Supporting Information

Stereodivergent Synthesis of Chiral Spiropyrazolones through Pd-Catalyzed Asymmetric Sequential Hydroalkylation of 1,3-Enynes: Unusual Solvent Effect on the Enantioselectivity

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1. General Information

Synthesis of the 1,3-envnes 1¹

Unless otherwise noted, all reactions in standard conditions were carried out under an argon atmosphere. Solvents were dried by standard methods under argon atmosphere. ¹H NMR, ¹³C NMR, ¹⁹F NMR and ³¹P NMR spectra were recorded on 400 MHz, 600 MHz instruments using CDCl₃ as solvent. Chemical shifts of ¹H NMR were recorded in parts per million (ppm, δ) relative to tetramethylsilane ($\delta = 0.00$ ppm) with the solvent resonance as an internal standard (CDCl₃: $\delta = 7.26$ ppm). NMR multiplicities are abbreviated as follows: s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, sept = septet, m = multiplet, br = broad signal. High-resolution mass spectral analysis (HRMS) data were measured on a spectrometer by means of the ESI technique. The enantiomeric excess was determined by chiral HPLC with *n*-hexane and *i*-propanol as eluents. Optical rotations were measured on a polarimeter. Column chromatography was performed on silica gel (200–300 mesh).

2. General Procedures for the Synthesis of Substrates



Terminal alkyne (40 mmol) was stirred in hexane (40 mL) at room temperature in 200 mL two-necked flask Under an Ar atmosphere. To the solution was added diisobutylaluminum hydride (DIBAL-H, 1.0 M in hexane, 42 mmol, 42 mL) at 0 °C. The mixture was stirred at 0 °C to room temperature for 2 h and then at 60 °C for 10 h. The mixture was checked with TLC (*n*-hexane). Then to the mixture was added I₂/THF at 0 °C and the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 6 h. The reaction mixture was quenched with water at 0 °C. The aqueous mixture was extracted with hexane. The organic layer was dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated. The residue was purified with silica gel column chromatography (*n*-hexane). Pd(PPh₃)₄ (2 mol %, 0.668 mmol, 771.9 mg) and CuI (2 mol %, 0.668 mmol, 127.2 mg) were placed in a 100 mL two-necked flask Under an Ar atmosphere. To the flask was added Et₂NH (30 mL) and then iodine compounds (33.4 mmol) in THF (30 mL) via syringe. Then trimethylsily acetylene (36.7 mmol, 5.2 mL) was added. After stirring for 17 h, the

reaction mixture was checked with TLC (hexane). The mixture was poured into water at 0 °C. The aqueous mixture was extracted with Et₂O. The organic layer was washed with 2 M aq. HCl and then washed with saturated aq. NaHCO₃. The organic layer was dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated. The residue was purified with silica gel column (hexane) and then distilled.

Synthesis of the 1,3-enynes 2²

Copper (I) iodide (152.4 mg, 0.8 mmol) and Pd(PPh₃)₄ (231.1 mg, 0.2 mmol) were dissolved in diethylamine (20 mL, 0.5 mL/1.0 mmol alkyne) under an Ar atmosphere which was then cooled to 0 °C. Terminal alkyne (4.1 g, 40 mmol, 1 equiv) and vinyl bromide (52 mL, 52 mmol, 1.3 equiv, 1.0 M in THF) were added and the resulting mixture was left to stir and warmed up to room temperature until complete conversion of the starting material was observed from TLC. The reaction mixture was washed with water followed by extraction with *n*-pentane:diethyl ether (1:1). The combined organic layers were washed with 1 M HCl and dried over magnesium sulfate. The crude product was afforded after evaporation of the solvent in vacuo and ready to be purified by column chromatography to afford 1,3-enynes **2**.

Synthesis of pyrazolones 3^{3, 4}



Sodium acetate (328 mg, 4 mmol) was added to the solvent of aromatic hydrazine hydrochloride derivatives (4 mmol) in 5 mL of EtOH and 1 mL of water, and the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 5 min. Then, ethyl acetoacetate (521 mg, 4 mmol) was added, and the mixture reaction was heated to reflux for 3 h. After that, the mixture was poured dropwisely into crushed ice (50 g) with vigorous stirring, and the resulting precipitate was then filtered and crystallized with EtOH. These pyrazolone derivatives were directly employed for the synthesis of pyrazolonethioethers without further purification.

3. Optimization for Asymmetric Sequential Hydroalkylation with 1,3-Enynes

 Table S1. Screening chiral ligands for Pd-catalyzed asymmetric sequential

 hydroalkylation of 1,3-enyne 1a with pyrazolone 3a^a



^{*a*}Reactions were performed with **1a** (0.1 mmol), **3a** (0.12 mmol), $[Pd(allyl)Cl]_2$ (2.5 mol %), ligand (5 mol %) and DIPEA (2 equiv) in 0.5 mL of CH₃CN at 30 °C for 10 h. Yield of isolated product, dr was determined by ¹H NMR, ee was determined by chiral HPLC. ^{*b*}Ligand (10 mol %). DIPEA = *N*, *N*-diisopropylethylamine. NR = no reaction.

TableS2.ScreeningbaseforPd-catalyzedasymmetricsequentialhydroalkylation of 1,3-enyne 1a with pyrazolone $3a^a$

		[Pd(allyl)Cl] ₂ (2 L4 (5 mo	5 mol %) I %) Ph∼ _M ∕	
1a PMP = 4-Me	Me 3a eO-C ₆ H ₄	bsae (2 ec CH ₃ CN 30 °C, 10	quiv) N N D h (53	PMP Me S,6 <i>R</i>)-4a
entry	base	yield (%) ^b	ee (%) ^c	$\mathrm{d}\mathbf{r}^d$
1	DIPEA	47	92	>20:1
2	Et ₃ N	46	92	5:1
3	Cy ₂ NMe	56	92	6:1
4	K ₂ CO ₃	55	91	4:1

^{*a*}Reactions were performed with **1a** (0.1 mmol), **3a** (0.12 mmol), [Pd(allyl)Cl]₂ (2.5 mol %), **L4** (5 mol %), base (2 equiv) in 0.5 mL of CH₃CN at 30 °C for 10 h. ^{*b*}Isolated yield. ^{*c*}ee was determined by chiral HPLC. ^{*d*}dr was determined by ¹H NMR.

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1 PMP = 4-	PMP + Ph - N = He	[Pd(allyI)Cl] ₂ (5 mol %) <u>L4</u> (10 mol %) DIPEA (2 equiv) solvent 40 °C, 10 h	Ph-N N= (5S,6R)-	PMP le 4a
entry	solvent (C ₆ HF ₅ + CH ₃ CN	() yield $(\%)^b$	ee $(\%)^{c}$	$\mathrm{d}\mathbf{r}^d$
1	0.5 mL + 0 mL	54	0	10:1
2	0.49 mL + 0.01 mL	51	4	10:1
3	0.45 mL + 0.05 mL	63	45	10:1
4	0.40 mL + 0.10 mL	71	70	10:1
5	0.30 mL + 0.20 mL	68	82	10:1
6	0.20 mL + 0.30 mL	77	93	10:1
7	0.10 mL + 0.40 mL	71	92	10:1
8	0 mL + 0.5 mL	69	94	8:1

^{*a*}Reactions were performed with **1a** (0.1 mmol), **3a** (0.12 mmol), [Pd(allyl)Cl]₂ (5 mol %), **L4** (10 mol %), DIPEA (2 equiv) in 0.5 mL of solvent at 40 °C for 10 h. ^{*b*}Isolated yield. ^{*c*}ee was determined by chiral HPLC. ^{*d*}dr was determined by ¹H NMR.

Table S4. Screening chiral ligands for Pd-catalyzed asymmetric sequentialhydroalkylation of 1,3-enyne 2a with pyrazolone 3a^a



^{*a*}Reactions were performed with **2a** (0.12 mmol), **3a** (0.1 mmol), $[Pd(allyl)Cl]_2$ (2.5 mol %), ligand (5 mol %) and BnN(Me)₂ (2 equiv) in 0.5 mL of CH₃CN at 40 °C for 12 h. Yield of isolated product, ee was determined by chiral HPLC, dr was determined by ¹H NMR. ^{*b*}Ligand (10.0 mol %).

PMP		[Pd(allyl)Cl] ₂ (2.5 mol % <u>L4 (5 mol %)</u> base (2 equiv)	Ph N + F	Ph-N
	N—〈 Me	CH ₃ CN	N PMP Me	N PMP Me
2a	3a	40 ºC, 12 h	(5R,6S)- 4a (ent- 4a)	(5 <i>S</i> ,6 <i>S</i>)- 4a
entry	base	yield $(\%)^b$	ee of $(5R, 6S)$ - 4a $(\%)^c$	dr ^c
1	DMAP	trace		
2	Et ₃ N	48	92	1:1
3	DIPEA	20	85	1:1
4	BnN(Me) ₂	91	92	1.7:1
5	BnN(Et) ₂	78	-	1.5:1
6	BnN(Me)(Et)	74		1.5:1
7	Bn ₂ NMe	trace	-	-
8	Bn ₃ N	trace	-	-
9	Bn	trace	-	-
10	Bn	trace	-	-
11		33	-	-
12	PMP	20	-	-
13	DBU	trace	-	-
14	DABCO	15	-	-
15	quinuclidine	trace	-	-

TableS5.ScreeningbaseforPd-catalyzedasymmetricsequentialhydroalkylation of internal 1,3-enyne2a with pyrazolone $3a^a$

^{*a*}Reactions were performed with **2a** (0.12 mmol), **3a** (0.1mmol), $[Pd(allyl)Cl]_2$ (2.5 mol %), **L4** (5 mol %), base (2 equiv) in 0.5 mL of CH₃CN at 40 °C for 12 h. ^{*b*}Isolated yield. ^{*c*}ee was determined by chiral HPLC. ^{*d*}dr was determined by ¹H-NMR. DMAP = 4-Dimethylaminopyridine. PMP = 1,2,2,6,6-Pentamethylenepiperidine. DBU = 1,8-Diazabicyclo[5.4.0]undec-7-ene. DABCO = 1,4-Diazabicyclo[2.2.2]octane.

