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## Total Syntheses of Amphidinolide X and Y

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**General.** All reactions were carried out under Ar. The solvents used were purified by distillation over the drying agents indicated and were transferred under Ar: THF, Et<sub>2</sub>O (Mg-anthracene), CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (P<sub>4</sub>O<sub>10</sub>), MeCN, Et<sub>3</sub>N, pyridine, DMF (CaH<sub>2</sub>), MeOH (Mg), hexane, cyclohexane, toluene, benzene (Na/K). Flash chromatography: Merck silica gel 60 (230-400 mesh). NMR: Spectra were recorded on a DPX 300, AV 400, or DMX 600 spectrometer (Bruker) in the solvents indicated; chemical shifts ( $\delta$ ) are given in ppm relative to residual solvent peaks, coupling constants ( $J$ ) in Hz. IR: Nicolet FT-7199 spectrometer, wavenumbers in cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (EI): Finnigan MAT 8200 (70 eV), (ESI) Finnigan MAT 95, accurate mass determination: Finnigan MAT 95, Bruker APEX III FT-ICR-MS (7 T magnet). Melting points: Büchi melting point apparatus (uncorrected). Elemental analyses: H. Kolbe, Mülheim/Ruhr. All commercially available compounds (Lancaster, Fluka, Aldrich) were used as received unless stated otherwise.

## Preparation of the Common Tetrahydrofuran Segment

Compounds **10**, **11**, **12**, **13** were prepared according to literature procedures.<sup>1</sup>

**[(2*S*,3*S*)-3-(2-[[*tert*-Butyl(diphenyl)silyl]oxy]ethyl)oxiran-2-yl]methanol (14).** L(+)-Diethyl tartrate (L(+)-DET, 312 mg, 1.5 mmol) and Ti(O-*i*-Pr)<sub>4</sub> (359 mg, 1.3 mmol) were added to a suspension of powdered 4Å molecular sieves (100 mg/mmol) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (32 mL) at -20 °C. The mixture was stirred for 30 min at that temperature before a solution of anhydrous *t*-BuOOH in decane (5 M, 5.0 mL, 25.0 mmol) was added dropwise. After stirring for another 30 min at -20 °C, a solution of allylic alcohol **13** (4.3 g, 12.5 mmol) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (24 mL) was added slowly via syringe and the resulting mixture was stirred for 18 h at -20 °C. For work-up, the reaction was quenched with a solution of citric acid (2.0 g) and FeSO<sub>4</sub> (6.6 g) in water (20 mL) at 0 °C. The organic layer was separated and the aqueous layer was extracted three times with *tert*-butyl methyl ether. The combined organic layers were treated with 30% NaOH saturated with NaCl (50 mL) and stirred vigorously for 30 min at 0 °C. The organic layer was separated and the aqueous layer was again repeatedly extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether. The combined organic phases were dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered, and concentrated. Flash chromatography of the residue (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 5/1) provided epoxide **14** as a colorless oil (4.4 g, 97%). The enantiomeric excess (ee = 83%) was determined by HPLC by comparison with the racemate (250 mm Chiralcel OD-H, Ø 4.6 mm, n-heptane/2-propanol = 90/10, 0.5 mL/min, 3.2 MPa, 298 K, UV, 220 nm).  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -16.7$  (c = 1.0, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.68-7.66 (4H, m), 7.46-7.37 (6H, m), 3.91 (1H, ddd, *J* = 12.5, 5.1, 2.5 Hz), 3.83 (1H, t, *J* = 6.4 Hz), 3.81 (1H, t, *J* = 5.7 Hz), 3.62 (1H, ddd, *J* = 12.5, 6.9, 4.5 Hz), 3.13 (1H, dt, *J* = 5.7, 2.3 Hz), 2.98 (1H, dt, *J* = 4.5, 2.5 Hz), 1.82 (2H, q, *J* = 6.0 Hz), 1.74 (1H, t, *J* = 6.3 Hz), 1.07 (9H, s). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 135.7, 133.7, 129.8, 127.8, 61.8, 60.9, 58.7, 53.9, 35.0, 27.0, 19.3. IR: 3433, 3071, 2957, 2930, 2857, 1472, 1428, 1111, 823, 739, 703 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (EI) *m/z* (rel. intensity): 299 ([M-<sup>t</sup>Bu]<sup>+</sup>, <0.2), 269 (32), 225 (9), 199 (100). HRMS (ESI): *calcd.* for (C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>28</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Si+Na): 379.1705, *found* 379.1701 (M+Na). Anal. *calcd.* for C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>28</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Si: C 70.74, H 7.92, *found* C 70.67, H 8.04.

***tert*-Butyl{2-[(2*S*,3*S*)-3-ethynyloxiran-2-yl]ethoxy}diphenylsilane (15).** Oxalyl chloride (2.3 mL, 25.9 mmol) was added dropwise to a solution of DMSO (2.8 mL, 38.9 mmol) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (30 mL) at -78 °C. A solution of the epoxy alcohol **14** (4.6 g, 13.0 mmol) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (30 mL) was then introduced and the mixture was stirred for 1 h at -78 °C before it was treated with Et<sub>3</sub>N (7.2 mL, 51.9 mmol) and allowed to warm to ambient temperature. After stirring for an additional hour, the reaction was quenched with brine (60 mL) and the organic layer was successively washed with sat. NaHCO<sub>3</sub> (aq.), water, and brine. The organic layer

<sup>1</sup> Narco, K.; Baltas, M.; Gorrichon, L. *Tetrahedron* **1999**, *55*, 14013.

was dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered and concentrated to give the crude aldehyde (4.6 g), which was used without further purification.

Dry K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> (3.6 g, 26.0 mmol) was added to a solution of the aldehyde in MeOH (200 mL), followed by the slow addition of dimethyl-1-diazo-2-oxopropyl phosphonate (3.0 g, 15.6 mmol)<sup>2</sup> at 0 °C. The mixture was stirred for 6 h at that temperature before it was brought to ambient temperature and stirred for additional 2 h. For work up, the mixture was diluted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether (100 mL) and quenched with aq. sat. NaHCO<sub>3</sub> (150 mL). The aqueous layer was repeatedly extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether and the combined organic layers were dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered, and evaporated. Flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 20/1) of the residue gave acetylene **15** as a colorless oil (3.0 g, 67% over both steps).  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +1.1$  (*c* = 1.5, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.69-7.66 (4H, m), 7.46-7.37 (6H, m), 3.82-3.78 (2H, m), 3.30 (1H, dt, *J* = 5.7, 2.1 Hz), 3.19 (1H, t, *J* = 1.8 Hz), 2.33 (1H, d, *J* = 2.6 Hz), 1.83-1.76 (2H, m), 1.07 (9H, s). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 135.7, 133.6, 129.9, 127.9, 80.7, 72.0, 60.5, 58.4, 45.3, 35.0, 27.0, 19.3. IR: 3288, 3071, 2957, 2931, 2858, 2126, 1472, 1428, 1112, 823, 703 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (EI) *m/z* (rel. intensity): 293 ([M-<sup>t</sup>Bu]<sup>+</sup>, 53), 263 (68), 249 (22), 237 (10), 225 (30), 221 (100). HRMS (CI): *calcd.* for (C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>26</sub>O<sub>2</sub>Si+H): 351.1780, *found* 351.1779 (MH<sup>+</sup>). Anal. *calcd.* for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>26</sub>O<sub>2</sub>Si: C 75.38, H 7.48, *found* C 75.48, H 7.39.

***tert*-Butyl(diphenyl){2-[(2*S*,3*S*)-3-prop-1-ynyloxiran-2-yl]ethoxy}silane (16).** Solid LiHMDS (1.8 g, 10.8 mmol) was added in portions over 5 min to a solution of compound **15** (3.15 g, 9.0 mmol) in THF (230 mL) at -78 °C. The resulting mixture was stirred for 1 h at -78 °C before it was treated with MeOTf (1.2 mL, 10.8 mmol) and allowed to reach -20 °C over 1 h. The reaction was quenched at that temperature with sat. NaHCO<sub>3</sub> (aq.) and poured into a mixture of *tert*-butyl methyl ether and aq. sat. NaHCO<sub>3</sub>. The aqueous layer was repeatedly extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether, the combined organic layers were dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered and evaporated, and the residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 20/1) to give product **16** as a colorless oil (3.1 g, 95%).  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -2.0$  (*c* = 1.2, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.70-7.66 (4H, m), 7.46-7.37 (6H, m), 3.81-3.78 (2H, m), 3.23 (1H, dt, *J* = 5.7, 2.2 Hz), 3.15-3.14 (1H, m), 1.86 (3H, d, *J* = 1.7 Hz), 1.79-1.75 (2H, m), 1.07 (9H, s). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 135.7, 133.7, 129.8, 127.8, 80.5, 76.2, 60.6, 58.5, 45.2, 35.1, 27.0, 19.3, 3.8. IR: 3071, 2957, 2930, 2857, 2244, 1472, 1428, 1112, 823, 702 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (EI) *m/z* (rel. intensity): 307 ([M-<sup>t</sup>Bu]<sup>+</sup>, 100). HRMS (CI): *calcd.* for (C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>28</sub>O<sub>2</sub>Si+H): 365.1937, *found* 365.1938 (MH<sup>+</sup>). Anal. *calcd.* for C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>28</sub>O<sub>2</sub>Si: C 75.78, H 7.74, *found* C 75.69, H 7.62.

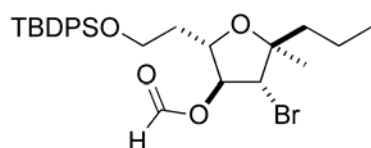
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**(3*S*,4*R*)-1-[[*tert*-Butyl(diphenyl)silyl]oxy]-6-methylnona-4,5-dien-3-ol (17) and Isomer 18.** A solution of Fe(acac)<sub>3</sub> (120 mg, 0.34 mmol) in toluene (30 mL) was added to a solution of propargyl epoxide **16** (2.5 g, 6.9 mmol) in toluene (280 mL) at -5 °C. The resulting mixture was stirred for 5 min at -5 °C before a solution of propylmagnesium chloride in Et<sub>2</sub>O (2 M, 4.5 mL, 8.9 mmol) was added via syringe over a period of 10 min, causing a color change from bright red to black during the addition. After stirring for 5 min at -5 °C, the reaction was quenched with aq. sat. NH<sub>4</sub>Cl (150 mL) and diluted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether. The aqueous layer was repeatedly extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether, the combined organic layers were dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered and concentrated, and the residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 25/1) to give an inseparable *syn/anti* = 8:1 mixture of allenols **17** and **18** as a pale yellow oil (1.7 g, 62%).  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -10.8$  (c = 1.2, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.70-7.67 (4H, m), 7.46-7.37 (6H, m), 5.19 (1H, o, *J* = 2.8 Hz), 4.43-4.40 (1H, m), 3.91 (1H, dt, *J* = 10.4, 5.7 Hz), 3.84 (1H, dt, *J* = 10.4, 6.0 Hz), 2.70 (1H, bs), 1.96-1.91 (2H, m), 1.81 (2H, q, *J* = 5.9 Hz), 1.67 (3H, d, *J* = 2.8 Hz), 1.44 (2H, h, *J* = 7.4 Hz), 1.06 (9H, s), 0.91 (3H, t, *J* = 7.3 Hz). (Minor isomer **18**: 0.90 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz)). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 199.6, 135.7, 133.5, 129.9, 127.9, 102.8, 94.9, 69.3, 62.4, 39.4, 36.3, 27.0, 20.9, 19.3, 19.2, 13.9. IR: 3435, 3071, 2958, 2931, 2858, 1964, 1472, 1428, 1112, 823, 702 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (EI) *m/z* (rel. intensity): 351 ([M-<sup>1</sup>Bu]<sup>+</sup>, 5), 333 (10), 229 (12), 211 (9), 199 (100). HRMS (ESI): *calcd.* for (C<sub>26</sub>H<sub>36</sub>O<sub>2</sub>Si+Na): 431.2382, *found* 431.2385 (M+Na). Anal. *calcd.* for C<sub>26</sub>H<sub>36</sub>O<sub>2</sub>Si: C 76.42, H 8.88, *found* C 76.26, H 8.98.

***tert*-Butyl {2-[(2*S*,5*R*)-5-methyl-5-propyl-2,5-dihydrofuran-2-yl]ethoxy}diphenyl silane (19) and Isomer *epi*-19.** AgNO<sub>3</sub> (750 mg, 4.4 mmol) and CaCO<sub>3</sub> (800 mg, 8.0 mmol) were added to a solution of the allenols **17** and **18** (1.6 g, 4.0 mmol) in acetone/water (4/1, 110 mL). The reaction mixture was stirred for 15 h in the dark before it was diluted with water (30 mL). The acetone was removed under reduced pressure, the remaining aqueous phase was repeatedly extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether, and the combined organic layers were dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered and concentrated. Flash chromatography of the residue (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 30/1) provided an inseparable mixture of dihydrofurans **19** and *epi*-**19** as a colorless oil (1.5 g, 90%, d.r. = 8:1, NMR).  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +30.5$  (c = 1.0, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>) δ 7.82-7.78 (4H, m), 7.24-7.22 (6H, m), 5.52 (1H, dd, *J* = 6.0, 1.3 Hz), 5.40 (1H, dd, *J* = 6.0, 2.4 Hz), 5.03-4.99 (1H, m), 3.97-3.85 (2H, m), 1.92-1.77 (2H, m), 1.57-1.22 (5H, m), 1.23 (3H, s), 1.18 (9H, s), 0.87 (3H, t, *J* = 7.2 Hz). (minor diastereomer *epi*-**19**: 5.37 (dd, *J* = 6.0, 2.3 Hz)). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 136.1, 136.0, 134.50, 134.0, 129.9, 129.5, 83.1, 82.0, 61.7, 44.2, 40.1, 27.2, 26.6, 19.5, 18.4, 14.9. IR: 3071, 2959, 2931, 2858, 1472, 1428, 1112, 823, 702 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (EI) *m/z* (rel. intensity): 408 ([M<sup>+</sup>], 0.7), 351 (31), 199 (82), 183 (19), 154 (22) 135 (100). HRMS (ESI): *calcd.* for (C<sub>26</sub>H<sub>36</sub>O<sub>2</sub>Si+Na): 431.2382, *found* 431.2380 (M+Na). Anal. *calcd.* for C<sub>26</sub>H<sub>36</sub>O<sub>2</sub>Si: C 76.42, H 8.88, *found* C 76.28, H 8.94.

**(2*S*,3*S*,4*R*,5*R*)-4-Bromo-2-(2-[[*tert*-butyl(diphenyl)silyl]oxy]ethyl)-5-methyl-5-propyl-tetrahydrofuran-3-yl formate (20) and its isomer *epi*-20.** NBS (1.9 g, 10.4 mmol) was added in portions to a solution of dihydrofurans **19** and *epi*-**19** (1.45 g, 3.7 mmol) in DMF/water (15/1, 38 mL) at  $-5\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ . After stirring for 6 h in the dark at  $-5\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ , the reaction was diluted with water (100 mL), the aqueous phase was repeatedly extracted with pentane, the combined organic layers were dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , filtered and concentrated, and the residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 50/1). The diastereoisomers generated in the iron catalyzed allenol formation were separated at this stage yielding the (1*R*)-configured<sup>§</sup> bromoformate **20** (1.1 g, 58%) and the diastereomeric (1*S*)-bromoformate *epi*-**20** (140 mg, 7%) as pale yellow oils. Analytical and spectroscopic data of (1*R*)-**20**:  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = -1.3$  ( $c = 1.0$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ).  $^1\text{H NMR}$  (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.07 (1H, s), 7.69-7.65 (4H, m), 7.44-7.35 (6H, m), 5.44 (1H, dt,  $J = 4.5, 0.8$  Hz), 4.14 (1H, dt,  $J = 9.4, 4.8$  Hz), 4.09 (1H, d,  $J = 4.5$  Hz), 3.85-3.75 (2H, m), 2.09-2.01 (1H, m), 1.90 (1H, ddt,  $J = 14.0, 9.0, 5.2$  Hz), 1.73-1.32 (5H, m), 1.36 (3H, s), 1.05 (9H, s), 0.94 (3H, t,  $J = 7.3$  Hz).  $^{13}\text{C NMR}$  (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  159.8, 135.7, 133.9, 129.7, 127.8, 84.3, 83.8, 77.3, 60.6, 59.1, 42.4, 37.7, 27.0, 23.2, 19.4, 17.6, 14.6. IR: 3071, 2959, 2931, 2858, 1733, 1472, 1428, 1159, 1112, 823, 702  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 477 and 475 ( $[\text{M}-^1\text{Bu}]^+$ , 7), 431 (45) and 429 (43), 349 (68), 255 (98), 227 (37), 199 (96), 183 (31), 151 (100). HRMS (ESI): *calcd.* for ( $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{37}\text{BrO}_4\text{Si}+\text{Na}$ ): 555.1542, *found* 555.1545 (M+Na). Anal. *calcd.* for  $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{37}\text{BrO}_4\text{Si}$ : C 60.78, H 6.99, Br 14.98, Si 5.26, *found* C 60.83, H 6.85, Br 14.87, Si 5.30.

**(2*S*,3*S*,4*R*,5*S*)-4-bromo-2-(2-((*tert*-butyl(diphenyl)silyl)oxy)ethyl)-5-methyl-5-**



**propyltetrahydrofuran-3-yl formate (*epi*-20).**  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = -5.5$  ( $c = 1.07$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ).  $^1\text{H NMR}$  (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.07 (1H, s), 7.68-7.65 (4H, m), 7.44-7.35 (6H, m), 5.45 (1H, dt,  $J = 6.4, 0.8$  Hz), 4.13 (1H, d,  $J = 6.3$  Hz), 4.04 (1H, ddd,  $J = 9.0, 6.5, 4.0$

Hz), 3.84-3.73 (2H, m), 2.05-1.96 (1H, m), 1.84 (1H, ddt,  $J = 13.9, 9.1, 5.1$  Hz), 1.70-1.35 (5H, m), 1.34 (3H, s), 1.04 (9H, s), 0.95 (3H, t,  $J = 7.3$  Hz).  $^{13}\text{C NMR}$  (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  159.9, 135.7, 133.9, 129.7, 127.7, 83.5, 83.3, 76.4, 60.4, 56.9, 41.5, 37.6, 27.0, 25.7, 19.4, 17.3, 14.6. IR: 3071, 2959, 2932, 2858, 1735, 1472, 1428, 1162, 1112, 823, 703  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 477 and 475 ( $[\text{M}-^1\text{Bu}]^+$ , 13), 431 (46) and 429 (46), 349 (65), 255 (99), 227 (38), 199 (100). HRMS (ESI): *calcd.* for ( $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{37}\text{BrO}_4\text{Si}+\text{Na}$ ): 555.1542, *found* 555.1546 (M+Na).

**(2*S*,3*R*,5*R*)-2-(2-[[*tert*-Butyl(diphenyl)silyl]oxy]ethyl)-5-methyl-5-propyltetrahydrofuran-3-ol (22).**  $(\text{TMS})_3\text{SiH}$  (850  $\mu\text{L}$ , 2.76 mmol) and AIBN (30 mg, 0.18 mmol) were added to a solution of bromoformate (1*R*)-**20** (980 mg, 1.84 mmol) in toluene (90 mL) and the resulting mixture was stirred at  $80\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$  for 4 h. The solution was allowed to reach ambient temperature before the solvent was evaporated. The residue was dissolved in MeOH (100

<sup>§</sup> Amphidinolide X numbering

mL). Aq. sat. NaHCO<sub>3</sub> (ca. 12 mL) was added dropwise and the reaction mixture was stirred for 2 h before it was diluted with water (25 mL). A standard extractive work up with *tert*-butyl methyl ether followed by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 8/1) of the crude product provided the title compound as a colorless oil (705 mg, 90%).  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = -18.1$  ( $c = 1.0$ , CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.70-7.67 (4H, m), 7.47-7.38 (6H, m), 4.05 (1H, q,  $J = 7.5$  Hz), 3.84 (2H, dd,  $J = 7.1, 4.1$  Hz), 3.79 (1H, ddd,  $J = 8.2, 7.1, 4.7$  Hz), 3.52 (1H, bs), 2.24 (1H, dd,  $J = 12.4, 8.1$  Hz), 1.90-1.73 (3H, m), 1.48-1.33 (4H, m), 1.31 (3H, s), 1.07 (9H, s), 0.92 (3H, t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  135.7, 133.1, 130.0, 128.0, 82.8, 81.8, 76.6, 62.3, 45.4, 44.9, 36.8, 27.6, 27.0, 19.2, 17.9, 14.8. IR: 3438, 3071, 2959, 2932, 1613, 1513, 1428, 1249, 1111, 1087, 1038, 822, 703 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 369 ([M-<sup>t</sup>Bu]<sup>+</sup>, 9), 351 (100). HRMS (ESI): *calcd.* for (C<sub>26</sub>H<sub>38</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Si+Na): 449.2488, *found* 449.2493 (M+Na). Anal. *calcd.* for C<sub>26</sub>H<sub>38</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Si: C 73.19, H 8.98, *found* C 72.98, H 9.06.

***tert*-Butyl(2-{(2*S*,3*R*,5*R*)-3-[(4-methoxybenzyl)oxy]-5-methyl-5-propyltetrahydro-furan-2-yl}ethoxy)diphenylsilane (23).** *p*-Methoxybenzyl trichloroacetimidate (800 mg, 2.81 mmol) and PPTS (29 mg, 0.12 mmol) were added over 5 min to a solution of compound **22** (200 mg, 0.47 mmol) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>/cyclohexane (1/2, 6.0 mL) at 0 °C. The reaction mixture was stirred at ambient temperature for 48 h before it was filtered through a pad of Celite. The filtrate was evaporated and the residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 40/1) to give the title compound as a colorless oil (196 mg, 76%).  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = -19.9$  ( $c = 1.0$ , CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.70-7.67 (4H, m), 7.43-7.34 (6H, m), 7.21 (2H, d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz), 6.85 (2H, d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz), 4.41 (1H, d,  $J = 11.4$  Hz), 4.37 (1H, d,  $J = 11.4$  Hz), 4.11 (1H, dt,  $J = 7.2, 5.0$  Hz), 3.80 (3H, s), 3.81-3.76 (3H, m), 1.94 (1H, dd,  $J = 13.1, 7.3$  Hz), 1.88-1.74 (3H, m), 1.46-1.27 (4H, m), 1.28 (3H, s), 1.05 (9H, s), 0.90 (3H, t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  159.3, 135.8, 134.2, 130.7, 129.6, 129.2, 127.7, 114.0, 84.2, 82.8, 79.6, 71.3, 61.3, 55.4, 45.5, 42.7, 37.9, 27.0, 26.4, 19.3, 18.0, 14.8. IR: 3070, 2958, 2931, 1613, 1428, 1112, 1086, 1038, 702 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 489 ([M-<sup>t</sup>Bu]<sup>+</sup>, 0.3), 351 (6), 199 (4), 121 (100). HRMS (ESI): *calcd.* for (C<sub>34</sub>H<sub>46</sub>O<sub>4</sub>Si+Na): 569.3063, *found* 569.3064 (M+Na). Anal. *calcd.* for C<sub>34</sub>H<sub>46</sub>O<sub>4</sub>Si: C 74.68, H 8.48, *found* C 74.53, H 8.42.

**2-{(2*S*,3*R*,5*R*)-3-[(4-Methoxybenzyl)oxy]-5-methyl-5-propyltetrahydrofuran-2-yl}-ethanol (24).** A solution of TBAF in THF (1 M, 990  $\mu$ L, 0.99 mmol) was added dropwise to a solution of compound **23** (180 mg, 0.33 mmol) in THF (9.5 mL). After stirring for 3 h, the reaction was quenched with sat. aq. NH<sub>4</sub>Cl (10 mL) and diluted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether and water. The aqueous layer was extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether and the combined organic phases were dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered and evaporated. Flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 2/1) of the residue provided the title alcohol as a colorless oil (98 mg, 97%).  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = -37.1$  ( $c = 1.0$ , CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.24 (2H, d,  $J = 8.7$  Hz), 6.88 (2H, d,  $J = 8.7$  Hz), 4.47 (1H, d,  $J = 11.3$  Hz), 4.38 (1H, d,  $J = 11.3$  Hz), 4.06 (1H, ddd,  $J = 8.0, 5.7, 4.7$  Hz), 3.80 (3H, s), 3.80-3.74 (3H, m), 2.49 (1H, bs), 2.04 (1H, dd,  $J = 12.9, 7.6$  Hz), 1.90-1.71 (2H, m), 1.77 (1H, dd,  $J = 12.9, 5.1$  Hz), 1.50-1.28 (3H, m), 1.30 (3H, s), 0.91

(3H, t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  159.5, 130.2, 129.4, 114.1, 83.7, 83.5, 82.3, 71.7, 61.6, 55.4, 45.3, 42.6, 36.3, 26.5, 18.0, 14.7. IR: 3444, 2959, 2933, 1613, 1514, 1249, 1173, 1084, 1036, 821  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 308 ( $[\text{M}^+]$ , 6), 137 (7), 121 (100). HRMS (ESI): *calcd.* for ( $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{28}\text{O}_4+\text{Na}$ ): 331.1885, *found* 331.1884 (M+Na).

**(2*R*,4*R*,5*S*)-5-(2-Iodoethyl)-4-[(4-methoxybenzyl)oxy]-2-methyl-2-propyltetrahydrofuran (25).**  $\text{PPh}_3$  (98 mg, 0.38 mmol) and imidazole (31 mg, 0.50 mmol) were added to a solution of compound **24** (77 mg, 0.25 mmol) in  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}/\text{MeCN}$  (3/1, 2.6 mL). After stirring for 5 min, a solution of iodine (95 mg, 0.38 mmol) in  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}/\text{MeCN}$  (3/1, 0.65 mL) was added dropwise and the resulting mixture was stirred for 2 h. The reaction was quenched with sat. aq.  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$  (3 mL), diluted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether and water, the aqueous layer was repeatedly extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether, the combined organic layers were dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , filtered and evaporated, and the residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 25/1) to give iodide **25** as a colorless oil (96 mg, 92%).  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = -34.7$  ( $c = 1.0$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.25 (2H, d,  $J = 8.7$  Hz), 6.89 (2H, d,  $J = 8.7$  Hz), 4.46 (1H, d,  $J = 11.4$  Hz), 4.39 (1H, d,  $J = 11.4$  Hz), 3.95 (1H, dt,  $J = 8.3, 4.6$  Hz), 3.81 (3H, s), 3.73 (1H, dt,  $J = 7.5, 4.6$  Hz), 3.26-3.15 (2H, m), 2.16-1.94 (3H, m), 1.79 (1H, dd,  $J = 13.1, 4.2$  Hz), 1.47-1.26 (4H, m), 1.29 (3H, s), 0.91 (3H, t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  159.5, 130.4, 129.3, 114.1, 83.3, 83.2, 82.2, 71.5, 55.5, 45.4, 42.7, 39.4, 26.5, 18.0, 14.8, 1.9. IR: 2958, 2932, 2870, 1613, 1513, 1249, 1173, 1037, 821  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 418 ( $[\text{M}^+]$ , 7), 375 (5), 233 (4), 137 (4), 121 (100). HRMS (ESI): *calcd.* for ( $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{27}\text{IO}_3+\text{Na}$ ): 441.0903, *found* 441.0899 (M+Na). Anal. *calcd.* for  $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{27}\text{IO}_3$ : C 51.68, H 6.51, *found* C 51.64, H 6.43.

## Building Blocks A and C

**(2*S*,3*R*)-3-Methyl-1-(2-methyl-1,3-dioxolan-2-yl)pent-4-yn-2-ol (30).**  $\text{PPh}_3$  (50 mg, 0.20 mmol) was added to a solution of  $\text{Pd}(\text{OAc})_2$  (45 mg, 0.20 mmol) in THF (40 mL) at  $-78^\circ\text{C}$  and the mixture was stirred until a clear solution had formed. Mesylate **29** (855 mg, 5.77 mmol) was then added followed by aldehyde **28** (500 mg, 3.84 mmol).<sup>3</sup> A solution of  $\text{Et}_2\text{Zn}$  in hexane (1 M, 11.5 mL, 11.5 mmol) was added dropwise over 10 min at  $-78^\circ\text{C}$ . After stirring at that temperature for 10 min, the solution was stirred for 16 h at  $-20^\circ\text{C}$ . For work up, an aq. sat. solution of  $\text{NaHCO}_3$  was slowly added (gas evolution!) and the product was extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether. The combined organic phases were washed with water, dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , filtered and evaporated. The residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ EtOAc, 4:1 + 2%  $\text{Et}_3\text{N}$ ) to afford a 4.5:1 mixture of the *anti*-configured alcohol **30** and its *syn*-configured isomer **31** (460 mg, 65 %). These isomers can be

<sup>3</sup> Langer, P.; Freifeld, I. *Synlett* **2001**, 523-525.

separated by flash chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc, 10:1 + 2% Et<sub>3</sub>N → hexanes/EtOAc, 4:1 + 2% Et<sub>3</sub>N). The enantiomeric excess of *anti*-**30** (ee = 94%) was determined by HPLC by comparison of both enantiomers (250 mm Chiralpak AD, *n*-heptane/2-propanol = 99/1, 0.5 mL/min, 0.7 mPa, RI, E = 32). Analytical and spectroscopic data of *anti*-**30**:  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = +2.1^{\circ}$  (c = 1.1, MeOH). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>) δ 4.00-3.95 (1H, m), 3.40-3.26 (5H, m), 2.59-2.53 (1H, m), 2.02 (1H, dd, *J* = 9.6, 14.5 Hz), 1.95 (1H, dd, *J* = 2.3, 14.5 Hz), 1.86 (1H, d, *J* = 2.5 Hz), 1.31 (3H, d, *J* = 7.0 Hz), 1.21 (3H, s). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>) δ 110.4, 86.0, 70.5, 70.1, 64.6, 64.2, 42.3, 32.8, 24.2, 16.1. IR: 3515, 3290, 2983, 2887, 2112, 1379, 1257, 1220, 1156, 1109, 1042, 983, 949, 822 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (EI) *m/z* (rel. intensity): 169 ([M-CH<sub>3</sub>]<sup>+</sup>, 4), 87 (100), 43 (46). HRMS (ESI): *calcd.* for (C<sub>10</sub>H<sub>16</sub>O<sub>3</sub>+Na): 207.0997, *found* 207.0997 (M+Na). Anal. *calcd.* for C<sub>10</sub>H<sub>16</sub>O<sub>3</sub>: C 65.19, H 8.75, *found* C 65.08, H 8.71.

