

Synthesis towards Hetisine-type Diterpenoid Alkaloids

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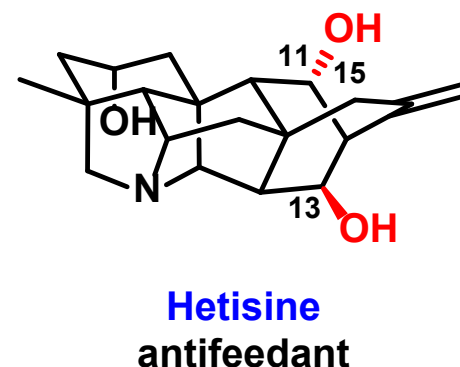
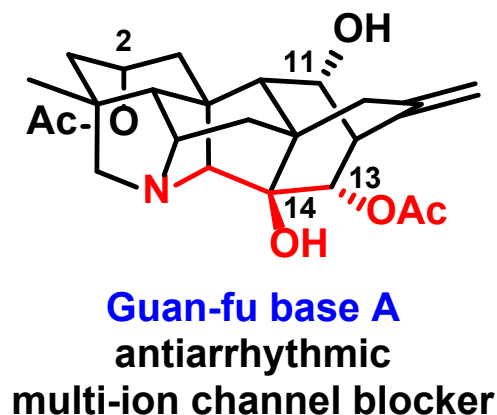
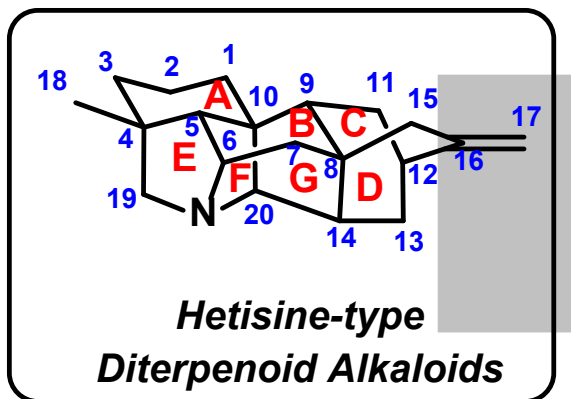
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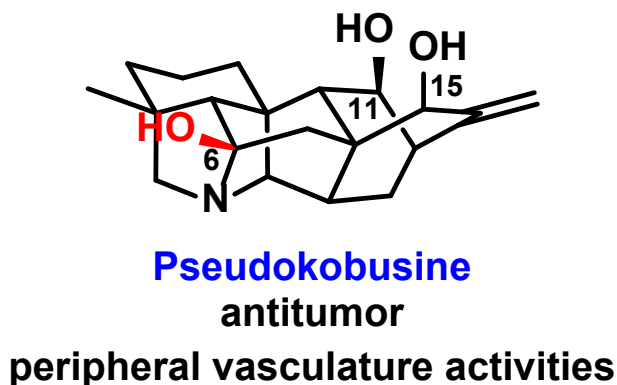
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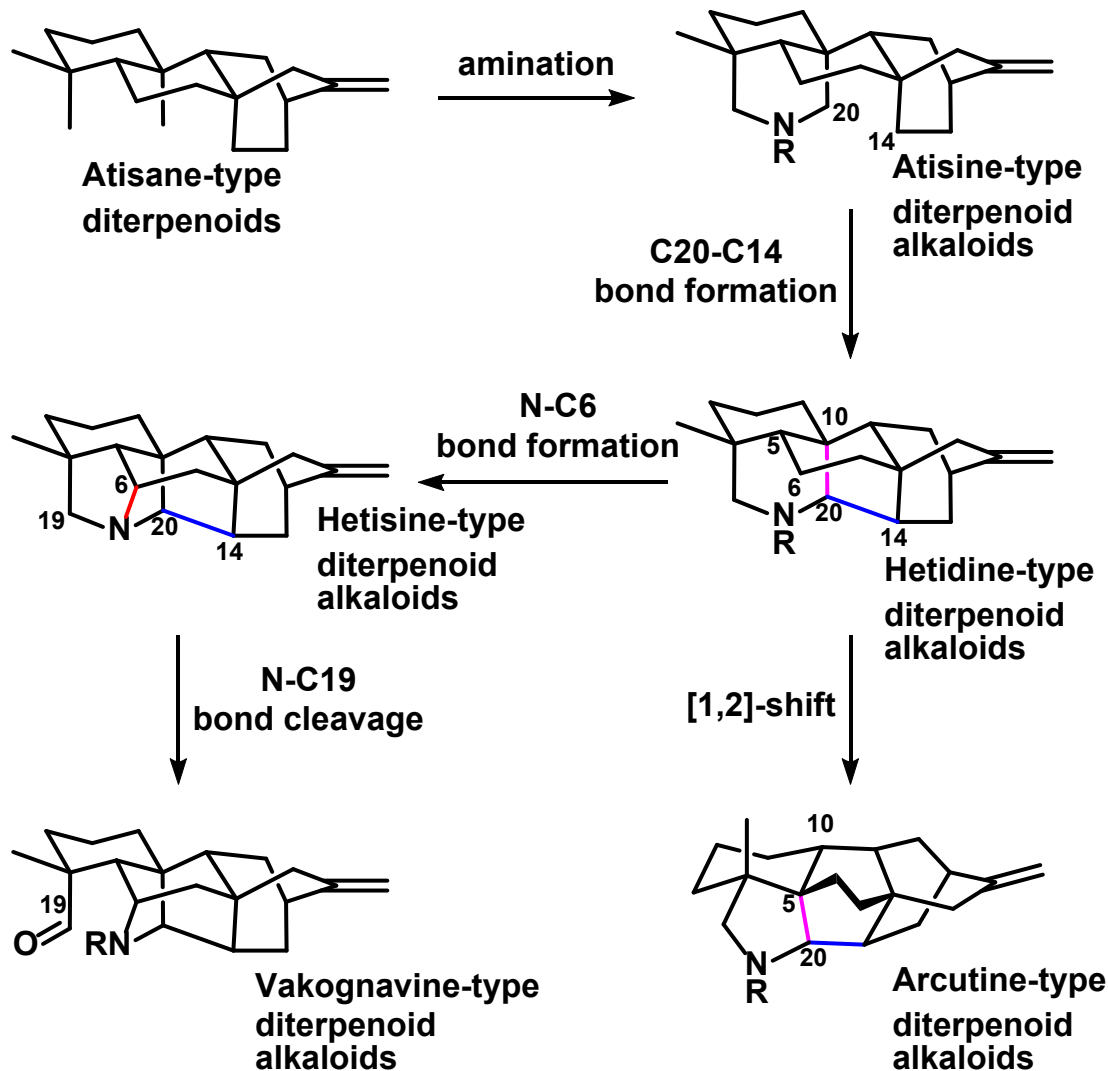
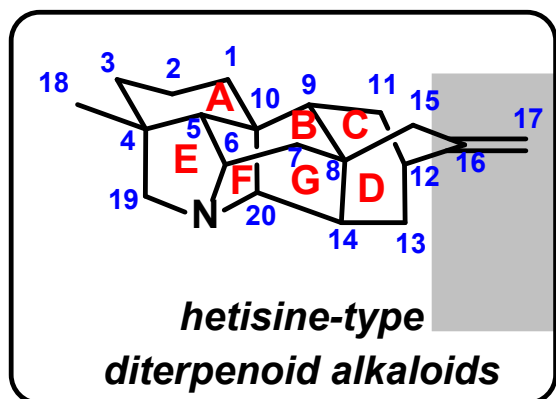
Hetisine-type C20-diterpenoid Alkaloids



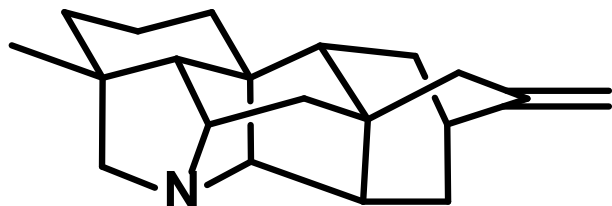
Mostly isolated from
the genera *Aconitum*
and *Delphinium* in the
Ranunculaceae family