4. General Procedure for Asymmetric Sequential Hydroalkylation with 1,3-Enynes



Dissolving the [Pd(allyl)Cl]₂ (0.9 mg, 2.5 mol %), and L4 (3.7 mg, 5 mol %) in a mixed solvent of CH₃CN/C₆HF₅ (3:2, 0.5 mL, 0.2 M) was stirred for 15 min at room temperature. Subsequently, 1,3-enynes 1 (0.1 mmol, 1 equiv), pyrazolones 3 (0.12 mmol, 1.2 equiv), and DIPEA (2 equiv, 32 μ L) were added. The reaction mixture was stirred at 40 °C for 10 h under an Ar atmosphere. The solution was concentrated in vacuo and the crude product was purified by column chromatography on silica gel (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 95:5 to 90:10) to afford the spiropyrazolones (5*S*, 5*R*)-4.



In an Ar-filled glovebox, dissolving the $[Pd(allyl)Cl]_2$ (0.9 mg, 2.5 mol %), and L4 (3.7 mg, 5 mol %) in a mixed solvent of CH₃CN/C₆HF₅ (3:2, 0.5 mL, 0.2 M) was stirred for 15 min at room temperature. Subsequently, 1,3-enynes **2** (0.2 mmol, 1.2 equiv), pyrazolones **3** (0.1 mmol, 1 equiv), and BnN(Me)₂ (2 equiv, 30 µL) were added. The reaction mixture was stirred at 40 °C for 12 h outside the glove box. The solution was concentrated in vacuo and the crude product was purified by column chromatography on silica gel (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 95:5 to 90:10) to afford the spiropyrazolones (5*R*, 6*S*)-**4** and (5*S*, 6*S*)-**4**.

(5*S*,6*R*)-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-2-phenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-die n-1-one



Yellow oil, 26.2 mg, 79% yield, 93% ee, 10:1 dr. $R_f = 0.40$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). [α] $p^{20} = +19.87$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.91 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.41 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.19 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.02 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.77 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.08-6.03 (m, 1H), 6.01-5.96 (m, 1H), 4.67 (s, 1H), 3.75 (s, 3H), 3.05-2.96 (m, 1H), 2.75-2.67 (m, 1H), 1.68 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 176.9, 163.0, 159.0, 138.3, 131.7, 130.0, 129.4, 129.0, 128.1, 125.0, 119.0, 114.0, 64.5, 59.3, 55.3, 40.7, 15.2.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 9.5$ min, $t_{\text{major}} = 11.2$ min. **HRMS** (ESI) calcd for C₂₁H₂₁N₂O₂ [M + H]⁺: 333.1598, found 333.1598.

(5*R*,6*S*)-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-2-phenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-die n-1-one



Yellow oil, 21.2 mg, 64% yield, 91% ee.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = $1.0 \text{ mL/min}, \lambda = 254 \text{ nm}, \text{ retention time: } t_{\text{major}} = 9.5 \text{ min}, t_{\text{minor}} = 11.0 \text{ min}.$





Peak #	Ret. Time [min]	тy	pe	Width [min]	Area [mAU*s]	Height [mAU]	Area %
1	8.687	VB	R	0.1750	8821.05957	766.05286	29.8060
2	9.585	VB	R	0.1956	1.96842e4	1545.05652	66.5121
3	11.030	BB		0.2237	717.20142	49.01628	2.4234
4	15.706	BV		0.3734	372.45804	14.71084	1.2585



(5S,6S)-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-2-phenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien

-1-one



Yellow oil, 9.6 mg, 29% yield, 94% ee. $R_f = 0.35$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -22.82$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.43 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.28-7.19 (m, 5H),
7.12 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.07 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 6.12-6.08 (m, 1H), 5.92-5.88 (m, 1H), 4.34 (t, J = 1.8 Hz, 1H), 2.98-2.92 (m, 1H), 2.75-2.69 (m, 1H), 2.26 (s, 3H).
¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 174.1, 162.9, 159.2, 137.9, 131.7, 130.6, 129.4, 129.3, 128.7, 124.8, 119.2, 113.7, 63.0, 58.4, 55.3, 39.4, 13.8.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{major} = 8.7$ min, $t_{minor} = 15.7$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_{21}H_{21}N_2O_2$ [M + H]⁺: 333.1598, found 333.1598.





(5S,6R)-4-methyl-2,6-diphenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien-1-one



Yellow oil, 21.1 mg, 70% yield, 94% ee, 10:1 dr. $R_f = 0.45$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +24.08$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): *δ* 7.91 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.41 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.27-7.17 (m, 4H), 7.13-7.07 (m, 2H), 6.12-6.06 (m, 1H), 6.04-5.97 (m, 1H), 6.01-5.96 (m, 1H), 4.71 (s, 1H), 3.07-2.97 (m, 1H), 2.75-2.67 (m, 1H), 2.76-2.67 (m, 1H), 1.65 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 176.8, 162.8, 138.2, 138.1, 131.3, 129.7, 129.0, 128.7, 127.7, 127.1, 125.1, 119.0, 64.4, 59.8, 40.8, 15.1.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 7.1$ min, $t_{\text{major}} = 10.6$ min. **HRMS** (ESI) calcd for C₂₀H₁₉N₂O [M + H]⁺: 303.1492, found 303.1491.

(5R,6S)-4-methyl-2,6-diphenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien-1-one



Yellow solid, 21.2 mg, 70% yield, 90% ee.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = $1.0 \text{ mL/min}, \lambda = 254 \text{ nm}, \text{ retention time: } t_{\text{major}} = 7.1 \text{ min}, t_{\text{minor}} = 10.5 \text{ min}.$



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	Peak #	Ret.Time Type [min]	e Width [min]	Area [mAU*s]	Height [mAU]	Area %	
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	1	7.087 VB S	6 0.1438	226.00227	23.80328	2.8735	
	2	10.454 VB F	R 0.2104	7638.99854	548.74799	97.1265	



(5S,6S)-4-methyl-2,6-diphenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien-1-one



White solid, 7.8 mg, 26% yield, 95% ee. $R_f = 0.40$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -16.31$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.43 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.28-7.19 (m, 5H), 7.12 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.07 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 6.12-6.08 (m, 1H), 5.92-5.88 (m, 1H), 4.34 (t, J = 1.8 Hz, 1H), 2.98-2.92 (m, 1H), 2.75-2.69 (m, 1H), 2.26 (s, 3H).
¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 173.9, 162.8, 137.8, 137.2, 131.3, 131.0, 128.7, 128.3, 128.3, 127.8, 124.8, 119.2, 63.0, 58.9, 39.4, 13.9.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = $1.0 \text{ mL/min}, \lambda = 254 \text{ nm}, \text{retention time: } t_{\text{major}} = 7.1 \text{ min}, t_{\text{minor}} = 8.4 \text{ min}.$

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_{20}H_{19}N_2O [M + H]^+$: 303.1492, found 303.1492.



#	[min]		[min]	[mAU*s]	[mAU]	%
1	7.075	BBA	0.1523	3391.32300	340.28882	97.5233
2	8.391	BBA	0.1563	86.12506	8.79254	2.4767

(5S,6R)- 4-methyl-2-phenyl-6-(p-tolyl)-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien-1-one



Yellow oil, 24.2 mg, 77% yield, 94% ee, 9:1 dr. $R_f = 0.46$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +34.99$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.91 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.41 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.20 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.05 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.00 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 6.11-6.05 (m, 1H), 6.02-5.96 (m, 1H), 4.67 (s, 1H), 3.75 (s, 3H), 3.05-2.96 (m, 1H), 2.75-2.67 (m, 1H), 1.68 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 176.9, 163.0, 159.0, 138.3, 131.7, 130.0, 129.4, 129.0, 128.1, 125.0, 119.0, 114.0, 64.5, 59.3, 55.3, 40.7, 15.2.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 7.3$ min, $t_{\text{major}} = 10.1$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_{21}H_{21}N_2O [M + H]^+$: 317.1648, found 317.1645.





Yellow oil, 22.2 mg, 70% yield, 93% ee. **HPLC analysis:** Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, retention time: $t_{\text{major}} = 7.3 \text{ min}, t_{\text{minor}} = 10.2 \text{ min}.$



(5S,6S)- 4-methyl-2-phenyl-6-(p-tolyl)-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien-1-one



Yellow oil, 8.2 mg, 26% yield, 89% ee. $R_f = 0.42$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -22.26$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.48 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.26 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.07 (q, J = 4.8 Hz, 3H), 7.01 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 6.10-6.06 (m, 1H), 5.91-5.86 (m, 1H), 4.30 (s, 1H), 2.99-2.92 (m, 1H), 2.74-2.67 (m, 1H), 2.28 (s, 3H), 2.25 (s, 3H).
¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 174.0, 162.9, 137.9, 137.4, 134.2, 131.6, 130.6, 129.0, 128.7, 128.3, 124.8, 119.2, 62.9, 58.6, 39.5, 21.2, 13.8.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{major} = 6.6$ min, $t_{minor} = 10.3$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_{21}H_{21}N_2O$ [M + H]⁺: 317.1648, found 317.1650.





