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Synthesis of Fluorinated Leucines and Valines for Use in Protein NMR

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Cell-free protein synthesis, protein mass spectrometry and NMR measurements

Sample preparation of GB1 with fluorinated amino acids

Samples of GB1 with fluorinated amino acids were produced using cell-free protein synthesis. The GB1 construct used contained an N-terminal MASMTG tag and a C-terminal tobacco etch virus (TEV) protease recognition site followed by a His₆ tag (Figure S1). Each cell-free reaction was conducted at 30 °C for 16 h in a dialysis system with 4 mL inner reaction mixture and 40 mL outer buffer following a published protocol,¹ where leucine, valine or alanine was excluded from both the inner reaction mixture and outer buffer and 2 mM of the desired fluoroleucine, fluorovaline or fluoroalanine was added, respectively, where 3-fluoroalanine was purchased as racemate from abcr GmBH (Karlsruhe, Germany). The proteins were purified using a 1 mL His GraviTrap column (Cytiva, USA) according to the manufacturer's protocol. Afterwards, the buffer was exchanged to the NMR buffer (20 mM MES, 100 mM NaCl, pH 6.5) using an Amicon ultrafiltration centrifugal tube with a 3 kDa molecular weight cut-off (Merck Millipore, USA). The average yield was about 0.75-1.5 mg of purified protein per mL cell-free inner reaction mixture.

MASMTGMTYKLILNGKTLKGETTTEAVDAATAEKVFKQYANDNGVDGEWTYDDATKTFTVTEENLYFQGHHHHHH

Figure S1. Amino acid sequence of the GB1 construct used. The N-terminal MASMTG tag and the C-terminal TEV protease recognition site are shown in blue and red, respectively.

Intact protein mass spectrometry

Intact protein analysis was performed on an Orbitrap Fusion[™] Tribrid[™] mass spectrometer (Thermo Fisher Scientific, USA) connected to a Thermo Fisher Scientific UltiMate 3000 HPLC system equipped with a ZORBAX 300SB-C3, 3.5 µm, 4.6 x 50 mm HPLC column (Agilent Technologies, USA). Approximately 20 pmol of sample was injected using a 500 mL/min linear gradient of solvent A (0.1% (v/v) formic acid in water) and solvent B (0.1% (v/v) formic acid in acetonitrile), ramping solvent B from 5% at the start to 80% after 12 min. Data were collected using an electrospray ionization (ESI) source in positive ion mode. Protein intact mass was determined by deconvolution using the program Xcalibur 3.0.63 (Thermo Fisher Scientific, USA).

NMR measurements

All ¹⁹F-NMR spectra were acquired at 25 °C on a Bruker 400 MHz NMR spectrometer equipped with a room temperature broadband probe. Parameters used: 109-218 ms acquisition time, ¹H decoupling during acquisition, recovery delay 1 s, exponential window multiplication with 3 Hz line broadening prior to Fourier transformation.

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Experimental Procedures and Characterization

Scheme 1: 5,5'-difluoro-L-leucine (12)



∫ CO₂^tBu

3-(*tert***-Butyl) 1,1-diethyl propane-1,1,3-tricarboxylate (3)** was prepared according to the literature procedure: K. R. Prabhu, N. Pillarsetty, H. Gali, K. V. Katti, *J. Am. Chem. Soc.*, 2000, **122**, 1554.

An Ace pressure tube was charged with diethylmalonate (1.00 g; 6.24 mmol), *tert*-butyl acrylate (800 mg; 6.24 mmol), dry toluene (25 mL), potassium carbonate (862 mg; 6.24 mmol) and tetrabutylammonium hydrogen sulfate (30 mg; 0.08 mmol). The reaction vessel was sealed and heated to 100 °C (oil bath temperature) for 4 hours. GC indicated complete conversion at this point. The reaction was diluted with EtOAc (200 mL) and washed with water (2 x 200 mL) and brine (100 mL), dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. 1.72 g (96%) of yellowish oil was obtained. Crude product was used directly in the next step. The analytical sample was obtained by short-path vacuum distillation (160 °C bath temperature / 0.1 mbar).

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 4.19 (q, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 4H), 3.41 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 2.30 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 2.16 (q, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 1.44 (s, 9H), 1.26 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 6H) ppm.

 13 C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 171.86, 169.22, 80.76, 61.57, 51.02, 32.86, 28.22, 24.07, 14.21 ppm.

HRMS (*m*/*z*): calculated for C₁₄H₂₄O₆Na [M+Na⁺] 311.1487, found 311.1471.

IR (ATR): 3443 (w), 2981 (s), 2938 (m), 1733 (s), 1730 (s), 1448 (m), 1369 (m), 1252 (m), 1152 (s), 1030 (m), 848 (w) cm⁻¹.



tert-Butyl 5-hydroxy-4-(hydroxymethyl)pentanoate (4)

A solution of 3-(*tert*-butyl) 1,1-diethyl propane-1,1,3-tricarboxylate (**3**) (1.65 g; 5.72 mmol) and LiCl (640 mg; 15 mmol) in MeOH (50 mL) was cooled to 0 °C. NaBH₄ (830 mg; 22 mmol) was added portion-wise over the period of 30 minutes. The reaction mixture was stirred at 0 °C for another 2 hours. TLC indicated complete conversion. The reaction mixture

was diluted with water (50 mL) and brine (50 mL) and stirred at room temperature for 2 hours. Methanol was distilled off under reduced pressure. The remaining suspension was saturated with NaCl and extracted with EtOAc (6 x 50 mL). The combined organic solutions were dried over anhydrous Na_2SO_4 and evaporated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by a flash column chromatography (mobile phase hexanes/EtOAc with gradient 4/1 to 0/1). 1.02 g (87%) of colourless oil was obtained.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 3.81 – 3.73 (m, 2H), 3.64 (m, 2H), 2.81-2.76 (br. s, 2H), 2.30 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 1.73 – 1.65 (m, 1H), 1.62 (q, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 1.44 (s, 9H) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 173.73, 80.84, 65.31, 42.04, 33.20, 28.20, 22.51 ppm.

IR (ATR): 3442 (s), 2978 (m), 2930 (m), 2878 (m), 1728 (s), 1368 (w), 1255 (w), 1153 (s), 1038 (m), 844 (w) cm⁻¹.

Anal. Calcd for C₁₀H₂₀O₄: C, 58.80; H, 9.87; N, 0. Found: C, 58.48; H, 9.94; N, 0.



tert-Butyl 5-((methylsulfonyl)oxy)-4-(((methylsulfonyl)oxy)methyl)pentanoate (5)

A solution of *tert*-butyl 5-hydroxy-4-(hydroxymethyl)pentanoate (**4**) (1.00 g; 4.90 mmol) and DIPEA (2.6 mL; 15 mmol) in dry toluene (30 mL) was cooled to -20 °C. Mesyl chloride (0.85 mL; 11 mmol) was added dropwise over a period of 10 minutes. The reaction was allowed to warm to 0 °C and stirred at this temperature for 2 hours. The reaction mixture was applied directly to a 50 g silica gel column. The column was eluted with hexanes/EtOAc (with gradient 4/1 to 0/1). Fractions containing product were evaporated under reduced pressure. 1.65 g (94%) of yellow oil was obtained.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 4.29 (dd, *J* = 10.2, 4.3 Hz, 2H), 4.20 (dd, *J* = 10.2, 6.3 Hz, 2H), 3.04 (s, 6H), 2.34 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 2.22 (m, 1H), 1.72 (q, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 1.44 (s, 9H) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 171.87, 81.13, 67.93, 37.63, 37.48, 32.33, 28.20, 22.53 ppm.

HRMS (m/z): calculated for C₁₂H₂₄O₈S₂Na [M+Na⁺] 383.0810, found 383.0825.

IR (ATR): 3028 (w), 2929 (m), 2941 (m), 1723 (s), 1458 (w), 1355 (s), 1256 (w), 1175 (s), 964 (s), 944 (s), 832 (m), 754 (w) cm⁻¹.



tert-Butyl 5-fluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoate (6)

An Ace pressure tube was charged with dry *tert*-butanol (50 mL), anhydrous CsF (13.7 g; 90 mmol) and *tert*-butyl 5-((methylsulfonyl)oxy)-4-(((methylsulfonyl)oxy)methyl)pentanoate (**4**) (1.62 g; 4.49 mmol). The reaction vessel was sealed and heated to 95 °C (oil bath temperaturte) overnight. The reaction mixture was partitioned between brine (150 mL) and EtOAc (150 mL). The aqueous phase was extracted with additional EtOAc (3 x 50 mL). The combined organic phase was dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. 876 mg (94%) of yellow liquid was obtained (about 80% purity). Crude product was used directly in the next step. The analytical sample (~30 mg) was obtained by short path vacuum distillation.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 4.57 – 4.36 (multiple peaks, J^{H-F} = 47.4, 4H), 2.33 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 2.05 (m, 1H), 1.69 (q, J = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 1.45 (s, 9H) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: -228.51 (td, *J* = 47.1, 22.3 Hz) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 172.38, 82.56 (dd, *J* = 169.6, 5.33 Hz), 80.74, 39.85 (t, *J* = 18.2 Hz), 32.82, 28.23, 21.81 (t, *J* = 5.8 Hz) ppm.

GC-MS (EI, 75 eV): m/z 206.8 ([M-H]⁺, 1%), 153 (15%), 135 (84%), 87.1 (25%), 57.1 (100%).

IR (ATR): 3439 (w), 2979 (s), 2910 (m), 1729 (s), 1476 (w), 1368 (m), 1257 (m), 1157 (s), 1015 (m), 846 (w) cm⁻¹.



5-Fluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoic acid (7)

It is advisable not to use trifluoroacetic acid for this step as it is very difficult to remove TFA from the reaction product. A few drops of concentrated sulfuric acid were added to the DCM (20 mL) solution of *tert*-butyl 5-fluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoate (**6**) (840 mg; 4.03 mmol). The reaction mixture was stirred at ambient temperature for 2 hours. The reaction was partitioned between brine (50 mL) and ether (50 mL). The aqueous phase was extracted with ether (3 x 20 mL). The combined organic phases were dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure (bath temperature 40 °C; 50 mbar). 550 mg (90 %) of yellow oil was obtained. Crude product was used in the next step without further purification. The analytical sample was obtained by short-path vacuum distillation.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ:4.53 – 4.29 (multiple peaks, J^{H-F} = 47.1, 4H), 2.43 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 2.16 – 1.90 (m, 1H), 1.69 (q, J = 7.4 Hz, 2H) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: -228.51 (td, *J* = 47.1, 22.2 Hz) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 178.98, 82.20 (dd, *J* = 169.5, 5.4 Hz), 39.53 (t, *J* = 18.3 Hz), 31.14, 21.41 (t, *J* = 5.8 Hz) ppm.

HRMS (TOF ES⁻ m/z): calculated for C₆H₉O₂F₂ [M-H⁺] 151.0571, found: 151.0569.

IR (ATR): 3473 (broad w), 3086 (broad s), 2981 (broad w) 2913 (broad w), 2654 (broad m), 1733 (s), 1423 (s), 1292 (m), 1225 (m), 1180 (w), 1018 (m), 948 (w) cm⁻¹.



(S)-4-benzyl-3-(5-fluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoyl)oxazolidin-2-one (8)

Pivaloyl chloride (0.45 mL; 3.7 mmol) was added dropwise to the solution of 5-fluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoic acid (7) (500 mg; 3.29 mmol) and DIPEA (0.87 mL; 5.0 mmol) in dry THF (30 mL) at 0 °C. In a separate flask to a solution of (*S*)-4-benzyloxazolidin-2-one (0.89 g; 5.0 mmol) in dry THF (30 mL) was added BuLi (2 M; 2.5 mL) at -78 °C. After 2 hours the solution of mixed anhydride was cannulated into the solution of lithium (*S*)-4-benzyl-2-oxooxazolidin-3-ide at -78 °C. The reaction mixture was allowed to warm to ambient temperature and stirred overnight. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was partitioned between EtOAc (250 mL) and aq. HCl (1 M; 150 mL). The organic phase was washed with sat. aq. NaHCO₃ (100 mL) and brine (100 mL), dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc with gradient 10/1 to 3/1). 938 mg (92%) of colourless oil was obtained.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.27 (m, 2H), 7.21 (m, 1H), 7.13 (m, 2H), 4.60 (m, 1H), 4.54 – 4.32 (multiple peaks, 4H), 4.19 – 4.07 (multiple peaks, 2H), 3.22 (dd, *J* = 13.4, 3.3 Hz, 1H), 3.09 – 2.87 (multiple peaks, 2H), 2.70 (dd, *J* = 13.4, 9.6 Hz, 1H), 2.17 – 1.94 (m, 1H), 1.75 (multiple peaks, 2H) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: -228.31 (td, *J* = 48.1, 12.1 Hz, 1F), -228.36 (td, *J* = 46.5, 11.7 Hz, 1F) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 172.52, 153.59, 135.29, 129.52, 129.11, 127.54, 82.61 (dd, J = 169.1, 5.3 Hz two diastereotopic carbons –CH₂F with matching shifts and multiplicities), 66.46, 55.27, 39.80 (t, J = 18.3 Hz), 38.03, 33.00, 21.02 (t, J = 5.8 Hz) ppm.

HRMS (*m/z*): calculated for C₁₆H₂₀NO₃F₂ [M+H⁺] 312.1411, found: 312.1419.

IR (ATR): 3547 (w), 3384 (w), 3030 (w), 2969 (s), 2914 (m), 1780 (s), 1700 (s), 1604 (w), 1480 (w), 1455 (w), 1394 (m), 1356 (m), 1213 (m), 1103 (m), 1011 (m), 842 (w), 747 (m), 704 (m) cm⁻¹. [**α**]_D²⁰ 47.3 (*c* 0.90, CHCl₃).



(S)-3-((S)-2-azido-5-fluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoyl)-4-benzyloxazolidin-2-one (9)

A cooled (-78 °C) solution of (*S*)-4-benzyl-3-(5-fluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoyl)oxazolidin-2-one (**7**) (900 mg; 2.89 mmol) in dry THF (10 mL) was cannulated into a cooled (-78 °C) solution of KHMDS (3.2 mmol) in THF (~18 mL). After 30 minutes a cooled (-78 °C) solution of trysil azide (1.1 g; 3.5 mmol) in THF (12 mL) was cannulated into the solution of previously prepared potassium enolate at -78 °C. After 2 minutes the reaction was quenched with acetic acid (0.9 mL). The reaction mixture was warmed to 35 °C and stirred at this temperature for 40 minutes. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure (bath temperature ~35 °C). The residue was partitioned between EtOAc (250 mL) and sat. aq. NaHCO₃ (100 mL). The organic phase was washed with water (100 mL) and brine (100 mL), dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc with gradient 10/1 to 3/1). 826 mg (81%) of colorless oil was obtained.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ : 7.38 – 7.32 (m, 2H), 7.30 (m, 1H), 7.25 – 7.19 (m, 2H), 5.10 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 5.1 Hz, 1H), 4.76 – 4.41 (multiple peaks, 5H), 4.33 – 4.21 (multiple peaks, 2H), 3.34 (dd, *J* = 13.5, 3.3 Hz, 1H), 2.86 (dd, *J* = 13.5, 9.4 Hz, 1H), 2.43 – 2.24 (m, 1H), 2.03 – 1.85 (multiple peaks, 2H) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: -227.75 (td, *J* = 47.5, 21.9 Hz, 1F), -227.92 (td, *J* = 46.3, 21.9 Hz, 1F) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 170.31, 152.91, 134.60, 129.42, 129.13, 127.63, 82.87 (dd, *J* = 170.0, 5.8 Hz), 81.78 (dd, *J* = 170.0, 5.9 Hz), 66.78, 58.56, 55.45, 37.88, 37.60 (t, *J* = 9.3 Hz), 28.40 (t, *J* = 5.3 Hz) ppm.

HRMS (m/z): calculated for C₁₆H₁₉N₂O₃F₂ [M-N₂+H⁺] 325.1364, found: 325.1378.

IR (ATR): 3030 (w), 2969 (m), 2915 (m), 2115 (s), 1783 (s), 1706 (s), 1479 (m), 1445 (m), 1393 (s), 1213 (s), 1112 (m), 1010 (m), 705 (m) cm⁻¹.

[α]_D²⁰ 67.96 (*c* 0.90, CHCl₃).



(S)-3-((S)-2-(Boc-amino)-5-fluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoyl)-4-benzyloxazolidin-2-one (10)

Pd/C (10%; 150 mg) was added to a solution of (*S*)-3-((*S*)-2-azido-5-fluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoyl)-4benzyloxazolidin-2-one (**9**) (800 mg; 2.27 mmol) and Boc_2O (5.0 g; 23 mmol) in EtOAc (25 mL). The resulting suspension was stirred under 3 bars of hydrogen for 4 hours. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc with gradient 20/1 to 1/1). 874 mg (90%) of white solid was obtained.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.34 (m, 2H), 7.29 (m, 1H), 7.21 (m, 2H), 5.48 (ddd, J = 10.8, 9.3, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 5.27 (d, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 4.76 – 4.35 (multiple peaks, 5H), 4.27 – 4.17 (multiple peaks, 2H), 3.32 (d, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 2.80 (dd, J = 13.3, 9.8 Hz, 1H), 2.43 – 2.16 (m, 1H), 1.95 – 1.76 (m, 1H), 1.68 – 1.53 (m, 1H), 1.46 (s, 9H) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: -228.48 (multiple peaks, 2F) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 173.04, 155.67, 152.76, 134.95, 129.45, 129.07, 127.48, 83.19 (dd, *J* = 169.2, 4.7 Hz), 81.45 (dd, *J* = 168.8, 5.7 Hz), 80.34, 66.61, 55.49, 51.51, 37.53, 37.41 (t, *J* = 18.04 Hz), 29.83, 28.28 ppm.

HRMS (m/z): calculated for C₂₁H₂₈N₂O₅F₂Na [M+Na⁺] 449.1864, found: 449.1883.

IR (ATR): 3378 (m), 2979 (m), 2918 (w), 1784 (s), 1703 (s), 1500 (m), 1455 (w), 1392 (s), 1368 (s), 1246 m), 1165 (m), 1111 (m), 1015 (m), 761 (m), 703 (m) cm⁻¹.

[α]_D²⁰ 33.2 (*c* 0.9, CHCl₃).

M.p.: 123 °C.



(S)-2-((*tert*-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-5-fluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoic acid (11)

LiOH (48 mg; 2.0 mmol) in water (3 mL) was added to a cooled (0 °C) solution of *tert*-butyl ((*S*)-1-((*S*)-4-benzyl-2oxooxazolidin-3-yl)-5-fluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)-1-oxopentan-2-yl)carbamate (**10**) (530 mg; 1.24 mmol) in THF (10 mL). The reaction mixture was stirred for 1 hour at 0 °C. The reaction mixture was acidified to pH 2...3 by careful addition of aq. HCl (1M). THF was removed under reduced pressure. The residue was partitioned between EtOAc (50 mL) and brine (50 mL). Aqueous phase was extracted with additional EtOAc (4 x 20 mL). Combined organic phases were dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc with gradient 5/1 to 0/1). 273 mg (82%) of amorphous glassy solid was obtained. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃OD) δ : 4.63 – 4.34 (multiple peaks, 4H), 4.20 (dd, *J* = 10.1, 4.4 Hz, 1H), 2.15 (m, 1H), 2.00 – 1.81

(m, 1H), 1.79 – 1.60 (m, 1H), 1.45 (s, 9H) ppm.

¹⁹**F** NMR of major conformer (376 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: -225.28 (td, J = 47.1, 20.9 Hz, 1F), -228.41 (td, J = 47.3, 24.0 Hz, 1F) ppm. ¹⁹**F** NMR of minor conformer δ: -225.71 (td, J = 46.8, 21.3 Hz, 1F), -227.53 (td, J = 47.4, 23.4 Hz, 1F) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 178.36, 160.72, 86.38 (dd, *J* = 168.5, 5.1 Hz), 85.23 (dd, *J* = 168.3, 5.3 Hz), 83.20, 55.16, 41.28 (t, *J* = 18.4 Hz), 32.01 (t, *J* = 5.3 Hz), 31.23 ppm.

HRMS (TOF ES⁻ m/z): calculated for C₁₁H₁₈NO₄F₂ [M-H⁺] 266.1204, found: 266.1211.

IR (ATR): 3384 (broad m), 2981 (m), 2909 (w), 1718 (s), 1520 (m), 1396 (m), 1253 (w), 1164 (m), 1013 (m) cm⁻¹. $[\alpha]_{D}^{20}$ -6.5 (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).



(S)-2-Amino-5-fluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoic acid hydrochloride (12)

TFA (5 mL) was added to a DCM (15 mL) solution of (*S*)-2-((*tert*-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-5-fluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoic acid (**11**) (220 mg; 0.82 mmol). The reaction mixture was stirred at ambient temperature 3 hours. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was dissolved in MeCN (15 mL) and anhydrous HCI (2M in ether; 3 mL) was added. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure and HCI treatment was repeated 3 times. Finally, the crystalline residue was suspended in EtOAc (15 mL), sonicated 5 minutes and then collected by filtration. The reaction product was washed with EtOAc (3 x 3 mL). After drying in vacuum 143 mg (85%) of white microcrystalline solid was obtained.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 4.68 – 4.39 (multiple peaks, 4H), 4.11 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 2.54 – 2.25 (m, 1H), 2.10 (m, 1H), 1.93 (m, 1H) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: -230.36 (td, *J* = 46.8, 20.5 Hz, 1F), -230.50 (td, *J* = 46.3, 21.8 Hz, 1F) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 171.58, 83.58 (dd, *J* = 168.4, 5.8 Hz), 83.25 (dd, *J* = 168.1, 6.2 Hz), 51.88, 38.25 (t, *J* = 18.7 Hz), 29.07 (t, *J* = 5.6 Hz) ppm.

HRMS (m/z): calculated for C₆H₁₂NO₂F₂ [M+H⁺] 168.0836, found: 168.0839.

IR (ATR): 3451 (broad w), 3024 (broad s), 2527 (w), 2272 (broad s), 1738 (s), 1476 (w), 1386 (m), 1218 (m), 1031 (m), 1031 (m), 961 (m), 831 (m) cm⁻¹.

[**α**]_D²⁰ 14.30 (*c* 1.0, CH₃OH).

M.p.: 152 °C.





3-(tert-Butyl) 1,1-diethyl-1-fluoropropane-1,1,3-tricarboxylate (13)

3-(*tert*-Butyl) 1,1-diethyl propane-1,1,3-tricarboxylate (**3**) (9.00 g; 31.2 mmol) in dry THF (30 mL) was added dropwise to a NaH (1.60 g; 60% dispersion in mineral oil; ca. 40 mmol) suspension in dry THF (300 mL) while maintaining internal temperature below 5 °C. Resulting suspension was stirred at 0 °C 1 hour. *N*-Fluorobenzenesulfonimide (12.6 g; 40.0 mmol) was added in small portions at a rate to maintain internal temperature below 5 °C. The reaction mixture was allowed to warm to ambient temperature and stirring was continued overnight. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was suspended in ether (300 mL) and filtered. Ether solution was washed with aq NaHCO₃ (2 x 100 mL), water (200 mL) and brine (100 mL), dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. 8.87 g (93%) of product was obtained in a form of colorless oil. Crude product was used directly in the next step. The analytical sample was obtained by a flash column chromatography (mobile phase hexanes/EtOAc with gradient 20/1 to 8/1).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 4.29 (q, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 4H), 2.59 – 2.27 (multiple peaks, 4H), 1.43 (s, 9H), 1.30 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 6H) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: -167.26 (t, *J* = 22.2 Hz) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 171.28, 166.01 (d, *J* = 25.5 Hz), 93.96 (d, *J* = 198.6 Hz), 81.03, 62.84, 29.54 (d, *J* = 21.3 Hz), 29.11 (d, *J* = 3.6 Hz), 28.17, 14.10 ppm.

