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Catalytic Asymmetric α -Amination of β -Keto Esters and β -Keto Amides with a Chiral N,N' -Dioxide-Copper(I) Complex

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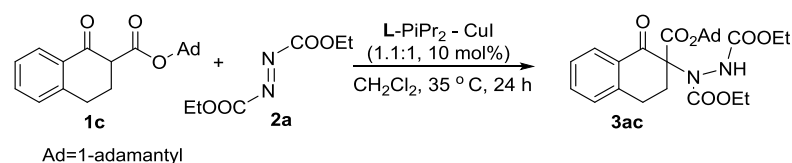
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1. General remarks

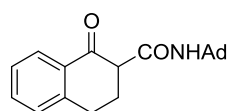
^1H NMR spectra were recorded on commercial instruments (400 MHz). Chemical shifts were reported in ppm from tetramethylsilane with the solvent resonance as the internal standard (CDCl_3 , $\delta = 7.26$). Spectra are reported as follows: chemical shift (δ ppm), multiplicity (s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, q = quartet, m = multiplet), coupling constants (Hz), integration, and assignment. ^{13}C NMR spectra were collected on commercial instruments (100 MHz) with complete proton decoupling. Chemical shifts are reported in ppm from the tetramethylsilane with the solvent resonance as internal standard (CDCl_3 , $\delta = 77.16$). The enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC analysis on commercial chiral columns. Optical rotations were measured on a commercial polarimeter and reported as follows: $[\alpha]_D^{25}$ (c = g/100 mL, solvent). HR-ESIMS spectra were recorded using a commercial apparatus and methanol was used to dissolve the sample. Unless otherwise indicated, reagents obtained from commercial sources were used without further purification. Solvents were dried and distilled prior to use according to the standard methods. Azodicarboxylates were obtained from commercial sources but should be distilled or recrystallized prior to use. Substrates **1** were prepared according to the literature and references therein.^[1] The *N,N'*-dioxides were prepared according to the methods reported in the literature.^[2] The racemic products of the catalytic asymmetric amination reactions were prepared with the CuI.

2. Typical experimental procedure for the catalytic asymmetric α -Amination reaction



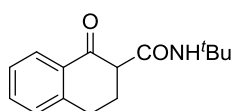
A dry reaction tube was charged with CuI (1.9 mg, 0.01 mmol), **L-PiPr₂** (7.2 mg, 0.011 mmol) and substrate **1c** (0.1 mmol). Then, CH_2Cl_2 (0.5 mL) was added and the mixture was stirred at 35 °C for 0.5 h. Next, substrate **2a** (0.12 mmol) was added. The mixture was stirred at 35 °C for 24 hours. The residue was purified by flash chromatography (petroleum ether/AcOEt, 5:1 to 3:1) on silica gel to afford the products. The enantiomeric excesses (*ee*) were determined by high-performance liquid chromatography (HPLC).

3. Characterization of the substrate **4**

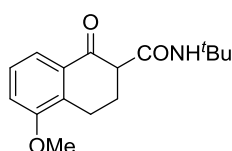


4a (Table 3, entries 1-3): $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{25}\text{NO}_2$ ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 °C, TMS): $\delta = 8.01$ -8.03 (d, 1H, $J = 8.0$ Hz), 7.47-7.51 (t, 1H, $J = 8.0$ Hz), 7.23-7.33 (m, 2H), 6.72 (s, 1H), 3.28 -3.32 (m, 1H), 2.84-3.18 (m, 2H), 2.39-2.45 (m, 2H), 2.03-2.06 (m, 9H), 1.67-1.71 (m, 6H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 °C): $\delta = 196.9$, 166.1, 144.9, 134.1, 131.8, 128.8, 127.7, 126.6, 53.2, 52.0, 41.4, 36.4, 29.4, 27.7, 25.2. ESI-HRMS: calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{25}\text{NO}_2\text{Na}^+$, ($[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$) 346.1783, found

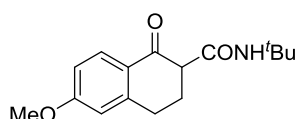
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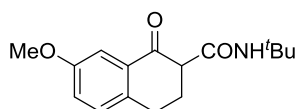
4b (Table 3, entry 4-6): C₁₅H₁₉NO₂ ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C, TMS): δ = 8.02 -8.04 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.0 Hz), 7.48-7.52 (t, 1H, *J* = 7.2 Hz), 7.25-7.34 (m, 2H), 6.91 (s, 1H), 3.28-3.32 (m, 1H), 2.85-2.95 (m, 2H), 2.41-2.46 (m, 2H), 1.37 (s, 9H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C): δ = 197.1, 166.2, 144.8, 134.2, 134.2, 132.0, 128.8, 127.8, 126.8, 53.2, 51.4, 28.7, 27.8, 25.3. ESI-HRMS: calcd for C₁₅H₁₉NO₂Na⁺, ([M + Na]⁺) 268.1313, found 268.1310.



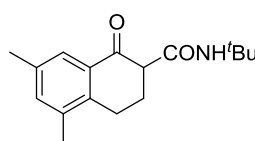
4c (Table 3, entry 7): C₁₆H₂₁NO₃ ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C, TMS): δ = 7.62-7.64 (m, 1H), 7.25-7.29 (m, 1H), 7.02-7.04 (m, 1H), 6.89 (s, 1H), 3.86 (s, 3H), 3.24-3.27 (m, 1H), 2.82-3.14 (m, 2H), 2.38-2.44 (m, 2H), 1.36 (s, 9H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C): δ = 197.3, 167.0, 156.6, 133.9, 132.9, 126.9, 119.1, 114.8, 55.6, 53.0, 51.3, 29.6, 28.6, 24.7, 21.3. ESI-HRMS: calcd for C₁₆H₂₀NO₃⁻, ([M - H]⁻) 274.1448, found 274.1435.



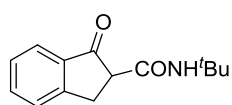
4d (Table 3, entry 8): C₁₆H₂₁NO₃ ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C, TMS): δ = 7.52-7.72 (m, 1H), 7.00 (s, 1H), 6.81-6.84 (m, 1H), 6.69-7.00 (m, 1H), 4.21-4.23 (m, 1H), 3.86 (s, 3H), 3.24-3.27 (m, 1H), 3.06-3.14 (m, 1H), 2.82-2.86 (m, 1H), 2.38-2.44 (m, 2H), 1.36 (s, 9H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C): δ = 195.9, 166.6, 164.3, 147.6, 132.5, 130.2, 125.5, 113.3, 112.5, 68.2, 55.5, 51.3, 38.7, 28.8, 25.3, 23.1, 14.2. ESI-HRMS: calcd for C₁₆H₂₀NO₃⁻, ([M - H]⁻) 274.1448, found 274.1439.



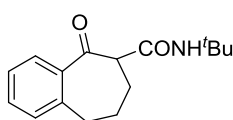
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4f (Table 3, entry 10): C₁₇H₂₃NO₂ ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C, TMS): δ = 7.72-7.50 (m, 1H), 7.50 (s, 1H), 6.96 (s, 1H), 6.67 (s, 1H), 3.95 (s, 3H), 3.91 (s, 3H), 3.23-3.26 (m, 1H), 3.06-3.13 (m, 1H), 2.79-2.87 (m, 1H), 2.39-2.45 (m, 2H), 1.37 (s, 9H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C): δ = 195.8, 166.6, 154.4, 148.1, 140.3, 131.0, 128.8, 125.1, 110.2, 108.7, 68.2, 56.1, 52.6, 51.4, 38.8, 28.8, 27.6, 25.6, 23.8, 14.0, 11.1. ESI-HRMS: calcd for C₁₇H₂₂NO₂⁻, ([M - H]⁻) 272.1656, found 272.1653.

