Electrochemical Direct α-Amidation and α-Pyrazolation of *N*-Alkoxy- and *N*-aryloxycarbonyl Pyrrolidines

Supporting Information

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1) General Information

Chemicals utilized in this work were directly purchased from commercial suppliers, and unless noted, without further purification before the usage. Silica gel plates (GF254, coating thickness 0.2-0.25 mm) were employed for thin-layer chromatography (TLC), and 200-300 mesh silica gel or neutral alumina was used for flash column chromatography. ¹H, ¹³C, and ¹⁹F NMR data was obtained on Bruker Ultrashield 400 and Bruker Ascend 400 NMR spectrometers. Chemical shifts were reported in ppm with tetramethylsilane as an internal standard, and coupling constants (*J*) in Hz. High-resolution mass spectrometry (HRMS) data were obtained on an FTICR-MS instrument (Ionspec 7.0 T).

2) General Procedures for the electrolysis



1 (0.5 mmol, 1 eq.), 2 (1 mmol, 2 eq.), *n*-Bu₄NBF₄ (0.5 mmol, 1 eq.), H₃PO₃ (0.5 mmol, 1 eq.) and acetone (5 mL) were subsequently added into a 25 mL undivided cell. Graphite plate electrodes (1 cm×1 cm×2 mm, 1 cm distance) were inserted into the cell, and the electrolysis was carried out at room temperature using a constant current of 10 mA for 2.5 hours under argon atmosphere.

The solvent in the system was removed under reduced pressure, and the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography with ethyl acetate/petroleum ether as the eluent.

3) Optimization of reaction conditions

	+ NH ₂	H ₃ PO ₃ , <i>n</i> -Bu ₄ NBF ₄ <u>Acetone</u> C (+) C (-) rt, 10 mA, 2.5 h	
1	a 2a		3a
Entry	Variation from the standard con	dition	Yield (%)
1	None		91 (90 ^b)
2	No H ₃ PO ₃		67
3	CH ₃ COOH instead of H ₃ PO ₃		82
4	CF ₃ COOH instead of H ₃ PO ₃		84
5	H ₃ PO ₄ instead of H ₃ PO ₃		81
6	H ₃ PO ₃ (0.25 mmol, 0.5 eq)		79
7	Pt plate as the anode		13
8	Ni plate as the cathode		44
9	Pt plate as the cathode		53
10	Pt plate as both the anode and c	athode	11
11	<i>n</i> -Bu ₄ NClO ₄ as the electrolyte		87
12	<i>n</i> -Bu ₄ NPF ₆ as the electrolyte		90
13	<i>n</i> -Bu ₄ NOTs as the electrolyte		43
14	<i>n</i> -Bu ₄ PBF ₄ as the electrolyte		86
15	Me ₄ NBF ₄ as the electrolyte		85
16	LiClO ₄ as the electrolyte		trace
17	MeCN as the solvent		90
18	MeNO ₂ as the solvent		61
19	DCM as the solvent		7
20	DCE as the solvent		trace
21	In open air		40
22	No electric current and electroly	vte	0

^{*a*}Standard condition: undivided cell, graphite plate as both the anode and the cathode, **1a** (0.5 mmol, 1 eq), **2a** (1 mmol, 2 eq), H₃PO₃ (0.5 mmol, 1 eq), *n*-Bu₄NBF₄ (0.5 mmol, 1 eq), 5 mL of acetone, 10 mA, under an Ar atmosphere stirring for 2.5 h. Yields were determined by ¹H NMR using dibromomethane as the internal standard. ^{*b*}Isolated Yield.

4) Gram-scale synthesis



1a (10 mmol, 1 eq), **2a** (20 mmol, 2 eq), n-Bu₄NBF₄ (10 mmol, 1 eq.), H₃PO₃ (10 mmol, 1 eq.) and acetone (50 mL) were subsequently added into a 100 mL undivided cell. Graphite plate electrodes (3 cm×3 cm×2 mm, 3 cm distance) were inserted into the cell, and the electrolysis was carried out at room temperature with constant current of 25 mA for 24 hours under argon atmosphere.

The solvent in the system was removed under reduced pressure, and the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography with ethyl acetate/petroleum ether as the eluent.

5) Control experiments and mechanistic studies

A) Radical-trapping experiment



1 (0.5 mmol, 1 eq.), 2 (1 mmol, 2 eq.), TEMPO or 1,1-diphenylethylene (1 mmol, 2 eq.), *n*-Bu₄NBF₄ (0.5 mmol, 1 eq.), H₃PO₃ (0.5 mmol, 1 eq.) and acetone (5 mL) were subsequently added into a 25 mL undivided cell. Graphite plate electrodes (1 cm×1 cm×2 mm, 1 cm distance) were inserted into the cell, and the electrolysis was carried out at room temperature with constant current of 10 mA for 2.5 hours under argon atmosphere.

B) Competition experiment

$$1a + 2a \xrightarrow[C]{h_3PO_3, n-Bu_4NBF_4}_{Acetone} + \underbrace{N}_{Boc}^{N-Bu}_{Boc} + \underbrace{N}_{Boc}^{N-Bu}_{Boc}$$

1 (0.5 mmol, 1 eq.), 2 (1 mmol, 2 eq.), *n*-butanol (1 mmol, 2 eq.), *n*-Bu₄NBF₄ (0.5 mmol, 1 eq.), H₃PO₃ (0.5 mmol, 1 eq.) and acetone (5 mL) were subsequently added into a 25 mL undivided cell. Graphite plate electrodes (1 cm×1 cm×2 mm, 1 cm distance) were inserted into the cell, and the electrolysis was carried out at room temperature with constant voltage for 4 hours under argon atmosphere. As shown in the chart below, the yield of **3a** increased along with the voltage. However, the side product **7** also started to generate when the voltage reached 3.5 V. These results shown that the product **3a** needs lower voltage to generate comparing with **7**.

