Supporting Information

Acyloxybenzyl and alkoxyalkyl prodrugs of a fosmidomycin surrogate as antimalarial and antitubercular agents.

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General experimental information

All reactions were performed using oven dried round-bottomed flasks sealed with rubber septa, unless otherwise stated. Reactions were magnetically stirred using teflon-coated stir bars. Where appropriate, reactions were carried out in dry solvents and under an inert nitrogen atmosphere. Dropwise addition of reagents or solutions was carried out using a syringe pump. Yields refer to chromatographically and spectroscopically (¹H NMR) pure homogeneous materials. Reagents were purchased at the highest commercial quality and used without additional purification, unless otherwise stated. Hexanes for flash column chromatography were distilled prior to use. Reactions were monitored by thin layer chromatography (TLC) carried out on precoated Macherey-Nagel® SIL G/UV254 plates using ultraviolet light (254 nm wave length) as visualizing agent and either potassium permanganate or ceric ammonium molybdate (CAM) as developing agents. Flash column chromatography was performed manually using Grace Davisil® silica gel (40-60 µm particle size) or automatically using a Grace Reveleris X2 purification system with flash cartridges. NMR spectra were recorded at 25 °C on a Varian Mercury-300 spectrometer. ¹H NMR spectra were calibrated using TMS as a reference (TMS: ¹H NMR = 0.00) and ¹³C NMR spectra were calibrated using residual undeuterated solvent as an internal reference (CDCl₃: ¹³C NMR = 77.16, METHANOLd4: ¹³C NMR = 49.00). In ³¹P NMR, signals are referenced to the CDCl₃ lock resonance frequency according to IUPAC referencing, with H_3PO_4 set to 0.00 ppm. The following abbreviations or combinations thereof were used to explain the multiplicities: s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, q = quartet, m = multiplet, b = broad signal. Chemical shifts are expressed in ppm and coupling constants are given in Hertz (Hz). Weak carbon signals were assigned using HSQC experiments. High resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were recorded on a Waters LCT Premier XE TOF equipped with an electrospray ionization (ESI-MS) interface and a modular Lockspray TM interface. Samples were infused in an acetonitrile/water (1:1) + 0.1% formic acid mixture at a rate of 100 µL/min. LC-MS analyses were carried out on a Waters AutoPurification System equipped with PDA and ESI-MS detection and using a Waters CORTECS C18 Column (4.6×100 mm, 2.7 µm) and a water/acetonitrile/formic acid linear gradient system at a flow rate of 1.44 mL/min. Preparative HPLC purifications were carried out on a Waters AutoPurification System equipped with PDA and ESI-MS detection and using a Waters Xbridge C18 column (19×250 mm, 5µm) and a water/acetonitrile/formic acid linear gradient system at a flow rate of 20 mL/min.

Experimental procedures

General procedure 1: phosphonate ester formation.

A solution of crude phosphonic dichloride **9** (1 eq) in DCM (0.2M) was cooled to 0°C in an ice bath. DIPEA (6 eq) was added to a solution of the corresponding acyloxybenzyl alcohol or alkoxyalkyl alcohol (2.5 eq) in DCM (0.3M). Anhydrous pyridine (1 eq) was added to the first solution, followed by addition of the second to the first solution. The reaction mixture was stirred overnight, slowly warming to room temperature. After overnight stirring, the reaction mixture was further diluted with DCM and washed with 0.1M HCl (aq. soln.) and NaHCO₃ (sat. aq. soln.). The organic layer was dried over

 Na_2SO_4 , filtered and concentrated *in vacuo*. The products were purified by column chromatography with appropriate eluents.

General procedure 2: cross metathesis reaction.

Phosphonate esters **10** or **15** and respectively silyl-protected acryl hydroxamate **11** or benzyl-protected hydroxamate **16** (4 eq) were dissolved in toluene (0.1M). This solution was heated to 70°C. Hoveyda-Grubbs 2nd generation catalyst (0.05 eq) was dissolved in a small amount of toluene and a volume corresponding to 0.01 eq of catalyst was added to the reaction mixture every hour. After overnight stirring at 70°C, all volatiles were removed *in vacuo* and the resulting crude was purified by flash column chromatography with appropriate eluents.

General procedure 3: nickel boride reduction.

Compounds 12 or 17 (1 eq) were dissolved in THF (0.1M). The resulting solution was cooled to 0° C in an ice bath and NiCl₂.6H₂O (2 eq) and NaBH₄(4 eq) were subsequently added. After 1 hour, HRMS confirmed complete conversion of the starting material. The reaction was quenched with NH₄Cl (sat. aq. soln.) and was vigorously stirred at room temperature for 2 hours until a clear blue solution was obtained. The reaction mixture was extracted three times with DCM. The organic layer was dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated *in vacuo*. The products were purified by column chromatography with appropriate eluents.

General procedure 4: HF.pyridine deprotection.

TBDPS protected compounds 13 (1 eq) were dissolved in dry THF (0.1M) in a plastic vessel and cooled to 0° C in an ice bath. A stock solution of HF.pyridine was prepared as follows: 1 volume of HF.pyridine was added to 1.15 volumes of pyridine and 1.85 volumes of dry THF. 1mL/mmol of the stock solution was added to the reaction mixture. After 2 hours at 0°C, TLC confirmed complete conversion of the starting material. The reaction was carefully quenched with NaHCO₃ (sat. aq. soln.). The reaction was extracted with EtOAc and the organic layer was subsequently washed with H₂O. The organic layer was dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated *in vacuo*. The products were purified by column chromatography with appropriate eluents.

General procedure 5: hydrogenation.

Benzyl protected compounds **18d** and **19** (1 eq) were dissolved in MeOH (0.05M). A catalytic amount of Pd/C was added to the reaction mixture. The reaction was stirred for 30 minutes under a hydrogen atmosphere, after which TLC confirmed complete conversion of the starting material. The reaction mixture was filtered and all volatiles were removed *in vacuo*. The products were purified by column chromatography with appropriate eluents.

General procedure 6: monoester formation.

Compounds 18 (1 eq) were dissolved in DMF (0.1M). Sodium azide (20 eq) was added to the resulting solution and the reaction was heated to 130°C. After 24 hours at 130°C, HRMS confirmed complete conversion of the starting material. All volatiles were removed *in vacuo* and the resulting crude material was purified by column chromatography with appropriate eluents.

Diethyl allylphosphonate (7)



Allyl bromide (20.0mL, 231mmol) and triethyl phosphite (19.9mL, 116mmol) were refluxed under neat conditions for 24 hours. ³¹P nmr confirmed completion of the reaction, after which all volatiles were removed *in vacuo* and pure 7 was obtained as a yellow oil (97%). Spectral data are in accordance with those reported in the literature¹.

Allyl phosphonic acid (8)



7 (0.89g, 5.0mmol) was dissolved in DCM (40mL) and cooled to 0°C in an ice bath. TMSBr (6.6mL, 25mmol) was added and the solution was subsequently stirred for 10' at 0°C and 2 hours at room temperature. ³¹P nmr confirmed completion of the reaction, after which all volatiles were removed *in vacuo*. The crude oil was dissolved in THF (17mL) and treated with H₂O (0.17mL). The reaction was

stirred for 1 hour at room temperature, after which all volatiles were removed *in vacuo*. The residue was coevaporated three times with toluene in order to remove all traces of water. The resulting crude material was dried overnight at high vacuum and immediately used in the next reaction without further purification or characterization.

Allyl phosphonic dichloride (9)



A solution of crude 8 (0.61g, 5.0mmol) in DCM (12.5mL) was heated to 50°C. After addition of a catalytic amount of DMF, oxalyl chloride (1.7mL, 20mmol) was added dropwise over 30 minutes. After 3 hours at 50°C, ³¹P nmr confirmed completion of the reaction, after which all volatiles were removed *in vacuo*. The resulting crude material was immediately used in the next reaction without further

purification or characterization.

{[(Allylphosphoryl)bis(oxy)]bis(methylene)}bis(4,1-phenylene) diacetate (10a)



Following general procedure 1, crude 9 (0.64g, 4.0mmol) afforded 10a (51%) as a pale yellow oil after purification by column chromatography (toluene \rightarrow 1Tol/1EtOAc). ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 2.29 (s, 6 H) 2.56 - 2.70 (m, 2 H) 4.92 - 5.07 (m, 4 H) 5.11 - 5.21 (m, 2 H) 5.67 - 5.84 (m, 1 H) 7.04 - 7.10 (m, 4 H) 7.31 - 7.38 (m, 4 H) ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 21.14, 32.08 (d, ¹*J*_{CP} = 139.4 Hz) 66.88 (d, ²*J*_{CP} = 6.9 Hz) 120.50 (d, ³*J*_{CP} = 15.0 Hz) 121.80, 126.89 (d, ²*J*_{CP} = 12.7 Hz) 129.16, 133.93 (d, ³*J*_{CP} = 5.8 Hz) 150.70, 169.35

³¹P NMR (121.5 MHz, CDCl₃): δ_P ppm = 28.26. HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C₂₁H₂₄O₇P [M+H]⁺: 419.1254, found: 419.1271.

