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Gold(I)-Catalysed [1,3] $O \rightarrow C$ Rearrangement of Allenyl Ethers

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General information: Reactions were carried out in anhydrous solvents under an atmosphere of argon in oven-dried glassware. NMR spectra were recorded on JEOL AL-400 (400 MHz), Bruker AC 200 MHz, Bruker DRX 400 MHz and Bruker DRX 500 MHz spectrometers, and TMS was used as an internal standard of spectrometers. The chemical shifts were reported in parts per million (δ) relative to internal standard TMS (0 ppm) and for CDCl₃ (7.25 ppm). The peak patterns are indicated as follows: s, singlet; d, doublet; dd, doublet of doublet; t, triplet; m, multiplet; q, quartet. The coupling constants, *J*, are reported in Hertz (Hz). Mass spectroscopy was carried out on PI QStar Pulsar (Hybrid Quadrupole-TOF LC/MS/MS) and High-resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were recorded on a Thermo Scientific Q-Exactive, Accela 1250 pump, and IR spectra were recorded on FT-IR PerkinElmer spectrometer by neat for oil sample and a CH₃Cl solution for solid samples. Column chromatography was performed over silica gel 100-200 mesh. All reagents were weighed and handled in air and backfilled under argon at room temperature. Unless otherwise noted, all reactions were performed under an argon atmosphere. All reagents were purchased from Aldrich and Alfa Easer and used without further purification. Compounds **1a–1z**, and **1a'-1h'** are prepared filowing the procedures reported.^{1–3}

General Procedure A: Synthesis of allenyl ethers:¹⁻³

At room temperature, a solution of propargyl ether (2 mmol) in THF (10 mL) was treated with KO^tBu (0.5 mmol) and the resulting suspension was stirred at room temperature for 1 h before quenching it with ice water. The contents were portioned between ethyl acetate (20 mL) and water (20 mL). The organic layer was separated and the aqueous layer was extracted with (2 x 10 ml ethyl acetate). The combined organic layer was concentrated under reduced pressure and the crude was subjected for the next step. For analytical purpose, the crude was purified by flash chromatography.

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Table E1. Synthesis of allenyl ethers

Table E2. Catalyst Optimization



| Entry | Substrate | Catalyst | additive | Yield |
|-------|------------|-------------------------|--------------------|-------------|
| 1 | 1a | AuCl ₃ | | Hydrolysis |
| 2 | 1b | AuCl ₃ | | Hydrolysis |
| 3 | 1c | AuCl ₃ | | Hydrolysis |
| 4 | 1a | AuBr ₃ | | Hydrolysis |
| 5 | 1b | AuBr ₃ | | Hydrolysis |
| 6 | 1c | AuBr ₃ | | Hydrolysis |
| 7 | 1a | AuCl(PPh ₃) | | No reaction |
| 8 | 1b | AuCl(PPh ₃ | | No reaction |
| 9 | 1c | AuCl(PPh ₃ | | No reaction |
| 10 | 1a | AuCl(PPh ₃) | AgSbF ₆ | Hydrolysis |
| 11 | 1b | AuCl(PPh ₃) | AgSbF ₆ | Hydrolysis |
| 12 | 1c | AuCl(PPh ₃) | AgSbF ₆ | 70-96% |
| 13 | 1a | AgSbF ₆ | | Hydrolysis |
| 14 | 1b | AgSbF ₆ | | Hydrolysis |
| 15 | 1c | AgSbF ₆ | | 27% |
| 16 | 1 a | AgOTf | | No reaction |
| 17 | 1b | AgOTf | | No reaction |
| 18 | 1c | AgOTf | | No reaction |
| 19 | 1 a | AgNTf ₂ | | Hydrolysis |
| 20 | 1b | AgNTf ₂ | | Hydrolysis |
| 21 | 1c | AgNTf ₂ | | Hydrolysis |
| 22 | 1c | AgOAc | | No reaction |
| 23 | 1a | AuCl ₃ | AgSbF ₆ | Hydrolysis |
| 24 | 1b | AuCl ₃ | AgSbF ₆ | Hydrolysis |
| 25 | 1c | AuCl ₃ | AgSbF ₆ | Hydrolysis |
| 26 | 1a | AuCl(PMe ₃) | AgSbF ₆ | Hydrolysis |
| 27 | 1b | AuCl(PMe ₃) | AgSbF ₆ | Hydrolysis |

| 28 | 1c | AuCl(PMe ₃) | Me ₃) AgSbF ₆ | | |
|----|------------|---|--------------------------------------|------------|--|
| 29 | 1 a | AuCl(PMe ₃) | AgOTf | Hydrolysis | |
| 30 | 1b | AuCl(PMe ₃) | AgOTf | Hydrolysis | |
| 31 | 1c | AuCl(PMe ₃) | AgOTf | Hydrolysis | |
| 32 | 1 a | AuCl(PPh ₃) | AgNTf ₂ | Hydrolysis | |
| 33 | 1b | AuCl(PPh ₃) | AgNTf ₂ | Hydrolysis | |
| 34 | 1c | AuCl(PPh ₃) | AgNTf ₂ | Hydrolysis | |
| 35 | 1 a | AuCl(PMe ₃) | AgNTf ₂ | Hydrolysis | |
| 36 | 1b | AuCl(PMe ₃) | AgNTf ₂ | Hydrolysis | |
| 37 | 1c | AuCl(PMe ₃) AgNT | | Hydrolysis | |
| 38 | 1 a | AuCl(Biphenyl(^t Bu) ₂) AgSbF ₆ | | Hydrolysis | |
| 39 | 1b | AuCl(Biphenyl(^t Bu) ₂) AgSbF | | Hydrolysis | |
| 40 | 1c | AuCl(Biphenyl(^t Bu) ₂) | AgSbF ₆ | 40-45% | |

