

Highly Versatile β -C(sp³)-H Iodination of Ketones Using a Practical Auxiliary

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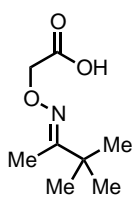
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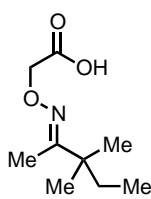
General Information

Ketones were obtained from the commercial sources or synthesized following literature procedures, and used to prepare the corresponding substrates. Aminooxyacetic acid hemihydrochloride was obtained from Combi-Blocks. I₂ was obtained from TCI. PhI(OAc)₂ was obtained from Sigma-Aldrich. Solvents were obtained from Sigma-Aldrich, Alfa-Aesar and Acros and used directly without further purification. Analytical thin layer chromatography was performed on 0.25 mm silica gel 60-F254. Visualization was carried out with UV light and Vogel's permanganate. ¹H NMR was recorded on Bruker AMX-400 instrument (400 MHz) or Bruker DRX-600 instrument (600 MHz). Chemical shifts were quoted in parts per million (ppm) referenced to 0.0 ppm for tetramethylsilane. The following abbreviations (or combinations thereof) were used to explain multiplicities: s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, q = quartet, m = multiplet, br = broad. Coupling constants, *J*, were reported in Hertz unit (Hz). ¹³C NMR spectra were recorded on Bruker AMX-400 instrument (100 MHz) or Bruker DRX-600 instrument (150 MHz), and were fully decoupled by broad band proton decoupling. ¹⁹F NMR spectra were recorded on Bruker AMX-400 instrument (100 MHz), and were fully decoupled by broad band proton decoupling. Chemical shifts were reported in ppm referenced to either the center line of a triplet at 77.0 ppm of chloroform-*d* or the center line of a multiplet at 29.84 ppm of acetone-*d*⁶. In the ¹³C NMR analysis, peaks that correspond to those of the polyfluoroarylamide auxiliary appeared as nearly invisible, complex sets of multiplets; they were omitted in the following spectroscopic analysis. High-resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were recorded on an Agilent Mass spectrometer using ESI-TOF (electrospray ionization-time of flight).

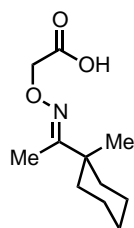
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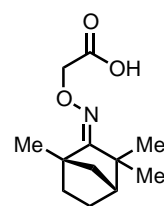
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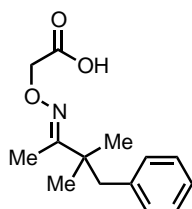
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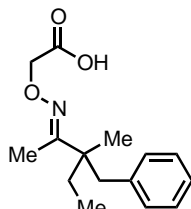
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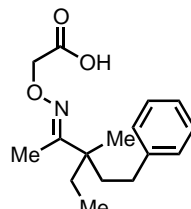
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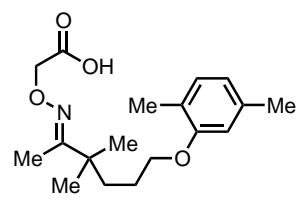
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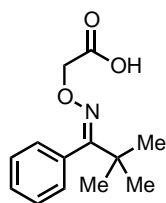
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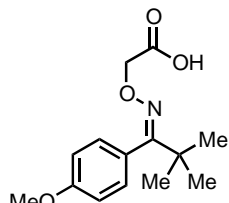
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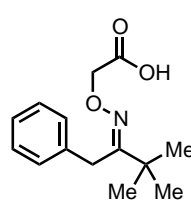
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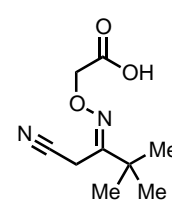
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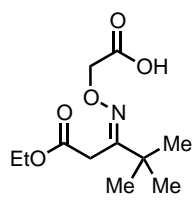
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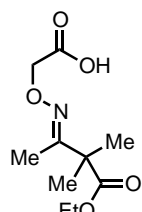
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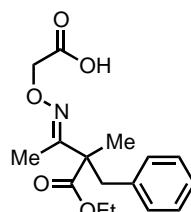
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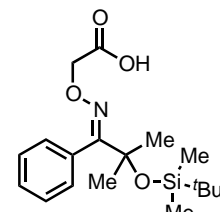
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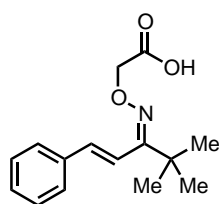
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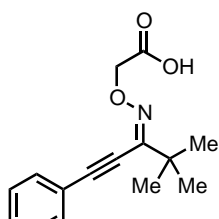
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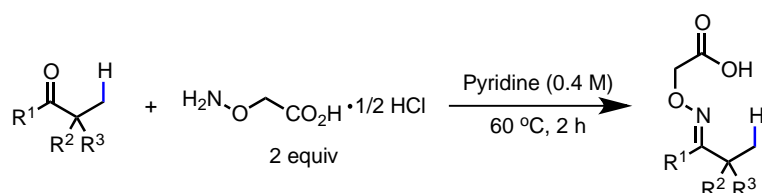


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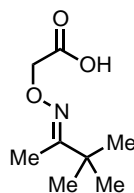
Experimental Section

Substrate Preparation

Ketones for substrates **1a**, **1b**, **1d**, **1i**, **1l**, **1m** and **1p** are commercial available. Ketones for substrates **1e**, **1f** and **1g** were synthesized following literature procedures.¹ Ketones for substrates **1c** and **1h** were synthesized by the reaction between corresponding carboxylic acids and MeLi. The procedure can be found in literature.² Ketone for substrate **1j** was synthesized following literature procedures.³ Ketone for substrate **1k** was synthesized following literature procedures.² Ketones for substrates **1n** and **1o** were synthesized following literature procedures.⁴ Ketone for substrate **1q** was synthesized following literature procedures.⁵ Ketone for substrate **1r** was synthesized following literature procedures.⁶

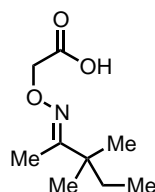


Ketone (2 mmol, 1 equiv) and aminoxyacetic acid hemihydrochloride (4 mmol, 437 mg, 2 equiv) were weighed into an oven dried 50 mL round bottom flask with a magnetic stir bar under air. 5 mL Pyridine was added and the mixture was stirred at 60 °C for 2 h. Upon completion, most pyridine was evaporated under vacuum. The resulting mixture was diluted with EtOAc (50 mL) and washed successively with water (100 mL) and diluted HCl aqueous solution (100 mL, ca. 0.01 M). The organic phase was dried with anhydrous Na₂SO₄ and the solvent was removed under vacuum. Notably, the pure compounds were obtained in good yields for all cases without chromatography.



(E)-2-(((3,3-dimethylbutan-2-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetic acid (1a)

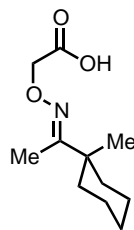
White solid. ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 4.59 (s, 2H), 1.90 (s, 3H), 1.12 (s, 9H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 174.41, 166.90, 69.93, 37.30, 27.44, 10.88. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₈H₁₄NO₃⁻ [M-H]⁻: 172.0979, found: 172.0972.



(E)-2-(((3,3-dimethylpentan-2-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetic acid (1b)

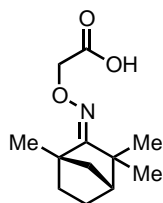
White solid. ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 4.58 (s, 2H), 1.86 (s, 3H), 1.47 (q, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 1.08 (s, 6H), 0.76 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 174.73, 165.83, 70.05, 40.67, 32.74, 24.97, 10.79, 8.81. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₉H₁₆NO₃⁻ [M-H]⁻: 186.1136,

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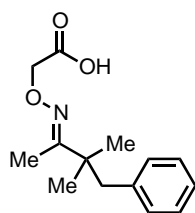
(E)-2-(((1-(1-methylcyclohexyl)ethylidene)amino)oxy)acetic acid (1c)

Colorless oil. ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 4.60 (s, 2H), 1.88 (s, 3H), 1.82-1.79 (m, 2H), 1.51-1.31 (m, 8H), 1.07 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 174.06, 166.24, 69.81, 40.78, 35.20, 35.15, 26.05, 25.97, 22.35. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{18}\text{NO}_3^-$ [M-H] $^-$: 212.1292, found: 212.1287.



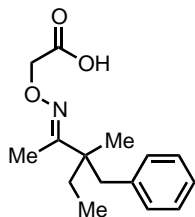
2-(((E)-((1S,4R)-1,3,3-trimethylbicyclo[2.2.1]heptan-2-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetic acid (1d)

1d was synthesized following the general procedures except the reaction temperature is 120 $^\circ\text{C}$ and the reaction time is 12 h. White solid. ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 4.51 (s, 2H), 1.87-1.84 (m, 1H), 1.81-1.78 (m, 1H), 1.75-1.73 (m, 1H), 1.61-1.59 (m, 2H), 1.44-1.38 (m, 2H), 1.30 (s, 3H), 1.28 (s, 3H), 1.21 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 176.60, 173.20, 69.98, 50.55, 48.49, 45.04, 43.31, 34.19, 25.11, 23.26, 22.47, 16.88. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{18}\text{NO}_3^-$ [M-H] $^-$: 224.1292, found: 224.1288.



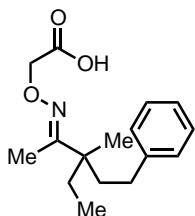
(E)-2-(((3,3-dimethyl-4-phenylbutan-2-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetic acid (1e)

Pale yellow oil. ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.27-7.19 (m, 3H), 7.06-7.04 (m, 2H), 4.52 (s, 2H), 2.74 (s, 2H), 1.96 (s, 3H), 1.09 (s, 6H). ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 174.64, 165.30, 137.90, 130.26, 127.81, 126.25, 70.12, 46.05, 41.36, 25.11, 11.65. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{18}\text{NO}_3^-$ [M-H] $^-$: 248.1292, found: 248.1297.



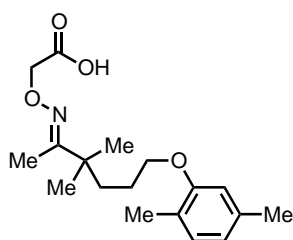
(E)-2-(((3-benzyl-3-methylpentan-2-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetic acid (1f)

Pale yellow oil. ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.26-7.23 (m, 2H), 7.21-7.19 (m, 1H), 7.05-7.04 (m, 2H), 4.54 (ABq, $J = 16.8$ Hz, 2H), 2.82 (d, $J = 13.8$ Hz, 1H), 2.67 (d, $J = 13.8$ Hz, 1H), 1.94 (s, 3H), 1.71-1.65 (m, 1H), 1.42-1.36 (m, 1H), 0.99 (s, 3H), 0.80 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 173.94, 164.61, 137.76, 130.27, 127.83, 126.26, 70.01, 45.12, 44.97, 31.10, 20.78, 11.70, 8.64. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{20}\text{NO}_3^-$ [M-H] $^-$: 262.1449, found: 262.1442.



