

**SYNTHETIC APPROACHES TO PHORBOLS VIA THE  
INTRAMOLECULAR NITRILE OXIDE CYCLOADDITION:  
STEREOCONTROL OF THE B-C RING JUNCTION<sup>†</sup>**

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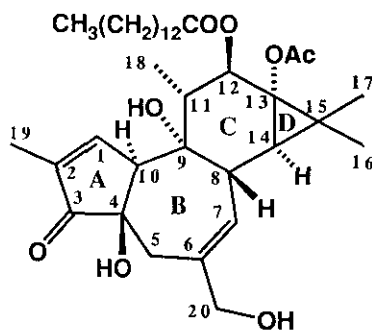
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**Abstract**--- The intramolecular cycloaddition of the nitrile oxide, synthesized from (+)-3-carene *via* **9**, provided the tetracyclic isoxazoline (**10**) stereospecifically. The isoxazoline (**10**) was converted to the carbotetracycle (**17**) *via* **15** utilizing the intramolecular McMurry coupling as a key step.

Protein kinase C (PKC), a serine and threonine phosphorylating enzyme, plays crucial roles in signal transduction.<sup>1</sup> The enzyme is proposed to be activated by 1,2-diacylglycerol compounds and by structurally diverse tumor promoters such as phorbol 12-myristate 13-acetate (PMA) (**1**), ingenol, aplysiatoxin, bryostatin and teleocidin. Computer modeling of these tumor promoters has shown a marked similarity in the relative positions of certain heteroatoms and hydrophobic groups.<sup>2</sup>

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For phorbol, this mapping appears to consist of the carbonyl group at C-3 and/or hydroxyl groups at C-4, C-9 and C-20 as well as hydrophobic region filled by a long-chain acyl functionality attached to the C-12 position. In order to find out either agonists with more selective biological activities or antagonists as well as to confirm the above-mentioned hypothesis, we have undertaken synthetic studies on phorbol and related compounds. In this communication, we report an efficient synthesis of the optically active carbotricycle (**11**) having synthetic potential for phorbol construction and its transformation to the carbotetracycle (**17**) with the *cis* A-B ring junction.<sup>3</sup> The synthesis involves the two intramolecular nitrile oxide cycloadditions to construct the tricyclic isoxazoline (**5**) and the tetracyclic isoxazoline (**10**) as key steps.

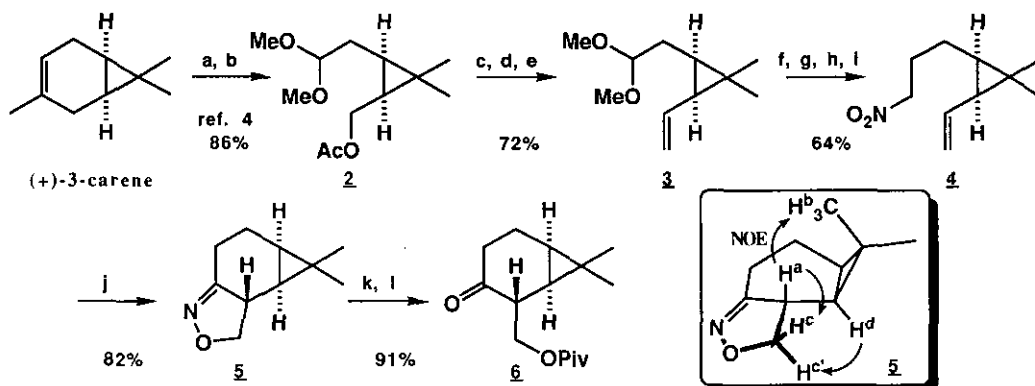


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Figure 1

Following the reported procedure,<sup>4</sup> (+)-3-carene was first converted to **2**, which underwent hydrolysis, Swern oxidation and Wittig olefination to give **3** in 72% overall yield. Hydrolysis of an acetal functionality, followed by treatment with nitromethane in the presence of potassium fluoride, afforded the nitro aldol, which was subjected to acetylation and reduction to furnish **4** in 64% overall yield. With the compound (**4**) available, the stage was set for the first intramolecular nitrile oxide cycloaddition. Treatment of **4** with methyl isocyanate in the presence of triethylamine<sup>5</sup> at room temperature gave the isoxazoline (**5**) in 82% yield stereospecifically. The stereochemistry of **5** was unequivocally determined by the NOE experiments. That is, irradiation of H<sup>a</sup> showed an enhancement of H<sup>b</sup> and H<sup>c</sup>, and irradiation of H<sup>d</sup> showed an enhancement of H<sup>c'</sup>. The isoxazoline (**5**) was

converted to **6**, a versatile intermediate, in 91% yield by treatment with aqueous  $\text{TiCl}_3$ <sup>5,6</sup> followed by reaction with pivaloyl chloride.

