

# Unprecedented Cesium and Potassium Fluorides Catalyzed Trialkylsilylation and Tributylstannylation of Terminal Alkynes with Trifluoromethyl-Trialkylsilanes and -Tributylstannane

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Abstract—Cesium and potassium fluorides promoted trialkylsilylation and tributylstannylation of terminal alkynes with trifluoromethyltrialkylsilanes and -tributylstannane were found to give 1-silyl- and 1-tributylatannyl-alkynes in high yield. The present reactions are applicable to 1-alkynes having a wide range of functional groups such as acetal, iodo, silyl, amino, amido and carbonyl (except for aldehyde) groups. © 2000 Elsevier Science Ltd. All rights reserved.

## Introduction

Much attention has been focused on 1-silyl- and 1-stannylalkynes as versatile reagents for Lewis acid promoted alkynylation of various electrophiles,<sup>1</sup> substrates for alkynylation of organic halides or triflates,<sup>2</sup> and protecting groups for terminal alkynes.<sup>3</sup> For their synthesis, the direct trialkylsilylation or trialkylstannylation of terminal alkynes is a common method, which is performed by treatment with organometallic reagents such as BuLi,<sup>4a,b</sup> EtMgBr,<sup>4c</sup> Zn<sup>4d,e</sup> and Cu<sup>4f</sup> followed by the reaction with chloro-trialkylsilylation is transition metal catalyzed reaction of terminal alkynes with hydrosilanes.<sup>5</sup> However, the former method requires stoichiometric amount of organometallic reagents for generation of acetylide and the latter reaction brings about hydrosilylation of alkynes as side-reaction.

During our studies<sup>6</sup> on Pauson–Khand reaction of fluorinecontaining enynes, we found unexpected cesium fluoride (CsF) catalyzed trimethylsilylation of keto-1-alkyne (**1a**) with trifluoromethyltrimethylsilane (TMSCF<sub>3</sub>)<sup>7</sup> to give 1-silylalkynes (**1b**, **c**) together with normal adduct (**1d**) (Scheme 1). This result indicated trifluoromethyltrialkylsilanes would serve as effective trialklylsilylating reagent for trialkylsilylation of 1-alkynes in the presence of appropriate catalyst. In a similar manner, trifluoromethyltributylstannane (Bu<sub>3</sub>SnCF<sub>3</sub>)<sup>8</sup>could be used for tributylstannylation of 1-alkyne (vide infra). Here, we describe unprecedented trialkylsilylation and tributylstannylation of 1-alkynes with trifluoromethyl-trialkylsilanes and -tributylstannane in the presence of CsF or potassium fluoride (KF).

#### **Results and Discussion**

First, in order to investigate effect of catalyst in the present reaction, various catalysts were examined (Scheme 2, Table 1).<sup>9</sup> Terminal alkyne  $(2a)^{10}$  was chosen as a model compound. As shown in Table 1, the reaction without catalyst did not proceed at all. CsF in THF and KF in DMF were found to serve as effective catalyst in this system to give trimethylsilylacetylene (2b) in quantitative yield (entries 2, 5). These results suggested fluoride ion to play



Scheme 1.

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Scheme 2.

**Table 1.** Effects of catalyst (unless otherwise noted, all reactions were carried out at rt using **2a** (1 equiv.), catalyst (0.16 equiv.), and  $\text{TMSCF}_3$  (1.5 equiv.) under argon)

Entry	Catalyst	Solvent	Time (h)	Yield (%) <sup>a</sup>
1	None	THF	24	0
2	CsF	THF	0.5	100
3 <sup>b</sup>	KF	THF	15	23 (76)
4 <sup>c</sup>	KF	THF	24	28 (36)
5	KF	DMF	0.5	98
6	CsCl	THF	24	0
7	CsOH	THF	24	trace
8	TBAF	THF	24	0

<sup>a</sup> Isolated yield. Value in parenthesis was recovery of starting material.

<sup>b</sup> With 0.4 equiv. of KF.

<sup>c</sup> With 1 equiv. of KF.

an important role. Since the reaction with TBAF<sup>11</sup> did not proceed, the presence of a small amount of water was assumed to suppress the reaction. Because when CsF was not dried before using, incomplete reaction was observed sometimes.

