Supporting Information

Development and Mechanistic Investigations of Enantioselective Pd-Catalyzed Intermolecular Hydroaminations of Internal Dienes

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I. General Information

General Procedures. All reactions were carried out in oven- (120 °C) or flame-dried glassware under an inert atmosphere of dry N₂ unless otherwise noted. Oven-dried (60 °C or 120 °C) stainless steel cannulas and/or glass syringes (or N₂-flushed plastic syringes) were used for reagent transfer. Organic solutions were concentrated under reduced pressure using a rotary evaporator (Büchi). Flash column chromatography was performed using SiliCycle SiliaFlash[®] P60 Silica Gel.

Reagents.

(R)-(+)-[(R)-2-Diphenylphosphinoferrocenyl](N,N-dimethylamino)(2-diphenylphosphinophenyl)methane (Strem), (R,R)-(-)-2,3-bis(t-butylmethylphosphino)quinoxaline (Strem), (S)-1-[(Rp)-2-di-tertbutylphosphino]ferrocenyl]ethyldiphenylphophine (Sigma-Aldrich), (R)-(+)-2,2'bis(diphenylphosphino)-5,5',6,6',7,7',8,8'-octahydro-1.1'-binaphthyl (Strem), (R)-(+)-2.2'-bis[di(3,5xylyl)phosphino]-1,1'-binaphthyl (Strem), (R)-(+)-5,5'-dichloro-6,6'-dimenthoxy-2.2'bis(diphenylphosphino)-1,1'-biphenyl (R)-(+)-5,5'-bis(diphenylphosphino)-4,4'-bi-1,3-(Strem), benzodioxole (Strem), (R)-(+)-2,2',6,6'-tetramethoxy-4,4'-bis-(di(3,5-xylylphosphino)-3,3'-bipyridine (Strem), (S)-(+)-2,2'-bis[di(3,5-di-butyl-4-methoxyphenyl)phosphino]-6,6'-dimethoxy-1,1'-biphenyl (S)-(+)-5,5'-bis[di(3,5-di-*t*-butyl-4-methoxyphenyl)phosphino]-4,4'-bi-1,3-benzodioxole (Strem), (Sigma Aldrich), (S)-(6,6'-dimethoxybiphenyl-2,2'diyl)bis(diisopropylphosphine) (Strem), (-)-1,2bis[(2R,5R)-2,5-dimethylphospholano]benzene (Strem), (S,S)-DIPAMP (Strem), (2S, 4S) - 2, 4 bis(diphenylphosphino)pentane (Strem), trans-1-bromo-1-propene (Sigma-Aldrich), β -bromostyrene (Sigma-Aldrich), 1,3-bis(trifluoromethyl)-5-bromobenzene (Chem-Impex), n-BuLi in cyclohexane 2.0 M (Sigma-Aldrich), (*n*-butyl)triphenylphosphonium bromide (Acros), catecholborane (Sigma-Aldrich), chlorobis[3,5-bis(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]phosphine (Alfa chlorobis[4-Aesar), (trifluoromethyl)phenyl]phosphine (Alfa Aesar), cesium carbonate (Sigma-Aldrich), 4chlorocinnamaldehyde (Sigma-Aldrich), 4-chlorocinnamic acid (Matrix), trans-cinnamaldehyde (Alfa Aesar), 4-(dimethylamino)cinnamaldehyde (Sigma-Aldrich), diisobutylaluminum hydride (Sigma-Aldrich), ethylenediamine (Sigma-Aldrich), isoamyltriphenylphosphonium bromide (Sigma-Aldrich), ethyltriphenylphosphonium bromide (Acros), 4-methylcinnamic acid (Sigma-Aldrich), trans-pmethoxycinnamaldehyde (Acros), nickel(II) acetate tetrahydrate (Alfa Aesar), 1-phenylpiperazine (Alfa), 5-phenyl-1-pentyne (BeanTown Chemical), 1-propynyl magnesium bromide in THF 0.5 M (Sigma-Aldrich), sodium borohydride (VWR), *o*-tolualdehyde (TCI), (0)tetrakis(triphenylphosphine)palladium (Strem), thionyl chloride (Sigma-Aldrich), 4-(trifluoromethyl)cinnamaldehyde (Sigma-Aldrich) and 4-(trifluoromethyl)cinnamic acid (Matrix) were used as received. Sodium tetrakis[3,5-bis(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]borate (NaBAr F_4) was prepared according to a reported procedure.¹

Aniline (Sigma-Aldrich), 1-Boc-piperazine (Matrix), indoline (Acros), 1-methylpiperazine (TCI), *N*-methylbenzylamine (Sigma-Aldrich), morpholine (Sigma-Aldrich), 4-propylaniline (Sigma-Aldrich), 1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (Sigma-Aldrich) and triethylamine (Alfa Aesar) were distilled over CaH₂ before use.

Solvents. Solvents were sparged with dry N_2 and purified under a positive pressure of dry N_2 by an Innovative Technologies PureSolve solvent purification system: tetrahydrofuran (Sigma-Aldrich), dichloromethane (Sigma-Aldrich) and diethyl ether (Sigma-Aldrich), and toluene (Sigma-Aldrich) were passed through two consecutive alumina columns. Acetonitrile (Fisher) and ethanol (200 proof, Koptec) used for reactions were distilled over CaH₂ prior to use. Benzene (*anhyd.*, EMD Millipore), methanol (Sigma-Aldrich), DMF (*anhyd.*, Alfa Aesar), and *tert*-butanol were used as received. Hexanes (Fisher) and ethyl acetate (Fisher) were used for flash column chromatography and used as received. HPLC-grade hexanes (Sigma-Aldrich), methanol (Sigma-Aldrich), acetonitrile (Sigma-Aldrich) and isopropanol (Sigma-Aldrich) were used as received.

Instrumentation. ¹H-NMR spectra were recorded on a Varian INOVA (400 MHz) spectrometer. Chemical shifts are reported in ppm from tetramethylsilane with the solvent resonance resulting from incomplete deuteration as the internal reference (CDCl₃: δ 7.24, CD₂Cl₂: δ 5.32). Data are reported as follows: chemical shift, integration, multiplicity (s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, q = quartet, br = broad, m = multiplet, app. = apparent), coupling constant(s) (Hz). ¹³C-NMR spectra were recorded on a Varian/Agilent VNMRS (500 MHz) spectrometer with complete proton decoupling. Chemical shifts are reported in ppm from tetramethylsilane with the natural abundane of deuterium in the solvent resonance resulting from chloroform as the internal reference (CDCl₃: δ 77.08, CD₂Cl₂: δ 53.84). ¹⁹F-NMR spectra were recorded on a Varian INOVA (400 MHz) spectrometer. ³¹P-NMR spectra were recorded on a Varian INOVA (400 MHz) spectrometer. ³¹P-NMR spectra were recorded on a Varian INOVA (400 MHz) spectrometer. ³¹P-NMR spectra were recorded on a Varian INOVA (400 MHz) spectrometer. ³¹P-NMR spectra were recorded on a Varian INOVA (400 MHz) spectrometer. ³¹P-NMR spectra were recorded on a Varian INOVA (400 MHz) spectrometer. ³¹P-NMR spectra were recorded on a Varian INOVA (400 MHz) spectrometer. ³¹P-NMR spectra were recorded on a Varian INOVA (400 MHz) spectrometer. ³¹P-NMR spectra were recorded on a Varian INOVA (400 MHz) spectrometer. ³¹P-NMR spectra were recorded on a Varian INOVA (400 MHz) spectrometer. ³¹P-NMR spectra were recorded on a Varian INOVA (400 MHz) spectrometer. ³¹P-NMR spectra were recorded on a Varian INOVA (400 MHz) spectrometer. ³¹P-NMR spectra were recorded on a Varian INOVA (400 MHz) spectrometer. ³¹P-NMR spectra were recorded on a Varian INOVA (400 MHz) spectrometer. ³¹P-NMR spectra were recorded on a Varian INOVA (400 MHz) spectrometer.

racemic materials on a Shimadzu Prominence Modular HPLC. High-resolution mass spectrometry was performed on an Agilent (1200 Series) LCMS-TOF-DART at the Duke University Mass Spectrometry Facility. MALDI-MS data were recorded on a Bruker Autoflex Speed LRF MALDI-TOF. Specific rotation values were recorded on a Rudolph Autopol IV Polarimeter.ⁱ Infrared (IR) spectra were collected on a Nicolet 6700 FT-IR spectrometer, v_{max} in cm⁻¹. Bands are characterized as broad (br), strong (s), medium (m), or weak (w). Melting points were measured on an Electrothermal MelTemp[®] capillary melting point apparatus and are uncorrected.

HRMS data are an average of 3–4 runs. Polarimetry data are an average of 5–6 trials. Melting point data are an average of 3 runs.

II. Preparation of Substrates

1. Preparation of pure E,Z- and E,E-internal diene isomers



General Method A: (1*E*,3*Z*)-1-Phenyl-1,3-pentadiene ((*E*,*Z*)-1a): [Pd(PPh₃)₄] (116 mg, 0.100 mmol, 1.00 mol %) was dissolved in benzene (24 mL) in a 100-mL round-bottom flask. *trans-β*-Bromostyrene (1.28 mL, 10.0 mmol) was added followed by dropwise addition of a solution of 1-propynyl magnesium bromide in THF (0.5 M, 24 mL, 12.0 mmol) at 0 °C. After complete addition of 1-propynyl magnesium bromide, the reaction mixture was allowed to stir for 16 h at room temperature. The reaction was quenched with aqueous HCl (1.0 M, 25 mL) and after addition of hexanes (5 mL) the layers were separated. The organic layer was washed with saturated aqueous NaHCO₃ solution (15 mL) and dried over MgSO₄. After filtration, solvent was evaporated under reduced pressure to give the residue, which was purified by silica gel chromatography (eluting with hexanes) to afford (*E*)-pent-1-en-3-yn-1-ylbenzene as a colorless oil (1.33 g, 9.34 mmol, 93.4 % yield). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.35 (2H, dd, *J* = 8.4, 1.6 Hz), 7.33–7.27 (2H, m), 7.27–7.21 (1H, m), 6.86 (1H, d, *J* = 16.2 Hz), 6.12 (1H, dq, *J* = 16.4, 2.6 Hz), 2.00 (3H, d, *J* = 2.4 Hz). Spectral data matched those previously reported.²

To a 250-mL round-bottom flask were added Ni(OAc)₂•4H₂O (2.44 g, 9.81 mmol) and NaBH₄ (371 mg, 9.81 mmol) and a magnetic stirring bar. The flask was evacuated with nitrogen and then backfilled with H₂ (balloon), EtOH (90 mL) was added via syringe. The reaction mixture was allowed to stir for 30 min after which ethylenediamine (2.50 mL, 37.4 mmol) was added followed by the conjugated enyne (1.33 g, 9.34 mmol as a solution in 20 mL EtOH). Once all of the alkyne had been consumed (TLC analysis), the reaction mixture was diluted with Et₂O and filtered through celite. The celite was washed with Et₂O. The combined organic solutions were washed with aqueous HCl (1.0 M, 20 mL),

water (20 mL) and sat. aq. brine (20 mL) and then dried over MgSO₄. After filtration, solvent was evaporated under reduced pressure to give the residue which was purified by silica gel chromatography (eluting with hexanes) to afford (1*E*,3*Z*)-1-phenyl-1,3-pentadiene as a colorless oil (1.07 g, 7.39 mmol, 69.0% yield). ¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃, *E*,*Z*-**1a**) δ 7.41 (2H, d, *J* = 7.4 Hz), 7.31 (2H, t, *J* = 7.6 Hz), 7.20 (1H, t, *J* = 7.2 Hz), 7.08 (1H, ddd, *J* = 15.4, 11.1, 1.2 Hz), 6.51 (1H, d, *J* = 15.5 Hz), 6.17 (1H, td, *J* = 11.1, 1.2 Hz) 5.64–5.54 (1H, m), 1.85 (3H, dd, *J* = 7.2, 1.7 Hz). Spectral data matched those previously reported.³



(2Z,4E)-Undeca-2,4-diene: Prepared by General Method A for 12 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes) to yield as a colorless oil (608 mg, 3.99 mmol, 76.9% yield). *E*,*Z*-isomer (major): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 6.34-6.24 (1H, m), 5.95 (1H, t, *J* = 10.8 Hz), 5.67-5.58 (1H, m), 5.41-5.32 (1H, m), 2.15-1.90 (2H, m), 1.72 (3H, d, *J* = 7.1 Hz), 1.46-1.16 (m, 8H), 0.89 (3H, t, *J* = 7 Hz). Spectral data matched those previously reported.⁴