HRMS (m/z): calculated for C₁₄H₂₃O₆FNa [M+Na⁺] 329.1376, found 329.1385.

IR (ATR): 2981 (s) 2939 (m), 1753 (s), 1457 (m), 1369 (s), 1247 (s), 1155 (s), 1095 (m), 1031 (m), 848 (m) cm⁻¹.



tert-Butyl 4-fluoro-5-hydroxy-4-(hydroxymethyl)pentanoate (S1)

Solution of 3-(*tert*-butyl) 1,1-diethyl-1-fluoropropane-1,1,3-tricarboxylate (**13**) (8.50 g; 27.7 mmol) and LiCl (2.54 g; 60.0 mmol) in MeOH (200 mL) was cooled to 0 °C. NaBH₄ (5.30 g; 140 mmol) was added portion wise over the period of 30 minutes. The reaction mixture was stirred at 0 °C for 2 hours. TLC indicated complete conversion. The reaction mixture was diluted with water (100 mL) and brine (100 mL) and stirred at room temperature 2 hours. Methanol was distilled off under reduced pressure. Remaining suspension was saturated with NaCl and extracted with EtOAc (4 x 100 mL). Combined organic solutions were dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by a flash column chromatography (mobile phase hexanes/EtOAc with gradient 4/1 to 1/1). 5.36 g (87%) of white solid was obtained. The analytical sample was obtained by crystallization from MTBE/hexane.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 3.77 – 3.59 (multiple peaks, 4H), 3.03 (t, J = 6.6 Hz, 2H), 2.40 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 1.97 (dt, J = 21.4, 7.1 Hz, 2H), 1.44 (s, 9H) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: -173.98 (m) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 173.85, 97.19 (d, *J* = 173.2 Hz), 81.37, 63.89 (d, *J* = 27.5 Hz), 28.73 (d, *J* = 5.2 Hz), 28.12, 26.29 (d, *J* = 21.4 Hz) ppm.

IR (ATR): 3395 (broad s), 2981 (s), 2935 (s), 1733 (s), 1454 (s), 1370 (s), 1251 (m), 1157 (s), 1055 (s), 949 (w), 915 (w), 885 (m), 850 (m) cm⁻¹.

Anal.: Calcd for C₁₀H₁₉FO₄: C, 54.04; H, 8.62; N, 0. Found: C, 54.47; H, 8.73; N, 0. **M.p.**: 76 °C.



tert-Butyl 4-fluoro-5-((triflyl)oxy)-4-(((triflyl)oxy)methyl)pentanoate (S2)

Corresponding bis-mezylate is very inert towards substitution with fluoride (CsF; ^tBuOH). For this reason, bis-triflate (**S2**) was used instead.

Solution of *tert*-butyl 4-fluoro-5-hydroxy-4-(hydroxymethyl)pentanoate (**S1**) (4.70 g; 21.1 mmol) and 2,6-lutidine (6.2 mL; 53 mmol) in dry DCM (150 mL) was cooled to -78 °C. Triflic anhydride (8.1 mL; 48 mmol) was added dropwise over a period of 10 minutes. The reaction was allowed to warm to 0 °C and stirred at this temperature for 1 hour. The reaction mixture was washed with aq. KHSO₄ (3 x 100 mL; 5% solution) and water (2 x 100 mL), dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. 9.86 g (96%) of white solid was obtained. The reaction product is quite unstable in solution which prevented characterization. It was used immediately in the next step.



tert-Butyl 4,5-difluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoate (S3)

An Ace pressure tube was charged with dry *tert*-butanol (70 mL), anhydrous CsF (21.2 g; 140 mmol) and *tert*-butyl 4-fluoro-5-((triflyl)oxy)-4-(((triflyl)oxy)methyl)pentanoate (**S2**) (6.00 g; 12.3 mmol). The reaction vessel was sealed and heated to 95 °C (oil bath temperature) overnight. The reaction mixture was partitioned between water (300 mL) and

EtOAc (300 mL). The organic phase was washed with water (4 x 100 mL) and brine (100 mL), dried over anhydrous Na_2SO_4 and evaporated under reduced pressure. 2.63 g (94 %) of yellow liquid was obtained (about 90% purity). Crude product was used directly in the next step. The analytical sample was obtained by short path vacuum distillation.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 4.79 − 4.15 (m, 4H), 2.51 − 2.27 (m, 2H), 2.15 − 1.87 (m, 2H), 1.44 (s, 9H) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 171.77, 93.91 (dt, *J* = 177.5, 18.6 Hz), 81.93 (ddd, *J* = 176.4, 29.7, 5.3 Hz), 81.02, 28.60 (d, *J* = 5.2 Hz), 28.12, 26.19 (dt, *J* = 21.3, 3.5 Hz) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: -175.13 – -177.86 (m, 1F), -234.16 (td, *J* = 47.4, 12.0 Hz, 2F) ppm.

HRMS (m/z): calculated for C₁₀H₁₇O₂F₃Na [M+Na⁺] 249.1078, found 249.1081.

IR (ATR): 2981 (s), 2937 (m), 1734 (s), 1458 (m), 1369 (m), 1327 (m), 1249 (m), 1160 (s), 1039 (s), 951 (w), 929 (w), 900 (m), 848 (m), 759 (w), 609 (w) cm⁻¹.



4,5-Difluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoic acid (S4)

It is advisable not to use TFA for this step as it is very difficult to remove TFA from the reaction product.

A few drops of concentrated sulfuric acid were added to the DCM (50 mL) solution of *tert*-butyl 4,5-difluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoate (**S3**) (2.50 mg; 11.0 mmol). The reaction mixture was stirred at ambient temperature for 2 hours. The reaction was partitioned between brine (50 mL) and ether (50 mL). The aqueous phase was extracted with additional ether (3 x 20 mL). The combined organic phases were dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure (bath temperature 40 °C; 50 mbar). 1.65 g of yellowish solid was obtained. Crude product was used in the next step without further purification. The analytical sample was obtained by short-path vacuum distillation. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ : 11.51 (broad s, 1H), 4.70 – 4.32 (m, 4H), 2.64 – 2.50 (m, 2H), 2.23 – 1.99 (m, 2H) ppm.

¹³C[¹H] NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 179.04, 93.65 (dt, J = 177.8, 18.7 Hz), 81.91 (ddd, J = 176.7, 29.7, 5.2 Hz), 27.30 (d, J = 5.5 Hz), 25.81 (dt, J = 21.2, 2.6 Hz) ppm

5.5 Hz), 25.81 (dt, *J* = 21.3, 3.6 Hz) ppm.

¹⁹**F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: -176.28 (m, 1F), -234.00 (td, *J* = 46.9, 12.2 Hz, 2F) ppm.

HRMS (ESI⁻ m/z): calculated for C₆H₈O₂F₃ [M-H⁺] 169.0476, found 169.0474.

IR (ATR): 2980 (broad s), 1714 (s), 1458 (m), 1419 (w), 1294 (w), 1226 (w), 1164 (w), 1045 (s), 960 (w), 931 (s), 890 (s), 803 (m), 759 (m), 617 (m) cm⁻¹.

Mp: 39-40 °C.



(S)-4-Benzyl-3-(4,5-difluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoyl)oxazolidin-2-one (S5)

Pivaloyl chloride (1.73 mL; 13.0 mmol) was added dropwise to a solution of 4,5-difluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoic acid (**S4**) (1.60 g; 9.40 mmol) and DIPEA (2.9 mL; 16 mmol) in dry THF (60 mL) at 0 °C. In a separate flask to a solution of (*S*)-4-benzyloxazolidin-2-one (3.54 g; 20.0 mmol) in dry THF (100 mL) was added BuLi (2 M; 8.5 mL) at -78 °C. After 2 hours the solution of mixed anhydride was cannulated into the solution of lithium (*S*)-4-benzyl-2-oxooxazolidin-3-ide at -78 °C. The reaction mixture was allowed to warm to ambient temperature and stirred overnight. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was partitioned between EtOAc (350 mL) and aq. HCl (1 M; 150 mL). The organic phase was washed with sat. aq. NaHCO₃ (100 mL) and brine (100 mL), dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc with gradient 10/1 to 3/1). 2.95 g (95%) of amorphous solid was obtained.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.33 (m, 2H), 7.27 (m, 1H), 7.20 (m, 2H), 4.71 – 4.42 (multiple peaks, 5H), 4.24 – 4.14 (multiple peaks, 2H), 3.29 (dd, J = 13.4, 3.3 Hz, 1H), 3.22 – 3.01 (multiple peaks, 2H), 2.77 (dd, J = 13.4, 9.6 Hz, 1H), 2.26 – 2.10 (multiple peaks, 2H) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 171.86, 153.51, 135.23, 129.46, 129.05, 127.47, 93.91 (dt, J = 177.7, 18.7 Hz), 81.92 (ddd, J = 176.3, 29.6, 5.3 Hz; overlapping diastereotopic –CH₂F signals), 66.45, 55.25, 37.86, 28.95 (d, J = 5.3 Hz), 25.26 (dt, J = 21.3, 3.7 Hz) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: -175.48 (m, 1F), -234.03 (apparent tt, J = 47.5, 11.9 Hz, 2F) ppm.

HRMS (m/z): calculated for C₁₆H₁₈F₃NO₃Na [M+Na⁺] 352.1131, found 352.1146.

IR (ATR): 3029 (w), 2964 (m), 2924 (w), 1784 (s), 1706 (s), 1604 (w), 1454 (m), 1394 (s), 1355 (s), 1213 (s), 1108 (s), 1030 (s), 900 (m), 763 (m), 746 (m), 703 (s) cm⁻¹.

[α]_D²⁰ 42.00 (*c* 1.1, CHCl₃).



(S)-3-((S)-2-Azido-4,5-difluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoyl)-4-benzyloxazolidin-2-one (S6)

A cooled (-78 °C) solution of (*S*)-4-Benzyl-3-(4,5-difluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoyl)oxazolidin-2-one (**S5**) (1.90 g; 5.77 mmol) in dry THF (20 mL) was cannulated into a cooled (-78 °C) solution of KHMDS (7.2 mmol) in THF (ca. 25 mL). After 30 minutes a cooled (-78 °C) solution of trysil azide (2.2 g; 7.2 mmol) in THF (20 mL) was cannulated into the solution of previously prepared potassium enolate at -78 °C. After 2 minutes the reaction was quenched by the addition of acetic acid (1 mL). The reaction mixture was warmed to 35 °C and stirred at this temperature for 40 minutes. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was partitioned between EtOAc (350 mL) and sat. aq. NaHCO₃ (200 mL). The organic phase was washed with water (100 mL) and brine (100 mL), dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc with gradient $10/1 \rightarrow 3/1$). 1.83 g (86%) of amorphous solid was obtained.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.35 (m, 2H), 7.30 (m, 1H), 7.22 (m, 2H), 5.34 (dd, *J* = 7.7, 5.5 Hz, 1H), 4.76 – 4.46 (multiple peaks, 5H), 4.33 – 4.20 (multiple peaks, 2H), 3.31 (dd, *J* = 13.5, 3.4 Hz, 1H), 2.87 (dd, *J* = 13.5, 9.3 Hz, 1H), 2.50 – 2.19 (multiple peaks, 2H) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 169.39, 153.05, 134.67, 129.53, 129.22, 127.73, 93.53 (dt, *J* = 179.2, 18.7 Hz), 82.31 (ddd, *J* = 177.6, 26.7, 5.2 Hz), 81.87 (ddd, *J* = 176.7, 30.8, 6.2 Hz), 66.86, 55.53, 55.21 (d, *J* = 4.7 Hz), 37.73, 32.15 (dt, *J* = 20.9, 3.4 Hz) ppm.

¹⁹**F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: -173.42 (m, 1F), -232.97 (td, *J* = 46.8, 12.8 Hz, 1F), -233.88 (td, *J* = 46.7, 12.5 Hz, 1F) ppm. **HRMS** (*m/z*): calculated for C₁₆H₁₇F₃N₄O₃Na [M+Na⁺] 393.1150, found 393.1151.

IR (ATR): 3030 (w), 2962 (w), 2924 (w), 2115 (s), 1781 (s), 1705 (s), 1455 (w), 1393 (m), 1214 (s), 1112 (m), 1039 (s), 907 (w), 762 (m), 705 (m) cm⁻¹.

[α]_D²⁰ 59.7 (*c* 1.1, CHCl₃).



(S)-3-((S)-2-(Boc-amino)-4,5-difluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoyl)-4-benzyloxazolidin-2-one (S7)

Pd/C (10%; 200 mg) was added to a solution of (*S*)-3-((*S*)-2-azido-4,5-difluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoyl)-4benzyloxazolidin-2-one (**7**) (600 mg; 1.62 mmol) and Boc₂O (5 g; 23 mmol) in EtOAc (25 mL). The resulting suspension was stirred under 3 bars of hydrogen overnight. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc with gradient 20/1 to 1/1). 670 mg (93%) of white solid was obtained. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.25 (multiple peaks, 5H), 5.42 (broad s, 1H), 5.34 (broad s, 1H), 4.82 – 4.40 (multiple peaks, 5H), 4.29 – 4.04 (multiple peaks, 2H), 3.25 (d, *J* = 12.6 Hz, 1H), 2.71 (dd, *J* = 13.1, 9.9 Hz, 1H), 2.32 – 1.98 (multiple peaks, 2H), 1.38 (s, 9H) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 172.14, 155.32, 153.12, 135.05, 129.54, 129.15, 127.56, 94.59 (dt, *J* = 175.9, 22.0 Hz), 83.56−81.62 (m), 83.29−81.12 (m), 80.64, 66.84, 55.63, 49.43, 37.62, 32.93 (d, *J* = 21.7 Hz), 28.36 ppm.

¹⁹**F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: -170.09 (broad s, 1F), -234.55 (td, J = 45.9, 11.3 Hz, 1F), -235.24 (td, J = 45.9, 11.3 Hz, 1F) ppm.

HRMS (m/z): calculated for C₂₁H₂₇F₃N₂O₅Na [M+Na⁺] 467.1770, found 467.1779.

IR (ATR): 3393 (broad m), 2980 (m), 2932 (w), 1780 (s), 1704 (s), 1499 (m), 1455 (w), 1394 (m), 1368 (m), 1247 (m), 1166 (m), 1112 (m), 1048 (m), 907 (w), 762 (m), 704 (m) cm⁻¹.

[α]_D²⁰ 35.2 (*c* 1.1, CHCl₃). **Mp**: 95-96 °C.



(S)-2-((tert-Butoxycarbonyl)amino)-4,5-difluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoic acid (S8)

LiOH (72 mg; 3.0 mmol) in water (3 mL) was added to a cooled (0 °C) solution of (*S*)-3-((*S*)-2-(Boc-amino)-4,5-difluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoyl)-4-benzyloxazolidin-2-one (**S7**) (500 mg; 1.13 mmol) in THF (10 mL). The reaction mixture was stirred for 1 hour at 0 °C. The reaction mixture was acidified to pH 2...3 by careful addition of aq. HCl (1 M). THF was removed under reduced pressure. The residue was partitioned between EtOAc (50 mL) and brine (50 mL). The aqueous phase was extracted with additional EtOAc (4 x 20 mL). The combined organic phases were dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc with gradient 5/1 to 0/1). 264 mg (82%) of amorphous glassy solid was obtained.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 4.77 – 4.41 (multiple peaks, 4H), 4.26 (dd, J = 9.2, 2.6 Hz, 1H), 2.42 (apparent t, J = 16.3 Hz, 1H), 2.10 (apparent ddd, J = 24.7, 15.3, 10.2 Hz, 1H), 1.45 (s, 9H) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 175.11, 157.82, 95.46 (dt, *J* = 178.3, 18.2 Hz), 83.46 (ddd, *J* = 174.7, 28.2, 6.6 Hz), 83.23 (ddd, *J* = 174.3, 28.1, 5.5 Hz), 80.82, 50.11 (d, *J* = 4.5 Hz), 33.70 (dt, *J* = 21.5, 3.5 Hz), 28.69 ppm.

¹⁹**F NMR** (376 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: -174.11 (m, 1F), -236.16 (td, *J* = 47.1, 12.4 Hz, 1F), -236.95 (td, *J* = 47.0, 12.2 Hz, 1F) ppm. **HRMS** (ESI⁻ *m/z*): calculated for C₁₁H₁₇NO₆F₃ [M-H⁺] 284.1110, found 284.1117.

IR (ATR): 3361 (broad w), 2992 (w), 1718 (s), 1687 (s), 1522 (s), 1373 (w), 1284 (s), 1254 (m), 1166 (s), 1066 (s), 1035 (s), 935 (s), 895 (m), 867 (m), 782 (s), 622 (s) cm⁻¹.

[α]_D²⁰ -14.8 (*c* 1.1, CHCl₃). **Mp**: 113-115 °C.



(S)-2-Amino-4,5-difluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoic acid hydrochloride (14)

TFA (5 mL) was added to a DCM (15 mL) solution of (*S*)-2-((*tert*-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-4,5-difluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoic acid (**S8**) (240 mg; 0.84 mmol). The reaction mixture was stirred at ambient temperature for 3 hours. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was dissolved in MeCN (15 mL) and anhydrous HCl (2 M in ether; 3 mL) was added. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure and the HCl treatment was repeated 3 times. Finally, the crystalline residue was suspended in EtOAc (15 mL), sonicated 5 minutes and then collected by filtration. The reaction product was washed with EtOAc (3 x 3 mL). After drying under vacuum 166 mg (89%) of white microcrystalline solid was obtained.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 4.89 – 4.66 (m, 2H), 4.65 (ddd, *J* = 47.0, 20.5, 1.8 Hz, 2H), 4.32 (dd, *J* = 8.6, 4.2 Hz, 1H), 2.59 (ddd, *J* = 29.2, 15.9, 4.1 Hz, 1H), 2.47 – 2.29 (m, 1H) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 171.10, 95.90 (dt, *J* = 178.2, 18.2 Hz), 83.84 (ddd, *J* = 176.0, 25.2, 6.2 Hz), 83.18 (ddd, *J* = 174.2, 27.7, 6.3 Hz), 49.94 (broad s), 32.42 (ddd, *J* = 20.4, 5.1, 3.7 Hz) ppm.

¹⁹**F NMR** (376 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: -174.81 – -176.97 (m), -236.60 (td, *J* = 46.9, 11.6 Hz), -237.10 (td, *J* = 46.7, 11.9 Hz) ppm. **HRMS** (*m/z*): calculated for C₆H₁₁NO₂F₃ [M+H⁺] 186.0742, found 186.0747.

IR (ATR): 3010 (broad s), 2565 (m), 1749 (broad s), 1558 (s), 1488 (s), 1457 (m), 1220 (m), 1136 (m), 1032 (s), 1016 (s), 954 (m), 897 (m), 789 (m), 716 (m), 653 (s) cm⁻¹. [**α**]_D²⁰ 5.2 (*c* 0.9, CH₃OH).

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Mp: 165-168 °C.
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(S)-2-Amino-4,5-difluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoic- ^{15}N acid hydrochloride was prepared as above, following the procedure described for (S)-2-amino-4,5-difluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoic acid hydrochloride (14), except using sodium azide- $1^{-15}N$ as the ^{15}N source. Starting with 500 mg of sodium azide- $1^{-15}N$, 193 mg of final product was obtained.

2,4,6-Triisopropylbenzenesulfonyl azide-¹⁵N (17) was prepared as described in the literature: J. E. Leffler, Y. Tsuno, J. Org. Chem., 1963, 28, 902.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 4.90 – 4.62 (m, 2H), 4.65 (ddd, *J* = 47.0, 20.6, 1.8 Hz, 2H), 4.33 (dd, *J* = 8.6, 4.1 Hz, 1H), 2.59 (ddd, *J* = 29.3, 16.4, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 2.46 – 2.23 (m, 1H) ppm.
¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: -175.54 (m, 1F), -236.62 (td, *J* = 46.8, 11.5 Hz, 1F), -237.12 (td, *J* = 46.6, 11.9 Hz, 1F) ppm.

 $^{13}C{^{1}H} NMR (100 \text{ MHz, CD}_{3}\text{OD}) \delta: 171.08, 95.89 (dt,$ *J*= 178.1, 18.1 Hz), 83.84 (ddd,*J*= 175.9, 25.2, 6.3 Hz), 83.17 (ddd,*J*= 174.1, 27.7, 6.3 Hz), 49.90 (broad s), 32.43 (ddd,*J*= 20.6, 5.3, 3.7 Hz) ppm.

HRMS (m/z): calculated for C₆H₁₁¹⁵NO₂F₃ [M+H⁺] 186.0712, found 187.0721.

IR (ATR): 2980 (broad s), 2563 (m), 1757 (s), 1559 (m), 1499 (s), 1417 (m), 1225 (s), 1131 (s), 1033 (s), 957 (w), 896 (m), 827 (m), 790 (m), 719 (m), 654 (s) cm⁻¹.

[α]_D²⁰ 5.1 (c 1.1, CH₃OH).

Mp: 165-168 °C.

Scheme 3: 5,5'-difluoro-L-leucine- 5,5'-13C2-15N (18)

5,5'-difluoro-*L*-leucine- 5,5'-¹³ C_2 -¹⁵*N* (**18**) was prepared according to the Scheme 1. See the <u>previous section</u> for experimental procedures. Starting with 1 g of diethyl malonate-1,3-¹³ C_2 and 500 mg of sodium azide-1-¹⁵*N*, **260 mg** of **18** was obtained.

2,4,6-Triisopropylbenzenesulfonyl azide-¹⁵N (17) was prepared as described in the literature: J. E. Leffler, Y. Tsuno, J. Org. Chem., 1963, 28, 902.



¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 4.83 – 4.23 (m, 4H), 4.12 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 2.53 – 2.25 (m, 1H), 2.18 – 2.02 (m, 1H), 1.99 – 1.88 (m, 1H) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: -230.01 – -231.02 (m, 2F) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, D₂O) δ: -227.41 (dtdd, J = 165.0, 46.6, 22.3, 6.5 Hz), -228.01 (dtdd, J = 165.3, 46.9, 23.3, 6.4 Hz) ppm. ¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 171.54, 83.60 (dd, J = 168.8, 6.3 Hz, high intensity signal), 83.28 (dd, J = 168.9, 6.3 Hz, high intensity signal), 51.85, 38.21 (tt, J = 37.9, 18.7 Hz), 29.03 (t, J = 5.2 Hz) ppm.

¹⁵N NMR (41 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 36.02 (s) ppm.

HRMS (*m/z*): calculated for ${}^{12}C_4{}^{13}C_2H_{12}{}^{14}NO_2F_2$ [M+H⁺] 170.0903, found: 170.0908, calculated for ${}^{12}C_4{}^{13}C_2H_{12}{}^{15}NO_2F_2$ [M+H⁺] 171.0874, found: 171.0881.

