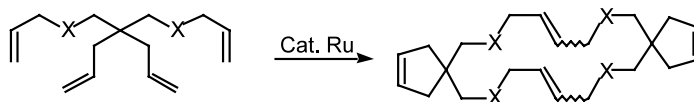


**Unusual macrocyclic spirocycles from tandem metathesis reactions***Tetrahedron Letters 43 (2002) 7851*

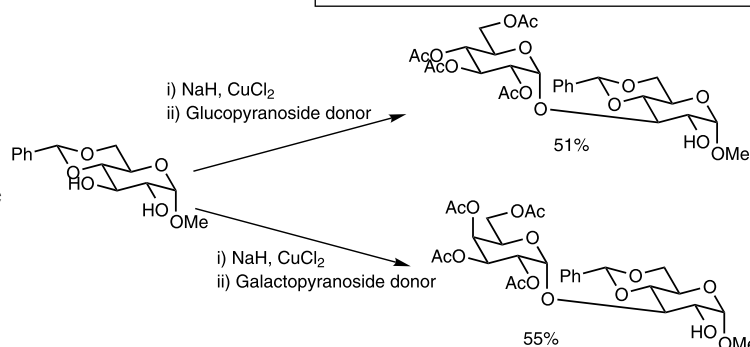
Robert A. J. Wybrow, Leigh A. Johnson, Benoit Auffray, Wesley J. Moran, Harry Adams and Joseph P. A. Harrity\*

*Department of Chemistry, University of Sheffield, Brook Hill, Sheffield S3 7HF, UK***The utility of glycoside copper chelates for effecting regioselective glycosidation***Tetrahedron Letters 43 (2002) 7855*

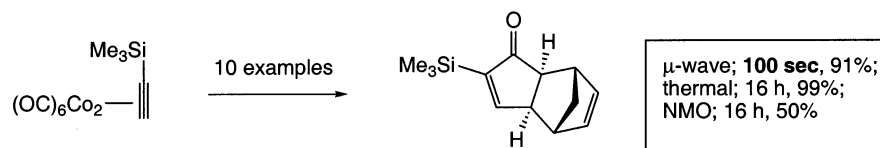
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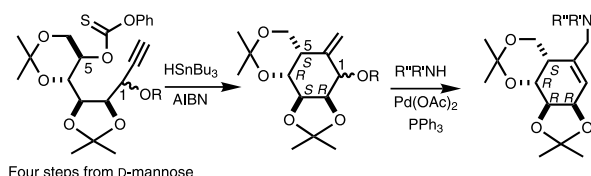
The ability of copper chelates to effect regioselective glycosidation of the C-3 hydroxyl of methyl 4,6-*O*-benzylidene- $\alpha$ -D-gluco- and galactopyranosides is described.

**Microwave promoted Pauson-Khand reactions***Tetrahedron Letters 43 (2002) 7859*

Mazhar Iqbal, Nicola Vyse, Jérôme Dauvergne and Paul Evans\*

*Charterhouse Therapeutics, Department of Chemistry, University of Liverpool, Liverpool L69 7ZD, UK***A combined, 6-*exo-dig* radical cyclization-palladium catalyzed allylic amination, approach to aminocarbasugar analogs: synthesis of novel *N*-substituted aminocyclitols from D-mannose***Tetrahedron Letters 43 (2002) 7863*

Ana M. Gómez,\* Eduardo Moreno, Serafín Valverde and J. Cristóbal López\*

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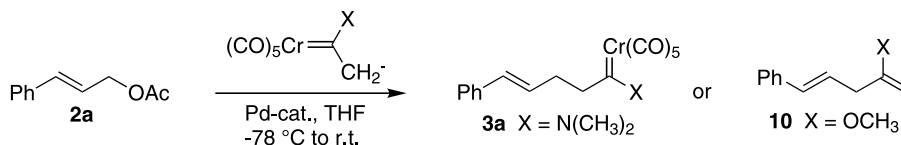
## Fischer chromium carbene complexes as nucleophiles in palladium-catalyzed allylic substitution reactions

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Dušan Drahoňovský,<sup>a</sup> Vincent Borgo<sup>b</sup> and Dalimil Dvořák<sup>a,\*</sup>

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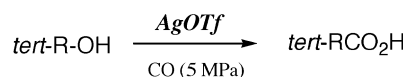
## Koch carbonylation using silver trifluoromethanesulfonate

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Tertiary alcohols were transformed into the corresponding carboxylic acids under CO atmosphere, using a catalytic amount of AgOTf.

