

# THE FLIGHT OF THE (+)-DACTYLOLIDE

## N-HETEROCYCLIC CARBENE CATALYZED OXIDATIVE MACROLACTONIZATION: TOTAL SYNTHESIS OF (+)-DACTYLOLIDE

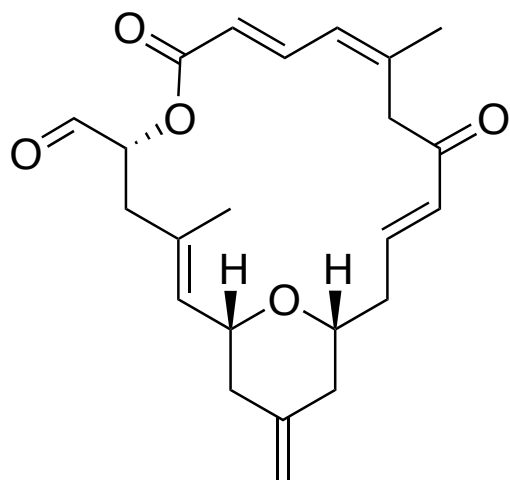


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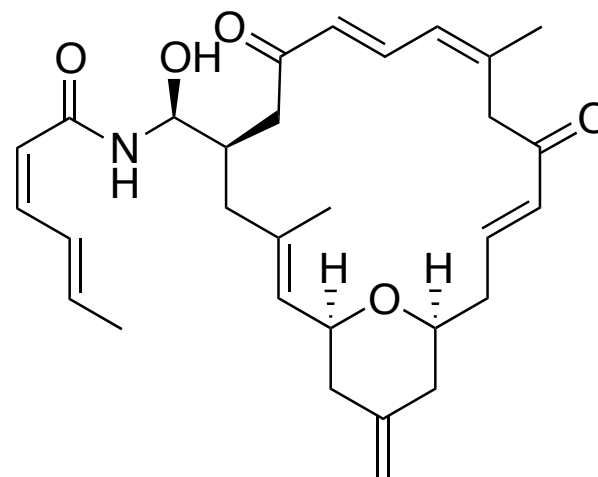
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Current Literature



