Supporting Information

Divergent Protosilylation and Protoborylation of Polar Enynes

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1. General Information

Unless otherwise noted, all reagents and solvents were purchased from commercial suppliers and used without further purification. 1 H-NMR, 13 C-NMR, 19 F-NMR and 11 B-NMR spectra were recorded at 25 $^{\circ}$ C on a Bruker Advance 400M NMR spectrometer (CDCl₃). Chemical shifts for 1 H NMR spectra are reported as δ in parts per million (ppm) downfield from SiMe₄ (δ 0.00) and relative to the signal of CHCl₃ residual peak (δ 7.26 singlet). Multiplicities were given as: s (singlet); d (doublet); t (triplet); q (quartet); dd (doublet of doublets); dt (doublet of triplets); m (multiplets) and *etc*. Coupling constants are reported as J value in Hz. 13 C NMR spectra are reported as δ in parts per million (ppm) downfield from SiMe₄ (δ 0.00) and relative to the signal of chloroform-d (δ 77.16 triplet). High resolution mass spectral analysis (HRMS) was performed on Waters XEVO G2 Q-TOF (Waters Corporation). Flash chromatography was performed using 200-300 mesh silica gel with the indicated solvent system. The enynoates 1a-1t were prepared following the reported procedures 1 and spectra data for new compounds 1p, 1t and 1s are recorded herein.

2. Experimental Procedures

General Procedure A:

$$R = \begin{bmatrix} B_2 pin_2 & (2.3 \text{ equiv}) \\ CuCl & (10 \text{ mol } \%) \\ L_9 & (12 \text{ mol } \%) \\ DIPEA & (2.0 \text{ equiv}) \\ MeOH, \text{ Ar, } 30 \text{ °C, } 12 \text{ h} \\ Me \\ N \end{bmatrix}$$
Bpin
$$3 \text{ } (Z/E)$$

Under argon atmosphere, an oven-dried 10 mL Schlenck tube was charged with a stirring bar, CuCl (2.0 mg, 0.02 mmol, 10 mol %), 3,4,7,8-tetramethyl-1,10-phenanthroline (5.7 mg, 0.024 mmol, 12 mol %) and MeOH (1 mL, 0.2 M). After stirring for 10 min, B₂pin₂ (116.8 mg, 0.46 mmol, 2.3 equiv), substrate **1** (0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv) and N,N-diisopropylethylamine (51.7 mg, 0.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv) were added in sequence. Then the reaction mixture was kept at 30 °C for 12 h. Dichloromethane was added and the precipitate was removed by filtration. The resultant solution was concentrated and the crude product was purified by column chromatography.

1 mmol scale experiment for the preparation of 3c:

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{B}_2\text{pin}_2 \ (2.3 \ \text{equiv}) \\ \text{CO}_2\text{Me} \\ \text{L}_9 \ (12 \ \text{mol} \ \%) \\ \text{L}_9 \ (12 \ \text{mol} \ \%) \\ \text{MeOH, Ar, } 30 \ ^\circ\text{C}, \ 12 \ \text{h} \\ \text{Me} \\ \text{L}_9 \\ \end{array}$$

Under argon atmosphere, an oven-dried 35 mL Schlenck tube was charged with a stirring bar, CuCl

(9.9 mg, 0.10 mmol, 10 mol %), 3,4,7,8-tetramethyl-1,10-phenanthroline (28.4 mg, 0.12 mmol, 12 mol %) and MeOH (5 mL, 0.2 M). After stirring for 10 min, B_2pin_2 (584.0 mg, 2.3 mmol, 2.3 equiv), substrate $\mathbf{1c}$ (216.2 mg, 1.0 mmol, 1.0 equiv) and N_1N_2 -diisopropylethylamine (258.4 mg, 2.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv) were added in sequence. Then the reaction mixture was kept at 30 °C for 12 h. Dichloromethane was added and the precipitate was removed by filtration. The resultant solution was concentrated and the crude product was purified by column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate from 100:0 to 90:10) to give $\mathbf{3c}$ (289.4 mg, 83% yield, 93:7 \mathbb{Z}/E) as a light yellow oil.

General Procedure B:

An oven-dried 10 mL Schlenck tube was charged with a stirring bar, CuCl (2.0 mg, 0.02 mmol, 10 mol %), B₂pin₂ (53.3 mg, 0.21 mmol, 1.05 equiv) and substrate **1** (0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv). Under argon atmosphere, triethylamine (10 mol%) in MeOH (1 mL, 0.2 M) were added via syringe. K₃PO₄ (4.2 mg, 10 mol %) was used as base instead of triethylamine for δ-alkyl substituted dienoates. Then the reaction mixture was kept at 30 °C for 12 h. Dichloromethane was added and the precipitate was removed by filtration. The resultant solution was concentrated and the crude product was purified by column chromatography.

5 mmol scale experiment for the preparation of 5a:

An oven-dried 50 mL 50 mL round-bottom flask was charged with a stirring bar, CuCl (49.5 mg, 0.5 mmol, 10 mol %), B₂pin₂ (1.334 g, 5.25 mmol, 1.05 equiv) and substrate **1a** (931 mg, 5 mmol, 1.0 equiv). Under argon atmosphere, triethylamine (50.6 mg, 10 mol%) in MeOH (25 mL, 0.2 M) were added via syringe. Then the reaction mixture was kept at 30 °C for 12 h. Dichloromethane was added and the precipitate was removed by filtration. The resultant solution was concentrated and the crude product was purified by column chromatography (dichloromethane) to give **5a** (1.109 g, 71% yield) as a colorless oil.

General Procedure C:

An oven-dried 10 mL Schlenck tube was charged with a stirring bar, CuBr (2.9 mg, 0.02 mmol, 10 mol %), K₂CO₃ (2.8 mg, 0.02 mmol, 10 mol %) and substrate **1** (0.2 mmol). Under Ar atmosphere, 'AmOH/H₂O (1 mL, 500:1, 0.2 M) and PhMe₂Si-Bpin (68.2 mg, 0.26 mmol, 1.3 equiv) were added in sequence via syringe. Then the reaction mixture was kept at 30 °C. Another batch of water was added after 1h as indicated if necessary. After another 11 h, dichloromethane was added and the precipitate was removed by filtration. The resultant solution was concentrated and the crude product was purified by preparative thin-layer chromatography (PTLC) or column chromatography.

3 mmol scale experiment for the preparation of 11a:

An oven-dried 50 mL round-bottom flask was charged with a stirring bar, CuBr (43.0 mg, 0.3 mmol, 10 mol %), K_2CO_3 (41.5 mg, 0.3 mmol, 10 mol %) and substrate **1a** (558.6 mg, 3.0 mmol). Under Ar atmosphere, 'AmOH/H₂O (15 mL, 500:1, 0.2 M) and PhMe₂Si-Bpin (1.023 g, 3.9 mmol, 1.3 equiv) were added in sequence via syringe. Then the reaction mixture was kept at 30 °C. Another batch of water (30 μ L) was added after 1h if the reaction system didn't turn black. After another 11 h, dichloromethane was added and the precipitate was removed by filtration. The resultant solution was concentrated and the crude product was purified by column chromatography to give **11a** in (907.5 mg, 93% yield, β : α = 96:4) as a colorless oil.

3. Characterization Data and Spectra of Substrates and Products

3.1 Spectra of New Starting Materials

methyl (E)-5-methylnon-4-en-2-ynoate (1p)

Prepared according to reported procedure¹ using corresponding TMS-protected alkyne (1.65 g, 8.5 mmol). The product **1p** was isolated in 62% yield (0.95 g) by column chromatography as light yellow oil.

