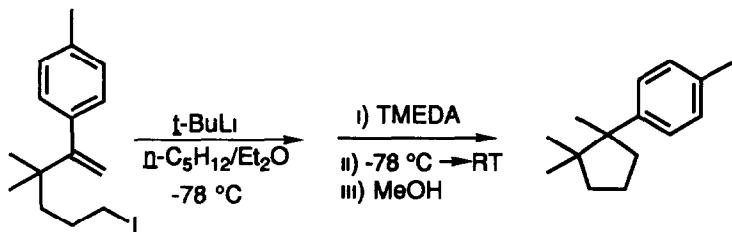


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CONSTRUCTION OF A STERICALLY CONGESTED CARBON FRAMEWORK VIA 5-HEXENYLLITHIUM CYCLIZATION. SYNTHESIS OF (±)-CUPARENE

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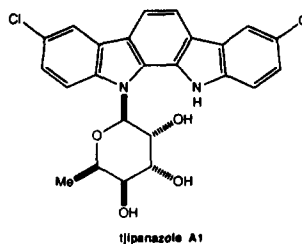


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Tjipanazoles, New Antifungal Agents from the Blue-Green Alga *Tolypothrix tjipanasensis*

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Bioassay-directed isolation of the lipophilic extract of *Tolypothrix tjipanasensis* (strain DB-1-1) has led to the isolation and structure determination of fifteen new N-glycosides of indolo[2,3-a]carbazoles designated tjipanazoles A1, A2, B, C1, C2, C3, C4, D, E, F1, F2, G1, G2, H and I. Tjipanazole I is the only compound having the pyrrolo[2,3-c] ring of previously described indolo[2,3-a]carbazoles.

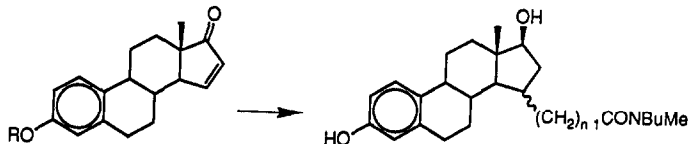


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SYNTHESIS OF 17β-ESTRADIOL DERIVATIVES WITH N-BUTYL, N-METHYL ALKYLAMIDE SIDE CHAIN AT POSITION 15

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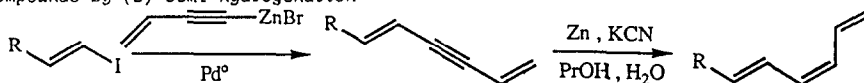
The synthesis of new derivatives of 17β-estradiol with N-butyl, N-methyl alkylamide side chains at position 15 is described.



STEREOSPECIFIC SYNTHESIS OF 1,5-DIEN-3-YNES AND 1,3,5-TRIENES
APPLICATION TO THE STEREOCHEMICAL IDENTIFICATION OF TRIENIC SEX PHEROMONES

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1,5-dien-3-yne are obtained by a palladium-catalyzed cross-coupling reaction between butynyl zinc bromide and an adequate iodoalkene. The dienyne is converted into the trienic compounds by (Z) semi-hydrogenation.



FORMATION OF β -HYDROXYKETONES FROM α,β -EPOXYKETONES BY
PHOTOINDUCED SINGLE ELECTRON TRANSFER REACTIONS

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Irradiation of α,β -epoxyketones at 254 nm in the presence of triethylamine afforded β -hydroxyketones



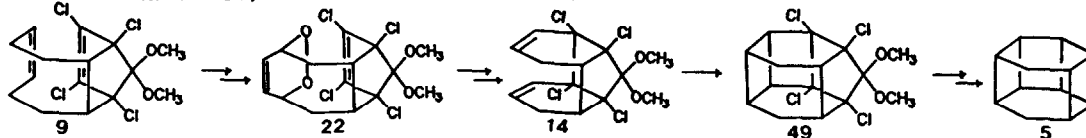
SYNTHETIC STUDIES TOWARDS PRISMANES:

SECO-[6]-PRISMANE

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The first synthesis of seco-[6]-prismane **5**, the closest, one-bond-away secologue of [6]-prismane from the readily available Diels-Alder adduct **9** of 1,5-cyclooctadiene and dimethoxytetrachlorocyclopentadiene via the key intermediates **22**, **14** and **49** is described.