(1E, 3E)-1-Phenyl-1,3-pentadiene ((E,E)-1a): trans-1-Bromo-1-propene (172 µL, 2.00 mmol), (E)-

styrylboronic acid (444 mg, 3.00 mmol), Pd(OAc)₂ (22.5 mg, 0.100 mmol), Cs₂CO₃ (1.95 g, 6.00 mmol) and acetone (10 mL) were added to Schlenk tube and allowed to stir at 100 °C for 12 h. The mixture was then poured into EtOAc (ca. 10 mL) and washed with sat. aq. brine (3 x 10 mL). The organic layer was dried over MgSO₄. The solvent was evaporated under reduced pressure to afford the residue which was purified by silica gel chromatography (eluting with hexanes) to afford (*E*)-pent-1-en-3-yn-1-ylbenzene as a colorless oil (120 mg, 0.840 mmol, 42.0 % yield). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.36 (2H, d, *J* = 7.8 Hz), 7.28 (2H, t, *J* = 7.7 Hz), 7.18 (1H, t, *J* = 7.3 Hz), 6.74 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.7 Hz, 10.4 Hz), 6.41 (1H, d, *J* = 15.7 Hz), 6.26–6.16 (2H, m), 5.82 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.0 Hz, 6.9 Hz), 1.81 (3H, dd, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 1.3 Hz). Spectral data match those previously reported.⁵

2. Preparation of internal dienes through Wittig olefination

Ar
$$O$$
 + R PPh_2 Br H_2 H_2

Cinnamaldehydes were prepared from commercially available cinnamic acids according to their availability by the same route as Doye *et al* (1e-1h).⁶

<u>General Method B</u>: (1*E*)-Penta-1,3-dien-1-ylbenzene (1a): To a dry 250-mL round-bottom flask with a magnetic stirring rod was added triphenylphosphonium bromide (25.0 mmol, 1.25 equiv) and then equipped with reflux condenser and added diethyl ether (80 mL). The mixture was allowed to stir and then heated to 55 °C for 10 min. The solution was treated with *n*-BuLi (12.5 mL, 25.0 mmol, 1.25 equiv), allowed to stir for 15 min, and then added aldehyde (20.0 mmol, 1.00 equiv), continued stirring for the specified amount of time. The reaction mixture was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and poured into a separatory funnel filled with water (100 mL). The organics were extracted with Et₂O (3 X 50 mL). The combined organic fractions were dried over MgSO₄, filtered, and concentrated. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography to give **1** starting materials.



1a (1:1.8 *E,E*:*E,Z*)

((1E)-Penta-1,3-dien-1-yl)benzene (1a): Prepared by General Method B for 2 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes) to yield 1a as a colorless oil (2.52 g, 17.5 mmol, 87.4%). *E*,*Z*-isomer (major): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃,) δ 7.42 (2H, d, *J* = 7.7 Hz), 7.35–7.26 (2H, m), 7.24–7.16 (1H, m), 7.09 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.6, 11.1 Hz), 6.53 (1H, d, *J* = 15.6 Hz), 6.27–6.13 (1H, m), 5.65–5.55 (1H, m), 1.87 (3H, dd, *J* = 7.2, 1.7 Hz). *E*,*E*-isomer (minor): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃,) δ 7.37 (2H, d, *J* = 7.7 Hz), 7.35–7.26 (2H, m), 7.24–7.16 (1H, m), 6.75 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.6, 10.6 Hz), 6.43 (1H, *J* = 15.7 Hz), 6.27–6.13 (2H, m), 5.84 (1H, dd, *J* = 14.8, 6.9 Hz), 1.83 (3H, d, *J* = 6.5 Hz); Spectral data matched those previously reported.^{3,5}



N,*N*-Dimethyl-4-((1*E*)-penta-1,3-dien-1-yl)aniline (1b) : Prepared by General Method B for 12 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 10:90 hexanes:EtOAc) to yield 1b as a colorless oil (768 mg, 4.10 mmol, 82.0% yield). IR (neat, cm⁻¹) 3006 (m), 2910 (m), 2804 (m), 1602 (s), 1517 (s), 1355 (s), 1184 (m), 1024 (s), 942 (s), 809 (s); *E*,*Z*-isomer (major): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.39–7.32 (2H, m), 6.93 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.5 Hz, 11.0 Hz), 6.75–6.66 (2H, m), 6.48 (1H, d, *J* = 15.5 Hz), 6.28–6.13 (1H, m), 5.50 (1H, dq, *J* = 14.1 Hz, 7.1 Hz), 2.98 (3H, s), 2.97 (3H, s), 1.87 (3H, d, *J* = 7.1 Hz); *E*,*E*-isomer (minor): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.29 (2H, dd, *J* = 8.6, 1.6 Hz), 6.75–6.66 (2H, m), 6.61 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.5, 10.4 Hz), 6.38 (1H, d, *J* = 15.7 Hz), 6.28–6.13 (1H, m), 5.75 (1H, dq, *J* = 14.5, 6.7 Hz), 2.96 (6H, s), 1.83 (3H, d, *J* = 6.7 Hz); *E*,*Z*- and *E*,*E*-isomer mixture : ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 150.0, 132.4, 132.1, 127.6, 127.4, 127.2, 126.2, 125.4, 124.6, 120.3, 112.5, 40.5, 18.4, 13.6; HRMS (ESI⁺) [M+H]⁺ calc'd for C₁₃H₁₇N: 188.1434, found: 188.1435.



1-Methoxy-4-((**1***E*,**3***E*)-**penta-1,3-dien-1-yl)benzene** (**1c**): Prepared by General Method B for 12 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 15:85 hexanes:EtOAc) to yield **1c** as a colorless oil (1.23 g, 7.03 mmol, 70.3% yield). *E*,*Z*-isomer (major): ¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.34 (2H, d, *J* = 8.7 Hz), 6.94 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.6, 11.0 Hz), 6.85–6.81 (2H, m), 6.46 (1H, d, *J* = 15.5 Hz), 6.21–6.12 (1H, m), 5.53 (1H, dq, *J* = 11.0, 6.9 Hz), 3.80 (3H, s), 1.83 (3H, dd, *J* = 7.2, 1.6 Hz); *E*,*E*-isomer (minor): ¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.29 (2H, d, *J* = 8.8 Hz), 6.85–6.81 (2H, m), 6.61 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.5, 10.3 Hz), 6.36 (1H, d, *J* = 15.9 Hz), 6.21–6.12 (1H, m), 5.76 (1H, dq, *J* = 14.0, 6.9 Hz), 3.79 (3H, s), 1.80 (3H, d, *J* = 6.9 Hz). Spectral data matched those previously reported.⁷



1-Methyl-4-((1*E*)-**penta-1,3-dien-1-yl)benzene** (1d) : Prepared by General Method B for 12 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes) to yield 1d as a colorless oil (467 mg, 2.95 mmol, 59.0% yield). *E*,*Z*-isomer (major): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.31 (2H, d, *J* = 8.1 Hz), 7.11 (2H, d, *J* = 7.7 Hz), 7.03 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.5, 11.1 Hz), 6.49 (1H, d, *J* = 15.6 Hz), 6.26–6.11 (1H, m), 5.56 (1H, dq, *J* = 10.3, 7.1 Hz), 2.33 (3H, s), 1.85 (3H, dd, *J* = 7.2, 1.7 Hz); *E*,*E*-isomer (minor): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.26 (2H, d, *J* = 8.0 Hz), 7.31 (2H, d, *J* = 8.1 Hz), 6.69 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.7, 10.4 Hz), 6.39 (1H, d, *J* = 15.7 Hz), 6.26–6.11 (1H, m), 5.79 (1H, dq, *J* = 13.6, 6.7 Hz), 2.32 (3H, s), 1.81 (3H, dd, *J* = 6.8, 1.3 Hz). Spectral data matched those previously reported.⁸



1-Chloro-4-((1*E*)-**penta-1,3-dien-1-yl)benzene** (1e) : Prepared by General Method B for 12 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 15:85 hexanes:EtOAc) to yield 1e as a colorless oil (557 mg, 3.12 mmol, 53.0% yield); *E*,*Z*-isomer (major): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.33–7.24 (4H, m), 7.04 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.9, 11.5 Hz), 6.45 (1H, d, *J* = 15.7 Hz), 6.25–6.08 (1H, m), 5.61 (1H, dq, *J* = 10.5, 6.9 Hz), 1.84 (3H, dd, *J* = 7.2, 1.7 Hz); *E*,*E*-isomer (minor): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.33–7.24 (4H, m), 6.69 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.7, 10.4 Hz), 6.35 (1H, d, *J* = 15.7 Hz), 6.25–6.08 (1H, m), 5.89–5.77 (1H, m), 1.81 (3H, d, *J* = 7.3 Hz). Spectral data matched those previously reported.⁸



1-((1*E***)-Penta-1,3-dien-1-yl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)benzene (1f) :** Prepared by General Method B for 12 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 15:85 hexanes:EtOAc) to yield **1f** as a colorless oil (628 mg, 2.96 mmol, 52.4% yield). *E*,*Z*-isomer (major): ¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.59–7.28 (4H, m), 7.17 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.6, 11.1 Hz), 6.52 (1H, d, *J* = 15.6 Hz), 6.29–6.13 (1H, m), 5.69 (1H, dq, 10.5, 7.1 Hz), 1.88 (3H, dd, *J* = 7.2, 1.6 Hz); *E*,*E*-isomer (minor): ¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.59–7.28 (4H, m), 6.81 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.6, 10.4 Hz), 6.42 (1H, d, *J* = 15.6 Hz), 6.29–6.13 (1H, m), 5.91 (1H, dq, *J* = 13.9, 6.8 Hz), 1.84 (3H, *J* = 6.8 Hz). Spectral data matched those previously reported.⁹



1-Methyl-3-((1*E*)-**penta-1,3-dien-1-yl)benzene** (1g) : Prepared by General Method B for 12 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes) to yield 1g as a colorless oil (430 mg, 2.72 mmol, 36.7% yield). IR (neat, cm⁻¹) 3014 (m), 2912 (m), 2852 (w), 1599 (m), 1445 (m), 982 (s), 941 (s), 718 (s), 690 (s); *E,Z*-isomer (major): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.24–7.00 (4H, m), 6.76–6.68 (1H, m), 6.37 (1H, d, *J* = 15.4 Hz), 6.27–6.11 (1H, m), 5.88–5.73 (1H, m), 2.33 (3H, s), 1.80 (3H, d, *J* = 5.3 Hz); *E,E*-isomer (minor): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.24–7.00 (5H, m), 6.47 (1H, d, *J* = 16.0 Hz), 6.27–6.11 (1H, m), 5.63–5.50 (1H, m), 2.31 (3H, s), 1.84 (3H, s); *E,Z*- and *E,E*-isomer mixture : ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 138.1, 137.7, 132.1, 132.0, 130.1, 129.9, 129.8, 129.2, 128.5, 128.2, 128.0, 127.1, 127.0, 126.7, 124.0, 123.6, 123.4, 21.5, 18.4, 13.7; Elemental Analysis calc'd for C₁₂H₁₄ : C, 91.08; H, 8.92. found : C, 90.79; H, 8.88.



1h (1:2.4 *E*,*E*:*E*,*Z*)

1-Methyl-2-((1*E***)-penta-1,3-dien-1-yl)benzene (1h) :** Prepared by General Method B for 12 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes) to yield **1h** as a colorless oil (656 mg, 4.15 mmol, 50.9% yield). **IR** (neat, cm⁻¹) 3022 (m), 2911 (m), 1599 (w), 1481 (m), 980 (s), 942 (s), 745 (s); *E*,*Z*-isomer (major): ¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.51 (1H, d, *J* = 7.2 Hz), 7.26–7.07 (3H, m), 6.98 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.4, 11.1 Hz), 6.72 (1H, d, *J* = 15.5 Hz), 6.32–6.15 (1H, m), 5.59 (1H, dq, *J* = 10.6, 7.1 Hz), 2.34 (3H, s), 1.84 (3H, dd, *J* = 7.1, 1.8 Hz); *E*,*E*-isomer (minor): ¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.45 (1H, d, *J* = 7.1 Hz), 7.26–7.07 (4H, m), 6.63 (1H, d, *J* = 7.5 Hz), 6.31–6.15 (1H, m), 5.82 (1H, dq, *J* = 13.5, 7.0 Hz), 2.33 (3H, s), 1.81 (3H, dd, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 1.7 Hz); *E*,*Z*- and *E*,*E*-isomer mixture : ¹³**C NMR** (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 136.6, 135.5, 132.3, 130.5, 130.4, 130.2, 130.0, 129.6, 127.5, 127.3, 127.1, 126.1, 125.4, 125.2, 125.0, 19.9, 18.4, 13.7; Elemental Analysis calc'd for C₁₂H₁₄ : C, 91.08; H, 8.92; found : C, 90.79; H, 8.98.



