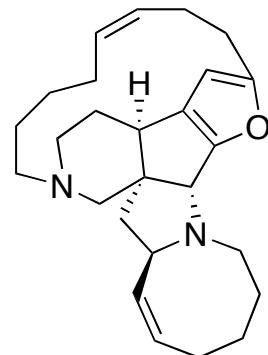


# Total synthesis of (-)-Nakadomarin A



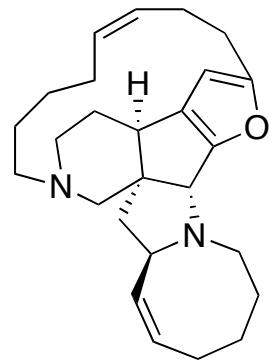
(-)-Nakadomarin A

Jakubec, P.; Cockfield, D. M.; Dixon, D. J.  
J. Am. Soc. Chem. ASAP.

# Outline

- Biological activity
- Previous synthesis
- Synthesis from the paper
  - Retrosynthesis
  - Forward synthesis

# Biological activity



# (-)-Nakadomarin A

Isolated in 1997 from a sea sponge *Amphimedon*  
by Kobayashi off the coast of the Kerama Islands, Okinawa

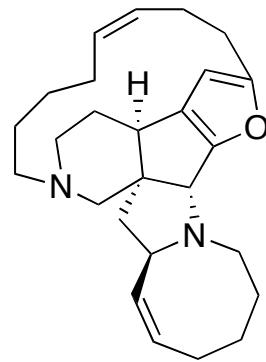
only known member of the manzamine family to contain a furan ring

Limited availability from nature:  
6 mg isolated from 1 kg of wet sponge

Bioactivity includes anticancer, antifungal and antibacterial

Kobayashi, J.; Watanabe, D.; Kawasaki, N.; Tsuda, M. *J. Org. Chem.* **1997**, *62*, 9236-9239.

# Structure



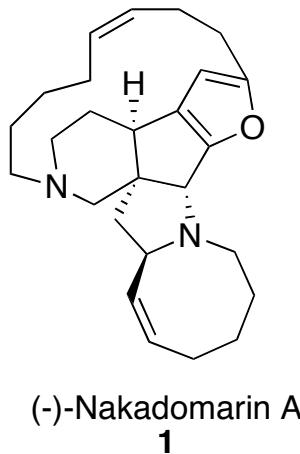
(-)-Nakadomarin A  
**1**

Structural features:

- Ring system: 8/5/5/5//15/6
- 4 stereogenic centers, 1 quaternary
- Z alkene

Kobayashi, J.; Watanabe, D.; Kawasaki, N.; Tsuda, M. *J. Org. Chem.* **1997**, *62*, 9236-9239.

# Previous Synthesis



## ***Completed Syntheses:***

(+)-Nakadomarin A:

Nagata, Nakagawa and Nishida, JACS, 2003, 125, 7484

Young and Kerr, JACS, 2007, 129, 1465

(-)-Nakadomarin A: Ono, Nakagawa and Nishida, ACIE, 2004, 43, 2020

## ***Published Approaches:***

Furstner, JACS, 1999, 121, 11108

Magnus, TL, 2002, 43, 947

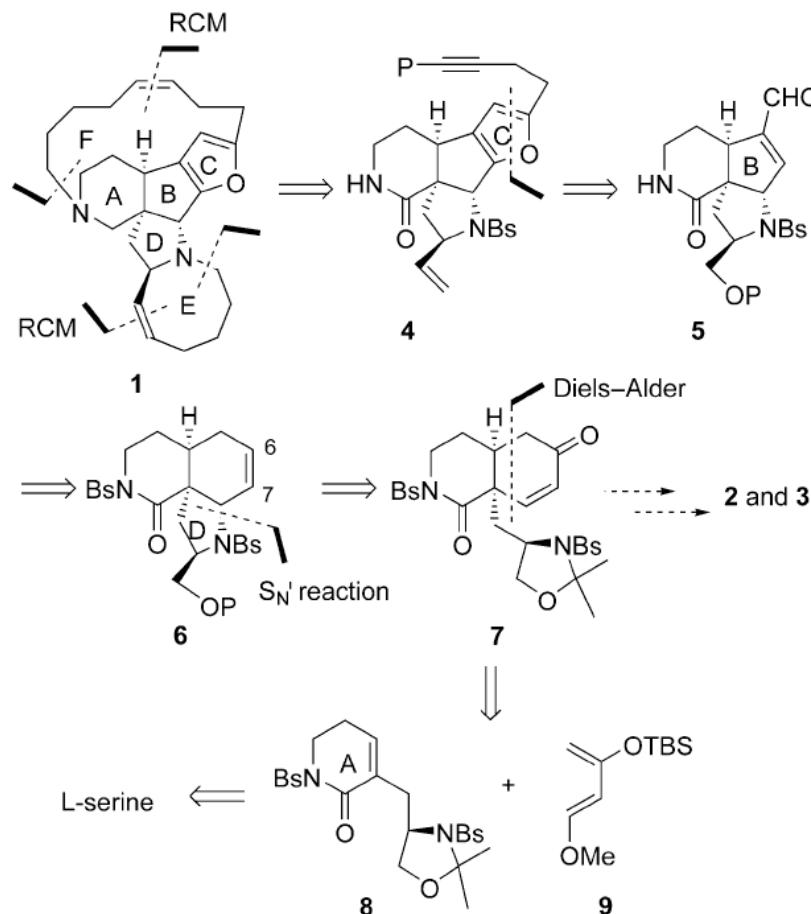
Tius, OL, 2003, 5, 1171

Williams, OL, 2004, 6, 4539

Funk, OL, 2006, 8, 3833.

# Nakagawa's synthesis

## (-)-Nakadomarin A

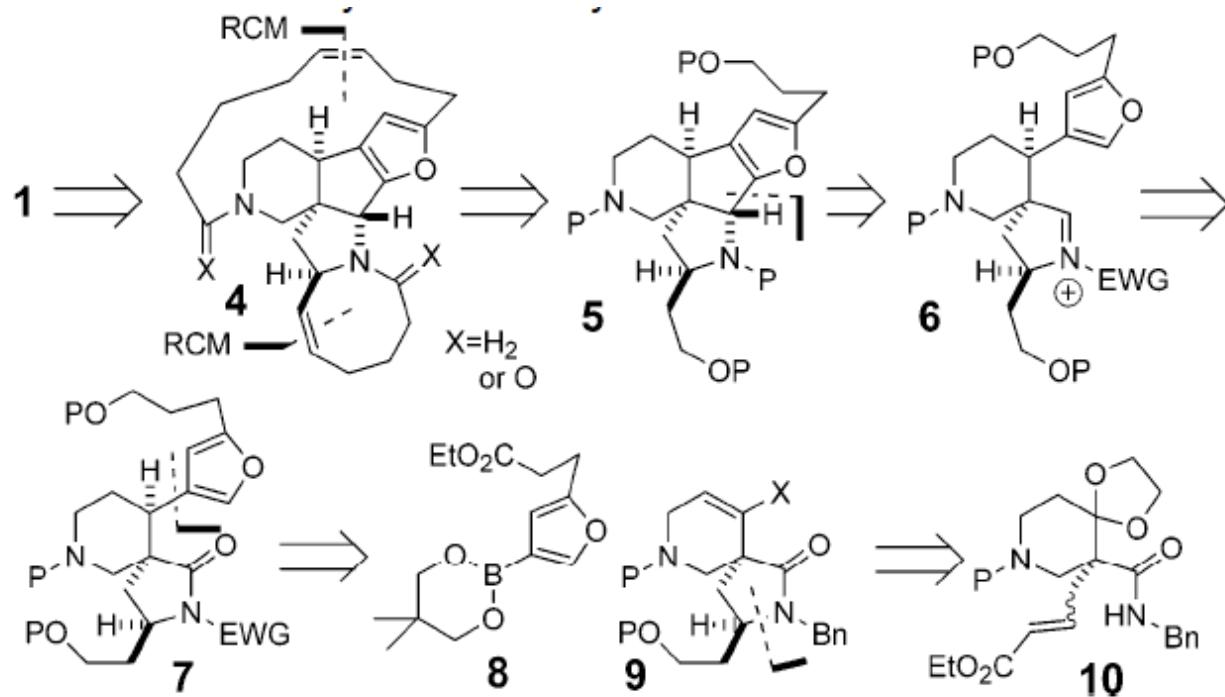


Forward Synthesis:

36 longest linear steps

2.5 mg of the target product.