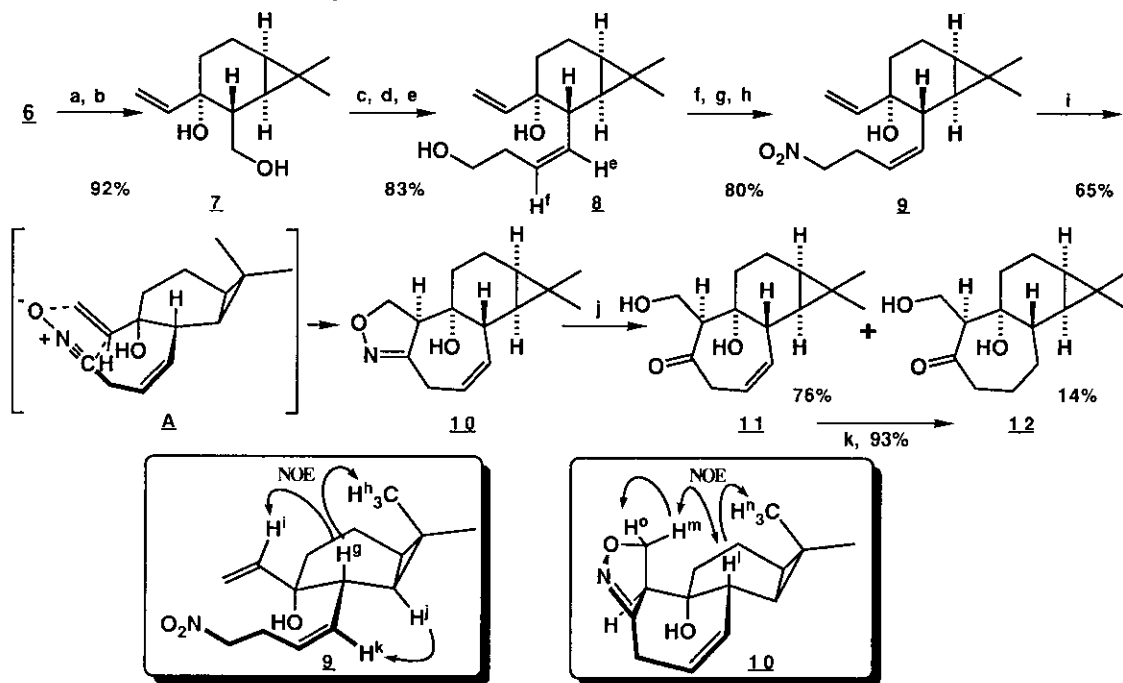


- a)  $\text{O}_3$ , MeOH,  $-78^\circ\text{C}$ , then  $\text{Me}_2\text{S}$ , room temperature; b) mCPBA,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ , room temperature; c) 10% NaOH, MeOH,  $0^\circ\text{C}$ ; d)  $(\text{COCl})_2$ , DMSO,  $\text{Et}_3\text{N}$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $-78^\circ\text{C}$ ~room temperature; e)  $\text{Ph}_3\text{P}^+\text{MeBr}^-$ , BuLi, THF,  $-78^\circ\text{C}$ ~room temperature; f) 30%  $\text{HClO}_4$ , THF,  $0^\circ\text{C}$ ; g)  $\text{MeNO}_2$ , KF,  $\text{Bu}_4\text{NCl}$ , toluene, room temperature; h)  $\text{Ac}_2\text{O}$ , pyridine, DMAP,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ , room temperature; i)  $\text{NaBH}_4$ , EtOH,  $0^\circ\text{C}$ ; j)  $\text{MeNCO}$ ,  $\text{Et}_3\text{N}$ , benzene, room temperature; k) aq.  $\text{TiCl}_3$ , MeOH, room temperature; l) PivCl, pyridine,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ , room temperature.

Scheme 1

In order to investigate the possibility of **6** as a key intermediate for the construction of phorbols, direct transformation of **6** to the phorbol skeleton was first attempted.<sup>7</sup> Treatment of **6** with vinylmagnesium bromide in THF at  $-55^\circ\text{C}$ , followed by reduction with lithium aluminum hydride, gave **7** in 92% yield as a sole product. The stereochemistry of **7** was determined at the later stage. Oxidation of the diol (**7**) with  $\text{SO}_3\cdot\text{pyridine}$  complex afforded the aldehyde, which underwent Wittig olefination by  $\text{Ph}_3\text{P}=\text{CH}(\text{CH}_2)_2\text{OC}(\text{OMe})\text{Me}_2$ ,<sup>8</sup> followed by hydrolysis, furnishing **8** in 83% overall yield. The stereochemical assignment for the olefinic double bond followed from the  $^1\text{H}$  nmr, which showed  $J_{\text{ef}}=10.6$  Hz. The diol (**8**) was further converted to the nitro alcohol (**9**) in a three-step sequence of reactions (80% overall yield). At this stage, in NOE experiments, irradiation of  $\text{H}^{\text{g}}$  showed an enhancement of  $\text{H}^{\text{h}}$  and  $\text{H}^{\text{i}}$ , and irradiation of  $\text{H}^{\text{j}}$  showed an enhancement of  $\text{H}^{\text{k}}$ , thus proving the stereochemistry of the above-mentioned Grignard reaction.<sup>9</sup> With the compound (**9**) available, the stage was set for the most crucial intramolecular nitrile oxide cycloaddition to construct a seven-membered ring. After several attempts, it was