((1*E*)-Hepta-1,3-dien-1-yl)benzene (1i) : Prepared by General Method B for 12 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes) to yield 1i as a colorless oil (1.13 g, 6.53 mmol, 65.3% yield); *E*,*Z*-isomer: ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.44–7.34 (2H, m), 7.34–7.25 (2H, m), 7.23–7.14 (1H, m), 6.75 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.7, 10.4 Hz), 6.43 (1H, d, *J* = 15.6 Hz), 6.25–6.11 (1H, m), 5.82 (1H, dt, *J* = 14.6, 7.0 Hz), 2.12 (2H, dt, *J* = 7.3, 7.3 Hz), 0.93 (3H, t, *J* = 7.4 Hz); *E*,*E*-isomer: ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.44–7.34 (2H, m), 7.34–7.25 (2H, m), 7.23–7.14 (1H, m), 7.06 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.6, 11.1 Hz), 6.52 (1H, d, *J* = 15.6 Hz), 6.25–6.11 (1H, m), 5.53 (1H, dt, *J* = 10.5, 7.7 Hz), 2.27 (2H, dt, *J* = 7.5, 7.5 Hz), 1.53–1.39 (2H, m), 0.95 (3H, t, *J* = 7.4 Hz). Spectral data matched those previously reported.¹⁰



((1*E*)-6-Methylhepta-1,3-dien-1-yl)benzene (1j) : Prepared by General Method B for 12 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes) to yield 1j as a colorless oil (1.32 g, 7.10 mmol, 71.0% yield). IR (neat, cm⁻¹) 3023 (m), 293 (s), 2924 (m), 2867 (m), 1595 (m), 1464 (m), 985 (s), 946 (s), 742 (s); *E*,*Z*- and *E*,*E*-isomer mixture: ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.46–7.37 (4H, m), 7.37–7.27 (4H, m), 7.27–7.17 (2H, m), 7.09 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.5, 11.2 Hz), 6.79 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.7, 10.4 Hz), 6.55 (1H, d, *J* = 15.6 Hz), 6.46 (1H, d, 15.7 Hz), 6.28–6.14 (2H, m), 5.83 (1H, dt, *J* = 15.0, 7.4 Hz), 5.57 (1H, dt, *J* = 10.7, 7.8 Hz), 2.20 (2H, td, *J* = 7.3, 1.5 Hz), 2.06 (2H, dd, *J* = 7.0, 7.0 Hz), 1.79–1.64 (2H, m), 0.97 (6H, d, *J* = 6.7 Hz), 0.94 (6H, d, *J* = 6.7 Hz); *E*,*Z*- and *E*,*E*-isomer mixture : ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 137.8, 134.7, 132.1, 131.7, 130.0, 129.5, 128.6, 127.4, 127.1, 126.4, 126.2, 124.7, 42.3, 37.2, 28.9, 28.7, 22.5, 22.4; Elemental Analysis calc'd for C₁₄H₁₈ : C, 90.26; H, 9.74. found : C, 89.76; H, 9.82.



((1*E*)-6-(Benzyloxy)hexa-1,3-dien-1-yl)benzene (1l) : Prepared by General Method B for 12 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 20:80 hexanes:EtOAc) to yield 1l as a colorless oil (1.11 g, 4.21 mmol, 98.2% yield). *E*,*Z*-isomer (major): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.43–7.16 (10H, m), 7.06 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.5, 11.2 Hz), 6.54 (1H, d, *J* = 15.6 Hz), 6.31–6.20 (1H, m), 5.56 (1H, dt, *J* = 10.4, 7.6 Hz), 2.54 (2H, s), 3.55 (2H, t, *J* = 6.9 Hz), 2.62 (2H, q, *J* = 7.1 Hz); *E*,*E*-isomer (minor): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.43–7.16 (10H, m), 6.75 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.6, 10.5 Hz), 6.45 (1H, d, *J* = 15.7 Hz), 6.31–6.20 (1H, m), 5.83 (1H, dt, *J* = 14.6, 7.0 Hz), 4.53 (2H, s), 3.55 (2H, t, *J* = 6.8 Hz), 2.47 (2H, dt, *J* = 6.9, 6.9 Hz). Spectral data match those previously reported.¹¹



((1*E*)-Penta-1,3-dien-1-yl)cyclohexane (1n) : Prepared by General Method B for 12 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes) to yield 1n as a colorless oil (393 mg, 2.62 mmol, 27.1% yield). *E*,*Z*-isomer (major): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 6.29 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.3, 11.0 Hz), 6.03–5.92 (1H, m), 5.65–5.46 (1H, m), 5.37 (1H, dq, *J* = 14.1, 7.1 Hz), 1.74–0.82 (14H, m); *E*,*E*-isomer (minor): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 6.03–5.92 (2H, m), 5.65–5.46 (2H, m), 1.74–0.82 (14H, m);

3. Preparation of other internal diene derivatives



Step A: To a 2-neck 25-mL round-bottom flask fitted with a reflux condenser and equipped with a magnetic stirring rod was added 5-phenyl-1-pentyne (720 mg, 5.0 mmol, 1.0 equiv), catecholborane (720 mg, 6.00 mmol, 1.20 equiv) and THF (1 mL). The mixture was allowed to stir and then heated to 70 °C for 18 h. The reaction mixture was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and the solvent was then removed *in vacuo*. Then H₂O (3 mL) was added and the suspension was vigorously stirred for 4 h at room temperature. The solid was filtered and then recrystallized from water. The resulting vinylboronic acid was then filtered and dried *in vacuo* to give (*E*)-(5-phenylpent-1-en-1-yl)boronic acid (882 mg, 4.63 mmol, 92.8%) as a white solid.

Step B: In a glovebox, to a 25-mL screw-type flask equipped with a magnetic stirring rod was added palladium acetate (22.5 mg, 0.100 mmol, 5.00 mol %), triphenylphosphine (52.5 mg, 0.200 mmol, 10.0 mol %), Cs₂CO₃ (1.95 g, 6.00 mmol, 3.00 equiv), (*E*)-(5-phenylpent-1-en-1-yl)boronic acid (418 mg, 2.20 mmol, 1.10 equiv) and *trans-\beta* –bromostyrene (360 mg, 2.00 mmol, 1.00 equiv) with 5:1

THF:H₂O (6 mL) in the glovebox. The reaction flask was removed from the glovebox and then heated to 80 °C for 24 h. The reaction mixture was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and poured into a separatory funnel filled with water (20 mL). The organics were extracted with Et₂O (3 X 20 mL). The combined organic fractions were dried over MgSO₄, filtered, and concentrated. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (hexanes) to give **1k** (224.0 mg, 0.901 mmol, 45.1%) as a white solid.

((1*E*,3*E*)-Hepta-1,3-diene-1,7-diyl)dibenzene (1k) : Modified from published procedure.^{13,14} ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.52–7.14 (10H, m), 6.85 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.6, 10.4 Hz), 6.51 (1H, d, *J* = 15.6 Hz), 6.29 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.0, 10.4 Hz), 5.91 (1H, dt, *J* = 15.0, 7.0 Hz), 2.73 (2H, t, *J* = 7.5 Hz), 2.26 (2H, td, *J* = 7.5, 7.0 Hz), 1.84 (2H, t, *J* = 7.5 Hz). Spectral data matched those previously reported.¹⁵



Step A: To a 100-mL round-bottom flask equipped with a magnetic stirring rod was added [3-(ethoxycarbonyl)propyl]triphenylphosphonium bromide (4.57 g, 10.0 mmol, 1.00 equiv), K_2CO_3 (5.53 g, 40.0 mmol, 4.00 equiv) and toluene (20 mL). The mixture was allowed to stir and then heated to 65 °C. After 10 min, *trans*-cinnamaldehyde (5.3 mL, 40 mmol, 4.0 equiv) was added and the mixture was allowed to continue stirring for 7 h. The reaction mixture was then allowed to cool to ambient temperature and poured into a separatory funnel filled with water (100 mL). The organics were extracted with EtOAc (3 X 50 mL). The combined organic fractions were dried over MgSO₄, filtered, and concentrated. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (100% hexanes to 80:20 hexanes:EtOAc) to give ethyl (6*E*)-7-phenylhepta-4,6-dienoate (1.09 g, 4.73 mmol, 47.3%) as a colorless oil.

Ethyl (6*E*)-7-phenylhepta-4,6-dienoate : *E*,*Z*-isomer (major): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.40 (2H, d, *J* = 8.0 Hz), 7.33–7.25 (2H, m), 7.24–7.16 (1H, m), 7.05 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.5, 11.2 Hz), 6.53 (1H, d, *J* = 15.5 Hz), 6.18 (1H, t, *J* = 11.9 Hz), 5.47 (1H, dt, *J* = 11.1, 7.7 Hz), 4.12 (2H, q, *J* = 7.1 Hz), 2.61 (2H, q, *J* = 7.4 Hz), 2.42 (2H, t, *J* = 7.5 Hz), 1.24 (3H, t, *J* = 7.3 Hz); *E*,*E*-isomer (minor): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.36 (2H, d, *J* = 8.2 Hz), 7.33–7.25 (2H, m), 7.24–7.16 (1H, m), 6.77 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.8, 10.5 Hz), 6.45 (1H, d, *J* = 15.7 Hz), 6.28–6.22 (1H, m), 5.84–5.74 (1H, m), 4.13 (2H, q, *J* = 7.2 Hz), 2.63–2.58 (2H, m), 2.47–2.40 (2H, m), 1.24 (3H, t, *J* = 7.1 Hz). Spectral data matched those previously reported.¹⁶

Step B: In a 25-mL round-bottom flask with stir bar, lithium aluminum hydride (125 mg, 3.30 mmol, 1.10 equiv) was suspended in THF (4 mL). The suspension was allowed to stir and cool to 0 °C. A solution of ethyl (6*E*)-7-phenylhepta-4,6-dienoate (692 mg, 3.00 mmol, 1.00 equiv) in THF (3 mL) was added by cannula. The reaction mixture was allowed to warm to room temperature and stirr for 3 h. To this reaction mixture were added water (1 mL), 3.0 M aqueous sodium hydroxide (10 mL), and water (10 mL) successively. After stirring for 15 min, the resulting suspension was filtered through a celite pad, which was rinsed with ethyl acetate. The filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (100% hexanes to 80:20 hexanes:EtOAc) to give (6*E*)-7-phenylhepta-4,6-dien-1-ol (428 mg, 2.27 mmol, 75.8%) as a colorless oil.

(6*E*)-7-Phenylhepta-4,6-dien-1-ol : *E*,*Z*-isomer (major): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.40 (2H, d, *J* = 7.7 Hz), 7.30 (2H, t, *J* = 6.8 Hz), 7.25–7.15 (1H, m), 7.07 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.5, 11.1 Hz), 6.53 (1H, d, *J* = 15.5 Hz), 6.18 (1H, t, *J* = 10.9 Hz), 5.52 (1H, q, *J* = 9.1, 8.5 Hz), 3.68 (2H, td, *J* = 6.2, 1.8 Hz), 2.38 (2H, q, *J* = 7.5 Hz), 1.73–1.66 (2H, m), 1.38 (1H, s); *E*,*E*-isomer (minor): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.36 (2H, d, *J* = 7.6 Hz), 7.34–7.26 (2H, m), 7.25–7.15 (1H, m), 6.74 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.1, 10.2 Hz), 6.44 (1H, d, *J* = 15.4 Hz), 6.26–6.16 (1H, m), 5.81 (1H, dt, *J* = 15.6, 7.3 Hz), 3.70–3.65 (2H, m), 2.23 (2H, q, *J* = 7.0 Hz), 1.73–1.66 (3H, m). Spectral data matched those previously reported.¹⁷

Step C: In a 25-mL round-bottom flask with stir bar, (6E)-7-phenylhepta-4,6-dien-1-ol (188 mg, 1.00 mmol, 1.00 equiv) in dichloromethane (5 mL) was treated with *tert*-butyldimethylsilyl chloride (196 mg, 1.30 mmol, 1.30 equiv) and imidazole (102 mg, 1.50 mmol, 1.50 equiv). The resulting solution was allowed to stir overnight and then treated with water (10 mL). The organic layer was separated, and the aqueous layer was washed with hexanes (3 x 20 mL). The combined organic layerss were washed with water (50 mL), and saturated aqueous sodium bicarbonate (50 mL) and then dried over

MgSO₄. After filtration, the solvent was removed under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (hexanes) to give **1m** (300 mg, 0.992 mmol, 99.2%) as a colorless oil.

