

Synthesis of A Tethered Bis-oxazoline Ligand for Silver(I) Binding

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Outline

1. Silver and its ligands
2. Applications of ligands for silver: silver extraction and catalysis
3. Design and synthesis of Westiellamide analoges: 6 generations
4. Conclusion and future work

Silver

- A group 1B Metal
- Common oxidation state: Ag(I), Ag(II), Ag(III)
- Few catalytic applications in organic synthesis
 - Commonly acts as an oxidant or Lewis acid
 - A ligand is often required



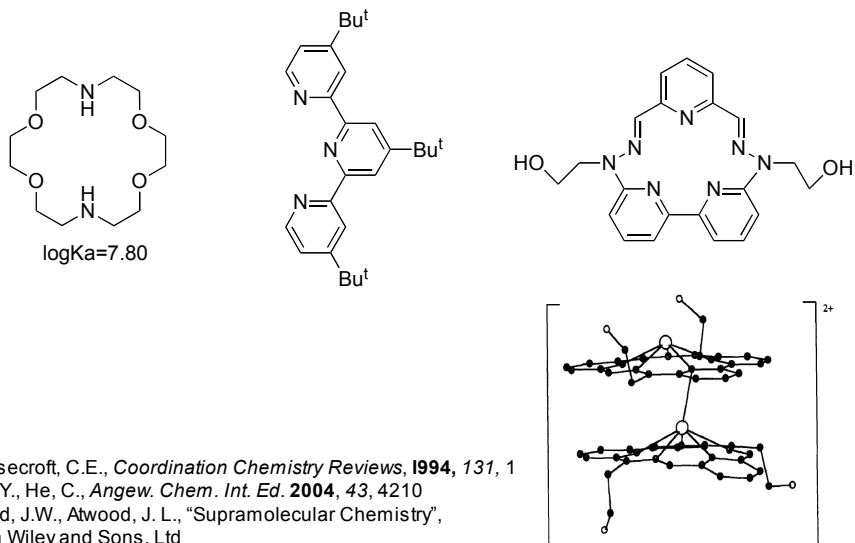
Ligands for Silver(I)

- Halide and pseudo-halide ligands:
Cl⁻, Br⁻, I⁻, SCN⁻, CN⁻
- Silver-carbon bonds:
Ag(CO){B(OTeF₅)₄}
- Oxygen donor ligands:
HOCH₂CO₂⁻, 18-crown-6 (logK_a=1.60)

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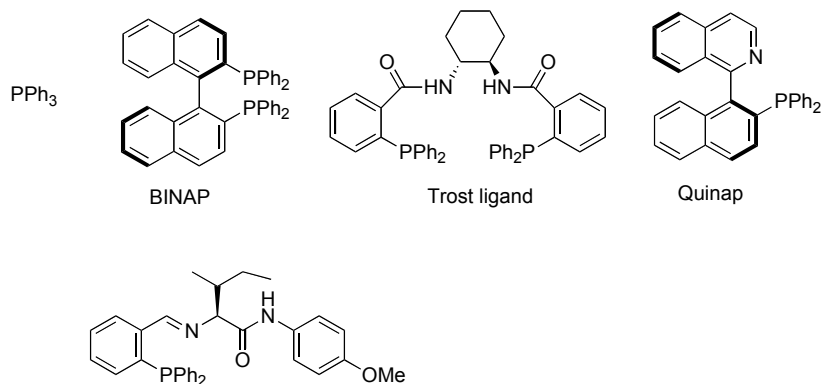
Ligands for Silver(I) – N Donors

- Nitrogen donor ligands



Ligands for Silver(I) – P Donors

- Phosphorous donor ligands

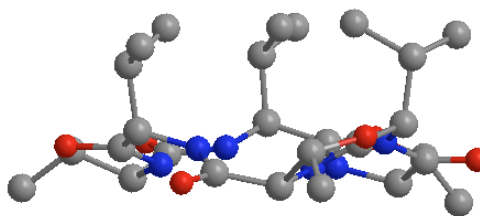
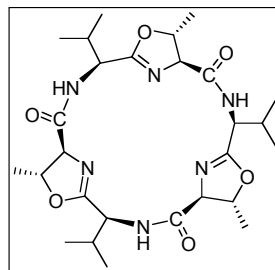


