

Synthesis of Polyfluorinated and Polychlorinated Hydrocarbons

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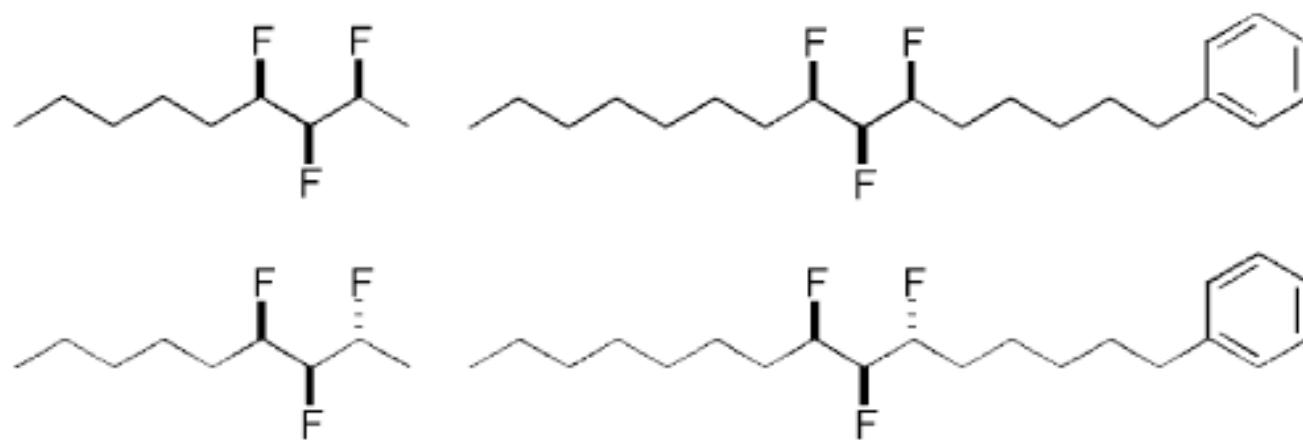
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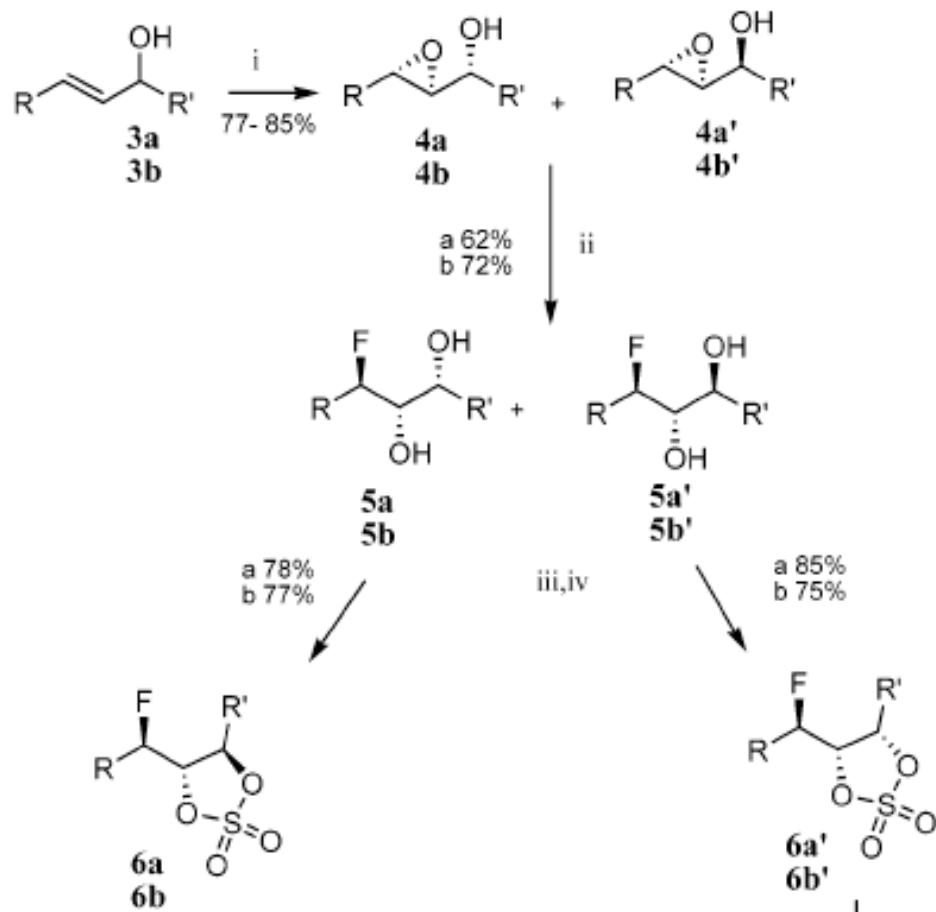
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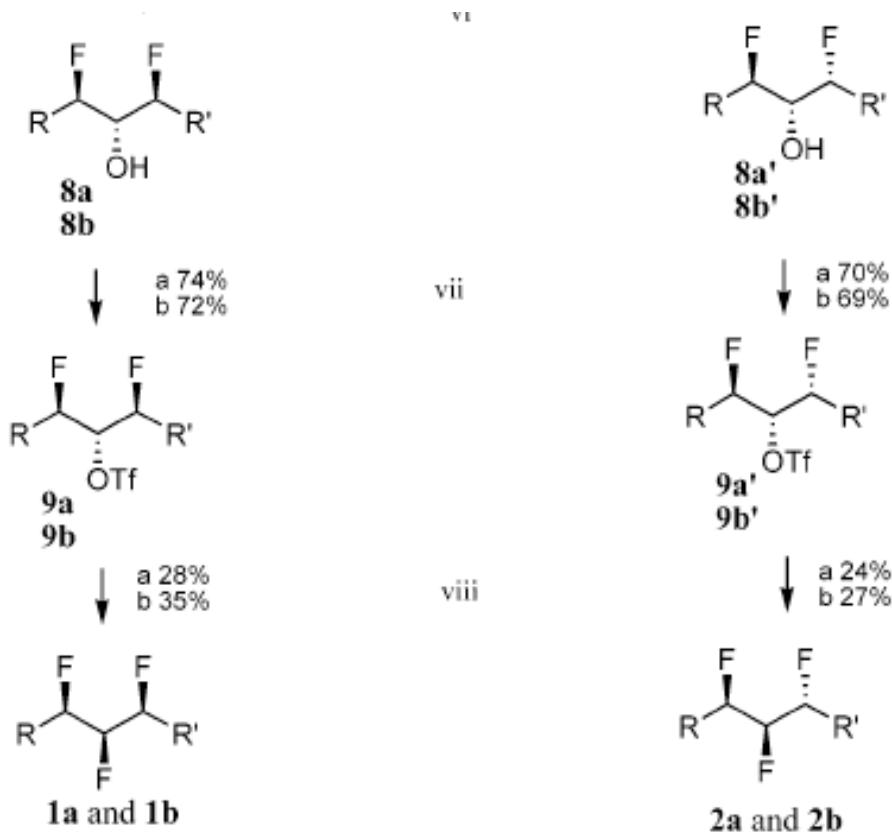
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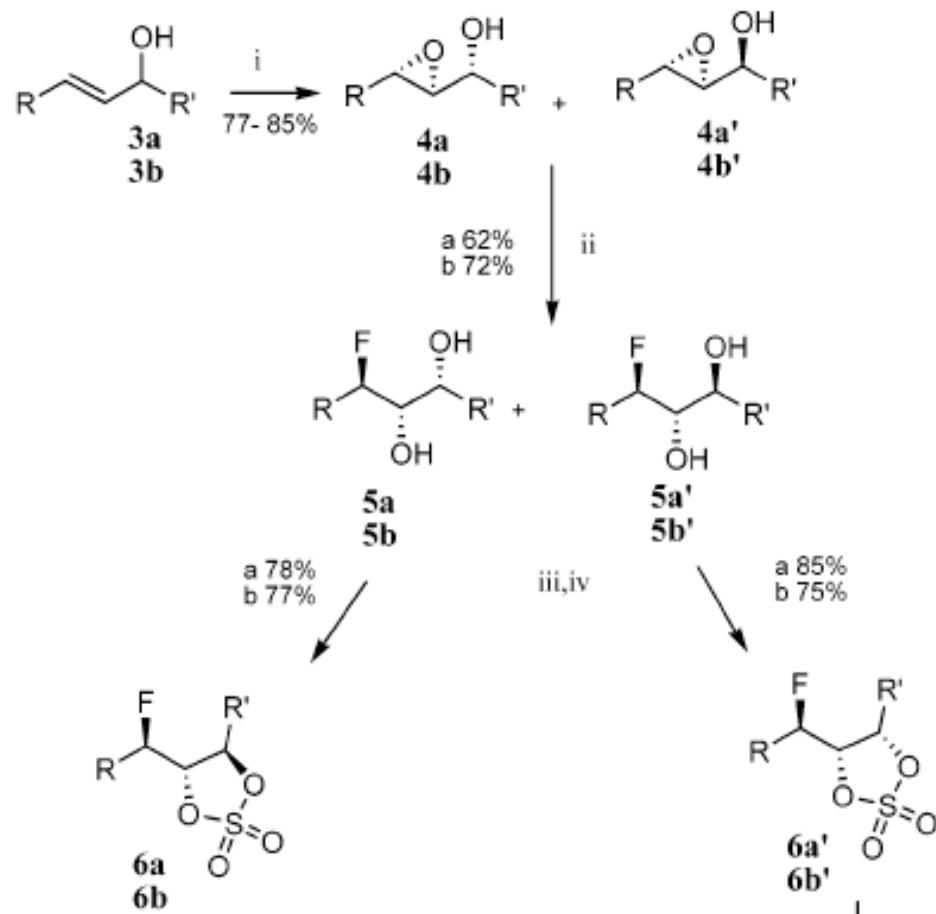
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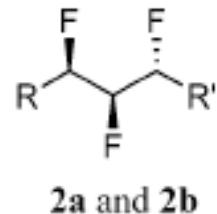
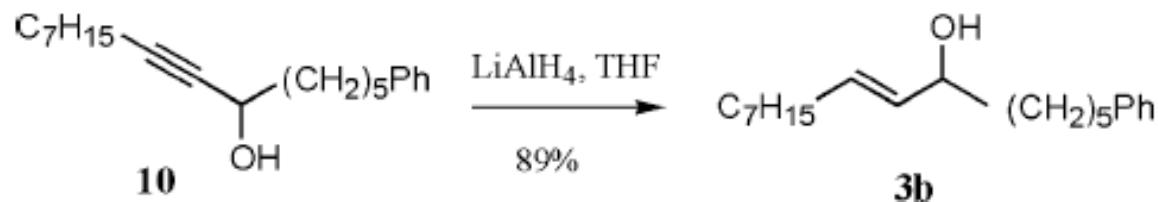
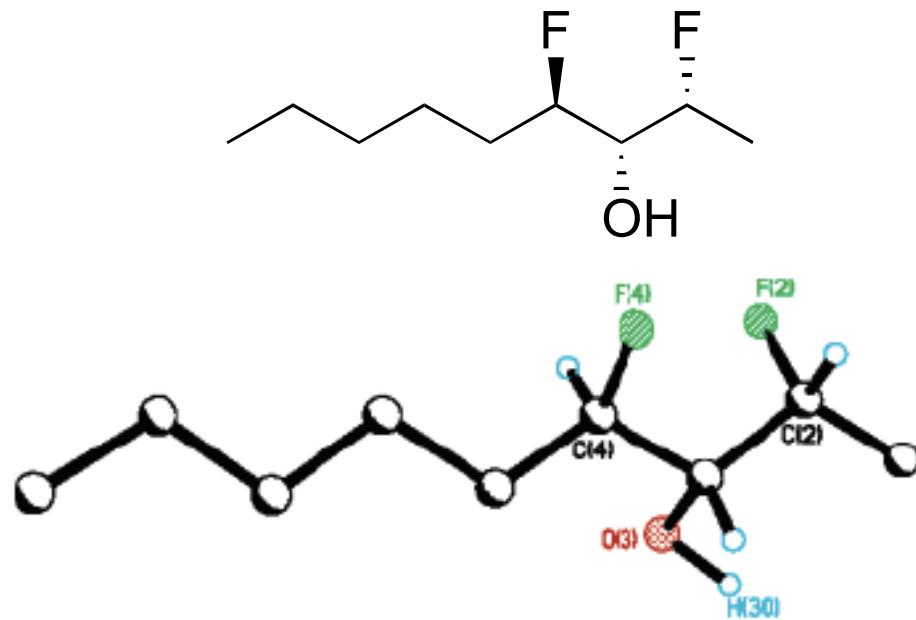


Table 1. $^{19}\text{F}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (CDCl_3) Data for Compounds **1a–2b**

| | ^{19}F chemical shifts (ppm) | | | ^{19}F – ^{19}F coupling constants (Hz) | | |
|-----------|---------------------------------------|-----------|------------|---|--------------------|---------------------|
| | F_α | F_β | F_γ | $J_{\alpha-\beta}$ | $J_{\beta-\gamma}$ | $J_{\alpha-\gamma}$ |
| 1a | −189 | −199 | −207 | 12.9 | 11.2 | — |
| 2a | −185 | −201 | −213 | 14.4 | 9.3 | 3.4 |
| 1b | −197 | 197 | −207 | 12.3 | 12.3 | |
| 2b | −194 | −200 | −212 | 14.9 | 9.2 | |

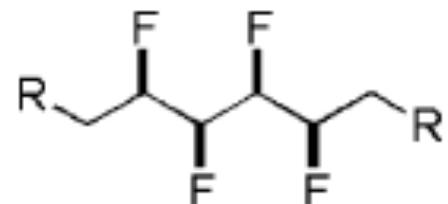
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X-ray structure of 8a' confirming the relative stereochemistry.

