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Catalytic enantioselective ene-type reactions of vinylogous hydrazone: Construction of α -methylene- γ -butyrolactone derivatives

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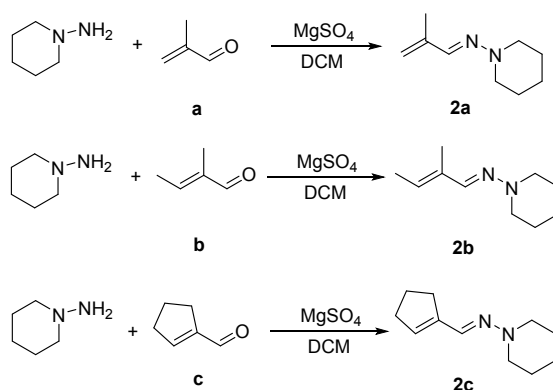
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1 General remarks

^1H NMR spectra were recorded on commercial instruments (400 MHz). Chemical shifts were recorded in ppm relative to tetramethylsilane and with the solvent resonance as the internal standard (CDCl_3 , $\delta = 7.26$, $\text{DMSO}-d_6$, $\delta = 2.50$). Data were reported as follows: chemical shift, multiplicity (s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, q = quartet, dd = doublet of doublets, td = triplet of doublets, dt = doublet of triplets, ddd = doublet of doublet of doublets, m = multiplet), coupling constants (Hz), integration. $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR data were collected on commercial instruments (101 MHz) with complete proton decoupling. $^{19}\text{F}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectra were collected on commercial instruments (376 MHz) with complete proton decoupling. Chemical shifts were reported in ppm from the tetramethylsilane with the solvent resonance as internal standard (CDCl_3 , $\delta = 77.16$, $\text{DMSO}-d_6$, $\delta = 39.52$). Enantiomeric excesses were determined by chiral HPLC analysis on Daicel Chiralcel IA, IB, IC, IE at 23 °C with UV detector at 254 or 210 nm in comparison with the authentic racemates. Optical rotations were reported as follows: $[\alpha]^{20}_\lambda$ ($\lambda = 405$ nm, c: g/100 mL, in CH_2Cl_2). HRMS was recorded on a commercial apparatus (FTMS+c ESI). All the solvents were purified by usual methods before use. Silica gel for Thin-layer chromatography (HG/T2354-92) made in Qingdao Haiyang Chemical Co., Ltd. Chiral N,N' -dioxide ligands were prepared according to previously reported method.¹

2 General procedure for the synthesis of the substrates 2a–2c



To a solution of **a–c** (10 mmol) in dry DCM (10 mL) was added MgSO_4 (2 equiv.) and piperidin-1-amine (1.3 equiv.). The reaction was stirred at the room temperature for 3 h, concentrated, the residue was purified by flash column chromatography on silica gel with petroleum ether/EtOAc (15:1, v/v) to give the products **2** (oil, 60–70% yield).

2a: ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 7.30$ (s, 1H), 5.15 (d, $J = 1.6$ Hz, 1H), 5.04 (d, $J = 1.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.07 – 2.96 (m, 4H), 1.88 (s, 3H), 1.77 – 1.60 (m, 4H), 1.53 – 1.45 (m, 2H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 142.8$, 138.4, 116.4, 52.1, 25.3, 24.3, 17.6; HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_9\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_2\text{H}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}^+]$) = 153.1392, Found 153.1387.

2b: ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 7.28$ (s, 1H), 5.64 (q, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.06 – 2.92 (m, 4H), 1.83 (s, 3H), 1.77 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 3H), 1.73 – 1.69 (m, 4H), 1.52 – 1.40 (m, 2H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 141.8$, 135.4, 128.3, 52.6, 25.4, 24.3, 13.9, 11.3; HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{18}\text{N}_2\text{H}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}^+]$) = 167.1548, Found 167.1542.

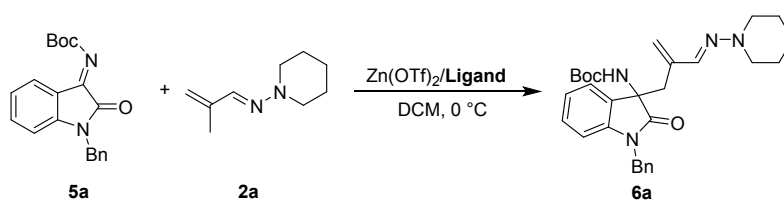
2c: ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 7.49$ (s, 1H), 5.82 (p, $J = 2.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.04 – 2.93 (m, 4H), 2.57 – 2.51 (m, 2H), 2.50 – 2.38 (m, 2H), 1.93 – 1.85 (m, 2H), 1.72 – 1.64 (m, 4H), 1.52 – 1.43 (m, 2H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 143.0$, 134.4, 131.8, 131.7, 52.2, 33.0, 31.0, 25.3, 24.3, 23.1; HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{18}\text{N}_2\text{H}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}^+]$) = 179.1548, Found 179.1542.

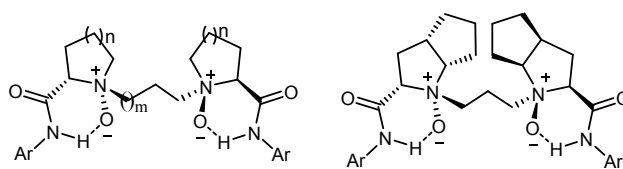
3 General procedures for the preparation of the racemic products

The corresponding racemic products were obtained by using racemic N,N' -dioxide ($\pm$)-**L-PrPr**₂ as the ligand under the respective catalytic reaction conditions.

4.1. Optimization of the imino-ene reaction conditions

Table S1. Screening of the ligands^a





L-PrPr₂: Ar = 2,6-*i*-Pr₂C₆H₃, n = 1, m = 1

L-PiPr₂: Ar = 2,6-*i*-Pr₂C₆H₃, n = 2, m = 1

L₂-PrPr₂: Ar = 2,6-*i*-Pr₂C₆H₃, n = 1, m = 0

L₄-PrPr₂: Ar = 2,6-*i*-Pr₂C₆H₃, n = 1, m = 2

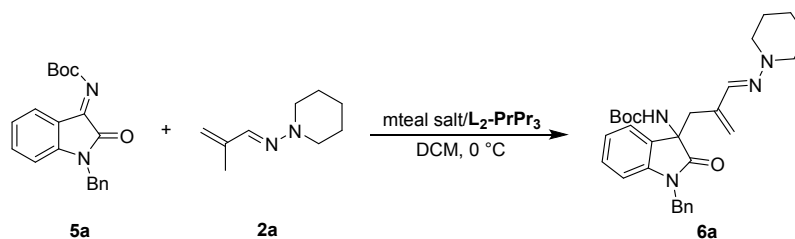
L₂-PrPr₃: Ar = 2,4,6-*i*-Pr₃C₆H₂, n = 1, m = 0

L-RaPr₂: Ar = 2,6-*i*-Pr₂C₆H₃

entry	ligand	yield (%) ^b	ee (%) ^c
1	L-PrPr₂	98	64
2	L-PiPr₂	99	30
3	L-RaPr₂	98	74
4	L₂-PrPr₂	98	86
5 ^d	L₄-PrPr₂	50	18
6	L₂-PrPr₃	98	88

^a Unless otherwise noted, all reactions were carried out with ligand/Zn(OTf)₂ (1:1, 10 mol%), **5a** (0.1 mmol), **2a** (0.13 mmol) in DCM (0.5 mL) at 0 °C for 15 h. ^b Isolated yield. ^c Determined by chiral HPLC analysis. ^d For 24 h.

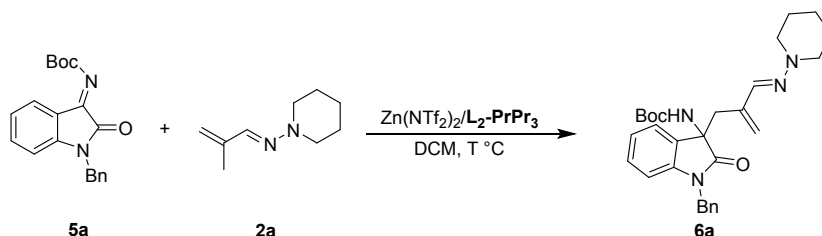
Table S2. Screening of the metal salts^a



entry	metal salt	yield (%) ^b	ee (%) ^c
1	Zn(NTf ₂) ₂	98	91
2	Ni(OTf) ₂	trace	-
3	Mg(OTf) ₂	trace	-

^a Unless otherwise noted, all reactions were carried out with **L₂-PrPr₃**/metal salt (1:1, 10 mol%), **5a** (0.1 mmol), **2a** (0.13 mmol) in DCM (0.5 mL) at 0 °C for 15 h. ^b Isolated yield. ^c Determined by chiral HPLC analysis.

Table S3. Screening of the reaction temperature^a



entry	T (°C)	yield (%) ^b	ee (%) ^c
1	-10	98	93
2	-20	98	94
3	-30	98	95

4	-40	98	96
5	-50	98	96

^a Unless otherwise noted, all reactions were carried out with **L₂-PrPr₃**/Zn(NTf₂)₂ (1:1, 10 mol%), **5a** (0.1 mmol), **2a** (0.13 mmol) in DCM (0.5 mL) at T °C for 15 h. ^b Isolated yield. ^c Determined by chiral HPLC analysis.

Table S4. Screening of the molecular sieves^a

entry	additive	yield (%) ^b	ee (%) ^c
1	3 Å MS (20 mg)	97	96
2	3 Å MS (30 mg)	97	95
3	4 Å MS (20 mg)	99	96
4	4 Å MS (30 mg)	99	96
5	5 Å MS (20 mg)	99	96
6	5 Å MS (30 mg)	98	96

^a Unless otherwise noted, all reactions were carried out with **L₂-PrPr₃**/Zn(NTf₂)₂ (1:1, 10 mol%), **5a** (0.1 mmol), **2a** (0.13 mmol) and additives in DCM (0.5 mL) at -40 °C for 15 h. ^b Isolated yield. ^c Determined by chiral HPLC analysis.

Table S5. Screening of the catalyst loading^a

entry	X	yield (%) ^b	ee (%) ^c
1	10	98	96
2	5	98	96
3 ^d	2.5	98	96

^a Unless otherwise noted, all reactions were carried out with **L₂-PrPr₃**/Zn(NTf₂)₂ (1:1, X mol%), **5a** (0.1 mmol), **2a** (0.13 mmol) and 4 Å MS (20 mg) in DCM (0.5 mL) at -40 °C for 15 h. ^b Isolated yield. ^c Determined by chiral HPLC analysis. ^d For 40 h.

4.2 Optimization of the aldehyde-carbonyl-ene reaction conditions

Table S6. Screening of the metal salts^a

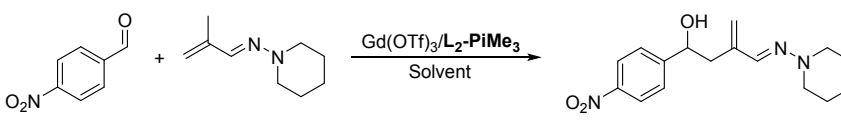
entry	metal salt	yield (%) ^b	ee (%) ^c
1	Sc(OTf) ₃	43	0
2	Fe(OTf) ₃	trace	--
3	Zn(OTf) ₂	89	-5
4	Ni(OTf) ₂	37	13
5	Mg(OTf) ₂	19	-17
6	Dy(OTf) ₃	52	40
7	Y(OTf) ₃	55	30
8	Yb(OTf) ₃	64	17
9	Gd(OTf) ₃	54	53
10	La(OTf) ₃	23	50

^a Unless otherwise noted, all reactions were carried out with **L-PrPr₂**/metal salt (1:1, 10 mol%), **8a** (0.1 mmol), **2a** (0.13 mmol) in DCM (0.5 mL) at 30 °C for 48 h. ^b Isolated yield. ^c Determined by chiral HPLC analysis.

Table S7. Screening of the ligands^a

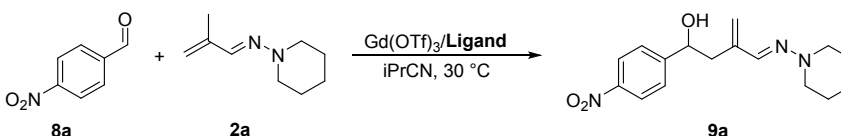
L-PrPr₂: Ar = 2,6-<i>i</i>Pr₂C₆H₃, n = 1, m=1 L-PiPr₂: Ar = 2,6-<i>i</i>Pr₂C₆H₃, n = 2, m=1 L-PiEt₂: Ar = 2,6-Et₂C₆H₃, n = 2, m=1 L-PiMe₂: Ar = 2,6-Me₂C₆H₃, n = 2, m=1 L₂-PiPr₂: Ar = 2,6-<i>i</i>Pr₂C₆H₃, n = 2, m=0 L₄-PiPr₂: Ar = 2,6-<i>i</i>Pr₂C₆H₃, n = 2, m=2 L-PiPr₃: Ar = 2,4,6-<i>i</i>Pr₃C₆H₂, n = 2, m=1 L-RaPr₂: Ar = 2,6-<i>i</i>Pr₂C₆H₃			
entry	ligand	yield (%) ^b	ee (%) ^c
1	L-PrPr₂	54	53
2	L-PiPr₂	63	60
3	L-RaPr₂	66	37
4	L-PiPr₃	78	57
5	L-PiEt₂	73	62
6	L-PiMe₂	n. d. ^d	63
7	L₂-PiPr₂	33	-70
8	L₄-PiPr₂	trace	--

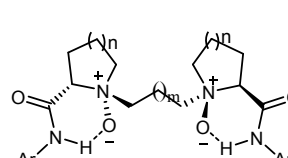
^a Unless otherwise noted, all reactions were carried out with ligand/Gd(OTf)₃ (1:1, 10 mol%), **8a** (0.1 mmol), **2a** (0.13 mmol) in DCM (0.5 mL) at 30 °C for 48 h. ^b Isolated yield. ^c Determined by chiral HPLC analysis. ^d Not determined.

Table S8. Screening of the solvents^a


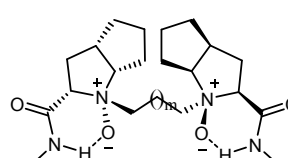
entry	solvent	yield (%) ^b	ee (%) ^c
1	DCM	n. d. ^d	54
2	EtOAc	n. d. ^d	53
3	THF	trace	-
4	CH ₃ CN	80	44
5	Toluene	n. d. ^d	45
6	MeOH	trace	-
7	iPrCN	36	54
8	PhCN	33	54

^a Unless otherwise noted, all reactions were carried out with **L**₂-**PiMe**₃/Gd(OTf)₃ (1:1, 10 mol%), **8a** (0.1 mmol), **2a** (0.13 mmol) in solvent (0.5 mL) at 30 °C for 48 h. ^b Isolated yield. ^c Determined by chiral HPLC analysis. ^d Not determined.

Table S9. Screening of the ligands^a




L-PrPr₂: Ar = 2,6-*i*Pr₂C₆H₃, n = 1, m=1
L-PiEt₂: Ar = 2,6-Et₂C₆H₃, n = 2, m=1
L-PiPh: Ar = 4-PhC₆H₄, n = 2, m=1
L₂-**PiPr**₂: Ar = 2,6-*i*Pr₂C₆H₃, n = 2, m=0
L₄-**PiPr**₂: Ar = 2,6-*i*Pr₂C₆H₃, n = 2, m=2
L-PiPr₃: Ar = 2,4,6-*i*Pr₃C₆H₂, n = 2, m=1



L-RaPr₂: Ar = 2,6-*i*Pr₂C₆H₃

entry	ligand	yield (%) ^b	ee (%) ^c
1	L-PrPr ₂	n. d. ^d	52
2	L-PiPr ₃	48	-77
3	L-RaPr ₂	n. d. ^d	40
4	L-PiEt ₂	48	57
5	L-PiPh	trace	--
6	L ₂ - PiPr ₂	trace	--
7	L ₄ - PiPr ₂	trace	--

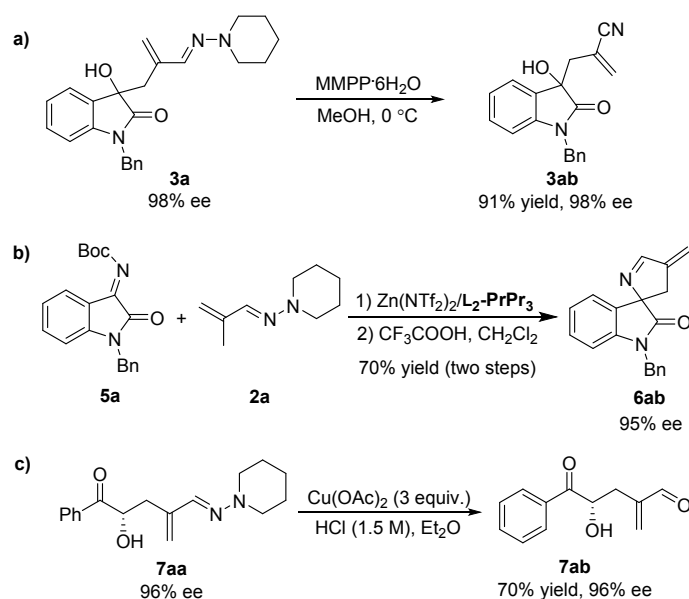
^a Unless otherwise noted, all reactions were carried out with ligand/Gd(OTf)₃ (1:1, 10 mol%), **8a** (0.1 mmol), **2a** (0.13 mmol) in iPrCN (0.5 mL) at 30 °C for 48 h. ^b Isolated yield. ^c Determined by chiral HPLC analysis. ^d Not determined.

Table S10. Screening of the additives and other conditions^a

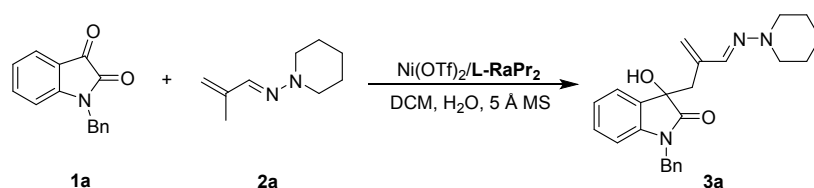
entry	additive	yield (%) ^b	ee (%) ^c
1	3 Å MS (15 mg)	62	-55
2	4 Å MS (15 mg)	45	-60
3	5 Å MS (15 mg)	58	-55
4	NaBARF ₄ (8.9 mg)	64	-81
5	H ₂ O (5 μL)	41	-80
6	LiNTf ₂ (0.02 mmol)	n. d. ^d	-74
7	Salicylic acid (10 mg)	n. d. ^d	-35
8 ^e	NaBARF ₄ (8.9 mg)	77	-83
9 ^f	NaBARF ₄ (8.9 mg)	70	-82
9 ^{e,g}	NaBARF ₄ (8.9 mg)	80	-84

^a Unless otherwise noted, all reactions were carried out with **L-PiPr₃**/Gd(OTf)₃ (1:1, 10 mol%), **8a** (0.1 mmol), **2a** (0.13 mmol) in iPrCN (0.5 mL) at 30 °C for 72 h. ^b Isolated yield. ^c Determined by chiral HPLC analysis. ^d Not determined. ^e The reaction were carried out with **L-PiPr₃**/Gd(OTf)₃ (1:1, 10 mol%), **8a** (0.1 mmol), **2a** (0.3 mmol) in iPrCN (0.3 mL) at 30 °C for 72 h. ^f In iPrCN (0.2 mL). ^g At 25 °C.

5.1 Other synthetic utilities



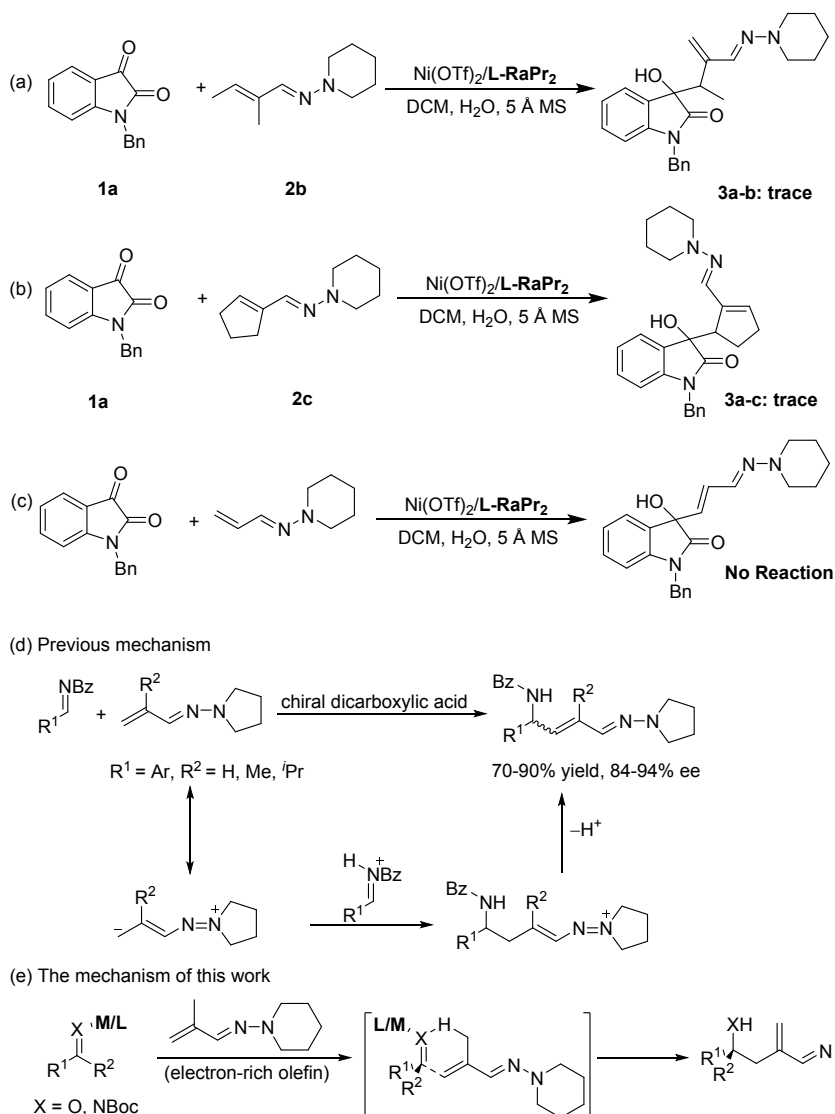
5.2 General procedure for the catalytic Isatin carbonyl-ene reaction



An oven-dried test tube was charged with **1a** (0.1 mmol), Ni(OTf)₂ (3.6 mg, 0.01 mmol) and **L-RaPr₂** (7.0 mg, 0.01 mmol); 5 Å MS (10 mg); H₂O (1 μL); DCM (0.4 mL). This solution was stirred at 35 °C for 35 min followed by the addition of aldehyde *N,N*-dialkylhydrazone

2a (1.3 equiv.). Then the reaction mixture was stirred at the same temperature for another 36 h. Finally, directly purified by flash column chromatography (ethyl acetate/petroleum ether = 1/4, v/v) to afford the desired product **3a**.

