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Total Syntheses of Amphidinolide H and G

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General. NMR spectra were recorded with a Bruker DPX 300, AV 400, or DMX 600 spectrometer in the solvents indicated; chemical shifts (δ) are given in ppm relative to TMS, coupling constants (*J*) in Hertz. The solvent signals were used as references and the chemical shifts converted to the TMS scale (CDCl₃: $\delta_C = 77.0$ ppm; residual CHCl₃ in CDCl₃: $\delta_H = 7.24$ ppm; CD₂Cl₂: $\delta_C = 53.8$ ppm; residual CH₂Cl₂ in CD₂Cl₂: $\delta_H = 5.32$ ppm). *Where indicated, the signal assignments are unambiguous*; the numbering scheme is arbitrary and is shown in the inserts. The assignments are based upon 1D and 2D spectra recorded using the following pulse sequences from the Bruker standard pulse program library: DEPT; COSY (*cosygs* and *cosydqtp*); HSQC (*invietgssi*) optimized for ¹*J*(C,H) = 145 Hz; HMBC (*inv4gslplrnd*) for correlations via ⁿ*J*(C,H); HSQC-TOCSY (*invietgsml*) using an MLEV17 mixing time of 120 ms. IR: Nicolet FT-7199 spectrometer, wavenumbers ($\tilde{\nu}$) in cm⁻¹. MS (EI): Finnigan MAT 8200 (70 eV), ESI-MS: Finnigan MAT 95, accurate mass determination: Bruker APEX III FT-MS (7 T magnet).

Negishi carboalumination: Preparation of vinyl iodide 25. A solution of AlMe₃ (2.0 M in



heptane, 21.2 mL, 42.4 mmol) was added to a suspension of Cp_2ZrCl_2 (4.64 g, 15.9 mmol) in 1,2-dichloroethane (70 mL). After stirring for 0.5 h, a solution of alkyne **24** (3.56 g, 10.57 mmol) in 1,2-dichloroethane (15 mL) was added dropwise. The resulting yellow solution was stirred for 24 h at ambient temperature before

the mixture was cooled to -20° C and a solution of iodine (16.10 g, 63.5 mmol) in THF (60 mL) was slowly added. After stirring for 20 min at -20° C and 30 min at 0°C, the reaction was carefully quenched with water (10 mL). A sat. aq. Na₂SO₃ solution was then added and the layers were separated. The aqueous phase was extracted twice with CH₂Cl₂ (40 mL each), the combined organic extracts were washed with brine, dried over MgSO₄ and evaporated. Purification of the residue by flash chromatography (hexanes:*tert*-butyl methyl ether, 30:1) afforded vinyl iodide **25** as a colorless oil (5.06 g, 94%). [α]_D²⁰ = +12.8 (c = 0.71, CHCl₃), ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ = 7.67-7.63 (m, 4H), 7.43-7.36 (m, 6H), 5.91 (br s, 1H), 3.59-3.55 (m, 2H), 2.67 (q, J = 9.2 Hz, 1H), 1.69 (d, J = 1.2 Hz, 3H), 1.64-1.52 (m, 2H), 1.04 (s,

9H), 0.99 (d, J = 9.2 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = 151.7$, 135.7, 134.0, 129.7, 127.8, 75.4, 61.8, 39.9, 37.7, 27.0, 20.5, 19.6, 19.3. IR (film): $\tilde{\upsilon} = 3070$, 2959, 2930, 1427, 1104, 699. HRMS (ESI+): m/z: calcd for: C₂₃H₃₁IOSi+Na: 501.1083; found: 501.1081, (M+Na⁺).

Regioselective Epoxide Opening: Diol 8. A solution of DIBAL (1.0 M in hexanes, 123 mL)



was added dropwise to a solution of epoxide 7 (7.6 g, 30.84 mmol) in toluene (25 mL) at -78° C over the course of 1 h. The temperature was then raised to -40° C and stirring continued for 4 h before the reaction was carefully quenched at -60° C with a solution of *t*BuOH in THF (1:1, 25 mL). The resulting mixture was poured into an ice-