(+)-Dactylolide



(-)-Zampanolide

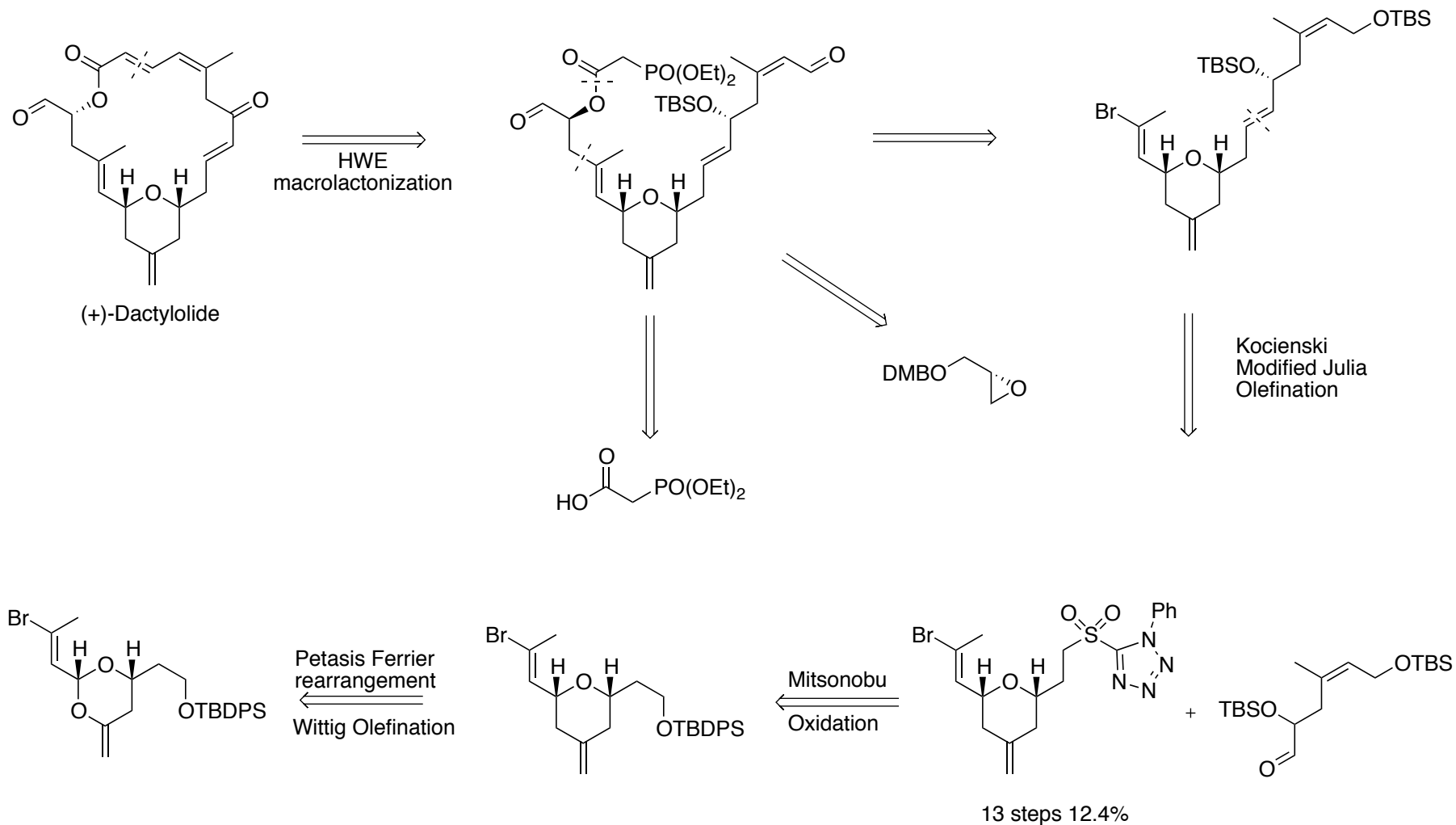
# Isolation

- Isolated from the Vanuatu sponge *Dactylospongia* by Riccio and co-workers
- Showed cytotoxic activity against the L1210 and SK-OV-3 tumor cell lines (63% and 40% inhibition at 3.2  $\mu\text{g}/\text{mL}$ ).
- Mechanism of action thought to be a microtubulin stabilizer