(5S,6R)-4-methyl-2-phenyl-6-(m-tolyl)-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien-1-one



Yellow oil, 20.1 mg, 67% yield, 93% ee, 10:1 dr. $R_f = 0.46$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). [α] $_D^{20} = +19.85$ (c 1.0, CHCl3).

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.88 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.41 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.20 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.13 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.03 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 6.90 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 6.11-6.05 (m, 1H), 6.03-5.96 (m, 1H), 4.67 (s, 1H), 3.06-2.97 (m, 1H), 2.76-2.67 (m, 1H), 2.23 (s, 3H), 1.68 (s, 3H).

¹³**C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 176.9, 163.0, 159.0, 138.3, 138.2, 137.9, 131.5, 129.5, 129.0, 128.6, 128.4, 127.8, 125.2, 124.1, 119.2, 64.5, 59.9, 40.7, 21.5, 15.2. **HPLC analysis:** Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 90:10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, retention time: t_{minor} = 10.3 min, t_{major} = 14.5 min. **HRMS** (ESI) calcd for C₂₁H₂₁N₂O [M + H]⁺: 317.1648, found 317.1650.

(5R,6S)-4-methyl-2-phenyl-6-(m-tolyl)-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien-1-one



Yellow oil, 21.5mg, 68% yield, 92% ee.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 90:10, flow rate = $1.0 \text{ mL/min}, \lambda = 254 \text{ nm}, \text{retention time:} t_{\text{major}} = 10.3 \text{ min}, t_{\text{minor}} = 14.6 \text{ min}.$



(5S,6S)-4-methyl-2-phenyl-6-(m-tolyl)-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien-1-one



Yellow oil, 7.7 mg, 24% yield, 93% ee. $R_f = 0.42$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -19.13$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.45 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.27-7.22 (m, 2H),
7.13 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.06 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.01 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 6.94-6.89 (m, 2H), 6.10-6.06 (m, 1H), 5.90-5.86 (m, 1H), 4.29 (t, J = 1.8 Hz, 1H), 2.97-2.90 (m, 1H), 2.73-2.66 (m, 1H), 2.25 (s, 3H), 2.24 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 174.0, 162.9, 137.9, 137.8, 137.2, 131.4, 130.8, 129.0, 128.7, 128.5, 128.2, 125.4, 124.8, 119.2, 62.9, 58.8, 39.4, 21.5, 13.8.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{major} = 6.7$ min, $t_{minor} = 7.4$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₁H₂₁N₂O [M + H]⁺: 317.1648, found 317.1648.





(5*S*,6*R*)-6-(3,5-dimethoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-2-phenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien-1-one



White solid, 22.1 mg, 61% yield, 93% ee, 10:1 dr. $R_f = 0.35$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +36.37$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.91 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.39 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.18 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 6.30 (s, 1H), 6.23 (s, 2H), 6.08-6.01 (m, 1H), 6.01-5.96 (m, 1H), 4.64 (s, 1H), 3.59 (s, 6H), 3.06-2.97 (m, 1H), 2.74-2.65 (m, 1H), 1.74 (s, 3H). ¹³**C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 176.8, 163.0, 161.0, 140.4, 138.2, 131.2, 129.7, 129.0, 118.9, 104.9, 99.8, 64.5, 60.0, 55.3, 40.6, 15.3.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK OD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 90:10, flow rate =

1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{major} = 7.6$ min, $t_{minor} = 9.2$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₂H₂₃N₂O₃ [M + H]⁺: 363.1703, found 363.1703.

(5*R*,6*S*)-6-(3,5-dimethoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-2-phenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7dien-1-one



White solid, 19.2 mg, 53% yield, 90% ee. **HPLC analysis:** Daicel CHIRALPAK OD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 90:10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 7.6 \text{ min}, t_{\text{major}} = 9.1 \text{ min}.$





(5S,6S)-6-(3,5-dimethoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-2-phenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-

dien-1-one



Yellow oil, 6.6 mg, 18% yield, 90% ee. $R_f = 0.32$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -10.21$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.54 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.31-7.24 (m, 3H), 7.09 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 6.31 (s, 1H), 6.27 (s, 1H), 6.11-6.07 (m, 1H), 5.89-5.86 (m, 1H), 4.25 (s, 1H), 3.67 (s, 6H), 2.94 (d, *J* = 17.4Hz, 1H), 2.69 (d, *J* = 17.4Hz, 1H), 2.23 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 173.8, 162.8, 160.7, 139.7, 138.0, 131.1, 128.7, 124.8, 119.0, 106.5, 100.0, 62.8, 58.9, 55.4, 39.4, 13.8.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = $1.0 \text{ mL/min}, \lambda = 254 \text{ nm}, \text{retention time: } t_{\text{minor}} = 11.4 \text{ min}, t_{\text{major}} = 17.2 \text{ min}.$ **HRMS** (ESI) calcd for C₂₂H₂₃N₂O₃ [M + H]⁺: 363.1703, found 363.1704.





#	[min]		[min]	[mAU*s]	[mAU]	%	
1	11.418	BB	0.2317	635.02228	42.89882	4.9461	
2	17.245	BB	0.3819	1.22037e4	487.72076	95.0539	

(5S,6R)-6-(4-fluorophenyl)-4-methyl-2-phenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien-1

-one



Yellow oil, 21.1 mg, 66% yield, 94% ee, 8:1 dr. $R_f = 0.45$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +24.74$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): *δ* 7.89 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.41 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.20 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.07 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 6.94 (t, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.07-5.99 (m, 2H), 4.67 (s, 1H), 3.06-2.98 (m, 1H), 2.76-2.67 (m, 1H), 1.67 (s, 3H).

¹³**C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 176.6, 162.6, 162.3 (d, ¹*J*_{C-F} = 244.7 Hz), 138.2, 133.8 (d, ³*J*_{C-F} = 3.2 Hz), 131.2, 130.0, 129.0, 128.6, 128.6, 125.2, 119.0, 115.7 (d, ²*J*_{C-F} = 21.3 Hz), 64.5, 59.2, 40.7, 15.2.

¹⁹**F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): *δ* -114.6 (s, 1F, C<u>F</u>).

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK OD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{\text{major}} = 7.7$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 7.6$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_{20}H_{18}FN_2O [M + H]^+$: 321.1398, found 321.1401.

(5*R*,6*S*)-6-(4-fluorophenyl)-4-methyl-2-phenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien-1 -one



(5*R*,6*S*)-**4f**

Yellow oil, 17.3 mg, 54% yield, 90% ee.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK OD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 90:10, flow rate = $1.0 \text{ mL/min}, \lambda = 254 \text{ nm}, \text{ retention time: } t_{\text{minor}} = 6.8 \text{ min}, t_{\text{major}} = 7.6 \text{ min}.$



(5S,6S)-6-(4-fluorophenyl)-4-methyl-2-phenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien-1

-one



Yellow oil, 8.7 mg, 27% yield, 92% ee. $R_f = 0.42$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -11.51$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.48 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.27 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H),
7.11-7.06 (m, 3H), 6.97-6.91 (m, 2H), 6.12-6.08 (m, 1H), 5.87-5.84 (m, 1H), 4.30 (s,
1H), 2.98-2.92 (m, 1H), 2.74-2.68 (m, 1H), 2.25 (s, 3H), 2.25 (s, 3H).

¹³**C NMR** (150 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 173.8, 162.8, 162.4 (d, ¹*J*_{C-F} = 244.8 Hz), 137.8, 133.0 (d, ³*J*_{C-F} = 3.2 Hz), 131.2, 131.2, 130.0, 129.9, 128.8, 124.9, 119.0, 151.2 (d, ²*J*_{C-F} = 21.7 Hz), 62.8, 58.2, 39.4, 13. 8.

¹⁹**F NMR** (565 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): *δ* -114.7 (s, 1F, C<u>F</u>).

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{major} = 6.1$ min, $t_{minor} = 10.2$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_{20}H_{18}FN_2O [M + H]^+$: 321.1398, found 321.1395.





(5*S*,6*R*)-6-(3-fluorophenyl)-4-methyl-2-phenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien-1 -one



Yellow oil, 19.3 mg, 60% yield, 91% ee, 7:1 dr. $R_f = 0.46$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]p^{20} = +25.62$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.89 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.41 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H),
7.25-7.17 (m, 2H), 6.97-6.90 (m, 1H), 6.85 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.07-6.00 (m, 2H),
4.69 (s, 1H), 3.07-2.98 (m, 1H), 2.76-2.68 (m, 1H), 1.68 (s, 3H).

¹³**C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 176.5, 163.0 (d, ¹*J*_{C-F} = 245.6 Hz), 162.4, 140.7 (d, ³*J*_{C-F} = 6.9 Hz), 138.1, 130.7, 130.4, 130.3, 130.3, 129.0, 125.3, 122.9, 119.1, 114.7 (d, ²*J*_{C-F} = 21.0 Hz), 114.0 (d, ²*J*_{C-F} = 22.2 Hz), 64.3, 59.3, 59.3, 40.9, 15.2.