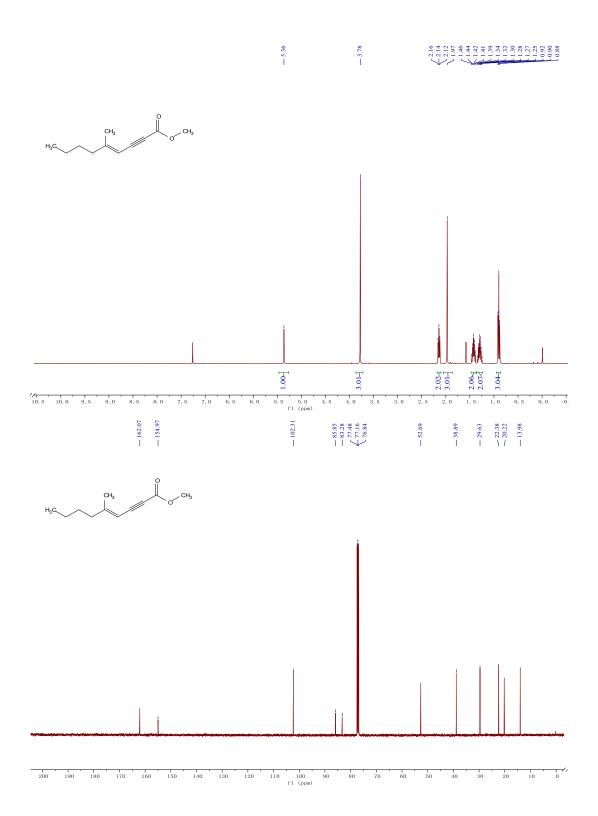
Eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (100:0 - 100:5).

 $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.37 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20:1).

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.36 (s, 1H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 2.14 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 1.97 (s, 3H), 1.42 (m, 2H), 1.36 – 1.23 (m, 2H), 0.90 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 3H).

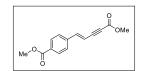
¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 162.07, 154.97, 102.31, 85.85, 83.28, 52.69, 38.89, 29.63, 22.38, 20.22, 13.98.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{11}H_{17}O_2^+$ $[M+H]^+$: 181.1229, found: 181.1231.



methyl (E)-4-(5-methoxy-5-oxopent-1-en-3-yn-1-yl)benzoate (1f)

Prepared according to reported procedure¹ using corresponding TMS-protected alkyne (1.06 g, 4.12 mmol). The product **1f** was isolated in 79% yield (0.80 g) by column chromatography as white solid.



Eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (85:15).

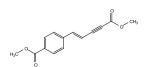
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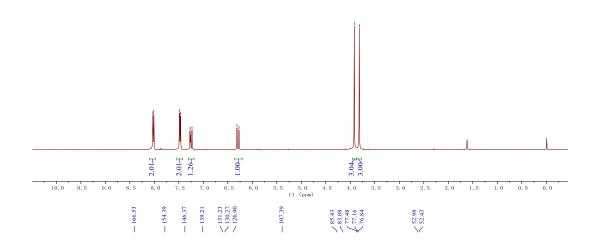
¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.02 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.48 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.25 (d, J = 16.3 Hz,

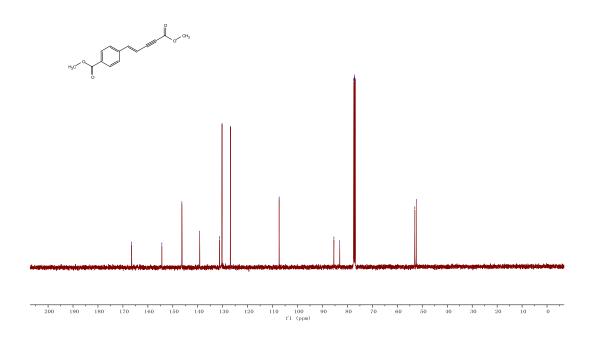
1H), 6.29 (d, J = 16.3 Hz, 1H), 3.92 (s, 3H), 3.82 (s, 3H).

¹³C **NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.53, 154.39, 146.37, 139.21, 131.23, 130.27, 126.90, 107.39, 85.43, 83.08, 52.98, 52.43.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{14}H_{13}O_4^+$ [M+H]⁺: 245.0814, found: 245.0811.

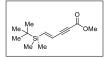






methyl (E)-5-(tert-butyldimethylsilyl)pent-4-en-2-ynoate (1t)

Prepared according to reported procedure^{1a, 2} using corresponding terminal alkyne (1.00g, 6.0 mmol). The product **1t** was isolated in 38% yield (0.51 g) by column chromatography as yellow oil.



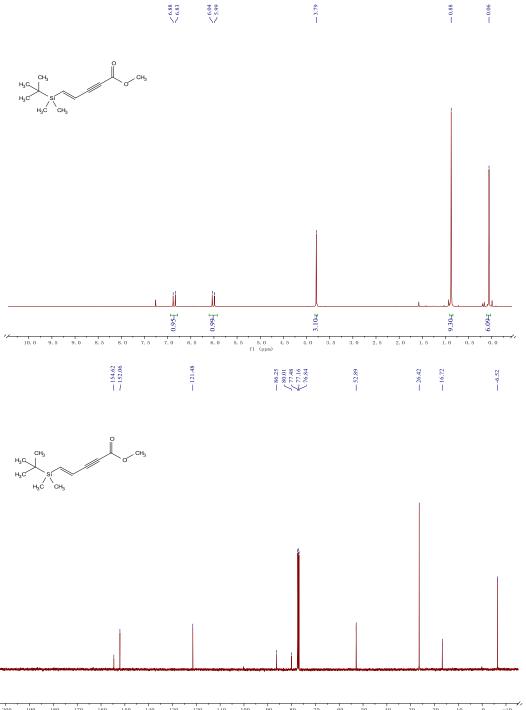
Eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (100:0 - 100:2).

 $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.50 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20:1).

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 6.86 (d, J = 19.4 Hz, 1H), 6.01 (d, J = 19.5 Hz, 1H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 0.88 (s, 9H), 0.06 (s, 6H).

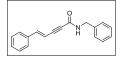
¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 154.62, 152.06, 121.48, 86.25, 80.01, 52.89, 26.42, 16.72, -6.52.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{12}H_{21}O_2Si^+$ [M+H]⁺: 225.1311, found: 225.1311.



(E)-N-benzyl-5-phenylpent-4-en-2-ynamide (1s)

Prepared according to reported procedure³ using **1a** (0.372 g, 2.0 mmol, 1.0 equiv) and benzylamine (0.257 g, 2.4 mmol, 1.2 equiv) as substrates. The product **1s** was isolated in 62% yield (0.323 g) by column chromatography as pale solid.



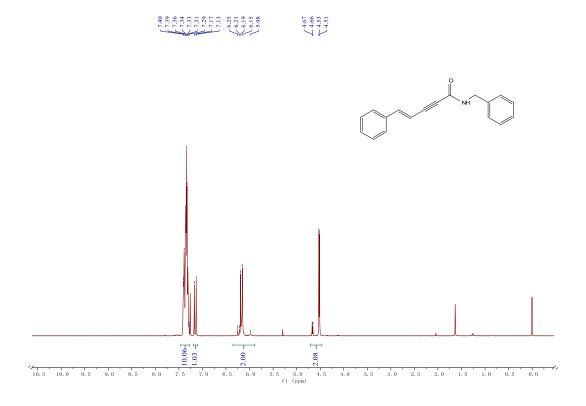
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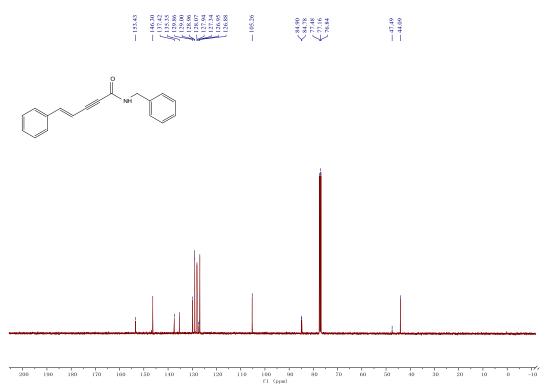
 $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.15 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 85:15).

