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Ψ[CH(CF₃)NH]Gly-Peptides: Synthesis and Conformation Analysis

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4a: $[\alpha]^{23}_{D} = -17.2^{\circ}$ (*c* = 1.2, CHCl₃); FT IR (film): $\nu_{max} = 3363$, 2966, 1732, 1566, 1382 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = 7.41-7.33$ (m, 5H), 5.18 (d, *J* = 12.2 Hz, 1H), 5.15 (d, *J* = 12.2 Hz, 1H), 4.64 (dd, *J* = 13.5, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 4.52 (dd, *J* = 13.5, 7.5 Hz, 1H), 3.91 (m, 1H), 3.32 (d, *J* = 5.3 Hz, 1H), 2.04 (m, 1H), 1.94 (br s, 1H), 0.97 (d, *J* = 6.5 Hz, 3H), 0.87(d, *J* = 6.5 Hz, 3H); ¹⁹F NMR (470.6 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = -75.8$ (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz); ¹³C NMR (125.7 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = 174.1$, 135.4, 128.62, 128.60, 128.5, 124.5 (q, *J* = 281.7 Hz), 74.3, 67.1, 66.6, 58.29 (q, *J* = 29.8 Hz), 31.9, 19.1, 17.3; MS (70 eV): *e/z* (%): 349 [M⁺ + 1] (20), 213 (100), 91 (40).

4b: $[\alpha]^{23}{}_{D} = -12.9^{\circ}$ (*c* = 1.8, CHCl₃); FT IR (film): $\nu_{max} = 3362, 2972, 2930, 1716, 1567 \text{ cm}^{-1}$; ¹H NMR (250 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = 4.67$ (dd, J = 13.9, 4.2 Hz, 1H), 4.57 (dd, J = 13.9, 7.4 Hz, 1H), 3.88 (m, 1H), 3.14 (d, 4.9 Hz, 1H), 1.98(m, 1H), 1.95 (br s, 1H), 1.46 (s, 9H), 0.97 (d, J = 6.7 Hz, 3H), 0.87 (d, J = 6.7 Hz, 3H); ¹⁹F NMR (235.4 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = -76.4$ (d, J = 6.9 Hz, 3F); ¹³C NMR (62.9 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = 173.4, 124.6$ (q, J = 282.3 Hz), 81.9, 74.4, 66.9, 58.5 (q, J = 29.7 Hz), 31.9, 27.8, 19.0, 17.1.

4c: $[\alpha]^{23}_{D} = -24.0^{\circ}$ (*c* = 1.6, CHCl₃); FT IR (film): $v_{max} = 3360, 2980, 2936, 1728, 1642, 1567, 1382 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (250 MHz, CDCl₃): <math>\delta = 4.67$ (dd, J = 13.3, 4.9 Hz, 1H), 4.59 (dd, J = 13.3, 7.5 Hz, 1H), 3.95 (m, 1H), 3.47 (q, J = 6.9 Hz, 1H), 2.00 (br s, 1H), 1.45 (s, 9H), 1.30 (d, J = 6.9 Hz, 3H); ¹⁹F NMR (235.4 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = -76.3$ (d, J = 7.3 Hz, 3F); ¹³C NMR (62.9 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = 173.9, 124.7$ (q, J = 282.2 Hz), 82.0, 74.4, 57.3 (q, J = 29.7 Hz), 56.7, 27.9, 19.7; MS (70 eV): *e/z* (%): 287 [M⁺ + 1] (1), 185 (100).

4e: $[α]^{23}_{D}$ = - 14.1° (*c* = 1.2, CHCl₃); FT IR (film): *ν*_{max} = 3355, 2932, 1725, 1570, 1370, 1153 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): *δ* = 7.33-7.17 (m, 5H), 4.60 (dd, *J* = 13.3, 4.7 Hz, 1H), 4.47 (dd, *J* = 13.3, 7.7 Hz, 1H), 3.95 (m, 1H), 3.65 (dd, *J* = 7.2, 6.1 Hz 1H), 2.98 (dd, *J* = 13.5, 6.1 Hz, 1H), 2.88 (dd, *J* = 13.5, 7.2 Hz, 1H), 1.83 (br s, 1H), 1.40 (s, 9H); ¹⁹F NMR (470.6 MHz, CDCl₃): *δ* = - 76.0 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 3F); ¹³C NMR (62.9 MHz, CDCl₃): *δ* = 172.6, 136.4, 129.4, 128.4, 126.9, 124.5 (q, *J* = 281.0 Hz), 82.3, 74.2, 61.9, 57.6 (q, *J* = 29.3 Hz), 40.1, 27.8.

