

Supporting Information

[4+1] Annulation of *ortho*-electrophile-substituted *para*-quinone methides to the synthesis of indanes and isoindolines

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1. General Information

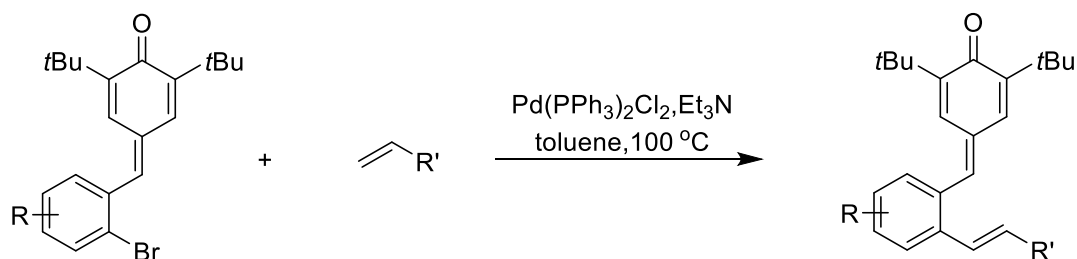
Reagents and Solvents: PE refers to petroleum ether b.p. 60-90 °C and EA refers to ethyl acetate. All other starting materials and solvents were commercially available and were used without further purification unless otherwise stated.

Chromatography: Flash column chromatography was carried out using commercially available 200-300 mesh under pressure unless otherwise indicated. Gradient flash chromatography was conducted eluting with PE/EA, they are listed as volume/volume ratios.

Data collection: ^1H and ^{13}C NMR spectra were collected on BRUKER AV-300 (300 MHz) spectrometer and AVANCE NEO (400 MHz) using CDCl_3 as solvent. Chemical shifts of ^1H NMR were recorded in parts per million (ppm, δ) relative to tetramethylsilane ($\delta = 0.00$ ppm) with the solvent resonance as an internal standard (CDCl_3 : $\delta = 7.26$ ppm). Data are reported as follows: chemical shift in ppm (δ), multiplicity (s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, q = quartet, brs = broad singlet, m = multiplet), coupling constant (Hz), and integration. Chemical shifts of ^{13}C NMR were reported in ppm. High Resolution Mass measurement was performed on Agilent Q-TOF 6520 mass spectrometer with electron spray ionization (ESI) as the ion source. Melting point (m.p.) was measured on a microscopic melting point apparatus. Infrared (IR) spectra were recorded using a thin film supported on KBr disks.

2. Preparation of *ortho*-Electrophile-substituted *para*-Quinone Methides

The *ortho*-electrophile-substituted *para*-quinone methides were synthesized from the corresponding *para*-quinone methides as shown in Scheme S1.



Scheme S1. Preparation of *ortho*-electrophile-substituted *para*-quinone methides

The *ortho*-bromobenzyl *para*-quinone methide^[1] (1 equiv) was dissolved in toluene (2 mL/mmol *ortho*-bromobenzyl *para*-quinone methide). $\text{Pd(PPh}_3)_2\text{Cl}_2$ (0.05 equiv), the requisite Heck acceptor (3 equiv) and Et_3N (0.5 mL/mmol *ortho*-bromobenzyl *para*-quinone methide) were added, and the reaction placed under an Ar atmosphere and heated to $100\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ (oil bath) for 48 h. The reaction was then cooled to r.t., diluted with H_2O and extracted with CH_2Cl_2 . The organic phase was dried (Na_2SO_4), filtered and concentrated, and the crude material was purified by flash chromatography on silica gel (PE/EA = 300/1) to afford the corresponding product. **1a-1r** were synthesized by the general procedure.^[2] All the *ortho*-electrophilic *para*-quinone methides were listed in Figure S1.

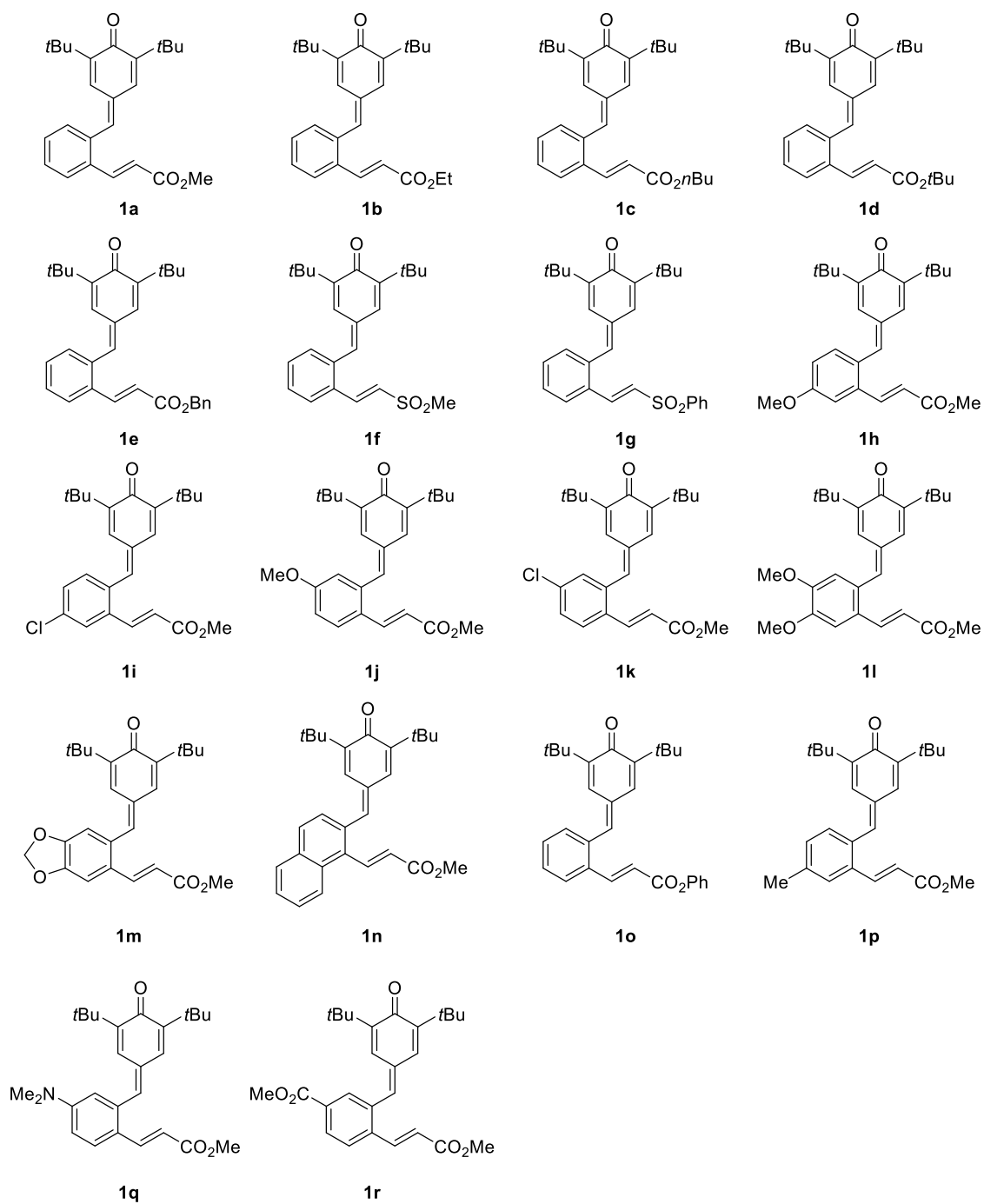
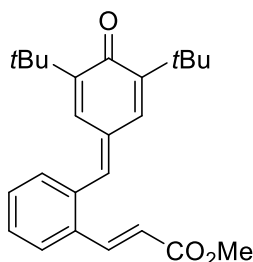


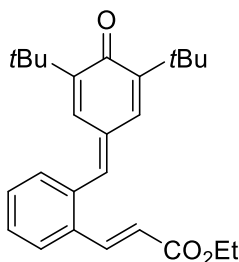
Figure S1. Structures of *ortho*-electrophile-substituted *para*-quinone methides



methyl

(E)-3-(2-((3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-oxocyclohexa-2,5-dien-1-ylidene)methyl)phenyl)acrylate (1a)

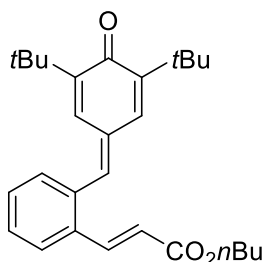
72% yield (1.64 g); yellow solid, m.p. 144 – 145 °C. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.89 (d, J = 15.8 Hz, 1H), 7.69 – 7.67 (m, 1H), 7.49 – 7.40 (m, 2H), 7.35 – 7.33 (m, 2H), 7.19 (s, 1H), 7.08 (d, J = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.42 (d, J = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 1.35 (s, 9H), 1.24 (s, 9H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 186.5, 167.0, 149.6, 148.2, 142.2, 139.5, 135.7, 134.5, 134.2, 133.5, 131.6, 129.7, 129.2, 127.8, 127.4, 120.5, 51.9, 35.4, 35.1, 29.5, 29.5 ppm; IR(KBr): 3067, 2999, 2955, 2913, 2866, 1727, 1715, 1695, 1634, 1568, 1557, 1506, 1472, 1456, 1362, 1317, 1277, 1254, 1173, 1088, 1022, 980, 916, 822, 766 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{30}\text{O}_3+\text{H}]^+$ 379.2268, found 379.2276.



ethyl

(E)-3-(2-((3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-oxocyclohexa-2,5-dien-1-ylidene)methyl)phenyl)acrylate (1b)

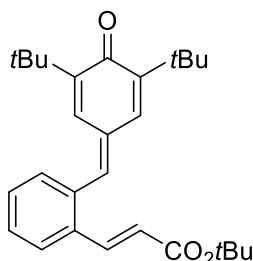
70% yield (824 mg); yellow solid, m.p. 118 – 119 °C. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.87 (d, J = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 7.70 – 7.67 (m, 1H), 7.46 – 7.42 (m, 2H), 7.36 – 7.34 (m, 2H), 7.18 (d, J = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 7.08 (d, J = 2.5 Hz, 1H), 6.42 (d, J = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 4.26 (q, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 1.39 – 1.30 (m, 12H), 1.24 (s, 9H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 186.5, 166.6, 149.6, 148.2, 141.9, 139.6, 135.7, 134.5, 134.2, 133.6, 131.6, 129.7, 129.2, 127.9, 127.4, 120.9, 60.7, 35.4, 35.1, 29.5, 29.5, 14.3 ppm; IR(KBr): 3061, 2995, 2953, 2911, 2866, 1732, 1715, 1699, 1684, 1557, 1472, 1456, 1386, 1362, 1314, 1269, 1221, 1175, 1090, 1038, 1024, 980, 930, 916, 889, 820, 764, 745, 567, 517 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{32}\text{O}_3+\text{H}]^+$ 393.2424, found 393.2428.



butyl

(E)-3-(2-((3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-oxocyclohexa-2,5-dien-1-ylidene)methyl)phenyl)acrylate (1c)

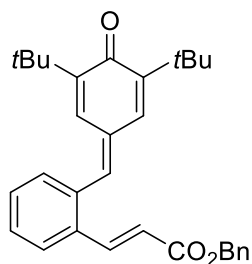
56% yield (707 mg); yellow solid, m.p. 122 – 124 °C. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.86 (d, J = 15.8 Hz, 1H), 7.70 – 7.67 (m, 1H), 7.48 – 7.39 (m, 2H), 7.36 – 7.33 (m, 2H), 7.17 (d, J = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 7.07 (d, J = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.41 (d, J = 15.8 Hz, 1H), 4.20 (t, J = 6.6 Hz, 2H), 1.67 (dq, J = 8.2, 6.7 Hz, 2H), 1.48 – 1.32 (m, 11H), 1.24 (s, 9H), 0.95 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 3H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 189.1, 169.2, 152.2, 150.9, 144.5, 142.0, 138.3, 137.0, 136.9, 136.2, 134.1, 132.2, 131.8, 130.4, 129.9, 123.6, 67.2, 38.0, 37.7, 33.3, 32.1, 32.0, 21.8, 16.3 ppm; IR(KBr): 3061, 2999, 2957, 2872, 1715, 1705, 1645, 1614, 1568, 1553, 1485, 1456, 1389, 1362, 1312, 1254, 1219, 1173, 1088, 1024, 980, 947, 930, 916, 889, 881, 822, 766, 746, 515 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{36}\text{O}_3+\text{H}]^+$ 421.2737, found 421.2738.



tert-butyl

(E)-3-(2-((3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-oxocyclohexa-2,5-dien-1-ylidene)methyl)phenyl)acrylate (1d)

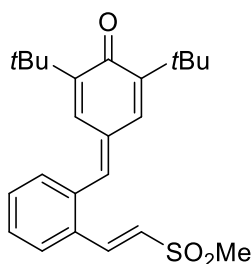
78% yield (989.3 mg); yellow solid, m.p. 136 – 137 °C. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.78 (d, J = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 7.70 – 7.67 (m, 1H), 7.46 – 7.37 (m, 2H), 7.36 – 7.32 (m, 2H), 7.17 (d, J = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 7.08 (d, J = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.37 (d, J = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 1.52 (s, 9H), 1.35 (s, 9H), 1.24 (s, 9H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 186.5, 166.0, 149.5, 148.1, 140.8, 139.7, 135.6, 134.5, 134.3, 133.5, 131.4, 129.5, 129.2, 127.9, 127.2, 122.5, 80.8, 35.4, 35.1, 29.5, 29.5, 28.2 ppm; IR(KBr): 3061, 3001, 2957, 2922, 2868, 1715, 1699, 1684, 1645, 1568, 1557, 1472, 1456, 1362, 1317, 1254, 1223, 1155, 1090, 1024, 980, 916, 764, 743 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{36}\text{O}_3+\text{Na}]^+$ 443.2557, found 443.2557.



benzyl

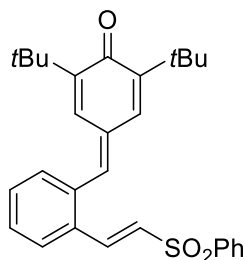
(E)-3-(2-((3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-oxocyclohexa-2,5-dien-1-ylidene)methyl)phenyl)acrylate (1e)

74 yield (1 g); yellow solid, m.p. 104 – 106 °C. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.92 (d, J = 15.8 Hz, 1H), 7.68 – 7.66 (m, 1H), 7.46 – 7.33 (m, 9H), 7.18 (d, J = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 7.07 (d, J = 2.5 Hz, 1H), 6.47 (d, J = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 5.25 (s, 2H), 1.35 (s, 9H), 1.23 (s, 9H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 189.1, 169.0, 152.3, 150.9, 145.1, 141.9, 138.5, 138.4, 137.0, 136.8, 136.2, 134.2, 132.3, 131.8, 131.2, 130.9, 130.9, 130.4, 130.0, 123.2, 69.1, 38.0, 37.7, 32.1, 32.1 ppm; IR(KBr): 3063, 3032, 2999, 2957, 2911, 2866, 1715, 1705, 1643, 1614, 1553, 1485, 1454, 1389, 1360, 1312, 1354, 1219, 1161, 1086, 1022, 980, 947, 930, 916, 889, 880, 822, 764, 746, 513 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{32}\text{H}_{34}\text{O}_3+\text{H}]^+$ 455.2581, found 455.2580.



