

Interrupted Nazarov Cyclization on Silica Gel

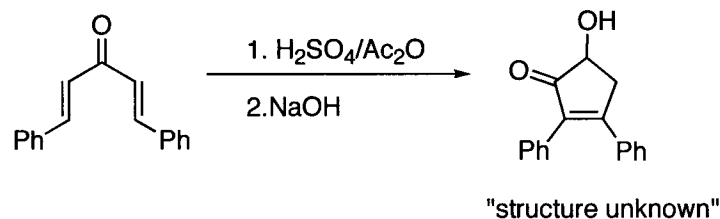
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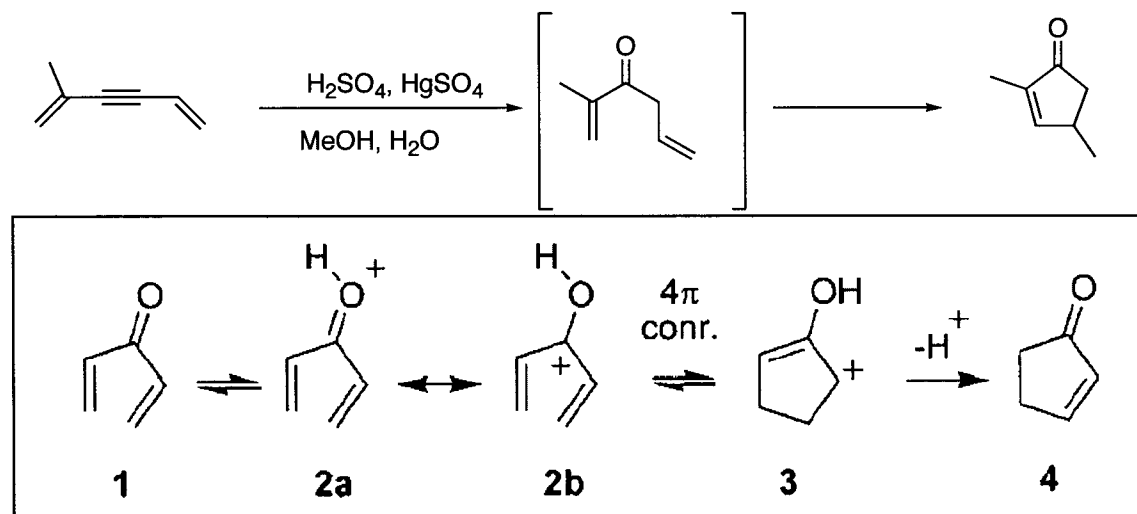
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Nazarov Cyclization

Vorlander & Schroeter (1903)



Nazarov (1940-1950s)



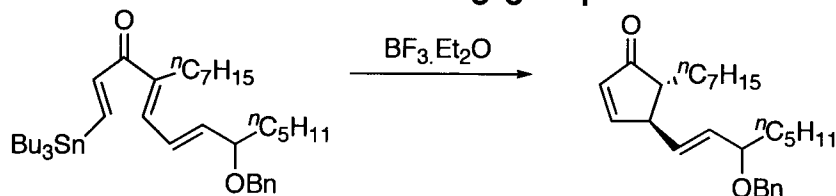
Initiation occurs with protic or Lewis acids
Under *hν*, ring closure is disrotatory

Opportunity for bond forming rxns

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Control the location of the α,β -unsaturation in the termination step

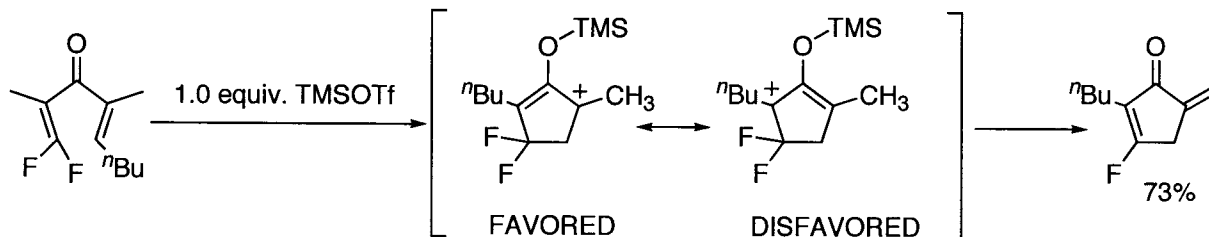
- Stable carbocation leaving groups



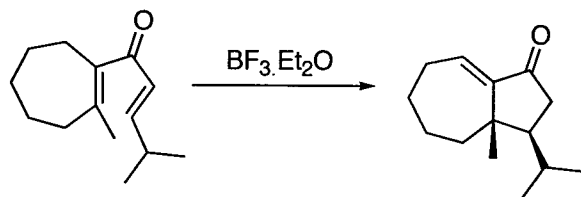
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Analogously with TMS group

