Supporting Information

Enantioselective Iridium Catalyzed Carbonyl Isoprenylation via Alcohol-Mediated Hydrogen Transfer

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General Information

All reactions were run under an atmosphere of argon. All glassware was oven dried at 120 °C overnight and cooled in a desiccator. All iridium catalyzed isoprenylation reactions were carried in sealed pressure tubes (13 x 100 mm). THF was subjected to distillation from sodium and benzophenone immediately before use. DME was dried by 4Å molecule sieves. [Ir(COD)Cl]₂, DM-SEGPHOS, cesium carbonate, potassium phosphate and 3,4-dinitrobenzoic acid were purchased from commercial suppliers and used as received. Isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a**¹ and compounds **1m**², **1q**³, and **2m**² were prepared following literature procedures. Analytical thin-layer chromatography (TLC) was carried out using 0.25 mm commercial silica gel plates. Visualization was accomplished with UV light followed by dipping in a cerium ammonium molybdate or potassium permanganate solutions followed by heating. Purification of reaction products was carried out by flash column chromatography using 40-63 μ m silica gel.

Spectroscopy, Spectrometry, and Data Collection

Infrared spectra were recorded on a Perkin-Elmer 1600 spectrometer. High-resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were obtained on a Karatos MS9 and are reported as m/z (relative intensity). Specific optical rotations were recorded on an Atago AP-300 automatic polarimeter at the sodium line (589 nm) in CHCl₃. Solution concentrations are given in the units of 10^{-2} g mL⁻¹. Accurate masses are reported for the molecular ion (M-H, M, M+H, M-H₂O or M+Na). ¹H nuclear magnetic resonance spectra were recorded on a Varian INOVA (500 MHz) spectrometer. Chemical shifts are reported as parts per million (ppm) relative to residual CHCl₃ $\delta_{\rm H}$ (7.26 ppm).¹³C nuclear magnetic resonance spectra were recorded on a Varian INOVA (125 MHz) spectrometer for CDCl₃ solutions, and chemical shifts are reported as parts per million (ppm) relative to residual CDCl₃ $\delta_{\rm C}$ (77.0 ppm). Melting points were taken on a Stuart SMP3 melting point apparatus.

Detailed Procedure for Preparation of Preformed Iridium Catalyst (S)-Ir-VII



(S)-Ir-VII, Ar = 3,5-Me₂-Ph

To a sealed tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was added Cs_2CO_3 (652 mg, 2.0 mmol, 200 mol%), 3,4-dinitrobenzoic acid (424.2 mg, 2.0 mmol, 200 mol%), (*S*)-DM-SEGPHOS (723 mg, 1.0 mmol, 100 mol%) and [Ir(COD)Cl]₂ (335 mg, 0.5 mmol, 50 mol%). The reaction vessel was purged with argon and THF (10 mL, 0.1 M) was added followed by allyl acetate (0.27 mL, 2.5 mmol, 250 mol%). The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for 30 min, and for another 120 min at 80 °C. After cooling to ambient temperature the mixture was filtered through a celite plug with the aid of DCM (100 mL). The combined filtrate was concentrated *in vacuo* and subjected to flash column chromatography (SiO₂, DCM:THF = 20:1). The resulting gum-like residue was dissolved in THF (5.0 mL). Addition of HPLC grade hexanes (40 mL) led to formation of a precipitate, which was collected by filtration, washed with a small amount of HPLC grade hexanes, and dried *in vacuo* to furnish the title complex as a yellow powder in 83% yield (968 mg) as a mixture of stereoisomers.

Spectral data is reported for the major isomer.

³¹**P** NMR (202 MHz, CDCl₃): δ = -6.84 (d, *J*=16.6 Hz), -18.36 (d, *J*=21.0 Hz). **HRMS** (ESI) Calculated for C₅₆H₅₁IrN₂O₁₀P₂ [M+H]⁺ = 1167.2725, Found 1167.2718. [α]³⁴ : 122.0 (*c* = 1.0, CHCl₃) MP: 119-123 °C (decomposition)



tert-Butyl (2-methylenebut-3-en-1-yl) carbonate (3a)¹



Isoprene monoxide

A resealable pressure tube was charged with lithium bis(trimethylsilyl)amide (LHMDS) (10.2 g, 61.0 mmol, 120 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and Et₂O (100 mL, 0.5 M) was added. Isoprene monoxide (4.28g, 50.9 mmol, 100 mol%) was added dropwise at room temperature and the reaction was allowed to stir at 50 °C overnight. After cooling to room temperature di-*tert*-butyl dicarbonate (11.1g, 50.9 mmol, 100 mol%) was added dropwise and the reaction was stirred at room temperature for 4 hours. Water (50 mL) was added and the reaction mixture was transferred to a separatory funnel. The aqueous layer was extracted with Et₂O (3 x 50 mL) and the combined organic layers were washed with brine (50 mL), dried (Na₂SO₄) and filtered. Evaporation under reduced pressure provided an oily residue which was subjected to flash column chromatography (SiO₂; hexanes : ethyl acetate = 99:1) to furnish the title compound 3a (5.85 g, 31.8 mmol) in 62 % yield as a colorless oil.

<u>TLC (SiO₂</u>): Rf = 0.5 (hexanes : ethyl acetate = 98:2).

¹<u>H NMR</u>: (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ = 6.38 (dd, *J*=17.8, 11.1 Hz, 1H), 5.26 (m, 3H), 5.14 (d, *J*=11.1 Hz, 1H), 4.75 (s, 2H), 1.49 (s, 9H) ppm.

¹³C NMR: (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ = 153.6, 140.5, 136.1, 118.2, 114.8, 82.4, 66.0, 27.9 ppm. <u>HRMS:</u> (ESI) Calculated for C₁₀H₁₆O₃ [M]⁺ =184.1099, Found 184.1097. <u>FTIR:</u> (neat): 2982, 1739, 1599, 1369, 1276, 1251, 1158, 862 cm⁻¹.



General Procedure and Spectral Data for Iridium Catalyzed Isoprenylation Reactions.



From alcohol oxidation level: A resealable pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with K_3PO_4 (42.5 mg, 0.20 mmol, 100 mol%), alcohol (0.20 mmol, 100 mol%) and iridium catalyst (*S*)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). Under an atmosphere of argon, DME (0.4 mL, 0.5 M), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were sequentially added via syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was allowed to stir at 70 °C for 24 h. After cooling to room temperature the mixture was concentrated *in vacuo* and the residue was subjected to flash column chromatography (SiO₂) under the conditions noted to afford the desired product **4a-4q**.

For aldehyde oxidation level: A resealable pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with K_3PO_4 (42.5 mg, 0.20 mmol, 100 mol%), aldehyde (0.20 mmol, 100 mol%), and iridium catalyst (*S*)-Ir-VII (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). Under an atmosphere of argon, DME (0.4 mL, 0.5 M), isopropanol (36 mg, 0.60 mmol, 300 mol%) and isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were sequentially added via syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was allowed to stir at 70 °C for 24 h. After cooling to room temperature the mixture was concentrated *in vacuo* and the residue was subjected to flash column chromatography (SiO₂) under the conditions noted to afford the desired product **4a-4q**.

(S)-1-(4-bromophenyl)-3-methylenepent-4-en-1-ol (4a)



From alcohol oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with 4-bromobenzyl alcohol (**1a**, 37.4 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K_3PO_4 (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (*S*)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon and DME (0.40 mL, 0.5 M), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 24 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 20:1) to furnish the title compound **4a** as a colorless oil in 80% yield with 95% ee (40.5 mg, 0.16 mmol).

From aldehyde oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with 4-bromobenzaldehyde (**2a**, 37 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K_3PO_4 (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (*S*)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.40 mL, 0.5 M), isopropanol (36 mg, 0.60 mmol, 300 mol%), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 24 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 20:1) to furnish the title compound **4a** as a colorless oil in 84% yield with 96% ee (42.5 mg, 0.168 mmol).

<u>**TLC** (SiO₂)</u> $R_f = 0.43$ (hexanes/ethyl acetate = 4:1).

