Enantioselective Synthesis of 1,2,4-Triazolines

Catalyzed by a Cinchona Alkaloid-Derived

Organocatalyst

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General Methods and Materials:

All reactions were carried out under air using anhydrous solvents. Catalyst 5^{1} , catalyst 6^{2-5} , and catalyst **7a-d⁶** were prepared according to literature procedures. Azlactones were prepared according to reported procedures.⁷ All other reagents were purchased and used without further purification unless specified otherwise. Solvents for chromatography were technical grade and distilled prior to use. Flash chromatography was performed using 200-300 mesh silica gel (Qingdao Haiyang Chemical HG/T2354-92) with the indicated solvent system according to standard techniques. Analytical thin-layer chromatography (TLC) was performed using Huanghai silica gel plates with HSGF 254. Visualization of the developed chromatogram was performed by UV absorbance (254 nm) or appropriate stains. ¹H NMR and ¹³C NMR data were recorded on Bruker 400M or 500M nuclear resonance spectrometers unless otherwise specified. Chemical shifts (δ) in ppm are reported as quoted relative to the residual signals of chloroform (¹H 7.26 ppm or ¹³C 77.16 ppm). Multiplicities are described as: s (singlet), bs (broad singlet), d (doublet), t (triplet), q (quartet), m (multiplet); and coupling constants (J) are reported in Hertz (Hz). ¹³C NMR spectra were recorded with total proton decoupling. Chiral HPLC was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-20A spectrometer using Daicel Chiralpak OD-H, OJ-H, AD-H, AS-H, IA, or IB columns (250 x 4.6 mm). HRMS (ESI) analysis was performed by The Analytical Instrumentation Center at Peking University; Shenzhen Graduate School and the data were reported with ion mass/charge (m/z) ratios as values in atomic mass units.

Preparation of cinchona alkaloid-derived catalysts

General procedure for the synthesis of catalyst 7 from Carboxylic Acid Chlorides and (*S*)-((1*S*,2*S*,4*S*,5*R*)-5-ethylquinuclidin-2-yl)(6-methoxyquinolin-4-yl)- methanamine:⁶

A solution of (*S*)-((1*S*,2*S*,4*S*,5*R*)-5-ethylquinuclidin-2-yl)(6-methoxyquinolin-4-yl)methanamine, prepared from quinine following the literature procedure,² (488 mg, 1.5 mmol) in 10 mL dry dichloromethane and 2 mL triethylamine was cooled to 0°C. The corresponding carboxylic acid chloride (1.8 mmol) in 2 mL dichloromethane was added dropwise. After the reaction mixture was stirred overnight at room temperature, another 10 mL dichloromethane was added, the reaction was washed three times with aqueous Na₂CO₃ solution and dried over Na₂SO₄. The volatile solvent was removed and the product was purified by silica gel flash chromatography (ethyl acetate / methanol).



Catalyst 7d:

85% yield, white powder. ^{27.8}[α]_D = -67 ° (c = 0.1 , CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.77 (d, J = 4.6 Hz, 1H), 8.26 (s, 2H), 8.08 (d, J = 9.2 Hz, 1H), 8.01 (s, 1H), 7.94 (s, 1H), 7.72 (d, J = 2.2 Hz, 1H), 7.49 – 7.40 (m, 2H), 5.45 (s, 1H), 4.03 (s, 3H), 3.31 (dd, J = 13.6, 10.0 Hz, 1H), 3.24 (s, 1H), 3.11 (s, 1H), 2.81 – 2.71 (m, 1H), 2.53 (dd, J = 13.7, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 1.78 (s, 3H), 1.71 (s, 2H), 1.63 – 1.55 (m, 1H), 1.53 – 1.42 (m, 2H), 1.33 – 1.25 (m, 2H), 1.05 (dd, J = 13.4, 6.7 Hz, 1H), 0.85 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz): δ 164.5, 158.1, 147.4, 144.7, 136.0, 132.5, 132.1, 131.8, 131.5, 128.3, 127.7, 127.0, 125.0, 124.3, 121.8, 121.6, 118.8, 101.8, 57.5, 55.6, 41.0, 37.0, 28.4, 27.3, 26.0, 25.0, 11.9; HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for C₂₉H₃₀F₆N₃O₂ ([M+H]⁺): 566.2242; Found: 566.2222.

Condition screening:

Screening for different catalysts, solvent, catalyst loading, additive, concentration and temperature.

Table S1. Catalyst screening in toluene at r.t.^a



^{*a*}: reactions were carried out using **1** (0.1 mmol), DIAD (0.1 mmol), and catalyst (0.01 mmol, 10 mol%) in toluene (1 mL) at 25 °C for 12 hours, unless specified otherwise. ^{*b*}: the ee value was determined by chiral HPLC analysis.







epi-DHQD scaffold

Cyclohexane diamine scaffold







Other scaffold



^a: reactions were carried out using 1 (0.1 mmol), DIAD (0.1 mmol), and catalyst (0.01 mmol, 10

mol%) in MTBS (1 mL) at 25 $^{\circ}$ C for 12 hours, unless specified otherwise. ^{*b*}: the ee value was determined by chiral HPLC analysis.

Table S3. Solvent screening at r.t.



	Solvent	Ee%		Solvent	Ee%
1	MTBE	-83	9	<i>i</i> Pr ₂ O	-91
2	DCM	-74	10	2-MeTHF	-72
3	MeCN	-29	11		-89
4	Et ₂ O	-91	12	0	-83
5	Toluene	-88	13	Dioxane	-70
6	Hexane	-80	14	MeOH	-13
7	THF	-70	15	Bn₂O	-82
8	EA	-76	16	Acetone	-45
			17	DME	-71

Table S4. Substrate Scope for Azodicarboxylates.