To apply the present reaction to other substrates, various 1-alkynes were synthesized as depicted in Scheme 3. Namely, propargylation of acetal tosylamide  $(14)^{12}$  gave 4a, acidic hydrolysis of which afforded an aldehyde (12a) in 93% yield. Reduction of 12a with NaBH<sub>4</sub> furnished an alcohol (7a), which was converted to an iodide (5a) by standard way. Alternatively, methylation and oxidation of 12a afforded methyl ketone (13a). A carbamate (11a) was obtained from 4-aminophenylacetylene  $(10a)^{13}$  with Boc<sub>2</sub>O in 89% yield.

After examination on amount of catalyst in the reaction, we found that the catalyst could be decreased to 2 mol%. Thus, the reaction (Method A; CsF in THF or Method B; KF in DMF) was carried out on various 1-alkynes with TMSCF<sub>3</sub> (1.2–4.8 equiv.) to give corresponding 1-trimethylsilyl-

alkynes (Table 2). Trimethylsilylation of 2a-5a smoothly proceeded, in which vinyl, acetal, and iodo groups remained intact (entries 1-8). The reaction of triphenylsilylacetylene (6a) took place successfully without desilvlation (entries 9, 10). The reaction of alkynol (7a) using 1.2 equiv. of TMSCF<sub>3</sub> produced TMS ether (7b) predominately (entry 11), while that with 2.4 equiv. of TMSCF<sub>3</sub> gave bis(trimethylsilyl) compound (7c) quantitatively (entry 12). Divne (8a) underwent bis(trimethylsilyl)silylation to furnish **8b** in quantitative yield (entries 14, 15). With 1-alkyne (**9a**) having an active methyne moiety, however, Method A interfered the reaction and Method B remarkably slowed the reaction (entries 16, 17). With amine (10a) and amide (11a), excess TMSCF<sub>3</sub> was needed and reaction time prolonged, although yields were still high (entries 18-21). Unfortunately, with aldehyde (12a), Method A could not avoid trifluoromethylation of carbonyl group (entry 22). However, Method B, furnished desired product (12b) along with trifluoromethylated product (12d) (entry 23).<sup>14</sup> In a similar manner, silvlation of ketone (13a) by Method B gave 1-trimethylsilylalkyne (13b) and 13c, respectively (entries 24). Also, silvlation of 1a by Method B proceeded successfully to give 1b predominantly together with 1c (entry 25). (Fig. 1)

Advantage of the present reaction is as follows: 1) A catalytic amount of promoter (CsF or KF): 2) Method A is simple work-up procedure (see Experimental): 3) the reaction is applicable to 1-alkynes bearing many functional groups such as acetal, iodo, silyl, amino, amido and carbonyl (except for aldehyde) groups.

Plausible reaction mechanism for trimethylsilylation of 1-alkynes is depicted in Fig. 2. Initially, reaction of TMSCF<sub>3</sub> with MF (M=Cs or K) generates pentacoordinated silicate species (A),<sup>15</sup> which reacted 1-alkynes to afford acetylide containing pentacoordinated silicate species (B). Then, B reacts with TMSCF<sub>3</sub> to furnish 1-trimethylsilyl-alkynes and A.

We additionally examined the reaction of 2a with TESCF<sub>3</sub> and Bu<sub>3</sub>SnCF<sub>3</sub> (Scheme 4, Table 3). In the case of triethylsilylation, long reaction time was required in both Method A and B (2 mol% of catalyst) (entries 1, 3). Increase of amount of CsF (10 mol%) markedly improved in both reaction time and yield (entry 2), although the reaction using KF was independent on the amount of the catalyst (entry 4). In a similar manner, tributylstannylation of 2a was performed to furnish 2d (entries 5, 6),



**Scheme 3.** (a) 3-bromopropyne,  $K_2CO_3$ , DMF, 100°C, 1.5 h, 97% (b) 3 M HCl, THF, Δ, 2 h 93% (c) NaBH<sub>4</sub>, MeOH, 0°C, 0.5 h, 83% (d) l<sub>2</sub>, imidazole, PPh<sub>3</sub>, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 0°C, 2 h, 93% (e) MeMgBr, THF, rt, 1 h; Dess–Martin periodinane, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, rt, 1 h, 75% (f) Boc<sub>2</sub>O, THF, Δ, 3 h, 89%.

