

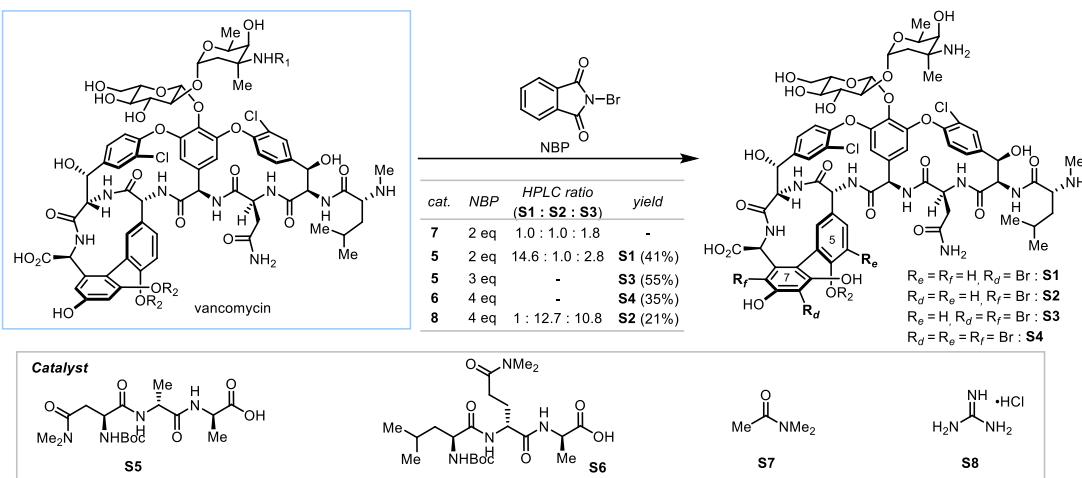
# **Late-Stage Diversification of Natural Products**

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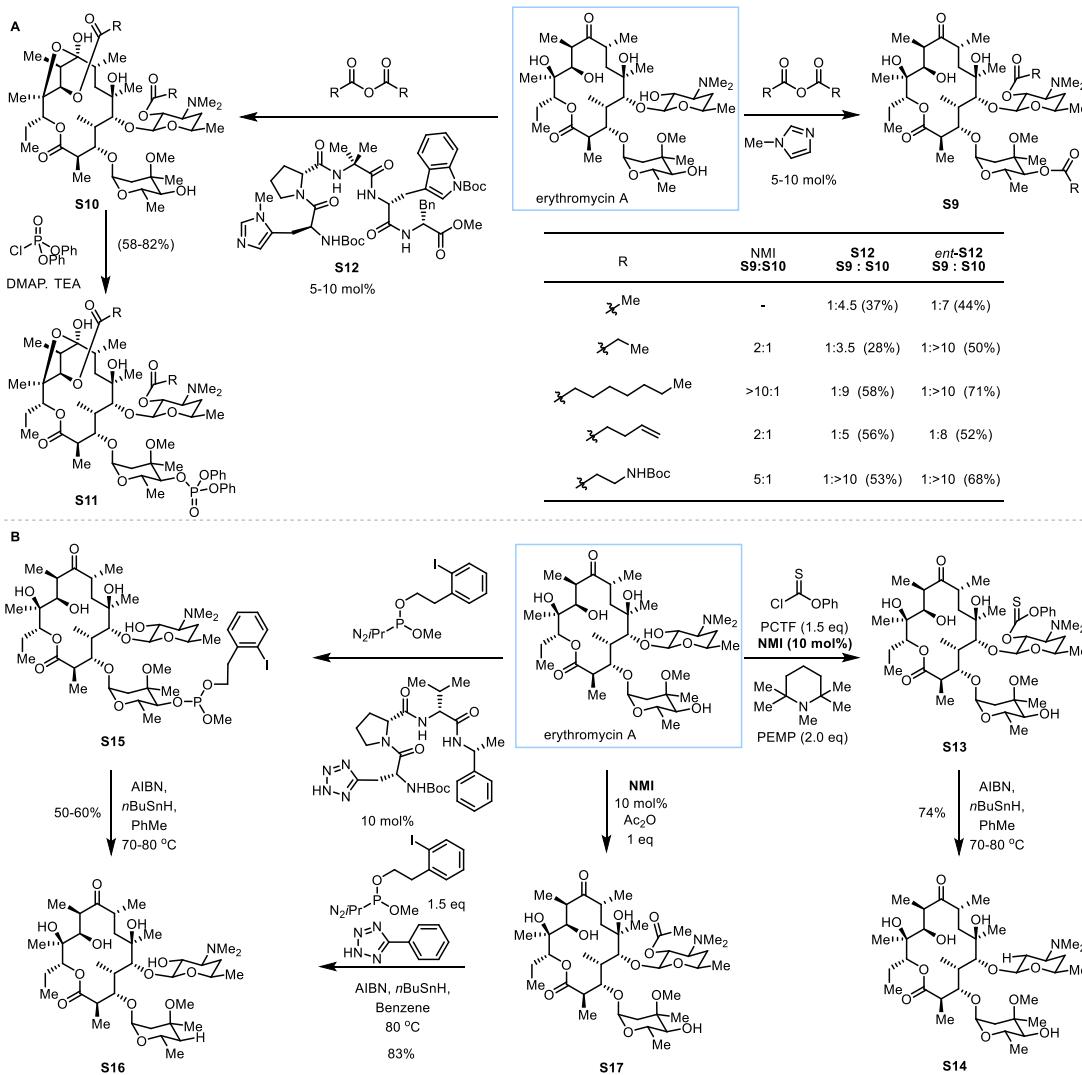
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## **Supporting Information**