4g: $[\alpha]^{23}_{D} = +13.8^{\circ}$ (*c* = 1.2, CHCl₃); FT IR (film): $\nu_{max} = 3359, 2957, 1740, 1563, 1382, 1267, 1030 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (250 MHz, CDCl₃): <math>\delta = 7.33-7.15$ (m, 5H), 4.60 (dd, *J* = 13.1, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 4.44 (dd, *J* = 13.1, 8.14 Hz, 1H), 3.95 (m, 1H), 3.79 (dd, *J* = 7.4, 5.3 Hz, 1H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 3.06

(dd, J = 13.5, 5.3 Hz, 1H), 2.90 (dd, J = 13.5, 7.4 Hz, 1H), 1.86 (br s, 1H); ¹⁹F NMR (235.4 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = -76.1$ (d, J = 6.9 Hz); ¹³C NMR (62.9 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = 173.6$, 136.0, 129.2, 128.6, 127.1, 124.1 (q, J = 283.3 Hz), 74.3, 61.4, 57.5 (q, J = 29.7 Hz), 52.3, 39.6; MS (70 eV): e/z (%): 321 [M⁺ + 1] (20), 261 (98), 229 (100), 91 (35).

5a: $[\alpha]^{23}{}_{D} = +22.9^{\circ}$ (*c* = 1.0, CHCl₃); FT IR (film): $v_{max} = 3345$, 2967, 2919, 1733, 1567, 1382 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = 7.41$ -7.31 (m, 5H), 5.15 (s, 2H), 4.59 (dd, *J* = 12.9, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 4.40 (dd, *J* = 12.9, 10.1 Hz, 1H), 3.94 (m, 1H), 3.20 (d, *J* = 4.6 Hz, 1H), 2.20 (br s, 1H), 1.90(m, 1H), 0.86 (d, *J* = 6.5 Hz, 3H), 0.80(d, *J* = 6.5 Hz, 3H); ¹⁹F NMR (470.6 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = -74.8$ (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz); ¹³C NMR (62.9 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = 173.5$, 135.4, 128.6, 124.7 (q, *J* = 285.5 Hz), 74.7, 67.1, 66.3, 59.4 (q, *J* = 29.5 Hz), 32.7, 19.0, 17.2; MS (70 eV): *e/z* (%): 349 [M⁺ + 1] (20), 213 (100), 91 (40).

5b: this diastereoisomer was not isolated in analytically pure form; ¹⁹F NMR (235.4 MHz CDCl₃): δ = -75.1 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz).

5c: $[\alpha]^{23}{}_{D}$ = + 19.0° (*c* = 1.3, CHCl₃); FT IR (film): ν_{max} = 3340, 2969, 1722, 1570, 1371, 1124 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (250 MHz, CDCl₃): δ = 4.62 (dd, *J* = 13.1, 3.9 Hz, 1H), 4.41 (dd, *J* = 13.1, 9.3 Hz, 1H), 4.03 (m, 1H), 3.40 (q, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 2.27 (br s, 1H), 1.46 (s, 9H), 1.23 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H); ¹⁹F NMR (235.4 MHz, CDCl₃): δ = - 75.1 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz); ¹³C NMR (62.9 MHz, CDCl₃): δ = 173.4, 124.5 (q, *J* = 284.5 Hz), 81.9, 74.7, 57.4 (q, *J* = 29.5 Hz), 55.8, 27.9, 19.8; MS (70 eV): *e/z* (%): 287 [M⁺ + 1] (1), 185 (100), 57 (30).