- Stability of Carbocation



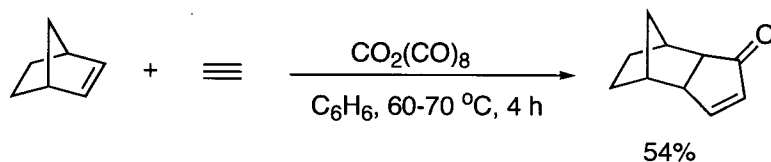
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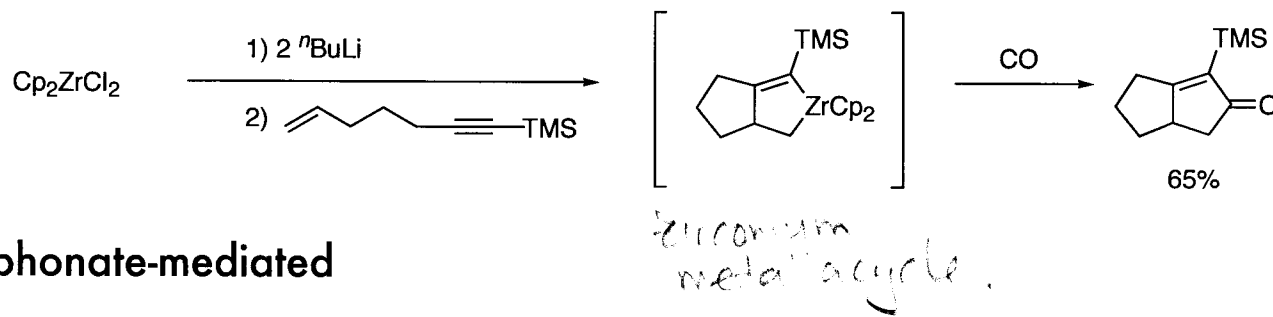
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Synthesis of Cyclopentenones

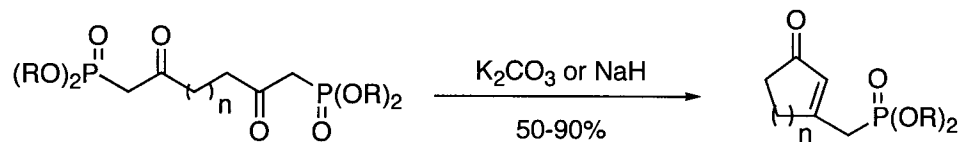
Pauson-Khand



Zirconium-promoted bicyclization



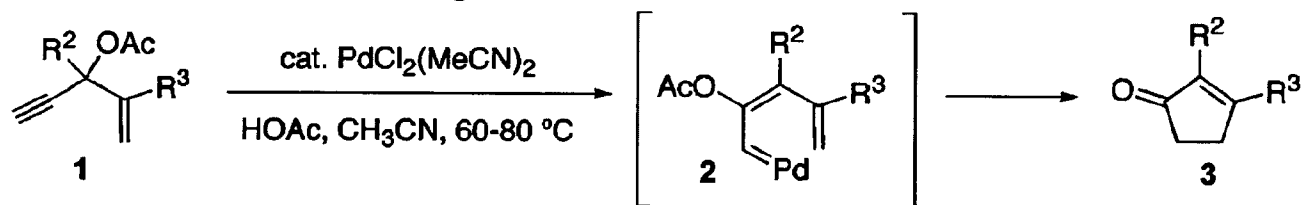
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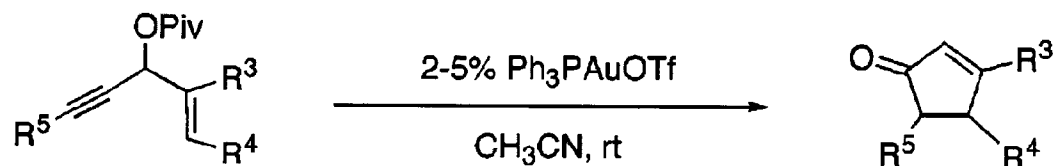
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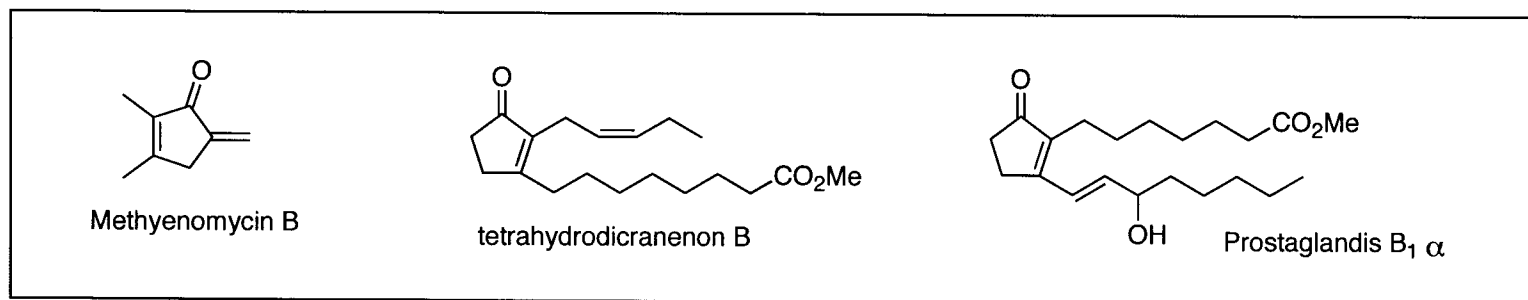
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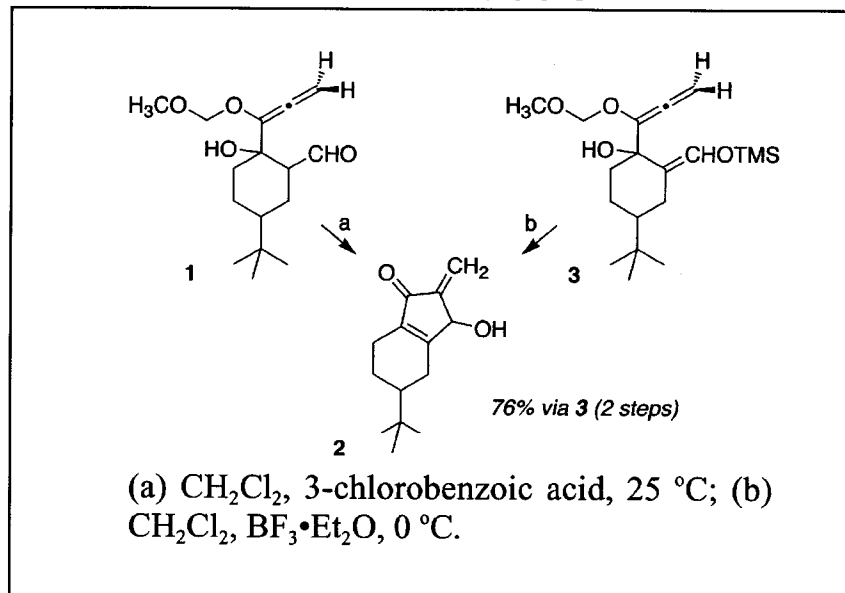


