# Supporting Information

# Cascade heteroarylation/annulation of arylphosphonic acid monoesters with benzothiophenes: access to benzothieno-fused oxaphosphacycles

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# Table S1. Optimization of the Reaction Conditions<sup>a</sup>

	Me O POH + S	catalyst (5 mol oxidant, solvent 110 °C, Ar, 6 h	%) Me o OEt Po	
	1a 2a		3a S	
entry	catalyst	oxidant	solvent	yield <sup><math>b</math></sup> (%)
1	$[RuCl_2(p-cymene)]_2$	AgOAc	HFIP	21
2	$[RuCl_2(p-cymene)]_2$	Ag <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub>	HFIP	66
3	$[RuCl_2(p-cymene)]_2$	Ag <sub>2</sub> O	HFIP	86
4	$[RuCl_2(p-cymene)]_2$	Cu(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	HFIP	n.d.
5	$[RuCl_2(p-cymene)]_2$	$K_2S_2O_8$	HFIP	n.d.
6	$[RuCl_2(p-cymene)]_2$	Ag <sub>2</sub> O	TFE	52
7	$[RuCl_2(p-cymene)]_2$	Ag <sub>2</sub> O	МеОН	trace
8	$[RuCl_2(p-cymene)]_2$	Ag <sub>2</sub> O	H <sub>2</sub> O	n.d.
9	$[\operatorname{RuCl}_2(p\text{-cymene})]_2$	Ag <sub>2</sub> O	2-methyltetrahydrofuran	n.d.
10	$[\operatorname{RuCl}_2(p\text{-cymene})]_2$	Ag <sub>2</sub> O	1,4-dioxane	n.d.
11	$[RuCl_2(p-cymene)]_2$	Ag <sub>2</sub> O	(CH <sub>2</sub> Cl) <sub>2</sub>	trace
12	$[RuCl_2(p-cymene)]_2$	Ag <sub>2</sub> O	toluene	n.d.
13	$[RuCl_2(p-cymene)]_2$	Ag <sub>2</sub> O	DMF	n.d.
14	$[RuCl_2(p-cymene)]_2/AgSbF_6 (20 mol \%)$	Ag <sub>2</sub> O	HFIP	43
15	$[Ru(O_2CAd)_2(p-cymene)]$	Ag <sub>2</sub> O	HFIP	79
16	RuCl <sub>3</sub> •3H <sub>2</sub> O	Ag <sub>2</sub> O	HFIP	n.d.
17	[IrCp*Cl <sub>2</sub> ] <sub>2</sub>	Ag <sub>2</sub> O	HFIP	72
18 <sup>c</sup>	$Pd(OAc)_2$	Ag <sub>2</sub> O	HFIP	n.d.
19		Ag <sub>2</sub> O	HFIP	n.d.
20	$[RuCl_2(p-cymene)]_2$		HFIP	n.d.
21 <sup>d</sup>	$[RuCl_2(p-cymene)]_2$	Ag <sub>2</sub> O	HFIP	43
22 <sup>e</sup>	$[\operatorname{RuCl}_2(p\text{-cymene})]_2$	Ag <sub>2</sub> O	HFIP	61

<sup>*a*</sup>Reaction conditions: **1a** (0.1 mmol), **2a** (0.2 mmol), catalyst (5 mol %), oxidant (3 equiv), solvent (1.0 mL), 110 °C, 6 h, Ar, pressure tube. <sup>*b*</sup>Isolated yield. <sup>*c*</sup>Using 10 mol% Pd(OAc)<sub>2</sub> <sup>*d*</sup>Using 1 equiv Ag<sub>2</sub>O. <sup>*e*</sup>Using 2 equiv Ag<sub>2</sub>O. n.d. = not detected.

#### **Reaction-Condition-Based Sensitivity Assessment**

A reaction-condition-based sensitivity assessment,<sup>1b-d</sup> has been performed to examine the sensitivity of the reaction for synthesis of benzothieno-fused oxaphosphacycles. The standard reaction was performed under varied conditions: temperature, concentration, stirring rate, content of oxygen and water.

**Standard reaction conditions**: **1a** (20 mg, 0.1 mmol), **2a** (26.8 mg, 0.2 mmol),  $[RuCl_2(p-cymene)]_2$  (3 mg, 5 mol %, 0.005 mmol), Ag<sub>2</sub>O (69.5 mg, 0.3 mmol, 3 equiv), HFIP (1 mL), 110 °C, 6 h, Ar, pressure tube. Thereafter, 10 reaction sets were prepared and stirred at indicated stir rate in a preheated oil bath with specified temperature for 6 h. Upon completion, the reaction mixtures were cooled to room temperature, diluted with CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (10 mL) and passed through a short celite pad. The purification was performed as described in the general procedure to afford **3a**.

entry	experiment	preparation	yield (%)	deviation (%)
0	standard	stand. cond.	86	-
1	high conc.	stand. cond., V (HFIP) = 0.5 mL	86	0
2	low conc.	stand. cond., V (HFIP) = 1.5 mL	80	-7
3	H <sub>2</sub> O	stand. cond. + 3 $\mu$ L H <sub>2</sub> O	72	-16
4	low oxygen	stand. cond. + degassed then Ar	86	0
5	high oxygen	stand. cond. + purged with O <sub>2</sub> gas	61	-29
6	low temp.	stand. cond. + 100 °C	82	-5
7	high temp.	stand. cond. + 120 °C	86	0
8	low stirring	stand. cond. + stirring rate 500 r/min	86	0
9	high stirring	stand. cond. + stirring rate 1000 r/min	86	0
10	big scale	'gram scale' conditions	76	-11

### **Preparation of Reaction Sets**

### **Radar Diagram:**



General Procedure for the Preparation of Aryl/Vinyl Phosphonic Acid Monoesters 1a-l and 1A-E.



<u>Step-1</u> (For Aryl Phosphonates):<sup>2a</sup> A mixture of arylboronic acid (4.0 mmol, 1 equiv), *H*-phosphonate diester (2 mmol, 0.5 equiv), 1,10-phenanthroline (36.0 mg, 0.2 mmol, 5 mol %) and Cu<sub>2</sub>O (14.3 mg, 0.1 mmol, 2.5 mol %) was stirred in CH<sub>3</sub>CN for 24 h under air. Upon completion (monitored by TLC), the reaction mixture was extracted with ethyl acetate (3 x 20 mL). The combined organic layer was washed with brine (2 x 10 mL) and water (1 x 10 mL). Drying (Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>) and evaporation of the solvent gave a residue that was purified on silica gel column chromatography using *n*-hexane and ethyl acetate as an eluent to afford dialkyl aryl phosphonates.

$$R^{1} \xrightarrow{Me} RO \xrightarrow{H} OR \xrightarrow{Pyridine (1.5 equiv)} R^{1} \xrightarrow{P} OR \xrightarrow{R^{1}} OR$$

<u>Step-1</u> (For Vinyl Phosphonates): <sup>2e</sup> To a stirred solution of ketone (0.4 mmol, 1 equiv) and *H*-phosphonate diester (0.8 mmol, 2 equiv), Tf<sub>2</sub>O (0.6 mmol, 1.5 equiv, 101  $\mu$ L) and pyridine (0.6 mmol, 1.5 equiv, 48  $\mu$ L) were added. The mixture was stirred at 35 °C for 6 h. Upon

completion (monitored by TLC), ethyl acetate (20 mL) and saturated sodium bicarbonate (20 mL) were added. The solution was extracted with ethyl acetate (3 x 20 mL) and combined organic layer was washed with brine (2 x 10 mL) and water (1 x 10 mL). Drying (Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>) and evaporation of the solvent gave a residue that was purified on silica gel column chromatography using *n*-hexane and ethyl acetate to afford dialkyl vinyl phosphonates.



<u>Step-2</u> (Hydrolysis): <sup>2b</sup> A mixture of dialkyl aryl/vinyl phosphonate (2.0 mmol, 1 equiv) and NaOH (160 mg, 4.0 mmol, 2 equiv) was stirred in water (10 mL) at 80 °C in a preheated oil bath for an appropriate time (8-12 h). Upon completion (monitored by TLC), the reaction mixture was allowed to cool to room temperature and neutralized with conc. HCl. The reaction mixture was extracted with ethyl acetate (3 x 20 mL). The combined organic layer was washed with brine (2 x 10 mL) and water (1 x 10 mL). Drying (Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>) and evaporation of the solvent gave a residue that was purified on silica gel column chromatography using methanol and  $CH_2Cl_2$  as an eluent to afford the products **1a-l** and **1A-E**.

Substrates 1c, 1d, 1g, 1i, 1k and 1B-E are new, whose characterization data are provided, whereas 1a-b,<sup>2b</sup>1e,<sup>2c</sup>1f,<sup>2d</sup>1h,<sup>2b</sup>1l<sup>2b</sup> and 1A<sup>2c</sup> are known, synthesized according to the reported procedure.



General Procedure for the Preparation of Substituted Benzothiophenes 2e and 2h (Suzuki Reaction).<sup>3a</sup> A mixture of bromobenzothiophene (213 mg, 1 mmol, 1 equiv), Na<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> (371 mg, 3.5 mmol, 3.5 equiv), PdCl<sub>2</sub>(PPh<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub> (17.5 mg, 2.5 mol %) and arylboronic acid (1.3 mmol, 1.3 equiv) was stirred in 1,4-dioxane:H<sub>2</sub>O (1:1, v/v, 10 mL) under Ar atmosphere for 2 h at 80 °C. After completion, the reaction mixture was cooled to room temperature and added aqueous NH<sub>4</sub>Cl solution (15 mL). The mixture was extracted with ethyl acetate (20 mL x 3) and washed with brine (2 x 20 mL) and water (1 x 20 mL). Drying (Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>) and evaporation of the solvent gave a residue that was purified on silica gel column chromatography using ethyl acetate/*n*-hexane as an eluent to provide substituted benzothiophenes **2e** and **2h**.

Substrate  $2e^{3c}$  is known, synthesized according to the reported procedure, whereas 2h is new, whose characterization data is provided.



General Procedure for the Preparation of Substituted Benzothiophenes 2j-1.<sup>3b</sup> To a stirred solution of benzothiophene-5-carboxylic acid (196.02 mg, 1.1 mmol, 1.1 equiv) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (5 mL), alcohol (1 mmol, 1 equiv), DMAP (25 mg, 0.2 mmol, 20 mol %) and DCC (268 mg, 1.3 mmol, 1.3 equiv) were added sequentially at 0 °C. Then, the reaction mixture was allowed to warm to room temperature and stirred for 12 h at the same temperature. Upon completion, as monitored by TLC, the reaction mixture was diluted with CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (10 mL) and passed through a short pad of celite. Evaporation of the solvent gave a residue that was purified on silica gel column chromatography using ethyl acetate and *n*-hexane as an eluent to give substituted benzothiophenes 2j-l.

Substrates 2j-l are new, whose characterization data are provided.

General Procedure for Ru(II)-Catalyzed Annulation of Aryl/Vinyl Phosphonic Acid Monoesters with Benzothiophenes. In an oven-dried pressure tube, a mixture of aryl/vinyl phosphonic acid monoester 1 (0.1 mmol), benzothiophene 2 (0.2 mmol),  $[RuCl_2(p-cymene)]_2$ (3 mg, 5 mol %, 0.005 mmol) and Ag<sub>2</sub>O (69.5 mg, 0.3 mmol, 3 equiv) was stirred in HFIP (1.0 ml) at 110 °C in a preheated oil bath for 6 h under Ar atmosphere. The progress of the reaction was monitored by TLC utilizing ethyl acetate and hexane as an eluent. Upon completion (monitored by TLC), the reaction mixture was cooled to room temperature, diluted with CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (10 mL) and passed through a short celite pad. The filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure and the residue was purified on silica gel column chromatography using *n*-hexane and ethyl acetate as an eluent to afford **3**.