Scheme S1. Late-stage selective bromination of vancimycin.<sup>1</sup>



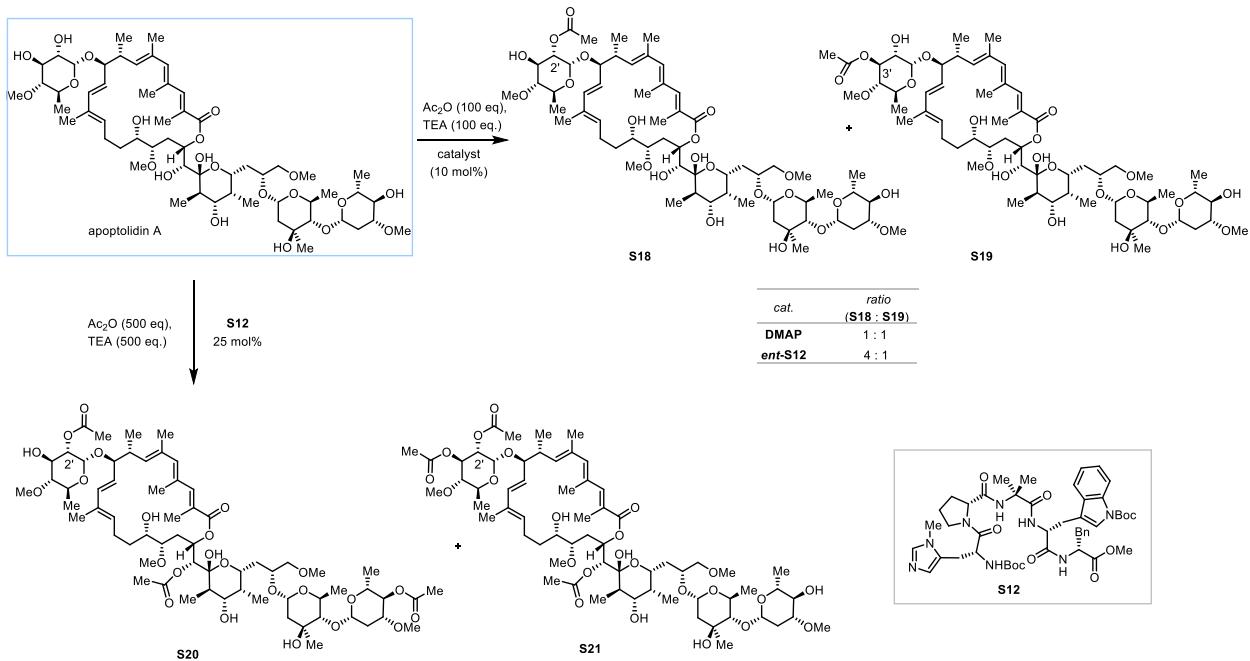
Scheme S2. (A) Late-stage selective acylation of erythromycin A.<sup>2,3</sup> (B) Late-stage selective deoxygenation of erythromycin A.<sup>4</sup>

