

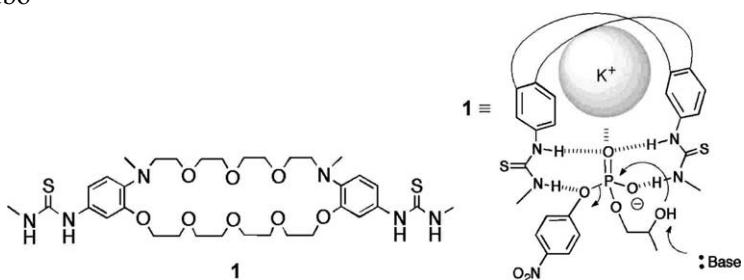
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### An allosteric crown ether-induced activity control for the cleavage of a phosphodiester bond

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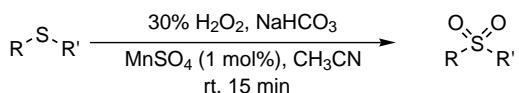


### Simple, economical and environmentally friendly sulfone synthesis

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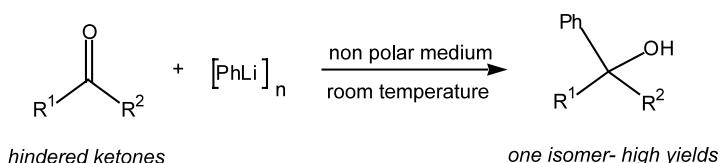


### Improved addition of phenyllithium to hindered ketones by the use of non-polar media

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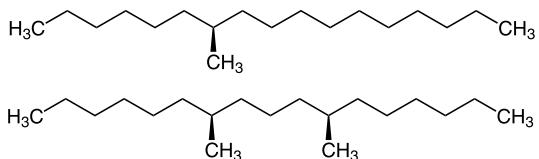


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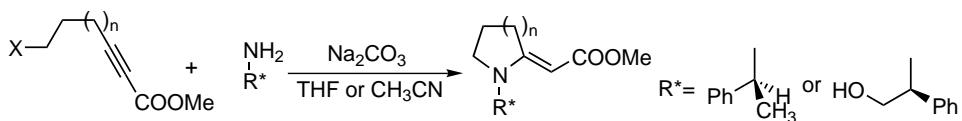


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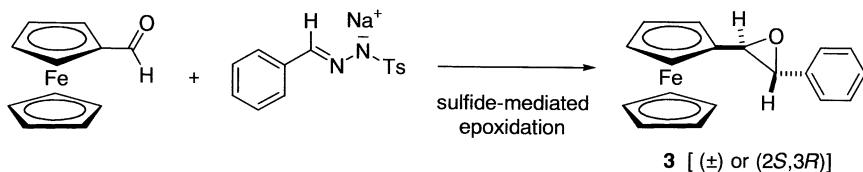
**Sulphur ylide-mediated stereoselective synthesis of a stable ferrocenyl epoxide**

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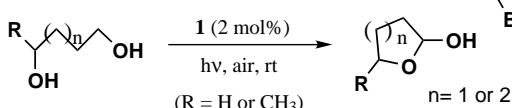
**Catalytic aerobic oxidation of diols under photo-irradiation: highly efficient synthesis of lactols**

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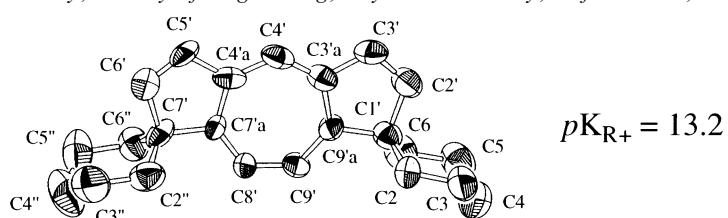


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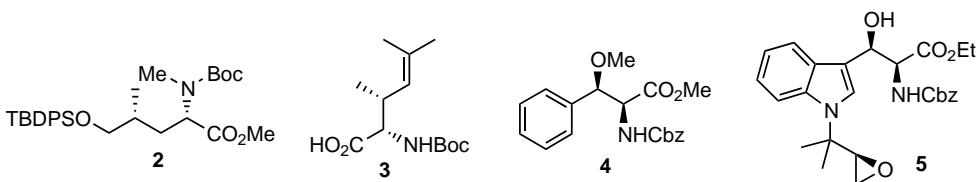


