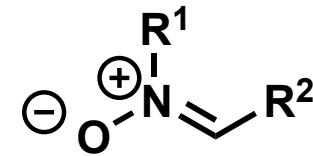
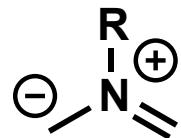
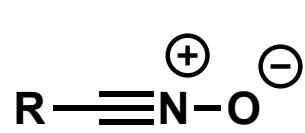


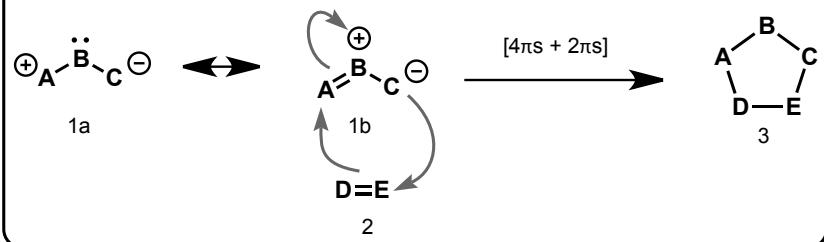
Dipolar Cycloadditions



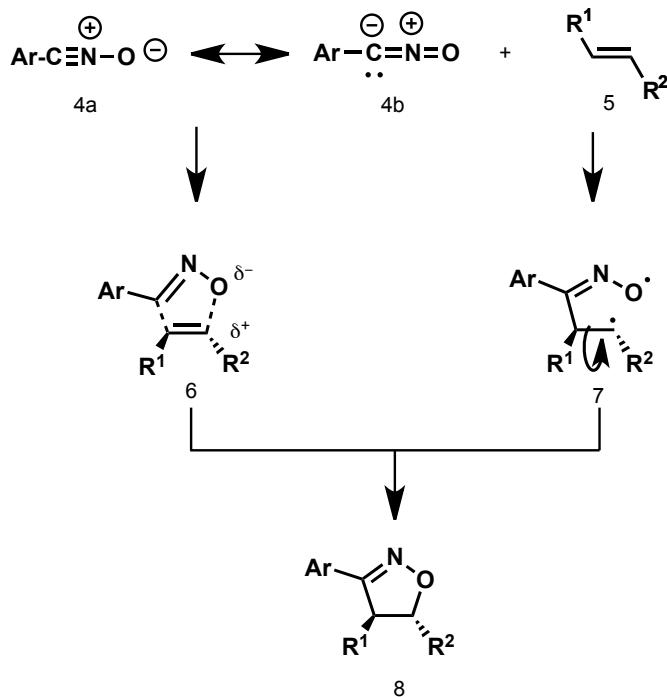
Nitrile oxides, azomethin ylides and
nitrones in total synthesis

Introduction

the general idea



Huisgen vs. Firestone
60's & 70's



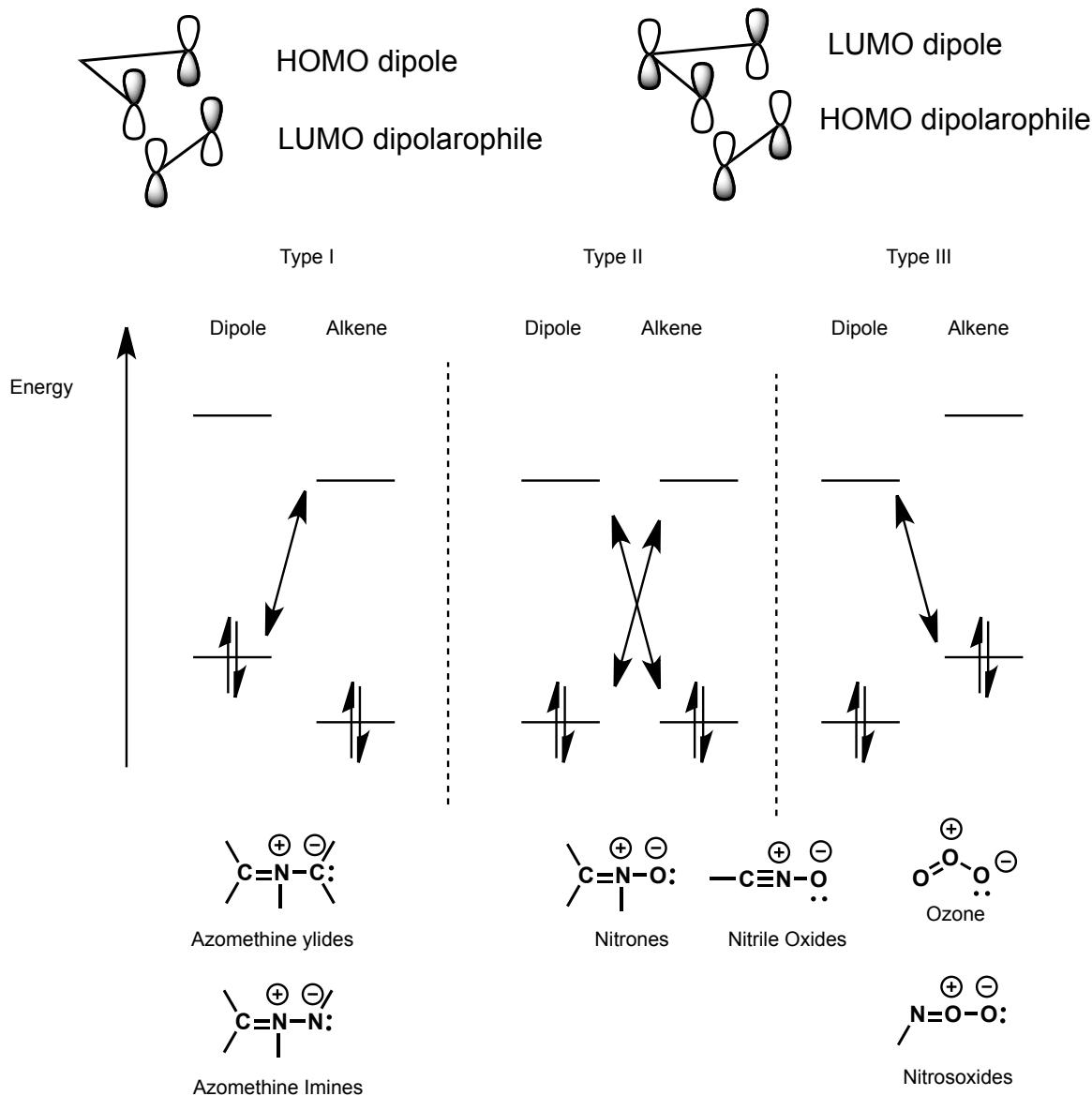
Propargyl/allenyl anion type

Nitrile ylides	$\begin{array}{c} \text{+} \\ \\ -\text{C}\equiv\text{N}-\text{C}: \end{array}$	\longleftrightarrow	$\begin{array}{c} \text{-} \\ \\ -\text{C}=\text{N}=\text{C} \\ \text{..} \end{array}$
Nitrile imines	$\begin{array}{c} \text{+} \\ \\ -\text{C}\equiv\text{N}=\text{N}: \end{array}$	\longleftrightarrow	$\begin{array}{c} \text{-} \\ \\ -\text{C}=\text{N}=\text{N} \\ \text{..} \end{array}$
Nitrile oxides	$\begin{array}{c} \text{+} \\ \\ -\text{C}\equiv\text{N}-\text{O}: \end{array}$	\longleftrightarrow	$\begin{array}{c} \text{-} \\ \\ -\text{C}=\text{N}=\text{O} \\ \text{..} \end{array}$
Diazo alkanes	$\begin{array}{c} \text{+} \\ \\ \text{N}\equiv\text{N}-\text{C}: \end{array}$	\longleftrightarrow	$\begin{array}{c} \text{-} \\ \\ \text{N}=\text{N}=\text{C} \\ \text{..} \end{array}$
Azides	$\begin{array}{c} \text{+} \\ \\ \text{N}\equiv\text{N}-\text{N}: \end{array}$	\longleftrightarrow	$\begin{array}{c} \text{-} \\ \\ \text{N}=\text{N}=\text{N} \\ \text{..} \end{array}$
Nitrous oxide	$\begin{array}{c} \text{+} \\ \\ \text{N}\equiv\text{N}-\text{O}: \end{array}$	\longleftrightarrow	$\begin{array}{c} \text{-} \\ \\ \text{N}=\text{N}=\text{O} \\ \text{..} \end{array}$

