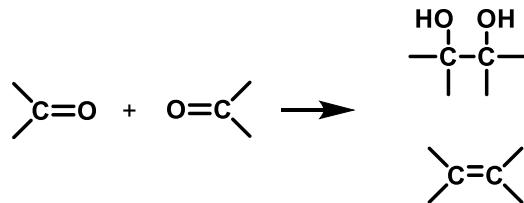
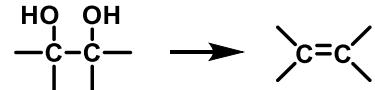


Organic synthesis

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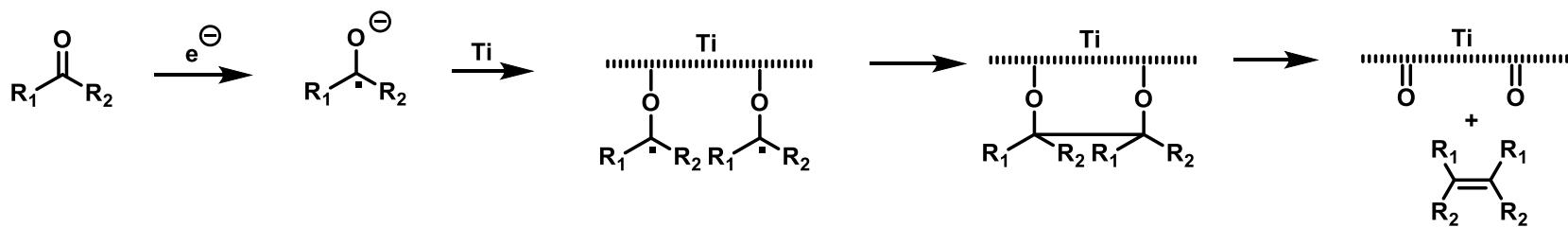
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reduction

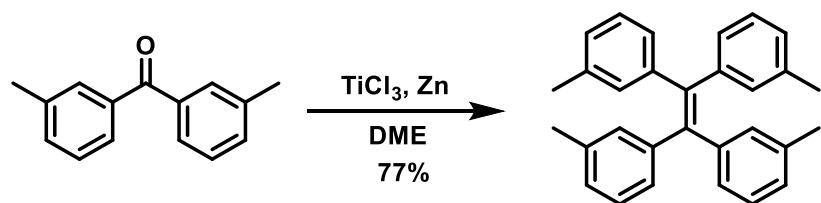
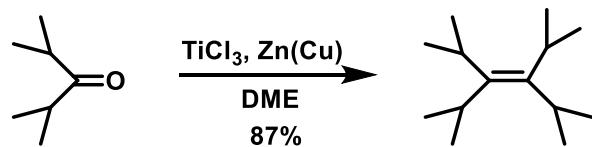


McMurry reaction

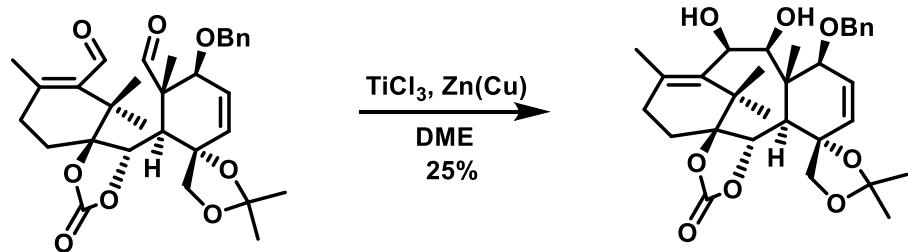
- reductive coupling of carbonyl compounds on Ti



- can be used for preparation of *sterically hindered* olefins
- reaction can be stopped in the diol phase

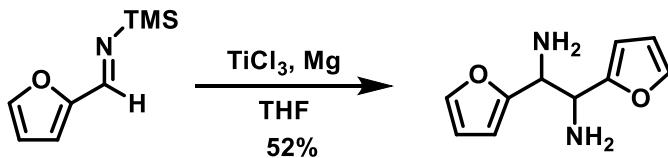


Tetrahedron **1986**, *42*, 2111..