Hetisine-type and its Related C20-DAs



Logic in Hetisine Synthesis

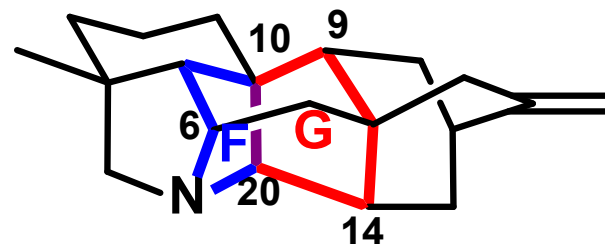
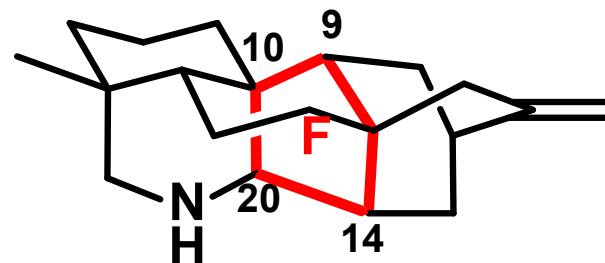


Highly congested cage-like polycyclic ring

Highly continuous bridged ring system:

$2 \times [3.3.1]$; $1 \times [2.2.2]$; $1 \times [2.2.1]$
 $3 \times [3.2.1]$

Moderate strain

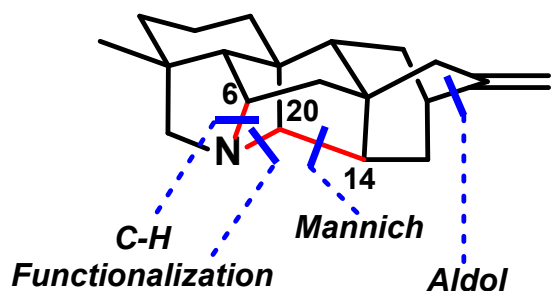


Bond-network analysis of the maximally bridged ring of the hetidine and hetisine skeleton

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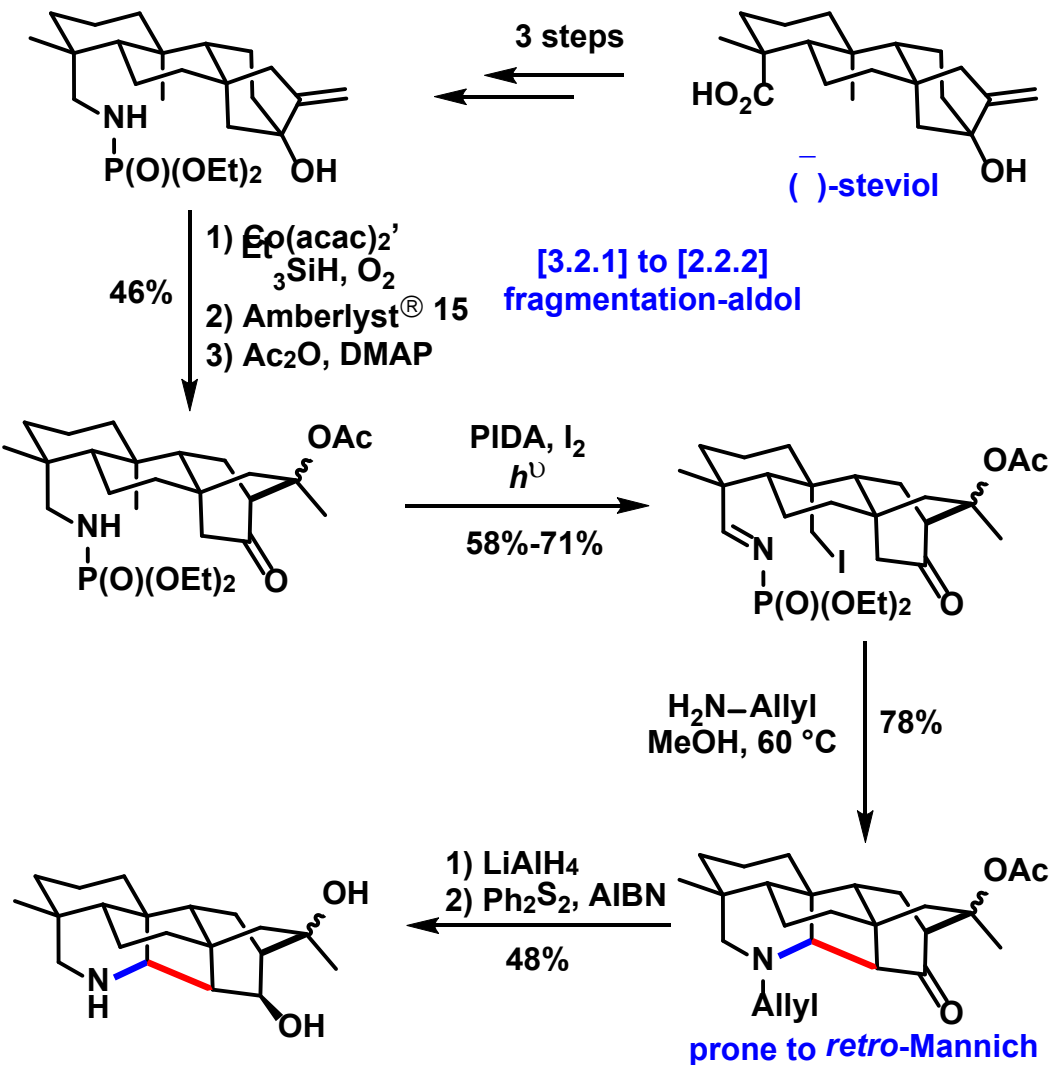
Baran(2014): From Hetidine to Hetisine



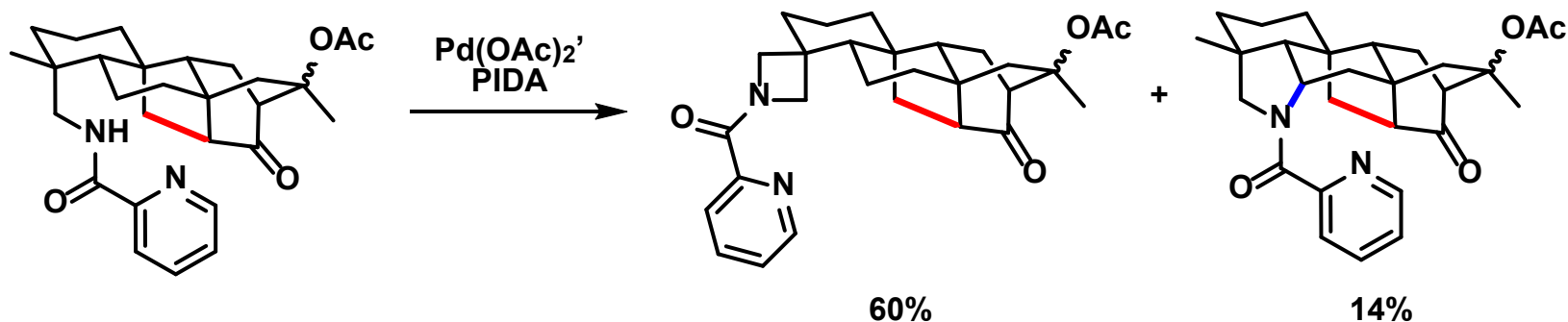
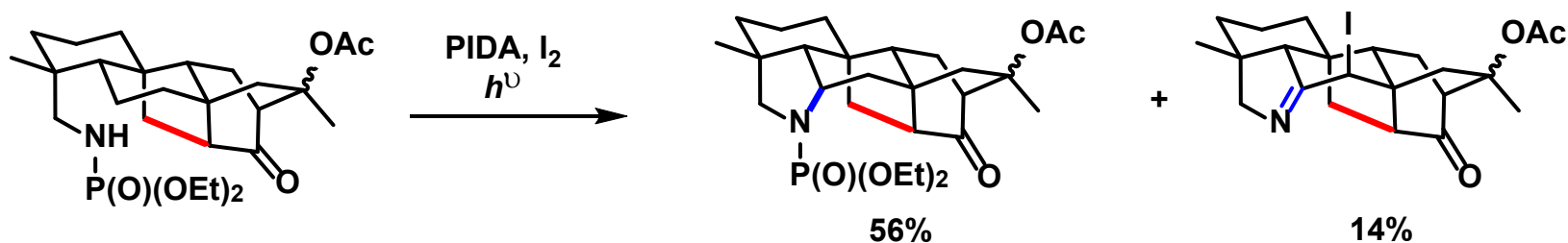
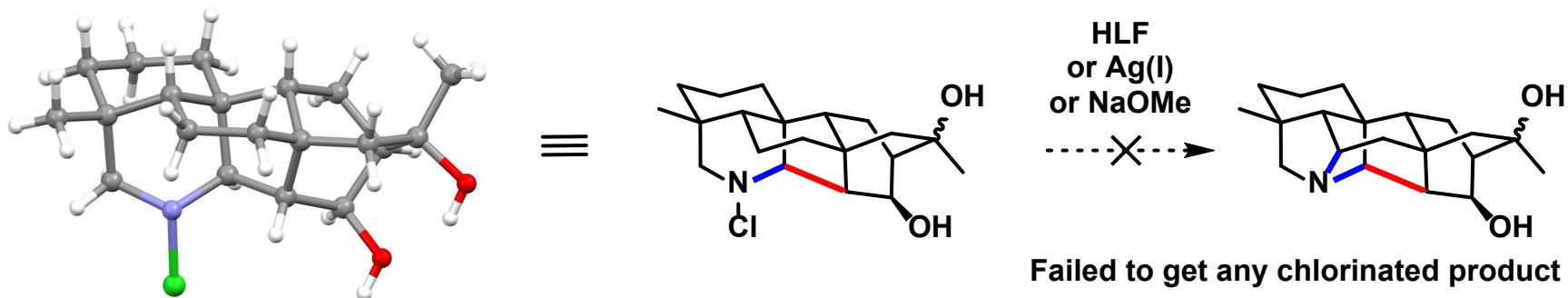
Atisine-Hetidine-Hetisine
bond-by-bond construction