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Entry	DXAD	R	Yield (%)	ee (%)
1	DEAD	Et	90	90
2	DIAD	<i>i</i> -Pr	81	93
3	DTBAD	<i>t</i> -Bu	72	90
4	DCAD	<i>p</i> -Cl-Bn	83	59
5	PTAD	Ph N CO ₂ Me product	52	0

Mechanistic Studies (Table S5)



Conditions	Yield (%)
MeCN	NR
MeOH	NR
TMSCHN ₂	81
TFA	Hydrolysis of aminal
HCI	Hydrolysis of azlactone

While Tepe proposed a step-wise addition-cyclization mechanism for his un-catalyzed system, we found that the initial addition products could not undergo subsequent cyclization to give triazolines under his standard protocol. The primary addition product **3a** was isolated and subjected under MeCN conditions. No reaction occurred **(Table S5)**. The cyclization only occurred upon treatment with TMSCHN₂. This observation suggests that although our catalysed reactions proceeded through the step-wise, TMSCHN₂ promoted cyclization mechanism, the Tepe reaction was most likely a [3+2] cycloaddition for small size azodicarboxylates (DEAD and DIAD). When DTBAD was employed under the Tepe conditions, only the addition product was observed. Interception of **3a** with electrophiles other than TMSCHN₂ was also attempted and the results are summarized in **Table S5**.



General Procedure for the Synthesis of 3-Quaternized 1,2,4-Triazolines:

One equivalent of the azodicarboxylate was added to a solution of azlactone *rac-1* (0.1 mmol) and 5 mol% **7d** in 1mL of ether in a 2-dram scintillation vial at room temperature. The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for 6 hours, which led to the disappearance of color. At this point the reaction mixture was cooled to 0 °C and (trimethylsilyl)diazomethane (2.0M solution in diethyl ether, 0.15 mL, 0.3 mmol, *Caution: due to the potential explosive nature of this chemical, sharp objects should be avoided during handling and the reaction should be carried out behind a blast shield*) was added in a drop wise manner. The reaction temperature was allowed to warm to ambient temperature. The progress of the reaction was monitored by TLC. About 6-24 hours later, the reaction mixture was concentrated to a minimal residue and purified by silica-gel flash chromatography to afford product **4**.

Analytical Data and HPLC Chromatograms for 1,2,4-Triazolines Products:



Methyl 1,2-bis(isopropoxycarbonyl)-3-isopropyl-5-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-1,2,4-triazole-3-carboxylate (4a):

81% yield, colorless oil. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.84 – 7.79 (m, 1H), 7.49 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.41 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 4.99 (dt, *J* = 12.5, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 4.88 (dt, *J* = 12.5, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 3.68 (s, 2H), 2.66 (dt, *J* = 13.5, 6.7 Hz, 1H), 1.31 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 2H), 1.28 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 2H), 1.11 (dd, *J* = 6.4, 4.8 Hz, 3H), 1.08 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 2H), 0.96 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.53, 158.45, 154.82, 152.01, 131.44, 129.55, 129.19, 127.70, 95.84, 77.24, 76.99, 76.74, 71.89, 70.76, 52.49, 33.49, 21.92, 21.71, 21.40, 21.36, 17.23, 16.28. HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for C₂₁H₃₀N₃O₆ ([M+H]⁺): 420.2135; Found: 420.2131.

The ee was determined by HPLC using a Chiralcel OD-H column [n-hexane/EtOH (99:1)]; flow rate 1.0 mL/min; t_R major = 8.233 min, t_R minor = 6.906 min (93% ee). ^{24.6}[α]_D = +84 ° (c = 0.1, CHCl₃).





Methyl 1,2-bis(isopropoxycarbonyl)-3-benzyl-5-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-1,2,4-triazole-3-carboxylate (4b):

65% yield, colorless oil. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.64 – 7.59 (m, 2H), 7.43 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.34 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.29 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.21 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.13 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 5.03 (dt, *J* = 12.5, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 4.43 (dt, *J* = 12.5, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 3.76 (s, 3H), 3.63 (d, *J* = 14.1 Hz, 1H), 3.43 (d, *J* = 14.1 Hz, 1H), 1.35 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.29 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 3H), 0.95 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 3H), 0.73 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.37, 159.16, 154.09, 150.54, 133.86, 131.24, 131.13, 129.43, 129.17, 127.61, 127.54, 126.76, 92.87, 77.30, 77.05, 76.79, 71.70, 70.76, 52.93, 41.18, 22.00, 21.68, 21.17, 21.02. HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for $C_{25}H_{30}N_3O_6$ ([M+H]⁺): 468.2135; Found: 468.2142,

The ee was determined by HPLC using a Chiralcel OD column [n-hexane/EtOH (99:1)]; flow rate 1.0 mL/min; t_R major = 12.055 min, t_R minor = 9.956 min (92% ee). ^{24.6}[α]_D = +105 ° (c = 0.1, CHCl₃).







Methyl 1,2-bis(isopropoxycarbonyl)-3-isobutyl-5-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-1,2,4-triazole-3-carboxylate (4c):

63% yield, colorless oil. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.83 – 7.77 (m, 2H), 7.49 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.40 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 5.00 (dt, *J* = 12.5, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 4.88 (dt, *J* = 12.5, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 2.17 (d, *J* = 5.9 Hz, 2H), 1.82 – 1.76 (m, 1H), 1.30 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.26 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.11 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.06 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.00 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 3H), 0.95 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.62, 158.64, 154.02, 152.13, 131.42, 129.62, 129.17, 127.68, 93.32, 77.26, 77.00, 76.75, 72.10, 70.60, 52.78, 43.31, 24.69, 23.78, 23.39, 21.93, 21.73, 21.34, 21.27. HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for $C_{22}H_{32}N_3O_6$ ([M+H]⁺): 434.2291; Found: 434.2280. The ee was determined by HPLC using a Chiralcel OJ column [n-hexane/EtOH (95:5)]; flow rate 1.0 mL/min; t_Rmajor = 14.370 min, t_Rminor = 4.951 min (90% ee). ^{24.6}[α]_D = +82 ° (c = 0.1, CHCl₃).