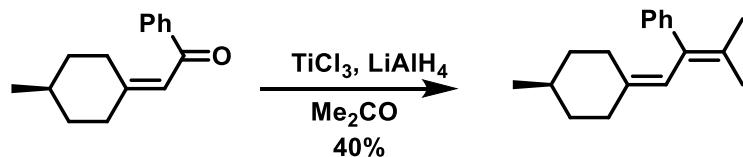


J. Am. Chem. Soc. **1995**, *117*, 645.

- imines can be also coupled

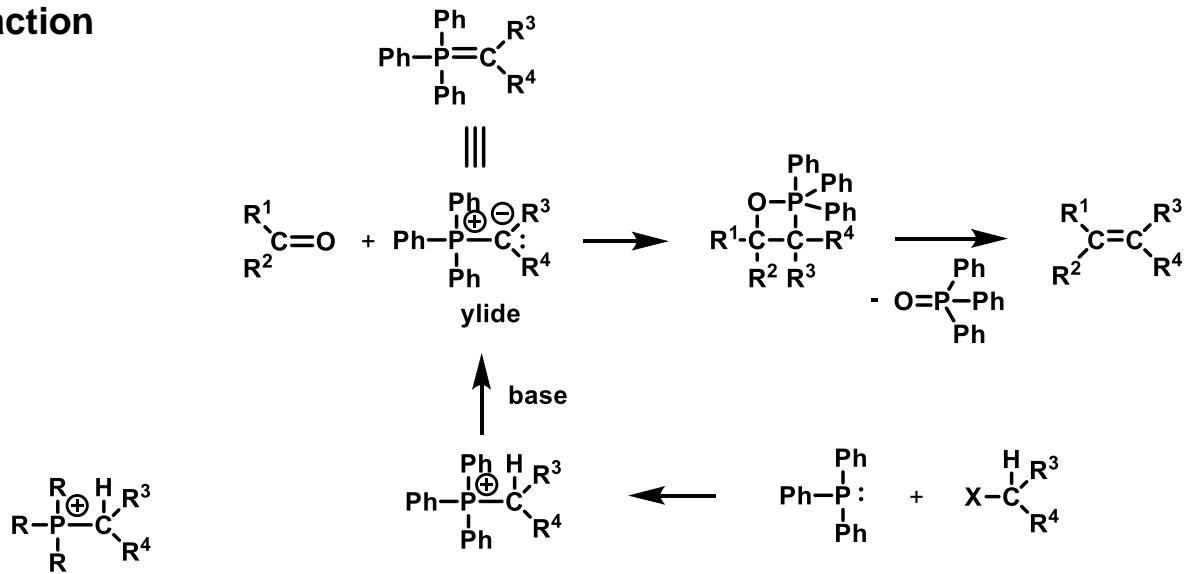


- unsymmetrical products (cross coupling): typically, one component in excess

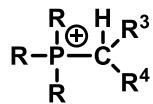


J. Org. Chem. **1986**, *51*, 2361.

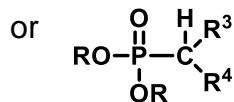
Wittig reaction



$\text{R}^3, \text{R}^4 = \text{alkyl, aryl} \longrightarrow \text{strong base (removal of H}^+\text{)} \longrightarrow \text{nonstabilized ylide} \longrightarrow (\text{Z})\text{-alkene}$

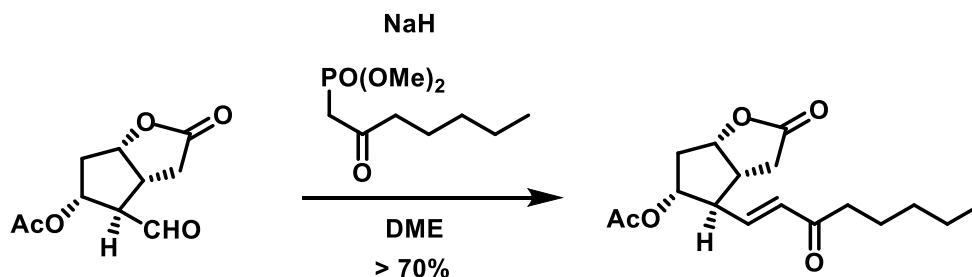


$\text{R}^3, \text{R}^4 = \text{electron acceptor} \longrightarrow \text{weaker base (removal of H}^+\text{)} \longrightarrow \text{stabilized ylide} \longrightarrow (\text{E})\text{-alkene}$



(Horner-Wadsworth-Emmons)

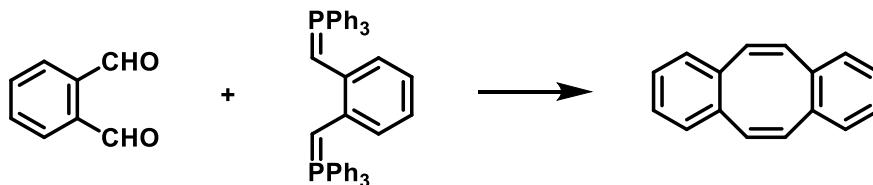
Wittig reaction is often used in the synthesis of complex molecules



J. Am. Chem. Soc. **1969**, *91*, 5675.

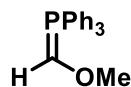
Note: complexation with ZnCl_2 will remove triphenylphosphine oxide, even from polar solvents: *J. Org. Chem.* **2017**, *82*, 9931.

(double) Wittig reaction can be used for construction of cyclic systems

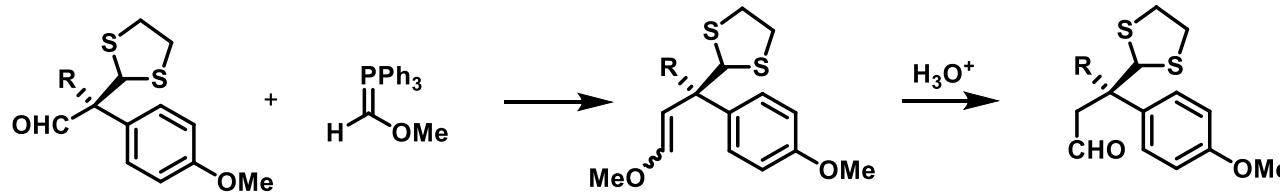


Synthesis **1975**, 765.

homologation of aldehydes

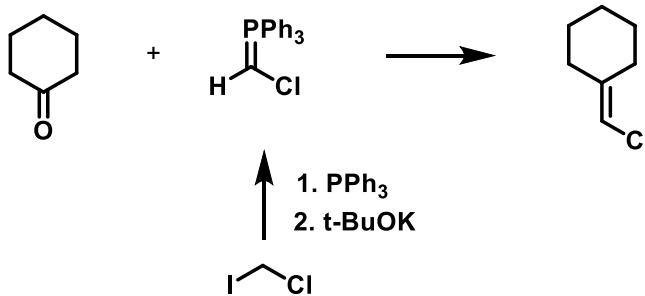


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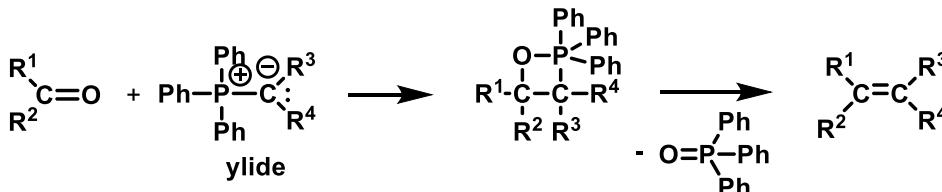
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similarly: chloromethylenation

