Supplementary Information

Photoinduced EnT-Mediated Sulfonamidylimination of Alkenes and (Hetero)arenes with Iminophenylacetic Acids Oxime Esters

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1. General Informations

All commercial reagents were used without additional purification. Reactions were monitored by thin-layer chromatography (TLC) on commercial silica gel plates (GF 254) using UV light as a visualizing agent. Products were purified by flash chromatography on 200 - 300 mesh silica gels, SiO₂ was carried out with silica gel (200-300 mesh). ¹H NMR, ¹³C NMR and ¹⁹F NMR spectra were recorded with 400 MHz, 101 MHz and 377 MHz spectrometers in CDCl₃ by using tetramethylsilane (TMS) as the internal standard, respectively. High-resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were recorded using a positive-ion electrospray ionization (ESI+) source.

2. Methods for the synthesis of substrates

2.1 Preparation method of benzophenone oxime

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & \mathsf{NH}_2\mathsf{O}\mathsf{H}\cdot\mathsf{H}\mathsf{C}\mathsf{I}\ (1.6\ \mathsf{equiv.}) & \mathsf{HO} \\ & \mathsf{NaOAc}\ (2.0\ \mathsf{equiv.}) & \mathsf{HO} \\ & \mathsf{Ph} & \mathsf{EtOH/H}_2\mathsf{O}\ (4:1),\ \mathsf{80}^\circ\mathbb{C} & \mathsf{Ph} & \mathsf{Ph} \end{array}$$

In a 250 mL round bottom flask equipped with a condenser, aromatic ketones (50.0 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) were dissolved in the mixture of EtOH/H₂O (v/v, 4:1, 125 mL). Then, hydroxylamine hydrochloride (80.0 mmol, 1.6 equiv.) and NaOAc (100.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv.) were added in one portion After the reaction mixture was refluxed in an oil bath at 80°C overnight, the consumption of starting material was monitored by TLC. In order to remove as much ethanol as possible, the reaction was then cooled to room temperature and added 50 mL saturated NaHCO₃ carefully. Then extracted with ethyl acetate 3 times and then dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄. Evaporation of the solvent afforded the product as a white solid in quantitative yield.

2.2 Preparation method of bifunctional reagents



Carboxylic acid were prepared following a previously reported procedure¹. Benzophenone oxim (10.0 mmol) and aliphatic carboxylic acid (10.0 mmol) were dissolved in CH_2Cl_2 (50 mL). The reaction bath is lowered to 0 °C in a low-temperature stirring reaction bath. Then, DCC (1.3 equiv.) and DMAP (10 mol%, 0.2 mmol) was added sequentially. The mixture was stirred at room temperature under argon atmosphere until the reaction was complete as monitored by TLC

analysis. The reaction mixture was diluted with distilled water (25 mL) and then sonicated for 15 minutes. The formed precipitate was filtered off, then the CH_2Cl_2 layer was separated, dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to afford an oil. Added 10 mL ethyl acetate, then a white solid was formed. Filter the solid and then wash the solid with cold ethyl acetate 5 mL and dried under vacuum to obtain the oxime esters. (It should be noticed that these oxime esters were unstable in silica gel.)

Characterization data of substrates



(Z)-N'-(2-(((diphenylmethylene)amino)oxy)-2-oxo-1-phenylethylidene)-N,4dimethylbenzenesulfonohydrazide (**a1**)

Synthesized by following General Procedure using diphenylmethanone oxime (1.96 g, 10.0 mmol) and (Z)-2-(2-methyl-2-tosylhydrazineylidene)-2-phenylacetic acid (3.32 g, 10.0 mmol) to afford as white solid (4.16 g, 81%).

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.82 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.70 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 2H), 7.55 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.53 – 7.32 (m, 13H), 2.83 (s, 3H), 2.46 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.57, 164.24, 163.19, 144.54, 134.26, 132.23, 131.63, 131.28, 131.09, 130.68, 130.06, 129.76, 129.41, 129.32, 129.22, 128.84, 128.47, 128.43, 127.84, 39.78, 21.71.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₂₉H₂₅N₃O₄SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 534.1458, found 534.1455.



 $(Z)-N'-(2-(((diphenylmethylene)amino)oxy)-2-oxo-1-phenylethylidene)-N-methylbenzenesulfonohydrazide ({\it a2})$

Synthesized by following General Procedure using diphenylmethanone oxime (1.96 g, 10.0 mmol) and (Z)-2-(2-methyl-2-(phenylsulfonyl)hydrazineylidene)-2-phenylacetic acid (3.18 g, 10.0 mmol) to afford as white solid (3.65 g, 73%).

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.97 – 7.90 (m, 2H), 7.73 – 7.62 (m, 3H), 7.61 – 7.52 (m, 4H), 7.51 – 7.31 (m, 11H), 2.83 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.59, 164.47, 163.19, 134.23, 133.72, 133.59, 132.29, 131.62, 131.30, 131.02, 130.06, 129.74, 129.32, 129.20, 128.86, 128.74, 128.48, 128.44, 127.85, 39.76.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₂₈H₂₃N₃O₄SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 520.1301, found 520.1307.



(*Z*)-4-chloro-N'-(2-(((diphenylmethylene)amino)oxy)-2-oxo-1-phenylethylidene)-N-methylbenzenesulfonohydrazide) (*a*3)

Synthesized by following General Procedure using diphenylmethanone oxime (1.96 g, 10.0 mmol) and (Z)-2-(2-methyl-2-(phenylsulfonyl)hydrazineylidene)-2-phenylacetic acid (3.52 g, 10.0 mmol) to afford as white solid (3.98 g, 75%).

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.90 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 7.72 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.57 – 7.35 (m, 15H), 2.85 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.29, 166.07, 165.36, 140.33, 134.17, 132.50, 132.12, 131.62, 131.35, 131.14, 130.82, 130.08, 129.29, 129.15, 129.10, 128.94, 128.50, 128.46, 127.88, 39.81.
HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₂₈H₂₂ClN₃O₄SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 554.0912, found 554.0896.

Commercially available alkenes



Preparation of alkenes and (hetero)arenes

(Hetero)arenes $b1^2$, $b2-b4^3$ and $b5-b17^2$ were prepared from corresponding commercially available indoles using reported method.



Styrene derivatives **b41**⁴, **b42**⁵, **b43**⁶ **and b44**⁷ were prepared from corresponding commercially nature products and drugs using reported method.



3. Experimental section

3.1 Reaction set-up



3.2 General produced of sulfonamidylimination of alkenes and (hetero)arenes



An oven dried 8 mL reaction vial was charged with a stir bar, bifunctional reagent (0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.), and 2-iPrTX photosensitizer (2.5 mg, 5 mol %) were charged under air. The reaction vial was sealed, evacuated and backfilled three times with Ar. Then under Ar atmosphere, added of EtOAc (2.0 mL, 0.1 M) and radical acceptors (0.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv.). The reaction mixture was stirred and irradiated using a 50 W 395 nm LED lamp for 8 hours until the reaction was complete. After irradiation, the resulting homogenous solution was transferred to a 25 mL round bottom flask with aid of EtOAc (2 x 3 mL). NEt₃ (approx. 0.5 mL) and SiO₂ were added to this solution and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure, affording a powder which was loaded on column. Purification by flash column chromatography on SiO₂, pre-basified with NEt₃ using pentane: EtOAc mixtures afforded the corresponding products.

3.3 Scale-up reaction



An oven dried 50 mL Schlenk tube was charged with a stir bar, bifunctional reagent **a1** (2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.), and 2-*i*PrTX photosensitizer (25.4 mg, 5 mol %) were charged under air. The reaction vial was sealed, evacuated and backfilled three times with Ar. Then under Ar atmosphere, added of EtOAc (20 mL, 0.1 M) and ethenylbenzene (4 mmol, 2.0 equiv.). The reaction mixture was stirred and irradiated using a 50 W 395 nm LED lamp for 8h until the reaction was complete. After irradiation, the resulting homogenous solution was transferred to a 50 mL round bottom flask with aid of EtOAc (2 x 5 mL). NEt₃ (approx. 3 mL) and SiO₂ were added to this solution and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure, affording a powder which was loaded on column. Purification by flash column chromatography on SiO₂, pre-basified with NEt₃ using pentane: EtOAc mixtures afforded the corresponding products.