IR (ATR): 3457 (broad w), 3010 (broad s), 2603 (w), 2529 (w), 1968 (broad w), 1740 (s), 1486 (s), 1361 (w), 1216 (s), 1012 (m), 942 (m), 801 (m) cm⁻¹.

[α]_D²⁰ 14.4 (*c* 1.0, CH₃OH).

M.p.: 151 °C.

Scheme 4: deuterated 4,4'-difluoro-L-leucines 20 and 22

Deuterated 4,4'-difluoro-*L*-leucines **20** and **22** were prepared according to Scheme 1. See the <u>previous</u> <u>section</u> for experimental procedures. Starting with 5 g of NaBD₄ **590 mg** of difluoroleucine (**20**) was obtained. Starting with 2 g of NaBD₄ **63 mg** of difluoroleucine (**22**) was obtained.



(S)-2-Amino-5-fluoro-4-(fluoromethyl- d_2)pentanoic-5,5- d_2 acid hydrochloride (20)

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 4.12 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 2.39 (tt, *J* = 21.6, 6.9 Hz, 1H), 2.09 (dt, *J* = 14.2, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 1.94 (dt, *J* = 14.2, 7.1 Hz, 1H) ppm. ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: -231.7 (m) ppm. ¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 171.56, 86.58 – 77.70 (multiple signals, both -CD₂F groups), 51.87, 37.85 (t, *J* = 18.7 Hz), 28.92 (t, *J* = 5.5 Hz) ppm. HRMS (*m/z*): calculated for C₆H₈D₄NO₂F₂ [M+H⁺] 172.1087, found: 1721091. IR (ATR): 3017 (broad s), 2558 (w), 2013 (w), 1985 (w), 1743 (s), 1491 (m), 1384 (m), 1233 (s), 1214 (s), 969 (m), 935 (m), 819 (m) cm⁻¹. cm⁻¹. M.p.: 149-151 °C. [α]_p²⁰ 13.7 (*c* 1.0, CH₃OH).



(S)-2-Amino-5-fluoro-4-(fluoromethyl- d_2)pentanoic-4,5,5- d_3 acid hydrochloride (22)

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 4.11 (t, J = 6.9 Hz, 1H), 2.08 (dd, J = 14.5, 6.9 Hz, 1H), 1.94 (dd, J = 14.5, 6.6 Hz, 1H) ppm. ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: -231.85 (broad s), -231.96 (broad s) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 171.68, 84.73 – 81.05 (multiple peaks: two diastereotopic -CD₂F groups), 51.93, 38.88 – 36.46 (m), 28.82 (t, *J* = 5.5 Hz) ppm.

HRMS (m/z): calculated for C₆H₇D₅NO₂F₂ [M+H⁺] 173.1150, found: 173.1156.

IR (ATR): 3019 (broad s), 2559 (w), 2136 (w), 2013 (w), 1984 (w), 1738 (s), 1607 (w), 1490 (s), 1237 (m), 1211 (s), 1001 (m), 955 (s), 807 (s) cm⁻¹.

[α]_D²⁰ 14.0 (*c* 1.0, CH₃OH).

M.p.: 150-152 °C.





Diethyl 2-(4-methoxybenzylidene)malonate (23) was prepared according to the literature procedure: Herschel Mukherjee, Carlos A. Martinez, *ACS Catalysis*, 2011, **1**, 1010.

A solution of diethylmalonate (1) (4.8 g; 30 mmol), 4-anisaldehyde (4.1 g; 30 mmol), piperidine (0.3 mL; 3 mmol) and acetic acid (0.17 mL; 3.0 mmol) in heptane (200 mL) was refluxed with a Dean-Stark trap overnight. The reaction mixture was partitioned between EtOAc (150 mL) and aq. NaHCO₃ (100 mL). The organic phase was washed with water (100 mL) and brine (100 mL), dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography (mobile phase hexanes/EtOAc with gradient 20/1 to 4/1). 7.31 g (88%) of yellow oil was obtained.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.66 (s, 1H), 7.42 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.88 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 4.35 (q, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 4.29 (q, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 3.83 (s, 3H), 1.36 – 1.28 (multiple peaks, 6H) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 167.32, 164.62, 161.71, 141.91, 131.71, 125.54, 123.74, 114.41, 61.74, 61.57, 55.50, 14.30, 14.09 ppm.

HRMS (m/z): calculated for C₁₅H₁₈O₅Na [M+Na⁺] 301.1052, found 301.1053.

IR (ATR): 3442 (w), 2982 (m), 2938 (w), 2906 (w), 2840 (w), 1733 (s), 1604 (s), 1514 (s), 1466 (m), 1379 (w), 1307 (w), 1258 (m), 1213 (m), 1180 (m), 1065 (m), 1026 (m), 831 (m) cm⁻¹.



2-(4-Methoxybenzyl)propane-1,3-diol (24)

A solution of diethyl 2-(4-methoxybenzylidene)malonate (**23**) (4.50 g; 16.2 mmol) and LiCl (850 mg; 20 mmol) in MeOH (150 mL) was cooled to 0 $^{\circ}$ C. NaBH₄ (3.0 g; 80 mmol) was added portion-wise over a period of 45 minutes. The reaction

mixture was stirred at 0 °C for another 2 hours. TLC indicated complete conversion. The reaction mixture was diluted with water (50 mL) and brine (50 mL) and stirred at room temperature for 2 hours. Methanol was distilled off under reduced pressure. The remaining suspension was saturated with NaCl and extracted with EtOAc (6 x 50 mL). The combined organic solutions were dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash column chromatography (mobile phase hexanes/EtOAc with gradient 4/1 to 0/1). 2.57 g (81%) of white solid was obtained.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.10 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 6.83 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 3.84 – 3.75 (multiple peaks, 5H), 3.67 (dd, J = 10.6, 6.9 Hz, 2H), 2.57 (d, J = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 2.22 – 2.09 (br. s, 2H), 2.08 – 1.96 (m, 1H) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 158.16, 131.94, 130.03, 114.02, 65.88, 55.42, 44.17, 33.49 ppm.

IR (ATR): 3279 (broad s), 2933 (m), 2910 (m), 2850 (w), 1584 (w), 1512 (m), 1457 (w), 1322 (m), 1242 (m), 1111 (s), 1042 (s), 972 (m), 836 (m), 802 (m) cm⁻¹.

Anal. Calcd for C₁₁H₁₆O₃: C, 67.32; H, 8.22; N, 0. Found: C, 67.38; H, 8.23; N, 0. **M.p.**: 71 °C.



2-(4-Methoxybenzyl)propane-1,3-diyl dimethanesulfonate (S9)

A solution of *tert*-butyl 2-(4-methoxybenzyl)propane-1,3-diol (**24**) (2.30 g; 11.7 mmol) and DIPEA (5.2 mL; 30 mmol) in dry toluene (50 mL) was cooled to -20 °C. Mesyl chloride (1.9 mL; 25 mmol) was added dropwise over a period of 10 minutes. The reaction was allowed to warm to 0 °C and stirred at this temperature for 2 hours. The reaction mixture was applied directly to a 100 g silica gel column. The column was eluted with hexanes/EtOAc with gradient from 4/1 to 0/1. Fractions containing product were evaporated under reduced pressure. 3.42 g (83%) of yellowish solid was obtained.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.10 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 6.86 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 4.27 (dd, *J* = 10.0, 4.3 Hz, 2H), 4.17 (dd, *J* = 10.0, 6.2 Hz, 2H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 3.04 (s, 6H), 2.70 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 2.46 – 2.36 (m, 1H) ppm.

¹³C[¹H] NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 158.73, 130.11, 129.15, 114.42, 67.92, 55.42, 40.41, 37.44, 32.62 ppm.

HRMS (m/z): calculated for C₁₃H₂₀O₇S₂Na [M+Na⁺] 375.0548, found 375.0555.

IR (ATR): 3030 (m), 2940 (m), 2839 (w), 1613 (w), 1514 (m), 1467 (w), 1354 (s), 1248 (m), 1174 (s), 1033 (w), 962 (s), 833 (m), 751 (w), 529 (m) cm⁻¹.

M.p.: 87 °C.



1-(3-Fluoro-2-(fluoromethyl)propyl)-4-methoxybenzene (25)

An Ace pressure tube was charged with dry *tert*-butanol (70 mL), anhydrous CsF (22.8 g; 150 mmol) and 2-(4-methoxybenzyl)propane-1,3-diyl dimethanesulfonate (**3**) (3.30 g; 9.36 mmol). The reaction vessel was sealed and heated to 95 °C (oil bath temperaturte) overnight. The reaction mixture was partitioned between brine (200 mL) and EtOAc (250 mL). The aqueous phase was extracted with additional EtOAc (2 x 50 mL). The combined organic phases were dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. 1.75 g (94%) of yellow liquid was obtained (about 80% purity). Crude product was used directly in the next step.

The analytical sample was obtained as follows: a sample of crude product was dissolved in DCM (10 mL) and a few drops of concentrated sulfuric acid were added. The emulsion was stirred at ambient temperature for 1 hour. The DCM emulsion was partitioned between ether (50 mL) and water (25 mL). The organic phase was washed with water (10 mL)

and brine (30 mL), dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography (mobile phase hexanes/ether 20/1) to afford pure compound 25.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.11 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 6.86 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 4.57 – 4.34 (multiple peaks, J^{HF} = 47.1 Hz, 4H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 2.66 (d, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 2.24 (m, 1H) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: -229.66 (td, *J* = 47.1, 22.3 Hz) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 158.40, 130.50, 130.19, 114.16, 82.21 (dd, *J* = 168.8, 4.9 Hz), 55.41, 42.74 (t, *J* = 18.1 Hz), 31.50 (t, *J* = 5.8 Hz) ppm.

IR (ATR): 2965 (s), 2907 (s), 2838 (w), 2057 (w), 1998 (w), 1900 (w), 1612 (s), 1514 (s), 1467 (m), 1302 (m), 1249 (s), 1179 (s), 1036 (s), 1009 (s), 847 (m), 808 (m) cm⁻¹.

GC-MS (EI, 75 eV): m/z 200.1 ([M]⁺, 24%), 121.1 (100%).



4-Fluoro-3-(fluoromethyl)butanoic acid (26)

A suspension of 1-(3-fluoro-2-(fluoromethyl)propyl)-4-methoxybenzene (**25**) (1.54 g; 7.69 mmol), RuCl₃ (166 mg; 0.80 mmol) and NaIO₄ (32 g; 150 mmol) in EtOAc (60 mL), MeCN (60 mL) and water (60 mL) was stirred intensively overnight. The reaction mixture was filtered through a pad of celite. The filtrate was partitioned between ether (200 mL) and aq. HCl (1 M; 200 mL). The aqueous phase was extracted with additional ether (4 x 50 mL). The combined organic phases were dried over MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure (bath temperature 35 °C; 60 mBar). 776 mg (73%) of yellow liquid was obtained. The crude product was used in the next step without further purification. The analytical sample (colourless liquid) was obtained by short-path vacuum distillation.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 4.61 – 4.46 (multiple peaks, J^{HF} = 47.0 Hz, 4H), 2.72 – 2.44 (multiple peaks, 3H) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 177.79, 81.98 (dd, J = 170.0, 5.4 Hz), 36.98 (t, J = 19.0 Hz), 30.81 (t, J = 6.0 Hz) ppm.

¹⁹**F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: -228.94 (td, *J* = 46.6, 21.2 Hz) ppm.

HRMS (TOF ES⁻ m/z): calculated for C₅H₇O₂F₂ [M-H⁺] 137.0414, found 137.0416. **IB** (ATR): 2978 (broad s) 2915 (broad s) 2631 (broad m) 1714 (s) 1417 (m) 1292 (m) 1241 (m)

IR (ATR): 2978 (broad s), 2915 (broad s), 2631 (broad m), 1714 (s), 1417 (m), 1292 (m), 1241 (m), 1188 (w), 1016 (m), 949 (w) cm⁻¹.



(S)-4-Benzyl-3-(4-fluoro-3-(fluoromethyl)butanoyl)oxazolidin-2-one (27)

Pivaloyl chloride (0.48 mL; 4.0 mmol) was added dropwise to a solution of 4-fluoro-3-(fluoromethyl)butanoic acid (**26**) (520 mg; 3.77 mmol) and DIPEA (0.87 mL; 5.0 mmol) in dry THF (30 mL) at 0 °C. In a separate flask to a solution of (*S*)-4-benzyloxazolidin-2-one (0.89 g; 5.0 mmol) in dry THF (30 mL) was added BuLi (2 M; 2.5 mL) at -78 °C. After 2 hours the solution of mixed anhydride was cannulated into the solution of lithium (*S*)-4-benzyl-2-oxooxazolidin-3-ide at -78 °C. The reaction mixture was allowed to warm to ambient temperature and stirred overnight. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was partitioned between EtOAc (250 mL) and aq. HCl (1 M; 150 mL). The organic phase was washed with sat. aq. NaHCO₃ (100 mL) and brine (100 mL), dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc with gradient 10/1 to 3/1). 851 mg (76%) of colourless oil was obtained.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.37 - 7.31 (m, 2H), 7.31 - 7.26 (m, 1H), 7.23 - 7.18 (m, 2H), 4.73 - 4.65 (m, 1H), 4.65 - 4.46 (m, 4H), 4.23 (ddd, *J* = 9.0, 7.5, 0.5 Hz, 1H), 4.19 (dd, *J* = 9.1, 3.1 Hz, 1H), 3.30 (dd, *J* = 13.4, 3.4 Hz, 1H), 3.12 (ddd, *J* = 17.9, 6.7, 0.8 Hz, 1H), 3.04 (ddd, *J* = 17.9, 6.8, 0.6 Hz, 1H), 2.79 (dd, *J* = 13.4, 9.6 Hz, 1H), 2.75 - 2.64 (m, 1H) ppm.
 ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: -228.21 (td, *J* = 46.5, 22.0 Hz, 1F), -228.42 (td, *J* = 48.2, 22.0 Hz, 1F) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 170.98, 153.40, 135.11, 129.39, 129.04, 127.46, 82.30 (dd, *J* = 169.5, 5.5 Hz), 82.23 (dd, *J* = 169.6, 5.6 Hz), 66.42, 55.21, 37.90, 36.62 (t, *J* = 19.0 Hz), 32.35 (t, *J* = 5.9 Hz) ppm.

HRMS (*m/z*): calculated for C₁₅H₁₈NO₃F₂ [M+H⁺] 298.1255, found: 298.1262.

IR (ATR): 2971 (w), 2913 (w), 1780 (s), 1702 (s), 1390 (m), 1352 (m), 1214 (m), 1102 (w), 1015 (m) cm⁻¹. [α]_D²⁰ 42.7 (*c* 1.1, CHCl₃).



(S)-3-((S)-2-Azido-4-fluoro-3-(fluoromethyl)butanoyl)-4-benzyloxazolidin-2-one (28)

A cooled (-78 °C) solution of (*S*)-4-benzyl-3-(4-fluoro-3-(fluoromethyl)butanoyl)oxazolidin-2-one (**27**) (830 mg; 2.79 mmol) in dry THF (10 mL) was cannulated into a cooled (-78 °C) solution of KHMDS (3.2 mmol) in THF (~18 mL). After 30 minutes a cooled (-78 °C) solution of trysil azide (1.0 g; 3.2 mmol) in THF (12 mL) was cannulated into the solution of previously prepared potassium enolate at -78 °C. After 2 minutes the reaction was quenched with acetic acid (0.9 mL). The reaction mixture was warmed to 35 °C and stirred at this temperature for 40 minutes. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure (bath temperature ~35 °C). The residue was partitioned between EtOAc (250 mL) and sat. aq. NaHCO₃ (100 mL). The organic phase was washed with water (100 mL) and brine (100 mL), dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc with gradient 10/1 to 3/1). 785 mg (83%) of colourless oil was obtained.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ : 7.31 – 7.20 (multiple peaks, 3H), 7.18 – 7.13 (m, 2H), 5.36 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 4.74 – 4.39 (multiple peaks, 5H), 4.22 (ddd, *J* = 9.3, 7.4, 0.5 Hz, 1H), 4.18 (dd, *J* = 9.2, 3.3 Hz, 1H), 3.25 (dd, *J* = 13.5, 3.3 Hz, 1H), 2.81 (dd, *J* = 13.5, 9.3 Hz, 1H), 2.78 – 2.60 (m, 1H) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: -227.39 (td, *J* = 47.0, 18.1 Hz), -228.52 (td, *J* = 46.6, 23.0 Hz) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 168.45, 153.18, 134.71, 129.55, 129.22, 127.74, 81.12 (dd, *J* = 170.2, 6.0 Hz), 80.23 (dd, *J* = 169.3, 5.9 Hz), 66.92, 58.43 (dd, *J* = 5.1, 3.9 Hz), 55.71, 42.50 (t, *J* = 18.9 Hz), 37.78 ppm.

HRMS (m/z): calculated for C₁₅H₁₇N₂O₃F₂ [M-N₂+H⁺] 311.1207, found: 311.1198.

IR (ATR): 2980 (w), 2917 (w), 2114 (s), 1784 (s), 1706 (s), 1394 (s), 1213 (m), 1016 (m), 762 (w) cm⁻¹. **[α]_D²⁰** 20.2 (*c* 1.1, CHCl₃).



tert-Butyl ((S)-1-((S)-4-benzyl-2-oxooxazolidin-3-yl)-4-fluoro-3-(fluoromethyl)-1-oxobutan-2-yl)carbamate (29)

Pd/C (10%; 150 mg) was added to a solution of (*S*)-3-((*S*)-2-Azido-4-fluoro-3-(fluoromethyl)butanoyl)-4benzyloxazolidin-2-one (**28**) (560 mg; 1.66 mmol) and Boc₂O (5.4 g; 25 mmol) in EtOAc (25 mL). The resulting suspension was stirred under 3 bars of hydrogen for 4 hours. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc with gradient 20/1 to 1/1). 594 mg (87%) of white solid was obtained.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.34 (m, 2H), 7.28 (m, 1H), 7.25 – 7.18 (m, 2H), 5.65 – 5.46 (multiple peaks, 2H), 4.83 – 4.42 (multiple peaks, 5H), 4.28 – 4.15 (multiple peaks, 2H), 3.36 (dd, J = 13.4, 2.9 Hz, 1H), 2.78 (dd, J = 13.4, 9.8 Hz, 1H), 2.82 – 2.64 (m, 1H), 1.46 (s, 9H) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: -225.75 (td, *J* = 46.8, 15.8 Hz), -227.23 (td, *J* = 46.6, 25.4 Hz) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ:171.28, 155.62, 153.10, 135.12, 129.56, 129.19, 127.59, 81.43 (dd, *J* = 169.8, 7.3 Hz), 80.66 (dd, *J* = 167.2, 4.6 Hz), 80.62, 66.83, 55.94, 52.08 (m), 42.71 (t, *J* = 16.9 Hz), 37.67, 28.37 ppm.

HRMS (*m/z*): calculated for C₂₀H₂₆N₂O₅F₂Na [M+Na⁺] 435.1707, found: 435.1726.

IR (ATR): 3425 (broad m), 2980 (m), 2918 (m), 1786 (s), 1704 (s), 1500 (s), 1392 (s), 1368 (s), 1245 (m), 1165 (m), 1013 (m), 762 (m), 705 (m) cm⁻¹.

[α]_D²⁰ 47.6 (*c* 1.1, CHCl₃).

M.p.: 112 °C.



(S)-2-((*tert*-Butoxycarbonyl)amino)-4-fluoro-3-(fluoromethyl)butanoic acid (30)

LiOH (48 mg; 2.0 mmol) in water (3 mL) was added to a cooled (0 °C) solution of *tert*-butyl ((*S*)-1-((*S*)-4-benzyl-2oxooxazolidin-3-yl)-4-fluoro-3-(fluoromethyl)-1-oxobutan-2-yl)carbamate (**29**) (400 mg; 0.97 mmol) in THF (10 mL). The reaction mixture was stirred for 1 hour at 0 °C. The reaction mixture was acidified to pH 2...3 by a careful addition of aq. HCl (1 M). The THF was removed under reduced pressure. The residue was partitioned between EtOAc (50 mL) and brine (50 mL). The aqueous phase was extracted with additional EtOAc (4 x 20 mL). The combined organic phases were dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc with gradient 5/1 to 0/1). 218 mg (89%) of amorphous glassy solid was obtained. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃OD) δ : 4.73 – 4.44 (multiple peaks, 4H), 4.38 (d, *J* = 5.3 Hz, 1H), 2.75 – 2.47 (m, 1H), 1.45 (s, 9H)

ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: -229.34 (td, *J* = 47.0, 19.7 Hz, 1F), -230.39 (td, *J* = 47.0, 21.8 Hz, 1F) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CD₃OD) δ:174.18, 157.94, 81.82 (dd, *J* = 168.7, 6.8 Hz), 81.66 (dd, *J* = 167.1, 7.0 Hz), 80.91 (bs), 52.77, 43.99 (t, *J* = 18.7 Hz), 28.64 ppm.

HRMS (TOF ES⁻ m/z): calculated for C₁₀H₁₆NO₄F₂ [M-H⁺] 252.1047, found: 252.1058.

IR (ATR): 3447 (m), 3318 (broad m), 2981 (s), 2925 (w), 2553 (broad w), 1717 (broad s), 1527 (m), 1396 (m), 1252 (w), 1163 (m), 1069 (w), 1024 (m), 858 (w), 763 (m) cm⁻¹.

[α]_D²⁰ -9.1 (*c* 1.1, CHCl₃).



(S)-2-Amino-4-fluoro-3-(fluoromethyl)butanoic acid hydrochloride (31)

TFA (5 mL) was added to a DCM (15 mL) solution of (*S*)-2-((*tert*-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-4-fluoro-3-(fluoromethyl)butanoic acid (**30**) (208 mg; 0.82 mmol). The reaction mixture was stirred at ambient temperature for 3 hours. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was dissolved in MeCN (15 mL) and anhydrous HCI (2 M in ether; 3 mL) was added. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure and the HCI treatment was repeated 3 times. The crystalline residue was suspended in EtOAc (15 mL), sonicated 5 minutes and then collected by filtration. The reaction product was washed with EtOAc (3 x 3 mL). After drying under vacuum 144 mg (93%) of white microcrystalline solid was obtained.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 4.86 – 4.59 (m, 4H), 4.27 (d, *J* = 4.0 Hz, 1H), 2.97 – 2.73 (m, 1H) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: -223.93 (td, *J* = 46.7, 20.8 Hz), -225.72 (td, *J* = 46.4, 23.6 Hz) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 172.67, 84.02 (dd, *J* = 168.5, 3.9 Hz), 83.97 (dd, *J* = 168.1, 3.7 Hz), 55.03 (t, *J* = 3.7 Hz), 45.31 (t, *J* = 19.1 Hz) ppm.

HRMS (m/z): calculated for C₅H₁₀NO₂F₂ [M+H⁺] 154.0680, found: 154.0681.

IR (ATR): 3447 (broad w), 2981 (broad s), 2548 (w), 2253 (broad s), 2042 (m), 1958 (w), 1733 (s), 1487 (m), 1405 (m), 1216 (m), 1165 (m), 1060 (m), 961 (m), 822 (w) cm⁻¹.

[**α**]_D²⁰ 17.1 (*c* 1.1, CD₃OD).

M.p.: 158 °C.



 \sim CO₂H **2-(Diethoxyphosphoryl)propanoic acid (33)** was obtained using a slightly modified literature procedure: P. Coutrot, A. Ghribi, *Synthesis*, 1986, **8**, 661.