tert-Butyldimethyl(((6*E*)-7-phenylhepta-4,6-dien-1-yl)oxy)silane (1m): *E*,*Z*-isomer (major): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.39 (2H, d, *J* = 8.0 Hz), 7.29 (2H, t, *J* = 7.5 Hz), 7.20 (1H, t, *J* = 7.3 Hz), 7.06 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.5, 11.1 Hz), 6.51 (1H, d, *J* = 15.6 Hz), 6.17 (1H, t, *J* = 11.0 Hz), 5.57–5.47 (1H, m), 3.64 (2H, t, *J* = 6.4 Hz), 2.35 (2H, q, *J* = 5.5 Hz), 1.64 (2H, p, *J* = 6.6 Hz), 0.89 (9H, s), 0.04 (6H, s); *E*,*E*-isomer (minor): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.36 (2H, d, *J* = 7.7 Hz), 7.31–7.26 (2H, m), 7.21-7.16 (1H, m), 6.74 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.6, 10.5 Hz), 6.42 (1H, d, *J* = 15.8 Hz), 6.24–6.13 (1H, m), 5.81 (1H, dt, *J* = 14.4, 6.8 Hz), 3.66–3.61 (2H, m), 2.19 (2H, q, *J* = 7.0 Hz), 1.67–1.60 (2H, m), 0.89 (9H, s), 0.04 (6H, s). Spectral data matched those previously reported.¹⁸

III. Preparation of Pd-1

1. Preparation of Pd–PHOX complex of the type [L(η^3 -allyl)Pd]BAr^F₄

General Procedure: This method is exemplified by the preparation of Pd-1:



Pd-1: To a 100-mL round-bottom flask, equipped with a magnetic stirring rod, inside an N_2 -filled glovebox, was added [Pd(η^3 -allyl)Cl]₂ (173 mg, 0.500 mmol, 0.500 equiv), L1¹⁹ (543 mg, 1.00 mmol, 1.00 equiv), and CH₂Cl₂ (25 mL). The resulting yellow solution was allowed to stir at ambient temperature for *ca*. 20 min before NaBAr^F₄ (886 mg, 1.00 mmol, 1.00 equiv). The reaction was allowed to stir vigorously until becoming cloudy and black in color. After 15 h, the reaction flask was removed from the glovebox and the mixture concentrated in vacuo. The resulting gray solid dissociated in CH₂Cl₂ and then washed water. The organic layer was dried over MgSO₄, filtered and then the solvent evaporated under reduced pressure. The resulting white to gray solid was used directly without further purification (1.58 g, 0.948 mmol, 94.8% yield). Product exists as a mixture of exo and endo complexes (ca. 70:30 mixture) that will hereby be referred to as major and minor, respectively. See Adamson *et al.* for a similar analysis of a related complex with a BF₄ counterion.²⁰ **IR** (neat, cm⁻¹) 1613 (m), 1353 (s), 1273 (s), 1113 (s), 886 (m), 838 (m), 712 (m), 681 (s); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD_2Cl_2) δ 8.40–7.55 (21H, m, major + minor), 7.09 (0.7H, ddd, J = 11.2, 7.7, 1.4 Hz, major), 7.00 (0.3H, ddd, J = 11.3, 7.8, 1.4 Hz, minor), 5.94-5.77 (1H, m, major + minor), 4.97 (0.7H, ddd, J = 7.8, 1.4 Hz, minor), 5.94-5.77 (1H, m, major + minor), 4.97 (0.7H, ddd, J = 7.8, 1.4 Hz, minor), 5.94-5.77 (1H, m, major + minor), 4.97 (0.7H, ddd, J = 7.8, 1.4 Hz, minor), 5.94-5.77 (1H, m, major + minor), 4.97 (0.7H, ddd, J = 7.8, 1.4 Hz, minor), 5.94-5.77 (1H, m, major + minor), 4.97 (0.7H, ddd, J = 7.8, 1.4 Hz, minor), 5.94-5.77 (1H, m, major + minor), 4.97 (0.7H, ddd, J = 7.8, 1.4 Hz, minor), 5.94-5.77 (1H, m, major + minor), 5.94-5.77 (1H, major + minor), 5.94-5.77 (1H 5.7, 2.5 Hz, major), 4.86 (0.3H, td, J = 7.6, 2.4 Hz, minor), 4.65–4.31 (2H, m, major + minor), 4.11– 3.96 (2H, m, major + minor), 3.74–3.66 (1H, m, major + minor), 3.37–3.26 (0.3H, m, minor), 2.80 $(0.7H, d, J = 12.2 \text{ Hz}, \text{ major}), 0.64 (2.5H, s, \text{ minor}), 0.56 (6.5H, s, \text{ major}); {}^{13}C \text{ NMR} (125 \text{ MHz}, 125 \text{ MHz})$ CD_2Cl_2) δ {C-F decoupled} (note: spectrum is complex due to mixture of diastereometric species and as a result many peaks overlap) 166.1, 162.9, 162.5, 162.1, 161.7, 135.4, 134.7, 134.5, 134.3, 134.2, 132.9, 132.8, 129.4, 127.9, 127.3, 125.1, 124.1, 123.1, 122.9, 122.7, 118.0, 84.5, 84.3, 82.8, 82.1, 81.4, 81.2, 70.5, 70.4, 66.3, 61.4, 54.3, 54.1, 53.8, 53.6, 53.4, 34.9, 25.4, 14.9.; ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CD₂Cl₂) δ -62.9 (major), -63.2 (minor), -63.6 (medium); ³¹P NMR (162 MHz, CD₂Cl₂) δ 25.3 (minor), 24.1 (major); MALDI-MS [M]⁺ calc'd for C₃₂H₂₇F₁₂NOP[¹⁰⁶Pd]: 806.0668, found: 806.0688.

2. Preparation of Pd-*rac*-PHOX complex of the type [L(η^3 -allyl)Pd]BAr^F₄



Step 1: This procedure was adapted from: Krout, M. R.; Mohr, J. T.; Stoltz, B. M. Org. Synth. 2009, 86, 181. The 250 mL round-bottom flask was charged with rac-tert-leucine (1.31 g, 10.0 mmol, 1.00 equv) and THF (30 mL) under a positive pressure of nitrogen. The resulting slurry was cooled to 0 °C in a dry ice-acetone bath and NaBH₄ (908 mg, 24.0 mmol, 2.40 equiv) was added in one portion. A solution of I₂ (2.54 g, 10.0 mmol, 1.00 equiv) in THF (10 mL) was transferred dropwise over 1 hours. After the addition was complete, the cooling bath was removed and replaced by a condenser and the reaction was heat to reflux (80 °C oil bath). After 20 h the reaction was allowed to cool to ambient temperature and methanol (10 mL) was added slowly, resulting in an almost clear solution. After stirring for 30 min the solution was quantitatively transferred to a 250 mL round-bottom flask with MeOH (5 mL) and concentrated on a rotary evaporator under reduced pressure (40 °C) to a white semisolid. The resulting material was dissolved in 20 wt % aqueous KOH (25 mL) and stirred for 12 h at ambient temperature. The aqueous phase was extracted with CH_2Cl_2 (5 × 30 mL) and the combined organic extracts were dried over MgSO₄, filtered, and concentrated on a rotary evaporator under reduced pressure and dried under vacuum to give crude (S)-tert-leucinol (628 mg, 5.36 mmol, 53.6%) as a colorless oil. This material was used in the following step without further purification. Step 2, 3 and 4 were prepared by previously methods.¹⁹

IV. Supplemental Screening Data

Table S1.	Reaction	optimization
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Ph 1:1.8 <i>E,E</i> (1.2 equ 1a	$\frac{5 \text{ mo}}{\pm 3.0 \text{ e}}$ $\frac{\pm 3.0 \text{ e}}{\pm 3.0 \text{ e}}$ $\frac{\pm 3.0 \text{ e}}{5 \text{ mo}}$ $\frac{\pm 3.0 \text{ e}}{5 \text{ mo}}$ $\frac{\pm 3.0 \text{ e}}{5 \text{ mo}}$	$\frac{1 \% \text{ Pd-1}}{\text{equiv Et}_3\text{N}}$	Pd-1 Ar = 3,5-	$ \overset{\ominus}{\operatorname{Ar}}_2 \overset{\ominus}{\operatorname{BAr}}_{\operatorname{BAr}}^{F_4} $ $ \operatorname{diCF}_3 \operatorname{C}_6 \operatorname{H}_3 $
entry	solvent	3 equiv Et ₃ N (Y/N)	yield (%) ^a	er ^b
1	CH ₂ Cl ₂	Y	43	54:46
2	Et ₂ O	Y	42	94:6
3	THF	Y	5	94:6
4	1,4-dioxane	Y	27	89:11
5	cyclopentyl methyl ether	Y	34	94:6
6	t-butyl methyl eher	Υ	20	95:5
7 ^c	hexanes	Y	27	91:9
8	hexanes	Y	62	80:20
9 ^d	hexanes	Y	65	65:35
10	hexanes	Ν	11	85:15
11 ^e	hexanes	Y	27	90:10
12	1:1 hexanes:Et ₂ O	Ν	13	93:7
13	1:1 hexanes:Et ₂ O	Y	65	93:7
(14 ^{<i>f</i>}	1:1 hexanes:Et ₂ O	Y	63	96.5:3.5

Reaction conditions: **1a** (0.24 mmol), THIQ (0.2 mmol), Et₃N (0.6 mmol) and **Pd-1** were allowed to stir in solvent (0.2 mL, 1.0 M) at room temperature under N₂.^{*a*}Isolated yield. ^{*b*}Enantiomeric ratio determined by HPLC analysis of purified products in comparison with authentic racemic standards. ^{*c*}Use of 2.5 mol % **Pd-1**. ^{*d*}Use of 10 mol % **Pd-1**. ^{*e*}Reaction temperature : 0 °C. ^{*f*}Reaction time : 7 h.

Ph 1:1 (*		+ N H	2.5 mol % $[Pd(\pi-allyl)Cl]_2$ 5 mol % L1-4 6 mol % NaBAr ^F ₄ 3.0 equiv Et ₃ N 1:1 hexanes:Et ₂ O (1.0 M) 22 °C, 7 h	Ph Me
t-Bu	O N PAr ₂	L1 Ar = 3 L2 Ar = 3 L3 Ar = 4 L4 Ar = 4	,5-di $CF_3C_6H_3$,5-di $CH_3C_6H_3$ -Me OC_6H_4 -CF $_3C_6H_4$	
	entry	PHOX ligands	yield (%) ^a	er ^b
-	1	L1	56	96.5:3.5
	2	L2	45	92:8
	3	L3	23	90:10
	4	L4	47	85:15

Reaction conditions: **1a** (0.24 mmol), THIQ (0.2 mmol) and Et₃N (0.6 mmol) in the presence of $[Pd(\pi-allyl)Cl]_2$ (2.5 mol %), PHOX ligands (5 mol %) and NaBAr^F₄ (6 mol %) were allowed to stir in 1:1 hexanes:Et₂O (0.2 mL) under N₂. ^aIsolated yield. ^bEnantiomeric ratio determined by HPLC analysis of purified products in comparison with authentic racemic standards.

Table S3. Other counteranions screened

Ph M	e _	2.5 mol % $[Pd(\pi-allyl)Cl]_2$ 5 mol % L1 6 mol % counteranions 3.0 equiv Et ₃ N	N N
1:1.8 <i>E,E:E,Z</i> (1.2 equiv) 1a	N H	1:1 hexanes:Et ₂ O (1.0 M) 22 °C, 7 h	Ph Me
entry	counteranions	yield (%)	er
1	AgOTf	<5	-
2	$AgAbF_6$	<5	-
3	$AgPF_4$	<5	-
4	$AgBF_4$	<5	-

Reaction conditions: **1a** (0.24 mmol), THIQ (0.2 mmol) and Et_3N (0.6 mmol) in the presence of $[Pd(\pi-allyl)Cl]_2$ (2.5 mol %), **L1** (5 mol %) and counter anion (6 mol %) were allowed to stir in 1:1 hexanes: Et_2O (0.2 mL) under N_2 .

Ph 1a 1.8:1	∕∽ ^{Me} + HNR ¹ R ² E,E:E,Z	5 mol % Pd-1 without Et ₃ N 1/1 hexanes/Et ₂ O 22 °C, 20 h	$Ph \xrightarrow{R^1_N, R^2} Me$
entry	HNR ¹ R ²	yield (%) ^a	er ^b
1	THIQ	13	93:7
2	morpholine	38	95:5
3	N-methylbenzylamine	28	77:23
4	indoline	48	95:5
5	aniline	7	94:6

Table S4. Hydroamination reactions under the optimum reactions without Et₃N

Reaction conditions: **1a** (0.24 mmol), amine (0.2 mmol), Et₃N (0.6 mmol) and **Pd-1** were allowed to stir in solvent (0.2 mL, 1.0 M) at room temperature under N₂.^{*a*}Isolated yield. ^{*b*}Enantiomeric ratio determined by HPLC analysis of purified products in comparison with authentic racemic standards.

