A Versatile Approach to the Synthesis of (+**)-Mannostatin A Analogues**

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Members of the aminocyclopentitol family of natural products are known to be potent inhibitors of a variety of glycosidases, $¹$ enzymes that are responsible for pos-</sup> translational processing of ribosome-synthesized glycopeptides.2 As a result of this property, these substances play potentially important roles in studies of polysaccharide biosynthesis and in the development of new treatments for viral infections.3 Mannostatins A (**1**) and B (2), recently isolated⁴ members of this group, are tightbinding inhibitors of mannosidases. The structural simplicity of **1** and **2** along with their interesting biological properties has stimulated several recent studies focusing on the synthesis of the natural products and their N-substituted stereoisomeric and regioisomeric analogues.⁵

Earlier, we described the results of investigations which demonstrate how a pyridinium salt photoelectrocyclization/aziridine ring cleavage sequence can be used to quickly assemble functionally and stereochemically rich aminocylopentenes.6 This chemistry is the basis for our recently disclosed⁷ synthesis of $(+)$ -mannostatin A

Scheme 1

which utilizes (1) transformation of pyridine to the aminodiol **6**, (2) enzymatic desymmetrization $(7 \rightarrow 8)$, (3) Pd^o-promoted thioether formation $(9 \rightarrow 10)$, and (4) hydroxyl inversion $(11 \rightarrow 12)$ (Scheme 1). An important aspect of this strategy is its versatility, which makes it potentially applicable to the synthesis of a number of regioisomeric and stereoisomeric aminocyclopentitols. In this publication, we describe how this chemistry can be applied to the preparation of the previously unreported mannostatin analogues, (+)-4-epimannostatin (**3**) and (+)-mannostatin A regioisomers **⁴**-**6**.

Regiochemical diversity can be introduced into the mannostatin A synthetic sequence by the choice of substrate and conditions used for the Pd°-catalyzed methylthiolation process. We have reported that unlike carbonate **9**, reaction of the *cis*-*trans*-isomer **13** with TMSSMe⁸ in the presence of $(dba)_{3}Pd_{2}CHCl_{3}$ and dppp yields a regioisomeric mixture of thioethers **14** and **15** (2:1) as a consequence of an expected lack of steric control in nucleophilic ring opening of the Pd-*π*-allyl intermediate.9 Also, we have observed that the regiochemical course of Trost8 methylthiolation of **9** can be altered by changing the quantities of catalyst and ligand used. As originally reported, treatment of **9** with TMSSMe (5 equiv), $(dba)_{3}Pd_{2}CHCl_{3}$ (5 mol %), and dppp (30 mol %) in refluxing THF leads to exclusive formation of the *trans*,*trans*-adduct **10** (91% at 60% conversion). In an attempt to drive this process to completion, higher mole ratios of the Pd catalyst $(> 10 \text{ mol } \%)$ and dppp $(> 60 \text{ m})$ mol %) were used. Under these conditions, **9** is converted to the regioisomeric thioether **18** exclusively (86% yield at 94% conversion). This regiochemical reversal is likely due to the intervention of a previously described¹⁰ Pd° dependent isomerization of the initially formed *π*-allyl intermediate ($16 \rightarrow 17$) which competes with addition of TMSSCH₃.

The amidocyclopentenyl thioethers **10**, **15**, and **18** are convenient starting points for syntheses of the mannostatin analogues **³**-**6**. For example, contrary to what

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^a (a) OsO4, pyr (81%); (b) Ac2O, pyr, DMAP (95%); (c) TBAF, THF (91%); (d) 6 N HCl (82%).

a (a) HF (89%); (b) OsO₄, TMEDA, CH₂Cl₂ (71%); (c) 6 N HCl (82%).

^a (a) OsO4, pyr; Ac2O, pyr (82%, 1:1, silica gel); HF (88%, 87%); (c) 6 N HCl (100%).

seemed to be reliable precedents,^{5a,11} OsO₄ dihydroxylation of **10** occurs exclusively from the β -face to produce diol **19**, whose stereochemistry is assigned based on X-ray crystallographic analysis of the diacetate derivative **20** (Scheme 2). Thus, in contrast to closely related systems, 11 dihydroxylation of **10** occurs anti (rather than syn) to the bulky methylthio and siloxy substituents at the allylic centers. Desilylation of **20** (\rightarrow **21**) followed by acid hydrolysis furnishes the HCl salt of (+)-4-epimannostatin A (3, $[\alpha]^{25}$ _D +26° (*c* 1.4, CH₃OH)).