The reaction was performed in a 250 mL Schlenk flask under argon atmosphere. BuLi (21.0 mL; 2.5 M in THF) was added dropwise to a cooled solution of diethylethanephosphonate (**32**) (8.00 g; 48.15 mmol) in THF (150 mL) while maintaining the internal temperature below -55 °C. The resulting solution was stirred at -50 °C for 1 hour. The headspace of the reaction flask was evacuated and refilled with CO₂ from a balloon attached to the sidearm of the flask. The internal temperature briefly spiked to -37 °C. The reaction mixture was allowed to warm to 0 °C. Aqueous sat. NaHCO₃ (150 mL) was added and THF was removed under reduced pressure. The aqueous suspension was extracted with MTB (3 x 50 mL) and the organic phase was discarded. The aqueous phase was acidified to pH 2 with aq. HCl (1 M). The resulting suspension was extracted with EtOAc (3 x 100 mL). The organic phase was washed with brine, dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. 5.27 g (52% based on diethylethanephosphonate) of colourless oil was obtained. Crude reaction product was used in the next step without further purification and characterization. When the reaction was performed with ¹³CO₂, diethylethanephosphonate/BuLi was used in 2-fold excess over ¹³CO₂ and a yield of 90% based on ¹³CO₂ was obtained.



(E)-3-(4-Methoxyphenyl)-2-methylacrylic acid (34)

2-(Diethoxyphosphoryl)propanoic acid (**33**) (5.00 g; 23.8 mmol) in THF (20 mL) was added dropwise to a solution of BuLi (2.5 M, 20 mL) in THF (150 mL) while maintaining the internal temperature below -50 °C. The reaction mixture was stirred for 1 h at -50 °C. *p*-Anisaldehyde (3.16 mL; 26 mmol) in THF (10 mL) was added dropwise at -50 °C. The reaction mixture was warmed to 50 °C and stirred at this temperature for 1 h. Aqueous sat. NaHCO₃ (150 mL) was added to the reaction mixture and THF was removed under reduced pressure. The aqueous suspension was extracted with MTB (3 x 50 mL) and the organic phase was discarded. The remaining aqueous solution was acidified to pH 3 with aq. HCl (1 M). The resulting suspension was extracted with EtOAc (3 x 100 mL). The organic phase was washed with brine, dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. 3.86 g (84%) of white crystalline solid was obtained. NMR analysis showed that the obtained product was sufficiently pure for further transformation.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 12.18 (broad s, 1H), 7.80 (s, 1H), 7.44 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 2H), 6.95 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 3.85 (s, 3H), 2.17 (s, 3H) ppm.

 $^{13}C\{^{1}H\} \text{ NMR } (101 \text{ MHz, CDCl}_{3}) \\ \delta: 174.78, 160.16, 140.97, 131.91, 128.35, 125.30, 114.08, 55.46, 13.88 \text{ ppm.} \\$

HRMS (ESI⁻ m/z): calculated for C₁₁H₁₁O₃ [M-H⁺] 191.0708, found 191.0708.

IR (ATR): 2946 (broad w), 1661 (s), 1601 (s), 1512 (m), 1423 (w), 1319 (w), 1280 (m), 1253 (s), 1180 (s), 1131 (w), 1030 (w), 825 (w) cm⁻¹.

Mp: 155-156 °C.



3-(4-Methoxyphenyl)-2-methylpropanoic acid (35)

(*E*)-3-(4-Methoxyphenyl)-2-methylacrylic acid (**34**) (3.80 g; 19.8 mmol) was dissolved in EtOH (70 mL). Pd/C (300 mg; 10%) was added and the resulting suspension was stirred intensively overnight under 6 bars of hydrogen. LC-MS analysis indicated clean and complete conversion at this point. The suspension was filtered through a pad of celite and evaporated under reduced pressure. 3.82 g (99%) of a colourless oil was obtained. The reaction product was used in the next step without further purification and characterization.



3-(4-Methoxyphenyl)-2-methylpropan-1-ol (S10)

Borane (1M in THF; 32 mL) was added dropwise to the solution of 3-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-methylpropanoic acid (**35**) (3.80 g; 19.6 mmol) in dry THF (150 mL). The reaction mixture was stirred for 3 h at ambient temperature. LC-MS indicated complete and clean conversion at this point. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was dissolved in MeOH (100 mL) and the solution was evaporated again. The evaporation of the MeOH solution was repeated 3 times to remove all boric acid derivatives in the form of volatile $B(OMe)_3$. 3.34 g (95%) of colourless oil was obtained. TLC analysis indicated almost pure product. Crude product was used in the next step without further purification. The analytical sample was obtained by silica-gel column chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc with gradient 10/1 to 1/1).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.09 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 2H), 6.83 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 2H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 3.52 (dd, *J* = 10.5, 5.9 Hz, 1H), 3.46 (dd, *J* = 10.6, 6.1 Hz, 1H), 2.69 (dd, *J* = 13.6, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 2.37 (dd, *J* = 13.6, 8.0 Hz, 1H), 1.90 (m, 1H), 1.61 (broad s, 1H), 0.91 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H) ppm.

 $^{13}\text{C} ^{1}\text{H} \text{NMR} (101 \text{ MHz, CDC} _3) \ \delta: 157.91, 132.75, 130.12, 113.78, 67.72, 55.34, 38.87, 38.00, 16.53 \text{ ppm}.$

HRMS (ESI *m/z*): calculated for C₁₁H₁₅O [M-OH]⁺ 163.1123, found 163.1127.

GC-MS (EI, 75 eV): m/z 180.2 ([M⁺], 10%), 121.1 (100%).

IR (ATR): 3366 (broad s), 2954 (s), 2913 (s), 2872 (s), 2835 (s), 2059 (w), 1882 (w), 1612 (m), 1512 (s), 1464 (m), 1300 (m), 1247 (s), 1179 (m), 1114 (w), 1036 (s), 986 (w), 843 (m), 804 (m), 753 (w) cm⁻¹.



3-(4-Methoxyphenyl)-2-methylpropyl methanesulfonate (S11)

A solution of 3-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-methylpropan-1-ol (**S10**) (3.10 g; 17.2 mmol) and DIPEA (4.7 mL; 27 mmol) in dry toluene (50 mL) was cooled to -20 °C. Mesyl chloride (1.8 mL; 23 mmol) was added dropwise over a period of 10 minutes. The reaction was allowed to warm to 0 °C and stirred at this temperature 2 hours. TLC analysis showed complete conversion. The reaction mixture was applied directly to a 100 g silica gel column. The column was eluted with hexanes/EtOAc with gradient 4/1 to 1/1. The fractions containing product were evaporated under reduced pressure. 4.15 g (93%) of colourless oil was obtained.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.07 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 2H), 6.84 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 2H), 4.07 (dd, *J* = 9.5, 5.7 Hz, 1H), 4.02 (dd, *J* = 9.5, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 2.98 (s, 3H), 2.69 (dd, *J* = 13.8, 6.8 Hz, 1H), 2.47 (dd, *J* = 13.8, 7.6 Hz, 1H), 2.15 (m, 1H), 0.99 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 158.25, 131.23, 130.16, 113.98, 73.85, 55.37, 38.32, 37.31, 35.24, 16.46 ppm.

GC-MS (EI, 75 eV): m/z 258.1 ([M]⁺, 16%), 162.1(13%), 147.1 (20%), 121.1 (100%), 91.1 (9%).

HRMS (ESI m/z): calculated for C₁₂H₁₈O₄SNa [M+Na⁺] 281.0823, found 281.0820.

IR (ATR): 3029 (m), 2963 (s), 2937 (s), 2838 (m), 1613 (m), 1514 (s), 1466 (m), 1354 (s), 1301 (w), 1247 (s), 1117 (w), 1034 (m), 962 (s), 833 (s), 753 (m) cm⁻¹.



1-(3-Fluoro-2-methylpropyl)-4-methoxybenzene (36)

An Ace pressure tube was charged with dry *tert*-butanol (70 mL), anhydrous CsF (30.4 g; 200 mmol) and 3-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-methylpropyl methanesulfonate (**S11**) (4.05 g; 15.7 mmol). The reaction vessel was sealed and heated to 95 °C (oil bath temperaturte) overnight. The reaction mixture was partitioned between brine (200 mL) and EtOAc (250 mL). The aqueous phase was extracted with additional EtOAc (2 x 50 mL). The combined organic phases were dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. 2.63 g (92%) of yellowish liquid was obtained (about 90% purity). Crude product was used directly in the next step. The analytical sample was obtained by a short-path vacuum distillation.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.09 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 6.85 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 4.27 (apparent dd, J = 47.5, 5.6 Hz, 2H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 2.71 (dd, J = 13.7, 6.5 Hz, 1H), 2.43 (dd, J = 13.7, 7.8 Hz, 1H), 2.07 (m, 1H), 0.95 (d, J = 6.8 Hz, 3H) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: -224.31 (td, J = 47.4, 20.4 Hz) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 157.98, 131.89, 130.11, 113.74, 87.42 (d, *J* = 168.7 Hz), 55.25, 37.76 (d, *J* = 5.5 Hz), 36.24 (d, *J* = 18.2 Hz), 15.63 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz) ppm.

GC-MS (EI, 75 eV): m/z 182.1 ([M]⁺, 20%), 121.1 (100%), 91.1 (7%), 77.1 (6%).

IR (ATR): 2962 (s), 2909 (m), 2836 (w), 1613 (m), 1514 (s), 1464 (m), 1301 (m), 1247 (s), 1178 (m), 1037 (m), 1008 (m), 843 (m), 799 (m) cm⁻¹.



4-Fluoro-3-methylbutanoic acid (37)

A suspension of 1-(3-fluoro-2-methylpropyl)-4-methoxybenzene (**36**) (2.44 g; 13.4 mmol), RuCl₃ hydrate (290 mg; 1.3 mmol) and NaIO₄ (32 g; 150 mmol) in EtOAc (60 mL), MeCN (60 mL) and water (60 mL) was stirred vigorously overnight. The reaction mixture was filtered through a pad of celite. The filtrate was partitioned between ether (200 mL) and aq. HCl (1 M; 200 mL). The aqueous phase was extracted with additional ether (4 x 50 mL). The combined organic phases were dried over MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure (bath temperature 35 °C; 60 mbar). The residue was discolved in sat. aq. NaHCO₃ (50 mL). The aqueous solution was washed with MTB (50 mL) and the organic phase was discarded. The aqueous phase was acidified to pH 2 with aq. HCl (1 M) and then extracted with EtOAc (3 x 50 mL). The organic phase was dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. 1.22 g (76%) of yellowish liquid was obtained. Crude product was used in the next step without further purification. The analytical sample (colourless liquid) was obtained by short-path vacuum distillation.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 10.85 (broad s, 1H), 4.30 (ddd, *J* = 47.3, 9.0, 5.0 Hz, 1H), 4.21 (ddd, *J* = 47.4, 9.0, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 2.48 (dd, *J* = 15.5, 5.8 Hz, 1H), 2.39 – 2.24 (m, 1H), 2.20 (ddd, *J* = 15.3, 7.6, 0.8 Hz, 1H), 0.98 (dd, *J* = 6.8, 1.1 Hz, 3H) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: -223.65 (td, *J* = 46.6, 19.2 Hz) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 178.99, 87.12 (d, *J* = 170.0 Hz), 37.16 (d, *J* = 5.3 Hz), 31.21 (d, *J* = 18.7 Hz), 15.73 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz) ppm.

HRMS (ESI⁻ m/z): calculated for C₅H₈O₂F [M-H⁺] 119.0508, found 119.0503.

IR (ATR): 3090 (broad s), 2974 (s), 1713 (s), 1415 (m), 1299 (m), 1247 (m), 1206 (m), 1015 (m), 939 (m) cm⁻¹.



(4S)-4-Benzyl-3-(4-fluoro-3-methylbutanoyl)oxazolidin-2-one (38)

Pivaloyl chloride (1.1 mL; 8.5 mmol) was added dropwise to the solution of 4-fluoro-3-methylbutanoic acid (**37**) (800 mg; 6.66 mmol) and DIPEA (2.0 mL; 11.0 mmol) in dry THF (40 mL) at 0 °C. In a separate flask to a solution of (*S*)-4-benzyloxazolidin-2-one (2.66 g; 15.0 mmol) in dry THF (50 mL) was added BuLi (2 M; 6.0 mL) at -78 °C. After 2 hours the solution of mixed anhydride was cannulated into the solution of lithium (*S*)-4-benzyl-2-oxooxazolidin-3-ide at -78 °C. The reaction mixture was allowed to warm to ambient temperature and stirred overnight. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was partitioned between EtOAc (250 mL) and aq. HCl (1 M; 150 mL). The organic phase was washed with sat. aq. NaHCO₃ (100 mL) and brine (100 mL), dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc with gradient 10/1 to 3/1). 1.49 g (80%) of colourless amorphous solid was obtained.

NMR signals of both diastereomers are poorly resolved and therefore the spectra are reported for a mixture. In the ¹³C NMR spectrum almost all peaks of the diastereomers overlap so that the total number of signals is not 26 but 17.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.30 – 7.24 (m, 4H), 7.23 – 7.19 (m, 2H), 7.16 – 7.12 (m, 4H), 4.61 (m, 2H), 4.42 – 4.30 (m, 2H), 4.29 – 4.18 (m, 2H), 4.17 – 4.07 (m, 4H), 3.23 (m, 2H), 3.02 (m, 2H), 2.88 – 2.73 (m, 2H), 2.69 (m, 2H), 2.53 – 2.30 (m, 2H), 1.00 (m, 6H) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: -222.60 (td, *J* = 47.7, 20.0 Hz, 1F), -222.86 (td, *J* = 46.3, 20.1 Hz, 1F) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 171.86, 153.45, 135.28, 129.42, 128.99, 127.39, 87.35 (d, *J* = 170.0 Hz), 87.29 (d, *J* = 169.5 Hz), 66.25, 55.21, 38.33 (d, *J* = 5.3 Hz), 38.28 (d, *J* = 5.4 Hz), 37.96, 37.89, 30.73 (d, *J* = 18.9 Hz), 16.00 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz), 15.91 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz) ppm.

HRMS (ESI m/z): calculated for C₁₅H₁₉NO₃F [M+H⁺] 280.1349, found 280.1345.

IR (ATR): 2968 (m), 2930 (w), 1780 (s), 1702 (s), 1390 (s), 1352 (m), 1210 (s), 1003 (m), 750 (m), 702 (m) cm⁻¹.



(4S)-3-((2S)-2-Azido-4-fluoro-3-methylbutanoyl)-4-benzyloxazolidin-2-one (39)

To -78 °C cooled solution of (*S*)-4-benzyl-3-(5-fluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoyl)oxazolidin-2-one (**38**) (1.20 g; 4.30 mmol) in dry THF (15 mL) was cannulated into a cooled (-78 °C) solution of KHMDS (5.0 mmol) in THF (~18 mL). After 30 minutes a cooled (-78 °C) solution of trysil azide (1.70 g; 5.50 mmol) in THF (12 mL) was cannulated into a solution of previously prepared potassium enolate at -78 °C. After 2 minutes reaction was quenched with acetic acid (2 mL). The reaction mixture was warmed to 35 °C and stirred at this temperature 40 minutes. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure (bath temperature ~35 °C). The residue was partitioned between EtOAc (250 mL) and sat. aq. NaHCO₃ (100 mL). The organic phase was washed with water (100 mL) and brine (100 mL), dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc with gradient 10/1 to 3/1). 1.06 g (77%) of colourless oil was obtained. The NMR signals of the mixture of diastereomers of **39** are not well resolved and the spectra are reported for the mixture.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.39 – 7.32 (m, 4H), 7.32 – 7.26 (m, 2H), 7.25 – 7.21 (m, 4H), 5.23 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 5.20 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 1H), 4.75 – 4.64 (m, 2H), 4.62 – 4.33 (m, 4H), 4.31 – 4.18 (m, 4H), 3.39 - 3.28 (m, 2H), 2.94 – 2.77 (m, 2H), 2.65 – 2.33 (m, 2H), 1.11 - 1.05 (m, 6H) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: -225.25 (td, *J* = 47.2, 15.2 Hz), -228.35 (td, *J* = 46.9, 22.7 Hz) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 169.85, 169.14, 153.14, 153.07, 134.84, 134.76, 129.55, 129.46, 129.18, 129.08, 127.66, 127.57, 85.14 (d, *J* = 170.9 Hz), 84.20 (d, *J* = 169.1 Hz), 66.76, 66.75, 62.37 (d, *J* = 2.5 Hz), 61.52, 55.72, 55.64, 37.79, 37.62, 36.67 (d, *J* = 17.7 Hz), 36.60 (d, *J* = 18.8 Hz), 13.49 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz), 11.44 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz) ppm.



tert-Butyl ((2*S*,3*R*)-1-((*S*)-4-benzyl-2-oxooxazolidin-3-yl)-4-fluoro-3-methyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)carbamate (40) and *tert*-butyl ((2*S*,3*S*)-1-((*S*)-4-benzyl-2-oxooxazolidin-3-yl)-4-fluoro-3-methyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)carbamate (41)

Pd/C (10%; 200 mg) was added to a solution of (4*S*)-3-((2*S*)-2-azido-4-fluoro-3-methylbutanoyl)-4-benzyloxazolidin-2one (**39**) (1.06 g; 3.31 mmol) and Boc₂O (5.0 g; 23 mmol) in EtOAc (15 mL). The resulting suspension was stirred under 3 bars of hydrogen for 4 hours. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc with gradient 20/1 to 1/1). 1.16 g (89%) of white solid was obtained. The mixture of diastereomers obtained was separated by preparative HPLC on a Chiralpak IC column with DCM as mobile phase. **40** elutes first followed by **41**. 450 mg of **40** (80% from azide) and 530 mg of **41** (94% from azide) was obtained. Analytical data for **40**:

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 7.27 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.22 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 5.52 (dd, *J* = 9.1, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 5.49 (broad d, *J* = 9.1 Hz, 1H), 4.62 (ddt, *J* = 9.9, 6.6, 3.3 Hz, 1H), 4.39 (apparent dd, *J* = 47.1, 5.1 Hz, 2H), 4.26 – 4.07 (m, 2H), 3.35 (dd, *J* = 13.4, 2.5 Hz, 1H), 2.78 (dd, *J* = 13.4, 9.9 Hz, 1H), 2.45 (broad d, *J* = 22.1 Hz, 1H), 1.46 (s, 9H), 1.09 (dd, *J* = 7.0, 0.9 Hz, 3H) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: -220.59 (td, *J* = 47.1, 23.6 Hz) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 172.38, 155.92, 153.04, 135.28, 129.55, 129.11, 127.48, 84.81 (d, *J* = 168.5 Hz), 80.18, 66.65, 55.96, 55.32, 37.66, 36.89 (d, *J* = 17.8 Hz), 28.37, 13.36 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz) ppm.

HRMS (ESI m/z): calculated for C₂₀H₂₇N₂O₅FNa [M+Na⁺] 417.1802, found 417.1802.

IR (ATR): 3404 (broad m), 2978 (m), 2932 (w), 1783 (s), 1700 (s), 1497 (m), 1390 (s), 1367 (s), 1242 (m), 1166 (m), 1108 (w), 1013 (w), 762 (w), 703 (w) cm⁻¹.

[**α**]_D²⁰ 58.2 (*c* 0.9, CHCl₃).

M.p.: 104-105 °C.

Analytical data for 41:

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ : 7.37 – 7.31 (m, 2H), 7.30 – 7.25 (m, 1H), 7.22 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 5.60 (dd, *J* = 9.2, 4.2 Hz, 1H), 5.38 – 5.10 (broad d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 4.64 (ddt, *J* = 10.2, 6.7, 3.3 Hz, 1H), 4.62 – 4.41 (m, 1H), 4.31 (ddd, *J* = 47.2, 9.2, 6.6 Hz, 1H), 4.23 – 4.15 (multiple peaks, 2H), 3.32 (dd, *J* = 13.4, 3.7 Hz, 1H), 2.78 (dd, *J* = 13.4, 9.8 Hz, 1H), 2.39 (m, 1H), 1.46 (s, 9H), 0.96 (dd, *J* = 7.0, 0.9 Hz, 3H) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: -221.01 (td, *J* = 47.0, 13.4 Hz) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 172.32, 155.57, 152.93, 135.23, 129.56, 129.18, 127.57, 85.89 (d, *J* = 170.7 Hz), 80.34, 66.62, 55.80, 53.91, 37.68, 36.83 (d, *J* = 18.0 Hz), 28.41, 10.42 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz) ppm.

HRMS (ESI m/z): calculated for C₂₀H₂₇N₂O₅FNa [M+Na⁺] 417.1802, found 417.1805.

IR (ATR): 3385 (broad m), 2978 (m), 2932 (w), 1785 (s), 1700 (s), 1499 (m), 1391 (s), 1368 (s), 1213 (m), 1166 (m), 1109 (w), 1012 (w), 761 (w), 702 (w) cm⁻¹.

[α]_D²⁰ 64.6 (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).

M.p.: 127-128 °C.



S12 (S,R)-isomer

(2S,3R)-N-Boc-4-fluorovaline (S12)

LiOH (32 mg; 1.3 mmol) in aq. hydrogen peroxide (7 mL, 10% v/v) was added to a cooled (0 °C) solution of *tert*-butyl ((2*S*,3*R*)-1-((*S*)-4-benzyl-2-oxooxazolidin-3-yl)-4-fluoro-3-methyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)carbamate (**40**) (400 mg; 1.01 mmol) in THF (10 mL). The reaction mixture was stirred for 1 hour at 0 °C. LCMS analysis indicated complete conversion. The reaction mixture was diluted with sat. aq. NaHCO₃ (20 mL) and THF was removed under reduced pressure. The aqueous solution was extracted with DCM (3 x 10 mL). The organic phase was discarded. The aqueous phase was acidified to pH 2 by a careful addition of aq. HCl (1 M). The aqueous suspension was extracted with EtOAc (4 x 20 mL). The combined organic phases were dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. 203 mg (85%) of amorphous glassy solid was obtained. The reaction product was used in the next step without further purification.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 4.47 – 4.13 (multiple peaks, 2H), 4.09 (d, J = 5.6 Hz, 1H), 2.33 – 2.09 (m, 1H), 1.35 (s, 9H), 0.91 (d, J = 7.0 Hz, 3H) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: -225.75 (td, *J* = 47.3, 20.0 Hz) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 174.82, 158.07, 85.85 (d, *J* = 167.9 Hz), 80.70, 56.33 (d, *J* = 4.3 Hz), 37.76 (d, *J* = 18.5 Hz), 28.67, 13.06 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz) ppm.

HRMS (ESI⁻ m/z): calculated for C₁₀H₁₇NO₄F [M-H⁺] 234.1142, found 234.1150.

IR (ATR): 3322 (broad m), 2979 (m), 2932 (w), 1717 (s), 1514 (m), 1398 (m), 1254 (m), 1165 (s), 1019 (m) cm⁻¹. $[\alpha]_{D}^{20}$ -7.3 (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃).