**2-((2*S*,3*R*)-2-((4-Methoxybenzyl)oxy)-3-methylpent-4-ynyl)-2-methyl-1,3-dioxolane (32).**

NaH (391 mg, 16.3 mmol) was added to a solution of alcohol **30** (1.00 g, 5.43 mmol) in DMF (54 mL) at 0°C. The mixture was stirred for 1 h at that temperature before *p*-methoxybenzyl chloride (1.58 mL, 10.9 mmol) was added followed by tetra-*n*-butylammonium iodide (199 mg, 0.543 mmol). The mixture was stirred for 1 h at 0°C and for 16 h at room temperature. For work up, the reaction was carefully quenched with brine (H<sub>2</sub> evolution!) and the mixture was repeatedly extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether. The combined organic phases were dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered and evaporated, and the residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc, 10:1 + 2 % Et<sub>3</sub>N → hexanes/EtOAc, 4:1 + 2 % Et<sub>3</sub>N) to afford protected alcohol **32** as a colorless syrup (1.55 g, 94 %).  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = -5.4^{\circ}$  (c = 0.85, MeOH). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>) δ 7.23 (2H, d, *J* = 8.7 Hz), 6.78 (2H, d, *J* = 8.7 Hz), 4.37 (1H, d, *J* = 11.2 Hz), 4.29 (1H, d, *J* = 11.2 Hz), 3.78-3.74 (1H, m), 3.63-3.53 (4H, m), 2.90-2.86 (1H, m), 2.29 (1H, dd, *J* = 3.5, 14.6 Hz), 2.07 (1H, dd, *J* = 7.2, 14.6 Hz), 1.89 (3H, d, *J* = 2.5 Hz), 1.46 (3H, s). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>) δ 159.7, 131.1, 129.5, 114.0, 109.6, 86.5, 78.0, 71.2, 70.2, 64.5, 64.4, 54.8, 40.2, 29.9, 25.0, 15.3. IR: 3289, 2982, 2882, 2111, 1613, 1514, 1249, 1052, 821 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (EI) *m/z* (rel. intensity): 304 ([M<sup>+</sup>], 1), 121 (100), 115 (19), 87 (23), 43 (13). HRMS (ESI): *calcd.* for (C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>24</sub>O<sub>4</sub>+Na): 327.1572, *found* 327.1578 (M+Na). Anal. *calcd.* for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>24</sub>O<sub>4</sub>: C 71.03, H 7.95, *found* C 70.89, H 7.86.

**2-((2*S*,3*R*)-2-((4-Methoxybenzyl)oxy)-3-methylhex-4-ynyl)-2-methyl-1,3-dioxolane (33).**

LiHMDS (2.00 g, 11.9 mmol) was added to a solution of alkyne **32** (1.21 g, 3.98 mmol) in THF (40 mL) at -78°C. The reaction was stirred for 1 h at that temperature and for 30 min at -20°C. The mixture was cooled to -78°C before MeI (1.24 mL, 19.9 mmol) was introduced, and stirring was continued for 16 h at -20°C → 5°C. An aq. sat. solution of NH<sub>4</sub>Cl was added, the aqueous layer was extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether, the combined organic phases were dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered and evaporated, and the residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc, 15:1 + 2 % Et<sub>3</sub>N) to afford alkyne **33** as a colorless syrup (1.20 g, 95 %).  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = -12.1^{\circ}$  (c = 1.0, MeOH). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>) δ 7.25 (2H, d, *J* = 8.6 Hz), 6.78 (2H, d, *J* = 8.6 Hz), 4.41 (1H, d, *J* = 11.1 Hz), 4.36 (1H, d, *J* = 11.1 Hz), 3.82-



3.78 (1H, m), 3.64-3.54 (4H, m), 3.31 (3H, s), 2.96-2.93 (1H, m), 2.36 (1H, dd,  $J = 3.0, 14.5$  Hz), 2.11 (1H, dd,  $J = 7.3, 14.5$  Hz), 1.55 (3H, d,  $J = 2.4$  Hz), 1.50 (3H, s), 1.24 (3H, d,  $J = 7.0$  Hz).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ )  $\delta$  159.6, 131.5, 129.5, 113.9, 109.8, 81.6, 78.5, 77.1, 71.1, 64.4, 64.3, 54.7, 40.2, 30.1, 25.0, 15.6, 3.4. IR: 3306, 2980, 2881, 1613, 1514, 1249, 1052, 822  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 318 ( $[\text{M}^+]$ , 0.4), 121 (100), 87 (15). HRMS (ESI): *calcd.* for ( $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{26}\text{O}_4+\text{Na}$ ): 341.1729, *found* 341.1726 (M+Na). Anal. *calcd.* for  $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{26}\text{O}_4$ : C 71.67, H 8.23, *found* C 71.48, H 8.20.

**2-{(2*S*,3*R*,4*E*)-5-Iodo-2-[(4-methoxybenzyl)oxy]-3-methylhex-4-enyl}-2-methyl-1,3-dioxolane (34).** A solution of alkyne **33** (294 mg, 0.923 mmol) in benzene (18 mL) was added to  $\text{Cp}_2\text{ZrHCl}$  (595 mg, 2.31 mmol) under Ar. The mixture was stirred for 4 h at 50°C and then cooled to ambient temperature. The mixture was diluted with  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (10 mL), cooled to -15°C and treated with a saturated solution of  $\text{I}_2$  in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  until the purple color persisted. At that point, a sat. aq. solution of  $\text{Na}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3$  was immediately added. A standard extractive work up followed by flash chromatography of the crude product (hexanes/EtOAc, 20:1 + 2 %  $\text{Et}_3\text{N}$  → hexanes/EtOAc, 6:1 + 2 %  $\text{Et}_3\text{N}$ ) afforded vinyl iodide **34** as a colorless syrup (251 mg, 61 %).  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = +19.0^\circ$  ( $c = 1.0$ , MeOH).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ )  $\delta$  7.27 (2H, d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz), 6.80 (2H, d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz), 6.43 (1H, dd,  $J = 1.4, 9.9$  Hz), 4.50 (1H, d,  $J = 11.2$  Hz), 4.32 (1H, d,  $J = 11.2$  Hz), 3.52-3.33 (4H, m), 3.32 (3H, s), 2.72-2.67 (1H, m), 2.24 (3H, d,  $J = 1.4$  Hz), 1.97 (1H, dd,  $J = 4.9, 14.8$  Hz), 1.86 (1H, dd,  $J = 5.6, 14.8$  Hz), 1.30 (3H, s), 0.95 (3H, d,  $J = 6.9$  Hz).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ )  $\delta$  159.7, 143.7, 131.5, 129.7, 114.1, 109.4, 94.6, 78.4, 71.3, 64.6, 64.4, 54.8, 41.1, 40.2, 28.3, 24.9, 16.7. IR: 2958, 2877, 1612, 1514, 1248, 1038, 821  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 431 ( $[\text{M}-\text{CH}_3]^+$ , 0.2), 121 (100), 87 (18). HRMS (ESI): *calcd.* for ( $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{27}\text{O}_4\text{I}+\text{Na}$ ): 469.0852, *found* 469.0849 (M+Na).

**(2*S*,3*R*,4*E*)-5-Iodo-3-methyl-1-(2-methyl-1,3-dioxolan-2-yl)hex-4-en-2-ol (39).** An aq. phosphate buffer solution (pH 7, 3 mL) was added to a solution of alcohol **34** (287 mg, 0.643 mmol) in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (10 mL). DDQ (584 mg, 2.57 mmol) was then introduced at 0°C and the mixture was stirred for 2 h at ambient temperature.  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  was added, the mixture was extracted with  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ , the combined organic phases were dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , filtered and evaporated, and the residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc, 15:1 + 1 %  $\text{Et}_3\text{N}$  → hexanes/EtOAc, 4:1 + 1 %  $\text{Et}_3\text{N}$ ) to afford alcohol **39** as a colorless syrup (187 mg, 89 %).  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = +32.0^\circ$  ( $c = 1.0$ , MeOH).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ )  $\delta$  6.50 (1H, qd,  $J = 1.5, 9.9$  Hz), 3.77 (1H, dd,  $J = 3.7, 10.3$  Hz), 3.45 (1H, s), 3.39-3.32 (4H, m), 2.24-2.18 (1H, m), 2.16 (3H, d,  $J = 1.5$  Hz), 1.75 (1H, dd,  $J = 10.3, 14.5$  Hz), 1.58 (1H, dd,  $J = 1.6, 14.5$  Hz), 1.14 (3H, s), 1.01 (3H, d,  $J = 6.9$  Hz).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ )  $\delta$  143.4, 110.4, 94.0, 70.9, 64.6, 64.1, 43.3, 41.8, 27.9, 24.2, 16.9. IR: 3520, 2979, 2882, 1634, 1378, 1040  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 311 ( $[\text{M}-\text{CH}_3]^+$ , 2), 131 (16), 87 (100), 43 (35). HRMS (ESI): *calcd.* for ( $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{19}\text{O}_3\text{I}+\text{Na}$ ): 349.0277, *found* 349.0274 (M+Na). Anal. *calcd.* for  $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{19}\text{O}_3\text{I}$ : C 40.51, H 5.87, *found* C 40.63, H 5.95.

**Methyl (2E,4S)-4-methyl-6-[(triisopropylsilyl)oxy]hex-2-enoate (36).** DBU (573  $\mu\text{L}$ , 3.83 mmol) and methyl diethylphosphonoacetate (804  $\mu\text{L}$ , 4.38 mmol) were added to a suspension of flame dried LiCl (186 mg, 4.38 mmol) in  $\text{CH}_3\text{CN}$  (36 mL). Aldehyde **35** (943 mg, 3.65 mmol)<sup>4</sup> in  $\text{CH}_3\text{CN}$  (36 mL) was added and the mixture was stirred for 16 h at ambient temperature. A standard extractive work up followed by flash chromatography of the crude product (hexanes/EtOAc, 15:1) furnished ester **36** as a colorless syrup (1.08 g, 94 %).  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = +39.5^\circ$  ( $c = 1.0$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  6.90 (1H, dd,  $J = 7.8, 15.7$  Hz), 5.79 (1H, dd,  $J = 1.1, 15.7$  Hz), 3.72 (3H, s), 3.68 (1H, td,  $J = 1.8, 6.3$  Hz), 2.60-2.51 (1H, m), 1.64-1.53 (2H, m), 1.09-1.00 (24 H, m).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  167.5, 154.8, 119.4, 61.1, 51.5, 39.1, 33.2, 19.4, 18.1, 12.1. IR: 2944, 2867, 1729, 1657, 1463, 1107, 883, 681  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 299 ( $[\text{M}-\text{CH}_3]^+$ , < 0.07), 271 ( $[\text{M}-i\text{Pr}]^+$ , 100), 145 (25), 133 (13), 117 (14), 109 (17), 89 (10), 81 (29), 75 (17). HRMS (ESI): *calcd.* for ( $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{34}\text{O}_3\text{Si}+\text{Na}$ ): 337.2175, *found* 337.2177 (M+Na). Anal. *calcd.* for  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{34}\text{O}_3\text{Si}$ : C 64.92, H 10.90, *found* C 64.99, H 10.93.

**Methyl (2E,4S)-6-hydroxy-4-methylhex-2-enoate (37).** A solution of compound **36** (400 mg, 1.27 mmol) in  $\text{CH}_3\text{CN}$  (13 mL) was placed in a plastic bottle. Excess HF-pyridine (1.00 mL) was added and the mixture was stirred for 90 min at ambient temperature. For work up, aq. sat.  $\text{NaHCO}_3$  was introduced and the mixture was extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether. The combined organic phases were dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , filtered and evaporated, and the residue was purified by flash chromatography (pentanes/ *tert*-butyl methyl ether, 1:1) to afford the title alcohol **37** as a colorless syrup (202 mg, 100 %).  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = +45.0^\circ$  ( $c = 1.0$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  6.84 (1H, dd,  $J = 8.0, 15.7$  Hz), 5.77 (1H, dd,  $J = 1.2, 15.7$  Hz), 3.68 (3H, s), 3.62-3.56 (2H, m), 2.51-2.44 (1H, m), 2.17 (1H, s), 1.59 (2H, q,  $J = 6.7$  Hz), 1.04 (3H, d,  $J = 6.8$  Hz).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  167.4, 154.3, 119.6, 60.4, 51.5, 38.6, 33.2, 19.4. IR: 3430, 2955, 1725, 1656, 1436, 1275. MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 158 ( $[\text{M}^+]$ , 10), 127 (71), 81 (100), 55 (64), 41 (75). HRMS (ESI): *calcd.* for ( $\text{C}_8\text{H}_{14}\text{O}_3$ ): 158.0943, *found* 158.0944 (M). Anal. *calcd.* for  $\text{C}_8\text{H}_{14}\text{O}_3$ : C 60.74, H 8.92, *found* C 60.83, H 9.06.

**(3S,4E)-6-Methoxy-3-methyl-6-oxohex-4-enoic acid (38).** Oxalyl chloride (150  $\mu\text{L}$ , 1.72 mmol) was added to a solution of DMSO (184  $\mu\text{L}$ , 2.58 mmol) in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (7 mL) at  $-78^\circ\text{C}$ . A solution of alcohol **37** (136 mg, 0.86 mmol) in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (7 mL) was added and the mixture was stirred for 1 h at  $-78^\circ\text{C}$ .  $\text{Et}_3\text{N}$  (483  $\mu\text{L}$ , 3.44 mmol) was then introduced and the mixture was stirred for 1 h at ambient temperature. The reaction was quenched with brine, the aqueous layer was extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether, the combined organic phases were evaporated, and the residue was re-dissolved in *tert*-butyl methyl ether. The organic solution was washed with  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , filtered and evaporated to give the crude aldehyde which was used without any further purification.

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2-Methylbut-2-ene (2.00 mL) and NaH<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> (306 mg, 2.58 mmol) in H<sub>2</sub>O (3.4 mL) were added to a solution of this aldehyde (134 mg, 0.86 mmol) in *t*-BuOH (15 mL) at ambient temperature. NaClO<sub>2</sub> (231 mg, 2.58 mmol) was introduced and the mixture was stirred for 2 h. The solvent was evaporated and the residue was dissolved in EtOAc. H<sub>2</sub>O was added, the mixture was acidified with 2 M HCl until pH 5 was reached, and the resulting mixture was repeatedly extracted EtOAc. The combined organic phases were dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered and evaporated, and the residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc, 1:1 → EtOAc) to afford carboxylic acid **38** as a colorless syrup (136 mg, 92 % over 2 steps).  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +24.8^\circ$  (c = 1.0, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 6.92 (1H, dd, *J* = 7.2, 15.8 Hz), 5.85 (1H, dd, *J* = 1.4, 15.8 Hz), 3.73 (3H, s), 2.90-2.83 (1H, m), 2.48 (1H, dd, *J* = 7.0, 15.8 Hz), 2.39 (1H, dd, *J* = 7.3, 15.8 Hz), 1.15 (3H, d, *J* = 6.8 Hz). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 177.1, 167.1, 151.8, 120.4, 51.7, 40.0, 32.8, 19.2. IR: 3100, 2967, 2674, 1723, 1657, 1278. MS (EI) *m/z* (rel. intensity): 172 ([M<sup>+</sup>], 2), 154 (44), 140 (50), 122 (100), 95 (59), 94 (56), 71 (58), 67 (58), 41 (58). HRMS (ESI): *calcd.* for (C<sub>8</sub>H<sub>12</sub>O<sub>4</sub>+Na): 195.0633, *found* 195.0634 (M+Na). Anal. *calcd.* for C<sub>8</sub>H<sub>12</sub>O<sub>4</sub>: C 55.81, H 7.02, *found* C 55.74, 7.12.

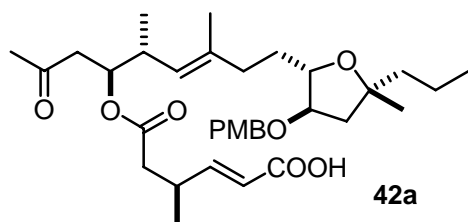
### Total Synthesis of Amphidinolide X

**Ester 40.** Et<sub>3</sub>N (180 μL, 1.29 mmol) was added to a solution of carboxylic acid **38** (74 mg, 0.432 mmol) in toluene (4 mL). 2,4,6-Trichlorobenzoyl chloride (68 μL, 0.432 mmol) was introduced and the resulting mixture was stirred for 1h at ambient temperature. A solution of alcohol **39** (128 mg, 0.392 mmol) and DMAP (48 mg, 0.392 mmol) in toluene (4 mL) was added and the reaction mixture was allowed to stir for 1h. Evaporation of the solvent followed by flash chromatography of the residue (hexanes/EtOAc, 4:1 + 1 % Et<sub>3</sub>N) provided ester **40** as a colorless syrup (200 mg, 96 %).  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +17.4^\circ$  (c = 1.0, MeOH). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>) δ 6.96 (1H, dd, *J* = 7.1, 15.7 Hz), 6.21 (1H, dd, *J* = 1.5, 9.9 Hz), 5.83 (1H, dd, *J* = 1.4, 15.7 Hz), 5.26-5.22 (1H, m), 3.59-3.45 (4H, m), 3.43 (3H, s), 2.69-2.62 (1H, m), 2.50-2.44 (1H, m), 2.18 (3H, d, 1.5 Hz), 2.09 (1H, dd, *J* = 7.0, 15.5 Hz), 2.00 (1H, dd, *J* = 7.2, 15.5 Hz), 1.93 (1H, dd, *J* = 7.9, 14.8 Hz), 1.72 (1H, dd, *J* = 3.2, 14.8 Hz), 1.24 (3H, s), 0.83 (3H, d, *J* = 6.8 Hz), 0.79 (3H, d, *J* = 6.9 Hz). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>) δ 170.9, 166.6, 152.3, 142.1, 120.5, 109.0, 95.7, 72.5, 64.6, 64.5, 51.0, 41.3, 40.5, 40.1, 33.1, 28.0, 24.4, 19.0, 16.3. IR: 2968, 1727, 1657, 1273, 1173, 1041, 987. MS (EI) *m/z* (rel. intensity): 480 ([M<sup>+</sup>], 0.03), 87 (100), 43 (15). HRMS (ESI): *calcd.* for (C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>29</sub>O<sub>6</sub>I+Na): 503.0907, *found* 503.0907 (M+Na).

**Compound 41.** A solution of *tert*-BuLi in pentane (1.7 M, 438 μL, 0.744 mmol) was added to a mixture of Et<sub>2</sub>O (577 μL) and THF (577 μL) at -78°C before a solution of alkyl iodide **25** (52 mg, 0.124 mmol) in THF (3.47 mL) was added dropwise (additional 577 μL of THF were used to rinse the flask). The mixture was stirred for 5 min at -78°C before 9-MeO-9-BBN (126 μL, 0.744 mmol) was introduced causing an immediate color change from yellow to

colorless. The mixture was stirred for 15 min at  $-78^{\circ}\text{C}$  and for 1 h at ambient temperature. An aq. solution of  $\text{K}_3\text{PO}_4$  (3 M, 248  $\mu\text{L}$ , 0.744 mmol) was added followed by a solution of the vinyl iodide **40** (60 mg, 0.124 mmol) in DMF (3.47 mL) (additional 577  $\mu\text{L}$  of DMF were used to rinse the flask). A solution of (dppf) $\text{PdCl}_2$  (4.5 mg, 0.0062 mmol) and  $\text{AsPh}_3$  (3.8 mg, 0.012 mmol) in DMF (500  $\mu\text{L}$ ) was then added and the mixture was stirred for 2 h at ambient temperature. The mixture was diluted with hexanes/ $\text{EtOAc}$  (4:1 + 1 %  $\text{Et}_3\text{N}$ ) before it was filtered through a pad of silica (hexanes/ $\text{EtOAc}$ , 4:1 + 1 %  $\text{Et}_3\text{N}$  was used to rinse the silica pad). The combined filtrates were successively washed with sat. aq.  $\text{NaHCO}_3$ , sat. aq.  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$  and brine, the organic phase was dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , filtered and evaporated, and the residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ $\text{EtOAc}$ , 15:1 + 1 %  $\text{Et}_3\text{N}$   $\rightarrow$  hexanes/ $\text{EtOAc}$ , 6:1 + 1 %  $\text{Et}_3\text{N}$ ) to afford compound **41** as a colorless syrup (59 mg, 74 %).  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = -13.5^{\circ}$  ( $c = 1.0$ , MeOH).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ )  $\delta$  7.25 (2H, d,  $J = 8.7$  Hz), 7.02 (1H, dd,  $J = 7.1$ , 15.8 Hz), 6.84 (2H, d,  $J = 8.7$  Hz), 5.86 (1H, dd,  $J = 1.4$ , 15.8 Hz), 5.45-5.41 (1H, m), 5.27 (1H, d,  $J = 9.4$  Hz), 4.36 (1H, d,  $J = 11.5$  Hz), 4.29 (1H, d,  $J = 11.5$  Hz), 4.14 (1H, td,  $J = 5.0$ , 7.4 Hz), 3.70-3.49 (5H, m), 3.42 (3H, s), 3.34 (3H, s), 2.75-2.67 (2H, m), 2.33-2.23 (1H, m), 2.23-2.16 (2H, m), 2.12-2.03 (2H, m), 1.90 (1H, dd,  $J = 2.4$ , 14.9 Hz), 1.82-1.70 (4H, m), 1.65 (3H, d,  $J = 1.1$  Hz), 1.51-1.33 (4H, m), 1.38 (3H, s), 1.34 (3H, s), 1.00 (3H, d,  $J = 6.8$  Hz), 0.90 (3H, t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz), 0.86 (3H, d,  $J = 6.8$  Hz).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ )  $\delta$  171.0, 166.6, 159.8, 152.5, 137.0, 131.2, 129.4, 126.0, 120.4, 114.2, 109.3, 84.5, 82.4, 82.2, 73.5, 71.5, 64.61, 64.58, 54.9, 51.0, 45.7, 43.2, 41.0, 40.8, 37.4, 36.5, 33.9, 33.2, 26.4, 24.6, 19.0, 18.2, 16.9, 16.6, 14.9. IR: 2960, 2870, 1727, 1514, 1249, 1172, 1036. MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 644 ( $[\text{M}^+]$ , 0.4), 140 (39), 122 (11), 121 (100), 87 (68). HRMS (ESI): *calcd.* for ( $\text{C}_{37}\text{H}_{56}\text{O}_9 + \text{Na}$ ): 667.3822, *found* 667.3819 (M+Na).

**Compound 42a.** Dry LiI was added to a solution of ester **41** (33 mg, 0.051 mmol) in pyridine (2 mL) and the resulting mixture was stirred for 30 h at  $125^{\circ}\text{C}$ . The mixture was cooled to  $0^{\circ}\text{C}$  before it was diluted with  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (10 mL) and washed with HCl (2 M, 12 mL). The aqueous phase was repeatedly extracted with  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ , the combined organic layers were dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , filtered and evaporated, and the residue was rapidly passed through silica (hexanes/ $\text{EtOAc}$ , 1:1 + 1 % HOAc). The crude acid **42** thus formed was used in the next step without further purification.



$\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (1 mL) was added to a solution of crude **42** in HOAc (1 mL) and the resulting mixture was stirred for 15 min at  $65^{\circ}\text{C}$ . After cooling to ambient temperature, the mixture was diluted with  $\text{EtOAc}$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , and the aqueous phase was repeatedly extracted with  $\text{EtOAc}$ .

The combined organic layers were dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , filtered and evaporated, and the residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ $\text{EtOAc}$ , 4:1 + 1 % HOAc) to afford carboxylic acid **42a** as a colorless syrup (16 mg, 53 % over 2 steps).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.25 (2H, d,  $J = 8.7$  Hz), 6.99 (1H, dd,  $J =$

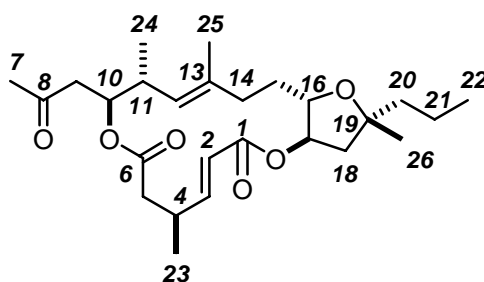
7.1, 15.7 Hz), 6.88 (2H, d,  $J = 8.7$  Hz), 5.80 (1H, dd,  $J = 1.3, 15.7$  Hz), 5.25-5.22 (1H, m), 4.99 (1H, d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz), 4.47 (1H, d,  $J = 11.4$  Hz), 4.38 (1H, d,  $J = 11.4$  Hz), 3.92 (1H, dt,  $J = 6.9, 5.2$  Hz), , 3.80 (3H, s), 3.74 (1H, dt,  $J = 7.1, 4.8$  Hz), 2.87-2.79 (1H, m), 2.72-2.62 (1H, m), 2.62 (1H, dd,  $J = 7.6, 16.6$  Hz), 2.53 (1H, dd,  $J = 5.3, 16.6$  Hz), 2.36 (2H, dd,  $J = 1.2, 7.0$  Hz), 2.13-1.96 (3H, m), 2.11 (3H, s), 1.78 (1H, dd,  $J = 4.2, 13.0$  Hz), 1.63-1.42 (4H, m), 1.59 (3H, d,  $J = 1.1$  Hz), 1.38-1.26 (2H, m), 1.31 (3H, s), 1.12 (3H, d,  $J = 6.8$  Hz), 0.92 (3H, d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz), 0.91 (3H, t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  205.9, 171.2, 169.8, 159.4, 154.1, 137.4, 130.5, 129.4, 124.9, 120.1, 114.0, 83.6, 83.2, 81.9, 73.8, 71.4, 55.4, 45.6, 45.2, 42.6, 40.8, 35.9, 35.6, 33.3, 33.0, 30.4, 26.3, 19.0, 18.0, 17.1, 16.5, 14.8. IR: 2961, 1723, 1699, 1514, 1248, 1171, 1036. MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 428 (3), 140 (22), 122 (12), 121 (100), 43 (14). HRMS (ESI): *calcd.* for ( $\text{C}_{34}\text{H}_{50}\text{O}_8+\text{Na}$ ): 609.3403, *found* 609.3407 (M+Na).

**Seco-Acid 43.** An aqueous phosphate buffer solution (pH 7, 1 mL) was added to a solution of acid **42a** (15 mg, 0.026 mmol) in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (1 mL). DDQ (23 mg, 0.102 mmol) was introduced at  $0^\circ\text{C}$  and the mixture was stirred for 5 h at ambient temperature.  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  was added and the mixture was repeatedly extracted with  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ , the combined organic phases were dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , filtered and evaporated, and the residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc, 4:1 + 1 % HOAc  $\rightarrow$  hexanes/EtOAc, 2:1 + 1 % HOAc) to afford carboxylic acid **43** as a colorless syrup (10 mg, 84 %).  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = -19.5^\circ$  ( $c = 1.0, \text{CHCl}_3$ ).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  6.99 (1H, dd,  $J = 7.5, 15.7$  Hz), 5.80 (1H, dd,  $J = 1.2, 15.7$  Hz), 5.26-5.20 (1H, m), 5.02 (1H, d,  $J = 9.6$  Hz), 4.04 (1H, td,  $J = 5.1, 7.4$  Hz), 3.80-3.75 (1H, m), 2.88-2.77 (1H, m), 2.70-2.50 (3H, m), 2.43-2.31 (2H, m), 2.17-2.03 (4H, m), 2.12 (3H, s), 1.75-1.25 (7H, m), 1.59 (3H, d,  $J = 1.2$  Hz), 1.33 (3H, s), 1.12 (3H, d,  $J = 6.8$  Hz), 0.92 (3H, d,  $J = 6.2$  Hz), 0.91 (3H, t,  $J = 7.0$  Hz).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  206.0, 169.4, 154.9, 137.1, 125.2, 120.3, 83.7, 83.0, 73.8, 46.2, 45.8, 45.5, 41.1, 36.0, 35.7, 33.5, 32.3, 30.4, 26.9, 19.3, 18.0, 17.5, 16.4, 14.7. IR: 3427, 2964, 1718, 1656, 1451, 1379, 1264, 1162, 1081, 988. MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 466 ( $[\text{M}^+]$ , 1), 308 (14), 156 (67), 107 (26), 95 (33), 84 (31), 71 (40), 55 (25), 43 (100). HRMS (ESI): *calcd.* for ( $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{42}\text{O}_7+\text{Na}$ ): 489.2828, *found* 489.2827 (M+Na).

