## **Supporting Information**

# Palladium-Catalyzed Regiocontrollable Hydroarylation Reaction of Allenamides with B<sub>2</sub>pin<sub>2</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O

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#### **1. General Information**

Organic solvents (Aldrich) were used without further purification. Purifications of reactions products were carried out by flash chromatography using Merck silica gel (40-63  $\mu$ m). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz), <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz) were measured on a Brucker Avance 400 MHz spectrometer. Chemical shifts are reported in parts per million (ppm,  $\delta$ ) downfield from residual solvents peaks and coupling constants are reported as Hertz (Hz). Splitting patterns are designated as singlet (s), doublet (d), triplet (t), .... Splitting patterns that could not be interpreted or easily visualized are designated as multiplet (m). Electrospray mass spectra were obtained using an ESI/TOF Mariner Mass Spectrometer. Unless otherwise noted, all other commercially available reagents and solvents were used without further purification.

#### 2. Preparation of Starting Material.

#### **General Procedure I:**



**Preparation of SI-2:** To a solution of Aniline **SI-1** (9.3 g, 100 mmol, 1.0 equiv) in DCM (70 mL) at room temperature was added TsCl (19.1 g, 100 mmol, 1.0 equiv). Then a solution of triethylamine (11.2 g, 110 mmol, 1.1 equiv) in 30 mL DCM was added dropwise by constant pressure funnel under vigorous stirring. The mixture was stirred at room temperature overnight and then washed three times with water. The organic layer was dried over  $Na_2SO_4$  and concentrated to afford the crude material **SI-2** (22.8 g, 92 mmol, 92 yield) as a white solid, which was used without further purification.

**Preparation of SI-4:** The **SI-2** (1.98 g, 8 mmol, 1.0 equiv) was dissolved in 35 mL acetone, and **SI-3** (0.9 mL, 10.4 mmol, 1.3 equiv),  $K_2CO_3$  (2.21 g, 16 mmol, 2.0 equiv), KI (0.66 g, 4 mmol, 0.5 equiv) was added successively. The mixture was stirred for 3h and refluxed at 60 °C. Then the reaction system was quenched with water, the organic layer was exacted three times with EtOAc. Drying over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> and concentration in vacuo afforded the crude material, which was then purified by silica gel column chromatography to give **SI-4** (2.12 g, 7.43 mmol, 93% yield) as a white solid.

**Preparation of 1a:** The solution of potassium tert-butylate (1.01 g, 9 mmol, 1.5 equiv) was stirred in dry THF (25 mL) at -5 °C under a nitrogen atmosphere. The 4-methyl-N-phenyl-N-(prop-2-yn-1-yl)benzenesulfonamide (1.71 g, 6 mmol, 1.0 equiv) was dissolved in 5 mL THF and added into the solution. Then the reaction mixture was stirred for 0.5 h. The aqueous layer was extracted three times with EtOAc. The organic phase was combined, dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, evaporated and purified by flash chromatography to give **1a** (1.49 g, 5.22 mmol, 87% yield) as a yellow solid.

The following compounds were prepared according to general procedure I.



#### **General Procedure II:**



**Preparation of SI-6:** To a solution of **SI-5** (1.23 g, 7.2 mmol, 3.0 equiv) in MeCN (7 mL) was added  $K_2CO_3$  (0.67 g, 4.8 mmol, 2.0 equiv), KI (0.08 g, 2 mmol, 0.2 equiv). The solution was warmed slowly to reflux. Then propargyl bromides (0.2 mL, 2.4 mmol, 1.0 equiv) were added dropwise. The solution was kept reflux overnight. Then the mixture was cooled to room temperature and neutralized with 1N HCl/H<sub>2</sub>O solution. The aqueous layer was extracted three times with EtOAc. The combined organic layers was dried with Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, and concentrated *in vacuo*. Purification by column chromatography afforded 4-methyl-N-(prop-2-yn-1-yl) benzenesulfonamide **SI-6** (361.6 mg, 1.73 mmol, 72%) as a white solid.

**Preparation of SI-8:** The **SI-6** (1.5 g, 7.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv) was dissolved in 40 mL acetone, and **SI-7** (1.41 mL, 14.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv),  $K_2CO_3$  (2.0 g, 14.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv), KI (0.12 g, 0.72 mmol, 0.1 equiv) was added successively. The mixture was stirred and refluxed at 60 °C overnight and then washed three times with water. The organic layer was exacted three times with EtOAc. Drying over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> and concentration in vacuo afforded the crude material, which was then purified by silica gel column chromatography to give **SI-8** (1.65 g, 2.47 mmol, 87% yield) as a white solid.

**Preparation of 1d:** The solution of potassium tert-butylate (0.96 g, 8.55 mmol, 1.5 equiv) was stirred in dry THF (25 mL) at -5 °C under a nitrogen atmosphere. The 4-methyl-N-(2-methylallyl)-N-(prop-2-yn-1-yl)benzenesulfonamide (1.50 g, 5.7 mol, 1.0 equiv) was dissolved in 5 mL THF and added into the solution. Then the reaction mixture was stirred for 0.5 h. The aqueous layer was extracted three times with EtOAc. The organic phase was combined, dried

over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, evaporated and purified by flash chromatography to give **1d** (1.26 g, 4.79 mmol, 84% yield) as a white solid.

**Preparation of SI-10:** The **SI-6** (1.67 g, 8 mmol, 1.0 equiv) was dissolved in 40 mL acetone, and 3-bromoprop-1-ene **SI-9** (0.83 mL, 9.6 mmol, 1.2 equiv),  $K_2CO_3$  (2.21 g, 16 mmol, 2.0 equiv), KI (0.13 g, 0.8 mmol, 0.1 equiv) was added successively. The mixture was stirred and refluxed at 60 °C overnight and then washed three times with water. The organic layer was exacted three times with EtOAc. Drying over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> and concentration in vacuo afforded the crude material, which was then purified by silica gel column chromatography to give **SI-10** (1.72 g, 6.90 mmol, 86% yield) as a white solid.