Methyl 1,2-bis(isopropoxycarbonyl)-3-allyl-5-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-1,2,4-triazole-3-carboxylate (4d):

61% yield, colorless oil. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.78 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.49 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.40 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 5.69 (ddt, *J* = 17.3, 10.1, 7.3 Hz, 1H), 5.22 (d, *J* = 17.2 Hz, 1H), 5.11 (dd, *J* = 10.2, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 5.00 (dt, *J* = 12.5, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 4.85 (dq, *J* = 12.5, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.00 – 2.91 (m, 2H), 1.32 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.28 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 3H), 1.10 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.06 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.04, 159.45, 153.75, 151.86, 131.49, 130.60, 129.60, 129.11, 127.67, 120.66, 91.90, 77.25, 76.99, 76.74, 72.01, 70.74, 52.82, 39.24, 21.94, 21.72, 21.36. HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for $C_{21}H_{28}N_3O_6$ ([M+H]⁺): 418.1978; Found: 418.1980,

The ee was determined by HPLC using IB column [n-hexane/EtOH (99:1)]; flow rate 1.0 mL/min; t_R major = 8.216 min, t_R minor = 7.612 min (86% ee). ^{24.6}[α]_D = +21 ° (c = 0.1, CHCl₃).





Methyl 1,2-bis(isopropoxycarbonyl)-3-(2-(methylthio)ethyl)-5-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-1,2,4 -triazole-3-carboxylate (4e):

78% yield, colorless oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.80 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.50 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.41 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 4.99 (dt, *J* = 12.5, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 4.87 (dt, *J* = 12.4, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 2.64 – 2.45 (m, 4H), 2.11 (s, 3H), 1.31 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.26 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.13 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.02 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.04, 159.52, 153.81, 152.02, 131.69, 129.85, 128.91, 127.74, 92.22, 77.39, 77.07, 76.75, 72.43, 70.98, 52.99, 34.93, 27.79, 22.00, 21.96, 21.79, 21.53, 21.30, 15.50, 0.99. HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for C₂₁H₃₀N₃O₆S ([M+H]⁺): 452.1855; Found: 452.1845.

The ee was determined by HPLC using a Chiralcel OD column [n-hexane/EtOH (99:1)]; flow rate 1.0 mL/min; t_Rmajor = 9.806 min, t_Rminor = 11.572 min (87% ee). ^{24.6}[α]_D = +33 ° (c = 0.1, CHCl₃).







Methyl 1,2-bis(isopropoxycarbonyl)-3-isopropyl-5-*p*-tolyl-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-1,2,4-triazole-3-carboxylate (4f):

83% yield, colorless oil. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.72 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 4.97 (dd, *J* = 12.5, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 4.89 (dt, *J* = 12.5, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 3.68 (s, 3H), 2.64 (dt, *J* = 13.4, 6.7 Hz, 1H), 2.39 (s, 3H), 1.30 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.27 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 3H), 1.14 – 1.09 (m, 9H), 0.94 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.62, 158.44, 154.85, 152.15, 142.00, 129.62, 128.39, 126.20, 95.70, 77.25, 76.99, 76.74, 71.83, 70.69, 52.46, 33.50, 21.93, 21.71, 21.46, 21.41, 17.25, 16.27. HRMS (ESI): Calcd. for C₂₂H₃₂N₃O₆ ([M+H]⁺): 434.2291; Found: 434.2277.

The ee was determined by HPLC using a Chiralcel OD column [n-hexane/EtOH (99:1)]; flow rate 1.0 mL/min; t_R major = 8.197 min, t_R minor = 6.466 min (91% ee). ^{24.6}[α]_D = +44 ° (c = 0.1, CHCl₃).







Methyl 1,2-bis(isopropoxycarbonyl)-3-isopropyl-5-*o*-tolyl-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-1,2,4-triazole-3-carboxylate (4g):

94% yield, colorless oil. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.52 – 7.42 (m, 1H), 7.35 (td, *J* = 7.6, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 7.25 – 7.16 (m, 2H), 4.99 (dt, *J* = 12.5, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 4.82 (dt, *J* = 12.4, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 3.72 (s, 3H), 2.69 (dt, *J* = 13.5, 6.7 Hz, 1H), 2.47 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 1.28 (dd, *J* = 13.2, 6.2 Hz, 7H), 1.14 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H), 1.05 – 1.01 (m, 6H), 0.94 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.57, 157.72, 155.10, 150.78, 137.53, 130.45, 130.14, 129.63, 129.08, 125.36, 96.13, 77.23, 76.97, 76.72, 71.43, 70.80, 52.51, 33.44, 21.91, 21.69, 21.24, 21.14, 19.55, 17.21, 16.45. HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for C₂₂H₃₂N₃O₆ ([M+H]⁺): 434.2291; Found: 434.2274. The ee was determined by HPLC using IA column [n-hexane/EtOH (99:1)]; flow rate 0.3 mL/min; t_Rmajor = 22.943 min, t_Rminor = 24.887 min (90% ee). ^{24.6}[α]_D = +79 ° (c = 0.1, CHCl₃).







Methyl 1,2-bis(isopropoxycarbonyl)-3-isopropyl-5-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-1,2,4 -triazole-3-carboxylate (4h):

67% yield, colorless oil. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.78 (d, J = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 6.91 (d, J = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 4.97 (dt, J = 12.4, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 4.89 (dt, J = 12.4, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 3.83 (s, 2H), 3.67 (s, 2H), 2.62 (dt, J = 13.0, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 1.29 (d, J = 6.2 Hz, 2H), 1.26 (d, J = 6.3 Hz, 2H), 1.16 – 1.08 (m, 5H), 0.93 (d, J = 6.8 Hz, 1H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.70, 162.38, 158.01, 154.85, 152.23, 131.56, 121.19, 113.13, 95.53, 77.26, 77.00, 76.75, 71.87, 70.73, 55.31, 52.46, 33.50, 21.90, 21.70, 21.48, 21.44, 17.24, 16.27. HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for C₂₂H₃₂N₃O₇ ([M+H]⁺): 450.2240; Found: 450.2216.