**Amphidinolide X (1).**  $\text{Et}_3\text{N}$  (11  $\mu\text{L}$ , 0.081 mmol) and 2,4,6-trichlorobenzoyl chloride (3.8  $\mu\text{L}$ , 0.024 mmol) were added to a solution of hydroxy acid **43** (7.5 mg, 0.016 mmol) in THF (2 mL). The mixture was stirred for 1h at room temperature before most of the THF was removed under a flow of Ar. The residue was diluted with toluene (5 mL) and the resulting solution was added over 2 h via syringe pump to a solution of DMAP (39 mg, 0.322 mmol) in toluene (20 mL) at ambient temperature. Once the addition was complete, the mixture was stirred for an additional 2h. For work up, the solvent was evaporated and the remaining syrup was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc, 10:1  $\rightarrow$  6:1) to afford amphidinolide X **1** as a colorless syrup (4.5 mg, 62 %).  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{17} = -25.6^\circ$  ( $c = 1.0, \text{CHCl}_3$ ) [lit.<sup>2</sup>:  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{17} = -12^\circ$  ( $c = 1.0, \text{CHCl}_3$ )].  $^1\text{H}$  NMR: *see Table 1*.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR: *see Table 2*. IR: 2963, 1721, 1451, 1262, 1185, 1079  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ .

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**Table 1:** Comparison of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of authentic **1** with that of the synthetic sample (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ). Numbering scheme as shown in the insert.



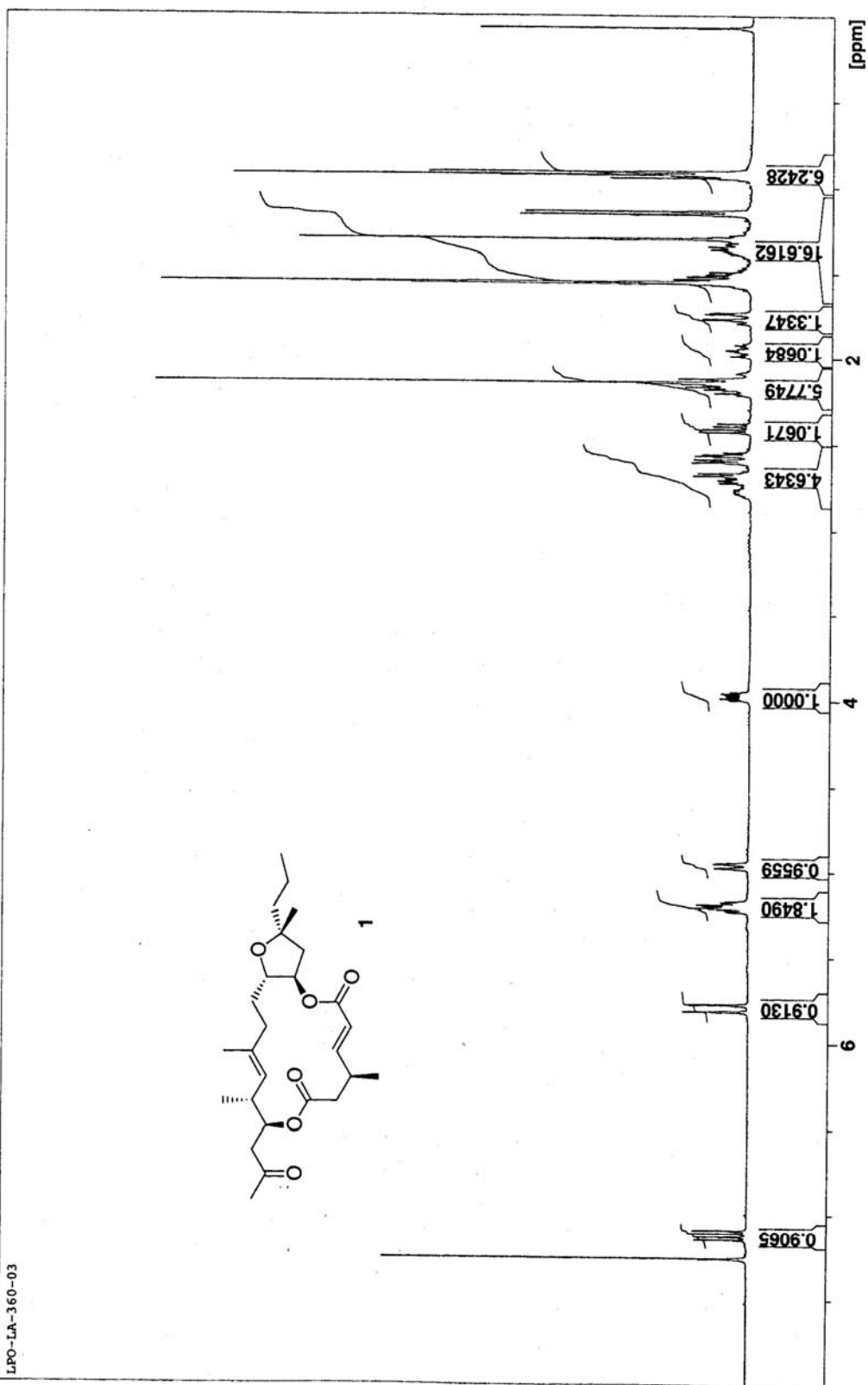
Position	Natural <b>1</b> , $\delta$ (multiplicity, $J$ in Hz)	Synthetic <b>1</b> , $\delta$ (multiplicity, $J$ in Hz)	$\Delta\delta$
<b>2</b>	5.79 (d, 15.8)	5.79 (d, 15.8)	$\pm 0$
<b>3</b>	7.12 (dd, 7.2, 15.8)	7.12 (dd, 7.2, 15.8)	$\pm 0$
<b>4</b>	2.79 (m)	2.78 (m)	-0.01
<b>5</b>	2.58 (dd, 3.7, 13.4)	2.58 (dd, 3.6, 13.4)	$\pm 0$
	2.41 (dd, 6.3, 13.4)	2.41 (dd, 6.4, 13.4)	$\pm 0$
<b>7</b>	2.14 (s)	2.14 (s)	$\pm 0$
<b>9</b>	2.69 (dd, 6.0, 16.5)	2.69 (dd, 6.0, 16.5)	$\pm 0$
	2.57 (dd, 8.2, 16.5)	2.58 (dd, 7.2, 16.5)	+0.01
<b>10</b>	5.21 (m)	5.20 (m)	-0.01
<b>11</b>	2.69 (m)	2.69 (m)	$\pm 0$
<b>12</b>	4.95 (d, 10.3)	4.96 (d, 10.3)	+0.01
<b>14</b>	2.18 (m)	2.17 (m)	-0.01
	2.11 (br. t, 9.4)	2.12 (m)	+0.01
<b>15</b>	1.95 (tt, 2.9, 13.4)	1.95 (tt, 3.2, 13.5)	$\pm 0$
	1.54 (m)	1.54 (m)	$\pm 0$
<b>16</b>	3.97 (dt, 11.1, 3.6)	3.97 (dt, 11.3, 3.6)	$\pm 0$
<b>17</b>	5.19 (m)	5.21 (m)	+0.02
<b>18</b>	2.16 (m)	2.18 (m)	+0.02
	1.75 (dd, 2.4, 13.8)	1.75 (dd, 2.5, 13.9)	$\pm 0$
<b>20</b>	1.50 (m)	1.51 (m)	+0.01
<b>21</b>	1.34 (m)	1.35 (m)	+0.01
<b>22</b>	0.92 (t, 7.4)	0.93 (t, 7.3)	+0.01
<b>23</b>	1.14 (d, 6.8)	1.15 (d, 6.9)	+0.01
<b>24</b>	0.92 (d, 6.8)	0.93 (d, 6.9)	+0.01
<b>25</b>	1.55 (s)	1.55 (s)	$\pm 0$
<b>26</b>	1.30 (s)	1.30 (s)	$\pm 0$

**Table 2:** Comparison of the  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of authentic **1** with that of the synthetic sample (150 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ). Numbering scheme as shown in the insert to Table 1.

Position	Natural 1	Synthetic 1	$\Delta\delta$
1	165.7	165.8	+0.1
2	120.2	120.4	+0.2
3	153.2	153.2	$\pm 0.0$
4	33.1	33.2	+0.1
5	41.4	41.6	+0.2
6	170.7	170.8	+0.1
7	30.4	30.5	+0.1
8	205.5	205.4	-0.1
9	47.1	47.3	+0.2
10	74.2	74.4	+0.2
11	35.5	35.7	+0.2
12	126.0	126.1	+0.1
13	135.5	135.6	+0.1
14	35.3	35.5	+0.2
15	30.4	30.5	+0.1
16	80.5	80.6	+0.1
17	78.4	78.6	+0.2
18	43.5	43.7	+0.2
19	82.9	83.0	+0.1
20	44.2	44.4	+0.2
21	17.8	17.9	+0.1
22	14.6	14.7	+0.1
23	17.5	17.7	+0.2
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25	15.4	15.5	+0.1
26	24.5	24.7	+0.2

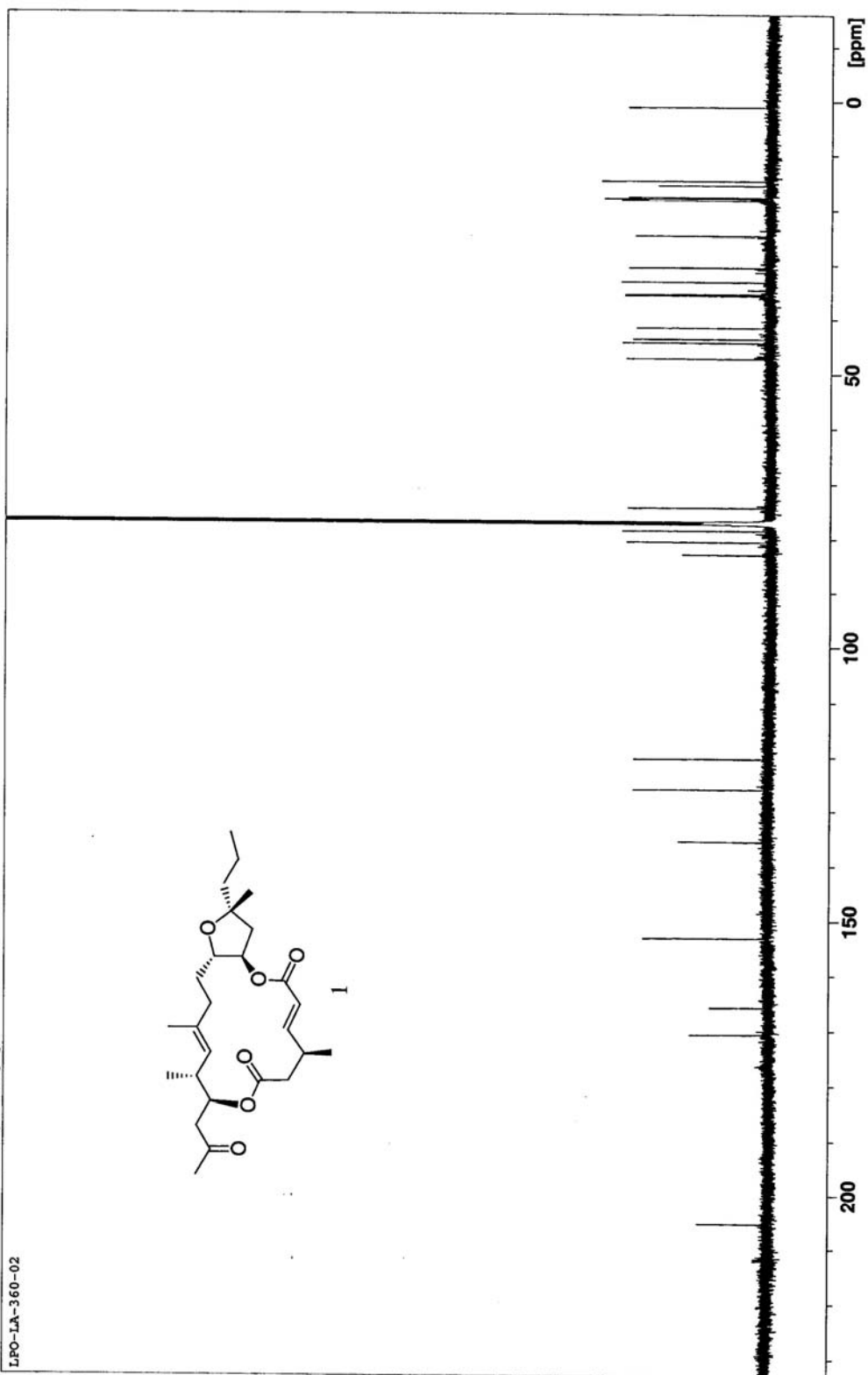
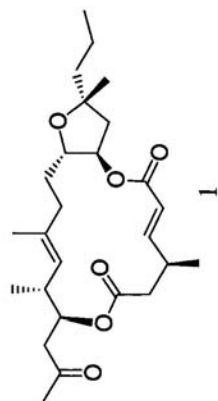
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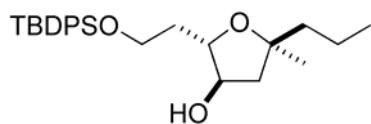


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## 19-*epi*-Amphidinolide X

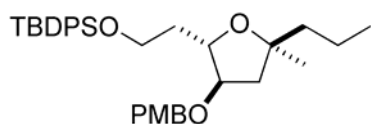
### (2*S*,3*R*,5*S*)-2-(2-((*tert*-Butyl(diphenyl)silyl)oxy)ethyl)-5-methyl-5-propyltetrahydrofuran-



**3-ol (*epi*-22).** (TMS)<sub>3</sub>SiH (91  $\mu$ L, 0.297 mmol) and AIBN (3.2 mg, 0.020 mmol) were added to a solution of bromoformate *epi*-20 (105 mg, 0.197 mmol) in toluene (10 mL) and the resulting mixture was stirred at 80 °C for 4 h. The solution was

allowed to reach ambient temperature before the solvent was evaporated. The residue was dissolved in MeOH (10 mL). Aq. sat. NaHCO<sub>3</sub> (1 mL) was added dropwise and the reaction mixture was stirred for 2 h before it was diluted with water (2 mL). A standard extractive work up with *tert*-butyl methyl ether followed by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 8/1) of the crude product provided the title compound as a colorless oil (73 mg, 87%).  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -13.4$  ( $c = 1.0$ , CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.70-7.66 (4H, m), 7.47-7.38 (6H, m), 4.12 (1H, q,  $J = 7.8$  Hz), 3.84-3.81 (2H, m), 3.73 (1H, ddd,  $J = 4.4, 7.5, 8.4$  Hz), 3.68 (1H, bs), 2.11 (1H, dd,  $J = 12.5, 7.7$  Hz), 1.92-1.73 (3H, m), 1.65-1.30 (4H, m), 1.21 (3H, s), 1.07 (9H, s), 0.94 (3H, t,  $J = 7.3$  Hz). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  135.7, 132.9, 130.1, 128.0, 83.5, 81.6, 76.2, 62.4, 45.1, 44.9, 37.1, 28.2, 26.9, 19.2, 17.9, 14.8. IR: 3435, 3071, 2959, 2932, 1589, 1472, 1428, 1112, 1086, , 738, 702 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 369 ([M-<sup>t</sup>Bu]<sup>+</sup>, 10), 351 (100). HRMS (ESI): *calcd.* for (C<sub>26</sub>H<sub>38</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Si+Na): 449.2488, *found* 449.2491 (M+Na).

### *tert*-Butyl(2-((2*S*,3*R*,5*S*)-3-((4-methoxybenzyl)oxy)-5-methyl-5-propyltetrahydrofuran-2-

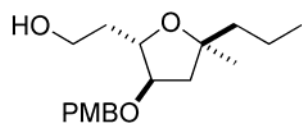


**yl)ethoxy)diphenylsilane (*epi*-23).** *p*-Methoxybenzyl trichloroacetimidate (232 mg, 0.820 mmol) and PPTS (10 mg, 0.041 mmol) were added over 5 min to a solution of alcohol *epi*-22 (70 mg, 0.164 mmol) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>/cyclohexane (1/2, 1.8

mL) at 0 °C. The reaction mixture was stirred at ambient temperature for 48 h before it was filtered through a pad of Celite. The filtrate was evaporated and the residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 40/1) to give the title compound as a colorless oil (48 mg, 54%).  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -17.9$  ( $c = 0.97$ , CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.70-7.67 (4H, m), 7.43-7.34 (6H, m), 7.20 (2H, d,  $J = 8.7$  Hz), 6.85 (2H, d,  $J = 8.7$  Hz), 4.41 (1H, d,  $J = 11.4$  Hz), 4.36 (1H, d,  $J = 11.4$  Hz), 4.02 (1H, dt,  $J = 7.3, 5.3$  Hz), 3.80 (3H, s), 3.84-3.75 (3H, m), 1.88 (1H, d,  $J = 6.1$  Hz), 1.91-1.76 (3H, m), 1.67-1.23 (4H, m), 1.15 (3H, s), 1.05 (9H, s), 0.91 (3H, t,  $J = 7.3$  Hz). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  159.3, 135.8, 134.2, 130.7, 129.6, 129.2, 127.7, 113.9, 84.0, 82.5, 79.5, 71.4, 61.2, 55.4, 43.6, 43.1, 38.1, 27.7, 22.8, 19.4, 18.0, 14.8. IR: 2958, 2932, 1613, 1428, 1111, 1084, 1037, 702 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 489 ([M-<sup>t</sup>Bu]<sup>+</sup>, 0.3), 351 (5), 199 (4), 121 (100). HRMS (CI): *calcd.* for (C<sub>34</sub>H<sub>46</sub>O<sub>4</sub>Si+H): 547.3241, *found* 547.3244

**2-((2*S*,3*R*,5*S*)-3-((4-methoxybenzyl)oxy)-5-methyl-5-propyltetrahydrofuran-2-yl)ethanol**

**(*epi*-24)** A solution of TBAF in THF (1 M, 192  $\mu$ L, 0.192 mmol) was added dropwise to a



solution of compound *epi*-23 (35 mg, 64.0  $\mu$ mol) in THF (185  $\mu$ L).

After stirring for 3 h, the reaction was quenched with sat. aq.  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$

(500  $\mu$ L) and diluted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether (1.0 mL). The

aqueous layer was extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether and the combined organic phases

were dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , filtered and evaporated. Flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl

acetate, 2/1) of the residue provided alcohol *epi*-24 as a colorless oil (19 mg, 96%).  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} =$

$-43.5$  ( $c = 0.97$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ).  $^1\text{H NMR}$  (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.24 (2H, d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz), 6.88 (2H, d,

$J = 8.6$  Hz), 4.48 (1H, d,  $J = 11.2$  Hz), 4.39 (1H, d,  $J = 11.2$  Hz), 3.96 (1H, ddd,  $J = 7.6$ , 6.6,

4.7 Hz), 3.85 (1H, dd,  $J = 13.7$ , 6.5), 3.81 (3H, s), 3.76-3.73 (2H, m), 2.94 (1H, bs), 1.99 (1H,

dd,  $J = 12.6$ , 7.4 Hz), 1.92-1.26 (8H, m), 1.20 (3H, s), 0.93 (3H, t,  $J = 7.3$  Hz).  $^{13}\text{C NMR}$  (100

MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  159.5, 129.5, 130.1, 114.1, 83.3, 83.1, 82.6, 71.9, 61.6, 55.4, 43.8, 42.9, 36.4,

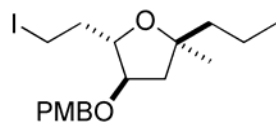
27.7, 17.9, 14.7. IR: 3444, 2959, 2933, 1613, 1514, 1249, 1173, 1084, 1036, 821  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS

(EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 308 ( $\text{M}^+$ , 7), 137 (8), 121 (100). HRMS (EI): *calcd.* for ( $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{28}\text{O}_4$ ):

308.1988, *found* 308.1987 ( $\text{M}^+$ ).

**(2*S*,4*R*,5*S*)-5-(2-iodoethyl)-4-((4-methoxybenzyl)oxy)-2-methyl-2-propyltetrahydrofuran**

**(*epi*-25).**  $\text{PPh}_3$  (24 mg, 92  $\mu$ mol) and imidazole (8 mg, 123  $\mu$ mol) were added to a solution of



alcohol *epi*-24 (19 mg, 61  $\mu$ mol) in  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}/\text{MeCN}$  (3/1, 640  $\mu$ L). After

stirring for 5 min, a solution of iodine (24 mg, 92  $\mu$ mol) in

$\text{Et}_2\text{O}/\text{MeCN}$  (3/1, 160  $\mu$ L) was added dropwise and the resulting

mixture was stirred for 2 h. The reaction was quenched with sat. aq.  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$  (500  $\mu$ L) and

diluted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether (750  $\mu$ L). The aqueous layer was repeatedly extracted

with *tert*-butyl methyl ether, the combined organic layers were dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , filtered

and evaporated. The residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetate,

25/1) to give *epi*-25 as a colorless oil (23 mg, 89%).  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = -32.1$  ( $c = 1.0$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ).  $^1\text{H NMR}$

(400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.24 (2H, d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz), 6.89 (2H, d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz), 4.47 (1H, d,  $J = 11.4$

Hz), 4.38 (1H, d,  $J = 11.4$  Hz), 3.85 (1H, ddd,  $J = 8.0$ , 5.9, 4.1 Hz), 3.81 (3H, s), 3.77 (1H, dd,

$J = 12.8$ , 5.9 Hz), 3.27-3.15 (2H, m), 2.19-1.86 (3H, m), 1.90 (1H, dd,  $J = 6.4$ , 3.6 Hz), 1.67-

1.26 (4H, m), 1.17 (3H, s), 0.92 (3H, t,  $J = 7.3$  Hz).  $^{13}\text{C NMR}$  (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  159.5,

130.3, 129.3, 114.0, 82.9, 82.8, 82.2, 71.6, 55.5, 43.6, 43.2, 39.4, 27.7, 18.0, 14.8, 2.0. IR:

2958, 2932, 2870, 1613, 1513, 1249, 1173, 1037, 821  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 418

( $\text{M}^+$ , 8), 375 (6), 233 (5), 137 (4), 121 (100). HRMS (ESI): *calcd.* for ( $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{27}\text{IO}_3+\text{Na}$ ):

441.0903, *found* 441.0903 ( $\text{M}+\text{Na}$ ).

**Compound 44.** A solution of *tert*-BuLi in pentane (1.7 M, 177  $\mu$ L, 0.301 mmol) was added to

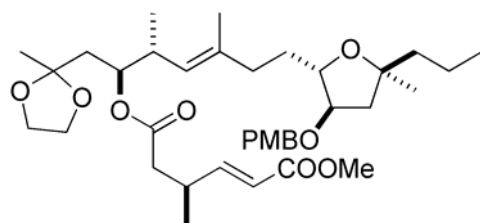
a mixture of  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$  (233  $\mu$ L) and THF (233  $\mu$ L) at  $-78^\circ\text{C}$  before a solution of alkyl iodide *epi*-

25 (21 mg, 50.2  $\mu$ mol) in THF (1.4 mL) was added dropwise (additional 233  $\mu$ L of THF were

used to rinse the flask). The mixture was stirred for 5 min at  $-78^\circ\text{C}$  before 9-MeO-9-BBN (51

$\mu$ L, 0.301 mmol) was introduced causing an immediate color change from yellow to colorless.

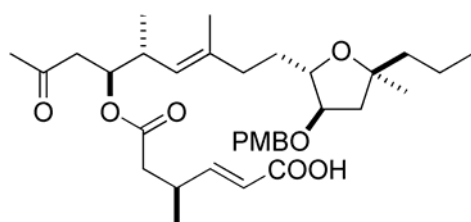
The mixture was stirred for 15 min at  $-78^{\circ}\text{C}$  and for 1 h at ambient temperature. An aq. solution of  $\text{K}_3\text{PO}_4$  (3 M, 100  $\mu\text{L}$ , 0.301 mmol) was added, followed by a solution of vinyl iodide **40** (24 mg, 50.2  $\mu\text{mol}$ ) in DMF (1.4 mL) (additional 230  $\mu\text{L}$  of DMF were used to rinse the flask). A solution of  $(\text{dppf})\text{PdCl}_2$  (1.8 mg, 2.5  $\mu\text{mol}$ ) and  $\text{AsPh}_3$  (1.5 mg, 5.0  $\mu\text{mol}$ ) in DMF (200  $\mu\text{L}$ ) was then added and the mixture was stirred for 2 h at ambient temperature. The mixture was diluted with hexanes/EtOAc (4/1 + 1 %  $\text{Et}_3\text{N}$ ) before it was filtered through a pad of silica (hexanes/EtOAc, 4/1 + 1 %  $\text{Et}_3\text{N}$  was used to rinse the pad). The combined filtrates were successively washed with sat. aq.  $\text{NaHCO}_3$ , sat. aq.  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$  and brine, the organic phase was dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , filtered and evaporated, and the residue was purified by



flash chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc, 15/1 + 1 %  $\text{Et}_3\text{N}$  to hexanes/EtOAc, 6/1 + 1 %  $\text{Et}_3\text{N}$ ) to afford compound **44** as a colorless oil (14 mg, 43 %).  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = -10.9$  ( $c = 1.0$ , MeOH).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ )  $\delta$  7.24 (2H, d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz), 7.02 (1H, dd,  $J = 7.1, 15.7$  Hz), 6.83 (2H, d,  $J = 8.7$  Hz), 5.86 (1H, dd,  $J = 1.3,$

15.7 Hz), 5.43 (1H, ddd,  $J = 8.3, 4.3, 2.5$  Hz), 5.27 (1H, d,  $J = 9.4$  Hz), 4.37 (1H, d,  $J = 11.5$  Hz), 4.28 (1H, d,  $J = 11.5$  Hz), 4.06 (1H, dt,  $J = 7.6, 5.2$  Hz), 3.73 (1H, dt,  $J = 7.3, 5.3$  Hz), 3.68-3.49 (4H, m), 3.42 (3H, s), 3.34 (3H, s), 2.78-2.66 (2H, m), 2.37-2.29 (1H, m), 2.25-2.16 (2H, m), 2.12-2.03 (2H, m), 1.89 (1H, dd,  $J = 2.4, 15.0$  Hz), 1.87-1.71 (4H, m), 1.65 (3H, d,  $J = 1.1$  Hz), 1.51-1.33 (4H, m), 1.34 (3H, s), 1.20 (3H, s), 1.00 (3H, d,  $J = 6.9$  Hz), 0.93 (3H, t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz), 0.86 (3H, d,  $J = 6.8$  Hz).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ )  $\delta$  171.0, 166.6, 159.8, 152.5, 137.0, 131.2, 129.4, 126.0, 120.4, 114.2, 109.3, 84.2, 82.3, 82.1, 73.5, 71.7, 64.62, 64.59, 54.9, 51.0, 43.8, 40.9, 40.8, 37.4, 36.5, 34.1, 33.2, 27.8, 24.6, 19.0, 18.2, 16.9, 16.6, 15.0 (one overlapping signal).

**Compound 45a.** Dry LiI was added to a solution of ester **44** (13 mg, 20  $\mu\text{mol}$ ) in pyridine (780  $\mu\text{L}$ ) and the resulting mixture was stirred for 30 h at  $125^{\circ}\text{C}$ . The mixture was then cooled to  $0^{\circ}\text{C}$  before it was diluted with  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (3.9 mL) and washed with HCl (2 M, 4 mL). The aqueous phase was repeatedly extracted with  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ , the combined organic layers were dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , filtered and evaporated. The residue was rapidly passed through silica (hexanes/EtOAc, 1/1 + 1 % HOAc) and the crude acid **45** thus formed was used in the next step without further purification.



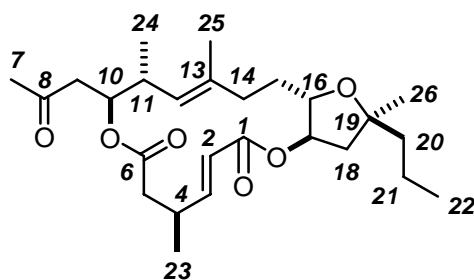
$\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (400  $\mu\text{L}$ ) was added to a solution of crude acid **45** in HOAc (400  $\mu\text{L}$ ) and the resulting mixture was stirred for 15 min at  $65^{\circ}\text{C}$ . After cooling to ambient temperature, the mixture was diluted with EtOAc and  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , and the aqueous phase was repeatedly extracted with EtOAc. The combined organic layers were dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , filtered and evaporated, and the residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc, 4/1 + 1 % HOAc) to afford carboxylic acid **45a** as a colorless oil (6.5 mg, 57 % over 2 steps).  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = -15.7$  ( $c = 1.0,$

CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.25 (2H, d, *J* = 8.6 Hz), 7.00 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.7, 7.0 Hz), 6.88 (2H, d, *J* = 8.6 Hz), 5.79 (1H, d, *J* = 15.8 Hz), 5.25-5.20 (1H, m), 5.02 (1H, d, *J* = 9.5 Hz), 4.49 (1H, d, *J* = 11.4 Hz), 4.39 (1H, d, *J* = 11.4 Hz), 3.92-3.76 (2H, m), 3.81 (3H, s), 2.85-2.79 (1H, m), 2.70-2.59 (1H, m), 2.62 (1H, dd, *J* = 16.4, 7.5 Hz), 2.52 (1H, dd, *J* = 16.7, 5.6 Hz), 2.47-2.34 (2H, m), 2.16-1.86 (4H, m), 2.11 (3H, s), 1.72-1.51 (4H, m), 1.56 (3H, d, *J* = 0.9 Hz), 1.42-1.24 (2H, m), 1.24 (3H, s), 1.12 (3H, d, *J* = 6.9 Hz), 0.94-0.91 (6H, m). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 206.0, 171.2, 169.8, 159.4, 153.7, 137.3, 130.4, 129.4, 124.8, 120.2, 114.0, 83.1, 82.8, 82.1, 73.9, 71.7, 55.4, 47.0, 43.4, 43.2, 41.1, 36.0, 35.6, 33.3, 32.9, 30.5, 27.3, 19.0, 17.9, 17.4, 16.4, 14.8.

