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Rhodium(I)-Catalyzed Stereoselective [4+2] Cycloaddition of Oxetanols with alkynes through C(sp³)-C(sp³) bond cleavage

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1. General Experiment Information

NMR spectra were recorded at room temperature on the following spectrometers: Agilent (400 MHz) and VARIAN (400 MHz). Chemical shifts are given in ppm and coupling constants in Hz. ¹H spectra were calibrated in relation to the reference measurement of TMS (0.00 ppm). ¹³C spectra were calibrated in relation to deuterated solvents, namely CDCl₃ (77.16 ppm). The following abbreviations were used for ¹H NMR spectra to indicate the signal multiplicity: s (singlet), d (doublet), t (triplet), q (quartet) and m (multiplet) as well as combinations of them. When combinations of multiplicities are given the first character noted refers to the largest coupling constant. High performance liquid chromatography (HPLC) was carried out with Agilent 1260 Infinity on a UV spectrophotometric detector (210 nm, Agilent). For DART-HR and EI⁻HR (GC-TOF) spectrometer was applied. Infrared Spectroscopy (IR) was processed on an FT-IR spectrometer named Nicolet 380. The method is denoted in brackets. For the most significant bands the wave number \tilde{v} (cm⁻¹) is given.

Chemicals were purchased from commercial suppliers, all solvents of flash silica gel column chromatography were purchased from "Adamas-beta". Unless stated otherwise, all the substrates and solvents were purified and dried according to standard methods prior to use. Reactions requiring inert conditions were carried out in glove box.

2. General Procedures

(1) General Procedure A : Synthesis of starting materials



Synthesis of **S-1**

(1) A solution of *n*-butyllithium in hexanes (2.5 M, 12.8 mL, 32.0 mmol) was added dropwise to a solution of (trimethylsilyl)acetylene (30.0 mmol) in anhydrous THF (100 mL) at -78 °C. After 15 min, a solution of an aldehyde (20.0 mmol) in anhydrous THF (10 mL) was added dropwise to the reaction mixture, and the resulting mixture was further stirred at the same temperature for 3 h. The reaction was quenched with saturated NH₄Cl solution, and the mixture was extracted three times with Et₂O. The combined organic layers were washed with brine, dried with anhydrous MgSO₄, and the solvents were evaporated under vacuum to obtain the oily residue.

(2) A solution of tetrabutylammonium fluoride (1.0 M, 24.0 mL, 24.0 mmol) was added dropwise to a solution of oily residue in THF (50 mL) at 0 °C and the mixture was stirred at 0 °C for 15 min. After addition of an aqueous NH_4Cl solution, the mixture was extracted three times with Et_2O . The combined organic layers were washed with brine, dried with anhydrous MgSO₄, and the solvents was evaporated under vacuum. The oily residue was purified by flash silica gel column chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc=10:1) to yield propargylic alcohols **S-1**.

Synthesis of S-2

According to a procedure reported by Limin Zhang et al.^[1] Pyridine *N*-oxide (6.0 mmol), MsOH (18.0 mL, 0.20 M in DCE), and (2-biphenyl)Cy₂PAuNTf₂ (125 mg, 0.15 mmol) were added sequentially to a solution of secondary propargyl alcohol **S-1** (3.0 mmol) in DCE (42 mL) at room temperature. The reaction mixture was stirred at r.t. and the progress of the reaction was monitored by TLC. The reaction typically took 3 - 4 h. Upon completion, the reaction was treated with saturated aqueous NaHCO₃ (15 mL), and the resulting solution was extracted with DCM (2 × 30 mL). The combined organic layers were dried with MgSO₄. The mixture was concentrated and the residue was purified by silica gel flash chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc=5:1) to afford desired products **S-2**.

Synthesis of 1

(a) To a solution of oxetan-3-one S-2 (1.0 mmol) in anhydrous THF (5 ml) at 0 °C was

added a solution of phenylmagnesium bromide in diethyl ether (3.0 M, 0.37 mL, 1.1 mmol). The resulting mixture was further stirred at the same temperature for 2 h. The reaction was quenched with saturated NH₄Cl solution, and the mixture was extracted three times with Et₂O. The combined organic phases were dried over MgSO₄, concentrated in vacuo and the residue was purified by silica gel flash chromatography (hexane/EtOAc = 5:1) to give pure product **1** as white solid.

(b) To a solution of aryl bromide (3.0 mmol) in 10 mL dry THF was added *n*-butyllithium in hexanes (2.5 M, 1.4 mL, 3.4 mmol) at -78 °C. After the addition was finished, the mixture was stirred for 2.5 h, before a solution of oxetan-3-one **S-2** (2.0 mmol) in 3 mL anhydrous THF was added at -78 °C. The mixture was allowed to warm to room temperature over night and quenched with saturated NH₄Cl solution. The aqueous phase was extracted twice with Et₂O, the combined organic phases were dried over MgSO₄, concentrated in vacuo and the residue was purified by silica gel flash chromatography (hexane/EtOAc = 5:1) to give pure products **1**.



(2) General Procedure B : Synthesis of dihydropyran products 2a – 2I

To an oven-dried sealed tube equipped with a stirrer bar was added $[Rh(OH)(COD)]_2$ (1.5 mg, 3 umol, 1.5 mol%), oxetanols **1** (0.20 mmol, 1.0 equiv), alkyne (0.22 mmol, 1.1 equiv), **L5** ^[2] (7.3 mg, 10 umol, 5.0 mol%) and Potassium Carbonate (30.4 mg, 0.22 mmol, 1.1 equiv) in glove box. Then dry toluene (1.0ml) was added. After the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 3d, the resulting mixture was removed from the glove box. The resulting mixture was passed through a pad of silica gel and eluted with ethyl acetate. The filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by silica gel flash chromatography (hexane/EtOAc = 5:1) to give pure products **2**.

(3) General Procedure C : Synthesis of dihydropyran products 4a - 4r



To an oven-dried sealed tube equipped with a stirrer bar was added $[Rh(OH)(COD)]_2$ (2.3 mg, 5 µmol, 2.5 mol%) in glove box. Then, a solution of oxetanols **3** (0.20 mmol, 1.0 equiv) and alkyne (0.22 mmol, 1.1 equiv) in dry toluene (1 mL) was added. The tube was sealed and removed from the glove box. After stirred at 110 °C for 6 h, the reaction mixture was cooled to room temperature. The resulting mixture was passed through a pad of silica gel and eluted with ethyl acetate. The filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by silica gel flash chromatography (hexane/EtOAc = 5:1) to give pure products **4**.

3. Unsuccessful cases under current reaction



conditions

The above experiments suggest the presence of oxygen in the oxetanol facilitate the addition of sp3C-Rh species to the alkyne, the exact reason is not clear currently. We tentatively believe that the oxygen might provide extra stabilization by attracting the electron density from the anionic carbon.



The above experiments suggest the aryl group might provide extra coordination to facilitate the hydroxy metalation followed by β -carbon elimination.



A mismatch of the chiral ligand and the substrate is likely through above experiments. Or it might because the substrate control is override the effect of chiral ligand.



These results suggest the alkyl-rhodium species are quite sensitive to the electron inductivity and steric hindrance.



The reaction of alkyne bearing different substitutions by opposite electronic properties proceeded smoothly, however, giving two inseparable region isomers in roughly 1.2/1 ratio. This result together with **4k** indicates the electronic and steric properties of the alkyne substitution have less effect on the site-selectivity of sp3C-Rh compared with that in Rh(I)-catalyzed cycloaddition of benzocyclobutanol with similar alkynes. (N. Ishida, S. Sawano, Y. Masuda and M. Murakami, J. Am. Chem. Soc., 2012, 134, 17502.)

4. Synthesis and Characterization of Materials

2-phenethyloxetan-3-one (S-2a)



According to General Procedure A, product **S-2a** (1.58 g, 9.0 mmol, 45% over three steps) was obtained from phenylpropyl aldehyde (2.68 g, 20.0 mmol) as colorless oil with spectral properties identical to the reported in the literature. ^[1]

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.32 – 7.27 (m, 2H), 7.24 – 7.17 (m, 3H), 5.49 – 5.43 (m, 1H), 5.30 – 5.26 (m, 2H), 2.86 – 2.73 (m, 2H), 2.24 – 2.07 (m, 2H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 203.2, 140.3, 128.5, 128.4, 126.3, 102.8, 88.8, 32.8, 30.2.

2-hexyloxetan-3-one (S-2b)



According to General Procedure A, product **S-2b** (1.53 g, 9.8 mmol, 49% over three steps) was obtained from heptaldehyde (2.28 g, 20.0 mmol) as colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 5.39 (dd, J = 10.8, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 5.23 – 5.11 (m, 2H), 1.81 – 1.72 (m, 2H), 1.45 – 1.33 (m, 2H), 1.27 – 1.19 (m, 6H), 0.81 (t, J = 6.5 Hz, 3H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 203.2, 103.7, 88.4, 31.4, 31.1, 28.8, 23.9, 22.3, 13.8. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 2962, 2860, 1730, 1596, 1413, 1260, 1089, 1018, 865, 797, 701, 663; HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₉H₁₆O₂ [M]⁺: calcd. 156.1150, found: 156.1156;

2-(4-chlorobutyl)oxetan-3-one (S-2c)



According to General Procedure A, product **S-2c** (2.00 g, 12.4 mmol, 62% over three steps) was obtained from 5-chloropentanal (2.41 g, 20.0 mmol) as colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 5.45 (dd, J = 10.4, 6.1 Hz, 1H), 5.28 (dd, J = 15.0, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 5.21 (dd, J = 15.0, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 3.52 (t, J = 6.5 Hz, 2H), 1.89 – 1.76 (m, 4H), 1.68 – 1.52 (m, 2H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 202.9, 103.3, 88.8, 44.4, 32.0, 30.3, 21.5. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3463, 2962, 1821, 1721, 1445, 1413, 1259, 1088, 1017, 865, 796, 701, 661; HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₇H₁₁ClO₂ [M]⁺: calcd. 162.0448, found: 162.6140.

2-(but-3-en-1-yl)oxetan-3-one (S-2d)



According to General Procedure A, product **S-2d** (1.22 g, 9.8 mmol, 49% over three steps) was obtained from 4-pentenal (1.68 g, 20.0mmol) as colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 5.75 (ddt, J = 16.9, 10.1, 6.6 Hz, 1H), 5.44 (dd, J = 10.8, 6.5 Hz, 1H), 5.28 – 5.15 (m, 2H), 5.00 (dd, J = 22.9, 13.6 Hz, 2H), 2.23– 2.14 (m, 2H), 1.94 – 1.83 (m, 2H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 203.1, 136.6, 115.7, 102.9, 88.7, 30.2, 28.1. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3431, 3080, 2926, 2856, 2544, 1727, 1642, 1419, 1364, 1197, 1167, 1090, 1069, 996, 915, 783, 655; HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₇H₁₀O₂ [M]⁺: calcd. 126.0681, found: 126.1531.

2-cyclopropyloxetan-3-one (S-2e)



According to General Procedure A, product **S-2e** (1.00 g, 9.0 mmol, 45% over three steps) was obtained from cyclopropanecarboxaldehyde (1.42 g, 20.0 mmol) as colorless oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 5.23 – 5.10 (m, 2H), 5.06 – 4.99 (m, 1H), 1.22 – 1.15 (m, 1H), 0.65 – 0.57 (m, 2H), 0.49 – 0.35 (m, 2H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 202.0, 106.4, 88.4, 11.1, 1.8, 1.5. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3436, 2962, 2922, 1720, 1640, 1410, 1260, 1088, 1019, 865, 797, 701, 663; HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₆H₈O₂ [M]⁺: calcd. 112.0524, found: 112.1265.

2-cyclohexyloxetan-3-one (S-2f)



According to General Procedure A, product **S-2f** (1.72 g, 11.2 mmol, 56% over three steps) was obtained from cyclohexanecarboxaldehyde (2.24 g, 20.0 mmol) as colorless oil with spectral properties identical to the reported in the literature. ^[1]

¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 5.27 – 5.20 (m, 2H), 5.18 – 5.14 (m, 1H), 1.88 – 1.65 (m, 6H), 1.30 – 1.06 (m, 5H).¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 203.4, 107.6, 88.6, 40.0, 27.4, 27.3, 26.1, 25.4, 25.3.

2-(2-(methylthio)ethyl)oxetan-3-one (S-2g)



According to General Procedure A, product **S-2g** (1.26 g, 8.6 mmol, 43% over three steps) was obtained from 3-(Methylthio)propionaldehyde (2.08 g, 20.0 mmol) as colorless oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 5.47 – 5.42 (m, 1H), 5.15 (dd, *J* = 4.5, 2.7 Hz, 2H), 2.52 – 2.48 (m, 2H), 2.04 – 1.95 (m, 2H), 1.94 (s, 3H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 202.3, 101.5, 88.7, 30.1, 28.2, 14.8. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 2963, 2905, 1722, 1641, 1412, 1260, 1090, 1018, 865, 798, 701, 662; HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₆H₁₀O₂S[M]⁺: calcd. 146.0402, found: 146.2074.

2-phenyloxetan-3-one (S-2h)



According to General Procedure A, product **S-2h** (950 mg, 6.4 mmol, 32% over three steps) was obtained from benzaldehyde (2.12 g, 20.0 mmol) as colorless oil with spectral properties identical to the reported in the literature. ^[1]

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.42 – 7.33 (m, 6H), 6.36 (d, *J* = 4.0 Hz, 1H), 5.52 – 5.40 (m, 2H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 199.2, 130.4, 128.8, 128.7 125.2, 104.2, 90.0.