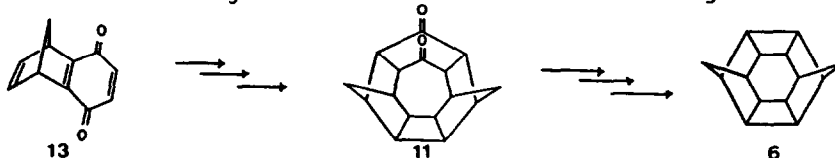
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1,4-BISHOMO-[6]-PRISMANE ("GARUDANE")

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The first synthesis of 1,4-bishomo-[6]-prismane **6**, the true, face-to-face dimer of norbornadiene is delineated from **13**. The key chemical operations are regio- and stereoselective Ti^{+3} reduction, intramolecular 2+2-photo-cycloaddition and a single shot double Favorskii rearrangement.



SYNTHETIC STUDIES TOWARDS PRISMANES:

EXPLORATORY EFFORTS EN ROUTE TO [7]-PRISMANE

HOMO- AND SECOLOGUES

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Novel heptacyclic triones **8** and **9** have been synthesised and a series of probing experiments in quest for [7]-prismane homo- and secologues are described.

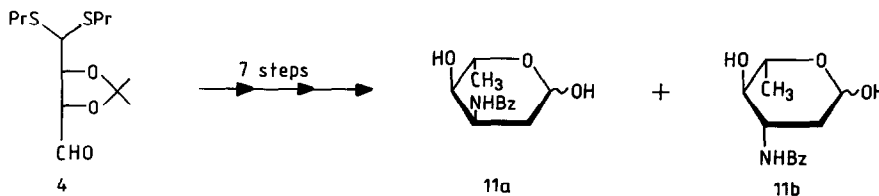


TARTRALDEHYDES III SYNTHESIS OF N-BENZOYL-

-L-RISTOSAMINE AND -L-ACOSAMINE

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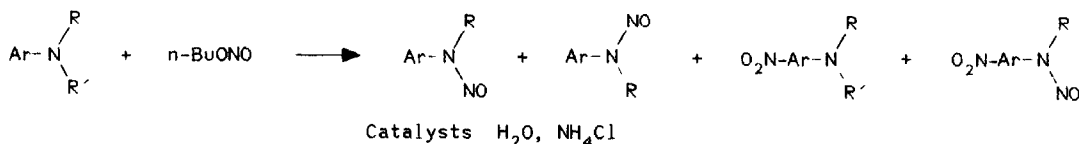


N-DEALKYLATION-N-NITROSATION OF TERTIARY AROMATIC AMINES

BY n-BUTYL NITRITE

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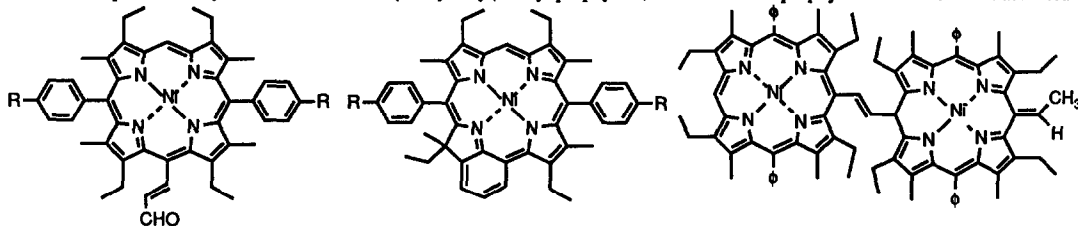
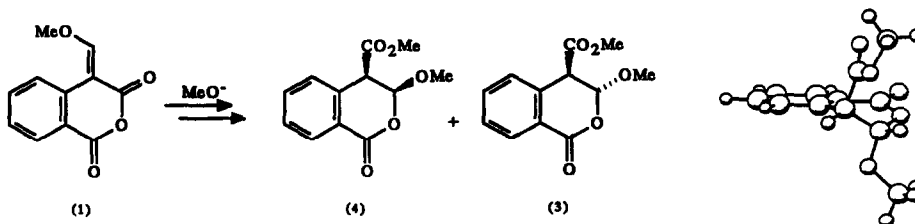
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5,15-DIARYL SUBSTITUTED BENZOCHLORINS -
SYNTHESIS AND STRUCTURE