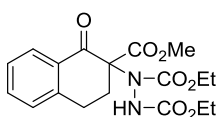


4g (Table 3, entry 11): C₁₄H₁₇NO₂ ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C, TMS): δ = 7.73-7.75 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.0 Hz), 7.60-7.64 (m, 1H), 7.50-7.52 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.0 Hz), 7.36-7.40 (m, 1H), 7.03 (s, 1H), 3.75-3.80 (m, 1H), 3.49-3.52 (m, 1H), 3.27-3.33 (m, 1H), 1.39 (s, 9H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C): δ = 203.9, 165.3, 154.5, 135.8, 135.5, 127.6, 126.8, 124.4, 53.6, 51.5, 28.8, 28.6. ESI-HRMS: calcd for C₁₄H₁₆NO₂⁻, ([M - H]⁻) 230.1186, found 230.1185.

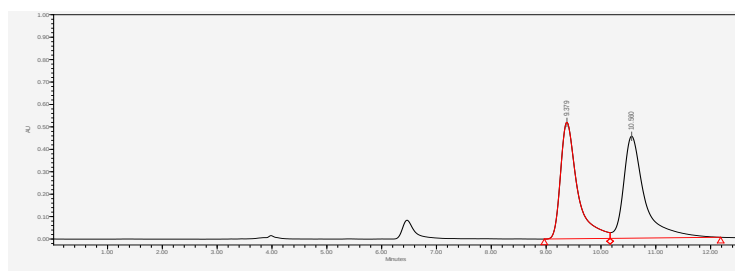


4h (Table 3, entry 12): $C_{16}H_{21}NO_2$ 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 $^{\circ}C$, TMS): δ = 7.62-7.64 (m, 1H), 7.41-7.43 (m, 1H), 7.28-7.32 (m, 1H, J = 8.0 Hz), 7.20-7.22 (d, 1H, J = 8.0 Hz), 7.10 (s, 1H), 3.53-3.57 (m, 1H), 2.89-2.92 (m, 2H), 1.90-2.17 (m, 4H), 1.38 (s, 9H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 $^{\circ}C$): δ = 206.1, 167.5, 141.4, 139.0, 132.4, 129.7, 128.4, 126.6, 53.3, 51.2, 32.5, 29.2, 28.8, 26.9, 24.4. ESI-HRMS: calcd for $C_{16}H_{20}NO_2^-$, ($[M - H]^-$) 258.1499, found 258.1494.

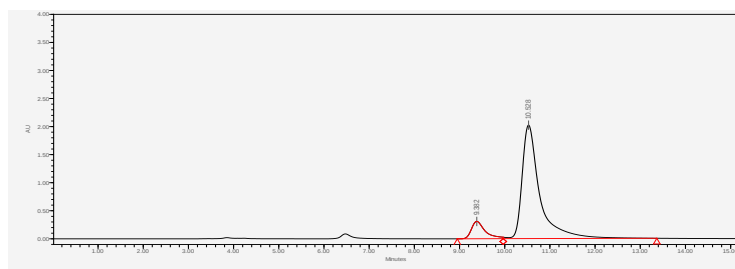
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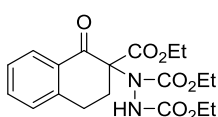
3aa (Table 2, entry 1): $C_{18}H_{22}N_2O_7$ Yellow oil in 94% yield. $[\alpha]^{25.8}_D = -16.111$ (c = 0.76 in CH_2Cl_2). 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 $^{\circ}C$, TMS): δ = 7.92 -8.00 (m, 1H), 7.46-7.50 (m, 1H), 7.21-7.30 (m, 2H), 6.48-6.74 (m, 1H), 3.97 -4.25 (m, 4H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 2.72-3.52 (m, 4H), 1.25-1.29 (t, 3H, J = 7.2 Hz), 1.17-1.11 (m, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 $^{\circ}C$): δ = 169.3, 156.9, 143.7, 133.8, 133.4, 132.2, 131.7, 128.5, 127.9, 126.7, 75.6, 68.4, 68.4, 25.7, 5, 63.3, 62.0, 52.9, 31.1, 25.7, 14.3. Enantiomeric excesses HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALPAK IA, hexane/ 2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): t_R major = 10.52 min, t_R minor = 9.38 min. ESI-HRMS: calcd for $C_{18}H_{22}N_2O_7Na^+$, ($[M + Na]^+$) 401.1325, found 401.1318.



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2	10.560	12056985	51.88

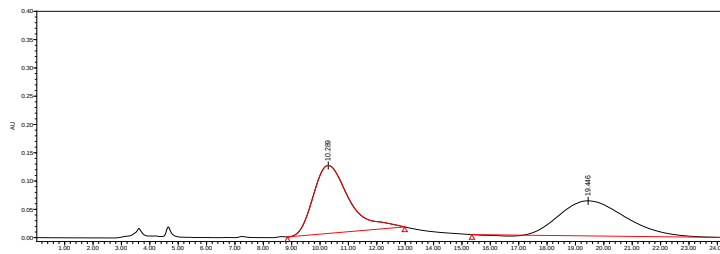


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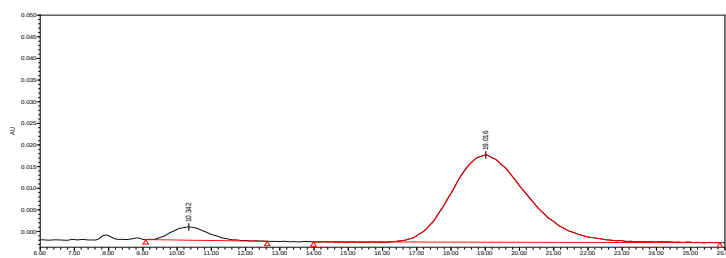


3ba (Table 2, entry 2): $C_{19}H_{24}N_2O_7$ Yellow oil in 92% yield. $[\alpha]^{25.8}_D = -13.412$ (c = 0.75 in CH_2Cl_2). 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 $^{\circ}C$, TMS): δ = 7.92 -8.01 (m, 1H), 7.46-7.50 (m, 1H), 7.24-7.30 (m, 2H), 6.37-6.65 (m, 1H), 3.95 -4.31 (m, 6H), 2.68-3.68 (m, 4H), 1.24-1.29 (m, 6H), 1.09-1.18 (m,

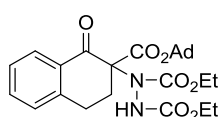
3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 $^\circ\text{C}$): δ = 168.6, 157.0, 144.1, 133.8, 133.3, 132.3, 131.7, 128.6, 128.5, 128.1, 127.9, 126.7, 75.5, 63.2, 62.5, 62.0, 31.0, 25.7, 14.4, 13.8. Enantiomeric excesses HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALPAK ASH, hexane/ 2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): t_{R} major = 19.01 min, t_{R} minor = 10.34 min. ESI-HRMS: calcd for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{24}\text{N}_2\text{O}_7\text{Na}^+$, $([\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+)$ 415.1481, found 415.1474.



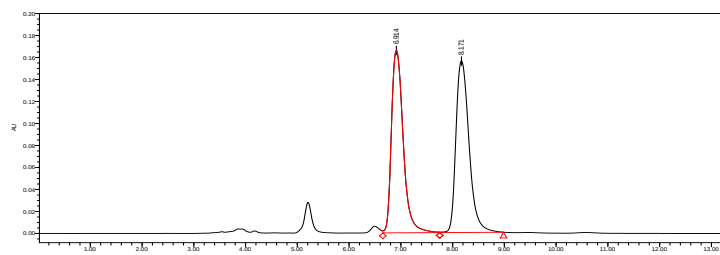
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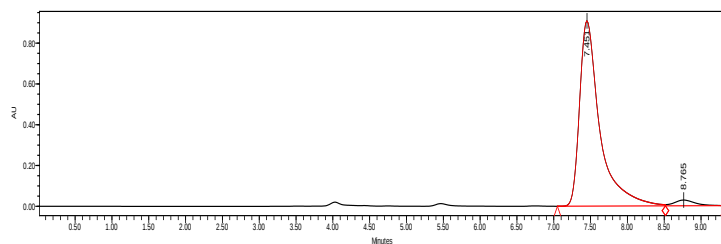