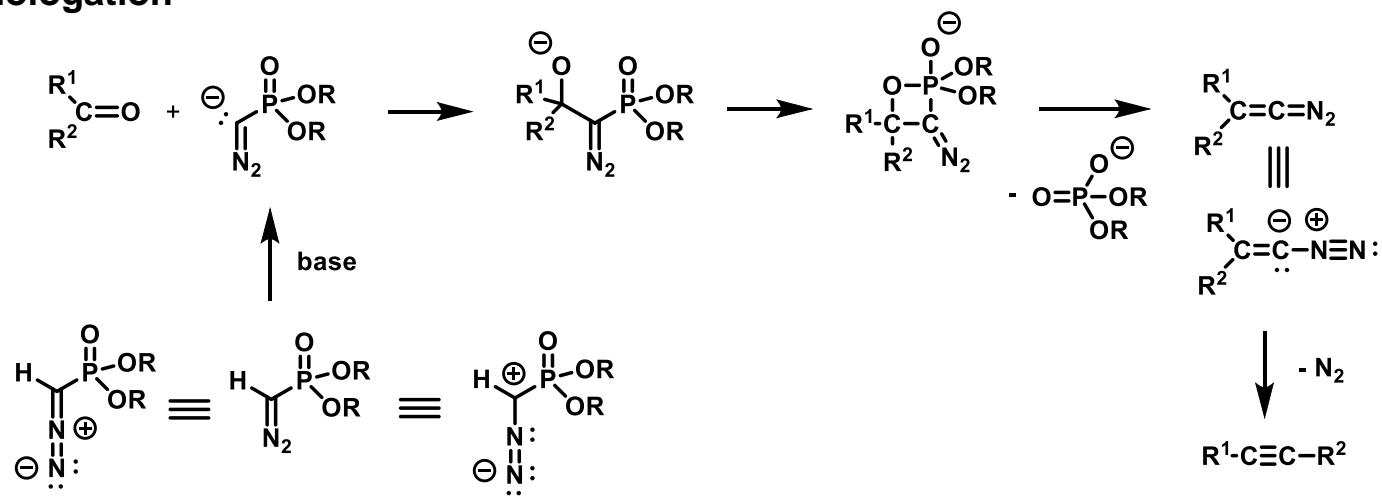


Tetrahedron Lett. **1980**, 21, 4021.