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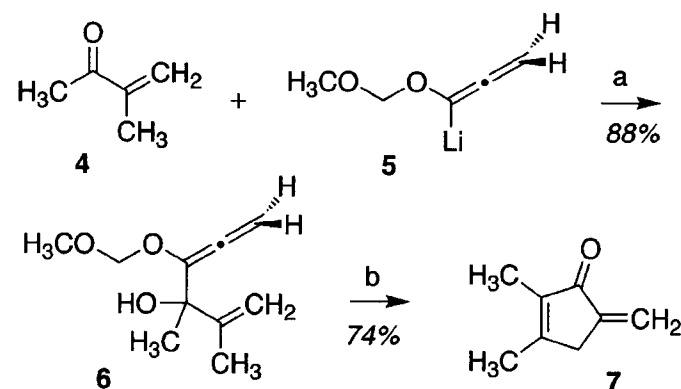


Nazarov- allene ethers

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Cyclization of a 3° alcohol

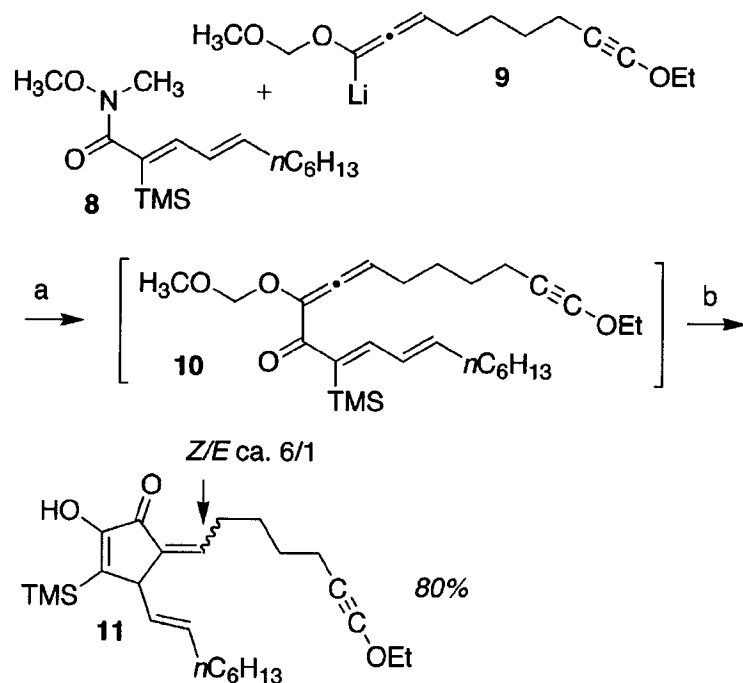


(a) 4 equiv **5**, THF, Et_2O , -78 °C; 88%; (b) 3 equiv TFAA, 5 equiv 2,6-lutidine, CH_2Cl_2 , -20 °C; 74%.

