



## Supporting Information

### Copper-Photocatalyzed Hydroboration of Alkynes and Alkenes

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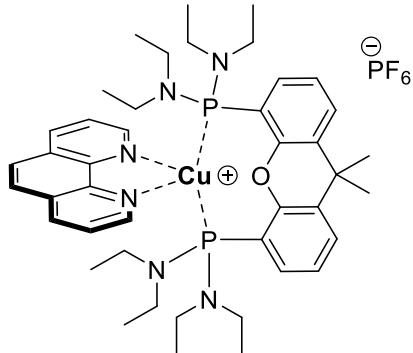
## 1. General information

All reactions were carried out using oven-dried glassware and magnetic stirring under an argon atmosphere unless otherwise stated. Analytical thin-layer chromatography (TLC) were performed using Merck-Kiesegel 60 F254 plates and visualized by UV light (254 nm) and/or chemical staining with alizarin solution (1M in acetone). Flash column chromatography was performed with silica gel 40 (particle size 63  $\mu\text{m}$ ) supplied by VWR. Yields refer to chromatographically and spectroscopically pure compounds unless otherwise stated. Copper photocatalyzed hydroboration reactions in batch were performed using a 405 nm blue LEDs. Copper photocatalyzed hydroboration reactions in continuous flow were performed using a Vapourtec E-series continuous flow system equipped with a UV-150 Photochemical flow reactor (10 mL) and a 450 nm blue LED lamp.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectra were recorded on a Bruker DXP 300 spectrometer at 300 MHz,  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectra were recorded at 75 MHz,  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR and  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR spectra were recorded on a Bruker DXP 300 spectrometer. Chemical shifts are quoted in parts per million (ppm) relative to the residual solvent peak for  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$  ( $\delta_{\text{H}} = 7.16$  ppm,  $\delta_{\text{C}} = 128.06$  ppm) or for  $\text{CDCl}_3$  ( $\delta_{\text{H}} = 7.26$  ppm,  $\delta_{\text{C}} = 77.16$  ppm). The following abbreviations have been used:  $\delta$  (chemical shift),  $J$  (coupling constant expressed in hertz), app. (apparent), br. (broad), s (singlet), d (doublet), dd (doublet of doublets), t (triplet), q (quartet) and m (multiplet). High-resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were recorded on Waters LCT Premier. Infrared spectra were recorded on a PerkinElmer Spectrum 100. Melting points were recorded on a Stuart Scientific Analogue SMP3. Absorption Spectra were recorded on UV/Visible Agilent Cary 60 spectrophotometer. Emission spectra were recorded on a Varian Cary Eclipse fluorescence spectrofluorimeter equipped with a xenon flash lamp as excitation source and a high performance R928 photomultiplier detector. Cyclic voltammetry measurements in dry acetonitrile with tetra-n-butylammonium tetrafluoroborate as the supporting electrolyte were carried out at 25 °C using a standard three-electrode cell, consisting of a Saturated Calomel Electrode (SCE) as the reference electrode, a platinum wire counter electrode and a carbon disk working electrode (area = 1 mm<sup>2</sup>). The potential of the working electrode was controlled by a BioLogic SP-300 potentiostat with a scan rate of 200 mV·s<sup>-1</sup>. Prior the measurements, all the solutions were degassed with a flow of argon for 15 minutes, which was left over the surface of the solution during the measurements. Lamps were purchased from EvoluChem, 405 nm, 18W LED.

Dichloromethane was freshly distilled from calcium hydride under argon. Acetonitrile (99.9%, Extra dry over molecular sieves in AcroSeal® bottles) was purchased from Acros Organics. Solvents were degassed with the freeze-pump-thaw technique. Tetrakis(acetonitrile)copper(I) hexafluorophosphate was purchased from Acros Organics and used as supplied. P,P'-(9,9-Dimethyl-9H-xanthene-4,5-diyl)bis[N,N,N',N'-tetraethyl-phosphorous diamide] (97% purity) and 4,6-Bis(diphenylphosphino)-10H-phenoxyazine (97% purity) were purchased from Sigma Aldrich and used as supplied. 1,10-phenanthroline (99% purity) and 2,9-Dimethyl-1,10-phenanthroline (98% purity) were purchased from Alpha Aesar and used as supplied. Bis(pinacolato)diboron (98+% purity) was purchased from Alpha Aesar or Apollo Scientific Ltd and used as supplied. All other reagents were used as supplied.

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## 2. Synthesis and characterization of Cu-PC-1 and Cu-PC-2



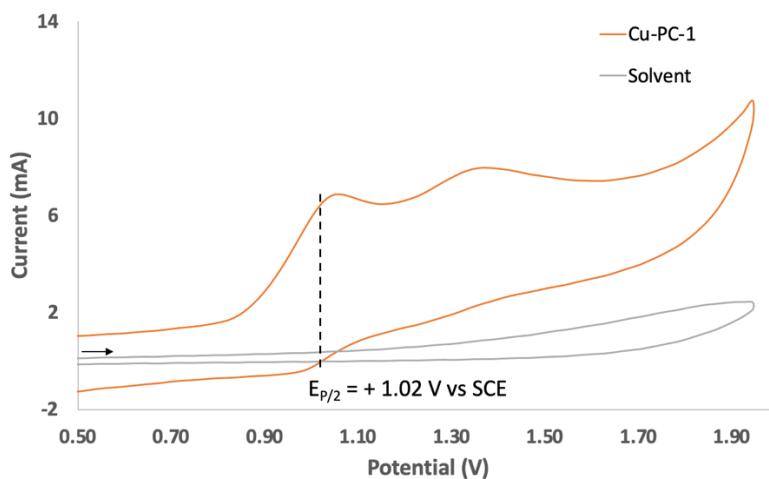
**Cu-PC-1:  $[\text{Cu}(\text{xantphosTEPD})(\text{phen})]\text{PF}_6$**

**$[\text{Cu}(\text{xantphosTEPD})(\text{phen})]\text{PF}_6$ .** To a solution of tetrakisacetonitrile copper(I) hexafluorophosphate (74.5 mg, 0.2 mmol) in dry dichloromethane (16 mL) was added P,P'-(9,9-Dimethyl-9H-xanthene-4,5-diyl)bis[N,N,N',N'-tetraethyl-phosphorous diamide] (xantphosTEPD, 120 mg, 0.2 mmol). The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for two hours under argon atmosphere. A solution of 1,10-phenanthroline (phen, 36 mg, 0.2 mmol) in dry dichloromethane (4 mL) was then added dropwise and the resulting reaction mixture was stirred for another one hour. The reaction mixture was then concentrated under reduced pressure to one tenth of the original volume and the resulting solution was added dropwise with a syringe pump (1 drop/sec) to 100 mL of n-hexane under stirring. The yellow precipitate was collected by filtration and dried under vacuum to give the desired copper complex  $[\text{Cu}(\text{xantphosTEPD})(\text{phen})]\text{PF}_6$  (183.8 mg, 0.194 mmol, 97%) as a yellow solid, mp: 264-266 °C;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.55 (d,  $J$  = 9 Hz, 2H), 8.26 (m, 2H), 8.06 (s, 2H), 7.70 (m, 4H), 7.31-7.26 (m, 4H), 2.93 (s, 16H), 1.78 (s, 6H), 0.77 (s, 24H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ): 154.5, 154.4, 154.3, 148.8, 142.9, 142.8 (2), 137.5, 135.0, 129.8, 129.3, 127.5, 126.1, 126.0, 125.9, 125.0, 124.0, 41.7, 41.6 (2), 35.8, 34.1, 22.3, 14.0. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  3060, 1556, 1499, 1481, 1461, 1434, 1391, 1300, 1259, 1215, 1094, 1026, 975, 835, 744, 694, 556, 509  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for  $\text{C}_{43}\text{H}_{60}\text{N}_6\text{OP}_2\text{Cu}^+ [\text{M}-\text{PF}_6]^+$ : 801.3600, found: 801.3593.

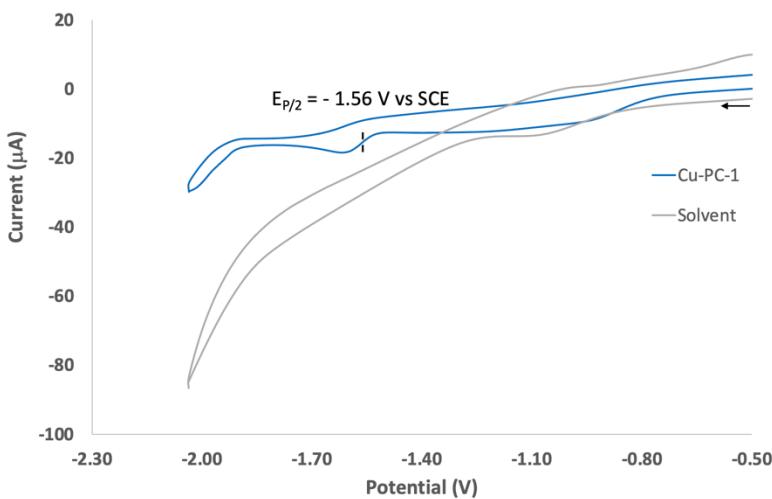
### Cyclic voltammetry, absorption and emission spectra of Cu-PC-1

A solution of  $(Et)_4N^+ BF_4^-$  as supporting electrolyte (488 mg, 0.09 M) was prepared in HPLC-grade acetonitrile (25 mL) and degassed with  $N_2$ . A cyclic voltammogram of this solution was measured, then the  $[Cu(XantphosTEPD)(phen)]PF_6$  (23.7 mg, 1 mM) powder was added and the solution was degassed again with  $N_2$  for over 10 minutes. The cyclic voltammograms were measured using a silver wire reference electrode, a platinum working electrode and a platinum counter electrode using a scanning rate of 100 mV/s. Extra degassing under  $N_2$  was necessary to see the reduction peaks that formed Cu(0). Water was avoided in these experiments to prevent its redox chemistry within the voltage limits needed to see both Cu(0) and Cu(II) formation.

To adjust the redox potentials from Ag/AgCl to SCE, the potentials were reduced by 47 mV.



**Figure S1.** Cyclic voltammetry of Cu-PC-1 (1 mM) in deoxygenated acetonitrile to observe the redox peaks associated with Cu(II)/Cu(I)(orange) and solvent (grey).



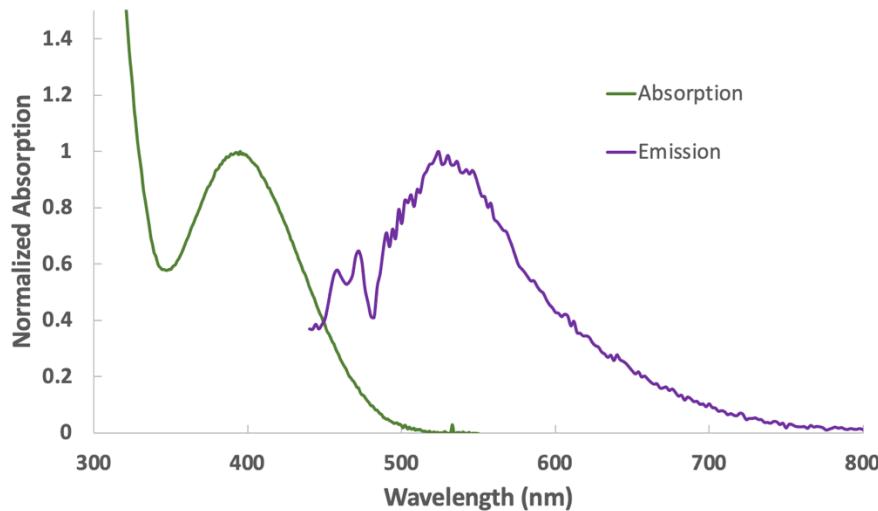
**Figure S2.** Cyclic voltammetry of Cu-PC-1 (1 mM) in deoxygenated acetonitrile to observe the redox peaks associated with Cu(0)/Cu(I) (blue) and solvent (grey).

The excited state redox potentials were calculated using the Rehm and Weller equation [Rehm D, Weller A. Kinetics of fluorescence quenching by electron and H-atom transfer. Israel Journal of Chemistry. 1970;8(2):259-71.]:

$$E^{*}_{1/2} \text{ red} = E_{1/2} \text{ red} + E_{00}$$

$$E^{*}_{1/2} \text{ oxi} = E_{1/2} \text{ oxi} - E_{00}$$

Where  $E^{*}_{1/2}$  is the excited state reduction (red) or oxidation (oxi) potentials.  $E_{1/2}$  is the oxidation or reduction potentials of the ground state, measured with cyclic voltammetry (Figure S1 and S1).  $E_{00}$  is the energy gap between the zeroth vibrational level of the ground and excited state, which can be calculated by finding the overlap in the normalized UV-visible spectrum and the emission spectrum (figure S3), then converting that value into eV.



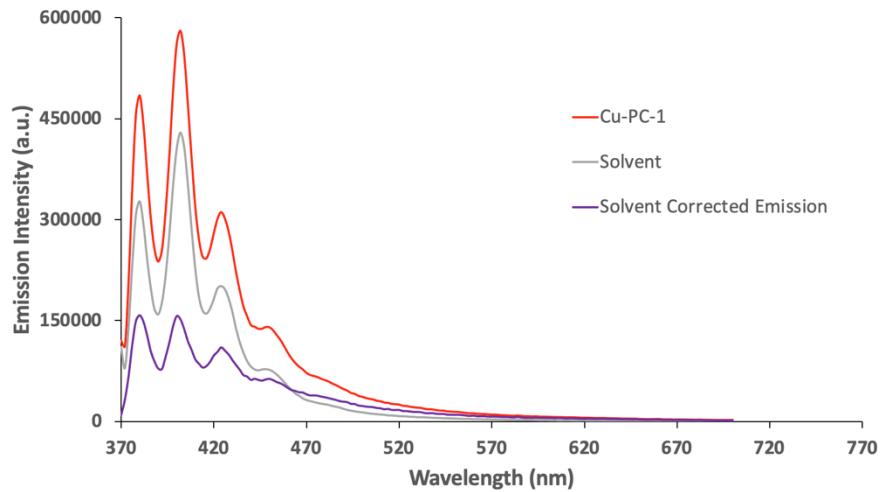
**Figure S3.** Normalized UV-Visible spectrum (green) and emission spectrum (solvent corrected  $\lambda_{ex} = 420$  nm, purple) of Cu-PC-1.

**Table S1.** Summary of redox potentials and excited state redox potentials for Cu-PC-1

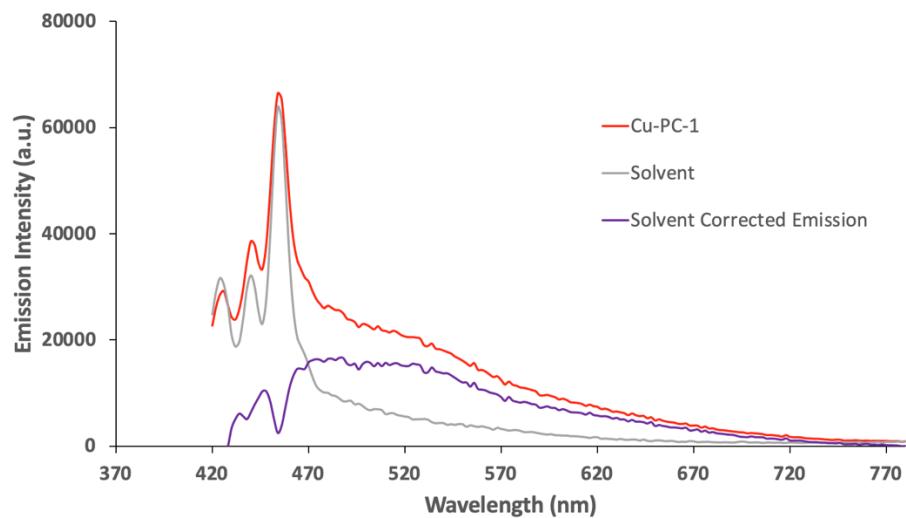
$E_{1/2}^{\text{oxi}}(\text{Cu}^{\text{II}}/\text{Cu}^{\text{I}})$ Vs SCE	$E_{1/2}^{\text{red}}(\text{Cu}^{\text{I}}/\text{Cu}^{\text{0}})$ Vs SCE	$E_{00}$ eV	$E_{1/2}^{\text{oxi}}(\text{Cu}^{\text{II}}/\text{Cu}^{\text{I}*})$ Vs SCE	$E_{1/2}^{\text{red}}(\text{Cu}^{\text{I}*}/\text{Cu}^{\text{0}})$ Vs SCE
+1.02	-1.56	2.77 (448 nm)	-1.75	+1.21

Cu-PC-1 is very weakly emissive and its measured emission spectra were found to contain Raman scattering in addition to Cu-PC-1 emission. To try and reduce the Raman scattering contribution, which increases proportional to  $\frac{1}{\lambda^4}$ , the excitation wavelength was tested at 360, 400 and 420 nm. When an excitation wavelength of 360 nm was used, the Raman peaks are much more intense than at 400 or 420 nm, such that the peak associated to Cu-PC-1 emission at 530 nm was no longer visible (Figure S4 to S6). An excitation wavelength of 420 nm was chosen due to the weaker Raman signal and the relatively stronger peak at 530 nm.

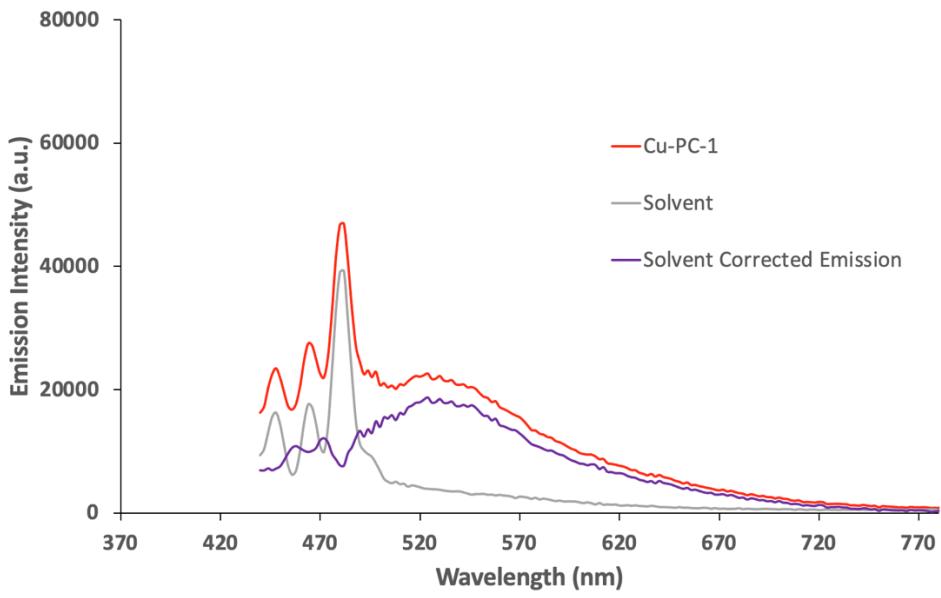
All spectra were collected using a slit width of 1.5 mm (6 nm resolution) with an absorption below 0.14 at 400 nm.



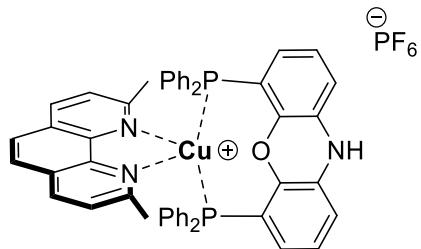
**Figure 4.** Solvent corrected emission spectra of Cu-PC-1 (purple) using an excitation wavelength of 360 nm.



**Figure 5.** Solvent corrected emission spectra of Cu-PC-1 (purple) using an excitation wavelength of 400 nm.



**Figure 6.** Solvent corrected emission spectra of Cu-PC-1 (purple) using an excitation wavelength of 420 nm.



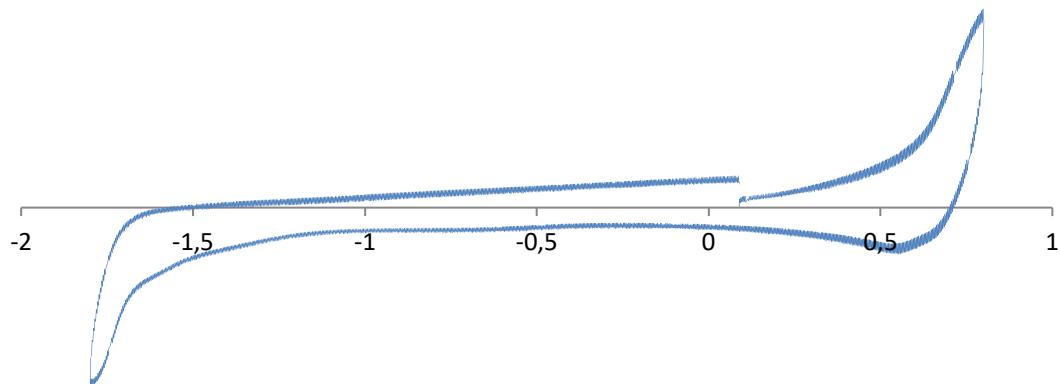
**Cu-PC-2:  $[\text{Cu}(\text{N-xantphos})(\text{dmp})]\text{PF}_6$**

**$[\text{Cu}(\text{N-xantphos})(\text{dmp})]\text{PF}_6$ .** To a solution of tetrakisacetonitrile copper(I) hexafluorophosphate (74.5 mg, 0.2 mmol) in dry dichloromethane (16 mL) was added 4,6-Bis(diphenylphosphino)-10H-phenoxazine (N-xantphos, 115 mg, 0.2 mmol). The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for two hours under argon atmosphere. A solution of 2,9-Dimethyl-1,10-phenanthroline (dmp, 45 mg, 0.2 mmol) in dry dichloromethane (4 mL) was then added dropwise and the resulting reaction mixture was stirred for another one hour. The reaction mixture was then concentrated under reduced pressure to one tenth of the original volume and the resulting solution was added dropwise with a syringe pump (1 drop/sec) to 100 mL of diethylether under stirring. The yellow precipitate was collected by filtration and dried under vacuum to give the desired copper complex  $[\text{Cu}(\text{N-xantphos})(\text{dmp})]\text{PF}_6$  (178.17 mg, 0.184 mmol, 92%) as a yellow solid, mp: 238-240 °C;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{CO}$ ):  $\delta$  8.75 (d,  $J = 9$  Hz, 1H), 8.53 (d,  $J = 9$  Hz, 2H), 8.27-8.18 (m, 2H), 8.01-7.94 (m, 3H), 7.75 (d,  $J = 9$  Hz, 2H), 7.41-7.27 (m, 5H), 7.23-7.01 (m, 15H), 6.61-6.52 (m, 2H), 2.62 (s, 3H), 2.52 (s, 3H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $d_6\text{-DMSO}$ ): 158.3, 157.7, 145.7, 145.6, 145.5, 142.3, 142.1, 138.0, 137.5, 135.3, 135.2, 135.1, 132.6, 132.5, 132.4, 131.0, 130.8, 130.5, 130.0, 128.7, 128.6, 128.5, 127.3, 127.2, 126.0, 125.8, 125.4, 122.8, 121.3, 121.1, 121.0, 116.2, 26.8, 25.2; IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  3081, 1556, 1481, 1461, 1390, 1300, 1247, 1215, 1100, 1026, 962, 835, 744, 694, 556  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for  $\text{C}_{50}\text{H}_{39}\text{N}_3\text{OP}_2\text{Cu}^+ [\text{M}-\text{PF}_6]^+$ : 822.1859, found: 822.1843.

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### Cyclic voltammetry, absorption and emission spectra of Cu-PC-2

A solution of  $(Et)_4N^+ BF_4^-$  as supporting electrolyte (488 mg, 0.09 M) was prepared in HPLC-grade acetonitrile (25 mL) and degassed with  $N_2$ . A cyclic voltammogram of this solution was measured, then the  $[[Cu(N\text{-}xantphos)(dmp)]PF_6]$  (1 mM) powder was added and the solution was degassed again with  $N_2$  for over 10 minutes. The cyclic voltammograms were measured using an Ag/AgCl wire reference electrode, a platinum working electrode and a platinum counter electrode using a scanning rate of 200 mV/s.