found that exposure of **9** to *p*-chlorophenyl isocyanate and triethylamine in benzene at 55 °C<sup>5,10</sup> gave the desired isoxazoline (**10**) stereospecifically in 65% yield *via* the transition state A. The stereochemical assignment for **10** with correct phorbol stereochemistry at the B-C ring junction followed from the NOE experiments. That is, irradiation of H<sup>l</sup> showed an enhancement of H<sup>m</sup> and H<sup>n</sup>, and irradiation of H<sup>m</sup> showed an enhancement of H<sup>l</sup> and H<sup>o</sup>. Transformation of the isoxazoline (**10**) to the tricyclic compound (**11**) was best carried out by treatment with Raney Ni (W-2) and a large excess of boric acid under an atmosphere of hydrogen,<sup>5,10,11</sup> giving **11** in 76% yield together with **12** (14%).<sup>12</sup> Catalytic hydrogenation of **11** led to the formation of **12** in 93% yield.

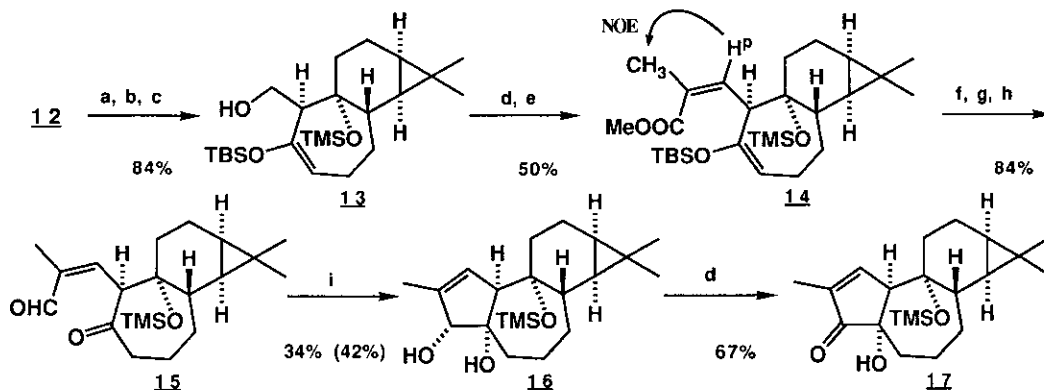


- a)  $\text{CH}_2=\text{CHMgBr}$ , THF, -78 °C~-55 °C; b)  $\text{LiAlH}_4$ ,  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$ , 0 °C; c)  $\text{SO}_3\cdot\text{pyridine}$ ,  $\text{Et}_3\text{N}$ , DMSO, room temperature;  
 d)  $\text{Ph}_3\text{P}^+(\text{CH}_2)_3\text{OC}(\text{OMe})\text{Me}_2\text{Br}^-$ ,  $\text{KN}(\text{TMS})_2$ , THF, HMPA, -78 °C~room temperature; e) 50% AcOH, THF, room temperature;  
 f) *p*-TsCl, pyridine, DMAP,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ , room temperature; g) NaI, 2-butanone, room temperature;  
 h)  $\text{AgNO}_2$ ,  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$ , room temperature; i) *p*- $\text{ClC}_6\text{H}_4\text{NCO}$ ,  $\text{Et}_3\text{N}$ , benzene, 55 °C;  
 j)  $\text{H}_2$ , Raney Ni (W-2),  $\text{B}(\text{OH})_3$ , MeOH,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , room temperature; k)  $\text{H}_2$ , 10% Pd-C, AcOEt, room temperature.

Scheme 2

Having established an efficient synthesis of the optically active carbocycles (**11**) and (**12**), we further attempted the transformation of **12** into the phorbol skeleton.

Reaction of **12** with trimethylsilyl chloride and imidazole gave the disilyl ether, which was converted to the silyl enol ether on exposure to *tert*-butyldimethylsilyl triflate and triethylamine.<sup>13</sup> The silyl enol ether underwent selective deprotection of the trimethylsilyl ether at the C-1 position (PMA numbering) by K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> in MeOH to give **13** in 84% overall yield. Oxidation of **13** with SO<sub>3</sub>•pyridine complex provided the aldehyde, which was transformed into the  $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated ester (**14**) stereospecifically in 50% overall yield.<sup>14</sup> The stereochemical assignment for the olefinic double bond followed from the NOE experiments, which showed an enhancement of the methyl proton when HP was irradiated. Diisobutylaluminum hydride reduction, deprotection of a silyl enol ether with tetrabutylammonium fluoride and MnO<sub>2</sub> oxidation provided the dicarbonyl compound (**15**) in 84% overall yield. With the compound (**15**) available, we thought that the intramolecular McMurry coupling of **15** would produce the desired phorbol skeleton stereoselectively, because the phorbol skeleton appeared to be more stable than the corresponding *cis*-stereoisomer. However, treatment of **15** with the low-valent titanium reagent generated from CpTiCl<sub>3</sub> and LiAlH<sub>4</sub><sup>15</sup> provided the undesired *cis*-stereoisomer (**16**) stereospecifically in 34% yield (42% yield based on the recovery of the starting material). The stereochemistry of **16** was supported by the experimental and the spectroscopic data as follows. First, MnO<sub>2</sub> oxidation of **16** led to