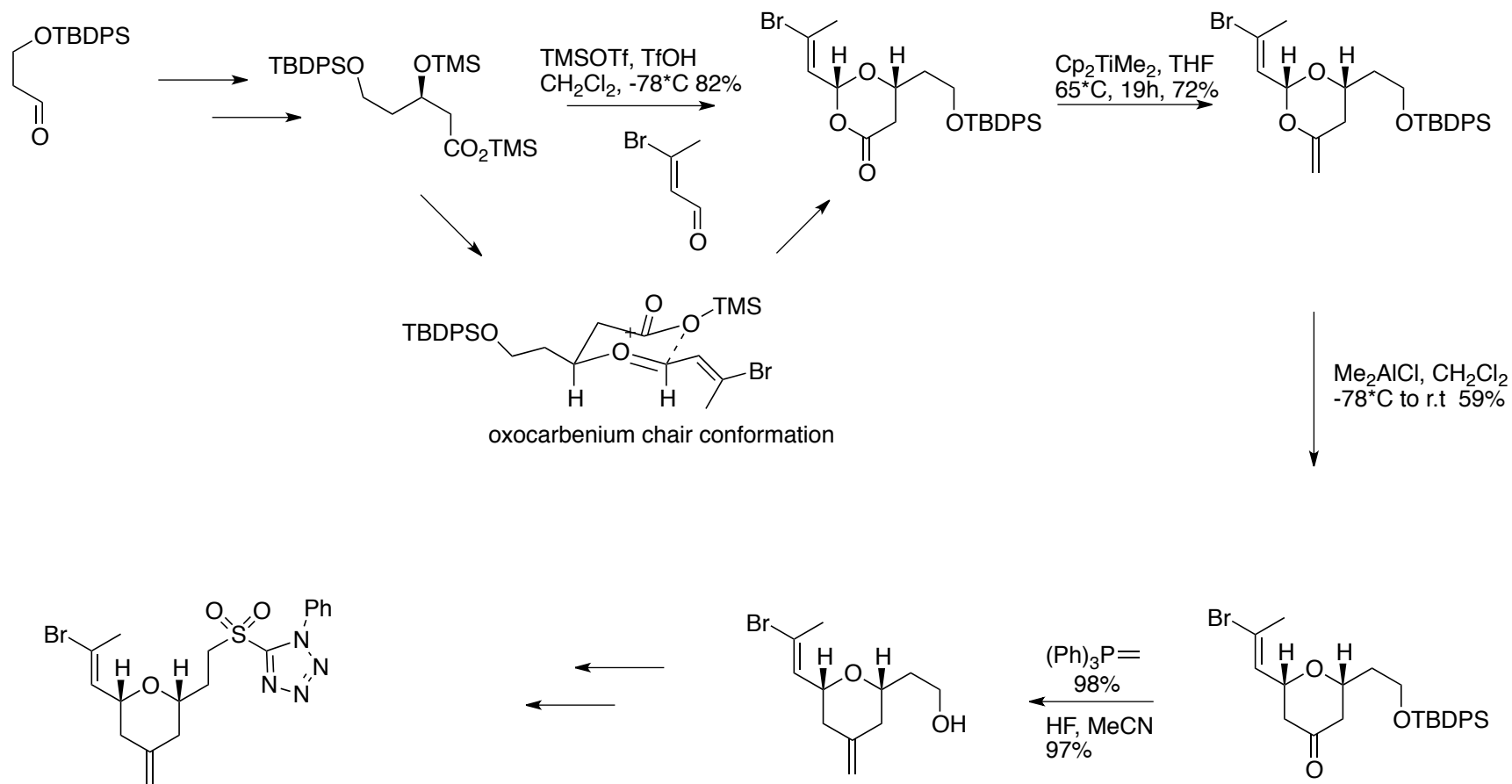


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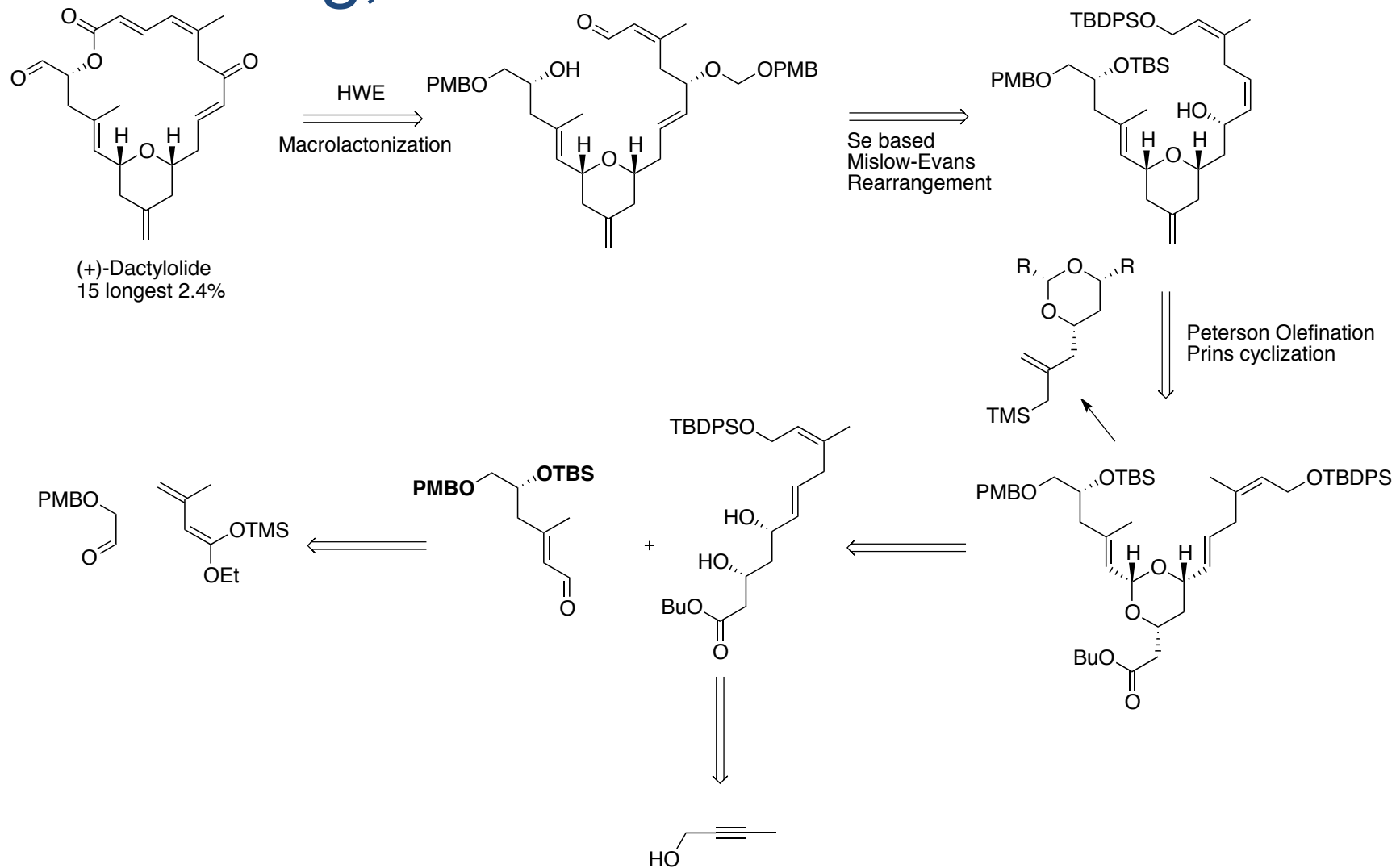
