

**Nickel-Catalyzed Amination of Aryl Carbamates and Sulfamates
Using an Air-Stable Precatalyst**

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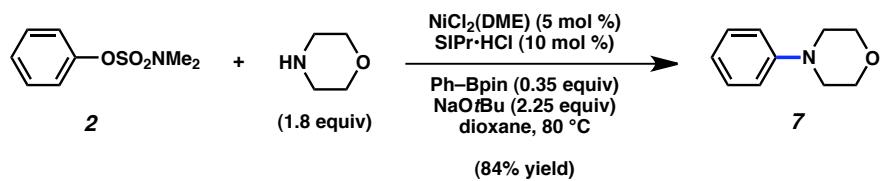
Materials and Methods. Unless stated otherwise, reactions were conducted in flame-dried glassware under an atmosphere of nitrogen using anhydrous solvents (either freshly distilled or passed through activated alumina columns). Unless otherwise stated, commercially obtained reagents were used as received. Amines were purified by filtration over basic Brockman Grade I 58 Å Al₂O₃ (Activity 1), followed by distillation over calcium hydride, prior to use. NiCl₂(DME) was obtained from Strem Chemicals. NaOtBu was obtained from Alfa Aesar. The amines, SiPr•HCl, and Ph–B(pin) were obtained from Sigma Aldrich and Alfa Aesar. Dioxane was purified by distillation over sodium benzophenone ketyl. Reaction temperatures were controlled using an IKAmag temperature modulator, and unless stated otherwise, reactions were performed at room temperature (rt, approximately 23 °C). Thin-layer chromatography (TLC) was conducted with EMD gel 60 F254 pre-coated plates (0.25 mm) and visualized using a combination of UV, anisaldehyde, ceric ammonium molybdate, iodine, vanillin, and potassium permanganate staining. Silicycle Siliaflash P60 (particle size 0.040–0.063 mm) was used for flash column chromatography. ¹H NMR spectra were recorded on Bruker spectrometers (at 300, 400, 500, 600 MHz) and are reported relative to deuterated solvent signals. Data for ¹H NMR spectra are reported as follows: chemical shift (δ ppm), multiplicity, coupling constant (Hz) and integration.

Experimental Procedures.

A. Synthesis of Aryl Carbamate and Sulfamate Substrates

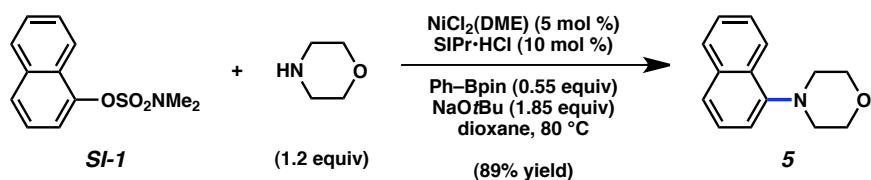
Note: Supporting information for the synthesis of the aryl sulfamates and carbamates shown in Table 1–2 and Figure 2–3 have previously been reported.¹

B. Aminations of Aryl Carbamates and Sulfamates

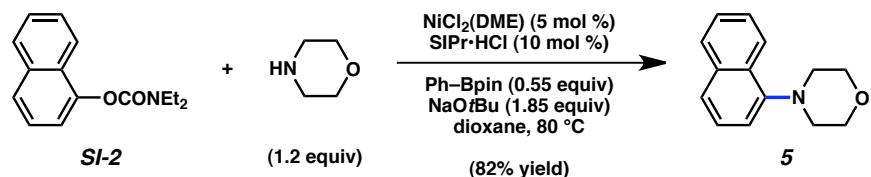


Representative Procedure (coupling of phenylsulfamate **2 is used as an example).** **7** (Figure 2). A 4 mL reaction vial was charged with a magnetic stir bar, flame-dried under reduced pressure, and allowed to cool under N_2 . The vial was then charged with Ph-B(pin) (35.71 mg, 0.175 mmol, 35 mol%), anhydrous powdered NaOtBu (108.1 mg, 1.125 mmol, 2.25 equiv), $\text{NiCl}_2(\text{DME})$ (5.5 mg, 0.025 mmol, 5 mol%), and $\text{SiPr}\bullet\text{HCl}$ (21.3 mg, 0.05 mmol, 10 mol%). Subsequently, dioxane (2.5 ml), phenylsulfamate **2** (100.6 mg, 0.50 mmol, 1.0 equiv), and morpholine (87.1 μL , 0.9 mmol, 1.8 equiv) were added, sequentially. The resulting heterogeneous mixture was stirred for 1 min while purging with N_2 , and the vial was sealed with a Teflon-lined screw cap. The mixture was stirred at 23°C for 1 h, and then at 80°C for 3 h in a preheated aluminum heating block. After cooling the reaction vessel to 23°C and concentrating the mixture under reduced pressure, the crude residue was purified by flash chromatography (9:1 Hexanes:EtOAc) to yield aminated product **7** (68.3 mg, 84% yield) as a white solid. R_f 0.28 (9:1 Hexanes:EtOAc). Spectral data match those previously reported.²

