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# Regioselectivity of the trifluoroethanol-promoted intramolecular *N*-Boc – epoxide cyclization towards 1,3oxazolidin-2-ones and 1,3-oxazinan-2-ones

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#### 1. X-ray crystallography data

X-ray reflections were collected on a Bruker APEX-II, CCD diffractometer using Mo K $\alpha$  ( $\lambda$  = 0.71073 Å) radiation. Data reduction was performed using Bruker SAINT Software.<sup>1</sup> Intensities for absorption were corrected using SADABS. Structures were solved and refined using SHELXL-2014 with anisotropic displacement parameters for non-H atoms. Hydrogen atom on O was experimentally located in the crystal structure. All C–H atoms were fixed geometrically using the HFIX command in SHELX-TL.<sup>2</sup> A check of the final CIF file using PLATON did not show any missed symmetry.<sup>3,4</sup> The crystallographic parameters for **5d** and **6d** are summarized in Table ESI-1. X-ray crystallographic structures of **5e** and **5f** are shown in the Figures ESI-1 and ESI-1, respectively.

Crystal Data	5e	бе
Formula unit	C <sub>16</sub> H <sub>15</sub> NO <sub>3</sub>	C <sub>16</sub> H <sub>15</sub> NO <sub>3</sub>
Formula wt.	269.29	269.29
Crystal system	Triclinic	Orthorhombic
T [K]	100	100
<i>a</i> [Å]	7.3130(10)	14.3884(13)
<i>b</i> [Å]	9.4042(12)	26.944(3)
<i>c</i> [Å]	9.8866(13)	6.9828(6)
α[°]	97.320(7)	90
β[°]	95.213(7)	96
γ[°]	94.533(7)	90
Volume [Å <sup>3</sup> ]	668.77(15)	2707.1(4)
Space group	P-1	Pccn
Ζ	2	8
D <sub>calc</sub> [g cm <sup>-3</sup> ]	1.337	1.321
$\mu/mm^{-1}$	0.093	0.092
Reflns. Collected	22687	21415

Table ESI-1. Crystal data parameters of 5e and 6e

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Unique reflns.	3653	3356
Observed reflns.	2689	1667
$R_1$ [I>2 $\sigma$ (I)], $wR_2$	0.0451, 0.1199	0.0620, 0.1681
GOF	0.780	0.767
Instrument	Bruker APEX-II CCD	Bruker APEX-II CCD
X-ray	МоК\а	МоК\а
CCDC Reference No.	1970676	1970675



Figure ESI-1. X-ray crystallographic structure of 5e.



Figure ESI-2. X-ray crystallographic structure of 6e.

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#### 3. Copies of <sup>1</sup>H and <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectra of compounds



<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of **4a**.





<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of **4a**.





 $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, CDCl\_3) spectrum of 4b.





<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of **4b**.









 $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of 4c.





<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of **4d**.











<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of 4e.











<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of **4f**.





<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of **4f**.











<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of **4g**.











































<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of **4k**.





<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of **4**l.





<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of **4**l.























<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of **4n**.











<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of **40**.





<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of  ${f 4p}$ 





<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of **4p**.




 $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of 4q.





 $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz, CDCl\_3) spectrum of 4q.







<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of **4r**.



<sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>, 400 MHz) spectrum of **5a**.











<sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>, 400 MHz) spectrum of **5b**.





<sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ , 100 MHz) spectrum of **5b**.











<sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ , 100 MHz) spectrum of **5c**.











<sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 100 MHz) spectrum of **5d**.











<sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400 MHz) spectrum of **5e**.





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 $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ , 400 MHz) spectrum of **6e**.







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<sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ , 400 MHz) spectrum of **6f**.





<sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>, 100 MHz) spectrum of **6f**.



<sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400 MHz) spectrum of **5g**.





<sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 100 MHz) spectrum of **5g**.





<sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ , R00 MHz) spectrum of **6g**.





<sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>, 100 MHz) spectrum of **6g**.











 $^1\text{H}$  NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400 MHz) spectrum of  $\mathbf{6h}.$ 





<sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ , 100 MHz) spectrum of **6h**.




































































<sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ , 400 MHz) spectrum of **51**.





<sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>, 100 MHz) spectrum of **51**.









<sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>, 100 MHz) spectrum of **6**l.









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<sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 100 MHz) spectrum of **6m**.



<sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ , 400 MHz) spectrum of **5n**.







<sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>, 400 MHz) spectrum of **50**.





<sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>, 100 MHz) spectrum of **50**.









<sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 100 MHz) spectrum of **5p**.



<sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ , 400 MHz) spectrum of **6p**.





<sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>, 100 MHz) spectrum of **6p**.



<sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ , 400 MHz) spectrum of **5q**.















<sup>13</sup>C NMR (DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>, 100 MHz) spectrum of **6r**.