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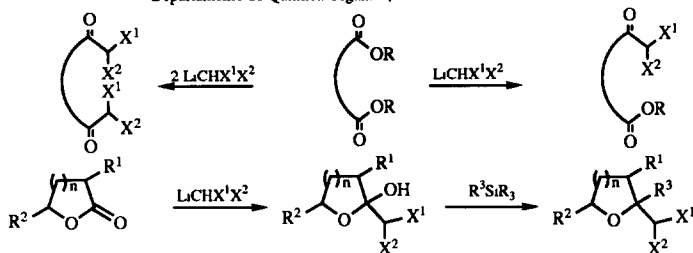
The title compounds are synthesised from *meso*-(formylvinyl) diaryl porphyrins, a novel dimeric porphyrin derivative is characterisedALKOXIDE-INDUCED RING-OPENING OF METHOXYMETHYLIDENE-
SUBSTITUTED HOMOPHTHALIC ANHYDRIDE PART 2 STRUCTURE AND
CONFORMATIONAL ANALYSIS OF THE DIHYDROISOCOUMARIN PRODUCTSMichael G. Hutchings^a, A. Margaret Chippendale^a, Renuka Shukla^a, and Mary McPartlin^b ^aICI Specialties Research Centre, Blackley, Manchester M9 3DA, UK ^bSchool of Chemistry, The Polytechnic of North London, Holloway Road, London N7 8DB, UK

RECTIVITY OF *IN SITU* GENERATED DIHALOMETHYLLITHIUM TOWARDS DICARBOXYLIC ACID DIESTERS AND LACTONES: SYNTHETIC APPLICATIONS

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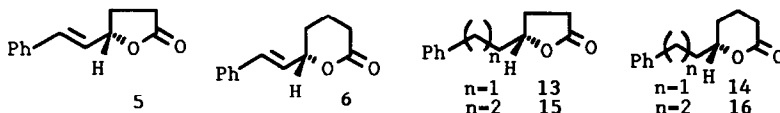


BAKER'S YEAST REDUCTION OF ARYLALKYL AND ARYLALKENYL γ - AND δ -KETO ACIDS.

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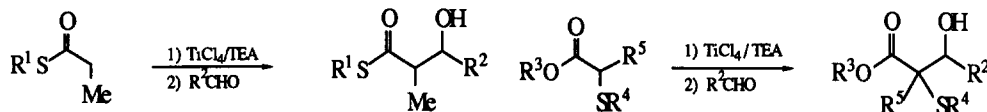
γ - and δ -lactones **5**, **6**, **13**–**16** were synthesized via baker's yeast reduction of the corresponding keto acids. The δ -lactones were obtained in ee% higher than the γ -one and ranging from 70 to 100%.



DIASTEREOSELECTIVE ALDOL CONDENSATION OF DIRECTLY GENERATED TITANIUM ENOLATES OF ACTIVATED ESTERS.

