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A Visible-Light-Induced Photocatalyst-Free Approach for C-3 Dicarbonyl Coumarins Production

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1. General information

All reactions were performed using quartz tube. Solvents were dried by standard methods before they were used. 3-Arylacetylene coumarins and 3-bromocoumarin were synthesized according to the literature.^{1,2,3} Commercial grade reagents were used without further purification. H₂¹⁸O is purchased from Shanghai Yi Shi Chemical Co., purity 97%. Silica gel was purchased from Qing Dao Hai Yang Chemical Industry Co. All reactions were carried out with photoreactor (Serial No: PEA12) which was purchased from LUOYANG JINFENG ELECTROMECHANICAL EQUIPMENT CO., LTD. The LCD Digital Hotplate Magnetic Stirrer MS-H-Pro⁺ and Digital Single Channel Adjustable Automatic Electronic Pipette Micropipette dPettee⁺ were purchased from Dragon Laboratory Instruments Limited. ¹H NMR and ¹³C NMR spectra were recorded on 400 and 100 MHz NMR instruments using CDCl₃ as the solvent and TMS as the internal standard. ¹⁹F NMR spectra was recorded at 376.5 MHz on Bruker DPX-400, the chemical shifts δ are reported relative to CFCl₃ (δ = 0 ppm) as internal standard. The multiplicity of signals is designated by the following abbreviations: s (singlet), d (doublet), t (triplet), q (quartet), m (multiplet), dd = doublet of doublet. High resolution mass spectra (HRMS) was obtained on an Agilent LC-MSD-Trap-XCT spectrometer with micromass MS software using electrospray ionisation (ESI). The UV/Vis absorption spectra was recorded on a Perkin Elmer Lambda 35 Spectrometer and the fluorescence emission spectra were recorded using a F-4500 FL spectrophotometer. The X-ray single crystal structure was determined by the Oxford Diffraction Xcalibur CCD single crystal diffractometer. The illuminance of LED light was tested by the ZDS-10 digital luxmeter from Suzhou Tianwei Instrument Co., Ltd.

2. Experimental procedures

2.1 General procedure for synthesis of 3-arylacetylene coumarins from alkyne esters¹

To a reaction tube equipped with a magnetic stirring bar were added phenyl 3-phenylpropiolate (0.2 mmol), NIS (2 equiv.), MeCN (1.5 mL) stirred under 3 W blue LED (E = $5.00-5.15X10^4$ lx, $\lambda_{max} = 450-465$ nm) under air atmosphere and at room temperature for 24 hours. Then Pd(PPh₃)₂Cl₂ (0.0144 g, 10 mol%), CuI (0.0039 g, 10 mol%), phenylacetylene (3 equiv.) and Et₃N (0.5 mL) were added. The obtained reaction mixture was heated at 60 °C for 12 hours under Ar atmosphere. The solvent

was removed under vacuum, and the residue was purified by flash chromatography on silica gel (eluent: petroleum ether/dichloromethane = 6:1/3:1, v/v) to give the desired compound **1**.

2.2 General procedure for the synthesis of 3-arylacetylene coumarins from 3-bromocoumarins^{2,3}

To a reaction tube equipped with a magnetic stirring bar were added 3-bromocoumarin (0.2 mmol), $Pd(PPh_3)_2Cl_2$ (0.0144 g, 10 mol%), CuI (0.0039 g, 10 mol%), phenylacetylene (3 equiv.) and Et₃N (0.5 mL) were added. The obtained reaction mixture was heated at 60 °C for 12 hours under Ar atmosphere. The solvent was removed under vacuum, and the residue was purified by flash chromatography on silica gel (eluent: petroleum ether/dichloromethane = 6:1/3:1, v/v) to give the desired compound **1**.

2.3 General procedure for the synthesis of C-3 dicarbonyl coumarins 2

To a reaction tube equipped with a magnetic stirring bar were added 3-arylacetylene coumarins (0.2 mmol), I₂ (2 equiv.), NaHCO₃ (3equiv.), DCE:H₂O (2 mL, v/v = 200:3) stirred under 3 W blue LED (E = $5.00-5.15X10^4$ lx, $\lambda_{max} = 450-465$ nm) under oxygen atmosphere and at room temperature for 24 hours. The solvent was removed under vacuum, and the residue was purified by flash chromatography on silica gel (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate/dichloromethane = 30:1:1/10:1:1, v/v) to give the desired compound **2**.

3. Control experiments

In order to explore the possible mechanism of the present transformation, a series of control experiments were carried out (Scheme S2, exp 1-6). [2,2,6,6-tetramethylpiperidine]-1-oxyl (TEMPO) or butylated hydroxytoluene (BHT), a radical-trapping reagent was added into the reaction. When added 3-arylacetylene coumarin (0.2 mmol), I₂ (2 equiv.), NaHCO₃ (3 equiv.), TEMPO (126.3 mg, 0.8 mmol) (exp 1) or BHT (176.3 mg, 0.8 mmol) (exp 2) DCE:H₂O (2 mL, v/v = 200:3) stirred under 3 W blue LED (E = $5.00-5.15X10^4$ lx, $\lambda_{max} = 450-465$ nm) under oxygen atmosphere and at room temperature for 24 hours. The oxidation reaction was not completely inhibited. Meanwhile, five strong molecular ion peaks were obtained by ESI-MS and attributed to [I+H]⁺ (exact mass: 590.9314), [I+H]⁺ (exact mass: 590.9316), [II+H]⁺ (exact mass: 369.1122), [III+H]⁺ (exact mass: 158.1536) and [IV+H]⁺ or [IV'+H]⁺ (exact mass: 573.3001) (Fig. S1-S5).



Scheme S2. Control experiments



exp 1: [I+H]⁺ = 590.9314 exp 6: [I+H]⁺ = 590.9316

[**II**+H]⁺ = 369.1122

[**III**+H]⁺ = 158.1536

exp 2: $[IV+H]^+$ or $[IV'+H]^+ = 573.3001$



Figure S1. HRMS spectrum of compound [I+H]⁺ for exp 1



Figure S2. HRMS spectrum of compound [II+H]⁺ for exp 1



Figure S3. HRMS spectrum of compound [III+H]⁺ for exp 1



Figure S4. HRMS spectrum of compound [IV/IV'+H]⁺ for exp 2



Figure S5. HRMS spectrum of compound [I+H]⁺ for exp 6

4. H₂¹⁸O isotopic labeling experiments

3-Arylacetylene coumarin (**1a**, 67.9 mg, 0.2 mmol), I₂ (104.7 mg, 2 equiv.), NaHCO₃ (50.4 mg, 3 equiv.), DCE:H₂¹⁸O (2 mL, v/v = 200:3) stirred under 3 W blue LED (E = $5.00-5.15X10^4$ lx, $\lambda_{max} = 450-465$ nm) under argon atmosphere and at room temperature for 24 hours. After the reaction was

complete, the reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure, and the crude product was purified by silica gel column chromatography and preparative TLC to afford the corresponding product, which was measured HRMS (Fig. S6).



exp 7: 2a : 2a-momo¹⁸O : 2a-di¹⁸O = 27% : 43% : 30% (total conversion: 40%)