Entry	U / V	Yield of 3a (%)	Yield of 7 (%)
1	2.0	9	trace
2	2.5	17	trace
3	3.0	39	trace
4	3.5	52	4
5	4.0	72	12
6	I = 10 mA	60	12

C) Cyclic Voltammetry (CV) Experiment

Cyclic voltammetry was performed in a three-electrode cell connected to a Schlenk line under air at room temperature. The working electrode was a glassy carbon electrode, the counter electrode was a platinum wire. The reference was an Ag/AgNO₃ electrode submerged in saturated aqueous AgNO₃ solution, and separated from reaction by a salt bridge. 10 mL of CH₃CN containing 0.1 M *n*-Bu₄NPF₆ were poured into the electrochemical cell in all experiments, and the concentration of all tested compounds was 2 mmol/L. The scan rate is 0.1 V/s, ranging from 0 V to 3 V.

Cyclic voltammetry experiment revealed that the oxidation peak potential of 1-methylsulfonylpyrrolidine (8) was 2.54 V. When methyl sulfonamide (9) was added, the oxidation peak potential was reduced to 2.37 V. The graph of the cyclic voltammetry experiment is demonstrated as below.



CV curves of selected pyrrolidines, amides and pyrazoles was additionally estimated, and illustrated as below. While most of the amides and pyrazoles have no or weak oxidation peaks, **2j** (4-MeOPhCONH₂) have a significant oxidation peak at 1.81 V.



6) Synthesis of the substrates

Procedure for the preparation of N-alkoxy/aryloxycarbonyl pyrrolidines (1c, 1d)

$$(ROCO)_2O$$

$$Et_3N, DCM$$

$$0^{\circ}C-RT, 12 h$$

$$NCOOR$$

Pyrrolidine (1 eq, 20 mmol), Et_3N (1.2 eq) and DCM (40 mL) were added to a dry 100 mL flask and stirred at 0°C. (ROCO)₂O (1.2 eq) was added dropwise, and then the mixture was stirred for 12 h at room temperature.

The mixture was washed with brine, the organic phase dried with anhydrous Na₂SO₄ and concentrated in *vacuo*. The crude product was purified with column chromatography.

Procedure for the preparation of N-alkoxy/aryloxycarbonyl pyrrolidines (1e-1h)



Pyrrolidine (1 eq, 20 mmol), Et₃N (1.2 eq) and DCM (40 mL) were added to a dry 100 mL flask and stirred at 0°C. ROCOCl (1.2 eq) was added dropwise, and then the mixture was stirred for 12 h at room temperature.

The mixture was washed with brine, the organic phase dried with anhydrous Na₂SO₄ and concentrated in *vacuo*. The crude product was purified with column chromatography.

7) Characterization data for the substrates and products

Methyl pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (1c)^[1]

Colorless Oil. Yield 90 %.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 3.70 (s, 3H), 3.36 (s, 4H), 1.86 (t, *J* = 6.5 Hz, 4H).

The spectral data obtained were identical with those reported in literature.

Ethyl pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (1d)^[1]

Colorless Oil. Yield 98 %.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 4.13 (q, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 3.36 (s, 4H), 1.86 (t, J = 6.5

Hz, 4H), 1.26 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H).

The spectral data obtained were identical with those reported in literature.

Isopropyl pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (1e)^[1]

N COOi-Pr

Colorless Oil. Yield 99 %.

¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 4.92 (hept, J = 6.1 Hz, 1H), 3.35 (s, 4H), 1.85 (t, J =

6.7 Hz, 4H), 1.24 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 6H).

The spectral data obtained were identical with those reported in literature.

Allyl pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (1f)^[2]

Colorless Oil. Yield 97 %.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.95 (ddd, J = 22.6, 10.8, 5.5 Hz, 1H), 5.31 (d, J =

17.3 Hz, 1H), 5.20 (d, *J* = 10.5 Hz, 1H), 4.59 (d, *J* = 5.3 Hz, 2H), 3.39 (s, 4H), 1.87 (s, 4H).

The spectral data obtained were identical with those reported in literature.

Phenyl pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (1h)^[3]

Colorless Oil. Yield 98 %.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.40 – 7.30 (m, 2H), 7.22 – 7.09 (m, 3H), 3.52 (dt, J =

33.1, 6.3 Hz, 4H), 1.94 (td, *J* = 12.7, 6.7 Hz, 4H).

The spectral data obtained were identical with those reported in literature.

tert-Butyl 2-(4-methylbenzamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (3a)



White Solid. mp 123–128 °C.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.64 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.20 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 6.52 (d, *J* = 6.5 Hz, 1H), 5.85 (br s, 1H), 3.57 – 3.48 (m, 1H), 3.37 – 3.27 (m, 1H), 2.38 (s, 3H), 2.24 – 1.83 (m, 4H), 1.40 (s, 9H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.4, 154.2, 141.8, 131.7, 129.1, 126.9, 80.1, 64.6,

46.1, 33.9, 28.4, 22.5, 21.4.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{17}H_{24}N_2NaO_3^+$ (M+Na⁺): 327.1679, found: 327.1677. *tert*-Butyl 2-benzamidopyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**3b**)^[4]



White Solid. mp 163 °C.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.75 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.52 – 7.32 (m, 3H), 6.73 (s, 1H), 5.87 (br s, 1H), 3.57 – 3.45 (m, 1H), 3.31 (dd, *J* = 17.2, 9.3 Hz, 1H), 2.23 – 1.82 (m, 4H), 1.40 (s, 9H).

The spectral data obtained were identical with those reported in literature.

tert-Butyl 2-(2-methylbenzamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (3c)



Colorless Oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.34 – 7.22 (m, 2H), 7.19 – 7.14 (m, 2H), 6.27 (s, 1H), 5.81 – 5.69 (m, 1H), 3.51 – 3.36 (m, 1H), 3.33 – 3.20 (m, 1H), 2.43 (s, 3H), 2.19 – 1.81 (m, 4H), 1.46 (s, 9H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.7, 154.0, 136.3, 135.9, 130.9, 129.8, 126.7, 125.6, 80.2, 64.3, 46.0, 34.0, 28.4, 22.3, 19.6.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{17}H_{24}N_2NaO_3^+$ (M+Na⁺): 327.1679, found: 327.1675. *tert*-Butyl 2-(4-fluorobenzamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**3d**)



Colorless oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.85 – 7.69 (m, 2H), 7.07 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 6.67 (s, 1H), 5.85 (br s, 1H), 3.56 – 3.47 (m, 1H), 3.32 (dt, *J* = 10.3, 8.1 Hz, 1H), 2.18 – 1.90 (m, 4H), 1.40 (s, 9H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 165.9, 165.4, 163.4, 154.2, 130.6 (d, *J* = 3.2 Hz),

129.3 (d, J = 9.1 Hz), 115.5 (d, J = 21.8 Hz), 80.2, 64.6, 46.1, 33.9, 28.4, 22.5.