# Nakagawa's synthesis (+)-Nakadomarin A

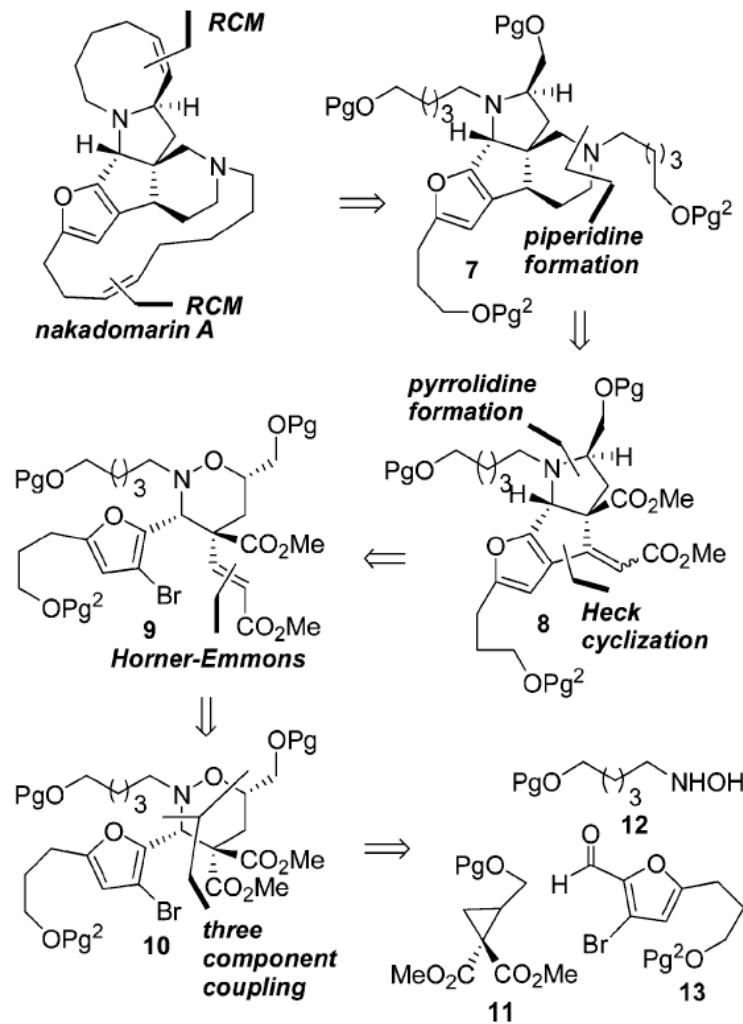


Forward synthesis: 37 longest linear steps

Nagata, T.; Nakawaga, M.; Nishida, A. J. Am. Chem. Soc. 2003, 125, 7484.

# Kerr's synthesis

## (+)-Nakadomarin A

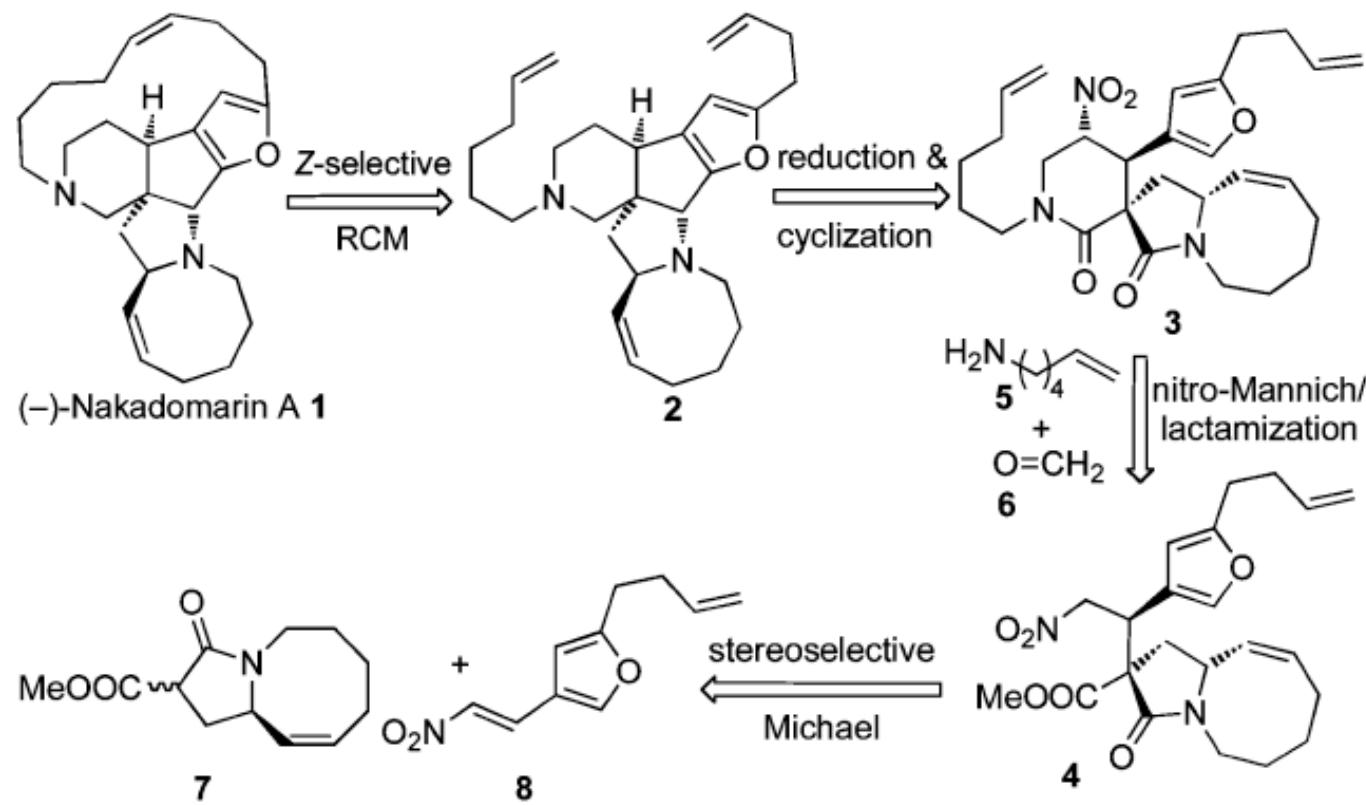


Forward synthesis:

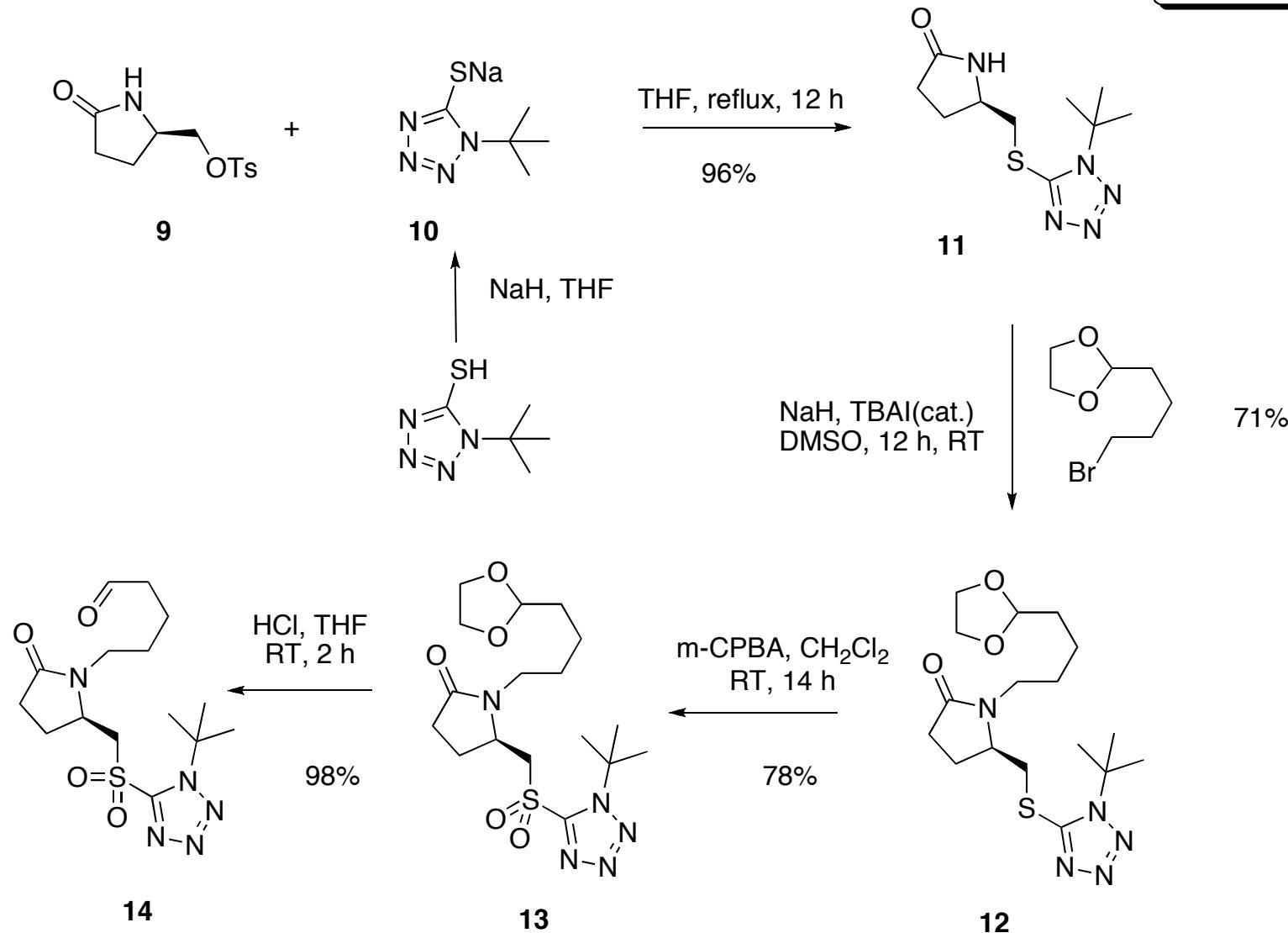
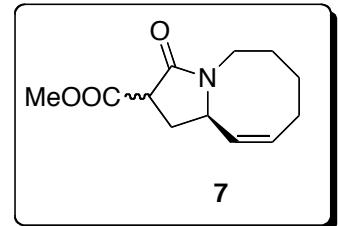
29 longest linear steps

Young, I. S.; Kerr, M. A. J. Am. Soc. Chem. 2007, 129, 1465.