¹<u>H NMR</u> (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.46 (d, *J*=8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.27 – 7.22 (m, 2H), 6.40 (dd, *J*=17.6, 10.8 Hz, 1H), 5.30 (d, *J*=17.6 Hz, 1H), 5.19 – 5.13 (m, 2H), 5.07 (s, 1H), 4.84 – 4.76 (m, 1H), 2.66 (dd, *J*=14.1, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 2.51 (dd, *J*=14.1, 9.2 Hz, 1H), 2.06 (d, *J*=2.0 Hz, 1H) ppm. ¹³<u>C NMR</u> (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 143.1, 142.5, 138.3, 131.7, 127.7, 121.4, 119.4, 114.6, 71.7,

42.4 ppm.

HRMS (ESI) Calculated for $C_{12}H_{13}BrO[M]^+ = 252.0150$, Found 252.0148.

<u>FTIR</u> (neat) 3393, 3086, 2926, 1593, 1487, 1103, 1009, 824 cm⁻¹.

 $[\alpha]_{D}^{34}$: -149.8 (*c* = 1.05, CHCl₃)





(S)-1-(2-fluorophenyl)-3-methylenepent-4-en-1-ol (4b)



From alcohol oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with 2-fluorobenzyl alcohol (**1b**, 25.2 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K_3PO_4 (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (*S*)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.40 mL, 0.5 M), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 24 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 20:1) to furnish the title compound **4b** as a colorless oil in 83% yield with 96% ee (31.9 mg, 0.166 mmol).

From aldehyde oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with 2-fluorobenzaldehyde (**2b**, 24.8 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K₃PO₄ (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (**S**)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.40 mL, 0.5 M), isopropanol (36 mg, 0.60 mmol, 300 mol%), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 24 h. Volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 20:1) to furnish the title compound **4b** as a colorless oil in 75% yield with 96% ee (28.8 mg, 0.15 mmol).

<u>**TLC** (SiO₂)</u> $R_f = 0.5$ (hexanes/ethyl acetate = 5:1).

¹<u>H NMR</u> (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.47 (td, J = 7.5, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 7.20–7.15 (m, 1H), 7.12–7.07 (m, 1H), 6.96 (ddd, J = 13.6, 6.8, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 6.35 (dd, J = 17.7, 10.9 Hz, 1H), 5.35 (d, J = 17.7 Hz, 1H), 5.15–5.05 (m, 4H), 2.76 (dd, J = 14.0, 3.4 Hz, 1H), 2.40 (dd, J = 14.0, 9.6 Hz, 1H), 2.04 (d, J = 2.5 Hz, 1H) ppm.

¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 159.7 (d, J = 245.1 Hz), 142.6, 137.9, 131.0 (d, J = 13.1 Hz), 128.8 (d, J = 8.3 Hz), 127.0 (d, J = 4.5 Hz), 124.3 (d, J = 3.4 Hz), 119.2, 115.2 (d, J = 21.7 Hz), 114.7, 66.2, 66.1, 41.2.

¹⁹**F NMR** (471 MHz, CDCl₃): δ (-119.35) – (-119.45) (m, 1F).

HRMS (ESI) Calculated for $C_{12}H_{13}OF[M]^+ = 192.0950$, Found 192.0946.

<u>FTIR</u> (neat) 3392, 2923, 1593, 1455, 1221, 1056, 1031, 992, 941, 817, 754 cm⁻¹.

 $[\alpha]_{D}^{34}$: -49.5 (*c* = 1.0, CHCl₃)











(S)-1-(3, 5-dichlorophenyl)-3-methylenepent-4-en-1-ol (4c)



From alcohol oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with 3, 5-dichlorobenzyl alcohol (**1c**, 35.1 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K_3PO_4 (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (*S*)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.40 mL, 0.5 M), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 24 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 20:1) to furnish the title compound **4c** as a colorless solid in 81% yield with 94% ee (39.2 mg, 0.162 mmol).

From aldehyde oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with 3, 5-dichlorobenzaldehyde (**2c**, 34.6 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K₃PO₄ (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (*S*)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (1.0 mL, 0.2 M), isopropanol (36 mg, 0.60 mmol, 300 mol%), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 24 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 20:1) to furnish the title compound **4c** as a colorless solid in 64% yield with 95% ee (30.97 mg, 0.127 mmol).

<u>**TLC** (SiO₂)</u> $R_f = 0.45$ (hexanes/ethyl acetate = 5:1).

¹<u>H NMR</u> (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.26 (dq, *J* = 3.2, 1.6, 3H), 6.41 (dd, *J* = 17.6, 10.9, 1H), 5.35– 5.25 (m, 1H), 5.25–5.12 (m, 2H), 5.09 (s, 1H), 4.77 (dd, *J* = 9.4, 3.8, 1H), 2.71–2.41 (m, 2H), 2.10 (s, 1H) ppm.

¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 147.4, 141.9, 137.9, 134.9, 127.6, 124.4, 119.6, 114.7, 71.0, 42.3 ppm.

<u>HRMS</u> (ESI) Calculated for $C_{12}H_{12}Cl_2O[M]^+ = 242.0265$, Found 242.0264.

<u>FTIR</u> (neat) 3328, 2931, 1592, 1568, 1428, 1230, 1044, 923, 882, 749, 682 cm⁻¹.

 $[\alpha]_{D}^{34}$: -38.5 (*c* = 0.5, CHCl₃)

HPLC: (Two connected chiralcel OD-H columns, hexanes:*i*-PrOH = 99:1, 0.50 mL/min, 230 nm).

<u>MP:</u> 87.5–88.5 °C.





(S)-1-(benzo[d][1,3]dioxol-5-yl)-3-methylenepent-4-en-1-ol (4d)



From alcohol oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with piperonyl alcohol (**1d**, 30.4 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K_3PO_4 (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (*S*)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.40 mL, 0.5 M), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 24 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 20:1) to furnish the title compound **4d** as a colorless oil in 77% yield with 96% ee (33.6 mg, 0.154 mmol).

From aldehyde oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with piperonal (**2d**, 30.0 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K_3PO_4 (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (*S*)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.40 mL, 0.5 M), isopropanol (36 mg, 0.60 mmol, 300 mol%), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 24 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 20:1) to furnish the title compound **4d** as a colorless oil in 77% yield with 96% ee (33.5 mg, 0.154 mmol).

<u>TLC (SiO₂)</u> $R_f = 0.43$ (hexanes/ethyl acetate = 4:1).

¹<u>H NMR</u> (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 6.91 (s, 1H), 6.82 (dd, J = 8.0, 1.1 Hz, 2H), 6.78 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 6.41 (dd, J = 17.6, 10.8 Hz, 1H), 5.95 (s, 2H), 5.31 (d, J = 17.6 Hz, 1H), 5.14 (m, 3H), 4.77 (dd, J = 8.8, 3.3 Hz, 1H), 2.66 (dd, J = 14.1, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 2.55 (dd, J = 14.1, 9.1 Hz, 1H), 2.02 (s, 1H) ppm.

¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 147.9, 147.1, 142.8, 138.4, 138.3, 119.3, 119.1, 114.5, 108.2, 106.5, 101.1, 72.2, 42.4 ppm.

HRMS (ESI) Calculated for $C_{13}H_{14}O_3 [M+H]^+ = 218.0943$, Found 218.0938.

FTIR (neat) 3409, 3005, 1502, 1486, 1275, 1259, 1037, 764 cm⁻¹.

 $[\alpha]_{D}^{34}$: -42.8 (*c* = 0.76, CHCl₃)





(S)-1-(6-methoxypyridin-2-yl)-3-methylenepent-4-en-1-ol (4e)



From alcohol oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with (6-methoxypyridin-2-yl)methanol (**1e**, 27.8 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K_3PO_4 (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (*S*)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.40 mL, 0.5 M), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 24 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 10:1) to furnish the title compound **4e** as a yellow oil in 66% yield with 96% ee (27.1 mg, 0.132 mmol).

From aldehyde oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with 6-methoxypicolinaldehyde (**2e**, 27.4 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K₃PO₄ (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (**S**)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.4 mL, 0.5 M), isopropanol (36 mg, 0.60 mmol, 300 mol%), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 24 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 10:1) to furnish the title compound **4e** as a yellow oil in 71% yield with 96% ee (29.1 mg, 0.142 mmol).

