Synthesis of an arabinogalactan-type octa- and two isomeric nonasaccharides. Suitable tuning of protecting groups

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Structures of the arabinogalactan-type oligosaccharides synthesized.

 $\beta\text{-D-Gal}p\text{-}(1\rightarrow 6)\text{- }\beta\text{-D-Gal}p\text{-}(1\rightarrow 6)\text{- }\beta\text{-D-Gal}p\text{-}$

2 2 1 1 1 1 1 R' R'

1 R'=R"= α -L-Araf-

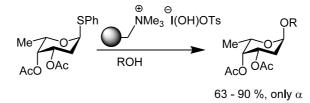
2 R'= α -L-Araf R''= α -L-Araf-(1 \rightarrow 5)- α -L-Araf-

3 R'= α -L-Araf-(1 \rightarrow 5)- α -L-Araf- R"= α -L-Araf

Anomeric activation of thioglycosides and preparation of deoxyglycosides using polymer-bound iodate(I) complexes

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Rapid synthesis of 11 C-labeled FK506 for positron emission tomography

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ESO.

ESO.

HO

HO

OTES

OTES

OH

CH₃O OCH₃

CH₃O OCH₃

CH₃O OCH₃

CH₃O OCH₃

Tathmateetatteta Co. Lata, 5–2–5, Toke Ho

H₃CO OH

H₃CO OH

H₃CO OH

T.t. 3 min

CH₃O OCH₃

CH₃O OCH₃

Halogen bonding driven self-assembly of (E)-1,2-diiodo-1,2-difluoroethene with nitrogen substituted hydrocarbons

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1 and 2a,b self-assemble via halogen bonding giving rise to infinite chains 3a,b.

Strong π -electron donors based on a self-rigidified 2,2'-bi(3,4-ethylenedioxy)thiophene-tetrathiafulvalene hybrid π -conjugated system

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An efficient synthesis of optically active five- and six-membered cyclic compounds with selectable stereo-controls by a Ti(II)-mediated cyclization of chiral secondary 2,7- and

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2.8-envn-1-ol derivatives

Synthesis of the core bicyclic system of hyperforin and nemorosone

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A direct synthesis of analogs of hyperforin and nemorosone containing the key bicyclic unit was accomplished from 2-carboxyethylcyclohexanone and benzoylcyclohexanone. Key steps included a manganic acetate-mediated cyclization and the formation of the beta-bromo enone.

$$\bigcap_{O} COX \longrightarrow HO \longrightarrow O$$

Asymmetric synthesis of (3S) 3-benzoyloxymethylisobenzofuranone and its 3R enantiomer as analogues of α, β -butenolides

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An asymmetric dihydroxylation was used starting from achiral phtalaldehyde to obtain chiral butenolide derivatives.

Barbier-type allylation of iminium ions generated in situ in aqueous medium

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$$R_2NH_2^+Cl^- + H_2C=O \xrightarrow{-H_2O} R_2^{\oplus}N=CH_2 \xrightarrow{metal} R_2N \xrightarrow{60-85\%}$$

Use of 1,3-dibenzyl-dihydrouracil in the chain extension of 2,3-O-isopropylidene-D-glyceraldehyde

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The aldol-type addition of 1,3-dibenzyl-dihydrouracil to 2,3-*O*-isopropylidene-D-glyceraldehyde was examined in different solvents and under Lewis acid catalysis. A stereodivergent synthesis of 5-trihydroxypropyl-dihydrouracil derivatives was realized.

Alkyne and ketone induced novel cleavage of a C-C bond and a C-Si bond in zirconacyclobutene-silacyclobutene fused ring compounds

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Synthesis of novel simplified eleutheside analogues with potent microtubule-stabilizing activity, using ring-closing metathesis as the key-step

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2,5-Bis-(butyltelluro) thiophene as a convenient precursor for the synthesis of 2,5-bis-(acetylenic) thiophenes

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A facile approach to the synthesis of 5,7-disubstituted indoles via a highly selective lithium-bromine exchange of 5,7-dibromoindoles

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Br
$$R^3$$
 1. t-BuLi R^5 6: $R^5 = Br$, $R^7 = E^1$ 1: $R^5 = E^2$, $R^7 = E^1$ 4. E^2