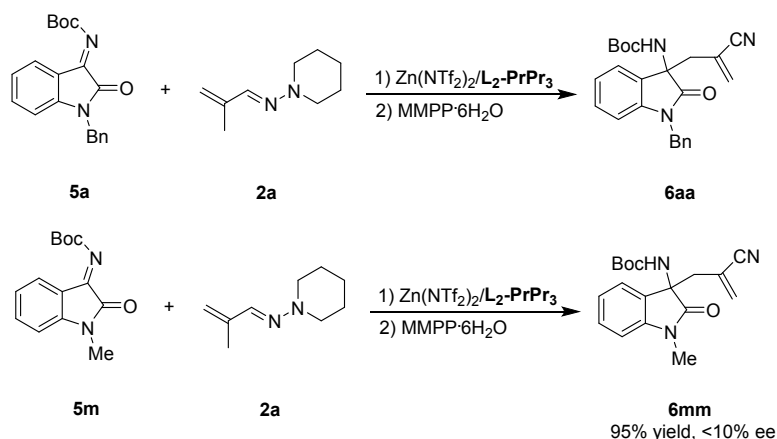
5.3 Some vinylogous hydrazones were unavailable for this reaction and study of reaction mechanism



Unless otherwise noted, the reactions were carried out under standard conditions.

As the larger steric hindrance of substituent group of vinylogous hydrazones **2b–2c**, trace amount of corresponding products were obtained (a and b). When acrolein hydrazones were performed, the 1,2-addition product was not detected (c), Which indicated that this ene type reaction smoothly proceeded via six-membered cyclic transition state (e) not the previous mechanism² (d).

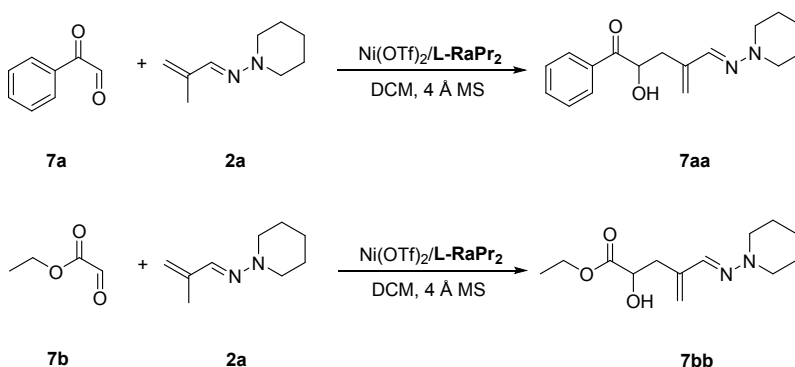
5.4 General procedure for the catalytic Imino-ene reaction



It was noteworthy that a further transformation was performed to give a clear NMR-spectrogram of product **6aa**.

1): To an oven-dried reaction tube under nitrogen atmosphere was added the substrate **4a** (0.1 mmol), $\text{Zn(NTf}_2)_2$ (3.1 mg, 0.005 mmol) and $\text{L}_2\text{-PrPr}_3$ (3.5 mg, 0.005 mmol), 4 Å MS (20 mg), DCM (0.5 mL). The solution was stirred at 35 °C for 35 min followed by the addition of aldehyde *N,N*-dialkylhydrazone **2a** (1.3 equiv.) at -40 °C. Then the reaction mixture was stirred at the same temperature for 15 h. Directly purified by flash column chromatography (ethyl acetate /petroleum ether = 1/4, v/v) to afford the crude product; 2): To a stirred solution of the crude product in MeOH (1.5 mL) was added magnesium monoperoxyphthalate hydrate (0.15 mmol, 75 mg) at ice-bath and stirred for 20 min at the same temperature. Finally, purified by column chromatography on silica gel (ethyl acetate/petroleum ether = 1/3, v/v) to give the product **6aa** (two steps: 96% yield, 96% ee).

5.5 General procedure for the catalytic glyoxal derivative-carbonyl-ene reaction



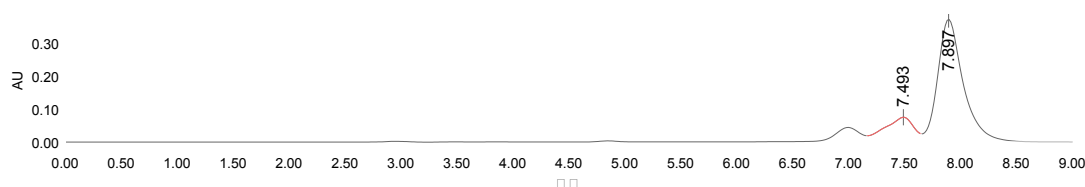
To an oven-dried reaction tube under nitrogen atmosphere was added the substrate **7a** (0.1 mmol, 15.2 mg), Ni(OTf)_2 (1.8 mg, 0.005 mmol) and L-RaPr_2 (3.5 mg, 0.005 mmol), 4 Å MS (10 mg), DCM (0.5 mL). The mixture was stirred at 30 °C for 35 min followed by the addition of aldehyde *N,N*-dialkylhydrazone **2a** (1.3 equiv.) at 30 °C. Then the reaction mixture was stirred at 30 °C for 15 h. Finally, directly purified by flash column chromatography (ethyl acetate/petroleum ether = 1/4, v/v) to afford the desired product **7aa** (98% yield, 95% ee).

The experiments with ethyl glyoxalate and its imine derivative as the substrates were investigated.

To an oven-dried reaction tube under nitrogen atmosphere was added the substrate **7b** (0.1 mmol, 50% in toluene), Ni(OTf)_2 (3.6 mg, 0.01 mmol) and L-RaPr_2 (7.0 mg, 0.01 mmol), 4 Å MS (30 mg), DCM (0.5 mL). The mixture was stirred at 25 °C for 35 min followed by the addition of aldehyde *N,N*-dialkylhydrazone **2a** (1.3 equiv.) at 25 °C. Then the reaction mixture was stirred at 25 °C for 15 h. Finally, directly purified by flash column chromatography (ethyl acetate/petroleum ether = 1/4, v/v) to afford the desired product **7bb** (30% yield, 63% ee). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, t_R (major) = 7.90 min, t_R (minor) = 7.49 min.

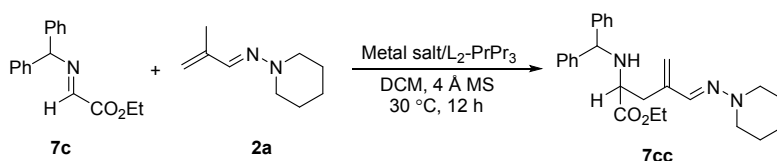


	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	7.483	14306064	49.80
2	7.973	14422522	50.20



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	7.493	1359924	18.67
2	7.897	5924942	81.33

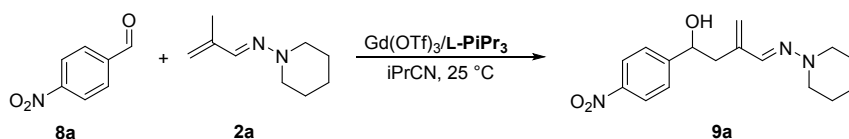
¹H NMR (**7bb**, 400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.29 (s, 1H), 5.50 (d, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 1H), 5.28 (d, *J* = 1.3 Hz, 1H), 5.22 (d, *J* = 1.3 Hz, 1H), 4.43 – 4.36 (m, 1H), 4.18 (qq, *J* = 6.8, 3.6 Hz, 2H), 3.11 – 3.04 (m, 4H), 2.92 – 2.84 (m, 1H), 2.88 – 2.72 (m, 1H), 1.73 – 1.65 (m, 4H), 1.52 – 1.45 (m, 2H), 1.27 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 4H); **¹³C{¹H} NMR** (**7bb**, 101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 174.0, 142.5, 138.3, 120.9, 71.2, 61.1, 51.9, 38.4, 25.0, 24.1, 14.5. **HRMS** (**7bb**, FTMS+c ESI) calcd for C₁₃H₂₃N₂O₃H⁺ ([M+H]⁺) = 255.1709, Found 255.1709.



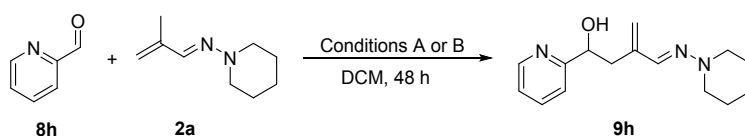
entry	metal salt	yield (%)	ee (%)
1	Zn(NTf ₂) ₂	No reaction	-
2	Ni(OTf) ₂	No reaction	-
3	Mg(OTf) ₂	No reaction	-
4	Gd((OTf) ₃	No reaction	-
5	Yb(OTf) ₃	No reaction	-
6	Y(OTf) ₃	No reaction	-

^a Unless otherwise noted, all reactions were carried out with **L₂-PrPr₃**/metal salt (1:1, 5 mol%), **7c** (0.1 mmol), **2a** (0.13 mmol) in DCM (0.5 mL) at 30 °C for 15 h.

5.6 General procedure for the catalytic aldehydes-carbonyl-ene reaction



To an oven-dried reaction tube under nitrogen atmosphere was added the substrate **8a** (0.1 mmol, 15.1 mg), Gd(OTf)₃ (6.1 mg, 0.01 mmol) and **L-PiPr₃** (7.3 mg, 0.01 mmol), NaBARF₄ (8.9 mg), iPrCN (0.3 mL). The solution was stirred at 35 °C for 35 min followed by the addition of aldehyde *N,N*-dialkylhydrazone **2a** (1.3 equiv.) at 25 °C. Then the reaction mixture was stirred at the same temperature for 72 h. Finally directly purified by flash column chromatography (ethyl acetate/petroleum ether = 1/5, v/v) to afford the desired product **9a** (oil, 80% yield, 84% ee).



Conditions A: Mg(OTf)₂/L-RaPr₂ 35 °C

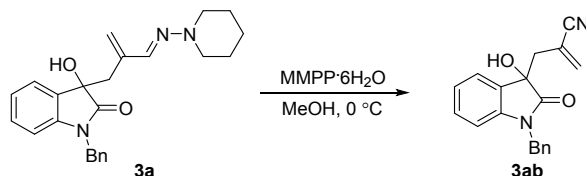
Conditions B: Gd(OTf)₃/L-RaPr₂ 25 °C

Condition A: To an oven-dried reaction tube under nitrogen atmosphere was added the substrate **8h** (0.1 mmol), Mg(OTf)₂ (3.2 mg, 0.01 mmol) and **L-RaPr₂** (7.0 mg, 0.01 mmol), DCM (0.5 mL). The solution was stirred at 35 °C for 35 min followed by the addition of aldehyde *N,N*-dialkylhydrazone **2a** (1.3 equiv.). Then the reaction mixture was stirred at the same temperature for 72 h. Finally directly

purified by flash column chromatography (ethyl acetate/petroleum ether = 1/2, v/v) to afford the desired product (oil, 38% yield, 99% ee).

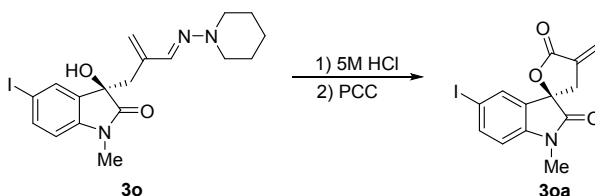
Condition B: To an oven-dried reaction tube under nitrogen atmosphere was added the substrate **8h** (0.1 mmol), Gd(OTf)₃ (6.1 mg, 0.01 mmol) and **L-RaPr₂** (7.0 mg, 0.01 mmol), DCM (0.5 mL). The solution was stirred at 35 °C for 35 min followed by the addition of aldehyde *N,N*-dialkylhydrazone **2a** (1.3 equiv.) at 25 °C. Then the reaction mixture was stirred at the same temperature for 48 h. Finally, directly purified by flash column chromatography (ethyl acetate/petroleum ether = 1/2, v/v) to afford the desired product (oil, 38% yield, –95% ee).

6.1 General procedure for the synthesis of compound 3ab



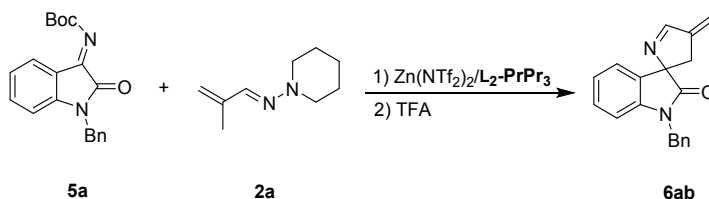
To a stirred solution of **3a** (0.1 mmol) in MeOH (1.5 mL) was added magnesium monoperoxyphthalate hydrate (0.15 mmol, 75 mg) at 0 °C and stirred for another 20 min at the same temperature. Then purified by column chromatography on silica gel (ethyl acetate/petroleum ether = 1/3, v/v) to give the product **3ab** (91% yield, 98% ee).

6.2 General procedure for the synthesis of compound 3oa



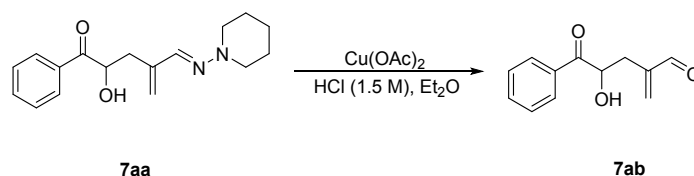
The reaction was carried out with **3o** (0.13 mmol) in 5M HCl (0.3 mL) and Et₂O/DCM (v/v, 6.7:1, 2.3 mL) at rt for 20 min. Next the solution was extracted with Et₂O/DCM (v/v, 6.7:1, 7.7 mL) five times, filtered through a short silicone column, washed with petroleum ether/EtOAc (v/v, 1:1) and concentrated under reduced pressure. Then it was performed with PCC (112 mg.) and 3 Å MS (60 mg) in DCM (2 mL) at rt for 3 h. Finally, the residue was purified by flash chromatography (ethyl acetate/petroleum ether = 1:4 v/v) to afford the product **3oa** (two steps: 40% yield, 99% ee).

6.3 General procedure for the synthesis of compound 6ab



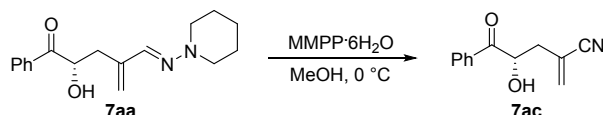
1) To an oven-dried reaction tube under nitrogen atmosphere was added the substrate **4a** (0.1 mmol), Zn(NTf₂)₂ (3.1 mg, 0.005 mmol) and **L₂-PrPr₃** (3.5 mg, 0.005 mmol), 4 Å MS (20 mg), DCM (0.5 mL). The solution was stirred at 35 °C for 35 min followed by the addition of aldehyde *N,N*-dialkylhydrazone **2a** (1.3 equiv.) at –40 °C. Then the reaction mixture was stirred at the same temperature for 15 h. Directly purified by flash column chromatography (ethyl acetate /petroleum ether = 1/4, v/v) to afford the crude product; **2)** To a stirred solution of the crude product in DCM (1.0 mL) was added TFA (1 mL) at ice-bath and stirred for 2 h at the room temperature. After reaction finished, to the stirred mixture was added K₂CO₃ which had been adjusted to pH ~8. Finally, purified by column chromatography on silica gel (ethyl acetate/petroleum ether = 1/3, v/v) to give the product **6ab** (two steps: 70% yield, 95% ee).

6.4 General procedure for the synthesis of compound 7ab



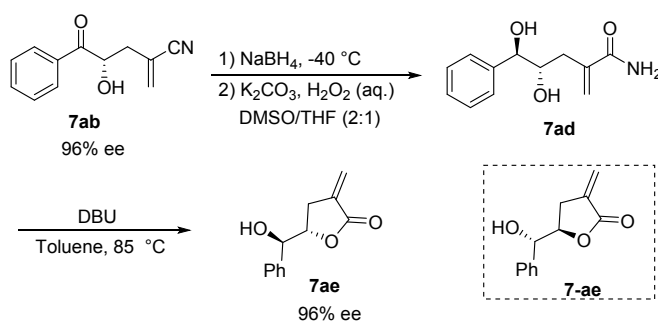
The reaction were carried out with substrate **7aa** (0.2 mmol), Cu(OAc)₂ (3 equiv.) in 1.5M HCl (2 mL) and Et₂O (2 mL) at rt for 24 h. After reaction finished, to the stirred solution was added K₂CO₃ that had been adjusted to pH ~8. The mixture was extracted with DCM, washed with brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, concentrated, the residue was purified by flash chromatography to afford the product **7ab** (70% yield, 96% ee).

6.5 General procedure for the synthesis of compound 7ac



To a stirred solution of **7aa** (0.1 mmol) in MeOH (1.5 mL) was added magnesium monoperoxyphthalate hydrate (0.15 mmol, 75 mg) at ice-bath and stirred for 20 min at the same temperature. Finally, purified by column chromatography on silica gel (ethyl acetate /petroleum ether = 1/3, v/v) to give the product **7ac** (97% yield, 95% ee).

6.6 General procedure for the synthesis of compound 7ae³



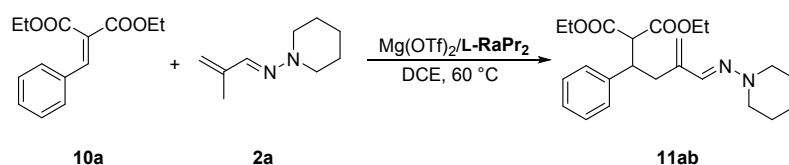
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Note: The absolute structure of the product **7ae** was thought to be (1*R*, 5*S*) from the X-ray crystal diffraction analysis of **7aa** and the similar ¹H NMR, ¹³C{¹H} NMR of the compound **7-ae**.⁴

The reaction were carried out with substrate **7ac** (1.3 mmol), NaBH₄ (58.5 mg) in DCM/MeOH (10 mL, 10:1) at -40 °C for 2 h. After reaction finished, to the stirred solution was added saturated ammonium chloride solution (1 mL). The mixture was extracted with DCM, washed with brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, concentrated, the residue was purified by flash chromatography (ethyl acetate/petroleum ether = 1/2, v/v) to afford the crude product. Next, the crude product (1.0 mmol) was dissolved in DMSO/THF mixture (3 mL, 2:1) containing K₂CO₃ (43 mg). A solution of 30% aqueous H₂O₂ (1.23 mL) was added dropwise at 0 °C. The reaction mixture was stirred at 30 °C for 1.5 h, then quenched by addition of brine and extracted with EtOAc, dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give an oil. Finally, the residue was purified by flash chromatography (ethyl acetate) to afford the product **7ad** (two steps: 60% yield).

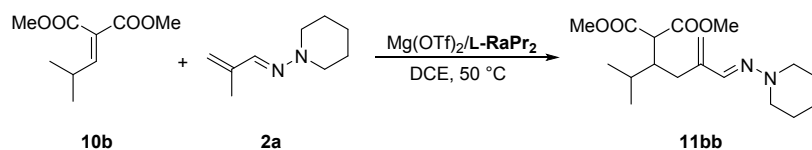
Compound **7ad** (0.2 mmol) and DBU (60 mg) was dissolved in toluene (3 mL), this reaction mixture was stirred at 85 °C for 8 h, concentrated, the residue was purified by flash chromatography (ethyl acetate/petroleum ether = 1/3, v/v) to afford the product **7ae** (60% yield, 96% ee).

7. General procedure for ene type reaction of C=C bond



To an oven-dried reaction tube under nitrogen atmosphere was added the substrate **10a** (0.1 mmol, 24.8 mg), Mg(OTf)₂ (3.2 mg, 0.01 mmol) and **L-RaPr**₂ (7.0 mg, 0.01 mmol), DCE (0.5 mL). The solution was stirred at 35 °C for 35 min followed by the addition of aldehyde *N,N*-dialkylhydrazone **2a** (2 equiv.) at 60 °C. Then the reaction mixture was stirred at the same temperature for 24 h. Finally, directly

purified by flash column chromatography (ethyl acetate/petroleum ether = 1/9, v/v) to afford the desired product **11ab** (oil, 50% yield, < 10% ee).

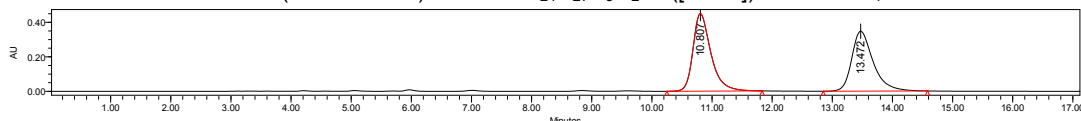
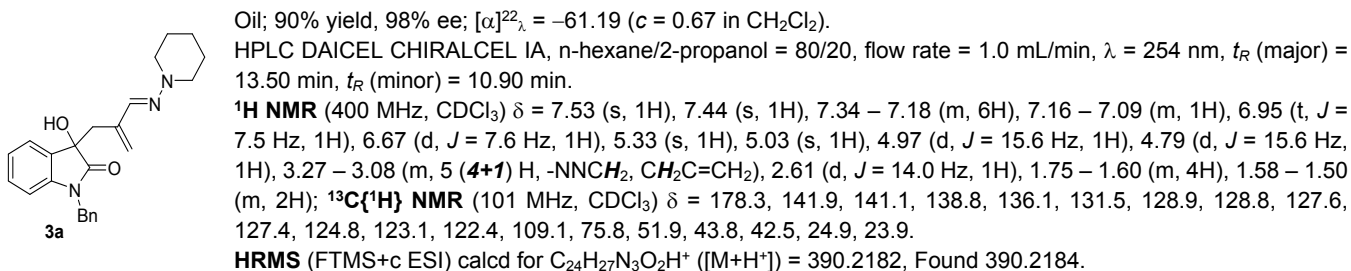


To an oven-dried reaction tube under nitrogen atmosphere was added the substrate **10b** (0.1 mmol, 24.8 mg), $\text{Mg}(\text{OTf})_2$ (3.2 mg, 0.01 mmol) and **L-RaPr₂** (7.0 mg, 0.01 mmol), DCE (0.5 mL). The solution was stirred at 35 °C for 35 min followed by the addition of aldehyde *N,N*-Dialkylhydrazone **2a** (2 equiv.) at 50 °C. Then the reaction mixture was stirred at the same temperature for 12 h. Finally, directly purified by flash column chromatography (ethyl acetate/petroleum ether = 1/9, v/v) to afford the desired product **11bb** (oil, 36% yield, 45% ee).