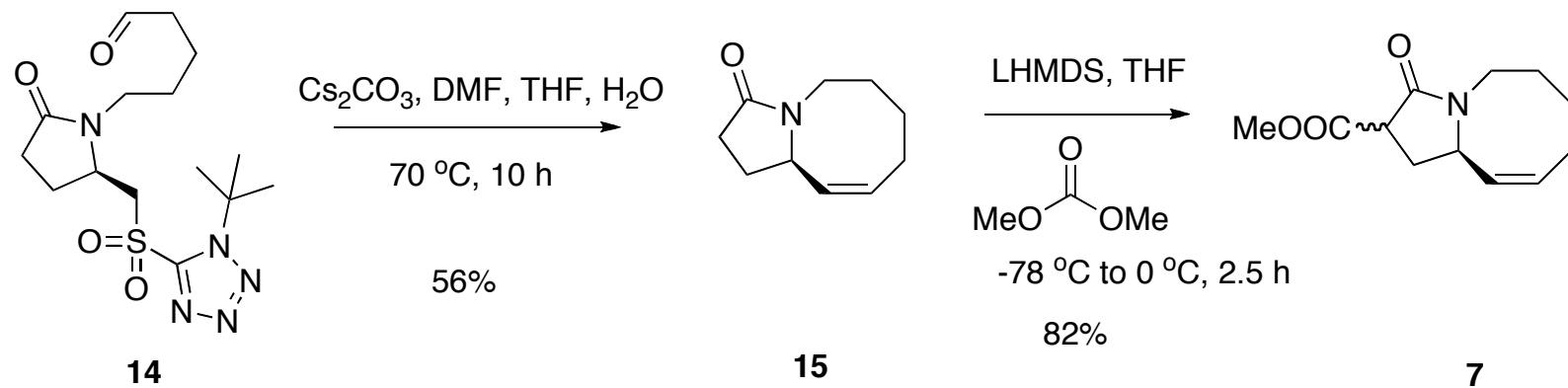
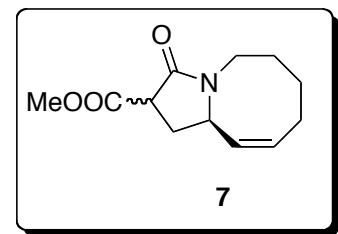
# Retrosynthetic analysis



# Synthesis of fragment 7

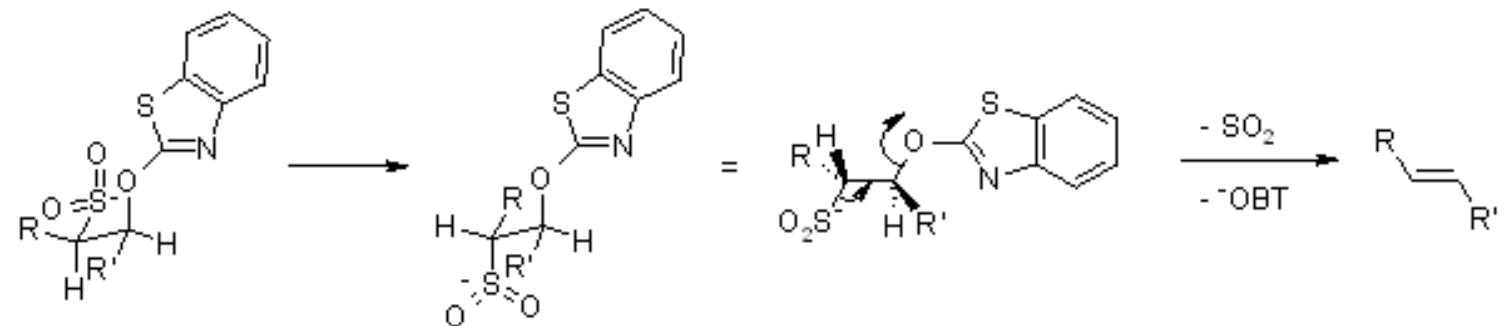
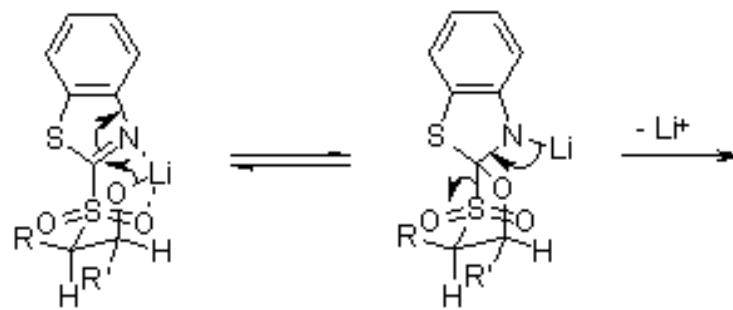
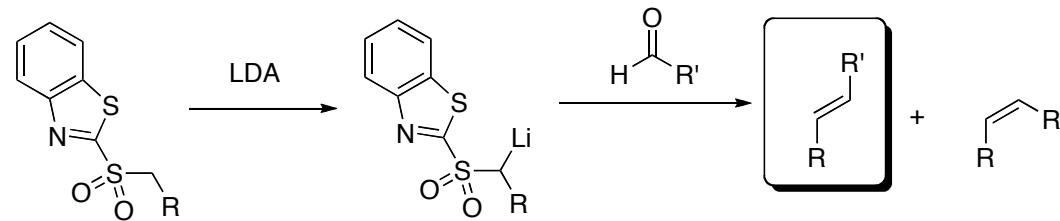


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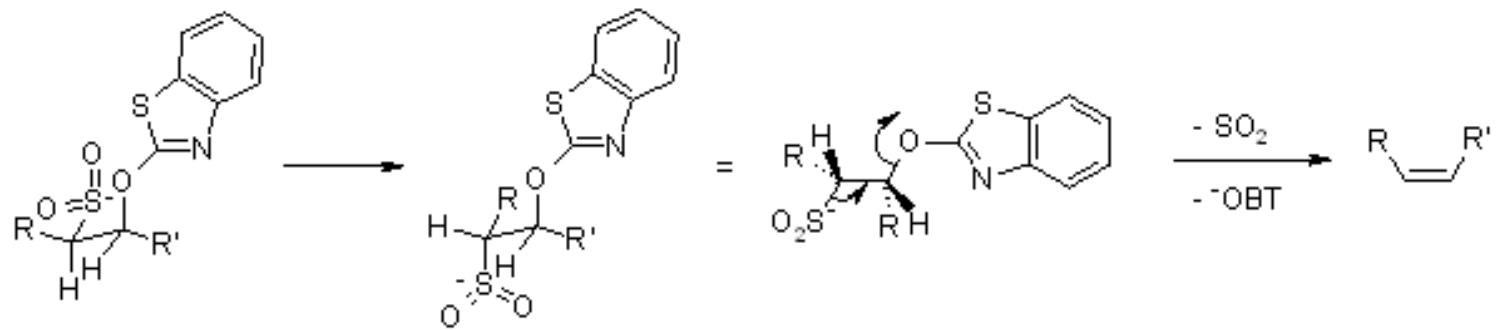
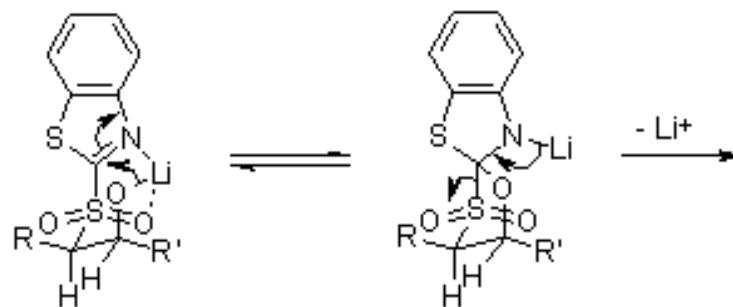
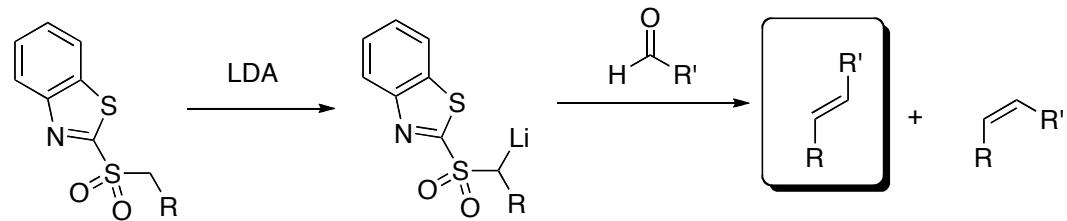