Scale-up Synthesis of 3a. In an oven-dried pressure tube, a mixture of ethyl hydrogen *o*-tolylphosphonate 1a (5 mmol, 1.0 g), benzo[*b*]thiophene 2a (10 mmol, 1.34 g), [RuCl<sub>2</sub>(*p*-cymene)]<sub>2</sub> (5 mol %, 0.25 mmol, 153 mg) and Ag<sub>2</sub>O (3 equiv, 3.4 g) was stirred in HFIP (10.0 ml) at 110 °C in a preheated oil bath for 6 h under Ar atmosphere. The reaction mixture was cooled to room temperature and diluted with  $CH_2Cl_2$  (20 mL) and passed through a celite pad. Evaporation of the solvent gave a residue that was purified on silica gel column chromatography using *n*-hexane and ethyl acetate as an eluent (70/30, v/v) to afford 3a in 75% (1.24 g) yield.

### **Procedures for the Post-Synthetic Modifications**



Synthesis of 5.<sup>4a</sup> Compound 3a (33.0 mg, 0.1 mmol, 1 equiv), PhI(OAc)<sub>2</sub> (161.0 mg, 0.50 mmol, 5.0 equiv) and (NH<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> (28.8 mg, 0.30 mmol, 3.0 equiv) were stirred in methanol (1 mL) at room temperature for overnight. After completion (monitored by TLC), the reaction mixture was diluted with ethyl acetate (10 mL) and passed through a short celite pad. Evaporation of the solvent gave a residue that was purified on silica gel column chromatography using ethyl acetate/*n*-hexane as the eluent (40/60, v/v) to provide 5 in 77% (27.8 mg) yield.



Synthesis of 6.<sup>4b</sup> Compound 3a (33.0 mg, 0.1 mmol, 1 equiv) and Lawesson's reagent (81.0 mg, 0.2 mmol, 0.2 equiv) were stirred in toluene (1 mL) at 110 °C for 14 h under N<sub>2</sub> atmosphere. After completion (monitored by TLC), the reaction mixture diluted with ethyl acetate (10 mL) and passed through a short celite pad. Evaporation of solvent gave a residue that was purified on silica gel column chromatography using ethyl acetate/*n*-hexane as the eluent (10/90, v/v) to provide 6 in 82% (28.4 mg) yield.



Synthesis of 7.<sup>5b</sup> Compound 3a (33.0 mg, 0.1 mmol, 1 equiv) and NaOMe (5 equiv, 27 mg) were stirred in MeOH (1 mL) at room temperature for 6 h. After completion (monitored by TLC), the reaction mixture was extracted with ethyl acetate (10 mL x 3) and washed with brine (2 x 10 mL) and water (1 x 10 mL). Drying (Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>) and evaporation of the solvent gave a residue that was purified by silica gel column chromatography using ethyl acetate/*n*-hexane (30/70, v/v) as an eluent to provide 7 in 86% (27.2 mg) yield.



Synthesis of 8.<sup>4b</sup> To a stirred solution of 3a (33.0 mg, 0.1 mmol, 1 equiv) in THF (1 mL), EtMgBr (3 M in Et<sub>2</sub>O, 50  $\mu$ L, 0.15 mmol, 1.5 equiv) was added dropwise at 0 °C and continued the stirring at the same temperature for additional 1 h. After completion (monitored by TLC), saturated aqueous solution of NH<sub>4</sub>Cl (10 mL) was added to the reaction mixture and extracted with ethyl acetate (10 mL x 3), washed with brine (2 x 10 mL) and water (1 x 10 mL). Drying (Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>) and evaporation of the solvent gave a residue that was purified by silica gel column chromatography using ethyl acetate/*n*-hexane (70/30, v/v) as an eluent to provide **8** in 84% (26.4 mg) yield.



Synthesis of 9.<sup>5a</sup> Compound 3C (40.0 mg, 0.1 mmol, 1 equiv) and oxone (46.1 mg, 1.5 equiv, 0.15 mmol) were stirred in EtOH/H<sub>2</sub>O (1 mL, 1:1, v/v) at room temperature for 4 h. After completion (monitored by TLC), the reaction mixture was filtered and the residue was washed with  $CH_2Cl_2/acetone$  (10 mL, 1:1, v/v), followed by  $CH_2Cl_2$  (10 mL). Evaporation of the filtrate gave a residue that was purified by silica gel column chromatography using ethyl acetate/*n*-hexane as the eluent (70/30, v/v) to provide 9 in 73% (30.5 mg) yield.

**Photophysical Experiment Details:** Absorption and emission spectra of some synthesized compounds were recorded in  $CH_2Cl_2$  (1.0 x 10<sup>-5</sup> M) at ambient temperature. The absorption and emission wavelengths are listed in the following.

entry	compound	$\lambda_{abs}$ (nm)	$\lambda_{em}$ (nm)
1	3i	326	384
2	3s	343	397
3	3h	330, 346	420



Figure S1: Absorption (left) and normalized emission (right) spectra of 3i, 3s and 3h in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (1.0 x 10<sup>-5</sup> M)

3h



Figure S2: Fluorescence behaviour

Sample Preparation for Crystal Growth. The compound 3m was dissolved in minimum volume of acetonitrile and kept at room temperature for slow evaporation (3 days). The block shaped crystal was then subjected to X-ray diffraction.

### Crystal Data and Structure Refinement for 3m



Figure S3. ORTEP diagram of 3m with 50% ellipsoid (CCDC 2388928). H-Atoms are omitted for clarity.

Identification code	3m
Empirical formula	C <sub>17</sub> H <sub>14</sub> FO <sub>3</sub> PS
Solvent for crystal growth	Acetonitrile
Formula weight	348.31
Crystal habit, colour	block and yellow
Temperature, <i>T</i> /K	301 K
Wavelength, λ/Å	0.71073
Crystal system	orthorhombic
Space group	'P 21 21 21'
Unit cell dimensions	a = 7.7392(9) Å
	b = 13.4287(15) Å
	c = 15.1509(17) Å
	$\alpha = 90$
	$\beta = 90$
	$\gamma = 90$
Volume, <i>V</i> /Å <sup>3</sup>	1574.6(3)
Ζ	4
Calculated density, g·cm <sup>-3</sup>	1.469
Absorption coefficient, $\mu/\text{mm}^{-1}$	0.329
<i>F</i> (000)	720
$\theta$ range for data collection	2.026 to 26.365°
Limiting indices	$-9 \le h \le 9, -16 \le k \le 16, -18 \le l \le 18$
Reflection collected / unique	3220 / 3032
Completeness to $\theta$	99.60% ( <i>θ</i> =26.36°)
Absorption correction	none
Refinement method	'SHELXL-2018/3 (Sheldrick, 2015) '
Data / restraints / parameters	3220/0/211
Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.073
Final <i>R</i> indices [ <i>I</i> >2sigma( <i>I</i> )]	R1 = 0.0348, wR2 = 0.0790
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0306, wR2 = 0.0740

#### **Characterization Data of Aryl Phosphonic Acid Monoesters**



**Ethyl hydrogen (2-bromophenyl)phosphonate 1c.** Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 methanol/ CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>  $R_f$ = 0.52; brown liquid; yield 82% (434.7 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  9.96 (bs, 1H), 7.96-7.92 (m, 1H), 7.63-7.60 (m, 1H), 7.33-7.31 (m, 2H), 4.14-4.09 (m, 2H), 1.31 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  135.5 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz), 134.2 (d, *J* = 11.4 Hz), 133.5, 130.7 (d, *J* = 198.6 Hz), 126.9 (d, *J* = 13.8 Hz), 125.3 (d, *J* = 4.2 Hz), 62.6 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz), 16.2 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  15.8; FT-IR (neat) 3328, 2949, 2865, 1706, 1453, 1326, 1269, 1184, 1093, 1013, 968, 754 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>8</sub>H<sub>11</sub>BrO<sub>3</sub>P: 264.9624, found 264.9621.



**Ethyl hydrogen (2-fluorophenyl)phosphonate 1d**. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 methanol/ CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>  $R_f$  = 0.50; yellow liquid; yield 79% (322.5 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  8.48 (bs, 1H), 7.81-7.76 (m, 1H), 7.52-7.49 (m, 1H), 7.18-7.16 (m, 1H), 7.11-7.07 (m, 1H), 4.15-4.11 (m, 2H), 1.30 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  164.4 (d, *J* = 251.2 Hz), 134.7 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz), 134.1 (q, *J* = 2.1 Hz), 124.1 (dd, *J* = 13.9 Hz, *J* = 3.3 Hz), 117.6 (d, *J* = 193.2 Hz), 116.1 (dd, *J* = 21.9 Hz, *J* = 7.8 Hz), 62.5 (d, *J* = 5.7 Hz), 16.2 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  14.34; <sup>19</sup>F NMR (565 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  -103.82; FT-IR (neat) 2922, 2857, 1710, 1606, 1574, 1476, 1445, 1222, 1137, 1089, 1032, 993, 826, 763 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>8</sub>H<sub>11</sub>FO<sub>3</sub>P: 205.0425, found 205.0422.



**Ethyl hydrogen (4-ethoxy-2-methylphenyl)phosphonate 1g.** Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 methanol/ CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>  $R_f$  = 0.52; brown solid; mp 82-83 °C; yield 81% (395.6 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.80-7.76 (m, 1H), 6.81 (bs, 1H), 6.74-6.73 (m, 1H), 6.70-6.67 (m, 1H), 4.05-4.00 (m, 4H), 2.53 (m, 3H), 1.40 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3H), 1.28 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  162.2 (d, *J* = 3.1 Hz), 144.0 (d, *J* = 12.0 Hz), 135.5 (d, *J* = 12.0 Hz), 119.4 (d, *J* = 196.7 Hz), 117.6 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz), 110.8 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz), 63.5, 61.6 (d, *J* = 5.7 Hz), 21.5 (d, *J* = 3.5 Hz), 16.3 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz), 14.8; <sup>31</sup>P NMR (202 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ 

22.52; FT-IR (KBr) 2980, 2929, 1737, 1598, 1483, 1304, 1200, 1086, 1040, 978 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>11</sub>H<sub>18</sub>O<sub>4</sub>P: 245.0938, found 245.0939.



**Butyl hydrogen** *o*-tolylphosphonate 1i. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 methanol/ CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>  $R_f = 0.82$ ; brown liquid; yield 84% (383.4 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.88-7.84 (m, 1H), 7.56 (s, 1H), 7.39 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.23-7.20 (m, 2H), 3.98-3.94 (m, 2H), 2.56 (s, 3H), 1.61-1.56 (m, 2H), 1.36-1.30 (m, 2H), 0.86 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  141.9 (d, J = 11.2 Hz), 133.4 (d, J = 10.2 Hz), 132.5, 131.2 (d, J = 15.3 Hz), 127.7 (d, J = 189.3 Hz), 125.4 (d, J = 15.1 Hz), 65.6 (d, J = 5.8 Hz), 32.4 (d, J = 6.6 Hz), 21.3 (d, J = 3.1 Hz), 18.8, 13.6; <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  21.44; FT-IR (neat) 2958, 2875, 2314, 1665, 1457, 1193, 1149, 1024, 978, 755 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>11</sub>H<sub>18</sub>O<sub>3</sub>P: 229.0989, found 229.0981.



**Ethyl hydrogen thiophen-3-ylphosphonate 1k**. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 methanol/ CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>  $R_f = 0.40$ ; brown liquid; yield 75% (228.2 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.93 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.38-7.32 (m, 2H), 6.46 (bs, 1H), 4.05-4.01 (m, 2H), 1.27 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  134.9 (d, J = 18.7 Hz), 131.0 (d, J = 198.6Hz), 129.1 (d, J = 17.5 Hz), 127.1 (d, J = 19.2 Hz), 62.2 (d, J = 5.1 Hz), 16.3 (d, J = 6.6 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  14.72; FT-IR (neat) 3100, 2983, 2249, 1657, 1502, 1407, 1213, 1162, 1099, 983, 719 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>10</sub>O<sub>3</sub>PS: 193.0083, found 193.0081.

