

Supporting Information

Highly Efficient [2+2] Cyclizations of Allenynes under Microwave Irradiation: Construction of Fused Bicyclic Compounds

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General pathways leading to alkyne substrates, cycloaddition procedures, and characterization data for the substrates **1a-j** and the products **2a-j** are therein.

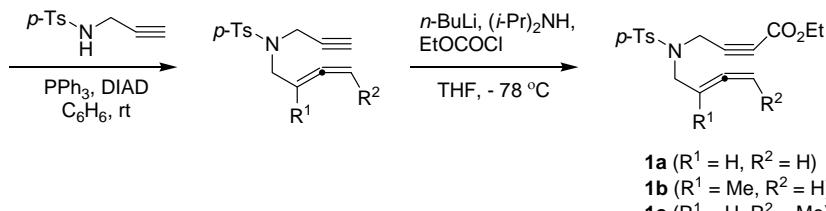
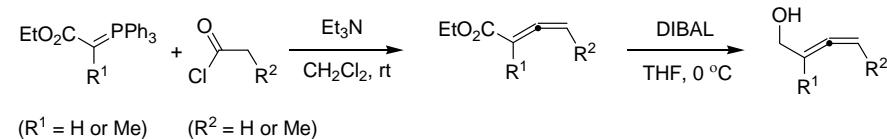
General:

Solvents were reagent grade. All chemicals were purchased from Aldrich Chemical Co. Reactions were normally carried out under argon atmosphere in flame-dried new glassware. Samsung Domestic Microwave oven, Mono mode 300 was used. All products were purified by flash column chromatography using silica gel 60 (70-230 mesh, Merck) and/or by a Young-Lin M930 HPLC employing a Nova-Pak silica preparative column and a UV detector. The purified products were identified with ¹H and ¹³C NMR spectral data obtained from a Varian Mercury 400 MHz NMR spectrometer using CHCl₃ or tetramethylsilane as an internal standard.

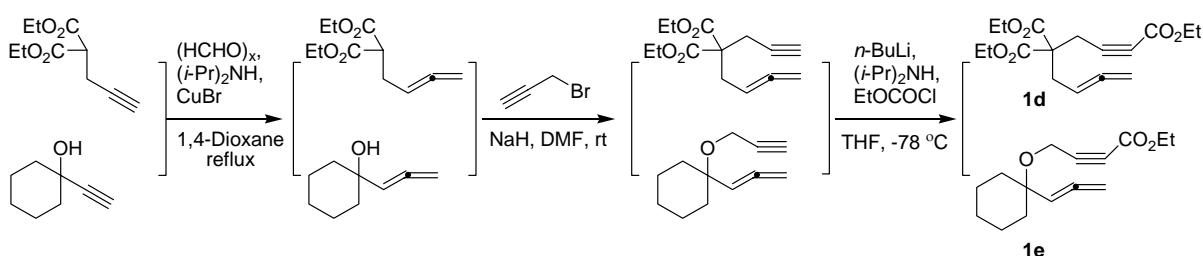
Preparation of Used Various Allenynes **1a-j**:

The allene compounds used in this study were synthesized by the following methods and fully derived through the well-known procedure such as an alkylation, Mitsunobu-type reaction, reduction, and so on.