3ca (Table 2, entry 3): $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{34}\text{N}_2\text{O}_7$ white oil in 96% yield. $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25.8} = -14.859$ ($c = 0.90$ in CH_2Cl_2). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 $^\circ\text{C}$, TMS): δ = 7.80-8.01 (m, 1H), 7.44-7.49 (m, 1H), 7.20-7.32 (m, 2H), 6.24-6.67 (m, 1H), 3.98-4.32 (m, 4H), 2.64-3.42 (m, 4H), 2.09-2.15 (m, 9H), 1.63 (s, 6H), 1.27-1.31 (t, 3H, $J = 7.2$ Hz), 1.09-1.18 (m, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 $^\circ\text{C}$): δ = 167.2, 133.6, 133.3, 128.6, 128.2, 127.8, 126.7, 83.8, 83.1, 75.8, 63.4, 62.0, 41.1, 36.3, 31.4, 30.9, 27.0, 25.9, 14.5. Enantiomeric excesses HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALPAK IA, hexane/ 2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): t_{R} major = 7.45 min, t_{R} minor = 8.76 min. ESI-HRMS: calcd for $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{34}\text{N}_2\text{O}_7\text{Na}^+$, $([\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+)$ 521.2258, found 521.2255.

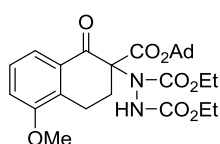


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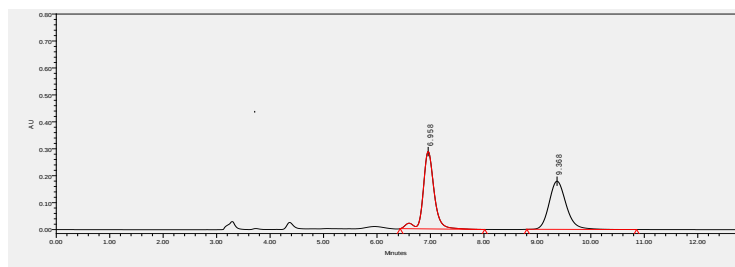
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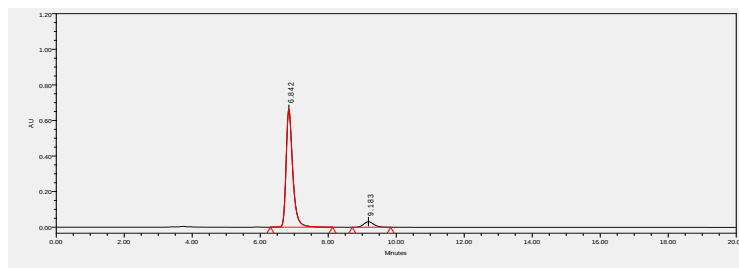
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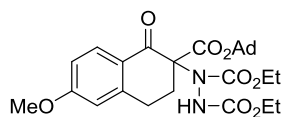
3da (Table 2, entry 4): C₂₈H₃₆N₂O₈ Yellow oil in 91% yield. $[\alpha]^{25.8}_{\text{D}} = -12.373$ ($c = 0.96$ in CH₂Cl₂). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C, TMS): $\delta = 7.51$ -7.61 (m, 1H), 7.23-7.27 (m, 1H), 6.99 -7.01 (d, 1H, $J = 8$ Hz), 6.23-6.61 (m, 1H), 4.00-4.24 (m, 4H), 3.85-3.86 (m, 3H), 2.61 -3.29 (m, 4H), 2.10-2.14 (m, 9H), 1.63(s, 6H), 1.27-1.30 (m, 3H), 1.11-1.18 (m, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C): $\delta = 167.2, 156.4, 133.3, 132.7, 127.2, 119.9, 114.3, 114.0, 83.7, 83.0, 75.5, 63.3, 62.0, 55.7, 41.1, 36.2, 30.9, 26.9, 20.2, 19.8, 14.5$. Enantiomeric excesses HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALPAK ASH, hexane/ 2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): t_{R} major = 6.84 min, t_{R} minor = 9.18 min. ESI-HRMS: calcd for C₂₈H₃₆N₂O₈Na⁺, ($[M + Na]^+$) 551.2364, found 551.2343.



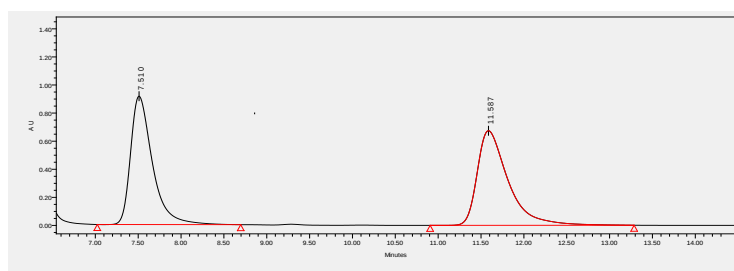
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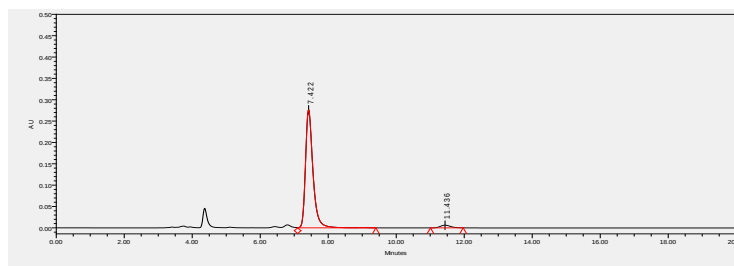
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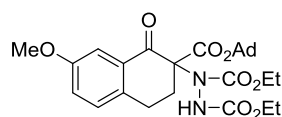
3ea (Table 2, entry 5): $C_{28}H_{36}N_2O_8$ Yellow oil in 98% yield. $[\alpha]^{25.8}_D = -16.096$ ($c = 0.92$ in CH_2Cl_2). 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 °C, TMS): $\delta = 7.88-7.99$ (m, 1H), 6.79-6.84 (m, 1H), 6.66-6.69 (m, 1H), 6.30-6.51 (m, 1H), 3.85-4.24 (m, 4H), 3.85 (s, 3H), 2.62-3.32 (m, 4H), 2.12-2.15 (m, 9H), 1.64 (s, 6H), 1.27-1.30 (m, 3H), 1.10-1.18 (m, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 °C): $\delta = 190.0, 163.8, 163.6, 130.5, 130.1, 125.9, 125.4, 113.5, 112.1, 83.1, 82.9, 75.6, 63.1, 61.8, 55.5, 41.0, 36.1, 31.3, 30.8, 26.9, 26.0, 20.2, 14.4$. Enantiomeric excesses HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALPAK ASH, hexane/ 2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): t_R major = 7.42 min, t_R minor = 11.44 min. ESI-HRMS: calcd for $C_{28}H_{36}N_2O_8Na^+$, ($[M + Na]^+$) 551.2364, found 551.2380