### **Characterization Data of Vinyl Phosphonic Acid Monoesters**



**Ethyl hydrogen (1-(4-(***tert***-butyl)phenyl)vinyl)phosphonate 1B.** Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 methanol/  $CH_2Cl_2 R_f = 0.80$ ; yellow liquid; yield 70% (375.6 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  9.73 (bs, 1H), 7.51 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.37 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 6.30 (d, J = 22.8 Hz, 1H), 6.14 (d, J = 46.2 Hz, 1H), 4.08-4.03 (m, 2H), 1.32 (s, 9H), 1.26 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  151.3, 140.2 (d, J = 178.8 Hz), 133.6 (d, J = 12.3 Hz), 130.4 (d, J = 8.1 Hz), 127.2 (d, J = 6.0 Hz), 125.4, 62.2 (d, J = 6.0 Hz), 34.6, 31.3, 16.3 (d, J = 6.4 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  19.48; FT-IR (neat) 2960, 2298, 1667, 1509, 1467, 1393, 1193, 1033, 983, 838, 775 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>22</sub>O<sub>3</sub>P: 269.1302, found 269.1296.



Ethyl hydrogen (1-(3,4-dimethoxyphenyl)vinyl)phosphonate 1C. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 methanol/  $CH_2Cl_2 R_f = 0.70$ ; brown liquid; yield 72% (392 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.11-7.10 (m, 2H), 7.04 (bs, 1H), 6.82 (d, J = 9.0 Hz, 1H), 6.23 (d, J = 22.2 Hz, 1H), 6.08 (d, J = 46.8 Hz, 1H), 4.04-3.99 (m, 2H), 3.86 (s, 6H), 1.24 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  149.3, 148.7, 140.0 (d, J = 178.5 Hz), 129.6 (d, J = 8.2 Hz), 129.4 (d, J = 12.6 Hz), 120.3 (d, J = 6.3 Hz), 111.1, 110.8 (d, J = 5.1 Hz), 62.2 (d, J = 5.8 Hz), 55.9 (d, J = 3.0 Hz), 16.3 (d, J = 6.4 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  18.89; FT-IR (neat) 2939, 1598, 1512, 1456, 1325, 1253, 1214, 1143, 1024, 981, 810, 728 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>18</sub>O<sub>5</sub>P: 273.0887, found 273.0888.



**Ethyl hydrogen cyclohex-1-en-1-ylphosphonate 1D**. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 methanol/ CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>  $R_f$ = 0.62; yellow liquid; yield 68% (258.6 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  6.75 (d, *J* = 22.8 Hz, 1H), 5.78 (s, 1H), 4.08-4.01 (m, 2H), 2.20-2.15 (m, 4H), 1.68-1.59 (m, 4H), 1.32 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  142.3 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz), 128.6 (d, *J* = 185.2 Hz), 61.5 (d, *J* = 5.8 Hz), 26.0 (d, *J* = 18.3 Hz), 24.0 (d, *J* = 9.7 Hz), 22.0 (d, *J* = 10.5 Hz), 21.4, 16.4 (d, *J* = 6.4 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  22.39; FT-IR (neat) 3428, 2932, 1636, 1445, 1391, 1159, 1021, 956, 787 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>8</sub>H<sub>16</sub>O<sub>3</sub>P: 191.0832, found 191.0830.



**Butyl hydrogen (1-phenylvinyl)phosphonate 1E**. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:3 methanol/  $CH_2Cl_2 R_f = 0.82$ ; brown liquid; yield 73% (350.7 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz,

CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  10.42 (bs, 1H), 7.55 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.35-7.30 (m, 3H), 6.33 (d, J = 22.2 Hz, 1H), 6.15 (d, J = 46.2 Hz, 1H), 3.99-3.96 (m, 2H), 1.59-1.54 (m, 2H), 1.31-1.26 (m, 2H), 0.85 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  140.5 (d, J = 179.5 Hz), 136.6 (d, J = 12.1 Hz), 131.0 (d, J = 7.8 Hz), 128.5, 128.3, 127.6 (d, J = 5.7 Hz), 66.0 (d, J = 6.1 Hz), 32.3 (d, J = 6.6 Hz), 18.7, 13.6; <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  18.70; FT-IR (neat) 2958, 2309, 1668, 1491, 1460, 1389, 1191, 977, 847, 776, 700 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>18</sub>O<sub>3</sub>P: 241.0989, found 241.0980.

### **Characterization Data of Benzothiophenes**



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(1*S*,2*R*,4*S*)-1,7,7-Trimethylbicyclo[2.2.1]heptan-2-yl benzo[*b*]thiophene-5-carboxylate 2j. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:20 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.60$ ; yellow liquid; yield 75% (235.8 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  8.538-8.536 (m, 1H), 8.03-8.01 (m, 1H), 7.93 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.52 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 7.45 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 5.17-5.15 (m, 1H), 2.53-2.47 (m, 1H), 2.21-2.17 (m, 1H), 1.86-1.80 (m, 1H), 1.75 (t, *J* = 4.8 Hz, 1H), 1.47-1.41 (m, 1H), 1.36-1.32 (m, 1H), 1.17-1.14 (m, 1H), 0.98 (s, 3H), 0.94 (d, *J* = 4.8 Hz, 6H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  167.2, 139.5, 128.4, 127.7, 127.4, 125.5, 124.8, 124.6, 122.4, 80.7, 49.3, 48.0, 45.2, 37.1, 28.3, 27.6, 19.9, 19.1, 13.8; FT-IR (neat) 2952, 1712, 1601, 1455, 1375, 1326, 1270, 1187, 1094, 1017, 798, 757 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* [M+Na]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>22</sub>NaO<sub>2</sub>S: 337.1233, found 337.1226.



(1*R*,2*S*,5*R*)-2-Isopropyl-5-methylcyclohexyl benzo[*b*]thiophene-5carboxylate 2k. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:20 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.60$ ; yellow liquid; yield 78% (246.8 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  8.553-8.551 (m, 1H), 8.04-8.02 (m, 1H), 7.91 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.48 (d, J = 5.4 Hz, 1H), 7.41 (d, J = 5.4 Hz, 1H), 5.03-4.98 (m, 1H), 2.19-2.16 (m, 1H), 2.04-1.99 (m, 1H), 1.75-1.70 (m, 2H), 1.61-1.53 (m, 2H), 1.17-1.11 (m, 2H), 0.97-0.92 (m, 7H), 0.83 (d, J = 6.6 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ 166.3, 143.9, 139.3, 127.5, 127.2, 125.4, 124.7, 124.4, 122.2, 74.8, 47.3, 41.1, 34.4, 31.5, 26.6, 23.7, 22.1, 20.8, 16.6; FT-IR (neat) 2927, 2277, 1705, 1581, 1424, 1192, 1145, 1033, 989, 757 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>25</sub>O<sub>2</sub>S: 317.1570, found 317.1564.



### 2,5,7,8-Tetramethyl-2-(4,8,12-

trimethyltridecyl)chroman-6-yl benzo[*b*]thiophene-5-carboxylate 2l. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:20 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.64$ ; yellow liquid; yield 72% (425.4 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  8.78 (s, 1H), 8.23 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 8.02 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.56 (d, *J* = 5.4 Hz, 1H), 7.49 (d, *J* = 5.4 Hz, 1H), 2.65 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 2.17 (s, 3H), 2.12 (s, 3H), 2.07 (s, 3H), 1.89-1.77 (m, 2H), 1.68-1.62 (m, 2H), 1.60-1.52 (m, 2H), 1.46-1.41 (m, 2H), 1.37-1.24 (m, 12H), 1.19-1.07 (m, 6H), 0.91-0.88 (m, 12H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  165.6, 149.6, 144.7, 140.8, 139.6, 127.9, 127.0, 126.2, 126.0, 125.29, 125.21, 124.5, 123.2, 122.6, 117.5, 75.1, 39.5, 37.59, 37.52, 37.4, 32.9, 28.1, 24.95, 24.93, 24.5, 24.3, 23.8, 22.8, 22.7, 21.1, 20.7, 19.89, 19.83, 19.78, 19.74, 13.2, 12.3, 12.0; FT-IR (neat) 2925, 2863, 1730, 1600, 1456, 1454, 1376, 1326, 1234, 1174, 1087, 918, 752 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>38</sub>H<sub>55</sub>O<sub>3</sub>S: 591.3867, found 591.3869.

### **Characterization Data of the Products**



# 5-Ethoxy-4-methylbenzo[c]benzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-e][1,2]oxaphosphinine

**5-oxide 3a**. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.48$ ; brown solid; mp 129-130 °C; yield 86% (28.4 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.91-7.87 (m, 1H), 7.81-7.77 (m, 1H), 7.57-7.53 (m, 1H), 7.47-7.37 (m, 3H), 7.29-7.27 (m, 1H), 4.35-4.20 (m, 2H), 2.78 (d, J = 1.2 Hz, 3H), 1.36 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  142.7 (d, J = 9.6 Hz), 141.0 (d, J = 7.8 Hz), 135.7, 135.3 (d, J = 7.6 Hz), 133.4, 131.4 (d, J = 6.3 Hz), 130.8 (d, J = 14.8 Hz), 126.6, 125.2, 123.0, 122.1 (d, J = 10.8 Hz), 121.0, 119.0 (d, J = 178.2 Hz), 117.9 (d, J = 13.6 Hz), 63.2 (d, J = 6.9 Hz), 21.6 (d, J = 4.3 Hz), 16.5 (d, J = 6.1 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  12.48; FT-IR (KBr) 3060, 2972, 2924, 1715, 1590, 1458, 1370, 1263, 1153, 1029, 960, 853, 759 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) *m*/*z* [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>16</sub>O<sub>3</sub>PS: 331.0553, found 331.0556.



5-Ethoxybenzo[c]benzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-e][1,2]oxaphosphinine 5-oxide

**3b**. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.40$ ; brown solid; mp 98-99 °C; yield 72% (22.8 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.99-7.96 (m, 1H), 7.90-7.87 (m, 1H), 7.80-7.79 (m, 1H), 7.68 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.54 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.50-7.47 (m, 1H), 7.46-7.42 (m, 2H), 4.28-4.23 (m, 2H), 1.30 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  141.5 (d, J = 7.9 Hz), 135.7, 134.7 (d, J = 7.0 Hz), 133.8 (d, J = 2.4 Hz), 131.5 (d, J = 6.3 Hz), 130.7 (d, J = 9.1 Hz), 128.3 (d, J = 15.4 Hz), 126.8, 125.3, 124.3 (d, J = 10.8 Hz), 123.1, 121.0, 120.5 (d, J = 182.5 Hz), 117.9 (d, J = 13.8 Hz), 63.4 (d, J = 6.6 Hz), 16.5 (d, J = 5.7 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  13.29; FT-IR (KBr) 3427, 2922, 2854, 1728, 1591, 1467, 1371, 1266, 1159, 1093, 1025, 961, 854, 757 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) m/z [M+Na]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>13</sub>NaO<sub>3</sub>PS: 339.0216, found 339.0218.



# 4-Bromo-5-ethoxybenzo[c]benzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-e][1,2]oxaphosphinine

**5-oxide 3c**. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.47$ ; brown solid; mp 135-136 °C yield 63% (24.9 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.90-7.87 (m, 1H), 7.79-7.76 (m, 1H), 7.65-7.62 (m, 1H), 7.49-7.42 (m, 4H), 4.47-4.38 (m, 2H), 1.44 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  141.6 (d, J = 7.9 Hz), 137.3 (d, J = 6.1 Hz), 135.8, 134.2 (d, J = 1.8 Hz), 133.3 (d, J = 11.4 Hz), 131.2 (d, J = 6.6 Hz), 127.2, 125.7 (d, J = 3.3 Hz), 125.3, 123.4 (d, J = 10.0 Hz), 123.0, 121.7 (d, J = 187.2 Hz), 121.4, 116.4 (d, J = 13.2 Hz), 64.7 (d, J = 7.0 Hz), 16.5 (d, J = 4.4 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  8.37; FT-IR (KBr) 3424, 2921, 2860, 1723, 1583, 1450, 1371, 1266, 1194, 1156, 1104, 1033, 968, 852, 760 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>13</sub>BrO<sub>3</sub>PS: 394. 9501, found 394. 9502.



