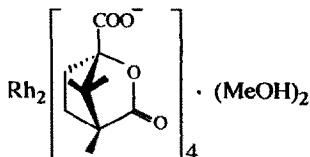


**STEREOCHEMISTRY ABSTRACTS**

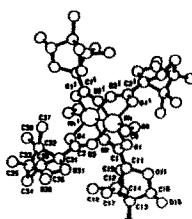
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C<sub>42</sub>H<sub>60</sub>O<sub>18</sub>Rh<sub>2</sub>

Tetrakis(μ-3R,6S-[2,1,2]-6,7,7-trimethyl-1-oxoheptan-3-one-6-carboxylato)-dirhodium (II) dimethanolate

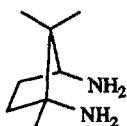


CD  $\lambda_{\text{max}}$  in MeOH ( $\Delta\epsilon$ ):  
507.5 (-0.33),  
458.0 (-0.25),  
301.5 (-0.09).

Source of chirality:  
(1S,4R)-camphanic acid

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E.e. > 95% (by <sup>1</sup>H nmr of a derivative)

$[\alpha]_D^{25} +35$  (c 1.0, EtOH)

Source of chirality: (+)-camphoric acid  
((1R, 3S)-1,2,2-trimethyl-1,3-cyclopentane-dicarboxylic acid;  $[\alpha]_D^{20} +46.9$  (c 5, EtOH))

Absolute configuration: 1R, 3S  
(assigned based on the reaction mechanism)

C<sub>8</sub>H<sub>18</sub>N<sub>2</sub>  
(1R, 3S)-1,2,2-Trimethyl-1,3-cyclopentanediamine

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E.e. > 95% (by <sup>1</sup>H nmr analysis of the mandelic acid salt)

$[\alpha]_D^{25} +35.3$  (c 1.0, EtOH)

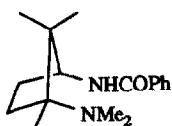
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Absolute configuration: 1R, 3S  
(assigned based on the reaction mechanism)

C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>26</sub>N<sub>2</sub>  
N,N,N',N'-Tetramethyl-(1R, 3S)-1,2,2-trimethyl-1,3-cyclopentanediamine

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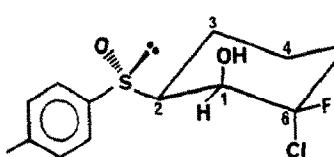
E.e. > 95% (by <sup>1</sup>H nmr of a precursor)

$[\alpha]_D^{25} +30$  (c 0.6, CHCl<sub>3</sub>)

Source of chirality: (+)-camphoric acid  
((1R, 3S)-1,2,2-trimethyl-1,3-cyclopentane-dicarboxylic acid;  $[\alpha]_D^{20} +46.9$  (c 5, EtOH))

Absolute configuration: 1R, 3S  
(assigned based on the reaction mechanism)

C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>26</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O  
3-(Benzoylamino)-1-(dimethylamino)-1,2,2-trimethylcyclopentane

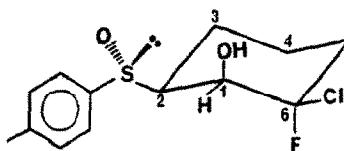


$[\alpha]_D^{20} = +112.7$  (*c* 0.3,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); m.p. 210–211 °C (ethyl acetate)

$^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\delta_{\text{H}}$ , ppm): 4.18 (H-1), 2.96 (H-2), and 2.52 (H-5)  
 $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR ( $\delta_{\text{F}}$ , ppm): -116.01 (F-6)

Source of chirality: (−)-(1*R*)-menthyl (S)-toluene-4-sulphonate  
 Absolute configuration: 1*S*,2*S*,5*S*,6*S*,7*S*

$\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{18}\text{ClFO}_2\text{S}$   
 (1*S*,2*S*,5*S*,6*S*,7*S*)-6-chloro-6-fluoro-5-methyl-2-[(4-methylphenyl)sulphiny]cyclohexan-1-ol

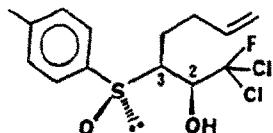


$[\alpha]_D^{20} = +97.3$  (*c* 0.7,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); m.p. 168–170 °C (isopropyl ether)

$^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\delta_{\text{H}}$ , ppm): 4.08 (H-1), 2.81 (H-2), and 2.32 (H-5)  
 $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR ( $\delta_{\text{F}}$ , ppm): -130.12 (F-6)

Source of chirality: (−)-(1*R*)-menthyl (S)-toluene-4-sulphonate  
 Absolute configuration: 1*S*,2*S*,5*S*,6*R*,7*S*

$\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{18}\text{ClPO}_2\text{S}$   
 (1*S*,2*S*,5*S*,6*R*,7*S*)-6-chloro-6-fluoro-5-methyl-2-[(4-methylphenyl)sulphiny]cyclohexan-1-ol