¹⁹**F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -108.2.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{16}H_{21}FN_2NaO_3^+$ (M+Na⁺): 331.1428, found: 331.1433. *tert*-Butyl 2-(3-fluorobenzamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**3e**)

Colorless oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.49 (dd, J = 17.9, 8.5 Hz, 2H), 7.38 (d, J = 6.1 Hz, 1H), 7.18 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 6.62 (d, J = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 5.85 (br s, 1H), 3.57 – 3.45 (m, 1H), 3.33 (dd, J = 18.1, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 2.27 – 1.84 (m, 5H), 1.41 (s, 9H). ¹³**C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 165.2, 162.7 (d, J = 247.6 Hz), 154.2, 136.8 (d, J = 6.7 Hz), 130.2 (d, J = 7.6 Hz), 122.5, 118.4 (d, J = 21.3 Hz), 118.25 – 118.04 (m), 114.3 (d, J = 22.8 Hz), 80.3, 64.7, 46.1, 33.9, 28.4, 22.5. ¹⁹**F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -111.82.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{16}H_{21}FN_2NaO_3^+$ (M+Na⁺): 331.1428, found: 331.1422. *tert*-Butyl 2-(4-chlorobenzamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**3f**)^[4]

White Solid. mp 149 °C.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.69 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.36 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 6.70 (s, 1H), 5.85 (br s, 1H), 3.56 – 3.46 (m, 1H), 3.32 (dt, *J* = 10.4, 8.1 Hz, 1H), 2.25 – 1.85 (m, 4H), 1.40 (s, 9H).

The spectral data obtained were identical with those reported in literature.

tert-Butyl 2-(3-chlorobenzamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (3g)



Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.72 (s, 1H), 7.62 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.44 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.34 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 6.72 (s, 1H), 5.86 (br s, 1H), 3.51 (dd, *J* = 13.8, 6.8 Hz, 1H), 3.39 – 3.23 (m, 1H), 2.26 – 1.86 (m, 4H), 1.41 (s, 9H).
¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 165.1, 154.1, 136.3, 134.6, 131.4, 129.9, 127.3, 125.2,

80.3, 64.7, 46.1, 33.9, 28.4, 22.5.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{16}H_{21}ClN_2NaO_3^+$ (M+Na⁺): 347.1133, found: 347.1131. *tert*-Butyl 2-(2-chlorobenzamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**3h**)



Colorless oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.60 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 7.46 – 7.21 (m, 3H), 6.58 (s, 1H), 5.86 (br s, 1H), 3.55 – 3.44 (m, 1H), 3.36 – 3.24 (m, 1H), 2.19 – 1.89 (m, 4H), 1.46 (s, 9H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 165.1, 154.0, 134.9, 131.3, 130.6, 130.2, 130.1, 127.1,

80.4, 64.6, 46.0, 33.8, 28.4, 22.4.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{16}H_{21}ClN_2NaO_3^+$ (M+Na⁺): 347.1133, found: 347.1135. *tert*-Butyl 2-(4-bromobenzamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**3i**)

Colorless oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.62 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.54 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 6.56 (d, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 1H), 5.84 (br s, 1H), 3.56 – 3.46 (m, 1H), 3.33 (dt, *J* = 10.3, 8.1 Hz, 1H), 2.20 – 1.87 (m, 4H), 1.40 (s, 9H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 154.1, 133.3, 131.7, 128.6, 126.2, 80.3, 64.7, 46.1,

33.9, 28.4, 22.5.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{16}H_{21}BrN_2NaO_3^+$ (M+Na⁺): 391.0628, found: 391.0624. *tert*-Butyl 2-(4-methoxybenzamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**3j**)^[4]



White Solid. mp 128 °C.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.72 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 6.89 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 6.55 (d, *J* = 6.5 Hz, 1H), 5.84 (br s, 1H), 3.83 (s, 3H), 3.57 – 3.47 (m, 1H), 3.37 – 3.26 (m, 1H), 2.16 – 1.89 (m, 4H), 1.40 (s, 9H).

The spectral data obtained were identical with those reported in literature.

tert-Butyl 2-(4-(trifluoromethyl)benzamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (3k)^[4]



Colorless oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.86 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 2H), 7.67 (d, *J* = 3.6 Hz, 2H), 6.69 (d, *J* = 6.1 Hz, 1H), 5.88 (br s, 1H), 3.60 – 3.48 (m, 1H), 3.34 (dd, *J* = 18.2, 8.2 Hz, 1H), 2.25 – 1.88 (m, 4H), 1.39 (d, *J* = 13.9 Hz, 9H).

The spectral data obtained were identical with those reported in literature.

tert-Butyl 2-(4-cyanobenzamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (31)^[4]

Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.89 (s, 2H), 7.71 (s, 2H), 7.12 – 6.87 (m, 1H), 5.89 (s,

1H), 3.57 - 3.48 (m, 1H), 3.39 - 3.29 (m, 1H), 2.27 - 1.87 (m, 4H), 1.41 (s, 9H).