5e: this diastereoisomer was not isolated in analytically pure form. ¹⁹FNMR (470.6 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = -74.6 (d, J = 7.3 Hz).$

5g: $[α]^{23}_{D} = -35.5^{\circ}$ (*c*= 0.6, CHCl₃); FT IR (film): *v*_{max} = 2956, 3354, 2924, 1736, 1566, 1382 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (250 MHz, CDCl₃): δ = 7.30 (m, 3H), 7.10 (m, 2H), 4.51 (dd, *J* = 13.1, 4.2 Hz, 1H), 4.29 (dd, *J* = 13.1, 9.2 Hz, 1H), 3.91 (m, 1H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 3.65 (dd, *J* = 6.9, 5.4 Hz, 1H), 2.95 (dd, *J* = 13.5, 5.4 Hz, 1H), 2.81 (dd, *J* = 13.5, 6.9 Hz, 1H), 2.03 (br s, 1H); ¹⁹F NMR (235.4 MHz, CDCl₃): δ = -75.3 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz); ¹³C NMR (62.9 MHz, CDCl₃): δ = 173.6, 136.3, 129.3, 128.5, 127.0, 124.7 (q, *J* = 283.9 Hz), 74.4, 61.9, 58.5 (q, *J* = 29.5 Hz), 40.7; MS (70 eV): *e/z* (%): 321 [M⁺ + 1] (38), 261 (85), 229 (100), 91 (38).

8b: $[\alpha]^{23}_{D} = -8.5^{\circ}$ (c = 2.7, CH₃COCH₃); FT IR (microscope): $v_{max} = 3300, 2956, 2924, 1724, 1687, 1654, 1539, 1368 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR: (250 MHz, CD₃COCD₃): <math>\delta = 7.69$ (br s, 1H), 7.36-7.16 (m, 10H), 6.40 (br d, J = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 5.05 (d, J = 12.8 Hz, 1H), 4.95 (d, J = 12.8 Hz, 1H), 4.49 (m, 1H), 3.49 (m, 2H), 3.29 (dd, J = 13.7, 5.1 Hz, 1H), 3.21 (m, 1H), 3.16 (d, J = 4.2 Hz, 1H), 2.98 (m, 1H), 2.36 (br s, 1H), 1.97 (m, 1H), 1.47 (s, 9H), 0.98 (d, J = 6.5, 3H), 0.89 (d, J = 6.5 Hz, 3H); ¹⁹F NMR: (235.4 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = -74.0$ (d, J = 6.9 Hz); ¹³C NMR (62.9 MHz, CD₃COCD₃): $\delta = 175.9, 173.7, 157.4, 139.6 138.7 130.9, 129.8, 129.7, 129.2, 129.1, 127.9, 127.8 (q, <math>J = 282.7$ Hz), 82.6, 67.9, 67.3, 60.6 (q, J = 27.7 Hz), 58.0, 39.3, 33.0, 29.0, 20.4, 18.6; MS (70 eV): e/z (%): 566 [M⁺ + 1] (60), 464 (30), 91 (100).

8d: $[\alpha]^{23}_{D} = -12.2^{\circ}$ (*c* = 1.8, CH₃COCH₃); FT IR (film): $\nu_{max} = 3305$, 2966, 1735, 1688, 1656, 1540, 1382 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR: (400 MHz, CD₃COCD₃): $\delta = 7.69$ (br s, 1H), 7.36-7.17 (m, 10H), 6.44 (m, 1H), 5.06 (d, *J* = 12.5 Hz, 1H), 4.98 (d, *J* = 12.5 Hz, 1H), 4.52 (m, 1H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 3.49 (m, 2H), 3.30 (m, 2H), 3.21 (m, 1H), 3.0 (m, 1H), 2.44 (br s, 1H), 1.71 (m, 1H), 1.53 (m, 1H), 1.21 (m, 1H), 0.92 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz), 0.88 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz); ¹⁹F NMR: (235.4 MHz, CD₃COCD₃): $\delta = -74.2$ (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz); ¹³C NMR (62.9 MHz, CD₃COCD₃): $\delta = 176.2$, 173.2, 156.8, 138.8, 138.0, 130.2, 129.1, 129.0, 128.5, 128.4, 127.2, 127.1 (q, *J* = 281.5 Hz), 66.6, 66.3, 59.8 (q, *J* = 27.6 Hz), 57.4, 52.1, 39.2, 38.7, 25.6, 16.1, 11.7; MS (70 eV): e/z (%): 538 [M⁺ + 1] (60), 478 (90), 91 (100).