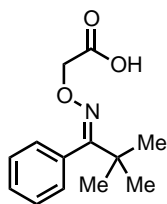
(E)-2-(((3-ethyl-3-methyl-5-phenylpentan-2-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetic acid (1g)

Pale yellow oil. ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.28-7.25 (m, 2H), 7.18-7.14 (m, 3H), 4.63 (s, 2H), 2.52 (td, $J = 5.4$ Hz, $J = 13.2$ Hz, 1H), 2.38 (td, $J = 4.8$ Hz, $J = 13.2$ Hz, 1H), 1.86 (s, 3H), 1.83-1.78 (m, 1H), 1.66-1.54 (m, 2H), 1.47-1.41 (m, 1H), 1.12 (s, 3H), 0.78 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 174.43, 164.66, 142.62, 128.36, 128.25, 125.73, 69.89, 44.07, 41.00, 31.70, 30.77, 20.68, 10.89, 8.38. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{22}\text{NO}_3^-$ [M-H] $^-$: 276.1605, found: 276.1609.



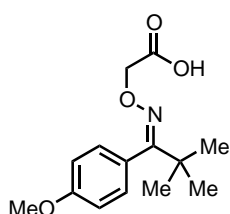
(E)-2-(((6-(2,5-dimethylphenoxy)-3,3-dimethylhexan-2-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetic acid (1h)

Colorless oil. ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.00 (d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 1H), 6.66 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 6.60 (s, 1H), 4.60 (s, 2H), 3.92-3.88 (m, 2H), 2.30 (s, 3H), 2.17 (s, 3H), 1.90 (s, 3H), 1.66-1.63 (m, 4H), 1.14 (s, 6H). ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 173.98, 166.02, 156.92, 136.48, 130.28, 123.48, 120.67, 111.88, 69.85, 67.78, 40.31, 36.65, 25.48, 24.78, 21.38, 15.78, 10.85. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{26}\text{NO}_4^-$ [M-H] $^-$: 320.1867, found: 320.1862.



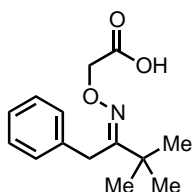
(Z)-2-(((2,2-dimethyl-1-phenylpropylidene)amino)oxy)acetic acid (1i)

White solid. ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.42-7.39 (m, 2H), 7.37-7.34 (m, 1H), 7.12-7.10 (m, 2H), 4.51 (s, 2H), 1.17 (s, 9H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 174.65, 168.26, 127.91, 127.90, 127.35, 127.34, 70.23, 37.48, 28.16. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₁₃H₁₆NO₃⁻ [M-H]⁻: 234.1136, found: 234.1130.



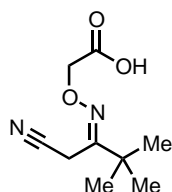
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White solid. ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.06-7.04 (m, 2H), 6.95-6.92 (m, 2H), 4.54 (s, 2H), 3.82 (s, 3H), 1.16 (s, 9H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 174.14, 168.57, 159.15, 128.59, 125.62, 113.47, 70.04, 55.14, 37.71, 28.17. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₁₄H₁₈NO₄⁻ [M-H]⁻: 262.1241, found: 262.1247.



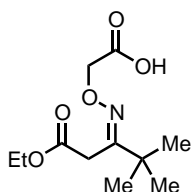
(E)-2-(((3,3-dimethyl-1-phenylbutan-2-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetic acid (1k)

Pale yellow oil. ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.28-7.25 (m, 2H), 7.23-7.22 (m, 2H), 7.19-7.17 (m, 1H), 4.63 (s, 2H), 3.81 (s, 2H), 1.11 (s, 9H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 174.94, 167.09, 136.77, 128.43, 128.25, 126.08, 69.95, 37.81, 31.80, 28.13. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₁₄H₁₈NO₃⁻ [M-H]⁻: 248.1292, found: 248.1299.



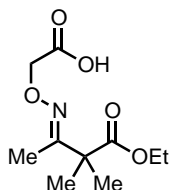
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Colorless oil. ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 4.75 (s, 2H), 3.36 (s, 2H), 1.19 (s, 9H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 174.19, 157.34, 115.14, 70.19, 37.46, 27.14, 13.66. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₉H₁₃N₂O₃⁻ [M-H]⁻: 197.0932, found: 197.0939.



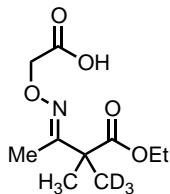
(E)-2-(((1-ethoxy-4,4-dimethyl-1-oxopentan-3-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetic acid (1m)

Colorless oil. ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 4.64 (s, 2H), 4.21 (q, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 3.42 (s, 2H), 1.28 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H), 1.12 (s, 9H). ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 172.06, 170.18, 162.19, 70.92, 62.10, 37.31, 31.53, 26.96, 13.97. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{18}\text{NO}_5^-$ $[\text{M}-\text{H}]^-$: 244.1190, found: 244.1185.



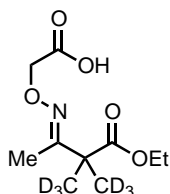
(E)-2-(((4-ethoxy-3,3-dimethyl-4-oxobutan-2-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetic acid (1n)

Colorless oil. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 4.65 (s, 2H), 4.16 (q, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 1.89 (s, 3H), 1.37 (s, 6H), 1.24 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 174.70, 174.20, 161.35, 70.02, 61.17, 48.95, 23.04, 14.02, 12.46. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{16}\text{NO}_5^-$ $[\text{M}-\text{H}]^-$: 230.1034, found: 230.1030.



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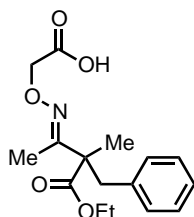
Colorless oil. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 4.65 (s, 2H), 4.16 (q, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 1.88 (s, 3H), 1.36 (s, 3H), 1.24 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 174.75, 174.60, 161.17, 70.00, 61.14, 48.74, 22.93, 14.01, 12.43. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{13}\text{D}_3\text{NO}_5^-$ $[\text{M}-\text{H}]^-$: 233.1222, found: 233.1217.



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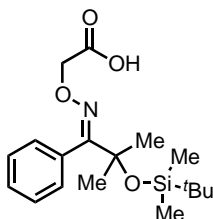
Pale yellow oil. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 4.65 (s, 2H), 4.16 (q, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 1.88 (s, 3H), 1.24 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 174.77, 174.61, 161.15, 70.00,

61.13, 48.52, 29.78, 14.02, 12.42. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for $C_{10}H_{10}D_6NO_5^-$ [M-H]⁻: 236.1411, found: 236.1414.



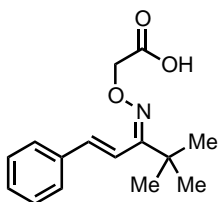
(E)-2-(((3-benzyl-4-ethoxy-3-methyl-4-oxobutan-2-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetic acid (1o)

Pale yellow oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.24-7.20 (m, 3H), 7.09-7.07 (m, 2H), 4.63 (s, 2H), 4.16 (q, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 3.25 (d, *J* = 13.6 Hz, 1H), 3.06 (d, *J* = 13.6 Hz, 1H), 1.91 (s, 3H), 1.26 (s, 3H), 1.24 (t, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 174.33, 173.60, 160.37, 136.65, 130.35, 128.01, 126.70, 70.08, 61.24, 53.82, 41.05, 20.19, 14.01, 13.30. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for $C_{16}H_{20}NO_5^-$ [M-H]⁻: 306.1347, found: 306.1340.



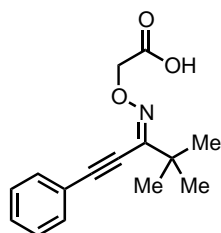
(E)-6,6,8,8,9,9-hexamethyl-5-phenyl-3,7-dioxa-4-aza-8-siladec-4-en-1-oic acid (1p)

White solid. ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.43-7.34 (m, 3H), 7.26-7.24 (m, 2H), 4.57 (s, 2H), 1.48 (s, 6H), 0.77 (s, 9H), 0.02 (s, 6H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 174.26, 165.76, 132.70, 128.17, 128.11, 127.65, 75.58, 70.14, 29.18, 25.75, 18.09, -2.16. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for $C_{18}H_{28}NO_4Si^-$ [M-H]⁻: 350.1793, found: 350.1790.



2-(((E)-((E)-4,4-dimethyl-1-phenylpent-1-en-3-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetic acid (1q)

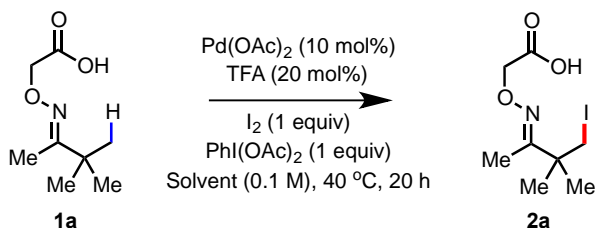
Pale yellow oil. ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.49-7.47 (m, 2H), 7.42 (d, *J* = 16.8 Hz, 1H), 7.38-7.35 (m, 2H), 7.33-7.30 (m, 1H), 6.64 (d, *J* = 16.8 Hz, 1H), 4.67 (s, 2H), 1.24 (s, 9H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 173.28, 163.69, 139.88, 136.47, 128.93, 128.74, 127.00, 116.29, 70.31, 37.70, 28.63. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for $C_{15}H_{18}NO_3^-$ [M-H]⁻: 260.1292, found: 260.1299.



(Z)-2-(((4,4-dimethyl-1-phenylpent-1-yn-3-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetic acid (1r)

Pale yellow oil. ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.54-7.52 (m, 2H), 7.39-7.34 (m, 3H), 4.72 (s, 2H), 1.26 (s, 9H). ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 173.92, 152.03, 132.13, 129.51, 128.40, 121.70, 101.73, 78.71, 70.52, 37.39, 28.06. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{16}\text{NO}_3^-$ [M-H] $^-$: 258.1136, found: 258.1132.

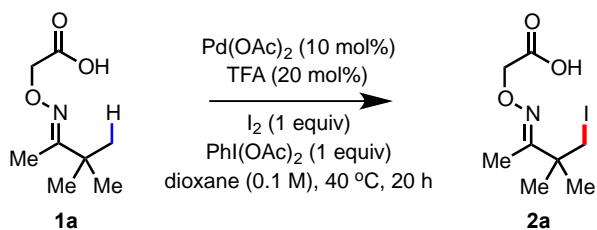
Optimization of C(sp³)-H Iodination Solvent Screening^{a,b}



Solvent	¹ H NMR yield	Solvent	¹ H NMR yield
DCM	30%	Et ₂ O	38%
DCE	21%	TBME	26%
EtOAc	35%	CH ₃ CN	0%
C ₆ F ₅ CF ₃	23%	<i>t</i> -AmylOH	7%
CHCl ₃	30%	DMF	0%
THF	37%	1,4-dioxane	66% (2.7:1) ^c

^a Conditions: **1a** (0.1 mmol, 1.0 equiv), Pd(OAc)₂ (10 mol%), TFA (20 mol%), I₂ (1.0 equiv), PhI(OAc)₂ (1.0 equiv), solvent (1.0 mL), 40 °C, under air, 20 h. ^b The yield was determined by ¹H NMR analysis of the crude product using CH₂Br₂ as the internal standard. ^c The numbers in parenthesis indicate the ratio of mono:di.

