Supporting Information

An Enantioselective Assembly of Naphthopyran via NHC-Catalyzed

[3+3] Annulation of Bromoenal with β-Tetralone

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General methods

Common reagents and materials were purchased from commercial sources and purified by recrystallization or distillation. Melting points were determined in open capillaries and were uncorrected. IR spectra were taken on a FT-IR-Tensor 27 spectrometer in KBr pellets and reported in cm⁻¹. ¹H NMR spectra were measured on a Bruker DPX 400 MHz spectrometer in CDCl₃ with chemical shift (δ) given in ppm relative to TMS as internal standard. High resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were obtained on a micrOTOF-Q II HRMS/MS instrument (Bruker) with the technique of electrospray ionization. Optical rotation values were measured with instruments operating at $\lambda = 589$ nm, corresponding to the sodium D line at the temperatures indicated.

Experimental section



An oven-dried 10 mL Schlenk tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with triazolium salt **A** (16.8 mg, 0.04 mmol), K_2CO_3 (33.1 mg, 0.24 mmol) or DABCO (26.9 mg, 0.24 mmol), bromoenal **1** (0.30 mmol) and β -tetralone **2** (0.2 mmol) or β -Indanone **4** (0.2 mmol). Freshly distilled THF (3 mL) or toluene (3 mL) was added into the mixture with a syringe. Then tube was closed with a septum, evacuated, and refilled with nitrogen. The mixture was stirred at 25 °C until completion (monitored by TLC). After removal of the solvent under reduced pressure, the resulted crude residue was

purified by column chromatography (silicagel, mixtures of petroleum ether/ethyl acetate, 9:1-19:1, v/v) to afford the desired product **3** or **5**.

Copies of ¹H and ¹³C NMR spectra of products















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HPLC analysis: 92% ee, [Daicel Chiralpak IC, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, v = 0.8 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t (major) = 16.6 min, t (minor) = 18.4 min].





HPLC analysis: 89% ee, [Daicel Chiralpak IC, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, v = 0.8 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t (major) = 14.7 min, t (minor) = 15.9 min].



				Time	[min]				
Integration Results									
No.	Peak Name		Retention Time	Area	Height	Relative Area	Relative Height	Amount	
			min	mAU*min	mAU	%	%	n.a.	
1			28.947	2646.214	3303.743	91.98	90.51	n.a.	
2			30.927	230.841	346.337	8.02	9.49	n.a.	
Total:				2877.055	3650.080	100.00	100.00		

HPLC analysis: 84% ee, [Daicel Chiralpak IC, n-hexane/2-propanol = 98/2, v = 0.6 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t (major) = 28.9 min, t (minor) = 30.9 min].





HPLC analysis: 88% ee, [Daicel Chiralpak OZ-H, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, v = 0.8 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t (major) = 14.2 min, t (minor) = 28.0 min].





HPLC analysis: 82% ee, [Daicel Chiralpak IC, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, v = 0.8 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, t (major) = 18.4 min, t (minor) = 19.7 min].





HPLC analysis: 90% ee, [Daicel Chiralpak AD-H, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, v = 0.8 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t (major) = 7.9 min, t (minor) = 9.4 min].





HPLC analysis: 84% ee, [Daicel Chiralpak OZ-H, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, v = 0.8 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t (major) = 10.8 min, t (minor) = 12.8 min].





HPLC analysis: 81% ee, [Daicel Chiralpak IC, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90/0, v = 0.8 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t (major) = 16.4 min, t (minor) = 18.5 min].





HPLC analysis: 84% ee, [Daicel Chiralpak IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, v = 0.8 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t (major) = 9.4 min, t (minor) = 8.5 min].





HPLC analysis: 95% ee, [Daicel Chiralpak IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, v = 0.8 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t (major) = 10.5 min, t (minor) = 12.8 min].





HPLC analysis: 91% ee, [Daicel Chiralpak IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, v = 0.8 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t (major) = 8.1 min, t (minor) = 9.8 min].





HPLC analysis: 96% ee, [Daicel Chiralpak IC, n-hexane/2-propanol = 95/5, v = 0.6 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t (major) = 26.0 min, t (minor) = 28.1 min].





HPLC analysis: 86% ee, [Daicel Chiralpak IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, v = 0.8 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t (major) = 10.8 min, t (minor) = 11.7 min].





HPLC analysis: 88% ee, [Daicel Chiralpak IC, n-hexane/2-propanol = 95/5, v = 0.7 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t (major) = 20.5 min, t (minor) = 23.3 min].





HPLC analysis: 97% ee, [Daicel Chiralpak IC, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, v = 0.8 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t (major) = 22.9 min, t (minor) = 30.5 min].





HPLC analysis: 94% ee, [Daicel Chiralpak IC, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, v = 0.8 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t (major) = 13.6 min, t (minor) = 11.2 min].





HPLC analysis: 25% ee, [Daicel Chiralpak IC, n-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, v = 0.8 mL/min, $\lambda = 254$ nm, t (major) = 16.5 min, t (minor) = 18.3 min].