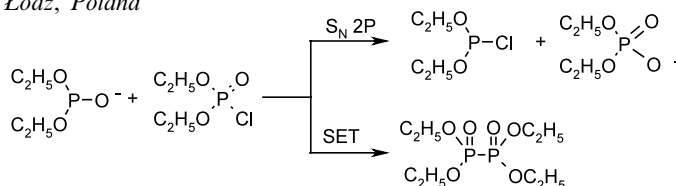


## Reinvestigation of the reaction between sodium diethyl phosphite and diethyl phosphorochloridate. Evidence for a SET process in the formation of a direct P(IV)–P(IV) bond

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## Enantioselective synthesis of 1(R)-trans-chrysanthemic acid

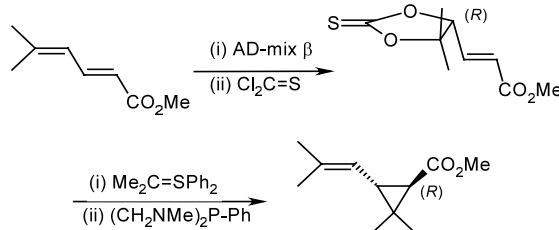
Tetrahedron Letters 43 (2002) 7881

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1(R)-trans-Chrysanthemic acid has been synthesized in four steps from methyl 5-methyl-2,4-hexadienoate by sequential reaction with AD-mix β and isopropylidene diphenylsulfurane.

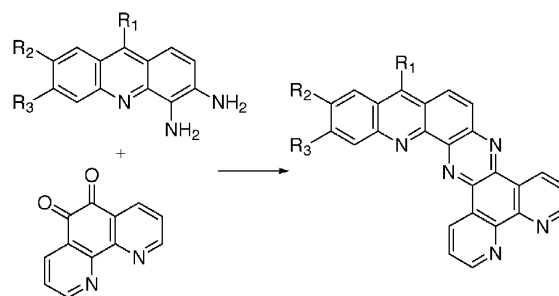


**Regioselective synthesis of angular nitrogen polyheterocycles:  
dipyrido[3,2-*a*:2',3'-*c*]quinolino[2,3-*h*]phenazines**

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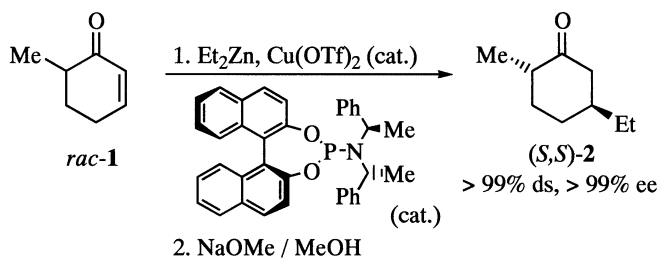
**Epimerization and kinetic resolution in copper-catalyzed  
enantioselective 1,4-additions of organozinc reagents to  
6-substituted cyclohex-2-enones**

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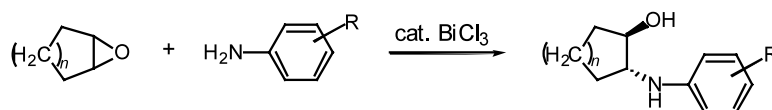


**An efficient method for the ring opening of epoxides with aromatic  
amines catalyzed by bismuth trichloride**

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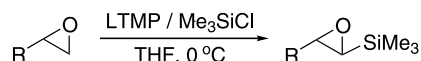
**Straightforward synthesis of  $\alpha,\beta$ -epoxysilanes from terminal  
epoxides by lithium 2,2,6,6-tetramethylpiperidide-mediated  
deprotonation-in situ silylation**

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David M. Hodgson,<sup>a,\*</sup> Nigel J. Reynolds<sup>a</sup> and Steven J. Coote<sup>b</sup>

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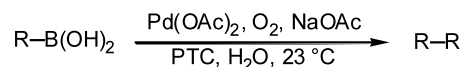
## Oxidative dimerization: Pd(II) catalysis in the presence of oxygen using aqueous media

Tetrahedron Letters 43 (2002) 7899

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Reported herein is a method for the formation of symmetric biaryls and dienes via oxidative dimerization of aryl and alkenyl boronic acids. These conditions utilized Pd(II) catalysts under an oxygen atmosphere with water as the solvent. The use of phase transfer catalysts promoted efficient and mild syntheses of a wide range of materials.