The ee was determined by HPLC using a Chiralcel OD column [n-hexane/EtOH (99:1)]; flow rate 1.0 mL/min; t_R major = 13.134 min, t_R minor = 10.925 min (90% ee). ^{27.8}[α]_D = +48 ° (c = 0.1, CHCl₃).





Methyl 1,2-bis(isopropoxycarbonyl)-3-isopropyl-5-(3,5-dimethoxyphenyl)-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-1,2,4-triazole-3-carboxylate (4i):

95% yield, colorless oil. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 6.89 (d, *J* = 2.3 Hz, 2H), 6.54 (t, *J* = 2.3 Hz, 1H), 4.93 (dt, *J* = 12.5, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 4.84 (dt, *J* = 12.4, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 3.76 (s, 6H), 3.63 (s, 3H), 2.59 (dt, *J* = 13.4, 6.7 Hz, 1H), 1.25 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.22 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 3H), 1.09 – 1.03 (m, 9H), 0.89 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.48, 160.19, 158.42, 154.81, 151.97, 130.84, 107.56, 103.89, 95.83, 77.44, 77.18, 76.93, 71.91, 70.80, 55.46, 52.52, 33.44, 21.90, 21.70, 21.43, 21.40, 17.26, 16.26. HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for C₂₃H₃₄N₃O₈ ([M+H]⁺): 480.2346; Found: 480.2353.

The ee was determined by HPLC using a Chiralcel OD column [n-hexane/EtOH (99:1)]; flow rate 1.0 mL/min; t_Rmajor = 12.116 min, t_Rminor = 8.655 min (92% ee). $^{27.8}[\alpha]_D$ = +36 ° (c = 0.1, CHCl₃).







Methyl 1,2-bis(isopropoxycarbonyl)-3-isopropyl-5-(naphthalen-1-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-1,2,4 -triazole-3-carboxylate (4j):

91% yield, colorless oil. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.40 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.97 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 7.87 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.80 (dd, *J* = 7.0, 0.7 Hz, 1H), 7.58 – 7.47 (m, 3H), 5.07 (dt, *J* = 12.5, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 4.67 (dt, *J* = 12.4, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 2.78 (dt, *J* = 13.4, 6.7 Hz, 1H), 1.38 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.32 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 3H), 1.21 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H), 1.11 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H), 0.73 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 0.68 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.57, 157.31, 155.26, 150.64, 133.16, 131.46, 131.31, 128.20, 128.01, 127.33, 127.06, 126.15, 124.94, 124.54, 96.31, 77.24, 76.99, 76.73, 71.37, 70.94, 52.62, 33.59, 22.01, 21.75, 20.97, 20.85, 17.31, 16.53. HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for C₂₅H₃₁N₃O₆Na([M+Na]⁺): 492.2111; Found: 492.2082. The ee was determined by HPLC using IA column [n-hexane/EtOH (99:1)]; flow rate 1.0 mL/min; t_Rmajor = 8.237 min, t_Rminor = 9.317 min (90% ee). ^{27.8}[α]_D = +78 ° (c = 0.1, CHCl₃).







Methyl 1,2-bis(isopropoxycarbonyl)-3-isopropyl-5-(naphthalen-2-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-1,2,4 -triazole-3-carboxylate (4k):

93% yield, colorless oil. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.38 (s, 1H), 7.89 (ddd, *J* = 13.5, 12.9, 8.5 Hz, 4H), 7.58 – 7.51 (m, 2H), 5.03 (dt, *J* = 12.5, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 4.90 (dt, *J* = 12.5, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 2.73 (dt, *J* = 13.5, 6.7 Hz, 1H), 1.35 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.31 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 3H), 1.17 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H), 1.08 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.06 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.03 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.58, 158.59, 154.85, 152.12, 134.80, 132.26, 130.25, 128.79, 127.68, 127.63, 127.27, 126.52, 126.40, 126.05, 95.94, 77.23, 76.97, 76.72, 71.98, 70.83, 52.52, 33.58, 21.95, 21.74, 21.41, 21.38, 17.31, 16.37. HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for C₂₅H₃₂N₃O₆ ([M+H]⁺): 470.2291; Found: 470.2280.

The ee was determined by HPLC using a Chiralcel OD column [n-hexane/EtOH (99:1)]; flow rate 1.0 mL/min; t_R major = 10.344 min, t_R minor = 7.788 min (93% ee). ^{27.8}[α]_D = +62 ° (c = 0.1, CHCl₃).





Methyl 1,2-bis(isopropoxycarbonyl)-3-isopropyl-5-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)-2,3-dihydro -1*H*-1,2,4-triazole-3-carboxylate (4l):

66% yield, colorless oil. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.98 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.71 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 5.02 (dd, *J* = 12.5, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 4.93 (dt, *J* = 12.4, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 2.76 – 2.64 (m, 1H), 1.34 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.31 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 3H), 1.15 (t, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 9H), 0.98 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.28, 157.42, 154.82, 152.01, 133.39, 133.13, 132.68, 130.02, 124.79, 122.59, 72.37, 71.05, 52.66, 33.54, 21.96, 21.75, 21.46, 17.26, 16.34. HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for C₂₂H₂₈F₃N₃O₆Na([M+Na]⁺): 510.1828; Found: 510.1817.

The ee was determined by HPLC using Chiralpak AD-H column [n-hexane/EtOH (97.5:2.5)]; flow rate 1.0 mL/min; t_Rmajor = 4.386 min, t_Rminor = 6.285 min (92% ee). $^{27.8}[\alpha]_D$ = +87 ° (c = 0.1, CHCl₃).