(2S,3S)-N-Boc-4-fluorovaline (S13)

LiOH (36 mg; 1.5 mmol) in aq hydrogen peroxide (7 mL, 10% v/v) was added to a cooled (0 °C) solution of *tert*-butyl ((2*S*,3*S*)-1-((*S*)-4-benzyl-2-oxooxazolidin-3-yl)-4-fluoro-3-methyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)carbamate (**41**) (486 mg; 1.23 mmol) in THF (10 mL). The reaction mixture was stirred for 1 hour at 0 °C. LCMS analysis indicated complete conversion. The reaction mixture was diluted with sat. aq. NaHCO₃ (20 mL) and THF was removed under reduced pressure. The aqueous solution was extracted with DCM (3 x 10 mL). The organic phase was discarded. The aqueous phase was acidified to pH 2 by careful addition of aq. HCl (1 M). The aqueous suspension was extracted with EtOAc (4 x 20 mL). The combined organic phases were dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. 243 mg (84%) of white crystalline solid was obtained. The reaction product was used in the next step without further purification.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 4.49 – 4.09 (multiple peaks, 3H), 2.44 (m, 1H), 1.45 (s, 9H), 0.92 (dd, J = 7.1, 1.4 Hz, 3H) ppm.

¹⁹**F NMR** (376 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: -222.82 (td, *J* = 47.2, 15.6 Hz) ppm.

¹³C[¹H] NMR (101 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 174.97, 158.24, 85.75 (d, *J* = 169.0 Hz), 80.69, 55.26 (d, *J* = 4.4 Hz), 37.56 (d, *J* = 18.6 Hz), 28.68, 10.89 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz) ppm. HRMS (ESI⁻ *m/z*): calculated for C₁₀H₁₇NO₄F [M-H⁺] 234.1142, found 234.1149. IR (ATR): 3328 (broad m), 2979 (m), 2934 (w), 1720 (s), 1520 (m), 1400 (m), 1369 (m), 1165 (s), 1012 (m) cm⁻¹. [α]_p²⁰ 0.86 (*c* 1.05, CHCl₃). M.p.: 104-105 °C.



(2S,3R)-4-Fluorovaline hydrochloride (42)

TFA (5 mL) was added to a DCM (10 mL) solution of (2*S*,3*R*)-*N*-Boc-4-fluorovaline (**S12**) (176 mg; 0.75 mmol). The reaction mixture was stirred at ambient temperature for 3 hours. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was dissolved in EtOAc (15 mL) and anhydrous HCl (2 M in ether; 3 mL) was added. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure and the HCl treatment was repeated 3 times. The crystalline residue was suspended in MeCN (5 mL), sonicated 5 minutes and then collected by centrifugation. The reaction product was washed with additional MeCN (2 x 2 mL). After drying under vacuum 102 mg (79%) of white microcrystalline solid was obtained.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 4.56 (ddd, *J* = 47.0, 9.6, 7.2 Hz, 1H), 4.50 (ddd, *J* = 46.7, 9.6, 5.4 Hz, 1H), 4.10 (d, *J* = 3.7 Hz, 1H), 2.70 − 2.41 (m, 1H), 1.08 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H) ppm.

¹⁹**F NMR** (376 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: -222.17 (td, *J* = 46.5, 15.5 Hz) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 170.34, 85.28 (d, *J* = 169.2 Hz), 55.13 (d, *J* = 4.5 Hz), 36.73 (d, *J* = 18.6 Hz), 11.06 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz) ppm.

HRMS (ESI m/z): calculated for C₅H₁₁NO₂F [M+H⁺] 136.0774, found 136.0768.

IR (ATR): 3391 (broad s), 2986 (broad s), 2563 (w), 2489 (w), 2430 (w), 2234 (s), 2054 (w), 1737 (s), 1584 (m), 1522 (s), 1437 (m), 1405 (m), 1353 (w), 1219 (s), 1183 (m), 1161 (m), 1000 (s), 839 (s), 668 (s), 547 (m), 508 (m) cm⁻¹. **M.p.**: >180 °C with decomposition.

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[α]_D²⁰ 37.9 (*c* 1.1, CH₃OH).



(2S,3S)-4-Fluorovaline hydrochloride (43)

TFA (5 mL) was added to a DCM (10 mL) solution of (2S,3R)-*N*-Boc-4-fluorovaline (**S13**) (213 mg; 0.90 mmol). The reaction mixture was stirred at ambient temperature for 3 hours. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was dissolved in EtOAc (15 mL) and anhydrous HCl (2 M in ether; 3 mL) was added. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure and the HCl treatment was repeated 3 times. The crystalline residue was suspended in MeCN (5 mL), sonicated 5 minutes and then collected by centrifugation. The reaction product was washed with additional MeCN (2 x 2 mL). After drying under vacuum 132 mg (85%) of white microcrystalline solid was obtained.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 4.62 (ddd, *J* = 46.6, 9.7, 4.5 Hz, 1H), 4.47 (ddd, *J* = 47.2, 9.7, 7.2 Hz, 1H), 4.14 (d, *J* = 3.7 Hz, 1H), 2.73 - 2.57 (m, 1H), 1.10 (dd, *J* = 7.3, 1.3 Hz, 3H) ppm.

¹⁹**F NMR** (376 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: -224.55 (td, *J* = 47.1, 20.5 Hz) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 170.85, 85.54 (d, *J* = 168.6 Hz), 55.59 (d, *J* = 3.0 Hz), 36.35 (d, *J* = 18.4 Hz), 10.94 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz) ppm.

HRMS (ESI m/z): calculated for C₅H₁₁NO₂F [M+H⁺] 136.0774, found 136.0770.

IR (ATR): 3355 (broad s), 2974 (broad s), 2579 (w), 2523 (w), 2430 (w), 2107 (w), 1994 (w), 1743 (s), 1623 (m), 1587 (m), 1528 (s), 1422 (s), 1219 (s), 1159 (m), 1134 (m), 999 (s), 885 (m), 835 (s), 663 (m), 584 (m) cm⁻¹.

[α]_D²⁰ 9.5 (*c* 1.1, CH₃OH).

M.p.: >180 °C with decomposition.

Scheme 7: 4-fluorovalines-4-13C 46 and 47

62 mg of (2S,3R)-4-fluorovaline-4-¹³*C* hydrochloride (**46**) and **57 mg** of (2S,3S)-4-fluorovaline-4-¹³*C* hydrochloride (**47**) were prepared according to Scheme 6. See the <u>previous section</u> for experimental procedures.



(2S,3R)-4-Fluorovaline-4-13C hydrochloride (46)

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 4.56 (dddd, J = 152.9, 47.0, 9.6, 7.9 Hz, 1H), 4.49 (dddd, J = 153.1, 46.7, 9.6, 5.4 Hz, 1H), 4.10 (apparent t, J = 3.9 Hz, 1H), 2.63 – 2.45 (m, 1H), 1.08 (ddd, J = 7.3, 6.1, 1.3 Hz, 3H) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: -222.31 (dtd, *J* = 169.0, 46.8, 16.3 Hz) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 170.35, 85.29 (high intensity d, *J* = 169.2 Hz), 55.15 (d, *J* = 4.4 Hz), 37.16 (dd, *J* = 38.9, 18.1 Hz), 11.06 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz) ppm.

HRMS (ESI m/z): calculated for ${}^{12}C_{4}{}^{13}CH_{11}NO_{2}F$ [M+H⁺] 137.0807, found 137.0805.

IR (ATR): 3350 (broad m), 2992 (broad s), 2560 (w), 2427 (w), 2003 (w), 1967 (w), 1751 (s), 1525 (m), 1490 (m), 1417 (m), 1219 (s), 975 (m), 821 (s) cm⁻¹.

[α]_D²⁰ 35.4 (*c* 1.0, CH₃OH).

M.p.: >180 °C with decomposition.



(25,35)-4-Fluorovaline-4-¹³C hydrochloride (47)

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 4.61 (dddd, J = 153.3, 46.7, 9.8, 4.5 Hz, 1H), 4.48 (dddd, J = 152.0, 47.3, 9.8, 7.7 Hz, 1H), 4.14 (apparent t, J = 3.7 Hz, 1H), 2.86 – 2.39 (m, 1H), 1.10 (ddd, J = 7.0, 5.8, 1.0 Hz, 3H) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: -224.65 (dtd, *J* = 168.4, 47.0, 20.6 Hz) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (101 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 170.83, 85.54 (high intensity d, *J* = 168.5 Hz), 55.59 (d, *J* = 2.5 Hz), 36.34 (dd, *J* = 37.6, 18.4 Hz), 10.97 ppm.

HRMS (ESI m/z): calculated for ${}^{12}C_{4}{}^{13}CH_{11}NO_{2}F$ [M+H⁺] 137.0807, found 137.0807.

IR (ATR): 3013 (broad s), 2910 (broad s), 2557 (w), 2428 (w), 1992 (w), 1961 (w), 1737 (s), 1607 (w), 1496 (s), 1219 (s), 993 (s), 835 (m), 793 (w) cm⁻¹.

[α]_D²⁰ 9.6 (*c* 1.0, CH₃OH).

M.p.: >180 °C with decomposition.

Scheme 8: 3-fluorovaline-3,3,3,3',3',3',d₆ (55)



Ь́ (60%)

(2-(Methyl-d₃)prop-1-en-1-yl-3,3,3-d₃)benzene (49) was obtained following a literature procedure with modifications: R. Zhou, H. Liu, H. Tao, X. Yu, J. Wu, *Chem. Sci.*, 2017, **8**, 4654.

Benzyltriphenylphosphonium bromide (56.6 g, 130 mmol) suspension in dry THF (350 mL) was cooled to -70 °C under argon atmosphere. BuLi (55 mL, 2.5 M) was added dropwise with intensive stirring. The resulting orange suspension was warmed to 0 °C over the period of two hours. Acetone- d_6 (10.4 mL, 140 mmol) was added dropwise to the suspension at 0 °C. The reaction mixture was heated to 50 °C overnight. The precipitate was filtered of and washed with several portions of THF. The filtrate was evaporated under reduced pressure (50 mbar, 35 °C bath temperature). The residue was suspended in hexanes and applied to a 100 g silica gel column eluting with hexanes. After evaporation of hexanes 6.15 g (36%) of colourless, volatile liquid was obtained. NMR and GC-MS analysis showed that the 1-position contains 60% deuterium resulting from an H/D exchange between acetone- d_6 and phosphonium ylide.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.21 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.13 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.07 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 6.18 (s, 0.4H), 1.77(m, 0.12H), 1.72 (m, 0.12H) ppm.

²H NMR (61 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 6.34 (s, 0.6D), 1.89 (s, 3D), 1.86 (s, 3D) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 138.76 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz), 135.29 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz), 128.80, 128.11, 125.85, 125.30, 28.13 – 24.40 (m), 20.35 – 16.86 (m) ppm.

GC-MS (EI, 75 eV): m/z 139.2 ([M⁺], 70%), 138.2 ([M⁺], 80%), 121.2 (100 %), 120.2 (86%), 94.1 (20%), 93.1 (20%).

IR (ATR): 3080 (s), 3056 (s), 3023 (s), 2956 (w), 2913 (w), 2226 (s), 2192 (s), 2113 (m), 2052 (m), 1645 (m), 1598 (m), 1493 (s), 1443 (m), 1270 (w), 1047 (m), 9112 (m), 862 (m), 759 (s), 697 (s) cm⁻¹.



N-(2-Fluoro-2-(methyl- d_3)-1-phenylpropyl-3,3,3- d_3)acetamide (50)

A suspension of K_2CO_3 (7.60 g, 55 mmol) and 2-methyl-1-phenyl-1-propene (**49**) (3.20 g, 24.2 mmol) in dry MeCN (150 mL) was cooled to -10 °C under argon atmosphere. Selectfluor (8.50 g, 24.0 mmol) was added in one portion and the resulting suspension was stirred at -5 °C for 5 hours. GC-MS indicated complete conversion of the 2-methyl-1-phenyl-1-propene at this point. Sat. aq. NaHCO₃ (100 mL) was added to the suspension and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was partitioned between EtOAc (200 mL) and water (100 mL). The organic phase was washed with brine, dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by a silica gel column chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc with gradient from 5/1 to 1/1). First eluted *N*-(1-fluoro-2-methyl-1-phenylpropan-2-yl)acetamide (**51**) which was isolated as a white solid (835 mg, 16%), followed by *N*-(2-fluoro-2-methyl-1-phenylpropyl)acetamide (**50**) also a white solid (2.13 g, 42%).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.35 – 7.27 (multiple peaks, 5H), 6.41 (broad s, 1H), 4.95 (dd, J = 27.8, 9.5 Hz, 0.4H), 2.01 (s, 3H) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -156.02 (d, *J* = 26.7 Hz, species containing H in the benzylic position), -156.19 (s, deuterated species) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 169.38, 138.62 (d, *J* = 4.9 Hz), 128.48, 128.37, 127.81, 97.16 (d, *J* = 173.1 Hz), 59.62 (d, *J* = 17.9 Hz), 26.11 – 23.41 (m, overlapping CD₃ groups), 23.34 ppm.

HRMS (m/z): calculated for C₁₂H₁₀D₆NOFNa [M+Na⁺] 238.1490, found 238.1499.

IR (ATR): 3270 (s), 3065 (m), 2837 (w), 2241 (w), 1636 (s), 1548 (s), 1376 (w), 1295 (w), 1118 (m), 1052 (w), 790 (w), 723 (s), 701 (m) cm⁻¹.

M.p.: 123-126 °C.



2-Acetamido-3-fluoro-3-(methyl-d₃)butanoic-4,4,4-d₃ acid (52)

N-(2-Fluoro-2-methyl-1-phenylpropyl)acetamide (**50**) (1.22 g; 5.83 mmol) was dissolved in a mixture of EtOAc (50 mL), MeCN (50 mL) and water (100 mL). RuCl₃ (100 mg, 0.48 mmol) and NalO₄ (25.7g, 120 mmol) were added and the resulting suspension was stirred intensively for 48 hours at ambient temperature. UPLC analysis indicated complete conversion of the starting material at this point. The precipitate was filtered off and washed with several portions of acetonitrile. The volume of the filtrate was reduced to approximately 35 mL under reduced pressure. The remaining aqueous solution was acidified to pH 3 with aq. HCl and applied to 120 g C18 reverse-phase column. The column was eluted first with 600 mL 3% MeCN in water followed by 600 mL 6% MeCN in water. Fractions containing the product were evaporated under reduced pressure. After drying in vacuum 840 mg (81%) of white solid was obtained.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 4.59 (d, *J* = 18.7 Hz, 0.4H), 2.03 (s, 3H) ppm.

¹⁹**F NMR** (376 MHz, CD₃OD) δ -148.60 (d, J = 17.3 Hz, species containing H in the α position), -148.77 (s, α-deuterated species) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 173.39, 172.12 (d, *J* = 3.6 Hz), 95.36 (d, *J* = 175.3 Hz), 60.49 (d, *J* = 23.5 Hz), 25.05 – 23.24 (multiple peaks, two overlapping -CD₃ groups), 22.27 ppm.

HRMS (m/z): calculated for C₇H₆D₆NO₃FNa [M+Na⁺] 206.1076, found 206.1074.

IR (ATR): 3342 (m), 2812 (broad w), 2242 (w), 1729 (m), 1616 (s), 1539 (s), 1438 (m), 1340 (w), 1304 (m), 1222 (w), 1129 (w), 1046 (w), 1001 (w), 687 (m) cm⁻¹.

M.p.: 140-142 °C.



3-Fluorovaline-4,4,4,4',4',4',4'-d₆ hydrochloride (53)

2-Acetamido-3-fluoro-3-methylbutanoic acid (**52**) (800 mg, 4.51 mmol) was heated to 80 °C in 20 mL of aq. HCl (4 M; 6 mL). After 24 h full conversion was reached. The solution was filtered and evaporated under reduced pressure. The remaining solid was suspended in MeCN (30 mL), filtered and washed with MeCN (3 x 5 mL). After drying in vacuum 581 mg (75%) of white powder was obtained.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 4.22 (d, *J* = 10.7 Hz, 0.4H) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CD₃OD) δ -144.70 (broad s, species containing H in the alfa position), -144.85 (s, species containing D in the α-position) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CD₃OD) δ: 168.55 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz), 94.40 (d, *J* = 175.4 Hz), 61.10 (d, *J* = 21.9 Hz), 25.83 – 24.42 (m), 22.83 – 20.53 (m) ppm.

HRMS (ESI⁻, *m/z*): calculated for C₅H₃D₆NO₂F [M-H⁺] 140.0994, found 140.0988.

IR (ATR): 2969 (broad s), 2589 (w), 2241 (w), 2002 (m), 1744 (s), 1595 (s), 1496 (s), 1405 (m), 1234 (s), 1181 (s), 1102 (s), 1045 (s), 770 (s), 694 (s), 683 (s) 544 (s) cm⁻¹.

M.p.: 200 °C with decomposition.



Ph ¹³CO₂H

2-Phenylacetic-1-13C acid (55)

Benzylmagnesium chloride (1 M in ether; 100 mL) was cannulated into a 250 mL Schlenk flask and cooled to -78 °C under nitrogen. A balloon filled with ¹³CO₂ (approx. 2L; ca. 89 mmol) was attached to the sidearm of the reaction flask. ¹³CO₂ completely condensed into the reaction mixture over the period of 1 hour. The reaction was quenched by slow addition of aq. HCl (2 M; 150 mL). The organic phase was separated and washed with brine (100 mL). The combined aqueous phase was extracted with additional ether (4 x 100 mL). The combined organic phase was dried over anhydrous MgSO₄, filtered and evaporated under reduced pressure. The remaining solid was suspended in hexanes (150 mL) and filtered. After drying 11.0 g (91% based on ¹³CO₂) of white solid was obtained. The reaction product was used in the next step without further purification.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 11.13 (s, 1H), 7.40 – 7.27 (multiple peaks, 5H), 3.67 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 178.28 (high intensity peak), 133.35 (d, J = 2.9 Hz), 129.51 (d, J = 1.7 Hz), 128.78, 127.49, 41.19 (d, J = 55.2 Hz) ppm.

HRMS (m/z ESI⁻): calculated for C₇¹³CH₇O₂ [M-H⁺] 136.0480, found 136.0477.

IR (ATR): 3065 (broad s), 3033 (broad s), 1659 (s), 1499 (w), 1454 (w), 1408 (m), 1270 (m), 1220 (m), 1133 (m), 907 (broad m), 751 (s), 701 (s) cm⁻¹.

M.p.: 71-72 °C.

Ph__¹³CH₂OH

2-Phenylethan-1-ol-1-13C (S16)

LiAlH₄ (3.80 g; 100 mmol) was suspended in dry THF (250 mL) at 0 °C. 2-Phenylacetic-1-¹³C acid (**57**) (10.5 g; 77.1 mmol) was added portion-wise with intensive stirring. The cooling bath was removed and the reaction mixture was stirred at ambient temperature overnight. The reaction mixture was cooled to -20 °C and quenched by slow addition of aq. HCl (4 M; 120 mL). The resulting mixture was saturated with solid NaCl and then extracted with ether (4 x 150 mL). The combined organic phase was dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure (bath temperature 40 °C; pressure 35 mbar). 8.76 g (93%) of colourless liquid with a rose smell was obtained. The reaction product was used in the next step without further purification.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.23 (m, 2H), 7.18 – 7.10 (multiple peaks, 3H), 3.71 (dt, J = 143.1, 6.7 Hz, 2H), 2.75 (apparent q, J = 6.6 Hz, 2H), 2.33 (broad s, 1H) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 138.63 (d, *J* = 1.8 Hz), 129.05 (d, *J* = 1.6 Hz), 128.54, 126.41, 63.56 (high intensity peak), 39.16 (d, *J* = 35.9 Hz) ppm.

GC-MS (EI, 75 eV): m/z 123.0 ([M⁺], 30%), 91.0 (100%), 78.0 (7%), 65.0 (16%).

IR (ATR): 3328 (broad s), 3086 (w), 3063 (w), 3028 (m), 2942 (s), 2866 (s), 1947 (w), 1869 (w), 1808 (w), 1700 (w), 1497 (m), 1454 (m), 1080 (w), 1030 (s), 854 (w), 746 (s), 699 (s) cm⁻¹.



2-Phenylethyl-1-13C methanesulfonate (S17)

To a solution of 2-phenylethan-1-ol-1-¹³*C* (**S16**) (5.00 g; 40.9 mmol) in dry toluene (120 mL) was added DIPEA (9.9 mL; 55 mmol) followed by mesyl chloride (3.6 mL; 47 mmol) at -20 °C. The reaction mixture was allowed to warm to 0 °C and stirred for 2 hours at this temperature. TLC and GC control showed complete conversion. The reaction mixture was diluted with ether (200 mL) and then washed with aq. KHSO₄ (5% w/v; 2 x 150 mL). The organic phase was dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. 7.97 g (97%) of yellowish liquid was obtained. The reaction product was used in the next step without further purification.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.24 (m, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 7.20 – 7.12 (multiple peaks, 3H), 4.32 (dt, J = 151.1, 6.9 Hz, 2H), 2.96 (td, J = 6.8, 5.4 Hz, 2H), 2.73 (s, 3H) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 136.42 (d, *J* = 1.3 Hz), 129.06 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz), 128.77, 127.13, 70.45 (high intensity signal), 37.28, 35.64 (d, *J* = 37.3 Hz) ppm.

GC-MS (EI, 75 eV): m/z 105.1 ([M-MsOH⁺], 100%), 91.0 (40%), 79.0 (14%), 65.1 (9%).

IR (ATR): 3567 (broad w), 3064 (w), 3030 (m), 2940 (m), 1604 (w), 1498 (m), 1455 (m), 1351 (s), 1173 (s), 949 (s), 803 (s), 752 (m), 701 (s) cm⁻¹.

(2-Fluoroethyl-2-13C)benzene (56)

An Ace pressure tube was charged with 2-phenylethyl-1-¹³*C* methanesulfonate (**S17**) (7.60 g; 40.0 mmol), anhydrous CsF (27.3 g; 180 mmol) and dry ^tBuOH (60 mL). The reaction was heated overnight at 95 °C (oil bath temperature). GC-MS showed complete conversion of the starting material. The reaction mixture was partitioned between ether (200 mL) and water (250 mL). The phases were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted with 3 additional portions of ether (100 mL each). The combined organic phase was washed with brine (150 mL), dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure (bath temperature 35 °C; pressure 50 mbar). The remaining liquid was short-path distilled (bath temperature 110 °C; pressure 40 mbar). 2.63 g (56%) of colourless liquid was obtained. NMR analysis showed some impurities. Nonetheless, the reaction product was used in the next step without further purification.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.26 – 7.19 (m, 2H), 7.17 – 7.10 (multiple peaks, 3H), 4.53 (ddt, *J* = 151.6, 47.1, 6.6 Hz, 2H), 2.92 (dq, *J* = 23.0, 6.5 Hz, 2H) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: -214.82 – -215.90 (m) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 137.21 (dd, J = 6.2, 1.4 Hz), 129.10 (d, J = 1.7 Hz), 128.69, 126.81, 84.23 (high intensity d, J = 168.9 Hz), 37.05 (dd, J = 37.3, 20.3 Hz) ppm.

GC-MS (EI, 75 eV): m/z 125.0 ([M⁺], 40%), 91.0 (100%), 78.0 (7%), 65.0 (13%).

IR (ATR): 3388 (broad s), 3063 (w), 2936 (s), 2869 (s), 1692 (m), 1604 (w), 1497 (m), 1454 (m), 1362 (m), 1235 (w), 1175 (m), 1030 (s), 940 (w), 747 (m), 700 (s) cm⁻¹.