- Other ligands: sulfur, arsenic, selenium

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Westiellamide

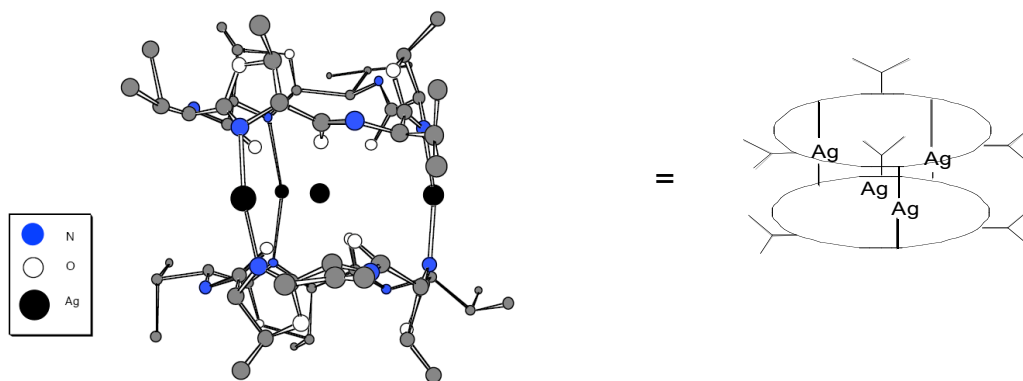
- A marine cytotoxin isolated from the ascidian *Lissoclinum bistratum*
- C-3 symmetry element in the molecule
- First total synthesis by Wipf group
- **Selective binding to Ag(I) ($K_a > 10^5$), forming a W_2Ag_4 complex**



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Crystal Structure of Westiellamide-Ag(I) Complex



- Features:
 - Multiple accessible Ag(I)s with low coordination number in an asymmetric environment (Bis-oxazolines)
 - Side chains adopt equatorial positions
 - Releases Ag(I)s at elevated temperature ($\sim 50^\circ\text{C}$)
- Potential applications: Ag extraction, Ag catalysts

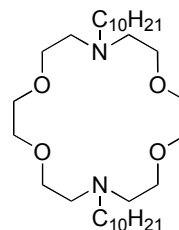
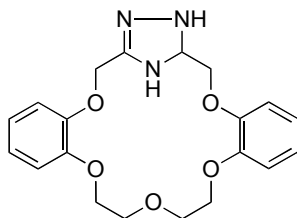
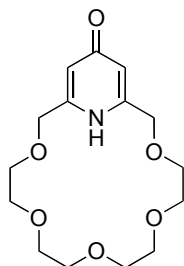
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Traditional Ag Extraction Techniques

- Silver Recovery: both economical and environmental friendly
- Common Ag recovery methods in film processing industry and their shortcomings:
 - Concentration of Ag in waste range from 5 mg/L to 12000 mg/L
 - For concentrated Ag waste:
 - Electrolytic recovery: large capital expenditure, percentage recovery <95%
 - metallic replacement: not reusable, percentage recovery <95%
 - For dilute Ag waste:
 - Chemical precipitation with Na₂S: handling of chemicals, H₂S formation
 - Ion exchange, reverse osmosis: Low selectivity

Extraction of Ag With Ligands

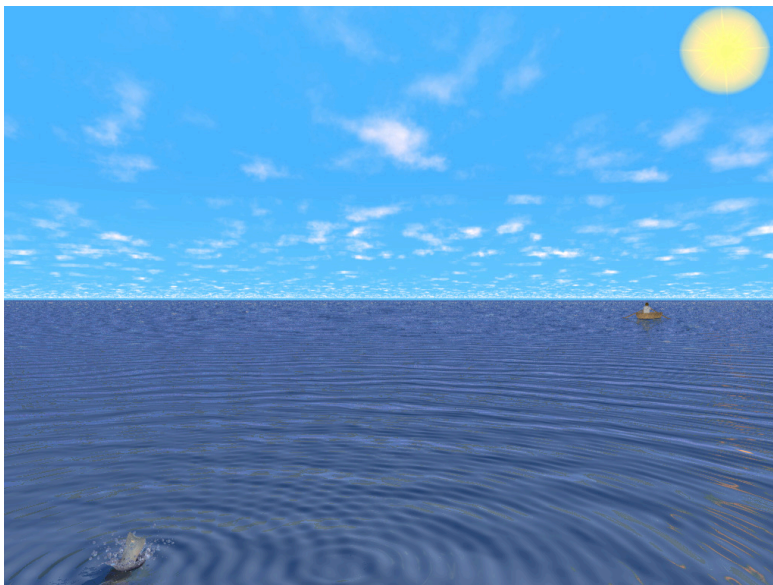
- Organophosphorous Ligands: tri-isobutylphosphine sulfide
- Macrocycles



- Drawbacks: selectivity, requires membranes for separation

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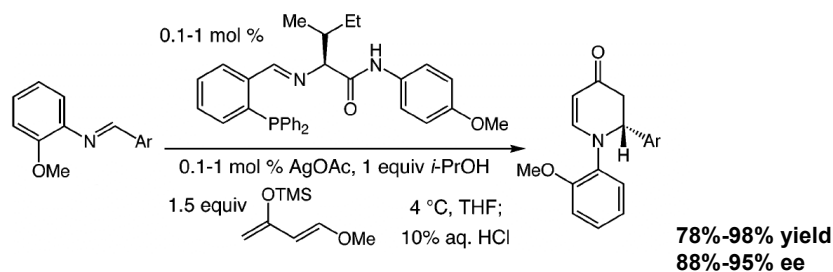
Extraction of Ag From Sea Water