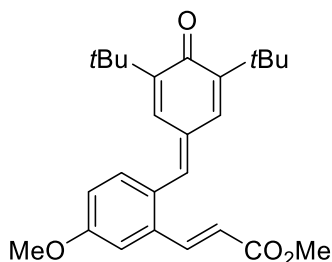
(E)-2,6-di-tert-butyl-4-(2-((2-(methylsulfonyl)vinyl)benzylidene)cyclohexa-2,5-dien-1-one (1f)

33% yield (267 mg); yellow solid, m.p. 186 – 187 °C. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.84 (d, J = 15.6 Hz, 1H), 7.66 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.52 – 7.47 (m, 2H), 7.38 – 7.30 (m, 2H), 7.16 (s, 1H), 7.07 (s, 1H), 6.93 (d, J = 15.3 Hz, 1H), 3.05 (s, 3H), 1.35 – 1.25 (m, 18H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 186.5, 150.0, 148.6, 141.1, 138.3, 136.3, 134.3, 134.1, 132.0, 131.7, 130.8, 129.4, 128.7, 127.9, 127.5, 43.2, 35.5, 35.2, 29.5 ppm; IR(KBr): 3055, 2999, 2957, 2924, 2866, 1614, 1568, 1483, 1470, 1456, 1362, 1304, 1254, 1136, 968, 822, 758, 511, 498 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{30}\text{O}_3\text{S}+\text{H}]^+$ 399.1988, found 399.1987.



(E)-2,6-di-tert-butyl-4-(2-(2-(phenylsulfonyl)vinyl)benzylidene)cyclohexa-2,5-dien-1-one (1g)

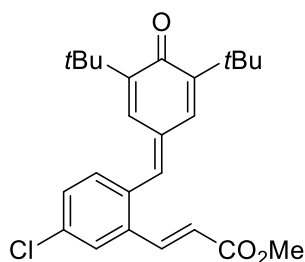
21% yield (192 mg); yellow solid, m.p. 174 – 176 °C. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.97 – 7.93 (m, 2H), 7.87 (d, J = 15.0 Hz, 1H), 7.68 – 7.53 (m, 4H), 7.51 – 7.41 (m, 2H), 7.35 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.28 (s, 1H), 7.16 (d, J = 2.3 Hz, 1H), 7.05 (d, J = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.86 (d, J = 15.3 Hz, 1H), 1.36 (s, 9H), 1.24 (s, 9H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 186.5, 149.9, 148.5, 140.3, 139.3, 138.4, 136.2, 134.3, 134.0, 133.6, 132.0, 131.9, 130.6, 129.9, 129.4, 129.3, 127.9, 127.8, 127.5, 35.4, 35.2, 29.5, 29.5 ppm; IR(KBr): 3061, 2999, 2957, 2922, 2866, 1614, 1568, 1485, 1447, 1389, 1362, 1308, 1254, 1148, 1086, 1024, 916, 853, 808, 752, 687, 619, 584, 563, 542 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{29}\text{H}_{32}\text{O}_3\text{S} + \text{H}]^+$ 461.2145, found 461.2145.



methyl

(E)-3-(2-((3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-oxocyclohexa-2,5-dien-1-ylidene)methyl)-5-methoxyphenyl)acrylate (1h)

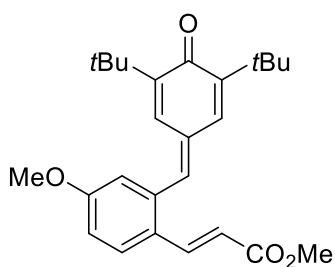
77% yield (632 mg); yellow solid, m.p. 150 – 152 °C. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.88 (d, J = 15.8 Hz, 1H), 7.33 – 7.28 (m, 2H), 7.23 (d, J = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 7.16 (d, J = 2.6 Hz, 1H), 7.07 (d, J = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 7.01 (dd, J = 8.7, 2.6 Hz, 1H), 6.40 (d, J = 15.8 Hz, 1H), 3.90 (s, 3H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 1.35 (s, 9H), 1.26 (s, 9H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 186.6, 167.0, 160.3, 149.3, 147.7, 142.2, 139.6, 135.8, 134.7, 133.3, 132.6, 128.4, 128.0, 120.9, 115.8, 112.3, 55.5, 51.9, 35.4, 35.1, 29.5, 29.5 ppm; IR(KBr): 3001, 2953, 2913, 2866, 1715, 1643, 1568, 1454, 1435, 1389, 1360, 1319, 1256, 1225, 1194, 1173, 1086, 1038, 1024, 980, 949, 918, 887, 864, 820, 741, 509 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{32}\text{O}_4 + \text{H}]^+$ 409.2373, found 409.2379.



methyl

(E)-3-(5-chloro-2-((3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-oxocyclohexa-2,5-dien-1-ylidene)methyl)phenyl)acrylate (1i)

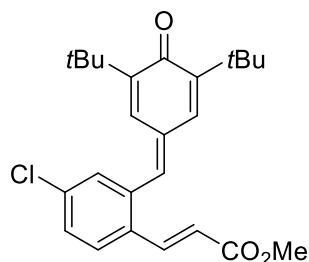
60% yield (495 mg); yellow solid, m.p. 164 – 166 °C. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.80 (d, J = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 7.65 (d, J = 2.1 Hz, 1H), 7.43 (dd, J = 8.3, 2.1 Hz, 1H), 7.29 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 7.22 (s, 1H), 7.12 (dd, J = 2.5, 0.8 Hz, 1H), 7.06 (d, J = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.42 (d, J = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 1.34 (s, 9H), 1.24 (s, 9H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 186.5, 166.7, 150.0, 148.5, 140.8, 137.8, 135.7, 135.3, 134.3, 134.0, 134.0, 132.8, 129.7, 127.3, 127.3, 121.7, 52.0, 35.5, 35.2, 29.5, 29.5 ppm; IR(KBr): 3067, 2997, 2957, 2911, 2866, 1717, 1674, 1614, 1562, 1456, 1435, 1389, 1362, 1319, 1256, 1225, 1196, 1175, 1117, 1082, 1024, 982, 945, 918, 887, 860, 822, 808, 757, 735, 517 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{29}\text{ClO}_3 + \text{H}]^+$ 413.1878, found 413.1883.



methyl

(E)-3-(2-((3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-oxocyclohexa-2,5-dien-1-ylidene)methyl)-4-methoxyphenyl)acrylate (1j)

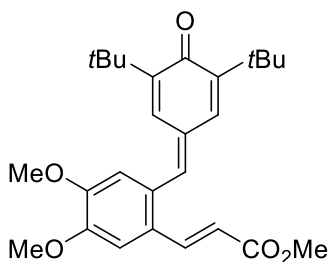
85% yield (697 mg); yellow solid, m.p. 130 – 132 °C. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.83 (d, J = 15.8 Hz, 1H), 7.64 (d, J = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 7.33 (s, 1H), 7.24 (d, J = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 7.08 (d, J = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.97 (dd, J = 8.7, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 6.85 (d, J = 2.7 Hz, 1H), 6.32 (d, J = 15.8 Hz, 1H), 3.86 (s, 3H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 1.35 (s, 9H), 1.25 (s, 9H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 186.5, 167.4, 160.6, 149.6, 148.3, 141.7, 139.4, 137.3, 134.5, 133.6, 128.9, 127.8, 126.8, 117.9, 116.0, 115.8, 55.5, 51.7, 35.4, 35.1, 29.5 ppm; IR(KBr): 2999, 2955, 2911, 2866, 1719, 1614, 1597, 1555, 1485, 1458, 1437, 1389, 1362, 1298, 1254, 1192, 1165, 1103, 1090, 1038, 1024, 980, 930, 916, 885, 822, 737 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{32}\text{O}_4 + \text{H}]^+$ 409.2373, found 409.2373.



methyl

(E)-3-(4-chloro-2-((3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-oxocyclohexa-2,5-dien-1-ylidene)methyl)phenyl)acrylate (1k)

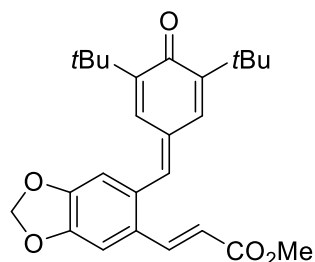
77% yield (640 mg); yellow solid, m.p. 152 – 156 °C. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.80 (d, *J* = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 7.61 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.39 (dd, *J* = 8.4, 2.2 Hz, 1H), 7.35 (d, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 1H), 7.21 (s, 1H), 7.13 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 7.05 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.40 (d, *J* = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 1.35 (s, 9H), 1.25 (s, 9H) ppm; ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 186.4, 166.8, 150.1, 148.7, 141.0, 137.2, 137.1, 135.7, 134.3, 134.1, 132.5, 131.3, 129.2, 128.6, 127.3, 120.8, 52.0, 35.5, 35.2, 29.5, 29.4 ppm; IR(KBr): 3059, 2999, 2955, 2913, 2866, 1722, 1680, 1630, 1616, 1585, 1564, 1456, 1435, 1389, 1362, 1315, 1254, 1223, 1196, 1173, 1113, 1086, 1024, 982, 951, 912, 881, 822, 741, 515 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for [C₂₅H₂₉ClO₃+H]⁺ 413.1878, found 413.1884.



methyl

(E)-3-(2-((3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-oxocyclohexa-2,5-dien-1-ylidene)methyl)-4,5-dimethoxyphenyl)acrylate (1l)

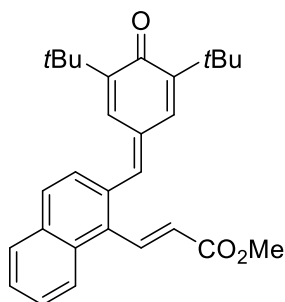
84% yield (733 mg); yellow solid, m.p. 168 – 170 °C. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.88 (dd, *J* = 15.7, 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.37 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 1H), 7.30 (d, *J* = 4.3 Hz, 1H), 7.17 – 7.08 (m, 2H), 6.88 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 6.34 (dd, *J* = 16.1, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 3.99 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 3.94 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 3H), 3.82 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 3H), 1.37 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 9H), 1.27 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 9H) ppm; ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 186.4, 167.2, 150.3, 149.9, 149.5, 148.0, 141.7, 139.4, 134.6, 132.9, 129.4, 127.9, 127.4, 118.3, 114.0, 109.2, 56.1, 51.8, 35.4, 35.1, 29.6, 29.6, 29.5 ppm; IR(KBr): 3001, 2955, 2913, 2866, 1715, 1614, 1549, 1514, 1506, 1485, 1456, 1389, 1360, 1333, 1277, 1192, 1169, 1111, 1086, 1040, 1024, 1005, 978, 949, 932, 916, 895, 822, 737, 559, 529 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for [C₂₇H₃₄O₅+H]⁺ 439.2479, found 439.2480.



methyl

(E)-3-(6-((3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-oxocyclohexa-2,5-dien-1-ylidene)methyl)benzo[d][1,3]dioxol-5-yl)acrylate (1m)

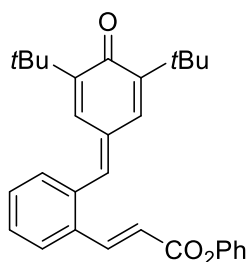
85% yield (720 mg); yellow solid, m.p. 150 – 152 °C. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.81 (d, J = 15.7 Hz, 1H), 7.27 (d, J = 2.9 Hz, 1H), 7.18 (d, J = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 7.14 (s, 1H), 7.05 (d, J = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.82 (s, 1H), 6.28 (d, J = 15.7 Hz, 1H), 6.08 (s, 2H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 1.34 (s, 9H), 1.25 (s, 9H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 186.5, 167.2, 149.5, 149.4, 148.9, 148.0, 141.6, 139.1, 134.6, 133.2, 130.9, 128.9, 127.6, 118.4, 110.9, 106.5, 102.1, 51.8, 35.4, 35.1, 29.5 ppm; IR(KBr): 2999, 2955, 2909, 2866, 1715, 1614, 1557, 1481, 1456, 1435, 1362, 1288, 1263, 1194, 1173, 1088, 1040, 1024, 932, 914, 891, 822, 741, 501 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{30}\text{O}_5+\text{H}]^+$ 423.2166, found 423.2170.



methyl

(E)-3-(2-((3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-oxocyclohexa-2,5-dien-1-ylidene)methyl)naphthalen-1-yl)acrylate (1n)

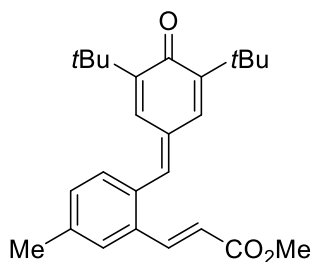
80% yield (688.7 mg); yellow solid, m.p. 180 – 182 °C. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.34 (d, J = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 8.16 – 8.12 (m, 1H), 7.92 – 7.88 (m, 2H), 7.62 – 7.56 (m, 2H), 7.52 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 1H), 7.39 (d, J = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 7.35 (s, 1H), 7.08 (d, J = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.26 (d, J = 16.0 Hz, 1H), 3.88 (s, 3H), 1.36 (s, 9H), 1.28 (s, 9H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 186.4, 166.6, 149.7, 148.0, 141.6, 141.2, 134.7, 133.3, 133.1, 132.6, 131.5, 129.0, 128.8, 128.6, 128.4, 127.6, 127.5, 127.3, 124.8, 52.1, 35.5, 35.1, 29.6 ppm; IR(KBr): 3057, 2997, 2955, 2911, 2866, 1719, 1624, 1612, 1560, 1483, 1458, 1435, 1362, 1285, 1269, 1194, 1171, 1086, 1024, 984, 932, 916, 885, 822, 745 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{29}\text{H}_{32}\text{O}_3+\text{H}]^+$ 429.2424, found 429.2434.