8g: $[\alpha]^{23}_{D} = -11.6^{\circ}$ (*c* = 0.4, CH₃COCH₃); FT IR (film): $\nu_{max} = 3324$, 2952, 1731, 1648, 1654, 1531, 1263, 1171 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR: (400 MHz, CD₃COCD₃): $\delta = 7.55$ (br s, 1H), 7.23 (m, 15H), 6.36 (br d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 5.03 (d, *J* = 12.6 Hz, 1H), 4.97 (d, *J* = 12.6 Hz, 1H), 4.44 (m, 1H), 3.74 (m, 1H), 3.63 (s, 3H), 3.52 (m, 1H), 3.32 (m, 2H), 3.21 (dd, *J* = 14.0, 5.0 Hz, 1H), 2.93 (m, 3H), 2.41 (br d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H); ¹⁹F NMR: (235.4 MHz, CD₃COCD₃): $\delta = -74.2$ (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz); ¹³C NMR (62.9 MHz, CD₃COCD₃): $\delta = 176.1$, 173.6, 157.5, 139.5, 138.9, 138.7, 130.8, 130.7, 129.8, 129.7, 129.6, 129.2, 129.1, 128.0, 127.9, 67.3, 63.5, 59.8 (q, *J* = 28.1 Hz), 58.0, 52.9, 41.0, 39.3; the CF₃ signal was obscured due to its low intensity.

12: $[\alpha]_{D}^{23} = +4.4$ (*c* = 1.6, CHCl₃); FT IR (film): $v_{max} = 3453$, 1634, 1543, 1437, 1262, 1131, 754cm⁻¹ ¹HNMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = 7.44$ (br t, *J* = 4.0 Hz, 1H), 6.91(br d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 4.49 (m, 2H), 3.82 (m, 1H), 3.71 (dd, *J* = 12.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.55 (m, 1H), 3.41(m, 2H), 3.17(m, 1H), 3.02(s, 3H), 2.95(s, 3H), 2.40 (br s, 1H), 2.28(m, 1H), 2.19-1.90 (overlap, 8H), 1.47(ddd, *J* = 12.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.02(s, 3H), 3.95(s, 3H), 3.40 (br s, 1H), 3.28(m, 1H), 3.19-1.90 (overlap, 8H), 1.47(ddd, *J* = 12.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.19-1.90 (overlap, 8H), 1.47(ddd, *J* = 12.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.19-1.90 (overlap, 8H), 1.47(ddd, *J* = 12.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.19-1.90 (overlap, 8H), 1.47(ddd, *J* = 12.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.19-1.90 (overlap, 8H), 1.47(ddd, *J* = 12.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.19-1.90 (overlap, 8H), 1.47(ddd, *J* = 12.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.19-1.90 (overlap, 8H), 1.47(ddd, *J* = 12.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.19-1.90 (overlap, 8H), 1.47(ddd, *J* = 12.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.19-1.90 (overlap, 8H), 1.47(ddd, *J* = 12.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.19-1.90 (overlap, 8H), 1.47(ddd, *J* = 12.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.19-1.90 (overlap, 8H), 1.47(ddd, *J* = 12.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.19-1.90 (overlap, 8H), 1.47(ddd, *J* = 12.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.19-1.90 (overlap, 8H), 1.47(ddd, *J* = 12.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.19-1.90 (overlap, 8H), 1.47(ddd, J = 12.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.19-1.90 (overlap, 8H), 1.47(ddd, J = 12.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.19-1.90 (overlap, 8H), 1.47(ddd, J = 12.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.19-1.90 (overlap, 8H), 1.47(ddd, J = 12.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.19-1.90 (overlap, 8H), 1.47(ddd, J = 12.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.19-1.90 (overlap, 8H), 1.47(ddd, J = 12.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.19-1.90 (overlap, 8H), 1.47(ddd, J = 12.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.19-1.90 (overlap, 8H), 1.47(ddd, J = 12.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.19-1.90 (overlap, 8H), 1.47(ddd, J = 12.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.19-1.90 (overlap, 8H), 1.47(ddd, J = 12.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.19-1.90 (overlap, 8H), 1.47(ddd, J = 12.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.19-1.90 (overlap, 8H), 1.47(ddd, J = 12.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.19-1.90 (overlap, 8H), 1.47(ddd, J = 12.0, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.19-1.90 (overlap, 8