**Preparation of 1c:** The solution of potassium tert-butylate (1.01 g, 9 mmol, 1.5 equiv) was stirred in dry THF (25 mL) at -5 °C under a nitrogen atmosphere. N-allyl-4-methyl-N-(prop-2-yn-1-yl) benzenesulfonamide (1.50 g, 6 mmol, 1.0 equiv) was dissolved in 5 mL THF and added into the solution. The mixture was stirred at -5 °C for 0.5 h. The aqueous layer was extracted three times with EtOAc. The organic phase was combined, dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, evaporated and purified by flash chromatography to afford **1c** (1.30 g, 5.21 mmol, 87% yield) as a white solid.

Substrate 1i was prepared according to general procedure II.

#### 3. Typical Procedure and Analytical Data for Reaction.



#### **Typical Procedure:**

Allenamide **1a** (57.1 mg, 0.20 mmol), (Bpin)<sub>2</sub> (101.6 mg, 0.40 mmol), 4-Iodoanisole **2a** (56.2 mg, 0.24 mmol), Pd(PPh<sub>3</sub>)<sub>4</sub> (23.1 mg, 0.02 mmol) and Cs<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> (130.3 mg, 0.40 mmol) were added to a reaction tube. Then the dry THF (2 mL) and H<sub>2</sub>O (7.2 mg, 0.40 mmol) were added under nitrogen atmosphere. The resulting mixture was stirred at 60 °C for 12 h. After cooling the reaction mixture at room temperature, it was quenched by H<sub>2</sub>O and extracted with EtOAc three times. The combined organic phase was dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> and then concentrated in vacuo. The mixture was purified by silica gel column chromatography (PE:EA, 30:1) to give the product **3aa** (66.1 mg, 0.17 mmol, 84% yield).

**Analytical Data:** 



Isolated Amount: 66.1 mg Yield: 84%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.40 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.26 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.17 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 3H), 7.11 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 6.78 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 6.71 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 6.33 (s, 0.18H), 5.10 (s, 1H), 4.83 (s, 1H), 4.50 (s, 2H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 2.35 (s, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 159.4, 143.5, 141.7, 138.4, 135.1, 130.6, 129.4, 129.1, 128.5, 127.8, 127.7, 127.3, 115.5, 113.6, 55.3, 54.4, 21.6.

MS (EI) m/z 393 (M+); HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>23</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>S +H 394.1477, Found 394.1478.

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 4-methyl-N-phenyl-N-(2-phenylallyl)benzenesulfonamide

 C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>21</sub>NO<sub>2</sub>S
 MW: 363.47 g⋅mol<sup>-1</sup>

 Brown Solid

 Isolated Amount: 44.3 mg
 Yield: 61%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.47 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.37-7.30 (m, 5H), 7.25-7.19 (m, 5H), 6.80 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 6.51 (s, 0.04H), 5.27 (s, 1H), 5.04 (s, 1H), 4.61 (s, 2H), 2.43 (s, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 143.5, 142.5, 138.4, 138.2, 135.1, 129.5, 129.4, 129.2, 129.0, 128.7, 128.5, 128.3, 127.9, 126.6, 54.3, 21.7.

**MS (EI)** m/z 363 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>21</sub>NO<sub>2</sub>S +H 364.1371, Found 364.1373.

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 4-methyl-N-phenyl-N-(2-(p-tolyl)allyl)benzenesulfonamide

 C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>23</sub>NO<sub>2</sub>S
 MW: 377.50 g⋅mol<sup>-1</sup>

 Yellow Solid

 Isolated Amount: 47.6 mg
 Yield: 63%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.47 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.27 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.24 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.20-7.17 (m, 3H), 7.12 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 6.81 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 6.46 (s, 0.02H), 5.23 (s, 1H), 4.97 (s, 1H), 4.59 (s, 2H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 2.35 (s, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 143.5, 142.2, 138.5, 137.7, 135.3, 135.1, 129.5, 129.4, 129.2, 129.0, 128.7, 127.9, 126.5, 116.3, 54.4, 21.5, 21.3.

**MS (EI)** m/z 377 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>23</sub>NO<sub>2</sub>S+H 378.1527, Found 378.1525.

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N-(2-(4-(tert-butyl)phenyl)allyl)-4-methyl-Nphenylbenzenesulfonamide

> C<sub>26</sub>H<sub>29</sub>NO<sub>2</sub>S MW: 419.58 g·mol<sup>-1</sup> White Solid Isolated Amount: 59.6 mg Yield: 71%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.40 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.27 -7.23 (m, 4H), 7.17 -7.11 (m, 5H), 6.75 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 5.17 (s, 1H), 4.91 (s, 1H), 4.52 (s, 2H), 2.35 (s, 3H), 1.25 (s, 9H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 150.9, 143.5, 142.1, 138.6, 135.3, 135.1, 129.5, 129.3, 129.2, 129.0, 128.7, 127.9, 126.2, 125.2, 116.3, 54.4, 34.6, 31.4, 31.3, 21.5.

**MS (EI)** m/z 419 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>26</sub>H<sub>29</sub>NO<sub>2</sub>S+H 420.1997, Found 420.1994.