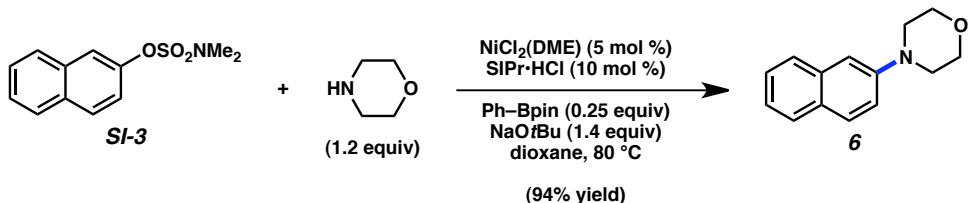
Any modifications of the conditions shown in this representative procedure are specified in the following schemes, which depict all of the results shown in Figures 2–3.



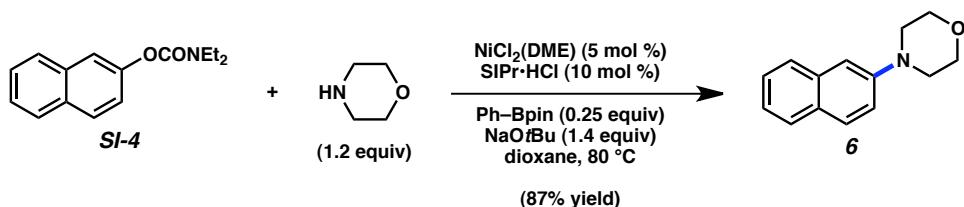
5 (Figure 2). Purification by flash chromatography (9:1 Hexanes:EtOAc) yielded aminated product **5** (89% yield) as a white solid. R_f 0.41 (9:1 Hexanes:EtOAc). Spectral data match those previously reported.³



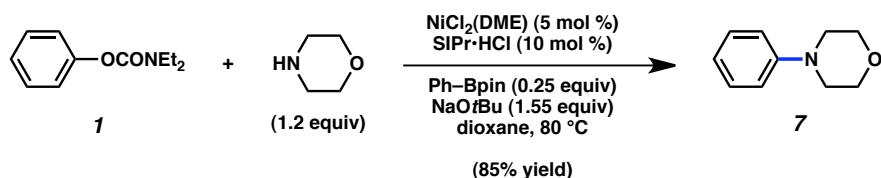
5 (Figure 2). Purification by flash chromatography (9:1 Hexanes:EtOAc) afforded aminated product **5** (82% yield) as a white solid. R_f 0.41 (9:1 Hexanes:EtOAc). Spectral data match those previously reported.³



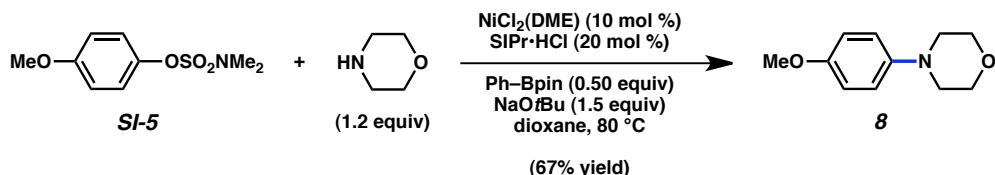
6 (Figure 2). Purification by flash chromatography (9:1 Hexanes:EtOAc) produced aminated product **6** (94% yield) as a white solid. R_f 0.23 (9:1 Hexanes:EtOAc). Spectral data match those previously reported.⁴



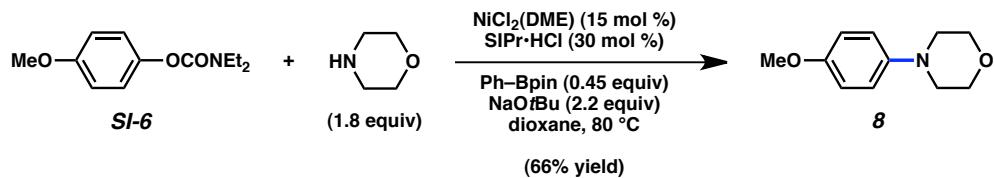
6 (Figure 2). Purification by flash chromatography (9:1 Hexanes:EtOAc) generated aminated product **6** (87% yield) as a white solid. R_f 0.23 (9:1 Hexanes:EtOAc). Spectral data match those previously reported.⁴



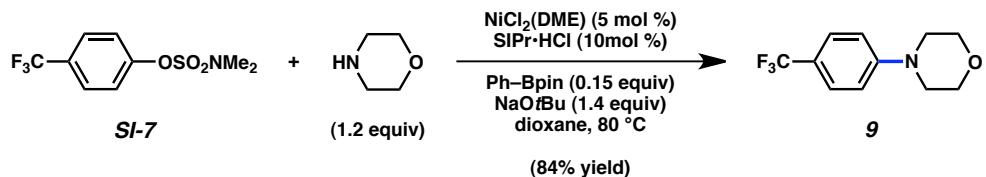
7 (Figure 2). Purification by flash chromatography (9:1 Hexanes:EtOAc) supplied aminated product **7** (85% yield) as a white solid. R_f 0.28 (9:1 Hexanes:EtOAc). Spectral data match those previously reported.²