{[(Allylphosphoryl)bis(oxy)]bis(methylene)}bis(4,1-phenylene) bis(2-methylpropanoate) (10b)



Following general procedure **1**, crude **9** (0.64g, 4.0mmol) afforded **10b** (53%) as a yellow oil after purification by column chromatography (toluene \rightarrow 1Tol/1EtOAc). ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 1.31 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 12 H) 2.56 - 2.68 (m, 2 H) 2.80 (spt, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 2 H) 4.92 - 5.08 (m, 4 H) 5.11 - 5.20 (m, 2 H) 5.66 - 5.83 (m, 1 H) 7.03 -

7.08 (m, 4 H) 7.32 - 7.37 (m, 4 H)

¹³**C NMR** (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 18.89, 32.08 (d, ${}^{1}J_{CP}$ = 139.4 Hz) 34.16, 66.88 (d, ${}^{2}J_{CP}$ = 5.8 Hz) 120.44 (d, ${}^{3}J_{CP}$ = 13.8 Hz) 121.70, 126.87 (d, ${}^{2}J_{CP}$ = 12.7 Hz) 129.11, 133.71 (d, ${}^{3}J_{CP}$ = 5.8 Hz) 150.91, 175.45

³¹**P NMR** (121.5 MHz, CDCl₃): δ_P ppm = 28.23 **HRMS** (ESI-MS): calculated for C₂₅H₃₂O₇P [M+H]^{*}: 475.1880, found: 475.1894

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Following general procedure 1, crude 9 (0.64g, 4.0mmol) afforded 10c (60%) as a yellow solid after purification by column chromatography (toluene \rightarrow 1Tol/1EtOAc). ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 1.35 (s, 18 H) 2.56 - 2.68 (m, 2 H) 4.88 - 5.11 (m, 4 H) 5.11 - 5.21 (m, 2 H) 5.66 - 5.83 (m, 1 H) 7.01 - 7.06 (m, 4 H) 7.32 - 7.37 (m, 4 H) ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 27.16, 32.14 (d, ¹J_{CP} = 139.4 Hz) 39.14, 66.95 (d, *J* = 5.8 Hz) 120.47 (d, ³J_{CP} = 13.8 Hz) 121.74, 126.94 (d, ²J_{CP} = 10.4 Hz) 129.14, 133.66 (d, *J* = 5.8 Hz) 151.19, 176.91 - 177.04 (m) ³¹P NMR (121.5 MHz, CDCl₃): δ P ppm = 28.22 HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C₂₇H₃₆O₇P [M+H]*: 503.2193, found: 503.2202

{[(Allylphosphoryl)bis(oxy)]bis(methylene)}bis(4,1-phenylene) dinonanoate (10d)



Following general procedure 1, crude 9 (0.64g, 4.0mmol) afforded 10d (60%) as a yellow solid after purification by column chromatography (toluene \rightarrow 3Tol/1EtOAc).

¹**H** NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 0.84 - 0.94 (m, 6 H) 1.20 - 1.46 (m, 20 H) 1.74 (quintet, J = 7.4 Hz, 4 H) 2.50 - 2.68 (m, 6 H) 4.91 - 5.08 (m, 4 H) 5.11 - 5.20 (m, 2 H) 5.65 - 5.86 (m, 1 H) 7.03 - 7.09 (m, 4 H) 7.32 - 7.37 (m, 4 H)

¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 14.11, 22.66, 24.93, 29.13, 29.22, 32.08 (d, ${}^{1}J_{CP} = 139.4 \text{ Hz}$) 31.81, 34.39, 66.89 (d, ${}^{2}J_{CP} = 5.8 \text{ Hz}$) 120.45 (d, ${}^{3}J_{CP} = 15.0 \text{ Hz}$) 121.80, 126.90

(d, ${}^{2}J_{CP}$ = 11.5 Hz) 129.13, 133.78 (d, ${}^{3}J_{CP}$ = 5.8 Hz) 150.79, 172.18

³¹**P NMR** (121.5 MHz, CDCl₃): δ_P ppm = 28.22

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C35H52O7P [M+H]*: 615.3445, found: 615.3450

{[(Allylphosphoryl)bis(oxy)]bis(methylene)}bis(4,1-phenylene) dibenzoate (10d)



Following general procedure 1, crude 9 (0.64g, 4.0mmol) afforded 10d (56%) as a pale yellow solid after purification by column chromatography (toluene \rightarrow 4Tol/6EtOAc). ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 2.60 · 2.73 (m, 2 H) 4.97 · 5.15 (m, 4 H) 5.15 · 5.25 (m, 2 H) 5.70 · 5.88 (m, 1 H) 7.17 · 7.28 (m, 4 H) 7.38 · 7.55 (m, 8 H) 7.59 · 7.66 (m, 2 H) 8.16 · 8.24 (m, 4 H) ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 32.13 (d, ¹J_{CP} = 139.4 Hz) 66.95 (d, ²J_{CP} = 5.8 Hz) 120.53 (d, ³J_{CP} = 15.0 Hz) 121.97, 126.93 (d, ²J_{CP} = 11.5 Hz) 128.61, 129.24, 129.42, 130.21, 133.68, 134.01 (d, ³J_{CP} = 5.8 Hz) 151.00, 165.06

³¹**P NMR** (121.5 MHz, CDCl₃): δ_P ppm = 28.31

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C₃₁H₂₈O₇P [M+H]⁺: 543.1567, found: 543.1588

(*E*)-({[(4{[(Tert-butyldiphenylsilyl)oxy](methyl)amino}-4-oxobut-2-en-1-yl)phosphoryl]bis(oxy)}bis (methylene))bis(4,1-phenylene)diacetate (12a)



Following general procedure 2, 10a (0.21g, 0.50mmol) afforded 12a (54% E-isomer) as a black oil after purification by column chromatography (toluene \rightarrow 35Tol/65EtOAc).

¹**H NMR** (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 1.15 (s, 9 H) 2.30 (s, 6 H) 2.54 - 2.69 (m, 2 H) 3.10 (s, 3 H) 4.85 - 5.03 (m, 4 H) 6.43 - 6.65 (m, 2 H) 7.01 - 7.10 (m, 4 H) 7.24 - 7.47 (m, 10 H) 7.62 - 7.71 (m, 4 H)

¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 19.5, 21.3, 27.1, 31.3 (d, ${}^{1}J_{CP}$ = 139.4 Hz), 38.0 (w), 67.2 (d, ${}^{2}J_{CP}$ = 6.9 Hz) 122.0, 125.0 (d, ${}^{3}J_{CP}$ = 15.0 Hz) 127.9, 129.4, 130.6, 131.5, 133.7, 133.8, 134.0 (d, ${}^{2}J_{CP}$ = 11.5 Hz) 136.2, 150.9, 166.7 (w), 169.4 ³¹P NMR (121.5 MHz, CDCl₃): δ_P ppm = 26.06

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C₃₉H₄₅NO₉PSi [M+H]⁺: 730.2596, found: 730.2592

(*E*)-({[(4-{[(Tert-butyldiphenylsilyl)oxy](methyl)amino}-4-oxobut-2-en-1-yl)phosphoryl]bis(oxy)}bis (methylene))bis(4,1-phenylene) bis(2-methylpropanoate) (12b)



Following general procedure 2, 10b (0.24g, 0.50mmol) afforded 12b (54% E-isomer) as a black oil after purification by column chromatography (toluene \rightarrow 35Tol/65EtOAc).

¹**H NMR** (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 1.15 (s, 9 H) 1.31 (d, J = 7.0 Hz, 12 H) 2.55 - 2.67 (m, 2 H) 2.80 (spt, J = 7.0 Hz, 2 H)) 3.10 (s, 3 H) 4.92 - 5.08 (m, 4 H) 6.36 - 6.68 (m, 2 H) 7.01 - 7.08 (m, 4 H) 7.29 - 7.46 (m, 10 H) 7.64 - 7.69 (m, 4 H)

¹³**C NMR** (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 19.1, 27.1, 31.4 (d, ${}^{1}J_{CP}$ = 131.7 Hz), 34.3, 38.0, 67.3, 122.0, 128.0, 129.4, 130.7, 136.3

³¹**P NMR** (121.5 MHz, CDCl₃): δ_P ppm = 26.00

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C43H53NO9PSi [M+H]*: 786.3222, found: 786.3198

(*E*)-({[(4-{[(Tert-butyldiphenylsilyl)oxy](methyl)amino}-4-oxobut-2-en-1-yl)phosphoryl]bis(oxy)}bis (methylene))bis(4,1-phenylene) bis(2,2-dimethylpropanoate) (12c)



Following general procedure 2, 10c (0.25g, 0.50mmol) afforded 12c (60% E-isomer) as a black oil after purification by column chromatography (toluene \rightarrow 1Tol/1EtOAc).

¹**H NMR** (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 1.14 (s, 9 H) 1.35 (s, 18 H) 2.55 - 2.67 (m, 2 H) 3.10 (s, 3 H) 4.87 - 5.01 (m, 4 H) 6.42 - 6.67 (m, 2 H) 7.00 - 7.06 (m, 4 H) 7.29 - 7.48 (m, 10 H) 7.64 - 7.70 (m, 4 H)

¹³**C NMR** (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 27.0, 27.1, 31.2 (d, ${}^{1}J_{CP}$ = 131.1 Hz), 37.9 (w), 67.1 (d, ${}^{2}J_{CP}$ = 6.9 Hz), 121.8, doublet 127.8, 129.4, 130.5, 131.4 (w), 136.1

³¹**P NMR** (121.5 MHz, CDCl₃): δ_P ppm = 25.98 **HRMS** (ESI-MS): calculated for C₄₅H₅₇NO₉PSi [M+H]⁺: 814.3535, found: 814.3565

(*E*)-({[(4{[(Tert-butyldiphenylsilyl)oxy](methyl)amino}-4-oxobut-2-en-1-yl)phosphoryl]bis(oxy)}bis (methylene))bis(4,1-phenylene) dinonanoate (12d)



Following general procedure 2, 10d (0.18g, 0.30mmol) afforded 12d (64% E-isomer) as a black oil after purification by column chromatography (toluene \rightarrow 1Tol/1EtOAc).