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) (C-N cis/trans) δ 7.47 – 7.27 (m, 10H), 7.15 (d, J = 16.3 Hz, 1H), 6.29 – 5.92 (m, 2H), 4.66 (d, J = 6.5 Hz, 0.21H) and 4.52 (d, J = 5.9 Hz, 1.86H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) (C-N cis/trans) δ 153.43, 146.30, 137.42, 135.35, 129.86, 129.00, 128.96, 128.07, 127.94, 127.34, 126.95, 126.88, 105.26, 84.90, 84.78, 47.49, 44.09.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{18}H_{16}NO^+$, $[M+H]^+$: 262.1232, found: 262.1232.

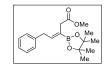




3.2 Spectra of Vinylboronates

methyl (Z)-5-phenyl-3-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)pent-3-enoate (3a)

Prepared according to General Procedure A from **1a** (37.2 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product **3a** was isolated in 75% yield (47.4 mg) by flash column chromatography as white solid.



Stereoselectivity: 95:5 (*Z/E*, GC, crude).

Eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20:1 to 10:1.

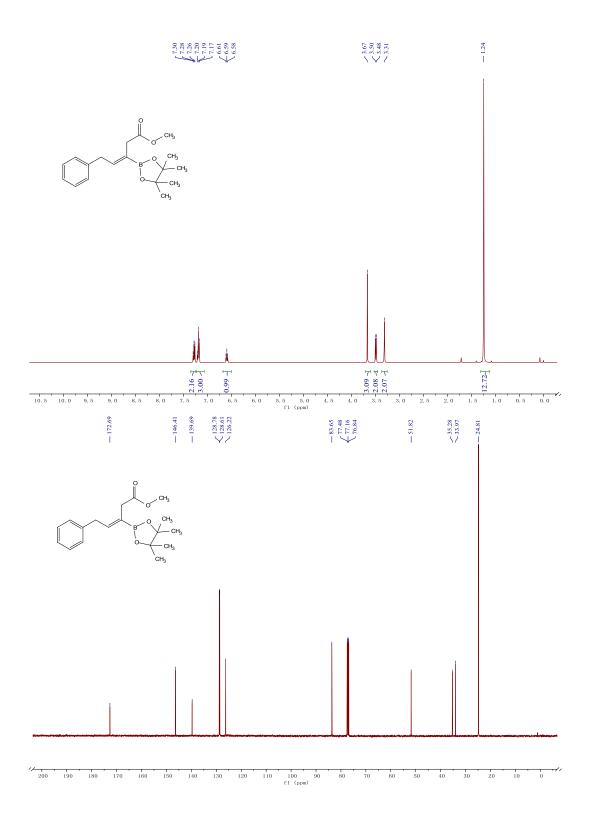
 $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.15 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20:1)

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.34 – 7.24 (m, 2H), 7.19 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 3H), 6.59 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.67 (s, 3H), 3.49 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 3.31 (s, 2H), 1.24 (s, 12H).

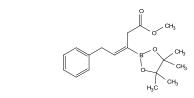
¹³C **NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.69, 146.41, 139.69, 128.78, 128.61, 126.22, 83.65, 51.82, 35.28, 33.97, 24.81.

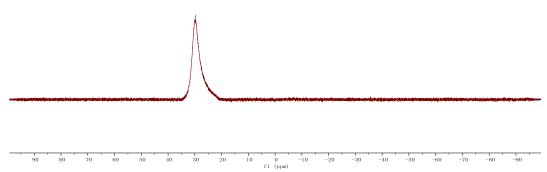
¹¹**B NMR** (128 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 29.80.

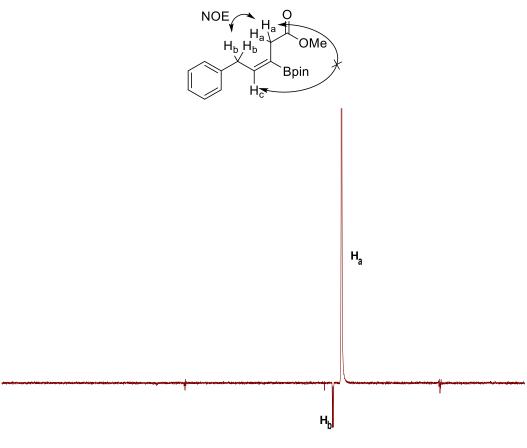
HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{18}H_{25}O_4^{11}BNa$ [M+Na]⁺: 339.1744, found: 339.1747.











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methyl (Z)-3-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)-5-(p-tolyl)pent-3-enoate (3b)

Prepared according to General Procedure A from **1b** (40.0 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product **3b** was isolated in 73% yield (48.0 mg) by flash column chromatography as light yellow oil.

OMe BrOMe Me Me

Stereoselectivity: 92:8 (*Z/E*, GC, crude).

Eluent: dichloromethane.

 $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.09 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 40:1).

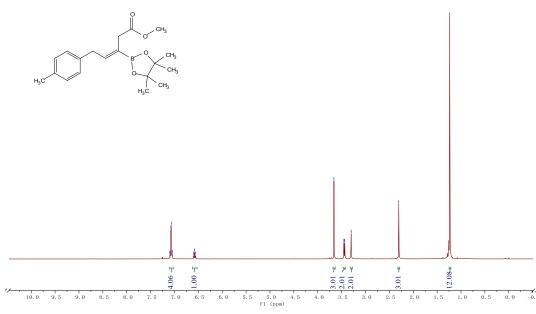
¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.11 – 7.03 (m, 4H), 6.58 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.66 (s, 3H), 3.44 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 3.30 (s, 2H), 2.30 (s, 3H), 1.24 (s, 12H).

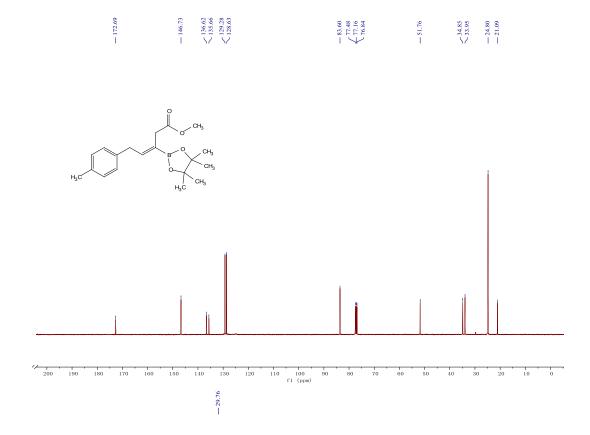
¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.69, 146.73, 136.62, 135.66, 129.28, 128.63, 83.60, 51.76, 34.85, 33.95, 24.80, 21.09.

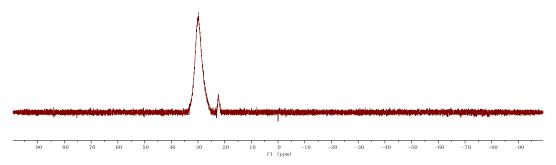
¹¹**B NMR** (128 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 29.76.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for C₁₉H₂₇O₄¹¹BNa [M+Na]⁺: 353.1900, found: 353.1907.



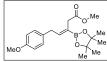






methyl (*Z*)-5-(4-methoxyphenyl)-3-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)pent-3-enoate (3c)

Prepared according to General Procedure A from 1c (43.2 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product 3c was isolated in 80% yield (55.4 mg) by flash column chromatography as light yellow oil.