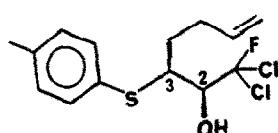


$[\alpha]_D^{20} = +57.4$  (*c* 0.9,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); liquid

$^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\delta_{\text{H}}$ , ppm): 4.75 (H-2) and 3.34 (H-3);  $^3J_{2,3} = 1.7$  Hz  
 $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR ( $\delta_{\text{F}}$ , ppm): -65.65 (F-1)

Source of chirality: (−)-(1*R*)-menthyl (S)-toluene-4-sulphonate  
 Absolute configuration: 2*S*,3*S*,5*S*

$\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{17}\text{Cl}_2\text{FO}_2\text{S}$   
 (2*S*,3*S*,5*S*)-1,1-dichloro-1-fluoro-3-[(4-methylphenyl)sulphiny]hept-6-en-2-ol

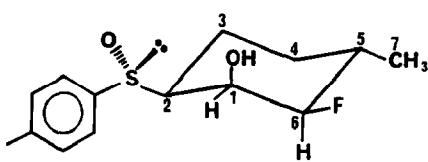


$[\alpha]_D^{20} = -45.2$  (*c* 0.8,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ); liquid

$^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\delta_{\text{H}}$ , ppm): 4.16 (H-2) and 3.65 (H-3);  $^3J_{2,3} = 1.8$  Hz  
 $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR ( $\delta_{\text{F}}$ , ppm): -64.85 (F-1)

Source of chirality: (−)-(1*R*)-menthyl (S)-toluene-4-sulphonate  
 Absolute configuration: 2*S*,3*S*

$\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{17}\text{Cl}_2\text{POS}$   
 (2*S*,3*S*)-1,1-dichloro-1-fluoro-3-[(4-methylphenyl)thio]hept-6-en-2-ol

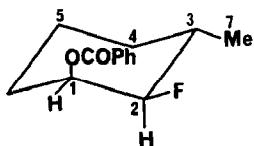


$[\alpha]_D^{20} = +120.0$  (*c* 0.7, CHCl<sub>3</sub>); m.p. 190–192 °C (isopropyl ether)

<sup>1</sup>H NMR ( $\delta_H$ , ppm): 4.02 (H-1), 3.85 (H-6), and 2.46 (H-2)  
<sup>19</sup>F NMR ( $\delta_F$ , ppm): -190.71 (F-6)

Source of chirality: (−)-(1*R*)-menthyl (*S*)-toluene-4-sulphonate  
 Absolute configuration: 1*R*,2*S*,5*S*,6*R*,*RS*

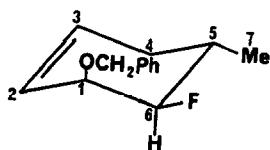
C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>19</sub>FO<sub>2</sub>  
 (1*R*,2*S*,5*S*,6*R*,*RS*)-6-fluoro-5-methyl-2-[(4-methylphenyl)sulphiny]cyclohexan-1-ol



$[\alpha]_D^{20} = +58.1$  (*c* 1.2, CHCl<sub>3</sub>); liquid  
<sup>1</sup>H NMR ( $\delta_H$ , ppm): 5.53 (H-1) and 4.24 (H-2); <sup>3</sup>J<sub>1,2</sub> = 3.0 Hz  
<sup>19</sup>F NMR ( $\delta_F$ , ppm): -189.50 (F-2)

Source of chirality: (−)-(1*R*)-menthyl (*S*)-toluene-4-sulphonate  
 Absolute configuration: 1*S*,2*R*,3*S*

C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>17</sub>FO<sub>2</sub>  
 (1*S*,2*R*,3*S*)-1-benzoyloxy-2-fluoro-3-methylcyclohexane

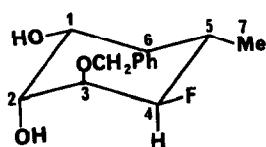


$[\alpha]_D^{20} = +173.1$  (*c* 0.2, CHCl<sub>3</sub>); liquid

<sup>1</sup>H NMR ( $\delta_H$ , ppm): 5.82 (H-3), 5.72 (H-2), and 4.39 (H-6)  
<sup>19</sup>F NMR ( $\delta_F$ , ppm): -196.44 (F-6)

Source of chirality: (−)-(1*R*)-menthyl (*S*)-toluene-4-sulphonate  
 Absolute configuration: 1*S*,5*S*,6*R*

C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>17</sub>FO  
 (1*S*,5*S*,6*R*)-1-benzyloxy-6-fluoro-5-methylcyclohex-2-ene

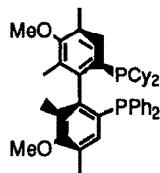


$[\alpha]_D^{20} = -16.2$  (*c* 0.5, CHCl<sub>3</sub>); m.p. 63–65 °C (pentane)

<sup>1</sup>H NMR ( $\delta_H$ , ppm): 4.50 (H-4), 4.08 (H-1), and 4.02 (H-2)  
<sup>19</sup>F NMR ( $\delta_F$ , ppm): -202.90 (F-4)