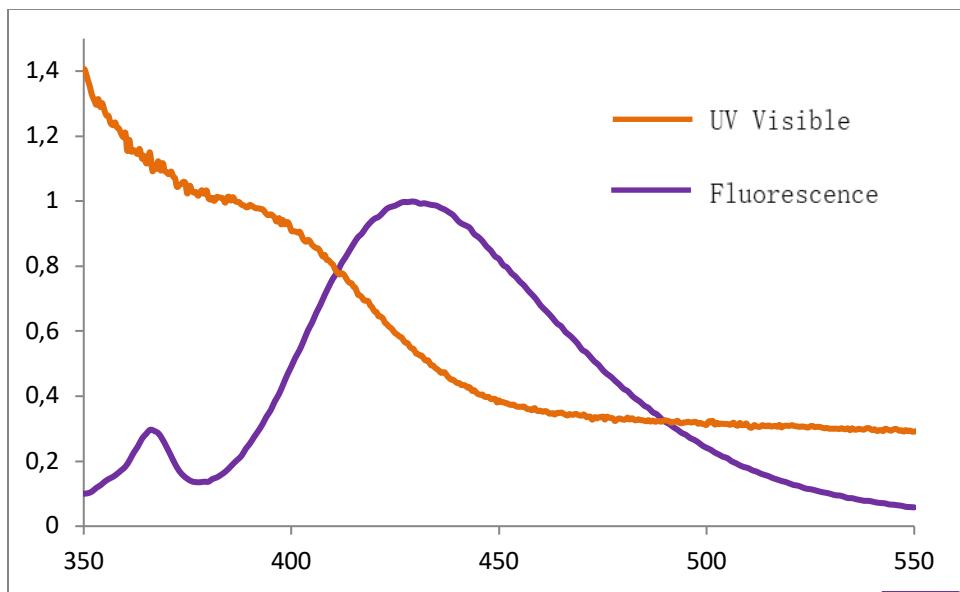


**Figure S7.** Cyclic voltammogram of Cu-PC-2 (1 mM) in deoxygenated acetonitrile.

The excited state redox potentials were calculated using the Rehm and Weller equation [Rehm D, Weller A. Kinetics of fluorescence quenching by electron and H-atom transfer. Israel Journal of Chemistry. 1970;8(2):259-71.]:

$$E^{*1/2 \text{ red}} = E_{1/2 \text{ red}} + E_{00}$$
$$E^{*1/2 \text{ oxi}} = E_{1/2 \text{ oxi}} - E_{00}$$

Where  $E^{*1/2}$  is the excited state reduction (red) or oxidation (oxi) potentials.  $E_{1/2}$  is the oxidation or reduction potentials of the ground state, measured with cyclic voltammetry (figure S7).  $E_{00}$  is the energy gap between the zeroth vibrational level of the ground and excited state, which can be calculated by finding the overlap in the normalized UV-visible spectrum and the emission spectrum (figure S8), then converting that value into eV. The very weak emission spectrum was obtained by subtracting the signal due to the solvent as Raman scattering contributed significantly to the overall emission signal.



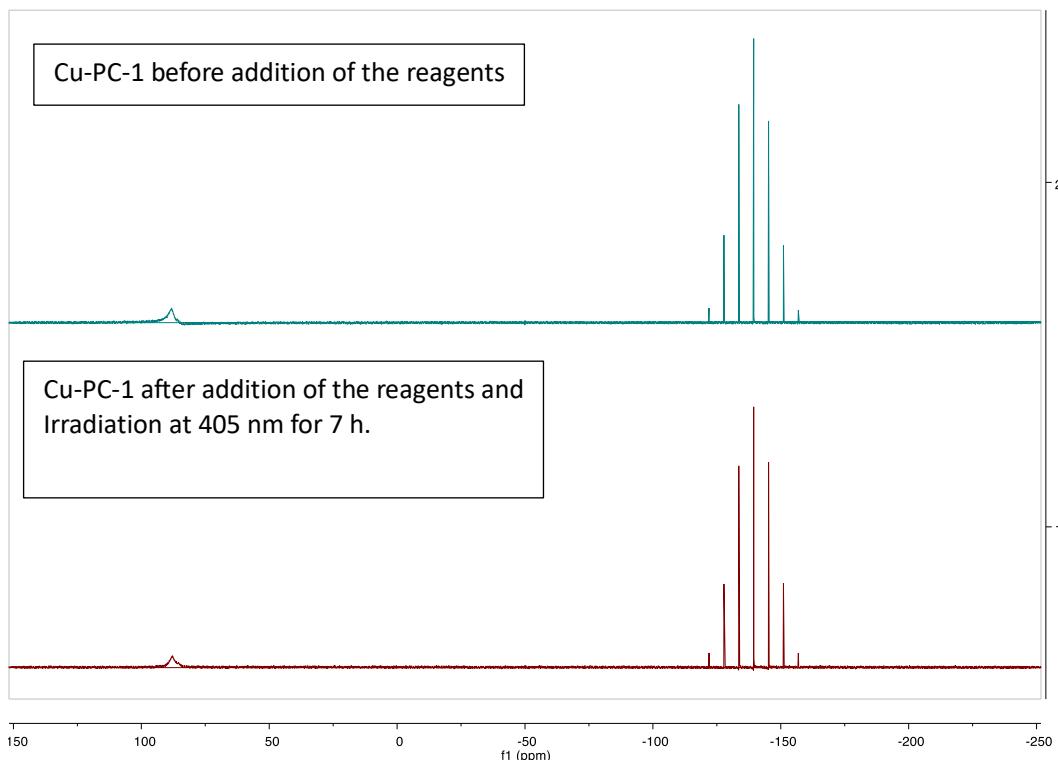
**Figure S8.** Normalized UV-Visible spectrum (orange) and emission spectrum ( $\lambda_{\text{ex}} = 365 \text{ nm}$ , purple).

**Table S2.** Summary of redox potentials and excited state redox potentials for Cu-PC-2

$E_{1/2}^{\text{oxi}}(\text{Cu}^{\text{II}}/\text{Cu}^{\text{I}})$ Vs SCE	$E_{1/2}^{\text{red}}(\text{Cu}^{\text{I}}/\text{Cu}^{\text{0}})$ Vs SCE	$E_{00}$ eV	$E_{1/2}^{\text{oxi}}(\text{Cu}^{\text{II}}/\text{Cu}^{\text{I}*})$ Vs SCE	$E_{1/2}^{\text{red}}(\text{Cu}^{\text{I}*}/\text{Cu}^{\text{0}})$ Vs SCE
+0.83	-1.81	3.15 (414 nm)	-2.37	+1.34

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**Stability of the catalyst within the reaction conditions:**



Here are the  $^{31}\text{P}$  NMR of the catalyst (green) and the  $^{31}\text{P}$  NMR measurement after irradiation of the reaction mixture (red). No decomposition of the catalyst structure has been witnessed by  $^{31}\text{P}$  NMR. Hence, the catalyst **Cu-PC-1** is stable within the reaction conditions. Note, that the catalyst structure cannot be witnessed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR due to its low concentration in the reaction mixture.

## General procedures for copper-photocatalyzed hydroboration of alkynes and alkenes

General procedure 1: copper photocatalyzed hydroboration of terminal alkynes under batch conditions.



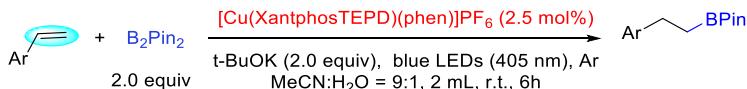
To a 10 mL vial equipped with a stir bar the alkyne (0.2 mmol), and  $\text{B}_2\text{Pin}_2$  (120 mg, 0.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv) was added followed by  $[\text{Cu}(\text{XantphosTEPD})(\text{phen})]\text{PF}_6$  (5 mg, 0.005 mmol, 2.5 mol%) and  $\text{K}_2\text{CO}_3$  (65 mg, 0.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv). The vial was sealed with a rubber septum, then evacuated under vacuum and back filled with argon three times. A degassed solution of acetonitrile/ $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (9:1, 2 mL) was added to the 10 mL vial and the reaction mixture was irradiated with 405 nm LEDs for 7 hours at room temperature. Additional water was added into the reaction mixture. The water was then extracted with EtOAc 3 times, the organic layer was dried with  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , and the solvents were removed under vacuum. The crude residue was purified via flash chromatography (pentane/EtOAc) over silica gel to produce the hydroborated product.

General procedure 2: copper photocatalyzed hydroboration of internal alkynes under batch conditions.



To a 10 mL vial equipped with a stir bar the alkyne (0.2 mmol), and  $\text{B}_2\text{Pin}_2$  (120 mg, 0.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv) was added followed by  $[\text{Cu}(\text{N-Xantphos})(\text{dmp})]\text{PF}_6$  (5 mg, 0.005 mmol, 2.5 mol%) and t-BuOK (45 mg, 0.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv). The vial was sealed with a rubber septum, then evacuated under vacuum and back filled with argon three times. A degassed solution of acetonitrile/ $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (9:1, 2 mL) was added to the 10 mL vial and the reaction mixture was irradiated with 405 nm LEDs for 7 hours at room temperature. Additional water was then added into the reaction mixture. The water was then extracted with EtOAc 3 times, the organic layer was dried with  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , and the solvents were removed under vacuum. The crude residue was purified via flash chromatography (pentane/EtOAc) over silica gel to produce the hydroborated product.

General procedure 3: copper photocatalyzed hydroboration of alkenes under batch conditions:

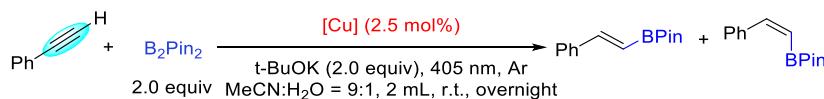


To a 10 mL vial equipped with a stir bar the alkyne (0.2 mmol), and  $\text{B}_2\text{Pin}_2$  (120 mg, 0.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv) was added followed by  $[\text{Cu}(\text{XantphosTEPD})(\text{phen})]\text{PF}_6$  (5 mg, 0.005 mmol, 2.5 mol%) and t-BuOK (20 mg, 0.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv). The vial was sealed with a rubber septum, then evacuated under vacuum and back filled with argon three times. A degassed solution of acetonitrile/ $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (9:1, 2 mL) was added to the 10 mL vial and the reaction mixture was irradiated with 405 nm LEDs for 6 hours at room temperature. Additional water was then added into the reaction mixture. The water was then extracted with EtOAc 3 times, the organic layer was dried with  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , and the solvents were removed under vacuum. The crude residue was purified via flash chromatography (pentane/EtOAc) over silica gel to produce the hydroborated product.

### 3. Condition Optimization of copper-photocatalyzed hydroboration of terminal alkynes, non-terminal alkynes and terminal alkenes

#### a) Screening of the copper-photocatalyzed hydroboration with phenylacetylene

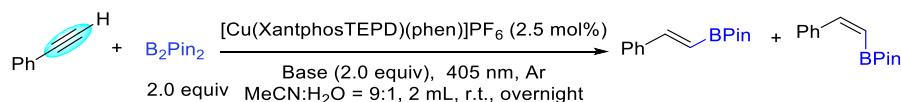
Catalyst screening



**Table S3.** Photocatalyst screening for copper-photocatalyzed hydroboration. Standard conditions: phenylacetylene (0.2 mmol), [Cu] (2.5 mol%), t-BuOK (2.0 equiv), B<sub>2</sub>Pin<sub>2</sub> (2.0 equiv), acetonitrile/H<sub>2</sub>O (9:1, 2.0 mL), 405 nm LEDs, overnight, room temperature. <sup>a</sup> NMR yield. <sup>b</sup> E/Z ratio determined by <sup>1</sup>H NMR.

Entry	[Cu]	Yield (%) <sup>a</sup>	E/Z <sup>b</sup>
1	[Cu(XantphosTEPD)(phen)]PF <sub>6</sub>	70	99:1
2	[Cu(N-Xantphos)(dmp)]PF <sub>6</sub>	91	1:1

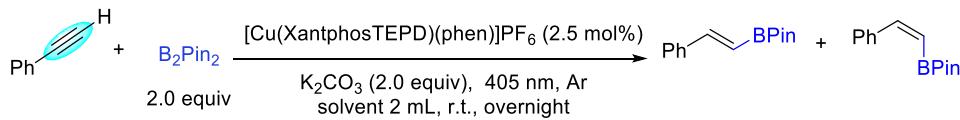
Base screening



**Table S4.** Base screening for copper-photocatalyzed hydroboration. Standard conditions: phenylacetylene (0.2 mmol), [Cu(XantphosTEPD)(phen)]PF<sub>6</sub> (2.5 mol%), base (2.0 equiv), B<sub>2</sub>Pin<sub>2</sub> (2.0 equiv), acetonitrile/H<sub>2</sub>O (9:1, 2.0 mL), 405 nm LEDs, overnight, room temperature. <sup>a</sup> isolated yield. <sup>b</sup> E/Z ratio determined by <sup>1</sup>H NMR.

Entry	Base	Yield (%) <sup>a</sup>	E/Z <sup>b</sup>
1	t-BuOK	70	99:1
2	Li <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub>	62	99:1
3	Na <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub>	82	99:1
4	K <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub>	90	99:1
5	Cs <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub>	79	39:1
6	NaOH	40	39:1
7	KOH	61	7:1
8	KF	75	24:1
9	NaOMe	38	99:1
10	NaPF <sub>6</sub>	n.r.	--

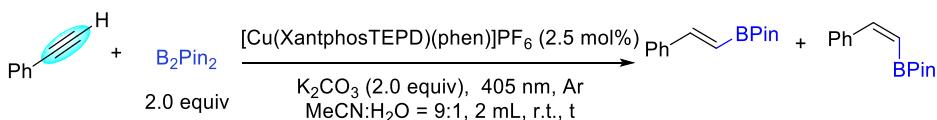
Solvent screening



**Table S5.** Solvent screening for copper-photocatalyzed hydroboration of phenylacetylene. Standard conditions: phenylacetylene (0.2 mmol), [Cu(XantphosTEPD)(phen)]PF<sub>6</sub> (2.5 mol%), K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> (2.0 equiv), B<sub>2</sub>Pin<sub>2</sub> (2.0 equiv), solvent (2.0 mL), 405 nm blue LEDs, overnight, room temperature. <sup>a</sup> NMR yield. <sup>b</sup> E/Z ratio determined by <sup>1</sup>H NMR.

Entry	Solvent	Yield (%) <sup>a</sup>	<i>E/Z</i> <sup>b</sup>
1	MeOH	trace	99:1
2	MeOH+H <sub>2</sub> O	12	99:1
3	DMSO	16	17:1
4	DMSO+H <sub>2</sub> O	37	20:1
5	MeCN	70	22:1
6	MeCN+H <sub>2</sub> O	90	99:1
7	THF	56	2:1
8	THF+H <sub>2</sub> O	45	2:1
9	DMF	30	10:1
10	DMF+H <sub>2</sub> O	39	5:1
11	H <sub>2</sub> O	53	4:1

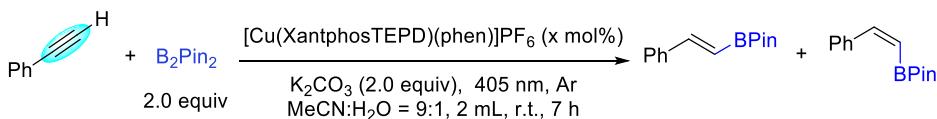
Reaction time screening



**Table S6.** Reaction time screening for copper-photocatalyzed hydroboration of phenylacetylene. Standard conditions: phenylacetylene (0.2 mmol), [Cu(XantphosTEPD)(phen)]PF<sub>6</sub> (2.5 mol%), K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> (2.0 equiv), B<sub>2</sub>Pin<sub>2</sub> (2.0 equiv), acetonitrile/H<sub>2</sub>O (9:1, 2.0 mL), 405 nm LEDs, t, room temperature. <sup>a</sup> NMR yield. <sup>b</sup> *E/Z* ratio determined by <sup>1</sup>H NMR.

Entry	Time (h)	Yield (%) <sup>a</sup>	<i>E/Z</i> <sup>b</sup>
1	2	18	99:1
2	4	54	99:1
3	7	87	99:1
4	overnight	90	99:1

Catalyst loading screening

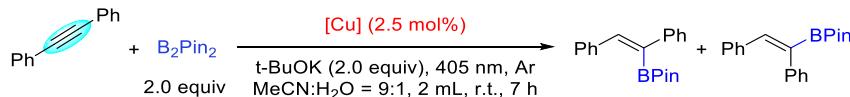


**Table S7.** Catalyst loading screening for copper-photocatalyzed hydroboration of phenylacetylene. Standard conditions: phenylacetylene (0.2 mmol), [Cu(XantphosTEPD)(phen)]PF<sub>6</sub> (x mol%), K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> (2.0 equiv), B<sub>2</sub>Pin<sub>2</sub> (2.0 equiv), acetonitrile/H<sub>2</sub>O (9:1, 2.0 mL), 405 nm LEDs, 7 h, room temperature. <sup>a</sup> NMR yield. <sup>b</sup> *E/Z* ratio determined by <sup>1</sup>H NMR.

Entry	x	Yield (%) <sup>a</sup>	<i>E/Z</i> <sup>b</sup>
1	1 mol%	66	99:1
2	2 mol%	72	99:1
3	2.5 mol%	90	99:1

b) Optimization of the copper-photocatalyzed hydroboration of diphenylacetylene

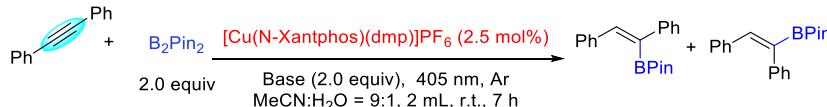
Catalyst screening



**Table S8.** Catalyst screening for copper-photocatalyzed hydroboration of diphenylacetylene. Standard conditions: diphenylacetylene (0.2 mmol), [Cu] (2.5 mol%), t-BuOK (2.0 equiv), B<sub>2</sub>Pin<sub>2</sub> (2.0 equiv), acetonitrile/H<sub>2</sub>O (9:1, 2.0 mL), 405 nm LEDs, 7 h, room temperature. <sup>a</sup> Isolated yield. <sup>b</sup> E/Z ratio determined by <sup>1</sup>H NMR.

Entry	[Cu]	Yield (%) <sup>a</sup>	E/Z <sup>b</sup>
1	[Cu(XantphosTEPD)(phen)]PF <sub>6</sub>	41	1:4
2	[Cu(N-Xantphos)(dmp)]PF <sub>6</sub>	85	1:14

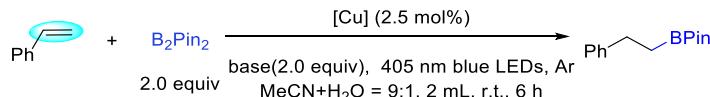
Base screening



**Table S9.** Base screening for copper-photocatalyzed hydroboration of diphenylacetylene. Standard conditions: diphenylacetylene (0.2 mmol), [Cu(N-Xantphos)(dmp)]PF<sub>6</sub> (2.5 mol%), base (2.0 equiv), B<sub>2</sub>Pin<sub>2</sub> (2.0 equiv), acetonitrile/H<sub>2</sub>O (9:1, 2.0 mL), 405 nm LEDs, 7 h, room temperature. <sup>a</sup> Isolated yield. <sup>b</sup> E/Z ratio determined by <sup>1</sup>H NMR.

Entry	Base	Yield (%) <sup>a</sup>	E/Z <sup>b</sup>
1	t-BuOK	85(E/Z=1:14)	1:14
2	Cs <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub>	83(E/Z=1:3)	1:3
3	Li <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub>	21(E/Z=1:2)	1:2
4	Na <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub>	97(E/Z=1:3)	1:3
5	K <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub>	85(E/Z=1:1)	1:1
6	Ag <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub>	n.r.	--
7	NaOAc	trace	--
8	KOAc	trace	--

c) Screening of the copper-photocatalyzed hydroboration of styrene

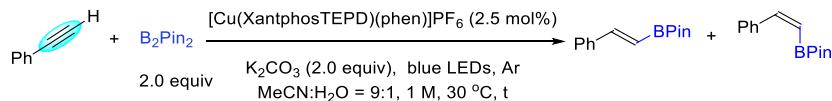


**Table S10.** Screening of the copper-photocatalyzed hydroboration of styrene. Standard conditions: styrene (0.2 mmol), [Cu] (2.5 mol%), base (2.0 equiv), B<sub>2</sub>Pin<sub>2</sub> (2.0 equiv), acetonitrile/H<sub>2</sub>O (9:1, 2.0 mL), 405 nm LEDs, 6 h, room temperature. <sup>a</sup> Isolated yield.

Entry	[Cu]	Base	Yield (%) <sup>a</sup>
1	[Cu(XantphosTEPD)(phen)]PF <sub>6</sub>	K <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub>	25
2	[Cu(N-Xantphos)(dmp)]PF <sub>6</sub>	t-BuOK	50
3	[Cu(XantphosTEPD)(phen)]PF <sub>6</sub>	t-BuOK	97
4	[Cu(XantphosTEPD)(phen)]PF <sub>6</sub>	KOH	42

#### 4. Development of the reactions under continuous flow conditions

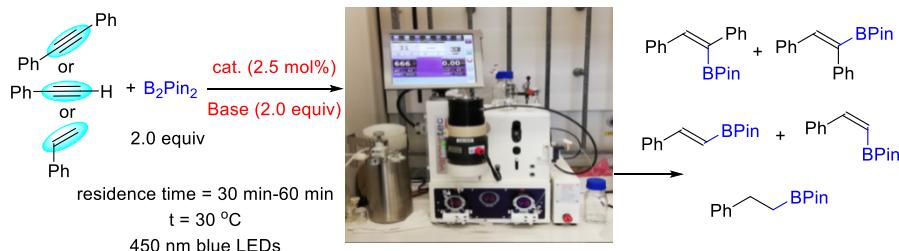
Screening of the copper-photocatalyzed hydroboration of phenylacetylene under continuous flow:



**Table S11.** Screening of the copper-photocatalyzed hydroboration of phenylacetylene. Standard conditions: phenylacetylene (1.0 equiv),  $\text{B}_2\text{Pin}_2$  (2.0 equiv),  $[\text{Cu}(\text{XantphosTEPD})(\text{phen})]\text{PF}_6$  (2.5 mol%),  $\text{K}_2\text{CO}_3$  (2.0 equiv), acetonitrile/ $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (9:1, 0.1M), blue LEDs (405 nm for batch, 450 nm for flow), 0.333 mL/min, reactor size (10 mL), room temperature. <sup>a</sup> NMR yield. <sup>b</sup> Z/E ratio determined by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR.

Entry	Variation of standard conditions	Yield (%) <sup>a</sup>	$E/Z^b$
1	In batch for 7 h	87	99:1
2	In flow for 30 min	91	99:1
3	In flow and 20 mmol, 0.333 mL/ min	78 (1.6 g)	99:1

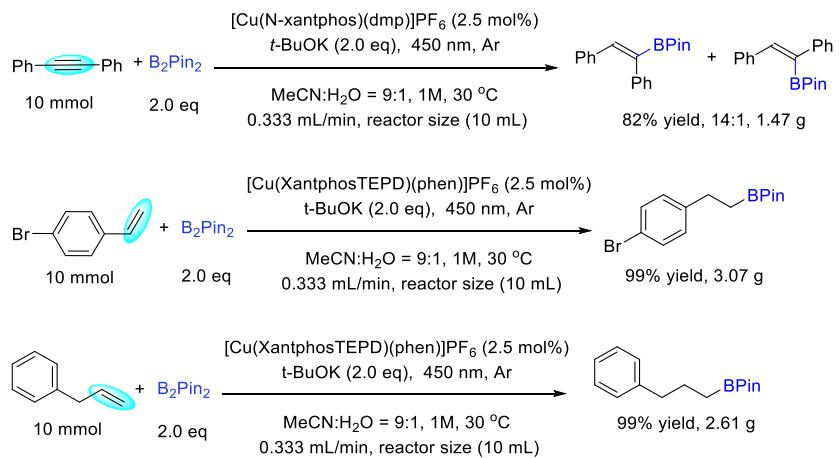
General Procedure for the copper photocatalyzed hydroboration of alkenes and alkynes under flow conditions:



**Scheme S4.** Copper photocatalyzed hydroboration of alkenes and alkynes under flow conditions

To a 10 mL vial equipped with a stir bar the alkene or alkyne (0.2 mmol), and  $\text{B}_2\text{Pin}_2$  (120 mg, 0.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv) was added followed by the Cu(I) photocatalyst (5 mg, 0.005 mmol, 2.5 mol%) and base (0.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv). The vial was sealed with a rubber septum, then evacuated under vacuum and back filled with argon three times. A degassed solution of acetonitrile/ $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (9:1, 0.1 M) was then added to the 10 mL vial and the reaction mixture was pumped into the UV-150 photochemical flow reactor (10 mL) irradiated at 450 nm for 30 minutes (flow rate of 0.333 mL/min). Additional water was then added into the reaction mixture. The water was then extracted with EtOAc 3 times, the organic layer was dried with  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , and the solvents were removed under vacuum. The crude residue was purified via flash chromatography (pentane/EtOAc) over silica gel to produce the hydroborated product. This procedure could be scaled up to 20 mmol.