[Au] Complex 5 mol% and additive 15 mol%

Table E3. Optimization studies for the best Turn over frequency

| | 0 | | (X mol%) AuPF (3X mol%) Ag | Ph₃Cl SbF ₆ | | ` |
|------|----------|--------|---------------------------------|---------------------------|------|-----------------------|
| Me | e0 1c | | CH ₂ Cl ₂ | MeO | 2c | |
| S.No | X (mol%) | temp | time | Yield ^a | S/C | TOF(h ⁻¹) |
| 1 | 0.050 | 0 °C | 05 min | 96% | 2800 | 4600 |
| 2 | 0.045 | 0 °C | 30 min | 92% | 3100 | 4088 |
| 3 | 0.040 | 0 °C | 60 min | 89% | 3500 | 2225 |
| 4 | 0.035 | 25 °C | 08 h | 87% | 4000 | 310 |
| 5 | 0.030 | 25 °C | 10 h | 86% | 4600 | 286 |
| 6 | 0.025 | 25 °C | 16 h | 86% | 5600 | 215 |
| 7 | 0.0125 | reflux | 12 h | 90% ^b | 9072 | 600 |

S/C = Substrate/Catalyst Concentration

^a isolated yields; ^bbased on the 20% starting material recovered

Scheme E1. Trapping of the intermediate with alcohols



General Procedure B:

At 0 °C, to a solution of allenylether **1c** (1.0 g, 5.68 mmol) in anhydrous CH_2Cl_2 (100 ml) was added catalyst solution [(2.80 ml, 2.83 mmol) prepared by dissolving Au(PPh₃)Cl (5 mg, 10.1 mmol) and AgSbF₆ (10 mg, 29.1 µmol) in CH_2Cl_2 (10 ml)] and allowed to stir for 5 minutes. The reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure and the crude was purified by column chromatography (100-200 Silica gel) to afford **2c** (910 mg, 91%) as a colorless oil.

2-(4-Methoxybenzyl)acrylaldehyde (2c): Yellow oil; 91%; ($R_f = 0.6, 5\%$ ethyl acetate/pet. ether); IR (CHCl₃) *v*: 3361, 2998, 2954, 2836, 2700, 1690, 1611, 1509, 1464, 1300, 1248, 1178, 1035, 958, 852, 809, 769 cm⁻¹; ¹H



NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.52 (s, 2H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 6.04–6.13 (m, 2H), 6.85 (m, 2H), 7.11 (m, 2H), 9.61 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (50 MHz, CDCl3): δ 33.3 (t), 55.2 (q), 113.9 (d, 2C), 130.1 (d, 2C), 135.0 (t), 150.1 (s, 2C), 158.2 (s), 194.1 (d) ppm; HRMS (ESI+): calcd. For C₁₁H₁₂O₂Na [M+Na]⁺ 199.0730; found 199.0728.

2-((4-Methoxyphenyl)(phenyl)methyl)acrylaldehyde (2d): colorless syrup; 97%; ($R_f = 0.5$, 5% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); IR (CHCl₃) *v*: 3367, 3027, 2836, 1692, 1609, 1509, 1463, 1302, 1250, 1177, 1033, 966, 844, 751, 701, 545 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.72 (s, 3H), 5.33 (s, 1H),



5.96 (d, J,= 1.1 Hz, 1H), 6.23 (s, 1H) 6.78–6.86 (m, 2H), 7.02 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.06–7.15 (m, 2H), 7.16–7.28 (m, 3H), 9.60 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (50 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 48.4 (d), 55.2 (q), 113.9 (d, 2C), 126.6 (d), 128.4 (d, 2C), 128.8 (d, 2C), 129.9 (d, 2C), 133.1 (s), 136.6 (t), 141.5 (s), 153.0

(s), 158.3 (s), 193.2 (d) ppm; HRMS (ESI+): calcd. For $C_{17}H_{16}O_2Na [M+Na]^+ 275.1043$; found 275.1039.

3-(4-Methoxyphenyl)-2-methylene-4-phenylbutanal (2e): colorless syrup; 81%; ($R_f = 0.6$, 10% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); IR (CHCl₃) *v*: 3367, 3027, 2836, 1692, 1609,1509, 1463, 1302, 1250, 1177, 1033, 966, 844, 751, 701, 545 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.00–3.13 (m, 1H), 3.14–3.26 (m, 1H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 4.19 (t, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 6.10 (s, 1H), 6.38 (d, *J* = 0.9 Hz,



1H), 6.74–6.85 (m, 2H), 7.03–7.10 (m, 3H), 7.11–7.24 (m, 4H), 9.49 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (50 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 40.3 (t), 44.0 (d), 55.2 (q), 113.7 (d, 2C), 126.0 (d), 128.1 (d, 2C), 128.9 (d, 2C), 129.1 (d, 2C), 133.4 (s), 134.1 (t), 139.6 (s), 152.6 (s), 158.2 (s), 193.9 (d) ppm; HRMS (ESI+): calcd. For C₁₈H₁₈O₂Na [M+Na]⁺ 289.1199; found 289.1195.