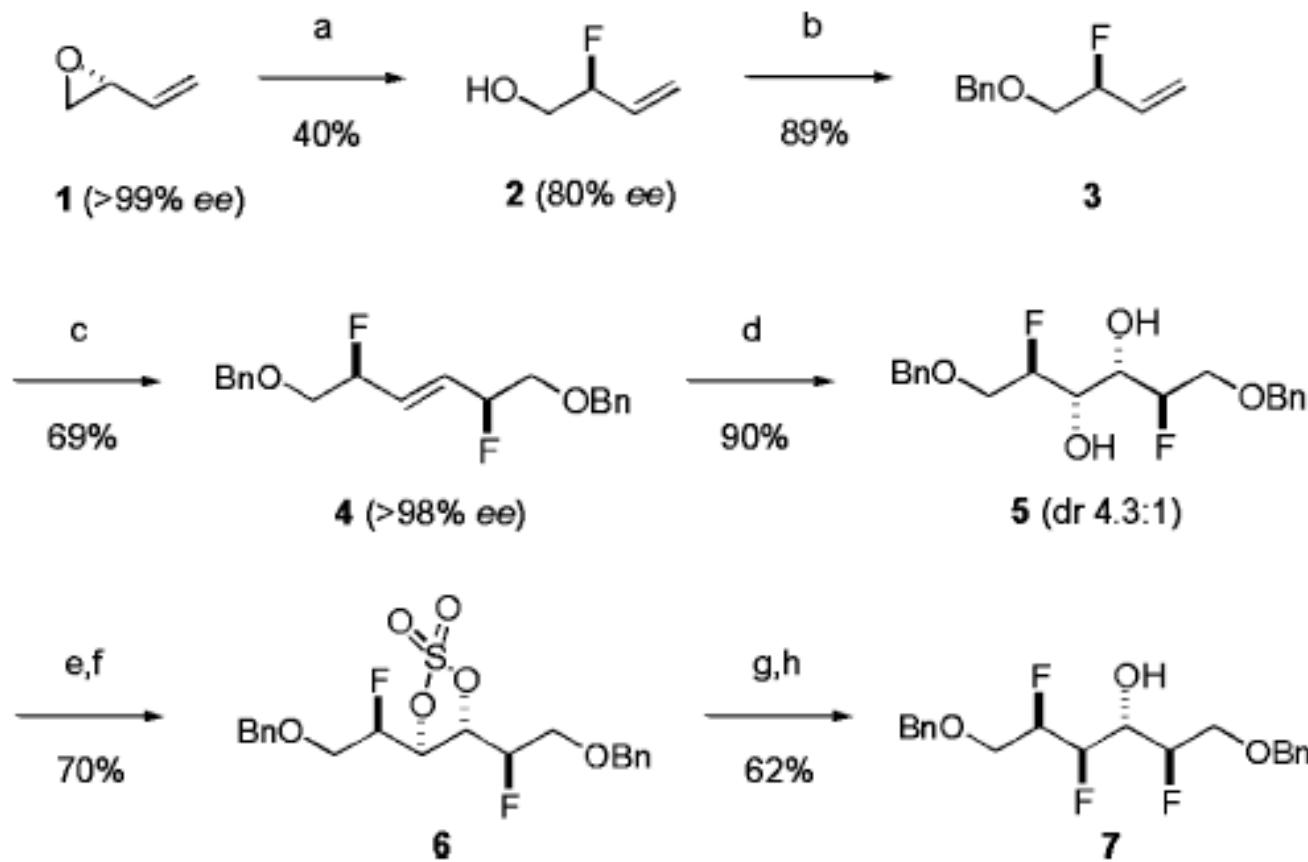
vicinal C-F bonds preferring to align gauche to each other

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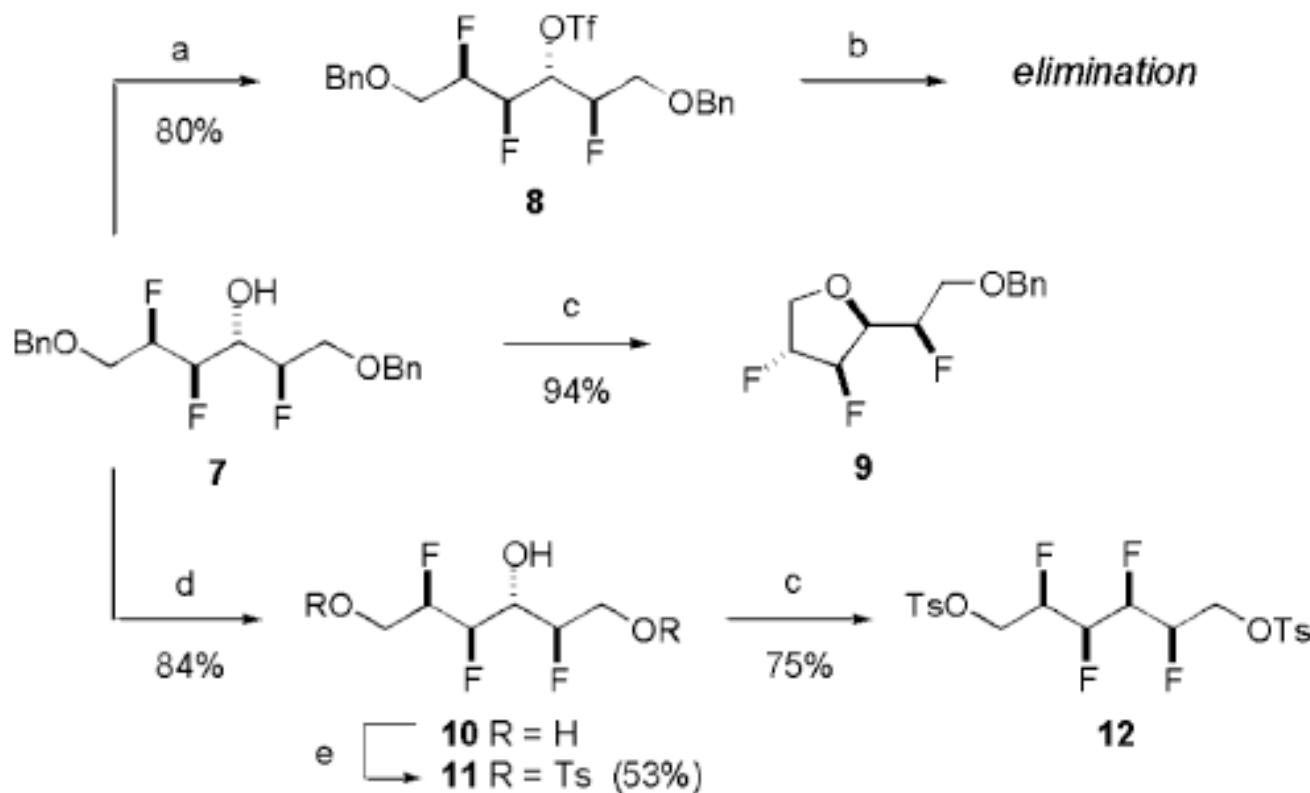
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(a) $\text{Et}_3\text{N}\bullet 3\text{HF}$, Na_2SO_4 , 70°C ; (b) BnBr , NaH , DMF , 40°C ; (c) Grubbs second generation catalyst, DCM , Δ ; (d) KMnO_4 , MgSO_4 , EtOH , H_2O , -10°C ; (e) SOCl_2 , pyridine, DCM , 0°C ; (f) NaIO_4 , RuCl_3 , MeCN , H_2O , 0°C ; (g) TBAF , MeCN , rt; (h) H_2SO_4 , H_2O , THF , rt.

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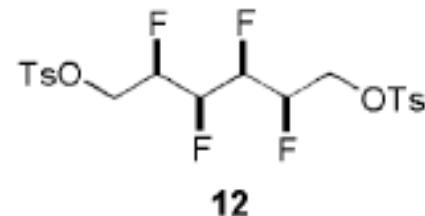
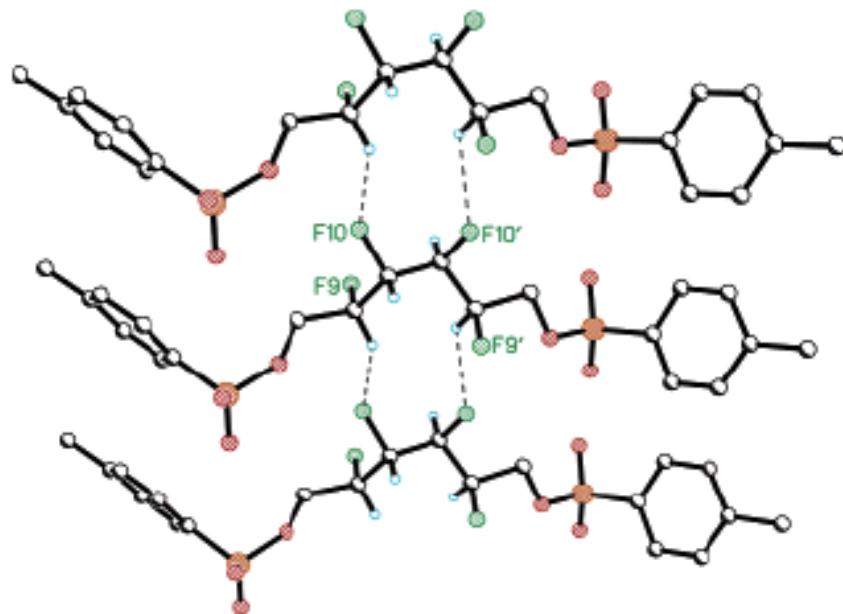
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(a) Tf₂O, pyridine, DCM, -40 °C; (b) TBAF, MeCN, 0 °C; (c) Deoxo-Fluor, 70 °C; (d) H₂, Pd/C, MeOH, rt; (e) TsCl, 2,4,6-collidine, 50 °C.