¹**H NMR** (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 0.84 - 0.92 (m, 6 H) 1.11 - 1.17 (m, 9 H) 1.21 - 1.45 (m, 20 H) 1.75 (quintet, J = 7.4 Hz, 4 H) 2.45 - 2.67 (m, 6 H) 3.10 (s, 3 H) 4.86 - 5.01 (m, 4 H) 6.37 - 6.67 (m, 2 H) 7.02 - 7.09 (m, 4 H) 7.28 - 7.46 (m, 10 H) 7.64 - 7.70 (m, 4 H)

¹³**C NMR** (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 14.1, 19.4, 22.7, 24.9, 27.0, 29.1, 29.2, 31.2 (d, ${}^{1}J_{CP} = 138.2 \text{ Hz}$) 31.8, 34.4, 37.9, 67.1 (d, ${}^{2}J_{CP} = 5.8 \text{ Hz}$) 121.8, 124.8 (d, ${}^{3}J_{CP} = 15.0 \text{ Hz}$) 127.8, 129.2, 130.5, 131.4, 133.5, 133.6, 133.9 (d, ${}^{2}J_{CP} = 11.5 \text{ Hz}$) 136.1, 150.9, 166.6, 172.1

³¹**P NMR** (121.5 MHz, CDCl₃): δ_P ppm = 26.01

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for $C_{53}H_{73}NO_9PSi \ [M+H]^+: 926.4787$, found: 926.4821

(*E*)-({[(4-{[(Tert-butyldiphenylsilyl)oxy](methyl)amino}-4-oxobut-2-en-1-yl)phosphoryl]bis(oxy)}bis (methylene))bis(4, 1-phenylene) dibenzoate (12e)



Following general procedure 2, 10e (0.27g, 0.50mmol) afforded 12e (51% E-isomer) as a black oil after purification by column chromatography (toluene \rightarrow 1Tol/1EtOAc).

¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 1.16 (s, 9 H) 2.59 - 2.72 (m, 2 H) 3.11 (s, 3 H) 4.96 - 5.04 (m, 4 H) 6.44 - 6.71 (m, 2 H) 7.18 - 7.24 (m, 4 H) 7.32 - 7.54 (m, 14 H) 7.60 - 7.71 (m, 6 H) 8.16 - 8.23 (m, 4 H)

¹³**C NMR** (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 19.4, 27.0, 31.3 (d, ${}^{1}J_{CP}$ = 138.2 Hz) 37.9, 67.2 (d, ${}^{2}J_{CP}$ = 6.9 Hz) 122.0, 124.9 (d, ${}^{3}J_{CP}$ = 13.8 Hz) 127.8, 128.6, 129.36, 129.43, 130.2, 130.5, 131.4, 133.7 - 134.0 (m) 136.1, 151.06,

165.0, 166.63 ³¹**P NMR** (121.5 MHz, CDCl₃): δ_P ppm = 26.09 **HRMS** (ESI-MS): calculated for C₄₉H₄₉NO₉PSi [M+H]⁺: 854.2909, found: 854.2942 ({[(4+{[(Tert-butyldiphenylsilyl)oxy](methyl)amino}-4-oxobutyl)phosphoryl]bis(oxy)}bis(methylene)) bis(4, 1-phenylene) diacetate (13a)



Following general procedure **3**, **12a** (0.14g, 0.19mmol) afforded **13a** (61%) as a transparent oil after purification by column chromatography (toluene \rightarrow 35Tol/65EtOAc).

¹**H NMR** (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 1.15 (s, 9 H) 1.48 - 1.78 (m, 4 H) 2.24 (br t, *J* = 5.3 Hz, 2 H) 2.30 (s, 6 H) 3.11 (s, 3 H) 4.86 - 5.01 (m, 4 H) 7.03 - 7.10 (m, 4 H) 7.29 - 7.47 (m, 10 H) 7.57 - 7.68 (m, 4 H) ³¹**P NMR** (121.5 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta_{\rm P}$ ppm = 32.89

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C₃₉H₄₇NO₉PSi [M+H]⁺: 732.2752, found: 732.2782

({[(4+{[(Tert-butyldiphenylsilyl)oxy](methyl)amino}-4-oxobutyl)phosphoryl]bis(oxy)}bis(methylene)) bis(4, 1-phenylene) bis(2-methylpropanoate) (13b)



Following general procedure 3, 12b (0.15g, 0.19mmol) afforded 13b (51%) as a transparent oil after purification by column chromatography (toluene \rightarrow 35Tol/65EtOAc).

¹**H NMR** (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 1.15 (s, 9 H) 1.31 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 12 H) 1.48 - 1.72 (m, 4 H) 2.18 - 2.29 (m, 2 H) 2.80 (spt, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 2 H) 3.11 (s, 3 H) 4.85 - 5.03 (m, 4 H) 7.02 - 7.08 (m, 4 H) 7.30 - 7.47 (m, 10 H) 7.62 -7.68 (m, 4 H)

³¹**P NMR** (121.5 MHz, CDCl₃): $δ_P$ ppm = 32.86

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C43H55NO9PSi [M+H]*: 788.3378, found: 788.3388

({[(4+{[(Tert-butyldiphenylsilyl)oxy](methyl)amino}-4-oxobutyl)phosphoryl]bis(oxy)}bis(methylene)) bis(4, 1-phenylene) bis(2, 2-dimethylpropanoate) (13c)



Following general procedure 3, 12c (0.21g, 0.26mmol) afforded 13c (60%) as a transparent oil after purification by column chromatography (toluene \rightarrow 1Tol/1EtOAc).

¹**H NMR** (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 1.15 (s, 9 H) 1.35 (s, 18 H) 1.46 - 1.75 (m, 4 H) 2.17 - 2.28 (m, 2 H) 3.11 (s, 3 H) 4.86 - 5.01 (m, 4 H) 6.99 - 7.06 (m, 4 H) 7.29 - 7.47 (m, 10 H) 7.66 (dd, J = 7.9, 1.5 Hz, 4 H) ³¹**P NMR** (121.5 MHz, CDCl₃): δ_P ppm = 32.85 **HRMS** (ESI-MS): calculated for C₄₅H₅₉NO₉PSi [M+H]^{*}: 816.3691, found: 816.3727

({[(4+{[(Tert-butyldiphenylsilyl)oxy](methyl)amino}-4-oxobutyl)phosphoryl]bis(oxy)}bis(methylene)) bis(4,1-phenylene) dinonanoate (13d)



Following general procedure 3, 12d (95mg, 0.10mmol) afforded 13d (75%) as a faint yellow oil after purification by column chromatography (toluene \rightarrow 1Tol/1EtOAc).

¹**H NMR** (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 0.84 - 0.94 (m, 6 H) 1.15 (s, 9 H) 1.25 - 1.44 (m, 20 H) 1.66 - 1.80 (m, 8 H) 2.19 - 2.29 (m, 2 H) 2.55 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 4 H) 3.11 (s, 3 H) 4.85 - 5.03 (m, 4 H) 7.01 - 7.10 (m, 4 H) 7.30 - 7.47 (m, 10 H) 7.66 (dd, *J* = 7.9, 1.4 Hz, 4 H)

³¹**P NMR** (121.5 MHz, CDCl₃): δ_P ppm = 32.85 **HRMS** (ESI-MS): calculated for C₅₃H₇₅NO₉PSi [M+H]⁺: 928.4943, found: 928.4983 ({[(4+{[(Tert-butyldiphenylsilyl)oxy](methyl)amino}-4-oxobutyl)phosphoryl]bis(oxy)}bis(methylene)) bis(4,1-phenylene) dibenzoate (13e)



Following general procedure **3**, **12e** (95mg, 0.10mmol) afforded **13e** (53%) as a transparent oil after purification by column chromatography (toluene \rightarrow 1Tol/1EtOAc).

¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 1.16 (s, 9 H) 1.52 - 1.81 (m, 4 H) 2.21 - 2.31 (m, 2 H) 3.13 (s, 3 H) 4.91 - 5.08 (m, 4 H) 7.13 - 7.24 (m, 4 H) 7.32 - 7.54 (m, 14 H) 7.60 - 7.70 (m, 6 H) 8.16 - 8.23 (m, 4 H) ³¹P NMR (121.5 MHz, CDCl₃): δ_P ppm = 32.94 HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C₄₉H₅₁NO₉PSi [M+H]*: 856.3065,

found: 856.3043

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Following general procedure **4**, **13a** (94mg, 0.13mmol) afforded **14a** (74%) as a transparent oil after purification by column chromatography (DCM \rightarrow 5%MeOH in DCM).

¹**H NMR** (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 1.75 - 2.04 (m, 4 H) 2.30 (s, 6 H) 2.50 - 2.62 (m, 2 H) 3.23 (s, 3 H) 4.85 - 5.07 (m, 4 H) 7.04 - 7.11 (m, 4 H) 7.34 (br d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 4 H)

¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 18.3 (d, ${}^{2}J_{CP}$ = 4.6 Hz), 21.2, 24.5 (d, ${}^{1}J_{CP}$ = 135.9 Hz), 30.4 (d, ${}^{3}J_{CP}$ = 6.9 Hz), 36.0 (w), 67.0, 122.0, 129.4, 133.8 (w), 150.9, 169.6, 173.0

³¹**P NMR** (121.5 MHz, CDCl₃): δ_P ppm rotamers at 32.45, 33.86

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C23H29NO9P [M+H]*: 494.1574, found: 494.1579

{[({4-[Hydroxy(methyl)amino]-4-oxobutyl}phosphoryl)bis(oxy)]bis(methylene)}bis(4,1-phenylene) methylpropanoate) (14b) bis(2-

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Following general procedure 4, 13b (76mg, 0.10mmol) afforded 14b (73%) as a transparent oil after purification by column chromatography (DCM \rightarrow 5%MeOH in DCM).

