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Access to 5-bromopentanal and 6-bromohexanal derivatives via bromination / hydrolysis of C,O-bis-zirconocenes generated from unsaturated Weinreb amides.

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Experimental procedures and characterization of compounds.

All reactions involving organometallics were conducted under an atmosphere of argon. ¹H and ¹³C NMR spectra were recorded in CDCl₃, unless specified, on a Bruker AC-500. Samples were analyzed by Q-TOF HRMS system. The analysis was performed on a Waters SYNAPT G2-Si High Resolution Mass Spectrometry equipped with electrospray ionization (ESI) source (Waters Corp., Manchester, UK). Mass detection was conducted in positive ion mode, with the source temperature at 120°C, capillary voltage and cone voltage were set at 3 KV and 40 V. The desolvation gas was optimized to 900 L/h, the cone gas flow of 50 L/h and the scan range was from 50 to 2000 m/z. Samples were analyzed in infusion mode and the mass was corrected during acquisition using external reference (Lock-Spray) consisting of a 1 ng/µL solution of leucine encephalin at a flow rate of 5 µL/min, in order to make sure the accuracy and reproducibility during the MS analysis. All data collected were acquired using MassLynxTM (V4.1) software in centroid mode.

Experimental procedures and characterization of compounds

Tert-Butyl 3-(ferrocenyl)hex-5-enoate S1

To a solution of **(***E***)-***Tert***-butyl 3-(ferrocenyl)acrylate** (0.95 g, 2.97 mmol) in DMF (7 mL) was added TMAF (0.36 g, 3.86 mmol) and allyltrimethylsilane (0.89 mL, 5.94 mmol) at 0°C. The mixture was stirred for 2 h at 0°C, then a saturated aqueous solution of water (5 mL) was added. The aqueous layer was extracted with AcOEt (3 x 8 mL), the organic phases were combined, dried over MgSO₄, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel eluting with CH₂Cl₂ to give **S1** as a red oil (835 mg, 2.36 mmol, 80%). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, DMSO) δ 5.73 (ddt, *J* = 16.2, 11.3, 7.2 Hz, 1 H), 5.07-4.92 (m, 2 H), 4.14 (s, 5 H), 4.13-4.06 (m, 2 H), 4.09-4.02 (m, 2 H), 2.87 (tt, *J* = 7.8, 5.4 Hz, 1 H), 2.47 (d, *J* = 5.6 Hz, 1 H), 2.39 (dd, *J* = 15.1, 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 2.36-2.33 (m, 1 H), 2.21 (dt, *J* = 14.1, 7.5 Hz, 1 H), 1.40 (s, 9 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, DMSO) δ 171.5, 136.3, 116.7, 92.5, 79.6, 68.2, 66.8, 66.7, 66.4, 40.4, 39.0, 34.6, 27.7; HRMS-ESI *m/z* [M]⁺ calcd for C₂₀H₂₆O₂Fe: 354.1282; found: 354.1281.

Tert-Butyl 3-(2-bromophenyl)hex-5-enoate S2



Prepared according to the above procedure from *Tert*-butyl (*E*)-3-(2-bromophenyl)acrylate (2.80 g, 10 mmol) as a red oil (430 mg, 1.32 mmol, 13%). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.52 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 1.2 Hz, 1 H), 7.23 (dd, *J* = 7.6, 2.1 Hz, 1 H), 7.19 (td, *J* = 7.3, 1.2 Hz, 1 H), 7.06 (td, *J* = 7.9, 2.0 Hz, 1 H), 5.80 (ddt, *J* = 17.1, 10.1, 6.9 Hz, 1 H), 5.10 (dq, *J* = 17.1, 1.6 Hz, 1 H), 5.05 (ddt, *J* = 10.1, 2.0, 1.1 Hz, 1 H), 2.97 (dd, *J* = 13.7, 9.3 Hz, 1 H), 2.90 (dd, *J* = 13.7, 5.8 Hz, 1 H), 2.80 (ddt, *J* = 9.1, 8.1, 5.8 Hz, 1 H), 2.40 (dddt, *J* = 14.1, 8.4, 7.1, 1.2 Hz, 1 H), 2.27 (dddt, *J* = 13.9, 6.9, 5.6, 1.3 Hz, 1 H), 1.33 (s, 9 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 174.0, 139.0, 135.3, 132.9, 131.5, 128.1, 127.2, 124.8, 117.1, 80.5, 45.9, 38.2, 36.8, 28.1; MS-CI *m/z* : 325 [M+H]⁺ (38%).

(E)-3-[3-(Naphthalen-1-yl)acryloyl]oxazolidin-2-one S3



To a solution of **oxazolidin-2-one** (0.78 g, 9 mmol) in THF (40 mL) was added a solution of n-BuLi (2.4 M in hexane, 3.75 mL, 9 mmol) at -78°C. After 15 min of stirring, **(E)-3-(naphthalen-1-yl)acryloyl chloride** (2.04 g, 9.42 mmol) was added. The reaction mixture was stirred 30 min at -78°C, then 2 h at rt. A saturated aqueous solution of NH₄Cl (10 mL) was added. The aqueous layer was extracted with AcOEt (3 x 20 mL), the organic phases were combined, dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel eluting with DCM to give **S3** (1.37 g, 5.12 mmol, 57%) as a white solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.75 (d, *J* = 15.5 Hz, 1 H), 8.27 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1 H), 8.03 (d, *J* = 15.5 Hz, 1 H), 7.94 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2 H), 7.92-7.89 (m, 1 H), 7.65-7.42 (m, 3 H), 4.51 (dd, *J* = 8.5, 7.6 Hz, 2 H), 4.21 (dd, *J* = 8.6, 7.5 Hz, 2 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 165.5, 153.7, 143.1, 131.1, 128.9, 127.1, 126.3, 125.8, 125.6, 123.4, 119.1, 62.2, 43.0; HRMS-ESI *m/z* [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₆H₁₄NO₃: 268.0974 found: 268.0970.

3-[(2E,6E)-4,4-dimethyl-7-phenylhepta-2,6-dienoyl]oxazolidin-2-one S4

Prepared according to the above procedure from **oxazolidin-2-one** (0.50 g, 9.00 mmol) and isolated as a colorless oil (1.33 g, 4.87 mmol, 85%) Rf 0.8, CH₂Cl₂. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.40-7.15 (m, 7 H), 6.40 (d, *J* = 15.7 Hz, 1 H), 6.14 (dt, *J* = 15.5, 7.5 Hz, 1 H), 4.40 (dd, *J* = 8.5, 7.5 Hz, 2 H), 4.06 (dd, *J* = 8.6, 7.5 Hz, 2 H), 2.31 (dd, *J* = 7.6, 1.4 Hz, 2 H), 1.15 (s, 6 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 165.7, 159.8, 153.6, 137.5, 133.1, 128.5, 127.2, 126.2, 126.1, 117.0, 62.1, 45.6, 42.8, 38.0, 26.4; HRMS-ESI *m/z* [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₈H₂₂NO₃: 300.1600 found: 300.1601.

(R,E)-4-Benzyl-3-[3-(thiophen-2-yl)acryloyl]oxazolidin-2-one S5



To a solution of (*R*)-4-benzyloxazolidin-2-one (1.39 g, 7.85 mmol) in THF (40 mL) was added a solution of n-BuLi (2.4 M in hexane, 3.27 mL, 7.85 mmol) at -78°C. After 15 min of stirring, (*E*)-3-(thiophen-2-yl)acryloyl chloride (1.62 g, 9.42 mmol) was added. The reaction mixture was stirred 30 min at -78°C 2h at rt then, a saturated aqueous solution of NH₄Cl (10 mL) was added. The aqueous layer was extracted with AcOEt (3 x 20 mL), the organic phases were combined, dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel eluting with CH₂Cl₂to give **S5** (2.02 g, 6.45 mmol, 82%) as a colorless oil; $[\alpha]_D +72°$ (*c* 1.02, CH₂Cl₂);¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.02 (d, *J* = 15.4 Hz, 1 H), 7.72 (d, *J* = 15.4 Hz, 1 H), 7.44 (d, *J* = 5.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.39-7.32 (m, 3 H), 7.32-7.23 (m, 3 H), 7.08 (dd, *J* = 5.0, 3.6 Hz, 1 H), 4.79 (ddt, *J* = 9.4, 7.6, 3.2 Hz, 1 H), 4.24 (dd, *J* = 9.0, 7.7 Hz, 1 H), 4.20 (dd, *J* = 9.0, 2.9 Hz, 1 H), 3.37 (dd, *J* = 13.4, 3.3 Hz, 1 H), 2.84 (dd, *J* = 13.4, 9.5 Hz, 1 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 165.1, 153.6, 140.1, 138.8, 135.4, 131.9, 129.6, 129.5, 129.1, 128.3, 127.4, 115.7, 66.2, 55.5, 38.0. HRMS-ESI *m*/*z* [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₇H₁₆NO₃S: 314.0851; found: 314.0853.