Stereoselectivity: 96:4 (Z/E, GC, crude).

Eluent: Dichloromethane.

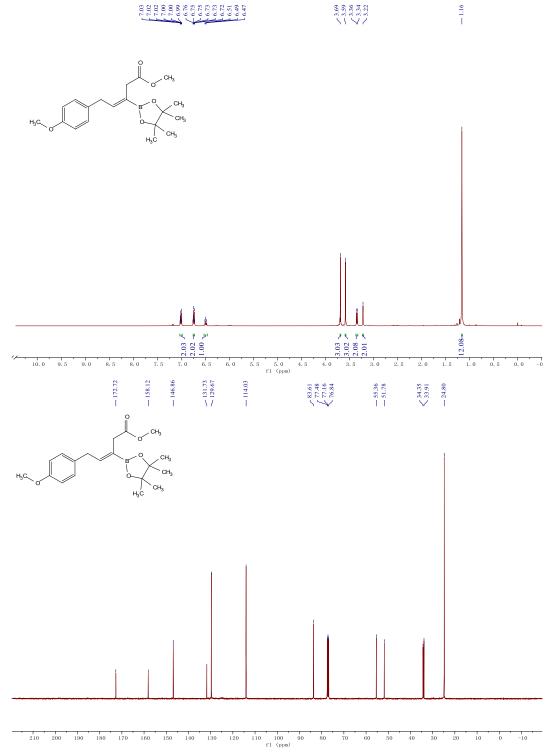
 R_f : 0.13 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20:1)

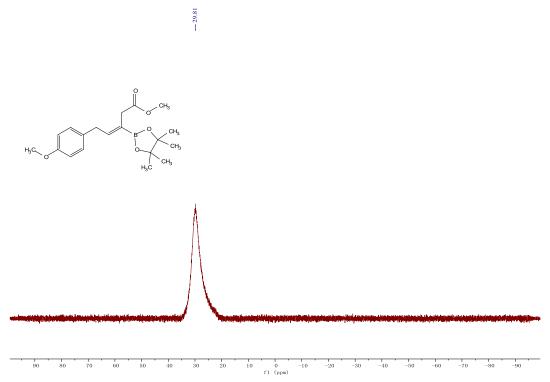
¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.03 – 6.98 (m, 2H), 6.76 – 6.72 (m, 2H), 6.49 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 3.59 (s, 3H), 3.35 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 3.22 (s, 2H), 1.16 (s, 12H).

¹³C **NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.72, 158.12, 146.86, 131.73, 129.67, 114.03, 83.61, 55.36, 51.78, 34.35, 33.91, 24.80.

¹¹**B NMR** (128 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 29.81.

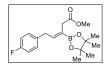
HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for C₁₉H₂₇O₅¹¹BNa [M+Na]⁺: 369.1849, found: 369.1851.





methyl (Z)-5-(4-fluorophenyl)-3-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)pent-3-enoate (3d)

Prepared according to General Procedure A from **1d** (40.8 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product **3d** was isolated in 69% yield (46.4 mg) by flash column chromatography as light yellow oil.



Stereoselectivity: 98:2 (*Z/E*, GC, crude).

Eluent: Dichloromethane.

 $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.31 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15:1)

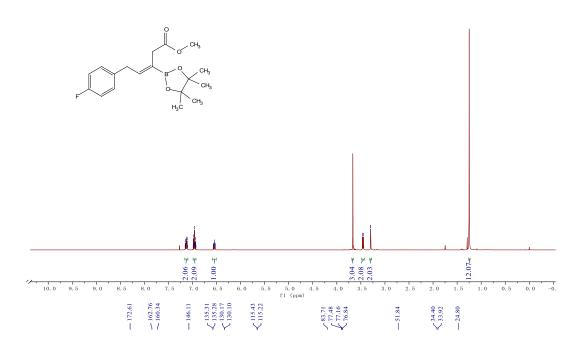
¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.16 – 7.10 (m, 2H), 6.99 – 6.92 (m, 2H), 6.55 (tt, J = 7.2, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 3.67 (s, 3H), 3.46 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 3.30 (d, J = 0.6 Hz, 2H), 1.25 (s, 12H).

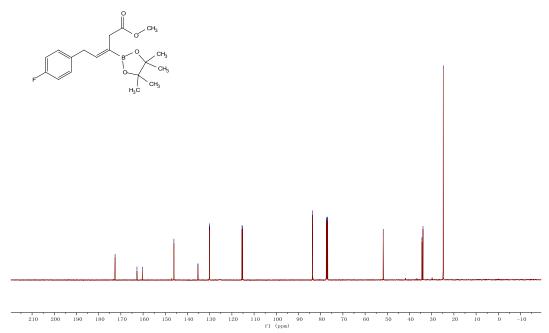
¹³C **NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.61, 161.55 (d, J = 243.8 Hz), 146.11, 135.29 (d, J = 3.2 Hz), 130.14 (d, J = 7.9 Hz), 115.33 (d, J = 21.2 Hz), 83.71, 51.84, 34.40, 33.92, 24.80.

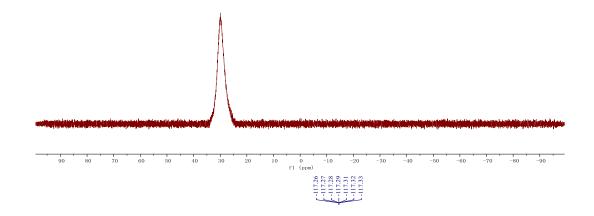
¹¹**B NMR** (128 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 29.87.

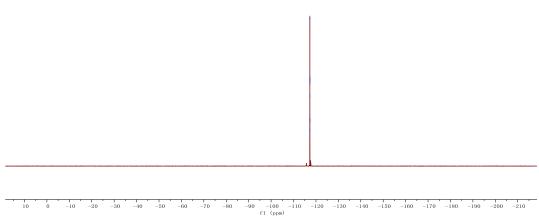
¹⁹**F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -117.24 – -117.35 (m).

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for C₁₈H₂₄O₄¹¹BFNa [M+Na]⁺: 357.1649, found: 357.1660.



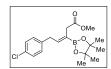






methyl (Z)-5-(4-chlorophenyl)-3-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)pent-3-enoate (3e)

Prepared according to General Procedure A from **1e** (44.1 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product **3e** was isolated in 67% yield (47.1 mg) by flash column chromatography as light yellow oil.



Stereoselectivity: 96:4 (*Z/E*, GC, crude).

Eluent: dichloromethane.

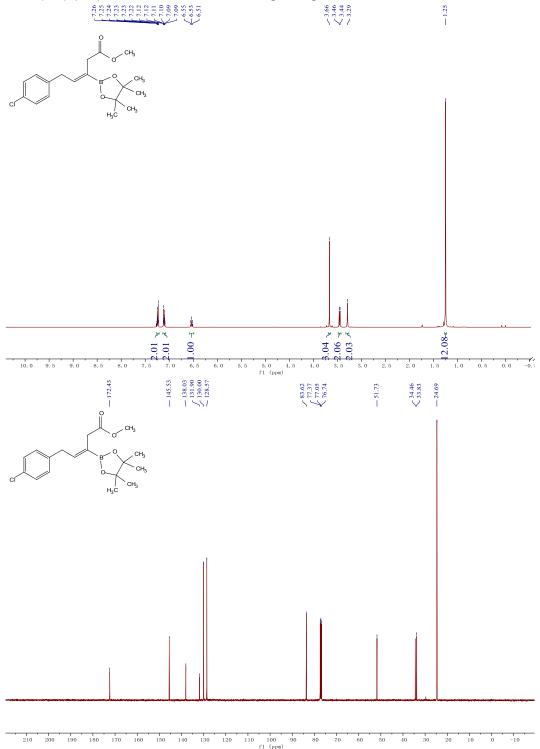
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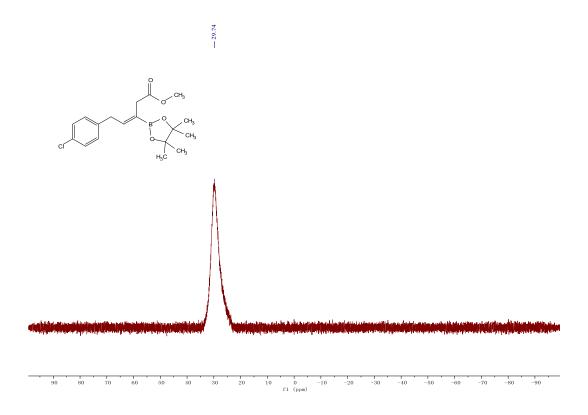
¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.26 – 7.22 (m, 2H), 7.13 – 7.08 (m, 2H), 6.53 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.66 (s, 3H), 3.45 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 3.29 (s, 2H), 1.25 (s, 12H).