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R¹=Ar, t-Bu, R²= Ph, n-Pr, i-Pr, R³= Et, t-Bu, R⁴=n-Bu, Ph, R⁵=H, Me

Synthesis and Reactivity of 2-(1,3-Dithian-2-yl)indoles

IV¹ Influence of the *N,N*-Diethylcarbamoyl Indole Protecting Group

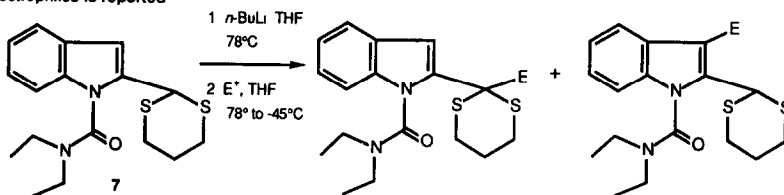
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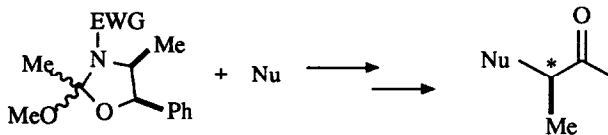
The effect of the *N,N*-diethylcarbamoyl indole protecting group on the reactivity of 2-(1,3-dithian-2-yl)indole 7 in front of a series of electrophiles is reported



HYGHLY STEREOSELECTIVE ACETYLATIONS VIA NOREPHEDRINE DERIVED OXAZOLIDINES.

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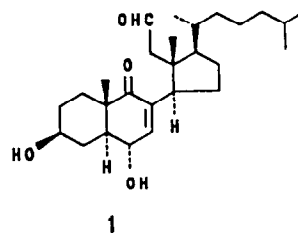


STRUCTURE ELUCIDATION AND SYNTHESIS OF 3 β ,6 α -DIHYDROXY-9-OXO-9,11-SECO-5 α -CHOLEST-EN-11-AL, A NOVEL 9,11-SECOSTEROL FROM THE SPONGE SPONGIA OFFICINALIS

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The 9,11-secoesterol 1 has been isolated from the marine sponge Spongia officinalis. The structure of 1, deduced from spectral data, has been confirmed by synthesis

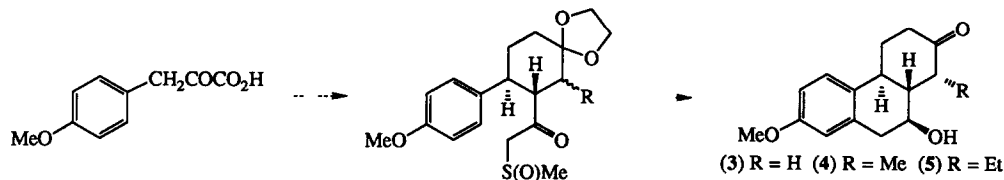


Structural Parallels Between the Cardiotonic Steroids and the *Erythrophleum* Alkaloids - I. Synthesis of Phenanthrenone Precursors to Novel *Erythrophleum* Alkaloid Analogues

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The phenanthrenones (3), (4) and (5), precursors to analogues of the *Erythrophleum* alkaloids, have been synthesised from *p*-methoxyphenylpyruvic acid

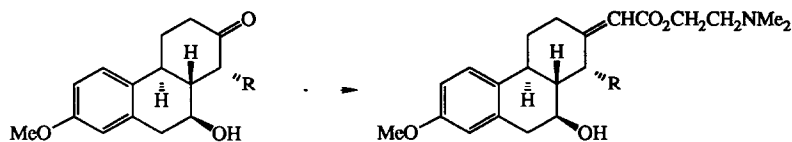


Structural Parallels Between the Cardiotonic Steroids and the *Erythrophleum* Alkaloids - II. Synthesis and Na⁺,K⁺-ATPase Inhibitory Activity of Novel *Erythrophleum* Alkaloid Analogues

