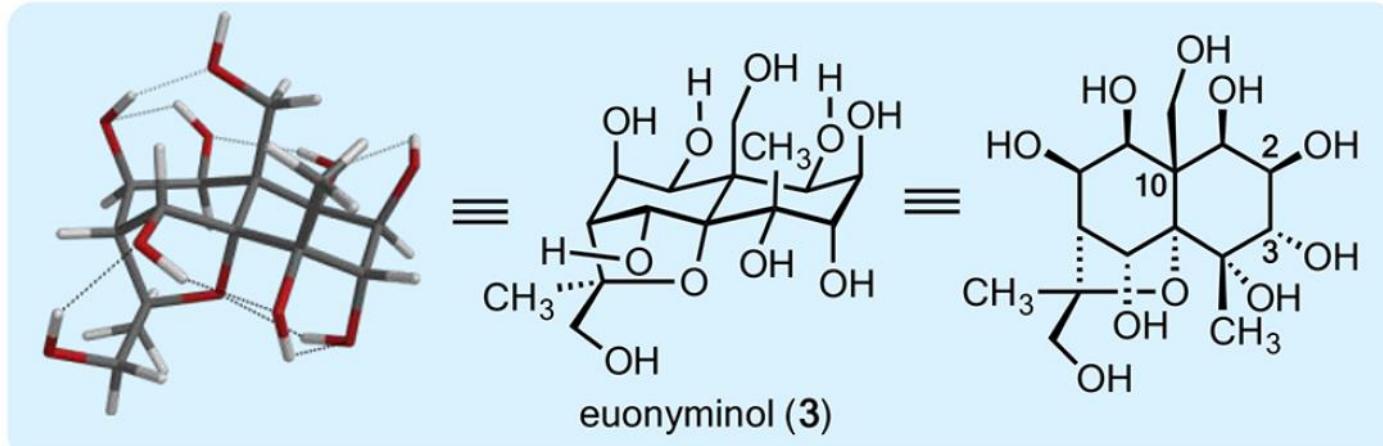
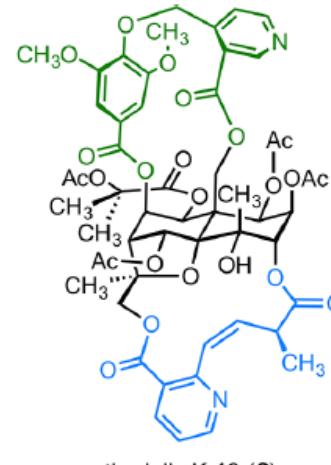
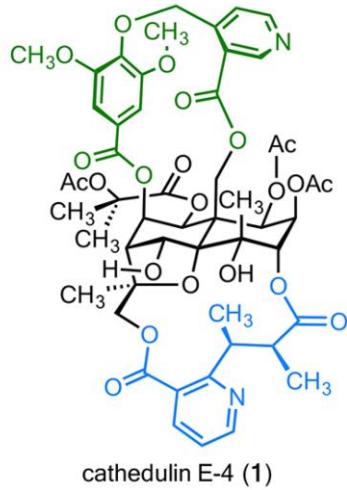
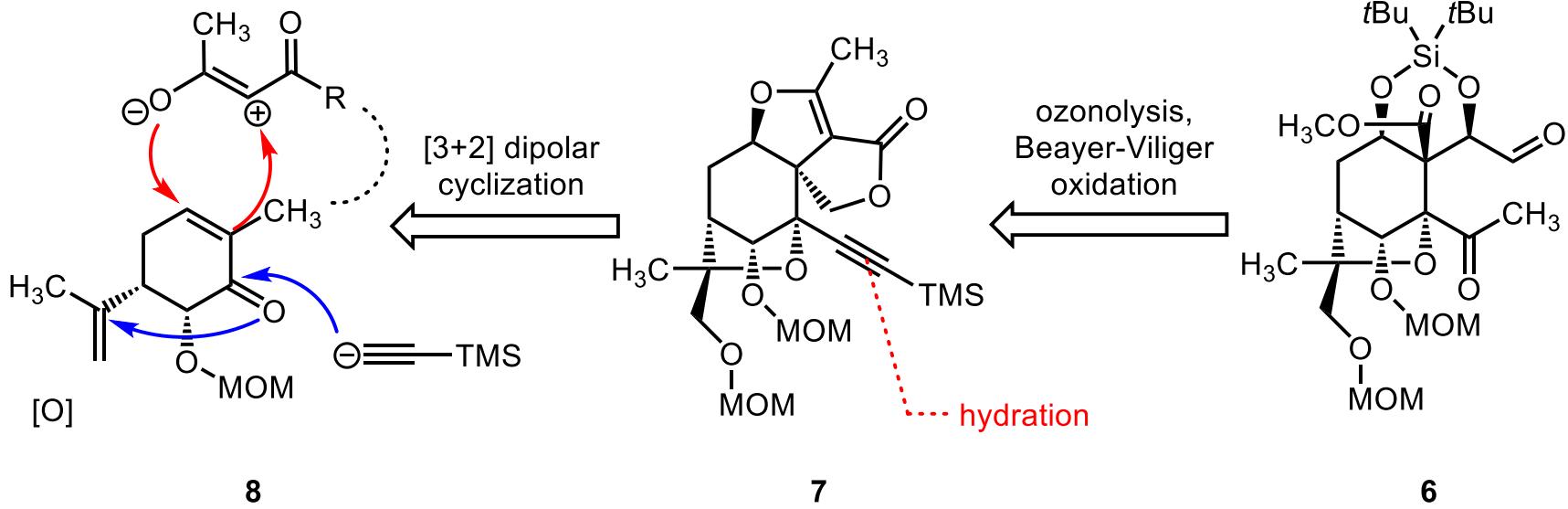
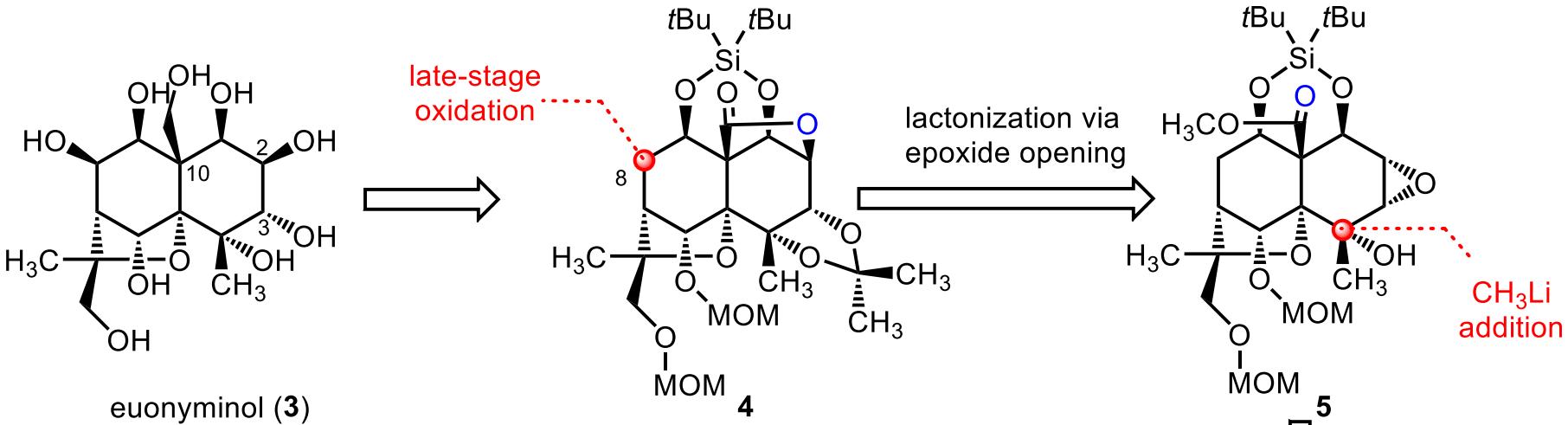
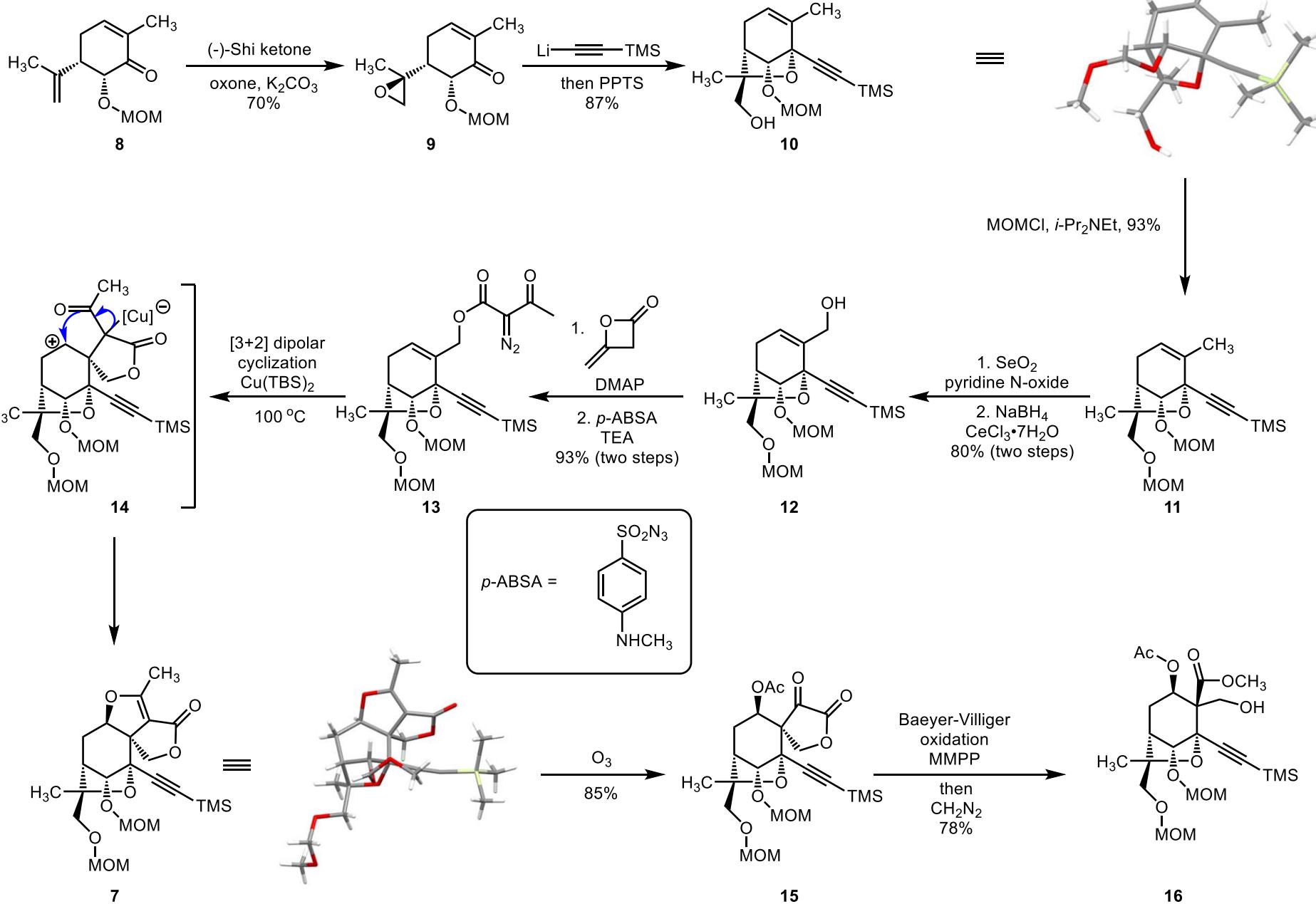