(S)-4-Benzyl-3-[(S)-3-phenylhex-5-enoyl)]oxazolidin-2-one S6¹

Procedure A²



To a suspension of CuBr.SMe₂ (1.59 g, 7.75 mmol) in THF (50 mL) was added a solution of allylmagnesium bromide (1 M in Et₂O, 15.5 mL, 15.5 mmol) at -50°C. The mixture was stirred for 30 min, then cooled down to -78°C. A solution of **(S)-4-Benzyl-3-cinnamoyloxazolidin-2-one** ³ (1.70 g, 5.54 mmol) in THF (20 mL) was added at -78°C. The resulting mixture was stirred for 3 h at -78°C, then a saturated aqueous solution of NH₄Cl (10 mL) was added. The aqueous layer was extracted with AcOEt (3 x 20 mL), the organic phases were combined, dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel eluting with CH₂Cl₂ to give **S4a** (1.58 g, 5.35 mmol, 96%) as a colorless oil. [α]_D + 65° (c 1, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.35-7.11 (m, 10 H), 5.71 (ddt, *J* = 17.1, 10.1, 7.0 Hz, 1 H), 5.05 (dq, *J* = 17.1, 1.7 Hz, 1 H), 5.00 (dd, *J* = 10.2, 1.8 Hz, 1 H), 4.49 (ddt, *J* = 10.3, 7.7, 3.0 Hz, 1 H), 4.07 (dd, *J* = 9.0, 2.5 Hz, 1 H), 3.99 (t, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1 H), 3.53-3.30 (m, 2 H), 3.24 (dd, *J* = 15.0, 4.0 Hz, 1 H), 3.19 (dd, *J* = 10.0, 3.4 Hz, 1 H), 2.65 (dd, *J* = 13.4, 9.9 Hz, 1 H), 2.52-2.42 (m, 2 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.0, 153.6, 143.7, 136.2, 135.4, 129.5, 129.0, 128.5, 127.8, 127.4, 126.7, 117.1, 66.2, 55.3, 41.56, 41.20, 41.09, 37.9.

3-[3-(Naphthalen-1-yl)hex-5-enoyl]oxazolidin-2-one S7



Prepared according to **procedure A** from **S3** (1.37 g, 5.12 mmol) and isolated as a colorless oil (0.65 g, 1.53 mmol, 51%). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.22 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 1 H), 7.85 (dd, *J* = 8.1, 1.4 Hz, 1 H), 7.72 (dd, *J* = 6.9, 2.5 Hz, 1 H), 7.54 (ddd, *J* = 8.5, 6.8, 1.5 Hz, 1 H), 7.50-7.38 (m, 3 H), 5.73 (dddd, *J* = 16.7, 10.2, 7.7, 6.3 Hz, 1 H), 5.06 (dd, *J* = 17.1, 1.7 Hz, 1 H), 4.97 (ddt, *J* = 10.2, 2.1, 1.1 Hz, 1 H), 4.37-4.20 (m, 3 H), 3.89-3.76 (m, 2 H), 3.50 (dd, *J* = 17.0, 7.6 Hz, 1 H), 3.44 (dd, *J* = 16.9, 6.7 Hz, 1 H), 2.62 (dt, *J* = 13.3, 6.5 Hz, 1 H), 2.54 (dt, *J* = 14.3, 7.5 Hz, 1 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.5, 153.9, 140.2, 136.4, 134.3, 132.0, 129.3, 127.3, 126.3, 125.8, 123.5, 117.3, 62.3, 42.8, 40.9, 40.7., 39.9 (br s); HRMS-ESI *m/z* [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₉H₂₀NO₃: 310.1438 found: 310.1442.

(E)-3-(3-Allyl-4,4-dimethyl-7-phenylhept-6-enoyl)oxazolidin-2-one S8



Prepared according to **procedure A** from **S4** (1.33 g, 4.67 mmol) and isolated as a colorless oil (0.62 g, 1.82 mmol, 39%). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.39-7.33 (m, 2 H), 7.30 (dd, *J* = 8.5, 6.9 Hz, 2 H), 7.23-7.13 (m, 1 H), 6.38 (d, *J* = 15.7 Hz, 1 H), 6.26 (dt, *J* = 15.5, 7.4 Hz, 1 H), 5.79-5.66 (m, 1H), 5.05-4.97 (m, 2 H), 4.93 (dt, *J* = 10.0, 1.9 Hz, 1 H), 4.36 (d, *J* = 8.1, 4.1 Hz, 1 H), 4.34 (dd, *J* = 8.2, 4.0 Hz, 1 H), 3.95 (t, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2 H), 3.06 (dd, *J* = 17.4, 4.5 Hz, 1 H), 2.86 (dd, *J* = 17.4, 7.2 Hz, 1 H), 2.44 (dddd, *J* = 14.0, 5.0, 3.0, 1.7 Hz, 1 H), 2.25 (dddd, *J* = 10.4, 7.5, 4.5, 3.2 Hz, 1 H) 2.19 (dd, *J* = 7.4, 1.2 Hz, 2 H), 1.88 (dt, *J* = 14.0, 9.8 Hz, 1 H), 0.94 (s, 6 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 173.8, 153.7, 138.5, 137.8, 132.5, 128.6, 127.2, 127.0, 126.1, 115.9, 61.9, 44.14, 42.9, 41.6, 37.0, 35.4, 35.2, 24.9, 24.9; HRMS-ESI *m/z* [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₂₁H₂₈NO₃: 342.2069 found: 342.2072.

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(S)-4-Benzyl-3-[(S)-3-(thiophen-2-yl)hex-5-enoyl]oxazolidin-2-one S9



Prepared according to **procedure A** from **S5** (1.14 g, 3.51 mmol) and isolated as a colorless oil (0.99 g, 2.8 mmol, 80%).[α]_D 72° (*c* 1.02 , CH₂Cl₂); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.36-7.26 (m, 3 H), 7.21-7.16 (m, 2 H), 7.14 (dd, *J* = 5.1, 1.2 Hz, 1 H), 6.92 (dd, *J* = 5.1, 3.4 Hz, 1 H), 6.89 (d, *J* = 3.1 Hz, 1 H), 5.77 (ddt, *J* = 17.1, 10.2, 7.0 Hz, 1 H), 5.09 (dq, *J* = 17.3, 1.8 Hz, 1 H), 5.08-5.02 (m, 1 H), 4.58 (ddt, *J* = 10.3, 6.9, 3.3 Hz, 1 H), 4.15-4.06 (m, 2 H), 3.76-3.68 (m, 1 H), 3.38 (dd, *J* = 16.9, 8.8 Hz, 1 H), 3.28 (dd, *J* = 16.9, 5.2 Hz, 1 H), 2.69 (dd, *J* = 13.4, 9.9 Hz, 1 H), 2.58-2.43 (m, 3 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 171.5, 153.5, 147.5, 135.7, 135.4, 129.5, 129.1, 127.4, 126.7, 124.2, 123.3, 117.6, 66.3, 55.3, 42.2, 41.8, 37.9, 36.6; HRMS-ESI *m/z* [M+H]+ calcd for C₂₀H₂₂NO₃S: 356.1320; found: 356.1318.

(S)-4-Benzyl-3-{(R)-3-[2-(benzyloxy)ethyl]hex-5-enoyl}oxazolidin-2-one S10



Prepared according to **procedure A** from (*S,E*)-4-benzyl-3-[5-(benzyloxy)pent-2-enoyl]oxazolidin-2-one⁴ (0.51 g, 1.41 mmol) and isolated as a colorless oil (0.30 g, 0.73 mmol, 50%). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.36-7.11 (m, 10 H), 5.80 (ddt, *J* = 17.3, 10.4, 7.2 Hz, 1 H), 5.14-5.00 (m, 2 H), 4.61-4.53 (m, 1 H), 4.50 (d, *J* = 11.9 Hz, 1 H), 4.46 (d, *J* = 12.0 Hz, 1 H), 4.06 (dd, *J* = 9.0, 2.6 Hz, 1 H), 3.95 (dd, *J* = 9.0, 7.9 Hz, 1 H), 3.56 (t, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 2 H), 3.28 (dd, *J* = 13.4, 3.3 Hz, 1 H), 2.96 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 2 H), 2.67 (dd, *J* = 13.4, 9.8 Hz, 1 H), 2.38-2.31 (m, 1 H), 2.22 (dt, *J* = 13.0, 6.5 Hz, 1 H), 2.13 (dt, *J* = 14.1, 7.2 Hz, 1 H), 1.78-1.65 (m, 2 H); ¹³CNMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) ¹³C δ 172.7, 153.5, 138.7, 136.4, 135.5, 129.5, 129.0, 128.4, 127.5, 127.4, 117.1, 72.9, 68.5, 66.1, 55.3, 39.6, 38.8, 38.0, 33.7, 31.5; HRMS-ESI *m/z* [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₂₅H₃₀NO₄: 408.2175; found: 408.2178.