2-(2-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)oxetan-3-one (S-2i)



According to General Procedure A, product **S-2i** (1.56 g, 7.2 mmol, 36% over three steps) was obtained from 2-(Trifluoromethyl)benzaldehyde (3.48 g, 20.0 mmol) as colorless oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.86 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.70 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.64 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.46 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 6.81 (s, 1H), 5.59 – 5.46 (m, 2H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 196.2, 132.3, 132.0 (q, *J*_{C-F} = 1.4 Hz), 128.8, 126.9 (q, *J*_{C-F} = 32.3Hz), 126.6, 126.4 (q, *J*_{C-F} = 5.0Hz), 123.7 (q, *J*_{C-F} = 274.7Hz), 101.25 (q, *J*_{C-F} = 1.9 Hz), 90.2; IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 2958, 1829, 1733, 1605, 1585, 1493, 1454, 1422, 1312, 1276, 1161, 1109, 1059, 1035, 1001, 960, 906, 826, 768, 654, 615; HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₁₀H₇F₃O₂ [M]⁺: calcd. 216.0398 , found: 216.0401.

2-pentyloxetan-3-one (S-2r)



According to General Procedure A, product **S-2r** (1.50 g, 10.6 mmol, 53% over three steps) was obtained from hexanal (2.00 g, 20.0 mmol) as colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 5.42 (dd, J = 10.7, 5.8 Hz, 1H), 5.26 – 5.13 (m, 2H), 1.83 – 1.74 (m, 2H), 1.49 – 1.35 (m, 2H), 1.31 – 1.24 (m, 4H), 0.85 (t, J = 6.2 Hz, 3H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 203.4, 103.8, 88.5, 31.4, 31.1, 23.7, 22.3, 13.8. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 2959, 2930, 2860, 1821, 1727, 1688, 1647, 1463, 1413, 1259, 1088, 1016, 865, 796, 700; HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₈H₁₄O₂ [M]⁺: calcd. 142.0994, found: 142.1956.

3-phenyloxetan-3-ol (1a)



According to General Procedure A, product **1a** (3.6 g, 23.9 mmol, 86%) was obtained from **1b** (2.0 g, 27.8 mmol) as colorless oil with spectral properties identical to the reported in the literature. ^[3]

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.57 (d, J = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.42 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.33 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 4.92 – 4.82 (m, 4H), 3.27 (br, 1H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 142.2, 128.6, 127.8, 124.4, 85.6, 75.6.

3-(p-tolyl)oxetan-3-ol (1b)



According to General Procedure A, product **1b** (412.0 mg, 2.51mmol, 69%) was obtained from 3-Oxetanone (265.0 mg, 3.67 mmol) as colorless oil with spectral properties identical to the reported in the literature. ^[3]

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.42 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.20 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 4.85 (q, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 4H), 3.57 (s, 1H), 2.36 (s, 3H).

3-(4-butylphenyl)oxetan-3-ol (1c)



According to General Procedure A, product **1c** (426.0 mg, 2.1mmol, 60%) was obtained from 3-Oxetanone (250.0 mg, 3.47 mmol) as colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.47 – 7.43 (m, 2H), 7.21 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 4.86 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 4H), 3.40 (s, 1H), 2.64 – 2.59 (m, 2H), 1.63 – 1.56 (m, 2H), 1.36 (dd, *J* = 15.0, 7.4 Hz, 2H), 0.93 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, cdcl₃) δ 142.7, 139.6, 128.7, 124.5, 85.7, 77.4, 77.1, 76.7, 75.6, 35.2, 33.6, 22.4, 14.0. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3385, 2928, 2867, 1913, 1654, 1622, 1513, 1456, 1413, 1326, 1283, 1236, 1175, 1128, 1061, 970, 877, 828, 730. HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₁₃H₁₈O₂ [M]+: calcd. 206.1307, found: 206.1310.

3-(4-fluorophenyl)oxetan-3-ol (1d)



According to General Procedure A, product **1d** (346.0 mg, 2.06mmol, 74%) was obtained from 3-Oxetanone (200.0 mg, 2.78 mmol) as colorless oil with spectral properties identical to the reported in the literature. ^[4]

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.51 (ddd, *J* = 8.3, 5.2, 2.6 Hz, 2H), 7.07 (ddd, *J* = 10.6, 6.0, 2.6 Hz, 2H), 4.90 – 4.81 (m, 4H), 4.06 (s, 1H).

3-(2-fluorophenyl)oxetan-3-ol (1e)



According to General Procedure A, product **1e** (314.0 mg, 1.87mmol, 52%) was obtained from 3-Oxetanone (250.0 mg, 3.57 mmol) as colorless oil with spectral properties identical to the reported in the literature. ^[4]

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.37 – 7.23 (m, 2H), 7.19 – 7.03 (m, 2H), 5.10 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 4.83 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H).

3-(4-butylphenyl)oxetan-3-ol (1f)



According to General Procedure A, product **1f** (150.0 mg, 0.83mmol, 24%) was obtained from 3-Oxetanone (150.0 mg, 3.47 mmol)as colorless oil with spectral properties identical to the reported in the literature. ^[3]

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.51 – 7.45 (m, 2H), 6.97 – 6.91 (m, 2H), 4.89 (q, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 4H), 3.83 (s, 3H).

3-(3-methoxyphenyl)oxetan-3-ol (1g)



According to General Procedure A, product **1g** (400.0 mg, 2.22mmol, 63%) was obtained from 3-Oxetanone (250.0 mg, 3.57 mmol) as colorless oil with spectral properties identical to the reported in the literature. ^[3]

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.36 – 7.25 (m, 1H), 7.17 – 7.08 (m, 2H), 6.89 – 6.83 (m, 1H), 4.90 – 4.83 (m, 4H), 3.82 (s, 3H).

3-(3,4-dimethoxyphenyl)oxetan-3-ol (1h)



According to General Procedure A, product **1h** (412.0 mg, 1.96mmol, 45%) was obtained from 3-Oxetanone (250.0 mg, 3.47 mmol)as colorless oil with spectral properties identical to the reported in the literature. ^[3]

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.13 – 7.08 (m, 2H), 6.88 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 4.91 – 4.84 (m, 4H), 3.91 – 3.85 (m, 6H), 3.68 (s, 1H).

3-(3-isopropoxyphenyl)oxetan-3-ol (1i)



According to General Procedure A, product **1i** (316.0 mg, 1.52mmol, 55%) was obtained from 3-Oxetanone (200.0 mg, 2.78 mmol)as colorless oil with spectral properties identical to the reported in the literature. ^[3]

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.33 – 7.26 (m, 1H), 7.15 – 7.10 (m, 2H), 6.85 (ddd, *J* = 8.2, 2.5, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 4.89 (q, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 4H), 4.59 (dt, *J* = 12.1, 6.1 Hz, 1H), 1.35 (d, *J* = 6.1 Hz, 6H)

2-phenethyl-3-phenyloxetan-3-ol (3a)



According to General Procedure A, product **3a** (682 mg, 2.7 mmol, 82%) was obtained from **S-2a** (580 mg, 3.3 mmol) as white solid, mp 102-105 °C.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.49 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.38 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.31 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 7.23 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.15 (dd, *J* = 16.1, 7.2 Hz, 3H), 4.90 (t, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 1H), 4.85 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 4.65 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 2.78 – 2.69 (m, 1H), 2.64 – 2.55 (m, 2H),

2.31 – 2.13 (m, 2H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 142.8, 141.4, 128.6, 128.41, 128.35, 127.7, 125.9, 124.6, 92.0, 82.5, 76.6, 32.7, 30.6. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3376, 3084, 3027, 2963, 1741, 1601, 1494, 1451, 1406, 1260, 1214, 1156, 1093, 1020, 970, 893, 867, 799, 752, 698; HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₁₇H₁₈O₂ [M-H₂O]⁺: calcd. 236.1307, found: 236.1199.

2-hexyl-3-phenyloxetan-3-ol (3b)



According to General Procedure A, product **3b** (140.0 mg, 0.60 mmol, 63%) was obtained from **S-2b** (150.0 mg, 0.96 mmol) as colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.52 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.39 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.31 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 4.86 (dd, *J* = 7.6, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 4.83 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 4.59 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 3.49 (br, 1H), 1.94 – 1.80 (m, 2H), 1.36 – 1.24 (m, 8H), 0.89 (t, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 143.0, 128.4, 127.6, 124.6, 93.0, 82.3, 76.5, 31.6, 30.8, 29.3, 24.3, 22.5 14.0. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3392, 2959, 2926, 2857, 1450, 1412, 1260, 1172, 1089, 1019, 863, 798, 700; HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₁₅H₂₂O₂ [M]⁺: calcd. 234.1620, found: 234.3340.

2-(4-chlorobutyl)-3-phenyloxetan-3-ol (3c)



According to General Procedure A, product **3c** (250.0 mg, 1.05 mmol, 68%) was obtained from **S-2c** (250.0 mg, 1.54 mmol) as colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.52 (d, J = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.41 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.33 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 4.90 – 4.84 (m, 2H), 4.62 (d, J = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 3.53 (t, J = 6.6 Hz, 2H), 2.83 (br, 1H), 1.96 – 1.78 (m, 4H), 1.58 – 1.41 (m, 2H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 142.7, 128.6, 127.8, 124.6, 92.4, 82.4, 76.6, 44.7, 32.4, 30.0, 21.8. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3368, 2949, 2881, 1603, 1495, 1448, 1399, 1309, 1277, 1172, 1129, 1074, 964, 863, 760, 734, 699, 648; HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₁₃H₁₇ClO₂ [M]⁺: calcd. 240.0917, found: 240.0912.

2-(but-3-en-1-yl)-3-phenyloxetan-3-ol (3d)



According to General Procedure A, product **3d** (160.0 mg, 0.78 mmol, 90%) was obtained from **S-2d** (110.0 mg, 0.87 mmol) as colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.52 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.40 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.31 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 5.80 (ddt, *J* = 16.8, 10.2, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 5.04 – 4.95 (m, 2H), 4.89 (t, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 1H), 4.83 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 4.60 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 3.36 (br, 1H), 2.20 – 1.90 (m, 4H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 142.8, 137.7, 128.5, 127.6, 124.6, 115.1, 92.2, 82.3, 76.4, 30.0, 28.4. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3378, 2921, 2854, 1677, 1640, 1494, 1448, 1377, 1279, 1238, 1173, 1129, 1075, 965, 911, 874, 759, 698; HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₁₃H₁₆O₂ [M]⁺: calcd. 204.1150, found: 204.1157.

2-cyclopropyl-3-phenyloxetan-3-ol (3e)



According to General Procedure A, product **3e** (160.0 mg, 0.85 mmol, 48%) was obtained from **S-2e** (200.0 mg, 1.78 mmol) as colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.53 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.39 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.31 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 4.86 – 4.80 (m, 1H), 4.64 (dd, *J* = 6.9, 2.6 Hz, 1H), 4.25 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 3.34 (br, 1H), 1.48 – 1.38 (m, 1H), 0.77 – 0.68 (m, 1H), 0.67 – 0.59 (m, 1H), 0.53 – 0.44 (m, 1H), 0.26 – 0.19 (m, 1H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 142.8, 128.5, 127.6, 124.6, 96.6, 82.4, 76.9, 10.3, 2.3, 1.0; IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3407, 2962, 2926, 1676, 1448, 1412, 1260, 1090, 1018, 865, 798, 700; HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₁₂H₁₄O₂ [M]⁺: calcd. 190.0994, found: 190.0996.

2-cyclohexyl-3-phenyloxetan-3-ol (3f)



According to General Procedure A, product **3f** (680.0 mg, 2.95 mmol, 84%) was obtained from **S-2f** (540.0 mg, 3.51 mmol) as colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.53 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.39 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.30 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 4.85 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 4.56 – 4.51 (m, 2H), 3.10 (br, 1H), 2.19 – 2.07 (m, 1H), 1.95 (d, *J* = 12.9 Hz, 1H), 1.81 – 1.73 (m, 1H), 1.72 – 1.61 (m, 3H), 1.36 – 1.24 (m, 2H), 1.22 – 1.12 (m, 1H), 0.89 (ddd, *J* = 24.2, 12.5, 3.5 Hz, 1H), 0.82 – 0.71 (m, 1H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 142.9, 128.5, 127.5, 124.8, 95.9, 82.2, 77.2, 38.7, 27.8, 27.5, 26.5, 25.4, 25.2. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3373, 2923, 2850, 1952, 1878, 1813, 1711, 1600, 1496, 1448, 1398, 1353, 1261, 1166, 1074, 1025, 969, 914, 881, 856, 801, 756, 698; HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₁₅H₂₀O₂ [M]⁺: calcd. 232.1463, found: 232.1459.