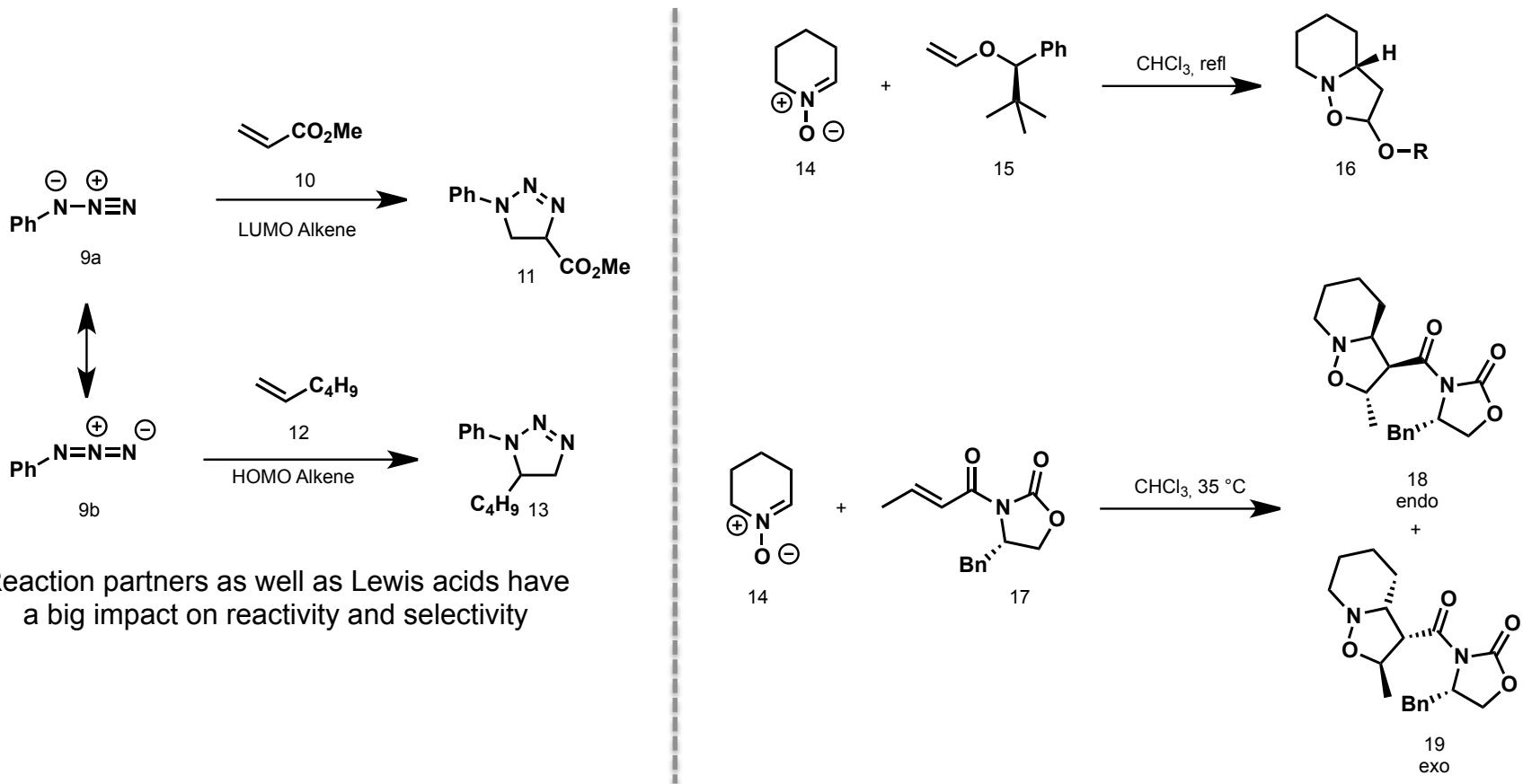
Allyl anion Type

Azomethine ylides	$\begin{array}{c} \text{+} \\ \\ \text{C}=\text{N}-\text{C}: \end{array}$	\longleftrightarrow	$\begin{array}{c} \text{-} \\ \\ \text{C}=\text{N}=\text{C} \\ \text{..} \end{array}$
Azomethine imines	$\begin{array}{c} \text{+} \\ \\ \text{C}=\text{N}=\text{N}: \end{array}$	\longleftrightarrow	$\begin{array}{c} \text{-} \\ \\ \text{C}=\text{N}=\text{N} \\ \text{..} \end{array}$
Nitrones	$\begin{array}{c} \text{+} \\ \\ \text{C}=\text{N}-\text{O}: \end{array}$	\longleftrightarrow	$\begin{array}{c} \text{-} \\ \\ \text{C}=\text{N}-\text{O} \\ \text{..} \end{array}$
Azimes	$\begin{array}{c} \text{+} \\ \\ \text{N}=\text{N}-\text{N}: \end{array}$	\longleftrightarrow	$\begin{array}{c} \text{-} \\ \\ \text{N}=\text{N}=\text{N} \\ \text{..} \end{array}$
Azoxy compounds	$\begin{array}{c} \text{+} \\ \\ \text{N}=\text{N}-\text{O}: \end{array}$	\longleftrightarrow	$\begin{array}{c} \text{-} \\ \\ \text{N}=\text{N}-\text{O} \\ \text{..} \end{array}$
Nitro compounds	$\begin{array}{c} \text{+} \\ \\ \text{O}=\text{N}-\text{O}: \end{array}$	\longleftrightarrow	$\begin{array}{c} \text{-} \\ \\ \text{O}=\text{N}-\text{O} \\ \text{..} \end{array}$
Carbonyl ylides	$\begin{array}{c} \text{+} \\ \\ \text{C}=\text{O}-\text{C}: \end{array}$	\longleftrightarrow	$\begin{array}{c} \text{-} \\ \\ \text{C}=\text{O}=\text{C} \\ \text{..} \end{array}$
Carbonyl imines	$\begin{array}{c} \text{+} \\ \\ \text{C}=\text{O}=\text{N}: \end{array}$	\longleftrightarrow	$\begin{array}{c} \text{-} \\ \\ \text{C}=\text{O}=\text{N} \\ \text{..} \end{array}$
Carbonyl oxides	$\begin{array}{c} \text{+} \\ \\ \text{C}=\text{O}-\text{O}: \end{array}$	\longleftrightarrow	$\begin{array}{c} \text{-} \\ \\ \text{C}=\text{O}-\text{O} \\ \text{..} \end{array}$
Nitrosimines	$\begin{array}{c} \text{+} \\ \\ \text{N}=\text{O}-\text{N}: \end{array}$	\longleftrightarrow	$\begin{array}{c} \text{-} \\ \\ \text{N}=\text{O}=\text{N} \\ \text{..} \end{array}$
Nitroxides	$\begin{array}{c} \text{+} \\ \\ \text{N}=\text{O}-\text{O}: \end{array}$	\longleftrightarrow	$\begin{array}{c} \text{-} \\ \\ \text{N}=\text{O}=\text{O} \\ \text{..} \end{array}$
Ozone	$\begin{array}{c} \text{+} \\ \\ \text{O}=\text{O}-\text{O}^-: \end{array}$	\longleftrightarrow	$\begin{array}{c} \text{-} \\ \\ \text{O}^-=\text{O}=\text{O} \\ \text{..} \end{array}$

FMO Analysis



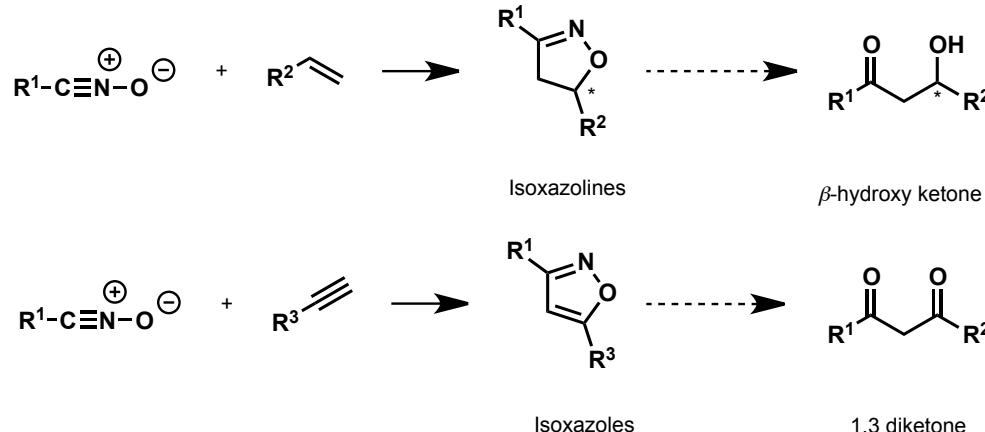
Regiochemistry



Reaction partners as well as Lewis acids have a big impact on reactivity and selectivity

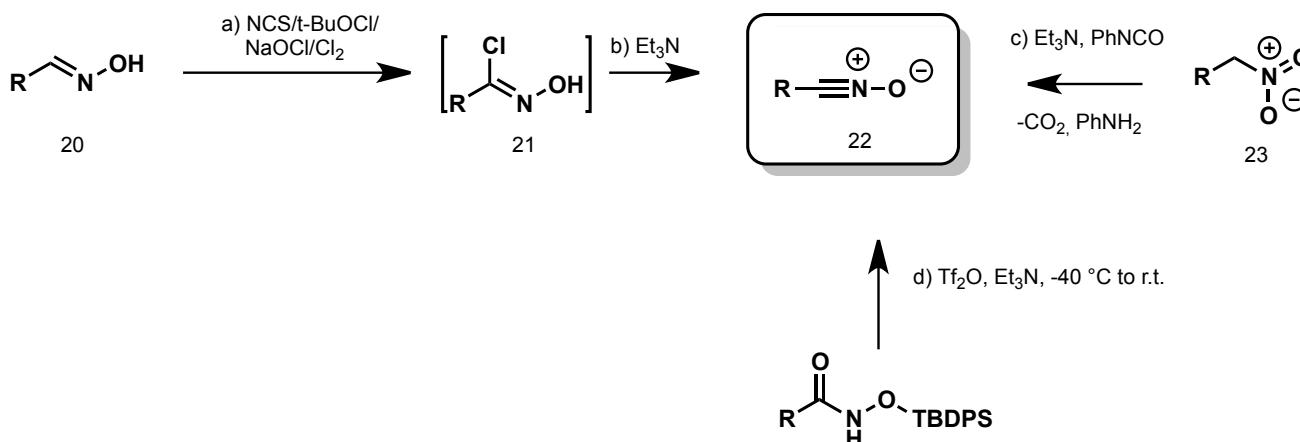
Nitrile oxides: introduction

The basic reaction



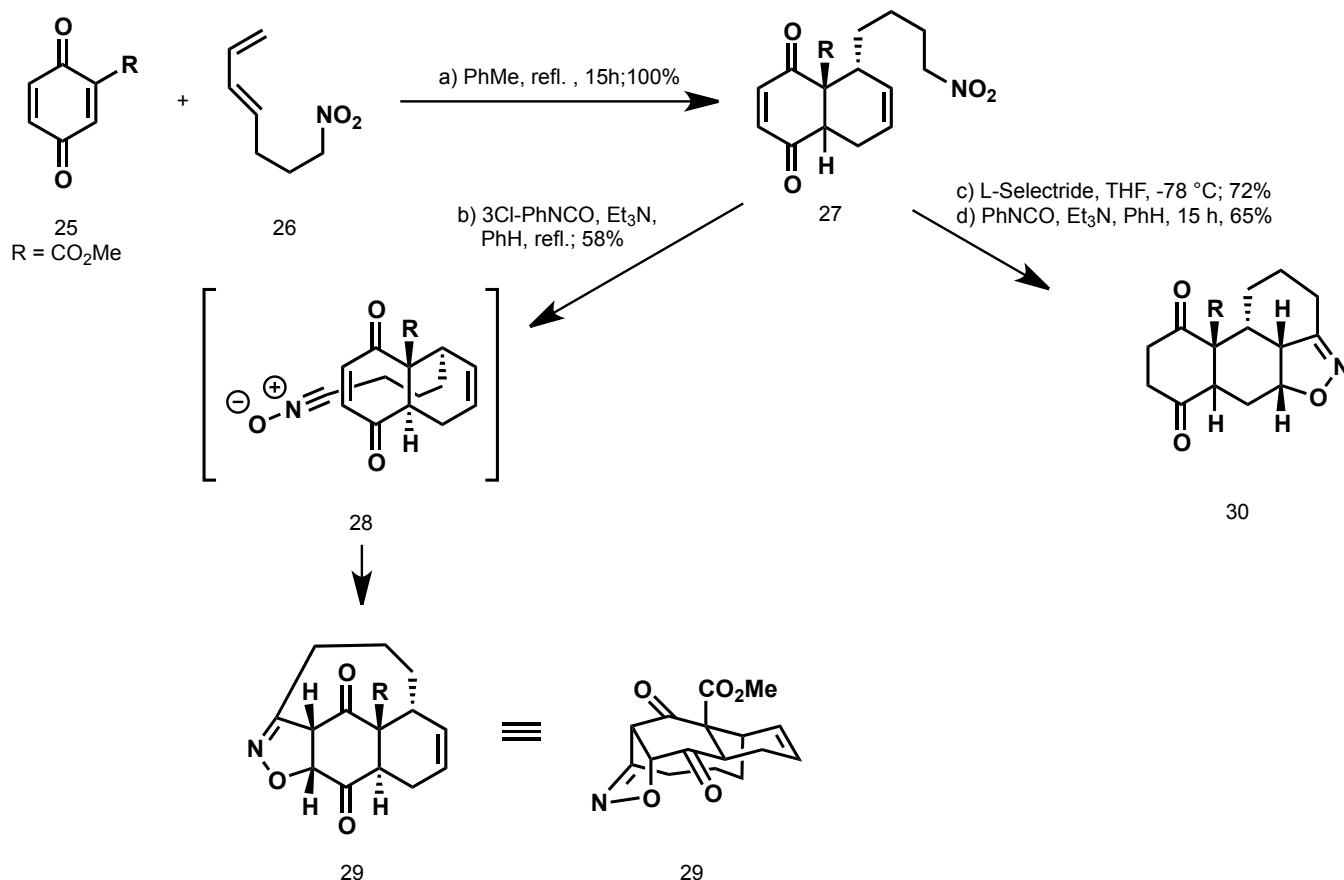
Nitrile Oxides are generally not stable and therefore formed in situ.
If no other reaction partner is present, they may dimerize