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Nazarov- allene ethers

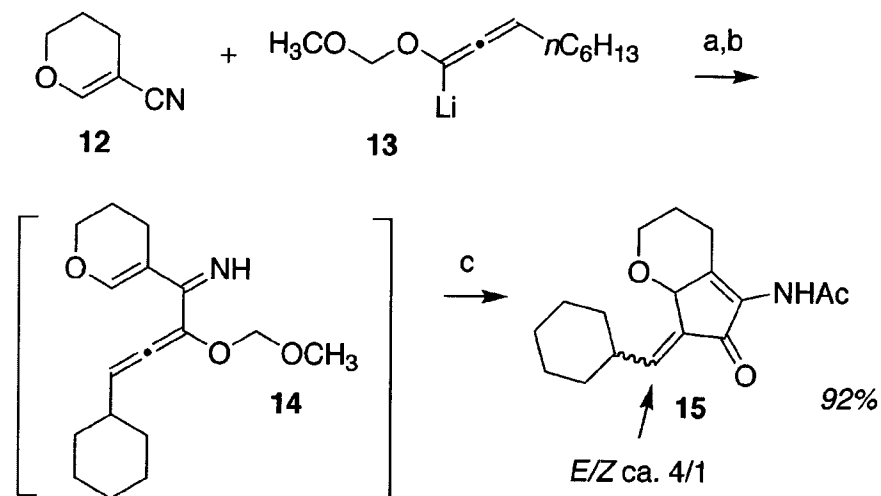
Allenyl ketones



(a) THF, Et₂O, -78 °C; (b) aq NaH₂PO₄; 80%.

- Conditions are quite mild
- Kinetic preference for the z-isomer of the exocyclic bond

α,β- unsaturated nitrile

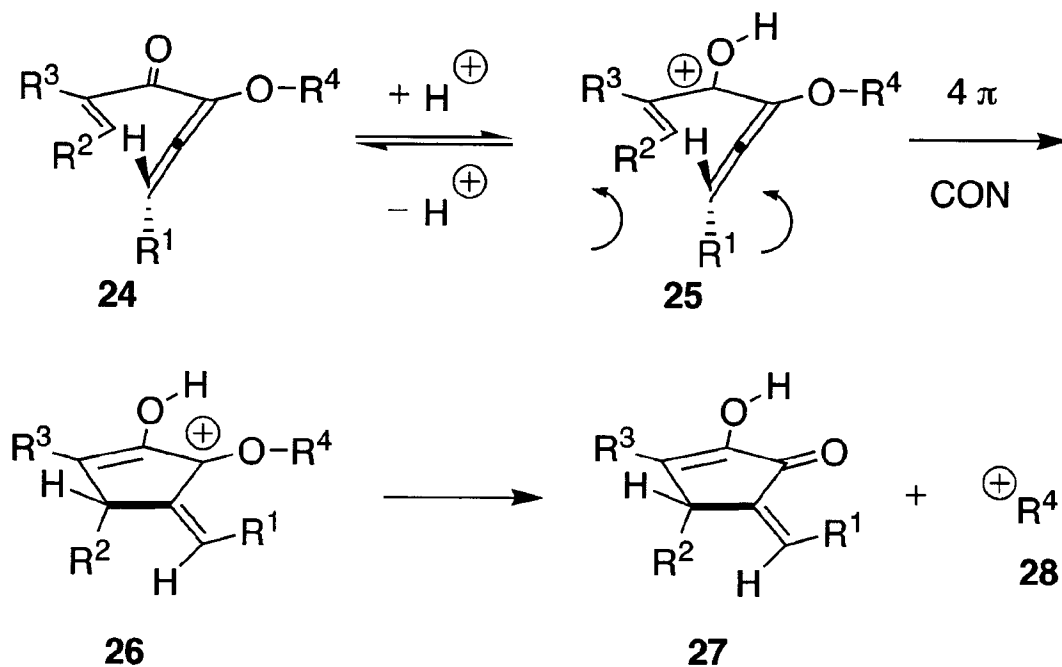


(a) THF, -78 °C; (b) aq (NH₄)H₂PO₄; (c) EtOAc, pyr, DMAP (cat.), Ac₂O; 92% (4/1 E/Z).

- First example of an imino-Nazarov cyclization
- Classical imino-Nazarov cyclizations are disfavored

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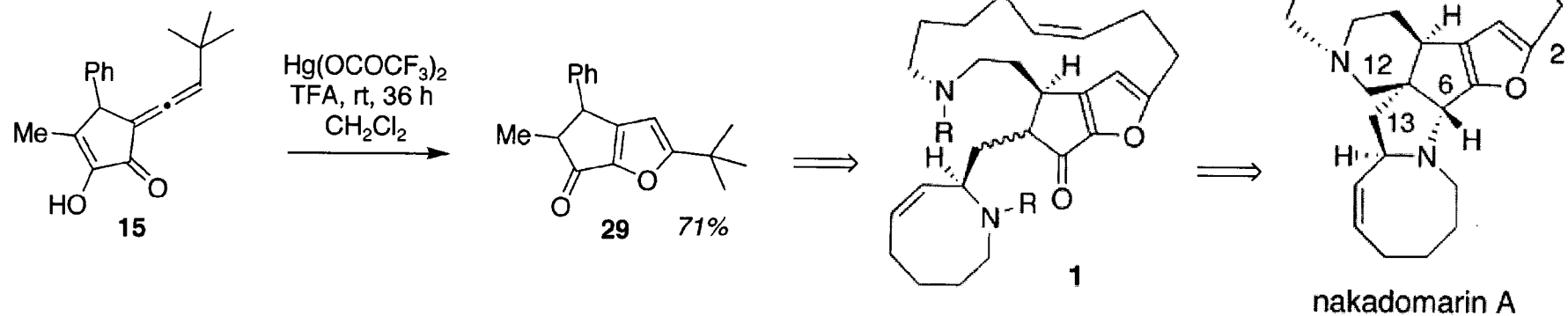
Mechanism