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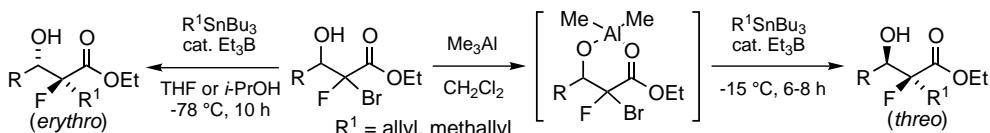


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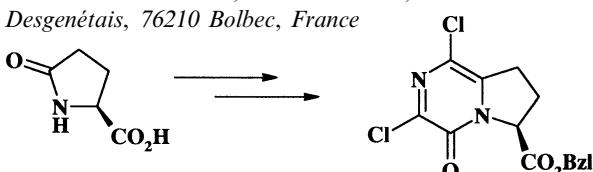
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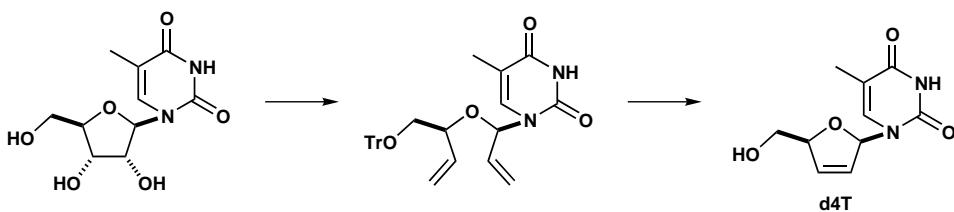
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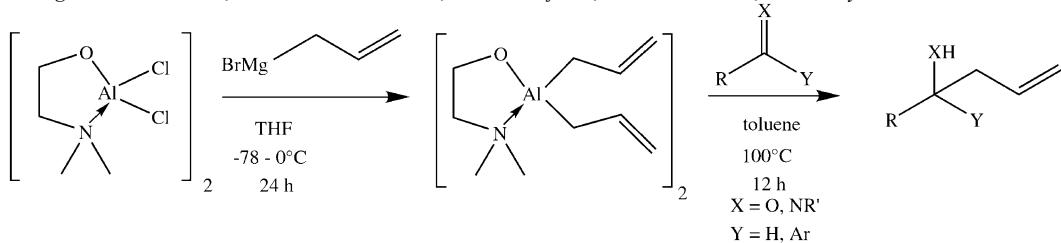
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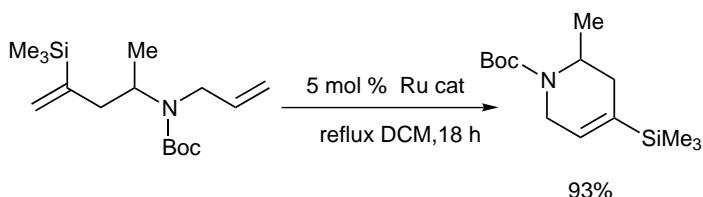


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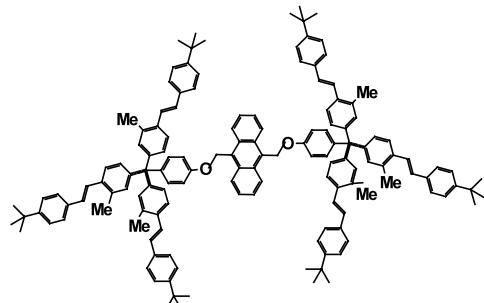


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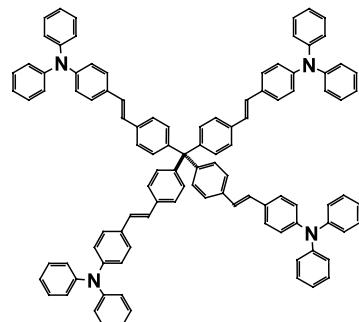