Scheme S3. H₂¹⁸O isotopic labeling experiments under argon



Figure S6. HRMS spectrum of compound [2a/2a-momo¹⁸O/2a-di¹⁸O+H]⁺ for exp 7

3-Arylacetylene coumarin (**1a**, 67.9 mg, 0.2 mmol), I₂ (104.7 mg, 2 equiv.), NaHCO₃ (50.4 mg, 3 equiv.), DCE:H₂¹⁸O (2 mL, v/v = 200:3) stirred under 3 W blue LED (E = $5.00-5.15X10^4$ lx, λ_{max} = 450-465 nm) under oxgen atmosphere and at room temperature for 24 hours. After the reaction was complete, the reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure, and the crude product was purified by silica gel column chromatography and preparative TLC to afford the corresponding product, which was measured HRMS (Fig. S7-S8).



exp 8: **2a** : **2a**-mono¹⁸O : **2a**-di¹⁸O = 94% : 6% : 0% (total conversion: 95%)

Scheme S4. H₂¹⁸O isotopic labeling experiments



Figure S7. HRMS spectrum of compound $[2a/2a-momo^{18}O+H]^+$ for exp 8



Figure S8. HRMS spectrum of compound [2a-momo¹⁸O+H]⁺ for exp 8

5. UV/Vis absorption spectra of 3-arylacetylene coumarin precursors.

The UV/Vis absorption spectra was recorded in MeCN of a 0.05 mM solution in 10 mm path length quartz cuvette on a Perkin Elmer Lambda 35 Spectrometer.

Compounds	λ_{max} (nm)
1p	356
1q	347
1r	423
1s	343
1t	346
1u	354
1v	342
1w	351
1x	342
1y	422
1z	422
1 aa	423
1ab	424

 Table S1. UV/Vis absorption spectra of 3-arylacetylene coumarin precursors in acetonitrile solutions.



Figure S9. Absorption spectra of 1p-1u in MeCN



Figure S10. Absorption spectra of 1v-1ab in MeCN

6. Fluorescent probe for hydrogen peroxide of 2r, 2z and 2ab

Probes **2r**, **2z**, **2ab** were dissolved in DMF for a stock solution (1 mM). H_2O_2 was from dilution of 30% solution in water. Test solutions (10 µM) were prepared by displacing 30 µL of the stock solution into a 3 mL mixture of 0.01 M PBS and CH₃CN (8:2, v/v) at pH 7.4.⁴ The detection limit was calculated based on the fluorescence titration. Detection limit = $3\sigma/k$. Where σ is the standard deviation of blank measurement, k is the slope between the fluorescence intensity ratio versus H_2O_2 concentration.

6.1 Fluorescent probe for hydrogen peroxide of 2r



Scheme S5. Fluorescent probe for hydrogen peroxide of 2r



Figure S11. (a) Changes in the absorption spectra of compound **2r** in the presence of 100 equiv. of H_2O_2 . (b) Time-dependent fluorescence spectral changes of compound **2r** with 100 equiv. of H_2O_2 ($\lambda_{ex} = 360$ nm, steady excitation). (c, d) Fluorescent emission spectra of compound **2r** (10 μ M) in the presence of 10-100 equiv. of H_2O_2 (Data were acquired at 515 nm)

The fluorescence emission spectrum of probe $2\mathbf{r}$ was measured by 15 times and σ (the standard deviation of blank measurement) was achieved. The data were acquired at 515 nm (n = 15), and σ was 0.344621 by calculation. The k was 4.16472. Detection limit = $3\sigma/k = 0.2482 \mu M$.



Figure S12. Intensity changes of **2r** in fluorescence at 515 nm (λ_{ex} = 360 nm) over time with or without H₂O₂

6.2 Fluorescent probe for hydrogen peroxide of 2z



Scheme S6. Fluorescent probe for hydrogen peroxide of 2z



Figure S13. (a) Changes in the absorption spectra of compound **2z** in the presence of 100 equiv. of H_2O_2 . (b) Time-dependent fluorescence spectral changes of compound **2z** with 100 equiv. of H_2O_2 ($\lambda_{ex} = 360$ nm, steady excitation). (c, d) Fluorescent emission spectra of compound **2z** (10 μ M) in the presence of 10-100 equiv. of H_2O_2 (Data were acquired at 516 nm)

The fluorescence emission spectrum of probe 2z was measured by 15 times and σ (the standard deviation of blank measurement) was achieved. The data were acquired at 516 nm (n = 15), and σ was 0.295761 by calculation. The k was 2.47663. Detection limit = $3\sigma/k = 0.358 \mu M$.



Figure S14. Intensity changes of 2z in fluorescence at 516 nm (λ_{ex} = 360 nm) over time with or without H₂O₂

6.3 Fluorescent probe for hydrogen peroxide of 2ab



Scheme S7. Fluorescent probe for hydrogen peroxide of 2ab



Figure S15. Fluorescent emission spectra of probe 2ab (10 μ M) in the presence of 10-100 equiv. of H₂O₂. Data were acquired at 512 nm

The fluorescence emission spectrum of probe **2ab** was measured by 15 times and σ (the standard deviation of blank measurement) was achieved. The data were acquired at 512 nm (n = 15), and σ was 0.364074 by calculation. The k was 7.29904. Detection limit = $3\sigma/k = 0.149 \mu M$.



Figure S16. Time-dependent fluorescence spectral changes of probe 2ab with 10 equiv. of H_2O_2 ($\lambda_{ex} = 360$ nm, steady excitation)

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8. Characterization data



7-fluoro-4-phenyl-3-(p-tolylethynyl)-2H-chromen-2-one (1p)

Yellow solid (53.0 mg, 75%), mp. 204.9 - 207.3 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.61 - 7.52 (m, 3 H), 7.51 - 7.44 (m, 2 H), 7.30 - 7.23 (m, 1 H), 7.15 - 7.08 (m, 3 H), 7.07 - 7.01 (m, 2 H), 6.94 (td, *J* = 2.5, 8.4 Hz, 1 H), 2.31 (s, 3 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 164.4 (d, *J* = 255.3 Hz), 159.2, 155.2, 153.9 (d, *J* = 13.2 Hz), 139.2, 134.3, 131.6, 129.5, 129.3 (d, *J* = 10.3 Hz), 129.1, 129.0, 128.5, 119.3, 116.6 (d, *J* = 2.9 Hz), 112.6 (d, *J* = 22.7), 110.3 (d, *J* = 2.9 Hz), 104.5 (d, *J* = 25.7 Hz), 99.1, 82.9, 21.6. ¹⁹F NMR (376.5 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -104.8. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₂₄H₁₅FO₂ (M+H)⁺: 355.1129, found: 355.1128.



7-methyl-3-(phenylethynyl)-2*H*-chromen-2-one (1q)

White solid (38.1 mg, 73%). mp. 166.6 - 169.2 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.91 (s, 1 H), 7.57 (dd, J = 3.0, 6.5 Hz, 2 H), 7.40 - 7.32 (m, 4 H), 7.16 - 7.08 (m, 2 H), 2.46 (s, 3 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 159.6, 153.5, 144.8, 143.7, 131.9, 129.0, 128.4, 127.4, 126.1, 122.4, 117.0, 116.6, 111.8, 95.3, 83.5, 21.9. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₈H₁₂O₂ (M+H)⁺: 261.0910, found: 261.0909.