(S)-4-Benzyl-3-(3-phenylpropanoyl)oxazolidin-2-one S11⁵

To a solution of **(S)-4-benzyloxazolidin-2-one** (0.75 g, 4.24 mmol) in THF (15 mL) was slowly added a solution of n-BuLi (2.5 M in THF, 1.7 mL, 4.24 mmol) at 0°C. The mixture was cooled down to -70°C then, a solution of 4-phenylbutanoyl chloride (0.77 g, 4.24 mmol) in THF (5 mL) was added dropwise. The stirring was continued for 1h at -70°C then warmed to rt prior to the addition of a saturated aqueous solution of NH₄Cl (20 mL). The organic solution was washed with brine (20 mL), dried over NaSO₄, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel eluting with a mixture of PE/EA (80:20) to give **S11** (2.65 g, 8.97 mmol, 78%, 0.99 g, 3.2 mmol, 75%) as a colorless oil. Rf 0.35 (PE/EA, 80:20); $[\alpha]_D$ + 98 (c 1.07, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.43-7.13 (m, 10 H), 4.69 (ddt, *J* = 9.5, 6.9, 3.4 Hz, 1 H), 4.24-4.15 (m, 2 H), 3.39-3.22 (m, 3 H), 3.11-2.99 (m, 2H), 2.78 (dd, *J* = 13.4, 9.6 Hz, 1 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.6, 153.6, 140.6, 135.3, 129.6, 129.1, 128.7, 128.6, 127.5, 126.4, 66.3, 55.3, 38.0, 37.3, 30.4.

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(S)-4-Benzyl-3-[(S)-2-benzylpent-4-enoyl]oxazolidin-2-one S12⁶



To a solution of **S11** (0.97 g, 3.14 mmol) in THF (20 mL) was slowly added a solution of NaHMDS (1 M in THF, 4.1 mL, 4.1 mmol) at -70°C. After 1 h of stirring at -70°C, allyl bromide (0.88 mL, 10 mmol) was added dropwise. The reaction mixture was stirred at- 50°C for 3 h, prior to the addition of a saturated solution of NH₄Cl (20 mL). The layers were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with AcOEt (2 x 20 mL). The organic phases were combined, dried over MgSO₄, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel eluting with a mixture of PE/Et₂O to give **S12** (0.77 g, 2.2 mmol, 70%) as a colorless oil. Rf 0.50 (PE/EA, 80:20); $[\alpha]_D$ + 113 (c 1, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.35-7.16 (m, 10 H), 5.86 (ddt, *J* = 17.1, 10.2, 6.9 Hz, 1 H), 5.13 (dq, *J* = 17.1, 1.6 Hz, 1 H), 5.08 (ddt, *J* = 10.2, 2.2, 1.1 Hz, 1 H), 4.50-4.41 (m, 1 H), 4.38-4.29 (m, 1 H), 4.01 (dd, *J* = 9.0, 2.3 Hz, 1 H), 3.23 (dd, *J* = 13.4, 3.4 Hz, 1 H), 2.96 (dd, *J* = 13.4, 8.9 Hz, 1 H), 2.85 (dd, *J* = 13.4, 6.5 Hz, 1 H), 2.65 (dd, *J* = 13.4, 9.9 Hz, 1 H), 2.56 (dt, *J* = 14.4, 7.8 Hz, 1 H), 2.36 (dt, *J* = 12.7, 5.6 Hz, 1 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 175.4, 153.1, 139.0, 135.5, 135.1, 129.5, 129.2, 129.0, 128.4, 127.4, 126.5, 117.5, 65.9, 55.6, 44.0, 38.4, 38.1, 36.4.

(S)-N-Methoxy-N-methyl-3-phenylhex-5-enamide 1aa⁷ Procedure B



To a solution of MeNHOMeHCl (503 mg, 5.16 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (20 mL) was added a solution of AlMe₃ (2 M in heptane, 2.6 mL, 5.2 mmol) at 0°C. The mixture was stirred 30 min at 0°C then 30 min at rt and cooled down to 0°C. A solution of **(***S***)-4-benzyl-3-[(***S***)-3-phenylhex-5-enoyl)oxazolidin-2-one** (600 mg, 1.72 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (15 mL) was added at 0°C, then the resulting mixture was stirred 20 min at 0°C and 1 h at rt. A solution of Rochelle salt (10%, 20 mL) was added. After 30 min of stirring, the aqueous layer was extracted with CH₂Cl₂ (2 x 10 mL). The organic phases were combined, dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel eluting with CH₂Cl₂ to give **1ba** as a colorless oil (284 mg, 1.22 mmol, 71%). [α]_D = 0 (c 1.8, CDCl₃). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.35-7.28 (m, 2 H), 7.28-7.16 (m, 3 H), 5.70 (ddt, *J* = 17.1, 10.1, 6.9 Hz, 1 H), 5.05-4.99 (m, 1 H), 4.97 (ddt, *J* = 10.2, 2.2, 1.1 Hz, 1 H), 3.57 (s, 3 H), 3.35 (quint, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1 H), 3.12 (s, 3 H), 2.76 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2 H), 2.52-2.38 (m, 2 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 144.5, 136.5, 128.5, 127.7, 126.4, 116.6, 61.3, 41.2, 40.5, 38.1, 32.2, 1C (C=O) is missing; HRMS-ESI *m/z* [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₄H₂₀NO₂: 234.1494; found: 234.1495.

N-Methoxy-3-(4-methoxyphenyl)-*N*-methylhex-5-enamide 1ab⁷

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.23-7.12 (m, 2 H), 6.90-6.77 (m, 2 H), 5.69 (ddt, *J* = 17.2, 10.2, 7.0 Hz, 1 H), 5.04-4.92 (m, 2 H), 3.79 (s, 3 H), 3.57 (s, 3 H), 3.30 (quint, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1 H), 3.11 (s, 3 H), 2.72 (br d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2 H), 2.42 (qt, *J* = 8.8, 6.7 Hz, 2 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 158.0, 136.6, 128.5, 116.5, 113.7, 61.2, 55.2, 40.6, 40.4, 38.3, 32.1; HRMS-ESI *m*/*z* [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₅H₂₂NO₃: 264.1594; found: 264.1587.

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N-Methoxy-*N*-methyl-3-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]hex-5-enamide 1ac⁷



¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.56 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2 H), 7.36 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2 H), 5.66 (ddt, *J* = 17.1, 10.1, 7.0 Hz, 1 H), 5.05-4.96 (m, 2 H), 3.61 (s, 3 H), 3.42 (quint, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1 H), 3.12 (s, 3 H), 2.78 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2 H), 2.50-2.39 (m, 2 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.6, 148.6, 135.8, 128.7 (q, *J* = 32.2 Hz), 128.1, 125.4 (q, *J* = 3.7 Hz), 124.40 (q, *J* = 272 Hz), 117.2, 61.3, 41.0, 40.5, 37.1, 32.2; ¹⁹F NMR (471 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -62.36; HRMS-ESI *m/z* [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₅H₁₉F₃NO₂: 302.1368; found: 302.1368.

3-(Furan-2-yl)-N-methoxy-N-methylhex-5-enamide 1ad⁷



¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.31 (dd, *J* = 1.8, 0.9 Hz, 1 H), 6.26 (dd, *J* = 3.2, 1.9 Hz, 1 H), 6.04 (d, *J* = 3.2 Hz, 1 H), 5.71 (ddt, *J* = 17.1, 10.2, 7.0 Hz, 1 H), 5.07-4.99 (m, 1 H), 5.02-4.96 (m, 1 H), 3.62 (s, 3 H), 3.50-3.43 (m, 1 H), 3.15 (s, 3 H), 2.80 (dd, *J* = 15.8, 7.3 Hz, 1 H), 2.66 (dd, *J* = 15.9, 6.7 Hz, 1 H), 2.54-2.36 (m, 2 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 141.1, 136.0, 116.9, 110.1, 105.3, 61.3, 38.1, 35.5, 34.7, 29.2; HRMS-ESI *m/z* [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₂H₁₈NO₃: 224.1287; found: 224.1285.

3-Isopropyl-N-methoxy-N-methylhex-5-enamide 1ae⁷



¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.76 (ddt, *J* = 16.8, 10.2, 6.8 Hz, 1 H), 5.03-4.97 (m, 2 H), 3.67 (s, 3 H), 3.16 (s, 3 H), 2.40-2.25 (m, 2 H), 2.16-2.06 (m, 1 H), 2.05-1.93 (m, 2 H), 1.81-1.70 (m, 1 H), 0.88 (d, *J* = 5.2 Hz, 3 H), 0.87 (d, *J* = 5.1 Hz, 3 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 137.8, 116.0, 68.1, 39.7, 35.7, 32.7, 29.7, 19.3, 18.9; HRMS-ESI *m/z* [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₁H₂₂NO₂: 200.1651; found: 200.1651.