[3.2.1] to [2.2.2]

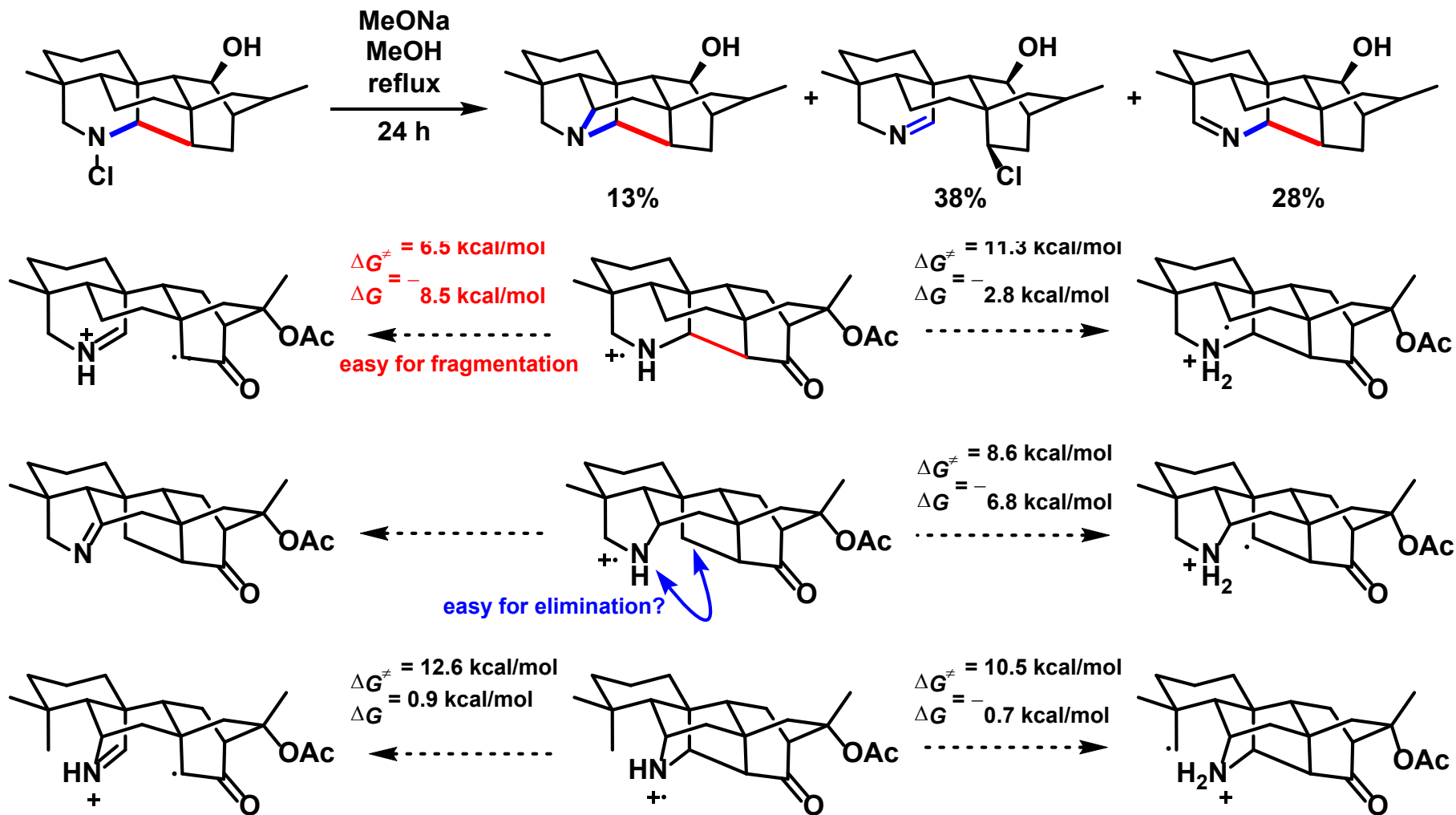
C-H functionalization for
aza-[2.2.1]



Construction N-C6 Bond: Failed



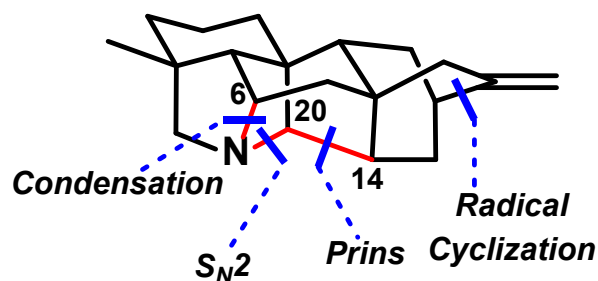
Late-stage C-H Activation: Too Strained?



M06-2X-D3/def2-TZVP/SMD(DCE)//M06-2X-D3/def2-SVP/SMD(DCE)

Yatsunami, T. *et al. Chem. Pharm. Bull.* **1975**, 3030.