¹³C **NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.43, 145.53, 138.03, 131.90, 130.00, 128.57, 83.62, 51.73, 34.46, 33.83, 24.69.

¹¹**B NMR** (128 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 29.74.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for C₁₈H₂₄O₄¹¹BClNa [M+Na]⁺:373.1354, found: 373.1361.





methyl (Z)-5-(benzo[d][1,3]dioxol-5-yl)-3-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)pent-3-enoate (3g)

Prepared according to General Procedure A from **1g** (46.0 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product **3g** was isolated in 75% yield (54.3 mg) by flash column chromatography as light yellow solid.

Stereoselectivity: 95:5 (*Z/E*, NMR, crude).

Eluent: Dichloromethane.

 $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.14 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15:1)

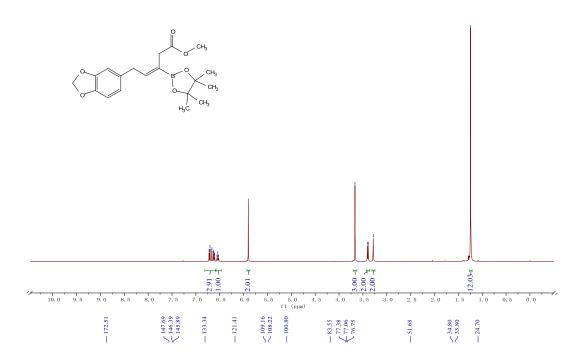
¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 6.74 – 6.59 (m, 3H), 6.54 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 5.90 (s, 2H), 3.67 (s, 3H), 3.40 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 3.28 (s, 2H), 1.24 (s, 12H).

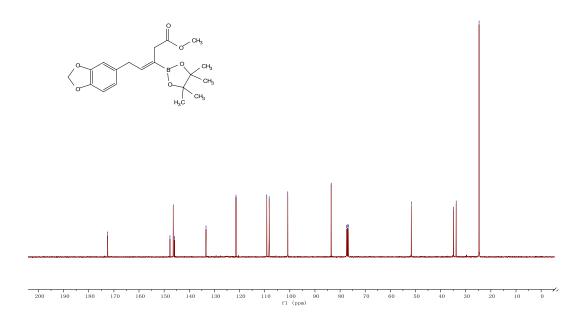
¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.51, 147.69, 146.39, 145.89, 133.34, 121.41, 109.16, 108.22, 100.80, 83.55, 51.68, 34.80, 33.80, 24.70.

¹¹**B NMR** (128 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 29.76.

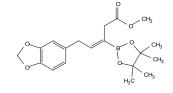
HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{19}H_{25}O_6^{11}BNa^+$ [M+Na]+:383.1642, found: 383.1642.

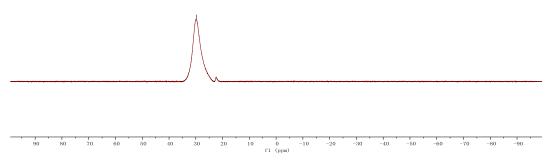






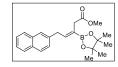






methyl (Z)-5-(naphthalen-2-yl)-3-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)pent-3-enoate (3h)

Prepared according to General Procedure A from 1h (47.3 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product 3h was isolated in 40% yield (28.7 mg) by flash column chromatography as light yellow solid.



Stereoselectivity: 95:5 (*Z/E*, GC, crude).

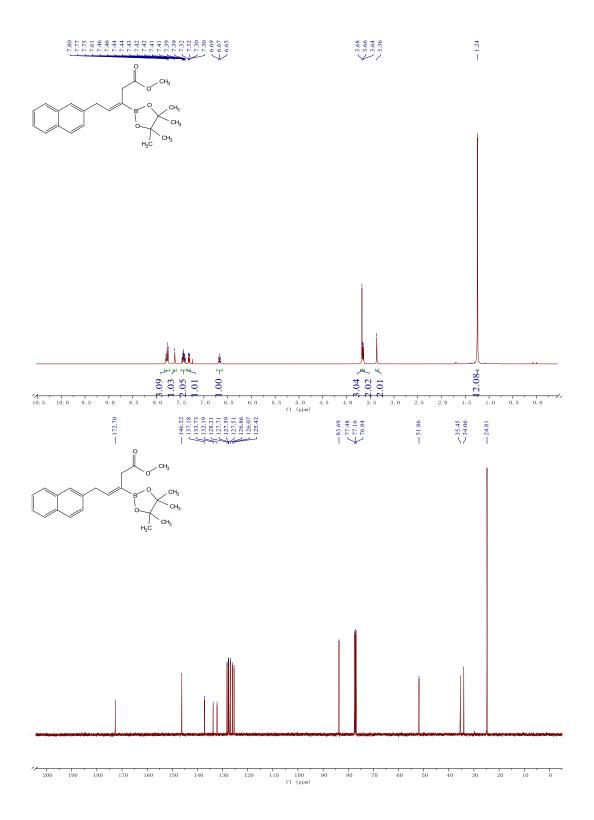
Eluent: dichloromethane.

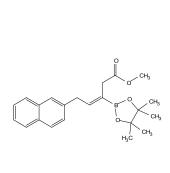
 $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.15 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20:1)

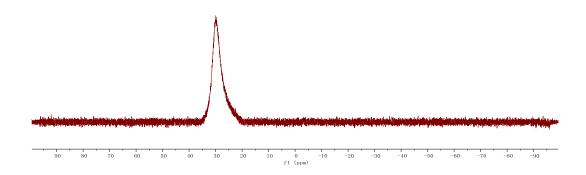
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.82 – 7.73 (m, 3H), 7.61 (s, 1H), 7.47 – 7.38 (m, 2H), 7.31 (dd, J = 8.4, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 6.67 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.68 (s, 3H), 3.65 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 3.36 (s, 2H), 1.24 (s, 12H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.70, 146.22, 137.18, 133.73, 132.19, 128.21, 127.71, 127.59, 127.51, 126.86, 126.07, 125.42, 83.69, 51.86, 35.45, 34.06, 24.81.

¹¹**B NMR** (128 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 28.83.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for C₂₂H₂₇O₄¹¹BNa⁺ [M+Na]⁺: 389.1900 found: 389.1898.







methyl (Z)-3-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)-5-(thiophen-2-yl)pent-3-enoate (3i)

Prepared according to General Procedure A from 1i (38.4 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product 3i was isolated in 63% yield (40.9 mg) by flash column chromatography as light yellow solid.

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Stereoselectivity: 95:5 (Z/E, NMR, crude).

Eluent: dichloromethane.