The spectral data obtained were identical with those reported in literature.

tert-Butyl 2-(4-acetylbenzamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (3m)

Colorless oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.98 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 2H), 7.84 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 6.59 (s, 1H), 5.80 (d, *J* = 61.7 Hz, 1H), 3.54 (dd, *J* = 10.3, 5.3 Hz, 1H), 3.35 (dd, *J* = 17.8, 8.5 Hz, 1H), 2.63 (s, 3H), 2.19 – 1.95 (m, 4H), 1.40 (s, 9H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 197.5, 165.5, 154.1, 139.2, 138.4, 128.5, 127.3, 80.3, 46.2, 33.9, 28.4, 26.8, 22.6.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{18}H_{24}N_2NaO_4^+$ (M+Na⁺): 355.1628, found: 355.1630. *tert*-Butyl 2-(3-(methoxycarbonyl)benzamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**3n**)

Colorless oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.36 (s, 1H), 8.17 – 7.95 (m, 2H), 7.49 (s, 1H), 7.17 (s, 1H), 5.86 (d, *J* = 31.2 Hz, 1H), 3.88 (s, 3H), 3.56 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 3.34 (dd, *J* = 16.8, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 2.18 – 1.93 (m, 4H), 1.40 (s, 9H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.4, 165.4, 154.1, 134.9, 132.2, 132.0, 130.2, 128.7, 127.6, 80.1, 64.6, 52.3, 46.1, 33.9, 28.3, 22.4.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₈H₂₄N₂NaO₅⁺ (M+Na⁺): 371.1577, found: 371.1577.

tert-Butyl 2-(2-naphthamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**30**)^[4]



Colorless oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.25 (s, 1H), 7.89 – 7.80 (m, 4H), 7.56 – 7.51 (m, 2H), 6.67 (d, J = 4.7 Hz, 1H), 5.92 (br s, 1H), 3.57 (dd, J = 13.3, 6.8 Hz, 1H), 3.34 (dd, J = 17.7, 8.8 Hz, 1H), 2.29 – 1.84 (m, 4H), 1.41 (s, 9H).

The spectral data obtained were identical with those reported in literature. *tert*-Butyl 2-(thiophene-2-carboxamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**3p**)

White solid. mp 187–189 °C.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.56 – 7.42 (m, 2H), 7.07 (s, 1H), 6.38 – 6.26 (m, 1H), 5.81 – 5.68 (m, 1H), 3.60 – 3.48 (m, 1H), 3.34 (dd, *J* = 18.2, 8.2 Hz, 1H), 2.17 (s, 1H), 2.05 – 1.93 (m, 3H), 1.41 (s, 9H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 154.2, 138.9, 130.0, 128.2, 127.6, 80.4, 64.6, 46.1,

33.9, 28.4, 22.5.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₄H₂₀N₂NaO₃S⁺ (M+Na⁺): 319.1087, found: 319.1088. *tert*-Butyl 2-(picolinamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**3q**)



Colorless Oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.54 (s, 1H), 8.19 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.85 (d, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 1H), 7.44 (s, 1H), 5.87 (t, *J* = 6.5 Hz, 1H), 3.59 (s, 1H), 3.36 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 1H), 2.22 – 1.90 (m, 4H), 1.50 – 1.29 (m, 9H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 163.1, 154.1, 149.7, 148.0, 137.3, 126.2, 122.2, 80.0, 64.0, 46.0, 33.9, 28.3, 22.5.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{15}H_{21}N_3NaO_3^+$ (M+Na⁺): 314.1475, found: 314.1478.

tert-Butyl 2-(pyrazine-2-carboxamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (3r)



Colorless oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 9.41 (d, *J* = 1.3 Hz, 1H), 8.77 (s, 1H), 8.54 (s, 1H), 7.91 (d, *J* = 5.5 Hz, 1H), 5.88 (dd, *J* = 10.5, 5.1 Hz, 1H), 3.59 (s, 1H), 3.38 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 1H), 2.29 – 1.92 (m, 4H), 1.45 – 1.37 (m, 9H).

¹³**C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 161.7, 154.0, 147.4, 144.4, 144.3, 142.5, 80.3, 64.1, 46.0, 33.8, 28.4, 22.5.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{14}H_{20}N_4NaO_3^+$ (M+Na⁺): 315.1428, found: 315.1429. *tert*-Butyl 2-acetamidopyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**3s**)^[4]



White Solid. mp 113 °C.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 6.36 (br s, 1H), 5.67 (br s, 1H), 3.49 – 3.41 (m, 1H),

3.33 - 3.22 (m, 1H), 2.11 - 1.83 (m, 7H), 1.45 (s, 9H).

The spectral data obtained were identical with those reported in literature.

tert-butyl 2-propionamidopyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (3t)



White Solid. mp 152–153 °C.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.91 – 5.34 (m, 2H), 3.50 – 3.45 (m, 1H), 3.31 – 3.25 (m, 1H), 2.18 (q, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 2.12 – 1.80 (m, 4H), 1.45 (s, 9H), 1.15 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 154.1, 80.1, 64.1, 46.0, 33.9, 29.8, 28.4, 22.4, 9.8. HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₂H₂₂N₂NaO₃⁺ (M+Na⁺): 265.1523, found: 265.1524. *tert*-Butyl 2-isobutyramidopyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**3u**)



White Solid. mp 174–176 °C.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.95 (s, 1H), 5.65 (br s, 1H), 3.47 (dt, *J* = 10.6, 5.4 Hz, 1H), 3.33 – 3.22 (m, 1H), 2.36 – 2.29 (m, 1H), 2.13 – 1.82 (m, 4H), 1.44 (s, 9H), 1.14 (t, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 6H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 175.6, 154.1, 80.0, 61.1, 46.0, 35.5, 34.0, 28.4, 22.3, 19.4.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{13}H_{24}N_2NaO_3^+$ (M+Na⁺): 279.1679, found: 279.1683. *tert*-Butyl 2-pivalamidopyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**3v**)^[4]



White Solid. mp 169–170 °C.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.79 (s, 1H), 5.57 (s, 1H), 3.55 – 3.44 (m, 1H), 3.34 – 3.23 (m, 1H), 2.15 – 1.81 (m, 4H), 1.45 (s, 9H), 1.19 (s, 9H).