- a) TMSCl, imidazole, DMF, room temperature; b) TBSOTf, Et<sub>3</sub>N, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 0 °C; c) K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>, MeOH, 0 °C;  
 d) SO<sub>3</sub>•pyridine, Et<sub>3</sub>N, DMSO, room temperature; e) (CF<sub>3</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>O)<sub>2</sub>P(O)CH(Me)COOMe, DBU, LiCl, MeCN, room temperature;  
 f) DIBALH, toluene, -78 °C; g) TBAF, THF, -45 °C; h) MnO<sub>2</sub>, pentane, room temperature; i) CpTiCl<sub>3</sub>, LiAlH<sub>4</sub>, THF, 50 °C.

Scheme 3

the formation of the dicarbonyl compound (15), thus showing that the relative stereochemistry of the resulting two alcohols was *cis*.<sup>16</sup> Second, the <sup>1</sup>H nmr spectrum of the allylic epoxide (18), derived from 16 by treatment with *m*-chloroperbenzoic acid (83% yield), showed  $J_{qr} \approx -0$  Hz, indicating that the relative stereochemistry of H<sup>q</sup> and H<sup>r</sup> was *trans*, and the results shown in Figure 2 were also obtained by NOE experiments. Furthermore, the structure of 16 was unequivocally determined by X-ray crystallographic analysis as shown in Figure 3.<sup>17</sup> Oxidation of 16 with SO<sub>3</sub>•pyridine complex gave the keto alcohol (17) in 67% yield.

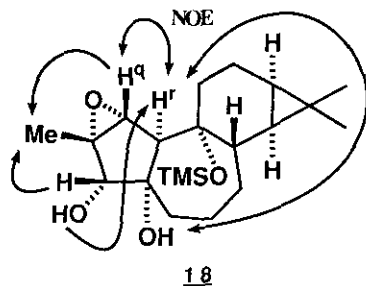


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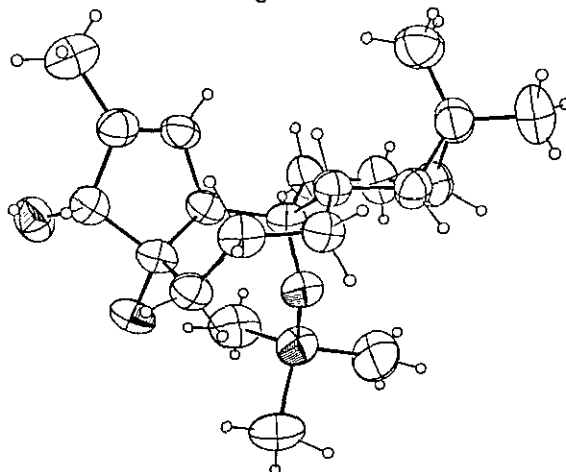


Figure 3. ORTEP drawing of 16

In conclusion, we have succeeded in achieving a stereocontrolled synthesis of the B-C-D ring system of phorbols starting with (+)-3-carene, in which the two intramolecular nitrile oxide cycloadditions are involved as key steps. Furthermore, the carbotetracycle (17) with the *cis* A-B ring junction has been constructed using

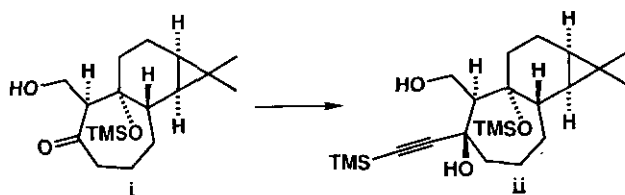
the intramolecular McMurry coupling as a key step. We believe that the compounds (6) and (11) should be valuable synthetic intermediates for the synthesis of phorbol and related compounds. Further studies along this line are under investigation.

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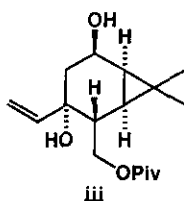
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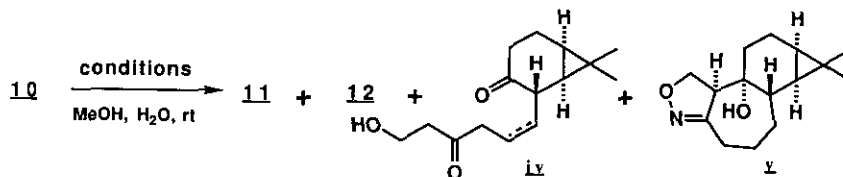


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run	conditions	yield (%)			
		11	12	iv	v
1	aq. TiCl <sub>3</sub>	27	—	—	—
2	H <sub>2</sub> , Pd-BaSO <sub>4</sub> , quinoline	—	—	28	59
3	H <sub>2</sub> , Pd-C	—	—	59	—
4	H <sub>2</sub> , Pd-C, AcOH	—	19	20	43
5	H <sub>2</sub> , Raney Ni (W-2), B(OH) <sub>3</sub> (6 eq.)	46	8	17	—
6	H <sub>2</sub> , Raney Ni (W-2), B(OH) <sub>3</sub> (15 eq.)	76	14	—	—

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17. Crystal data for 16: C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>36</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Si; monoclinic, space group *P*21 (No. 4), *a*=16.5274 (83) Å, *b*=7.4276 (54) Å, *c*=8.9852 (32) Å,  $\alpha$ =90°,  $\beta$ =102.8278 (340)°,  $\gamma$ =90°, *V*=1075.4882 Å<sup>3</sup>, *Z*=2, *D*<sub>calcd</sub>=1.126 g/cm<sup>3</sup>, The final *R* value was 0.046.