2-(2-(methylthio)ethyl)-3-phenyloxetan-3-ol (3g)



According to General Procedure A, product **3g** (210.0 mg, 0.94 mmol, 81%) was obtained from **S-2g** (170.0 mg, 1.16 mmol) as colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.51 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.38 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.29 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 4.93 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 4.77 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 1H), 4.61 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 1H), 3.80 (br, 1H), 2.59 – 2.51 (m, 1H), 2.46 – 2.38 (m, 1H), 2.21 – 2.14 (m, 2H), 2.04 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 142.8, 128.4, 127.6, 124.5, 91.5, 82.3, 75.9, 30.4, 28.9, 15.4. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3375, 3060, 2953, 2914, 2881, 1956, 1884, 1813, 1603, 1495, 1446, 1312, 1279, 1171, 1127, 1025, 959, 866, 808, 763, 698; HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₁₂H₁₆O₂S [M]⁺: calcd. 224.0871, found: 224.0875.

2,3-diphenyloxetan-3-ol (3h)



According to General Procedure A, product **3h** (263.0 mg,1.16 mmol, 64%) was obtained from **S-2h** (270.0 mg, 1.82 mmol) as white solid, mp 114-117 °C.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.65 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.46 – 7.33 (m, 8H), 5.89 (s, 1H), 5.04 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 4.76 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 2.31 (s, 1H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 142.5, 136.2, 128.7, 128.58, 128.56, 127.8, 126.2, 124.6, 94.0, 84.0, 76.9. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3400, 2962, 2924, 1494, 1449, 1412, 1260, 1089, 1018, 867, 797, 698; HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₁₅H₁₄O₂ [M]⁺: calcd. 226.0994, found: 226.1002.

3-phenyl-2-(2-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)oxetan-3-ol (3i)



According to General Procedure A, product **3i** (140.0 mg, 0.48 mmol, 74%) was obtained from **S-2i** (140.0 mg, 0.65 mmol) as white solid, mp 116-118 °C.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.08 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.68 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 3H), 7.61 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.41 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3H), 7.36 – 7.30 (m, 1H), 6.20 (s, 1H), 4.86 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 1H), 4.82 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 2.37 (s, 1H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, cdcl₃) δ 142.4, 135.2, 132.3, 128.4, 128.2, 127.9, 127.7, 127.2 (q, *J*_{C-F} = 31.2 Hz), 125.8 (q, *J*_{C-F} = 2.7Hz), 124.0, 123.6 (q, *J*_{C-F} = 275.1Hz), 91.5, 85.1, 77.05. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3394, 3064, 2959, 2926, 2855, 1709, 1659, 1595, 1498, 1473, 1452, 1386, 1314, 1260, 1164, 1112, 1036, 886, 798, 756, 696, 664; HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₁₆H₁₃F₃O₂ [M]⁺: calcd. 294.0868, found: 294.0876.

3-(naphthalen-1-yl)-2-phenethyloxetan-3-ol (3n)



According to General Procedure A, product **3n** (80.0 mg, 0.26 mmol, 46%) was obtained from **S-2a** (100.0 mg, 0.57 mmol) as white solid, mp 122-125 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.83 – 7.79 (m, 1H), 7.73 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.68 – 7.63 (m,

1H), 7.47 – 7.40 (m, 2H), 7.35 – 7.14 (m, 7H), 5.28 (dd, J = 8.7, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 4.87 (s, 2H), 2.89 (br, 1H), 2.86 – 2.77 (m, 1H), 2.67 – 2.58 (m, 1H), 2.45 – 2.34 (m, 1H), 2.24 – 2.14 (m, 1H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 141.5, 138.0, 134.3, 130.3, 129.2, 129.0, 128.4, 126.4, 125.93, 125.91, 124.8, 124.6, 123.7, 88.9, 81.5, 77.7, 32.6, 30.6. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3397, 2961, 2918, 2850, 1728, 1598, 1538, 1496, 1462, 1380, 1260, 1094, 1020, 975, 898, 871, 799, 744, 696, 663, 626, 612; HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₂₁H₂₀O₂ [M]⁺: calcd. 304.1463, found: 304.1459.

3-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-phenethyloxetan-3-ol (30)



According to General Procedure A, product **3o** (150.0 mg, 0.53 mmol, 62%) was obtained from **S-2a** (150.0 mg, 0.85 mmol) as white solid, mp 109-111 °C.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.36 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 7.22 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.15 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 7.11 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 6.87 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 4.85 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 4.78 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 4.58 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 3.76 (s, 3H), 3.10 (br, 1H), 2.74 – 2.63 (m, 1H), 2.62 – 2.52 (m, 1H), 2.26 – 2.08 (m, 2H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 158.9, 141.4, 135.1, 128.30, 128.27, 125.9, 125.8, 113.8, 92.1, 82.4, 76.2, 55.2, 32.5, 30.5. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3364, 3060, 3026, 3008, 2921, 2852, 1884, 1727, 1611, 1580, 1515, 1491, 1456, 1384, 1299, 1248, 1177, 1118, 1027, 981, 952, 901, 879, 857, 828, 796, 751, 730, 700, 642, 616; HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₁₈H₂₀O₃ [M]⁺: calcd. 284.1412, found: 284.1408.

2-phenethyl-3-(o-tolyl)oxetan-3-ol (3p)



According to General Procedure A, product **3p** (120.0 mg, 0.45 mmol, 79%) was obtained from **S-2a** (100.0 mg, 0.57 mmol) as white solid, mp 104-107 °C.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.26 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.22 – 7.12 (m, 4H), 7.11 – 7.04 (m, 2H), 6.91 (d, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 5.15 (dd, J = 9.0, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 4.74 (d, J = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 4.54 (d, J = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 2.97 (br, 1H), 2.84 – 2.72 (m, 1H), 2.64 – 2.53 (m, 1H), 2.37 – 2.24 (m, 1H), 2.13 (s, 3H), 2.10 – 2.00 (m, 1H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 141.5, 140.0, 136.5, 131.5, 128.32, 128.30, 128.2, 125.8, 125.7, 88.5, 80.7, 77.9, 32.5, 30.5, 19.2. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} :

3309, 3083, 3064, 3023, 3001, 2953, 2925, 2895, 2855, 1812, 1602, 1491, 1454, 1398, 1315, 1283, 1254, 1235, 1178, 1122, 1062, 1031, 972, 957, 901, 824, 758, 730, 700, 667, 645; HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : $C_{18}H_{20}O_2$ [M]⁺: calcd. 268.1463, found: 268.1458.

3-(4-fluorophenyl)-2-phenethyloxetan-3-ol (3q)



According to General Procedure A, product **3q** (120.0 mg, 0.44 mmol, 52%) was obtained from **S-2a** (150.0 mg, 0.85 mmol) as white solid, mp 102-105 °C.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.46 (d, *J* = 5.3 Hz, 1H), 7.44 (d, *J* = 5.3 Hz, 1H), 7.25 – 7.20 (m, 2H), 7.19 – 7.14 (m, 1H), 7.11 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.05 (t, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 4.85 (t, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 1H), 4.79 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 4.61 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 2.86 (br, 1H), 2.75 – 2.66 (m, 1H), 2.62 – 2.53 (m, 1H), 2.26 – 2.12 (m, 2H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, cdcl₃) δ 162.1 (d, *J*_{C-F} = 247.8 Hz), 141.2, 138.59 (d, *J*_{C-F} = 3.2 Hz), 128.4, 128.3, 126.40 (d, *J*_{C-F} = 8.1 Hz), 126.0, 115.3 (d, *J*_{C-F} = 21.5 Hz), 92.3, 82.6, 76.2, 32.6, 30.5. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3360, 3027, 2961, 2921, 1603, 1482, 1454, 1408, 1260, 1226, 1176, 1097, 1020, 970, 876, 799, 750, 699, 623; HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₁₇H₁₇FO₂ [M]⁺: calcd. 272.1213, found: 272.1220.

2-pentyl-3-phenyloxetan-3-ol (3r)



According to General Procedure A, product **3r** (98.0 mg, 044 mmol, 79%) was obtained from **S-2r** (80.0 mg, 0.56 mmol) as colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.52 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.39 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.31 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 4.90 – 4.79 (m, 2H), 4.59 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 3.38 (br, 1H), 1.95 – 1.79 (m, 2H), 1.38 – 1.24 (m, 6H), 0.89 (t, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 143.0, 128.5, 127.6, 124.6, 93.0, 82.3, 76.5, 31.8, 30.7, 24.0, 22.4, 13.9. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3382, 3062, 3031, 2957, 2929, 2858, 1603, 1495, 1450, 1409, 1379, 1260, 1173, 1086, 1020, 969, 884, 798, 700; HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₁₄H₂₀O₂ [M]⁺: calcd. 220.1463, found: 220.1457.

5. Synthesis and Characterization of Products

(R)-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2a)



According to General Procedure B, product **2a** (85.0 mg, 0.26 mmol, 70%) was obtained from **1a** (55.5 mg, 0.37 mmol) and diphenylacetylene (7.5mg, 0.41mmol) as yellow oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.58 – 7.52 (m, 2H), 7.31 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.26 – 7.21 (m, 1H), 7.20 – 7.13 (m, 3H), 7.07 (d, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 1H), 7.05 (d, *J* = 1.6 Hz, 1H), 6.98 – 6.93 (m, 3H), 6.93 – 6.88 (m, 2H), 4.68 (d, *J* = 16.5 Hz, 1H), 4.61 (d, *J* = 16.5 Hz, 1H), 4.08 – 3.99 (m, 2H), 2.87 (br, 1H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 142.3, 137.9, 137.5, 137.0, 136.4, 130.5, 128.4,128.0, 127.9, 127.3, 127.04, 126.98, 126.5, 126.3, 77.2, 72.6, 69.9. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 2963, 2905, 1412, 1260, 1089, 1018, 865, 797, 701, 663; HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₂₃H₂₀O₂ [M]⁺: calcd. 328.1463, found: 328.1464. [α]_D²⁰ = -10.5 (c =0.33, CH₂Cl₂); HPLC (Chiralcel OD-H column, hexanes:i-PrOH = 90:10, 1.0 mL/min, 210 nm), t_{minor} = 5.4min, t_{major} = 6.1 min, 93% ee.

(R)-4,5-diphenyl-3-(p-tolyl)-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2b)



According to General Procedure B, product **2b** (53.7 mg, 0.15 mmol, 72%) was obtained from **1b** (37.8 mg, 0.21 mmol) and diphenylacetylene (41.0 mg, 0.23mmol) as yellow oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.40 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.16 – 7.07 (m, 5H), 7.02 (dd, *J* = 7.7, 1.8 Hz, 2H), 6.97 – 6.83 (m, 5H), 4.65 – 4.55 (m, 2H), 4.01 – 3.93 (m, 2H), 2.29 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, cdcl₃) δ 139.4, 138.0, 137.5, 137.0, 136.54, 136.5, 130.5, 128.6, 128.5, 128.0, 127.3, 127.0, 126.5, 126.2, 77.2, 72.5, 69.9, 21.0. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 2963.64, 2909.80, 1408.78, 1260.39, 1087.61, 1021.43, 799.70, 695.00. HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₂₄H₂₂O₂ [M]+: calcd. 342.1620, found: 342.1310. [α]_D²⁰ = -19.4 (c = 0.49, CH₂Cl₂); HPLC (Chiralcel IE-H column, hexanes:i-PrOH = 98:2, 1.0 mL/min, 210 nm), t_{minor} = 8.6 min, t_{major} = 9.9 min, 93% ee.

(R)-3-(4-butylphenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2c)



According to General Procedure B, product **2c** (42.3 mg, 0.11 mmol, 61%) was obtained from **1c** (37.1 mg, 0.18 mmol) and diphenylacetylene (35.3 mg, 0.20mmol) as white solid, mp 131-134 °C.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.41 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.11 (dd, *J* = 13.6, 7.5 Hz, 5H), 7.03 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 6.97 – 6.89 (m, 3H), 6.85 (dd, *J* = 7.1, 1.1 Hz, 2H), 4.60 (s, 2H), 4.03 – 3.95 (m, 2H), 2.67 (s, 1H), 2.59 – 2.53 (m, 2H), 1.60 – 1.53 (m, 2H), 1.32 (dd, *J* = 14.8, 7.4 Hz, 2H), 0.90 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, cdcl₃) δ 141.6 , 139.7 , 138.0 , 137.7,

136.9, 136.5, 130.6, 128.5, 128.0, 127.97 127.3, 127.0, 126.5, 126.2, 77.1, 72.5, 70.0, 35.2, 33.5, 22.4, 14.0. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3384, 3058, 2927, 2862, 1709, 1605, 1500, 1451, 1260, 1172, 1042, 1001, 828, 761, 698, 641. HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV): C₂₇H₂₉O₂ [M]+: calcd. 384.2089, found: 384.2080. [α]_D²⁰ = -31.2 (c = 0.23, CH₂Cl₂); HPLC (Chiralcel OD-H column, hexanes:i-PrOH = 98:2, 1.0 mL/min, 210 nm), t_{minor} = 7.1 min, t_{major} =8.3 min, 91% ee.