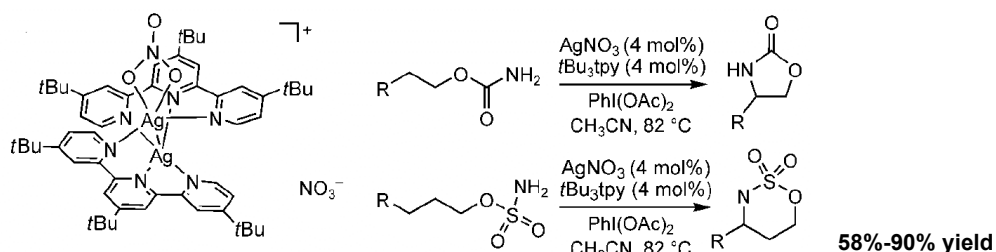
- Average Ag concentration 0.24 ug/L
- For westiellamide system ($W_{e_2}Ag_4$), $K_a \sim 10^{33} M^{-5}$ is required (10mM Ligand, 90% Ag bound)
- Recovery of the precious ligand

Ag-catalyzed Reactions

- Cycloaddition reaction

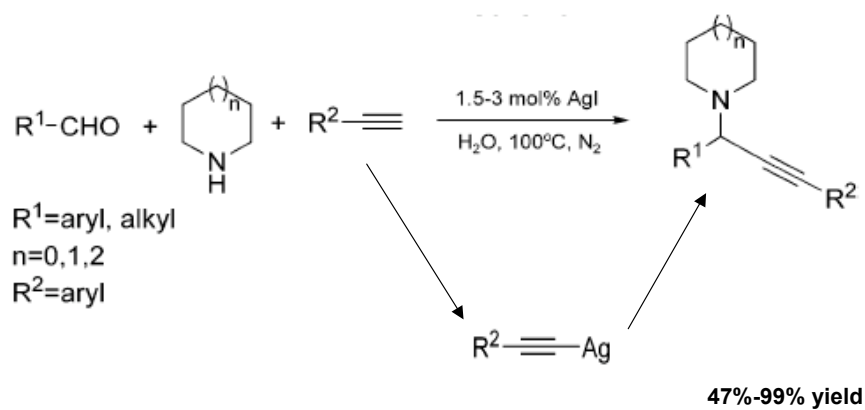


- Oxidative insertion to C-H bond



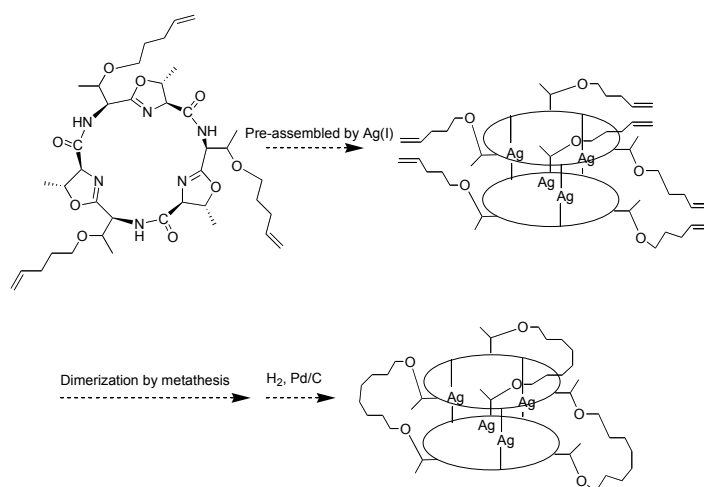
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Silver Catalyst in A “Transition Metal Sense”



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Design of A Westiellamide Analogue: Gen I