Generation of nitrile oxides



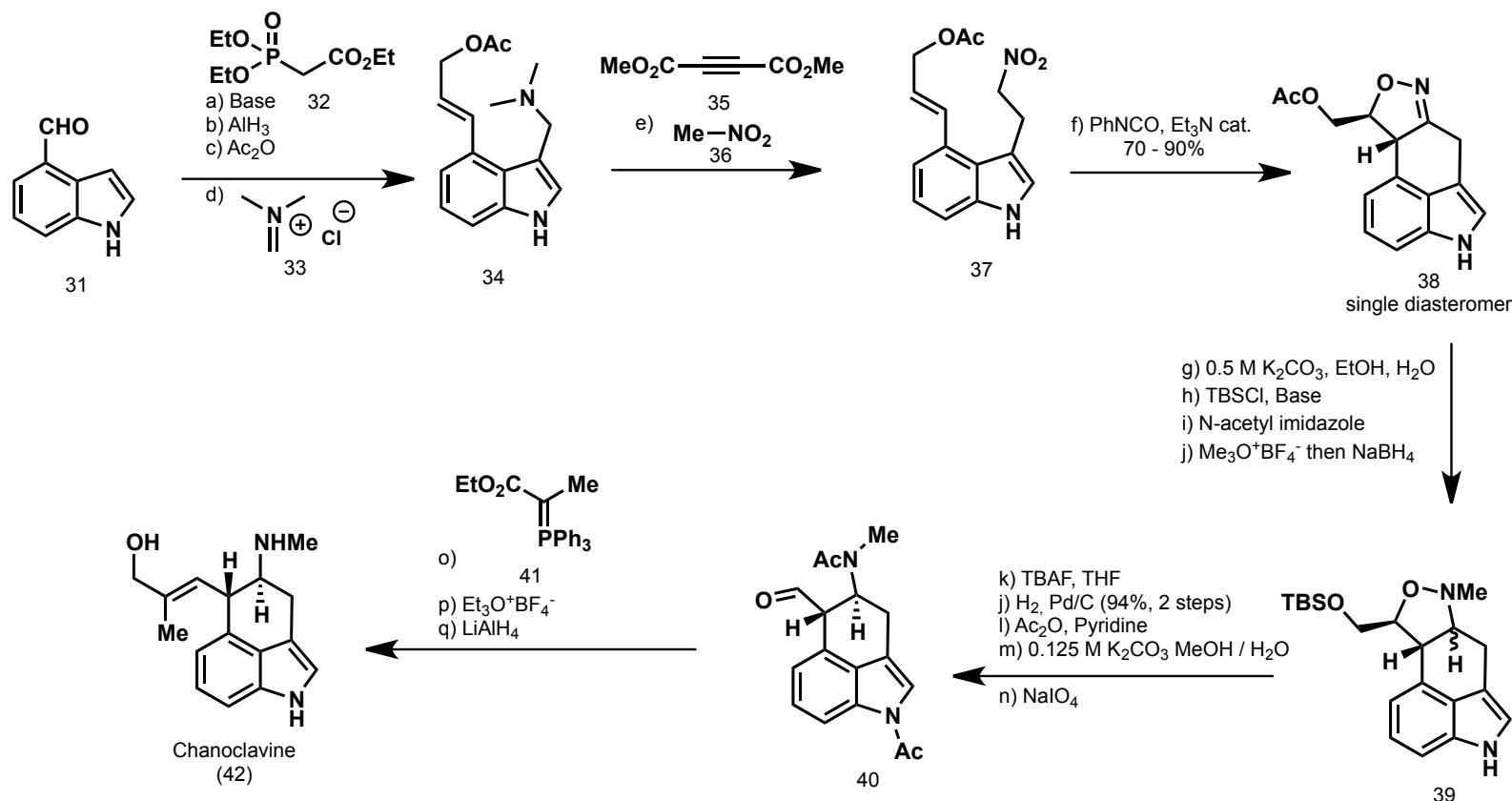
Reactivity example of nitrile oxides

Kozikowski, A.P.; Hiraga, K.; Springer, J.P.; Wang, B.C.; Xu, Z.-B. *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **1984**, *106*, 1845-1847



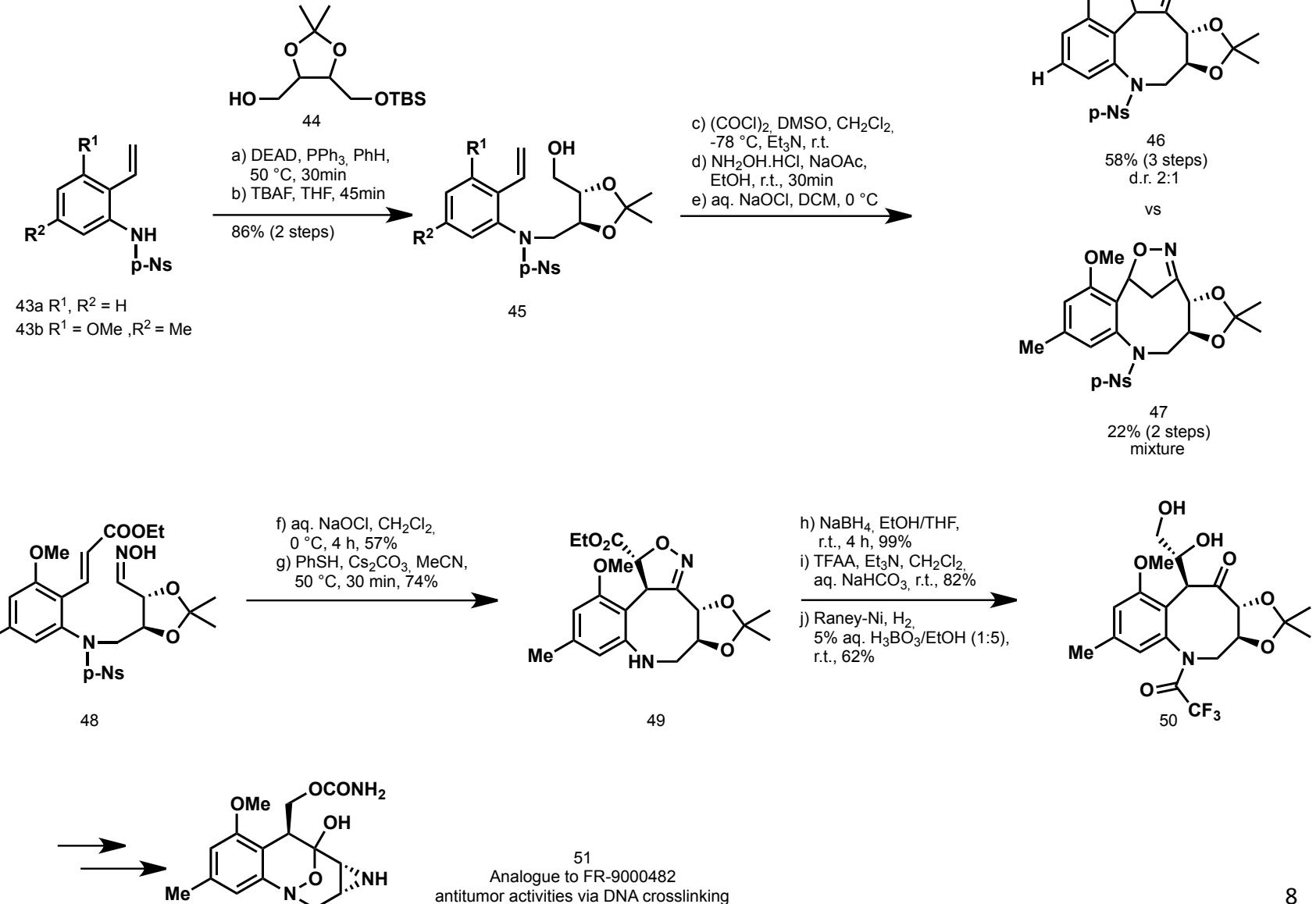
Nitrile oxides in total synthesis

Kozikowski, A.P.; Ishida, H. *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **1980**, *102*, 4265 - 4267