<u>**TLC** (SiO₂)</u> $R_f = 0.6$ (hexanes/ethyl acetate = 2:1).

¹<u>H NMR</u> (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.54 (dt, *J* = 8.2, 6.9 Hz, 1H), 6.86–6.77 (m, 1H), 6.62 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 6.40 (dd, *J* = 17.6, 10.8 Hz, 1H), 5.38–5.23 (m, 1H), 5.16–5.01 (m, 3H), 4.81 (dt, *J* = 8.1, 5.3 Hz, 1H), 3.93 (d, *J* = 2.6 Hz, 3H), 3.52 (d, *J* = 5.9 Hz, 1H), 2.76 (ddd, *J* = 14.1, 4.8, 1.1 Hz, 1H), 2.60–2.47 (m, 1H).

¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 163.4, 159.4, 142.5, 139.1, 138.5, 118.7, 113.9, 112.9, 109.2, 71.4, 53.3, 41.1.

<u>HRMS</u> (ESI) Calculated for $C_{12}H_{15}NO_2 [M+H]^+ = 206.1176$, Found 206.1178.

<u>FTIR</u> (neat) 3425, 2948, 1595, 1578, 1466, 1413, 1264, 1031, 900, 832, 796 cm⁻¹.

 $[\alpha]_{D}^{34}$: -29.5 (*c* = 1.0, CHCl₃)

HPLC: (Chiralcel AD-H column, hexanes:*i*-PrOH = 95:5, 0.50 mL/min, 230 nm).



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(S)-1-(6-chloropyridin-3-yl)-3-methylenepent-4-en-1-ol (4f)



From alcohol oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with (6-chloropyridin-3-yl)methanol (**1f**, 28.6 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K_3PO_4 (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (*S*)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.40 mL, 0.5 M), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 24 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 8:1) to furnish the title compound **4f** as a colorless oil in 65% yield with 94% ee (27.2 mg, 0.13 mmol).

From aldehyde oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with 6-chloronicotinaldehyde (**2f**, 28.2 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K_3PO_4 (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (**S**)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (1.0 mL, 0.2 M), isopropanol (36 mg, 0.60 mmol, 300 mol%), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 24 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 8:1) to furnish the title compound **4f** as a colorless oil in 72% yield with 94% ee (30.1 mg, 0.144 mmol).

<u>**TLC** (SiO₂)</u> $R_f = 0.3$ (hexanes/ethyl acetate = 2:1).

¹<u>H NMR</u> (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.34 (d, J = 2.5 Hz, 1H), 7.69 (ddd, J = 8.2, 2.5, 0.5 Hz, 1H), 7.30 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 6.39 (dd, J = 17.6, 10.9 Hz, 1H), 5.28 (d, J = 17.7 Hz, 1H), 5.22–5.12 (m, 2H), 5.06 (s, 1H), 4.87 (ddd, J = 8.8, 4.4, 2.3 Hz, 1H), 2.66 (ddd, J = 14.0, 4.5, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 2.55 (ddd, J = 14.0, 9.0, 0.7 Hz, 1H), 2.22 (d, J = 2.5 Hz, 1H) ppm.

¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 150.6, 147.6, 141.7, 138.1, 137.9, 136.4, 124.1, 119.7, 114.7, 69.4, 42.2 ppm.

HRMS (ESI) Calculated for $C_{11}H_{12}CINO [M+H]^+ = 210.0680$, Found 210.0686.

<u>FTIR</u> (neat) 3424, 2921, 1587, 1459, 1275, 1260, 1104, 764, 748 cm⁻¹.

 $[\alpha]_{D}^{34}$: -35 (c = 0.5, CHCl₃)

HPLC: (Chiralcel AD-H column, hexanes:*i*-PrOH = 97:3, 0.50 mL/min, 230 nm).





(S)-1-(furan-2-yl)-3-methylenepent-4-en-1-ol (4g)



From alcohol oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with furfuryl alcohol (**1g**, 19.6 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K_3PO_4 (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (*S*)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.40 mL, 0.5 M), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 24 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 20:1) to furnish the title compound **4g** as a colorless oil in 64% yield with 95% ee (21.0 mg, 0.128 mmol).

From aldehyde oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with furfural (**2g**, 19.2 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K₃PO₄ (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (*S*)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.40 mL, 0.5 M), isopropanol (36 mg, 0.60 mmol, 300 mol%), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 24 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 20:1) to furnish the title compound **4g** as a colorless oil in 72% yield with 95% ee (23.6 mg, 0.144 mmol).

<u>**TLC** (SiO₂)</u> $R_f = 0.38$ (hexanes/ethyl acetate = 4:1).

¹<u>H NMR</u> (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.39 (d, J = 0.9 Hz, 1H), 6.40 (dd, J = 17.6, 10.8 Hz, 1H), 6.33 (dd, J = 3.1, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 6.27 (d, J = 3.2 Hz, 1H), 5.29 (d, J = 17.6 Hz, 1H), 5.19 – 5.10 (m, 3H), 4.88 (dt, J = 8.4, 4.1 Hz, 1H), 2.86 (dd, J = 14.2, 4.7 Hz, 1H), 2.71 (dd, J = 14.1, 8.7 Hz, 1H), 2.07 (s, 1H) ppm.

¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 156.0, 142.1, 138.3, 119.2, 114.4, 110.3, 106.3, 66.1, 38.3 ppm. **HRMS** (ESI) Calculated for $C_{10}H_{12}O_2$ [M]⁺ = 164.0837, Found 164.0833.

<u>FTIR</u> (neat) 3361, 3006, 1595, 1276, 1261, 1145, 1010, 750 cm⁻¹.

 $[\alpha]_{D}^{34}$: -265.7 (*c* = 0.5, CHCl₃)



S28



(S)-3-methylene-1-(thiophen-2-yl)pent-4-en-1-ol (4h)



From alcohol oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with 2-thiophenemethanol (1h, 22.8 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K_3PO_4 (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (*S*)-Ir-VII (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.40 mL, 0.5 M), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 24 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 20:1) to furnish the title compound **4h** as a colorless oil in 80% yield with 95% ee (28.8 mg, 0.16 mmol).

From aldehyde oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with thiophene-2-carbaldehyde (**2h**, 22.4 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K₃PO₄ (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (*S*)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.40 mL, 0.5 M), isopropanol (36 mg, 0.60 mmol, 300 mol%), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 24 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 20:1) to furnish the title compound **4h** as a colorless oil in 83% yield with 95% ee (29.9 mg, 0.166 mmol).

<u>TLC (SiO₂)</u> $R_f = 0.35$ (hexanes/ethyl acetate = 4:1).

¹<u>H NMR</u> (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.26 (d, *J*=4.6 Hz, 1H), 6.98 (dt, *J*=4.7, 3.3 Hz, 2H), 6.42 (dd, *J*=17.6, 10.7 Hz, 1H), 5.32 (d, *J*=17.7 Hz, 1H), 5.20 – 5.13 (m, 3H), 5.11 (dd, *J*=8.7, 3.9 Hz, 1H), 2.84 (dd, *J*=14.1, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 2.70 (dd, *J*=14.1, 9.0 Hz, 1H), 2.20 (d, *J*=3.0 Hz, 1H) ppm.
¹³<u>C NMR</u> (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 147.9, 142.3, 138.3, 126.7, 124.7, 123.8, 119.4, 114.5, 68.5, 42.3 ppm.

HRMS (ESI) Calculated for $C_{10}H_{12}OS [M]^+ = 180.0609$, Found 180.0607.

<u>FTIR</u> (neat) 3384, 3086, 1594, 1276, 1031, 991,764, 696 cm⁻¹.

 $[\alpha]_{D}^{34}$: 40 (*c* = 0.4, CHCl₃)

HPLC: (Chiralcel AS-H column, hexanes:*i*-PrOH = 97:3, 1.0 mL/min, 230 nm).