N-Methoxy-N-methyl-3-phenethylhex-5-enamide 1af⁷

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.32-7.25 (m, 2 H), 7.23-7.16 (m, 3 H), 5.82 (ddt, *J* = 17.1, 10.3, 6.9 Hz, 1 H), 5.13-5.03 (m, 2 H), 3.68 (s, 3 H), 3.20 (s, 3 H), 2.76-2.58 (m, 2 H), 2.44 (qd, *J* = 15.3, 5.5 Hz, 2 H), 2.30-2.09 (m, 3H), 1.68 (td, *J* = 8.2, 5.9 Hz, 2 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 142.7, 136.6, 128.4, 128.4, 125.8, 1168, 61.3, 38.3, 36.1, 35.9, 34.0, 33.3, 32.3.

(E)-3-Allyl-N-methoxy-N,4,4-trimethyl-7-phenylhept-6-enamide 1ag

Prepared according to **procedure B** from **S8** (476 mg, 1.39 mmol) and isolated as a colorless oil (340 mg, 1.13 mmol, 81%). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, C CDCl₃) δ 7.37-7.33 (m, 2 H), 7.31-7.27 (m, 2 H), 7.23-7.15 (m, 1 H), 6.38 (d, *J* = 15.7 Hz, 1 H), 6.28 (dt, *J* = 15.6, 7.3 Hz, 1 H), 5.78 (dddd, *J* = 17.1, 10.0, 8.8, 5.2 Hz, 1 H), 5.01 (dq, *J* = 17.2, 1.7 Hz, 1 H), 4.96 (dt, *J* = 10.0, 1.9 Hz, 1 H), 3.66 (s, 3 H), 3.14 (s, 3 H), 2.53 (dd, *J* = 16.1, 4.7 Hz, 1 H), 2.42 (dtd, *J* = 14.0, 3.5, 1.7 Hz, 1 H), 2.30 (dd, *J* = 16.1, 6.9 Hz, 1 H), 2.23-2.20 (m, 1 H), 2.18 (dd, *J* = 7.4, 1.1 Hz, 2 H), 1.87 (dt, *J* = 14.0, 9.3 Hz, 1 H), 0.93 (s, 3 H), 0.93 (s, 3 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 174.7, 138.4, 137.7, 132.5, 128.6, 127.2, 127.1, 126.1, 116.1, 62.6, 44.1, 43.0, 42.7, 37.3, 37.1, 35.5, 25.1, 24.8; HRMS-ESI *m/z* [M+H]+ calcd for C₂₀H₃₀NO₂: 316.2277; found: 316.2279.

3-(2-Bromophenyl)-N-methoxy-N-methylhex-5-enamide 1ah



Prepared according to **procedure B** from **S2** (145 mg, 0.45 mmol) and isolated as a colorless oil (112 mg, 0.36 mmol, 80%). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.53 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 1.3 Hz, 1 H), 7.29-7.19 (m, 2 H), 7.04 (ddd, *J* = 7.8, 6.9, 2.1 Hz, 1 H), 5.69 (ddt, *J* = 17.2, 10.1, 7.0 Hz, 1 H), 5.03-4.95 (m, 1H), 4.99-4.92 (m, 1 H), 3.88 (p, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1 H), 3.64 (s, 3 H), 3.12 (s, 3 H), 2.76 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2 H), 2.45 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 2 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.7, 143.1, 135.8, 133.1, 127.8, 127.4, 125.0, 116.9, 61.3, 39.4, 39.3, 36.8, 32.2; HRMS-ESI *m*/z [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₄H₁₉NO₂Br: 312.0599; found: 312.0605.

N-Methoxy-N-methyl-3-(naphthalen-1-yl)hex-5-enamide 1ai



Prepared according to **procedure B** from **S7** (0.65 g, 2.00 mmol) and isolated as a colorless oil (420 mg, 1.48 mmol, 74%). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.26 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 1 H), 7.85 (dd, *J* = 8.1, 1.4 Hz, 1 H), 7.72 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.53 (ddd, *J* = 8.5, 6.8, 1.5 Hz, 1 H), 7.50-7.45 (m, 1 H), 7.44 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1 H), 7.40 (dd, *J* = 7.2, 1.4 Hz, 1 H), 5.71 (ddt, *J* = 17.1, 10.2, 7.0 Hz, 1 H), 5.04 (dd, *J* = 17.1, 1.8 Hz, 1 H), 4.94 (ddt, *J* = 10.2, 2.2, 1.1 Hz, 1 H), 4.31 (p, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1 H), 3.60 (s, 3 H), 3.12 (s, 3 H), 2.97-2.81 (m, 2 H), 2.66-2.58 (m, 2 H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 140.6, 136.4, 134.1, 131.8, 128.9, 126.9, 126.1, 125.5, 125.4, 123.5, 116.7, 61.3, 39.9, 37.9, 34.8 (br s), 32.3 (br s). HRMS-ESI *m/z* [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₈H₂₂NO₂: 284.1651 found: 284.1653.

3-Ferrocenyl-N-methoxy-N-methylhex-5-enamide 1aj



To a solution of **S1** (430 mg, 1.21 mmol) in THF (20 mL) and CH₃NH(OCH₃).HCl (0.455 g, 4.86 mmol) was slowly added a solution of *i*-PrMgCl (2 M in hexanes, 4.86 mL, 9.72 mmol) at 0°C. The stirring was continued for 2 h at rt, then a saturated aqueous solution of NH₄Cl (5 mL) and water (5 mL) were added. The layers were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with CH₂Cl₂ (2 x 10 mL).The organic phases were combined, dried over MgSO₄, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel eluting with a mixture of PE/EA to give **1aj** as a red oil (380 mg, 1.11 mmol, 92%). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, DMSO) δ 5.74 (ddt, *J* = 18.7, 9.3, 7.1 Hz, 1 H), 5.02-4.95 (m, 2 H), 4.13 (s, 5 H), 4.13-4.06 (m, 2 H), 4.09-4.03 (m, 2 H), 3.61 (s, 3 H), 3.09 (s, 3 H), 2.99 (p, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1 H), 2.70-2.55 (m, 2 H), 2.41-2.33 (m, 1 H), 2.22 (dt, *J* = 14.2, 7.5 Hz, 1 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, DMSO) δ 136.7, 116.4, 93.1, 68.2, 66.8, 66.7, 66.5, 61.0, 36.4, 33.7; HRMS-ESI *m/z* [M]⁺ calcd for C₁₈H₂₃NO₂Fe: 341.1078; found: 341.1081.

(S)-N-Methoxy-N-methyl-3-(thiophen-2-yl)hex-5-enamide 1ak



Prepared according to **procedure B** from **S9** (406 mg, 1.54 mmol) and isolated as a colorless oil (269 mg, 1.13 mmol, 73%). [α]_D = 5.4° (c 1.28, CH₂Cl₂).¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.14 (dd, *J* = 5.1, 1.2 Hz, 1 H), 6.92 (dd, *J* = 5.1, 3.4 Hz, 1 H), 6.87 (dd, *J* = 3.3, 1.1 Hz, 1 H), 5.75 (ddt, *J* = 17.1, 10.1, 7.0 Hz, 1 H), 5.06 (dq, *J* = 17.1, 1.7 Hz, 1 H), 5.02 (ddd, *J* = 10.2, 2.2, 1.1 Hz, 1 H), 3.70 (quint, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1 H), 3.60 (s,

3 H), 3.15 (s, 3 H), 2.77 (q, J = 8.9, 8.3 Hz, 2 H), 2.49 (tt, J = 7.0, 1.4 Hz, 2 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.6, 148.3, 135.9, 126.6, 124.0, 123.0, 117.1, 61.3, 41.4, 38.9, 36.5, 32.2; HRMS-ESI m/z [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₂H₁₈NO₂S: 240.1053; found: 240.1047.

(R)-3-[2-(Benzyloxy)ethyl)-N-methoxy-N-methylhex-5-enamide 1al



Prepared according to **procedure B** from **S10** (2.51 g, 6.00 mmol) and isolated as a colorless oil (1.13 g, 3.9 mmol, 65%). [α]_D = 5.4° (c 1.28, CH₂Cl₂). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.37-7.25 (m, 5 H), 5.85-5.74 (m, 1 H), 5.08-5.01 (m, 2H), 4.52 (AB system, d, *J* = 11.9 Hz, 1 H), 4.50 (AB system, d, *J* = 11.9 Hz, 1 H), 3.64 (s, 3H), 3.58-3.52 (m, 2 H), 3.17 (s, 3 H), 2.49-2.36 (m, 2 H), 2.29-2.08 (m, 3 H), 1.75-1.65 (m, 2 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 138.7, 136.6, 128.4, 127.8, 127.6, 116.8, 73.0, 68.7, 61.3, 38.7, 36.2, 33.8, 32.0, 31.7; HRMS-ESI *m/z* [M+Na]⁺ calcd for C₁₇H₂₅NO₃Na: 314.1732; found: 314.1732.