Intramolecular Julia-Kocienski

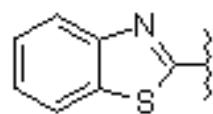
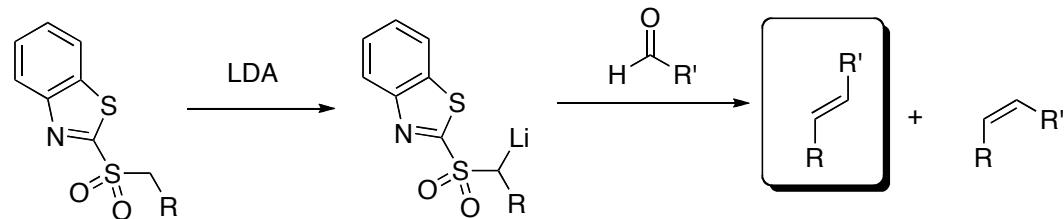
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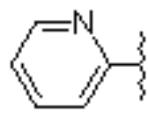
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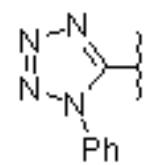
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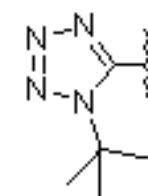
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Py



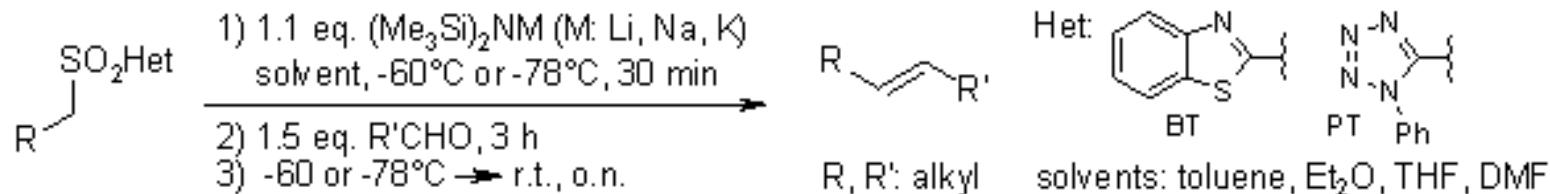
PT



TBT

Py, PT, TBT provides even higher E selectivity than BT in intermolecular reactions.

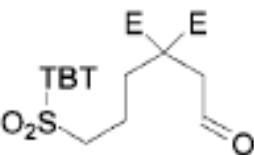
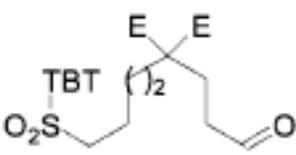
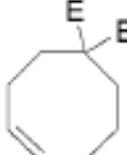
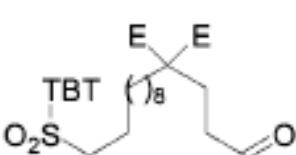
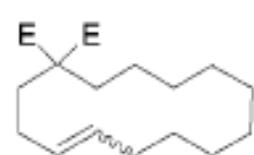
# Julia-Kocienski olefination



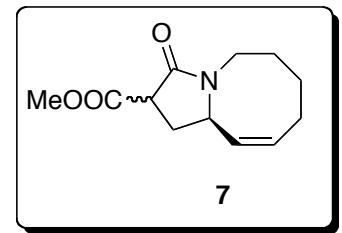
Entry	Solvent	M	Benzothiazole (BT)		Phenyltetrazole (PT)	
			% Yield 13	E:Z	% Yield 13	E:Z
1		Li	88	70:30	85	39:61
2	PhMe	Na	66	86:14	83	67:33
3		K	48	76:24	68	98:2
4		Li	70	67:33	74	41:59
5	Et <sub>2</sub> O	Na	75	87:13	98	53:47
6		K	68	78:22	28	92:8
7		Li	87	72:28	90	53:47
8	THF	Na	84	67:33	71	48:52
9		K	85	40:60	58	97:3
10		Li	83	58:42	100	40:60
11	DME	Na	96	55:45	100	84:16
12		K	100	36:64	59	99:1

Blakemore, P. R.; Cole, W. J. Kocienski, P. J. *Synlett*, 2008, 26.

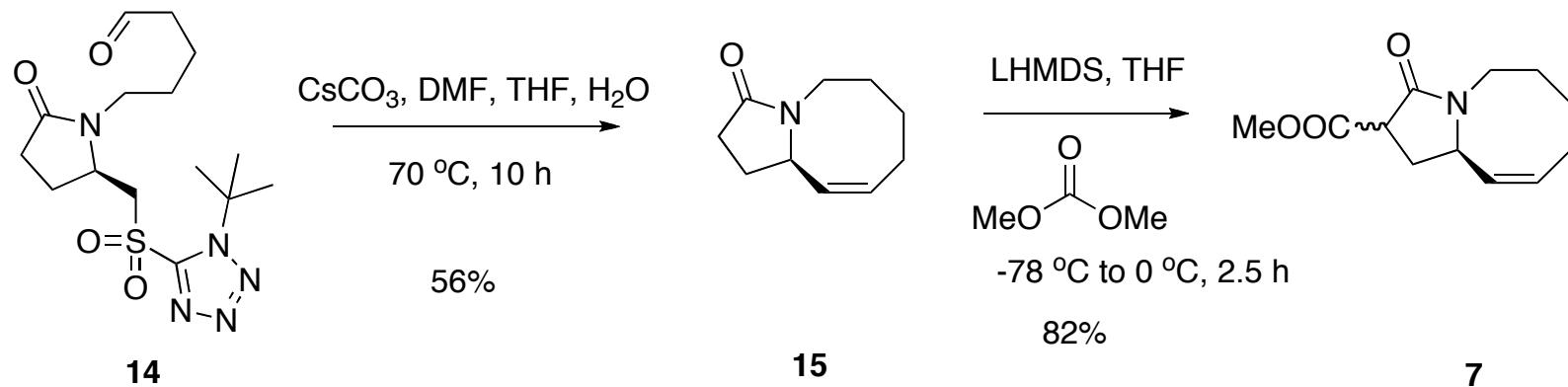
# Intramolecular Julia-Kocienski olefination

Precursor	Cycloalkene	Yield% ( <i>E/Z</i> )
 <b>52</b>	 <b>55</b>	91
 <b>53</b>	 <b>56</b>	32 (1/1) <sup>a,b</sup>
 <b>54</b>	 <b>57</b>	56 (2/1) <sup>a,b</sup>

<sup>a</sup> THF was replaced by dioxane. <sup>b</sup> *E/Z* ratio was determined by NMR.