¹**H NMR** (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 1.32 (d, J = 7.0 Hz, 12 H) 1.73 - 2.02 (m, 4 H) 2.45 - 2.63 (m, 2 H) 2.80 (septet, J = 7.0 Hz, 2 H) 3.24 (s, 3 H) 4.86 -5.07 (m, 4 H) 7.03 - 7.10 (m, 4 H) 7.35 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 4 H) ¹³**C NMR** (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 18.3, 19.1, 24.3 (d, ¹ J_{CP} = 128.8 Hz), 30.1, 34.3, 35.9, 67.0, 122.0, 129.4, 151.2 ³¹**P NMR** (121 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm rotamers at 32.42, 33.94

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C₂₇H₃₇NO₉P [M+H]⁺: 550.2200, found: 550.2209

{[({4-[Hydroxy(methyl)amino]-4-oxobutyl}phosphoryl)bis(oxy)]bis(methylene)}bis(4,1-phenylene) dimethylpropanoate) (14c)

Following general procedure 4, 13c (0.16g, 0.19mmol) afforded 14c (63%) as a transparent oil after purification by column chromatography (DCM \rightarrow 3%MeOH in DCM).

¹**H NMR** (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 1.35 (s, 18 H) 1.73 - 2.01 (m, 4 H) 2.53 (br t, J = 5.0 Hz, 2 H) 3.23 (s, 3 H) 4.85 - 5.07 (m, 4 H) 7.01 - 7.07 (m, 4 H) 7.34 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 4 H)

¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 18.2 (d, ²*J*_{CP} = 5.8 Hz) 25.1 (d, ¹*J*_{CP} = 144.8 Hz) 27.2, 30.5 (w), 35.9 (w), 39.2, 67.1, 122.0, 129.4, 133.6, 151.4, 173.0 (w), 177.4 (w)

³¹P NMR (121 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm rotamers at 32.44, 33.83 HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C₂₉H₄₁NO₉P [M+H]^{*}: 578.2513, found: 578.2494

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Following general procedure 4, 13d (70mg, 0.080mmol) afforded 14d (80%) as a white solid after purification by column chromatography (DCM \rightarrow 3.5%MeOH in DCM).

¹**H NMR** (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 0.81 - 0.97 (m, 6 H) 1.23 - 1.46 (m, 20 H) 1.65 - 2.02 (m, 10 H) 2.55 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 4 H) 3.24 (s, 3 H) 4.84 - 5.08 (m, 4 H) 7.03 - 7.10 (m, 4 H) 7.35 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 4 H)

C₈H₁₇ O¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 14.2, 18.4 (w), 22.8, 23.4, 25.1, 29.3 (d, ${}^{3}J_{C}$ _P = 6.9 Hz), 31.9, 34.6, 35.9, 67.0, 122.1, 129.4, 133.6 (w), 151.0 (w), 172.5 (w)

³¹**P NMR** (121 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm rotamers at 32.44, 34.01

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C37H57NO9P [M+H]*: 690.3765, found: 690.3734

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Following general procedure **4**, **13e** (0.10g, 0.12mmol) afforded **14e** (78%) as a white solid after purification by column chromatography (DCM \rightarrow 3%MeOH in DCM). ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 1.79 - 2.07 (m, 4 H) 2.55 - 2.65 (m, 2 H)

3.26 (s, 3 H) 4.92 - 5.12 (m, 4 H) 7.19 - 7.28 (m, 4 H) 7.38 - 7.55 (m, 8 H) 7.60 - 7.68 (m, 2 H) 8.15 - 8.23 (m, 4 H)

¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 18.4, 24.6 (d, ${}^{1}J_{CP}$ = 136.7 Hz), 30.2, 30.4, 35.9, 67.1, 122.1, 122.2, 128.8, 129.5, 129.6, 130.3, 133.9, 151.2 ³¹P NMR (121 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm rotamers at 32.52, 33.98

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C₃₃H₃₃NO₉P [M+H]⁺: 618.1887, found:

618.1857

Bis(3-butoxypropyl) allylphosphonate (15a)



Following general procedure 1, crude 9 (400mg, 2.50mmol) afforded 15a (30%) as a yellow oil after purification by column chromatography (toluene \rightarrow EtOAc).

¹**H-NMR** (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 0.92 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 6 H), 1.23 - 1.43 (m, 4 H), 1.44 -1.61 (m, 4 H), 1.92 (quintet, J = 6.2 Hz, 4 H), 2.63 (dd, J = 21.9, 7.3 Hz, 2 H), 3.41 (t, J = 6.6 Hz, 4 H), 3.49 (t, J = 6.2 Hz, 4 H), 4.05 - 4.22 (m, 4 H), 5.05 - 5.32 (m, 2 H), 5.64 - 5.87 (m, 1 H)

¹³C-NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 13.9, 19.3, 30.9 (d, ${}^{3}J_{CP}$ = 5.8 Hz), 31.5 (d, ${}^{1}J_{CP}$ = 139.4 Hz), 31.8, 63.2 (d, ${}^{2}J_{CP}$ = 6.9 Hz), 66.5, 70.8, 119.8 (d, ${}^{3}J_{CP}$ = 13.8 Hz), 127.4 (d, ${}^{2}J_{CP}$ = 11.5 Hz)

³¹P-NMR (121 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 27.10

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C17H36O5P [M+H]*: 351.2295, found: 351.2301

Bis[3-(octyloxy)propyl] allylphosphonate (15b)



Following general procedure 1, crude 9 (0.80g, 5.0mmol) afforded 15b (32%) as a yellow oil after purification by column chromatography (toluene \rightarrow EtOAc).

¹**H-NMR** (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 0.82 - 0.93 (m, 6 H), 1.21 - 1.38 (m, 20 H), 1.49-1.61 (m, 4 H), 1.92 (quintet, J = 6.3 Hz, 4 H), 2.56 - 2.69 (m, 2 H), 3.39 (t, J = 6.7 Hz, 4 H), 3.49 (t, J = 6.2 Hz, 4 H), 4.03 - 4.23 (m, 4 H), 5.09 - 5.29 (m, 2 H), 5.71 - 5.89 (m, 1 H)

¹³C-NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 14.2, 22.8, 26.3, 29.4, 29.6, 29.9, 31.1 (d, ³J_{CP} = 6.9 Hz), 32.0, 31.6 (d, ¹J_{CP} = 139.4 Hz), 63.4 (d, ²J_{CP} = 6.9 Hz), 66.7, 71.4, 120.1 (d, ³J_{CP} = 13.8 Hz), 255.2 (d, ²J_{CP} = 10.4 Hz)

³¹P-NMR (121 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 27.14

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C25H52O5P [M+H]*: 463.3547, found: 463.3540

Bis[3-(dodecyloxy)propyl] allylphosphonate (15c)



Following general procedure 1, crude 9 (0.80g, 5.0mmol) afforded 15c (29%) as a yellow oil after purification by column chromatography (toluene \rightarrow Et₂O). ¹H-NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 0.82 - 0.97 (m, 6 H), 1.26 (br s, 36 H), 1.50-1.61 (m, 4H), 1.92 (quintet, J = 6.3 Hz, 4 H), 2.55 - 2.69 (m, 2 H), 3.39 (t, J = 6.7 Hz, 4 H), 3.49 (t, J = 6.2 Hz, 4 H), 4.00 - 4.21 (m, 4 H), 5.16 - 5.27 (m, 2 H), 5.71 -5.89 (m, 1 H)

¹³C·NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 14.3, 22.8, 26.3, 29.5, 29.7, 29.7 - 29.9 (m), 31.1 (d, ${}^{3}J_{CP}$ = 5.8 Hz), 31.6 (d, ${}^{1}J_{CP}$ = 139.4 Hz), 32.1, 63.3 (d, ${}^{2}J_{CP}$ = 6.9 Hz), 66.7, 71.4, 120.1 (d, ${}^{3}J_{CP}$ = 15.0 Hz); 127.6 $(d, {}^{2}J_{CP} = 11.5 \text{ Hz})$

³¹**P-NMR** (121 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 27.13

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C33H68O5P [M+H]*: 575.4799, found: 575.4801

Bis[3-(hexadecyloxy)propyl] allylphosphonate (15d)



Following general procedure 1, crude 9 (0.80g, 5.0mmol) afforded 15d (52%) as a white solid after purification by column chromatography (toluene \rightarrow 6Tol/4EtOAc).

¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 0.82 - 0.94 (m, 6 H) 1.19 - 1.36 (m, 52 H) 1.49 -1.60 (m, 4 H) 1.92 (quintet, J = 6.3 Hz, 4 H) 2.54 - 2.69 (m, 2 H) 3.39 (t, J = 6.7 Hz, 4 H) 3.49 (t, J = 6.2 Hz, 4 H) 4.05 - 4.21 (m, 4 H) 5.16 - 5.27 (m, 2 H) 5.71 - 5.88 (m, 1 H)

¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 14.3, 22.8, 26.3, 29.5, 29.6 - 29.9 (m) 31.1 (d, ³J_{CP} = 5.8 Hz) 31.6 (d, ¹J_{CP} = 139.4 Hz) 32.1, 63.3 (d, ${}^{2}J_{CP}$ = 6.9 Hz) 66.7, 71.4, 119.9 (d, ${}^{3}J_{CP}$ = 13.8 Hz) 127.4 (d, ${}^{2}J_{CP}$ = 11.5 Hz) ³¹**P NMR** (121 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 27.14

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C₄₁H₈₃O₅PNa [M+Na]⁺: 709.5870, found: 709.5895

Bis(3-butoxypropyl) (E)-{4-[(benzyloxy)(methyl)amino]-4-oxobut-2-en-1-yl}phosphonate (17a)



Following general procedure 2, 15a (621mg, 1.77mmol) afforded 17a (67%) as a black oil after purification by column chromatography (toluene \rightarrow EtOAc).