(S)-2-Benzyl-N-methoxy-N-methylpent-4-enamide 1ba⁷



Prepared from **S12** (0.45 g, 2.37 mmol) and isolated as a colorless oil (0.355 g, 1.52 mmol, 64%). $[\alpha]_D$ + 40 (c 1, CH₂Cl₂). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.29-7.14 (m, 5 H), 5.76 (ddt, *J* = 17.1, 10.1, 7.0 Hz, 1 H), 5.07 (dq, *J* = 17.1, 1.7 Hz, 1 H), 5.01 (dd, *J* = 10.3, 2.0 Hz, 1 H), 3.32 (s, 3 H), 3.20 (br s, 1 H), 3.08 (s, 3 H), 2.97 (dd, *J* = 13.3, 9.0 Hz, 1 H), 2.71 (dd, *J* = 13.3, 5.8 Hz, 1 H), 2.44 (dt, *J* = 14.8, 7.7 Hz, 1 H), 2.24 (dt, *J* = 13.5, 6.4 Hz, 1 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 175.9, 140.1, 135.8, 129.2, 128.4, 126.3, 116.8, 61.2, 43.2, 38.3, 36.7, 32.0; HMRS ESI m/z [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₄H₂₀NO₂: 234.1494; found: 234.1496.

2-[3-(Benzyloxy)propyl]-N-methoxy-N-methylpent-4-enamide 1bb⁸

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.52-7.20 (m, 5 H), 5.75 (ddt, *J* = 17.2, 10.1, 7.1 Hz, 1 H), 5.05 (dq, *J* = 17.1, 1.6 Hz, 1 H), 4.99 (dq, *J* = 10.1, 1.0 Hz, 1 H), 4.49 (d, *J* = 12.0 Hz, 1 H), 4.47 (d, *J* = 12.0 Hz, 1 H), 3.63 (s, 3 H), 3.45 (tdd, *J* = 9.2, 6.2, 3.0 Hz, 2 H), 3.17 (s, 3 H), 2.93 (br s, 1 H), 2.38 (dt, *J* = 15.0, 7.6 Hz, 1 H), 2.19 (dt, *J* = 13.6, 6.6 Hz, 1 H), 1.71-1.54 (m, 4 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 176.1, 138.6, 136.1, 128.4, 127.7, 127.6, 116.6, 73.0, 70.3, 61.5, 40.6, 37.0, 32.2, 28.8, 27.8. HRMS-ESI *m/z* [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₇H₂₅NO₃: 292.1913; found: 292.1915.

2-Allyl-*N*-methoxy-*N*,5-dimethylhexanamide 1bc



Prepared according to **procedure B** from **methyl 2-allyl-5-methylhexanoate** (0.55 g, 3 mmol) and isolated as a colorless oil (579 mg, 2.72 mmol, 92%).¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.74 (ddt, *J* = 17.0, 9.9, 7.1 Hz, 1 H), 5.04 (dq, *J* = 17.0, 1.5 Hz, 1 H), 4.97 (ddt, *J* = 10.2, 2.0, 1.1 Hz, 1 H), 3.66 (s, 3 H), 3.17 (s, 3 H), 2.86 (s, 1 H), 2.36 (dt, *J* = 15.0, 7.6 Hz, 1 H), 2.17 (dt, *J* = 13.7, 6.6 Hz, 1 H), 1.68-1.57 (m, 1H), 1.52-1.38 (m, 2 H), 1.18-1.00 (m, 2 H), 0.85 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 6 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 177.4, 136.4, 116.4, 61.5, 41.0, 36.9, 36.7, 30.1, 28.3, 22.7, 22.6; HRMS ESI *m/z* [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₂H₂₄NO₂: 214.1807; found: 214.1806.

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N-Methoxy-N-methyl-2-phenylpent-4-enamide 1bd⁹

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.37-7.18 (m, 5 H), 5.74 (ddt, J = 17.1, 10.1, 6.9 Hz, 1 H), 5.05 (dq, J = 17.1, 1.7 Hz, 1 H), 5.01-4.94 (m, 1 H), 4.14-3.97 (m, 1 H), 3.46 (s, 3 H), 3.15 (s, 3 H), 2.84 (ddd, J = 14.1, 8.4, 7.0 Hz, 1 H), 2.46 (dtt, J = 14.0, 6.9, 1.4 Hz, 1 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 139.7, 136.2, 128.6, 128.2, 127.0, 116.6, 61.3, 47.7, 38.3, 32.3.

N-Methoxy-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-*N*-methylpent-4-enamide 1be⁷



¹H NMR (500 MHz CDCl₃) δ 7.26-7.20 (m, 2 H), 6.87-6.80 (m, 2 H), 5.73 (ddt, *J* = 17.1, 10.2, 6.9 Hz, 1 H), 5.04 (dq, *J* = 17.1, 1.6 Hz, 1 H), 4.97 (ddt, *J* = 10.1, 2.0, 1.1 Hz, 1 H), 4.03 (br s, 1 H), 3.77 (s, 3 H), 3.48 (s, 3 H), 3.14 (s, 3 H), 2.79 (dt, *J* = 14.3, 7.6 Hz, 1 H), 2.43 (dt, *J* = 14.0, 6.9 Hz, 1 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 158.6, 136.3, 131.8, 129.2, 116.5, 114.0, 61.4, 55.3, 46.7, 38.3, 32.3; HRMS-ESI *m/z* [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₄H₂₀NO₃: 250.1443; found: 250.1444.

2-(4-Fluorophenyl)-N-methoxy-N-methylpent-4-enamide 1bf⁷



¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.34-7.27 (m, 2 H), 6.98 (t, J = 8.7 Hz, 2 H), 5.71 (ddt, J = 17.0, 10.0, 6.9 Hz, 1 H), 5.04 (dq, J = 17.2, 1.6 Hz, 1 H), 4.98 (dq, J = 10.2, 2.0 Hz, 1 H), 4.06 (br s, 1 H), 3.50 (s, 3 H), 3.15 (s, 3 H), 2.80 (dt, J = 14.9, 7.6 Hz, 1 H), 2.43 (dt, J = 14.1, 7.0 Hz, 1 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 162.9, 161.0, 135.9, 129.8, 129.7, 116.9, 115.5, 115.4, 61.4, 46.8, 38.3, 32.3 (br s); ¹⁹F NMR (471 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -115.85; HRMS-ESI m/z [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₃H₁₇FNO₂: 238.1243; found: 238.1244.

2-(2-Bromophenyl)-*N*-methoxy-*N*-methylpent-4-enamide 1bg⁷



¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.57 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 1.3 Hz, 1 H), 7.40 (dd, *J* = 7.8, 1.7 Hz, 1 H), 7.29-7.23 (m, 1 H), 7.09 (ddd, *J* = 8.1, 7.3, 1.8 Hz, 1 H), 5.82 (ddt, *J* = 17.1, 10.2, 6.9 Hz, 1 H), 5.06 (dq, *J* = 17.1, 1.6 Hz, 1 H), 4.99 (ddt, *J* = 10.1, 1.9, 1.1 Hz, 1 H), 4.60 (br s, 1 H), 3.46 (s, 3 H), 3.16 (s, 3 H), 2.75 (dt, *J* = 14.8, 7.7 Hz, 1 H), 2.39 (dddt, *J* = 14.6, 7.4, 6.2, 1.3 Hz, 1 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 139.4, 135.8, 132.9, 128.7, 128.4, 128.0, 116.8, 61.4, 46.7, 37.7, 32.5, 29.8; HRMS-ESI *m/z* [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₃H₁₇BrNO₂: 298.0443; found: 298.0448.

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N-Methoxy-N-methyl-2-(thiophen-2-yl)pent-4-enamide 1bh⁷



¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.18 (dd, *J* = 5.0, 1.3 Hz, 1 H), 7.00-6.94 (m, 1 H), 6.93 (dd, *J* = 5.0, 3.5 Hz, 1 H), 5.75 (ddt, *J* = 17.0, 10.1, 6.9 Hz, 1 H), 5.09 (dq, *J* = 17.1, 1.6 Hz, 1 H), 5.02 (ddt, *J* = 10.3, 2.0, 1.0 Hz, 1 H), 4.45 (br s, 1 H), 3.63 (s, 3 H), 3.19 (s, 3 H), 2.83 (dddt, *J* = 15.3, 8.3, 6.9, 1.2 Hz, 1 H), 2.55 (dtt, *J* = 13.9, 6.9, 1.3 Hz, 1 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 135.5, 126.6, 125.2, 124.5, 117.2, 61.6, 42.3, 39.3, 32.4 (br s); HRMS-ESI *m/z* [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₁H₁₆NO₂S: 226.0902; found: 226.0902.