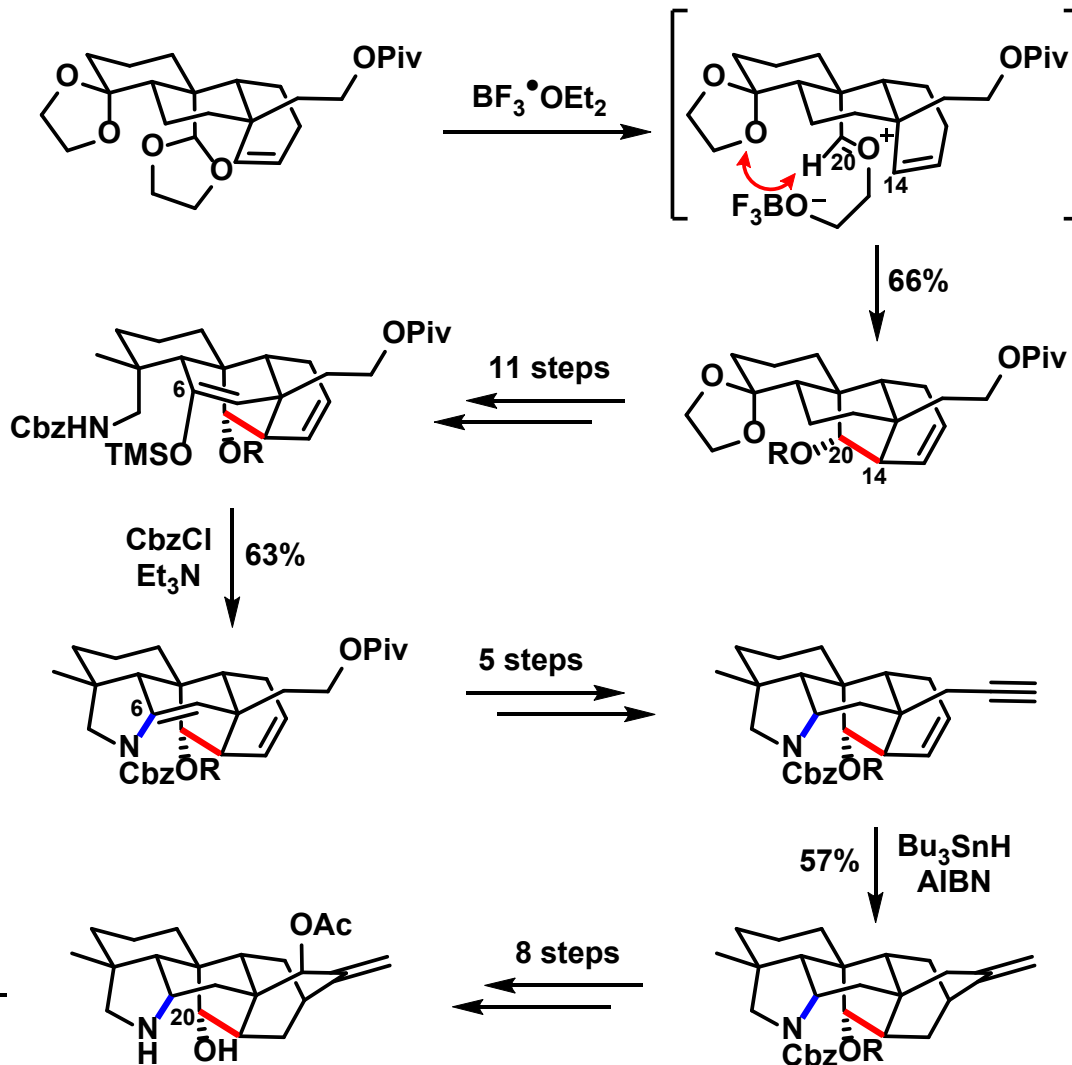
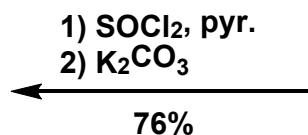
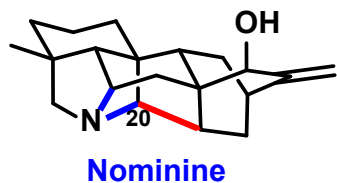
Muratake&Natsume(2004): Prins



Construct G ring early

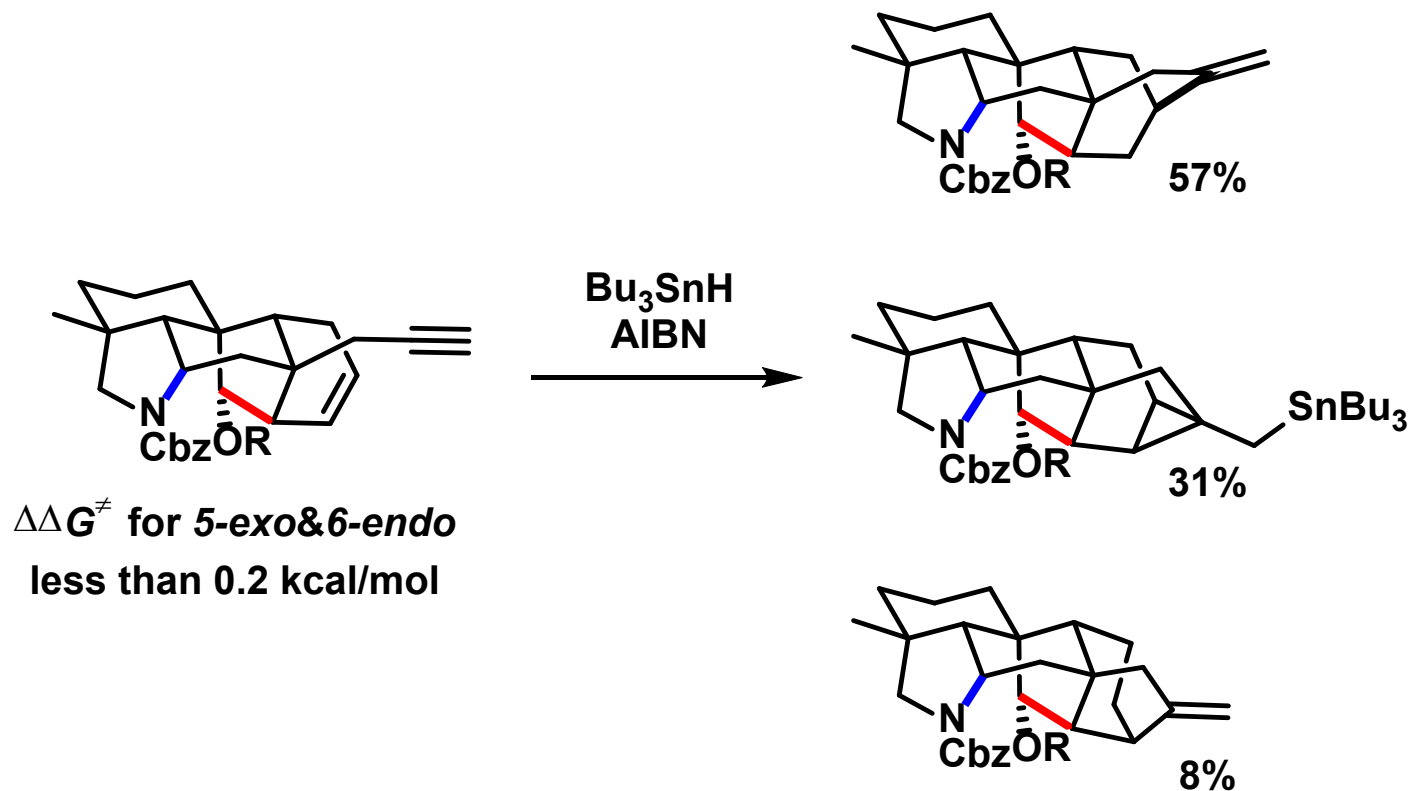
Radical cyclization for [2.2.2]:
 1 bond disconnection

S_N2 for aza-[2.2.1]

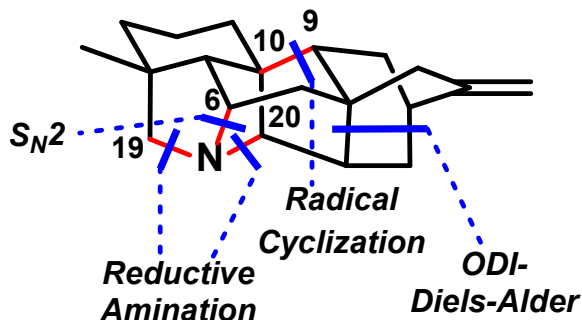


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Radical Cyclization: C-H Principle