- Clockwise and counterclockwise rotation is allowed. But, preference is for counterclockwise due to sterics.
- preference of exocyclic bond for Z-geometry

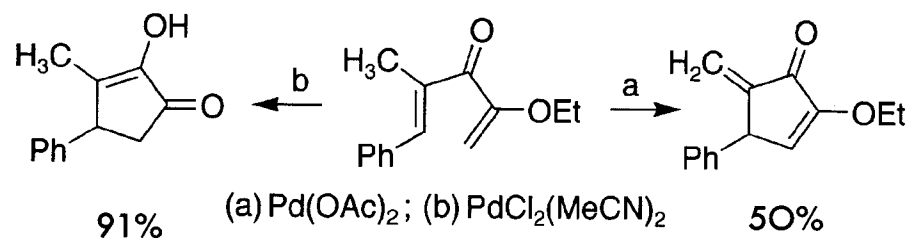
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α - Allenyl cyclopentenones



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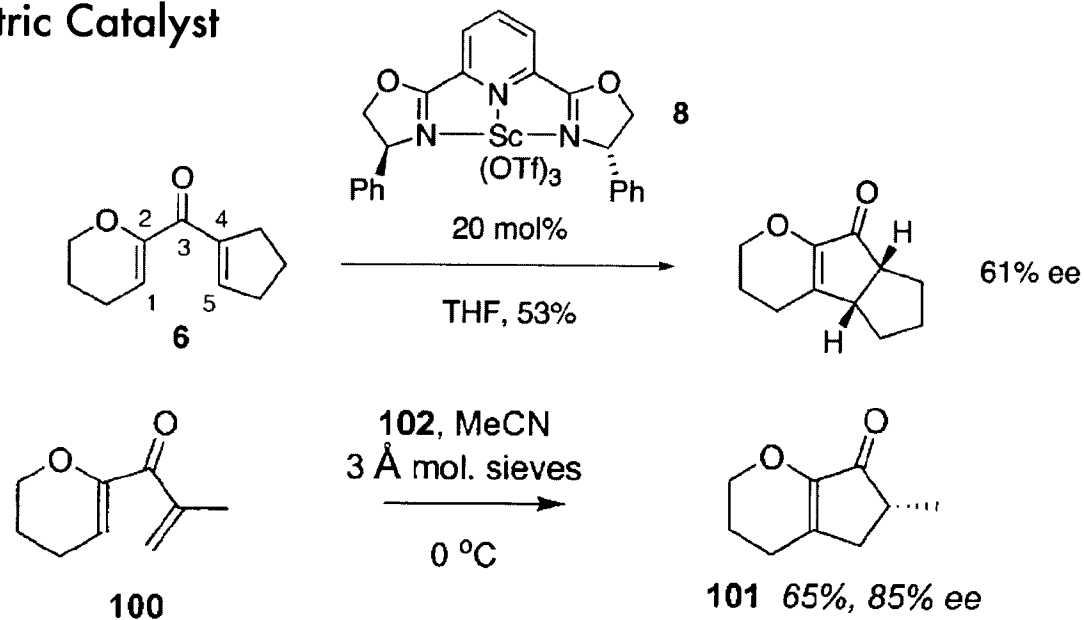
Pd(II)-catalyzed Nazarov



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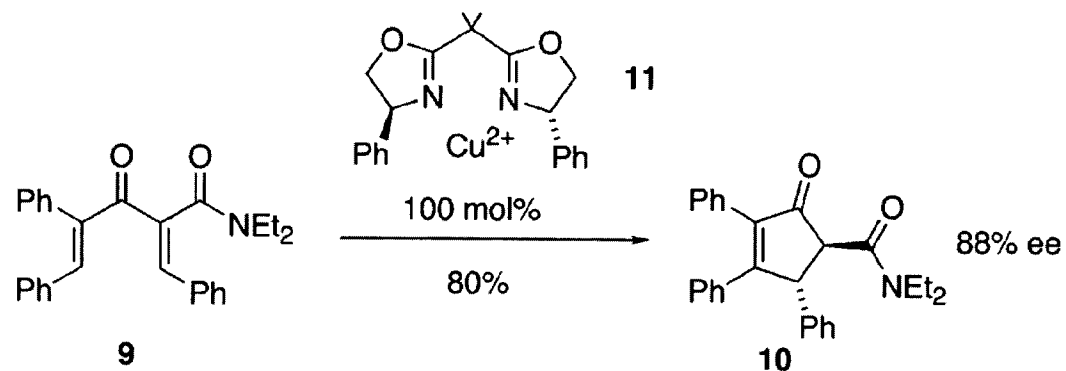
Asymmetric Nazarov cyclization

- Asymmetric Catalyst
D. Trauner



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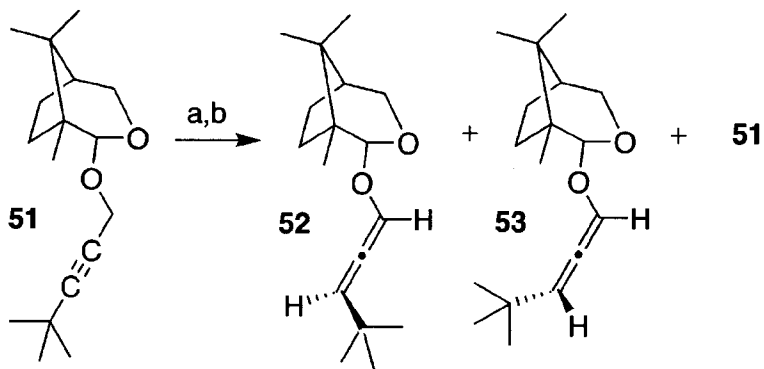