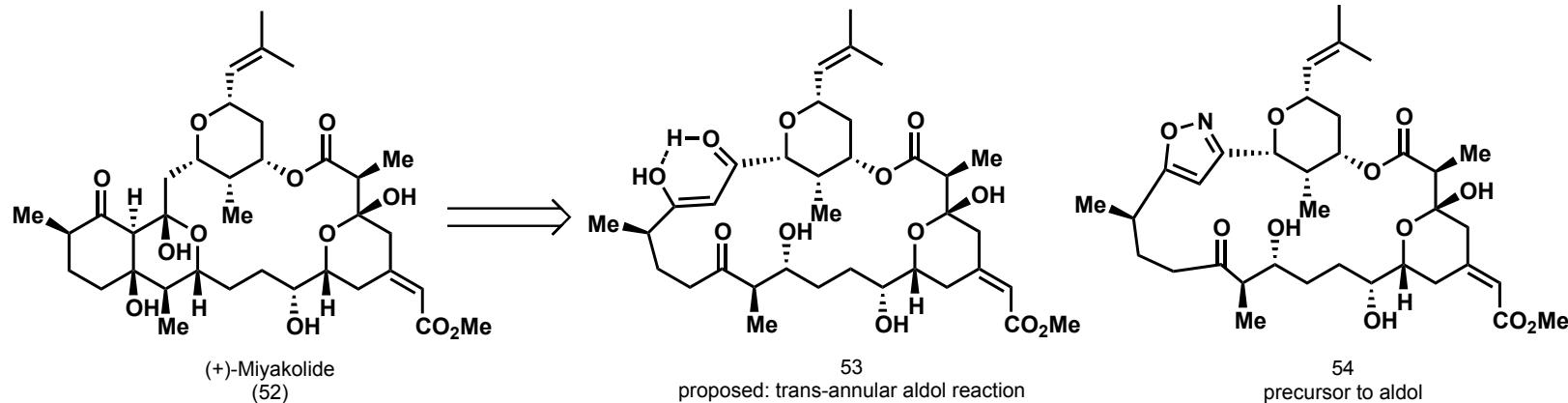
Nitrile oxides in total synthesis

Kambe, M.; Arai, E.; Suzuki, M.; Tokuyama, H.; Fukuyama, T. *Org. Lett.* **2001**, 3, 2575 - 2578

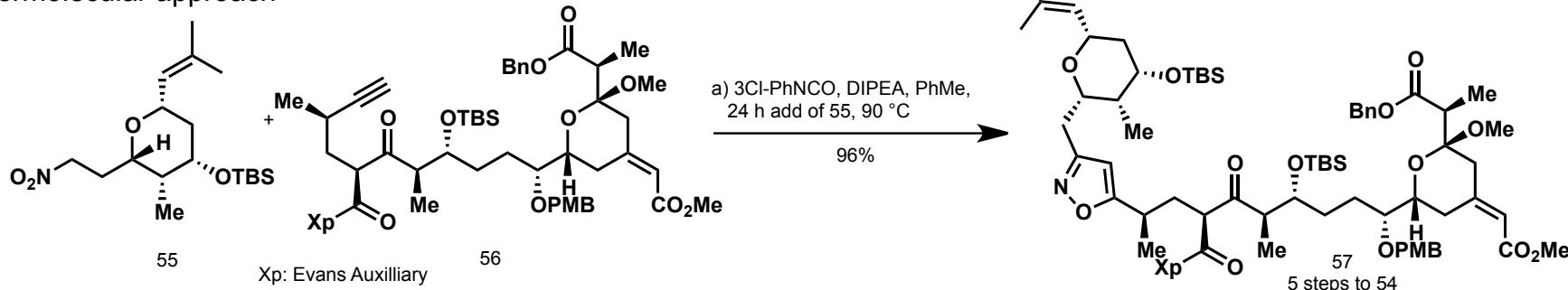


Nitrile oxides as aldol equivalents

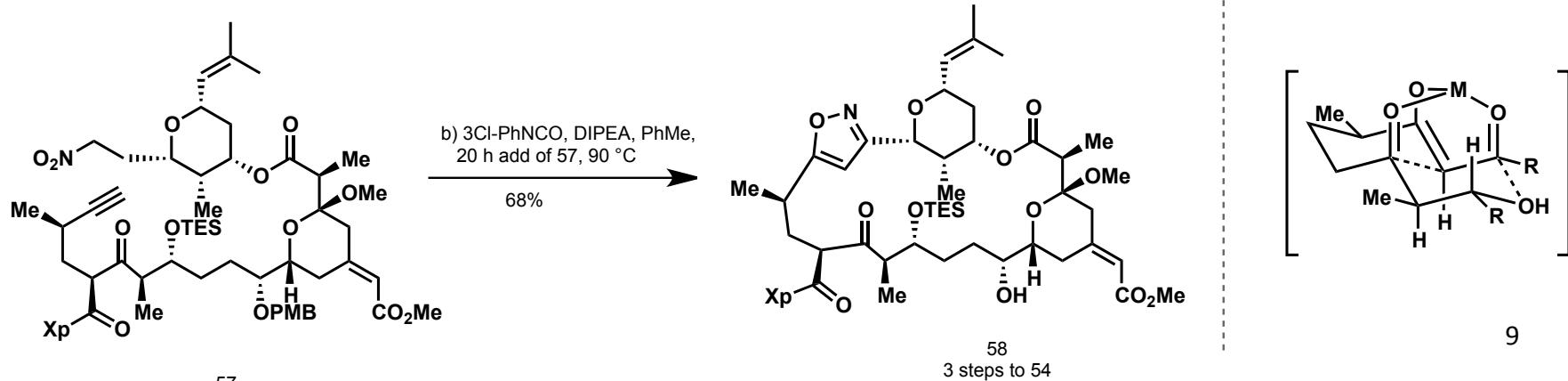
Evans, D. A.; Ripion, D.H.B.; Halstead, D.P.; Campos, K.R. *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* 1999, 121, 6816-6826



intermolecular approach



intramolecular approach

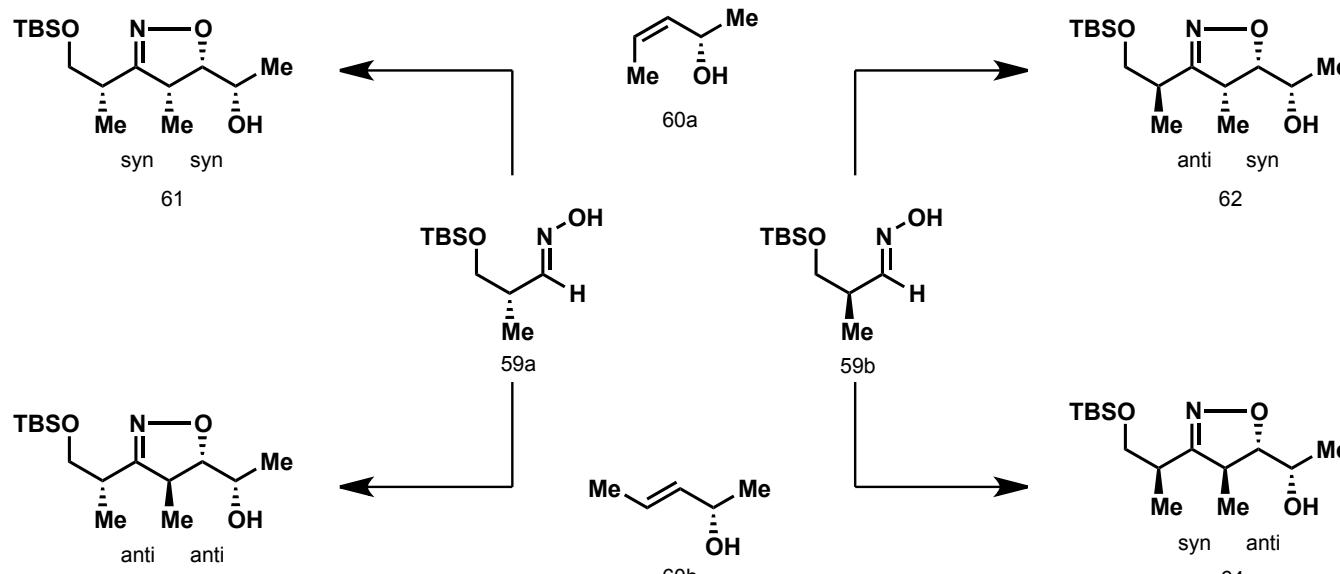


Nitrile oxides as aldol equivalents

Bode, J.W.; Carrreira, E.M. *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **2001**, 123, 3611 – 3612

After work from Kanemasa et. al.:

Kanemasa, S.; Nishiuchi, M.; Kamimure, A.; Hori, K. *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **1994**, 116, 2324



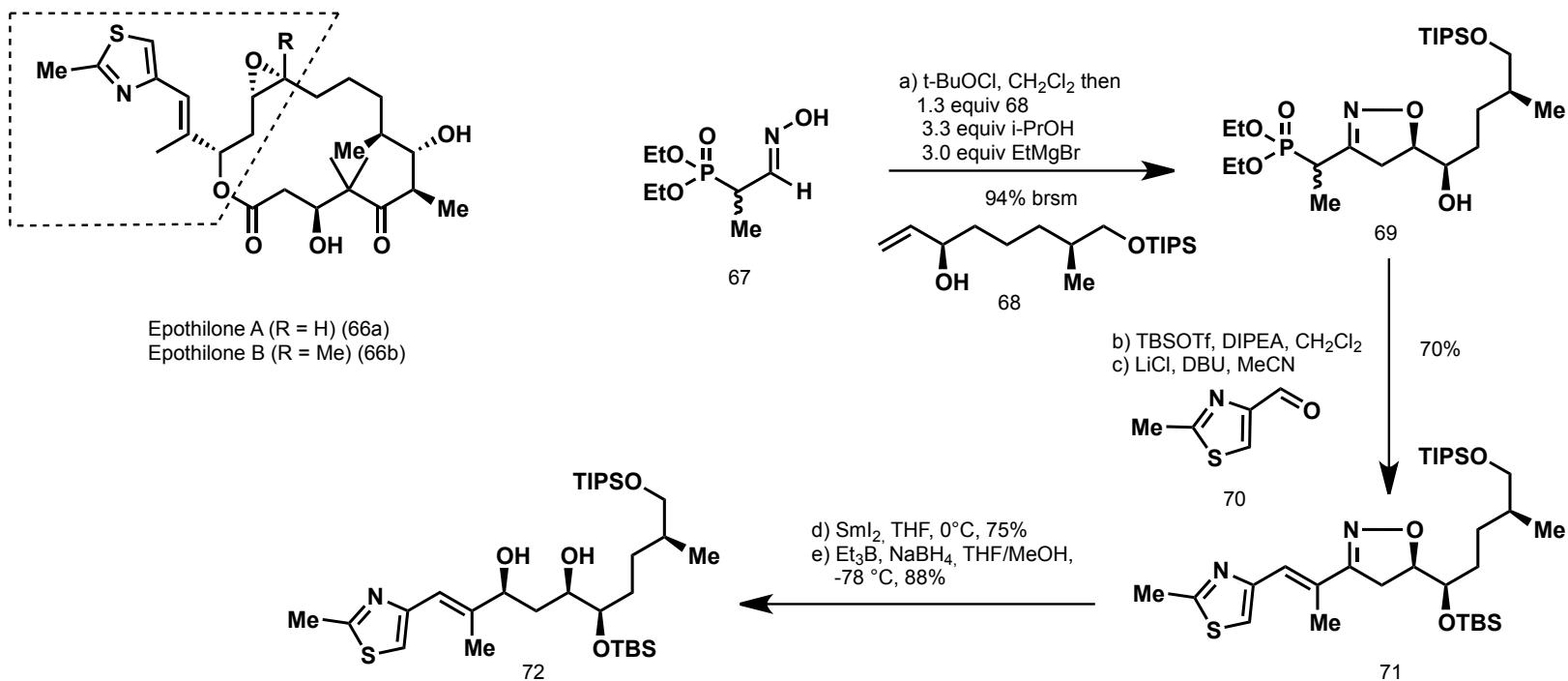
a) t-BuOCl, -78 °C b) 3 equiv EtMgBr, to r.t. 12 h

