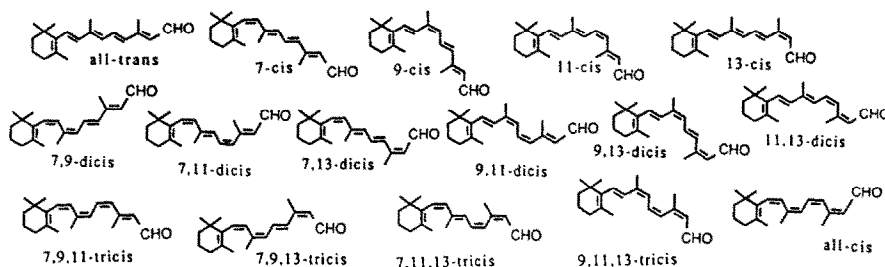


GRAPHICAL ABSTRACTS

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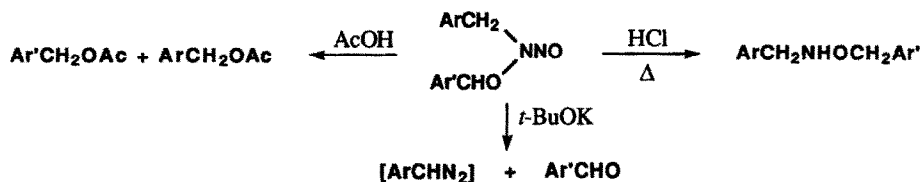
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N-NITROSOHYDROXYLAMINES I. ACETOLYSIS AND ACID-CATALYZED HYDROLYSIS OF N,O-DIBENZYL-N-NITROSOHYDROXYLAMINES. REACTION WITH POTASSIUM *t*-BUTOXIDE

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N,O-Dibenzyl-N-nitrosohydroxylamines are denitrosated by conc. HCl and give the corresponding benzyl acetates with acetic acid. Potassium *t*-butoxide promoted fragmentation to aldehydes and diazoalkanes.

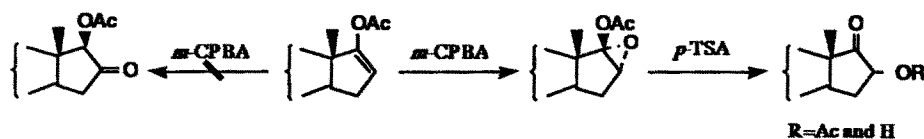


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REARRANGEMENT OF ACYLOXYOXIRANES: A REVISED STRUCTURE FOR THE OXIDATION PRODUCT OF 5 α -ANDROST-16-ENE-3 α ,17-DIOL 3 BENZOATE 17-ACETATE

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Peracid oxidation of conjugated enones and enol acetates is described.

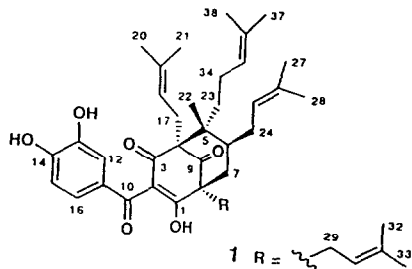


THE GUTTIFERONES, HIV-INHIBITORY BENZOPHENONES FROM *Symphonia globulifera*, *Garcinia livingstonei*, *Garcinia ovalifolia* and *Clusia rosea*

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Extracts from species of the tropical plant genera *Symphonia*, *Garcinia* and *Clusia* (Guttiferae) have yielded a series of new polyisoprenylated benzophenone derivatives named guttiferones A-E (1-5). Structural assignments were based on detailed spectral analyses. These compounds inhibit the cytopathic effects of *in vitro* HIV infection.

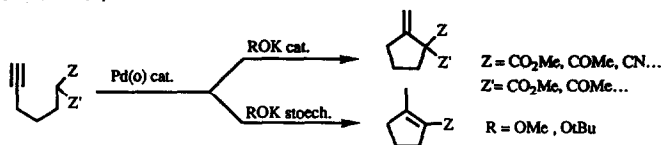


SYNTHESIS OF CYCLOPENTANIC COMPOUNDS ASSISTED BY A PALLADIUM HYDRIDE SPECIES.

SYNTHETIC ASPECTS AND MECHANISM

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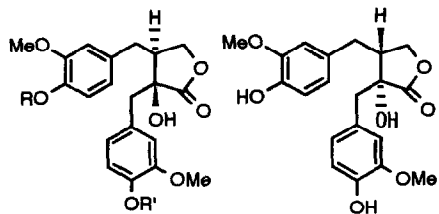
A mechanistic study showed that the active catalytic species is a σ -ethynyl palladium hydride formed by the metal insertion in the acetylenic carbon-hydrogen bond.



LIGNANS. 16. FIRST TOTAL SYNTHESSES OF (+)-WIKSTROMOL, (-)-TRACHELOGENIN, (-)-NORTRACHELOGENIN AND RELATED LIGNOIDS.

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The natural lignans (-)-trachelogenin 1, (-)-nortrachelogenin 2 and (+)-wikstromol 4 were obtained by total synthesis, and were correlated to (+)-methyltrachelogenin 3 whose relative structure was established by X-ray crystallography.