Table 2. Silylation of various 1-alkynes (all reactions were carried out at rt in THF (Method A) or DMF (Met	ethod B), unless otherwise noted)
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Entry	Substrate	Method	TMSCF <sub>3</sub> (equiv.)	Time (h)	Product	Yield (%) <sup>a</sup>	
1	2a	А	1.2	0.5	2b	100	
2	2a	В	1.2	0.5	2b	99	
3	3a	А	1.2	0.1	3b	100	
4	3a	В	1.2	0.1	3b	100	
5	<b>4</b> a	А	1.2	0.5	4b	100	
6	4a	В	2.4	1.5	4b	99	
7	5a	А	1.2	0.5	5b	100	
8	5a	В	1.2	1.5	5b	98	
9	6a	А	1.2	0.2	6b	100	
10	6a	В	1.2	0.2	6b	100	
11	7a	А	1.2	0.2	7b	100	
12	7a	А	2.4	0.5	7c	100	
13	7a	В	4.0	3	7c	100	
14	8a	А	3.2	1.5	8b	100	
15	8a	В	2.5	0.5	8b	100	
16	9a	А	4.8	24	9b	_b	
17	9a	В	3.6	24	9b	40 (14)	
18	10a	А	2.4	1.5	10b	100	
19	10a	В	3.0	18	10b	87	
20	11a	А	3.0	18	11b	88 (8)	
21	11a	В	3.0	18	11b	87 (11)	
22	12a	А	2.7	6	12c+12d	33+37	
23	12a	В	2.7	3	12b+12d	26+59	
24 <sup>c</sup>	13a	В	1.6	21	13b+13c	72+16	
25°	1a	В	1.6	18	1b+1c	74+11	

<sup>a</sup> Isolated yield. Value in parentheses was recovery of starting material.

<sup>b</sup> Complex mixture.

<sup>c</sup> The reaction was performed at 0°C.



Figure 1.

### Conclusion

### **Experimental**

In summary, we have demonstrated that trialkylsilylation and tributylstannylation of 1-alkynes with trifluoromethyltrialkylsilanes and -tributylstannane using a catalytic amount of CsF or KF proceeded in high yield. The present reactions are convenient and applicable to the 1-alkynes possessing a wide range of functional groups.

# <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectra were taken with a JEOL EX-270

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(270 MHz) spectrometer in CDCl<sub>3</sub> solution with tetramethylsilane as an internal standard. Mass spectra were measured on a Hitachi M-80 or a JEOL JMS D-300



Figure 2.



Scheme 4.

Table 3. Triethylsilylation and tributylstannylation of 2a

Entry	Cat.(mol%)	Reagent (equiv.)	Solvent	Time (h)	Yield (%) <sup>a</sup>
1	CsF (2)	TESCF <sub>3</sub> (2.5)	THF	72	42 (58)
2	CsF (10)	TESCF <sub>3</sub> (2.5)	THF	2.5	97
3	KF (2)	$\text{TESCF}_3(2.5)$	DMF	24	89
4	KF (10)	TESCF <sub>3</sub> (2.5)	DMF	24	85
5	CsF (10)	$Bu_3SnCF_3$ (2.5)	THF	48	69 (20)
6	KF (2)	$Bu_3SnCF_3$ (2.0)	DMF	10	89

<sup>a</sup> Isolated yield. Value in parentheses was recovery of starting material.

spectrometer. Column chromatography was performed over silica gel (Merck Kiegelsel 60). CsF and KF were dried with heat gun in vacuo prior to use. THF was distilled from Na wire before use. DMF was stored over MS 4A. Starting materials (**3a**, **6a**) were purchased from Aldrich Co., and **2a**,<sup>10</sup> **8a**,<sup>15</sup> **9a**,<sup>16</sup> and **10a**<sup>13</sup> were synthesized according to reported procedure.

*N*-Dimethoxylethyl-*N*-(2-propynyl)tosylamide (4a). A mixture of 14 (22.53 g, 87 mmol), 3-bromopropyne (12.42 g, 82 mmol), and K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> (12.00 g, 61 mmol) in DMF (300 mL) was heated at 100°C for 1.5 h. After water was added to the mixture, the mixture was extracted with Et<sub>2</sub>O. The organic extract was washed with water and brine, successively, dried, and evaporated under reduced pressure to give 4a (25.01 g, 96.8%) as colorless crystals; mp 55–56°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR  $\delta$  7.74, 7.29 (each 2H, d, *J*=8.3 Hz), 4.56 (1H, t, *J*=5.4 Hz), 4.26 (2H, d, *J*=2.3 Hz), 3.41 (6H, s), 3.27 (2H, d, *J*=5.4 Hz), 2.42 (3H, s), 2.00 (1H, t, *J*=2.3 Hz); MS *m*/*z* 297 (M<sup>+</sup>); high-resolution mass *m*/*z* calcd for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>19</sub>NO<sub>4</sub>S (M<sup>+</sup>) 297.1035, found: 297.1033.