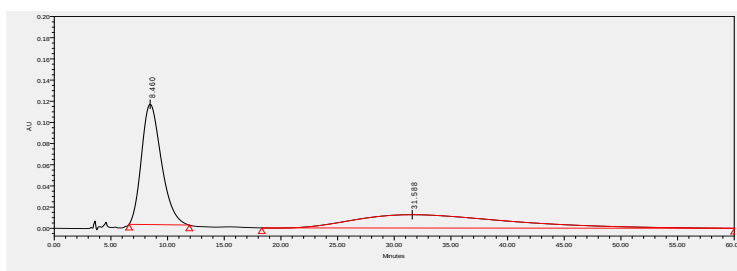
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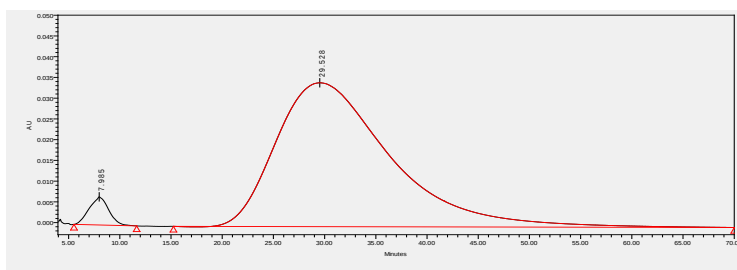
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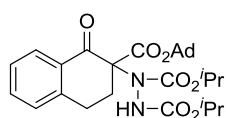
3fa (Table 2, entry 6): $C_{28}H_{36}N_2O_8$ Yellow oil in 95% yield. $[\alpha]^{25.8}_D = -21.373$ ($c = 0.88$ in CH_2Cl_2). 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 °C, TMS): $\delta = 7.39-7.49$ (m, 1H), 7.11-7.16 (m, 1H), 7.05-7.07 (m, 1H), 6.23-6.469 (m, 1H), 4.02-4.25 (m, 4H), 3.80-3.83 (m, 3H), 3.85 (s, 3H), 2.64-3.30 (m, 4H), 2.10-2.15 (m, 9H), 1.63 (s, 6H), 1.27-1.31 (m, 3H), 1.11-1.20 (m, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 °C): $\delta = 158.3, 129.8, 122.2, 122.1, 109.8, 109.5, 83.8, 83.2, 75.6, 63.2, 62.0, 55.5, 41.1, 36.1, 31.8, 30.7, 25.2, 14.5$. Enantiomeric excesses HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALPAK ASH, hexane/ 2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): t_R major = 29.53 min, t_R minor = 7.99 min. calcd for $C_{28}H_{36}N_2O_8Na^+$, ($[M + Na]^+$) 551.2364, found 551.2360.



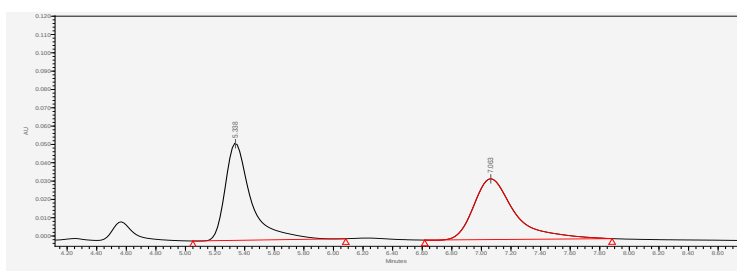
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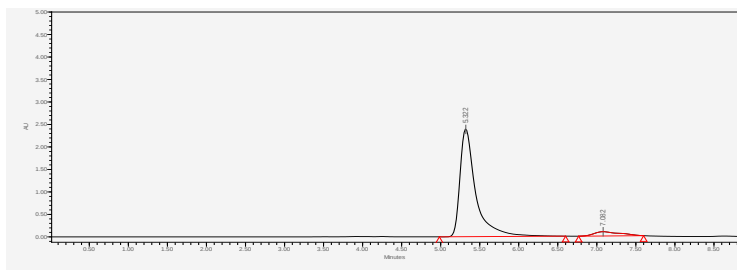
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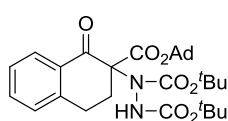
3b (Table 2, entry 7): $C_{29}H_{38}N_2O_7$ Yellow oil in 95% yield. $[\alpha]^{25.8}_D = -17.545$ ($c = 1.02$ in CH_2Cl_2). 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 °C, TMS): $\delta = 7.89$ -8.00 (m, 1H), 7.45-7.48 (m, 1H), 7.19 -7.29 (m, 2H), 6.17-6.56 (m, 1H), 4.68-5.14 (m, 2H), 2.62 -3.44 (m, 4H), 2.10-2.13 (m, 9H), 1.64 (s, 6H), 1.21-1.39 (m, 6H), 0.79-1.14 (m, 6H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 °C): $\delta = 156.4$, 155.2, 133.7, 133.2, 128.5, 128.1, 127.7, 126.7, 126.6, 83.7, 83.0, 75.7, 69.6, 41.2, 41.1, 36.2, 30.1, 29.5, 25.8, 25.7, 22.2, 22.0, 21.9. Enantiomeric excesses HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALPAK ASH, hexane/ 2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): t_R major = 5.32 min, t_R minor = 7.08 min. calcd for $C_{29}H_{38}N_2O_7Na^+$, $([M + Na]^+)$ 549.2571, found 549.2587.



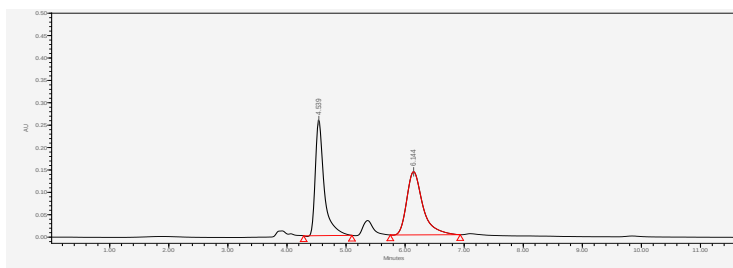
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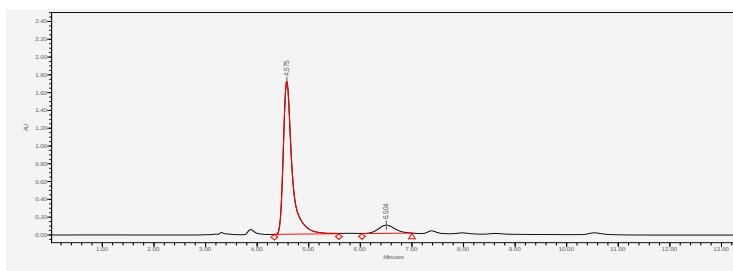
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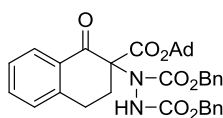
3cc (Table 2, entry 8): $C_{31}H_{42}N_2O_7$ Yellow oil in 76% yield. $[\alpha]^{25.8}_D = -11.770$ ($c = 1.09$ in CH_2Cl_2). 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 °C, TMS): $\delta = 7.85-8.01$ (m, 1H), 7.20-7.46 (m, 3H), 6.03-6.52 (m, 1H), 2.56-3.42 (m, 4H), 2.01-2.18 (m, 9H), 1.63-1.66 (m, 6H), 1.39-1.51 (m, 12H), 1.15-1.19 (m, 6H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 °C): $\delta = 156.0, 154.3, 133.6, 129.0, 128.0, 126.7, 83.3, 82.7, 81.0, 40.9, 36.0, 30.7, 28.4, 25.7$. Enantiomeric excesses HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALPAK IA, hexane/ 2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): t_R major = 4.58 min, t_R minor = 6.50 min. calcd for $C_{31}H_{42}N_2O_7Na^+$, ($[M + Na]^+$) 577.2890, found 577.2894.