The spectral data obtained were identical with those reported in literature.

tert-Butyl 2-(cyclopropanecarboxamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**3**w)



White Solid. mp 185–186 °C.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 6.13 (d, J = 6.1 Hz, 1H), 5.69 (br s, 1H), 3.55 – 3.41

(m, 1H), 3.28 (dd, *J* = 16.9, 8.3 Hz, 1H), 2.05 – 1.89 (m, 4H), 1.45 (s, 9H), 1.38 –

1.29 (m, 1H), 0.95 (s, 2H), 0.72 (d, *J* = 5.4 Hz, 2H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.2, 154.2, 80.1, 63.9, 45.9, 33.9, 22.4, 14.6, 7.1, 7.0.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{13}H_{22}N_2NaO_3^+$ (M+Na⁺): 277.1523, found: 277.1525.

tert-butyl 2-(cyclohexanecarboxamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate $(3x)^{[5]}$



White Solid. mp 147–150 °C.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.86 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 5.65 – 5.48 (m, 1H), 3.51 – 3.42 (m, 1H), 3.27 (dd, *J* = 18.2, 8.2 Hz, 1H), 2.04 (ddd, *J* = 11.8, 7.7, 3.4 Hz, 2H), 1.87 – 1.78 (m, 7H), 1.67 (s, 1H), 1.44 – 1.42 (m, 11H), 1.23 (dd, *J* = 18.8, 9.5 Hz, 3H).

The spectral data obtained were identical with those reported in literature.

tert-Butyl 2-acrylamidopyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**3**y)^[5]

White Solid. mp 145–147 °C.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 6.33 – 6.02 (m, 3H), 5.81 – 5.48 (m, 2H), 3.48 (dt, J = 10.6, 5.4 Hz, 1H), 3.30 (dd, J = 17.9, 8.3 Hz, 1H), 2.16 – 1.85 (m, 4H), 1.43 (s, 9H). The spectral data obtained were identical with those reported in literature. *tert*-Butyl 2-(2-phenylacetamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**3z**)

Colorless oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.35 – 7.24 (m, 5H), 5.81 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 5.58 (s, 1H), 3.58 – 3.47 (m, 2H), 3.41 – 3.32 (m, 1H), 3.22 (dd, *J* = 17.1, 9.7 Hz, 1H), 2.11 – 1.68 (m, 4H), 1.37 (s, 9H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.7, 154.0, 134.9, 129.3, 129.0, 127.3, 80.1, 64.4, 46.0, 43.9, 33.7, 28.3, 22.3.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{17}H_{24}N_2NaO_3^+$ (M+Na⁺): 326.1679, found: 326.1676. *tert*-Butyl 2-(2-chloroacetamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**3aa**)

Colorless oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 6.69 (d, *J* = 4.9 Hz, 1H), 5.64 (td, *J* = 6.7, 1.7 Hz, 1H), 4.02 (s, 2H), 3.52 (d, *J* = 5.7 Hz, 1H), 3.32 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 2.20 – 1.85 (m, 4H), 1.45 (s, 9H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 164.8, 153.9, 80.5, 64.6, 46.1, 42.5, 33.6, 28.4, 22.4.
 HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₁H₁₉ClN₂NaO₃⁺ (M+Na⁺): 285.0976, found: 285.0979.
 tert-Butyl 2-(2-cyanoacetamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**3ab**)

Colorless oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.01 – 6.85 (m, 1H), 5.66 – 5.58 (m, 1H), 3.51 – 3.35 (m, 3H), 3.29 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 1H), 2.09 – 1.92 (m, 4H), 1.46 (s, 9H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 160.0, 154.0, 114.8, 80.6, 64.5, 46.0, 33.5, 28.4, 25.9, 22.3.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{12}H_{19}N_3NaO_3^+$ (M+Na⁺): 276.1319, found: 276.1322. *tert*-Butyl 2-(3-methoxy-3-oxopropanamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**3ac**)

Colorless oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.26 (d, *J* = 5.6 Hz, 1H), 5.66 (s, 1H), 3.75 (s, 3H),

3.55 – 3.44 (m, 1H), 3.30 (s, 3H), 2.05 – 1.91 (m, 4H), 1.44 (s, 9H).

¹³**C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.7, 163.5, 154.0, 80.1, 64.0, 52.4, 45.9, 41.1, 33.7, 28.4, 22.4.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₃H₂₂N₂NaO₅⁺ (M+Na⁺): 309.1421, found: 309.1418.

tert-Butyl 2-((methoxycarbonyl)amino)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (3ad)^[6]

Colorless oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.43 (s, 1H), 4.98 (br s, 1H), 3.66 (s, 3H), 3.50 – 3.41 (m, 1H), 3.27 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 2.05 – 1.88 (m, 4H), 1.45 (s, 9H). The spectral data obtained were identical with those reported in literature.

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tert-Butyl 2-((tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (3ae)^[5]

Colorless Solid. mp 127-129 °C.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.40 (s, 1H), 4.94 (s, 1H), 3.49 – 3.38 (m, 1H), 3.30 – 3.18 (m, 1H), 2.11 – 1.80 (m, 4H), 1.46 (s, 9H), 1.44 (s, 9H).

The spectral data obtained were identical with those reported in literature.

tert-Butyl 2-(((benzyloxy)carbonyl)amino)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**3af**)^[7]



Colorless solid. mp 68-70 °C.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.31 (dt, *J* = 13.9, 6.7 Hz, 5H), 5.46 (s, 1H), 5.26 – 5.03 (m, 3H), 3.49 – 3.38 (m, 1H), 3.25 (dd, *J* = 17.4, 8.3 Hz, 1H), 2.05 – 1.81 (m, 4H), 1.41 (s, 9H).

The spectral data obtained were identical with those reported in literature.

tert-Butyl 2-(3,3-dimethylureido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**3ag**)

White Solid. mp 167–168 °C.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.48 (s, 1H), 4.77 – 4.51 (m, 1H), 3.48 (s, 1H), 3.29 (dd, *J* = 17.1, 8.5 Hz, 1H), 2.89 (s, 6H), 2.21 – 1.75 (m, 4H), 1.45 (s, 9H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 157.5, 154.3, 79.9, 66.2, 46.1, 36.1, 34.3, 28.4, 22.3.
 HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₂H₂₃N₃NaO₃⁺ (M+Na⁺): 280.1632, found: 280.1633.
 tert-Butyl 2-(1H-pyrazol-1-yl)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (5a)

Colorless oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.70 – 7.39 (m, 2H), 6.21 (s, 1H), 6.10 – 5.90 (m, 1H), 3.67 (dt, *J* = 16.6, 7.7 Hz, 1H), 3.48 (dt, *J* = 19.8, 8.7 Hz, 1H), 2.60 – 2.15 (m, 3H), 2.01 (d, *J* = 15.1 Hz, 1H), 1.44 – 1.35 (m, 9H).