"all cycloadducts were regiochemically and sterically pure by ¹H and ¹³C NMR analyses"

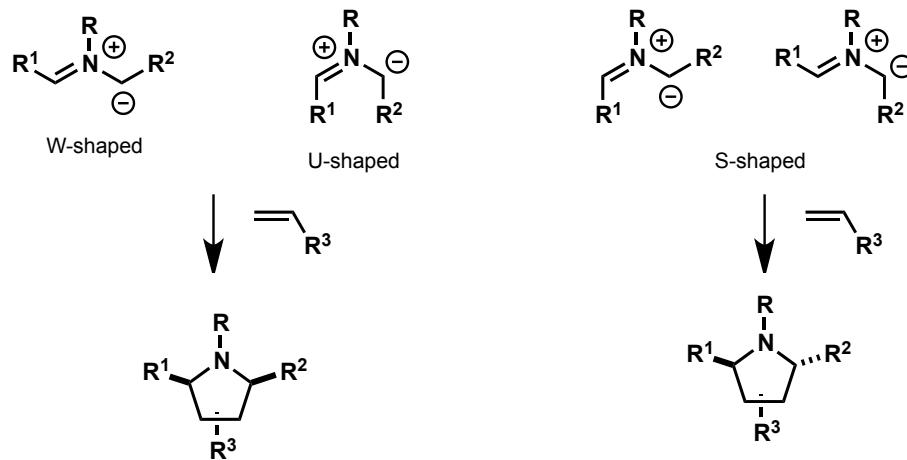
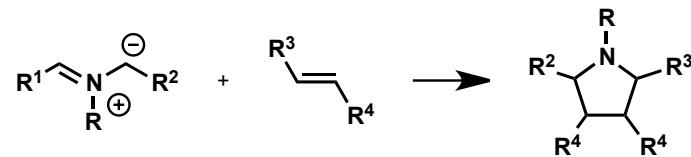


Nitrile oxides as aldol equivalents

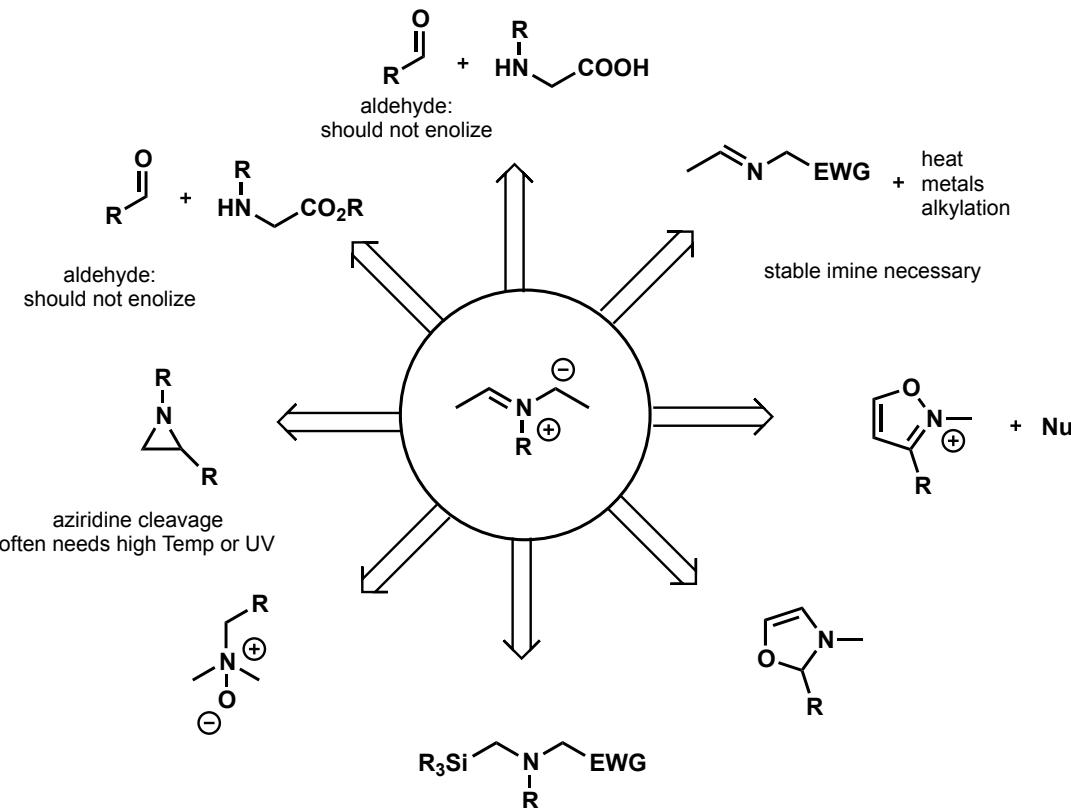
Bode, J.M.; Carreira, E.M. *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **2001**, 123, 3611-1612