3-(4-Methoxyphenyl)-2-methyleneheptanal (2f): Yellow gum; 92%; (Rf = 0.5, 10% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); IR (CHCl₃) *v*: 3366, 2956, 2931, 1693, 1610, 1509, 1464, 1301, 1248, 1178, 1036, 942, 827 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 0.86 (t, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 3H), 1.12–1.41 (m, 4H), 1.70–1.88 (m, 2H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.80–3.86 (m, 1H), 6.05 (s, 1H), 6.30 (s, 1H), 6.79–6.88



(m, 2H), 7.09–7.19 (m, 2 H), 9.51 (s, 1 H); ¹³C NMR (50 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 13.9 (q), 22.5 (t), 29.8 (t), 33.8 (t), 42.0 (d), 55.1 (q), 113.7 (d, 2C), 128.9 (d, 2C), 133.3 (t), 134.4 (s), 153.7 (s), 158.1 (s), 194.0 (d) ppm; HRMS (ESI+): calcd. For C₁₅H₂₀O₂Na [M+Na]⁺ 255.1356; found 255.1352.

2-(2,4-Dimethoxybenzyl)acrylaldehyde (2g): Yellow gum; 91%; ($R_f = 0.6, 5\%$ ethyl acetate/pet. ether); IR (CHCl₃) *v*: 3359, 2998, 2935, 2835, 1909, 1690, 1590, 1512, 1464, 1418, 1333, 1262, 1155, 1029, 954, 867, 805, 771, 755 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.49 (s, 2H), 3.78 (s,



3H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 5.96–6.04 (m, 2H), 6.41–6.48 (m, 2H), 7.02 (s, 1H), 9.61 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 27.8 (t), 55.3 (q, 2C), 98.6 (d), 103.9 (d), 118.8 (s), 131.1 (d), 134.7 (t), 149.2 (s), 158.3 (s), 159.7 (s), 194.4 (d) ppm; HRMS (ESI+): calcd. For C₁₂H₁₄O₃Na [M+Na]⁺ 229.0835; found 229.0833.

2-((2,4-Dimethoxyphenyl)(phenyl)methyl)acrylaldehyde (2h): Yellow gum; 94%; ($R_f = 0.6$, 5% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); IR (CHCl₃) v: 3367, 3023, 2957, 2836, 1693, 1591, 1514, 1417, 1265, 1141, 1028, 954, 754, 701 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.80 (s, 3H), 3.84 (s, 3H), 5.69 (s, 1H), 5.98 (s, 1H), 6.28 (s, 1H), 6.41–6.49 (m, 1H), 6.54 (d, J = 2.4 Hz,

1H), 6.81 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 7.15–7.23 (m, 2H), 7.33 (td, J = 5.3, 1.8 Hz, 3H), 9.70 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 42.1 (d), 55.2 (q), 55.4 (q), 98.7 (d), 103.6 (d), 122.4 (s), 126.3 (d), 128.2 (d, 2C), 128.9 (d, 2C), 129.6 (d), 135.7 (t), 141.0 (s), 152.6 (s), 157.6 (s), 159.6 (s), 193.2 (d) ppm; HRMS (ESI+): calcd. For $C_{18}H_{18}O_3Na [M+Na]^+ 305.1148$; found 305.1145.

2-(3, 4-Dimethoxybenzyl)acrylaldehyde (2i): Yellow oil; 94%; ($R_f = 0.4$, 5% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); IR (CHCl₃) v: 3359, 2998, 2935, 2835, 1909, 1690, 1590, 1512, 1464, 1418, 1333, 1262, 1155, 1029, 954, 867, 805, 771,

755 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.50 (s, 2H), 3.85 (s, 6H), 6.05 (d, J = 0.8 Hz, 1H), 6.11 (s, 1H), 6.68–6.75 (m, 2H), 6.77–6.83 (m, 1H), 9.60 (s, 1H); 13 C NMR (50 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 33.7 (t), 55.7 (g), 55.8 (g), 111.2 (d), 112.3 (d), 121.0 (d), 130.6 (s), 134.9 (t), 147.6 (s), 148.9 (s), 149.9 (s), 194.0 (d) ppm; HRMS (ESI+): calcd. For $C_{12}H_{14}O_3Na [M+Na]^+ 229.0835$; found 229.0833.

2-((3,4-Dimethoxyphenyl)(phenyl)methyl)acrylaldehyde (2j): Yellow gum; 91%; ($R_f = 0.6$, 5% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); IR (CHCl₃) v: 3367, 3023, 2957, 2836, 1693, 1591, 1514, 1417, 1246, 1141, 1028, 954, 754, 701 cm⁻¹; 1H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.85 (s, 3H), 3.90 (s, 3H), 5.38 (s, 1H), 6.06 (d, J = 1.0 Hz, 1H), 6.35 (s, 1H), 6.64–6.73 (m, 2H), 6.80–6.88

(m, 1H), 7.14–7.20 (m, 2H), 7.28–7.41 (m, 3H), 9.70 (s, 1H); 13 C NMR (50 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 48.6 (d), 55.7 (q, 2C), 110.9 (d), 112.4 (d), 120.7 (d), 126.5 (d), 128.3 (d, 2C), 128.7 (d, 2C), 133.5 (s), 136.5 (t), 141.2 (s), 147.7 (s), 148.9 (s), 152.8 (s), 193.0 (d) ppm; HRMS (ESI+): calcd. For C₁₈H₁₈O₃Na [M+Na]⁺ 305.1148; found 305.1144.