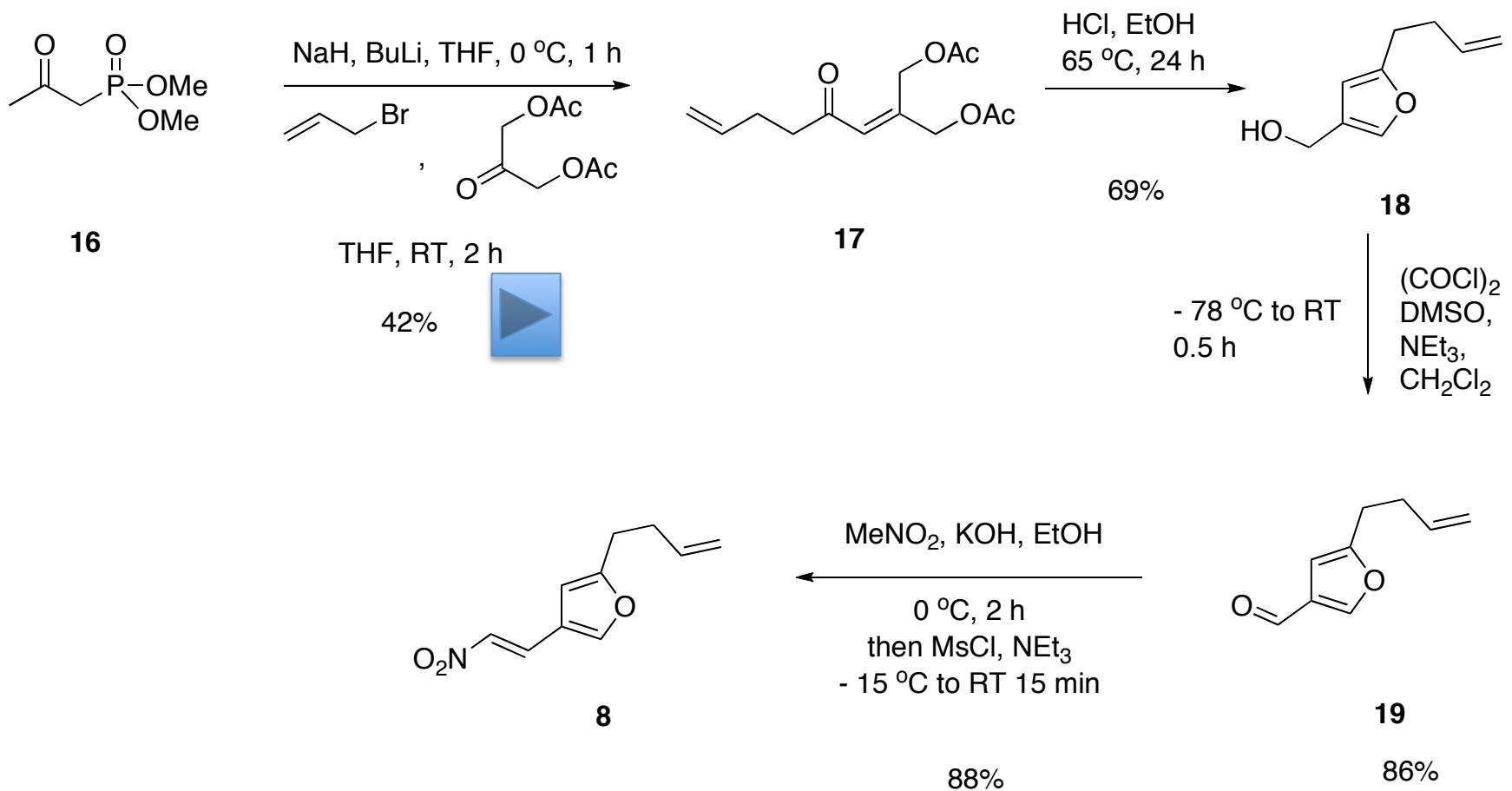
# Synthesis of fragment 7



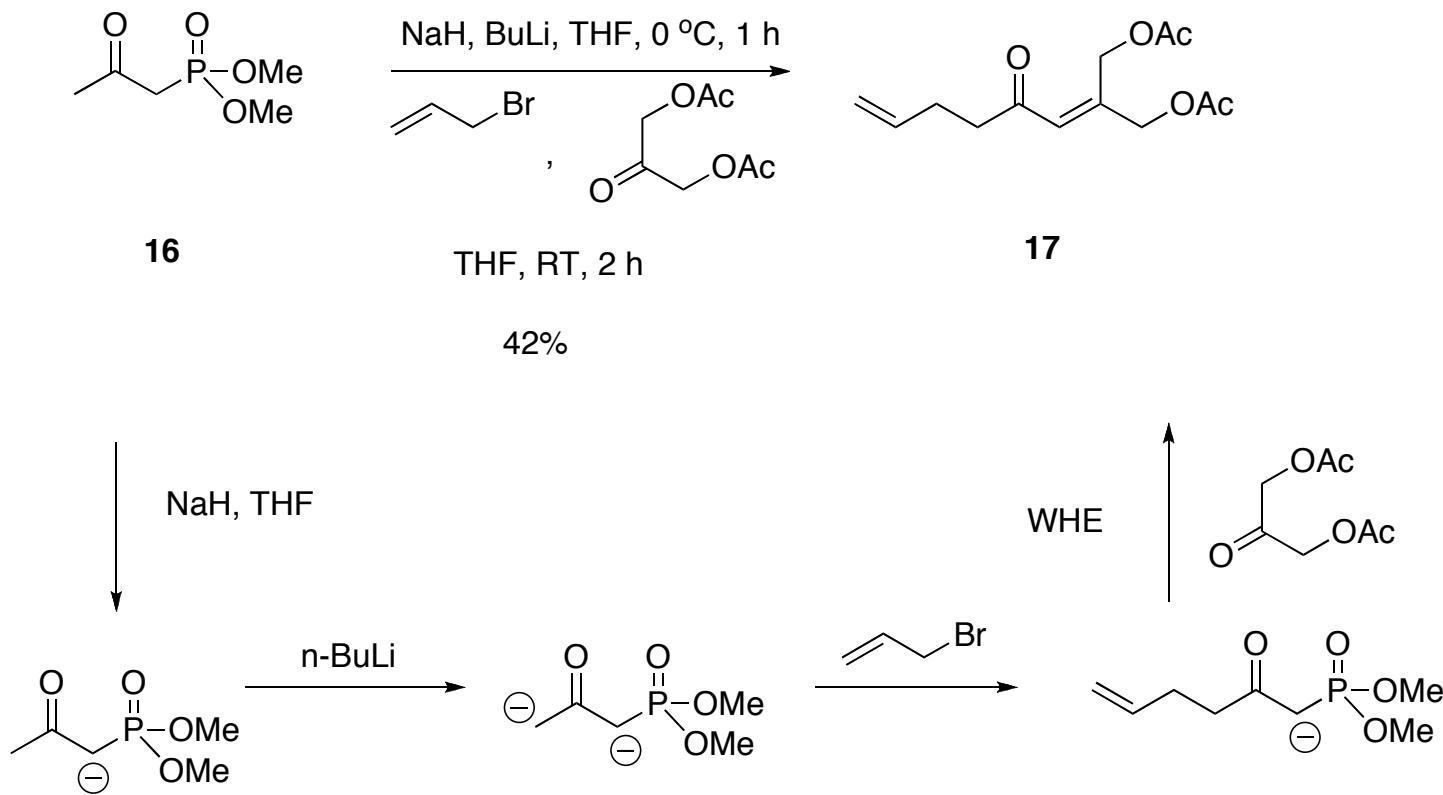
Intramolecular Julia-Kocienski

First example of Intramolecular Julia-Kocienski in complex natural product synthesis