cold solution of Rochelle's salt (85g in 250 mL water) and vigorously stirred for 2 h until a clear separation of the phases was reached. The aqueous layer was extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether, the combined organic phases were dried over Na₂SO₄ and evaporated, and the residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes:EtOAc, 1:1) to give product **8** as a colorless oil. $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +3.1$ (c = 0.43, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = 3.79-3.70$ (m, 1H), 3.59-3.51 (m, 2H), 3.44-3.35 (m, 2H), 1.86-1.74 (m, 1H), 1.48-1.32 (m, 2H), 0.89 (s, 9H), 0.88 (d, J = 6.7 Hz, 3H), 0.06 (s, 6H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): 71.1, 69.5, 67.5, 39.4, 34.2, 26.0, 18.4, 18.0, -5.3, -5.4. IR (film): $\tilde{\upsilon} = 3350$, 2929, 2857, 1471, 1251, 1077, 832, 773. HRMS (ESI+): m/z: calcd for: C₁₂H₂₈O₃Si+Na: 271.1699; found: 271.1698 (M+Na⁺).

Methyl ketone 15. MeLi (1.6 M in Et₂O, 10.9 mL, 17.6 mmol) was added to a suspension of



CuI (1.7 g, 8.79 mmol) in Et₂O (7.0 mL) at -20° C. After stirring for 35 min, the resulting colorless solution was cooled to -60° C before a solution of thioester **14** (1.2 g, 1.43 mmol) in Et₂O (5 mL) was slowly added *via* cannula. Once the addition was complete, the mixture was allowed to slowly warm to -20° C over a period of 2 h. The reaction was quenched with sat. aq. NH₄Cl (10 mL) at -10° C, the resulting mixture warmed to ambient temperature and stirred

for 1 h. The aqueous phase was extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether (3 x 10 mL), the combined organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and evaporated, and the crude product purified by flash chromatography, (hexanes:EtOAc, 9:1) to give ketone **15** as a colorless oil (1.0 g, 89%). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +35.5$ (c = 0.5, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = 7.57$ (m, 4H), 7.37-7.27 (m, 6H), 7.16 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.78 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 4.37 (d, J = 11.2 Hz, 1H), 4.26 (d, J = 11.3 Hz, 1H), 3.73 (br.s, 3H), 3.68 (m, 1H), 3.63 (d, J = 7 Hz, 1H), 3.56 (m, 1H), 3.48 (dd, J = 9.8, 4.5 Hz, 1H), 3.30 (dd, J = 9.8, 8.1 Hz, 1H), 2.0 (s, 3H), 1.82 (tdd, J = 11.4, 2.01, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 1.52 (m, 1H), 1.26 (tdd, J = 11.4, 2.5, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 0.97 (s, 9H), 0.81 (s, 9H), 0.79 (d, J = 6.7 Hz, 3H), 0.71 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 9H), 0.33 (q, J = 7.8 Hz, 6H), -0.01 (s, 3H), -0.06 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = 209.6$, 158.9, 135.3, 135.2, 133.2, 129.3, 129.2, 127.2, 113.3, 89.9, 77.5, 72.2, 70.0, 67.8, 54.9, 40.7, 31.0, 26.5, 26.0, 25.8, 25.4, 18.8, 18.1, 11.8, 6.4, 4.5, -4.1, -4.9. IR (film): $\tilde{\nu} = 2954$, 2858, 1715, 1613, 1515, 1462, 1428, 1388, 1249, 1111, 1037, 1066, 832, 777, 739, 702 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI+): *m/z*: calcd for: C₄₅H₇₂O₃Si₅+Na: 815.45290; found: 815.45302 (M+Na⁺).

Methyl ketone 17. A solution of pyridinium p-toluenesulfonate (251 mg, 1 mmol) and 15 (1g,



1.26 mmol) in EtOH (3 mL) was stirred for 1 h before the reaction was quenched with a sat. aq. NaHCO₃ (5 mL). A standard extractive work up followed by flash chromatography (hexanes:*tert*-butyl methyl ether, 12:1) of the crude product gave the TES-deprotected alcohol as a colorless oil (480 mg, 56%).