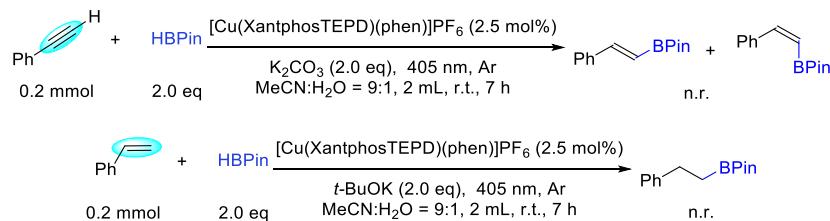
Using these optimized conditions in the flow reactor, alkenes and alkynes were tested as follows (Scheme S1):



**Scheme S1.** Gram-scale scope under continuous flow

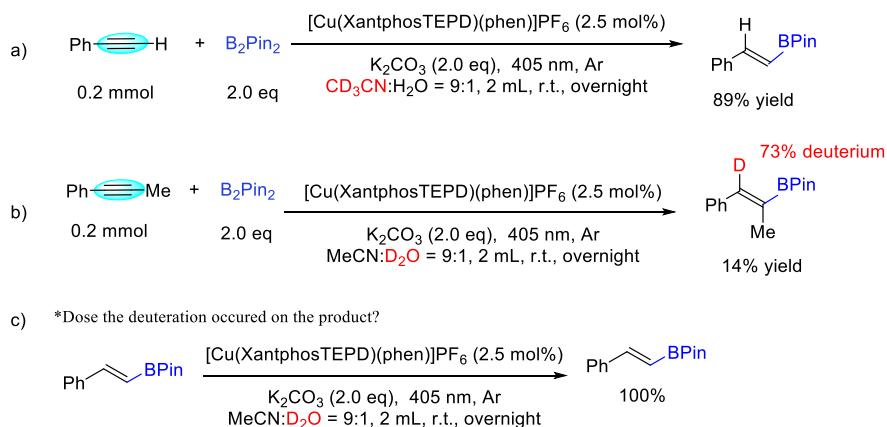
## 5. Mechanistic studies

### 6.1 HBPin vs B<sub>2</sub>Pin<sub>2</sub>



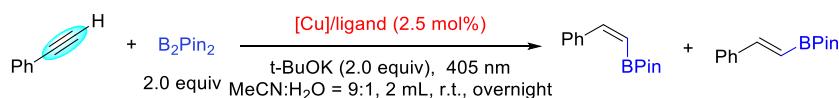
**Scheme S2.** HBPin replace B<sub>2</sub>Pin<sub>2</sub> in the reaction

### 6.2 Deuterium labelling



**Scheme S3.** Deuterium experiments

### 6.3 Control experiments

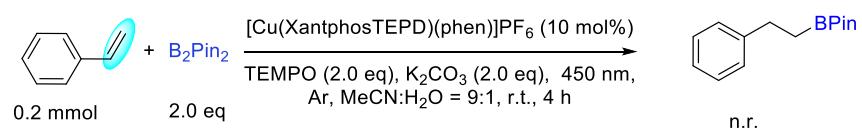


**Table S12.** Control experiments. Standard conditions: phenylacetylene (1.0 eq), B<sub>2</sub>Pin<sub>2</sub> (2.0 eq.), [Cu]/ligand (2.5 mol%), K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> (2.0 equiv), acetonitrile/H<sub>2</sub>O (9:1, 2 mL), blue LEDs 405 nm, 7 h, room temperature.

<sup>a</sup> NMR yield. <sup>b</sup> E/Z ratio determined by <sup>1</sup>H NMR; <sup>c</sup> the reaction performed in the dark.

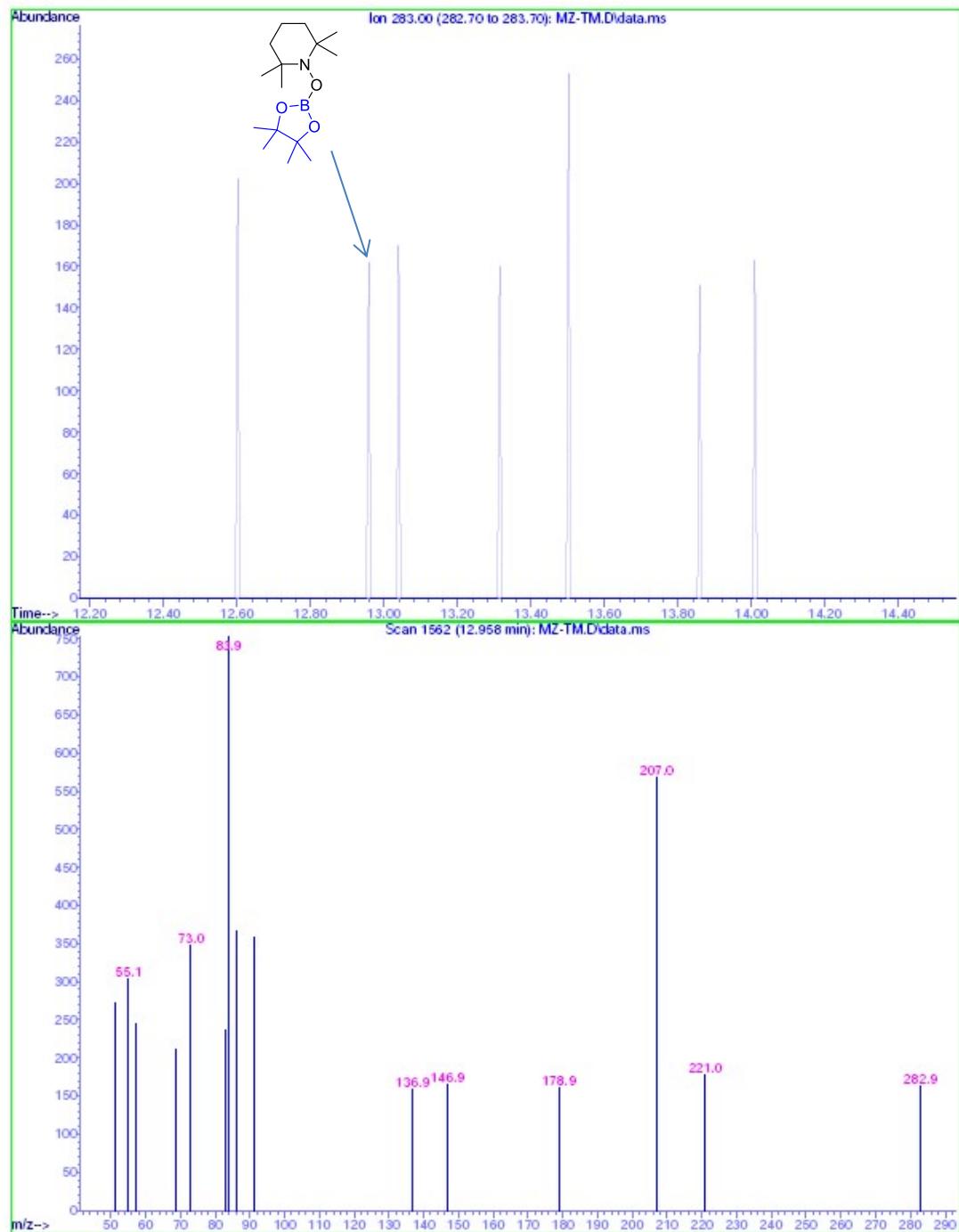
Entry	[Cu]	Ligand	Yield (%) <sup>a</sup>	E/Z <sup>b</sup>
1	[Cu(XantphosTEPD)(phen)]PF <sub>6</sub>	--	89(E/Z=99:1)	99:1
2	Cu(MeCN) <sub>4</sub> PF <sub>6</sub>	--	trace	--
3	Cu(MeCN) <sub>4</sub> PF <sub>6</sub>	dmp	7	--
4	Cu(MeCN) <sub>4</sub> PF <sub>6</sub>	XantphosTEPD	9	--
5 <sup>c</sup>	[Cu(XantphosTEPD)(phen)]PF <sub>6</sub>	--	trace	--
6 <sup>c</sup>	Cu(MeCN) <sub>4</sub> PF <sub>6</sub>	--	trace	--
7 <sup>c</sup>	Cu(MeCN) <sub>4</sub> PF <sub>6</sub>	dmp	trace	--
8 <sup>c</sup>	Cu(MeCN) <sub>4</sub> PF <sub>6</sub>	XantphosTEPD	trace	--

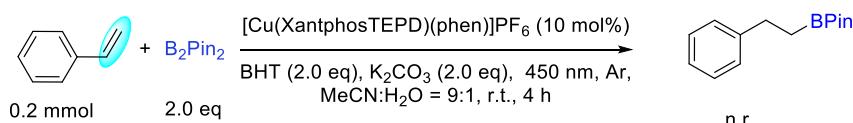
### 6.4 Effect of the radical scavengers



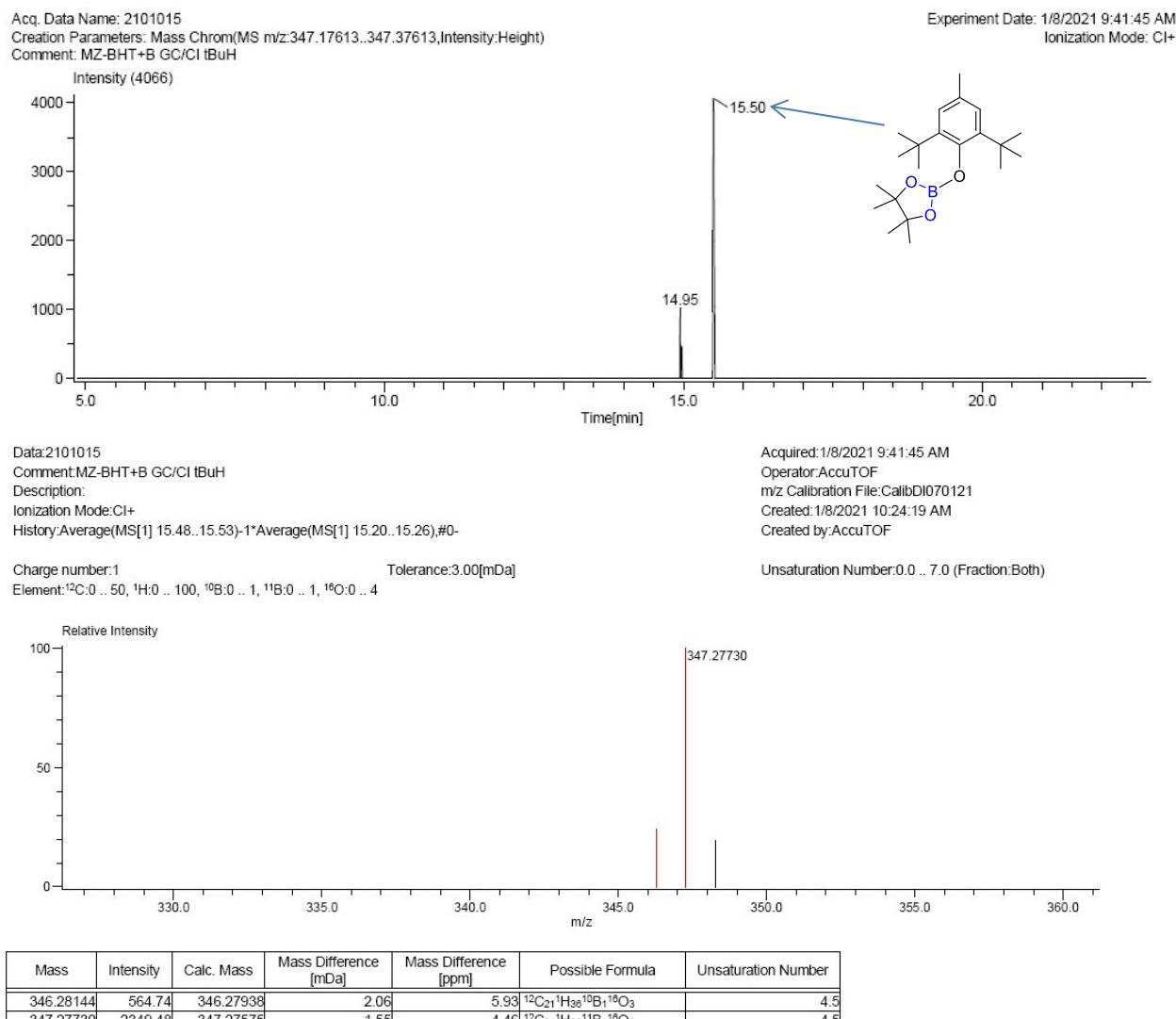
**Scheme S4.** Effect of the TEMPO (Found TEMPO-BPin, MW: 283)

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**Scheme S5.** Effect of the BHT (Found [BHT-BPin+H], MW: 347.2773)



## 6.5 Quantum yield measurements

### a) Determination of the light intensity of a single blue LED at 405 nm:

Following the literature procedures from Yoon<sup>1</sup> and Glorius,<sup>2</sup> the photon flux of the LED ( $\lambda_{\text{max}} = 405 \text{ nm}$ ) was determined by standard ferrioxalate actinometry. A solution of ferrioxalate (0.006 M) was prepared by dissolving potassium ferrioxalate hydrate (29.5 mg) in aq. H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> (0.05 M, 10 mL). A buffered solution of 1,10-phenanthroline was prepared by dissolving 1,10-phenanthroline (20.0 mg) and sodium acetate (4.50 g) in aq. H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> (0.5 M, 20 mL). Both solutions were stored in the dark. To determine the photon flux of the LED, 1 mL of the ferrioxalate solution was placed in a 10 mL Schlenk tube and irradiated for 90 s at  $\lambda_{\text{max}} = 405 \text{ nm}$ . After irradiation, 175  $\mu\text{L}$  of the phenanthroline solution was added and the mixture stirred in the dark for 1 h to allow

the ferrous ions to completely coordinate to the phenanthroline. The solution was transferred to a quartz cuvette and the absorption was measured at 510 nm. A non-irradiated sample was prepared as a control and the absorption at 510 nm was measured. The actinometry experiment was done 3 times for each sample to ensure accuracy. The average of the absorption of the irradiated and non-irradiated samples was determined and used to calculate the conversion of  $\text{Fe}^{2+}$  from eq. 1.

$$(\text{Fe}^{2+}) = \frac{V \cdot \Delta A(510 \text{ nm})}{1 \cdot \epsilon} \quad (1)$$

Where V is the total volume (0.001175 L) of the solution,  $\Delta A$  is the difference in absorption at 510 nm between the irradiated and non-irradiated solutions ( $\Delta A = 1.214$ ), 1 is the path length (1.0 cm), and  $\epsilon$  is the molar absorption coefficient of the ferrioxalate actinometer at 510 nm ( $11\ 100 \text{ L mol}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}$ ). The photon flux ( $\Phi q$ ) was calculated using eq. 2,

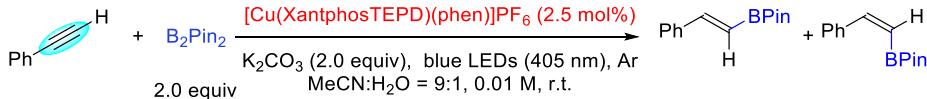
$$\Phi q = \frac{n(\text{Fe}^{2+})}{\Phi F \cdot t \cdot f} \quad (2)$$

Where  $\Phi_F$  is the photoreaction quantum yield for the ferrioxalate actinometer (1.13 at  $\lambda_{\text{ex}} = 405 \text{ nm}$ ), t is the irradiation time (90 s), and f is the fraction of light absorbed at  $\lambda_{\text{ex}} = 405 \text{ nm}$  by the ferrioxalate actinometer. This value is calculated using eq. 3. Where A is the absorption of the ferrioxalate solution at 405 nm. An absorption spectrum gave an A (405 nm) value of 1.2065, indicating that the fraction of absorbed light (f) is  $> 0.938$ .

$$f = 1 - 10^{-A} \quad (3)$$

The photon flux was thus calculated from an average of three experiments to be  $1.37 \times 10^{-9}$  Einstein's \*  $\text{s}^{-1}$ .

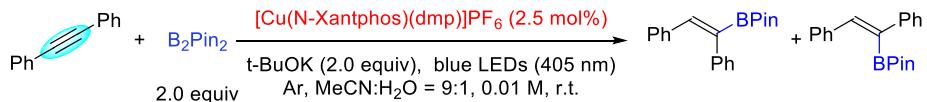
### b) Determination of the reaction quantum yield:



To a dried 10 mL Schlenk tube a stir bar, phenylacetylene (0.02 mmol),  $[\text{Cu}(\text{XantphosTEPD})(\text{phen})]\text{PF}_6$  (2.5 mol%),  $\text{B}_2\text{Pin}_2$  (2 equiv), and  $\text{K}_2\text{CO}_3$  (2 equiv) in acetonitrile/ $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (9:1, v/v, 0.01 M) was mixed together. The reaction mixture was degassed via freeze-pump-thaw 3 times. After the mixture was thoroughly degassed and filled with argon, the Schlenk tube was tightly sealed and stirred under irradiation with a single LED ( $\lambda_{\text{max}} = 405 \text{ nm}$ ) for 30 min. After irradiation, the yield was determined by proton NMR using DMF as an internal standard. The yield was determined to be 3.17% (obtained from three parallel experiments) ( $6.34 \times 10^{-8}$  mol). The quantum yield ( $\Phi$ ) of the reaction was determined using eq. 4 where the photon flux ( $\Phi_q$ ) is  $1.32 \times 10^{-9}$  Einstein's \*  $\text{s}^{-1}$  (determined by actinometry as described above), t is the reaction time (1800 s) and  $f_R$  is the fraction of incident light absorbed by the reaction mixture. An absorption spectrum of the reaction mixture gave a value of  $> 3$  at 405 nm, indicating that essentially all the incident light ( $f_R > 0.999$ ) is absorbed by the photocatalyst.

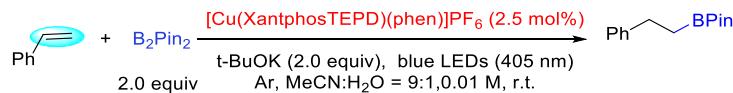
$$\Phi = \frac{n(\text{product})}{\Phi q \cdot t \cdot f_R} \quad (4)$$

The quantum yield of the reaction ( $\Phi_R$ ) was determined to be  $\Phi_R = 0.31$ .



To a dried 10 mL Schlenk tube a stir bar, diphenylacetylene (0.02 mmol),  $[\text{Cu}(\text{N-Xantphos})(\text{dmp})\text{PF}_6]$  (2.5 mol%),  $\text{B}_2\text{Pin}_2$  (2 equiv), and t-BuOK (2 equiv) in acetonitrile/H<sub>2</sub>O (9:1, v/v, 0.01 M) was mixed together. The reaction mixture was degassed via freeze-pump-thaw 3 times. After the mixture was thoroughly degassed and filled with argon, the Schlenk tube was tightly sealed and stirred under irradiation with a single LED ( $\lambda_{\text{max}} = 405 \text{ nm}$ ) for 30 min. After irradiation, the yield was determined by proton NMR using DMF as an internal standard. The yield was determined to be 2.10% (obtained from three parallel experiments) ( $4.22 \times 10^{-8} \text{ mol}$ ). The quantum yield ( $\Phi$ ) of the reaction was determined using eq. 4 where the photon flux ( $\Phi_q$ ) is  $1.32 \times 10^{-9}$  Einstein's \* s<sup>-1</sup> (determined by actinometry as described above), t is the reaction time (1800 s) and  $f_R$  is the fraction of incident light absorbed by the reaction mixture, determined using eq 3. An absorption spectrum of the reaction mixture gave an absorbance value of > 3 at 405 nm, indicating that essentially all the incident light ( $f_R > 0.999$ ) is absorbed by the photocatalyst.

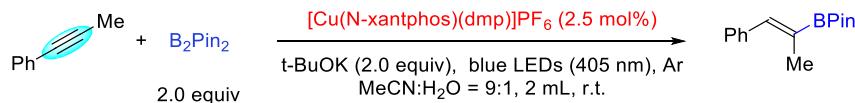
The reaction quantum yield ( $\Phi_R$ ) was thus determined to be  $\Phi_R = 0.18$ .



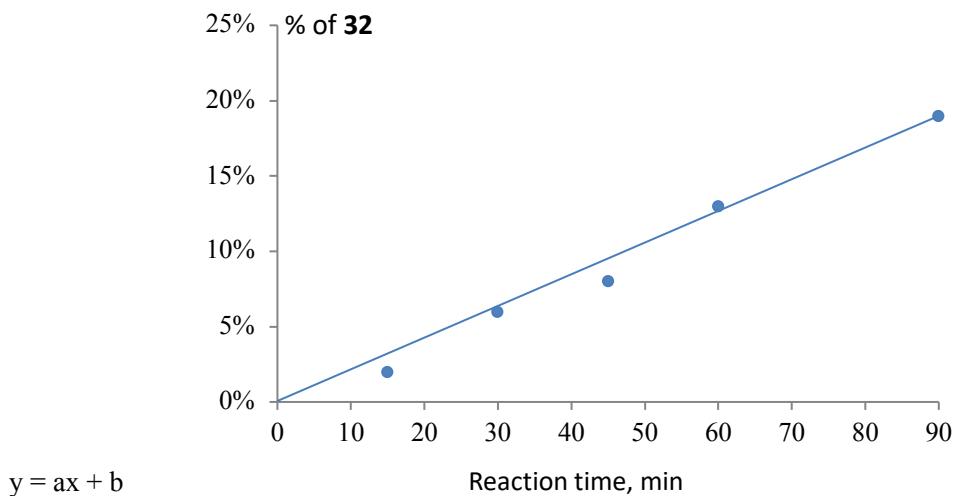
To a dried 10 mL Schlenk tube a stir bar, styrene (0.02 mmol),  $[\text{Cu}(\text{XantphosTEPD})(\text{phen})\text{PF}_6]$  (2.5 mol%),  $\text{B}_2\text{Pin}_2$  (2 equiv), and  $\text{K}_2\text{CO}_3$  (2 equiv) in MeCN:H<sub>2</sub>O (9:1, v/v, 0.01 M) were mixed together. The reaction mixture was degassed via freeze-pump-thaw 3 times. After the mixture was thoroughly degassed and filled with argon, the Schlenk tube was tightly sealed and stirred under irradiation with a single LED ( $\lambda_{\text{max}} = 405 \text{ nm}$ ) for 30 min. After irradiation, the yield was determined by proton NMR using DMF as an internal standard. The yield was determined to be 5.75 % (obtained from three parallel experiments) ( $1.15 \times 10^{-7} \text{ mol}$ ). The quantum yield ( $\Phi$ ) of the reaction was determined using eq. 4 where the photon flux ( $\Phi_q$ ) is  $1.32 \times 10^{-9}$  Einstein's \* s<sup>-1</sup> (determined by actinometry as described above), t is the reaction time (1800 s) and  $f_R$  is the fraction of incident light absorbed by the reaction mixture, determined using eq 3. An absorption spectrum of the reaction mixture gave an absorbance value of > 3 at 405 nm, indicating that essentially all the incident light ( $f_R > 0.999$ ) is absorbed by the photocatalyst.

The reaction quantum yield ( $\Phi_R$ ) was thus determined to be  $\Phi_R = 0.48$ .

## 6.6 KIE determination and effect of HOBPin

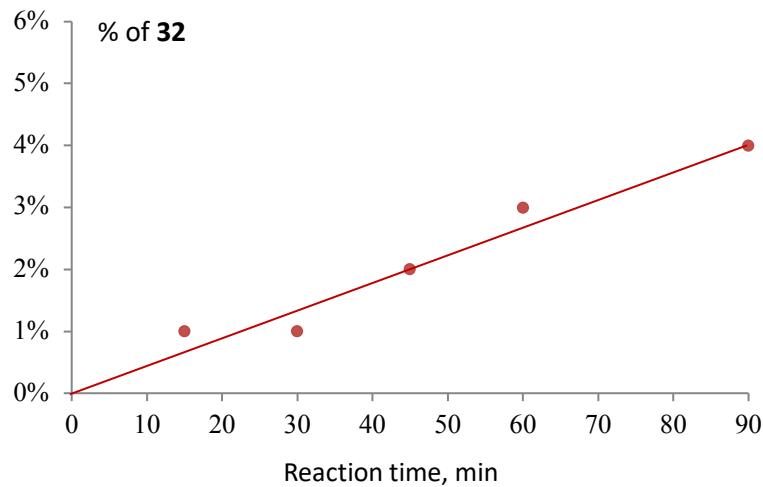


a) Reaction in H<sub>2</sub>O



**Figure 9.** Yield of product **32** over time using  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ .

b) Reaction in  $\text{D}_2\text{O}$

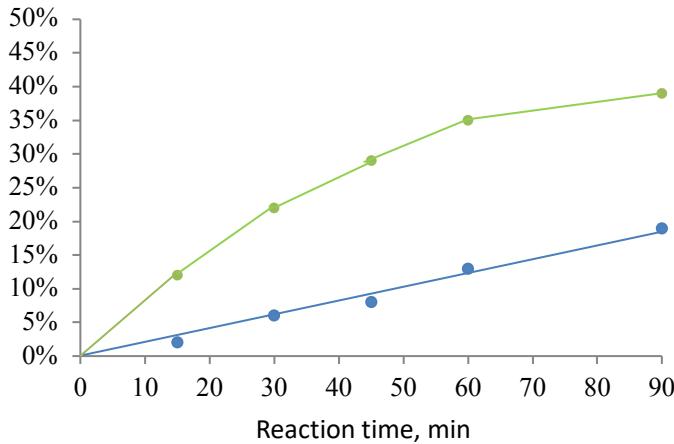


**Figure 10.** Yield of product **32** over reaction time using  $\text{D}_2\text{O}$ .

$$y = a'x + b'$$

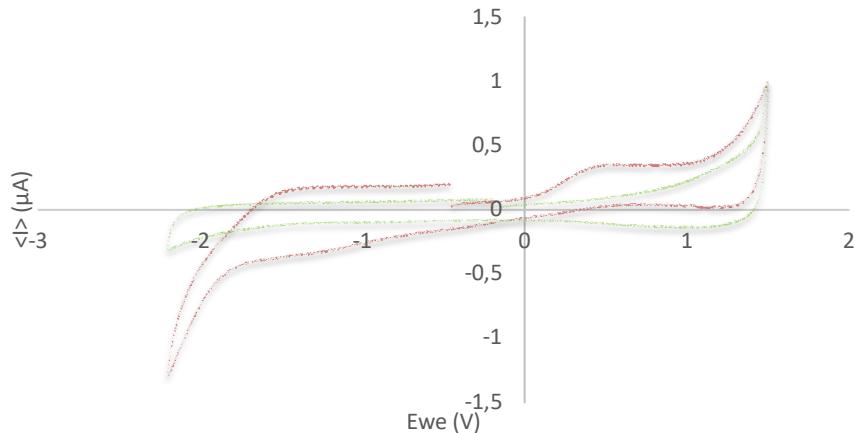
$$\text{KIE} = \frac{a}{a'} = 5.5$$

c) Reaction in  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  with (green) and without HOBPin (blue)



**Figure 11.** Reaction yield in function of reaction time using  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  with HOBPin (green) and without HOBPin (blue).