¹**H-NMR** (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 0.91 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 6 H), 1.22 - 1.44 (m, 4 H), 1.44 - 1.60 (m, 4 H), 1.90 (quintet, J = 6.3 Hz, 4 H), 2.69 - 2.82 (m, 2 H), 3.24 (s,

3 H), 3.39 (t, J =6.6 Hz, 4 H), 3.43 - 3.51 (m, 4 H), 4.07 - 4.21 (m, 4 H), 4.84 (s, 2 H), 6.51 - 6.61 (m, 1 H), 6.84 (app sextet, J = 7.7 Hz, 1 H), 7.34 - 7.41 (m, 5 H)

³¹P-NMR (121 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 24.96

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C₂₆H₄₅NO₇P [M+H]⁺: 514.2928, found: 514.2951

Bis(3-(octyloxy)propyl) (E)-{4-[(benzyloxy)(methyl)amino]-4-oxobut-2-en-1-yl]phosphonate (17b)



Following general procedure 2, 15b (740mg, 1.60mmol) afforded 17b (76%) as a black oil after purification by column chromatography (toluene \rightarrow EtOAc).

¹**H-NMR** (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 0.88 (t, J = 6.5 Hz, 6 H), 1.18 - 1.35 (m, 20 H), 1.47 -1.59 (m, 4 H), 1.91 (quintet, J = 6.2 Hz, 4 H), 2.75 (dd, J = 22.6, 7.6 Hz,

2 H), 3.24 (s, 3 H), 3.34 - 3.41 (m, 4 H), 3.43 - 3.51 (m, 4 H), 4.09 - 4.19 (m, 4

H), 4.84 (s, 2 H), 6.51 - 6.61

(m, 1 H), 6.77 - 6.92 (m, 1 H), 7.39 (s, 5 H)

¹³C·NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 14.2, 22.8, 26.3, 29.4, 29.6, 29.9, 30.6 (d, ¹*J*_{CP} = 139.4 Hz), 31.1 (d, ³*J*_{CP} = 6.9 Hz), 32.0, 34.0, 77.4, 127.3 (d, ${}^{2}J_{CP}$ = 6.9 Hz), 66.7, 71.4, 123.8 (d, ${}^{3}J_{CP}$ = 13.8 Hz), 128.9, 129.2, 129.4, 134.5, 135.7 (d, ${}^{2}J_{CP}$ = 11.5 Hz), 166.5

³¹P-NMR (121 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 24.99

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C₃₄H₆₁NO₇P [M+H]⁺: 626.4180, found: 626.4194

Bis(3-(dodecyloxy)propyl) (E)-{4-[(benzyloxy)(methyl)amino]-4-oxobut-2-en-1-yl}phosphonate (17c)



Following general procedure 2, 15c (1.65g, 2.87mmol) afforded 17c (59%) as a black oil after purification by column chromatography (toluene \rightarrow 1Tol/1EtOAc).

¹H-NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 0.80 - 0.98 (m, 6 H), 1.26 (br s, 36 H), 1.32 -

1.66 (m, 4 H), 1.91 (quintet, J = 6.2 Hz, 4 H), 2.57 - 2.94 (m, 2 H), 3.24 (s, 3 H),

3.37 (t, J = 6.7 Hz, 4 H), 3.41 - 3.57 (m, 4 H), 4.01 - 4.22 (m, 4 H), 4.84 (s, 2 H), 6.50 - 6.61 (m, 1 H), 6.83 (app sextet, J = 7.8 Hz, 1 H), 7.35 - 7.42 (m, 5 H)

¹³**C-NMR** (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 14.2, 22.8, 26.3, 29.4, 29.6, 29.7, 29.8, 30.6 (d, ¹*J*_{CP} = 131.3 Hz), 31.0 (d, ³*J*_{CP} = 6.9 Hz), 31.5, 32.0, 33.9, 63.6 (d, ²*J*_{CP} = 5.8 Hz), 66.6, 71.3, 77.1, 123.8 (d, ³*J*_{CP} = 13.8 Hz), 128.8, 129.1, 129.4, 134.4, 135.6 (d, ²*J*_{CP} = 11.5 Hz), 166.4

³¹P-NMR (121 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 24.97

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C42H77NO7P [M+H]*: 738.5432, found: 738.5427

Bis(3-(hexadecyloxy)propyl) (E)-{4-[(benzyloxy)(methyl)amino]-4-oxobut-2-en-1-yl}phosphonate (17d)



Following general procedure 2, 15d (0.21g, 0.30mmol) afforded 17d (55%) as a black oil after purification by column chromatography (toluene \rightarrow 1Tol/3EtOAc).

¹**H NMR** (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 0.80 - 0.94 (m, 6 H) 1.16 - 1.36 (br s, 52 H) 1.47 - 1.60 (m, 4 H) 1.90 (quintet, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 4 H) 2.65 - 2.84 (m, 2 H) 3.24 (s, 3

H) 3.37 (t, J = 6.7 Hz, 4 H) 3.46 (t, J = 6.2 Hz, 4 H) 4.06 - 4.21 (m, 4 H) 4.84 (s, 2 H) 6.51 - 6.60 (m, 1 H) 6.84 (app sxt, J = 7.7 Hz, 1 H) 7.39 (s, 5 H)

¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 14.3, 22.9, 26.3, 29.6 – 30.0 (m) 31.1 (d, ${}^{3}J_{CP}$ = 5.8 Hz), 31.6, 32.1, 33.8, 63.6 (d, ${}^{2}J_{CP}$ = 6.9 Hz), 66.7, 71.4, 77.2, 123.8 (d, ${}^{3}J_{CP}$ = 13.8 Hz), 128.9, 129.2, 129.4, 135.7 (d, ${}^{2}J_{CP}$ = 11.5 Hz) ³¹P NMR (121 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 24.97

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C50H93NO7P [M+H]*: 850.6684, found: 850.6647

Bis(3-butoxypropyl) {4-[(benzyloxy)(methyl)amino]-4-oxobutyl}phosphonate (18a)



Following general procedure 3, 17a (607mg, 1.18mmol) afforded 18a (58%) as a transparent oil after purification by column chromatography (DCM \rightarrow 3%MeOH in DCM).

¹**H-NMR** (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 0.91 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 6 H), 1.28 - 1.43 (m, 4 H),

1.45 - 1.61 (m, 4 H), 1.69 - 1.85 (m, 4 H), 1.91 (quintet, J = 6.3 Hz, 4 H), 2.49 (t,

J = 6.9 Hz, 2 H), 3.19 (s, 3 H), 3.40 (t, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 4 H), 3.48 (t, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 4 H), 4.02 - 4.19 (m, 4 H), 4.83 (s, 2 H), 7.38 (s, 5 H)

¹³**C-NMR** (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 14.0, 17.6 (d, ²*J*_{CP} = 4.6 Hz), 19.4, 24.7 (d, ¹*J*_{CP} = 140.5 Hz), 31.0 (d, ³*J*_{CP} = 5.8 Hz), 31.8, 32.3 (d, ³*J*_{CP} = 15.0 Hz), 33.5, 62.8 (d, ²*J*_{CP} = 6.9 Hz), 66.6, 70.9, 76.2, 128.8, 129.0, 129.3, 134.5

³¹**P-NMR** (121 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 31.74

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C₂₆H₄₇NO₇P [M+H]⁺: 516.3085, found: 516.3089

Bis[3-(octyloxy)propyl] {4-[(benzyloxy)(methyl)amino]-4-oxobutyl}phosphonate (18b)



Following general procedure 3, 17b (760mg, 1.21mmol) afforded 18b (27%) as a transparent oil after purification by column chromatography (toluene \rightarrow 1Tol/3EtOAc).

¹**H-NMR** (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 0.83 - 0.92 (m, 6 H), 1.28 (br s, 20 H), 1.48 -

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1.61 (m, 4 H), 1.69 - 1.83 (m, 4 H), 1.91 (t, J = 6.3 Hz, 4 H), 2.49 (t, J = 6.9 Hz, 2
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H), 3.19 (s, 3 H), 3.38 (t, J = 6.7 Hz, 4 H), 3.48 (t, J = 6.2 Hz, 4 H), 4.03 – 4.18 (m, 4 H), 4.83 (s, 2 H) 7.32

- 7.45 (m, 5 H)

¹³C-NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 14.1, 17.6 (d, ²J_{CP} = 4.6 Hz), 22.7, 49.4 (d, ¹J_{CP} = 140.5 Hz), 26.2, 29.2, 29.5, 29.8, 31.0 (d, ³J_{CP} = 5.8 Hz), 31.8, 32.3 (d, ³J_{CP} = 16.1 Hz), 33.5, 62.8 (d, ²J_{CP} = 6.9 Hz), 66.6, 71.2, 76.2, 128.7, 129.0, 129.3, 134.5 ³¹P-NMR (121 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 31.75

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for $C_{34}H_{63}NO_7P [M+H]^*: 628.4337$, found: 628.4357

Bis[3-(dodecyloxy)propyl] {4-[(benzyloxy)(methyl)amino]-4-oxobutyl}phosphonate (18c)



Following general procedure 3, 17c (1.16g, 1.57mmol) afforded 18c (45%) as a transparent oil after purification by column chromatography (toluene \rightarrow 3Tol/7EtOAc).