(1-Bromo-2-fluoroethyl-2-¹³C)benzene (57)

A solution of (2-fluoroethyl-2-¹³*C*)benzene (**56**) (2.10g; 16.9 mmol), NBS (7.1 g; 40 mmol) and AIBN (330 mg; 2.0 mmol) in MeCN (60 mL) was refluxed for 3 hours. GC-MS indicated complete conversion at this point. The reaction mixture was evaporated under reduced pressure (bath temperature 40 °C; pressure 50 mbar). The residue was suspended in ether (30 mL) and hexanes (70 mL). The resulting suspension was filtered through a pad of silica (50 g) which was washed with additional ether/hexanes (200 mL; 1/3, v/v). Almost colourless filtrate was evaporated under reduced pressure (bath temperature 40 °C; pressure 30 mbar). 3.28 g (96%) of yellowish liquid was obtained. The reaction product was used in the next step without further purification. The analytical sample (as a colourless liquid) was obtained by shortpath distillation (bath temperature 80 °C; pressure 7 mbar).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.44 (m, 2H), 7.41 − 7.32 (multiple peaks, 3H), 5.11 (m, 1H), 5.10 - 4.47 (multiple peaks, 2H) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: -204.44 (dtd *J* = 180.5, 46.2, 12.1 Hz) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 137.29 (d, J = 3.5 Hz), 129.31, 129.07, 128.10 (d, J = 1.8 Hz), 84.83 (high intensity signal d, J = 179.9 Hz), 49.97 (dd, J = 41.2, 22.0 Hz) ppm.

GC-MS (EI, 75 eV): m/z 204.9 ([M⁺], 5%), 202.9 ([M⁺], 5%), 124.0 (100%), 104.0 (65%), 77.0 (15%).

IR (ATR): 3388 (broad s), 3063 (w), 3028 (m), 2936 (s), 2869 (s), 1692 (m), 1604 (w), 1497 (m), 1454 (m), 1362 (m), 1235 (w), 1175 (m), 1030 (s), 940 (w), 748 (m), 700 (s) cm⁻¹.



(1-(Azido-¹⁵N)-2-fluoroethyl-2-¹³C)benzene (58)

A solution of (1-bromo-2-fluoroethyl-2-¹³*C*)benzene (**57**) (1.60 g; 7.88 mmol) and sodium azide-1-¹⁵*N* (500 mg; 7.7 mmol) in DMF (20 mL) was stirred at ambient temperature for 3 hours. GC-MS indicated complete conversion at this point. The reaction mixture was partitioned between water (300 mL) and ether (200 mL). The aqueous phase was extracted with an additional portion of ether (200 mL). The combined organic phases were washed with water (200 mL) and brine (200 mL), dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure (bath temperature 40 °C; pressure 50 mbar). 1.21 g (95%) of yellowish liquid was obtained. Crude product was used in the next step without further purification. The analytical sample was obtained by column chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc with gradient 1/0 to 10/1, v/v).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.45 – 7.37 (multiple peaks, 3H), 7.37 – 7.32 (m, 2H), 4.89 – 4.22 (multiple peaks, 3H) ppm. ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: -217.43 (dtd, J = 178.8, 47.0, 14.2 Hz) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 134.58 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz), 129.15, 127.34, 127.33, 85.50 (high intensity d, *J* = 179.0 Hz), 65.16 (dd, *J* = 41.2, 19.5 Hz) ppm.

GC-MS (EI, 75 eV): m/z 167.0 ([M⁺], 5%), 133.0 (55%), 104.0 (60%), 77.1 (100%).

IR (ATR): 3066 (w), 3034 (w), 2946 (w), 2899 (w), 2105 (s), 1493 (w), 1455 (m), 1313 (m), 1260 (s), 997 (s), 869 (m), 757 (m), 700 (s) cm⁻¹.

N-(2-Fluoro-1-phenylethyl-2-¹³C)trifluoroacetamide-¹⁵*N* (59)

A suspension of $(1-(azido^{-15}N)-2-fluoroethyl-2-^{13}C)$ benzene (**58**) (1.13g; 6.84 mmol) and Pd/C (10%; 150 mg) in MeOH (30 mL) and aq. HCl (12 M; 1 mL) was stirred under 4 bars of hydrogen overnight. The suspension was filtered through a pad of celite and evaporated under reduced pressure. The amorphous residue was dissolved in EtOH (50 mL) and toluene (100 mL) and evaporated again. The residue was dissolved in dry MeCN (100 mL). DIPEA (5.5 mL; 30 mmol) was added and solution was cooled to -20 °C. TFAA (1.9 mL; 14 mmol) was added dropwise. The solution was allowed to warm to room temperature over a period of 2 hours. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was partitioned between EtOAc (300 mL) and aq. HCl (1 M; 200 mL). The organic phase was washed with sat. aq. NaHCO₃ (100 mL) and brine (100 mL), dried over anhydrous MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc with gradient 1/0 to 8/1, v/v). 1.05 g (65%) of white solid was obtained.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 7.54 – 7.30 (multiple peaks, 5H), 6.95 (dd, *J* = 92.5, 8.1 Hz, 1H), 5.28 (dsx, *J* = 23.4, 3.8 Hz, 1H), 5.10 – 4.29 (multiple peaks, 2H) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: -75.74 (s, 3F), -227.00 (dtd, *J* = 177.1, 47.7, 24.3 Hz, 1F) ppm.

¹⁵N NMR (41 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 114.08 ppm (from ${}^{1}H/{}^{15}N$ HSQC).

¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 156.91 (qd, *J* = 36.8, 18.7 Hz), 135.64 (d, *J* = 3.4 Hz), 129.20, 128.87, 126.92, 115.72 (qd, *J* = 288.0, 10.8 Hz), 83.86 (high intensity d, *J* = 177.0 Hz), 53.82 (ddd, *J* = 39.4, 19.0, 10.2 Hz) ppm.

HRMS (m/z ESI⁻): calculated for C₉¹³CH₈¹⁵NOF₄ [M-H⁺] 236.0546, found 236.0557.

IR (ATR): 3255 (broad s), 3093 (m), 2896 (m), 1694 (s), 1548 (m), 1457 (w), 1186 (s), 1090 (w), 986 (m), 762 (m), 700 (m) cm⁻¹.

M.p.: 92-93 °C.

FH2¹³C COOH

3-Fluoro-2-(trifluoroacetamido)propanoic-3-13C-15N acid (60)

A suspension of *N*-(2-fluoro-1-phenylethyl-2-¹³*C*)trifluoroacetamide-¹⁵*N* (**59**) (1.00 g; 4.25 mmol), RuCl₃ (180 mg; 0.87 mmol) and NalO₄ (15 g; 70 mmol) in EtOAc (30 mL), MeCN (30 mL) and water (30 mL) was stirred intensively overnight. The reaction mixture was filtered through a pad of celite. The filtrate was partitioned between EtOAc (200 mL) and aq. HCl (1 M; 200 mL). The aqueous phase was extracted with additional EtOAc (4 x 50 mL). The combined organic phases were dried over MgSO₄ and evaporated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc with gradient 10/1 to 0/1, v/v). TLC was developed with 5% MeOH in EtOAc ($R_f \sim 0.35$). 560 mg (65%) of white solid was obtained.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, acetone-d₆) δ: 8.78 (dd, J = 94.7, 7.9 Hz, 1H), 5.11 – 4.41 (multiple peaks, 3H) ppm.

¹⁹**F NMR** (376 MHz, acetone-d₆) δ: -76.32 (s, 3F), -229.01 (dtd, J = 171.1, 47.1, 27.5 Hz, 1F) ppm.

¹⁵N NMR (41 MHz, acetone-d₆) δ: 108.70 ppm (from ¹H/¹⁵N HSQC).

¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, acetone-d₆) δ: 168.71 (d, J = 7.1 Hz), 157.92 (qd, J = 37.5, 17.3 Hz), 116.91 (qd, J = 286.9, 11.6 Hz), 82.72 (high intensity d, J = 171.8 Hz), 54.24 (ddd, J = 39.5, 20.3, 12.1 Hz) ppm.

HRMS (m/z ESI⁻): calculated for C₄¹³CH₄¹⁵NO₃F₄ [M-H⁺] 204.0131, found 204.0134.

IR (ATR): 3286 (s), 3077(w), 2954 (w), 1705 (s), 1550 (m), 1464 (w), 1448 (w), 1189 (s), 1165 (s), 1011 (m), 922 (w), 900 (w) cm⁻¹.

M.p.: 98-99 °C.



3-Fluoro-alanine-3-13C-15N (61)

3-Fluoro-2-(trifluoroacetamido)propanoic- $3^{-13}C^{-15}N$ acid (**60**) (530 mg; 2.61 mmol) was refluxed for 3 hours in aq. HCl (4 M; 20 mL). The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The amorphous residue was dissolved in water (20 mL). The resulting solution was carefully neutralized with aq. NaHCO₃ to pH 5.5 ... 6. The neutralized solution was filtered and evaporated under reduced pressure. The crystalline residue was suspended in anhydrous MeOH (~5 mL) and sonicated for 5 minutes. The reaction product was collected by filtration, washed with methanol (2 x 2 mL) and dried under reduced pressure. 258 mg (92%) of bright white solid was obtained. NMR analysis of the product showed that no further purification was required.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, D₂O) δ: 5.22 - 4.58 (multiple peaks, 2H), 4.11 (apparent ddt, J = 29.8, 4.9, 2.6 Hz, 1H) ppm.

¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, D₂O) δ: -229.23 (dtd, *J* = 169.5, 46.7, 29.7 Hz) ppm.

¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, D₂O) δ: 170.51 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz), 82.03 (high intensity d, *J* = 169.3 Hz), 54.93 (ddd, *J* = 38.7, 19.7, 5.0 Hz) ppm.

HRMS (m/z ESI⁻): calculated for C₂¹³CH₅¹⁵NO₂F [M-H⁺] 108.0308, found 108.0306.

IR (ATR): 3063 (broad s), 2910 (w), 2747 (w), 2612 (w), 2107 (m), 1610 (s), 1419 (m), 1353 (m), 1305 (m), 1244 (w), 1166 (m), 1090 (m), 1012 (m), 955 (m), 903 (m), 846 (m), 638 (m), 564 (m)cm⁻¹.

M.p.: 150 °C with decomposition.

NMR, HRMS and IR Spectra for Intermediates and Products








IR(ATR) spectrum of *tert*-Butyl 5-hydroxy-4-(hydroxymethyl)pentanoate (4)



¹³C{¹H} NMR spectrum of *tert*-Butyl 5-((methylsulfonyl)oxy)-4-(((methylsulfonyl)oxy)methyl)pentanoate (5) (CDCl₃)



HRMS of tert-Butyl 5-((methylsulfonyl)oxy)-4-(((methylsulfonyl)oxy)methyl)pentanoate (5)

 MS: Waters Synapt G2-Si
 Capillary, kV:
 0.7
 LC: Acquity UPLC H-Class
 Column:
 Acquity UPLC BEH C18

 ESI+
 Cone, V:
 40
 2.1x50mm, 1.7µm

Sample:

HRMS_2019_09_324	1150 Silaks OSM6-SA-130				
MS_POS_RES_4min	ACN_Form_5-98_040_4min	1:F,7	1.000000	MS_Tune	Col#43

Elemental Composition Report:

Tolerance = 5.0 PPM / DBE: min = -1.5, max = 90.0 Element prediction: Off Number of isotope peaks used for i-FIT = 3

Monoisotopic Mass, Even Electron Ions 159 formula(e) evaluated with 2 results within limits (all results (up to 1000) for each mass) Elements Used: C: 0-50 H: 1-60 O: 0-10 Na: 0-1 S: 1-2

Mass	RA	Calc. Mass	mDa	PPM	DBE	i-FIT	Norm	Conf(%)	Formula
383.0825	100.00	383.0810	1.5	3.9	0.5	281.8	0.044	95.67	C12 H24 O8 Na S2
		383.0834	-0.9	-2.3	3.5	284.8	3.139	4.33	C14 H23 O8 S2

1150 Silaks OSM6-SA-130



IR(ATR) spectrum of tert-Butyl 5-((methylsulfonyl)oxy)-4-(((methylsulfonyl)oxy)methyl)pentanoate (5)



OSM6-SA_130







GC-MS of *tert*-butyl 5-fluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoate (6)





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210 200 190 180 170 160 150 140 130 120 110 100 90 80 70 60 50 40 30 20 10 0 -10 -20 f1 (ppm)

HRMS of 5-fluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoic acid (7)

220







OSM6-AM-PENtF2



¹³ C{ ¹ H} NN	/R spectrum of (S)-4-benzyl-3-(5-fluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoyl)oxazolidin-2-one (8) (CDCl ₃)									
	$ \begin{array}{c} -172.52 \\ -1135.29 \\ -1135.29 \\ -1135.29 \\ -1129.12 \\ -129.12 \\ -129.12 \\ -127.54 \\ -127.54 \\ -127.54 \\ -127.54 \\ -25.27 \\ -21.07 \\ -21.07 \\ -21.02 \\ -21.02 $									
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	HRMS of (S)-4-benzyl-3-(5-fluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoyl)oxazolidin-2-one (8) MS: Waters Synapt G2-Si ESI+ Cone, V: 40 LC: Acquity UPLC H-Class Column: Acquity UPLC BEH C18 2.1x50mm, 1.7μm									
	Sample: HRMS_2019_09_228 1124 Silaks OSM6-SA-EVANS1 MS_POS_RES_4min ACN_Form_5-98_040_4min 1:E,2 1.000000 MS_Tune Col#43									
	Elemental Composition Report:									
	Tolerance = 5.0 PPM / DBE: min = -1.5, max = 50.0 Element prediction: Off Number of isotope peaks used for i-FIT = 3									
	Monoisotopic Mass, Even Electron Ions 240 formula(e) evaluated with 1 results within limits (up to 3 closest results for each mass) Elements Used: C: 0-65 H: 1-140 N: 0-6 O: 0-16 F: 2-2									
	Mass RA Calc. Mass mDa PPM DBE i-FIT Norm Conf(%) Formula 312.1419 100.00 312.1411 0.8 2.6 6.5 851.3 n/a n/a C16 H20 N O3 F2									
	1124 Silaks OSM6-SA-EVANS1 HRMS_2019_09_228 733 (2.096) Cm (732:758-(708:720+794:799)) 100 495.6680 340.1014 178.0876									
	272.1295 312.1419 341.1005 486.6813 497.1672									





¹⁹F NMR spectrum of (S)-3-((S)-2-azido-5-fluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoyl)-4-benzyloxazolidin-2-one (**9**) (CDCl₃)





HRMS of (S)-3-((S)-2-azido-5-fluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoyl)-4-benzyloxazolidin-2-one (9)



IR(ATR) spectrum of (S)-3-((S)-2-azido-5-fluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoyl)-4-benzyloxazolidin-2-one (9)













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Spectra of compounds in Scheme 2





MS: Waters Synapt G2-Si Capillary, kV: 0.7 LC: Acquity UPLC H-Class Column: Acquity UPLC BEH C18 ESI+ Cone, V: 40 2.1x50mm, 1.7µm Sample: HRMS_2019_11_293 1483 Maleckis OSM6-AF-ASF MS_POS_RES_4min ACN_Form_5-98_040_4min 2:F,5 1.000000 MS_Tune Col#43 Elemental Composition Report: Tolerance = 5.0 PPM / DBE: min = -1.5, max = 50.0 Element prediction: Off Number of isotope peaks used for i-FIT = 3 Monoisotopic Mass, Even Electron Ions 30 formula(e) evaluated with 1 results within limits (all results (up to 1000) for each mass) Elements Used: C: 1-50 H: 1-100 O: 1-10 F: 1-1 Na: 1-1 mDa PPM DBE Mass RA Calc. Mass i-FIT Norm Conf(%) Formula 100.00 329.1376 C14 H23 O6 F Na 329.1385 0.9 2.72.5 183.5 n/a n/a

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HRMS_2019_11_293 801 (2.288) Cm (797:807-(771:782+882:904)) 273.0757 1: TOF MS ES+ 7.04e6 100 329.1385 255.0845 % 311.1476 330.1413 274.0783 312.1511 219.1749 275.0793 331.1432 n m/z דייי 220 240 280 300 320 340 360 200 260 380 400









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	H	RMS of <i>tert</i> -b	outyl 4,5-dif	luoro-4	-(fluorc	omethy	I)pentanoate	(\$3)
MS: Waters S ESI+	ynapt G2-S	<i>i</i> Capillary, kV: Cone, V:	4.0 40	LC: Acc	quity UP	LC H-Cla	ss Column:	-
<i>Sample:</i> HRMS_2021_(MS_POS_RES_	03_733 5 _1min_infu:	78 Maleckis OS sion_bez_mob_	M6-AM-F745 _f		0.0000	00	MS_Tune_4kV	
Elemental Co	omposition	Report:						
Tolerance = 5.0 P Element predictio Number of isotop	PPM / DBE: on: Off he peaks used :	r min = -1.5, max = for i-FIT = 5	= 50.0					
Monoisotopic Ma 132 formula(e) ev Elements Used: C: 0-100 H: 0-1	ass, Even Elec valuated with 10 N: 0-20	tron Ions 1 results within lin O: 0-20 F: 3-3	nits (up to 5 close Na: 1-1	est results f	òr each m	ass)		
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MS: Waters Synapt G2-Si ESI-	Capillary, kV: Cone, V:	2.5 40	LC: Acquity UPLC H-Class	Column: -
Sample: HRMS_2021_03_734 579 MS_NEG_RES_1min_infusi	9 Maleckis OSM6- on_bez_mob_f	AM-F748	0.000000 N	IS_Tune
Elemental Composition I	Report:			
Folerance = 5.0 PPM / DBE: n Element prediction: Off Number of isotope peaks used fo	min = -1.5, max = 50.0 r i-FIT = 5	)		
Monoisotopic Mass, Even Electro 56 formula(e) evaluated with 1 re Elements Used:	on Ions esults within limits (up	p to 5 closest	results for each mass)	

C: 0-100 H: 0-110 N: 0-20 O: 0-20 F: 3-3

Mass	RA	Calc. Mass	mDa	PPM	DBE	i-FIT	Norm	Conf(%)	Formula
169.0474	100.00	169.0476	-0.2	-1.2	1.5	1357.5	n/a	n/a	C6 H8 O2 F3







-235.8

-234.6

-234.2

-235.0

-235.4



27.0 26.5 f1 (ppm)  1 H/ 13 C HSQC NMR spectrum of (S)-4-benzyl-3-(4,5-difluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoyl)oxazolidin-2-one (S5) (CDCl₃)



MS: Waters Synapt G2-Si	Capillary, kV:	0.7	LC: Acquity UPLC H-Class	Column: -
ESI+	Cone, V:	40		

### Sample:

HRMS_2021_05_060 846 Maleckis OSM6-AM-749 MS_POS_RES_1min_infusion_bez_mob_f

0.000000 MS_Tune



IR(ATR) spectrum of (S)-4-benzyl-3-(4,5-difluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoyl)oxazolidin-2-one (S5)







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HRMS of (S)-3-((S)-2-azido-4,5-difluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoyl)-4-benzyloxazolidin-2-one (S6)

MS: Waters Synapt G2-Si ESI+	Capillary, kV: Cone, V:	0.7 40	LC: Acquity UPLC H-Class	Column: -
<i>Sample:</i> HRMS_2021_05_061 847 MS_POS_RES_1min_infusion Elemental Composition F	' Maleckis OSM6- on_bez_mob_f Report:	AM-752	0.000000 M	S_Tune
Tolerance = 5.0 PPM / DBE: m Element prediction: Off Number of isotope peaks used for Monoisotopic Mass, Even Electro 545 formula(e) evaluated with 2 r Elements Used: C: 0-100 H: 0-110 N: 0-15 (	in = -1.5, max = 50.0 $\cdot$ i-FIT = 5 on Ions esults within limits (to D: 0-15 Na: 1-1 F	) 1p to 5 closes : 3-3	t results for each mass)	

Mass	RA	Calc. Mass	mDa	PPM	DBE	i-FIT	Norm	Conf(%)	Formula
393.1151	100.00	393.1150	0.1	0.3	8.5	602.2	1.742	17.52	C16 H17 N4 O3 Na F3
		393.1137	1.4	3.6	3.5	600.7	0.193	82.48	C15 H21 O7 Na F3



### IR(ATR) spectrum of (S)-3-((S)-2-azido-4,5-difluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoyl)-4-benzyloxazolidin-2-one (S6)





¹H/¹³C HSQC NMR of (S)-3-((S)-2-(Boc-amino)-4,5-difluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoyl)-4-benzyloxazolidin-2-one (S7)





HRMS of (S)-3-((S)-2-(Boc-amino)-4,5-difluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoyl)-4-benzyloxazolidin-2-one (S7)

MS: Waters Syı ESI+	napt G2-S	i Capillary, k Cone, V:	V: 0.7 40	7	LC: Acc	quity UP	LC H-Clas	s Column:	Acquity UPLC BEH C18 2.1x50mm, 1.7μm	3
S <b>ample:</b> IRMS_2021_05 MS_POS_RES_4	_039 84 min A	48 Maleckis C CN_Form_5-9	)SM6-AN 98_040_4	1-753 1min	1:D,1	1.0000	000	MS_Tune	Col#66	
Elemental Cor	nposition	Report:								
olerance = 5.0 PPI Element prediction Number of isotope	M / DBE: Off peaks used f	min = -1.5, max for i-FIT = 5	a = 50.0							
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IR(ATR) spectrum of (S)-3-((S)-2-(Boc-amino)-4,5-difluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoyl)-4-benzyloxazolidin-2-one (S7)





5.1 5.0 4.9 4.8 4.7 4.6 4.5 4.4 4.3 4.2 4.1 4.0 3.9 3.8 3.7 3.6 3.5 3.4 3.3 3.2 3.1 3.0 2.9 2.8 2.7 2.6 2.5 2.4 2.3 2.2 2.1 2.0 1.9 1.8 1.7 1.6 1.5 1.4 1.3 1.2 fl (ppm)







HRMS of (S)-2-((tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-4,5-difluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoic acid (S8)

MS: Waters Synapt G2-Si	Capillary, kV:	2.5	LC: Acquity UPLC H-Class	Column:	Acquity UPLC BEH C18
ESI-	Cone, V:	40			2.1x50mm, 1.7μm

#### Sample:

HRMS_2021_05_139 896 Maleckis OSM6-AM-F754 MS_NEG_RES_4min ACN_Form_5-98_040_4min 1:E,3 1.000000 MS_Tune Col#66

### Elemental Composition Report:

Tolerance = 5.0 PPM / DBE: min = -1.5, max = 50.0 Element prediction: Off Number of isotope peaks used for i-FIT = 5

Monoisotopic Mass, Even Electron Ions 276 formula(e) evaluated with 2 results within limits (up to 5 closest results for each mass) Elements Used: C: 0-100 H: 0-110 N: 0-15 O: 0-15 F: 3-3

Mass	RA	Calc. Mass	mDa	PPM	DBE	i-FIT	Norm	Conf(%)	Formula
284.1117	100.00	284.1123	-0.6	-2.1	7.5	744.7	0.014	98.57	C12 H13 N5 F3
		284.1110	0.7	2.5	2.5	749.0	4.246	1.43	C11 H17 N O4 F3



IR(ATR) spectrum of (S)-2-((tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-4,5-difluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoic acid (S8)