# Synthesis of fragment 8

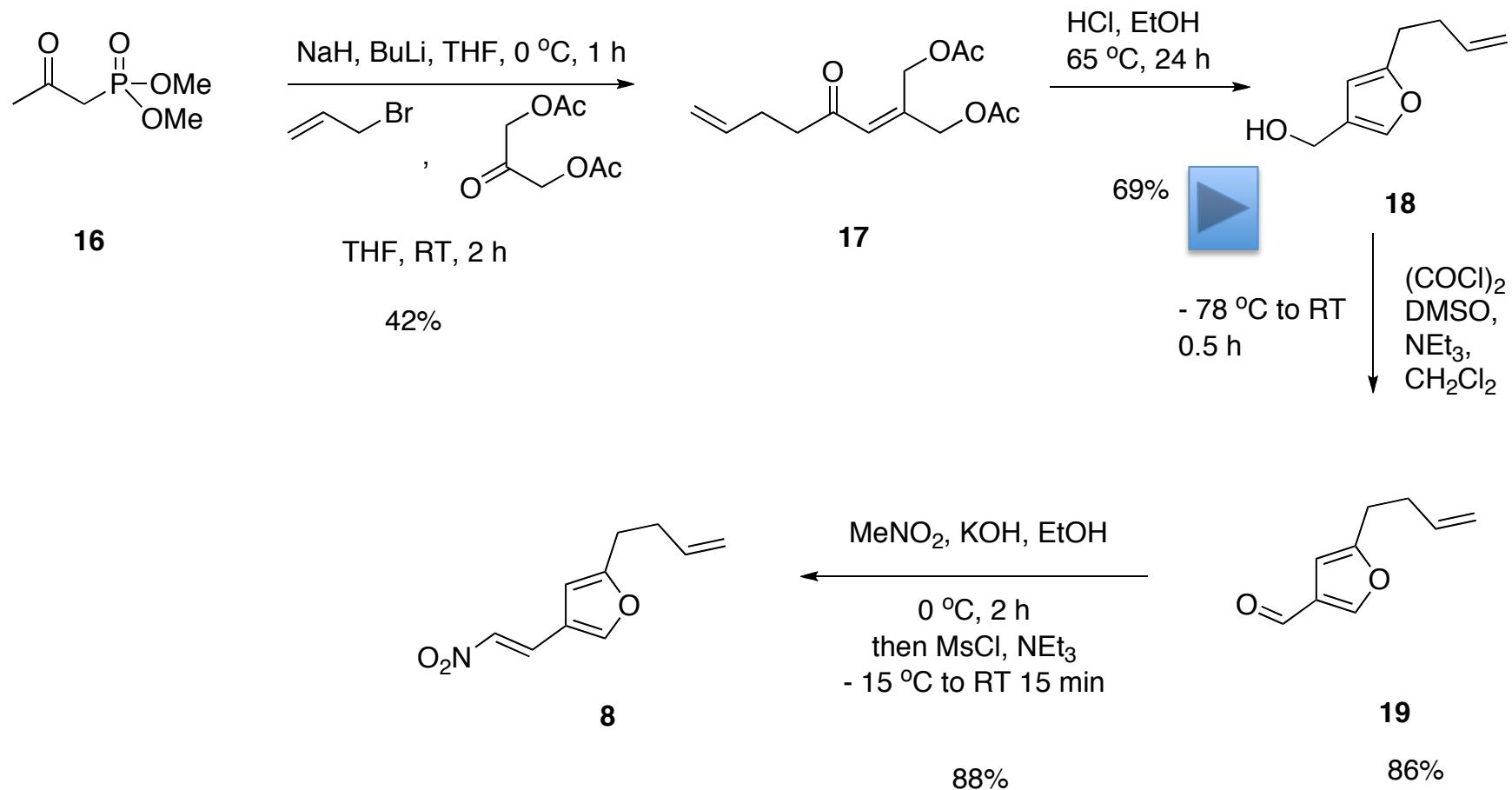


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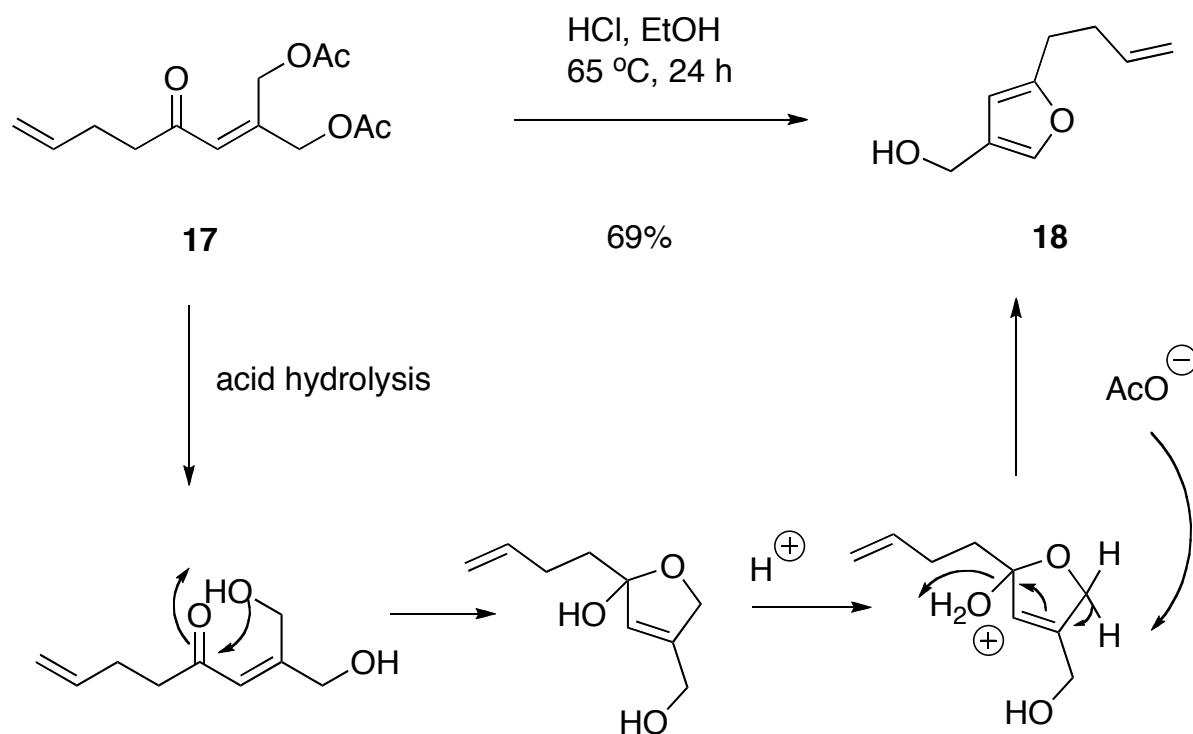


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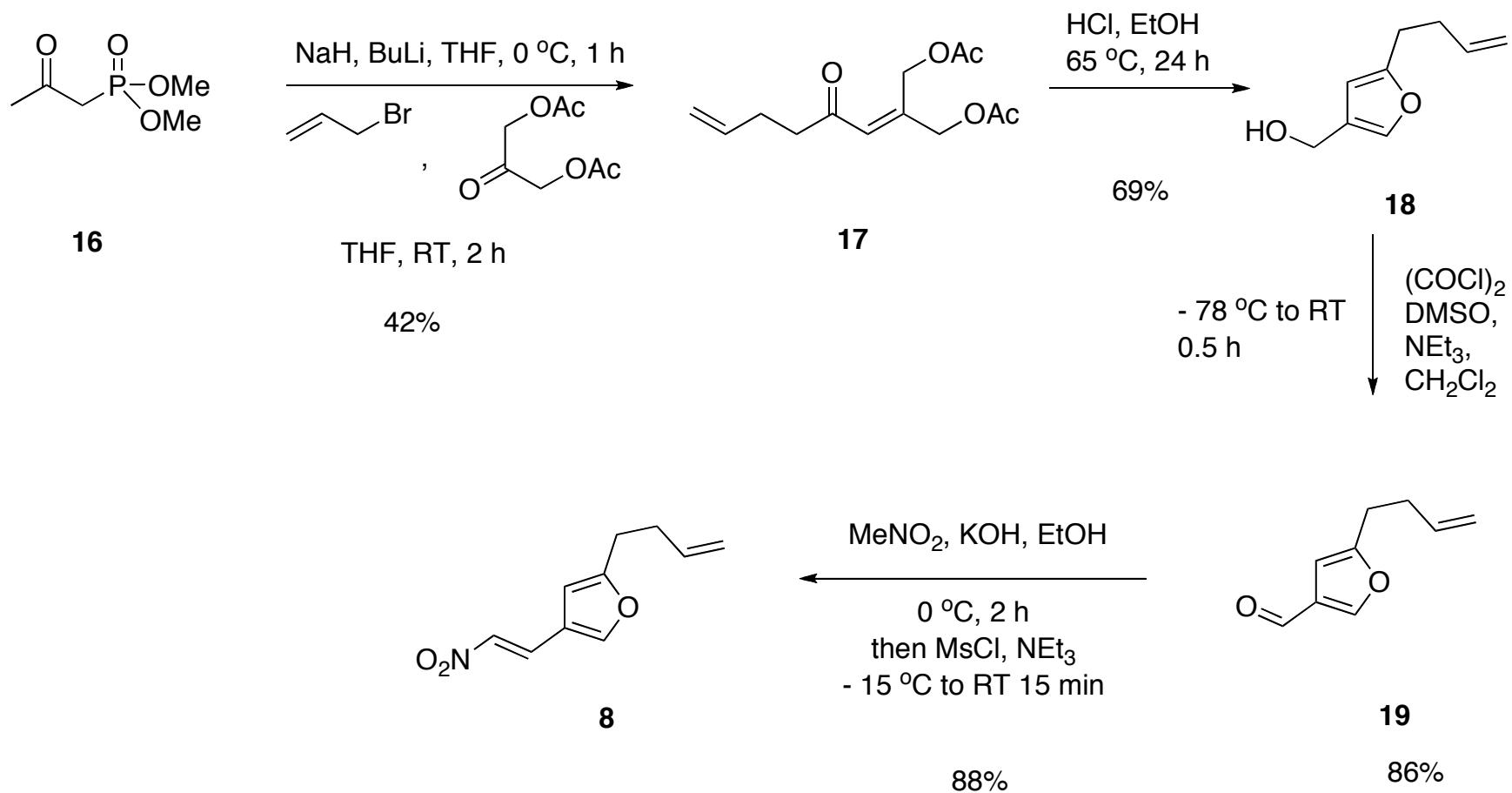
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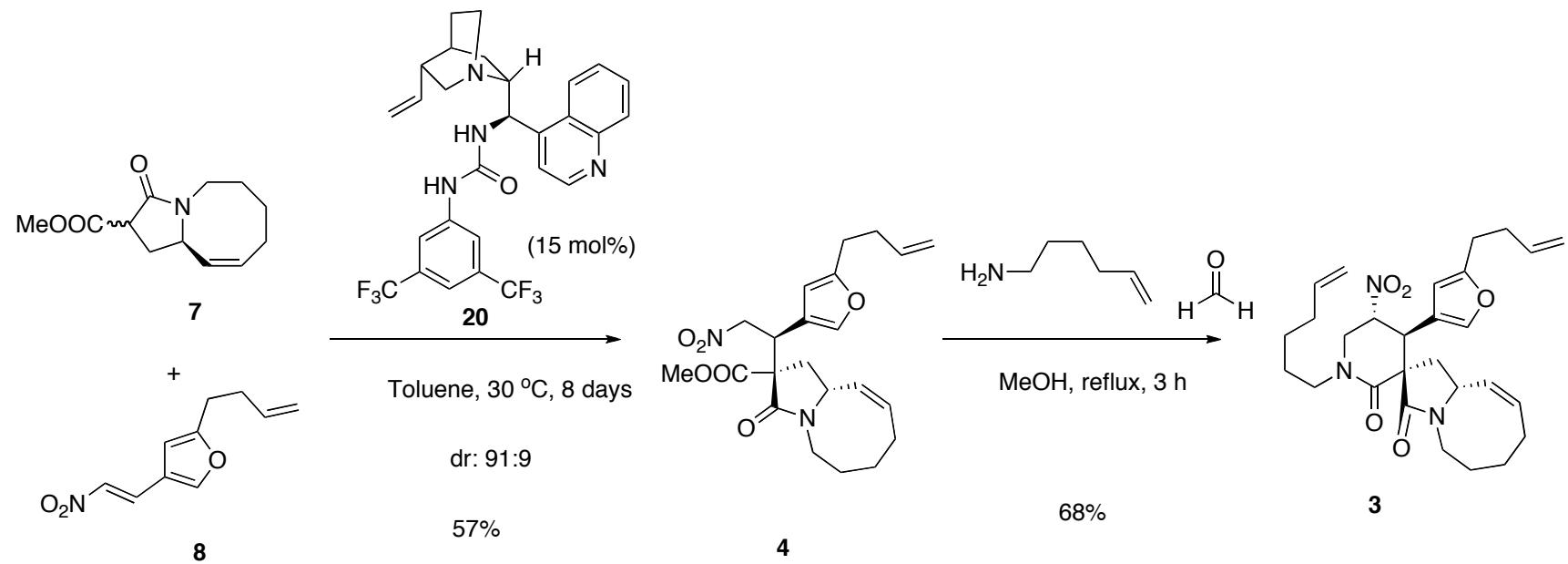
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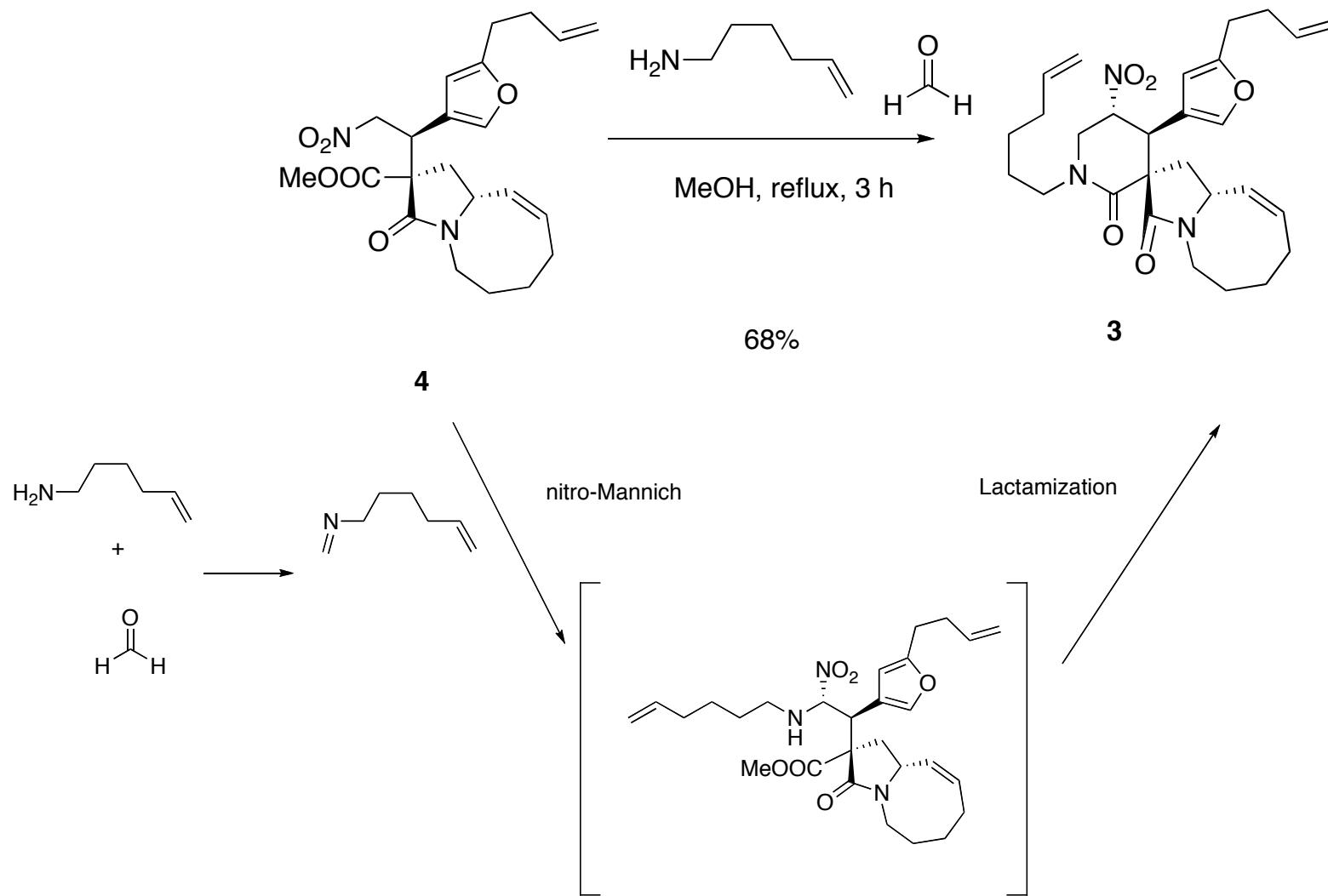