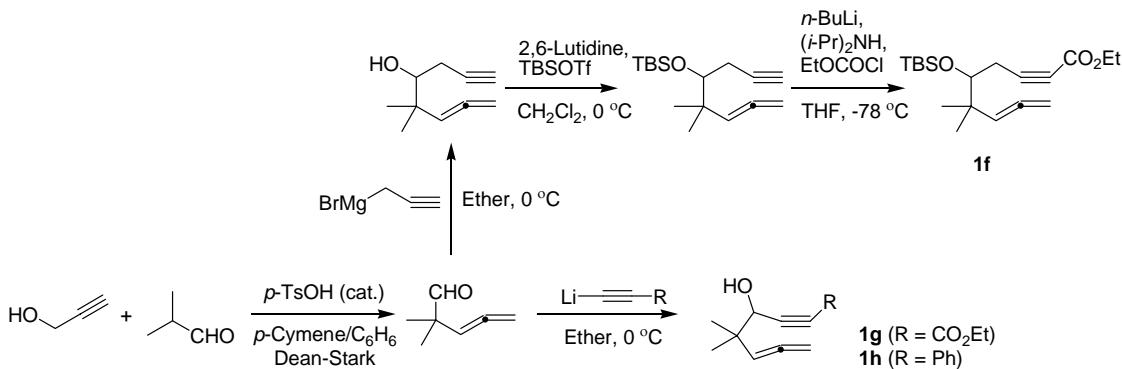
1) Syntheses of Allenynes 1a-c¹: (by Wittig-type reaction²)



2) Synthesis of Allenynes 1d and 1e¹: (by Crabbé reaction³)



3) Syntheses of Allenynes 1f-h¹: (by condensation of propargyl alcohol and isobutylaldehyde⁴)



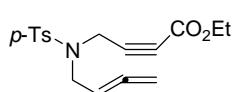
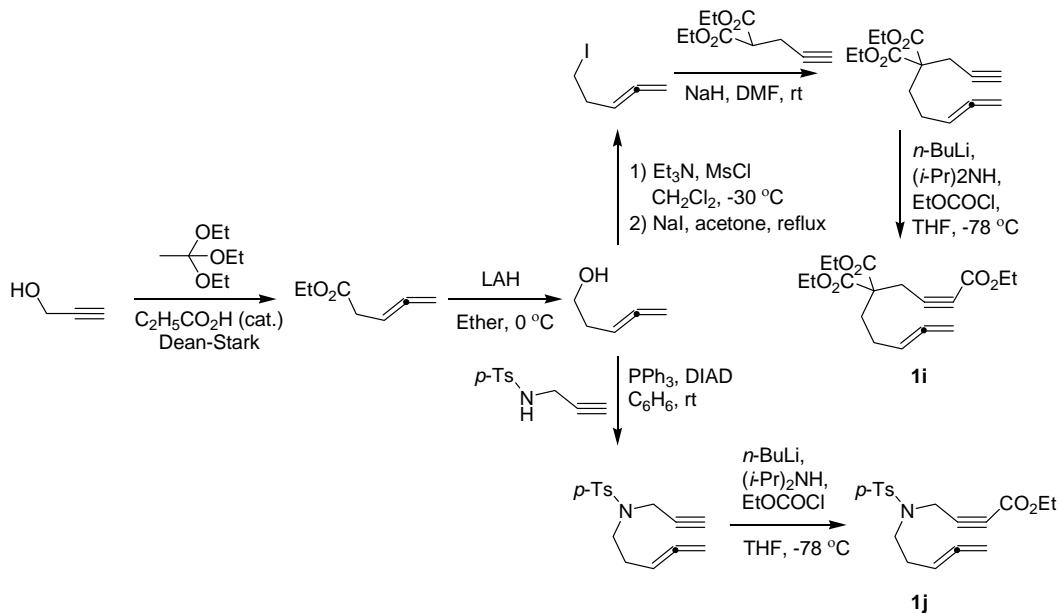
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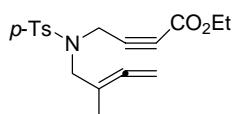
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4) Syntheses of Allenynes **1i and **1j**: (by Orthoester-Claisen Rearrangement⁵)**

