 131.4, 130.7, 128.9, 127.6, 127.1, 127.0, 126.4, 125.9, 17.8; MS  $m/z$  129 (100), 303 ( $M^+$ ); IR  $\nu_{max}$  ( $cm^{-1}$ ) 3135, 2929, 1642, 1488, 1447, 1418, 1383, 1341, 1042, 768, 694. Anal. Calcd for  $C_{17}H_{13}N_5O$ : C, 67.32%; H, 4.32%; N, 23.09%. Found: C, 67.22%; H, 4.41%; N, 23.01%.

**9m.** White solid, mp: 169–170 °C.  $^1H$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  8.49 (1H, s), 8.09 (2H, d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz), 7.47–7.39 (4H, m), 7.32 (2H, d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz), 2.43 (3H, s), 2.28 (3H, s);  $^{13}C$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  168.9, 168.5, 141.8, 135.5, 134.4, 133.7, 131.7, 130.6, 129.6, 127.5, 127.1, 127.0, 125.9, 123.5, 21.6, 17.8; MS  $m/z$  91 (100), 317 ( $M^+$ ); IR  $\nu_{max}$  ( $cm^{-1}$ ) 3111, 2925, 1640, 1494, 1413, 1336, 1104, 1041, 763. Anal. Calcd for  $C_{18}H_{15}N_5O$ : C, 68.13%; H, 4.76%; N, 22.07%. Found: C, 68.03%; H, 4.83%; N, 22.02%.

**9n.** Pale yellow solid, mp: 149–151 °C.  $^1H$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  8.50 (1H, s), 8.07 (2H, d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz), 7.66 (2H, d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz), 7.50–7.39 (4H, m), 2.28 (3H, s);  $^{13}C$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  168.9, 168.2, 135.4, 134.2, 133.7, 132.2, 131.8, 130.7, 129.1, 127.2, 127.1, 126.0, 125.9, 125.3, 17.8; MS  $m/z$  157 (100), 381 ( $M^+$ ), 383 ( $M + 2$ ); IR  $\nu_{max}$  ( $cm^{-1}$ ) 3130, 2928, 1643, 1596, 1470, 1407, 1332, 1042, 1009, 844, 761. Anal. Calcd for  $C_{17}H_{12}BrN_5O$ : C, 53.42%; H, 3.16%; N, 18.32%. Found: C, 53.40%; H, 3.19%; N, 18.36%.

**9o.** White solid, mp: 102–104 °C.  $^1H$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  8.59 (1H, s), 8.81–7.78 (1H, m), 7.54–7.50 (2H, m), 7.43–7.33 (5H, m), 2.07 (3H, s);  $^{13}C$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  167.7, 165.0, 136.6, 135.4, 135.2, 133.6, 132.1, 131.6, 131.2, 131.1, 131.0, 127.2, 126.9, 126.8, 125.0, 124.8, 17.2; MS  $m/z$  129 (100), 337 ( $M^+$ ); IR  $\nu_{max}$  ( $cm^{-1}$ ) 2923, 2853, 1621, 1523, 1497, 1463, 1348, 1173, 1121, 1046, 752. Anal. Calcd for  $C_{17}H_{12}ClN_5O$ : C, 60.45%; H, 3.58%; N, 20.73%. Found: C, 60.50%; H, 3.60%; N, 20.69%.

**Typical Procedure for the Preparation of the Substituted 5-(Bicyclo[2.2.1]hepta-2,5-dien-2-yl)-1,2,4-oxadiaz-**

**ole 11 (Products 11a–h).** Under a positive pressure of nitrogen, to a suspension of the swollen resin **7** (0.6 g) in  $CH_2Cl_2$  (15 mL) was added  $ZnI_2$  (0.6 mmol). The mixture was stirred for 10 min, and cyclopentadiene (2.5 mmol) was added. The reaction was stirred for 12 h at room temperature. Resin **10** was collected by filtration and washed with saturated aqueous solution of  $NaHCO_3$  (20 mL  $\times$  2), THF (10 mL  $\times$  2),  $H_2O$  (10 mL  $\times$  2), THF/ $H_2O$  (2:1) (10 mL  $\times$  2), THF (10 mL  $\times$  2),  $CH_2Cl_2$  (10 mL  $\times$  2), and THF (10 mL  $\times$  2).