Peak	Retention Time	Area	% Area
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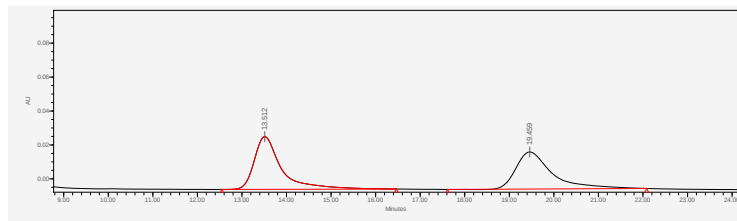


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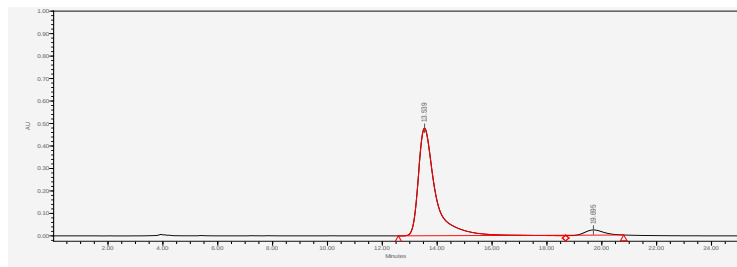


3cd (Table 2, entry 9): $C_{37}H_{38}N_2O_7$ Yellow oil in 98% yield. $[\alpha]^{25.8}_D = -27.417$ ($c = 1.22$ in CH_2Cl_2). 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 °C, TMS): $\delta = 7.87-7.88$ (m, 1H), 7.01-7.46 (m, 13H), 6.38-6.84 (m, 1H), 4.59-5.20 (m, 4H), 2.66-3.30 (m, 4H), 2.00-2.10 (m, 9H), 1.59 (s, 6H). ^{13}C NMR

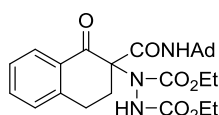
(100 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C): δ = 167.5, 135.6, 133.4, 133.1, 128.6, 128.5, 128.3, 128.1, 128.0, 126.9, 126.7, 126.6, 75.8, 67.9, 67.5, 41.1, 36.0, 31.3, 30.9, 25.9. Enantiomeric excesses HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALPAK ASH, hexane/ 2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): t_R major = 13.54 min, t_R minor = 19.70 min. calcd for C₃₇H₃₈N₂O₇ Na⁺, ([M + Na]⁺) 645.2577, found 645.2576.



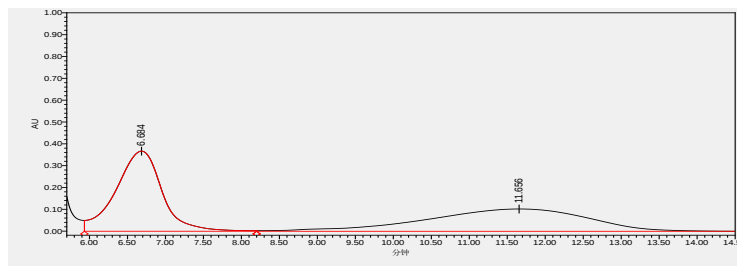
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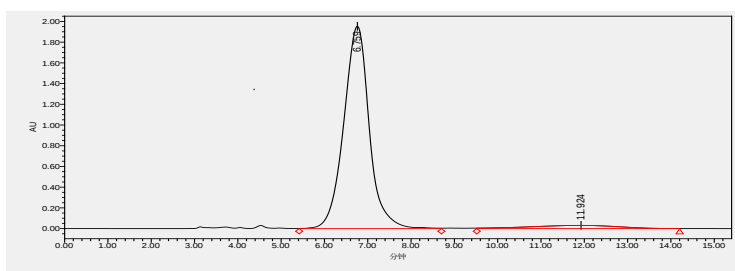
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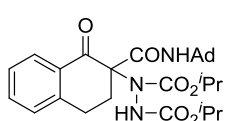
5aa (Table 3, entry 1): C₂₇H₃₅N₃O₆ Yellow oil in 95% yield. $[\alpha]^{25.8}_D = -84.538$ (c = 0.93 in CH₂Cl₂). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C, TMS): δ = 7.88-8.02 (m, 1H), 7.17-7.57 (m, 4H), 6.82 (m, 1H), 4.08-4.29 (m, 4H), 2.28-3.25 (m, 4H), 2.01-2.04 (m, 9H), 1.64 (s, 1.64), 1.22-1.33 (m, 6H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C): δ = 193.4, 168.3, 166.5, 143.0, 142.0, 133.9, 133.1, 128.4, 126.7, 75.0, 62.9, 51.8, 40.9, 36.4, 29.7, 26.7, 14.4, 14.0. Enantiomeric excesses HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALPAK IA, hexane/ 2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): t_R major = 6.76 min, t_R minor = 11.92 min. calcd for C₂₇H₃₅N₃O₆ Na⁺, ([M + Na]⁺) 520.2429, found 520.2424.



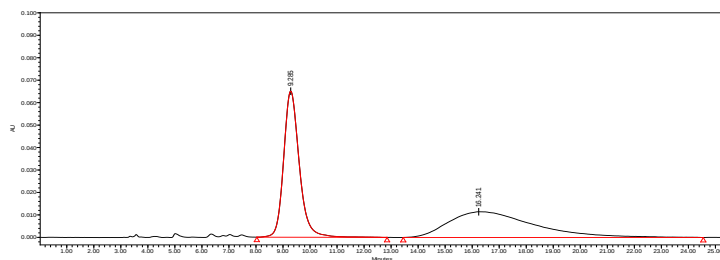
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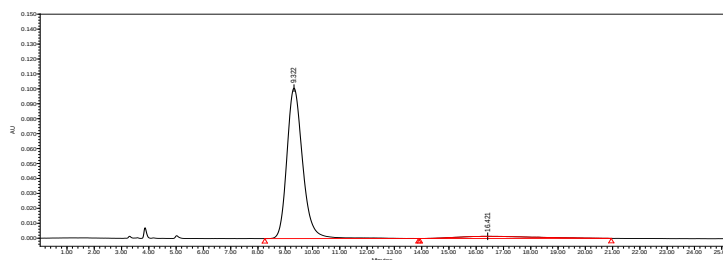
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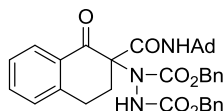
5ab (Table 3, entry 2): $C_{29}H_{39}N_3O_6$ Yellow oil in 90% yield. $[\alpha]^{25.8}_D = -89.355$ ($c = 0.97$ in CH_2Cl_2). 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 °C, TMS): $\delta = 7.76-8.01$ (m, 1H), 6.74-7.43 (m, 5H), 4.91-5.06 (m, 2H), 2.25-3.25 (m, 4H), 2.01-2.09 (m, 9H), 1.64-1.66 (m, 6H), 1.16-1.34 (m, 12H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 °C): $\delta = 193.7, 168.3, 159.0, 156.9, 155.5, 143.1, 141.9, 133.8, 128.5, 126.8, 126.5, 83.7, 83.0, 74.9, 72.4, 70.4, 52.4, 51.7, 41.2, 36.5, 29.5, 25.8, 26.5, 22.3, 22.0, 21.9, 21.5$. Enantiomeric excesses HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALPAK IA, hexane/ 2-propanol = 80/20, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): t_R major = 9.32 min, t_R minor = 16.42 min. calcd for $C_{29}H_{39}N_3O_6 Na^+$, $([M + Na]^+)$ 549.2571, found 549.2573.



Peak	Retention Time	Area	% Area
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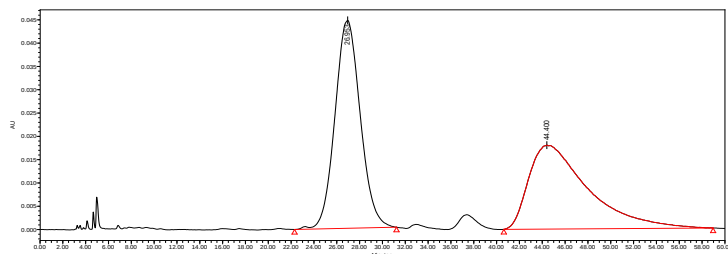


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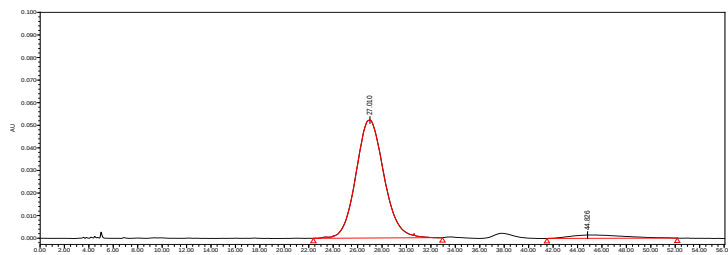


5ad (Table 3, entry 3): $C_{37}H_{39}N_3O_6$ Yellow oil in 96% yield. $[\alpha]^{25.8}_D = -74.252$ ($c = 1.07$ in CH_2Cl_2). 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 °C, TMS): $\delta = 7.78-7.99$ (m, 1H), 7.04-7.49 (m, 15H), 4.91-5.29 (m, 4H), 2.25-3.25

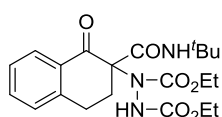
(m, 4H), 1.77-1.97(m, 6H), 1.54-1.62 (m, 9H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 $^\circ\text{C}$): δ =193.4, 167.9, 159.2, 157.2, 155.9, 143.2, 142.0, 135.2, 132.3, 128.7, 128.6, 128.4, 128.2, 128.1, 127.2, 126.8, 75.1, 68.1, 51.8, 40.9, 36.4, 29.4, 26.5. Enantiomeric excesses HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALPAK ID, hexane/ 2-propanol = 80/20, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): t_{R} major =27.01 min, t_{R} minor = 44.83 min. calcd for $\text{C}_{37}\text{H}_{39}\text{N}_3\text{O}_6 \text{Na}^+$, $([\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+)$ 644.2737, found 644.2734.