DCC (365 mg, 1.77 mmol) was added to a solution of this alcohol (480 mg, 0.70 mmol) and DMAP (72 mg,

0.59 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (3 mL) at 0°C. The mixture was stirred for 30 min before acid 16 (393 mg, 2.8 mmol) was introduced and stirring continued for 12 h. For work up, all volatile materials were evaporated, the product adsorbed on silica and purified by flash chromatography (hexanes: tert-butyl methyl ether, 12:1) to give product 17 as a colorless oil (405 mg, 75%). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +11.5$ (c = 0.5, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = 7.63$ (m, 4H), 7.43-7.32 (m, 6H), 7.20 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.82 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.75 (td, J = 6.9, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 5.82 (ddt, J = 17.3, 10.4, 6.6 Hz, 1H), 5.10 (m, 1H), 5.03 (ddt, J = 17.1, 1.8, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 4.98 (ddt, J = 10.4, 1.4, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 4.38 (d, J = 11.6 Hz, 1H), 3.78 (br.s, 5H), 3.72 (d, J = 5.7 Hz, 1H), 3.66 (d, J = 4.8 Hz, 2H), 2.25 (td, J = 7.2, 6.9 Hz, 2H), 2.18 (td, J = 6.8)6.61 Hz, 2H), 2.09 (s, 3H), 1.94 (3d, J = 14.2, 9.8, 4.2 Hz, 1H), 1.82 (s(d), J = 1.0 Hz, 3H), 1.59 (m, 2H), 1.01 (s, 9H), 0.87 (s, 9H), 0.86 (d, J = 6.7 Hz, 3H), 0.02 (s, 3H), -0.03 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = 210.1$; 167.3, 159.0, 141.9, 137.2, 135.2, 133.0, 129.3, 129.0, 127.8, 127.3, 114.9, 113.4, 87.6, 76.6, 72.1, 71.8, 65.4, 54.9, 34.5, 32.5, 32.1, 27.8, 26.8, 26.3, 25.6, 18.83, 18.0, 13.4, 12.1, -4.5, -5.0. IR (film): $\tilde{\upsilon} = 3072, 2955, 2930, 2857,$ 1710, 1648, 1613, 1514, 1471, 1462, 1462, 1388, 1249, 1111, 1035, 913, 834, 740 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI+): *m/z*: calcd for: C₄₇H₆₈O₇Si₂+Na: 823.4396; found: 823.4398 (M+Na⁺).

Aldol adduct 42. A solution of LDA (1 M in THF, 0.19 mL, 0.16 mmol) was added to a



solution of methyl ketone **17** (100 mg, 0.13 mmol) in THF (0.5 mL) at -78° C. After stirring for 2 h, a pre-cooled solution of vinyl aldehyde **26** (40 mg, 0.17 mmol) was added via cannula at -78° C. Stirring was continued for 45 min at this temperature before the reaction was quenched with aq. buffer (pH = 7, 10 mL). The mixture was extracted with EtOAc (3 x 5 mL), the combined organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and

evaporated. Purification of the residue by flash chromatography (hexanes:*tert*-butyl methyl ether, 4:1) gave aldol **42** as a colorless oil (90 mg, 70%, dr > 10:1). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +5$ (c = 0.2, CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, C₆D₆): $\delta = 7.78$ (m, 4H, H26d), 7.26 (m, 6H, H26e, H26f), 7.18 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 2H, H21c), 6.98 (tq, J = 7.3, 1.4 Hz, 1H, H3), 6.75 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 2H, H21d), 5.86 (s(q), J = 0.8, 1H, H14), 5.69 (ddt, J = 17.0, 10.4, 6.3 Hz, 1H, H6), 5.43 (m, 1H, H25), 4.98 (ddt, J = 17.7, 1.7, 1.6 Hz, 1H, H7_Z), 4.95 (ddt, J = 10.2, 1.8, 1.2 Hz, 1H, H7_E), 4.29 (d, J = 11.2 Hz, 1H, H21a), 4.24 (d, J = 11.2 Hz, 1H, H21a'), 4.08 (m, 1H, H18), 4.01 (dd, J = 6.1, 3.2 Hz, 1H, H22), 3.82 (dd, J = 10.8, 4.2 Hz, 1H, H26a), 3.82 (d, J = 6.1 Hz, 1H, H21), 3.79