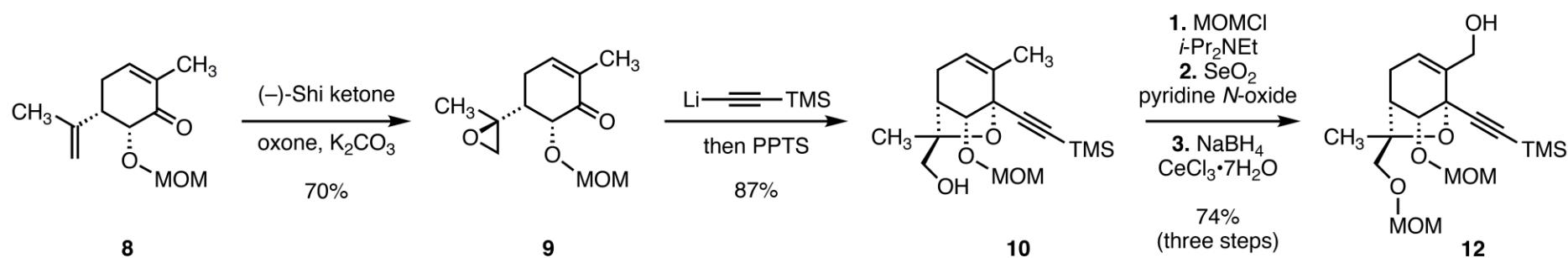
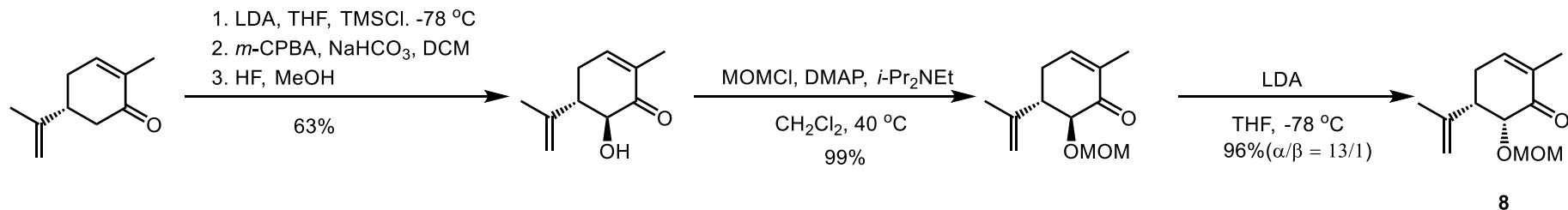
Enantioselective Synthesis of Euonyminol