3-(3,4-Dimethoxyphenyl)-2-methylene-4-phenylbutanal (2k): Colorless gum; 82%; ($R_f = 0.6$, 10% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); IR (CHCl₃) v: 3362, 3025, 2934, 2835, 1692, 1591, 1515, 1454, 1419, 1260, 1141, 1028, 950,



2k

MeO

MeO



2h

MeO



809, 757, 700 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 2.99–3.13 (m, 1H), 3.13–3.26 (m, 1H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 3.84 (s, 3H), 4.17 (t, J = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 6.13 (s, 1H), 6.37–6.41 (m, 1H), 6.63 (s, 1H), 6.71–6.77 (m, 2H), 7.02–7.09 (m, 2H), 7.13–7.23 (m, 3H), 9.51 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (50 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 40.3 (t), 44.4 (d), 55.8 (q, 2C), 111.0 (d), 111.8 (d), 119.7 (d), 126.0 (d), 128.1 (d, 2C), 128.9 (d, 2C), 133.9 (s), 134.1 (t), 139.5 (s), 147.6 (s), 148.6 (s), 152.5 (s), 193.8 (d) ppm; HRMS (ESI+): calcd. For C₁₉H₂₀O₃Na [M+Na]⁺ 319.1305; found 319.1304.

2-Methylene-4-phenyl-3-(3,4,5-trimethoxyphenyl)butanal (21): White gum; 83%; ($R_f = 0.6$,

10% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); IR (CHCl₃) *v*: 3362, 2997, 2936, 2837, 1693, 1589, 1506, 1455, 1421, 1327, 1239, 1126, 1010, 700 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 2.98–3.13 (m, 1H), 3.13–3.26 (m, 1H), 3.78 (s, 6H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 4.16 (t, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 6.15 (s, 1H), 6.35 (s, 2H), 6.41 (s, 1H), 7.03–7.10 (m, 2H), 7.14–7.23 (m, 3H), 9.52 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz,



CDCl₃): δ 40.3 (t), 45.0 (d), 56.1 (q, 2C), 60.8 (q), 105.1 (d, 2C), 126.2 (d), 128.2 (d, 2C), 128.9 (d, 2C), 134.5 (t), 136.6 (s), 137.0 (s), 139.4 (s), 152.1 (s), 153.0 (s, 2C), 193.9 (d) ppm; HRMS (ESI+): calcd. For C₂₀H₂₂O₄Na [M+Na]⁺ 349.1410; found 349.1404.

2-(Phenyl(3,4,5-trimethoxyphenyl)methyl)acrylaldehyde (**2m**): Yellow gum; 87%; ($R_f = 0.5$, 10% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); IR (CHCl₃) *v*: 3366, 2998, 2938, 1959, 1693, 1589, 1505, 1419, 1237, 1126, 1008, 960, 823, 702 cm ⁻¹; ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.81 (s, 6H), 3.87 (s, 3H), 5.36 (s, 1H), 6.07 (d, *J* = 1.1 Hz, 1H), 6.35–6.38 (m, 3H), 7.13–7.20 (m, 2H), 7.28–7.40 (m, 3H), 9.70 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (50 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 49.2 (d), 56.0 (q,



2C), 60.8 (q), 106.1 (d, 2C), 126.7 (d), 128.4 (d, 2C), 128.8 (d, 2C), 136.6 (s), 136.7 (s), 136.8 (t), 140.9 (s), 152.6 (s), 153.1 (s, 2C), 193.1 (d) ppm; HRMS (ESI+): calcd. For C₁₉H₂₀O₄Na [M+Na]⁺ 335.1254; found 335.1248.

2-(4-(Dimethylamino)benzyl)acrylaldehyde (2n): Yelow oil; 92%; ($R_f = 0.6$, 10% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); IR (CHCl₃) *v*: 3358, 2916, 2802, 1885, 1686, 1615, 1523, 1479, 1347, 1163, 1061, 947, 857, 800 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 2.94 (s, 6H), 3.49 (s, 2H), 6.04 (d, J = 0.9 Hz, 1H),



6.12 (s, 1H), 6.72 (m, J = 8.7 Hz, 2H), 7.08 (m, J = 8.7 Hz, 2H), 9.62 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (50 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 33.0 (t), 40.7 (q, 2C), 112.9 (d, 2C), 125.8 (s), 129.7 (d, 2C), 134.7 (t), 149.3 (s), 150.4 (s), 194.2 (d) ppm; HRMS (ESI+): calcd. For C₁₂H₁₆ON [M+H]⁺ 190.1226; found 190.1225.

2-((4-(Dimethylamino)phenyl)(phenyl)methyl)acrylaldehyde (20): Yellow gum; 95%; ($R_f =$

0.5, 10% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); IR (CHCl₃) v: 3365, 3026, 2885, 2803, 2696, 1884, 1692, 1612, 1520, 1449, 1350, 1221, 1162, 1061, 948, 806, 761, 701 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.00 (s, 6H), 5.37 (s, 1H), 6.08 (s, 1H), 6.34 (s, 1H), 6.71–6.80 (m, 2H), 7.01–7.10 (m, 2H), 7.16–7.24 (m, 2H), 7.29–7.42 (m, 3H), 9.72 (s, 1 H); ¹³C NMR (50 MHz,



CDCl₃): δ 40.6 (q, 2C), 48.2 (d), 112.7 (d, 2C), 126.4 (d), 128.3 (d, 2C), 128.8 (d, 2C), 129.6 (d, 2C), 136.4 (t), 141.9 (s), 149.2 (s), 153.2 (s, 2C), 193.4 (d) ppm; HRMS (ESI+): calcd. For C₁₈H₂₀ON [M+H]⁺ 266.1539; found 266.1539.