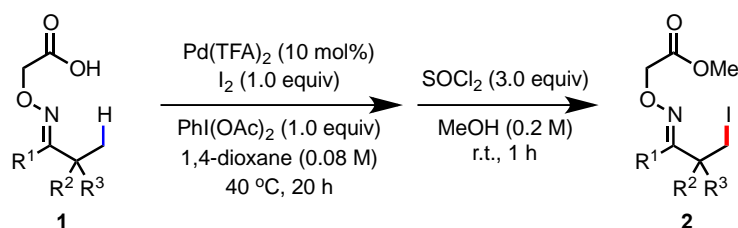
Condition Screening^{a,b,c}



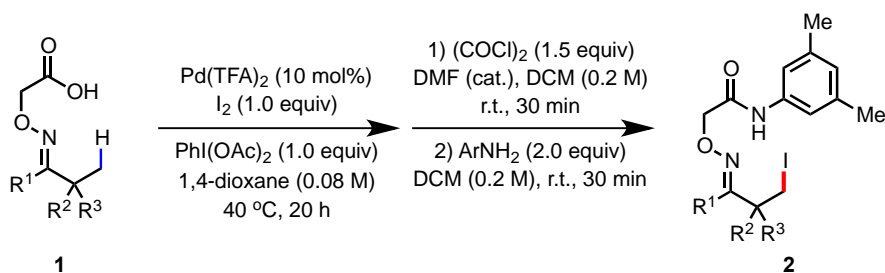
Condition	¹ H NMR yield	Condition	¹ H NMR yield
Pd(TFA) ₂	69% (2.0:1)	PhI(OAc) ₂ (1.5 eq.) I ₂ (1.5 eq.) ^d	Messy, poor mass balance
50 °C	55% (2.7:1)	PhI(OAc) ₂ (0.75 eq.) I ₂ (0.75 eq.) ^d	78% (1.4:1)
30 °C	51% (6.3:1)	under N ₂ ^d	70% (4.3:4.7:1)
w/o TFA	71% (3.6:4.2:1)	1,4-dioxane (0.13 M) ^d	80% (15:11:1)
w/o TFA Pd(TFA) ₂	81% (14:12:1)	1,4-dioxane (0.08 M) ^d	88% (1:1.3)

^a Conditions: **1a** (0.1 mmol, 1.0 equiv), Pd(OAc)₂ (10 mol%), TFA (20 mol%), I₂ (1.0 equiv), PhI(OAc)₂ (1.0 equiv), 1,4-dioxane (1.0 mL), 40 °C, under air, 20 h. ^b The yield was determined by ¹H NMR analysis of the crude product using CH₂Br₂ as the internal standard. ^c The numbers in parenthesis indicate the ratio of mono:di or mono:di:tri (if applicable). ^d Without TFA, use Pd(TFA)₂ instead of Pd(OAc)₂.

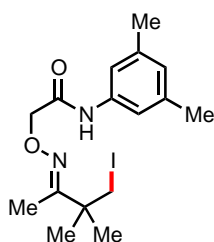
C(sp³)-H Iodination



General Procedures for the C(sp³)-H Iodination of UV Active Ketones: Substrate **1** (0.10 mmol), Pd(TFA)₂ (0.01 mmol, 3.3 mg), I₂ (0.10 mmol, 25.4 mg) and PhI(OAc)₂ (0.10 mmol, 32.2 mg) were weighed into a reaction vial (10 mL) with a magnetic stir bar under air. 1,4-Dioxane (1.25 mL) was added, and the vial was sealed with a cap. The reaction mixture was stirred at 40 °C for 20 hours. Upon completion, the reaction mixture was cooled to room temperature and diluted with EtOAc. Then the reaction mixture was filtered through a plug of silicon gel and transferred to a reaction vial (10 mL) with a magnetic stir bar. The solvent was evaporated under vacuum. Anhydrous MeOH (0.5 mL) was added to the mixture. SOCl₂ (0.30 mmol, 22 μL) was added dropwise at room temperature. The vial was sealed with a cap. The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for 1 hour. Upon completion, the reaction mixture was cooled to room temperature and the solvent was removed under vacuum. The resulting mixture was purified by preparative thin-layer chromatography.

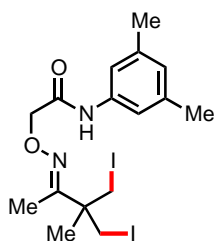


General Procedures for the C(sp³)-H Iodination of UV Inactive Ketones: Substrate **1** (0.10 mmol), Pd(TFA)₂ (0.01 mmol, 3.3 mg), I₂ (0.10 mmol, 25.4 mg) and PhI(OAc)₂ (0.10 mmol, 32.2 mg) were weighed into a reaction vial (10 mL) with a magnetic stir bar under air. 1,4-Dioxane (1.25 mL) was added, and the vial was sealed with a cap. The reaction mixture was stirred at 40 °C for 20 hours. Upon completion, the reaction mixture was cooled to room temperature and diluted with EtOAc. Then the reaction mixture was filtered through a plug of silicon gel and transferred to a reaction vial (10 mL) with a magnetic stir bar. The solvent was evaporated under vacuum. Anhydrous DCM (0.5 mL) and DMF (ca. 10 μL) were added to the mixture. (COCl)₂ (0.15 mmol, 13 μL) was added dropwise at room temperature. The vial was sealed with a cap. The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for 30 min before excess (COCl)₂ and solvent were evaporated. To the mixture was added anhydrous DCM (0.5 mL), followed by the dropwise addition of 3,5-dimethylaniline (0.2 mmol, 25 μL) to the mixture at room temperature. The vial was sealed with a cap. The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for 30 min. Upon completion, the reaction mixture was diluted with EtOAc. Then the reaction mixture was filtered through a plug of celite and the solvent was removed under vacuum. The resulting mixture was purified by preparative thin-layer chromatography.



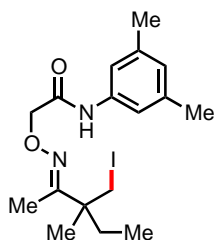
(*E*)-*N*-(3,5-dimethylphenyl)-2-(((4-iodo-3,3-dimethylbutan-2-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetamide (2a-mono**)**

Substrate **1a** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Hexane : EtOAc = 5:1 as eluent), **2a-mono** was obtained as a colorless oil (14.1 mg, 35%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.86 (br s, 1H), 7.19 (s, 2H), 6.76 (s, 1H), 4.62 (s, 2H), 3.31 (s, 2H), 2.29 (s, 6H), 1.96 (s, 3H), 1.29 (s, 6H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.32, 163.16, 138.66, 136.98, 126.25, 117.88, 73.01, 41.14, 25.46, 21.34, 18.61, 10.85. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₁₆H₂₄IN₂O₂⁺ [M+H]⁺: 403.0877, found: 403.0873.



(*E*)-*N*-(3,5-dimethylphenyl)-2-(((4-iodo-3-(iodomethyl)-3-methylbutan-2-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetamide (2a-di**)**

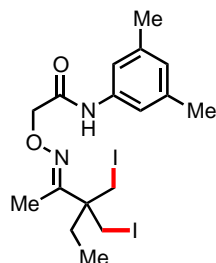
Substrate **1a** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Hexane : EtOAc = 5:1 as eluent), **2a-di** was obtained as a colorless oil (26.4 mg, 50%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.75 (br s, 1H), 7.19 (s, 2H), 6.76 (s, 1H), 4.65 (s, 2H), 3.46 (ABq, *J* = 10.2 Hz, 4H), 2.29 (s, 6H), 2.02 (s, 3H), 1.41 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.87, 160.45, 138.67, 136.81, 126.34, 117.88, 73.21, 43.67, 23.74, 21.33, 15.46, 11.62. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₁₆H₂₃I₂N₂O₂⁺ [M+H]⁺: 528.9843, found: 528.9849.



(*E*)-*N*-(3,5-dimethylphenyl)-2-(((3-(iodomethyl)-3-methylpentan-2-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetamide (2b-mono**)**

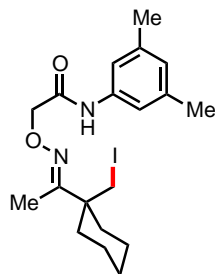
Substrate **1b** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Hexane : EtOAc = 5:1 as eluent), **2b-mono** was obtained as a colorless oil (12.5 mg, 30%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.83 (br s, 1H),

7.18 (s, 2H), 6.76 (s, 1H), 4.63 (ABq, $J = 16.2$ Hz, 2H), 3.31 (ABq, $J = 10.2$ Hz, 2H), 2.29 (s, 6H), 1.93 (s, 3H), 1.76-1.70 (m, 1H), 1.56-1.51 (m, 1H), 1.20 (s, 3H), 0.83 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 168.33, 162.34, 138.68, 136.98, 126.24, 117.81, 73.05, 44.45, 30.46, 25.54, 22.63, 21.34, 17.88, 11.02, 9.38. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{26}\text{IN}_2\text{O}_2^+$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 417.1033, found: 417.1029.



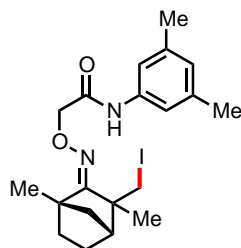
(*E*)-*N*-(3,5-dimethylphenyl)-2-(((4-iodo-3-(iodomethyl)-3-methylbutan-2-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetamide (2b-di**)**

Substrate **1b** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Hexane : EtOAc = 5:1 as eluent), **2b-di** was obtained as a colorless oil (29.0 mg, 55%). ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.72 (br s, 1H), 7.18 (s, 2H), 6.76 (s, 1H), 4.65 (s, 2H), 3.48 (ABq, $J = 10.8$ Hz, 4H), 2.29 (s, 6H), 2.01 (s, 3H), 1.73 (q, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 0.82 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 167.81, 159.63, 138.69, 136.78, 126.34, 117.80, 73.23, 46.91, 27.87, 21.33, 15.41, 11.84, 9.62. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{25}\text{I}_2\text{N}_2\text{O}_2^+$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 543.0000, found: 543.0007.



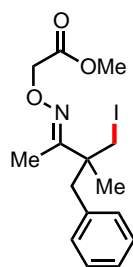
(*E*)-*N*-(3,5-dimethylphenyl)-2-(((1-(1-(iodomethyl)cyclohexyl)ethylidene)amino)oxy)acetamide (2c**)**

Substrate **1c** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure except the reaction time is 3 hours. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Hexane : EtOAc = 5:1 as eluent), **2c** was obtained as a colorless oil (26.5 mg, 60%). ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.89 (br s, 1H), 7.20 (s, 2H), 6.75 (s, 1H), 4.64 (s, 2H), 3.29 (s, 2H), 2.29 (s, 6H), 2.02-1.99 (m, 2H), 1.91 (s, 3H), 1.53-1.31 (m, 8H). ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 168.46, 161.85, 138.60, 136.97, 126.21, 117.93, 73.04, 44.14, 33.77, 25.84, 22.49, 21.32, 18.20, 10.62. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{28}\text{IN}_2\text{O}_2^+$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 443.1190, found: 443.1196.



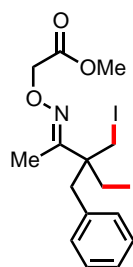
***N*-(3,5-dimethylphenyl)-2-(((*E*)-((1*S*,4*R*)-3-(iodomethyl)-1,3-dimethylbicyclo[2.2.1]heptan-2-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetamide (**2d**)**

Substrate **1d** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure except the reaction time is 3 hours and the reaction time is 3 h. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Hexane : EtOAc = 5:1 as eluent), **2d** was obtained as a colorless oil (19.1 mg, 42%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.84 (br s, 1H), 7.16 (s, 2H), 6.77 (s, 1H), 4.55 (s, 2H), 3.45 (ABq, *J* = 10.2 Hz, 2H), 2.30 (s, 6H), 2.02-1.97 (m, 1H), 1.96-1.93 (m, 1H), 1.92-1.87 (m, 2H), 1.74-1.68 (m, 1H), 1.58-1.56 (m, 1H), 1.49-1.44 (m, 1H), 1.40 (s, 3H), 1.37 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 171.68, 168.39, 138.73, 137.07, 126.26, 117.65, 73.36, 54.54, 47.64, 45.62, 43.05, 32.19, 26.10, 23.06, 22.84, 21.39, 8.31. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₂₀H₂₈IN₂O₂⁺ [M+H]⁺: 455.1190, found: 455.1195.