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4-methyl-N-phenyl-N-(2-(m-tolyl)allyl)benzenesulfonamide

 $C_{23}H_{23}NO_2S$ MW: 377.50 g·mol<sup>-1</sup>Yellow SolidIsolated Amount: 42.2 mgYield: 56%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.47 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.25-7.09 (m, 8H), 7.10 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 6.83 (d, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 2H), 6.49 (s, 0.02H), 5.26 (s, 1H), 5.04 (s, 1H), 4.60 (s, 2H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 2.33 (s, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 143.5, 142.6, 138.6, 138.3, 137.7, 135.2, 129.5, 129.4, 129.2, 129.0, 128.7, 128.5, 127.8, 127.3, 127.2, 116.7, 54.4, 21.7, 21.5.

MS (EI) m/z 377 (M+); HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>23</sub>NO<sub>2</sub>S+H 378.1527, Found 378.1526.



N-(2-(4-(hydroxymethyl)phenyl)allyl)-4-methyl-Nphenylbenzenesulfonamide

 $C_{23}H_{23}NO_3S$ MW: 393.50 g·mol<sup>-1</sup>White SolidIsolated Amount: 55.9 mgYield: 71%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.40 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.31 -7.23 (m, 4H), 7.19 -7.11 (m, 5H), 6.72 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 6.43 (s, 0.03H), 5.19 (s, 1H), 4.95 (s, 1H), 4.63 (s, 2H), 4.53 (s, 2H), 2.36 (s, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 143.5, 142.1, 140.6, 138.4, 137.5, 135.0, 129.4, 129.0, 128.6, 127.8, 127.8, 126.9, 126.8, 117.1, 65.1, 21.6.

**MS (EI)** m/z 393 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>23</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>S+H 394.1477, Found 394.1478.

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4-(3-(4-methyl-N-phenylphenylsulfonamido)prop-1-en-2yl)benzyl benzoate

> C<sub>30</sub>H<sub>27</sub>NO<sub>4</sub>S **MW:** 497.60 g·mol<sup>-1</sup> White Solid

Isolated Amount: 67.6 mg Yield: 68%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 8.02 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.50 -7.47 (m, 1H), 7.38 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 4H), 7.33 (s, 4H), 7.17 -7.11 (m, 5H), 6.72 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 6.45 (s, 0.01H), 5.29 (s, 2H), 5.19 (s, 1H), 4.95 (s, 1H), 4.63 (s, 2H), 4.53 (s, 2H), 2.33 (s, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 165.4, 142.5, 140.9, 137.3, 137.1, 134.6, 133.9, 132.0, 129.0, 128.7, 128.4, 128.0, 127.6, 127.4, 127.0, 126.8, 125.7, 116.4, 65.3, 53.3, 20.5.

**MS (EI)** m/z 497 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>30</sub>H<sub>27</sub>NO<sub>4</sub>S+H 498.1739, Found 498.1741.

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ethyl 4-(3-(4-methyl-N-phenylphenylsulfonamido)prop-1-en-2yl)benzoate

 $C_{25}H_{25}NO_4S$  **MW:** 435.54 g·mol<sup>-1</sup>

Yellow Solid

Isolated Amount: 55.8 mg Yield: 64%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.92 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.40 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.35 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.17 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.14-7.09 (m, 3H), 6.69 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 5.27 (s, 1H), 5.04 (s, 1H), 4.56 (s, 2H), 4.31 (q, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 2.35 (s, 3H), 1.33 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 166.4, 143.6, 142.5, 141.9, 138.2, 134.9, 129.8, 129.6, 129.5, 129.4, 129.1, 128.9, 128.8, 128.6, 127.9, 127.8, 126.6, 126.5, 118.8, 61.0, 54.2, 21.7, 14.3.

MS (EI) m/z 435 (M+); HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>25</sub>H<sub>25</sub>NO<sub>4</sub>S+H 436.1582, Found 436.1585.

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N-(2-(3-fluorophenyl)allyl)-4-methyl-Nphenylbenzenesulfonamide

> C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>20</sub>FNO<sub>2</sub>S MW:  $381.46 \text{ g} \cdot \text{mol}^{-1}$ White Solid Isolated Amount: 41.2 mg Yield: 54%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.40 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.22-7.11 (m, 7H), 6.95-6.88 (m, 2H), 6.73 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 5.21 (s, 1H), 5.00 (s, 1H), 4.51 (s, 2H), 2.35 (s, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 164.0, 161.5, 143.6, 141.6, 141.5, 140.5, 140.4, 138.4, 135.0, 129.8, 129.5, 129.4, 129.1, 128.9, 128.8, 128.6, 127.9, 118.1, 115.0, 114.7, 113.7, 113.5, 54.2, 25.1.

<sup>19</sup>F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): -113.4.

**MS (EI)** m/z 381 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>20</sub>FNO<sub>2</sub>S+H 382.1277, Found 382.1276.

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N-(2-(4-fluorophenyl)allyl)-4-methyl-Nphenylbenzenesulfonamide

C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>20</sub>FNO<sub>2</sub>S **MW:** 381.46 g·mol<sup>-1</sup>

Brown Solid

Isolated Amount: 46.5 mg Yield: 61%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.39 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.29-7.26 (m, 2H), 7.18 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.14-7.10 (m, 3H), 6.95-6.91 (m, 2H), 6.70 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 6.30 (s, 0.02H), 5.13 (s, 1H), 4.91 (s, 1H), 4.51 (s, 2H), 2.36 (s, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 162.7, 160.2, 142.5, 140.4, 137.1, 133.8, 133.0, 128.4, 128.3, 128.0, 127.8, 127.6, 127.4, 127.3, 127.2, 127.1, 126.7, 116.0, 114.2, 114.0, 113.8, 53.3, 20.4.

<sup>19</sup>F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): -114.3.