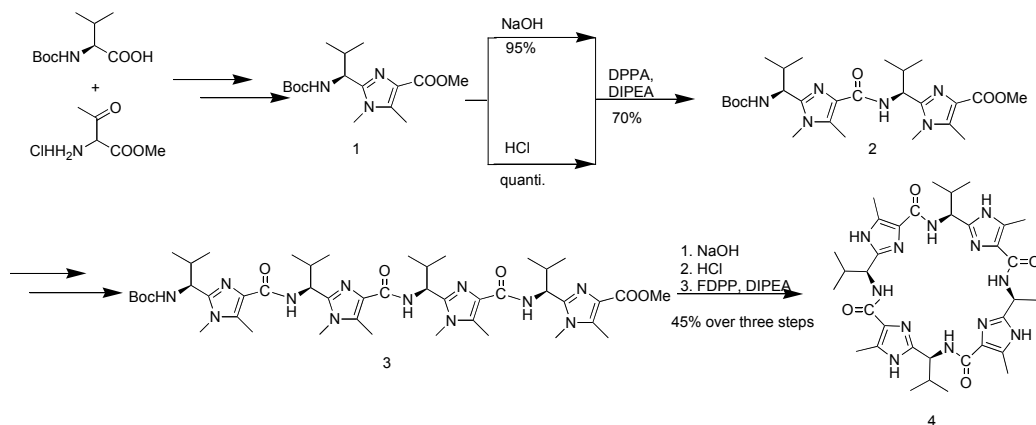


- Crosslinking reinforces Ag binding and allows attaching to a solid support

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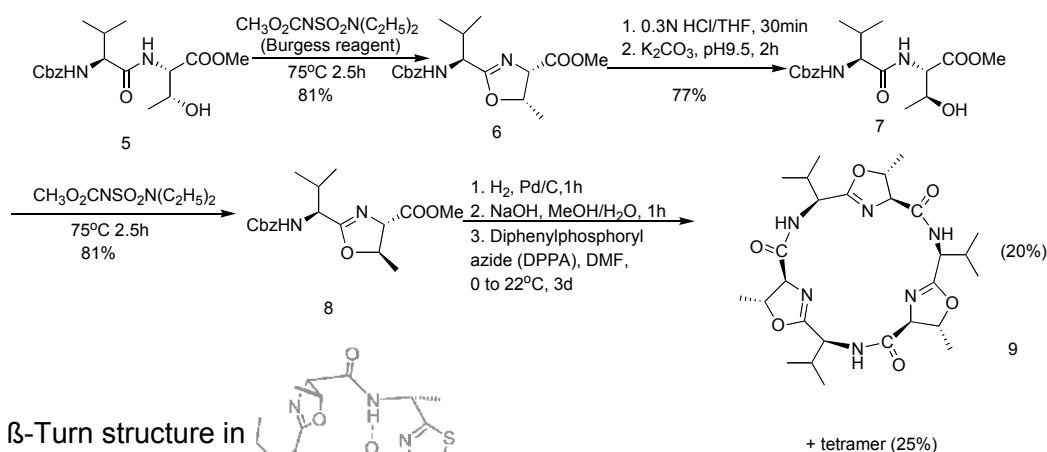
General Approaches to The Cyclic Peptide:

I. Linear Coupling Approach

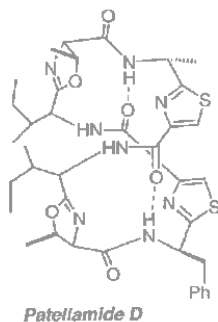


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II. Cyclooligomerization Approach: Total Synthesis of Westiellamide

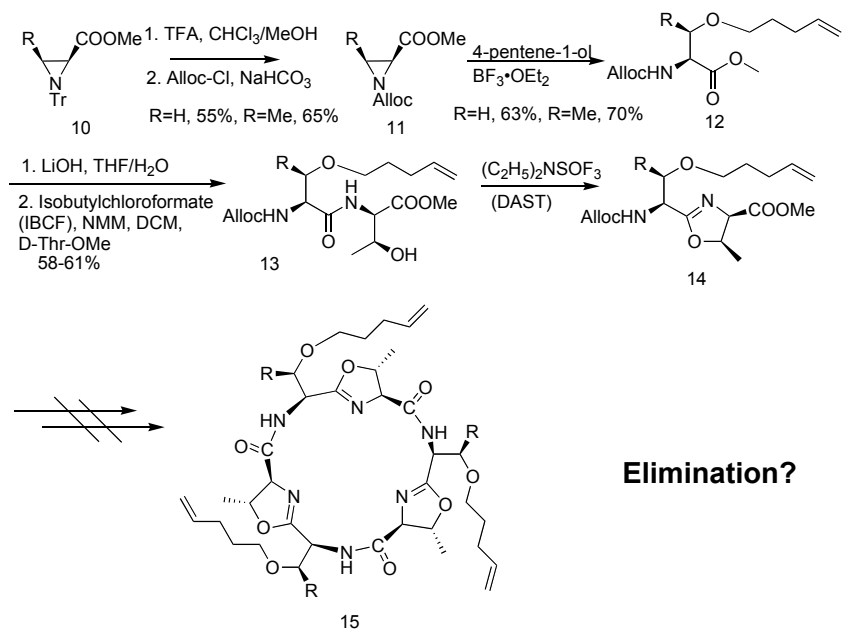


β -Turn structure in polyoxazoline facilitates cyclization:



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Work Done On The Gen I



Elimination?

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