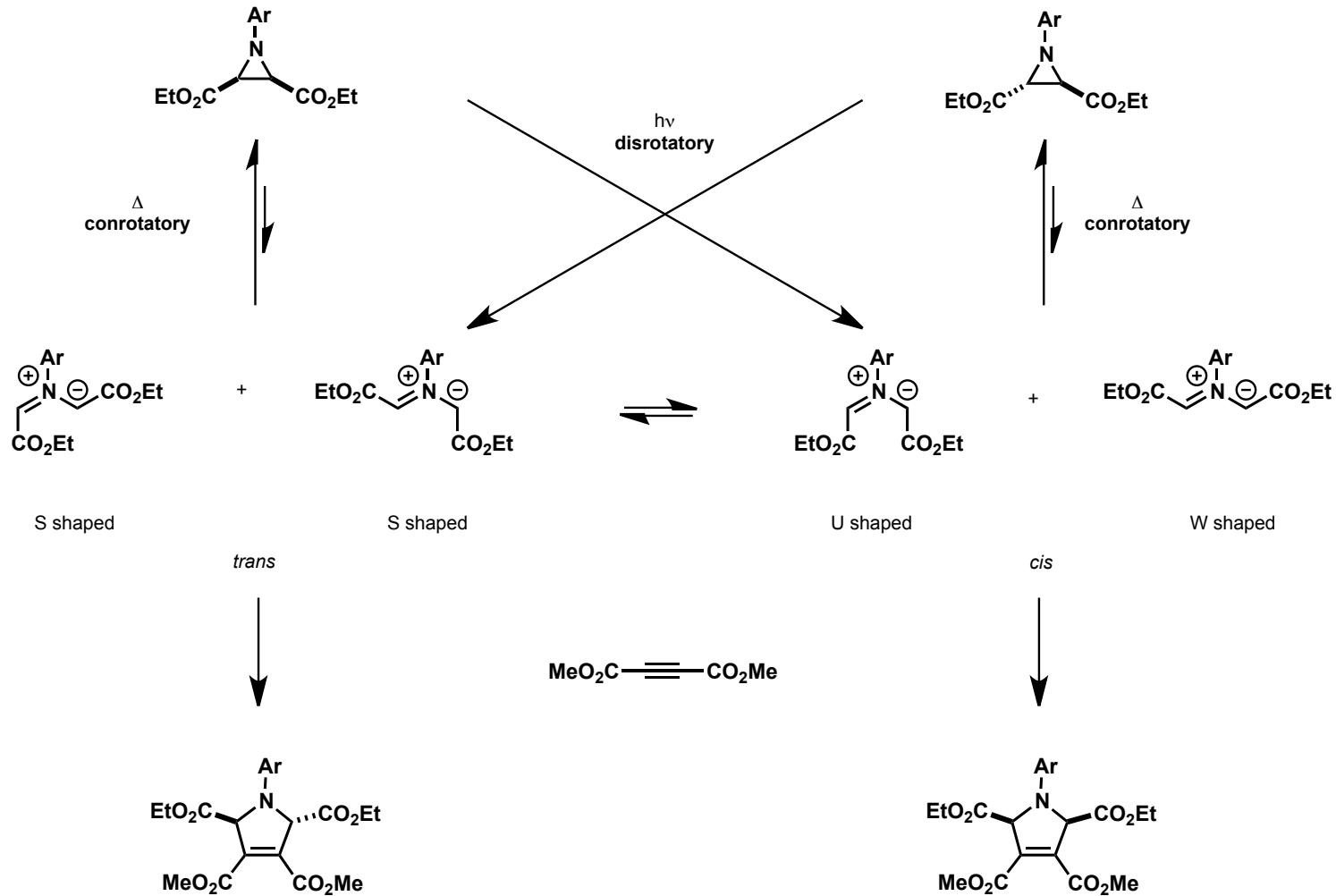
Azomethine ylides



Preparation of azomethine ylides



Stereochemistry with azomethinylides

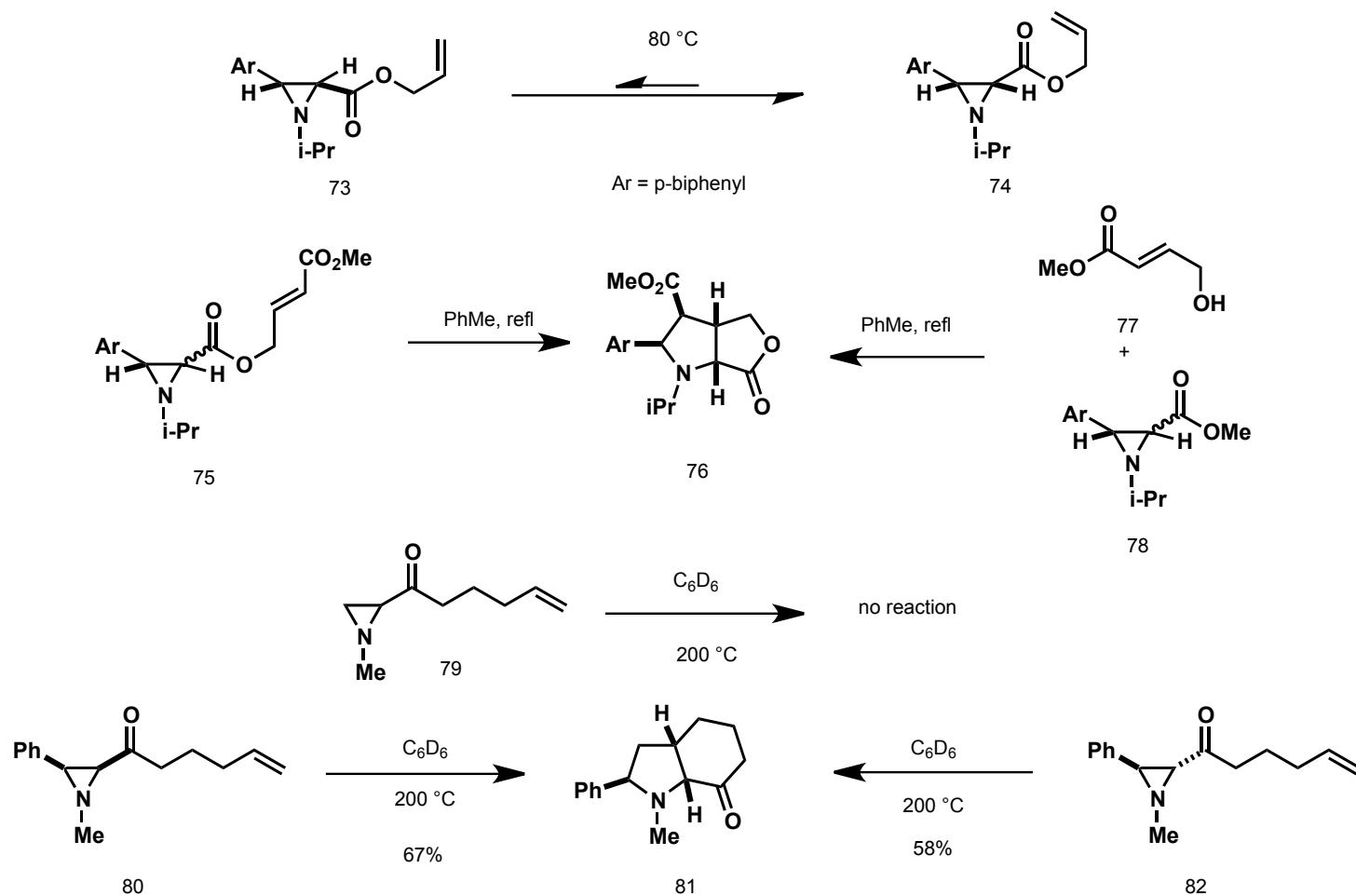


Huisgen, R.; Scheer, W.; Huber, H. *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **1967**, *89*, 1753 - 1755

Huisgen, R.; Scheer, W.; Szeimies, G.; Huber, H. *Tetrahedron Lett.* **1966**, *4*, 397 - 404

Woodward, R.B.; Hoffmann, R. *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **1965**, *87*, 395 - 397

HOMO – LUMO interaction for azomethine ylides

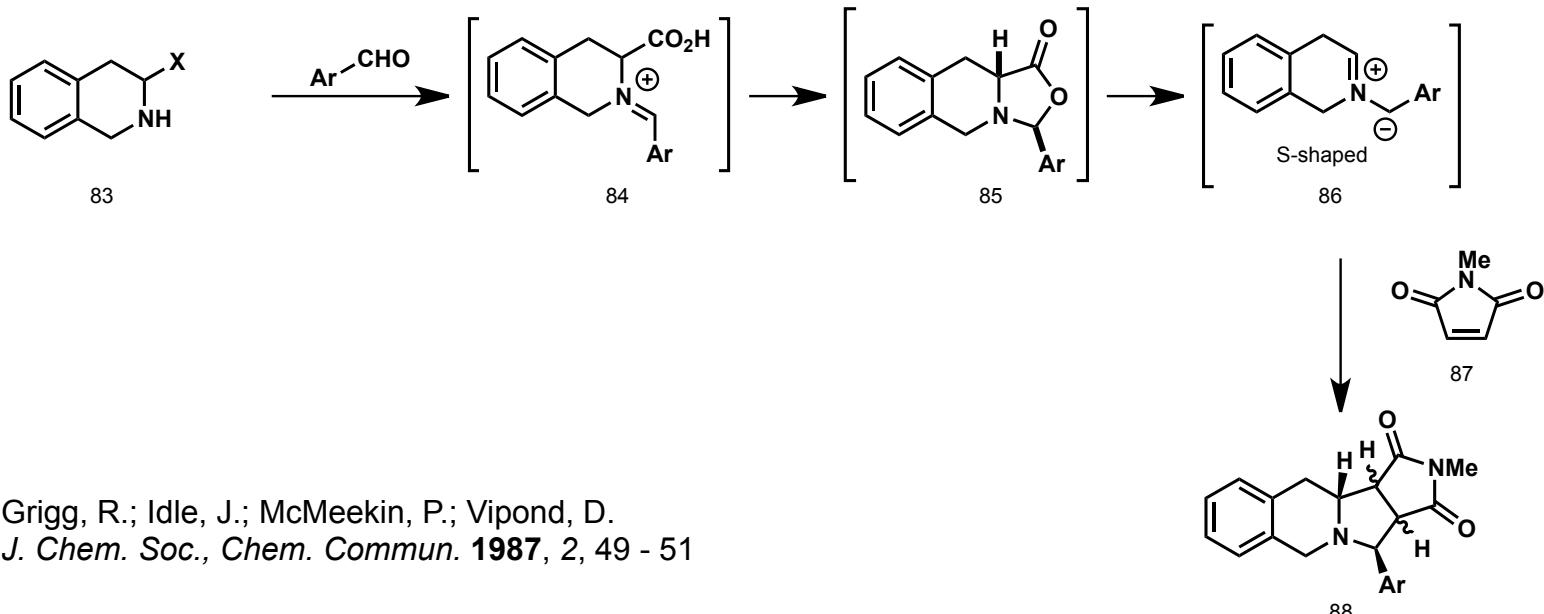


Padwa, A.; Ku, H. *J. Org. Chem.* **1979**, *44*, 255 – 261

Wenkert, D.; Ferguson, S.B.; Porter, B.; Qvarnstrom, A. *J. Org. Chem.* **1985**, *50*, 4114 - 4119

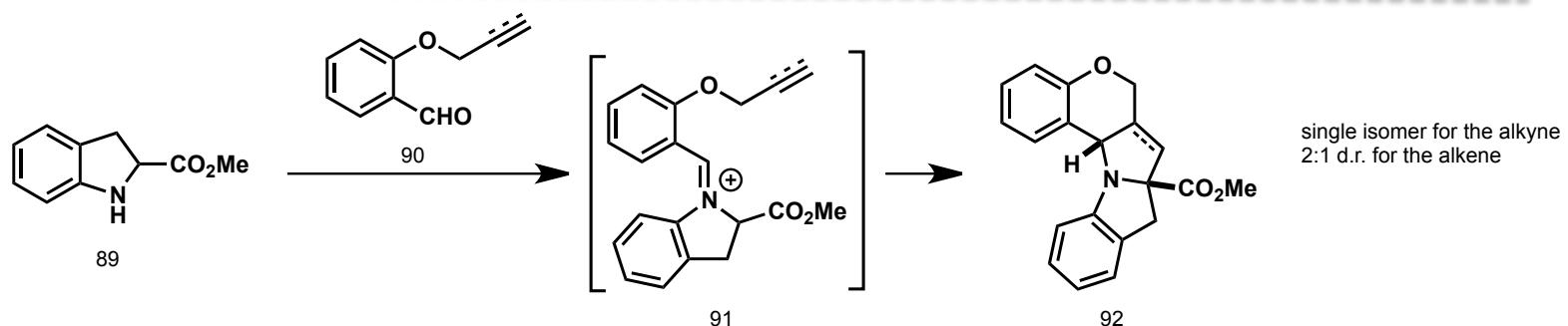
Stereochemistry with azomethinylides

when generating ylides from aldehydes, the S shaped ylid is formed predominantly



Grigg, R.; Idle, J.; McMeekin, P.; Vipond, D.
J. Chem. Soc., Chem. Commun. **1987**, 2, 49 - 51

Endo/Exo selectivity varies
selectivities generally > 10

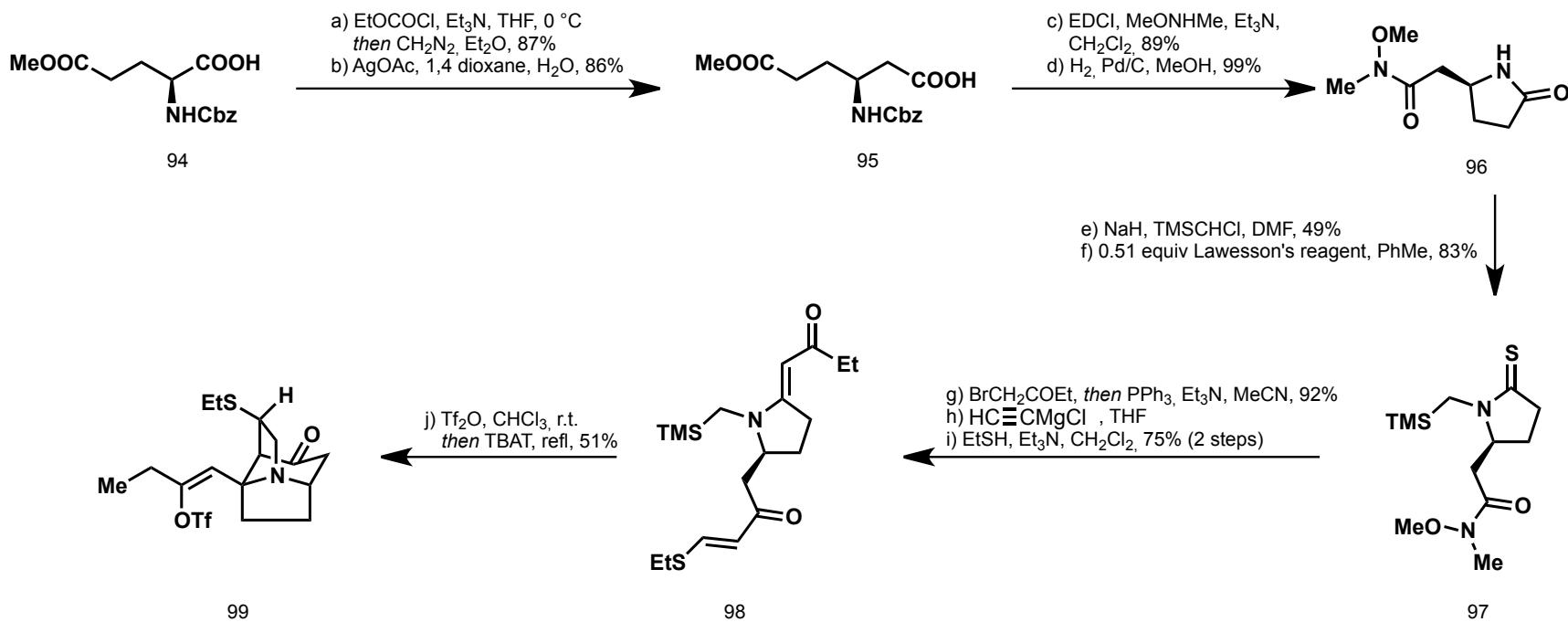
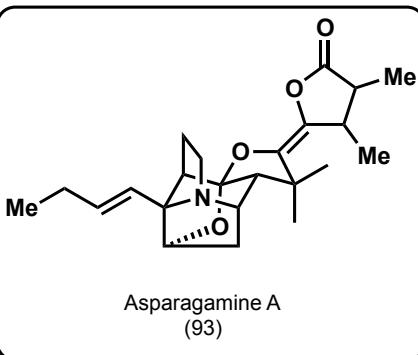