(R)-3-(4-fluorophenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2d)



According to General Procedure B, product **2d** (55.4 mg, 0.16 mmol, 80%) was obtained from **1d** (33.6 mg, 0.20 mmol) and diphenylacetylene (39.2 mg, 0.22mmol) as yellow oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.50 – 7.42 (m, 2H), 7.17 – 7.08 (m, 3H), 7.04 – 6.98 (m, 2H), 6.98 – 6.89 (m, 5H), 6.88 – 6.81 (m, 2H), 4.68 – 4.51 (m, 2H), 4.01 – 3.91 (m, 2H), 2.90 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, cdcl₃) δ 161.8 (d, *J*_{C-F} = 246.4 Hz), 138.2(d, *J*_{C-F} = 3.0 Hz), 137.8, 137.3, 137.2, 136.3, 130.4, 128.4, 128.02 (d, *J*_{C-F} = 3.5 Hz), 128.0, 127.98, 127.4 127.1, 126.6, 114.7(d, *J*_{C-F} = 21.2 Hz), 77.2, 72.3, 69.9. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3434, 3059, 2962, 2852, 1731, 1601, 1502, 1446, 1373, 1228, 1118, 1082, 1022, 961, 915, 829, 805, 757, 697. HRMS (El(+), 70 eV) :C₂₃H₁₉FO₂ [M]+: calcd. 346.1369, found: 346.1371. [α]_D²⁰ = 3.8050 (c = 0.50, CH₂Cl₂); HPLC (Chiralcel OD-H column, hexanes:i-PrOH = 95:%, 1.0 mL/min, 210 nm), t_{minor} = 12.2 min, t_{major} = 13.0 min, 90% ee.

(S)-3-(2-fluorophenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2e)



According to General Procedure B, product **2e** (63.3 mg, 0.19 mmol, 78%) was obtained from **1e** (40.3 mg, 0.24 mmol) and diphenylacetylene (47.0 mg, 0.26 mmol) as yellow oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.69 (t, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 7.16 – 7.07 (m, 4H), 7.00 (dd, *J* = 5.4, 2.4 Hz, 5H), 6.92 – 6.77 (m, 4H), 4.73 (d, *J* = 16.2 Hz, 1H), 4.46 (d, *J* = 16.3 Hz, 1H), 4.27 (d, *J* = 11.4 Hz, 1H), 3.94 (d, *J* = 11.4 Hz, 1H), 3.33 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, cdcl₃) δ 159.7(d, *J*_{C-F} = 246.4 Hz), 138.1, 136.9, 136.1, 130.0, 129.1(d, *J*_{C-F} = 8.1Hz), 128.8, 128.4, 128.2, 128.1, 128.0, 127.02, 127.0, 126.3, 123.9(d, *J*_{C-F} = 4.0 Hz), 115.2 (d, *J*_{C-F} = 22.2Hz), 74.8, 71.4, 69.8. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 2964, 2910, 1409, 1261, 1091, 1023, 801, 694.92. HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₂₃H₁₉FO₂ [M]+: calcd. 346.1369, found: 346.1374. [α]_D²⁰ = 48.9070 (c = 0.16, CH₂Cl₂); HPLC (Chiralcel OD-H column, hexanes:i-PrOH = 98:2, 1.0 mL/min, 210 nm), t_{minor} = 7.8 min, t_{major} = 9.3 min, 92% ee.



According to General Procedure B, product **2f** (53.7 mg, 0.15 mmol, 72%) was obtained from **1f** (37.8 mg, 0.21 mmol) and diphenylacetylene (41.2 mg, 0.23mmol) as yellow oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.46 – 7.39 (m, 2H), 7.18 – 7.09 (m, 3H), 7.02 (dd, *J* = 7.6, 1.8 Hz, 2H), 6.97 – 6.90 (m, 3H), 6.90 – 6.84 (m, 2H), 6.84 – 6.79 (m, 2H), 4.64 – 4.54 (m, 2H), 4.01 – 3.90 (m, 2H), 3.75 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, cdcl₃) δ 158.5, 137.9, 137.6, 136.9, 136.5, 134.6, 130.5, 128.5, 128.0, 127.4, 127.36, 127.0, 126.5, 113.3, 77.2, 72.3, 69.9, 55.1. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 2964, 2913, 1409, 1261, 1090, 1023, 801, 695. HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₂₅H₂₄O₄ [M]+: calcd. 358.1569, found: 358.1582. [α]_D²⁰ = 3.2131 (c = 0.44, CH₂Cl₂); HPLC (Chiralcel OD-H column, hexanes:i-PrOH = 98:2, 1.0 mL/min, 210 nm), t_{minor} = 14.7 min, t_{maior} = 15.2 min, 92% ee.

(R)-3-(3-methoxyphenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2g)



According to General Procedure B, product **2g** (50.1 mg, 0.14 mmol, 74%) was obtained from **1g** (34.2 mg, 0.19 mmol) and diphenylacetylene (37.2 mg, 0.21 mmol) as yellow oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.20 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.16 – 7.07 (m, 5H), 7.04 – 6.99 (m, 2H), 6.95 – 6.87 (m, 5H), 6.76 – 6.71 (m, 1H), 4.65 – 4.54 (m, 2H), 4.02 – 3.96 (m, 2H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 2.82 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, cdcl₃) δ 159.3, 144.2, 137.9, 137.3, 137.0, 136.4, 130.5, 128.8, 128.4, 128.0, 127.4, 127.0, 126.6, 118.8, 112.3, 112.0, 77.1, 72.6, 69.9, 55.1. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 2964, 2908, 1409, 1261, 1091, 1023, 801, 695.52. HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C24H22O3 [M]+: calcd. 358.1569, found: 358.1563. [α]_D²⁰ = -11.6 (c = 0.50, CH₂Cl₂); HPLC (Chiralcel OD-H column, hexanes:i-PrOH = 98:2, 0.8 mL/min, 210 nm), t_{minor} = 14.9min, t_{major} =16.0 min, 92% ee.

(R)-3-(3,4-dimethoxyphenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2h)



According to General Procedure B, product 2h (46.6 mg, 0.12 mmol, 69%) was obtained

from **1h** (36.7 mg, 0.17 mmol) and diphenylacetylene (33.3 mg, 0.19 mmol) as white solid, mp 129-131 °C.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.18 – 7.10 (m, 3H), 7.09 – 6.99 (m, 4H), 6.98 – 6.91 (m, 3H), 6.88 (ddd, *J* = 4.2, 3.7, 2.4 Hz, 2H), 6.80 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 1H), 4.65 – 4.55 (m, 2H), 3.98 (d, *J* = 1.8 Hz, 2H), 3.84 (s, 3H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 2.77 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, cdcl₃) δ 148.4, 147.8, 137.9, 137.6, 136.9, 136.4, 135.1, 130.5, 128.4, 128.0, 127.4, 127.0, 126.6, 118.8, 110.4, 109.7, 77.05, 72.3, 69.8, 55.74. 55.7. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} :2964, 2910, 1410, 1261, 1091, 1023, 866, 802, 695. HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₂₅H₂₂O₃ [M]+: calcd. 388.1675, found: 388.1667. [α]_D²⁰ = -27.9 (c = 0.44, CH₂Cl₂); HPLC (Chiralcel IE-H column, hexanes:i-PrOH = 99:1, 0.6 mL/min, 210 nm), t_{minor} = 14.8 min, t_{major} = 15.8 min, 91% ee.

(R)-3-(3-isopropoxyphenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2i)



According to General Procedure B, product **2i** (50.2 mg, 0.13 mmol, 76%) was obtained from **1i** (35.4 mg, 0.17 mmol) and diphenylacetylene (41.0 mg, 0.23mmol) as white solid, mp 134-136 °C.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.16 (ddd, *J* = 8.6, 7.8, 3.9 Hz, 4H), 7.08 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.02 (dd, *J* = 7.4, 1.9 Hz, 2H), 6.95 – 6.87 (m, 5H), 6.75 – 6.71 (m, 1H), 4.65 – 4.55 (m, 2H), 4.50 (dq, *J* = 6.1, 3.9 Hz, 1H), 4.00 (d, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 2H), 2.77 (s, 1H), 1.29 – 1.24 (m, 6H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, cdcl₃) δ 157.6, 144.0, 137.9, 137.4, 136.9, 136.4, 130.5, 128.8, 128.4, 128.0, 127.3, 127.0, 126.5, 118.7, 114.7, 114.3, 77.1, 72.5, 69.9, 69.8, 22.01, 22.0. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3438, 3071, 2965, 2917, 2853, 1582, 1446, 1261, 1097, 1025, 805, 701. HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₂₆H₂₆O₃ .[M]+: calcd. 386.1882, found: 386.1890. [α]_D²⁰ = 143.1 (c = 0.30, CH₂Cl₂); HPLC (Chiralcel OD-H column, hexanes:i-PrOH = 90:10, 1.0 mL/min, 210 nm), t_{minor} = 8.2min, t_{major} = 5.8 min, 94% ee.

(R)-3-phenyl-4,5-di-p-tolyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2j)



According to General Procedure B, product **2j** (78.4 mg, 0.22 mmol, 81%) was obtained from **1a** (40.5 mg, 0.27 mmol) and 1,2-di-p-tolylethyne (61.8 mg, 0.30mmol) as white solid, mp 127-130 °C.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.54 – 7.50 (m, 2H), 7.32 – 7.27 (m, 2H), 7.22 – 7.17 (m, 1H), 6.97 – 6.91 (m, 4H), 6.73 (s, 4H), 4.58 (s, 2H), 4.00 – 3.93 (m, 2H), 2.71 (s, 1H), 2.23 (s, 3H), 2.10 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, cdcl₃) δ 142.8, 136.9, 136.6, 136.0, 135.0, 133.4,

130.3, 128.7,128.3, 128.2, 127.9, 126.9, 126.3, 77.2, 72.6, 70.1, 21.0. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3563, 3437, 3027, 2921, 2859, 1900, 1606, 1505, 1447, 1380, 1259, 1182, 1113, 1018, 961, 914, 808, 733, 700, 651. HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₂₅H₂₄O₂ .[M]+: calcd. 356.1776, found: 356.1768. [α]_D²⁰ = -24.8 (c = 0.66, CH₂Cl₂); HPLC (Chiralcel OD-H column, hexanes:i-PrOH = 90:10, 1.0 mL/min, 210 nm), t_{minor} = 4.8min, t_{major} = 5.2 min, 94% ee.

(R)-3-(3-isopropoxyphenyl)-4,5-di-p-tolyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2k)



According to General Procedure B, product **2k** (45.6 mg, 0.11 mmol, 73%) was obtained from **1i** (31.2 mg, 0.15 mmol) and 1,2-di-p-tolylethyne (34.0 mg, 0.16 mmol) as white solid, mp 136-139 °C.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.19 (t, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.10 – 7.05 (m, 2H), 6.94 (q, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 4H), 6.77 – 6.70 (m, 5H), 4.57 (s, 2H), 4.50 (dt, *J* = 12.1, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 4.00 – 3.93 (m, 2H), 2.62 (s, 1H), 2.24 (s, 3H), 2.12 (s, 3H), 1.27 (dd, *J* = 6.0, 2.5 Hz, 6H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, cdcl₃) δ 157.6, 144.6, 136.9, 136.6, 136.5, 136.0, 135.1, 133.3, 130.3, 128.8, 128.7 128.3, 128.2, 118.8, 114.8, 114.2, 77.1, 72.6, 70.0, 69.9, 22.02, 22.0, 21.1, 21.0. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3460, 2965, 2918, 1595, 1260, 1094, 1023, 802, 698. HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₂₈H₃₀O₃.[M]+: calcd. 414.2195, found: 414.2197. [α] $_{D}^{20}$ = -5.6 (c = 0.37, CH₂Cl₂); HPLC (Chiralcel OD-H column, hexanes:i-PrOH = 90:10, 1.0 mL/min, 210 nm), t_{minor} = 4.8min, t_{major} = 5.2 min, 92% ee.

(R)-4,5-bis(4-methoxyphenyl)-3-phenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2I)



According to General Procedure B, product **2I** (58.2 mg, 0.15 mmol, 65%) was obtained from **1a** (34.5 mg, 0.23 mmol) and 1,2-bis(4-methoxyphenyl)ethyne (60.2 mg, 0.25 mmol) as white solid, mp 130-132 °C.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.51 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.30 (s, 2H), 7.21 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 6.96 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 2H), 6.76 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 2H), 6.70 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.49 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 4.58 (s, 2H), 3.96 (t, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.64 (s, 3H), 2.61 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, cdcl₃) δ 158.3, 157.9, 142.7, 136.4, 136.2, 131.6, 130.3, 129.6, 128.8, 127.9, 126.9, 126.3, 113.4, 112.9, 77.3, 72.8, 70.0, 55.0, 54.8. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3457, 2925,

2851,1669, 1607, 1508, 1454, 1288, 1247, 1179, 1114, 1030, 917, 822, 701, 657. HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : $C_{25}H_{24}O_4$.[M]+: calcd. 388.1700, found: 388.1684. [α]_D²⁰ = 22.9 (c = 0.28, CH₂Cl₂); HPLC (Chiralcel OD-H column, hexanes:i-PrOH = 90:10, 1.0 mL/min, 210 nm), t_{minor} = 7.7min, t_{major} = 8.5 min, 90% ee.

5-(4-fluorophenyl)-4-(4-methoxyphenyl)-3-phenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol 4-(4-fluorophenyl)-5-(4-methoxyphenyl)-3-phenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (20)



(2o) (1.2 :1)

According to General Procedure C, product **20** (9.0 mg, 0.024 mmol, 25%) was obtained from **1a** (14.3 mg, 0.095 mmol) and 1-fluoro-4-((4-methoxyphenyl)ethynyl)benzene (23.7 mg, 0.105 mmol) as colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.51 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.46 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 7.33 – 7.23 (m, 2H), 7.23 – 7.16 (m, 1H), 7.04 – 6.97 (m, 1H), 6.92 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 1H), 6.89 – 6.82 (m, 2H), 6.72 (dd, J = 17.8, 8.5 Hz, 2H), 6.63 (t, J = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 6.49 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 1H), 4.67 – 4.49 (m, 2H), 4.02 – 3.93 (m, 2H), 3.74 (s, 1.59 H), 3.63 (s, 1.33 H), 2.76 (s, 0.53 H), 2.63 (s, 0.45 H).