- 1 R = Me ; R' = H
2 R = R' = H
3 R = R' = Me

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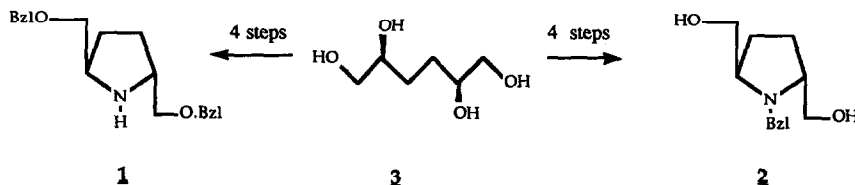
**SYNTHESIS OF ENANTIOMERICALLY PURE
(2R, 5R) DISUBSTITUTED PYRROLIDINES FROM D-MANNITOL**

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Pyrrolidines **1** and **2** are obtained from D-Mannitol derivative **3** giving good total yields and in an enantiomerically pure form. Some comments and studies regarding pyrrolidine ring closure (key step) are also reported.

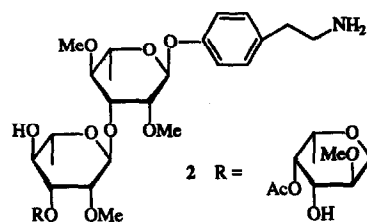


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**IODONIUM ION ASSISTED SYNTHESIS OF A COMMON INNER
CORE TRISACCHARIDE FRAGMENT CORRESPONDING TO THE
CELL-WALL PHENOLIC GLYCOLIPID OF *MYCOBACTERIUM
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The target trisaccharide **2** containing an α -(*O*)-linked tyramine spacer has been assembled in two different ways starting from appropriately ethyl(phenyl) 1-thioglycoside units and a *N*-protected tyramine derivate.



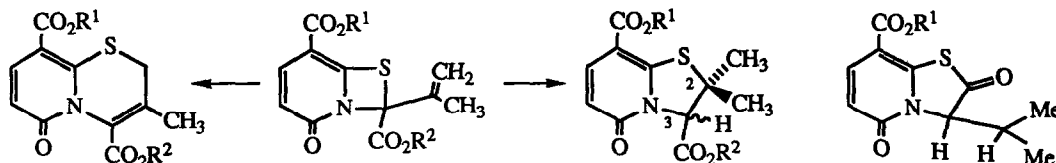
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Reductive and Catalytic Rearrangements of 2-Vinyl-1,3-Thiazetidines

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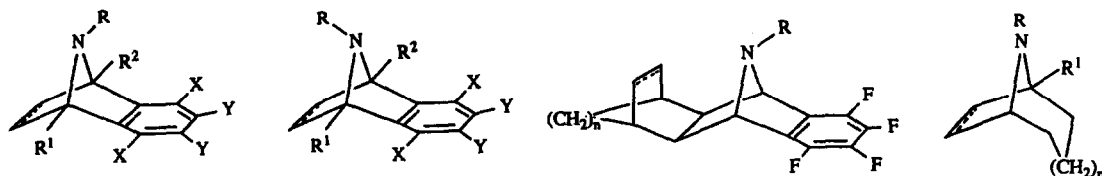
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¹⁵N NUCLEAR MAGNETIC RESONANCE STUDIES OF AZABICYCLES; UNUSUAL DESHIELDING OF NITROGEN IN THE 7-AZABICYCLO[2.2.1]HEPTYL RING SYSTEM

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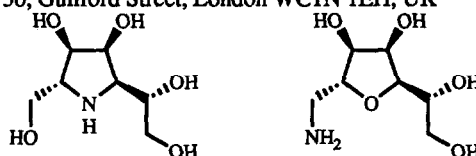


Inhibition of α -Mannosidases by Seven Carbon Sugars: Synthesis of Some Seven Carbon Analogues of Mannofuranose

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The synthesis of some seven carbon mannofuranose analogues from a sugar lactone is reported. The inhibition of human liver glycosidases by a number of pyrrolidine and piperidine mannoheptose analogues is discussed

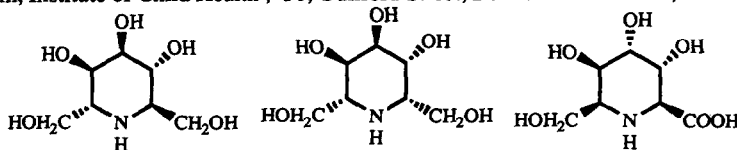


Iminoheptitols as Glycosidase Inhibitors: Synthesis of α -Homomannojirimycin, 6-*epi*- α -Homomannojirimycin and of a Highly Substituted Pipercolic Acid

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Convenient syntheses of some highly substituted piperidines from a sugar lactone are described.

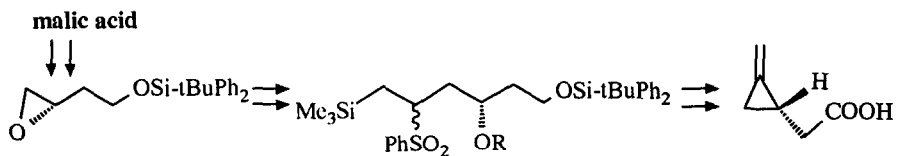


ENANTIOSELECTIVE SYNTHESIS OF THE METHYLENOCYCLOPROPANE DERIVATIVE RELATED TO HYPOGLYCINE, FROM MALIC ACID

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The synthesis of (S)-methylene cyclopropaneacetic acid from L-(-)-malic acid utilizing the four-carbon epoxide as the key intermediate and 2-(trimethylsilyl)ethyl phenyl sulfone as two-carbon building block, is described.



NEW SYNTHESSES OF (±)-LAMPROLOBINE AND (±)-EPILAMPROLOBINE

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Key intermediates in the synthesis of lamprolobine 1 and epilamprolobine 4 are shown below.