Grigg, R.; Duffy, L.M.; Dorrity, M.J.; Malone, J.F.; Rjaviroongit, S.; Thornton-Prett, M. *Tetrahedron* **1990**, 46, 2213-2230

Azomethine ylides in total synthesis

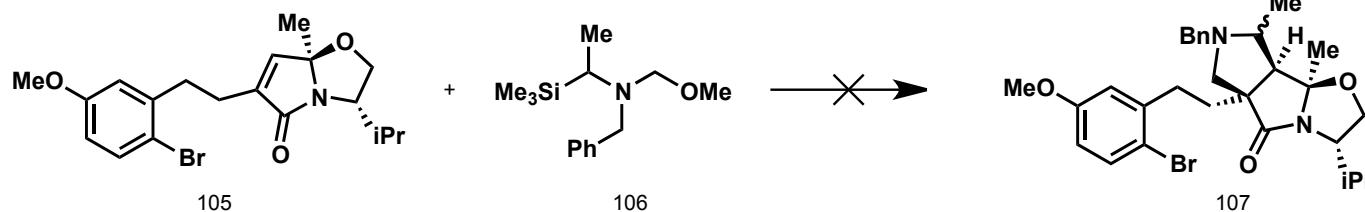
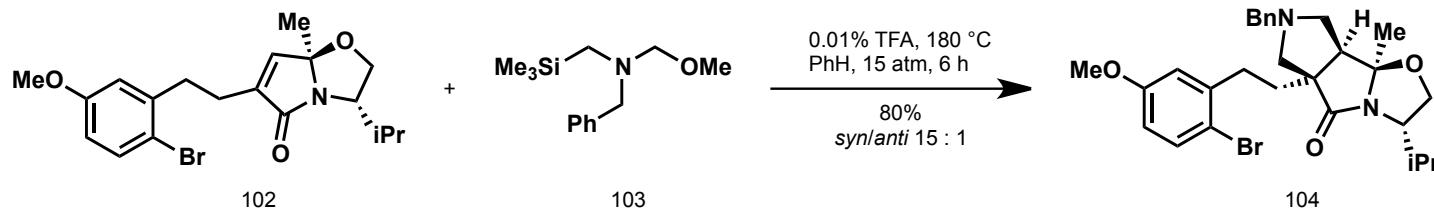
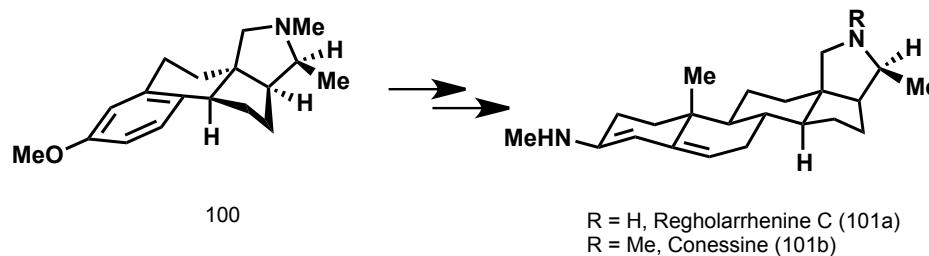
Epperson, M. T.; Gin, D.Y.

Angew. Chem. Int. Ed., **2002**, *41*, 1778 - 1780



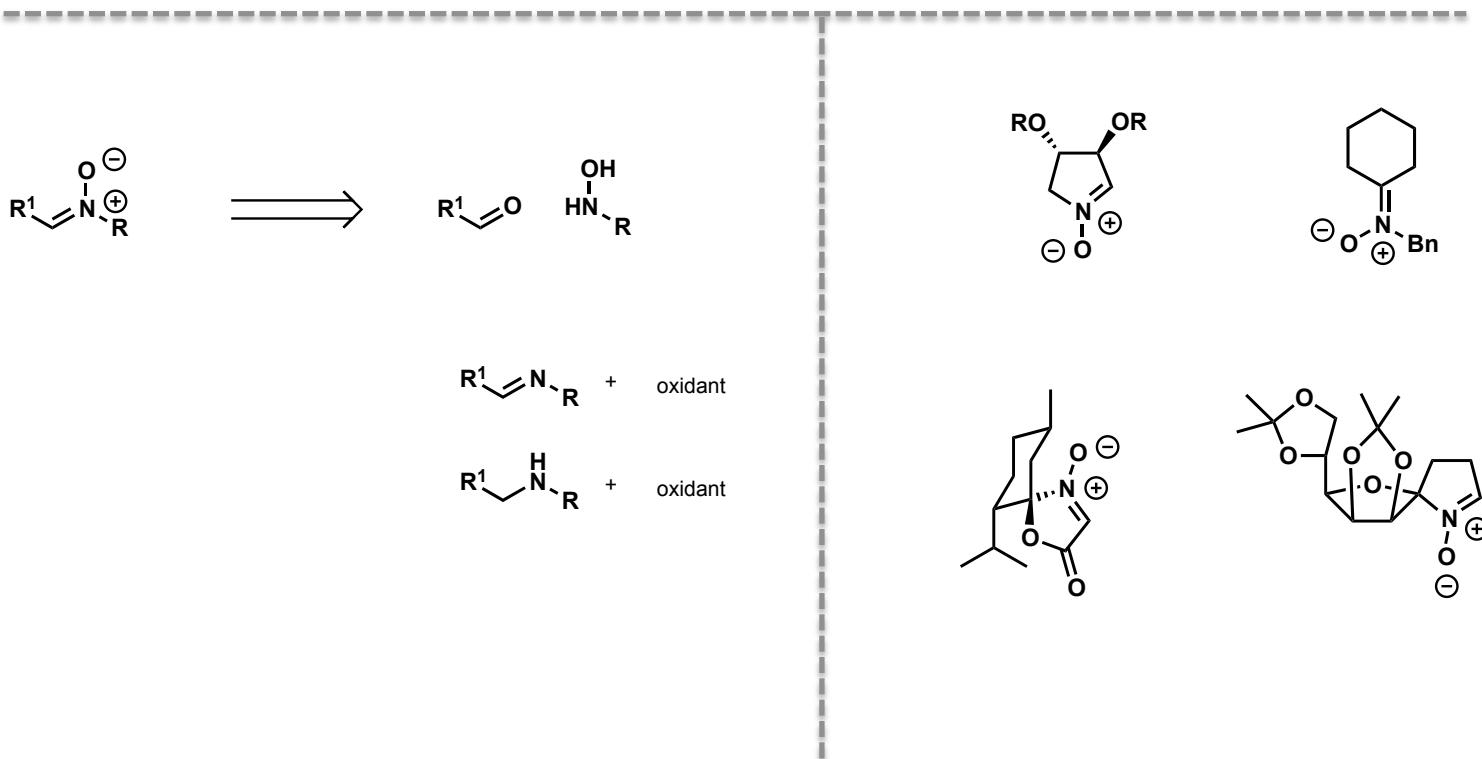
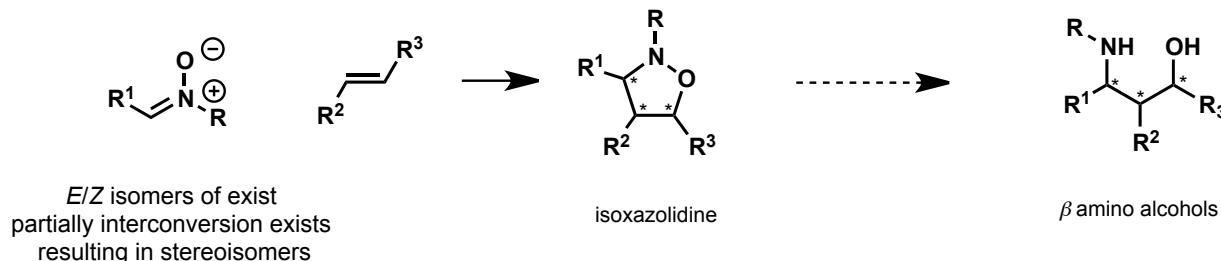
Azomethine ylides in total synthesis

Kopach, M.E.; Fray, A.H.; Meyers, A.I. *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **1996**, *118*, 9876 - 9883