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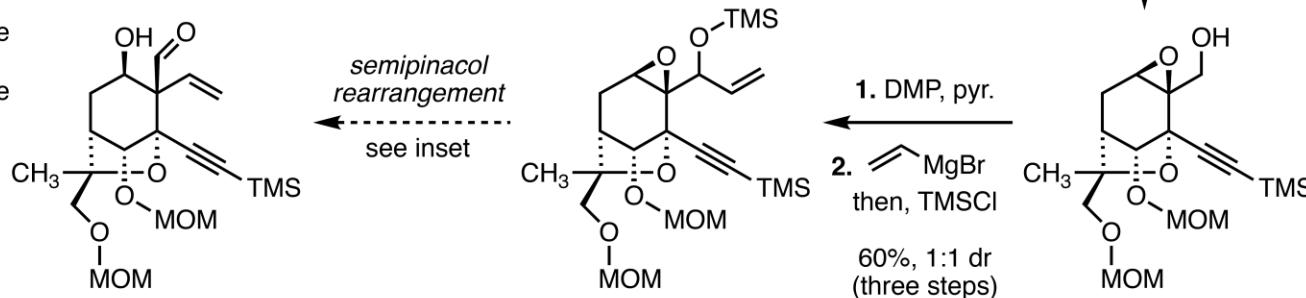






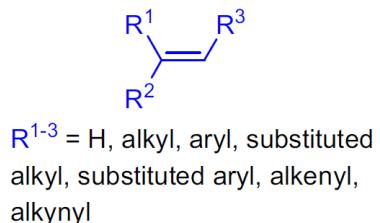
inset:

| reagent | result |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| SnCl ₄ | ring opening decomposition mixture |
| AlCl ₃ | ring opening decomposition mixture |
| TiCl ₄ | complex mixture |
| BF ₃ ·Et ₂ O | partial MOM group cleavage |

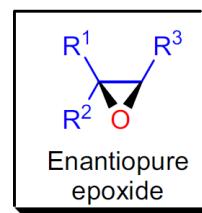


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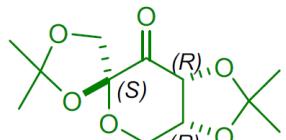
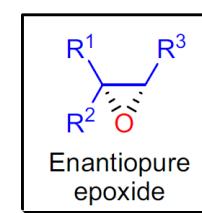
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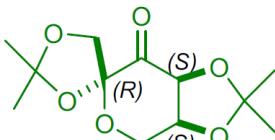
Shi's catalyst
 $KHSO_5$
 or 30% H_2O_2 (3.0 equiv)
 H_2O / CH_3CN ; pH ~7-10
 50-90% yield, > 90% ee



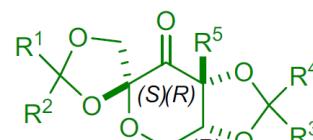
or



Shi's catalyst derived from D-fructose

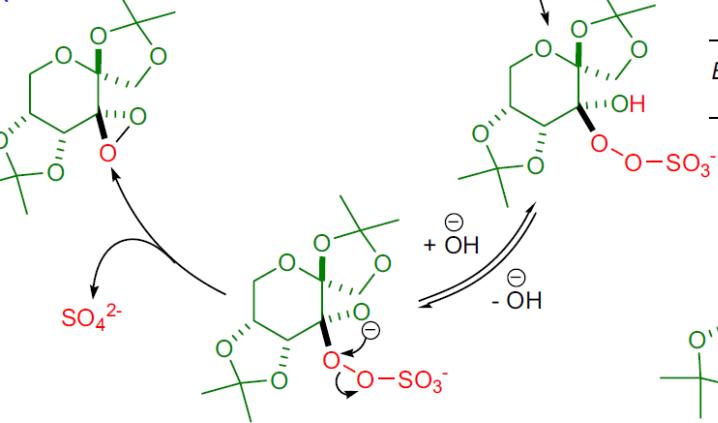
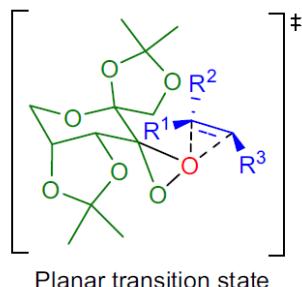
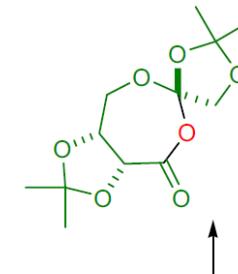
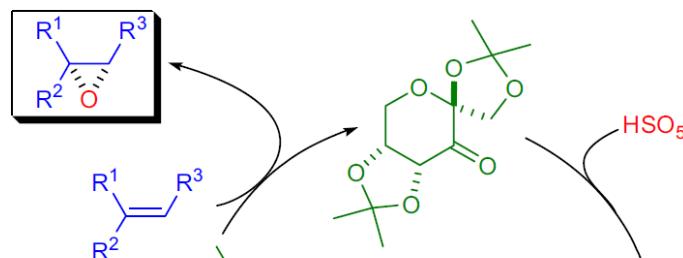
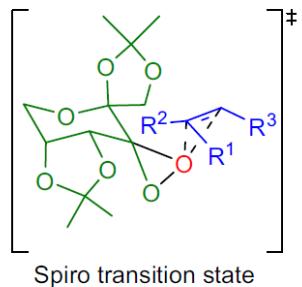


Shi's catalyst derived from L-fructose



Shi's generalized catalysts (derived from D-fructose)

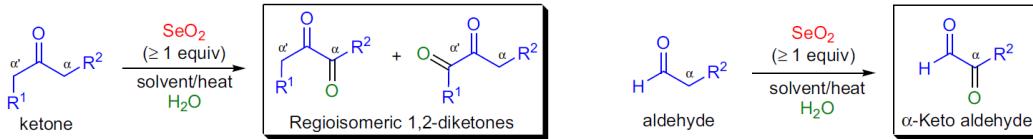
R^{1-2} = Me, Et, $-(CH_2)_4^-$, $-(CH_2)_5^-$, $-(CH_2)_6^-$
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 R^5 = H, F