¹⁹**F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ -112.3 (s, 1F, C<u>F</u>).

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, n-hexane:i-PrOH = 90:10, flow rate =

1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 11.7$ min, $t_{\text{major}} = 17.8$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_{20}H_{18}FN_{2}O [M + H]^+$: 321.1398, found 321.1400.

(5R,6S)-6-(3-fluorophenyl)-4-methyl-2-phenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien-1

-one



(5R,6S)-4g

Yellow oil, 15.7 mg, 49% yield, 91% ee.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 90:10, flow rate =

1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{major} = 11.7$ min, $t_{minor} = 17.9$ min.





(5S, 6S) - 6 - (3-fluorophenyl) - 4 - methyl - 2 - phenyl - 2, 3 - diazaspiro [4.4] nona - 3, 7 - dien - 1 - 1 - 2, 3 - diazaspiro [4.4] - 2, 3 -

-one



Yellow oil, 7.8mg, 24% yield, 93% ee. $R_f = 0.42$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -14.03$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹**H NMR** (600 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.50 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.27 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.23-7.17 (m, 1H), 7.09 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 6.94-6.84 (m, 3H), 6.15-6.11 (m, 1H), 5.89-5.85 (m, 1H), 4.30 (t, J = 1.8 Hz, 1H), 2.99-2.92 (m, 1H), 2.75-2.68 (m, 1H), 2.25 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 173.6, 162.8 (d, ${}^{1}J_{C-F} = 244.9$ Hz), 162.6, 139.9, 139.9 (d, ${}^{3}J_{C-F} = 7.2$ Hz), 137.8, 131.6, 130.8, 129.7, 129.7, 128.8, 124.9, 124.1, 124.0, 119.1, 115.4 (d, ${}^{2}J_{C-F} = 21.9$ Hz), 114.7 (d, ${}^{2}J_{C-F} = 20.9$ Hz), 62.7, 58.3, 39.5, 13.8. ¹⁹F NMR (565 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ -113.2 (s, 1F, C<u>F</u>).

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = $1.0 \text{ mL/min}, \lambda = 254 \text{ nm}, \text{retention time:} t_{\text{major}} = 7.1 \text{ min}, t_{\text{minor}} = 8.1 \text{ min}.$



(5*S*,6*R*)-6-(4-bromophenyl)-4-methyl-2-phenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien-1-one



White solid, 27.2 mg, 71% yield, 91% ee, 8:1 dr. $R_f = 0.44$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). [α] $_D^{20} = +32.3750$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.89 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.41 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.37 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.20 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 6.97 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.08-5.98 (m, 2H), 4.70-4.60 (m, 1H), 3.10-2.97 (m, 1H), 2.78-2.66 (m, 1H), 1.68 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 176.5, 162.4, 138.1, 137.1, 131.9, 130.8, 130.2, 129.0, 128.7, 125.3, 121.6, 119.0, 64.4, 59.2, 40.8, 15.2.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 90:10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 9.5$ min, $t_{\text{major}} = 11.0$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₀H₁₈BrN₂O [M + H]⁺: 381.0597, found 381.0599.

(5*R*,6*S*)-6-(4-bromophenyl)-4-methyl-2-phenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien-1-one



Yellow solid, 16.9 mg, 44% yield, 86% ee.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, n-hexane:i-PrOH = 90:10, flow rate =

1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{\text{major}} = 9.5$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 11,0$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₀H₁₈BrN₂O [M + H]⁺: 381.0597, found 381.0598.


S35

(5S,6S)-6-(4-bromophenyl)-4-methyl-2-phenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien-1

-one



Yellow solid, 11.3 mg, 32% yield, 88% ee. $R_f = 0.42$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ = -29.7555 (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.47 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.37 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.28 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.09 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 6.99 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.16-6.09 (m, 1H), 5.88-5.80 (m, 1H), 4.30-4.23 (m, 1H), 2.78-2.66 (m, 1H), 2.24 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 173.6, 162.6, 137.6, 136.2, 131.4, 130.8, 130.0, 128.7, 124.9, 121.7, 119.0, 62.5, 58.0, 39.4, 13.7.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 90:10, flow rate = $1.0 \text{ mL/min}, \lambda = 254 \text{ nm}, \text{ retention time: } t_{\text{major}} = 8.0 \text{ min}, t_{\text{minor}} = 16.3 \text{ min}.$

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₀H₁₈BrN₂O [M + H]⁺: 381.0597, found 381.0597.





S37

(5S,6R)-4-methyl-6-(naphthalen-2-yl)-2-phenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien-

1-one



Yellow oil, 24.0 mg, 68% yield, 94% ee, 8:1 dr. $R_f = 0.37$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +14.00$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.91 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.81-68 (m, 3H), 7.62 (s, 1H), 7.48-7.39 (m, 4H), 7.21 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.13 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 6.23 (s, 1H), 6.08 (s, 1H), 4.88 (s, 1H), 3.09 (d, *J* = 16.8 Hz, 1H), 2.77 (d, *J* = 16.8 Hz, 1H), 1.64 (s, 3H).

¹³**C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): *δ* 176.9, 162.8, 138.2, 135.7, 133.3, 132.9, 131.4, 129.8, 128.6, 127.9, 126.4, 125.5, 119.1, 64.4, 60.0, 41.0, 15.2.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, n-hexane:i-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate =

1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 9.5$ min, $t_{\text{major}} = 15.6$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_{24}H_{21}N_2O [M + H]^+$: 353.1648, found 353.1651.

(5*R*,6*S*)-4-methyl-6-(naphthalen-2-yl)-2-phenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien-1-one



Yellow oil, 23.0 mg, 65% yield, 92% ee.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{major} = 9.5$ min, $t_{minor} = 15.7$ min.



(5S,6S)-4-methyl-6-(naphthalen-2-yl)-2-phenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien-

1-one



Yellow oil, 7.7 mg, 22% yield, 93% ee. $R_f = 0.35$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} =$ -8.69 (c 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹**H** NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.79-7.74 (m, 2H), 7.73 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.62 (s, 1H), 7.45-7.38 (m, 4H), 7.25-7.21 (m, 1H), 7.18 (t, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.02 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 6.39-6.15 (m, 1H), 6.01-5.97 (m, 1H), 4.49 (s, 1H), 3.05-3.00 (m, 1H), 2.79-2.73 (m, 1H), 2.30 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 173.8, 163.0, 137.8, 134.9, 133.3, 133.0, 131.5, 131.0, 128.7, 128.1, 127.9, 127.7, 127.2, 126.6, 125.9, 124.7, 119.1, 62.8, 59.0, 39.7, 13.8.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, n-hexane:i-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{\text{major}} = 7.2$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 12.4$ min.



HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₄H₂₁N₂O [M + H]⁺: 353.1648, found 353.1647.



(5*S*,6*R*)-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-2-(p-tolyl)-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-di en-1-one



Yellow oil, 20.4 mg, 60% yield, 90% ee, 12:1 dr. $R_f = 0.44$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +24.74$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): *δ* 7.77 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.01 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.77 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.08-6.02 (m, 1H), 6.01-5.95 (m, 1H), 4.65 (s, 1H), 3.09 (s, 3H), 3.04-2.95 (m, 1H), 2.74-2.66 (m, 1H), 2.36 (s, 3H), 1.67 (s, 3H).

¹³**C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): *δ* 176.7, 162.9, 159.0, 135.9, 134.7, 131.7, 130.1, 129.5, 129.4, 28.1, 119.1, 114.0, 64.5, 59.3, 55.3, 40.6, 21.1, 15.2.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = $1.0 \text{ mL/min}, \lambda = 254 \text{ nm}, \text{retention time: } t_{\text{minor}} = 12.1 \text{ min}, t_{\text{major}} = 20.7 \text{ min}.$

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₂H₂₃N₂O₂ [M + H]⁺: 347.1754, found 347.1756.

(5R,6S)-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-2-(p-tolyl)-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-di

en-1-one



Yellow oil, 18.7 mg, 54% yield, 86% ee.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = $1.0 \text{ mL/min}, \lambda = 254 \text{ nm}, \text{retention time:} t_{\text{major}} = 12.2 \text{ min}, t_{\text{minor}} = 20.9 \text{ min}.$





(5S, 6S) - 6 - (4-methoxy phenyl) - 4-methyl - 2 - (p-tolyl) - 2, 3-diaza spiro [4.4] nona - 3, 7-diaza spiro [4.4] - 2, 3-diaza spiro [4.4] - 3, 3-diaza spiro [4.4] - 3

n-1-one



Yellow oil, 8.9 mg, 26% yield, 93% ee. $R_f = 0.42$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -13.19$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.34 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.08-7. 02 (m, 4H),
6.78 (d, J = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 6.08-6.04 (m, 1H), 5.87-5.83 (m, 1H), 4.28 (s, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 2.97-2.90 (m, 1H), 2.72-2.66 (m, 1H), 2.28 (s, 3H), 2.23 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 173.9, 162.8, 159.1, 135.5, 134.4, 131.7, 130.6, 129.4, 129.3, 129.2, 119.2, 113.7, 62.9, 58.3, 55.3, 39.3, 21.0, 13.8.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate =

1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{\text{major}} = 12.9$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 20.5$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₂H₂₃N₂O₂ [M + H]⁺: 347.1754, found 347.1756.







