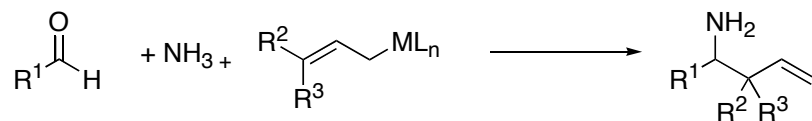


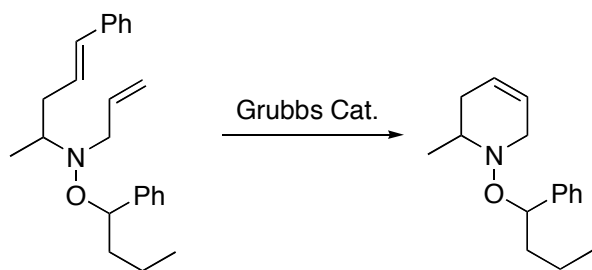
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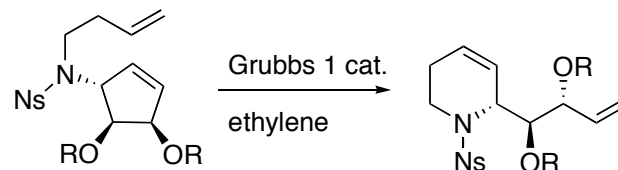
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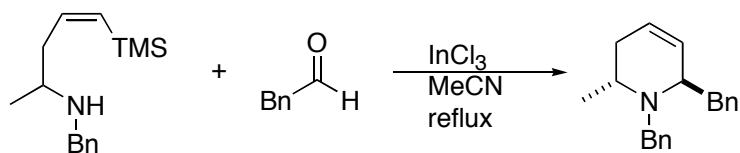


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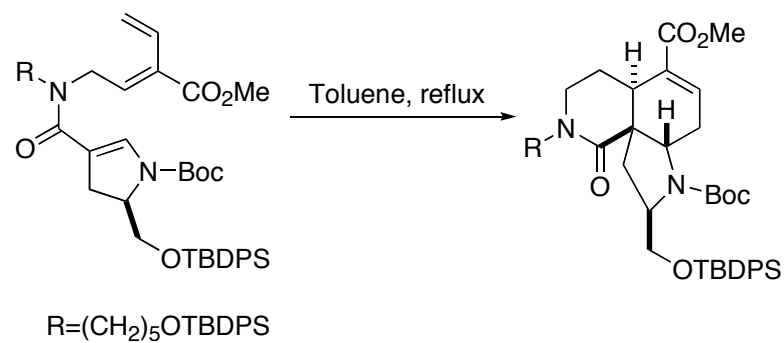


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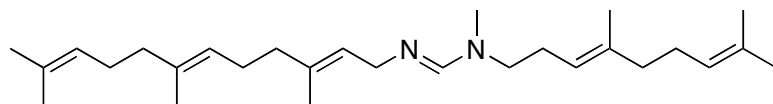


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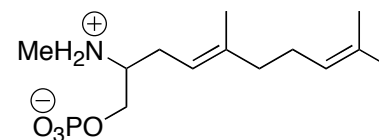