13.6, 9.4, 4.2 Hz, 1H), 1.23(ddd, J = 13.6, 8.7, 4.2 Hz, 1H), 0.97 (m, 12H); ¹³C NMR (62.3 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = 172.0$, 171.5, 170.8, 60.4, 58.01(q, J = 26.7 Hz), 56.4, 55.5, 47.5, 42.6, 37.8, 36.8, 36.0, 30.5, 29.7, 28.3, 24.7, 24.4, 23.4, 22.8, 21.8, 19.6, 18.4; ¹⁹F NMR (235.3 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = -74.2$ (br s). MS (70 eV): e/z (%): 508[M⁺ + 1] (20), 435 (38), 294 (80), 84 (80), 70 (100), 43 (40). The CF₃ signal was obscured due to its low intensity.

13: $[\alpha]^{23}{}_{D} = -47.1^{\circ}$ (*c* = 0.7, CHCl₃); FT IR (film): $v_{max} = 3411$, 2960, 1634, 1543, 1431, 1262, cm⁻¹; ¹HNMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = 7.02$ (br t, *J* = 5.6 Hz, 1H), 6.23 (br d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 4.61 (m, 1H), 4.40 (m, 1H), 3.78 (m, 2H), 3.58 (m, 2H), 3.21 (m, 2H), 3.03 (s, 3H), 2.96 (s, 3H), 2.30 (m, 2H), 2.20 (m, 1H), 2.10 (m, 2H), 2.00 (s, 3H), 1.87 (m, 1H), 1.39(ddd, *J* = 13.6, 9.5, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 1.27 (ddd, *J* = 13.6, 8.9,4.1 Hz, 1H), 0.96 (m, 13H); ¹³C NMR (150.9 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = 175.0$, 172.3, 171.9, 60.7, 58.63 (q, J=26.8 Hz), 55.8, 54,2, 48.0, 43.8, 38.0, 37.0, 36.3, 31.8, 30.0, 28.3, 25.4, 24.9, 23.9, 23.6, 22.1, 19.7, 18.0; ¹⁹F NMR (235.3 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = -74.3$ (br s); MS (70 eV): *e/z* (%): 508 [M⁺ + 1] (10), 367 (30), 294 (98), 70 (100).

14: $[α]^{23}_{D}$ = +10.4° (*c* = 1.2, CHCl₃); FT IR (film): v_{max} = 3411, 2960, 1634, 1543, 1431, 1262, cm⁻¹; ¹HNMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ = 7.89 (br s, 1H), 6.42(d, *J* = 8.7Hz, 1H), 4.60(dd, *J* = 7.8, 6.1 Hz, 1H), 4.46(dd, *J* = 7.5, 2.6 Hz, 1H), 4.00(m, 1H), 3.75(dd, *J* = 10.5, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 2.98(s, 3H), 2.95(s, 3H), 2.89(m, 1H), 2.00(m, 10H), 1.21 (m, 2H), 0.92 (m, 12H); ¹³C NMR (62.3 MHz, CDCl3): δ = 174.7, 172.3, 171.3, 170.0, 125.5(Q, *J* = 283.8 Hz), 60.9, 57.7(q, *J* = 27.6 Hz), 56.1, 47.4, 42.3, 38.5, 36.7, 36.3, 31.0, 29.5, 24.5, 24.4, 23.6, 21.0, 19.7, 17.7; ¹⁹F NMR (235.3 MHz, CDCl3): δ = -74.2 (br s). MS (70 eV): *e/z* (%): 508[M⁺ + 1] (20), 435 (35), 367(40), 294 (80), 70 (100), 43 (20).





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