phenyl

(E)-3-(2-((3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-oxocyclohexa-2,5-dien-1-ylidene)methyl)phenyl)acrylate (1o)

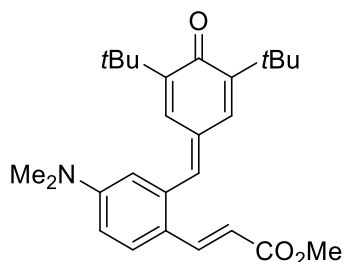
51% yield (452 mg); yellow solid, m.p. 140 – 141 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.05 (d, *J* = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 7.76 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 1H), 7.51 – 7.36 (m, 6H), 7.26 (t, *J* = 5.8 Hz, 1H), 7.19 – 7.14 (m, 3H), 7.09 (s, 1H), 6.62 (d, *J* = 15.8 Hz, 1H), 1.34 (s, 9H), 1.25 (s, 9H) ppm; ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 186.6, 165.0, 150.7, 149.7, 148.4, 143.9, 139.3, 136.0, 134.4, 134.0, 133.9, 131.7, 130.1, 129.5, 129.4, 127.8, 127.6, 125.9, 121.6, 119.9, 35.5, 35.2, 29.5 ppm; IR(KBr): 3061, 2999, 2957, 2866, 1738, 1620, 1609, 1593, 1568, 1493, 1389, 1362, 1312, 1254, 1204, 1132, 1086, 1024, 976, 932, 889, 820, 764, 743, 687, 517 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for [C₃₀H₃₂O₃+Na]⁺ 463.2244, found 463.2244.



methyl

(E)-3-(2-((3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-oxocyclohexa-2,5-dien-1-ylidene)methyl)-5-methylphenyl)acrylate (1p)

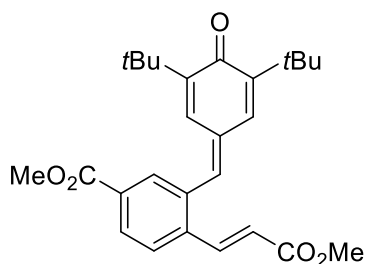
68% yield (535 mg); yellow solid, m.p. 178 – 180 °C. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.87 (d, *J* = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 7.48 (s, 1H), 7.32 (s, 1H), 7.26 (s, 2H), 7.22 (d, *J* = 2.5 Hz, 1H), 7.07 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.41 (d, *J* = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 2.43 (s, 3H), 1.35 (s, 9H), 1.25 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 186.5, 167.0, 149.4, 147.9, 142.3, 139.8, 139.5, 134.6, 134.1, 133.1, 132.9, 131.7, 130.7, 128.0, 128.0, 120.3, 51.8, 35.4, 35.1, 29.5, 29.5, 21.4 ppm; IR(KBr): 2997, 2955, 2920, 2866, 1719, 1638, 1614, 1566, 1483, 1458, 1435, 1362, 1317, 1273, 1254, 1192, 1171, 1084, 1022, 980, 916, 887, 820, 501 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for [C₂₆H₃₂O₃+H]⁺ 393.2424, found 393.2424.



methyl

(E)-3-(2-((3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-oxocyclohexa-2,5-dien-1-ylidene)methyl)-4-(dimethylamino)phenyl)acrylate (1q)

78% yield (660 mg); yellow solid, m.p. 171 – 173 °C. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.82 (d, *J* = 15.6 Hz, 1H), 7.60 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 7.40 (s, 1H), 7.34 (s, 1H), 7.09 (s, 1H), 6.74 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 6.56 (s, 1H), 6.23 (d, *J* = 15.7 Hz, 1H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 3.04 (s, 6H), 1.36 (s, 9H), 1.26 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 186.7, 167.9, 150.9, 149.2, 148.0, 142.2, 141.2, 137.0, 134.7, 133.2, 128.8, 128.2, 121.7, 114.7, 114.3, 112.7, 51.5, 40.2, 35.4, 35.1, 29.6, 29.5 ppm; IR(KBr): 2997, 2953, 2911, 2866, 1715, 1614, 1593, 1562, 1504, 1456, 1362, 1331, 1292, 1256, 1227, 1173, 1157, 1098, 1024, 980, 932, 881, 822, 806, 735 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for [C₂₇H₃₅NO₃+H]⁺ 422.2690, found 422.2689.

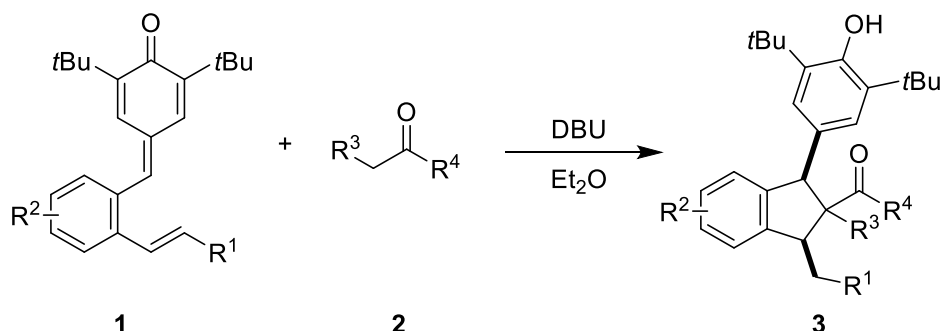


methyl

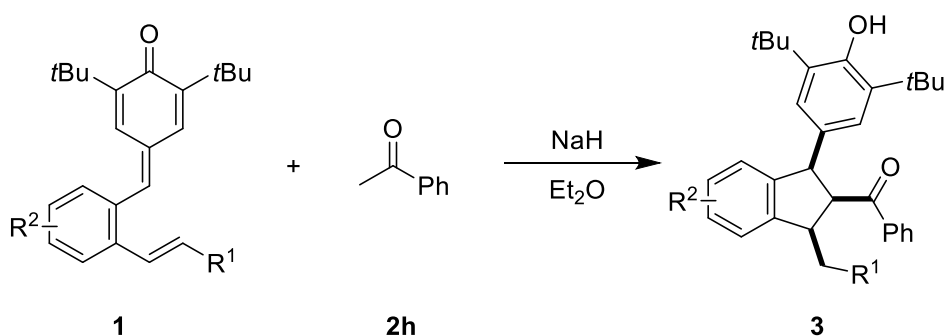
(E)-3-((3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-oxocyclohexa-2,5-dien-1-ylidene)methyl)-4-(3-methoxy-3-oxoprop-1-en-1-yl)benzoate (1r)

77% yield (672 mg); yellow solid, m.p. 120 – 122 °C. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.07 – 7.75 (m, 4H), 7.29 – 7.09 (m, 3H), 6.49 (d, *J* = 15.3 Hz, 1H), 3.95 – 3.82 (m, 6H), 1.36 – 1.25 (m, 18H); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 186.4, 166.5, 165.9, 150.0, 148.6, 141.0, 138.2, 137.6, 135.6, 134.1, 132.8, 131.0, 129.8, 127.4, 127.4, 122.5, 52.4, 51.9, 35.4, 35.1, 29.5, 29.4 ppm; IR(KBr): 2999, 2953, 2913, 2868, 1728, 1715, 1634, 1614, 1568, 1485, 1456, 1435, 1389, 1362, 1296, 1258, 1215, 1173, 1117, 1092, 1024, 986, 914, 883, 845, 822, 772, 735, 648 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for [C₂₇H₃₂O₅+H]⁺ 437.2323, found 437.2320.

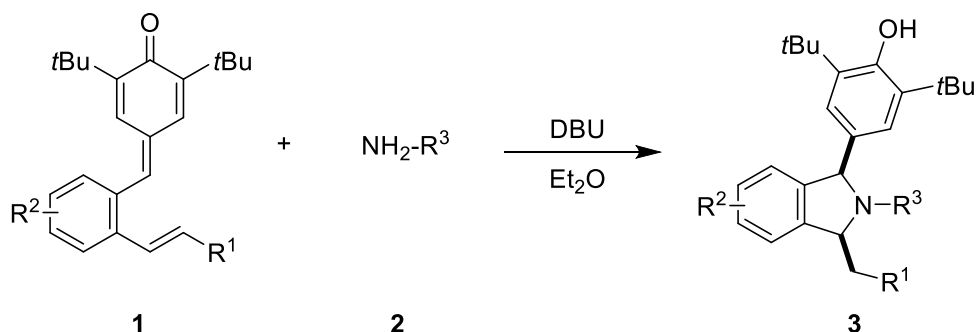
3. General Procedure of [4+1] Annulation of *ortho*-Electrophile-substituted *para*-Quinone Methides



A sealed tube was charged with **1** (0.2 mmol, 1 equiv), **2** (1 equiv), DBU (2.2 equiv), and Et_2O (2 mL). Then the reaction mixture was stirred at a.t. (ambient temperature) for 12 h. The solution was concentrated in *vacuo* and purified by careful chromatography on silica gel (PE/EA = 100/1) to afford the desired product.



A sealed tube was charged with **2h** (1.2 equiv), NaH (2.5 equiv), and dry Et_2O (1 mL), and the reaction mixture was stirred at a.t. for 10 min. Then, **1** (0.2 mmol, 1 equiv) in dry Et_2O (1 mL) was added to a suspension of **2h**. Then the reaction mixture was stirred at a.t. for 24 h. After hydrolysis with saturated ammonium chloride solution, the water phase was extracted with ethyl acetate for 3 times. The combined organic layers were washed with water and brine sequentially, dried over Na_2SO_4 , filtered and concentrated. The crude product was purified by flash chromatography on silica gel (PE/EA = 100/1) to afford the corresponding products.



A sealed tube was charged with **1** (0.2 mmol, 1 equiv), **2** (1 equiv), DBU (2.2 equiv), and solvent (2 mL). Then the reaction mixture was stirred at a.t. for 24 h. The solution was concentrated in *vacuo* and purified by careful chromatography on silica gel (PE/EA = 50/1) to afford the desired product.

4. Crystal Structure of 3aa

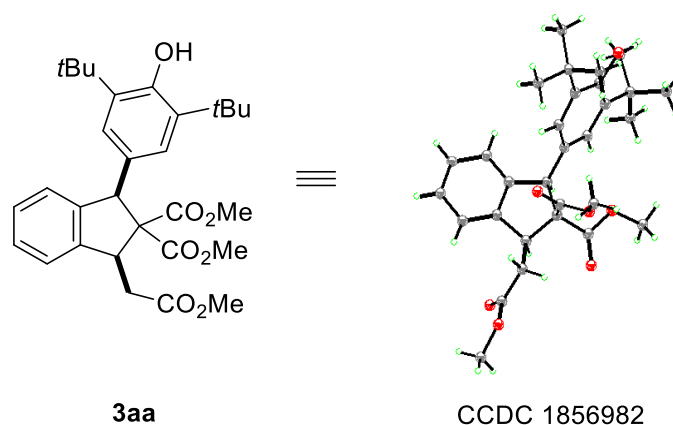


Figure S2. ORTEP plot of the crystal structure of 3aa (50% ellipsoid probability)

X-ray crystallographic data of **3aa**

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Formula weight	510.60
Temperature	298 K
Wavelength	1.54178 Å
Space group	P 1 21/c 1
Unit cell dimensions	a=11.8298(2) Å =90 °
	b=17.6502(3) Å =90.058(1) °
	c=13.5929(2) Å =90 °
Volume	2838.17(8) Å ³
Z	4
F(000)	1096.0
Completeness to theta = 74.530 °	99.8%
Max. and min. transmission	0.750 and 0.370
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S	1.068

5. Crystal Structure of 3ag

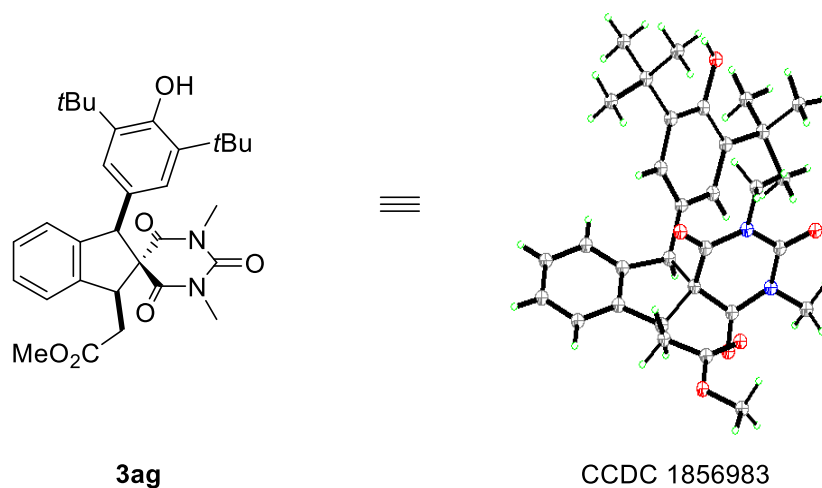
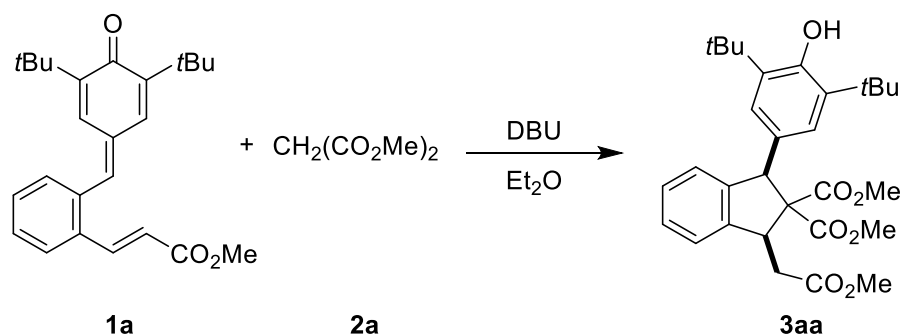


Figure S3. ORTEP plot of the crystal structure of 3ag (50% ellipsoid probability)