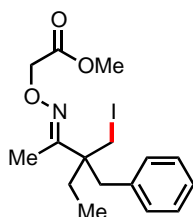
(*E*)-methyl 2-(((3-benzyl-4-iodo-3-methylbutan-2-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetate (2e-mono**)**

Substrate **1e** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Hexane : Acetone = 20:1 as eluent), **2e-mono** was obtained as a colorless oil (15.6 mg, 40%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.28-7.27 (m, 2H), 7.24-7.21 (m, 1H), 7.16-7.15 (m, 2H), 4.58 (s, 2H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.29 (ABq, *J* = 10.2 Hz, 2H), 2.90 (ABq, *J* = 13.8 Hz, 2H), 1.93 (s, 3H), 1.20 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.57, 160.68, 136.94, 130.24, 128.06, 126.61, 70.53, 51.79, 44.48, 43.28, 23.68, 17.84, 11.84. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₁₅H₂₁INO₃⁺ [M+H]⁺: 390.0561, found: 390.0555.



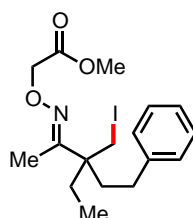
(*E*)-methyl 2-(((3-benzyl-4-iodo-3-(iodomethyl)butan-2-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetate (2e-di**)**

Substrate **1e** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Hexane : Acetone = 20:1 as eluent), **2e-di** was obtained as a colorless oil (20.6 mg, 40%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.30-7.21 (m, 5H), 4.54 (s, 2H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 3.43 (ABq, *J* = 10.2 Hz, 4H), 2.97 (s, 2H), 2.00 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.20, 157.66, 135.89, 129.72, 128.29, 127.13, 70.74, 51.85, 47.19, 40.04, 15.86, 12.64. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₁₅H₂₀I₂NO₃⁺ [M+H]⁺: 515.9527, found: 515.9532.



(E)-methyl 2-(((3-benzyl-3-(iodomethyl)pentan-2-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetate (2f)

Substrate **1f** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure except the reaction time is 3 hours. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Hexane : EtOAc = 5:1 as eluent), **2f** was obtained as a colorless oil (29.0 mg, 72%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.28-7.25 (m, 2H), 7.23-7.20 (m, 3H), 4.54 (ABq, *J* = 16.2 Hz, 2H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 3.24 (ABq, *J* = 11.4 Hz, 2H), 2.87 (ABq, *J* = 14.4 Hz, 2H), 1.99 (s, 3H), 1.68-1.61 (m, 2H), 0.82 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.52, 159.60, 136.90, 129.96, 128.10, 126.57, 70.45, 51.74, 47.73, 40.23, 28.90, 16.00, 12.31, 8.33. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₁₆H₂₃INO₃⁺ [M+H]⁺: 404.0717, found: 404.0721.

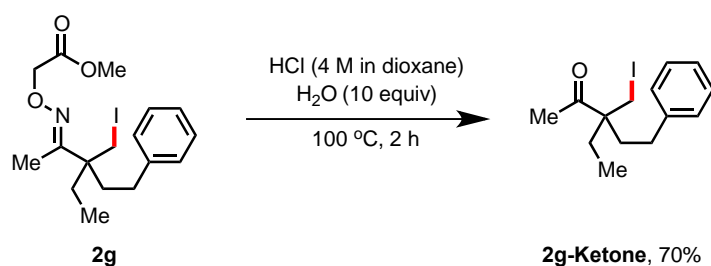


(E)-methyl 2-(((3-ethyl-3-(iodomethyl)-5-phenylpentan-2-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetate (2g)

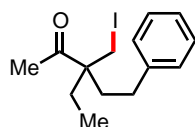
Substrate **1g** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure except the reaction time is 3 hours. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Hexane : EtOAc = 5:1 as eluent), **2g** was obtained as a colorless oil (30.9 mg, 74%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.29-7.27 (m, 2H), 7.20-7.17 (m, 3H), 4.64 (s, 2H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.50 (ABqd, *J*₁ = 1.2 Hz, *J*₂ = 10.8 Hz, 2H), 2.47 (td, *J*₁ = 4.8 Hz, *J*₂ = 13.2 Hz, 1H), 2.28 (td, *J*₁ = 4.8 Hz, *J*₂ = 13.2 Hz, 1H), 1.94 (s, 3H), 1.93-1.88 (m, 1H), 1.76-1.70 (m, 1H), 1.69-1.64 (m, 1H), 1.58-1.52 (m, 1H), 0.74 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.54, 159.74, 141.87, 128.42, 128.33, 125.90, 70.40, 51.76, 46.42, 38.82, 30.16, 28.97, 15.11, 11.53, 7.75. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₁₇H₂₅INO₃⁺ [M+H]⁺: 418.0874, found: 418.0880.

1 mmol Scale reaction: Substrate **1g** (1.0 mmol, 291 mg), Pd(TFA)₂ (0.1 mmol, 33 mg), I₂ (1.0 mmol, 254 mg) and PhI(OAc)₂ (1.0 mmol, 322 mg) were weighed into a Schlenk tube (100 mL) with a magnetic stir bar under air. 1,4-Dioxane (12.5 mL) was added, and the tube

was sealed with a cap. The reaction mixture was stirred at 40 °C for 20 hours. Upon completion, the reaction mixture was cooled to room temperature and diluted with EtOAc. Then the reaction mixture was filtered through a plug of silicon gel and transferred to a round bottom flask (100 mL) with a magnetic stir bar. The solvent was evaporated under vacuum. Anhydrous MeOH (5 mL) was added to the mixture. SOCl₂ (3.0 mmol, 0.22 mL) was added dropwise at room temperature. The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for 1 hour. Upon completion, the reaction mixture was cooled to room temperature and the solvent was removed under vacuum. The resulting mixture was purified by chromatography using Hexane/EtOAc (20:1 to 10:1) mixtures as the eluent to give 325 mg of **2g** as a colorless oil (78% yield).

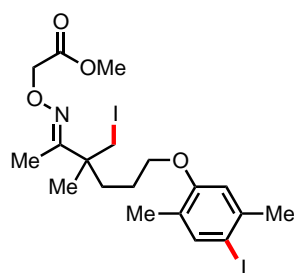


The removal of auxiliary: 2g (0.05 mmol, 20.9 mg) was weighed into a reaction vial (10 mL) with a magnetic stir bar under air. 9.0 μL of H₂O (10 equiv) and 0.5 mL of HCl (4 M in dioxane) were added, and the vial was sealed with a cap. The reaction mixture was stirred at 100 °C for 2 hours. Upon completion, the reaction mixture was cooled to room temperature and the solvent was removed under vacuum. The resulting mixture was purified by preparative thin-layer chromatography by using toluene/EtOAc (100:1) as the eluent to give 11.6 mg of **2g-Ketone** (70% yield).



3-ethyl-3-(iodomethyl)-5-phenylpentan-2-one (**2g-Ketone**)

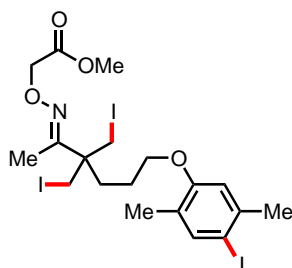
Colorless oil (11.6 mg, 70%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.30-7.28 (m, 2H), 7.22-7.17 (m, 3H), 3.50 (q, *J* = 10.8 Hz, 2H), 2.51-2.46 (m, 1H), 2.30-2.26 (m, 1H), 2.23 (s, 3H), 2.04-1.98 (m, 1H), 1.96-1.90 (m, 1H), 1.82-1.73 (m, 2H), 0.80 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 209.25, 141.20, 128.55, 128.26, 126.19, 54.41, 38.04, 30.41, 28.63, 26.02, 12.15, 8.24. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₁₄H₂₀IO⁺ [M+H]⁺: 331.0553, found: 331.0560.



(E)-methyl

2-(((6-(4-iodo-2,5-dimethylphenoxy)-3-(iodomethyl)-3-methylhexan-2-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetate (2h-mono)

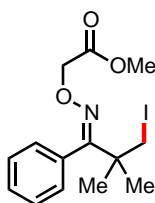
Substrate **1h** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Toluene : EtOAc = 100:1 as eluent), **2h-mono** was obtained as a colorless oil (29.4 mg, 50%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.51 (s, 1H), 6.67 (s, 1H), 4.62 (s, 2H), 3.90-3.87 (m, 2H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.37 (ABq, *J* = 10.8 Hz, 2H), 2.37 (s, 3H), 2.13 (s, 3H), 1.91 (s, 3H), 1.84-1.80 (m, 1H), 1.68-1.63 (m, 3H), 1.22 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.58, 160.35, 157.27, 139.97, 139.43, 126.41, 112.58, 89.04, 70.44, 67.63, 51.76, 43.22, 34.37, 27.96, 24.59, 23.97, 18.20, 15.32, 11.12. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₁₉H₂₈I₂NO₄⁺ [M+H]⁺: 588.0102, found: 588.0106.



(E)-methyl

2-(((6-(4-iodo-2,5-dimethylphenoxy)-3,3-bis(iodomethyl)hexan-2-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetate (2h-di)

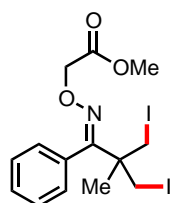
Substrate **1h** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Toluene : EtOAc = 100:1 as eluent), **2h-di** was obtained as a colorless oil (21.4 mg, 30%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.51 (s, 1H), 6.67 (s, 1H), 4.64 (s, 2H), 3.89 (t, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.51 (ABq, *J* = 10.8 Hz, 4H), 2.36 (s, 3H), 2.13 (s, 3H), 1.97 (s, 3H), 1.86-1.83 (m, 2H), 1.66-1.62 (m, 2H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.30, 157.88, 157.12, 140.02, 139.48, 126.34, 112.48, 89.17, 70.62, 67.13, 51.84, 46.02, 31.95, 27.96, 25.19, 15.96, 15.38, 11.62. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₁₉H₂₇I₃NO₄⁺ [M+H]⁺: 713.9069, found: 713.9062.



(E)-methyl 2-(((3-iodo-2-(iodomethyl)-2-methyl-1-phenylpropylidene)amino)oxy)acetate (2i-mono)

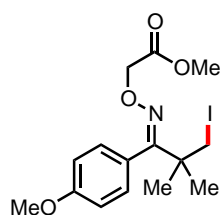
Substrate **1i** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Hexane : Acetone = 20:1 as eluent), **2i-mono** was obtained as a colorless oil (11.3 mg, 30%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.43-7.40 (m, 2H), 7.38-7.35 (m, 1H), 7.25-7.23 (m, 2H), 4.55 (s, 2H), 3.75 (s, 3H), 3.36 (s, 2H), 1.28 (s, 6H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.52, 162.74, 132.95, 128.25, 128.08, 127.40, 70.63, 51.74, 40.74, 26.72, 19.84. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₁₄H₁₉INO₃⁺ [M+H]⁺: 376.0404, found:

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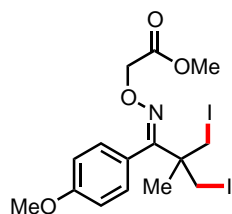
(E)-methyl 2-(((3-iodo-2-(iodomethyl)-2-methyl-1-phenylpropylidene)amino)oxy)acetate (2i-di)

Substrate **1i** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Hexane : Acetone = 20:1 as eluent), **2i-di** was obtained as a colorless oil (21.5 mg, 43%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.45-7.42 (m, 2H), 7.40-7.38 (m, 1H), 7.34-7.32 (m, 2H), 4.57 (s, 2H), 3.76 (s, 3H), 3.49 (ABq, *J* = 10.8 Hz, 4H), 1.41 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.22, 159.30, 132.08, 128.79, 128.31, 127.38, 70.83, 51.87, 43.11, 24.88, 17.66. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₁₄H₁₈I₂NO₃⁺ [M+H]⁺: 501.9371, found: 501.9375.