(dd, J = 10.8, 5.5 Hz, 1H, H26b), 3.26 (s, 3H, H21f), 2.86 (d, J = 3.3 Hz, 1H, OH), 2.71 (dd, J)= 18.2, 9.2 Hz, 1H, H19a), 2.61 (ddq, J = 9.2, 6.8, 5.5 Hz, 1H, H16), 2.51 (dd, J = 18.2, 2.4 Hz, 1H, H19b), 2.14 (3d, J = 14.2, 9.8, 4.2 Hz, 1H, H24a), 2.06 (m, 2H, H4), 2.01 (m, 2H, H5), 1.90 (s, 3H, H27), 1.86 (m, 1H, H23), 1.68 (s(d), J = 1.0 Hz, 3H, H30), 1.68 (3d, J =14.2, 9.3, 3.4 Hz, 1H, H24b) 1.52 (3d, *J* = 13.7, 9.5, 5.5 Hz, 1H, H17a), 1.16 (s, 9H, H26b), 1.11 (3d, J = 13.6, 9.2, 3.6 Hz, 1H, H17b), 1.06 (d, J = 6.7 Hz, 3H, H32), 0.99 (s, 9H, H22b), 0.90 (d, J = 6.8 Hz, 3H, H31), 0.12 (s, 3H, H22c), 0.15 (s, 3H, H22d);¹³C NMR (100 MHz, C_6D_6): $\delta = 212.8$ (s, C20), 167.6 (s, C1), 160.1 (s, C21e), 152.7 (s, C15), 141.6 (d, C3), 137.7 (d, C6), 136.0 (d, C26d), 135.9 (d, C26e), 133.8 (2s, C26c), 130.0 (d, C21d), 129.6 (s, C21b), 128.7 (s, C2), 115.4 (t, C7), 114.2 (d, C21d), 88.0 (d, 21), 77.0 (d, C22), 75.6 (d, C14), 73.0 (t, C21a), 72.9 (d, C25), 66.4 (t, C26), 65.2 (d, C18), 54.8 (q, C21f), 47.2 (t, C19), 42.2 (t, C17), 39.5 (d, C16), 35.4 (t, C24), 33.8 (d, C23), 32.8 (t, C5), 28.4 (t, C4), 27.0 (q, C26b), 26.4 (q, C22b), 21.3 (q, C30), 19.5 (s, C26a), 18.6 (s, C22a), 18.5 (q, C31), 14.6 (q, C32), 12.8 (q, C27), -3.7 (q, C22c), -4.3 (q, C22d); IR (film) $\tilde{\upsilon}$ = 3480, 2930, 2857, 1708, 1613, 1514, 1462, 1428, 1388, 1250, 1115,1036, 834, 777, 741, 702 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI+): *m/z*: calcd for: C₅₄H₇₉O₈Si₂I+Na: 1061.42504; found: 1061.42498 (M+Na⁺).

Compound 43. A precooled solution of TBSOTf (39.6 mg, 34.5 µL, 0.15 mmol) and 2,6-



lutidine (27.8 mg, 31 μ L, 0.26 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (0.5 mL) was added to a solution of **42** (130 mg, 0.13 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (0.8 mL) at 0°C and the resulting mixture was slowly warmed to ambient temperature. After stirring for 1 h, the reaction was quenched with sat. aq. NH₄Cl (5 mL), the mixture extracted with CH₂Cl₂ (3 x 10 mL), and the combined organic phases were dried over Na₂SO₄ and evaporated.

Purification of the residue by flash chromatography (hexanes:*tert*-butyl methyl ether, 11:1) gave product **43** as a light yellow oil (112 mg, 79%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, C₆D₆): δ = 7.78 (m, 4H), 7.31 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.24 (m, 6H), 6.99 (tq, *J* = 7.1, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 6.78 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 6.06 (s, 1H), 5.71 (ddt, *J* = 17.0, 10.7, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 5.43 (m, 1H), 4.97 (m, 2H), 4.55 (d, *J* = 11.1 Hz, 1H), 4.39 (m, 1H), 4.29 (d, *J* = 10.9 Hz, 1H), 4.04 (dd, *J* = 10.8, 3.3 Hz, 1H), 3.89 (d, *J* = 5.8 Hz, 1H), 3.81 (dd, *J* = 10.8, 5.5 Hz, 1H), 3.27 (s, 3H), 3.26 (m, 1H), 3.25 (m, 1H), 2.59 (dd, *J*=18.2, 7.7 Hz, 1H), 2.54 (ddq, *J* = 9.8, 6.7, 5.5 Hz, 1H), 2.15 (m, 1H), 2.09 (m, 2H), 2.01 (m, 2H), 1.92 (s(d), *J* = 1.3 Hz, 3H), 1.76 (s(d), *J* = 1.01 Hz, 3H), 1.74 (m, 1H), 1.68-1.65 (m, 2H), 1.17 (s, 9H), 1.08 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H), 1.0 (s, 9H), 0.99 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H), 0.93 (s, 9H), 0.15 (s, 3H), 0.12 (s, 3H), 0.11 (s, 3H), 0.05 (s, 3H); IR (film) $\tilde{\upsilon}$ = 2926, 2855, 1713, 1613, 1515, 1462, 1462, 1428, 1361, 1250, 1112, 1084, 1039, 1005, 914, 834, 775, 701 cm⁻¹.