Yellow solid, 30.7 mg, 85% yield, 91% ee, 10:1 dr. $R_f = 0.36$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). [*a*] $_D^{20} = +28.50$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.78 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.01 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.93 (d, J = 9.2 Hz, 2H), 6.77 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.07-6.02 (m, 1H), 6.01-5.95 (m, 1H), 4.65 (s, 1H), 3.82 (s, 3H), 3.76 (s, 3H), 3.03-2.95 (m,1H), 2.74-2.65 (m, 1H), 1.66 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 176.5, 162.9, 159.0, 157.1, 131.7, 130.1, 129.5, 128.1, 120.8, 114.1, 114.0, 64.4, 59.3, 55.6, 55.3, 40.5, 15.2.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = $1.0 \text{ mL/min}, \lambda = 254 \text{ nm}, \text{ retention time: } t_{\text{minor}} = 16.1 \text{ min}, t_{\text{major}} = 30.1 \text{ min}.$

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_{22}H_{23}N_2O_3$ [M + H]⁺: 363.1703, found 363.1706.

(5*R*,6*S*)-2,6-bis(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien-1-o ne



Yellow solid, 20.4 mg, 56% yield, 94% ee.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{major} = 16.3$ min, $t_{minor} = 30.5$ min.







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Yellow oil, 9.3 mg, 26% yield, 92% ee. $R_f = 0.33$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -7.50$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.32 (d, J = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 7.05 (d, J = 12.0 Hz, 2H), 6.79 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 4H), 6.08-6.04 (m, 1H), 5.87-5.83 (m, 1H), 4.28 (s, 1H), 3.75 (s, 3H), 3.75 (s, 3H), 2.97-2.90 (m, 1H), 2.73-2.66 (m, 1H), 2.23 (s, 3H).
¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 173.9, 162.8, 159.3, 157.0, 131.8, 131.4, 130.7, 129.5, 129.4, 121.2, 114.0, 113.8, 63.0, 58.4, 55.7, 55.4, 39.4, 13.9.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{major} = 19.6$ min, $t_{minor} = 31.1$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₂H₂₃N₂O₃ [M + H]⁺: 363.1703, found 363.1702.



(5S, 6R) - 2 - (3 - methoxy phenyl) - 6 - (4 - methoxy phenyl) - 4 - methyl - 2, 3 - diazaspiro [4.4] n = 0.000 + 0.0000 + 0.0000 + 0.000 + 0.000 + 0.000 + 0.0000 + 0.000 + 0.000 +



ona-3,7-dien-1-one

Yellow oil, 31.1 mg, 86% yield, 91% ee, 10:1 dr. $R_f = 0.35$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +28.25$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹**H NMR** (600 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.55 (s, 1H), 7.52 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.30 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.01 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.79-6.73 (m, 3H), 6.07-6.02 (m, 1H), 6.00-5.96 (m, 1H), 4.65 (s, 1H), 3.84 (s, 3H), 3.75 (s, 3H), 3.02-2.95 (m, 1H), 2.74-2.67 (m, 1H), 1.66 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 177.0, 162.9, 160.2, 159.1, 139.4, 131.7, 130.0, 129.8, 128.1, 114.1, 111.2, 111.2, 104.3, 64.6, 59.3, 55.5, 55.3, 40.7, 15.2.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, n-hexane:i-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate =

1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 9.3$ min, $t_{\text{major}} = 10.9$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_{22}H_{23}N_2O_3$ [M + H]⁺: 363.1703, found 363.1704.

(5*R*,6*S*)-2-(3-methoxyphenyl)-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]n ona-3,7-dien-1-one



Yellow oil, 20.8 mg, 57% yield, 92% ee.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = $1.0 \text{ mL/min}, \lambda = 254 \text{ nm}, \text{ retention time: } t_{\text{major}} = 9.2 \text{ min}, t_{\text{minor}} = 10.9 \text{ min}.$



(5S,6S)-2-(3-methoxyphenyl)-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]n



ona-3,7-dien-1-one

Yellow oil, 8.9 mg, 25% yield, 93% ee. $R_f = 0.32$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -10.89$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹**H NMR** (600 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): *δ* 7.16 (t, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.10 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.07 (t, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 7.04 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.78 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 6.65-6.61 (m, 1H), 6.09-6.04 (m, 1H), 5.88-5.83 (m, 1H), 4.29 (s, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 2.97-2.90 (m, 1H), 2.73-2.66 (m, 1H), 2.24 (s, 3H).

¹³**C** NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 174.1, 162.8, 159.9, 159.2, 139.0, 131.6, 130.6, 129.5, 129.4, 129.2, 113.7, 111.5, 111.2, 104.5, 63.2, 58.4, 55.4, 55.3, 39.3, 13.8. HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, retention time: t_{major} = 7.9 min, t_{minor} = 1.9.0 min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_{22}H_{23}N_2O_3$ [M + H]⁺: 363.1703, found 363.1705.





(5*S*,6*R*)-2-(3,5-dimethylphenyl)-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien-1-one



Yellow oil, 31.2 mg, 87% yield, 93% ee, 10:1 dr. $R_f = 0.46$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). [α] $_D^{20} = +28.12$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.54 (s, 2H), 7.02 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.84 (s, 1H), 6.77 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.08-6.03 (m, 1H), 6.01-5.95 (m, 1H), 4.65 (s, 1H), 3.76 (s, 3H), 3.03-2.94 (m, 1H), 2.73-2.65 (m, 1H), 2.35 (s, 6H), 1.67 (s, 3H).
¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 176.9, 162.9, 159.0, 138.7, 138.1, 131.7, 130.1,

129.4, 128.1, 126.9, 116.8, 114.1, 64.5, 59.3, 55.3, 40.7, 21.6, 15.2.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, n-hexane:i-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate =

1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{major} = 5.7$ min, $t_{minor} = 7.7$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₃H₂₅N₂O₂ [M + H]⁺: 361.1911, found 361.1912.

(5R,6S)-2-(3,5-dimethylphenyl)-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4

]nona-3,7-dien-1-one



Yellow oil, 23.9 mg, 66% yield, 93% ee.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:i-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate =





(5S,6S)-2-(3,5-dimethylphenyl)-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4

]nona-3,7-dien-1-one



Yellow oil, 11.4 mg, 32% yield, 93% ee. $R_f = 0.46$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -18.57$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹**H NMR** (600 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.08 (s, 2H), 7.05 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.79 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.73 (s, 1H), 6.08-6.04 (m, 1H), 5.87-5.83 (m, 1H), 4.28 (s, 1H), 3.75 (s, 3H), 2.97-2.90 (m, 1H), 2.72-2.66 (m, 1H), 2.24 (s, 6H), 2.24 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 174.0, 162.7, 159.2, 138.4, 137.7, 131.7, 130.5,

 $129.5,\,129.3,\,126.7,\,117.2,\,113.7,\,63.0,\,58.3,\,55.3,\,39.4,\,21.5,\,13.8.$

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK OD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 90:10, flow rate =

1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 7.9$ min, $t_{\text{major}} = 10.8$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₃H₂₅N₂O₂ [M + H]⁺: 361.1911, found 361.1909.



(5*S*,6*R*)-2-(4-fluorophenyl)-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]non a-3,7-dien-1-one



Yellow oil, 24.9 mg, 71% yield, 90% ee, 10:1 dr. $R_f = 0.42$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). [α] $_D^{20} = +23.61$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.90-7.84 (m, 2H), 7.09 (t, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.00

(d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.08-6.02 (m, 1H), 6.01-5.95 (m, 1H), 4.65 (s, 1H), 3.82 (s, 3H), 3.76 (s, 3H), 3.04-2.95 (m, 1H), 2.75-2.66 (m, 1H), 1.67 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 176.7, 163.2, 160.0 (d, ¹*J*_{C-F} = 242.7 Hz), 159.1, 134.5, 134.4, 131.7, 129.9, 129.4, 128.1, 120.7 (d, ³*J*_{C-F} = 7.8 Hz), 115.6 (d, ²*J*_{C-F} = 22.3 Hz), 114.1, 64.5, 59.4, 55.3, 40.6, 15.2. ¹⁹F NMR (565 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ -111.3 (s, 1F, C<u>F</u>). HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, retention time: *t*minor = 8.9 min, *t*major = 9.9 min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_{21}H_{20}FN_2O_2$ [M + H]⁺: 351.1503, found 351.1502.

(5*R*,6*S*)-2-(4-fluorophenyl)-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]non a-3,7-dien-1-one



Yellow oil, 17.6 mg, 50% yield, 93% ee.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{major} = 8.9$ min, $t_{minor} = 9.9$ min.





(5S, 6S) - 2 - (4 - fluorophenyl) - 6 - (4 - methoxyphenyl) - 4 - methyl - 2, 3 - diazaspiro [4.4] non





Yellow oil, 8.0 mg, 23% yield, 94% ee. $R_f = 0.39$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -32.92$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹**H** NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.45-7.40 (m, 2H), 7.04 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.94 (t, J = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 6.78 (d, J = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 6.09-6.05 (m, 1H), 5.87-5.84 (m,

1H), 4.29 (s, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 2.97-2.90 (m, 1H), 2.73-2.67 (m, 1H), 2.24 (s, 3H). ¹³**C NMR** (150 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 173.9, 163.1, 159.8 (d, ¹*J*_{C-F} = 161.8 Hz), 159.2, 134.0, 131.6, 130.6, 129.4, 129.1, 120.9 (d, ³*J*_{C-F} = 5.3 Hz), 115.4 (d, ²*J*_{C-F} = 14.9 Hz), 113.7, 63.0, 58.4, 55.3, 39.2, 13.8.