HRMS of (S)-2-amino-4,5-difluoro-4-(fluoromethyl)pentanoic acid hydrochloride (14)

MS: Waters Syn ESI+	iapt G2-Si	i Capillary, kV Cone, V:	: 0.7 40	LC: Ac	quity UP	PLC H-Class	Column:	Acquity 2.1x50m	UPLC BEH C18 1m, 1.7μm
<i>Sample:</i> HRMS_2021_05 MS_POS_RES_4	_133 89 min A0	98 Maleckis OS CN_Form_5-98	5M6-AM-F75 3_040_4min	6 1:E,5	1.0000	000 N	/IS_Tune	Col#66	
Elemental Corr	nposition	Report:							
Tolerance = 5.0 PPN Element prediction: Number of isotope p	M / DBE: Off beaks used f	$\min = -1.5, \max =$ for i-FIT = 5	= 50.0						
Monoisotopic Mass, 73 formula(e) evalu: Elements Used: C: 0-100 H: 0-110	, Even Elect ated with 1 N: 0-15	ron Ions results within lim O: 0-15 F: 3-3	its (up to 5 close	est results fo	or each ma	uss)			
Mass 1 186.0747	RA Ca 100.00 18	alc. Mass 36.0742	mDa PPM 0.5 2.7	DBE 0.5	i-FIT 314.3	Norm C n/a n	Conf(%) /a	Formula C6 H11	a N O2 F3
898 Maleckis C HRMS_2021_05_ 100_	<b>)SM6-AM</b> _133 144 (0 2	l <b>-F756</b> ).428) Cm (144:	151-95:113)						1: TOF MS E 2.7
- 18 - 18	6.0747								
	187.0776	5							
100	200	300 400	500	600	700	800	900	1000	1100







-169 -170 -171 -172 -173 -174 -175 -176 -177 -178 -179 -180 -181 -182 -230 -231 -232 -233 -234 -235 -236 -237 -238 -239 -240 -241 -242 -243 f1 (ppm)



MS: Waters Sy ESI+	napt G2-Si	Capillary, kV: Cone, V:	0.7 40	LC: Acq	uity UP	LC H-Class	Column:	Acquity UPLC BEH C18 2.1x50mm, 1.7μm	
<i>Sample:</i> HRMS_2021_0! MS_POS_RES_4	5_134 89 4min A(	99 Maleckis OSM6 CN_Form_5-98_04	-AM-F758 10_4min	1:E,6	1.0000	00 N	/IS_Tune	Col#66	
Elemental Con	mposition	Report:							
Tolerance = 5.0 PP Element prediction Number of isotope	'M / DBE: i: Off peaks used f	min = -1.5, max = 50.0 or i-FIT = 5	D						
Monoisotopic Mass, Even Electron Ions 273 formula(e) evaluated with 2 results within limits (up to 5 closest results for each mass) Elements Used: C: 0-100 H: 0-110 O: 0-15 F: 3-3 14N: 0-10 15N: 0-10									
Mass 187.0721	RA Ca 100.00 18	alc. Mass mDa 37.0721 0.0	• PPM 0.0	DBE 1.5	i-FIT 628.6	Norm C 2.499 8	Conf(%) 5.21	Formula C4 H9 F3 14N2 15N3	

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626.2

0.086

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C6 H11 O2 F3 15N



188.0750

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— m/z

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IR(ATR) spectrum of 4,5,5'-trifluoro-*L*-leucine- $^{15}N$  (CD₃OD)



### Spectra of compounds in Scheme 3





¹⁹F NMR spectrum of 5,5'-difluoro-*L*-leucine- 5,5'-¹³C₂-¹⁵N (**18**) (CD₃OD)



70 60 50 40 30 20 10 0 -10 -20 -30 -40 -50 -60 -70 -80 -90 -100 -110 -120 -130 -140 -150 -160 -170 -180 -190 -200 -210 -220 -230 -240 -250 -260 -270 f1 (ppm)









## 1 H/ 15 N HMBC NMR spectrum of 5,5'-difluoro-*L*-leucine- 5,5'- $^{13}C_{2}$ - $^{15}N$ (**18**) (CD₃OD)



# Spectra of compounds in Scheme 4



¹⁹F NMR spectrum of (S)-2-Amino-5-fluoro-4-(fluoromethyl-d₂)pentanoic-5,5-d₂ acid hydrochloride (**20**) (CD₃OD)



70 60 50 40 30 20 10 0 -10 -20 -30 -40 -50 -60 -70 -80 -90 -100 -110 -120 -130 -140 -150 -160 -170 -180 -190 -200 -210 -220 -230 -240 -250 -260 -270 fl (ppm)

¹³C{¹H} NMR spectrum of (S)-2-Amino-5-fluoro-4-(fluoromethyl-d₂)pentanoic-5,5-d₂ acid hydrochloride (**20**) (CD₃OD)



HRMS of (S)-2-Amino-5-fluoro-4-(fluoromethyl-d₂)pentanoic-5,5-d₂ acid hydrochloride (20) (CD₃OD)

MS: Waters S ESI+	ynapt G2	Si Capillary, Cone, V:	kV:	0.7 40	LC: Ac	quity UF	PLC H-Cla	ss Column:	Acquity UPLC BEH C18 2.1x50mm, 1.7μm
<i>Sample:</i> HRMS_2021_0 MS_POS_RES_	08_325 4min	1501 Malecki ACN_Form_5	s OSM6 -98_04(	-AM-868 )_4min	1:E,8	1.0000	000	MS_Tune	Col#66
Elemental Co	mpositic	on Report:							
Tolerance = 5.0 P Element predictio Number of isotop	PM / DB n: Off e peaks use	E: min = -1.5, ma 1 for i-FIT = 5	ax = 50.0						
Monoisotopic Ma 4729 formula(e) e Elements Used: C: 0-100 1H: 1-	ss, Even Elevaluated w	ectron Ions th 3 results with -10 N: 0-10	in limits ( D: 0-10	up to 5 clo F: 2-2 N	sest results a: 0-1	for each	mass)		
Mass	RA	Calc. Mass	mDa	PPM	DBE	i-FIT	Norm	Conf(%)	Formula
173.1156	100.00	173.1154	0.2	1.2	0.5	575.5	2.457	8.57	C2 1H7 2H3 N7 F2
		173.1152	0.4	2.3	0.5	575.0	1.876	15.31	C4 1H7 2H4 N4 O F2
		173.1150	0.6	3.5	0.5	573.4	0.273	76.12	C6 1H7 2H5 N O2 F2
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¹⁹F NMR spectrum of (*S*)-2-Amino-5-fluoro-4-(fluoromethyl-d₂)pentanoic-4,5,5-d₃ acid hydrochloride (**22**) (CD₃OD)



70 60 50 40 30 20 10 0 -10 -20 -30 -40 -50 -60 -70 -80 -90 -110 -120 -130 -140 -150 -160 -170 -180 -190 -200 -210 -220 -230 -240 -250 -260 -270 f1 (ppm)





HRMS of (S)-2-Amino-5-fluoro-4-(fluoromethyl- $d_2$ )pentanoic-4,5,5- $d_3$  acid hydrochloride (22) (CD₃OD)

### **Elemental Composition Report**

#### **Single Mass Analysis**

Tolerance = 5.0 mDa / DBE: min = -1.5, max = 50.0 Element prediction: Off Number of isotope peaks used for i-FIT = 3

Monoisotopic Mass, Even Electron Ions

247 formula(e) evaluated with 3 results within limits (up to 3 best isotopic matches for each mass) Elements Used: C: 1-80 1H: 0-10 2H: 0-4 N: 1-3 O: 1-3 F: 0-2

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HRMS_2021_10_303 133 (0.398) Cm (132:137-154:157)



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OSI/FOKL-MS

1: TOF MS ES+

Synapt G2-Si



## Spectra of compounds in Scheme 5





### HRMS of diethyl 2-(4-methoxybenzylidene)malonate (23)



1/cm








, 70 f1 (ppm) 

MS: Waters Sy ESI+	napt G2	- <b>Si</b> Capillary, k Cone, V:	V: 0. 40	7	LC: Acq	uity UP	LC H-Clas	ss Column:	Acquity U 2.1x50m	JPLC BEH C18 m, 1.7μm
Sample: HRMS_2019_10 MS_POS_RES_4	0_095 Imin	1171 Silaks OS ACN_Form_5-9	M6-SA-A 98_040_4	NSIS-O 4min	SM 1:D,3	1.0000	000	MS_Tune	Col#43	
Elemental Com	position	Report:								
Tolerance = 5.0 PP Element prediction Number of isotope	M / DB : Off peaks use	E: min = -1.5, max d for i-FIT = 3	a = 90.0							
Monoisotopic Mas 30 formula(e) evalu Elements Used: C: 0-50 H: 1-60	s, Even El uated with O: 1-10	ectron Ions l results within lir S: 2-2 Na: 1-1	nits (up to	3 closes	t results for	each ma	ss)			
Mass 375.0555	RA 100.00	Calc. Mass 375.0548	mDa 0.7	PPM 1.9	DBE 3.5	i-FIT 267.3	Norm n/a	Conf(%) n/a	Formula C13 H20	07 S2 Na
Mass 375.0555 <b>1171 Silaks OS</b> HRMS_2019_10_ 100_	RA 100.00 M6-SA-J 095 674 (	Calc. Mass 375.0548 ANSIS-OSM (1.929) Cm (674:6	mDa 0.7 88-(639:6	PPM 1.9 50+716:	DBE 3.5 728)) 37	i-FIT 267.3	Norm n/a	Conf(%) n/a	Formula C13 H20	07 S2 Na 1: TOF MS ES+ 6.04e6
Mass 375.0555 1171 Silaks OS HRMS_2019_10_ 100_	RA 100.00 <b>M6-SA-</b> 095 674 (	Calc. Mass 375.0548 ANSIS-OSM (1.929) Cm (674:6	mDa 0.7 88-(639:6	PPM 1.9 50+716:	DBE 3.5 728)) 37	i-FIT 267.3	Norm n/a	Conf(%) n/a	Formula C13 H20	07 S2 Na 1: TOF MS ES+ 6.04e6
Mass 375.0555 1171 Silaks OS HRMS_2019_10_ 100 100 	RA 100.00 M6-SA 095 674 ( 16 3.	Calc. Mass 375.0548 ANSIS-OSM (1.929) Cm (674:6 1.0968 193.9425 195.9380 234.3	mDa 0.7 88-(639:6	PPM 1.9 50+716:	DBE 3.5 728)) 37: 370.099( 52.0650	5.0555 3376.057	Norm n/a 78 98.1305	Conf(%) n/a 504.9806 5	Formula C13 H20	07 S2 Na 1: TOF MS ES+ 6.04e6

# IR(ATR) spectrum of 2-(4-methoxybenzyl)propane-1,3-diyl dimethanesulfonate (S9) (23)











70 60 50 40 30 20 10 0 -10 -20 -30 -40 -50 -60 -70 -80 -90 -100 -110 -120 -130 -140 -150 -160 -170 -180 -190 -200 -210 -220 -230 -240 -250 -260 -270 f1 (ppm)



## HRMS of 4-fluoro-3-(fluoromethyl)butanoic acid (26)



1/cm



70 60 50 40 30 20 10 0 -10 -20 -30 -40 -50 -60 -70 -80 -90 -100 -110 -120 -130 -140 -150 -160 -170 -180 -190 -200 -210 -220 -220 -250 -260 -270 f1 (ppm)

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	HRM MS: Wat ESI+ Sample: HRMS_20 MS_POS_ Elementa Tolerance = Element pre Number of 1 Monoisotop 204 formula Elements U C: 1-50 H	AS of (S ers Synap 019_11_29 RES_4min I Composi 5.0 PPM / diction: Off isotope peak vic Mass, Ev (e) evaluate sed: :: 1-100 N:	5)-4-benz t G2-Si Cap Cor 25 1484 M a ACN_F6 ition Report 7 DBE: min = 7 ss used for i-F1 en Electron Ior ad with 1 result : 1-10 O: 1-1	yl-3-(4-flu sillary, kV: ne, V: laleckis OSM form_5-98_04 : -1.5, max = 50: T = 3 as s within limits ( 0 F: 2-2	UOTO-3-( 0.7 40 6-AF-F179 10_4min 0	fluorc LC: Acc 2:F,6	omethyl) quity UPLC 1.000000	buta <b>H-Clas</b>	anoyl)oxa ss Column MS_Tune	zolidin- : Acquity 2.1x50r Col#4:	2-one ( <b>27</b> ) γ UPLC BEH C18 mm, 1.7μm		
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 ¹⁹F NMR spectrum of (S)-3-((S)-2-azido-4-fluoro-3-(fluoromethyl)butanoyl)-4-benzyloxazolidin-2-one (28) (CDCl₃)

 ¹⁹F NMR spectrum of (S)-3-((S)-2-azido-4-fluoro-3-(fluoromethyl)butanoyl)-4-benzyloxazolidin-2-one (28) (CDCl₃)



70 60 50 40 30 20 10 0 -10 -20 -30 -40 -50 -60 -70 -80 -90 -100 -10 -120 -130 -140 -150 -160 -170 -180 -190 -200 -210 -220 -230 -240 -250 -260 -270 fl (ppm)



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IR(ATR) spectrum of (S)-3-((S)-2-azido-4-fluoro-3-(fluoromethyl)butanoyl)-4-benzyloxazolidin-2-one (28)



¹H NMR spectrum of *tert*-butyl ((S)-1-((S)-4-benzyl-2-oxooxazolidin-3-yl)-4-fluoro-3-(fluoromethyl)-1-oxobutan-2-



¹⁹F NMR spectrum of *tert*-butyl ((S)-1-((S)-4-benzyl-2-oxooxazolidin-3-yl)-4-fluoro-3-(fluoromethyl)-1-oxobutan-2yl)carbamate (**29**) (CDCl₃)



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HRMS of tert-butyl ((S)-1-((S)-4-benzyl-2-oxooxazolidin-3-yl)-4-fluoro-3-(fluoromethyl)-1-oxobutan-2-yl)carbamate



IR(ATR) spectrum of *tert*-butyl ((*S*)-1-((*S*)-4-benzyl-2-oxooxazolidin-3-yl)-4-fluoro-3-(fluoromethyl)-1-oxobutan-2yl)carbamate (**29**)





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HRMS of (S)-2-((tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-4-fluoro-3-(fluoromethyl)butanoic acid (30) MS: Waters Synapt G2-Si Capillary, kV: LC: Acquity UPLC H-Class Column: Acquity UPLC BEH C18 2.5 ESI-2.1x50mm, 1.7µm Cone, V: 40 Sample: HRMS_2019_12_215 1566 Maleckis OSM6-AM-193 MS_NEG_RES_4min_ACN_Form_5-98_040_4min_2:C,1_5.000000 MS Tune Col#43 Elemental Composition Report: Tolerance = 10.0 PPM / DBE: min = -1.5, max = 50.0 Element prediction: Off Number of isotope peaks used for i-FIT = 3 Monoisotopic Mass, Even Electron Ions 137 formula(e) evaluated with 1 results within limits (all results (up to 1000) for each mass) Elements Used: C: 1-30 H: 1-100 N: 1-10 O: 1-10 F: 2-2 Mass RA Calc. Mass mDa PPM DBE i-FIT Norm Conf(%) Formula 252.1058 100.00 252.1047 189.5 C10 H16 N O4 F2 1.1 4.4 2.5 n/a n/a 1566 Maleckis OSM6-AM-193 HRMS_2019_12_215 647 (1.822) Cm (647:655-(619:626+701:709)) 1: TOF MS ES-527.2015 4.97e6 100 814.2537 352.0316 % 816.2496 138.0197 178.0325 737.1704 528.2036 335.0279 252,1058 817.2499 353.0329 94.0298 588.1414 260.9772 487.0642 663.0956 179.0350 828.2932 n - m/z 100 200 300 400 500 600 700 800 900





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### IR(ATR) spectrum of (S)-2-amino-4-fluoro-3-(fluoromethyl)butanoic acid hydrochloride (31)



# Spectra of compounds in Scheme 6











OSM6_AM-F890







		HR	MS of 3-(4	4-metho	xypheny	l)-2-me	thylpro	pyl met	thanesulfor	nate ( <b>S11</b>	)	
MS: Wa ESI+	aters Sy	mapt G2	- <b>Si</b> Capilla Cone,	ry, kV: V:	0.7 40	LC: Ac	quity UP	LC H-Cla	iss Column	n: -		
Sample HRMS_2 MS_POS Elemen	: 2021_0 S_RES_: ntal Co	3_425 1min_in mpositie PM / DE	491 Malec fusion_bez_ on Report: BE: min = -1.5	kis OSM6 _mob_f . max = 50.0	-AM-F735	ì	0.0000	000	MS_Tune			
Element p Number o	prediction of isotope	n: Off peaks use ss. Even E	ed for i-FIT =	5								
279 form Elements C: 0-100	ula(e) eva Used: H: 0-11	aluated wi	th 1 results wi	thin limits ( S: 1-1 Na	up to 5 close 1: 1-1	est results :	for each m	ass)				
Mass 281 0820	0	RA 100.00	Calc. Mass	mDa	PPM	DBE	i-FIT 255 4	Norm n/a	Conf(%)	Formu C12 H	la 18 O4 S Na	
<b>491 Ma</b> HRMS_2 100	118.977	<b>OSM6-</b> <i>I</i> 8_425 233 7	AM-F735 3 (0.705) Cm 281.0820 282.084	(233:242) 3							1: TOF MS 4	ES+ .97e4
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#### GC-MS of 1-(3-fluoro-2-methylpropyl)-4-methoxybenzene (36)



70 60 50 40 30 20 10 0 -10 -20 -30 -40 -50 -60 -70 -80 -90 -100 -110 -120 -130 -140 -150 -160 -170 -180 -190 -200 -210 -220 -230 -240 -250 -260 -270 f1 (ppm)


## HRMS of 4-fluoro-3-methylbutanoic acid (37)



IR(ATR) spectrum of 4-fluoro-3-methylbutanoic acid (37)





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~1:1 mixture of diastereomers







MS: Waters Synapt G2-Si	Capillary, kV:	0.7	LC: Acquity UPLC H-Class	Column:	Acquity UPLC BEH C18
ESI+	Cone, V:	40			2.1x50mm, 1.7μm

### Sample:

HRMS_2021_09_267	1614 Maleckis OSM6-AM-F740	)			
MS_POS_RES_4min	ACN_Form_5-98_040_4min	1:D,3	1.000000	MS_Tune	Col#66

### Elemental Composition Report:

Tolerance = 5.0 PPM / DBE: min = -1.5, max = 50.0 Element prediction: Off Number of isotope peaks used for i-FIT = 5

Monoisotopic Mass, Even Electron Ions 399 formula(e) evaluated with 2 results within limits (all results (up to 1000) for each mass) Elements Used: C: 0-100 H: 0-120 N: 0-5 O: 0-10 F: 0-1

Mass	RA	Calc. Mass	mDa	PPM	DBE	i-FIT	Norm	Conf(%)	Formula
280.1345	100.00	280.1349	-0.4	-1.4	6.5	425.5	0.000	99.98	C15 H19 N O3 F
		280.1338	0.7	2.5	10.5	434.1	8.596	0.02	C18 H18 N O2

### 1614 Maleckis OSM6-AM-F740



## IR(ATR) spectrum of (4S)-4-benzyl-3-(4-fluoro-3-methylbutanoyl)oxazolidin-2-one (38)



OSM6-AM-F740

¹H NMR spectrum of *tert*-butyl ((2*S*,3*R*)-1-((*S*)-4-benzyl-2-oxooxazolidin-3-yl)-4-fluoro-3-methyl-1-oxobutan-2-



¹⁹F NMR spectrum of *tert*-butyl ((2*S*,3*R*)-1-((*S*)-4-benzyl-2-oxooxazolidin-3-yl)-4-fluoro-3-methyl-1-oxobutan-2yl)carbamate (**40**) (CDCl₃)



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¹³C{¹H} NMR spectrum of *tert*-butyl ((2*S*,3*R*)-1-((*S*)-4-benzyl-2-oxooxazolidin-3-yl)-4-fluoro-3-methyl-1-oxobutan-2-



	RT	Area	% Area	Height	EP Plate Count	Resolution	Selectivity	Width @ 50%	K Prime
1	4.053	14796	2.14	2091	6720			0.116	0.287
2	4.486	296297	42.82	36849	7891	2.170	1.479	0.119	0.424
3	5.188	21528	3.11	2585	8603	3.309	1.526	0.132	0.647
4	5.491	359366	51.93	47316	11193	1.409	1.149	0.122	0.743









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IR(ATR) of tert-butyl ((25,35)-1-((5)-4-benzyl-2-oxooxazolidin-3-yl)-4-fluoro-3-methyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)carbamate (41)





70 60 50 40 30 20 10 0 -10 -20 -30 -40 -50 -60 -70 -80 -90 -100 -110 -120 -130 -140 -150 -160 -170 -180 -190 -200 -210 -220 -230 -240 -250 -260 -270 fl (ppm)



Sample:											
HRMS_2021_0 MS_NEG_RES	09_280 _4min	1619 Malec ACN_Form_	kis OSM6-/ _5-98_040_	AM-F893 _4min	-1 1:D,8	1.0000	000	MS_Tune	Col#	<b>‡</b> 66	
Elemental Co	ompositio	on Report:									
Tolerance = 5.0 P Element prediction Number of isotop Monoisotopic Ma	PPM / DE on: Off oe peaks use ass, Even E	BE: $\min = -1.5$ , ed for i-FIT = 5 lectron Ions	max = 50.0								
130 formula(e) ev Elements Used: C: 1-100 H: 1-1	valuated wit	th 1 results with 5 O: 1-5 F: 0	nin limits (all )-1	results (up	to 1000)	for each	mass)				
Mass 234.1150	RA 100.00	Calc. Mass 234.1142	mDa 0.8	PPM 3.4	DBE 2.5	i-FIT 460.2	Norm n/a	Conf(%) n/a	Form C10	nula H17 N O	94 F
1619 Maleckis HRMS_2021_09_ 100-	<b>OSM6-AM</b> 280 656 (1.8	<b>-F893-1</b> 346) Cm (656:66	5-(627:639+7)	07:714))	491.21	89					1: TOF MS E 6.39
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1/cm





MS: Waters Synapt G2-Si	Capillary, kV:	2.5	LC: Acquity UPLC H-Class	Column:	Acquity UPLC BEH C18
ESI-	Cone, V:	40			2.1x50mm, 1.7μm

Sample:

HRMS_2021_09_277	1618 Maleckis OSM6-AM-F893	1-2			
MS_NEG_RES_4min	ACN_Form_5-98_040_4min	1:D,7	5.000000	MS_Tune	Col#66

### Elemental Composition Report:

Tolerance = 5.0 PPM / DBE: min = -1.5, max = 50.0 Element prediction: Off Number of isotope peaks used for i-FIT = 5

Monoisotopic Mass, Even Electron Ions 130 formula(e) evaluated with 1 results within limits (all results (up to 1000) for each mass) Elements Used: C: 1-100 H: 1-120 N: 1-5 O: 1-5 F: 0-1

Mass	RA	Calc. Mass	mDa	PPM	DBE	i-FIT	Norm	Conf(%)	Formula
234.1149	100.00	234.1142	0.7	3.0	2.5	523.9	n/a	n/a	C10 H17 N O4 F





70 60 50 40 30 20 10 0 -10 -20 -30 -40 -50 -60 -70 -80 -90 -110 -120 -130 -140 -150 -160 -170 -180 -190 -200 -210 -220 -230 -240 -250 -260 -270 fl (ppm)



MS: Waters Synapt G2-Si ESI+	Capillary, kV: Cone, V:	0.7 40	LC: Acquity UPLC H-Class	s Column:	Acquity UPLC BEH C18 2.1x50mm, 1.7μm
<i>Sample:</i> HRMS_2021_09_298 16 MS_POS_RES_4min Add	521 Maleckis OSM CN_Form_5-98_04	6-AM-F896 10_4min	16-1 1:E,4 10.000000	MS_Tune	Col#66
Elemental Composition	Report:				
Tolerance = 5.0 PPM / DBE: Element prediction: Off Number of isotope peaks used f	min = -1.5, max = 50. or i-FIT = 5	0			
Monoisotopic Mass, Even Elect 56 formula(e) evaluated with 2 i Elements Used: C: 1-100 H: 1-120 N: 1-5	ron Ions results within limits (a D: 1-5 F: 0-1	ill results (up	to 1000) for each mass)		
Mass RA Ca 136.0768 100.00 13 13	llc. Mass mD 6.0774 -0.6 6.0762 0.6	a PPM -4.4 4.4	DBE         i-FIT         Norm         0           0.5         658.9         0.010         9           4.5         663.5         4.640         0	Conf(%) 99.03 0.97	Formula C5 H11 N O2 F C8 H10 N O
<b>1621 Maleckis OSM6</b> HRMS_2021_09_298 125 90.0717 100 136.0768	<b>AM-F896-1</b> 5 (0.376) Cm (121:	148-(203:2	229+55:74))		1: TOF MS ES+ 4.11e5
»- -			481.1079		
23	6.0006 327.065	5349.0470	392.0436 482.1109 54	9.0944	
0- hh -// -/- 50 100 150 2	<del>Կլ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,</del>	350	400 450 500 550	600 650	700 750 800 m/z
I	R(ATR) spectru	m of (2 <i>S</i> ,	5,3 <i>R</i> )-4-fluorovaline hy	drochloride	e ( <b>42</b> )
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30		^ //			
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MS: Waters Sy ESI+	napt G2-Si	Capillary, k\ Cone, V:	/: 0.7 40	LC: Acq	uity UPLC I	H-Class	Column:	Acquity UPLC BEH C18 2.1x50mm, 1.7μm
<i>Sample:</i> HRMS_2021_09 MS_POS_RES_4	9_297 16 min AC	20 Maleckis ( N_Form_5-9	DSM6-AM-F8 8_040_4min	95-2 1:E,3	10.000000	) MS_	_Tune	Col#66
Elemental Cor	nposition	Report:						
Folerance = 5.0 PP Element prediction	M / DBE:1 : Off	$\min = -1.5, \max$	= 50.0					
Number of isotope	peaks used fo s. Even Electi	or i-FIT = 5 ron Ions						
56 formula(e) evalu Elements Used: C: 1-100 H: 1-120	uated with 1 r 0 N: 1-5 (	esults within lim D: 1-5 F: 0-1	uits (all results (u	ıp to 1000) fo	or each mass)			
Mass 36.0770	RA Ca 100.00 13	llc. Mass 6.0774	mDa PPM -0.4 -2.9	DBE 0.5	i-FIT No 788.6 n/a	orm Con a n/a	f(%)	Formula C5 H11 N O2 F
620 Malaaki	- OSM6	AM E905 2						
HRMS_2021_0	9_297 129	(0.387) Cm (	129:135-(176	6:181+104:	108))			1: TOF MS ES
100								2.04
136	5.0770							
%								
				481.1	098			
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	IR(	ATR) spect	rum of (25	5,3S)-4-fl	uorovalir	ne hydro	ochloride	e ( <b>43</b> )
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			$\wedge$	٠.		А		
			<u>+</u>	07.95	<u>5</u>			
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+						7,43		888,85 <u>,</u>
						1623, 158		33,67
	Y	man -	         	·			22	835,14
3405	80 090	74,26	     				8,12	938,66
	@	59				174	152	121

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1/cm

# Spectra of compounds in Scheme 7





## **Elemental Composition Report**

Single Mass Analysis

Tolerance = 5.0 mDa / DBE: min = -1.5, max = 50.0 Element prediction: Off Number of isotope peaks used for i-FIT = 3

Monoisotopic Mass, Even Electron Ions 193 formula(e) evaluated with 5 results within limits (up to 3 best isotopic matches for each mass) Elements Used: 12C: 1-10 13C: 1-5 H: 0-100 N: 1-3 O: 1-3 F: 0-1

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HRMS_2021_10	_307 119 (0.360)	Cm (119:121-(105	:108+149:152))
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100-	91.0	752									
%_			137	.0805							
57.0532 7	2.0767	92.0780 / 117	.0746	138.0824	18	1.0437	195.0289	226.9772		262.0681	282.0757 290.9231
60	80	100	120	140	160	180	200	220	240	260	280
Minimum: Maximum:		5.0	10.0	-1.5 50.0							
Mass 137.0805	Calc. Mas 137.0807 137.0796 137.0837	ss mDa -0.2 0.9 -3.2	PPM -1.5 6.6 -23.3	DBE 0.5 4.5 0.5	Conf(%) 49.81 30.16 20.03	Formu 12C4 12C7 12C2	1a 13C H11 13C H10 13C2 H11	N 02 F N 0 N2 03			

# IR(ATR) spectrum of (2S, 3R)-4-fluorovaline-4-¹³C hydrochloride (46)



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OSI/FOKL-MS

Synapt G2-Si 1: TOF MS ES+ 1.17e+005





## **Elemental Composition Report**

Single Mass Analysis

Tolerance = 5.0 mDa / DBE: min = -1.5, max = 50.0 Element prediction: Off Number of isotope peaks used for i-FIT = 3

Monoisotopic Mass, Even Electron Ions 193 formula(e) evaluated with 4 results within limits (up to 3 best isotopic matches for each mass) Elements Used: H: 0-100 N: 1-3 O: 1-3 F: 0-1 12C: 1-10 13C: 1-5

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HRMS_2021_10_305 119 (0.360) Cm (119:120-(106:108+147:149))



### IR(ATR) spectrum of (2*S*,3*S*)-4-fluorovaline-4-¹³*C* hydrochloride (**47**)



OSI/FOKL-MS

1: TOF MS ES+

Synapt G2-Si

# Spectra of compounds in Scheme 8











70 60 50 40 30 20 10 0 -10 -20 -30 -40 -50 -60 -70 -80 -90 -100 -110 -120 -130 -140 -150 -160 -170 -180 -190 -200 -210 -220 -230 -240 -250 -260 -270 f1 (ppm)



MS: Waters Synapt G2-Si	Capillary, kV:	0.7
ESI+	Cone. V:	40

LC: Acquity UPLC H-Class Column: -

#### Sample:

HRMS_2021_08_373 1502 Maleckis OSM6-AM-871 MS_POS_RES_1min_infusion_bez_mob_f

0.000000 MS_Tune

Elemental Composition Report:

Tolerance = 5.0 PPM / DBE: min = -1.5, max = 50.0 Element prediction: Off Number of isotope peaks used for i-FIT = 5

Monoisotopic Mass, Even Electron Ions 19173 formula(e) evaluated with 9 results within limits (up to 7 closest results for each mass) Elements Used: C: 0-100 1H: 1-105 2H: 1-10 N: 0-10 O: 0-10 F: 1-1 Na: 0-1

Mass	RA	Calc. Mass	mDa	PPM	DBE	i-FIT	Norm	Conf(%)	Formula
238.1499	100.00	238.1500	-0.1	-0.4	2.5	707.0	3.444	3.19	C6 1H2 2H10 N5 O2 F Na
		238.1502	-0.3	-1.3	2.5	708.5	4.953	0.71	C4 1H2 2H9 N8 O F Na
		238.1503	-0.4	-1.7	2.5	704.9	1.343	26.12	C11 1H13 2H5 O4 F
		238.1505	-0.6	-2.5	2.5	705.8	2.232	10.74	C9 1H13 2H4 N3 O3 F
		238.1492	0.7	2.9	4.5	705.5	2.019	13.27	C10 1H10 2H5 N4 F Na
		238.1507	-0.8	-3.4	2.5	706.8	3.298	3.70	C7 1H13 2H3 N6 O2 F
		238.1490	0.9	3.8	4.5	704.4	0.861	42.28	C12 1H10 2H6 N O F Na



IR(ATR) spectrum of N-(2-fluoro-2-(methyl- $d_3$ )-1-phenylpropyl-3,3,3- $d_3$ )acetamide (50)




70 60 50 40 30 20 10 0 -10 -20 -30 -40 -50 -60 -70 -80 -90 -100 -110 -120 -130 -140 -150 -160 -170 -180 -190 -200 -210 -220 -230 -240 -250 -260 -270 f1 (ppm)



MS: Waters Synap ESI+	ot G2-Si	Capillary, kV: Cone, V:	4.0 40	LC: Ac	LC: Acquity UPLC H-Class		ss Column:	Acquity UPLC BEH C18 2.1x50mm, 1.7μm		
<i>Sample:</i> HRMS_2021_08_3 MS_POS_RES_4min	43 150 n AC	03 Maleckis O N_Form_5-98	SM6-AM-8 _040_4mii	372 n 1:F,2	1.0000	000	MS_Tune_4kV	Col#66		
Elemental Compo	osition l	Report:								
Tolerance = 5.0 PPM / DBE: min = -1.5, max = 50.0 Element prediction: Off Number of isotope peaks used for i-FIT = 5 Monoisotopic Mass, Even Electron Ions 12630 formula(e) evaluated with 9 results within limits (up to 5 closest results for each mass) Elements Used: C: 0-100 1H: 1-105 2H: 1-10 N: 0-10 O: 0-10 F: 1-1 Na: 0-1										
Mass RA 206.1074 100	Cal 200 200 200 200 200 200 200	lc. Mass r 5.1075 - 5.1073 0 5.1076 - 5.1071 0 5.1078 -	nDa PPI 0.1 -0.5 0.2 -1.0 0.3 1.5 0.4 -1.9	M DBE 5 5.5 5.5 0 1.5 5.5 9 1.5	i-FIT 626.6 628.0 628.5 628.3 628.4	Norm 0.566 1.972 2.435 2.221 2.331	Conf(%) 56.76 13.92 8.76 10.85 9.72	Formula C3 1H 2H5 N10 F C5 1H 2H6 N7 O F C7 1H6 2H6 N O3 F Na C7 1H 2H7 N4 O2 F C5 1H6 2H5 N4 O2 F Na		









70 60 50 40 30 20 10 0 -10 -20 -30 -40 -50 -60 -70 -80 -90 -100 -110 -120 -130 -140 -150 -160 -170 -180 -190 -200 -210 -220 -230 -240 -250 -260 -270 f1 (ppm)



MS: Waters Synapt G2-Si ESI-	Capillary, kV: Cone, V:	2.5 40	LC: Acquity UPLC H-Class	Column: -
<i>Sample:</i> HRMS_2021_08_368 150 MS_NEG_RES_1min_infusi	05 Maleckis OSM on_bez_mob_f	6-AM-878	0.000000 N	ЛS_Tune
Elemental Composition I	Report:			
Tolerance = 5.0 PPM / DBE: n Element prediction: Off Number of isotope peaks used fo	nin = -1.5, max = 50. r i-FIT = 5	0		
Monoisotopic Mass, Even Electro 3315 formula(e) evaluated with 2 Elements Used: C: 0-100 N: 0-10 O: 0-10 F	on Ions Presults within limits : 1-1 Na: 0-1 1H:	(up to 5 close 1-105 2H:	est results for each mass) 1-10	

Mass	RA	Calc. Mass	mDa	PPM	DBE	i-FIT	Norm	Conf(%)	Formula
140.0988	100.00	140.0986	0.2	1.4	3.5	1420.8	0.915	40.06	C9 F 1H11 2H
		140.0994	-0.6	-4.3	1.5	1420.4	0.512	59.94	C5 N O2 F 1H3 2H6





### Spectra of compounds in Scheme 9



# HRMS of 2-phenylacetic-1-13C acid (55)

MS: Waters Synapt G2-Si ESI-	i Capillary, kV: Cone, V:	2.5 40	LC: Acc	uity UPL	C H-Clas	s Column:	Acquity UPLC BEH C18 2.1x50mm, 1.7μm
Sample: HRMS_2021_01_547 14 MS_NEG_RES_4min Add	48 Maleckis OSM6 CN_Form_5-98_04	-AM-F696 10_4min	1:F,2	1.00000	00	MS_Tune	Col#66
Elemental Composition	Report:						
Tolerance = 5.0 PPM / DBE: Element prediction: Off Number of isotope peaks used f	min = -1.5, max = 50. For i-FIT = 5	0					
Monoisotopic Mass, Even Elect 439 formula(e) evaluated with 2 Elements Used: H: 0-100 N: 0-15 O: 0-30	ron Ions 2 results within limits ( 12C: 1-50 13C: 0-2	up to 5 close	st results f	or each mas	ss)		
Mass RA Ca 136.0477 100.00 13 13	alc. Mass mDa 36.0480 -0.3 36.0471 0.6	a PPM -2.2 4.4	DBE 5.5 1.5	i-FIT 655.6 655.9	Norm 0.534 0.883	Conf(%) 58.64 41.36	Formula H7 O2 12C7 13C H6 N5 O3 12C
<b>148 Maleckis OSM6-AM-I</b> HRMS_2021_01_547 817 (2.3 10028	<b>F696</b> 293) Cm (813:823-78 4.1522 415.1431	9:800)					1: TOF MS ES- 1.71e5
× 136.0477		447.0811					
91.0550	285.1549	487.0739 488.0775	5	717.303	33 18.3066 _		
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	IR(ATR) spe	ectrum of	2-pher	nylacetic	c-1- ¹³ C	acid ( <b>55</b> )	
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20	3084.91					8,80	
.20	3000 2750	2500	2250	2000	1750	≝ 	250 1000 750







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IR(ATR) spectrum of 2-phenylethan-1-ol-1-¹³C (S16)





### GC-MS of 2-phenylethyl-1- $^{13}C$ methanesulfonate (S17)













IR(ATR) spectrum of (2-fluoroethyl-2-¹³C)benzene (56)







### GC-MS of (1-bromo-2-fluoroethyl-2-¹³C)benzene (57)



IR(ATR) spectrum of (1-bromo-2-fluoroethyl-2-¹³C)benzene (57)













MS: Waters Sy ESI-	ynapt G2-Si	Capillary, k\ Cone, V:	/: 2. 40	5 )	LC: Acq	juity UP	LC H-Clas	s Column:	Acquity U 2.1x50mn	PLC BEH C18 n, 1.7μm	
Sample: HRMS_2021_0 MS_NEG_RES_	02_046 16 _4min AC	5 Maleckis O N_Form_5-9	SM6-AN 8_040_	И-F704 4min	1:C,1	5.0000	00	MS_Tune	Col#66		
Elemental Composition Report:											
Single Mass Analysis Tolerance = 5.0 PPM / DBE: min = -1.5, max = 50.0 Element prediction: Off Number of isotope peaks used for i-FIT = 5											
Monoisotopic Ma 1593 formula(e) e Elements Used: 12C: 1-50 - 13C:	ss, Even Electr valuated with 3	on Ions results within 1	limits (up	to 5 clos	est results	for each r	nass)				
120.1-50 150.	0-2 11.0-100	14N. 0-10	131 <b>N</b> . 0-2	0.0-15	1.44						
Mass 235.0579	Calc. Mass 235.0576 235.0575 235.0584	mDa 0.3 0.4 -0.5	PPM 1.3 1.7 -2 1	DBE 5.5 2.5 1.5	i-FIT 149.7 152.5 149.6	Norm 0.780 3.574 0.667	Conf(%) 45.86 2.81 51.33	Formu 12C9 12C H 12C4	ila 13C H8 14N 15 14N8 15N H8 14N4 15	1 O F4 12 F4 N O2 F4	
	233.0301	0.5	2.1	1.0	149.0	0.007	51.55	1201	110 1 11 1 10	110211	
Mass 236.0557	Calc. Mass 236.0555 236.0559 236.0546	mDa 0.2 -0.2 1.1	PPM 0.8 -0.8 4.7	DBE 1.5 5.5 0.5	i-FIT 109.7 109.4 109.8	Norm 1.392 1.082 1.518	Conf(%) 24.85 33.90 21.91	Formu 12C4 12C7 12C6	ıla H8 14N3 15 H6 14N5 F4 H10 14N O4	N2 O2 F4 I F4	
	236.0546	1.1	4.7	5.5	110.0	1.643	19.33	12C9	13C H8 15N	OF4	
165 Maleckis ( HRMS_2021_02 100 219	<b>DSM6-AM-F</b> _046 715 (2.0 216.0499 5.0519	<b>704</b> 08) Cm (714:71	19-(674:6	84+749:	757))					1: TOF MS ES- 1.30e6	
%											
-	236.0	)557									
68.9953											
0- <u> </u> -,+-,-,+ 100		300 40	0 0	500	600	700	800	900	1000	1100 m/z	
165 Maleckis ( HRMS 2021 02	<b>OSM6-AM-F</b> 046 715 (2.0	<b>704</b> 08) Cm (714:71	19-(674:6	84+749:	757))					1: TOF MS ES-	
100					236.0	557				3.92e5	
				23	5.0579						
%											
0-			•			237.058	4			m/z	
227 2	28 229 2	30 231 23	2 233	234	235 23	6 237	238 23	9 240 241	242 243	244 245	





70 60 50 40 30 20 10 0 -10 -20 -30 -40 -50 -60 -70 -80 -90 -100 -110 -120 -130 -140 -150 -160 -170 -180 -190 -200 -210 -220 -230 -240 -250 -260 -270 f1 (ppm)





MS: Waters Sy ESI-	mapt G2-Si	Capillary, kV Cone, V:	2.5 40	LC: Acc	uity UP	LC H-Class	Column:	Acquity UPLC BEH C18 2.1x50mm, 1.7μm		
<i>Sample:</i> HRMS_2021_0 MS_NEG_RES_	2_048 16 4min AC	6 Maleckis OS N_Form_5-98	M6-AM-F707 3_040_4min	1:C,2	5.0000	00 N	1S_Tune	Col#66		
Elemental Composition Report:										
Single Mass Analysis Tolerance = 5.0 PPM / DBE: min = -1.5, max = 50.0 Element prediction: Off Number of isotope peaks used for i-FIT = 5										
Monoisotopic Mas 752 formula(e) eva Elements Used:	ss, Even Electro aluated with 4	on Ions results within lin	nits (up to 5 close	st results f	or each m	ass)				
12C: 1-50 13C: 0	0-2 H: 0-100	14N: 0-10 1	5N: 0-2 O: 0-15	F:4-4						
Mass 203.0161	Calc. Mass 203.0161 203.0161 203.0152 203.0170	mDa 0.0 0.0 0.9	PPM DBE   0.0 7.5   0.0 2.5   4.4 3.5   -4.4 3.5	i-FIT 1130.3 1100.9 1116.7 1103 5	Norm 29.436 0.071 15.905 2.677	Conf(%) 0.00 93.12 0.00 6.88	Formu 12C7 12C4 12C 1 12C2	ıla 13C2 H2 15N F4 13C H4 14N O3 F4 3C H 14N5 15N O F4 13C H2 14N3 15N2 O F4		
	20010170	0.5		1100.0	2.077	0.00	1202			
Mass 204.0134	Calc. Mass 204.0131	mDa 1 0.3	PPM DBE 1.5 2.5	i-FIT 991.8	Norm n/a	Conf(%) n/a	Formu 12C4	ıla 13C H4 15N O3 F4		
<b>166 Maleckis (</b> HRMS_2021_02 100 68.9949	204.0134 204.0134 2058.94	707 50) Cm (446:46) 430.018 388 348.9357 87	0-355:370) 460.9502 461.9507 36 462.9539	66 663.97	65.9720 47 666.97	720 ⁸ 712.9742	869.9932 891.97	1: TOF MS ES- 1.82e6		
0- <u> </u> ++- 100	++ ₊ + ++ ++ ++ 200	, <del>ام وال الجميع المعام العام (1991)</del> 300 400	<del>۴ ۲ ۲۰۰۰ ۴۳ ۲۰۰۴ ۴۰۰ ۴۰</del> 500	600	700	800	<del>، ب ، ۹، ۹، ۹، ۲۰ ، ۲۰ ، ۲۰</del> 900	1000 1100 m/z		
166 Maleckis ( HRMS_2021_02_ 100 	<b>DSM6-AM-F</b> _048 446 (1.20	<b>707</b> 60) Cm (446:46)	D-355:370) 203	.0161 204	205.01	68		1: TOF MS ES- 8.59e5		
0 193 194	195 196 1	97 198 199	200 201 202	2 203 2	203.01	206 207	208 209 2	210 211 212 213 214 m/z		



# IR(ATR) spectrum of 3-fluoro-2-(trifluoroacetamido)propanoic- $3^{-13}C^{-15}N$ acid (60)


70 60 50 40 30 20 10 0 -10 -20 -30 -40 -50 -60 -70 -80 -90 -100 -110 -120 -130 -140 -150 -160 -170 -180 -190 -200 -210 -220 -230 -240 -250 -260 -270 fl (ppm)



MS: Waters Synapt G2- ESI-	<b>6</b> Capillary, kV: Cone, V:	2.5 40	LC: Acq	quity UP	LC H-Class	Column:	Acquity UPLC BEH C18 2.1x50mm, 1.7μm
Sample:   HRMS_2021_02_050 167 Maleckis OSM6-AM-F711   MS_NEG_RES_4min ACN_Form_5-98_040_4min 1:C,3 5.000000 MS_Tune Col#66							
Elemental Composition Report:							
Single Mass Analysis Tolerance = 5.0 PPM / DBE: min = -1.5, max = 50.0 Element prediction: Off Number of isotope peaks used for i-FIT = 5							
Monoisotopic Mass, Even Electron Ions 214 formula(e) evaluated with 1 results within limits (up to 5 closest results for each mass) Elements Used: 12C: 1-50 13C: 0-2 H: 0-100 14N: 0-10 15N: 0-2 O: 0-15 F: 1-1							
Mass Calc. Mas 107 0335 107 0338	s mDa PPI	M DBE	i-FIT 357 6	Norm n/a	Conf(%) n/a	Formula 12C2 13C H5 14N O2 F	
10,0000		110	00,10	12.00			
MassCalc. Mas108.0306108.0308	s mDa PP1 -0.2 -1.9	M DBE 0 1.5	i-FIT 316.0	Norm n/a	Conf(%) n/a	Formula 12C2 13C H5 15N O2 F	
<b>167 Maleckis OSM6-AM-F711</b> HRMS_2021_02_050 114 (0.335) Cm (113:122-(90:100+129:145)) 1: TOF MS ES- 238.0545 4.16e5 238.0545 4.16e5 315.9969 108.0306 $315.9969108.0306$ $315.9969108.0306$ $316.9952379.0247$ $567.0862$ $635.0740766.0939100$ 200 300 400 500 600 700 800 900 1000 1100 m/z							
HRMS_2021_02_050 114 (0.335) Cm (113:122-(90:100+129:145)) 1: TOF MS ES- 107_035 108.0306 1 1865							
100 ~ ~		107.	0335				

IR(ATR) spectrum of 3-fluoro-alanine- $3^{-13}C^{-15}N$  (61)