Compound 44. DDQ (66 mg, 0.29 mmol) was added to a solution of **43** (110 mg, 97 μ mol) in CH₂Cl₂ (2 mL). After stirring for 2 h, the reaction was quenched with sat. aq. NaHCO₃ (5 mL) / ice, the aqueous phase was extracted with CH₂Cl₂ (3 x 10 mL), and the combined organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and evaporated. Purification of the residue by flash chromatography (hexanes:*tert*-butyl methyl ether, 9:1) gave the corresponding alcohol as a colorless oil (61 mg, 62%).

DMAP (13 mg, 0.10 mmol), imidazole (21.8 mg, 0.32 mmol) and TESCl (48.2 mg, 53 $\mu L,$



0.32 mmol) were added to a solution of this alcohol (100 mg, 96.8 μ mol) in DMF (4 mL) and the resulting mixture was stirred at 45°C for 3 d. The reaction was quenched with sat. aq. NH₄Cl (20 mL), the aqueous phase extracted with EtOAc (4 x 10 mL), the combined organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and evaporated, and the residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes:*tert*-butyl methyl ether,

20:1) to give product **44** as a colorless oil (86 mg, 79%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, C₆D₆): δ = 7.81 (m, 4H), 7.26 (m, 6H), 7.01 (tq, *J* = 7.1, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 6.01 (s, 1H), 5.71 (ddt, *J* = 16.7, 10.8, 6.6 Hz, 1H), 5.50 (m, 1H), 4.97 (m, 2H), 4.36 (m, 1H), 4.30 (d, *J* = 4.6 Hz, 1H), 3.89 (m, 3H), 3.09 (dd, *J* = 18.4, 4.5 Hz, 1H), 2.74 (dd, *J* = 18.4, 7.6 Hz, 1H), 2.64 (m, 1H), 2.12-2.06 (m, 5H), 1.94 (s, 3H), 1.76 (s(d), *J* = 1.0 Hz, 3H), 1.67 (m, 1H), 1.57 (m, 2H), 1.19 (s, 9H), 1.0 (s, 9H), 0.99 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H), 0.97 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H), 0.93 (s, 9H), 0.89 (t, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 9H), 0.56 (q, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 6H), 0.19 (s, 3H), 0.15 (s, 3H), 0.14 (s, 3H), 0.09 (s, 3H).

Stille Coupling: Compound 45. A degassed solution of stannane 34 (51 mg, 113 μ mol) and



vinyl iodide **44** (65 mg, 57 μ mol) in DMF (0.6 mL) was added to a Schlenk tube containing flame-dried [Ph₂PO₂⁻][NBu₄⁺] (105 mg, 230 μ mol). Copperthiophene carboxylate complex (CuTC, 33 mg, 170 μ mol) was then introduced followed by Pd(PPh₃)₄ (46 mg, 40 μ mol). The resulting mixture was stirred for 30 min before the reaction was quenched with water (1 mL). The aqueous phase was extracted with Et₂O (2 x 2 mL), the combined organic layers were