The washed resin **10** was suspended in THF (15 mL), 30% (aq)  $H_2O_2$  (0.5 mL) was added, and the mixture was stirred for 20 min at 0 °C followed by 1.0 h at room temperature. The mixture was filtered, and the resin was washed with  $CH_2Cl_2$  (15 mL  $\times$  2). The filtrate was washed with  $H_2O$  (30 mL  $\times$  2), dried over  $MgSO_4$ , and evaporated to dryness under vacuum to obtain the crude products **11**. Further purification was via flash chromatography with *n*-hexanes/ $EtOAc$  (15:1 v/v) as the eluent for  $^{13}C$  NMR and microanalyses.

**11a.** Oil.  $^1H$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  8.12–8.10 (2H, m), 7.86 (1H, d,  $J = 3.2$  Hz), 7.50–7.48 (3H, m), 7.00–6.98 (1H, m), 6.83–6.81 (1H, m), 4.25–4.24 (1H, m), 3.87–3.86 (1H, m), 2.29–2.22 (2H, m);  $^{13}C$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  173.4, 168.7, 153.4, 143.0, 142.3, 141.9, 131.0, 128.7, 127.4, 127.1, 74.0, 52.0, 51.3; MS  $m/z$  119 (100), 236 ( $M^+$ ); IR  $\nu_{max}$  ( $cm^{-1}$ ) 2931, 1711, 1445, 1360, 1119, 1072, 748, 695. Anal. Calcd for  $C_{15}H_{12}N_2O$ : C, 76.25%; H, 5.12%; N, 11.86%. Found: C, 76.15%; H, 5.21%; N, 11.81%.

**11b.** Oil.  $^1H$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  8.01 (2H, d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz), 7.85 (1H, d,  $J = 3.2$  Hz), 7.30 (2H, d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz), 7.00–6.98 (1H, m), 6.83–6.81 (1H, m), 4.24–4.23 (1H, m), 3.87–3.86 (1H, m), 2.42 (3H, s), 2.29–2.22 (2H, m);  $^{13}C$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  173.3, 168.6, 153.2, 143.0, 142.3, 141.9, 141.3, 129.5, 127.3, 124.3, 74.0, 52.0, 51.3, 21.4; MS  $m/z$  195 (100), 250 ( $M^+$ ); IR  $\nu_{max}$  ( $cm^{-1}$ ) 2928, 2855, 1713, 1669, 1617, 1414, 1363, 1114, 829, 760. Anal. Calcd for  $C_{16}H_{14}N_2O$ : C, 76.78%; H, 5.64%; N, 11.19%. Found: C, 76.61%; H, 5.75%; N, 11.11%.

**11c.** Oil.  $^1H$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  8.06 (2H, d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz), 7.85 (1H, d,  $J = 3.2$  Hz), 7.00–6.98 (3H, m), 6.83–6.81 (1H, m), 4.23 (1H, s), 3.87 (4H, s), 2.29–2.22 (2H, m);  $^{13}C$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  173.2, 168.3, 161.8, 153.1, 143.0, 142.3, 141.9, 129.0, 119.6, 114.2, 74.0, 55.3, 52.0, 51.3; MS  $m/z$  266 ( $M^+$ , 100); IR  $\nu_{max}$  ( $cm^{-1}$ ) 2938, 1613, 1515, 1473, 1422, 1364, 1301, 1255, 1175, 1030, 840, 763. Anal. Calcd for  $C_{16}H_{14}N_2O_2$ : C, 72.16%; H, 5.30%; N, 10.52%. Found: C, 72.01%; H, 5.40%; N, 10.58%.

**11d.** Low-point solid.  $^1H$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  8.00 (2H, d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz), 7.87 (1H, d,  $J = 3.2$  Hz), 7.63 (2H, d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz), 7.00–6.98 (1H, m), 6.83–6.81 (1H, m), 4.23–4.22 (1H, m), 3.88–3.87 (1H, m), 2.29–2.23 (2H, m);  $^{13}C$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  173.6, 167.9, 153.8, 143.0, 142.3, 141.7, 132.0, 128.9, 126.0, 125.5, 74.1, 52.0, 51.3; MS  $m/z$  56 (100), 314 ( $M^+$ ), 316 ( $M + 2$ ); IR  $\nu_{max}$  ( $cm^{-1}$ ) 2929, 1701, 1626, 1600, 1466, 1070, 1012, 837, 759. Anal. Calcd for  $C_{15}H_{11}BrN_2O$ : C, 57.16%; H, 3.52%; N, 8.89%. Found: C, 57.27%; H, 3.61%; N, 8.80%.