*N*-Iodoethyl-*N*-(2-propynyl)tosylamide (5a). To a solution of **7a** (5.18 g, 20 mmol), PPh<sub>3</sub> (6.30 g, 24 mmol) and pyridine (2 mL) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (200 mL) was added at 0°C I<sub>2</sub> (6.10 g, 24 mmol) in one portion. After being stirred for 2 h, the reaction was quenched with 10% Na<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>. The solvent was washed with 1 M HCl and brine, successively, dried, and evaporated under reduced pressure to give a residue, which was purified by column chromatography (AcOEt:hexane=1:3) to afford **5a** (6.88 g, 93.2%) as colorless crystals; mp 70–71°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR  $\delta$  7.71, 7.29 (each 2H, d, *J*=8.3 Hz), 4.12 (1H, d, *J*=2.3 Hz), 3.52, 3.29 (each 2H, t, *J*=7.9 Hz), 2.41 (3H, s), 2.10 (1H, t, *J*=2.3 Hz); <sup>13</sup>C NMR  $\delta$  144.3, 135.7, 130.0, 129.7, 127.8, 77.0, 74.8, 49.7, 37.8, 21.9; MS *m*/*z* 362 (M<sup>+</sup>); high-resolution mass *m*/*z* calcd for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>14</sub>INO<sub>2</sub>S (M<sup>+</sup>) 362.9790, found: 362.9790.

*N*-Hydroxyethyl-*N*-(2-propynyl)tosylamide (7a). To a solution of 12a (12.80 g, 50 mmol) in MeOH (250 mL) was added at 0°C NaBH<sub>4</sub> (0.95 g, 25 mmol) in one portion. After being stirred for 0.5 h, the reaction was quenched with water. The solvent was evaporated under reduced pressure to give a residue, which was taken up in CHCl<sub>3</sub>. The organic extract was washed with brine, dried, and evaporated in vacuo to furnish 7a (10.78 g, 83.2%) as colorless crystals; mp 67–68°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR  $\delta$  7.75, 7.31 (each 2H, d, *J*=8.3 Hz), 4.42 (1H, d, *J*=2.3 Hz), 3.80, 3.36 (each 2H, t, *J*=5.3 Hz), 2.43 (3H, s), 2.09 (1H, t, *J*=2.3 Hz); <sup>13</sup>C NMR  $\delta$  144.32 135.7, 129.9, 128.0, 127.4, 77.2, 60.8, 49.2, 38.2, 21.8; MS *m*/*z* 253 (M<sup>+</sup>); high-resolution mass *m*/*z* calcd for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>15</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>S (M<sup>+</sup>) 253.0773, found: 253.0770.

*N-tert*-**Butoxycarbonyl-4-ethynylaniline** (**11a**). A mixture of **10a** (0.353 g, 3.0 mmol) and Boc<sub>2</sub>O (2.006 g, 10.8 mmol) in THF (3 mL) was refluxed for 3 h. Then the solvent was removed in vacuo to give an oily residue, which was purified by column chromatography (AcOEt:hexane=1:15 then 1:5) to afford **11a** (0.581 g, 88.8%) as colorless crystals; mp 97°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR  $\delta$  7.40, 7.31 (each 2H, d, *J*=8.3 Hz), 6.55 (1H, s), 3.01 (1H, s), 1.51 (9H, s); MS *m/z* 217 (M<sup>+</sup>); high-resolution mass *m/z* calcd for C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>15</sub>NO<sub>2</sub> (M<sup>+</sup>) 217.1103, found: 217.1100.

*N*-Formylmethyl-*N*-(2-propynyl)tosylamide (12a). A mixture of **4a** (25.01 g, 84 mmol) and 3 M HCl (200 mL) in THF (250 mL) was refluxed for 2 h. Then the solvent was removed in vacuo. The mixture was extracted with Et<sub>2</sub>O. The organic extract was washed with water and brine, successively, dried, and evaporated under reduced pressure to give an oily residue, which was purified by column chromatography (500 g, AcOEt:hexane=1:1) to afford **12a** (20.12 g, 93.0%) as colorless oil; <sup>1</sup>H NMR  $\delta$  9.66 (1H, t, *J*=1.3 Hz), 7.71, 7.33 (each 2H, d, *J*=8.3 Hz), 4.17 (1H, d, *J*=2.3 Hz), 3.96 (2H, d, *J*=1.3 Hz), 2.44 (3H, s), 2.17 (1H, t, *J*=2.3 Hz); MS *m*/*z* 251 (M<sup>+</sup>); high-resolution mass *m*/*z* calcd for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>13</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>S (M<sup>+</sup>) 251.0616, found: 251.0622.