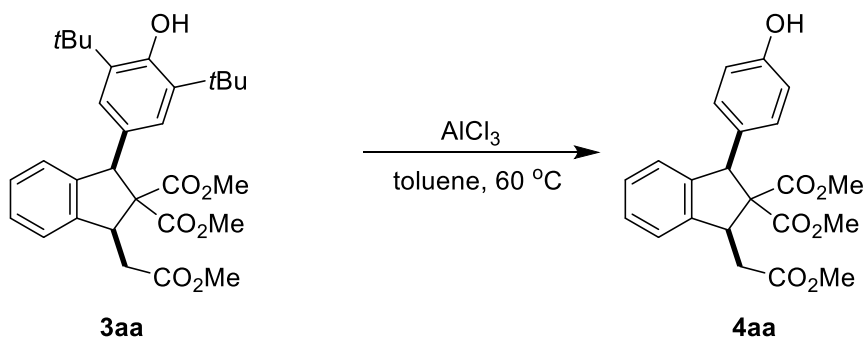
X-ray crystallographic data of 3ag

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Volume	2968.86(5) Å ³		
Z	4		
F(000)	1144.0		
Completeness to theta = 72.180°	99.6%		
Max. and min. transmission	0.754 and 0.557		
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6. Scale-up Experiment and Further Functionalization of 3aa

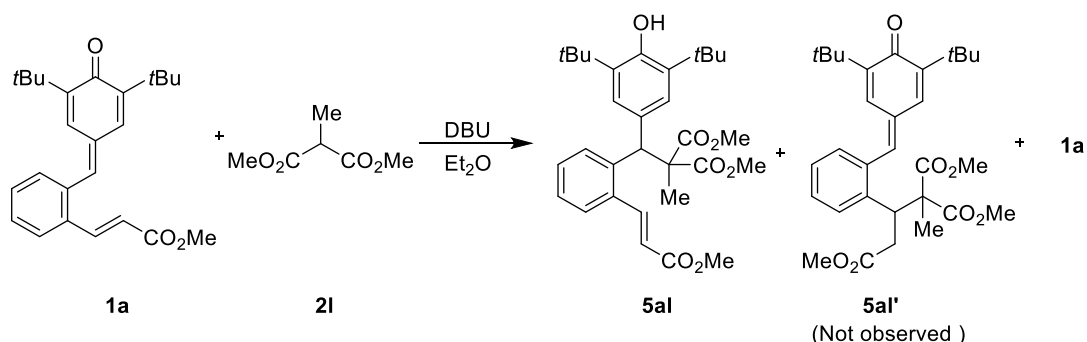


A sealed tube was charged with **1a** (1.136g, 3 mmol), **2a** (0.392 g, 3 mmol, 1 equiv), DBU (2.2 equiv), and Et₂O (30 mL). Then the reaction mixture was stirred at a.t. for 24 h. The solution was concentrated in *vacuo* and purified by careful chromatography on silica gel (PE/EA = 100/1) to afford the desired product 1.45g.



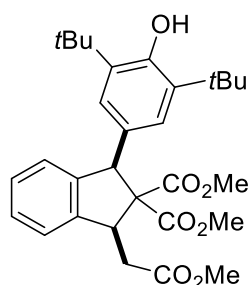
To a solution of **3aa** (102.1mg, 0.2 mmol) in toluene (3 ml) at a.t. was added AlCl₃ (5 equiv) in one portion. The mixture was immediately heated to 60 °C by using a preheated oil bath and maintained at this temperature for 2 h. The mixture was cooled to r.t. and poured into a separatory funnel containing ice and ethyl acetate (1/1). The layers were separated and the aqueous layer was extracted with ethyl acetate for 3 times. The combined organics were dried (Na₂SO₄), filtered, and concentrated in *vacuo*. The product was purified by column chromatography.

7. Mechanistic Experiments



A sealed tube was charged with **1a** (0.2 mmol, 1 equiv), **2l** (1 equiv), DBU (2.2 equiv), and Et₂O (2 mL). Then the reaction mixture was stirred at a.t. for 24 h. The solution was concentrated in *vacuo* and purified by careful chromatography on silica gel (PE/EA = 100/1) to afford the product.

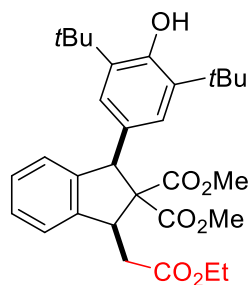
8. Characterization of the Title Products



dimethyl

(1R,3S)-1-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-3-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)-1,3-dihydro-2H-indene-2,2-dicarboxylate (3aa)

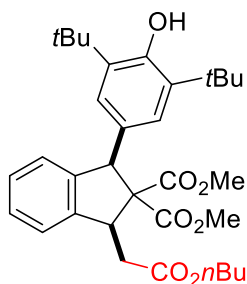
97% yield (99.1 mg), 9:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 160 – 162 °C. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.25 – 7.12 (m, 5H), 7.03 (d, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 5.29 (s, 1H), 5.14 (s, 1H), 4.09 (t, J = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 3.81 – 3.79 (m, 6H), 3.12 – 3.10 (m, 5H), 1.39 (s, 18H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 173.8, 171.4, 168.5, 153.0, 143.4, 142.0, 135.0, 128.6, 127.5, 126.9, 126.7, 125.1, 122.4, 72.1, 55.9, 52.6, 52.0, 51.5, 46.7, 36.1, 34.3, 30.4 ppm; IR(KBr): 3636, 3460, 3418, 2953, 2914, 2874, 1737, 1732, 1435, 1368, 1303, 1267, 1203, 1169, 1123, 1103, 1051, 1018, 976, 897, 741, 644 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{30}\text{H}_{38}\text{O}_7+\text{H}]^+$ 511.2690, found 511.2699.



dimethyl

(1R,3S)-1-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-3-(2-ethoxy-2-oxoethyl)-1,3-dihydro-2H-indene-2,2-dicarboxylate (3ba)

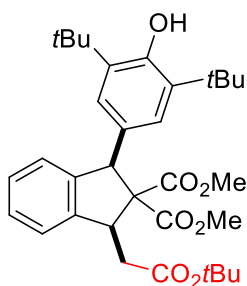
88% yield (92.4 mg), 11:1 dr; light yellow solid, m.p. 154 – 156 °C; ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.25 – 7.13 (m, 5H), 7.03 (d, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 5.29 (s, 1H), 5.14 (s, 1H), 4.26 (dd, J = 7.4, 4.6 Hz, 2H), 4.08 (d, J = 6.2 Hz, 1H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 3.10 (s, 5H), 1.40 – 1.30 (m, 21H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 173.3, 171.4, 168.5, 153.0, 143.5, 142.0, 135.0, 128.6, 127.5, 126.8, 126.7, 125.1, 122.5, 72.1, 60.8, 55.9, 52.6, 51.5, 46.7, 36.4, 34.3, 30.4, 14.3 ppm; IR(KBr): 3638, 3617, 2955, 2913, 2874, 1737, 1732, 1481, 1435, 1393, 1373, 1303, 1267, 1204, 1167, 1123, 1101, 1051, 1030, 976, 895, 808, 743, 646, 592 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{31}\text{H}_{40}\text{O}_7+\text{H}]^+$ 525.2847, found 525.2848.



dimethyl

(1*S*,3*R*)-1-(2-butoxy-2-oxoethyl)-3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-1,3-dihydro-2*H*-indene-2,2-dicarboxylate (3ca)

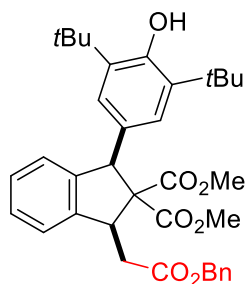
93% yield (102.4 mg), 5:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 102 – 104 °C. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.26 – 7.13 (m, 5H), 7.03 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 5.30 (s, 1H), 5.14 (s, 1H), 4.27 – 4.13z (m, 2H), 4.07 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 1H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 3.10 (s, 5H), 1.66 (q, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 1.49 – 1.39 (m, 20H), 0.96 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 3H) ppm; ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 173.4, 171.4, 168.5, 153.0, 143.5, 142.0, 135.0, 128.6, 127.5, 126.8, 126.7, 125.1, 122.5, 72.1, 64.7, 55.9, 52.6, 51.5, 46.7, 36.4, 34.3, 30.7, 30.4, 19.2, 13.7 ppm; IR(KBr): 3628, 3613, 2957, 2874, 1768, 1732, 1717, 1456, 1435, 1395, 1362, 1308, 1269, 1204, 1169, 1123, 1101, 1051, 976, 893, 808, 745, 644, 592 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for [C₃₃H₄₄O₇+H]⁺ 553.3160, found 553.3161.



dimethyl

(1*S*,3*R*)-1-(2-(tert-butoxy)-2-oxoethyl)-3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-1,3-dihydro-2*H*-indene-2,2-dicarboxylate (3da)

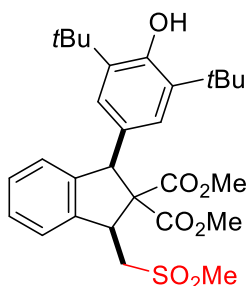
71% yield (78.0 mg); >20:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 149 – 150 °C. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.27 – 7.13 (m, 5H), 7.02 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 5.29 (s, 1H), 5.14 (s, 1H), 4.03 (t, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 3.82 (s, 3H), 3.09 (s, 3H), 3.02 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 1.53 (s, 9H), 1.39 (s, 18H) ppm; ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.5, 171.5, 168.5, 153.0, 143.8, 142.0, 135.0, 128.7, 127.4, 126.7, 125.0, 122.6, 80.7, 72.2, 55.9, 52.6, 51.5, 46.7, 37.6, 34.3, 30.4, 28.2 ppm; IR(KBr): 3645, 3613, 2953, 2914, 2874, 1748, 1731, 1715, 1456, 1435, 1393, 1368, 1265, 1211, 1153, 1123, 1101, 1051, 978, 895, 853, 808, 743, 646, 590, 545 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for [C₃₃H₄₄O₇+ Na]⁺ 575.2982, found 575.2979.



dimethyl

(1*S*,3*R*)-1-(2-(benzyloxy)-2-oxoethyl)-3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-1,3-dihydro-2*H*-indene-2,2-dicarboxylate (3ea)

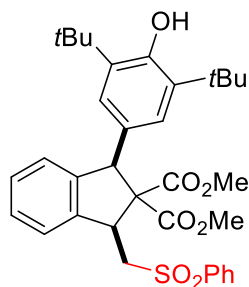
82% yield (96.5 mg), 5:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 128 – 130 °C. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.40 – 7.31 (m, 5H), 7.20 – 7.17 (m, 2H), 7.12 (s, 2H), 7.06 – 7.01 (m, 2H), 5.30 – 5.19 (m, 3H), 5.14 (s, 1H), 4.11 (t, J = 6.1 Hz, 1H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 3.17 (d, J = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 3.08 (s, 3H), 1.39 (s, 18H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 173.1, 171.4, 168.5, 153.0, 143.3, 142.0, 135.9, 135.1, 128.6, 128.6, 128.3, 128.3, 127.5, 126.8, 126.7, 125.1, 122.5, 72.1, 66.6, 56.0, 52.6, 51.5, 46.7, 36.4, 34.3, 30.4 ppm; IR(KBr): 3647, 3614, 2953, 2914, 2874, 1748, 1732, 1717, 1472, 1456, 1435, 1317, 1267, 1238, 1211, 1163, 1123, 1101, 1051, 975, 895, 743, 644 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{36}\text{H}_{42}\text{O}_7+\text{H}]^+$ 587.3003, found 587.3004.



dimethyl

(1*R*,3*S*)-1-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-3-((methylsulfonyl)methyl)-1,3-dihydro-2*H*-indene-2,2-dicarboxylate (3fa)

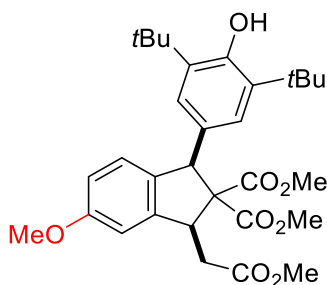
86% yield (91.7 mg), 10:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 188 – 190 °C, ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.07 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.72 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.63 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.51 (s, 2H), 7.42 (d, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 5.69 (s, 1H), 5.58 (s, 1H), 4.47 (d, J = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 4.31 – 4.17 (m, 5H), 3.51 (s, 3H), 3.44 (s, 3H), 1.81 (s, 18H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 170.8, 168.4, 153.1, 141.7, 141.5, 135.3, 128.3, 128.0, 127.3, 126.5, 125.0, 123.7, 72.9, 58.5, 55.7, 52.8, 51.8, 44.4, 41.4, 34.3, 30.4 ppm; IR(KBr): 3636, 3626, 2999, 2955, 2874, 1728, 1456, 1435, 1360, 1292, 1271, 1215, 1142, 1125, 1099, 1047, 970, 922, 893, 806, 737, 644, 602, 503, 480 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{29}\text{H}_{38}\text{O}_7\text{S}+\text{Na}]^+$ 553.2231, found 553.2233.



dimethyl

(1R,3S)-1-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-3-((phenylsulfonyl)methyl)-1,3-dihydro-2H-indene-2,2-dicarboxylate (3ga)

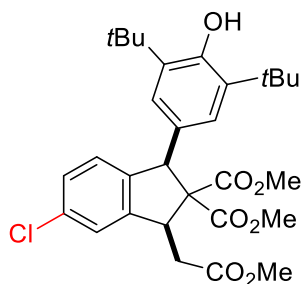
91% yield (108.1 mg), 10:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 236 – 238 °C, ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.42 (d, 2H), 8.12 – 7.99 (m, 4H), 7.68 (dt, J = 25.6, 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.49 – 7.42 (m, 3H), 5.72 (s, 1H), 5.56 (s, 1H), 4.45 – 4.38 (m, 2H), 4.25 (d, J = 13.0 Hz, 1H), 4.02 (s, 3H), 3.44 (s, 3H), 1.79 (s, 18H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 170.2, 168.3, 153.1, 141.7, 141.4, 139.7, 135.3, 133.7, 129.4, 128.3, 128.3, 127.9, 127.2, 126.3, 125.0, 123.7, 73.1, 60.1, 55.6, 52.6, 51.6, 44.6, 34.2, 30.3 ppm; IR(KBr): 3626, 3001, 2955, 2872, 1749, 1732, 1479, 1456, 1435, 1296, 1271, 1171, 1086, 1043, 961, 920, 891, 797, 741, 691, 548, 527 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{34}\text{H}_{40}\text{O}_7\text{S} + \text{Na}]^+$ 615.2387, found 615.2385.