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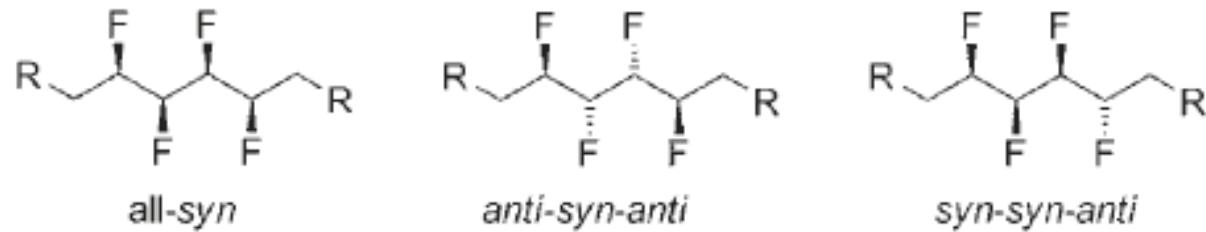
C₂ symmetry;

Dihedral angles of 66.7° (F9-C-C-F10) and 59.7° (F10-C-C-F10') between vicinal fluorines;

The aryl and fluoroalkyl groups pack in separate domains;

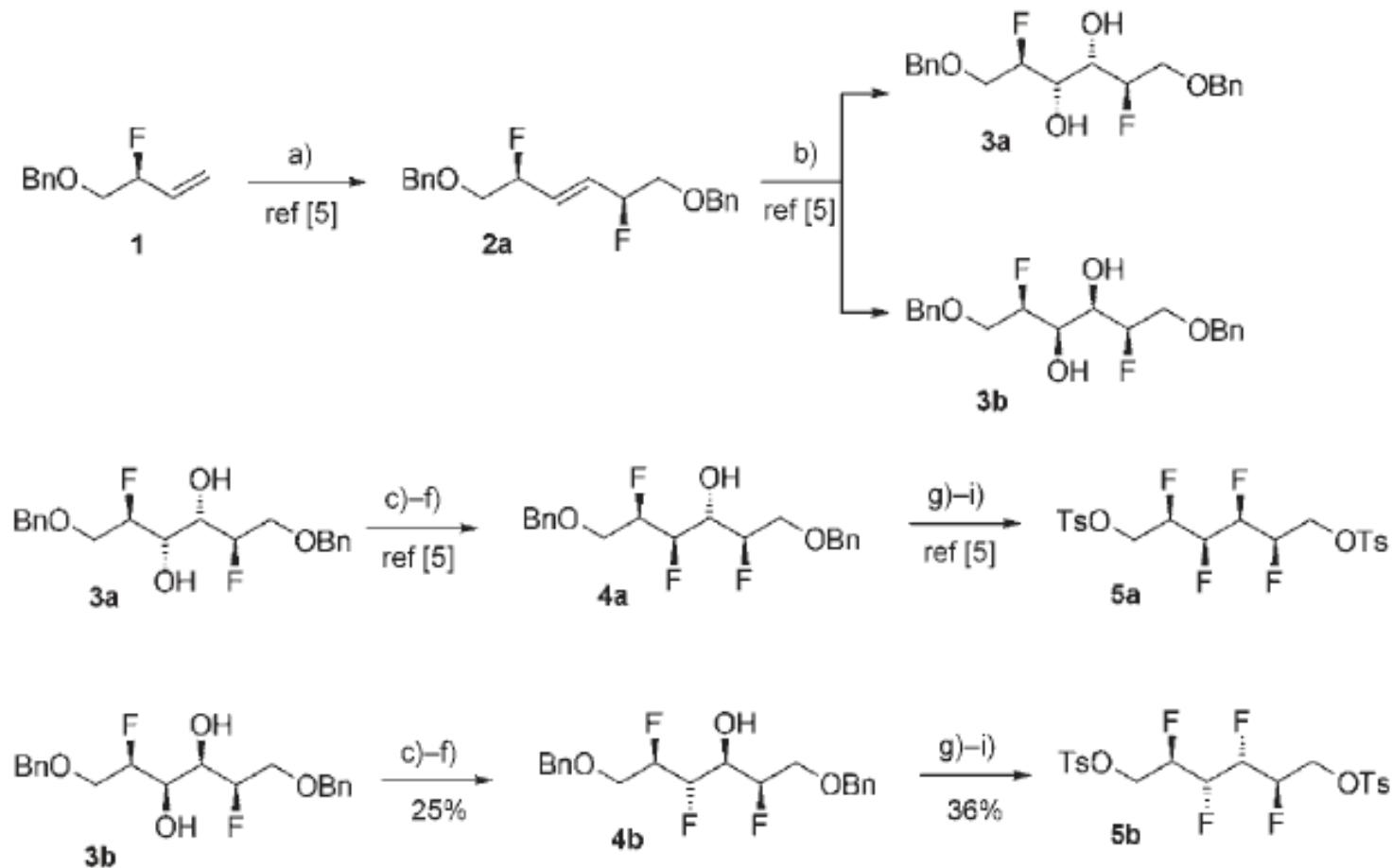
Intermolecular interactions include a hydrogen bond (2.52 Å) from the fluorine atom of C10 (and C10') to the hydrogen atom at C9 (and C9') of an adjacent molecule.

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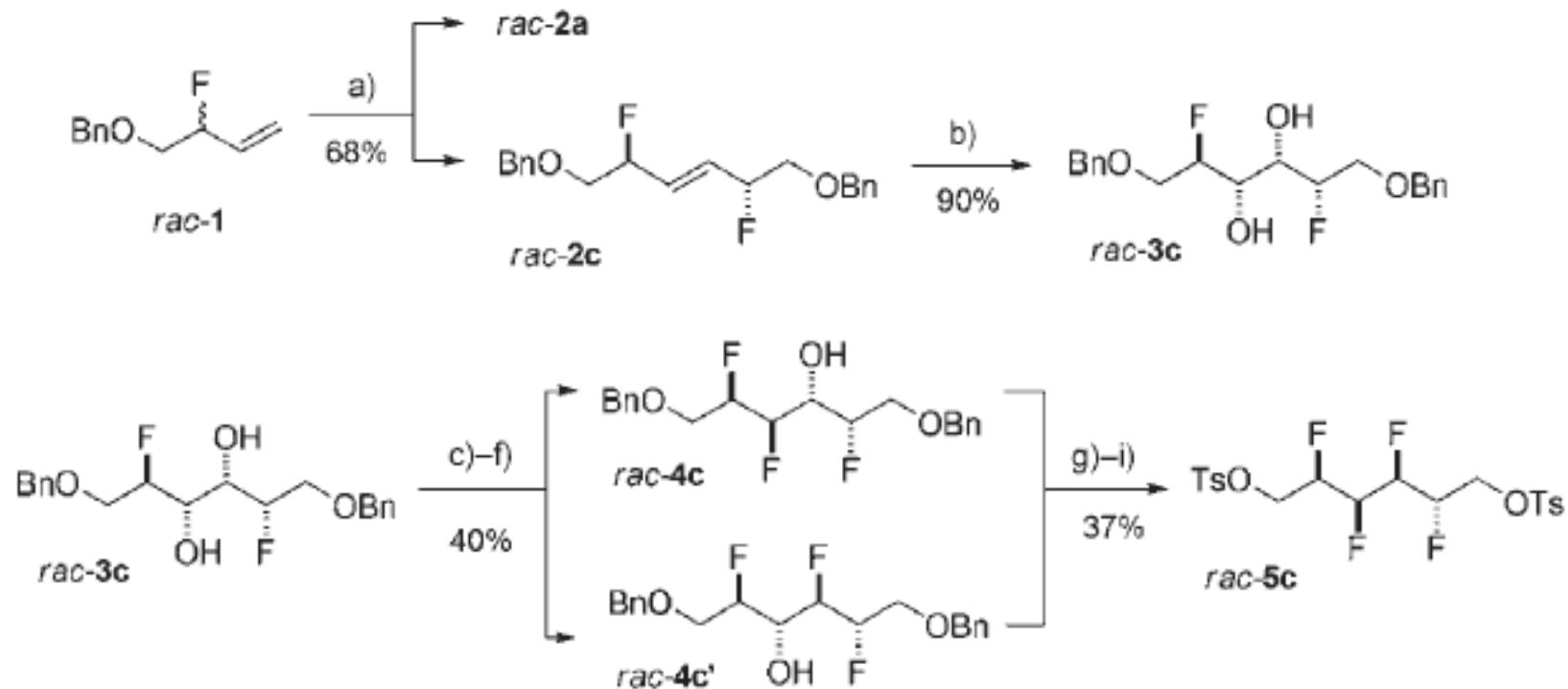
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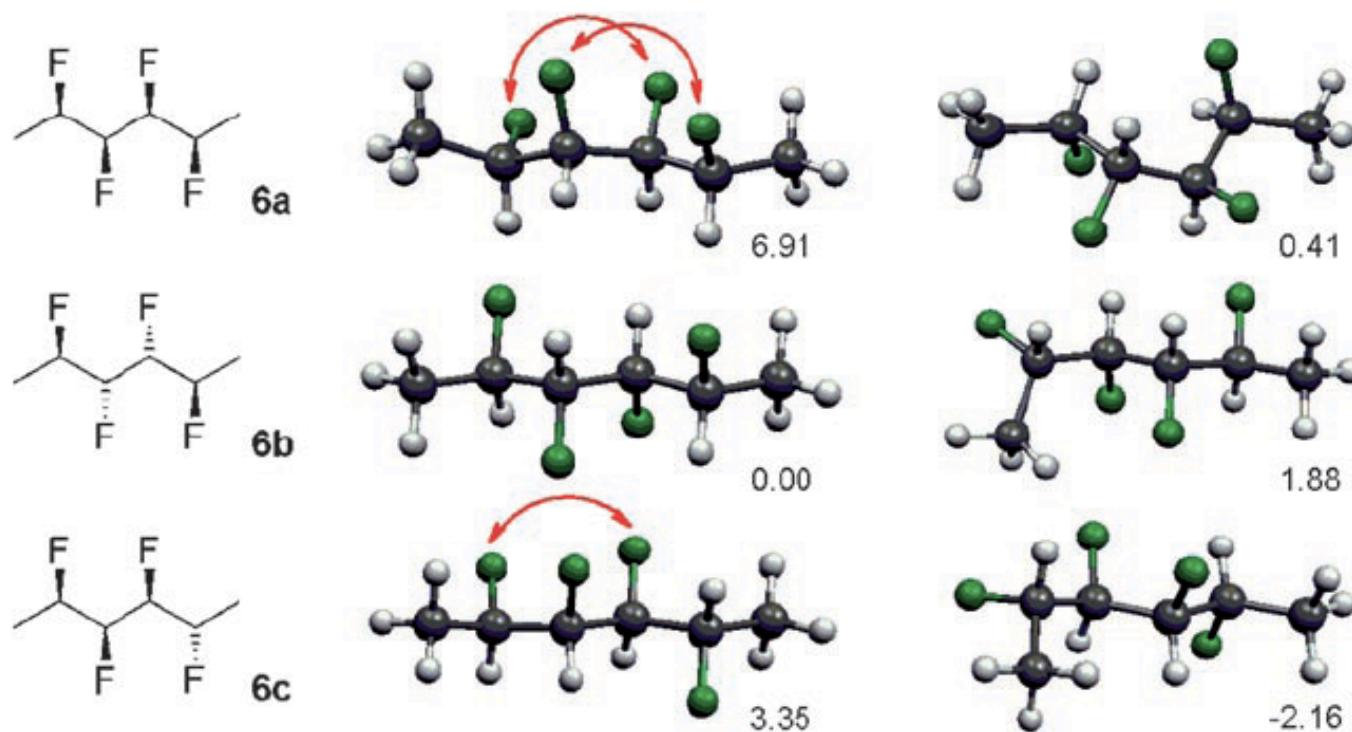
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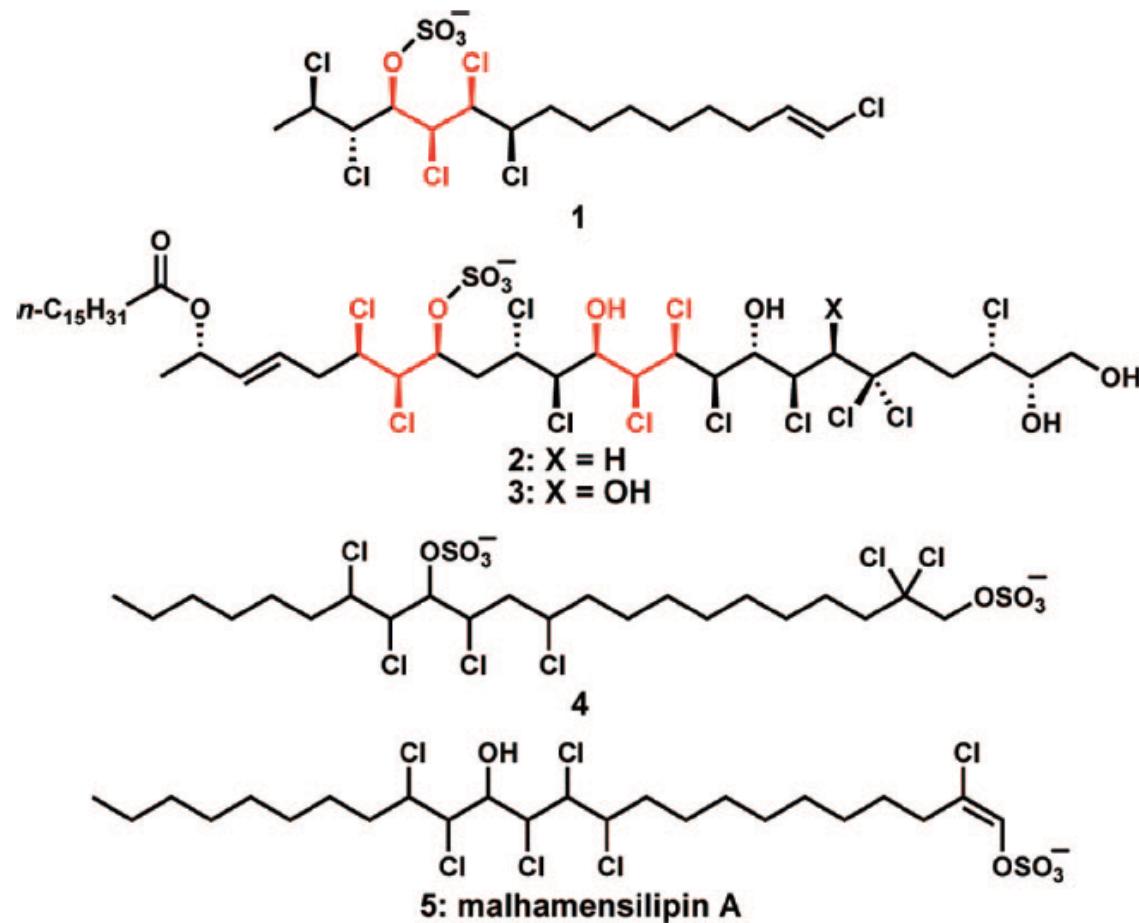
Left: The simplified model system 6. Middle: Calculated linear conformations and right: either minimum (6a, 6c) or next higher energy conformation (6b). C gray, F green, H white; red arrows indicate g⁺g⁻-F-F interactions. Relative energies are in kcal mol⁻¹.