## 18. Satisfactory analytical data were obtained for all new compounds.

Selected data are as follows:

Compound 5;  $[\alpha]_D^{20} +212.02^\circ$  (*c* 1.03,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ );  $\text{ir } \nu_{\text{max}}$  (neat):  $1620 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ ;  $\text{ms m/z}$  : 165 ( $\text{M}^+$ ), 148, 120; high resolution  $\text{ms}$  calcd for  $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}$  165.1153, found 165.1140;  $^1\text{H nmr}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  0.60 (dd,  $J=9.0, 4.0 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 0.77 (ddd,  $J=9.0, 7.3, 5.5 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 1.06 (s, 3H), 1.07 (s, 3H), 1.56 (dddd,  $J=14.6, 7.7, 6.8, 5.5 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 2.10 (dddd,  $J=14.6, 7.3, 7.3, 6.6 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 2.32 (dddd,  $J=16.5, 6.8, 6.6, 1.5 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 2.45 (dddd,  $J=16.5, 7.7, 7.3, 1.5 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 2.93 (dddd,  $J=12.5, 10.6, 4.0, 1.5, 1.5 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 3.87 (dd,  $J=12.5, 7.7 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 4.67 (dd,  $J=10.6, 7.7 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H).

Compound 7;  $[\alpha]_D^{22} -4.51^\circ$  (*c* 0.63,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); mp  $97.0\sim 97.1^\circ \text{C}$  (n-hexane);  $\text{ir } \nu_{\text{max}}$  (nujol):  $3370, 3270, 1635 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ ;  $\text{ms m/z}$  : 178 ( $\text{M}^+-\text{H}_2\text{O}$ ), 163, 105; Anal. Calcd for  $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{20}\text{O}_2$ : C, 73.43; H, 10.27. Found: C, 73.43; H, 10.25;  $^1\text{H nmr}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  0.64~0.86 (m, 2H), 0.96 (s, 3H), 1.08 (s, 3H), 1.12~2.24 (m, 5H), 2.59 (br s, 2H), 3.72 (dd,  $J=10.7, 3.7 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 4.08 (dd,  $J=10.7, 3.2 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 5.14 (dd,  $J=10.5, 2.0 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 5.38 (dd,  $J=17.2, 2.0 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 5.87 (dd,  $J=17.2, 10.5 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H).

Compound 8;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} -73.54^\circ$  (*c* 1.04,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ );  $\text{ir } \nu_{\text{max}}$  (neat):  $3370, 1640 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ ;  $\text{ms m/z}$  : 236 ( $\text{M}^+$ ), 218 ( $\text{M}^+-\text{H}_2\text{O}$ ), 203, 166; Anal. Calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{24}\text{O}_2$ : C, 76.23; H, 10.24. Found: C, 76.26; H, 10.37;  $^1\text{H nmr}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  0.41 (dd,  $J=8.8, 4.4 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 0.71 (ddd,  $J=8.8, 8.4, 1.1 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 1.06 (s, 3H), 1.19 (ddd,  $J=14.3, 11.7, 7.7 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 1.53 (ddd,  $J=14.3, 8.4, 1.1 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 1.70 (dddd,  $J=15.0, 7.7, 1.1, 1.1 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 2.00 (dddd,  $J=15.0, 11.7, 8.4, 8.4 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 2.08 (ddd,  $J=9.2, 4.4, 0.8 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 2.30 (ddt,  $J=7.4, 1.4, 6.6 \text{ Hz}$ , 2H), 3.65 (t,  $J=6.6 \text{ Hz}$ , 2H), 5.04 (dd,  $J=11.0, 1.5 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 5.21 (dd,  $J=17.6, 1.5 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 5.42 (ddt,  $J=10.6, 0.8, 7.4 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 5.75 (dd,  $J=17.6, 11.0 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 5.83 (ddt,  $J=10.6, 9.2, 1.4 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H);  $^{13}\text{C nmr}$  ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  14.8, 15.1, 17.8, 18.4, 24.2, 29.0, 31.3, 34.2, 38.1, 62.1, 72.0, 112.4, 125.1, 134.8, 144.3.