*N*-2-Oxopropyl-*N*-(2-propynyl)tosylamide (13a). To a solution of 12a (5.14 g, 20 mmol) in THF (80 mL) was added 40 mL of MeMgBr (1 M in THF, 40 mmol). After being stirred for 1 h, the reaction was quenched with 1 M HCl. The mixture was extracted with  $Et_2O$ . The organic extract was washed with water and brine, successively, dried, and evaporated under reduced pressure to give an

alcohol, which was treated with Dess–Martin periodinane (12.78 g, 30 mmol) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (200 mL) for 1 h. The mixture was washed with 10% Na<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> and brine, successively, dried, and evaporated under reduced pressure to give a residue, which was purified by column chromatography (AcOEt:hexane=1:2) to afford **13a** (4.08 g, 75.2%) as colorless crystals; mp 63°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR  $\delta$  7.71, 7.31 (each 2H, d, *J*=8.3 Hz), 4.17 (1H, d, *J*=2.3 Hz), 4.03 (2H, s), 2.43, 2.22 (each 3H, s), 2.12 (1H, t, *J*=2.3 Hz); MS *m*/*z* 265 (M<sup>+</sup>); high-resolution mass *m*/*z* calcd for C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>15</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>S (M<sup>+</sup>) 265.0073, found: 265.0077.

#### General procedure for trimethylsilylation of 1-alkynes<sup>17</sup>

*Method A.* A mixture of acetylene (0.5 mmol), catalyst (0.01 mmol), and TMSCF<sub>3</sub> (0.6–2.4 mmol) in THF (2 mL) was stirred at rt. After the reaction was completed, the catalyst was filtered off by suction. The filtrate was evaporated under reduced pressure to give 1-silylacetylene in essentially pure form. For the reaction of 10a-13a, purification was performed by column chromatography.

*Method B.* A mixture of acetylene (0.5 mmol), catalyst (0.01 mmol), and TMSCF<sub>3</sub> (0.6–2.0 mmol) in DMF (2 mL) was stirred at rt. After the reaction was completed, the reaction was quenched with water. The mixture was extracted with  $Et_2O$ . The organic extract was washed with water and brine, successively, dried (MgSO<sub>4</sub>), and evaporated under reduced pressure to afford 1-silylacetylene in essentially pure form. For the reaction of **9a–13a**, purification was performed by column chromatography.

*N*-(4-Oxo-2-pentenyl)-*N*-[3-(trimethylsilyl)-2-propynyl]tosylamide (1b). Mp 93–94°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR δ 7.76, 7.24 (each 2H, d, *J*=7.9 Hz), 6.59 (1H, dt, *J*=6, 15.8 Hz), 6.15 (1H, d, *J*=15.8 Hz), 4.03 (2H, s), 3.93(2H, d, *J*=6 Hz), 2.35, 2.17 (each 3H, s), -0.07 (9H, s); <sup>13</sup>C NMR δ 197.5, 143.6, 140.4, 132.8, 129.5, 127.5, 97.1, 91.4, 47.3, 37.6, 33.5, 26.9, 21.2, -0.7; IR 2929, 2864, 1705, 1624, 1448, 1412 cm<sup>-1</sup>; MS *m*/*z* 363 (M<sup>+</sup>); high-resolution mass *m*/*z* calcd for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>25</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>SSi (M<sup>+</sup>) 363.1324, found: 363.1320.

*N*-(2-Propenyl)-*N*-[3-(trimethylsilyl)-2-propynyl]tosylamide (2b). Mp 60°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR  $\delta$  7.72, 7.28 (each 2H, d, *J*=8.3 Hz), 5.68–5.83 (1H, m), 5.21–5.31 (2H, m), 4.09 (2H, s), 3.81 (2H, d, *J*=6.6 Hz), 2,41 (3H, s), -0.02 (9H, s); <sup>13</sup>C NMR  $\delta$  143.3, 136.1, 131.9, 129.5, 127.7, 119.8, 97.7, 90.9, 48.8, 37.6, 36.7, 21.5, -0.5; MS *m*/*z* 321 (M<sup>+</sup>); high-resolution mass *m*/*z* calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>23</sub>NO<sub>2</sub>SSi (M<sup>+</sup>) 321.1219 found: 321.1222.