- 1) g⁺g⁻-F-F interaction costs about 3.4 kcal mol⁻¹ in steric strain
- 2) 1,3-F···CH₃ interaction costs 4.04 kcal mol⁻¹
- 3) vicinal fluorine gauche effect (ca. 0.8 kcal mol⁻¹) has only a secondary influence

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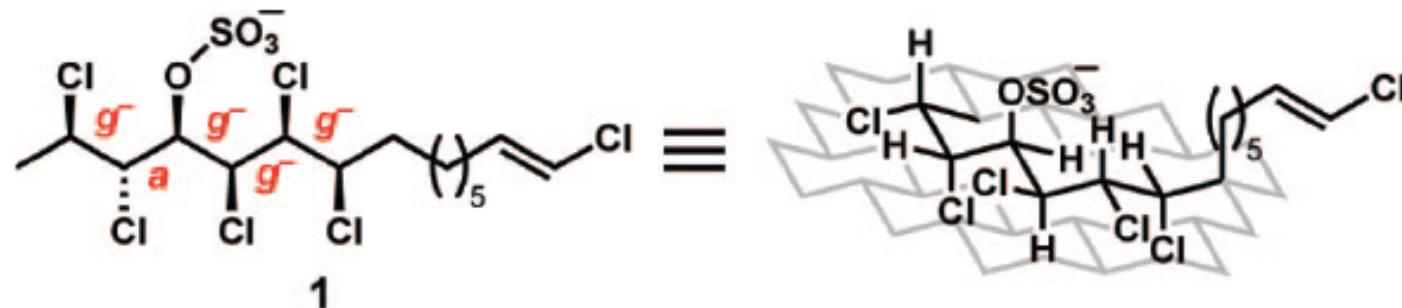
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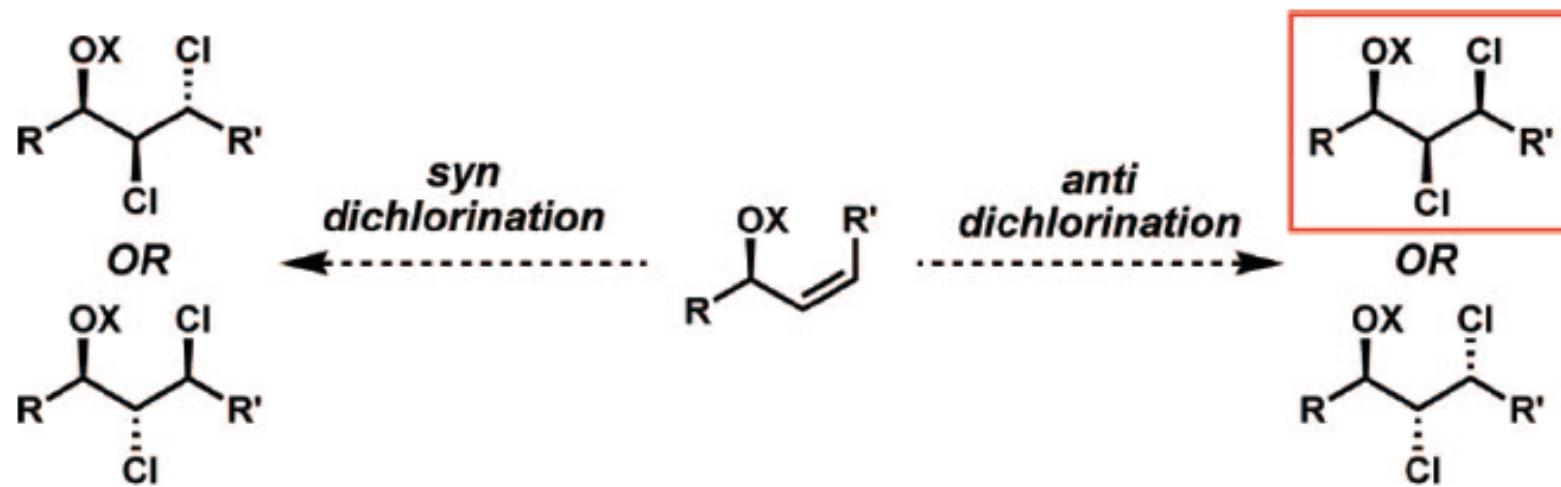
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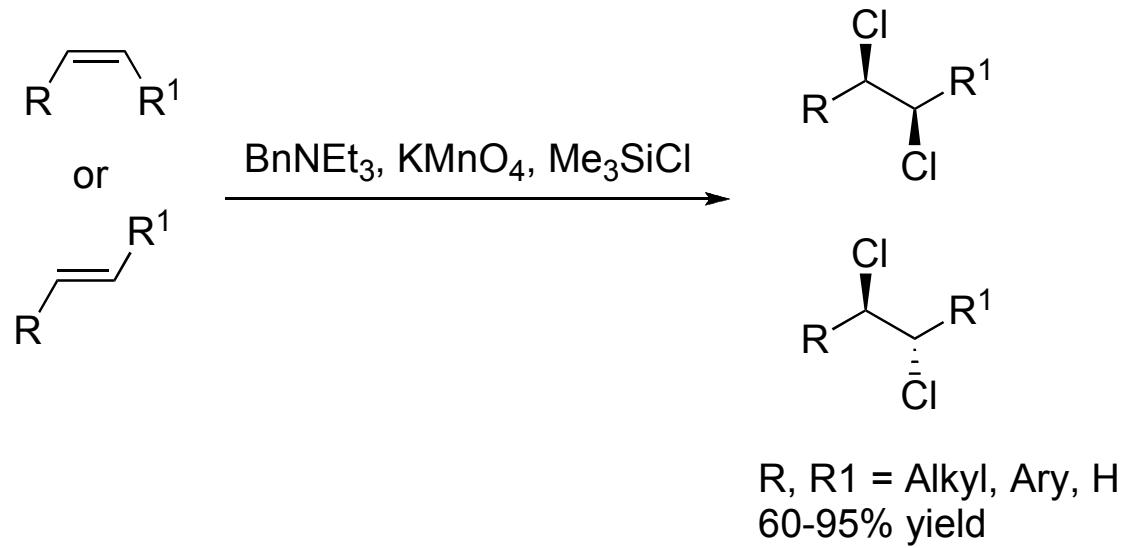


Probable conformational preference of chlorosulfolipid **1**. *g* = gauche, *a* = anti.



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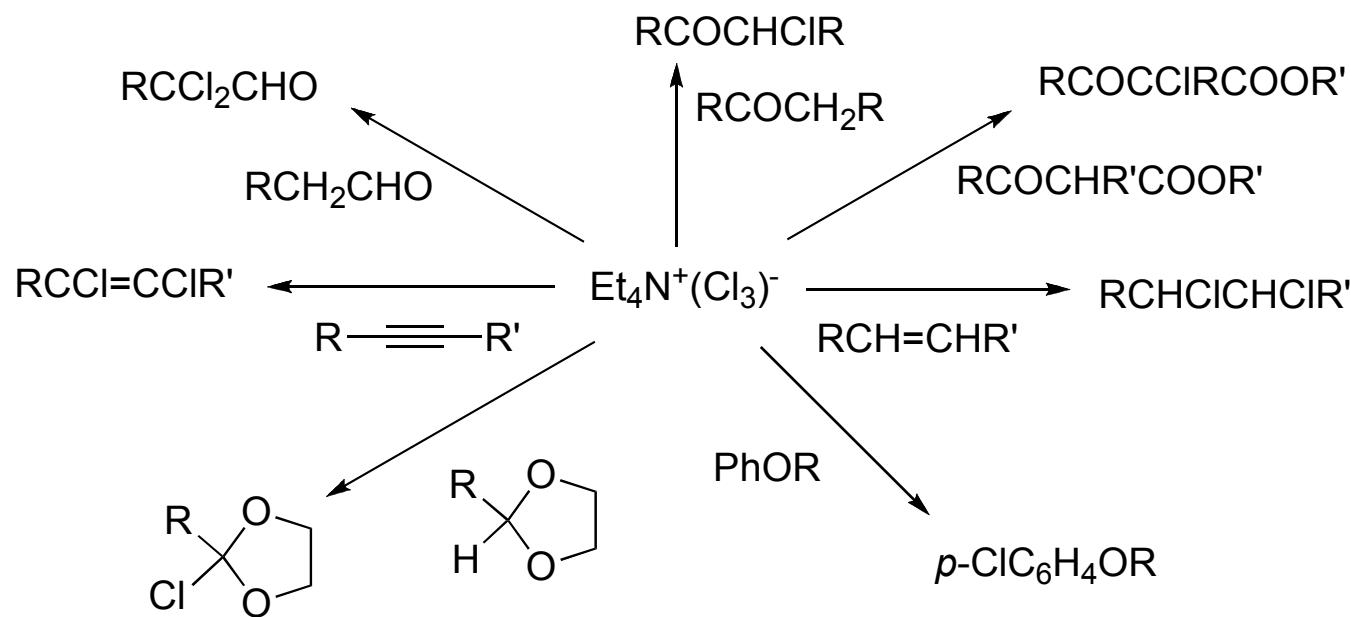
Markó-Maguire Reagents



Markó, I. E.; Richardson, P. R.; Bailey, M.; Maguire, A. R.; Coughlan, N. *Tetrahedron Lett.* **1997**, 38, 2339.

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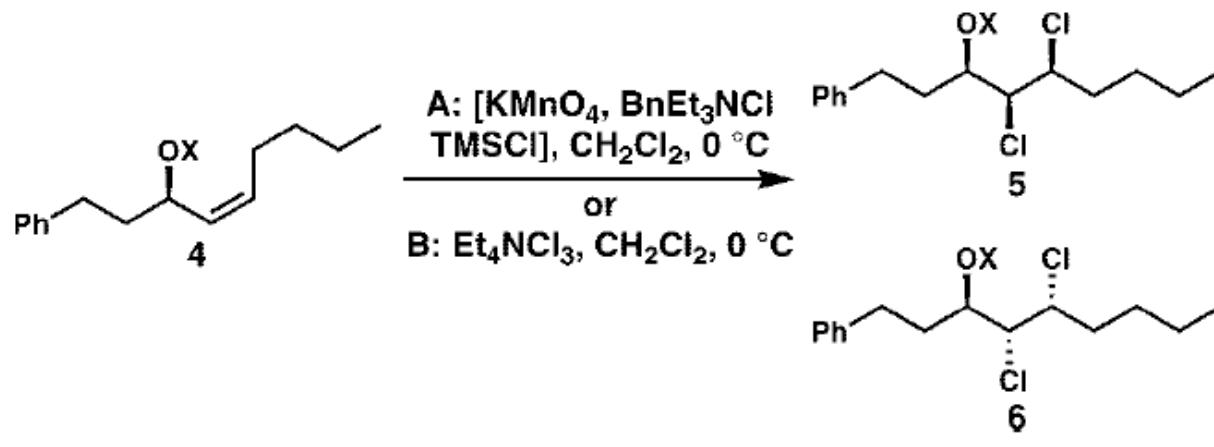
Mioskowski Reagents



Schlama, T.; Gabriel, K.; Gouverneur, V.; Mioskowski, C. *Angew. Chem., Int. Ed.* **1997**, 36, 2341.