7-(diethylamino)-3-(phenylethynyl)-2H-chromen-2-one (1r)

Yellow solid (59.1 mg, 92%), mp. 145.7 - 148.6 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.79 (s, 1 H), 7.58 - 7.51 (m, 2 H), 7.36 - 7.30 (m, 3 H), 7.27 - 7.22 (m, 1 H), 6.58 (dd, J = 2.4, 8.9 Hz, 1 H), 6.49 (d, J = 2.3 Hz, 1 H), 3.42 (q, J = 7.1 Hz, 4 H), 1.22 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 6 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃):

δ 161.0, 156.3, 151.1, 145.5, 131.7, 128.9, 128.4, 128.3, 123.1, 109.2, 108.4, 104.7, 97.3, 93.3, 84.6, 45.0, 12.5. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₂₁H₁₉NO₂ (M+H)⁺: 318.1489, found: 318.1488.



3-(phenylethynyl)-2*H*-chromen-2-one (1s)

Light yellow solid (30.6 mg, 62%), mp. 174.6 - 176.9 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.95 (s, 1 H), 7.63 - 7.46 (m, 4 H), 7.40 - 7.27 (m, 5 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 159.3, 153.3, 144.7, 132.1, 132.0, 129.1, 128.4, 127.7, 124.8, 122.2, 118.9, 116.8, 113.1, 95.8, 83.3. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₇H₁₀O₂ (M+H)⁺: 247.0754, found: 247.0755.



3-(p-tolylethynyl)-2H-chromen-2-one (1t)

Yellow solid (36.3 mg, 70%), mp. 132.3 - 135.7 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.92 (s, 1 H), 7.56 - 7.43 (m, 4 H), 7.36 - 7.25 (m, 2 H), 7.16 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2 H), 2.37 (s, 3 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 159.4, 153.2, 144.4, 139.5, 132.0, 131.9, 129.2, 127.7, 124.8, 119.1, 119.0, 116.8, 113.2, 96.2, 82.8, 21.6. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₈H₁₂O₂ (M+H)⁺: 261.0910, found: 261.0912.



3-((4-methoxyphenyl)ethynyl)-2*H*-chromen-2-one (1u)

Yellow solid (33.1 mg, 60%), mp. 162.1 - 164.9 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.90 (s, 1 H), 7.55 - 7.46 (m, 4 H), 7.37 - 7.27 (m, 2 H), 6.88 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2 H), 3.83 (s, 3 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 160.3, 159.4, 153.2, 144.0, 133.6, 131.9, 127.6, 124.8, 119.0, 116.8, 114.3, 114.1, 113.4, 96.2, 82.3, 55.3. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₈H₁₂O₃ (M+H)⁺: 277.0859, found: 277.0856.



3-((4-fluorophenyl)ethynyl)-2*H*-chromen-2-one (1v)

White solid (37.9 mg, 77%), mp. 61.5 - 61.8 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.94 (s, 1 H), 7.64 - 7.45 (m, 4 H), 7.40 - 7.27 (m, 2 H), 7.12 - 7.01 (m, 2 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 163.0 (d, J = 250.9 Hz), 159.3, 153.3, 144.7, 134.0 (d, J = 8.8 Hz), 132.2, 127.7, 124.9, 118.9, 118.3 (d, J = 2.9 Hz), 116.8, 115.9 (d, J = 22.0 Hz), 113.0, 94.7, 83.1. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₇H₉FO₂ (M+H)⁺: 265.0659, found: 265.0656.



3-((2-methoxyphenyl)ethynyl)-2*H*-chromen-2-one (1w)

Yellow solid (29.0 mg, 53%), mp. 107.3 - 109.6 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.96 (s, 1 H), 7.58 - 7.45 (m, 3 H), 7.38 - 7.25 (m, 3 H), 6.98 - 6.89 (m, 2 H), 3.93 (s, 3 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 160.3, 159.4, 153.3, 144.4, 134.0, 132.0, 130.8, 127.7, 124.8, 120.5, 119.0, 116.8, 113.4, 111.4, 110.7, 92.5, 87.3, 55.9. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₈H₁₂O₃ (M+H)⁺: 277.0859, found: 277.0861.



3-((4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)ethynyl)-2*H*-chromen-2-one (1x)

Yellow solid (48.5 mg, 77%), mp. 140.3 - 142.8 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.00 (s, 1 H), 7.71 - 7.66 (m, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2 H), 7.65 - 7.60 (m, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2 H), 7.57 (td, *J* = 1.6, 7.8 Hz, 1 H), 7.51 (dd, *J* = 1.4, 7.8 Hz, 1 H), 7.39 - 7.29 (m, 2 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 159.1, 153.5, 145.6, 132.6, 132.2, 130.7 (q, *J* = 33.0 Hz), 127.9, 126.0 (d, *J* = 1.47 Hz), 125.4 (q, *J* = 3.7 Hz), 125.0, 123.8 (d, *J* = 272.2 Hz), 118.7, 116.9, 112.5, 94.0, 85.5. ¹⁹F NMR (376.5 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -62.9. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₈H₉F₃O₂ (M+H)⁺: 315.0627, found: 315.0627.



7-(diethylamino)-3-(*p*-tolylethynyl)-2*H*-chromen-2-one (1y)

Yellow solid (58.6 mg, 88%), mp. 182.5 - 184.7 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.77 (s, 1 H), 7.47 - 7.41 (m, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2 H), 7.24 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1 H), 7.17 - 7.10 (m, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2 H), 6.58 (dd, *J* = 2.4, 8.9 Hz, 1 H), 6.52 - 6.45 (m, 1 H), 3.42 (q, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 4 H), 2.36 (s, 3 H), 1.22 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 6 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 161.0, 156.2, 151.0, 145.2, 138.5, 131.6, 129.0, 128.8, 120.0, 109.2, 108.5, 105.0, 97.3, 93.5, 83.9, 44.9, 21.5, 12.5. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₂₂H₂₁NO₂ (M+H)⁺: 332.1645, found: 332.1645.



7-(diethylamino)-3-((4-methoxyphenyl)ethynyl)-2H-chromen-2-one (1z)

Yellow solid (59.6 mg, 85%), mp. 135.1 - 137.6 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.75 (s, 1 H), 7.51 - 7.45 (m, 2 H), 7.23 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 1 H), 6.88 - 6.83 (m, 2 H), 6.57 (dd, J = 2.5, 8.9 Hz, 1 H), 6.47 (d, J = 2.3 Hz, 1 H), 3.82 (s, 3 H), 3.41 (q, J = 7.1 Hz, 4 H), 1.21 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 6 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 161.1, 159.7, 156.1, 150.9, 145.0, 133.2, 128.8, 115.2, 113.9, 109.2, 108.5, 105.0, 97.3, 93.4, 83.3, 55.3, 44.9, 12.5. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₂₂H₂₁NO₃ (M+H)⁺: 348.1594, found: 348.1598.