Compound 9;  $[\alpha]_D^{22} -58.92^\circ$  (*c* 0.94,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ );  $\text{ir } \nu_{\text{max}}$  (neat):  $3480, 1635, 1550, 1375 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ ;  $\text{ms m/z}$  : 265 ( $\text{M}^+$ ), 248 ( $\text{M}^+-\text{OH}$ ), 148; Anal. Calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{23}\text{NO}_3$ : C, 67.90; H, 8.74; N, 5.28. Found: C, 67.84; H, 8.82; N, 5.19;  $^1\text{H nmr}$  ( $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ )  $\delta$  0.24 (dd,  $J=9.2, 4.4 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 0.37 (ddd,  $J=9.2, 8.1, 1.2 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 0.95 (s, 3H), 1.00 (s, 3H), 0.99 (ddd,  $J=14.3, 11.7, 8.0 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 1.34 (br s, 1H), 1.41 (ddd,  $J=14.3, 8.1, 1.2 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 1.48 (dddd,  $J=15.0, 8.0, 1.2, 1.2 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 1.80 (dddd,  $J=15.0, 11.7, 8.1, 8.1 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 1.89 (ddd,  $J=9.2, 4.4, 1.1 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 2.19~2.41 (m, 2H), 3.64 (t,  $J=7.3 \text{ Hz}$ , 2H), 5.02 (ddt,  $J=10.6, 1.1, 7.3 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 5.05 (dd,  $J=10.6, 1.8 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 5.31 (dd,  $J=17.2, 1.8 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 5.64 (dd,  $J=17.2, 10.6 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 5.92 (ddt,  $J=10.6, 9.2, 1.5 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H).

Compound 10;  $[\alpha]_D^{21} +126.17^\circ$  (*c* 1.07,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); mp  $145.8\sim 146.1^\circ \text{C}$  (n-hexane);  $\text{ir } \nu_{\text{max}}$  (nujol):  $3420, 1611 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ ;  $\text{ms m/z}$  : 247 ( $\text{M}^+$ ), 230 ( $\text{M}^+-\text{OH}$ ), 202; Anal. Calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{21}\text{NO}_2$ : C, 72.84; H, 8.56; N, 5.66. Found: C, 72.74; H, 8.58; N, 5.66;  $^1\text{H nmr}$  ( $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ )  $\delta$  0.15 (dd,  $J=9.2, 4.8 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 0.36 (ddd,  $J=9.2, 7.7, 1.8 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 0.65 (s, 3H), 0.91 (s, 3H), 0.68 (ddd,  $J=14.3, 11.0, 7.0 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 1.20 (ddd,  $J=14.3, 7.4, 2.6 \text{ Hz}$ ,

1H), 1.24 (dddd,  $J=14.8, 7.0, 2.6, 1.8$  Hz, 1H), 1.73 (dddd,  $J=14.8, 11.0, 7.7, 7.4$  Hz, 1H), 2.04 (dddd,  $J=4.8, 2.9, 1.6, 1.6, 1.6$  Hz, 1H), 2.91 (dddd,  $J=18.0, 3.3, 3.3, 1.6, 1.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.26 (dddd,  $J=18.0, 6.2, 1.6, 1.6$  Hz, 2H), 3.28 (ddd,  $J=12.1, 10.3, 1.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.73 (dd,  $J=12.1, 8.4$  Hz, 1H), 4.01 (dd,  $J=10.3, 8.4$  Hz, 1H), 5.22 (dddd,  $J=11.4, 3.3, 1.6, 1.6$  Hz, 1H), 5.46 (dddd,  $J=11.4, 6.2, 3.3, 2.9$  Hz, 1H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  nmr ( $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ )  $\delta$  14.8, 15.0, 17.6, 19.4, 25.8, 27.0, 29.4, 33.1, 36.1, 61.5, 70.6, 71.6, 125.7, 134.8, 158.3.

Compound 11;  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{23} +4.28^\circ$  ( $c$  1.53,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); mp 94.5~95.2 °C (n-hexane); ir  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (nujol): 3474, 3308, 1696, 1663  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ; ms  $m/z$  : 250 ( $\text{M}^+$ ), 232 ( $\text{M}^+-\text{H}_2\text{O}$ ), 215 ( $\text{M}^+-\text{H}_2\text{O}-\text{OH}$ ), 159; Anal. Calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{22}\text{O}_3 \cdot (\text{H}_2\text{O})_{1/3}$ : C, 70.28; H, 8.91. Found: C, 70.41; H, 8.98;  $^1\text{H}$  nmr ( $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ )  $\delta$  0.39~0.50 (m, 2H), 0.70 (s, 3H), 0.92 (s, 3H), 1.03 (ddd,  $J=13.9, 10.6, 8.1$  Hz, 1H), 1.33~1.57 (m, 2H), 1.53~1.65 (br s, 1H), 1.71~1.88 (m, 2H), 2.08~2.18 (br s, 1H), 2.55 (dd,  $J=20.5, 7.7$  Hz, 1H), 2.97 (dddd,  $J=20.5, 2.9, 2.6, 1.1, 1.1$  Hz, 1H), 3.55 (dt,  $J=1.1, 7.3$  Hz, 1H), 3.95 (br d,  $J=7.3$  Hz, 1H), 5.50 (dddd,  $J=10.3, 7.7, 2.6, 1.8$  Hz, 1H), 5.76 (ddd,  $J=10.3, 6.2, 2.9$  Hz, 1H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  nmr ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  14.5, 14.8, 17.7, 17.9, 23.9, 28.6, 28.7, 39.9, 45.6, 59.4, 60.0, 77.4, 124.4, 136.7, 210.1.