dimethyl

(1R,3S)-1-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-5-methoxy-3-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)-1,3-dihydro-2H-indene-2,2-dicarboxylate (3ha)

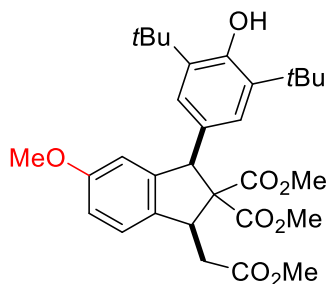
85% yield (91.9 mg), 7:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 152 – 155 °C. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.12 (s, 2H), 6.93 (dd, J = 8.3, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 6.73 (ddd, J = 8.4, 2.4, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 6.68 (dd, J = 2.4, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 5.23 (s, 1H), 5.14 (s, 1H), 4.05 (t, J = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 3.80 – 3.78 (m, 9H), 3.11 – 3.09 (m, 5H), 1.40 (s, 18H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 173.7, 171.4, 168.5, 159.4, 153.0, 144.9, 135.0, 133.9, 128.9, 126.6, 125.8, 112.3, 108.5, 72.3, 55.3, 55.2, 52.6, 52.0, 51.5, 46.6, 36.0, 34.3, 30.4; IR(KBr): 3647, 3615, 2953, 2913, 2876, 1771, 1748, 1715, 1472, 1456, 1339, 1317, 1269, 986, 891, 741, 704, 644 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{31}\text{H}_{40}\text{O}_8 + \text{H}]^+$ 541.2796, found 541.2790.



dimethyl

(1R,3S)-5-chloro-1-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-3-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)-1,3-dihydro-2H-indene-2,2-dicarboxylate (3ia)

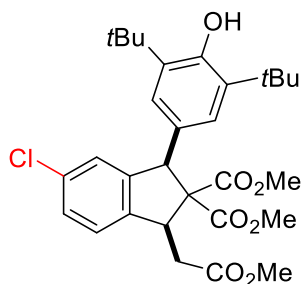
90% yield (98.2 mg), 8:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 168 – 170 °C. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.16 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 7.09 (s, 3H), 6.95 (dd, J = 8.1, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 5.22 (s, 1H), 5.17 (s, 1H), 4.05 (t, J = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 3.81 (s, 6H), 3.11 – 3.08 (m, 5H), 1.39 (s, 18H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 173.5, 171.0, 168.3, 153.2, 145.4, 140.7, 135.2, 133.1, 128.1, 127.1, 126.6, 126.2, 123.0, 72.3, 55.4, 52.7, 52.1, 51.7, 46.3, 35.9, 34.3, 30.4 ppm; IR(KBr): 3636, 3472, 3460, 3416, 2953, 1741, 1732, 1476, 1435, 1269, 1254, 1206, 1167, 1051, 870, 739 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{30}\text{H}_{37}\text{ClO}_7 + \text{H}]^+$ 545.2301, found 545.2295.



dimethyl

(1S,3R)-3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-5-methoxy-1-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)-1,3-dihydro-2H-indene-2,2-dicarboxylate (3ja)

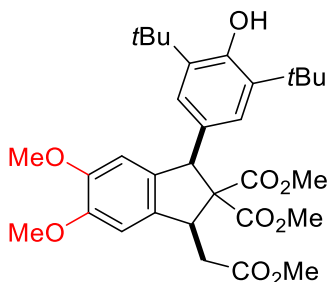
91% yield (98.8 mg), 9:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 160 – 162 °C. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.14 (s, 2H), 7.01 (dd, J = 8.4, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 6.80 (dd, J = 8.4, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 6.58 (s, 1H), 5.26 (s, 1H), 5.16 (s, 1H), 4.02 (t, J = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 3.11 (s, 3H), 3.09 – 3.06 (m, 2H), 1.40 (s, 18H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 173.8, 171.5, 168.5, 159.1, 153.1, 143.5, 135.5, 135.1, 128.4, 126.7, 123.2, 114.0, 110.2, 72.2, 55.9, 55.5, 52.6, 51.9, 51.5, 46.1, 36.3, 34.3, 30.4 ppm; IR(KBr): 3645, 3631, 3617, 2953, 2920, 2876, 1759, 1748, 1732, 1715, 1418, 1373, 1269, 1229, 1152, 1121, 1022, 773, 745, 708, 644, 571 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{31}\text{H}_{40}\text{O}_8 + \text{H}]^+$ 541.2796, found 541.2800.



dimethyl

(1*S*,3*R*)-5-chloro-3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-1-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)-1,3-dihydro-2*H*-indene-2,2-dicarboxylate (3*ka*)

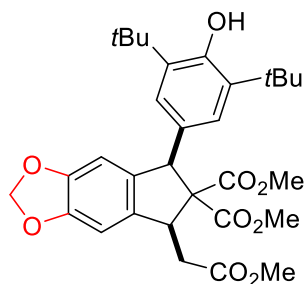
90% yield (97.7 mg), 7:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 146 – 148 °C. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.21 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 7.10 (s, 2H), 7.06 – 7.02 (m, 2H), 5.24 (s, 1H), 5.19 (s, 1H), 4.03 (t, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 3.13 (s, 3H), 3.10 – 3.07 (m, 2H), 1.40 (s, 18H) ppm; ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 173.6, 171.1, 168.3, 153.3, 144.2, 141.9, 135.3, 132.7, 127.8, 127.7, 126.6, 125.3, 123.7, 72.2, 55.7, 52.8, 52.1, 51.7, 46.2, 36.0, 34.3, 30.4 ppm; IR(KBr): 3618, 3599, 2955, 2914, 2874, 1748, 1732, 1474, 1435, 1373, 1362, 1260, 1207, 1167, 1123, 1105, 1051, 1020, 976, 901, 739, 669, 550 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for [C₃₀H₃₇ClO₇+H]⁺ 545.2301, found 545.2310.



dimethyl

(1*R*,3*S*)-1-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-5,6-dimethoxy-3-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)-1,3-dihydro-2*H*-indene-2,2-dicarboxylate (3*la*)

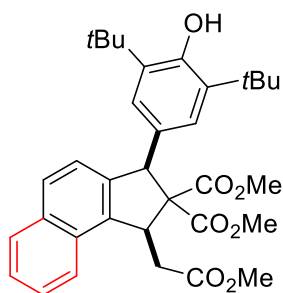
95% yield (108.1 mg), 5:1 dr; light yellow solid, m.p. 170 – 171 °C. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.15 (s, 2H), 6.71 (s, 1H), 6.58 (s, 1H), 5.27 (s, 1H), 5.17 (s, 1H), 4.04 (t, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 3.89 (s, 3H), 3.82 (s, 3H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 3.76 (s, 3H), 3.15 – 3.06 (m, 5H), 1.41 (s, 18H) ppm; ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 173.9, 171.5, 168.4, 153.0, 148.8, 148.4, 135.1, 133.5, 128.9, 126.6, 108.3, 105.9, 72.0, 56.1, 55.9, 55.6, 52.6, 51.9, 51.5, 46.6, 36.4, 34.3, 30.4 ppm; IR(KBr): 3645, 3617, 2953, 2932, 2872, 1771, 1748, 1715, 1506, 1472, 1339, 1274, 895, 862, 745, 648, 517 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for [C₃₂H₄₂O₉+H]⁺ 571.2902, found 571.2908.



dimethyl

(5R,7S)-5-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-7-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)-5,7-dihydro-6H-indeno[5,6-d][1,3]dioxole-6,6-dicarboxylate (3ma)

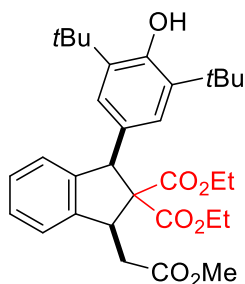
81% yield (90.3 mg), 7:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 168 – 170 °C. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.10 (s, 2H), 6.60 (s, 1H), 6.48 (s, 1H), 5.95 (d, J = 1.4 Hz, 1H), 5.89 (d, 1H), 5.17 (s, 1H), 5.14 (s, 1H), 3.98 (t, J = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 3.12 (s, 3H), 3.07 – 3.04 (m, 2H), 1.40 (s, 18H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 173.7, 171.3, 168.4, 153.1, 147.3, 147.0, 136.2, 135.1, 135.0, 128.7, 126.6, 105.6, 103.5, 101.1, 72.0, 55.6, 52.6, 52.0, 51.5, 46.3, 36.3, 34.3, 30.4 ppm; IR(KBr): 3647, 3616, 2955, 2926, 2870, 1749, 1734, 1717, 1456, 1338, 1157, 1115, 1045, 1022, 972, 935, 893, 843, 741, 644 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{31}\text{H}_{38}\text{O}_9+\text{H}]^+$ 555.2589, found 555.2593.



dimethyl

(1S,3R)-3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-1-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)-1,3-dihydro-2H-cyclopenta[a]naphthalene-2,2-dicarboxylate (3na)

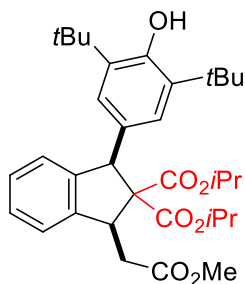
81% yield (91.1 mg), >20:1 dr; light yellow solid, m.p. 108 – 112 °C. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.99 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.88 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.71 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.59 – 7.54 (m, 1H), 7.51 – 7.45 (m, 1H), 7.13 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.05 (s, 2H), 5.64 (s, 1H), 5.15 (s, 1H), 5.03 (dd, J = 8.1, 3.1 Hz, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 3.04 (s, 3H), 2.71 – 2.55 (m, 2H), 1.38 (s, 18H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 172.0, 170.5, 170.0, 153.0, 140.4, 138.5, 135.3, 133.7, 129.2, 128.9, 128.6, 128.1, 126.7, 126.3, 125.5, 123.7, 123.5, 71.8, 55.9, 52.4, 51.9, 45.6, 36.8, 34.3, 30.4 ppm; IR(KBr): 3647, 3617, 3055, 2953, 2911, 2872, 1771, 1748, 1715, 1472, 1456, 1435, 1418, 1395, 1373, 1362, 1269, 1244, 1080, 1024, 986, 918, 891, 768, 741, 704, 640, 546 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{34}\text{H}_{40}\text{O}_7+\text{H}]^+$ 561.284, found 561.2845.



diethyl

(1R,3S)-1-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-3-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)-1,3-dihydro-2H-indene-2,2-dicarboxylate (3ab)

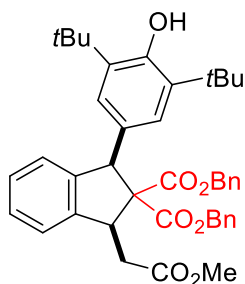
85% yield (92 mg), 10:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 84 – 86 °C. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.25 – 7.11 (m, 5H), 7.03 (d, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 5.32 (s, 1H), 5.14 (s, 1H), 4.33 – 4.23 (m, 2H), 4.05 (dd, J = 7.6, 3.9 Hz, 1H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 3.66 (dd, J = 10.7, 7.0 Hz, 1H), 3.35 (dd, J = 10.6, 7.0 Hz, 1H), 3.17 (t, J = 5.4 Hz, 2H), 1.39 (s, 18H), 1.27 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 0.68 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 173.9, 170.8, 168.1, 153.0, 143.6, 141.9, 135.0, 128.9, 127.5, 126.7, 126.7, 125.1, 122.4, 72.2, 61.4, 60.5, 55.7, 51.9, 46.6, 36.0, 34.3, 30.4, 14.0, 13.2 ppm; IR(KBr): 3645, 3626, 3607, 2955, 2872, 1732, 1472, 1435, 1366, 1256, 1198, 1169, 1121, 1101, 1049, 1018, 773, 745, 644 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{32}\text{H}_{42}\text{O}_7+\text{H}]^+$ 539.3003, found 539.3003.



methyl

2-((1R,3S)-3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-2,2-diisopropyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-inden-1-yl)acetate (3ac)

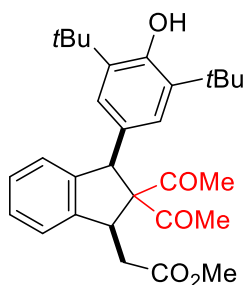
83% yield (94.4 mg); 13:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 142 – 143 °C. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.26 – 7.11 (m, 5H), 7.01 (d, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 5.31 (s, 1H), 5.14 (d, J = 11.1 Hz, 2H), 4.30 (p, J = 6.4 Hz, 1H), 4.01 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 3.26 – 3.08 (m, 2H), 1.39 (s, 18H), 1.28 – 1.25 (m, 6H), 1.01 (d, J = 6.1 Hz, 3H), 0.39 (d, J = 6.3 Hz, 3H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 174.0, 170.4, 167.6, 153.0, 143.8, 142.2, 134.9, 129.0, 127.4, 126.9, 126.7, 125.0, 122.4, 72.2, 68.7, 68.2, 55.5, 51.9, 46.8, 36.4, 34.3, 30.4, 21.7, 21.5, 21.4, 20.7 ppm; IR(KBr): 3630, 3601, 2955, 2876, 1740, 1722, 1541, 1508, 1456, 1435, 1373, 1267, 1204, 1169, 1107, 1043, 922, 899, 833, 771, 752, 644, 592 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{34}\text{H}_{46}\text{O}_7+\text{H}]^+$ 567.3316, found 567.3321.



dibenzyl

(1R,3S)-1-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-3-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)-1,3-dihydro-2H-indene-2,2-dicarboxylate (3ad)

