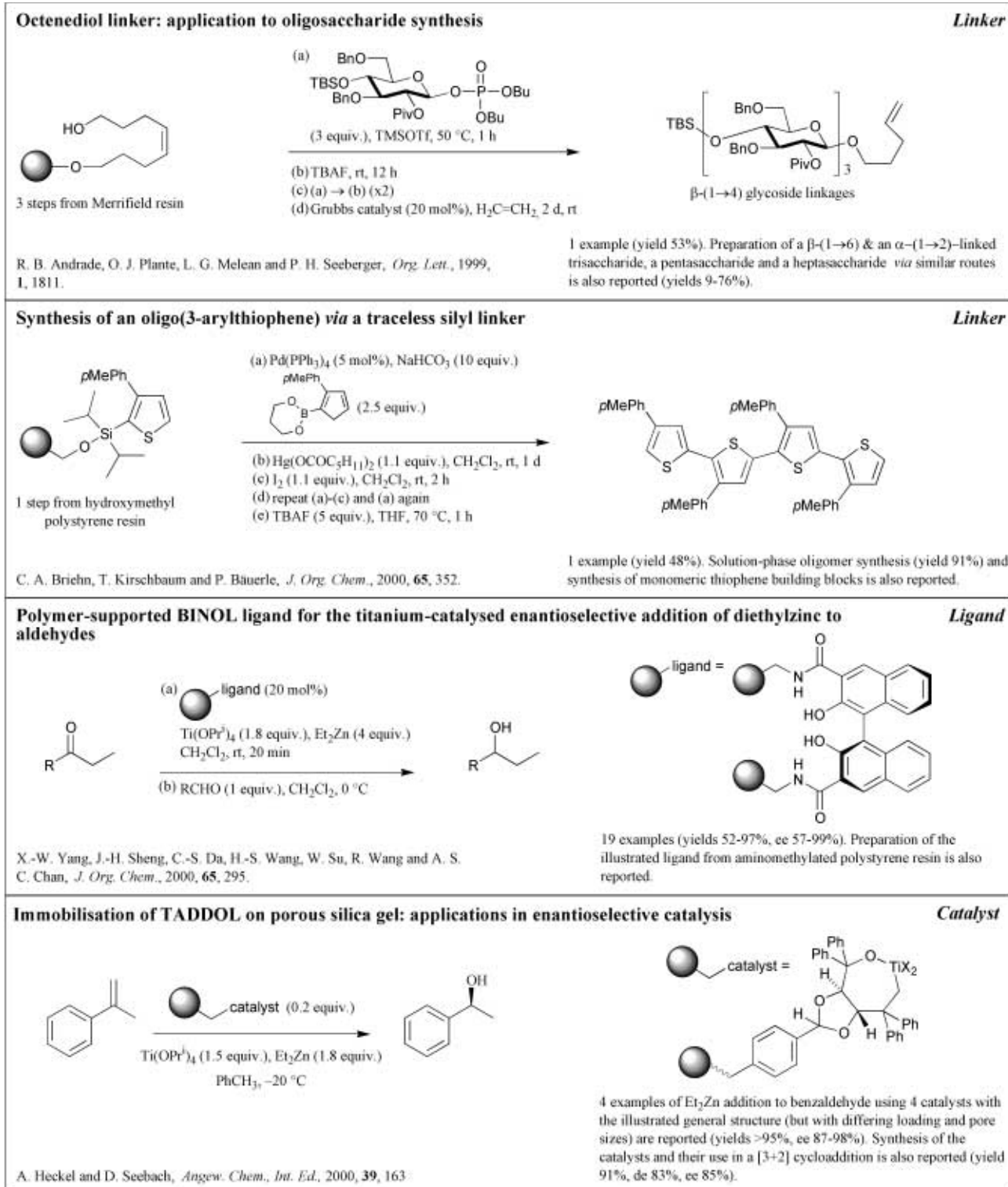


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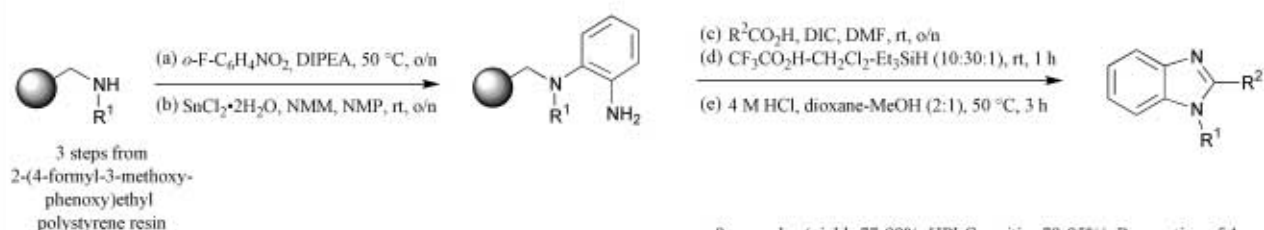
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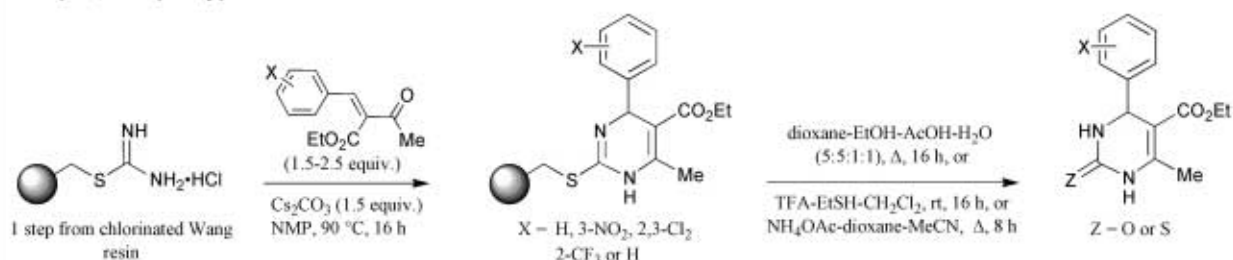
Traceless synthesis of benzimidazoles



A. Mazurov, *Bioorg. Med. Chem. Lett.*, 2000, **10**, 67.

9 examples (yields 77-98%, HPLC purities 79-95%). Preparation of 4-5-(benzimidazol-2-yl)benzimidazoles *via* a similar route is also reported (yields 88-95%, HPLC purity 90-95%).

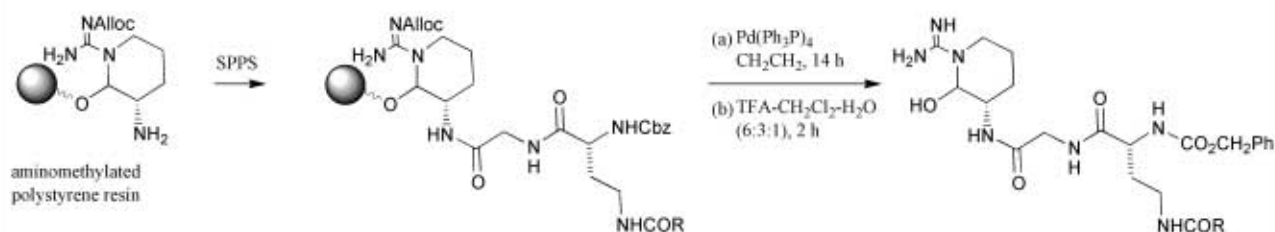