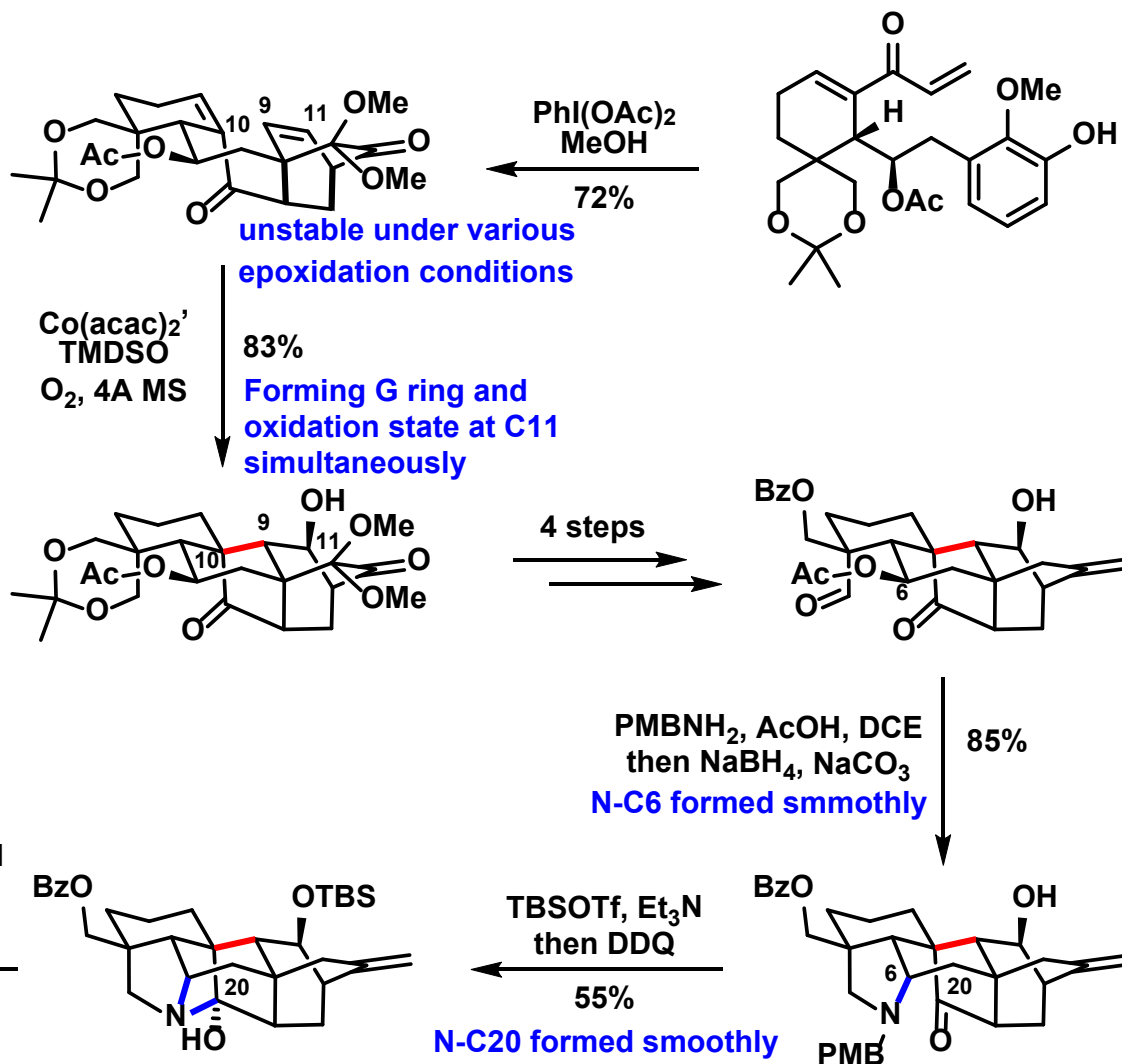
Ding(2021): C9-C10 Disconnection



C9-C10 disconnection

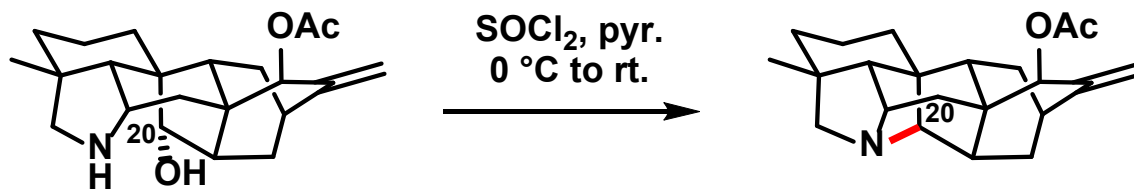
ODI-DA for [2.2.2]:
2 bond disconnection

Late-stage introduction of
N-atom

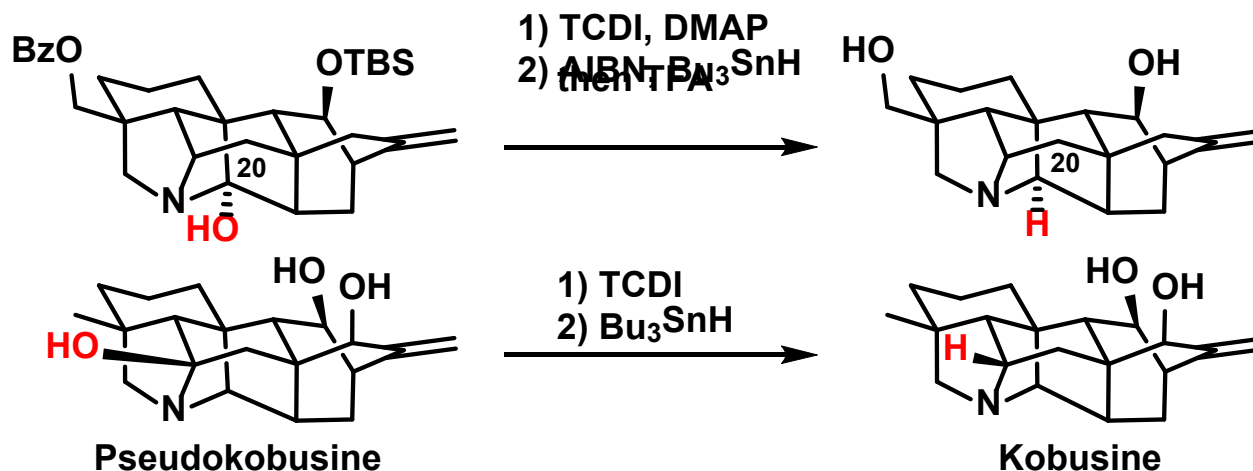


Brief Summary: F Ring Construction

- Mild S_N2 : moderate strain, prone to close



- Closure-Barton deoxygenation strategy



- C-H functionalization: hard

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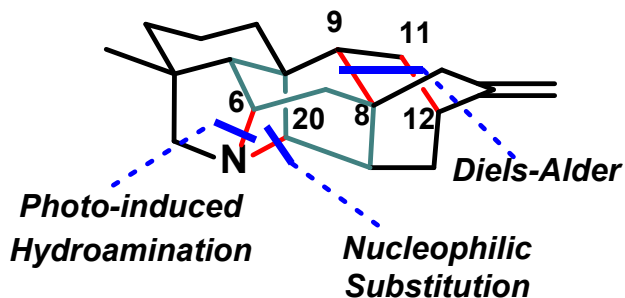
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Koji, W. et al. *Heterocycles*. **1991**, 32, 1297.

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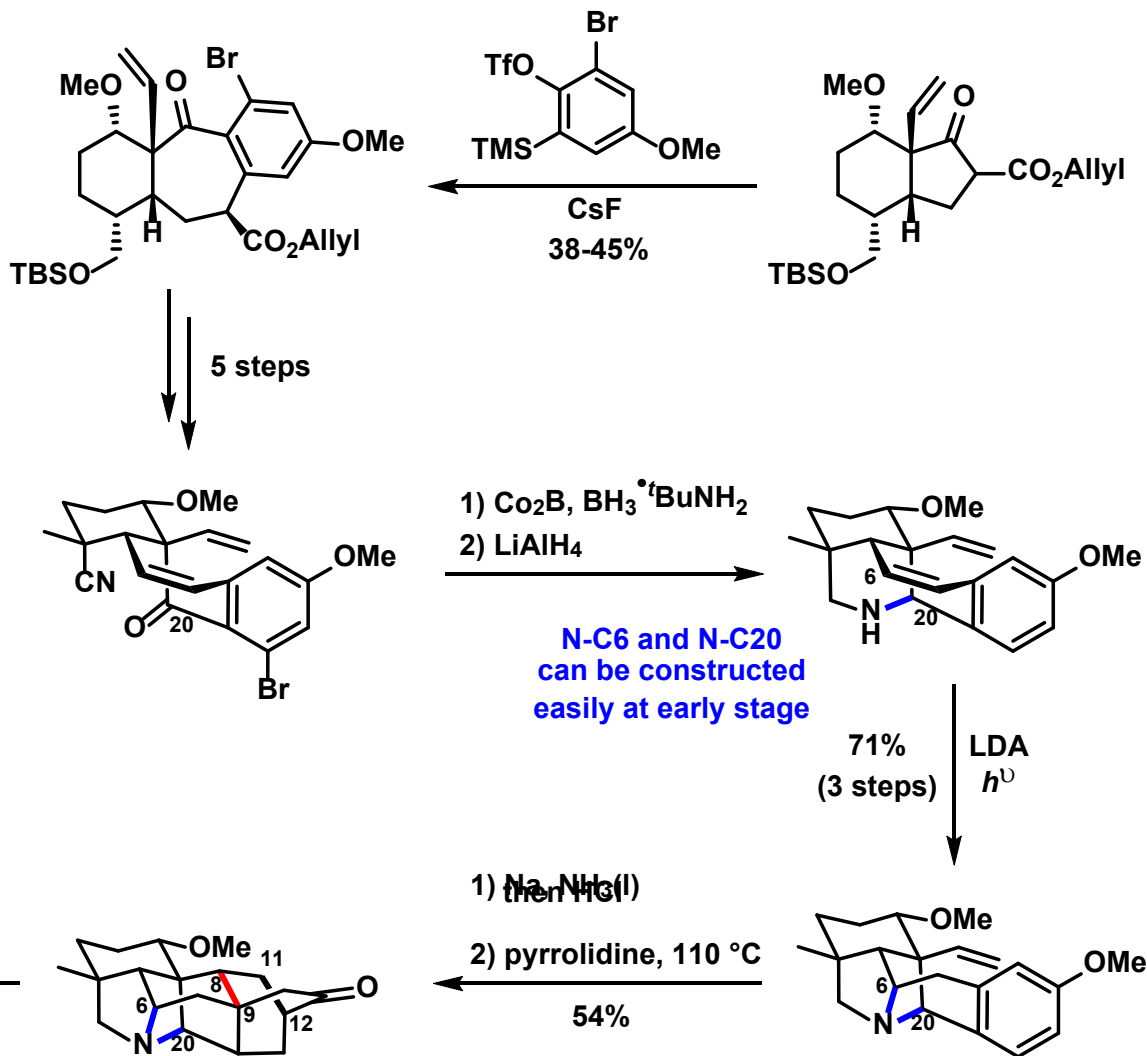
Sarpong(2018): 7-membered Ring as Linker