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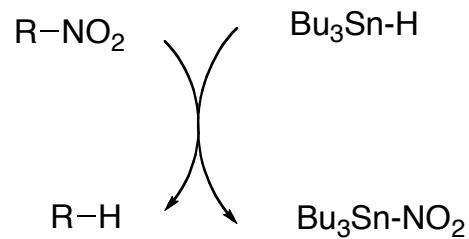
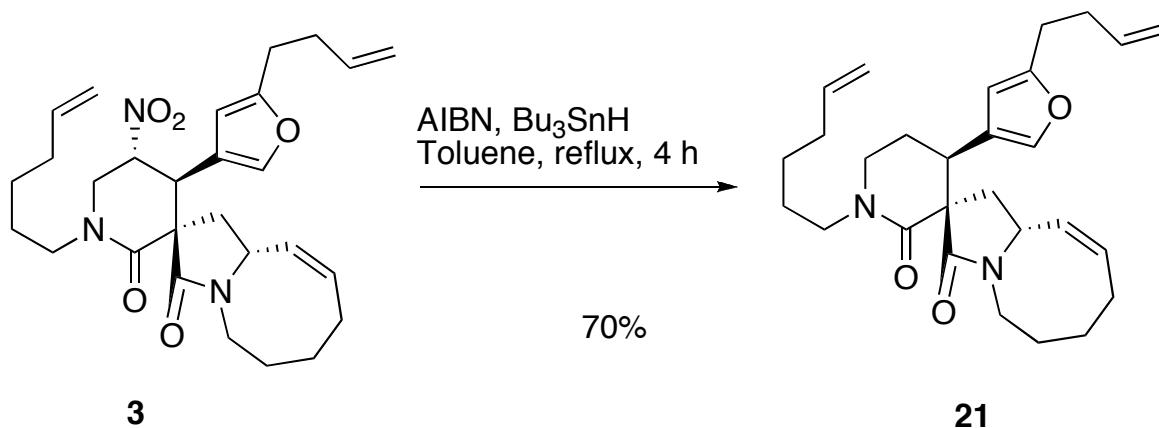


Nitro-Mannich/Lactamization cascade

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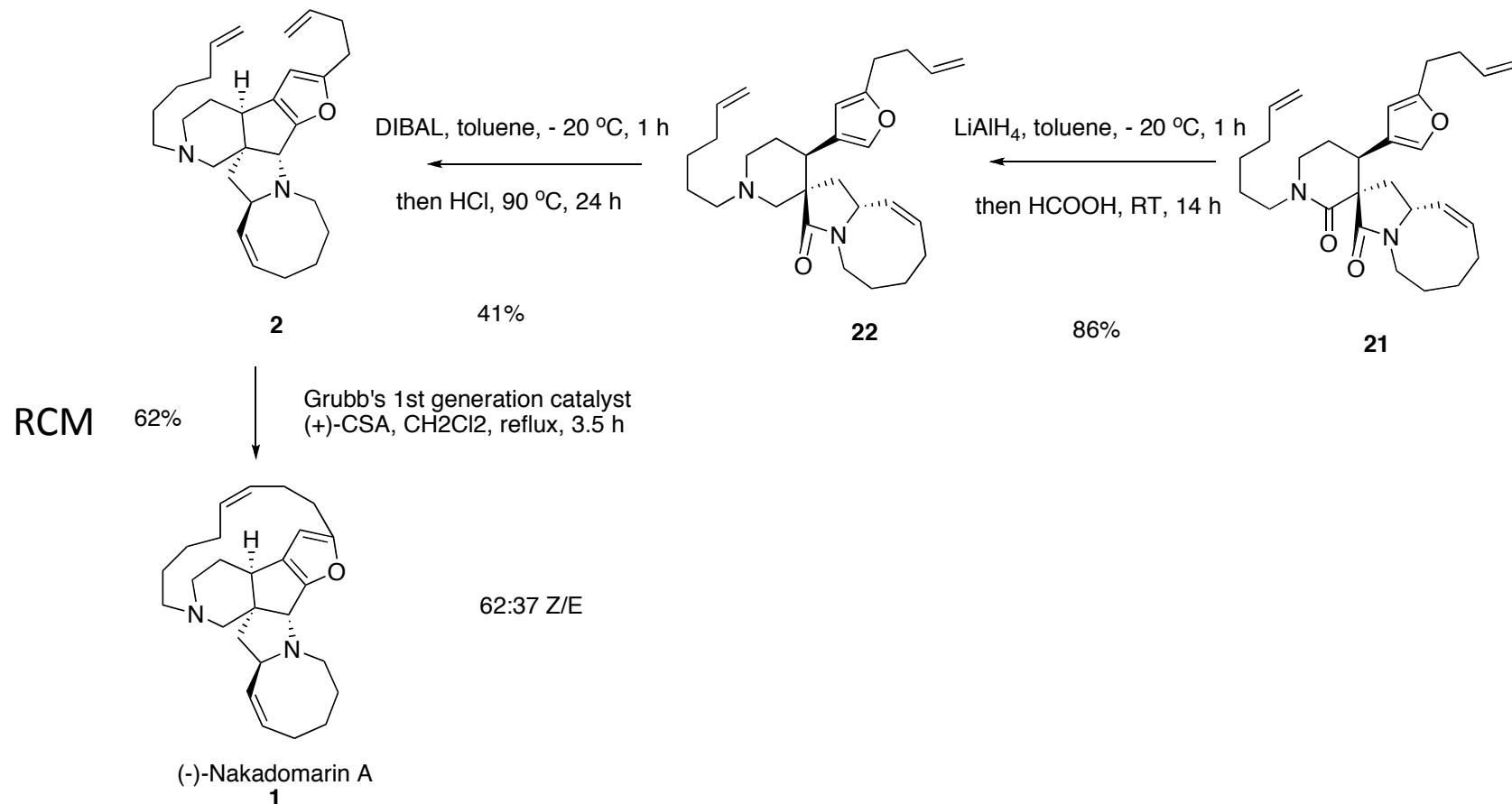