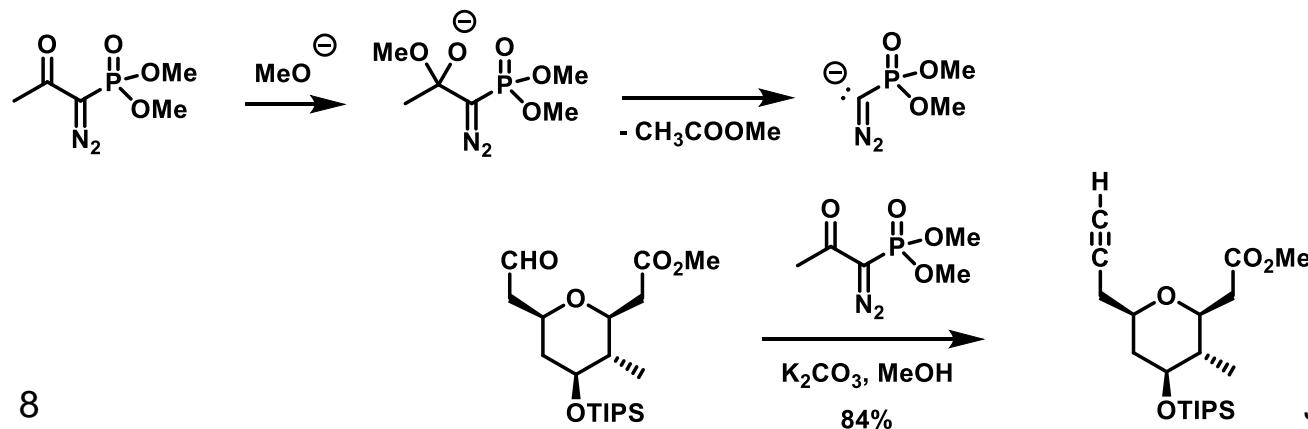
Wittig reaction



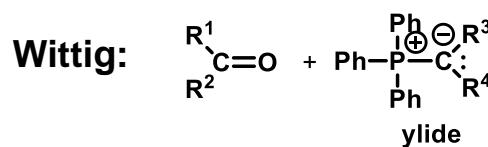
Seydel-Gilbert homologation



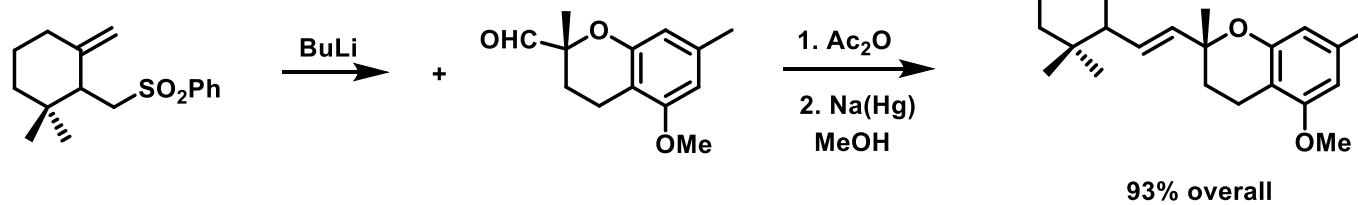
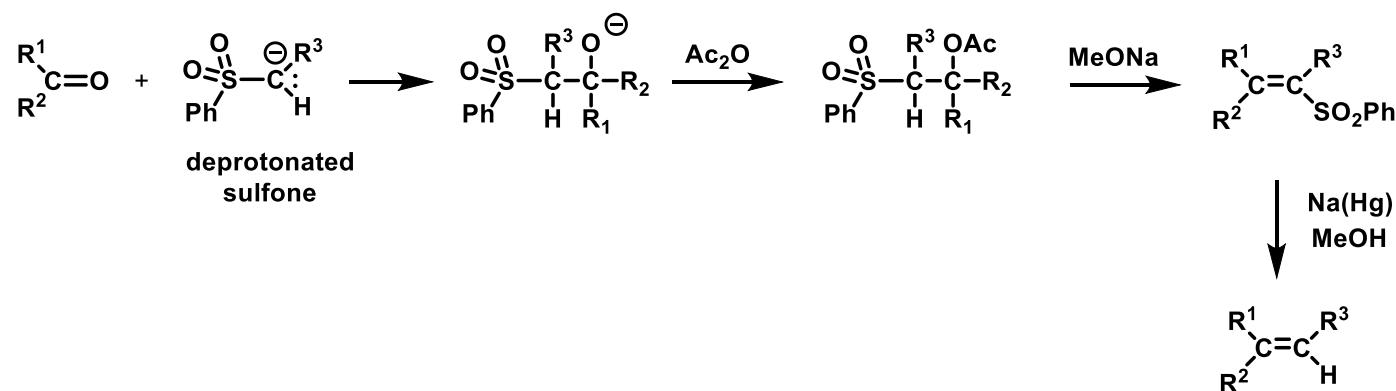
Ohira-Bestmann alkynylation: frequently used for conversion of aldehydes to terminal alkynes



Julia-Lythgoe olefination



Julia-Lythgoe:

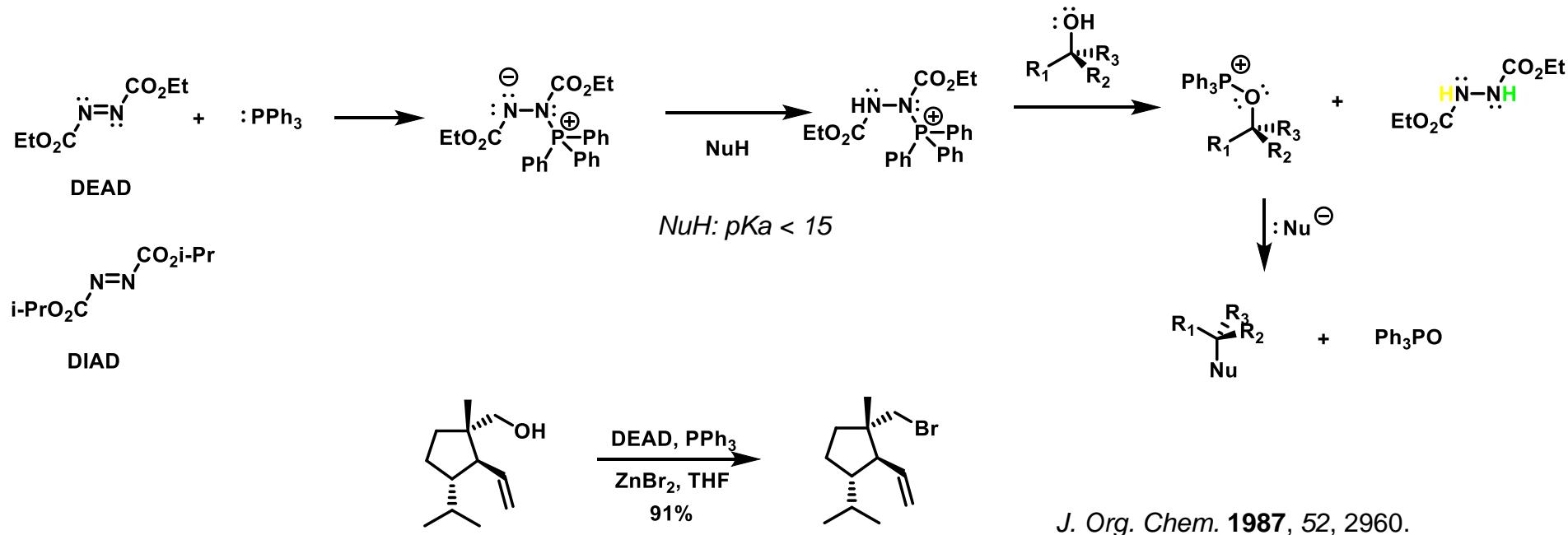


Angew. Chem. Int. Ed. **2003**, *42*, 3943.

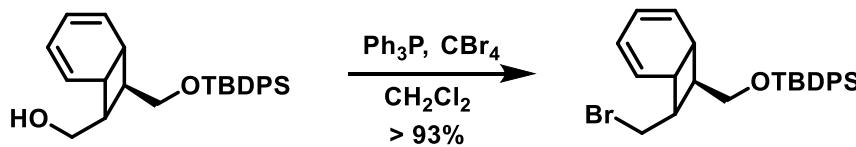
conversions of functional groups

Mitsunobu reaction

- nucleophilic substitution of OH under mild conditions
- S_N2 \rightarrow inversion of configuration

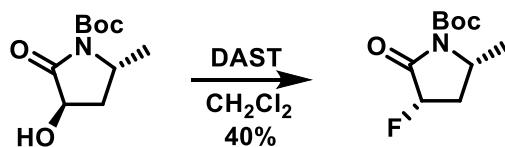


note: $\text{Ph}_3\text{P} + \text{CBr}_4 (\text{CCl}_4) : \text{OH} \rightarrow \text{Br} (\text{Cl})$