# 5-Ethoxy-4-fluorobenzo[c]benzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-e][1,2]oxaphosphinine

**5-oxide 3d**. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.46$ ; brown solid; mp 123-124 °C; yield 59% (19.8 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.89-7.88 (m, 1H), 7.79-7.78 (m, 1H), 7.66-7.63 (m, 1H), 7.45-7.44 (m, 2H), 7.34-7.32 (m, 1H), 7.16-7.12 (m, 1H), 4.45-4.40 (m, 2H), 1.42 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  164.5 (d, J = 252.0 Hz), 141.9 (d, J = 7.5 Hz), 136.4 (d, J = 3.9 Hz), 135.8, 135.6 (d, J = 9.6 Hz), 131.2 (d, J = 6.7 Hz), 127.2, 125.4, 123.0, 121.3, 120.1 (dd, J = 10.0 Hz, J = 3.0 Hz), 116.3 (dd, J = 13.9 Hz, J = 3.3 Hz), 115.2 (dd, J = 22.0 Hz, J = 7.9 Hz), 109.0 (d, J = 181.0 Hz), 64.6 (d, J = 6.4 Hz), 16.5 (d, J = 6.3 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.10; <sup>19</sup>F NMR (565 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  -103.09; FT-IR (KBr) 3403, 2919, 2853, 1732, 1601, 1539, 1463, 1371, 1263, 1174, 1114, 1028, 967, 859, 794 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>13</sub>FO<sub>3</sub>PS: 335.0302, found 335.0299.



# 5-Ethoxy-3-methoxybenzo[c]benzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-e][1,2]oxa-

**phosphinine 5-oxide 3e**. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.39$ ; brown solid; mp 142-143 °C; yield 82% (28.4 mg,); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.91-7.90 (m, 1H), 7.81- 7.80 (m, 1H), 7.64-7.61 (m, 1H), 7.49-7.45 (m, 1H), 7.44-7.40 (m, 2H), 7.25 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 4.25-4.20 (m, 2H), 4.06 (s, 3H), 1.27 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  154.1 (d, J = 15.9 Hz), 141.0 (d, J = 7.9 Hz), 137.7, 130.2 (d, J = 6.0 Hz), 129.0 (d, J = 18.1 Hz), 126.1, 124.7, 124.3 (d, J = 7.6 Hz), 122.7 (d, J = 8.2 Hz), 122.4, 121.5 (d, J = 180.7 Hz), 120.5, 115.7 (d, J = 2.8 Hz), 114.4 (d, J = 14.2 Hz), 63.3 (d, J = 6.6 Hz), 56.1, 16.5 (d, J = 6.0 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  13.14; FT-IR (KBr) 3463, 2924, 2854, 1727, 1600, 1490, 1371, 1270, 1083, 1028, 964, 853, 760 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) *m*/*z* [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>16</sub>O<sub>4</sub>PS: 347.0502, found 347.0495.



# 5-Ethoxy-2-methylbenzo[c]benzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-e][1,2]oxaphos-

phinine 5-oxide 3f. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.48$ ; brown solid; mp 140-141 °C; yield 75% (24.8 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.88-7.84 (m, 2H), 7.80-7.79 (m, 1H), 7.46-7.41 (m, 2H), 7.34 (d, J = 5.4 Hz, 1H), 7.31-7.29 (s, 1H), 4.26-4.21 (m, 2H), 2.49 (s, 3H), 1.28 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  144.7 (d, J = 2.4 Hz), 141.6 (d, J = 7.6 Hz), 135.6, 134.7 (d, J = 7.3 Hz), 131.6 (d, J = 6.1 Hz), 130.7 (d, J = 9.6 Hz), 129.2 (d, J = 15.9 Hz), 126.7, 125.2, 124.8 (d, J = 11.2 Hz), 123.1, 121.0, 117.9 (d, J = 13.5 Hz), 117.4 (d, J = 185.1 Hz), 63.2 (d, J = 6.6 Hz), 22.0, 16.5 (d, J = 6.0 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  144.10; FT-IR (KBr) 3452, 2920, 2854, 1734, 1602, 1460, 1372, 1265, 1161, 1093, 1030, 964, 854, 756 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>16</sub>O<sub>3</sub>PS: 331.0553, found 331.0556.



## 2,5-Diethoxy-4-methylbenzo[c]benzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-e][1,2]oxa-

**phosphinine 5-oxide 3g**. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.35$ ; brown solid; mp 159-160 °C; yield 81% (30.3 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.87-7.85 (m, 1H), 7.77-7.75 (m, 1H), 7.44-7.40 (m, 2H), 6.829-6.822 (m, 1H), 6.76 (s, 1H), 4.27-4.16 (m, 2H), 4.14 (q, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 2.70 (s, 3H), 1.46 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H), 1.32 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  162.6 (d, J = 2.8 Hz), 145.0 (d, J = 10.9 Hz), 141.3 (d, J = 7.8 Hz), 137.3 (d, J = 9.1 Hz), 135.6, 131.4 (d, J = 6.4 Hz), 126.7, 125.2, 123.0, 121.0, 117.7 (d, J = 13.3 Hz), 117.1 (d, J = 15.6 Hz), 110.5 (d, J = 186.1 Hz), 107.6 (d, J = 11.8 Hz), 63.9, 63.1 (d, J = 7.0 Hz), 21.8 (d, J = 4.2 Hz), 16.4 (d, J = 6.3 Hz), 14.7; <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  14.09; FT-IR (KBr) 3452, 2924, 2857, 1731, 1596, 1454, 1377, 1263, 1197, 1100, 1030, 959, 850, 761 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) *m*/*z* [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>20</sub>O<sub>4</sub>PS: 375.0815, found 375.0817.



### 6-Ethoxybenzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-e]naphtho[2,3-c][1,2]oxaphos-

phinine 6-oxide 3h. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.46$ ; brown solid; mp 209-210 °C; yield 73% (26.7 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  8.57 (d, J = 16.2 Hz, 1H), 7.97-7.93 (m, 3H), 7.89-7.88 (m, 1H), 7.82-7.81 (m, 1H), 7.65 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.57 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.47-7.43 (m, 2H), 4.30-4.25 (m, 2H), 1.29 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  141.3 (d, J = 7.6 Hz), 135.7, 135.6 (d, J = 2.1 Hz), 133.1 (d, J = 9.4 Hz), 132.1 (d, J = 16.8 Hz), 131.8 (d, J = 6.3 Hz), 129.8 (d, J = 7.3 Hz), 129.5, 129.2, 128.2, 127.3, 126.8, 125.3, 123.1, 122.8 (d, J = 10.5 Hz), 120.9 (d, J = 7.6 Hz), 119.1 (d, J = 183.0 Hz), 118.7 (d, J = 12.3 Hz), 63.4 (d, J = 6.6 Hz), 16.5 (d, J = 6.0 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  13.13; FT-IR (KBr) 3454, 2921, 2857, 1731, 1594, 1460, 1372, 1274, 1098, 1028, 958, 863, 757 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) m/z [M+Na]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>15</sub>NaO<sub>3</sub>PS: 389.0372, found 389.0374.



### 5-Butoxy-4-methylbenzo[c]benzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-e][1,2]oxaphos-

phinine 5-oxide 3i. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.80$ ; yellow liquid; yield 84% (30.1 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.89 -7.87 (m, 1H), 7.79-7.78 (m, 1H), 7.54 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.46-7.41 (m, 2H), 7.39-7.37 (m, 1H), 7.28-7.27 (m, 1H), 4.24-4.15 (m, 2H), 2.77 (s, 3H), 1.69-1.64 (m, 2H), 1.37-1.31 (m, 2H), 0.85 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  142.7 (d, J = 9.6 Hz), 141.0 (d, J = 7.9 Hz), 135.7, 135.3 (d, J = 7.6 Hz), 133.4, 131.4 (d, J = 6.3 Hz), 130.8 (d, J = 15.0 Hz), 126.6, 125.1, 123.0, 122.1 (d, J = 10.8 Hz), 121.0, 119.1 (d, J = 178.2 Hz), 117.9 (d, J = 13.8 Hz), 66.9 (d, J = 7.3 Hz), 32.5 (d, J = 6.1 Hz), 21.7 (d, J = 4.3 Hz), 18.7, 13.5; <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  12.48; FT-IR (neat) 3449, 2957, 2871, 1728, 1589, 1460, 1369, 1268, 1065, 1022, 852, 756 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>20</sub>O<sub>3</sub>PS: 359.0866, found 359.0867.



5-Phenylbenzo[c]benzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-e][1,2]oxaphosphinine 5-oxide

**3j**. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.41$ ; brown solid; mp 245-246 °C; yield 64% (22.3 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.88-7.84 (m, 3H), 7.80-7.79 (m, 1H), 7.67-7.63 (m, 2H), 7.62-7.56 (m, 2H), 7.51-7.48 (m, 2H), 7.43-7.38 (m, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  141.3 (d, J = 9.0 Hz), 135.9, 133.8 (d, J = 5.5 Hz), 133.5, 133.3, 132.1 (d, J = 11.2 Hz), 131.8 (d, J = 5.5 Hz), 131.6 (d, J = 12.1 Hz), 130.7 (d, J = 144.1 Hz), 128.8 (d, J = 14.1 Hz), 128.3 (d, J = 14.2 Hz), 126.8, 125.2, 124.0 (d, J = 8.5 Hz), 123.2 (d, J = 127.6 Hz), 123.0, 121.4, 117.6 (d, J = 12.9 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  28.70; FT-IR (KBr) 3425, 2922, 2855, 1727, 1591, 1461, 1372, 1241, 1124, 1092, 979, 839, 754 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>14</sub>O<sub>2</sub>PS: 349.0447, found 349.0445.



# 5-Ethoxy-[1,3]dioxolo[4',5':4,5]benzo[1,2-c]benzo[4,5]thieno-[2,3-

*e*][1,2]oxaphosphinine 5-oxide 3I. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.36$ ; colorless solid; mp 243-244 °C; yield 79% (28.4 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.90 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.81 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.58-7.54 (m, 1H), 7.47-7.42 (m, 2H), 6.95 (dd, J = 7.8 Hz, 3.0 Hz, 1H), 6.23 (d, J = 5.4 Hz, 2H), 4.25-4.20 (m, 2H), 1.27 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  151.9 (d, J = 3.3 Hz), 142.1 (d, J = 18.3 Hz), 141.8 (d, J = 7.8 Hz), 137.3, 130.5 (d, J = 6.0 Hz), 126.5, 126.4 (d, J = 10.3 Hz), 125.1, 122.9, 120.8, 117.2 (d, J = 9.4 Hz), 113.5 (d, J = 189.4 Hz), 113.2 (d, J = 13.3 Hz), 108.5 (d, J = 19.0 Hz), 102.6, 63.2 (d, J = 6.6 Hz), 16.5 (d, J = 5.8 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  13.09; FT-IR (KBr) 3490, 2983, 2917, 1764, 1624, 1453, 1372, 1260, 1120, 1028, 964, 909, 854, 758 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>14</sub>O<sub>5</sub>PS: 361.0295, found 361.0296.



**5-Ethoxy-7-fluoro-4-methylbenzo**[*c*]benzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-*e*][1,2]oxaphosphinine 5-oxide 3m. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.46$ ; yellow solid; mp 160-161 °C; yield 68% (23.7 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.54-7.51 (m, 2H), 7.35-7.32 (m, 2H), 7.28-7.27 (m, 1H), 7.05 (t, J = 9.6, 1H), 4.34-4.29 (m, 2H), 2.75 (s, 3H), 1.38 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  158.2 (d, J = 255.3 Hz), 142.7 (d, J = 9.4 Hz), 139.2 (dd, J = 7.8 Hz, 3.0 Hz ), 137.7 (d, J = 4.8 Hz), 134.7 (d, J = 7.6 Hz), 133.4 (d, J = 2.1 Hz), 131.1 (d, J = 15.0 Hz), 127.4 (d, J = 7.0 Hz), 122.3 (d, J = 10.8 Hz), 120.5 (dd, J = 16.0 Hz, 5.8 Hz ), 119.0 (d, J = 179.1 Hz), 118.9 (d, J = 4.2 Hz), 118.2 (d, J = 14.2 Hz), 111.3 (d, J = 18.4 Hz), 63.4 (d, J = 7.0 Hz), 21.6 (d, J = 4.2 Hz), 16.4 (d, J = 5.8 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  11.59; <sup>19</sup>F NMR (565 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  -119.16; FT-IR (KBr) 3474, 2921, 2857, 1731, 1587, 1459, 1359, 1262, 1026, 959, 848, 779 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>15</sub>FO<sub>3</sub>PS: 349.0459, found 349.0451.