3-(4-(Dimethylamino)phenyl)-2-methyleneheptanal (2p): Yellow Syrup; 93%; ($R_f = 0.6, 10\%$

ethyl acetate/pet. ether); IR (CHCl₃) *v*: 3363, 2955, 2929, 1693, 1614, 1520, 1445, 1348, 1223, 1163, 1061, 812 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 0.84 (t, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 3H), 1.14–1.37 (m, 4H), 1.70–1.84 (m, 2H), 2.91 (s, 6H), 3.75 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 6.00 (s, 1H), 6.26 (s, 1H), 6.61–6.74 (m, 2H), 7.02–7.11 (m, 2H), 9.50 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (50 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 13.9 (q), 22.6 (t), 29.9



(t), 33.8 (t), 40.7 (q, 2C), 41.8 (d), 112.6 (d, 2C), 128.6 (d, 2C), 130.3 (s), 133.1 (t), 149.2 (s), 154.1 (s), 194.3 (d) ppm; HRMS (ESI+): calcd. For $C_{16}H_{24}ON$ [M+H]⁺ 246.1852; found 246.1851.

2-((3,5-Dimethoxyphenyl)(phenyl)methyl)acrylaldehyde (**2q):** Yellow liquid; 74%; ($R_f = 0.6$, 10% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); IR (CHCl₃) *v*: 3367, 3023, 2957, 2836, 1693, 1591, 1514, 1417, 1265, 1141, 1028, 954, 754, 701 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.79 (s, 6H), 5.36 (s, 1H), 6.09 (d, J = 1.0 Hz, 1H), 6.31–6.37 (m, 3H), 6.38 (d, J = 2.1 Hz, 1H), 7.14–7.21 (m,



2H), 7.29–7.36 (m, 3H), 9.69 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (50 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 49.3 (d), 55.2 (q, 2C), 98.4 (d), 107.4 (d, 2C), 126.7 (d), 128.5 (d, 2C), 128.9 (d, 2C), 136.8 (t), 140.8 (s), 143.5 (s), 152.4

(s), 160.8 (s, 2C), 193.1 (d) ppm; HRMS (ESI+): calcd. For $C_{18}H_{18}O_3Na [M+Na]^+$ 305.1148; found 305.1146.

2-Benzhydrylacrylaldehyde (2r): Yellow gum; 87%; ($R_f = 0.6$, 10% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); IR (CHCl₃) v: 3362, 2995, 2932, 1894, 1690, 1617, 1509, 1456, 1253, 1229, 1162, 1047, 940, 830 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl3): δ 5.43 (s, 1H), 6.05 (d, J = 1.1 Hz, 1H), 6.36 (s, 1H), 7.12–7.21 (m, 4H), 7.28–7.41 (m, 6H), 9.70 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (50 MHz, CDCl3): δ 49.2 (d), 126.7 (d, 2C), 128.5 (d, 4C), 128.9 (d, 4C), 136.8 (t), 141.1 (s, 2C), 152.7 (s), 193.1 (d) ppm; HRMS (ESI+): calcd. For $C_{16}H_{14}ONa [M+Na]^+ 245.0937$; found 254.0933.



2-(6-Methoxy-1,2,3,4-tetrahydronaphthalen-1-yl)acrylaldehyde (2s):Yellow Syrup; 89%; (R_f

= 0.6, 10% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); IR (CHCl₃) v: 3362, 2995, 2932, 1894, 1690, 1608, 1500, 1456, 1253, 1226, 1162, 1038, 940, 830 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 1.66–1.81 (m, 3H), 1.87–2.01 (m, 1H), 2.72–2.82 (m, 2H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 4.11 (br. s., 1H), 5.81 (s, 1H), 6.12 (s, 1H), 6.64–6.72 (m, 2H), 6.77–6.84 (m, 1H), 9.61 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (50 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 19.2 (t),

28.3 (t), 29.7 (t), 36.4 (d), 55.2 (q), 112.4 (d), 113.3 (d), 129.2 (s), 130.6 (d), 137.0 (t), 139.1 (s), 155.4 (s), 157.8 (s), 194.0 (d) ppm; HRMS (ESI+): calcd. For $C_{14}H_{16}O_2Na [M+Na]^+ 239.1043$; found 239.1040.

2-((4-Methoxyphenyl)(phenyl)methyl)-3-phenylacrylaldehyde (2t):

Colorless syrup; 91%; ($R_f = 0.4$, 10% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.8 (s, 3H), 5.62 (s, 1H), 6.90 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 7.14 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 7.18–7.26 (m, H), 7.28–7.48 (m, 9H), 9.98 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 49.4 (d), 55.2 (q), 79.4 (d), 113.7 (d), 113.9 (d), 126.5 (d), 127.0 (d), 127.1 (d), 127.2 (d), 127.2 (d), 128.3

(d), 128.4 (d), 128.5 (d), 128.6 (d), 129.1 (d), 129.2 (d), 129.9 (d), 130.1 (d), 133.7 (s), 133.9 (s), 142.1 (s), 142.7 (s), 144.6 (s), 148.3 (d), 158.2 (s), 158.9 (s), 192.0 (d) ppm; HRMS (ESI+): calcd. For C₂₃H₂₀O₂Na [M+Na]⁺ 351.1356; found 351.1354.