**19-*epi*-Amphidinolide X (47).** An aqueous phosphate buffer solution (pH 7, 330 μL) was added to a solution of acid **45a** (5 mg, 8.5 μmol) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (330 μL). DDQ (8 mg, 34 μmol) was introduced at 0°C and the mixture was stirred for 15 h at ambient temperature. H<sub>2</sub>O was added and the mixture was repeatedly extracted with CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, the combined organic phases were dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered and evaporated. The residue was dissolved in hexanes/ethyl acetate, 4/1 + 1% acetic acid and filtered through a pad of silica (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 4/1 + 1% acetic acid was used to rinse the pad) to give crude seco-acid **46** as pale yellow oil which was used without any further purification in the final macrolactonisation.

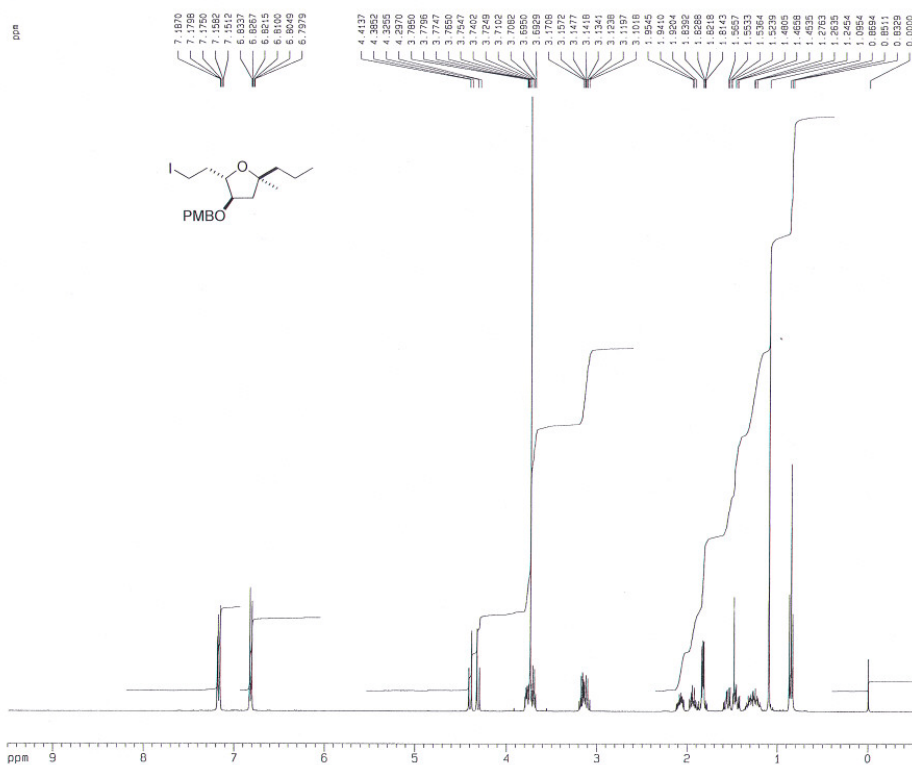
Et<sub>3</sub>N (4.5 μL, 32 μmol) and 2,4,6-trichlorobenzoyl chloride (2.0 μL, 13 μmol) were added to a solution of crude seco-acid **46** in THF (860 μL). The mixture was stirred for 1 h at room temperature before most of the THF was removed under a flow of Ar. The residue was diluted with toluene (2.2 mL) and the resulting solution was added via syringe pump over 2 h to a solution of DMAP (16 mg, 130 μmol) in toluene (8.6 mL) at ambient temperature. Once the addition was complete, the mixture was stirred for an additional 2 h. For work up, the solvent was evaporated and the remaining syrup was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/EtOAc, 10:1) to afford 19-amphidinolide X **47** as a colorless oil (1.5 mg, 39% over 2 steps). [ $\alpha$ ]<sub>D</sub><sup>17</sup> = -17° (c = 0.15, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 600 MHz) and <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 150 MHz) see Table 3.

**Table 3:**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 600 MHz) and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 150 MHz) of 19-*epi*-amphidinolide X (47).



19-*epi*-Amphidinolide X (47)

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3	7.11 (dd, 7.5, 15.8)	153.2
4	2.77 (m)	33.2
5	2.58 (dd, 3.5, 13.1)	41.7
7	2.41 (dd, 6.5, 13.4)	170.8
9	2.15 (s)	
	2.69 (dd, 16.2, 5.8)	30.4
	2.58 (dd, 16.5, 7.1)	
10	5.21 (m)	205.3
11	2.69 (m)	47.2
12	4.96 (d, 10.2)	74.4
14	2.19 (m)	35.7
	2.11 (m)	
15	1.97 (tt, 3.2, 13.3)	126.0
	1.55 (m)	
16	3.93 (dt, 10.5, 4.2)	135.6
17	5.21 (m)	35.4
	2.11 (m)	
18	1.90 (dd, 3.4, 13.7)	30.9
20	1.61 (m)	80.7
21	1.32 (m)	78.8
22	0.92 (t, 7.3)	41.9
23	1.15 (d, 6.9)	82.9
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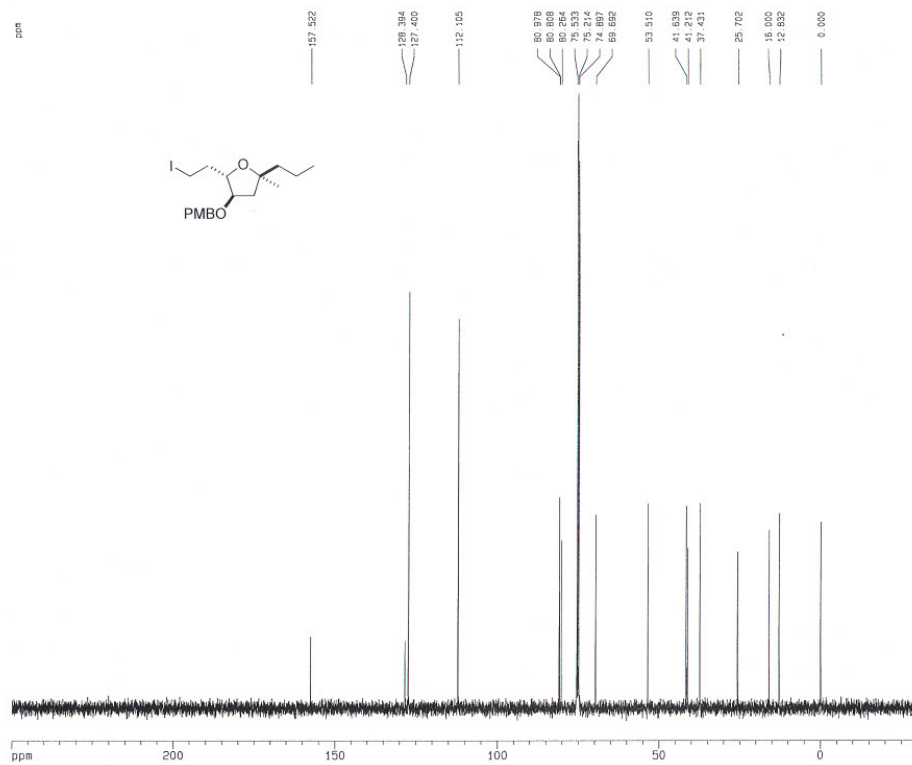
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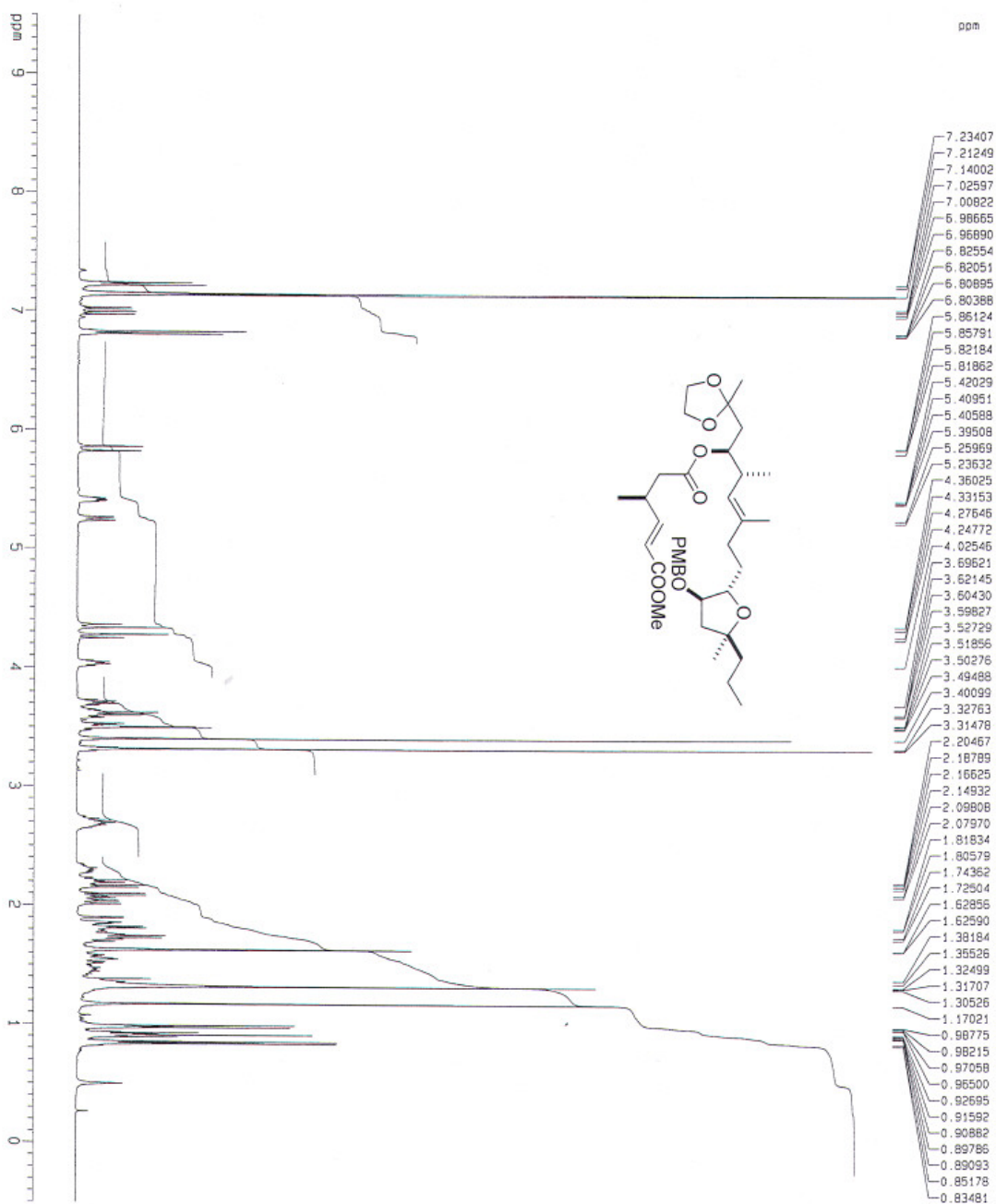
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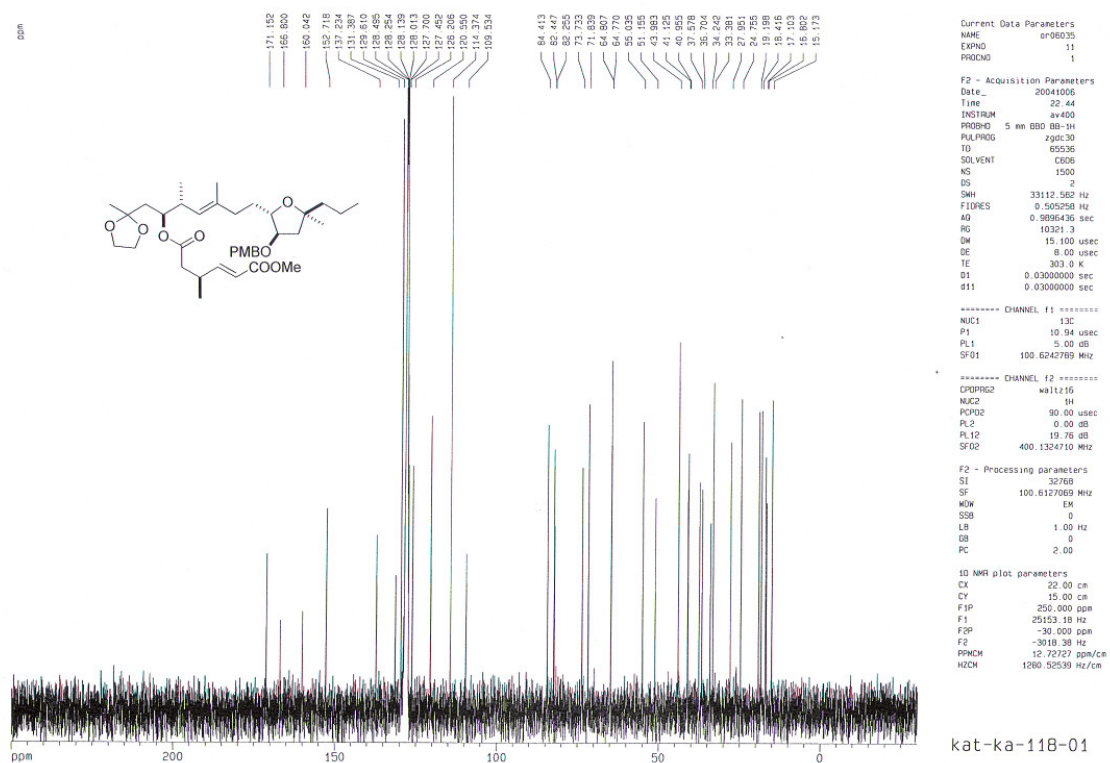
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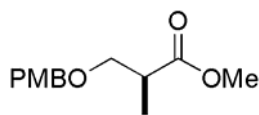




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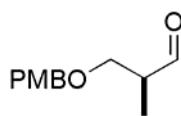
## Amphidinolide Y: Preparation of the Building Blocks

**Methyl (2S)-3-((4-methoxybenzyl)oxy)-2-methylpropanoate (49).** *p*-Methoxybenzyl



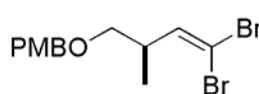
trichloroacetimidate (23.4 g, 83 mmol) and PPTS (1.5 g, 5.9 mmol) were added to a solution of (2S)-methyl 3-hydroxy-2-methylpropionate **48** (7.0 g, 59 mmol) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (120 mL). After stirring for 17 h at ambient temperature, the reaction mixture was diluted with CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (80 mL) and quenched with aq. sat. NaHCO<sub>3</sub> (40 mL). The organic layer was successively washed with aq. sat. NaHCO<sub>3</sub>, water, and brine, before it was dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> and filtered. The solvent was evaporated and the residue purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 25/1) to provide product **49** as a colorless oil (11.8 g, 84%).  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +8.7$  (c = 1.25, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.23 (2H, d, *J* = 8.7 Hz), 6.87 (2H, d, *J* = 8.7 Hz), 4.45 (2H, s), 3.80 (3H, s), 3.69 (3H, s), 3.63 (1H, dd, *J* = 9.2, 7.2 Hz), 3.46 (1H, dd, *J* = 9.2, 6.0 Hz), 2.77 (1H, h, *J* = 7.1 Hz), 1.17 (3H, d, *J* = 7.1 Hz). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 175.5, 159.4, 130.5, 129.3, 113.9, 72.9, 71.8, 55.4, 51.8, 40.4, 14.2. IR: 1739, 1612, 1586, 1514, 1248, 1091 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (EI) *m/z* (rel. intensity): 238 (M<sup>+</sup>, 12), 137 (100). HRMS (ESIpos): *calcd.* for (C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>18</sub>O<sub>4</sub>+Na): 261.1097, *found* 261.1097 (M+Na).

**(2S)-3-((4-Methoxybenzyl)oxy)-2-methylpropanal (50).** A solution of DIBAL-H in



hexanes (1 M, 67 mL, 67 mmol) was added dropwise over 15 min to a solution of ester **49** (14.3 g, 60 mmol) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (430 mL) at -78°C. After stirring for 2 h at that temperature, the reaction was quenched by pouring the cold solution into an aq. potassium-sodium tartrate solution (1 M, 500 mL). The resulting mixture was stirred vigorously at ambient temperature until phase separation occurred. The aqueous phase was repeatedly extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether, the combined organic layers were dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered and evaporated. The residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 60/1) to provide aldehyde **50** (9.8 g, 78%) as a colorless oil.  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +14.8$  (c = 1.85, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 9.64 (1H, d, *J* = 1.6 Hz), 7.16 (2H, d, *J* = 8.7 Hz), 6.81 (2H, d, *J* = 8.7 Hz), 3.73 (3H, s), 3.58 (2H, dd, *J* = 9.4, 6.7 Hz), 3.53 (2H, *J* = dd, 9.4, 5.3 Hz), 2.61-2.53 (1H, m), 1.05 (3H, d, *J* = 7.1 Hz). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 204.0, 159.5, 130.1, 129.4, 114.0, 73.1, 70.0, 55.4, 46.9, 10.9. IR: 2724, 1724, 1612, 1586, 1514, 1248, 1095 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (EI) *m/z* (rel. intensity): 208 (M<sup>+</sup>, 11), 137 (76), 121 (100). HRMS (EI(DE)): *calcd.* for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>16</sub>O<sub>3</sub>: 208.1099, *found* 208.1100 (M).

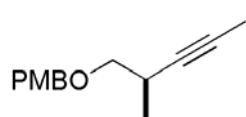
**1-(((2R)-4,4-Dibromo-2-methylbut-3-enyl)oxy)methyl-4-methoxybenzene.** PPh<sub>3</sub> (33 g,



125 mmol) was added in portions to a stirred solution of CBr<sub>4</sub> (21 g, 63 mmol) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (270 mL) at 0°C. After the mixture had been stirred for 1h at 0°C, the brown suspension was cooled to -78°C and a solution of aldehyde **50** (8.7 g, 42 mmol) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (80mL) was added dropwise over 30 min. After stirring had been continued for an additional hour at -78°C, the reaction was quenched

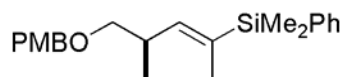
by pouring the cold solution into vigorously stirred hexanes (700 mL). The precipitates were filtered off, the filtrate was evaporated and the residue purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 60/1) to give the title compound as a colorless oil (13.6 g, 90%).  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = -7.3$  ( $c = 1.05$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ).  $^1\text{H NMR}$  (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.25 (2H, d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz), 6.89 (2H, d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz), 6.30 (1H, d,  $J = 9.1$  Hz), 4.48-4.41 (2H, m), 3.81 (3H, s), 3.39-3.31 (2H, m), 2.82-2.72 (1H, m), 1.05 (3H, d,  $J = 6.8$  Hz).  $^{13}\text{C NMR}$  (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  159.4, 141.4, 130.5, 129.3, 114.0, 88.9, 72.9, 72.8, 55.4, 38.9, 16.0. IR: 1612, 1586, 1514, 1248, 1095  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 366, 364, and 362 ( $\text{M}^+$ , 2, 4, 2), 136 (16), 121 (100). HRMS (EI(DE)): *calcd.* for  $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{16}\text{Br}_2\text{O}_2$ : 361.9517, *found* 361.9522 (M).

**1-Methoxy-4-(((2R)-2-methylpent-3-ynyl)oxy)methyl)benzene (52).**<sup>5</sup> A solution of *n*-BuLi



in hexanes (1.65 M, 46 mL) was added dropwise over 15 min to a solution of 1-(((2R)-4,4-dibromo-2-methylbut-3-enyl)oxy)methyl)-4-methoxybenzene (13.2 g, 36 mmol) in THF (300 mL) at  $-78^\circ\text{C}$ . The temperature was then allowed to raise to  $-20^\circ\text{C}$  and stirring was continued for 1 h at this temperature. The reaction was again cooled to  $-78^\circ\text{C}$  before MeI (6.8 mL, 109 mmol) was added dropwise over 5 min. The mixture was allowed to reach ambient temperature and was stirred for 15 h before the reaction was quenched with aq. sat.  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$  (80 mL). The aqueous layer was repeatedly extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether, the combined organic phases were dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , filtered and evaporated. The residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 60/1) to provide product **52** as a colorless oil (7.2 g, 91%).  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = +2.2$  ( $c = 0.95$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ).  $^1\text{H NMR}$  (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.27 (2H, d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz), 6.88 (2H, d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz), 4.50 (1H, d,  $J = 11.8$  Hz), 4.47 (1H, d,  $J = 11.8$  Hz), 3.81 (3H, s), 3.46 (1H, dd,  $J = 9.1, 6.1$  Hz), 3.29 (1H, dd,  $J = 9.1, 7.5$  Hz), 2.72-2.62 (1H, m), 1.77 (3H, d,  $J = 2.4$  Hz), 1.16 (3H, d,  $J = 6.9$  Hz).  $^{13}\text{C NMR}$  (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  159.3, 130.7, 129.4, 113.9, 81.4, 76.6, 74.3, 72.8, 55.4, 26.9, 18.3, 3.7. IR: 1612, 1586, 1513, 1248, 1092  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 218 ( $\text{M}^+$ , 2), 203 (9), 176 (19), 135 (10), 121 (100). HRMS (EI(DE)): *calcd.* for  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{18}\text{O}_2$ : 218.1307, *found* 218.1310 (M).

**((1E,3R)-4-((4-Methoxybenzyl)oxy)-1,3-dimethylbut-1-enyl)(dimethyl)phenyl-silane (55).**



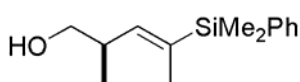
A solution of freshly prepared  $\text{LiSiMe}_2\text{Ph}$  in THF (0.36 M, 157 mL, 56 mmol)<sup>6</sup> was added to  $\text{CuCN}$  (2.5 g, 28 mmol) at  $0^\circ\text{C}$ . After stirring for 30 min at this temperature, the dark red solution was cooled to  $-78^\circ\text{C}$  before a solution of alkyne **52** (4.1 g, 19 mmol) in THF (20 mL) was added dropwise over 5 min. The reaction mixture was stirred for 30 min at  $-78^\circ\text{C}$  before it was allowed to reach  $0^\circ\text{C}$  and stirred for another 15 min at this temperature. After quenching with aq. sat.  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$  (40 mL), the organic layer was successively washed with water and brine,

<sup>5</sup> The enantiomer is described in: Organ, M. G.; Wang, J. *J. Org. Chem.* **2003**, *68*, 5568.

<sup>6</sup> Fleming, I.; Newton, T. W.; Roessler, F. *J. Chem. Soc. Perkin Trans. 1* **1981**, 2527.

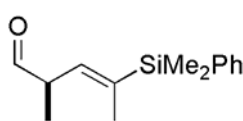
dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> and filtered. The solvent was evaporated and the residue purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 25/1) to provide vinylsilane **55** as a colorless oil (6.1 g, 92 %).  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -12.8$  (c = 1.45, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.50-7.48 (2H, m), 7.35-7.31 (3H, m), 7.24 (2H, d, *J* = 8.7 Hz), 6.87 (2H, d, *J* = 8.7 Hz), 6.62 (1H, dd, *J* = 8.8, 1.7 Hz), 4.44 (2H, s), 3.81 (3H, s), 3.33 (1H, dd, *J* = 9.1, 6.4 Hz), 3.27 (1H, dd, *J* = 9.1, 7.2 Hz), 2.99-2.88 (1H, m), 1.69 (3H, d, *J* = 1.7 Hz), 1.00 (3H, d, *J* = 6.7 Hz), 0.32 (s, 6H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 159.2, 144.2, 138.9, 134.5, 134.1, 131.0, 129.2, 128.9, 127.8, 113.9, 74.9, 72.7, 55.4, 33.4, 17.5, 15.1, -3.2, -3.2. IR: 2957, 1427, 1247, 1110 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (EI) *m/z* (rel. intensity): 354 (M<sup>+</sup>, 1), 202 (12), 161 (6), 135 (22), 121 (100). HRMS (ESIpos): *calcd.* for (C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>30</sub>O<sub>2</sub>SiNa): 377.1907, *found* 377.1909 (M+Na). Anal. *calcd.* for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>30</sub>O<sub>2</sub>Si: C 74.53, H 8.53, *found* C 74.42, H 8.50.

**(2R,3E)-4-(Dimethyl(phenyl)silyl)-2-methylpent-3-en-1-ol (56).** DDQ (4.6 g, 20 mmol)



was added in portions to a solution of vinylsilane **55** (6.0 g, 16.8 mmol) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>/pH 7 buffer (10/1, 140 mL) at 0°C. The mixture was then allowed to reach ambient temperature and stirring was continued for 1 h. After the reaction had been quenched with aq. sat. NaHCO<sub>3</sub> (40 mL), the aqueous phase was repeatedly extracted with CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, the combined organic layers were dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered and evaporated to give an inseparable mixture of crude alcohol **56** and *p*-methoxybenzaldehyde. A solution of this residue in MeOH (125 mL) at 0°C was reacted with NaBH<sub>4</sub> (0.70, 18.5 mmol) to reduce the aldehyde by-product. After the mixture had been stirred for 1 h at ambient temperature, the reaction was quenched with aq. sat. NH<sub>4</sub>Cl (50 mL). MeOH was removed under reduced pressure and the residue diluted with water and *tert*-butyl methyl ether. The aqueous layer was repeatedly extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether, the combined organic phases were dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered and evaporated. The residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 10/1) to provide pure alcohol **56** as a colorless oil (3.6 g, 92%).  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +20.9$  (c = 1.19, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.50-7.48 (2H, m), 7.36-7.33 (3H, m), 5.57 (1H, dq, *J* = 9.1, 1.7 Hz), 3.51 (1H, dd, *J* = 10.4, 6.1 Hz), 3.40 (1H, dd, *J* = 10.4, 7.8 Hz), 2.91-2.80 (1H, m), 1.72 (3H, d, *J* = 1.7 Hz), 1.38 (1H, bs), 0.97 (3H, d, *J* = 6.7 Hz), 0.34 (6H, d, *J* = 0.9 Hz). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 143.4, 138.5, 137.0, 134.0, 129.0, 127.9, 67.7, 35.8, 16.7, 15.4, -3.3. IR: 3341, 3068, 1618, 1428, 1248 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (EI) *m/z* (rel. intensity): 219 ([M-Me]<sup>+</sup>, 27), 203 (6), 177 (26), 157 (20), 135 (100). HRMS (ESIpos): *calcd.* for (C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>22</sub>OSiNa): 257.1332, *found* 257.1334 (M+Na). Anal. *calcd.* for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>22</sub>OSi: C 71.73, H 9.46, *found* C 71.87, H 9.54.

**(2R,3E)-4-(Dimethyl(phenyl)silyl)-2-methylpent-3-enal (57).** Dess-Martin periodinane (3.3

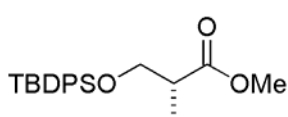


g, 7.7 mmol)<sup>7</sup> was added to a solution of alcohol **56** (1.2 g, 5.1 mmol) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (125 mL) at 0°C. After the mixture had been stirred for 4 h at 0°C, the reaction was quenched with aq. sat. NaHCO<sub>3</sub>/Na<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> (1/1, 45

<sup>7</sup> Boeckman, R. K., Jr.; Shao, P.; Mullins, J. J. *Org. Synth.* **2000**, *77*, 141.

mL), and stirring was continued for 10 min at 0°C. The organic layer was successively washed with aq. sat. NaHCO<sub>3</sub>, water, and brine, before it was dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> and filtered. The filtrate was concentrated to a volume of ca. 10 mL before it was rapidly filtered through a short pad of silica. Concentration of the filtrate provided the sensitive aldehyde **57** as a colorless oil (1.1 g, 92%).  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -140.8$  (c = 1.13, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>) δ 9.25 (1H, d, *J* = 1.6 Hz), 7.48-7.45 (2H, m), 7.24-7.19 (3H, m), 5.60 (1H, dq, *J* = 8.5, 1.7 Hz), 3.13-3.05 (1H, m), 1.55 (3H, d, *J* = 1.7 Hz), 0.93 (3H, d, *J* = 6.9 Hz), 0.27 (6H, s). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>) δ 199.1, 140.4, 137.9, 136.8, 134.3, 129.5, 128.2, 46.9, 15.7, 13.7, -3.5, -3.5. IR: 2808, 2710, 1723, 1610, 1428, 1249 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (EI) *m/z* (rel. intensity): 232 (M<sup>+</sup>, 2), 217 (16), 177 (5), 155 (15), 135 (100). HRMS (EI(Fe)): *calcd.* for (C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>20</sub>OSi): 232.1283, *found* 232.1279 (M). Anal. *calcd.* for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>20</sub>OSi: C 72.36, H 8.67, *found* C 72.30, H 8.62.