¹⁹F NMR (565 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): *δ* -117.7 (s, 1F, C<u>F</u>).

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{major} = 8.7$ min, $t_{minor} = 15.3$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_{21}H_{20}FN_2O_2$ [M + H]⁺: 351.1503, found 351.1504.



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(5*S*,6*R*)-2-(4-chlorophenyl)-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]non a-3,7-dien-1-one



Yellow oil, 25.8 mg, 70% yield, 87% ee, 9:1 dr. $R_f = 0.45$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +25.13$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.88 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.36 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.99 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.77 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.07-6.02 (m, 1H), 6.01-5.95 (m, 1H), 4.64 (s, 1H), 3.76 (s, 3H), 3.03-2.95 (m, 1H), 2.75-2.66 (m, 1H), 1.67 (s, 3H).

¹³**C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): *δ* 176.9, 163.3, 159.1, 136.9, 131.7, 130.1, 129.9, 129.4, 129.0, 128.1, 120.0, 114.1, 64.6, 59.5, 55.3, 40.6, 15.2.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, n-hexane:i-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate =

1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 9.4$ min, $t_{\text{major}} = 13.0$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_{21}H_{20}CIN_2O_2$ [M + H]⁺: 367.1208, found 367.1209.

(5*R*,6*S*)-2-(4-chlorophenyl)-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]non a-3,7-dien-1-one (101-X1)



Yellow oil, 24.0 mg, 66% yield, 88% ee.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{major} = 9.4$ min, $t_{minor} = 13.1$ min.



(5*S*,6*S*)-2-(4-chlorophenyl)-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]non a-3,7-dien-1-one



Yellow oil, 11.7 mg, 32% yield, 93% ee. $R_f = 0.33$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -40.46$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹**H NMR** (600 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.47 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.02 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.77 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.09-6.04 (m, 1H), 5.87-5.83 (m, 1H), 4.28 (s, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 2.97-2.90 (m, 1H), 2.73-2.67 (m, 1H), 2.24 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 174.0, 163.3, 159.2, 136.5, 131.6, 130.5, 129.7, 129.4, 129.1, 128.7, 120.1, 113.7, 63.1, 58.5, 55.3, 39.3, 13.8.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate =

1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{\text{major}} = 9.9$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 19.2$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_{21}H_{20}CIN_2O_2$ [M + H]⁺: 367.1208, found 367.1206.





(5*S*,6*R*)-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-2-(naphthalen-2-yl)-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]no na-3,7-dien-1-one



Yellow oil, 32.1 mg, 84% yield, 90% ee, 10:1 dr. $R_f = 0.34$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). [α] $_D^{20} = +30.55$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 8.40 (s, 1H), 8.15-8.10 (m, 1H), 7.91-7.80 (m, 3H), 7.52-7.41 (m, 2H), 7.04 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.77 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.10-6.05 (m, 1H), 6.04-5.98 (m, 1H), 4.71 (s, 1H), 3.75 (s, 3H), 3.09-3.01 (m, 1H), 2.79-2.71 (m, 1H), 1.73 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 177.1, 163.2, 159.1, 135.9, 133.7, 131.7, 131.1, 130.0, 129.5, 128.8, 128.1, 127.7, 126.6, 125.4, 118.6, 116.0, 114.1, 64.7, 59.5, 55.3, 40.7, 15.3.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 19.0$ min, $t_{\text{major}} = 24.4$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_{25}H_{23}N_2O_2$ [M + H]⁺: 383.1754, found 383.1751.

(5R,6S)-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-2-(naphthalen-2-yl)-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]no

na-3,7-dien-1-one



Yellow oil, 22.6 mg, 59% yield, 94% ee.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, n-hexane:i-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate =

1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{major} = 18.8$ min, $t_{minor} = 24.2$ min.





 $(5S, 6S) \hbox{-} 6-(4-methoxy phenyl) \hbox{-} 4-methyl \hbox{-} 2-(naphthalen \hbox{-} 2-yl) \hbox{-} 2, 3-diaza spiro[4.4] no$





Yellow oil, 9.1 mg, 24% yield, 91% ee. $R_f = 0.31$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -23.82$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.94 (s, 1H), 7.77-7.68 (m, 4H), 7.42 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.38 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.07 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.04 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.78 (d, J = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 6.11-6.09 (m, 1H), 5.90-5.86 (m, 1H), 4.33 (s, 1H), 3.72 (s, 3H), 3.03-2.95 (m, 1H), 2.77-2.70 (m, 1H), 2.29 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 174.3, 163.3, 159.3, 135.7, 133.7, 131.8, 131.1, 130.7, 129.6, 129.3, 128.6, 128.1, 127.7, 126.4, 125.3, 118.9, 116.2, 113.9, 63.3, 58.6, 55.4, 39.5, 14.0.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{major} = 19.1$ min, $t_{minor} = 28.5$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_{25}H_{23}N_2O_2$ [M + H]⁺: 383.1754, found 383.1752.



(5S,6R)-4-ethyl-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-phenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien-

1-one



Yellow oil, 23.6 mg, 68% yield, 90% ee, 4:1 dr. $R_f = 0.41$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). [α] $_D^{20} = +29.82$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): *δ* 7.94 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.41 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.19 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 6.99 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.76 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.07-6.02 (m, 1H), 6.01-5.96 (m, 1H), 4.65 (s, 1H), 3.76 (s, 3H), 3.03-2.95 (m, 1H), 2.76-2.68 (m, 1H), 2.18-2.06 (m, 1H), 1.94-1.82 (m, 1H), 0.88 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 177.1, 166.9, 159.0, 138.5, 131.6, 130.2, 129.7, 129.0, 128.1, 125.0, 119.0, 114.0, 64.6, 59.6, 55.3, 40.8, 22.4, 9.5.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate =

1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 8.4$ min, $t_{\text{major}} = 10.9$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_{22}H_{23}N_2O_2$ [M + H]⁺: 347.1754, found 347.1756.

(5*R*,6*S*)-4-ethyl-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-phenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien-1-one



Yellow oil, 21.8 mg, 63% yield, 90% ee.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{major} = 8.4$ min, $t_{minor} = 10.9$ min.



(5S,6S)-4-ethyl-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-phenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien-1

-one



Yellow oil, 9.0 mg, 26% yield, 92% ee. $R_f = 0.38$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -30.09$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹**H NMR** (600 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): *δ* 7.52 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.26 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.07 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.04 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 6.78 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.04 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.78 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 6.09-6.05 (m, 1H), 5.87-5.83 (m, 1H), 4.30 (s, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 2.98-2.90 (m, 1H), 2.74-2.68 (m, 1H), 2.68-2.59 (m, 1H), 2.56-2.48 (m, 1H), 1.40 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H).

¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 174.3, 166.7, 159.1, 138.1, 131.7, 130.6, 129.4, 129.4, 128.7, 124.7, 119.1, 113.7, 63.1, 58.6, 55.3, 39.5, 21.1, 9.9.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{major} = 8.1$ min, $t_{minor} = 15.8$ min.







(5*R*,6*S*)-6-([1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-4-methyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]n ona-3,7-dien-1-one



White solid, *m.p.*: 228.0-289.9 mg, 50% yield, 97% ee. $R_f = 0.33$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -57.5455$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹**H NMR** (600 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.85 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.55 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.52 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.49 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.42 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.33 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.14 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 6.15-6.09 (m, 1H), 6.06-5.99 (m, 1H), 4.77-4.71 (m, 1H), 3.08-2.99 (m, 1H), 2.78-2.69 (m, 1H), 1.71 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 176.8, 163.1, 140.6, 140.5, 137.3, 137.0, 132.0, 131.0, 129.7, 128.9, 127.6, 127.5, 127.4, 127.1, 120.4, 117.9, 64.6, 59.7, 40.8, 15.3.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 90:10, flow rate =

1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 12.3$ min, $t_{\text{major}} = 17.7$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_{26}H_{22}BrN_2O [M + H]^+$: 457.0910, found 457.0906.



(5*S*,6*S*)-6-([1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)-2-(4-bromophenyl)-4-methyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]n ona-3,7-dien-1-one



White solid, *m.p.*:188.5-189.4 °C, 14.2 mg, 31% yield, 91% ee. $R_f = 0.30$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -9.0$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹**H NMR** (600 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.52 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.47 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.41 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.40-7.36 (m, 2H), 7.36-7.31 (m, 3H), 7.17 (d, *J* = 8.1

Hz, 2H), 6.15-6.09 (m, 1H), 5.95-5.89 (m, 1H), 4.41-4.35 (m, 1H), 3.01-2.94 (m, 1H), 2.79-2.71 (m, 1H), 2.28 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 173.9, 163.2, 140.8, 140.7, 136.9, 136.2, 131.7, 131.2, 131.0, 128.9, 128.7, 127.4, 127.2, 127.0, 120.5, 117.6, 63.2, 58.8, 39.4, 13.9.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 90:10, flow rate =

1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{major} = 13.2$ min, $t_{minor} = 29.4$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_{26}H_{22}BrN_2O [M + H]^+$: 457.0910, found 457.0910.