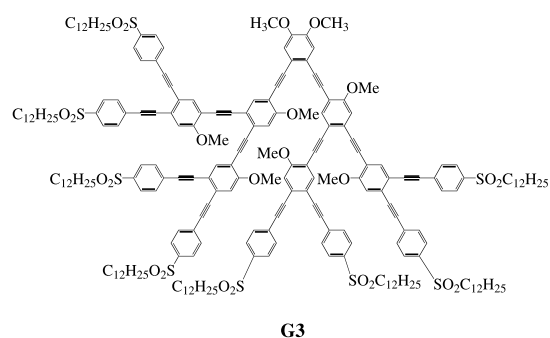


## Soluble dipolar dendrimers with peripheral sulfone groups

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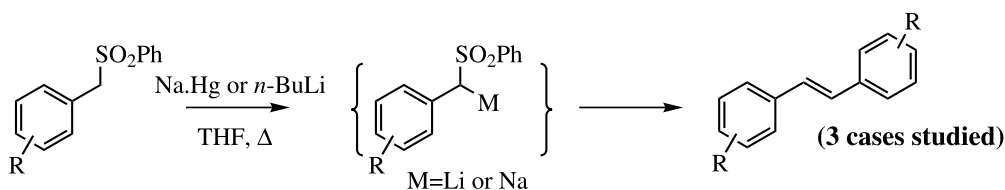
## Should anionised benzylic sulfones be considered as carbenoids?

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An olefination process best explained by assuming the transient formation of a carbene species.



## Ozonization and reduction of $\alpha$ -methylene *N*-(ethoxycarbonyl)- $\beta$ -amino phosphonic esters

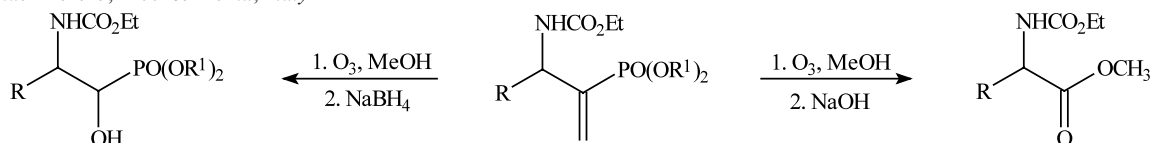
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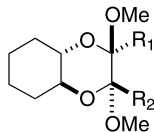


**Mild, aprotic synthesis of 1,2-diacetals**

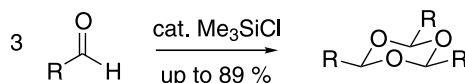
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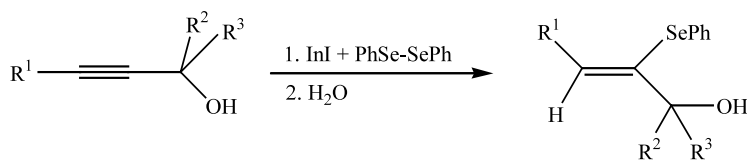
A new, efficient and mild method for the formation of 1,2-diacetals is described.

**A convenient solvent-free preparation of 1,3,5-trioxanes**

Jacques Augé\* and Richard Gil

*UMR CNRS-UCP-ESCOM 8123, Université de Cergy-Pontoise, 5 mail Gay-Lussac, Neuville-sur-Oise, 95031 Cergy-Pontoise, France***Indium(I) iodide-mediated chemo-, regio-, and stereoselective hydroseleation of 2-alkyn-1-ol derivatives**

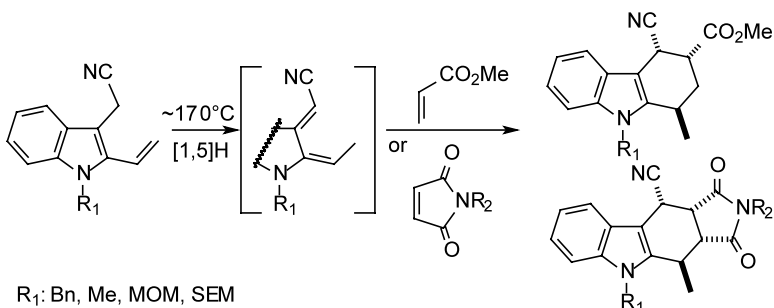
Olga Soares do Rego Barros, Ernesto Shulz Lang, Carlos Alberto Fernandes de Oliveira, Clovis Peppe\* and Gilson Zeni