3.4 Products derivatization



A 25 mL vial was charged with compound **22** (187.3 mg, 0.4 mmol), MeOH (4.0 mL) and 1N /HCl (4.0 mL) were added. The reaction was stirred at room temperature for 2 hours. In order to remove as much methanol as possible, the reaction was then diluted with DCM (5.0 mL) and H₂O (4.0 mL). The organic layer was separated, and the aqueous layer was extracted with DCM (10.0 mL x 2). The combined organic phases were dried (Na₂SO₄), filtered, and evaporated. Crude mixture was purified using column chromatography to give **46** as a colorless oil (98.5 mg, 81%).

¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.67 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.42 – 7.24 (m, 7H), 4.23 (dd, *J* = 9.4, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 3.32 (dd, *J* = 13.5, 9.3 Hz, 1H), 2.86 (dd, *J* = 13.5, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 2.75 (s, 3H), 2.43 (s, 3H), 1.83 (s, 2H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 143.51, 142.62, 134.20, 129.74, 128.66, 127.67, 127.47, 126.72, 58.87, 54.36, 36.37, 21.52;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₆H₂₀N₂O₂SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 327.1138, found 327.1127.



An oven dried 8 mL reaction vial was charged with a stir bar, naphthalene (256.3 mg, 2.0 mmol) was charged under air. The reaction vial was sealed, evacuated and backfilled three times with Ar. Then under Ar atmosphere, added of dry THF (2 mL, 1.0 M), then addition of Li (13.8mg, 2.0 mmol). The reaction mixture was stirred for 4h, during a dark-green solution appeared. An oven dried 25 mL Schlenk tube was charged with a stir bar, product **46** (60.8 mg, 0.2 mmol) was charged under air. The reaction vial was sealed, evacuated and backfilled three times with Ar. Then under Ar atmosphere, firstly added of dry THF (2.0 mL, 0.1 M) and then freshly prepared Li/Naphthalene solution was added in -78°C dropwise. The solution was left stirring for 2h. The reaction was quenched with water in 0°C. In order to remove as much THF as possible, treating the remaining residue with 1N aqueous HCl until pH = 1 is reached. Extract the aqueous phase with DCM, then adjust the water phase to pH = 10 with 1N aqueous NaOH. Extract the aqueous phase with DCM (10.0 mL x 3). Concentrate the combined organic layers in vacuo afforded the product **47** as a bright yellow oil (23.4 mg, 78% yield). This product was sufficiently pure as determined by NMR without further purification.

¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.35 (d, *J* = 4.3 Hz, 4H), 7.30 – 7.26 (m, 1H), 4.15 (dd, *J* = 8.2, 5.3 Hz, 1H), 2.90 – 2.80 (m, 2H), 2.52 (s, 3H), 2.36 (s, 2H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 143.87, 128.72, 127.51, 126.34, 58.95, 54.67, 35.71; HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₉H₁₄N₂Na⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 173.1049, found 173.1044.

4. Mechanism Study

4.1 Feasibility of direct photosensitization redox pathway



An oven dried 8 mL reaction vial was charged with a stir bar, bifunctional reagent **a1** (0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.), and *tert*-butyl 1H-indole-1-carboxylate (0.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv.) were charged under air. The reaction vial was sealed, evacuated and backfilled three times with Ar. Then under Ar atmosphere, added of EtOAc (2.0 mL, 0.1 M). The reaction mixture was stirred and irradiated using a 30 W 365 nm LED lamp for 8 hours until the reaction was complete. After irradiation, the resulting homogenous solution was transferred to a 25 mL round bottom flask with aid of EtOAc (2 x 3 mL). NEt₃ (approx. 0.5 mL) and SiO₂ were added to this solution and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure, affording a powder which was loaded on column. Purification by flash column chromatography on SiO₂, pre-basified with NEt₃ using pentane: EtOAc mixtures afforded the corresponding product **1** in 31% yeild.

4.2 Tempo trapping experiment

An oven dried 8 mL reaction vial was charged with a stir bar, bifunctional reagent **a1** (0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.), tert-butyl 1H-indole-1-carboxylate (0.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv.) and TEMPO (0.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv.) were charged under air. The reaction vial was sealed, evacuated and backfilled three times with Ar. Then under Ar atmosphere, added of EtOAc (2.0 mL, 0.1 M). The reaction mixture was stirred and irradiated using a 50 W 395 nm LED lamp for 8 hours until the reaction was complete. Intermediates and products of the reaction process was detected by HRMS.









5. X-Ray Crystallographic Data



A single crystal of **1** suitable for X-ray crystallography was obtained by crystallization via evaporation from its ethyl acetate solution.

X-Ray crystallographic data of **1** (CCDC 2321785), Thermal ellipsoids are shown at the 50% level.

Identification code	mo 231204 sun 0m
Empirical formula	C34H35N3O4S
Formula weight	581.71
Temperature/K	170.00
Crystal system	monoclinic
Space group	P21/c
a/Å	14.7910(3)
b/Å	11.6230(2)
c/Å	18.6337(3)
α/°	90
β/°	109.3540(10)
γ/°	90
Volume/Å ³	3022.40(10)
Z	4
pcalcg/cm ³	1.278
µ/mm ⁻¹	0.150
F(000)	1232.0
Crystal size/mm ³	0.45 imes 0.42 imes 0.32
Radiation	MoKα ($\lambda = 0.71073$)
20 range for data collection/°	4.2 to 54.99
Index ranges	$-19 \le h \le 19, -15 \le k \le 15, -24 \le 1 \le 23$
Reflections collected	40006
Independent reflections	6949 [Rint = 0.0325, Rsigma = 0.0219]
Data/restraints/parameters	6949/0/384
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.053
Final R indexes $[I \ge 2\sigma(I)]$	R1 = 0.0390, wR2 = 0.0935
Final R indexes [all data]	R1 = 0.0471, wR2 = 0.0999
Largest diff. peak/hole / e Å ⁻³	0.25/-0.46

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7. Characterization Data

NCPh₂

tert-butyl (2S,3R)-2-((N,4-dimethylphenyl)sulfonamido)-3-((diphenylmethylene) amino) indoline-1-carboxylate (1)

Compound 1 was prepared following the general procedure as a white solid in >95:5 diastereometric ratio (81.3 mg, 70%)

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.74 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.64 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.58 – 7.51 (m, 3H), 7.41 – 7.21 (m, 9H), 6.99 – 6.90 (m, 2H), 6.39 (s, 1H), 5.00 (s, 1H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 2.40 (s, 3H), 1.60 (s, 9H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.31, 152.17, 143.16, 142.84, 139.41, 137.08, 136.18, 130.44, 130.41, 129.37, 129.24, 128.99, 128.84, 128.80, 128.42, 128.03, 127.84, 124.49, 123.00, 115.31, 82.57, 78.70, 68.16, 29.93, 28.34, 21.52;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₃₄H₃₅N₃O₄SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 604.2240, found 604.2242.



 $tert-butyl\ (2S,3R)-3-((diphenylmethylene)amino)-2-(N-methylphenylsulfonamido)indoline-1-carboxylate\ (\mathbf{2}\)$

Compound 2 was prepared following the general procedure as a white solid in >95:5 diastereometric ratio (67.0 mg, 59%);

¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.85 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.74 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.62 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.58 – 7.47 (m, 4H), 7.46 – 7.25 (m, 8H), 6.95 (d, *J* = 4.4 Hz, 2H), 6.38 (s, 1H), 4.99 (s, 1H), 2.40 (s, 3H), 1.57 (s, 9H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.41, 152.14, 142.80, 140.02, 139.38, 136.17, 132.44, 129.28, 129.02, 128.87, 128.82, 128.77, 128.41, 128.05, 127.78, 124.53, 123.05, 115.32, 82.62, 78.72, 68.22, 29.91, 28.35;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₃₃H₃₃N₃O₄SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 590.2084, found 590.2084.



tert-butyl (2S,3R)-2-((4-chloro-N methylphenyl) sulfonamido)-3-((diphenyl methylene) amino) indoline-1-carboxylate $\ ($ 3 $\)$

Compound **3** was prepared following the general procedure as a white solid in >95:5 diastereometic ratio (87.0 mg, 72%);

¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.82 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.71 – 7.52 (m, 6H), 7.44 – 7.27 (m, 8H), 6.99 (d, *J* = 4.4 Hz, 2H), 6.34 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 5.00 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 2.44 (s, 3H), 1.59 (s, 9H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.58, 152.06, 142.60, 139.32, 138.87, 138.44, 136.15, 130.49, 129.37, 129.31, 129.02, 128.93, 128.90, 128.40, 128.08, 124.62, 122.79, 115.32, 82.70, 78.83, 68.28, 30.04, 28.31;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₃₃H₃₂ClN₃O₄SNa⁺(M+Na)⁺624.1694, found 624.1678.