**MS (EI)** m/z 381 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>20</sub>FNO<sub>2</sub>S+H 382.1277, Found 382.1275.

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<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.47 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.30-7.20 (m, 9H), 6.81 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 5.28 (s, 1H), 5.09 (s, 1H), 4.58 (s, 2H), 2.43 (s, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 143.6, 141.4, 140.1, 138.3, 134.9, 134.1, 129.9, 129.6, 129.5, 129.0, 128.7, 127.9, 127.8, 126.7, 124.8, 118.2, 54.2, 21.6.

**MS (EI)** m/z 397 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>20</sub>ClNO<sub>2</sub>S+H 398.0981, Found 398.0980.

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N-(2-(4-chlorophenyl)allyl)-4-methyl-Nphenylbenzenesulfonamide

 $C_{22}H_{20}CINO_2S$  **MW**: 397.92 g·mol<sup>-1</sup>

Yellow Solid

Isolated Amount: 51.0 mg Yield: 64%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.39 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.23-7.22 (m, 3H), 7.18 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H), 7.13-7.10 (m, 3H), 6.70 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 5.17 (s, 1H), 4.94 (s, 1H), 4.51 (s, 2H), 2.36 (s, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 143.6, 141.5, 138.2, 136.5, 134.9, 133.8, 129.5, 129.4, 129.1, 128.9, 128.7, 128.5, 127.9, 117.6, 54.3, 21.5.

**MS (EI)** m/z 397 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>20</sub>ClNO<sub>2</sub>S+H 398.0981, Found 398.0979.

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N-(2-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)allyl)-4-methyl-Nphenylbenzenesulfonamide  $C_{22}H_{19} Cl_2NO_2S$  MW: 432.36 g·mol<sup>-1</sup> Brown Oil.

Isolated Amount: 31.1 mg Yield: 36%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.39 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.32 (s, 1H), 7.22-7.13 (m, 7H), 6.72 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 5.20 (s, 1H), 4.99 (s, 1H), 4.48 (s, 2H), 2.36 (s, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 142.6, 139.4, 137.1, 137.0, 133.7, 131.3, 130.8, 129.2, 128.5, 128.3, 127.9, 127.7, 126.8, 124.9, 124.8, 117.5, 53.0, 20.4.

**MS (EI)** m/z 432 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for  $C_{22}H_{19}Cl_2NO_2S+H$  432.0592, Found 432.0594.



(E)-N-(4-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-methylenebut-3-en-1-yl)-4methyl-N-phenylbenzenesulfonamide

C<sub>25</sub>H<sub>25</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>S MW: 419.54 g·mol<sup>-1</sup> Yellow Oil. Isolated Amount: 38.6 mg Yield: 46%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.46 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.31 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.21 -7.17 (m, 6H), 6.93 -6.91 (m, 2H), 6.80 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 6.45 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 6.34 (s, 0.23H), 4.98 (s, 1H), 4.83 (s, 1H), 4.35 (s, 2H), 3.75 (s, 3H), 2.37 (s, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 159.4, 143.5, 139.9, 138.7, 135.0, 129.9, 129.8, 129.5, 129.4, 129.1, 128.9, 128.7, 127.9, 125.8, 125.6, 119.5, 114.2, 55.5, 52.8, 21.7.

MS (EI) m/z 419 (M+); HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>25</sub>H<sub>25</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>S+H 420.1633, Found 420.1632..



(E)-N-(4-(4-chlorophenyl)-2-methylenebut-3-en-1-yl)-4-methyl-N-phenylbenzenesulfonamide

C<sub>24</sub>H<sub>22</sub>ClNO<sub>2</sub>S **MW:** 423.95 g·mol<sup>-1</sup> White Solid **Isolated Amount:** 35.6 mg **Yield:** 42%

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 7.45 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.30 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.23
-7.17 (m, 8H), 6.90 (s, 2H), 6.53 (d, J = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 6.43 (s, 0.03H), 5.04 (s, 1H), 4.89 (s, 1H), 4.35 (s, 2H), 2.37 (s, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 143.6, 139.6, 138.5, 135.7, 134.9, 133.3, 129.6, 129.5, 129.2, 129.0, 128.8, 128.7, 128.3, 128.1, 127.9, 121.0, 52.7, 21.7.

**MS (EI)** m/z 423 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>24</sub>H<sub>22</sub>ClNO<sub>2</sub>S+H 424.1138, Found 424.1140.

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N-(2-(4-methoxyphenyl)allyl)-4-methyl-N-(p-<br/>tolyl)benzenesulfonamide $C_{24}H_{25}NO_3S$ MW: 407.53 g·mol<sup>-1</sup>

Yellow Oil

Isolated Amount: 58.7 mg Yield: 72%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.41 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.27 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.17 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 6.90 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 6.78 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.59 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 6.31 (q, *J* = 1.6 Hz, 0.14H), 5.10 (s, 1H), 4.83 (s, 1H), 4.47 (s, 2H), 3.75 (s, 3H), 2.35 (s, 3H), 2.21 (s, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 159.4, 143.4, 141.7, 137.7, 135.7, 130.7, 129.5, 129.4, 129.2, 128.8, 127.9, 127.8, 115.4, 113.6, 115.4, 113.6, 55.3, 54.5, 21.6, 21.1.

**MS (EI)** m/z 407 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>24</sub>H<sub>25</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>S+H 408.1633, Found 420.1632.