**A tetraphenylmethane based starburst triarylamine cluster: spectroscopy, electrochemistry and morphological studies**

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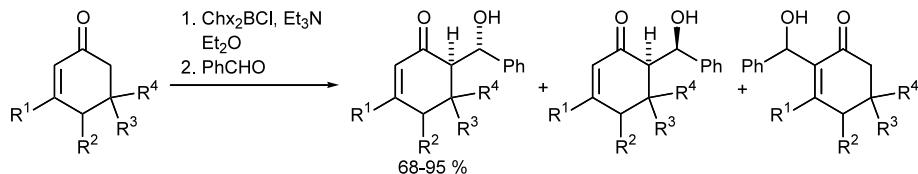
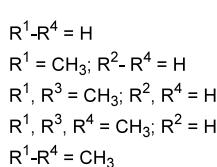
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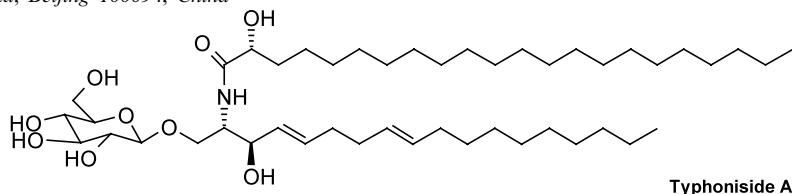
**Structure determination and synthesis of a new cerebroside isolated from the traditional Chinese medicine *Typhonium giganteum* Engl.**

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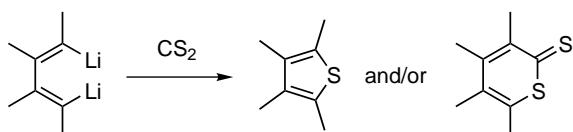
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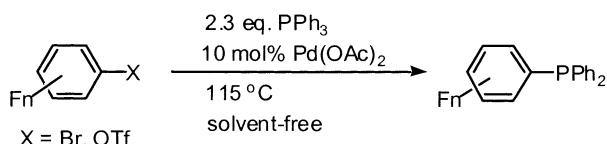


**Solvent-free palladium-catalyzed phosphorylation of aryl bromides and triflates with triphenylphosphine**

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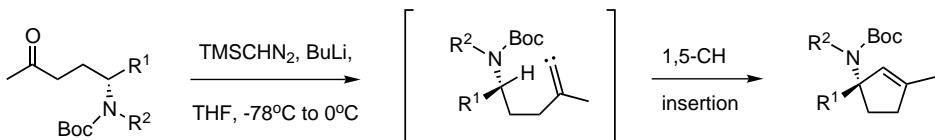


**Scope and limitations of the alkylidene carbene 1,5-CH insertion reactions of  $\alpha$ -amino acid-derived substrates**

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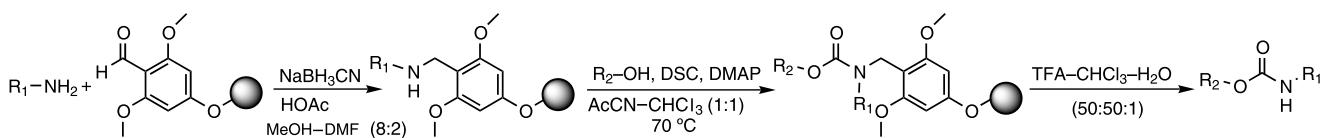
**Solid-phase syntheses of *N*-substituted carbamates. Reaction monitoring by gel-phase  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR using a  $^{13}\text{C}$  enriched BAL-linker**

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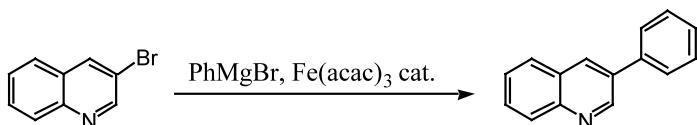


**Iron-catalysed arylation of heteroaryl halides by Grignard reagents**

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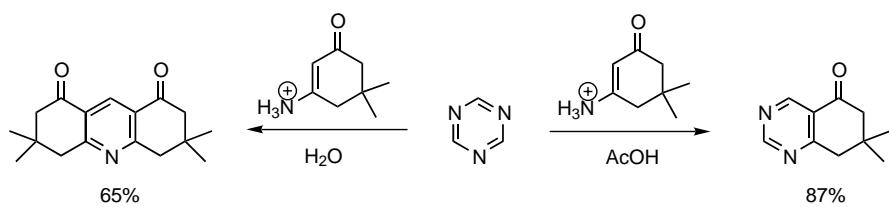


**Efficient synthesis of quinazolinones as intermediates of CNS agents via inverse-electron demand Diels–Alder reaction**

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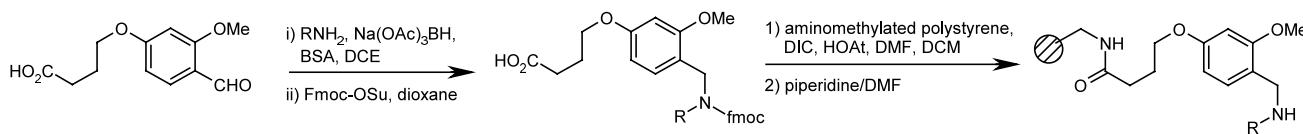


**An alternative method for the preparation of resin-bound secondary amines**

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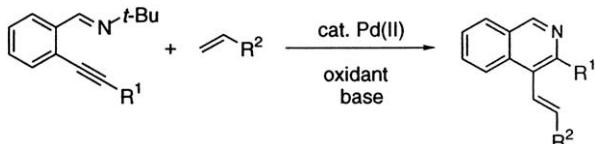
**Synthesis of isoquinolines by palladium-catalyzed cyclization, followed by a Heck reaction**

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A variety of 4-(1-alkenyl)-3-arylisouquinolines have been prepared by the Pd(II)-catalyzed cyclization of 2-(1-alkynyl)benzaldimines, followed by alkenylation (Heck reaction) in good to excellent yields. The introduction of an *ortho*-methoxy group on the benzaldimine promotes the Pd-catalyzed cyclization and stabilizes the resulting Pd(II) intermediate, improving the yields of the desired isoquinoline products.



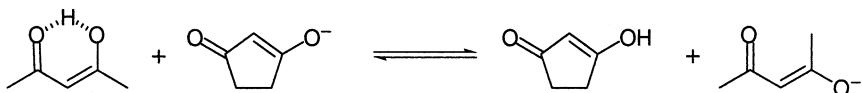
**The strength of a low-barrier hydrogen bond in water**

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The free energy of formation in water for a low-barrier hydrogen bond is estimated to be 4.1–5.3 kcal mol<sup>-1</sup> over that of a conventional hydrogen bond.



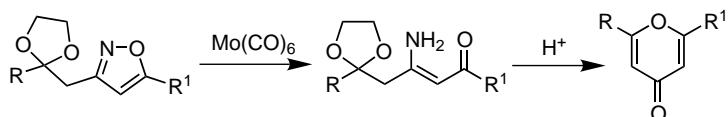
**Synthesis of pyran-4-ones from isoxazoles**

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A synthesis of mono-, di- and tri-substituted pyran-4-ones from isoxazoles is reported.



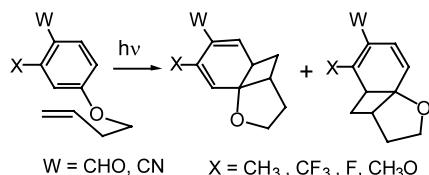
**Dipole-mediated regioselectivity in the [2+2]-photocycloaddition of double bonds to triplet benzenes**

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Photoinduced cyclization of *ortho*-substituted *para*-butenoxy benzaldehydes and benzonitriles show regioselectivity that supports the idea that interaction of the C=O or C≡N dipole with the dipole generated by charge transfer from the double bond to the benzene ring determines the regioselectivity.

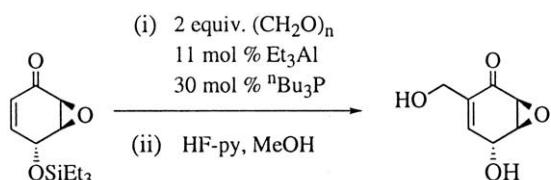


**The synthesis of *epi*-epoxydon utilising the Baylis–Hillman reaction**

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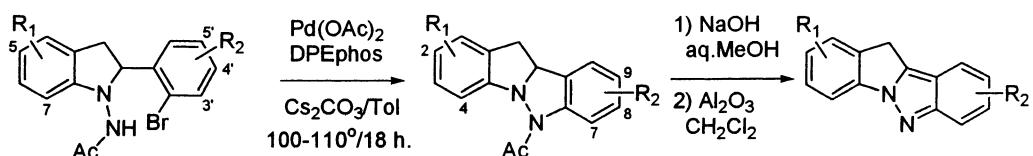


**Intramolecular aromatic amination by a hydrazino group for the synthesis of indolo[1,2-*b*]indazole derivatives**

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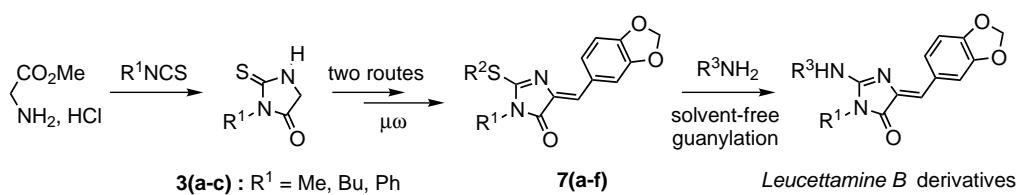


**Microwave-mediated solventless synthesis of new derivatives of marine alkaloid Leucettamine B**

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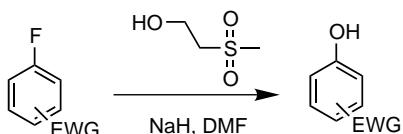
**Mild conversion of electron deficient aryl fluorides to phenols using 2-(methylsulfonyl)ethanol**

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A one-pot method to generate phenols in good yield has been developed.

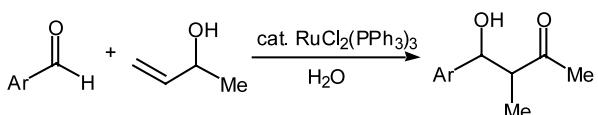


**Aldol reaction via in situ olefin migration in water**

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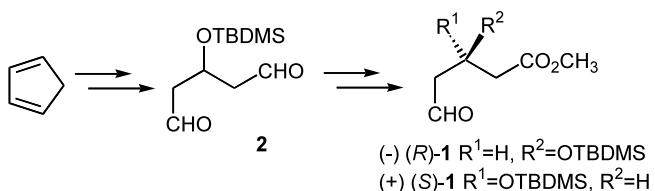


**Desymmetrisation of dialdehydes: (+)-(S) and (-)-(R) nor-methyl mevaldehyde as versatile synthetic intermediates**

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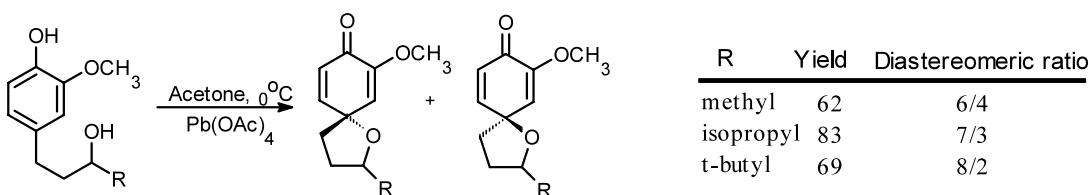


**Studies towards the diastereoselective spiroannulation of phenolic derivatives**

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## Synthesis and application in asymmetric copper(I)-catalyzed allylic oxidation of a new chiral 1,10-phenanthroline derived from pinene

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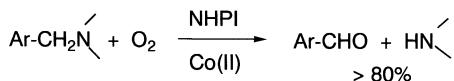
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