NCPh₂

N-((2R,3R)-3-((diphenylmethylene)amino)-1-tosylindolin-2-yl)-N,4-dimethyl benzenesulfonamide (4)

Compound **4** was prepared following the general procedure as a white solid in >95:5 diastereomeric ratio (59.7 mg, 47%);

¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.92 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.84 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.70 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.49 (dq, *J* = 14.4, 7.2 Hz, 3H), 7.37 (h, *J* = 4.3 Hz, 1H), 7.29 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.23 (d, *J* = 14.0 Hz, 5H), 6.98 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 6.84 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 6.27 (s, 1H), 4.89 (s, 1H), 2.46 (s, 3H), 2.43 (s, 3H), 2.40 (s, 3H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.25, 144.15, 143.52, 141.72, 138.90, 136.37, 135.68, 134.65, 131.29, 130.44, 129.69, 129.46, 128.97, 128.87, 128.85, 128.24, 128.21, 128.06, 127.79, 124.97, 124.65, 116.01, 80.86, 68.52, 28.95, 21.83, 21.59;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{36}H_{33}N_3O_4S_2Na^+$ (M+Na)⁺ 658.1805, found 658.1806.



N-((2S,3R)-1-benzoyl-3-((diphenylmethylene)amino)indolin-2-yl)-N,4-dimethyl benzenesulfonamide (5)

Compound **5** was prepared following the general procedure as a white solid in >95:5 diastereometric ratio (76.0 mg, 65%);

¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.84 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.73 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.61 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.56 – 7.47 (m, 4H), 7.39 (dt, *J* = 14.5, 7.4 Hz, 3H), 7.30 (dd, *J* = 13.7, 6.7 Hz, 4H), 7.24 (d, *J* = 5.7 Hz, 1H), 6.94 (d, *J* = 4.4 Hz, 2H), 6.37 (s, 1H), 4.98 (s, 1H), 2.39 (s, 3H), 1.56 (s, 9H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.41, 152.14, 142.80, 140.02, 139.38, 136.17, 132.44, 130.44, 129.28, 129.02, 128.87, 128.82, 128.77, 128.41, 128.05, 127.78, 124.53, 123.05, 115.32, 82.62, 78.72, 68.22, 29.91, 28.35;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{36}H_{31}N_3O_3SNa^+$ (M+Na)⁺ 608.1978, found 608.1979.



N-((2S,3R)-3-((diphenylmethylene)amino)-1-pivaloylindolin-2-yl)-N,4-dimethyl benzenesulfonamide (**6**)

Compound **6** was prepared following the general procedure as a white solid (66.7 mg, 59%);

¹**H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-***d***)** δ 8.10 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 7.65 – 7.56 (m, 7H), 7.48 – 7.42 (m, 2H), 7.41 – 7.34 (m, 1H), 7.33 – 7.20 (m, 5H), 7.01 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 6.91 (dd, *J* = 7.5, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 6.66 (s, 1H), 5.09 (s, 1H), 2.44 (s, 3H), 2.23 (s, 3H), 1.55 (s, 9H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 178.51, 167.46, 145.72, 143.87, 139.30, 136.19, 135.82, 131.20, 130.37, 129.64, 129.20, 128.82, 128.79, 128.64, 127.99, 127.85, 124.48, 124.31, 119.11, 78.51, 68.68, 41.10, 29.80, 28.43, 21.57;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{34}H_{35}N_3O_3SNa^+(M+Na)^+588.2921$, found 588.2921.



(tert-butyl (2S,3R)-2-((N,4-dimethylphenyl)sulfonamido)-3-((diphenyl methylene)amino)-5-fluoroindoline-1-carboxylate (7)

Compound 7 was prepared following the general procedure as a white solid in >95:5 diastereomeric ratio (49.1 mg, 41%);

¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.70 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 3H), 7.62 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 7.58 – 7.49 (m, 3H), 7.41 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.33 (d, *J* = 15.1 Hz, 2H), 7.26 (d, *J* = 3.9 Hz, 2H), 7.22 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 6.94 (td, *J* = 8.9, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 6.63 (dd, *J* = 7.9, 2.6 Hz, 1H), 6.34 (d, *J* = 1.6 Hz, 1H), 4.96 (s, 1H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 2.40 (s, 3H), 1.57 (s, 9H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.02, 160.48, 157.70, 152.10, 143.29, 139.20, 138.99, 136.98, 135.96, 132.08, 132.01, 129.43, 129.01, 128.97, 128.28, 128.11, 127.80, 116.20, 116.12, 115.48, 115.12, 111.79, 111.55, 82.73, 79.35, 68.03, 30.33, 28.32, 21.52.

¹⁹F NMR (**377** MHz, CDCl₃) δ -120.27.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₃₄H₃₄FN₃O₄SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 622.2146, found 622.2144.



tert-butyl (2S,3R)-5-chloro-2-((N,4-dimethylphenyl)sulfonamido)-3-((diphenylmethylene) amino)indoline-1-carboxylate (8)

Compound 8 was prepared following the general procedure as a white solid in >95:5 diastereometric ratio (70.2 mg, 57%);

¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.69 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 3H), 7.64 – 7.58 (m, 2H), 7.58 – 7.47 (m, 3H), 7.43 – 7.36 (m, 1H), 7.32 (dd, J = 8.3, 6.7 Hz, 2H), 7.23 (dd, J = 17.9, 7.3 Hz, 4H), 6.94 (td, J = 8.9, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 6.62 (dd, J = 7.8, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 6.33 (d, J = 1.6 Hz, 1H), 4.95 (d, J = 1.6 Hz, 1H), 2.41 (s, 3H), 2.39 (s, 3H), 1.56 (s, 9H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.00, 160.07, 157.66, 152.07, 143.27, 139.16, 138.94, 136.92, 135.16, 132.04, 131.96, 130.58, 129.40, 128.98, 128.93, 128.25, 128.08, 127.76, 116.17, 116.09, 115.68, 115.45, 111.75, 111.51, 82.70, 79.30, 67.98, 31.33, 28.28, 21.49;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₃₄H₃₄ClN₃O₄SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 638.1851, found 638.1852.



tert-butyl (2S,3R)-5-bromo-2-((N,4-dimethylphenyl)sulfonamido)-3-((diphenylmethylene) amino)indoline-1-carboxylate (**9**)

Compound 9 was prepared following the general procedure as a white solid in >95:5 diastereometric ratio (79.1 mg, 60%);

¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.77 – 7.49 (m, 8H), 7.46 – 7.31 (m, 4H), 7.31 – 7.27 (m, 2H), 7.23 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.02 (d, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 1H), 6.55 – 6.31 (m, 1H), 5.33 – 4.93 (m, 1H), 2.42 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 6H), 1.59 (s, 9H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.09, 151.91, 143.32, 142.03, 139.16, 136.91, 135.91, 132.64, 132.06, 130.65, 129.43, 129.03, 128.98, 128.30, 128.12, 127.79, 127.55, 117.20, 115.28, 83.01, 78.28, 67.77, 29.89, 28.18, 21.52.;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₃₄H₃₄BrN₃O₄SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 682.1346, found 682.1345.



tert-butyl (2S,3R)-2-((N,4-dimethylphenyl)sulfonamido)-3-((diphenyl methylene)amino)-5-iodoindoline-1-carboxylate (**10**)

Compound **10** was prepared following the general procedure as a white solid in >95:5 diastereomeric ratio (77.8 mg, 55%);

¹**H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-***d***)** δ 7.45 (d, *J* = 1.9 Hz, 1H), 7.35 – 7.30 (m, 1H), 7.17 (dt, *J* = 5.1, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 5.31 (dd, *J* = 37.0, 8.8 Hz, 1H), 4.81 – 4.72 (m, 1H), 1.86 (s, 1H), 1.76 – 1.68 (m, 1H), 1.63 – 1.52 (m, 1H), 1.39 – 1.25 (m, 8H), 0.93 – 0.88 (m, 3H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.09, 151.91, 143.32, 142.03, 139.16, 136.91, 135.91, 132.64, 132.06, 130.65, 129.43, 129.03, 128.98, 128.30, 128.12, 127.79, 127.55, 117.20, 115.28, 83.01, 78.28, 67.77, 29.89, 28.18, 21.52;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₃₄H₃₄IN₃O₄SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 730.1207, found 730.1207.