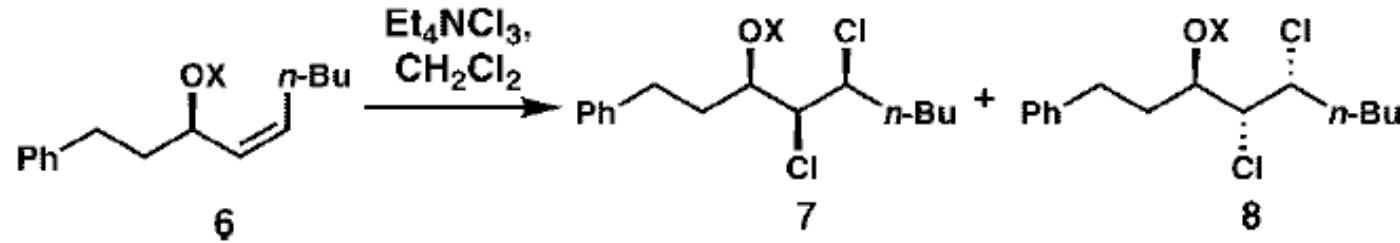
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Comparison of the Markó-Maguire and Mioskowski Reagents for Diastereoselective Vicinal Dichlorination of Allylic Alcohol Derivatives (TBS = *tert*-Butyldimethylsilyl, Piv = Pivaloate)



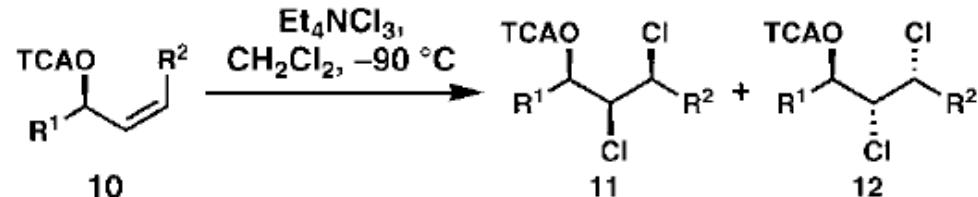
| X | method | dr (5:6) ^a |
|-----|--------|-----------------------|
| H | A | 1.2:1 |
| H | B | 1.1:1 |
| TBS | A | 1.2:1 |
| TBS | B | 1.5:1 |
| Piv | A | 2.5:1 |
| Piv | B | 2.4:1 |

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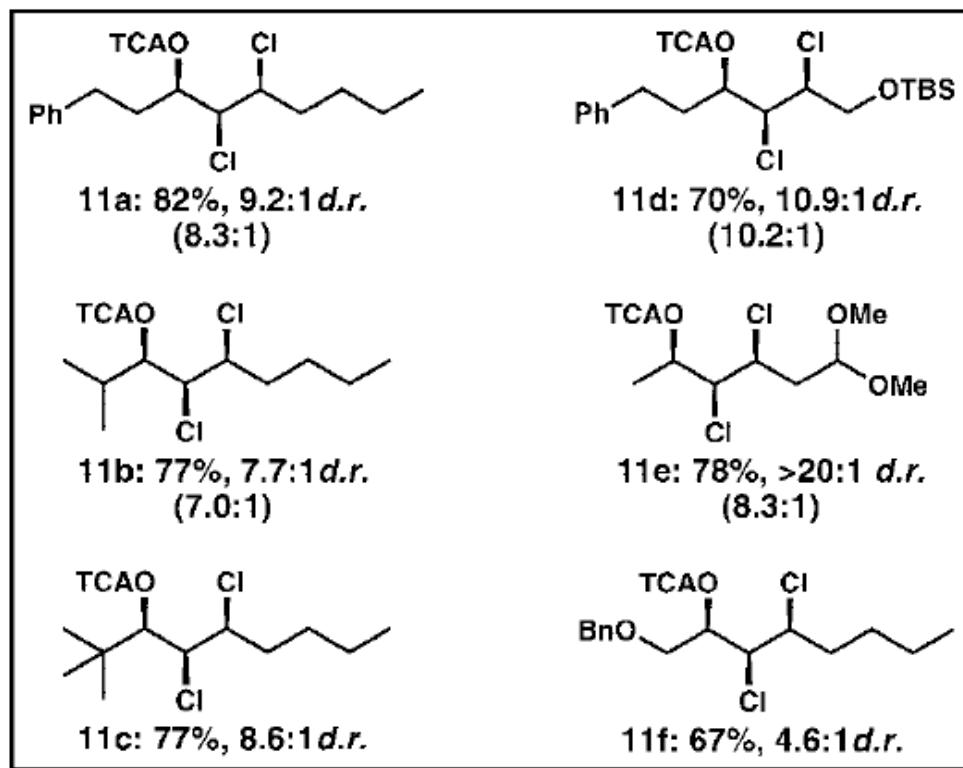


| X | temp (°C) | dr (7:8) ^a | X | temp (°C) | dr (7:8) ^a |
|--------------------|-----------|-----------------------|---------------------|-----------|-----------------------|
| H | -78 | 1.0:1 | Piv | -78 | 7.5:1 ^b |
| Me | -78 | 2.0:1 | Piv | -90 | 7.7:1 ^b |
| TBS | -78 | 2.0:1 | Cl ₃ CCO | -78 | 5.0:1 |
| CO ₂ Me | -78 | 5.0:1 ^b | Cl ₃ CCO | -90 | 6.5:1 |
| Boc | -78 | 5.0:1 ^b | F ₃ CCO | -78 | 6.0:1 |
| Ac | -78 | 5.0:1 ^b | F ₃ CCO | -90 | 7.0:1 |

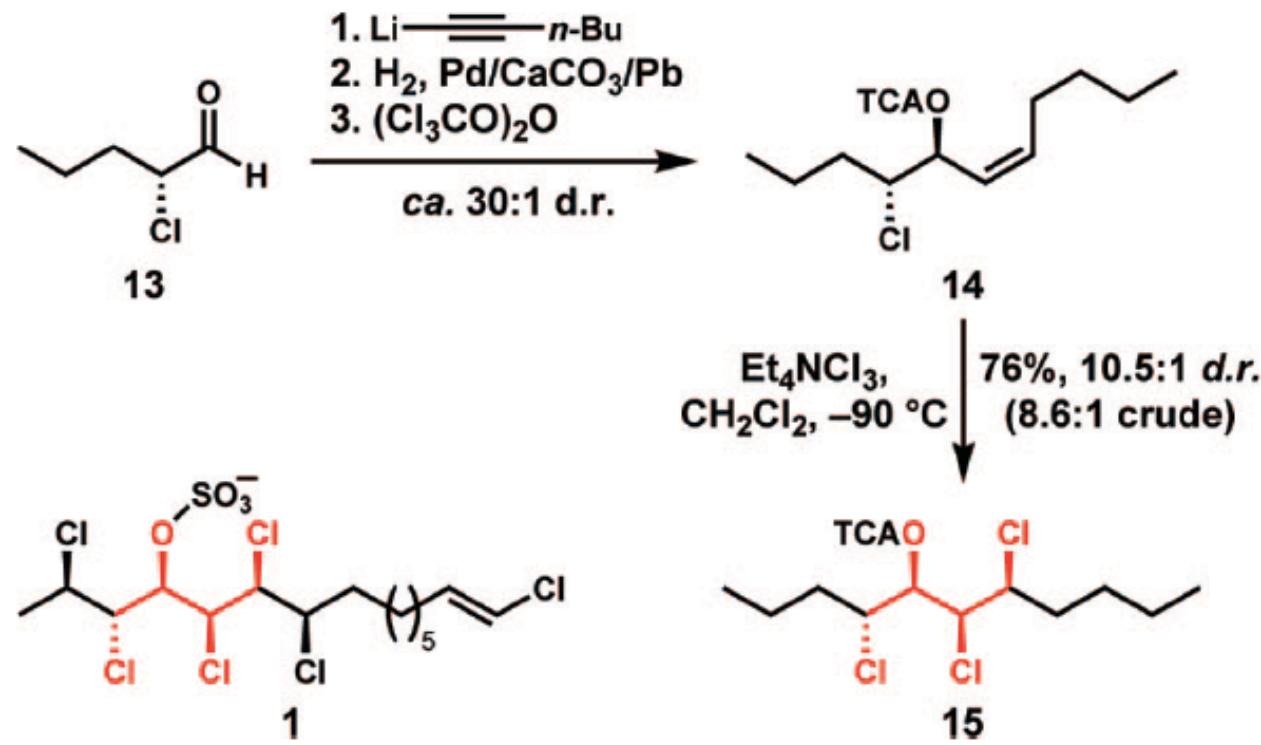
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Major Products^a



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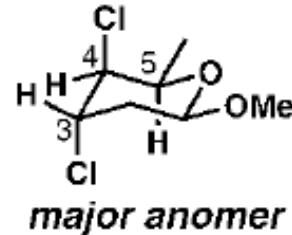


Diastereoselective Synthesis of a Stereotetrad Relevant to Chlorosulfolipid **1**

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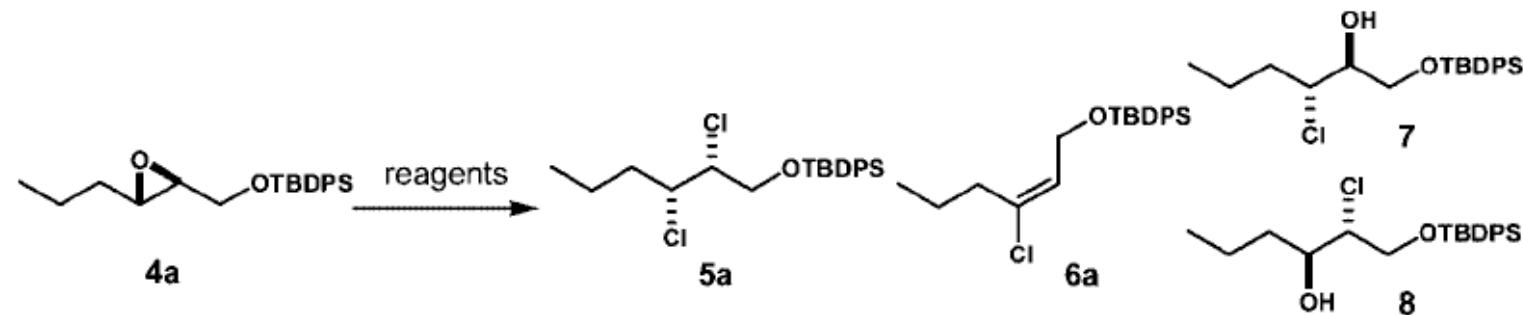


$^3J_{\text{H}3-\text{H}4} = 2.7 \text{ Hz}$: gauche
 $^3J_{\text{H}4-\text{H}5} = 1.2 \text{ Hz}$: gauche
[complete ^1H NMR data included
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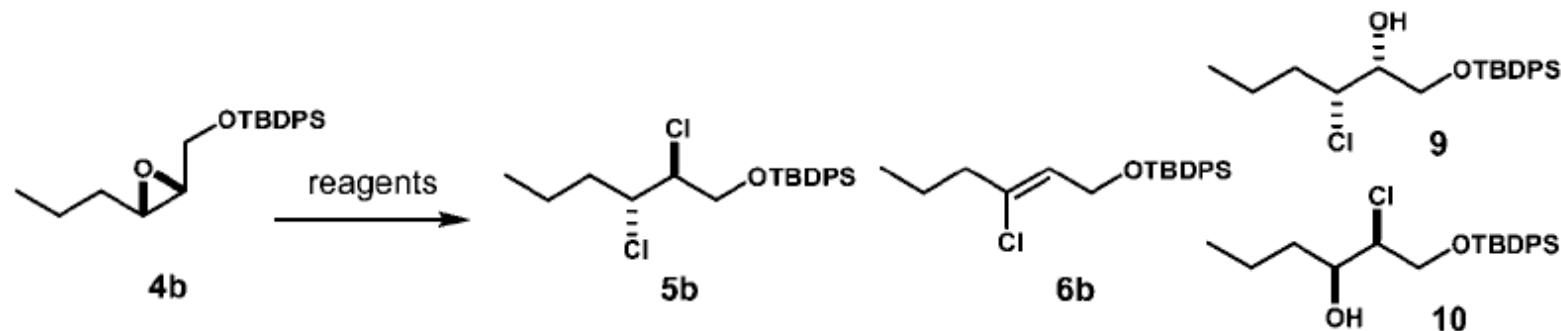
Synthesis of Pyran 16 to Confirm the Relative Stereochemistry of Dichlorination