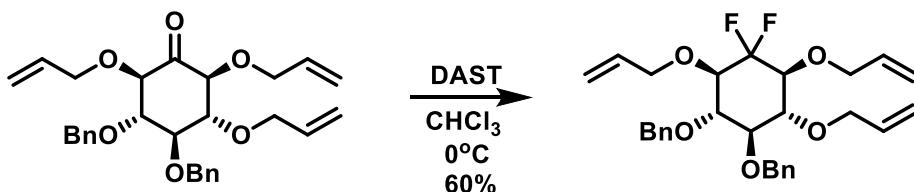


J. Am. Chem. Soc. **1982**, *104*, 5560.

note: Et_2NSF_3 (DAST) : $\text{OH} \rightarrow \text{F}$
 $\text{C=O} \rightarrow \text{CF}_2$

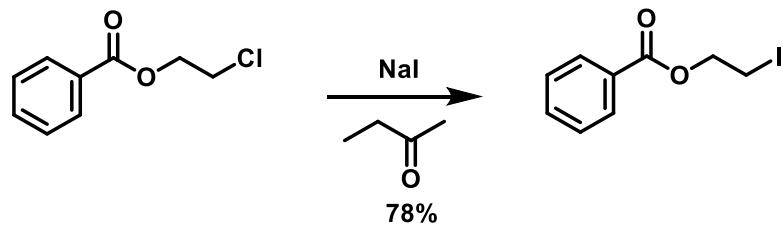


Tetrahedron Lett. **1992**, 33, 1509.

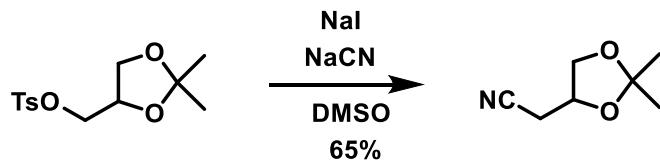


Tetrahedron Lett. **1988**, 29, 5217.

note: NaI : $\text{Cl}, \text{Br}, \text{OMs}, \text{OTs} \rightarrow \text{I}$ (Finkelstein reaction)

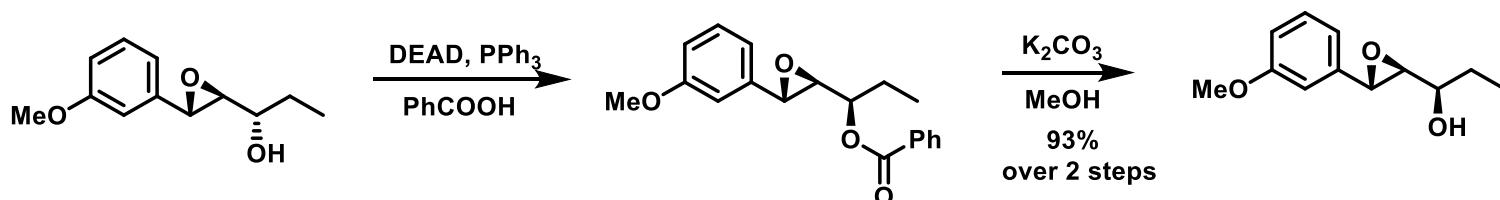


Org. Synth., Coll. Vol. 4, **1963**, 84.

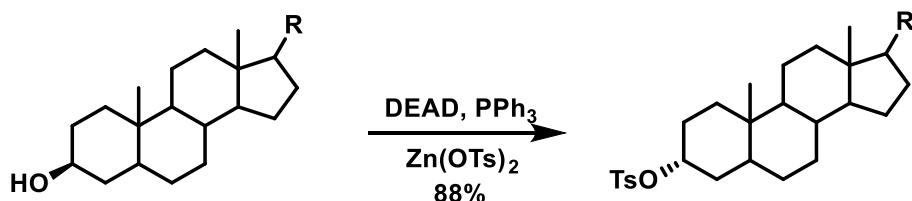


J. Am. Chem. Soc. **1980**, 102, 6304.

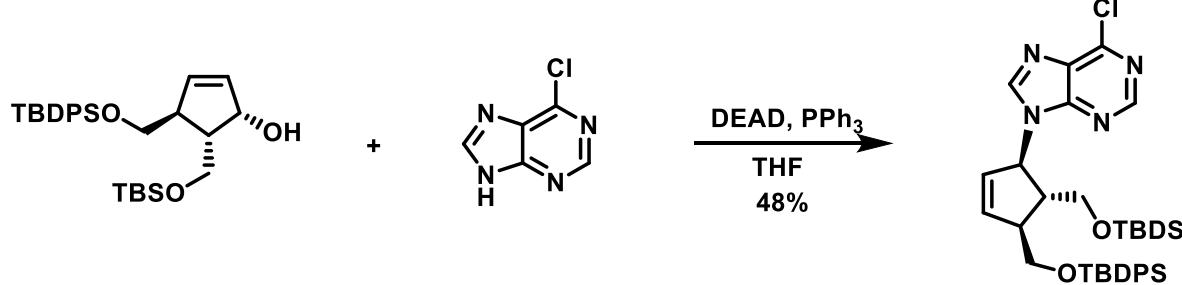
- Mitsunobu reaction: often method of choice for *inversion of configuration*
- also used for preparation of esters, lactones, amides, lactams and amines



J. Org. Chem. **1991**, *56*, 741.

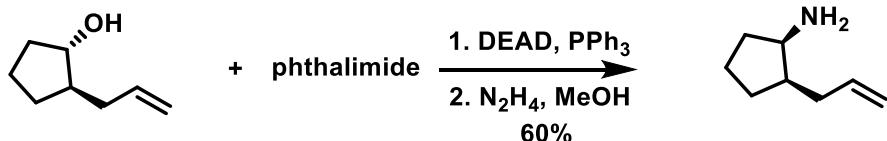
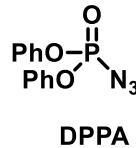