¹³**C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 154.4, 153.6, 139.5, 129.4, 127.9, 104.8, 104.6, 80.5, 80.3, 73.1, 72.6, 46.9, 46.4, 33.6, 32.1, 28.3, 28.2, 23.5, 22.3.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{12}H_{19}N_3NaO_2^+$ (M+Na⁺): 260.1369, found: 260.1374.

tert-Butyl 2-(4-methyl-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (5b)



Colorless oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.42 – 7.17 (m, 2H), 6.02 – 5.80 (m, 1H), 3.73 – 3.56 (m, 1H), 3.46 (dt, *J* = 18.1, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 2.46 – 2.10 (m, 3H), 2.05 (s, 3H), 1.97 (s, 1H), 1.45 – 1.36 (m, 9H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 154.4, 153.7, 140.0, 139.9, 128.1, 126.7, 80.4, 80.2, 73.0, 72.4, 46.8, 46.4, 33.5, 32.0, 28.3, 28.2, 23.5, 22.3, 8.8.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{13}H_{21}N_3NaO_2^+$ (M+Na⁺): 274.1526, found: 274.1529.

tert-Butyl 2-(4-fluoro-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (5c)

Colorless Oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.50 – 7.31(m, 2H), 5.98 – 5.74 (m, 1H), 3.74 – 3.54 (m, 1H), 3.47 (dt, *J* = 18.6, 8.8 Hz, 1H), 2.51 – 2.08 (m, 3H), 1.99 (s, 1H), 1.46 – 1.38 (m, 9H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 154.4, 153.5, 150.5, 148.0, 126.4, 126.3, 115.5, 115.2, 113.9, 113.7, 80.8, 80.5, 74.0, 73.4, 46.8, 46.5, 33.4, 31.6, 28.2, 23.4, 22.2.

¹⁹**F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -177.9.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{12}H_{18}FN_3NaO_2^+$ (M+Na⁺): 278.1275, found: 278.1276. *tert*-Butyl 2-(4-chloro-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**5d**)^[8]



Colorless Oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.61 – 7.43 (m, *J* = 71.0 Hz, 2H), 6.01 – 5.81 (m, 1H), 3.64 (dt, *J* = 17.1, 8.3 Hz, 1H), 3.55 – 3.36 (m, 1H), 2.42 – 1.99 (m, 3H), 1.98 (s, 1H), 1.46 – 1.37 (m, 9H).

The spectral data obtained were identical with those reported in literature.

tert-Butyl 2-(4-bromo-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (5e)^[8]



Colorless Oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.66 – 7.50 (m, 2H), 6.09 – 5.82 (m, 1H), 3.65 (dt, *J* = 17.1, 8.2 Hz, 1H), 3.55 – 3.36 (m, 1H), 2.44 – 2.11 (m, 3H), 1.99 (s, 1H), 1.45 – 1.36 (m, 9H).

The spectral data obtained were identical with those reported in literature.

tert-Butyl 2-(4-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (5f)



Colorless Oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.90 – 7.70 (m, 2H), 6.13 – 5.80 (m, 1H), 3.68 (dt, J =

37.3, 7.5 Hz, 1H), 3.49 (td, *J* = 17.5, 8.7 Hz, 1H), 2.44 – 2.25 (m, 3H), 2.01 (s, 1H), 1.45 – 1.36 (m, 9H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 154.3, 153.2, 137.1, 128.6, 127.5, 122.7 (q, J = 266.0 Hz), 112.7 (q, J = 33.1 Hz), 81.0, 80.8, 73.8, 73.4, 46.9, 46.5, 33.5, 31.9, 28.2, 28.1, 23.3, 22.2.

¹⁹**F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -56.3, -56.4.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{13}H_{18}F_3N_3NaO_2^+$ (M+Na⁺): 328.1243, found: 328.1243. *tert*-Butyl 2-(4-cyano-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**5g**)



Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.07 – 7.79 (m, 2H), 6.04 – 5.95 (m, 1H), 3.71 – 3.60 (m, 1H), 3.55 – 3.41 (m, 1H), 2.44 – 2.17 (m, 3H), 2.04 (s, 1H), 1.46 – 1.37 (m, 9H).
¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 154.3, 153.1, 142.4, 142.3, 134.6, 133.2, 113.6, 113.5, 91.6, 91.4, 81.2, 81.0, 74.2, 73.8, 47.0, 46.6, 33.5, 31.8, 28.2, 23.3, 22.1.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{13}H_{18}N_4NaO_2^+$ (M+Na⁺): 285.1322, found: 285.1325. *tert*-Butyl 2-(4-acetyl-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**5h**)

Colorless oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.16 – 7.84 (m, 2H), 6.12 – 5.86 (m, 1H), 3.79 – 3.60 (m, 1H), 3.58 – 3.40 (m, 1H), 2.43 (d, *J* = 2.5 Hz, 3H), 2.40 – 2.13 (m, 3H), 2.09 – 1.94 (m, 1H), 1.46 – 1.36 (m, 9H).

¹³**C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 192.2, 192.0, 154.2, 153.2, 140.6, 131.6, 130.6, 123.4, 123.3, 80.9, 80.7, 73.8, 73.5, 46.9, 46.5, 33.4, 32.1, 28.2, 27.8, 23.2, 22.1.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{14}H_{21}N_3NaO_3^+$ (M+Na⁺): 302.1475, found: 302.1477.