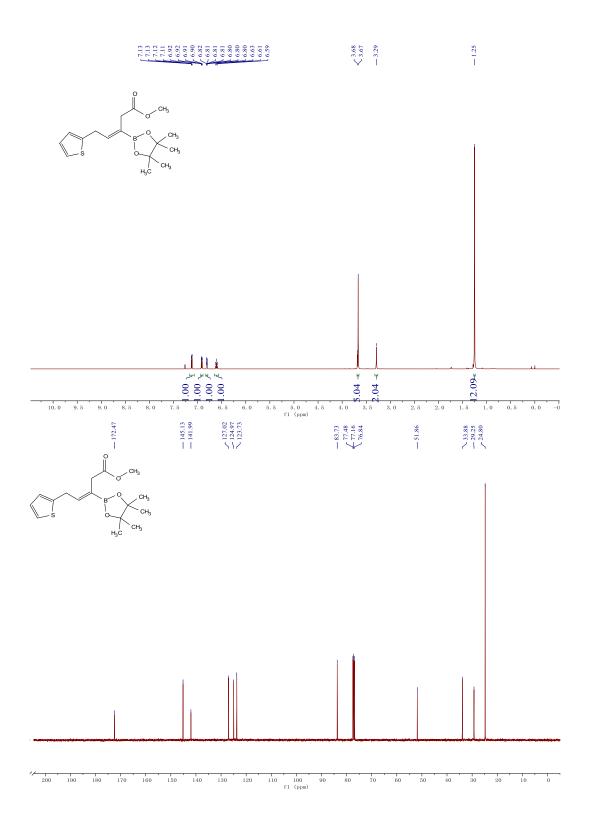
 $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.15 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 15:1)

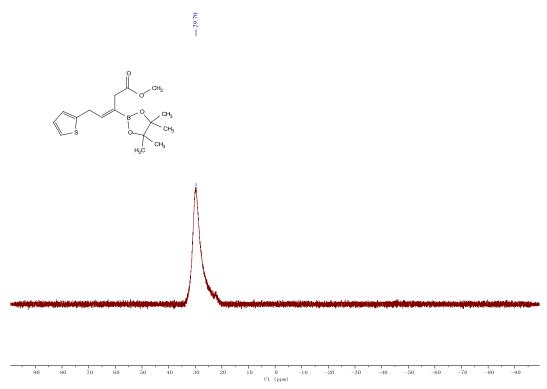
¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.12 (dd, J = 5.1, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 6.91 (dd, J = 5.1, 3.4 Hz, 1H), 6.83 – 6.79 (m, 1H), 6.61 (tt, J = 7.2, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 3.69 – 3.65 (m, 5H), 3.29 (s, 2H), 1.25 (s, 12H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.47, 145.13, 141.99, 127.02, 124.97, 123.73, 83.73, 51.86, 33.88, 29.25, 24.80.

¹¹**B NMR** (128 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 29.70.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for C₁₆H₂₃O₄¹¹BSNa [M+Na]⁺: 345.1308, found: 345.1304.





methyl (Z)-3-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)-5-(m-tolyl)pent-3-enoate (3u)

Prepared according to General Procedure A from **1u** (40.0 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product **3u** was isolated in 68% yield (45.2 mg) by flash column chromatography as colorless oil.

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Stereoselectivity: 94:6 (*Z/E*, GC, crude).

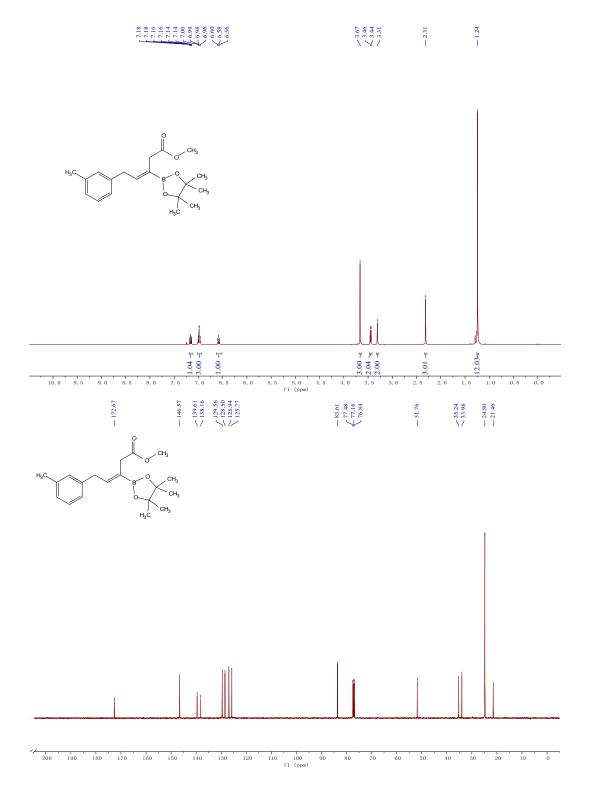
Eluent: dichloromethane.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.20 – 7.12 (m, 1H), 7.02 – 6.94 (m, 3H), 6.58 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.67 (s, 3H), 3.45 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 3.31 (s, 2H), 2.31 (s, 3H), 1.24 (s, 12H).

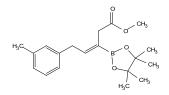
¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.67, 146.57, 139.61, 138.16, 129.56, 128.50, 126.94, 125.77, 83.61, 51.76, 35.24, 33.98, 24.80, 21.46.

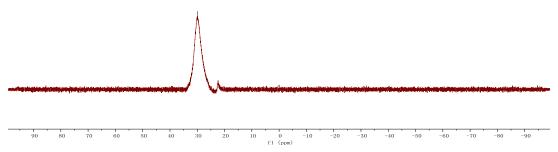
¹¹**B NMR** (128 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 29.86.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for C₁₉H₂₇O₄¹¹BNa⁺ [M+Na]⁺: 353.1900, found: 353.1904.









methyl (Z)-3-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)-5-(o-tolyl)pent-3-enoate (3v)

Prepared according to General Procedure A from 1v (40.0 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product 3v was isolated in 79% yield (52.5 mg) by flash column chromatography as colorless oil.



Stereoselectivity: 97:3 (*Z/E*, NMR, crude).

Eluent: dichloromethane.

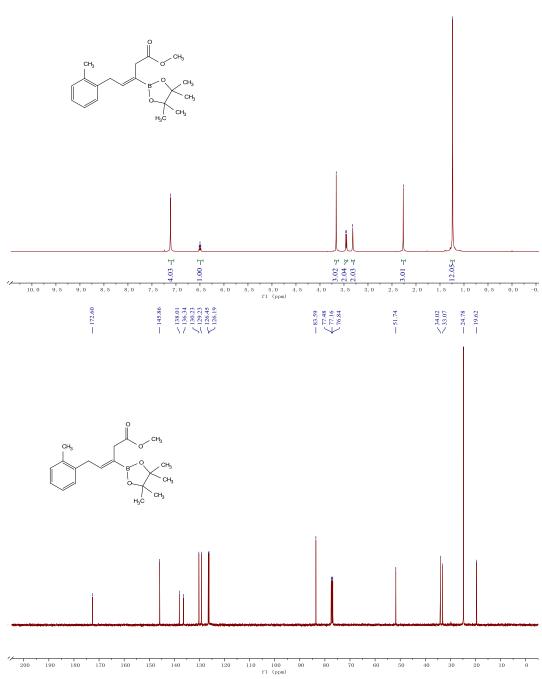
¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.11 (s, 4H), 6.50 (t, J = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 3.66 (s, 3H), 3.45 (d, J = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 3.32 (s, 2H), 2.26 (s, 3H), 1.24 (s, 12H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.60, 145.86, 138.01, 136.34, 130.23, 129.23, 126.45, 126.19, 83.59, 51.74, 34.02, 33.07, 24.78, 19.62.

