Supporting Information

NMR analysis of the enantiomeric purity of chiral diols by a

new chiral boron agent

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1. Crystallographic data



The crystal structure of boric acid D

Table S1. Crystal data and structure refinement for boric acid D.

Identification code	2061749
Empirical formula	C ₂₉ H ₂₆ BN ₂ O _{3.5}
Formula weight	469.33
Temperature	150.04 K
Crystal system, space group	Orthorhombic, $P2_12_12_1$
a/Å	7.7796(5)
b/Å	13.1314(11)
c/Å	24.231(2)
α/°	90
β/°	90
$\gamma/^{\circ}$	90
Volume/Å ³	2475.4(3)
Z	4
pcalcg/cm ³	1.259
µ/mm ⁻¹	0.082
F (000)	988.0
Crystal size/mm ³	0.2 imes 0.15 imes 0.15
Radiation	MoKa ($\lambda = 0.71073$)
2Θ range for data collection/°	6.206 to 60.058
Index ranges	$-9 \le h \le 10, -15 \le k \le 18, -34 \le l \le 25$
Reflections collected	21320
Independent reflections	7192 [$R_{int} = 0.0418, R_{sigma} = 0.0470$]
Data/restraints/parameters	7192/3/339
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.081
Final R indexes [I>= 2σ (I)]	$R_1 = 0.0451, wR_2 = 0.1076$
Final R indexes [all data]	$R_1 = 0.0499, wR_2 = 0.1108$
Largest diff. peak/hole / e Å ⁻³	0.42/-0.33
Flack parameter	0.5(10)

2. NMR spectra data

Figure S1: ¹H NMR of boric acid D (400 MHz, CDCl₃)



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Figure S2:¹³C NMR of boric acid D (100 MHz, CDCl₃)









Figure S4: HMBC of boric acid D (400 MHz, CDCl₃)



Figure S5. NMR data attesting for the absence of racemization in the derivatization process

Figure S6. NMR data of optimization of derivatization reaction conditions







Figure S8. ¹H NMR of boric acid D and racemic 2







Figure S10. ¹H NMR of boric acid D and racemic **3**





Figure S12. ¹H NMR of boric acid D and racemic 4







Figure S14. ¹H NMR of boric acid D and racemic 5







Figure S16. ¹H NMR of boric acid D and racemic **6**



Figure S17. ¹H NMR of boric acid D and racemic 7



Figure S18. ¹H NMR of boric acid D and *R*-7



Figure S19. ¹H NMR of boric acid D and racemic 8



Figure S20. ¹H NMR of boric acid D and (1R,2R,3S,5R)-(-)-8







Figure S22. ¹H NMR of boric acid D and racemic **10**



Figure S23. ¹H NMR of boric acid D and racemic 11



Figure S24. ¹H NMR of boric acid D and racemic **12**





Figure S25. Ee values of nonracemic 1 determined by gravimetry and ¹H NMR spectra with boric acid D.