8-Bromo-5-ethoxy-4-methylbenzo[c]benzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-

*e*][1,2]oxaphosphinine 5-oxide 3n. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f$  = 0.46; brown solid; mp 189-190 °C; yield 75% (30.7 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.99 (s, 1H), 7.62 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.54-7.48 (m, 2H), 7.35-7.33 (m, 1H), 7.28-7.27 (m, 1H), 4.34-4.22 (m, 2H), 2.75 (s, 3H), 1.36 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  142.8 (d, *J* = 9.6 Hz), 139.8 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz), 134.7 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz), 134.1, 133.5 (d, *J* = 2.1 Hz), 132.9 (d, *J* = 6.1 Hz), 131.2 (d, *J* = 15.0 Hz), 129.7, 124.4, 123.6, 122.2 (d, *J* = 10.8 Hz), 119.5 (d, *J* = 13.8 Hz), 119.3, 119.2 (d, *J* = 178.2 Hz), 63.4 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz), 21.6 (d, *J* = 4.5 Hz), 16.5 (d, *J* = 6.1 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  12.10; FT-IR (KBr) 3442, 2923, 2853, 1731, 1588, 1455, 1346, 1262, 1066, 1026, 961, 851, 788 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) *m*/*z* [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>15</sub>BrO<sub>3</sub>PS: 408.9658, found 408.9659.



### 5-Ethoxy-8-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-methylbenzo-

[*c*]benzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-*e*][1,2]oxaphosphinine 5-oxide 3p. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.44$ ; green liquid; yield 81% (35.3 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  8.03 (s, 1H), 7.80 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.63-7.61 (m, 3H), 7.53 (t, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.37 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.27 (s, 1H), 7.03 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 4.33-4.20 (m, 2H), 3.87 (s, 3H), 2.77 (s, 3H), 1.34 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  159.5, 142.7 (d, *J* = 9.6 Hz), 141.0 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz), 138.3, 135.3 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz), 134.0, 133.5 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz), 133.0, 132.0 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz), 130.8 (d, *J* = 15.0 Hz), 128.4, 125.9, 123.3, 122.1 (d, *J* = 10.8 Hz), 118.9 (d, *J* = 178.2 Hz), 118.5, 118.4 (d, *J* = 13.6 Hz), 114.5, 63.3 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz), 55.5, 21.6 (d, *J* = 4.3 Hz), 16.5 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  12.55; FT-IR (neat) 3402, 2919, 2852, 1731, 1597, 1515, 1452, 1362, 1252, 1179, 1028, 963, 851, 795 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>24</sub>H<sub>22</sub>O<sub>4</sub>PS: 437.0971, found 437.0969.



### 9-Bromo-5-ethoxy-4-methylbenzo[c]benzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-

*e*][1,2]oxaphosphinine 5-oxide 3q. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f$  = 0.46; colorless solid; mp 155-156 °C; yield 73% (29.9 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.90 (s, 1H), 7.71 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.54-7.51 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.32 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.28-7.27 (m, 1H), 4.33-4.22 (m, 2H), 2.75 (s, 3H), 1.35 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H);<sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  142.7 (d, *J* = 9.6 Hz), 140.5 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz), 136.8, 134.8 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz), 133.5 (d, *J* = 1.9 Hz), 131.1 (d, *J* = 15.0 Hz), 130.1 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz), 128.7, 125.6, 122.1 (d, *J* = 10.9 Hz), 121.9, 120.6, 118.7 (d, *J* = 178.8 Hz), 118.3 (d, *J* = 13.8 Hz), 63.4 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz), 21.6 (d, *J* = 4.3 Hz), 16.4 (d, *J* = 6.1 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  12.40; FT-IR (KBr) 3471, 2921, 2857, 1734, 1586, 1456, 1367, 1265, 1075, 1026, 961, 852, 764 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>15</sub>BrO<sub>3</sub>PS: 408.9658, found 408.9658.



5-Ethoxy-4,9-dimethylbenzo[c]benzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-e][1,2]oxa-

**phosphinine 5-oxide 3r**. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.47$ ; pink solid; mp 189-190 °C; yield 82% (28.2 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.77 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.58 (s, 1H), 7.53 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.35 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.279-7.275 (m, 1H), 7.25-7.23 (m, 1H), 4.30-4.21 (m, 2H), 2.77 (s, 3H), 2.50 (s, 3H), 1.35 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  142.6 (d, J = 9.6 Hz), 141.0 (d, J = 8.1 Hz), 137.1, 136.0, 135.5 (d, J = 7.6 Hz), 133.4 (d, J = 2.2 Hz), 130.5 (d, J = 14.8 Hz), 129.2 (d, J = 6.4 Hz), 126.9, 122.9, 121.9 (d, J = 10.8 Hz), 120.6, 118.7 (d, J = 178.0 Hz), 116.7 (d, J = 13.8 Hz), 63.1 (d, J = 7.0 Hz), 21.9, 21.6 (d, J = 4.3 Hz), 16.4 (d, J = 6.1 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  12.60; FT-IR (KBr) 3474, 2922, 2857, 1734, 1589, 1537, 1457, 1369, 1266, 1028, 961, 838, 756 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>18</sub>O<sub>3</sub>PS: 345.0709, found 345.0710.



### 5-Ethoxy-4-methyl-9-(p-tolyl)benzo[c]benzo[4,5]-

thieno[2,3-*e*][1,2]oxaphosphinine 5-oxide 3s. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.45$ ; brown solid; mp 195-196 °C; yield 79% (33.2 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.96 (s, 1H), 7.92 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.68 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.57-7.53 (m, 3H), 7.38 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.30-7.27 (m, 3H), 4.34-4.23 (m, 2H), 2.78 (s, 3H), 2.43 (s, 3H), 1.36 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  142.7 (d, J = 9.6 Hz), 140.9 (d, J = 7.9 Hz), 140.0, 137.7 (d, J = 7.6 Hz), 136.4, 135.4 (d, J = 7.6 Hz), 133.4 (d, J = 2.2 Hz), 130.7 (d, J = 15.0 Hz), 130.2 (d, J = 6.4 Hz), 129.8, 127.3, 124.8, 122.1 (d, J = 10.8 Hz), 121.1 (d, J = 10.9 Hz), 118.9 (d, J = 178.2 Hz), 117.9 (d, J = 13.8 Hz), 63.2 (d, J = 7.0 Hz), 21.6 (d, J = 4.3 Hz), 21.2, 16.5 (d, J = 6.1 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  12.50; FT-IR (KBr) 3472, 2921, 2863, 1731, 1588, 1457, 1372, 1265, 1027, 961, 855, 807 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>24</sub>H<sub>22</sub>O<sub>3</sub>PS: 421.1022, found 421.1024.



10-Chloro-5-ethoxy-4-methylbenzo[c]benzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-e][1,2]-

oxaphosphinine 5-oxide 3t. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.47$ ; brown solid; mp 145-146 °C; yield 72% (26.3 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.79-7.78 (m, 1H), 7.55 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.42-7.38 (m, 3H), 7.29-7.27 (m, 1H), 4.32-4.21 (m, 2H), 2.76 (s, 3H), 1.34 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  142.8 (d, J = 9.6 Hz), 140.9 (d, J = 7.8 Hz), 134.8 (d, J = 7.6 Hz), 134.6, 133.5 (d, J = 2.1 Hz), 132.9 (d, J = 6.9 Hz), 131.2 (d, J = 15.0 Hz), 128.4, 126.5, 126.2, 122.2 (d, J = 10.8 Hz), 119.4, 119.27 (d, J = 13.8Hz), 119.23 (d, J = 178.5 Hz), 63.3 (d, J = 7.0 Hz), 21.6 (d, J = 4.3 Hz), 16.4 (d, J = 6.1 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  12.20; FT-IR (KBr) 3465, 2922, 2857, 1734, 1591, 1460, 1372, 1267, 1028, 964, 854, 755 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>15</sub>ClO<sub>3</sub>PS: 365.0163, found 365.0162.



### (1S,2R,4S)-1,7,7-Trimethylbicyclo[2.2.1]heptan-2-yl 5-

ethoxy-4-methylbenzo[c]benzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-e][1,2]oxaphosphinine-8-carboxylate 5**oxide 3w**. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.58$ ; colorless solid; mp 152-153 °C; yield 66% (33.7 mg); An inseparable mixture of diasteroisomers (dr = 1:1); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.55-8.54 (m, 2H), 8.10 (s, 1H), 8.08 (s, 1H), 7.84 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.55 (t, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.38 (t, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 2H), 7.30-7.28 (m, 2H), 5.19-5.17 (m, 2H), 4.37-4.25 (m, 4H), 2.77 (s, 6H), 2.54-2.48 (m, 2H), 2.21-2.15 (m, 2H), 1.88-1.81 (m, 2H), 1.77-1.76 (m, 2H), 1.49-1.44 (m, 2H), 1.40-1.34 (m, 8H), 1.19-1.16 (m, 2H), 0.99 (s, 6H), 0.96-0.95 (m, 6H), 0.94 (s, 6H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  166.66, 166.65, 142.8 (d, J = 9.6 Hz), 141.19 (d, J = 7.3 Hz), 141.18 (d, J = 7.8 Hz), 139.7, 139.6, 134.8 (d, J = 7.6 Hz), 133.56, 133.55, 131.3 (d, *J* = 6.4 Hz), 131.2 (d, *J* = 15.0 Hz), 128.3, 128.2, 127.1 (d, *J* = 3.6 Hz), 123.0, 122.58, 122.56, 122.1 (d, J = 10.8 Hz), 119.2 (d, J = 178.5 Hz), 119.1 (d, J = 178.5 Hz), 119.08 (d, J = 13.8 Hz), 119.06 (d, J = 13.8 Hz), 81.1, 63.5 (d, J = 6.9 Hz), 49.3 (d, J = 8.2 Hz), 48.1,48.0, 45.12, 45.10, 37.0, 28.29, 28.27, 27.6 (d, *J* = 5.5 Hz), 21.6 (d, *J* = 4.3 Hz), 19.9, 19.0, 16.5 (d, J = 6.1 Hz), 13.85, 13.84; <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  12.31, 12.28; FT-IR (KBr) 3427, 2923, 2855, 1714, 1591, 1457, 1359, 1264, 1122, 1026, 964, 846, 755 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>28</sub>H<sub>32</sub>O<sub>5</sub>PS: 511.1703, found 511.1697.