(E)-methyl 2-(((3-iodo-1-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2,2-dimethylpropylidene)amino)oxy)acetate (2j-mono)

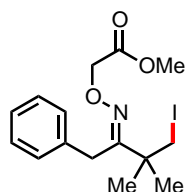
Substrate **1j** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Hexane : Acetone = 20:1 as eluent), **2j-mono** was obtained as a colorless oil (11.7 mg, 29%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.20-7.17 (m, 2H), 6.95-6.93 (m, 2H), 4.56 (s, 2H), 3.82 (s, 3H), 3.75 (s, 3H), 3.33 (s, 2H), 1.28 (s, 6H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.57, 162.62, 159.33, 128.76, 124.97, 113.58, 70.61, 55.15, 51.73, 40.92, 26.70, 20.02. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₁₅H₂₁INO₄⁺ [M+H]⁺: 406.0510, found: 406.0515.



(E)-methyl 2-(((3-iodo-2-(iodomethyl)-1-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2-methylpropylidene)amino)oxy)acetate (2j-di)

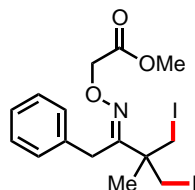
Substrate **1j** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Hexane : Acetone = 20:1 as eluent), **2j-di** was

obtained as a colorless oil (22.3 mg, 42%). ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.28-7.26 (m, 2H), 6.97-6.94 (m, 2H), 4.57 (s, 2H), 3.82 (s, 3H), 3.76 (s, 3H), 3.48 (ABq, $J = 10.8$ Hz, 4H), 1.41 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 170.27, 159.72, 159.26, 128.79, 124.04, 113.76, 70.80, 55.18, 51.85, 43.30, 24.84, 17.79. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{20}\text{I}_2\text{NO}_4^+$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 531.9476, found: 531.9471.



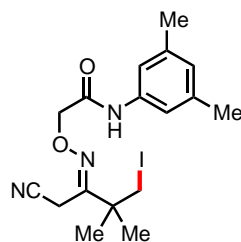
(E)-methyl 2-(((4-iodo-3,3-dimethyl-1-phenylbutan-2-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetate (2k-mono)

Substrate **1k** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Hexane : Acetone = 10:1 as eluent), **2k-mono** was obtained as a colorless oil (9.7 mg, 25%). ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.30-7.27 (m, 4H), 7.22-7.18 (m, 1H), 4.66 (s, 2H), 3.82 (s, 2H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.34 (s, 2H), 1.18 (s, 6H). ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 170.56, 161.85, 136.30, 128.52, 128.47, 126.23, 70.58, 51.81, 40.89, 31.78, 26.69, 20.17. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{21}\text{INO}_3^+$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 390.0561, found: 390.0569.



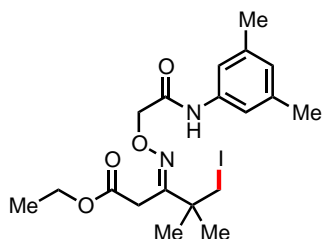
(E)-methyl 2-(((4-iodo-3-(iodomethyl)-3-methyl-1-phenylbutan-2-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetate (2k-di)

Substrate **1k** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Hexane : Acetone = 10:1 as eluent), **2k-di** was obtained as a colorless oil (25.8 mg, 50%). ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.30-7.29 (m, 4H), 7.24-7.20 (m, 1H), 4.70 (s, 2H), 3.85 (s, 2H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 3.45 (ABq, $J = 10.2$ Hz, 4H), 1.28 (s, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 170.24, 158.72, 135.61, 128.64, 126.56, 70.82, 51.92, 43.41, 32.11, 24.85, 17.74. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{20}\text{I}_2\text{NO}_3^+$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 515.9527, found: 515.9520.



(E)-2-(((1-cyano-4-iodo-3,3-dimethylbutan-2-ylidene)amino)oxy)-N-(3,5-dimethylphenyl)acetamide (2l)

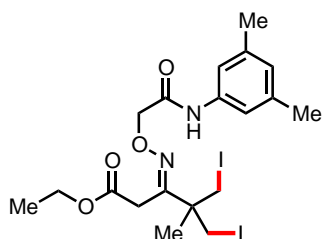
Substrate **1l** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure except the reaction temperature is 80 °C. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Hexane : EtOAc = 2:1 as eluent), **2l** was obtained as a colorless oil (21.4 mg, 50%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.06 (br s, 1H), 7.28 (s, 2H), 6.76 (s, 1H), 4.81 (s, 2H), 3.35 (s, 2H), 3.29 (s, 2H), 2.29 (s, 6H), 1.36 (s, 6H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.71, 154.24, 138.61, 137.06, 126.33, 117.78, 115.38, 74.28, 41.36, 25.44, 21.36, 15.99, 14.26. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₁₇H₂₃IN₃O₂⁺ [M+H]⁺: 428.0829, found: 428.0822.



(E)-ethyl

3-((2-((3,5-dimethylphenyl)amino)-2-oxoethoxy)imino)-5-iodo-4,4-dimethylpentanoate (2m-mono)

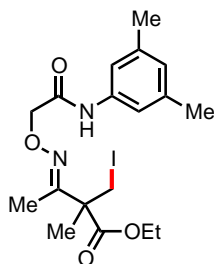
Substrate **1m** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Hexane : EtOAc = 5:1 as eluent), the iodinated products were obtained as 3.4:1 (mono:di) inseparable mixtures (**2m-mono**, 26.1 mg, 55%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.63 (br s, 1H), 7.40 (s, 2H), 6.75 (s, 1H), 4.68 (s, 2H), 4.24 (q, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 3.42 (s, 2H), 3.31 (s, 2H), 2.30 (s, 6H), 1.30 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H), 1.28 (s, 6H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.29, 168.21, 157.74, 138.34, 137.86, 125.83, 117.73, 73.51, 61.83, 40.63, 31.77, 25.58, 21.43, 17.59, 14.04. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₁₉H₂₈IN₂O₄⁺ [M+H]⁺: 475.1088, found: 475.1084.



(E)-ethyl

3-((2-((3,5-dimethylphenyl)amino)-2-oxoethoxy)imino)-5-iodo-4-(iodomethyl)-4-methylpentanoate (2m-di)

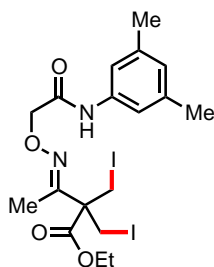
Substrate **1m** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Hexane : EtOAc = 5:1 as eluent), the iodinated products were obtained as 3.4:1 (mono:di) inseparable mixtures (**2m-di**, 10.2 mg, 17%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.60 (br s, 1H), 7.40 (s, 2H), 6.75 (s, 1H), 4.71 (s, 2H), 4.25 (q, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 3.47 (s, 2H), 3.46 (ABq, *J* = 10.8 Hz, 4H), 2.30 (s, 6H), 1.42 (s, 3H), 1.31 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.80, 167.79, 154.89, 138.36, 137.76, 125.91, 117.72, 73.80, 62.06, 43.30, 32.34, 29.44, 24.00, 17.60, 15.43. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₁₉H₂₇I₂N₂O₄⁺ [M+H]⁺: 601.0055, found: 601.0051.



(E)-ethyl

3-((2-((3,5-dimethylphenyl)amino)-2-oxoethoxy)imino)-2-(iodomethyl)-2-methylbutanoate (2n-mono)

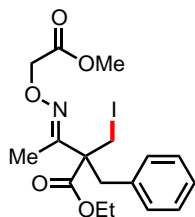
Substrate **1n** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Hexane : EtOAc = 5:1 as eluent), the iodinated products were obtained as 4.0:1 (mono:di) inseparable mixtures (**2n-mono**, 24.8 mg, 54%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.75 (br s, 1H), 7.18 (s, 2H), 6.77 (s, 1H), 4.66 (ABq, *J* = 16.2 Hz, 2H), 4.28-4.17 (m, 2H), 3.59 (ABq, *J* = 10.2 Hz, 2H), 2.30 (s, 6H), 1.97 (s, 3H), 1.50 (s, 3H), 1.27 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR of mixture (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.70, 167.78, 167.42, 167.16, 158.93, 156.69, 138.71, 138.70, 136.87, 136.72, 126.43, 126.34, 117.83, 117.76, 73.49, 73.27, 62.96, 62.05, 56.71, 53.06, 22.05, 21.32, 14.12, 14.08, 12.74, 12.64, 11.48, 10.59. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₁₈H₂₆I₁N₂O₄⁺ [M+H]⁺: 461.0932, found: 461.0939.



(E)-ethyl

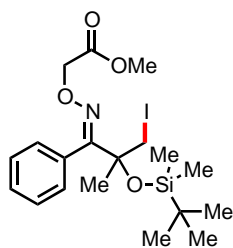
3-((2-((3,5-dimethylphenyl)amino)-2-oxoethoxy)imino)-2,2-bis(iodomethyl)butanoate (2n-di)

Substrate **1n** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Hexane : EtOAc = 5:1 as eluent), the iodinated products were obtained as 4.0:1 (mono:di) inseparable mixtures (**2n-di**, 8.2 mg, 14%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.68 (br s, 1H), 7.18 (s, 2H), 6.77 (s, 1H), 4.70 (s, 2H), 4.28-4.17 (m, 2H), 3.78 (ABq, *J* = 9.6 Hz, 4H), 2.29 (s, 6H), 1.98 (s, 3H), 1.31 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR of mixture (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.70, 167.78, 167.42, 167.16, 158.93, 156.69, 138.71, 138.70, 136.87, 136.72, 126.43, 126.34, 117.83, 117.76, 73.49, 73.27, 62.96, 62.05, 56.71, 53.06, 22.05, 21.32, 14.12, 14.08, 12.74, 12.64, 11.48, 10.59. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₁₈H₂₅I₂N₂O₄⁺ [M+H]⁺: 586.9898, found: 586.9891.



(E)-ethyl 2-benzyl-2-(iodomethyl)-3-((2-methoxy-2-oxoethoxy)imino)butanoate (2o)

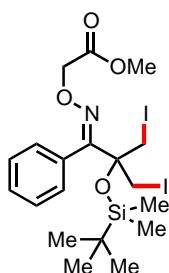
Substrate **1o** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Hexane : EtOAc = 5:1 as eluent), **2o** was obtained as 1.6:1 (**2o** : starting material) inseparable mixture (32.2 mg, 60%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.28-7.18 (m, 4H), 7.11-7.09 (m, 1H), 4.57 (ABq, *J* = 16.2 Hz, 2H), 4.27-4.18 (m, 2H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.41 (ABq, *J* = 11.4 Hz, 2H), 3.28 (ABq, *J* = 14.4 Hz, 2H), 1.93 (s, 3H), 1.28 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR of mixture (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 173.68, 170.47, 170.17, 170.13, 156.45, 136.99, 135.64, 130.42, 130.04, 128.26, 128.23, 127.94, 127.02, 126.53, 70.74, 70.52, 61.94, 61.06, 57.50, 53.74, 51.82, 51.73, 41.10, 37.69, 20.25, 14.07, 14.03, 13.26, 13.13, 9.90. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₂₄H₃₀IN₂O₄⁺ [M+H]⁺: 537.1245, found: 537.1240.