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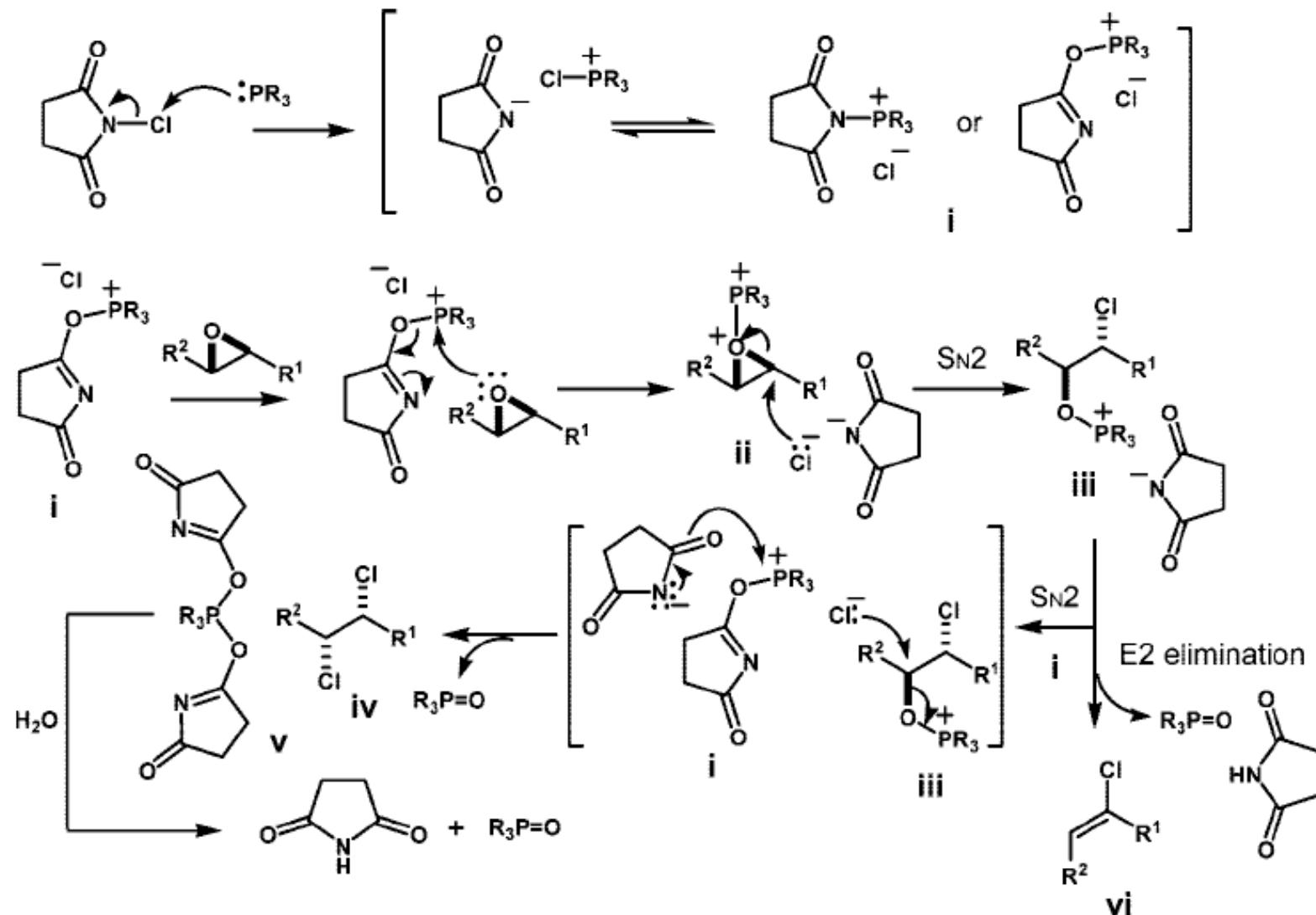
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|-------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|----------|----------|--|
| 1 | Cl_2PPh_3 (4) | toluene | 80 | 0.5 | 5a (79), 6a (18) |
| 2 | $\text{NCS/Ph}_3\text{P}$ (3/3) | toluene ^c | 90 | 0.7 | 5a (76), 6a (17) |
| 3 | $\text{NCS/Ph}_3\text{P}$ (2.5/2.5) | toluene | 90 | 13 | 5a (69), 6a (19), 7 (9) |
| 4 | $\text{NCS/(c-Hex)}_3\text{P}$ (3/3) | toluene | 90 | 6 | 5a (65), 6a (11), 7 (4), 8 (2) |
| 5 | $\text{NCS/n-Bu}_3\text{P}$ (3/3) | toluene | 90 | 6 | 5a (66), 6a (11), 7 (19) |
| 6 | $\text{NCS/t-Bu}_3\text{P}$ (3/3) | toluene | 90 | 22 | 7 (65), 8 (32) |
| 7 | Ph_3P (3) | CCl_4 | reflux | 7 | 7 (47), 8 (10) ^d |
| 8 | PCl_5 (3), NaHCO_3 | CH_2Cl_2 | rt | 1 | complex mixture |

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| 1 | Cl ₂ PPh ₃ (4) | toluene | 80 | 0.5 | 5b (82), 6b (17) |
| 2 | NCS/Ph ₃ P (3/3) | toluene | 90 | 1 | 5b (88), 6b (9) |
| 3 | NCS/Ph ₃ P (3/3) | toluene | 45 | 7 | 5b (90), 6b (6) |
| 4 | NCS/(c-Hex) ₃ P (3/3) | toluene | 90 | 4.5 | 5b (86), 6b (7) |
| 5 | NCS/ <i>n</i> -Bu ₃ P (3/3) | toluene | 90 | 6 | 5b (82), 6b (7) |
| 6 | NCS/ <i>t</i> -Bu ₃ P (3/3) | toluene | 90 | 22 | 9 (72), 10 (17) |
| 7 | Ph ₃ P (3) | CCl ₄ | reflux | 7 | 5b (81), 6b (7) |

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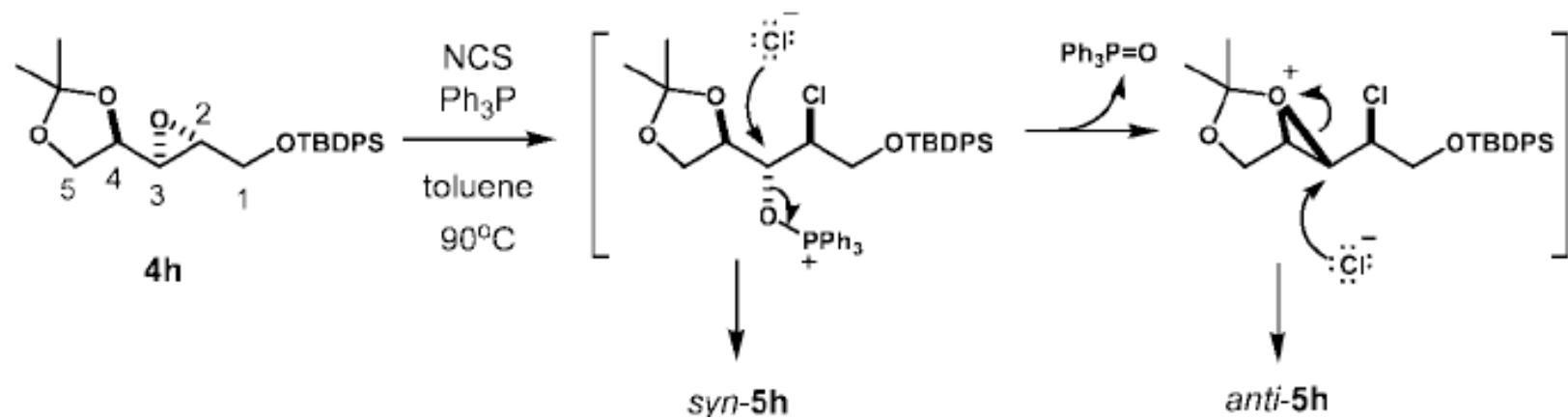
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Nucleophilic Multiple Chlorination

| entry | substrate ^a | temp (°C) | products ^{b,c} | time (h) |
|-------|------------------------|-----------|-------------------------|--|
| 1 | | 90 45 | | 14 % (6c : 6c' =4:1) 8 % (6c : 6c' =3:1) |
| | | | | |
| 2 | | 90 45 | | 20 % (6d : 6d' =6:1) 14 % (6d : 6d' =1:0) |
| | | | | |
| 3 | 4e R=TBS | 90 | | 18 % (6e : 6e' =5:2) |
| 4 | 4f R=Piv | 90 | | 12 % (6f : 6f' =3:2) |
| 5 | | 90 | | 28 % (6g : 6g' =1:27) ^d |
| 6 | | 90 | | 33 % (6g : 6g' =3:4) ^d |
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| | | | | 2.7 |

All reactions were carried out using NCS (3 equiv) and PPh₃ (3 equiv) in toluene

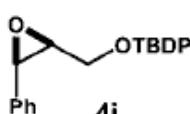
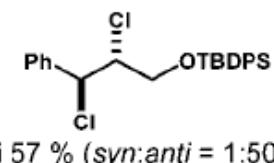
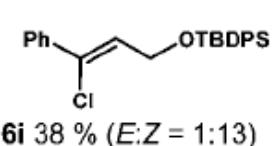
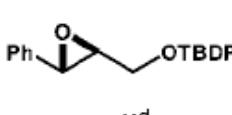
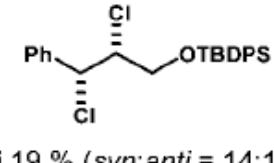
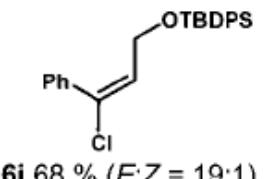
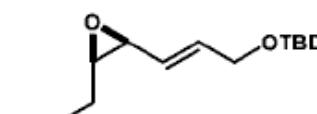
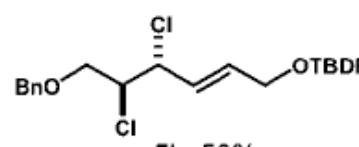
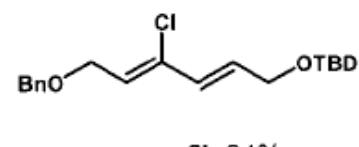
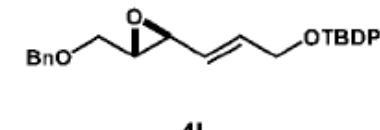
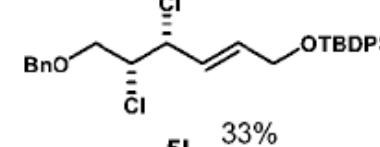
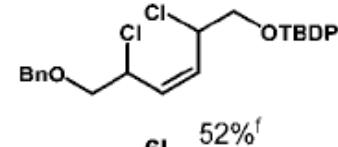
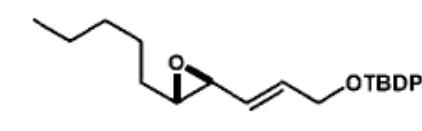
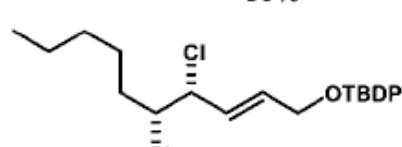
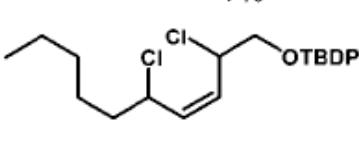
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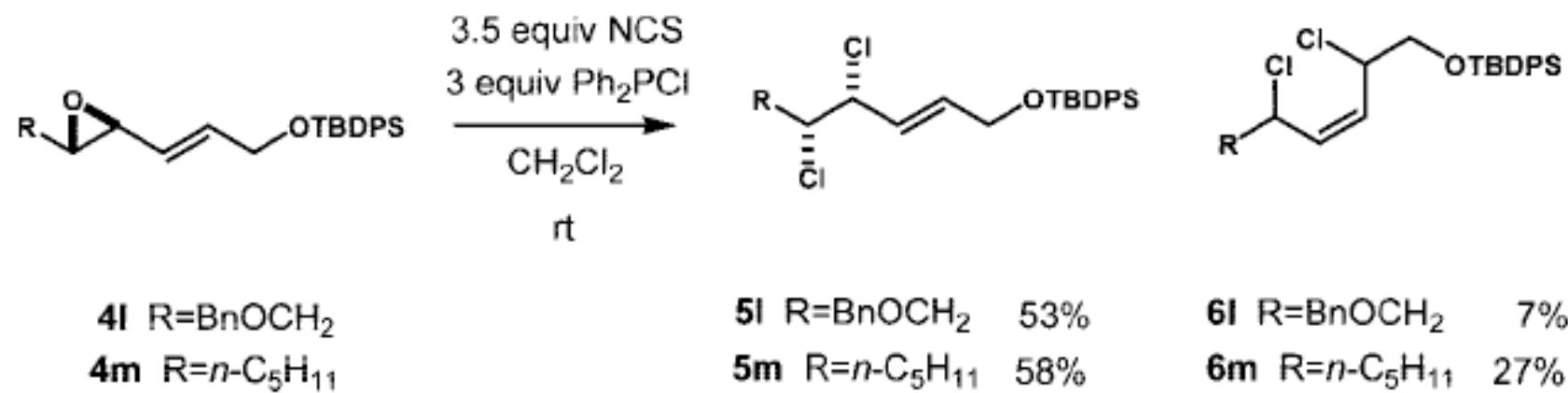
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| entry | substrate ^a | products ^{b,c} | time (h) | |
|-------|---|--|--|-----|
| 1 |  |  5i 57 % (syn:anti = 1:50) |  6i 38 % (E:Z = 1:13) | 1.5 |
| 2 |  |  5j 19 % (syn:anti = 14:1) |  6j 68 % (E:Z = 19:1) | 1.5 |
| 3 |  |  5k 58% |  6k 34% | 0.7 |
| 4 |  |  5l 33% 53% ^e |  6l 52% ^f 7% ^{e,f} | 0.5 |
| 5 |  |  5m 24% 58% ^e |  6m 60% ^f 27% ^{e,f} | 1.2 |