tert-butyl (2S,3R)-5,6-dichloro-2-((N,4dimethylphenyl)sulfonamido) -3-((diphenylmethylene)amino)indoline-1-carboxylate (**11**)

Compound **11** was prepared following the general procedure as a white solid in >95:5 diastereometric ratio (68.8 mg, 53%);

¹**H NMR** (**400 MHz**, **Chloroform**-*d*) δ 7.93 (s, 1H), 7.68 (s, 2H), 7.62 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 2H), 7.60 – 7.53 (m, 3H), 7.47 – 7.40 (m, 1H), 7.36 (s, 2H), 7.25 (dd, *J* = 9.9, 7.8 Hz, 4H), 6.95 (s, 1H), 6.31 (d, *J* = 1.6 Hz, 1H), 4.96 (d, *J* = 1.6 Hz, 1H), 2.45 (s, 3H), 2.43 (s, 3H), 1.58 (s, 9H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.39, 151.65, 143.46, 142.25, 139.03, 136.77, 135.78, 133.00, 130.77, 130.65, 129.50, 129.09, 129.04, 129.02, 128.21, 128.16, 127.74, 126.05, 125.88, 117.09, 83.49, 79.60, 67.47, 30.62, 28.22, 21.53;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₃₄H₃₃Cl₂N₃O₄SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 672.1461, found 672.1463.



tert-butyl(2S,3R)-5-acetoxy-2-((N,4-dimethylphenyl) sulfonamido)-3-((diphenylmethylene)amino)indoline-1-carboxylate (12)

Compound **12** was prepared following the general procedure as a white solid in >95:5 diastereometric ratio (80.5 mg, 63%);

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.98 (dd, J = 8.6, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 7.81 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 1H), 7.69 – 7.50 (m, 8H), 7.42 – 7.28 (m, 5H), 7.20 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 6.37 (s, 1H), 4.98 (s, 1H), 3.86 (s, 3H), 2.40 (s, 3H), 2.37 (s, 3H), 1.58 (s, 9H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.11, 166.63, 151.76, 146.79, 143.35, 139.23, 136.87, 135.95, 131.64, 130.71, 130.60, 129.46, 129.00, 128.96, 128.36, 128.10, 127.78, 126.17, 124.80, 114.62, 83.40, 79.31, 67.46, 52.01, 29.72, 28.26, 21.53;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₃₆H₃₇N₃O₆SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 662.2295, found 662.2295.



tert-butyl (2S,3R)-5-cyano-2-((N,4-dimethylphenyl)sulfonamido)-3-((diphenylmethylene)amino)indoline-1-carboxylate (**13**)

Compound 13 was prepared following the general procedure as a white solid in >95:5 diastereometic ratio (74.0 mg, 61%);

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.05 (s, 1H), 7.66 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.62 – 7.51 (m, 5H), 7.45 – 7.38 (m, 1H), 7.33 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.26 – 7.19 (m, 5H), 7.00 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 6.26 (d, *J* = 1.8 Hz, 1H), 5.07 (d, *J* = 1.7 Hz, 1H), 2.47 (s, 3H), 2.40 (s, 3H), 1.55 (s, 9H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.78, 151.69, 143.53, 143.28, 138.99, 136.73, 135.76, 135.62, 130.84, 129.53, 129.16, 129.05, 129.03, 128.19, 127.71, 127.19, 125.22, 118.95, 118.37, 112.85, 83.72, 79.62, 68.06, 31.16, 28.22, 21.53;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₃₅H₃₄N₄O₄SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 629.2193, found 629.2189.



 $tert-butyl\ (2S,3R)-2-((N,4-dimethylphenyl)sulfonamido)-3-((diphenylmethylene)amino)-6-methylindoline-1-carboxylate\ ({\bf 14})$

Compound 14 was prepared following the general procedure as a white solid in >95:5 diastereometic ratio (85.7 mg, 72%):

¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.69 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.64 (s, 1H), 7.61 – 7.55 (m, 2H), 7.54 – 7.45 (m, 3H), 7.40 – 7.33 (m, 1H), 7.29 (dd, *J* = 15.4, 8.4 Hz, 3H), 7.24 – 7.15 (m, 3H), 6.82 – 6.71 (m, 2H), 6.36 (s, 1H), 4.90 (s, 1H), 2.40 (s, 3H), 2.35 (s, 3H), 2.33 (s, 3H), 1.59 (s, 9H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.90, 152.28, 143.18, 143.05, 137.13, 136.23, 130.35, 129.42, 128.97, 128.81, 128.74, 128.43, 128.00, 127.78, 127.58, 124.08, 123.77, 116.06, 82.56, 78.86, 67.91, 29.78, 28.35, 21.89, 21.53;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₃₅H₃₇N₃O₄SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 618.2397, found 618.2395.



tert-butyl (2*S*,3*R*)-2-((*N*,4-dimethylphenyl)sulfonamido)-3-((diphenylmethylene) amino)-7-methylindoline-1-carboxylate (**15**)

Compound **15** was prepared following the general procedure as a white solid in >95:5 diastereomeric ratio (84.5 mg, 71%);

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.84 – 7.78 (m, 2H), 7.65 – 7.49 (m, 5H), 7.40 – 7.32 (m, 3H), 7.29 – 7.23 (m, 4H), 7.08 – 7.01 (m, 1H), 6.95 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 6.74 (dd, *J* = 7.5, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 6.48 (s, 1H), 4.72 (s, 1H), 2.43 (s, 3H), 2.22 (s, 3H), 2.17 (s, 3H), 1.59 (s, 9H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.91, 154.02, 143.21, 142.87, 139.21, 136.65, 136.16, 133.96, 131.36, 130.28, 129.33, 128.87, 128.78, 128.76, 128.34, 127.87, 127.71, 125.41, 121.51, 82.09, 81.48, 69.59, 30.35, 28.27, 21.55, 19.46;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₃₅H₃₇N₃O₄SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 618.2397, found 618.2397.



tert-butyl (2S,3R)-2-((N,4-dimethylphenyl)sulfonamido)-3-((diphenylmethylene)amino)-5-methoxyindoline-1-carboxylate (**16**)

Compound **16** was prepared following the general procedure as a white solid in >95:5 diastereometric ratio (66.0 mg, 54%);

¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.71 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.61 (dt, *J* = 7.1, 1.4 Hz, 3H), 7.55 – 7.48 (m, 3H), 7.41 – 7.27 (m, 5H), 7.21 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 6.78 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 6.47 (d, *J* = 2.6 Hz, 1H), 6.33 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 4.94 (s, 1H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 2.39 (d, *J* = 4.0 Hz, 6H), 1.56 (s, 9H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.46, 155.80, 152.26, 143.16, 139.35, 137.08, 136.59, 136.14, 131.74, 130.45, 129.37, 129.00, 128.85, 128.38, 128.04, 127.82, 115.90, 113.80, 110.77, 82.29, 79.05, 67.77, 55.65, 30.04, 28.36, 21.52;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₃₅H₃₇N₃O₅SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 634.2346, found 634.2340.



tert-butyl (2S,3R)-2-((N,4-dimethylphenyl)sulfonamido)-3-((diphenyl methylene)amino)-6-methoxyindoline-1-carboxylate (**17**)

Compound **17** was prepared following the general procedure as a white solid in >95:5 diastereometic ratio (78.3 mg, 64%);

¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.71 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.61 (dt, *J* = 7.1, 1.4 Hz, 3H), 7.58 – 7.46 (m, 3H), 7.43 – 7.36 (m, 1H), 7.30 (dd, *J* = 14.8, 7.7 Hz, 4H), 7.21 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 6.78 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 6.47 (d, *J* = 2.6 Hz, 1H), 6.33 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 4.94 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 2.39 (s, 3H), 2.38 (s, 3H), 1.56 (s, 9H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.44, 155.78, 152.23, 143.14, 139.32, 137.06, 136.56, 136.12, 131.72, 130.43, 129.35, 128.98, 128.83, 128.36, 128.02, 127.80, 115.88, 113.78, 110.75, 82.26, 79.02, 68.25, 55.62, 30.01, 28.33, 21.49.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₃₅H₃₇N₃O₅SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 634.2346, found 634.2345.