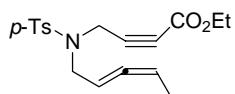


Spectroscopic data of compound **1a:** FT-IR (neat, cm^{-1}) 2984, 2929, 2874, 2240, 1956, 1715, 1598, 1495, 1446, 1352, 1248, 1164, 1094; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.73 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.31 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 5.03 (quintet, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 1H), 4.80 (dt, $J = 6.8, 2.4$ Hz, 2H), 4.27 (s, 2H), 4.16 (q, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 3.86 (dt, $J = 7.2, 2.4$ Hz, 2H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 1.28 (t, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 209.86, 152.56, 143.91, 135.47, 129.71, 127.58, 85.11, 80.05, 77.11, 76.73, 61.98, 46.15, 35.87, 21.50, 13.94; HRMS FAB calcd m/z for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{20}\text{NO}_4\text{S}^+$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}$) 334.1113, obsd 334.1114.

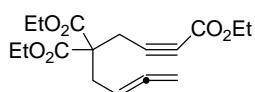


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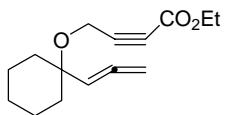
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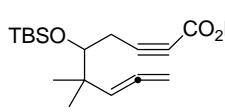
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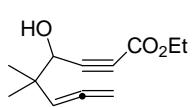
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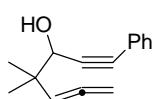
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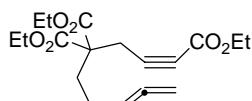
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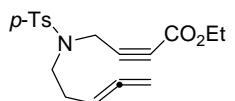
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Spectroscopic data of compound 1h: FT-IR (NaCl, cm^{-1}): 3429, 2968, 2872, 2200, 1955, 1667, 1599, 1490, 1467, 1444, 1385, 1047; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.26-7.45 (m, 5H), 5.30 (t, $J = 6.8 \text{ Hz}$, 1H), 4.83 (d, $J = 6.4 \text{ Hz}$, 2H), 4.31 (d, $J = 7.2 \text{ Hz}$, 1H), 1.97 (d, $J = 6.8 \text{ Hz}$, 1H), 1.20 (d, $J = 5.6 \text{ Hz}$, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 207.64, 131.65, 128.36, 128.24, 122.59, 96.38, 88.12, 86.06, 76.91, 70.95, 40.13, 23.91, 23.63; HRMS FAB calcd m/z for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{17}\text{O}^+$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}$) 213.1279, obsd 213.1283.



Spectroscopic data of compound 1i: FT-IR (neat, cm^{-1}): 2984, 2940, 2908, 2874, 2241, 1957, 1732, 1718, 1466, 1447, 1367, 1255, 1188, 1091; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 5.10 (quintet, $J = 6.4 \text{ Hz}$, 1H), 4.71 (dt, $J = 6.8, 3.2 \text{ Hz}$, 2H), 4.17-4.25 (m, 6H), 2.98 (s, 2H), 2.16-2.20 (m, 2H), 1.94-1.99 (m, 2H), 1.29 (t, $J = 7.2 \text{ Hz}$, 3H), 1.27 (t, $J = 7.2 \text{ Hz}$, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 208.37, 169.52, 153.21, 88.78, 83.29, 75.70, 75.46, 61.87, 56.26, 31.59, 23.14, 23.07, 13.93; HRMS FAB calcd m/z for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{25}\text{O}_6^+$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}$) 337.1651, obsd 337.1654.

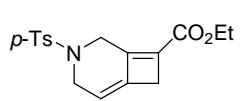


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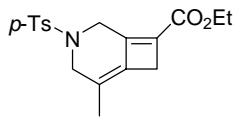
General Procedures for the [2+2] Intramolecular Cyclization of Allenynes:

Microwave method: A mixture of alkyne **1a-j** (1 mmol) and the appropriate solvent (1 mL) were placed in a well dried and screw capped test tube and subjected to microwave irradiation for a set time. After cooling, the solution was concentrated, and the residue was subjected to flash column chromatography to give products **2a-j**.