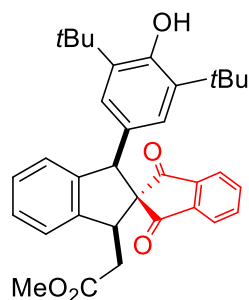
90% yield (119.6 mg), 8:1 dr; light yellow solid, m.p. 58 – 60 °C. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.26 – 7.14 (m, 13H), 7.03 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 6.68 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 2H), 5.38 (s, 1H), 5.16 (s, 3H), 4.73 (d, *J* = 12.6 Hz, 1H), 4.22 (d, *J* = 12.5 Hz, 1H), 4.13 (s, 1H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 3.16 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 1.34 (s, 18H) ppm; ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 173.7, 170.5, 168.0, 153.3, 143.5, 142.0, 135.4, 135.3, 134.8, 128.7, 128.5, 128.3, 128.1, 128.0, 127.9, 127.6, 127.4, 126.9, 126.8, 125.1, 122.4, 72.6, 67.4, 66.6, 56.2, 51.9, 46.9, 36.0, 34.3, 30.4 ppm; IR(KBr): 3628, 3618, 3067, 3032, 2953, 2874, 1748, 1732, 1717, 1603, 1588, 1541, 1456, 1435, 1373, 1313, 1269, 1121, 1098, 1045, 895, 799, 743, 696, 646, 601, 489, 459 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for [C₄₂H₄₆O₇+H]⁺ 663.3316, found 663.3314.



methyl

2-((1S,3R)-2,2-diacetyl-3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-inden-1-yl)acetate (3ae)

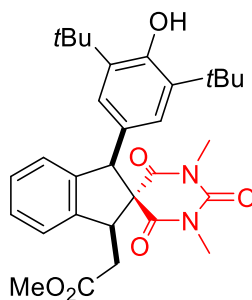
75% yield (71.7 mg), 6:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 148 – 152 °C. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.25 – 7.18 (m, 3H), 7.11 (d, 1H), 6.91 (s, 2H), 5.15 (s, 1H), 5.01 (s, 1H), 4.71 (dd, *J* = 10.8, 3.3 Hz, 1H), 3.76 (s, 3H), 2.59 (dd, *J* = 16.0, 3.3 Hz, 1H), 2.28 (dd, *J* = 16.0, 10.7 Hz, 1H), 2.05 (s, 3H), 1.59 (s, 3H), 1.36 (s, 18H) ppm; ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 207.1, 204.3, 172.4, 153.1, 143.8, 143.1, 135.8, 129.3, 127.9, 125.8, 125.3, 123.7, 82.1, 54.9, 52.0, 44.0, 35.8, 34.3, 30.3, 29.4, 28.9 ppm; IR(KBr): 3647, 3617, 3599, 3566, 3071, 2955, 2922, 2874, 1748, 1732, 1715, 1697, 1682, 1472, 1456, 1435, 1417, 1362, 1211, 1123, 1063, 1022, 997, 887, 756, 741, 660, 625 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for [C₃₀H₃₈O₅+H]⁺ 479.2792, found 479.2789.



methyl

2-((1R,3S)-1-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-1',3'-dioxo-1,1',3,3'-tetrahydro-2,2'-spirobi[inden]-3-yl)acetate (3af)

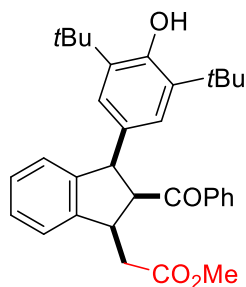
70% yield (73 mg), >20:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 170 – 171 °C. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.92 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.65 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.51 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.38 – 7.24 (m, 4H), 7.09 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 6.66 (s, 2H), 4.94 (d, *J* = 14.5 Hz, 2H), 4.35 (dd, *J* = 11.1, 4.7 Hz, 1H), 3.30 (s, 3H), 3.12 (dd, *J* = 16.3, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 2.91 (dd, *J* = 16.2, 11.0 Hz, 1H), 1.20 (s, 18H) ppm; ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 202.0, 200.0, 172.5, 152.8, 143.8, 142.5, 141.4, 135.2, 134.6, 134.5, 127.9, 127.5, 126.3, 126.2, 124.6, 122.8, 122.1, 122.1, 72.3, 62.0, 51.3, 43.4, 34.0, 33.8, 30.1 ppm; IR(KBr): 3645, 3630, 3608, 2954, 2924, 2870, 1740, 1705, 1595, 1541, 1456, 1435, 1362, 1271, 1236, 1163, 908, 874, 750 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for [C₃₄H₃₆O₅+H]⁺ 525.2636, found 525.2634.



methyl

2-((1R,3S)-1-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-1',3'-dimethyl-2',4',6'-trioxo-1,1',3,3',4',6'-hexahydro-2'H-spiro[indene-2,5'-pyrimidin]-3-yl)acetate (3ag)

81% yield (86.7 mg); >20:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 148 – 149 °C. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.33 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.26 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.20 (t, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 1H), 7.03 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 6.85 (s, 2H), 5.28 (s, 1H), 4.93 (s, 1H), 4.74 (dd, *J* = 11.5, 5.4 Hz, 1H), 3.56 (s, 3H), 3.42 (s, 3H), 3.13 (dd, *J* = 15.1, 8.5 Hz, 2H), 2.61 (s, 3H), 1.37 (s, 18H) ppm; ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 173.1, 172.1, 167.9, 154.0, 151.0, 144.4, 139.4, 136.0, 128.0, 127.3, 126.0, 125.4, 124.8, 122.1, 69.3, 64.7, 51.8, 45.5, 34.3, 32.6, 30.2, 29.0, 27.7 ppm; IR(KBr): 3630, 3614, 3595, 3588, 2957, 2926, 2872, 1748, 1732, 1682, 1645, 1456, 1435, 1361, 1302, 1238, 1177, 1119, 1059, 1034, 1002, 976, 754, 634, 600 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for [C₃₁H₃₈N₂O₆+H]⁺ 535.2798, found 535.2803.



methyl

2-((1R,3R)-2-benzoyl-3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-inden-1-yl)acetate (3ah**)**

67% yield (66.6 mg), >20:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 100 – 102 °C. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.54 (d, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.41 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.30 – 7.20 (m, 5H), 6.99 (d, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 6.78 (s, 2H), 5.05 (s, 1H), 4.38 – 4.27 (m, 2H), 4.14 (t, J = 9.1 Hz, 1H), 3.41 (s, 3H), 2.97 (dd, J = 14.8, 5.0 Hz, 1H), 2.60 (dd, J = 14.9, 8.8 Hz, 1H), 1.28 (s, 18H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 201.7, 172.3, 152.7, 144.2, 144.1, 137.5, 136.0, 133.0, 132.7, 128.6, 128.1, 127.5, 127.3, 125.1, 125.0, 123.1, 63.8, 57.2, 51.5, 43.6, 38.9, 34.2, 30.2 ppm; IR(KBr): 3628, 2953, 2920, 2872, 1734, 1674, 1447, 1435, 1362, 1250, 1234, 1200, 1155, 1119, 1024, 901, 748, 702, 685 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{33}\text{H}_{38}\text{O}_4+\text{H}]^+$ 499.2843, found 499.2842.

The NOE result of **3ah** (Figure S4 and Figure S5).

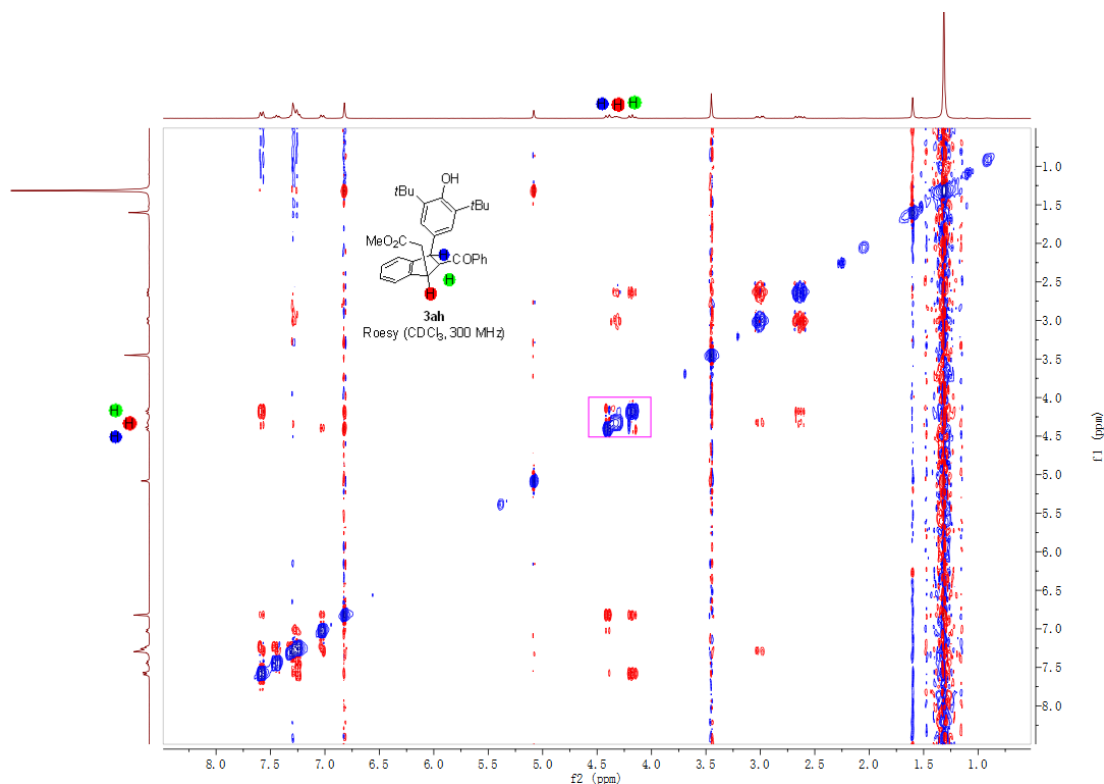


Figure S4 NOE spectrum of **3ah**

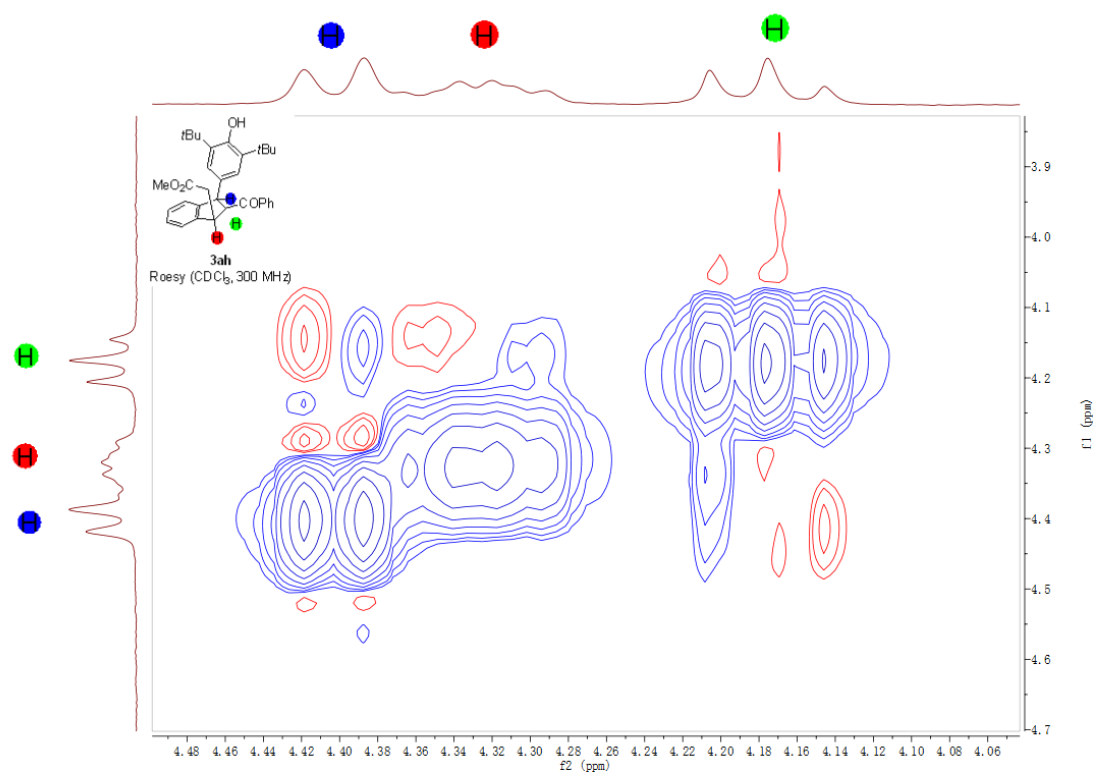
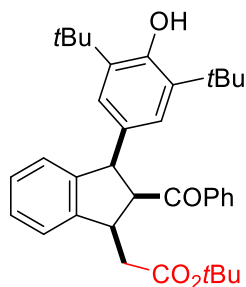


Figure S5 NOE spectrum of 3ah



tert-butyl

2-((1*R*,3*R*)-2-benzoyl-3-(3,5-di-*tert*-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-inden-1-yl)acetate (3dh**)**

68% yield (73.8 mg), >20:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 100 – 102 °C. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.58 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.41 (t, J = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 7.30 – 7.19 (m, 5H), 6.99 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 6.79 (s, 2H), 5.05 (s, 1H), 4.38 (d, J = 9.0 Hz, 1H), 4.30 – 4.18 (m, 2H), 2.77 (dd, J = 14.8, 5.0 Hz, 1H), 2.59 (dd, J = 14.7, 7.5 Hz, 1H), 1.27 (s, 27H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 201.8, 171.3, 152.6, 144.3, 144.1, 137.7, 135.9, 133.1, 132.7, 128.7, 128.1, 127.3, 127.1, 125.0, 125.0, 123.5, 80.7, 63.2, 57.1, 43.8, 39.9, 34.2, 30.3, 27.9 ppm; IR(KBr): 3640, 3067, 2959, 2872, 1728, 1715, 1674, 1597, 1580, 1479, 1435, 1393, 1368, 1288, 1250, 1234, 1146, 1121, 1024, 964, 905, 839, 770, 745, 700, 685 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{36}\text{H}_{44}\text{O}_4+\text{Na}]^+$ 563.3132, found 563.3128.

The NOE result of **3dh** (Figure S6 and Figure S7).