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N-allyl-N-(2-(4-methoxyphenyl)allyl)-4-methylbenzenesulfonamide

C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>23</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>S **MW:** 357.47 g·mol<sup>-1</sup>

Yellow Solid

Isolated Amount: 48.0 mg Yield: 67%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.58 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.28 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.19 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 6.77 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 5.46 -5.40 (m, 1H), 5.30 (s, 1H), 5.04 (s, 1H), 5.00 (s, 1H), 4.97 (s, 1H), 4.12 (s, 2H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.65 (d, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 2H), 2.35 (s, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 159.5, 143.2, 141.8, 137.1, 132.3, 130.9, 129.6, 127.7, 127.4, 119.2, 118.8, 113.7, 55.3, 50.5, 49.3, 21.5.

**MS (EI)** m/z 357 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>23</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>S+H 358.4743, Found 358.4746.

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N-(2-(4-methoxyphenyl)allyl)-4-methyl-N-(2-<br/>methylallyl)benzenesulfonamide $C_{21}H_{25}NO_3S$ MW: 371.49 g·mol<sup>-1</sup>

Yellow Solid

Isolated Amount: 46.8 mg Yield: 63%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.64 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.28 -7.24 (m, 4H), 6.80 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 5.28 (s, 1H), 5.05 (s, 1H), 4.81 (s, 1H), 4.74 (s, 1H), 4.19 (s, 2H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 3.67 (s, 2H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 1.52 (s, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 159.5, 143.1, 142.1, 140.3, 137.1, 131.3, 129.5, 127.7, 127.3, 114.8, 114.3, 113.6, 55.3, 53.3, 51.4, 21.5, 20.2.

**MS (EI)** m/z 371 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>25</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>S+H 372.1633, Found 372.1637.



N-(2-(4-methoxyphenyl)allyl)-4-methyl-Npropylbenzenesulfonamide

 $C_{20}H_{25}NO_3S$ 

**MW:** 359.48 g·mol<sup>-1</sup>

Yellow Oil

Isolated Amount: 41.0 mg Yield: 57%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.60 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.33 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.23 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.19 (d, *J* = 4.8 Hz, 1H), 6.81 -6.77 (m, 2H), 5.32 (s, 1H), 5.06 (s, 1H), 4.09 (s, 2H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 2.99 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 2.91 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 2.35 (s, 3H), 1.45 (q, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 1.32 (q, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 0.86 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 0.64 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 159.5, 143.1, 142.4, 136.7, 130.7, 129.6, 127.6, 127.3, 122.0, 113.7, 55.3, 52.3, 49.5, 21.5, 21.3, 11.2.

**MS (EI)** m/z 359 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>25</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>S+H 360.1633, Found 372.1635.

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N-isopropyl-N-(2-(4-methoxyphenyl)allyl)-4methylbenzenesulfonamide C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>25</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>S MW: 359.48 g·mol<sup>-1</sup>

Yellow Oil

Isolated Amount: 46.7 mg Yield: 65%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.61 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.33 (d, *J* = 12.0 Hz, 2H), 7.22 (d, *J* = 5.6 Hz, 2H), 6.81 (d, *J* = 12.4 Hz, 2H), 5.30 (s, 1H), 5.24 (s, 1H), 4.13 (s, 2H), 4.02 - 3.95 (m, 1H), 3.75 (s, 3H), 2.35 (s, 3H), 0.91 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 6H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 159.3, 144.6, 143.0, 137.8, 131.6, 129.6, 127.7, 127.2, 116.2, 113.7, 55.3, 50.0, 47.0, 21.5, 20.6.

**MS (EI)** m/z 359 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>25</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>S+H 360.1633, Found 372.1634.



N-(2,2-diethoxyethyl)-N-(2-(4-methoxyphenyl)allyl)-4methylbenzenesulfonamide  $C_{23}H_{31}NO_5S$  MW: 433.56 g·mol<sup>-1</sup>

Yellow Oil

Isolated Amount: 54.6 mg Yield: 63%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.57 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.20 (dd, *J* = 8.8 Hz, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 2H), 7.17 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 6.73 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 5.25 (s, 1H), 4.98 (s, 1H), 4.52 (t, *J* = 5.2 Hz, 1H), 4.30 (s, 2H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.55 (q, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 3.32 (q, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 3.15 (d, *J* = 5.6 Hz, 2H), 2.34 (s, 3H), 1.05 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 6H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 159.4, 143.1, 141.9, 137.3, 131.3, 129.5, 127.6, 127.3, 115.0, 113.7, 102.3.

**MS (EI)** m/z 433 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>31</sub>NO<sub>5</sub>S+H 434.2001, Found 434.1998.

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N-(2-(4-methoxyphenyl)allyl)-N-phenylmethanesulfonamide

 $C_{17}H_{19}NO_3S$  **MW:** 317.40 g·mol<sup>-1</sup> Yellow Oil

Isolated Amount: 30.0 mg Yield: 47%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.34 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.32 -7.28 (m, 3H), 7.12 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 6.87 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 5.23 (s, 1H), 5.00 (s, 1H), 4.73 (s, 2H), 3.82 (s, 3H), 2.82 (s, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 159.5, 142.2, 138.5, 129.7, 129.2, 129.0, 128.1, 127.9, 120.8, 115.7, 113.7, 55.3, 54.7, 37.9.

**MS (EI)** m/z 317 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>19</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>S+H 318.1164, Found 318.1162.

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N-allyl-N-(2-(4-methox	yphenyl)allyl)methanesulfonamide
$C_{14}H_{19}NO_3S$	<b>MW:</b> 281.37 g·mol <sup>-1</sup>
Yellow Oil	
Isolated Amount:	25.2mg <b>Yield:</b> 43%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.40 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.90 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 5.85-5.75 (m, 1H), 5.42 (s, 1H), 5.27 (s, 1H), 5.25 (s, 1H), 5.24 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 5.21 (s, 1H), 4.28 (s, 2H), 3.82 (s, 3H), 3.76 (d, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 2H), 2.68 (s, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 159.6, 142.3, 132.3, 131.0, 127.8, 119.7, 115.3, 113.9, 55.3, 50.2, 48.6, 39.9.