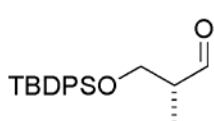
**Methyl (2R)-3-((tert-butyl(diphenyl)silyl)oxy)-2-methylpropanoate (58).** TBDPSCl (23.8



g, 87 mmol) was added to a solution of (2R)-methyl 3-hydroxy-2-methylpropanoate *ent*-**48** (8.5 g, 72 mmol), imidazole (7.4 g, 108 mmol), and DMAP (0.4 g, 3.6 mmol) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (240 mL). After stirring for 16 h at ambient temperature, the reaction mixture was

quenched with water, and the organic layer was successively washed with water and brine before it was dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered and evaporated. The residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 60/1) to provide ester **58** as a colorless oil (23.1 g, 90%).  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -17.8$  (c = 1.16, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.66-7.64 (4H, m), 7.45-7.36 (6H, m), 3.83 (1H, dd, *J* = 9.8, 6.9 Hz), 3.72 (1H, dd, *J* = 9.8, 5.8 Hz), 3.69 (3H, s), 2.72 (1H, h, *J* = 7.0 Hz), 1.16 (3H, d, *J* = 7.0 Hz), 1.03 (9H, s). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 175.5, 135.7, 133.7, 129.8, 127.8, 66.1, 51.7, 42.6, 26.9, 19.4, 13.6. IR: 3071, 2932, 1742, 1472, 1428, 1199, 1112 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (EI) *m/z* (rel. intensity): 325 ([M-OMe]<sup>+</sup>, 4), 299 (100). HRMS (ESIpos): *calcd.* for (C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>28</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Si+Na): 379.1700, *found* 379.1698 (M+Na).

**(2R)-3-((tert-Butyl(diphenyl)silyl)oxy)-2-methylpropanal (59).** A solution of DIBAL-H in

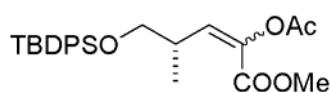


hexanes (1 M, 69 mL, 69 mmol) was added dropwise over 15 min to a solution of ester **58** (21.8 g, 61 mmol) in hexanes (430 mL) at -78°C. After stirring for 2 h at -78°C, the reaction was quenched by pouring the cold

solution into an aq. potassium-sodium tartrate solution (1 M, 550 ml). The resulting mixture was vigorously stirred at ambient temperature until phase separation occurred. The aqueous layer was repeatedly extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether, the combined organic layers were dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered and evaporated, and the residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 60/1) to provide aldehyde **59** as a colorless oil (15.7 g, 79%).  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -21.5$  (c = 1.44, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 9.77 (1H, d, *J* = 1.6 Hz), 7.66-7.64 (4H, m), 7.46-7.37 (6H, m), 3.90 (1H, dd, *J* = 10.3, 5.1 Hz), 3.85 (1H, dd, *J* = 10.3, 6.3 Hz), 2.61-2.53 (1H, m), 1.10 (3H, d, *J* = 7.0 Hz), 1.05 (9H, s). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 204.5, 135.7, 133.4, 130.0, 127.9, 64.3, 49.0, 26.9, 19.4, 10.5. IR: 3071, 2932, 2714, 1737, 1472, 1428, 1112 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (EI) *m/z* (rel. intensity): 269 (83), 239 (82), 199

(25), 191 (70), 183 (100). HRMS (ESIpos): *calcd.* for (C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>26</sub>O<sub>2</sub>Si+Na): 349.1594, *found* 349.1593 (M+Na).

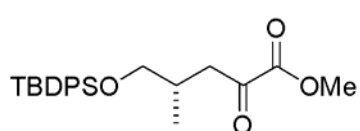
**Methyl (2E,4S)-2-(acetyloxy)-5-((tert-butyl(diphenyl)silyl)oxy)-4-methylpent-2-enoate**



**(61).** LiHMDS (6.8 g, 40 mmol) was added to a solution of methyl 2-(acetyloxy)-2-(dimethoxyphosphoryl)acetate **60** (9.7 g, 40 mmol)<sup>8</sup> in THF (145 mL) at  $-78^{\circ}\text{C}$ . After stirring for 30 min at that temperature, a solution of aldehyde **59** (11.0 g, 34 mmol) in THF (25 mL) was added dropwise over 10 min. Stirring was continued for 1 h at  $-78^{\circ}\text{C}$  before the mixture was allowed to reach ambient temperature and stirred for additional 2 h. The reaction was then quenched with water and the aqueous phase was repeatedly extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether. The combined organic layers were dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered, and evaporated, and the residue was purified by flash chromatography to give methyl enoate **61** as a colorless oil (13.5 g, 91%, *E/Z* = 6/1).  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = +22.0$  ( $c = 1.46$ , CHCl<sub>3</sub>). *E*-isomer: <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.66-7.63 (4H, m), 7.44-7.35 (6H, m), 5.85 (1H, d,  $J = 10.1$  Hz), 3.75 (3H, s), 3.63-3.48 (3H, m), 2.19 (3H, s), 1.10 (3H, d,  $J = 6.6$  Hz), 1.04 (9H, s). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  169.7, 162.5, 137.3, 136.8, 135.7, 133.7, 129.8, 127.8, 68.0, 52.2, 34.3, 27.0, 20.6, 19.4, 17.1. IR: 3071, 2932, 1762, 1733, 1662, 1472, 1428, 1229, 1112 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 409 ([M-OMe]<sup>+</sup>, 3), 383 (100). HRMS (ESIpos): *calcd.* for (C<sub>25</sub>H<sub>32</sub>O<sub>5</sub>Si+Na): 463.1911, *found* 463.1907 (M+Na). Anal. *calcd.* for C<sub>25</sub>H<sub>32</sub>O<sub>5</sub>Si: C 68.15, H 7.32, *found* C 67.96, H 7.28.

*Z*-isomer: <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, characteristic signals only):  $\delta$  6.46 (1H, d,  $J = 10.0$  Hz), 3.77 (3H, s), 2.20 (3H, s), 1.05 (9H, s). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  167.0, 162.5, 137.3, 136.8, 135.8, 134.3, 129.8, 127.8, 67.3, 52.5, 34.3, 27.0, 20.5, 19.4, 17.1.

**Methyl (4S)-5-((tert-butyl(diphenyl)silyl)oxy)-4-methyl-2-oxopentanoate (62).**

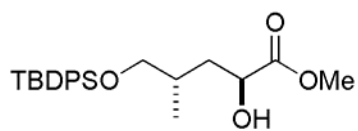


(1.5 g, 28 mmol) was added to a solution of compound **61** (10.2 g, 23 mmol) in MeOH (230 mL) at  $-40^{\circ}\text{C}$ . After the mixture had been stirred for 6 h at this temperature, the reaction was quenched with aq. sat. NH<sub>4</sub>Cl (40 mL) and the resulting mixture was allowed to reach ambient temperature. MeOH was removed under reduced pressure and the aqueous phase was repeatedly extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether. The combined organic layers were dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered, and evaporated, and the residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 30/1) to provide ketoester **62** as a colorless oil (7.9 g, 86%).  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = -10.1$  ( $c = 1.02$ , CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.66-7.63 (4H, m), 7.45-7.36 (6H, m), 3.84 (3H, s), 3.57 (1H, dd,  $J = 10.0, 5.1$  Hz), 3.46 (1H, dd,  $J = 10.0, 7.0$  Hz), 3.08 (1H, dd,  $J = 17.1, 5.8$  Hz), 2.67, (1H, dd,  $J = 17.1, 7.6$  Hz), 2.42-2.30 (1H, m), 1.05 (9H, s), 0.94 (3H, d,  $J = 6.8$  Hz). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  193.9, 161.7, 135.7,

<sup>8</sup> (a) Nakamura, E. *Tetrahedron Lett.* **1981**, 22, 663. (b) Schmidt, U.; Langner, J.; Kirschbaum, B.; Braun, C. *Synthesis* **1994**, 11, 1138.

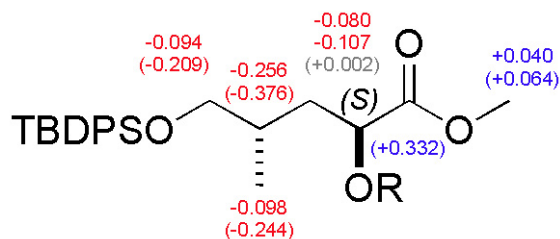
133.7, 129.8, 127.8, 68.3, 53.0, 43.4, 32.1, 27.0, 19.4, 16.8. IR: 3071, 2932, 1754, 1731, 1472, 1428, 1263, 1112  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 341 (53), 313 (20), 281 (6), 235 (15), 213 (100). HRMS (ESIpos): *calcd.* for  $(\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{30}\text{O}_4\text{Si}+\text{Na})$ : 421.1806, *found* 421.1803 (M+Na). Anal. *calcd.* for  $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{30}\text{O}_4\text{Si}$ : C 69.24, H 7.51, *found* C 69.26, H 7.46.

**Methyl (2*S*,4*S*)-5-((*tert*-butyl(diphenyl)silyl)oxy)-2-hydroxy-4-methylpentanoate (63).**

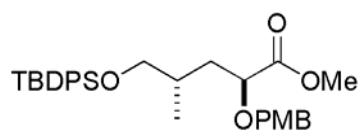


Ketoester **62** (7.5 g, 18.8 mmol) was solubilized under Ar in an autoclave (200 mL) in degassed MeOH (94 mL).  $[\text{Et}_2\text{NH}_2][\text{Ru}_2\text{Cl}_5((S)\text{-binap})_2]$  (400 mg, 0.24 mmol)<sup>9</sup> and a stock solution of HCl in MeOH (14 mM, 1.3 mL, 18  $\mu\text{mol}$ ) were added. The autoclave was purged four times with hydrogen before the mixture was hydrogenated for 2.5 h under 20 bar hydrogen pressure at ambient temperature. The reaction mixture was filtered through a pad of Celite (rinsed with hexanes/ethyl acetate, 4/1), the combined filtrates were evaporated and the residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 10/1) to provide hydroxyester **63** as a colorless oil (dr  $\geq$  23/1, 6.9 g, 92%).  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = -6.0$  (c = 1.0,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.69-7.67 (4H, m), 7.46-7.37 (6H, m), 4.28 (1H, dd,  $J = 9.2, 1.3$  Hz), 3.78 (3H, s), 3.54-3.52 (2H, m), 3.04 (1H, s), 2.07-1.96 (1H, m), 1.78 (1H, ddd,  $J = 14.0, 10.0, 4.7$  Hz), 1.64 (1H, ddd,  $J = 13.9, 8.9, 3.3$  Hz), 1.07 (9H, s), 0.98 (3H, d,  $J = 6.8$  Hz).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  176.1 135.7, 133.7, 129.7, 127.8 69.3, 69.2, 52.6 38.8, 32.8 27.0, 19.4, 16.4. IR: 3496, 3071, 2931, 1738, 1472, 1428, 1218, 1112, 1086  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 311 (1), 283 (7), 265 (100). HRMS (ESIpos): *calcd.* for  $(\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{32}\text{O}_4\text{Si}+\text{Na})$ : 423.1962, *found* 423.1958 (M+Na). Anal. *calcd.* for  $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{32}\text{O}_4\text{Si}$ : C 68.96, H 8.05, *found* C 68.91, H 7.94; *minor diastereomer*:  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ , characteristic signal):  $\delta$  3.79 (3H, s).

**Analysis of the Mosher esters derived from compound 63:**  $\Delta\delta^{\text{SR}}$  values in ppm from  $^1\text{H}$  (and  $^{13}\text{C}$ ) NMR spectra of the MTPA esters.



**Methyl (2*S*,4*S*)-5-((*tert*-butyl(diphenyl)silyl)oxy)-2-((4-methoxybenzyl)oxy)-4-methyl-**

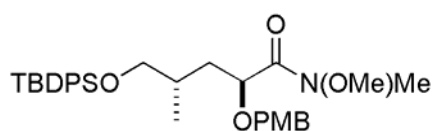


**pentanoate (64).**  $\text{BF}_3\cdot\text{OEt}_2$  (6.9  $\mu\text{L}$ , 55  $\mu\text{mol}$ ) was added dropwise to a solution of hydroxyester **63** (8.8 g, 21.8 mmol) and *p*-methoxybenzyl trichloroacetimidate (8.6 g, 32.8 mmol) in

<sup>9</sup> King, S. A.; Keller, J. *Org. Synth.* **2005**, *81*, 178.

CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>/C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>12</sub> (1/2, 70 mL) at 0°C, causing the immediate formation of a white precipitate. After stirring for 1 h at 0°C, the reaction mixture was filtered through a pad of Celite, the filtrate was evaporated and the residue purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 30/1) to give product **64** as a colorless oil (9.6 g, 84%).  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -33.6$  (c = 1.04, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.65-7.63 (4H, m), 7.44-7.34 (6H, m), 7.24 (2H, d, *J* = 8.7 Hz), 6.86 (2H, d, *J* = 8.7 Hz), 4.61 (1H, d, *J* = 11.3 Hz), 4.30 (1H, d, *J* = 11.3 Hz), 3.99 (1H, dd, *J* = 9.7, 3.7 Hz), 3.80 (3H, s), 3.73 (3H, s), 3.52 (1H, dd, *J* = 9.9, 5.4 Hz), 3.45 (1H, dd, *J* = 9.9, 5.9 Hz), 1.97-1.87 (2H, m), 1.55-1.48 (1H, m), 1.04 (9H, s), 0.86 (3H, d, *J* = 6.6 Hz). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 174.0, 159.5, 135.8, 134.0, 129.9, 129.7, 129.7, 127.7, 113.9, 76.1, 72.0, 69.1, 55.4, 52.0, 36.7, 32.3, 27.0, 19.5, 16.2. IR: 3071, 2932, 1751, 1737, 1613, 1514, 1471, 1428, 1249, 1201, 1112 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (EI) *m/z* (rel. intensity): 463 ([M-<sup>t</sup>Bu]<sup>+</sup>, 0.4), 213 (2), 199 (4), 183 (2), 121 (100). HRMS (ESIpos): *calcd.* for (C<sub>31</sub>H<sub>40</sub>O<sub>5</sub>Si+Na): 543.2537, *found* 543.2537 (M+Na). Anal. *calcd.* for C<sub>31</sub>H<sub>40</sub>O<sub>5</sub>Si: C 71.50, H 7.74, *found* C 71.44, H 7.65; *minor diastereomer*: <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, characteristic signal) δ 0.97 (1H, d, *J* = 6.6 Hz).

**(2*S*,4*S*)-5-((*tert*-butyl(diphenyl)silyloxy)-*N*-methoxy-2-((4-methoxybenzyl)oxy)-*N*,4-**



**dimethylpentanamide (65).** LiOH (0.94 g, 40.6 mmol)

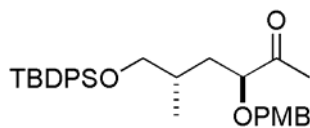
was added to a solution of ester **64** (8.1 g, 15.6 mmol) in MeOH/THF/water (4/1/1, 155 mL). After the mixture had been stirred for 24 h at ambient temperature, the reaction was quenched with aq. HCl (2 M, 35 mL) and the aqueous layer was repeatedly extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether. The combined organic phases were dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered, and evaporated, and the resulting crude acid was used in the next step without further purification.

The crude acid was dissolved in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (100 mL), and the resulting mixture was cooled to 0°C before EtN(*i*Pr)<sub>2</sub> (3.3 mL, 18.7 mmol), N,O-dimethylhydroxylamin-hydrochloride (1.8 g, 18.7 mmol), DCC (3.4 g, 16.4 mmol), and DMAP (95 mg, 0.78 mmol) were added successively. The mixture was stirred for 2 h at 0°C and for another 14 h at ambient temperature. The precipitates formed were filtered off before the reaction was quenched with water. The aqueous phase was repeatedly extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether, the combined organic layers were dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered, and evaporated, and the residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 4/1) to give amide **65** as a colorless oil (7.4 g, 86% over 2 steps).  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -37.9$  (c = 1.09, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.67-7.64 (4H, m), 7.44-7.35 (6H, m), 7.26 (2H, d, *J* = 8.7 Hz), 6.86 (2H, d, *J* = 8.7 Hz), 4.62 (1H, d, *J* = 11.5 Hz), 4.32-4.29 (1H, m), 4.27 (1H, d, *J* = 11.5 Hz), 3.80 (3H, s), 3.59-3.55 (1H, m), 3.57 (3H, s), 3.46 (1H, dd, *J* = 9.8, 6.2 Hz), 3.20 (3H, s), 2.03-1.95 (1H, m), 1.90 (1H, ddd, *J* = 13.9, 10.0, 4.0 Hz), 1.45, (1H, ddd, *J* = 13.9, 9.8, 3.0 Hz), 1.05 (9H, s), 0.89 (3H, d, *J* = 6.7 Hz). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 174.1, 159.4, 135.7, 134.0, 130.1, 129.8, 129.6, 127.7, 113.8, 73.4, 71.1, 69.3, 61.3, 55.4, 35.9, 32.6, 32.4, 27.0, 19.4, 16.1. IR: 3070, 2932, 1677, 1612, 1513, 1389, 1428, 1112, 999 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (EI) *m/z* (rel. intensity): 492 ([M-<sup>t</sup>Bu]<sup>+</sup>, 2), 413

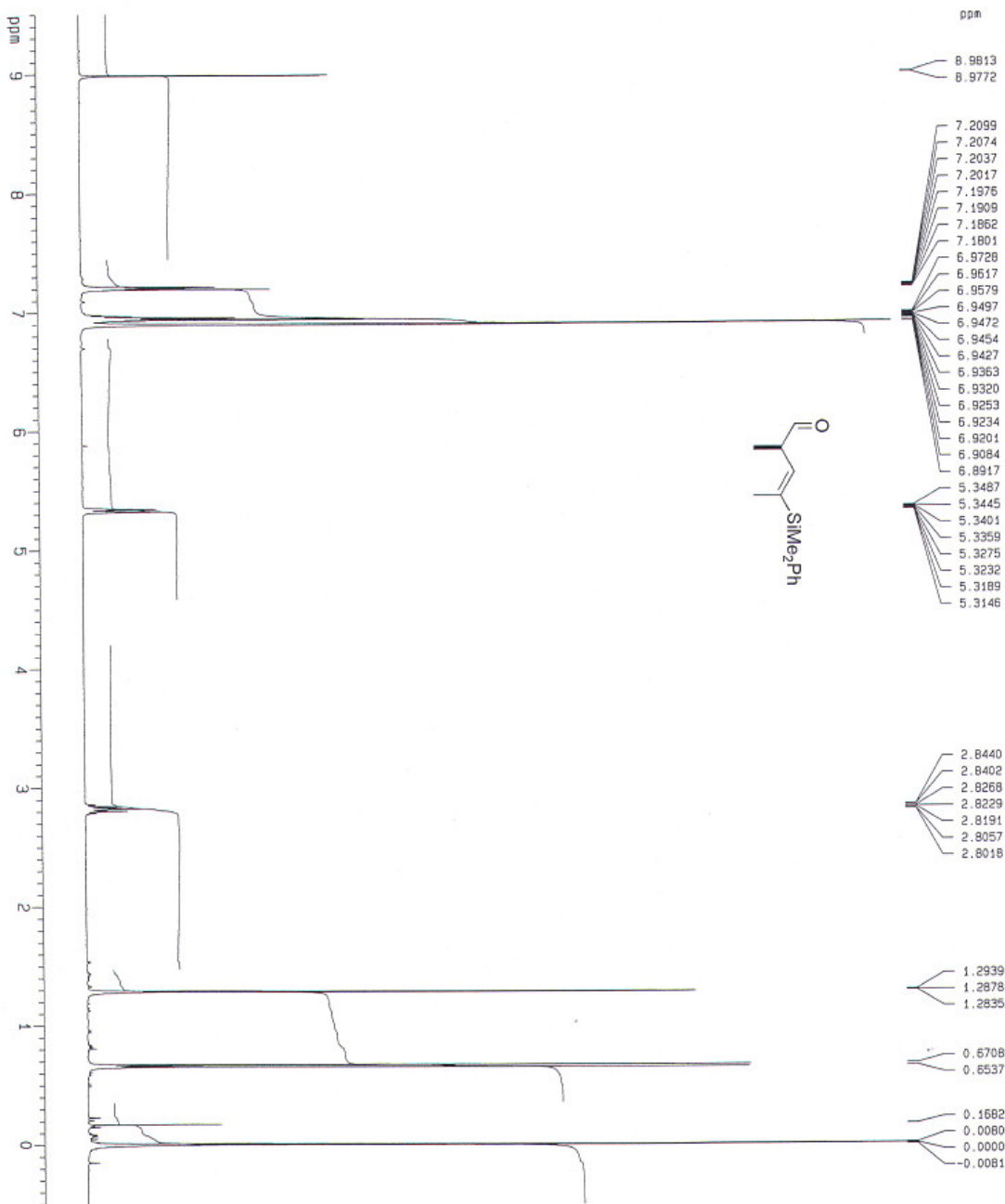


(5), 275 (14), 199 (9), 121 (100). HRMS (ESIpos): *calcd.* for (C<sub>32</sub>H<sub>43</sub>O<sub>5</sub>Si+Na): 572.2803, *found* 572.2800 (M+Na). Anal. *calcd.* for C<sub>32</sub>H<sub>43</sub>O<sub>5</sub>Si: C 69.91, H 7.88, N 2.55, *found* C 69.79, H 7.69, N 2.45.

**(3*S*,5*S*)-6-((*tert*-butyl(diphenyl)silyl)oxy)-3-((4-methoxybenzyl)oxy)-5-methyl-hexan-2-one (66).** A solution of MeMgBr in Et<sub>2</sub>O (3 M, 11.8 mL, 35.4 mmol) was added dropwise



over 10 min to a solution of amide **65** (6.5 g, 11.8 mmol) in THF (45 mL) at 0°C. After the mixture had been stirred for 1 h at 0°C, the reaction was carefully quenched with aq. sat. NH<sub>4</sub>Cl (15 mL) and the aqueous phase was repeatedly extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether. The combined organic layers were dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered, and evaporated, and the residue purified by flash chromatography to provide methylketone **66** as a colorless oil (5.4 g, 91%).  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -36.2$  (c = 1.42, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.66-7.63 (4H, m), 7.44-7.34 (6H, m), 7.22 (2H, d, *J* = 8.7 Hz), 6.86 (2H, d, *J* = 8.7 Hz), 4.49 (1H, d, *J* = 11.3 Hz), 4.29 (1H, d, *J* = 11.3 Hz), 3.81-3.78 (1H, m), 3.81 (3H, s), 3.52 (1H, dd, *J* = 9.9, 5.8 Hz), 3.47 (1H, dd, *J* = 9.9, 5.9 Hz), 2.15 (3H, s), 1.99-1.88 (1H, m), 1.81 (1H, ddd, *J* = 13.9, 10.0, 4.2 Hz), 1.33 (1H, ddd, *J* = 13.9, 9.5, 3.7 Hz), 1.05 (9H, s), 0.87 (3H, d, *J* = 6.7 Hz). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 212.2, 159.5, 135.8, 134.0, 129.9, 129.8, 129.7, 127.7, 114.0, 83.2, 72.3, 69.1, 55.4, 35.8, 32.3, 27.0, 25.2, 19.5, 16.3. IR: 3071, 2932, 1714, 1612, 1514, 1471, 1428, 1249, 1112 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (EI) *m/z* (rel. intensity): 447 ([M-<sup>t</sup>Bu]<sup>+</sup>, 0.1), 199 (6), 121 (100). HRMS (ESIpos): *calcd.* for (C<sub>31</sub>H<sub>40</sub>O<sub>4</sub>Si+Na): 527.2588, *found* 527.2587 (M+Na). Anal. *calcd.* for C<sub>31</sub>H<sub>40</sub>O<sub>4</sub>Si: C 73.77, H 7.99, *found* C 73.62, H 7.86.



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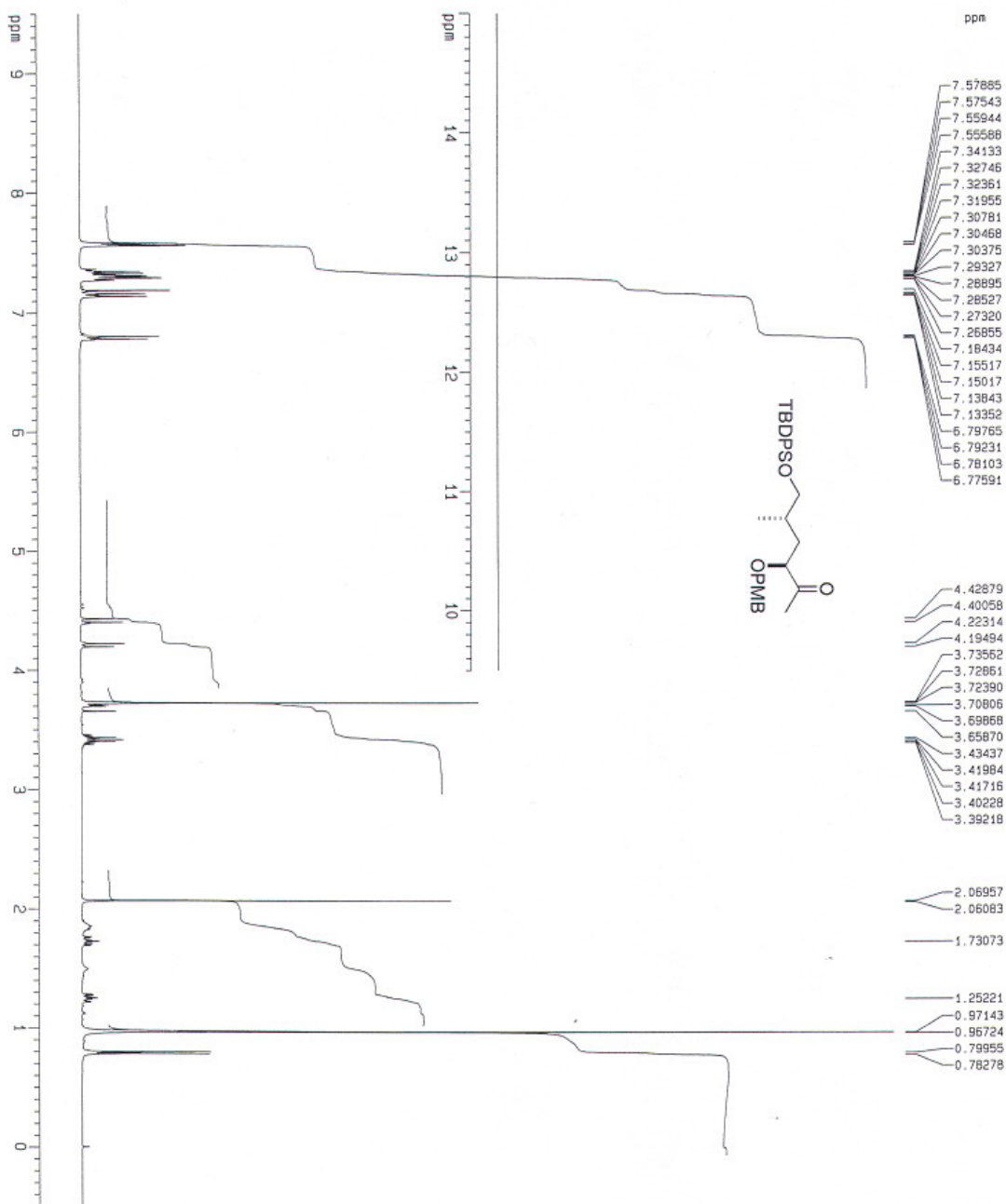
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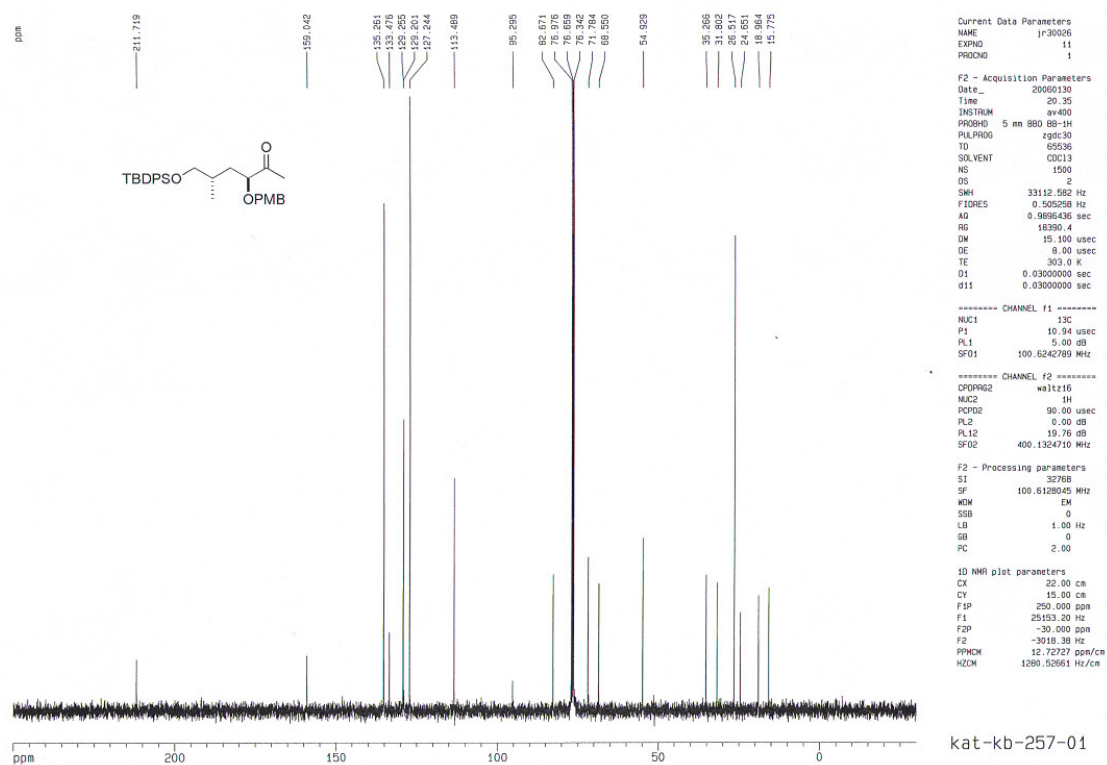
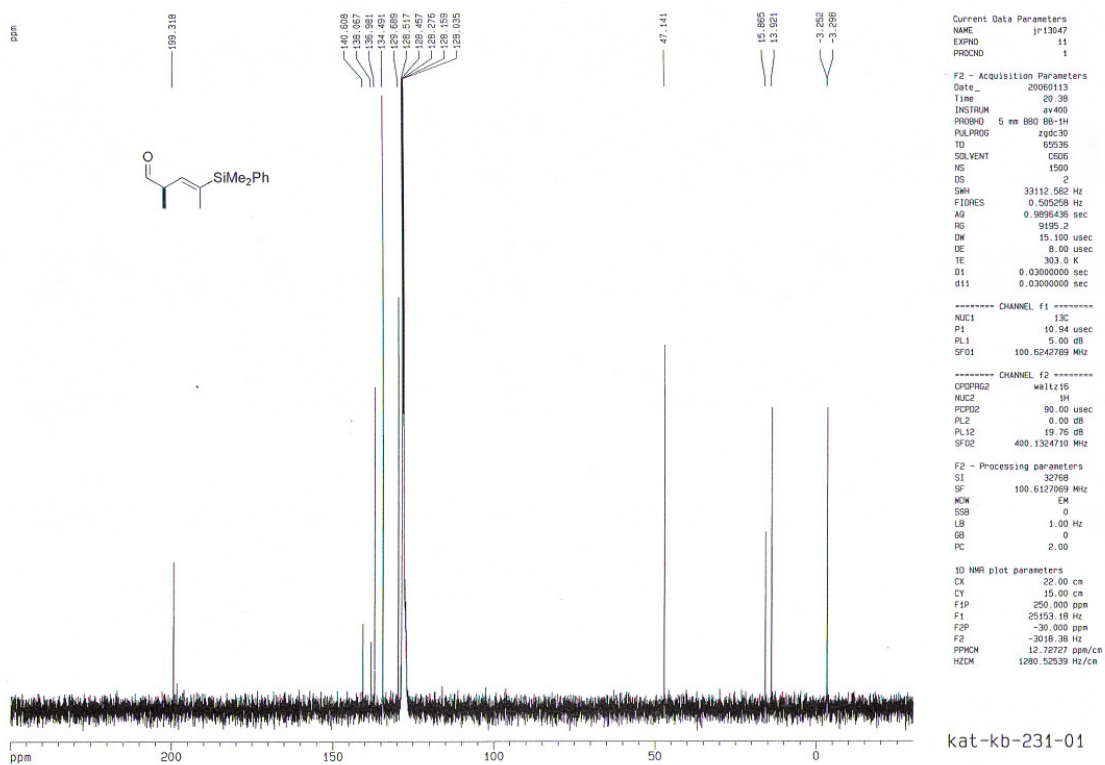
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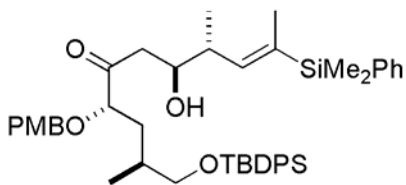
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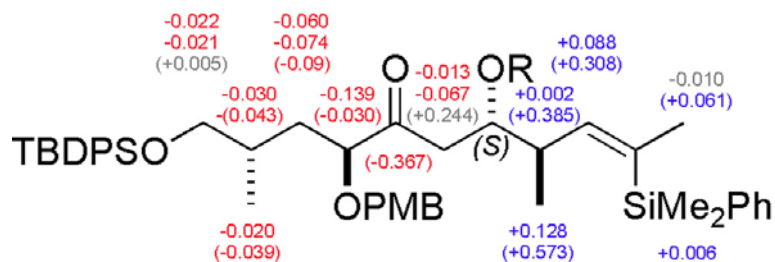
## Amphidinolide Y: Elaboration of the Western Domain