(5S,6S)-6-(furan-2-yl)-4-methyl-2-phenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien-1-one


Yellow oil, 19.9 mg, 68% yield, 93% ee, 10:1 dr. $R_f = 0.30$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 10:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 33.7$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹**H NMR** (500 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): *δ* 7.93 (dd, *J* = 8.8 Hz, *J* = 1.1 Hz, 2H), 7.43-7.38 (m, 2H), 7.26 (s, 1H), 7.21-7.16 (m, 1H), 6.26 (dd, *J* = 3.1 Hz, *J* = 1.9 Hz, 1H), 6.10 (d, *J* = 3.2 Hz, 1H), 5.99-5.95 (m, 2H), 6.64 (s, 1H), 3.02-2.96 (m, 1H), 2.74-2.67 (m, 1H), 1.77 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 176.0, 162.5, 152.0, 142.3, 138.3, 129.9, 129.4, 1219.0, 125.0, 119.0, 110.4, 106.7, 62.8, 53.4, 40.8, 14.5.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK IA-3, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 95:5, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 10.6$ min, $t_{\text{major}} = 16.0$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₁₈H₁₇N₂O₂ [M + H]⁺: 293.1285, found 293.1283.



(5R,6R)-4-methyl-2-phenyl-6-(thiophen-2-yl)-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien-1-

one



(5*R*,6*R*)**-4u**

White solid, 19.3 mg, 62% yield, 95% ee. $R_f = 0.31$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 10:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -46.3$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹**H NMR** (500 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.92 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.41 (t, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.24-7.15 (m, 2H), 7.00 (s, 1H), 6.72 (d, *J* = 4.8 Hz, 1H), 6.00 (m, 2H), 4.67 (s, 1H), 3.07-2.94 (m, 1H), 2.75-2.65 (m, 1H), 1.68 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 176.5, 163.0, 138.9, 138.2, 131.5, 129.3, 129.0, 126.6, 126.6, 125.1, 121.0, 118.9, 63.8, 55.3, 40.8, 14.9.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK IA-3, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 95:5, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{major} = 10.9$ min, $t_{minor} = 17.1$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_{18}H_{17}N_2OS [M + H]^+$: 309.1056, found 309.1052.



(5*S*,6*R*)-4-methyl-2-phenyl-6-(thiophen-2-yl)-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-dien-1-one



White solid, 6.8mg, 22% yield, 96% ee. $R_f = 0.28$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 10:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -40.1$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹**H NMR** (500 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): *δ* 7.58-7.50 (m, 2H), 7.32-7.26 (m, 2H), 7.22-7.18 (m, 1H), 7.13-7.07 (m, 1H), 7.06-7.03 (m, 1H), 6.09-6.03 (m, 1H), 5.95-5.87 (m, 1H), 4.42-4.37 (m, 1H), 2.99-2.92 (m, 1H), 2.75-2.67 (m, 1H), 2.23 (s, 3H).

¹³**C NMR** (125 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): *δ* 173.9, 162.7, 138.2, 137.9, 131.3, 130.5, 128.8, 127.6, 125.6, 124.9, 122.6, 119.1, 62.6, 54.0, 39.3, 13.9.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK IA-3, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 95:5, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{major} = 14.1$ min, $t_{minor} = 17.5$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_{18}H_{17}N_2OS [M + H]^+$: 309.1056, found 309.1053.





(5S,6R)-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-2-phenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-die





Yellow oil, 20.6 mg, 62% yield, 92% ee.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, n-hexane:i-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate =

1.1 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 8.7$ min. $t_{\text{major}} = 10.1$ min,

(5R,6R)-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-2-phenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]nona-3,7-die

n-1-one



Yellow oil, 12 mg, 36% yield, 91% ee.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = 1.1 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 7.5$ min, $t_{\text{major}} = 14.9$ min.



5. Application in Asymmetric Catalysis



In an Ar-filled glovebox, dissolving the [Pd(allyl)Cl]₂ (9.1 mg, 2.5 mol %), and L4 (37 mg, 5 mol %) in CH₃CN (5 mL, 0.2 M) was stirred for 15 min at room temperature. Subsequently, conjugated enyne **2i** (1.1 mmol, 1.1 equiv), **3k** (1 mmol, 1 equiv), and BnN(Me)₂ (2 equiv, 300 μ L) were added. The reaction mixture was stirred at 40 °C for 24 h outside the glove box. The solution was concentrated in vacuo and the crude product was purified by column chromatography on silica gel (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 20:1 to 5:1) to afford the pyrazolone-derived spiro product (5*R*, 6*S*)-**4s** (199.6 mg) and (5*S*, 6*S*)-**4s** (238.4 mg).

The above-obtained product (5R,6S)-**4s** (199.6 mg, 80% ee) was dissolved in CH₂Cl₂ (3 mL), followed by addition of n-hexane (9 mL). The mixed solution was stood at room temperature (about 3 days), until the enantiomeric excess of mother liquor reached 99% upon inspection by chiral HPLC analysis. Then the racemic crystal was separated from the solution by filtration, the mother liquor was collected to afford the enantioenriched product (*5R*,*6S*)-**4s** (158mg, 99% *ee*).

The above-obtained product (5*S*,6*S*)-**4s** (238.4 mg, 80% ee) was dissolved in CH₂Cl₂ (3 mL), followed by addition of n-hexane (9 mL). The mixed solution was stood at 0 $^{\circ}$ C (about 5 days), until the enantiomeric excess of mother liquor reached 99% upon inspection by chiral HPLC analysis. Then the racemic crystal was separated from the solution by filtration, the mother liquor was collected to afford the enantioenriched product (5*S*,6*S*)-**4s** (155mg, 99% *ee*).

(5*R*,6*S*)-4-(2-bromophenyl)-6-(naphthalen-2-yl)-2-phenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4] nona-3,7-dien-1-one



White solid, 198.6 mg, 40% yield, 80% ee, 99% ee after one recrystallization. $R_f = 0.32$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -35.3$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 8.04 (d, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.68 (d, J = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.50 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.48-7.31 (m, 5H), 7.27-7.17 (m, 2H), 7.14 (s, 1H), 7.12-7.01 (m, 2H), 7.00-6.93 (m, 1H), 6.92-6.86 (m, 1H), 6.15-6.02 (m, 2H), 4.98-4.87 (m, 1H), 3.48-3.17 (m, 2H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 177.0, 159.4, 138.2, 134.7, 133.3, 132.9, 131.9, 130.1, 129.6, 129.1, 128.4, 127.7, 127.5, 126.5, 126.3, 126.0, 125.8, 125.8, 125.5, 123.5, 119.3, 64.8, 60.3, 44.2.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{major} = 10.4$ min, $t_{minor} = 18.0$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₉H₂₁BrN₂O [M + H]⁺: 493.0910, found 493.0911.





(5S,6S)-4-(2-bromophenyl)-6-(naphthalen-2-yl)-2-phenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4]

nona-3,7-dien-1-one



White solid, 238.4 mg, 49% yield, 80% ee, 99% ee after one recrystallization. $R_f = 0.30$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -27.3$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.82-7.69 (m, 5H), 7.66-7.59 (m, 2H), 7.47-7.37

(m, 5H), 7.37-7.29 (m, 2H), 7.17 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.02 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 6.14-6.00 (m, 1H), 5.93-5.79 (m, 1H), 4.94-4.81 (m, 1H), 3.23-3.00 (m, 2H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 173.7, 161.0, 137.5, 135.0, 134.7, 133.2, 133.0, 131.9, 131.2, 131.1, 130.4, 128.7, 128.1, 127.9, 127.7, 127.5, 127.4, 126.6, 126.1, 125.9, 125.5, 123.8, 119.5, 63.9, 58.7, 40.8.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, *n*-hexane:*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 20.1$ min, $t_{\text{major}} = 21.9$ min. **HRMS** (ESI) calcd for C₂₉H₂₁BrN₂O [M + H]⁺: 493.0910, found 493.0913.







A solution of CuI (3.8 mg, 0.02 mmol), *N*,*N'*-dimethylethylenediamine (3.5 μ L, 0.04 mmol) and diphenylphosphane (83.5 μ L, 0.58 mmol) in 2 mL dry toluene was stirred at room temperature for 20 min. Cs₂CO₃ (196 mg, 0.6 mmol) and (5*R*,6*S*)-4s (199 mg, 0.40 mmol; 0.1 M in dry toluene) were added and the mixture was heated to 110 °C for 24 h under an Ar atmosphere. The reaction mixture was cooled to room temperature, filtered and concentrated. Column chromatography of the residue (n-hexanes:EtOAc = 10:1) provided (5*R*,6*S*)-8 (194 mg) as white solid.



A solution of CuI (4.6 mg, 0.024 mmol), *N*,*N*'-dimethylethylenediamine (4.2 μ L, 0.048 mmol) and diphenylphosphane (107 μ L, 1.31 mmol) in 2 mL dry toluene was

stirred at room temperature for 20 min. Cs_2CO_3 (235 mg, 0.72 mmol) and (5*S*,6*S*)-4s (238 mg, 0.48 mmol; 0.1 M in dry toluene) were added and the mixture was heated to 110 °C for 24 h under an Ar atmosphere. The reaction mixture was cooled to room temperature, filtered and concentrated. Column chromatography of the residue (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 10:1 to 5:1) provided (5*S*,6*S*)-8 (224mg) as white solid.