**11e.** Low-point solid.  $^1H$  NMR ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  8.06–8.03 (2H, m), 7.86 (1H, d,  $J = 3.2$  Hz), 7.47–7.43 (2H, m), 7.00–



6.98 (1H, m), 6.82–6.80 (1H, m), 4.23–4.22 (1H, m), 3.87–3.86 (1H, m), 2.28–2.22 (2H, m);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  173.6, 167.8, 153.7, 142.9, 142.3, 141.7, 137.1, 129.1, 128.7, 125.6, 74.0, 52.0, 51.3; MS  $m/z$  66 (100), 270 ( $\text{M}^+$ ); IR  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) 2938, 1721, 1600, 1468, 1408, 1353, 1092, 1016, 840, 760, 509. Anal. Calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{11}\text{ClN}_2\text{O}$ : C, 66.55%; H, 4.10%; N, 10.35%. Found: C, 66.44%; H, 4.21%; N, 10.30%.

**11f.** Oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.13–8.09 (2H, m), 7.86 (1H, d,  $J = 3.2$  Hz), 7.19–7.14 (2H, m), 7.00–6.98 (1H, m), 6.83–6.81 (1H, m), 4.23–4.22 (1H, m), 3.88–3.87 (1H, m), 2.29–2.22 (2H, m);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  173.5, 167.8, 164.5 ( $J = 249.5$  Hz), 153.6, 142.9, 142.4, 141.8, 129.6 ( $J = 9.5$  Hz), 123.3 ( $J = 4.3$  Hz), 115.9 ( $J = 22.1$  Hz), 74.1, 52.0, 51.3; MS  $m/z$  66 (100), 254 ( $\text{M}^+$ ); IR  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) 2930, 1720, 1608, 1481, 1417, 1353, 1228, 1157, 846, 763, 620. Anal. Calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{11}\text{FN}_2\text{O}$ : C, 70.86%; H, 4.36%; N, 11.02%. Found: C, 70.76%; H, 4.43%; N, 11.08%.

**11g.** Oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.93–7.88 (2H, m), 7.54–7.52 (1H, m), 7.45–7.36 (2H, m), 7.00–6.98 (1H, m), 6.83–6.81 (1H, m), 4.23 (1H, s), 3.88–3.87 (1H, m), 2.30–2.22 (2H, m);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  173.0, 167.4, 153.8, 142.9, 142.3, 141.6, 133.4, 131.6, 131.5, 130.8, 126.8, 126.4, 74.0, 52.0, 51.2; MS  $m/z$  66 (100), 270 ( $\text{M}^+$ ); IR  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) 2937, 1705, 1626, 1592, 1467, 1344, 1056, 754. Anal. Calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{11}\text{ClN}_2\text{O}$ : C, 66.55%; H, 4.10%; N, 10.35%. Found: C, 66.65%; H, 4.21%; N, 10.21%.

**11h.** Oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.28–8.27 (1H, m), 8.06–8.03 (1H, m), 7.88 (1H, d,  $J = 3.2$  Hz), 7.64–7.61 (1H, m), 7.37–7.33 (1H, m), 7.00–6.98 (1H, m), 6.83–6.81 (1H, m), 4.23 (1H, s), 3.88–3.87 (1H, m), 2.29–2.23 (2H, m);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  173.8, 167.5, 153.9, 143.0, 142.3, 141.7, 134.0, 130.4, 130.3, 129.1, 126.0, 122.9, 74.1, 52.1, 51.3; MS  $m/z$  66 (100), 314 ( $\text{M}^+$ ), 316 ( $\text{M} + 2$ ); IR  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) 2928, 1718, 1625, 1559, 1521, 1436, 1401, 1340, 1072, 758, 744. Anal. Calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{11}\text{BrN}_2\text{O}$ : C, 57.16%; H, 3.52%; N, 8.89%. Found: C, 57.03%; H, 3.63%; N, 8.83%.

**Typical Procedure for the Preparation of the Substituted 5-(4-Methylcyclohexa-1,3-dienyl)-1,2,4-oxadiazole 13 (Products 13a–h).** Under a positive pressure of nitrogen, to a suspension of the swollen resin **11** (0.6 g) in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (15 mL) was added  $\text{ZnI}_2$  (0.6 mmol). The mixture was stirred for 10 min, and isoprene (2.5 mmol) was added. The reaction was stirred for 48 h at room temperature. Resin **12** was collected by filtration and washed with saturated aqueous solution of  $\text{NaHCO}_3$  (20 mL  $\times$  2), THF (10 mL  $\times$  2),  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (10 mL  $\times$  2), THF/ $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (2:1) (10 mL  $\times$  2), THF (10 mL  $\times$  2),  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (10 mL  $\times$  2), and THF (10 mL  $\times$  2).