**Aldol products 68 and 69.** A solution of ketone **66** (2.22 g, 4.40 mmol) in toluene (6.5 mL) was added dropwise to a solution of Et<sub>2</sub>BOTf (0.93 g, 4.26 mmol) and EtN(*i*Pr)<sub>2</sub> (0.75 mL, 4.33 mmol) in toluene (13 mL) at -78°C. The resulting mixture was stirred for 90 min at that temperature (formation of white precipitates) before it was cooled to -90°C. A solution of aldehyde **57** (0.85 g,

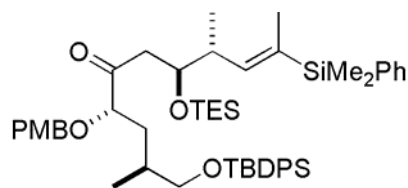


3.67 mmol) in toluene (6.5 mL) was then added dropwise over 30 min, and stirring was continued for 90 min once the addition was complete. The reaction was quenched with MeOH/pH 7 buffer (1/1, 10 mL), the mixture was allowed to reach 0°C and treated dropwise with MeOH/30% H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> (2/1, 6.5 mL). Stirring was continued for 30 min at 0°C before the mixture was partitioned between water (15 mL) and *tert*-butyl methyl ether (10 mL). The aqueous phase was repeatedly extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether, the combined organic layers were dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered and evaporated, and the residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetates, 15/1 to 10/1) to give an inseparable mixture of the aldol products **68** and **69** as a colorless oil (2.27 g, 84%, d.r. = 4:1). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.65-7.63 (4H, m), 7.48-7.28 (11H, m), 7.20 (2H, d, *J* = 8.6 Hz), 6.84 (2H, d, *J* = 8.6 Hz), 5.75 (1H, dd, *J* = 9.3, 1.7 Hz), 4.50 (1H, d, *J* = 11.1 Hz), 4.26 (1H, d, *J* = 11.1 Hz), 3.97-3.93 (1H, m), 3.83-3.77 (1H, m), 3.79 (3H, s), 3.51 (1H, dd, *J* = 9.9, 5.7 Hz), 3.45 (1H, dd, *J* = 9.9, 6.1 Hz), 2.75-2.51 (3H, m), 1.96-1.88 (1H, m), 1.80-1.73 (1H, m), 1.68 (3H, d, *J* = 1.6 Hz), 1.56 (1H, bs), 1.36-1.29 (1H, m), 1.04 (9H, s), 1.01 (3H, d, *J* = 6.8 Hz), 0.86 (3H, d, *J* = 6.7 Hz), 0.33 (6H, s). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 215.0, 159.6, 142.3, 138.6, 136.5, 135.8, 134.0, 134.0, 129.8, 129.7, 129.6, 129.0, 127.9, 127.7, 114.0, 83.0, 72.3, 71.2, 69.0, 55.4, 41.6, 38.2, 35.8, 32.4, 27.0, 19.5, 16.7, 16.3, 15.4, -3.2. IR: 3519, 3069, 2931, 1711, 1613, 1514, 1471, 1428, 1249, 1111 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (ESIpos) *m/z*: 775 ([M+K]<sup>+</sup>), 759 ([M+Na]<sup>+</sup>). HRMS (ESIpos): *calcd.* for (C<sub>45</sub>H<sub>60</sub>O<sub>5</sub>Si<sub>2</sub>+Na): 759.3871, *found* 759.3872 (M+Na). Anal. *calcd.* for C<sub>45</sub>H<sub>60</sub>O<sub>5</sub>Si<sub>2</sub>: C 73.32, H 8.20, *found* C 73.18, H 8.16; characteristic signals of the minor diastereoisomer **69**: <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 5.61-5.57 (1H, m), 0.31 (3H, d, *J* = 1.4 Hz).

**Analysis of the Mosher esters derived from aldol 68:** Δδ<sup>SR</sup> values in ppm from <sup>1</sup>H (and <sup>13</sup>C) NMR spectra of MTPA esters.

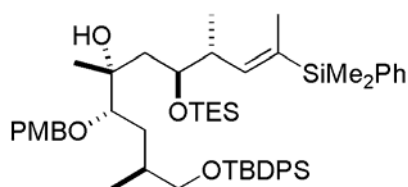


**Compounds 70 and 71.** TESC1 (0.85 mL, 5.05 mmol) was added dropwise to a solution of alcohols **68** and **69** (2.48 g, 3.36 mmol) and imidazole (0.46 g, 6.72 mmol) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (35 mL) at 0°C. After stirring for 30 min at 0°C and additional 30 min at ambient temperature, the reaction was quenched with water. The organic layer was successively washed with water and brine, dried over



Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered and evaporated. The residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetates, 25/1) to give products **70** and **71** as a colorless oil (2.59 g, 91%, d.r. = 4:1). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.64-7.62 (4H, m), 7.48-7.27 (11H, m), 7.21 (2H, d, *J* = 8.7 Hz), 6.84 (2H, d, *J* = 8.7 Hz), 5.68 (1H, dd, *J* = 9.1, 1.7 Hz), 4.52 (1H, d, *J* = 11.0 Hz), 4.27-4.22 (1H, m), 4.18 (1H, d, *J* = 11.0 Hz), 3.79 (3H, s), 3.79-3.74 (1H, m), 3.51 (1H, dd, *J* = 9.8, 5.3 Hz), 3.41 (1H, dd, *J* = 9.8, 6.3 Hz), 2.85 (1H, dd, *J* = 17.7, 7.4 Hz), 2.79-2.59 (1H, m), 2.36 (1H, dd, *J* = 17.7, 4.7 Hz), 1.95-1.86 (1H, m), 1.77-1.64 (1H, m), 1.65 (3H, d, *J* = 1.7 Hz), 1.35-1.25 (1H, m), 1.03 (9H, s), 0.98 (3H, d, *J* = 6.9 Hz), 0.93 (9H, t, *J* = 7.8 Hz), 0.86 (3H, d, *J* = 6.6 Hz), 0.59 (6H, q, *J* = 7.8 Hz), 0.29 (6H, s). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 212.6, 159.5, 143.0, 135.8, 135.2, 134.0, 129.9, 129.8, 129.7, 128.9, 127.8, 127.7, 114.0, 83.3, 72.1, 70.7, 69.1, 55.4, 41.9, 38.3, 35.8, 32.5, 27.0, 19.5, 16.3, 16.0, 15.3, 7.1, 5.3, -3.2, -3.3 (2 overlapping signals). IR: 3069, 2933, 1716, 1613, 1514, 1462, 1428, 1249, 1111 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (ESIpos) *m/z*: 889 ([M+K]<sup>+</sup>), 873 ([M+Na]<sup>+</sup>). HRMS (ESIpos): *calcd.* for (C<sub>51</sub>H<sub>74</sub>O<sub>5</sub>Si<sub>3</sub>+Na): 873.4736, *found* 873.4739 (M+Na). Anal. *calcd.* for C<sub>51</sub>H<sub>74</sub>O<sub>5</sub>Si<sub>3</sub>: C 71.95, H 8.76, *found* C 72.08, H 8.73; characteristic signals of the minor diastereomer **71**: <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 5.72-5.69 (1H, m), 1.67 (3H, d, *J* = 1.5 Hz), 0.30 (3H, s).

**Compound 72 and Isomers.** A solution of MeMgBr in Et<sub>2</sub>O (1 M, 6.0 mL, 6.0 mmol) was added dropwise over 10 min to a solution of ketones **70** and **71** (2.57 g, 3.02 mmol) in Et<sub>2</sub>O (30 mL) at -78°C. After stirring for 45 min at -78°C, the reaction was quenched with aq. sat. NH<sub>4</sub>Cl (10 mL) and the mixture was allowed to reach ambient temperature. The organic phase was successively



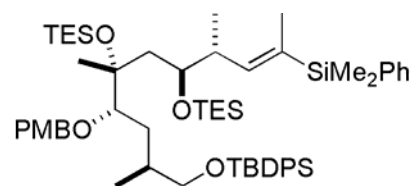
washed with water and brine, dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered and evaporated. The residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetates, 25/1) to give an inseparable mixture of **72** together with two other diastereoisomers as a colorless oil (2.51 g, 96%, d.r. = 15:2.6:1). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.67-7.64 (4H, m), 7.49-7.25 (11H, m), 7.22 (2H, d,

$J = 8.7$  Hz), 6.80 (2H, d,  $J = 8.7$  Hz), 5.49 (1H, dd,  $J = 8.6, 1.7$  Hz), 4.72 (1H, d,  $J = 11.0$  Hz), 4.54 (1H, d,  $J = 11.0$  Hz), 4.11-4.02 (1H, m), 3.77 (3H, s), 3.55 (1H, dd,  $J = 9.7, 5.5$  Hz), 3.41 (1H, dd,  $J = 9.7, 7.2$  Hz), 3.33-3.30 (1H, m), 2.87-2.79 (1H, m), 1.98-1.89 (1H, m), 1.79 (1H, dd,  $J = 14.4, 10.5$  Hz), 1.71 (3H, d,  $J = 1.7$  Hz), 1.59-1.11 (4H, m), 1.09 (3H, s), 1.05 (9H, s), 1.01-0.97 (12H, m), 0.86 (3H, d,  $J = 6.6$  Hz), 0.69 (6H, q,  $J = 7.8$  Hz), 0.27 (6H, d,  $J = 5.0$  Hz).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  159.1, 143.5, 138.4, 135.8, 135.6, 134.2, 133.9, 131.7, 129.6, 129.4, 129.0, 127.8, 127.7, 113.8, 84.8, 75.9, 74.6, 73.3, 69.9, 55.4, 41.5, 39.3, 36.4, 34.3, 33.1, 22.9, 19.5, 16.6, 15.5, 13.4, 7.1, 5.6, -3.3, -3.4. IR: 3504, 3069, 2934, 1613, 1514, 1428, 1248, 1112  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 395 (9), 347 (2), 273 (13), 213 (8), 135 (13), 121 (100). HRMS (ESIpos): *calcd.* for  $(\text{C}_{52}\text{H}_{78}\text{O}_5\text{Si}_3+\text{Na})$ : 889.5049, *found* 889.5051 (M+Na). Anal. *calcd.* for  $\text{C}_{52}\text{H}_{78}\text{O}_5\text{Si}_3$ : C 72.00, H 9.06, *found* C 71.86, H 8.97.

minor diastereoisomer, (dr = 15/2.6/1):  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ , characteristic signals):  $\delta$  5.92 (1H, dd,  $J = 8.5, 1.7$  Hz), 3.77 (3H, s), 0.32 (6H, s).

minor diastereoisomer, (dr = 15/2.6/1):  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ , characteristic signals)  $\delta$  5.88 (1H, dd,  $J = 8.7, 1.8$  Hz), 3.79 (3H, s), 0.31 (6H, s).

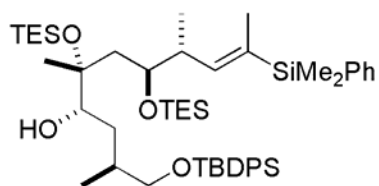
**Compound 75.** TESOTf (0.97 mL, 4.27 mmol) was added dropwise to a solution of alcohol



**72** (and the inseparable isomers) (2.47 g, 2.85 mmol) and 2,6-lutidine (0.66 mL, 5.69 mmol) in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (30 mL) at  $-78^\circ\text{C}$ . After stirring for 30 min at that temperature and for an additional hour at  $0^\circ\text{C}$ , the reaction was quenched with water. The organic phase was successively washed with

water and brine, dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , filtered and evaporated. The residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetates, 60/1) to give protected alcohol **75** as a colorless oil (2.58 g, 92%, d.r. = 15:2.6:1).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.67-7.65 (4H, m), 7.50-7.29 (11H, m), 7.23 (2H, d,  $J = 8.7$  Hz), 6.82 (2H, d,  $J = 8.7$  Hz), 5.75 (1H, dd,  $J = 9.0, 1.6$  Hz), 4.77 (1H, d,  $J = 10.8$  Hz), 4.47 (1H, d,  $J = 10.8$  Hz), 4.04-4.01 (1H, m), 3.79 (3H, s), 3.61 (1H, dd,  $J = 10.1, 1.3$  Hz), 3.53 (1H, dd,  $J = 9.7, 5.8$  Hz), 3.45 (1H, dd,  $J = 9.7, 6.5$  Hz), 2.82-2.74 (1H, m), 1.97-1.92 (2H, m), 1.73-1.64 (1H, m), 1.68 (3H, d,  $J = 1.6$  Hz), 1.40-1.09 (2H, m), 1.23 (3H, s), 1.05 (9H, s), 0.99-0.86 (24H, m), 0.69-0.55 (12H, m), 0.30 (6H, d,  $J = 1.7$  Hz).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  158.9, 143.9, 138.8, 135.8, 134.2, 134.1, 134.0, 132.1, 129.6, 129.0, 128.9, 127.8, 127.7, 113.7, 82.4, 78.3, 73.5, 71.9, 70.1, 55.4, 42.3, 39.6, 34.5, 33.2, 27.0, 25.6, 19.5, 16.9, 15.4, 15.2, 7.6, 7.4, 7.3, 5.7, -3.1, -3.4. IR: 3069, 2955, 1614, 1514, 1428, 1247, 1112  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 655 (2), 519 (4), 347 (58), 189 (5), 135 (18), 121 (100). HRMS (ESIpos): *calcd.* for  $(\text{C}_{58}\text{H}_{92}\text{O}_5\text{Si}_4+\text{Na})$ : 1003.5914, *found* 1003.5916 (M+Na). Anal. *calcd.* for  $\text{C}_{58}\text{H}_{92}\text{O}_5\text{Si}_4$ : C 70.96, H 9.45, *found* C 70.87, H 9.41; characteristic signals of the minor diastereoisomers (overlapping):  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  5.96-5.93 (1H, m), 3.80 (3H, s), 1.65 (3H, d,  $J = 1.7$  Hz), 1.27 (3H, s), 0.31 (6H, s).

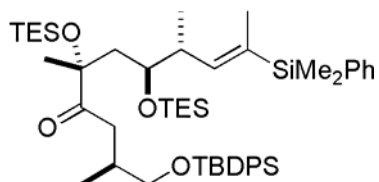
**Compound 75a.** DDQ (0.89 g, 3.91 mmol) was added in portions to a solution of compound



**75** (2.56 g, 2.61 mmol) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>/pH 7 buffer (1/1, 50 mL) at 0°C. The reaction mixture was stirred for 5 h at 0°C before it was quenched with aq. sat. NaHCO<sub>3</sub> (15 mL) and partitioned between CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (75 mL) and water (30 mL). The organic layer was successively washed with water and brine, dried over

Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered and evaporated. The residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetates, 100/1) to give alcohol **75a** as a colorless oil (2.06 g, 92%, d.r. = 15:2.6:1). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.70-7.67 (4H, m), 7.50-7.30 (11H, m), 5.63 (1H, dd, *J* = 8.8, 1.7 Hz), 4.10 (1H, dd, *J* = 8.6, 3.3 Hz), 3.61-3.48 (3H, m), 3.26 (1H, dd, *J* = 4.1, 1.4 Hz), 2.90-2.79 (1H, m), 2.00-1.92 (1H, m), 1.86 (1H, dd, *J* = 14.8, 9.8 Hz), 1.71 (3H, d, *J* = 1.7 Hz), 1.46-1.24 (3H, m), 1.14 (3H, s), 1.06 (9H, s), 1.01-0.83 (24H, m), 0.73-0.53 (12H, m), 0.33 (6H, d, *J* = 6.4 Hz). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 143.2, 138.6, 135.8, 135.2, 134.3, 134.0, 129.5, 129.0, 127.8, 127.7, 77.4, 73.4, 71.3, 70.2, 42.1, 39.6, 34.4, 32.9, 27.0, 24.2, 19.5, 16.6, 15.6, 13.9, 7.5, 7.2, 7.1, 5.5, -3.2, -3.6. IR: 3510, 2957, 1613, 1428, 1247, 1112 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (ESIpos) *m/z*: 883 ([M+Na]<sup>+</sup>). Anal. *calcd.* for C<sub>50</sub>H<sub>84</sub>O<sub>4</sub>Si<sub>4</sub>: C 69.70, H 9.83, *found* C 69.78, H 9.81; characteristic signals of the minor diastereoisomers (overlapping): <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 5.92 (1H, dd, *J* = 8.4, 1.7 Hz), 3.15 (1H, m), 1.67 (3H, d, *J* = 1.7 Hz), 1.18 (3H, s), 0.32 (6H, d, *J* = 5.8 Hz).

**Compound 76.** Dess-Martin periodinane (1.51 g, 3.57 mmol) was added to a solution of



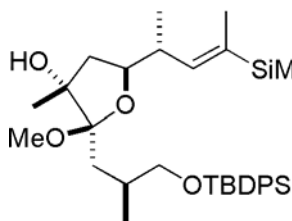
alcohol **75a** (2.05 g, 2.38 mmol) and pyridine (0.96 mL, 11.9 mmol) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (40 mL) at 0°C. After stirring for 30 min at 0°C and for additional 4 h at ambient temperature, the reaction was quenched with aq. sat. NaHCO<sub>3</sub>/Na<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> (1/1, 15 mL), and stirring was continued for 10 min. The organic phase was then

successively washed with aq. sat. NaHCO<sub>3</sub>, water, and brine, before it was dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered and evaporated. The residue was purified by flash chromatography to give ketone **76** as a colorless oil (1.91 g, 93%, d.r. = 15:2.6:1). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>) δ 7.68-7.64 (4H, m), 7.49-7.29 (11H, m), 5.67 (1H, dd, *J* = 8.8, 1.7 Hz), 3.90-3.86 (1H, m), 3.51 (2H, d, *J* = 5.6 Hz), 2.89-2.73 (1H, m), 2.82 (1H, dd, *J* = 17.4, 4.5 Hz), 2.36 (1H, dd, *J* = 17.4, 8.8 Hz), 2.30-2.23 (1H, m), 1.93 (1H, dd, *J* = 14.1, 8.4 Hz), 1.68 (3H, d, *J* = 1.7 Hz), 1.57 (1H, dd, *J* = 14.1, 3.1 Hz), 1.32 (3H, s), 1.05 (9H, s), 1.00-0.83 (24H, m), 0.71-0.53 (12H, m), 0.31 (6H, d, *J* = 3.3 Hz). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>) δ 212.4, 144.0, 139.2, 136.1, 135.2, 134.5, 134.5, 130.1, 129.3, 128.2, 128.1, 81.5, 71.5, 69.1, 44.4, 41.2, 39.4, 32.0, 27.3, 27.2, 19.7, 17.3, 15.6, 14.8, 7.7, 7.5, 7.4, 5.8, -3.0, -3.3. IR: 2956, 1719, 1615, 1428, 1246, 1112 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (EI) *m/z* (rel. intensity): 801 ([M-<sup>t</sup>Bu]<sup>+</sup>, 0.6), 655 (14), 523 (7), 441 (7), 391 (6), 347 (100). HRMS (ESIpos): *calcd.* for (C<sub>50</sub>H<sub>82</sub>O<sub>4</sub>Si<sub>4</sub>+Na): 881.5182, *found* 881.5180 (M+Na). Anal. *calcd.* for C<sub>50</sub>H<sub>82</sub>O<sub>4</sub>Si<sub>4</sub>: C 69.87, H 9.62, *found* C 69.75, H 9.55; characteristic signals of the minor



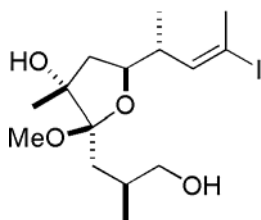
diastereoisomers (overlapping):  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\delta$  5.88 (1H, d,  $J = 9.0, 1.7$  Hz), 3.73-3.69 (1H, m), 1.66 (3H, d,  $J = 1.7$  Hz), 1.37 (3H, s), 0.30 (6H, s).

**Compound 77.** CSA (98 mg, 0.42 mmol) was added to a solution of ketone **76** (1.45 g, 1.69 mmol) in MeOH/THF (5/1, 21 mL) at  $0^\circ\text{C}$ . The reaction was stirred for 6 h at  $0^\circ\text{C}$  before it was quenched with water (5 mL). The resulting mixture was repeatedly extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether, the combined organic layers were dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , filtered and evaporated, and the residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 40/1 + 1%  $\text{NEt}_3$ ) to give the diastereomerically pure compound **77** (440 mg) as well as a separate fraction containing all other diastereomers (266 mg, together 65%).



This fraction containing the other diastereomers was dissolved in MeOH (3.5 mL) and a catalytic amount of PPTS (4.2 mg, 16.7  $\mu\text{mol}$ ) was added. The mixture was stirred for 1 h before it was filtered through a pad of silica and the filtrate was evaporated. The residue was again subjected to flash chromatography to give a second crop of compound **77** (105 mg). Overall yield of **77**: 50%.  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -24.5$  ( $c = 1.00$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\delta$  7.72-7.69 (4H, m), 7.56-7.32 (11H, m), 5.82 (1H, dd,  $J = 9.0, 1.7$  Hz), 4.04 (1H, q,  $J = 7.9$  Hz), 3.49 (1H, dd,  $J = 9.7, 5.5$  Hz), 3.44 (1H, dd,  $J = 9.7, 7.7$  Hz), 3.19 (3H, s), 2.72-2.63 (1H, m), 2.38 (1H, bs), 2.13-2.02 (1H, m), 2.01 (1H, dd,  $J = 15.2, 3.0$  Hz), 1.90 (2H, d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz), 1.73 (1H, dd,  $J = 15.2, 8.1$  Hz), 1.68 (3H, d,  $J = 1.7$  Hz), 1.40 (3H, s), 1.07 (9H, s), 0.96 (3H, d,  $J = 6.7$  Hz), 0.91 (3H, d,  $J = 6.8$  Hz), 0.34 (6H, d,  $J = 8.1$  Hz).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\delta$  145.5, 139.5, 136.2, 134.6, 134.1, 133.5, 130.2, 129.3, 128.2, 128.2, 110.3, 82.6, 81.8, 71.0, 49.0, 44.6, 39.5, 33.3, 31.7, 27.2, 23.1, 19.6, 18.1, 16.8, 15.2, -2.8, -3.2. IR: 3458, 2958, 1620, 1428, 1247, 1112  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 587 ( $[\text{M}^t\text{Bu}]^+$ , 2), 555 (28), 441 (20), 423 (28), 371 (14), 339 (10), 293 (32), 213 (25), 199 (31), 185 (46), 135 (100). HRMS (ESIpos): *calcd.* for  $(\text{C}_{39}\text{H}_{56}\text{O}_4\text{Si}_2+\text{Na})$ : 667.3609, *found* 667.3606 (M+Na). Anal. *calcd.* for  $\text{C}_{39}\text{H}_{56}\text{O}_4\text{Si}_2$ : C 72.62, H 8.75, *found* C 72.68, H 8.71.

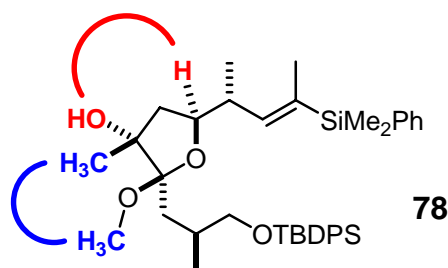
**Compound 78.** NIS (1.03 g, 4.57 mmol) was added in portions to a solution of vinylsilane **77** (590 mg, 0.92 mmol) in  $\text{CH}_3\text{CN}$  (11.4 mL) and the resulting mixture was stirred in the dark for 5 h at  $0^\circ\text{C}$  before it was filtered through a pad of basic alumina. Hexanes/ethyl acetate (10/1) was used to rinse the alumina pad and the combined filtrates were evaporated. The residue was used without further purification in the next step.