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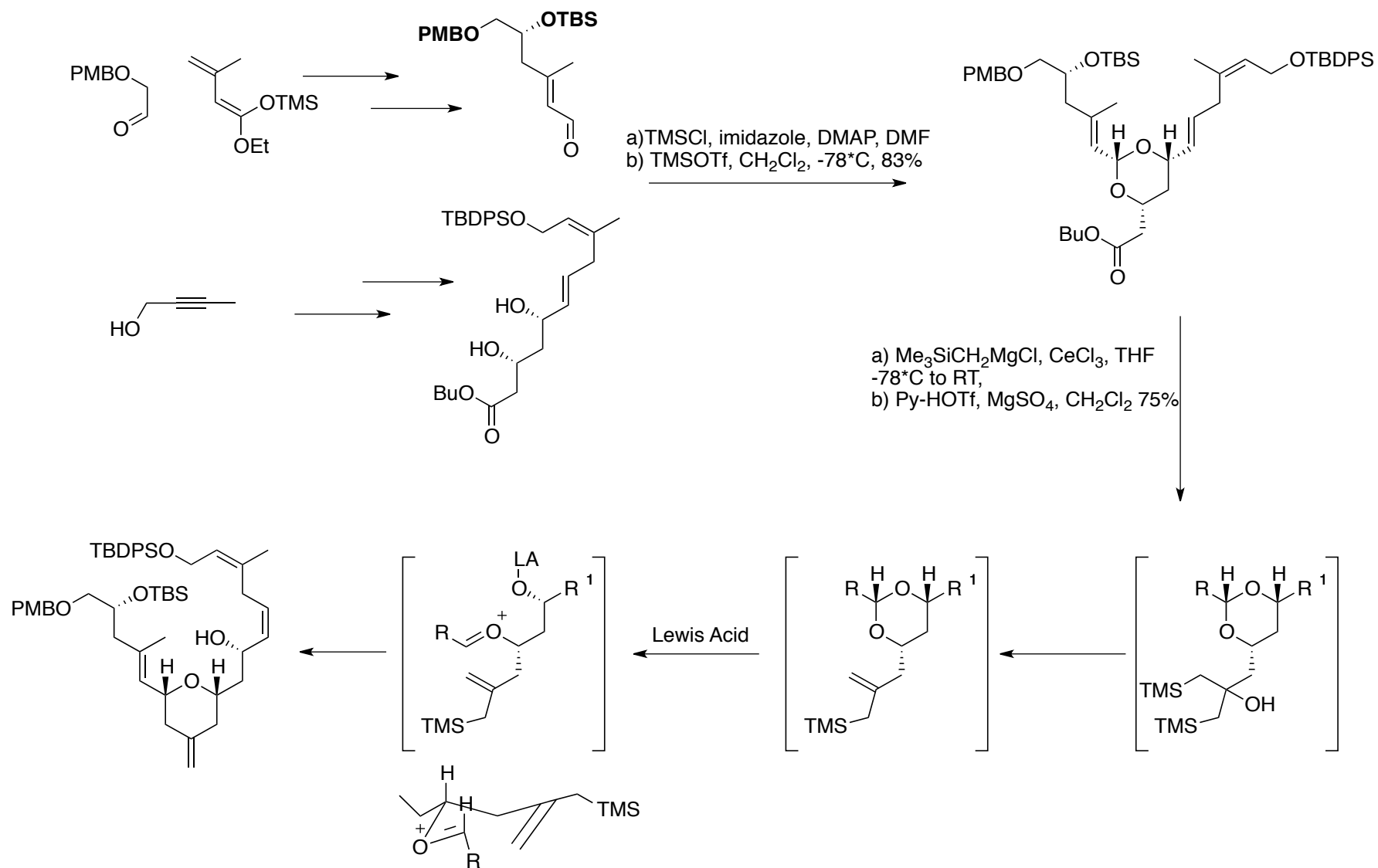
# Smith Tetrahydropyran Formation