4,5-diethyl-3-phenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2p)



According to General Procedure C, product **2p** (7.8 mg, 0.034 mmol, 17%) was obtained from **1a** (30.0 mg, 0.20 mmol) and hex-3-yne (18.0 mg, 0.22 mmol) as colorless oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.47 – 7.40 (m, 2H), 7.34 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.29 – 7.22 (m, 1H), 4.18 (s, 2H), 3.71 (dd, *J* = 32.4, 11.5 Hz, 2H), 2.43 (s, 1H), 2.17 – 2.02 (m, 3H), 1.77 (td, *J* = 14.8, 7.3 Hz, 1H), 1.08 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 3H), 0.88 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 3H).

2-phenethyl-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4a)



According to General Procedure C, product **4a** (33.0 mg, 0.076 mmol, 97%) was obtained from **3a** (20.0 mg, 0.079 mmol) and diphenylacetylene (16.0 mg, 0.087mmol) as yellow

solid, mp 141-143 °C.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.26 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.23 – 7.18 (m, 2H), 7.16 – 7.07 (m, 6H), 7.04 (t, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 3H), 6.97 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 6.83 (s, 5H), 4.71 (d, *J* = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 4.55 (d, *J* = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 3.85 (d, *J* = 9.5 Hz, 1H), 2.89 – 2.77 (m, 2H), 2.59 – 2.50 (m, 1H), 2.08 – 1.96 (m, 1H), 1.63 – 1.53 (m, 1H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 141.9, 140.9, 139.1, 138.1, 137.5, 137.2, 130.6, 128.5, 128.4, 128.2, 127.9, 127.6, 127.0, 126.9, 126.45, 126.37, 126.0, 125.6, 83.3, 74.8, 70.3, 31.9, 29.7. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3435, 3057, 3025, 2925, 2854, 1948, 1883, 1805, 1670, 1600, 1492, 1445, 1377, 1331, 1258, 1175, 1143, 1095, 1046, 1009, 903, 880, 800, 754, 724, 698; HRMS (DART) : C₃₁H₂₈O₂ [M+NH₄]⁺: calcd. 450.2089, found: 450.2421.

2-hexyl-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4b)



According to General Procedure C, product **4b** (135.0 mg, 0.328 mmol, 96%) was obtained from **3b** (80.0 mg, 0.342 mmol) and diphenylacetylene (67.0 mg, 0.376mmol) as yellow solid, mp 139-142 °C.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.34 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.20 – 7.06 (m, 6H), 7.02 – 6.98 (m, 2H), 6.85 (s, 5H), 4.76 (d, *J* = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 4.53 (d, *J* = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 3.87 (dd, *J* = 9.8, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 2.67 (s, 1H), 1.69 – 1.61 (m, 1H), 1.52 – 1.44 (m, 1H), 1.25 – 1.13 (m, 8H), 0.83 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 3H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 141.2, 139.2, 138.2, 137.6, 137.2, 130.6, 128.5, 127.9, 127.6, 126.89, 126.86, 126.41, 126.36, 126.0, 84.6, 74.9, 70.3, 31.7, 29.1, 28.3, 26.2, 22.6, 14.0. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3059, 3028, 2955, 2924, 2855, 1945, 1744, 1658, 1633, 1601, 1492, 1447, 1377, 1259, 1173, 1095, 1014, 862, 797, 755, 730, 699, 662, 613; HRMS (DART) : C₂₉H₃₂O₂ [M+NH₄]⁺: calcd. 430.2402, found: 430.2736.

2-(4-chlorobutyl)-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4c)



According to General Procedure C, product **4c** (79.0 mg, 0.189 mmol, 91%) was obtained from **3c** (50.0 mg, 0.208 mmol) and diphenylacetylene (40.8 mg, 0.229 mmol) as yellow solid, mp 140-142 °C.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.38 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.21 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.17 – 7.08 (m, 4H), 7.05 – 6.99 (m, 2H), 6.93 – 6.83 (m, 5H), 4.80 (d, *J* = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 4.57 (d, *J* = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 3.92 (d, *J* = 9.7 Hz, 1H), 3.46 (t, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 2H), 2.93 (s, 1H), 1.79 – 1.64 (m, 4H), 1.44 – 1.35 (m, 1H), 1.32 – 1.27 (m, 1H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 141.0, 139.0, 138.0, 137.4, 137.2, 130.5, 128.4, 127.9, 127.6, 126.94, 126.89, 126.5, 126.3, 126.0, 84.3, 74.8, 70.3, 44.9, 32.4, 27.6, 23.6. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3081, 3056, 3026, 2926, 2857, 1948, 1884, 1602, 1582, 1492, 1451, 1375, 1310, 1164, 1130, 1090, 1065, 1036, 996, 945, 927,

850, 753, 699, 678, 617; HRMS (DART) : C₂₇H₂₇ClO₂ [M+NH₄]⁺: calcd. 436.1700, found: 436.2032.

2-(but-3-en-1-yl)-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4d)



According to General Procedure C, product **4d** (85.0 mg, 0.223 mmol, 91%) was obtained from **3d** (50.0 mg, 0.245 mmol) and diphenylacetylene (48.0 mg, 0.269 mmol) as yellow oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.34 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.21 – 7.05 (m, 6H), 7.03 – 6.97 (m, 2H), 6.85 (s, 5H), 5.67 (dt, *J* = 17.1, 6.6 Hz, 1H), 4.99 – 4.86 (m, 2H), 4.74 (d, *J* = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 4.52 (d, *J* = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 3.90 (d, *J* = 9.8 Hz, 1H), 2.67 (s, 1H), 2.27 – 2.17 (m, 1H), 2.07 – 1.97 (m, 1H), 1.83 – 1.72 (m, 1H), 1.37 – 1.29 (m, 1H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 141.0, 139.2, 138.4, 138.2, 137.5, 137.3, 130.6, 128.5, 127.9, 127.6, 126.94, 126.90, 126.45, 126.41, 126.0, 114.7, 83.5, 74.9, 70.3, 30.0, 27.5. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3404, 3059, 3027, 2975, 2926, 2852, 1951, 1883, 1809, 1641, 1601, 1491, 1446, 1380, 1320, 1259, 1189, 1176, 1136, 1089, 1044, 948, 913, 878, 754, 727, 698, 612; HRMS (DART) : C₂₇H₂₆O₂ [M+NH₄]⁺: calcd. 400.1933, found: 400.2271.

2-cyclopropyl-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4e)



According to General Procedure C, product **4e** (101.0 mg, 0.274 mmol, 87%) was obtained from **3e** (60.0 mg, 0.315 mmol) and diphenylacetylene (61.7 mg, 0.346 mmol) as yellow oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.38 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.21 – 7.12 (m, 5H), 7.09 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.02 (d, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 1H), 7.00 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 6.96 – 6.92 (m, 2H), 6.89 – 6.85 (m, 3H), 4.76 (d, *J* = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 4.57 (d, *J* = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 3.27 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 2.93 (s, 1H), 1.26 – 1.16 (m, 1H), 0.57 – 0.48 (m, 1H), 0.41 – 0.34 (m, 1H), 0.19 – 0.10 (m, 1H), -0.39 – -0.47 (m, 1H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 141.4, 138.8, 138.2, 137.4, 137.2, 130.6, 128.4, 128.0, 127.4, 126.95, 126.92, 126.6, 126.3, 126.0, 88.4, 75.2, 70.4, 10.0, 3.5, 1.7. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3457, 3054, 3026, 2926, 1741, 1599, 1490, 1442, 1366, 1347, 1316, 1270, 1185, 1130, 1092, 1031, 995, 956, 896, 857, 828, 808, 753, 727, 696, 660, 625; HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₂₆H₂₄O₂ [M-H₂O]⁺: calcd. 350.1776, found: 350.1667.

2-cyclohexyl-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4f)



According to General Procedure C, product **4f** (132.0 mg, 0.323 mmol, 94%) was obtained from **3f** (80.0 mg, 0.345 mmol) and diphenylacetylene (67.6 mg, 0.380 mmol) as yellow solid, mp 136-138 °C.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.34 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.21 – 7.05 (m, 6H), 6.99 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 6.87 – 6.78 (m, 5H), 4.73 (d, *J* = 16.3 Hz, 1H), 4.56 (d, *J* = 16.3 Hz, 1H), 3.75 (d, *J* = 3.9 Hz, 1H), 2.71 (s, 1H), 2.19 (d, *J* = 12.3 Hz, 1H), 1.72 (d, *J* = 11.6 Hz, 1H), 1.60 – 1.49 (m, 3H), 1.26 – 1.01 (m, 6H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 141.5, 139.9, 138.2, 137.5, 136.8, 130.7, 128.5, 127.9, 127.5, 126.85, 126.79, 126.5, 126.3, 125.9, 88.0, 75.9, 71.0, 37.9, 32.1, 28.1, 26.4, 26.3. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3488, 3056, 3026, 2925, 2852, 1942, 1731, 1680, 1599, 1557, 1541, 1492, 1446, 1378, 1324, 1259, 1173, 1094, 1050, 915, 883, 801, 756, 722, 698, 658, 618; HRMS (DART) : C₂₉H₃₀O₂ [M+NH₄]⁺: calcd. 428.2246, found: 428.2578.

2-(2-(methylthio)ethyl)-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4g)



According to General Procedure C, product **4g** (78.0 mg, 0.194 mmol, 73%) was obtained from **3g** (60.0 mg, 0.267 mmol) and diphenylacetylene (52.3 mg, 0.294 mmol) as yellow oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.36 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.21 – 7.05 (m, 6H), 7.02 – 6.98 (m, 2H), 6.86 (s, 5H), 4.79 (d, *J* = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 4.52 (d, *J* = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 4.16 (dd, *J* = 9.6, 1.7 Hz, 1H), 2.72 (s, 1H), 2.66 – 2.57 (m, 1H), 2.55 – 2.46 (m, 1H), 2.02 – 1.91 (m, 1H), 1.82 (s, 3H), 1.56 – 1.47 (m, 1H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 140.7, 139.0, 138.1, 137.44, 137.39, 130.6, 128.5, 128.0, 127.7, 127.0, 126.95, 126.6, 126.4, 126.1, 82.2, 74.8, 70.4, 30.6, 27.3, 14.6. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 2963, 2921, 2849, 1945, 1647, 1491, 1469, 1445, 1418, 1335, 1261, 1094, 1019, 865, 799, 756, 731, 699, 662, 613; HRMS (El(+), 70 eV) : C₂₆H₂₆O₂S [M]⁺: calcd. 402.1654, found: 402.1657.

2,3,4,5-tetraphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4h)



According to General Procedure C, product **4h** (78.0 mg, 0.193 mmol, 88%) was obtained from **3h** (50.0 mg, 0.220 mmol) and diphenylacetylene (43.1 mg, 0.242 mmol) as yellow

solid, mp 145-147 °C.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.23 – 7.04 (m, 12H), 7.00 – 6.93 (m, 2H), 6.93 – 6.80 (m, 6H), 5.10 (s, 1H), 4.98 (d, *J* = 16.5 Hz, 1H), 4.72 (d, *J* = 16.5 Hz, 1H), 2.69 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 140.9, 138.6, 138.1, 137.5, 137.4, 136.4, 130.7, 128.5, 128.0, 127.56, 127.53, 127.4, 127.3, 127.1, 126.9, 126.8, 126.6, 126.1, 86.1, 75.3, 70.6. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3359, 3053, 2961, 2924, 2873, 2852, 1945, 1727, 1651, 1600, 1491, 1446, 1411, 1341, 1259, 1172, 1095, 1018, 862, 797, 754, 720, 699, 663, 615; HRMS (DART) : C₂₉H₂₄O₂ [M+NH₄]⁺: calcd. 422.1776, found: 422.2110.

3,4,5-triphenyl-2-(2-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4i)



According to General Procedure C, product **4i** (152.0 mg, 0.322 mmol, 83%) was obtained from **3i** (114.0 mg, 0.387 mmol) and diphenylacetylene (75.9 mg, 0.426 mmol) as yellow solid, mp 148-150 °C.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.50 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 7.51 – 7.43 (m, 2H), 7.27 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.20 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.17 – 7.08 (m, 3H), 7.08 – 7.02 (m, 2H), 7.02 – 6.92 (m, 4H), 6.90 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 6.88 – 6.82 (m, 3H), 5.45 (s, 1H), 5.01 (d, *J* = 16.6 Hz, 1H), 4.58 (d, *J* = 16.6 Hz, 1H), 3.19 (s, 1H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 140.0, 139.4, 137.9, 137.1, 137.0, 135.4, 131.4, 131.2, 131.1, 130.6, 129.2 (q, *J*_{*C*-*F*} = 29.5 Hz), 128.5, 128.1, 127.2, 127.14, 127.07, 126.9, 126.5, 126.2, 125.72 (q, *J*_{*C*-*F*} = 6.1 Hz), 124.1 (q, *J*_{*C*-*F*} = 275.7 Hz), 79.7, 75.7, 70.7. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3441, 3378, 3088, 3056, 3029, 2957, 2926, 2855, 1746, 1669, 1652, 1604, 1492, 1449, 1378, 1309, 1259, 1163, 1126, 1091, 1036, 926, 880, 801, 754, 731, 699, 662, 619; HRMS (DART) : C₃₀H₂₃F₃O₂ [M+NH₄]⁺: calcd. 490.1650, found: 490.1986.