7-(diethylamino)-3-((4-fluorophenyl)ethynyl)-2H-chromen-2-one (1aa)

Yellow solid (61.8 mg, 92%), mp. 163.7 - 165.6 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.78 (s, 1 H), 7.56 - 7.49 (m, 2 H), 7.24 (s, 1 H), 7.02 (t, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 2 H), 6.59 (dd, *J* = 2.3, 8.8 Hz, 1 H), 6.49 (s, 1 H), 3.43 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 4 H), 1.22 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 6 H).¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 162.6 (d, *J* = 249.2 Hz), 160.9, 156.3, 151.1, 145.5, 133.6, 128.9, 119.2 (d, *J* = 3.67 Hz), 115.6 (d, *J* = 22.0 Hz), 109.3, 108.4, 104.5, 97.4, 92.2, 84.3, 45.0, 12.5. ¹⁹F NMR (376.5 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -110.73. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₂₁H₁₈FNO₂ (M+H)⁺: 336.1394, found: 336.1394.



7-(diethylamino)-3-((4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)ethynyl)-2*H*-chromen-2-one (1ab)

White solid (68.9 mg, 89%), mp. 184.7 - 186.4 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.83 (s, 1 H), 7.66 - 7.61 (m, J = 8.1 Hz, 2 H), 7.61 - 7.56 (m, J = 8.6 Hz, 2 H), 7.29 - 7.24 (m, 1 H), 6.60 (dd, J = 2.4, 8.9 Hz, 1 H), 6.49 (d, J = 2.3 Hz, 1 H), 3.43 (q, J = 7.1 Hz, 4 H), 1.23 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 6 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 160.8, 156.5, 151.4, 146.3, 131.8, 129.8 (q, J = 33.0 Hz), 129.2, 126.9 (d, J = 1.5 Hz), 124.0 (q, J = 272.2 Hz), 125.2 (q, J = 3.7 Hz), 109.4, 108.3, 103.8, 97.3, 91.8, 87.2, 45.0, 12.5. ¹⁹F NMR (376.5 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -62.8. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₂₂H₁₈F₃NO₃ (M+H)⁺: 386.1362, found: 386.1362.



1-(7-methyl-2-oxo-4-phenyl-2*H*-chromen-3-yl)-2-phenylethane-1,2-dione (2a)

Yellow solid (64.0 mg, 87%), mp. 150.1 - 151.7 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.96 (d, J = 7.5 Hz, 2 H), 7.62 - 7.53 (m, 1 H), 7.50 - 7.35 (m, 7 H), 7.28 - 7.22 (m, 1 H), 7.18 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1 H), 7.06 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 1 H), 2.47 (s, 3 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 191.3, 190.7, 159.8, 158.9, 154.3, 145.9, 134.2, 132.5, 132.0, 130.4, 130.4, 129.6, 128.8, 128.7, 128.5, 128.3, 126.3, 121.8, 117.5, 117.3, 21.9. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₂₄H₁₆O₄ (M+H)⁺: 369.1121, found: 369.1123.



1-(7-(*tert*-butyl)-2-oxo-4-phenyl-2*H*-chromen-3-yl)-2-phenylethane-1,2-dione (2b)

Yellow solid (62.0 mg, 76%), mp. 173.7 - 175.3 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.00 - 7.92 (m, 2 H), 7.59 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1 H), 7.49 - 7.42 (m, 6 H), 7.42 - 7.37 (m, 2 H), 7.33 - 7.27 (m, 1 H), 7.25 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1 H), 1.35 (s, 9 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 191.3, 190.7, 160.0, 159.0, 158.8, 154.3, 134.2, 132.5, 132.0, 130.4, 129.6, 128.7, 128.7, 128.5, 128.2, 122.6, 122.0, 117.2, 114.1, 35.5, 30.9. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₂₇H₂₂O₄ (M+H)⁺: 394.2013, found: 394.2015.



1-(2-oxo-4-phenyl-2*H*-chromen-3-yl)-2-phenylethane-1,2-dione (2c)

Yellow solid (52.5 mg, 74%), mp. 178.1 - 180.9 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.02 - 7.94 (m, 2 H), 7.69 - 7.55 (m, 2 H), 7.52 - 7.38 (m, 8 H), 7.36 - 7.31 (m, 1 H), 7.30 - 7.23 (m, 1 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 191.0, 190.4, 159.5, 158.5, 154.1, 134.3, 133.9, 132.2, 131.8, 130.5, 129.7, 129.1, 128.7, 128.6, 128.3, 125.0, 123.2, 119.6, 117.3. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₂₃H₁₄O₄ (M+H)⁺: 355.0965, found: 355.0967.



1-(7-fluoro-2-oxo-4-phenyl-2*H*-chromen-3-yl)-2-phenylethane-1,2-dione (2d)

Yellow solid (49.2 mg, 66%), mp. 165.8 - 167.4 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.99 - 7.93 (m, 2 H), 7.64 - 7.56 (m, 1 H), 7.51 - 7.42 (m, 5 H), 7.41 - 7.36 (m, 2 H), 7.33 (dd, *J* = 6.1, 8.9 Hz, 1 H), 7.16 (dd, *J* = 2.3, 8.7 Hz, 1 H), 7.00 (td, *J* = 2.4, 8.4 Hz, 1 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 190.7, 190.4, 165.7 (d, *J* = 258.23 Hz), 159.2, 158.1, 155.4 (d, *J* = 13.2 Hz), 134.4, 132.1, 131.8, 131.1 (d, *J* = 10.3 Hz), 130.4, 129.9, 128.9, 128.6, 128.2, 122.2 (d, *J* = 2.9 Hz), 116.5 (d, *J* = 2.9 Hz), 113.3 (d, *J* = 22.7 Hz), 104.9 (d, *J* = 25.7 Hz). ¹⁹F NMR (376.5 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -101.2. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₂₃H₁₃FO₄ (M+Na)⁺: 395.0690, found: 395.0693.



1-(7-chloro-2-oxo-4-phenyl-2*H*-chromen-3-yl)-2-phenylethane-1,2-dione (2e)

Yellow solid (54.3 mg, 70%). mp. 225.8 - 227.5 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.00 - 7.91 (m, 2 H), 7.63 - 7.56 (m, 1 H), 7.50 - 7.42 (m, 6 H), 7.41 - 7.34 (m, 2 H), 7.29 - 7.20 (m, 2 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 190.6, 190.3, 158.9, 157.8, 154.3, 140.1, 134.4, 131.9, 131.7, 130.5, 129.9, 128.9, 128.6, 128.2, 125.6, 123.1, 118.3, 117.6. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₂₃H₁₃ClO₄ (M+Na)⁺: 411.0395, found: 411.0396.



1-(2-oxo-4-phenyl-7-(trifluoromethyl)-2*H*-chromen-3-yl)-2-phenylethane-1,2-dione (2f)

Yellow solid (45.5 mg, 54%), mp. 148.1 - 149.7 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.02 - 7.94 (m, 2 H), 7.71 (s, 1 H), 7.65 - 7.57 (m, 1 H), 7.53 - 7.44 (m, 8 H), 7.41 (dd, *J* = 3.0, 6.7 Hz, 2 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 190.1, 189.9, 158.6, 156.7, 153.6, 135.0 (q, *J* = 33.8 Hz), 134.6, 131.6, 131.4, 130.5, 130.1, 129.8, 129.0, 128.6, 128.3, 125.4, 122.9 (q, *J* = 272.9 Hz), 122.2, 121.4 (q, *J* = 3.67 Hz), 114.8 (q, *J* = 3.7 Hz). ¹⁹F NMR (376.5 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -63.14. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₂₄H₁₃F₃O₄ (M+H)⁺: 423.0839, found: 423.0838.