**MS (EI)** m/z 281 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>19</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>S+H 282.1164, Found 282.1163.

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N-(2-(4-methoxyphenyl)allyl)-4-nitro-Nphenylbenzenesulfonamide

 $C_{22}H_{20}N_2O_5S$  MW: 424.47 g·mol<sup>-1</sup>

Yellow Powder

Isolated Amount: 13.5 mg Yield: 32%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 8.21 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.64 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.23 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.17-7.13 (m, 3H), 6.80 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.70 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 5.12 (s, 1H), 4.84 (s, 1H), 4.57 (s, 2H), 3.77 (s, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 158.5, 149.0, 142.9, 140.3, 136.3, 129.2, 128.0, 127.9, 127.8, 127.4, 126.7, 123.0, 115.2, 112.7, 54.3, 53.9.

**MS (EI)** m/z 424 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>20</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>S+H 425.1171, Found 425.1173.



#### **Typical Procedure:**

This reaction was carried out in two steps. The specific reaction steps were as follows.

The first step: Allenamide **1a** (57.1 mg, 0.20 mmol),  $(Bpin)_2$  (101.6 mg, 0.40 mmol), Pd(PPh<sub>3</sub>)<sub>4</sub> (23.1 mg, 0.02 mmol) and Cs<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> (130.3 mg, 0.40 mmol) were added to a reaction tube. Then the dry THF (2 mL) and H<sub>2</sub>O (7.2 mg, 0.40 mmol) were added under nitrogen atmosphere. The resulting mixture was stirred at 60 °C for 12 h.

The second step: After 4-Iodoanisole **2a** (56.2 mg, 0.24 mmol) was added to a reaction tube under nitrogen atmosphere. Upon completion, the reaction mixture was quenched by  $H_2O$  and extracted with EtOAc three times. The combined organic phase was dried over  $Na_2SO_4$  and then concentrated in vacuo. The mixture was purified by silica gel column chromatography (PE:EA, 30:1) to give the product **4aa** (45.6 mg, 0.116 mmol, 58% yield).

#### **Analytical Data:**



(E)-N-(2-(4-methoxyphenyl)prop-1-en-1-yl)-4-methyl-N-phenylbenzenesulfonamide

C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>23</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>S MW:  $393.50 \text{ g} \cdot \text{mol}^{-1}$ Yellow Oil Isolated Amount: 45.6 mg Yield: 58%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.35 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.30-7.23 (m, 7H), 7.20-7.17 (m, 2H), 6.86 (d, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 2H), 6.40 (q, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 4.58 (s, 0.13H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 1.90 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 143.9, 141.4, 140.6, 136.6, 134.5, 129.5, 129.0, 128.4, 127.8, 127.1, 126.2, 124.7, 123.0, 21.6, 16.3.

**MS (EI)** m/z 393 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>23</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>S+H 394.1477, Found 364.1476.

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(E)-4-methyl-N-phenyl-N-(2-phenylprop-1-en-1-yl)benzenesulfonamide

 $C_{22}H_{21}NO_2S$ MW: 363.47 g·mol<sup>-1</sup>Yellow OilIsolated Amount: 47.2 mgYield: 65%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.50 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.34-7.32 (m, 4H), 7.30-7.28 (m, 3H), 7.25 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H), 7.20-7.18 (m, 2H), 6.51 (q, J = 1.2 Hz, 1H),, 2.41 (s, 3H), 1.89 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 143.9, 141.4, 140.6, 136.6, 134.5, 129.5, 129.0, 128.4, 127.8, 127.1, 126.2, 124.7, 123.0, 21.6, 16.3.

**MS (EI)** m/z 363 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>21</sub>NO<sub>2</sub>S+H 364.1371, Found 364.1373.

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(E)-4-methyl-N-phenyl-N-(2-(p-tolyl)prop-1-en-1yl)benzenesulfonamide

C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>23</sub>NO<sub>2</sub>S MW: 377.50 g·mol<sup>-1</sup> Yellow Oil <sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.50 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.28 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.25-7.23 (m, 5H), 7.18 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.13 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 6.46 (q, *J* = 1.6 Hz, 1H), 2.41 (s, 3H), 2.34 (s, 3H), 1.88 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 143.8, 141.5, 137.7, 137.6, 137.0, 134.6, 129.5, 129.1, 129.0, 127.8, 127.0, 126.9, 126.0, 123.9, 21.6, 21.1, 16.2.

**MS (EI)** m/z 377 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>23</sub>NO<sub>2</sub>S+H 378.1527, Found 378.1525.

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Isolated Amount: 45.3 mg Yield: 54%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.50 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.35 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.30-7.27 (m, 4H), 7.25-7.22 (m, 3H), 7.18 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 6.50 (q, J = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 2.41 (s, 3H), 1.87 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 3H), 1.31 (s, 9H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 150.9, 143.8, 141.6, 137.6, 136.5, 134.6, 129.5, 128.9, 127.8, 127.0, 126.9, 125.8, 125.3, 124.1, 34.6, 31.3, 21.6, 16.1.

MS (EI) m/z 419 (M+); HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>26</sub>H<sub>29</sub>NO<sub>2</sub>S+H 420.1997, Found 420.1999.