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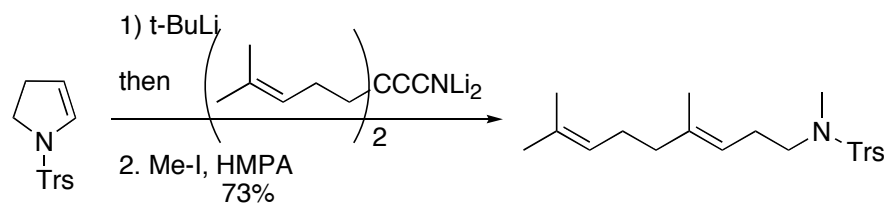
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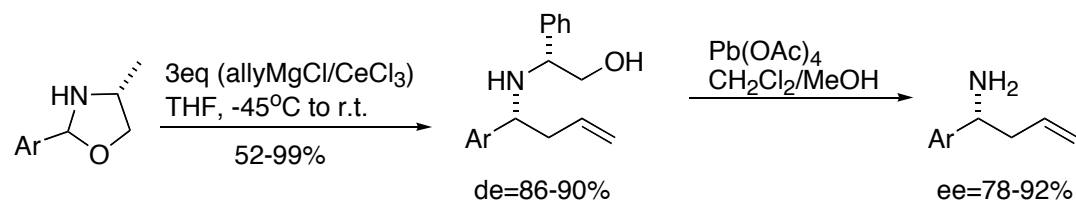
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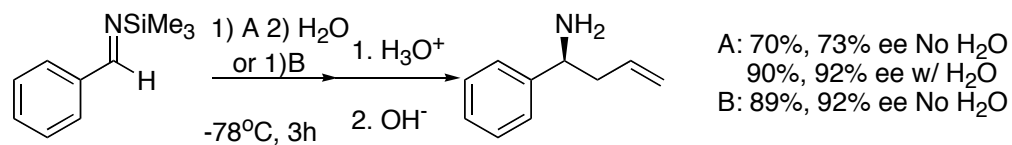
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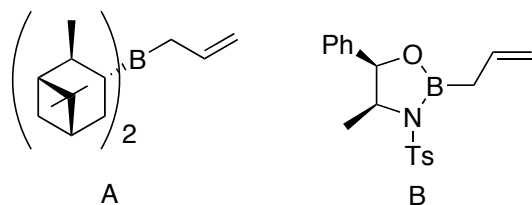
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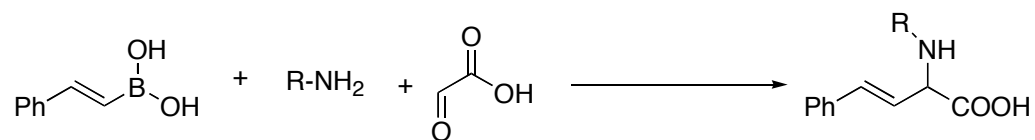


A: 70%, 73% ee No H₂O
 90%, 92% ee w/ H₂O
 B: 89%, 92% ee No H₂O



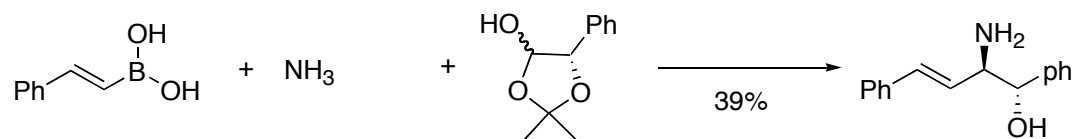
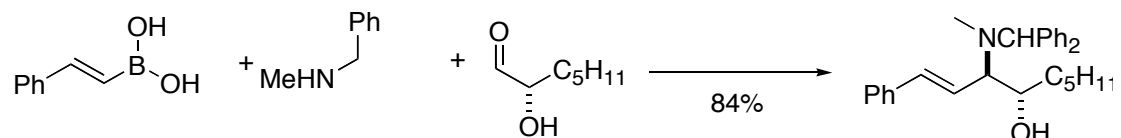
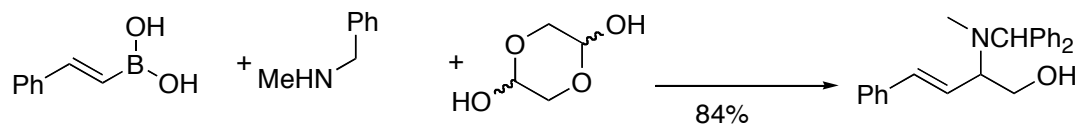
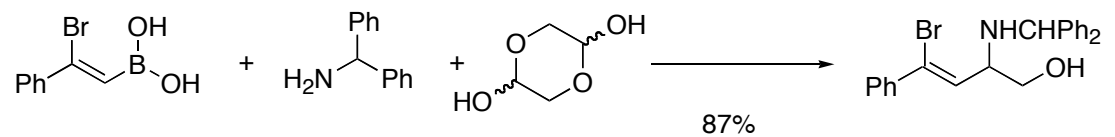
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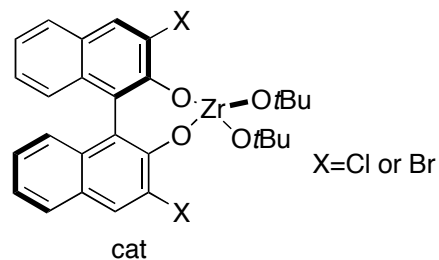
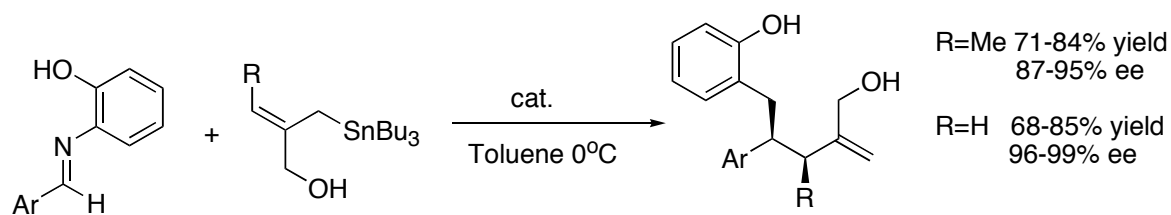
R=PhCH ₂	87%
Ph ₂ CH	94%
Ph ₃ C	54%
HOCH ₂ CH ₂	82%