Compound **18** was prepared following the general procedure as a white solid in >95:5 diastereometric ratio (85.2 mg, 62%);

¹**H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-***d***)** δ 7.69 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.63 – 7.52 (m, 8H), 7.40 – 7.29 (m, 4H), 7.22 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 6.89 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 6.28 (s, 1H), 5.06 (s, 1H), 2.42 (s, 4H), 2.38 (s, 3H), 1.56 (s, 9H), 1.39 (s, 9H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.61, 151.80, 151.09, 147.60, 144.38, 143.10, 139.63, 136.67, 136.17, 130.33, 130.31, 129.24, 129.19, 128.85, 128.73, 128.64, 128.03, 127.95, 122.81, 116.38, 112.65, 83.68, 82.83, 78.50, 66.56, 30.28, 28.80, 27.62, 21.50;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₄₁H₄₁N₃O₅SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 710.2659, found 710.2658.



tert-butyl(2S,3R)-5-((tert-butoxycarbonyl)oxy)-2-((N,4- dimethylphenyl) sulfonamido)-3-indoli-ne-1-((diphenylmethylene)amino)carboxylate (19)

Compound **19** was prepared following the general procedure as a white solid in >95:5 diastereometric ratio (96.3 mg, 69%);

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.69 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.63 – 7.52 (m, 8H), 7.41 – 7.28 (m, 5H), 7.22 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 6.89 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 6.28 (s, 1H), 5.06 (s, 1H), 2.42 (s, 4H), 2.38 (s, 3H), 1.56 (s, 9H), 1.39 (s, 9H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.61, 151.80, 151.09, 147.60, 144.38, 143.10, 139.63, 136.67, 136.17, 130.33, 130.31, 129.24, 129.19, 128.85, 128.73, 128.64, 128.03, 127.95, 122.81, 116.38, 112.65, 83.68, 82.83, 78.50, 66.56, 30.28, 28.80, 27.62, 21.50;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₄H₂₅FNaO⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 720.2714, found 720.2713.



N-((2R,3R)-3-((diphenylmethylene)amino)-2,3-dihydrobenzofuran-2-yl)-N,4-dimethylbenzenesulfonamide (20)

Compound **20** was prepared following the general procedure as a white solid in >95:5 diastereometric ratio (77.1 mg, 80%);

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.79 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.66 (dd, *J* = 7.1, 1.6 Hz, 2H), 7.53 – 7.30 (m, 7H), 7.25 – 7.20 (m, 3H), 7.14 (td, *J* = 7.8, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 7.00 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 6.92 – 6.82 (m, 1H), 6.71 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 6.58 (d, *J* = 5.5 Hz, 1H), 5.18 (d, *J* = 5.5 Hz, 1H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 2.40 (s, 3H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 171.27, 158.52, 143.70, 139.00, 136.20, 135.74, 130.68, 129.63, 129.58, 129.05, 128.83, 128.79, 128.14, 128.11, 127.89, 127.43, 124.69, 121.22, 109.88, 96.60, 66.94, 28.66, 21.60;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{29}H_{26}N_2O_3SNa^+$ (M+Na)⁺ 720.2714, found 720.2713.



N-((2R,3R)-5-bromo-3-((diphenylmethylene)amino)-2,3-dihydro benzofuran-2-yl)-*N,4-dimethylbenzenesulfonamide* (21)

Compound **21** was prepared following the general procedure as a white solid in >95:5 diastereometric ratio (59.4mg, 53%);

¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.79 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.66 (dd, *J* = 7.1, 1.6 Hz, 2H), 7.53 – 7.30 (m, 7H), 7.25 – 7.20 (m, 3H), 7.14 (td, *J* = 7.8, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 7.00 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 6.92 – 6.82 (m, 1H), 6.71 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 6.58 (d, *J* = 5.5 Hz, 1H), 5.18 (d, *J* = 5.5 Hz, 1H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 2.40 (s, 3H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 171.27, 158.52, 143.70, 139.00, 136.20, 135.74, 130.68, 129.63, 129.58, 129.05, 128.83, 128.79, 128.14, 128.11, 127.89, 127.43, 124.69, 121.22, 109.88, 96.60, 66.94, 28.66, 21.60;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{29}H_{25}BrN_2O_3SNa^+$ (M+Na)⁺ 583.0661, found 583.0658.

NCPh₂

N-((2R,3R)-3-((diphenylmethylene)amino)-2,3-dihydrobenzo[b]thiophen-2-yl)-N,4-dimethylbenzenesulfonamide (22)

Compound **22** was prepared following the general procedure as a pale yellow solid in 81:19 diastereomeric ratio (30.9 mg, 31%);

¹**H NMR** (**400 MHz**, **Chloroform**-*d*) δ 7.67 (dd, *J* = 8.1, 3.6 Hz, 4H), 7.51 – 7.40 (m, 4H), 7.35 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.24 (q, *J* = 2.8 Hz, 4H), 7.18 – 7.00 (m, 3H), 6.89 (dd, *J* = 26.8, 7.6 Hz, 1H), 6.26 (dd, *J* = 100.3, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 5.28 (dd, *J* = 54.1, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 2.45 (s, 3H), 2.40 (s, 3H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.51, 144.66, 139.21, 139.11, 138.14, 136.06, 134.69, 130.89, 130.64, 129.84, 129.63, 129.17, 128.88, 128.81, 128.73, 128.65, 128.12, 127.71, 127.54, 127.40, 124.97, 124.82, 122.35, 74.12, 72.41, 29.25, 21.64;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{29}H_{26}N_2O_2S_2Na+$ (M+Na)⁺ 521.1328, found 521.1329.

N-(2-((diphenylmethylene)amino)-2-phenylethyl)-N,4-dimethylbenzenesulfonamide (23)

Compound **23** was prepared following the general procedure as a white solid (56.2 mg, 60%); **¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-d)** δ 7.72 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 7.58 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.47 – 7.30 (m, 7H), 7.30 – 7.17 (m, 6H), 7.12 – 7.04 (m, 2H), 4.70 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 3.60 – 3.47 (m, 1H), 3.29 (dd, *J* = 13.7, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 2.60 (s, 3H), 2.39 (s, 3H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.02, 144.00, 142.42, 139.72, 136.52, 135.65, 130.15, 129.60, 128.74, 128.53, 128.49, 128.40, 128.07, 127.97, 127.41, 127.36, 127.33, 67.78, 58.15, 39.09, 21.51;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{29}H_{28}N_2O_2SNa+(M+Na)^+$ 491.1764, found 491.1766.



N-(2-(4-(tert-butyl)phenyl)-2-((diphenylmethylene)amino)ethyl)-N,4dimethylbenzenesulfonamide (24)

Compound **24** was prepared following the general procedure as a colorless oil (77.6 mg, 74%);

¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.74 – 7.69 (m, 2H), 7.59 (d, *J* = 4.8 Hz, 2H), 7.45 (dd, *J* = 4.9, 1.9 Hz, 3H), 7.40 – 7.29 (m, 5H), 7.23 (dd, *J* = 11.7, 8.2 Hz, 4H), 7.15 – 7.09 (m, 2H), 4.70 (dd, *J* = 9.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.56 (dd, *J* = 13.7, 9.0 Hz, 1H), 3.27 (dd, *J* = 13.7, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 2.60 (s, 3H), 2.39 (s, 3H), 1.31 (s, 9H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.31, 150.19, 143.03, 139.84, 138.73, 136.57, 135.21, 130.05, 129.58, 128.75, 128.44, 128.36, 128.11, 128.03, 127.35, 127.02, 125.40, 67.24, 58.05, 36.56, 34.51, 31.40, 21.50;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{33}H_{36}N_2O_2SNa^+$ (M+Na)⁺ 547.2390, found 547.2390.



4-(2-((N,4-dimethylphenyl)sulfonamido)-1-((diphenylmethylene)amino)ethyl) phenyl acetate (25)

Compound **25** was prepared following the general procedure as a colorless oil (49.5 mg, 47%);

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.73 – 7.66 (m, 2H), 7.57 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.44 (dd, J = 4.3, 2.1 Hz, 3H), 7.41 – 7.27 (m, 5H), 7.22 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.14 – 7.04 (m, 2H), 7.02 – 6.96 (m, 2H), 4.71 (dd, J = 8.8, 4.2 Hz, 1H), 3.49 (dd, J = 13.7, 8.8 Hz, 1H), 3.26 (dd, J = 13.7, 4.2 Hz, 1H), 2.59 (s, 3H), 2.38 (s, 3H), 2.29 (s, 3H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.57, 168.88, 149.79, 143.62, 139.61, 139.40, 136.92, 135.46, 130.81, 129.63, 128.73, 128.54, 128.44, 128.37, 128.08, 127.94, 127.31, 122.12, 65.67, 58.18, 36.70, 21.50, 21.18;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{31}H_{30}N_2O_4SNa^+$ (M+Na)⁺ 549.1818, found 549.1814.