Synthesis of 2,2'-bipyridyl derivatives using aza Diels-Alder methodology

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Synthesis of the four diastereoisomers of 3-thymine-1-(butoxycarbonyl)aminocyclopentane-1-carboxylic acid

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$$\begin{array}{c} OH \\ MeO_2C \\ \hline \\ CO_2Me \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} T \\ BocHN \\ \end{array}$$

$$T = Thymine$$

Supramolecular peptide helix from a novel double turn forming peptide containing a β-amino acid

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A general approach toward the synthesis of 8-acylamidopyrazolo[1,5-a]-1,3,5-triazines

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A novel synthesis of functionalized 1,1-difluoro-1-alkenes via isolable 2,2-difluorovinylsilanes

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Various 1,1-difluoro-1-alkenes are prepared in two simple steps from 1-trifluoromethylvinylsilane.

$$F_3C$$
 $\stackrel{\text{Nu}}{\swarrow}$
 F_2C
 $\stackrel{\text{Nu}}{\longrightarrow}$
 F_2C
 $\stackrel{\text{Nu}}{\longrightarrow}$
 F_2C
 $\stackrel{\text{Nu}}{\longrightarrow}$
 F_2C
 $\stackrel{\text{Nu}}{\longrightarrow}$
 F_2C

The first enantioselective intramolecular aminocarbonylation of alkenes promoted by Pd(II)-spiro bis(isoxazoline) catalyst

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$$\begin{array}{c|c} & Pd(OCOCF_3)_2, (M,S,S)\text{-R-SPRIX, CO} \\ \hline N-Ts & p\text{-benzoquinone, MeOH} & & & \\ H & & & \\ \hline \end{array}$$

A new strategy in enantioselective intramolecular hetero

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Diels-Alder reaction: catalytic double asymmetric induction during the tandem transatherification-intramolecular betara Diels-Alder re

the tandem transetherification—intramolecular hetero Diels—Alder reaction of methyl (*E*)-4-methoxy-2-oxo-3-butenoate with *rac*-6-methyl-5-hepten-2-ol

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Kinetic resolution: up to R/S = 95/5; diastereoselectivity of cycloadduct: up to 92% de; enantioselectivity of (2R,4aS,8aR)-cycloadduct: up to 97% ee.

MeO
$$CO_2Me$$
 + CO_2Me + CO_2M

Highly enantioselective synthesis of organic compound using right- and left-handed helical silica

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A general method for the preparation of 2,3,5-trisubstituted-furo[3,2-*b*]pyridines

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The reaction of isoquinoline and dimethyl acetylenedicarboxylate with 1,2- and 1,4-benzoquinones: a novel synthesis of

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spiro[1,3]oxazino[2,3-a]isoquinolines

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A novel three component reaction of isoquinoline and dimethyl acetylenedicarboxylate with 1,2- and 1,4-benzoquinones, afford spiro[1,3]oxazino[2,3-a]isoquinoline derivatives in high yields.

Deprotection of benzyl and *p*-methoxybenzyl ethers by chlorosulfonyl isocyanate-sodium hydroxide

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CSI-NaOH procedure provided a new and mild methodology for the deprotection of benzyl and p-methoxybenzyl ethers without affecting the other functional groups under similar reaction conditions.

R-O-CH₂

$$X = \frac{1) \text{ CSI, } K_2\text{CO}_3, \text{ CH}_2\text{CI}_2}{\text{reflux or -78}^{\circ}\text{C}} \quad \text{R-OH}$$

Stereoselective total syntheses of (±)-1,14-herbertenediol and

(\pm)-tochuinyl acetate and facile total syntheses of (\pm)- α -herbertenol,

 (\pm) - β -herbertenol and (\pm) -1,4-cuparenediol

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Synthesis and aromatic nucleophilic N-N, N-S and N-O exchange reactions of N,N-dimethyl-2-trifluoroacetyl-1-naphthylamine