1-(6,8-dimethyl-2-oxo-4-phenyl-2*H*-chromen-3-yl)-2-phenylethane-1,2-dione (2g)

Yellow solid (67.1 mg, 88%), mp. 152.9 - 155.8 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.96 (d, J = 7.5 Hz, 2 H), 7.61 - 7.53 (m, 1 H), 7.50 - 7.41 (m, 5 H), 7.41 - 7.35 (m, 2 H), 7.30 (s, 1 H), 6.89 (s, 1 H), 2.45 (s, 3 H), 2.26 (s, 3 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 191.3, 190.6, 159.8, 158.9, 150.7, 136.5,

134.2, 134.1, 132.7, 132.0, 130.4, 129.5, 128.6, 128.5, 128.3, 126.5, 126.4, 122.6, 119.2, 20.9, 15.5. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₂₅H₁₈O₄ (M+Na)⁺: 405.1097, found: 405.1098.



1-(7-methyl-2-oxo-4-phenyl-2H-chromen-3-yl)-2-(p-tolyl)ethane-1,2-dione (2h)

Yellow solid (64.8 mg, 85%), mp. 63.3 - 65.1 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.87 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2 H), 7.49 - 7.43 (m, 3 H), 7.41 - 7.36 (m, 2 H), 7.25 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 3 H), 7.18 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1 H), 7.06 (dd, J = 1.0, 8.2 Hz, 1 H), 2.47 (s, 3 H), 2.40 (s, 3 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 191.4, 190.3, 159.8, 158.7, 154.2, 145.8, 145.4, 132.6, 130.5, 129.6, 129.5, 129.3, 128.8, 128.7, 128.3, 126.2, 122.0, 117.4, 117.3, 21.9. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₂₅H₁₈O₄ (M+Na)⁺: 405.1097, found: 405.1099.



1-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-(7-methyl-2-oxo-4-phenyl-2*H***-chromen-3-yl)ethane-1,2-dione (2i) Yellow oil (65.5 mg, 82%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): \delta 7.99 - 7.92 (m, 2 H), 7.48 - 7.42 (m, 3 H), 7.42 - 7.35 (m, 2 H), 7.23 (s, 1 H), 7.18 (d,** *J* **= 8.2 Hz, 1 H), 7.09 - 7.01 (m, 1 H), 6.95 - 6.87 (m, 2 H), 3.86 (s, 3 H), 2.47 (s, 3 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): \delta 191.5, 189.2, 164.5, 159.7, 158.4, 154.2, 145.7, 132.9, 132.6, 129.5, 128.7, 128.6, 128.3, 126.2, 124.9, 122.3, 117.4, 117.3, 114.0, 55.6, 21.9. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₂₅H₁₈O₅ (M+Na)⁺: 421.1046, found: 421.1047.**



1-(4-fluorophenyl)-2-(7-methyl-2-oxo-4-phenyl-2*H***-chromen-3-yl)ethane-1,2-dione (2j) Yellow solid (61.7 mg, 80%), mp. 126.4 - 128.2 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): \delta 8.04 - 7.97 (m, 2 H), 7.50 - 7.43 (m, 3 H), 7.41 - 7.36 (m, 2 H), 7.26 (d,** *J* **= 3.2 Hz, 1 H), 7.20 (d,** *J* **= 8.2 Hz, 1 H), 7.16 - 7.05 (m, 3 H), 2.49 (s, 3 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): \delta 191.2, 189.1, 166.5 (d,** *J* **= 256.8 Hz), 159.9, 159.0, 154.3, 146.0, 133.2 (d,** *J* **= 9.5 Hz), 132.4, 129.7, 128.9, 128.7, 128.4 (d,** *J* **= 2.9** Hz), 128.2, 126.3, 121.7, 117.5, 117.3, 115.8 (d, J = 22.0 Hz), 21.9. ¹⁹F NMR (376.5 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -120.6. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₂₄H₁₅FO₄ (M+Na)⁺: 409.0847, found: 409.0849.



1-(2-methoxyphenyl)-2-(7-methyl-2-oxo-4-phenyl-2*H***-chromen-3-yl)ethane-1,2-dione (2l) Yellow solid (51.5 mg, 65%). mp. 147.3 - 149.5 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): \delta 7.93 (dd,** *J* **= 1.7, 7.8 Hz, 1 H), 7.55 - 7.45 (m, 4 H), 7.36 - 7.29 (m, 2 H), 7.23 (s, 1 H), 7.16 - 7.11 (m, 1 H), 7.07 - 7.01 (m, 2 H), 6.93 (d,** *J* **= 8.4 Hz, 1 H), 3.74 (s, 3 H), 2.47 (s, 3 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): \delta 190.8, 189.4, 160.8, 160.3, 159.9, 154.5, 146.2, 135.7, 133.3, 131.0, 129.3, 129.1, 128.5, 127.8, 126.1, 122.9, 121.1, 118.8, 117.9, 117.3, 112.5, 56.2, 21.9. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₂₅H₁₈O₅ (M+H)⁺: 399.1127, found: 399.1129.**



1-(2-fluorophenyl)-2-(7-methyl-2-oxo-4-phenyl-2*H*-chromen-3-yl)ethane-1,2-dione (2m)

White solid (30.7 mg, 41%), mp. 178.3 - 180.2 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.02 - 7.93 (m, 1 H), 7.63 - 7.54 (m, 1 H), 7.53 - 7.45 (m, 3 H), 7.36 (dd, J = 2.8, 6.4 Hz, 2 H), 7.29 - 7.24 (m, 3 H), 7.18 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 1 H), 7.14 - 7.04 (m, 2 H), 2.49 (s, 3 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 189.8, 188.5, 162.8 (d, J = 258.9 Hz), 161.0, 160.3, 154.5, 146.5, 136.0 (d, J = 9.5 Hz), 132.8, 131.2 (d, J = 1.5 Hz), 129.4, 129.3, 128.6, 127.9, 126.3, 124.4 (d, J = 3.7 Hz), 121.4 (d, J = 11.0 Hz), 119.2, 117.7, 117.4, 116.5 (d, J = 22.0 Hz), 22.0. ¹⁹F NMR (376.5 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -106.7. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₂₄H₁₅FO₄ (M+Na)⁺: 409.0847, found: 409.0845.



1-(7-methoxy-2-oxo-4-phenyl-2*H***-chromen-3-yl)-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)ethane-1,2-dione (2n)** Yellow oil (68.6 mg, 55%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.93 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 2 H), 7.43 (s, 3 H), 7.40 - 7.33 (m, 2 H), 7.19 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1 H), 6.95 - 6.85 (m, 3 H), 6.79 (dd, *J* = 2.3, 9.0 Hz, 1 H), 3.88 (s, 3 H), 3.85 (s, 3 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 191.7, 189.5, 164.6, 164.5, 159.9, 159.1, 156.3, 132.9, 132.8, 130.3, 129.5, 128.6, 128.2, 125.0, 119.7, 113.9, 113.5, 113.3, 100.9, 56.1, 55.6. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₂₅H₁₈O₆ (M+Na)⁺: 437.0996, found: 437.0998.