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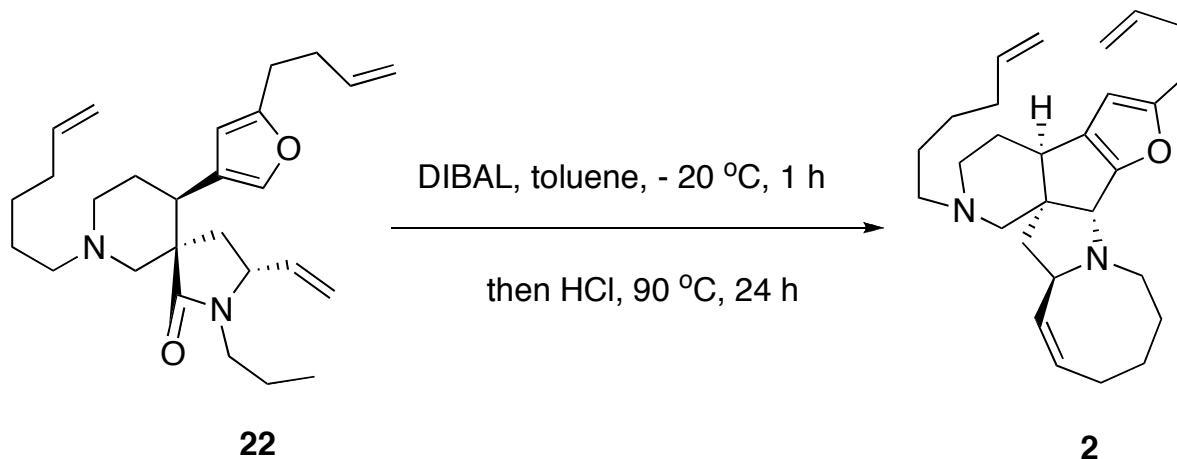


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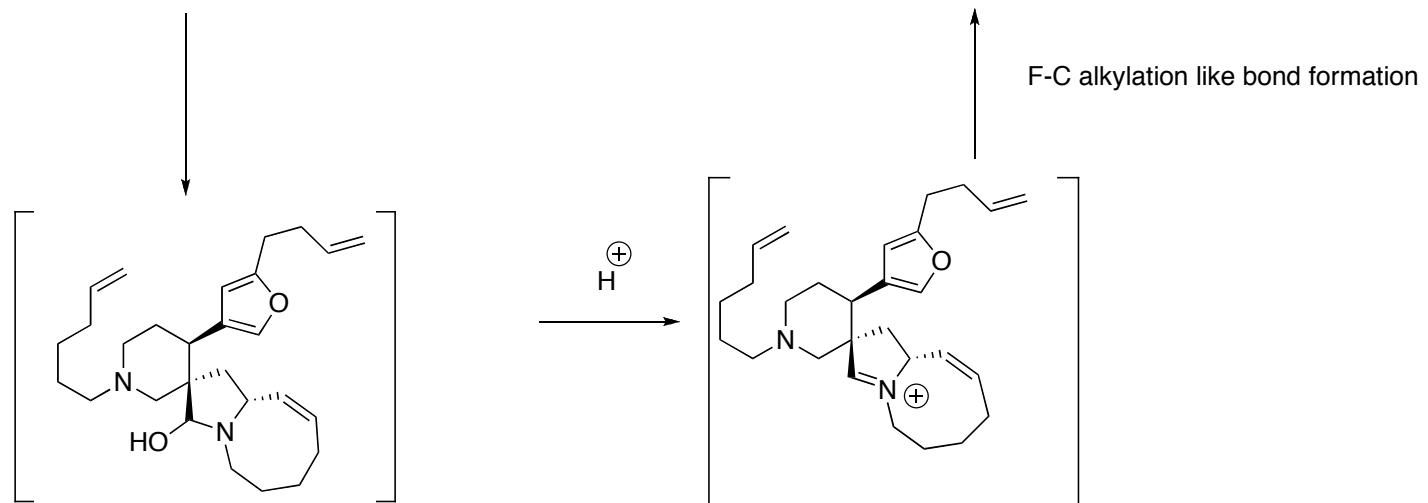
## Selective reduction of lactam



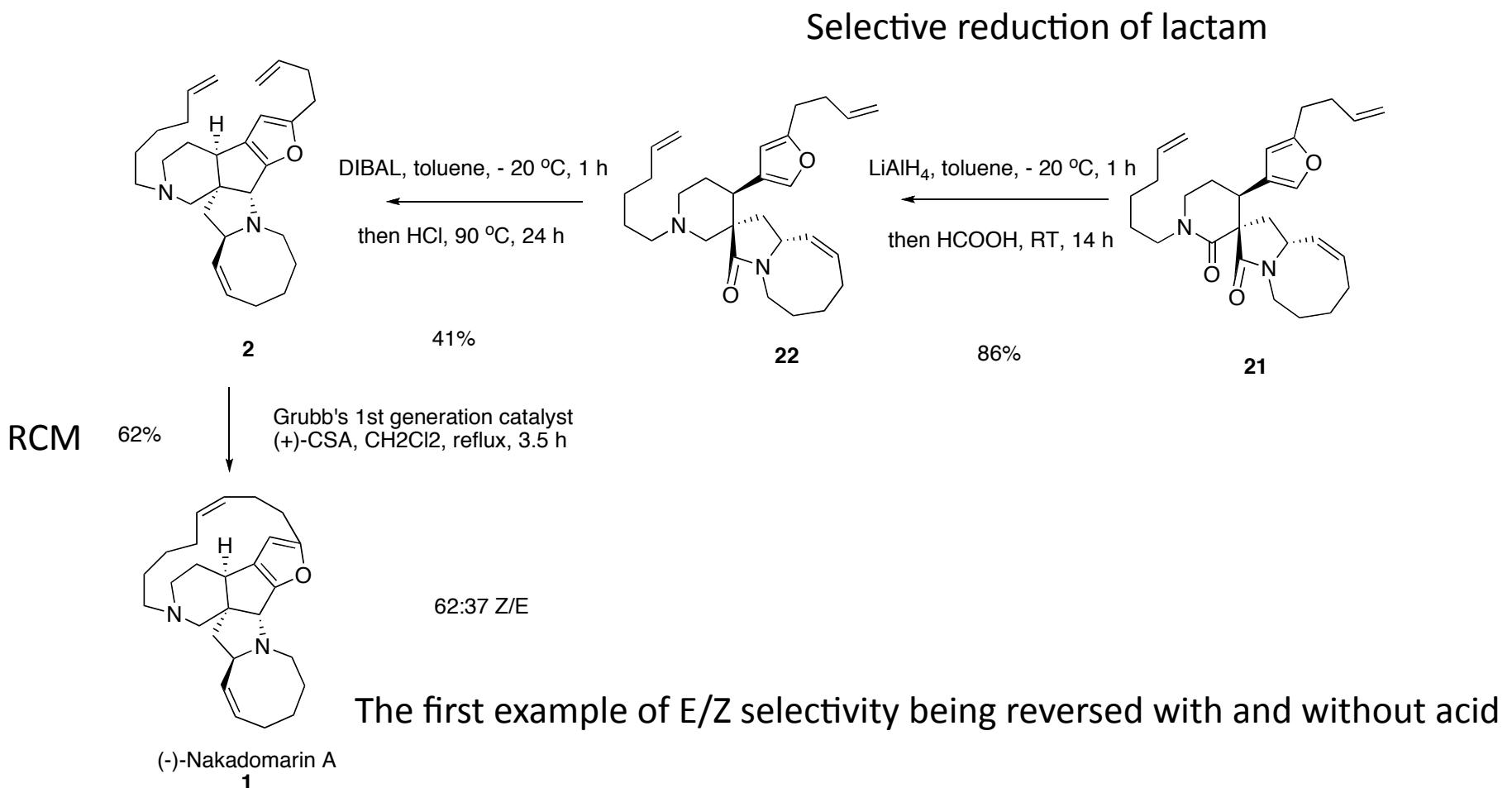
# Forward synthesis



Reduction/iminium ion formation/diastereoselective C-C bond forming cyclization



# Forward synthesis



Thank you!