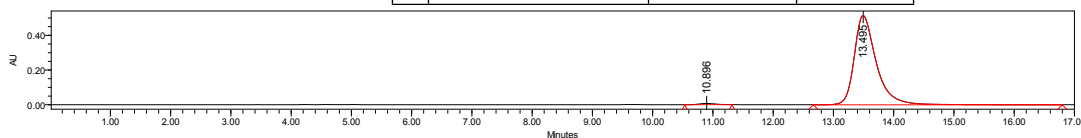
8 Characterization of the products

8.1 Characterization of the products of Isatin carbonyl-ene reaction

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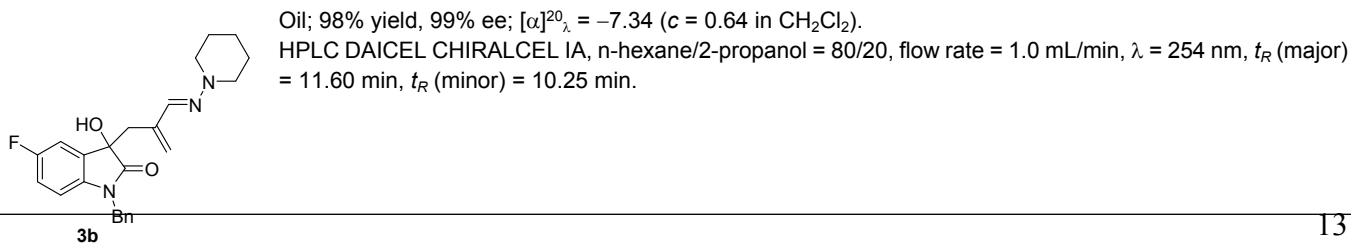


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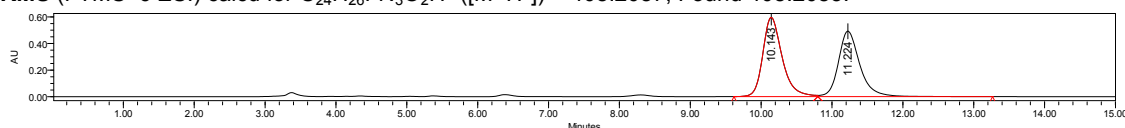


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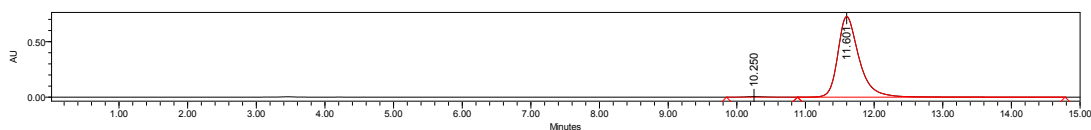
1-Benzyl-5-fluoro-3-hydroxy-3-(2-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)allyl)indolin-2-one



¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.66 (s, 1H), 7.43 (s, 1H), 7.35 – 7.21 (m, 5H), 7.00 – 6.90 (m, 1H), 6.90 – 6.70 (m, 1H), 6.60 – 6.50 (m, 1H), 5.35 (s, 1H), 5.04 (s, 1H), 4.99 – 4.72 (m, 2H), 3.25 (d, *J* = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 3.21 – 3.06 (m, 4H), 2.55 (d, *J* = 14.4 Hz, 1H), 1.80 – 1.70 (m, 4H), 1.58 – 1.50 (m, 2H); **¹³C{¹H} NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 178.1, 159.0 (*J*_{CF} = 242.4 Hz), 140.7, 138.5, 137.7 (*J*_{CF} = 2.0 Hz), 135.7, 133.0 (*J*_{CF} = 7.1 Hz), 128.9, 127.7, 127.3, 123.4, 115.1 (*J*_{CF} = 24.2 Hz), 113.0 (*J*_{CF} = 24.2 Hz), 109.7 (*J*_{CF} = 8.1 Hz), 75.91 (*J*_{CF} = 1.0 Hz), 51.9, 43.9, 42.3, 24.9, 23.9; **¹⁹F{¹H} NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = –120.8.
HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for C₂₄H₂₆FN₃O₂H⁺ ([M+H]⁺) = 408.2087, Found 408.2085.

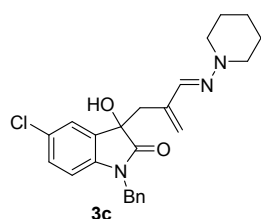


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1-Benzyl-5-chloro-3-hydroxy-3-(2-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)allyl)indolin-2-one



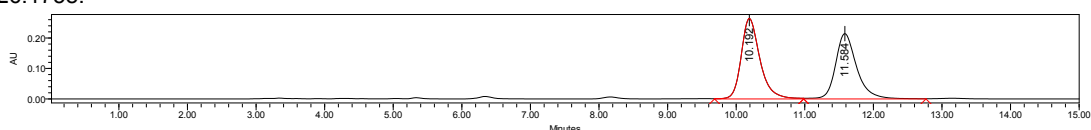
White solid, melting point: 56–59 °C; 98% yield, 99% ee; [α]_D²⁰ = +40.56 (*c* = 0.68 in CH₂Cl₂).

HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 80/20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, *t*_R (major) = 11.18 min, *t*_R (minor) = 10.15 min.

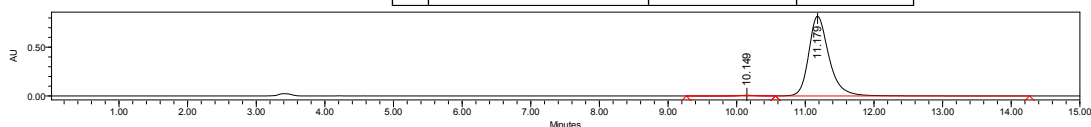
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.65 (s, 1H), 7.43 (s, 1H), 7.35 – 7.22 (m, 5H), 7.18 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 7.15 – 7.00 (m, 1H), 6.58 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 5.36 (s, 1H), 5.05 (s, 1H), 4.99 – 4.71 (m, 2H), 3.26 – 3.12 (m, 5 (4+1) H, -NNCH₂, CH₂C=CH₂), 2.57 (d, *J* = 14.0 Hz, 1H), 1.78 – 1.68 (m, 5H), 1.58 – 1.48 (m, 2H); **¹³C{¹H} NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 177.9, 140.6, 140.4, 138.5, 135.6, 133.1, 128.9, 128.8, 127.9, 127.8, 127.3, 125.3, 123.4, 110.2, 75.8, 51.9, 43.9, 42.3, 24.9, 24.0.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for C₂₄H₂₆ClN₃O₂H⁺ ([M+H]⁺) = 424.1792, 426.1762, Found 424.1789,

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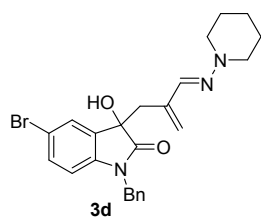


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1-Benzyl-5-bromo-3-hydroxy-3-(2-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)allyl)indolin-2-one



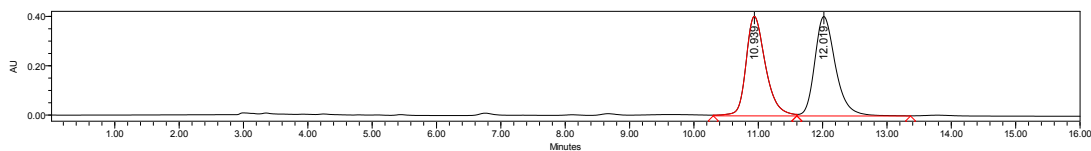
White solid, melting point: 57–59 °C; 98% yield, 99% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +50.00$ ($c = 0.79$ in CH_2Cl_2).

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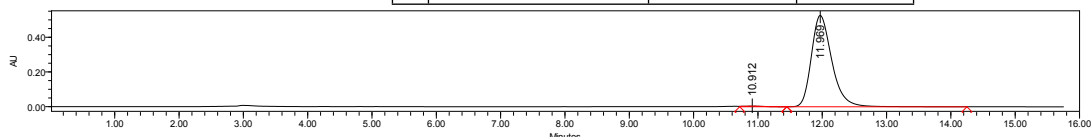
^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.63 (s, 1H), 7.42 (s, 1H), 7.35 – 7.17 (m, 7H), 6.54 (m, 1H), 5.36 (s, 1H), 5.05 (s, 1H), 4.98 – 4.72 (m, 2H), 3.27 – 3.08 (m, 5 (4+1) H, $-\text{NNCH}_2$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2$), 2.58 (d, $J = 14.4$ Hz, 1H), 1.78 – 1.70 (m, 4H), 1.58 – 1.48 (m, 2H); **$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 177.7, 140.9, 140.6, 138.4, 135.5, 133.4, 131.7, 128.9, 128.0, 127.8, 127.3, 123.3, 115.2, 110.7, 75.7, 51.9, 43.8, 42.3, 24.9, 23.9.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{26}\text{BrN}_3\text{O}_2\text{H}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$) = 468.1281, 470.1261, Found 468.1286,

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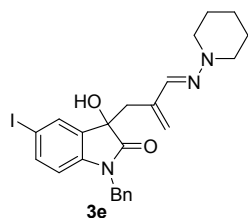


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1-Benzyl-3-hydroxy-5-iodo-3-((2-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)allyl)indolin-2-one

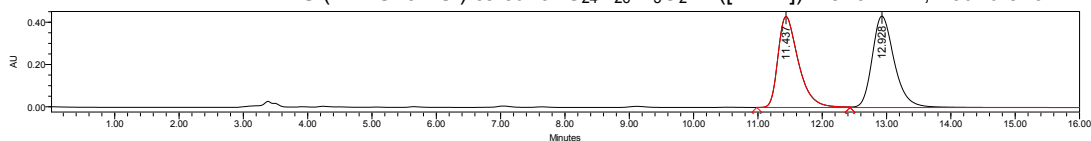


White solid, melting point: 58–60 °C; 98% yield, 99% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +55.85$ ($c = 0.80$ in CH_2Cl_2).

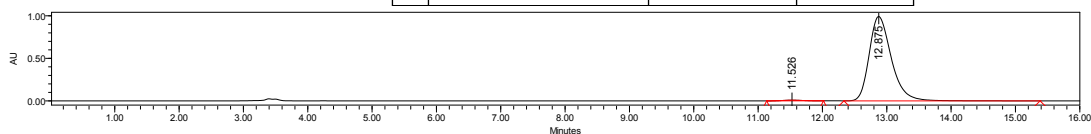
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^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.59 (s, 1H), 7.49 (d, $J = 1.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.46 – 7.38 (m, 2H), 7.33 – 7.21 (m, 5H), 6.45 (d, $J = 8.1$ Hz, 1H), 5.36 (s, 1H), 5.05 (s, 1H), 4.98 – 4.67 (m, 2H), 3.27 – 3.09 (m, 5 (4+1) H, $-\text{NNCH}_2$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2$), 2.58 (d, $J = 14.2$ Hz, 1H), 1.77 – 1.67 (m, 4H), 1.60 – 1.50 (m, 2H); **$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 177.5, 141.6, 140.6, 138.4, 137.7, 135.5, 133.8, 133.6, 128.9, 127.8, 127.3, 123.3, 111.3, 85.2, 75.5, 51.9, 43.8, 42.3, 24.9, 24.0.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{26}\text{IN}_3\text{O}_2\text{H}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$) = 516.1142, Found 516.1143.

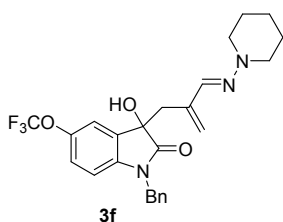


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2	12.928	10366072	52.22



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	11.526	173920	0.73
2	12.875	23762924	99.27

1-Benzyl-3-hydroxy-3-(2-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)allyl)-5-(trifluoromethoxy)indolin-2-one



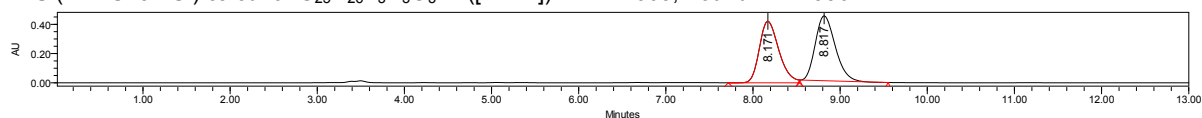
Oil; 99% yield, 99% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -37.38$ ($c = 0.65$ in CH_2Cl_2).

HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 80/20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 8.80 min, t_R (minor) = 8.17 min.

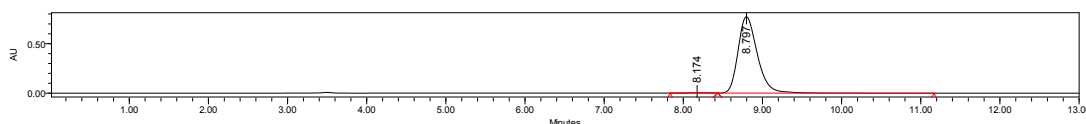
^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 7.67$ (s, 1H), 7.43 (s, 1H), 7.35 – 7.24 (m, 5H), 7.09 (d, $J = 2.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.00 (m, 1H), 6.65 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 5.36 (s, 1H), 5.01 (s, 1H), 4.97 (d, $J = 15.6$ Hz, 1H), 4.80 (d, $J = 15.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.28 (d, $J = 14.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.23 – 3.10 (m, 4H), 2.52 (d, $J = 14.3$ Hz, 1H), 1.80 – 1.70 (m, 4H), 1.59 – 1.51 (m, 2H); **$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 178.1$, 144.4 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 3.0$ Hz), 140.4, 138.4, 135.4, 132.7, 128.9, 127.8, 127.3, 124.4 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 257.5$ Hz), 123.3, 121.9, 121.8 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 257.5$ Hz), 119.3 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 257.5$ Hz), 116.7 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 257.5$ Hz), 118.9, 109.5, 75.6, 51.8, 43.9, 42.2, 24.8, 23.9; **$^{19}\text{F}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR**

(376 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = -58.3$.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{26}\text{F}_3\text{N}_3\text{O}_3\text{H}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$) = 474.2005, Found 474.1996.

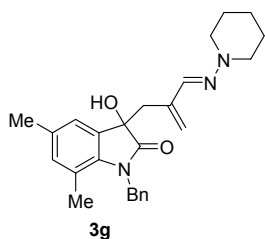


	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	8.171	6548544	48.07
2	8.817	7074656	51.93



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	8.174	57320	0.44
2	8.797	13049754	99.56

1-Benzyl-3-hydroxy-5,7-dimethyl-3-(2-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)allyl)indolin-2-one

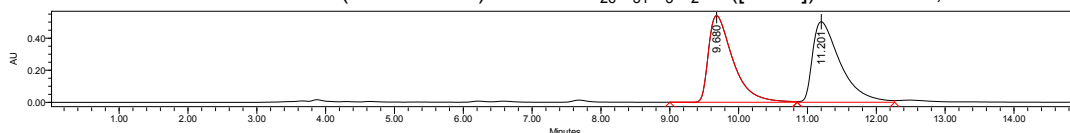


White solid; melting point: 62–67 °C; 86% yield, 99% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +21.84$ ($c = 0.71$ in CH_2Cl_2).

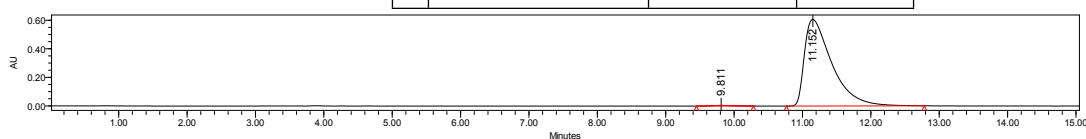
HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IB, n-hexane/2-propanol = 80/20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 11.15 min, t_R (minor) = 9.81 min.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 7.44$ (d, $J = 6.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.32 – 7.11 (m, 5H), 6.96 (s, 1H), 6.72 (s, 1H), 5.33 (s, 1H), 5.19 – 5.00 (m, 3H), 3.23 – 3.05 (m, 5 (4+1) H, $-\text{NNCH}_2$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2$), 2.72 (d, $J = 14.0$ Hz, 1H), 2.23 (s, 3H), 2.19 (s, 3H), 1.76 – 1.70 (m, 4H), 1.57 – 1.50 (m, 2H); **$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 179.2$, 141.2, 138.9, 137.9, 137.4, 133.3, 132.6, 132.0, 128.8, 127.1, 125.9, 123.3, 122.9, 119.5, 75.2, 51.9, 44.9, 43.0, 25.0, 24.0, 20.9, 18.8.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{31}\text{N}_3\text{O}_2\text{H}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$) = 418.2495, Found 418.2497.



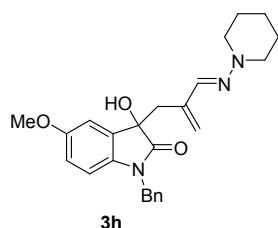
	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	9.680	13348876	48.68
2	11.201	14071028	51.32



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
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1	9.811	94699	0.56
2	11.152	16916408	99.44

1-Benzyl-3-hydroxy-5-methoxy-3-(2-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)allyl)indolin-2-one

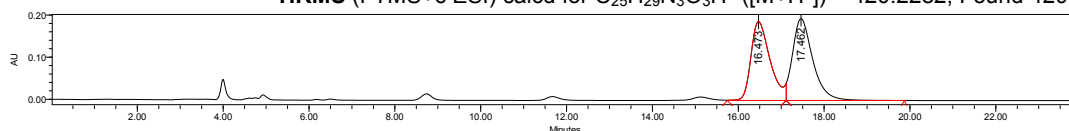


Oil; 88% yield, 98% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +8.24$ ($c = 0.74$ in CH_2Cl_2).

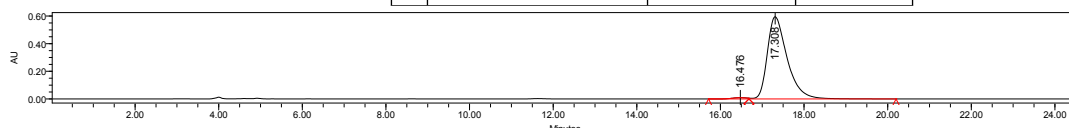
HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 80/20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 17.31 min, t_R (minor) = 16.48 min.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.51 (s, 1H), 7.43 (s, 1H), 7.33 – 7.21 (m, 5H), 6.86 (d, $J = 2.8$ Hz, 1H), 6.68 – 6.50 (m, 2H), 5.35 (s, 1H), 5.06 (s, 1H), 4.99 – 4.70 (m, 2H), 3.72 (s, 3H), 3.25 – 3.08 (m, 5 (**4+1**) H, - NNCH_2 , - $\text{CH}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2$), 2.60 (d, $J = 14.0$ Hz, 1H), 1.80 – 1.70 (m, 4H), 1.57 – 1.50 (m, 2H); **$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 178.1, 155.7, 141.0, 138.7, 136.1, 135.3, 132.7, 128.8, 127.6, 127.4, 123.1, 113.3, 112.2, 109.5, 76.1, 55.9, 51.9, 43.84, 42.5, 24.9, 23.9.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{29}\text{N}_3\text{O}_3\text{H}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$) = 420.2282, Found 420.2279.

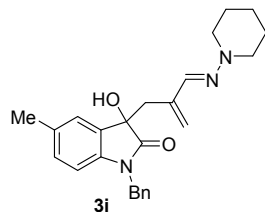


	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	16.473	5807422	47.78
2	17.462	6347200	52.22



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	16.476	229370	1.16
2	17.308	19588693	98.84

1-Benzyl-3-hydroxy-5-methyl-3-(2-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)allyl)indolin-2-one

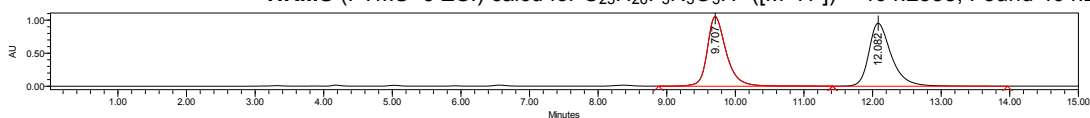


Oil; 92% yield, 98% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +5.46$ ($c = 0.68$ in CH_2Cl_2).

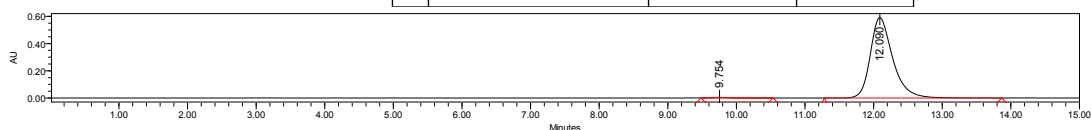
HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 80/20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 12.09 min, t_R (minor) = 9.75 min.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.46 (s, 1H), 7.44 (s, 1H), 7.31 – 7.20 (m, 5H), 7.06 (d, $J = 1.6$ Hz, 1H), 6.93 (dd, $J = 7.9, 1.7$ Hz, 1H), 6.55 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 5.33 (s, 1H), 5.05 (s, 1H), 5.00 – 4.71 (m, 2H), 3.22 – 3.09 (m, 5 (**4+1**) H, - NNCH_2 , - $\text{CH}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2$), 2.65 (d, $J = 14.0$ Hz, 1H), 2.25 (s, 3H), 1.77 – 1.70 (m, 4H), 1.57 – 1.50 (m, 2H); **$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 178.2, 141.1, 139.5, 138.8, 136.2, 131.9, 131.5, 129.1, 128.8, 127.5, 127.4, 125.5, 123.0, 108.9, 75.9, 51.9, 43.8, 42.5, 25.0, 24.0, 21.2.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{26}\text{F}_3\text{N}_3\text{O}_3\text{H}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$) = 404.2338, Found 404.2337.

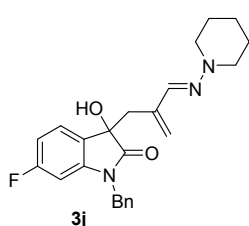


	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	9.707	20388772	48.34
2	12.082	21790618	51.66



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	9.754	98585	0.73
2	12.090	13463245	99.27

1-Benzyl-6-fluoro-3-hydroxy-3-(2-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)allyl)indolin-2-one

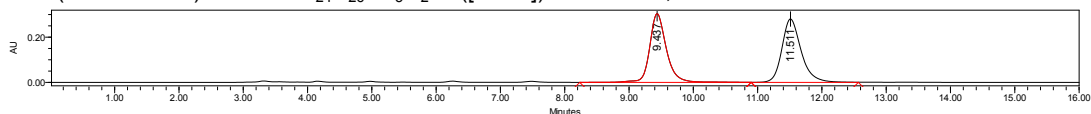


Oil; 84% yield, 97% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -54.88$ ($c = 0.68$ in CH_2Cl_2).

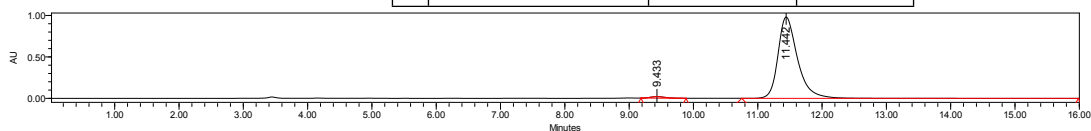
HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 80/20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 11.44 min, t_R (minor) = 9.43 min.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.57 (s, 1H), 7.42 (s, 1H), 7.35 – 7.24 (m, 5H), 7.15 (dd, $J = 8.2, 5.4$ Hz, 1H), 6.65 – 6.59 (m, 1H), 6.41 (dd, $J = 9.0, 2.3$ Hz, 1H), 5.33 (s, 1H), 5.03 (s, 1H), 4.98 – 4.70 (m, 2H), 3.25 – 3.10 (m, 5 (**4+1**) H, - NNCH_2 , - $\text{CH}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2$), 2.55 (d, $J = 14.0$ Hz, 1H), 1.75 – 1.70 (m, 4H), 1.58 – 1.50 (m, 2H); **$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 178.6, 163.5 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 246.4$ Hz), 143.5 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 12.1$ Hz), 140.9, 138.6, 135.5, 129.0, 127.9, 127.4, 126.8 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 3.0$ Hz), 126.0 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 10.1$ Hz), 123.2, 108.4 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 22.2$ Hz), 98.12 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 27.3$ Hz), 75.4, 51.9, 43.9, 42.4, 24.9, 24.0; **$^{19}\text{F}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = -111.2.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{26}\text{FN}_3\text{O}_2\text{H}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$) = 408.2087, Found 408.2083.