dried over Na₂SO₄ and evaporated, and the residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes:*tert*-butyl methyl ether, 4:1) to afford product **45** as a pale yellow oil (58.6 mg, 89%). $[\alpha]_{D}^{20} = +12.3 \ (c = 0.4, \text{ CHCl}_{3}); ^{1}\text{H NMR} \ (400 \text{ MHz}, \text{C}_{6}\text{D}_{6}): \delta = 7.81 \ (\text{tt}, J = 1.8, 6.6 \text{ Hz}, 4\text{H}),$ 7.26 (m, 6H), 7.01 (tq, J = 7.4, 1.1 Hz, 1H), 5.78 (s, 1H), 5.70 (ddt, J = 16.9, 10.3, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 5.53 (m, 1H), 5.02 (ddt, J = 17.7, 1.7, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 4.98 (ddt, J = 11.0, 1.8, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 4.96 (s, 1H), 4.94 (s, 1H), 4.42 (m, 1H), 4.34 (d, J = 4.6 Hz, 1H), 3.96 (dd, J = 4.5, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 3.89 (dd, J = 10.7, 5.5 Hz, 2H), 3.51 (ddd, J = 12.1, 5.4, 2.9 Hz, 1H), 3.34 (ddd, J = 12.3, 1H)6.8, 4.7 Hz, 1H), 3.15 (dd, J = 17.7, 5.2 Hz, 1H), 2.85 (dd, J = 18.2, 7.2 Hz, 1H), 2.81 (ddd, J = 7.2, 6.4, 2.1 Hz, 1H), 2.58 (ddd, J = 7.2, 6.7, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 2.52 (dq, J = 13.8, 6.7 Hz, 1H), 2.16 (m, 1H), 2.14 (m, 1H), 2.08 (m, 3H), 2.04 (m, 2H), 1.94 (s(d), J = 0.9 Hz, 3H), 1.94 (m, 1H), 1.84 (s(d), J = 1.3 Hz, 3H), 1.81 (m, 1H), 1.78 (m, 1H), 1.71 (m, 1H), 1.55 (m, 1H), 1.36 (ddd, J = 13.2, 8.4, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 1.18 (s, 9H), 1.10 (m, 1H), 1.08 (d, J = 6.7 Hz, 3H), 1.06 (d, J = 6.7 Hz, 3Hz), 1.06 (d, J = 6.7 Hz, 3Hz), 1.06 (d, J = 6.7 Hz, 3Hz), 1.06 (d, J = 6.7 Hz), 1.J = 6.8 Hz, 3H), 1.03 (s, 9H), 1.02 (s, 9H), 0.89 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 9H), 0.86 (d, J = 6.7 Hz, 3H), $0.7 (q, J = 7.8 Hz, 6H), 0.45 (s, 3H), 0.20 (s, 3H), 0.17 (s, 3H), 0.16 (s, 3H); {}^{13}C NMR (100)$ MHz, C_6D_6): $\delta = 208.1$, 167.5, 144.8, 143.2, 141.4, 137.8, 136.0, 135.9, 133.8, 129.9, 125.6, 115.3, 114.9, 81.8, 78.6, 72.5, 66.9, 66.3, 62.0, 58.8, 54.3, 48.7, 46.3, 39.8, 39.0, 35.8, 32.9, 32.4, 30.2, 30.0, 29.6, 28.4, 28.3, 28.2, 28.1, 26.0, 26.6, 26.3, 22.7, 19.7, 19.5, 19.4, 18.5, 18.4, 18.3, 18.2, 17.3, 16.3, 16.2, 16.1, 15.6, 15.0, 13.9, 13.7, 12.9, 10.0, 7.2, 5.4, -3.8, -4.1, -4.3, -4.5; IR (film) $\tilde{\nu} = 3390$, 2927, 2876, 1711, 1608, 1514, 1462, 1425, 1390, 1252, 11125, 834, 702, 691 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI+): *m/z*: calcd for: C₆₇H₁₁₄O₉Si₄+Na: 1197.74376; found: 1197.74369 (M+Na⁺).

Vinyl expoxide 46. A mixture containing compound 45 (45 mg, 38 µmol) and NaHCO₃ (32



mg, 380 μ mol) in CH₂Cl₂ (0.5 mL) was stirred for 0.5 h before Dess-Martin periodinane (21 mg, 49 μ mol) was introduced. Stirring was continued for 1.5 h at 0°C before the solvent was removed under reduced pressure and the residue was suspended in pentane (3 mL). The precipitates were filtered off through a pad of Florisil which was carefully rinsed with Et₂O (5 x 5 mL). Evaporation of the

combined filtrates gave the corresponding epoxy-aldehyde as a pale yellow oil, which was immediately used in the next step.