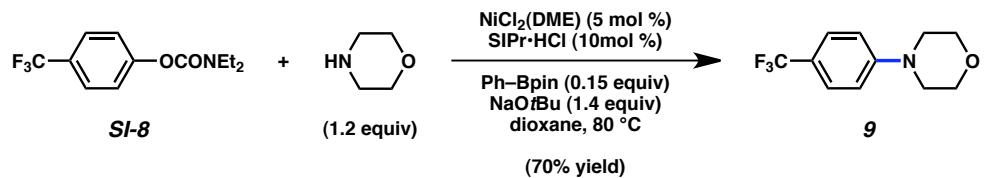
8 (Figure 2). Purification by flash chromatography (10:1:1 Benzene:Et₂O:CH₂Cl₂) afforded aminated product **8** (67% yield) as a white solid. R_f 0.16 (10:1:1 Benzene:Et₂O:CH₂Cl₂). Spectral data match those previously reported.⁵



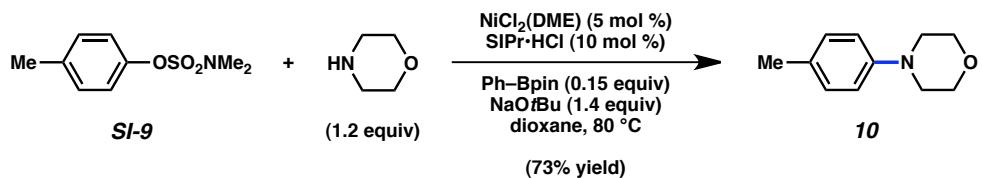
8 (Figure 2). Purification by flash chromatography (10:1:1 Benzene:Et₂O:CH₂Cl₂) afforded aminated product **8** (66% yield) as a white solid. R_f 0.16 (10:1:1 Benzene:Et₂O:CH₂Cl₂). Spectral data match those previously reported.⁵



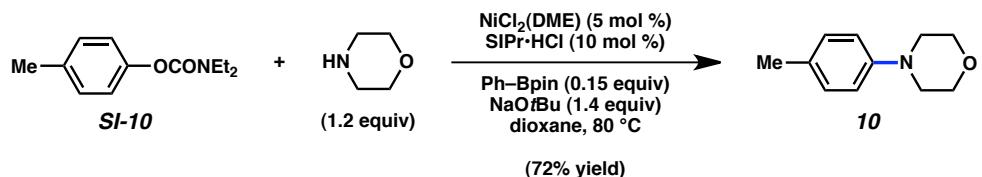
9 (Figure 2). Purification by flash chromatography (30:1 Benzene:Et₂O) generated aminated product **9** (84% yield) as a white solid. R_f 0.38 (30:1 Benzene:Et₂O). Spectral data match those previously reported.⁶



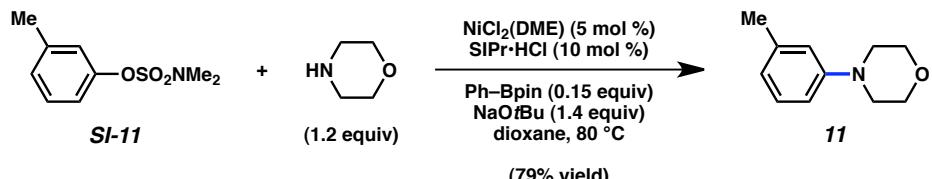
9 (Figure 2). Purification by flash chromatography (30:1 Benzene:Et₂O) produced aminated product **9** (70% yield) as a white solid. R_f 0.38 (30:1 Benzene:Et₂O). Spectral data match those previously reported.⁶



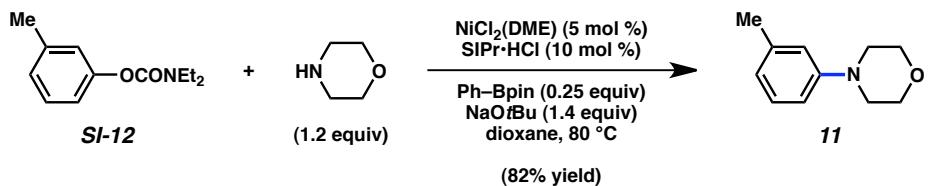
10 (Figure 2). Purification by flash chromatography (19:1 Benzene:Et₂O) afforded aminated product **10** (73% yield) as a white solid. R_f 0.29 (19:1 Benzene:Et₂O). Spectral data match those previously reported.⁷



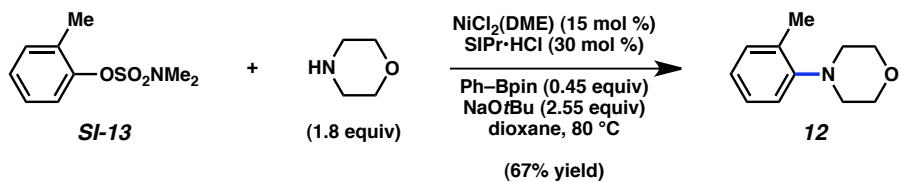
10 (Figure 2). Purification by flash chromatography (19:1 Benzene:Et₂O) yielded aminated product **10** (72% yield) as a white solid. R_f 0.29 (19:1 Benzene:Et₂O). Spectral data match those previously reported.⁷