S31



(S, E)-5-methylene-1-phenylhepta-1,6-dien-3-ol (4i)



From alcohol oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with (*E*)-cinnamyl alcohol (**1i**, 26.8 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K_3PO_4 (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (*S*)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.40 mL, 0.5 M), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 24 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 10:1) to furnish the title compound **4i** as a yellow oil in 67% yield with 94% ee (26.8 mg, 0.134 mmol).

From aldehyde oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with (*E*)-cinnamaldehyde (**2i**, 26.4 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K₃PO₄ (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (*S*)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.4 mL, 0.5 M), isopropanol (36 mg, 0.60 mmol, 300 mol%), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 24 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 10:1) to furnish the title compound **4i** as a yellow oil in 70% yield with 96% ee (28.2 mg, 0.14 mmol).

<u>**TLC** (SiO₂)</u> $R_f = 0.3$ (hexanes/ethyl acetate = 5:1).

¹<u>H NMR</u> (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.31 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.28–7.20 (m, 2H), 7.19–7.15 (m, 1H), 6.54 (d, *J* = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 6.35 (dd, *J* = 17.6, 11.0 Hz, 1H), 6.18 (dd, *J* = 15.9, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 5.22 (t, *J* = 18.1 Hz, 1H), 5.16–5.03 (m, 3H), 4.40 (dd, *J* = 12.7, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 2.59–2.36 (m, 2H), 1.79 (s, 1H) ppm.

¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 142.3, 138.4, 136.7, 131.6, 130.2, 128.6, 127.7, 126.5, 119.0, 114.4, 77.3, 77.0, 76.8, 70.7, 40.1ppm.

<u>HRMS</u> (ESI) Calculated for $C_{14}H_{16}O[M]^+ = 200.1201$, Found 200.1202.

<u>FTIR</u> (neat) 3386, 3025, 2927, 1594, 1493, 1448, 1097, 1027, 964, 899, 746, 692 cm⁻¹.

 $[\alpha]_{D}^{31}$: -12.5 (*c* = 0.5, CHCl₃)

HPLC: (Chiralcel AD-H column, hexanes:*i*-PrOH = 99:1, 0.50 mL/min, 230 nm).





(S)-2-methyl-6-methyleneocta-2,7-dien-4-ol (4j)



From alcohol oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with 3-methyl-2-buten-1-ol (**1j**, 17.2 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K₃PO₄ (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (*S*)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.40 mL, 0.5 M), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 24 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 20:1) to furnish the title compound **4j** as a colorless oil in 64% yield with 96% ee (19.5 mg, 0.28 mmol).

From aldehyde oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with 3-methyl-2-butenal (**2j**, 16.8 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K_3PO_4 (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (**S**)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.40 mL, 0.5 M), isopropanol (36 mg, 0.60 mmol, 300 mol%), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 24 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 20:1) to furnish the title compound **4j** as a colorless oil in 71% yield with 96% ee (21.6 mg, 0.142 mmol).

<u>**TLC** (SiO₂)</u> $R_f = 0.6$ (hexanes/ethyl acetate = 4:1).

¹<u>H NMR</u> (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 6.40 (dd, *J*=17.6, 10.8 Hz, 1H), 5.28 (d, *J*=17.6 Hz, 1H), 5.22 – 5.18 (m, 1H), 5.16 – 5.08 (m, 3H), 4.55 – 4.49 (m, 1H), 2.41 (qd, *J*=14.0, 6.5 Hz, 2H), 1.73 (s, 3H), 1.68 (s, 3H) ppm.

¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 142.8, 138.7, 135.5, 127.5, 118.8, 114.2, 66.8, 40.2, 25.9, 18.4 ppm.

<u>HRMS</u> (ESI) Calculated for $C_{10}H_{16}O[M]^+ = 152.1201$, Found 152.1196.

<u>FTIR</u> (neat) 3335, 2988, 1594, 1275, 1019, 990, 897, 764 cm⁻¹.

 $[\alpha]_{D}^{34}$: 14.9 (*c* = 0.5, EtOH)




S38

(S)-1-cyclopropyl-3-methylenepent-4-en-1-ol (4k)



From alcohol oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with cyclopropylmethanol (**1k**, 14.4 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K_3PO_4 (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (*S*)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.40 mL, 0.5 M), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 24 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 20:1) to furnish the title compound **4k** as a colorless oil in 72% yield with 96% ee (19.9 mg, 0.144 mmol).

From aldehyde oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with cyclopropanecarboxaldehyde (**2k**, 14.0 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K₃PO₄ (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (**S**)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.40 mL, 0.5 M), isopropanol (36 mg, 0.60 mmol, 300 mol%), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 24 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 20:1) to furnish the title compound **4k** as a colorless oil in 80% yield with 96% ee (22.1 mg, 0.16 mmol).

<u>**TLC** (SiO₂)</u> $R_f = 0.4$ (hexanes/ethyl acetate = 4:1).

¹<u>H NMR</u> (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 6.39 (dd, *J*=17.6, 10.8 Hz, 1H), 5.24 (d, *J*=17.6 Hz, 1H), 5.11 (m, 3H), 3.06 (td, *J*=8.5, 2.9 Hz, 1H), 2.66 (dd, *J*=14.0, 3.3 Hz, 1H), 2.43 (dd, *J*=14.0, 8.9 Hz, 1H), 1.69 (s, 1H), 0.98 – 0.90 (m, 1H), 0.57 – 0.48 (m, 2H), 0.39 – 0.29 (m, 1H) ppm.

¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 143.1, 138.7, 118.5, 114.2, 74.6, 39.8, 17.8, 3.0, 2.7 ppm.

HRMS (ESI) Calculated for $C_9H_{14}O[M]^+ = 138.1045$, Found 138.1050.

<u>FTIR</u> (neat) 3384, 3081, 1594, 1428, 1260, 1025, 896, 764 cm⁻¹.

 $[\alpha]_{D}^{34}$: -262.5 (*c* = 0.5, CHCl₃)

HPLC: (Two connected chiralcel OD-H columns, hexanes:*i*-PrOH = 99:1, 0.50 mL/min, 230 nm).





S41

(S)-tert-butyl 4-(1-hydroxy-3-methylenepent-4-en-1-yl)piperidine-1-carboxylate (4l)



From alcohol oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with tert-butyl 4-(hydroxymethyl)piperidine-1-carboxylate (**11**, 43.3 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K_3PO_4 (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (*S*)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.40 mL, 0.5 M), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 24 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 10:1) to furnish the title compound **4I** as a colorless oil in 75% yield with 94% ee (42.2 mg, 0.15 mmol).

From aldehyde oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with 1-Boc-piperidine-4-carboxaldehyde (**2l**, 42.6 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K₃PO₄ (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (*S*)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.4 mL, 0.5 M), isopropanol (36 mg, 0.60 mmol, 300 mol%), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 24 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 10:1) to furnish the title compound **4l** as a colorless oil in 78% yield with 95% ee (43.9 mg, 0.156 mmol).

<u>**TLC** (SiO₂)</u> $R_f = 0.4$ (hexanes/ethyl acetate = 2:1).

¹<u>H NMR</u> (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 6.32 (dd, J = 17.6, 10.8 Hz, 1H), 5.17–5.10 (m, 2H), 5.05 (d, J = 10.5 Hz, 2H), 4.23–3.88 (m, 2H), 3.44 (dd, J = 25.8, 18.5 Hz, 1H), 2.62 (s, 2H), 2.54 (dd, J = 13.8, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 2.07 (dd, J = 13.8, 10.1 Hz, 1H), 1.75 (t, J = 26.7 Hz, 1H), 1.62 (d, J = 11.6 Hz, 2H), 1.53–1.44 (m, 1H), 1.39 (s, 9H), 1.30–1.18 (m, 2H) ppm.

¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 154.8, 143.1, 138.2, 118.8, 114.4, 79.3, 72.5, 43.8, 41.9, 36.9, 28.5, 28.1, 27.6 ppm.

<u>HRMS</u> (ESI) Calculated for $C_{16}H_{27}NO_3$ [M+Na]⁺=304.1883, Found 304.1886.

<u>FTIR</u> (neat) 3427, 2929, 1424, 1365, 1294, 1269, 1164, 898, 865 cm⁻¹.