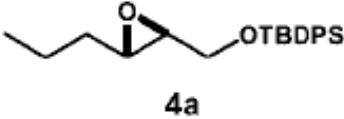
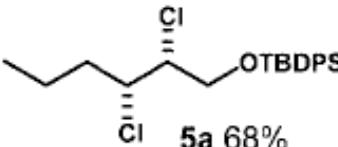
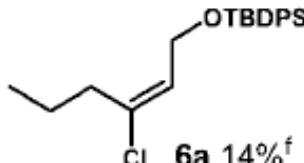
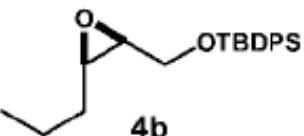
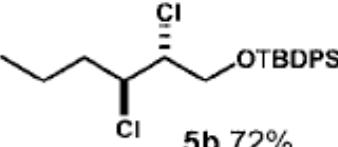
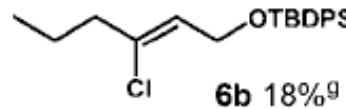
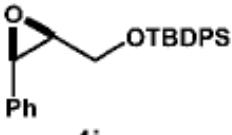
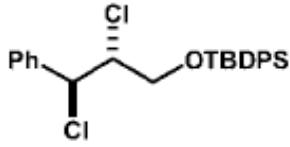
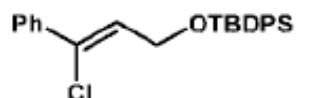
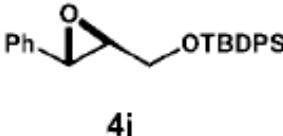
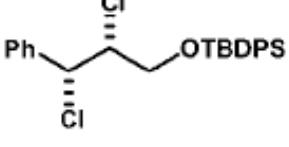
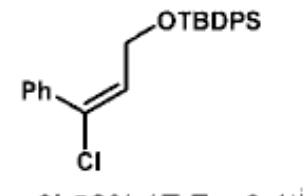
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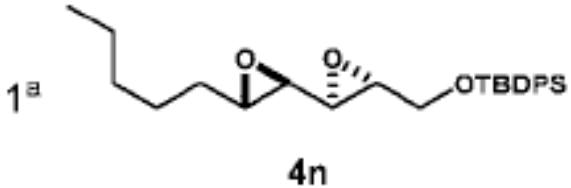
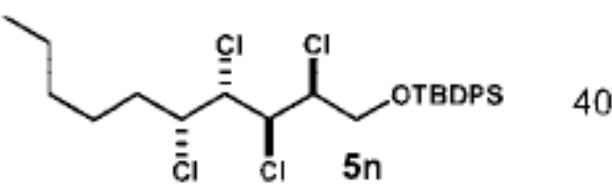
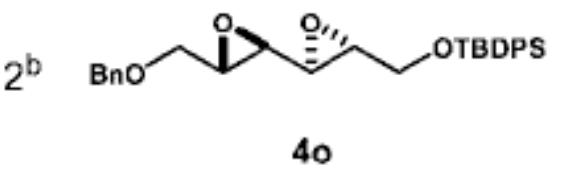
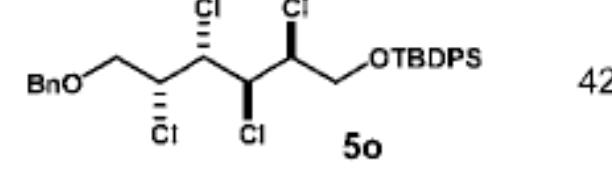
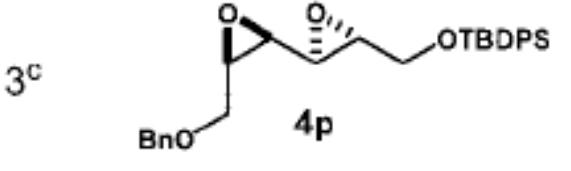
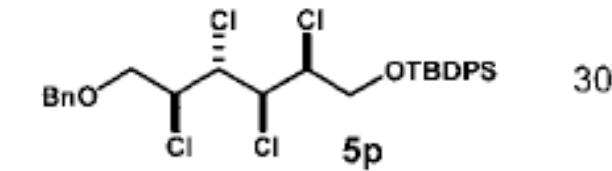
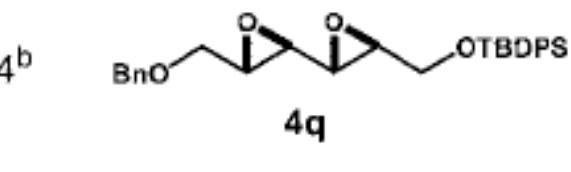
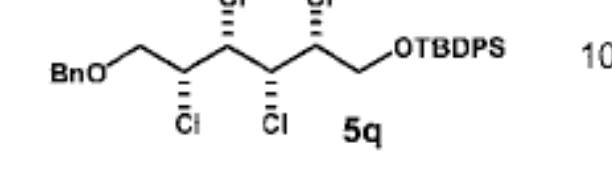
| entry | substrate | time (min) | products ^{d,e} | |
|------------------|---|------------|--|--|
| 1 ^{a,b} |  | 25 |  5a 68% |  6a 14% ^f |
| 2 ^{a,b} |  | 10 |  5b 72% |  6b 18% ^g |
| 3 ^c |  | 25 |  5i 37% (<i>syn:anti</i> = 1:14) |  6i 56% (<i>E:Z</i> = 1:25) ^h |
| 4 ^c |  | 25 |  5j 36% (<i>syn:anti</i> = 3.6:1) |  6j 52% (<i>E:Z</i> = 6:1) ⁱ |

^a The reaction was carried out using NCS (3 equiv) and Ph₂PCl (2 equiv) in CH₂Cl₂ at rt.

^b Racemic substrate was used.

^c The reaction was carried out using NCS (3 equiv) and Ph₂PCl (3 equiv) in CH₂Cl₂ at rt.

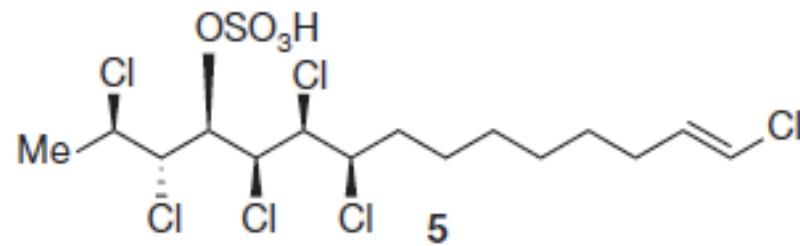
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| entry | substrate | product ^d | yield (%) ^e |
|----------------|--|---|------------------------|
| 1 ^a |  |  | 40 ^f |
| 2 ^b |  |  | 42 |
| 3 ^c |  |  | 30 ^f |
| 4 ^b |  |  | 10 |