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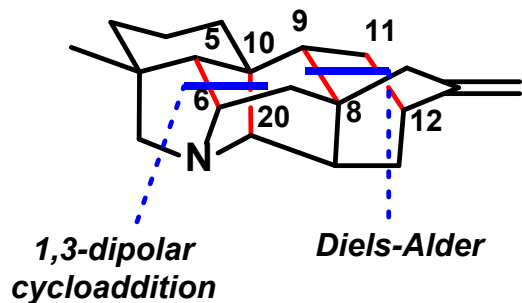
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Bond-by-bond construction of the aza[2.2.1]



Cossonidine

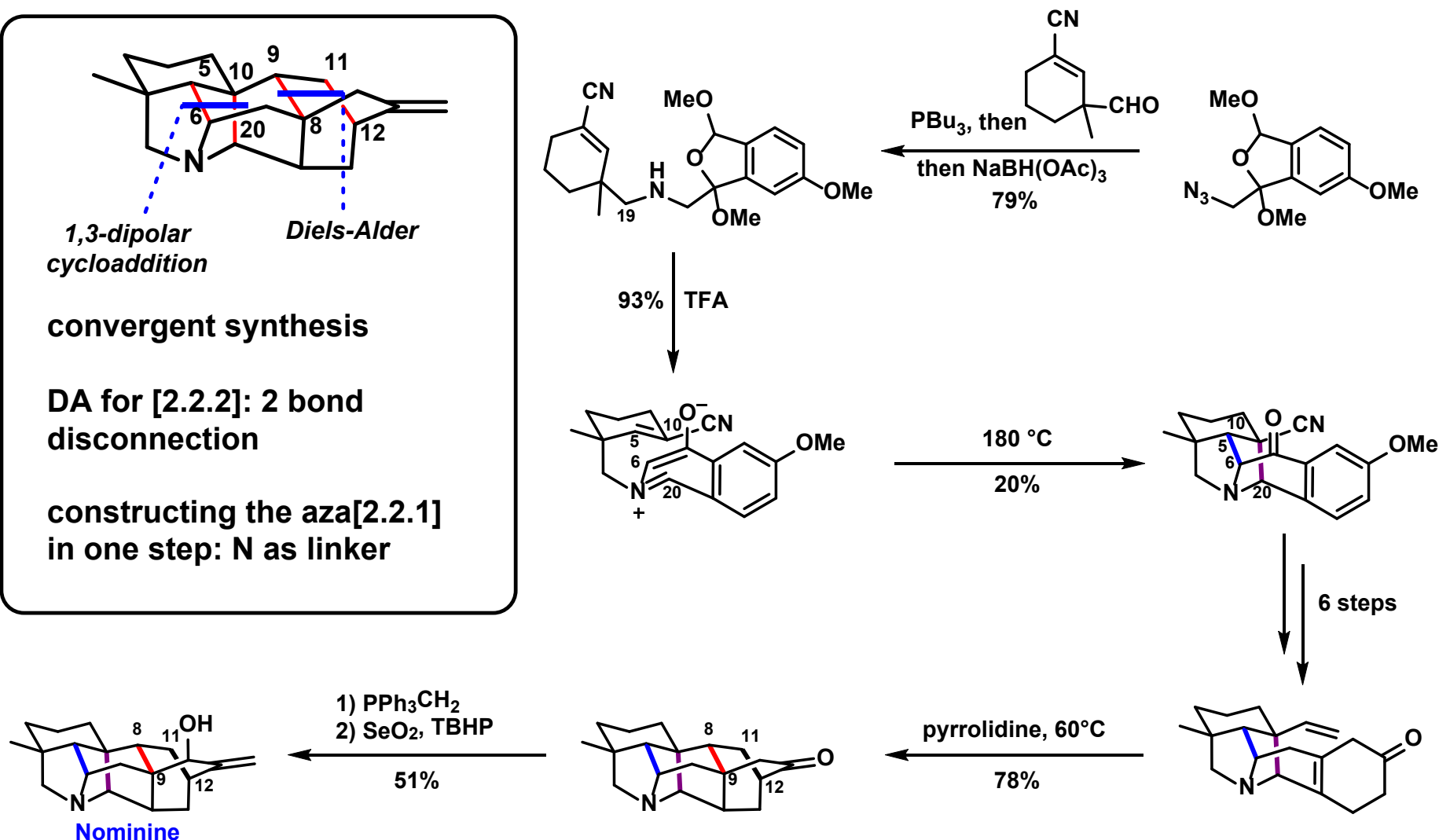
Gin(2006): Convergent Dual Cycloaddition