J. Am. Chem. Soc. **1982**, *104*, 1774.

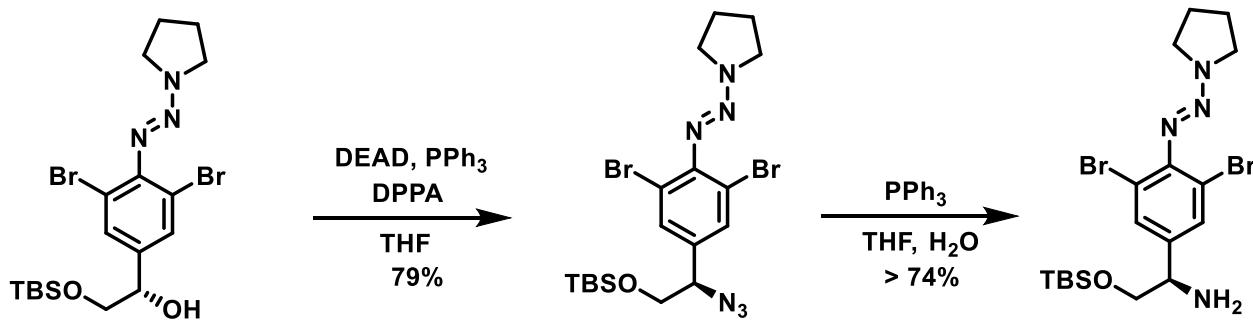


Tetrahedron Lett. **1992**, *33*, 3507.

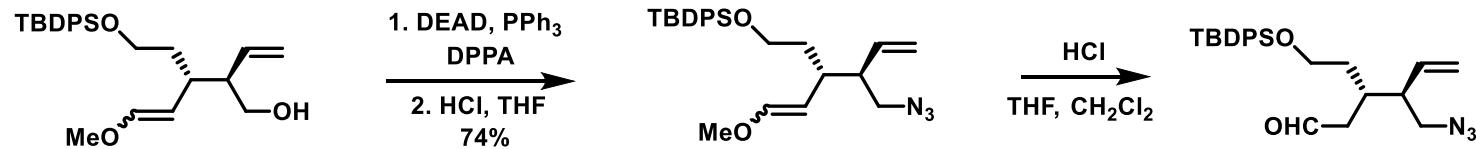
- generation of C-N bond: DPPA and phthalimide: common Nu sources of N



Org. Synth., Coll. Vol. 7, 1990, 501.



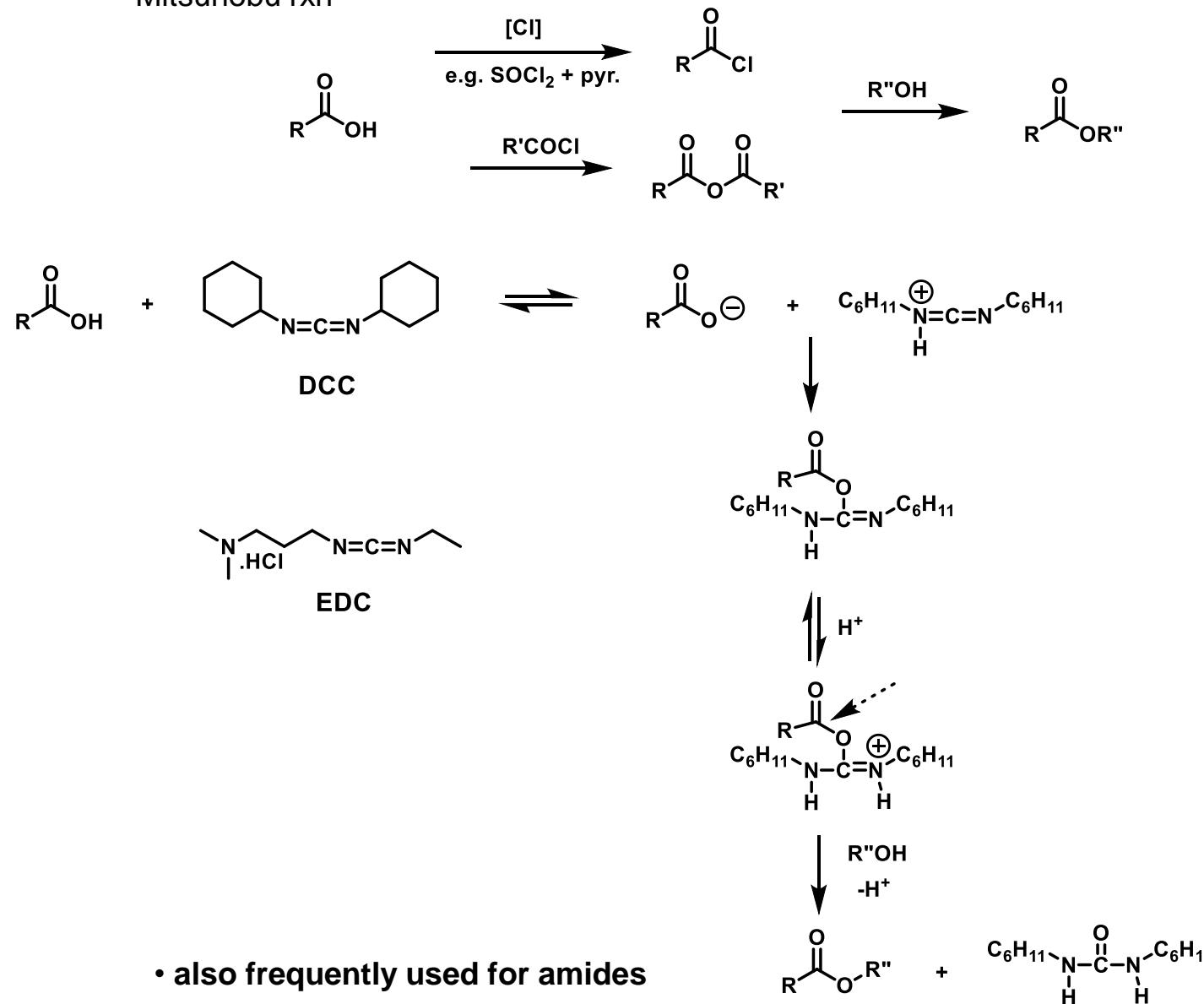
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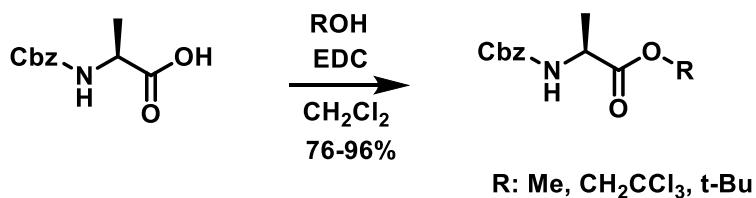