A combination of effects control the stereochemistry of OsO4 dihydroxylation of the alcohol **22**, derived by TBAF treatment of silyl ether **18**. Accordingly, under the hydroxyl-directing conditions suggested by Donohoe,¹² osmylation of **22** yields the triol **23** (ca. 6:1 preference as judged by 13C NMR analysis, see Supporting Information) (Scheme 3). In this case, both hydroxyl guidance and steric effects direct glycol formation from the α -face of **22**. Subsequent amide hydrolysis in **23** affords the HCl salt of mannostatin regioisomer 4 ($\left[\alpha \right]^{25}$ _D +10° (*c* 1.0, MeOH).

The major regioisomer **14** obtained by methylthiolation of the allylic carbonate **13** serves as an intermediate in one of the approaches we have reported7 for synthesis of mannostatin A. The minor thioether **15** of this process can be used to prepare the mannostatin analogues **5** and **6**. Accordingly, unselective dihydroxylation of **15** followed by acetylation yields a 1:1 mixture of separable diacetates **24** and **25** (stereochemistry assigned by NOE) (Scheme 4). Silyl ether deprotection $(\rightarrow 26$ and 27, respectively) followed by amide and ester hydrolysis affords the

Table 1. *^K***^I Values of Analogues 3**-**6 in the Jack Bean** r**-Mannosidase-Catalyzed Hydrolysis of** p **-Nitrophenyl-** α -D-mannopyranoside at pH 8.0 (25 °C)

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analog	Kτ	analog	K_I	
3 4^{15}	$0.37 \pm 0.06 \ \mu M$ 0.7 ± 0.3 mM $17 \pm 3 \mu M$		0.10 ± 0.01 mM 0.14 ± 0.01 mM	

respective HCl salts of 5 ($\left[\alpha \right]^{25}$ _D +20° (*c* 1.0, MeOH)) and **6** ($[\alpha]^{25}$ _D +7° (*c* 1.0, MeOH)).

Although having potentially significant biomedical properties, only a few analogues of mannostatin have been prepared and evaluated as mannosidase inhibitors thus far.5b,13 The synthetic methods described above, arising from a pyridinium salt photochemistry platform, have allowed us to access a number of previously unreported members this amniocyclopentitol family. A preliminary evaluation of the analogues **³**-**⁶** as inhibitors of jack bean α -mannosidase¹⁴ (Table 1) has shown that one of these substances, **4**, ¹⁵ is a modestly strong inhibitor of this enzyme $(K_{\rm I} = 17 \mu{\rm M} \text{ vs } 0.4 \mu{\rm M} \text{ for synthetic } (+)$ mannostatin A).

Experimental Section

General. ¹H and ¹³C NMR spectra were recorded in CDCl₃ solutions, and chemical shifts are reported in ppm relative to CHCl₃ (δ 7.24 ppm for ¹H and δ 77.0 ppm for ¹³C). ¹³C NMR resonance assignments were aided by the use of the DEPT-135 technique to determine numbers of attached hydrogens. IR spectral vibrational frequencies are expressed in cm-1. Optical rotations α were measured at 589 nm (sodium D line). Column chromatography was performed with either type 60 (230-⁴⁰⁰ mesh) silica gel, Alcoa type F-20 alumina (neutral, 80-²⁰⁰ mesh), or Fluorisil (100-200 mesh). Preparative TLC was performed on 20 \times 20 cm plates coated with type 60 GF-254 silica gel. Mass spectra were recorded by using electron impact ionization unless specified as chemical ionization by CI. All reactions were run under a dry N_2 atmosphere unless otherwise noted. Organic extracts obtained following workup of reaction mixtures were dried over anhydrous Na2SO4 or MgSO4. All compounds prepared in this study were oils unless otherwise noted and were judged to be >95% pure by use of NMR spectroscopic methods unless otherwise noted.