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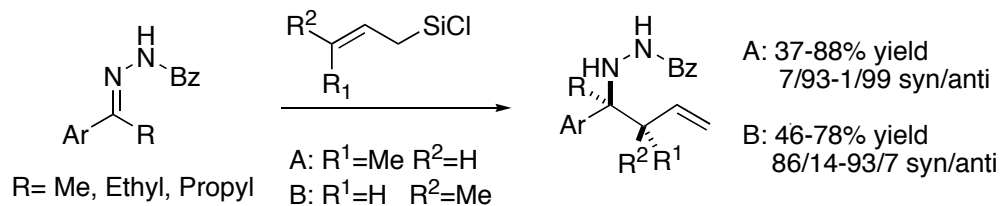


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Kobayashi's Work Toward Homoallylic Amine Synthesis

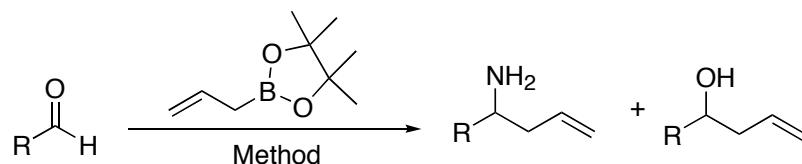


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R	Method	Yield	
Ph	A	84	3
Ph	B	80	8
<i>p</i> -NO ₂ Ph	A	96	<1
<i>p</i> -BrPh	A	92	5
<i>p</i> -MeOPh	A	91	4
<i>o</i> -HOPh	A	76	<1
(pyridin-2-2yl)	A	85	nd
(thiophen-2-yl)	A	77	12
(<i>E</i>)-PhCH=CH	A	75	3
Ph(CH ₂) ₂	C	78	3
<i>c</i> -C ₆ H ₁₁	C	80	4
(+/-)PhCHMe	C	69	4
HO ₂ C	B	Quant	nd

Method A- Pre-mixing of Aldehyde and liquid ammonia in ethanol for 2hr at -10 °C.

Then allylboronate was added and the reaction was stirred at -10 °C for 3hrs, then at rt for 1hr before work-up.

Method B- Pre-mixing of Aldehyde and 28-20 wt% aqueous ammonia in ethanol for 30 min at rt.

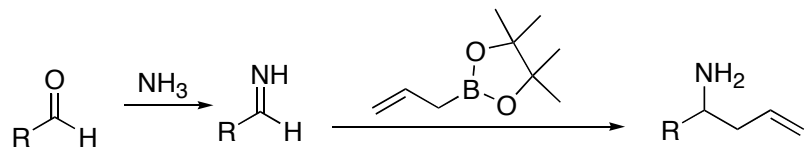
Then allylboronate was added and the reaction was stirred at rt for 2hr before work-up.

Method C- Pre-mixing of allylboronate and liquid ammonia in ethanol for 30 min at rt.

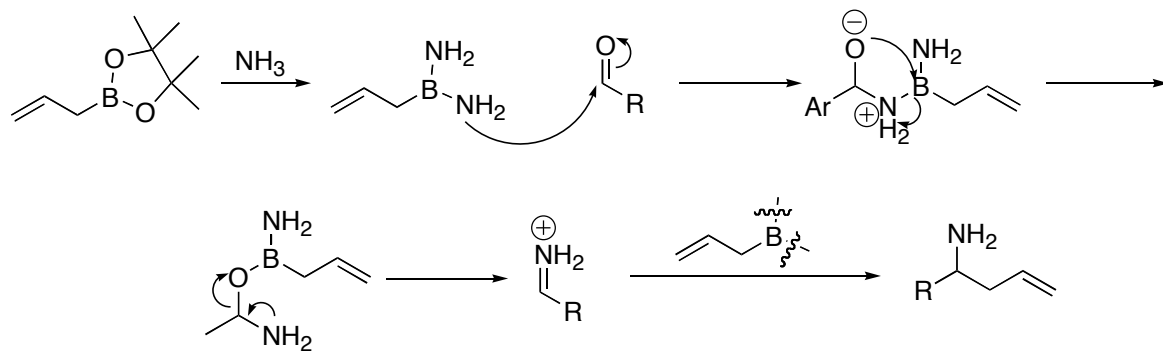
Then the aldehyde in ethanol was added and the reaction was stirred at rt for 2hr before work-up