The washed resin **12** was suspended in THF (15 mL), 30% (aq)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$  (0.5 mL) was added, and the mixture was stirred for 20 min at  $^\circ\text{C}$ , followed by 40 min at room temperature. The mixture was filtered, and the resin was washed with  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (15 mL  $\times$  2). The filtrate was washed with  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (30 mL  $\times$  2), dried over  $\text{MgSO}_4$ , and evaporated to dryness under vacuum to obtain the crude products **13**. Further purification was via flash chromatography with *n*-hexanes/EtOAc (15:1 v/v) as the eluent for  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR and microanalyses.

**13a.** Low-point solid.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.12–8.09 (2H, m), 7.48–7.45 (3H, m), 7.16 (1H, d,  $J = 5.6$  Hz), 5.93 (1H,

d,  $J = 5.6$  Hz), 2.79 (2H, t,  $J = 10.0$  Hz), 2.33 (2H, t,  $J = 10.0$  Hz), 1.91 (3H, s);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  176.2, 168.4, 144.4, 132.4, 130.8, 128.7, 127.3, 127.2, 119.3, 117.5, 28.3, 23.6, 22.1; MS  $m/z$  119 (100), 238 ( $\text{M}^+$ ); IR  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) 2928, 1586, 1548, 1443, 1358, 1128, 832, 735, 694. Anal. Calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{14}\text{N}_2\text{O}$ : C, 75.61%; H, 5.92%; N, 11.76%. Found: C, 75.65%; H, 5.95%; N, 11.69%.

**13b.** Pale yellow solid, mp: 82–84  $^\circ\text{C}$ .  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.00 (2H, d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz), 7.28 (2H, d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz), 7.15 (1H, d,  $J = 5.6$  Hz), 5.93 (1H, d,  $J = 5.6$  Hz), 2.79 (2H, t,  $J = 10.0$  Hz), 2.41 (3H, s), 2.33 (2H, t,  $J = 10.0$  Hz), 1.92 (3H, s);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  176.1, 168.5, 144.3, 141.1, 132.3, 129.4, 127.3, 124.4, 119.3, 117.7, 28.3, 23.6, 22.2, 21.5; MS  $m/z$  252 ( $\text{M}^+$ , 100); IR  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) 2928, 2855, 1714, 1669, 1587, 1538, 1412, 1286, 1181, 830, 757. Anal. Calcd for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_2\text{O}$ : C, 76.16%; H, 6.39%; N, 11.10%. Found: C, 76.12%; H, 6.44%; N, 11.07%.

**13c.** Pale yellow solid, mp: 77–79  $^\circ\text{C}$ .  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.03 (2H, d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz), 7.09 (1H, d,  $J = 5.6$  Hz), 6.95 (2H, d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz), 5.87 (1H, d,  $J = 5.6$  Hz), 3.80 (3H, s), 2.74 (2H, t,  $J = 10.0$  Hz), 2.28 (2H, t,  $J = 10.0$  Hz), 1.86 (3H, s);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  175.7, 167.9, 161.5, 143.9, 131.9, 128.7, 119.6, 119.1, 117.4, 113.9, 55.0, 28.1, 23.4, 22.0; MS  $m/z$  268 ( $\text{M}^+$ , 100); IR  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) 2932, 2835, 1613, 1578, 1548, 1476, 1422, 1349, 1304, 1254, 1172, 1029, 844, 797, 640. Anal. Calcd for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2$ : C, 71.62%; H, 6.01%; N, 10.44%. Found: C, 71.68%; H, 5.97%; N, 10.41%.

**13d.** Pale yellow solid, mp: 90–92  $^\circ\text{C}$ .  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.98 (2H, d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz), 7.62 (2H, d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz), 7.16 (1H, d,  $J = 5.6$  Hz), 5.94 (1H, d,  $J = 5.6$  Hz), 2.78 (2H, t,  $J = 10.0$  Hz), 2.34 (2H, t,  $J = 10.0$  Hz), 1.93 (3H, s);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  176.5, 167.8, 144.7, 132.7, 132.0, 128.9, 126.2, 125.4, 119.3, 117.4, 28.4, 23.7, 22.1; MS  $m/z$  91 (100), 316 ( $\text{M}^+$ ), 318 ( $\text{M} + 2$ ); IR  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) 2925, 1585, 1542, 1466, 1406, 1352, 1071, 1013, 836, 753. Anal. Calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{13}\text{BrN}_2\text{O}$ : C, 56.80%; H, 4.13%; N, 8.83%. Found: C, 56.87%; H, 4.09%; N, 8.85%.