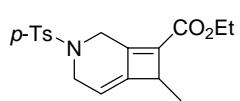
Metal catalyzed Method: In to a well dried 10 mL round bottomed flask, allenynes **1a-j** (1 mmol), PdCl₂(PPh₃)₂ (5 mol%) and dry solvent toluene 2 mL were taken. The reaction mixture was heated to refluxing temperature. After completion of the reaction, cooled to room temperature and subjected for column chromatographic purification to get pure products **2a-j**.



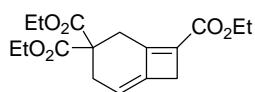
Spectroscopic data of compound 2a: *R*_f 0.44 (25% EtOAc/hexane); FT-IR (neat, cm⁻¹) 2967, 2924, 1727, 1691, 1625, 1597, 1493, 1368, 1345, 1263, 1092; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.65 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.28 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 5.51 (t, *J* = 3.6 Hz, 1H), 4.22 (q, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 3.92 (d, *J* = 3.6 Hz, 2H), 3.09 (t, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 2H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 1.32 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 162.63, 148.67, 143.59, 135.34, 134.11, 129.50, 128.49, 127.40, 113.25, 60.55, 44.47, 43.08, 36.07, 21.64, 14.56; HRMS EI calcd *m/z* for C₁₇H₁₉NO₄S (M⁺) 333.1035, obsd 333.1023.



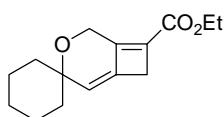
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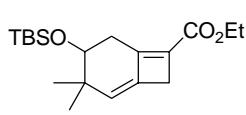
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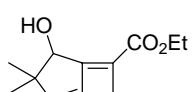
Spectroscopic data of compound 2d: R_f 0.46 (25% EtOAc/hexane); FT-IR (neat, cm^{-1}) 2981, 2883, 1731, 1681, 1622, 1486, 1369, 1298, 1239, 1198, 1101, 1056; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 5.55 (t, J = 4.0 Hz, 1H), 4.18-4.23 (m, 6H), 3.16 (t, J = 2.8 Hz, 2H), 3.07 (t, J = 2.8 Hz, 2H), 2.81 (d, J = 4.0 Hz, 2H), 1.31 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 3H), 1.23 (t, J = 6.8 Hz, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 170.30, 163.38, 152.86, 136.76, 128.50, 114.25, 61.76, 60.12, 35.51, 31.10, 29.65, 14.55, 14.08; HRMS EI calcd m/z for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{22}\text{O}_6$ (M^+) 322.1416, obsd 322.1427.



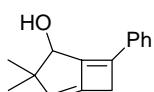
Spectroscopic data of compound 2e: R_f 0.51 (10% EtOAc/hexane); FT-IR (neat, cm^{-1}) 2933, 2857, 2359, 1728, 1445, 1369, 1266, 1092; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 5.66 (s, 1H), 4.53 (t, J = 2.8 Hz, 2H), 4.17 (q, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 3.28 (t, J = 2.8 Hz, 2H), 1.65-1.76 (m, 2H), 1.59-1.63 (m, 4H), 1.48-1.51 (m, 4H), 1.26 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 163.13, 152.70, 133.31, 125.76, 124.95, 77.10, 73.41, 61.70, 36.44, 35.31, 25.49, 21.86, 14.51; HRMS EI calcd m/z for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{20}\text{O}_3$ (M^+) 248.1412, obsd 248.1423.



Spectroscopic data of compound 2f: R_f 0.45 (10% EtOAc/hexane); FT-IR (neat, cm^{-1}) 2956, 2929, 2857, 1713, 1680, 1548, 1468, 1370, 1301, 1238, 1178, 1096; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 5.36 (s, 1H), 4.19 (m, 2H), 3.67 (dd, J = 5.2, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 3.13 (t, J = 3.2 Hz, 2H), 2.67-2.72 (bm, 1H), 2.36-2.48 (m, 1H), 1.29 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H), 1.07 (s, 3H), 0.99 (s, 3H), 0.90 (s, 9H), 0.08 (s, 3H), 0.05 (s, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 163.65, 156.39, 135.16, 128.53, 127.54, 75.83, 59.95, 39.05, 35.09, 30.39, 27.70, 25.92, 22.18, 18.14, 14.55, -3.83, -4.77; HRMS EI calcd m/z for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{32}\text{O}_3\text{Si}$ (M^+) 336.2121, obsd 336.2118.