¹H-NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 0.80 - 0.96 (m, 6 H), 1.26 (br s, 36 H), 1.37 -

1.61 (m, 4 H), 1.69 - 1.85 (m, 4 H), 1.89 (quintet, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 4 H), 2.35 - 2.57 (m,

2 H), 3.19 (s, 3 H), 3.41 (t, J = 6.6 Hz, 4 H), 3.50 (t, J = 6.1 Hz, 4 H), 4.01 - 4.18 (m, 4 H), 4.83 (s, 2 H), 7.31

- 7.45 (m, 5 H)

C₁₆H₃₃O

C₁₆H₃₃O

¹³**C-NMR** (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 14.3, 17.7 (d, ²*J*_{CP} = 5.8 Hz), 22.8, 24.9 (d, ¹*J*_{CP} = 140.5 Hz), 26.3, 29.5, 29.7-29.9 (m), 31.1 (d, ³*J*_{CP} = 6.9 Hz), 32.1, 32.5 (d, ³*J*_{CP} = 15.0 Hz), 33.7, 62.9 (d, ²*J*_{CP} = 5.8 Hz), 66.8, 71.4, 76.4, 128.9, 129.1, 129.4, 134.6, 174.3

³¹P-NMR (121 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 31.75

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C42H79NO7P [M+H]*: 740.5589, found: 740.5605

Bis[3-(hexadecyloxy)propyl] {4-[(benzyloxy)(methyl)amino]-4-oxobutyl}phosphonate (18d)



¹**H NMR** (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 0.79 - 0.96 (m, 6 H) 1.19 - 1.36 (m, 52 H) 1.44 - 1.60 (m, 4 H) 1.69 - 1.85 (m, 4 H) 1.91 (quintet, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 4H) 2.44 - 2.54 (m,

2 H) 3.19 (s, 3 H) 3.38 (t, J = 6.7 Hz, 4 H) 3.48 (t, J = 6.2 Hz, 4 H) 4.05 – 4.17 (m, 4 H) 4.82 (s, 2 H) 7.38 (s, 5 H) ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 14.2, 17.7 (d, ² J_{CP} = 4.6 Hz), 22.8, 24.8 (d, ¹ J_{CP} = 141.7 Hz), 26.3, 29.5, 29.7, 29.8, 31.1 (d, ³ J_{CP} = 5.8 Hz) 32.0, , 32.4 (d, ³ J_{CP} = 15.0 Hz), 62.9 (d, ² J_{CP} = 5.8 Hz) 66.8, 71.3, 76.3, 128.8, 129.1, 129.4, 134.6 (w) ³¹P-NMR (121 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 31.75

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C₅₀H₉₅NO₇P [M+H]⁺: 852.6841, found: 852.6807

3-Butoxypropyl {4-[(benzyloxy)(methyl)amino]-4-oxobutyl}phosphonate (19a)

C₄H₉O

C₈H₁₇O

C₁₆H₃₃O

Following general procedure 6, 18a (0.20g, 0.39mmol) afforded 19a (48%) as a white solid after purification by column chromatography (EtOAc \rightarrow 40%MeOH in EtOAc) and HPLC.

¹**H-NMR** (300 MHz, METHANOL-d4) δ ppm 0.92 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 3 H), 1.28 - 1.44

(m, 2H), 1.45 - 1.62 (m, 2 H), 1.72 - 1.93 (m, 6 H), 2.47 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 2 H), 3.21 (s, 3 H), 3.42 (t, J = 6.4 Hz, 2 H), 3.50 (t, J = 6.2 Hz, 2 H), 3.89 (app q, J = 6.4 Hz, 2 H),4.91 (s, 2 H), 7.32 - 7.49 (m, 5 H)

¹³C-NMR (75 MHz, METHANOL-d4) δ ppm 14.3, 19.1 (d, ²*J*_{CP} = 4.6 Hz), 20.4, 26.2 (d, ¹*J*_{CP} = 139.4 Hz), 32.0 (d, ³*J*_{CP} = 139.4 Hz), 33.0 (d, ³*J* 5.8 Hz), 32.5, 32.9, 33.5 (d, ${}^{3}J_{CP}$ = 16.1 Hz), 63.3 (d, ${}^{2}J_{CP}$ = 6.9 Hz), 67.8, 71.8, 77.1, 129.7, 130.0, 130.8, 136.1

³¹P-NMR (121 MHz, METHANOL-d4) δ ppm 25.31

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C₁₉H₃₃NO₆P [M+H]⁺: 402.2040, found: 402.2050

3-(Octyloxy)propyl {4-[(benzyloxy)(methyl)amino]-4-oxobutyl}phosphonate (19b)



Following general procedure 6, 18b (0.21g, 0.33mmol) afforded 19b (78%) as a faint yellow solid aner purification λ , N^{OBn} faint yellow solid aner purification λ , 40%MeOH in EtOAc and DCM \rightarrow 1DCM/1MeOH). faint yellow solid after purification by column chromatography (EtOAc \rightarrow

¹H-NMR (300 MHz, METHANOL-d4) δ ppm 0.84 - 0.94 (m, 3 H), 1.29 (br s, 10

H), 1.46 - 1.62 (m, 4 H), 1.75 - 1.91 (m, 4 H), 2.48 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 2 H), 3.19 (s, 3 H), 3.40 (t, J = 6.6

Hz, 2 H), 3.51 (t, J = 6.3 Hz, 2 H), 3.89 (app q, J = 6.3 Hz, 2 H), 4.90 (s, 2 H), 7.27 - 7.54(m, 5 H)

¹³C-NMR (75 MHz, METHANOL-d4) δ ppm 14.6, 20.5 (d, ²*J*_{CP} = 3.5 Hz), 23.9, 27.4, 27.7 (d, ¹*J*_{CP} = 135.9 Hz), 30.6, 30.8,

31.0, 32.6 (d, ${}^{2}J_{CP}$ = 6.9 Hz), 33.2, 62.2 (d, ${}^{2}J_{CP}$ = 5.8 Hz), 68.7, 72.2, 77.3, 129.8, 130.1, 130.9, 136.4

³¹**P-NMR** (121 MHz, METHANOL-d4) δ ppm 25.14

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C₂₃H₄₁NO₆P [M+H]⁺: 458.2666, found: 458.2666

3-(Dodecyloxy)propyl {4-[(benzyloxy)(methyl)amino]-4-oxobutyl}phosphonate (19c)



Following general procedure 6, 18c (0.50g, 0.68mmol) afforded 19c (84%) as a o white solid after purification by column chromatography (EtOAc \rightarrow 40%MeOH in EtOAc and DCM \rightarrow 30%MeOH in DCM).

¹H-NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 0.89 (t, J = 6.3 Hz, 3 H), 1.23 (br s, 18 H),

1.34 - 1.63(m, 4 H), 1.63 - 1.93 (m, 4 H), 2.48 (br t, J = 7.4 Hz, 2 H), 3.13 (s, 3 H), 3.40 (br t, J = 6.5 Hz, 2 H), 3.51 (br t, J = 6.3 Hz, 2 H), 3.84 (app q, J = 6.2 Hz, 2 H), 4.78 (s, 2 H), 7.30 -7.47 (m, 5 H)

¹³C-NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 14.2, 22.8, 26.3, 29.4, 29.6, 29.7, 29.75, 29.81, 31.0 (d, ³J_{C-P} = 6.9 Hz), 31.5, 32.0, 33.9, 63.3 (d, ³*J*_{CP} = 5.8 Hz), 63.6 (d, ²*J*_{CP} = 6.9 Hz), 66.6, 66.7, 71.3, 123.6, 123.8, 129.1, 129.4, 134.4, 135.6, 135.7, 166.4 ³¹P-NMR (121 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 26.38

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C₂₇H₄₉NO₆P [M+H]⁺: 514.3292, found: 514.3290

3-(Hexadecyloxy)propyl {4-[(benzyloxy)(methyl)amino]-4-oxobutyl}phosphonate (19d)

Following general procedure 6, 18d (0.12g, 0.14mmol) afforded 19d (77%) as a white solid after purification by column chromatography (DCM \rightarrow 50%MeOH in DCM).

¹**H NMR** (300 MHz, METHANOL- d_4) δ_{ppm} 0.89 (t, J = 6.7 Hz, 3 H) 1.28 (br s, 26 H) 1.44 - 1.66 (m, 4 H) 1.70 - 1.95 (m, 4 H) 2.48 (br t, J = 7.3 Hz, 2 H) 3.21 (s, 3 H) 3.39 (br t, J = 6.6 Hz, 2 H) 3.51 (t, J = 6.4 Hz, 2 H) 3.90 (app q, J = 6.3 Hz, 2 H) 4.84 (s, 2 H) 7.35 - 7.47 (m, 5 H) ³¹P NMR (121 MHz, METHANOL-d₄) δppm 25.01

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C₃₁H₅₅NO₆P [M-H]: 568.3772, found: 568.3745

3-Butoxypropyl {4-[hydroxy(methyl)amino]-4-oxobutyl}phosphonate (20a)

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C₄H₉O

C₈H₁₇O

Following general procedure 5, 19a (67mg, 0.16mmol) afforded 20a (67%) as a O white solid after purification by column chromatography (DCM → 40%MeOH in DCM). ¹H NMR (300 MHz, METHANOLd4) δ ppm 0.92 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 3 H), 1.32 - 1.43

(m, 4 H), 1.47 - 1.60 (m, 2 H), 1.86 (quintet, J = 6.3 Hz, 4 H), 2.56 (br t, J = 7.1 Hz, 2 H), 3.15 - 3.22 (m, 3 H), 3.43 (t, J = 6.5 Hz, 2 H), 3.52 (t, J = 6.3 Hz, 2 H), 3.95 (app q, J = 6.3 Hz, 2 H), 4.88 (br s, 2 H)

¹³C-NMR (75 MHz, METHANOL-d4) δ ppm 9.1, 14.3, 20.2 – 20.3 (m), 20.4, 27.1 (d, ${}^{1}J_{CP}$ = 137.1 Hz), 32.3 (d, ${}^{3}J_{CP}$ = 6.9 Hz), 32.9, 33.8 (d, ${}^{3}J_{CP}$ = 15.0 Hz), 36.2, 62.4 (d, ${}^{2}J_{CP}$ = 5.8 Hz), 68.3, 71.8, 175.5

³¹P-NMR (121 MHz, METHANOL-d4) δ ppm 26.49

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C₁₂H₂₇NO₆P [M+H]⁺: 312.1571, found: 312.1582

3-(Octyloxy)propyl {4-[hydroxy(methyl)amino]-4-oxobutyl}phosphonate (20b)



Following general procedure 5, 19b (0.12g, 0.26mmol) afforded 20b (30%) as a white solid after purification by column chromatography (DCM \rightarrow 35%MeOH Na O' N OH in DCM).