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(E)-4-methyl-N-phenyl-N-(2-(m-tolyl)prop-1-en-1-yl)benzenesulfonamide

C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>23</sub>NO<sub>2</sub>S **MW:** 377.50 g⋅mol<sup>-1</sup> Brown Oil

Isolated Amount: 37.0 mg Yield: 49%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.50 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.29 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.26-7.23 (m, 3H), 7.21-7.18 (m, 3H), 7.14-7.10 (m, 3H), 6.49 (q, *J* = 1.6 Hz, 1H), 2.41 (s, 3H), 2.35 (s, 3H), 1.87 (d, *J* = 1.6 Hz, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 143.8, 141.5, 140.6, 138.0, 136.9, 134.6, 129.5, 129.0, 128.5, 128.3, 127.8, 127.1, 126.9, 124.5, 123.3, 21.6, 21.5, 16.3.

**MS (EI)** m/z 377 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>23</sub>NO<sub>2</sub>S+H 378.1527, Found 378.1524.

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((E)-ethyl 4-(1-(4-methyl-N-phenylphenylsulfonamido)prop-1en-2-yl)benzoate

> C<sub>25</sub>H<sub>25</sub>NO<sub>4</sub>S **MW:**  $435.54 \text{ g} \cdot \text{mol}^{-1}$ Yellow Oil

Isolated Amount: 45.3 mg Yield: 52%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.99 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.49 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.39 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.31-7.24 (m, 5H), 7.18 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 6.65 (q, J = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 4.38 (q, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 1.85 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 3H), 1.40 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 166.3, 145.2, 144.1, 141.0, 134.3, 134.1, 129.7, 129.6, 129.5, 129.1, 127.8, 127.4, 127.2, 126.4, 125.9, 61.0, 21.6, 16.1, 14.4.

**MS (EI)** m/z 435 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>25</sub>H<sub>25</sub>NO<sub>4</sub>S+H 436.1582, Found 436.1583.



(E)-N-(2-(4-fluorophenyl)prop-1-en-1-yl)-4-methyl-N-phenylbenzenesulfonamide

$C_{22}H_{20}FNO_2S$		81.46 g·mol <sup>+</sup>
Yellow Solid		
<b>Isolated Amount:</b>	36.6 mg	<b>Yield:</b> 48%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.50 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.32-7.24 (m, 7H), 7.17 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.03-6.99 (m, 2H), 6.44 (q, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 1.88 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 163.7, 161.3, 143.9, 141.3, 136.6, 136.5, 135.8, 134.5, 129.5, 129.0, 127.8, 127.7, 127.1, 124.5, 123.8, 115.4, 115.2, 21.6, 16.4.

<sup>19</sup>F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): -114.4.

**MS (EI)** m/z 381 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>20</sub>FNO<sub>2</sub>S+H 382.1277, Found 364.1278.



(E)-N-(2-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)prop-1-en-1-yl)-4-methyl-N-phenylbenzenesulfonamide

$C_{22}H_{19}Cl_2NO_2S$	<b>MW:</b> 432.36 g·mol <sup>-1</sup>
Yellow Solid	
Isolated Amount: 44.1	mg <b>Yield:</b> 51%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.48 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.39-7.37 (m, 2H), 7.30 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.27-7.24 (m, 4H), 7.15 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 6.56 (q, J = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 1.81 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 144.1, 140.9, 140.8, 134.3, 132.5, 131.6, 130.3, 129.6, 129.1, 128.0, 127.8, 127.3, 126.1, 125.4, 21.6, 16.1.

**MS (EI)** m/z 432 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for  $C_{22}H_{19}Cl_2NO_2S+H$  432.0592, Found 432.0594.

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(E)-N-(2-(4-methoxyphenyl)prop-1-en-1-yl)-4-methyl-N-(p-tolyl)benzenesulfonamide

 $C_{24}H_{25}NO_3S$ MW: 407.53 g·mol<sup>-1</sup>Yellow OilYield: 55%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.43 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.21-7.16 (m, 4H), 7.00 (dd, *J* = 17.2 Hz, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 4H), 6.77 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.30 (q, J = 1.6 Hz, 1H), 4.47 (s, 0.06H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 2.34 (s, 3H), 2.25 (s, 3H), 1.83 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 159.4, 143.7, 139.0, 136.9, 136.8, 134.7, 133.0, 129.6, 129.4, 127.9, 127.3, 127.0, 123.3, 113.7, 55.3, 21.6, 21.1, 16.2.

**MS (EI)** m/z 407 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>24</sub>H<sub>25</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>S+H 408.1633, Found 408.1632.

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(E)-N-(2-(4-methoxyphenyl)prop-1-en-1-yl)-4-methyl-N-propylbenzenesulfonamide

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      C_{20}H_{25}NO_3S
      MW: 359.48 g·mol<sup>-1</sup>

      Yellow Oil
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Isolated Amount: 36.0 mg Yield: 50%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.67 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.31 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 6.87 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 5.38 (q, *J* = 1.6 Hz, 1H), 3.82 (s, 3H), 3.06 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 2.43 (s, 3H), 2.19 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 3H), 1.53 (q, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 0.93 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 160.0, 143.3, 143.0, 134.9, 132.6, 129.6, 127.6, 127.2, 121.9, 113.8, 55.3, 52.7, 21.7, 21.6, 16.9, 11.4.

**MS (EI)** m/z 359 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>25</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>S+H 360.1633, Found 360.1636.

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Isolated Amount: 49.4 mg Yield: 57%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.67 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.32-7.29 (m, 4H), 6.86 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 5.52 (q, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 4.65 (t, *J* = 5.6 Hz, 1H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 3.71 (q, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 3.52 (q, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 3.25 (d, *J* = 5.6 Hz, 2H), 2.43 (s, 3H), 2.14 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 3H), 1.18 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 159.5, 143.6, 142.5, 135.0, 132.5, 129.6, 127.5, 127.3, 122.3, 113.7, 100.7, 61.9, 55.3, 52.8, 21.6, 16.8, 15.3.