Methyl 1-(1-(*tert*-butoxycarbonyl)pyrrolidin-2-yl)-1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylate (5i)



Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.12 – 7.88 (m, 2H), 6.08 – 5.88 (m, 1H), 3.82 (d, J = 6.8 Hz, 3H), 3.68 (dt, J = 16.0, 7.7 Hz, 1H), 3.48 (dq, J = 27.6, 9.2 Hz, 1H), 2.45 – 2.11 (m, 3H), 2.02 (dd, J = 10.3, 5.5 Hz, 1H), 1.46 – 1.36 (m, 9H).
¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 163.5, 163.4, 154.2, 153.3, 141.3, 132.4, 131.4, 113.9,

81.0, 80.7, 73.8, 73.5, 51.3, 47.0, 46.5, 33.5, 32.1, 28.3, 28.2, 23.2, 22.1.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₄H₂₁N₃NaO₄⁺ (M+Na⁺): 318.1424, found: 318.1425.

tert-Butyl 2-(3-phenyl-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (5j)

Colorless Oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.86 – 7.75 (m, 2H), 7.67 – 7.22 (m, 4H), 6.50 (s, 1H), 6.05 – 5.95 (m, 1H), 3.68 (dt, *J* = 16.5, 7.7 Hz, 1H), 3.57 – 3.36 (m, 1H), 2.61 – 2.10 (m, 3H), 1.98 (s, 1H), 1.45 – 1.36 (m, 9H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 154.5, 153.7, 151.5, 133.8, 130.7, 129.1, 128.6, 127.5, 125.6, 101.9, 80.6, 80.3, 73.5, 72.9, 46.9, 46.5, 33.8, 32.2, 28.3, 23.6, 22.4.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₈H₂₃N₃NaO₂⁺ (M+Na⁺): 336.1682, found: 336.1685.

tert-Butyl 2-(4-nitro-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (5k)^[5]



Colorless Oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.42 – 8.00 (m, 2H), 6.03 – 5.94 (m, 1H), 3.69 (dd, *J* = 19.4, 7.7 Hz, 1H), 3.60 – 3.41 (m, 1H), 2.53 – 2.13 (m, 3H), 2.06 (s, 1H), 1.47 – 1.39 (m, 9H).

The spectral data obtained were identical with those reported in literature.

tert-Butyl 2-(5-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (5I)



Colorless Oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.67 – 7.50 (m, 1H), 6.49 – 6.46 (m, 1H), 6.06 – 5.99 (m, 1H), 3.78 – 3.57 (m, 1H), 3.57 – 3.37 (m, 1H), 2.55 – 2.10 (m, 3H), 2.00 (dd, J = 7.0, 2.6 Hz, 1H), 1.46 – 1.35 (m, 9H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 154.4, 153.3, 142.5, 142.2, 130.5, 128.8, 122.7, 120.0, 103.55 (q, J = 2.0 Hz), 80.9, 80.7, 74.2, 73.6, 46.9, 46.5, 33.7, 32.0, 28.2, 28.1, 23.3, 22.1.

¹⁹**F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -61.9, -62.0.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{13}H_{18}F_3N_3NaO_2^+$ (M+Na⁺): 328.1243, found: 328.1247. *tert*-Butyl 2-(4-formyl-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**5m**)



Colorless Oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 9.86 (s, 1H), 8.22 – 7.90 (m, 2H), 6.05 – 5.97 (m, 1H),

3.76 - 3.65 (m, 1H), 3.59 - 3.38 (m, 1H), 2.48 - 2.12 (m, 3H), 2.03 (s, 1H), 1.46 -

1.36 (m, 9H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 184.2, 184.1, 154.3, 153.2, 141.0, 140.5, 133.2, 131.4,

 $123.5,\,81.1,\,80.9,\,74.0,\,73.7,\,47.0,\,46.6,\,33.5,\,32.0,\,28.2,\,23.3,\,22.1.$

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{13}H_{19}N_3NaO_3^+$ (M+Na⁺): 288.1319, found: 288.1321.

tert-Butyl 2-(3-cyclopropyl-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**5n**)

Colorless Oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.49 – 7.20 (m, 1H), 5.93 – 5.80 (m, 2H), 3.73 – 3.54 (m, 1H), 3.54 – 3.32 (m, 1H), 2.49 – 1.87 (m, 5H), 1.44 – 1.35 (m, 9H), 0.88 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 0.68 (d, *J* = 2.9 Hz, 2H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 155.3, 153.7, 129.7, 128.2, 100.6, 80.4, 80.1, 73.0, 73.5, 46.8, 46.4, 33.5, 32.0, 28.3, 23.5, 22.3, 9.3, 8.0.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{15}H_{23}N_3NaO_2^+$ (M+Na⁺): 300.1682, found: 300.1682.

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tert-Butyl 2-(1H-1,2,4-triazol-1-yl)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (50)^[5]

Colorless Oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.31 – 8.14 (m, 1H), 7.93 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 6.12 – 6.02 (m, 1H), 3.70 – 3.62 (m, 1H), 3.57 – 3.38 (m, 1H), 2.43 – 2.31 (m, 3H), 2.04 (s, 1H), 1.41 (d, *J* = 23.7 Hz, 9H).

The spectral data obtained were identical with those reported in literature.

Benzyl 2-(4-methylbenzamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (6b)^[9]



Colorless Oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.62 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.37 – 7.10 (m, 7H), 6.88 – 6.80 (m, 1H), 5.93 – 5.74 (m, 1H), 5.18 – 5.00 (m, 2H), 3.52 (s, 1H), 3.34 (s, 1H), 2.34 (s, 3H), 2.10 – 1.84 (m, 4H).

The spectral data obtained were identical with those reported in literature.

Methyl 2-(4-methylbenzamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (6c)



White Solid. mp 174–177 °C.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.68 (s, 2H), 7.20 (s, 2H), 6.62 (s, 1H), 5.86 – 5.73 (m, 1H), 3.67 (s, 3H), 3.57 (s, 1H), 3.38 (s, 1H), 2.38 (s, 3H), 2.20 – 1.88 (m, 4H).
¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.5, 155.5, 142.0, 131.4, 129.1, 127.1, 64.9, 52.7, 46.7, 34.0, 22.4, 21.4.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₄H₁₈N₂NaO₃⁺ (M+Na⁺): 285.1210, found: 285.1211.

Ethyl 2-(4-methylbenzamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (6d)

Colorless Oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.69 (s, 2H), 7.19 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 2H), 6.86 – 6.67 (m, 1H), 5.90 – 5.72 (m, 1H), 4.10 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 3.55 (s, 1H), 3.36 (dd, *J* = 17.2, 8.6 Hz, 1H), 2.37 (s, 3H), 2.14 – 1.92 (m, 4H), 1.16 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.5, 155.0, 141.9, 131.5, 129.1, 127.1, 64.6, 61.4, 46.5, 33.9, 22.4, 21.4, 14.6.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₅H₂₀N₂NaO₃⁺ (M+Na⁺): 299.1366, found: 299.1368.