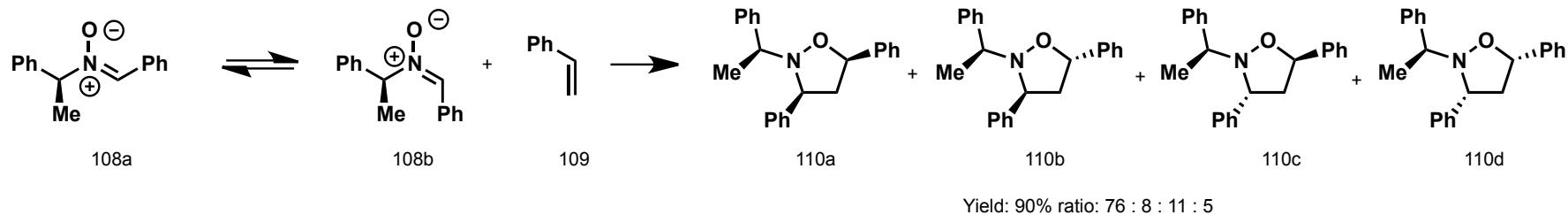


Nitrones

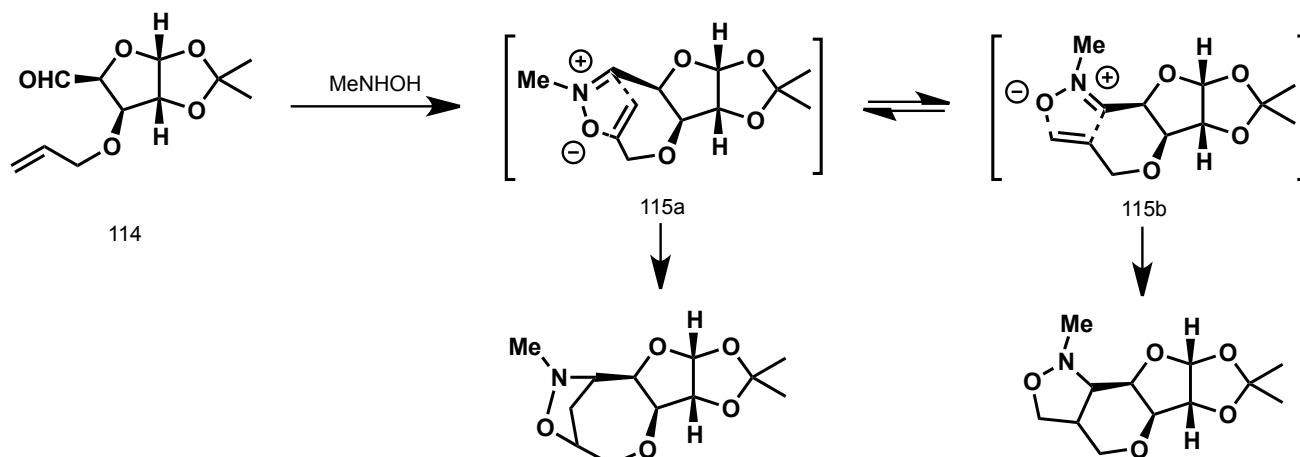
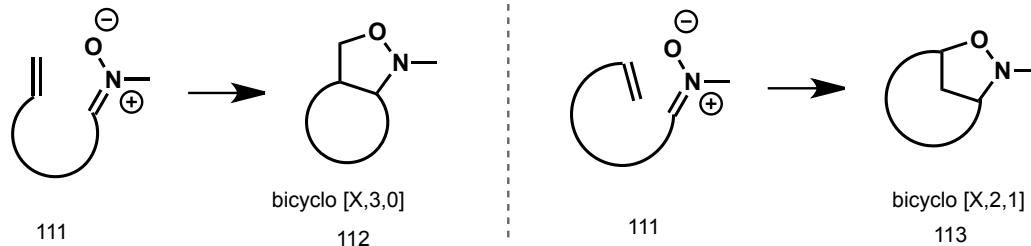
The basic reaction



Nitrones in DA: selectivity



Belzecki, C.; Panfil, I. *J. Chem. Soc., Chem. Commun.* **1977**, 9, 303 - 304



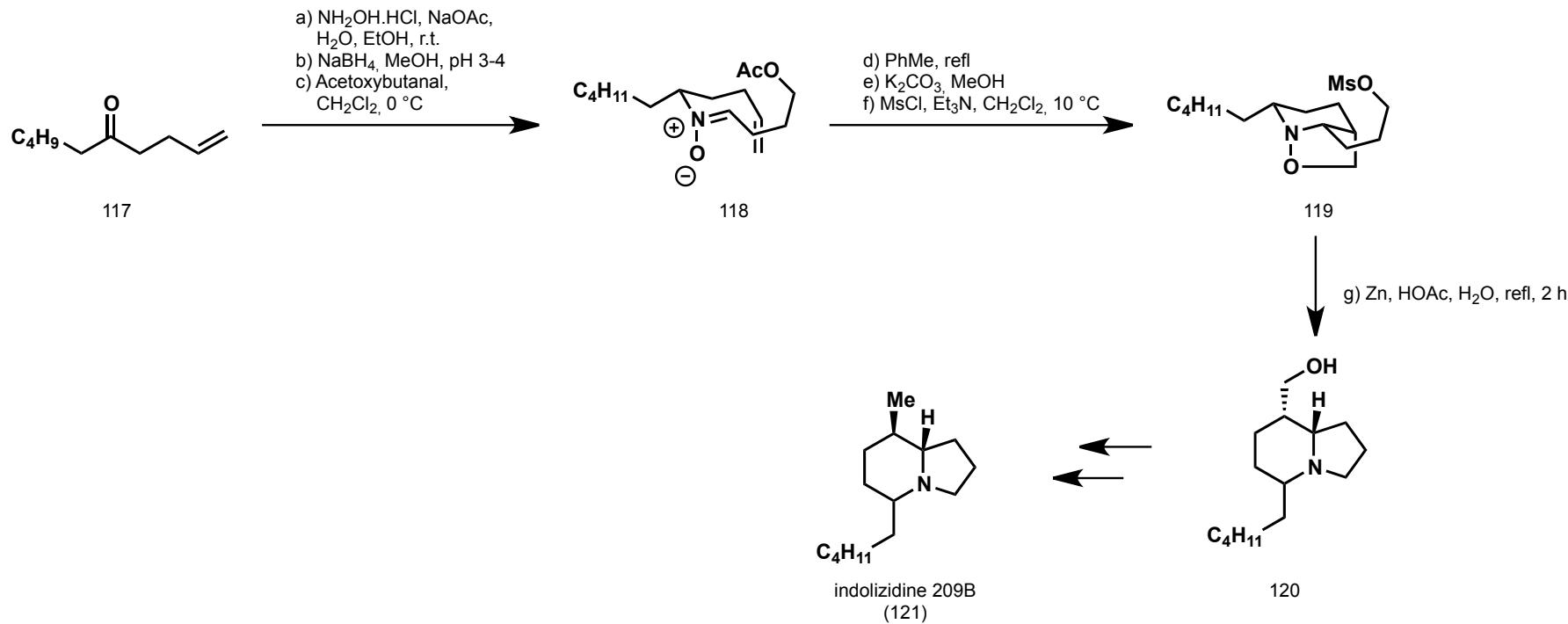
Shing, T.K.M.; Fung, W.-C.; Wong, C.-H.
J. Chem. Soc., Chem. Commun. **1994**, 4, 449 - 450

116
76%

117
6%

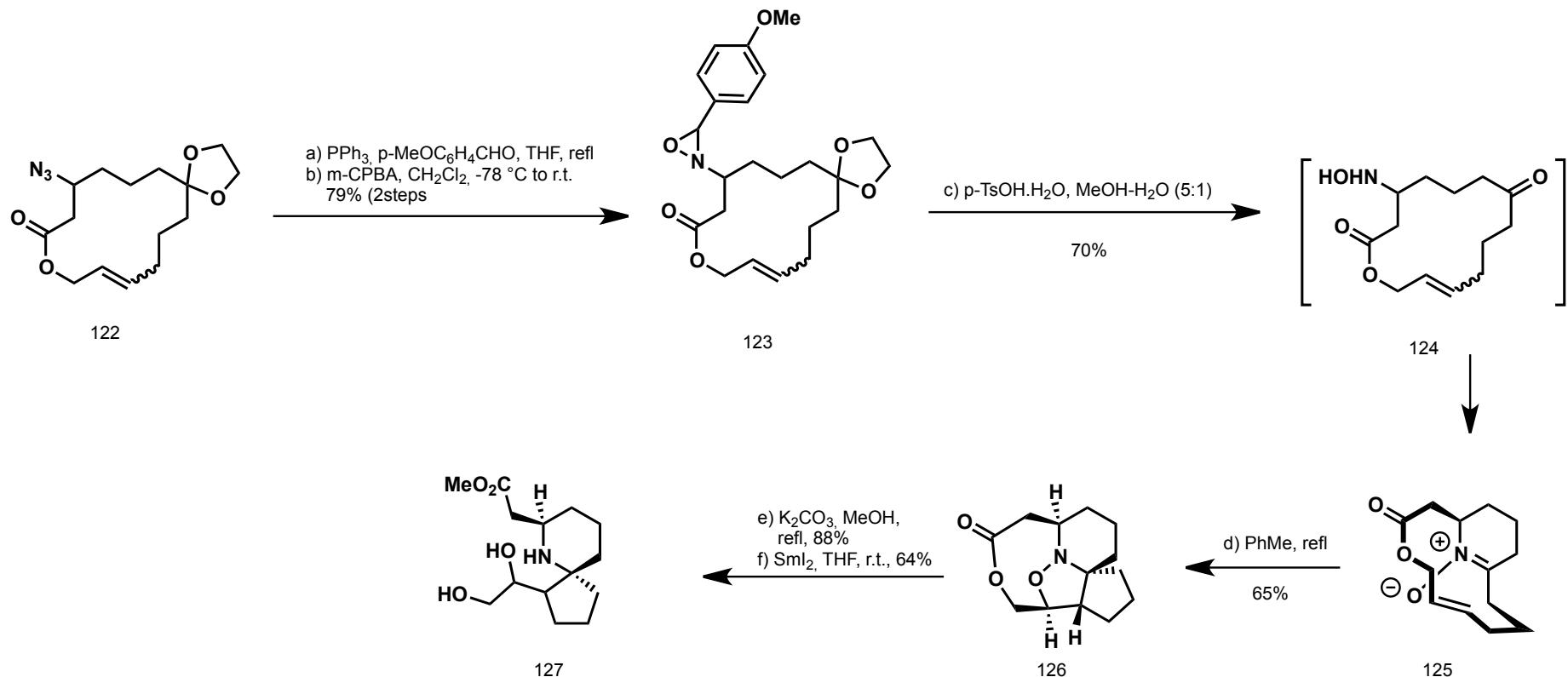
Nitrones in total synthesis

Smith, A.L.; Williams, S.F.; Holmes, A.B. *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **1988**, *110*, 8696 - 8698



Nitrones in total synthesis

White, J.D.; Blakemore, P.R.; Korf, E.A.; Yokochi, A.F.T. *Org. Lett.* **2001**, 3, 415 - 415



"A stereocontrolled entry to the spirocyclic Core of Pinnaic Acid"

Summary

- Dipolar Cycloadditions as a means for C-C bond formation
- Controlled formation of stereocenters
- Intramolecular approaches helps with selectivity
- A lot of existing literature
- some reviews:

Gothelf, K.V.; Jorgensen, K.A. *Chem. Rev.* **1988**, *98*, 863 – 909

Coldham, I.; Hufton, R. C *Chem. Rev.* **2005**, *105*, 2765 – 2809

Synthetic Applications of 1,3-Dipolar Cycloaddition Chemistry. Towards Heterocycles and Natural Products (Series: Chemistry of Heterocyclic Compounds, Vol. 59.) Padwa, A. Pearson, W. H., 2003, John Wiley & Sons, inc.