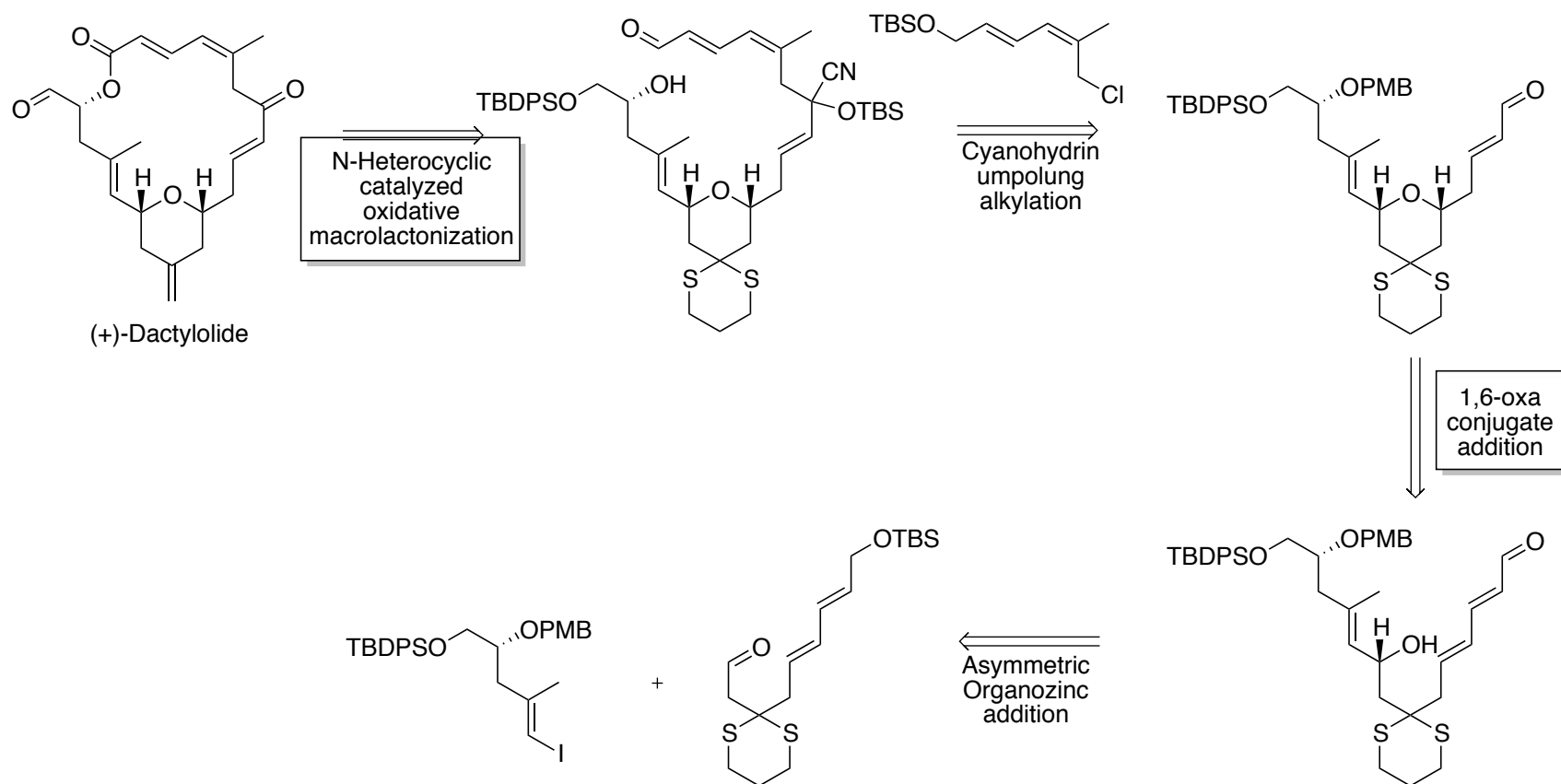
# Previous Synthesis Floreancig, et. al



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