Compound 12;  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{21} +61.93^\circ$  ( $c$  1.02,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); mp 124.2~124.4 °C (n-hexane); ir  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (nujol): 3380, 1698, 1682  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ; ms  $m/z$  : 252 ( $\text{M}^+$ ), 234 ( $\text{M}^+-\text{H}_2\text{O}$ ), 217 ( $\text{M}^+-\text{H}_2\text{O}-\text{OH}$ ), 150; Anal. Calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{24}\text{O}_3$ : C, 71.39; H, 9.59. Found: C, 71.25; H, 9.81;  $^1\text{H}$  nmr ( $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ )  $\delta$  0.12 (dd,  $J=9.2, 5.5$  Hz, 1H), 0.36 (ddd,  $J=9.2, 8.4, 1.5$  Hz, 1H), 0.76 (s, 3H), 0.94 (s, 3H), 0.89 (ddd,  $J=11.4, 5.5, 2.6$  Hz, 1H), 1.07 (ddd,  $J=13.9, 10.6, 8.1$  Hz, 1H), 1.29~1.53 (m, 4H), 1.56~1.70 (m, 1H), 1.74 (dddd,  $J=14.7, 10.6, 8.4, 8.4$  Hz, 1H), 1.82 (t,  $J=4.9$  Hz, 1H), 1.93~2.11 (m, 1H), 2.05 (s, 1H), 2.25 (ddd,  $J=15.8, 8.4, 5.9$  Hz, 1H), 2.35 (ddd,  $J=15.8, 7.0, 5.5$  Hz, 1H), 3.32 (t,  $J=7.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.93 (dd,  $J=7.0, 4.9$  Hz, 2H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  nmr ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  14.8, 15.1, 17.9, 18.6, 22.7, 25.5, 28.9, 30.0, 30.7, 39.4, 43.3, 59.9, 61.6, 72.5, 212.6.

Compound 13;  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{22} +3.52^\circ$  ( $c$  0.78,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); mp 82.8~83.1 °C (n-hexane); ir  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr): 3530, 1665  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ; ms  $m/z$  : 438 ( $\text{M}^+$ ), 420 ( $\text{M}^+-\text{H}_2\text{O}$ ), 381 ( $\text{M}^+-\text{tBu}$ ), 236; Anal. Calcd for  $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{48}\text{O}_3\text{Si}_2$ : C, 65.69; H, 10.57. Found: C, 65.62; H, 10.62;  $^1\text{H}$  nmr ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  0.08~0.20 (m, 1H), 0.15 (s, 9H), 0.16 (s, 3H), 0.19 (s, 3H), 0.52 (ddd,  $J=9.2, 6.6, 2.6$  Hz, 1H), 0.91 (s, 9H), 0.92 (s, 3H), 0.99 (s, 3H), 1.17 (ddd,  $J=11.0, 5.5, 3.3$  Hz, 1H), 1.24~1.56 (m, 5H), 1.74~1.96 (m, 2H), 1.98~2.20 (m, 2H), 2.52 (ddd,  $J=9.2, 4.8, 1.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.66 (ddd,  $J=10.6, 7.7, 4.8$  Hz, 1H), 3.88 (ddd,  $J=10.6, 9.2, 5.1$  Hz, 1H), 4.93 (ddd,  $J=7.7, 5.5, 1.2$  Hz, 1H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  nmr ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  -3.8, 2.8, 15.5, 17.3, 17.3, 18.1, 20.5, 24.0, 26.0, 27.9, 29.6, 32.2, 36.8, 39.5, 61.7, 62.7, 74.6, 105.6, 154.2.

Compound 14;  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} -151.25^\circ$  ( $c$  1.01,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); ir  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (neat): 1723, 1663, 1638  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ; ms  $m/z$  : 506 ( $\text{M}^+$ ), 491 ( $\text{M}^+-\text{Me}$ ), 475 ( $\text{M}^+-\text{MeO}$ ), 449 ( $\text{M}^+-\text{tBu}$ ), 283; high

resolution ms calcd for  $C_{28}H_{50}O_4Si_2$  506.3247, found 506.3272;  $^1H$  nmr ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  -0.02 (s, 3H), 0.11 (s, 3H), 0.08~0.20 (m, 1H), 0.17 (s, 9H), 0.50 (ddd,  $J=9.2, 8.1, 1.2$  Hz, 1H), 0.86 (s, 9H), 0.88 (s, 3H), 0.98 (s, 3H), 1.10 (ddd,  $J=14.6, 11.7, 7.3$  Hz, 1H), 1.30 (ddd,  $J=11.0, 4.4, 3.3$  Hz, 1H), 1.44 (dd,  $J=14.6, 7.3$  Hz, 1H), 1.46~1.58 (m, 1H), 1.63 (ddd,  $J=14.3, 7.7, 1.5$  Hz, 1H), 1.77~2.25 (m, 3H), 1.90 (d,  $J=1.5$  Hz, 3H), 3.67 (s, 3H), 4.09 (dd,  $J=12.1, 1.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.93 (ddd,  $J=8.8, 4.4, 1.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.93 (dq,  $J=12.1, 1.5$  Hz, 1H);  $^{13}C$  nmr ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  -5.5, -3.7, 2.4, 15.4, 16.5, 16.9, 17.9, 19.4, 21.5, 24.0, 25.7, 27.6, 29.5, 32.4, 34.8, 39.0, 51.2, 58.5, 75.0, 106.5, 127.4, 137.6, 153.2, 168.1.