**MS (EI)** m/z 433 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>31</sub>NO<sub>5</sub>S+H 434.2001, Found 434.2003.

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(E)-N-(2-(4-methoxyphenyl)prop-1-en-1-yl)-N-phenylmethanesulfonamide

 $C_{17}H_{19}NO_3S$  **MW:** 317.40 g·mol<sup>-1</sup>

Yellow Oil

Isolated Amount: 21.6 mg Yield: 34%

<sup>1</sup>**H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm):** 7.35-7.26 (m, 6H), 7.21-7.17 (m, 1H), 6.80 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.56 (s, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 2.90 (s, 3H), 1.82 (s, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 158.5, 140.2, 135.7, 131.5, 128.4, 126.2, 125.8, 125.1, 121.7, 112.8, 54.3, 36.1, 15.0.

**MS (EI)** m/z 317 (M+); **HRMS (ESI)** Calcd for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>19</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>S+H 318.1164, Found 318.1167.

4. Optimization of the Reaction Conditions.



entry	catalyst	ligand	base	solvent	t (°C)	yield <sup>c</sup> of <b>3aa</b> (%)	yield <sup>c</sup> of <b>4aa</b> (%)
1	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	dppf	$Cs_2CO_3$	toluene	60	57	trace
2	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	PPh <sub>3</sub>	$Cs_2CO_3$	toluene	60	39	trace
3	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	BINAP	$Cs_2CO_3$	toluene	60	34	trace
4	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	(2-OMe) <sub>3</sub> P	$Cs_2CO_3$	toluene	60	31	trace
5	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	Ph <sub>2</sub> PCy	$Cs_2CO_3$	toluene	60	23	trace
6	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	dppm	$Cs_2CO_3$	toluene	60	24	trace
7	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	Ruphos	$Cs_2CO_3$	toluene	60	26	trace
8	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	Davephos	$Cs_2CO_3$	toluene	60	23	trace
9	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	PCy <sub>3</sub>	$Cs_2CO_3$	toluene	60	34	trace
10	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	dppf	$Cs_2CO_3$	toluene	80	48	trace
11	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	dppf	Cs <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub>	toluene	100	43	trace
12	Pd <sub>2</sub> (dba) <sub>3</sub>	dppf	$Cs_2CO_3$	toluene	60	40	trace
13	PdCl <sub>2</sub>	dppf	$Cs_2CO_3$	toluene	60	32	trace
14	Pd(TFA) <sub>2</sub>	dppf	Cs <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub>	toluene	60	42	trace
15	PdCl <sub>2</sub> (dppf)	-	Cs <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub>	toluene	60	59	trace
16	Pd(PPh <sub>2</sub> )₄	-	Cs <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>2</sub>	toluene	60	66	trace
17	PdCl <sub>2</sub> (PPh <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	-	$Cs_2CO_3$	toluene	60	61	trace
18	Pd(PPh <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>4</sub>	_	K <sub>2</sub> CO2	toluene	60	13	trace
19	Pd(PPh <sub>2</sub> )₄	_	KOtBu	toluene	60	trace	trace
20	$Pd(PPh_{a})_{4}$	_	K <sub>2</sub> PO <sub>4</sub>	toluene	60	36	trace
21	$Pd(PPh_{2})$	_		toluene	60	trace	trace
22	$Pd(PPh_a)_4$	(2-furyl) <sub>2</sub> P		toluene	60	57	trace
22	$Pd(PPh_a)$	doof	Cs <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub>	toluene	60	38	trace
23	$Pd(PPh_a)_4$	PCva	$Cs_2CO_3$	toluene	60	12	trace
25	Pd(PPh_)	- UV3	Cs <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub>	THE	60	42 84	trace
26	$Pd(PPh_{1})$	_	Cs-CO-	1 4-diovane	60	57	trace
20	$Pd(PPb_{1})$	-	Cs <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub>	MeCN	60	50	trace
28	$Pd(PPh_a)_4$	_	$Cs_2CO_3$	DME	60	34	trace
20	-	_	$Cs_2CO_3$	toluene	60	NR	-
30	Pd(PPha)	-	Cs <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub>	THE	60	-	58
31	$PdCl_{o}(dnnf)$	_	CS2CO2	THE	60	_	42
32	PdCl <sub>2</sub> (PPh <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	-	$Cs_2CO_3$	THE	60	-	44
33	Pd(dba) <sub>2</sub>	doof	$Cs_2CO_3$	THE	60	_	27
34	Pd(PPh <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>4</sub>	-	K2CO2	THE	60	-	trace
35	Pd(PPh <sub>2</sub> )₄	-	K₂PO₄	THE	60	-	trace
36	Pd(PPh <sub>2</sub> )₄	_	Cv <sub>o</sub> NMe	THE	60	_	trace
37	$Pd(PPh_{a})$	_	KOtBu	THE	60	_	trace
38	Pd(PPh <sub>2</sub> )	-	CsoCOo	MeCN	60	-	trace
39	Pd(PPh <sub>2</sub> )₄	-	Cs <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>2</sub>	1.4-dioxane	60	-	trace
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## 5. Copies of the <sup>1</sup>H NMR, <sup>13</sup>C NMR and <sup>19</sup>F NMR for allylamines.





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200 190 180 170 160 150 140 130 120 110 10 90 80 70 60 50 40 30 20 10 0  $\Gamma(1)$   $\Gamma(2)$  7. Copies of the <sup>1</sup>H NMR for Product 3aa and 4aa in deuterium-labeled experiments







#### A of mixture products 3aa and 4aa