 $[\alpha]_{D}^{34}$: -8.5 (*c* = 1.0, CHCl₃)

HPLC: (Two connected chiralcel OD-H columns, hexanes:*i*-PrOH = 96:4, 0.50 mL/min, 230 nm).





(S)-tert-butyl (3-hydroxy-5-methylenehept-6-en-1-yl)carbamate (4m)



From alcohol oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with N-tert-butoxycarbonyl-3-aminopropanol² (1m, 35.0 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K_3PO_4 (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (S)-Ir-VII (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.40 mL, 0.5 M), isoprenyl tertbutoxy carbonate 3a (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 48 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 7:3) to furnish the title compound **4m** as a colorless oil in 70% yield with 93% ee (33.8 mg, 0.14 mmol). From aldehyde oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with N-tert-butoxycarbonyl-3-aminopropanal² (2m, 34.6 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K₃PO₄ (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (S)-Ir-VII (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.40 mL, 0.5 M), isopropanol (36 mg, 0.60 mmol, 300 mol%), isoprenyl tert-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 48 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes: ethyl acetate = 7:3) to furnish the title compound 4m as a colorless oil in 84% yield with 95% ee (28.0 mg, 0.116 mmol).

<u>TLC (SiO₂)</u> $R_f = 0.3$ (hexanes/ethyl acetate = 7:3).

¹<u>H NMR</u> (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 6.36 (dd, *J*=17.6, 10.7 Hz, 1H), 5.23 (d, *J*=17.6 Hz, 1H), 5.16 – 5.06 (m, 3H), 4.94 (s, 1H), 3.81 (d, *J*=2.9 Hz, 1H), 3.43 (d, *J*=6.7 Hz, 1H), 2.79 (s, 1H), 2.42 (dd, *J*=14.0, 4.6 Hz, 1H), 2.35 (dd, *J*=13.8, 8.3 Hz, 1H), 1.74 – 1.65 (m, 1H), 1.52 (ddd, *J*=13.2, 9.6, 4.7 Hz, 1H), 1.42 (s, 9H) ppm.

¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 156.9, 143.0, 138.6, 118.5, 114.3, 79.5, 67.6, 39. 9, 37.7, 37.3, 28.5 ppm.

<u>HRMS</u> (ESI) Calculated for $C_{13}H_{23}NO_3 [M+Na]^+ = 264.1576$, Found 264.1575.

<u>FTIR</u> (neat) 3351, 2980, 1686, 1510, 1275, 1168, 764, 750 cm⁻¹.

 $[\alpha]_{D}^{34}$: 141.1 (*c* = 0.4, CHCl₃)

HPLC: (Two connected chiralcel AD-H columns, hexanes:*i*-PrOH = 95:5, 0.50 mL/min, 230 nm).





(S)-1-(benzyloxy)-5-methylenehept-6-en-3-ol (4n)



From alcohol oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with tert-butyl 3-Benzyloxy-1-propanol (**1n**, 33.2 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K_3PO_4 (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (*S*)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.40 mL, 0.5 M), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 24 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 10:1) to furnish the title compound **4n** as a colorless oil in 67% yield with 94% ee (31.1 mg, 0.134 mmol).

From aldehyde oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with 3-Benzyloxypropionaldehyde (**2n**, 32.8 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K_3PO_4 (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (*S*)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (1.0 mL, 0.2 M), isopropanol (36 mg, 0.60 mmol, 300 mol%), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 60 °C for 24 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 10:1) to furnish the title compound **4n** as a colorless oil in 62% yield with 94% ee (28.8 mg, 0.124 mmol).

<u>**TLC** (SiO₂)</u> $R_f = 0.5$ (hexanes/ethyl acetate = 2:1).

¹<u>H NMR</u> (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.29–7.20 (m, 5H), 6.31 (dd, J = 17.6, 10.8 Hz, 1H), 5.25–5.14 (m, 1H), 5.03 (dd, J = 19.3, 7.8 Hz, 3H), 4.45 (s, 2H), 3.91 (dd, J = 17.0, 5.0 Hz, 1H), 3.61 (dtd, J = 12.8, 9.4, 5.2 Hz, 2H), 2.70 (s, 1H), 2.38–2.28 (m, 2H), 1.79–1.66 (m, 2H) ppm.

¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 143.1, 138.6, 138.0, 128.5, 127.7, 127.7, 118.3, 114.1, 73.3, 69.2, 68.9, 39.8, 36.3 ppm.

HRMS (ESI) Calculated for $C_{15}H_{20}O_2 [M+H]^+ = 233.1542$, Found 233.1539.

<u>FTIR</u> (neat) 3422, 2919, 1715, 1453, 1363, 1266, 1073, 1026, 753, 741, 698 cm⁻¹.

 $[\alpha]_{D}^{34}$: -7.0 (*c* = 1.0, CHCl₃)

HPLC: (Chiralcel AS-H column, hexanes:*i*-PrOH = 97:3, 0.50 mL/min, 230 nm).





(R)-2-methyl-6-methyleneoct-7-en-4-ol (40)



From alcohol oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with isoamyl alcohol (**10**, 17.6 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K_3PO_4 (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (*S*)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.40 mL, 0.5 M), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 48 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 20:1) to furnish the title compound **4o** as a colorless oil in 70% yield with 96% ee (25.6 mg, 0.14mmol).

From aldehyde oxidation level: A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with isovaleraldehyde (**2o**, 17.2 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K_3PO_4 (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (*S*)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.40 mL, 0.5 M), isopropanol (36 mg, 0.60 mmol, 300 mol%), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 48 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 20:1) to furnish the title compound **4o** as a colorless oil in 68% yield with 96% ee (21.0 mg, 0.136 mmol).

<u>**TLC** (SiO₂)</u> $R_f = 0.35$ (hexanes/ethyl acetate = 9:1).

¹<u>H NMR</u> (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 6.39 (dd, *J*=17.6, 10.8 Hz, 1H), 5.25 (d, *J*=17.6 Hz, 1H), 5.12 (m, 3H), 3.86 – 3.78 (m, 1H), 2.48 (dd, *J*=13.9, 3.0 Hz, 1H), 2.20 (dt, *J*=18.5, 9.2 Hz, 1H), 1.86 – 1.77 (m, 1H), 1.60 (s, 1H), 1.45 (ddd, *J*=14.1, 8.7, 5.6 Hz, 1H), 1.31 – 1.24 (m, 1H), 0.93 (dd, *J*=10.7, 6.6 Hz, 6H) ppm.

¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 143.3, 138.6, 118.6, 114.4, 67.7, 46.6, 40.7, 24.9, 23.6, 22.6 ppm.

<u>HRMS</u> (ESI) Calculated for $C_{10}H_{18}O[M-H]^+ = 153.1279$, Found 153.1270.

<u>FTIR</u> (neat) 3386, 2955, 2927, 2869, 1594, 1276, 1068, 898 cm⁻¹.

 $[\alpha]_{p}^{34}$: 11.2 (c = 0.3, EtOH)

HPLC: (Two connected chiralcel OD-H columns, hexanes:*i*-PrOH = 99:1, 0.50 mL/min, 230 nm)







(2R, 4S)-6-methyleneoct-7-ene-2,4-diol (cis-4p)



A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with (R)-(-)-1, 3-Butanediol (1p, 18.1 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K₃PO₄ (18.1 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (*S*)-Ir-VII (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.40 mL, 0.5 M), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (55.1 mg, 0.3 mmol, 150 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 48 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 5:1) to furnish the title compound *cis*-**4p** as a colorless oil in 64% yield as a single diastereomer (19.98 mg, 0.128 mmol, d.r. = 6:1 from crude NMR after washing out **3a**).

<u>**TLC** (SiO₂)</u> $R_f = 0.4$ (hexanes/ethyl acetate = 1:1).