4,5-diethyl-2-phenethyl-3-phenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4j)



According to General Procedure C, product **4j** (35.0 mg, 0.104 mmol, 75%) was obtained from **3a** (35.0 mg, 0.138 mmol) and 3-hexyne (12.5 mg, 0.152 mmol) as yellow oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.33 – 7.20 (m, 5H), 7.17 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.13 – 7.08 (m, 1H), 6.97 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 4.25 – 4.14 (m, 2H), 3.47 (d, *J* = 9.7 Hz, 1H), 2.79 – 2.70 (m, 1H), 2.47 – 2.37 (m, 1H), 2.16 (s, 1H), 2.13 – 1.93 (m, 3H), 1.90 – 1.80 (m, 1H), 1.71 – 1.62 (m, 1H), 1.49 – 1.39 (m, 1H), 1.05 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 3H), 0.79 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 142.1, 141.7, 136.0, 135.6, 128.4, 128.1, 127.8, 126.5, 126.3, 125.5, 83.3, 75.4, 69.0, 32.0, 29.6, 22.3, 21.6, 15.4, 13.2. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3449, 3062, 3025, 2967, 2932, 2872, 1943, 1877, 1741, 1692, 1601, 1493, 1448, 1375, 1345, 1261, 1189, 1174, 1157, 1106, 1050, 995, 949, 927, 899, 842, 753, 730, 696, 660, 634; HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : $C_{23}H_{28}O_2$ [M-H₂O]⁺: calcd. 318.2089, found: 318.1978.

5-methyl-2-phenethyl-3,4-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4k) 4-methyl-2-phenethyl-3,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4k')



40k : **40k'** = 2:1

According to General Procedure C, product **4k** and **4k'** (44.0 mg, 0.119 mmol, 86%) was obtained from **3a** (35.0 mg, 0.138 mmol) and 1-phenyl-1-propyne (17.6 mg, 0.152 mmol) as yellow oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.47 – 7.22 (m, 5H), 7.22 – 7.13 (m, 6H), 7.13 – 7.07 (m, 3H), 7.07 – 6.97 (m, 6H), 6.95 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 4.52 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 0.5H), 4.35 (d, *J* = 16.2 Hz, 1.5H), 4.26 (d, *J* = 16.2 Hz, 1H), 3.73 (dd, *J* = 9.8, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 3.61 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 0.5H), 3.38 (s, 0.5H), 2.84 – 2.74 (m, 1.5H), 2.62 (s, 1H), 2.55 – 2.44 (m, 1.5H), 2.00 – 1.86 (m, 1.5H), 1.63 – 1.46 (m, 4.5H), 1.32 (s, 1.5H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 142.0, 141.3, 141.0, 137.8, 137.5, 133.4, 133.3, 132.0, 129.9, 128.6, 128.4, 128.3, 128.1, 127.5, 127.4, 127.2, 126.7, 126.25, 126.18, 126.12, 125.5, 83.3, 82.8, 74.7, 74.5, 70.7, 70.4, 32.0, 31.9, 29.8, 29.6, 16.0, 15.2; IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \bar{v} : 3550, 3443, 3059, 3025, 2929, 2863, 2818, 1948, 1885, 1808, 1769, 1693, 1600, 1492, 1447, 1380, 1330, 1173, 1136, 1103, 1032, 999, 935, 883, 849, 755, 699, 654, 625; HRMS (DART) : C₂₆H₂₆O₂ [M+NH₄]⁺: calcd. 388.1933, found: 388.2270. In compound **4k**, an NOE between two methylene protons ($\bar{\delta}$ = 4.35 and $\bar{\delta}$ = 4.26) and the methyl protons ($\bar{\delta}$ = 1.52) was observed. On the other hand, in compound **4k**', no NOE between two methylene protons ($\bar{\delta}$ = 4.35) and the methyl protons ($\bar{\delta}$ = 1.32) was observed.

4,5-bis(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-phenethyl-3-phenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4l)



According to General Procedure C, product **4I** (72.0 mg, 0.146 mmol, 73%) was obtained from **3a** (51.0 mg, 0.201 mmol) and 1,2-bis(4-methoxyphenyl)ethyne (52.7 mg, 0.221 mmol) as yellow solid, mp 149-151 °C.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.27 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.22 – 7.11 (m, 5H), 7.10 – 7.04 (m, 1H), 7.01 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 6.87 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 2H), 6.73 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.62 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 2H), 6.38 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 4.65 (d, *J* = 16.3 Hz, 1H), 4.53 (d, *J* = 16.3 Hz, 1H), 3.81 (dd, *J* = 9.8, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 3.67 (s, 3H), 3.54 (s, 3H), 2.90 (s, 1H), 2.88 – 2.78 (m, 1H), 2.57 – 2.47 (m, 1H), 2.07 – 1.97 (m, 1H), 1.62 – 1.53 (m, 1H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 158.2, 157.5, 141.9, 141.3, 138.0, 136.3, 131.7, 130.5, 130.1, 129.6, 128.4, 128.1, 127.6, 126.42, 126.35, 125.5, 113.3, 112.4, 83.5, 77.3, 77.0, 76.7, 75.0, 70.3, 55.0, 54.7, 31.9, 29.6; IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3436, 3394, 3059, 3027, 2931, 2861, 1949, 1892, 1801, 1671, 1606, 1573, 1510, 1451, 1376, 1287, 1246, 1178, 1142, 1100, 1033, 971, 912, 878, 829, 752, 734, 700, 644, 619; HRMS (DART) : C₃₃H₃₂O₄ [M]⁺: calcd. 492.2301, found: 492.2285.

4,5-bis(3-chlorophenyl)-2-phenethyl-3-phenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4m)



According to General Procedure C, product **4m** (62.0 mg, 0.124 mmol, 63%) was obtained from **3a** (50.0 mg, 0.197 mmol) and 1,2-bis(3-chlorophenyl)ethyne (53.3 mg, 0.217 mmol) as yellow solid, mp 149-152 °C.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.25 – 7.18 (m, 4H), 7.17 – 7.12 (m, 3H), 7.11 – 7.03 (m, 3H), 7.01 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 3H), 6.92 (s, 1H), 6.85 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 6.81 – 6.73 (m, 2H), 6.68 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 4.68 (d, *J* = 16.3 Hz, 1H), 4.47 (d, *J* = 16.5 Hz, 1H), 3.81 (d, *J* = 9.6 Hz, 1H), 2.81 (s, 2H), 2.59 – 2.49 (m, 1H), 2.06 – 1.92 (m, 1H), 1.60 – 1.49 (m, 1H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 141.7, 140.0, 139.4, 139.1, 138.9, 136.6, 134.0, 132.9, 130.1, 129.4, 128.7, 128.4, 128.23, 128.15, 127.8, 127.4, 126.8, 126.7, 126.5, 126.2, 125.7, 83.1, 74.6, 70.0, 31.8, 29.6. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3461, 3430, 3388, 3181, 3061, 3027, 2922, 2851, 2285, 1940, 1736, 1663, 1592, 1562, 1494, 1451, 1410, 1376, 1333, 1287, 1189, 1175, 1146, 1098, 1049, 1011, 960, 933, 881, 846, 784, 756, 727, 700, 626; HRMS (DART) : C₃₁H₂₆Cl₂O₂ [M+NH₄]⁺: calcd. 518.1310, found: 518.1640

3-(naphthalen-1-yl)-2-phenethyl-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4n)



According to General Procedure C, product **4n** (28.0 mg, 0.058 mmol, 62%) was obtained from **3n** (28.0 mg, 0.092 mmol) and diphenylacetylene (18.0 mg, 0.101 mmol) as yellow solid, mp 160-162 °C.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCI₃): δ 8.36 (d, *J* = 5.5 Hz, 1H), 7.97 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 7.79 – 7.73 (m, 1H), 7.65 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 7.43 – 7.33 (m, 3H), 7.20 – 7.12 (m, 3H), 7.11 – 7.00 (m, 5H), 6.83 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 4H), 6.74 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 1H), 6.68 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 4.92 (d, *J* = 16.8 Hz, 1H), 4.70 (d, *J* = 16.5 Hz, 1H), 4.49 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 2.99 (s, 1H), 2.75 – 2.65 (m, 1H), 2.39 – 2.28 (m, 1H), 2.07 – 1.97 (m, 1H), 1.47 – 1.37 (m, 1H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCI₃): δ 141.7, 140.3, 138.3, 136.9, 136.0, 133.9, 131.4, 130.4, 129.6, 129.1, 128.4, 128.2, 128.14, 128.08, 128.0, 127.1, 126.6, 126.2, 125.4, 125.18, 125.12, 125.0, 124.8, 80.6, 75.0, 70.4, 31.8, 30.6. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3443, 3394, 3266, 3051, 2956, 2926, 2855, 1918, 1829, 1733, 1653, 1599, 1492, 1456, 1378, 1316, 1259, 1217, 1168, 1090, 1050, 881, 843, 802, 781, 757, 698, 658, 642, 619; HRMS (DART) : C₃₅H₃₀O₂ [M+NH₄]⁺: calcd. 500.2246, found: 500.2575.

3-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-phenethyl-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (40)



According to General Procedure C, product **4o** (66.0 mg, 0.143 mmol, 90%) was obtained from **3o** (45.0 mg, 0.158 mmol) and diphenylacetylene (31.0 mg, 0.174 mmol) as yellow solid, mp 142-145 °C.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.23 – 7.11 (m, 5H), 7.11 – 7.01 (m, 5H), 6.98 – 6.93 (m, 2H), 6.83 (s, 5H), 6.67 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 4.68 (d, *J* = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 4.54 (d, *J* = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 3.81 (dd, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 2.89 – 2.79 (m, 2H), 2.60 – 2.50 (m, 1H), 2.07 – 1.95 (m, 1H), 1.65 – 1.56 (m, 1H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 157.9, 142.0, 139.3, 138.2, 137.6, 137.1, 133.0, 130.6, 128.5, 128.4, 128.2, 127.9, 127.4, 126.91, 126.89, 126.0, 125.6, 113.0, 83.3, 74.5, 70.2, 55.0, 32.0, 29.6. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3427, 3345, 2953, 2924, 2854, 1734, 1653, 1601, 1510, 1493, 1459, 1377, 1305, 1286, 1256, 1169, 1092, 1029, 965, 927, 880, 803, 759, 731, 699, 630; HRMS (DART) : C₃₂H₃₀O₃ [M+H]⁺: calcd. 463.2195, found: 463.2262.

2-phenethyl-4,5-diphenyl-3-(o-tolyl)-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4p)



According to General Procedure C, product **4p** (50.0 mg, 0.112 mmol, 93%) was obtained from **3p** (32.0 mg, 0.120 mmol) and diphenylacetylene (23.5 mg, 0.132 mmol) as yellow solid, mp 140-143 °C.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO): δ 7.62 (s, 1H), 7.23 – 7.05 (m, 6H), 7.04 – 6.87 (m, 8H), 6.84 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 6.81 – 6.73 (m, 3H), 5.74 (s, 1H), 4.67 (d, *J* = 16.2 Hz, 1H), 4.39 (d, *J* = 16.2 Hz, 1H), 3.97 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 1H), 2.73 – 2.64 (m, 1H), 2.48 – 2.39 (m, 1H), 2.23 (s, 3H), 1.98 – 1.86 (m, 1H), 1.35 – 1.24 (m, 1H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO): δ 141.9, 139.9, 139.0, 138.0, 137.2, 135.9, 131.2, 130.0, 128.24, 128.16, 128.0, 127.9, 126.7, 126.45, 126.38, 125.7, 125.6, 125.0, 78.3, 73.3, 69.3, 31.3, 30.5, 20.6; IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3330, 2973, 2927, 2883, 1924, 1651, 1452, 1419, 1379, 1327, 1274, 1087, 1045, 879, 804, 735, 697, 660; HRMS (DART) : C₃₂H₃₀O₂ [M+NH₄]⁺: calcd. 464.2246, found: 464.2581.