Compound **15**;  $[\alpha]_D^{21}$  -140.60° ( $c$  0.91,  $CHCl_3$ );  $ir \nu_{max}$  (KBr): 1689  $cm^{-1}$ ; ms  $m/z$  : 362 ( $M^+$ ), 347 ( $M^+-Me$ ), 272 ( $M^+-TMSO-1$ ), 236; high resolution ms calcd for  $C_{21}H_{34}O_3Si$  362.2277, found 362.2305,  $^1H$  nmr ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  0.15 (s, 9H), 0.26 (dd,  $J=9.3, 4.9$  Hz, 1H), 0.59 (ddd,  $J=9.3, 7.7, 2.8$  Hz, 1H), 0.93 (s, 3H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 1.15~1.31 (m, 2H), 1.34~1.57 (m, 3H), 1.81 (d,  $J=1.7$  Hz, 3H), 1.75~1.97 (m, 4H), 2.47 (ddd,  $J=18.2, 10.2, 5.4$  Hz, 1H), 2.59 (ddd,  $J=18.2, 5.3, 4.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.36 (d,  $J=11.0$  Hz, 1H), 6.61 (dq,  $J=11.0, 1.7$  Hz, 1H), 10.15 (s, 1H);  $^{13}C$  nmr ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  2.4, 15.4, 16.0, 17.3, 17.6, 19.7, 21.8, 26.7, 29.1, 33.9, 35.9, 38.3, 42.7, 66.2, 77.7, 139.1, 139.7, 191.1, 209.4.

Compound **16**;  $[\alpha]_D^{19}$  -67.42° ( $c$  0.68,  $CHCl_3$ ); mp 176.1~176.8 °C (MeOH);  $ir \nu_{max}$  (KBr): 3401, 3279, 1657  $cm^{-1}$ ; ms  $m/z$  : 364 ( $M^+$ ), 346 ( $M^+-H_2O$ ), 331 ( $M^+-H_2O-Me$ ), 274 ( $M^+-TMSO-1$ ), 256;  $^1H$  nmr ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  0.16 (dd,  $J=9.3, 6.8$  Hz, 1H), 0.20 (s, 9H), 0.59 (ddd,  $J=9.3, 7.8, 6.4$  Hz, 1H), 0.88 (ddd,  $J=11.0, 6.8, 3.4$  Hz, 1H), 0.91 (s, 3H), 1.00 (s, 3H), 0.95~1.07 (m, 1H), 1.19~1.32 (m, 2H), 1.54~1.87 (m, 9H), 2.13~2.22 (m, 1H), 2.37 (br s, 1H), 2.70 (d,  $J=5.7$  Hz, 1H), 2.92~2.97 (m, 1H), 4.02 (br d,  $J=5.7, 1H$ ), 5.27 (dq,  $J=1.5, 1.5$  Hz, 1H);  $^{13}C$  nmr ( $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  2.8, 14.7, 15.2, 17.7, 18.0, 22.2, 22.2, 27.2, 29.1, 35.0, 36.4, 38.8, 40.6, 69.6, 78.8, 81.0, 84.0, 128.9, 140.4.

Compound **17**;  $[\alpha]_D^{21}$  -429.11° ( $c$ , 0.04,  $CHCl_3$ );  $ir \nu_{max}$  (neat): 3455, 1711, 1638  $cm^{-1}$ ; ms  $m/z$  : 362 ( $M^+$ ), 347 ( $M^+-Me$ ), 344 ( $M^+-H_2O$ ), 329 ( $M^+-H_2O-Me$ ), 272 ( $M^+-TMSO-1$ ), 254;  $^1H$  nmr ( $C_6D_6$ )  $\delta$  0.25 (dd,  $J=9.2, 5.9$  Hz, 1H), 0.40 (s, 9H), 0.63 (ddd,  $J=9.2, 7.7, 4.8$  Hz, 1H), 0.79~0.92 (m, 1H), 0.88 (s, 3H), 1.02 (s, 3H), 1.07~1.21 (m, 1H), 1.64 (dd,  $J=2.6, 1.1$  Hz, 3H), 1.30~1.98 (m, 7H), 2.02 (dd,  $J=12.8, 7.7$  Hz, 1H), 2.13 (br s, 1H), 2.36 (ddd,  $J=12.8, 11.7, 1.1$  Hz, 1H), 3.03 (dq,  $J=2.6, 2.6$  Hz, 1H), 6.60 (dq,  $J=2.6, 1.1$  Hz, 1H).

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