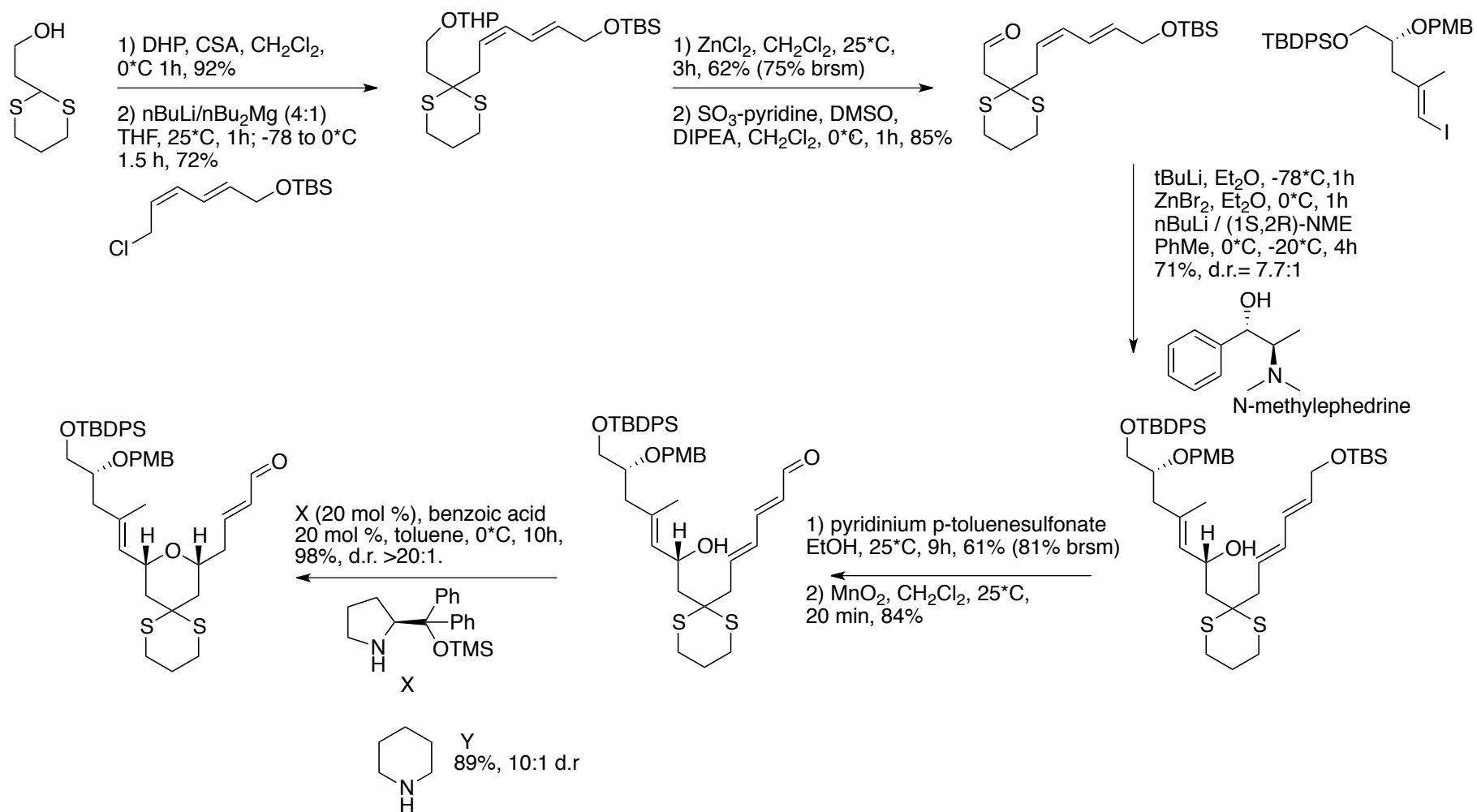


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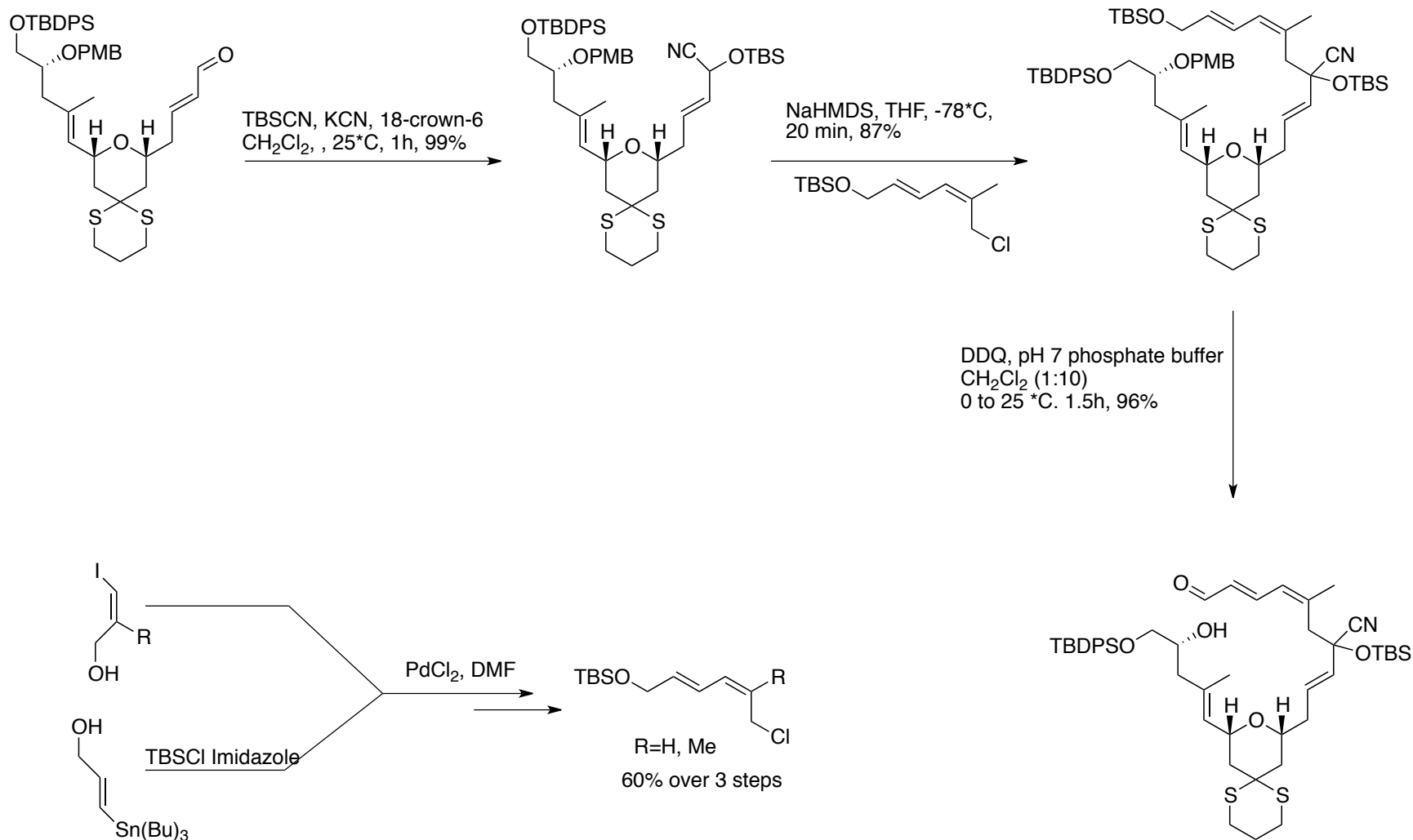