Compound **26** was prepared following the general procedure as a colorless oil (65.8 mg, 66%);

¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.70 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.58 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.46 – 7.31 (m, 6H), 7.24 – 7.17 (m, 4H), 7.12 – 7.00 (m, 2H), 6.83 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 4.65 (dd, *J* = 8.7, 4.4 Hz, 1H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.52 (dd, *J* = 13.6, 8.6 Hz, 1H), 3.26 (dd, *J* = 13.7, 4.4 Hz, 1H), 2.60 (s, 3H), 2.39 (s, 3H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.34, 158.80, 143.05, 139.76, 136.57, 135.19, 134.55, 130.10, 129.59, 128.71, 128.46, 128.41, 128.39, 128.05, 127.96, 127.32, 113.88, 65.54, 58.14, 55.26, 36.59, 21.51;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{30}H_{30}N_2O_3SNa^+$ (M+Na)⁺ 521.1869, found 521.1871.



Compound **27** was prepared following the general procedure as a yellow oil (55.8 mg, 52%); **¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-d**) δ 7.74 – 7.67 (m, 2H), 7.54 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 4H), 7.46 – 7.31 (m, 8H), 7.22 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.11 – 7.01 (m, 2H), 4.77 (d, *J* = 13.0 Hz, 1H), 3.48 (dd, *J*

= 13.8, 8.5 Hz, 1H, 3.32 (dd, J = 13.8, 4.6 Hz, 1H), 2.61 (s, 3H), 2.38 (s, 3H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.54, 145.85, 143.25, 139.36, 136.26, 134.98, 130.42, 129.64, 129.39, 128.74, 128.68, 128.53, 128.13, 127.76, 127.27, 125.45, 125.41, 125.38, 65.90, 57.89, 36.70, 21.47;

¹⁹**F NMR (377 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ -62.39.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{30}H_{27}F_3N_2O_2SNa^+$ (M+Na)⁺ 559.1638, found 559.1639.



N-(2-((diphenylmethylene)amino)-2-(4-fluorophenyl)ethyl)-N,4-dimethyl benzenesulfonamide (**28**) Compound **28** was prepared following the general procedure as a colorless oil (79.7 mg, 82%);

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.73 – 7.65 (m, 2H), 7.59 – 7.53 (m, 2H), 7.44 (dp, *J* = 5.3, 1.8 Hz, 3H), 7.41 – 7.31 (m, 3H), 7.26 – 7.19 (m, 4H), 7.06 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.00 – 6.92 (m, 2H), 4.67 (dd, *J* = 8.5, 4.6 Hz, 1H), 3.53 – 3.39 (m, 1H), 3.27 (dd, *J* = 13.7, 4.6 Hz, 1H), 2.59 (s, 3H), 2.39 (s, 3H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.85, 163.23, 160.79, 143.13, 139.53, 137.59, 136.40, 134.65, 130.25, 129.60, 128.91, 128.83, 128.69, 128.55, 128.44, 128.08, 127.81, 127.28, 115.42, 115.21, 65.91, 54.43, 34.51, 21.89;

¹⁹**F** NMR (**377** MHz, CDCl₃) δ -115.15;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₂₉H₂₇FN₂O₂SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 509.1669, found 509.1663.

 $\begin{array}{c} \overset{\text{N}}{\underset{\text{NCPh}_2}{}} & N-(2-(4-chlorophenyl)-2-((diphenylmethylene)amino)ethyl)-N,4-dimethyl \\ benzenesulfonamide (29) \end{array}$

Compound **29** was prepared following the general procedure as a colorless oil (70.3 mg, 70%);

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.69 (d, J = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 7.56 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.47 – 7.29 (m, 6H), 7.23 (td, J = 9.4, 9.0, 6.1 Hz, 6H), 7.07 (s, 2H), 4.67 (dd, J = 8.4, 4.6 Hz, 1H), 3.46 (dd, J = 13.7, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 3.27 (dd, J = 13.8, 4.6 Hz, 1H), 2.59 (s, 3H), 2.38 (s, 3H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.52, 143.20, 140.39, 139.50, 136.37, 135.09, 133.04, 130.34, 129.64, 128.76, 128.73, 128.68, 128.62, 128.50, 128.12, 127.81, 127.30, 65.57, 58.37, 36.67, 20.99;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{29}H_{27}CIN_2O_2SNa^+$ (M+Na)⁺ 525.1374, found 525.1363.



N-(2-(4-bromophenyl)-2-((diphenylmethylene)amino)ethyl)-N,4-dimethyl benzenesulfonamide (**30**)

Compound **29** was prepared following the general procedure as a colorless oil (68.8 mg, 63%);

¹**H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-***d*) δ 7.72 – 7.64 (m, 2H), 7.60 – 7.51 (m, 2H), 7.48 – 7.30 (m, 8H), 7.19 (dd, *J* = 20.8, 8.2 Hz, 4H), 7.05 (dd, *J* = 6.6, 2.9 Hz, 2H), 4.65 (dd, *J* = 8.4, 4.6 Hz, 1H), 3.46 (dd, *J* = 13.8, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 3.27 (dd, *J* = 13.7, 4.6 Hz, 1H), 2.59 (s, 3H), 2.38 (s, 3H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.14, 143.16, 140.87, 139.44, 136.32, 135.04, 131.59, 130.30, 129.60, 129.09, 128.70, 128.59, 128.46, 128.09, 127.77, 127.26, 121.15, 65.60, 57.89, 36.64, 21.00;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{29}H_{27}BrN_2O_2SNa^+$ (M+Na)⁺ 569.0869, found 569.0866.



methyl 4-(2-((*N*,4-dimethylphenyl)sulfonamido)-1-((diphenylmethylene) amino)ethyl)benzoate (**31**) Compound **31** was prepared following the general procedure as a colorless oil (74.7 mg, 71%);

¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.95 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.71 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.57 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.47 – 7.30 (m, 8H), 7.21 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.05 (dt, *J* = 7.2, 3.5 Hz, 2H), 4.75 (dd, *J* = 8.4, 4.6 Hz, 1H), 3.90 (s, 3H), 3.50 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 3.31 (dd, *J* = 13.8, 4.6 Hz, 1H), 2.60 (s, 3H), 2.38 (s, 3H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.44, 166.97, 147.10, 143.21, 139.46, 136.33, 135.09, 130.38, 129.85, 129.64, 129.22, 128.76, 128.65, 128.51, 128.14, 127.80, 127.44, 127.29, 66.09, 57.93, 52.11, 36.71, 21.50;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{31}H_{30}N_2O_4SNa^+$ (M+Na)⁺ 549.1818, found 549.1813.



Compound **32** was prepared following the general procedure as a white solid (58.8 mg, 54%); **¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-***d***)** δ 7.73 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 2H), 7.57 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 4H), 7.52 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.48 – 7.29 (m, 11H), 7.20 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.11 (dd, *J* = 6.5, 2.8 Hz, 2H), 4.75 (dd, *J* = 8.7, 4.2 Hz, 1H), 3.57 (dd, *J* = 13.7, 8.7 Hz, 1H), 3.34 (dd, *J* = 13.7, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 2.62 (s, 3H), 2.36 (s, 3H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.79, 143.11, 140.98, 140.86, 140.26, 139.75, 136.54, 135.23, 130.21, 129.63, 128.80, 128.55, 128.47, 128.11, 128.01, 127.84, 127.35, 127.29, 127.26, 127.07, 65.97, 58.13, 36.67, 21.52;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₃₅H₃₂N₂O₂SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 567.2077, found 567.2078.