Possible Reaction Pathways

Methods A and B



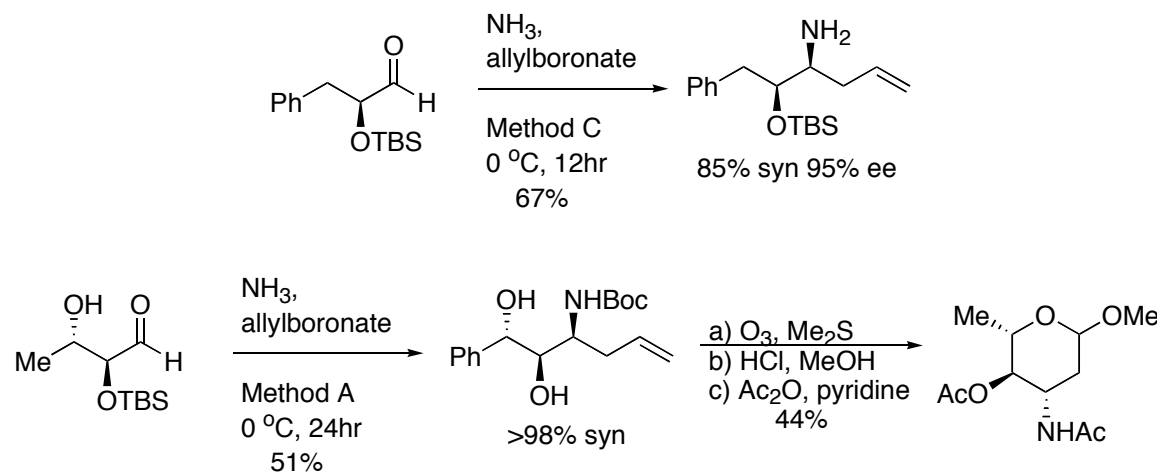
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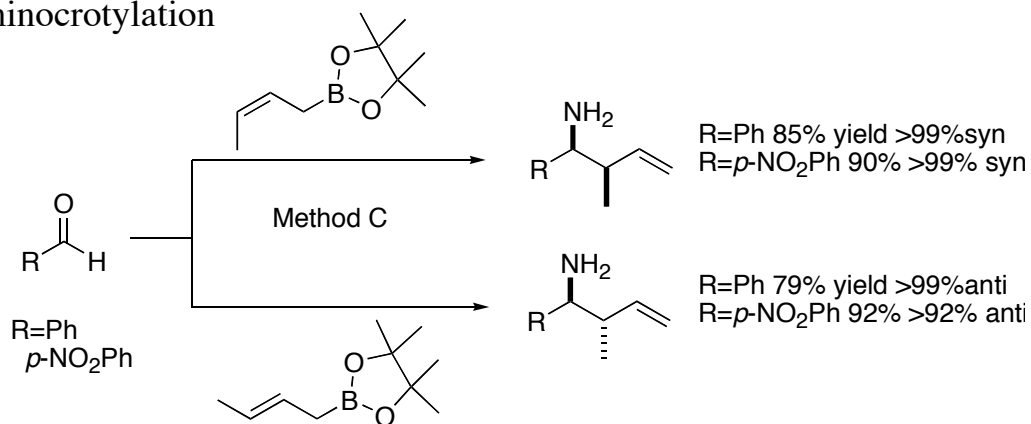
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Selective α -Aminoallylation of Aldehydes with Ammonia

Diastereoselective Reactions of α -Oxyaldehydes



Stereospecific α -Aminocrotylation



Conclusions

Kobayashi has reported a direct route to unsubstituted homoallylic amines through the use of ammonia as the Nitrogen source.

The works well with a variety of aromatic aldehydes, though currently the methodology has not been expanded beyond these substrates.

The reaction has been shown to be highly selective both in %ee and syn/anti ratio when using α -Oxyaldehydes. Stereospecific α -Aminocrotylations have been shown to give excellent selectives.

Currently the reaction has not been shown to be highly stereoselective in the presence of chiral boronate reagents though work in this area is on going