(1*R***,2***R***,3***S***,4***S***,5***S***)-1-Methylthio-4-***tert***-butyldimethylsilyloxy-5-acetamidocyclopentane-2,3-diol (19).** A solution of silyl ether **10** (0.30 g, 1.0 mmol) in 9 mL of pyridine containing osmium tetraoxide (0.40 g, 1.6 mmol) was stirred at 25 °C for 48 h. The solvent was removed in vacuo, giving a residue which dissolved in THF (30 mL), water (1.5 mL) and sodium metabisulfite (5.0 g). The mixture was stirred at 65 °C for 5 h and filtered. The filtrate was dried and concentrated in vacuo to give a residue which was subjected to column chromotography (silica gel, 1:1 acetone:hexanes) yielding 0.30 g (89%) of **19**: $[\alpha]^{25}D + 160^{\circ}$ (c 1.4 CHCl₀) ¹H NMR 6.56 (d $I = 8.5$ Hz 1H NH) $+16.0^{\circ}$ (*c* 1.4, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR 6.56 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 1H, NH), 4.02-3.97 (m. 2H, H₁, and H₂), 3.88 (t, *I* = 3.6 Hz, 1H, H₂), 3.58 4.02-3.97 (m, 2H, H₁ and H₂), 3.82 (t, $J = 3.6$ Hz, 1H, H₃), 3.58 (dt, $J = 8.5$, 4.3 Hz, 1H, H₄), 3.48 (brs, 2H, OH), 2.93 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 1H, H5), 2.12 (s, 3H, SCH3), 1.98 (s, 3H, COCH3), 0.84 (s, 9H, C(CH₃)₃), 0.04 (s, 6H, Si(CH₃)₂); ¹³C NMR 170.4 (C=O), 78.0, 77.5, 75.6 (C1, C2, and C3), 61.9, 53.1 (C4 and C5), 25.6 (C(*C*H3)3), 23.3 (CO*C*H3), 17.9 (*C*(CH3)3), 13.6 (SCH3), -4.7, -4.9 (Si(CH3)2); IR (neat) 3290, 2954, 2916, 1652, 1558, 1472, 1253, 1092; MS

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m/*z* (rel intensity) 335 (0.4), 278 (100), 260 (47); HRMS calcd *m*/*z* for C14H29O4NSiS 335.1587, found 335.1560.

(1*R***,2***R***,3***S***,4***S***,5***S***)-1-Methylthio-2,3-diacetoxy-4-***tert***-butyldimethylsilyloxy-5-acetamidocyclopentane (20).** A solution of diol **19** (0.28 g, 0.84 mmol), 4-DMAP (30 mg, 0.24 mmol), and acetic anhydride (0.55 mL, 5.82 mmol) in 6 mL of pyridine was stirred at 25 °C for 12 h, quenched with water, and extracted with CHCl₃. The organic extracts were dried and concentrated in vacuo to give a residue which was subjected to column chromotography (silica gel, 3:1 hexanes:acetone) to afford the diacetate **20** (0.33 g, 95%): $[\alpha]^{25}D + 15.5^{\circ}$ (c 1.0, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR 5.68 (d, $J = 8.6$ Hz, 1H, NH), 5.24 (t, $J = 5.6$ Hz, 1H, H₁), 5.01 $(t, J = 5.3$ Hz, 1H, H₂), 4.17 $(t, J = 5.6$ Hz, 1H, H₃), 3.83 (m, 1H, H₄), 3.02 (dd, $J = 8.3$, 6.6 Hz, 1H, H₅), 2.10 (s, 3H, SCH₃), 2.04 (s, 6H, COCH3), 1.99 (s, 3H, NCOCH3), 0.84 (s, 9H, C(CH3)3), 0.04 (s, 3H, Si(CH₃)₂), 0.03 (s, 3H, Si(CH₃)₂); ¹³C NMR 169.6, 169.5, 169.4 (C=O), 77.5, 76.0, 72.9 (C₁, C₂, and C₃), 58.5, 50.4 (C4 and C5), 25.5 (C(*C*H3)3), 23.4 (NCO*C*H3), 20.7, 20.6 (OCO*C*H3), 17.8 ($C(CH_3)_3$), 13.0 (SCH₃), -4.9 (Si(CH₃)₂); IR (neat) 2924, 2852 1751, 1655, 1246, 1088; CIMS *^m*/*^z* (rel intensity) 420 (M + 1, 6), 362 (100); HRMS calcd *m*/*z* for C18H34O6NSiS 420.1876 (M + 1), found 420.1877.