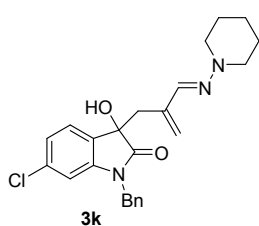


	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	9.437	5492393	48.44
2	11.511	5845921	51.56



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	9.433	290526	1.38
2	11.442	20759224	98.62

1-Benzyl-6-chloro-3-hydroxy-3-(2-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)allyl)indolin-2-one



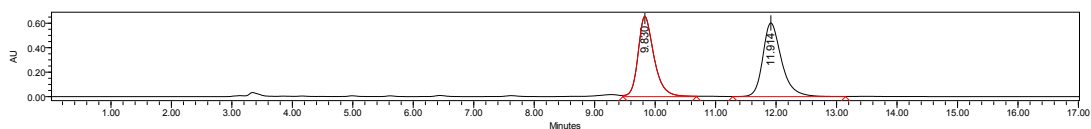
White solid, melting point: 58–62 °C; 93% yield, 96% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +10.42$ ($c = 0.67$ in CH_2Cl_2).

HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 80/20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 11.87 min, t_R (minor) = 9.84 min.

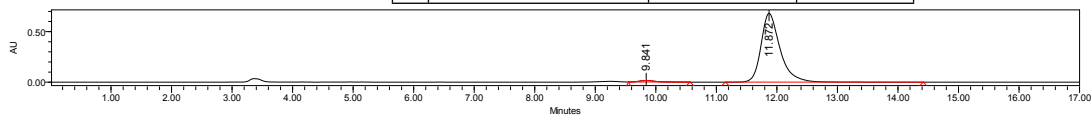
^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.61 (s, 1H), 7.42 (s, 1H), 7.36 – 7.24 (m, 5H), 7.12 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.0 – 6.9 (m, 1H), 6.67 (d, $J = 1.6$ Hz, 1H), 5.33 (s, 1H), 5.02 (s, 1H), 4.99 – 4.69 (m, 2H), 3.27 – 3.10 (m, 5 (**4+1**) H, - NNCH_2 , - $\text{CH}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2$), 2.54 (d, $J = 14.0$ Hz, 1H), 1.78 – 1.65 (m, 4H), 1.57 – 1.50 (m, 2H); **$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 178.3, 143.2, 140.8, 138.5, 135.5, 134.6, 129.8, 129.0, 127.9, 127.3, 125.8, 123.3, 122.3, 109.7, 75.5, 51.9, 43.9, 42.4, 24.9, 24.0.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{26}\text{ClN}_3\text{O}_2\text{H}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$) = 424.1792, 426.1762, Found 424.1786,

426.1757.

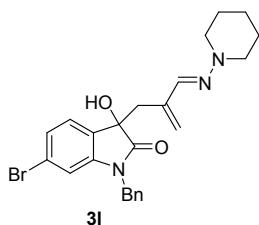


	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	9.830	11992477	47.98
2	11.914	13001471	52.02



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	9.841	265138	1.76
2	11.872	14775367	98.24

1-Benzyl-6-bromo-3-hydroxy-3-(2-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)allyl)indolin-2-one



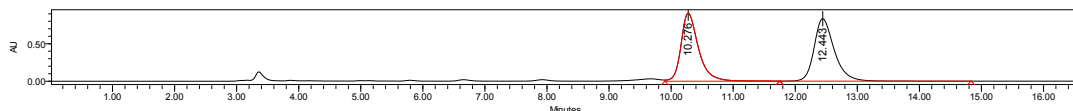
Oil; 93% yield, 98% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +28.68$ ($c = 0.77$ in CH_2Cl_2).

HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 80/20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 12.37 min, t_R (minor) = 10.27 min.

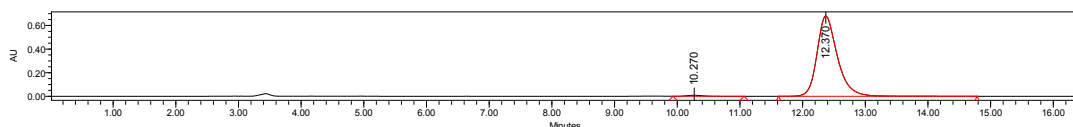
^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.61 (s, 1H), 7.41 (s, 1H), 7.35 – 7.23 (m, 5H), 7.11 – 7.03 (m, 2H), 6.82 (d, $J = 1.6$ Hz, 1H), 5.33 (s, 1H), 5.01 (s, 1H), 4.98 – 4.67 (m, 2H), 3.25 – 3.08 (m, 5 (4+1) H, - NNCH_2 -, - $\text{CH}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2$), 2.54 (d, $J = 14.4$ Hz, 1H), 1.77 – 1.60 (m, 4H), 1.60 – 1.50 (m, 2H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 178.1, 143.3, 140.7, 138.5, 135.5, 130.3, 128.9, 127.8, 127.3, 126.1, 125.2, 123.2, 122.5, 112.4, 75.5, 51.9, 43.8, 42.3, 24.9, 24.0

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{26}\text{BrN}_3\text{O}_2\text{H}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$) = 468.1287, 470.1266, Found 468.1292,

470.1272.

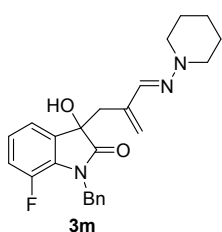


	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	10.276	17790972	48.48
2	12.443	18905499	51.52



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	10.270	175279	1.13
2	12.370	15325797	98.87

1-Benzyl-7-fluoro-3-hydroxy-3-(2-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)allyl)indolin-2-one



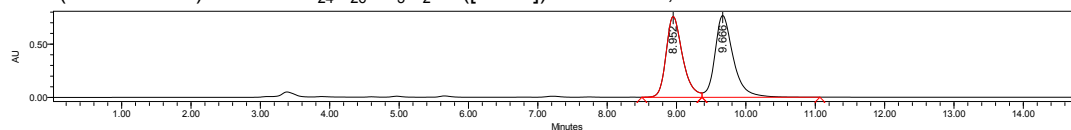
Oil; 98% yield, 98% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -38.70$ ($c = 0.71$ in CH_2Cl_2).

HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 80/20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 10.00 min, t_R (minor) = 9.29 min.

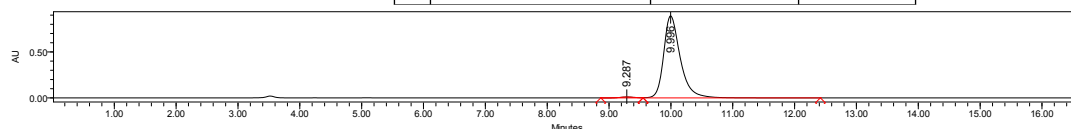
^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.69 (s, 1H), 7.42 (s, 1H), 7.37 – 7.20 (m, 5H), 7.03 – 6.97 (m, 1H), 6.95 – 6.85 (m, 2H), 5.32 (s, 1H), 5.10 – 4.92 (m, 3H), 3.18 – 3.10 (m, 5 (4+1) H, - NNCH_2 -, - $\text{CH}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2$), 2.59 (d, $J = 14.0$ Hz, 1H), 1.90 – 1.60 (m, 4H), 1.60 – 1.45 (m, 2H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 178.0, 147.5 ($J_{\text{CF}} =$

242.4 Hz), 140.7, 138.6, 137.2, 134.5 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 2.6$ Hz), 128.6, 128.3 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 8.6$ Hz), 127.6 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 1.6$ Hz), 127.5, 123.3, 123.1 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 6.2$ Hz), 120.6 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 3.2$ Hz), 117.2 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 19.5$ Hz), 75.9 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 2.5$ Hz), 51.9, 45.3 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 4.7$ Hz), 42.6, 24.9, 24.0; $^{19}\text{F}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = -133.9$.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{26}\text{FN}_3\text{O}_2\text{H}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}^+]$) = 408.2087, Found 408.2079.

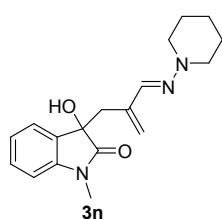


	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	8.952	12514333	47.01
2	9.666	14108547	52.99



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	9.287	170211	1.01
2	9.996	16665114	98.99

3-Hydroxy-1-methyl-3-(2-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)allyl)indolin-2-one

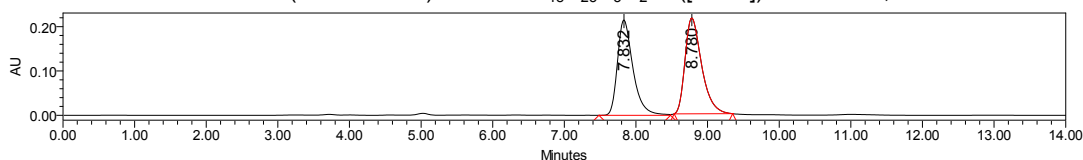


White solid, melting point: 93–95 °C; 80% yield, 98% ee; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = -173.75$ ($c = 0.48$ in CH_2Cl_2).

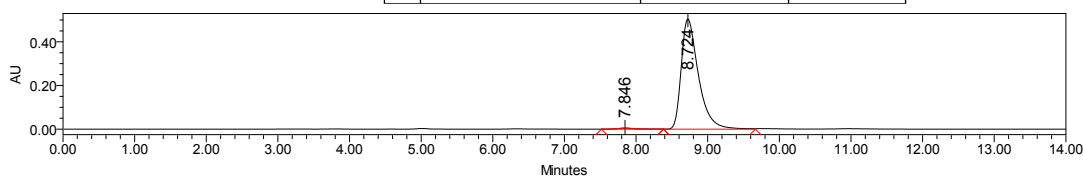
HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 80/20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 8.72 min, t_R (minor) = 7.85 min.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 7.46$ (s, 1H), 7.43 (s, 1H), 7.29 – 7.23 (m, 1H), 7.21 – 7.18 (m, 1H), 6.99 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 6.80 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 5.32 (s, 1H), 5.01 (s, 1H), 3.24 – 3.11 (m, 8 (4+1+3) H, - NNCH_2 , - $\text{CH}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2$, - NCH_3), 2.51 (d, $J = 14.4$ Hz, 1H), 1.76 – 1.69 (m, 4H), 1.58 – 1.50 (m, 2H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 178.2, 142.9, 141.1, 138.8, 131.3, 129.0, 124.8, 123.5, 123.1, 122.3, 108.1, 75.7, 51.9, 42.1, 28.8, 26.3, 24.9, 24.0$.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{23}\text{N}_3\text{O}_2\text{H}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}^+]$) = 314.1869, Found 314.1862.

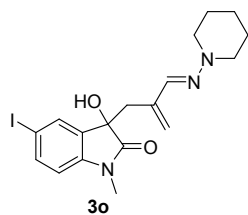


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1	7.832	3241646	48.27
2	8.780	3474665	51.73



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	7.846	81700	0.96
2	8.724	8419161	99.04

3-Hydroxy-5-iodo-1-methyl-3-(2-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)allyl)indolin-2-one

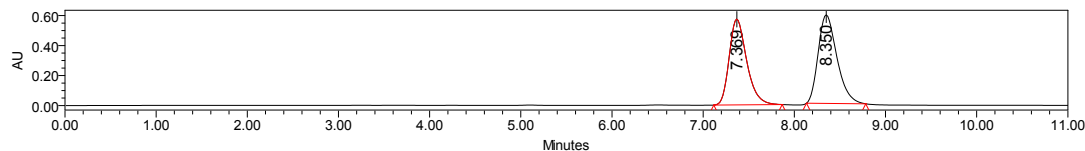


White solid, melting point: 123–125 °C; 99% yield, 99% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -53.35$ ($c = 0.75$ in CH_2Cl_2).

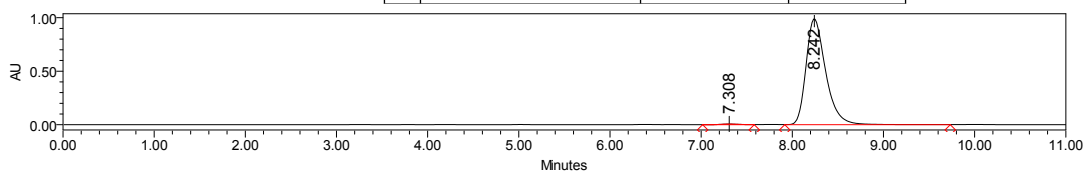
HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 80/20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 8.24 min, t_R (minor) = 7.31 min.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 7.60 - 7.55$ (m, 1H), 7.52 (s, 1H), 7.46 (d, $J = 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.41 (s, 1H), 6.59 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 5.35 (s, 1H), 5.02 (s, 1H), 3.20 – 3.10 (m, 8 (**4+1+3**) H, - NNCH_2 , - $\text{CH}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2$, - NCH_3), 2.49 (d, $J = 14.4$ Hz, 1H), 1.80 – 1.70 (m, 4H), 1.56 – 1.50 (m, 2H); **$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 177.5, 142.6, 140.6, 138.5, 137.8, 133.6, 123.2, 110.2, 85.0, 75.4, 51.9, 41.9, 26.3, 24.9, 23.9$.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{22}\text{N}_3\text{O}_2\text{H}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}^+]$) = 440.0835, Found 440.0837.

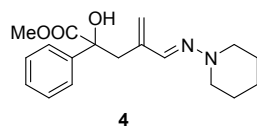


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1	7.369	7615796	47.49
2	8.350	8421881	52.51



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	7.308	90038	0.60
2	8.242	14866088	99.40

3-Hydroxy-5-iodo-1-methyl-3-(2-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)allyl)indolin-2-one



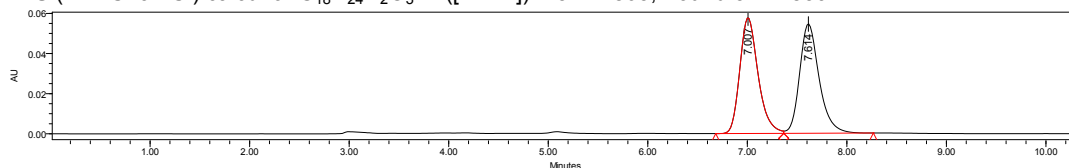
Colorless oil; 63% yield, 89% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +233.64$ ($c = 0.44$ in CH_2Cl_2).

HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 7.59 min, t_R (minor) = 7.00 min.

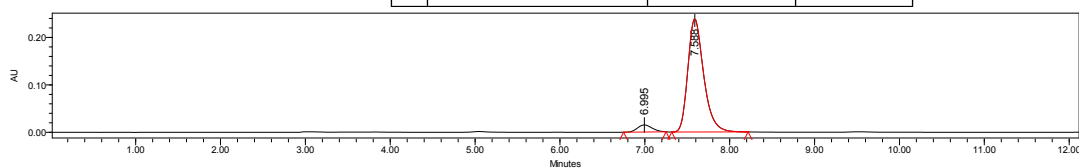
^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 7.64 - 7.55$ (m, 2H), 7.36 – 7.26 (m, 2H), 7.27 – 7.19 (m, 2H), 7.16 (s, 1H), 5.20 (d, $J = 1.2$ Hz, 1H), 5.17 (d, $J = 1.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 3.33 – 3.16 (m, 2H), 3.12 – 3.03 (m, 4H), 1.80 – 1.60 (m, 4H), 1.60 – 1.40 (m, 2H); **$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 174.5, 142.3, 141.0, 139.3,$

128.0, 127.4, 125.8, 123.7, 79.5, 52.7, 52.0, 44.2, 25.0, 24.0.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{24}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3\text{H}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}^+]$) = 317.1865, Found 317.1859.



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1	7.007	735624	49.84
2	7.614	740336	50.16



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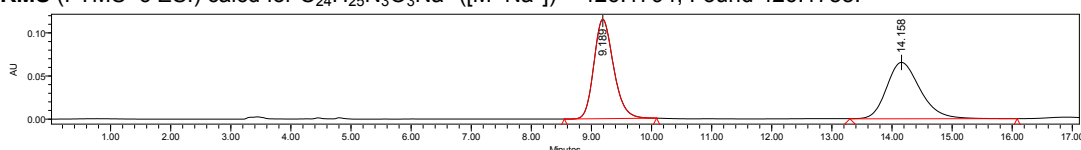
1	6.995	179197	5.49
2	7.588	3083751	94.51

8.2 Characterization of the products of imino-ene reaction

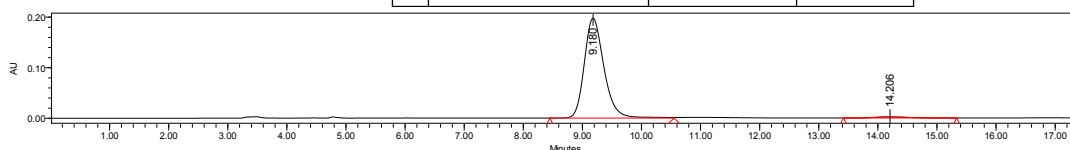
Tert-butyl (1-benzyl-3-(2-cyanoallyl)-2-oxoindolin-3-yl)carbamate

White solid, melting point: 47–49 °C; 98% yield (two steps), 96% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -109.06$ ($c = 0.64$ in CH_2Cl_2).
HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IC, n-hexane/2-propanol = 80/20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 9.18 min, t_R (minor) = 14.20 min.
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.47 (d, $J = 7.20$ Hz, 1H), 7.40 – 7.23 (m, 6H), 7.11 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 6.80 (d, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 1H), 5.72 (s, 1H), 5.65 (s, 1H), 5.38 (s, 1H), 4.90 (m, 2H), 2.87 (q, $J = 13.2$ Hz, 2H), 1.29 (s, 9H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 175.4, 153.9, 142.7, 137.1, 135.7, 129.8, 128.9, 128.2, 127.9, 127.8, 124.4, 123.3, 117.5, 115.5, 109.6, 80.9, 61.5, 44.4, 41.4, 28.2.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{25}\text{N}_3\text{O}_3\text{Na}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}^+]$) = 426.1794, Found 426.1788.



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1	9.189	2617710	50.76
2	14.158	2538905	49.24

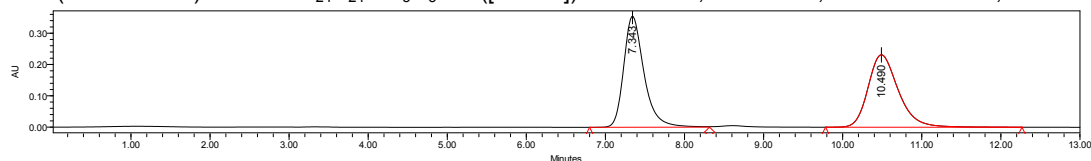


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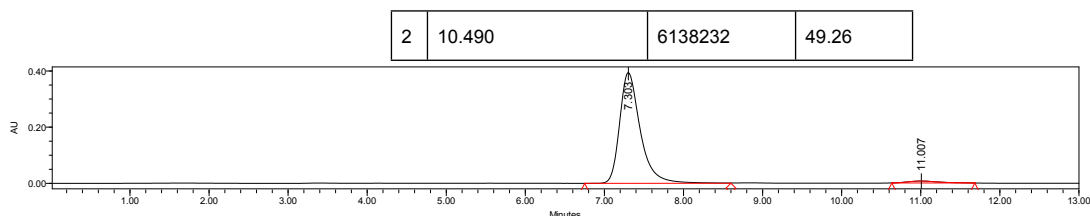
Tert-butyl (1-benzyl-5-chloro-3-(2-cyanoallyl)-2-oxoindolin-3-yl)carbamate

White solid, melting point: 136–138 °C; 98% yield (two steps), 95% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{22} = -114.50$ ($c = 0.6$ in CH_2Cl_2).
HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IC, n-hexane/2-propanol = 80/20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 7.30 min, t_R (minor) = 11.00 min.
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.43 (d, $J = 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.38 – 7.18 (m, 6H), 6.69 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 5.77 (s, 1H), 5.67 (s, 1H), 5.48 (s, 1H), 4.89 (s, 2H), 2.85 (m, 2H), 1.33 (s, 9H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 175.0, 153.8, 141.3, 137.4, 135.2, 129.9, 129.7, 128.9, 128.8, 128.0, 127.7, 124.7, 117.4, 115.2, 110.6, 81.3, 61.5, 44.5, 41.3, 28.2.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{24}\text{ClN}_3\text{O}_3\text{Na}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}^+]$) = 460.1398, 4602.1369, Found 460.1387, 462.1359.

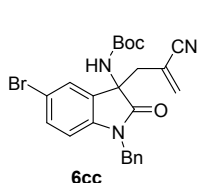


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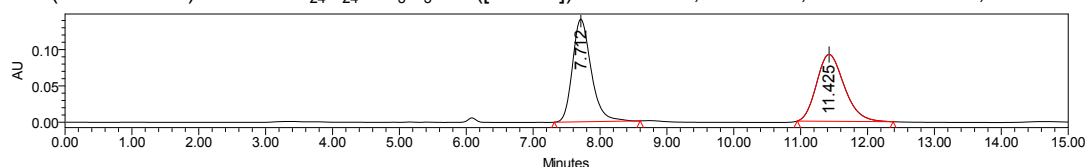
Tert-butyl (1-benzyl-5-bromo-3-(2-cyanoallyl)-2-oxoindolin-3-yl)carbamate



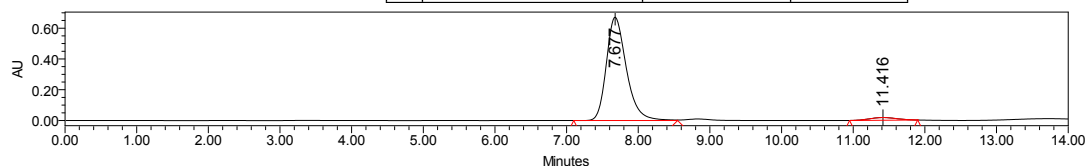
White solid, melting point: 152–155 °C; 94% yield (two steps), 93% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -84.65$ ($c = 0.86$ in CH_2Cl_2).
HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IC, n-hexane/2-propanol = 80/20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 7.68 min, t_R (minor) = 11.42 min.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.56 (s, 1H), 7.39 – 7.27 (m, 6H), 6.65 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 5.78 (s, 1H), 5.67 (s, 1H), 5.44 (s, 1H), 4.89 (s, 2H), 2.90 – 2.80 (m, 2H), 1.33 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 174.9, 153.8, 141.8, 137.4, 135.2, 132.6, 130.3, 128.9, 128.0, 127.7, 127.4, 117.4, 116.1, 115.2, 111.1, 81.3, 61.4, 44.5, 41.3, 28.3.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{24}\text{BrN}_3\text{O}_3\text{Na}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}^+]$) = 504.0899, 506.0878, Found 504.0883, 506.0869.