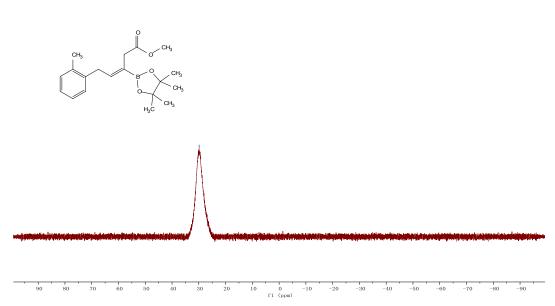
¹¹**B NMR** (128 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 29.88.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for C₁₉H₂₇O₄¹¹BNa⁺ [M+Na]⁺: 353.1900, found: 353.1902.









ethyl (Z)-5-phenyl-3-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)pent-3-enoate (3w)

Prepared according to General Procedure A from **1w** (40.0 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product **3w** was isolated in 72% yield (46.1 mg) by flash column chromatography as light yellow solid.



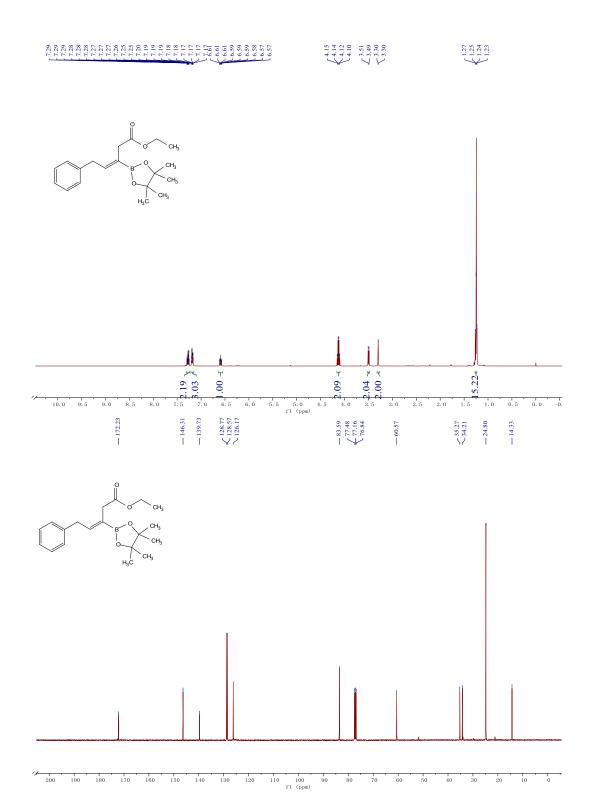
Stereoselectivity: 92:8 (Z/E, GC, crude).

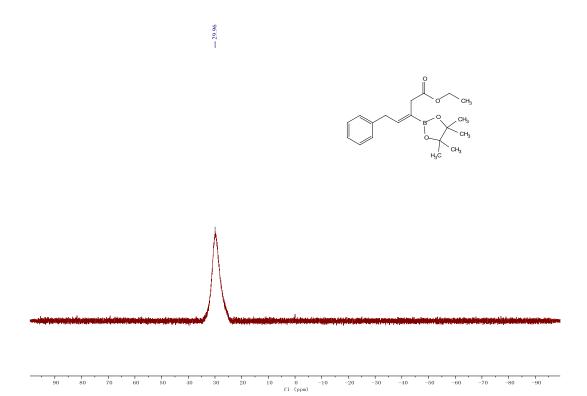
Eluent: Dichloromethane.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.30 – 7.24 (m, 2H), 7.21 – 7.16 (m, 3H), 6.59 (tt, J = 7.2, 1.1 Hz, 1H), 4.13 (q, J = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 3.50 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 3.30 (d, J = 0.8 Hz, 2H), 1.24 (t, J = 3.6 Hz, 15H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.23, 146.31, 139.73, 128.77, 128.57, 126.17, 83.59, 60.57, 35.27, 34.21, 24.80, 14.33.

¹¹**B NMR** (128 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 29.96.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{19}H_{27}O_4^{11}BNa$ [M+Na]+: 353.1900, found: 353.1906.





3.3 Spectra of Boryldienoates

methyl (2Z,4E)-5-phenyl-3-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)penta-2,4-dienoate (5a)

Prepared according to General Procedure B from **1a** (37.2 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product **5a** was isolated in 79% yield (49.6 mg) by flash column chromatography as colorless oil.

Eluent: dichloromethane.

 $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.32 (tailing, petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20:1)

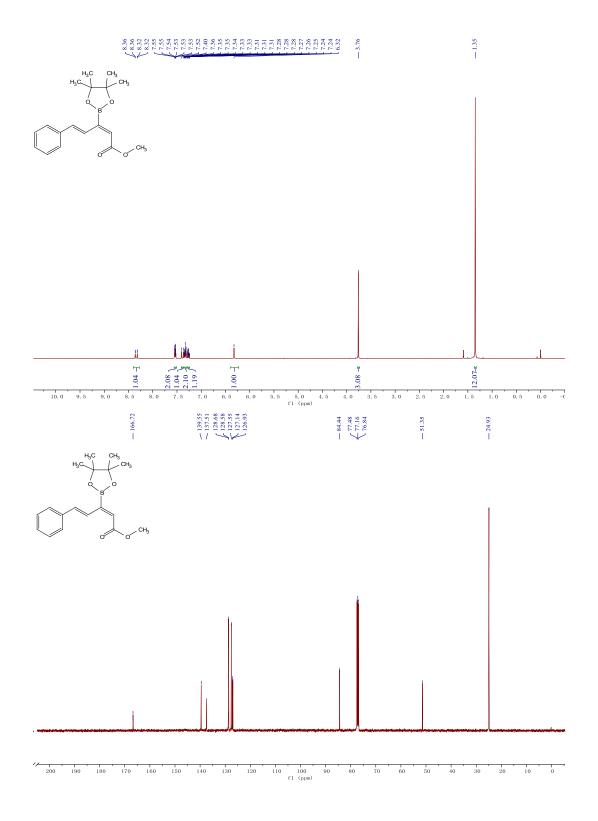
¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.34 (dd, J = 16.3, 0.7 Hz, 1H), 7.56 - 7.51 (m, 2H),

7.38 (d, J = 16.3 Hz, 1H), 7.35 - 7.30 (m, 2H), 7.28 - 7.24 (m, 1H), 6.32 (s, 1H), 3.76 (s, 3H), 1.35 (s, 12H).

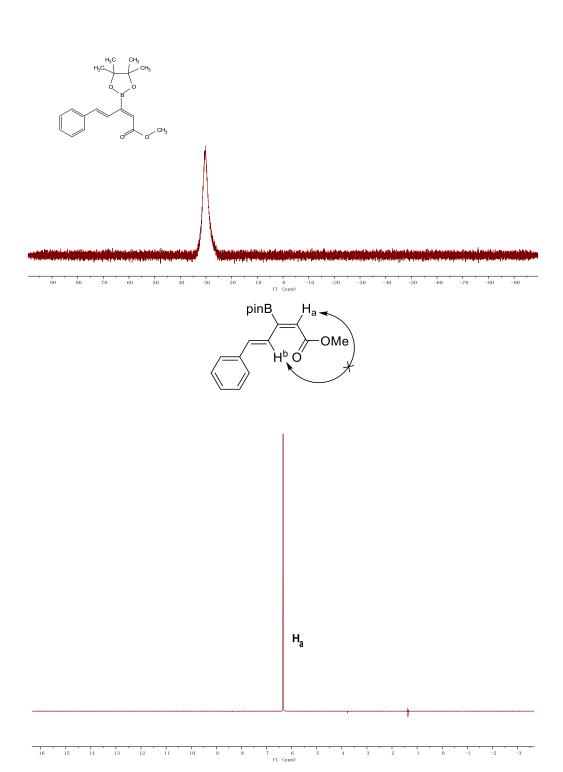
¹³C **NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.72, 139.55, 137.51, 128.68, 128.58, 127.55, 127.14, 126.93, 84.44, 51.35, 24.93.