Ph 1:1.8 <i>E,E</i> (1.2 eq 1 a	E:E,Z +	2.5 mol % [Pd(π -ally 5 mol % P-ligand 6 mol % NaBAr ^F ₄ 3.0 equiv Et ₃ N hexanes (1.0 M) 22 °C, 20 h	I)CI] ₂	N 2a Me
entry	Phosphine ligands	conv. (%)	yield (%) ^a	er ^b
1	L5 (R)-MeO-BIPHEP	44	31	75 : 25
2	L6 (R)-CI-MeO-BIPHEP	58	43	72 : 28
3	L7 (<i>R</i>)-DTBM-MeO-BIP⊦	IEP 16	4	49 : 51
4	L8 (R)-Xylyl-P-Phos	23	4	49 : 51
5	L9 (R)-BTFM-GarPhos	23	4	53 : 47
6	L10 (S)- <i>i</i> Pr-MeO-BIPHEI	P 13	13	56 : 44
7	L11 (R)-SEGPhos	58	40	73 : 27
8	L12 (R)-DTBM-SEGPhos	s <5	2	38 : 62
9	L13 (<i>R</i>)-MOP	44	36	47 : 53
10	L14 (<i>R</i>)-H8-BINAP	33	13	60 : 40
11	L15 (<i>R</i>)-BINAP	37	31	60 : 40
12	L16 (R,R)-Taniaphos	51	36	47 : 53
13	L17 Josiphos	13	6	33 : 67
14	L18 (<i>R</i> , <i>R</i>)-QuinoxP	13	5	84 : 16
15	L19 (<i>R</i> , <i>R</i>)-Me-DuPhos	<2	-	-
16	L20 (S,S)-DIPAMP	<2	-	-
17	L21 (S,S)-BDPP	40	27	56 : 44

Table S5. Other chiral phosphine ligands screened

Reaction conditions : **1a** (0.24 mmol), THIQ (0.2 mmol) and Et_3N (0.6 mmol) in the presence of $[Pd(\pi-allyl)Cl]_2$ (2.5 mol %), phosphine ligands (5 mol %) and NaBAr^F₄ (6 mol %) were allowed to stir in hexanes (0.2 mL) under N₂. ^aIsolated yield. ^bEnantiomeric ratio determined by HPLC analysis of purified products in comparison with authentic racemic standards.



V. Substrate Scope

Hydroamination of Internal Dienes

<u>General Method C:</u> Inside an N₂-filled glovebox, to a microwave vial equipped with a magnetic stirring rod was added successively: **Pd-1** catalyst (0.01 mmol, 5 mol%), appropriate nucleophile (0.20 mmol, 1.0 equiv), 1:1 hexanes:Et₂O (0.2 mL), appropriate diene (0.24 mmol, 1.20 equiv), and lastly Et₃N (84 μ L, 0.60 mmol, 3.0 equiv). Reactions were allowed to stir at room temperature for the specified amount of time, then diluted with 1.0 mL of 1:1 hexanes:EtOAc, and filtered through a short plug of neutral alumina, eluting with ca. 10 mL of 1:1 hexanes:EtOAc. The solution was then concentrated in vacuo and the unpurified material was analyzed by ¹H NMR to determine the regiomeric ratio. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography.

The results for the substrate scope in the manuscript are an average of two runs, but for clarity, the results shown below are one of the two runs.



(*S*,*E*)-2-(1-Phenylpent-1-en-3-yl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (2a): Prepared by General Method C using Pd-1 at 22 °C for 7 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 80:20 hexanes:EtOAc) to yield 2a as a colorless oil (35.0 mg, 0.126 mmol, 63.0 % yield). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.41 (2H, d, *J* = 8.2 Hz), 7.32 (2H, t, *J* = 7.6 Hz), 7.27–7.20 (1H, m), 7.15–6.99 (4H, m), 6.52 (1H, d, *J* = 15.9 Hz), 6.21 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.9, 8.9 Hz), 3.87–3.72 (2H, m), 3.05–2.74 (4H, m), 1.95–185 (1H, m), 1.71–1.60 (1H, m), 0.96 (3H, t, *J* = 7.4 Hz); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 137.1, 135.3, 134.7, 132.8, 129.8, 128.7, 128.6, 127.4, 125.5, 69.0, 53.2, 47.2, 29.6, 25.3, 11.1. Spectral data match those previously reported.^{19, 21}

Compound 2a was prepared in reference 21 in enantiomerically enriched form. The sign of the rotation is the same as we observed for 2a in hydroamination. Thus, we have assigned 2a as the (*S*)-enantiomer and make all other stereochemical assignments by inference. The observed enantiomer matches that in our terminal diene hydroamination as well; see reference 19.







tert-Butyl (*S,E*)-4-(1-phenylpent-1-en-3-yl)piperazine-1-carboxylate (2b): Prepared by General Method C using Pd-1 at 22 °C for 20 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 50:50 hexanes:EtOAc) to yield 2b as colorless oil (35.0 mg, 0.106 mmol, 53.0 % yield).^{*} IR (neat, cm⁻¹) 2969 (m), 2956 (m), 2927 (m), 2893 (m), 2866 (m), 2820 (m), 1678 (s), 1478 (s), 1248 (s), 1213 (br), 1129 (s), 972 (m); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.35 (2H, d, J = 7.1 Hz), 7.29 (2H, t, J = 7.5 Hz), 7.21 (1H, t, J = 7.2 Hz), 6.41 (1H, d, J = 15.9 Hz), 6.06 (1H, dd, J = 15.9, 9.0 Hz), 3.43–3.38 (4H, m), 2.80 (1H, td, J = 8.9, 4.6 Hz), 2.63–2.35 (4H, m), 1.74 (1H, ddd, J = 14.8, 7.4, 3.6 Hz), 1.59–1.46 (1H, m), 1.42 (9H, s), 0.89 (3H, t, J = 7.4 Hz) ; ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 154.7, 136.9, 132.9, 129.4, 128.6, 127.5, 126.3, 79.5, 69.6, 49.8, 44.2, 28.4, 25.0, 10.9; HRMS (ESI⁺) [M+H]⁺ calc'd for C₂₀H₃₀N₂O₂: 330.2307, found: 330.2308.

 $[\alpha]_{D^{27}} = -15.1 \ (c = 1.0, CHCl_3)$ for a sample of 96:4 er.

HPLC: Column: Chiralpak 1-A3 (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 150 mm). Mobile phase: 70:30 *i*-PrOH (with 0.1% Et₂NH):MeOH, 0.3 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. Er = 96:4.





(*S,E*)-1-Methyl-4-(1-phenylpent-1-en-3-yl)piperazine (2c): Prepared by General Method C using Pd-1 at 22 °C for 20 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 50:50 hexanes:EtOAc) to yield **2b** as a colorless oil (26.0 mg, 0.106 mmol, 53.2 % yield). **IR** (neat, cm⁻¹) 2960 (m), 2931 (s), 2873 (w), 279 (s), 1493 (m), 1451 (s), 1283 (s), 1160 (s), 967 (S); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.34 (2H, d, *J* = 7.1 Hz), 7.27 (2H, *J* = 7.1 Hz), 7.18 (1H, t, *J* = 15.9 Hz), 6.41 (1H, d, *J* = 15.9 Hz), 6.08 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.9, 9.0 Hz), 2.75 (1H, td, *J* = 9.1, 4.3 Hz), 2.70–2.29 (8H, m), 2.25 (3H, s), 1.83–1.67 (1H, m), 1.57–1.41 (1H, m), 0.87 (3H, t, *J* = 7.4 Hz); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 137.1, 132.7, 130.0, 128.5, 127.3, 126.3, 69.6, 55.5, 50.0, 46.0, 25.0, 11.0; HRMS (ESI⁺) [M+H]⁺ calc'd for C₁₆H₂₄N₂: 244.1939, found: 244.1940.

 $[\alpha]_{D}^{27} = -15.4 \ (c = 1.0, \text{CHCl}_3) \text{ for a sample of } 90.5:9.5 \text{ er.}$

HPLC: Column: Chiralpak 1-A3 (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 150 mm). Mobile phase: 70:30 *i*-PrOH (with 0.1% Et₂NH):MeOH, 0.1 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. Er = 90.5:9.5.





(*S,E*)-1-Phenyl-4-(1-phenylpent-1-en-3-yl)piperazine (2d): Prepared by General Method C using Pd-1 at 22 °C for 20 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 50:50 hexanes:EtOAc) to yield 2d as white solid (40.0 mg, 0.131 mmol, 65.3 % yield). IR (neat, cm⁻¹) 2965 (m), 2923 (m), 2873 (m), 2832 (m), 2806 (m), 1595 (s), 1492 (s), 1453 (s), 1228 (m), 1138 (s), 1007 (s), 969 (s); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.40 (2H, d, *J* = 7.2 Hz), 7.32 (2H, t, *J* = 7.6 Hz), 7.30–7.21 (3H, m), 6.93 (2H, d, *J* = 7.9 Hz), 6.85 (1H, t, *J* = 7.2 Hz), 6.49 (1H, d, *J* = 15.9 Hz), 6.15 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.9, 9.1 Hz), 3.30–3.12 (4H, m), 2.92–2.57 (5H, m), 1.84 (1H, dtt, *J* = 14.9, 7.4, 3.7 Hz), 1.64–1.49 (1H, m), 0.94 (3H, t, *J* = 7.4 Hz); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 151.4, 137.0, 132.9, 129.8, 129.1, 128.6, 127.5, 126.3, 119.7, 116.1, 69.7, 50.1, 49.6, 25.1, 11.0; MP = 86–88 °C; HRMS (ESI⁺) [M+H]⁺ calc'd for C₂₁H₂₆N₂: 306.2096, found: 306.2099.

 $[\alpha]_{D^{27}} = -15.5 \ (c = 1.0, CHCl_3) \ for a sample of 94.5:5.5 \ er.$

HPLC: Column: Chiralpak 1-A3 (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 150 mm). Mobile phase: 70:30 *i*-PrOH (with 0.1% Et₂NH):MeOH, 0.3 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. Er = 94.5:5.5.





(*S,E*)-4-(1-Phenylpent-1-en-3-yl)morpholine (2e): Prepared by General Method C using Pd-1 at 22 °C for 20 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 80:20 hexanes:EtOAc) to yield 2e as colorless oil (33.0 mg, 0.143 mmol, 71.3 % yield). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.36 (2H, d, J = 7.7 Hz), 7.30 (2H, t, J = 7.5 Hz), 7.24–7.19 (1H, m), 6.43 (1H, d, J = 15.9 Hz), 6.07 (1H, dd, J = 15.9, 9.0 Hz), 3.70 (4H, t, J = 4.5 Hz), 2.74 (1H, td, J = 9.0, 4.4 Hz), 2.63–2.52 (4H, m), 1.76 (1H, dtt, J = 14.9, 7.4, 4.3 Hz), 1.54–1.41 (1H, m); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 136.9, 133.0, 129.7, 128.6, 127.5, 126.3, 70.1, 67.3, 50.8, 24.7, 10.8. Spectral data match those previously reported.²²

 $[\alpha]_D^{27} = -24.7$ (*c* = 1.0, CHCl₃) for a sample of 96.5:3.5 er.

HPLC: Column: Chiralpak 1-A3 (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 150 mm). Mobile phase: 95:5 *i*-PrOH (with 0.1% Et₂NH):MeCN, 0.3 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. Er = 96.5:3.5.





(*S,E*)-*N*-Benzyl-N-methyl-1-phenylpent-1-en-3-amine (2f): Prepared by General Method C using Pd-1 at 22 °C for 15 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 80:20 hexanes:EtOAc) to yield 2f as colorless oil (33.0 mg, 0.124 mmol, 62.2 % yield). IR (neat, cm⁻¹) 3060 (w), 3025 (m), 2959 (m), 2929 (m), 2872 (m), 2786 (m), 1739 (m), 1450 (s), 1239 (s), 967 (s); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.40 (2H, d, *J* = 7.2 Hz), 7.37–7.27 (6H, m), 7.27–7.20 (2H, m), 6.44 (1H, d, *J* = 15.9 Hz), 6.21 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.9, 8.9 Hz), 3.71 (1H, d, *J* = 13.3 Hz), 3.48 (1H, *J* = 13.3 Hz), 3.01 (1H, td, *J* = 8.5, 5.9 Hz), 2.22 (3H, s), 1.86–1.74 (1H, m), 1.60 (1H, dt, *J* = 13.6, 7.6 Hz), 0.95 (3H, t, 7.4 Hz); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 140.0, 137.3, 132.8, 129.1, 128.9, 128.6, 128.2, 127.4, 126.8, 126.3, 67.6, 58.3, 37.8, 25.8, 11.2; HRMS (ESI⁺) [M+H]⁺ calc'd for C₁₉H₂₃N: 265.1830, found: 265.1827.