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$$\frac{\text{NMe}_2}{\text{COCF}_3} = \frac{\text{CF}_3\text{CO}_2\text{H / H}_2\text{O}}{\text{in MeCN}} = \frac{\text{NMe}_2}{\text{COCF}_3} = \frac{\text{NuH}}{\text{(NuH = R}^1\text{R}^2\text{NH, RSH, ROH)}} = \frac{\text{Nu}}{\text{COCF}_3}$$

Enantiodivergent syntheses of γ -substituted butenolides with tertiary and quaternary asymmetric centers

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The di- π -methane rearrangement induced in tris(2-benzo[b]-thienyl)methane

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Beckmann reaction of oximes catalysed by chloral: mild and neutral procedures

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$$\begin{array}{c|c}
 & \text{OH} \\
 & \text{(i)} \\
 & \text{R'}
\end{array} \qquad \begin{array}{c}
 & \text{(ii)} \\
 & \text{OH} \\
 & \text{OH}
\end{array} \qquad \begin{array}{c}
 & \text{(ii)} \\
 & \text{R'-NH-CO-R} \\
 & \text{(67-95\%)}
\end{array} \qquad \begin{bmatrix}
 & \text{ArCN (~85\%) for} \\
 & \text{R' = Ar, R = H}
\end{bmatrix}$$

(i) Cl₃CCH(OH)₂/130 °C/10-760 Torr/1-6 h (ii) -(Cl₃CCHO)

Diastereoselective synthesis of 3,6-disubstituted 3,6-dihydropyridin-2-ones

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$$R^{1}$$
 $R^{2} = BOC$
 R^{1}
 $R^{2} = Me$
 $R^{2} = Me$

Photochemical reactions of 5-fluoropyrimidine bases with selected alkylamines

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Photochemical reactions of 5-fluorouracil and 5-fluorocytosine with primary alkylamines are described.

Ligand-free palladium catalysis of aryl coupling reactions facilitated by grinding

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Palladium-catalysed Suzuki coupling reactions and homo-couplings of boronic acids have been facilitated by grinding.

$$X = Br$$
, $R' = H$; $X = B(OH)_2$, $R = R'$

Oxidation of alcohols using cerium(IV) alkyl phosphonate modified silica

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The oxidation of a range of alcohols to ketones or carboxylic acids proceeds in good yield using catalytic quantities of cerium(IV) phosphonate modified silica and sodium bromate as the re-oxidant.

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{Ce(IV)phosphonate} \\ \text{RR'CHOH} \\ \text{R = alkyl,} \\ \text{aryl} \end{array} \qquad \begin{array}{c} \text{R'= H} \\ \text{RCO}_2\text{H} \\ \\ \text{R' = alkyl, aryl,} \\ \text{carbonyl, carboxy} \end{array}$$

2-Thienylchlorocarbene: reactivity toward alkenes

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Absolute rate constants for the additions of syn- and anti-2-thienylchlorocarbenes to various alkenes were measured and analyzed.

Tandem sigmatropic rearrangements and cyclizations of propargylic dialkoxy disulfides

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Hewitt reaction revisited

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[2+2+2]-Co-cyclotrimerization 6-alkynylpurines with diynes: a method for preparation of 6-arylpurines

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A highly efficient synthesis of $[1^{-13}C, ^{18}O]$ - and $[1^{-13}C, ^{2}H_{2}]$ -glycerol for the elucidation of biosynthetic pathways

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BnO
$$\frac{\text{C}}{2}$$
 $\frac{\text{K}^{13}\text{CN}}{95\%}$ BnO $\frac{\text{AcCl}}{3}$ $\frac{\text{AcCl}}{\text{EtOH}}$ BnO $\frac{\text{OH}}{4}$ $\frac{\text{OH}}{95\%}$ $\frac{\text{OH}}{3}$ $\frac{\text{AcCl}}{4}$ $\frac{\text{OH}}{4}$ $\frac{\text{OH$

1,7-Electrocyclisations of stabilised azomethine ylides

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Promoting effects of the hydroxymethyl group on the fluorescent signaling recognition of anions by thioureas

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N H CH₂OH conc. HCl,
$$95$$
 °C, 4 h $R = H$, CH₃, CH₂OH

Process for preparing Ezetimibe intermediate by an acid enhanced chemo- and enantioselective CBS catalyzed ketone reduction

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The chemo- and enantioselectivity of the (R)-MeCBS catalyzed reduction of (1) to (2) was dramatically enhanced by using an acid as a scavenger of the stabilizer (sodium borohydride) present in the commercially supplied, pure BTHF.