Compound **33** was prepared following the general procedure as a colorless oil (65.9 mg, 59%);

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.68 – 7.62 (m, 2H), 7.60 – 7.55 (m, 2H), 7.50 – 7.44 (m, 3H), 7.43 – 7.36 (m, 1H), 7.32 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.28 – 7.23 (m, 2H), 7.09 – 7.01 (m, 2H), 5.17 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 3.82 (dd, *J* = 13.7, 7.6 Hz, 1H), 3.26 (dd, *J* = 13.7, 6.7 Hz, 1H), 2.62 (s, 3H), 2.40 (s, 3H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.68, 148.37, 144.42, 143.51, 138.91, 138.86, 135.87, 134.73, 130.85, 129.68, 128.95, 128.79, 128.76, 128.66, 128.62, 128.54, 128.20, 128.12, 127.30, 127.21, 126.88, 126.72, 56.37, 53.82, 36.75, 21.49;

¹⁹F NMR (**377** MHz, CDCl₃) δ -140.19, -155.50, -162.09;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₂₉H₂₃F₅N₂O₂SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 581.1293, found 581.1296.

N-(2-((diphenylmethylene)amino)-2-(o-tolyl)ethyl)-N,4-dimethyl benzenesulfonamide (**34**)

Compound **34** was prepared following the general procedure as a colorless oil (57.9 mg, 60%);

¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.76 – 7.54 (m, 5H), 7.45 – 7.29 (m, 6H), 7.25 – 7.19 (m, 2H), 7.13 (dtd, J = 20.0, 7.4, 1.6 Hz, 2H), 7.02 (ddd, J = 14.9, 7.3, 2.4 Hz, 3H), 4.95 (dd, J = 9.0, 3.5 Hz, 1H), 3.44 (dd, J = 13.9, 9.0 Hz, 1H), 3.26 (dd, J = 13.9, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 2.71 (s, 3H), 2.37 (s, 3H), 1.92 (s, 3H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.77, 143.09, 140.69, 139.66, 137.04, 135.17, 135.00, 130.26, 130.14, 129.63, 128.67, 128.48, 128.38, 128.09, 127.74, 127.30, 126.90, 126.23, 62.88, 58.33, 36.49, 21.95, 18.99;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₃₀H₃₀N₂O₂SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 505.1920, found 505.1910.



VCPh₂

N-(2-(3-chlorophenyl)-2-((diphenylmethylene)amino)ethyl)-N,4-dimethyl benzenesulfonamide (**35**)

Compound **35** was prepared following the general procedure as a colorless oil (78.3 mg, 78%);

¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.74 – 7.67 (m, 2H), 7.56 (d, *J* = 6.5 Hz, 2H), 7.48 – 7.42 (m, 3H), 7.41 – 7.32 (m, 3H), 7.26 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 7.23 – 7.13 (m, 5H), 7.10 – 7.03 (m, 2H), 4.67 (dd, *J* = 8.5, 4.5 Hz, 1H), 3.49 (dd, *J* = 13.8, 8.5 Hz, 1H), 3.27 (dd, *J* = 13.8, 4.5 Hz, 1H), 2.59 (s, 3H), 2.38 (s, 3H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.31, 143.91, 143.20, 139.47, 136.34, 135.17, 134.32, 130.36, 129.81, 129.66, 128.79, 128.64, 128.52, 128.12, 127.86, 127.57, 127.49, 127.29, 125.63, 65.71, 58.03, 36.69, 21.50;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₂₉H₂₇ClN₂O₂SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 525.1374, found 525.1380.

N-Ts NCPh₂ N-(2-((diphenylmethylene)amino)-2-(naphthalen-2-yl)ethyl)-N,4-dimethyl benzenesulfonamide (**36**)

Compound **36** was prepared following the general procedure as a colorless oil (58.0 mg, 56%);

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.83 – 7.71 (m, 5H), 7.63 (s, 1H), 7.56 – 7.33 (m, 11H), 7.18 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.12 – 7.05 (m, 2H), 4.85 (d, *J* = 4.1 Hz, 1H), 3.62 (dd, *J* = 13.8, 8.6 Hz, 1H), 3.39 (dd, *J* = 13.8, 4.5 Hz, 1H), 2.62 (s, 3H), 2.37 (s, 3H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.92, 143.67, 139.72, 139.41, 136.54, 135.18, 133.80, 132.85, 130.22, 129.59, 128.78, 128.55, 128.45, 128.20, 128.10, 127.96, 127.92, 127.67, 127.31, 126.09, 126.01, 125.77, 125.52, 66.39, 57.78, 36.15, 21.50;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₃₃H₃₀N₂O₂SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 541.1920, found 541.1930.

N-(2-((diphenylmethylene)amino)-2-(pyridin-2-yl)ethyl)-N,4-dimethyl benzenesulfonamide (**37**)

Compound **37** was prepared following the general procedure as a yellow oil (45.0 mg, 48%); **¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-d)** δ 8.50 (d, *J* = 4.7 Hz, 1H), 7.75 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.64 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.60 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.49 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.46 – 7.29 (m, 6H), 7.20 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.17 – 7.08 (m, 3H), 4.89 (dd, *J* = 9.0, 3.8 Hz, 1H), 3.76 (dd, *J* = 13.4, 8.9 Hz, 1H), 3.38 (dd, *J* = 13.4, 3.8 Hz, 1H), 2.53 (s, 3H), 2.37 (s, 3H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.90, 160.24, 152.63, 145.25, 140.63, 136.69, 136.36, 135.13, 130.24, 129.55, 128.97, 128.53, 128.47, 128.08, 128.04, 127.34, 123.05, 122.34, 67.99, 58.16, 36.01, 19.95;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{28}H_{27}N_3O_2SNa^+$ (M+Na)⁺ 492.1716, found 492.1710.



Ph₂CN

NCPh₂

N-(2-((diphenylmethylene)amino)-2-(thiophen-2-yl)ethyl)-N,4-dimethyl benzenesulfonamide (38)

Compound **38** was prepared following the general procedure as a yellow oil (48.4 mg, 51%);

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.71 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 7.59 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.46 – 7.31 (m, 7H), 7.22 (t, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 2H), 7.16 (dd, *J* = 6.8, 2.7 Hz, 2H), 6.92 (dd, *J* = 5.1, 3.5 Hz, 1H), 6.78 (d, *J* = 3.5 Hz, 1H), 5.02 (dd, *J* = 8.5, 4.6 Hz, 1H), 3.50 (dd, *J* = 13.8, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 3.35 (dd, *J* = 13.8, 4.6 Hz, 1H), 2.61 (s, 3H), 2.39 (s, 3H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.36, 144.82, 143.18, 139.42, 136.01, 135.13, 130.36, 129.64, 128.86, 128.67, 128.51, 128.10, 127.93, 127.31, 126.50, 124.51, 123.57, 62.32, 58.42, 36.88, 21.51;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₂₇H₂₆N2O₂S₂Na+ (M+Na)+ 497.1328, found 492.1719.

N-(2-((diphenylmethylene)amino)-2-phenylpropyl)-N,4-dimethyl benzenesulfonamide (39)

Compound **39** was prepared following the general procedure as a colorless oil (56.9 mg, 59%);

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.64 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.55 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 7.38 – 7.25 (m, 6H), 7.21 – 7.12 (m, 6H), 7.07 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 6.53 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 3.65 (d, *J* = 13.4 Hz, 1H), 3.44 (d, *J* = 13.4 Hz, 1H), 2.71 (s, 3H), 2.41 (s, 3H), 1.46 (s, 3H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.35, 147.56, 143.11, 141.22, 138.59, 134.89, 129.93, 129.63, 128.18, 128.12, 128.00, 127.85, 127.57, 127.51, 127.32, 126.78, 126.68, 65.42, 64.96, 37.69, 25.19, 21.58;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{30}H_{30}N_2O_2SNa^+$ (M+Na)+ 505.1920, found 505.1920.



N-(2-((diphenylmethylene)amino)-2,2-diphenylethyl)-N,4-dimethyl benzenesulfonamide (**40**)

Compound **40** was prepared following the general procedure as a white solid (78.4 mg, 72%); **¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-d)** δ 7.64 (dd, *J* = 7.1, 1.8 Hz, 2H), 7.42 – 7.26 (m, 5H), 7.25 – 7.02 (m, 13H), 6.93 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 6.53 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 2H), 4.20 (s, 2H), 2.44 (s, 3H), 2.39 (s, 3H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.04, 146.82, 143.03, 141.73, 138.53, 135.61, 130.11, 129.39, 128.57, 128.49, 128.02, 127.80, 127.73, 127.30, 127.21, 126.70, 126.32, 70.43, 58.09, 37.30, 21.01;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₃₅H₃₂N₂O₂SNa+ (M+Na)+ 567.2077, found 567.2063.