(E)-2-Allyl-N-methoxy-N-methyl-5-phenylpent-4-enamide 1bi⁷



¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.38-7.18 (m, 5 H), 6.45 (d, *J* = 15.8 Hz, 1 H), 6.19 (dt, *J* = 15.8, 7.3 Hz, 1 H), 5.81 (ddt, *J* = 17.2, 10.2, 7.1 Hz, 1 H), 5.11 (dq, *J* = 17.1, 1.6 Hz, 1 H), 5.05 (ddt, *J* = 10.1, 2.0, 1.0 Hz, 1 H), 3.68 (s, 3H), 3.20 (s, 3 H), 3.10 (br s, 1 H), 2.56 (dt, *J* = 14.3, 7.3 Hz, 1 H), 2.47 (dt, *J* = 15.1, 7.6 Hz, 1 H), 2.40 (dt, *J* = 13.7, 7.3 Hz, 1 H), 2.29 (dt, *J* = 13.7, 6.6 Hz, 1 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 176.2, 137.6, 135.9, 132.0, 128.6, 127.7, 127.1, 126.1, 116.8, 61.7, 41.1, 36.4, 35.6, 32.3 (br s); HRMS ESI *m/z* [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₆H₂₂NO₂: 260.1651; found: 260.1654.

5-[3-(Benzyloxy)propyl]-3,4-dihydro-2H-pyran 4b



To a solution of **2bb** (53 mg, 0.18 mmol) in THF (2 mL) was added *t*-BuOK (20 mg, 0.18 mmol) at 0°C. The resulting mixture was stirred 30 min at rt, then water (10 mL) was added. The layers were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with Et₂O (2 x 10 mL). The organic phases were combined, dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel eluting with a mixture of PE/Et₂O (80/20) to give **4b** as a colorless oil (34 mg, 0.14 mmol, 80%). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.42-7.25 (m, 5 H), 6.22 (t, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1 H), 4.50 (s, 2 H), 3.87 (t, *J* = 5.1 Hz, 2 H), 3.46 (t, *J* = 6.5 Hz, 2 H), 1.98-1.90 (m, 4 H), 1.89-1.80 (m, 2 H), 1.74-1.63 (m, 2 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 139.2, 138.7, 128.5, 127.7, 127.6, 112.0, 73.0, 69.9, 65.3, 29.8, 28.1, 23.1, 22.7; HRMS ESI *m/z* [M+H]+ calcd for C₁₅H₂₁O₂: 233.1542; found: 233.1542.

5-Phenyl-3,4-dihydro-2H-pyran 4d¹⁰

To a solution of **1bd** (75 mg, 0.34 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (3.5 mL) was added Cp₂Zr(H)Cl (176 mg, 0.68 mmol) in one portion at room temperature. The resulting mixture was stirred until complete dissolution (ca 30 min). Then NBS (61 mg, 0.34 mmol) was added dropwise at rt, then the stirring was continued for 30 min at rt. Water (5 mL) was added. The layers were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with Et₂O (2 x 5 mL). The organic phases were combined, dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure. To a solution of crude **2bd** in THF (3.5mL) was added *t*-BuOK at 0°C. The resulting mixture was stirred 30 min at rt, then, water (10 mL) was added. The layers were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with Et₂O (2 x 10 mL). The organic phases were combined, dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure and the aqueous phase was extracted with Et₂O (2 x 10 mL). The organic phases were combined, dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure. To a solution of crude pressure. The organic phase was extracted with Et₂O (2 x 10 mL). The organic phases were combined, dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column

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chromatography on silica gel eluting with a mixture of PE/Et₂O 80/20 to give **4d** as a colorless oil (47 mg, 0.29 mmol, 86%). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.21 (d, *J* = 4.3 Hz, 4 H), 7.09 (dt, *J* = 8.7, 4.2 Hz, 1 H), 6.85 (s, 1 H), 3.95 (t, *J* = 5.2 Hz, 2 H), 2.34 (td, *J* = 6.4, 1.6 Hz, 2 H), 1.96-1.91 (m, 2 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 142.2, 139.7, 128.5, 125.9, 124.2, 113.0, 65.7, 22.5, 22.4.

Methyl (E)-3-[(1R,2S)-2-phenylcyclopentyl]acrylate 6a

To a solution of **5a** (210 mg, 1.21 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (5 mL) was added **methyl 2-(triphenylphosphoranylidene)acetate** (808 mg, 2.42 mmol at room temperature. The resulting mixture was stirred 24 h at 80°C and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel eluting with CH₂Cl₂ (Rf 0.8) to give **6a** as a colorless oil (271 mg, 1.17 mmol, 97%), E/Z 93:7, $[\alpha]_D$ +123° (*c* 1.26, CH₂Cl₂). NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) ¹H δ 7.39-7.24 (m, 2 H), 7.23-7.07 (m, 3 H), 6.90 (dd, *J* = 15.7, 8.1 Hz, 1 H), 5.65 (dd, *J* = 15.7, 1.1 Hz, 1 H), 3.67 (s, 3 H), 2.82 (td, *J* = 9.7, 7.9 Hz, 1 H), 2.74-2.65 (m, 1 H), 2.20-2.13 (m, 1 H), 2.10-2.01 (m, 1 H), 1.89-1.73 (m, 3 H), 1.73-1.57 (m, 1 H); NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) ¹³C δ 167.1, 151.8, 143.5, 128.4, 127.3, 126.3, 120.2, 52.2, 51.3, 50.7, 35.2, 32.5, 24.3; HRMS ESI *m/z* [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₅H₁₉O₂: 231.1385; found: 231.1380.

(R)-2-Methyl-N-{(E)-[(1S,2S)-2-phenylcyclopentyl]methylene}propane-2-sulfinamide 7a



To a solution of **5a** (114 mg, 0.66 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (3 mL) was added (*R*)-2-methylpropane-2-sulfinamide (80 mg, 0.66 mmol) and CuSO₄ (209 mg, 1.32 mmol). The resulting mixture was stirred 72h at 80°C. Brine (5 mL) was added, and the layers were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with AE (2 x 5 mL). The organic phases were combined, dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to give **7a** as a colorless oil (184 mg, 0.66 mmol, 100%), $[\alpha]_D$ - 31 (*c* 1.42, CH₂Cl₂); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.93 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 1 H), 7.31-7.08 (m, 5 H), 3.21-3.02 (m, 2 H), 2.30-2.22 (m, 1 H), 2.16-2.07 (m, 1 H), 1.98-1.77 (m, 4 H), 0.96 (s, 9 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 171.3, 142.9, 128.6, 127.6, 126.5, 56.5, 53.9, 50.7, 35.7, 30.3, 24.7, 22.2; HRMS ESI *m/z* [M+Na]⁺ calcd for C₁₆H₂₄NOS: 278.1579; found: 278.1581.

(R,E)-N-({(15,2R)-2-[2-(Benzyloxy)ethyl]cyclopentyl}methylene)-2-methylpropane-2-sulfinamide 7l



Prepared according to the above procedure from **5I** (24 mg, 0.10 mmol) and isolated as a colorless oil (35 mg, 0.10 mmol, 100%). $[\alpha]_D$ -143 (*c* 0.61 CH₂Cl₂) ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.00 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 1 H), 7.40-7.26 (m, 5 H), 4.51 (d, *J* = 12.0 Hz, 1 H), 4.47 (d, *J* = 12.0 Hz, 1 H), 3.56-3.44 (m, 2 H), 2.63 (qd, *J* = 8.2, 6.2 Hz, 1 H), 2.12 (pd, *J* = 8.6, 5.1 Hz, 1 H), 2.02-1.83 (m, 3 H), 1.81-1.65 (m, 3 H), 1.59 (ddt, *J* = 13.2, 9.0, 6.4 Hz, 1 H), 1.34 (dq, *J* = 12.6, 8.4 Hz, 1 H), 1.22 (s, 9 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.4, 138.6, 128.5, 127.7, 127.6, 73.0, 69.3, 56.6, 52.2, 41.2, 34.8, 32.7, 30.1, 24.7, 22.5; HRMS ESI *m/z* [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₉H₃₀NO₂S:336.1997; found: 326.2003.

(R)-2-Methyl-N-{(S)-1-[(15,25)-2-phenylcyclopentyl]ethyl}propane-2-sulfinamide 8a



To a solution of **7a** (135 mg, 0.49 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (3 mL) was added MeMgBr (*c* 3 M in Et₂O, 0.33 mL, 1 mmol) at -50°C. The resulting mixture was stirred 4 h at -50°C, then overnight at rt. Water (5 mL) was added. The layers were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with AcOEt (2 x 5 mL). The organic phases were combined, dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to give **8a** as a colorless oil (137 mg, 0.47 mmol, 96%), $[\alpha]_D$ + 34 (*c* 0.98 , CH₂Cl₂); NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.33-7.27 (m, 2 H), 7.26-7.10 (m, 3 H), 3.41-3.29 (m, 1 H), 3.04-2.74 (m, 2 H), 2.11-1.99 (m, 2 H), 1.94-1.87 (m, 1 H), 1.86-1.78 (m, 1 H), 1.74-1.61 (m, 2 H), 1.54-1.45 (m, 1 H), 1.23 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 3 H), 1.15 (s, 9 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 145.4, 128.6, 127.7, 126.2, 56.0, 54.7, 54.5, 48.1, 36.2, 27.4, 24.7, 22.8, 22.7; HRMS ESI *m*/*z* [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₇H₂₈NOS: 294.1892; found: 294.1889.