 $[\alpha]_{D}^{27} = -15.6 \ (c = 1.0, CHCl_3) \ for a sample of 88.5:11.5 \ er.$

HPLC: Column: Chiralpak 1-A3 (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 150 mm). Mobile phase: 70:30 *i*-PrOH (with 0.1% Et₂NH):MeOH, 0.3 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. Er = 88.5:11.5.





(*S,E*)-1-(1-Phenylpent-1-en-3-yl)indoline (2g): Prepared by General Method C using Pd-1 at 22 °C for 1 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 80:20 hexanes:EtOAc) to yield 2g as colorless oil (41.0 mg, 0.156 mmol, 77.8 % yield). IR (neat, cm⁻¹) 3023 (w), 2960 (m), 2927 (m), 2871 (w), 2843 (w), 1605 (s), 1486 (s), 1384 (m), 1157 (m), 1022 (m), 963 (s); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.35 (2H, d, *J* = 7.8 Hz), 7.29 (2H, t, *J* = 7.5 Hz), 7.22 (1H, t, *J* = 7.2 Hz), 7.05 (2H, t, *J* = 7.6 Hz), 6.60 (1H, t, *J* = 7.3 Hz), 6.55 (1H, d, *J* = 16.0 Hz), 6.50 (1H, d, *J* = 7.8 Hz), 6.21 (1H, dd, *J* = 16.0, 7.0 Hz), 4.03 (1H, q, *J* = 7.1 Hz), 3.53–3.40 (2H, m), 2.98 (2H, t, *J* = 8.4 Hz), 1.90–1.74 (2H, m), 1.04 (3H, t, *J* = 7.4 Hz); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 151.5, 137.0, 131.9, 129.9, 128.5, 128.2, 127.4, 127.3, 126.4, 124.5, 116.8, 107.2, 59.0, 46.9, 28.3, 25.2, 11.4; HRMS (ESI⁺) [M+H]⁺ calc'd for C₁₉H₂₁N: 263.1674, found: 263.1674.

 $[\alpha]_{D}^{27} = -17.0 \ (c = 1.0, CHCl_3) \text{ for a sample of } 98.5:1.5 \text{ er.}$

HPLC: Column: Cellulose III (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 250 mm). Mobile phase: 10:90 *i*-PrOH:hexanes, 1.0 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. Er = 98.5:1.5.





(*S,E*)-*N*-(1-Phenylpent-1-en-3-yl)aniline (2h): Prepared by General Method C using Pd-1 at 22 °C for 20 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes) to yield 2h as colorless oil (25.0 mg, 0.105 mmol, 52.7 % yield). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.35–7.12 (7H, m), 6.68–6.54 (4H, m), 6.12 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.9, 6.4 Hz), 3.88 (1H, q, *J* = 6.1 Hz), 3.72 (1H, s), 1.77–1.66 (2H, m), 1.02 (3H, t, *J* =7.4 Hz); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 147.7, 137.1, 132.0, 130.4, 129.2, 128.5, 127.4, 126.4, 117.3, 113.4, 57.2, 29.2, 10.6. Spectral data matched those previously reported.¹⁵ [α] $\mathbf{p}^{27} = -15.8$ (*c* = 1.0, CHCl₃) for a sample of 94:6 er.

HPLC: Column: Cellulose III (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 250 mm). Mobile phase: 10:90 *i*-PrOH:hexanes, 1.0 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. Er = 94:6.





(*S,E*)-*N*-(1-Phenylpent-1-en-3-yl)-4-propylaniline (2i): Prepared by General Method C using Pd-1 at 22 °C for 20 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes) to yield 2i as colorless oil (29.0 mg, 0.104 mmol, 51.9 % yield). Contains <5% *N*-allyl 4-propylaniline; **IR** (neat, cm⁻¹) 2958 (m), 2926 (m), 2870 (w), 2858 (w), 1614 (m), 1493 (s), 1339 (m), 964 (s); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.35 (2H, d, *J* = 7.2 Hz), 7.28 (2H, t, *J* = 7.6 Hz), 7.21 (1H, d, *J* = 7.2 Hz), 6.96 (2H, d, *J* = 8.4 Hz), 6.59–6.55 (2H, m), 6.23 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.9, 6.4 Hz), 3.85 (1H, q, *J* = 6.3 Hz), 3.62 (1H, brs), 2.45 (2H, t, *J* = 8.0 Hz), 1.75–1.65 (2H, m), 1.57 (2H, dq, *J* = 14.8, 7.3 Hz), 1.01 (3H, t, *J* = 7.4 Hz), 0.91 (3H, t, *J* = 7.3 Hz); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 145.6, 137.1, 132.3, 131.5, 130.3, 129.1, 128.5, 127.3, 126.4, 113.4, 57.5, 37.2, 29.2, 24.9, 13.9, 10.6; HRMS (ESI⁺) [M+H]⁺ calc'd for C₂₀H₂₅N: 279.1987, found: 279.1990. [α]p²⁷ = -16.3 (*c* = 1.0, CHCl₃) for a sample of 81:19 er.

HPLC: Column: Cellulose III (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 250 mm). Mobile phase: 10:90 MeOH:hexanes, 1.0 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. Er = 81:19.





(*S,E*)-4-Methoxy-N-(1-phenylpent-1-en-3-yl)aniline (2j): Prepared by General Method C using Pd-1 at 22 °C for 20 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 80:20 hexanes:EtOAc) to yield 2j as colorless oil (31.0 mg, 0.116 mmol, 58.0 % yield). Contains <5% *N*-allyl 4-methoxyaniline; **IR** (neat, cm⁻¹) 3394 (w), 3024 (w), 2959 (m), 2929 (m), 2830 (w), 1508 (s), 1461 (m), 1229 (s), 1035 (s), 965 (s); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.34 (2H, d, *J* = 7.1Hz), 7.28 (2H, t, *J* = 7.5 Hz), 7.19 (1H, t, *J* = 7.2 Hz), 6.79–6.70 (2H, m), 6.64–6.58 (2H, m), 6.55 (1H, d, *J* = 16.0 Hz), 6.11 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.9, 6.6 Hz), 3.80 (1H, qd, *J* = 6.3, 1.2 Hz), 3.72 (3H, s), 3.47 (1H, brs), 1.78–1.61 (2H, m), 1.01 (3H, t, *J* = 7.4 Hz); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 152.1, 149.3, 137.1, 132.4, 130.4, 128.6, 127.3, 126.4, 114.9, 114.4, 58.3, 55.9, 29.2, 10.5; HRMS (ESI⁺) [M+H]⁺ calc'd for C₁₈H₂₁NO: 267.1623, found: 267.1620. [*α*]**p**²⁷ = -16.0 (*c* = 1.0, CHCl₃) for a sample of 83.5:16.5 er.

HPLC: Column: Cellulose III (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 250 mm). Mobile phase: 10:90 MeOH:hexanes, 1.0 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. Er = 83.5:16.5.





(*S*,*E*)-*N*,*N*-Dimethyl-4-(3-morpholinopent-1-en-1-yl)aniline (3a): Prepared by General Method C using Pd-1 at 22 °C for 20 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 50:50 hexanes:EtOAc) to yield **3a** as colorless oil (36.0 mg, 0.131 mmol, 65.5 % yield). **IR** (neat, cm⁻¹) 2957 (m), 2928 (w), 2850 (m), 2802 (m), 1737 (s), 1608 (s), 1520 (s), 1447 (m), 1350 (s), 1237 (s), 1116 (s), 1003 (s); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.26 (2H, d, *J* = 8.8 Hz), 6.67 (2H, d, *J* = 8.8 Hz), 6.34 (1H, d, *J* = 15.8 Hz), 5.84 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.8, 9.1 Hz), 3.77–3.64 (4H, m), 2.93 (6H, s), 2.68 (1H, td, *J* = 9.1, 4.2 Hz), 2.64–2.43 (4H, m), 1.75 (1H, ddt, *J* = 14.9, 7.4, 4.4 Hz), 1.53–1.40 (1H, m), 0.88 (3H, t, *J* = 7.4 Hz); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 150.1, 132.9, 127.2, 125.5, 125.1, 112.5, 70.3, 67.3, 50.8, 40.6, 24.8, 10.9; HRMS (ESI⁺) [M+H]⁺ calc'd for C₁₇H₂₆N₂O: 274.2045, found: 274.2047.

 $[\alpha]_D^{27} = -15.6 \ (c = 1.0, \text{CHCl}_3) \text{ for a sample of } 86.5:13.5 \text{ er.}$

HPLC: Column: Chiralpak 1-A3 (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 150 mm). Mobile phase: 95:5 *i*-PrOH (with 0.1% Et₂NH):MeCN, 0.3 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. Er = 86.5:13.5.





(*S*,*E*)-4-(1-(4-Methoxyphenyl)pent-1-en-3-yl)morpholine (3b): Prepared by General Method C using Pd-1 at 22 °C for 20 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 80:20 hexanes:EtOAc) to yield 3b as colorless oil (40.0 mg, 0.153 mmol, 76.5 % yield). **IR** (neat, cm⁻¹) 2949 (m), 2925 (w), 2850 (m), 2805 (m), 1604 (s), 1512 (s), 1454 (s), 1297 (s), 1135 (s), 1005 (s); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.29 (2H, d, *J* = 8.7 Hz), 6.84 (2H, d, *J* = 8.7 Hz), 6.37 (1H, d, *J* = 15.9 Hz), 5.91 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.9, 9.0 Hz), 3.79 (3H, s), 3.74–3.64 (4H, m), 2.70 (1H, td, *J* = 9.0, 4.2 Hz), 2.64–2.41 (4H, m), 1.75 (1H, ddt, *J* = 14.6, 7.2, 3.6 Hz), 1.55–1.39 (1H, m), 0.88 (3H, t, *J* = 7.4 Hz); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 159.1, 132.4, 129.8, 127.4, 114.0, 70.2, 67.3, 55.4, 50.8, 24.7, 10.9; HRMS (ESI⁺) [M+H]⁺ calc'd for C₁₆H₂₃NO₂: 261.1729, found: 261.1729. [*α*]p²⁷ = -15.5 (*c* = 1.0, CHCl₃) for a sample of 93:7 er.

HPLC: Column: Cellulose III (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 250 mm). Mobile phase: 10:90 *i*-PrOH:Hexanes, 1.0 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. Er = 93:7.





(*S*,*E*)-4-(1-(*p*-Tolyl)pent-1-en-3-yl)morpholine (3c): Prepared by General Method C using Pd-1 at 22 °C for 20 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 80:20 hexanes:EtOAc) to yield 3c as colorless oil (32.0 mg, 0.130 mmol, 65.2 % yield). IR (neat, cm⁻¹) 2957 (m), 2926 (w), 2889 (w), 2872 (w), 2851 (m), 2805 (m), 1513 (m), 1450 (m), 1268 (m), 1115 (s), 970 (s); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.26 (2H, d, *J* = 7.8 Hz), 7.11 (2H, *J* = 7.9 Hz), 6.40 (1H, d, *J* = 15.9 Hz), 6.01 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.9, 9.0 Hz), 3.70 (4H, q, *J* = 7.8, 6.2 Hz), 2.72 (1H, td, *J* = 9.0, 4.3 Hz), 2.66–2.44 (4H, m), 2.32 (3H, s), 1.82–1.71 (1H, m), 1.56–1.41 (1H, m), 0.88 (3H, t, *J* = 7.3 Hz); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 137.3, 134.2, 132.9, 129.3, 128.7, 126.2, 70.1, 67.4, 50.8, 24.7, 21.2, 10.8; HRMS (ESI⁺) [M+H]⁺ calc'd for C₁₆H₂₃NO: 245.1780, found: 245.1784. [*α*]p²⁷ = -15.1 (*c* = 1.0, CHCl₃) for a sample of 97:3 er.

HPLC: Column: Chiralpak 1-A3 (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 150 mm). Mobile phase: 90:10 *i*-PrOH (with 0.1% Et₂NH):MeCN, 0.3 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. Er = 97:3.