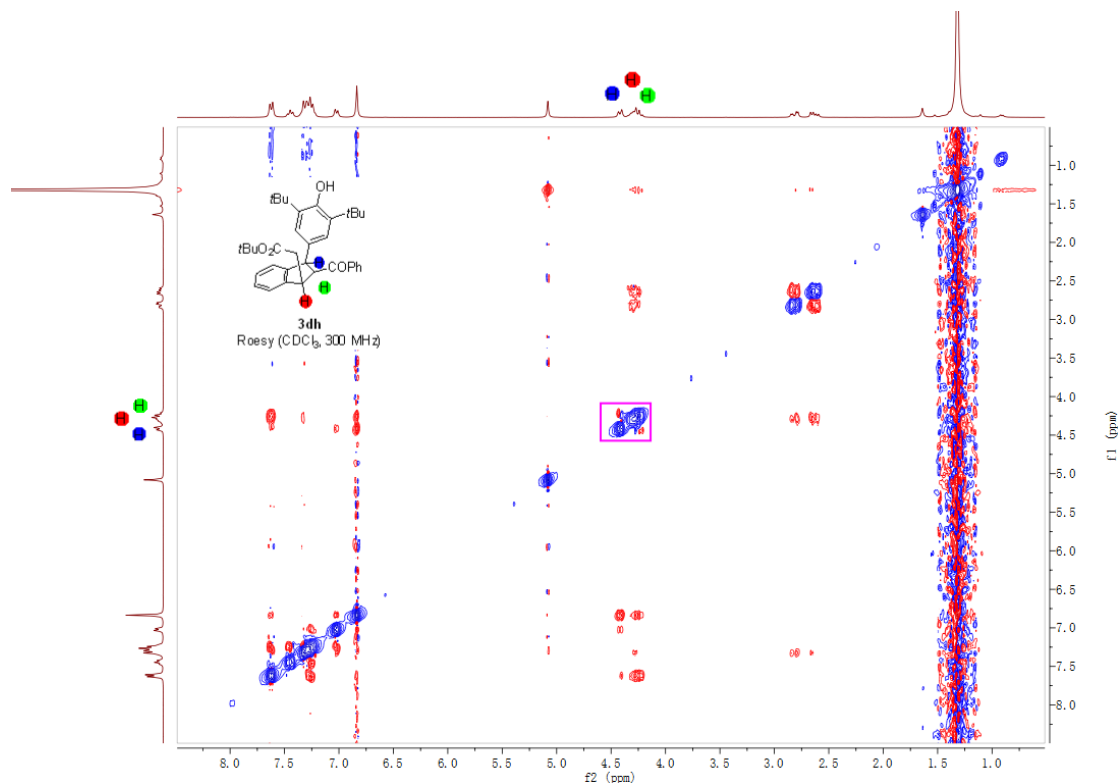


Figure S6 NOE spectrum of 3dh

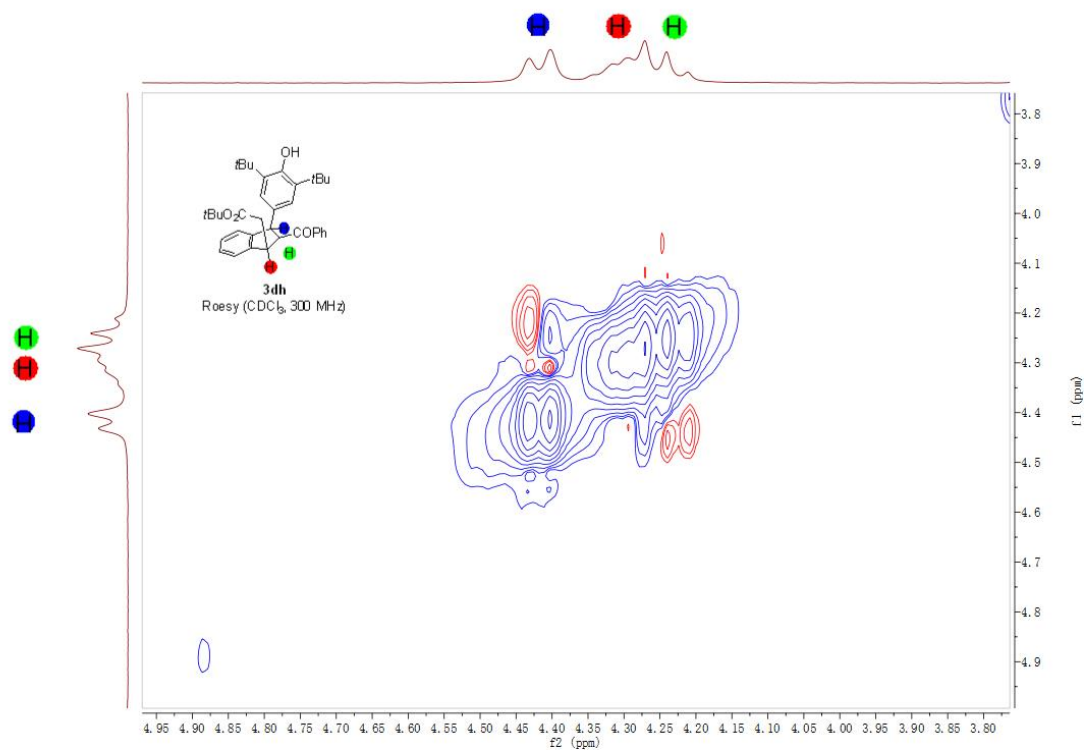
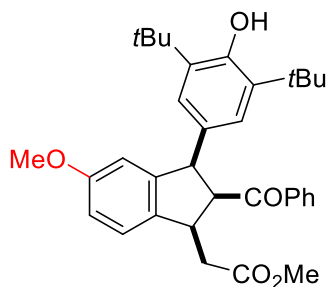


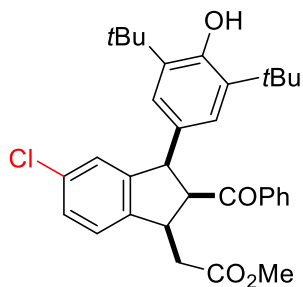
Figure S7 NOE spectrum of 3dh



methyl

2-((1R,3R)-2-benzoyl-3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-5-methoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-inden-1-yl)acetate (3jh)

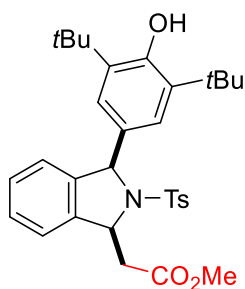
71% yield (75.1 mg), >20:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 86 – 88 °C. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.55 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.41 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.26 – 7.21 (m, 2H), 7.14 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 6.84 – 6.80 (m, 3H), 6.53 (d, J = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 5.06 (s, 1H), 4.35 (d, J = 9.2 Hz, 1H), 4.20 (td, J = 8.6, 4.9 Hz, 1H), 4.12 (t, J = 8.9 Hz, 1H), 3.72 (s, 3H), 3.40 (s, 3H), 2.92 (dd, J = 14.8, 5.0 Hz, 1H), 2.57 (dd, J = 14.8, 8.7 Hz, 1H), 1.28 (s, 18H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 201.7, 172.4, 159.7, 152.7, 145.7, 137.5, 136.2, 136.0, 132.7, 128.6, 128.1, 125.0, 123.8, 113.7, 110.1, 64.0, 57.1, 55.6, 51.4, 43.1, 39.2, 34.2, 30.3 ppm; IR(KBr): 3645, 3626, 2953, 2922, 2872, 1738, 1674, 1609, 1595, 1493, 1435, 1360, 1281, 1238, 1207, 1196, 1155, 1117, 1034, 806, 785, 694 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{34}\text{H}_{40}\text{O}_5 + \text{H}]^+$ 529.2949, found 529.2948.



methyl

2-((1R,3R)-2-benzoyl-5-chloro-3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-inden-1-yl)acetate (3kh)

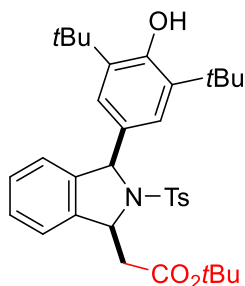
54% yield (57.9 mg), >20:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 150 – 151 °C. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.54 (dd, J = 8.4, 1.3 Hz, 2H), 7.42 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.26 – 7.16 (m, 4H), 6.96 (s, 1H), 6.77 (s, 2H), 5.10 (s, 1H), 4.34 – 4.16 (m, 3H), 3.44 (s, 3H), 2.91 (dd, J = 15.0, 4.7 Hz, 1H), 2.62 (dd, J = 15.0, 7.9 Hz, 1H), 1.29 (s, 18H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 201.1, 172.0, 152.9, 146.3, 142.5, 137.3, 136.1, 133.3, 132.9, 132.2, 128.6, 128.1, 127.6, 125.2, 125.0, 124.3, 63.6, 56.7, 51.5, 43.0, 38.5, 34.2, 30.2 ppm; IR(KBr): 3636, 3626, 3061, 2955, 2924, 2872, 1738, 1674, 1597, 1580, 1472, 1435, 1362, 1250, 1236, 1200, 1157, 1121, 1072, 1016, 916, 874, 814, 772, 704, 687 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{33}\text{H}_{37}\text{ClO}_4 + \text{H}]^+$ 533.2453, found 533.2450.



methyl

2-((1S,3R)-3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-2-tosylisoindolin-1-yl)acetate (3ai)

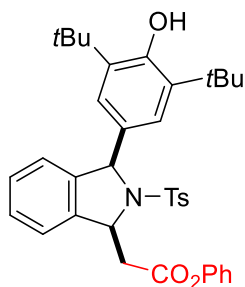
82% yield (90.0 mg), >20:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 188 – 189 °C. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.66 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.23 – 7.16 (m, 5H), 7.07 (s, 2H), 7.01 – 6.98 (m, 1H), 5.92 (s, 1H), 5.61 (dd, *J* = 8.7, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 5.17 (s, 1H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 3.38 (dd, *J* = 15.8, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 2.85 (dd, *J* = 15.8, 8.7 Hz, 1H), 2.34 (s, 3H), 1.42 (s, 18H) ppm; ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 171.3, 153.3, 143.4, 140.4, 138.5, 135.7, 135.6, 132.4, 129.5, 128.3, 128.1, 127.6, 124.2, 123.7, 122.6, 69.6, 61.9, 51.9, 43.9, 34.4, 30.3, 21.5 ppm; IR(KBr): 3626, 2953, 2922, 2874, 1746, 1738, 1597, 1485, 1435, 1352, 1304, 1165, 1092, 1055, 1015, 988, 918, 897, 812, 785, 752, 706, 671, 602, 561 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for [C₃₂H₃₉NO₅S+H]⁺ 550.2622, found 550.2619.



tert-butyl

2-((1S,3R)-3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-2-tosylisoindolin-1-yl)acetate (3di)

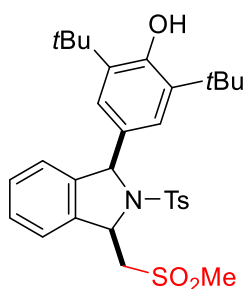
86% yield (101.3 mg), >20:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 152 – 154 °C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.64 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.26 – 7.14 (m, 5H), 7.03 (s, 2H), 6.95 (d, *J* = 6.5 Hz, 1H), 5.87 (s, 1H), 5.53 (dd, *J* = 9.7, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 5.12 (s, 1H), 3.35 (dd, *J* = 15.8, 3.7 Hz, 1H), 2.67 (dd, *J* = 15.8, 9.7 Hz, 1H), 2.32 (s, 3H), 1.53 (s, 9H), 1.38 (s, 18H) ppm; ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.2, 153.3, 143.3, 140.4, 139.0, 135.7, 135.6, 132.6, 129.5, 128.2, 128.0, 127.6, 124.2, 123.7, 122.7, 81.3, 69.5, 62.0, 45.3, 34.3, 30.3, 28.2, 21.5 ppm; IR(KBr): 3636, 2961, 2928, 2872, 1728, 1597, 1483, 1435, 1393, 1352, 1306, 1234, 1159, 1121, 1094, 1047, 970, 899, 839, 814, 750, 671, 658, 559, 548 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for [C₃₅H₄₅NO₅S+Na]⁺ 614.2911, found 614.2906.



phenyl

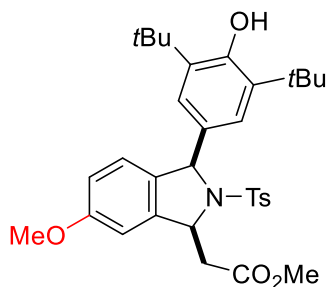
2-((1S,3R)-3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-2-tosylisoindolin-1-yl)acetate (3oi)

59% yield (72.8 mg), >20:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 132 – 133 °C. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.65 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.39 (t, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.32 – 7.12 (m, 8H), 7.06 (s, 2H), 6.98 (d, J = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 5.91 (s, 1H), 5.68 (t, J = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 5.13 (s, 1H), 3.57 (dd, J = 15.9, 4.6 Hz, 1H), 3.12 (dd, J = 15.9, 8.0 Hz, 1H), 2.31 (s, 3H), 1.37 (s, 18H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 169.4, 153.4, 150.6, 143.5, 140.6, 138.3, 135.7, 135.6, 132.2, 129.6, 129.5, 128.5, 128.2, 127.8, 126.0, 124.3, 123.8, 122.7, 121.7, 69.8, 61.9, 44.1, 34.4, 30.3, 21.5 ppm; IR(KBr): 3628, 3065, 2957, 2920, 2872, 1755, 1593, 1493, 1435, 1352, 1294, 1234, 1196, 1163, 1094, 1069, 943, 897, 814, 748, 689, 660, 561, 548 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{37}\text{H}_{41}\text{NO}_5\text{S}+\text{H}]^+$ 612.2778, found 612.2775.