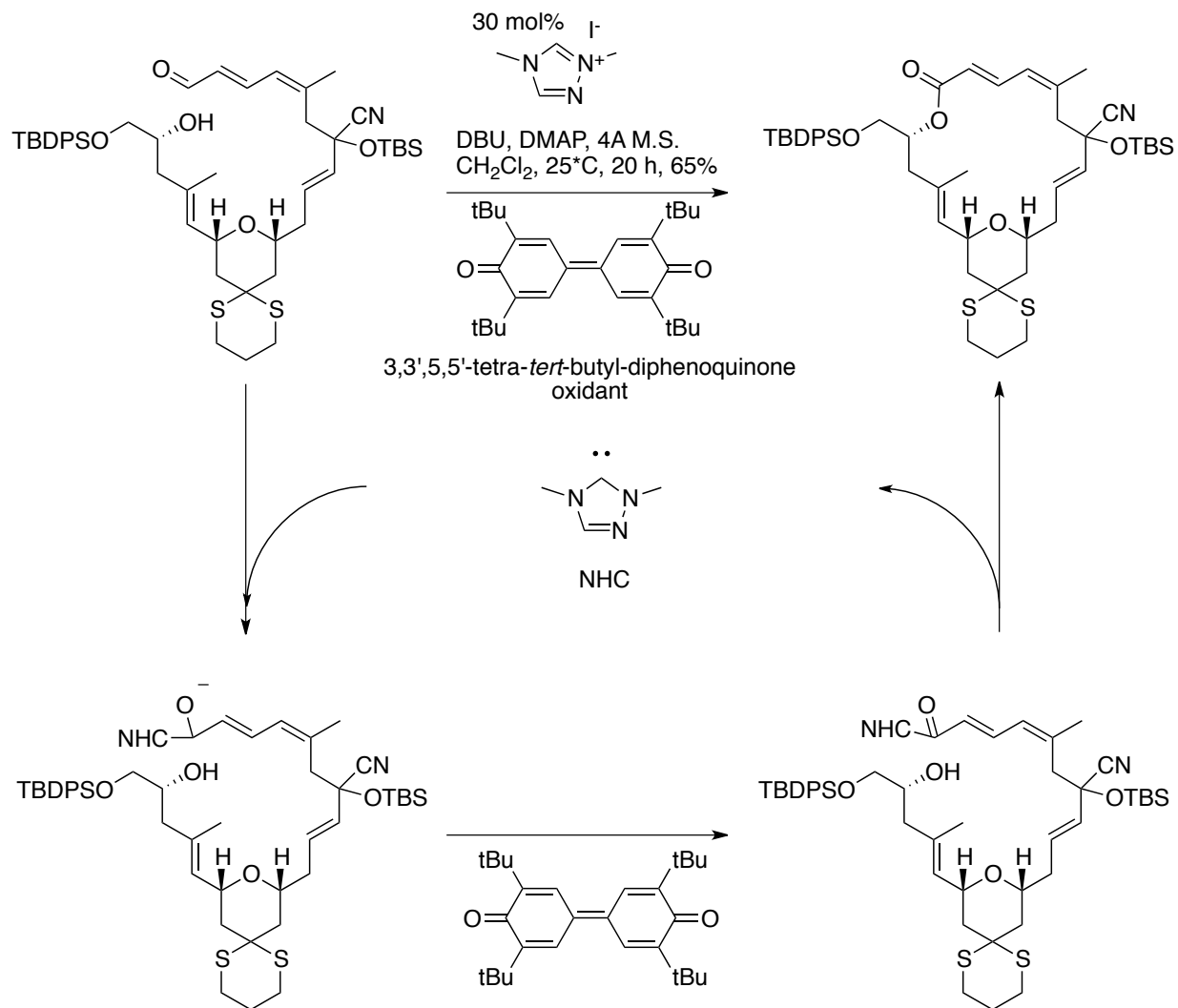
# Synthesis: 2,6-cis-2-(4-oxo-2-butenyl)tetrahydropyran