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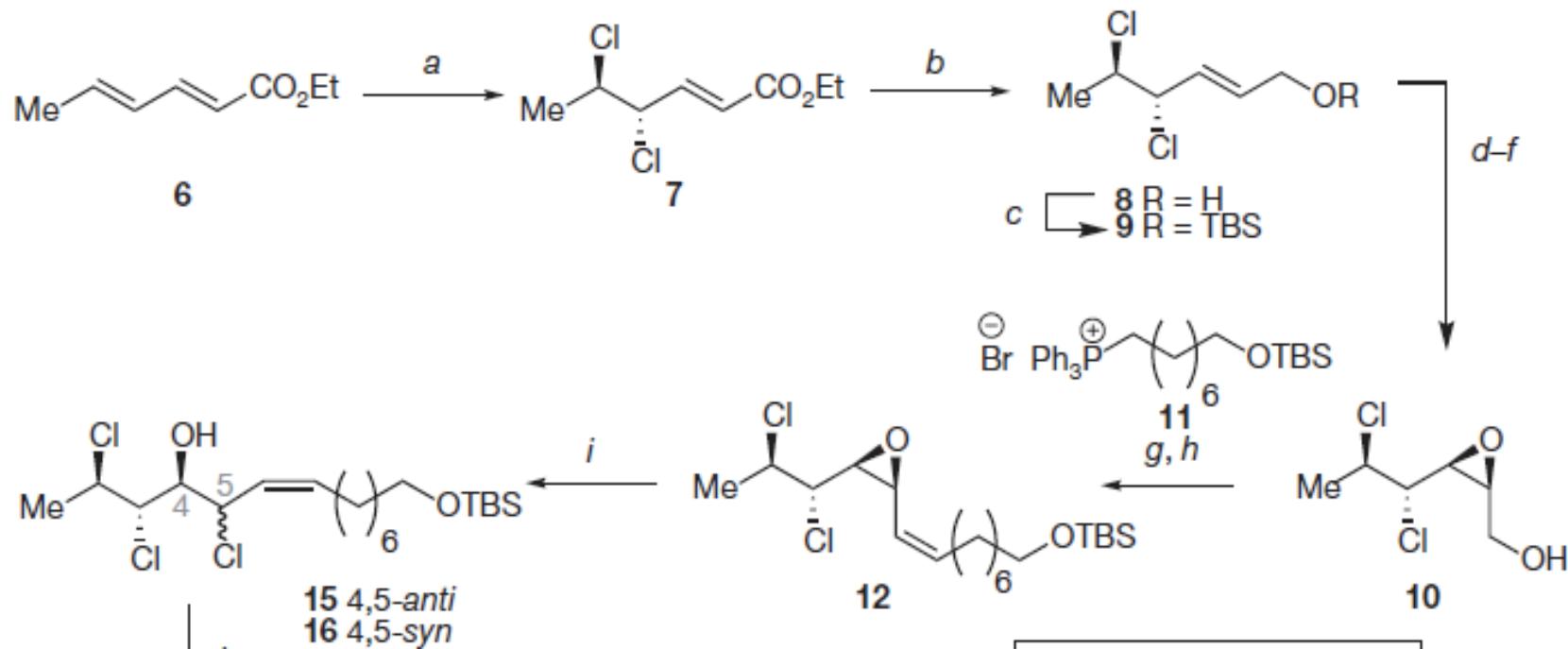
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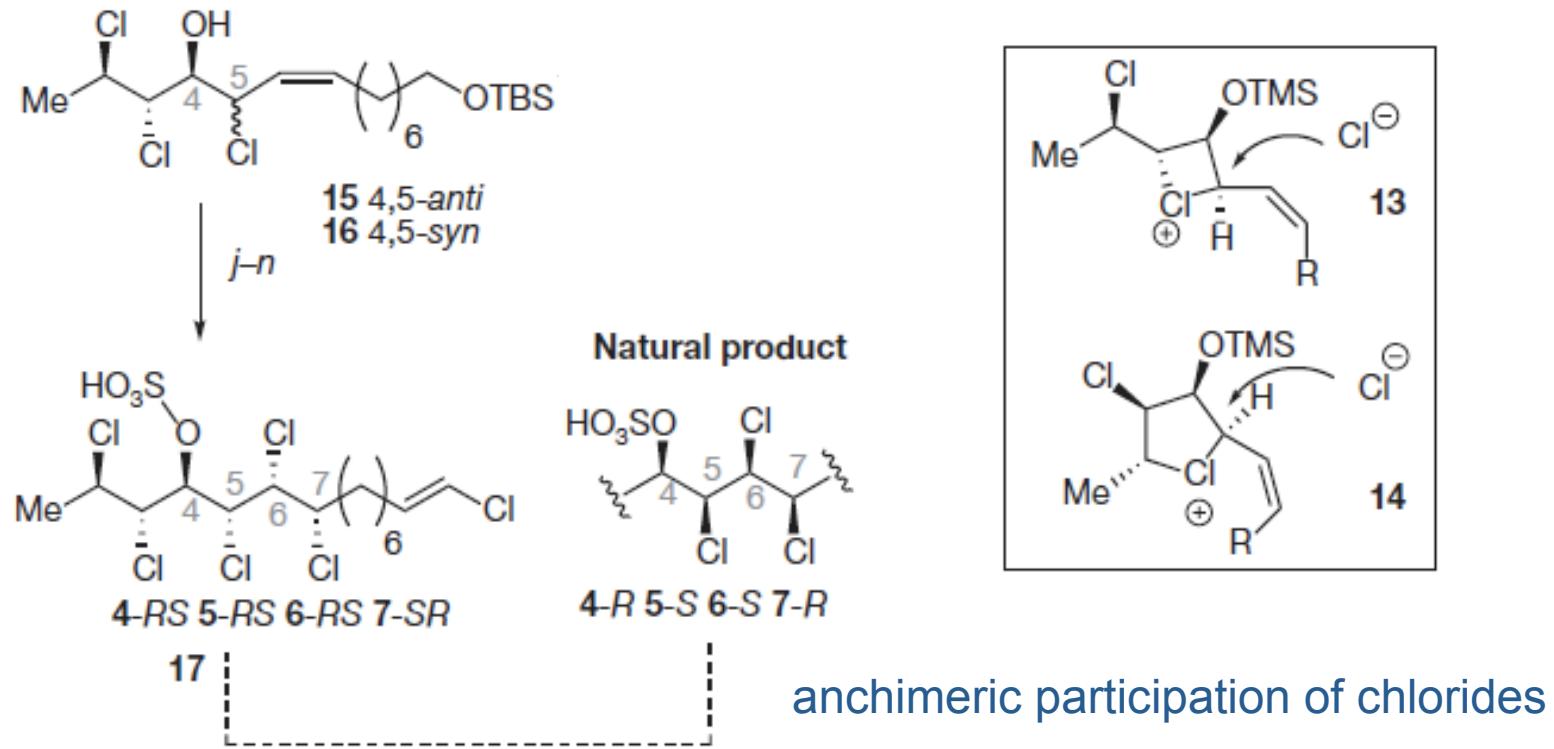
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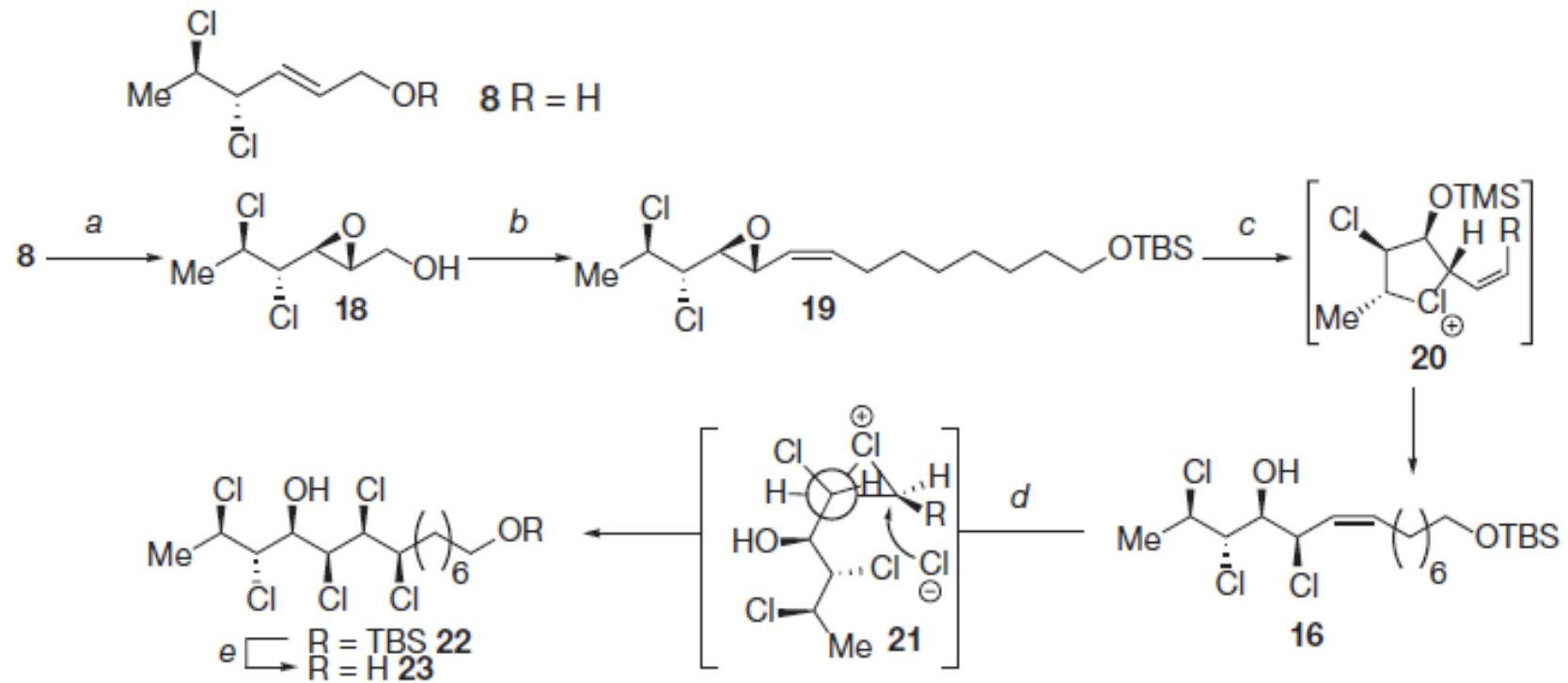
(a) $(\text{H}_5\text{C}_2)_4\text{NCl}_3$, CH_2Cl_2 , 0°C , 45 min, 68%; (b) DIBAL (2.3 equiv.), $\text{H}_5\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{C}_6$, 0°C , 10 min, 72%; (c) imidazole (1.5 equiv.), $t\text{-Bu}(\text{H}_3\text{C})_2\text{SiCl}$ (1.2 equiv.), CH_2Cl_2 , 0°C to room temperature (RT, 20°C), 30 min, 87%; (d) OsO_4 (5 mol%), NMO (1.1 equiv.), acetone/ H_2O , RT, 19 h, 68%; (e) DABCO (3.0 equiv.), $(\text{F}_3\text{CSO}_2)_2\text{O}$ (1.0 equiv.), -78°C , 10 min, then diol, -78°C to RT, 15 h, 75% (96% based on recovered starting material); (f) (1)-CSA (0.1 equiv.), CH_3OH , RT, 3 h, 98%; (g) $(\text{COCl})_2$ (1.3 equiv.), $(\text{H}_3\text{C})_2\text{SO}$ (2.5 equiv.), CH_2Cl_2 , -78°C , 10 min, then **10** (1.0 equiv.), -78°C , 30 min, then $(\text{H}_5\text{C}_2)_3\text{N}$ (5.4 equiv.) , -78°C to RT, 1h; (h) **11** (1.05 equiv.), $n\text{-BuLi}$ (1.05 equiv.), THF, -78°C , then RT, 10 min, followed by aldehyde (1.0 equiv.) at -78°C , 5 min, then RT, 30 min, 62% over two steps; (i) $(\text{H}_3\text{C})_3\text{SiCl}$ (2.0 equiv.), CH_2Cl_2 , $\text{H}_3\text{CCO}_2\text{C}_2\text{H}_5$, 11.5 h, 39% **15**, 4% **16**, 10% mixture of $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2'$ products (31% starting material recovered);

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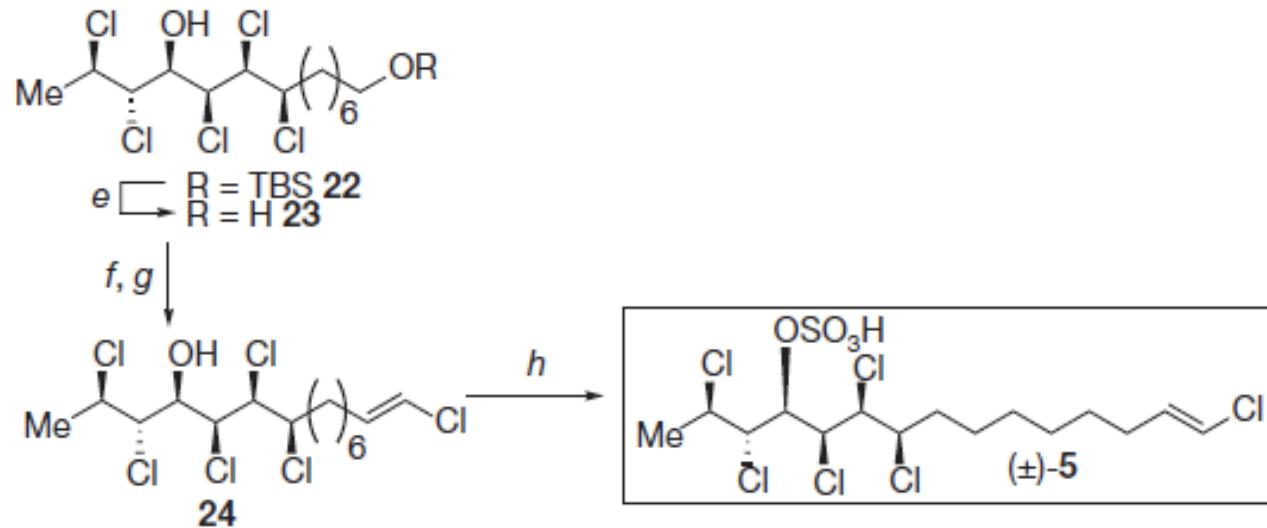
(j) $(\text{H}_5\text{C}_2)_4\text{NCl}_3$ (3.0 equiv.), CH_2Cl_2 , 0 °C, 10 min, 51%; (k) (+)-CSA (10 mol%), CH_3OH , 12 h, 80%; (l) DAIB (1.1 equiv.), TEMPO (0.1 equiv.), CH_2Cl_2 , RT, 16.5 h; (m) CrCl_2 (6.9 equiv.), CHCl_3 (2.6 equiv.), THF, 65 °C, 49% over two steps; (n) SO_3 -pyridine (6.0 equiv.), THF, 30 min, 27% (66% starting material recovered).

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(a) *m*-CPBA, CH_2Cl_2 , 0 °C to RT, d.r.=1:1, 95% overall; (b) 4 Å molecular sieves, NMO (1.1 equiv.), TPAP (5 mol%), CH_2Cl_2 , 6h; **11** (1.6 equiv.), n-BuLi (1.6 equiv.), THF, -78 °C, RT, 10 min; then addition of the aldehyde solution to the phosphonium ylide at -78 °C, 1 h, then RT, 1.5 h, 34% (56% based on recovered starting material); (c) $(\text{H}_3\text{C})_3\text{SiCl}$ (2.0 equiv.), CH_2Cl_2 , $\text{H}_3\text{CCO}_2\text{C}_2\text{H}_5$, 9 h, 43% (73% based on recovered starting material); (d) $(\text{H}_5\text{C}_2)_4\text{NCl}_3$ (3.0 equiv.), CH_2Cl_2 , -78 °C, 2 h, d.r.=10:1, 93% overall; (e) (+)-CSA (10 mol%), CH_3OH , 12 h, 98%;

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(e) (+)-CSA (10 mol%), CH_3OH , 12 h, 98%; (f) DAIB (1.3 equiv.), TEMPO (0.2 equiv.), CH_2Cl_2 , RT, 16.5 h; (g) CrCl_2 (6.8 equiv.), CHCl_3 (2.5 equiv.), THF, 65 uC, 47% over two steps; (h) SO_3^- -pyridine (3.0 equiv.), THF, 20 min, 99%.

Conclusions

- Polyflurinated and polychlorinated compounds have newly gained synthetic interests.
- Enantio- and stereoselective methods are needed.

