Supporting Information

Highly Enantioselective Catalytic aza-Morita-Baylis-Hillman Reaction

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General Remarks:

Melting points were determined on a digital melting point apparatus and temperatures were uncorrected. Optical rotations were determined at 589 nm (sodium D line) by using a Perkin-Elmer-341 MC digital polarimeter; $[\alpha]_D$ -values are given in unit of 10 deg⁻¹ cm² g⁻¹. ¹H NMR spectra were recorded on a Varian Mercury-300 and 400 spectrometer for solution in CDCl₃ with tetramethylsilane (TMS) as an internal standard; coupling constants *J* are given in Hz. ¹³C NMR spectra were recorded on a Varian Mercury-300 and 400 spectrophotometers (75 or 100 MHz) with complete proton decoupling spectrophotometers (CDCl₃: 77.0 ppm). Infrared spectra were recorded on a Perkin-Elmer PE-983 spectrometer with absorption in cm⁻¹. Flash column chromatography was performed using 300-400 mesh silica gel. For thin-layer chromatography (TLC), silica gel plates (Huanghai GF254) were used. Chiral HPLC was performed on a SHIMADZU SPD-10A *vp* series with chiral columns (Chiralpak AD-H, OD-H, and IC columns 4.6 × 250 mm, (Daicel Chemical Ind., Ltd.)) and chiral column (Phenomenex Lux 5µ Amylose-2 column 4.6 × 250 mm (PC-2), (Phenomenex Ind., Ltd.)). Mass spectra were recorded by EI, ESI, MALDI and HRMS was measured on a HP-5989 instrument.

General procedure for the phosphine-catalyzed asymmetric *aza*-MBH reaction of *N*-alkoxycarbonyl ketimine 61 with MVK:



Into a 100 mL oven-dried reaction flask under argon atmosphere were added *N*-alkoxycarbonyl Ketimine **61** (1 g, 3.5 mmol), catalyst **CP1** (0.7 mmol, 318 mg), chloroform (70 mL) and MVK (7 mmol, 556 μ L). The reaction mixture was stirred at 25 °C for 48 h, then the solvent was removed under reduced pressure and the residue was purified by flash column chromatography.

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进样器:分流

使用仪器类型:气相色谱 检测器:FID

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峰号	峰名	保留时间	峰高	峰面积	含量
1		33.965	12927.666	830348.813	50.3430
2		38.655	11609.821	819032.875	49.6570
总计			24537.487	1649381.688	100.0000



Translation: Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IC column [λ = 230 nm]; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 70/30; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min; t_{major} = 32.93 min, t_{minor} = 37.76 min; ee% = 84%.



Into a 50 mL oven-dried reaction flask under argon atmosphere were added 4Å MS (150 mg), *N*-alkoxycarbonyl Ketimine **61** (200 mg, 0.7 mmol), catalyst **CP1** (0.14 mmol, 64 mg), chloroform (14 mL) and MVK (7 mmol, 113 μ L). The reaction mixture was stirred at 25 °C

for 24 h, then the solvent was removed under reduced pressure and the residue was purified by a flash column chromatography.



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Translation: Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC with a Chiralcel IC column [λ = 230 nm]; eluent: Hexane/Isopropanol = 70/30; Flow rate: 0.70 mL/min; t_{major} = 33.88 min, t_{minor} = 39.16 min; ee% = 91%.

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General procedure for the phosphine-catalyzed asymmetric *aza*-MBH reaction of *N*-sulfonated imine 59 with MVK:



Into a 100 mL oven-dried reaction flask under argon atmosphere were added *N*-sulfonated imine **59** (1 g, 3.4 mmol), catalyst (*S*)-**CP1** (0.34 mmol, 155 mg) and THF (28 mL), and MVK (10.2 mmol, 827 μ L) was added at -30 °C. The reaction mixture was stirred at -30 °C for 96 h, then the solvent was removed under reduced pressure and the residue was purified by flash column chromatography.





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