Source of chirality: (−)-(1*R*)-menthyl (*S*)-toluene-4-sulphonate  
 Absolute configuration: 1*R*,2*R*,3*S*,4*R*,5*S*

C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>17</sub>FO<sub>2</sub>  
 (1*R*,2*R*,3*S*,4*R*,5*S*)-3-benzyloxy-4-fluoro-5-methylcyclohexan-1,2-diol



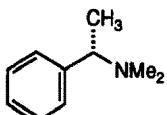
E.e.=100% (by HPLC using Opti-Pak TP [Waters])

$[\alpha]_D^{20} -2.14$  (*c* 1.00, benzene)

Absolute configuration : R

(R)-MOC-BIMOP

C<sub>42</sub>H<sub>52</sub>O<sub>2</sub>P<sub>2</sub> 6-dicyclohexylphosphino-6'-diphenylphosphino-3,3'-dimethoxy-2,2',4,4'-tetramethyl-1,1'-biphenyl



Optical Purity 94.5%

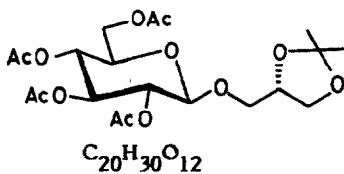
$[\alpha]_D^{21} = -46.5$  (*c* = 1, MeOH)

Source of chirality - Eschweiler-Clarke synthesis from RNH<sub>2</sub> (Aldrich)



Absolute configuration S (-)

(S)- Dimethyl-1-phenylethylamine

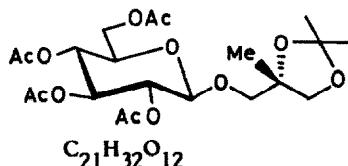


de = 40% (by <sup>1</sup>H-NMR analysis of anomeric protons)

$[\alpha]_D = -15.6$  (*c* 1.1, CHCl<sub>3</sub>)

Source of chirality - Catalytic osmylation of allyl β-D-glucopyranoside

3-O-(2,3,4,6-tetra-O-acetyl-β-D-glucopyranosyl)-1,2-O-isopropylidene-D-glycerol

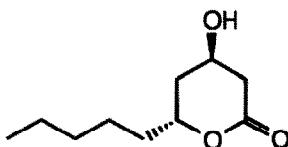


de = 64% (by <sup>1</sup>H-NMR analysis of anomeric protons)

$[\alpha]_D = -2.15$  (*c* 1.0, CHCl<sub>3</sub>)

Source of chirality - Catalytic osmylation of 2-isobutenyl β-D-glucopyranoside

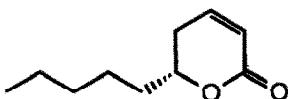
3-O-(2,3,4,6-tetra-O-acetyl-β-D-glucopyranosyl)-1,2-O-isopropylidene-2-C-methyl-D-glycerol

 $C_{10}H_{18}O_3$ 

3-Hydroxy-5-decanolide

Absolute configuration 4R, 6R.

Source of chirality: natural and biocatalytic lactonization

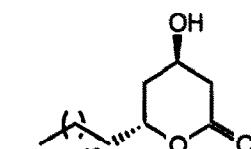
E.e.= 86% on synthetic one (determined by  $^1H$ -NMR on (-) camphanic acid derivative). $[\alpha]_D = +26$  ( $c=1.2, CHCl_3$ ) $C_{10}H_{16}O_2$ 

2-Decen-5-oxide (Massoialactone)

Absolute configuration 6R

Source of chirality: natural and synthetic by dehydration of 3-Hydroxy-5-decanolide

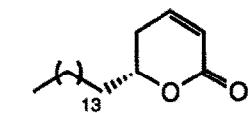
E.e. = 86% on synthetic one

 $[\alpha]_D = -84$  ( $c=1.8, CHCl_3$ ). $C_{20}H_{38}O_3$ 

3-Hydroxy-5-icosanolide

Absolute configuration 3R, 5R

Source of chirality: biocatalytic lactonization

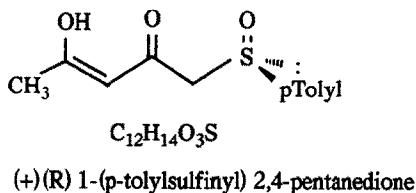
E.e.= 98% (determined by  $^1H$ -NMR on (-) camphanic acid derivative). $[\alpha]_D = +18$  ( $c=1, CHCl_3$ ). $C_{20}H_{36}O_2$ 

2-Icosen-5-oxide

Absolute configuration 5R

Source of chirality: synthetic by dehydration of 3-Hydroxy-5-icosanolide

 $[\alpha]_D = -42$  ( $c=0.5, CHCl_3$ ).

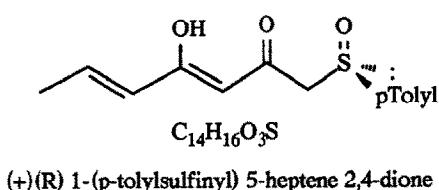


e.e.&gt;99%

 $[\alpha]_D + 340$  ( $c=2$ , acetone)Source of chirality : from (-)(S) menthyl  
p-tolylsulfinate.