(1*R***,2***R***,3***R***,4***S***,5***S***)-1-Methylthio-2,3-diacetoxy-5-acetamidocyclopentan-4-ol (21).** A solution of silyl ether **20** (0.30 g, 0.72 mmol) containing 1 mL of a THF solution of tetrabutylammonium fluoride (1 M) in THF (5 mL) was stirred at 25 °C for 2.5 h, diluted with water, and extracted with CHCl₃. The organic extracts were dried and concentrated in vacuo to give a residue which was subjected to column chromatography (silica gel, 1:1 hexanes: acetone) to provide 0,2 g (91%) of monoalcohol **21**: α ²⁵D +17.5° (*^c* 1.6, CHCl3). 1H NMR 5.96 (brs, 1H, NH), 5.27 (dd, *^J* $= 7.9, 6.2$ Hz, 1H, H₃), 5.12 (dd, $J = 6.0, 4.6$ Hz, 1H, H₂), 4.91 (brs, 1H, OH), 4.07 (t, $J = 6.2$ Hz, 1H, H₁), 3.53 (m, 1H, H₅), 3.78 (dd, $J = 10.2$, 7.9 Hz, 1H, H₄), 2.09 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.06 (s, 3H, CH3), 2.05 (s, 3H, CH3), 2.04 (s, 3H, CH3); 13C NMR 172.8, 169.8, 169.4 (C=O), 79.7, 75.5, 71.4 (C_{1,} C_{2,} C₃), 58.3 (C₅), 49.6 (C4), 23.0, 20.6, 20.6 (OCH3), 11.9 (SCH3); IR (neat) 3300, 2906, 2833, 1742, 1653, 1544, 1249, 1052; FABMS *m*/*z* (rel intensity) 306 (M + 1, 100), 246 (40), 242 (39); HRMS calcd *^m*/*^z* for $C_{12}H_{20}O_6$ NS 306.1011 (M + 1), found 306.1024.

(1*R***,2***R***,3***R***,4***S***,5***S***)-1-Methylthio-5-aminocyclopentane-2,3,4-triol Hydrochloride 3**'**HCl).** A stirred solution of monoalcohol **21** (0.19 g, 0.62 mmol) in aqueous HCl (6 M, 4 mL) solution was heated at 100 °C for 12 h. The solvent was removed in vacuo and remaining oil was washed with ether and CHCl3. The residue was dried in vacuo to afford (+)-**3**'HCl (0.11 g, 82%): $[\alpha]^{25}$ _D +25.7° (*c* 1.4, CH₃OH). ¹H NMR (D₂O) 3.97 (quintet, *J* = 5.8 Hz, 2H, H₁ and H₃), 3.85 (t, $J = 5.6$ Hz, 1H, H₂), 3.11 (dd, *J* $= 8.8, 6.8$ Hz, 1H, H₄), 2.85 (dd, $J = 8.8, 6.4$ Hz, 1H, H₅), 2.05 (s, 3H, SCH₃); ¹³C NMR (D₂O, CDCl₃ external reference) 79.3, 77.3, 75.2 (C_1 , C_2 , and C_3), 59.5 (C_4), 52.5 (C_5), 14.3 (SCH₃); IR (neat) 3310, 2895, 2833, 1508, 1124, 1062; FABMS *m*/*z* (rel intensity) 180 ($M + 1$, 100); HRMS calcd m/z for $C_6H_{14}O_3NS$ 180.0694 (M + 1), found 180.0687.

(3*S***,4***S***,5***R***)-3-Methylthio-4-***tert***-butyldimethylsilyloxy-5 acetamidocyclopent-1-ene (18).** A solution of allyl carbonate **9** (0.252 g, 0.73 mmol) and methylthiotrimethylsilane (0.516 mL, 3.65 mmol) in 8 mL of dry THF under N_2 was prepared. In a separate flask, tris(dibenzylideneacetone)dipalladium(0)-chloroform adduct ((dba)₃Pd₂CHCl₃) (0.076 g, 0.072 mmol) and 1,3bis(diphenylphosphino)propane (dppp) (0.180 g, 0.44 mmol) were dissolved in 4.0 mL of dry THF under N_2 . When the latter solution sustained a yellow color (ca.10 min), half of it was added via syringe to the allyl carbonate solution, and the mixture was stirred at 65 °C for 4 h at which time the other half of Pd solution was added. The mixture was stirred at 65 °C for 20 h and concentrated in vacuo to give a residue which was subjected to column chromatography (silica gel, 2:1 ether:hexanes) to yield 15 mg of recoved 9 and 0.19 g (86%) of 18: α ²⁵_D +49.2° (*c* 0.6, CHCl3). 1H NMR 5.85-5.82 (m, 1H, vinyl), 5.72-5.69 (m, 1H, vinyl), 5.62 (d, J = 8.9 Hz, 1H, NH), 4.75-4.70 (m, 1H, H₃), 3.96 $(t, J = 2.2$ Hz, 1H, H₄), 3.38 (m, 1H, H₅), 2.09 (s, 3H, SCH₃), 1.92 (s, 3H, COCH3), 0.83 (s, 9H, C(CH3)3), 0.09 (s, 3H, Si(CH3)), 0.08 (s, 3H, Si(CH₃)); ¹³C NMR 169.0 (C=O), 133.2, 131.6 (CH= CH), 83.1 (C₄), 62.4, 57.6 (C₃ and C₅), 25.6 (C(CH₃)₃), 23.4 (CO*C*H3), 17.9 (*C*(CH3)3), 14.7 (SCH3), -4.7, -4.9 (Si(CH3)2); IR (neat) 3064, 1641, 1547, 1128; MS *m*/*z* (rel intensity) 301 (0.6), 254 (48), 244 (90); HRMS calcd *m*/*z* for C14H27O2NSSi 301.1532, found 301.1555.