*Departamento de Química, Universidade Federal de Santa Maria, UFSM, Campus UFSM, Santa Maria, RS 97105-900, Brazil***3-Cyanomethyl-2-vinylindoles as thermal indole-2,3-quinodimethane equivalents: synthesis of functionalized 1,2,3,4-tetrahydrocarbazoles**

Marie Laronze and Janos Sapi\*

*UMR CNRS 6013 'Isolement, Structure, Transformations et Synthèse de Produits Naturels', IFR 53 'Biomolécules' Faculté de Pharmacie, Université de Reims-Champagne-Ardenne, 51 rue Cognacq-Jay, F-51096 Reims Cedex, France*

Tetrahydrocarbazoles were prepared from 3-cyanomethyl-2-vinylindoles via the intermediate indole-2,3-quinodimethanes.

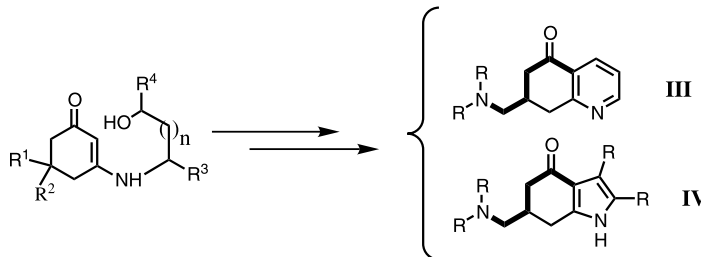


**New synthetic approaches to CNS drugs. A straightforward, efficient synthesis of tetrahydroindol-4-ones and tetrahydroquinolin-5-ones via palladium-catalyzed oxidation of hydroxyenaminones**

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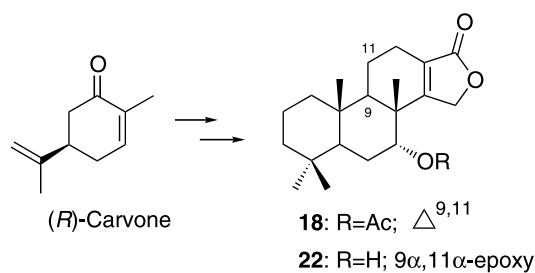
**Synthesis of oxygenated spongiane-type diterpenoids from carvone**

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A diastereoselective synthesis of a key intermediate (**18**) for the preparation of oxygenated spongiane diterpenes (e.g. **22**) from carvone is described.

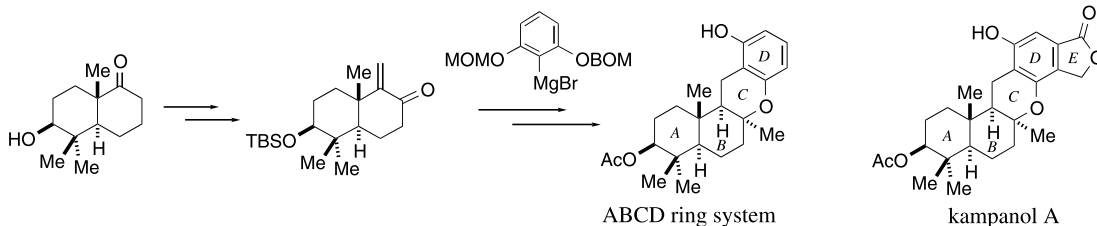


**Studies toward the total synthesis of (-)-kampanol A: an efficient construction of the ABCD ring system**

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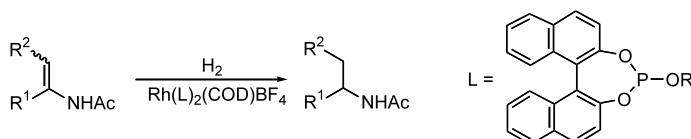