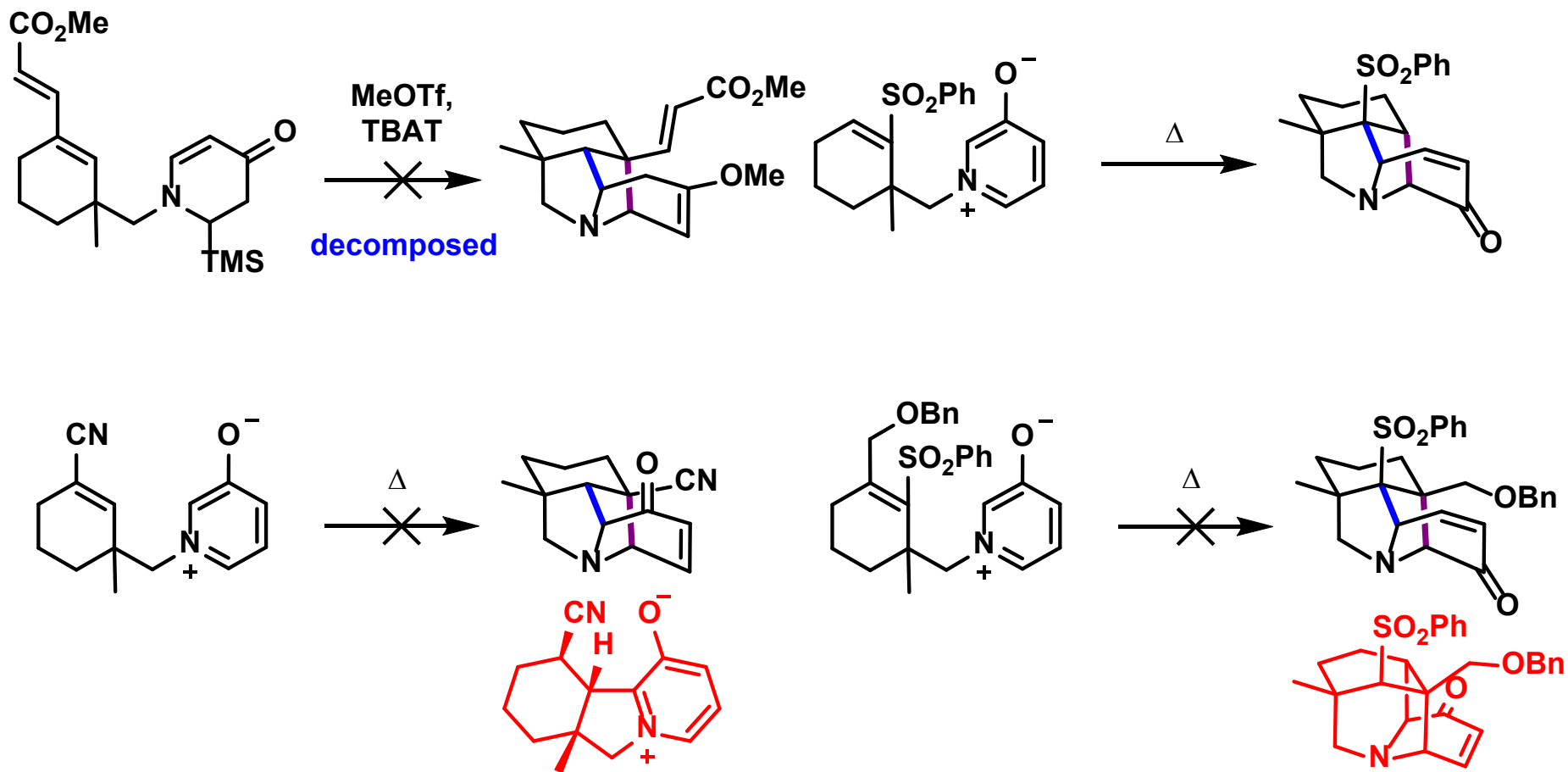
convergent synthesis

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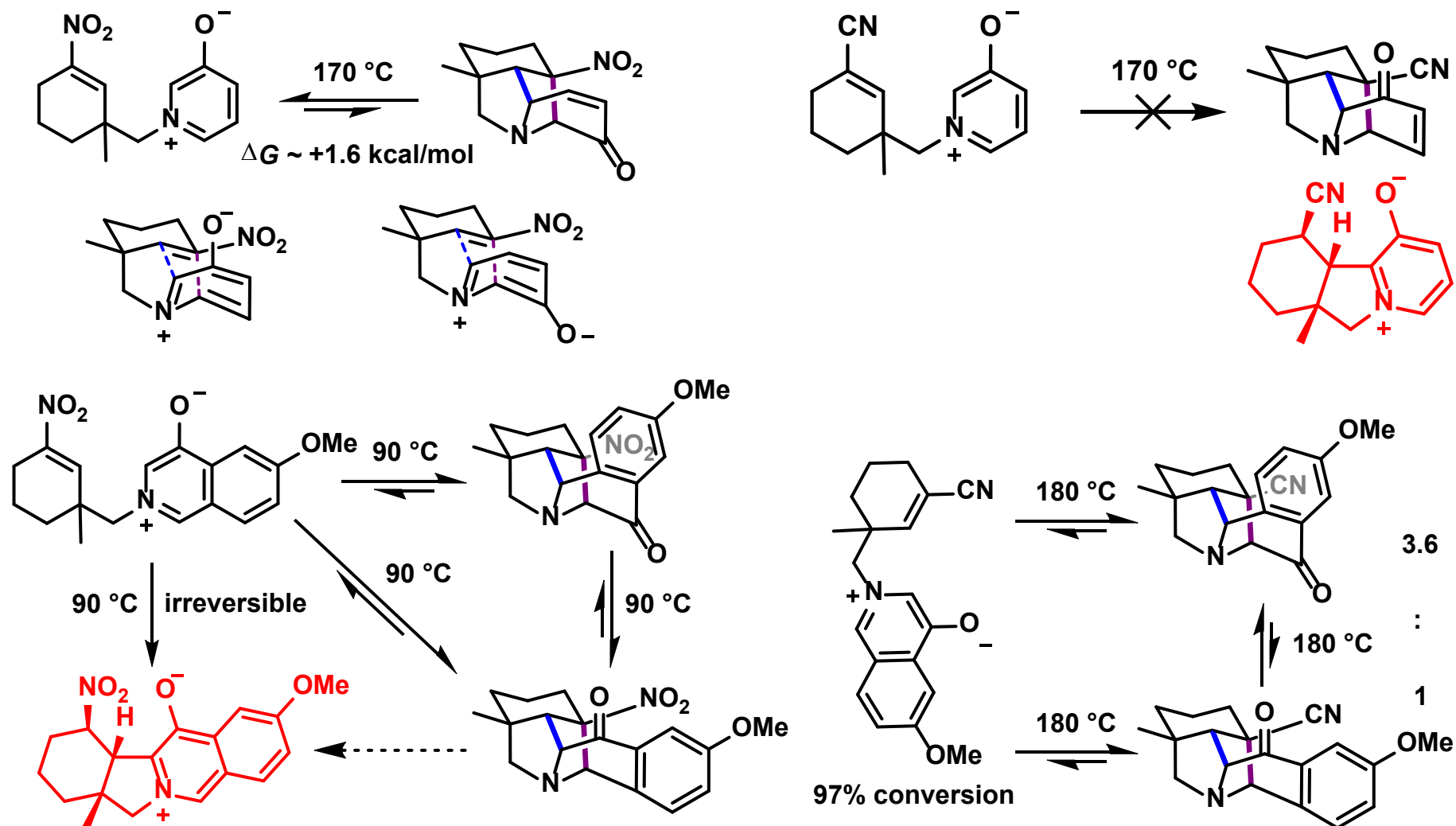
constructing the aza[2.2.1] in one step: N as linker



1,3-Dipolar Cycloaddition



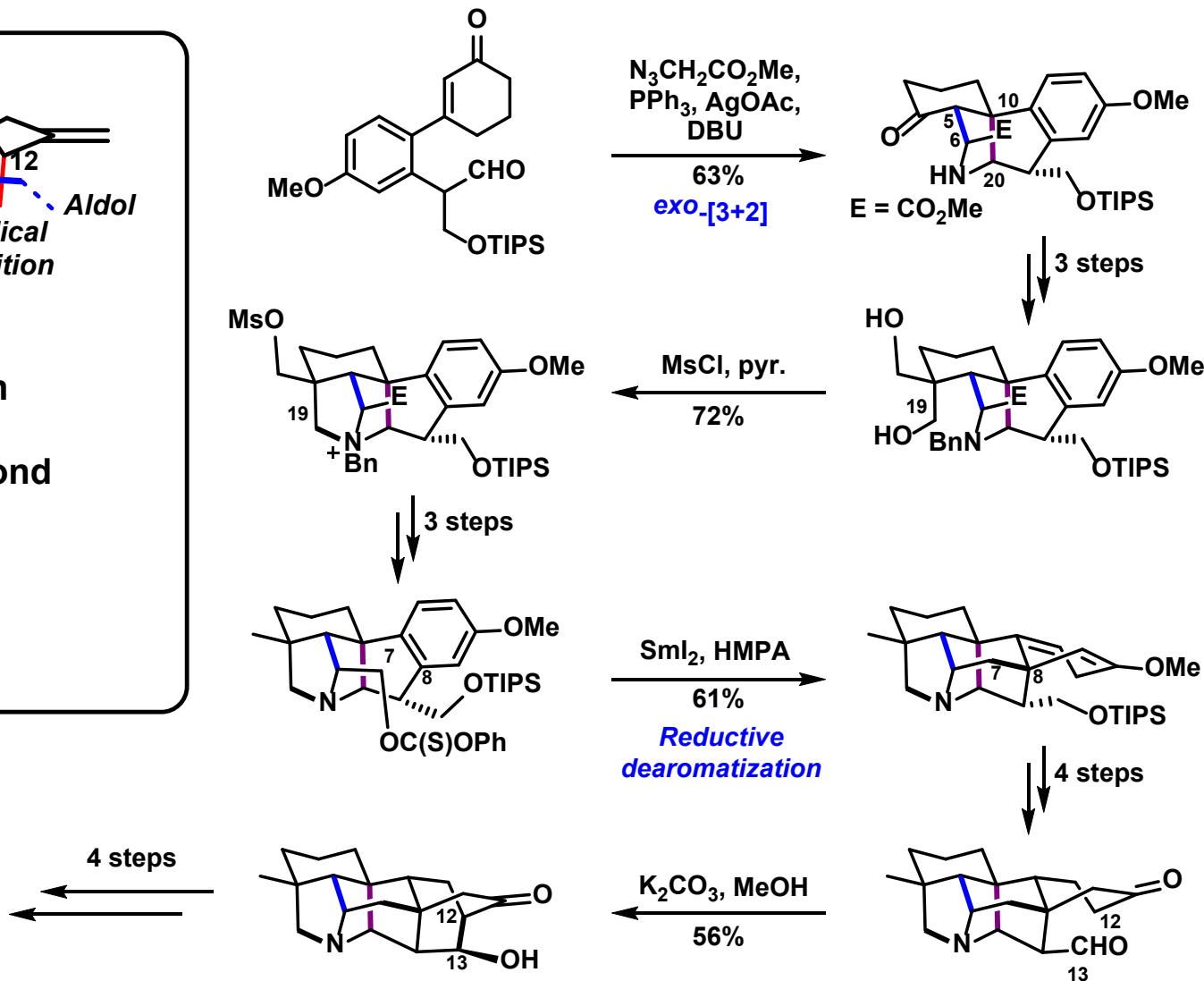
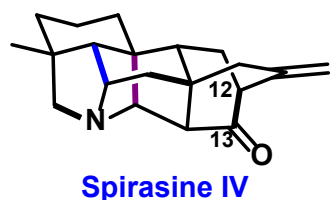
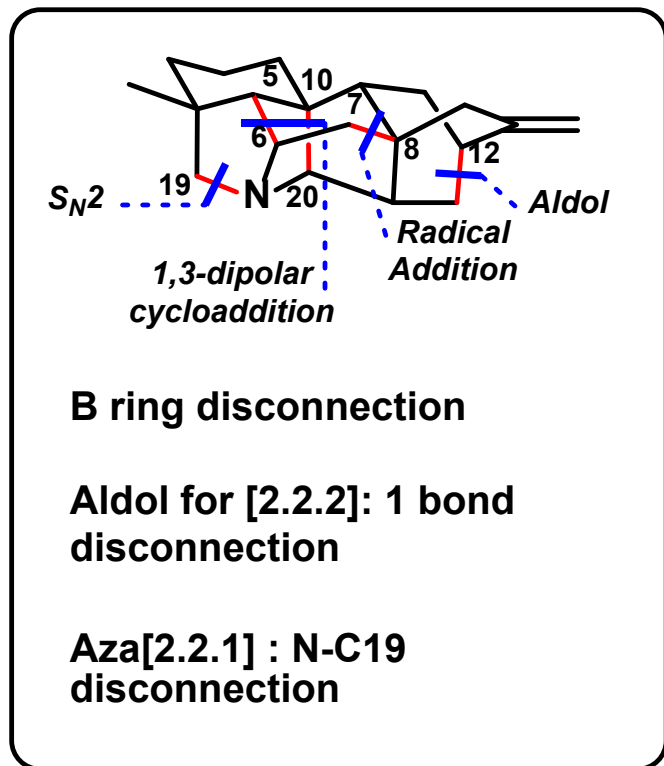
Thermodynamic Solution