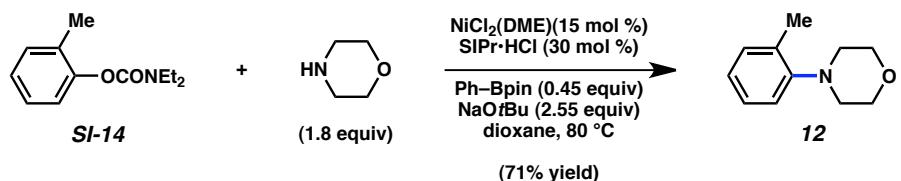
11 (Figure 2). Purification by flash chromatography (19:1 Benzene:Et₂O) generated aminated product **11** (79% yield) as a yellow oil. R_f 0.34 (19:1 Benzene:Et₂O). Spectral data match those previously reported.⁷



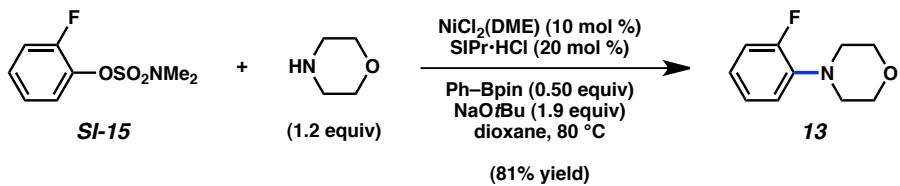
11 (Figure 2). Purification by flash chromatography (19:1 Benzene:Et₂O) afforded aminated product **11** (82% yield) as a yellow oil. R_f 0.34 (19:1 Benzene:Et₂O). Spectral data match those previously reported.⁷



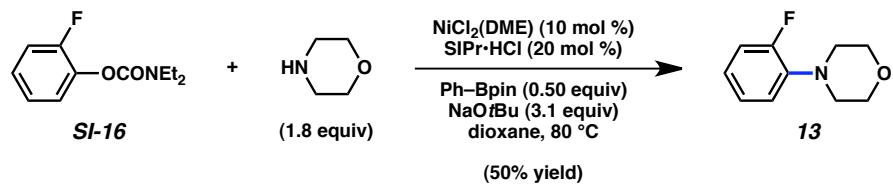
12 (Figure 2). Purification by flash chromatography (20:1 Hexanes:EtOAc) produced aminated product **12** (67% yield) as a yellow oil. R_f 0.30 (20:1 Hexanes:EtOAc). Spectral data match those previously reported.⁷



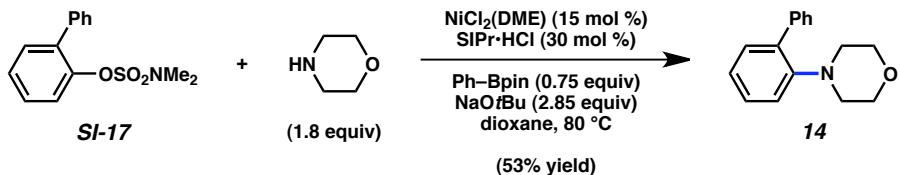
12 (Figure 2). Purification by flash chromatography (20:1 Hexanes:EtOAc) supplied aminated product **12** (71% yield) as a yellow oil. R_f 0.30 (20:1 Hexanes:EtOAc). Spectral data match those previously reported.⁷



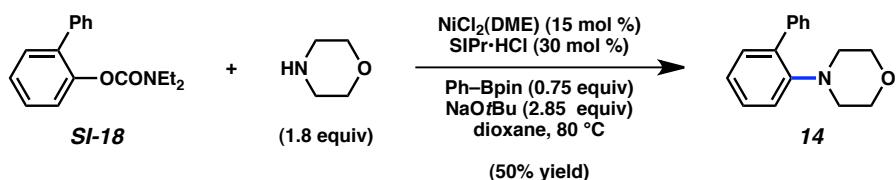
13 (Figure 2). Purification by flash chromatography (60:1:1 Benzene:Et₂O:CH₂Cl₂) afforded aminated product **13** (81% yield) as an off-white solid. R_f 0.45 (60:1:1 Benzene:Et₂O:CH₂Cl₂). Spectral data match those previously reported.⁹



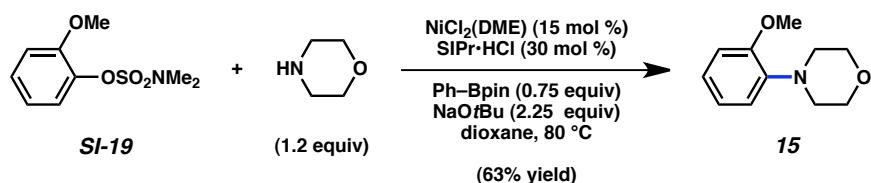
13 (Figure 2). Purification by flash chromatography (60:1:1 Benzene:Et₂O:CH₂Cl₂) supplied aminated product **13** (50% yield) as an off-white solid. R_f 0.45 (60:1:1 Benzene:Et₂O:CH₂Cl₂). Spectral data match those previously reported.⁹