#### 6.7 CV measurements of $\text{B}_2\text{Pin}_2$ (green) and $\text{B}_2\text{Pin}_2+\text{KOH}$ (red)



**Figure 12.** Cyclic voltammetry for  $\text{B}_2\text{Pin}_2$  (green) and  $\text{B}_2\text{Pin}_2+\text{KOH}$  (red).

#### 6.8 DFT Calculations

Density Functional Theory (DFT) calculations were performed using the Gaussian 16 software<sup>3</sup> at the B3LYP level of theory which uses Becke's 3-parameter exchange<sup>4</sup> and Lee, Yang and Parr's correlation function<sup>5</sup>. All geometry optimization and frequency calculations used the conductor-like polarizable continuum model (CPCM) to simulate the acetonitrile solvent.

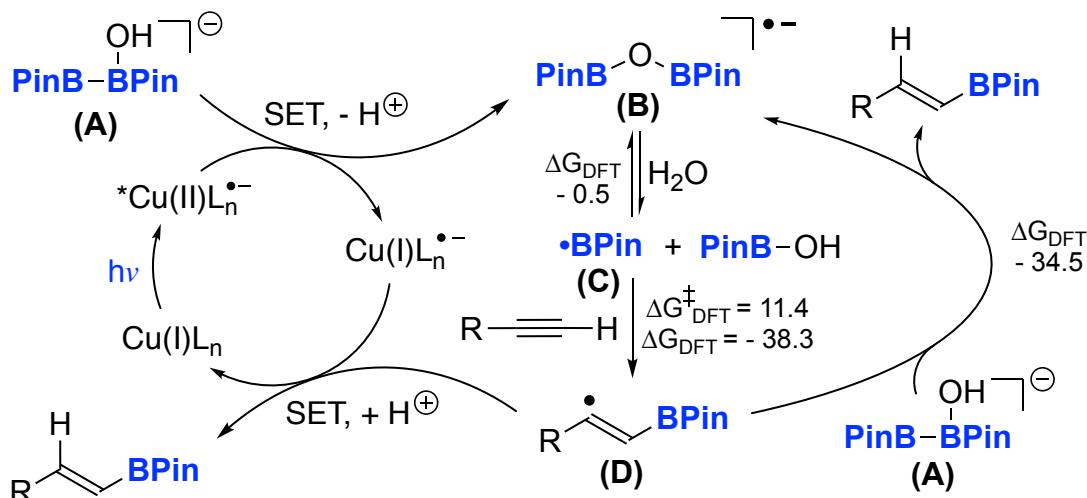
Resulting outputs were verified for imaginary frequencies to ensure the optimized structures were local minima for ground states (no imaginary frequency) or saddle points for transition states (one imaginary frequency). Reaction free energies ( $\Delta G$ ) were calculated using the zero-point energy corrected Gibbs free energy at 298.15 K (Sum of Thermal and Free Energies in Gaussian Output), and free enthalpies ( $\Delta H$ ) were calculated using the zero-point energy corrected Enthalpy at 298.15K (Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies in Gaussian Output).

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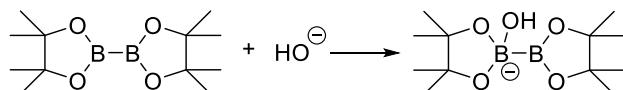
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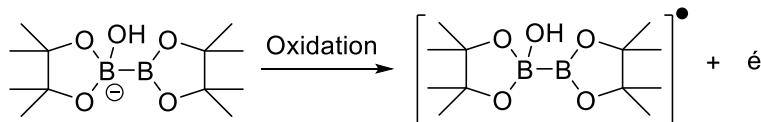
### 1. Forming $\text{PinB}\bullet$ from $\text{B}_2\text{Pin}_2$ oxidation in basic media:

Thermochemical data obtained from DFT calculations for the addition of hydroxide on the  $\text{B}_2\text{Pin}_2$  to form borate (A).



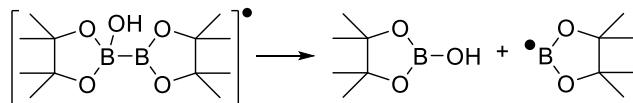
$\Delta G^\circ_{\text{RX}} (\text{kcal/mol})$	$\Delta H^\circ_{\text{RX}} (\text{kcal/mol})$
-6.67	-17.57

Redox potential obtained from DFT calculations for the oxidation of the  $\text{B}_2\text{Pin}_2\text{-OH}$  anion according to Nicewicz (Synlett 2016; 27(05): 714-723).



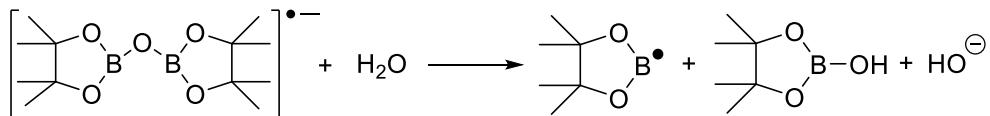
<b>Calculated <math>E^{\circ}_{1/2}</math> vs. SCE (V)</b>	0.28
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Thermochemical data obtained from DFT calculations for the dissociation of the  $\text{B}_2\text{Pin}_2\text{-OH}$  radical into BPin-OH and BPin radical (C)



$\Delta G^\circ_{\text{RX}}$ (kcal/mol)	$\Delta H^\circ_{\text{RX}}$ (kcal/mol)
-50.1	-38.5

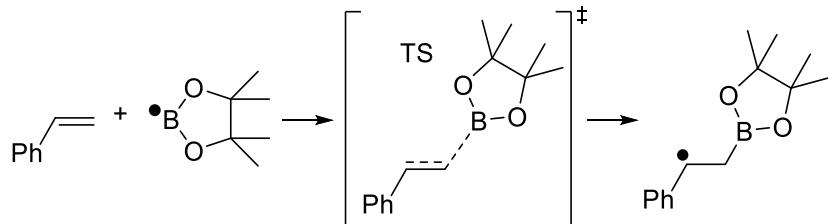
Thermochemical data obtained from DFT calculations for the dissociation of the BPin-O-BPin radical anion with  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  for regenerate the BPin radical.



$\Delta G^\circ_{\text{RX}}$ (kcal/mol)	$\Delta H^\circ_{\text{RX}}$ (kcal/mol)
-0.5	-1.0

## 2. Addition reactions of PinB• onto alkenes and alkynes:

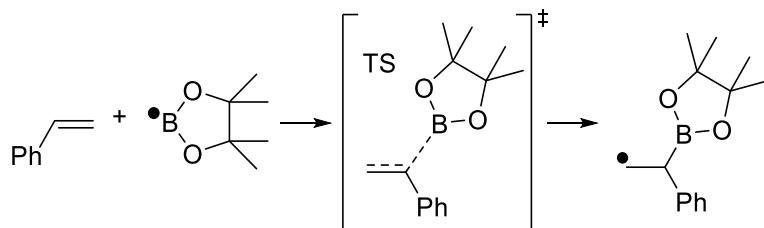
Thermochemical data obtained from DFT calculations for the anti-Markovnikov addition of the BPin radical on styrene.



$\Delta G^\ddagger$ (kcal/mol)	$\Delta G^\circ_{\text{RX}}$ (kcal/mol)
11.6	-34.2

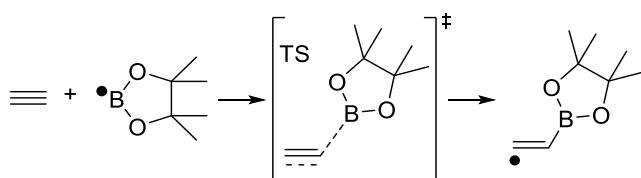
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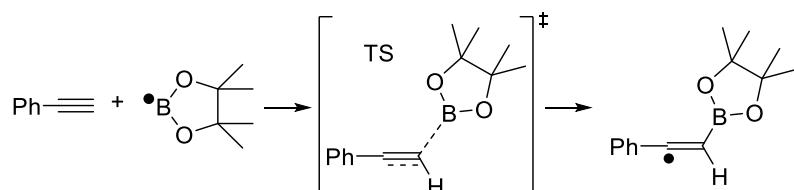
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15.5	-17.8
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Thermochemical data obtained from DFT calculations for the addition of the BPin radical on acetylene.



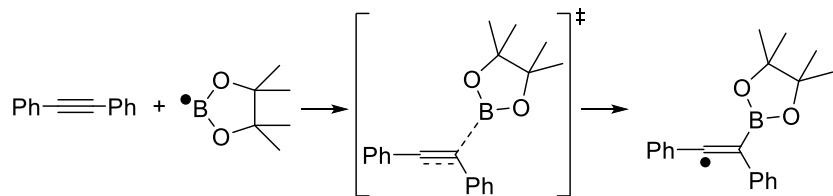
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$\Delta H^\ddagger$ (kcal/mol)	$\Delta H^\circ_{RX}$ (kcal/mol)
3.7	-42.2

Thermochemical data obtained from DFT calculations for the addition of the BPin radical on the phenylacetylene.



$\Delta G^\ddagger$ (kcal/mol)	$\Delta G^\circ_{RX}$ (kcal/mol)
11.4	-38.3
$\Delta H^\ddagger$ (kcal/mol)	$\Delta H^\circ_{RX}$ (kcal/mol)
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Thermochemical data obtained from DFT calculations for the addition of the BPin radical on the diphenylacetylene.

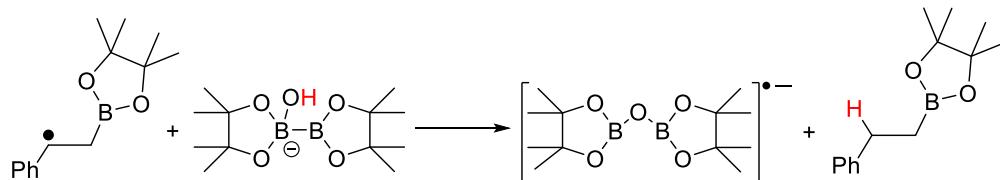


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$\Delta H^\ddagger$ (kcal/mol)	$\Delta H^\circ_{RX}$ (kcal/mol)
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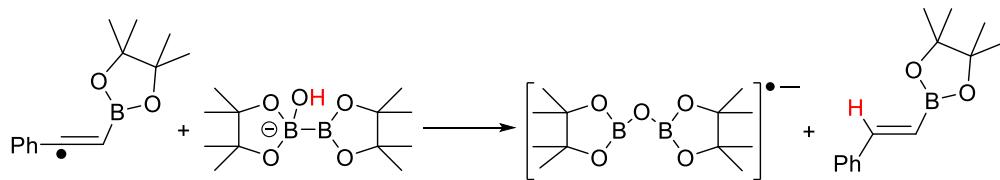
### 3. Formation of final product by H-atom transfer to carbon-centered radicals.

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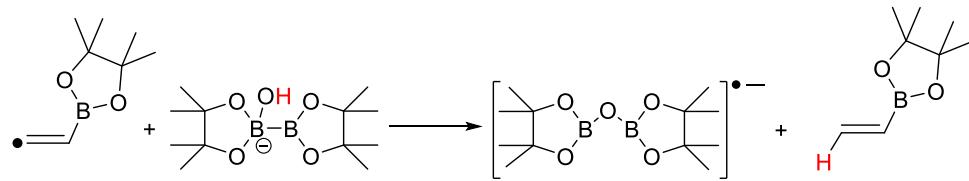
$\Delta G^\circ_{RX}$ (kcal/mol)	$\Delta H^\circ_{RX}$ (kcal/mol)
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Thermochemical data obtained from DFT calculations for the HAT between the  $B_2Pin_2\text{-OH}$  anion and the  $BPin\text{-CH=C-Ph}$  radical (*E* product).



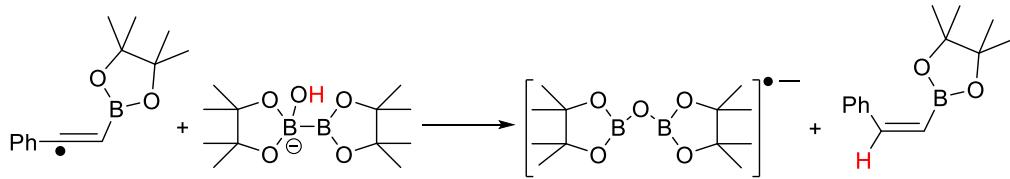
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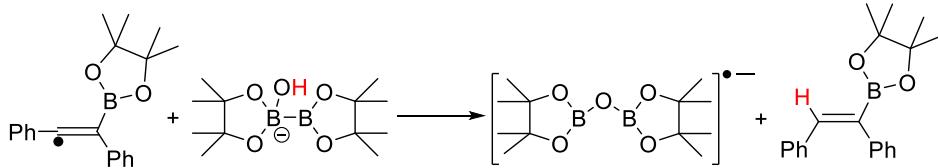
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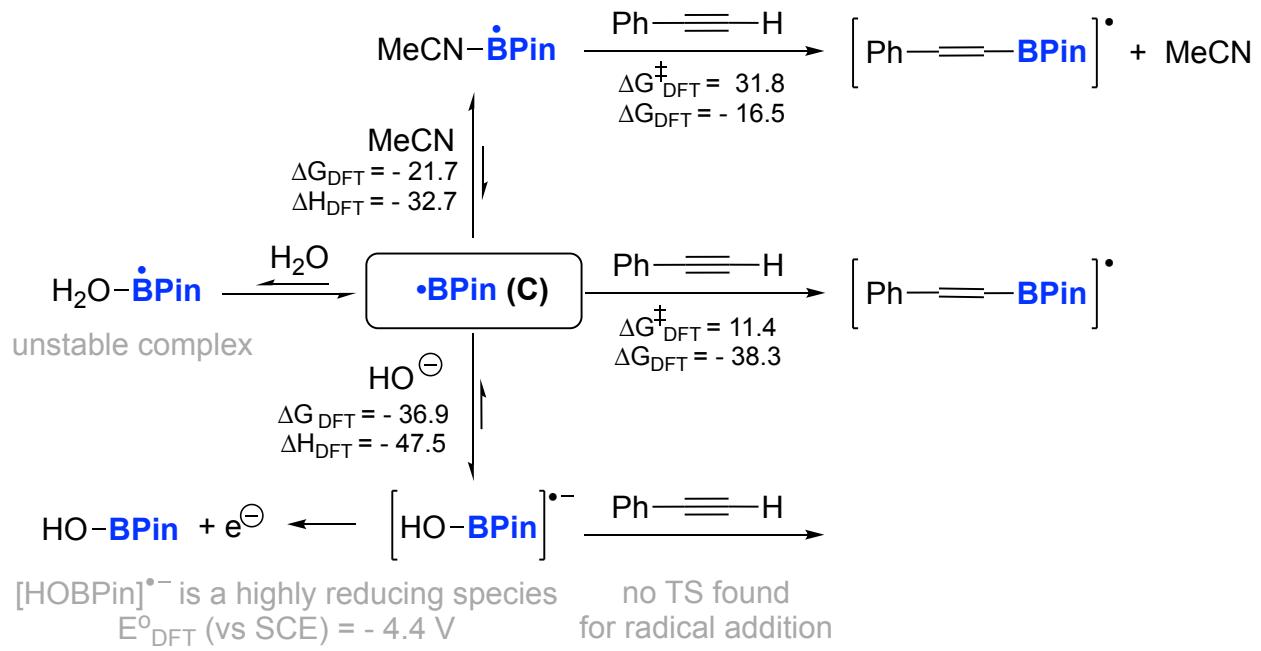
$\Delta G^\circ_{RX}$ (kcal/mol)	$\Delta H^\circ_{RX}$ (kcal/mol)
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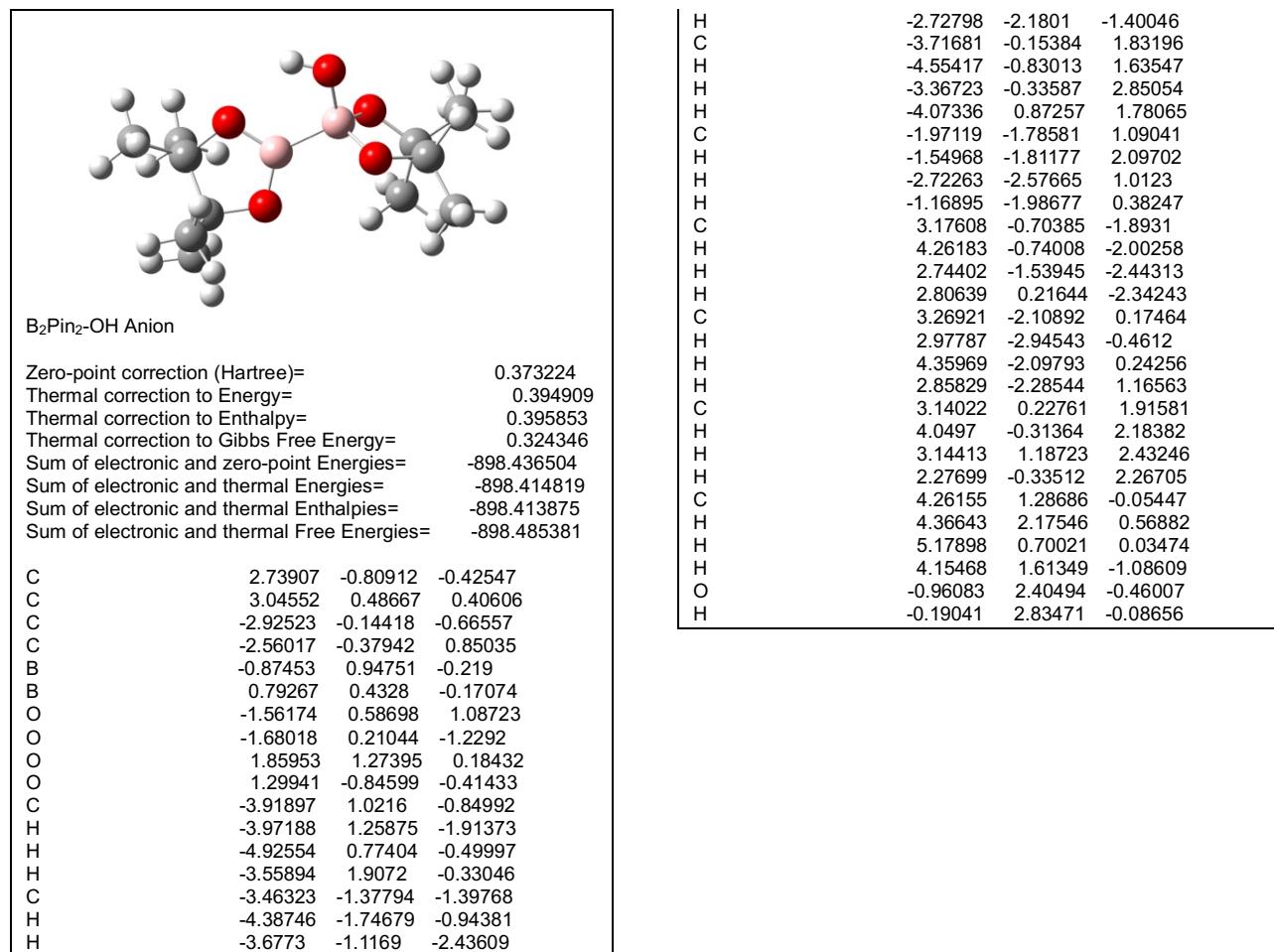


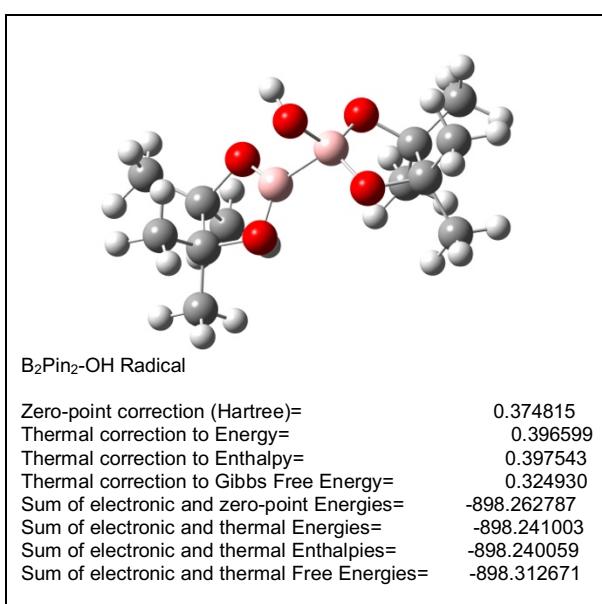
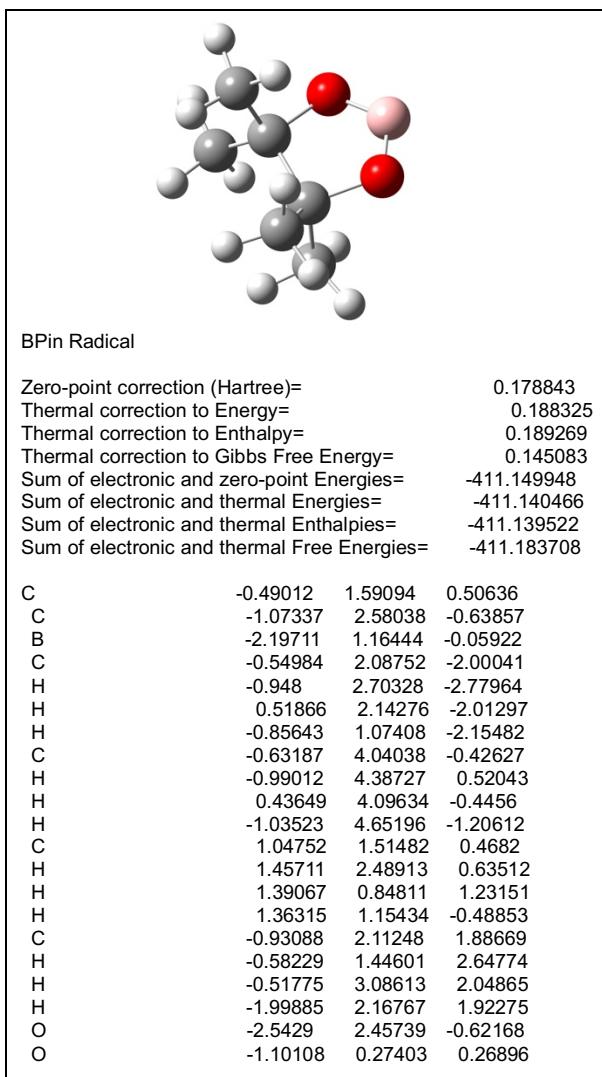
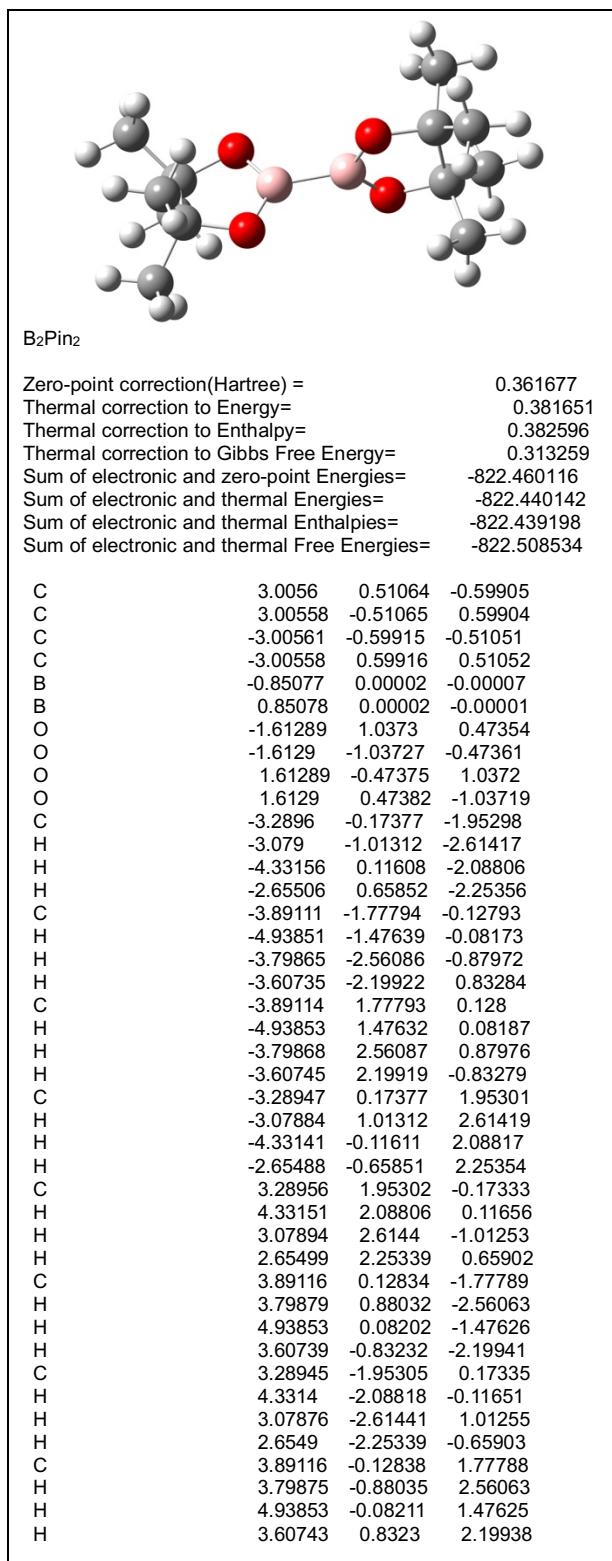
$\Delta G^\circ_{RX}$ (kcal/mol)	$\Delta H^\circ_{RX}$ (kcal/mol)
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Thermodynamic data exploring the possible Lewis base interactions with boryl radical C.