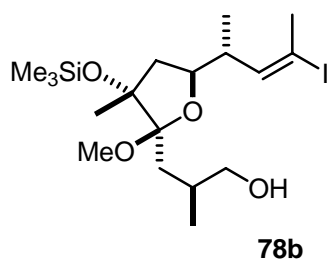
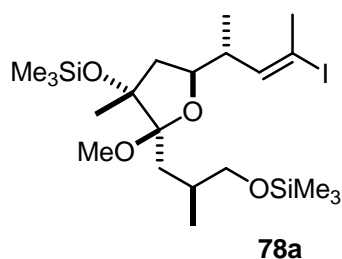
The residue was solubilized in THF (10 mL), cooled to  $0^\circ\text{C}$ , and treated with a solution of TBAF in THF (1 M, 2.75 mL, 2.75 mmol). After stirring for 90 min at  $0^\circ\text{C}$ , the reaction was quenched with water (3 mL) and the aqueous phase was repeatedly extracted with ethyl acetate. The combined organic layers were dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , filtered and evaporated, and the residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes, ethyl acetate, 2/1 + 1%  $\text{NEt}_3$ ) to

give diol **78** as a colorless oil (262 mg, 72% over 2 steps).  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +5.8$  ( $c = 1.0$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\delta$  6.09 (1H, dd,  $J = 9.7, 1.5$  Hz), 3.94 (1H, ddd,  $J = 9.8, 7.8, 6.3$  Hz), 3.60-3.54 (1H, m), 3.34-3.23 (2H, m), 3.22 (3H, s), 2.47-2.39 (2H, m), 2.39 (3H, d,  $J = 1.5$  Hz), 2.05-1.95 (1H, m), 1.91 (1H, dd,  $J = 15.5, 4.4$  Hz), 1.89-1.80 (2H, m), 1.75 (1H, dd,  $J = 15.5, 5.3$  Hz), 1.38 (3H, s), 0.92 (3H, d,  $J = 6.9$  Hz), 0.89 (3H, d,  $J = 6.9$  Hz).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\delta$  145.2, 110.6, 93.9, 82.3, 81.4, 70.0, 49.0, 44.6, 42.4, 34.3, 30.6, 28.3, 22.9, 18.9, 16.8. IR: 3347, 2958, 1638, 1066, 1019  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 367 ( $[\text{M}-\text{OMe}]^+$ , 1), 325 (3), 265 (5), 208 (13), 203 (2), 171 (100). HRMS (ESIpos): *calcd.* for  $(\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{27}\text{IO}_4+\text{Na})$ : 421.0846, *found* 421.0844 (M+Na).

Characteristic and strong *NOE*'s observed in compound **78**



**Compounds 78a,b.** TMSCl (410  $\mu\text{L}$ , 3.20 mmol) was added dropwise to a solution of diol **78**



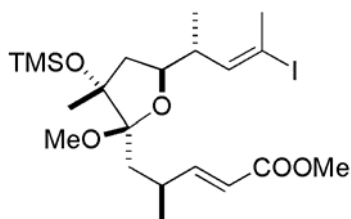
(255 mg, 0.640 mmol) and imidazole (305 mg, 4.48 mmol) in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (6.4 mL) at  $0^\circ\text{C}$ . The reaction mixture was stirred for 30 min at  $0^\circ\text{C}$  and for 3 h at ambient temperature before it was quenched with water (2 mL).

The organic phase was successively washed with water and brine, dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , filtered and evaporated. The residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes, ethyl acetate, 10/1 + 1%  $\text{NEt}_3$ ) to give diprotected alcohol **78a** (288 mg, 83%) and a second fraction containing the monoprotected alcohol **78b** (32 mg, 11%) as colorless oils each. Compound **78a**:  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -7.7$  ( $c = 1.10$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\delta$  6.00 (1H, dd,  $J = 9.8, 1.5$  Hz), 3.82, (1H, ddd,  $J = 10.2, 7.7, 5.8$  Hz), 3.43 (1H, dd,  $J = 9.6, 5.1$  Hz), 3.21 (1H, dd,  $J = 9.6, 7.5$  Hz), 3.06 (3H, s), 2.34-2.29 (1H, m), 2.29 (3H, d,  $J = 1.5$  Hz), 1.84-1.76 (2H, m), 1.68 (1H, dd,  $J = 12.5, 10.2$  Hz), 1.60 (1H, dd,  $J = 14.8, 4.8$  Hz), 1.39 (1H, dd,  $J = 14.8, 7.4$  Hz), 1.27 (3H, s), 0.84 (3H, d,  $J = 6.8$  Hz), 0.80 (3H, d,  $J = 6.9$  Hz), 0.05 (9H, s), 0.00 (9H, s).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\delta$  145.4, 111.3, 93.7, 85.5, 81.5, 69.3, 48.6, 44.1, 42.3, 32.8, 32.0, 28.3, 22.6, 17.6, 16.9, 2.5, -0.2. IR: 2957, 2875, 1638, 1250, 1143, 1019  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 542 ( $\text{M}^+$ , < 0.6), 347 (21), 329 (13), 303 (8), 277 (31), 257 (8), 225 (14), 208 (66), 143 (100) HRMS (ESIpos): *calcd.* for  $(\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{43}\text{IO}_4\text{Si}_2+\text{Na})$ : 565.1637, *found*

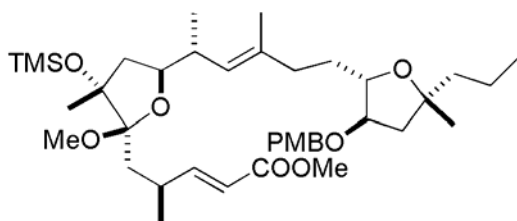
565.1638 (M+Na). Compound **78b**:  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\delta$  5.99 (1H, dd,  $J = 9.8, 1.5$  Hz), 3.90 (1H, ddd,  $J = 10.4, 7.7, 5.6$  Hz), 3.38-3.33 (1H), 3.23-3.17 (1H, m), 3.10 (3H, s), 2.72 (1H, bs), 2.40-2.32 (1H, m), 2.30 (3H, d,  $J = 1.5$  Hz), 1.96-1.88 (1H, m), 1.84 (1H, dd,  $J = 12.5, 5.6$  Hz), 1.71 (1H, dd,  $J = 12.5, 10.4$  Hz), 1.67 (1H, dd,  $J = 15.1, 6.7$  Hz), 1.52 (1H, dd,  $J = 15.1, 4.4$  Hz), 1.26 (3H, s), 0.83 (3H, d,  $J = 6.9$  Hz), 0.82 (3H, d,  $J = 6.9$  Hz), 0.07 (9H, s).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\delta$  144.8, 110.8, 94.2, 86.1, 82.4, 70.2, 48.6, 43.4, 42.0, 34.8, 32.3, 28.3, 22.3, 18.8, 16.8, 2.4.

**Compound 81.** DMSO (196  $\mu\text{L}$ , 2.76 mmol) was added dropwise to a solution of oxalyl chloride (121  $\mu\text{L}$ , 1.38 mmol) in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (2.3 mL) at  $-78^\circ\text{C}$ . After stirring for 10 min at this temperature, a solution of compound **78a** (250 mg, 0.461 mmol) in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (2.3 mL) was added dropwise and stirring was continued for 1 h at that temperature. The reaction mixture was subsequently treated with  $\text{NEt}_3$  (770  $\mu\text{L}$ , 5.53 mmol) and stirred for 15 min at  $-78^\circ\text{C}$  before it was allowed to reach  $0^\circ\text{C}$ . Stirring was continued for another 15 min at  $0^\circ\text{C}$  before the reaction was quenched with brine (1.0 mL) and diluted with  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (5 mL). The organic phase was washed twice with brine, dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , filtered and evaporated to give crude aldehyde **80** as a pale yellow oil, which was used without further purification in the next step.

$\text{LiHMDS}$  (116 mg, 0.692 mmol) was added to a solution of methyl diethylphosphonoacetate (145 mg, 0.692 mmol) in THF (2.1 mL) at  $-78^\circ\text{C}$ . After stirring for 30 min at that temperature, a solution of crude aldehyde **80** in THF (2.5 mL) was added dropwise over 10 min. Stirring was continued for 1 h at  $-78^\circ\text{C}$  and for another 30 min at  $0^\circ\text{C}$  before the reaction was quenched with water (1 mL) and the mixture was diluted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether (5 mL). The organic layer was successively washed with water and brine, dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , filtered and evaporated. The residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 40/1 + 1%  $\text{NEt}_3$ ) to provide ester **81** (190 mg, 76% over 2 steps) as a colorless oil.  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = +0.4$  ( $c = 1.0$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\delta$  6.98 (1H, dd,  $J = 15.8, 7.3$  Hz), 6.07 (1H, dd,  $J = 9.7, 1.5$  Hz), 5.75 (1H, dd,  $J = 15.8, 1.3$  Hz), 3.92 (1H, ddd,  $J = 10.4, 7.3, 5.6$  Hz), 3.69 (3H, s), 3.16 (3H, s), 2.70-2.60 (1H, m), 2.46-2.39 (1H, m), 2.38 (3H, d,  $J = 1.5$  Hz), 1.89 (1H, dd,  $J = 12.6, 5.6$  Hz), 1.84 (1H, dd,  $J = 14.9, 6.3$  Hz), 1.79-1.73 (2H, m), 1.34 (3H, s), 1.08 (3H, d,  $J = 6.9$  Hz), 0.90 (3H, d,  $J = 6.9$  Hz), 0.15 (9H, s).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\delta$  167.8, 156.9, 145.1, 118.7, 110.7, 93.8, 85.6, 81.7, 51.7, 48.7, 43.9, 41.9, 35.9, 32.7, 28.3, 22.6, 20.4, 16.9, 2.5. IR: 2960, 2875, 1725, 1251  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 524 ( $\text{M}^+$ , 0.7), 493 (5), 397 (3), 329 (62), 297 (11), 259 (50), 239 (9), 208 (64), 143 (100) HRMS (ESIpos): *calcd.* for  $(\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{37}\text{IO}_5\text{Si}+\text{Na})$ : 547.1347, *found* 547.1350 (M+Na).



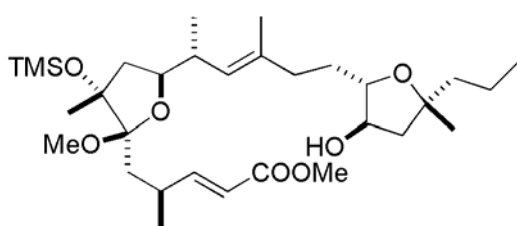
**Compound 82.** A solution of *tert*-BuLi in pentane (2.1 M, 320  $\mu$ L, 0.674 mmol) was added to a mixture of Et<sub>2</sub>O (140  $\mu$ L) and THF (140  $\mu$ L) at



–78°C before a solution of alkyl iodide **25** (47 mg, 0.112 mmol) in THF (920  $\mu$ L) was added dropwise. After the mixture has been stirred for 5 min at –78°C, 9-MeO-9-BBN (93  $\mu$ L, 0.674 mmol) was added dropwise causing an immediate color

change from bright yellow to colorless. The reaction mixture was stirred for 5 min at –78°C before it was allowed to reach ambient temperature. Stirring was continued for another 1 h at this temperature (formation of white precipitates were observed). Aq. K<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> (3M, 225  $\mu$ L, 0.674 mmol) and a solution of vinyl iodide **81** (61 mg, 0.112 mmol) in DMF (920  $\mu$ L) were then successively added, followed by a solution of AsPh<sub>3</sub> (3.4 mg, 11.2  $\mu$ mol) and Pd(dppf)Cl<sub>2</sub> (4.1 mg, 5.6  $\mu$ mol) in DMF (180  $\mu$ L). The reaction mixture was stirred for 90 min at ambient temperature before it was diluted with hexanes/ethyl acetate (10/1, 2.5 mL) and filtered through a pad of basic alumina (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 10/1 was used to rinse the pad). The combined filtrates were successively washed with aq. sat. NaHCO<sub>3</sub>, water, and brine, dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered and evaporated. The residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 20/1 + 1% NEt<sub>3</sub>) to give compound **82** (61 mg, 79%) as a colorless oil.  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -35.4$  (c = 1.03, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>)  $\delta$  7.25 (2H, d, *J* = 8.7 Hz), 6.98 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.8, 7.3 Hz), 6.86 (2H, d, *J* = 8.7 Hz), 5.74 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.8, 1.3 Hz), 5.05 (1H, dd, *J* = 9.3, 1.1 Hz), 4.43 (1H, d, *J* = 11.2 Hz), 4.36 (1H, d, *J* = 11.2 Hz), 3.97-3.85 (2H, m), 3.79 (3H, s), 3.76-3.72 (1H, m), 3.68 (3H, s), 3.15 (3H, s), 2.69-2.60 (1H, m), 2.51-2.36 (1H, m), 2.12-1.94 (2H, m), 1.97 (1H, dd, *J* = 13.1, 7.3 Hz), 1.87 (1H, dd, *J* = 12.5, 5.5 Hz), 1.84-1.71 (4H, m), 1.64-1.29 (6H, m), 1.61 (3H, d, *J* = 1.1 Hz), 1.34 (3H, s), 1.26 (3H, s), 1.08 (3H, d, *J* = 6.9 Hz), 0.91 (3H, t, *J* = 7.1 Hz), 0.85 (3H, d, *J* = 6.8 Hz), 0.15 (9H, s). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>)  $\delta$  167.8, 159.7, 157.1, 135.1, 131.3, 129.7, 128.5, 118.6, 114.2, 110.5, 85.7, 84.7, 82.9, 82.6, 82.5, 71.7, 55.8, 51.6, 48.7, 45.9, 43.6, 43.1, 38.6, 36.4, 36.0, 34.0, 32.7, 26.5, 22.8, 20.3, 18.4, 17.4, 16.7, 15.0, 2.5. IR: 2958, 2872, 1725, 1655, 1613, 1514, 1251 cm<sup>-1</sup>. MS (EI) *m/z* (rel. intensity): 657 ([M-OMe]<sup>+</sup>, 1), 567 (1), 535 (4), 329 (36), 297 (11), 259 (5), 239 (9), 207 (6), 143 (57), 121 (100). HRMS (ESIpos): *calcd.* for (C<sub>39</sub>H<sub>64</sub>IO<sub>8</sub>Si+Na): 711.4263, *found* 711.4265 (M+Na).

**Compound 83.** DDQ (16 mg, 69.7  $\mu$ mol) was added in portions to a vigorously stirred

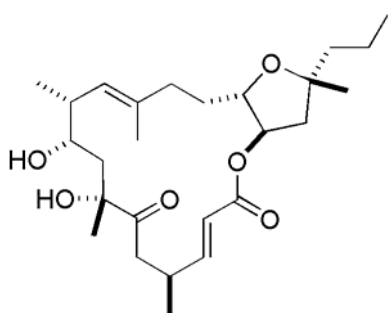


solution of compound **82** (24 mg, 34.8  $\mu$ mol) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>/pH 7 buffer (1/1, 3.6 mL) at 0°C. The mixture was stirred 1 h at 0°C and for 6 h at ambient temperature. During this time more DDQ (24 mg, 104  $\mu$ mol) was added in portions to achieve complete conversion. The reaction was

then quenched with water (2.5 mL) and diluted with CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (3 mL). The aqueous phase was

repeatedly extracted with  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ , the combined organic layer were washed with aq. sat.  $\text{Na}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3$ , dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , filtered and evaporated. The residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 15/1 + 1%  $\text{NEt}_3 \rightarrow 6/1 + 1\% \text{NEt}_3$ ) to give compound **83** (10 mg, 51%) as a colorless oil.  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = -29.3$  ( $c = 1.0$ ,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\delta$  7.00 (1H, dd,  $J = 15.8, 7.2$  Hz), 5.74 (1H, dd,  $J = 15.8, 1.2$  Hz), 5.09 (1H, dd,  $J = 9.2, 1.1$  Hz), 4.07-4.01 (1H, m), 3.90 (1H, ddd,  $J = 10.2, 8.2, 5.6$  Hz), 3.73-3.68 (1H, m), 3.68 (3H, s), 3.14 (3H, s), 2.68-2.61 (1H, m), 2.43 (1H, d,  $J = 3.9$  Hz), 2.39-2.33 (1H, m), 2.18-2.05 (2H, m), 2.02 (1H, dd,  $J = 13.0, 7.3$  Hz), 1.94 (1H, dd,  $J = 12.6, 5.6$  Hz), 1.84-1.72 (3H, m), 1.68-1.52 (3H, m), 1.6 (3H, d,  $J = 1.2$  Hz), 1.45-1.29 (4H, m), 1.34 (3H, s), 1.26 (3H, s), 1.07 (3H, d,  $J = 6.9$  Hz), 0.90 (3H, t,  $J = 7.1$  Hz), 0.82 (3H, d,  $J = 6.8$  Hz), 0.15 (9H, s).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\delta$  168.0, 157.3, 134.7, 129.2, 118.5, 110.7, 85.7, 84.8, 82.8, 82.6, 76.7, 51.7, 48.6, 46.0, 45.7, 44.2, 39.5, 36.3, 35.8, 32.7, 32.3, 27.1, 22.7, 20.4, 18.4, 17.4, 16.4, 15.0, 2.8. IR: 3429, 2958, 2872, 1725, 1654, 1251  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . MS (EI)  $m/z$  (rel. intensity): 537 ( $[\text{M}-\text{OMe}]^+$ , 2), 446 (8), 329 (59), 297 (17), 259 (11), 252 (11), 239 (13), 207 (9), 179 (8), 143 (100). HRMS (ESIpos): *calcd.* for  $(\text{C}_{31}\text{H}_{56}\text{IO}_7\text{Si}+\text{Na})$ : 591.3687, *found* 591.3685 (M+Na).

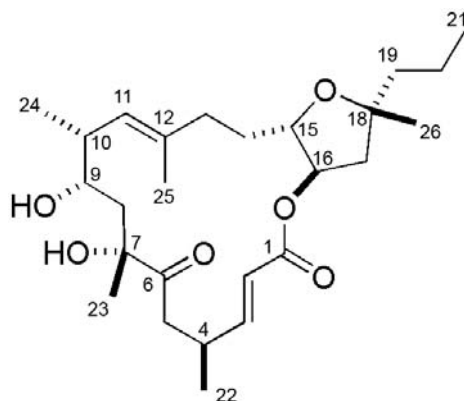
**Amphidinolide Y (2).** A solution of LiOH (11.4 mg, 47.5  $\mu\text{mol}$ ) in MeOH (360  $\mu\text{L}$ ) was added to a solution of methylester **83** (9 mg, 15.8  $\mu\text{mol}$ ) in THF/water (1/1, 180  $\mu\text{L}$ ). After stirring for 17 h at ambient temperature, the mixture was cooled to  $0^\circ\text{C}$  and diluted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether (2 mL) before being quenched with aq. sat.  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$  (300  $\mu\text{L}$ ). The aqueous solution was *rapidly* extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether (several times). The combined organic phases were dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$  and filtered.  $\text{NEt}_3$  (6.6  $\mu\text{L}$ , 47.5  $\mu\text{mol}$ ) were added before the filtrate was evaporated. The corresponding triethylammonium salt **84** of the *seco*-acid was immediately used in the next step without further purification.



2,4,6-Trichlorobenzoyl chloride (3.7  $\mu\text{L}$ , 23.7  $\mu\text{mol}$ ) was added to a solution of compound **84** and  $\text{NEt}_3$  (11  $\mu\text{L}$ , 79.0  $\mu\text{mol}$ ). The reaction mixture was stirred for 1 h at ambient temperature before it was filtered through a short pad of Celite which was prewashed with copious amounts of dry THF. The patch was rinsed with excess THF before most of the solvent was removed under a flow of Argon. The residue was diluted with toluene (4.5 mL) and the resulting solution was added dropwise over 2 h (via syringe pump) to a solution of DMAP (38.6 mg, 316  $\mu\text{mol}$ ) in toluene (20.3 mL) at ambient temperature. After complete addition stirring was continued for 2 h. The reaction mixture was neutralized with aq. sat.  $\text{NaHCO}_3$  (3 mL) and the organic layer washed twice with brine before it was dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$  and evaporated. The residue was filtered through a pad of silica (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 10/1 + 1%  $\text{NEt}_3$ ) to remove the DMAP and the crude macrocycle **85** was used in the next step without further purification.

The crude compound **85** was dissolved in HOAc/MeOH/H<sub>2</sub>O (4/1/1, 240  $\mu$ L) and the resulting solution was stirred for 4 h at ambient temperature. The reaction was diluted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether (500  $\mu$ L) and quenched with aq. sat. NaHCO<sub>3</sub>. The aqueous layer was repeatedly extracted with *tert*-butyl methyl ether, the combined organic phases were dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered and evaporated. The residue was purified by flash chromatography (hexanes/ethyl acetate, 4/1) to give amphidinolide Y (**2**) as a colorless oil (4 mg, 56% over 3 steps).  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{17} = -28.0^{\circ}$  (c = 1.00, CHCl<sub>3</sub>) [lit.:  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{17} = -33^{\circ}$  (c = 1.00, CHCl<sub>3</sub>)]. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400 MHz) see Table 4. <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 100 MHz) see Table 5.

**Table 4:** Comparison of the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of natural ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 600 MHz) and synthetic amphinolide Y (**2**) ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 400 MHz).

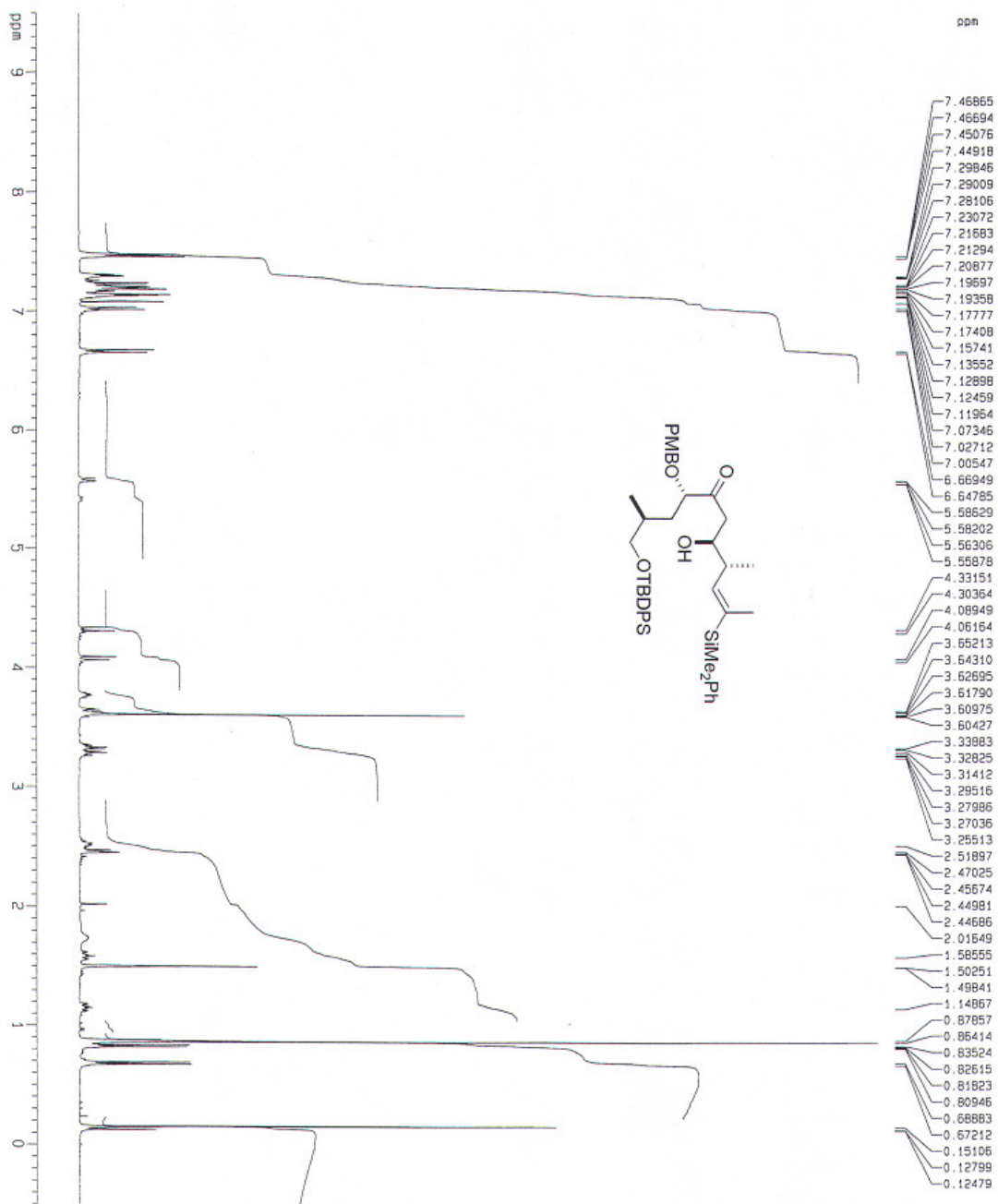


position	natural <b>2</b>	synthetic <b>2</b>	$\Delta\delta$
	$\delta$ (multiplicity, $J$ in Hz)	$\delta$ (multiplicity, $J$ in Hz)	
<b>2</b>	5.78 (d, 15.6)	5.78 (d, 15.7)	0
<b>3</b>	6.59 (dd, 15.6, 9.5)	6.60 (dd, 15.7, 9.4)	0.01
<b>4</b>	3.06 (m)	3.06 (m)	0
<b>5a</b>	2.94 (dd, 17.8, 11.5)	2.94 (dd, 17.6, 11.4)	0
<b>5b</b>	2.38 (dd, 17.8, 2.1)	2.37 (dd, 17.6, 2.2)	-0.01
<b>8a</b>	1.97 (d, 14.5)	1.97 (d, 14.3)	0
<b>8b</b>	1.76 (dd, 14.5, 9.0)	1.76 (dd, 14.3, 9.0)	0
<b>9</b>	3.11 (t, 9.0)	3.11 (t, 9.0)	
<b>10</b>	2.25 (m)	2.26 (m)	0.01
<b>11</b>	4.86 (m)	4.87 (m)	0.01
<b>13</b>	2.13 (m)	2.13 (m)	0
<b>14a</b>	1.86 (m)	1.85 (m)	-0.01
<b>14b</b>	1.48 (m)	1.48 (m)	0
<b>15</b>	3.92 (dt, 11.0, 4.1)	3.92 (dt, 7.0, 4.1)	0
<b>16</b>	4.87 (m)	4.87 (m)	0
<b>17a</b>	2.10 (dd, 14.3, 7.4)	2.11 (dd, 13.8, 7.4)	0.01
<b>17b</b>	1.76 (dd, 14.3, 2.4)	1.77 (dd, 14.2, 2.5)	0.01
<b>19</b>	1.47 (m)	1.48 (m)	0.01
<b>20</b>	1.32 (m)	1.31 (m)	-0.01
<b>21</b>	0.91 (t, 7.0)	0.91 (t, 7.2)	0
<b>22</b>	1.10 (d, 6.7)	1.10 (d, 6.8)	0
<b>23</b>	1.35 (s)	1.36 (s)	0.01
<b>24</b>	0.87 (d, 6.5)	0.87 (d, 6.7)	0
<b>25</b>	1.70 (brs)	1.70 (brs)	0
<b>26</b>	1.23 (s)	1.24 (s)	0.01

**Table 5:** Comparison of the  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of natural ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 150 MHz) and synthetic ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 150 MHz) amphidinolide Y; numbering scheme as shown in the insert in Table 4.