(1R,2S,5R)-2-Isopropyl-5-methylcyclohexyl 5-ethoxy-4-

methylbenzo[*c*]benzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-*e*][1,2]oxaphosphinine-8-carboxylate 5-oxide 3x. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.56$ ; colorless solid; mp 160-161 °C; yield 61% (31.2 mg); An inseparable mixture of diasteroisomers (dr = 1:1); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.57 (s, 1H), δ 8.55 (s, 1H), 8.10-8.07 (m, 2H), 7.83 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.55 (t, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.38 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.30-7.28 (m, 2H), 5.04-4.96 (m, 2H), 4.38-4.22 (m, 4H), 2.77 (s, 6H), 2.17-2.14 (m, 2H), 2.04-1.96 (m, 2H), 1.79-1.74 (m, 4H), 1.67-1.61 (m, 4H), 1.36 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 6H), 1.20-1.15 (m, 4H), 0.99-0.93 (m, 14H), 0.83-0.80 (m, 6H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 165.88, 165.86, 142.89 (d, *J* = 9.7 Hz), 142.86 (d, *J* = 9.6 Hz), 141.26 (d, J = 6.9 Hz), 141.21 (d, J = 6.6 Hz), 139.66, 139.65, 134.9 (d, J = 7.6 Hz), 133.56, 133.54, 131.35 (d, J = 6.1 Hz), 131.33 (d, J = 6.1 Hz), 131.2 (d, J = 15.0 Hz), 128.29, 128.25, 127.2 (d, J = 11.1 Hz), 122.9, 122.7 (d, J = 10.2 Hz), 122.2 (d, J = 10.8 Hz), 119.27 (d, J = 172.5 Hz), 119.23 (d, J = 171.9 Hz), 119.09 (d, J = 12.1 Hz), 119.06 (d, J = 13.9 Hz), 75.4, 75.3, 63.47 (d, J = 6.9 Hz), 63.45 (d, J = 6.9 Hz), 47.37, 47.33, 41.18, 41.12, 34.4, 31.67, 31.64, 29.8, 26.8, 26.4, 23.9, 23.5, 22.2 (d, J = 3.9 Hz), 21.6 (d, J = 4.2 Hz), 21.0, 20.8, 16.8, 16.5 (d, J = 5.2 Hz), 16.4 (d, J = 6.3 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  12.37, 12.23; FT-IR (KBr) 3430, 2923, 2855, 1716, 1591, 1459, 1371, 1266, 1122, 1032, 844, 755 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>28</sub>H<sub>34</sub>O<sub>5</sub>PS: 513.1860, found 513.1844.



2,5,7,8-Tetramethyl-2-

(4,8,12-trimethyltridecyl)chroman-6-yl 5-ethoxy-4-methylbenzo[*c*]benzo[4,5]thieno[2,3*e*][1,2]oxaphosphinine-8-carboxylate 5-oxide 3y. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.60$ ; yellow liquid; yield 59% (46.4 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  8.79 (s, 1H), 8.26 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.91 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.57 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.40 (t, J = 6.6 Hz, 1H), 7.31-7.29 (m, 1H), 4.39-4.27 (m, 2H), 2.77 (s, 3H), 2.64-2.62 (m, 2H), 2.13 (s, 3H), 2.09 (d, J = 9.0 Hz, 3H), 2.05 (d, J = 9.6 Hz, 3H), 1.88-1.78 (m, 2H), 1.53-1.50 (m, 2H), 1.38 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 5H), 1.28-1.25 (m, 14H), 1.15-1.04 (m, 6H), 0.87-0.84 (m, 12H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  165.0, 149.7, 142.8 (d, J = 9.1 Hz), 141.2 (d, J = 6.9 Hz), 140.8, 140.2, 134.8 (d, J = 7.2 Hz), 133.5, 131.6 (d, J = 7.5 Hz), 131.3 (d, J = 15.0 Hz), 127.5, 127.0, 125.2, 123.3, 123.2, 122.2 (d, J = 10.9 Hz), 119.4 (d, J = 178.2 Hz), 119.2 (d, J = 14.1 Hz), 117.7, 75.2, 63.5 (d, J = 6.3 Hz), 21.2, 20.8, 19.9, 19.8, 19.79, 19.76, 16.5 (d, J = 5.85 Hz), 13.2, 12.4, 12.0; <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  12.14; FT-IR (neat) 3432, 2923, 2858, 1732, 1591, 1456, 1372, 1222, 1084, 1028, 962, 849, 753 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>47</sub>H<sub>64</sub>O<sub>6</sub>PS: 787.4156, found 787.4153.



**2-Ethoxy-3-phenylbenzo**[4,5]thieno[2,3-*e*][1,2]oxaphosphinine 2-oxide **3A**. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.60$ ; brown sticky liquid; yield 63% (21.5 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.91 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.79 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.75 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.53 (d, J = 37.8 Hz, 1H), 7.46-7.42 (m, 4H), 7.39-7.37 (m, 1H), 4.26-4.17 (m, 2H), 1.27 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  143.9 (d, J = 9.1Hz), 137.6, 134.8 (d, J = 10.5 Hz), 132.6 (d, J = 5.1 Hz), 130.4 (d, J = 6.3 Hz), 129.1, 128.9, 127.4 (d, J = 7.0 Hz), 126.9, 125.3, 125.0 (d, J = 170.2 Hz), 123.2, 121.2, 116.1 (d, J = 19.6Hz), 64.1 (d, J = 7.0 Hz), 16.4 (d, J = 6.1 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  11.65; FT-IR (neat) 3425, 3063, 2921, 2853, 1727, 1584, 1521, 1451, 1381, 1336, 1265, 1030, 967, 844, 759 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>16</sub>O<sub>3</sub>PS: 343.0553, found 343.0552.



# 3-(4-(tert-Butyl)phenyl)-2-ethoxybenzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-e][1,2]-

oxaphosphinine 2-oxide 3B. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.40$ ; brown sticky liquid; yield 68% (27.1 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.88 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.75 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.67 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 7.50 (d, J = 31.8 Hz, 1H), 7.44-7.39 (m, 4H), 4.27-4.17 (m, 2H), 1.33 (s, 9H), 1.28 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  152.1, 143.6 (d, J = 9.3 Hz), 137.4, 131.8 (d, J = 5.4 Hz), 131.6, 130.3 (d, J = 6.3 Hz), 128.5, 126.9 (d, J = 7.2 Hz), 126.7, 126.0, 125.2, 124.7 (d, J = 169.6 Hz), 123.1, 121.0, 119.1, 116.2 (d, J = 19.5 Hz), 63.8 (d, J = 7.0 Hz), 34.7, 31.2, 16.4 (d, J = 6.1 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  11.94; FT-IR (neat) 3454, 2958, 2868, 1690, 1585, 1517, 1461, 1376, 1263, 1025, 968, 839, 757 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>24</sub>O<sub>3</sub>PS: 399.1179, found 399.1174.



# 3-(3,4-Dimethoxyphenyl)-2-ethoxybenzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-

*e*][1,2]oxaphosphinine 2-oxide 3C. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f$  = 0.30; brown sticky liquid; yield 70% (28.2 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.88 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.75 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.44-7.38 (m, 3H), 7.34-7.32 (m, 1H), 7.27-7.26 (m, 1H), 6.90 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 4.24-4.14 (m, 2H), 3.94 (s, 3H), 3.90 (s, 3H), 1.26 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  149.9, 149.3, 143.4 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz), 137.3, 131.0 (d, *J* = 5.4 Hz), 130.3 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz), 127.5 (d, *J* = 10.8 Hz), 126.7, 125.2, 124.7 (d, *J* = 169.3 Hz), 123.1, 121.0, 120.3 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz), 116.1 (d, *J* = 19.3 Hz), 111.4, 110.2 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz), 63.9 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz), 56.1 (d, *J* = 9.9 Hz), 16.4 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  11.76; FT-IR (neat) 3467, 2925, 2850, 1719, 1590, 1515, 1459, 1378, 1259, 1155, 1026, 964, 851, 761 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>20</sub>O<sub>5</sub>PS: 403.0764, found 403.0758.



5-Ethoxy-1,2,3,4-tetrahydrobenzo[c]benzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-e][1,2]oxa-

**phosphinine 5-oxide 3D**. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.56$ ; yellow liquid; yield 52% (16.6 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.84 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.75 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.43-7.37 (m, 2H), 4.26-4.21 (m, 2H), 2.71-2.66 (m, 1H), 2.57 (s, 2H), 2.48-2.43 (m, 1H), 1.88-1.79 (m, 4H), 1.36 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 143.2 (d, J = 5.1 Hz), 141.4 (d, J = 8.1 Hz), 135.6, 130.9 (d, J = 6.6 Hz), 126.3, 125.1, 123.0, 120.9, 117.9 (d, J = 173.2 Hz), 63.2 (d, J = 6.9 Hz), 29.8, 28.3 (d, J = 13.5 Hz), 23.4 (d, J = 8.5 Hz), 21.7 (d, J = 10.5 Hz), 21.6, 16.6 (d, J = 5.7 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 15.82; FT-IR (neat) 3391, 2922, 2863, 1720, 1591, 1455, 1375, 1239, 1090, 1034, 958, 860, 756 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>18</sub>O<sub>3</sub>PS: 321.0709, found 321.0697.



# 2-Butoxy-3-phenylbenzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-e][1,2]oxaphosphinine 2-oxide

**3E**. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.84$ ; brown solid; mp 145-146 °C; yield 72% (26.6 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.91-7.89 (m, 1H), 7.78-7.70 (m, 1H), 7.74-7.73 (m, 2H), 7.52-7.45 (m, 2H), 7.44-7.42 (m, 3H), 7.39-7.37 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 4.18-4.10 (m, 2H), 1.60-1.55 (m, 2H), 1.29-1.23 (m, 2H), 0.79 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  143.9 (d, J = 9.3 Hz), 137.6, 134.9 (d, J = 10.3 Hz), 132.5 (d, J = 4.9 Hz), 130.4 (d, J = 6.3 Hz), 129.1, 128.9, 127.4 (d, J = 7.0 Hz), 126.9, 125.3, 125.1 (d, J = 169.9 Hz), 123.2, 121.2, 116.1 (d, J = 19.5 Hz), 67.7 (d, J = 7.3 Hz), 32.4 (d, J = 6.0 Hz), 18.6, 13.5; <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  11.56; FT-IR (KBr) 3449, 2923, 2865, 1734, 1580, 1520, 1460, 1380, 1337, 1267, 1025, 986, 843, 758 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) *m*/*z* [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>20</sub>O<sub>3</sub>PS: 371.0866, found 371.0862.



#### 2,5,7,8-

**Tetramethyl-2-(4,8,12-trimethyltridecyl)chroman-6-yl 3-(4-(***tert***-butyl)phenyl)-2-ethoxy-benzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-***e***]<b>[1,2]oxaphosphinine-8-carboxylate 2-oxide 3G**. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.80$ ; yellow liquid; yield 54% (46.2 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  8.81 (s, 1H), 8.26-8.25 (m, 1H), 7.91 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.69 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.52-7.45 (m, 3H), 4.33-4.23 (m, 2H), 2.65-2.62 (m, 2H), 2.14 (s, 3H), 2.09 (d, J = 6.0 Hz, 3H), 2.05 (d, J = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 1.87-1.80 (m, 2H), 1.54-1.49 (m, 2H), 1.35 (s, 9H), 1.31 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 5H), 1.28-1.24 (m, 12H), 1.15-1.08 (m, 8H), 0.87-0.84 (m, 12H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  164.9, 152.5, 149.7, 143.8 (d, J = 8.8 Hz), 141.8, 140.7, 131.6 (d, J = 169.6 Hz), 131.1 (d, J = 4.9 Hz), 127.5, 127.1, 127.07, 127.01 (d, J = 6.6 Hz), 126.1, 125.2 (d, J = 4.2 Hz), 125.0, 123.5, 123.4, 123.3 (d, J = 8.4 Hz), 117.7 (d, J = 6.7 Hz), 117.6, 117.5 (d, J = 19.6 Hz), 75.2, 64.3 (d, J = 7.0 Hz), 39.5, 37.7, 37.6, 37.5, 37.4, 34.8, 32.9 (d, J = 1.9 Hz), 31.3, 31.1, 28.1, 24.9 (d, J = 1.9 Hz), 24.5, 24.3, 23.8, 22.8, 22.7, 21.2, 20.7, 19.9 (d, J = 9.7 Hz), 19.7 (d, J = 5.2 Hz), 16.4 (d, J = 6.1 Hz), 13.2, 12.4, 12.0; <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$ 

11.40; FT-IR (neat) 2927, 2863, 1733, 1458, 1371, 1326, 1269, 1224, 1090, 1029, 967, 837, 752 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>52</sub>H<sub>72</sub>O<sub>6</sub>PS: 855.4782, found 855.4753.