2,6-di-tert-butyl-4-((1R,3R)-3-((methylsulfonyl)methyl)-2-tosylisoindolin-1-yl)phenol (3fi)

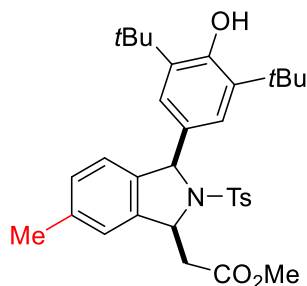
84% yield (96.0 mg), >20:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 196 – 197 °C. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.63 – 7.60 (m, 3H), 7.28 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.22 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.16 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 6.98 – 6.94 (m, 3H), 5.86 (s, 1H), 5.53 (dd, J = 7.4, 3.0 Hz, 1H), 5.19 (s, 1H), 3.88 (dd, J = 15.0, 3.1 Hz, 1H), 3.48 (dd, J = 14.9, 7.3 Hz, 1H), 3.16 (s, 3H), 2.32 (s, 3H), 1.37 (s, 18H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 153.5, 144.1, 139.7, 137.5, 135.8, 134.3, 131.5, 129.7, 128.7, 128.6, 127.6, 124.3, 123.7, 123.5, 69.4, 62.7, 60.4, 42.4, 34.3, 30.2, 21.5 ppm; IR(KBr): 3626, 3046, 2957, 2872, 1732, 1597, 1485, 1435, 1350, 1306, 1236, 1161, 1119, 1092, 1047, 970, 922, 891, 843, 814, 741, 706, 671, 615, 561, 503 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{31}\text{H}_{39}\text{NO}_5\text{S}_2+\text{Na}]^+$ 592.2162, found 592.2159.



methyl

2-((1S,3R)-3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-6-methoxy-2-tosylisoindolin-1-yl)acetate (3hi)

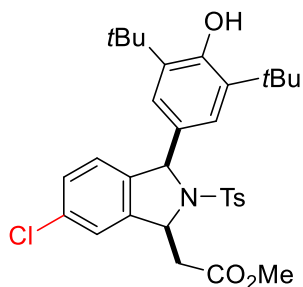
84% yield (97.5 mg), >20:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 153 – 155 °C. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.62 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.14 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.03 (s, 2H), 6.85 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 6.74 – 6.72 (m, 2H), 5.81 (s, 1H), 5.51 (dd, J = 8.9, 4.2 Hz, 1H), 5.12 (s, 1H), 3.77 – 3.73 (m, 6H), 3.33 (dd, J = 16.0, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 2.81 (dd, J = 15.9, 8.8 Hz, 1H), 2.31 (s, 3H), 1.38 (s, 18H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 170.8, 159.3, 152.7, 142.8, 139.5, 135.1, 132.2, 132.0, 129.0, 127.1, 124.0, 123.6, 114.5, 106.7, 68.7, 61.4, 54.9, 51.3, 43.4, 33.8, 29.8, 20.9 ppm; IR(KBr): 3626, 3617, 2955, 2916, 2872, 1738, 1614, 1597, 1495, 1435, 1350, 1325, 1306, 1288, 1261, 1234, 1163, 1119, 1094, 1034, 1016, 889, 812, 739, 669, 588, 550 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{33}\text{H}_{41}\text{NO}_6\text{S}+\text{H}]^+$ 580.2727, found 580.2721.



methyl

2-((1S,3R)-3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-6-methyl-2-tosylisoindolin-1-yl)acetate (3pi)

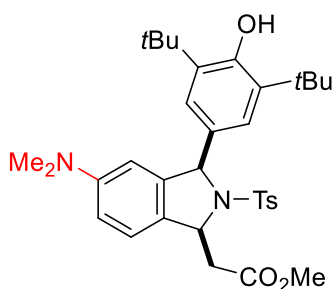
83% yield (93.1 mg), >20:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 196 – 198 °C. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.62 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.14 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.04 (s, 2H), 7.00 – 6.98 (m, 2H), 6.83 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 5.83 (s, 1H), 5.52 (dd, J = 8.6, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 5.11 (s, 1H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.33 (dd, J = 15.8, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 2.81 (dd, J = 15.8, 8.6 Hz, 1H), 2.31 – 2.28 (m, 6H), 1.38 (s, 18H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 171.3, 153.2, 143.3, 138.7, 137.9, 137.6, 135.8, 135.6, 132.6, 129.5, 129.3, 127.6, 124.1, 123.4, 122.9, 69.5, 61.9, 51.8, 44.0, 34.3, 30.3, 21.4, 21.4 ppm; IR(KBr): 3626, 2955, 2924, 2872, 1736, 1597, 1497, 1435, 1352, 1306, 1234, 1163, 1121, 1094, 1045, 1016, 887, 810, 669, 584, 550 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{33}\text{H}_{41}\text{NO}_5\text{S}+\text{H}]^+$ 564.2778, found 564.2780.



methyl

2-((1*S*,3*R*)-6-chloro-3-(3,5-di-*tert*-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-2-tosylisoindolin-1-yl)acetate (3ii)

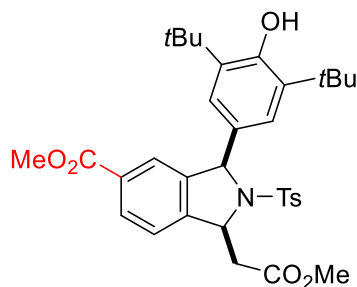
87% yield (101.6 mg), >20:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 187 – 189 °C. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.60 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.23 (s, 1H), 7.16 – 7.13 (m, 3H), 7.00 (s, 2H), 6.88 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 5.83 (s, 1H), 5.53 (dd, *J* = 9.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 5.16 (s, 1H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.34 (dd, *J* = 16.2, 4.1 Hz, 1H), 2.82 (dd, *J* = 16.2, 9.0 Hz, 1H), 2.32 (s, 3H), 1.38 (s, 18H) ppm; ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 171.1, 153.5, 143.5, 140.4, 139.0, 135.8, 135.5, 133.9, 131.8, 129.6, 128.8, 127.6, 124.9, 124.2, 123.0, 69.2, 61.5, 52.0, 43.5, 34.3, 30.2, 21.5 ppm; IR(KBr): 3632, 2955, 2872, 1736, 1599, 1477, 1435, 1354, 1319, 1306, 1234, 1207, 1163, 1121, 1094, 1045, 910, 812, 735, 687, 667, 575, 550 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for [C₃₂H₃₈ClNO₅S+Na]⁺ 606.2051, found 606.2051.



methyl

2-((1*S*,3*R*)-3-(3,5-di-*tert*-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-5-(dimethylamino)-2-tosylisoindolin-1-yl)acetate (3qi)

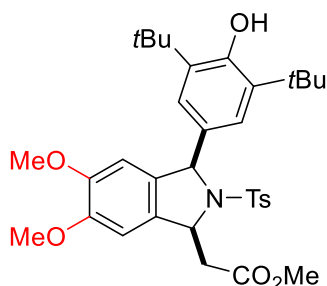
84% yield (99.5 mg), >20:1 dr; yellow solid, m.p. 110 – 112 °C. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.64 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.16 – 7.11 (m, 4H), 7.01 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 1H), 6.57 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 6.27 (s, 1H), 5.81 (s, 1H), 5.43 (dd, *J* = 8.9, 4.4 Hz, 1H), 5.11 (s, 1H), 3.76 (s, 3H), 3.32 (dd, *J* = 15.5, 4.4 Hz, 1H), 2.83 – 2.71 (m, 7H), 2.31 (s, 3H), 1.40 (s, 18H) ppm; ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 171.5, 153.2, 150.8, 143.2, 141.5, 135.7, 135.5, 132.7, 129.5, 127.6, 126.6, 123.9, 123.0, 112.8, 106.7, 69.7, 61.7, 51.7, 44.4, 40.6, 34.4, 30.3, 21.5 ppm; IR(KBr): 3626, 2955, 2922, 2872, 1738, 1732, 1620, 1514, 1435, 1352, 1306, 1233, 1163, 1119, 1094, 1047, 972, 910, 812, 735, 679, 662, 586, 550 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for [C₃₄H₄₄N₂O₅S+H]⁺ 593.3044, found 593.3040.



methyl

2-((1S,3R)-3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-5-methyl-2-tosylisoindolin-1-yl)acetate compound with carbon dioxide (3ri)

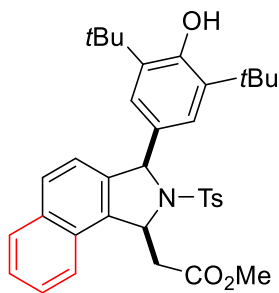
87% yield (105.5 mg), >20:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 121 – 123 °C. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.91 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 7.64 – 7.57 (m, 3H), 7.31 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.12 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.02 (s, 2H), 5.91 (s, 1H), 5.62 (dd, J = 9.0, 4.1 Hz, 1H), 5.17 (s, 1H), 3.84 – 3.77 (m, 6H), 3.35 (dd, J = 16.1, 4.2 Hz, 1H), 2.85 (dd, J = 16.0, 8.8 Hz, 1H), 2.30 (s, 3H), 1.38 (s, 18H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 173.5, 169.0, 156.1, 146.1, 146.0, 143.6, 138.4, 134.3, 133.2, 132.2, 132.1, 130.1, 127.7, 127.0, 125.3, 72.0, 64.3, 54.8, 54.5, 46.0, 36.9, 32.8, 24.0 ppm; IR(KBr): 3626, 2955, 2926, 2872, 1726, 1597, 1435, 1354, 1300, 1250, 1206, 1163, 1094, 1043, 986, 889, 814, 766, 739, 687, 664, 615, 573, 548 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{34}\text{H}_{41}\text{NO}_7\text{S}+\text{Na}]^+$ 630.2496, found 630.2490.



methyl

2-((1S,3R)-3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-5,6-dimethoxy-2-tosylisoindolin-1-yl)acetate (3li)

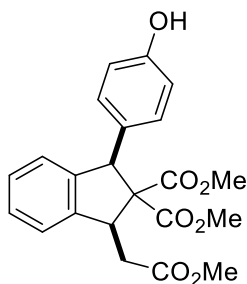
79% yield (95.9 mg), >20:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 156 – 157 °C. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.62 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.16 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.05 (s, 2H), 6.73 (s, 1H), 6.42 (s, 1H), 5.82 (s, 1H), 5.45 (dd, J = 9.0, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 5.16 (s, 1H), 3.82 – 3.74 (m, 9H), 3.30 (dd, J = 15.9, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 2.77 (dd, J = 15.9, 8.9 Hz, 1H), 2.33 (s, 3H), 1.39 (s, 18H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 171.6, 153.3, 149.6, 149.4, 143.3, 135.7, 135.6, 132.4, 132.0, 130.5, 129.5, 127.5, 124.3, 106.0, 105.1, 69.6, 62.0, 56.0, 55.9, 51.8, 44.1, 34.4, 30.3, 21.5 ppm; IR(KBr): 3628, 2997, 2955, 2872, 2835, 1736, 1611, 1599, 1508, 1464, 1437, 1410, 1348, 1223, 1209, 1163, 1117, 1094, 1042, 891, 847, 814, 737, 706, 669, 602, 550 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{34}\text{H}_{43}\text{NO}_7\text{S}+\text{Na}]^+$ 632.2652, found 632.2649.



methyl

2-((1S,3R)-3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)-2-tosyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-benzo[e]isindol-1-yl)acetate (3ni)

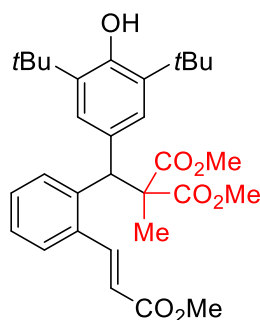
86% yield (103.2 mg), >20:1 dr; white solid, m.p. 170 – 172 °C. ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.85 (t, J = 8.9 Hz, 2H), 7.72 – 7.68 (m, 3H), 7.51 (dt, J = 22.3, 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.13 – 7.08 (m, 5H), 6.09 (d, J = 3.8 Hz, 1H), 6.02 (s, 1H), 5.15 (s, 1H), 3.82 (s, 3H), 3.25 (dd, J = 15.7, 3.2 Hz, 1H), 3.03 (dd, J = 15.7, 6.8 Hz, 1H), 2.26 (s, 3H), 1.39 (s, 18H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 171.2, 152.9, 142.8, 137.3, 135.3, 133.2, 132.9, 131.4, 129.0, 128.9, 128.5, 127.2, 127.0, 126.7, 125.5, 124.0, 122.9, 120.7, 70.3, 61.9, 51.6, 43.8, 33.9, 29.8, 20.9 ppm; IR(KBr): 3628, 3059, 2955, 2916, 2872, 1738, 1597, 1518, 1435, 1352, 1234, 1209, 1163, 1119, 1094, 1047, 1016, 889, 827, 812, 768, 739, 704, 665, 583, 550 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{34}\text{H}_{41}\text{NO}_5\text{S}+\text{H}]^+$ 600.2778, found 600.2774.



dimethyl

(1R,3S)-1-(4-hydroxyphenyl)-3-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)-1,3-dihydro-2H-indene-2,2-dicarboxylate (4aa)

65% yield (51.4 mg), >20:1 dr; Colorless oil; ^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.28 – 7.15 (m, 4H), 7.11 (d, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 6.95 (d, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 6.72 (dd, J = 8.7, 2.1 Hz, 2H), 5.72 (s, 1H), 5.30 (s, 1H), 4.10 (t, J = 6.1 Hz, 1H), 3.80 (s, 6H), 3.19 (d, J = 2.0 Hz, 3H), 3.14 – 3.11 (m, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 173.8, 171.5, 168.7, 155.3, 143.3, 141.7, 131.2, 130.1, 127.7, 127.1, 124.9, 122.4, 114.9, 72.2, 55.4, 52.8, 52.1, 51.8, 46.5, 36.0 ppm; IR(KBr): 3644, 3612, 2953, 2926, 2853, 1748, 1732, 1715, 1541, 1506, 1456, 1435, 1339, 1269, 1209, 1173, 113, 1051, 845, 808, 758, 592 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{22}\text{O}_7+\text{H}]^+$ 399.1438, found 399.1432.



dimethyl

(E)-2-((3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)(2-(3-methoxy-3-oxoprop-1-en-1-yl)phenyl)methyl)-2-methylmalonate (5al)

53% yield (55.8 mg); yellow solid, m.p. 56 – 58 °C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.11 (d, J = 15.7 Hz, 1H), 7.58 (dd, J = 8.0, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 7.40 (dd, J = 7.8, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 7.32 (td, J = 7.7, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 7.20 (td, J = 7.6, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 7.00 (s, 2H), 6.12 (d, J = 15.7 Hz, 1H), 5.30 (s, 1H), 5.06 (s, 1H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.66 (s, 3H), 3.48 (s, 3H), 1.65 (s, 3H), 1.35 (s, 18H); ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 172.0, 171.5, 167.0, 152.4, 143.7, 141.0, 135.1, 134.9, 129.9, 129.2, 127.7, 127.6, 127.1, 126.7, 120.1, 59.0, 52.7, 52.5, 51.6, 50.7, 34.3, 30.3, 20.0; IR(KBr): 3636, 2997, 2953, 2914, 2874, 1728, 1634, 1481, 1435, 1315, 1240, 1211, 1196, 1171, 1111, 1038, 978, 885, 770, 739 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for $[\text{C}_{31}\text{H}_{40}\text{O}_7+\text{Na}]^+$ 547.2672, found. 547.2663.

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10. ^1H NMR and ^{13}C NMR Spectra of the Titled Compounds