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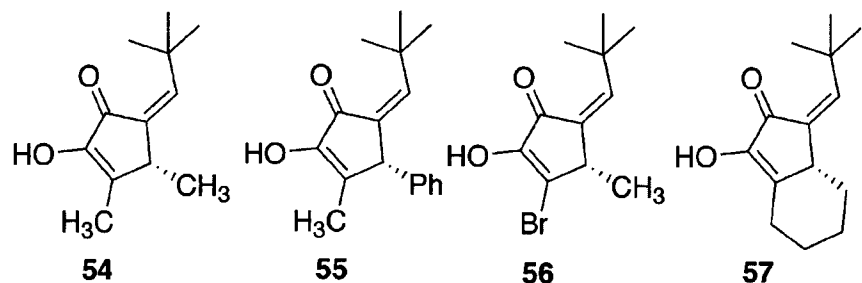
Asymmetric Nazarov cyclization

- Camphor-derived auxiliary

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(a) 2 equiv *t*-BuLi, -78 °C, 2 h; (b) *t*-BuO^tF 65% of **52**.

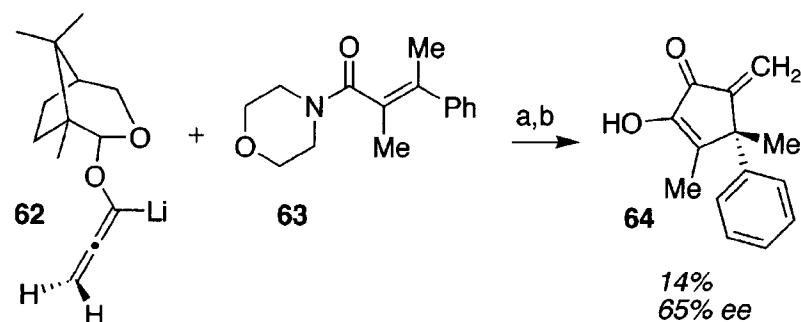


61% yield
92% ee

80% yield
96% ee

42% yield
93% ee

60% yield
92% ee



(a) THF, -78 °C; warm to -30 °C; 1 h; (b) HCl, HFIP/TFE (1/1), -78 °C.

Quat. Centers??

t-butyl group replaced with R₃Si

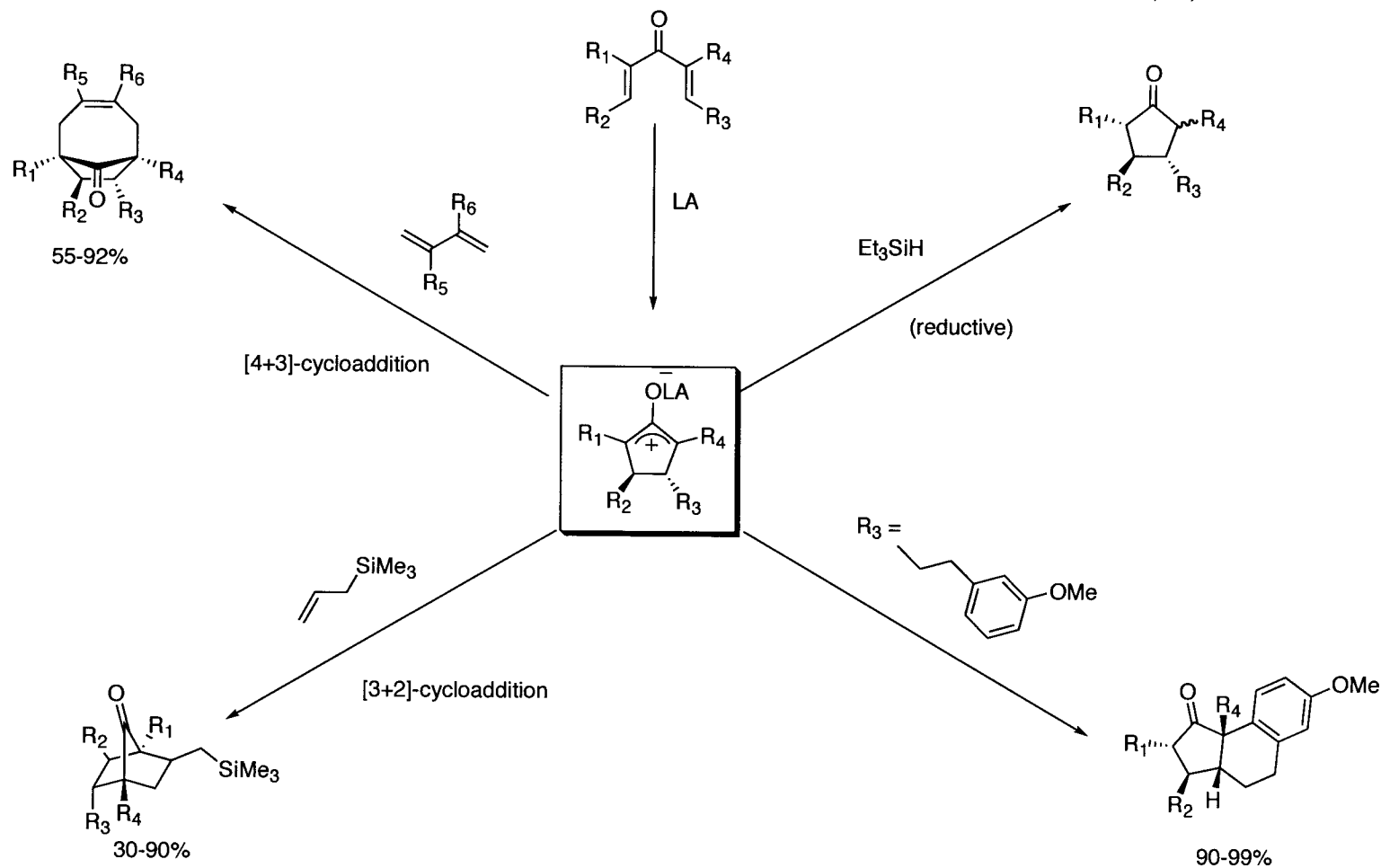
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Oxyallyl Trapping