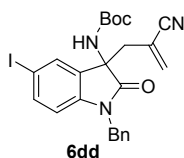


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1	7.712	2727761	49.69
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2	11.416	459335	3.41

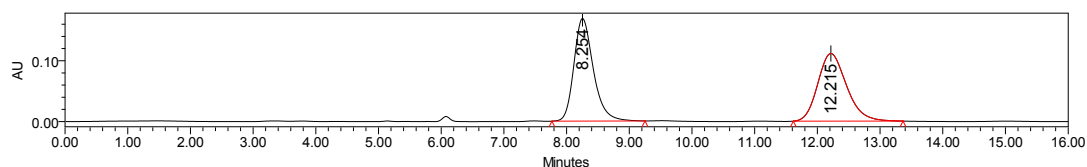
Tert-butyl (1-benzyl-3-(2-cyanoallyl)-5-iodo-2-oxoindolin-3-yl)carbamate



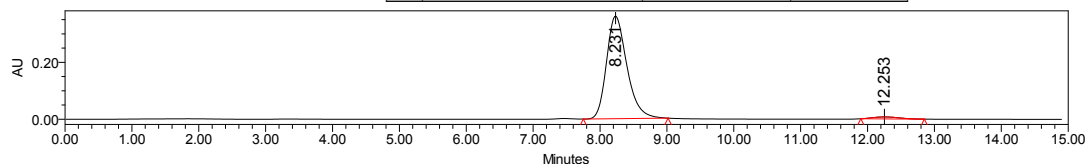
White solid, melting point: 136–139 °C; 96% yield (two steps), 95% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -81.52$ ($c = 0.92$ in CH_2Cl_2).
HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IC, n-hexane/2-propanol = 80/20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 8.23 min, t_R (minor) = 12.25 min.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.72 (d, $J = 1.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.56 (dd, $J = 8.2, 1.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.38 – 7.23 (m, 5H), 6.55 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 5.78 (s, 1H), 5.66 (s, 1H), 5.42 (s, 1H), 4.88 (s, 2H), 2.82 (q, $J = 13.2$ Hz, 2H), 1.33 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 174.7, 153.8, 142.4, 138.5, 137.4, 135.2, 132.9, 130.6, 128.9, 127.9, 127.7, 117.4, 115.1, 111.6, 85.8, 81.3, 61.2, 44.4, 41.3, 28.3.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{24}\text{IN}_3\text{O}_3\text{Na}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}^+]$) = 552.0760, Found 552.0754.

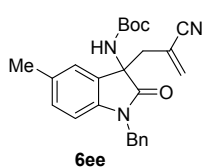


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1	8.254	3639320	50.74
2	12.215	3533269	49.26



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1	8.231	7637091	97.58
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Tert-butyl (1-benzyl-3-(2-cyanoallyl)-5-methyl-2-oxoindolin-3-yl)carbamate

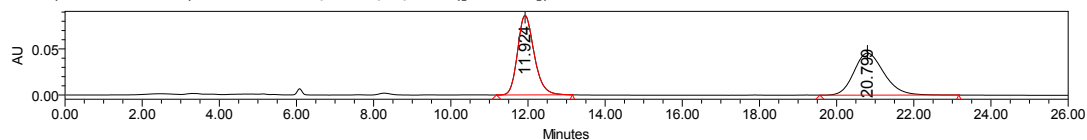


White solid, melting point: 53–55 °C; 96% yield (two steps), 95% ee; $[\alpha]^{20}_D = -78.78$ ($c = 0.74$ in CH_2Cl_2).

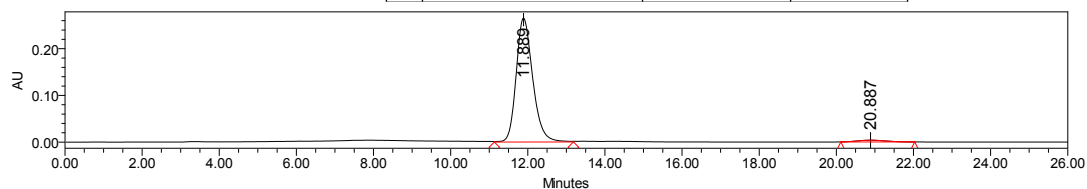
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^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.40 – 7.22 (m, 6H), 7.05 (dd, $J = 8.0, 1.6$ Hz, 1H), 6.67 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 5.71 (s, 1H), 5.64 (s, 1H), 5.47 (s, 1H), 4.88 (m, 2H), 2.90 – 2.78 (m, 2H), 2.32 (s, 3H), 1.30 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 175.3, 153.9, 140.2, 136.9, 135.8, 132.9, 130.0, 128.8, 128.1, 127.8, 125.1, 117.6, 115.6, 109.3, 80.9, 61.6, 44.4, 41.3, 28.2, 21.3.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{27}\text{N}_3\text{O}_3\text{Na}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$) = 440.1950, Found 440.1943.

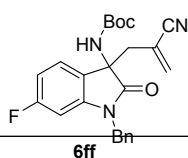


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1	11.924	2568861	50.99
2	20.799	2469229	49.01



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	11.889	7908069	97.64
2	20.887	191006	2.36

Tert-butyl (1-benzyl-3-(2-cyanoallyl)-6-fluoro-2-oxoindolin-3-yl)carbamate

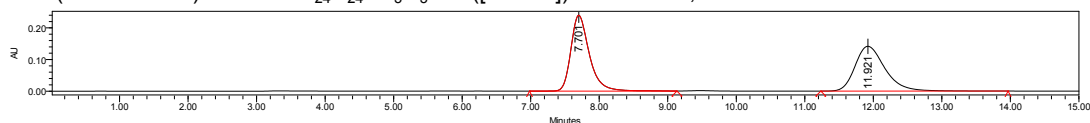


White solid, melting point: 159–163 °C; 96% yield (two steps), 94% ee; $[\alpha]^{20}_D = -96.05$ ($c = 0.76$ in CH_2Cl_2).

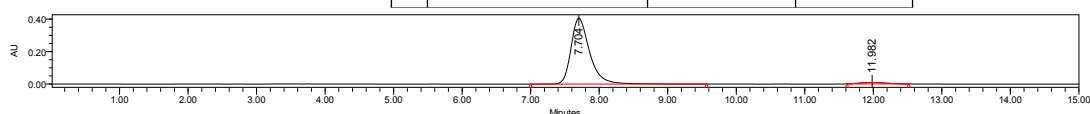
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$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.46 – 7.22 (m, 6H), 6.81–6.70 (m, 1H), 6.57 – 6.46 (m, 1H), 5.75 (s, 1H), 5.66 (s, 1H), 5.39 (s, 1H), 5.00 – 4.80 (m, 2H), 2.86 (q, J = 13.2 Hz, 2H), 1.31 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 175.7, 163.9 (J_{CF} = 247.5 Hz), 153.8, 144.3 (J_{CF} = 12.12 Hz) 137.2, 135.1, 128.9, 128.1, 127.7, 125.6, 123.5, 117.5, 115.4, 109.6 (J_{CF} = 22.2 Hz), 98.5 (J_{CF} = 27.3 Hz), 81.2, 61.1, 44.6, 41.4, 28.2; $^{19}\text{F}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = –109.4.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{24}\text{FN}_3\text{O}_3\text{Na}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}^+]$) = 444.1699, Found 444.1693.

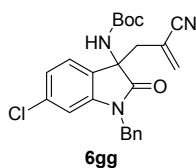


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2	11.921	4296216	48.86



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	7.704	7633856	97.14
2	11.982	224579	2.86

Tert-butyl (1-benzyl-6-chloro-3-(2-cyanoallyl)-2-oxoindolin-3-yl)carbamate

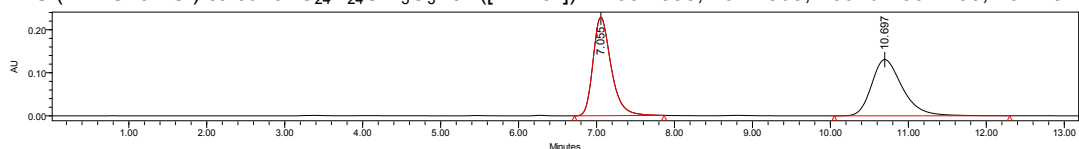


White solid, melting point: 146–168 °C; 99% yield (two steps), 96% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -59.24$ (c = 0.66 in CH_2Cl_2).

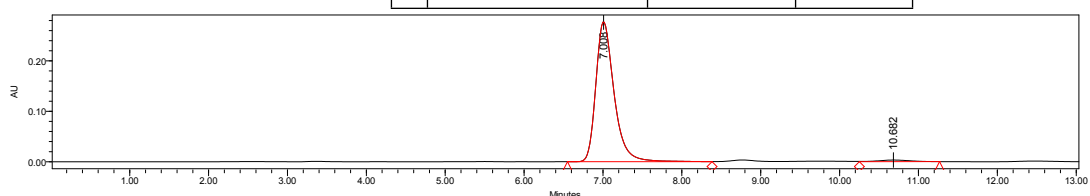
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$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.33 – 7.18 (m, 6H), 7.00 (dd, J = 8.0, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 6.71 (s, 1H), 5.68 (s, 1H), 5.57 (s, 1H), 5.42 (s, 1H), 4.81 (s, 2H), 2.75 (t, J = 13.2 Hz, 2H), 1.24 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 175.5, 153.8, 143.9, 137.2, 135.6, 135.1, 128.9, 128.0, 127.7, 126.6, 125.3, 123.2, 117.5, 115.2, 110.2, 81.2, 61.2, 44.5, 41.2, 28.2.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{24}\text{ClN}_3\text{O}_3\text{Na}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}^+]$) = 460.1398, 462.1369, Found 460.1400, 462.1374.

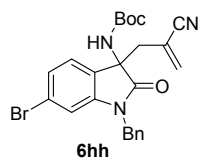


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1	7.055	3674518	50.65
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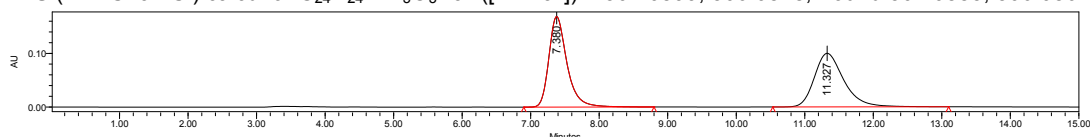
Tert-butyl (1-benzyl-6-bromo-3-(2-cyanoallyl)-2-oxoindolin-3-yl)carbamate



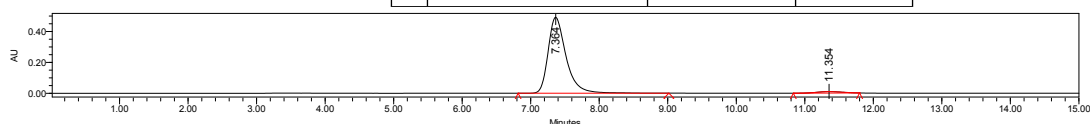
White solid, melting point: 151–153 °C; 98% yield (two steps), 94% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -34.17$ ($c = 0.96$ in CH_2Cl_2).
HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IC, n-hexane/2-propanol = 80/20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 7.36 min, t_R (minor) = 11.35 min.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 7.40 - 7.19$ (m, 7H), 6.93 (s, 1H), 5.76 (s, 1H), 5.65 (s, 1H), 5.48 (s, 1H), 4.88 (s, 2H), 2.84 (q, $J = 13.2$ Hz, 2H), 1.31 (s, 9H); **$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 175.4, 153.8, 144.1, 137.3, 135.1, 128.9, 128.1, 127.7, 127.1, 126.2, 125.6, 123.4, 117.6, 115.2, 112.9, 81.3, 61.2, 44.5, 41.1, 28.2$.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{24}\text{BrN}_3\text{O}_3\text{Na}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}^+]$) = 504.0899, 506.0878, Found 504.0885, 506.0867.

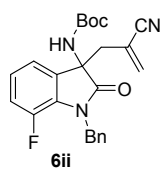


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1	7.380	3093381	50.87
2	11.327	2988009	49.13



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1	7.364	8972818	97.29
2	11.354	250139	2.71

Tert-butyl (1-benzyl-3-(2-cyanoallyl)-7-fluoro-2-oxoindolin-3-yl)carbamate



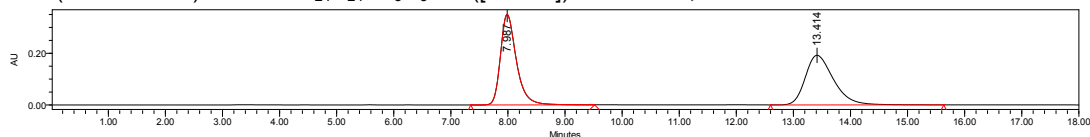
Oil; 96% yield (two steps), 92% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -68.95$ ($c = 0.76$ in CH_2Cl_2).

HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IC, n-hexane/2-propanol = 80/20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 7.99 min, t_R (minor) = 13.54 min.

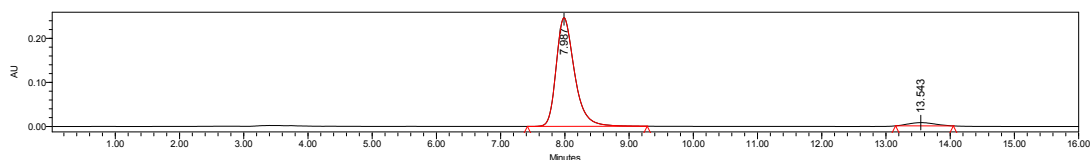
^1H NMR (400 MHz, $\text{DMSO}-d_6$) $\delta = 8.09$ (s, 1H), 7.45 – 6.97 (m, 8H), 5.89 (s, 1H), 5.74 (s, 1H), 5.2 – 4.7 (m, 2H), 2.95 – 2.70 (m, 2H), 1.32 (s, 9H); **$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR** (101 MHz, $\text{DMSO}-d_6$) $\delta = 174.9, 153.8, 146.6$ ($J_{\text{CF}} = 214.0$ Hz), 138.3, 137.0, 132.2, 129.1 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 9.1$ Hz), 128.2, 127.0 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 28.3$ Hz), 123.7 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 6.1$ Hz), 119.3 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 2.0$ Hz), 117.4, 117.1 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 20.2$ Hz), 114.5, 79.2, 61.3 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 2.0$ Hz), 44.9, 40.3, 28.0; **$^{19}\text{F}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR** (376 MHz, $\text{Chloroform}-d$) $\delta =$

–133.2.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{24}\text{FN}_3\text{O}_3\text{Na}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}^+]$) = 444.1699, Found 444.1690.

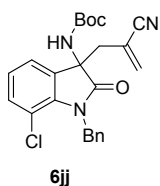


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1	7.987	6788649	50.77
2	13.414	6582633	49.23



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1	7.987	4879261	95.91
2	13.543	208254	4.09

Tert-butyl (1-benzyl-7-chloro-3-(2-cyanoallyl)-2-oxoindolin-3-yl)carbamate

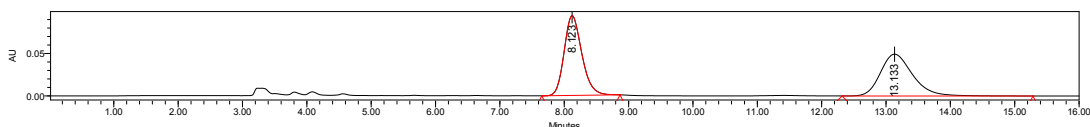


White solid, melting point: 151–153 °C; 98% yield (two steps), 95% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -56.16$ ($c = 0.86$ in CH_2Cl_2).

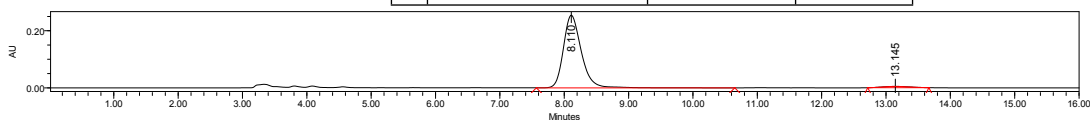
HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IC, n-hexane/2-propanol = 80/20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 8.11 min, t_R (minor) = 13.15 min.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 7.40 - 7.21$ (m, 7H), 7.07 (t, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 1H), 5.66 (s, 1H), 5.57 (s, 1H), 5.50 – 5.35 (m, 2H), 5.22 (d, $J = 16.0$ Hz, 1H), 2.84 – 2.76 (m, 2H), 1.32 (s, 9H); **$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 176.1$, 153.7, 138.9, 137.7, 137.4, 132.5, 131.2, 128.6, 127.4, 127.3, 124.2, 122.7, 117.4, 115.9, 114.7, 81.4, 61.0, 45.5, 41.7, 28.2.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{24}\text{ClN}_3\text{O}_3\text{Na}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}^+]$) = 460.1398, 462.1369, Found 460.1399, 462.1375.

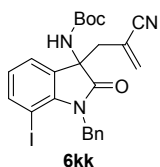


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1	8.123	1789253	51.15
2	13.133	1708476	48.85



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	8.110	4905149	97.40
2	13.145	131071	2.60

Tert-butyl (1-benzyl-3-(2-cyanoallyl)-7-iodo-2-oxoindolin-3-yl)carbamate

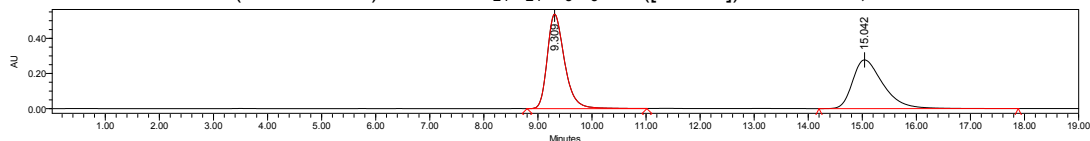


White solid, melting point: 175–178 °C; 91% yield (two steps), 95% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -20.32$ ($c = 0.97$ in CH_2Cl_2).

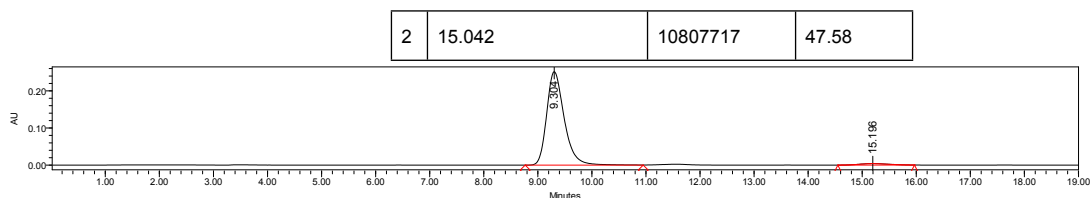
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^1H NMR (400 MHz, $\text{DMSO}-d_6$) $\delta = 8.08$ (s, 1H), 7.68 (m, 1H), 7.44 – 7.19 (m, 6H), 6.86 (t, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 1H), 5.95 (s, 1H), 5.70 (s, 1H), 5.26 (s, 2H), 2.92 – 2.70 (m, 2H), 1.33 (s, 9H); **$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR** (101 MHz, $\text{DMSO}-d_6$) $\delta = 176.2$, 153.7, 143.0, 141.6, 138.4, 137.6, 132.3, 128.1, 126.6, 126.4, 124.7, 122.9, 117.5, 114.5, 79.2, 72.7, 60.4, 43.7, 40.5, 28.0.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{24}\text{IN}_3\text{O}_3\text{Na}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}^+]$) = 552.0760, Found 552.0763.

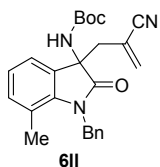


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1	9.309	11906302	52.42



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	9.304	5671330	97.42
2	15.196	150234	2.58

Tert-butyl (1-benzyl-3-(2-cyanoallyl)-7-methyl-2-oxoindolin-3-yl)carbamate

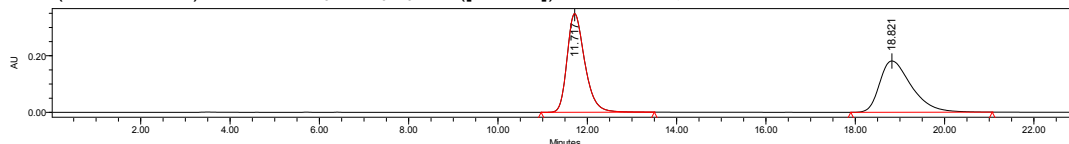


White solid, melting point: 135–139 °C; 96% yield (two steps), 97% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -66.88$ ($c = 0.80$ in CH_2Cl_2).

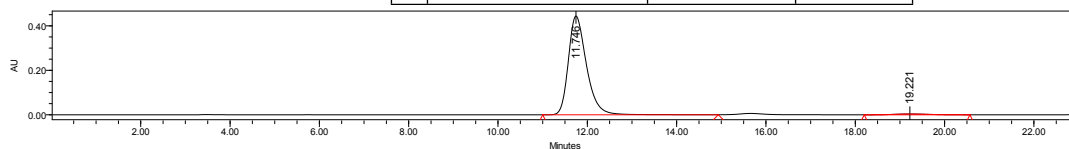
HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IC, n-hexane/2-propanol = 80/20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 11.75 min, t_R (minor) = 19.22 min.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, $\text{DMSO}-d_6$) $\delta = 7.95$ (s, 1H), 7.41 – 7.20 (m, 5H), 7.17 – 7.14 (m, 1H), 7.00 – 6.90 (m, 2H), 5.96 (s, 1H), 5.72 (s, 1H), 5.28 – 4.84 (m, 2H), 2.81 (m, 2H), 2.16 (s, 3H), 1.33 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (101 MHz, $\text{DMSO}-d_6$) $\delta = 176.0, 153.7, 140.8, 138.3, 137.9, 132.7, 128.4, 126.8, 125.9, 122.6, 120.8, 118.9, 117.6, 115.0, 78.9, 60.6, 44.6, 40.7, 28.0, 18.0$.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{27}\text{N}_3\text{O}_3\text{Na}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}^+]$) = 440.1950, Found 444.1945.



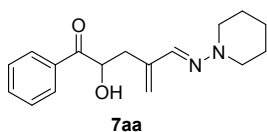
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1	11.717	9552453	51.64
2	18.821	8947183	48.36



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	11.746	12498586	98.59
2	19.221	178471	1.41

8.3 Characterization of the products of aldehyde-ene reaction

2-Hydroxy-1-phenyl-4-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)pent-4-en-1-one



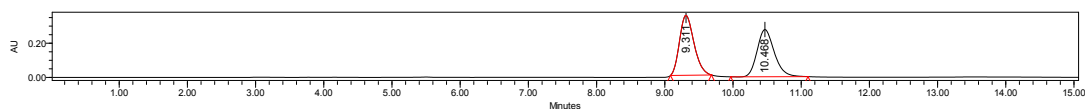
Solid, melting point: 76–79 °C; 98% yield, 95% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -220.5$ ($c = 0.84$ in CH_2Cl_2).

HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 9.30 min, t_R (minor) = 10.49 min.

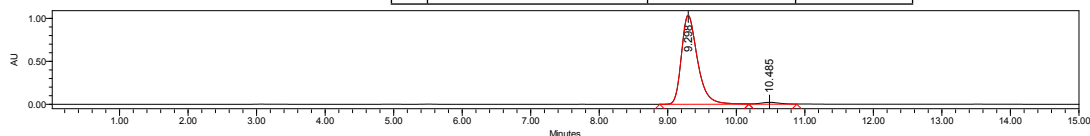
$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 8.22$ (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.59 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.47 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.33 (s, 1H), 5.36 (t, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 5.28 (s, 1H), 5.25 (s, 1H), 4.10 (d, $J = 6.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.19 – 3.02 (m, 5H), 2.22 (dd, $J = 13.6, 9.9$ Hz, 1H), 1.75 – 1.60 (m, 4H), 1.56 – 1.49 (m, 2H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3)

$\delta = 201.6, 141.9, 137.5, 133.8, 133.7, 129.2, 128.6, 120.2, 72.1, 52.0, 39.6, 25.2, 24.1$.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{22}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{H}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}^+]$) = 287.1760, Found 287.1752.