¹<u>H NMR</u> (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 6.32 (dd, J = 17.6, 10.8 Hz, 1H), 5.19 (d, J = 17.6 Hz, 1H), 5.06 (dd, J = 25.8, 14.9 Hz, 3H), 4.05–3.84 (m, 2H), 3.09 (s, 1H), 2.54 (d, J = 39.2 Hz, 1H), 2.43–2.31 (m, 1H), 2.27 (dd, J = 13.9, 8.3 Hz, 1H), 1.58 (dt, J = 14.4, 2.3 Hz, 1H), 1.51–1.41 (m, 1H), 1.14 (d, J = 6.2 Hz, 3H) ppm.

¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 142.5, 138.3, 118.8, 114.4, 70.9, 68.8, 44.6, 40.5, 23.9 ppm. HRMS (ESI) Calculated for. C₉H₁₆O₂ [M+Na]⁺=179.1043, Found 179.1040.

<u>FTIR</u> (neat) 3347, 2967, 2932, 1740, 1594, 1422, 1372, 1278, 1160, 1077, 897, 826 cm⁻¹. $[\alpha]_D^{34} : -12 \ (c = 0.5, CHCl_3)$



(2R, 4R)-6-methyleneoct-7-ene-2,4-diol (trans-4p)



A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with (R)-(-)-1, 3-Butanediol (**1p**, 18.1 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K₃PO₄ (18.1 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (*R*)-**Ir**-**VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.40 mL, 0.5 M), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (55.1 mg, 0.3 mmol, 150 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 48 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 5:1) to furnish the title compound *trans*-**4p** as a colorless oil in 58% yield as a single diastereomer (18.1 mg, 0.116 mmol, d.r. = 20:1 from crude NMR after washing out **3a**).

<u>**TLC** (SiO₂)</u> $R_f = 0.35$ (hexanes/ethyl acetate = 1:1).

¹<u>H NMR</u> (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 6.32 (dd, J = 17.6, 10.8 Hz, 1H), 5.21 (t, J = 13.7 Hz, 1H), 5.06 (dd, J = 23.5, 12.6 Hz, 3H), 4.17–3.94 (m, 2H), 2.60–2.19 (m, 4H), 1.63–1.51 (m, 2H), 1.17 (t, J = 4.8 Hz, 3H) ppm.

¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 142.9, 138.3, 118.6, 114.4, 67.2, 65.3, 43.9, 39.8, 23.5 ppm. HRMS (ESI) Calculated for. C₉H₁₆O₂ [M+Na]⁺=179.1043, Found 179.1042.

<u>FTIR</u> (neat) 3339, 2966, 2929, 1739, 1594, 1421, 1373, 1254, 1128, 1083, 897, 836 cm⁻¹. $[\alpha]_D^{34}: -208 \ (c = 0.5, CHCl_3)$





(2R,3S)-1-(benzyloxy)-2-methyl-5-methylenehept-6-en-3-ol (trans-4q)



A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with (S)-3-(benzyloxy)-2methylpropan-1-ol³ (**1q**, 36.0 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K₃PO₄ (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (*S*)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.40 mL, 0.5 M), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 48 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 20:1) to furnish the title compound *trans*-**4q** as a colorless oil in 80% yield (39.4 mg, 0.16 mmol) with 4.4:1 dr as inseparable diastereomers. **TLC** (**SiO**₂) R_f = 0.5 (hexanes/ethyl acetate = 4:1).

¹<u>H NMR</u> (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.37 – 7.28 (m, 5H), 6.42 – 6.36 (m, 1H), 5.25 (d, *J*=17.6 Hz, 1H), 5.16 – 5.07 (m, 3H), 4.56 – 4.49 (m, 2H), 3.97 (tt, *J*=7.6, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 3.57 – 3.51 (m, 2H), 2.43 (dd, *J*=10.4, 6.5 Hz, 1H), 2.33 (dd, *J*=14.0, 8.8 Hz, 1H), 1.98 – 1.87 (m, 1H), 1.01 (d, *J*=7.0 Hz, 3H) ppm.

¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 143.6, 138.7, 138.3, 128.6, 127.8, 127.8, 127.7, 118.2, 114.14, 74.7, 73.5, 71.7, 37.9, 36.8, 11.0 ppm.

HRMS (ESI) Calculated for $C_{16}H_{22}O_2 [M]^+ = 246.1620$, Found 246.1616.

<u>FTIR</u> (neat) 3467, 2857, 1594, 1275, 1260, 1092, 903, 763 cm⁻¹.

HPLC: (Chiralcel OD-H column, hexanes:*i*-PrOH = 96:4, 0.50 mL/min, 230 nm).



(2R,3R)-1-(benzyloxy)-2-methyl-5-methylenehept-6-en-3-ol (cis-4q)



A pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with (S)-3-(benzyloxy)-2methylpropan-1-ol (**1q**, 36.0 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%), K₃PO₄ (42.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) and (*R*)-**Ir-VII** (11.5 mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mol%). The reaction vessel was placed under an atmosphere of argon, and DME (0.40 mL, 0.5 M), isopropanol (36 mg, 0.60 mmol, 300 mol%), isoprenyl *tert*-butoxy carbonate **3a** (73.5 mg, 0.40 mmol, 200 mol%) were added by syringe. The reaction vessel was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 48 h. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 20:1) to furnish the title compound cis-**4q** as a colorless oil in 73% yield with 4.3:1 dr as inseparable diastereomers (36.0 mg, 0.146 mmol).

<u>**TLC** (SiO₂)</u> $R_f = 0.5$ (hexanes/ethyl acetate = 4:1).

¹<u>H NMR</u> (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.37 – 7.28 (m, 5H), 6.43 – 6.36 (m, 1H), 5.23 (d, *J*=17.6 Hz, 1H), 5.16 – 5.07 (m, 3H), 4.52 (s, 2H), 3.75 (ddt, *J*=9.6, 6.4, 3.2 Hz, 1H), 3.60 (dd, *J*=9.3, 5.0 Hz, 1H), 3.57 – 3.51 (m, 1H), 2.81 (d, *J*=3.3 Hz, 1H), 2.58 (dd, *J*=14.0, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 2.22 (dt, *J*=18.9, 9.4 Hz, 1H), 1.94 (dt, *J*=11.7, 6.6 Hz, 1H), 1.01 (t, *J*=6.2 Hz, 3H) ppm.

¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ = 143.4, 138.7, 138.1, 128.6, 127.8, 127.7, 118.5, 114.1, 74.0, 73.5, 72.9, 38.7, 37.3, 14.1 ppm.

HRMS (ESI) Calculated for $C_{16}H_{22}O_2 [M]^+ = 246.1620$, Found 246.1616.

<u>FTIR</u> (neat) 3467, 2857, 1594, 1275, 1260, 1092, 903, 763 cm⁻¹.

HPLC: (Chiralcel OD-H column, hexanes:*i*-PrOH = 96:4, 0.50 mL/min, 230 nm).



Determination of Diastereomeric Ratio and Stereochemistry Confirmation Racemic Sample (stereoisomeric mixture (1:1:1:1 dr))







Authentic Sample Derived from an Isoprenylation of the Enantioenriched (R)-Alcohol (1q') with Rac-Ir-BINAP.







Cis-4q (4.3:1 dr) : isoprenylation of the Enantioenriched (S)-Alcohol (1q) with R-Ir-VII.





(S,E) - 1 - (4-bromophenyl) - 3-methylene - 5 - (4,4,5,5-tetramethyl - 1,3,2-dioxaborolan - 2-yl) pent - 4-en - 1-ol~(5a)

An oven-dried tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with Grubbs-II catalyst (6.4 mg, 0.0075 mmol, 5 mol%) and Benzene (1 mL). Bubbled Argon through the solution for 10min and then 2-Vinyl-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (46.2 mg, 0.300 mmol, 200 mol%) was added. Let the reaction stir at rt for 5 mins and then a solution of **4a** (38mg, 0.15 mmol, 100 mol%) was added by syringe. Then the reaction was allowed to heated up to 60 °C for 2 hours. The reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 9:1) to furnish the title compound **5a** as a brown oil in 60% yield (34 mg, 0.09 mmol, E:Z>20:1).

<u>**TLC** (SiO₂)</u> $R_f = 0.3$ (hexanes/ethyl acetate = 4:1).