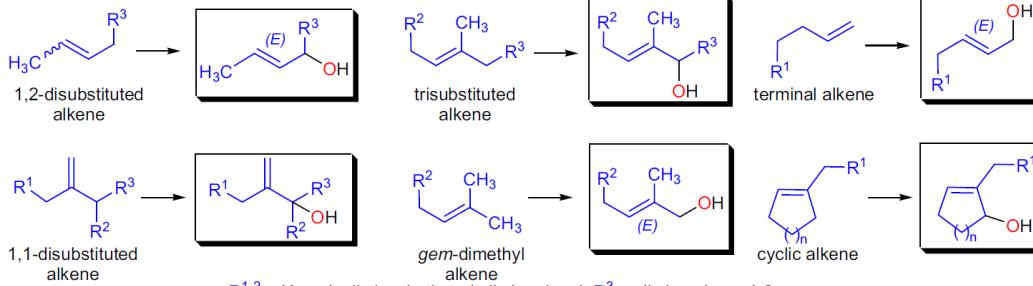
RILEY SELENIUM DIOXIDE OXIDATION

(References are on page 663)

Selenium dioxide oxidation of ketones and aldehydes (Riley, 1932):

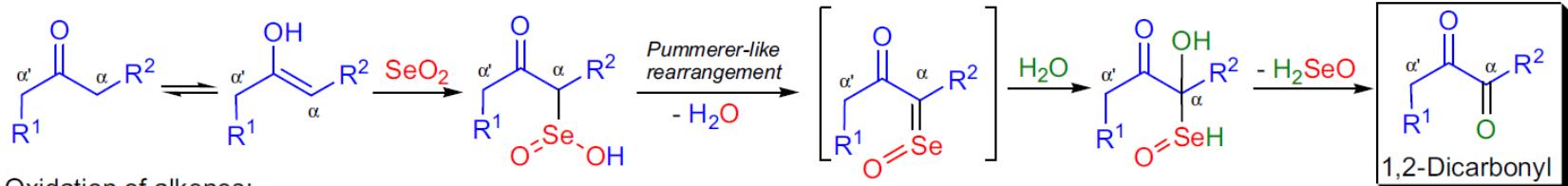


Selenium dioxide oxidation of olefins (Guillemonat, 1939):



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Oxidation of carbonyl compounds:



Oxidation of alkenes:

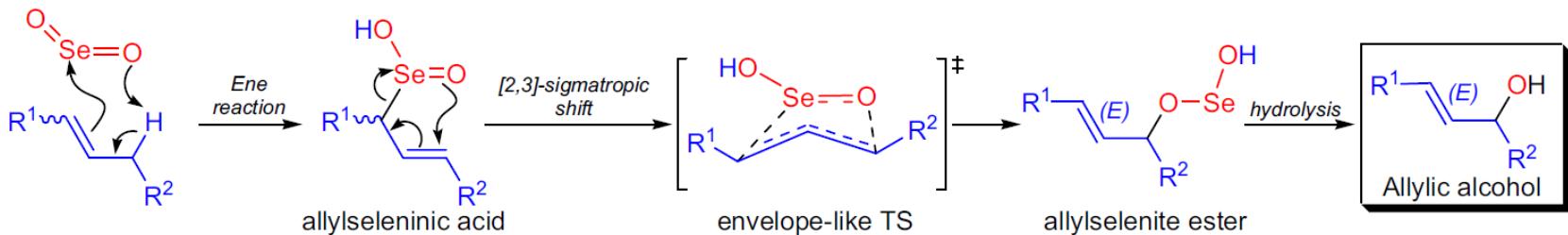
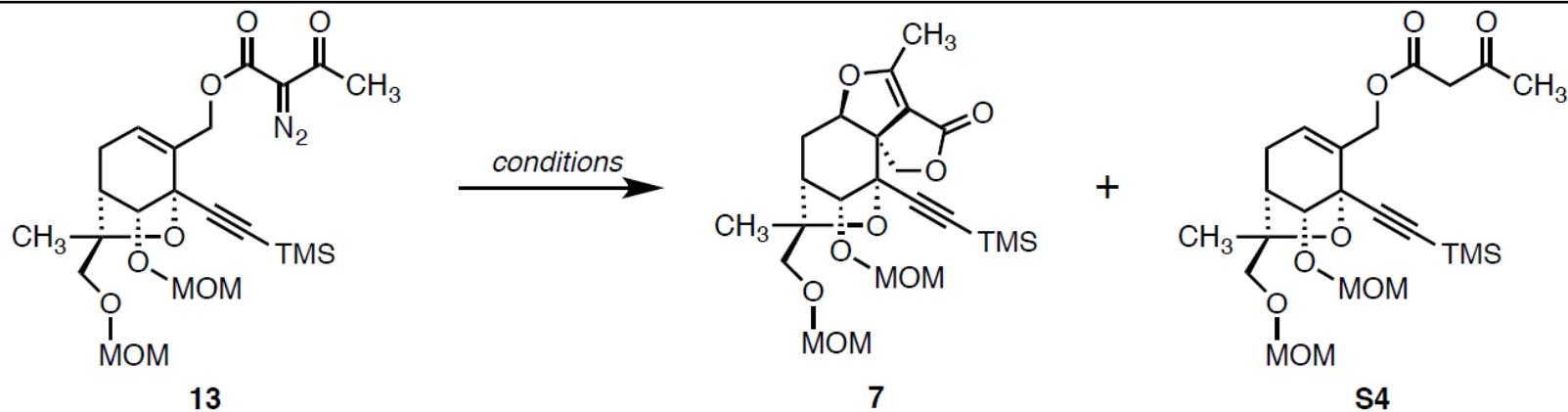
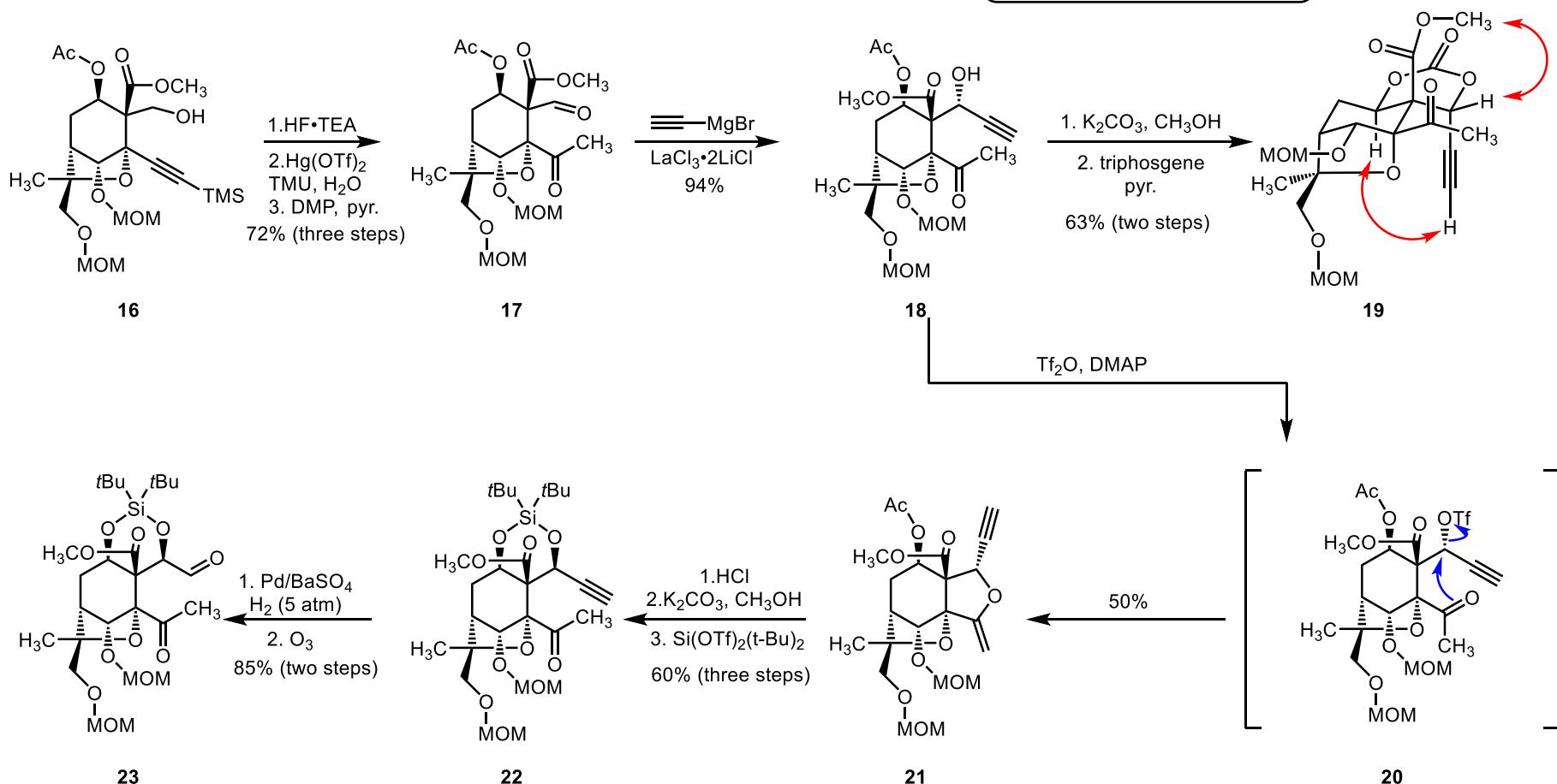
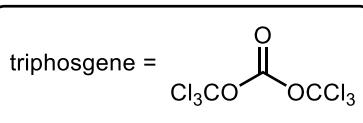