NCPh₂

N-(1-((diphenylmethylene)amino)-2,3-dihydro-1H-inden-2-yl)-N,4-dimethyl benzenesulfonamide (41)

Compound **41** was prepared following the general procedure as a colorless oil in >95:5 diastereomeric ratio (55.7 mg, 58%);

¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.69 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.66 – 7.60 (m, 2H), 7.44 – 7.33 (m, 6H), 7.23 – 7.12 (m, 3H), 7.06 – 7.00 (m, 1H), 7.01 – 6.87 (m, 4H), 5.27 – 5.03 (m, 1H), 4.90 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 2.93 (dd, *J* = 15.7, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 2.82 (dd, *J* = 15.5, 10.1 Hz, 1H), 2.46 (s, 3H), 2.24 (s, 3H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.01, 142.91, 141.30, 139.32, 139.16, 137.10, 136.56, 130.31, 129.50, 128.94, 128.53, 128.48, 128.02, 127.82, 127.78, 127.31, 127.09, 125.29, 124.18, 66.65, 64.50, 31.46, 28.70, 21.43.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₃₅H₃₂N₂O₂SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 503.1764, found 503.1760.



N-(2-((diphenylmethylene)amino)-2-(2-oxopyrrolidin-1-yl)ethyl)-N,4-dimethyl benzenesulfonamide (**42**)

Compound **42** was prepared following the general procedure as a colorless oil (52.3 mg, 55%);

¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.62 (dd, *J* = 13.5, 7.9 Hz, 4H), 7.43 (p, *J* = 7.0, 6.4 Hz, 4H), 7.33 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.28 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.17 (dd, *J* = 7.0, 1.9 Hz, 2H), 5.74 (dd, *J* = 9.0, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 3.94 – 3.80 (m, 2H), 3.68 (dd, *J* = 13.2, 9.0 Hz, 1H), 2.50 (dd, *J* = 13.2, 5.0 Hz, 1H), 2.46 – 2.22 (m, 8H), 2.05 (ddt, *J* = 21.1, 13.5, 6.4 Hz, 2H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 174.08, 171.03, 145.00, 139.71, 136.43, 134.04, 130.85, 129.69, 128.96, 128.81, 128.66, 128.15, 127.63, 127.33, 61.64, 47.85, 41.29, 35.03, 30.92, 22.50, 18.38;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₂₇H₂₉N₃O₃SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 498.1822, found 498.1823.



ethyl 2-(4-(2-((N,4-dimethylphenyl)sulfonamido)-1-((diphenylmethylene)amino)ethyl)phenoxy)-2-methylpropanoate (43)

Compound **43** was prepared following the general procedure as a colorless oil (79.0 mg, 66%);

¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.69 (dd, J = 7.5, 2.4 Hz, 2H), 7.57 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.45 – 7.28 (m, 6H), 7.17 (dd, J = 28.0, 8.4 Hz, 4H), 7.10 – 7.01 (m, 2H), 6.76 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 4.63 (dd, J = 8.6, 4.4 Hz, 1H), 4.22 (q, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 3.52 (dd, J = 13.7, 8.7 Hz, 1H), 3.23 (dd, J = 13.7, 4.4 Hz, 1H), 2.57 (s, 3H), 2.37 (s, 3H), 1.57 (s, 6H), 1.24 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 3H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 174.28, 168.45, 154.63, 143.07, 139.74, 136.54, 135.54, 135.27, 130.14, 129.61, 128.72, 128.47, 128.38, 128.09, 128.07, 127.95, 127.31, 119.18, 79.10, 65.49, 61.42, 58.10, 36.57, 25.44, 25.39, 21.50, 14.12;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₃₅H₃₈N₂O₅SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 621.2394, found 621.2387.



(1R,2S,5R)-2-isopropyl-5-methylcyclohexyl 4-(2-((N,4-dimethylphenyl) sulfonamido)-1-((diphenylmethylene)amino)ethyl)benzoate (44)

Compound **44** was prepared following the general procedure as a colorless oil in 1:1 diastereomeric ratio (80.6 mg, 62%);

¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.98 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.71 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.57 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.52 – 7.29 (m, 9H), 7.22 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.11 – 6.97 (m, 2H), 4.93 (td, *J* = 10.9, 4.4 Hz, 1H), 4.77 (dt, *J* = 7.6, 3.4 Hz, 1H), 3.52 (dd, *J* = 13.9, 8.3 Hz, 1H), 3.33 (dd, *J* = 13.8, 4.5 Hz, 1H), 2.62 (s, 3H), 2.39 (s, 3H), 2.13 (dt, *J* = 8.1, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 1.96 (qq, *J* = 6.7, 3.4, 2.9 Hz, 1H), 1.75 (s, 1H), 1.72 (s, 1H), 1.64 – 1.48 (m, 3H), 1.19 – 1.08 (m, 3H), 1.08 – 1.03 (m, 1H), 0.93 (d, *J* = 4.5 Hz, 7H), 0.80 (dd, *J* = 6.9, 3.4 Hz, 4H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.35, 165.96, 146.88, 143.20, 139.48, 136.35, 135.09, 130.35, 129.93, 129.83, 129.63, 128.75, 128.65, 128.51, 128.12, 127.82, 127.39, 127.31, 74.81, 66.12, 57.92, 47.29, 41.00, 36.71, 34.34, 31.47, 26.51, 23.65, 22.08, 21.50, 20.80, 16.55;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₄₀H₄₆N₂O₄SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 673.3070, found 673.3068.



isopropyl 2-(4-(4-(2-((N,4-dimethylphenyl)sulfonamido)-1-((diphenylmethylene)amino)ethyl)benzoyl)phenoxy)-2methylpropanoate (**45**)

Compound **45** was prepared following the general procedure as a colorless oil (86.0 mg, 60%);

¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.79 – 7.67 (m, 6H), 7.58 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.47 – 7.31 (m, 8H), 7.22 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.13 – 7.03 (m, 2H), 6.86 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 2H), 5.08 (p, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 1H), 4.78 (dd, *J* = 8.5, 4.4 Hz, 1H), 3.54 (dd, *J* = 13.7, 8.5 Hz, 1H), 3.34 (dd, *J* = 13.8, 4.5 Hz, 1H), 2.62 (s, 3H), 2.38 (s, 3H), 1.66 (s, 6H), 1.20 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 6H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 195.20, 173.18, 169.37, 159.56, 146.09, 143.22, 139.50, 137.21, 136.35, 135.08, 132.04, 130.60, 130.37, 130.10, 129.65, 128.77, 128.66, 128.52, 128.13, 127.85, 127.30, 127.27, 117.16, 79.39, 69.33, 66.08, 57.94, 36.70, 25.38, 21.55, 21.50;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₄₃H₄₄N₂O₆SNa⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 739.2812, found 739.2815.



4-(2-((N,4-dimethylphenyl)sulfonamido)-1-((diphenylmethylene) amino)ethyl)phenyl 2-(4-isobutylphenyl) propanoate (**46**) Compound **46** was prepared following the general procedure as a colorless oil (74.0 mg, 55%);

¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.68 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 7.56 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.45 – 7.39 (m, 3H), 7.37 – 7.18 (m, 9H), 7.13 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.09 – 7.02 (m, 2H), 6.91 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 4.67 (dd, *J* = 8.7, 4.2 Hz, 1H), 3.92 (q, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 3.47 (dd, *J* = 13.8, 8.7 Hz, 1H), 3.23 (dd, *J* = 13.8, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 2.58 (s, 3H), 2.46 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 2.37 (s, 3H), 1.86 (dt, *J* = 13.5, 6.7 Hz, 1H), 1.59 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H), 0.90 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 6H);

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 173.31, 168.86, 150.01, 143.13, 140.85, 139.62, 139.36, 139.35, 137.25, 137.22, 136.43, 135.07, 130.22, 129.63, 129.54, 128.72, 128.54, 128.44, 128.26, 128.08, 127.90, 127.31, 127.23, 121.42, 65.70, 58.19, 45.27, 45.07, 36.69, 30.23, 22.43, 21.50, 18.53;

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₄₂H₄₄N₂O₄S Na⁺ (M+Na)⁺ 695.2914, found 695.2910.

8. NMR Spectrum

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)





¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)





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¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)



¹⁹F NMR (337 MHz, CDCl₃)





S59

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)











¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)





¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)




















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