¹<u>H NMR</u> (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.39 (d, *J*=8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.19 (d, *J*=8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.00 (d, *J*=18.5 Hz, 1H), 5.62 (d, *J*=18.5 Hz, 1H), 5.28 (s, 1H), 5.16 (s, 1H), 4.71 (dd, *J*=9.2, 4.1 Hz, 1H), 2.63 (dt, *J*=10.1, 5.1 Hz, 1H), 2.44 (dd, *J*=13.9, 9.3 Hz, 1H), 1.23 (s, 12H) ppm.

¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 150.6, 143.0, 131.6, 127.7, 123.1, 121.4, 83.6, 71.5, 42.3, 25.0, 24.9 ppm.

HRMS (ESI) Calculated for $C_{18}H_{24}BBrO_3 [M-H_2O]^+ = 362.0876$, Found 362.0877.

<u>FTIR</u> (neat) 3450, 3008, 1487, 1275, 1260, 904, 749, 667 cm⁻¹.

 $[\alpha]_{D}^{34}$: -33.0 (*c* = 0.9, CHCl₃)





(S)-((1-(4-bromophenyl)-3-methylenepent-4-en-1-yl)oxy)(tert-butyl)dimethylsilane (TBS-4a)



An oven-dried tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with **4a** (202.5mg, 0.800 mmol, 100 mol%) and Imidazole (163.4mg, 2.40 mmol, 300 mol%). DCM (4 mL) was added followed by TBSCl (181mg, 1.20 mmol, 150 mol%). The reaction mixture was allowed to stir at room temperature for 12h. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 99:1) to furnish the title compound **TBS-4a** as a colorless oil in 90% yield (264.5 mg, 0.72 mmol).

<u>**TLC** (SiO₂)</u> $R_f = 0.5$ (hexanes/ethyl acetate = 98:2).

¹<u>H NMR</u> (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.42 (d, *J*=8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.18 (d, *J*=8.3 Hz, 2H), 6.35 (dd, *J*=17.6, 10.8 Hz, 1H), 5.24 (d, *J*=17.6 Hz, 1H), 5.16 – 5.02 (m, 2H), 4.90 (s, 1H), 4.71 (dt, *J*=36.3, 18.1 Hz, 1H), 2.55 (dd, *J*=13.6, 7.9 Hz, 1H), 2.45 (dd, *J*=13.6, 4.9 Hz, 1H), 0.84 (s, 9H), -0.03 (s, 3H), -0.19 (s, 3H) ppm.

¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 144.8, 142.4, 138.9, 131.2, 127.7, 120.8, 119.7, 113.6, 73.3, 43.9, 25.9, 18.3, -4.6, -4.8 ppm.

<u>HRMS</u> (ESI) Calculated for $C_{18}H_{27}BrOSi [M]^+ = 366.1015$, Found 366.1005.

<u>FTIR</u> (neat) 3006, 2360, 1471, 1275, 1260, 1081, 764, 750 cm⁻¹.

 $[\alpha]_{D}^{34}$: -48.0 (*c* = 1.0, CHCl₃)



(S)-((1-(4-bromophenyl)-3-methylene-5-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)pentyl)oxy)(tert-butyl)dimethylsilane (6a)



An oven-dried tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with $[Ir(cod)Cl]_2$ (6.7mg, 0.01 mmol, 5 mmol%), dppe (8.0mg, 0.02 mmol, 10 mmol%), Pinacol Borane (51.2mg, 0.400 mmol, 200 mol%) and THF (0.4 mL). Let the mixture stir at room temperature for 10 mins and then **4a** (50.6mg, 0.200 mmol, 100 mol%) in THF (0.2 mL) was added dropwise. The reaction mixture was allowed to stir at room temperature for 12h. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was subjected to column chromatography (SiO₂: hexanes:ethyl acetate = 98:2) to furnish the title compound **6a** as a colorless oil in 69% yield (68.5 mg, 0.138 mmol).

<u>TLC (SiO₂)</u> $R_f = 0.5$ (hexanes/ethyl acetate = 9:1).

<u>¹H NMR</u> (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.40 (d, *J*=7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.17 (d, *J*=7.8 Hz, 2H), 4.77 (s, 1H), 4.70 – 4.67 (m, 1H), 4.63 (s, 1H), 2.38 (dd, *J*=13.4, 7.7 Hz, 1H), 2.25 (dd, *J*=13.5, 4.7 Hz, 1H), 2.11 (t, *J*=7.7 Hz, 2H), 1.23 (s, 12H), 0.84 (s, 9H), -0.01 (s, 3H), -0.19 (s, 3H) ppm.

¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 147.6, 144.8, 131.1, 127.9, 120.6, 120.5, 111.6, 83.2, 74.0, 48.2, 30.5, 26.0, 24.9, 18.3, -4.6, -4.9 ppm.

<u>HRMS</u> (ESI) Calculated for $C_{18}H_{27}BrOSi [M]^+ = 366.1015$, Found 366.1005.

<u>FTIR</u> (neat) 2928, 2857, 1371, 1319, 1143, 1070, 835,753 cm⁻¹.

 $[\alpha]_{D}^{34}$: -48.0 (*c* = 1.0, CHCl₃)

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Single Crystal Diffraction Data for 4c

X-ray Experimental for $4c C_{12}H_{12}Cl_2O$: Crystals grew as clusters of colorless laths by slow evaporation from Hexane. The data crystal was cut from a larger crystal and had approximate dimensions; 0.49 x 0.17 x 0.12 mm. The data were collected at -173 °C on a Nonius Kappa CCD diffractometer using a Bruker AXS Apex II detector and a graphite monochromator with MoK α radiation ($\lambda = 0.71073$ Å). Reduced temperatures were maintained by use of an Oxford Cryosystems 700 low-temperature device. A total of 1858 frames of data were collected using ω -scans with a scan range of 0.6° and a counting time of 24 seconds per frame. Details of crystal data, data collection and structure refinement are listed in Table 1. Data reduction were performed using SAINT V8.27B.⁴ The structure was solved by direct methods using SHELXT⁵ and refined by full-matrix least-squares on F^2 with anisotropic displacement parameters for the non-H atoms using SHELXL-2016/6.6 Structure analysis was aided by use of the programs PLATON⁷ and WinGX.⁸ The hydrogen atoms bound to carbon atoms were calculated in idealized positions. The hydrogen atoms on O1 was observed in a ΔF map and refined with an isotropic displacement parameter. The absolute configuration was determined using the method of Flack⁹ and confirmed using the Hooft y-parameter method, which resulted in a Hooft yparameter of 0.00(2).¹⁰

The function, $\Sigma w(|F_0|^2 - |F_c|^2)^2$, was minimized, where $w = 1/[((F_0))^2 + (0.0347*P)^2 + (0.077*P)]$ and $P = (|F_0|^2 + 2|F_c|^2)/3$. $R_w(F^2)$ refined to 0.0660, with R(F) equal to 0.0278 and a goodness of fit, S, = 1.08. Definitions used for calculating R(F), $R_w(F^2)$ and the goodness of fit, S, are given below.¹¹ The data were checked for secondary extinction but no correction was necessary. Neutral atom scattering factors and values used to calculate the linear absorption coefficient are from the International Tables for X-ray Crystallography (1992).¹² All figures were generated using SHELXTL/PC.¹³ Tables of positional and thermal parameters, bond lengths and angles, torsion angles and figures are found elsewhere.