¹H-NMR (300 MHz, METHANOL-d4) δ ppm 0.85 - 0.94 (m, 3 H), 1.30 (br s, 10

H), 1.45 - 1.66 (m, 4 H), 1.80 - 1.94 (m, 4 H), 2.56 (br t, J = 7.3 Hz, 2 H), 3.19 (s, 3 H), 3.42 (t, J = 6.6 Hz, 2 H), 3.53 (t, J = 6.4 Hz, 2 H), 3.93 (app q, J = 6.4 Hz, 2 H), 4.86 (br s, 2 H)

¹³C-NMR (75 MHz, METHANOL-d4) δ ppm 14.4, 20.3 (d, ${}^{2}J_{CP}$ = 4.6 Hz), 23.7, 27.26 (d, ${}^{1}J_{CP}$ = 137.1 Hz), 27.29, 30.4, 30.6, 30.8, 32.4 (d, ${}^{3}J_{CP}$ = 5.8 Hz), 33.0, 33.9 (d, ${}^{3}J_{CP}$ = 15.0 Hz), 36.2, 61.7 (d, ${}^{2}J_{CP}$ = 5.8 Hz) 68.4, 72.1, 175.5

³¹**P-NMR** (121 MHz, METHANOL-d4) δ ppm 26.00

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C₁₆H₃₅NO₆P [M+H]⁺: 368.2197, found: 368.2206

3-(Dodecyloxy)propyl {4-[hydroxy(methyl)amino]-4-oxobutyl}phosphonate (20c)



Following general procedure 5, 19c (0.31g, 0.57mmol) afforded 20c (24%) as a $^{\circ}$ white solid after purification by column chromatography (DCM \rightarrow 40%MeOH in DCM).

¹H NMR (300 MHz, METHANOLd4) δ ppm 0.73 - 1.05 (m, 3 H), 1.29 (br s, 18 H), 1.36 - 1.69 (m, 4 H), 1.69 - 2.04 (m, 4 H), 2.56 (br t, J = 7.0 Hz, 2 H), 3.20 (s, 3 H), 3.42 (t, J = 6.6 Hz, 2 H), 3.53 (t, J = 6.4 Hz, 2 H), 3.91 (app q, J = 6.2 Hz, 2 H), 8.53 (br s, 1H)

¹³C-NMR (75 MHz, METHANOL-d4) δ ppm 14.5, 20.6 (d, ²J_{CP} = 4.6 Hz), 23.8, 27.41, 27.42 (d, ¹J_{CP} = 135.9 Hz), 30.6, 30.8, 30.86, 30.93, 32.5 (d, ${}^{3}J_{CP}$ = 5.8 Hz), 33.2, 34.0 (d, ${}^{3}J_{CP}$ = 15.0 Hz) 36.4, 62.2 (d, ${}^{2}J_{CP}$ = 5.8 Hz), 68.6, 72.2, 175.8

³¹**P-NMR** (121 MHz, METHANOL-d4) δ ppm 24.55

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C₂₀H₄₃NO₆P [M+H]⁺: 424.2823, found: 424.2834

3-(Hexadecyloxy)propyl {4-[hydroxy(methyl)amino]-4-oxobutyl}phosphonate (20d)

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C₁₆H₃₃O

Following general procedure 5, 19d (62mg, 0.11mmol) afforded 20d (73%) as a white solid after purification by column chromatography (DCM \rightarrow 50%MeOH in DCM).

¹H NMR (300 MHz, METHANOL-d₄) δppm 0.85 - 0.94 (m, 3 H) 1.28 (br s, 26 H) 1.48 - 1.69 (m, 4 H) 1.76 - 1.95 (m, 4 H) 2.58 (t, J = 7.7 Hz, 2 H) 3.23 (s, 3 H) 3.41 (t, J = 6.6 Hz, 2 H) 3.49 - 3.56 (m, 2 H) 3.85 - 3.97 (m, 2 H) 8.54 (s, 1 H)

¹³C-NMR (75 MHz, METHANOLd4) δ ppm 14.4, 23.7, 27.3, 30.8, 33.1, 62.0, 68.6, 72.1

³¹P NMR (121 MHz, METHANOLd₄) δppm rotamers at 25.58, 26.17

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C24H49NO6P [M-H]: 478.3303, found: 478.3324

Bis[3-(hexadecyloxy)propyl] {4-[hydroxy(methyl)amino]-4-oxobutyl]phosphonate (21d)



Following general procedure 5, 18d (0.13g, 0.15mmol) afforded 21d (75%) as a white solid after purification by column chromatography (toluene \rightarrow 7.5%MeOH in Tol).

¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 0.84 - 0.92 (m, 6 H) 1.16 - 1.37 (br s, 52 H) 1.48 - 1.60 (m, 4 H) 1.75 - 2.04 (m, 8 H) 2.64 (t, J = 6.5 Hz, 2 H) 3.24 (s, 3 H) 3.39

(t, J=6.7 Hz, 4 H) 3.49 (t, J = 6.1 Hz, 4 H) 4.00 - 4.20 (m, 4 H)

 13 C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 14.2, 18.3 (d, $^{2}J_{CP}$ = 5.8 Hz), 22.8, 23.9 (d, $^{1}J_{CP}$ = 140.5 Hz), 26.3, 29.6 - 30.0 (m), 31.0 (d, ${}^{3}J_{CP}$ = 8.1 Hz) 32.0, 36.0, 63.3 (d, ${}^{2}J_{CP}$ = 6.9 Hz) 66.5, 71.4, 173.0 (w)

³¹P NMR (121 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 32.56

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C₄₃H₈₉NO₇P [M+H]⁺: 762.6371, found: 762.6406



O(Tert-butyldiphenylsilyl)-N-methylhydroxylamine (22)

HN-OTBDPS N-methyl hydroxylamine hydrochloride (1.93g, 23.1mmol) was dissolved in DCM (36mL). DIPEA (9.15mL, 52.5mmol) was added, followed by addition of TBDPSCI (5.5mL, 21mmol) and DMF (3.6 mL). After 40 hours at room temperature, the reaction mixture was further diluted with DCM and washed with H₂O. The organic layer was dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated *in vacuo*. Column chromatography (hexanes \rightarrow 5%Et₂O in hexanes) yielded pure 22 as a transparent liquid (79%).

¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 1.09 (s, 9 H) 2.68 (s, 3 H) 7.31 - 7.46 (m, 6 H) 7.65 - 7.77 (m, 4 H) ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 27.5, 41.6, 127.7, 129.7, 134.0, 135.8

HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C₁₇H₂₄NOSi [M+H]⁺: 286.1622, found: 286.1621

N[(Tert-butyldiphenylsilyl)oxy]-N-methylacrylamide (11)



Acryloyl chloride (2.0mL, 25mmol) and protected hydroxylamine 22 (7.85g, 27.5mmol) were N-OTBDPS dissolved in DCM (50mL) and cooled to 0°C in an ice bath. Dry pyridine (4.0mL, 50mmol) was added dropwise and the resulting solution was allowed to warm to room temperature. Upon completion of the reaction, as confirmed by TLC, the reaction mixture was further diluted with

DCM and washed with 1M HCl (aq. soln.). The organic layer was dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated in vacuo. Column chromatography (toluene \rightarrow 2Tol/1EtOAc) yielded pure 11 as pale yellow oil (88%).

¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 1.17 (s, 9 H) 3.13 (s, 3 H) 5.54 (dd, J = 10.4, 2.0 Hz, 1 H) 6.17 (dd, J = 17.1, 2.0 Hz, 1 H) 7.34 - 7.50 (m, 6 H) 7.66 - 7.74 (m, 4 H)

¹³C-NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δppm 27.2, 39.0 (w) 126.9, 128.0, 128.1, 130.6, 136.2 HRMS (ESI-MS): calculated for C₂₀H₂₆NO₂Si [M+H]⁺: 340.1727, found: 340.1728



Tert-butyl (benzyloxy)carbamate (23)

Boc O-benzylhydroxylamine hydrochloride (26.5g, 166mmol), di-tert-butyl dicarbonate (36.2g, 166mmol) and NaHCO₃(14.0g, 166mmol) were dissolved in dioxane (169mL) and H₂O (166mL). The reaction was н allowed to stir overnight at room temperature, after which TLC confirmed complete conversion of starting materials. The reaction mixture was partially evaporated in vacuo in order to remove dioxane. The pH of the reaction was lowered to pH4 with 1M citric acid (aq. soln.) and the reaction mixture was extracted three times with DCM. The combined organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated in vacuo. Column chromatography (hexanes \rightarrow Et₂O) yielded pure 23 as colourless crystals (93%). Spectral data are in accordance with those reported in the literature².