Methyl 1,2-bis(isopropoxycarbonyl)-3-isopropyl-5-(4-chlorophenyl)-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-1,2,4-triazole-3-carboxylate (4m):

75% yield, colorless oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.77 (dd, *J* = 4.6, 4.0 Hz, 2H), 7.38 (dd, *J* = 8.6, 1.2 Hz, 2H), 4.98 (dd, *J* = 12.3, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 4.89 (dt, *J* = 12.4, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 3.68 (s, 1H), 2.64 (dt, *J* = 13.1, 6.5 Hz, 1H). 1.30 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.27 (d, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 3H), 1.16 – 1.09 (m, 9H), 0.93 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.42, 157.59, 154.83, 152.07, 137.85, 131.04, 128.10, 127.52, 95.94, 77.39, 77.08, 76.76, 72.25, 70.95, 52.65, 33.50, 21.97, 21.76, 21.52, 21.48, 17.29, 16.30. HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for C₂₁H₂₉ClN₃O₆([M+H]⁺): 454.1745; Found: 454.1728.

The ee was determined by HPLC using a Chiralcel OD column [n-hexane/EtOH (99:1)]; flow rate 1.0 mL/min; t_R major = 6.919 min, t_R minor = 5.780 min (90% ee). ^{27.8}[α]_D = +80 ° (c = 0.1,





Methyl 1,2-bis(isopropoxycarbonyl)-3-isopropyl-5-(3-chlorophenyl)-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-1,2,4-triazole-3-carboxylate (4n):

77% yield, colorless oil. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.82 (t, *J* = 1.7 Hz, 1H), 7.72 (dd, *J* = 6.7, 1.1 Hz, 1H), 7.48 (ddd, *J* = 7.9, 1.9, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 7.36 (t, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 4.99 (dd, *J* = 12.5, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 4.90 (dd, *J* = 12.5, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 2.66 (dt, *J* = 13.5, 6.7 Hz, 1H), 1.31 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.28 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 3H), 1.14 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.11 (dd, *J* = 6.5, 1.7 Hz, 6H), 0.95 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.31, 157.27, 154.73, 151.84, 133.83, 131.47, 130.84, 129.58, 129.01, 127.78, 95.99, 77.20, 76.95, 76.69, 72.21, 70.94, 52.58, 33.47, 21.91, 21.70, 21.42, 17.20, 16.29. HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for C₂₁H₂₈ClN₃O₆Na ([M+Na]⁺): 476.1564; Found: 476.1557.

The ee was determined by HPLC using a Chiralcel OJ column [n-hexane/EtOH (98:2)]; flow

rate 1.0 mL/min; t_R major = 8.047 min, t_R minor = 6.103 min (92% ee). $^{27.8}[\alpha]_D$ = +94 ° (c = 0.1 , CHCl₃).



Methyl 1,2-bis(isopropoxycarbonyl)-3-isopropyl-5-(4-bromophenyl)-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-1,2,4-triazole-3-carboxylate (40):

65% yield, colorless oil. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.70 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.55 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 4.98 (dd, *J* = 12.3, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 4.89 (dt, *J* = 12.4, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 2.64 (dt, *J* = 13.2, 6.5 Hz, 1H), 1.30 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.27 (d, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 3H), 1.16 – 1.09 (m, 9H), 0.93 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.34, 157.62, 154.75, 152.02, 131.13, 131.02, 128.00, 126.20, 95.96, 77.24, 76.98, 76.73, 72.18, 70.87, 52.55, 33.45, 21.90, 21.69, 21.46, 21.42, 17.21, 16.27. HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for C₂₁H₂₉BrN₃O₆ ([M+H]⁺): 498.1240; Found: 498.1243.

The ee was determined by HPLC using Chiralpak AD-H column [n-hexane/EtOH (98:2)]; flow rate 1.0 mL/min; t_R major = 7.492 min, t_R minor = 10.924 min (91% ee). ^{27.8}[α]_D = +83 ° (c = 0.1,





Methyl 1,2-bis(isopropoxycarbonyl)-3-isopropyl-5-(3-fluoro-4-methylphenyl)-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-1,2,4-triazole-3-carboxylate (4p):

87% yield, colorless oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.55 – 7.46 (m, 2H), 7.23 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 4.98 (dt, *J* = 12.6, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 4.91 (dt, *J* = 12.5, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 2.64 (dt, *J* = 13.4, 6.7 Hz, 1H), 2.32 (s, 3H), 1.29 (dd, *J* = 10.7, 6.3 Hz, 6H), 1.15 (dd, *J* = 6.2, 4.3 Hz, 6H), 1.11 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H), 0.94 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.49, 161.67, 159.23, 157.52, 154.87, 152.14, 130.83, 130.78, 129.09, 128.91, 128.37, 128.29, 125.28, 125.24, 116.45, 116.20, 95.87, 77.35, 77.04, 76.72, 72.16, 70.91, 52.62, 33.52, 21.98, 21.77, 21.52, 21.50, 17.28, 16.32, 14.72, 14.69. ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -117.51. HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for $C_{22}H_{31}FN_3O_6$ ([M+H]⁺): 452.2197; Found: 452.2200.

The ee was determined by HPLC using a Chiralcel OD column [n-hexane/EtOH (99:1)]; flow rate 1.0 mL/min; t_Rmajor = 9.621 min, t_Rminor = 7.885 min (90% ee). $^{27.8}$ [α]_D = +67 ° (c = 0.1, CHCl₃).



Methyl 1,2-bis(isopropoxycarbonyl)-3-isopropyl-5-(4-fluorophenyl)-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-1,2,4-triazole-3-carboxylate (4q):

65% yield, colorless oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.55 – 7.46 (m, 2H), 7.23 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 4.98 (dt, *J* = 12.6, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 4.91 (dt, *J* = 12.5, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 2.64 (dt, *J* = 13.4, 6.7 Hz, 1H), 2.32 (s, 3H), 1.29 (dd, *J* = 10.7, 6.3 Hz, 6H), 1.15 (dd, *J* = 6.2, 4.3 Hz, 6H), 1.11 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H), 0.94 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.49, 161.67, 159.23, 157.52, 154.87, 152.14, 130.83, 130.78, 129.09, 128.91, 128.37, 128.29, 125.28, 125.24, 116.45, 116.20, 95.87, 77.35, 77.04, 76.72, 72.16, 70.91, 52.62, 33.52, 21.98, 21.77, 21.52, 21.50, 17.28, 16.32, 14.72, 14.69. HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for $C_{21}H_{29}FN_3O_6$ ([M+H]⁺): 438.2040; Found: 438.2048.