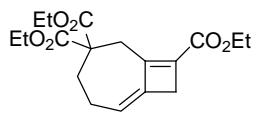


Spectroscopic data of compound 2g: R_f 0.45 (25% EtOAc/hexane); FT-IR (neat, cm^{-1}) 3661, 2977, 1727, 1607, 1548, 1466, 1369, 1248, 1179, 1096; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 5.48 (s, 1H), 4.59-4.60 (m, 1H), 4.21 (m, 2H), 3.23-3.34 (m, 2H), 2.35 (b, 1H), 1.31 (t, J = 6.9 Hz, 3H), 1.18 (s, 3H), 1.14 (s, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 169.10, 163.00, 139.43, 132.13, 125.08, 78.43, 63.11, 58.12, 32.53, 28.21, 26.23, 25.92; HRMS EI calcd m/z for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{16}\text{O}_3$ (M^+) 208.1099, obsd 208.1085.

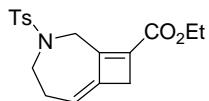


Spectroscopic data of compound 2h: R_f 0.49 (25% EtOAc/hexane); FT-IR (neat, cm^{-1}) 3661, 2977, 2893, 1607, 1548, 1466, 1369, 1248, 1179, 1096; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.43 (d, J = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 7.34 (t, J = 7.2, 6.8 Hz,

2H), 7.24 (m, 2H), 5.13 (s, 1H), 4.60 (m, 1H), 3.35 (m, 2H), 1.71 (m, 1H), 1.25 (s, 3H), 1.21 (s, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 153.43, 140.48, 134.65, 128.97, 128.52, 127.50, 126.18, 124.59, 79.03, 34.45, 28.53, 25.97, 22.90; HRMS EI calcd m/z for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{16}\text{O} (\text{M}^+)$ 212.1201, obsd 212.1206.



Spectroscopic data of compound 2i: R_f 0.59 (25% EtOAc/hexane); FT-IR (neat, cm^{-1}) 2923, 2887, 1712, 1687, 1598, 1444, 1345, 1160, 1091; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 5.35 (t, $J = 3.6$ Hz, 1H), 4.13-4.22 (m, 6H), 3.08 (s, 2H), 2.95 (s, 2H), 2.34 (m, 4H), 1.89-1.30 (m, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 170.86, 163.99, 155.39, 136.74, 131.02, 121.81, 61.56, 61.42, 59.96, 59.80, 56.36, 36.78, 33.81, 32.01, 27.77; HRMS EI calcd m/z for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{24}\text{O}_6 (\text{M}^+)$ 336.1573, obsd 336.1587.



Spectroscopic data of compound 2j: R_f 0.47 (25% EtOAc/hexane); FT-IR (neat, cm^{-1}) 2981, 2883, 1731, 1681, 1622, 1486, 1369, 1298, 1239, 1198, 1101, 1056; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.68 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.28 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 5.43 (t, $J = 4.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.22 (q, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 3.41 (m, 2H), 2.96 (t, $J = 2.8$ Hz, 2H), 2.53 (m, 2H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 1.25 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 163.33, 154.18, 143.47, 135.93, 135.77, 130.78, 127.59, 127.04, 121.69, 60.38, 49.60, 49.24, 34.01, 33.15, 29.67, 21.48; HRMS EI calcd m/z for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{21}\text{NO}_4\text{S} (\text{M}^+)$ 347.1191, obsd 347.1195.