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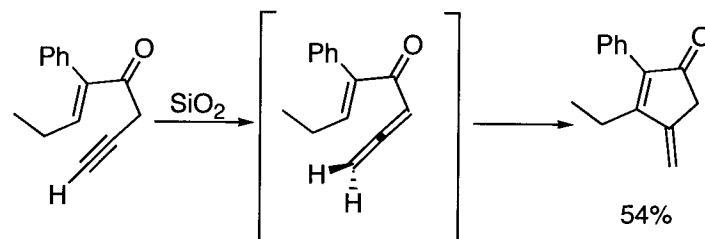
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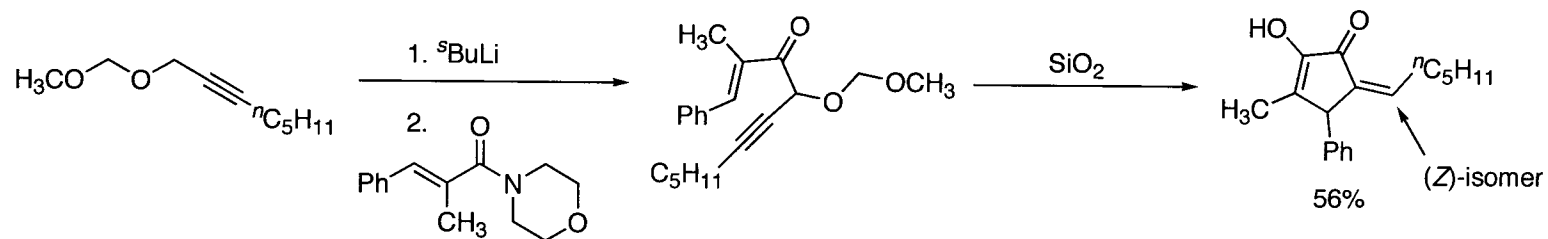
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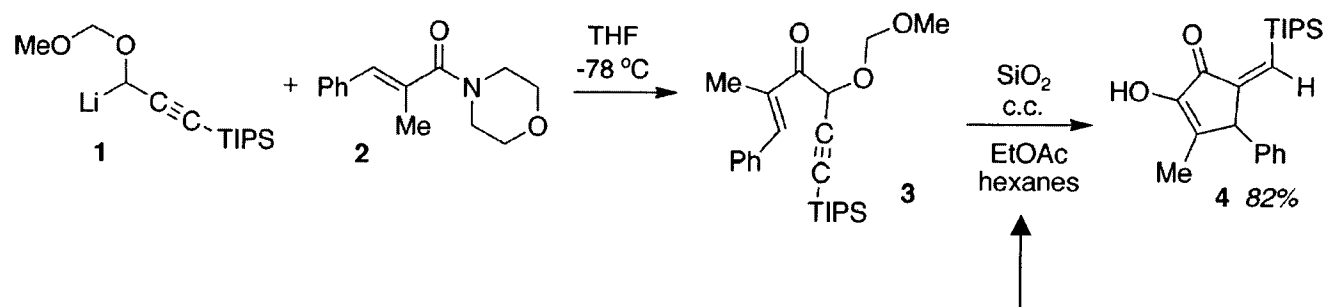