2-((2,4-Bimethoxyphenyl)(phenyl)methyl)-3-phenylacrylaldehyde (2u): Colorless syrup; 94%; ($R_f = 0.4$, 10% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.72 (s, 3H), 3.76



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(s, 4H), 5.60 (s, 1H), 5.90 (s, 1H), 6.20 (s, 1H), 6.33–6.43 (m, 1H), 6.43–6.50 (m, 1H), 6.72 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 1H), 7.11 (d, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 7.17–7.41 (m, 5H), 9.62 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 42.1 (d), 43.3 (d), 55.3 (q), 55.5 (q), 98.7 (d), 98.8 (d), 103.6 (d), 122.5 (s), 126.4 (d), 128.3 (d), 129.0(d), 129.2 (d), 129.7 (d), 129.9 (d), 130.0 (d),



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134.2 (s), 135.7 (t), 141.0(s), 141.6 (s), 144.3 (s), 147.1 (d), 152.6 (s), 157.7 (s), 159.7 (s), 191.9 (s), 193.3 (d) ppm; HRMS (ESI+): calcd. For C₂₄H₂₂O₃Na [M+Na]⁺ 381.1461; found 381.1461.

Cyclopenta-2,4-dien-1-yl(2-(2-formylallyl)cyclopenta-2,4-dien-1-yl)iron (2a'):Orange color

powder; 96%; ($R_f = 0.6$, 5% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); IR (CHCl₃) v: 3362, 3093, 2924, 2853, 1894, 1693, 1627, 1464, 1340, 1245, 1105, 959, 819 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.31 (bs, 2H), 4.06–4.20 (m, 9H), 5.95 (s, 1H), 6.08 (s, 1H), 9.56 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (50 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 28.1 (t), 67.7 (d, 2C),

68.4 (d), 68.7 (d, 3C), 68.9 (d, 2C), 69.4 (d), 84.6 (s), 134.6 (t), 150.2 (s), 194.0 (d) ppm; HRMS (ESI+): calcd. For C₁₄H₁₄OFe [M⁺] 254.0389; found 254.0386.

3-(1-Methyl-1H-pyrrol-2-yl)-2-methylenebutanal (2b'): Yellow oil; 89%; ($R_f = 0.5$, 5% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 1.40 (d, J = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 3.39 (s, 3H), 4.04 (q, J = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 5.95 (s, 1H), 6.02–6.04 (m, 1H), 6.04–6.07 (m, 1H), 6.07–6.12 (m, 1H), 6.54–6.60 (m, 1H), 9.63 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR

(100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 19.6 (q), 28.9 (d), 33.4 (q), 106.1 (d), 106.5 (d), 121.8 (d), 134.4 (s), 134.8 (t), 154.0 (s), 193.7 (d) ppm; HRMS (ESI+): calcd. For C₁₀H₁₄ON [M+1]⁺ 164.1070; found 164.1070; C₁₀H₁₃ONNa [M+Na]⁺ 186.0889; found 186.0889.

2-Methylene-3-(thiophen-2-yl)butanal (**2c'):** Colorless oil; 91%; ($R_f = 0.5$, 5% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 1.52 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H), 4.34 (q, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 6.09 (s, 1H), 6.28 (d, J = 1.0 Hz, 1H), 6.86 (dt, J = 3.4, 1.1 Hz, 1H), 6.94 (dd, J = 5.12, 3.5 Hz, 1H), 7.16 (dd, J = 5.1, 1.3 Hz,

1H), 9.58 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 21.4 (q), 32.5 (d), 123.5 (d), 124.1 (d), 126.6 (d), 134.2 (t), 147.4 (s), 154.2 (s), 193.4 (d) ppm; HRMS (ESI+): calcd. For C₉H₁₀ONaS [M+Na]⁺ 189.0345; found 189.0344.

3-(1-Benzyl-1H-pyrrol-2-yl)-2-methyleneheptanal (2d'): Yellow oil; 84%; ($R_f = 0.5$, 5% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta 0.78-0.88$ (m, 3H), 1.11-1.33 (m, 4H), 1.62-

1.74 (m, 2H), 3.91 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 4.97 (s, 2H), 5.95 (s, 1H), 6.1 (s, 1H), 6.12–6.18 (m, 1H), 6.20–6.27 (m, 1H), 6.67–6.74 (m, 1H), 7.1 (dd, J = 7.4, 1.7 Hz, 2H), 7.27–7.39 (m, 3H), 9.49 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 13.9 (q), 22.4 (t), 29.9 (t), 33.6 (d), 34.7 (t), 50.5 (t), 106.6 (d), 107.0 (d),

121.4 (d), 126.7 (d, 2C), 127.3 (d), 128.5 (d, 2C), 133.7 (s), 135.4 (t), 138.2 (s), 153.0 (s), 193.8 (d) ppm; HRMS (ESI+): calcd. For $C_{19}H_{24}ON [M+1]^+$ 282.1852; found 282.1851; $C_{19}H_2ONNa [M+Na]^+$ 304.1672; found 304.1671.

3-(Benzofuran-2-yl)-2-methylenebutanal (2e'): Yellow gum; 91%; ($R_f = 0.4$, 5% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 1.53 (d, J = 7.0 Hz, 3H), 4.28 (d, J = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 6.14 (s, 1H), 6.30 (s, 1H), 6.52 (s, 1H), 7.18–7.28 (m, 2H), 7.43 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 7.53 (d, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 9.62 (s, 1H); ¹³C

NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 18.0 (q), 31.5 (d), 102.6 (d), 110.9 (d), 120.5 (d), 122.5 (d), 123.6 (d), 128.4 (s), 134.8 (t), 151.5 (s), 154.7 (s), 159.6 (s), 193.1 (d) ppm; HRMS (ESI+): calcd. For C₁₃H₁₃O₂ [M+1]⁺ 201.0910; found 201.0910.