position	natural Y ( $\delta$ )	synthetic Y ( $\delta$ )	$\Delta\delta$
1	165.81	165.93	0.12
2	120.05	120.17	0.12
3	153.56	153.72	0.16
4	32.07	32.24	0.17
5	42.60	42.74	0.12
6	211.09	211.23	0.14
7	77.26	77.38	0.12
8	44.94	45.08	0.14
9	71.01	71.14	0.13
10	39.23	39.38	0.15
11	128.61	128.74	0.13
12	138.21	138.37	0.16
13	34.74	34.90	0.16
14	33.97	34.08	0.11
15	79.99	80.11	0.12
16	78.67	78.82	0.15
17	42.67	42.81	0.14
18	82.96	83.09	0.13
19	44.85	45.00	0.15
20	17.82	17.99	0.17
21	14.55	14.73	0.18
22	19.89	20.07	0.18
23	26.58	26.75	0.17
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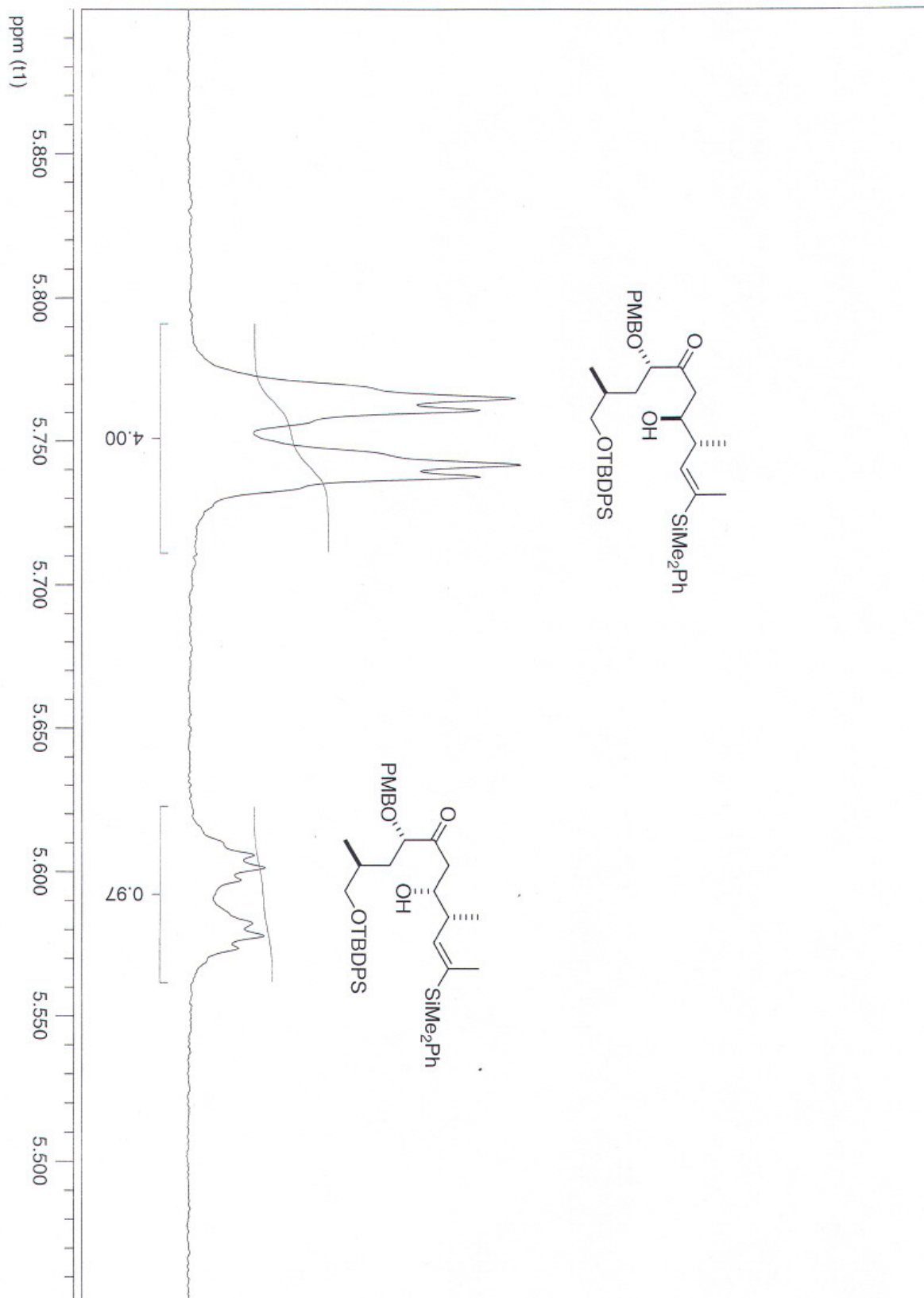
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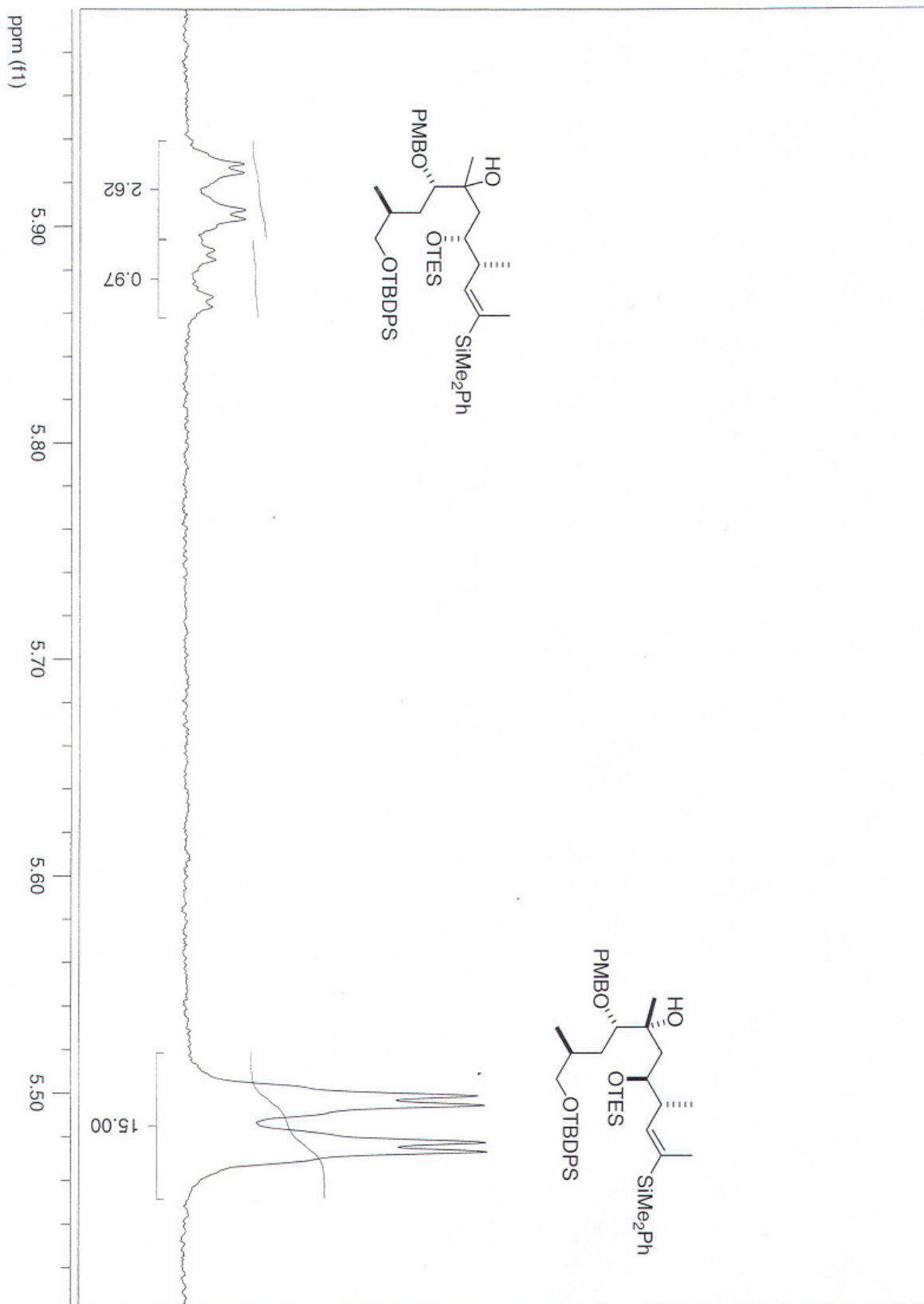
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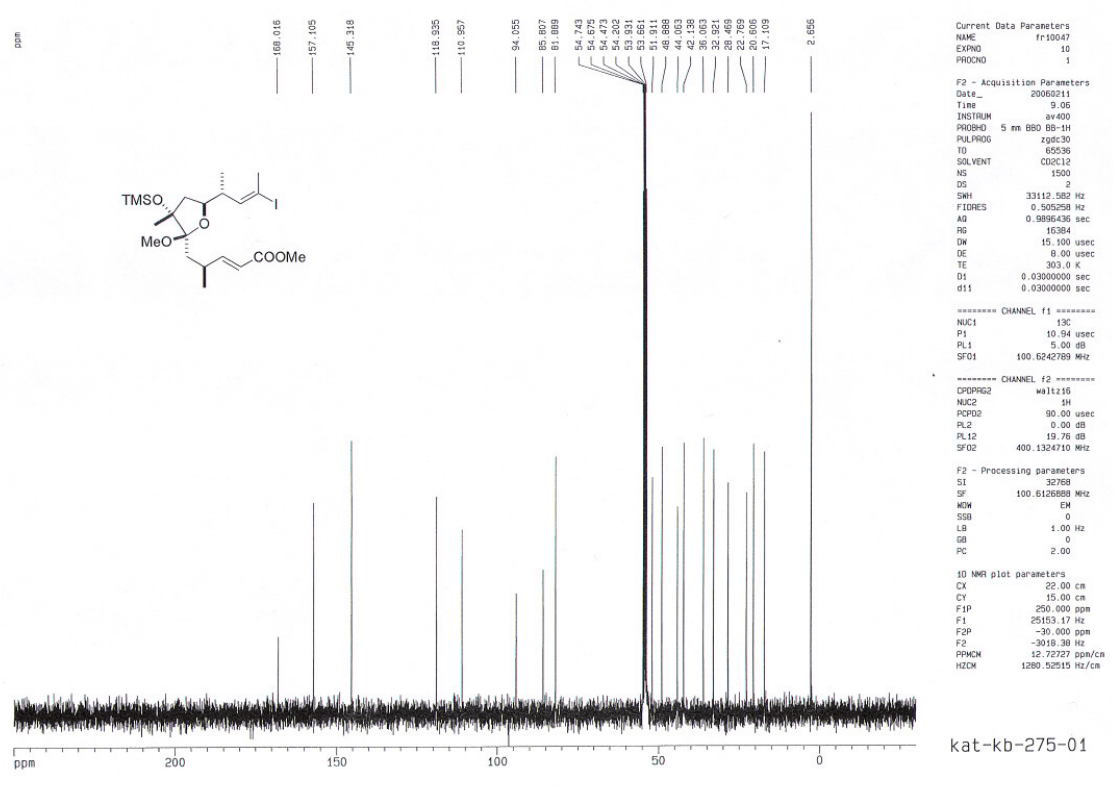
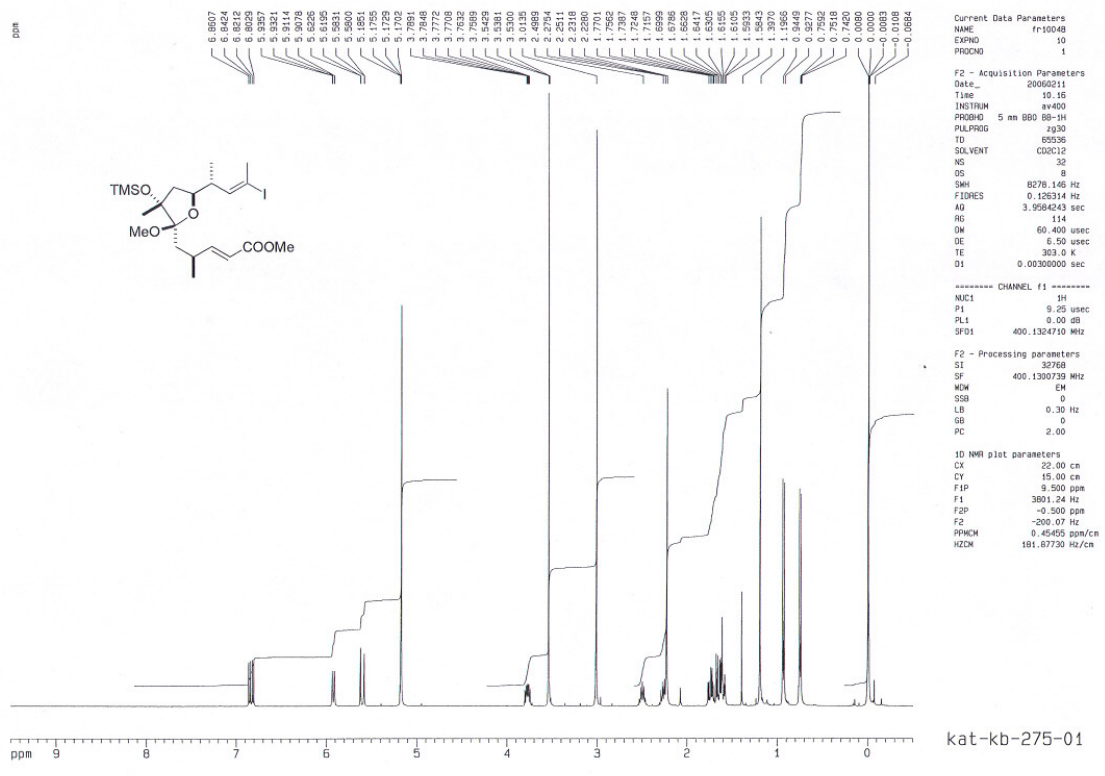


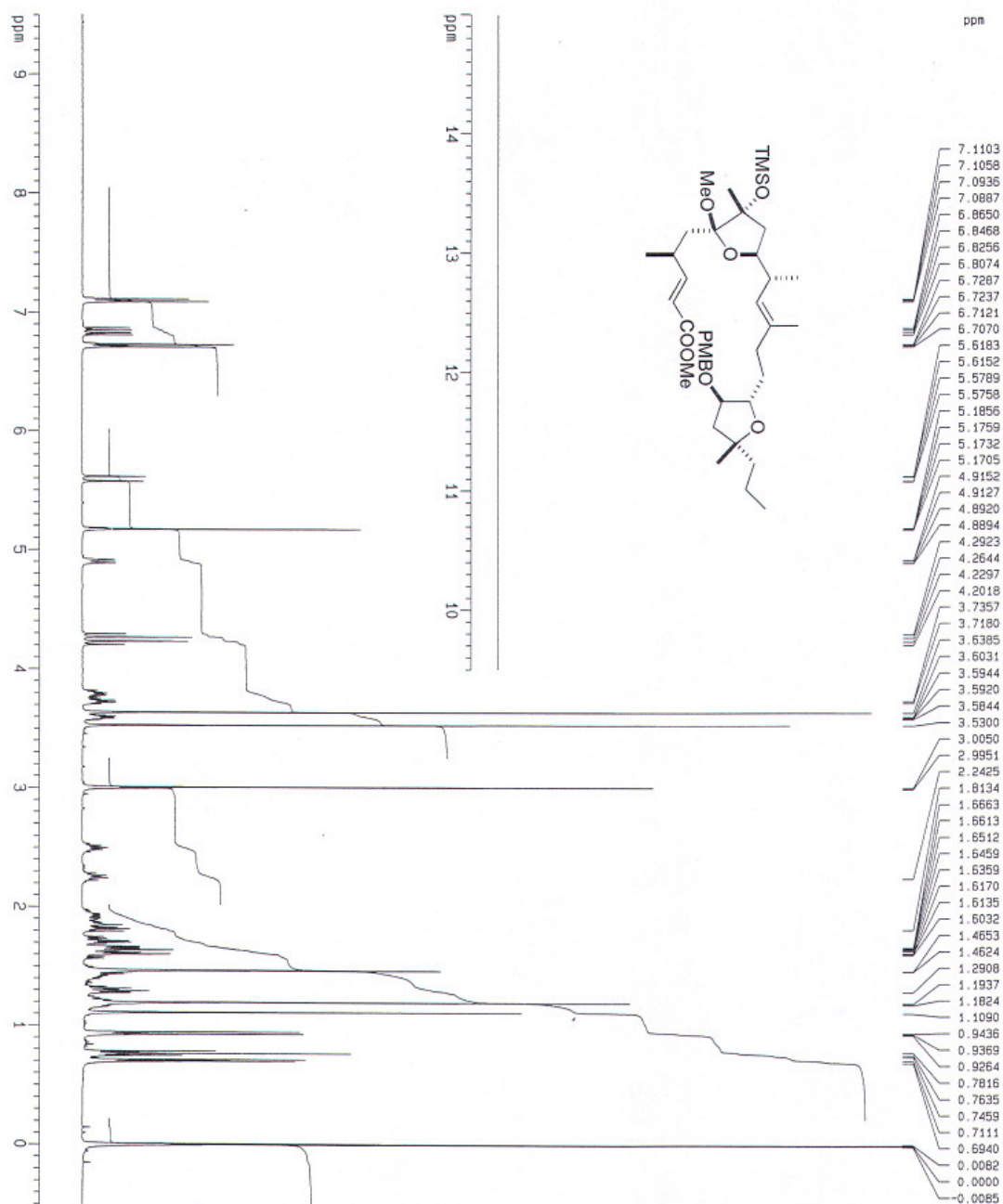




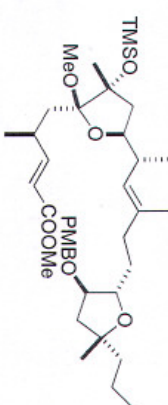








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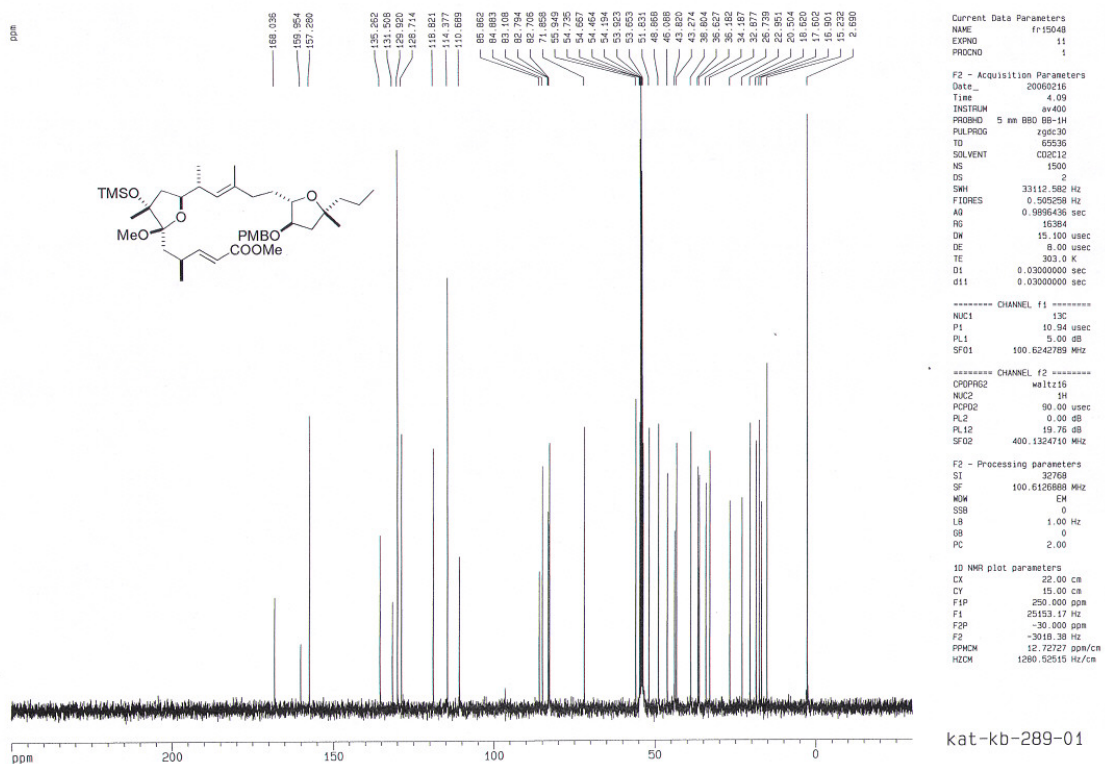
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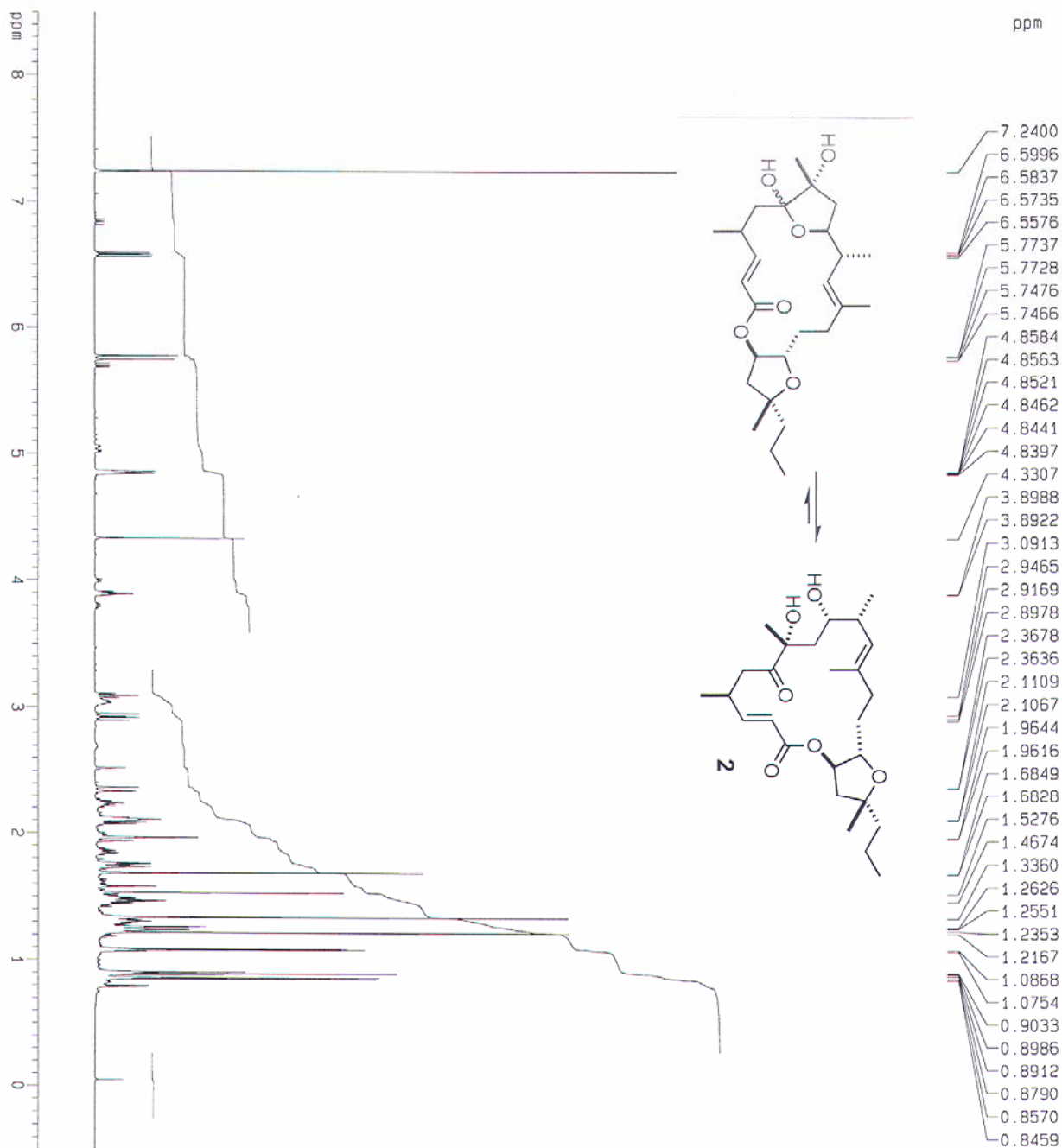
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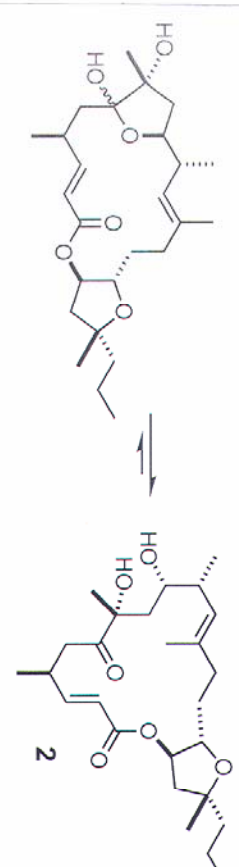
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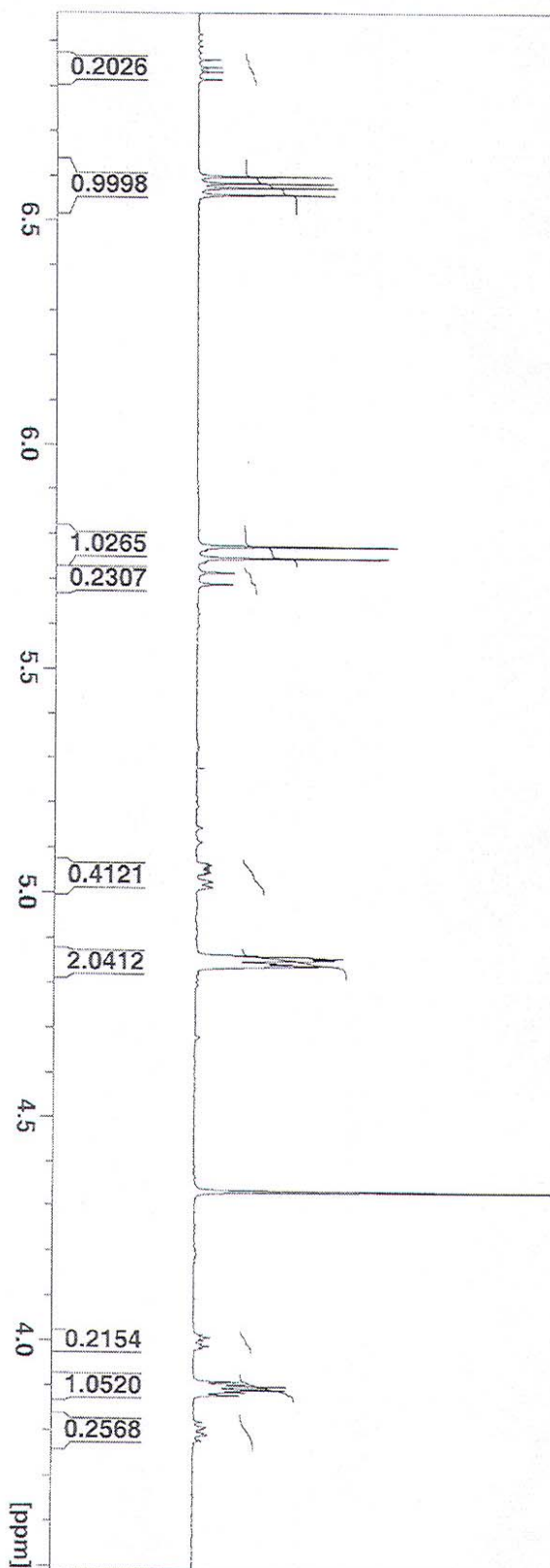
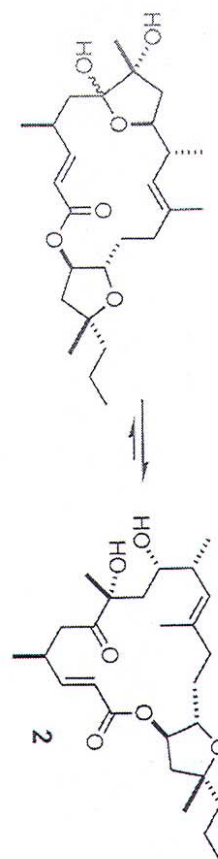
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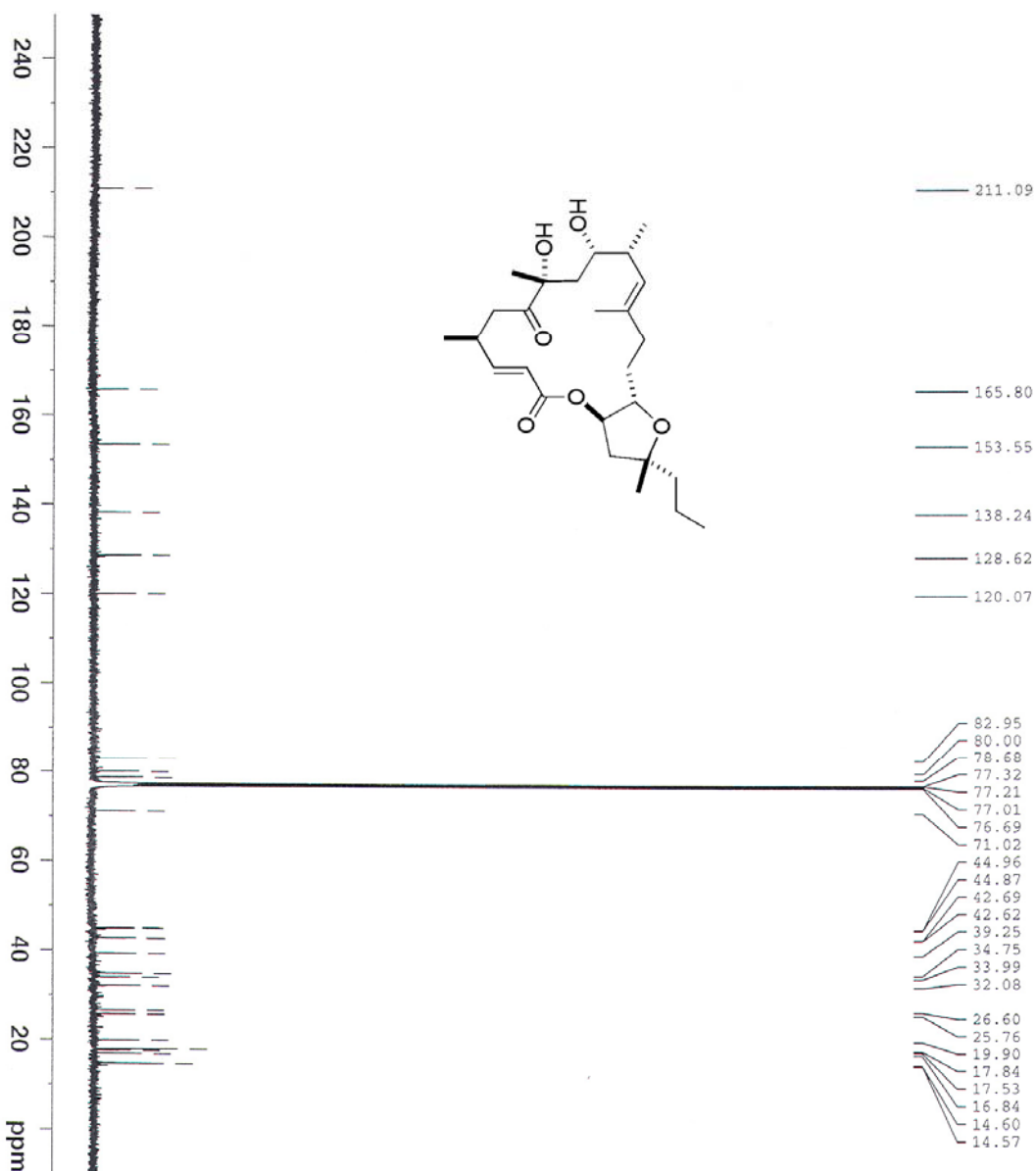
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