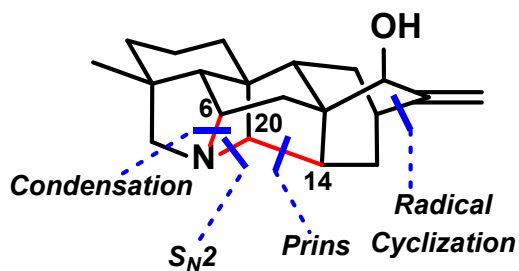
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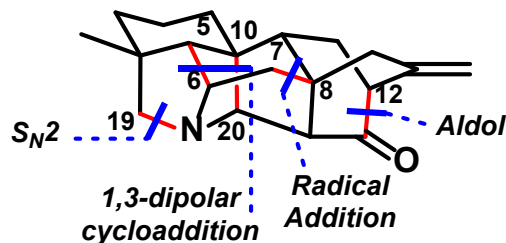
Zhang(2018): C7-C8 Disconnection



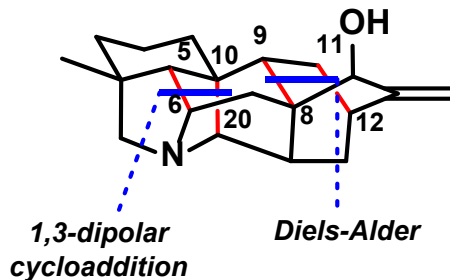
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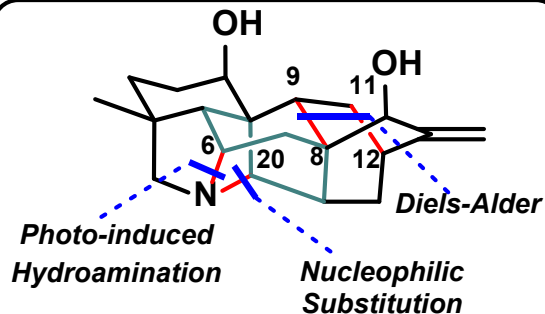
Nominine
 Muratake&Natsume(2004)
 40 steps



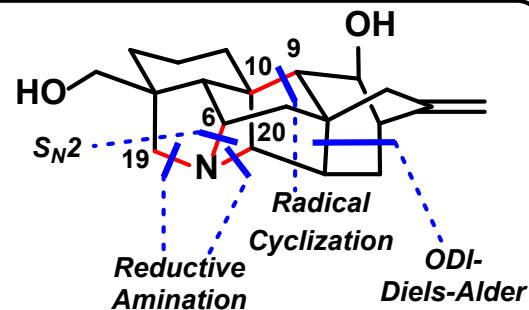
Spirasine IV
 Zhang(2018)
 22 steps



Nominine
 Gin(2006)
 16 steps



Cossonidine
 Sarpong(2018)
 21 steps



Davisinol
 Ding(2021)
 17 steps

Outlook: Oxidation Level

Awkward position for higher oxidation state:

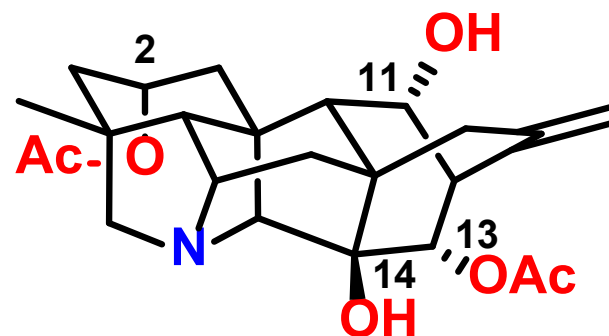
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Guan-fu base A

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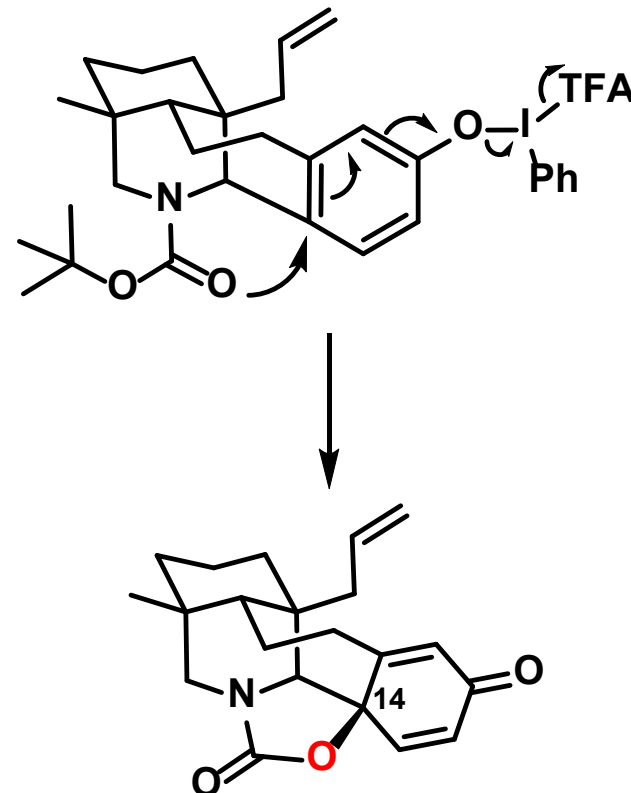
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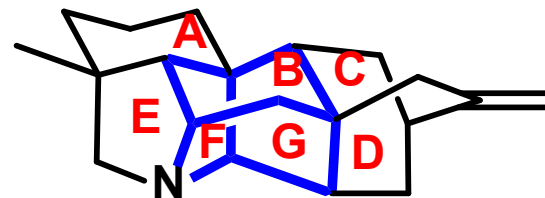
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Outlook: Convergent Synthesis

- Highly continuous bridged-ring system



- BFG cage-like ring as the joint:

How to **design** and **connect**
fragments?

- Integral strain