Isopropyl 2-(4-methylbenzamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (6e)



Colorless Oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.67 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 7.19 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 6.74 - 6.64 (m, 1H), 5.90 - 5.71 (m, 1H), 4.89 (dt, *J* = 12.0, 5.9 Hz, 1H), 3.55 (dd, *J* = 11.9, 5.4 Hz, 1H), 3.35 (dd, *J* = 17.6, 9.0 Hz, 1H), 2.37 (s, 3H), 2.15 - 1.92 (m, 4H), 1.25 -1.06 (m, 6H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.4, 154.6, 141.8, 131.6, 129.1, 127.0, 68.7, 64.4, 46.4, 33.8, 22.2, 22.0, 21.4.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{16}H_{22}N_2NaO_3^+$ (M+Na⁺): 313.1523, found: 279.1683.

Allyl 2-(4-methylbenzamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (6f)



Colorless Oil.

¹**H** NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.69 (s, 2H), 7.16 (d, J = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.12 – 6.79 (m,

1H), 6.02 – 5.67 (m, 2H), 5.33 – 5.04 (m, 2H), 4.62 – 4.48 (m, 2H), 3.54 (s, 1H), 3.36 (s, 1H), 2.36 (s, 3H), 2.20 – 1.91 (m, 4H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.6, 154.6, 141.8, 132.4, 131.4, 129.0, 127.1, 117.4, 65.9, 64.7, 46.6, 33.9, 22.3, 21.4.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{16}H_{20}N_2NaO_3^+$ (M+Na⁺): 311.1366, found: 311.1368.

2-Chloroethyl 2-(4-methylbenzamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (6g)



White Solid. mp 137–141 °C.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.66 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 6.43 (d, *J* = 4.8 Hz, 1H), 5.90 – 5.75 (m, 1H), 4.38 – 4.25 (m, 2H), 3.76 – 3.51 (m, 3H), 3.42 (dd, *J* = 18.2, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 2.39 (s, 3H), 2.20 – 2.13 (m, 2H), 1.98 (d, *J* = 4.0 Hz, 2H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.5, 154.2, 142.1, 131.3, 129.2, 127.0, 64.9, 46.7, 42.0, 33.9, 22.5, 21.5.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $C_{15}H_{19}ClN_2NaO_3^+$ (M+Na⁺): 333.0976, found: 333.0977. Phenyl 2-(4-methylbenzamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**6h**)



Colorless oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.72 – 7.63 (m, 2H), 7.38 – 7.19 (m, 3H), 7.19 – 7.01 (m, 5H), 6.12 – 5.76 (m, 1H), 3.83 – 3.28 (m, 2H), 2.32 (s, 3H), 2.19 – 1.73 (m, 4H). ¹³**C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.6, 152.9, 151.1, 142.0, 131.3, 129.2, 127.2, 125.3, 121.6, 121.4, 66.3, 64.8, 47.1, 46.8, 33.9, 32.5, 23.3, 22.3, 21.5. **HRMS** (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₉H₂₀N₂NaO₃⁺ (M+Na⁺): 347.1366, found: 347.1366. N-(1-(Methylsulfonyl)pyrrolidin-2-yl)methanesulfonamide (**11**)



Colorless Oil.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.80 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 5.30 (t, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 1H), 3.56 – 3.47 (m, 1H), 3.30 (dd, *J* = 15.9, 8.1 Hz, 1H), 3.13 (s, 3H), 2.96 (s, 3H), 2.17 – 2.00 (m, 4H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 69.7, 47.7, 43.3, 41.8, 37.4, 35.2, 23.1.

HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₆H₁₃N₂O₄S₂⁻ (M-H⁻): 241.0322, found: 241.0323.

8) NMR spectra for the substrates and products

Methyl pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (1c)



Isopropyl pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (1e)



Phenyl pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (1h)





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tert-Butyl 2-benzamidopyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (3b)



tert-Butyl 2-(2-methylbenzamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (3c)












tert-Butyl 2-(4-chlorobenzamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (3f)



tert-Butyl 2-(3-chlorobenzamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (3g)



tert-Butyl 2-(2-chlorobenzamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (3h)







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200 190 180 170 160 150 140 130 120 110 100 90 80 70 60 50 40 30 20 10 0 f1 (ppm)



tert-Butyl 2-(2-naphthamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**30**)





tert-Butyl 2-(picolinamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (3q)





tert-Butyl 2-(pyrazine-2-carboxamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (3r)





tert-butyl 2-propionamidopyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (3t)



tert-Butyl 2-isobutyramidopyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**3u**)



tert-Butyl 2-pivalamidopyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (3v)



tert-Butyl 2-(cyclopropanecarboxamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**3w**)



tert-butyl 2-(cyclohexanecarboxamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**3x**)





tert-Butyl 2-(2-phenylacetamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (**3z**)



tert-Butyl 2-(2-chloroacetamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (3aa)





tert-Butyl 2-(3-methoxy-3-oxopropanamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (3ac)



tert-Butyl 2-((methoxycarbonyl)amino)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (3ad)











tert-Butyl 2-(4-methyl-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (5b)



tert-Butyl 2-(4-fluoro-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (5c)





tert-Butyl 2-(4-chloro-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (5d)






tert-Butyl 2-(4-cyano-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (5g)



tert-Butyl 2-(4-acetyl-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (5h)



Methyl 1-(1-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)pyrrolidin-2-yl)-1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylate (5i)



tert-Butyl 2-(3-phenyl-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (5j)



tert-Butyl 2-(4-nitro-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (5k)







tert-Butyl 2-(4-formyl-1H-pyrazol-1-yl)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (5m)









Benzyl 2-(4-methylbenzamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (6b)







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Allyl 2-(4-methylbenzamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (6f)







Phenyl 2-(4-methylbenzamido)pyrrolidine-1-carboxylate (6h)







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