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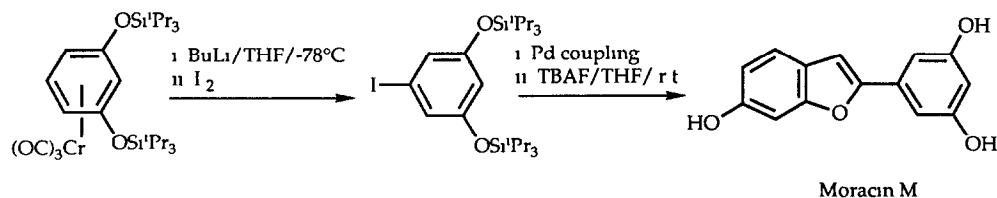
The synthesis and Na⁺,K⁺ATPase inhibitory activity of a series of *Erythrophleum* alkaloid analogues (R = H, Me, Et, *E* and *Z* isomers, enantiomers) is reported



Transition Metal Directed Synthesis of Moracin M, a Phytoalexin of *Morus alba* Linn

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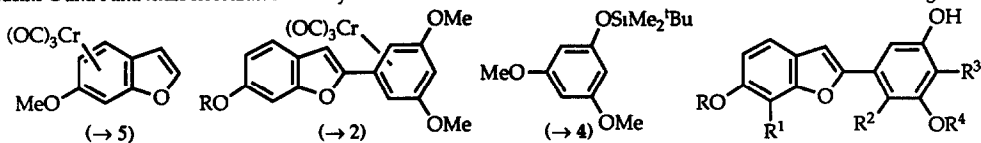
2-(5-Resorcynyl)benzofurans, as moracin M (ex *Morus alba* Linn), have been synthesised by the palladium catalysed cross coupling of 2-trimethylstannyl- or 2-bromo-1,4-benzofurans with the appropriately functionalised 5-iodoresorcinsols



Transition Metal Mediated Synthesis of Some Prenylated Phytoalexins of *Morus alba* Linn.

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Moracins C and I and mulberrofuran B were synthesised via directed functionalisation of resorcinol and benzofuran rings

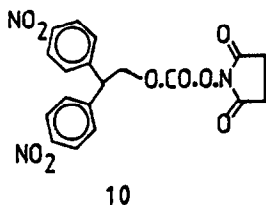


2, Moracin C R = R¹ = R² = H, R³ = prenyl, R⁴ = Me 4, Moracin I R = R¹ = R³ = H, R² = prenyl, R⁴ = Me
5, Mulberrofuran B R = Me, R¹ = geranyl, R² = R³ = R⁴ = H

A BASE-LABILE PROTECTING GROUP FOR PEPTIDE SYNTHESIS: 2,2-BIS(4'-NITROPHENYL)ETHAN-1-OXYCARBONYL URETHANES

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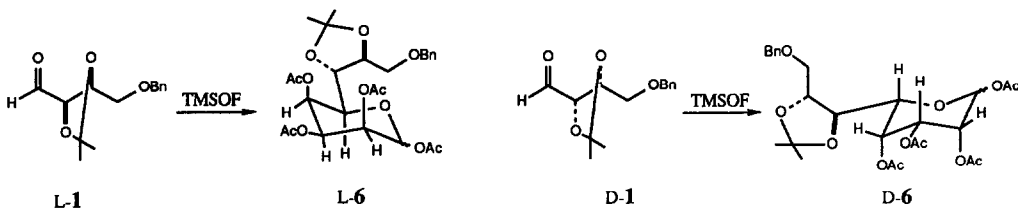
2,2-Bis(4'-nitrophenyl)ethyl-N-succinimidyl carbonate (10) affords base-labile N^α-Bnpeoc derivatives of amino acids for use in solid phase peptide synthesis

Highly Stereoselective Total Synthesis of Octopyranose Derivatives

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L-threo-D-talo- and D-threo-L-talo-Octose derivatives L-6 and D-6 were synthesized from L-1 and D-1 and 2-(trimethylsilyloxy)furan (TMSOF) in five individual steps



REACTIONS OF COPPER(II) β -DIKETONATES UNDER FREE RADICAL
CONDITIONS. PREPARATION OF HIGHLY CONGESTED β -DIKETONES

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Copper(II) diketonates react with alkyl bromides and with benzoyl peroxide under free radical conditions.