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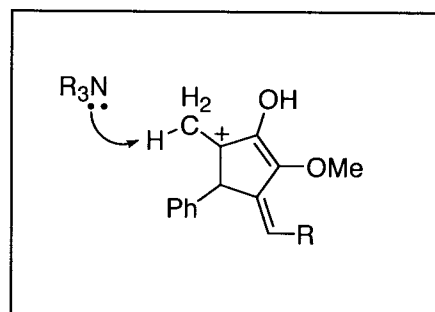
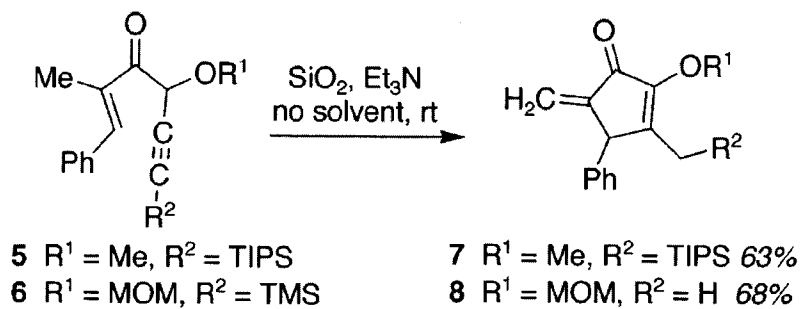
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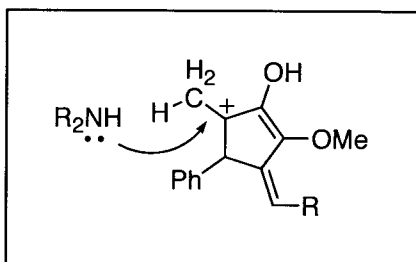


w/o solvent- no reaction

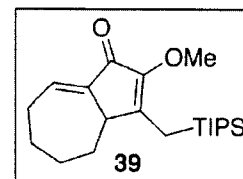
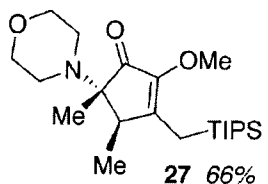
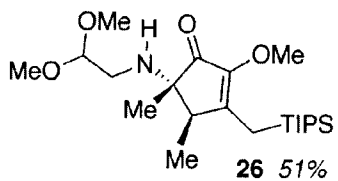
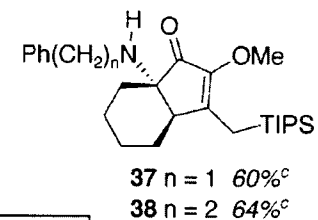
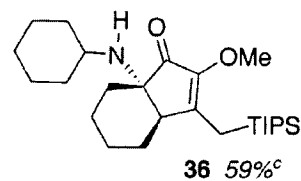
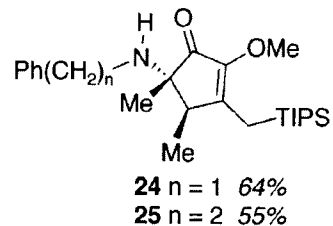
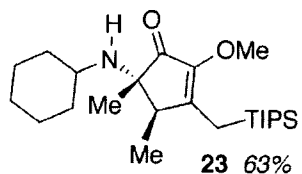
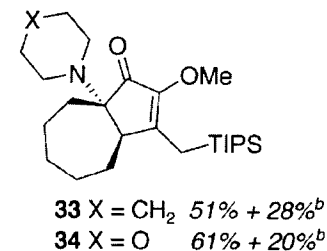
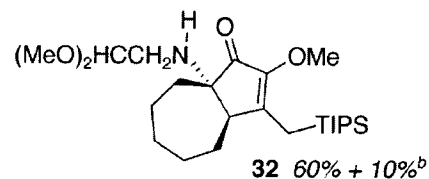
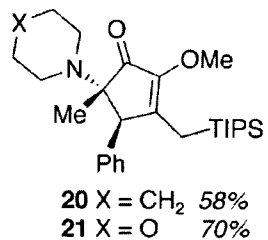
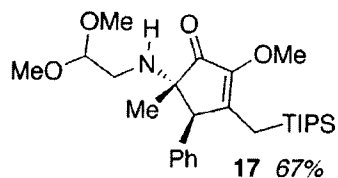
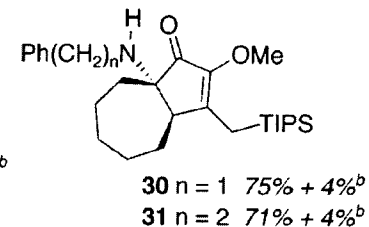
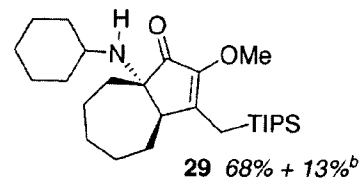
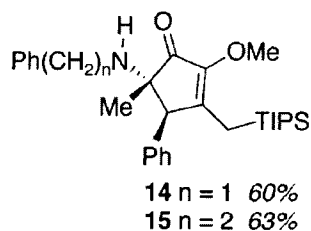
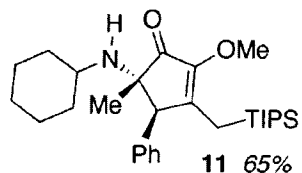
Solution:



Cyclization—dry SiO₂ w/Lewis acids
in the absence of solvent



Aminocyclopentenones



- 1° and 2° aliphatic amines
- Acetal tolerated

- Increase in sterics of α - substituent of the enone or of the amine result in some elimination

Summary:

- An economy and environmental friendly process using silical gel in the absence of solvent is presented for the Nazarov cyclization.
- The Interrupted Nazarov cyclization by an amine as the nucleophile gives rise to new cyclopentenone scaffolds.
- Avoids the preparation of allenes

Future Work:

- Broaden scope with diverse amines–aromatic
- Optimize conditions where proton loss occurs