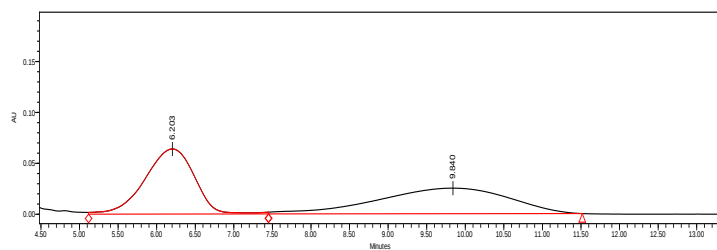
Peak	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	26.953	6887386	51.47
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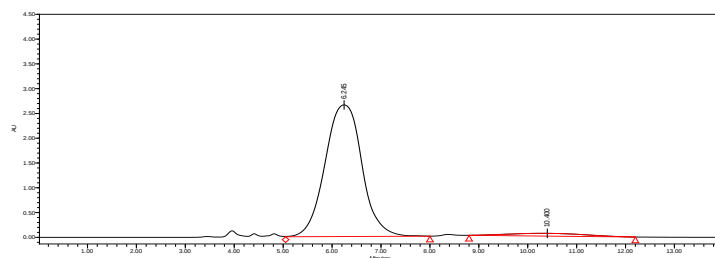


5ba (Table 3, entry 4): $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{29}\text{N}_3\text{O}_6$ Yellow oil in 96% yield. $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25.8} = -112.857$ ($c = 0.75$ in CH_2Cl_2). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 $^\circ\text{C}$, TMS): δ = 7.89-8.02 (m, 1H), 7.17-7.71 (m, 4H), 6.61-6.84 (m, 1H), 4.14- 4.28 (m, 4H), 2.29-3.22 (m, 4H), 0.86 -1.75 (m, 15H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 $^\circ\text{C}$): δ =193.6, 168.6, 159.5, 157.4, 143.1, 142.0, 133.8, 133.1, 128.8, 128.3, 127.3, 126.9, 63.7, 62.9, 51.7, 51.2, 33.0, 28.5, 26.6, 14.0. Enantiomeric excesses HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALPAK IA, hexane/ 2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): t_{R} major =6.24 min, t_{R} minor = 10.40 min. calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{29}\text{N}_3\text{O}_6 \text{Na}^+$, $([\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+)$ 442.1954, found 442.1958.

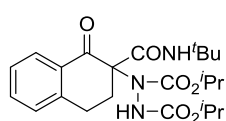


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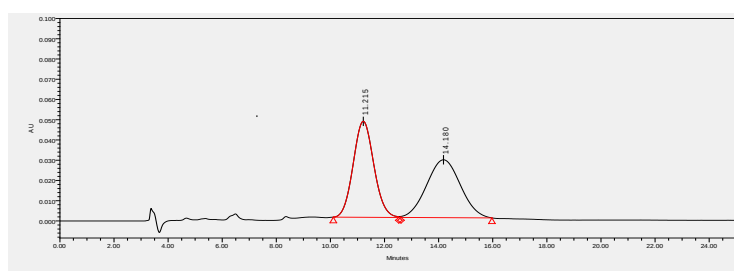
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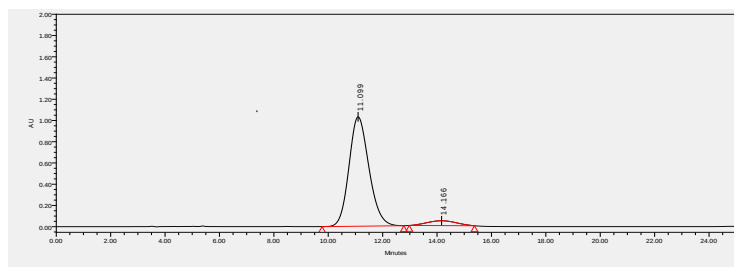
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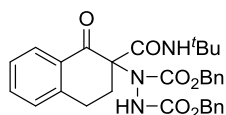
5bb (Table 3, entry 5): $C_{23}H_{33}N_3O_6$ Yellow oil in 90% yield. $[\alpha]^{25.8}_D = -104.392$ ($c = 0.84$ in CH_2Cl_2). 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 °C, TMS): $\delta = 7.96$ -8.01 (m, 1H), 7.16-7.88 (m, 4H), 6.63-6.86 (m, 1H), 4.92-5.02 (m, 2H), 2.27-3.22 (m, 4H), 1.20-1.38 (m, 21H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 °C): $\delta = 193.7, 168.3, 166.9, 158.8, 156.9, 155.4, 143.1, 133.7, 132.5, 128.7, 128.1, 127.1, 127.0, 126.7, 72.5, 70.4, 51.9, 51.1, 33.1, 26.5, 21.8, 21.5$. Enantiomeric excesses HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALPAK ID, hexane/ 2-propanol = 80/20, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): t_R major = 11.09 min, t_R minor = 14.16 min. calcd for $C_{23}H_{33}N_3O_6 Na^+$, $([M + Na]^+)$ 470.2262, found 470.2265



Peak	Retention Time	Area	% Area
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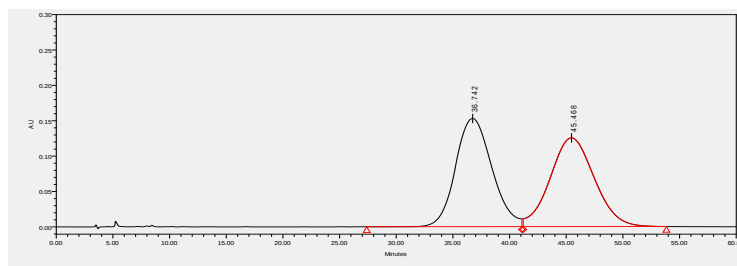


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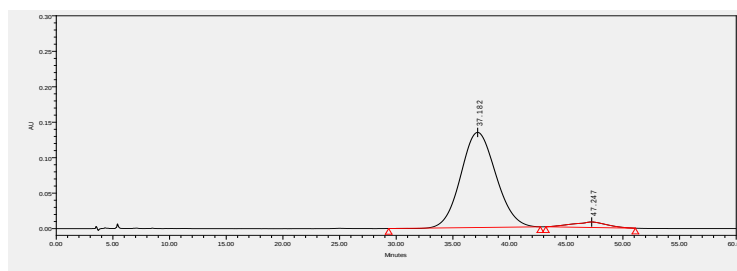


5bd (Table 3, entry 6): $C_{31}H_{33}N_3O_6$ Yellow oil in 94% yield. $[\alpha]^{25.8}_D = -97.508$ ($c = 0.99$ in CH_2Cl_2). 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 °C, TMS):