3-(Benzo[b]thiophen-2-yl)-2-methylenebutanal (2f'): Colorless gum; 92%; ($R_f = 0.4$, 5% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 1.6 (d, J = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 4.5 (d, J = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 6.01–6.15 (m, 2H), 7.27 (d,

J = 1.0 Hz, 1H), 7.32–7.42 (m, 2H), 7.53–7.62 (m, 1H), 7.84–7.96 (m, 1H), 9.70 (s, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 19.5 (q), 30.9 (d), 121.8 (d), 122.0 (d), 122.8 (d), 123.9 (d), 124.4 (d), 134.8 (t), 137.9 (s), 138.5 (s), 140.5 (s), 153.5 (s), 193.7(d) ppm; HRMS (ESI+): calcd. For C₁₃H₁₂ONaS [M+Na]⁺ 239.0501; found 239.0500.

3-(1-Benzyl-1H-indol-3-yl)-2-methyleneheptanal (2g'): Yellow gum; 81%; ($R_f = 0.4$, 5% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta 0.83-0.93$ (m, 3H), 1.29–1.42 (m, 4H), 1.84–2.02 (m, 2H), 4.22 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 5.32 (s, 2H), 6.05 (s, 1H), 6.27 (s, 1H), 7.03 (s, 1H), 7.05–7.12 (m, 3H), 7.16

 $(ddd, J = 8.2, 6.9, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 7.25 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.27-7.34 (m, 2H), 7.54 (dd, J = 8.9, 1.1 Hz, 1H), 9.63 (s, 1H); {}^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): \delta 14.0 (q), 22.6 (t), 30.2 (t), 33.8(t), 34.3$







(d), 49.9 (t), 109.7 (d), 116.6 (s), 119.0 (d), 119.5 (d), 121.8 (d), 126.1 (d), 126.5 (d, 2C), 127.4 (d), 127.5 (d), 128.7 (d, 2C), 134.4 (t), 136.8 (s), 137.7 (s), 153.5 (s, 2C), 194.3 (d) ppm; HRMS (ESI+): calcd. For $C_{23}H_{26}ON [M+1]^+$ 332.2009; found 232.2008; $C_{23}H_{25}ONNa [M+Na]^+$ 354.1828; found 354.1828;

General Procedure C: At 0 °C, a solution of allenylether1c(100 mg, 567 μ mol) and 3 equivalents of nucleophile (MeOH) in dichloromethane (5 mL) was treated with the catalyst Stock solution (1 mol % catalyst) and stirred for 3 h at room temperature. The reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure and the resulting crude was purified by silica gel column chromatography to afford 3(71 mg, 81% yield) as a colorless liquid.

1-Methoxy-4-(methoxy(phenyl)methyl)benzene (**4**):¹ Yield: 85%; ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.41 (s, 3H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 5.26 (s, 1H), 6.84–6.97 (m, 2H), 7.23–7.46 (m, 7H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 55.0 (q),



56.7 (q), 84.8 (d), 113.6 (d, 2C), 126.7 (d, 2C), 127.2 (d), 128.1 (d, 2C), 128.2 (d, 2C), 134.2 (s), 142.3 (s), 158.8 (s) ppm;

1-Methoxy-4-(1-(pent-4-yn-1-yloxy)pentyl)benzene (5): Yellow oil; 72%; ($R_f = 0.5$, 10% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); IR (neat) *v*: 3296, 2999, 2954, 2931, 1658, 1510, 1462, 1244, 1171, 1097, 1035, 830, 634 cm⁻¹; ¹H



NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 0.88 (t, J = 6.8, 3H), 1.24–1.37 (m, 5H), 1.76 (t, J = 6.4 Hz, 3H), 1.91 (t, J = 2.6 Hz, 1H), 2.23–2.35 (m, 2H), 3.25–3.44 (m, 2H), 3.82 (s, 3H), 4.13 (dd, J = 6.3, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 6.88 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 7.20 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 14.0 (q), 15.4 (t), 22.6 (t), 28.1 (t), 28.8 (t), 38.0 (t), 55.2 (q), 66.8 (t), 68.3 (s), 82.0 (d), 84.1 (d), 113.6 (d, 2C), 127.7 (d, 2C), 135.1 (s), 158.8 (s) ppm; HRMS (ESI+): calcd. For C₁₇H₂₄O₂Na [M+Na]⁺ 283.1668; found 283.1669.

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((**Propa-1,2-dien-1-yloxy)methyl)benzene** (**1b**): Light yellowish oily liquid; 82%; ($R_f = 0.7$, 5% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 4.60 (s, 2H), 5.46 (d, J = 5.9 Hz, 2H), 6.83 (t, J = 5.9 Hz, 1H), 7.22–7.43 (m, 5H) ppm.

1-Methoxy-4-((propa-1,2-dien-1-yloxy)methyl)benzene (1c): colorless syrup; 83%; ($R_f = 0.5$,

5% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.79 (s, 1H), 4.53 (s, 1H), 5.46 (d, *J* = 5.9 Hz, 2H), 6.80 (t, *J* = 5.9 Hz, 1H), 6.85–6.91 (m, 2H), 7.27 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (50 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 55.2

(q), 70.3 (d), 90.9 (d), 113.8 (d, 2C), 121.4 (d), 129.3 (s), 129.4 (d), 129.5 (d), 159.3 (s), 201.3 (s) ppm.