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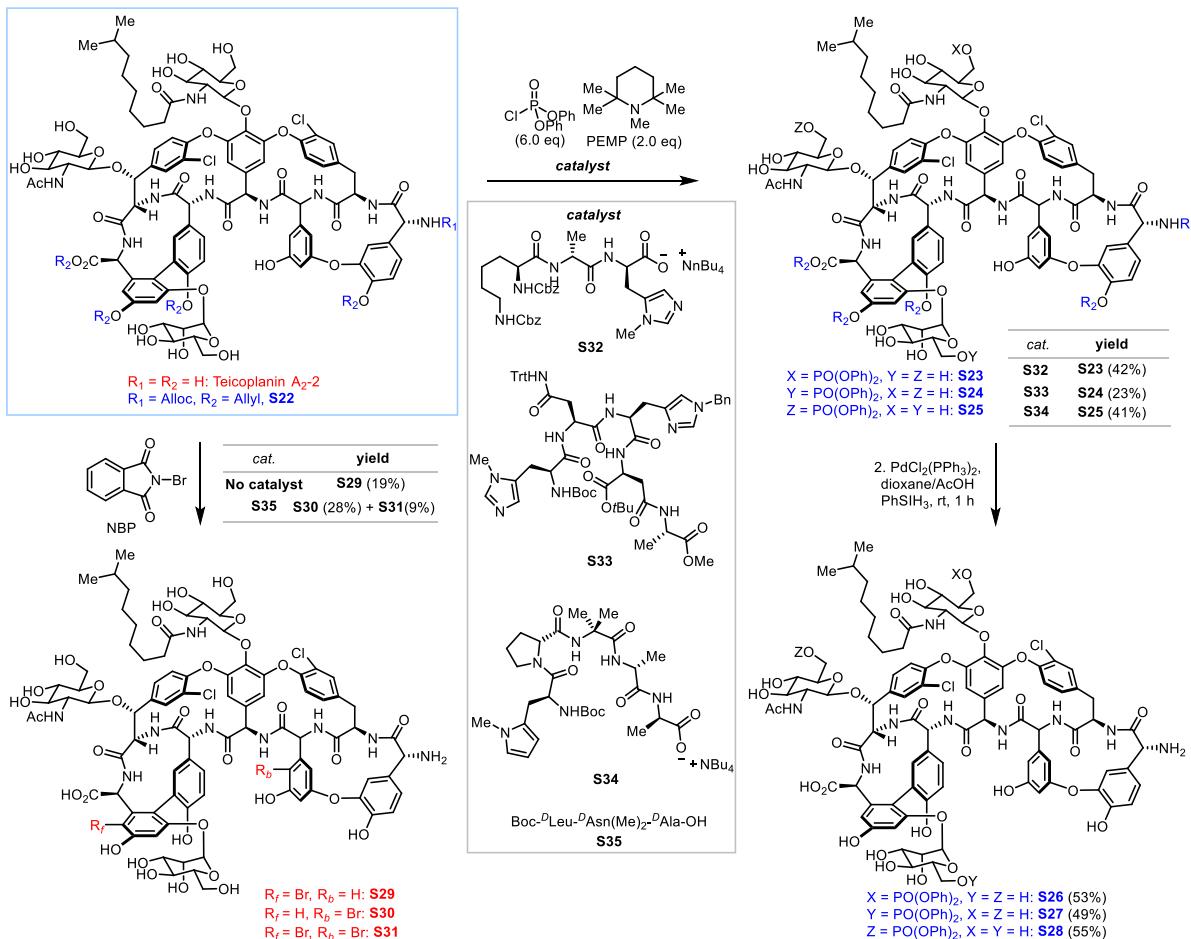
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Scheme S3. Late-stage selective acylation of apoptolidin A.<sup>5</sup>

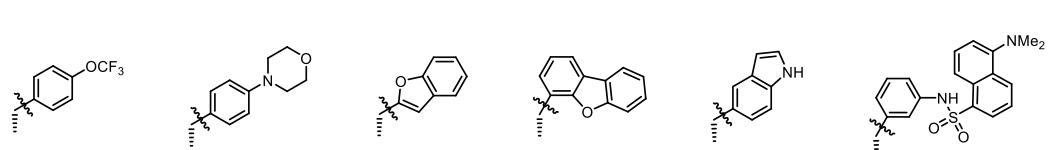