A solution of NaHMDS in THF (1 M, 95 µL, 0.40 mmol) was added dropwise to a suspension of (methyl) triphenylphosphonium bromide (53 mg, 95 µmol) in THF (0.5 mL) at 0°C. The resulting yellow suspension was stirred for 45 min at this temperature before a solution of the crude aldehyde prepared above in THF (0.2 mL) was slowly added. After stirring for 1 h, the reaction was guenched with sat. aq. NH₄Cl, the aqueous phase was extracted with EtOAc (2 x 3 mL), the combined organic extracts were dried over Na₂SO₄ and evaporated, and the residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes: tert-butyl methyl ether, 15:1) to afford product 46 as a colorless oil (28 mg, 65% over 2 steps). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, C₆D₆): δ = 7.67 (m, 4H), 7.13 (m, 6H), 6.89 (tq, J = 7.4, 1.1 Hz, 1H), 5.65 (s, 1H), 5.57 (ddt, J = 16.9, 10.3, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 5.39 (m, 3H), 5.15 (3d, J = 17.5, 1.7, 0.5 Hz, 1H), 4.86 (m, 4H), 4.30 (m, 1H), 4.21 (d, J = 6.3 Hz, 1H), 3.82 (dd, J = 4.5, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 3.76 (dd, J = 10.7, 5.5 Hz, 2H), 3.0 (dd, J = 14.4, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 2.76 (dd, J = 13.2, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 2.69 (dd, J = 7.8, 2.2 Hz, 1H), 2.58 (ddd, J = 6.8, 5.7, 2.2 Hz, 1H), 2.39 (m, 1H), 2.16-1.98 (m, 7H), 1.94 (m, 1H), 1.91 (s(d), J = 1.04 Hz)0.9 Hz, 3H), 1.81 (s, 3H), 1.80 (m, 1H), 1.79 (m, 2H), 1.71 (m, 1H), 1.55 (m, 1H), 1.18 (s, 9H), 1.13 (m, 1H), 1.08 (d, J = 6.8 Hz, 3H), 1.06 (d, J = 6.8 Hz, 3H), 1.03 (s, 9H), 1.0 (s, 9H), 0.98 (d, J = 6.7 Hz, 3H), 0.87 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 9H), 0.8 (q, J = 7.8 Hz, 6H), 0.45 (s, 3H), 0.20 (s, 3H), 0.17 (s, 3H), 0.16 (s, 3H).



Compound 47. Ruthenium complex **38** (1.0 mg, 1.6 μ mol) was added to a solution of compound **46** (19 mg, 16 μ mol) in C₆H₆ (20 mL) and the resulting mixture was stirred at 20°C for 2 h. The reaction was quenched with ethyl vinyl ether (20 μ L, 216 μ mol) and stirring was continued 10 min before all volatile materials were evaporated under reduced pressure at 20°C. The crude

product was then adsorbed onto Celite and purified by flash chromatography (hexanes:*tert*-butyl methyl ether, 15:1) to afford **47** as a yellow oil (12 mg, 68%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz,

 C_6D_6): $\delta = 7.80$ (m, 4H), 7.24 (m, 6H), 6.92 (tq, J = 7.2, 1.1 Hz, 1H), 5.68 (s, 1H), 5.77 (m, 1H), 5.51 (m, 1H), 5.17 (dd, J = 16.7, 8.3 Hz, 1H), 5.06 (d, J = 1.6 Hz, 1H), 5.06 (d, J = 1.6 Hz, 1H), 4.92 (d, J = 1.7 Hz, 1H), 4.50 (d, J = 3.1 Hz, 1H), 4.22 (m, 1H), 3.96 (dd, J = 9.8, 4.1 Hz, 1H), 3.88 (m, 3H), 3.0 (m, 2H), 2.92 (dd, J = 16.1, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 2.86 (dd, J = 16.8, 4.6 Hz, 1H), 2.58 (3d, J = 16.8, 6.7, 3.2 Hz, 1H), 2.39 (m, 1H), 2.22 (m, 2H), 2.18 (m, 1H), 1.92 (m, 2H), 1.90 (s, 3H), 1.81 (m, 1H), 1.79 (m, 2H), 1.76 (s, 3H), 1.71 (m, 1H), 1.60 (m, 1H), 1.21 (s, 9H), 1.07 (m, 1H), 1.06 (d, J = 6.8 Hz, 3H), 1.04 (d, J = 6.8 Hz, 3H), 1.01 (s, 9H), 1.0 (s, 3H), 0.10 (s, 3H).