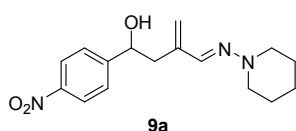


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1	9.311	5166713	51.68
2	10.468	4830852	48.32



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	9.298	16867009	97.40
2	10.485	449895	2.60

1-(4-Nitrophenyl)-3-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)but-3-en-1-ol



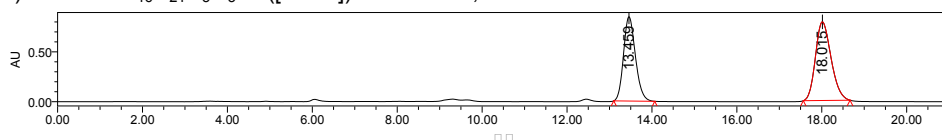
Oil; 80% yield, 84% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +253.67$ ($c = 0.46$ in CH_2Cl_2).

HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IC, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 13.46 min, t_R (minor) = 18.06 min.

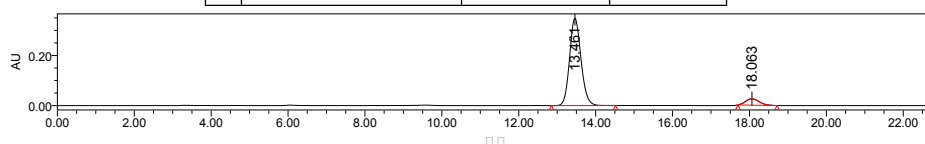
^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 8.20 – 8.12 (m, 2H), 7.55 – 7.48 (m, 2H), 7.30 (s, 1H), 5.92 (d, $J = 3.6$ Hz, 1H), 5.15 (s, 1H), 5.08 (s, 1H), 4.99 (d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.11 (t, $J = 5.8$ Hz, 4H), 2.88 (dd, $J = 14.2$, 2.6 Hz, 1H), 2.71 (dd, $J = 14.0$, 7.6 Hz, 1H), 1.79 – 1.64 (m, 4H), 1.60 – 1.48 (m, 2H); **$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR**

(101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 152.8, 147.0, 142.6, 138.7, 126.6, 123.5, 121.5, 73.1, 52.1, 43.6, 25.0, 24.0.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{21}\text{N}_3\text{O}_3\text{H}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}^+]$) = 304.1656, Found 304.1658.

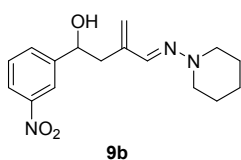


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1	13.459	16410544	49.00
2	18.015	17078070	51.00



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	13.461	7166548	91.97
2	18.063	625991	8.03

1-(3-Nitrophenyl)-3-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)but-3-en-1-ol



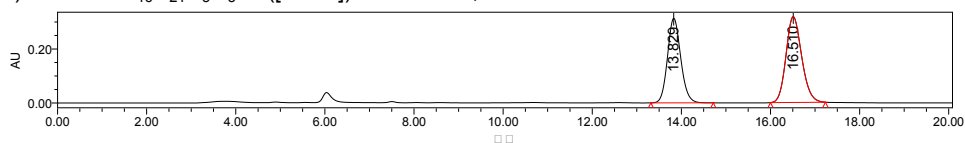
Oil; 80% yield, 83% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +343.65$ ($c = 0.39$ in CH_2Cl_2).

HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IC, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 13.81 min, t_R (minor) = 16.53 min.

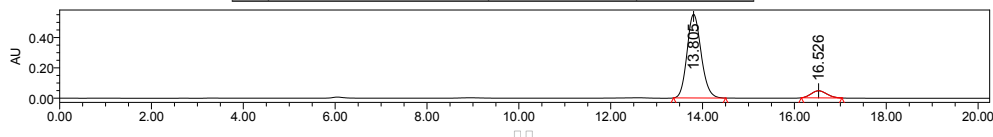
^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 8.24 (t, $J = 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 8.07 (dd, $J = 8.4$, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 7.71 – 7.66 (m, 1H), 7.47 (t, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.30 (s, 1H), 5.91 (d, $J = 3.6$ Hz, 1H), 5.16 (s, 1H), 5.11 (s, 1H), 4.99 (m, 1H), 3.12 (t, $J = 5.6$ Hz, 4H), 2.88 (dd, $J = 14.2$, 2.6 Hz, 1H), 2.74 (dd, $J = 14.0$, 8.0 Hz, 1H), 1.76 – 1.71 (m, 4H), 1.58

– 1.51 (m, 2H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 148.3, 147.5, 142.7, 138.7, 132.1, 129.1, 122.0, 121.4, 121.0, 73.0, 52.1, 43.7, 25.0, 24.0.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{21}\text{N}_3\text{O}_3\text{H}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}^+]$) = 304.1656, Found 304.1661.

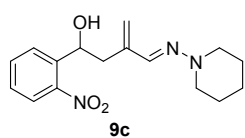


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1	13.829	6458025	48.72
2	16.510	6798423	51.28



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	13.805	11719517	91.45
2	16.526	1096395	8.55

1-(2-Nitrophenyl)-3-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)but-3-en-1-ol

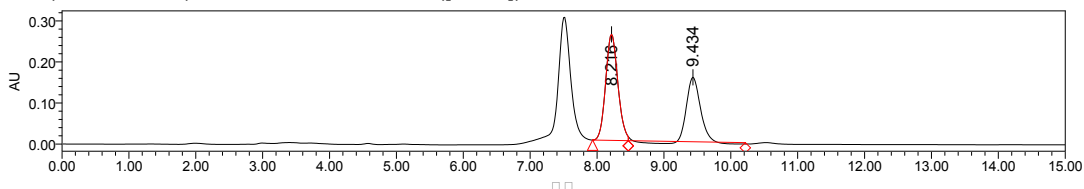


Oil; 82% yield, 70% ee; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = -337.50$ ($c = 0.45$ in CH_2Cl_2).

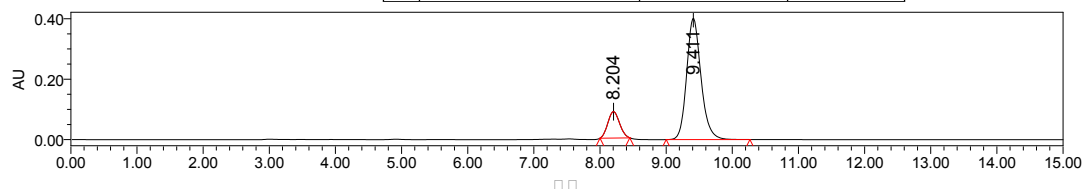
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^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.92 – 7.85 (m, 2H), 7.62 – 7.55 (m, 1H), 7.39 – 7.32 (m, 2H), 6.33 (d, $J = 3.2$ Hz, 1H), 5.39 (dt, $J = 7.6, 2.4$ Hz, 1H), 5.26 (s, 1H), 5.20 (s, 1H), 3.11 (t, $J = 5.6$ Hz, 4H), 2.90 (dd, $J = 14.4, 2.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.81 (dd, $J = 14.0, 7.2$ Hz, 1H), 1.78 – 1.67 (m, 4H), 1.57 – 1.50 (m, 2H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 147.7, 143.0, 141.0, 139.5, 133.2, 128.6, 127.6, 124.2, 121.9, 70.0, 52.1, 42.6, 25.0, 24.0.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{21}\text{N}_3\text{O}_3\text{H}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}^+]$) = 304.1656, Found 304.1656.

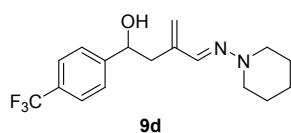


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1	8.216	3010307	52.02
2	9.434	2776545	47.98



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	8.204	1073867	15.06
2	9.411	6059000	84.94

3-((Piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)-1-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)but-3-en-1-ol

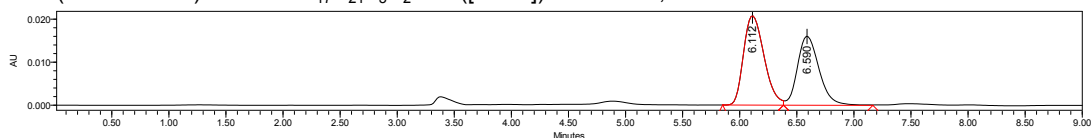


Oil; 70% yield, 84% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +184.00$ ($c = 0.40$ in CH_2Cl_2).

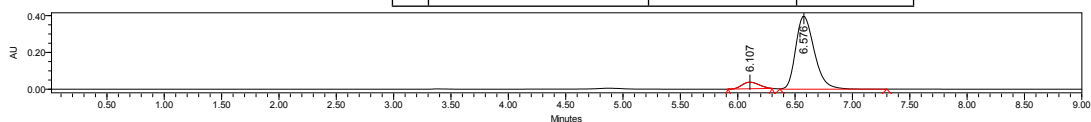
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$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 7.57$ (d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.48 (d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.32 (s, 1H), 5.64 (d, $J = 3.6$ Hz, 1H), 5.16 (s, 1H), 5.12 (s, 1H), 4.96 – 4.90 (m, 1H), 3.15 – 3.07 (m, 4H), 2.84 (dd, $J = 14.0$, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 2.72 (dd, $J = 14.0$, 8.0 Hz, 1H), 1.78 – 1.69 (m, 4H), 1.58 – 1.50 (m, 2H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 149.3$, 143.1, 129.6 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 32.3$ Hz), 129.2 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 32.3$ Hz), 128.9 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 32.3$ Hz), 128.6 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 32.3$ Hz), 128.5 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 272.7$ Hz), 138.9, 126.1, 125.8 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 272.7$ Hz), 125.2 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 4.0$ Hz), 125.15 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 4.0$ Hz), 125.12 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 4.0$ Hz), 125.1 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 4.0$ Hz), 123.1 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 272.7$ Hz), 121.2, 120.4 ($J_{\text{CF}} = 272.7$ Hz), 73.4, 52.1, 43.8, 25.1, 24.1; $^{19}\text{F}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = -62.3$.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{21}\text{F}_3\text{N}_2\text{OH}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}^+]$) = 327.1684, Found 327.1688.

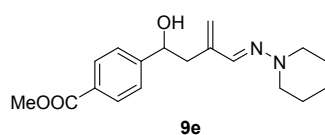


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1	6.112	250326	53.13
2	6.590	220807	46.87



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	6.107	372947	7.69
2	6.576	4475236	92.31

Methyl-4-(1-hydroxy-3-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)but-3-en-1-yl)benzoate

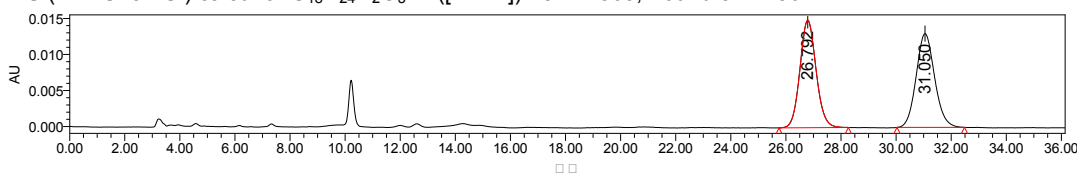


Oil; 57% yield, 85% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +255.00$ ($c = 0.26$ in CH_2Cl_2).

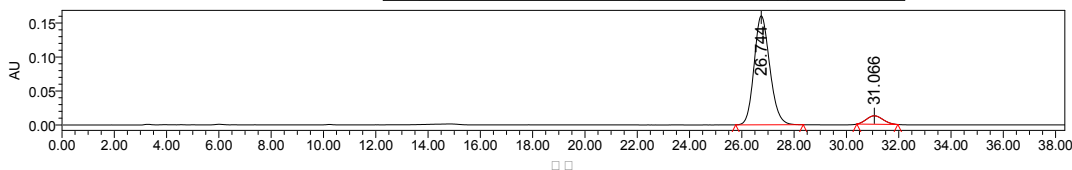
HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IC, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 26.74 min, t_R (minor) = 31.07 min.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 8.04$ – 7.93 (m, 2H), 7.46 – 7.38 (m, 2H), 7.31 (s, 1H), 5.63 (d, $J = 3.6$ Hz, 1H), 5.14 (d, $J = 1.2$ Hz, 1H), 5.10 (d, $J = 1.2$ Hz, 1H), 4.94 (dt, $J = 7.6$, 3.2 Hz, 1H), 3.89 (s, 3H), 3.14 – 3.04 (m, 4H), 2.88 – 2.80 (m, 1H), 2.72 (dd, $J = 14.0$, 7.6 Hz, 1H), 1.77 – 1.67 (m, 5H), 1.57 – 1.48 (m, 2H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 167.3$, 150.6, 143.1, 138.9, 129.6, 128.7, 125.8, 121.1, 73.6, 52.1, 43.7, 25.1, 24.1.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{24}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3\text{H}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}^+]$) = 317.1865, Found 317.1864.



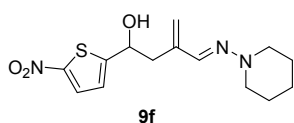
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2	31.050	605063	49.94



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1	26.744	6684101	92.47

2	31.066	544447	7.53
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1-(5-Nitrothiophen-2-yl)-3-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)but-3-en-1-ol

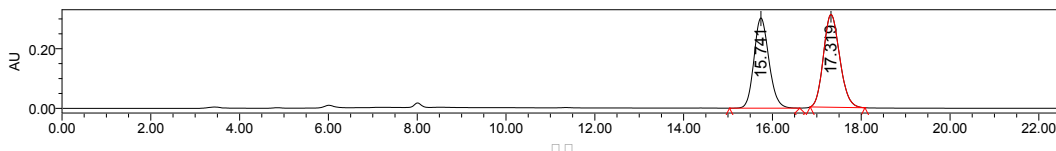


Oil; 87% yield, 81% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -410.30$ ($c = 0.47$ in CH_2Cl_2).

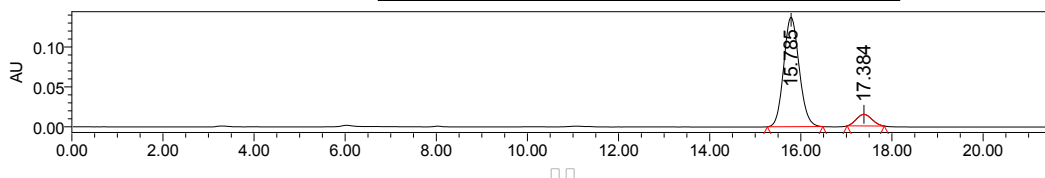
HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IC, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 15.79 min, t_R (minor) = 17.38 min.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.79 (d, $J = 4.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.28 (s, 1H), 6.81 (dd, $J = 4.4, 1.4$ Hz, 1H), 6.59 (d, $J = 4.0$ Hz, 1H), 5.22 (s, 1H), 5.19 (s, 1H), 5.10 (d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.08 (t, $J = 5.6$ Hz, 4H), 2.99 – 2.93 (m, 1H), 2.82 – 2.75 (m, 1H), 1.74 – 1.65 (m, 5H), 1.57 – 1.50 (m, 2H); **$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 160.3, 145.0, 141.8, 138.5, 128.9, 122.2, 121.5, 70.3, 51.9, 43.4, 25.0, 23.9.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{19}\text{N}_3\text{O}_3\text{SH}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}^+]$) = 310.1225, Found 310.1215.

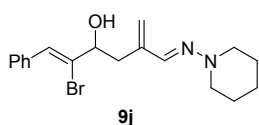


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1	15.741	7073861	49.15
2	17.319	7319573	50.85



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	15.785	3244099	90.41
2	17.384	343983	9.59

(Z)-2-Bromo-1-phenyl-5-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)hexa-1,5-dien-3-ol

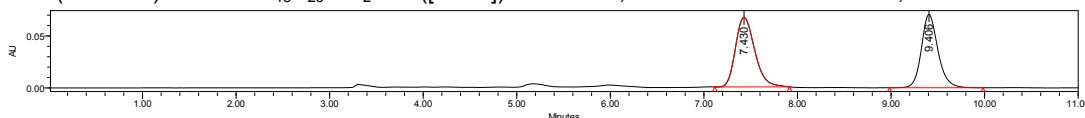


Oil; 47% yield, 88% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +268.82$ ($c = 0.36$ in CH_2Cl_2).

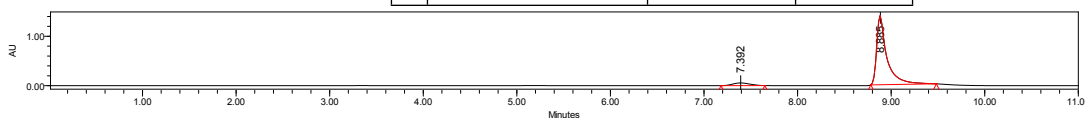
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^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.58 – 7.52 (m, 2H), 7.36 – 7.30 (m, 3H), 7.28 – 7.23 (m, 1H), 7.15 (s, 1H), 6.15 (d, $J = 4.8$ Hz, 1H), 5.38 (s, 1H), 5.27 (s, 1H), 4.52 – 4.45 (m, 1H), 3.08 (t, $J = 5.6$ Hz, 4H), 2.94 (dd, $J = 14.2, 6.6$ Hz, 1H), 2.86 (dd, $J = 14.2, 3.0$ Hz, 1H), 1.73 – 1.67 (m, 4H), 1.55 – 1.48 (m, 2H); **$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 142.4, 139.4, 136.0, 129.7, 129.2, 128.1, 127.7, 126.6, 121.8, 76.9, 52.1, 39.7, 25.0, 24.0.

HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{23}\text{BrN}_2\text{OH}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}^+]$) = 363.1072, 365.1052 Found 363.1066, 365.1046.

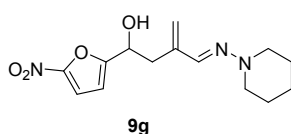


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1	7.430	954276	52.38
2	9.406	867469	47.62



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	7.392	675700	6.03
2	8.885	10530836	93.97

1-(5-Nitrofuran-2-yl)-3-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)but-3-en-1-ol

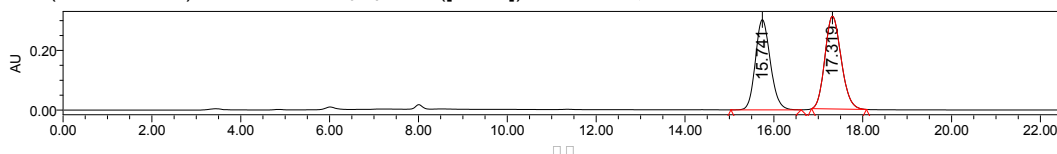


Oil; 80% yield, 81% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -666.32$ ($c = 0.38$ in CH_2Cl_2).

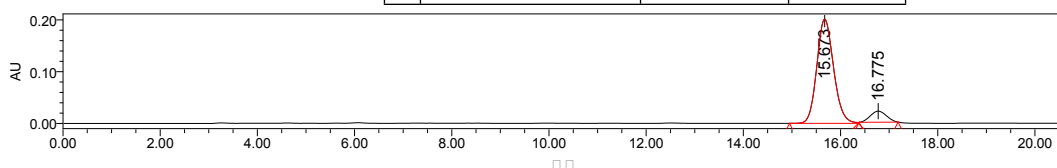
HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IC, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 15.67 min, t_R (minor) = 16.78 min.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 7.29$ (s, 1H), 7.27 – 7.24 (m, 1H), 6.50 (d, $J = 3.6$ Hz, 1H), 6.38 (s, 1H), 5.26 (s, 1H), 5.20 (s, 1H), 4.93 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.07 (t, $J = 5.6$ Hz, 4H), 2.97 (dd, $J = 14.4, 2.8$ Hz, 1H), 2.89 (dd, $J = 14.4, 7.2$ Hz, 1H), 1.75 – 1.69 (m, 5H), 1.56 – 1.49 (m, 2H); **$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 162.0, 151.6, 142.0, 138.9, 122.2, 112.9, 109.2, 68.4, 52.0, 40.3, 24.9, 24.0$.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{19}\text{N}_3\text{O}_4\text{H}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$) = 294.1454, Found 294.1449.

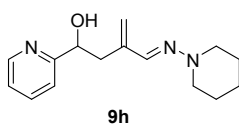


	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	15.685	2869212	49.84
2	16.775	2887451	50.16



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	15.673	4818424	90.72
2	16.775	492845	9.28

3-((Piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)-1-(pyridin-2-yl)but-3-en-1-ol

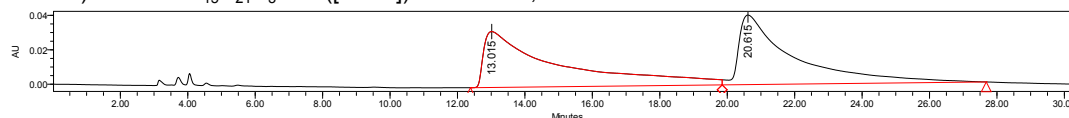


Oil; Conditions A: 38% yield, 99% ee (Condition B: 38% yield, -95% ee); $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -178.19$ ($c = 0.19$ in CH_2Cl_2).

HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IB, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 21.25 min, t_R (minor) = 14.05 min. (Conditions B).

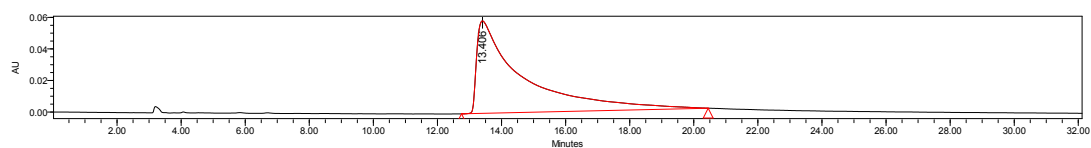
^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 8.57 - 8.48$ (m, 1H), 7.65 (td, $J = 7.8, 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.48 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.33 (s, 1H), 7.15 – 7.10 (m, 1H), 5.77 (d, $J = 4.4$ Hz, 1H), 5.20 (s, 1H), 5.15 (s, 1H), 5.02 – 4.93 (m, 1H), 3.14 – 3.05 (t, $J = 5.6$ Hz, 4H), 2.98 (dd, $J = 14.0, 2.8$ Hz, 1H), 2.77 (dd, $J = 13.6, 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 1.74 – 1.66 (m, 4H), 1.57 – 1.48 (m, 2H); **$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 163.8, 148.5, 143.2, 139.3, 136.5, 121.9, 121.0, 120.4, 74.2, 52.2, 42.0, 25.1, 24.1$.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{21}\text{N}_3\text{OH}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$) = 260.1763, Found 260.1763.



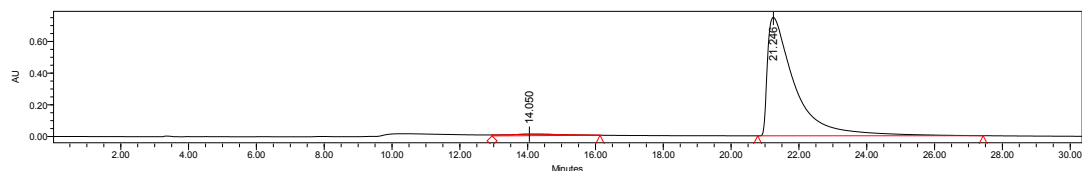
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2	20.615	4536309	47.80

Condition A



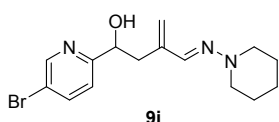
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1	13.406	5877805	100.00

Condition B



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	14.050	1116056	2.59
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1-(5-bromopyridin-2-yl)-3-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)but-3-en-1-ol



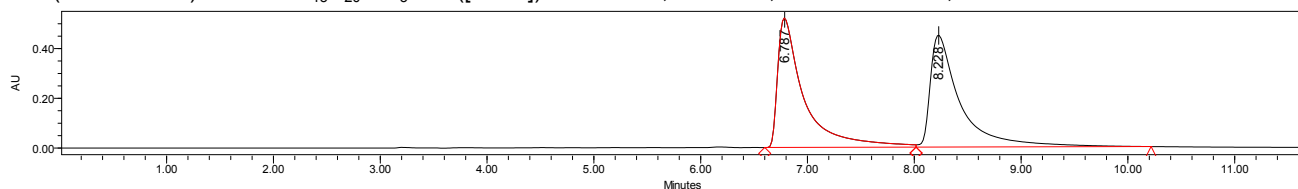
Oil; Conditions A: 75% yield, 97% ee (Condition B: 70% yield, -92% ee); $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -300.63$ ($c = 0.80$ in CH_2Cl_2).

HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IB, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 6.74 min, t_R (minor) = 8.34 min. (Conditions A).

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 8.56 (d, $J = 2.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.75 (dd, $J = 8.4, 2.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.40 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.29 (s, 1H), 5.90 (d, $J = 4.4$ Hz, 1H), 5.15 (s, 1H), 5.13 (s, 1H), 4.91 (ddd, $J = 7.4, 4.2, 3.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.11 – 3.03 (m, 4H), 2.95 (dd, $J = 14.0, 2.8$ Hz, 1H), 2.77 (dd, $J = 14.0, 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 1.74 – 1.67 (m, 5H), 1.55 – 1.48 (m, 2H).

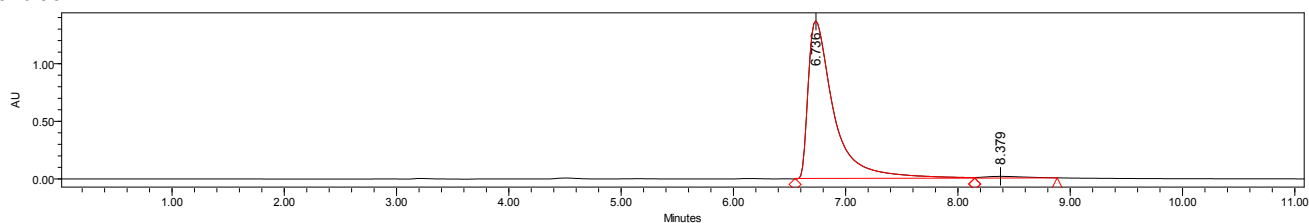
$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 162.7, 149.5, 142.9, 139.2, 139.0, 121.9, 121.4, 118.5, 74.0, 52.1, 41.7, 25.0, 24.1.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{20}\text{BrN}_3\text{OH}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$) = 338.0868, 340.0848, Found 338.0865, 340.0845.



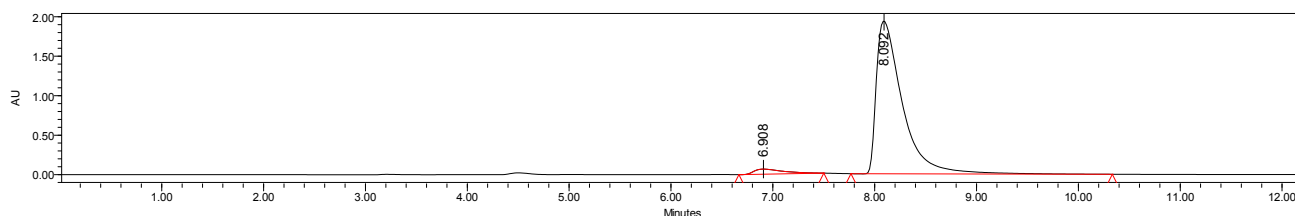
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1	6.787	8948638	50.35
2	8.228	8825106	49.65

Condition A



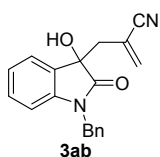
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1	6.736	21568994	98.44
2	8.379	342520	1.56

Condition B



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	6.908	1289380	3.62
2	8.092	34359383	96.38

3-Hydroxy-5-iodo-1-methyl-3-(2-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)allyl)indolin-2-one

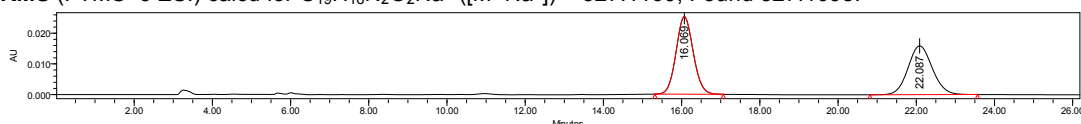


Colorless oil; 82% yield (two steps), 98% ee; $[\alpha]^{20}_D = +62.50$ ($c = 0.48$ in CH_2Cl_2).

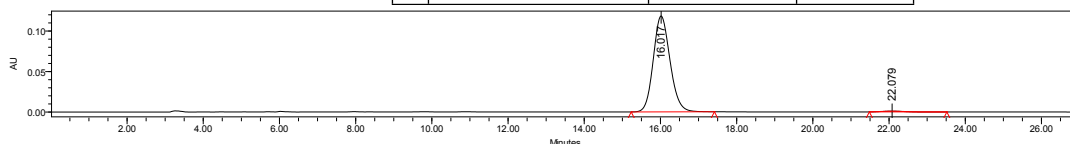
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$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 7.46$ (d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.33 – 7.23 (m, 6H), 7.12 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 6.77 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 5.84 (s, 1H), 5.74 (s, 1H), 4.94 – 4.71 (m, 2H), 3.89 (s, 1H), 3.01 – 2.84 (m, 2H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 177.0, 142.5, 136.5, 135.2, 130.6, 128.9, 128.0, 127.9, 127.5, 124.9, 123.7, 118.1, 116.2, 110.0, 75.8, 44.1, 42.5$.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{Na}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}^+]$) = 327.1109, Found 327.1098.

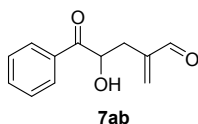


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1	16.069	769411	52.81
2	22.087	687402	47.19



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	16.017	3609177	98.98

1-Benzyl-5-chloro-3-hydroxy-3-(2-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)allyl)indolin-2-one

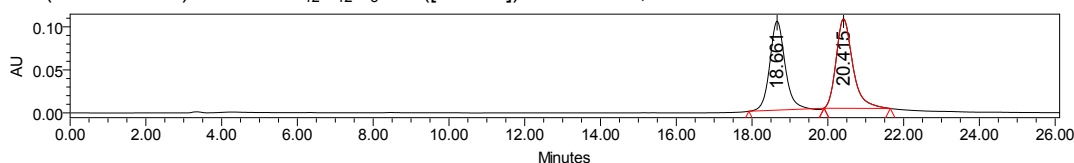


Oil; 70% yield (two steps), 96% ee; $[\alpha]^{20}_D = +77.19$ ($c = 0.32$ in CH_2Cl_2).

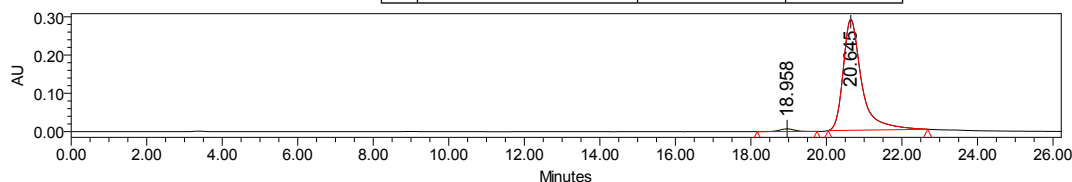
HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 20.65 min, t_R (minor) = 18.96 min.

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 9.60$ (s, 1H), 8.21 – 8.03 (m, 2H), 7.67 – 7.60 (m, 1H), 7.57 – 7.50 (m, 2H), 6.47 (s, 1H), 6.20 (s, 1H), 5.22 – 5.15 (m, 1H), 3.73 (d, $J = 6.7$ Hz, 1H), 3.01 (dt, $J = 13.8, 1.7$ Hz, 1H), 2.18 (dd, $J = 13.9, 9.8$ Hz, 1H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 201.0, 194.7, 145.2, 137.9, 134.5, 133.1, 129.1, 129.1, 71.0, 36.0$.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_3\text{Na}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}^+]$) = 227.0684, Found 227.0676.

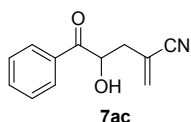


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1	18.661	3019013	48.27
2	20.415	3235700	51.73



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	18.958	194208	1.94
2	20.645	9827034	98.06
2	22.079	37265	1.02

4-Hydroxy-2-methylene-5-oxo-5-phenylpentanenitrile

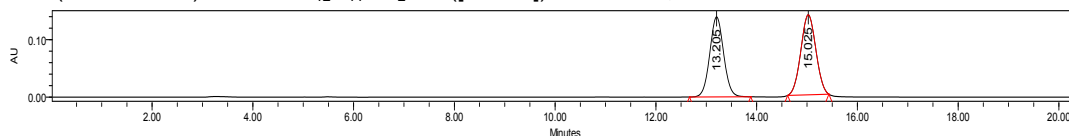


Oil; 95% yield (two steps), 95% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +46.0$ ($c = 0.50$ in CH_2Cl_2).

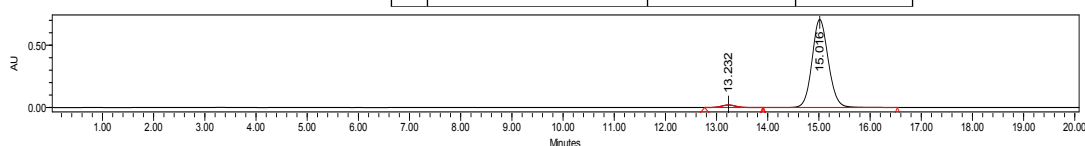
HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IC, n-hexane/2-propanol = 80/20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 15.02 min, t_R (minor) = 13.23 min.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.98 – 7.90 (m, 2H), 7.68 – 7.63 (m, 1H), 7.56 – 7.50 (m, 2H), 5.99 (s, 1H), 5.80 (s, 1H), 5.30 (m, 1H), 3.86 (d, $J = 6.5$ Hz, 1H), 2.86 – 2.80 (m, 1H), 2.42 – 2.35 (m, 1H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 199.8, 134.7, 134.1, 133.0, 129.3, 128.7, 118.3, 118.2, 70.9, 40.9.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{11}\text{NO}_2\text{Na}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}^+]$) = 224.0687, Found 224.0680.

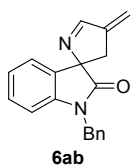


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1	13.205	2663009	48.07
2	15.025	2876820	51.93



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1	13.232	389014	2.44
2	15.016	15536716	97.56

1-Benzyl-4'-methylene-3',4'-dihydrospiro[indoline-3,2'-pyrrol]-2-one



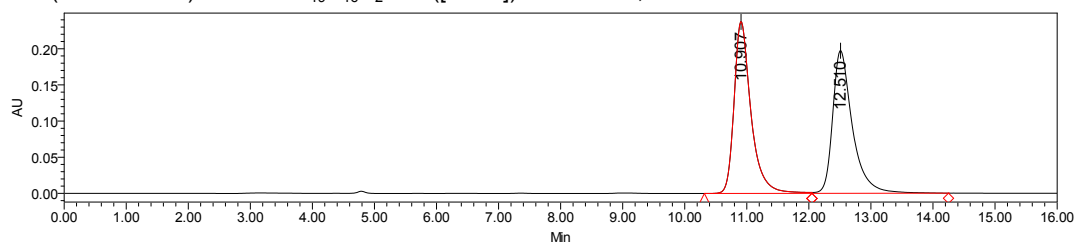
Colorless Oil; 70% yield (two steps), 95% ee; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +197.64$ ($c = 0.72$ in CH_2Cl_2).

HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 80/20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 10.74 min, t_R (minor) = 12.42 min.

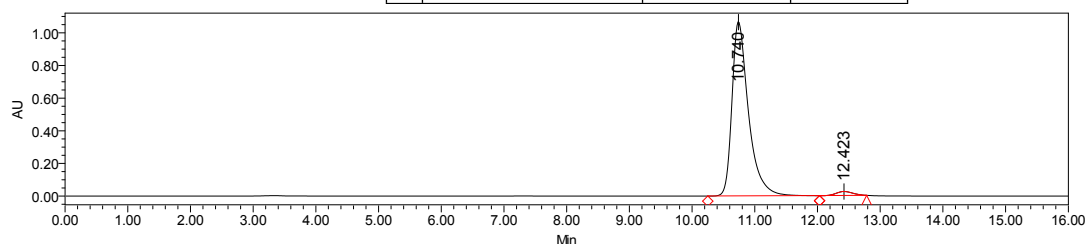
^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 8.02 (s, 1H), 7.35 – 7.26 (m, 4H), 7.25 – 7.20 (m, 1H), 7.20 – 7.14 (m, 1H), 7.05 (dd, $J = 7.6, 1.6$ Hz, 1H), 6.99 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 6.73 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 5.58 (t, $J = 2.8$ Hz, 1H), 5.48 (t, $J = 2.4$

Hz, 1H), 5.00 – 4.83 (m, 2H), 3.13 (dt, $J = 17.2, 2.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.78 (dt, $J = 17.2, 2.4$ Hz, 1H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 176.2, 168.5, 150.1, 142.6, 135.5, 131.0, 129.3, 128.8, 127.6, 127.2, 123.5, 123.2, 112.9, 109.4, 80.8, 43.9, 37.1$.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_2\text{OH}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}^+]$) = 289.1341, Found 289.1335.

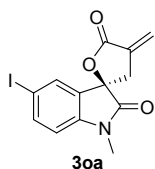


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2	12.510	4361458	49.27



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2	12.423	447361	2.25

3-Hydroxy-5-iodo-1-methyl-3-(2-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)allyl)indolin-2-one



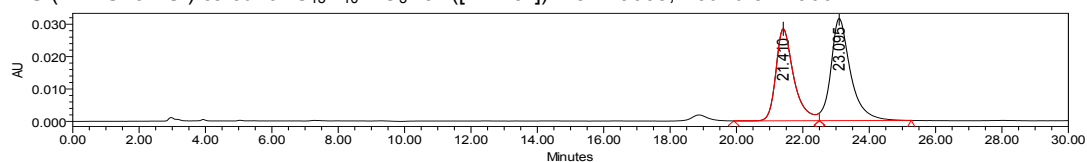
Solid, melting point: 165–168 °C; 40% yield (two steps), 99% ee; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = -167.14$ ($c = 0.42$ in CH_2Cl_2).

HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t_R (major) = 22.71 min, t_R (minor) = 21.20 min.

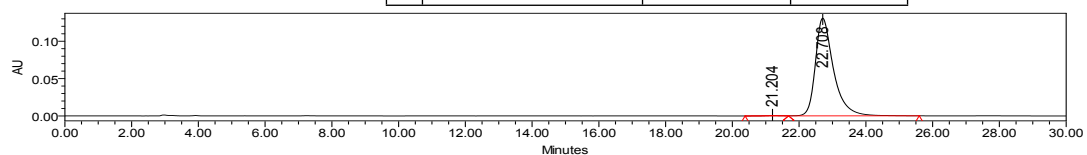
^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 7.72$ (dd, $J = 8.3, 1.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.58 (d, $J = 1.7$ Hz, 1H), 6.66 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 6.42 (t, $J = 2.8$ Hz, 1H), 5.82 (t, $J = 2.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.29 (dt, $J = 17.2, 2.5$ Hz, 1H), 3.19 (s, 3H), 3.08 (dt, $J = 17.2, 2.8$ Hz, 1H);

$^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 172.9, 168.7, 143.7, 140.2, 133.1, 132.3, 129.0, 123.9, 111.1, 85.9, 78.8, 36.3, 26.7$.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{10}\text{INO}_3\text{Na}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}^+]$) = 377.9603, Found 377.9602.



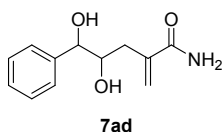
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2	23.095	1203861	51.28



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1	21.204	14771	0.30

2	22.708	4924663	99.70
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4,5-Dihydroxy-2-methylene-5-phenylpentanamide

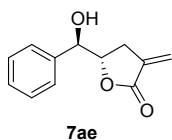


Oil; 60% yield (>99:1 d.r., two steps).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ = 7.54 (s, 1H), 7.36 – 7.27 (m, 4H), 7.24 – 7.18 (m, 1H), 7.07 (s, 1H), 5.73 (s, 1H), 5.35 (s, 1H), 5.31 (d, *J* = 4.4 Hz, 1H), 4.79 (d, *J* = 5.6 Hz, 1H), 4.36 (t, *J* = 5.2 Hz, 1H), 3.69 – 3.60 (m, 1H), 2.54 – 2.49 (m, 1H), 2.16 (dd, *J* = 14.4, 9.2 Hz, 1H); **¹³C{¹H} NMR** (101 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ = 170.7, 143.4, 142.1, 127.5, 127.2, 126.6, 120.4, 76.1, 74.0, 35.5.

HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for C₁₂H₁₅NO₃Na⁺ ([M+Na⁺]) = 244.0950, Found 244.0946.

(1*R*, 5*S*)-5-(Hydroxy(phenyl)methyl)-3-methylenedihydrofuran-2(3*H*)-one

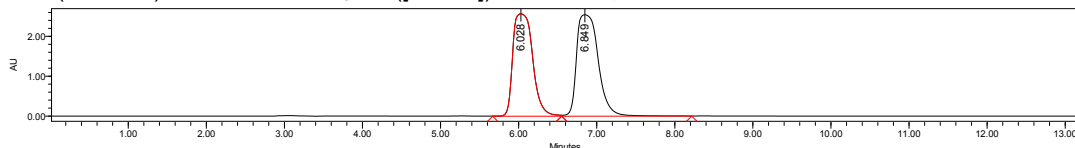


Oil; 60% yield, >99:1 d.r., 96% ee; [α]_D²⁰ = −181.67 (*c* = 0.24 in CH₂Cl₂).

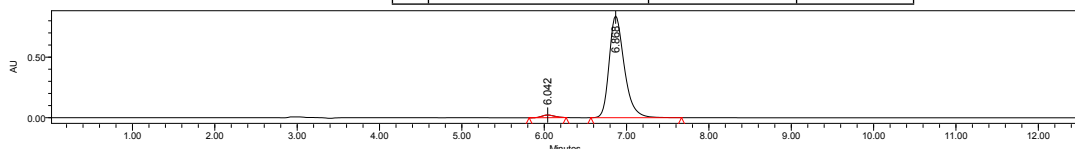
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¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.43 – 7.32 (m, 4H), 7.35 – 7.24 (m, 1H), 6.18 (t, *J* = 3.0 Hz, 1H), 5.58 (t, *J* = 2.6 Hz, 1H), 5.14 (t, *J* = 2.6 Hz, 1H), 4.72 (ddd, *J* = 8.6, 5.6, 3.2 Hz, 1H), 3.08 (d, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 1H), 3.01 (ddt, *J* = 17.5, 5.8, 2.9 Hz, 1H), 2.61 (ddt, *J* = 17.4, 8.2, 2.6 Hz, 1H); **¹³C{¹H} NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 170.8, 138.4, 134.6, 128.7, 128.2, 126.1, 122.1, 80.3, 73.0, 26.6.

HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C₁₂H₁₂O₃Na⁺ ([M+Na⁺]) = 227.0684, Found 227.0676.

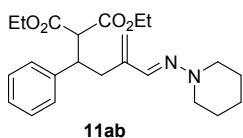


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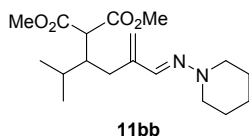
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1	6.042	232452	2.13
2	6.868	10668928	97.87

Diethyl-2-(1-phenyl-3-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)but-3-en-1-ylidene)malonate



Oil; 50% yield; **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.25 – 6.88 (m, 6H), 4.92 (d, *J* = 16.8 Hz, 2H), 4.27 – 4.15 (m, 2H), 3.91 – 3.80 (m, 3H), 3.69 (d, *J* = 10.4 Hz, 1H), 3.01 (t, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 4H), 2.81 (dd, *J* = 13.6, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 2.68 (dd, *J* = 13.6, 10.4 Hz, 1H), 1.70 – 1.60 (m, 4H), 1.53 – 1.46 (m, 2H), 1.28 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 3H), 0.93 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 3H); **¹³C{¹H} NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 168.5, 168.1, 143.4, 141.1, 137.1, 128.8, 128.0, 126.7, 118.1, 61.5, 61.1, 58.8, 52.2, 44.2, 35.8, 25.2, 24.3, 14.3, 13.8.

Dimethyl-2-(2-methyl-5-((piperidin-1-ylimino)methyl)hex-5-en-3-yl)malonate

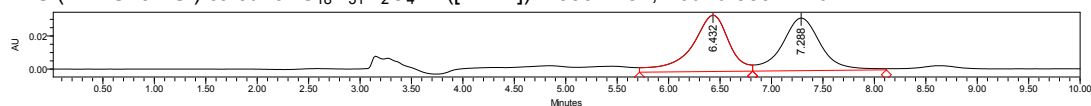


Oil; 36% yield; 45% ee.

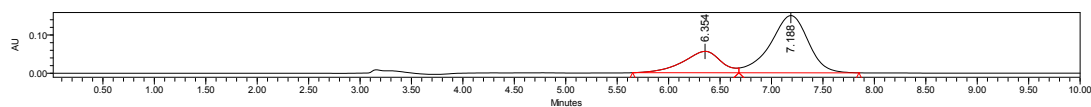
HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL ODH, n-hexane/2-propanol = 98/2, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, *t_R* (major) = 7.18 min, *t_R* (minor) = 6.35 min.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.18 (s, 1H), 5.21 (d, *J* = 1.6 Hz, 1H), 5.11 (d, *J* = 1.6 Hz, 1H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 3.65 (s, 3H), 3.50 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 3.04 (t, *J* = 5.6 Hz, 4H), 2.75 – 2.68 (m, 1H), 2.65 – 2.55 (m, 1H), 2.16

(dd, $J = 13.6, 8.5$ Hz, 1H), 1.95 – 1.80 (m, 1H), 1.73 – 1.65 (m, 4H), 1.55 – 1.45 (m, 2H), 0.98 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 3H), 0.86 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 3H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 170.0, 145.1, 137.0, 117.6, 54.1, 52.3, 52.1, 42.4, 30.5, 29.7, 25.2, 24.4, 20.9, 18.4$. HRMS (FTMS+c ESI) calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{31}\text{N}_2\text{O}_4\text{H}^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}^+]$) = 339.2284, Found 339.2276.