(S)-N-[(S)-1-{(1S,2R)-2-[2-(Benzyloxy)ethyl]cyclopentyl}ethyl]-2-methylpropane-2-sulfinamide 8l



Prepared according to the above procedure from **7I** (31 mg, 0.092 mmol), and isolated as a corlorless oil (32 mg, 0.091 mmol, 98%). $[\alpha]_D$: +9 (*c* 0.61 CH₂Cl₂); NMR ¹H (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.39-7.26 (m, 5 H), 4.50 (d, *J* = 12.0 Hz, 1 H), 4.46 (d, *J* = 11.9 Hz, 1 H), 3.56-3.33 (m, 3 H), 2.83 (d, *J* = 9.1 Hz, 1 H), 1.89-1.66 (m, 5 H), 1.58-1.44 (m, 4 H), 1.30 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3 H), 1.23-1.19 (m, 1 H), 1.18 (s, 9 H); NMR ¹³C (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 138.7, 128.4, 127.7, 127.6, 72.9, 69.6, 56.1, 55.1, 52.6, 38.5, 35.3, 32.7, 27.2, 24.5, 23.2, 22.9; HRMS ESI *m/z* [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₂₀H₃₄NO₂S: 352.2310; found: 352.2310.

Ethyl 4-benzyl-4,5,6,7-tetrahydro-[1,2,3]triazolo[1,5-a]pyridine-3-carboxylate 9



To a solution of **3ba** (130 mg, 0.42 mmol) in acetone (1.5 mL) was added NaN₃ (137 mg, 2.1 mmol) at room temperature. The resulting mixture was stirred 72h at 55°C and concentrated under reduced pressure. Water (4 mL) was added. The layers were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with Et₂O (2 x 4 mL). The organic phases were combined, dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel eluting with a mixture of cyclohexane/AE (80:20) Rf 0.1, to give **9** as a white solid (107 mg, 0.38 mmol, 90%). Mp 113°C; ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.50-7.11 (m, 5 H), 4.58 (ddd, *J* = 13.4, 5.7, 2.9 Hz, 1 H), 4.47 (q, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 2 H), 4.19 (ddd, *J* = 13.4, 11.1, 5.1 Hz, 1 H), 3.71 (ddt, *J* = 11.6, 6.2, 3.1 Hz, 1 H), 3.35 (dd, *J* = 13.5, 3.5 Hz, 1 H), 2.57 (dd, *J* = 13.5, 11.1 Hz, 1 H), 2.20-2.14 (m, 1 H), 2.00 (ddt, *J* = 13.8, 5.4, 3.0 Hz, 1 H), 1.85 (ddt, *J* = 14.3, 5.5, 2.8 Hz, 1 H), 1.66 (ddt, *J* = 17.8, 14.2, 3.1 Hz, 1 H), 1.45 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 161.6, 142.6, 139.0, 135.4, 129.3, 128.7, 126.8, 61.1, 46.7, 38.9, 33.1, 22.1, 18.2, 14.6; HRMS ESI *m*/*z* [M+H]+ calcd for C₁₆H₂₀N₃O₂: 286.1556; found: 286.1558.

5-azido-2-benzylpentanal 10

To a solution of **2ba** (87 mg, 0.34 mmol) in DMF (1.5 mL) was added NaN₃ (27 mg, 0.41 mmol) in one portion at rt. The resulting mixture was stirred overnight at rt. Water (2 mL) was added. The layers were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with Et_2O (2 x 10 mL). The organic phases were combined, dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to give **10** as a

colorless oil (74 mg, 0.34 mmol, 100%). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 9.69 (d, J = 2.2 Hz, 1 H), 7.34-7.27 (m, 2 H), 7.25-7.19 (m, 1 H), 7.18-7.15 (m, 2 H), 3.26 (t, J = 6.5 Hz, 2 H), 3.02 (dd, J = 14.0, 7.1 Hz, 1 H), $2.74 (dd, J = 14.0, 7.2 Hz, 1 H), 2.69-2.60 (m, 1 H), 1.77-1.48 (m, 4 H); {}^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl_3) \delta 203.9,$ 138.4, 129.0, 128.8, 126.7, 53.0, 51.3, 35.2, 26.5, 25.6; HRMS ESI m/z [M-N₂]+ calcd for C₁₂H₁₆NO: 190.1233; found: 190.1233.

Ethyl (E)-7-azido-4-benzylhept-2-enoate 11 EtO₂C _

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Ph To a solution of 10 (70 mg, 0.32 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (2 mL) was added ethyl 2-(triphenylphosphoranylidene)acetate (129 mg, 0.39 mmol) at room temperature. The resulting mixture was stirred 1 h at rt and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel eluting with a mixture of CH₂Cl₂ (Rf 0.9) to give **11** a colorless oil (70 mg, 0.24, 75%). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.29-7.23 (m, 2 H), 7.22-7.18 (m, 1 H), 7.14-7.08 (m, 2 H), 6.78 (dd, *J* = 15.7, 9.1 Hz, 1 H), 5.70 (dd, J = 15.6, 0.9 Hz, 1 H), 4.17 (q, J = 7.1 Hz, 2 H), 3.30-3.09 (m, 2 H), 2.71 (d, J = 7.1 Hz, 2 H), 2.52-2.42 (m, 1 H), 1.68-1.34 (m, 4 H), 1.27 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 3 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.4, 151.4, 139.1, 129.2, 128.5, 126.4, 122.1, 60.4, 51.4, 44.1, 41.1, 30.7, 26.8, 14.3; HRMS ESI m/z [M+H]+ calcd for C₁₆H₂₂N₃O₂Br: 288.1712; found: 288.1713.

Ethyl 3-benzylpiperidine-2-carboxylate 12



To a solution of **11** (60 mg, 0.21 mmol) in THF (2.5 mL) was added $Ph_{3}P$ (66 mg, 0.25 mmol) at room temperature. The resulting mixture was stirred overnight at rt and concentrated under reduced pressure. Water (4 mL) was added. The layers were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with Et₂O (2 x 4 mL). The organic phases were combined, dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel eluting with a mixture of PE :AE to give **12** as a colorless oil (36 mg, 0.13 mmol, 64%) dr 70:30. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.40-6.99 (m, 5 H), 4.17 (q, J = 7.1 Hz, 2 H), 3.08-2.97 (m, 1 H), 2.91 (dd, J = 13.4, 4.1 Hz, 1 H), 2.86-2.70 (m, 2 H), 2.68-2.57 (m, 2 H), 2.53 (br s, 1 H), 2.20 (dd, J = 13.4, 10.0 Hz, 1 H), 1.76-1.53 (m, 2 H), 1.47-1.31 (m, 1 H), 1.28 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 3 H), 1.01 (qd, J = 12.6, 3.7 Hz, 1 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.9, 140.1, 129.3, 128.4, 126.1, 60.7, 58.3, 46.4, 42.3, 39.2, 38.6, 30.2, 26.1, 14.3; HRMS ESI *m/z* [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₆H₂₄NO₂: 262.1807; found: 262.1810.

(R)-N-[(S,E)-2-Benzyl-5-bromopentylidene]-2-methylpropane-2-sulfinamide 13

t-Bu' Br Ph

To a solution of (-)-2ba-Br (149 mg, 0.59 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (4 mL) was added CuSO₄ (188 mg, 1.17 mmol) and (R)-2-methylpropane-2-sulfinamide at room temperature. The resulting mixture was refluxed for 24 h. The reaction mixture was cooled down to rt, then water (5 mL) was added. The layers were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with AcOEt (2 x 5 mL). The organic phases were combined, dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to give **13** as a yellow oil (185 mg, 0.52 mmol, 88%), [α]_D -185 (c 1.44, CH₂Cl₂); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.92 (d, J = 5.6 Hz, 1 H), 7.42-7.08 (m, 5 H), 3.38 (t, J = 6.6 Hz, 2 H), 2.94-2.80 (m, 3 H), 2.01-1.80 (m, 2 H), 1.78-1.66 (m, 2 H), 1.03 (s, 9 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 171.5, 138.6, 129.1, 128.7, 126.6, 56.7, 46.7, 38.7, 33.3, 30.5, 30.2, 22.3; HRMS ESI m/z [M+Na]⁺ calcd for C16H24NONaSBr: 380.0660; found: 380.0667.