**13e.** Pale yellow solid, mp: 89–91  $^\circ\text{C}$ .  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.05 (2H, d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz), 7.46 (2H, d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz), 7.16 (1H, d,  $J = 5.6$  Hz), 5.94 (1H, d,  $J = 5.6$  Hz), 2.78 (2H, t,  $J = 10.0$  Hz), 2.34 (2H, t,  $J = 10.0$  Hz), 1.93 (3H, s);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  176.5, 167.7, 144.7, 137.0, 132.7, 129.0, 128.7, 125.8, 119.3, 117.7, 28.4, 23.7, 22.1; MS  $m/z$  91 (100), 272 ( $\text{M}^+$ ); IR  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) 2924, 1588, 1543, 1409, 1354, 1092, 837, 752, 507. Anal. Calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{13}\text{ClN}_2\text{O}$ : C, 66.06%; H, 4.80%; N, 10.27%. Found: C, 65.98%; H, 4.88%; N, 10.24%.

**13f.** Pale yellow solid, mp: 86–88  $^\circ\text{C}$ .  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.12–8.08 (2H, m), 7.19–7.13 (3H, m), 5.94–5.92 (1H, m), 2.78 (2H, t,  $J = 10.0$  Hz), 2.34 (2H, t,  $J = 10.0$  Hz), 1.93 (3H, s);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  176.4, 167.7, 164.4 ( $J = 249.6$  Hz), 144.7, 132.6, 129.5 ( $J = 8.6$  Hz), 123.5 ( $J = 2.8$  Hz), 119.3, 117.4, 115.9 ( $J = 21.8$  Hz), 28.4, 23.7, 22.1; MS  $m/z$  91 (100), 256 ( $\text{M}^+$ ); IR  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) 2924, 1606, 1586, 1551, 1477, 1418, 1352, 1220, 1159, 845, 756, 637. Anal. Calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{13}\text{FN}_2\text{O}$ : C, 70.30%; H, 5.11%; N, 10.93%. Found: C, 70.24%; H, 5.21%; N, 10.90%.



**13g.** Low-point solid.  $^1\text{H NMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.93–7.91 (1H, m), 7.54–7.52 (1H, m), 7.42–7.37 (2H, m), 7.18 (1H, d,  $J = 5.6$  Hz), 5.94 (1H, d,  $J = 5.6$  Hz), 2.79 (2H, t,  $J = 10.0$  Hz), 2.34 (2H, t,  $J = 10.0$  Hz), 1.93 (3H, s);  $^{13}\text{C NMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  175.9, 167.3, 144.7, 133.5, 132.8, 131.7, 131.4, 130.8, 126.8, 126.7, 119.3, 117.4, 28.4, 23.7, 22.2; MS  $m/z$  91 (100), 272 ( $\text{M}^+$ ); IR  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) 2925, 1584, 1544, 1467, 1428, 1343, 1045, 832, 750, 656. Anal. Calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{13}\text{ClN}_2\text{O}$ : C, 66.06%; H, 4.80%; N, 10.27%. Found: C, 66.10%; H, 4.83%; N, 10.23%.

**13h.** Pale yellow solid, mp: 69–70 °C.  $^1\text{H NMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.26–8.25 (1H, m), 8.04–8.02 (1H, m), 7.62–7.60 (1H, m), 7.34–7.32 (1H, m), 7.16 (1H, d,  $J = 6.0$  Hz), 5.93 (1H, d,  $J = 6.0$  Hz), 2.78 (2H, t,  $J = 10.0$  Hz), 2.34 (2H, t,  $J = 10.0$  Hz), 1.92 (3H, s);  $^{13}\text{C NMR}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  176.5, 167.3, 144.8, 133.8, 132.8, 130.4, 130.3, 129.2, 125.9, 122.8, 119.3, 117.3, 28.4, 23.7, 22.1; MS  $m/z$  92 (100), 316 ( $\text{M}^+$ ), 318 ( $\text{M} + 2$ ); IR  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) 2916, 1584, 1547, 1434, 1340, 1264, 747, 677. Anal. Calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{13}\text{BrN}_2\text{O}$ : C, 56.80%; H, 4.13%; N, 8.83%. Found: C, 56.73%; H, 4.19%; N, 8.80%.

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**Supporting Information Available.**  $^1\text{H NMR}$  and  $^{13}\text{C NMR}$  spectra of all the products and parts of HPLC spectra of **6a**, **6n**, **6q**, **9e**, **9l**, **11d**, **13a**. This material is available free of charge via the Internet at <http://pubs.acs.org>.

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