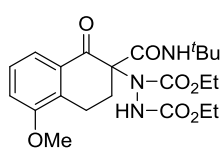
δ = 7.92-8.00 (m, 1H), 6.95-7.86 (m, 15H), 5.01-5.30 (m, 4H), 2.27-3.20 (m, 4H), 1.17-1.30 (m, 9H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 °C): δ = 166.5, 143.1, 141.8, 135.1, 133.2, 128.7, 128.6, 128.2, 128.1, 127.9, 127.0, 126.8, 68.8, 68.3, 51.7, 51.1, 32.7, 31.2, 28.3, 26.5. Enantiomeric excesses HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALPAK ID, hexane/ 2-propanol = 80/20, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): t_{R} major = 37.18 min, t_{R} minor = 47.25 min. calcd for $\text{C}_{31}\text{H}_{33}\text{N}_3\text{O}_6 \text{Na}^+$, ($[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$) 566.2267, found 566.2277



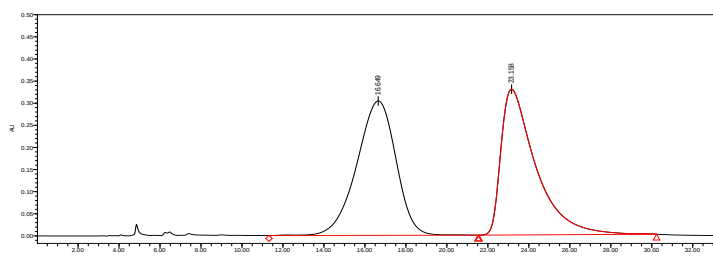
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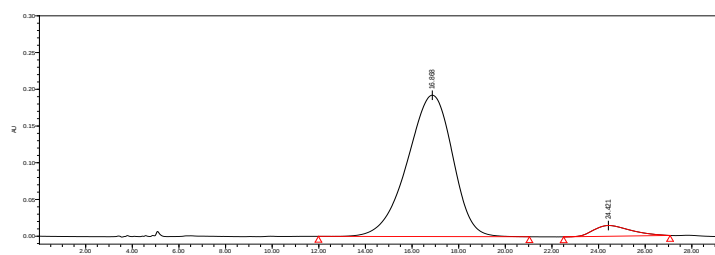
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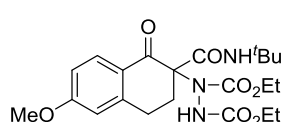
5ca (Table 3, entry 7): $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{31}\text{N}_3\text{O}_7$ Yellow oil in 90% yield. $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{22.6} = -146.617$ ($c = 0.81$ in CH_2Cl_2). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 °C, TMS): δ = 7.69 (s, 1H), 7.51-7.60 (m, 1H), 7.23-7.34 (m, 2H), 6.96-7.02 (m, 1H), 6.64- 6.81 (m, 1H), 4.13-4.34 (m, 4H), 3.84-3.86 (m, 3H), 2.31-3.19 (m, 4H), 1.20 -1.38 (m, 15H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 °C): δ = 193.8, 168.1, 155.8, 130.8, 127.3, 118.7, 113.7, 74.1, 63.4, 55.7, 50.7, 32.1, 28.2, 20.6, 14.3. Enantiomeric excesses HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALPAK ID, hexane/ 2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): t_{R} major = 16.86 min, t_{R} minor = 24.42 min. calcd for $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{30}\text{N}_3\text{O}_7^-$, ($[\text{M} - \text{H}]^-$) 448.2089, found 448.2087.



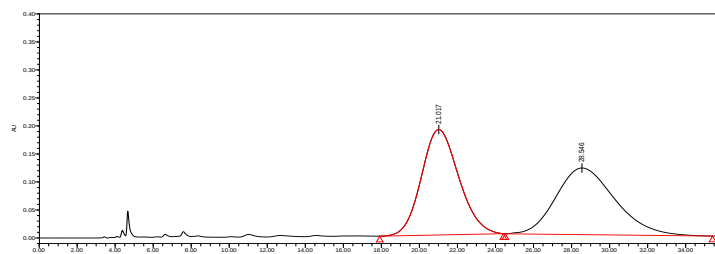
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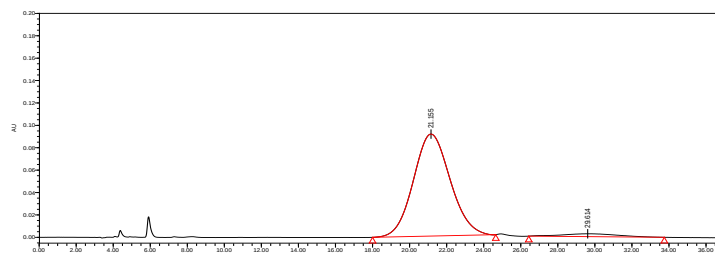
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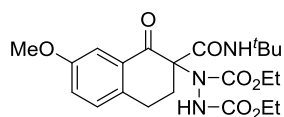
5da (Table 3, entry 8): $C_{22}H_{31}N_3O_7$ Yellow oil in 93% yield. $[\alpha]^{22.6}_D = -158.333$ ($c = 0.84$ in CH_2Cl_2). 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 °C, TMS): $\delta = 7.85$ -8.00 (m, 1H), 7.67 (s, 1H), 6.77-6.90 (m, 2H), 6.64-6.67 (m, 1H), 4.14-4.29 (m, 4H), 3.82-3.85 (m, 3H), 2.26-3.20 (m, 4H), 1.22 -1.36 (m, 15H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 °C): $\delta = 191.9$, 164.0, 163.4, 156.0, 145.7, 144.4, 130.6, 129.7, 127.0, 125.7, 113.4, 112.3, 63.4, 62.8, 62.5, 55.5, 51.6, 51.2, 28.4, 26.8, 14.3. Enantiomeric excesses HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALPAK ID, hexane/ 2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): t_R major = 21.15 min, t_R minor = 29.61 min. calcd for $C_{22}H_{30}N_3O_7^-$, $([M - H]^-)$ 448.2089, found 448.2085.



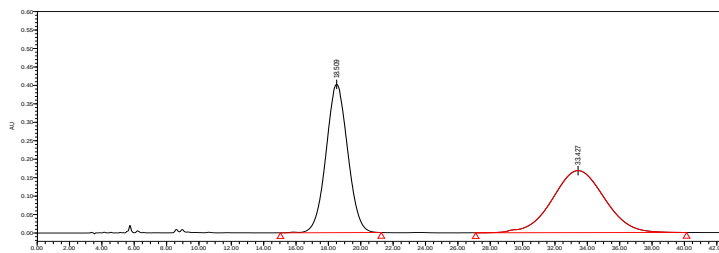
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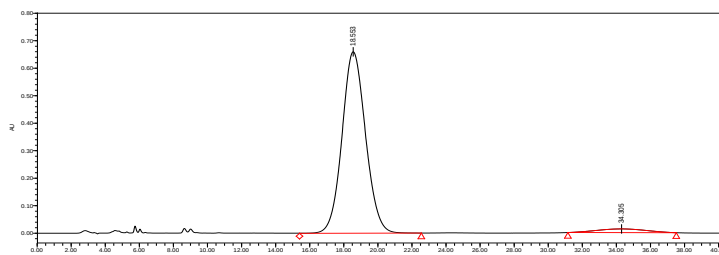
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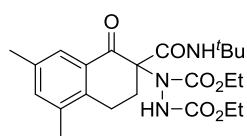
5ea (Table 3, entry 4): $C_{22}H_{31}N_3O_7$ Yellow oil in 92% yield. $[\alpha]^{22.6}_D = -172.205$ ($c = 0.83$ in CH_2Cl_2). 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 °C, TMS): $\delta = 7.72$ (s, 1H), 7.35-7.49 (m, 1H), 6.79-7.15 (m, 3H), 6.64-6.67 (m, 1H), 4.13-4.31 (m, 4H), 3.76-3.81 (m, 3H), 2.25-3.11 (m, 4H), 1.23 -1.37 (m, 15H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 °C): $\delta = 193.5, 168.5, 159.6, 158.2, 157.2, 156.0, 135.6, 134.3, 129.9, 129.4, 121.5, 109.3, 74.9, 64.1, 63.5, 62.9, 55.4, 51.0, 33.1, 28.2, 25.8, 14.5$. Enantiomeric excesses HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALPAK IE, hexane/ 2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): t_R major = 18.55 min, t_R minor = 34.30 min. calcd for $C_{22}H_{30}N_3O_7^-$, $([M - H])^-$ 448.2089, found 448.2079.