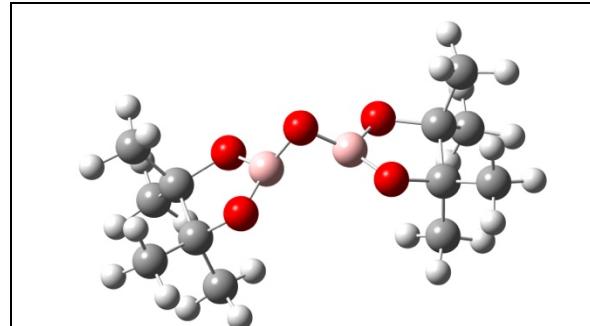


DFT energies and coordinates as obtained from 6-311++G(2d,2p)//CPCM(acetonitrile).



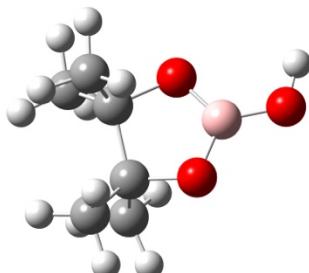


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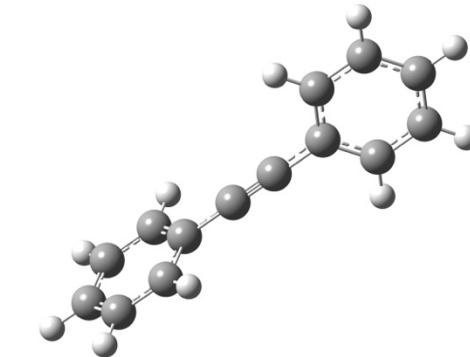
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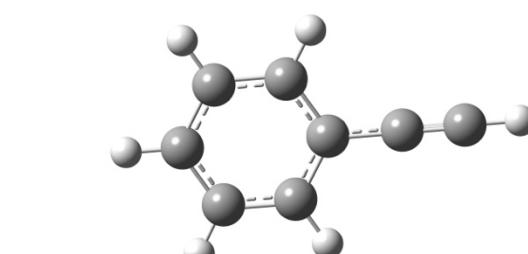


Diphenylacetylene

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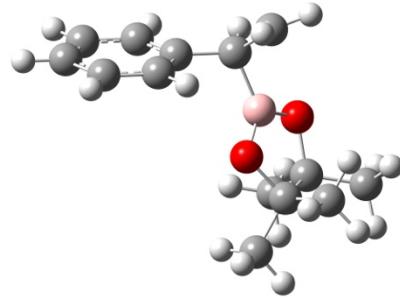


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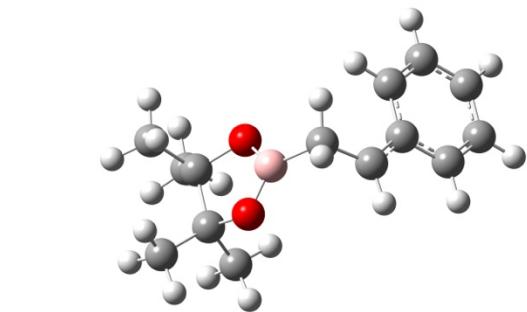
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BPin-CHPh-CH<sub>2</sub> Radical

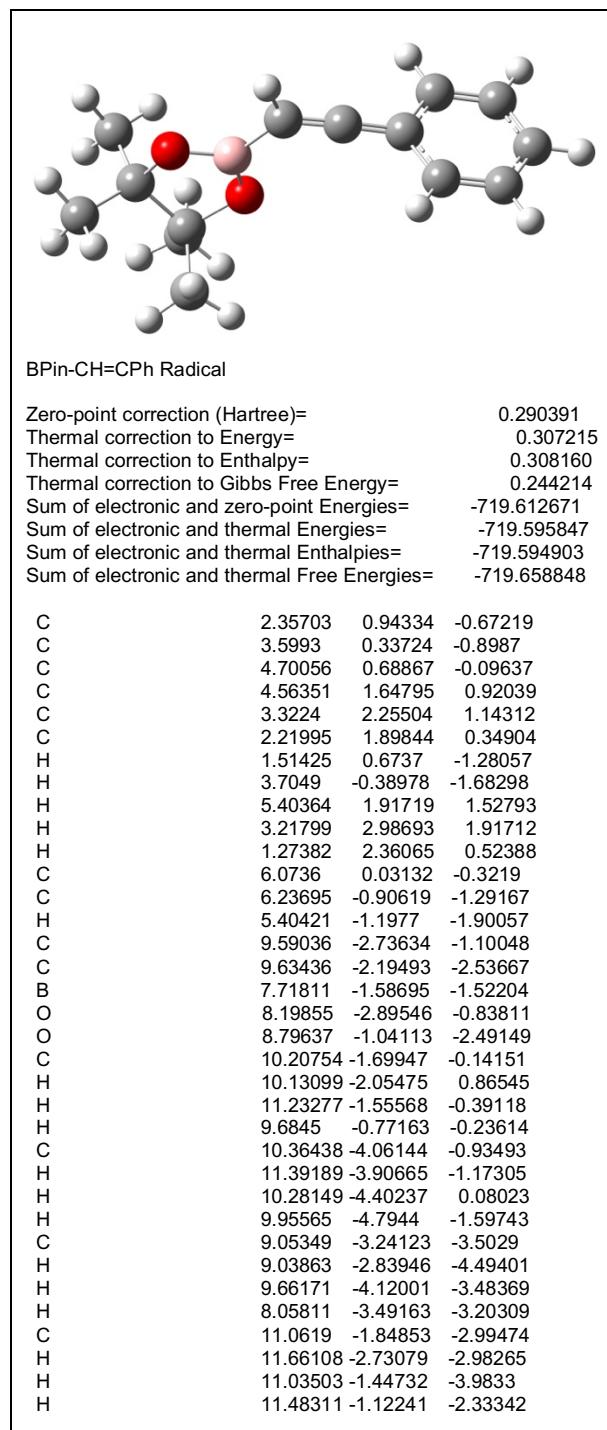
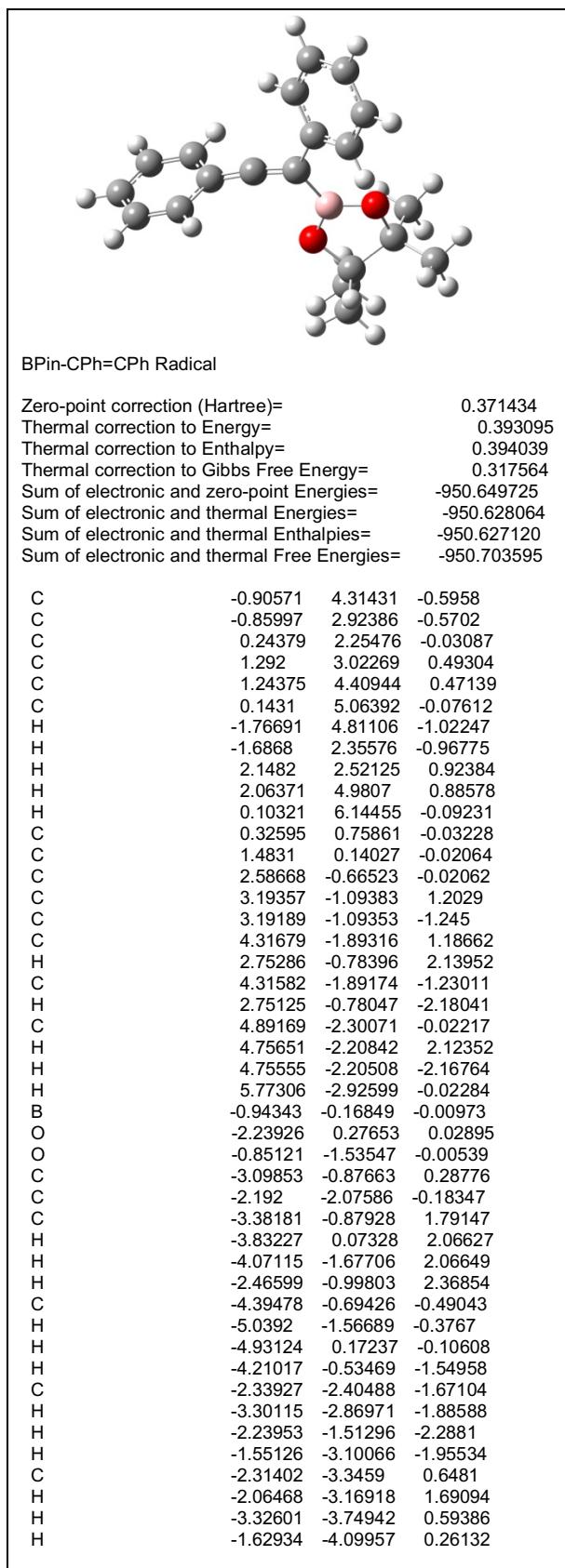


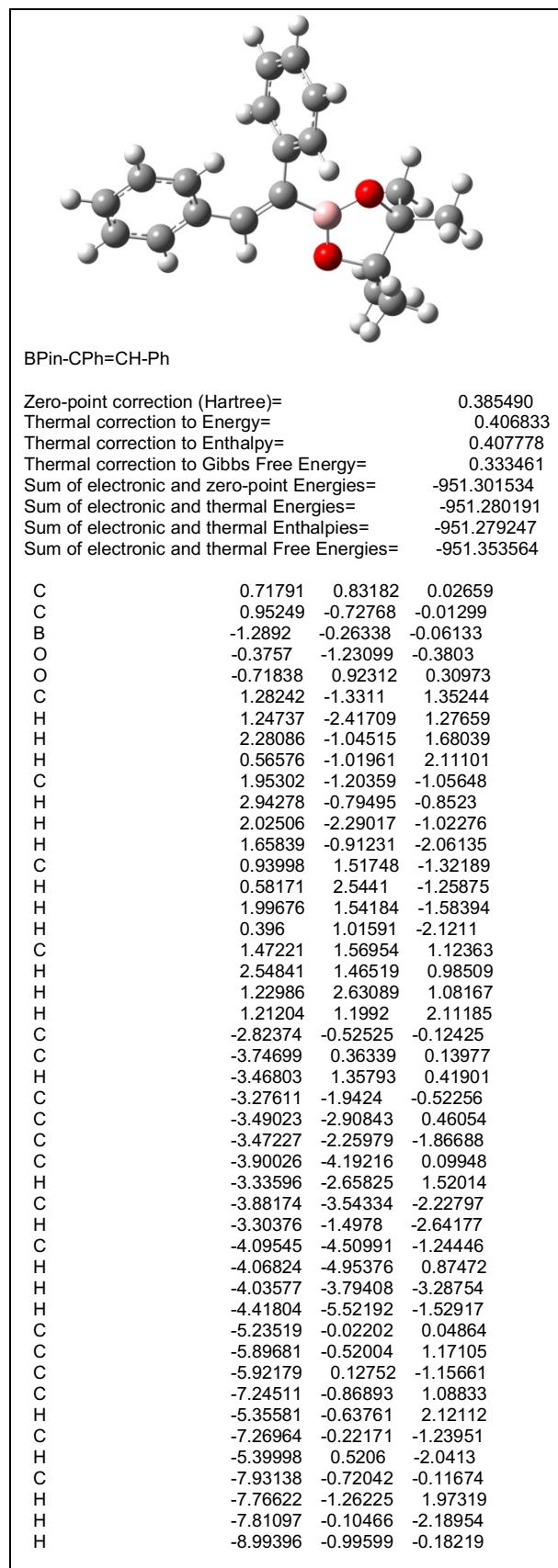
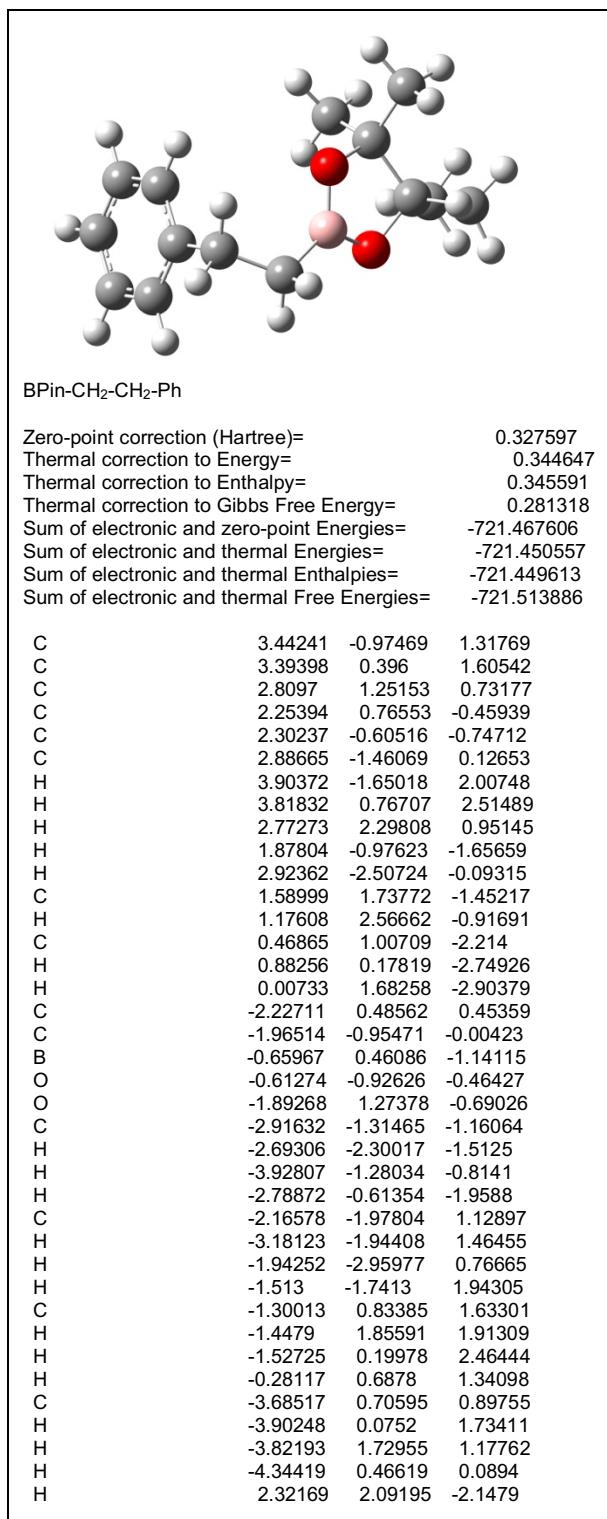
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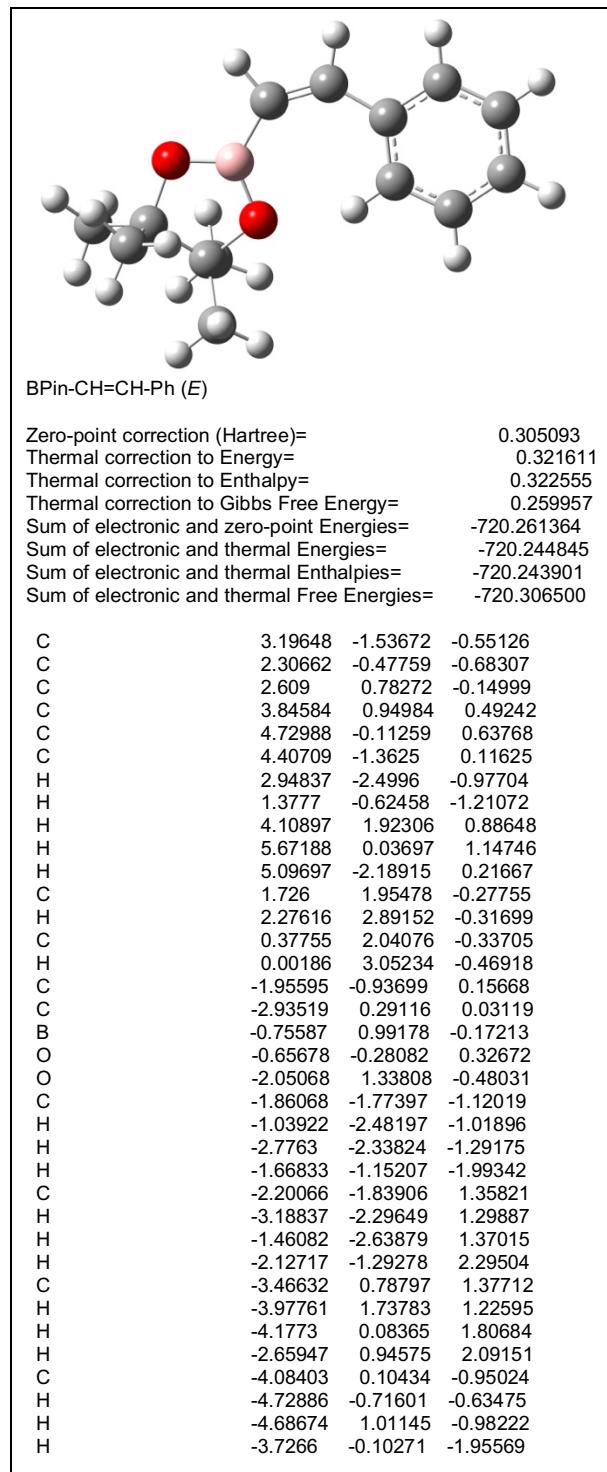
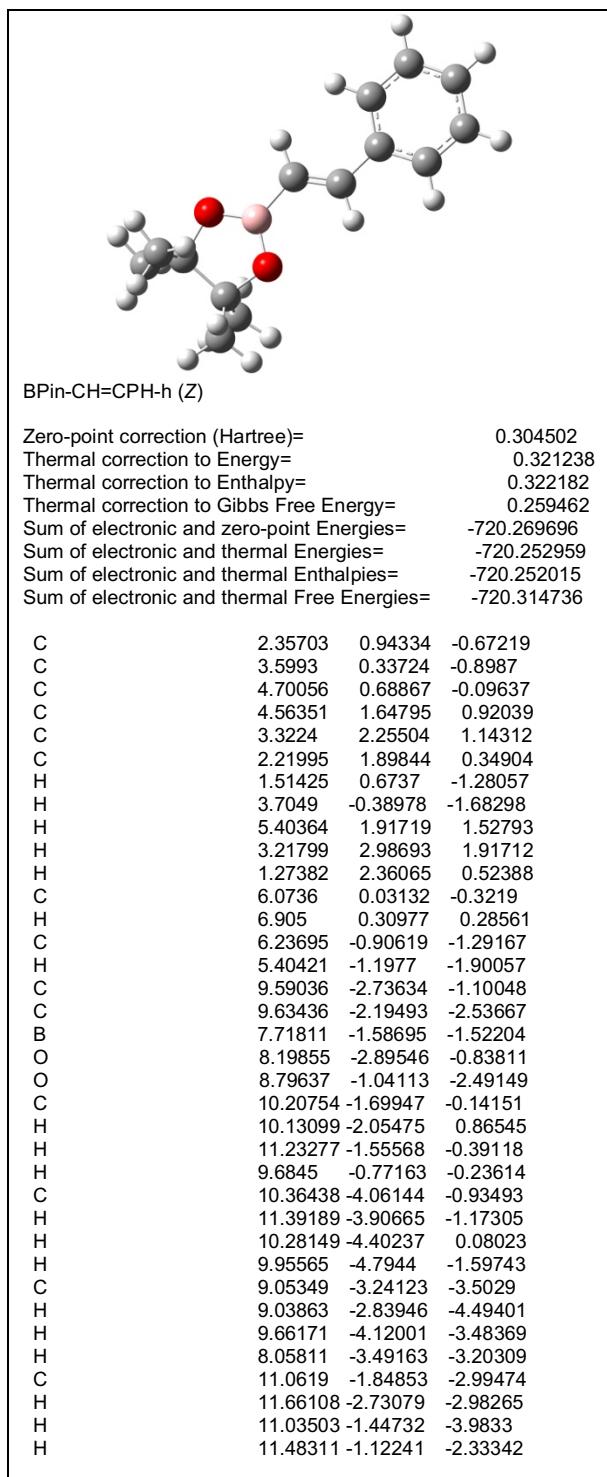
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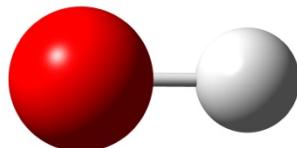
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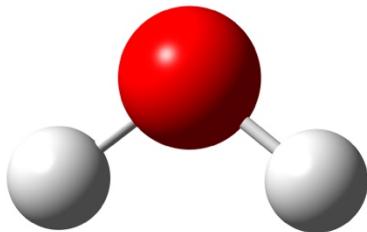






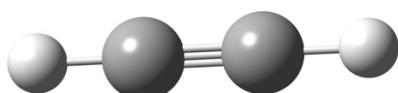
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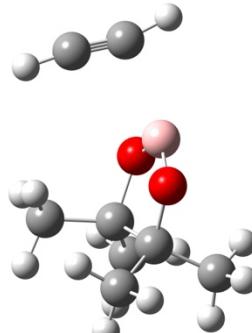