1-(7-(*tert***-butyl)-2-oxo-4-phenyl-2***H***-chromen-3-yl)-2-(4-fluorophenyl)ethane-1,2-dione (2o) Yellow solid (68.6 mg, 80%). mp. 144.9 - 147.3 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.04 - 7.97 (m, 2 H), 7.50 - 7.43 (m, 4 H), 7.39 (dd, J = 3.0, 6.8 Hz, 2 H), 7.34 - 7.28 (m, 1 H), 7.27 - 7.23 (m, 1 H), 7.17 - 7.09 (m, 2 H), 1.36 (s, 9 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 191.1, 189.1, 166.4 (d, J = 256.8 Hz), 160.0, 159.1, 158.9, 154.3, 133.2 (d, J = 9.5 Hz), 132.5, 129.6, 128.7, 128.6, 128.4 (d, J = 2.9 Hz), 128.2, 122.7, 121.9, 117.2, 115.8 (d, J = 22.0 Hz), 114.2, 35.5, 30.9. ¹⁹F NMR (376.5 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -102.7. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₂₇H₂₁FO₄ (M+H)⁺: 429.1497, found: 429.1493.**



1-(7-fluoro-2-oxo-4-phenyl-2*H*-chromen-3-yl)-2-(*p*-tolyl)ethane-1,2-dione (2p)

Yellow solid (68.9 mg, 89%), mp. 144.3 - 146.1 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.86 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 2 H), 7.49 - 7.43 (m, 3 H), 7.42 - 7.36 (m, 2 H), 7.32 (dd, J = 6.0, 8.8 Hz, 1 H), 7.25 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2 H), 7.15 (dd, J = 2.5, 8.5 Hz, 1 H), 7.03 - 6.96 (m, 1 H), 2.41 (s, 3 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 190.8, 190.0, 165.6 (d, J = 258.2 Hz), 159.1, 157.8, 155.4 (d, J = 13.2 Hz), 145.6, 132.2, 131.0 (d, J = 10.3 Hz), 130.6, 129.8, 129.4, 129.3, 128.8, 128.2, 122.3 (d, J = 2.9 Hz), 116.5 (d, J = 2.9 Hz), 113.2 (d, J = 22.0 Hz), 104.8 (d, J = 25.7 Hz), 21.9. ¹⁹F NMR (376.5 MHz, CDCl₃): δ - 101.5. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₂₄H₁₅FO₄ (M+H)⁺: 387.1027, found: 387.1029.



1-(7-methyl-2-oxo-2*H*-chromen-3-yl)-2-phenylethane-1,2-dione (2q)

Yellow solid (54.3 mg, 93%), mp. 175.6 - 177.3 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.64 (s, 1 H), 7.99 - 7.92 (m, 2 H), 7.67 - 7.58 (m, 2 H), 7.55 - 7.46 (m, 2 H), 7.23 - 7.18 (m, 2 H), 2.51 (s, 3 H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 192.4, 191.6, 159.3, 156.0, 148.8, 147.8, 134.4, 132.4, 130.4, 129.8, 128.9, 126.8, 121.2, 117.4, 115.9, 22.3. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₈H₁₂O₄ (M+H)⁺: 293.0808, found: 293.0806.



1-(7-(sec-butyl)-2-oxo-2*H*-chromen-3-yl)-2-phenylethane-1,2-dione (2r)

Yellow solid (43.3 mg, 62%), mp. 192.4 - 194.8 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.53 (s, 1 H), 7.98 - 7.90 (m, 2 H), 7.59 (d, J = 7.5 Hz, 1 H), 7.46 (d, J = 9.0 Hz, 2 H), 7.50 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 1 H), 6.66 (dd, J = 2.4, 9.0 Hz, 1 H), 6.47 (d, J = 2.3 Hz, 1 H), 3.48 (q, J = 7.2 Hz, 4 H), 1.26 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 6 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 194.0, 192.2, 160.6, 159.4, 154.0, 148.3, 134.0, 133.0, 132.7, 129.5, 128.8, 112.9, 110.4, 108.6, 97.1, 45.4, 12.5. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₂₁H₁₉NO₄ (M+H)⁺: 350.1387, found: 350.1390.



1-(2-oxo-2*H*-chromen-3-yl)-2-phenylethane-1,2-dione (2s)

Yellow solid (44.0 mg, 79%), mp. 152.1 - 154.3 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.66 (s, 1 H), 8.00 - 7.93 (m, 2 H), 7.75 - 7.62 (m, 3 H), 7.56 - 7.48 (m, 2 H), 7.43 - 7.35 (m, 2 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 192.2, 191.3, 159.0, 155.7, 148.8, 135.4, 134.5, 132.3, 130.7, 129.8, 128.9, 125.4, 122.5, 118.2, 117.2. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₇H₁₀O₄ (M+H)⁺: 279.0652, found: 279.0649.



1-(2-oxo-2*H*-chromen-3-yl)-2-(*p*-tolyl)ethane-1,2-dione (2t)

Light yellow (49.8 mg, 85%), mp. 183.4 - 185.7 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.65 (s, 1 H), 7.90 - 7.83 (m, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2 H), 7.76 - 7.67 (m, 2 H), 7.43 - 7.36 (m, 2 H), 7.35 - 7.29 (m, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2 H), 2.44 (s, 3 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 191.9, 191.4, 158.9, 155.7, 148.7, 145.8, 135.3, 130.6, 130.0, 129.8, 129.7, 125.4, 122.7, 118.2, 117.2, 22.0. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₈H₁₂O₄ (M+H)⁺: 293.0808, found: 293.0808.



1-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-(2-oxo-2*H*-chromen-3-yl)ethane-1,2-dione (2u)

Yellow solid (52.4 mg, 85%), mp. 166.7 - 168.2 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.63 (s, 1 H), 7.98 - 7.92 (m, 2 H), 7.73-7.67 (m, 2 H), 7.41 - 7.35 (m, 2 H), 7.02 - 6.93 (m, 2 H), 3.89 (s, 3 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 191.3, 190.7, 164.8, 158.8, 155.7, 148.6, 135.2, 132.3, 130.5, 125.3, 125.3, 122.9, 118.2, 117.2, 114.4, 55.6. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₈H₁₂O₅ (M+H)⁺: 309.0757, found: 309.0756.



1-(4-fluorophenyl)-2-(2-oxo-2*H*-chromen-3-yl)ethane-1,2-dione (2v)

Light yellow (53.6 mg, 91%), mp. 180.9 - 182.3 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.65 (s, 1 H), 8.05 - 7.96 (m, 2 H), 7.78 - 7.67 (m, 2 H), 7.46 - 7.37 (m, 2 H), 7.20 (t, J = 8.7 Hz, 2 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 191.0, 190.5, 166.6 (d, J = 257.5 Hz), 159.0, 155.7, 148.9, 135.5, 132.5 (d, J = 10.27 Hz), 130.7, 128.7 (d, J = 2.9 Hz), 125.5, 122.6, 118.1, 117.3, 116..3 (d, J = 22.0Hz). ¹⁹F NMR (376.5 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -102.0. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₇H₉FO₄ (M+H)⁺: 297.0558, found: 297.0555.