**Ethyl hydrogen (2-(benzo[***b***]thiophen-2-yl)phenyl)phosphonate 3b'**. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 methanol/ CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>  $R_f = 0.70$ ; colorless solid; yield 84% (534.0 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  8.87 (bs, 1H), 8.09-8.05 (m, 1H), 7.80 (dd, J = 25.8 Hz, 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.58-7.55 (m, 3H), 7.45-7.42 (m, 1H), 7.34-7.30 (m, 2H), 3.81-3.77 (m, 2H), 0.94 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  141.5 (d, J = 4.6 Hz), 140.4, 140.1, 138.2 (d, J = 8.8 Hz), 134.1 (d, J = 9.6 Hz), 132.4 (d, J = 13.5 Hz), 132.0 (d, J = 2.4 Hz), 128.9 (d, J = 192.3 Hz), 128.5 (d, J = 15.1 Hz), 128.0 (d, J = 14.5 Hz), 125.5, 124.4 (d, J = 6.6 Hz), 124.1, 121.9, 62.0 (d, J = 6.1 Hz), 15.9 (d, J = 6.9 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  19.86; FT-IR (KBr) 3386, 2920, 2857, 2323, 1732, 1591, 1460, 1378, 1196, 1041, 986, 758 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>16</sub>O<sub>3</sub>PS: 319.0553, found 319.0545.



**5-Ethoxy-11-imino-4-methyl-11***H***-11\lambda^4-benzo[***c***]benzo[4,5]thieno-[2,3***e***][1,2]oxaphosphinine 5,11-dioxide 5. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane R<sub>f</sub> = 0.37; yellow solid; mp 192-193 °C; yield 77% (27.8 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) \delta 7.90-7.88 (m, 1H), 7.84 (d,** *J* **= 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.73 (d,** *J* **= 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.67-7.61 (m, 3H), 7.37-7.35 (m, 1H), 4.36-4.26 (m, 2H), 3.48 (bs, 1H), 2.73 (s, 3H), 1.40 (t,** *J* **= 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) \delta 148.4 (d,** *J* **= 8.1 Hz), 143.1 (d,** *J* **= 9.3 Hz), 141.7, 133.8 (d,** *J* **= 2.1 Hz), 133.1, 131.9 (d,** *J* **= 15.1 Hz), 131.7, 130.0 (d,** *J* **= 29.7 Hz), 127.3 (d,** *J* **= 6.3 Hz), 121.4 (d,** *J* **= 10.8 Hz), 121.3, 120.5, 118.8 (d,** *J* **= 187.0 Hz), 118.7 (d,** *J* **= 4.8 Hz), 64.2 (d,** *J* **= 7.2 Hz), 21.6 (d,** *J* **= 4.5 Hz), 16.4 (d,** *J* **= 6.3 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) \delta 11.95; FT-IR (KBr) 3466, 3247, 2922, 2855, 1722, 1624, 1586, 1459, 1364, 1248, 1112, 1022, 965, 804 cm<sup>-1</sup>. HPLC: spherisorb ODS2, hexane/<sup>i</sup>PrOH = 95:5, flow rate: 1 mL/min, \lambda= 254 nm,** *t***<sub>R</sub> = 26.73 min; HRMS (ESI)** *m/z* **[M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>17</sub>NO<sub>4</sub>PS: 362.0611, found 362.0610.** 



# 5-Ethoxy-4-methylbenzo[c]benzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-e][1,2]oxaphosphi-

nine 5-sulfide 6. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:10 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.48$ ; yellow solid; mp 102-103 °C; yield 82% (28.4 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.87-7.86 (m, 1H), 7.77-7.76 (m, 1H), 7.48 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.43-7.39 (m, 2H), 7.36-7.34 (m, 1H), 7.25-7.23 (m, 1H), 4.43-4.32 (m, 2H), 2.76 (s, 3H), 1.42 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  141.5 (d, J = 11.2 Hz), 140.4 (d, J = 9.7 Hz), 135.8, 133.2 (d, J = 7.3 Hz), 132.8 (d, J = 2.2 Hz), 131.6 (d, J = 13.9 Hz), 126.6, 125.1, 123.4 (d, J = 140.4 Hz), 123.0, 122.3, 122.2, 121.0, 118.0 (d, J = 14.2 Hz), 64.0 (d, J = 7.9 Hz), 21.9 (d, J = 4.9 Hz), 16.3 (d, J = 7.2 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  76.13; FT-IR (KBr) 3465, 2920, 2857, 1733, 1588, 1457, 1367, 1247, 1022, 961, 836, 754 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>16</sub>O<sub>2</sub>PS<sub>2</sub>: 347.0324, found 347.0324.



### 5-Methoxy-4-methylbenzo[c]benzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-e][1,2]oxaphos-

phinine 5-oxide 7. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.48$ ; colorless solid; mp 125-126 °C; yield 86% (27.2 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.90-7.88 (m, 1H), 7.78-7.77 (m, 1H), 7.54 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.46-7.41 (m, 2H), 7.38 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.28-7.26 (m, 1H), 3.87 (d, J = 12.0 Hz, 3H), 2.76 (s, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  142.8 (d, J = 9.7 Hz), 141.0 (d, J = 7.9 Hz), 135.7, 135.4 (d, J = 7.6 Hz), 133.5 (d, J = 2.2 Hz), 131.3 (d, J = 6.3 Hz), 130.8 (d, J = 15.0 Hz), 126.7, 125.2, 123.0, 122.2 (d, J = 10.9 Hz), 121.0, 118.5 (d, J = 177.9 Hz), 117.9 (d, J = 13.6 Hz), 53.2 (d, J = 6.9 Hz), 21.6 (d, J = 4.3 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  13.82; FT-IR (KBr) 3467, 2921, 2853, 1726, 1589, 1458, 1370, 1261, 1030, 858, 795, 732 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>14</sub>O<sub>3</sub>PS: 317.0396, found 317.0393.



# 5-Ethyl-4-methylbenzo[c]benzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-e][1,2]oxaphosphi-nine

**5-oxide 8**. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.30$ ; yellow liquid; yield 84% (26.4 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.87-7.86 (m, 1H), 7.76-7.75 (m, 1H), 7.50 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.44-7.39 (m, 2H), 7.35-7.33 (m, 1H), 7.24-7.22 (m, 1H), 2.76 (s, 3H), 2.28-2.13 (m, 2H), 1.15-1.09 (m, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  142.2 (d, J = 11.4 Hz), 140.9 (d, J = 8.7 Hz), 135.8, 134.4 (d, J = 5.8 Hz), 133.2 (d, J = 1.9 Hz), 131.5 (d, J = 5.2 Hz), 131.2 (d, J = 12.3 Hz), 126.6, 125.1, 123.0, 122.2 (d, J = 8.1 Hz), 121.1, 120.5 (d, J = 113.4 Hz), 117.8 (d, J = 12.1 Hz), 24.7 (d, J = 97.6 Hz), 21.6 (d, J = 3.9 Hz), 5.8 (d, J = 5.5 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  45.12; FT-IR (neat) 3446, 2922, 1715, 1587, 1456, 1368, 1218, 1108, 1067, 836, 753 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HRMS (ESI) *m*/*z* [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>16</sub>O<sub>2</sub>PS: 315.0604, found 315.0602.



### 3-(3,4-Dimethoxyphenyl)-2-ethoxybenzo[4,5]thieno[2,3-

*e*][1,2]oxaphosphinine 2,5-dioxide 9. Analytical TLC on silica gel, 1:2 ethyl acetate/hexane  $R_f = 0.30$ ; yellow liquid; yield 73% (30.5 mg); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.95 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.70-7.68 (m, 1H), 7.65 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.61-7.58 (m, 1H), 7.53-7.45 (m, 1H), 7.38-7.34 (m, 1H), 7.23 (s, 1H), 6.92 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 4.32-4.16 (m, 2H), 3.95 (s, 3H), 3.92 (s, 3H), 1.27 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  153.0 (d, J = 9.4 Hz), 150.5, 149.5, 144.4, 132.9, 131.5 (d, J = 6.6 Hz), 131.1, 128.5 (d, J = 5.5 Hz), 128.4 (d, J = 4.9 Hz), 127.0, 126.7 (d, J = 11.1 Hz), 126.3 (d, J = 168.7 Hz), 123.3 (d, J = 19.8 Hz), 122.1, 120.7 (d, J = 7.2 Hz), 111.5, 110.0 (d, J = 8.1 Hz), 65.0 (d, J = 7.2 Hz), 56.2 (d, J = 17.1 Hz), 16.3 (d, J = 6.0 Hz); <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  11.46; FT-IR (neat) 2922, 2855, 1718, 1591, 1514, 1458, 1374, 1264, 1162, 1027, 867, 762 cm<sup>-1</sup>; HPLC: spherisorb ODS2, hexane/<sup>i</sup>PrOH = 85:15, flow rate: 1 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm,  $t_R = 7.75$  min; HRMS (ESI) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>20</sub>O<sub>6</sub>PS: 419.0713, found 419.0699.

#### **Mechanistic Investigations**

H/D Exchange Experiment of 1b with  $D_2O$  in Absence of 2a. In an oven-dried pressure tube, a mixture of ethyl hydrogen phenylphosphonate 1b (18.6 mg, 0.1 mmol),  $[RuCl_2(p-cymene)]_2$ (3 mg, 5 mol %, 0.005 mmol), Ag<sub>2</sub>O (69.5 mg, 3 equiv, 0.3 mmol) and D<sub>2</sub>O (1.0 mmol, 0.2 mL) was stirred in HFIP (1.0 ml) at 110 °C in a preheated oil bath for 6 h under Ar atmosphere. The resulting mixture was cooled to room temperature, diluted with CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (10 mL) and passed through a short pad of celite. The purification was performed as described in the general procedure to give  $[D_n]$ -1b. No deuterium incorporation was observed at the *ortho*-position of aryl ring based on 600 MHz <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum.

H/D Exchange Experiment of 1b with  $D_2O$  in Presence of 2a. In an oven-dried pressure tube, a mixture of ethyl hydrogen phenylphosphonate 1b (18.6 mg, 0.10 mmol), benzothiophene 2a (0.20 mmol, 26.8 mg),  $[RuCl_2(p-cymene)]_2$  (3 mg, 5 mol %, 0.005 mmol), Ag<sub>2</sub>O (69.5 mg, 3 equiv, 0.3 mmol) and D<sub>2</sub>O (1.0 mmol, 0.2 mL) was stirred in HFIP (1.0 ml) at 110 °C in a preheated oil bath for 6 h under Ar atmosphere. The resulting mixture was cooled to room temperature, diluted with CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (10 mL) and passed through a short pad of celite. The purification was performed as described in the general procedure to give  $[D_n]$ -1b and  $[D_n]$ -3b. The starting 1b was analyzed using 600 MHz <sup>1</sup>H NMR and no deuterium incorporation was observed at the *ortho*-position of aryl ring.

#### **Preparation of Ethyl hydrogen (phenyl-***d*<sub>5</sub>**)phosphonate** [D<sub>5</sub>]-1b.

<u>Step-I:</u><sup>6</sup> To a stirred solution of sulfuric acid (0.6 mL) in water (2 mL), benzene- $d_6$  (0.3 mL, 3 mmol, 1 equiv) was added dropwise at 0 °C. Then, NaBrO<sub>3</sub> (497 mg, 3.3 mmol, 1.1 equiv) was added to the reaction mixture at the same temperature in two portions with an interval of 1 h and allowed to stir for 10 h at room temperature. After completion, ice water was added into the mixture and extracted using diethyl ether (3 x 20 mL). The combined organic layer was washed with brine (1 x 20 mL) and water (1 x 10 mL). Drying (Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>) and evaporation of the solvent gave a residue that was used for the next step without further purification (75% yield, 364 mg).