(5*R*,6*S*)-4-(2-bromophenyl)-6-(naphthalen-2-yl)-2-phenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4] nona-3,7-dien-1-one



White solid, 81% yield. $R_f = 0.34$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -40.2$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): *δ* 7.82-7.71 (m, 2H), 7.57-7.51 (m, 1H), 7.48-7.41 (m, 4H), 7.38-7.06 (m, 12H), 7.05-6.92 (m, 6H), 6.57-6.48 (m, 1H), 6.32-6.13 (m, 4H), 5.06-5.00 (m, 1H), 3.52-3.23 (m, 2H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 178.1, 159.6, 138.1, 137.5, 137.3, 136.1, 135.9, 135.8, 135.1, 133.9, 133.7, 133.6, 133.5, 133.3, 133.0, 128.9, 128.8, 128.8, 128.7, 128.4, 128.2, 128.12, 128.0, 127.9, 127.9, 127.8, 127.6, 127.4, 126.7, 126.3, 126.1, 125.7, 125.0, 119.1, 63.5, 63.5, 61.5, 61.5, 45.2.

³¹**P NMR** (162 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): *δ* 6.4 (s, 1P, C₃<u>P</u>).

HRMS (ESI) calcd for $C_{41}H_{31}N_2OP [M + H]^+$: 599.2247, found 599.2244.

(5*S*,6*S*)-4-(2-bromophenyl)-6-(naphthalen-2-yl)-2-phenyl-2,3-diazaspiro[4.4] nona-3,7-dien-1-one



White solid, 78% yield. $R_f = 0.32$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 5:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -39.8$ (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.81-7.62 (m, 4H), 7.59 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.41 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.38-7.24 (m, 13H), 7.21-7.13 (m, 2H), 6.98-6.82 (m, 5H), 6.23-6.11 (m, 1H), 6.08-5.96 (m, 1H), 4.99-4.89 (m, 1H), 3.32-3.15 (m, 2H).
¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 174.3, 160.1, 138.8, 138.7, 138.7, 138.6, 137.3, 136.2, 135.4, 135.0, 134.8, 134.1, 134.1, 133.9, 133.9, 133.1, 132.7, 131.5, 131.3, 129.5, 128.6, 128.5, 128.5, 128.4, 128.2, 128.0, 127.8, 127.7, 127.7, 127.5, 127.0, 126.4, 125.9, 125.7, 124.6, 119.0, 62.3, 60.2, 42.8.

³¹**P NMR** (162 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 4.8 (s, 1P, C₃<u>P</u>).

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₄₁H₃₁N₂OP [M + H]⁺: 599.2247, found 599.2249.



Dissolving the [Pd(crotyl)Cl]₂ (0.5 mg, 2.5 mol %), and (*5R*,*6S*)-**8** or (*5S*,*6S*)-**8** (3.0 mg, 5 mol %) in CH₃CN (0.5 mL) was stirred for 15 min at room temperature. Subsequently, NaBF₄ (2.7 mg, 0.5 equiv), malonate **10** (0.15 mmol, 3 equiv) were added and cooled to 0 °C before allylic ester **9** (0.05 mmol, 1 equiv) were added. The reaction mixture was stirred at at 0 °C for 24 h. The solution was concentrated in vacuo and the crude product was purified by column chromatography on silica gel (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 95:5) to afford product (*R*)-**11** or (*S*)-**11**.

Dimethyl (*R*,*E*)-2-(1,3-diphenylallyl)malonate

 $\begin{array}{c} \text{MeO}_2\text{C} \\ \text{CO}_2\text{Me} \\ \text{Ph} \\ \text{Ph} \\ (R,E)\text{-11} \end{array}$

Colorless oil, 91% yield, 82% ee. $R_f = 0.50$ (*n*-hexane:EtOAc = 20:1).

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 7.36-7.16 (m, 10H), 6.48 (d, J = 15.8 Hz, 1H), 6.33 (dd, ¹J = 8.6 Hz, ²J = 15.7 Hz, 1H), 4.26 (t, J = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 3.96 (d, J = 10.9 Hz, 1H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 3.52 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃, ppm): δ 168.2, 167.8, 140.2, 136.8, 131.9, 129.1, 128.7, 128.5, 127.9, 127.6, 127.2, 126.4, 57.7, 52.6, 52.5, 49.2.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, n-hexane:i-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate =

1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{\text{minor}} = 9.1$ min, $t_{\text{major}} = 12.3$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₀H₂₀O₄Na [M + Na]⁺: 347.1254, found 347.1253.

Dimethyl (S,E)-2-(1,3-diphenylallyl)malonate



Colorless oil, 95% yield, 81% ee.

HPLC analysis: Daicel CHIRALPAK AD-H, n-hexane:i-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate =

1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, retention time: $t_{\text{major}} = 9.1$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 12.3$ min.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₀H₂₀O₄Na [M + Na]⁺: 347.1253, found 347.1254.



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6. The Assignment of Structure and Configuration

5.1 Assignment of Absolute Configuration for Product (5R,6S)-4r

Crystal data for (5R,6S)-**4r**: C₂₆H₂₁BrN₂O, M = 457.36, a = 8.6954(2) Å, b = 14.0748(3) Å, c = 16.9937(4) Å, $a = 90^{\circ}$, $\beta = 90^{\circ}$, $\gamma = 90^{\circ}$, V = 2079.79(8) Å³, T = 100.(2) K, space group P212121, Z = 4, μ (Cu K α) = 2.847 mm⁻¹, 21873 reflections measured, 4446 independent reflections ($R_{int} = 0.0367$). The final R_I values were 0.0224 ($I > 2\sigma(I)$). The final $wR(F^2)$ values were 0.0563 ($I > 2\sigma(I)$). The final R_I values were 0.0225 (all data). The final $wR(F^2)$ values were 0.03664 (all data). The goodness of fit on F^2 was 1.127. Flack parameter = 0.032(5).



(30% ellipsoid probability) Figure S2. Crystal Structure of (5*R*,6*S*)-4r (CCDC 2012367).

Table S6. Crystal data and structure refinement for (5*R*,6*S*)-4r.

Identification code	global	
Empirical formula	$C_{26}H_{21}BrN_2O$	
Formula weight	457.36	
Temperature	100(2) K	
Wavelength	1.54178 Å	
Crystal system	Orthorhombic	
Space group	P212121	
Unit cell dimensions	a = 8.6954(2) Å	= 90°.

	b = 14.0748(3) Å = 90°. c = 16.9937(4) Å = 90°.
Volume	2079.79(8) Å ³
Z	4
Density (calculated)	1.461 Mg/m ³
Absorption coefficient	2.847 mm ⁻¹
F(000)	936
Crystal size	0.380 x 0.300 x 0.200 mm ³
Theta range for data collection	4.08 to 80.23°.
Index ranges	-11<=h<=10, -17<=k<=14, -21<=l<=21
Reflections collected	21873
Independent reflections	4446 [R(int) = 0.0367]
Completeness to theta = 80.23°	99.0 %
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents
Max. and min. transmission	0.60 and 0.20
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²
Data / restraints / parameters	4446 / 0 / 272
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.127
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0224, $wR2 = 0.0563$
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0225, wR2 = 0.0564
Absolute structure parameter	0.032(5)
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.231 and -0.296 e.Å ⁻³

5.2 Assignment of Absolute Configuration for Product (5S,6S)-4r

Crystal data for (5*S*,6*S*)-**4r**: C₂₆H₂₁BrN₂O, M = 457.36, a = 6.08550(10) Å, b = 15.9623(4) Å, c = 21.2691(5) Å, $a = 90^{\circ}$, $\beta = 90^{\circ}$, $\gamma = 90^{\circ}$, V = 2066.05(8) Å³, T = 100.(2) K, space group *P*212121, Z = 4, μ (Cu K α) = 2.866 mm⁻¹, 14666 reflections measured, 3980 independent reflections ($R_{int} = 0.0503$). The final R_I values were 0.0277 ($I > 2\sigma(I)$). The final $wR(F^2)$ values were 0.0729 ($I > 2\sigma(I)$). The final R_I values were 0.0281 (all data). The final $wR(F^2)$ values were 0.0734 (all data). The goodness of fit on F^2 was 1.029. Flack parameter = 0.039(7).



(30% ellipsoid probability) **Figure S3**. Crystal Structure of (5*S*,6*S*)-**4r** (CCDC 2012368).

Table S7. Crystal data and structure refinement for (5*S*,6*S*)-4r.

Identification code	global	
Empirical formula	C ₂₆ H ₂₁ BrN ₂ O	
Formula weight	457.36	
Temperature	100(2) K	
Wavelength	1.54178 Å	
Crystal system	Orthorhombic	
Space group	P212121	
Unit cell dimensions	$a = 6.08550(10) \text{ Å} = 90^{\circ}$	•
	$b = 15.9623(4) \text{ Å} = 90^{\circ}$	•
	$c = 21.2691(5) \text{ Å} = 90^{\circ}$,
Volume	2066.05(8) Å ³	

Z	4
Density (calculated)	1.470 Mg/m ³
Absorption coefficient	2.866 mm ⁻¹
F(000)	936
Crystal size	$0.550 \ge 0.450 \ge 0.070 \text{ mm}^3$
Theta range for data collection	3.46 to 72.38°.
Index ranges	-7<=h<=5, -19<=k<=19, -26<=l<=26
Reflections collected	14666
Independent reflections	3980 [R(int) = 0.0503]
Completeness to theta = 72.38°	99.7 %
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents
Max. and min. transmission	0.82 and 0.20
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²
Data / restraints / parameters	3980 / 0 / 272
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.029
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0277, wR2 = 0.0729
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0281, $wR2 = 0.0734$
Absolute structure parameter	0.039(7)
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.435 and -0.491 e.Å ⁻³

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8. Copies of NMR





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