**Enantioselective hydrogenation of enamides catalyzed by chiral rhodium-monodentate phosphite complexes**

*Tetrahedron Letters* 43 (2002) 7941

Manfred T. Reetz,\* Gerlinde Mehler, Andreas Meiswinkel and Thorsten Sell

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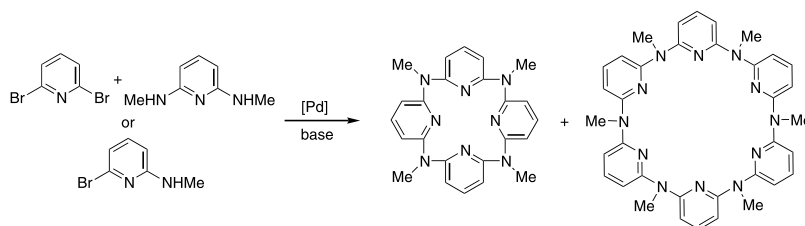


**Preparation of new type of azacalixarene, azacalix[*n*](2,6)pyridine**

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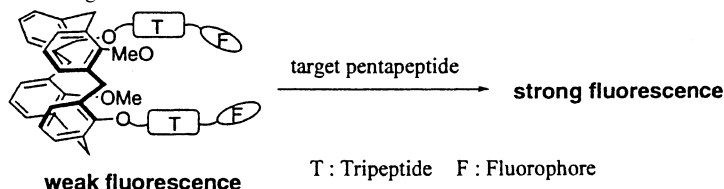
Palladium-catalyzed aryl amination of 2,6-dibromo-pyridine with 2,6-bis(methylamino)pyridine or 2-bromo-6-(methylamino)pyridine gave new azacalix-*n*(2,6)pyridines (*n* = 4 and 6). Molecular structure, conformation, and complexation of the macrocycles toward zinc ion were characterized by NMR spectroscopy and X-ray crystallography.

**Synthesis of fluorescence-labeled peptidocalix[4]arene library and its peptide sensing ability**

Hideaki Hioki,\* Miwa Kubo, Hiroko Yoshida, Motohiko Bando, Yumiko Ohnishi and Mitsuaki Kodama

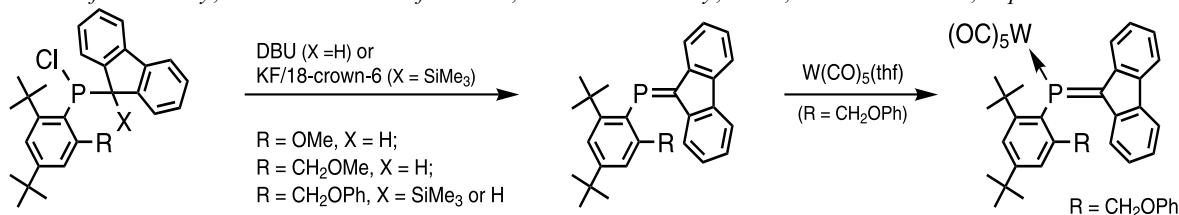
Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Tokushima Bunri University, Yamashiro-cho, Tokushima 770-8514, Japan

The fluorescence spectrum of the peptidocalix[4]arene, which was found in the screening of a library against the target peptide, was dependent on the concentration of the target.

**Preparation and properties of fluorenylidene phosphines bearing an electron-donating substituent, 2-alkoxy-4,6-di-*t*-butylphenyl or 2-(alkoxymethyl)-4,6-di-*t*-butylphenyl**

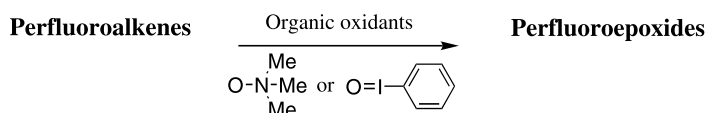
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**Novel epoxidation reaction of perfluoroalkenes with trimethylamine *N*-oxide and iodosylbenzene**Taizo Ono<sup>a,\*</sup> and Philip Henderson<sup>b</sup>

<sup>a</sup>Molecular Structure Design Group (MOSTG), Institute for Structural and Engineering Materials, National Institutes of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology (AIST), 2266-98, Anagahora, Shimoshidami, Moriyama-ku, Nagoya 463-8560, Japan

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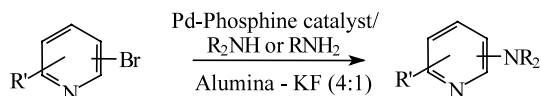
## Palladium-catalysed amination of halopyridines on a KF-alumina surface

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Basudeb Basu,\* Satadru Jha, Niranjana K. Mridha and Md. Mosharef H. Bhuiyan

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Palladium-catalysed C–N hetero-cross-coupling reactions between bromopyridines and amines (both primary and secondary) can be efficiently performed on a KF-alumina (basic) surface. The reaction conditions are optimised with reference to catalytic systems, solvents and the surface.