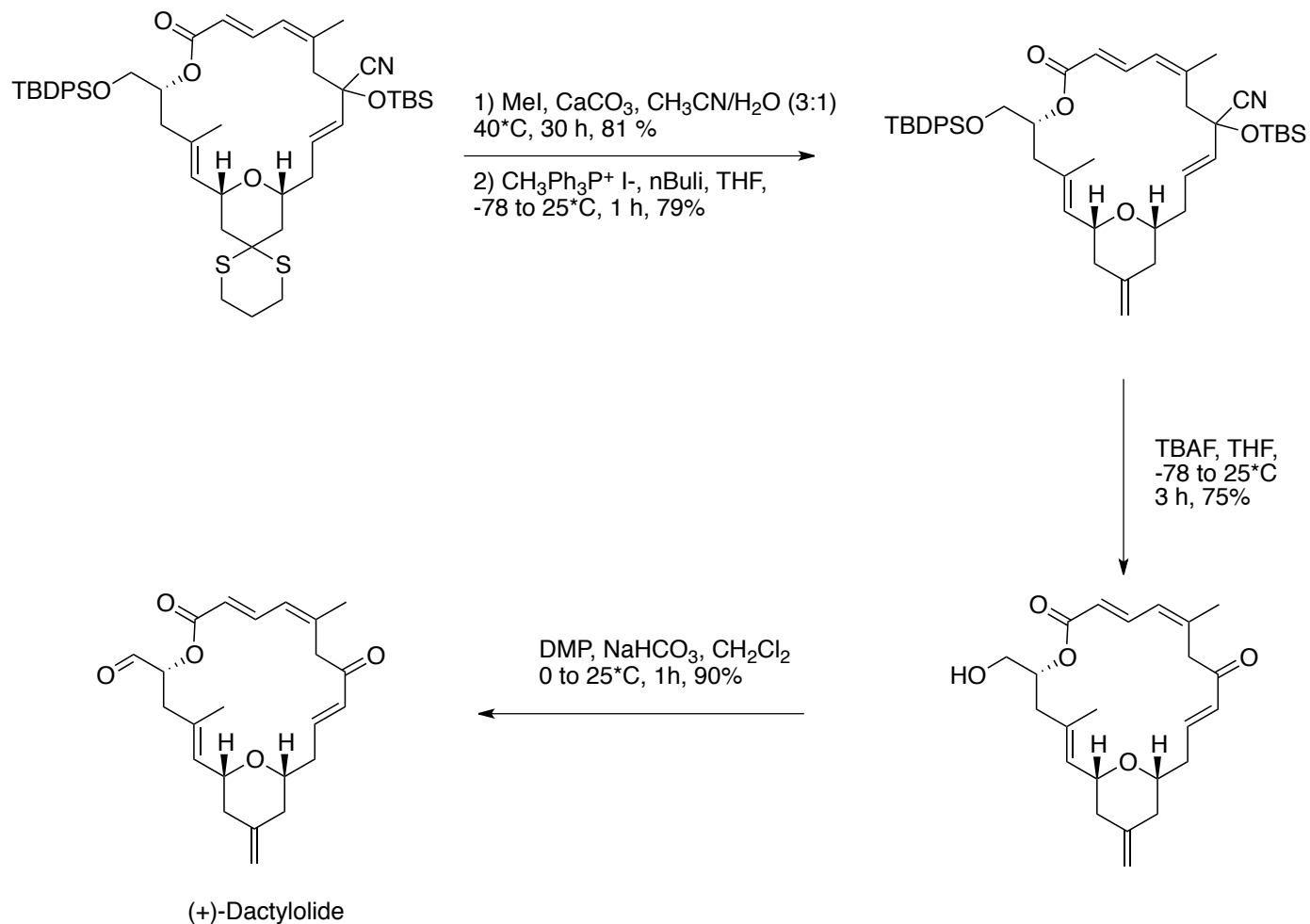
# Preparation for NHC macrolactonization



# NHC-Catalyzed Oxidative Macrolactonization



# Completion of Total Synthesis



# Conclusions

- Total Synthesis of (+) Dactylolide in 19 steps longest linear, with an overall yield of 1.4 % (1.9% brsm)
- First recorded 1,6 intramolecular conjugate addition to form a 2,6-cis tetrahydropyran.
- First recorded use of an NHC catalyzed oxidative macrolactonization of a  $\omega$ -hydroxy aldehyde