The ee was determined by HPLC using a Chiralcel OD column [n-hexane/EtOH (99:1)]; flow

rate 1.0 mL/min; t_R major = 10.465 min, t_R minor = 8.731 min (90% ee). ^{27.8}[α]_D = +77 ° (c = 0.1 , CHCl₃).



Methyl 1,2-bis(isopropoxycarbonyl)-3-isopropyl-5-(3-cyanophenyl)-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-1,2,4-triazole-3-carboxylate (4r):

51% yield, colorless oil. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.14 (s, 1H), 8.08 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 7.79 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.56 (t, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 5.03 – 4.99 (m, 1H), 4.91 (dd, *J* = 12.4, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 2.68 (dt, *J* = 13.0, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 1.33 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.30 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 3H), 1.16 (t, *J* = 5.8 Hz, 6H), 1.12 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 3H), 0.96 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.12, 156.65, 154.73, 151.90, 134.51, 133.68, 133.25, 130.51, 128.66, 117.74, 112.45, 96.27, 77.17, 76.92, 76.66, 72.50, 71.11, 52.63, 33.48, 21.90, 21.68, 21.47, 21.43, 17.16, 16.31. HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for $C_{22}H_{28}N_4O_6Na$ ([M+Na]⁺): 467.1907; Found: 467.1895. The ee was determined by HPLC using IA column [n-hexane/EtOH (97.5:2.5)]; flow rate 1.0 mL/min; $t_Rmajor = 12.925$ min, $t_Rminor = 11.036$ min (90% ee). ^{27.8}[α]_D = +16 ° (c = 0.1,

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CHCl₃).



Methyl 1,2-bis(isopropoxycarbonyl)-3-isopropyl-5-(6-methoxypyridin-3-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-1,2,4-triazole-3-carboxylate (4s):

50% yield, colorless oil. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.63 (s, 1H), 8.02 – 7.95 (m, 1H), 6.77 – 6.71 (m, 1H), 4.99 – 4.94 (m, 1H), 4.92 – 4.86 (m, 1H), 3.96 (d, *J* = 1.7 Hz, 3H), 3.68 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 3H), 2.61 (dd, *J* = 12.8, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 1.29 – 1.25 (m, 6H), 1.18 – 1.13 (m, 6H), 1.08 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 0.91 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.47, 165.99, 156.02, 154.74, 152.04, 149.09, 139.62, 118.37, 109.79, 95.68, 77.24, 76.98, 76.73, 72.14, 70.79, 53.76, 52.48, 33.49, 21.88, 21.67, 21.49, 21.44, 17.17, 16.26. HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for C₂₁H₃₁N₄O₇ ([M+H]⁺): 451.2193; Found: 451.2178.

The ee was determined by HPLC using IA column [n-hexane/EtOH (99:1)]; flow rate 0.5

mL/min; t_R major = 25.889 min, t_R minor = 23.540 min (90% ee). $^{27.8}[\alpha]_D$ = +46 ° (c = 0.1 , CHCl₃).



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Methyl 1,2-bis(isopropoxycarbonyl)-3-benzyl-5-cyclopropyl-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-1,2,4-triazole -3-carboxylate (4t):

82% yield, colorless oil. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.24 – 7.15 (m, 3H), 7.13 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 4.97 (dt, *J* = 12.5, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 4.77 (dt, *J* = 12.5, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 3.43 (d, *J* = 14.0 Hz, 1H), 3.30 (d, *J* = 14.0 Hz, 1H), 2.04 – 1.97 (m, 1H), 1.32 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.25 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 4H), 1.21 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 3H), 1.15 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 0.91 – 0.85 (m, 1H), 0.80 – 0.73 (m, 1H), 0.52 – 0.46 (m, 1H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.82, 161.87, 154.09, 150.35, 134.09, 131.25, 127.44, 126.60, 92.08, 77.21, 76.96, 76.71, 71.53, 70.67, 52.79, 41.11, 21.98, 21.65, 21.61, 21.49, 10.09, 9.70, 8.29. HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for C₂₂H₃₀N₃O₆ ([M+H]⁺): 432.2135; Found: 432.2131.

The ee was determined by HPLC using IA column [n-hexane/EtOH (99:1)]; flow rate 1.0



mL/min; t_R major = 9.750 min, t_R minor = 11.260 min (81% ee). $^{27.8}[\alpha]_D$ = +12 ° (c = 0.1 , CHCl₃).



Methyl 1,2-bis(isopropoxycarbonyl)-3-(4-bromophenyl)-5-([1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl))-2,3dihydro-1*H*-1,2,4-triazole-3-carboxylate (4u):

42% yield, colorless oil. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.74 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.64 – 7.57 (m, 4H), 7.46 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.38 (dd, *J* = 15.6, 7.9 Hz, 3H), 7.19 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 5.05 (dt, *J* = 12.5, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 4.53 (dt, *J* = 12.4, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.60 (d, *J* = 14.1 Hz, 1H), 3.43 (d, *J* = 14.1 Hz, 1H), 1.36 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.30 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 3H), 0.99 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 0.81 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.26, 159.36, 150.73, 144.38, 140.10, 133.07, 132.99, 130.86, 129.85, 128.94, 128.04, 127.20, 126.38, 121.13, 92.59, 72.35, 71.01, 53.18, 40.67, 22.13, 21.81, 21.34, 21.24. HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for C₃₁H₃₃BrN₃O₆ ([M+H]⁺): 622.1553; Found: 622.1547.

The ee was determined by HPLC using AD column [n-hexane/EtOH (95:5)]; flow rate 1.0 mL/min; t_Rmajor = 10.399 min, t_Rminor = 14.044 min (93% ee). $^{27.8}$ [α]_D = +74 ° (c = 0.1 , CHCl₃).