**Trimethylsilylphenylacetylene** (**3b**). Oil; <sup>1</sup>H NMR δ 7.48–7.52 (2H, m), 7.29–7.33 (3H, m), 0.29 (9H, s); MS m/z 174 (M<sup>+</sup>); high-resolution mass m/z calcd for C<sub>11</sub>H<sub>14</sub>Si (M<sup>+</sup>) 174.0865, found: 174.0865.

*N*-(3,3-Dimethoxyethyl)-*N*-[3-(trimethylsilyl)-2-propynyl]tosylamide (4b). Mp 86–87°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR  $\delta$  7.66, 7.21 (each 2H, d, *J*=8.3 Hz), 4.49 (1H, t, *J*=5.6 Hz), 4.19 (2H, s), 3.33 (6H, s), 3.20 (2H, d, *J*=5.6 Hz), 2.33 (3H, s), -0.10 (9H, s); <sup>13</sup>C NMR  $\delta$  143.0, 135.8, 120.2, 127.6, 103.8, 98.2, 90.0, 54.1, 47.0, 38.6, 21.1, -0.8; MS *m*/*z* 383 (M<sup>+</sup>); highresolution mass m/z calcd for  $C_{19}H_{29}O_4NSSi$  (M<sup>+</sup>) 383.1592, found: 383.1587.

*N*-(2-Iodoethyl)-*N*-[3-(trimethylsilyl)-2-propynyl]tosylamide (5b). Mp 87–88°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR  $\delta$  7.78, 7.38 (each 2H, d, *J*=8.3 Hz), 4.20 (2H, s), 3.59, 3.57 (each 2H, t, *J*=7.8 Hz), 2.49 (3H, s), 0.10 (9H, s); <sup>13</sup>C NMR  $\delta$  143.4, 135.2, 129.4, 127.3, 97.5, 91.0, 48.9, 37.9, 21.2, 1.3, -0.7; MS *m*/*z* 435 (M<sup>+</sup>); high-resolution mass *m*/*z* calcd for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>22</sub>O<sub>2</sub>INSSi (M<sup>+</sup>) 435.0177, found: 435.0185.

**1-Trimethylsilyl-2-triphenylsilylacetylene (6b).** Mp 67–68°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR  $\delta$  7.80–7.92 (10H, m), 7.45–7.60 (15H, m), 0.45 (9H, s); <sup>13</sup>C NMR  $\delta$  135.5, 133.4, 128.8, 127.9, 119.5, 108.1, -0.2; MS *m*/*z* 356 (M<sup>+</sup>); high-resolution mass *m*/*z* calcd for C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>24</sub>Si<sub>2</sub> (M<sup>+</sup>) 356.1417, found: 356.1417

*N*-(2-Propynyl)-*N*-[2-(trimethylsilyloxy)ethyl]tosylamide (7b). Oil; <sup>1</sup>H NMR  $\delta$  7.73, 7.28 (each 2H, d, *J*=8.3 Hz), 4.22 (2H, d, *J*=2.3 Hz), 3.78, 3.31 (each 2H, t, *J*=5.9 Hz), 2.41 (3H, s), 2.09 (2H, t, *J*=2.3 Hz), 0.11 (9H, s); <sup>13</sup>C NMR  $\delta$  143.3, 135.9, 129.3, 127.4, 73.8, 73.5, 61.8, 48.1, 38.0, 21.3, -0.8; MS *m*/*z* 325 (M<sup>+</sup>); high-resolution mass *m*/*z* calcd for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>23</sub>O<sub>3</sub>NSSi (M<sup>+</sup>) 325.1163, found: 325.1168.

*N*-[2-(Trimethylsilyloxy)ethyl]-*N*-[3-(trimethylsilyl)-2propynyl]tosylamide (7c). Oil; <sup>1</sup>H NMR  $\delta$  7.67, 7.22 (each 2H, d, *J*=8.3 Hz), 4.17 (2H, s), 3.73, 2.44 (each 2H, t, *J*=6.1 Hz), 2.34 (3H, s), 0.06, -0.05 (each 9H, s); <sup>13</sup>C NMR  $\delta$  142.3, 136.0, 129.4, 127.7, 98.5, 90.2, 61.4, 48.0, 38.9, 21.2, 0.4, -0.8; MS *m*/*z* 397 (M<sup>+</sup>); high-resolution mass *m*/*z* calcd for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>31</sub>O<sub>3</sub>NSSi<sub>2</sub> (M<sup>+</sup>) 397.1560, found: 397.1563.