(*S,E*)-4-(1-(4-Chlorophenyl)pent-1-en-3-yl)morpholine (3d): Prepared by General Method C using Pd-1 at 22 °C for 20 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 80:20 hexanes:EtOAc) to yield 3d as colorless oil (42.0 mg, 0.158 mmol, 79.0 % yield). IR (neat, cm⁻¹) 2958 (m), 2929 (w), 2852 (m), 2806 (m), 1490 (s), 1451 (s), 1115 (s), 1011 (s), 837 (m); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.30–7.22 (4H, m), 6.73 (1H, d, *J* = 15.9 Hz), 6.64 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.9, 9.1 Hz), 3.68 (4H, q, *J* = 8.3, 6.3 Hz), 2.73 (1H, td, *J* = 9.0, 4.4 Hz), 2.64–2.44 (4H, m), 1.81–1.67 (1H, m), 1.55–1.39 (1H, m), 0.87 (3H, t, *J* = 7.4 Hz); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 135.4, 133.0, 131.7, 130.5, 128.7, 127.5, 69.9, 67.3, 50.7, 24.5, 10.8; HRMS (ESI⁺) [M+H]⁺ calc'd for C₁₅H₂₀ClNO: 265.1233, found: 265.1231. [*α*]p²⁷ = -15.4 (*c* = 1.0, CHCl₃) for a sample of 97:3 er.

HPLC: Column: Chiralpak 1-A3 (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 150 mm). Mobile phase: 90:10 *i*-PrOH (with 0.1% Et₂NH):MeCN, 0.3 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. Er = 97:3.





(*S*,*E*)-4-(1-(4-(Trifluoromethyl)phenyl)pent-1-en-3-yl)morpholine (3e): Prepared by General Method C using Pd-1 at 22 °C for 20 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 70:30 hexanes:EtOAc) to yield 3e as colorless oil (25.0 mg, 0.084 mmol, 41.8 % yield). IR (neat, cm⁻¹) 2961 (w), 2930 (w), 2855 (w), 2811 (w), 1615 (m), 1322 (s), 1115 (s), 1066 (s), 752 (s); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.54 (2H, d, *J* = 7.0 Hz), 7.44 (2H, d, *J* = 7.4 Hz), 6.47 (1H, d, *J* = 15.9 Hz), 6.18 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.9, 9.0 Hz), 3.70 (4H, brs), 2.86–2.68 (1H, m), 2.67–2.41 (4H, m), 1.88–1.68 (1H, m), 1.58–1.40 (1H, m), 0.88 (3H, t, *J* = 7.4 Hz); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 140.4, 132.7, 131.6, 128.8, 126.4, 125.6, 69.8, 67.3, 50.7, 28.2 (q, *J* = 18.1 Hz), 24.5, 10.7; ¹⁹F NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -65.5 Hz; HRMS (ESI⁺) [M+H]⁺ calc'd for C1₆H₂₀F₃NO: 299.1497, found: 299.1497. [*α*]**b**²⁷ = -15.1 (*c* = 1.0, CHCl₃) for a sample of 86.5:13.5 er.

HPLC: Column: Chiralpak 1-A3 (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 150 mm). Mobile phase: 90:10 *i*-PrOH (with 0.1% Et₂NH):MeCN, 0.3 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. Er = 86.5:13.5.





(*S,E*)-4-(1-(*m*-Tolyl)pent-1-en-3-yl)morpholine (3f): Prepared by General Method C using Pd-1 at 22 °C for 20 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 80:20 hexanes:EtOAc) to yield **3f** as colorless oil (30.0 mg, 0.122 mmol, 61.1 % yield). **IR** (neat, cm⁻¹) 2957 (s), 2926 (m), 2873 (w), 2851 (m), 2805 (m), 1450 (m), 1270 (m), 1116 (s), 969 (s); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.25–7.13 (3H, m), 7.04 (1H, d, *J* = 6.9 Hz), 6.40 (1H, d, 15.9 Hz), 6.50 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.9, 9.1 Hz), 3.82–3.60 (4H, m), 2.73 (1H, td, *J* = 9.0, 4.3 Hz), 2.64–2.42 (4H, m), 2.33 (3H, s), 1.85–1.69 (1H, m), 1.57–1.39 (1H, m), 0.88 (3H, t, *J* = 7.4 Hz); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 138.1, 136.9, 133.1, 129.5, 128.5, 128.3, 127.0, 123.5, 70.0, 67.3, 50.7, 24.7, 21.4, 10.8; HRMS (ESI⁺) [M+H]⁺ calc'd for C₁₆H₂₃NO: 245.1780, found: 245.1780.

 $[\alpha]_{D^{27}} = -15.4 \ (c = 1.0, \text{CHCl}_3) \text{ for a sample of } 92.5:7.5 \text{ er.}$

HPLC: Column: Chiralpak 1-A3 (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 150 mm). Mobile phase: 90:10 *i*-PrOH (with 0.1% Et₂NH):MeCN, 0.3 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. Er = 92.5:7.5.





(*S,E*)-4-(1-(*o*-Tolyl)pent-1-en-3-yl)morpholine (3g): Prepared by General Method C using Pd-1 at 22 °C for 20 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 80:20 hexanes:EtOAc) to yield **3g** as colorless oil (28.0 mg, 0.114 mmol, 57.1 % yield). **IR** (neat, cm⁻¹) 2956 (m), 2924 (w), 2872 (m), 2804 (w), 1451 (s), 1116 (s), 969 (s); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.46–7.36 (1H, m), 7.22–7.09 (3H, m), 6.64 (1H, d, *J* = 15.8 Hz), 5.92 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.8, 9.0 Hz), 3.77–3.65 (4H, m), 2.77 (1H, td, *J* = 9.1, 4.3 Hz), 2.67–2.44 (4H, m), 2.34 (3H, s), 1.88–1.69 (1H, m), 1.61–1.40 (1H, m), 0.91 (3H, t, *J* = 7.4 Hz); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 136.3, 135.2, 131.1, 131.0, 130.3, 127.4, 126.1, 125.8, 70.2, 67.3, 50.7, 24.7, 20.0, 10.9; **HRMS** (ESI⁺) [M+H]⁺ calc'd for C₁₆H₂₃NO: 245.1780, found: 245.1781.

 $[\alpha]_D^{27} = -15.2 \ (c = 1.0, \text{CHCl}_3) \text{ for a sample of } 84.5:15.5 \text{ er.}$

HPLC: Column: Chiralpak 1-A3 (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 150 mm). Mobile phase: 90:10 *i*-PrOH (with 0.1% Et₂NH):MeCN, 0.3 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. Er = 84.5:15.5.





(*S,E*)-4-(1-Phenylhept-1-en-3-yl)morpholine (3h): Prepared by General Method C using Pd-1 at 22 °C for 20 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 80:20 hexanes:EtOAc) to yield 3h as colorless oil (29.0 mg, 0.112 mmol, 56.0 % yield). Regiomeric ratio: 83:17; **IR** (neat, cm⁻¹) 2955 (m), 2926 (m), 2855 (m), 2811 (w), 1451 (m), 1116 (s), 970 (S); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.40–7.35 (2H, m), 7.33–7.27 (2H, m), 7.25–7.19 (1H, m), 6.42 (1H, d, *J* = 15.9 Hz), 6.08 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.9 Hz, 9.1 Hz), 3.81–3.60 (4H, m), 2.82 (1H, td, *J* = 9.1, 4.3 Hz), 2.66–2.47 (4H, m), 1.80–0.79 (9H, m); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 136.9, 132.8, 129.9, 128.6, 127.5, 126.3, 68.5, 67.3, 50.7, 31.7, 28.6, 22.9, 14.1; **HRMS** (ESI⁺) [M+H]⁺ calc'd for C₁₇H₂₅NO: 259.1936, found: 259.1939.

 $[\alpha]_{D}^{27} = -15.1$ (*c* = 1.0, CHCl₃) for a sample of 86.5:13.5 er.







(*S,E*)-1-Phenyl-4-(1-phenylhept-1-en-3-yl)piperazine (3i): Prepared by General Method C using Pd-1 at 22 °C for 20 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 80:20 hexanes:EtOAc) to yield **3i** as colorless oil (41.0 mg, 0.123 mmol, 61.3 % yield). Regiomeric ratio: 94:6; **IR** (neat, cm⁻¹) 3024 (w), 2954 (m), 2930 (m), 2820 (m), 1599 (s), 1494 (s), 1450 (s), 1354 (m), 1232 (s), 1136 (s), 969 (m); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.43–7.32 (2H, m), 7.32 (2H, t, *J* = 7.6 Hz), 7.30–7.09 (3H, m), 6.93 (2H, d, *J* = 8.7 Hz), 6.85 (1H, t, *J* = 7.3 Hz), 6.47 (1H, d, *J* = 15.9 Hz), 6.16 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.9, 9.1 Hz), 3.28–3.16 (4H, m), 2.94 (1H, td, *J* = 9.1, 4.3 Hz), 2.89–2.66 (4H, m), 1.85–1.71 (1H, m), 1.65–1.49 (1H, m), 1.43–1.23 (4H, m), 0.91 (3H, t, *J* = 6.3 Hz); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 151.4, 137.0, 132.7, 130.0, 129.1, 128.6, 127.4, 126.3, 120.0, 116.1, 68.1, 50.0, 49.6, 32.0, 28.7, 22.9, 14.1; HRMS (ESI⁺) [M+H]⁺ calc'd for C₂₃H₃₀N₂: 334.2409, found: 334.2409. [**α**]**p**²⁷ = -15.3 (*c* = 1.0, CHCl₃) for a sample of 99:1 er.

HPLC: Column: Chiralpak 1-A3 (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 150 mm). Mobile phase: 90:10 *i*-PrOH (with 0.1% Et₂NH):MeCN, 0.3 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. Er = 99:1.





(*S,E*)-4-(6-Methyl-1-phenylhept-1-en-3-yl)morpholine (3j): Prepared by General Method C using Pd-1 at 22 °C for 20 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 80:20 hexanes:EtOAc) to yield 3j as colorless oil (33.5 mg, 0.124 mmol, 62.0 % yield). Regiomeric ratio: 91:9; **IR** (neat, cm⁻¹) 2952 (s), 2928 (m), 2851 (m), 2806 (m), 1450 (m), 1116 (s), 968 (m); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.37 (2H, d, *J* = 7.1 Hz), 7.30 (2H, t, *J* = 7.6 Hz), 7.27–7.09 (1H, m), 6.42 (1H, d, *J* = 15.9 Hz), 6.07 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.9, 9.1 Hz), 3.78–3.63 (4H, m), 2.80 (1H, td, *J* = 9.1, 4.3 Hz), 2.67–2.47 (4H, m), 1.85–1.66 (1H, m), 1.56–1.42 (2H, m), 1.27–1.08 (2H, m), 0.86 (6H, dt, *J* = 6.5, 3.2 Hz); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 137.0, 132.8, 129.9, 128.6, 127.5, 126.3, 68.7, 67.4, 50.7, 35.5, 29.8, 28.3, 22.8, 22.5; **HRMS** (ESI⁺) [M+H]⁺ calc'd for C₁₆H₂₇NO: 273.2093, found: 273.2094. [*α*]_D²⁷ = -15.2 (*c* = 1.0, CHCl₃) for a sample of 80.5:19.5 er.

HPLC: Column: Chiralpak 1-A3 (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 150 mm). Mobile phase: 90:10 *i*-PrOH (with 0.1% Et₂NH):MeCN, 0.3 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. Er = 80.5:19.5.





(*S*,*E*)-4-(1,7-Diphenylhept-1-en-3-yl)morpholine (3k): Prepared by General Method C using Pd-1 at 22 °C for 20 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 80:20 hexanes:EtOAc) to yield 3k as colorless oil (37.0 mg, 0.110 mmol, 55.1 % yield). Regiomeric ratio: 95:5; IR (neat, cm⁻¹) 3059(w), 3024 (w), 2927 (s), 2852 (m), 2806 (w), 1495 (m), 1451 (m), 1116 (s), 969 (m); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.39–7.34 (2H, m), 7.34–7.28 (2H, m), 7.27–7.20 (2H, m), 7.18–7.11 (4H, m), 6.41 (1H, d, *J* = 15.9 Hz), 6.07 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.9, 9.1 Hz), 3.77–3.64 (4H, m), 2.83 (1H, td, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 4.6 Hz), 2.67–2.46 (4H, m), 1.81–1.69 (1H, m), 1.69–1.46 (4H, m), 1.40–1.26 (3H, m); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 142.6, 136.9, 132.9, 129.7, 128.6, 128.4, 128.3, 127.5, 126.3, 125.7, 68.3, 67.3, 50.6, 35.9, 31.7, 31.6, 26.0; HRMS (ESI⁺) [M+H]⁺ calc'd for C₂₃H₂₉NO: 335.2249, found: 335.2253.

 $[\alpha]_{D}^{27} = -15.1 \ (c = 1.0, CHCl_3)$ for a sample of 80:20 er.