Methyl 1,2-bis(ethoxycarbonyl)-3-isopropyl-5-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-1,2,4-triazole-3-carboxylate (DEAD-product):

90% yield, colorless oil. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.85 – 7.80 (m, 2H), 7.50 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.42 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 4.31 – 4.24 (m, 1H), 4.23 – 4.09 (m, 3H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 2.67 (dt, *J* = 13.5, 6.7 Hz, 1H), 1.30 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 1.10 (dd, *J* = 13.9, 6.9 Hz, 6H), 0.97 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.46, 158.30, 155.35, 152.52, 131.57, 129.55, 128.93, 127.76, 96.10, 77.24, 76.98, 76.73, 63.55, 62.68, 52.60, 33.53, 17.13, 16.31, 14.19, 13.80. HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for C₁₉H₂₆N₃O₆ ([M+H]⁺): 392.1822; Found: 392.1820.

The ee was determined by HPLC using a Chiralcel OD column [n-hexane/EtOH (99:1)]; flow rate 1.0 mL/min; t_R major = 14.941 min, t_R minor = 10.307 min (90% ee). ^{27.8}[α]_D = +61 ° (c = 0.1, CHCl₃).







Methyl 1,2-bis(tertbutoxycarbonyl)-3-isopropyl-5-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-1,2,4-triazole-3-carboxylate (DTBAD-product):

72% yield, colorless oil. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.80 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.48 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.40 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 3.68 (s, 3H), 2.63 (dt, *J* = 13.3, 6.6 Hz, 1H), 1.50 (s, 9H), 1.28 (s, 9H), 1.13 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 3H), 0.97 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.78, 158.73, 153.80, 150.84, 131.21, 129.44, 128.37, 127.73, 95.21, 83.75, 82.30, 77.22, 76.97, 76.71, 52.37, 33.54, 28.01, 27.56, 17.23, 16.29. HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for C₂₃H₃₄N₃O₆ ([M+H]⁺): 448.2448; Found: 448.2487.

The ee was determined by HPLC using a Chiralcel OD column [n-hexane/EtOH (99:1)]; flow rate 0.5 mL/min; t_Rmajor = 12.183 min, t_Rminor = 8.688 min (90% ee). $^{27.8}[\alpha]_{D}$ = +66 ° (c =

0.1 , CHCl₃).



Methyl 1,2-bis(4-chlorobenzyloxycarbonyl)-3-isopropyl-5-phenyl-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-1,2,4-triazole-3-carboxylate (DCAD-product):

83% yield, colorless oil. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.83 – 7.77 (m, 2H), 7.51 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.40 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.32 (q, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 4H), 7.22 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 6.95 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 5.21 (d, *J* = 12.4 Hz, 1H), 5.12 (d, *J* = 12.4 Hz, 1H), 5.05 (q, *J* = 12.4 Hz, 2H), 3.51 (s, 3H), 2.65 (dt, *J* = 13.2, 6.5 Hz, 1H), 1.06 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H), 0.90 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.16, 157.88, 155.15, 152.34, 134.40, 134.34, 133.83, 132.82, 131.76, 129.60, 129.50, 129.50, 129.27, 128.70, 128.60, 127.98, 96.38, 77.27, 77.02, 76.76, 68.30, 67.51,

52.63, 33.46, 17.15, 16.27. HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for C₂₉H₂₈Cl₂N₃O₆ ([M+H]⁺): 584.1355; Found: 584.1344.

The ee was determined by HPLC using IA column [n-hexane/EtOH (95:5)]; flow rate 1.0 mL/min; t_R major = 13.711 min, t_R minor = 16.931 min (59% ee). ^{27.8}[α]_D = +46 ° (c = 0.1 , CHCl₃).



Methyl 1-isopropyl-5,7-dioxo-3,6-diphenyl-1,5,6,7-tetrahydro-[1,2,4]triazolo[1,2-*a*][1,2,4] triazole-1-carboxylate (PTAD-product):

52% yield, colorless oil. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.13 – 8.07 (m, 2H), 7.60 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.49 (q, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 6H), 7.43 – 7.39 (m, 1H), 3.85 (s, 3H), 2.92 (dt, *J* = 13.5, 6.8 Hz, 1H), 1.25 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H), 1.06 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.52, 153.75, 153.61, 148.69, 133.13, 131.01, 130.39, 129.16, 128.80, 128.27, 126.08, 125.04, 98.09, 77.25, 77.00, 76.75, 53.46, 33.08, 17.56, 16.11. HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for $C_{21}H_{20}N_4O_4$ ([M+H]⁺): 393.1563; Found: 393.1555.

The ee was determined by HPLC using a Chiralcel IA column [n-hexane/EtOH (99:1)]; flow

Total

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rate 1.0 mL/min; t_R major = 10.263 min, t_R minor = 11.746 min (2% ee). ^{27.8}[α]_D = +18 ° (c = 0.1, CHCl₃).



Derivatization and Characterization of Triazoline Products



Three equivalents of LiI was added to a solution of **4a** in EA and refluxed overnight. The progress of the reaction was monitored by TLC. The reaction was washed three times with aqueous NH₄Cl solution and dried over Na₂SO₄. The volatile solvent was removed and the product **8** was used directly without further purification. A solution of **8**, EDCI (2 equiv.) and HOAT (2 equiv.) in dry dichloromethane was cooled to 0°C, and followed this, DIPEA (8 equiv.) was added. After the reaction mixture was stirred for 5min, the amine (1.5 equiv.) was added dropwise. The progress of the reaction was monitored by TLC. Up on complete consumption of the starting material 8, the reaction was washed three times with aqueous NaHCO₃ solution and dried over Na₂SO₄. The volatile solvent was removed and the product was purified by silica gel flash chromatography (ethyl acetate / hexane).