**Dimethyl 2,2-Bis-[3-(trimethylsilyl)-2-propynyl]malonate** (**8b**). Mp 50°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR  $\delta$  3.70 (6H, s), 2.93 (4H, s), 0.08 (9H, s); <sup>13</sup>C NMR  $\delta$  168.5, 100.8, 87.8, 56.5, 52.4, 23.7, -0.4; MS *m*/*z* 352 (M<sup>+</sup>); high-resolution mass *m*/*z* calcd for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>28</sub>O<sub>4</sub>Si<sub>2</sub> (M<sup>+</sup>) 352.1521, found: 352.1526.

**Dimethyl 2-[3-(trimethylsilyl)-2-propynyl]malonate (9b).** Oil; <sup>1</sup>H NMR  $\delta$  3.73 (6H, s), 3.56 (1H, t, *J*=7.9 Hz), 2.76 (2H, d, *J*=7.9 Hz), 0.09 (9H, s); <sup>13</sup>C NMR  $\delta$  168.2, 102.0, 87.1, 52.6, 51.1, 18.8, -0.2; MS *m*/*z* 242 (M<sup>+</sup>); high-resolution mass *m*/*z* calcd for C<sub>11</sub>H<sub>18</sub>O<sub>4</sub>Si (M<sup>+</sup>) 242.0980, found: 242.0974.

**4-(Trimethylsilylethynyl)aniline** (10b). Mp 83–84°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR  $\delta$  7.27, 6.55 (each 2H, d, *J*=8.6 Hz), 3.76 (2H, brs), 0.24 (9H, s); <sup>13</sup>C NMR  $\delta$  146.8, 133.1, 114.3, 111.9, 106.2, 91.3, 0.0; MS *m*/*z* 189 (M<sup>+</sup>); high-resolution mass *m*/*z* calcd for C<sub>11</sub>H<sub>15</sub>NSi (M<sup>+</sup>) 189.0981, found: 189.0974.

*N-tert*-Butoxycarbonyl-4-(trimethylsilylethynyl)aniline (11b). Mp 160–161°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR  $\delta$  7.38, 7.30 (each 2H, d, *J*=8.6 Hz), 6.65 (1H, s), 1.50, 0.23 (each 9H, s); <sup>13</sup>C NMR  $\delta$  152.4, 138.7, 132.8, 117.8, 117.3, 105.1, 93.1, 80.8, 28.7, 0.0; MS *m*/*z* 289 (M<sup>+</sup>); high-resolution mass *m*/*z* calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>23</sub>O<sub>2</sub>NSi (M<sup>+</sup>) 289.1500, found: 289.1498.

*N*-(2-Oxoethyl)-*N*-[3-(trimethylsilyl)-2-propynyl]tosylamide (12b). Oil; <sup>1</sup>H NMR  $\delta$  9.65 (1H, d, *J*=1 Hz), 7.69, 7.30 (each 2H, d, J=8.3 Hz), 4.17 (2H, s), 3.88 (2H, d, J=1 Hz), 2.41 (3H, s), 0.00 (9H, s); <sup>13</sup>C NMR  $\delta$  197.6, 144.2, 134.8, 128.8, 127.7, 97.1, 92.3, 50.9, 39.7, 21.5, -0.5; MS *m*/*z* 323 (M<sup>+</sup>); high-resolution mass *m*/*z* calcd for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>21</sub>O<sub>3</sub>NSSi (M<sup>+</sup>) 323.1010, found: 323.1011.

*N*-[3,3,3-trifluoro-2-(trimethylsilyloxy)propyl]-*N*-(2-propynyl)tosylamide (12c). Mp 88–89°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR  $\delta$  7.73, 7.27 (each 2H, d, *J*=8.3 Hz), 4.20–4.40 (1H, m), 4.23 (2H, d, *J*=2.5 Hz), 3.30–3.50 (2H, m), 2.42 (3H, s), 2.11 (1H, t, *J*=2.5 Hz), 0.00 (9H, s); <sup>13</sup>C NMR  $\delta$  144.3, 134.7, 129.8, 127.8, 97.4, 91.9, 69.3 (q, *J*=30.6 Hz), 54.7, 46.7, 39.8, 21.5, -0.6; MS *m*/*z* 393 (M<sup>+</sup>); high-resolution mass *m*/*z* calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>22</sub>F<sub>3</sub>O<sub>3</sub>NSSi (M<sup>+</sup>) 393.1041, found: 393.1042.