J. Am. Chem. Soc. **2001**, 123, 3239.

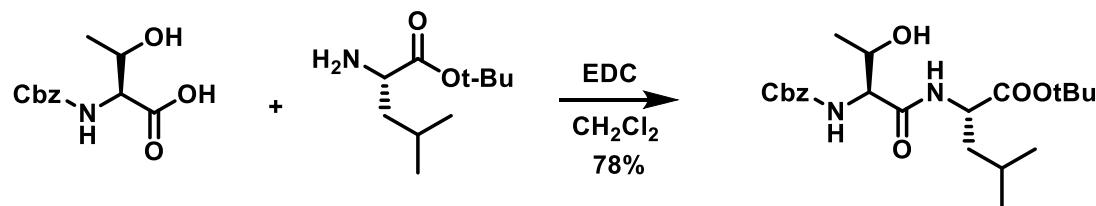
esterification

- conversion of carboxylic acids into derivatives with better leaving groups
- Mitsunobu rxn





J. Org. Chem. **1982**, *47*, 1962.

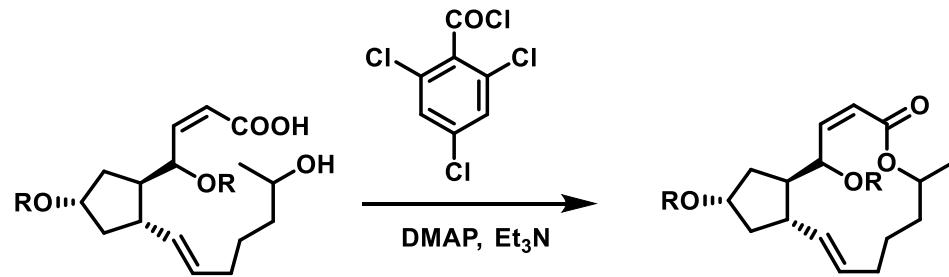


J. Am. Chem. Soc. **1973**, *95*, 875.

macrolactonization

- often applied in synthesis of (biologically active) macrolides

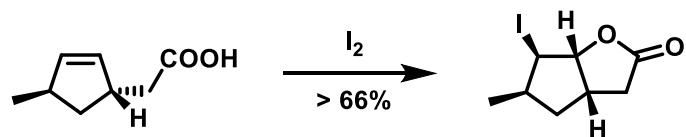
Yamaguchi macrolactonization



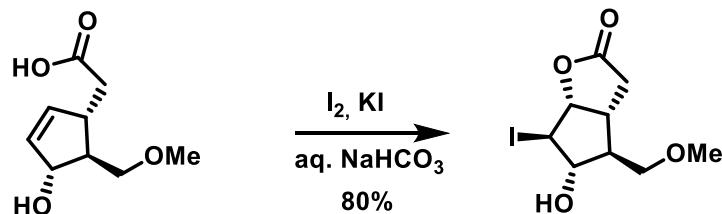
Chem. Lett. **1979**, 1021.