Isopropyl 7a-isopropyl-6-((S)-1-methoxy-1-oxopropan-2-yl)-5,7-dioxo-2-phenyl-5,6,7,7a-tetrahydro-3*H*-imidazo[1,5-*b*][1,2,4]triazole-3-carboxylate (9a):

85% yield, colorless oil. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.89 – 7.81 (m, 2H), 7.53 (dd, J = 10.6, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 7.43 (t, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 4.99 (dt, J = 12.5, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 4.79 (q, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 2.52 (dd, J = 13.8, 6.9 Hz, 1H), 1.66 – 1.62 (m, 3H), 1.21 (d, J = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.16 (d, J = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.11 (d, J = 6.8 Hz, 3H), 0.92 (d, J = 7.0 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.75, 168.77, 161.29, 160.18, 152.40, 132.15, 129.81, 128.35, 127.97, 96.25, 77.17, 76.92, 76.67, 72.49, 52.68, 49.05, 32.04, 29.30, 21.52, 21.41, 16.07, 14.92, 14.38. HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for C₂₁H₂₇N₄O₆([M+H]⁺): 431.1931; Found: 431.1932.

The ee was determined by HPLC using IA column [n-hexane/EtOH (97.5:2.5)]; flow rate 1.0 mL/min; t_Rmajor = 8.898 min, t_Rminor = 10.609 min (92% ee). $^{27.8}[\alpha]_D$ = +136 ° (c = 0.1 , CHCl₃).



Isopropyl 6-((S)-3-hydroxy-1-methoxy-1-oxopropan-2-yl)-7a-isopropyl-5,7-dioxo-2-phenyl-5,6,7,7a-tetrahydro-3*H*-imidazo[1,5-*b*][1,2,4]triazole-3-carboxylate (9b):

83% yield, colourless oil. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.89 – 7.82 (m, 2H), 7.55 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.45 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 5.00 (dt, *J* = 12.3, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 4.89 (dt, *J* = 9.3, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 4.15 (ddd, *J* = 14.9, 12.4, 9.2 Hz, 2H), 3.79 (d, *J* = 4.0 Hz, 3H), 2.54 (dd, *J* = 14.7, 7.7 Hz, 1H), 1.22 (dd, *J* = 6.1, 2.1 Hz, 3H), 1.18 (dd, *J* = 6.1, 3.6 Hz, 3H), 1.14 (dd, *J* = 16.9, 6.8 Hz, 3H), 0.95 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.96, 170.61, 167.13, 167.09, 162.18, 161.64, 160.41, 160.37, 152.34, 132.31, 129.95, 129.88, 128.26, 128.05, 128.03, 96.40, 96.37, 72.69, 60.33, 60.28, 60.10, 56.20, 53.03, 52.88, 32.33, 32.17, 21.56, 21.46, 16.18, 16.15, 14.95. HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for C₂₁H₂₇N₄O₇ ([M+H]⁺): 447.1880; Found: 447.1875.

The ee was determined by HPLC using IA column [n-hexane/EtOH (95:5)]; flow rate 1.0 mL/min; t_R major = 22.344 min, t_R minor = 25.584 min (91% ee). ^{27.8}[α]_D = +168 ° (c = 0.1, CHCl₃).





Isopropyl 6-butyl-7a-isopropyl-5,7-dioxo-2-phenyl-5,6,7,7a-tetrahydro-3*H*-imidazo[1,5-*b*] [1,2,4]triazole-3-carboxylate (9c):

81% yield, colourless oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.89 – 7.78 (m, 2H), 7.52 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.42 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 4.98 (dt, *J* = 12.5, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 3.56 (td, *J* = 7.1, 4.6 Hz, 2H), 2.51 (dt, *J* = 13.7, 6.9 Hz, 1H), 1.61 (dd, *J* = 8.3, 5.2 Hz, 2H), 1.36 – 1.29 (m, 2H), 1.19 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.15 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.06 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H), 0.92 (dd, *J* = 13.5, 7.1 Hz, 6H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.73, 162.43, 160.20, 152.56, 132.17, 129.86, 128.45, 127.99, 96.21, 72.49, 39.32, 31.89, 29.56, 21.60, 21.47, 19.83, 16.29, 14.88, 13.49. HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for C₂₁H₂₉N₄O₄ ([M+H]⁺): 401.2189; Found: 401.2187.

The ee was determined by HPLC using IA column [n-hexane/EtOH (99:1)]; flow rate 1.0 mL/min; t_R major = 8.044 min, t_R minor = 12.210 min (90% ee). ^{27.8}[α]_D = +81 ° (c = 0.1, CHCl₃).





Diisopropyl 3-((3,5-dimethoxyphenyl)carbamoyl)-3-isopropyl-5-phenyl-1*H*-1,2,4-triazole-1,2(3*H*)-dicarboxylate (9d):

85% yield, colourless oil. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.49 (s, 1H), 8.28 (d, J = 9.5 Hz, 1H), 7.94 (d, J = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.55 (d, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.47 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 6.47 (d, J = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 5.05 (dt, J = 12.2, 6.1 Hz, 1H), 4.83 (dt, J = 12.3, 6.1 Hz, 1H), 3.80 (d, J = 6.9 Hz, 6H), 3.19 (s, 1H), 1.34 (d, J = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.28 (d, J = 5.4 Hz, 3H), 1.17 (d, J = 6.7 Hz, 3H), 1.10 – 1.01 (m, 6H), 0.96 (d, J = 4.8 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 165.57, 158.85, 156.55, 154.14, 151.87, 149.52, 131.63, 129.86, 129.19, 127.78, 121.10, 120.48, 103.91, 98.76, 96.45, 72.12, 70.82, 55.84, 55.50, 21.84, 21.82, 21.36, 21.29, 17.79, 16.19. HRMS (ESI) Calcd. for C₂₈H₃₇N₄O₇ ([M+H]⁺): 541.2662; Found: 541.2656.

The ee was determined by HPLC using IA column [n-hexane/EtOH (97.5:2.5)]; flow rate 1.0 mL/min; t_R major = 18.973 min, t_R minor = 21.623 min (93% ee). ^{27.8}[α]_D = +102 ° (c = 0.1,

CHCl₃).



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2	21.623	243773	9576	3.602	4.686
急计		6768425	204369	100.000	100.000

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