1-(2-methoxyphenyl)-2-(2-oxo-2*H*-chromen-3-yl)ethane-1,2-dione (2w)

Light yellow (26.3 mg, 43%), mp. 187.6 - 189.9 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.72 (s, 1 H), 8.08 (dd, J = 1.7, 7.8 Hz, 1 H), 7.76 - 7.66 (m, 2 H), 7.63 - 7.56 (m, 1 H), 7.43 - 7.35 (m, 2 H), 7.18 - 7.10 (m, 1 H), 6.97 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 1 H), 3.71 (s, 3 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 191.8, 189.1, 160.5, 159.0, 155.6, 147.9, 136.3, 135.0, 130.5, 130.4, 125.3, 122.9, 121.8, 121.7, 118.3, 117.1, 112.4, 56.0. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₈H₁₂O₅ (M+H)⁺: 309.0757, found: 309.0760.



1-(2-oxo-2*H*-chromen-3-yl)-2-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)ethane-1,2-dione (2x)

Yellow solid (53.5 mg, 77%), mp. 196.1 - 197.2 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.68 (s, 1 H), 8.08 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2 H), 7.82 - 7.71 (m, 4 H), 7.45 - 7.38 (m, 2 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 191.1, 190.8, 159.3, 155.7, 149.0, 135.7, 135.5 (d, *J* = 33.01 Hz), 135.0, 130.8, 130.0, 126.0 (q, *J* = 3.7 Hz), 125.6, 123.5(q, *J* = 272.9 Hz), 122.3, 118.1, 117.3. ¹⁹F NMR (376.5 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -63.3. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₈H₉F₃O₄ (M+H)⁺: 347.0526, found: 347.0526.



1-(7-(diethylamino)-2-oxo-2*H*-chromen-3-yl)-2-(*p*-tolyl)ethane-1,2-dione (2y)

Yellow solid (44.3 mg, 61%), mp. 180.3 - 182.1 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.51 (s, 1 H), 7.83 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2 H), 7.44 (d, J = 9.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.28 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 2 H), 6.65 (dd, J = 2.4, 9.0 Hz, 1 H), 6.46 (d, J = 2.2 Hz, 1 H), 3.47 (q, J = 7.1 Hz, 4 H), 2.41 (s, 3 H), 1.25 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 6 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 193.7, 192.3, 160.4, 159.3, 153.9, 148.3, 145.0, 132.6, 130.6, 129.6, 129.5, 113.1, 110.3, 108.5, 97.1, 45.3, 21.9, 12.5. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₂₂H₂₁NO₄ (M+Na)⁺: 386.1363, found: 386.1362.



1-(7-(diethylamino)-2-oxo-2*H*-chromen-3-yl)-2-(*p*-tolyl)ethane-1,2-dione (2z)

Yellow solid (50.6 mg, 67%), mp. 187.5 - 189.7 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.51 (s, 1 H), 7.94 - 7.89 (m, 2 H), 7.44 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.00 - 6.93 (m, 2 H), 6.65 (dd, *J* = 2.4, 9.0 Hz, 1 H), 6.47 (d, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 1 H), 3.87 (s, 3 H), 3.48 (q, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 4 H), 1.25 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 6 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 192.7, 192.3, 164.3, 160.4, 159.3, 153.9, 148.4, 132.6, 131.9, 126.1, 114.2, 113.1, 110.3, 108.5, 97.1, 55.6, 45.4, 12.5. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₂₂H₂₁NO₅ (M+H)⁺: 380.1492, found: 380.1496.



1-(2-oxo-2*H*-chromen-3-yl)-2-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)ethane-1,2-dione (2aa)

Yellow solid (22.9 mg, 31%), mp. 218.3 - 219.4 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.51 (s, 1 H), 8.01 - 7.93 (m, 2 H), 7.46 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.20 - 7.12 (m, 2 H), 6.66 (dd, *J* = 2.4, 9.0 Hz, 1 H), 6.47 (d, *J* = 2.3 Hz, 1 H), 3.49 (q, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 4 H), 1.26 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 6 H).¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 192.3, 191.9, 166.2 (d, *J* = 256.0 Hz), 160.6, 159.4, 154.0, 148.3, 132.7 (d, *J* = 9.54 Hz), 129.5 (d, *J* = 2.93 Hz), 116.05 (d, *J* = 22.0 Hz), 112.8, 110.4, 108.6, 97.2, 45.4, 12.5. ¹⁹F NMR (376.5 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -103.4. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₂₁H₁₈FNO₄ (M+Na)⁺: 390.1112, found: 390.1113.



1-(7-(diethylamino)-2-oxo-2*H*-chromen-3-yl)-2-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)ethane-1,2-dione (2ab)

Yellow solid (28.1 mg, 34%), mp. 191.5 - 193.7 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.53 (s, 1 H), 8.07 - 8.02 (m, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2 H), 7.77 - 7.73 (m, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2 H), 7.48 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 1 H), 6.68 (dd, *J* = 2.4, 9.0 Hz, 1 H), 6.48 (d, *J* = 2.3 Hz, 1 H), 3.49 (q, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 4 H), 1.27 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 6 H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 192.8, 191.5, 160.9, 159.4, 154.2, 148.3, 135.8, 134.9 (q, *J* = 33.0 Hz), 132.9, 129.7, 125.8 (q, *J* = 3.7 Hz), 123.6 (q, *J* = 272.9 Hz), 112.5, 110.6, 108.7, 97.2, 45.4, 12.5. ¹⁹F NMR (376.5 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -63.2. HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₂₂H₁₈F₃NO₄ (M+H)⁺: 418.1261, found: 418.1261.

9. NMR spectra of all compounds

XJH-170A-2,1H,718_000001r







XJH-163A,1H,698_000001r











Figure S22. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 1r

XJH-198-2,13C,5201_000001





9.5 9.0 8.5 8.0 7.5 7.0 6.5 6.0 5.5 5.0 4.5 4.0 3.5 3.0 2.5 2.0 1.5 1.0 0.5 0 -0.5 Chemical Shift (ppm)

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XJH-197-2,1H,5110_000001r



Figure S26. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 1t





XJH-159,1H,699_000001r



Figure S28. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 1u





XJH-137,1H,734_000001r



Figure S30. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 1v







XJH-137,19F,739_000001r



Figure S32. ¹⁹F NMR spectrum of compound 1v


Figure S33. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 1w

XJH-196-2,13C,5101_000001r



Figure S34. ¹³C NMR spectrum of compound 1w





XJH-231,13C,2032_000001r









XJH-229-2,1H,1930_000001r









XJH-210,1H,5940_000001r









XJH-230-2-1H,1950_000001r



Figure S42. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 1aa





XJH-230,19F,1941_000001r



Figure S44. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 1aa















Figure S48. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 2a

WXJ-162-2-13C,1771_000001r





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Figure S52. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 2c