1-Methoxy-4-(phenyl(propa-1,2-dien-1-yloxy)methyl)benzene (1d):

Yellow color oil; 85%; ($R_f = 0.7$, 5% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.82 (s, 3H), 5.34 (s, 1H), 5.35–5.42 (m, 1H), 5.78 (s, 1H), 6.83 (t, J = 5.9 Hz, 1H), 6.87–6.96 (m, 2H), 7.26–7.35 (m, 3H), 7.35–7.43 (m, 4H); ¹³C NMR (50 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 55.1 (q), 81.5 (d),

90.6 (t), 113.7 (d, 2C), 120.4 (d), 126.8 (d, 2C), 127.4 (d), 128.3 (d, 2C), 128.4 (d, 2C), 133.5 (s), 141.5 (s), 159.0 (s), 202.0 (s) ppm.

1-Methoxy-4-(1-(propa-1,2-dien-1-yloxy)pentyl)benzene (1f): Yellow color syrup; 85%; (R_f =

0.7, 5% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 0.82–0.95 (m, 3H), 1.19–1.46 (m, 5H), 1.59–1.83 (m, 1H), 1.83–2.07 (m, 1H), 3.82 (s, 3H), 4.57 (t, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 1H), 5.15–5.40 (m, 2H), 6.61 (t, *J* = 5.9 Hz, 1H), 6.84–6.96 (m, 2H), 7.18–7.28 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (50 MHz,

CDCl₃): δ13.9 (q), 22.5 (t), 27.8 (t), 37.2 (t), 55.1 (q), 80.7 (d), 89.8 (t), 113.6 (d, 2C), 120.2 (d), 127.8 (d, 2C), 134.2 (s), 158.9 (s), 202.2 (s) ppm.

2,4-Dimethoxy-1-(phenyl(propa-1,2-dien-1-yloxy)methyl)benzene (**1h**): Yellow color gum; 79%; ($R_f = 0.5$, 5% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.83 (d, J = 1.3 Hz, 6H), 5.30 (d, J = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 5.33 (d, J = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 6.16 (s, 1H), 6.46–6.60 (m, 2H), 6.75–6.86 (m, 1H), 7.28–7.48 (m, 6H);

MeO OMe 1h





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1,2-Dimethoxy-4-(phenyl(propa-1,2-dien-1-yloxy)methyl)benzene (1j): Yellow color gum;

78%; ($R_f = 0.6$, 5% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.83 (d, J = 2.0 Hz, 6H), 5.29 (dd, J = 6.0, 0.9 Hz, 2H), 5.69 (s, 1H), 6.75 (t, J = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 6.79–6.88 (m, 3H), 7.21–7.34 (m, 5H); ¹³C NMR (50 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 55.8 (q, 2C), 81.7 (d), 90.6 (t), 110.2 (d),



110.8 (d), 119.7 (d), 120.4 (d), 126.9 (d, 2C), 127.5 (d), 128.3 (d, 2C), 133.8 (s), 141.4 (s), 148.5 (s), 148.9 (s), 202.0 (s) ppm.

1,2,3-Trimethoxy-5-(phenyl(propa-1,2-dien-1-yloxy)methyl)benzene (1m): Yellow colr gum;

82%; ($R_f = 0.4$, 5% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.80–3.86 (m, 9H), 5.26–5.41 (m, 2H), 5.69 (s, 1H), 6.59 (s, 2H), 6.80 (t, J = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 7.24–7.40 (m, 5H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 55.9 (q, 2C), 60.7 (q), 81.8 (d), 90.7 (t), 103.9 (d, 2C), 120.3 (d), 126.8 (d, 2C), 127.6 (d), 128.2 (d, 2C), 136.8 (s), 137.1 (s), 141.0 (s), 153.0 (s, 2C), 201.8 (s) ppm.



1,3-Dimethoxy-5-(phenyl(propa-1,2-dien-1-yloxy)methyl)benzene (1q): Yellow color gel; 84%; ($R_f = 0.5$, 5% ethyl acetate/pet. ether); ¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.80 (s, 6H), 5.37 (d, J = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 5.74 (s, 1H), 6.42 (t, J = 2.3 Hz, 1H), 6.59 (d, J = 2.3 Hz, 2H), 6.85 (t,



J = 5.9Hz, 1H), 7.28–7.45 (m, 5H); ¹³C NMR (50 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 55.2 (q, 2C), 81.8 (d), 90.8 (t), 99.3 d), 105.0 (d, 2C), 120.4 (d), 126.9 (d, 2C), 127.6(d), 128.3 (d, 2C), 141.1 (s), 143.7 (s), 160.7 (s, 2C), 201.9 (s) ppm;

2-(Octa-1,2-dien-4-yl)pyridine (1h'): Black color oil; 72%; ($R_f = 0.5, 5\%$ ethyl acetate/pet. ether);

¹H NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 0.79–0.92 (m, 3H), 1.21–1.47 (m, 4H), 1.76–1.94 (m, 2H), 4.73 (t, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 1H), 5.10 (dd, *J* = 8.3, 5.9 Hz, 1H), 5.3 (dd, *J* = 8.3, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 6.70 (t, *J* = 5.9 Hz, 1H), 7.1 (ddd, *J* = 7.5, 4.9, 1.1Hz, 1H), 7.3 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.60–7.70 (m, 1H), 8.5–8.6 (m, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ



13.9 (q), 22.5 (t), 27.5 (t), 36.0 (t), 81.5 (d), 90.5 (t), 120.4 (d), 120.5 (d), 122.0 (d), 136.4 (d), 148.9 (d), 161.7 (s), 201.7 (s) ppm.









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