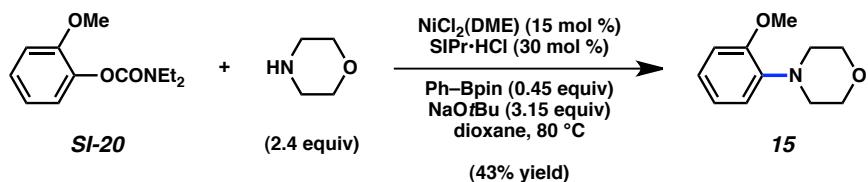
14 (Figure 2). Purification by flash chromatography (100% Benzene) yielded aminated product **14** (53% yield) as a yellow oil. R_f 0.50 (100% Benzene). Spectral data match those previously reported.⁸



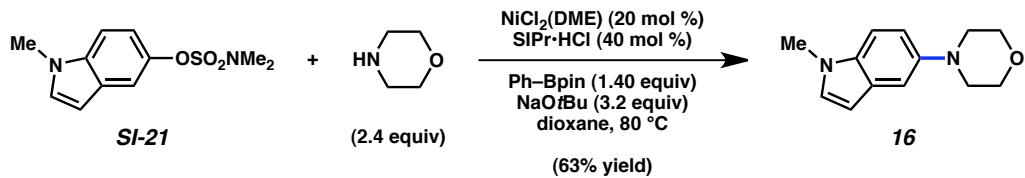
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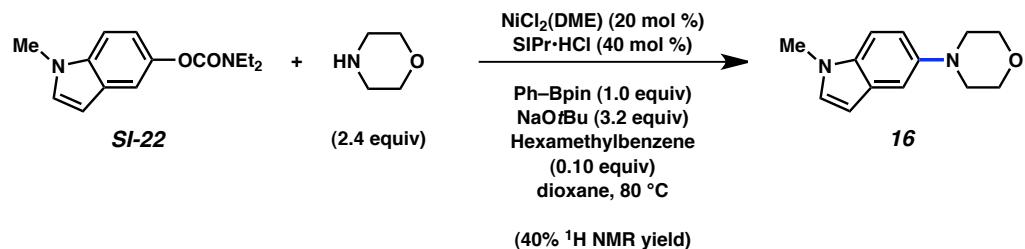
15 (Figure 2). Purification by flash chromatography (20:1 Hexanes:EtOAc) supplied aminated product **15** (63% yield) as a yellow oil. R_f 0.26 (20:1 Hexanes:EtOAc). Spectral data match those previously reported.⁹



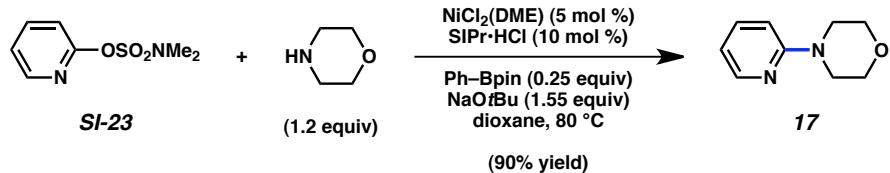
15 (Figure 2). Purification by flash chromatography (9:1 Benzene:Et₂O) generated aminated product **15** (43% yield) as a yellow oil. R_f 0.27 (9:1 Benzene:Et₂O). Spectral data match those previously reported.⁹



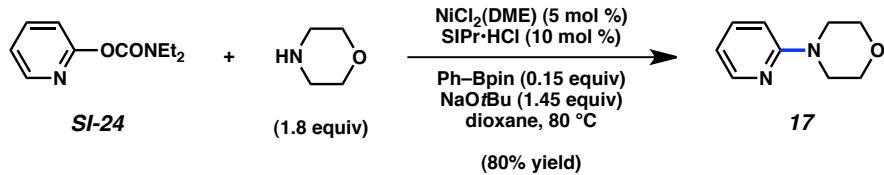
16 (Figure 2). Purification by flash chromatography (6:1:1 Benzene:Et₂O:CH₂Cl₂) yielded aminated product **16** (63% yield) as an off-white solid. R_f 0.36 (6:1:1 Benzene:Et₂O:CH₂Cl₂). Spectral data match those previously reported.^{1h}



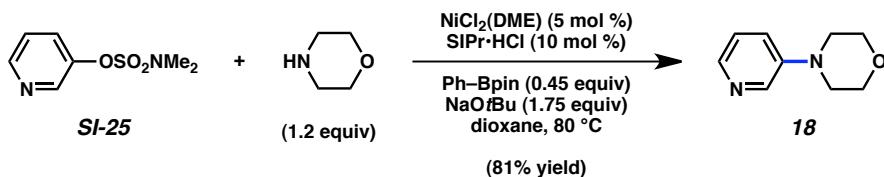
16 (Figure 2). The reaction mixture was filtered over a short plug of silica gel (eluted with EtOAc (10 mL)), then volatiles were removed in vacuo and evaporated to dryness. The yield was determined by ¹H NMR analysis with Hexamethylbenzene as an internal standard.