Table S1. Optimization of the [3+2] cycloaddition.



| entry | conditions | results |
|-------|--|---------------------|
| 1 | Cu(OTf) ₂ , DCE, 50 °C | complex mixture |
| 2 | Rh ₂ (OAc) ₄ , CH ₂ Cl ₂ , 23 °C | formation of S4 |
| 3 | Rh ₂ (esp) ₄ , CH ₂ Cl ₂ , 23 °C | complex mixture |
| 4 | Cu(TBS) ₂ , toluene, 110 °C (0.1 M) | 40% of 7; 25% of S4 |
| 5 | Cu(TBS) ₂ , toluene, 100 °C (0.02 M) | 67% of 7 |
| 6 | Cu(TBS) ₂ , deoxygenated toluene, 100 °C (0.02 M) | 83% of 7 |



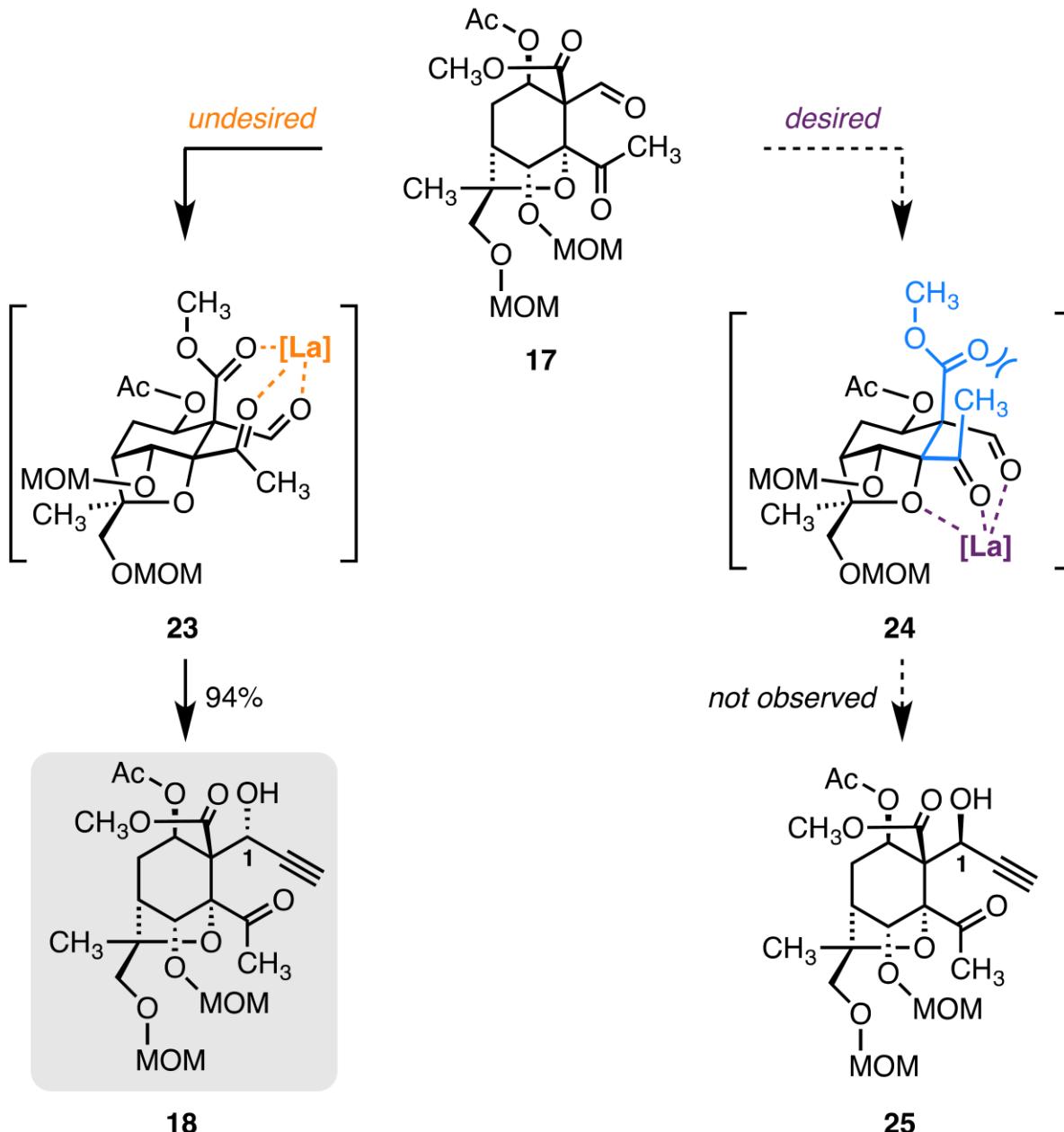
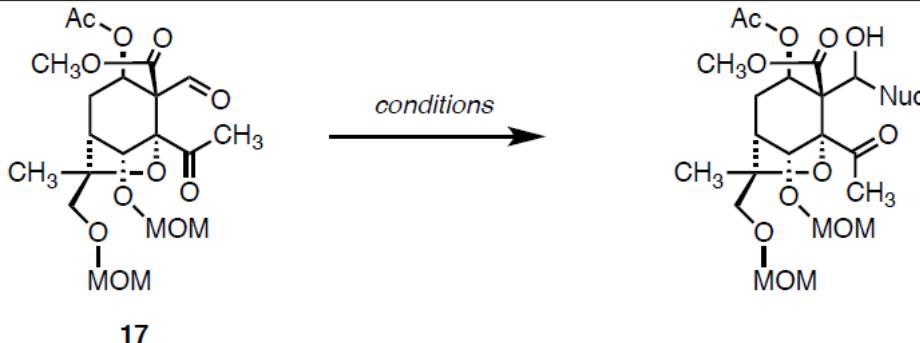
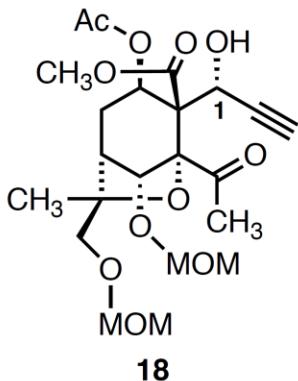