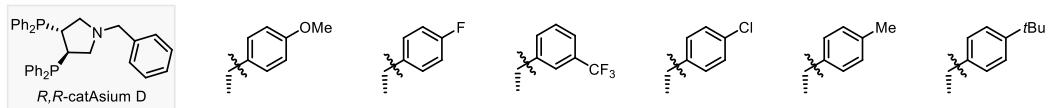
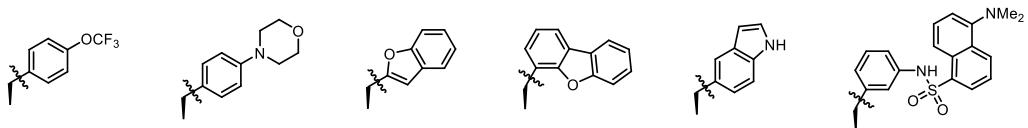
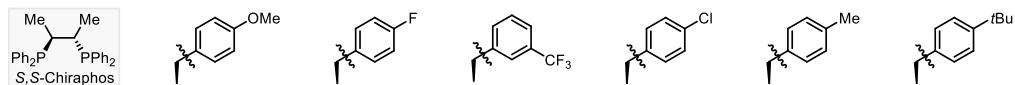
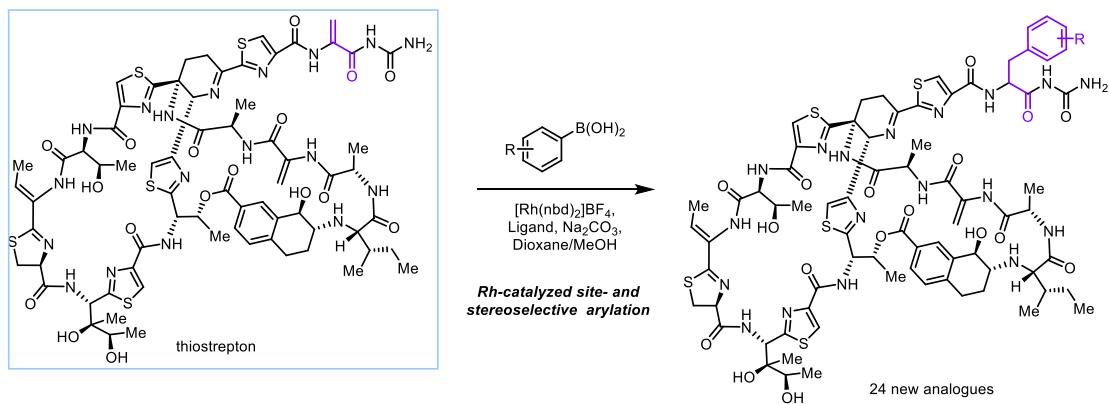


Scheme S4. Late-stage selective acylation of teicoplanin A<sub>2</sub>-2.<sup>6,7</sup>