Amphidinolide H. A solution of TASF (16.4 mg, 59.3 µmol) in aq. DMF (0.2 mL + 4 µL H₂O) was added to a solution of compound **47** (12 mg, 9.9 µmol) in THF (2 mL) at 0°C. The mixture was slowly warmed to ambient temperature over a period of 30 min and stirring was continued for 2h. For work up, the mixture was extracted with cold (5°C) buffer solution (pH 7, 3 x 2 mL), the aqueous phases were extracted with EtOAc (2 x 1 mL), the combined organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and evaporated, and the residue was purified by flash chromatography (EtOAc/hexane, 9:1) to afford compound **1** as a white solid (3 mg, 55%). HRMS (ESI+): *m/z*: calcd for: C₃₂H₅₀O₈+Na: 585.33979; found: 585.33996 (M+Na⁺).

A solution of **amphidinolide H** in acidic $CDCl_3$ equilibrates with **amphidinolide G** by transesterification (cf. spectra) as previously reported in the literature.¹ The two isomers can be separated by preparative HPLC.

¹ See the Supporting Information of the following paper: Kobayashi, J. ; Shimbo, K.; Sato, M.; Shiro, M.; Tsuda, M. Org. Lett. **2000**, *2*, 2805-2807.

Table 1. Comparison between reported 13 C NMR data (CDCl₃) and the data recorded for synthetic **1**.



Position	Synthetic 1	Literature data ²
1	168.7	168.7
2	127.9	127.9
3	141.0	141
4	30.9	30.9
5	27.0	26.9
6	135.7	135.7
7	128.6	128.6
8	60.4	60.3
9	59.5	59.5
10	39.8	39.8
11	29.1	29.1
12	47.2	47.1
13	144.2	144.1
14	126.1	126.1
15	141.7	141.7
16	40.8	40.7
17	40.9	40.9
18	67.6	67.5
19	45.2	45.2
20	212.2	212.2
21	77.7	77.7
22	75.4	75.4
23	33.0	33
24	33.4	33.5
25	73.4	73.4
26	66.2	66.1
27	12.6	12.5
28	18.0	18
29	114.7	114.7
30	14.1	13.1
31	20.3	20.3
32	15.6	15.6

² Kobayashi, J.; Shigemori, H.; Ishibashi, M.; Yamasu, T.; Hirota, H.; Sasaki, T. J. Org. Chem. **1991**, 56, 5221-5224.

¹H NMR (CDCl₃) of compound **25.**



 ^{13}C NMR (CDCl₃) of compound **25.**



¹H NMR (CDCl₃) of compound **26.**





¹³C NMR (CDCl₃) of compound **26**.



¹H NMR (CDCl₃) of compound **34.**



¹³C NMR (CDCl₃) of compound **34.**



^{P1}H NMR (C_6D_6) of compound **36**.



¹H NMR (C_6D_6) of compound **36.**



¹H NMR (CDCl₃) of compound **8.**



¹H NMR (CDCl₃) of compound 8.







¹³C NMR (CDCl₃) of compound **10**.



¹H NMR (CDCl₃) of compound **12.**



¹³C NMR (CDCl₃) of compound **12.**



1 H NMR (CDCl₃) of compound **13.**



¹H NMR (CDCl₃) of compound **15**.



^{13}C NMR (CDCl₃) of compound **15.**



¹H NMR (CDCl₃) of compound **17.**



¹³C NMR (CDCl₃) of compound **17.**



¹H NMR (C_6D_6) of compound **37**.



¹H NMR (C_6D_6) of compound **37**.





13 C NMR (C₆D₆) of compound **37**.



¹H NMR (C_6D_6) of compound **39.**



¹H NMR (C_6D_6) of compound **39** (crude)



¹H NMR (C_6D_6) of compound **42**.



¹H NMR (C_6D_6) of compound **42**.





13 C NMR (C₆D₆) of compound **42**.



¹H NMR (C_6D_6) of compound **43**.



¹H NMR (C_6D_6) of compound **44.**



¹H NMR (C_6D_6) of compound **45**.



¹H NMR (C_6D_6) of compound **45**.



 13 C NMR (C₆D₆) of compound **45.**



Comparison of ¹H NMR (CDCl₃) of compound **1**.



 13 C NMR (CDCl₃) of compound **1**.



Comparison of ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃) of compound **1**.



¹H NMR (CDCl₃)-Equilibration between Amphidinolide H and G.



¹H NMR (CDCl₃)- Equilibration between Amphidinolide H and G.



¹H NMR (CDCl₃) spectra of the equilibrium mixture of Amphidinolide H/G and of amphidinolide G (ca. 90%) isolated from this mixture by chromatography.