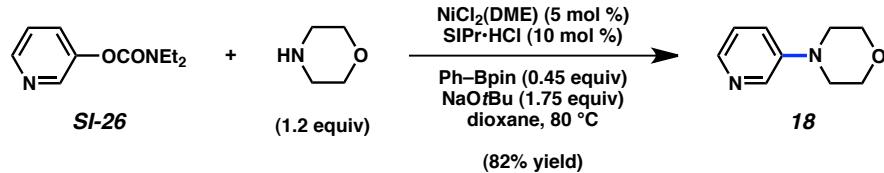
17 (Figure 2). Purification by flash chromatography (2:1 Hexanes:EtOAc) afforded aminated product **17** (90% yield) as a pale yellow oil. R_f 0.23 (2:1 Hexanes:EtOAc). Spectral data match those previously reported.¹⁰



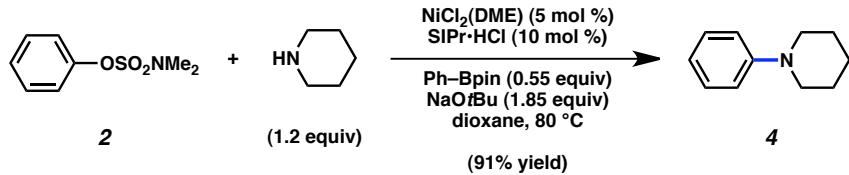
17 (Figure 2). Purification by flash chromatography (2:1 Hexanes:EtOAc) produced aminated product **17** (80% yield) as a pale yellow oil. R_f 0.27 (2:1 Hexanes:EtOAc). Spectral data match those previously reported.¹⁰



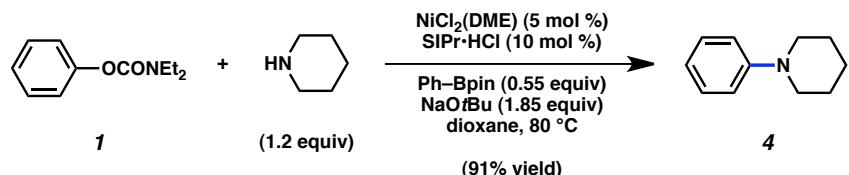
18 (Figure 2). Purification by flash chromatography (100% EtOAc) afforded aminated product **18** (81% yield) as a pale yellow oil. R_f 0.14 (100% EtOAc). Spectral data match those previously reported.¹⁰



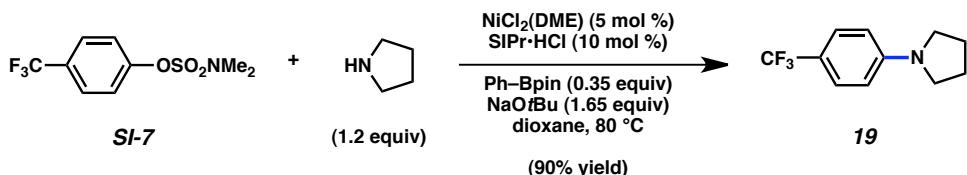
18 (Figure 2). Purification by flash chromatography (100% EtOAc) generated aminated product **18** (82% yield) as a pale yellow oil. R_f 0.14 (100% EtOAc). Spectral data match those previously reported.¹⁰



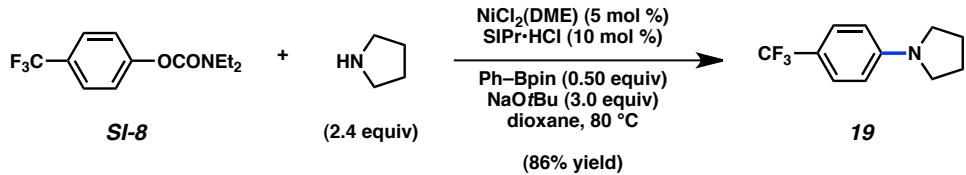
4 (Figure 3). Purification by flash chromatography (50:1 Hexanes:EtOAc) afforded aminated product **4** (91% yield) as a clear oil. R_f 0.39 (50:1 Hexanes:EtOAc). Spectral data match those previously reported.¹⁰



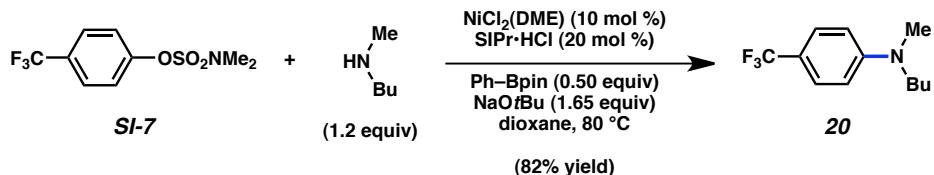
4 (Figure 3). Purification by flash chromatography (50:1 Hexanes:EtOAc) supplied aminated product **4** (91% yield) as a clear oil. R_f 0.39 (50:1 Hexanes:EtOAc). Spectral data match those previously reported.¹¹



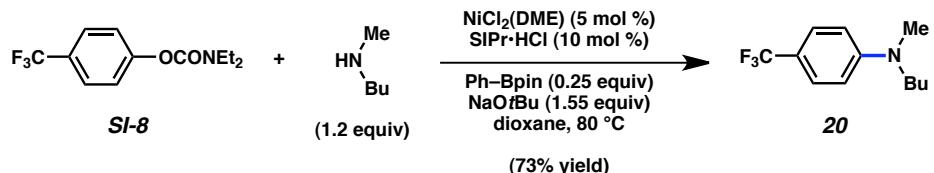
19 (Figure 3). Purification by flash chromatography (50:1 Hexanes:Et₂O) generated aminated product **19** (90% yield) as a white solid. R_f 0.34 (50:1 Hexanes:Et₂O). Spectral data match those previously reported.¹²



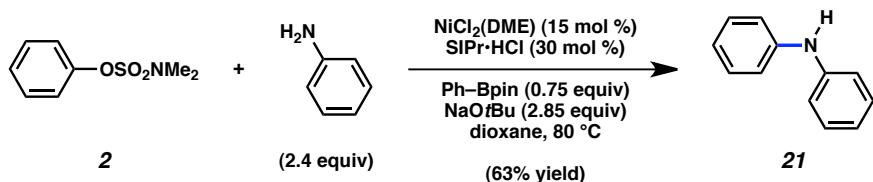
19 (Figure 3). Purification by flash chromatography (50:1 Hexanes:Et₂O) produced aminated product **19** (86% yield) as a white solid. R_f 0.34 (50:1 Hexanes:Et₂O). Spectral data match those previously reported.¹¹



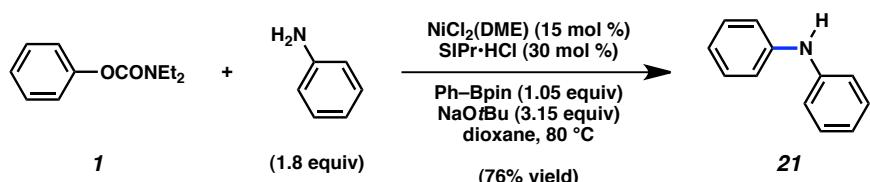
20 (Figure 3). Purification by flash chromatography (90:1 Hexanes:Et₂O) afforded aminated product **20** (82% yield) as a clear oil. R_f 0.37 (90:1 Hexanes:Et₂O). Spectral data match those previously reported.^{1h}



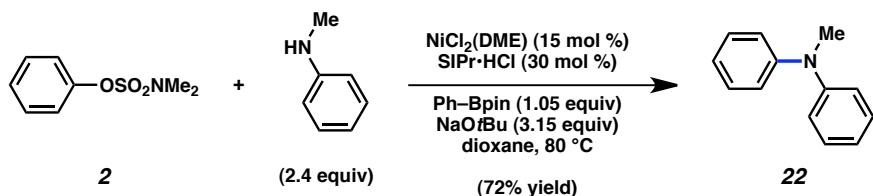
20 (Figure 3). Purification by flash chromatography (90:1 Hexanes:Et₂O) generated aminated product **20** (73% yield) as a clear oil. R_f 0.37 (90:1 Hexanes:Et₂O). Spectral data match those previously reported.^{1h}



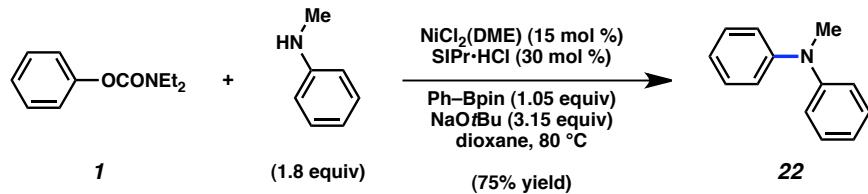
21 (Figure 3). Purification by flash chromatography (4:1 Hexanes:CH₂Cl₂) afforded aminated product **21** (63% yield) as a yellow solid. R_f 0.20 (4:1 Hexanes:CH₂Cl₂). Spectral data match those previously reported.⁷



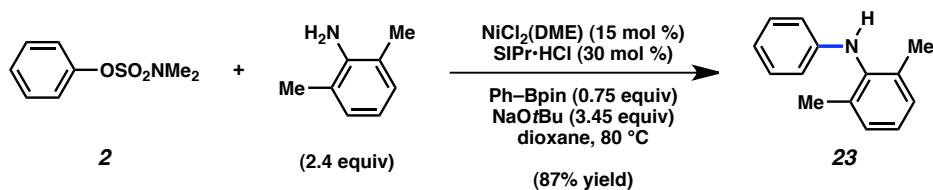
21 (Figure 3). Purification by flash chromatography (4:1 Hexanes:CH₂Cl₂) yielded aminated product **21** (76% yield) as a yellow solid. R_f 0.20 (4:1 Hexanes:CH₂Cl₂). Spectral data match those previously reported.⁷



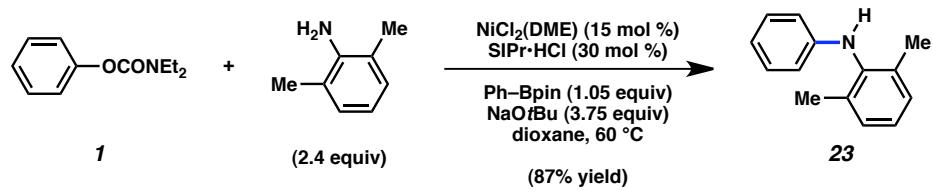
22 (Figure 3). Purification by flash chromatography (100% Hexanes) afforded aminated product **22** (72% yield) as a yellow oil. R_f 0.15 (100% Hexanes). Spectral data match those previously reported.⁷



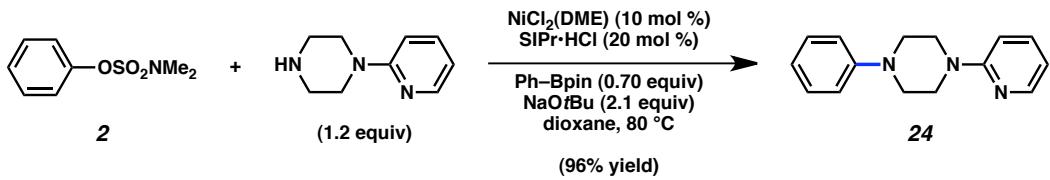
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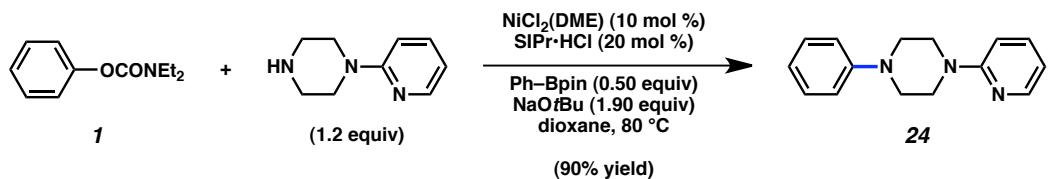
23 (Figure 3). Purification by flash chromatography (20:1 Hexanes:Et₂O) yielded aminated product **23** (87% yield) as a clear oil. R_f 0.45 (40:1 Hexanes:Et₂O). Spectral data match those previously reported.⁷



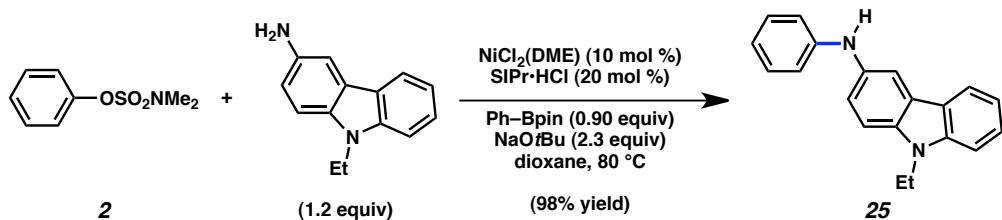
23 (Figure 3). Purification by flash chromatography (20:1 Hexanes:Et₂O) produced aminated product **23** (87% yield) as a clear oil. R_f 0.45 (40:1 Hexanes:Et₂O). Spectral data match those previously reported.⁷



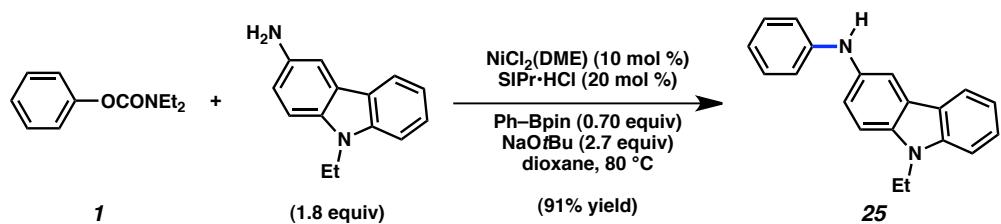
24 (Figure 3). Purification by flash chromatography (8:1 Hexanes:EtOAc) supplied aminated product **24** (96% yield) as a white solid. R_f 0.18 (8:1 Hexanes:EtOAc). Spectral data match those previously reported.¹⁰



24 (Figure 3). Purification by flash chromatography (8:1 Hexanes:EtOAc) afforded aminated product **24** (90% yield) as a white solid. R_f 0.18 (8:1 Hexanes:EtOAc). Spectral data match those previously reported.¹⁰



25 (Figure 3). Purification by flash chromatography (300:150:1 Hexanes: CH_2Cl_2 :Et₃N) yielded aminated product **25** (98% yield) as a white solid. R_f 0.19 (300:150:1 Hexanes: CH_2Cl_2 :Et₃N). Spectral data match those previously reported.¹¹



25 (Figure 3). Purification by flash chromatography (300:150:1 Hexanes:CH₂Cl₂:Et₃N) afforded aminated product **25** (91% yield) as a white solid. R_f 0.19 (300:150:1 Hexanes:CH₂Cl₂:Et₃N). Spectral data match those previously reported.¹¹

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