(3*S***,4***S***,5***R***)-3-Methylthio-5-acetamidocyclopent-1-en-4 ol (22).** A solution of silyl ether **18** (0.30 g, 1.0 mmol) and 0.5 mL of aqueous HF (48%) in CH3CN (10 mL) was stirred at 25 $\rm ^{\circ}C$ for 3 h, neutralized with NaHCO₃, and extracted with CHCl₃. The organic extracts were dried and concentrated in vacuo to give 0.17 g (89%) of **22**: $[\alpha]^{25}D +23.4^{\circ}$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR 6.67 (d, $J = 6.0$ Hz, 1H, NH), 5.80 (dt, $J = 5.9$, 1.9 Hz, 1H, vinyl), 5.65 (dt, $J = 5.9$, 1.8 Hz, 1H, vinyl), 5.06 (brs, 1H, OH), 4.62 (m, 1H, H₂), 4.07 (t, $J = 4.3$ Hz, 1H, H₁), 3.56 (m, 1H, H₅), 2.09 (s, 3H, SCH₃), 2.00 (s, 3H, COCH₃); ¹³C NMR 172.1 (C=O), 134.4, 129.3 (CH=CH), 85.1 (C₁), 64.3, 55.8 (C₂ and C₅), 22.6 (CO*C*H₃), 13.6 (SCH3); IR (neat) 3287, 2916, 1641, 1555; FABMS *m*/*z* (rel intensity) 188 (100), 140 (77); HRMS calcd m/z for C₈H₁₄O₂NS 188.0745 (M $+$ 1), found 188.0750.

(1*R***,2***R***,3***R***,4***S***,5***R***)-3-Methylthio-5-acetamidocyclopentane-1,2,4-triol (23).** A solution of **22** (0.15 g, 0.80 mmol), TMEDA (0.15 mL, 0.99 mmol), and osmium tetraoxide (0.25 g, 0.98 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (52 mL) was stirred at -78 °C for 3 h, warmed to 25 °C, and concentrated in vacuo, giving a residue which dissolved in THF (25 mL), water (1.5 mL), and sodium metabisulfite (6.2 g). The mixture was heated at 70 °C for 5 h, filtered, dried, and concentrated in vacuo to give a residue which was subjected to column chromotography (silica gel, 1:1 acetone:hexanes, and then acetone) yielding 0.09 g (50%, ca. 85% purity as judged by ¹³C NMR analysis, see Supporting Information) **23**: $[\alpha]^{25}D + 16.0^{\circ}$ $(c 1.2, CH₃OH)$. ¹H NMR $(D₂O)$ 4.19 (t, $J = 4.3$ Hz, 1H, H₄), 4.10 (dd, $J = 6.3$, 4.5 Hz, 1H, H₃), 3.90 (quintet, $J = 6.0$ Hz, 2H, H₁ and H₂), 2.88 (dd, $J = 8.3$, 5.9 Hz, 1H, H₅), 2.05 (s, 3H, SCH₃), 1.92 (s, 3H, COCH3); 13C NMR (D2O, CDCl3 external reference) 167.9 (C=O), 82.4, 73.6, 72.4 (C₁, C₂, and C₄), 59.7, 56.1 (C₃ and C5), 24.3 (CO*C*H3), 16.8 (SCH3); IR (neat) 3341, 2885, 1648, 1539; FABMS *^m*/*^z* (rel intensity) 222 (M + 1, 100), 180 (18); HRMS calcd *m*/*z* for C₈H₁₆O₄NS 222.0800, found 222.0798.