Figure 2. Stereochemical model for the addition of ethynylmagnesium bromide to the neopentyl aldehyde **17**.

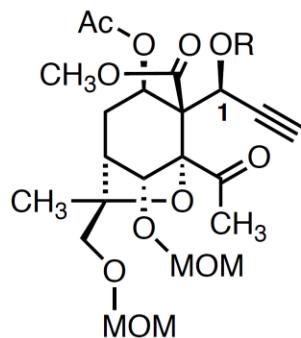
Table S2. Evaluation of nucleophiles in the addition to the neopentyl aldehyde **17**.



| entry | conditions | results |
|-------|---|---|
| 1 | $\not\equiv$ MgBr | no reaction, 17 was recovered |
| 2 | $\not\equiv$ MgBr, LaCl ₃ •2LiCl | no reaction, 17 was recovered |
| 3 | $\not\equiv$ Li | no reaction, 17 was recovered |
| 4 | $\not\equiv$ Li, CeCl ₃ | no reaction, 17 was recovered |
| 5 | \equiv MgBr | no reaction, 17 was recovered |
| 6 | \equiv MgBr, LaCl ₃ •2LiCl | 94%, >20:1 dr |
| 7 | TMSCN, Et ₃ N | 60%, 3:1 dr, not separable ¹ |



Mitsunobu reaction
see inset 1



inset 1:

conditions

result

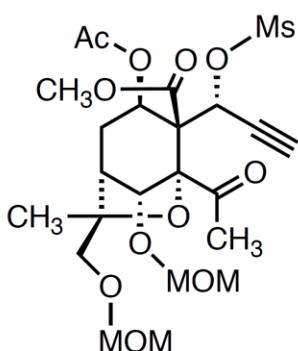
DEAD, PPh₃, 4-nitrobenzoic acid

no reaction

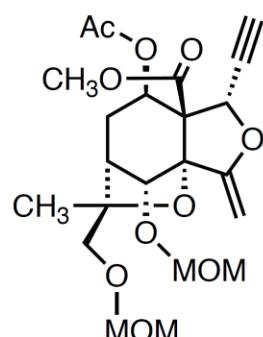
DEAD, (CH₃)₃P, chloroacetic acid

no reaction

MsCl, Et₃N
50%



see inset 2



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inset 2:

conditions

result

LDA

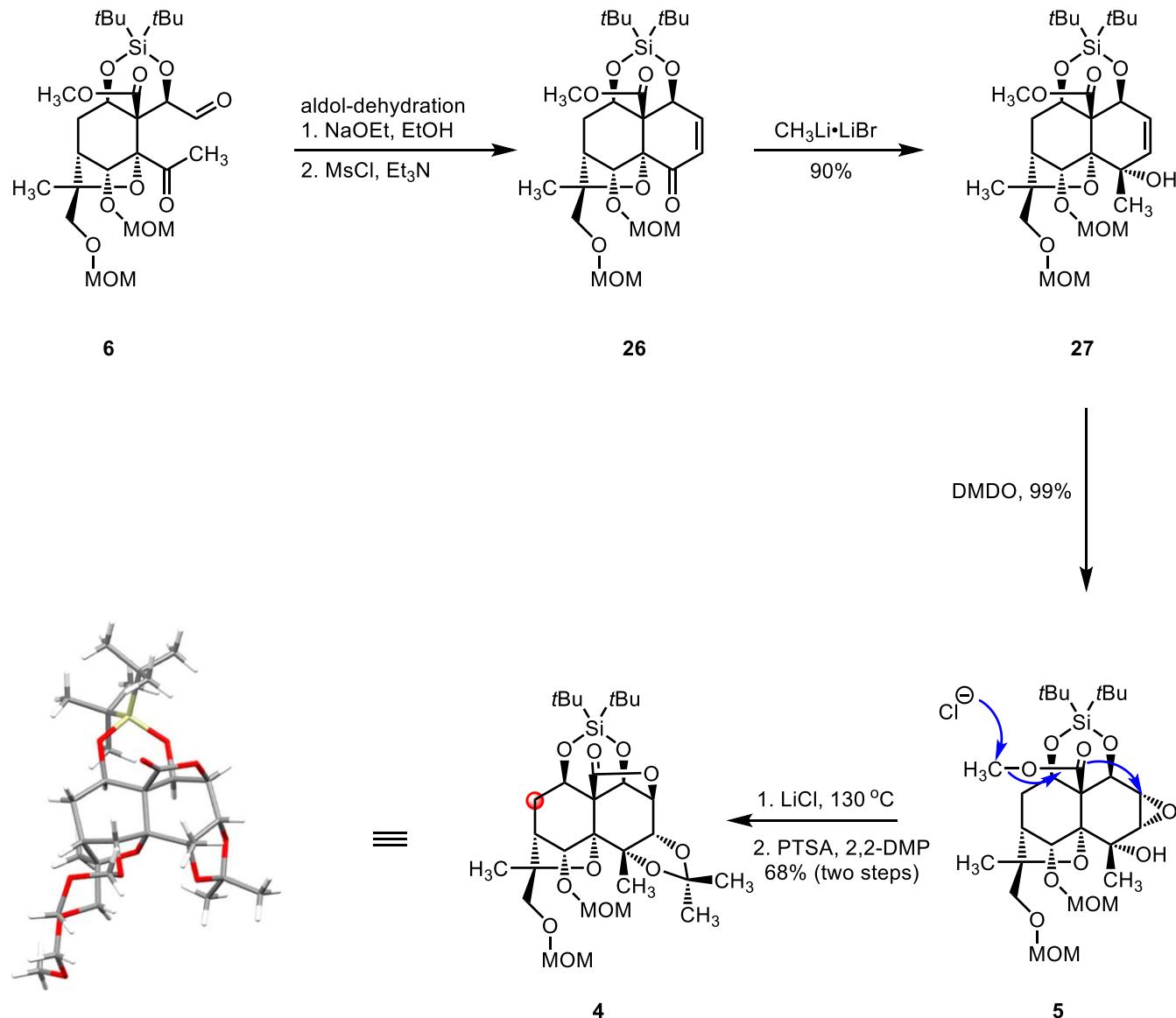
no reaction

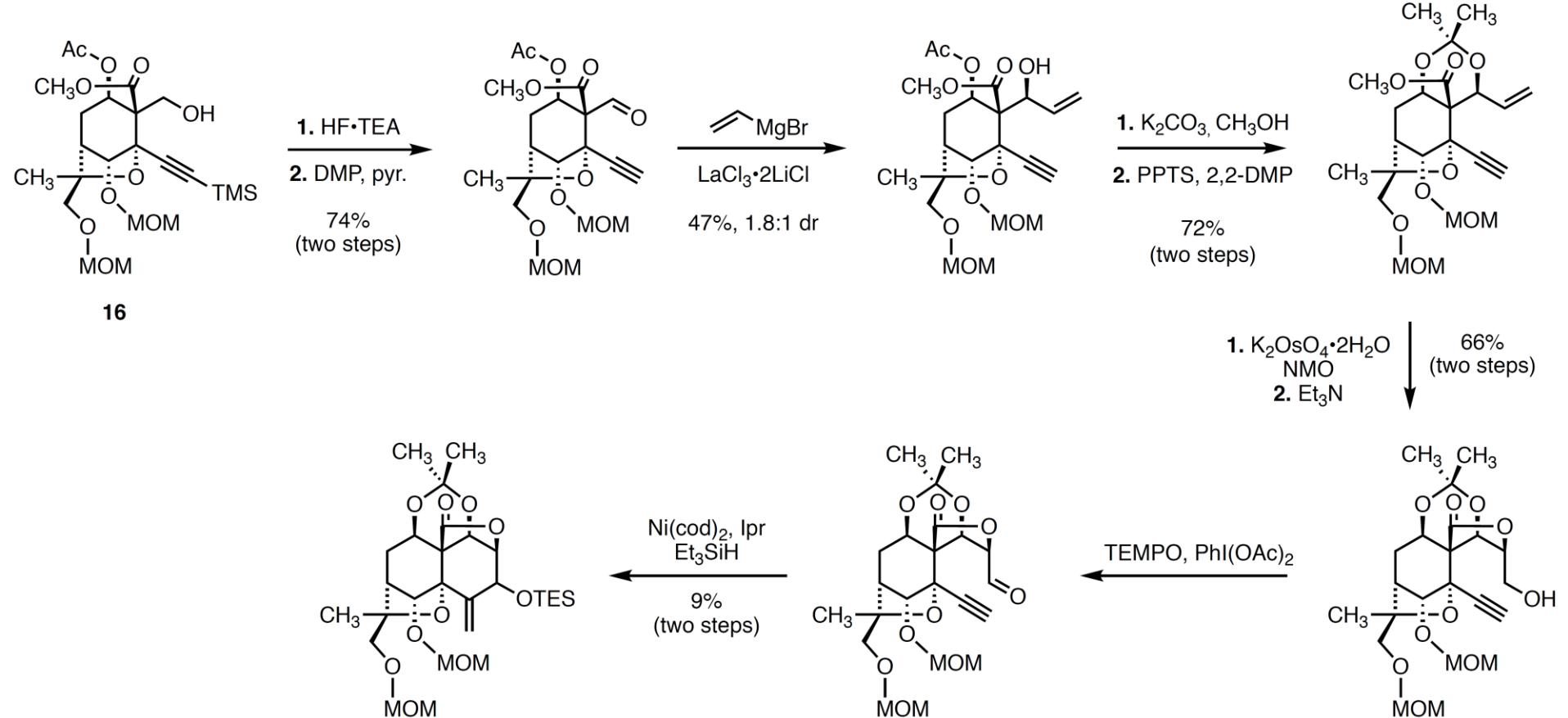
KHMDS

decomposition

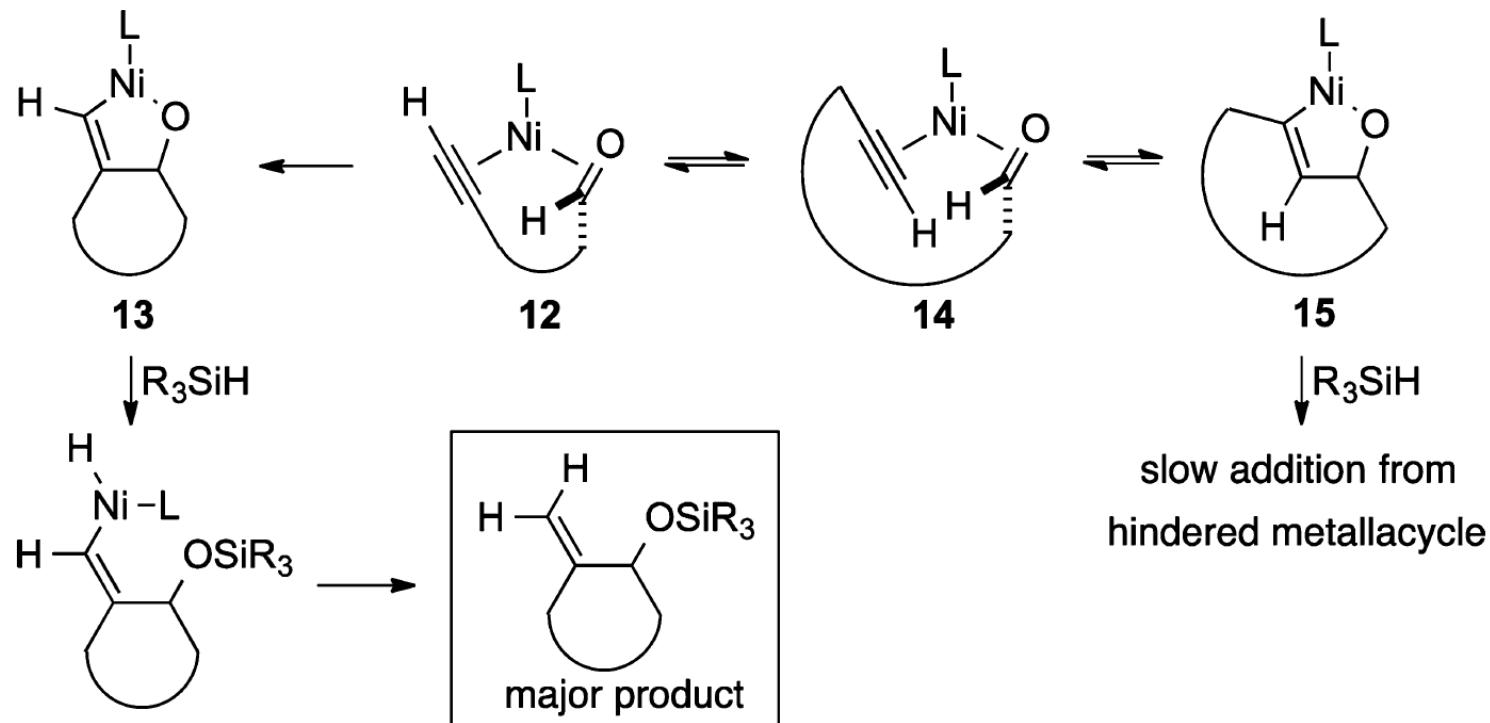
DBU

loss of Ms group





Scheme 5. Mechanistic Rationale



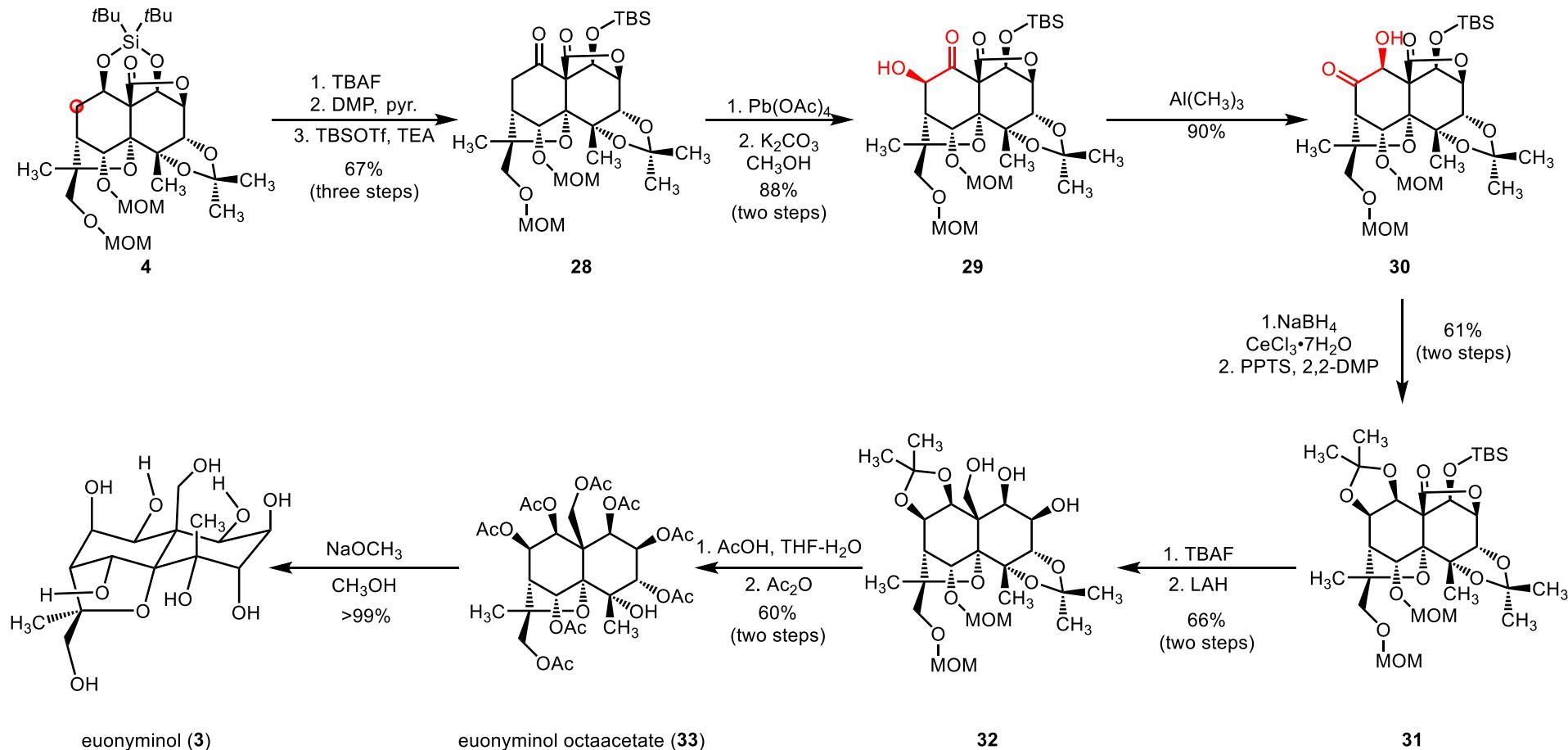
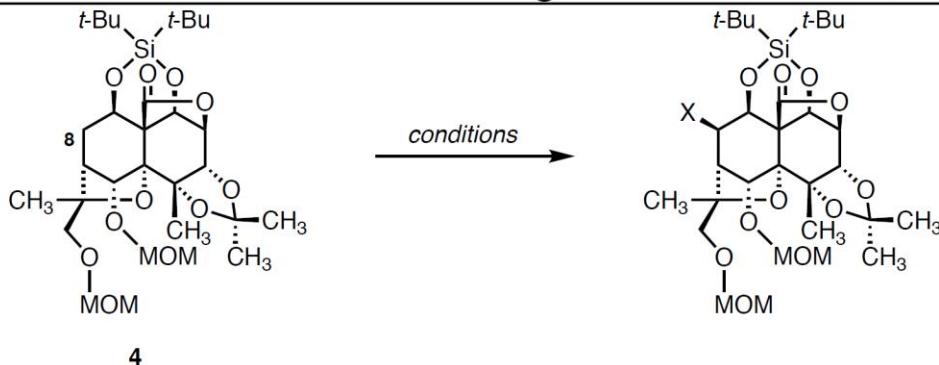


Table S4. Evaluation of conditions for the late-stage C8 oxidation of lactone **4**.



| entry | conditions | results |
|-------|---|---|
| 1 | Fe(<i>S,S</i> -PDP), H ₂ O ₂ | oxidation of the 1° MOM group resulted in decomposition |
| 2 | Fe(<i>R,R</i> -PDP), H ₂ O ₂ | oxidation of the 1° MOM group resulted in decomposition |
| 3 | TFDO | complex mixture |
| 4 | DMDO | no reaction, 4 was recovered |
| 5 | , blue LED | no reaction, 4 was recovered |
| 6 | , visible light | no reaction, 4 was recovered |