(E)-methyl

6-(iodomethyl)-6,8,8,9,9-pentamethyl-5-phenyl-3,7-dioxa-4-aza-8-siladec-4-en-1-oate (2p-mono)

Substrate **1p** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure except the reaction temperature is 80 °C. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Toluene : EtOAc = 100:1 as eluent), **2p-mono** was obtained as a colorless oil (22.1 mg, 45%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.40-7.34 (m, 5H), 4.58 (s, 2H), 3.76 (s, 3H), 3.42 (ABq, *J* = 9.6 Hz, 2H), 1.68 (s, 3H), 0.80 (s, 9H), 0.14 (s, 3H), 0.01 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.42, 161.17, 131.92, 128.45, 128.22, 127.78, 76.40, 70.82, 51.81, 27.11, 25.89, 18.37, 17.86, -1.80, -2.48. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₁₉H₃₁INO₄Si⁺ [M+H]⁺: 492.1062, found: 492.1066.

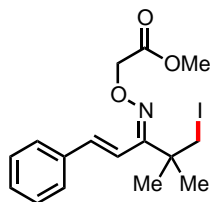


(E)-methyl

6,6-bis(iodomethyl)-8,8,9,9-tetramethyl-5-phenyl-3,7-dioxa-4-aza-8-siladec-4-en-1-oate

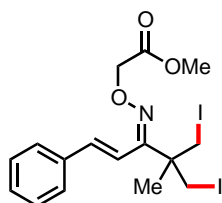
(2p-di)

Substrate **1p** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure except the reaction temperature is 80 °C. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Toluene : EtOAc = 100:1 as eluent), **2p-di** was obtained as a colorless oil (12.3 mg, 20%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.46-7.44 (m, 2H), 7.42-7.38 (m, 3H), 4.63 (s, 2H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.69 (ABq, *J* = 10.2 Hz, 4H), 0.92 (s, 9H), 0.15 (s, 6H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.05, 156.26, 130.90, 129.13, 128.42, 128.02, 76.21, 71.10, 51.98, 26.02, 18.68, 15.86, -2.14. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₁₉H₃₀I₂NO₄Si⁺ [M+H]⁺: 618.0028, found: 618.0020.



methyl 2-(((E)-((E)-5-iodo-4,4-dimethyl-1-phenylpent-1-en-3-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetate (2q-mono)

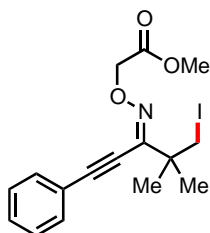
Substrate **1q** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Hexane : Acetone = 20:1 as eluent), **2q-mono** was obtained as a colorless oil (14.0 mg, 35%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.49-7.46 (m, 2H), 7.42 (d, *J* = 16.8 Hz, 1H), 7.37-7.34 (m, 2H), 7.32-7.29 (m, 1H), 6.56 (d, *J* = 16.8 Hz, 1H), 4.68 (s, 2H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.41 (s, 2H), 1.36 (s, 6H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.43, 158.24, 139.42, 136.52, 128.80, 128.69, 126.99, 116.05, 71.00, 51.86, 40.72, 26.84, 20.24. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₁₆H₂₁INO₃⁺ [M+H]⁺: 402.0561, found: 402.0555.



methyl

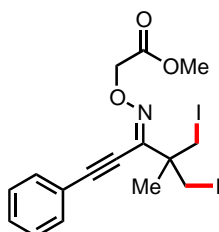
2-(((E)-((E)-5-iodo-4-(iodomethyl)-4-methyl-1-phenylpent-1-en-3-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetate (2q-di)

Substrate **1q** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Hexane : EtOAc = 20:1 as eluent), **2q-di** was obtained as a colorless oil (18.4 mg, 35%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.49-7.47 (m, 2H), 7.42 (d, *J* = 16.8 Hz, 1H), 7.38-7.36 (m, 2H), 7.33-7.31 (m, 1H), 6.49 (d, *J* = 16.8 Hz, 1H), 4.69 (s, 2H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 3.55 (ABq, *J* = 10.2 Hz, 4H), 1.52 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.16, 155.74, 140.17, 136.13, 129.06, 128.74, 127.08, 115.43, 71.17, 51.96, 43.13, 24.92, 17.60. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₁₆H₂₀I₂NO₃⁺ [M+H]⁺: 527.9527, found: 527.9521.



(E)-methyl 2-(((5-iodo-4,4-dimethyl-1-phenylpent-1-yn-3-ylidene)amino)oxy)acetate (2r-mono)

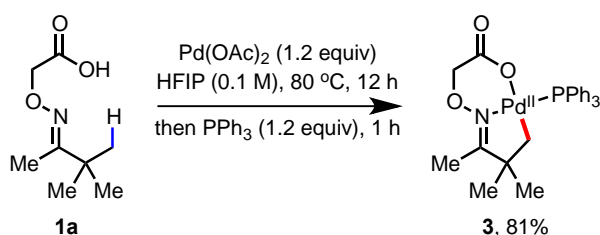
Substrate **1r** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Hexane : EtOAc = 10:1 as eluent), the iodinated products were obtained as 1.9:1 (mono:di) inseparable mixtures (**2r-mono**, 20.7 mg, 52%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.55-7.53 (m, 2H), 7.38-7.34 (m, 3H), 4.73 (s, 2H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.45 (s, 2H), 1.39 (s, 6H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.70, 146.92, 132.15, 129.59, 128.40, 121.55, 101.62, 78.23, 71.19, 51.92, 40.46, 26.18, 16.11. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₁₆H₁₉INO₃⁺ [M+H]⁺: 400.0404, found: 400.0400.



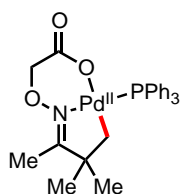
(E)-methyl 2-(((3-iodo-2-(iodomethyl)-2-methyl-1-phenylpropylidene)amino)oxy)acetate (2r-di)

Substrate **1r** was iodinated following the general iodination procedure. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (Hexane : EtOAc = 10:1 as eluent), the iodinated products were obtained as 1.9:1 (mono:di) inseparable mixtures (**2r-di**, 8.4 mg, 16%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.56-7.54 (m, 2H), 7.43-7.39 (m, 3H), 4.75 (s, 2H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 3.59 (ABq, *J* = 10.2 Hz, 4H), 1.54 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.96, 143.74, 132.21, 129.87, 128.47, 121.15, 102.03, 77.69, 71.39, 52.02, 42.89, 24.71, 18.97. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₁₆H₁₈I₂NO₃⁺ [M+H]⁺: 525.9371, found: 525.9377.

The Synthesis and Characterization of Palladacycle



The General Procedures for the Palladacycle Synthesis: Substrate **1a** (0.1 mmol, 17.3 mg) and Pd(OAc)₂ (0.12 mmol, 27.0 mg) were weighed into a reaction vial (10 mL) with a magnetic stir bar under air. HFIP (1.0 mL) was added, and the vial was sealed with a cap. The reaction mixture was stirred at 80 °C for 12 hours. Upon completion, the reaction mixture was cooled to room temperature and PPh₃ (0.12 mmol, 31.4 mg) was added. The reaction was stirred for another 1 h at 80 °C. Upon completion, the reaction mixture was cooled to room temperature and diluted with EtOAc. Then the reaction mixture was filtered through a plug of celite. The solvent was removed under vacuum and the resulting mixture was purified by preparative thin-layer chromatography with EtOAc : MeOH = 10:1 as the eluent.



Palladacycle (**3**)

Substrate **1a** was palladated following the general procedures. After purification by preparative thin-layer chromatography (EtOAc : MeOH = 10:1 as eluent), **3** was obtained as a white solid (43.7 mg, 81%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.60-7.56 (m, 6H), 7.46-7.39 (m, 9H), 4.57 (s, 2H), 1.95 (s, 3H), 1.57 (d, *J* = 3.6 Hz, 2H), 1.11 (s, 6H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 178.99, 172.54, 134.04 (d, *J* = 12.0 Hz), 130.60, 128.57, 128.49, 76.00, 50.26, 40.35, 28.65, 12.24. HRMS (ESI-TOF) Calcd for C₂₆H₂₈NO₃PPd [M+H]⁺: 539.0842, found: 539.0850.

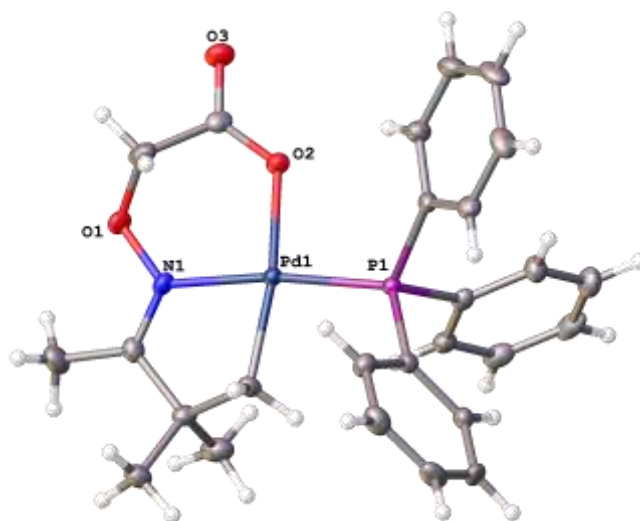


Table 1. Crystal data and structure refinement for palladacycle **3**.