Tert-butyl (benzyloxy)(methyl)carbamate (24)

Boc OBn To a solution of 23 (4.53g, 20.3mmol) in DMF (4omL), NaH (60% dispersion in mineral oil, 893mg, 22.3mmol) was added gradually. The reaction was stirred for 30 minutes at room temperature, after which iodomethane (1.40mL, 22.3mmol) was added. After overnight stirring, TLC confirmed completion of the reaction. The reaction was quenched by the addition of H_2O and extracted three times with hexanes. The combined organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated in vacuo. Column chromatography (hexanes \rightarrow 10%Et₂O in hexanes) yielded pure 24 as a pale yellow oil (97%). Spectral data are in accordance with those

OBenzyl-N-methylhydroxylamine (25)

reported in the literature².

To a solution of 24 (11.9g, 37.2 mmol) in DCM (190mL), TFA (30.0mL, 391 mmol) was added. After 2 HN^{_OBn} hours at room temperature, TLC confirmed completion of the reaction. Toluene was added to the reaction mixture all volatiles were removed in vacuo. H₂O was added and the pH was adjusted up to pH 9 with KOH (aq. soln.), followed by extraction with DCM. The organic layer was dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated in vacuo. The crude product was used without further purification or characterization.

N-(Benzyloxy)-N-methylacrylamide (16)



Acryloyl chloride (1.1mL, 13mmol) and protected hydroxylamine 25 (1.96g, 14.3mmol) were dissolved in DCM (30mL) and cooled to 0°C in an ice bath. Dry pyridine (2.1mL, 26mmol) was added dropwise and the resulting solution was allowed to warm to room temperature. Upon completion of the reaction, as confirmed by TLC, the reaction mixture was further diluted with DCM

and washed with 1M HCL (aq. soln.). The organic layer was dried over Na2SO4, filtered and concentrated in vacuo. Column chromatography (toluene \rightarrow 8Tol/2EtOAc) yielded pure 16 as pale yellow oil (75%). Spectral data are in accordance with those reported in the literature³.

Plasma stability assay

The plasma stability assay was carried out in duplicate by incubating 40 µl of the test compounds (1 mM -100% DMSO) in 360 µL plasma at 37°C. After respectively 0, 30 and 60 minutes, 20 µl was withdrawn and 80 µl cold acetonitrile, containing the internal standard tolbutamide, was added to precipitate the proteins. The mixture was vortexed for 30 sec and centrifuged at 4°C for 5 min at 15,000 rpm. The loss of parent compound over a 30 and 60 minute time interval was determined using liquid chromatography (UPLC) (Waters Aquity[™]) coupled with tandem quadrupole mass spectrometry (MS²) (Waters XevoTM), equipped with an electrospray ionization (ESI) interface and operated in multiple reaction monitoring (MRM) mode.

		% remaining		
Compound	T (min)	st dev		
		(n = 2)		
	0	100	-	
4	30	2.55	0.32	
	60	2.89	0.30	
	0	100	-	
5	30	0.50	0.08	
	60	0.57	0.11	
	0	100	-	
14a	30	5.95	0.37	
	60	5.74	0.14	
	0	100	-	
14b	30	42.02	0.26	
	60	17.46	0.15	
	0	100		
14c	30	88	4.5	
	60	81	3.9	
	0	100		
14d	30	62	0.9	
	60	42	3.8	
	0	100		
14e	30	77	4.8	
	60	61	3.0	

Table S1. Stability in h (37°C)

Biological Details

Antiplasmodial susceptibility testing⁴

Chloroquine resistant *P. falciparum*-K1 parasites were cultured in human erythrocytes (O+) at 37 °C under a low oxygen atmosphere (3% O2, 4% CO2, and 93% N2) in RPMI-1640, supplemented with 10% human serum. Infected human red blood cells (200 μ L, 1% parasitaemia, 2% haematocrit) were added to each well and incubated for 72 h. After incubation, test plates were frozen at -20°C. Parasite multiplication was measured by the Malstat method. One hundred microliters of MalstatTM reagent was transferred in a new plate and mixed with 20 μ L of the hemolysed parasite suspension for 15 min at room temperature. Then, 20 μ L of nitro blue tetrazolium chloride (NBT) at 2 mg/mL/PES at 0.1 mg/mL solution was added and the plate was incubated again for 2 h at room temperature in the dark. Absorbance was read at 655 nm in a Biorad 3550-UV microplate reader. As a positive control, chloroquine was included (IC₅₀ = 0.13 μ M).

Antitubercular susceptibility testing⁵

In vitro antimycobacterial activity was evaluated by a luminometric assay based on a M. tuberculosis H37Ra laboratory strain (ATCC 25177) transformed with a pSMT1 luciferase reporter plasmid (H37Ra-lux). A 2-fold serial dilution of each compound was made in Middlebrook 7H9 broth and 10% OADC (complete 7H9 broth) with final concentrations ranging from 128 μ M to 0.5 μ M. Volumes of 100 μ L of the serial dilutions were added in triplicate to black, flat-bottomed 96-well plates. As a positive control, isoniazid, a first-line antimycobacterial drug, was included (IC₅₀ = 0.21 μ M). The mycobacterial suspension was made by thawing a frozen glycerol stock of H37Ra-lux and, subsequently, diluting it in complete 7H9 broth to obtain a suspension with 10.000 relative light units (RLU)/mL. A volume of 100 μ L of bacteria was added to each well. All of the outer-perimeter wells were filled with 200 μ L of sterile deionized water to minimize evaporation of the medium in the test wells during incubation. After 7 days, the bacterial replication was analyzed by luminometry. To evoke a luminescent signal, 25 μ L of 1% n-decanal in ethanol was added to each well, where after light emission was measured using a luminometer (Promega Discover).

In vitro cytotoxicity assay⁴

The *in vitro* cytotoxicity on the MRC-5 Homo sapiens long fibroblast cell line (ATCC® CCL-171TM) was assessed for each analogue by a resazurin-based cytotoxicity assay. Briefly, the MRC-5 cells were cultured in 75 cm² sterile Dulbecco's modified Eagle's medium (DMEM) supplemented with 10% heat-inactivated fetal calf serum in a 5% CO₂ atmosphere at 37°C. When a semi-confluent layer of cells was formed, the cells were trypsinized, washed with sterile PBS, seeded into a transparent, flat-bottomed 96-well plate at a density of 4 x 10⁴ cells per well and left for recovery at 37°C, 5% CO₂ for at least 24 hours. For each compound, a two-fold serial dilution was made in complete DMEM with final concentrations ranging from 128 μ M to 0.5 μ M. Subsequently, the MRC-5 cells were exposed to the compounds by adding 100 μ L of the serial dilutions to the wells. Test plates were incubated for 24 hours in an atmosphere of 5% CO₂ at 37°C. For the resazurin assay, the cells were washed 2 times with 200 μ L PBS and 100 μ L resazurin working solution was added per well. Subsequently, the plates were left for incubation at 37°C, 5% CO₂ for 3 hours. The irreversible reduction of resazurin to resorufin is proportional to aerobic respiration and the quantity of resorufin produced is proportional to the number of viable cells. To monitor the viable cell number after compound exposure, each well was analyzed using a microplate fluorometer equipped with a 560 nm excitation / 590 nm emission filter set. Tamoxifen was included as positive control (IC₅₀ = 11.09 μ M).

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Purity confirmation of final compounds

For the final compounds described in this letter (14b-e and 20a-c), LC-MS analyses are provided to confirm purity. LC-MS analyses were carried out on a Waters AutoPurification System equipped with PDA and ESI-MS detection and using a Waters CORTECS C18 Column (4.6×100 mm, 2.7 μ m) and a water/acetonitrile/formic acid linear gradient system at a flow rate of 1.44 mL/min. For compound 14a, LC-MS analysis was not used to confirm purity, since the lack of stability of this compound in aqueous medium results in breakdown during analysis. For compounds 20d and 21d, LC-MS analysis was not used to confirm purity, since the long C₁₆ alkyl chains are not compatible with the LC-MS analysis test conditions.



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¹H NMR spectrum of **14a** (300MHz, CHLOROFORM-*d*)





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³¹P NMR spectrum of **14a** (121MHz, CHLOROFORM-*d*)



¹H NMR spectrum of **14b** (300MHz, CHLOROFORM-*d*)







³¹P NMR spectrum of **14b** (121MHz, CHLOROFORM-*d*)







¹H NMR spectrum of **14**c (300MHz, CHLOROFORM-*d*)







³¹P NMR spectrum of **14c** (121MHz, CHLOROFORM-*d*)











HSQC of 14d (75MHz, CHLOROFORM-d)



³¹P NMR spectrum of **14d** (121MHz, CHLOROFORM-*d*)







¹H NMR spectrum of **14e** (300MHz, CHLOROFORM-*d*)







¹³C NMR spectrum of **14e** (75MHz, CHLOROFORM-*d*)

³¹P NMR spectrum of **14e** (121MHz, CHLOROFORM-*d*)

















³¹P NMR spectrum of **20a** (121MHz, METHANOL-*d*₄)



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¹H NMR spectrum of **20b** (300MHz, METHANOL-*d*₄)



¹³C NMR spectrum of **20b** (75MHz, METHANOL-*d*₄)



³¹P NMR spectrum of **20b** (121MHz, METHANOL-*d*₄)





C₈H₁₇O

¹H NMR spectrum of **20c** (300MHz, METHANOL-*d*₄)



¹³C NMR spectrum of **20c** (75MHz, METHANOL-*d*₄)





³¹P NMR spectrum of **20c** (121MHz, METHANOL-*d*₄)







¹H NMR spectrum of **20d** (300MHz, CHLOROFORM-*d*)



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³¹P NMR spectrum of **20d** (121MHz, CHLOROFORM-*d*)



¹H NMR spectrum of **21d** (300MHz, CHLOROFORM-*d*)









³¹P NMR spectrum of **21d** (121MHz, CHLOROFORM-*d*)