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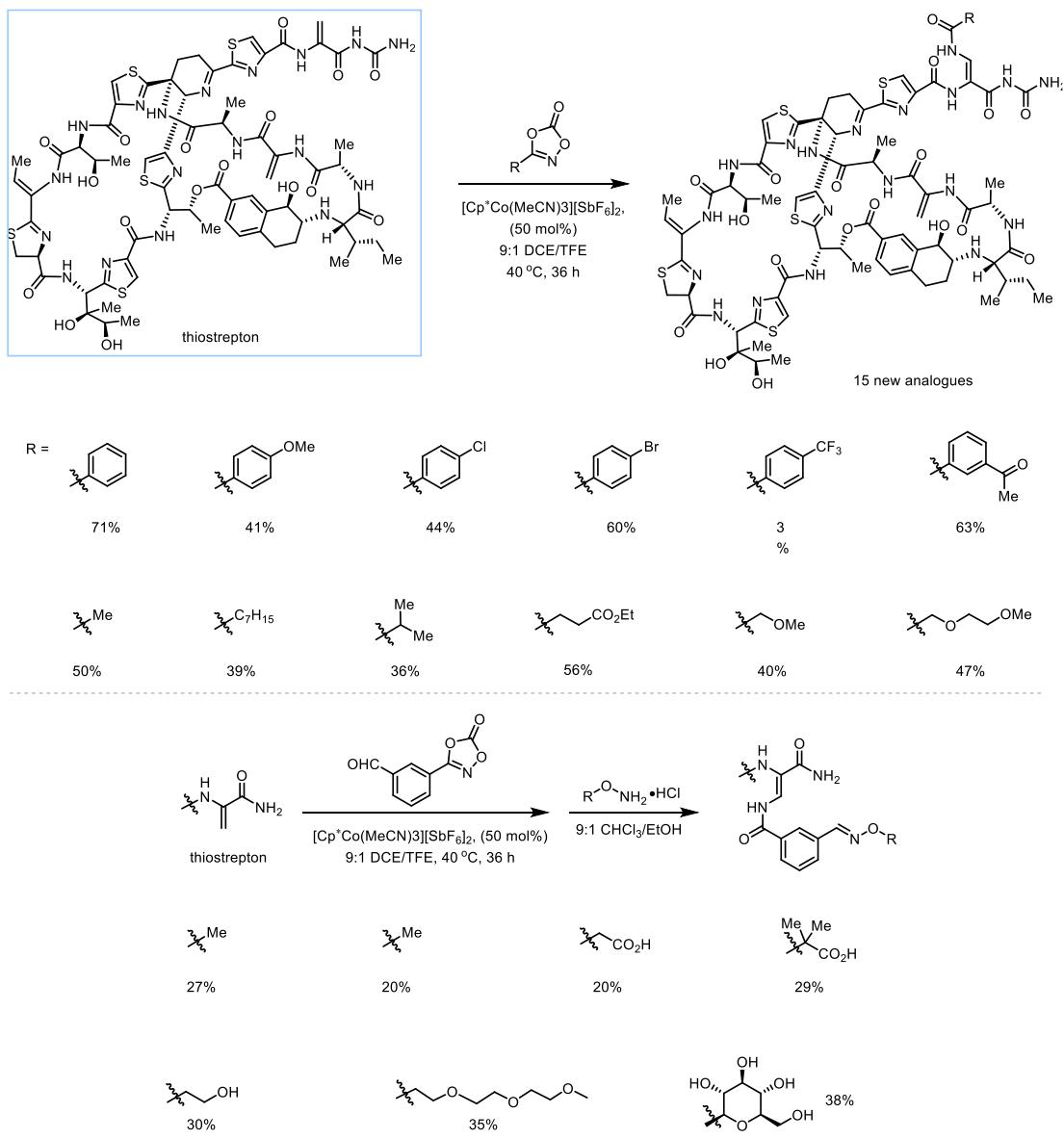
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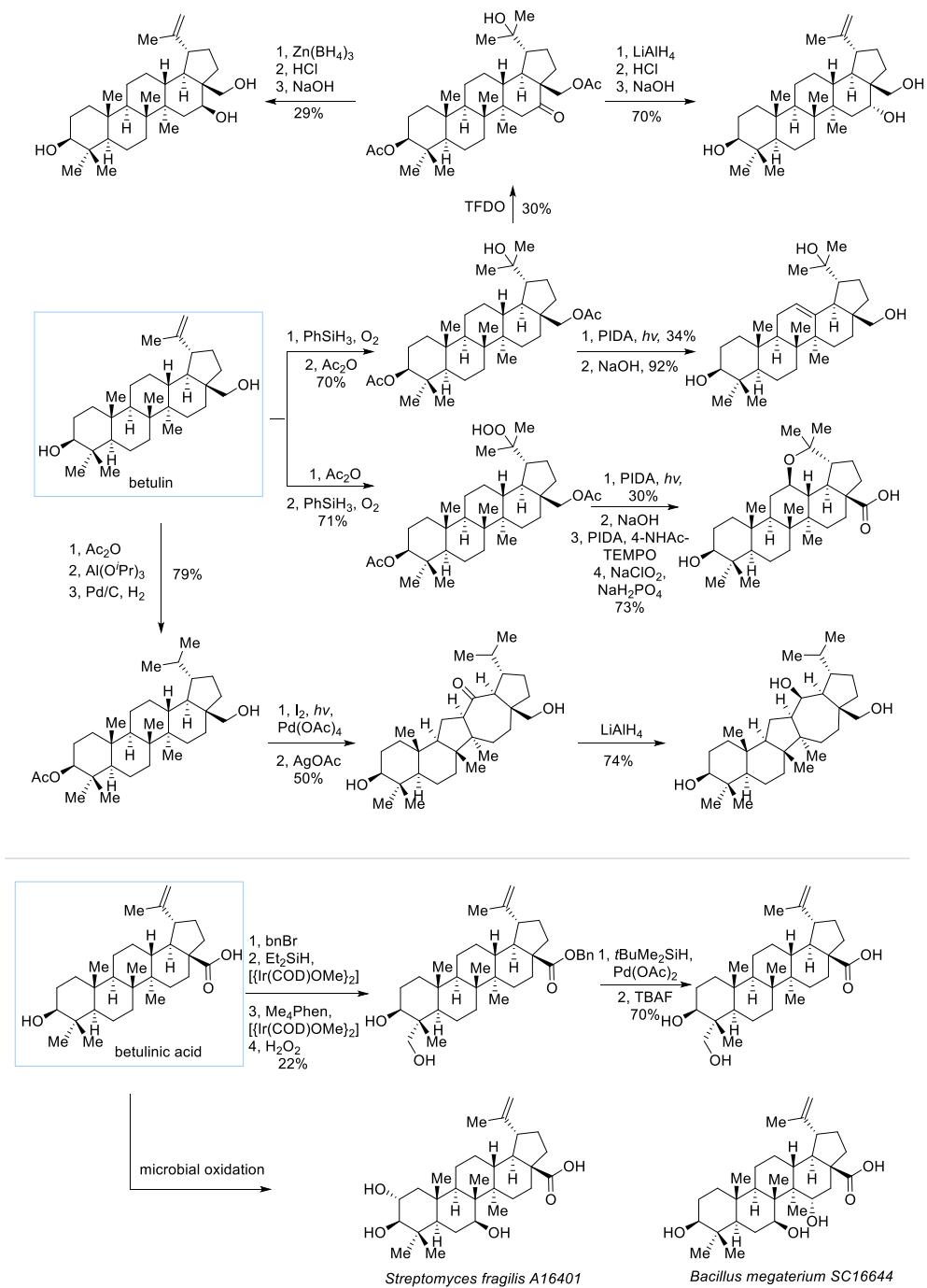
Scheme S5. Late-stage diversification of thiostrepton via Rh-catalyzed site- and stereoselective arylation.<sup>8</sup>