Absolute configuration: R

(assigned from the reaction mechanism)

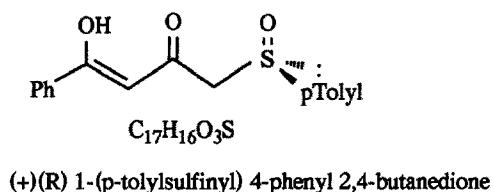


e.e.&gt;99%

 $[\alpha]_D + 312$  ( $c=1.73$ , acetone)Source of chirality: from (+)(R) methyl  
p-tolylsulfoxide.

Absolute configuration: R

(assigned from the reaction mechanism)

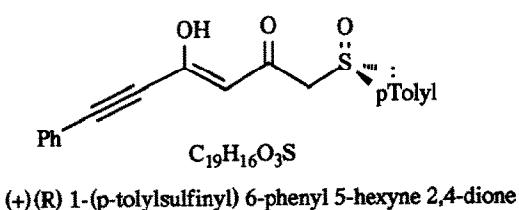


e.e.&gt;99%

 $[\alpha]_D + 331$  ( $c=2$ , acetone)Source of chirality : from (-)(S) menthyl  
p-tolylsulfinate.

Absolute configuration: R

(assigned from the reaction mechanism)

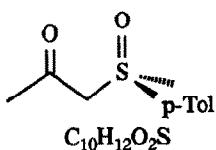


e.e.&gt;99%

 $[\alpha]_D + 82$  ( $c=2$ , acetone)Source of chirality: from (+)(R) methyl  
p-tolylsulfoxide.

Absolute configuration: R

(assigned from the reaction mechanism)



(+) (R) 1-(p-tolylsulfinyl) 2-propanone

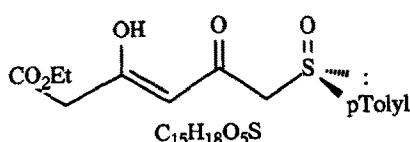
e.e.&gt;99%

 $[\alpha]_D + 260$  ( $c=1.97$ , acetone)

Source of chirality: from (+)(R) methyl p-tolylsulfoxide.

Absolute configuration: R

(assigned from the reaction mechanism)



Ethyl (+)(R) 1-(p-tolylsulfinyl) 2,4-dioxo hexanoate

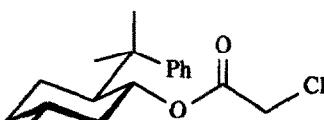
e.e.&gt;99%

 $[\alpha]_D + 109$  ( $c=2$ , acetone)

Source of chirality: from (+)(R) methyl p-tolylsulfoxide.

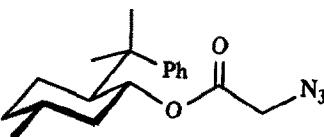
Absolute configuration: R

(assigned from the reaction mechanism)



8-Phenylmenthyl chloroacetate

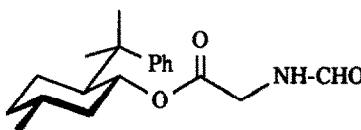
E.e.= about 100%

 $[\alpha]_D = +21$  ( $c, 2.1$ ;  $\text{CCl}_4$ )m.p.  $83-84^\circ\text{C}$ Source of chirality: natural R-(+)-Pulegone,  $[\alpha]_D = +23$  (neat)Absolute configuration:  $IR, 2S, 5R$  (100%  $IR, 2S$  by 200MHz NMR)

8-Phenylmenthyl azidoacetate

E.e.= about 100%

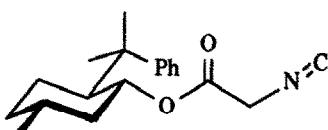
 $[\alpha]_D = +17.6$  ( $c, 0.2$ ;  $\text{CCl}_4$ )Source of chirality: natural R-(+)-Pulegone,  $[\alpha]_D = +23$  (neat)Absolute configuration:  $IR, 2S, 5R$  (100%  $IR, 2S$  by 200MHz NMR)



E.e.= about 100%

 $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +2.9$  (c, 3.8;  $\text{CCl}_4$ )Source of chirality: natural R-(+)-Pulegone,  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +23$  (neat)Absolute configuration: *IR,2S,5R* (100% *IR,2S* by 200MHz NMR)

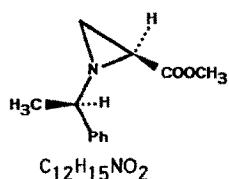
$\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{27}\text{O}_3\text{N}$   
8-Phenylmenthyl formylglycinate



E.e.= about 100%

 $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +20.5$  (c, 4.4;  $\text{CCl}_4$ )Source of chirality: natural R-(+)-Pulegone,  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +23$  (neat)Absolute configuration: *IR,2S,5R* (100% *IR,2S* by 200MHz NMR)

$\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{25}\text{O}_2\text{N}$   
8-Phenylmenthyl isocyanoacetate