3-(4-fluorophenyl)-2-phenethyl-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4q)



According to General Procedure C, product **4q** (72.0 mg, 0.160 mmol, 87%) was obtained from **3q** (50.0 mg, 0.184 mmol) and diphenylacetylene (36.1 mg, 0.202 mmol) as yellow solid, mp 139-141 °C.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.21 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 4H), 7.17 – 7.12 (m, 1H), 7.12 – 7.07 (m, 3H), 7.03 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 6.97 – 6.92 (m, 2H), 6.88 – 6.76 (m, 7H), 4.71 (d, *J* = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 4.52 (d, *J* = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 3.79 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 1H), 2.91 (s, 1H), 2.88 – 2.79 (m, 1H), 2.60 – 2.51 (m, 1H), 2.06 – 1.95 (m, 1H), 1.57 – 1.49 (m, 1H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 161.3 (d, *J*_{C-F} = 245.8 Hz), 141.8, 139.0, 138.0, 137.4, 137.2, 136.7 (d, *J*_{C-F} = 3.0 Hz), 130.4, 128.41, 128.40, 128.2, 128.04, 127.96, 127.0, 126.1, 125.7, 114.5 (d, *J*_{C-F} = 21.3 Hz), 83.1, 74.6, 70.2, 31.9, 29.7. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3433, 3058, 3025, 2954, 2920, 2851, 1954, 1890, 1667, 1603, 1508, 1442, 1411, 1375, 1331, 1224, 1182, 1157, 1088, 1045, 1031, 1011, 951, 926, 879, 839, 812, 759, 698, 629; HRMS (DART) : C₃₁H₂₇FO₂ [M+NH₄]⁺: calcd. 468.1995, found: 468.2327

2-pentyl-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4r)



According to General Procedure C, product **4r** (84.0 mg, 0.211 mmol, 97%) was obtained from **3r** (48.0 mg, 0.218 mmol) and diphenylacetylene (42.7 mg, 0.240 mmol) as yellow oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.40 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.21 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.17 – 7.08 (m, 4H), 7.06 – 7.00 (m, 2H), 6.94 – 6.86 (m, 5H), 4.82 (d, *J* = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 4.59 (d, *J* = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 3.94 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 3.01 (s, 1H), 1.74 (dt, *J* = 16.3, 11.6 Hz, 1H), 1.61 – 1.50 (m, 1H), 1.31 – 1.15 (m, 6H), 0.87 (t, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H).¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 141.2, 139.2, 138.2, 137.6, 137.1, 130.6, 128.4, 127.9, 127.6, 126.87, 126.85, 126.4, 126.3, 125.9, 84.6, 74.9, 70.3, 31.6, 28.3, 25.9, 22.5, 14.0. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3447, 3057, 3025, 2953, 2925, 2857, 1946, 1881, 1807, 1679, 1599, 1576, 1492, 1444, 1377, 1331, 1259, 1176, 1096, 1073, 1028, 916, 879, 797, 755, 729, 698, 615; HRMS (DART) : $C_{28}H_{30}O_2$ [M+NH₄]⁺: calcd. 416.2246, found: 416.2582.

(2R,3R)-2-phenethyl-3-phenyloxetan-3-ol (3a-ent)



 $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +27.2$ (c = 1.40, CH₂Cl₂); HPLC (Chiralcel OD-H column, hexanes:i-PrOH = 90:10, 1.0 mL/min, 210 nm), t_{minor} = 9.1 min, t_{major} = 11.6 min, 99% ee.

(2R,3R)-2-phenethyl-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4a-ent)



 $[\alpha]_D^{20} = + 19.9 (c = 2.20, CH_2Cl_2); HPLC (Chiralcel IE-H column, hexanes:i-PrOH = 90:10, 1.0 mL/min, 210 nm), t_{minor} = 4.6 min, t_{major} = 5.6 min, 99% ee.$

(2R,3R)-2,3-diphenyloxetan-3-ol (3h-ent)



 $[\alpha]_D^{20} = + 21.7 (c = 0.90, CH_2Cl_2); HPLC (Chiralcel OD-H column, hexanes:i-PrOH = 90:10, 1.0 mL/min, 210 nm), t_{minor} = 6.9 min, t_{major} = 7.7 min, 96% ee.$

(2R,3R)-2,3,4,5-tetraphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4h-ent)



 $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +20.3 (c = 0.20, CH_2Cl_2); HPLC (Chiralcel OD-H column, hexanes:i-PrOH = 90:10, 1.0 mL/min, 210 nm), t_{major} = 6.4 min, t_{minor} = 11.3 min, 95\% ee.$

(2S,3S)-2-pentyl-3-phenyloxetan-3-ol (3r-ent)



 $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -19.0 \text{ (c} = 1.00, \text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2); \text{HPLC (Chiralcel OD-H column, hexanes:i-PrOH = 95:5, 1.0 mL/min, 210 nm), t_{minor} = 6.7 min, t_{major} = 7.5 min, 99\% ee.$

(2S,3S)-2-pentyl-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4r-ent)



 $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -33.5$ (c = 1.40, CH₂Cl₂); HPLC (Chiralcel OD-H column, hexanes:i-PrOH = 95:5, 1.0 mL/min, 210 nm), t_{minor} = 4.1 min, t_{major} = 4.5 min, 99% ee.



According to a procedure reported by Y.-P. Chang et al.^[5] To the stirred solution of dihydropyran product **2a** (5.18 mmol, 1.70 g) in dry CH_2Cl_2 (26 mL), *m*-CPBA (7.77 mmol, 1.34 g) was added in one portion at 0 °C. The reaction mixture was slowly brought to 25 °C and stirred further for 48 h at the same temperature. The reaction was quenched with saturated sodium thiosulfate solution, and the mixture was extracted three times with CH_2Cl_2 . The combined organic phases were dried over MgSO₄, concentrated in vacuo and the residue was purified by silica gel flash chromatography (hexane/EtOAc = 5:1) to give epoxide product **5** (1.10 g, 62% yield) as yellow oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.60 – 7.52 (m, 2H), 7.27 – 7.08 (m, 8H), 6.90 – 6.73 (m, 5H), 4.65 (d, *J* = 13.5 Hz, 1H), 4.28 (d, *J* = 13.5 Hz, 1H), 4.00 (d, *J* = 11.3 Hz, 1H), 3.91 (d, *J* = 11.3 Hz, 1H), 2.96 (s, 1H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 140.9, 135.0 133.0, 129.2, 127.9, 127.78, 127.75, 127.4, 127.0, 126.6, 126.5 126.2, 73.6, 73.0, 72.9, 70.3, 68.7. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 2963, 2916, 2854, 1494, 1448, 1404, 1260, 1092, 1023, 922, 866, 801, 697. HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₂₃H₂₀O₃ [M-H₂O]+: calcd. 326.1412, found: 326.1299.



According to a procedure reported by K. Maruoka et al.^[6] To a solution of epoxide **5** (200 mg, 0.58 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ was added a 1 M CH₂Cl₂ solution of TiCl₄ (0.64 mL, 0.64 mmol) at -78 °C. The mixture was stirred at -78 °C for 30 min, and quenched with saturated NH₄Cl solution. The mixture was extracted three times with CH₂Cl₂. The combined organic phases were dried over MgSO₄, concentrated in vacuo and the residue was purified by

silica gel flash chromatography (hexane/EtOAc = 5:1) to give product **6** (137 mg, 48% yield) as yellow oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.26 – 7.19 (m, 5H), 7.08 – 7.03 (m, 2H), 7.00 – 6.93 (m, 6H), 6.93 – 6.88 (m, 2H), 4.82 – 4.73 (m, 2H), 4.65 (s, 1H), 4.16 (d, *J* = 12.7 Hz, 1H), 4.05 (d, *J* = 11.9 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 209.2, 141.0, 139.9, 136.8, 129.2, 128.9, 128.05, 127.99, 127.6, 127.36, 127.31, 127.26, 126.0, 76.9, 76.58, 76.56, 64.1. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 2964, 1410, 1261, 1091, 1023, 865, 801, 694. HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₂₃H₂₀O₃ [M]+: calcd. 344.1412, found: 344.1406.



According to a procedure reported by B. Schmidt et al.^[7] To a solution of LDA in THF (2.0 M, 0.6 mL, 1.17 mmol) under an atmosphere of dry argon was added a solution of epoxide **5** (130 mg, 0.38 mmol) in dry THF (2.0 mL). The mixture was stirred at room temperature for 6 h, and quenched with saturated NH₄Cl solution. The mixture was extracted three times with Et₂O. The combined organic phases were dried over MgSO₄, concentrated in vacuo and the residue was purified by silica gel flash chromatography (hexane/EtOAc = 5:1) to give product **7** (62 mg, 48% yield) as colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.28 – 7.12 (m, 9H), 7.11 – 7.05 (m, 4H), 7.04 (s, 1H), 6.79 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 4.77 (d, J = 12.1 Hz, 1H), 4.06 (d, J = 12.1 Hz, 1H), 3.57 (s, 1H), 3.13 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 142.2, 141.7, 138.0, 135.3, 128.3, 128.1, 128.0, 127.5, 127.3, 127.0, 126.8, 126.2, 117.9, 77.6, 73.7, 69.0. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3514, 3358, 3186, 2921, 2853, 1636, 1456, 1328, 1260, 1188, 1018, 913, 800, 752, 698, 624. HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₂₃H₂₀O₃ [M]+: calcd. 344.1412, found: 344.1415. An NOE between two adjacent hydroxyl protons (δ = 3.57 and δ = 3.13) was observed.



According to a procedure reported by E. V. Boltukhina et al.^[8] To a stirred solution of dihydropyran product **2a** (180 mg, 0.55 mmol) in CH_2Cl_2 (6 mL) at -78°C was bubbled in ozone until light blue color appeared. Excessive ozone was removed by a nitrogen flow, then PPh₃ (288 mg, 1.1 mmol) was added. The mixture was left overnight, dried over MgSO₄, concentrated in vacuo and the residue was purified by silica gel flash chromatography (hexane/EtOAc = 4:1) to give product **8** (79 mg, 42% yield) as white solid, mp 115-117 °C.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO): δ 7.48 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.27 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.22 – 7.13 (m, 4H), 7.07 (dd, *J* = 7.4, 1.8 Hz, 2H), 6.97 – 6.91 (m, 3H), 6.91 – 6.85 (m, 2H), 6.73 (s, 1H), 4.71 (d, *J* = 11.3 Hz, 1H), 4.43 (d, *J* = 11.3 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO): δ 164.0, 155.2, 140.8, 135.63, 135.56, 130.6, 130.5, 129.2, 127.9, 127.41, 127.35, 127.26, 127.0, 126.4, 76.1, 71.7. IR (neat) cm⁻¹ \tilde{v} : 3363, 2962, 1702, 1491, 1448, 1395, 1321, 1261, 1093, 1023, 866, 802, 699. HRMS (EI(+), 70 eV) : C₂₃H₁₈O₃ [M]+: calcd. 342.1258, found: 342.1263.

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¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) 2-hexyloxetan-3-one (S-2b)











¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) 2-(but-3-en-1-yl)oxetan-3-one (S-2d)









¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCI₃) 2-(2-(methylthio)ethyl)oxetan-3-one (S-2g)



¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) 2-(2-(methylthio)ethyl)oxetan-3-one (S-2g)



¹HNMR (400MHz,CDCl₃) 2-(2-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)oxetan-3-one (S-2i)



¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) 2-(2-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)oxetan-3-one (S-2i)







¹³C NMR (101MHz,CDCl₃) 2-pentyloxetan-3-one (S-2r)



¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) 3-(4-butylphenyl)oxetan-3-ol (1c)



¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCI₃) 3-(4-butylphenyl)oxetan-3-ol (1c)





¹³C NMR (101MHz,CDCl₃) 2-phenethyl-3-phenyloxetan-3-ol (3a)



¹H NMR (400MHz,CDCl₃) 2-hexyl-3-phenyloxetan-3-ol (3b)



¹³C NMR (101MHz,CDCl₃) 2-hexyl-3-phenyloxetan-3-ol (3b)



¹HNMR (400MHz,CDCl₃) 2-(4-chlorobutyl)-3-phenyloxetan-3-ol (3c)



¹³C NMR (101 MHz,CDCI₃) 2-(4-chlorobutyl)-3-phenyloxetan-3-ol (3c)



¹HNMR (400MHz,CDCl₃) 2-(but-3-en-1-yl)-3-phenyloxetan-3-ol (3d)



¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) 2-(but-3-en-1-yl)-3-phenyloxetan-3-ol (3d)



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¹HNMR (400MHz,CDCl₃) 2-cyclopropyl-3-phenyloxetan-3-ol (3e)





¹³C NMR (101 MHz,CDCl₃) 2-cyclopropyl-3-phenyloxetan-3-ol (3e)



¹HNMR (400MHz,CDCl₃) 2-cyclohexyl-3-phenyloxetan-3-ol (3f)



¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) 2-cyclohexyl-3-phenyloxetan-3-ol (3f)



¹HNMR (400MHz,CDCl₃) 2-(2-(methylthio)ethyl)-3-phenyloxetan-3-ol (3g)



¹³C NMR (101 MHz,CDCl₃) 2-(2-(methylthio)ethyl)-3-phenyloxetan-3-ol (3g)



¹HNMR (400MHz,CDCl₃) 2,3-diphenyloxetan-3-ol (3h)



¹³C NMR (101 MHz,CDCl₃) 2,3-diphenyloxetan-3-ol (3h)



¹HNMR (400MHz,CDCl₃) 3-phenyl-2-(2-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)oxetan-3-ol (3i)



¹³CNMR(101MHz,CDCl₃) 3-phenyl-2-(2-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)oxetan-3-ol (3i)



¹HNMR (400MHz,CDCl₃) 3-(naphthalen-1-yl)-2-phenethyloxetan-3-ol (3n)



¹³CNMR(101MHz,CDCI₃) 3-(naphthalen-1-yl)-2-phenethyloxetan-3-ol (3n)


¹H NMR (400MHz,CDCl₃) 3-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-phenethyloxetan-3-ol (3o)



¹³C NMR (101MHz,CDCl₃) 3-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-phenethyloxetan-3-ol (30)



¹H NMR (400MHz,CDCI₃) 2-phenethyl-3-(o-tolyl)oxetan-3-ol (3p)