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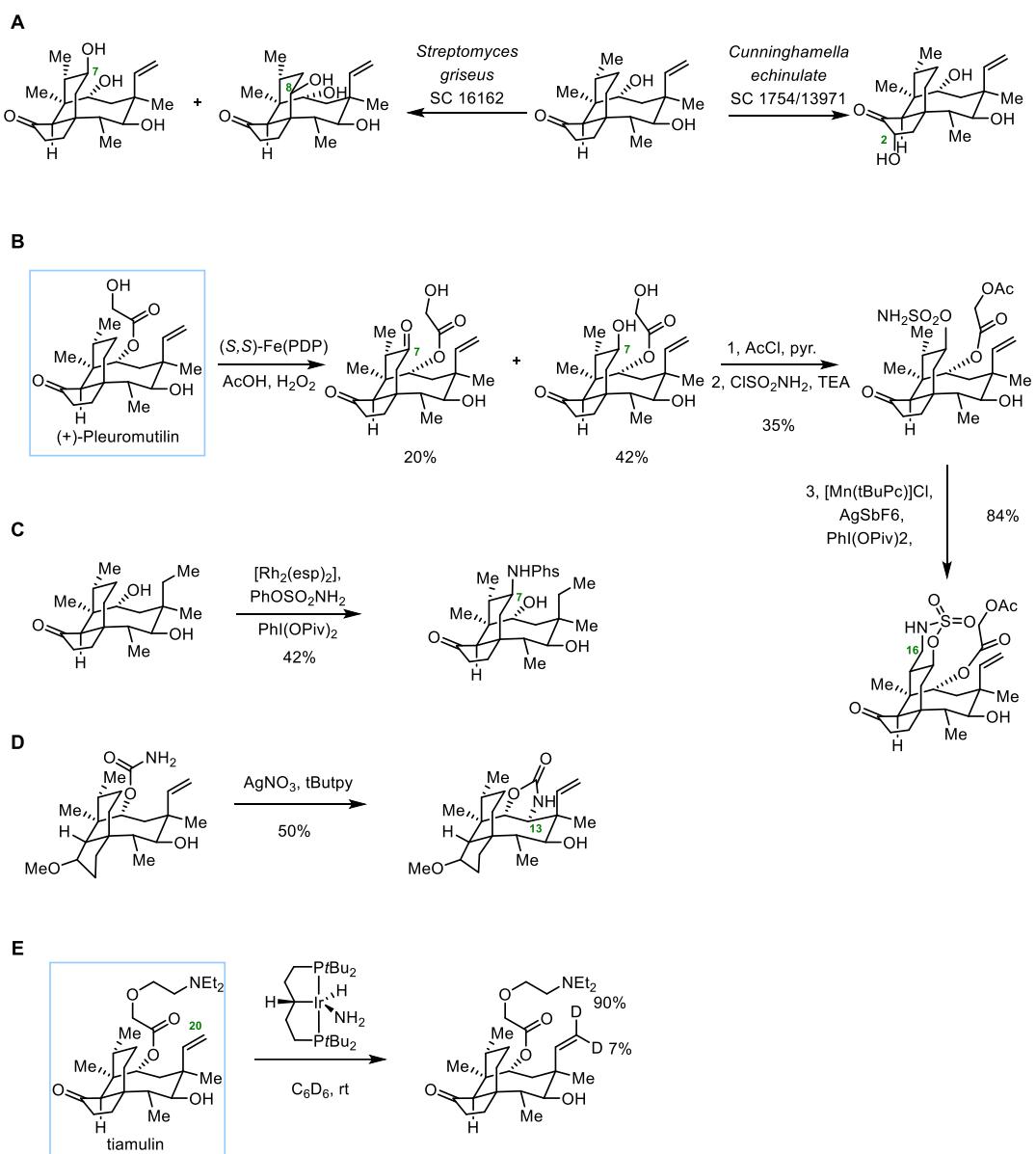
Scheme S6. Late-stage diversification of thiostrepton via site-selective C–H Amidation.<sup>9</sup>

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Scheme S7. Late-stage