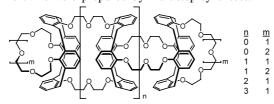
Modular chemistry. Double- and multi-1,3-alternate-calixcrowns

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Double- and multi-1,3-alternate-calixcrowns were prepared by multistep syntheses.



Solid-phase synthesis of unsymmetrical ureas through the use of Kenner safety-catch linker

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Synthesis of tripod-shaped oligo(phenylene)s with multiple ethenyl groups at the bases for chemisorption on hydrogen-terminated silicon surfaces

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Indium-mediated formation of propargyl ketones from aldehydes or acyl chlorides

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RCHO + R'
$$=$$
 I $\frac{\ln (1.5 \text{ eq.})}{\text{Cl}(\text{CH}_2)_2\text{Cl}, 80^{\circ}\text{C}}$ O $\frac{\text{O}}{\text{R}}$ $+$ R' $=$ I $\frac{\ln (1.2 \text{ eq.})}{\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2, \text{r.t.}}$

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A fluorogenic assay for transketolase from Saccharomyces cerevisiae

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Synthesis of hydroxy-substituted unsaturated fatty acids and the amino-acid insect-derivative volicitin

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Synthesis of *N*-(17*S*-hydroxylinolenyl)-L-glutamine, a chemical elicitor referred to as volicitin, is presented based on a cuprous chloride-catalyzed coupling of (*S*)-3,6- heptadiyne-2-ol with a C-8 propargylic iodine methyl ester to form the 17-hydroxylinolenate skeleton and a series of chemical analogues.

$Mo(CO)_6$ -Catalyzed oxidation of furan derivatives to E- and Z-enediones by cumyl hydroperoxide

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$$Me \xrightarrow{Q} R \qquad Me \xrightarrow{Q} R \qquad Me \xrightarrow{Q} Z$$

Synthesis of 'inside-outside' medium-sized rings via ring-closing metathesis

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Dienes tethered to an oxabicyclo[3.3.0]octane template undergo RCM to yield seven- and eight-membered rings in high yield.

7-Chloro-4-methyl-6-nitro-2*H*-chromen-2-one: a novel type of reagent for fluorescence analysis

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$$O_2N$$
 O_2N
 O_2N

Condensations of *N*-arylhydroxylamines for the preparation of 5,5'-di-*tert*-butyl-2,2'-dihydroxydiphenylamine

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α,β -Unsaturated 1,3-oxathiolanes as masked heterodienes in the thio Diels-Alder reaction with styrene derivatives

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$$R_1$$
 R_3 P_1 R_4 R_4 R_4 R_4 R_5 R_5 R_4 R_4 R_5 R_6 R_1 R_2

Ammonium chloride-catalyzed one-pot synthesis of 3,4-dihydropyrimidin-2-(1*H*)-ones under solvent-free conditions

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$$R^{1}\text{CHO} + R^{2} \\ R^{3} + \\ NH_{2} \\ NH_{2} \\ NH_{2} \\ NH_{2} \\ 100 \text{ °C/3h} \\ R^{3} \\ NH_{3} \\ NH_{4} \\ NH_{2} \\ NH_{2} \\ NH_{2} \\ NH_{3} \\ NH_{4} \\ NH_{2} \\ NH_{3} \\ NH_{4} \\ NH_{2} \\ NH_{3} \\ NH_{4} \\ NH_{5} \\$$

Novel methodology for the preparation and purification of oligonucleotides incorporating phosphorothiolate termini

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Spin selectivity in the oxygenation of singlet phenylhalocarbenes with oxygen

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Phenylhalocarbenes are shown to react with oxygen via the triplet state equilibrated with ground-state singlet, the singlet-triplet energy gaps being estimated.

Oxidation of amines catalyzed by cyclohexanone monooxygenase

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Cyclohexanone monooxygenase catalyzed the oxidation of tertiary, secondary and hydroxylamines to N-oxides, hydroxylamines and nitrones respectively.