Empirical formula	C12 H12 Cl2 O	
Formula weight	243.12	
Temperature	100(2) K	
Wavelength	0.71073 Å	
Crystal system	monoclinic	
Space group	P 21	
Unit cell dimensions	a = 10.442(2) Å	α= 90°.
	b = 4.8336(11) Å	$\beta = 112.794(5)^{\circ}.$
	c = 12.394(3) Å	$\gamma = 90^{\circ}.$
Volume	576.7(2) Å ³	
Z	2	
Density (calculated)	1.400 Mg/m ³	
Absorption coefficient	0.532 mm ⁻¹	
F(000)	252	
Crystal size	0.490 x 0.170 x 0.120 mm ³	
Theta range for data collection	3.253 to 30.603°.	
Index ranges	-14<=h<=14, -6<=k<=6, -17<=l<=17	
Reflections collected	14723	
Independent reflections	3482 [R(int) = 0.0365]	
Completeness to theta = 25.242°	99.7 %	
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents	
Max. and min. transmission	1.00 and 0.887	
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²	
Data / restraints / parameters	3482 / 1 / 141	
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.081	
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0278, $wR2 = 0.0648$	
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0305, wR2 = 0.0660	
Absolute structure parameter	0.00(6)	
Extinction coefficient	n/a	
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.352 and -0.182 e.Å ⁻³	

 Table 1.
 Crystal data and structure refinement for 4c.
	Х	У	Z	U(eq)
C1	5396(2)	1802(4)	8131(2)	12(1)
C2	4390(2)	2944(4)	7132(2)	13(1)
C3	4812(2)	4965(4)	6549(2)	13(1)
C4	6180(2)	5831(4)	6926(2)	12(1)
C5	7179(2)	4638(4)	7929(1)	10(1)
C6	6781(2)	2620(4)	8543(2)	11(1)
C7	8685(2)	5504(4)	8287(1)	10(1)
C8	9418(2)	3632(4)	7699(2)	12(1)
C9	10809(2)	4740(4)	7793(2)	13(1)
C10	10843(2)	6939(4)	6986(2)	19(1)
C11	9770(3)	7925(5)	6093(2)	26(1)
C12	11989(2)	3782(4)	8598(2)	19(1)
01	9414(1)	5534(3)	9529(1)	12(1)
Cl1	4893(1)	-705(1)	8894(1)	16(1)
Cl2	3577(1)	6501(1)	5312(1)	20(1)

Table 2. Atomic coordinates $(x \ 10^4)$ and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters $(\mathring{A}^2x \ 10^3)$ for 4c. U(eq) is defined as one third of the trace of the orthogonalized U^{ij} tensor.

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		C7-C8	1.539(2)
C1-C2	1.391(3)	С7-Н7	1.00
C1-C6	1.391(3)	C8-C9	1.510(2)
C1-Cl1	1.7392(18)	C8-H8A	0.99
C2-C3	1.385(3)	C8-H8B	0.99
С2-Н2	0.95	C9-C12	1.333(3)
C3-C4	1.384(3)	C9-C10	1.468(3)
C3-Cl2	1.7412(18)	C10-C11	1.322(3)
C4-C5	1.401(2)	C10-H10	0.95
C4-H4	0.95	C11-H11A	0.95
C5-C6	1.395(2)	C11-H11B	0.95
C5-C7	1.518(2)	C12-H12A	0.95
С6-Н6	0.95	C12-H12B	0.95
C7-O1	1.430(2)	01-H10	0.73(4)
C2-C1-C6	122.22(17)	01-C7-C8	111.15(14)
C2-C1-Cl1	118.54(14)	C5-C7-C8	110.42(14)
C6-C1-Cl1	119.23(14)	O1-C7-H7	107.6
C3-C2-C1	117.47(17)	С5-С7-Н7	107.6
С3-С2-Н2	121.3	С8-С7-Н7	107.6
С1-С2-Н2	121.3	C9-C8-C7	113.28(14)
C4-C3-C2	122.16(16)	C9-C8-H8A	108.9
C4-C3-Cl2	118.94(13)	С7-С8-Н8А	108.9
C2-C3-Cl2	118.89(14)	C9-C8-H8B	108.9
C3-C4-C5	119.44(16)	C7-C8-H8B	108.9
C3-C4-H4	120.3	H8A-C8-H8B	107.7
С5-С4-Н4	120.3	C12-C9-C10	120.14(18)
C6-C5-C4	119.68(17)	C12-C9-C8	121.12(17)
C6-C5-C7	121.81(15)	C10-C9-C8	118.73(16)
C4-C5-C7	118.45(15)	C11-C10-C9	126.5(2)
C1-C6-C5	119.02(16)	C11-C10-H10	116.7
C1-C6-H6	120.5	С9-С10-Н10	116.7
С5-С6-Н6	120.5	C10-C11-H11A	120.0
01-C7-C5	112.12(14)	C10-C11-H11B	120.0

Table 3. Bond lengths [Å] and angles $[\circ]$ for **4c**.

H11A-C11-H11B	120.0
C9-C12-H12A	120.0
C9-C12-H12B	120.0
H12A-C12-H12B	120.0
С7-01-Н1О	108(2)

	U ¹¹	U ²²	U ³³	U ²³	U ¹³	U ¹²
C1	14(1)	10(1)	14(1)	-2(1)	8(1)	-2(1)
C2	10(1)	16(1)	14(1)	-3(1)	4(1)	-3(1)
C3	11(1)	14(1)	10(1)	-1(1)	2(1)	1(1)
C4	14(1)	12(1)	11(1)	0(1)	5(1)	0(1)
C5	10(1)	9(1)	10(1)	-3(1)	4(1)	-2(1)
C6	10(1)	10(1)	14(1)	-1(1)	5(1)	0(1)
C7	10(1)	9(1)	10(1)	-1(1)	2(1)	-2(1)
C8	12(1)	12(1)	14(1)	-4(1)	5(1)	-2(1)
C9	14(1)	14(1)	14(1)	-2(1)	8(1)	-2(1)
C10	22(1)	17(1)	23(1)	-2(1)	16(1)	-3(1)
C11	35(1)	24(1)	26(1)	7(1)	20(1)	7(1)
C12	14(1)	26(1)	20(1)	-1(1)	8(1)	-1(1)
01	13(1)	12(1)	10(1)	-2(1)	2(1)	-1(1)
Cl1	16(1)	13(1)	19(1)	1(1)	9(1)	-4(1)
Cl2	14(1)	26(1)	15(1)	4(1)	-1(1)	1(1)

Table 4. Anisotropic displacement parameters (Å²x 10³) for 4c. The anisotropicdisplacement factor exponent takes the form: $-2\pi^2$ [h² a^{*2}U¹¹ + ... + 2 h k a^{*} b^{*} U¹²]

	Х	У	Z	U(eq)
H2	3449	2359	6859	16
H4	6439	7222	6508	14
H6	7446	1816	9231	14
H7	8692	7432	7996	12
H8A	9553	1777	8065	15
H8B	8811	3417	6861	15
H10	11724	7731	7121	23
H11A	8867	7201	5922	31
H11B	9903	9357	5621	31
H12A	12855	4521	8652	23
H12B	11964	2359	9119	23
H1O	9720(30)	4160(80)	9710(20)	34(9)

Table 5. Hydrogen coordinates ($x \ 10^4$) and isotropic displacement parameters (Å²x 10³) for **4c**.

Table 6.	Torsion	angles	[°]	for	4 c.
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C6-C1-C2-C3	-0.2(3)
Cl1-C1-C2-C3	179.06(14)
C1-C2-C3-C4	0.5(3)
C1-C2-C3-Cl2	-178.62(14)
C2-C3-C4-C5	0.0(3)
Cl2-C3-C4-C5	179.09(14)
C3-C4-C5-C6	-0.7(3)
C3-C4-C5-C7	176.61(16)
C2-C1-C6-C5	-0.5(3)
Cl1-C1-C6-C5	-179.79(13)
C4-C5-C6-C1	1.0(3)
C7-C5-C6-C1	-176.25(16)
C6-C5-C7-O1	-36.7(2)
C4-C5-C7-O1	146.07(16)
C6-C5-C7-C8	87.9(2)
C4-C5-C7-C8	-89.40(19)
01-C7-C8-C9	-67.75(19)
C5-C7-C8-C9	167.16(14)
C7-C8-C9-C12	99.6(2)
C7-C8-C9-C10	-79.6(2)
C12-C9-C10-C11	174.3(2)
C8-C9-C10-C11	-6.6(3)

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Table 7.	Hydrogen bonds for 4c	[Å and °].

D-HA	d(D-H)	d(HA)	d(DA)	<(DHA)
O1-H1OO1#1	0.73(4)	2.03(4)	2.7555(14)	170(3)

Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

#1 -x+2,y-1/2,-z+2

Figure 1. View of **4c** showing the atom labeling scheme. Displacement ellipsoids are scaled to the 50% probability level.



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