(1*R***,2***R***,3***R***,4***S***,5***R***)-3-Methylthio-5-acetamidocyclopentane-1,2,4-triol Hydrochloride (4**'**HCl).** A solution of triol **²³** (0.30 g, 1.4 mmol) and HCl (6 M, 3 mL) was stirred at 100 $^{\circ}$ C for 12 h and concentrated in vacuo. The residue was washed with ether and CHCl3. and dried in vacuo to afford (+)-**4**'HCl (0.24 g, 82%, ca. 85% purity as judged by 13C NMR analysis, see Supporting Information): $[\alpha]^{25}D + 17.6^{\circ}$ (*c* 1.0, CH₃OH). ¹H NMR (D₂O) 4.28 (dd, $J = 7.2$, 7.2 Hz, 1H, H₂), 4.20 (t, $J = 4.7$ Hz, 1H, H₄), 4.05 (dd, $J = 9.1$, 6.0 Hz, 1H, H₁), 3.42 (t, $J = 6.7$ Hz, 1H, H₃), 2.89 (dd, $J = 9.1$, 6.0 Hz, 1H, H₁), 3.42 (t, $J = 6.7$ Hz, 1H, H₃), 2.89
(a) $J = 5.0$ Hz, 1H, H_s), 2.08 (s) 3H, SCH₂), ¹³C, NMR (D₂O, CDCl₂ (q, $J = 5.0$ Hz, 1H, H₅), 2.08 (s, 3H, SCH₃); ¹³C NMR (D₂O, CDCl₃)
external reference) 80.6 74.1 70.6 (C₁, C₂, and C₄), 60.1 (C₂) external reference) 80.6, 74.1, 70.6 (C_1 , C_2 , and C_4), 60.1 (C_3), 56.4 (C5), 16.8 (SCH3); IR (neat) 3269, 2906, 2833, 1503, 1062; FABMS *^m*/*^z* (rel intensity) 180 (M + 1, 100); HRMS calcd *^m*/*^z* for $C_6H_{14}O_3$ NS 180.0694 (M + 1), found 180.0698.

(1*R***,2***R***,3***R***,4***R***,5***R***) and (1***S***,2***S***,3***R***,4***R***,5***R***)-1,2-Diacetoxy-3 methylthio-4-***tert***-butyldimethylsilyloxy-5-acetamidocyclopentane (24 and 25).** A solution of silyl ether **15** (0.178 g, 0.59 mmol) and osmium tetraoxide (0.225 g, 0.89 mmol) in pyridine (6.5 mL) was stirred at 25 °C for 24 h and concentrated in vacuo, giving a residue which dissolved in THF (25 mL), water (1.5 mL), and sodium metabisulfite (6.0 g). The mixture was stirred at 65 °C for 5 h and filtered, dried, and concentrated in vacuo to give a residue**.** A solution of the residue, 4-DMAP (17 mg, 0.14 mmol), and acetic anhydride (0.362 mL, 3.84 mmol) in 5 mL of pyridine was stirred at 25 °C for 12 h, quenched with water, and extracted with CHCl₃. The extracts were dried and concentrated in vacuo to give a residue which was subjected to column chromotography (silica gel, 4:1 hexanes:acetone) to afford the **24** (0.106 g, 43% yield) and **25** (0.096 g, 39% yield).

24: $[\alpha]^{25}$ _D -4.6° (*c* 1.7, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR 5.84 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 1H, NH), 5.24 (t, $J = 6.3$ Hz, 1H, H₂), 5.09 (q, $J = 4.7$ Hz, 1H, H₁), 4.65 (m, 1H, H₅), 4.03 (dd, $J = 7.4$, 4.9 Hz, 1H, H₄), 2.97 (t, *J* = 5.0 Hz, 1H, H₃), 2.10 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.07 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.02 (s, 3H, CH3), 1.95 (s, 3H, CH3), 0.88 (s, 9H, C(CH3)3), 0.13 (s, 3H, Si(CH3)2), 0.05 (s, 3H, Si(CH3)2); 13C NMR 170.8, 170.0, 169.7 $(C=0)$, 75.3, 73.5, 70.1 $(C_1, C_2,$ and $C_4)$, 55.8, 53.2 $(C_3$ and $C_5)$, 25.7 (C(*C*H3)3), 23.4 (NCO*C*H3), 20.7, 20.7 (OCO*C*H3), 17.9 (*C*(CH3)3), 15.9 (SCH3), -4.6, -5.0 (Si(CH3)2); IR (neat) 2926, 2845, 1752, 1639, 1373, 1238; FABMS *m*/*z* (rel intensity) 420 $(M + 1, 34)$, 362 (19); HRMS calcd *m*/*z* for C₁₈H₃₄O₆NSiS 420.1876 ($M + 1$), found 420.1887.