Figure S53. ¹³C NMR spectrum of compound 2c



Figure S54. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 2d





XJH-W-289,19F,8382_000001r



Figure S56. ¹⁹F NMR spectrum of compound 2d

WXJ-288-1H,15390_000001r





WXJ-288-13C,14531_000001r





XJH-W-281,1H,8840_000001r











Figure S62. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 2g







XJH-218,1H,6890_000001r





XJH-218,13C,6891_000001r





XJH-W-280,1H,8510_000001r



Figure S66. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 2i





WXJ-283-1H,13140_000001r



Figure S68. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 2j





WXJ-283-19F,13141_000001r



Figure S70. ¹⁹F NMR spectrum of compound 2j





XJH-209-3,13C,5961_000001r









XJH-W-287,13C,8181_000001r



Figure S74. ¹³C NMR spectrum of compound 2m



Figure S75. ¹⁹F NMR spectrum of compound 2m

XJH-W-300,1H,8500_000001r



Figure S76. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 2n

XJH-W-300,13C,8501_000001r



Figure S77. ¹³C NMR spectrum of compound 2n

XJH-155-2,1H,44_000001r



Figure S78. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 20





2O-XJH-155-2,19F,51_000001r



Figure S80. ¹⁹F NMR spectrum of compound 20

XJH-175-3,1H,819_000001r





XJH-175-3,13C,825_000001r



Figure S82. ¹³C NMR spectrum of compound 2p







Figure S84. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 2q



Figure S86. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 2r





XJH-165-1,1H,532_000001r



Figure S88. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 2s





XJH-213,1H,8060_000001r



Figure S90. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 2t





XJH-176-2,1H,821_000001r



Figure S92. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 2u

XJH-176-2,13C,826_000001r









XJH-164-1,19F,520_000001r



Figure S96. ¹⁹F NMR spectrum of compound 2v

XJH-216,1H,7000_000001r





XJH-216,13C,7081_000001r

















XJH-232-2,1H,2350_000001r



Figure S102. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 2y





XJH-211-2,1H,6360_000001r



Figure S104. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 2z




XJH-233-2,1H,2310_000001r



Figure S106. ¹H NMR spectrum of compound 2aa





XJH-233-2,19F,2311_000001r



Figure S108. ¹⁹F NMR spectrum of compound 2aa

XJH-217,1H,7010_000001r



XJH-217,13C,7012_000001r



Figure S110. ¹³C NMR spectrum of compound 2ab



Figure S111. ¹⁹F NMR spectrum of compound 2ab

10. X-ray crystallographic data

1) Structure determination of 2a

The structure of **2a** was determined by the X-ray diffraction. Recrystallized from EtOH/dichloromethane (v/v = 1/1). Further information can be found in the CIF file. This crystal was deposited in the Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre and assigned as CCDC 2036909.



Table S2 Crystal data and structure refinement for 2a.

Identification code	202009191
Empirical formula	$C_{24}H_{16}O_{4}$
Formula weight	368.37
Temperature/K	293(2)
Crystal system	monoclinic
Space group	$P2_1/c$
a/Å	19.224(2)
b/Å	20.020(2)
c/Å	10.0058(12)
α/°	90
β/°	97.418(10)
γ/°	90
Volume/Å ³	3818.6(8)
Z	8
$\rho_{calc}g/cm^3$	1.281
μ/mm^{-1}	0.709

F(000)	1536.0
Crystal size/mm ³	$0.18 \times 0.14 \times 0.07$
Radiation	$CuK\alpha \ (\lambda = 1.54184)$
2Θ range for data collection/°	8.834 to 134.3
Index ranges	$-22 \le h \le 22, -23 \le k \le 20, -11 \le l \le 8$
Reflections collected	15425
Independent reflections	$6779 [R_{int} = 0.0364, R_{sigma} = 0.0547]$
Data/restraints/parameters	6779/0/508
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.026
Final R indexes [I>= 2σ (I)]	$R_1 = 0.0565, wR_2 = 0.1447$
Final R indexes [all data]	$R_1 = 0.0895, wR_2 = 0.1779$
Largest diff. peak/hole / e Å ⁻³	0.20/-0.19

2) Structure determination of 2g

The structure of 2g was determined by the X-ray diffraction. Recrystallized from EtOH/dichloromethane (v/v = 1/1). Further information can be found in the CIF file. This crystal was deposited in the Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre and assigned as CCDC 2026429.



Table S3	Crystal	data ai	nd structure	refinement	for 2g
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Identification code	201911294
Empirical formula	$C_{25}H_{18}O_4$
Formula weight	382.39
Temperature/K	293(2)
Crystal system	monoclinic
Space group	$P2_1/n$
a/Å	14.5609(6)

b/Å	9.3002(4)
c/Å	14.7714(7)
$\alpha/^{\circ}$	90
β/°	94.995(4)
$\gamma/^{\circ}$	90
Volume/Å ³	1992.74(15)
Ζ	4
$\rho_{calc}g/cm^3$	1.275
μ/mm^{-1}	0.698
F(000)	800.0
Crystal size/mm ³	0.22 imes 0.15 imes 0.1
Radiation	$CuK\alpha \ (\lambda = 1.54184)$
2Θ range for data collection/	8.178 to 134.16
Index ranges	$-17 \le h \le 16, -8 \le k \le 11, -17 \le l \le 16$
Reflections collected	7221
Independent reflections	$3554 [R_{int} = 0.0250, R_{sigma} = 0.0343]$
Data/restraints/parameters	3554/0/264
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.028
Final R indexes [I>= 2σ (I)]	$R_1 = 0.0477, wR_2 = 0.1199$
Final R indexes [all data]	$R_1 = 0.0667, wR_2 = 0.1383$
Largest diff. peak/hole / e Å-	3 0.13/-0.17

3) Structure determination of 2s

The structure of **2s** was determined by the X-ray diffraction. Recrystallized from EtOH/dichloromethane (v/v=1/1). Further information can be found in the CIF file. This crystal was deposited in the Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre and assigned as CCDC 2036910.



Table S4 rystal data and structure refinement for 2s.

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Identification code	202010208
Empirical formula	$C_{17}H_{10}O_4$
Formula weight	278.25
Temperature/K	293(2)
Crystal system	triclinic
Space group	P-1
a/Å	7.1288(11)
b/Å	7.3017(9)
c/Å	13.738(2)
α/°	94.814(11)
β/°	90.307(13)
γ/°	112.254(14)
Volume/Å ³	658.95(18)
Ζ	2
$\rho_{calc}g/cm^3$	1.402
µ∕mm⁻¹	0.835
F(000)	288.0
Crystal size/mm ³	$0.22\times0.1\times0.04$
Radiation	$CuK\alpha (\lambda = 1.54184)$
2Θ range for data collection/°	12.944 to 134.118
Index ranges	$-8 \le h \le 5, -7 \le k \le 8, -16 \le l \le 16$
Reflections collected	4663
Independent reflections	2352 [$R_{int} = 0.0339$, $R_{sigma} = 0.0441$]

Data/restraints/parameters	2352/0/190
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.035
Final R indexes [I>= 2σ (I)]	$R_1 = 0.0638, wR_2 = 0.1804$
Final R indexes [all data]	$R_1 = 0.0994, wR_2 = 0.2205$
Largest diff. peak/hole / e Å ⁻³	0.22/-0.16