<u>Step-II</u>: <sup>6</sup> A solution of 1-bromobenzene- $d_5$  (0.2 mL, 2.0 mmol, 1 equiv) in THF (10 mL) under N<sub>2</sub> atmosphere was cooled to -78 °C. Thereafter, *n*-BuLi (1 mL, 2 M in cyclohexane, 2.0 mmol) was added dropwise over 30 min. The mixture was then stirred at the same temperature and

after 2 h triisopropyl borate (0.7 mL, 3.0 mmol, 1.5 equiv) dissolved in 1 mL of THF was added drop wise to the mixture. The solution was allowed to warm up to room temperature and stirred for 12 h. After completion (monitored by TLC), the reaction mixture was quenched with dilute HCl (20%, 4 mL) and stirred for 3 h at room temperature. The solution was extracted using diethyl ether (3 x 20 mL) and the combined organic layer was washed with brine (1 x 20 mL) and water (1 x 10 mL). Drying (Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>) and evaporation of the solvent gave a residue, which was treated with 10 mL *n*-hexane. The white solid (phenyl-*d*<sub>5</sub>)boronic acid was precipitated, which was used for the next step without further purification (78% yield, 198 mg).

<u>Step-III</u>: <sup>2a</sup> A mixture of (phenyl- $d_5$ )boronic acid (127 mg, 1.0 mmol, 1 equiv), diethyl phosphite (64  $\mu$ L, 0.5 mmol, 0.5 equiv), 1,10-phenanthroline (9.0 mg, 0.05 mmol, 5 mol %) and Cu<sub>2</sub>O (3.6 mg, 0.025 mmol, 2.5 mol %) was stirred in CH<sub>3</sub>CN (10 mL) for 24 h under air. Upon completion, the reaction mixture was extracted with ethyl acetate (3 x 20 mL). The combined organic layer was washed with brine (2 x 10 mL) and water (1 x 10 mL). Drying (Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>) and evaporation of the solvent gave a residue that was purified on silica gel column chromatography using *n*-hexane and ethyl acetate as an eluent (70/30, v/v) to afford diethyl (phenyl- $d_5$ )phosphonate in 79% (173 mg) yield.

<u>Step-IV</u>: <sup>2b</sup> A mixture of diethyl(phenyl- $d_5$ )phosphonate (109.5 mg, 0.50 mmol, 1 equiv) and NaOH (40 mg, 1.0 mmol, 2 equiv) was stirred in water (10 mL) at 80 °C in a preheated oil bath for 12 h. Upon completion, (as monitored by TLC), the reaction mixture was allowed to cool to room temperature and neutralized with cooled conc. HCl (2 mL). The reaction mixture was then extracted using ethyl acetate (3 x 10 mL). The combined organic layer was washed with brine (2 x 10 mL) and water (1 x 10 mL). Drying (Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>) and evaporation of the solvent gave ethyl hydrogen (phenyl- $d_5$ )phosphonate [D<sub>5</sub>]-**1b** in 82% (78.3 mg) yield.

**Kinetic Isotope Effect Experiment**. In an oven-dried pressure tube, a mixture of ethyl hydrogen phenylphosphonate **1b** (0.1 mmol, 18.6 mg) and ethyl hydrogen (phenyl- $d_5$ )phosphonate [D<sub>5</sub>]-**1b** (0.1 mmol, 19.1 mg) was reacted with benzo[*b*]thiophene **2a** (0.40 mmol, 53.6 mg) for 0.5 h under standard reaction conditions. The resulting mixture was cooled to room temperature, diluted with CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (10 mL) and passed through a short pad of celite. The purification was performed as described in the general procedure to afford a mixture of **3b** and [D<sub>4</sub>]-**3b**. The intermolecular  $k_{\rm H}/k_{\rm D}$  was found to be 5.6, based on 600 MHz <sup>1</sup>H NMR of the product **3b** and [D<sub>4</sub>]-**3b**.

#### Preparation of the Intermediate 3b'

<u>Step-1</u>: <sup>3b</sup> A mixture of diethyl (2-bromophenyl)phosphonate (586 mg, 2 mmol, 1 equiv), Na<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> (742 mg, 7.0 mmol, 3.5 equiv), PdCl<sub>2</sub>(PPh<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub> (35 mg, 2.5 mol %) and benzothiophen-2-ylboronic acid (463 mg, 2.6 mmol, 1.3 equiv) was stirred in 1,4-dioxane : H<sub>2</sub>O (1:1, v/v, 10 mL) under Ar atmosphere for 2 h at 80 °C. After completion, the reaction mixture was cooled to room temperature and added aqueous NH<sub>4</sub>Cl solution (15 mL). The mixture was extracted using ethyl acetate (20 mL x 3), washed with brine (2 x 20 mL) and water (1 x 20 mL). Drying (Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>) and evaporation of the solvent gave a residue that was purified by silica gel column chromatography using ethyl acetate/*n*-hexane as an eluent (70/30, v/v) to provide diethyl (2-(benzo[*b*]thiophen-2-yl)phenyl)phosphonate in 73% (506 mg) yield.

<u>Step-II</u>: <sup>2b</sup> A mixture of diethyl (2-(benzo[*b*]thiophen-2-yl)phenyl)phosphonate (692 mg, 2.0 mmol, 1 equiv) and NaOH (80 mg, 4.0 mmol, 2 equiv) was stirred in water (10 mL) at 80 °C in a preheated oil bath for 12 h. Upon completion (as monitored by TLC), the reaction mixture was allowed to cool to room temperature and neutralized with conc. HCl (5 mL). The reaction mixture was extracted using ethyl acetate (3 x 20 mL). The combined organic layer was washed with brine (2 x 10 mL) and water (1 x 10 mL). Drying (Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>) and evaporation of the solvent gave ethyl hydrogen (2-(benzo[*b*]thiophen-2-yl)phenyl)phosphonate **3b'** in 84% (534 mg) yield.

### Intramolecular Lactonization of 3b'.

- i. In an oven-dried pressure tube, a mixture of 3b' (31.8 mg, 0.1 mmol), [RuCl<sub>2</sub>(*p*-cymene)]<sub>2</sub> (3 mg, 5 mol %, 0.005 mmol) and Ag<sub>2</sub>O (69.5 mg, 3 equiv, 0.3 mmol) was stirred in HFIP (1.0 ml) at 110 °C in a preheated oil bath for 6 h under Ar. The resulting mixture was cooled to room temperature, diluted with CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (10 mL) and passed through a short pad of celite. The purification was performed as described in the general procedure to give 3b in 68% (21.6 mg) yield.
- ii. In an oven-dried pressure tube, a mixture of 3b' (31.8 mg, 0.1 mmol) and Ag<sub>2</sub>O (69.5 mg, 3 equiv, 0.3 mmol) was stirred in HFIP (1.0 ml) at 110 °C in a preheated oil bath for 6 h under Ar. The resulting mixture was cooled to room temperature, diluted with CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (10 mL) and passed through a short pad of celite. The purification was performed as described in the general procedure to give 3b in 52% (16.5 mg) yield.
iii. In an oven-dried pressure tube, 3b' (31.8 mg, 0.1 mmol) was stirred in HFIP (1.0 ml) at 110 °C in a preheated oil bath for 6 h under Ar. The resulting mixture was cooled to room temperature, diluted with CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (10 mL) and passed through a short pad of celite. No product was detected except for the recovery of 3b'.

**Radical Trapping Experiment**. In an oven-dried pressure tube, a mixture of **3b'** (31.8 mg, 0.1 mmol),  $[\operatorname{RuCl}_2(p\text{-cymene})]_2$  (3 mg, 5 mol %, 0.005 mmol), Ag<sub>2</sub>O (69.5 mg, 3 equiv, 0.3 mmol) and BHT (0.3 mmol, 66 mg) was stirred in HFIP (1.0 ml) at 110 °C in a preheated oil bath for 6 h under Ar. The resulting mixture was cooled to room temperature, diluted with CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (10 mL) and passed through a short pad of celite. The formation of BHT adduct **4** was confirmed by high-resolution mass spectrometry (HRMS) analysis of crude reaction mixture. HRMS (ESI) m/z [M+H]<sup>+</sup> calcd for C<sub>31</sub>H<sub>38</sub>O<sub>4</sub>PS: 537.2223, found 537.2211.



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TPS-OBu DG-31P

O ∐\_∕OBu ОН 1i <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) 140 130 120 110 100 80 70 60 f1 (ppm) 50 40 30 20 10 -10 -20 90 0 TPS-3Thio DG-1H 7.937 7.924 7.381 7.330 7.333 7.335 7.325 4.056 4.045 4.033 4.031 4.014  $\begin{pmatrix} 1.287 \\ 1.275 \\ 1.264 \end{pmatrix}$ O II\_OEt P OH 1k <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) 
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TPS-t-Butyl Vinyl DG-31P

<sup>t</sup>Bu U P OH 1B

<sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)





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<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)







TPS-OBu-Ph-vinyl-DG-13C

O P\_OBu OH

**1E** <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)



TPS-OBu-Ph-vinyl-DG-31P



**1E** <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)



TPS-6 p-Tolyl BT-1H















110 100 f1 (ppm)

TPS-Menthol-BT-1H









Me O OEt PO Sa <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)













TPS-2Br Phos-BT-1H PS-2Br Phos-BT-1H 

 $\underbrace{ \{ \begin{matrix} 1.452 \\ 1.440 \\ 1.428 \end{matrix} }_{1.428}$ 







Br O, OEt FO S-S-31P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)





TPS-2F Phos-BT-19F

F O OEt PO S 3d









**3f** <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)





TPS-4Me Phos-BT-31P

Me B S S f 3<sup>1</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)



-14.105



TPS-Nap Phos-BT-1H

4.307 4.295 4.282 4.269 4.256  $\underbrace{ \begin{pmatrix} 1.303 \\ 1.291 \\ 1.279 \end{pmatrix} }_{1.279}$ 



<sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)



TPS-Nap Phos-BT-31P

3<sup>1</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)



-13.137



TPS-Ph Ph Phos-BT-1H



f1 (ppm)





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7.544 7.532 7.532 7.533 7.533 7.533 7.335 7.335 7.335 7.335 7.335 7.335 7.335 7.280 7.280 7.075 7.075 -2.757 -2.757 -2.757 -2.757 -2.757 -2.757 -2.757

TPS-Phos-4F BT-1H



3m <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)





<sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)





TPS-Phos-5Br BT-1H







TPS-Phos-5Br BT-31P

Me O OEt PO S-Br 3n 3<sup>1</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)



-12.101







TPS-Phos-6Br BT-1H









3q Br







TPS-Phos-6Tolyl BT-1H

## 7,295 7,195 7,195 7,195 7,195 7,195 7,195 7,139 7,139 7,139 7,139 7,139 7,139 7,139 7,139 7,139 7,139 7,139 7,130,



<sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)





TPS-Phos-6Tolyl BT-31P

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-12.505



TPS-Phos-Borneol BT-1H



**3w** <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)





TPS-Phos-Borneol BT-31P

















-12.141

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TPS-Vinyl-DiOMe Phos-BT-13C



TPS-Vinyl-DiOMe Phos-BT-31P

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TPS-Hexanone Phos-BT-1H



7.847 7.834 7.758 7.745 7.745 7.445 7.445 7.440 7.410 7.410 7.410 7.410 7.410 7.378 7.378 7.378 7.378 7.378

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)



3<sup>1</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

140 130 120 110 100 90 80 70 60 f1 (ppm) 50 40 30 20 10 0 -10 -20 TPS-Vinyl OBu Phos-BT-1H 4.187 4.176 4.176 4.176 4.160 4.160 4.167 4.167 4.169 4.146 4.146 4.135 4.135 4.135 4.138 4.128 4.128 4.128 4.118 4.107 7.911 7.84 7.784 7.784 7.784 7.784 7.771 7.772 7.773 7.749 7 O, OBu

> **3E** <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)











-11.404





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**5** <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)











TPS-App Lawson-BT-1H

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<sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)



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TPS-App Et Phos-BT-1H

7,878 7,878 7,864 7,757 7,757 7,757 7,757 7,757 7,757 7,755 7,748 7,748 7,748 7,748 7,748 7,749 7,740







TPS-App Et Phos-BT-31P

<sup>Me</sup> O, Et PO S 3<sup>1</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)



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<sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $k_{\rm H}/k_{\rm D} = 5.6$ 

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