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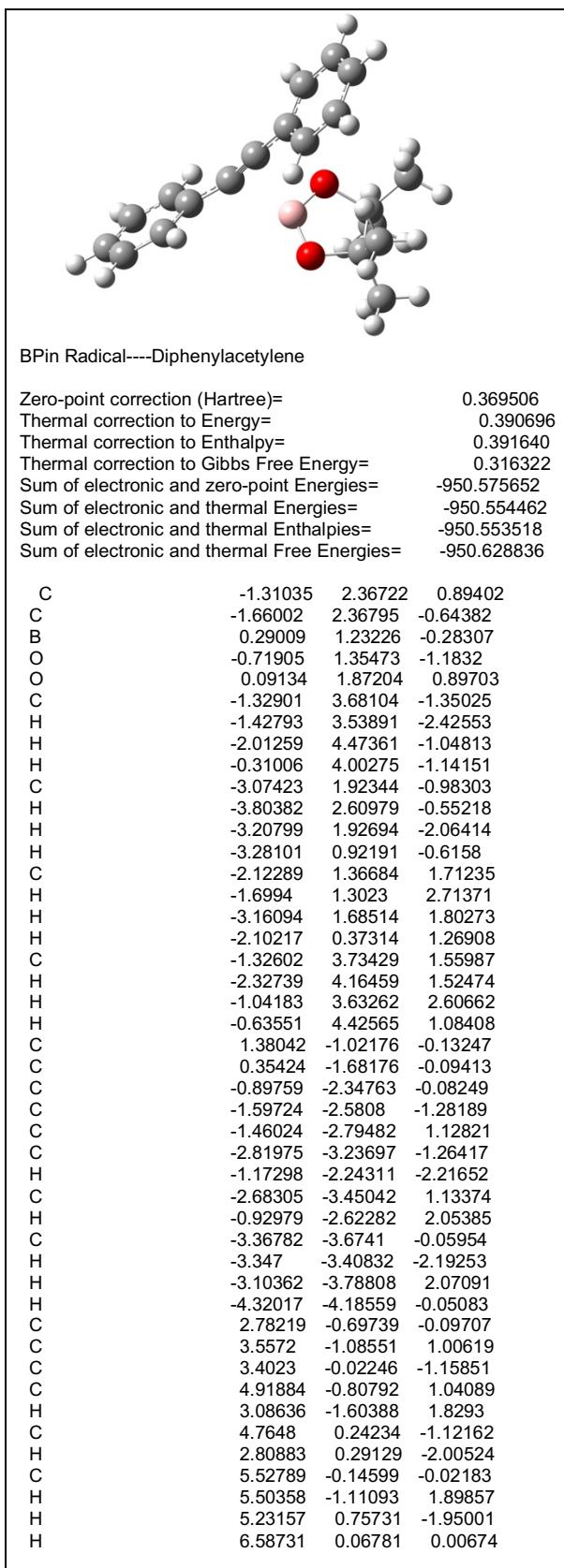
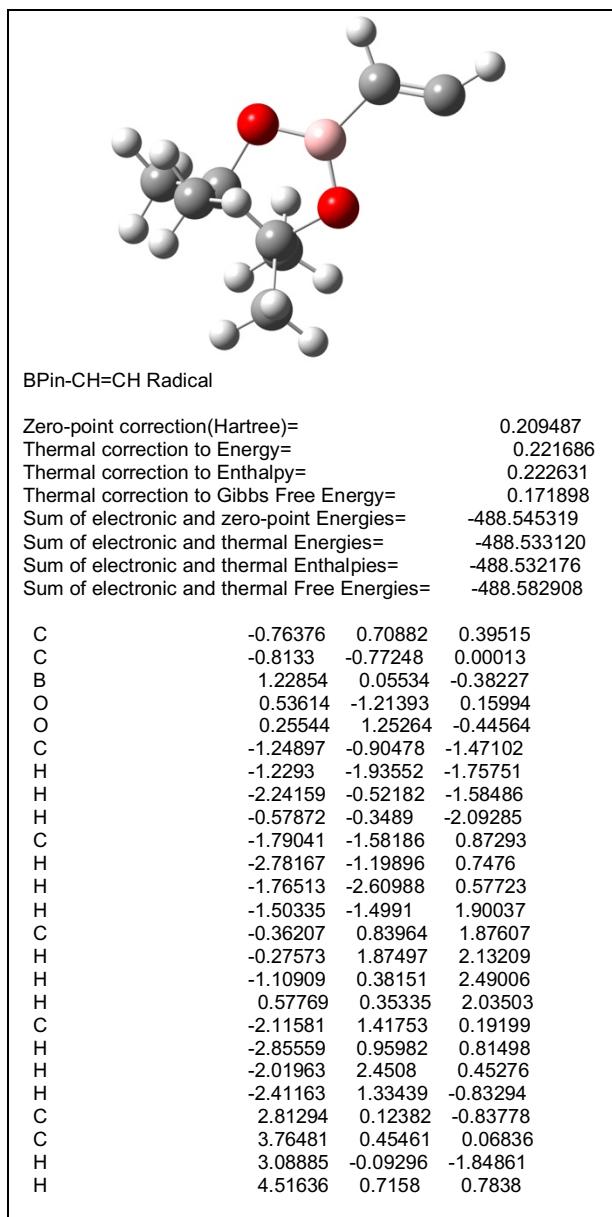
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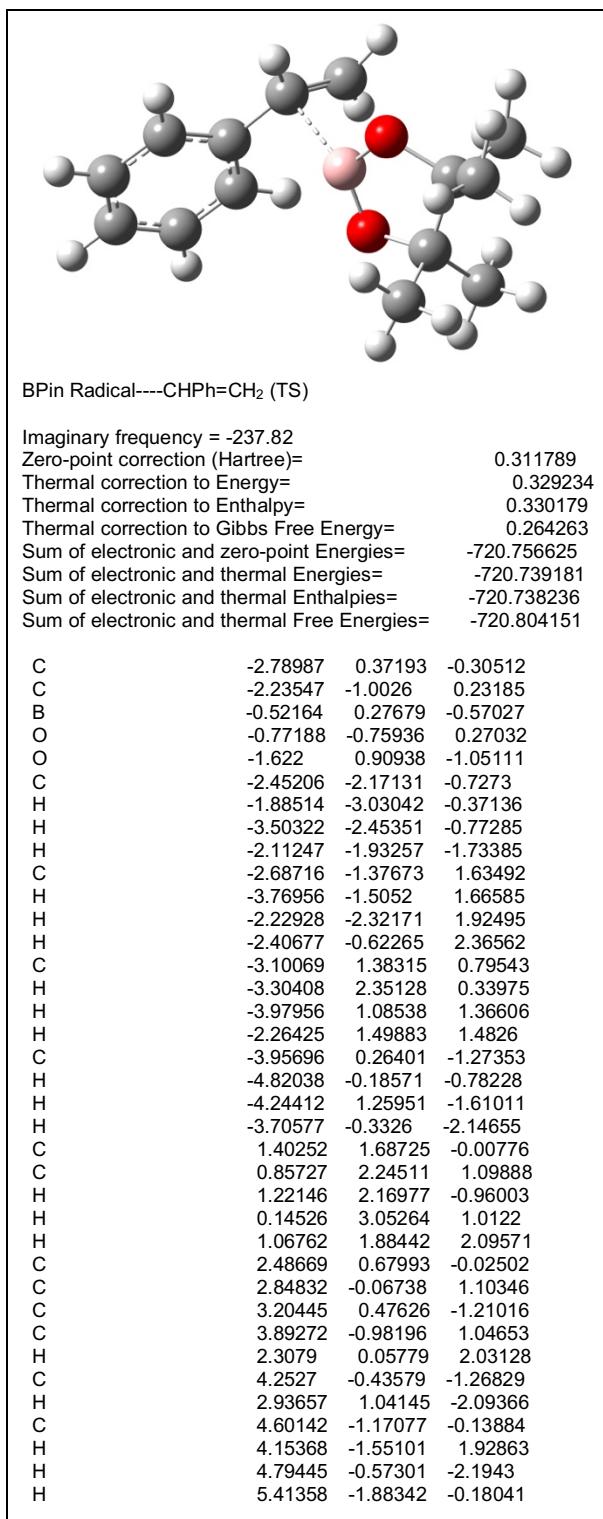
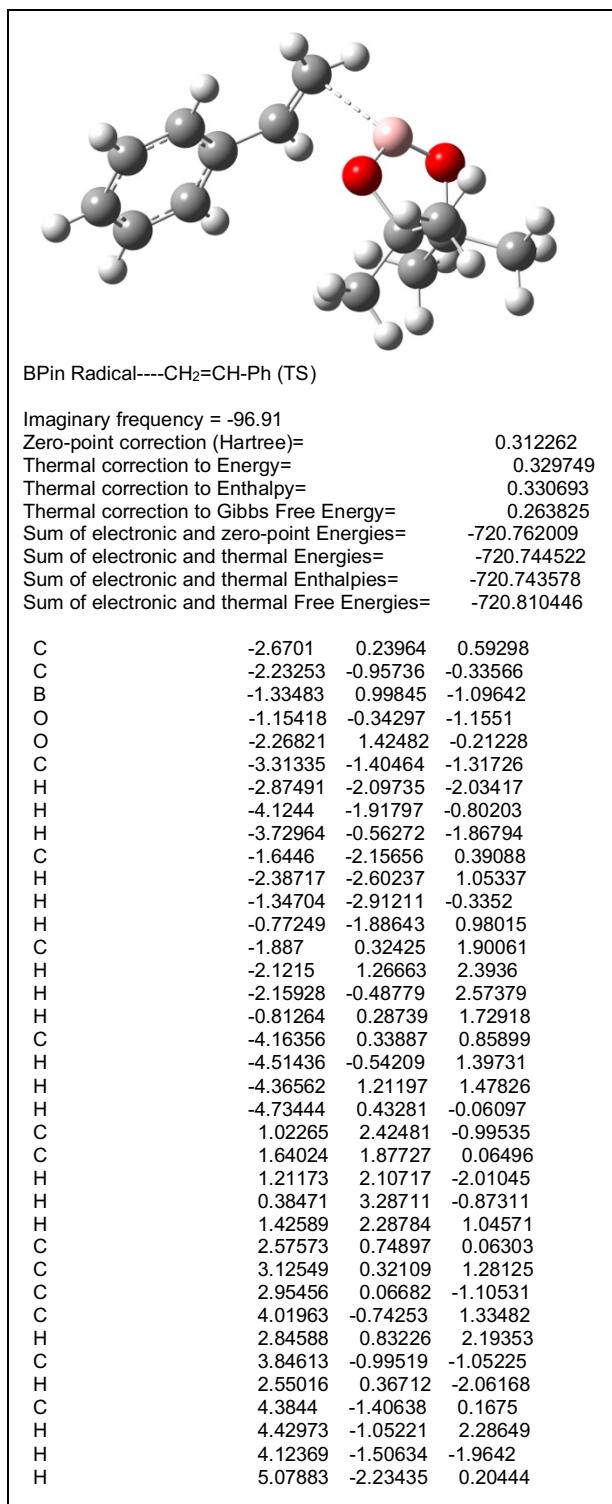


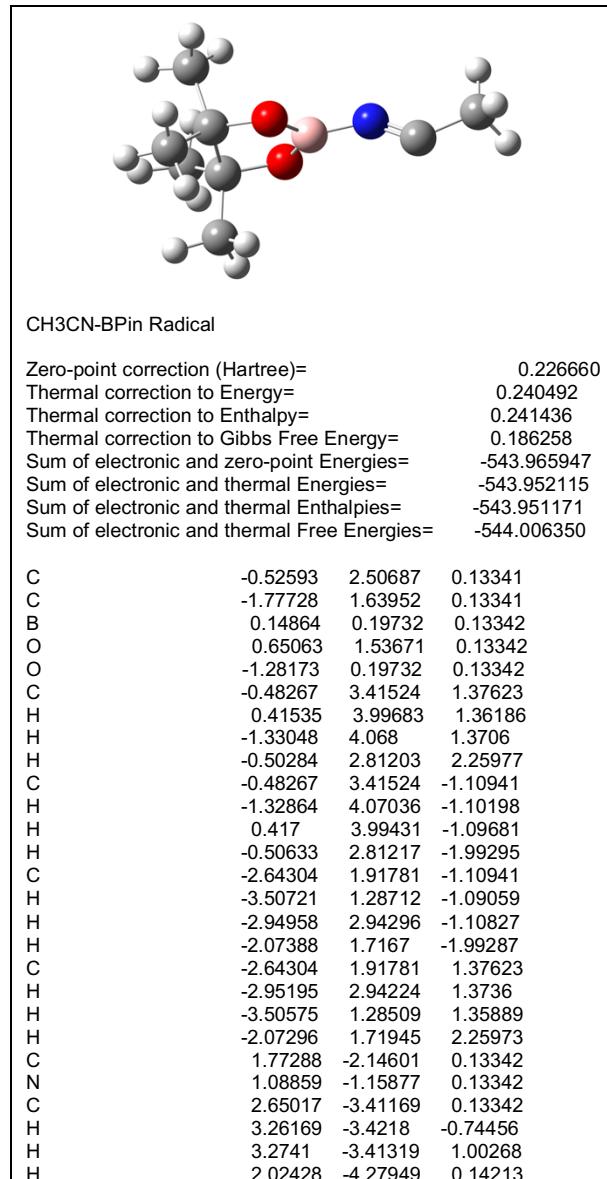
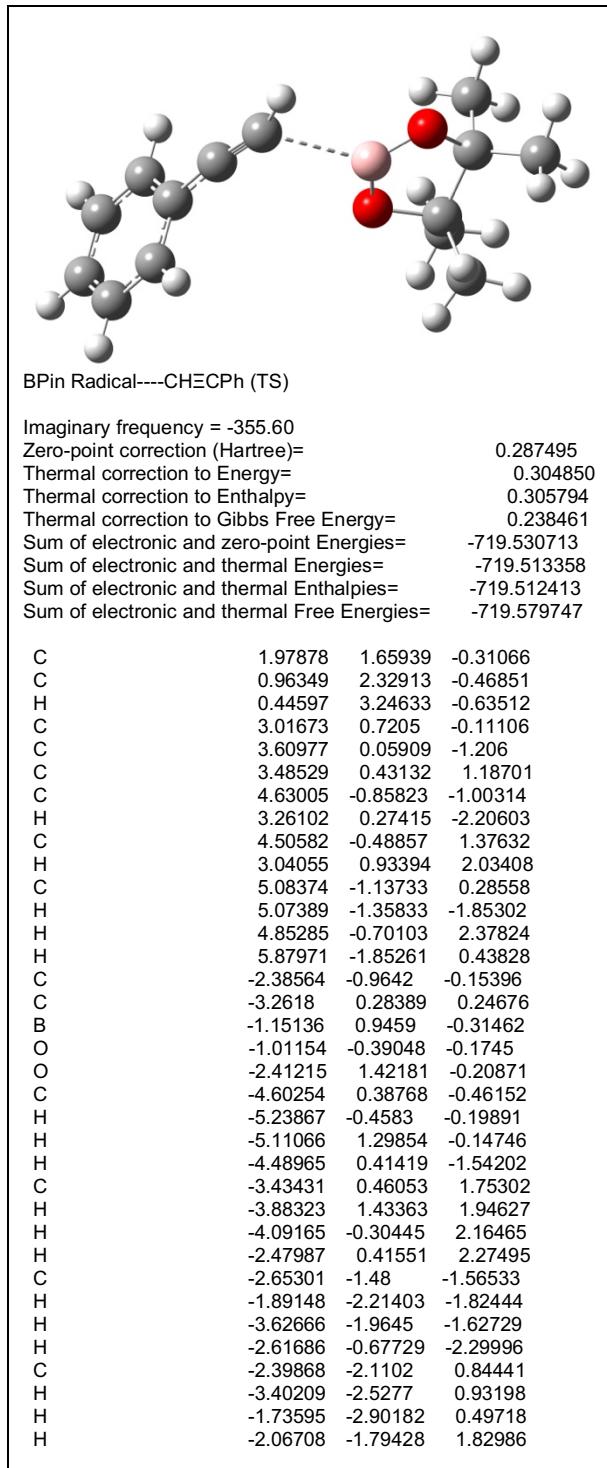
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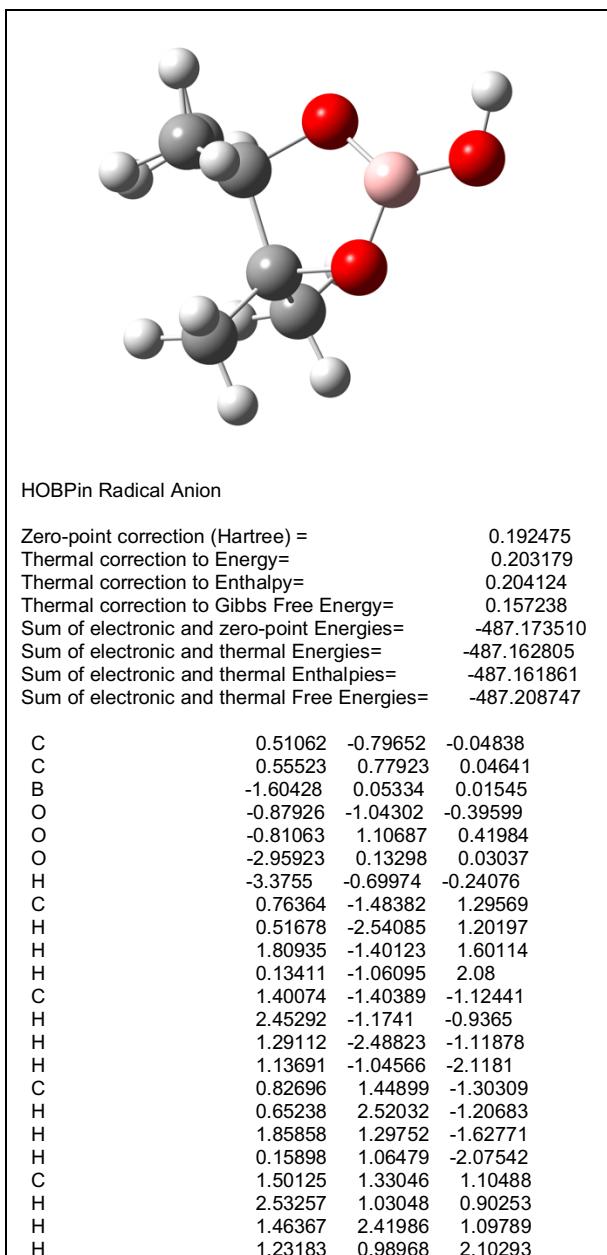
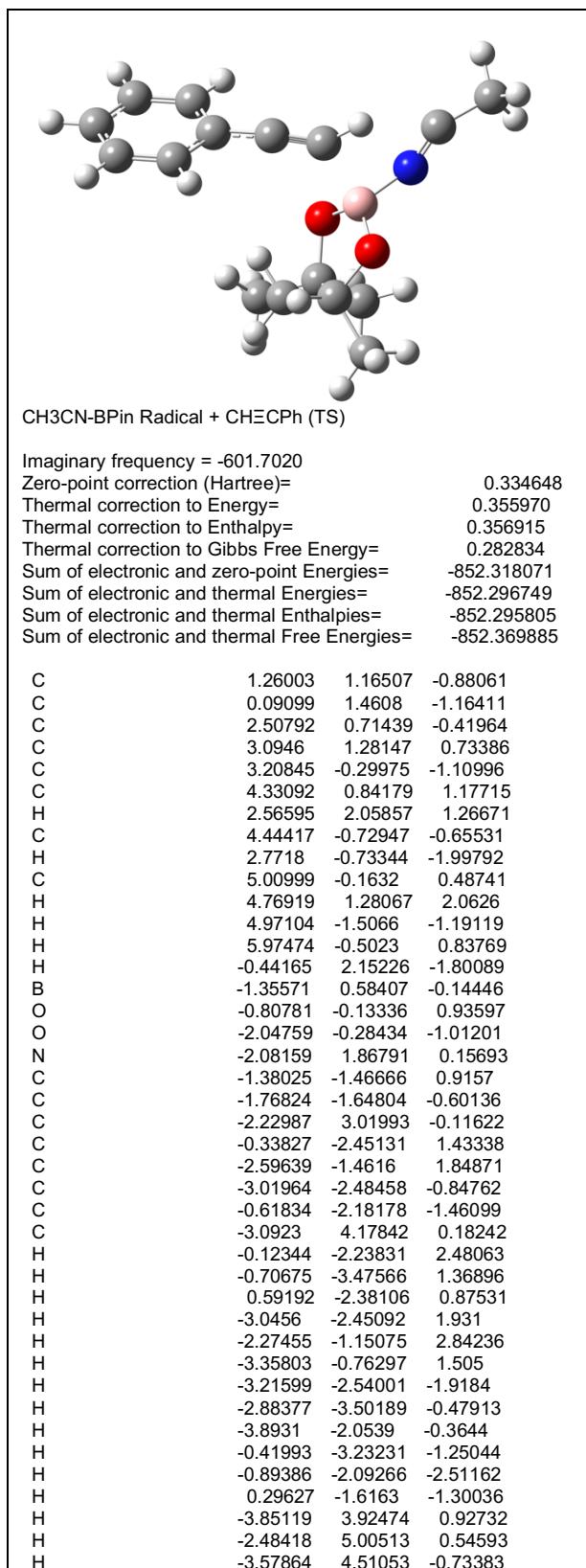
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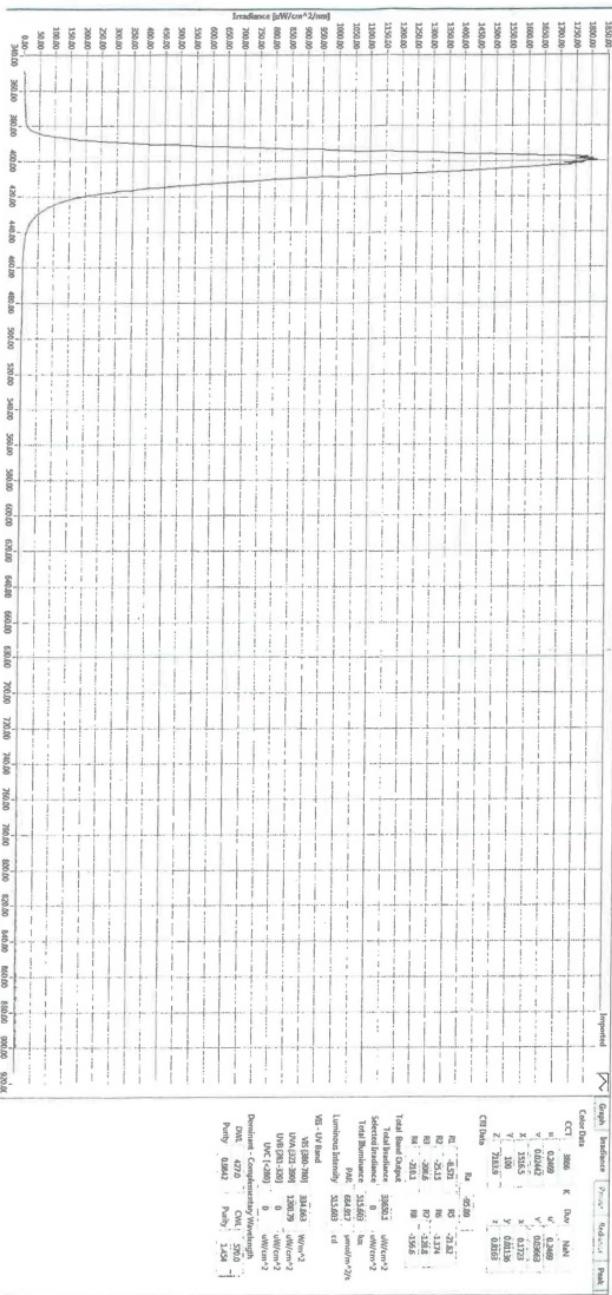






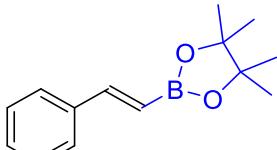
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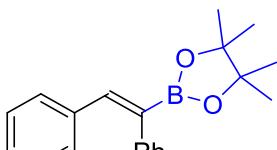
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## 7. Experimental data for hydroboration products



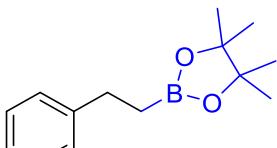
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(*E*)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-styryl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc from 150:1 to 120:1. Yield: 87% (40.0 mg), E/Z = 99:1. Pale yellow oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  7.76 (d,  $J$  = 18 Hz, 1H), 7.34-7.31 (m, 2H), 7.03-7.01 (m, 3H), 6.46 (d,  $J$  = 18 Hz, 1H), 1.12 (s, 12H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  150.3, 138.1, 129.0, 128.9, 127.4, 83.2, 25.0. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  30.4. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2978, 1622, 1450, 1370, 1349, 1320, 1209, 1141, 969, 850, 747, 692 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (EI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{20}\text{BO}_2$  [M+H] $^+$ : 231.1560, found 231.1556.



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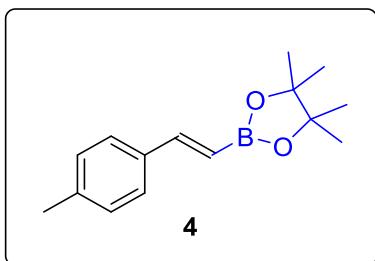
(*Z*)-2-(1,2-diphenylvinyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 80:1. Yield: 85% (40.0 mg), E/Z = 1:14. Pale yellow solid, mp: 68-70 °C (Pentane/EtOAc).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  7.87 (s, 1H), 7.44-7.41 (m, 2H), 7.21-7.16 (m, 3H), 7.12 (s, 1H), 7.05-7.00 (m, 1H), 6.93-6.83 (m, 3H), 1.08 (s, 12H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  144.0, 143.5(minor), 141.1, 141.1(minor), 139.6(minor), 137.4, 130.3, 129.2, 128.7, 128.6(minor), 127.4, 127.0, 126.5, 83.6, 24.7, 24.4(minor). The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ): 30.4. iiIR (ATR):  $\nu = 2980, 1622, 1450, 1371, 1349, 1209, 1141, 969, 850, 755, 690 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (ESI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{23}\text{BO}_2$  [M] $^+$ : 306.1791, found 306.1803.



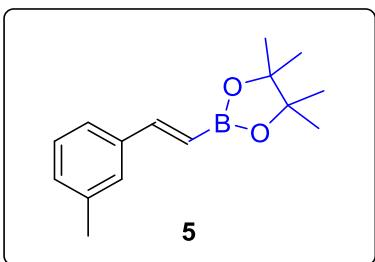
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4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-phenethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 120:1). Yield: 97% (45.0 mg). Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.21-7.05 (m, 5H), 2.67 (t,  $J$  = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 1.14-1.04 (m, 14H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  144.4, 128.2, 128.0, 125.5, 83.1, 29.9, 24.8. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ): 33.7. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2978,$

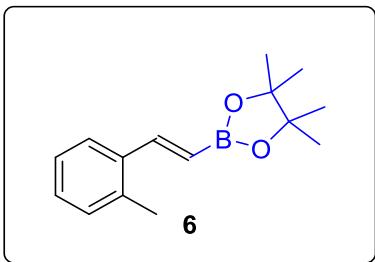
2931, 1370, 1316, 1143, 743, 698  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (ESI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{21}\text{BO}_2$  [M] $^+$ : 232.1635, found 232.1630. These spectroscopic data match those previously reported.<sup>4</sup>



(*E*)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(4-methylstyryl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 100:1. Yield: 90% (43.9 mg), E/Z = 99:1. Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  7.78 (d,  $J$  = 18 Hz, 1H), 7.28 (d,  $J$  = 9 Hz, 2H), 6.86 (d,  $J$  = 9 Hz, 2H), 6.44 (d,  $J$  = 18 Hz, 1H), 2.02 (s, 3H), 1.13 (s, 12H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  150.3, 138.8, 135.4, 129.6, 127.4, 83.1, 24.9, 21.2. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ): 30.3. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2978, 1625, 1511, 1347, 1319, 1141, 995, 969, 854, 798 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (EI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{18}\text{BBrO}_2$  [M] $^+$ : 244.1639, found 244.1634.

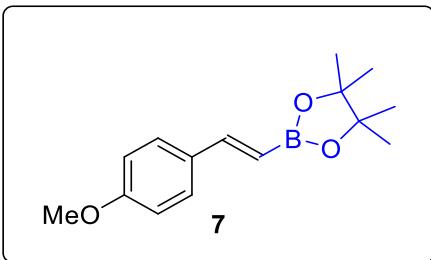


(*E*)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(3-methylstyryl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 120:1. Yield: 92% (44.9 mg), E/Z = 99:1. Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  7.79 (d,  $J$  = 18 Hz, 1H), 7.23-7.18 (m, 2H), 7.00 (t,  $J$  = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 6.85 (d,  $J$  = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 6.50 (d,  $J$  = 18 Hz, 1H), 2.01 (s, 3H), 1.13 (s, 12H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  150.2, 137.8, 129.5, 128.4, 127.9, 127.5, 124.3, 82.8, 24.6, 20.9. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ): 30.4. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2978, 2927, 1449, 1369, 1319, 1143, 967, 850, 804 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (EI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{21}\text{BO}_2$  [M] $^+$ : 244.1638, found 244.1634.

