

Supporting Information for

**I₂-mediated cascade reaction of 2'-bromoacetophenones with
benzohydrazides/benzamides leading to quinazolino[3,2-*b*]cinnoline or tryptanthrin
derivatives**

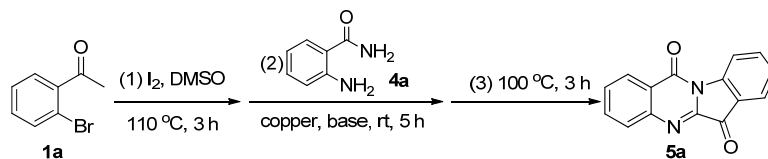
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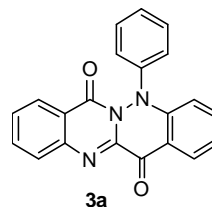
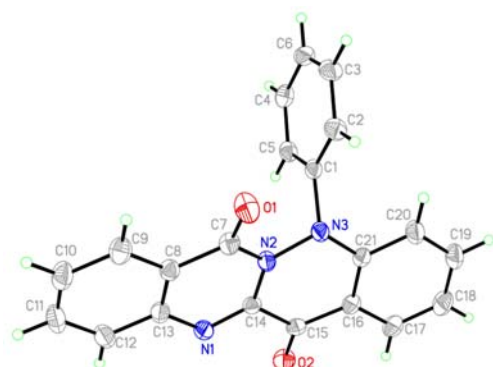
I. Table S1. Screening the Reaction Conditions for the Synthesis of 5a^a



entry	I ₂ (equiv.)	1a (equiv.)	catalyst (equiv.)	base (equiv.)	yield (%) ^b
1	1.5	1.5	–	K ₂ CO ₃ (4.0)	nd
2	1.5	1.5	CuI (0.2)	K ₂ CO ₃ (4.0)	60
3	1.5	1.5	CuCl (0.2)	K ₂ CO ₃ (4.0)	63
4	1.5	1.5	CuBr (0.2)	K ₂ CO ₃ (4.0)	71
5	1.5	1.5	CuBr (0.2)	K ₃ PO ₄ (4.0)	64
6	1.5	1.5	CuBr (0.2)	Cs ₂ CO ₃ (4.0)	44
7	1.5	1.5	CuBr (0.1)	K ₂ CO ₃ (4.0)	51
8	1.5	1.5	CuBr (0.2)	K ₂ CO ₃ (3.0)	59
9	1.0	1.0	CuBr (0.2)	K ₂ CO ₃ (4.0)	50

^aThe reactions were run with (1) 1a, I₂, DMSO, 110 °C, 3 h; (2) 4a (0.4 mmol), catalyst, base, rt (5 h)~100 °C (3 h). ^bIsolated yield; nd = not detected.

II. X-ray crystal structure and data of 3a



Bond precision: C-C = 0.0043 Å

Wavelength=0.71073

Cell: a=7.617 (12)

b=10.617 (17)

c=11.452 (18)

alpha=64.336 (15)

beta=72.042 (17)

gamma=88.506 (18)

Temperature: 295 K

	Calculated	Reported
Volume	788 (2)	788 (2)
Space group	P -1	P -1
Hall group	-P 1	-P 1
Moiety formula	C21 H13 N3 O2	C21 H13 N3 O2
Sum formula	C21 H13 N3 O2	C21 H13 N3 O2
Mr	339.34	339.34
Dx, g cm ⁻³	1.430	1.430
Z	2	2
Mu (mm ⁻¹)	0.095	0.095
F000	352.0	352.0
F000'	352.15	
h,k,lmax	9,13,14	9,13,14
Nref	3587	3533
Tmin,Tmax	0.982,0.984	0.982,0.984
Tmin'	0.982	

Correction method= # Reported T Limits: Tmin=0.982 Tmax=0.984

AbsCorr = MULTI-SCAN

Data completeness= 0.985

Theta(max)= 27.420

R(reflections)= 0.0682 (2807)

wR2(reflections)= 0.1672 (3309)

S = 1.053

Npar= 235

III. ^1H and ^{13}C NMR Spectra of Compounds 3a-3u, 5a-5k, 6, and 7