25: $[\alpha]^{25}$ _D -11.7° (*c* 1.2, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR 5.86 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 1H, NH), 5.34 (t, *J* = 4.2 Hz, 1H, H₁), 5.06 (q, *J* = 4.0 Hz, 1H, 1H, NH), 5.34 (t, $J = 4.2$ Hz, 1H, H₁), 5.06 (q, $J = 4.0$ Hz, 1H, H₂) 4.43 (m, 1H, H₂), 4.02 (q, $J = 2.9$ Hz, 1H, H₂), 3.02 (dd, $J =$ H₂), 4.43 (m, 1H, H₅), 4.02 (q, *J* = 2.9 Hz, 1H, H₄), 3.02 (dd, *J* = 8.6 3.9 Hz, 1H, H₂), 2.00 (s 8.6, 3,9 Hz, 1H, H3), 2.08 (s, 3H, CH3), 2.06 (s, 3H, CH3), 2.00 (s, 3H, CH3), 1.96 (s, 3H, CH3), 0.92 (s, 9H, C(CH3)3), 0.16 (s, 3H, Si(CH₃)₂), 0.07 (s, 3H, Si(CH₃)₂); ¹³C NMR 169.7, 169.6, 169.1 (C=O), 74.7, 74.4, 72.8 (C₁, C₂, and C₄), 54.9, 50.4 (C₃ and C₅), 25.8 (C(*C*H3)3), 23.4 (NCO*C*H3), 20.7, 20.7 (OCO*C*H3), 17.9 (*C*(CH3)3), 13.4 (SCH3), -4.4, -5.2 (Si(CH3)2); IR (neat) 2924, 2852, 1747, 1648, 1243; FABMS *^m*/*^z* (rel intensity) 420 (M + 1, 19), 362 (15); HRMS calcd *m*/*z* for C18H34O6NSiS 420.1876 (M + 1), found 420.1856.

(1*R***,2***R***,3***R***,4***S***,5***R***)-1,2-Diacetoxy-3-methylthio-5-acetamidocyclopentan-4-ol (26).** A solution of silyl ether **24** (0.061 g, 0.14 mmol) and 0.1 mL of aqueous HF (48%) in CH₃CN (3 mL) was stirred at 25 °C for 3 h, neutralized with NaHCO₃, and extracted with CHCl3. The extracts were dried and concentrated in vacuo to give a residue which was subjected to column chromatogrophy (silica gel, 1:1 hexanes:acetone) to provide 39 mg of **26** (88%) as a clear oil: $[\alpha]^{25}D +0.5^{\circ}$ (*c* 0.8, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR 6.15 (d, $J = 6.1$ Hz, 1H, NH), 5.47 (t, $J = 4.5$ Hz, 1H, H₃), 5.17 (q, $J = 4.3$ Hz, 1H, H₄), 4.38 (q, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H, H₂), 4.24 $(t, J = 6.5 \text{ Hz}, 1H, H_1)$, 3.06 $(t, J = 4.8 \text{ Hz}, 1H, H_5)$, 2.14 (s, 3H, CH3), 2.12 (s, 3H, CH3), 2.04 (s, 3H, CH3), 2.02 (s, 3H, CH3); 13C NMR 171.4, 171.0, 169.9 (C=O), 74.9, 73.0, 70.7 (C₁, C₃, C₄), 55.1, 54.4 (C2, C5), 29.6 (NCO*C*H3), 20.7, 20.6 (CO*C*H3), 15.6 (SCH3); IR (neat) 3362, 2957, 2926, 1752, 1648, 1540, 1238, 1083; FABMS *^m*/*^z* (rel intensity) 306 (M + 1, 13), 246 (10); HRMS calcd m/z for $C_{12}H_{20}O_6$ NS 306.1011 (M + 1), found 306.1004.

(1*S***,2***S***,3***R***,4***S***,5***R***)-1,2-Diacetoxy-3-methylthio-5-acetamidocyclopentan-4-ol (27).** A solution of silyl ether **25** (0.042 g, 0.10 mmol) and 0.1 mL of aqueous HF $(48%)$ in CH₃CN (3 mL) was stirred at 25 °C for 2.5 h, neutralized with NaHCO₃, and extracted with CHCl₃. The extracts were dried and concentrated in vacuo to give a residue which was subjected to column chromatogrophy (silica gel, 1:1 hexanes:acetone) to provide 26 mg of **27** (87%) as a clear oil: $[\alpha]^{25}$ _D +1.9° (*c* 1.1, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR 6.06 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 1H, NH), 5.40 (t, *J* = 4.3 Hz, 1H, H₄), 5.03 (q, *J* = 3.6 Hz, 1H, H₃), 4.45 (m, 1H, H₂), 4.13 (m, 1H, H₁), 3.11 (q, *J* = 4.5 Hz, 1H, H₅), 2.16 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.12 (s, 3H, CH₃), 3.11 (q, *J* = 4.5 Hz, 1H, H₅), 2.16 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.12 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.03 (s, 3H, CH₃), 2.02 (s, 3H, CH₃); ¹³C NMR 170.4, 169.6, 169.5 $(C=0)$, 75.3, 74.3, 72.7 (C_1, C_3, C_4) , 54.7, 50.9 (C_2, C_5) , 23.1 (NCO*C*H3), 20.8, 20.6 (CO*C*H3), 14.2 (SCH3); IR (neat) 3360, 2966, 2926, 1750, 1644, 1542, 1233, 1083; FABMS *m*/*z* (rel intensity) 306 (M + 1, 100), 246 (61); HRMS calcd *^m*/*^z* for $C_{12}H_{20}O_6$ NS 306.1011 (M + 1), found 306.0999.