Identification code ZRY-12-142-4
Empirical formula C₂₆ H₂₈ N O₃ P Pd
Formula weight 539.86
Temperature 100.0 K
Wavelength 0.71073 Å
Crystal system Monoclinic
Space group P 21/c
Unit cell dimensions a = 13.5418(12) Å = 90°.
b = 12.5775(14) Å = 110.150(3)°.
c = 14.9257(17) Å = 90°.
Volume 2386.6(4) Å³
Z 4
Density (calculated) 1.503 Mg/m³
Absorption coefficient 0.872 mm⁻¹
F(000) 1104
Crystal size 0.3 x 0.24 x 0.19 mm³
Theta range for data collection 2.907 to 27.945°.
Index ranges -14 ≤ h ≤ 17, -16 ≤ k ≤ 16, -19 ≤ l ≤ 16
Reflections collected 24974
Independent reflections 5704 [R(int) = 0.0292]
Completeness to theta = 25.242° 99.7 %
Absorption correction Semi-empirical from equivalents
Max. and min. transmission 0.2622 and 0.2255
Refinement method Full-matrix least-squares on F²
Data / restraints / parameters 5704 / 0 / 292
Goodness-of-fit on F² 1.035
Final R indices [I > 2σ(I)] R1 = 0.0235, wR2 = 0.0563
R indices (all data) R1 = 0.0313, wR2 = 0.0603
Extinction coefficient n/a
Largest diff. peak and hole 0.430 and -0.398 e.Å⁻³

Table 2. Atomic coordinates ($\times 10^4$) and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for palladacycle **3**. $U(\text{eq})$ is defined as one third of the trace of the orthogonalized U_{ij} tensor.

	x	y	z	$U(\text{eq})$
Pd(1)	2380(1)	4394(1)	4072(1)	14(1)
P(1)	2951(1)	5660(1)	5194(1)	14(1)
O(1)	1864(1)	2305(1)	2964(1)	25(1)
O(2)	2476(1)	3053(1)	4983(1)	21(1)
N(1)	1840(1)	3422(1)	2919(1)	18(1)
O(3)	2738(1)	1325(1)	5254(1)	30(1)
C(16)	2269(2)	6364(2)	6676(1)	23(1)
C(24)	4103(2)	8766(2)	4245(1)	28(1)
C(21)	3368(1)	6901(1)	4804(1)	16(1)
C(9)	4067(1)	5295(1)	6245(1)	17(1)
C(26)	2928(2)	7879(2)	4892(1)	20(1)
C(20)	921(2)	6073(2)	5155(1)	21(1)
C(25)	3293(2)	8810(2)	4606(1)	27(1)
C(15)	1978(1)	6060(1)	5721(1)	17(1)
C(14)	4020(2)	4326(2)	6684(1)	23(1)
C(10)	4901(2)	5987(2)	6668(1)	22(1)
C(22)	4168(2)	6864(2)	4412(1)	21(1)
C(2)	1232(2)	5015(2)	2094(1)	20(1)
C(18)	465(2)	6712(2)	6471(2)	29(1)
C(17)	1508(2)	6686(2)	7050(2)	29(1)
C(1)	2071(2)	5472(1)	2999(1)	20(1)
C(4)	124(2)	5315(2)	2083(2)	30(1)
C(19)	161(2)	6403(2)	5528(2)	25(1)
C(5)	1312(1)	3814(2)	2100(1)	20(1)
C(8)	2635(1)	2109(1)	4743(1)	20(1)
C(23)	4543(2)	7793(2)	4142(2)	26(1)
C(11)	5671(2)	5726(2)	7532(1)	27(1)
C(13)	4797(2)	4071(2)	7546(2)	29(1)
C(7)	2747(2)	1946(2)	3764(2)	25(1)
C(3)	1392(2)	5462(2)	1194(1)	25(1)
C(6)	795(2)	3145(2)	1242(2)	31(1)
C(12)	5614(2)	4775(2)	7965(1)	30(1)

Table 3. Bond lengths [\AA] and angles [$^\circ$] for palladacycle **3**.

Pd(1)-P(1)	2.2463(5)
Pd(1)-O(2)	2.1424(13)
Pd(1)-N(1)	2.0303(15)
Pd(1)-C(1)	2.0289(18)
P(1)-C(21)	1.8227(18)
P(1)-C(9)	1.8228(18)
P(1)-C(15)	1.8235(18)
O(1)-N(1)	1.4068(19)
O(1)-C(7)	1.441(2)
O(2)-C(8)	1.280(2)
N(1)-C(5)	1.283(2)
O(3)-C(8)	1.225(2)
C(16)-H(16)	0.9500
C(16)-C(15)	1.395(3)
C(16)-C(17)	1.390(3)
C(24)-H(24)	0.9500
C(24)-C(25)	1.379(3)
C(24)-C(23)	1.392(3)
C(21)-C(26)	1.393(2)
C(21)-C(22)	1.398(3)
C(9)-C(14)	1.396(3)
C(9)-C(10)	1.394(3)
C(26)-H(26)	0.9500
C(26)-C(25)	1.393(3)
C(20)-H(20)	0.9500
C(20)-C(15)	1.388(3)
C(20)-C(19)	1.392(3)
C(25)-H(25)	0.9500
C(14)-H(14)	0.9500
C(14)-C(13)	1.390(3)
C(10)-H(10)	0.9500
C(10)-C(11)	1.389(3)
C(22)-H(22)	0.9500
C(22)-C(23)	1.388(3)
C(2)-C(1)	1.546(2)
C(2)-C(4)	1.543(3)
C(2)-C(5)	1.513(3)
C(2)-C(3)	1.537(3)
C(18)-H(18)	0.9500
C(18)-C(17)	1.380(3)
C(18)-C(19)	1.379(3)
C(17)-H(17)	0.9500

C(1)-H(1A) 0.9900
C(1)-H(1B) 0.9900
C(4)-H(4A) 0.9800
C(4)-H(4B) 0.9800
C(4)-H(4C) 0.9800
C(19)-H(19) 0.9500
C(5)-C(6) 1.491(3)
C(8)-C(7) 1.535(3)
C(23)-H(23) 0.9500
C(11)-H(11) 0.9500
C(11)-C(12) 1.376(3)
C(13)-H(13) 0.9500
C(13)-C(12) 1.386(3)
C(7)-H(7A) 0.9900
C(7)-H(7B) 0.9900
C(3)-H(3A) 0.9800
C(3)-H(3B) 0.9800
C(3)-H(3C) 0.9800
C(6)-H(6A) 0.9800
C(6)-H(6B) 0.9800
C(6)-H(6C) 0.9800
C(12)-H(12) 0.9500

O(2)-Pd(1)-P(1) 98.90(4)
N(1)-Pd(1)-P(1) 171.69(5)
N(1)-Pd(1)-O(2) 89.41(6)
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C(9)-P(1)-C(15) 101.90(8)
C(15)-P(1)-Pd(1) 113.75(6)
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C(15)-C(20)-C(19) 120.56(18)
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C(21)-C(22)-H(22) 119.8
C(23)-C(22)-C(21) 120.40(18)
C(23)-C(22)-H(22) 119.8
C(4)-C(2)-C(1) 109.72(17)
C(5)-C(2)-C(1) 109.65(15)
C(5)-C(2)-C(4) 108.11(16)
C(5)-C(2)-C(3) 109.84(16)
C(3)-C(2)-C(1) 110.19(16)
C(3)-C(2)-C(4) 109.29(16)
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C(19)-C(18)-H(18) 119.6
C(19)-C(18)-C(17) 120.86(19)
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Pd(1)-C(1)-H(1A) 109.8
Pd(1)-C(1)-H(1B) 109.8
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O(2)-C(8)-C(7) 118.18(16)
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C(12)-C(13)-H(13) 119.9
O(1)-C(7)-C(8) 114.92(16)
O(1)-C(7)-H(7A) 108.5
O(1)-C(7)-H(7B) 108.5
C(8)-C(7)-H(7A) 108.5
C(8)-C(7)-H(7B) 108.5
H(7A)-C(7)-H(7B) 107.5
C(2)-C(3)-H(3A) 109.5
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H(3A)-C(3)-H(3B) 109.5
H(3A)-C(3)-H(3C) 109.5
H(3B)-C(3)-H(3C) 109.5
C(5)-C(6)-H(6A) 109.5
C(5)-C(6)-H(6B) 109.5
C(5)-C(6)-H(6C) 109.5
H(6A)-C(6)-H(6B) 109.5
H(6A)-C(6)-H(6C) 109.5

H(6B)-C(6)-H(6C) 109.5
C(11)-C(12)-C(13) 120.62(19)
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Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

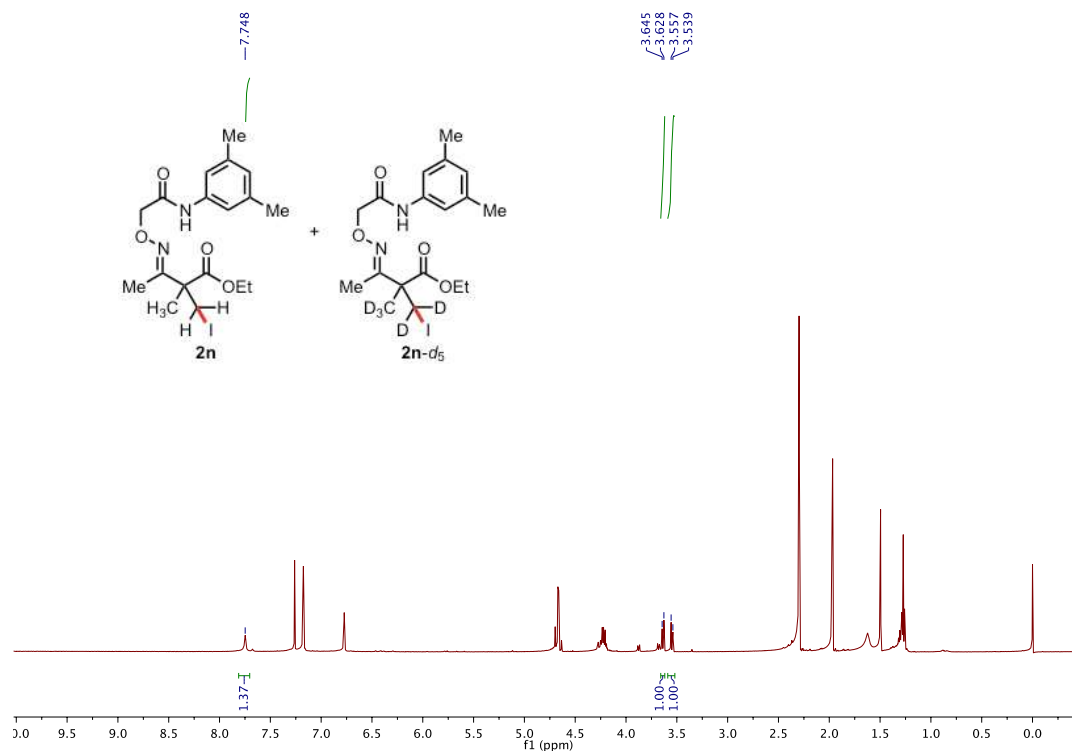
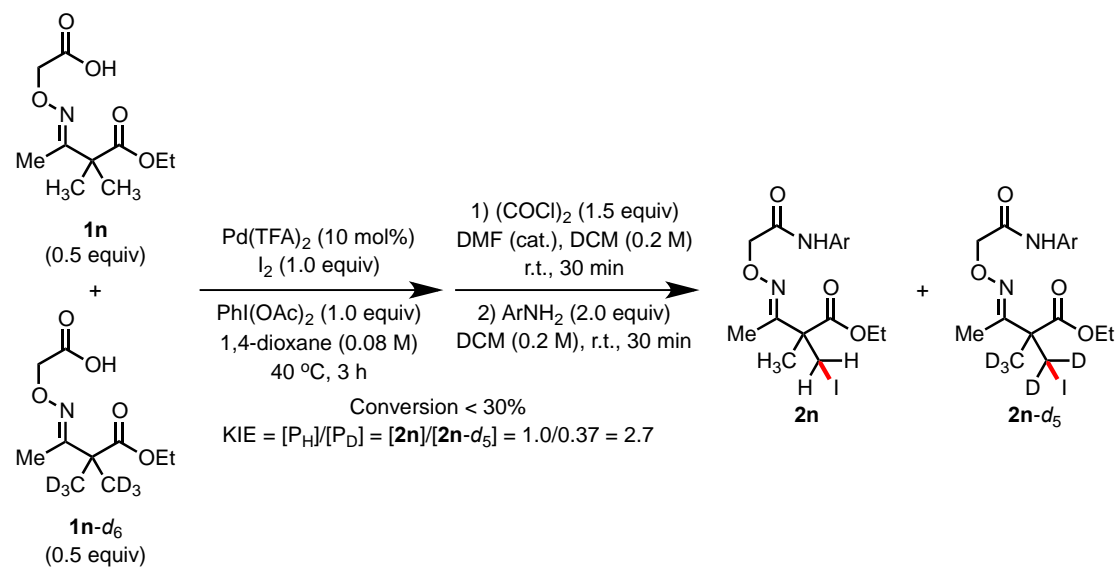
Table 4. Anisotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for palladacycle **3**. The anisotropic displacement factor exponent takes the form: $-2 \left[h^2 a^{*2} U_{11} + \dots + 2 h k a^* b^* U_{12} \right]$