iodolactonization

- *anti* attack on cyclic iodonium intermediate



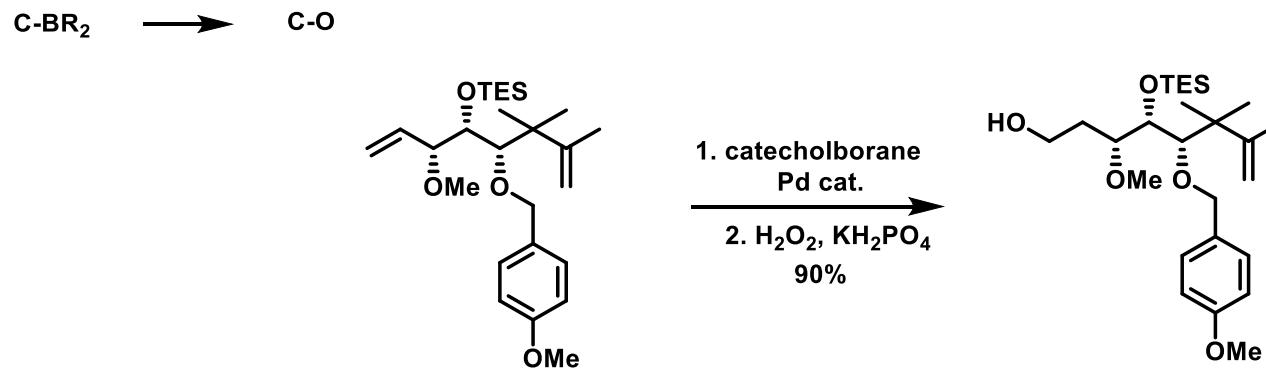
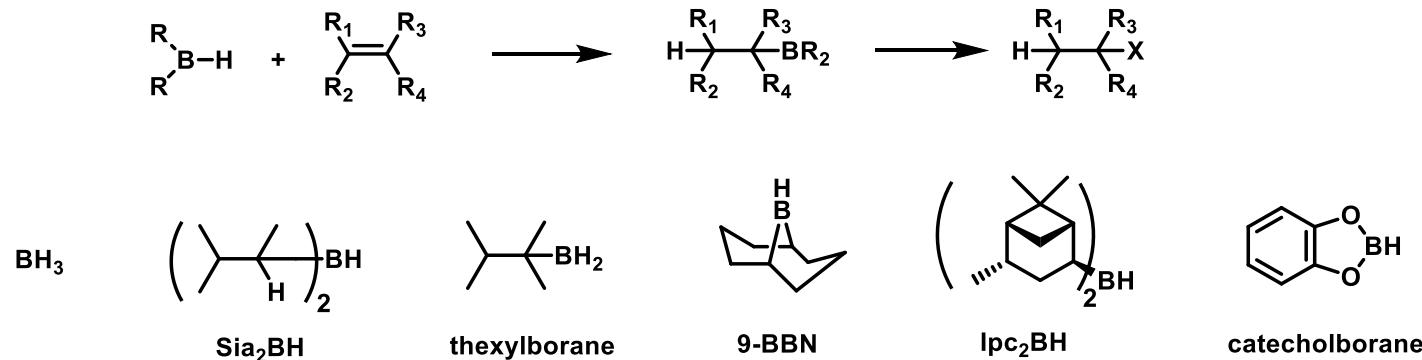
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J. Am. Chem. Soc. **1969**, *91*, 5675.

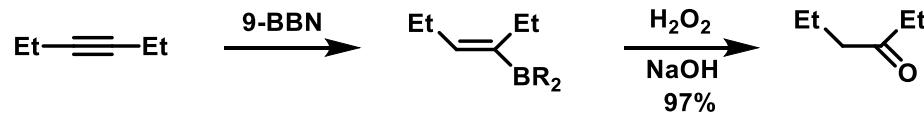
hydroboration (and subsequent transformations)

- “anti-Markovnikov” addition on double/triple bonds
- sterically hindered boranes: high regio- and stereoselectivity
- products of hydroboration can be converted into different derivatives



J. Am. Chem. Soc. **1992**, *114*, 6671.

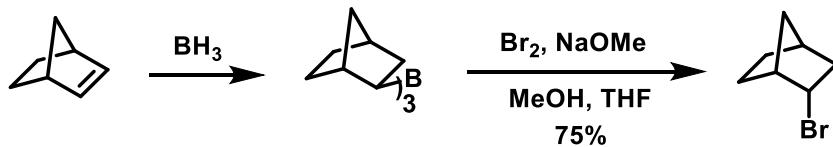
hydroboration of alkynes



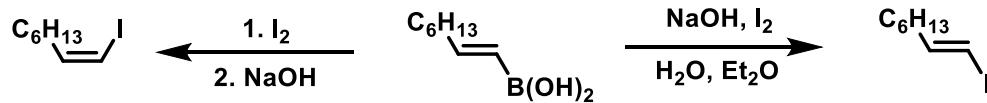
J. Am. Chem. Soc. **1979**, *101*, 96.

terminal alkynes: *E*-alkenes

C-BR₂ → C-halogen

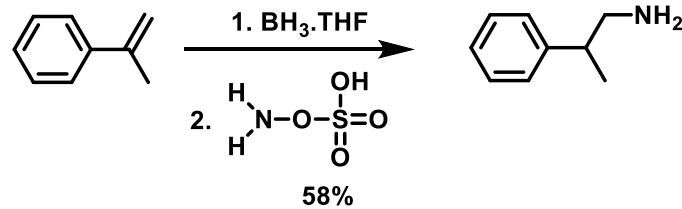


J. Chem. Soc., Chem. Commun. 1971, 521.

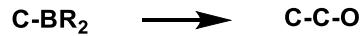


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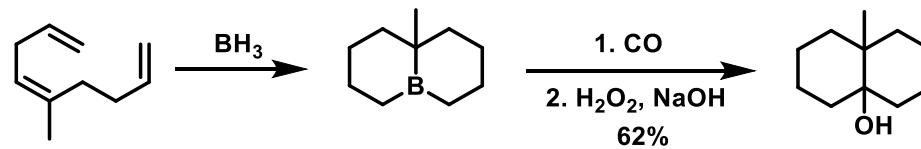
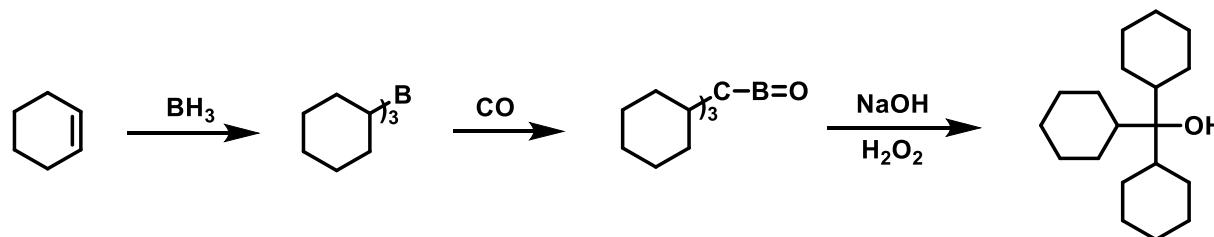
C-BR₂ → C-N



J. Am. Chem. Soc. 1964, 86, 3565.



carbonylation of boranes



J. Am. Chem. Soc. **1969**, *91*, 1224.