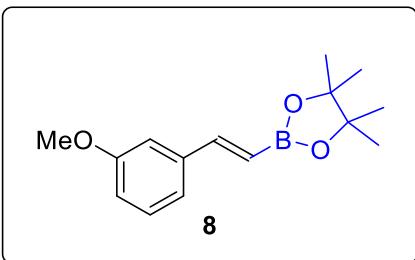


(*E*)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(2-methylstyryl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 120:1. Yield: 89% (43.5 mg), E/Z = 99:1. Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  8.04 (d,  $J$  = 18 Hz, 1H), 7.56 (m, 1H), 6.98 (m, 2H), 6.88 (m, 1H), 6.43 (t,  $J$  = 18 Hz, 1H), 2.11 (s, 3H), 1.13 (s, 12H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  147.7, 137.0, 136.4, 130.7, 128.8, 126.5, 126.0, 83.2, 24.9, 19.5. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed

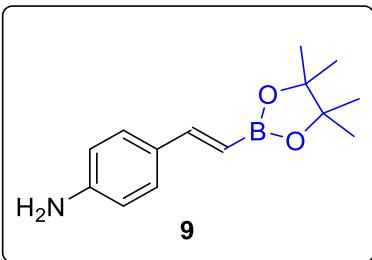
due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ): 30.4. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2978, 2927, 1449, 1369, 1319, 1143, 967, 850, 804 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (EI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{21}\text{BO}_2$  [M] $^+$ : 244.1635, found 244.1634.



(E)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(2-methylstyryl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 120:1. Yield: 89% (43.5 mg), E/Z = 99:1. Off-white solid; mp: 64-66 °C (Pentane/EtOAc).  $^5\text{NMR}$  (300 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  7.73 (d,  $J = 18 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 7.28 (d,  $J = 8.7 \text{ Hz}$ , 2H), 6.61 (d,  $J = 8.7 \text{ Hz}$ , 2H), 6.32 (d,  $J = 18 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 3.24 (s, 3H), 1.14 (s, 12H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  160.7, 149.9, 130.8, 128.8, 114.3, 83.1, 54.7, 24.9. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ): 30.1. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2977, 1624, 1603, 1510, 1352, 1250, 1140, 813 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (ESI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{22}\text{BO}_3$  [M+H] $^+$ : 261.1666, found 261.1672.

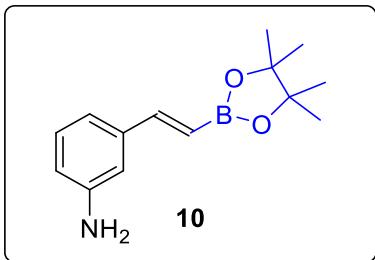


(E)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(2-methylstyryl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 120:1. Yield: 89% (43.5 mg), E/Z = 99:1. Off-white solid; mp: 68-70 °C (Pentane/EtOAc).  $^5\text{NMR}$  (300 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  7.76 (d,  $J = 18 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 7.02-6.96 (m, 3H), 6.72-6.69 (m, 1H), 6.47 (d,  $J = 18 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 3.25 (s, 3H), 1.13 (s, 12H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  160.3, 150.2, 139.4, 129.7, 119.9, 115.4, 112.0, 83.1, 54.5, 24.8. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ): 30.1. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2978, 2930, 1624, 1603, 1371, 1352, 1250, 1045, 807 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (EI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{21}\text{BO}_2$  [M+H] $^+$ : 261.1662, found 260.1667.

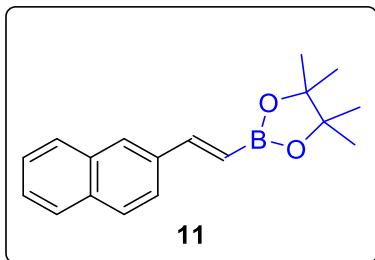


(E)-4-(2-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)vinyl)aniline: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 150:1. Yield: 78% (38.2 mg), E/Z = 99:1. Orange oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  7.80 (d,  $J = 18 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 7.26 (d,  $J = 9 \text{ Hz}$ , 2H), 6.34 (d,  $J = 18 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 6.16 (d,  $J = 9 \text{ Hz}$ , 2H), 2.87 (br, 2H), 1.14 (s, 12H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$

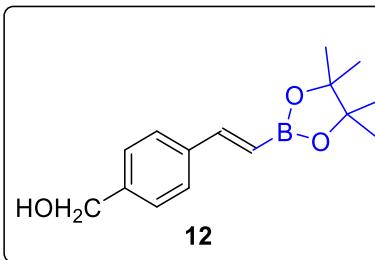
150.7, 148.0, 128.9, 128.3, 114.8, 82.9, 25.0. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ): 30.3. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 3369, 2977, 1622, 1590, 1320, 1140, 969, 848, 776, 650 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (ESI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{22}\text{BNO}_2 [\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ : 246.1666, found 246.1665.



(*E*)-3-(2-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)vinyl)aniline: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc from 100:1 to 60:1. Yield: 75% (36.8 mg), E/Z = 99:1. Yellow oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  7.78 (d,  $J = 18 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 6.96-6.86 (m, 2H), 6.54-6.46 (m, 2H), 6.23-6.20 (m, 1H), 2.72 (br, 2H), 1.13 (s, 12H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  150.9, 147.4, 139.0, 129.6, 117.8, 115.8, 113.3, 83.1, 24.9. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ): 30.3. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 3369, 2977, 1622, 1590, 1320, 1140, 969, 848, 776, 650 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (ESI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{21}\text{BNO}_2 [\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ : 246.1666, found 246.1665.

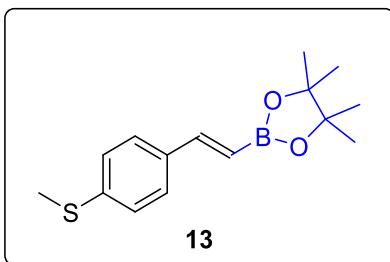


(*E*)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(naphthalen-2-yl)vinyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 120:1. Yield: 91% (50.9 mg), E/Z = 99:1. Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  7.58 (d,  $J = 18 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 7.54-7.48 (m, 5H), 7.19-7.16 (m, 2H), 6.55 (d,  $J = 18 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 1.14 (s, 12H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  150.3, 135.5, 134.2, 134.0, 128.7, 128.6, 128.5, 127.9, 126.5, 126.4, 123.7, 83.2, 25.0. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ): 30.3. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 3055, 2965, 1620, 1610, 1365, 1320, 1141 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (EI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{21}\text{BO}_2 [\text{M}]^+$ : 280.1635, found 280.1650.

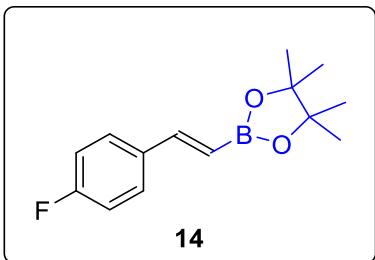


(*E*)-(2-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)vinyl)phenylmethanol: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 70:1. Yield: 92% (47.9 mg), E/Z = 99:1. Off-white solid; mp: 102-104 °C (Pentane/EtOAc).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  7.76 (d,  $J =$

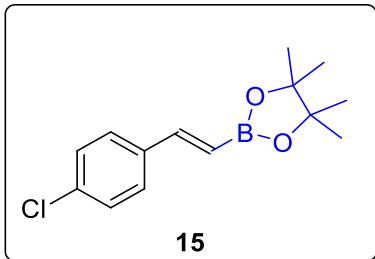
18 Hz, 1H), 7.30 (d,  $J$  = 9 Hz, 2H), 7.05 (d,  $J$  = 9 Hz, 2H), 6.43 (d,  $J$  = 18 Hz, 1H), 4.29 (s, 2H), 1.13 (s, 12H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  150.0, 142.6, 136.9, 127.3, 127.1, 83.1, 64.5, 24.8. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ): 29.9. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 3286, 2873, 1505, 1411, 1207, 1013, 817 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (APCI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{22}\text{BO}_3$  [M+H] $^+$ : 261.1783, found 261.1782.



(*E*)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(4-(methylthio)styryl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 120:1. Yield: 77% (42.5 mg), E/Z = 99:1. Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  7.72 (d,  $J$  = 18 Hz, 1H), 7.17 (d,  $J$  = 9 Hz, 2H), 6.91 (d,  $J$  = 9 Hz, 2H), 6.41 (d,  $J$  = 18 Hz, 1H), 1.89 (s, 3H), 1.13 (s, 12H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  149.7, 140.3, 134.6, 127.8, 126.4, 83.2, 24.9, 14.8. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ): 29.9. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2977, 2924, 1618, 1493, 1352, 1313, 1213, 1144, 1090, 970, 850, 798 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (APCI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{22}\text{BO}_2\text{S}$  [M] $^+$ : 277.1432, found 277.1428.

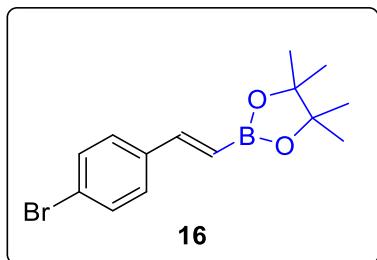


(*E*)-2-(4-fluorostyryl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 150:1. yield: 69% (34.2 mg), E/Z = 99:1. Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  7.62 (d,  $J$  = 18 Hz, 1H), 7.07-7.03 (m, 2H), 6.66-6.61 (m, 2H), 6.28 (d,  $J$  = 18 Hz, 1H), 1.13 (s, 12H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  163.3 (d,  $J$  = 248 Hz), 148.7, 134.1, 129.0 (d,  $J$  = 8.3 Hz), 115.5 (d,  $J$  = 8.3 Hz), 83.1, 24.8. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  30.1.  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR (282.5 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  -112.5. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2970, 2921, 1621, 1530, 1439, 1366, 1315, 1259, 1217, 1055, 966, 841, 737 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (EI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{19}\text{BF}_2\text{O}_2$  [M+H] $^+$ : 249.1460, found 249.1457.

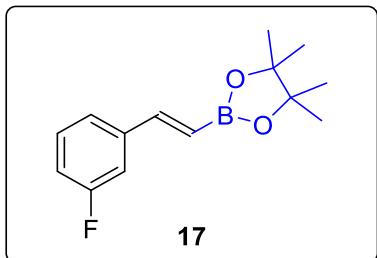


(*E*)-2-(4-chlorostyryl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 150:1. Yield: 77% (41.2 mg), E/Z = 99:1. Colorless oil.

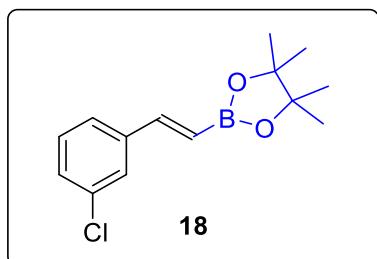
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>): δ 7.67 (d, *J* = 18 Hz, 1H), 6.95 (m, 4H), 6.30 (d, *J* = 18 Hz, 1H), 1.12 (s, 12H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75.5 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>): δ 148.6, 136.2, 134.6, 128.9, 128.5, 83.2, 24.8. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity. <sup>11</sup>B NMR (96.3 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>): 30.1. IR (ATR): ν<sub>max</sub> = 2976, 1631, 1623, 1492, 1489, 1411, 1352, 1270, 1210, 1142, 1087, 993, 803, 640, 491; cm<sup>-1</sup>. HRMS (EI): m/z Calculated for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>18</sub>BClO<sub>2</sub> [M]<sup>+</sup>: 264.1088, found 264.1088.



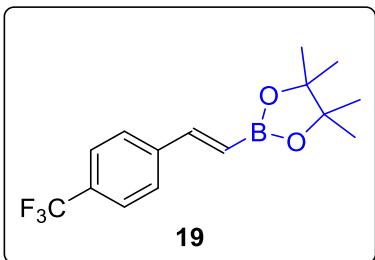
(*E*)-2-(4-bromostyryl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 150:1. Yield: 83% (51.1 mg), E/Z = 99:1. Pale yellow solid; mp: 76-78 °C (Pentane/EtOAc).<sup>6</sup> <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>): δ 7.53 (d, *J* = 18 Hz, 1H), 7.10 (d, *J* = 9 Hz, 2H), 6.88 (d, *J* = 9 Hz, 2H), 6.30 (d, *J* = 18 Hz, 1H), 1.12 (s, 12H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75.5 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>): δ 148.7, 136.7, 132.0, 128.8, 123.1, 83.3, 24.9. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity. <sup>11</sup>B NMR (96.3 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>): 30.3. IR (ATR): ν<sub>max</sub> = 2973, 1625, 1487, 1402, 1318, 1140, 1067, 1006, 969, 734, 490 cm<sup>-1</sup>. HRMS (EI): m/z Calculated for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>18</sub>BBrO<sub>2</sub> [M]<sup>+</sup>: 308.0583, found 308.0583.



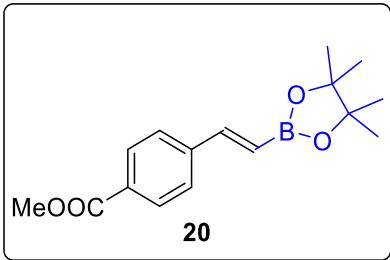
(*E*)-2-(3-fluorostyryl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 150:1. Yield: 71% (35.2 mg), E/Z = 99:1. Colorless oil. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>): δ 7.55 (d, *J* = 18 Hz, 1H), 7.01 (d, *J* = 9.9 Hz, 1H), 6.92 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 6.81-6.74 (m, 1H), 6.69-6.63 (m, 1H), 6.30 (d, *J* = 18 Hz, 1H), 1.11 (s, 12H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75.5 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>): δ 163.4 (d, *J* = 246 Hz), 148.5 (d, *J* = 2.5 Hz), 140.3 (d, *J* = 6.5 Hz), 130.1 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz), 123.1 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz), 115.6 (d, *J* = 21.3 Hz), 113.5 (d, *J* = 21.4 Hz), 83.2, 24.8. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity. <sup>11</sup>B NMR (96.3 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>): 30.3. <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282.5 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>): -113.2. IR (ATR): ν<sub>max</sub> = 2981, 2926, 2854, 1583, 1745, 1367, 1346, 1231, 1140, 1064, 953, 841, 782, 687 cm<sup>-1</sup>. HRMS (EI): m/z Calculated for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>21</sub>BO<sub>2</sub> [M]<sup>+</sup>: 248.1384, found 248.1388.



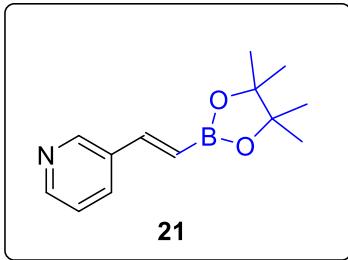
(*E*)-2-(3-chlorostyryl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 120:1). Yield: 83% (43.8 mg), E/Z = 99:1. Pale yellow oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  7.52 (d,  $J$  = 18 Hz, 1H), 7.31 (s, 1H), 7.00-6.91 (m, 2H), 6.71 (t,  $J$  = 9 Hz, 1H), 6.30 (d,  $J$  = 18 Hz, 1H), 1.13 (s, 12H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  148.3, 139.7, 134.8, 129.9, 128.7, 127.2, 125.2, 83.2, 24.8. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ): 30.3. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2978, 2931, 1491, 1370, 1316, 1142, 1091, 967, 839, 802, 487 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (EI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{18}\text{BClO}_2$  [M] $^+$ : 264.1088, found 264.1088.



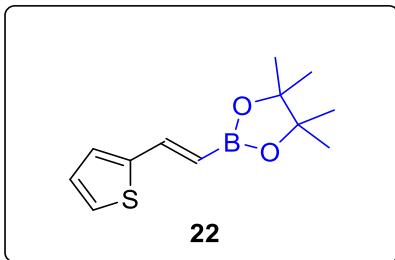
(*E*)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(4-(trifluoromethyl)styryl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 150:1. Yield: 80% (47.7 mg), E/Z = 99:1. Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  7.54 (d,  $J$  = 18 Hz, 1H), 7.17 (d,  $J$  = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 7.03 (d,  $J$  = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 6.34 (d,  $J$  = 18 Hz, 1H), 1.11 (s, 12H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  148.0, 140.8, 129.5 (q,  $J$  = 32 Hz), 127.2, 125.4 (q,  $J$  = 7.5 Hz), 124.6 (q,  $J$  = 272 Hz), 83.2, 24.6. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ): 30.3.  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR (282.5 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ): -62.4. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2980, 2926, 2225, 1371, 1328, 1138, 967, 850, 546 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (EI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{18}\text{BF}_3\text{O}_2$  [M] $^+$ : 298.1341, found 298.1352.



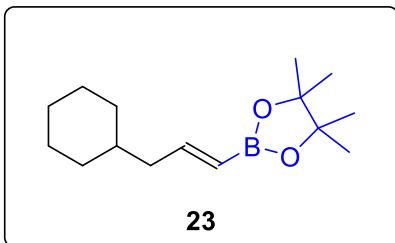
Methyl (*E*)-4-(2-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)vinyl)benzoate: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 50:1. Yield: 77% (44.4 mg), E/Z = 99:1. Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  7.95 (d,  $J$  = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.61 (d,  $J$  = 18 Hz, 1H), 7.26 (d,  $J$  = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 6.40 (d,  $J$  = 18 Hz, 1H), 3.47 (s, 3H), 1.12 (s, 12H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  166.4, 148.9, 142.0, 130.8, 130.3, 127.3, 83.4, 51.6, 25.0. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ): 29.9. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2976, 2929, 1713, 1567, 1441, 1350, 1275, 1148, 1112, 973, 845, 759, 652 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (APCI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{22}\text{BO}_4$  [M+H] $^+$ : 289.1604, found 289.1605.



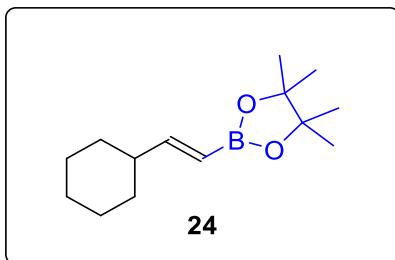
(*E*)-3-(2-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)vinyl)pyridine: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: DCM/MeOH = 80:1. Yield: 72% (33.3 mg), E/Z = 99:1. Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  8.67 (br, 1H), 8.38 (br, 1H), 7.54 (d,  $J$  = 18 Hz, 1H), 7.24 (d,  $J$  = 9 Hz, 1H), 6.59-6.55 (m, 1H), 6.34 (d,  $J$  = 18 Hz, 1H), 1.11 (s, 12H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  149.8, 149.4, 146.2, 132.7, 132.3, 123.1, 83.0, 24.6. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ): 29.9. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2980, 1590, 1470, 1325, 1311, 1247, 1141, 836, 531 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (ESI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{19}\text{BNO}_2$  [M+H] $^+$ : 232.1514, found 232.1509.



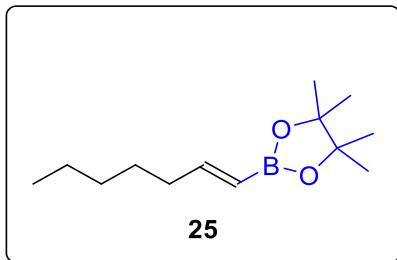
(*E*)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(2-thiophen-2-yl)vinyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 80:1. Yield: 88% (41.6 mg), E/Z = 7:1. Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  7.77 (d,  $J$  = 18 Hz, 1H), 6.74-6.79 (m, 2H), 6.58-6.57 (m, 1H), 6.28 (d,  $J$  = 18 Hz, 1H), 1.10 (s, 12H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  144.4, 142.5, 140.5 (minor), 130.1 (minor), 127.8, 127.3 (minor), 127.2, 126.4, 83.4 (minor), 83.2, 24.9. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ): 29.9. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2978, 1615, 1371, 1323, 1236, 1140, 969, 847, 698 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (ESI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{17}\text{BO}_2\text{SNa}$  [M+Na] $^+$ : 259.0933, found 259.0935.



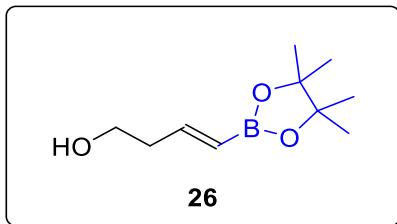
(*E*)-2-(3-cyclohexylprop-1-en-1-yl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 120:1. Yield: 79% (39.5 mg), E/Z = 99:1. Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  6.65-6.54 (m, 1H), 5.239 (d,  $J$  = 18 Hz, 1H), 2.06-2.01 (m, 2H), 1.68-1.64 (m, 6H), 1.26-1.15 (m, 15H), 0.93-0.86 (m, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  153.4, 82.9, 44.0, 37.1, 33.1, 26.4, 26.2, 24.7. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ): 29.9. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2979, 2921, 2852, 1638, 1359, 1316, 1143, 997, 971, 850, 647 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (ESI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{27}\text{BO}_2$  [M] $^+$ : 250.2104, found 250.2110.



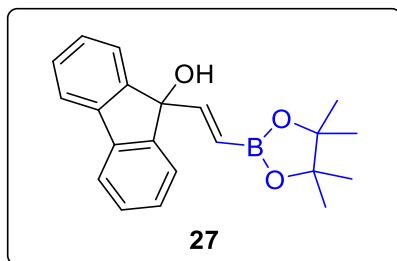
(*E*)-2-(2-cyclohexylvinyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 120:1. Yield: 65% (30.4 mg), E/Z = 99:1. Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>):  $\delta$  6.46 (dd,  $J$  = 18 Hz,  $J$  = 6.2 Hz, 1H), 5.25 (dd,  $J$  = 18 Hz,  $J$  = 1.4 Hz, 1H), 1.93-1.88 (m, 1H), 1.64-1.51 (m, 6H), 1.21-1.03 (m, 16H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>):  $\delta$  159.8, 82.9, 43.2, 31.9, 26.1, 25.9, 24.7. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>): 29.9. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2980, 2920, 2855, 1650, 1389, 1300, 997, 971, 850, 597 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (ESI): m/z Calculated for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>25</sub>BO<sub>2</sub> [M]<sup>+</sup>: 236.1948, found 236.1955.



(*E*)-2-(hept-1-en-1-yl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 150:1. Yield: 91% (40.8 mg), E/Z = 99:1. Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>):  $\delta$  7.03-6.93 (m, 1H), 5.80 (d,  $J$  = 18 Hz, 1H), 2.08-2.01(m, 2H), 1.15-1.07 (m, 18H), 0.79 (m, 3H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>):  $\delta$  154.9, 82.7, 36.0, 31.5, 28.3, 24.8, 22.7, 14.0. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>): 30.3. These spectroscopic data match those previously reported. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 3658, 2974, 2927, 1638, 1462, 847 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (ESI): m/z Calculated for C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>25</sub>BO<sub>2</sub> [M]<sup>+</sup>: 224.1948, found 224.1946.

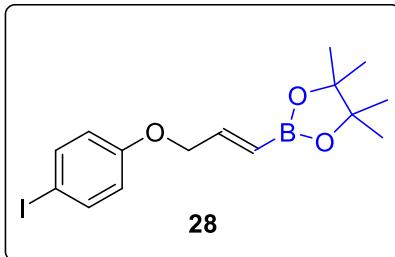


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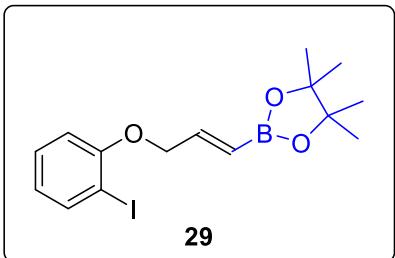


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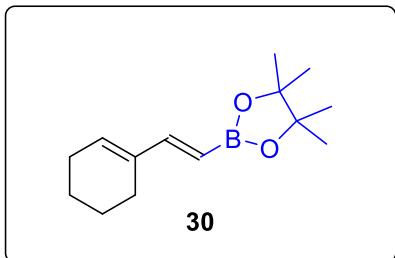
silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 80:1. Yield: 75% (48.1 mg), E/Z = 99:1. Yellow oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>):  $\delta$  7.35 (m, 4H), 7.12-7.08 (m, 2H), 7.02-6.96 (m, 3H), 6.49 (d,  $J$  = 18 Hz, 1H), 1.88 (s, 1H), 0.98 (s, 12H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>):  $\delta$  153.8, 148.6, 139.9, 129.0, 128.2, 125.1, 120.0, 83.4, 83.0, 24.7. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>): 30.0. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 3388, 2978, 1639, 1440, 1367, 1317, 1259, 1140, 975, 869, 583 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (ESI): m/z Calculated for C<sub>10</sub>H<sub>20</sub>BO<sub>3</sub> [M+H]<sup>+</sup>: 199.1789, found 199.1800.