4-Aryl-3,4-dihydropyrimidines



C. Oliver Kappe, *Bioorg. Med. Chem. Lett.*, 2000, **10**, 49.

9 examples (yields 59-71%). Preparation of 3 other dihydropyrimidines *via* a similar route is also reported (yields 41-55%).

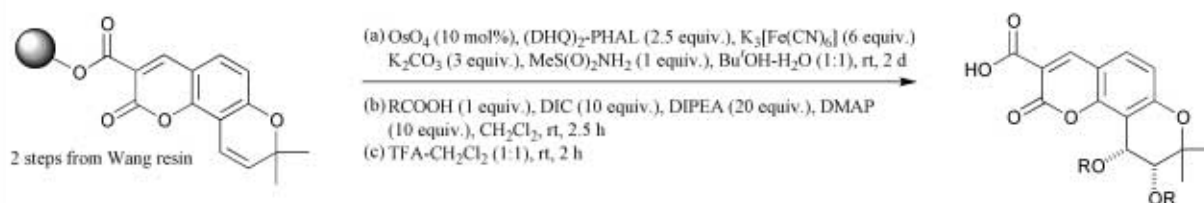
Factor Xa inhibitors.



J. Z. Ho, O. E. Levy, T. S. Gibson, K. Nguyen and J. E. Semple, *Bioorg. Med. Chem. Lett.*, 2000, **9**, 3459.

Preparation and biological evaluation of the illustrated 6-member library and of another similar 8-member library is reported (yields 41-89%, HPLC purity 90-99%).

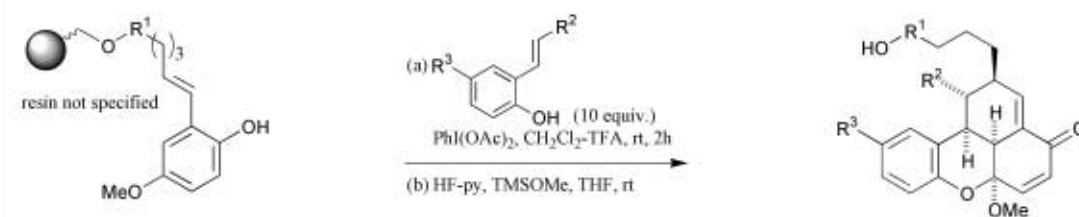
(3'R, 4'R)-Di-*O*-*cis*-acyl-3-carboxy khellactones



Y. Xia, Z.-Y. Yang, A. Brossi and K.-H. Lee, *Org. Lett.*, **1**, 2113.

6 examples (yields 23-43%, ee >91%).

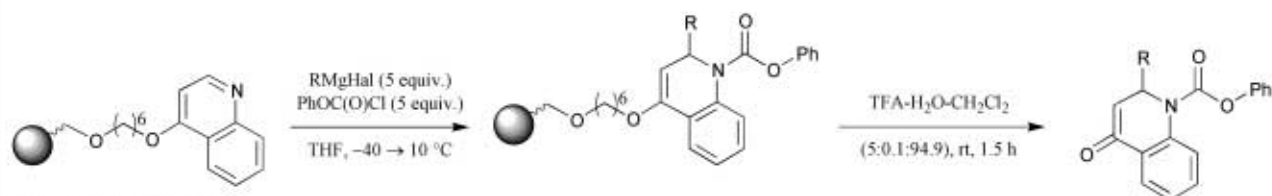
Biomimetic synthesis of carpanone-like molecules



C. W. Lindsley, L. K. Chan, B. C. Goess, R. Joseph and M. D. Shair, *J. Am. Chem. Soc.*, 2000, **122**, 422.

6 examples (yields 55-81%).

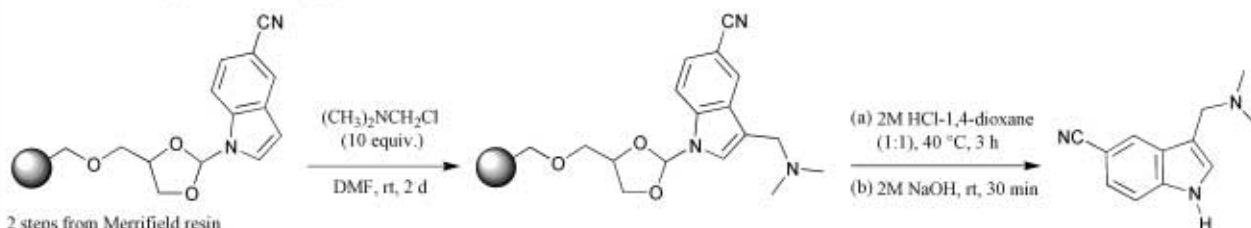
2,3-Dihydroquinolin-4-ones



S. Wendeborn, *Synlett*, 2000, 45.

13 examples (yields 57-100%, NMR purity >70->95%). Preparation of 12 dihydroquinolin-4-ones via 2 different routes is also reported (yields 35-80%, NMR purity 80-95%).

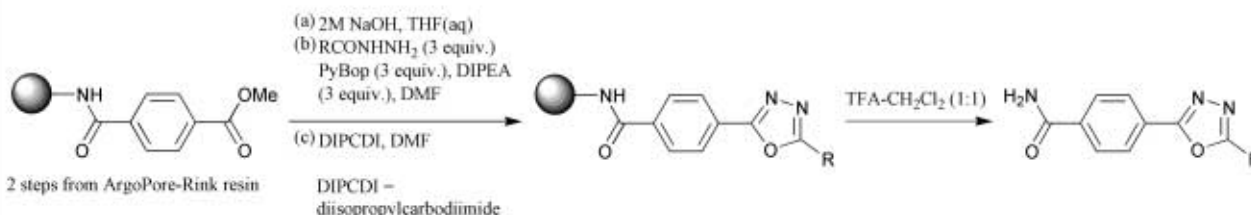
Traceless linking of indoles: application to Mannich and Stille reactions



J. Kraxner, M. Arlt and P. Gmeiner, *Synlett*, 2000, 125.

1 example (yield 99%, NMR purity >98%) and 1 example of Stille coupling using a tin-derivatised polymer-bound indole (yield 66%). Immobilisation and cleavage of 5 indoles is also reported.

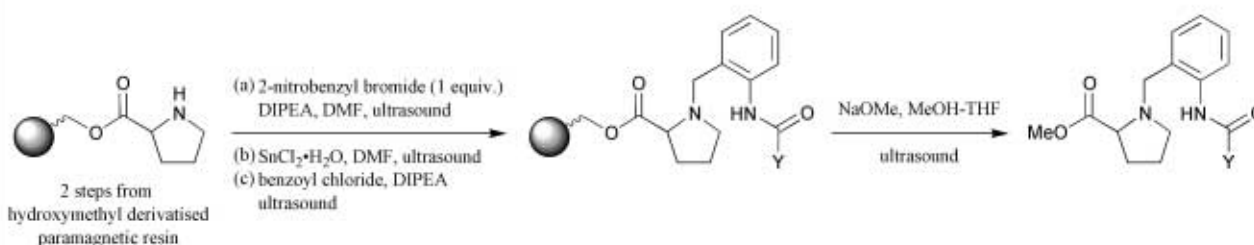
Synthesis of 1,3,4-oxadiazoles using diisopropylcarbodiimide to induce cyclodehydration



B. J. Brown, I. R. Clemens and J. K. Neesom, *Synlett*, 2000, 131.

10 examples (yields 60-78%, HPLC purity 71-96%).

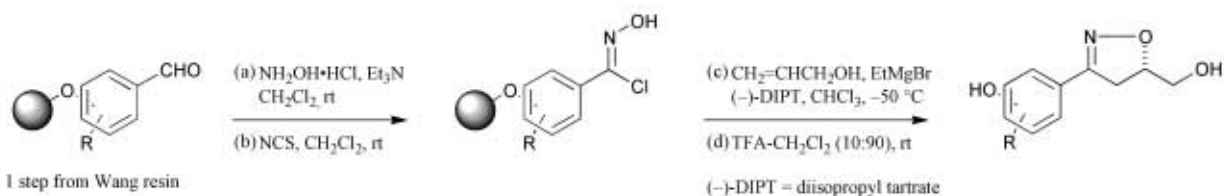
Power ultrasound for the synthesis of compounds targeting κ -opioid receptors



J. M. Perez, E. J. Wilhelm and I. Sucholeiki, *Bioorg. Med. Chem. Lett.*, 2000, 10, 171.

2 examples (yields 40-44%).

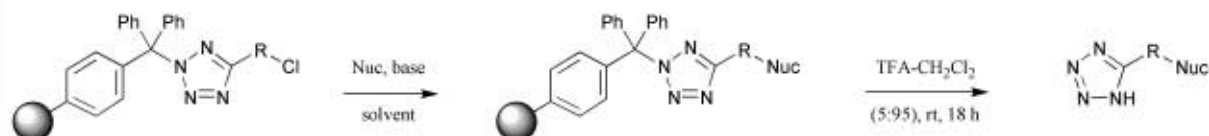
Isoxazolines



N. Zou and B. Jiang, *J. Comb. Chem.*, 2000, 2, 6.

6 examples (yields 63-78%, HPLC purity 75-90%, ee 62-95%).

Alkyl tetrazole derivatives

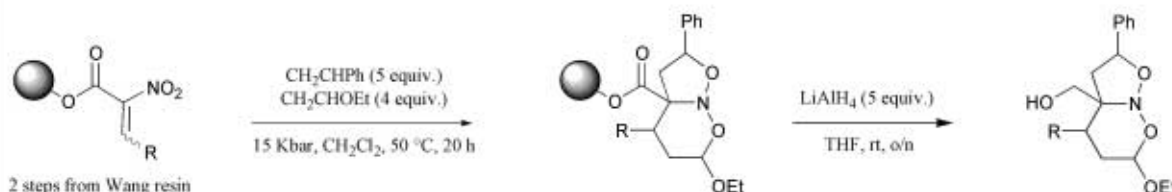


1 step from trityl chloride resin

D. P. Matthews, J. E. Green and A. J. Shuker, *J. Comb. Chem.*, 2000, **2**, 19.

30 examples (yields 24-100%, HPLC purity 73-100%).

High pressure promoted cycloadditions of polymer-supported nitroalkenes

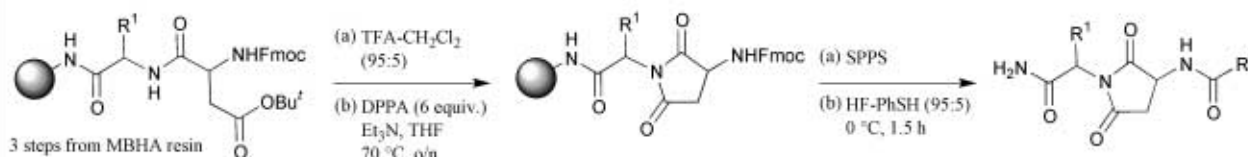


2 steps from Wang resin

5 examples of tandem cycloadditions (yields 29-56%). A high pressure promoted Diels-Alder reaction for the preparation of cyclic aryethylamines is also reported (no yields given).

G. J. Kuster and H. W. Scheeren, *Tetrahedron Lett.*, 2000, **41**, 515.

1,3-Disubstituted succinimides



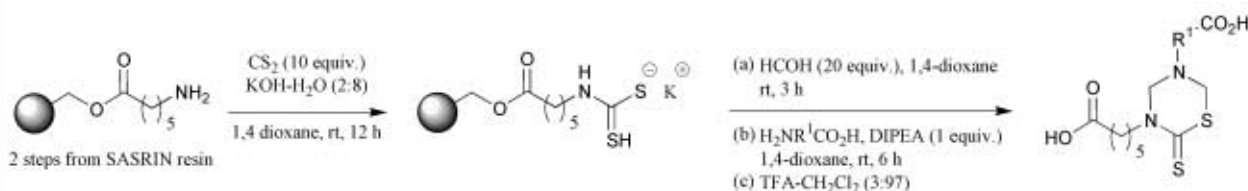
3 steps from MBHA resin

DPPA = diphenylphosphoryl azide

J. M. Alvarez-Gutierrez, A. Nefzi and R. A. Houghten, *Tetrahedron Lett.*, 2000, **41**, 609.

12 examples (yields 82-95%).

3-(5'-Carboxypentyl)-5-substituted tetrahydro-2H-1,3,5-thiadiazin-2-thione derivatives

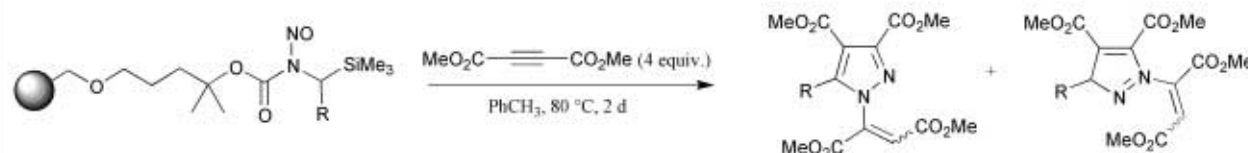


2 steps from SASRIN resin

R. Pérez, O. Reyes, M. Suarez, H. E. Garay, L. J. Cruz, H. Rodríguez, M. D. Molero-Vilchez and C. Ochoa, *Tetrahedron Lett.*, 2000, **41**, 613.

6 examples (yields 30-81%, HPLC purity 70-95%).

Traceless synthesis of pyrazoles from polymer-supported α -silylnitrosoamides

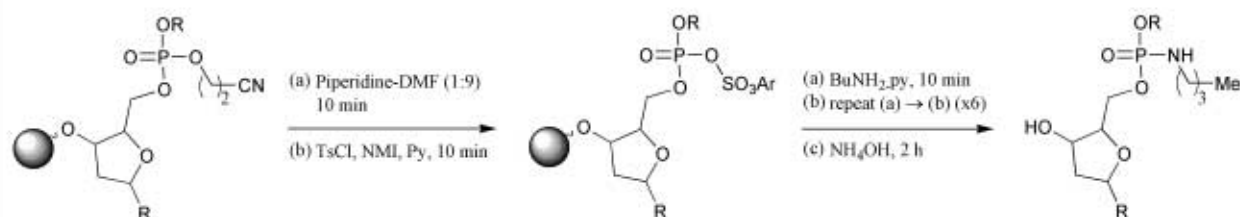


4 steps from Merrifield resin

K.-I. Washizuka, K. Nagai, S. Minakata, I. Ryu and M. Komatsu, *Tetrahedron Lett.*, 2000, **41**, 691.

4 examples (yields 23-70%). Cycloaddition using ethyl propiolate to give 3-substituted pyrazole products is also reported (yield 57%).

Amidate linkages in oligonucleotides



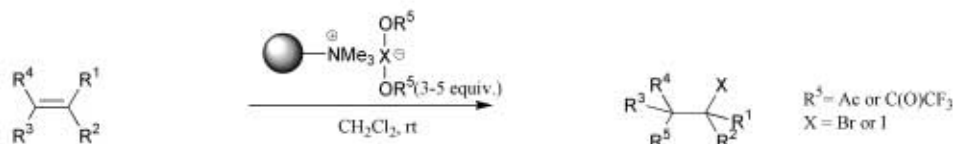
resin not specified

P. W. Davis and S. A. Osgood, *Bioorg. Med. Chem. Lett.*, 1999, 9, 2691.

1 example (yield 98%, HPLC purity 97%).

Polymer-supported acyl hypohalite equivalents for 1,2-haloacetoxylation of alkenes, alkynes and alkoxyallenes

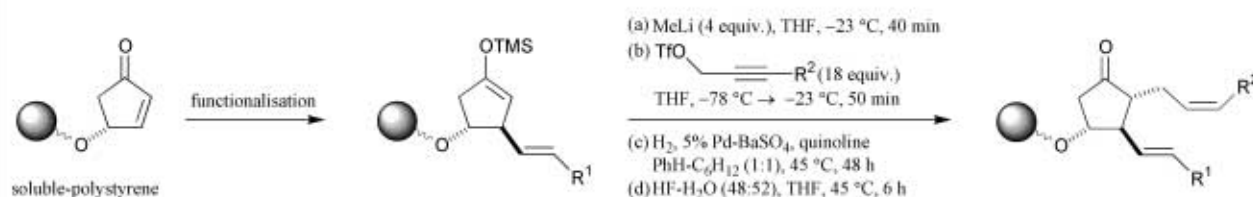
Reagent



H. Monenschein, G. Sourkouni-Argirusi, K. M. Schubothe, T. O'Hare and A. Kirshning, *Org. Lett.*, 1, 2101.

13 examples (yields 12-93%) and 8 examples of 1,2-haloacetoxylation of alkynes & alkoxyallenes using the illustrated reagents (yields 57-83%). Preparation of the illustrated reagents from polystyrene-bound halides is also reported.

Prostanoids

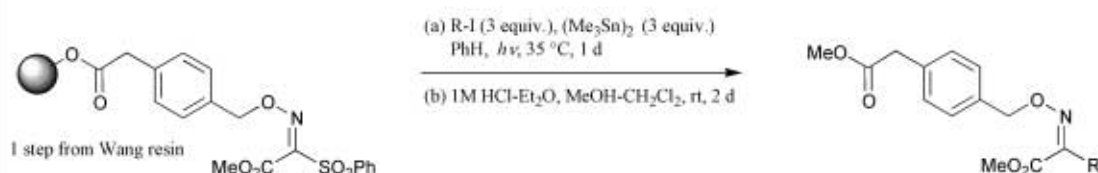


soluble-polystyrene

K. Joo Lee, A. Angulo, P. Ghazal and K. D. Janda, *Org. Lett.*, 1, 1859.

Preparation and biological evaluation of a 16-member library is reported (yields 26-38%).

Radical reaction of phenylsulfonyl oxime ethers: synthesis of α -amino-esters

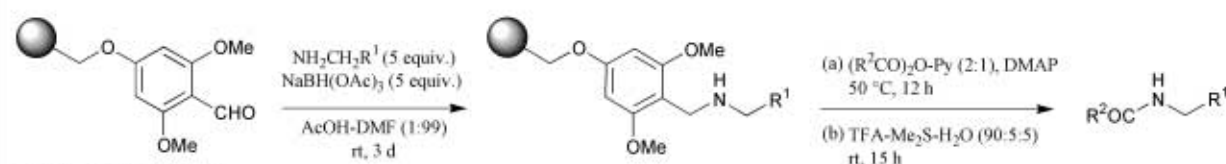


1 step from Wang resin

G.-H. Jeon, J.-Y. Yoon, S. Kim and S. Soo Kim, *Synlett*, 2000, 128.

6 examples (yields 22-50%). Solution-phase reduction of 3 of the illustrated oxime ethers to give the corresponding α -amino-esters is also reported (yields 65-73%).

Phenylalkylamide derivatives: melatonergic ligands for human mt_1 and MT_2 receptors

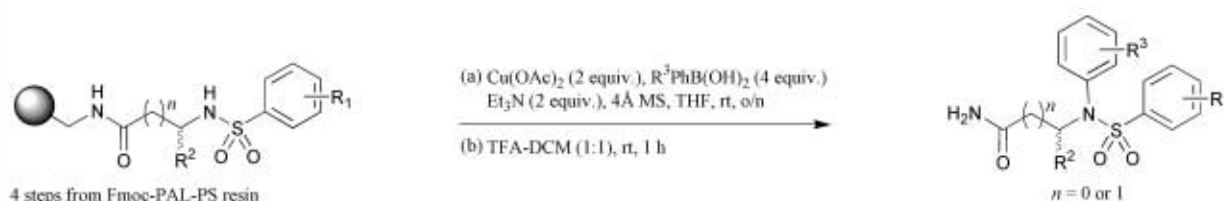


1 step from Merrifield resin

C. Pégurier, S. Curtet, J.-P. Nicolas, J. A. Boutin, P. Delagrance, P. Renard and M. Langlois, *Bioorg. Med. Chem.*, 2000, 8, 163.

Preparation and biological evaluation of a 108-member library is reported.

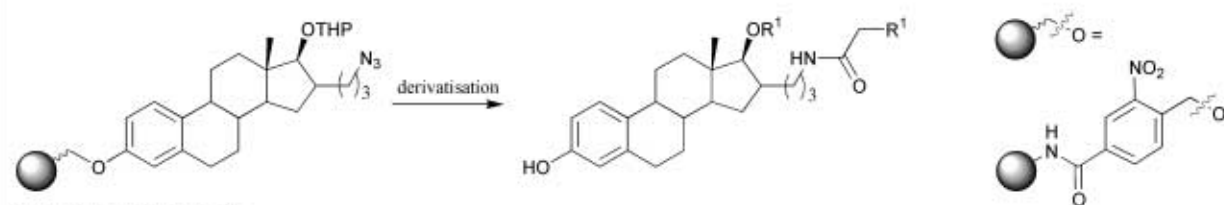
N-Arylation of sulfonamides



A. P. Combs and M. Rafalski, *J. Comb. Chem.*, 2000, **2**, 29.

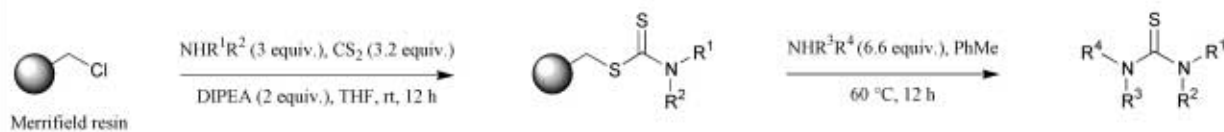
13 examples (yields 0, 43-81%)

Estradiol derivatives



M. R. Tremblay and D. Poirier, *J. Comb. Chem.*, 2000, **2**, 48.

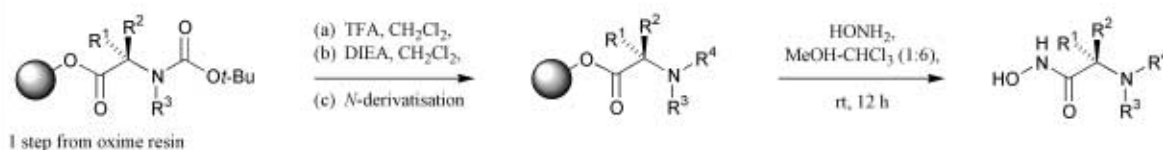
Traceless synthesis of N,N'-substituted thioureas



L. Gomez, F. Gellibert, A. Wagner and C. Mioskowski, *J. Comb. Chem.*, 2000, **2**, 75.

12 examples (yields 33-97%, HPLC purity >90%).

Nucleophilic displacement of resin-bound carboxylates with hydroxylamine



E. Thouin and W. D. Lubell, *Tetrahedron Lett.*, 2000, **41**, 457.

9 examples (yields 48->99%, NMR or HPLC purity 77-96%).

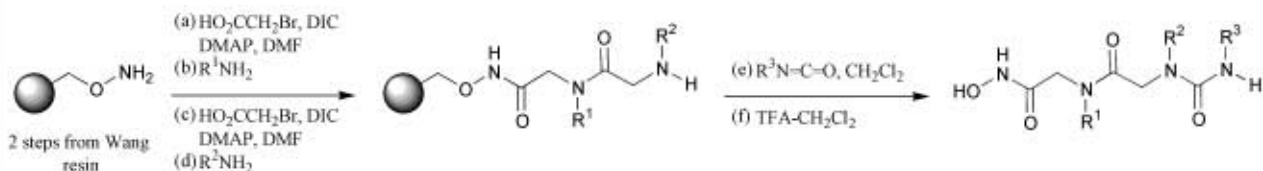
Disaccharide antibacterial agents



M. J. Sofia *et al.*, *J. Med. Chem.*, 1999, **42**, 3193.

Preparation and biological evaluation of a 1300-member library are reported.

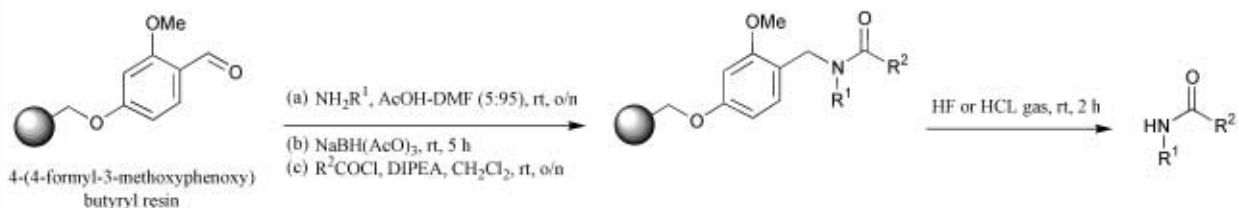
Hydroxamate/urea-based gelatinase inhibitors



Y. Zhang, D. Li, J. C. Houtman, D. T. Witiak, J. Seltzer, P. J. Bertics and C. T. Lauhon, *Bioorg. Med. Chem. Lett.*, 1999, 9, 2823.

Preparation and biological evaluation of >1000 compounds is reported.

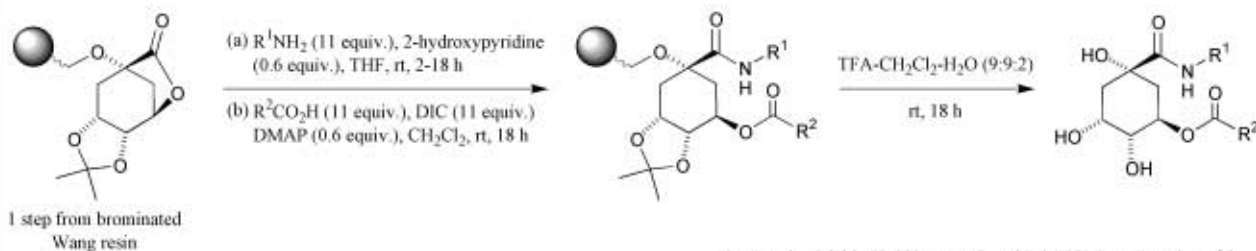
Gaseous HF and HCL cleavage of amino acids



A. Kerschen, A. Kanizsai, I. Botros and V. Krchnák, 1999, *J. Comb. Chem.*, 1, 480.

11 examples (yields 92-99%, HPLC purity 95-99%). 10 Wang resin-bound Fmoc amino acids are also cleaved using gaseous acid (yields 11-88%).

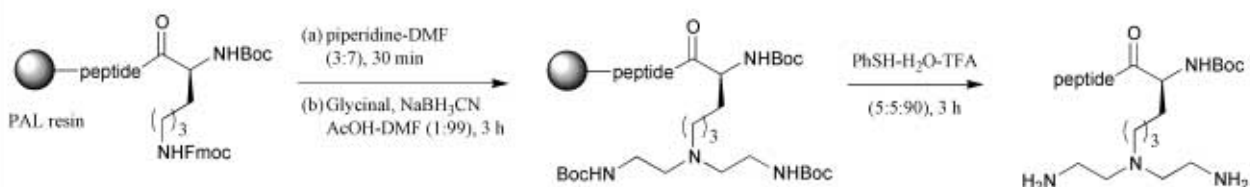
D-(-)-Quinic acid derivatives



C. W. Phoon and C. Abell, *J. Comb. Chem.*, 1999, 1, 485.

10 examples (yields 62-92%, HPLC purity 84-99%). Preparation of 8 quinic acid derivatives via 2 similar routes is also reported (yields 63-84%, HPLC purity 91-97%).

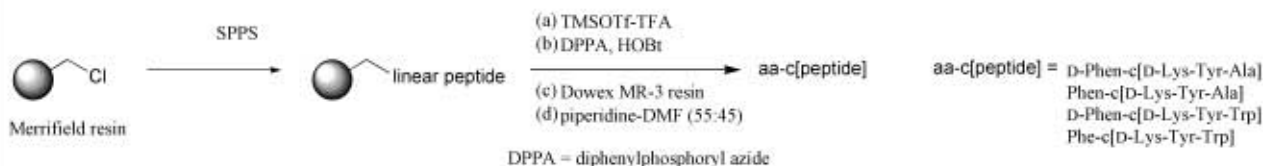
Synthesis of an antimicrobial peptide using an unnatural amino acid as a building block



J. Eun Oh and K. Hyeung Lee, *Bioorg. Med. Chem.*, 1999, 7, 2985.

Preparation and biological evaluation of a small library of peptides are reported.

Analogues of the opioid peptide YKFA



J. E. Burden, P. Davis, F. Porreca and A. F. Spatola, *Bioorg. Med. Chem. Lett.*, 1999, 9, 3441.

Synthesis and biological activities of 4 analogues of YKFA, in which the usual Tyr¹-Phe³ combination found in the opioid peptides has been transposed, are reported.