	Retention Time	Area	% Area
1	6.432	860719	50.91
2	7.288	830033	49.09



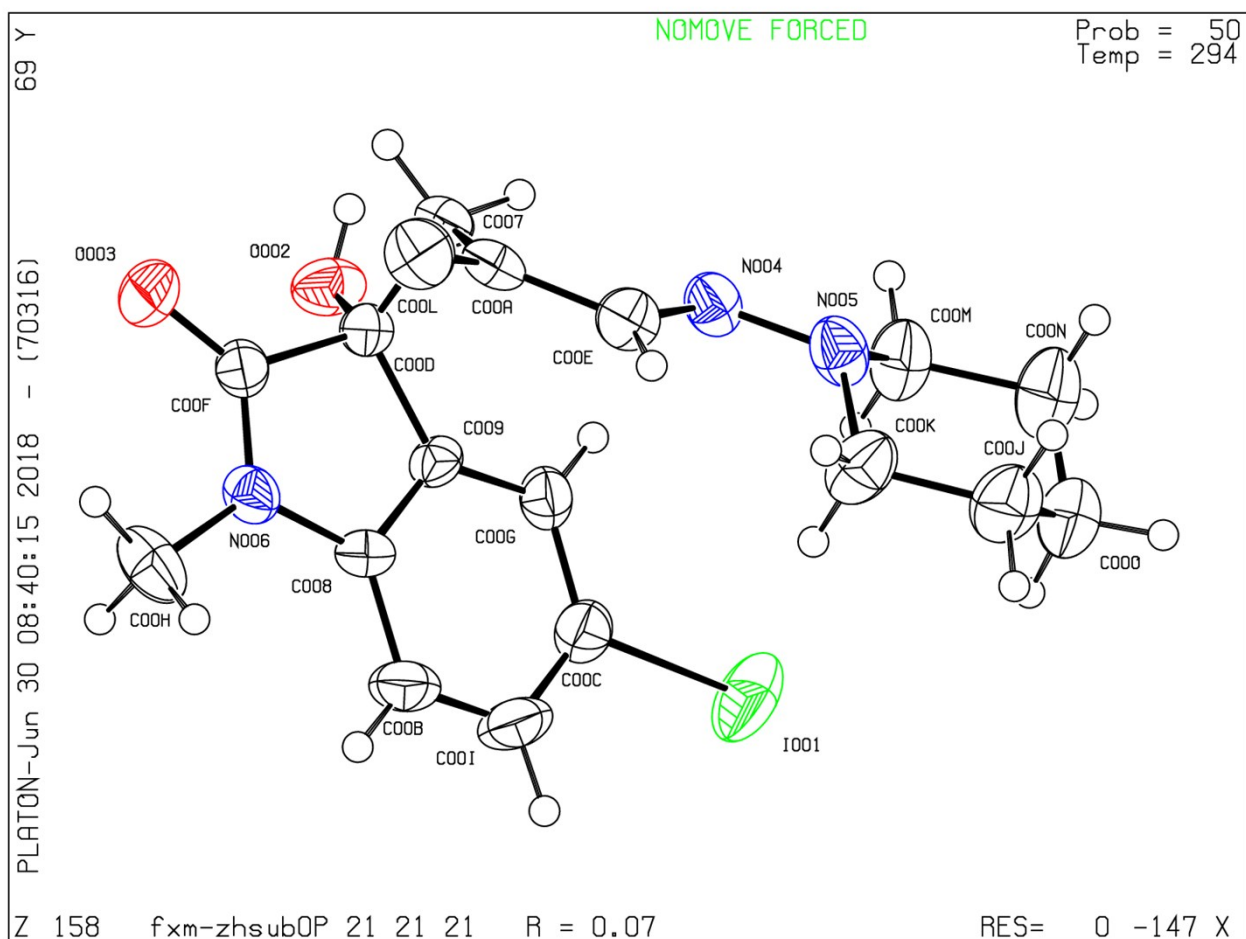
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2	7.188	3832139	72.56

9 Determination of absolute configuration

9.1 The X-ray structure of product **3o**

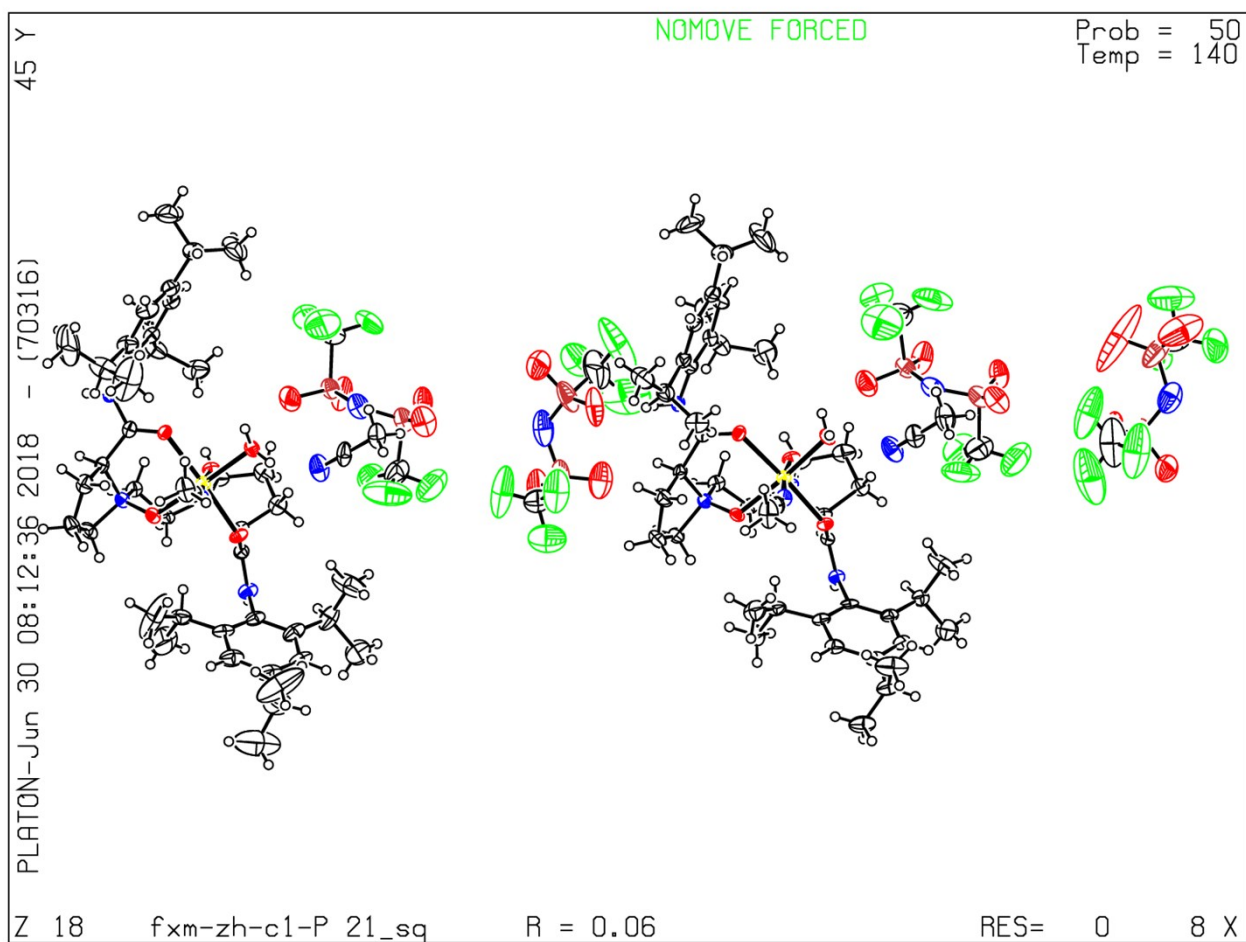
The absolute configuration of the product **3o** (**R**) was determined by its X-ray crystal structure.

Single crystal of $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{22}\text{N}_3\text{O}_2$ **3o** was recrystallized from mixed solvents of CH_2Cl_2 and petroleum ether. CCDC **1837158** contains the supplementary crystallographic data which can be obtained free of charge from The Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre via www.ccdc.cam.ac.uk/data_request/cif.



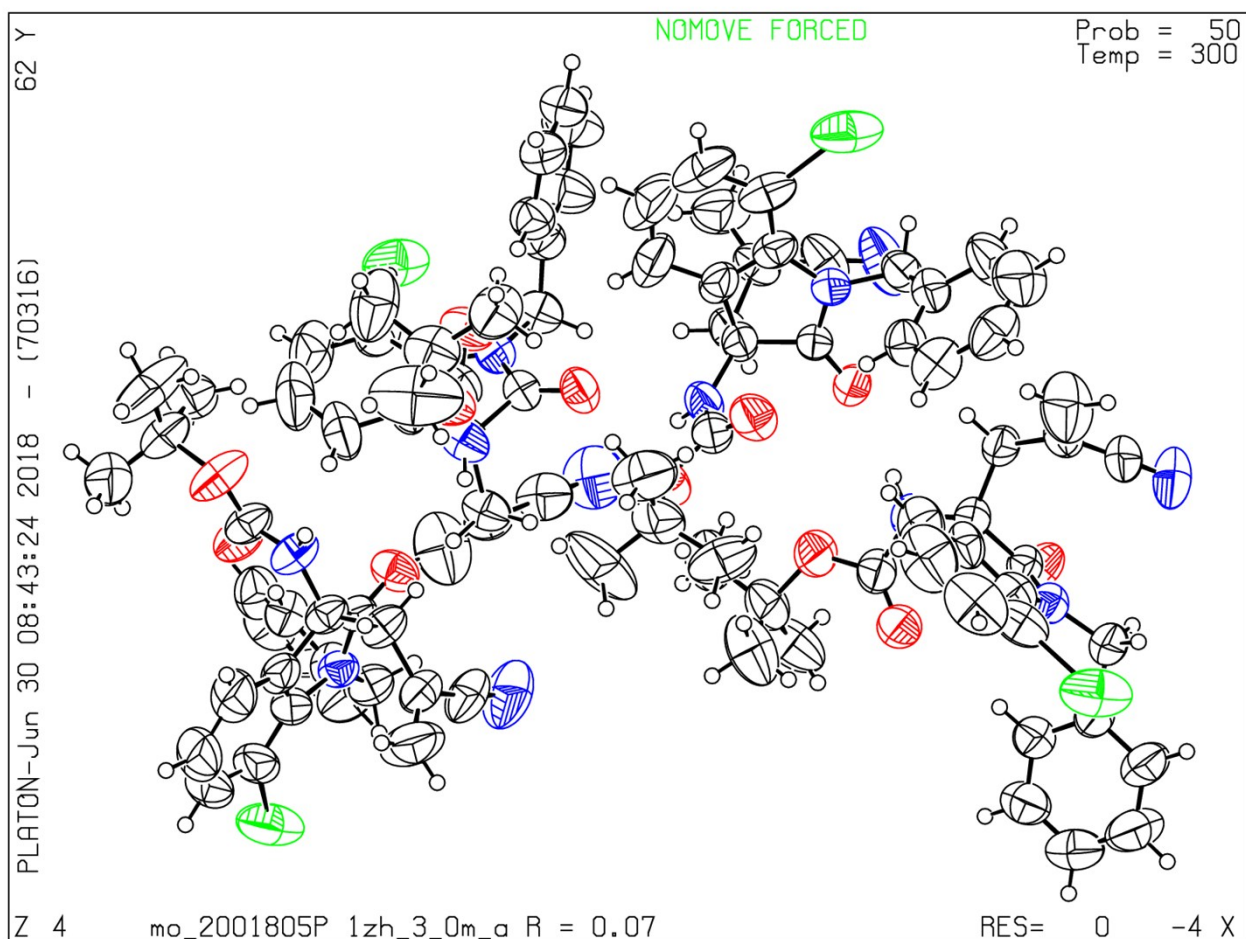
9.2 The X-ray structure of the Zn(NTf₂)₂/L₂-PrPr₃ complex

The absolute configuration of the complex **Zn(NTf₂)₂/L₂-PrPr₃** was determined by its X-ray crystal structure. CCDC **1837246** contains the supplementary crystallographic data which can be obtained free of charge from The Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre via www.ccdc.cam.ac.uk/data_request/cif.



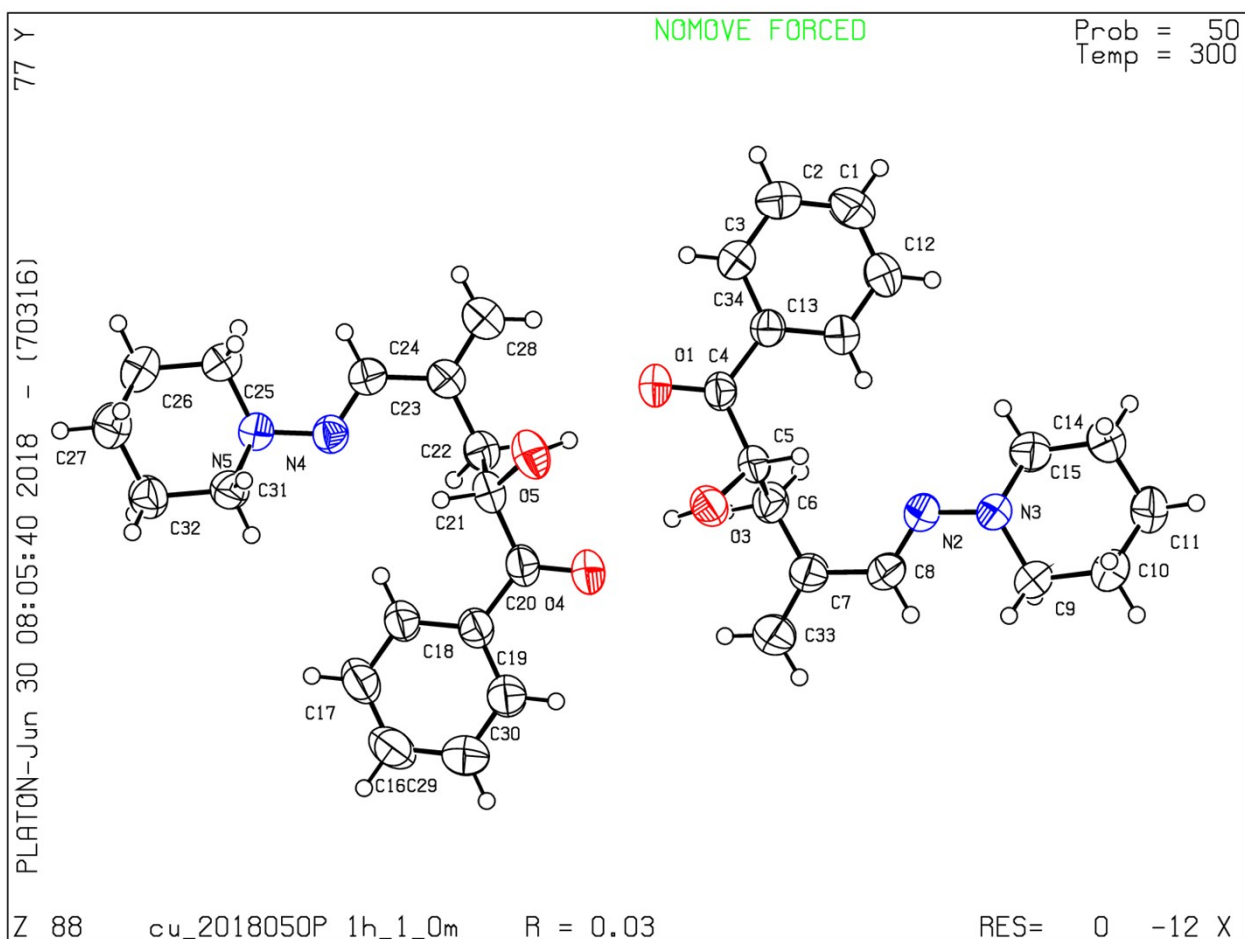
9.3 The X-ray structure of the product 6kk

The absolute configuration of the product **6kk (S)** was determined by its X-ray crystal structure. CCDC **1845392** contains the supplementary crystallographic data which can be obtained free of charge from The Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre via www.ccdc.cam.ac.uk/data_request/cif.



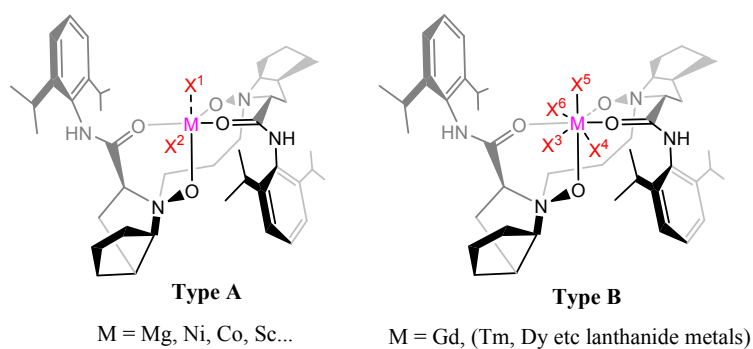
9.4 The X-ray structure of the product 7aa

The absolute configuration of the product **7aa** (**S**) was determined by its X-ray crystal structure. CCDC **1842770** contains the supplementary crystallographic data which can be obtained free of charge from The Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre via www.ccdc.cam.ac.uk/data_request/cif.



10 The study of mechanism

10.1 The steric conformation of our *N,N'*-dioxide-metal salt complexes



The X-ray structure of chiral $\text{Mg}^{\text{II}}/\text{L-RaPr}_2$, $\text{Ni}^{\text{II}}/\text{L-RaPr}_2$, $\text{Co}^{\text{II}}/\text{L-RaPr}_2$, $\text{Sc}^{\text{III}}/\text{L-RaPr}_2$, $\text{Gd}^{\text{III}}/\text{L-RaPr}_2$ complexes⁵ have been obtained and delightfully introduced in our precious reviews. (*Acc. Chem. Res.* **2011**, 44, 574–587; **2017**, 50, 2621–2631).

Type A

$\text{Ni}^{\text{II}}/\text{L-RaPr}_2$	$\text{Mg}^{\text{II}}/\text{L-RaPr}_2$	$\text{Sc}^{\text{III}}/\text{L-RaPr}_2$
(1) Ni-O (N-O), 2.00 Å ; (2) Ni-O (N-O), 2.02 Å ; (3) Ni-O (C=O), 2.05 Å ; (4) Ni-O (C=O), 2.08 Å ; (5) Ni-O (MeOH), 2.12 Å ; (6) Ni-O (H ₂ O), 2.09 Å	(1) Mg/O (N-O), 2.01 Å ; (2) Mg/O (N-O), 2.02 Å ; (3) Mg/O (C=O), 2.04 Å ; (4) Mg/O (C=O), 2.06 Å ; (5) Mg/O (OTf), 2.10 Å ; (6) Mg/O (H ₂ O), 2.06 Å	(1) Sc-O (N-O), 2.03 Å ; (2) Sc-O (N-O), 2.06 Å ; (3) Sc-O (C=O), 2.09 Å ; (4) Sc-O (C=O), 2.12 Å ; (5) Sc-O (OTf), 2.10 Å ; (6) Sc-O (H ₂ O), 2.13 Å

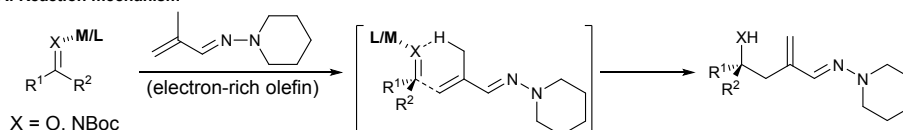
Type B

$\text{Gd}^{\text{III}}/\text{L-RaPr}_2$
(1) Gd-O (N-O), 2.27 Å ; (2) Gd-O (N-O), 2.27 Å ; (3) Gd-O (C=O), 2.46 Å ; (4) Gd-O (C=O), 2.40 Å ; (5) Gd-O (MeOH), 2.43 Å ; (6) Gd-O (MeOH), 2.43 Å ; (7) Gd-O (MeOH), 2.45 Å ; (8) Gd-O (OTf), 2.49 Å

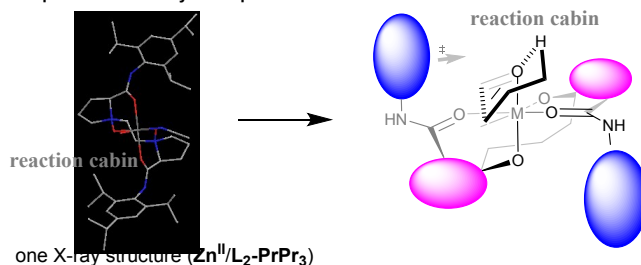
Bond length of the chiral *N,N'*-dioxide-metal salt complexes

10.2 The proposed reaction model

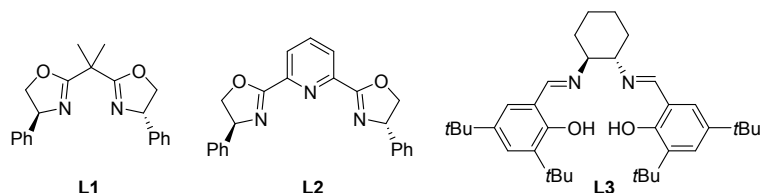
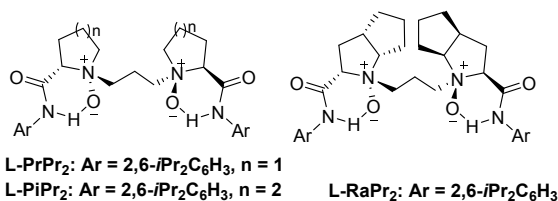
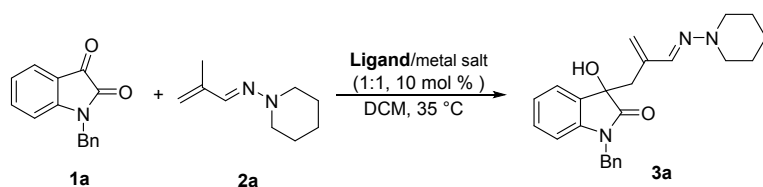
A: Reaction mechanism



B: Representative catalytic template



10.3 Control experiments



entry ^a	metal salt	ligand	yield (%) ^b	ee (%) ^c
1	Ni(OTf) ₂	L-RaPr₂	90	98 (high)
2	Ni(OTf) ₂	L1	82	-59
3	Ni(OTf) ₂	L2	59	0
4	Ni(OTf) ₂	L3	60	0

^a Unless otherwise stated, all reactions were performed with **1a** (0.1 mmol), **2a** (0.13 mmol), 5 Å MS (10 mg), H₂O (1 μL) and ligand/metal salt (1:1, 10 mol %) in CH₂Cl₂ (0.4 mL) at 35 °C for 36 h. ^b Yield of the isolated product. ^c Determined by HPLC.

10.4 Conclusion

Based on a series of X-ray structure the *N,N'*-dioxide-metal salt complexes, some important messages of the Lewis acid catalyst are obtained. (1) Firstly, central metal Mg^{II} (Sc^{III}, Ni^{II}, Co^{II}, Zn^{II}) and Gd^{III} (Tm^{III}, Dy^{III}, lanthanide metals) occupied in six- and eight-coordinated manners, respectively (Type **A** and Type **B**, see 10.1). (2) The comparison of bond lengths between these two type catalysts, suggests the six-coordinated complexes possess more compacted space than eight-coordinated manners, which may result in different steric environment coordinating with substrates and give reciprocal configurations (see 5.5). (3) The *N,N'*-dioxide ligand combine with Lewis acid metal salt in a quadridentate fashion and form a retractable space (more like a chiral cavity, see 10.2), which allow to coordinate various substrates, providing a good chirality-controlled environment.

In this ene-type reaction, various electrophiles, like isatins, imines and aldehydes reacted with hydrazone may via a six-membered cyclic transition state in the chiral cavity of *N,N'*-dioxide-metal salt complexes with high enantioselectivity. Moreover, we also explored other ligands coordinated with Ni(OTf)₂ to catalyze these reactions, such as chiral oxazolin and Salen ligands, no better results were obtained (10.3). In compared with them (Ni^{II}/L1, Ni^{II}/L2, Ni^{II}/L3), our catalytic system can provide an adjustable cavity, which can accommodate different six-membered cyclic transition states in the ene-type reaction and achieve high selectivity and generality.

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12. Copies of NMR spectra for substrates and products