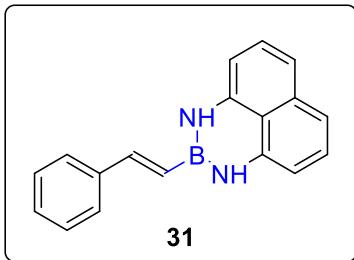
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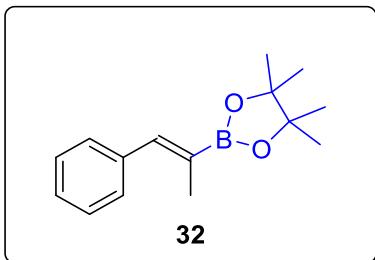
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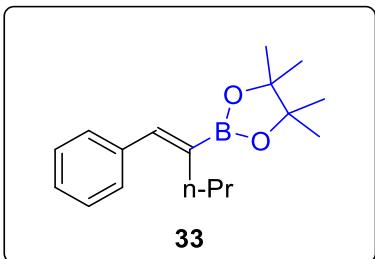
(*E*)-2-(2-(cyclohex-1-en-1-yl)vinyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 200:1. Yield: 80% (37.5 mg), E/Z = 99:1. Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  7.43 (d,  $J$  = 9 Hz, 1H), 5.79-5.73 (m, 2H), 2.06 (m, 2H), 1.87-1.86 (m, 2H), 1.43-1.26 (m, 6H), 1.11 (s, 12H), 0.89-0.82 (m, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  153.8, 137.5, 133.8, 82.6, 26.4, 24.8, 24.6, 24.4, 24.0. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ): 29.9. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2977, 2927, 2858, 2831, 1628, 1598, 1434, 1370, 1298, 1141, 1107, 1004, 966, 918, 845, 775 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (EI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{23}\text{BO}_2$  [M+H] $^+$ : 235.1866, found 235.1871.



(*E*)-2-styryl-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-naphtho[1,8-de][1,3,2]diazaborinine: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: DCM/MeOH 100:1. Yield: 91% (49.1 mg), E/Z = 99:1. Orange oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.53 (m, 2H), 7.42-7.33 (m, 3H), 7.18-7.04 (m, 5H), 6.39-6.29 (m, 3H), 5.86 (s, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  143.7, 141.2, 137.6, 136.4, 128.7 (2), 127.6, 126.8, 119.9, 117.6, 105.8. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  27.5. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 3410, 1556, 1436, 1142, 981, 825, 750 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (EI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{15}\text{BN}_2$  [M] $^+$ : 270.1322, found 270.1330.

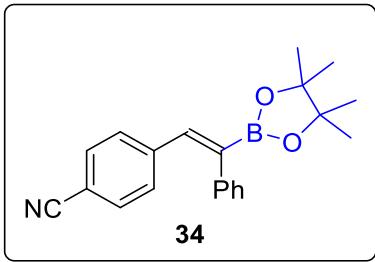


(*Z*)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(1-phenylprop-1-en-2-yl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 120:1. Yield: 81% (40.0 mg), E/Z = 99:1. Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  7.77 (s, 1H), 7.38 (d,  $J$  = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.20-7.13 (m, 2H), 7.08-7.03 (m, 1H), 2.22 (d,  $J$  = 1.5 Hz, 3H), 1.15 (s, 12H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ):  $\delta$  143.1, 138.1, 129.4, 128.1, 127.1, 83.1, 24.6, 15.9. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$ ): 30.8. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2977, 1616, 1384, 1369, 1310, 1145, 1035, 865, 752, 699, 668 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (EI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{21}\text{BO}_2$  [M] $^+$ : 244.1635, found 244.1641.

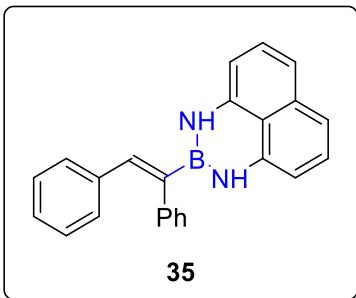


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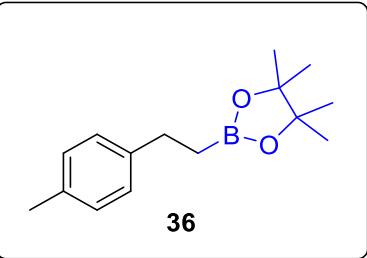
dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 120:1. Yield: 89% (48.4 mg), E/Z = 1:99. Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>):  $\delta$  7.82 (s, 1H), 7.40 (d,  $J$  = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.21-7.16 (m, 2H), 7.10-7.05 (m, 1H), 2.71 (t,  $J$  = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 1.88-1.75 (m, 2H), 1.17 (s, 12H), 1.01 (t,  $J$  = 7.4 Hz, 3H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>):  $\delta$  142.8, 138.2, 129.0, 128.2, 127.0, 83.0, 31.7, 24.6, 23.5, 14.2. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>): 31.1. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2977, 2871, 1615, 1493, 1405, 1374, 1351, 1310, 1270, 1231, 1146 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (ESI): m/z Calculated for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>25</sub>BO<sub>2</sub> [M]<sup>+</sup>: 272.1948, found 272.1950.



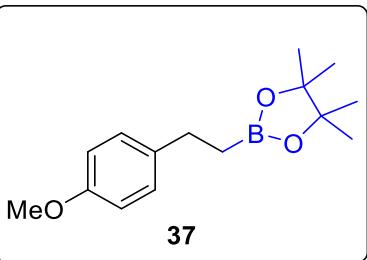
(Z)-4-(2-phenyl-2-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)vinyl)benzonitrile: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 120:1. Yield: 88% (58.3 mg), E/Z = 1:99. White solid, mp: 102-104 °C (Pentane/EtOAc).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>):  $\delta$  7.54 (s, 1H), 7.25-7.22 (m, 2H), 7.12-7.08 (m, 2H), 7.03-7.00 (m, 1H), 6.74-6.65 (m, 4H), 1.06 (s, 12H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>):  $\delta$  141.7, 141.1, 139.9, 131.6, 130.2, 128.9, 128.7, 127.0, 118.6, 111.4, 84.0, 24.7. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>): 30.4. These spectroscopic data match those previously reported. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2978, 2956, 2250, 1601, 1302, 1140, 982, 849, 708 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (ESI): m/z Calculated for C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>22</sub>BNO<sub>2</sub> [M]<sup>+</sup>: 331.1744, found 331.1744.



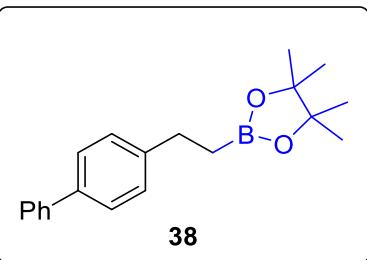
(Z)-2-(1,2-diphenylvinyl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-naphtho[1,8-de][1,3,2]diazaborinine: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: DCM/MeOH = 100:1. Yield: 78% (53.9 mg), E/Z = 1:99. Orange oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.95-7.89 (m, 4H), 7.60-7.35 (m, 6H), 7.09-6.92 (m, 6H), 6.21 (d,  $J$  = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 5.61 (s, 1H), 4.20 (s, 1H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>):  $\delta$  194.6, 141.1, 137.4, 134.9, 133.0, 129.9, 129.5, 129.1, 128.6, 128.1, 127.6, 126.9, 126.8, 117.7, 105.9, 100.0. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>): 28.1. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 3412, 1556, 1429, 1142, 920, 825, 751 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (EI): m/z Calculated for C<sub>24</sub>H<sub>19</sub>BN<sub>2</sub> [M]<sup>+</sup>: 346.1641, found 346.1635.



4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(4-methylphenethyl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 150:1. Yield: 95% (46.8 mg). Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.13 (d,  $J$  = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 6.81 (d,  $J$  = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 2.70 (t,  $J$  = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 1.22 (s, 12H), 1.12 (t,  $J$  = 8.1 Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  141.3, 134.7, 128.8, 127.8, 83.0, 29.4, 24.8, 20.9. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ): 33.9. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2978, 2926, 1369, 1319, 1143, 967, 804 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (ESI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{23}\text{BO}_2$  [M] $^+$ : 246.1791, found 246.1792. These spectroscopic data match those previously reported.<sup>7</sup>

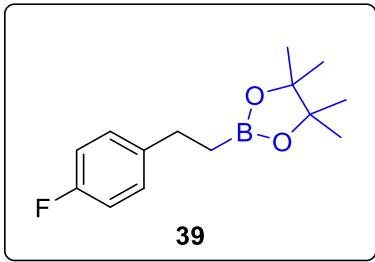


2-(4-methoxyphenethyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 150:1. Yield: 90% (47.2 mg). Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.13 (d,  $J$  = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 6.81 (d,  $J$  = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 2.69 (t,  $J$  = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 1.22 (s, 12H), 1.11 (t,  $J$  = 8.1 Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  157.6, 136.6, 128.9, 113.6, 83.1, 55.2, 29.1, 24.8.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ): 33.9. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2980, 2934, 2360, 1640, 1515, 1455, 1378, 1230, 1146, 968, 839, 680, 546 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (EI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{23}\text{BNaO}_3$  [M+Na] $^+$ : 286.1632, found 286.1635. These spectroscopic data match those previously reported.<sup>7</sup>

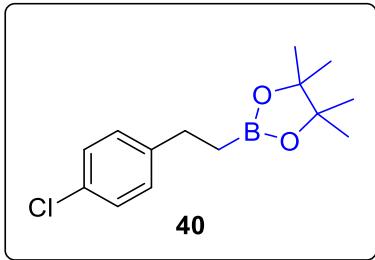


2-(2-([1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)ethyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 80:1. Yield: 97% (59.8 mg). Colorless solid, mp: 54-56 °C (Pentane/EtOAc).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.62 (d,  $J$  = 9 Hz, 2H), 7.54 (d,  $J$  = 9 Hz, 2H), 7.45 (t,  $J$  = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.37-7.32 (m, 3H), 2.83 (t,  $J$  = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 1.21-1.20 (m, 14H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  143.6, 141.3, 138.5, 128.7, 128.5, 127.0, 127.0, 127.0, 83.2, 29.7, 24.9. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ): 33.6. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2981, 2923, 1371, 1314, 1140, 830, 762, 698 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (EI): m/z

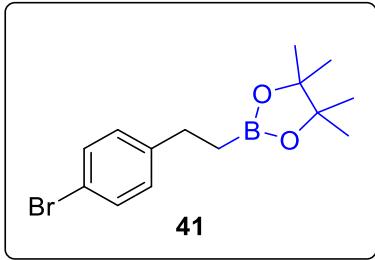
Calculated for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>25</sub>BO<sub>2</sub> [M]<sup>+</sup>: 308.1948, found 308.1950. These spectroscopic data match those previously reported.<sup>8</sup>



2-(4-fluorophenethyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 120/1). Yield: 90% (45.0 mg). Colorless oil. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 7.18-7.13 (m, 2H), 6.93 (m, 2H), 2.74 (t, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 1.21 (s, 12H), 1.11 (t, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75.5 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 161.4 (d, J = 241 Hz), 139.9 (d, J = 3.0 Hz), 129.3 (d, J = 7.7 Hz), 114.8 (d, J = 20.9 Hz), 83.1, 29.2, 24.8. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity. <sup>11</sup>B NMR (96.3 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>): 33.6. <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282.5 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): -118.4. IR (ATR): ν<sub>max</sub> = 2978, 2927, 1370, 1319, 1143, 967, 804 cm<sup>-1</sup>. HRMS (EI): m/z Calculated for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>20</sub>BFO<sub>2</sub> [M]<sup>+</sup>: 250.1540, found 250.1544. These spectroscopic data match those previously reported.<sup>6</sup>

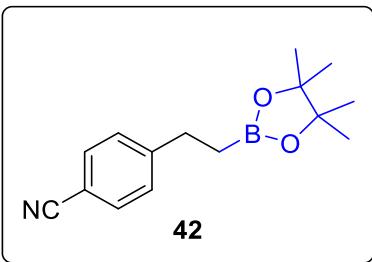


2-(4-chlorophenethyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 120:1. Yield: 91% (48.3 mg). Colorless oil. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 7.22 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.13 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 2.71 (t, J = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 1.21 (s, 12H), 1.11 (t, J = 8.1 Hz, 2H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75.5 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 142.8, 131.1, 129.4, 128.2, 83.2, 29.3, 24.8. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity. <sup>11</sup>B NMR (96.3 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): 33.7. IR (ATR): ν<sub>max</sub> = 2979, 2931, 1492, 1370, 1316, 1143, 967, 802, 487 cm<sup>-1</sup>. HRMS (EI): m/z Calculated for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>20</sub>BClO<sub>2</sub> [M]<sup>+</sup>: 266.1245, found 266.1245. These spectroscopic data match those previously reported.<sup>6</sup>

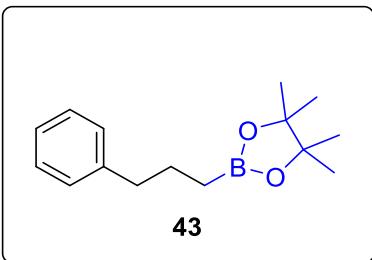


2-(4-bromophenethyl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 120:1. Yield: 95% (58.9 mg). Colorless oil. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 7.36 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.08 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 2.69 (t, J = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 1.21 (s, 12H), 1.11 (t, J = 8.1 Hz, 2H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75.5 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 143.3, 131.2, 129.8, 119.2,

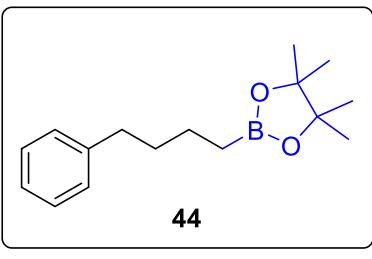
83.2, 29.4, 24.8. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ): 33.8. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2978, 2927, 1488, 1369, 1320, 1140, 1010, 848, 797, 485 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (ESI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{20}\text{BBrO}_2 [\text{M}]^+$ : 310.0740, found 310.0741. These spectroscopic data match those previously reported.<sup>9</sup>



4-(2-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)ethyl)benzonitrile: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 80:1. Yield: 99% (50.9 mg). Pale yellow solid; mp: 68-70 °C (Pentane/EtOAc).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.52 (d,  $J = 7.9 \text{ Hz}$ , 2H), 7.30 (d,  $J = 7.9 \text{ Hz}$ , 2H), 2.78 (t,  $J = 8.0 \text{ Hz}$ , 2H), 1.19-1.09 (m, 14H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  150.0, 132.0, 128.8, 119.2, 109.3, 83.3, 30.1, 24.7. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ): 33.4. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2974, 2934, 2361, 2338, 1364, 1276, 1217, 965, 767 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (ESI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{20}\text{BNNaO}_2 [\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ : 280.1479, found 280.1482. These spectroscopic data match those previously reported.<sup>6</sup>

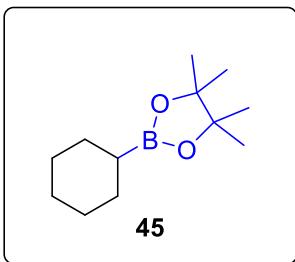


4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(3-phenylpropyl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 120:1. Yield: 71% (35.0 mg). Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.32-7.27 (m, 2H), 7.23-7.16 (m, 3H), 2.64 (t,  $J = 7.5 \text{ Hz}$ , 2H), 1.81-1.71 (m, 2H), 1.27 (s, 12H), 0.86 (t,  $J = 7.5 \text{ Hz}$ , 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  142.7, 128.6, 128.2, 125.6, 82.9, 38.6, 26.1, 24.9. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ): 34.3. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2980, 1362, 1306, 1142, 968, 841 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (ESI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{23}\text{BO}_2 [\text{M}]^+$ : 246.1791, found 246.1801. These spectroscopic data match those previously reported.<sup>9</sup>

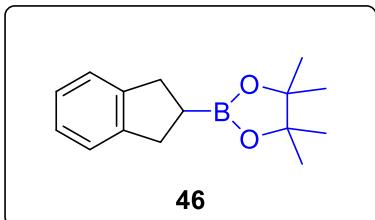


4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(3-phenylpropyl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 150:1. Yield: 71% (35.0 mg). Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.29-7.24 (m, 5H), 2.60 (t,  $J = 7.6 \text{ Hz}$ , 2H), 1.66-1.15 (m, 4H), 1.24 (s, 12H),

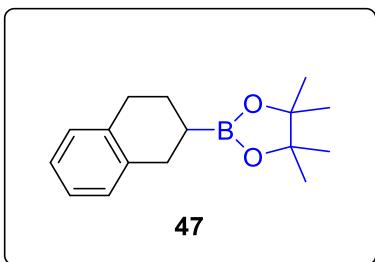
0.81 (t,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  142.9, 128.4, 128.2, 125.5, 82.9, 35.8, 34.2, 24.8, 23.8. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ): 33.6. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 3032, 2956, 1646, 1368, 1247, 1108, 747 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (EI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{25}\text{BO}_2$  [M] $^+$ : 260.1942, found 260.1948. These spectroscopic data match those previously reported.<sup>9</sup>



2-cyclohexyl-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 150:1. Yield: 43% (18.1 mg). Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  1.86-1.58 (m, 6H), 1.30-1.23 (m, 16H), 1.01-0.97 (m, 1H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  82.7, 28.0, 27.1, 26.8, 24.8. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ): 33.6. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2979, 2928, 2851, 2353, 1415, 1382, 1310, 1258, 1146, 968, 854, 750 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (EI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{23}\text{BO}_2$  [M] $^+$ : 210.1791, found 210.1792. These spectroscopic data match those previously reported.<sup>10</sup>

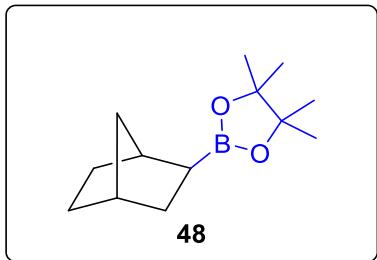


2-(2,3-dihydro-1H-inden-2-yl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 150:1. Yield: 60% (29.3 mg). Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.15-7.11 (m, 2H), 7.06-7.01 (m, 2H), 3.03-2.85 (m, 4H), 1.87-1.73 (m, 1H), 1.18 (s, 12H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  144.4, 125.8, 124.1, 83.2, 35.1, 24.7. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ): 33.6. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2976, 2932, 2845, 1414, 1371, 1314, 1261, 1140, 1108, 970, 856, 740 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (ESI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{21}\text{BO}_2$  [M+H] $^+$ : 245.1713, found 245.1715. These spectroscopic data match those previously reported.<sup>11</sup>

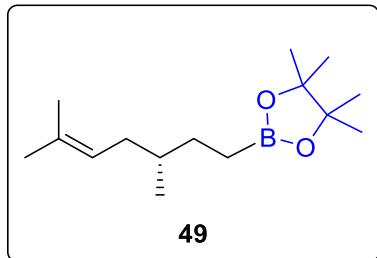


4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(1,2,3,4-tetrahydronaphthalen-2-yl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 100:1. Yield: 85% (43.9 mg). Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.19 (m, 4H), 3.05-2.84 (m, 4H), 2.20-2.17 (m, 1H), 1.84-1.75 (m, 1H), 1.53-1.38 (m, 13H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  137.1, 136.6, 128.9, 128.7, 125.1,

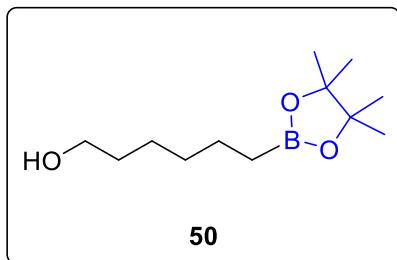
82.8, 30.5, 29.5, 24.6, 24.6, 24.5. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ): 33.5. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2977, 2920, 1382, 1315, 1142, 969, 853, 740 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (ESI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{23}\text{BO}_2$  [M] $^+$ : 258.1791, found 258.1774. These spectroscopic data match those previously reported.<sup>11</sup>



2-((1S,4S)-bicyclo[2.2.1]heptan-2-yl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 150:1. Yield: 39% (17.3 mg). Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  2.24 (m, 2H), 1.58-1.42 (m, 3H), 1.37-1.11 (m, 17H), 0.89-0.84 (m, 1H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  82.7, 38.7, 38.1, 36.6, 32.2, 32.2, 29.2, 24.7. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ): 33.6. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2946, 2868, 1370, 1308, 1224, 1144, 980, 859 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (ESI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{23}\text{BO}_2$  [M] $^+$ : 222.1791, found 222.1791. These spectroscopic data match those previously reported.<sup>10</sup>

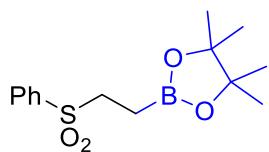


(S)-2-(3,6-dimethylhept-5-en-1-yl)-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 200:1). Yield: 79% (39.8 mg). Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  5.11-5.06 (m, 1H), 1.98-1.88 (m, 2H), 1.67 (s, 3H), 1.59 (s, 3H), 1.44-1.39 (m, 1H), 1.24-1.08 (m, 14H), 0.91-0.71 (m, 5H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  130.9, 125.1, 82.8, 36.7, 34.6, 30.9, 25.7, 25.6, 24.8, 24.8, 19.1, 17.6.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ): 34.7. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2922, 2868, 1370, 1308, 1220, 980, 862 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (ESI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{29}\text{BO}_2$  [M] $^+$ : 252.2261, found 252.2262.



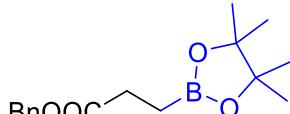
6-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)hexan-1-ol: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 60:1. Yield: 84% (38.3 mg). Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  3.59 (t,  $J = 6.6 \text{ Hz}$ , 2H), 1.55 (s, 1H), 1.42-1.22 (m, 18H), 0.75 (t,  $J = 7.5 \text{ Hz}$ , 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  82.9, 62.9, 32.6, 32.1, 25.4, 24.8, 23.9. The carbon signal attached

to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ): 33.9. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 3447, 2928, 2858, 1628, 1459, 1385, 1371, 1325, 1297, 1145 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (ESI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{25}\text{BO}_3$  [M] $^+$ : 228.1897, found 228.1895. These spectroscopic data match those previously reported.<sup>10</sup>



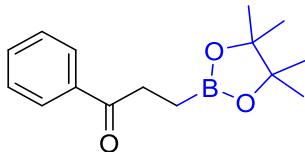
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4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-2-(2-(phenylsulfonyl)ethyl)-1,3,2-dioxaborolane: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 80:1. Yield: 95% (56.3 mg). Colorless solid, mp: 62-64 °C (Pentane/EtOAc).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.91-7.88 (m, 2H), 7.66-7.51 (m, 3H), 3.19-3.08 (m, 2H), 1.29-1.15 (m, 14H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  138.7, 133.5, 129.2, 128.3, 83.9, 52.0, 24.8. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ): 32.7. IR (ATR):  $\nu = 2938, 1448, 1366, 1305, 1142, 1084, 733, 534 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (ESI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{21}\text{BO}_4\text{S}$  [M] $^+$ : 296.1254, found 296.1258. These spectroscopic data match those previously reported.<sup>12</sup>



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Benzyl 3-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)propanoate: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 100:1. Yield: 83% (48.2 mg). Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.34 (m, 5H), 5.11 (s, 2H), 2.50 (t,  $J = 7.5 \text{ Hz}$ , 2H), 1.22 (s, 12H), 1.05 (t,  $J = 7.5 \text{ Hz}$ , 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  174.5, 136.2, 128.5, 128.1, 128.1, 83.3, 66.1, 28.4, 24.8. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ): 33.5. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2978, 1738, 1381, 1319, 1142, 970, 698 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (ESI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{24}\text{BO}_4$  [M+H] $^+$ : 291.1755, found 291.1756. These spectroscopic data match those previously reported.<sup>13</sup>

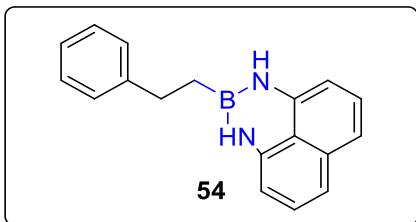


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1-phenyl-3-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)propan-1-one: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: Pentane/EtOAc = 150:1. Yield: 88% (45.8 mg). Colorless oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.97 (d,  $J = 7.3 \text{ Hz}$ , 2H), 7.53 (t,  $J = 7.3 \text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 7.43 (t,  $J = 7.4 \text{ Hz}$ , 2H), 3.15 (t,  $J = 6.9 \text{ Hz}$ , 2H), 1.25 (s, 12H), 1.07 (t,  $J = 6.9 \text{ Hz}$ , 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):

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$\delta$  200.6, 137.0, 132.8, 128.5, 128.0, 83.1, 33.7, 24.8. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ): 33.7. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 2980, 1684, 1381, 1320, 1421 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (EI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{21}\text{BO}_3$  [M] $^+$ : 260.1584, found 260.1591. These spectroscopic data match those previously reported.<sup>14</sup>



2-phenethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-naphtho[1,8-de][1,3,2]diazaborinine: Purification by silica gel column chromatography, eluent: DCM/MeOH = 100:1. Yield: 95% (54.3 mg). Orange oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.25-7.10 (m, 5H), 7.03-6.98 (m, 3H), 6.93-6.90 (m, 2H), 6.16 (d,  $J = 7.2 \text{ Hz}$ , 2H), 5.47 (s, 2H), 2.70 (t,  $J = 8.1 \text{ Hz}$ , 2H), 1.15 (t,  $J = 8.1 \text{ Hz}$ , 2H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75.5 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  143.9, 141.1, 136.3, 128.5, 128.0, 127.6, 125.9, 119.6, 117.5, 105.5, 30.8. The carbon signal attached to B was not observed due to low intensity.  $^{11}\text{B}$  NMR (96.3 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ): 31.5. IR (ATR):  $\nu_{\text{max}} = 3402, 2924, 1627, 1600, 1504, 1413, 1374, 1139, 1035 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . HRMS (EI): m/z Calculated for  $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{17}\text{BN}_2$  [M] $^+$ : 272.1485, found 272.1479. These spectroscopic data match those previously reported.<sup>15</sup>

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## 9. NMR spectra