diversification of betulin and betulinic acid via C–H oxidation.<sup>10</sup>

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Scheme S8. Late-stage diversification of pleuromutilin skeleton. (A) Microbial oxidation.<sup>11</sup> (B) C7 oxidation<sup>12</sup> and C16 amination<sup>13</sup>. (C) C7 amination.<sup>14</sup> (D) C13 amination.<sup>15</sup> (E) C20 deuteration.<sup>16</sup>

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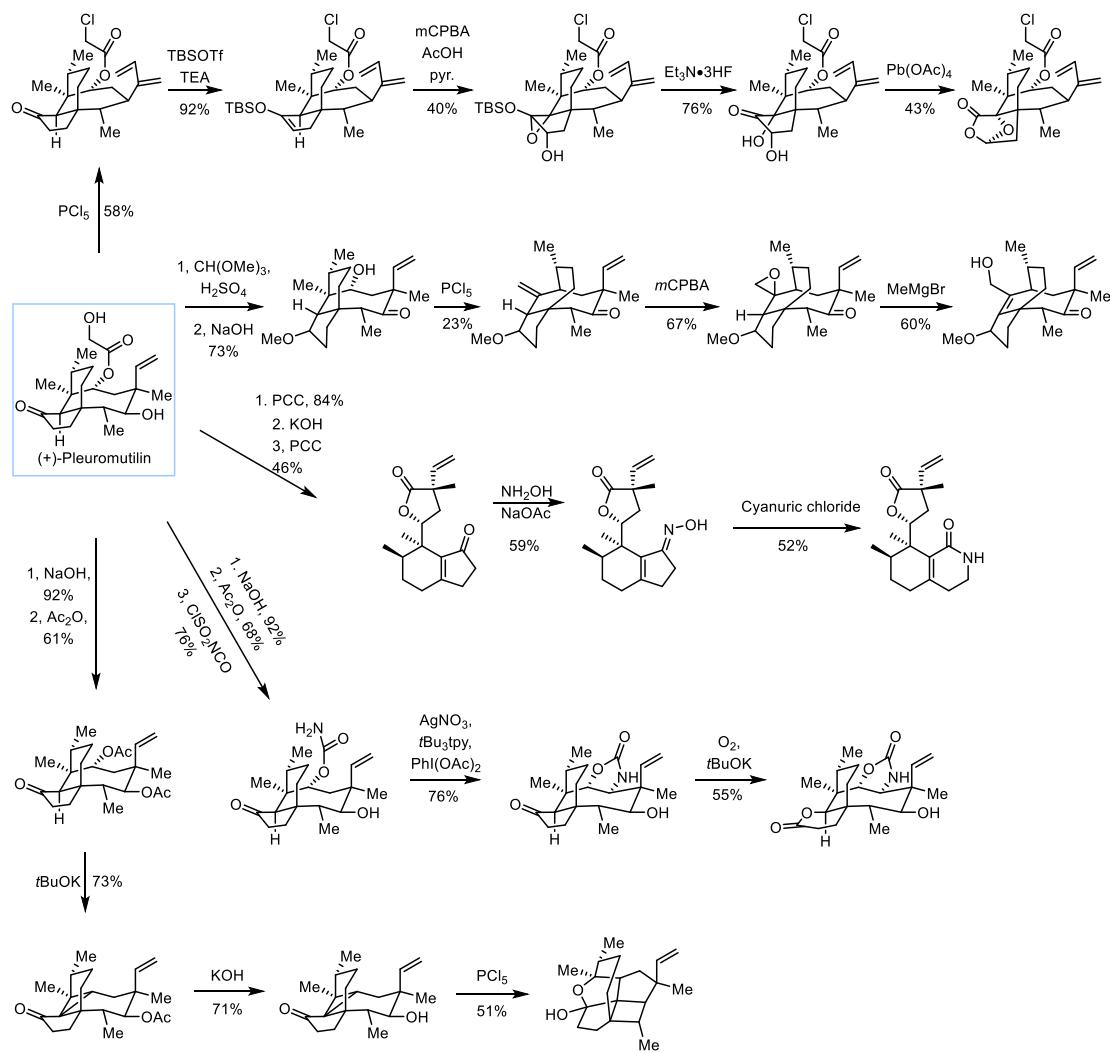
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