(*S*,*E*)-4-(6-(Benzyloxy)-1-phenylhex-1-en-3-yl)morpholine (3l): Prepared by General Method C using Pd-1 at 22 °C for 20 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 80:20 hexanes:EtOAc) to yield 3l as colorless oil (56.0 mg, 0.159 mmol, 79.7 % yield). Regiomeric ratio: 95:5; **IR** (neat, cm⁻¹) 2952 (w), 2922 (m), 2853 (m), 2810 (w), 1452 (m), 1357 (m), 1115 (s), 1002 (m), 746 (s); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.41–7.17 (10H, m), 6.42 (1H, d, *J* = 15.9 Hz), 6.08 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.9, 9.1 Hz), 4.48 (2H, s), 3.78–3.59 (4H, m), 3.47 (2H, t, *J* = 6.2 Hz), 2.92–2.80 (1H, m), 2.71–2.45 (4H, m), 1.91–1.77 (1H, m), 1.75–1.47 (3H, m); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 138.6, 136.8, 133.1, 129.6, 129.5, 128.6, 128.4, 127.6, 127.5, 126.3, 72.9, 70.3, 68.2, 67.3, 50.6, 28.4, 26.6; **HRMS** (ESI⁺) [M+H]⁺ calc'd for C₂₃H₂₉NO₂: 351.2198, found: 351.2200. [*α*]_D²⁷ = -15.1 (*c* = 1.0, CHCl₃) for a sample of 93:7 er.

HPLC: Column: Chiralpak 1-A3 (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 150 mm). Mobile phase: 95:5 *i*-PrOH (with 0.1% Et₂NH):MeCN, 0.1 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. Er = 93:7.





(*S,E*)-4-(7-((*tert*-Butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-1-phenylhept-1-en-3-yl)morpholine (3m): Prepared by General Method C using Pd-1 at 22 °C for 20 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 80:20 hexanes:EtOAc) to yield 3m as colorless oil (42.0 mg, 0.108 mmol, 53.9 % yield). Regiomeric ratio: 95:5; **IR** (neat, cm⁻¹) 2951 (m), 2927 (m), 2891 (w), 2854 (s), 2807 (w), 1450 (m), 1251 (m), 1117 (s), 1098 (s), 968 (m), 833 (s); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.35 (2H, d, *J* = 7.3 Hz), 7.29 (2H, t, *J* = 7.6 Hz), 7.22 (1H, d, *J* = 7.3 Hz), 6.42 (1H, d, *J* = 15.9 Hz), 6.07 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.9, 9.0 Hz), 3.74–3.66 (4H, m), 3.57 (2H, t, *J* = 6.5 Hz), 2.88–2.78 (1H, m), 2.65–2.45 (4H, m), 1.79–1.66 (1H, m), 1.59–1.25 (5H, m), 0.84 (9H, s), 0.00 (6H, s); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 136.9, 133.0, 129.7, 128.6, 127.5, 126.3, 68.4, 67.3, 63.1, 50.7, 33.0, 31.7, 26.0, 22.7, 18.4, -5.2; **HRMS** (ESI⁺) [M+H]⁺ calc'd for C₂₃H₃₉NO₂Si: 389.2750, found: 389.2753. [*a*] $\mathbf{p}^{27} = -15.1$ (*c* = 1.0, CHCl₃) for a sample of 90:10 er.

HPLC: Column: Chiralpak 1-A3 (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 150 mm). Mobile phase: 90:10 *i*-PrOH (with 0.1% Et₂NH):MeCN, 0.3 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. Er = 90:10.





(*S,E*)-4-(1-Cyclohexylpent-1-en-3-yl)morpholine (3n): Prepared by General Method C using Pd-1 at 22 °C for 20 h. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 80:20 hexanes:EtOAc) to yield **3n** as colorless oil (29.0 mg, 0.122 mmol, 61.1 % yield). **IR** (neat, cm⁻¹) 2956 (w), 2921 (s), 2874 (w), 2849 (s), 2805 (w), 1448 (s), 1268 (m), 1117 (s), 1004 (s), 972 (s), 859 (m); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.42 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.5, 6.6 Hz), 5.15 (1H, dd, *J* = 15.5, 9.0 Hz), 3.76–3.60 (4H, m), 2.59–2.30 (4H, m), 1.76–1.55 (7H, m), 1.41–0.98 (7H, m), 0.80 (3H, t, *J* = 7.4 Hz); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 140.6, 126.2, 69.9, 67.4, 50.5, 40.7, 33.3, 33.2, 26.1, 24.7, 10.9; **HRMS** (ESI⁺) [M+H]⁺ calc'd for C₁₅H₂₇NO: 237.2093, found: 237.2095. [α]p²⁷ = -15.1 (*c* = 1.0, CHCl₃) for a sample of 96:4 er.

HPLC: Column: Chiralpak 1-A3 (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 150 mm). Mobile phase: 90:10 *i*-PrOH (with 0.1% Et₂NH):MeCN, 0.3 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 220 nm. Er = 96:4.





VI. Reaction Outcome Dependence on Diene Stereochemistry

Reactions were carried as described in General Method C at 22 °C for 20 h. Products **2e** and **1a**-recovery were then purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 80:20 hexanes:EtOAc).

HPLC: Column: Chiralpak 1-A3 (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 150 mm). Mobile phase: 95:5 *i*-PrOH (with 0.1% Et₂NH):MeCN, 0.3 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. **A-2e**: Er = 95:5; **B-2e**: Er = 93:7.



VII. Deuterium Labelling Studies

Ph C1	C4 Me 1a equiv)	+ N D 95%D (1.0 equiv)	5 mol % Po 3.0 equiv E 1:1 hexanes: 22 °C	$\frac{t_3N}{Et_2O}$ Ph C	H/D N 1 C4 Me + P 1 2g-d H/D	H/D C4 Me H/D recovered 1a-d
entry	time (h)	yield 2g-d (%) ^b (er)	C4 % D in 2g-d ^{c,d}	1D/2D % in 2g-d ^e	recovered 1a-d (%) ^b (<i>E,E</i> : <i>E,Z</i>) ^c	C1; C4 % D in <i>E,E</i> - & <i>E,Z</i> -1a-d ^c
1	2	13 (95:5 er)	24	31/0	79 (1.4:1)	<i>E,E</i> : 15; 15 <i>E,Z</i> : 38; 48
2	20	28 (91:1 er)	22	40/8	56 (1.8:1)	<i>E,E</i> : <mark>15</mark> ; 19 <i>E,Z</i> : <mark>45</mark> ; 61

Table S6. Deuterium labelling studies in indoline addition to diene $1a^a$

D-Indoline was prepared by a known previously established method.^{23 a}1:1.8 *E,E:E,Z* mixture of diene **1a**. ^{*b*}Isolated purified compound. ^{*c*}Determined by 400 MHz ¹H-NMR spectroscopy of purified compound. ^{*d*}Deuterium contant at C1 in **2g-d** could not be accurately determined due to overlap of the C1 proton with indoline aryl protons. ^{*e*}Determined by high resolution mass spectrometry of purified compound.

Reactions were carried as described in General Method C at 22 °C. Products **2g-***d* and recovered **1a-***d* were then purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 80:20 hexanes:EtOAc).

HPLC: Column: Cellulose III (3 μm, 4.6 mm X 250 mm). Mobile phase: 10:90 *i*-PrOH:hexanes,

1.0 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. Entry 1-2g-d: Er = 95:5; Entry 2-2g-d: Er = 91:9.





Mol Formula	Calculated Mass	Observed Mass	Error (ppm)	ion	Peak Area	% Area	Theoretical M+1 Peak Area	Corrected Peak Area	Corrected %Area
C19H21N	264.17468	264.17546	-2.97	[M+H]+	2489698	56.6		2489698	69.4
C19H20DN	265.18095	265.18082	-0.06	[M+H]+	1630501	37.1	527069.0666	1103431.933	30.8
C19H19D2N	266.18723	266.18465	9.69	[M+H]+	278465	6.3	286516.7645	-8051.764507	-0.2





VII. Reaction Reversibility and Transamination Studies

<u>General Method D:</u> Inside an N₂-filled glovebox, to a microwave vial equipped with a magnetic stirring rod was added successively: **Pd-1** catalyst (0.01 mmol, 5 mol%), **2** (0.20 mmol, 1.0 equiv), Et₂O/hexanes = 1/1 (0.2 mL), amine (0.01 mmol, 5 mol %) and lastly Et₃N (84 μ L, 0.60 mmol, 3.0 equiv). Reactions were allowed to stir at room temperature for 20 h and then diluted with 1.0 mL of 1:1 hexanes:EtOAc, and finally filtered through a short plug of neutral alumina, eluting with ca. 10 mL of 1:1 hexanes:EtOAc. The solution was then concentrated *in vacuo* and the unpurified material was analyzed by ¹H NMR to determine *E*,*E*/*E*,*Z*-isomer ratio of **1a** and the yield of **1a** and **2** using CH₂Br₂ as an internal standard. And also, unpurified material was analyzed by HPLC to determine enantiomer ratio of **2**.

HPLC: Column: Chiralpak 1-A3 (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 150 mm). Mobile phase: 95:5 *i*-PrOH (with 0.1% Et₂NH):MeCN, 0.3 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. **2a**: Er = 95:5; **2a**-recovery: Er = 81:19.



Additional experiment:



HPLC: Column: Chiralpak 1-A3 (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 150 mm). Mobile phase: 95:5 *i*-PrOH (with 0.1% Et₂NH):MeCN, 0.3 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. **2e**: Er = 96:4; **2e**-recovery: Er = 90:10.



<u>General Method E:</u> Inside an N₂-filled glovebox, to a microwave vial equipped with a magnetic stirring rod was added successively: **Pd-1** catalyst (0.01 mmol, 5 mol%), **2** (0.20 mmol, 1.0 equiv), Et_2O /hexanes = 1/1 (0.2 mL), amine (0.20 mmol, 1.0 equiv) and lastly Et_3N (84 μ L, 0.60 mmol, 3.0 equiv). Reactions were allowed to stir at room temperature for 20 h and then diluted with 1.0 mL of 1:1 hexanes:EtOAc, and finally filtered through a short plug of neutral alumina, eluting with ca. 10 mL of 1:1 hexanes:EtOAc. The solution was then concentrated *in vacuo* and the unpurified material was

analyzed by ¹H NMR to determine E, E/E, Z-isomer ratio of **1a** and the yield of **1a** and **2** using CH₂Br₂ as an internal standard. The material was purified by flash silica gel chromatography (100% hexanes to 80:20 hexanes:EtOAc). The purified material was analyzed by HPLC to determine enantiomer ratio of the two allylic amines separately.

HPLC: Column: Chiralpak 1-A3 (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 150 mm). Mobile phase: 95:5 *i*-PrOH (with 0.1% Et₂NH):MeCN, 0.3 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. **2a**: Er = 98.5:1.5; **2a**-recovery: Er = 84:16; **2e**: Er = 90.5:10.5.



HPLC: Column: Chiralpak 1-A3 (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 150 mm). Mobile phase: 95:5 *i*-PrOH (with 0.1% Et₂NH):MeCN, 0.3 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. **2e**: Er = 95:5; **2e**-recovery: Er = 91:9; **2a**: Er = 89:11.





HPLC: Column 1: Cellulose III (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 250 mm). Mobile phase: 10:90 *i*-PrOH:hexanes, 1.0 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. **2g**: Er = 97.5:2.5; **2g**-recovery: Er = 95:5; Column 2: Chiralpak 1-A3 (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 150 mm). Mobile phase: 95:5 *i*-PrOH (with 0.1% Et₂NH):MeCN, 0.3 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. **2e**: Er = 98:2.



HPLC: Column 1: Chiralpak 1-A3 (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 150 mm). Mobile phase: 95:5 *i*-PrOH (with 0.1% Et₂NH):MeCN, 0.3 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. **2e**: Er = 95:5; **2e**-recovery: Er = 88:12; Column 2: Cellulose III (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 250 mm). Mobile phase: 10:90 *i*-PrOH:hexanes, 1.0 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. **2g**: Er = 95:5.





HPLC: Column: Chiralpak 1-A3 (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 150 mm). Mobile phase: 95:5 IPA (with 0.1% Et₂NH):MeCN, 0.3 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. **2a**-racemic: E.r. = 95:5; **2a**-recovery: E.r. = 87.5:12.5; **2e**: E.r. = 99:1.



HPLC: Column: Chiralpak 1-A3 (3 μ m, 4.6 mm X 150 mm). Mobile phase: 95:5 IPA (with 0.1% Et₂NH):MeCN, 0.3 mL/min. Detection wavelength: 254 nm. **2a**-racemic: E.r. = 95:5; **2a**-recovery: E.r. = 42:58; **2e**: E.r. = 52.5:47.5.



IX. Additonal Experiments







Scheme S2. Hydroamination of another 1,4-dialkyldiene derivative with morpholine







Scheme S4. Control experiments with Brookhart's acid

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XI. NMR Spectra











¹H-NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)


















