(1*R***,2***R***,3***S***,4***R***,5***R***)-3-Methylthio-5-acetamidocyclopentane-1,2,4-triol Hydrochloride (5**'**HCl).** A solution of triol **²⁶** (12 mg, 0.04 mmol) in HCl (6 M, 1 mL) was stirred at 100 °C for 12 h and concentrated in vacuo, giving a residue which was washed with ether and $CHCl₃$ and dried in vacuo to afford $(+)$ -5 \cdot HCl (9 mg, 100%): $[\alpha]^{25}D + 19.5^{\circ}$ (*c* 1.1, CH₃OH). ¹H NMR (D₂O) 4.17-

4.06 (m, 3 H, H₁, H₂, and H₄), 3.51 (t, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H, H₃), 2.99-2.95 (m, 1H, H5), 2.07 (s, 3H, SCH3); 13C NMR (D2O, CDCl3 external reference) 76.6, 74.1, 72.9 (C_1 , C_2 , and C_4), 58.3, 57.8 (C4 and C5), 16.3 (SCH3); IR (neat) 3331, 2895, 2833, 1503, 1114; FABMS *^m*/*^z* (rel intensity) 180 (M + 1, 100); HRMS calcd *^m*/*^z* for $C_6H_{14}O_3$ NS 180.0690 (M + 1), found 180.0681.

(1*S***,2***S***,3***S***,4***R***,5***R***)-3-Methylthio-5-acetamidocyclopentane-1,2,4-triol Hydrochloride (6**'**HCl).** A solution of triol **²⁷** (15 mg, 0.05 mmol) in HCl (6 M, 1 mL) was stirred at 100 °C for 12 h and concentrated in vacuo, giving a residue which was washed with ether and CHCl₃ and dried in vacuo to afford $(+)$ -6·HCl (10 mg, 100%): $[\alpha]^{25}$ _D +7.2° (*c* 1.0, CH₃OH). ¹H NMR (D₂O) 4.09 (10 mg, 100%): $[\alpha]^{25}D + 7.2^{\circ}$ (*c* 1.0, CH₃OH). ¹H NMR (D₂O) 4.09 (m 2H H, and H₂) 3.73 (dd $I = 9.3$ 3.9 Hz 1H H₂) 3.60 (m (m, 2H, H₁ and H₂), 3.73 (dd, J = 9.3, 3.9 Hz, 1H, H₄), 3.60 (m, 1H H₂) 2.89 (dd J = 9.3, 5.7 Hz, 1H, H₂), 2.06 (s, 3H, SCH₂) 1H, H₃), 2.89 (dd, *J* = 9.3, 5.7 Hz, 1H, H₅), 2.06 (s, 3H, SCH₃); ¹³C NMR (D₂O, CDCl₃ external reference) 76.0, 74.7, 72.7 (C₁, C_2 , and C_4), 58.2, 54.1 (C_3 and C_5), 15.0 (SCH₃); IR (neat) 3268, 2895, 2833, 1503, 1114, 1057; FABMS *m*/*z* (rel intensity) 180 $(M + 1, 100)$; HRMS calcd *m*/*z* for C₆H₁₄O₃NS 180.0694 (M + 1), found 180.0698.

^r**-Mannosidase** *^K***^I Values.** The *^K*^I value for **³**-**⁶** were measured by using a minor modification of the earlier reported method.¹⁴ Enzymatic activities of jack bean α -mannosidase (Sigma, EC 3.2.1.24) were determined by using 0.1 M NaTRI-CINE solutions of the substrate, p -nitrophenyl- α -D-mannopyranoside (2 mM, 1 mM, 0.667 mM, 0.500 mM, 0.400 mM) at pH 8.0 (25 °C) and fixed concentrations of the inhibitors. Production of *p*-nitrophenolate was monitored by a continuous spectrophotometric assay (410 nm, $\epsilon = 16200 \text{ M}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}$).¹⁶ The enzymatic reactions were initiated by adding 25 μ g of jack bean α -mannosidase, and the *K*^I values were calculated by using the FORTRAN program COMPL.17

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