	U11	U22	U33	U23	U13	U12
Pd(1)	17(1)	12(1)	14(1)	0(1)	5(1)	1(1)
P(1)	16(1)	12(1)	14(1)	0(1)	5(1)	1(1)
O(1)	36(1)	13(1)	23(1)	-2(1)	7(1)	-2(1)
O(2)	29(1)	15(1)	21(1)	2(1)	9(1)	1(1)
N(1)	21(1)	14(1)	20(1)	-2(1)	8(1)	-1(1)
O(3)	43(1)	18(1)	28(1)	6(1)	11(1)	1(1)
C(16)	25(1)	25(1)	21(1)	-3(1)	9(1)	0(1)
C(24)	44(1)	21(1)	18(1)	1(1)	10(1)	-11(1)
C(21)	21(1)	15(1)	12(1)	0(1)	4(1)	-1(1)
C(9)	19(1)	18(1)	15(1)	-1(1)	5(1)	4(1)
C(26)	29(1)	18(1)	15(1)	-1(1)	9(1)	2(1)
C(20)	23(1)	19(1)	22(1)	3(1)	7(1)	1(1)
C(25)	47(1)	13(1)	20(1)	0(1)	12(1)	2(1)
C(15)	18(1)	14(1)	20(1)	1(1)	10(1)	0(1)
C(14)	26(1)	22(1)	21(1)	2(1)	6(1)	2(1)
C(10)	21(1)	22(1)	21(1)	0(1)	6(1)	2(1)
C(22)	23(1)	18(1)	22(1)	0(1)	9(1)	0(1)
C(2)	21(1)	20(1)	18(1)	1(1)	4(1)	0(1)
C(18)	32(1)	20(1)	44(1)	2(1)	26(1)	3(1)
C(17)	36(1)	28(1)	27(1)	-3(1)	17(1)	2(1)
C(1)	27(1)	17(1)	15(1)	1(1)	6(1)	-1(1)
C(4)	26(1)	30(1)	34(1)	8(1)	10(1)	4(1)
C(19)	20(1)	20(1)	37(1)	5(1)	12(1)	1(1)
C(5)	20(1)	23(1)	17(1)	-3(1)	6(1)	-3(1)
C(8)	16(1)	18(1)	22(1)	2(1)	3(1)	0(1)
C(23)	28(1)	29(1)	23(1)	0(1)	11(1)	-8(1)
C(11)	19(1)	39(1)	21(1)	-5(1)	4(1)	0(1)
C(13)	34(1)	28(1)	22(1)	9(1)	8(1)	8(1)
C(7)	30(1)	16(1)	31(1)	2(1)	13(1)	6(1)
C(3)	29(1)	26(1)	19(1)	3(1)	6(1)	-1(1)
C(6)	41(1)	29(1)	19(1)	-3(1)	4(1)	-8(1)
C(12)	24(1)	46(1)	18(1)	7(1)	3(1)	11(1)

Table 5. Hydrogen coordinates ($\times 10^4$) and isotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for palladacycle **3**.

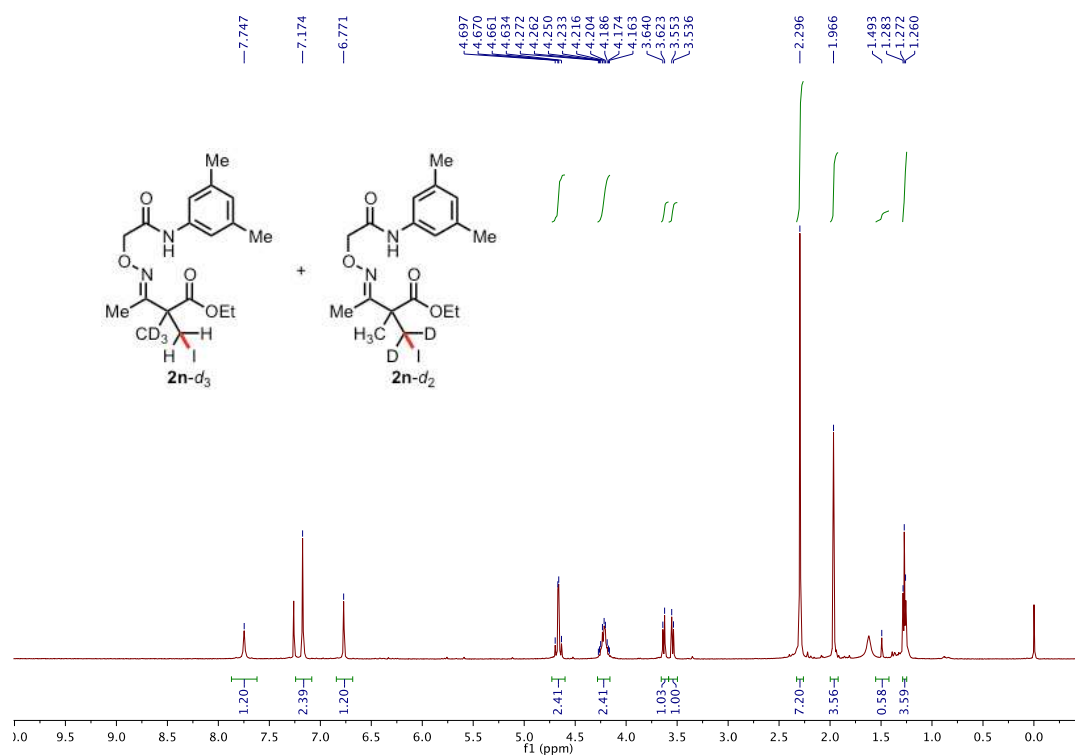
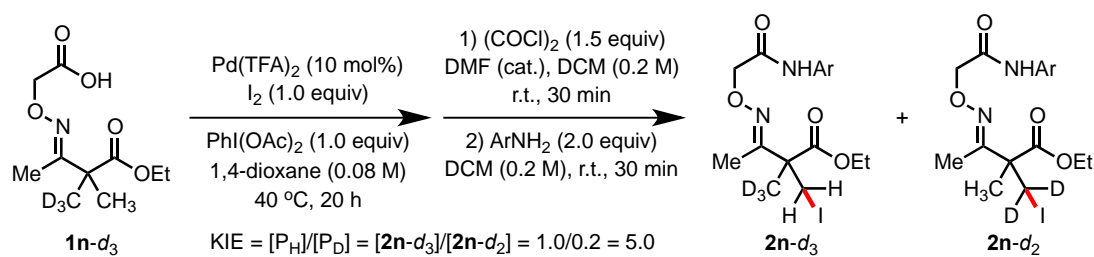
	x	y	z	U(eq)
H(16)	2989	6352	7071	28
H(24)	4362	9403	4065	33
H(26)	2376	7912	5148	25
H(20)	716	5854	4507	26
H(25)	2985	9474	4660	32
H(14)	3460	3843	6396	28
H(10)	4944	6641	6365	26
H(22)	4457	6198	4330	25
H(18)	-52	6947	6725	34
H(17)	1707	6887	7702	34
H(1A)	1811	6140	3188	24
H(1B)	2723	5633	2866	24
H(4A)	40	5079	2678	45
H(4B)	-407	4968	1541	45
H(4C)	34	6088	2023	45
H(19)	-560	6415	5137	30
H(23)	5097	7766	3889	31
H(11)	6235	6203	7821	33
H(13)	4769	3413	7849	34
H(7A)	3385	2326	3757	30
H(7B)	2856	1179	3680	30
H(3A)	1443	6238	1239	38
H(3B)	794	5261	630	38
H(3C)	2041	5171	1142	38
H(6A)	1298	2991	919	47
H(6B)	189	3527	804	47
H(6C)	557	2477	1437	47
H(12)	6138	4598	8557	36

Measurement of the Kinetic Isotope Effect



General Procedures for the Intermolecular KIE Experiment: Substrate **1n** (0.05 mmol, 11.6 mg), **1n-d₆** (0.05 mmol, 11.9 mg), Pd(TFA)₂ (0.01 mmol, 3.3 mg), I₂ (0.10 mmol, 25.4 mg) and PhI(OAc)₂ (0.10 mmol, 32.2 mg) were weighed into a reaction vial (10 mL) with a magnetic stir bar under air. 1,4-Dioxane (1.25 mL) was added, and the vial was sealed with a cap. The reaction mixture was stirred at 40 °C for 3 hours. Upon completion, the reaction mixture was cooled to room temperature and diluted with EtOAc. Then the reaction mixture was filtered through a plug of silicon gel and transferred to a reaction vial (10 mL) with a magnetic stir bar. The solvent was evaporated under vacuum. Anhydrous DCM (0.5 mL) and DMF (ca. 10 μL) were added to the mixture. (COCl)₂ (0.15 mmol, 13 μL) was added

dropwise at room temperature. The vial was sealed with a cap. The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for 30 min before excess (COCl)₂ and solvent were evaporated. To the mixture was added anhydrous DCM (0.5 mL), followed by the dropwise addition of 3,5-dimethylaniline (0.2 mmol, 25 μL) to the mixture at room temperature. The vial was sealed with a cap. The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for 30 min. Upon completion, the reaction mixture was diluted with EtOAc. Then the reaction mixture was filtered through a plug of celite and the solvent was removed under vacuum. The resulting mixture was purified by preparative thin-layer chromatography. The ratio (KIE value) of **2n** to **2n-d₅** was determined by ¹H NMR analysis.



General Procedures for the Intramolecular KIE Experiment: Substrate **1n-d₃** (0.10 mmol, 23.4 mg), Pd(TFA)₂ (0.01 mmol, 3.3 mg), I₂ (0.10 mmol, 25.4 mg) and PhI(OAc)₂ (0.10 mmol, 32.2 mg) were weighed into a reaction vial (10 mL) with a magnetic stir bar under air. 1,4-Dioxane (1.25 mL) was added, and the vial was sealed with a cap. The reaction mixture was stirred at 40 °C for 20 hours. Upon completion, the reaction mixture was cooled to room temperature and diluted with EtOAc. Then the reaction mixture was filtered through a plug of silicon gel and transferred to a reaction vial (10 mL) with a magnetic stir bar. The solvent was evaporated under vacuum. Anhydrous DCM (0.5 mL) and DMF (ca. 10 μL) were

added to the mixture. $(\text{COCl})_2$ (0.15 mmol, 13 μL) was added dropwise at room temperature. The vial was sealed with a cap. The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for 30 min before excess $(\text{COCl})_2$ and solvent were evaporated. To the mixture was added anhydrous DCM (0.5 mL), followed by the dropwise addition of 3,5-dimethylaniline (0.2 mmol, 25 μL) to the mixture at room temperature. The vial was sealed with a cap. The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for 30 min. Upon completion, the reaction mixture was diluted with EtOAc. Then the reaction mixture was filtered through a plug of celite and the solvent was removed under vacuum. The resulting mixture was purified by preparative thin-layer chromatography. The ratio (KIE value) of **2n-d₃** to **2n-d₂** was determined by ^1H NMR analysis.

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¹H and ¹³C NMR Spectra