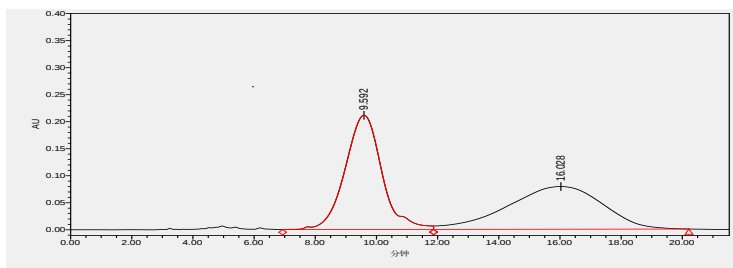
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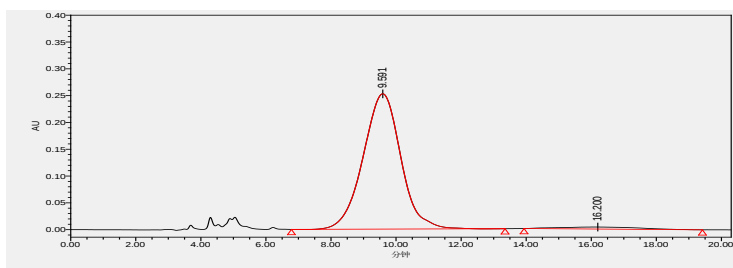
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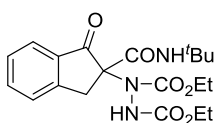
5fa (Table 3, entry 10): $C_{23}H_{33}N_3O_6$ Yellow oil in 89% yield. $[\alpha]^{22.6}_D = -134.250$ ($c = 0.80$ in CH_2Cl_2). 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 °C, TMS): $\delta = 7.59$ -7.69 (m, 2H), 7.13-7.18 (m, 1H), 6.62-6.70 (m, 1H), 6.64-6.67 (m, 1H), 4.14-4.33 (m, 4H), 2.10-3.16 (m, 10H), 1.22 -1.38 (m, 15H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 °C): $\delta = 194.1, 159.6, 135.6, 137.4, 135.5, 125.4, 74.4, 63.0, 50.7, 32.1, 28.2, 21.0, 19.1, 14.3$. Enantiomeric excesses HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALPAK IA, hexane/ 2-propanol = 85/15, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): t_R major = 9.59 min, t_R minor = 16.20 min. calcd for $C_{23}H_{32}N_3O_6^-$, $([M - H])^-$ 446.2296, found 446.2286.



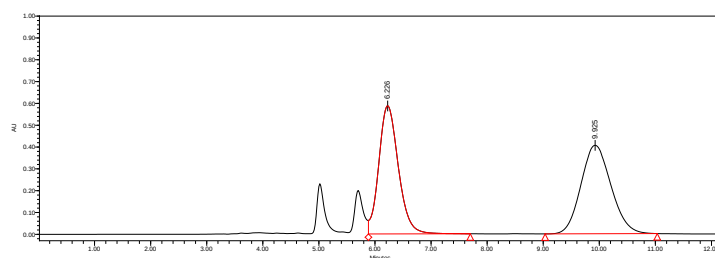
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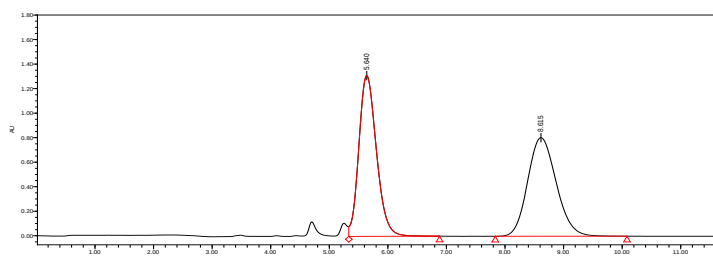
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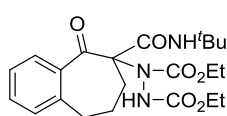
5ga (Table 3, entry 11): $C_{20}H_{27}N_3O_6$ Yellow oil in 82% yield. 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 $^{\circ}C$, TMS): δ = 7.73-7.76 (m, 1H), 7.59-7.63 (m, 1H), 7.45-7.47 (m, 1H), 7.34-7.38 (m, 1H), 6.65-7.27 (m, 2H), 4.43- 4.48 (m, 1H), 4.13- 4.34 (m, 4H), 3.23-3.28 (m, 1H), 1.21 -1.35 (m, 15H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 $^{\circ}C$): δ =155.4, 153.5, 136.2, 133.7, 127.8, 126.4, 125.1, 63.6, 62.8, 51.7, 28.5, 14.5, 14.4, 14.3. Enantiomeric excesses HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALPAK IA, hexane/ 2-propanol = 80/20, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): t_R 1 =5.64 min, t_R 2 = 8.61 min. calcd for $C_{20}H_{26}N_3O_6^-$, ($[M - H]^+$) 404.1827, found 404.1828.



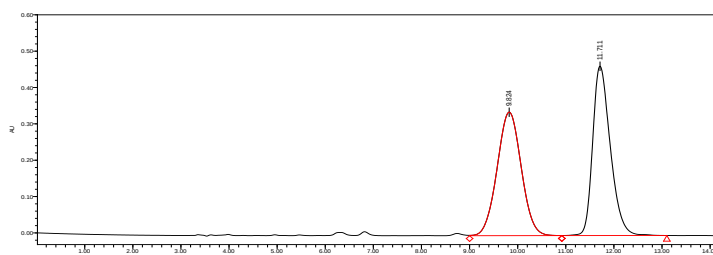
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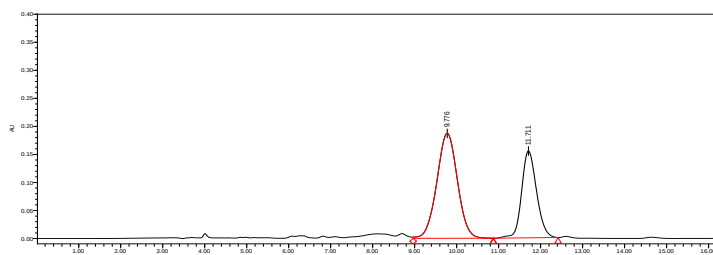
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1	5.640	27357944	50.12
2	8.615	27232193	49.88



5ha (Table 3, entry 12): $C_{22}H_{31}N_3O_6$ Yellow oil in 87% yield. $[\alpha]^{22.6}_D = -18.375$ ($c = 0.75$ in CH_2Cl_2). 1H NMR (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 °C, TMS): $\delta = 7.71$ -8.20 (m, 1H), 7.24-7.39 (m, 2H), 7.09-7.27 (m, 2H), 6.79-6.84 (m, 1H), 4.04- 4.31 (m, 4H), 1.84- 3.91 (m, 6H), 0.89 -1.39 (m, 15H). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, $CDCl_3$, 25 °C): $\delta = 170.8$, 156.0, 139.9, 137.8, 136.1, 130.3, 128.4, 127.9, 126.6, 125.8, 100.0, 64.3, 63.5, 61.7, 51.5, 50.7, 33.9, 28.5, 23.6, 22.7, 14.3. Enantiomeric excesses HPLC (DAICEL CHIRALPAK IE, hexane/ 2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, detection at 254 nm): t_R major = 9.77 min, t_R minor = 11.71 min. calcd for $C_{22}H_{30}N_3O_6^-$, $([M - H]^-)$ 432.2140, found 432.2156.



Peak	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	9.824	11828130	49.87
2	11.711	11891622	50.13



Peak	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	9.776	6377654	62.50
2	11.711	3826734	37.50

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6. Copy of ^1H NMR and ^{13}C NMR spectra for products:

