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## Experimental Section. Data description and procedures

General Considerations. All chemicals were provided by Enamine Ltd. (www.enamine.net). All solvents were treated according to standard methods. All reactions were monitored by thinlayer chromatography (TLC) and were visualized using UV light. Product purification was performed using HPLC: AGILENT 1260 INFINITY, a column Chromatorex C18 SMB 100-5T, $100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}$, 5 microm; PuriFlash XS420 Plus or by distillation under a reduce pressure. ${ }^{1}$ H NMR spectra were recorded at 400, 500 or 600 MHz (Varian); ${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}$-NMR spectra were recorded at 376 MHz (Varian) and ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR spectra were recorded at 100,126 or 151 MHz (Varian). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR chemical shifts are calibrated using residual undeuterated solvents $\mathrm{CHCl}_{3}(\delta=7.26 \mathrm{ppm})$ or DMSO ( $\delta=2.50 \mathrm{ppm}$ ). ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$-NMR chemical shifts for ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$-NMR are reported relative to the central $\mathrm{CHCl}_{3}(\delta=77.16 \mathrm{ppm})$ or DMSO ( $\delta=39.52 \mathrm{ppm}$ ). Coupling constants are given in Hz. High-resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were recorded on an Agilent LC/MSD TOF mass spectrometer by electrospray ionization time of flight reflectron experiments

## General procedure A (ethyl-3-phenylbut-2-enoate (2) as an example)



## Ethyl-3-phenylbut-2-enoate (2)

To a solution of ethyl 2-(diethoxyphosphoryl)acetate ( $100.00 \mathrm{~g}, 0.51 \mathrm{~mol}, 1.33$ equiv) in THF (700 mL ) was added dropwise $n$ - $\mathrm{BuLi}\left(2.5 \mathrm{M}, 204 \mathrm{~mL}, 0.51 \mathrm{~mol}, 1.33\right.$ equiv) at $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ under argon over 15 min . The resulting mixture was stirred for 15 min at the same temperature, and then a solution of acetophenone ( $45.60 \mathrm{~g}, 0.38 \mathrm{~mol}, 1.00$ equiv) in THF ( 100 mL ) was added dropwise at the same temperature over 15 min . The mixture was warmed to room temperature and left at this temperature for 16 h . The mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure and diluted with water ( 300 mL ). The solution was extracted with $\mathrm{MeO} t \mathrm{Bu}(2 \times 300 \mathrm{~mL})$. The combined organic layers were dried over $\mathrm{Na}_{2} \mathrm{SO}_{4}$, filtered and concentrated under reduced procure. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=55-56{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1 \mathrm{mmHg}$ ). Yield: $64.60 \mathrm{~g}, 0.34 \mathrm{~mol}, 90 \%$, colorless oil. A (trans + cis)-mixture of isomers: $\sim 4: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 7.74-7.40(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.48-$ $6.91(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 6.14(\mathrm{~s}), 5.91(\mathrm{~s}) 1 \mathrm{H}, 4.22(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 4.00(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}) 2 \mathrm{H}, 2.58(\mathrm{~s}), 2.18(\mathrm{~s})$ $3 \mathrm{H}, 1.32(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 1.08(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}) 3 \mathrm{H} \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(101 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 167.0$, 155.6, 155.5, 142.4, 129.1, 128.6, 128.0, 127.9, 126.9, 126.4, 117.9, 117.3, 60.0, 59.9, 27.3, 18.1, 14.5, 14.1 ppm . HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{12} \mathrm{H}_{15} \mathrm{O}_{2}$, 191.1072; found 191.1066.

## General procedure B (1 as an example)



2 (trans+cis)
(a)


LDA

(b) filtration throught a plug of $\mathrm{SiO}_{2}$ 81\% yield


1 (ca. $90 \%$ purity)


Ca. 10\% impurity of a side product SP-1

## Ethyl 2-(1-phenylvinyl)pent-4-enoate (1)

To freshly prepared LDA ( $n$-BuLi, $2.5 \mathrm{M}, 144 \mathrm{~mL}, 0.36 \mathrm{~mol}, 1.25$ equiv and DIPA $36.36 \mathrm{~g}, 0.36$ mol, 1.25 equiv in THF ( 150 mL )) was added ethyl-3-phenylbut-2-enoate (2) ( $55.10 \mathrm{~g}, 0.29 \mathrm{~mol}$, 1.00 equiv) dropwise at $-78^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ under argon over 15 min . The mixture was warmed to $-10^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, then
cooled again to $-78^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and 3-bromoprop-1-ene ( $36.84 \mathrm{~g}, 0.30 \mathrm{~mol}, 1.05$ equiv) was added dropwise at the same temperature over 15 min . The mixture was allowed to warm slowly to $10{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, and a solution of citric acid ( 50 g in 300 mL of water) was added to the mixture. THF was removed under reduced pressure. The residue was extracted with hexane $(2 \times 300 \mathrm{~mL})$. The combined organic layers were washed with water $(2 \times 500 \mathrm{~mL})$, dried over $\mathrm{Na}_{2} \mathrm{SO}_{4}$, filtered through a $\mathrm{SiO}_{2}$ pad $(\sim 5$ $\mathrm{cm}, \mathrm{h}=15 \mathrm{~cm}$ ). The solvent was removed on a rotary evaporator, and the crude product was used in a next step without further purification. Yield: 54.05 g , purity $\sim 90 \%, 0.235 \mathrm{~mol}, 81 \%$, yellow oil.

An analytically pure sample of product $\mathbf{1}$ was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: Rt $=0-6 \mathrm{~min}$, water/acetonitrile, $50-80 \%$, flow $30 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: Chomatorex 18 SMB100-5T, $100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 7.40(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.33(\mathrm{t}, J=7.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.28(\mathrm{t}, J=7.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.85-5.72(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $5.41(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.29(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.07(\mathrm{dd}, J=17.1,1.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.01(\mathrm{~d}, J=10.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.14(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.61(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.9,6.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.71-2.61(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.44(\mathrm{dt}, J=13.0,6.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.20(\mathrm{t}$, $J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 173.3,146.6,141.4,135.6,128.4,127.8$, 126.7, 116.9, 115.0, 60.8, 50.4, 36.3, 14.3 ppm . LCMS (M+H): 231. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: [M + $\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{15} \mathrm{H}_{19} \mathrm{O}_{2}, 231.1385$; found 231.1381.

General procedure C for photocyclization (compound 1a as an example)


1 (ca. $90 \%$ purity)

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\xrightarrow[\substack{\text { (b) distillation } \\ 71 \% \text { yield }}]{\substack{\text { (a) } \mathrm{Ph}_{2} \mathrm{CO} \\ \mathrm{CH}_{3}=368 \mathrm{~nm} \\ \mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{CN}, \mathrm{rt}}}
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Ca. $10 \%$ impurity of a side product SP-2 from diene SP-1


## ( $\pm$ )-Ethyl 1-phenylbicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylate (1a)

The solution of ethyl 2-(1-phenylvinyl)pent-4-enoate ( 52.90 g , purity $90 \%, 0.23 \mathrm{~mol}, 1.00$ equiv) from the previous step and benzophenone ( $4.19 \mathrm{~g}, 0.023 \mathrm{~mol}$, 0.10 equiv) in dry $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{CN}(4 \mathrm{~L})$ was degassed by the bubbling of argon for 15 min . The flask was closed by a septum and irradiated with luminescent UV lamps, 368 nm (24 lamps: Sylvania 368 Blacklight F25/T8/18/BL3368; each lamp has power 25 W ; total power is 600 W ), under stirring at room temperature for 48 h . The reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure to provide the crude product. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=85-86^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1 \mathrm{mmHg}$ ). Yield: 37.49 g , purity $\sim 90 \%, 0.163 \mathrm{~mol}$, $71 \%$, colorless oil.

An analytically pure sample of product 1a was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: Rt $=0-6 \mathrm{~min}$, water $/ \mathrm{MeOH}, 50-80 \%$, flow $30 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: XBridge BEH C18, $100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO-d 6 ): $\delta 7.27$ (t, $J=7.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.18(\mathrm{t}, J=7.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.13(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.94-3.74(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.03(\mathrm{dd}$, $J=8.3,3.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.48(\mathrm{br} . \mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.11(\mathrm{t}, J=9.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.04(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.5,6.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.94$ $(\mathrm{d}, J=10.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.79-1.57(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 0.86(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}(126 \mathrm{MHz}$, DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ : $\delta 174.3,141.8,127.9,126.2,125.7,59.3,57.9,47.5,45.9,37.4,34.5,33.4,13.8 \mathrm{ppm}$. LCMS (M+H): 231. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{15} \mathrm{H}_{19} \mathrm{O}_{2}, 231.1385$; found 231.1377.

Irradiation with 368 nm was performed using 24 lamps ( 25 W each)
"Sylvania 368 Blacklight F25/T8/18/BL3368"
https://www.sylvania-lighting.com/product/en-int/products/0002166/
Irradiation was performed until the disappearance of the starting material (ca. 48h).


## General procedure D (1b as an example)


( $\pm$ )-1-Phenylbicyclo[2.1.1] hexane-2-carboxylic acid (1b)
To a cold solution of $\mathrm{NaOH}\left(13.04 \mathrm{~g}, 0.326 \mathrm{~mol}, 2.00\right.$ equiv) in 100 mL of $\mathrm{EtOH} / \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}(85 / 15 ; \mathrm{v} / \mathrm{v})$ was added a solution of crude $1 \mathbf{1 a}(37.49 \mathrm{~g}$, purity $\sim 90 \%, 0.163 \mathrm{~mol}, 1.00$ equiv) obtained in a previous step in EtOH ( 300 mL ). The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for 12 h , and then the solvents were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was dissolved in 200 mL of water and washed with $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}(2 \times 100 \mathrm{~mL})$. An aqueous layer was acidified with concentrated HCl to $\mathrm{pH} \sim 2$ and extracted with $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}(3 \times 150 \mathrm{~mL})$. The organic layers were combined, dried over $\mathrm{Na}_{2} \mathrm{SO}_{4}$, filtered and evaporated to dryness. The crude product was recrystallized from a hexane-MeOtBu mixture ~9:1. Yield: $23.03 \mathrm{~g}, 0.114 \mathrm{~mol}, 70 \%$, white solid, m.p. $=119-120{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (500 MHz, DMSO-d $)_{6}$ : $\delta 11.81$ (s, 1H), 7.25 (t, $\left.J=7.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}\right), 7.16(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H})$, $2.96(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.5,3.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.44(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.11(\mathrm{t}, J=9.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.07(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.7,6.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $1.89(\mathrm{~d}, J=10.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.78-1.73(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.69-1.63(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.59(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.6,6.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$ ppm. ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz, DMSO-d ${ }_{6}$ ): $\delta$ 176.1, 142.1, 127.9, 126.1, 125.9, 57.5, 47.2, 46.3, 37.6, 34.5, 33.9 ppm . LCMS (M-H): 201. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: [M - H] calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{13} \mathrm{O}_{2}$, 201.0916; found 201.0919.


## Ethyl-2-fluoro-3-phenylbut-2-enoate

General procedure A was used with $(\mathrm{EtO})_{2}(\mathrm{O}) \mathrm{P}-\mathrm{CHF}\left(\mathrm{CO}_{2} \mathrm{Et}\right)$. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=57-58^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1 \mathrm{mmHg}$ ). Yield: $64.06 \mathrm{~g}, 0.308 \mathrm{~mol}, 77 \%$, colorless oil. A mixture of cis+trans-isomers: ~4:1. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 7.42-7.27(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 7.22-7.08(\mathrm{~m}$, $2 \mathrm{H}), 4.34(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 4.05(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}) 2 \mathrm{H}, 2.45(\mathrm{~d}, J=3.5 \mathrm{~Hz}), 2.15(\mathrm{~d}, J=4.4 \mathrm{~Hz}) 3 \mathrm{H}, 1.38$ $(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 1.03(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}) 3 \mathrm{H} \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 162.0(\mathrm{~d}, J=34.6$ $\mathrm{Hz}), 160.8(\mathrm{~d}, J=36.2 \mathrm{~Hz}), 144.4(\mathrm{~d}, J=251.6 \mathrm{~Hz}), 138.7(\mathrm{~d}, J=5.4 \mathrm{~Hz}), 131.5(\mathrm{~d}, J=17.0 \mathrm{~Hz})$, 130.8 (d, $J=11.3 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), 128.5, 128.4, 128.2, 128.1 (d, $J=4.0 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), 127.9, 127.5 (d, $J=3.0 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), 61.5, $61.1,19.5(\mathrm{~d}, J=6.5 \mathrm{~Hz}), 18.4,14.3,13.8 \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta-124.5(\mathrm{~s}),-$
126.4 (s) ppm. LCMS (M+H): 209. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{12} \mathrm{H}_{14} \mathrm{FO}_{2}$, 209.0978; found 209.0971.


Ethyl 2-fluoro-2-(1-phenylvinyl)pent-4-enoate (3)
General procedure B was used. Yield: 41.17 g , purity $\sim 90 \%, 0.166 \mathrm{~mol}, 83 \%$, colorless oil.
An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: $\mathrm{Rt}=0-7 \mathrm{~min}$, water/acetonitrile, $40-65 \%$, flow $30 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: Chomatorex $18 \mathrm{SMB} 100-5 \mathrm{~T}, 100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H} \mathrm{NMR}\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta$ $7.31(\mathrm{~s}, 5 \mathrm{H}), 5.89-5.77(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.61(\mathrm{~d}, J=2.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.42(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.18(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.15(\mathrm{~d}, J=$ $6.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.27-4.10(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.88(\mathrm{t}, J=8.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.84(\mathrm{~d}, J=6.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.19(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 169.6(\mathrm{~d}, J=26.7 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), 146.6 (d, $J=20.2 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), $138.5,130.8(\mathrm{~d}, J=3.2 \mathrm{~Hz}), 128.5,128.2,128.0,120.0,118.4(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.6 \mathrm{~Hz}), 96.8(\mathrm{~d}, J=189.3$ $\mathrm{Hz}), 61.9,40.7(\mathrm{~d}, J=22.3 \mathrm{~Hz}), 14.1 \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta-155.7$ (s) ppm. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{15} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{FO}_{2}, 249.1291$; found 249.1282.

( $\pm$ )-Ethyl 2-fluoro-1-phenylbicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylate (3a)
General procedure C was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=80-81^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1$ mmHg ). Yield: 17.11 g , purity $\sim 90 \%, 0.069 \mathrm{~mol}, 69 \%$, colorless oil.

An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: $\mathrm{Rt}=0-2-9 \mathrm{~min}$, water/acetonitrile, $42-50-80 \%$, flow $30 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: Chomatorex 18 SMB100-5T, $100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta$ $7.30-7.22(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 7.17(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 4.12-3.98(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.65(\mathrm{t}, J=14.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.56$ $(\mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.44-2.37(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.32-2.27(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.17(\mathrm{ddd}, J=27.0,12.2,3.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.01-$ $1.93(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.01(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 171.3(\mathrm{~d}, J=28.8$ $\mathrm{Hz}), 138.6,128.1,127.1,126.7,101.2(\mathrm{~d}, J=204.6 \mathrm{~Hz}), 63.1(\mathrm{~d}, J=21.6 \mathrm{~Hz}), 61.4,43.1(\mathrm{~d}, J=5.0$ $\mathrm{Hz}), 42.7,42.6,42.5(\mathrm{~d}, J=3.3 \mathrm{~Hz}), 33.3,14.1 \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta-159.5(\mathrm{~s})$ ppm. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{15} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{FO}_{2}, 249.1291$; found 249.1283.

( $\pm$ )-2-Fluoro-1-phenylbicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylic acid (3b)
General procedure D was used. Yield: $10.12 \mathrm{~g}, 0.046 \mathrm{~mol}, 71 \%$, white solid, m.p. $=133-134{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (500 MHz, DMSO-d $)$ : $\delta 13.08(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.29(\mathrm{t}, J=7.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.23(\mathrm{t}, J=7.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.15$ $(\mathrm{d}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.51-2.43(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.41-2.32(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.18-2.02(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.01-1.86(\mathrm{~m}$, 2H) ppm. ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR (126 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta 172.2$ ( $\mathrm{d}, J=29.9 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), 138.6, 127.9, 126.8, $126.6,100.2(\mathrm{~d}, J=201.6 \mathrm{~Hz}), 62.1(\mathrm{~d}, J=21.8 \mathrm{~Hz}), 42.7(\mathrm{~d}, J=4.8 \mathrm{~Hz}), 42.6,42.4,42.4,32.6$ ppm. ${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{DMSO}-\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta$-155.8 (s) ppm. LCMS (M-H): 219. HRMS (ESITOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}-\mathrm{H}]^{-}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{12} \mathrm{FO}_{2}, 219.0821$; found 219.0817 .


Ethyl-3-(4-fluorophenyl)but-2-enoate
General procedure A was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=59-60^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1$ mmHg ). Yield: $73.08 \mathrm{~g}, 0.348 \mathrm{~mol}, 87 \%$, colorless oil. A mixture of cis+trans-isomers: $\sim 4: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (500 MHz, $\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 7.52-7.40(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.23-7.14(\mathrm{~m}), 7.11-6.99(\mathrm{~m}) 2 \mathrm{H}, 6.09(\mathrm{~s}), 5.91$ (s) $1 \mathrm{H}, 4.21(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 4.01(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}) 2 \mathrm{H}, 2.55(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 2.16(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.3 \mathrm{~Hz}) 3 \mathrm{H}$, $1.31(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 1.11(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}) 3 \mathrm{H} \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 166.9,165.9$, $164.2,162.5,161.7,154.4,154.3,138.4(\mathrm{~d}, J=3.3 \mathrm{~Hz}), 128.9(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 128.2(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.3 \mathrm{~Hz})$, $118.2,117.3,115.6(\mathrm{~d}, J=21.5 \mathrm{~Hz}), 115.0(\mathrm{~d}, J=21.6 \mathrm{~Hz}), 60.03,59.97,27.3,18.1,14.5,14.2$ ppm. ${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta-113.1$ (s), -114.8 (s) ppm. LCMS (M+H): 209. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{12} \mathrm{H}_{14} \mathrm{FO}_{2}$, 209.0978; found 209.0971.


Ethyl 2-(1-(4-fluorophenyl)vinyl)pent-4-enoate (4)
General procedure B was used. Yield: 39.18 g , purity $\sim 90 \%, 0.158 \mathrm{~mol}, 79 \%$, colorless oil.
An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: $\mathrm{Rt}=0-2-9 \mathrm{~min}$, acetonitrile/water, $38-45-70 \%$, flow $30 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: Chomatorex $18 \mathrm{SMB} 100-5 \mathrm{~T}, 100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H} \mathrm{NMR}\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta$
$7.40-7.32(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.01(\mathrm{t}, J=8.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 5.83-5.70(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.36(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.27(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.07$ $(\mathrm{dd}, J=17.1,1.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.02(\mathrm{~d}, J=10.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.13(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.55(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.6,6.4$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.70-2.59(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.48-2.35(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.19(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 173.2,162.6(\mathrm{~d}, J=246.7 \mathrm{~Hz}), 145.6,137.4,135.4,128.4(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.0 \mathrm{~Hz})$, $117.0,115.3(\mathrm{~d}, J=21.4 \mathrm{~Hz}), 115.1,60.9,50.5,36.1,14.3 \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$ : $\delta-115.4$ (s) ppm. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{15} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{FO}_{2}, 249.1291$; found 249.1287.

( $\pm$ )-Ethyl 1-(4-fluorophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylate (4a)
General procedure C was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=83-84{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1$ mmHg ). Yield: 17.11 g , purity $\sim 90 \%, 0.069 \mathrm{~mol}, 69 \%$, colorless oil.
An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: $\mathrm{Rt}=0-9 \mathrm{~min}$, water/acetonitrile, $50-80 \%$, flow $30 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: Chomatorex 18 SMB100-5T, $100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m}$. A mixture of isomers: $\sim 9: 1$ (the sample contains ca. $10 \%$ of the isomeric 1,5-disubstituted bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 $\left.\mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 7.41-7.08(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.03-6.91(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 4.16-3.87(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.03-2.93(\mathrm{~m}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 2.63-2.50(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.20-2.04(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.83-1.76(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.62(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.8,6.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $1.23(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 0.97(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}) 3 \mathrm{H} \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 175.2,161.6$ $(\mathrm{d}, J=244.0 \mathrm{~Hz}), 138.0(\mathrm{~d}, J=3.0 \mathrm{~Hz}), 128.4(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.9 \mathrm{~Hz}), 127.6(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.9 \mathrm{~Hz}), 114.9(\mathrm{~d}, J=$ $21.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 114.9$ (d, $J=21.2 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), 60.1, 57.9, 56.7, 53.3, 48.7, 46.6, 41.8, 39.9, 38.2, 35.2, 34.0, 30.2, 26.7, 14.4, $14.2 \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta-117.2$ (s), -117.3 (s) ppm. LCMS $(\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}):$ 249. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{15} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{FO}_{2}$, 249.1291; found 249.1283.

( $\pm$ )-1-(4-Fluorophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylic acid (4b)
General procedure D was used. Yield: $8.80 \mathrm{~g}, 0.04 \mathrm{~mol}, 69 \%$, white solid, m.p. $=117-118{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (500 MHz, DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ : $\delta 11.85(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.20(\mathrm{t}, J=6.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.09(\mathrm{t}, J=8.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.97$ (dd, $J=8.8,3.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.45(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.12(\mathrm{t}, J=9.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.04(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.4,6.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.90$ $(\mathrm{d}, J=10.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.76(\mathrm{~d}, J=5.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.70-1.63(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.60(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.3,6.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$ ppm. ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 151 MHz, DMSO-d ${ }_{6}$ ): $\delta 175.9,160.7$ (d, $J=241.7 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), 138.3 (d, $J=2.9 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ),
$127.8(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.0 \mathrm{~Hz}), 114.6(\mathrm{~d}, J=21.0 \mathrm{~Hz}), 56.8,47.2,46.3,37.7,34.4,33.8 \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 376 MHz , DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ : $\delta$-117.4 (s) ppm. LCMS (M-H): 219. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}:[\mathrm{M} \mathrm{-} \mathrm{H}]{ }^{-}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{12} \mathrm{FO}_{2}$, 219.0821; found 219.0819.


Ethyl-3-(4-chlorophenyl)but-2-enoate
General procedure A was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=83-84{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1$ mmHg ). Yield: $0.32 \mathrm{~mol}, 71.68 \mathrm{~g}, 80 \%$, colorless oil. A mixture of cis+trans-isomers: $\sim 4: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 7.40(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.5 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), $7.31(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.7 \mathrm{~Hz}) 2 \mathrm{H}, 7.34(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.6 \mathrm{~Hz}), 7.14$ (d, $J=8.4 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ) 2H, 6.11 (s), 5.91 (s) $1 \mathrm{H}, 4.21(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), $4.01(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}) 2 \mathrm{H}, 2.54(\mathrm{~s}), 2.15$ (s) $3 \mathrm{H}, 1.31(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 1.12(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}) 3 \mathrm{H} \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(101 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta$ $166.8,165.8,154.3,154.1,140.7,139.3,135.1,133.8,128.8,128.5,128.3,127.7,118.4,117.7$, 60.1, 60.0, 27.2, 17.9, 14.5, 14.1 ppm . LCMS (M+H): 225. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{12} \mathrm{H}_{14} \mathrm{ClO}_{2}, 225.0682$; found 225.0674.


Ethyl 2-(1-(4-chlorophenyl)vinyl)pent-4-enoate (5)
General procedure B was used. Yield: 38.54 g , purity $\sim 90 \%, 0.146 \mathrm{~mol}, 73 \%$, colorless oil.
An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: $\mathrm{Rt}=0-5 \mathrm{~min}$, water/acetonitrile, $50-80 \%$, flow $30 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: Chomatorex 18 SMB100-5T, $100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta$ $7.34-7.29(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.12-7.06(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 5.78-5.65(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.02-4.91(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 4.25(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.88(\mathrm{~d}, J=5.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.22(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.32(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}(126$ $\mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ : $\delta 169.2,144.5,141.3,135.9,133.3,128.67,128.65,115.9,60.6,35.5,23.3,14.4$ ppm. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[M+H]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{15} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{ClO}_{2}, 265.0995$; found 265.0988.

( $\pm$ )-Ethyl 1-(4-chlorophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylate (5a)

General procedure C was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=102-103{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, 0.1 mmHg ). Yield: 19.30 g , purity $\sim 90 \%, 0.073 \mathrm{~mol}, 73 \%$, colorless oil.

An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: Rt $=0-5 \mathrm{~min}$, water/acetonitrile, $50-80 \%$, flow $30 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: XBridge BEH C18, OBD $30 \times 100,5 \mu \mathrm{~m} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta 7.33$ $(\mathrm{d}, J=8.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.16(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.92-3.82(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.05(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.8,4.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $2.48(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.12(\mathrm{t}, J=9.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.98(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.5,6.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.93(\mathrm{~d}, J=10.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.77$ $(\mathrm{d}, J=5.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.70-1.62(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 0.89(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $(151 \mathrm{MHz}$, $\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 175.0,136.5(\mathrm{~d}, J=1312.2 \mathrm{~Hz}), 128.2,127.5,60.1,57.9,48.7,46.6,38.1,35.3,34.1$, 14.2 ppm . LCMS (M+H): 265. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{15} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{ClO}_{2}$, 265.0995; found 265.1003.

( $\pm$ )-1-(4-Chlorophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylic acid (5b)
General procedure D was used. Yield: $10.62 \mathrm{~g}, 0.045 \mathrm{~mol}, 75 \%$, white solid, m.p. $=124-125{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (500 MHz, DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ : $\delta 11.89$ ( $\mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}$ ), 7.33 (d, $J=8.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}$ ), 7.19 (d, $J=8.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}$ ), $3.02-2.95(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.46(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.13(\mathrm{t}, J=9.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.02(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.6,6.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.91(\mathrm{~d}, J$ $=10.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.79-1.74(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.69-1.64(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.60(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.6,6.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm}$. ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta 175.8,141.2,130.7,127.9,127.9,56.8,47.2,46.2,37.6$, 34.5, 33.8 ppm . LCMS (M-H): 235. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: [M - H] calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{12} \mathrm{ClO}_{2}$, 235.0526; found 235.0526 .


## Ethyl-3-(4-bromophenyl)but-2-enoate

General procedure A was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=94-95{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1$ mmHg ). Yield: $80.70 \mathrm{~g}, 0.30 \mathrm{~mol}, 76 \%$, yellow oil. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 7.49(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.5$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.34(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 6.11(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.21(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.54(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.31(\mathrm{t}, J=$ $7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(101 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 166.8,154.2,141.2,131.8,128.0,123.3$, 117.7, 60.1, 17.9, 14.5 ppm . LCMS (M+H): 269. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{12} \mathrm{H}_{14} \mathrm{BrO}_{2}, 271.0157$; found 271.0148.


## Ethyl 2-(1-(4-bromophenyl)vinyl)pent-4-enoate (6)

General procedure B was used. Yield: 49.44 g , purity $90 \%, 0.16 \mathrm{~mol}, 80 \%$, yellow oil.
An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: Rt $=0-5 \mathrm{~min}$, water/acetonitrile, $50-90 \%$, flow $60 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: XBridge OBD $30 \times 100,5 \mu \mathrm{~m} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 7.49-7.40(\mathrm{~m}$, $2 \mathrm{H}), 7.30-7.21(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 5.80-5.69(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.40(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.30(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.06(\mathrm{dq}, J=17.1,1.6 \mathrm{~Hz}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 5.03-4.98(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.13(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.54(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.7,6.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.69-2.59(\mathrm{~m}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 2.45-2.37(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.19(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 173.1$, $145.5,140.3,135.3,131.6,128.4,121.9,117.1,115.7,61.0,50.2,36.1,14.3 \mathrm{ppm} . \operatorname{LCMS}(\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}):$ 311. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{15} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{BrO}_{2}, 311.0470$; found 311.0464.

( $\pm$ )-Ethyl 1-(4-bromophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylate (6a)
General procedure C was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=112-113{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, 0.1 mmHg ). Yield: 20.70 g , purity $90 \%, 0.067 \mathrm{~mol}, 67 \%$, yellow oil.

An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: Rt $=0-5 \mathrm{~min}$, water/acetonitrile, $50-100 \%$, flow $60 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: XBridge OBD $30 \times 100,5 \mu \mathrm{~m} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 7.39(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.4$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.03(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.93(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.00-2.91(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.53(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.22-$ $2.04(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.81-1.72(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.62(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.8,6.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 0.99(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm}$. ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 175.0,141.3,131.2,127.9,120.2,60.1,57.9,48.6,46.5,38.1$, 35.3, 34.1, 14.2 ppm . LCMS (M+H): 309. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{15} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{BrO}_{2}$, 311.0470; found 311.0465 .


## ( $\pm$ )-1-(4-Bromophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylic acid (6b)

General procedure D was used. Yield: $11.76 \mathrm{~g}, 0.042 \mathrm{~mol}, 70 \%$, white solid, m.p. $=132-133{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (500 MHz, DMSO-d $)$ : $\delta 11.90(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.46(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.13(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H})$,
$2.98(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.6,3.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.45(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.12(\mathrm{t}, J=9.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.01(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.5,6.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $1.90(\mathrm{~d}, J=10.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.78-1.74(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.69-1.65(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.60(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.6,6.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$ ppm. ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-d ${ }_{6}$ ): $\delta 175.8,141.6,130.8,128.3,56.8,47.2,46.2,37.5$, 34.5, 33.8 ppm . LCMS $(\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}):$ 281. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}:[\mathrm{M}-\mathrm{H}]^{-}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{12} \mathrm{BrO}_{2}$, 279.0021; found 279.0017.


## Ethyl-3-(p-tolyl)but-2-enoate

General procedure A was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=72-73{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1$ mmHg ). Yield: $64.46 \mathrm{~g}, 0.316 \mathrm{~mol}, 79 \%$, colorless oil. A mixture of cis+trans-isomers: $\sim 4: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 7.39(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 7.16(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.1 \mathrm{~Hz}) 2 \mathrm{H}, 7.18(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.0 \mathrm{~Hz}), 7.12$ (d, $J=8.0 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ) 2H, $6.14(\mathrm{~s}), 5.89(\mathrm{~s}) 1 \mathrm{H}, 4.21(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 4.02(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}) 2 \mathrm{H}, 2.57(\mathrm{~s}, 2 \mathrm{H})$, 2.37 (s), 2.17 (s) $3 \mathrm{H}, 1.32\left(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}\right.$ ), $1.12(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}) 3 \mathrm{H} p \mathrm{pm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}(126 \mathrm{MHz}$, $\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 167.1,166.1,155.7,155.5,139.4,139.2,137.9,137.7,129.3,128.7,127.0,126.3,117.5$, 116.4, 59.9, 59.8, 27.3, 21.4, 21.3, 17.9, 14.5, 14.2 ppm . LCMS (M+H): 205. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{17} \mathrm{O}_{2}$, 205.1229; found 205.1229.


## Ethyl 2-(1-(p-tolyl)vinyl)pent-4-enoate (7)

General procedure B was used. Yield: 39.04 g , purity $90 \%, 0.16 \mathrm{~mol}, 90 \%$, colorless oil.
An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: Rt $=0-6 \mathrm{~min}$, water/acetonitrile, $50-85 \%$, flow $30 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: Chomatorex 18 SMB100-5T, $100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H} \mathrm{NMR}\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right.$ ): $\delta$ $7.30(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.14(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 5.86-5.72(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.39(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.24(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, 5.07 (d, $J=17.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.01(\mathrm{~d}, J=10.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.14(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.60(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.9,6.1$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.73-2.58(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.50-2.38(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.35(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.20(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm}$. ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 173.5,146.3,138.4,137.6,135.7,129.1,126.5,116.8,114.2$, 60.8, 50.3, 36.3, 21.2, 14.3 ppm. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{16} \mathrm{H}_{21} \mathrm{O}_{2}, 245.1542$; found 245.1532.

( $\pm$ )-Ethyl 1-(p-tolyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylate (7a)
General procedure C was used. Yield: 17.57 g , purity $90 \%, 0.072 \mathrm{~mol}, 72 \%$, colorless oil. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=98-99^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1 \mathrm{mmHg}$ ).

An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: Rt $=0-5 \mathrm{~min}$, water/acetonitrile, $40-90 \%$, flow $60 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: XBridge OBD $30 \times 100,5 \mu \mathrm{~m} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 7.10-7.05(\mathrm{~m}$, $4 \mathrm{H}), 3.99-3.89(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.00-2.94(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.52(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.31(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 2.19-2.07(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.81$ $-1.74(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.62(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.8,6.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 0.98(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}(126$ $\mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 175.4,139.2,135.9,128.8,125.9,60.0,58.3,48.6,46.6,38.1,35.3,34.2,21.2$, 14.2 ppm . LCMS (M+H): 245. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{16} \mathrm{H}_{21} \mathrm{O}_{2}, 245.1542$; found 245.1531.


## ( $\pm$ )-1-(p-Tolyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylic acid (7b)

General procedure D was used. Yield: $9.07 \mathrm{~g}, 0.042 \mathrm{~mol}, 76 \%$, white solid, m.p. $=122-123{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (500 MHz, DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ : $\delta 11.81$ ( $\mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}$ ), 7.07 ( $\mathrm{s}, 4 \mathrm{H}$ ), 2.94 (dd, $J=8.6,3.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}$ ), 2.44 ( s , $1 \mathrm{H}), 2.25(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 2.16-2.01(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.89(\mathrm{~d}, J=10.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.74-1.69(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.66-1.60$ $(\mathrm{m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.57(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.6,6.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta 176.1,139.0$, $135.0,128.5,125.8,57.3,47.1,46.4,37.6,34.5,33.9,20.7$ ppm. LCMS (M-H): 215. HRMS (ESITOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{14} \mathrm{H}_{17} \mathrm{O}_{2}$, 217.1229; found 217.1227.


## Ethyl-3-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)but-2-enoate

General procedure A was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=63-64{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1$ mmHg ). Yield: $87.72 \mathrm{~g}, 0.34 \mathrm{~mol}, 85 \%$, yellow oil. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 7.63(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.2$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.56(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 6.14(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.23(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.57(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.32(\mathrm{t}, J=$ $7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 166.6,153.9,146.0,130.9$ (dd, $J=65.2$, $32.6 \mathrm{~Hz}), 126.8,125.6(\mathrm{q}, J=3.7 \mathrm{~Hz}), 124.1(\mathrm{q}, J=272.2 \mathrm{~Hz}), 119.1,60.3,18.1,14.4 \mathrm{ppm}$.
${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta$-63.2 (s) ppm. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{14} \mathrm{~F}_{3} \mathrm{O}_{2}$, 259.0946; found 259.0939.


## Ethyl 2-(1-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)vinyl)pent-4-enoate (8)

General procedure B was used. Yield: 48.87 g , purity $90 \%$, 0.164 mol, $82 \%$, yellow oil. An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by column chromatography, $\mathrm{SiO}_{2}$, hexane/ $\mathrm{MeO} t \mathrm{Bu}, 9: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H} \mathrm{NMR}\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right.$ ): $\delta$ $7.59(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.50(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 5.83-5.69(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.47(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.39(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $5.07(\mathrm{dd}, J=17.1,1.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.03(\mathrm{~d}, J=10.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.14(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.59(\mathrm{dd}, J=$ $8.4,6.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.73-2.61(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.48-2.37(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.19(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 173.0,145.5,145.0,135.2,129.9(\mathrm{q}, J=32.5 \mathrm{~Hz}), 127.1,125.4$ (q, $J=$ 3.7 Hz ), 124.3 (q, $J=272.0 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), 117.3, 117.0, 61.0, 50.3, 36.1, $14.2 \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 376 $\mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta$-63.1 (s) ppm. LCMS (M+H): 299. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{16} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{~F}_{3} \mathrm{O}_{2}$, 299.1259; found 299.1253.

( $\pm$ )-Ethyl 1-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylate (8a)
General procedure C was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=94-95^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1$ mmHg ). Yield: 21.46 g , purity $\sim 90 \%, 0.072 \mathrm{~mol}, 72 \%$, colorless oil.

An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: $\mathrm{Rt}=0-7 \mathrm{~min}$, water/acetonitrile, $50-80 \%$, flow $30 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: Chomatorex $18 \mathrm{SMB} 100-5 \mathrm{~T}, 100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m}$. A mixture of isomers: $\sim 9$ : (the sample contains ca. $10 \%$ of the isomeric 1,5-disubstituted bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 $\left.\mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 7.52(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.27(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.17-4.07(\mathrm{~m}), 3.96-3.86(\mathrm{~m})$ $2 \mathrm{H}, 3.01(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.6,4.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.56(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.24-2.05(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.87-1.77(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.67(\mathrm{dd}$, $J=9.7,6.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.23(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 0.94(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}) 3 \mathrm{H} \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz , $\left.\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 174.8,171.0,146.5,128.7(\mathrm{q}, J=32.3 \mathrm{~Hz}), 127.2,126.5,125.1(\mathrm{q}, J=3.8 \mathrm{~Hz}), 124.5(\mathrm{q}$, $J=271.8 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), 60.2, 58.0, 56.9, 53.2, 48.8, 46.6, 41.7, 40.1, 38.1, 35.5, 34.0, 30.3, 26.7, 14.4, 14.1 ppm. ${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta-62.9$ (s) ppm. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{16} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{~F}_{3} \mathrm{O}_{2}$, 299.1259; found 299.1249.

( $\pm$ )-1-(4-(Trifluoromethyl)phenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylic acid (8b)
General procedure D was used. Yield: $10.26 \mathrm{~g}, 0.038 \mathrm{~mol}, 69 \%$, white solid, m.p. $=106-107{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (500 MHz, DMSO-d $)_{6}$ : $\delta 11.93(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.64(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.40(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H})$, $3.06(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.7,3.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.16(\mathrm{t}, J=9.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.04(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.5,6.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.93(\mathrm{~d}, J=$ $10.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.86-1.79(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.74-1.69(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.66(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.5,6.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm}$. ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR (151 MHz, DMSO-d $): \delta 175.6,147.0,127.0(\mathrm{~d}, J=33.0 \mathrm{~Hz}), 126.8,124.8(\mathrm{q}, J=$ $3.8 \mathrm{~Hz}), 124.4(\mathrm{q}, J=271.9 \mathrm{~Hz}), 56.9,47.3,46.2,37.6,34.7,33.7 \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}(376 \mathrm{MHz}$, $\mathrm{DMSO}_{6}$ ): $\delta$-61.2 (s) ppm. LCMS (M-H): 269. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}-\mathrm{H}]^{-}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{14} \mathrm{H}_{12} \mathrm{~F}_{3} \mathrm{O}_{2}, 269,0789$; found 269.0784.


## Ethyl-3-(4-methoxyphenyl)but-2-enoate

General procedure A was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=94-95{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1$ mmHg ). Yield: $78.32 \mathrm{~g}, 0.356 \mathrm{~mol}, 89 \%$, colorless oil. A mixture of cis+trans-isomers: $\sim 4: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (500 MHz, $\left.\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 7.45(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.8 \mathrm{~Hz}), 7.19(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.7 \mathrm{~Hz}) 2 \mathrm{H}, 6.89(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $6.87(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.4 \mathrm{~Hz}) 2 \mathrm{H}, 6.11(\mathrm{~s}), 5.87(\mathrm{~s}) 1 \mathrm{H}, 4.21(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 4.03(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}) 2 \mathrm{H}, 3.83(\mathrm{~s})$, $3.81(\mathrm{~s}) 3 \mathrm{H}, 2.56(\mathrm{~s}), 2.16(\mathrm{~s}) 3 \mathrm{H}, 1.31(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 1.14(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}) 3 \mathrm{H} \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}$ ( $151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 167.2,166.3,160.6,159.5,155.00,154.98,134.5,132.8,128.7,127.8,117.2$, $115.5,114.0,113.4,59.8,55.5,55.3,31.0,27.2,19.4,17.8,14.5,14.2 \mathrm{ppm} . \operatorname{LCMS}(\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}): 221$. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{17} \mathrm{O}_{3}$, 221.1178; found 221.1171.


Ethyl 2-(1-(4-methoxyphenyl)vinyl)pent-4-enoate (9)
General procedure B was used. Yield: 43.16 g , purity $\sim 90 \%$, $0.166 \mathrm{~mol}, 83 \%$, colorless oil. An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by column chromatography, $\mathrm{SiO}_{2}$, hexane/ $\mathrm{MeO} t \mathrm{Bu}, 9: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H} \mathrm{NMR}\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta$
$7.34(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 6.86(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 5.84-5.73(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.35(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.20(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $5.07(\mathrm{dd}, J=17.1,1.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.01(\mathrm{~d}, J=10.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.14(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.81(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H})$, 3.58 (dd, $J=8.9,6.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.74-2.60(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.47-2.37(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.20(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H})$ ppm. ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 173.4,159.4,145.9,135.7,133.7,127.8,116.8,113.8$, 113.6, 60.8, 55.4, 50.4, 36.3, 14.3 ppm . LCMS (M+H): 261. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{16} \mathrm{H}_{21} \mathrm{O}_{3}, 261.1491$; found 261.1482 .

( $\pm$ )-Ethyl 1-(4-methoxyphenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylate (9a)
General procedure C was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=110-111{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, 0.1 mmHg ). Yield: 17.68 g , purity $90 \%, 0.068 \mathrm{~mol}, 68 \%$, colorless oil.

An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: Rt $=0-7 \mathrm{~min}$, water $/ \mathrm{MeOH}, 40-90 \%$, flow $30 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: Chomatorex $18 \mathrm{SMB} 100-5 \mathrm{~T}, 100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m}$. A mixture of isomers: 9:1 (the sample contains ca. $10 \%$ of the isomeric 1,5-disubstituted bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 $\left.\mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 7.32(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.7 \mathrm{~Hz}), 7.09(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.7 \mathrm{~Hz}) 2 \mathrm{H}, 6.86(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.7 \mathrm{~Hz}), 6.82(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.6$ $\mathrm{Hz}) 2 \mathrm{H}, 4.16-3.89(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.79(\mathrm{~s}), 3.78(\mathrm{~s}) 3 \mathrm{H}, 3.02-2.87(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.58(\mathrm{~s}), 2.51(\mathrm{~s}) 1 \mathrm{H}, 2.21-$ $2.02(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.86-1.71(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.65-1.49(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.23(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 0.99(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}) 3 \mathrm{H}$ ppm. ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 175.4,158.2,134.4,127.9,127.1,113.6,113.5,60.0$, $59.9,58.1,56.8,55.4,53.3,48.6,46.6,41.8,39.8,38.2,35.2,34.1,30.0,26.7,14.4,14.2$ ppm. LCMS (M+H): 261. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[M+H]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{16} \mathrm{H}_{21} \mathrm{O}_{3}, 261.1491$; found 261.1475.


## ( $\pm$ )-1-(4-Methoxyphenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylic acid (9b)

General procedure D was used. Yield: $8.58 \mathrm{~g}, 0.037 \mathrm{~mol}, 67 \%$, white solid, m.p. $=156-157{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (500 MHz, DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta 11.80(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.09(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 6.83(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H})$, $3.71(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 2.93(\mathrm{~d}, J=4.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.43(\mathrm{br} \mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.15-2.00(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.89(\mathrm{~d}, J=10.4 \mathrm{~Hz}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 1.73(\mathrm{br} \mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.62(\mathrm{br} \mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.59-1.50(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz , DMSO$\left.\mathrm{d}_{6}\right): \delta 176.2,158.6,157.6,134.0,127.0,113.3,57.1,55.0,47.1,46.4,37.7,34.4,33.9 \mathrm{ppm}$. LCMS (M-H): 231. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}-\mathrm{H}]^{-}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{14} \mathrm{H}_{15} \mathrm{O}_{3}, 231.1021$; found 231.1015.


Ethyl-2-fluoro-3-(4-methoxyphenyl)but-2-enoate
General procedure A was used with $(\mathrm{EtO})_{2}(\mathrm{O}) \mathrm{P}-\mathrm{CHF}\left(\mathrm{CO}_{2} \mathrm{Et}\right)$. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=92-93{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1 \mathrm{mmHg}$ ). Yield: $76.16 \mathrm{~g}, 0.32 \mathrm{~mol}, 80 \%$, colorless oil. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 7.12(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 6.88(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 4.08(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H})$, $3.82(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 2.13(\mathrm{~d}, J=4.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.10(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz , $\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 160.9$ (d, $J=35.7 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), 159.4, $144.3(\mathrm{~d}, J=251.4 \mathrm{~Hz}), 131.4(\mathrm{~d}, J=17.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 130.6(\mathrm{~d}, J$ $=5.6 \mathrm{~Hz}), 129.0(\mathrm{~d}, J=2.8 \mathrm{~Hz}), 113.6,61.1,55.4,19.5(\mathrm{~d}, J=6.6 \mathrm{~Hz}), 13.9 \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta-124.2$ (s) ppm. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{16} \mathrm{FO}_{3}$, 239.1083; found 239.1078.


Ethyl 2-fluoro-2-(1-(4-methoxyphenyl)vinyl)pent-4-enoate (10)
General procedure B was used. Yield: 43.37 g , purity $\sim 90 \%, 0.156 \mathrm{~mol}, 78 \%$, colorless oil.
An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by column chromatography, $\mathrm{SiO}_{2}$, $\mathrm{MeO} t \mathrm{Bu} /$ hexane, $9: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H} \mathrm{NMR}\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta$ $7.26(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 6.84(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 5.89-5.76(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.54(\mathrm{~d}, J=2.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $5.38(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.17(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.14(\mathrm{~d}, J=5.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.24-4.12(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.80(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 2.87(\mathrm{t}, J=$ $6.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.83(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.19(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz , $\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 169.7(\mathrm{~d}, J=26.6 \mathrm{~Hz}), 159.5,146.0(\mathrm{~d}, J=20.0 \mathrm{~Hz}), 130.9,129.7(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.4 \mathrm{~Hz}), 119.9$, $117.6(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.5 \mathrm{~Hz}), 113.6,96.9(\mathrm{~d}, J=188.9 \mathrm{~Hz}), 61.9,55.4,40.6(\mathrm{~d}, J=22.4 \mathrm{~Hz}), 14.2 \mathrm{ppm}$. ${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta-155.7$ (s) ppm. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{16} \mathrm{H}_{20} \mathrm{FO}_{3}, 279.1396$; found 279.1392.

( $\pm$ )-Ethyl 2-fluoro-1-(4-methoxyphenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylate (10a)

General procedure C was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=106-107{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, 0.1 mmHg ). Yield: 19.74 g , purity $90 \%, 0.071 \mathrm{~mol}, 71 \%$, colorless oil.

An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: Rt $=0-7 \mathrm{~min}$, water $/ \mathrm{MeOH}, 40-90 \%$, flow $30 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: Chomatorex 18 SMB100-5T, $100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta$ $7.10(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 6.81(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 4.13-4.01(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.78(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 2.68-2.59(\mathrm{~m}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 2.54(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.41-2.35(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.28-2.22(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.15(\mathrm{ddd}, J=27.0,12.2,3.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $1.99-1.88(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.06(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 171.4(\mathrm{~d}, J$ $=28.9 \mathrm{~Hz}), 158.8,130.8,127.8,113.6,101.2(\mathrm{~d}, J=203.9 \mathrm{~Hz}), 62.6(\mathrm{~d}, J=21.7 \mathrm{~Hz}), 61.4,55.4$, $43.2(\mathrm{~d}, J=5.0 \mathrm{~Hz}), 42.8,42.6(\mathrm{~d}, J=3.4 \mathrm{~Hz}), 33.2,14.1 \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta$ -159.6 (s) ppm. GCMS (M): 278. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{16} \mathrm{H}_{20} \mathrm{FO}_{3}, 279.1396$; found 279.1384.

( $\pm$ )-2-Fluoro-1-(4-methoxyphenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylic acid (10b)
General procedure D was used. Yield: $10.00 \mathrm{~g}, 0.040 \mathrm{~mol}, 75 \%$, beige solid, m.p. $=139-140{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ : $\delta 13.03$ (br s, 1 H ), 7.07 (d, $\left.J=8.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}\right), 6.85(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H})$, $3.72(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 2.50-2.41(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.37-2.28(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.14-1.98(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.97-1.78(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H})$ ppm. ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz, DMSO-d ${ }_{6}$ ): $\delta 172.3(\mathrm{~d}, J=29.9 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), 158.2, 130.6, 127.7, 113.4, $100.2(\mathrm{~d}, J=201.0 \mathrm{~Hz}), 61.7(\mathrm{~d}, J=21.9 \mathrm{~Hz}), 55.0,42.8(\mathrm{~d}, J=4.9 \mathrm{~Hz}), 42.6,42.4,32.5 \mathrm{ppm}$. ${ }^{19}$ F $\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 376 MHz , DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta-155.8$ (s) ppm. LCMS (M-H): 249. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}:[\mathrm{M}-\mathrm{H}]^{-}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{14} \mathrm{H}_{14} \mathrm{FO}_{3}, 249.0927$; found 249.0919.


## Ethyl-3-(3-bromophenyl)but-2-enoate

General procedure A was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=94-95{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1$ mmHg ). Yield: $78.26 \mathrm{~g}, 0.292 \mathrm{~mol}, 73 \%$, colorless oil. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 7.60(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $7.48(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.38(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.24(\mathrm{td}, J=7.8,2.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.10(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.27-$ $4.15(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.53(\mathrm{~s}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.40-1.24(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 166.6$,
153.9, 144.5, 132.0, 130.2, 129.5, 125.1, 122.8, 118.4, 60.2, 18.0, 14.5 ppm. LCMS (M+H): 269. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{12} \mathrm{H}_{14} \mathrm{BrO}_{2}, 269.0177$; found 269.0171 .


Ethyl 2-(1-(3-bromophenyl)vinyl)pent-4-enoate (11)
General procedure B was used. Yield: 50.06 g , purity $\sim 90 \%, 0.162 \mathrm{~mol}, 81 \%$, yellow oil.
An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: $\mathrm{Rt}=0-5 \mathrm{~min}$, water/acetonitrile, $50-100 \%$, flow $60 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: Chomatorex 18 SMB100-5T, $100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta$ $7.54(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.41(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.31(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.20(\mathrm{t}, J=7.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.84-5.69$ $(\mathrm{m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.41(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.32(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.07(\mathrm{~d}, J=17.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.02(\mathrm{~d}, J=10.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.14(\mathrm{q}, J=$ $6.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.54(\mathrm{t}, J=6.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.70-2.59(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.48-2.37(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.20(\mathrm{t}, J=7.0 \mathrm{~Hz}$, $3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 173.0,159.2,145.3,143.6,135.3,130.8,129.9$, 125.4, 122.6, 117.2, 116.3, 61.0, 50.2, 36.2, 14.2 ppm . HRMS (ESI-TOF) $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{15} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{BrO}_{2}, 309.0490$; found 309.0481.

( $\pm$ )-Ethyl 1-(3-bromophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylate (11a)
General procedure C was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=118-119{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, 0.1 mmHg ). Yield: 22.63 g , purity $90 \%, 0.073 \mathrm{~mol}, 73 \%$, colorless oil.

An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: Rt = $1-7 \mathrm{~min}$, water/acetonitrile, $50-80 \%$, flow $30 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: SunFire, $100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 7.35-7.30(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, 7.29 (t, $J=1.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.14(\mathrm{t}, J=7.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.10-7.06$ (m, 1H), $4.00-3.86$ (m, 2H), 2.97 (ddd, $J=8.4,4.6,1.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.57-2.50(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.21-2.09(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.82-1.75(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.63$ (dd, $J=9.8,6.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 0.99(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 174.9$, 144.7, 129.7, 129.5, 129.3, 124.7, 122.3, 60.2, 57.9, 48.7, 46.5, 38.1, 35.3, 33.9, 14.2 ppm. LCMS $(\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}):$ 309. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{15} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{BrO}_{2}, 311.0470$; found 311.0465.

( $\pm$ )-1-(3-Bromophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylic acid (11b)
General procedure D was used. Yield: $10.93 \mathrm{~g}, 0.039 \mathrm{~mol}, 71 \%$, white solid, m.p. $=130-131{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ : $\delta 11.92$ (s, 1H), 7.38 (d, $J=8.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}$ ), 7.34 (s, 1H), 7.25 (t, J=7.7 $\mathrm{Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.18(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.01(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.8,3.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.46(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.13(\mathrm{t}, J=9.9 \mathrm{~Hz}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 2.02(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.5,6.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.90(\mathrm{~d}, J=10.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.83-1.75(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.70-1.66(\mathrm{~m}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 1.63(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.5,6.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 101 MHz , DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta 175.8,130.2$, 129.0, 128.8, 125.2, 121.4, 56.8, 47.2, 46.2, 37.6, 34.6, 33.8 ppm . LCMS (M-H): 279. HRMS (ESITOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}-\mathrm{H}]^{-}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{12} \mathrm{BrO}_{2}, 279.0021$; found 279.0017.


Ethyl-3-(3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)but-2-enoate
General procedure A was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=69-70{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1$ mmHg ). Yield: $92.56 \mathrm{~g}, 0.356 \mathrm{~mol}, 89 \%$, colorless oil. A mixture of cis + trans-isomers: $\sim 4: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ : $\delta 7.87$ (d, $J=12.1 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), 7.76 (d, $J=7.7 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ) $2 \mathrm{H}, 7.71-7.46$ (m, 2H), $6.24(\mathrm{~s}), 6.04(\mathrm{~s}) 1 \mathrm{H}, 4.16(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{H}), 3.90(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}) 2 \mathrm{H}, 2.54(\mathrm{~s}), 2.18$ (s) $2 \mathrm{H}, 1.24(\mathrm{t}, J=$ $7.0 \mathrm{~Hz}), 0.99(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}) 3 \mathrm{H} \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 151 MHz , DMSO-d ${ }_{6}$ ): $\delta 165.7$, 164.8, 153.4, $153.0,142.3,141.6,131.0,130.4,129.7,129.4(\mathrm{q}, J=31.7 \mathrm{~Hz}), 128.9$, 125.7 (q, $J=3.6 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), $124.23(\mathrm{q}, J=3.8 \mathrm{~Hz}), 124.16(\mathrm{q}, J=272.6 \mathrm{~Hz}), 124.0(\mathrm{q}, J=272.5 \mathrm{~Hz}), 123.6(\mathrm{q}, J=3.8 \mathrm{~Hz})$, $122.8\left(\mathrm{q}, ~ J=3.7 \mathrm{~Hz}\right.$ ), 118.4, 118.1, 59.6, 59.3, 26.3, 17.3, 14.1, $13.7 \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 376 MHz, DMSO-d ) $^{2}: \delta-61.50(\mathrm{~s}),-61.53(\mathrm{~s}) \mathrm{ppm}$. LCMS ( $\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}$ ): 259. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}:[\mathrm{M}+$ $\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{14} \mathrm{~F}_{3} \mathrm{O}_{2}$, 259.0946; found 259.0937.


Ethyl 2-(1-(3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)vinyl)pent-4-enoate (12)
General procedure B was used. Yield: 23.84 g , purity $\sim 90 \%, 0.08 \mathrm{~mol}, 80 \%$, colorless oil.

An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: Rt = 1-7 min, water/acetonitrile, $50-80 \%$, flow $30 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: Chomatorex 18 SMB100-5T, $100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta$ $7.65(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.60(\mathrm{dd}, J=13.3,7.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.50(\mathrm{t}, J=7.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.05(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.85-5.66(\mathrm{~m}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 5.03-4.88(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 4.23(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.30-3.13(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.26-2.08(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.32$ (t, $J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \operatorname{NMR}\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 166.1,158.1,142.3,137.4,131.2(\mathrm{q}, J$ $=32.4 \mathrm{~Hz}), 130.2,129.3,125.6(\mathrm{q}, J=3.7 \mathrm{~Hz}), 123.7(\mathrm{q}, J=3.8 \mathrm{~Hz}), 124.1(\mathrm{q}, J=272.4 \mathrm{~Hz})$, 119.5, 115.4, 60.3, 32.9, 30.4, $14.4 \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta-63.2$ (s) ppm. LCMS $(\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}):$ 299. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{16} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{~F}_{3} \mathrm{O}_{2}$, 299.1259; found 299.1250.

( $\pm$ )-Ethyl 1-(3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylate (12a)
General procedure C was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=81-82^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1$ mmHg ). Yield: 21.75 g , purity $\sim 90 \%, 0.073 \mathrm{~mol}, 73 \%$, white solid, m.p. $=132-133{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.

An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: Rt = $1-7 \mathrm{~min}$, water/acetonitrile, $50-80 \%$, flow $30 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: Chomatorex 18 SMB100-5T, $100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m}$. A mixture of isomers: 9:1 (the sample contains ca. $10 \%$ of the isomeric 1,5 -disubstituted bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 $\left.\mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 7.47-7.34(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 4.19-4.07(\mathrm{~m}), 3.95-3.87(\mathrm{~m}) 2 \mathrm{H}, 3.08-2.95(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $2.57(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.21-2.10(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.85-1.80(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.68(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.8,6.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.24(\mathrm{t}, J=$ $7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 0.93(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}) 3 \mathrm{H} \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 174.9,171.0,143.3$, 143.3, $130.5(\mathrm{q}, ~ J=32.0 \mathrm{~Hz}), 129.5,128.6,126.6(\mathrm{q}, J=272.4 \mathrm{~Hz}), 123.7(\mathrm{q}, J=4.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 123.4(\mathrm{q}$, $J=3.7 \mathrm{~Hz}), 123.3(\mathrm{q}, J=3.8 \mathrm{~Hz}), 122.9(\mathrm{q}, J=3.6 \mathrm{~Hz}), 60.2,58.0,56.9,53.2,48.7,46.5,41.6$, $39.9,38.1,35.4,33.9,30.4,26.7,14.3,14.0 \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta-63.02(\mathrm{~s}),-$ 63.07 (s) ppm. LCMS (M-H): 299. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{16} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{~F}_{3} \mathrm{O}_{2}$, 299.1259; found 299.1250 .

( $\pm$ )-1-(3-(Trifluoromethyl)phenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylic acid (12b)

General procedure D was used. Yield: $10.43 \mathrm{~g}, 0.0385 \mathrm{~mol}, 70 \%$, colorless oil. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ : $\delta 11.94(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.58-7.45(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 3.07(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.9,3.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.49(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.15$ (t, $J=9.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.05(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.4,6.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.96-1.88(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.85-1.80(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.75-$ $1.71(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.68(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.4,6.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz, DMSO-d ${ }_{6}$ ): $\delta 175.7$, $143.6,130.3,129.0,128.7(\mathrm{q}, J=31.3 \mathrm{~Hz}), 124.3(\mathrm{q}, J=272.3 \mathrm{~Hz}), 122.9(\mathrm{q}, J=3.8 \mathrm{~Hz}), 122.4(\mathrm{q}$, $J=3.8 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), $56.8,47.3,46.1,37.6,34.6,33.7 \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 376 MHz, DMSO-d ${ }_{6}$ ): $\delta-61.4$ (s) ppm. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{14} \mathrm{H}_{14} \mathrm{~F}_{3} \mathrm{O}_{2}$, 271.0946; found 271.0939.


## Ethyl-3-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)but-2-enoate

General procedure A was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=107-109{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, 0.1 mmHg ). Yield: $91.85 \mathrm{~g}, 0.356 \mathrm{~mol}, 89 \%$, white oil. A mixture of cis+trans-isomers: $\sim 7: 3 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 7.55(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.44(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.3 \mathrm{~Hz}), 7.41(\mathrm{~d}, J=9.0 \mathrm{~Hz}) 1 \mathrm{H}, 7.30(\mathrm{~d}, J=$ $8.6 \mathrm{~Hz}), 7.04(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.2 \mathrm{~Hz}) 1 \mathrm{H}, 6.11(\mathrm{~s}), 5.93(\mathrm{~s}) 1 \mathrm{H}, 4.22(\mathrm{q}, J=7.0 \mathrm{~Hz}), 4.03(\mathrm{q}, J=7.0 \mathrm{~Hz}) 1 \mathrm{H}$, 2.53 (s), $2.14(\mathrm{~s}) 1 \mathrm{H}, 1.31(\mathrm{t}, J=7.0 \mathrm{~Hz}), 1.13(\mathrm{t}, J=7.0 \mathrm{~Hz}) 3 \mathrm{H} p \mathrm{~m} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}(151 \mathrm{MHz}$, $\left.\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 166.5,165.5,152.72,152.70,142.2,140.9,133.2,132.9,132.2,131.9,130.6,130.1$, 129.1, 128.4, 126.7, 125.7, 119.2, 118.6, 60.3, 60.2, 27.0, 26.8, 17.9, 14.5, 14.2 ppm. LCMS $(\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}):$ 259. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{12} \mathrm{H}_{13} \mathrm{Cl}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{2}$, 259.0293; found 259.0287.


Ethyl 2-(1-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)vinyl)pent-4-enoate (13)
General procedure B was used. Yield: 47.24 g , purity $90 \%, 0.158 \mathrm{~mol}, 79 \%$, colorless oil.
An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: Rt = 1-9 min, water/acetonitrile, $50-80 \%$, flow $30 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: Chomatorex 18 SMB100-5T, $100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta$ $7.48(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.39(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.22(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.3,1.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.85-5.68(\mathrm{~m}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 5.42(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.34(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.07(\mathrm{dd}, J=17.1,1.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.03(\mathrm{~d}, J=10.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.14(\mathrm{q}, J$ $=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.51(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.3,6.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.74-2.59(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.51-2.32(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.21(\mathrm{t}, J=$ $7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR (126 MHz, $\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 172.9,144.5,141.4,135.1,132.6,131.8$,
130.4, 128.8, 126.1, 117.4, 116.7, 61.1, 50.1, 36.1, 14.3 ppm. LCMS (M+H): 299. HRMS (ESITOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{15} \mathrm{H}_{17} \mathrm{Cl}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{2}, 299.0606$; found 299.0600.


## ( $\pm$ )-Ethyl 1-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylate (13a)

General procedure C was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=125-126^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, 0.1 mmHg ). Yield: 21.53 g , purity $90 \%, 0.072 \mathrm{~mol}, 72 \%$, yellow oil.

An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: $\mathrm{Rt}=0-5 \mathrm{~min}$, water/acetonitrile, $50-100 \%$, flow $60 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: Chomatorex 18 SMB100-5T, $100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO$\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta 7.54(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.37(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.14(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.98-3.81(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.11(\mathrm{dd}$, $J=8.7,3.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.47(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.11(\mathrm{t}, J=9.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.00-1.90(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.80(\mathrm{br} \mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.75$ $-1.62(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 0.91(\mathrm{t}, J=7.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta 173.9,143.1$, 130.6, 130.1, 128.7, 128.1, 126.5, 59.5, 56.6, 47.3, 45.8, 37.5, 34.6, 33.3, 13.9 ppm. LCMS (M+H): 299. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{15} \mathrm{H}_{17} \mathrm{Cl}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{2}, 299.0606$; found 299.0586.


## ( $\pm$ )-1-(3,4-Dichlorophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylic acid (13b)

General procedure D was used. Yield: $9.18 \mathrm{~g}, 0.034 \mathrm{~mol}, 63 \%$, white solid, m.p. $=108-109{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (500 MHz, DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta 11.96(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.54(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.40(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $7.17(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.2,1.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.04(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.7,3.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.46(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.13(\mathrm{t}, J=9.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $1.97(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.3,6.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.91(\mathrm{~d}, J=10.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.81(\mathrm{br} \mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.72-1.66(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.63$ (dd, $J=9.4,6.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 151 MHz, DMSO-d 6 ): $\delta 175.6,143.5,130.6,130.1$, 128.6, 128.1, 126.6, 56.2, 47.1, 46.1, 37.6, 34.6, 33.6 ppm. LCMS (M-H): 269. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}-\mathrm{H}]^{-}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{11} \mathrm{Cl}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{2}, 269.0136$; found 269.0130.


## Ethyl-3-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)but-2-enoate

General procedure A was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=56-57^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1$ mmHg ). Yield: $81.01 \mathrm{~g}, 0.332 \mathrm{~mol}, 83 \%$, white solid, m.p. $=62-63{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H} \mathrm{NMR}(500 \mathrm{MHz}$, $\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 7.17-6.99(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 6.08(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.22(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.50(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.31(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}$ ) ppm. ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 166.3$, 151.8, 151.3 (ddd, $J=250.4,10.1$, 4.1 $\mathrm{Hz}), 140.1(\mathrm{dt}, J=254.2,15.5 \mathrm{~Hz}), 138.3(\mathrm{q}, J=4.7 \mathrm{~Hz}), 119.0,110.7(\mathrm{dd}, J=17.3,4.6 \mathrm{~Hz}), 60.4$, 17.7, $14.4 \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta-134.2(\mathrm{~d}, J=20.4 \mathrm{~Hz}),-159.8(\mathrm{t}, J=20.4 \mathrm{~Hz})$ ppm. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{12} \mathrm{H}_{12} \mathrm{~F}_{3} \mathrm{O}_{2}, 245.0789$; found 245.0782.


## Ethyl 2-(1-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)vinyl)pent-4-enoate (14)

General procedure B was used. Yield: 45.44 g , purity $\sim 90 \%, 0.16 \mathrm{~mol}, 80 \%$, colorless oil.
An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: $\mathrm{Rt}=1-7 \mathrm{~min}$, water/acetonitrile, $50-80 \%$, flow $30 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: Chomatorex 18 SMB100-5T, $100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta$ $7.06-6.92(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 5.83-5.64(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.41(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.35(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.11-5.00(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 4.14(\mathrm{q}, J$ $=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.55-3.34(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.75-2.54(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.45-2.32(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.21(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}$, $3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 172.7,151.1$ (ddd, $J=249.7,10.6,4.6 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), 144.0, 139.4 (dt, $J=251.6,15.7 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), 137.5 (m), 134.9, 117.5, 117.1, 111.0 (d, $J=4.9 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), 110.9 (d, $J=$ $4.9 \mathrm{~Hz}), 61.2,50.1,36.0,14.2 \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta-134.9(\mathrm{~d}, J=20.7 \mathrm{~Hz})$, $162.1(\mathrm{t}, J=20.8 \mathrm{~Hz})$ ppm.HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{15} \mathrm{H}_{16} \mathrm{~F}_{3} \mathrm{O}_{2}, 285.1102$; found 285.1091.

( $\pm$ )-Ethyl 1-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylate (14a)

General procedure C was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=87-88{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1$ mmHg ). Yield: 19.60 g , purity $90 \%, 0.069 \mathrm{~mol}, 69 \%$, colorless oil.

An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: Rt $=1-7 \mathrm{~min}$, water/acetonitrile, $50-80 \%$, flow $30 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: Chomatorex 18 SMB100-5T, $100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta$ $6.78-6.70(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 4.02-3.94(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.99-2.90(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.54(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.23-2.14(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $2.13-2.03(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.80-1.72(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.59(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.7,6.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.05(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H})$ ppm. ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 174.6,151.1$ (ddd, $J=249.7,10.2,4.1 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), 138.8 (m), 138.4 (dd, $J=264.8,15.2 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), $110.3(\mathrm{dd}, ~ J=16.1,4.7 \mathrm{~Hz}), 60.3,57.2,48.4,46.5,38.2,35.1,34.1$, $14.2 \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta-135.7(\mathrm{~d}, J=20.5 \mathrm{~Hz}),-164.3(\mathrm{t}, J=20.4 \mathrm{~Hz}) \mathrm{ppm}$. LCMS (M+H): 285. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{15} \mathrm{H}_{16} \mathrm{~F}_{3} \mathrm{O}_{2}, 285.1102$; found 285.1093.

( $\pm$ )-1-(3,4,5-Trifluorophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylic acid (14b)
General procedure D was used. Yield: $9.22 \mathrm{~g}, 0.036 \mathrm{~mol}, 65 \%$, white solid, m.p. $=103-104{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (500 MHz, DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ) $\delta 12.00$ ( $\mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}$ ), 7.12 (dd, $J=8.9,6.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}$ ), 3.06 (dd, $J=9.0,3.3$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.45(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.12(\mathrm{t}, J=9.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.95-1.87(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.84-1.77(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.69-$ $1.65(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.61(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.5,6.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 151 MHz, DMSO-d ${ }_{6}$ ): $\delta 175.5$, 149.9 (ddd, $J=246.8,9.5,3.6 \mathrm{~Hz}), 139.8(\mathrm{~m}), 137.1(\mathrm{dt}, J=247.0,15.6 \mathrm{~Hz}), 110.8(\mathrm{dd}, J=16.4$, 3.6 Hz ), 56.2, 46.9, 46.2, 37.7, 34.3, $33.6 \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 376 MHz , DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta-136.7$ (d, J $=21.6 \mathrm{~Hz}),-165.5(\mathrm{t}, J=21.7 \mathrm{~Hz}) \mathrm{ppm}$. LCMS $(\mathrm{M}-\mathrm{H}): 255$. HRMS $(E S I-T O F) m / z:[\mathrm{M}-\mathrm{H}]{ }^{-}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{10} \mathrm{~F}_{3} \mathrm{O}_{2}, 255.0633$; found 255.0627.


Ethyl-3-(2-fluorophenyl)but-2-enoate
General procedure A was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=59-60{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1$ mmHg ). Yield: $72.38 \mathrm{~g}, 0.348 \mathrm{~mol}, 87 \%$, colorless oil. A mixture of cis + trans-isomers: $\sim 3: 2 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 7.39-7.19(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.15-6.96(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 6.02(\mathrm{~s}), 6.00(\mathrm{~s}) 1 \mathrm{H}, 4.22(\mathrm{q}$, $J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 4.01(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}) 2 \mathrm{H}, 2.53(\mathrm{~s}), 2.17(\mathrm{~s}) 3 \mathrm{H}, 1.31(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 1.08(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz})$
$3 \mathrm{H} \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $101 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 166.5,165.4,159.7(\mathrm{~d}, J=249.3 \mathrm{~Hz}), 158.6(\mathrm{~d}, J=$ $245.9 \mathrm{~Hz}), 152.1,149.4,131.1(\mathrm{~d}, J=13.4 \mathrm{~Hz}), 130.1(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.5 \mathrm{~Hz}), 129.3(\mathrm{~d}, J=3.6 \mathrm{~Hz}), 128.8$ $(\mathrm{d}, J=3.8 \mathrm{~Hz}), 124.3(\mathrm{~d}, J=3.5 \mathrm{~Hz}), 123.8(\mathrm{~d}, J=3.4 \mathrm{~Hz}), 120.7(\mathrm{~d}, J=2.6 \mathrm{~Hz}), 120.3,116.2(\mathrm{~d}, J$ $=22.5 \mathrm{~Hz}), 115.5(\mathrm{~d}, J=22.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 60.1,60.0,26.4(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 19.5(\mathrm{~d}, J=3.6 \mathrm{~Hz}), 14.4,14.1$ ppm. ${ }^{19}$ F $\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta-114.9$ (s), -116.7 (s) ppm. LCMS (M+H): 209. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{12} \mathrm{H}_{14} \mathrm{FO}_{2}, 209.0978$; found 209.0973.


Ethyl 2-(1-(2-fluorophenyl)vinyl)pent-4-enoate (15)
General procedure B was used. Yield: 39.18 g , purity $90 \%, 0.158 \mathrm{~mol}, 79 \%$, colorless oil.
An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by column chromatography, $\mathrm{SiO}_{2}$, hexane/MeOtBu, 9:1. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H} \operatorname{NMR}\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 7.28-7.19(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.09(\mathrm{t}, J=7.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $7.07-7.01(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.85-5.73(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.46(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.33(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.08(\mathrm{dd}, J=17.1,1.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $5.02(\mathrm{~d}, J=10.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.17-4.05(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.55(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.1,5.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.67-2.55(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $2.53-2.39(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.17(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 173.0$, $159.8(\mathrm{~d}, J=247.0 \mathrm{~Hz}), 142.0,135.5,130.6(\mathrm{~d}, J=3.8 \mathrm{~Hz}), 129.5(\mathrm{~d}, J=14.7 \mathrm{~Hz}), 129.3(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.3$ $\mathrm{Hz}), 124.1(\mathrm{~d}, J=3.5 \mathrm{~Hz}), 118.3(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.5 \mathrm{~Hz}), 117.0,115.8(\mathrm{~d}, J=22.6 \mathrm{~Hz}), 60.8,51.1(\mathrm{~d}, J=2.0$ $\mathrm{Hz}), 35.8,13.9(\mathrm{~d}, J=86.4 \mathrm{~Hz}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta-115.4$ (s) ppm. LCMS $(\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}):$ 249. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{15} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{FO}_{2}, 249.1291$; found 249.1287.

( $\pm$ )-Ethyl 1-(2-fluorophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylate (15a)
General procedure C was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=87-88^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1$ mmHg ). Yield: 18.10 g , purity $\sim 90 \%, 0.073 \mathrm{~mol}, 73 \%$, colorless oil.
An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: $\mathrm{Rt}=0-2-9 \mathrm{~min}$, acetonitrile/water, $52-60-80 \%$, flow $30 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: XBridge BEH C18, $100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 7.22-$ 6.92 (m, 4H), $3.95-3.78(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.18(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.6,4.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.59-2.46(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.20-2.05$ $(\mathrm{m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.89-1.73(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 0.89(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \operatorname{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}\left(151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 174.9$, $161.4(\mathrm{~d}, J=246.4 \mathrm{~Hz}), 129.2(\mathrm{~d}, J=15.4 \mathrm{~Hz}), 128.9(\mathrm{~d}, J=5.6 \mathrm{~Hz}), 128.2(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 123.7$ $(\mathrm{d}, J=3.3 \mathrm{~Hz}), 115.2(\mathrm{~d}, J=21.6 \mathrm{~Hz}), 60.0,55.3,47.1,46.6,38.4,35.9,33.3,14.0 \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$

NMR ( $376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta-116.5$ (s) ppm. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{15} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{FO}_{2}$, 249.1291; found 249.1286.

( $\pm$ )-1-(2-Fluorophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylic acid (15b)
General procedure D was used. Yield: $8.58 \mathrm{~g}, 0.039 \mathrm{~mol}, 72 \%$, white solid, m.p. $=110-111{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (500 MHz, DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ) $\delta 11.81$ ( $\mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}$ ), $7.35-6.95$ (m, 4H), 3.04 (dd, $J=8.4,3.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}$ ), $2.14-1.93(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.83-1.73(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.69(\mathrm{t}, J=6.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}(151 \mathrm{MHz}$, DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ : $\delta 175.4,160.6(\mathrm{~d}, J=244.8 \mathrm{~Hz}), 129.1(\mathrm{~d}, J=5.7 \mathrm{~Hz}), 128.8(\mathrm{~d}, J=15.3 \mathrm{~Hz}), 128.3(\mathrm{~d}$, $J=8.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 123.9(\mathrm{~d}, J=3.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 115.0(\mathrm{~d}, J=21.5 \mathrm{~Hz}), 54.2,46.2(\mathrm{~d}, J=49.2 \mathrm{~Hz}), 37.9,35.2$, $33.1 \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 376 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta-116.6$ (s) ppm. LCMS (M-H): 219. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $\left.\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}: \mathrm{MM}^{-\mathrm{H}}\right]^{-}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{12} \mathrm{FO}_{2}, 219.0821$; found 219.0820.


## Ethyl-3-(1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-4-yl)but-2-enoate

General procedure A was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=78-79{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1$ mmHg ). Yield: $53.54 \mathrm{~g}, 0.276 \mathrm{~mol}, 69 \%$, colorless oil. A mixture of cis+trans-isomers: $\sim 1: 1 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (500 MHz, CDCl ${ }_{3}$ ): $\delta 8.34$ ( s ), 7.75 ( s$) 1 \mathrm{H}, 7.67$ ( s$), 7.52$ ( s$) 1 \mathrm{H}, 6.08$ (d, $J=1.2 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), 5.69 (d, $J=1.1 \mathrm{~Hz}) 1 \mathrm{H}, 4.25-4.04(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.90(\mathrm{~s}), 3.89(\mathrm{~s}) 2 \mathrm{H}, 2.46(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 2.20(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.1 \mathrm{~Hz})$ $3 \mathrm{H}, 1.38-1.21(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 167.3,166.5,146.9,144.2$, $140.2,137.3,132.8,128.7,124.8,119.5,113.9,112.4,59.8,59.7,39.3,39.2,26.2,17.3,14.5,14.4$ ppm. LCMS (M+H): 195. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{10} \mathrm{H}_{15} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{2}$, 195.1134; found 195.1131.


## Ethyl 2-(1-(1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-4-yl)vinyl)pent-4-enoate (16)

General procedure B was used. The final product was purified by column chromatography, $\mathrm{SiO}_{2}$, $\mathrm{MeO} t \mathrm{Bu} / \mathrm{MeCN}, 9: 1$. Yield: $30.89 \mathrm{~g}, 0.132 \mathrm{~mol}, 66 \%$, colorless oil. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta$ $7.56(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.43(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.84-5.70(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.36(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.08-5.04(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 5.01(\mathrm{~d}, J=10.2$
$\mathrm{Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.13(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.86(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 3.37(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.4,6.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.72-2.61(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $2.50-2.39(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.20(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 173.3$, 137.2, 136.9, 135.5, 127.5, 122.4, 116.8, 111.3, 61.0, 51.1, 39.1, 35.4, 14.3 ppm. LCMS (M+H): 235. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{19} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{2}, 235.1447$; found 235.1441.


## ( $\pm$ )-Ethyl 1-(1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-4-yl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylate (16a)

General procedure C was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=102-103{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, 0.1 mmHg ). Yield: 14.04 g , purity $90 \%, 0.06 \mathrm{~mol}, 60 \%$, colorless oil.

An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: Rt = 1-7 min, water/acetonitrile, 40-65\%, flow $30 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: Chomatorex 18 SMB100-5T, $100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m}$. A mixture of isomers: 9:1 (the sample contains ca. $10 \%$ of the isomeric 1,5 -disubstituted bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (500 $\mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 7.39$ (s), 7.31 (s) $1 \mathrm{H}, 7.28$ ( s , 7.18 ( s$) 1 \mathrm{H}, 4.13-3.97$ (m, 2H), 3.85 (s), 3.82 (s) $3 \mathrm{H}, 2.92(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.0,4.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.72(\mathrm{~s}), 2.46(\mathrm{~s}) 1 \mathrm{H}, 2.17-1.81(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.78-1.57(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H})$, $1.42(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.9,6.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.22(\mathrm{t}, J=6.9 \mathrm{~Hz}), 1.15(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}) 3 \mathrm{H} \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $(126$ $\left.\mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 175.7,137.9,137.8,128.1,127.8,122.5,60.2,59.9,54.0,50.6,47.6,47.1,40.2$, 40.0, 38.9, 38.9, 35.8, 34.2, 14.4, 14.3 ppm . LCMS (M+H): 235. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{19} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{2}$, 235.1447; found 235.1437.

( $\pm$ )-1-(1-Methyl-1H-pyrazol-4-yl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylic acid (16b)
General procedure D was used. Yield: $0.714 \mathrm{~g}, 0.00346 \mathrm{~mol}, 63 \%$, white solid. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta 11.94(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.45(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.24(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.75(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 2.84(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.9,4.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $2.39(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.08-2.02(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.95(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.7,6.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.81(\mathrm{~d}, J=10.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.71-$ $1.63(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.35(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.8,6.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}\right.$, DMSO-d $\left.\mathrm{d}_{6}\right): \delta 176.5,136.8$, 128.1, 121.8, 49.9, 47.2, 45.9, 38.3, 34.8, 33.8 ppm . LCMS (M+H): 207. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{11} \mathrm{H}_{15} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{2}$, 207.1134; found 207.1125.


## Ethyl-3-(1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl)but-2-enoate

General procedure A was used. The final product was purified by column chromatography, $\mathrm{SiO}_{2}$, $\mathrm{MeO} t \mathrm{Bu} /$ hexane, 1:9. Yield: $54.32 \mathrm{~g}, 0.28 \mathrm{~mol}, 70 \%$, yellow oil. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta$ 7.43 (d, $J=1.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.29(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.93(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.21(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H})$, $3.91(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 2.48(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.31(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}(151 \mathrm{MHz}$, $\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 166.1,144.7,144.4,138.5,120.4,106.8,60.3,38.5,19.4,14.4$ ppm. LCMS (M+H): 195. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{10} \mathrm{H}_{15} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{2}, 195.1134$; found 195.1127 .


Ethyl 2-(1-(1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl)vinyl)pent-4-enoate (17)
General procedure B was used. The final product was purified by column chromatography, $\mathrm{SiO}_{2}$, hexane/EtOAc, 9:1. Yield: $32.76 \mathrm{~g}, 0.14 \mathrm{~mol}, 70 \%$, colorless oil. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta$ $7.41(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.15(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.80-5.63(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.56(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.29(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $5.07-5.00(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 4.11(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.83(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 3.38(\mathrm{t}, J=7.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.68-2.54(\mathrm{~m}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 2.48-2.31(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.18(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 172.4$, $142.2,138.3,136.4,135.0,119.7,117.3,105.4,61.0,51.9,37.5,35.3,14.2 \mathrm{ppm} . \operatorname{LCMS}(\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}):$ 235. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{19} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{2}$, 235.1447; found 235.1440.

( $\pm$ )-Ethyl 1-(1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylate (17a)
A General procedure C was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=103-104{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, 0.1 mmHg ). Yield: 13.34 g , purity $80 \%, 0.057 \mathrm{~mol}, 57 \%$, colorless oil.

An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: $\mathrm{Rt}=1-7 \mathrm{~min}$, water/acetonitrile, $20-45 \%$, flow $30 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: Chomatorex 18 SMB100-5T, $100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m}$. A mixture of isomers: $\sim 4: 1$ (the sample contains ca. $20 \%$ of the isomeric 1,5-disubstituted bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (500 MHz, DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ : $\delta 7.25$ ( s ), 7.22 (s) 1H, 6.15 (s), 5.90 (s) 1H, 4.05 (q, J = 7.0 Hz), 3.93 - 3.81 (m)
$2 \mathrm{H}, 3.79$ (s), 3.73 (s) $3 \mathrm{H}, 3.19$ (dd, $J=8.4,3.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}$ ), 2.88 ( s ), 2.72 (s) $1 \mathrm{H}, 2.06$ (t, $J=9.7 \mathrm{~Hz}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 2.02-1.91(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.88-1.76(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.73(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.6,6.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.16(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz})$, $0.91(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}) 3 \mathrm{H} \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 174.3,170.5,143.2,142.7,137.8$, $137.8,106.0,105.0,60.4,60.3,52.7,51.00,50.0,46.7,45.8,41.7,40.5,39.0,38.1,37.7,36.4,32.9$, 28.7, 26.1, 14.4, 14.1 ppm . LCMS (M+H): 235. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{19} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{2}$, 235.1447; found 235.1437.

( $\pm$ )-1-(1-Methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylic acid (17b)
General procedure D was used. The final product was purified by column chromatography, $\mathrm{SiO}_{2}$, hexane/EtOAc, 4:1. Yield: $7.42 \mathrm{~g}, 0.036 \mathrm{~mol}, 65 \%$, white solid, m.p. $=231-232{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $(500$ MHz, DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ) $\delta 12.01(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.22(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.94(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.73(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 3.09(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.6,3.7 \mathrm{~Hz}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 2.50-2.47(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.07(\mathrm{t}, J=9.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.02(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.5,6.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.95(\mathrm{~d}, J=10.7$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.87-1.82(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.81-1.76(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.69(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.5,6.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR (126 MHz, DMSO-d d $_{6}$ : $\delta 175.4,137.0,104.6,50.0,45.8,45.1,38.6,37.4,35.6,32.8 \mathrm{ppm}$. LCMS (M+H): 207. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{11} \mathrm{H}_{15} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{2}$, 207.1134; found 207.1128.


## Ethyl-3-(1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)but-2-enoate

General procedure A was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=87-88^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1$ mmHg ). Yield: $55.10 \mathrm{~g}, 0.284 \mathrm{~mol}, 71 \%$, colorless oil. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{DMSO}-\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta 7.27$ (s, $1 \mathrm{H}), 6.99(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.10(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.15(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.75(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.24(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm}$. ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 166.3,147.9,144.8,128.7,123.9,120.1,60.3,35.4,18.3,14.4$ ppm. LCMS (M+H): 195. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[M+H]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{10} \mathrm{H}_{15} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{2}, 195.1134$; found 195.1133.


## Ethyl 2-(1-(1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)vinyl)pent-4-enoate (18)

General procedure B was used. The product was purified by column chromatography, $\mathrm{SiO}_{2}$, hexane/EtOAc, 9:1. Yield: $32.29 \mathrm{~g}, 0.138 \mathrm{~mol}, 69 \%$, yellow oil. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta$ $7.02(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.84(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.85-5.72(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.57(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.33(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.05(\mathrm{dd}, J=17.1,1.2 \mathrm{~Hz}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 4.99(\mathrm{~d}, J=10.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.10(\mathrm{q}, J=7.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.66(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 2.69-2.63(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.57-$ $2.50(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.16(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 173.1,147.1$, 136.7, 135.6, 128.0, 122.3, 117.9, 116.8, 60.8, 50.1, 35.6, 34.6, 14.3 ppm . HRMS (ESI-TOF) $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}:$ $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{19} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{2}, 235.1447$; found 235.1439.

( $\pm$ )-Ethyl 1-(1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylate (18a)
General procedure C was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=124-125{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, 0.1 mmHg ). Yield: 13.81 g , purity $\sim 90 \%, 0.059 \mathrm{~mol}, 59 \%$, colorless oil.

An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: $\mathrm{Rt}=1-7 \mathrm{~min}$, water/acetonitrile, $25-50 \%$, flow $30 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: Chomatorex 18 SMB100-5T, $100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta$ $6.88(\mathrm{~d}, J=0.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.71(\mathrm{~d}, J=0.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.02-3.86(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.60(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 3.18(\mathrm{dd}, J=$ $8.5,4.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.53(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.14-2.03(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 1.99-1.85(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.76-1.66(\mathrm{~m} \mathrm{1H}), 1.01(\mathrm{t}$, $J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 174.4,147.5,127.3,121.1,60.4,52.1$, 47.0, 45.8, 38.7, 36.3, 33.5, 32.5, 14.1 ppm . LCMS (M+H): 235. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{19} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{2}, 235.1447$; found 235.1438.

( $\pm$ )-1-(1-Methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylic acid (18b)
General procedure D was used. The product was purified by column chromatography, $\mathrm{SiO}_{2}$, hexane/EtOAc, $4: 1$. Yield: $7.42 \mathrm{~g}, 0.036 \mathrm{~mol}, 65 \%$, yellow solid, m.p. $=172-173{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO-d ${ }_{6}$ ): $\delta 12.47$ (br s, 1 H ), $6.97(\mathrm{~d}, J=0.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.70(\mathrm{~d}, J=0.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.60(\mathrm{~s}$, $3 \mathrm{H}), 3.12$ (dd, $J=9.3,3.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.44(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.09-1.93(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.90(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.6,7.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $1.87-1.81(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.61(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.6,6.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta$ 175.4, 146.8, 125.7, 121.8, 51.6, 45.9, 45.2, 38.3, 35.4, 33.2, 32.2 ppm. LCMS (M+H): 207. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{11} \mathrm{H}_{15} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{2}$, 207.1134; found 207.1127.


## Ethyl-3-(thiophen-2-yl)but-2-enoate

General procedure A was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=62-63{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1$ mmHg ). Yield: $62.72 \mathrm{~g}, 0.32 \mathrm{~mol}, 80 \%$, colorless oil. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 7.32(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $7.31(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.04(\mathrm{t}, J=4.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.25(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.20(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.61(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.31(\mathrm{t}, J=$ $7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 166.9,147.9,145.7,128.0,127.2,126.8$, 114.4, 60.0, 17.4, 14.5 ppm . HRMS (ESI-TOF) $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{10} \mathrm{H}_{13} \mathrm{O}_{2} \mathrm{~S}, 197.0636$; found 197.0628.


Ethyl 2-(1-(thiophen-2-yl)vinyl)pent-4-enoate (19)
General procedure B was used. Yield: 33.98 g , purity $\sim 90 \%, 0.144 \mathrm{~mol}, 72 \%$, colorless oil.
An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: Rt $=0-6 \mathrm{~min}$, water/acetonitrile, $40-80 \%$, flow $60 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: XBridge OBD $30 \times 100,5 \mu \mathrm{~m} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H} \mathrm{NMR}\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 7.32(\mathrm{~d}, J=5.1$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.31(\mathrm{~d}, J=3.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.05(\mathrm{dd}, J=4.9,3.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.22(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.96-5.85(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $5.06(\mathrm{dd}, J=17.1,1.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.98(\mathrm{~d}, J=10.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.20(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.23-3.08(\mathrm{~m}$, $2 \mathrm{H}), 2.34(\mathrm{dd}, J=15.2,7.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.31(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz , $\left.\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 166.4,152.0,144.8,137.8,128.1,127.3,126.8,115.1,114.6,60.0,33.9,30.8,14.5 \mathrm{ppm}$. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{17} \mathrm{O}_{2} \mathrm{~S}, 237.0949$; found 237.0941.


## ( $\pm$ )-Ethyl 1-(thiophen-2-yl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylate (19a)

General procedure C was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=88-89^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1$ mmHg ). Yield: 17.94 g , purity $\sim 90 \%, 0.076 \mathrm{~mol}, 76 \%$, colorless oil.

An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: $\mathrm{Rt}=0-5 \mathrm{~min}$, water/acetonitrile, $40-90 \%$, flow $60 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: XBridge OBD $30 \times 100,5 \mu \mathrm{~m} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 7.14(\mathrm{~d}, J=5.1$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.90(\mathrm{dd}, J=4.9,3.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.81(\mathrm{~d}, J=3.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.17-3.90(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.04(\mathrm{dd}, J=$
$8.9,4.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.51(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.22(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.8,7.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.16(\mathrm{t}, J=10.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.09-1.99$ $(\mathrm{m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.92-1.87(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.57(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.8,6.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.10(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR (126 MHz, $\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 175.2,145.6,126.7,123.7,123.6,60.3,54.6,48.6,48.2,40.6,35.7$, 34.4, 14.2 ppm . HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{17} \mathrm{O}_{2} \mathrm{~S}, 237.0949$; found 237.0941.

( $\pm$ )-1-(Thiophen-2-yl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylic acid (19b)
General procedure D was used. Yield: $8.35 \mathrm{~g}, 0.04 \mathrm{~mol}, 73 \%$, beige solid, m.p. $=103-104{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ : $\delta 12.07(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.33(\mathrm{~d}, J=4.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.95-6.91(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.85(\mathrm{~s}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 3.02-2.95(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.44(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.19-2.07(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.86(\mathrm{~d}, J=10.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.83-1.73$ $(\mathrm{m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.53(\mathrm{t}, J=7.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta 176.0,145.3,126.7$, 123.9, 123.7, 53.4, 48.2, 46.9, 40.3, 34.8, 34.1 ppm . LCMS (M+H): 209. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}:$ [ $\mathrm{M}-\mathrm{H}]^{-}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{11} \mathrm{H}_{11} \mathrm{O}_{2} \mathrm{~S}, 207.0480$; found 207.0480.


## Ethyl-3-(furan-2-yl)but-2-enoate

General procedure A was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=39-40{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1$ mmHg ). Yield: $58.32 \mathrm{~g}, 0.324 \mathrm{~mol}, 81 \%$, colorless oil. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 7.43$ (d, $J=$ $1.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.63(\mathrm{~d}, J=3.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.45(\mathrm{dd}, J=3.4,1.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.36(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.19(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.45(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.30(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$ : $\delta 167.3,154.5,144.0,142.2,112.6,112.1,111.3,59.9,14.9,14.5 \mathrm{ppm}$. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: [M $+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{10} \mathrm{H}_{13} \mathrm{O}_{3}, 181.0865$; found 181.0857.

( $\pm$ )-Ethyl 1-(furan-2-yl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylate (20a)
General procedure C was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=69-70{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1$ mmHg ). Yield: 16.06 g , purity $\sim 90 \%, 0.073 \mathrm{~mol}, 73 \%$, colorless oil.
An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: $\mathrm{Rt}=0-2-9 \mathrm{~min}$, acetonitrile $/$ water, $32-40-65 \%$, flow $30 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: Chomatorex 18 SMB100-5T, $100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta$
$7.30(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.26(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.27(\mathrm{dd}, J=3.0,1.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.06(\mathrm{~d}, J=3.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.11-3.99(\mathrm{~m}$, 2 H ), 3.09 (dd, $J=8.8,3.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}$ ), 2.49 ( $\mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}$ ), $2.14-2.00(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.96-1.89(\mathrm{~m}, J=10.3,3.9$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.45(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.8,6.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.15(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 151 MHz , $\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 175.3,155.4,141.2,110.1,105.3,60.3,52.4,46.4,45.7,39.1,35.8,33.7,14.3 \mathrm{ppm}$. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{17} \mathrm{O}_{3}, 221.1178$; found 221.1173.

( $\pm$ )-1-(Furan-2-yl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylic acid (20b)
General procedure D was used. Yield: $7.92 \mathrm{~g}, 0.041 \mathrm{~mol}, 75 \%$, yellow solid, m.p. $=79-80{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ : $\delta 12.08(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.51(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.35$ (dd, $\left.J=2.8,1.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}\right), 6.12$ (d, $J$ $=3.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.99(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.9,3.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.43(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.10(\mathrm{t}, J=9.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.96(\mathrm{dd}, J=$ $9.6,6.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.90-1.77(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.38(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.5,6.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz, DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta 176.1,154.9,141.4,110.3,105.2,51.3,46.0,44.4,34.9,33.4 \mathrm{ppm}$. LCMS (MH): 191. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{11} \mathrm{H}_{13} \mathrm{O}_{3}$, 193.0865; found 193.0858.


## Ethyl-3-(pyridin-4-yl)but-2-enoate

General procedure A was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=72-73{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1$ mmHg ). Yield: $55.77 \mathrm{~g}, 0.292 \mathrm{~mol}, 73 \%$, yellow oil. A mixture of cis + trans-isomers: $\sim 7: 3 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO-d $)_{6}: \delta 8.61(\mathrm{~d}, J=6.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 8.54(\mathrm{~d}, J=5.9 \mathrm{~Hz}) 2 \mathrm{H}, 7.55(\mathrm{~d}, J=6.1 \mathrm{~Hz})$, $7.20(\mathrm{~d}, J=5.9 \mathrm{~Hz}) 2 \mathrm{H}, 6.32(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 6.04(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.2 \mathrm{~Hz}) 1 \mathrm{H}, 4.16(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 3.92(\mathrm{q}, J$ $=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}) 2 \mathrm{H}, 2.49(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.0 \mathrm{~Hz}), 2.14(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.2 \mathrm{~Hz}) 3 \mathrm{H}, 1.24(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 1.02(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz})$ $3 \mathrm{H} \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz, DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta 165.6,164.6,152.6,151.7,150.1,149.2,148.1$, 121.8, 120.7, 119.0, 118.5, 59.8, 59.5, 25.8, 16.7, 14.1, 13.7 ppm. LCMS (M+H): 192. HRMS (ESITOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{11} \mathrm{H}_{14} \mathrm{NO}_{2}, 192.1025$; found 192.1019.


Ethyl 2-(1-(pyridin-4-yl)vinyl)pent-4-enoate (21)

General procedure B was used. Yield: 31.88 g , purity $90 \%, 0.138 \mathrm{~mol}, 69 \%$, colorless oil. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 8.57(\mathrm{~s}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.31(\mathrm{~d}, J=5.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 5.81-5.67(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.60(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.46$ $(\mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.07(\mathrm{~d}, J=17.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.03(\mathrm{~d}, J=10.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.14(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.56(\mathrm{t}, J=$ $6.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.74-2.61(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.49-2.35(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.20(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}$ ( $151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 172.8,150.0,148.7,144.2,135.0,121.3,118.0,117.4,61.1,49.4,36.0,14.2$ ppm. GCMS (M): 231. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[M+H]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{14} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{NO}_{2}, 232.1338$; found 232.1334.

( $\pm$ )-Ethyl 1-(pyridin-4-yl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylate (21a)
General procedure C was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=98-99{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1$ mmHg ). Yield: 16.40 g , purity $\sim 90 \%, 0.071 \mathrm{~mol}, 71 \%$, colorless oil.

An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: $\mathrm{Rt}=0-1-5 \mathrm{~min}$, water/acetonitrile, $30-30-80 \%$, flow $60 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: XBridge OBD $30 \times 100,5 \mu \mathrm{~m} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 8.48(\mathrm{~d}, J=4.9$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.07(\mathrm{~d}, J=5.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.92(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.02(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.7,4.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.56(\mathrm{~s}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 2.17(\mathrm{t}, J=10.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.14-2.08(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.83-1.78(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.64(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.7,6.8 \mathrm{~Hz}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 0.97(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 174.6,151.1,149.6,121.5$, 60.3, 57.2, 48.3, 46.5, 37.8, 35.6, 33.9, 14.1 ppm. LCMS (M+H): 232. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: [M + $\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{14} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{NO}_{2}$, 232.1338; found 232.1330.

( $\pm$ )-1-(Pyridin-4-yl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylic acid (21b)
General procedure D was used. Yield: $7.92 \mathrm{~g}, 0.039 \mathrm{~mol}, 70 \%$, yellow solid, m.p. $=197-198{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO-d $)_{6}$ : $\delta 12.02$ (br s, 1H), $8.73-8.26$ (m, 2H), $7.32-7.00(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.14-$ $3.01(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.50-2.44(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.16(\mathrm{t}, J=9.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.03-1.88(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.84(\mathrm{br} \mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $1.76-1.58(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz, DMSO-d 6 ): $\delta 175.6,150.8,149.2,121.6,56.2$, 46.8, 46.2, 37.3, 34.8, 33.6 ppm . LCMS (M+H): 204. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}:[\mathrm{M}-\mathrm{H}]^{-}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{12} \mathrm{H}_{12} \mathrm{NO}_{2}$, 202.0868; found 202.0868.


## Ethyl-3-(pyridin-3-yl)but-2-enoate

General procedure A was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=68-69^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1$ mmHg ). Yield: $53.48 \mathrm{~g}, 0.28 \mathrm{~mol}, 70 \%$, colorless oil. A mixture of cis+trans-isomers: $\sim 3: 2 .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO-d $)_{6}: \delta 8.78(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.8 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), $8.41(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.5 \mathrm{~Hz}) 1 \mathrm{H}, 8.59(\mathrm{dd}, J=4.7,1.3$ Hz ), 8.50 (dd, $J=4.8,1.4 \mathrm{~Hz}) 1 \mathrm{H}, 8.01-7.98$ (m), $7.68-7.64$ (m) $1 \mathrm{H}, 7.44$ (dd, $J=7.6,4.8 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), $7.38(\mathrm{dd}, J=7.7,4.8 \mathrm{~Hz}) 1 \mathrm{H}, 6.24(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.1 \mathrm{~Hz}), 6.06(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.3 \mathrm{~Hz}) 1 \mathrm{H}, 4.16(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz})$, 3.93 (q, $J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}) 2 \mathrm{H}, 3.32$ (s), 3.29 (s) $3 \mathrm{H}, 2.53(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.0 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), $2.18(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.3 \mathrm{~Hz}) 3 \mathrm{H}, 1.25(\mathrm{t}, J$ $=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), $1.03(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}) 3 \mathrm{H} \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \operatorname{NMR}\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 165.7,164.8,152.1$, $151.8,150.0,148.6,147.6,147.2,136.6,136.1,134.5,133.8,123.5,122.9,118.6,117.7,59.7,59.4$, 26.3, 17.1, 14.2, 13.8 ppm . LCMS ( $\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}$ ): 192. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{11} \mathrm{H}_{14} \mathrm{NO}_{2}, 192.1025$; found 192.1025.


Ethyl 2-(1-(pyridin-3-yl)vinyl)pent-4-enoate (22)
General procedure B was used. Yield: 32.34 g , purity $90 \%, 0.14 \mathrm{~mol}, 70 \%$, colorless oil.
An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by column chromatography, $\mathrm{SiO}_{2}$, hexane/EtOAc, $9: 1$. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{DMSO}-\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta$ $8.61(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 8.50(\mathrm{~d}, J=4.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.81(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.38(\mathrm{dd}, J=7.9,4.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.84$ - 5.69 (m, 1H), $5.54(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.33(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.03(\mathrm{dd}, J=25.8,13.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 4.10-3.97(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H})$, $3.77-3.68(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.58-2.51(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.44-2.35(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.06(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm}$. ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR (126 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta$ 172.1, 148.8, 147.4, 142.9, 135.9, 135.3, 133.7, 123.3, 117.1, 116.6, 60.3, 48.8, 35.1, 13.9 ppm . LCMS (M+H): 232. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{14} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{NO}_{2}, 232.1338$; found 232.1331.

( $\pm$ )-Ethyl 1-(pyridin-3-yl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylate (22a)

General procedure C was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=98-99{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1$ mmHg ). Yield: 15.71 g , purity $\sim 90 \%, 0.068 \mathrm{~mol}, 68 \%$, colorless oil.

An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: $\mathrm{Rt}=0-1-6 \mathrm{~min}$, water/acetonitrile, $30-60-70 \%$, flow $60 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: XBridge OBD $30 \times 100,5 \mu \mathrm{~m} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta 8.39(\mathrm{~d}, J=4.7$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 8.36(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.57-7.52(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.29(\mathrm{dd}, J=7.8,4.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.92-3.75(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.29$ (s, 1H), $3.12(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.8,4.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.12(\mathrm{t}, J=9.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.99-1.89(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.89-1.81(\mathrm{~m}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 1.77-1.70(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.68(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.5,6.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 0.85(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR (151 MHz, $\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 174.7,147.6(\mathrm{~d}, J=14.3 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), 137.7, 134.0, 123.1, 60.2, 56.0, 48.5, 46.5, 38.1, 35.9, 33.9, 14.1 ppm . LCMS (M+H): 232. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{14} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{NO}_{2}$, 232.1338; found 232.1333.

( $\pm$ )-1-(Pyridin-3-yl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylic acid (22b)
General procedure D was used. Yield: $7.71 \mathrm{~g}, 0.038 \mathrm{~mol}, 69 \%$, beige solid, m.p. $=129-130{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (500 MHz, DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ : $\delta 11.99(\mathrm{br} \mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 8.41(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.59(\mathrm{~d}, J=6.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $7.30(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.07(\mathrm{br} \mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.49-2.32(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.15(\mathrm{t}, J=8.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.00(\mathrm{t}, J=7.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $1.93(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.86(\mathrm{br} \mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.72(\mathrm{br} \mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.69-1.58(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz , DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta 175.7,158.6,147.5,147.3,133.7,123.1,55.1,47.0,46.1,37.5,35.0,33.6$ ppm. LCMS (M+H): 204. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{12} \mathrm{H}_{14} \mathrm{NO}_{2}, 204.1025$; found 204.1019.


## Ethyl-3-(pyridin-2-yl)but-2-enoate

General procedure A was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=67-68{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1$ mmHg ). Yield: $55.77 \mathrm{~g}, 0.292 \mathrm{~mol}, 73 \%$, colorless oil. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 8.63(\mathrm{~d}, J=$ $4.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.70(\mathrm{td}, J=7.7,1.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.54(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.25(\mathrm{dd}, J=7.6,5.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $6.68(\mathrm{~d}, J=0.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.22(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.61(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.31(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm}$. ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 167.1,158.2,153.1,149.4,136.8,123.6,121.0,119.4,60.1$, 16.1, 14.4 ppm . LCMS $(\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H})$ : 192. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{11} \mathrm{H}_{14} \mathrm{NO}_{2}$, 192.1025; found 192.1018 .


Ethyl 2-(1-(pyridin-2-yl)vinyl)pent-4-enoate (23)
General procedure B was used. Yield: $30.95 \mathrm{~g}, 0.134 \mathrm{~mol}, 67 \%$, colorless oil.
An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by column chromatography, $\mathrm{SiO}_{2}$, hexane/EtOAc, 9:1. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 8.55$ $(\mathrm{d}, J=4.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.63(\mathrm{dt}, J=7.8,1.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.53(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.15(\mathrm{dd}, J=6.9,5.3$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.84(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.84-5.75(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.46(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.05(\mathrm{dd}, J=17.1,1.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.99(\mathrm{~d}, J=$ $10.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.12(\mathrm{qd}, J=7.1,1.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 4.05(\mathrm{t}, J=7.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.77-2.63(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.58-$ $2.42(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.16(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 173.8,157.5$, $148.8,146.0,136.4,136.0,122.4,120.6,116.8,116.6,60.6,48.0,35.8,14.2 \mathrm{ppm} . \operatorname{LCMS}(\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}):$ 232. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{14} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{NO}_{2}, 232.1338$; found 232.1330.

( $\pm$ )-Ethyl 1-(pyridin-2-yl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylate (23a)
General procedure C was used. The final product was purified by distillation (b.p. $=95-94{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 0.1$ mmHg ). Yield: 16.40 g , purity $\sim 90 \%, 0.071 \mathrm{~mol}, 71 \%$, colorless oil.
An analytically pure sample of the product was obtained by purification of the sample of the crude mixture by HPLC: $\mathrm{Rt}=0-1-5 \mathrm{~min}$, water/acetonitrile, $30-30-70 \%$, flow $60 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump 4 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: XBridge OBD $30 \times 100,5 \mu \mathrm{~m} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 8.52(\mathrm{~d}, J=4.2$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.57(\mathrm{td}, J=7.7,1.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.14(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.12-7.04(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.99-3.85$ (m, 2H), $3.27-3.18(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.52(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.18(\mathrm{t}, J=10.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.11-2.05(\mathrm{~m}$, $2 \mathrm{H}), 1.94-1.84(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.69(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.7,6.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 0.96(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR (126 MHz, $\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 175.1,161.5,149.1,136.0,121.4,121.0,60.0,59.4,47.5,46.3,38.1$, 35.3, 33.7, 14.1 ppm . LCMS (M+H): 232. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{14} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{NO}_{2}$, 232.1338; found 232.1330 .

( $\pm$ )-1-(Pyridin-2-yl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylic acid (23b)

General procedure D was used. Yield: $7.70 \mathrm{~g}, 0.038 \mathrm{~mol}, 69 \%$, beige solid, m.p. $=107-108{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, ~ D M S O-\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta 11.96$ (br s, 1H), 8.46 (d, $J=2.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}$ ), 7.69 (dd, $J=10.8,4.4$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.26(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.23-7.12(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.16(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.6,3.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.45(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $2.15(\mathrm{t}, J=9.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.02-1.81(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.79-1.72(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.55(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta 175.9,160.8,148.5,136.1,121.4,121.0,58.7,46.3,45.9,37.7,34.5,33.6$ ppm. LCMS (M+H): 204. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}-\mathrm{H}]^{-}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{12} \mathrm{H}_{12} \mathrm{NO}_{2}, 202.0868$; found 202.0869 .


## 2-(Ethoxycarbonyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-1-carboxylic acid (24)

To a solution of 1-phenylbicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylic acid (1b) ( $20.20 \mathrm{~g}, 0.10 \mathrm{~mol}, 1.00$ equiv) and $\mathrm{K}_{2} \mathrm{CO}_{3}(27.60 \mathrm{~g}, 0.20 \mathrm{~mol}, 2.00$ equiv) in 200 mL of DMF was added EtI ( $46.80 \mathrm{~g}, 0.30$ mol, 3.00 equiv) dropwise at $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ over 15 min . The resulting mixture was stirred overnight at room temperature. The solution was diluted with water ( 400 mL ) and extracted with EtOAc ( $3 \times 200$ $\mathrm{mL})$. The combined layers were washed with water $(1 \times 200 \mathrm{~mL})$, brine $(1 \times 200 \mathrm{~mL})$, dried over $\mathrm{Na}_{2} \mathrm{SO}_{4}$, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure. The crude product was used without purification. The residue was dissolved in a mixture of $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}(90 \mathrm{~mL}), \mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{CN}(60 \mathrm{~mL})$ and $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}$ ( 60 mL ). $\mathrm{RuCl}_{3} \times \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}(0.62 \mathrm{~g}, 0.003 \mathrm{~mol}, 0.03$ equiv) and $\mathrm{NaOH}(16.00 \mathrm{~g}, 0.40 \mathrm{~mol}, 4.00$ equiv) were added to the mixture. Then $\mathrm{NaIO}_{4}(64.20 \mathrm{~g}, 0.30 \mathrm{~mol}, 3.00$ equiv) was added in portions at 0 ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. The mixture was vigorously stirred overnight at room temperature. Then the mixture was filtered and washed with water. The layers were partitioned. An aqueous layer was washed with $\mathrm{MeO} t \mathrm{Bu}(2 \times 100 \mathrm{~mL})$. The aqueous layer was acidified with 5 M HCl to $\mathrm{pH}=2$ and extracted with EtOAc ( $4 \times 100 \mathrm{~mL}$ ). The combined organic phases were dried over $\mathrm{Na}_{2} \mathrm{SO}_{4}$, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to give the desired product. Yield over 2 steps: $12.08 \mathrm{~g}, 0.061$ mol, $61 \%$, yellow oil. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 9.90$ (br s, 1H), $4.22-4.08$ (m, 2H), 3.17 $3.13(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.44(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.17(\mathrm{t}, J=10.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.03-1.89(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.66(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.7,7.4 \mathrm{~Hz}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 1.48(\mathrm{dd}, J=9.7,6.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.24(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}(126 \mathrm{MHz}$, $\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta 178.0,174.5,60.9,54.8,45.1,44.8,38.2,35.6,33.1,14.2 \mathrm{ppm}$. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}:$ $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{10} \mathrm{H}_{15} \mathrm{O}_{4}, 199.0970$; found 199.0963.

( $\pm$ )-2-(Ethoxycarbonyl)-2-fluorobicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-1-carboxylic acid (25)
The same procedure as for 24 was used. Yield: $7.93 \mathrm{~g}, 0.0367 \mathrm{~mol}, 74 \%$, yellow oil. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 $\left.\mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 9.98(\mathrm{br} \mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.46-4.23(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.54-2.41(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.31-1.99(\mathrm{~m}, 5 \mathrm{H})$, $1.31(\mathrm{t}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right): \delta 175.3,170.7(\mathrm{~d}, J=28.6 \mathrm{~Hz})$, $98.4(\mathrm{~d}, J=205.2 \mathrm{~Hz}), 62.1,60.9(\mathrm{~d}, J=23.0 \mathrm{~Hz}), 44.0,42.6(\mathrm{~d}, J=21.0 \mathrm{~Hz}), 41.1(\mathrm{~d}, J=3.8 \mathrm{~Hz})$, 33.6, $14.1 \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ): $\delta-158.1$ (s) ppm. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}:[\mathrm{M}+$ $\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{10} \mathrm{H}_{14} \mathrm{FO}_{4}$, 217.0876; found 217.0869.


## $N$-(4-(2-methyl-3,4,5,6-tetrahydrobenzo[b]imidazo[4,5-d]azepine-6-carbonyl)phenyl)-1-phenylbicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxamide (( $\pm$ )-26)

DMF ( 1 drop) and thionyl chloride ( $0.59 \mathrm{~g}, 4.90 \mathrm{mmol}, 1.96$ equiv) were added to a solution of 1-phenylbicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylic acid (1b) ( $0.50 \mathrm{~g}, 2.50 \mathrm{mmol}, 1.00$ equiv) in $\mathrm{CHCl}_{3}$ (3 mL ) at room temperature. The resulting mixture was stirred for 2 h at this temperature, then concentrated in vacuo. The resulting residue was diluted with $\mathrm{CHCl}_{3}(3 \mathrm{~mL})$ and concentrated again. $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{CN}(5 \mathrm{~mL})$ was added to the residue, and the mixture was poured into a suspension of (4-aminophenyl)(2-methyl-4,5-dihydrobenzo[b]imidazo[4,5-d]azepin-6(1H)-yl)methanone (EN30018807489) ( $0.71 \mathrm{~g}, 2.20 \mathrm{mmol}, 0.88$ equiv) and pyridine ( $0.59 \mathrm{~g}, 7.40 \mathrm{mmol}, 2.96$ equiv) in $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{CN}$ $(10 \mathrm{~mL})$ at room temperature. The mixture was heated at reflux for 2 h , and then cooled to room temperature. The solvent was evaporated under reduced pressure. The final product was purified by HPLC: Rt $=0-1-5 \mathrm{~min}$, water/acetonitrile $/ 0.1 \% \mathrm{NH}_{4} \mathrm{OH}, 35-35-60 \%$, flow $30 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump $4 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: XBridge BEH C18, $100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m}$. Yield: $0.72 \mathrm{~g}, 1.43 \mathrm{mmol}, 65 \%$, white solid. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta 11.91(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 9.65(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 8.10(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $7.22-6.93(\mathrm{~m}, 7 \mathrm{H}), 6.91-6.54(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 4.93(\mathrm{~d}, J=11.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.17(\mathrm{~d}, J=5.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.16-$ 2.74 (m, 4H), 2.45 (s, 1H), $2.40-2.19$ (m, 4H), 2.09 (t, $J=9.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.93$ (d, $J=9.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$,
1.70 (br s, 2H), $1.61-1.53(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 151 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta$ 161.0, 150.7, $150.6,149.0,144.3,139.20,139.17,137.9,136.3,132.5,116.0,111.2,110.94,110.91,110.83$, 110.80, 109.6, 108.1, 57.0, 52.1, 44.3, 37.8, 36.7, 34.1 ppm. LCMS (M+H): 503. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{32} \mathrm{H}_{31} \mathrm{~N}_{4} \mathrm{O}_{2}, 503.2447$; found 503.2448.


## $N$-(2,2,2-Trifluoroethyl)-9-(4-(4-(1-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxamido)piperidin-1-yl)butyl)-9H-fluorene-9-carboxamide ((土)-27)

1-(4-(Trifluoromethyl)phenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylic acid 8b ( $0.20 \mathrm{~g}, 0.40 \mathrm{mmol}, 1.00$ equiv), $\quad 9$-(4-(4-aminopiperidin-1-yl)butyl)- N -(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)-9H-fluorene-9-carboxamide dihydrochloride ( $0.12 \mathrm{~g}, 0.44 \mathrm{mmol}, 1.10$ equiv) and $\mathrm{Et}_{3} \mathrm{~N}(0.27 \mathrm{~g}, 2.70 \mathrm{mmol}, 6.75$ equiv) were dissolved in DMF ( 2 mL ). The mixture was cooled to $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and HATU $(0.21 \mathrm{~g}, 0.50 \mathrm{mmol}, 1.25$ equiv) was added. The resulting mixture was stirred for 12 h at room temperature. The solution was poured in 10 mL ( $5 \%$ aq.) citric acid and extracted with $\mathrm{MeOtBu}(3 \times 10 \mathrm{~mL}$ ). The combined organic layers were dried over $\mathrm{Na}_{2} \mathrm{SO}_{4}$, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure. The final product was purified by HPLC: $\mathrm{Rt}=0-1-5 \mathrm{~min}$, water/acetonitrile $/ 0.1 \% \mathrm{NH}_{4} \mathrm{OH}, 55-55-90 \%$, flow $30 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump $4 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: XBridge BEH C18, $100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m}$. Yield: $0.19 \mathrm{~g}, 0.27 \mathrm{mmol}, 68 \%$, white solid. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{DMSO}-\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta 7.88$ (d, $J=7.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}$ ), $7.60(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.47-7.26(\mathrm{~m}, 9 \mathrm{H}), 7.23(\mathrm{t}, J=6.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.74-3.64(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.82(\mathrm{br}$ $\mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.44(\mathrm{br} \mathrm{s}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.39-2.33(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.30-2.15(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.99-1.83(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 1.75-1.55$ $(\mathrm{m}, 5 \mathrm{H}), 1.49-1.40(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.16-1.02(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 0.80-0.71(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 0.50(\mathrm{br} \mathrm{s}, 2 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm}$. ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 151 MHz , DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ : $\delta 172.7,172.3,147.1,145.6,140.8,124.6(\mathrm{~d}, J=3.5 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), 124.0, 123.7 (m), 120.8 (t, $J=296.6 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), 61.7, 57.7, 57.3, 51.6, 51.4, 48.0, 45.8, 45.4, 37.4, 36.0, 34.4, 32.9, 31.2, 31.1, 26.6, $21.2 \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 376 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta$-61.3 (s), -71.1 (s) ppm. LCMS (M+H): 698. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{39} \mathrm{H}_{42} \mathrm{~F}_{6} \mathrm{~N}_{3} \mathrm{O}_{2}, 698.3181$; found 698.3185 .


Tert-butyl (1-(4-chlorophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexan-2-yl)carbamate (SI-1)
To a stirring solution of 1-(4-chlorophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane-2-carboxylic acid (5b) (1.50 g, $6.30 \mathrm{mmol}, 1.00$ equiv) in THF ( 40 mL ) was added $\mathrm{NaN}_{3}(1.44 \mathrm{~g}, 22.2 \mathrm{mmol}, 3.50$ equiv), followed by tetrabutyl ammonium bromide ( $\mathrm{Bu} 4_{4} \mathrm{NBr}$ ) $(0.31 \mathrm{~g}, 1.00 \mathrm{mmol})$ and $\mathrm{Zn}(\mathrm{OTf})_{2}(0.12 \mathrm{~g}, 0.30 \mathrm{mmol})$, and the reaction mixture was heated to $40{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. Then $\mathrm{Boc}_{2} \mathrm{O}(2.07 \mathrm{~g}, 9.50 \mathrm{mmol}, 1.50$ equiv) was added at once, and the reaction was heated at $45^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ overnight. The reaction was cooled to $0{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and was quenched with a $10 \%$ aq. solution of $\mathrm{NaHCO}_{3}(180 \mathrm{~mL})$. THF was evaporated, and the aqueous layer was extracted with EtOAc $(3 \times 30 \mathrm{~mL})$. The combined organic layers were washed with a $5 \%$ aq. solution of $\mathrm{NaHCO}_{3}(20 \mathrm{~mL})$, brine ( 30 mL ), dried over $\mathrm{Na}_{2} \mathrm{SO}_{4}$, filtered and concentrated to dryness to yield a crude product which which was purified by flash chromatography ( $\mathrm{SiO}_{2}$, gradient, hexanes/EtOAc, $0-90 \%$ ). Yield: $1.65 \mathrm{~g}, 5.37 \mathrm{mmol}, 85 \%$, beige solid, m.p. $=93-94{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO-d $)$ ) $\delta 7.28(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}$ ), $7.14(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 6.87(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.8 \mathrm{~Hz}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 4.08(\mathrm{t}, J=6.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.36(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.20(\mathrm{t}, J=9.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.95-1.84(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.70-1.54$ $(\mathrm{m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.45(\mathrm{~d}, J=10.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.24(\mathrm{~s}, 9 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 151 MHz , DMSO-d ${ }_{6}$ ): $\delta$ 155.1, 141.0, 130.4, 128.0, 127.5, 77.3, 57.1, 53.9, 43.8, 37.8, 36.8, 34.1, 28.1 ppm. HRMS (ESITOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{Na}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{17} \mathrm{H}_{22} \mathrm{ClNNaO}_{2}, 330.1237$; found 330.1233 .


## 1-(4-Chlorophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexan-2-amine hydrochloride (SI-2)

Tert-butyl (1-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexan-2-yl)carbamate ( $1.30 \mathrm{~g}, 4.23 \mathrm{mmol}$ ) was dissolved in 4 M HCl in dioxane ( 20 mL ). The resulting solution was stirred at $20-25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 12 h , and then $\mathrm{Et}_{2} \mathrm{O}(20 \mathrm{~mL})$ was added. The suspension was stirred for 1 h , filtered and dried. Yield: $0.86 \mathrm{~g}, 3.53 \mathrm{mmol}, 83 \%$, white solid, m.p. $=260-262^{\circ} \mathrm{C} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO-d ) : $\delta 8.11$ (br s, 3H), 7.42 (d, $J=8.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}$ ), 7.26 (d, $J=8.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}$ ), $3.75(\mathrm{br} \mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.47(\mathrm{br} \mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.29(\mathrm{t}$, $J=9.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.13-2.06(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.86(\mathrm{~d}, J=6.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.76-1.69(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.67(\mathrm{~d}, J=$ $11.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}$ ) ppm. ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 151 MHz , DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ : $\delta 138.4,131.5,128.4,128.3,56.2,54.0$, 44.6, 37.1, 35.2, 34.7 ppm . LCMS ( $\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}$ ): 208. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{12} \mathrm{H}_{15} \mathrm{ClN}$, 208.0893; found 208.0884.


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## 2-Chloro- $N$-(1-(4-chlorophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexan-2-yl)nicotinamide ((土)28)

2-Chloronicotinic acid ( $0.39 \mathrm{~g}, 2.5 \mathrm{mmol}, 1.00$ equiv), 1-(4-chlorophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexan-2amine hydrochloride ( $0.6 \mathrm{~g}, 2.5 \mathrm{mmol}, 1.00$ equiv) and $\mathrm{Et}_{3} \mathrm{~N}(1.24 \mathrm{~g}, 12.5 \mathrm{mmol}, 5.00$ equiv) were dissolved in DMF ( 5 mL ). The mixture was cooled to $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, and HATU ( $1.31 \mathrm{~g}, 3.4 \mathrm{mmol}, 1.36$ equiv) was added. The mixture was stirred for 12 h at room temperature. Then the solution was poured in 50 mL ( $5 \%$ aq.) citric acid and extracted with $\mathrm{MeO} t \mathrm{Bu}(3 \times 30 \mathrm{~mL}$ ). The combined organic layers were dried over $\mathrm{Na}_{2} \mathrm{SO}_{4}$, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure. The crude mixture was purified by HPLC: Rt $=0-1-6 \mathrm{~min}$, water/acetonitrile/0.1\%FA, 35-35-80\%, flow 30 $\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump $4 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: Chomatorex $18 \mathrm{SMB} 100-5 \mathrm{~T}, 100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m}$. Yield: $0.52 \mathrm{~g}, 1.50 \mathrm{mmol}, 60 \%$, white solid. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO-d ): $\delta 8.55$ (d, $J=9.1 \mathrm{~Hz}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 8.41(\mathrm{dd}, J=4.7,1.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.60(\mathrm{dd}, J=7.5,1.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.44(\mathrm{dd}, J=7.5,4.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, 7.34 (d, $J=8.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}$ ), 7.25 (d, $J=8.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}$ ), 4.64 (t, $J=7.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.46$ ( $\mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.37-2.30$ $(\mathrm{m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.96-1.88(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.84-1.78(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.75-1.67(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.56(\mathrm{~d}, J=11.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$ ppm. ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 151 MHz, DMSO-d 6 ): $\delta 164.7$, 149.9, 146.4, 140.4, 137.7, 133.4, 130.7, 128.3, 127.7, 122.9, 57.2, 52.5, 44.6, 37.8, 37.2, 34.4 ppm. LCMS (M+H): 348. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{18} \mathrm{H}_{17} \mathrm{Cl}_{2} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}, 347.0718$; found 347.0726.


## Tert-butyl (1-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexan-2-yl)carbamate (SI-3)

The same procedure as for SI-1 was used. Yield: $1.63 \mathrm{~g}, 4.78 \mathrm{mmol}, 76 \%$, beige solid. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO-d $): \delta 7.49$ (d, $J=8.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}$ ), 7.32 (s, 1H), 7.11 (d, $J=8.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.00$ (d, $J$ $=9.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.06(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.37(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.19(\mathrm{t}, J=9.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.91-1.86(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.70-1.60$ $(\mathrm{m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.45(\mathrm{~d}, J=10.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.24(\mathrm{~s}, 9 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 101 MHz, DMSO-d 6 ): $\delta$
155.1, 143.3, 130.3, 129.8, 128.3, 128.2, 126.7, 77.5, 56.9, 54.0, 43.4, 37.9, 36.4, 34.1, 28.1 ppm. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{Na}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{17} \mathrm{H}_{21} \mathrm{Cl}_{2} \mathrm{NNaO}_{2}, 364.0847$; found 364.0840.


## 1-(3,4-Dichlorophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexan-2-amine hydrochloride (SI-4)

The same procedure as for SI-2 was used. Yield: $0.72 \mathrm{~g}, 2.59 \mathrm{mmol}, 80 \%$, beige solid, m.p. $=244-$ $246{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, ~ D M S O-\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta 8.17$ (br s, 3 H ), $7.60(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.48(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.5$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.20(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.2,1.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.78(\mathrm{~d}, J=6.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.46(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.26(\mathrm{t}, J=9.9 \mathrm{~Hz}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 2.14-2.03(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.87(\mathrm{~d}, J=6.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.77-1.70(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.66(\mathrm{~d}, J=11.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$ ppm. ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ ( 151 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta 140.6,131.1,130.5,129.5,128.8,127.1,55.9,54.0,44.5$, 37.0, 35.1, 34.8 ppm . HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{12} \mathrm{H}_{14} \mathrm{Cl}_{2} \mathrm{~N}, 242.0503$; found 242.0498.


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N -(1-(3,4-Dichlorophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexan-2-yl)-3-(difluoromethyl)-1-methyl-1 H -pyrazole-4-carboxamide ( $( \pm$ )29)
The same procedure as for $( \pm) \mathbf{2 8}$ was used. The crude mixture was purified by HPLC: Rt $=0-1-6$ min, water $/ \mathrm{MeOH}, 50-50-90 \%$, flow $30 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump $4 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: Chomatorex 18 SMB100-5T, $100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m}$. Yield: $0.66 \mathrm{~g}, 1.65 \mathrm{mmol}, 65 \%$, white solid. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO-d 6 ): $\delta 8.29(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.88(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.47(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.38(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $7.14(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.08(\mathrm{t}, J=54.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.62(\mathrm{t}, J=7.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.89(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.47(\mathrm{~s}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 2.30(\mathrm{t}, J=9.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.01(\mathrm{t}, J=7.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.86-1.80(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.79-1.73(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $1.70(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.8,7.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.58(\mathrm{~d}, J=11.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 151 MHz , DMSO$\left.\mathrm{d}_{6}\right): \delta 161.0,144.3(\mathrm{t}, J=23.0 \mathrm{~Hz}), 142.9,132.4,130.5,129.9,128.5,128.3,126.7,116.0(\mathrm{t}, J=3.5$
$\mathrm{Hz}), 109.6(\mathrm{t}, J=234.3 \mathrm{~Hz}), 56.9,52.1,44.3,37.9,36.9,34.3 \mathrm{ppm} . \operatorname{LCMS}(\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}): 401$. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{18} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{Cl}_{2} \mathrm{~F}_{2} \mathrm{~N}_{3} \mathrm{O}, 400.0795$; found 400.0801.


## Tert-butyl (1-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexan-2-yl)carbamate (SI-5)

The same procedure as for $\mathbf{S}-\mathbf{1}$ was used. Yield: $1.55 \mathrm{~g}, 4.74 \mathrm{mmol}, 75 \%$, beige solid. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{\text {) }}$ : $\delta 7.09$ - 6.90 (m, 2H), 4.04 (s, 1H), 2.36 (s, 1H), 2.17 (t, J = 9.6 Hz, 1H), 1.88 $1.83(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.71-1.58(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.45(\mathrm{~d}, J=9.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.25(\mathrm{~s}, 9 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 151 MHz, DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ : $\delta 155.2,149.8$ (m), 139.6, 137.01 (m), 110.7 (d, $J=16.3 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), 77.5, 56.9, 54.0, $43.4,37.8,36.2,33.8,28.0 \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{DMSO}-\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta-137.33(\mathrm{~d}, J=22.2 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), 166.47 (t, $J=22.1 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ) ppm. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{Na}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{17} \mathrm{H}_{20} \mathrm{~F}_{3} \mathrm{NNaO}_{2}$, 350.1344; found 350.1337 .


1-(3,4,5-Trifluorophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexan-2-amine hydrochloride (SI-6)
The same procedure as for SI-2 was used. Yield: $0.67 \mathrm{~g}, 2.54 \mathrm{mmol}, 88 \%$, white solid. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO-d 6 ): $\delta 8.14$ (br s, 3 H ), $7.25-7.11$ (m, 2H), 3.78 (d, $J=6.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.45(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $2.25(\mathrm{t}, J=10.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.05(\mathrm{t}, J=8.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.88(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.75-1.67(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H})$, 1.64 (d, $J=11.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$ ppm. ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $151 \mathrm{MHz}, ~ D M S O-\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta 150.2$ (ddd, $J=246.8$, 9.3, $3.3 \mathrm{~Hz}), 137.7(\mathrm{dt}, J=231.2,15.8 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), 136.8 (m), 111.6 (dd, $J=16.7,3.6 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), 56.0, $54.0,44.5$, 37.0, 35.0, $34.5 \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 376 MHz, DMSO-d $)_{6}$ : $\delta-136.2(\mathrm{~d}, J=21.6 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), $-164.9(\mathrm{t}, J=$ 21.6 Hz ) ppm. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{12} \mathrm{H}_{13} \mathrm{~F}_{3} \mathrm{~N}$, 228.1000; found 228.0999.


SI-6


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3-(Difluoromethyl)-1-methyl- N -(1-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexan-2-yl)-1H-pyrazole-4-carboxamide ( $( \pm) 30)$

The same procedure as for 28 was used. The crude mixture was purified by HPLC: $\mathrm{Rt}=0-1-6 \mathrm{~min}$, water $/ \mathrm{MeOH}, 55-55-75 \%$, flow $30 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ (loading pump $4 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}$ ), column: Chomatorex 18 SMB100-5T, $100 \times 19 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m}$. Yield: $0.62 \mathrm{~g}, 1.61 \mathrm{mmol}, 64 \%$, white solid. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $(500 \mathrm{MHz}$, DMSO-d $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ : $\delta 8.28(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.87(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.19-6.96(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 4.58(\mathrm{br} \mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.87(\mathrm{~s}$, $3 \mathrm{H}), 2.44(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.26(\mathrm{t}, J=9.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.97-1.91(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.81(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.73-1.64(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H})$, $1.57(\mathrm{~d}, J=10.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}) \mathrm{ppm} .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 151 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ): $\delta 173.2,143.5,142.0,131.7$, 130.7, 130.3, 128.7, 127.9, 126.5, 126.3, 126.1, 125.8, 117.9, 58.2, 48.7, 46.1, 37.7, 34.3, 34.0, 13.8 ppm. ${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 376 MHz, DMSO-d $)_{6}$ ) $\delta-114.5(\mathrm{~d}, J=16.1 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), $-136.9(\mathrm{~d}, J=22.3 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ), $165.9(\mathrm{t}, J=22.3 \mathrm{~Hz}) \mathrm{ppm}$. LCMS (M+H): 386. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $m / z:[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{18} \mathrm{H}_{17} \mathrm{~F}_{5} \mathrm{~N}_{3} \mathrm{O}, 386.1292$; found 386.1295.

Copies of ${ }^{1} \mathbf{H},{ }^{13} \mathbf{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathbf{H}\right\}$ and ${ }^{19} \mathbf{F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathbf{H}\right\}$ spectra
Ethyl-3-phenylbut-2-enoate (2)
${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

R3069160



${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $101 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

R3069160_C13


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## Compound 1

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

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${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$




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## Compound ( $\pm$ )-1a

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

## R3073569





${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

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## Compound ( $\pm$ )-1b

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )


${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )


## Ethyl-2-fluoro-3-phenylbut-2-enoate

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )
R3086692_C13


${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

R3086692_F19\{H\}
19F-\{1H\}


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## Compound 3

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$
H407226:



${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR（ $126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ）
H4072262＿C1：

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${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

H4072262_F19\{H\} 19F-\{1H\}


## Compound ( $\pm$ )-3a

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

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${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

H4485203_C1:
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${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

H4485203_F19\{H\} 19F-\{1H\}




## Compound ( $\pm$ )-3b

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

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${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

R3090980_C1:

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${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 376 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

R3090980_F19\{H\}




## Ethyl-3-(4-fluorophenyl)but-2-enoate


${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )
R3252345_C13


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${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$


## Compound 4

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

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${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

H4560537_C13
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${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$
H4560537_F19\{H\}



Compound ( $\pm$ )-4a (the sample contains ca. $10 \%$ of the isomeric 1,5-disubstituted bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane)
${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

H4490897_C1:



${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

H4490897_F19\{H\}

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## Compound ( $\pm$ )-4b

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )
R3252344 $\stackrel{\curvearrowleft}{\stackrel{\circ}{1}}$



${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 151 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 376 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )
R3252344_F19\{H\}




## Ethyl-3-(4-chlorophenyl)but-2-enoate

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $101 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

R3271125_C13
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## Compound 5

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

H4412817_C1:

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## Compound ( $\pm$ )-5a

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

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${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$




## Compound ( $\pm$ )-5b

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )




${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

R3427079_C1:

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| 220 | 210 | 200 | 190 | 180 | 170 | 160 | 150 | 140 | 130 | 120 | 110 | 100 | 90 | 80 | 70 | 60 | 50 | 40 | 30 | 20 | 10 | 0 |

Ethyl-3-(4-bromophenyl)but-2-enoate
${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $101 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )





## Compound 6

H454244:




${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

H4542443_C1:



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## Compound ( $\pm$ )-6a

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )


${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$


## Compound (土)-6b

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )


${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR (101 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )
R3440861_C13
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## Ethyl-3-(p-tolyl)but-2-enoate

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H} \mathrm{NMR}\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$



## Compound 7

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

H440884!




${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

H4408845_C1:

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## Compound ( $\pm$ )-7a

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

H454244~



${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

H4542442_C1:
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## Compound ( $\pm$ )-7b

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )


${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

R3279145_C13
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## Ethyl-3-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)but-2-enoate

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$


${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

R3331592_F19\{H\} 19F-\{1H\}




## Compound 8

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

R3331690




${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

R3331690_C13






${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

R3331690_F19\{H\}
19F-\{1H $\}$
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Compound ( $\pm$ )-8a (the sample contains ca. $10 \%$ of the isomeric 1,5-disubstituted bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane)

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

H4412819_C1:

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${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

H4412819_F19\{H\}
19F-\{1H\}
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## Compound ( $\pm$ )-8b


${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 151 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )
R3314113_C13





${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 376 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )
R3314113_F19\{H\}




## Ethyl-3-(4-methoxyphenyl)but-2-enoate




${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

R3109186 C13



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## Compound 9

## R3110550




${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

R3110550_C13





Compound ( $\pm$ )-9a (the sample contains ca. $10 \%$ of the isomeric 1,5-disubstituted bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane)
${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

H4479809_C1



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## Compound ( $\pm$ )-9b


${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

R3111665_C1




## Ethyl-2-fluoro-3-(4-methoxyphenyl)but-2-enoate

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )


${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

R3185160_C13

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${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

R3185160_F19\{H\}



## Compound 10

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

R3185161


${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )
R3185161_C1:
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${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

R3185161_F19\{H\} 19F-\{1H\}




## Compound ( $\pm$ )-10a

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

R3388853
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${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

R3388853_C1:


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| 230 | 220 | 210 | 200 | 190 | 180 | 170 | 160 | 150 | 140 | 130 | 120 | 110 | 100 | 90 | 80 | 70 | 60 | 50 | 40 | 30 | 20 | 10 | 0 |

${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

R3388853_F19\{H\}




## Compound ( $\pm$ )-10b

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

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${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

R3125994_C1:

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${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 376 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

R3125994_F19\{H\}



Ethyl-3-(3-bromophenyl)but-2-enoate
${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$



## Compound 11

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )



${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

R3331647_C1:






## Compound ( $\pm$ )-11a

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

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${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

H4419300_C1:
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## Compound ( $\pm$ )-11b

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR (101 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

R3314965_C13
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## Ethyl-3-(3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)but-2-enoate

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 151 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

R3372246_C13





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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 |

${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 376 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

R3372246_F19\{H\}





## Compound 12

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

H448286


${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

H4482864_C1:




${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

H4482863_F19\{H\} 19F-\{1H $\}$



Compound ( $\pm$ )-12a (the sample contains ca. $\mathbf{1 0 \%}$ of the isomeric 1,5-disubstituted bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane)
${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

H4496071



${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$
H4496071_C1:

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${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

H4496071_F19\{H\} 19F-\{1H $\}$

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## Compound ( $\pm$ )-12b

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

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${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR（ 126 MHz ，DMSO－ $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ）

R3377996＿C1：

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${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 376 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

R3377996_F19\{H\}



## Ethyl-3-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)but-2-enoate

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

R3371491_C13






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## Compound 13

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$




${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )


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## Compound ( $\pm$ )-13a

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

R3447382

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${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )


## Compound ( $\pm$ )-13b

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )


${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 151 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

R3402731_C13 ~




Ethyl-3-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)but-2-enoate
${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right.$ )

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

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| 220 | 210 | 200 | 190 | 180 | 170 | 160 | 150 | 140 | 130 | 120 | 110 | 100 | 90 | 80 | 70 | 60 | 50 | 40 | 30 | 20 | 10 | 0 |  |

${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$
R3333289_F19\{H\}


## Compound 14

R3671343



${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$


${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

R3671343_F19\{H\}
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## Compound ( $\pm$ )-14a

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

H440993;



${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

H4409937_C1:




${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

H4409937_F19\{H\} 19F-\{1H $\}$

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## Compound ( $\pm$ )-14b

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )


${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 151 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

R3322221_C13




${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 376 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

R3322221_F19\{H\}




## Ethyl-3-(2-fluorophenyl)but-2-enoate


${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $101 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

R3390241_C13

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${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

R3390241_F19\{H\}






## Compound 15



${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

H4545759_C13

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${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

H4545759_F19\{H\} 19F-\{1H\}

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## Compound ( $\pm$ )-15a

H4545753




## ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}\left(151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

H4545753_C13

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${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

H4545753_F19\{H\} 19F-\{1H\}



## Compound ( $\pm$ )-15b

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

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${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 151 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 376 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

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## Ethyl-3-(1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-4-yl)but-2-enoate

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )


${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

R3204999_C1:





## Compound 16

H454273:




${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

H4542732_C1:


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## Compound ( $\pm$ )-16a (the sample contains ca. $10 \%$ of the isomeric 1,5 -disubstituted bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane)

 ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )
${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )


## Compound ( $\pm$ )-16b

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )
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${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz , DMSO-d ${ }_{6}$ )
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## Ethyl-3-(1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl)but-2-enoate


${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

R3266268_C13





## Compound 17

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

H453428C
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${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

H4534280_C1:

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## Compound ( $\pm$ )-17a (the sample contains ca. $20 \%$ of the isomeric 1,5-disubstituted bicyclo[2.1.1]hexane)

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$
VN:






## Compound ( $\pm$ )-17b

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

R3428239_C13
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## Ethyl-3-(1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)but-2-enoate

BA941081\$2
${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )



${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

H4563116_C13

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## Compound 18

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )


${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$


## Compound ( $\pm$ )-18a

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

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${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

H4504875_C1
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## Compound ( $\pm$ )-18b

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz , DMSO-d ${ }_{6}$ )
R3411134_C13

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Ethyl-3-(thiophen-2-yl)but-2-enoate
${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

H4293783_C1:

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## Compound 19

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$


${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

H4293810_C1:





## Compound ( $\pm$ )-19a

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$


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## Compound ( $\pm$ )-19b


${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

R3219129_C1:




Ethyl-3-(furan-2-yl)but-2-enoate
${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

H4506215_C1:




## Compound ( $\pm$ )-20a

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right.$ )


${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

H4560541_C13


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## Compound ( $\pm$ )-20b

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

R3457217_C13

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Ethyl-3-(pyridin-4-yl)but-2-enoate

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (500 MHz, DMSO-d ${ }_{6}$ )


${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

R3232643_C1:





## Compound 21

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

R3681083



${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

R3681083_C13



## Compound ( $\pm$ )-21a

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )


${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$
H4542433_C1:
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## Compound ( $\pm$ )-21b

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )


${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

R3140393_C1:
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## Ethyl-3-(pyridin-3-yl)but-2-enoate

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

R3619537_C1:
No




## Compound 22

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )


${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )


## Compound ( $\pm$ )-22a

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

BA978084\$1




${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(151 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

H4566422_C13





## Compound ( $\pm$ )-22b

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

R3124345
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${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

R3124345_C1:


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Ethyl-3-(pyridin-2-yl)but-2-enoate
${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

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## Compound 23

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$


${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

H4273873_C1:
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## Compound ( $\pm$ )-23a

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

H454243




${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR $\left(126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

H4542434_C1:



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| 220 | 210 | 200 | 190 | 180 | 170 | 160 | 150 | 140 | 130 | 120 | 110 | 100 | 90 | 80 | 70 | 60 | 50 | 40 | 30 | 20 | 10 | 0 |

## Compound ( $\pm$ )-23b

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

R3203946 $\stackrel{\circ}{\stackrel{\circ}{\square}}$


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${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 126 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

R3203946_C1:

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## Compound ( $\pm$ )-24


${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

R3668810_C13
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## Compound (土)-25

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $\left(500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$



## ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( $126 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ )

R3136601_C1:

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${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\} \mathrm{NMR}\left(376 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right)$

R3136601_F19\{H\}




## Compound (土)-26


${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 151 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

H4493399_C13




## Compound（土）－27

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${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR（ 500 MHz ，DMSO－ $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ ）

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 151 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )



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${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 376 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )


## Tert-butyl (1-(4-chlorophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexan-2-yl)carbamate

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 151 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )


## 1-(4-Chlorophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexan-2-amine hydrochloride

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

R3439117

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* HCl

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 151 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )



## Compound (土)-28

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

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${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 151 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )


## Tert-butyl (1-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexan-2-yl)carbamate

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR (101 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )


## 1-(3,4-Dichlorophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexan-2-amine hydrochloride

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}\left(151 \mathrm{MHz}\right.$, DMSO- $\left.\mathrm{d}_{6}\right)$
R3419580_C13
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## Compound ( $\pm$ )-29

## ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )


${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 151 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )


## Tert-butyl (1-(3,4,5-trifluorophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexan-2-yl)carbamate

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz, DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 151 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )
H4482355_C13


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${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 376 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )


## 1-(3,4,5-Trifluorophenyl)bicyclo[2.1.1]hexan-2-amine hydrochloride

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 151 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 376 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )
H4493393_F19\{H\}




## Compound ( $\pm$ )-30

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

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${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 151 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )


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${ }^{19} \mathrm{~F}\left\{{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}\right\}$ NMR ( 376 MHz , DMSO- $\mathrm{d}_{6}$ )

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## Crystallographic data (X-Ray)

Crystals of compounds $\mathbf{1 b}, \mathbf{3 b}, \mathbf{4 b}, \mathbf{1 0 b}, \mathbf{1 2 b}, \mathbf{2 8}$ and $\mathbf{2 9}$ suitable for X-Ray diffraction studies were obtained by a low evaporation of a solution of MeOH . Diffraction data were collected at room temperature on an Xcallibur-3 diffractometer with graphite-monochromated Mo K $\alpha$ radiation ( $\lambda=$ $0.71073 \AA$ ) operating in the w-scans mode. The structure was solved by direct methods and refined by the full-matrix least-squares technique in the anisotropic approximation for non-hydrogen atoms using the SHELXTL program package. Crystallographic data for all structures in this paper have been deposited at Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre. CCDC numbers: 1b (2286523), 3b (2286521), 4b (2286526), 10b (2286525), 12b (2286524), 28 (2286523) and 29 (2286527). Copies of the data can be obtained, free of charge, on application to CCDC, 12 Union Road, Cambridge CB21EZ, UK, (fax: +44-(0)1223-336033 or e-mail: deposit@ccdc.cam.ac.uk).

## Compound 1b



Figure S1. Molecular structure of $\mathbf{1 b}$ according to X-Ray diffraction data. Thermal ellipsoids are shown at 50\% probability level.

## Crystal structure determination of 1b

data_v14

| _chemical_formula_moiety | 'C13 H14 O2' |
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| _chemical_formula_weight | 202.24 |

_space_group_crystal_system
_space_group_IT_number
_space_group_name_H-M_alt
_space_group_name_Hall '-P 2yn'
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_cell_length_c $\quad 14.153(10)$
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_exptl_crystal_description block
_exptl_crystal_F_000 432
_exptl_crystal_size_max 0.2
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_exptl_crystal_size_min 0.05
_diffrn_reflns_av_R_equivalents 0.0632
_diffrn_reflns_av_unetI/netI 0.0471
_diffrn_reflns_Laue_measured_fraction_full 1.000
_diffrn_reflns_Laue_measured_fraction_max 1.000
_diffrn_reflns_limit_h_max 14
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_diffrn_reflns_limit_k_min -7

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| _diffrn_reflns_theta_max | 24.997 |
| _diffrn_reflns_theta_min | 2.183 |
| _diffrn_ambient_temperature | 273.15 |
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| _diffrn_measured_fraction_theta_max 1.000 |  |
| _diffrn_measurement_device_type 'Bruker APEX-II CCD' |  |
| _diffrn_radiation_type | MoKla |
| _diffrn_radiation_wavelength | 0.71073 |
| _diffrn_source_current | 30.0 |
| _diffrn_source_power | 1.2 |
| _diffrn_source_voltage | 40.0 |

## Compound 3b



Figure S2. Molecular structure of 3b according to X-Ray diffraction data. Thermal ellipsoids are shown at $50 \%$ probability level.

## Crystal structure determination of 3b

data_v26

| _chemical_formula_moiety | ety 'C13 H13 F O2' |
| :---: | :---: |
| _chemical_formula_weight | ht 220.23 |
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| _space_group_IT_number | r 14 |
| _space_group_name_H-M_alt | M_alt 'P $121 / \mathrm{n} 1$ ' |
| _space_group_name_Hall | 1 '-P 2yn' |
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| _cell_length_b 6 | 6.2763(14) |
| _cell_length_c 14, | 14.050(3) |
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| _cell_angle_beta | 95.590(14) |
| _cell_angle_gamma | 90 |

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Figure S3. Molecular structure of $\mathbf{4 b}$ according to X-Ray diffraction data. Thermal ellipsoids are shown at 50\% probability level.

## Crystal structure determination of $\mathbf{4 b}$

data_v75


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_diffrn_reflns_limit_1_min -16
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_diffrn_measured_fraction_theta_full 1.000
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| :--- | :--- |
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Figure S4. Molecular structure of $\mathbf{1 0 b}$ according to X-Ray diffraction data. Thermal ellipsoids are shown at 50\% probability level.

## Crystal structure determination of 10 b

## data_vd29

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| :---: | :---: |
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| _space_group_name_Hall | 1 '-P 2ybc' |
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| _cell_length_b 11 | 11.9938(15) |
| _cell_length_c 11. | 11.5637(17) |
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Figure S5. Molecular structure of 12b according to X-Ray diffraction data. Thermal ellipsoids are shown at $50 \%$ probability level.

## Crystal structure determination of 12b

## data_v109

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Figure S6. Molecular structure of $\mathbf{2 8}$ according to X-Ray diffraction data. Thermal ellipsoids are shown at 50\% probability level.

## Crystal structure determination of 28

## data_v123

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| _space_group_name_Hall | '-C 2yc' |
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| _cell_length_b 6.98 | 6.9898(4) |
| _cell_length_c 27 | 27.6891(17) |
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Figure S7. Molecular structure of $\mathbf{2 9}$ according to X-Ray diffraction data. Thermal ellipsoids are shown at 50\% probability level.

## Crystal structure determination of 29

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## Analysis of Aqueous Solubility

Test articles EN300-45199999 (29), EN300-45177924 (27), EN300-43350880 (29), EN30043350881 (30), EN300-7392435 (Conivaptan), EN300-20331690 (Lomitapide), EN300-264529 (Fluxapyroxad), EN300-7394812 (Boscalid), EN300-20335148 (Bixafen) and reference compound (Ondansetron) were assessed for kinetic solubility in phosphate-buffered saline, pH 7.4 .

## Reagents and consumables

Phosphate buffered saline, pH 7.4 (Sigma-Aldrich, USA; Cat \#P3813)
Acetonitrile Chromasolv, gradient grade, for HPLC, $\geq 99.9 \%$ (Sigma-Aldrich, USA; Cat \#34851)
Methanol, for HPLC, $\geq 99.9 \%$ (Sigma-Aldrich, Cat \#34860)
Ondansetron base powder (Enamine, Ukraine, Cat \# EN300-117273)
DMSO (Sigma-Aldrich, USA; Cat \# 34869)
Costar 96 Well Assay Blocks (Corning, USA; Cat \# 3958)
MultiScreen HTS 96 Well Filter Plates (Millipore, Ireland; Cat \# MSSLBPC10)
UV-Star® 96 Well Microplate (Greiner Bio-One, Germany; Cat \#655801)
Matrix Disposable pipette tips (ThermoScientific, USA; Cat \#\# 8041, 7622, 7321)
Flex-Tubes Microcentrifuge Tubes, 1.5 ml (Eppendorf, Germany; Cat \# 22364111)
Matrix Storage tubes, 1.4 ml (ThermoScientific, USA; Cat \# 4247)
Phenomenex Luna® C18 HPLC column, 2.1x50 mm, $5 \mu \mathrm{~m}$ (Cat \#5291-126)

## Equipment

Water purification system Millipore Milli-Q Gradient A10 (Millipore, France)
Thermomixer R Block, 1.5 mL (Eppendorf, Germany; Cat \# 5355)
Matrix Multichannel Electronic Pipette 2-125 $\mu \mathrm{L}, 5-250 \mu \mathrm{~L}, 15-1250 \mu \mathrm{~L}$ (Thermo Scientific, USA;
Cat \#\# 2011, 2012, 2004)
SpectraMax Plus Microplate Reader (Molecular Devices, USA; Product \# 02196)
Multi-Well Plate Vacuum Manifold (Pall Corporation, USA; Product \# 5014)
Vacuum pump (Millipore, USA; Model \# XX5500000)
Analytical System
The measurements were performed using SpectraMax Plus reader in UV-Vis mode. Acquisition and analysis of the data were performed using SoftMax Pro v.5.4 (Molecular Devices) and Excel 2010 data analysis software.

## Analytical System

The measurements were performed using SpectraMax Paradigm reader in UV-Vis mode. Acquisition and analysis of the data were performed using SoftMax Pro v.5.4 (Molecular Devices) and Excel 2010 data analysis software.

## Methods

Kinetic solubility assay was performed according to the Enamine's aqueous solubility SOP. Briefly, using a 20 mM stock solution of the compound in $100 \%$ DMSO dilutions were prepared to a theoretical concentration of $400 \mu \mathrm{M}$ in duplicates in phosphate-buffered saline pH 7.4 ( $138 \mathrm{mM} \mathrm{NaCl}, 2.7 \mathrm{mM} \mathrm{KCl}, 10 \mathrm{mM}$ K-phosphate) with $2 \%$ final DMSO. The experimental compound dilutions in PBS were further allowed to equilibrate at $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ on a thermostatic shaker for two hours and then filtered through HTS filter plates using a vacuum manifold. The filtrates of test compounds were diluted 2 -fold with acetonitrile with $2 \%$ DMSO before measuring.

In parallel, compound dilutions in $50 \%$ acetonitrile/PBS were prepared to theoretical concentrations of $0 \mu \mathrm{M}$ (blank), $10 \mu \mathrm{M}, 25 \mu \mathrm{M}, 50 \mu \mathrm{M}, 100 \mu \mathrm{M}$, and $200 \mu \mathrm{M}$ with $2 \%$ final DMSO to generate calibration curves. Ondansetron was used as reference compound to control proper assay performance. $200 \mu \mathrm{l}$ of each sample was transferred to 96 -well plate and measured in 230-550 nm range with 5 nm step. The effective range of this assay is approximately $2-400 \mu \mathrm{M}$ and the compounds returning values close to the upper limit of the range may have higher actual solubility (e.g. $5^{\prime}$-deoxy-5-fluorouridine). This method is not suitable for liquid (at $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) substances (were not present among the tested compounds).

The concentrations of compounds in PBS filtrate are calculated using a dedicated Microsoft Excel calculation script. Proper absorbance wavelengths for calculations are selected for each compound manually based on absorbance maximums (absolute absorbance unit values for the minimum and maximum concentration points within the $0-3$ OD range). Each final dataset is visually evaluated by the operator, and goodness of fit $\left(\mathrm{R}^{2}\right)$ is calculated for each calibration curve.

For EN300-43350880 (29) and EN300-43350881 (30) the calibration solutions and incubation samples were diluted 2 -fold with acetonitrile containing internal standard and were analyzed using the HPLC system coupled with a tandem mass spectrometer. The effective range of this assay is approximately 2-400 $\mu \mathrm{M}$ (1-400 $\mu \mathrm{M}$ for EN300-43350880 (29) and EN300-43350881 (30)).

## Results

The solubility data of the test and reference compounds are listed in the tables below. The calibration curves are shown in the Appendix*.

Table S1. Solubility data ( $1^{\text {st }}$ batch)

| Compound ID | PBS solubility, $\mathbf{p H} 7.4, \boldsymbol{\mu M}$ |  |  | SE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Incubation 1 | Incubation 2 | Mean |  |
| Ondansetron | 121 | 119 | $\mathbf{1 2 0}^{*}$ | 0.8 |
| EN300-7392435 (Conivaptan) | 4 | 7 | $\mathbf{5}$ | 1.5 |

Table S2. Solubility data ( $\mathbf{2}^{\text {st }}$ batch)

| Compound ID | PBS solubility, $\mathbf{p H} 7.4, \boldsymbol{\mu} \mathbf{M}$ |  |  | SE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Incubation 1 | Incubation 2 | Mean |  |
| Ondansetron | 126 | 126 | $\mathbf{1 2 6}^{* *}$ | 0.1 |
| EN300-45199999 (26) | 15 | 14 | $\mathbf{1 4}$ | 0.4 |
| EN300-45177924 (27) | 18 | 19 | $\mathbf{1 8}$ | 0.4 |
| EN300-43359009 (28) | 35 | 34 | $\mathbf{3 5}$ | 0.5 |
| EN300-43350880 (29) | 4 | 4 | $\mathbf{4}$ | 0.1 |
| EN300-43350881 (30) | 25 | 28 | $\mathbf{2 7}$ | 1.5 |

Table S3. Solubility data ( $\mathbf{3}^{\text {st }}$ batch)

| Compound ID | PBS solubility, $\mathbf{p H} 7.4, \boldsymbol{\mu M}$ |  |  | SE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Incubation 1 | Incubation 2 | Mean |  |
| Ondansetron | 120 | 116 | $\mathbf{1 1 8}^{* *}$ | 0.1 |
| EN300-20331690 <br> (Lomitapide) | 3 | 3 | $\mathbf{3}$ | 1.1 |
| EN300-264529 <br> (Fluxapyroxad) | 24 | 27 | $\mathbf{2 5}$ | 2.0 |
| EN300-7394812 <br> (Boscalid) | 9 | 13 | $\mathbf{1 1}$ | 2 |

Table S4. Solubility data ( $4^{\text {nd }}$ batch)

| Compound ID | PBS solubility, $\mathbf{p H} 7.4, \boldsymbol{\mu M}$ |  |  | SE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Incubation 1 | Incubation 2 | Mean |  |
| Ondansetron | 131 | 132 | $\mathbf{1 3 2}$ | 0.5 |
| EN300-20335148 <br> (Bixafen) | 29 | 31 | $\mathbf{3 0}$ | 1.1 |

*Goodness of fit $\left(\mathrm{R}^{2}\right)$ in all titration curves as well as the variations between repeat measurements indicates high quality of the experimental data in the current batch of test articles.
**Ondansetron solubility data are consistent with previously obtained.

## APPENDIX



Figure S8. Calibration curve for Ondansetron ( $1^{\text {st }}$ batch)


Figure S9. Calibration curve for EN300-7392435 (Conivaptan)


Figure S10. Calibration curve for Ondansetron ( $2^{\text {st }}$ batch)


Figure S11. Calibration curve for EN300-45199999 (26)


Figure S12. Calibration curve for EN300-45177924 (27)


Figure S13. Calibration curve for EN300-43359009 (28)


Figure S14. Calibration curve for EN300-43350880 (29)


Figure S15. Calibration curve for EN300-43350881 (30)


Figure S16. Calibration curve for Ondansetron ( $3^{\text {st }}$ batch)


Figure S17. Calibration curve for EN300-20331690 (Lomitapide)


Figure S18. Calibration curve for EN300-264529 (Fluxapyroxad)


Figure S19. Calibration curve for EN300-7394812 (Boscalid)


Figure S20. Calibration curve for Ondansetron (4 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ batch)


Figure S21. Calibration curve for EN300-20335148 (Bixafen)

## Determination of Distribution Coefficient (LogD, pH 7.4)

Test articles EN300-45199999 (26), EN300-45177924 (27), EN300-43350880 (29), EN30043350881 (30), EN300-7392435 (Conivaptan), EN300-20331690 (Lomitapide), EN300-264529 (Fluxapyroxad), EN300-7394812 (Boscalid), EN300-20335148 (Bixafen) and reference compound (Mebendazole) in $n$-octanol - phosphate buffered saline (PBS), pH 7.4 . Distribution coefficient (or LogD) is a logarithm of the ratio of drug concentrations in two immiscible solvents, typically pH -buffered water and n-octanol. It is a measure of hydrophobic/hydrophilic properties of a given molecule. The partition of test compounds is determined using a shake-flask method, which involves mixing of a certain amount of the solute of interest in defined volumes of $n$-octanol and an aqueous buffer of choice followed by equilibration of the mixture by incubation with efficient mixing. Then, the distribution of the compounds in each solvent was controlled using LC-MS/MS.

## Reagents and consumables

DMSO Chromasolv Plus, HPLC grade, $\geq 99.7 \%$ (Sigma-Aldrich, USA; Cat \#34869)
Acetonitrile Chromasolv, gradient grade, for HPLC, $\geq 99.9 \%$ (Sigma-Aldrich, USA; Cat \#34851)
Formic acid for mass spectrometry, ~98\% (Fluka, USA; Cat \#94318)
Phosphate buffered saline, tablet (Sigma-Aldrich, USA; Cat \# P4417)
Acetic acid (Enamine, Ukraine)
1 -Octanol ACS grade, $\geq 99 \%$ (Sigma-Aldrich, USA; Cat \# 472328)
Mebendazole analytical standard, $\geq 98 \%$, HPLC (Sigma-Aldrich, USA; Cat \# M2523)
DMSO stock solutions of the test compounds 10 mM
Phenomenex Luna® C18 HPLC column, $2.1 \times 50 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m}$ (Cat \#5291-126)
1.1 mL microtubes in microracks, pipettor tips (Thermo Scientific, USA).

National Scientific MicroTube ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ Rack (Thermo Fisher Scientific, USA; Cat \# TN094612R)

## Equipment

Gradient HPLC system (Shimadzu, Japan)
Triple quadrapole mass-detector API 3000 with TurboIonSpray Ion Source (AB Sciex, Canada) VWR Membrane Nitrogen Generators N2-04-L1466, nitrogen purity 99\%+ (VWR, USA)

MTR22 Multi Mix Rotator (UNICO, USA)
Laboratory Centrifuge, Sigma 4-15C, Qiagen (SIGMA GmbH, Germany)
Water purification system Millipore Milli-Q Gradient A10 (Millipore, France)
Multichannel Electronic Pipettes 0.5-12.5 $\mu \mathrm{L}, 2-125 \mu \mathrm{~L}, 5-250 \mu \mathrm{~L}, 15-1250 \mu \mathrm{~L}$, Matrix (Thermo Scientific, USA; Cat \#\# 2009, 2001, 2002, 2004)

## Analytical System

All measurements were performed using a Shimadzu Prominence HPLC system including a vacuum degasser, gradient pumps, a reverse phase column, a column oven and an autosampler. Mass spectrometric analysis was performed using an API 4000 QTRAP mass spectrometer from Applied Biosystems/MDS Sciex (AB Sciex) with Turbo V ion source and TurboIonspray interface. The TurboIonSpray ion source was used in both positive and negative ion modes. Acquisition and analysis of the data were performed using Analyst 1.6.3 software.

## Methods

Incubations were carried out in Eppendorf-type polypropylene microtubes in triplicates. A $2.5 \mu \mathrm{~L}$ aliquot of 20 mM DMSO stock of a test compound was added into the previously mutually saturated mixture containing $500 \mu \mathrm{~L}$ of PBS ( pH 7.4 ) and $500 \mu \mathrm{~L}$ of octanol. The solution was allowed to mix in a rotator for 1 hour at 30 rpm . Phase separation was assured by centrifugation for 2 min at 6000 rpm . The octanol phase was diluted 100 -fold with $40 \%$ acetonitrile, and the aqueous phase (PBS buffer) was diluted 10 -fold with $40 \%$ acetonitrile. The samples (both phases) were analyzed using an HPLC system coupled with a tandem mass spectrometer. Mebendazole was used as a reference compound.

Calculations of the partition ratios were carried out using the equation below.

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D=\frac{d_{o} \cdot S_{o}}{d_{p} \cdot S_{P}}
$$

where: $\quad S_{0-}$ peak area of the analyte in octanol phase
$S_{P}$ - peak area of the analyte in PBS buffer
$d_{o}$ - dilution coefficient for octanol phase
$d_{p}$ - dilution coefficient for aqueous phase

## Results

$\operatorname{LogD}$ data for the reference compound (Mebendazole) and test compounds are provided in the table below.

Table S5. Experimental LogD, pH 7.4

| Compound ID | Injection | $\mathbf{S}_{P}$ | $\mathrm{S}_{0}$ | D | LogD, pH 7.4 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Mebendazole | 1 | $4.95 \mathrm{E}+04$ | $3.26 \mathrm{E}+06$ | $6.59 \mathrm{E}+02$ | 2.819 | 2.9 |
|  | 2 | $6.08 \mathrm{E}+04$ | $4.83 \mathrm{E}+06$ | 7.94E+02 | 2.901 |  |
|  | 3 | $6.54 \mathrm{E}+04$ | 5.15E+06 | 7.87E+02 | 2.897 |  |
| EN300-7392435 <br> (Conivaptan) | 1 | $1.22 \mathrm{E}+04$ | $2.41 \mathrm{E}+06$ | $1.98 \mathrm{E}+04$ | 4.30 | 4.31 |
|  | 2 | $1.30 \mathrm{E}+04$ | $2.75 \mathrm{E}+06$ | $2.11 \mathrm{E}+04$ | 4.33 |  |
|  | 3 | $1.35 \mathrm{E}+04$ | $2.68 \mathrm{E}+06$ | $1.99 \mathrm{E}+04$ | 4.30 |  |
| EN300-45199999 <br> (26) | 1 | $2.88 \mathrm{E}+04$ | $2.75 \mathrm{E}+06$ | $9.55 \mathrm{E}+03$ | 3.980 | 4.1 |
|  | 2 | $3.43 \mathrm{E}+04$ | $4.29 \mathrm{E}+06$ | $1.25 \mathrm{E}+04$ | 4.098 |  |
|  | 3 | $3.37 \mathrm{E}+04$ | $4.57 \mathrm{E}+06$ | $1.36 \mathrm{E}+04$ | 4.133 |  |
| EN300-20331690(Lomitapide) | 1 | $4.09 \mathrm{E}-02$ | $2.45 \mathrm{E}+05$ | 5.98E+08 | 8.78 | 6.39* |
|  | 2 | 5.92E+01 | $2.03 \mathrm{E}+05$ | $3.42 \mathrm{E}+05$ | 5.54 |  |
|  | 3 | $2.49 \mathrm{E}+02$ | $1.69 \mathrm{E}+05$ | $6.79 \mathrm{E}+04$ | 4.83 |  |
| EN300-45177924 <br> (27) | 1 | $2.63 \mathrm{E}+03$ | $2.05 \mathrm{E}+06$ | 7.79E+03 | 3.892 | 3.9 |
|  | 2 | $2.56 \mathrm{E}+03$ | $1.91 \mathrm{E}+06$ | $7.46 \mathrm{E}+03$ | 3.873 |  |
|  | 3 | $2.66 \mathrm{E}+03$ | $2.18 \mathrm{E}+06$ | $8.20 \mathrm{E}+03$ | 3.914 |  |
| EN300-7394812 <br> (Boscalid) | 1 | $1.25 \mathrm{E}+04$ | $4.53 \mathrm{E}+05$ | $3.62 \mathrm{E}+03$ | 3.56 | 3.55 |
|  | 2 | $1.53 \mathrm{E}+04$ | 4.37E+05 | $2.86 \mathrm{E}+03$ | 3.46 |  |
|  | 3 | $1.18 \mathrm{E}+04$ | $4.81 \mathrm{E}+05$ | $4.07 \mathrm{E}+03$ | 3.61 |  |
| EN300-43359009 <br> (28) | 1 | 4.19E+03 | $1.61 \mathrm{E}+06$ | $3.84 \mathrm{E}+03$ | 3.585 | 3.6 |
|  | 2 | $4.28 \mathrm{E}+03$ | $1.63 \mathrm{E}+06$ | $3.81 \mathrm{E}+03$ | 3.581 |  |
|  | 3 | $4.98 \mathrm{E}+03$ | $1.74 \mathrm{E}+06$ | $3.49 \mathrm{E}+03$ | 3.544 |  |


| Compound ID | Injection | $\mathbf{S}_{P}$ | So | D | LogD |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| EN300-20335148 <br> (Bixafen) | 1 | $4.38 \mathrm{E}+02$ | $5.40 \mathrm{E}+04$ | $1.23 \mathrm{E}+04$ | 4.09 | 4.22 |
|  | 2 | $3.81 \mathrm{E}+02$ | $5.82 \mathrm{E}+04$ | $1.53 \mathrm{E}+04$ | 4.18 |  |
|  | 3 | $2.59 \mathrm{E}+02$ | 5.96E+04 | $2.30 \mathrm{E}+04$ | 4.36 |  |
| EN300-43350880 <br> (29) | 1 | $3.34 \mathrm{E}+03$ | $4.21 \mathrm{E}+06$ | $1.26 \mathrm{E}+04$ | 4.101 | 4.2 |
|  | 2 | $3.94 \mathrm{E}+03$ | $5.43 \mathrm{E}+06$ | $1.38 \mathrm{E}+04$ | 4.140 |  |
|  | 3 | $3.09 \mathrm{E}+03$ | 5.93E+06 | $1.92 \mathrm{E}+04$ | 4.284 |  |
| EN300-264529 (Fluxapyroxad) | 1 | $2.45 \mathrm{E}+03$ | $8.27 \mathrm{E}+04$ | $3.37 \mathrm{E}+03$ | 3.53 | 3.51 |
|  | 2 | $2.31 \mathrm{E}+03$ | $6.90 \mathrm{E}+04$ | $2.99 \mathrm{E}+03$ | 3.48 |  |
|  | 3 | $2.56 \mathrm{E}+03$ | $8.29 \mathrm{E}+04$ | $3.24 \mathrm{E}+03$ | 3.51 |  |
| EN300-43350881 <br> (30) | 1 | $5.90 \mathrm{E}+03$ | $2.41 \mathrm{E}+06$ | $4.08 \mathrm{E}+03$ | 3.612 | 3.6 |
|  | 2 | $5.91 \mathrm{E}+03$ | $2.43 \mathrm{E}+06$ | $4.11 \mathrm{E}+03$ | 3.615 |  |
|  | 3 | $5.72 \mathrm{E}+03$ | $2.54 \mathrm{E}+06$ | $4.44 \mathrm{E}+03$ | 3.648 |  |

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## Assessment of Metabolic Stability in Human Liver Microsomes

The objective of this study was to determine metabolic stability of EN300-45199999 (26), EN30045177924 (27), EN300-43350880 (29), EN300-43350881 (30), EN300-7392435 (Conivaptan), EN300-20331690 (Lomitapide), EN300-264529 (Fluxapyroxad), EN300-7394812 (Boscalid), EN300-20335148 (Bixafen) and and reference compounds in human liver microsomes at five time points over 40 minutes using HPLC-MS. Metabolic stability is defined as the percentage of parent compound lost over time in the presence of a metabolically active test system.

## Materials

DMSO (Sigma-Aldrich, 34869 - Chromasolv Plus, for HPLC, $\geq 99.7 \%$ )
Acetonitrile (Sigma-Aldrich, 34851 - Chromasolv Plus, for HPLC, $\geq 99.9 \%$ )
$\mathrm{K}_{2} \mathrm{HPO}_{4}$ (Bio-Basic, Canada; Lot \#MA7100050)
$\mathrm{KH}_{2} \mathrm{PO}_{4}$ (Bio-Basic, Canada; Lot \#N9016010)
Magnesium chloride hexahydrate (Santa Cruz Biotechnology, Inc., USA; sc-203126A)
Human Liver Microsomes: pooled, mixed gender (XenoTech, H0630/lot N\#1830003)
Glucose-6-phosphate dehydrogenase from baker's yeast, type XV (Sigma-Aldrich, USA; Cat \#G6378)

D-Glucose-6-phosphate monosodium salt (Santa Cruz Biotechnology, Inc., USA; sc-210728)
NADPH tetrasodium salt (Biosynth, Cat \# NN10871)
Formic acid (Sigma-Aldrich, USA; Cat \#94318)
Verapamil hydrochloride (Sigma Aldrich, USA; Cat \#V4629)
Niclosamide (Sigma-Aldrich, USA; Cat \#N3510)
(+,-) Propranolol hydrochloride (Sigma-Aldrich, USA; Cat \#P0884)
Diclofenac, $96 \%$ purity (Enamine, \# EN300-119509)
Phenomenex Luna® C18 HPLC column, $2.1 \times 50 \mathrm{~mm}, 5 \mu \mathrm{~m}$ (Cat \#5291-126)
Matrix ${ }^{\mathrm{TM}} 0.75 \mathrm{~mL}$ blank tubes (Cat \#4170), pipettor tips (Thermo Scientific).

## Equipment

Gradient HPLC system (Shimadzu)
Triple quadrupole mass-detector API 5000 with Turbo V Ion Source (AB Sciex, Canada)
Nitrogen generator N2-04-L1466, nitrogen purity $99 \%$ + (Whatman)
Incubator/Shaker Innova 4080 (New Brunswick Scientific, USA)
Water purification system Millipore Milli-Q Gradient A10 (Millipore, France)
Multichannel pipettors 1-30 $\mu \mathrm{L}, 2-125 \mu \mathrm{~L}, 30-850 \mu \mathrm{~L}$ (Thermo Scientific)

## Analytical System

All measurements were performed using Shimadzu HPLC system including vacuum degasser, gradient pumps, reverse phase HPLC column, column oven, and autosampler. Mass spectrometric analysis was performed using a Triple quadrupole mass-detector API 5000 with Turbo V Ion Source (AB Sciex, Canada). The TurboIonSpray ion source was used in both positive and negative ion modes. The data acquisition and system control was performed using Analyst 1.6.3 software from AB Sciex.

## Methods

Microsomal incubations were carried out in 96 -well plates in 5 aliquots of $30 \mu \mathrm{~L}$ each (one for each time point). Liver microsomal incubation medium comprised of phosphate buffer ( 100 mM , $\mathrm{pH} 7.4), \mathrm{MgCl}_{2}(3.3 \mathrm{mM})$, NADPH ( 3 mM ), glucose-6-phosphate ( 5.3 mM ), glucose-6-phosphate dehydrogenase ( 0.67 units $/ \mathrm{mL}$ ) with 0.42 mg of liver microsomal protein per ml . In the control reactions the NADPH-cofactor system was substituted with phosphate buffer. Test compounds ( $2 \mu \mathrm{M}$, final solvent concentration $1.6 \%$ ) were incubated with microsomes at $37{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, shaking at 100 rpm . Each reaction was performed in duplicates. Five time points over 40 minutes were analyzed. The reactions were stopped by adding 5 volumes of acetonitrile containing internal standard to incubation aliquots, followed by protein sedimentation by centrifuging at 5500 rpm for 4 minutes. Supernatants were analyzed using the HPLC system coupled with tandem mass spectrometer.
The elimination constant $\left(\mathrm{k}_{\mathrm{el}}\right)$, half-life $\left(\mathrm{t}_{1 / 2}\right)$ and intrinsic clearance $\left(\mathrm{Cl}_{\mathrm{int}}\right)$ were determined in plot of $\ln (A U C)$ versus time, using linear regression analysis: ${ }^{1}$

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k_{e l}=- \text { slope } \quad t_{1 / 2}=\frac{0.693}{k} \quad C l_{\mathrm{int}}=\frac{0.693}{\mathrm{t}_{1 / 2}} \times \frac{\mu l_{\text {incubation }}}{\mathrm{mg}_{\text {microsomes }}}
$$

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## Results

Human microsomal stability data for reference and test compounds is provided in the table below.

Table S6. Human microsomal stability ( $1^{\text {st }}$ batch)

| $\begin{aligned} & \text { O } \\ & \\ & 0 \end{aligned}$ | 部 | Peak Area Ratio |  | Peak Area Ratio, Mean of 2 | $\begin{gathered} \% \\ \text { Remaining, } \\ \text { Mean of } 2 \end{gathered}$ | R | $\underset{\mathbf{m i n}^{-1}}{\mathbf{k}_{\mathrm{el}}}$ | $\mathrm{t}_{1 / 2}, \min$ | $\underset{\mu \mathrm{l} / \mathrm{min} / \mathrm{mg}}{\mathrm{Cl}_{\text {int }},}$ | $\%$Remaining without cofactor, Mean of 2 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Inc. 1 | Inc. 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 |
| Diclofenac human | 0 | $3.59 \mathrm{E}-01$ | 3.68E-01 | $3.63 \mathrm{E}-01$ | 100 | 0.964 | 0.072 | 9.7 | 173 | 100 |
|  | 7 | $1.84 \mathrm{E}-01$ | 1.89E-01 | 1.86E-01 | 51 | 100 Diclofenac human |  |  |  |  |
|  | 15 | 7.38E-02 | 7.91E-02 | 7.65E-02 | 21 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 25 | $3.12 \mathrm{E}-02$ | 3.31E-02 | $3.21 \mathrm{E}-02$ | 9 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 40 | $2.08 \mathrm{E}-02$ | $2.44 \mathrm{E}-02$ | $2.26 \mathrm{E}-02$ | 6 |  |  | 20 <br> Time, min | $30$ | 103 |
| Proprano- <br> lol human | 0 | $4.50 \mathrm{E}-01$ | $4.53 \mathrm{E}-01$ | $4.52 \mathrm{E}-01$ | 100 | 0.976 | 0.010 | 70.9 | 24 | 100 |
|  | 7 | 4.30E-01 | $4.66 \mathrm{E}-01$ | $4.48 \mathrm{E}-01$ | 99 | Propranolol human |  |  |  |  |
|  | 15 | $3.63 \mathrm{E}-01$ | 4.01E-01 | $3.82 \mathrm{E}-01$ | 85 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 25 | $3.67 \mathrm{E}-01$ | $3.77 \mathrm{E}-01$ | $3.72 \mathrm{E}-01$ | 82 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 40 | $2.84 \mathrm{E}-01$ | 3.32E-01 | $3.08 \mathrm{E}-01$ | 68 |  |  | $\stackrel{20}{\text { Time, } \min }$ | $30 \quad 40$ | 105 |
| $\begin{gathered} \text { EN300- } \\ \mathbf{4 5 1 7 7 9 2 4} \\ (27) \\ \text { human } \end{gathered}$ | 0 | $\begin{gathered} 2.31 \mathrm{E}+0 \\ 1 \end{gathered}$ | $2.41 \mathrm{E}+01$ | $2.36 \mathrm{E}+01$ | 100 | 0.983 | 0.077 | 9.0 | 186 | 100 |
|  | 7 | $\begin{gathered} 1.14 \mathrm{E}+0 \\ 1 \end{gathered}$ | $1.07 \mathrm{E}+01$ | $1.11 \mathrm{E}+01$ | 47 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 15 | $\begin{gathered} 4.77 \mathrm{E}+0 \\ 0 \end{gathered}$ | $4.50 \mathrm{E}+00$ | 4.63E+00 | 20 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 25 | $\begin{gathered} 2.39 \mathrm{E}+0 \\ 0 \end{gathered}$ | $2.07 \mathrm{E}+00$ | $2.23 \mathrm{E}+00$ | 9 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 40 | $\begin{gathered} 1.16 \mathrm{E}+0 \\ 0 \end{gathered}$ | $9.82 \mathrm{E}-01$ | $1.07 \mathrm{E}+00$ | 5 |  |  | Time, min |  | 106 |



Table S7. Human microsomal stability (2 $2^{\text {st }}$ batch)

| E0000 | 等 | Peak Area Ratio |  | Peak Area Ratio, Mean of 2 | $\begin{gathered} \% \\ \text { Remaining, } \\ \text { Mean of } 2 \end{gathered}$ | R | $\underset{\substack{\mathbf{k}_{\mathrm{el}} \\ \mathrm{~min}^{-1}}}{ }$ | $\mathbf{t}_{1 / 2}$, min | $\underset{\mathrm{g} / \mathrm{min} / \mathrm{m}}{\mathrm{Cl}_{\mathrm{in}},}$ | Remainin g without cofactor, Mean of 2 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Inc. 1 | Inc. 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 |
| Diclofenac human | 0 | $9.19 \mathrm{E}-02$ | 9.96E-02 | $9.58 \mathrm{E}-02$ | 100 | 0.999 | 0.113 | 6.2 | 272 | 100 |
|  | 7 | $4.17 \mathrm{E}-02$ | $5.20 \mathrm{E}-02$ | $4.69 \mathrm{E}-02$ | 49 | 100 Diclofenac human |  |  |  |  |
|  | 15 | $1.76 \mathrm{E}-02$ | 1.76E-02 | $1.76 \mathrm{E}-02$ | 18 |  |  | Incubation No1 |  |  |
|  | 25 | $5.80 \mathrm{E}-03$ | $4.65 \mathrm{E}-03$ | $5.22 \mathrm{E}-03$ | 5 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 40 | $1.04 \mathrm{E}-03$ | $1.21 \mathrm{E}-03$ | $1.12 \mathrm{E}-03$ | 1 |  |  | Time, min |  | 91 |
| Propranolol human | 0 | $4.14 \mathrm{E}-02$ | 3.63E-02 | $3.88 \mathrm{E}-02$ | 100 | 0.980 | 0.015 | 46.7 | 36 | 100 |
|  | 7 | $4.34 \mathrm{E}-02$ | $3.55 \mathrm{E}-02$ | $3.94 \mathrm{E}-02$ | 102 | Propranolol human |  |  |  |  |
|  | 15 | $3.82 \mathrm{E}-02$ | 3.06E-02 | $3.44 \mathrm{E}-02$ | 89 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 25 | $3.11 \mathrm{E}-02$ | $2.65 \mathrm{E}-02$ | $2.88 \mathrm{E}-02$ | 74 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 40 | $2.34 \mathrm{E}-02$ | 2.13E-02 | $2.24 \mathrm{E}-02$ | 58 |  |  | $\stackrel{20}{\text { Time, } \min }$ | $30 \quad 40$ | 96 |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { EN300- } \\ & 7392435 \end{aligned}$ <br> Conivaptan human | 0 | $4.47 \mathrm{E}-01$ | 4.18E-01 | $4.32 \mathrm{E}-01$ | 100 | 0.964 | 0.013 | 54.4 | 31 | 100 |
|  | 7 | $4.14 \mathrm{E}-01$ | $3.48 \mathrm{E}-01$ | $3.81 \mathrm{E}-01$ | 88 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 15 | 3.48E-01 | $2.82 \mathrm{E}-01$ | $3.15 \mathrm{E}-01$ | 73 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 25 | $3.21 \mathrm{E}-01$ | $2.55 \mathrm{E}-01$ | $2.88 \mathrm{E}-01$ | 67 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 40 | $2.74 \mathrm{E}-01$ | $2.45 \mathrm{E}-01$ | $2.60 \mathrm{E}-01$ | 60 |  |  | Time, min |  |  |

Table S8. Human microsomal stability ( $3^{\text {st }}$ batch)


| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { EN300- } \\ & 264529 \end{aligned}$ <br> Fluxapyroxad human | 0 | $9.53 \mathrm{E}-03$ | $1.11 \mathrm{E}-02$ | $1.03 \mathrm{E}-02$ | 100 | 0.972 | 0.012 | 59.0 | 28 | 100 |
|  | 7 | $1.01 \mathrm{E}-02$ | $9.65 \mathrm{E}-03$ | $9.88 \mathrm{E}-03$ | 96 | EN300-264529 human |  |  |  |  |
|  | 15 | $7.87 \mathrm{E}-03$ | 8.10E-03 | 7.99E-03 | 77 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 25 | 6.19E-03 | 8.96E-03 | $7.58 \mathrm{E}-03$ | 73 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 40 | 6.83E-03 | 6.25E-03 | $6.54 \mathrm{E}-03$ | 63 |  |  | e, min |  | 79 |
| $\begin{gathered} \text { EN300- } \\ \text { 20331690 } \\ \text { Lomitapide } \\ \text { human } \end{gathered}$ | 0 | $3.38 \mathrm{E}-02$ | $3.94 \mathrm{E}-02$ | $3.66 \mathrm{E}-02$ | 100 | 0.928 | 0.023 | 30.4 | 55 | 100 |
|  | 7 | $3.17 \mathrm{E}-02$ | $3.94 \mathrm{E}-02$ | $3.56 \mathrm{E}-02$ | 97 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 15 | $3.17 \mathrm{E}-02$ | $3.32 \mathrm{E}-02$ | $3.25 \mathrm{E}-02$ | 89 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 25 | $1.88 \mathrm{E}-02$ | 1.70E-02 | 1.79E-02 | 49 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 40 | $1.57 \mathrm{E}-02$ | 1.79E-02 | $1.68 \mathrm{E}-02$ | 46 |  |  | , |  | 88 |

Table S9. Human microsomal stability ( $4^{\text {st }}$ batch)

*Parameter should be considered as approximate due to the high stability of the compound.
**"No cofactor" control data indicates that the instability of compound is partially or completely not determined by CYP450 activity

## Interpretation of microsomal stability assay data

The test compounds can be classified in terms of their microsomal stability into low, medium and high clearance groups. The intrinsic clearance classification bands for mouse, rat, and human species are calculated according to the well stirred model equation: ${ }^{1}$

$$
\mathrm{CL}_{\mathrm{int}}=\frac{C L_{H}}{f u \times(1-E)}
$$

where $\mathrm{CL}_{H}$ is a hepatic clearance $(\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min} / \mathrm{kg}), \mathrm{CL}_{\mathrm{H}}=\mathrm{Ex} \mathrm{Q}_{\mathrm{H}}$
$\mathrm{Q}_{\mathrm{H}}=$ liver blood flow ( $\left.\mathrm{mL} / \mathrm{min} / \mathrm{kg}\right)^{2}$
$\mathrm{E}=$ extraction ratio, assumed at 0.3 for low clearance and at 0.7 for high clearance compounds $\mathrm{fu}=$ fraction unbound in plasma, assumed at 1.

The $\mathrm{CL}_{\text {int }}$ classification values were calculated for mouse, rat, and human species using the literature data on liver weight ${ }^{3}$ and microsomal protein concentration ${ }^{3,4}$ and are represented in the following table.

Table S10. The intrinsic clearance groups for classification of test compounds

> Classification group

$$
\text { Intrinsic clearance ( } \mu \mathrm{L} / \mathrm{min} / \mathrm{mg} \text { protein) }
$$

|  | Mouse | Rat | Human |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Low clearance | $<8.6$ | $<13$ | $<8.8$ |
| High clearance | $>48$ | $>72$ | $>48$ |

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## Bioactivity

## Antifungal activity of the synthetic compounds using disk diffusion methods

The compounds were tested for plant pathogens Aspergillus niger (strain VURV-F 822), which was received from Culture collection of microorganisms of Crop Research Institute (Prague, Czech Republic ).

The synthetic compounds' antifungal activity was evaluated using a disk diffusion assay for testing filamentous fungi (CLSI M51-A) and broth microdilution antifungal susceptibility testing (EUCAST E.DEF 7.3.1; CLSI M38-A2)
[CLSI M51-A. Method for Antifungal Disk Diffusion Susceptibility Testing of Nondermatophyte Filamentous Fungi; Approved Guideline.CLSI document M51-A. Wayne, PA: Clinical and Laboratory Standards Institute; 2010. This method is standardized for Altenaria, Aspergillus, Bipolaris, Fusarium, order Mucorales, etc.]
[CLSI M38-A2. 2008. Reference method for broth dilution antifungal susceptibility testing of filamentous fungi, 2nd ed Approved standard M38-A2 Clinical and Laboratory Standards Institute, Wayne, PA.]

## Antifungal disk diffusion method

The solutions of fungicides and their analogues were diluted in dimethyl sulfoxide (DMSO) to produce the following concentrations: $0.004,0.008,0.016,0.031,0.062,0.125,0.250,0.5,1,2$ $\mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}$ for each test component. Sterile paper disks (ASPECT, Ukraine) were soaked with $10 \mu \mathrm{l}$ of a solution of the appropriate fungicide from the highest concentration to the lowest.

The fungal strains were cultured on Petri dishes with Saburo dextrose agar (Condalab, Spain) and incubated at $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 5 days. Sterile Dulbecco's phosphate-buffered saline (DPBS) with 0,1 \% Tween 20 was used to cover colonies of fungus for obtained conidial suspension. Suspension of conidia was adjusted to inoculums $2 \times 10^{5}$ conidia/mL by sterile DPBS.

For antifungal disk diffusion test we used square Petri dishes (FALCON A Corning Brand, USA). The conidial suspension ( 0.5 mL ) was added to Petri dishes with Saburo dextrose agar. The suspension was evenly distributed over the surface of the nutrient medium with a glass spatula. After the surface of the inoculated medium was dry, the disks with different concentrations of testing compounds were added to the Petri dishes. Each compound was tested in triplicate at different concentrations. Growth control was a disk with $10 \mu 1$ of DMSO, which was used for test components dilution.

Petri dishes incubated at $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 72 h . The test compounds at known concentration into contact with an inoculated medium then exert a growth-inhibiting effect then a clear zone (the zone of
inhibition) appears around the test product. The diameter of a clear zone around the well is measured at the end of the incubation period in millimeters (disk diameter did not consider).

If the fungal strain is susceptible to the antifungal agent, then a zone of inhibition appears on the agar plate. If it is resistant to the test compound, then no zone is evident. The size of the zone of inhibition is usually related to the level of antifungal activity present in the compound - a larger zone of inhibition usually means that the antimicrobial is more potent.

The growth rate of all strains for each concentration of test compounds was determined visually and compared with the growth of control.

## Broth microdilution antifungal susceptibility testing

A 96-well CELLSTAR plate (sterile, flat-bottomed, polystyrene, transparent) was used to determine MIC by broth microdilution method. Also, dabble straight RPMI-1640 medium with $2 \%$ glucose ( 2 x RPMI $2 \% \mathrm{G}$ ) was used for this method. Spore suspension for plate inoculation was prepared according to the method described above for the disc diffusion method.

The each well in the plate contained $49 \mu \mathrm{l}$ of medium ( 2 x RPMI $2 \% \mathrm{G}$ ), $50 \mu \mathrm{l}$ of inoculum (prepared in DPBS) and $1 \mu l$ of the stock solution of the test substance. Positive control wells contained $50 \mu \mathrm{l}$ medium and $50 \mu \mathrm{l}$ inoculum, and sterile control wells contained $50 \mu \mathrm{l}$ medium and $50 \mu \mathrm{DPBS}$.

To determine the MIC by the microdilution method, a series of stock solutions of fungicides and their analogues in DMSO with the following concentrations were prepared: $3.2 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}, 1.6 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}$, $0.8 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}, 0.4 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}, 0.2 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}, 0.1 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}, 0.05 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}, 0.025 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}, 0.0125 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}$, $0.00625 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}$.
$1 \mu \mathrm{l}$ of the stock solutions of the test substances were added to each well to obtain the following final concentrations: $0.32 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}, 0.16 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}, 0.08 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}, 0.04 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}, 0.02 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}, 0.01$ $\mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}, 0.005 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}, 0.0025 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}, 0.00125 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}, 0.000625 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}$.

Immediately after adding all the components to the plates, the optical density was measured at 490 nm on a spectrophotometer Safire2 (Tecan, Switzerland). After that, the plates were incubated at $28{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 48 hours and the optical density was measured again. The growth of the culture was determined as the difference between these dimensions.

## Results

In the current research, we studied antifungal activity of three newly synthesized analogues of Fluxapyroxad, Boscalid, Bixafen, and compared their activity against 4 strains of fungi, relative to the original fungicides.

Aspergillus niger was to be the most sensitive strain to all tested compounds. However, its susceptibility to Fluxapyroxad, Boscalid and Bixafen was higher than their analogues (Fig. S22; Table. S12). Thus, in experiments with this strain of $A$. niger, the minimum inhibitory concentration of these three fungicides was $0.004 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}$. At this concentration, we observed small zones of inhibition, but it was noted the secondary mycelial growth in there (Fig. S23-S25). At the same time, the analogue of Fluxapyroxad was more effective than the analogue of Boscalid, which is evidenced by the larger size of the inhibition zones at higher concentrations of these compounds.

The broth microdilution method was not suitable for determining the MIC of Fluxapyroxad, Boscalid, and Bixafen analogues. This was due to two facts: 1) the test compounds did not inhibit growth by $100 \%$, so visual reading of the plates was not possible; 2) the spectrometric reading of the results was not effective, the initial optical density (mixture of spores, fungicide analogues and medium) was higher than after 72 hours of cultivation, which was manifested as false positive results.


Concentration, mg/mL
Figure S22. The antifungal activity of Boscalid, Bixafen, Fluxaporoxad, and their analogues 28-30 toward Aspergillus niger (strain VURV-F 822). Disk diffusion methods.

Table S11. The antifungal activity of studied compounds against Aspergillus niger (strain VURV-F 822)

| Concentration $\mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}$ | Diameter of inhibition zone, mm |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Boscalid | Analogue of Boscalid ( $\pm$ )-28 | Fluxapyroxad | Analogue of Fluxapyroxad ( $\pm$ )-30 | Bixafen | Analogue of Bixafen ( $\pm$ )-29 |
| 2 | $34.25 \pm 0.75$ | $15.5 \pm 0.5$ | $40.75 \pm 1.6$ | $24.25 \pm 0.75$ | $38 \pm 1$ | $23.5 \pm 2$ |
| 1 | $29 \pm 1.5$ | $13.75 \pm 0.88$ | $39.25 \pm 2.25$ | $20.5 \pm 1$ | $35.25 \pm 1.4$ | $16.25 \pm 1.25$ |
| 0.5 | $26 \pm 2.5$ | $10.5 \pm 1.5$ | $34.5 \pm 0.75$ | $13.75 \pm 0.75$ | $32.75 \pm 1.75$ | $12.5 \pm 1.5$ |
| 0.25 | $20.25 \pm 1$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7.5 \pm 0.5 \\ \mathrm{st} \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $30 \pm 0.5$ | $8.5 \pm 1$ | $32 \pm 2.5$ | $12 \pm 0.5$ |
| 0.12 | $21.25 \pm 2.25$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9 \pm 0.5 \\ \mathrm{st} \end{array}$ | $25.25 \pm 1.5$ | $10 \pm 0.5$ | $27 \pm 1$ | $8.75 \pm 1.25$ |
| 0.06 | $17.75 \pm 2.25$ | 0 | $\begin{array}{r} 22.25 \pm 1.25 \\ \mathrm{st} \end{array}$ | 0 | $\begin{array}{r} 20.5 \pm 1.75 \\ \mathrm{st} \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \hline 6.5 \pm 1 \\ \mathrm{st} \end{array}$ |
| 0.03 | $13.5 \pm 2$ | 0 | $18.25 \pm 0.4$ | 0 | $20.25 \pm 2.25$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3.5 \pm 0.5 \\ \mathrm{st} \end{array}$ |
| 0.016 | $10.5 \pm 1.5$ | 0 | $14.5 \pm 0.5$ | 0 | $14.5 \pm 1$ | 0 |
| 0.008 | $8.5 \pm 1$ | 0 | $11.75 \pm 1.25$ | 0 | $15.75 \pm 1.25$ | 0 |
| 0.004 | $\begin{array}{r} 7.5 \pm 1 \\ \mathrm{st} \end{array}$ | 0 | $8 \pm 2$ st | 0 | $9 \pm 2$ st | 0 |

Abbreviation: 0 - absence of antifungal activity; st - static growth, when fungal mycelium has secondary growth


Figure S23. Activity of Boscalid and its analogue ( $\pm$ )-28 toward Aspergillus niger, plates in 72 h . Concentration of compounds: A $-2 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}$; B $-1 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}$; C $-0.5 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}$; D $-0.25 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}$; E $0.125 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL} ; \mathrm{F}-0.06 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL} ; \mathrm{G}-0.03 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL} ; \mathrm{H}-0.016 ; \mathrm{I}-0.008 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL} ; \mathrm{J}-0.004 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}$.


Figure S24. Activity of Bixafen and its analogue ( $\pm$ )-29 toward Aspergillus niger, plates in 72 h . Concentration of compounds: A $-2 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}$; B $-1 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}$; C $-0.5 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}$; D $-0.25 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}$; E $0.125 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL} ; \mathrm{F}-0.06 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL} ; \mathrm{G}-0.03 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL} ; \mathrm{H}-0.016 ; \mathrm{I}-0.008 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL} ; \mathrm{J}-0.004 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}$.


Figure S25. Activity of Fluxapyroxad and its analogue ( $\pm$ )-30 toward Aspergillus niger, plates in 72 h . Concentration of compounds: A $-2 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}$; B $-1 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL} ; \mathrm{C}-0.5 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL} ; \mathrm{D}-0.25 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}$; E $-0.125 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL} ; ~ \mathrm{~F}-0.06 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL} ; \mathrm{G}-0.03 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL} ; \mathrm{H}-0.016 ;$ I $-0.008 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL} ; \mathrm{J}-0.004$ $\mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}$.


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[^1]:    $\begin{array}{llllllllllllllllllllllllllll}230 & 220 & 210 & 200 & 190 & 180 & 170 & 160 & 150 & 140 & 130 & 120 & 110 & 100 & 90 & 80 & 70 & 60 & 50 & 40 & 30 & 20 & 10 & 0\end{array}$

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[^3]:    $\begin{array}{lllllllllllllllllllllll}220 & 210 & 200 & 190 & 180 & 170 & 160 & 150 & 140 & 130 & 120 & 110 & 100 & 90 & 80 & 70 & 60 & 50 & 40 & 30 & 20 & 10 & 0\end{array}$

[^4]:    *Reliable measurable range is approximately -1 to 4.5

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