*N*-[3,3,3-trifluoro-2-(trimethylsilyloxy)propyl]-*N*-[3-(trimethylsilyl)-2-propynyl]tosylamide (12d). Oil; <sup>1</sup>H NMR  $\delta$  7.71, 7.27 (each 2H, d, *J*=8.3 Hz), 4.35 (1H, d, *J*=18.7 Hz), 4.26–4.41 (1H, m), 4.04 (1H, d, *J*=18.7 Hz), 3.13–3.46 (2H, m), 2.39 (3H, s), -0.04, -0.05 (each 9H, s); MS *m*/*z* 465 (M<sup>+</sup>); high-resolution mass *m*/*z* calcd for C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>30</sub>F<sub>3</sub>O<sub>3</sub>NSSi<sub>2</sub> (M<sup>+</sup>) 465.1431, found: 465.1437.

*N*-(2-Oxopropyl)-*N*-[3-(trimethylsilyl)-2-propynyl]tosylamide (13b). Mp 84–85°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR  $\delta$  7.70, 7.30 (each 2H, d, *J*=8.3 Hz), 4.16 (2H, s), 3.97 (2H, s), 3.42(2H, s), 2.23 (3H, s), 0.01 (9H, s); <sup>13</sup>C NMR  $\delta$  203.3, 143.8, 135.0, 129.6, 127.5, 97.2, 91.7, 55.4, 38.9, 27.0, 21.4, -0.6; MS *m*/z 337 (M<sup>+</sup>); high-resolution mass *m*/z calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>23</sub>O<sub>3</sub>NSSi (M<sup>+</sup>) 337.1162, found: 337.1168.

*N*-[2-trifluoromethyl-2-(trimethylsilyloxy)propyl]-*N*-[3-(trimethylsilyl)-2-propynyl]tosylamide (13c). Mp 60– 61°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR δ 7.75, 7.33 (each 2H, d, *J*=8.3 Hz), 4.45 (1H, d, *J*=18.7 Hz), 4.26 (1H, d, *J*=18.7 Hz), 3.52, 3.44 (each 1H, d, *J*=14.4 Hz), 2.46, 1.59 (each 3H, s), 0.22, 0.01 (each 9H, s); <sup>13</sup>C NMR δ 143.6, 136.0, 129.6, 127.9, 127.5, 97.8, 91.2, 77.0 (q, *J*=28.1 Hz), 50.3, 39.7, 21.5, 19.7, 1.8, -0.5; MS *m*/*z* 479 (M<sup>+</sup>); high-resolution mass *m*/*z* calcd for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>32</sub>F<sub>3</sub>O<sub>3</sub>NSSi<sub>2</sub> (M<sup>+</sup>) 479.1591, found: 479.1594.

*N*-(2-Propenyl)-*N*-[3-(triethylsilyl)-2-propynyl]tosylamide (2c). Oil; <sup>1</sup>H NMR  $\delta$  7.70, 7.25 (each 2H, d, *J*=8.2 Hz), 5.68–5.83 (1H, m), 5.19–5.29 (2H, m), 4.12 (2H, s), 3.82 (2H, d, *J*=6.3 Hz), 2.38 (3H, s), 0.82 (9H, t, *J*=7.8 Hz), 0.40 (6H, q, *J*=7.8 Hz); <sup>13</sup>C NMR  $\delta$  143.1, 135.9, 131.7, 129.3, 127.4, 120.0, 98.6, 88.1, 48.6, 36.5, 21.2, 7.0, 3.8; MS *m*/*z* 363 (M<sup>+</sup>); high-resolution mass *m*/*z* calcd for C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>29</sub>O<sub>3</sub>NSi (M<sup>+</sup>) 363.1692, found: 363.1688.

*N*-(2-Propenyl)-*N*-[3-(tributylstannanyl)-2-propynyl]tosylamide (2d). Mp 59–60°C; <sup>1</sup>H NMR δ 7.75, 7.27 (each 2H, d, *J*=8.5 Hz), 5.66–5.81 (1H, m), 5.21–5.31 (2H, m), 4.14 (2H, s), 3.84 (2H, d, *J*=6.6 Hz), 2,42 (3H, s), 1.16–1.64 (15H, m), 0.84–0.94 (12H, m); <sup>13</sup>C NMR δ 162.4, 143.6, 136.1, 131.9, 129.5, 127.8, 120.0, 73.7, 49.0, 35.8, 27.9, 27.2, 21.5, 16.7, 12.7; MS *m*/*z* 537 (M<sup>+</sup>); high-resolution mass *m*/*z* calcd for C<sub>25</sub>H<sub>41</sub>NO<sub>2</sub>SSn (M<sup>+</sup>) 537.1891, found: 537.1880.

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