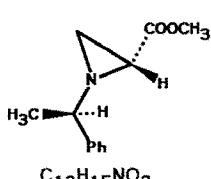
$\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_2$   
Methyl 1-(1-phenylethyl)-aziridine-2-carboxylate

D.e. = 100% (by  $^1\text{H-NMR}$ ) $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -52.7$  (c 0.14,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ )

Source of chirality: synthesis from (R)-1-phenylethylamine and diastereoisomer separation

Absolute configuration: *1R,2S*

(assigned by correlation with, and X-ray analysis of, related derivative)

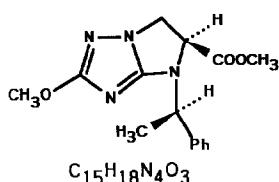


$\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_2$   
Methyl 1-(1-phenylethyl)-aziridine-2-carboxylate

D.e. = 100% (by  $^1\text{H-NMR}$ ) $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +108.5$  (c 0.10,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ )

Source of chirality: synthesis from (R)-1-phenylethylamine and diastereoisomer separation

Absolute configuration: *1R,2R*(assigned by correlation with corresponding *1R,2S* diastereoisomer)



Methyl 5,6-dihydro-2-methoxy-4-(1-phenylethyl)-imidazo[1,2-b][1,2,4]triazole-5-carboxylate

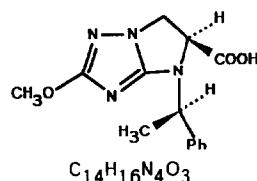
D.e. = 100% (by  $^1H$ -NMR)

$[\alpha]_D^{20} = +11.9$  (c 0.03,  $CHCl_3$ )

Source of chirality: synthesis from methyl (1R-phenylethyl)-aziridine-2S-carboxylate

Absolute configuration: 1R,5S

(assigned by correlation with, and X-ray analysis of, corresponding acid)



5,6-Dihydro-2-methoxy-4-(1-phenylethyl)-imidazo[1,2-b][1,2,4]triazole-5-carboxylic acid

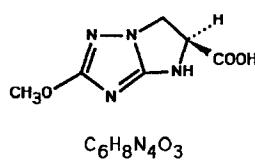
D.e. = 100% (by  $^1H$ -NMR)

$[\alpha]_D^{20} = +32.5$  (c 0.07,  $CHCl_3$ )

Source of chirality: synthesis from methyl (1R-phenylethyl)-aziridine-2S-carboxylate

Absolute configuration: 1R,2S

(assigned by X-ray analysis)



5,6-Dihydro-2-methoxy-4H-imidazo[1,2-b][1,2,4]triazole-5-carboxylic acid

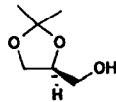
E.e. > 96% (by HPLC)

$[\alpha]_D^{20} = +4.1$  (c 0.12,  $H_2O$ )

Source of chirality: synthesis from methyl (1R-phenylethyl)-aziridine-2S-carboxylate

Absolute configuration: 5S

(assigned by correlation with, and X-ray analysis of, related synthetic intermediate)

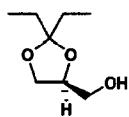


$[\alpha]_D^{20} = +6.7$  (c = 0.0225, hexane)

Enzyme catalysed racemate resolution,  $E = 9.0$

$C_6H_{12}O_3$

(S)-2,2-Dimethyl-1,3-dioxolane-4-methanol

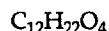
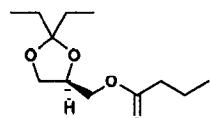


$[\alpha]_D^{20} = +9.6$  (c = 0,0147, hexane)

$[\alpha]_D^{20} = +13.5$  (c = 0,0140, MeOH)

Prepared from homochiral  
(R)-3-chloro-1,2-propanediol  
Enzyme catalysed racemate  
resolution, E = 6.0

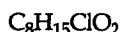
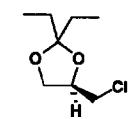
(S)-2,2-Diethyl-1,3-dioxolane-4-methanol



$[\alpha]_D^{20} = +15.6$  (c = 0,0115, hexane)

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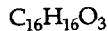
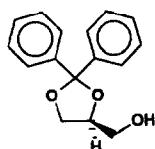
(R)-2,2-Diethyl-1,3-dioxolane-4-methanol butanoate



$[\alpha]_D^{20} = +38.6$  (c = 0,0114, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>)

Prepared from homochiral  
(R)-3-chloro-1,2-propanediol

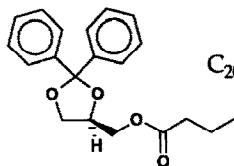
(R)-4-[Chloromethyl]-2,2-diethyl-1,3-dioxolane



$[\alpha]_D^{20} = +22.5$  (c = 0,0036, MeOH)

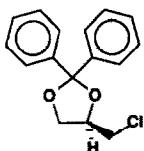
Prepared from homochiral  
(R)-3-chloro-1,2-propanediol  
Enzyme catalysed racemate  
resolution, E = 8.1