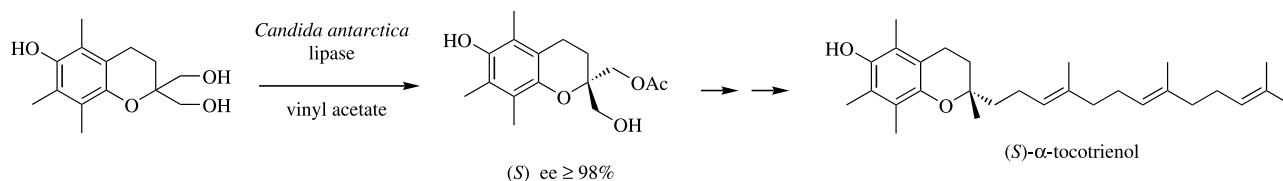


## Synthesis of (*S*)- $\alpha$ -tocotrienol via an enzymatic desymmetrization of an achiral chroman derivative

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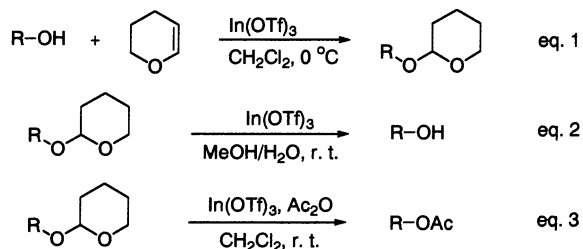


## A fast and practical approach to tetrahydropyranylation and depyranylation of alcohols using indium triflate

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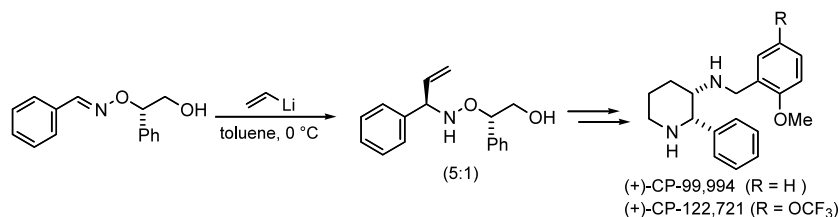


## Enantioselective synthesis of NK-1 receptor antagonists (+)-CP-99,994 and (+)-CP-122,721

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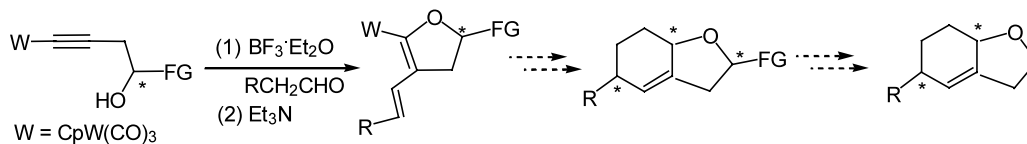




### Facile synthesis of enantiopure tricyclic furanyl derivatives via tungsten-mediated cycloalkenation reactions and Diels–Alder reactions

Heh-Lung Huang, Heh-Chang Huang and Rai-Shung Liu\*

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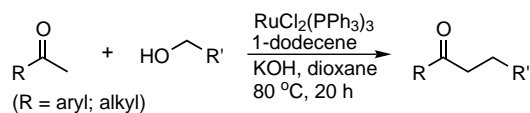
### Ruthenium-catalyzed regioselective $\alpha$ -alkylation of ketones with primary alcohols

Chan Sik Cho,<sup>a,\*</sup> Bok Tae Kim,<sup>b</sup> Tae-Jeong Kim<sup>b</sup> and Sang Chul Shim<sup>b,\*</sup>

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Ketones react with primary alcohols in the presence of RuCl<sub>2</sub>(PPh<sub>3</sub>)<sub>3</sub>, KOH and a hydrogen acceptor to afford  $\alpha$ -alkylated products.



### An easy and efficient method for the synthesis of hydroximoyl chloride from nitro olefin and silyl enol ether

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