¹³C NMR (101MHz,CDCl₃) 2-phenethyl-3-(o-tolyl)oxetan-3-ol (3p)



¹H NMR (400MHz,CDCl₃) 3-(4-fluorophenyl)-2-phenethyloxetan-3-ol (3q)



¹³C NMR (101MHz,CDCl₃) 3-(4-fluorophenyl)-2-phenethyloxetan-3-ol (3q)



¹H NMR (400MHz,CDCl₃) 2-pentyl-3-phenyloxetan-3-ol (3r)



¹³C NMR (101MHz,CDCI₃) 2-pentyl-3-phenyloxetan-3-ol (3r)



¹HNMR (400MHz,CDCl₃) (R)-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2a)



¹³CNMR(101MHz,CDCl₃) (R)-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2a)



HPLC (R)-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2a, Racemic)

HPLC (R)-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2a, 96.5 : 3.5 er)





¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) (R)-4,5-diphenyl-3-(p-tolyl)-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2b)



¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCI₃) (R)-4,5-diphenyl-3-(p-tolyl)-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2b)



HPLC (R)-4,5-diphenyl-3-(p-tolyl)-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2b, Racemic)







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¹³CNMR(100MHz,CDCl₃) (R)-3-(4-butylphenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2c)



HPLC (R)-3-(4-butylphenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2c, Racemic)



HPLC (R)-3-(4-butylphenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2c, 95.5: 4.5 er)





¹HNMR(400MHz,CDCl₃) (R)-3-(4-fluorophenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2d)



¹³CNMR(100MHz,CDCI₃) (R)-3-(4-fluorophenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2d)





Totals :









¹HNMR(400MHz,CDCl₃) (S)-3-(2-fluorophenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol



¹³CNMR(100MHz,CDCl₃)(S)-3-(2-fluorophenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-o



HPLC (S)-3-(2-fluorophenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2e, Racemic)



¹HNMR(400MHz,CDCl₃)(R)-3-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3 -ol (2f)



¹³CNMR(100MHz,CDCl₃)(R)-3-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-



HPLC (R)-3-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2f, Racemic)

HPLC (R)-3-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2f, 95.5 : 4.5 er)





¹HNMR(400MHz,CDCl₃)(R)-3-(3-methoxyphenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3 -ol (2g)







HPLC (R)-3-(3-methoxyphenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2g, Racemic)







 1 HNMR(400MHz,CDCI₃)(R)-3-(3,4-dimethoxyphenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyra n-3-ol (2h)

¹³CNMR(100MHz,CDCI₃)(R)-3-(3,4-dimethoxyphenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyr an-3-ol (2h)



HPLC (R)-3-(3,4-dimethoxyphenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2h, Racemic)



HPLC (R)-3-(3,4-dimethoxyphenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2h, 95.5 : 4.5 er)





¹HNMR(400MHz,CDCl₃)(R)-3-(3-isopropoxyphenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyra n-3-ol (2i)







HPLC (R)-3-(3-isopropoxyphenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2i, 96:4 er)



HPLC (R)-3-(3-isopropoxyphenyl)-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2i,






¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) (R)-3-phenyl-4,5-di-p-tolyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2j)

HPLC (R)-3-phenyl-4,5-di-p-tolyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2j, Racemic)



HPLC (R)-3-phenyl-4,5-di-p-tolyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2j, 97:3 er)





¹HNMR(400MHz,CDCl₃) (R)-3-(3-isopropoxyphenyl)-4,5-di-p-tolyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2k)



¹³CNMR(100MHz,CDCI₃) (R)-3-(3-isopropoxyphenyl)-4,5-di-p-tolyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2k

PHLC (R)-3-(3-isopropoxyphenyl)-4,5-di-p-tolyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2k, Racemic)



PHLC (R)-3-(3-isopropoxyphenyl)-4,5-di-p-tolyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2k, 96 : 4 er)













HPLC (R)-4,5-bis(4-methoxyphenyl)-3-phenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2l, 95:5 er)



¹HNMR (400MHz,CDCl₃)







¹HNMR (400MHz,CDCl₃) 4,5-diethyl-3-phenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (2p)



¹HNMR (400MHz,CDCl₃) 2-phenethyl-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4a)

¹³CNMR(101MHz,CDCl₃) 2-phenethyl-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4a)



¹HNMR (400MHz,CDCl₃) 2-hexyl-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4b)



¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) 2-hexyl-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4b)



¹H NMR (400MHz,CDCI₃)



2-(4-chlorobutyl)-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4c)

¹³C NMR (101MHz,CDCl₃)



2-(4-chlorobutyl)-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4c)

¹H NMR (400MHz,CDCl₃)



2-(but-3-en-1-yl)-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4d)

¹³C NMR (101MHz,CDCl₃)



2-(but-3-en-1-yl)-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4d)

¹H NMR (400MHz,CDCl₃)



2-cyclopropyl-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4e)

¹³C NMR (101MHz,CDCI₃)



2-cyclopropyl-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4e)





¹³C NMR (101MHz,CDCl₃) 2-cyclohexyl-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol(4f)





¹H NMR (400MHz,CDCl₃) 2-(2-(methylthio)ethyl)-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4g)

¹³C NMR (101MHz,CDCI₃) 2-(2-(methylthio)ethyl)-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4g)









¹³C NMR (101MHz,CDCl₃) 2,3,4,5-tetraphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4h)









7.29 7.28-15 4.89 2.31 1.16 7 7.26 -7.24 -7.23 7.0 2.00^J ł -7.21 -7.19 -7.17 -7.15 6.5 -7.12 -7.11 -7.09 6.0 -6.98 L6.96 <mark>⊦4.2</mark>0 5 3.48 -3.48 -3.46 -2.77 -2.75 -2.74 -2.72 -2.71 5.0 4:5 -2.43 -2.41 -2.40 -2.16 -2.12 -2.10 -2.09 -2.07 -2.05 -2.03 -2.01 2.06-[4.0 f 3.5 (ppm) 1.00-I ۳ ۲ 3.0 -1.99 -1.97 1.17-[-1.95 2.5 -1.87 1.10^{ft} -1.87 -1.86 1.02-7 -1.85 2.0 3.39--1.85 1.12-1 1.13_Y -1.84 1.82 1.13 15 -1.69 f -1.68 -1.66 <mark>3.01⊣</mark> -1.66 1.0 -1.64 3.05-[-1.46 -1.44 5 -1.42 -1.07 -1.05 -1.03 0.0 -0.81 -0.79 -0.77 -0.5 -L-0.00

¹H NMR (400MHz,CDCI₃) 4,5-diethyl-2-phenethyl-3-phenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4j)



¹³C NMR (101MHz,CDCl₃) 4,5-diethyl-2-phenethyl-3-phenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4j)



¹H NMR (400MHz,CDCl₃) 5-methyl-2-phenethyl-3,4-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4k)



¹³C NMR (101MHz,CDCl₃) (4k)
5-methyl-2-phenethyl-3,4-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4k)
4-methyl-2-phenethyl-3,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4k')



¹H NMR (400MHz,CDCl₃) 4,5-bis(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-phenethyl-3-phenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4I)

¹³C NMR (101MHz,CDCl₃) 4,5-bis(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-phenethyl-3-phenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4I)







¹³C NMR (101MHz,CDCI₃)






¹H NMR (400MHz,CDCl₃) 3-(naphthalen-1-yl)-2-phenethyl-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4n)

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¹³C NMR (101MHz,CDCI₃)







¹H NMR (400MHz,CDCl₃) 3-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-phenethyl-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (40)

¹³C NMR (101MHz,CDCI₃) 3-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-phenethyl-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (40)







¹³C NMR (101MHz,DMSO-D6) 2-phenethyl-4,5-diphenyl-3-(o-tolyl)-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4p)





¹H NMR (400MHz,CDCl₃) 3-(4-fluorophenyl)-2-phenethyl-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4q)



¹³C NMR (101MHz,CDCI₃) 3-(4-fluorophenyl)-2-phenethyl-4,5-diphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4q)



¹H NMR (400MHz,CDCl₃) 2-pentyl-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4r)



¹³C NMR (101MHz,CDCl₃) 2-pentyl-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4r)



HPLC (2R,3R)-2-phenethyl-3-phenyloxetan-3-ol (3a ,Racemic)

Signal 1: VWD1 A, Wavelength=210 nm

Peak	RetTime	Туре	Width	Area	Height	Area
#	[min]		[min]	[mAU*s]	[mAU]	%
1	9.113	BB	0.2002	8377.17285	642.11981	51.9350
2	11.648	BV R	0.2680	7752.95068	447.87415	48.0650
Tota]	ls :			1.61301e4	1089.99396	







HPLC (2R,3R)-2-phenethyl-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4a, Racemic)



6438.07495 1004.40701







HPLC (2R,3R)-2,3-diphenyloxetan-3-ol (3h, Racemic)









HPLC (2R,3R)-2,3,4,5-tetraphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4h-ent, 95%ee)





HPLC (2S,3S)-2-pentyl-3-phenyloxetan-3-ol (3r, Racemic)



5:

5543.34766 611.14182







(2S,3S)-2-pentyl-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4r, Racemic)

Totals :

.s :

1.04312e4 1721.01367

(2S,3S)-2-pentyl-3,4,5-triphenyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-3-ol (4r-ent, 99%ee)





¹H NMR (400MHz,CDCl₃) 1,5,6-triphenyl-3,7-dioxabicyclo[4.1.0]heptan-5-ol (5)



¹³C NMR (101MHz,CDCl₃) 1,5,6-triphenyl-3,7-dioxabicyclo[4.1.0]heptan-5-ol (5)



¹H NMR (400MHz,CDCl₃) 5-hydroxy-4,4,5-triphenyldihydro-2H-pyran-3(4H)-one (6)



¹³C NMR (101MHz,CDCl₃) 5-hydroxy-4,4,5-triphenyldihydro-2H-pyran-3(4H)-one (6)



¹H NMR (400MHz,CDCl₃) 3,4,5-triphenyl-3,4-dihydro-2H-pyran-3,4-diol (7)



¹³C NMR (101MHz,CDCI₃) 3,4,5-triphenyl-3,4-dihydro-2H-pyran-3,4-diol (7)

¹H NMR (400MHz,DMSO-D6) 5-hydroxy-3,4,5-triphenyl-5,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-2-one (8)



¹³C NMR (101MHz, DMSO-D6) 5-hydroxy-3,4,5-triphenyl-5,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-2-one (8)



Crystal Structure and Data

1. Crystal Structure and Data for Compound 2i



Table 1.	Crystal data and	d structure i	refinement fo	or cu_	dm16687_	<u>0</u> m

	S 133	
	c = 14.0680(2) Å	$\gamma = 90$ °.
	b = 6.05140(10) Å	$\beta = 107.5170(10)$ °.
Unit cell dimensions	a = 12.8937(2) Å	$\alpha = 90$ °.
Space group	P 1 21 1	
Crystal system	Monoclinic	
Wavelength	1.54178 Å	
Temperature	130 K	
Formula weight	386.47	
Empirical formula	C26 H26 O3	
Identification code	cu_dm16687_0m	

Volume	1046.75(3) Å ³
Z	2
Density (calculated)	1.226 Mg/m^3
Absorption coefficient	0.624 mm ⁻¹
F(000)	412
Crystal size	0.18 x 0.15 x 0.12 mm ³
Theta range for data collection	3.294 to 69.828 °.
Index ranges	-15<=h<=14, -7<=k<=7, -15<=l<=16
Reflections collected	7974
Independent reflections	3172 [R(int) = 0.0438]
Completeness to theta = 67.679 $^{\circ}$	99.3 %
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents
Max. and min. transmission	0.7532 and 0.4779
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²
Data / restraints / parameters	3172 / 1 / 266
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.057
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0379, wR2 = 0.0942
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0383, wR2 = 0.0948
Absolute structure parameter	0.11(12)
Extinction coefficient	0.0200(18)
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.175 and -0.235 e.Å ⁻³

2. Crystal Structure and Data for Compound 4a-ent



Table 1. Crystal data and structure refinement for cu_dm16550_0m.

Identification code	cu_dm16550_0m	
Empirical formula	C31 H28 O2	
Formula weight	432.53	
Temperature	130 K	
Wavelength	1.54178 Å	
Crystal system	Orthorhombic	
Space group	P 21 21 21	
Unit cell dimensions	a = 5.83870(10) Å α=	: 90 °.
	$b = 15.6232(3) \text{ Å}$ $\beta =$	90°.
	$c = 25.7309(6) \text{ Å}$ $\gamma =$	= 90 °.
Volume	2347.15(8) Å ³	
Z	4	
Density (calculated)	1.224 Mg/m ³	

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Absorption coefficient	0.582 mm^{-1}
F(000)	920
Crystal size	0.12 x 0.03 x 0.02 mm ³
Theta range for data collection	3.309 to 69.949 °.
Index ranges	-6<=h<=5, -18<=k<=17, -29<=l<=30
Reflections collected	11626
Independent reflections	4196 [R(int) = 0.0638]
Completeness to theta = 67.679°	99.8 %
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents
Max. and min. transmission	0.7533 and 0.5311
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²
Data / restraints / parameters	4196 / 0 / 299
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	0.990
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0395, $wR2 = 0.0904$
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0445, $wR2 = 0.0928$
Absolute structure parameter	0.0(2)
Extinction coefficient	0.0048(4)
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.144 and -0.183 e.Å ⁻³