(S)-2,2-Diphenyl-1,3-dioxolane-4-methanol

 $C_{20}H_{22}O_4$ 

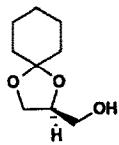
$[\alpha]_D^{20} = +24.7$  ( $c = 0.00196$ , hexane)  
 Prepared from homochiral  
 $(R)$ -3-chloro-1,2-propanediol

(R)-2,2-Diphenyl-1,3-dioxolane-4-methanol butanoate

 $C_{16}H_{15}ClO_2$ 

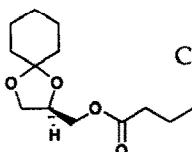
$[\alpha]_D^{20} = +37.1$  ( $c = 0.0114$ ,  $CH_2Cl_2$ )  
 Prepared from homochiral  
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(R)-4-[Chloromethyl]-2,2-diphenyl-1,3-dioxolane

 $C_9H_{16}O_3$ 

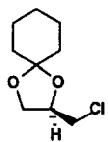
$[\alpha]_D^{20} = +6.8$  ( $c = 0.0118$ , MeOH)  
 Prepared from homochiral  
 $(R)$ -3-chloro-1,2-propanediol  
 Enzyme catalysed racemate  
 resolution,  $E = 6.2$

(S)-1,4-Dioxaspiro[4.5]decane-2-methanol

 $C_{13}H_{22}O_4$ 

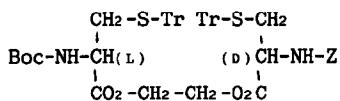
$[\alpha]_D^{20} = +12.5$  ( $c = 0.00138$ , hexane)  
 Prepared from homochiral  
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(R)-1,4-Dioxaspiro[4.5]decane-2-methanol butanoate

 $C_9H_{15}ClO_2$ 

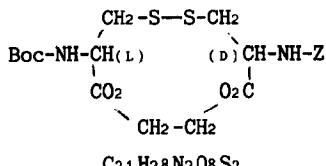
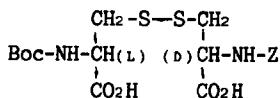
$[\alpha]_D^{20} = +28.0$  ( $c = 0.0019, CH_2Cl_2$ )  
Prepared from homochiral  
(*R*)-3-chloro-1,2-propanediol

(R)-2-[Chloromethyl]-1,4-dioxaspiro[4.5]decane

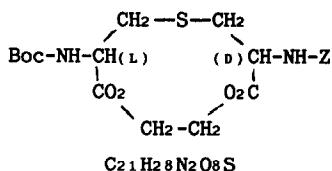
 $[\alpha]_D = -5$  ( $c=1, CH_3OH$ )

mp=88-89°C

Source of chirality : L and D cysteine

 $C_{5.9}H_{5.8}N_2O_8S_2$ 1-(*L*) N-Boc cysteinyl 2-(*D*) N-Z cysteinyl ethane1-(*L*) N-Boc cystinyl 2-(*D*) N-Z cystinyl ethane

(L,D) N-Boc N'-Z cystine

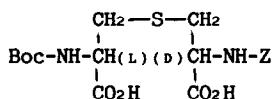


$[\alpha]_D = -6$  ( $c=1$ ,  $\text{CH}_3\text{OH}$ )

FAB negative-ion spectrum  $[\text{M}-\text{H}]^-$  :  $m/z$  467

Source of chirality : L and D cysteine

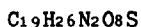
1-(L) N-Boc lanthionyl 2-(D) N-Z lanthionyl ethane



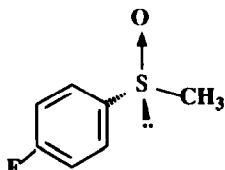
$[\alpha]_D = -5$  ( $c=1$ ,  $\text{CH}_3\text{OH}$ )

FAB negative-ion spectrum  $[\text{M}-\text{H}]^-$  :  $m/z$  441

Source of chirality : L and D cysteine



(L,D) N-Boc N'-Z lanthionine



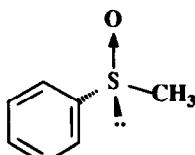
E.e. = 97 % (by chiral HPLC with Chiralcel OB column)

Source of chirality : Chloroperoxidase

Absolute configuration : R



methyl p-fluorophenyl sulfoxide



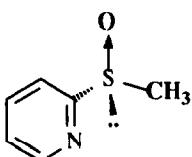
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Source of chirality : Chloroperoxidase

Absolute configuration : R



methyl phenyl sulfoxide



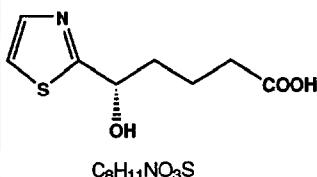
E.e. = 99 % (by chiral HPLC with Chiralcel OB column)

Source of chirality : Chloroperoxidase

Absolute configuration : R

C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>7</sub>NOS

methyl 2-pyridyl sulfoxide



ee => 95% [by GLC analysis on a 25 m permethylated β-cyclodextrine  
in OV 1701]

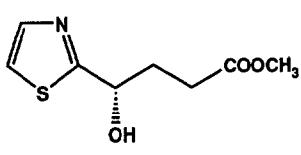
$[\alpha]_D^{25} = -20.8$  (c = 3, CHCl<sub>3</sub>)

Source of chirality: BY reduction

Absolute configuration: S

C<sub>8</sub>H<sub>11</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>S

5-Hydroxy-5-(2-thiazolyl)pentanoic acid



ee => 95% [by GLC analysis on a 25 m permethylated β-cyclodextrine  
in OV 1701]

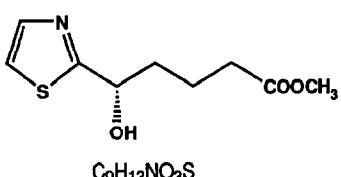
$[\alpha]_D^{25} = -22.1$  (c = 4.8, CHCl<sub>3</sub>)

Source of chirality: BY reduction

Absolute configuration: S

C<sub>8</sub>H<sub>11</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>S

Methyl 4-Hydroxy-4-(2-thiazolyl)butanoate



ee => 95% [by GLC analysis on a 25 m permethylated β-cyclodextrine  
in OV 1701]

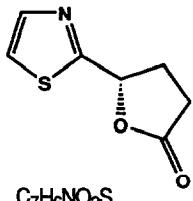
$[\alpha]_D^{25} = -19.8$  (c = 7.6, CHCl<sub>3</sub>)

Source of chirality: Rhizopus microsporus reduction

Absolute configuration: S

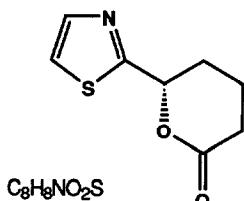
C<sub>9</sub>H<sub>13</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>S

Methyl 5-Hydroxy-5-(2-thiazolyl)pentanoate



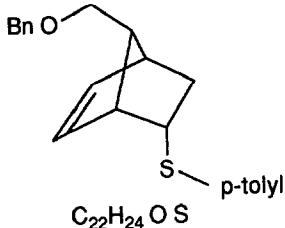
ee => 95% [by GLC analysis on a 25 m permethylated  $\beta$ -cyclodextrine in OV 1701]  
 $[\alpha]_D^{25} = 11.2$  ( $c = 3.2$ ,  $CHCl_3$ )  
 Source of chirality: chemical lactonization of homochiral  $\gamma$ -hydroxy ester  
 Absolute configuration: S

$\gamma$ -(2-thiazolyl)- $\gamma$ -butyrolactone



ee => 95% [by GLC analysis on a 25 m permethylated  $\beta$ -cyclodextrine in OV 1701]  
 $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -9.1$  ( $c = 0.7$ ,  $CHCl_3$ )  
 Source of chirality: chemical lactonization of homochiral  $\delta$ -hydroxy acid  
 Absolute configuration: S

$\delta$ -(2-thiazolyl)- $\delta$ -valerolactone

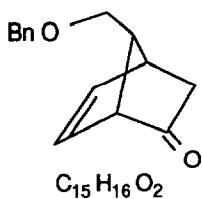


Bicyclo [2.2.1.] hept-7-benzyloxymethyl-5-ene-2-p-tolyl-sulfenyl

$[\alpha]_D^{25} = -121.4$  ( $c = 0.98$ , acetone)

100 % ee

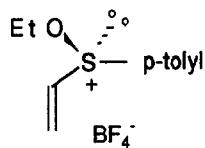
Absolute configuration: 1R, 2S, 4S, 7R  
 by chemical correlation to the norbornenone below



$[\alpha]_D^{25} = -454$  ( $c = 1.03$ ,  $CHCl_3$ )

100 % ee and absolute configuration 1R, 4S, 7R  
 by comparison to lit.value.

Bicyclo [2.2.1.] hept-7-benzyloxymethyl-5-ene-2-one

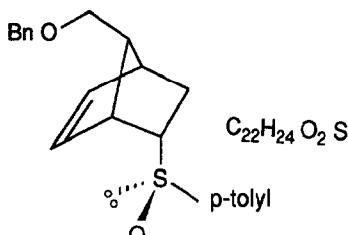
 $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{15}\text{O S BF}_4$ 

Ethoxy p-tolyl vinyl sulfonium tetrafluoroborate

from (R)-(+)- p-tolyl vinyl sulfoxide (100 % ee)

 $[\alpha]_D^{25} = +59$  ( $c=1$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ )

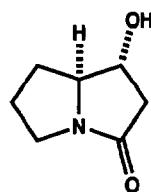
100 % ee

Absolute configuration: R<sub>S</sub>

Bicyclo [2.2.1.] hept-7-benzyloxymethyl-5-ene-2-p-tolyl-sulfinyl

 $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -181.5$  ( $c= 1.11$ , acetone)

100 % ee

Absolute configuration: 1R, 2S, 4S, 7R, S<sub>S</sub>  
(by chemical correlation)

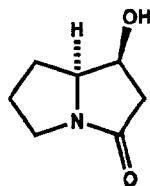
1-Hydroxypyrrrolizidin-3-one

E.e. = 100%

 $[\alpha]_D^{20} -97.0$  ( $c = 0.3$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ )

Source of chirality: L-proline

Absolute configuration 1R,8S (assigned from L-proline)



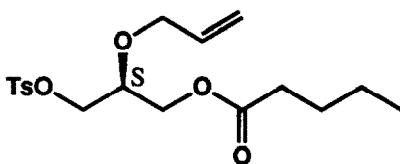
1-Hydroxypyrrrolizidin-3-one

E.e. = 100%

 $[\alpha]_D^{20} -48.8$  ( $c = 0.3$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ )

Source of chirality: L-proline

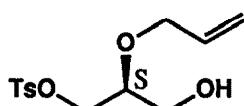
Absolute configuration 1S,8S (assigned from L-proline)

 $C_{18}H_{26}O_6S$ [(S)-2-(Allyloxy)trimethylene]  
valerate p-toluenesulfonate

ee = 94 % (GLC of diastereoisomers of the corr. alcohol)

 $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -4.6$  (c = 1.0, CHCl<sub>3</sub>)Source of chirality: asymmetric enzymatic hydrolysis of  
2-O-allylglycerol divalerate

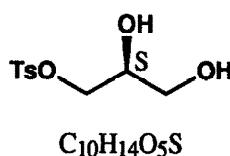
Absolute configuration: S

 $C_{13}H_{18}O_5S$ [(S)-2-(Allyloxy)-3-hydroxypropyl]  
p-toluenesulfonate

ee = 94 % (GLC of diastereoisomers)

 $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -29.5$  (c = 1.0, CHCl<sub>3</sub>)Source of chirality: asymmetric enzymatic hydrolysis of  
2-O-allylglycerol divalerate

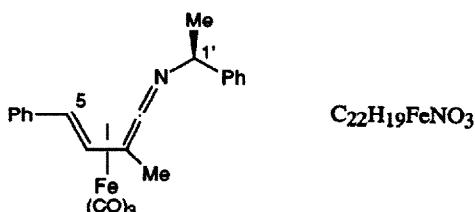
Absolute configuration: S

[(S)-2,3-Dihydroxypropyl]  
p-toluenesulfonate

ee = 96 % (NMR of Mosher derivative)

 $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +9.7$  (c = 5.0, MeOH) $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +11.8$  (c = 1.0, EtOH)Source of chirality: asymmetric enzymatic hydrolysis of  
2-O-allylglycerol divalerate

Absolute configuration: S

 $C_{22}H_{19}FeNO_3$ Tricarbonyl(3-methyl-1-phenethyl-5-phenyl-  
1-azapenta-1,2,4-triene)iron(0)

E.e. &gt; 92% (by derivatisation)

D.e. > 99% (by <sup>1</sup>H n.m.r.) $[\alpha]_{589}^{23} = +673$  (c 0.2 in MeOH)

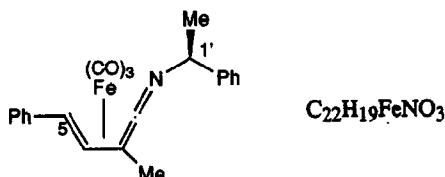
Source of chirality: (S)-(−)-α-methylbenzylamine

Absolute configuration: 5R, 1'S

(assigned by X-ray analysis)

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Tricarbonyl(3-methyl-1-phenethyl-5-phenyl-1-azapenta-1,2,4-triene)iron(0)

E.e. > 95% (by derivatisation)

D.e. > 99% (by <sup>1</sup>H n.m.r.)

[ $\alpha$ ]<sub>589</sub><sup>23</sup> = -1127 (c 0.2 in MeOH)

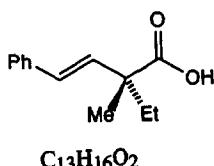
Source of chirality: (S)-(-)- $\alpha$ -methylbenzylamine

Absolute configuration: 5'S, 1'S

(assigned by correlation with X-ray analysis)

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trans-2-methyl-2-ethyl-4-phenylbut-3-enoic acid

E.e. = 96% [by <sup>1</sup>H n.m.r. of amide formed with

(S)-(-)- $\alpha$ -methylbenzylamine]

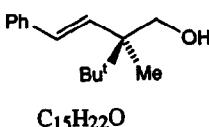
[ $\alpha$ ]<sub>546</sub><sup>22</sup> = +10 (c 0.1 in CHCl<sub>3</sub>)

Source of chirality: asymmetric synthesis

Absolute configuration: R

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trans-2-methyl-2-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-4-phenylbut-3-enol

E.e. > 97% (by <sup>1</sup>H n.m.r. of Mosher's ester)

[ $\alpha$ ]<sub>589</sub><sup>22</sup> = +37 (c 0.1 in MeOH)

Source of chirality: asymmetric synthesis

Absolute configuration: R