(R)-N-[(25,35)-3-Benzyl-6-bromohexan-2-yl]-2-methylpropane-2-sulfinamide 14



To a solution of **13** (180 mg, 0.50 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (3 mL) was added MeMgBr (3 M in Et₂O, 0.34 mL, 1 mmol) at -50°C. The resulting mixture was stirred 4 h at -50°C, then overnight at rt. Water (5 mL) was added. The layers were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with AcOEt (2 x 5 mL). The organic phases were combined, dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to give **14** as a yellow oil (176 mg, 0.47 mmol, 94%), dr >98:2 [α]_D -15° (*c* 1.3 , CH₂Cl₂); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.58-6.67 (m, 5 H), 3.51-3.46 (m, 1 H), 3.40-3.27 (m, 2 H), 2.84 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1 H), 2.74 (dd, *J* = 13.7, 6.9 Hz, 1 H), 2.46 (dd, *J* = 13.7, 7.3 Hz, 1 H), 1.88-1.79 (m, 3 H), 1.50 (ddt, *J* = 13.0, 9.1, 6.1 Hz, 1 H), 1.41-1.32 (m, 1 H), 1.27 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 3 H), 1.21 (s, 9 H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 140.8, 129.2, 128.6, 126.2, 55.9, 53.8, 45.7, 36.2, 33.8, 30.8, 28.7, 22.9, 19.6; HRMS ESI *m/z* [M+H]+ calcd for C₁₇H₂₉NOSBr: 374.1553; found: 374.1156.

(25,35)-3-Benzyl-1-[(R)-tert-butylsulfinyl]-2-methylpiperidine 15



To a solution of **14** (170 mg, 0.46 mmol) in THF (2 mL) was added NaH (13 mg, 0.55 mmol) at 0°C. The resulting mixture was stirred 2 h at rt then, water (5 mL) was added. The layers were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with Et₂O (2 x 5 mL). The organic phases were combined, dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to give **15** as a yellow oil (128 mg, 0.44 mmol, 96%), dr >95:5 [α]_D +19 (*c* 1.2 , CH₂Cl₂); NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) ¹H δ 7.43-6.84 (m, 5 H), 3.31 (qd, *J* = 6.8, 2.6 Hz, 1 H), 3.08 (dt, *J* = 13.1, 3.4 Hz, 1 H), 3.01 (ddd, *J* = 13.3, 11.1, 3.2 Hz, 1 H), 2.87 (dd, *J* = 13.7, 6.5 Hz, 1 H), 2.78 (dd, *J* = 13.7, 8.5 Hz, 1 H), 1.85-1.65 (m, 4 H), 1.45-1.39 (m, 1 H), 1.36 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3 H), 1.25 (s, 9 H); NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) ¹³C δ 141.0, 129.1, 128.4, 126.0, 58.7, 58.4, 41.7, 39.0, 38.8, 23.8, 23.2, 21.3, 16.9; HRMS ESI *m/z* [M+H]⁺ calcd for C₁₇H₁₈NOS: 294.1892; found: 294.1890.

HPLC of (15,25)-2-phenylcyclopentane-1-carbaldehyde 5a



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(15,25)-2-(Thiophen-2-yl)cyclopentane-1-carbaldehyde 5k

Tert-Butyl 3-(ferrocenyl)hex-5-enoate S1





Tert-Butyl 3-(2-bromophenyl)hex-5-enoate S2





(E)-3-[3-(Naphthalen-1-yl)acryloyl]oxazolidin-2-one S3





3-[(2E,6E)-4,4-Dimethyl-7-phenylhepta-2,6-dienoyl]oxazolidin-2-one S4





(R,E)-4-Benzyl-3-[3-(thiophen-2-yl)acryloyl]oxazolidin-2-one S5









3-[3-(Naphthalen-1-yl)hex-5-enoyl]oxazolidin-2-one S7





(E)-3-(3-Allyl-4,4-dimethyl-7-phenylhept-6-enoyl)oxazolidin-2-one S8





(S)-4-Benzyl-3-[(S)-3-(thiophen-2-yl)hex-5-enoyl]oxazolidin-2-oneS9







(S)-4-Benzyl-3-{(R)-3-[2-(benzyloxy)ethyl]hex-5-enoyl}oxazolidin-2-one S10


(E)-3-Allyl-N-methoxy-N,4,4-trimethyl-7-phenylhept-6-enamide 1ag





2-Allyl-N-methoxy-N,5-dimethylhexanamide 1bc





3-(2-Bromophenyl)-N-methoxy-N-methylhex-5-enamide 1ah





N-Methoxy-N-methyl-3-(naphthalen-1-yl)hex-5-enamide 1ai





3-Ferrocenyl-N-methoxy-N-methylhex-5-enamide 1aj





(S)-N-Methoxy-N-methyl-3-(thiophen-2-yl)hex-5-enamide 1ak





(R)-3-[2-(Benzyloxy)ethyl)-N-methoxy-N-methylhex-5-enamide 1al





(S)-6-Bromo-3-phenylhexanal 2aa-Br





6-lodo-3-phenylhexanal 2aa-l





6-Bromo-3-(4-methoxyphenyl)hexanal 2ab





6-Bromo-3-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)hexanal 2ac







6-Bromo-3-(furan-2-yl)hexanal 2ad





6-Bromo-3-isopropylhexanal 2ae





6-Bromo-3-phenethylhexanal 2af





(E)-3-(3-Bromopropyl)-4,4-dimethyl-7-phenylhept-6-enal 2ag





(S)-2-Benzyl-5-bromopentanal 2ba-Br





2-Benzyl-5-iodopentanal 2ba-I




5-(Benzyloxy)-2-(3-bromopropyl)pentanal 2bb





2-(3-Bromopropyl)-5-methylhexanal 2bc





5-Bromo-2-phenylpentanal 2bd





(E)-2-(3-Bromopropyl)-5-phenylpent-4-enal 2bi





Ethyl (E)-4-benzyl-7-bromohept-2-enoate 3ba





Ethyl (E)-7-(benzyloxy)-4-(3-bromopropyl)hept-2-enoate 3bb





Ethyl (E)-4-(3-bromopropyl)-7-methyloct-2-enoate 3bc





Ethyl (E)-7-bromo-4-phenylhept-2-enoate 3bd





Ethyl (E)-7-bromo-4-(4-methoxyphenyl)hept-2-enoate 3be





Ethyl (E)-7-bromo-4-(4-fluorophenyl)hept-2-enoate 3bf







Ethyl (E)-7-bromo-4-(2-bromophenyl)hept-2-enoate 3bg





Ethyl (E)-7-bromo-4-(thiophen-2-yl)hept-2-enoate 3bh





Ethyl (2E,6E)-4-(3-bromopropyl)-7-phenylhepta-2,6-dienoate 3bi





5-(3-(benzyloxy)propyl)-3,4-dihydro-2H-pyran 4b





5-phenyl-3,4-dihydro-2H-pyran 4d





(15,25)-2-Phenylcyclopentane-1-carbaldehyde 5a





(1SR,2SR)-2-(4-Methoxyphenyl)cyclopentane-1-carbaldehyde 5b







(1SR,2SR)-2-[4-(Trifluoromethyl)phenyl]cyclopentane-1-carbaldehyde 5c




2-(Furan-2-yl)cyclopentane-1-carbaldehyde 5d





2-isopropylcyclopentane-1-carbaldehyde 5e





(1SR,2RS)-2-Phenethylcyclopentanecarbaldehyde 5f







(1SR,2SR)-2-[(E)-2-Methyl-5-phenylpent-4-en-2-yl]cyclopentane-1-carbaldehyde 5g



2-(2-Bromophenyl)cyclopentane-1-carbaldehyde 5h





(1SR,2SR)-2-(Naphthalen-1-yl)cyclopentane-1-carbaldehyde 5i





2-Ferrocenylcyclopentane-1-carbaldehyde 5j





(15,25)-2-(Thiophen-2-yl)cyclopentane-1-carbaldehyde 5k





(1SR,2SR)-2-[2-(Benzyloxy)ethyl]cyclopentane-1-carbaldehyde 5l





Methyl (E)-3-[(1R,2S)-2-phenylcyclopentyl)acrylate 6a















(R)-2-Methyl-N-{(S)-1-[(15,25)-2-phenylcyclopentyl]ethyl}propane-2-sulfinamide 8a





(S)-N-((S)-1-{(1S,2R)-2-[2-(Benzyloxy)ethyl]cyclopentyl}ethyl)-2-methylpropane-2-sulfinamide 8l





Ethyl 4-benzyl-4,5,6,7-tetrahydro-[1,2,3]triazolo[1,5-a]pyridine-3-carboxylate 9



5-Azido-2-benzylpentanal 10





Ethyl (E)-7-azido-4-benzylhept-2-enoate 11




Ethyl 3-benzylpiperidine-2-carboxylate 12







(*R*)-*N*-[(*S*,E)-2-Benzyl-5-bromopentylidene]-2-methylpropane-2-sulfinamide 13





(R)-N-[(2S,3S)-3-Benzyl-6-bromohexan-2-yl]-2-methylpropane-2-sulfinamide 14



(2S,3S)-3-Benzyl-1-[(R)-tert-butylsulfinyl]-2-methylpiperidine 15