¹¹**B NMR** (128 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 30.23.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{18}H_{23}O_4^{11}BNa$ [M+Na]+:337.1587, found: 337.1590.





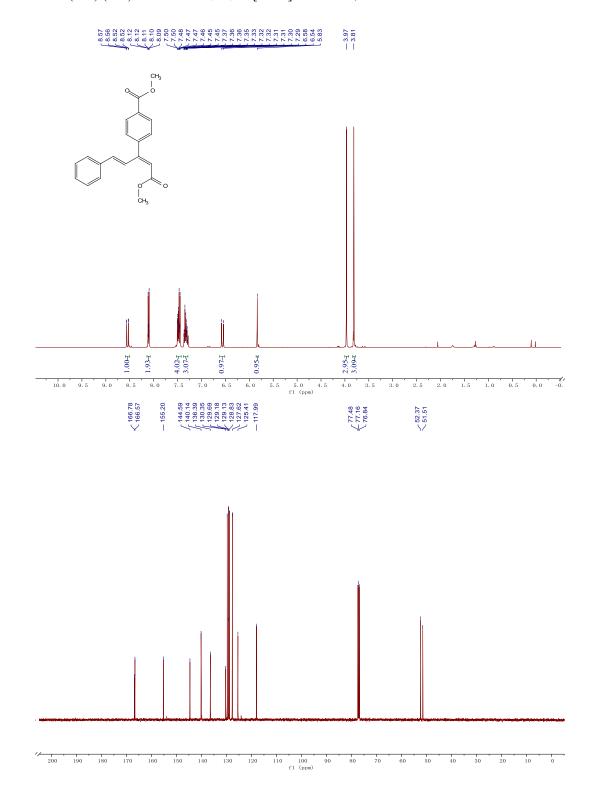


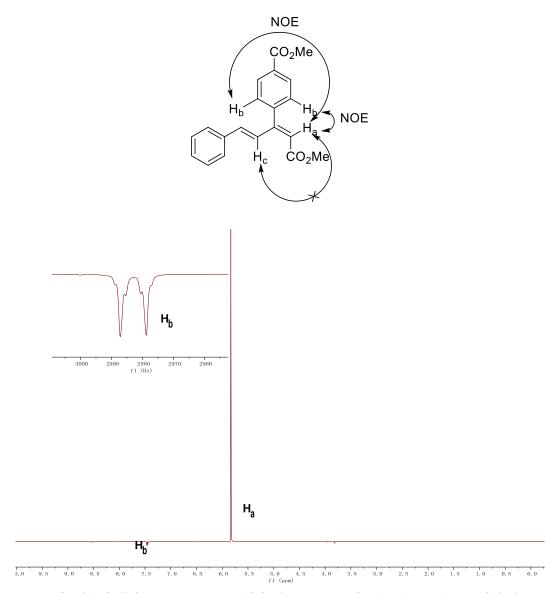
To further determine the Z/E of the newly formed double bond, the Suzuki-coupling reaction between $\mathbf{5a}$ and methyl 4-iodobenzoate was performed, according the procedure for preparation of $\mathbf{8a}$. The product was obtained in 85% isolated yield and the configuration of the newly formed double bond was determined as E.

methyl 4-((1E,3E)-5-methoxy-5-oxo-1-phenylpenta-1,3-dien-3-yl)benzoate

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.54 (dd, J = 16.4, 0.7 Hz, 1H), 8.13 – 8.08 (m, 2H), 7.52 – 7.43 (m, 4H), 7.38 – 7.29 (m, 3H), 6.56 (d, J = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 5.83 (s, 1H), 3.97 (s, 3H), 3.81 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.78, 166.57, 155.20, 144.59, 140.14, 136.39, 130.35, 129.69, 129.18, 129.13, 128.83, 127.62, 125.41, 117.99, 52.37, 51.51.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for C₂₀H₁₉O₄ [M+H]⁺:323.1283, found: 323.1287.





methyl (2Z,4E)-3-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)-5-(p-tolyl)penta-2,4-dienoate (5b)

Prepared according to General Procedure B from **1b** (40.0 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product **5b** was isolated in 76% yield (49.8 mg) by flash column chromatography as colorless oil.

Eluent: dichloromethane.

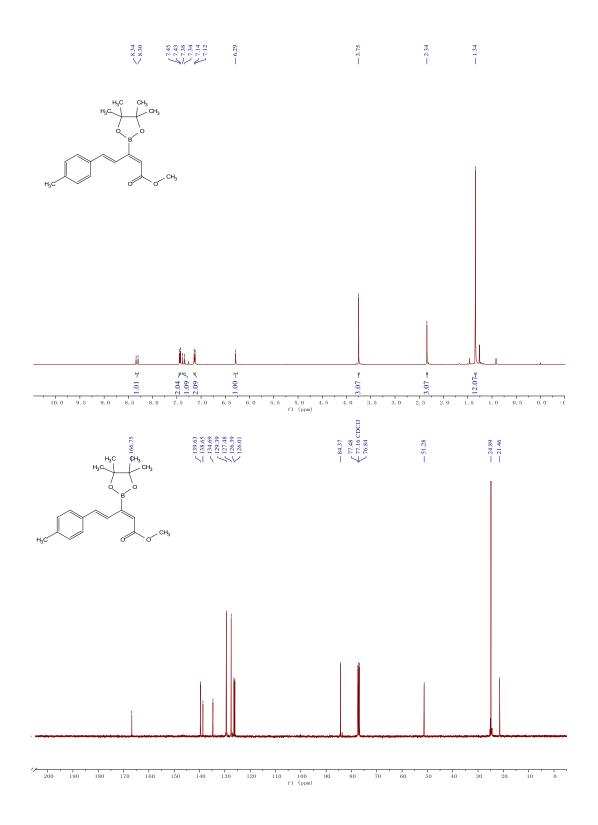
 $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.45 (tailing, petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20:1)

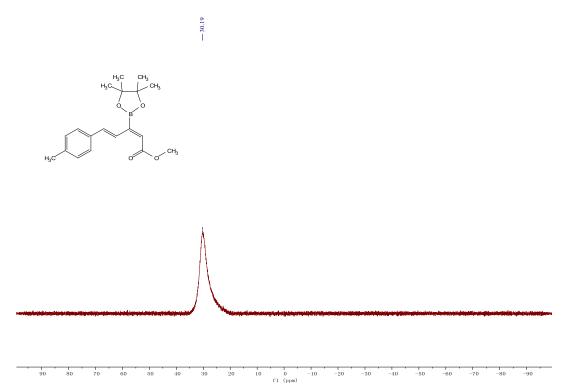
¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.32 (d, J = 16.2 Hz, 1H), 7.44 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.36 (d, J = 16.3 Hz, 1H), 7.13 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 6.29 (s, 1H), 3.75 (s, 3H), 2.34 (s, 3H), 1.34 (s, 12H).

¹³C **NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.75, 139.63, 138.65, 134.69, 129.39, 127.48, 126.39, 126.01, 84.37, 51.28, 24.89, 21.46.

¹¹**B NMR** (128 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 30.19.

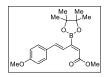
HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{19}H_{25}O_4^{11}BNa$ [M+Na]⁺: 351.1744, found: 351.1742.





methyl (2Z,4E)-5-(4-methoxyphenyl)-3-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)penta-2,4-dienoate (5c)

Prepared according to General Procedure B from **1c** (43.2 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product **5c** was isolated in 50% yield (33.4 mg) by flash column chromatography as colorless oil.



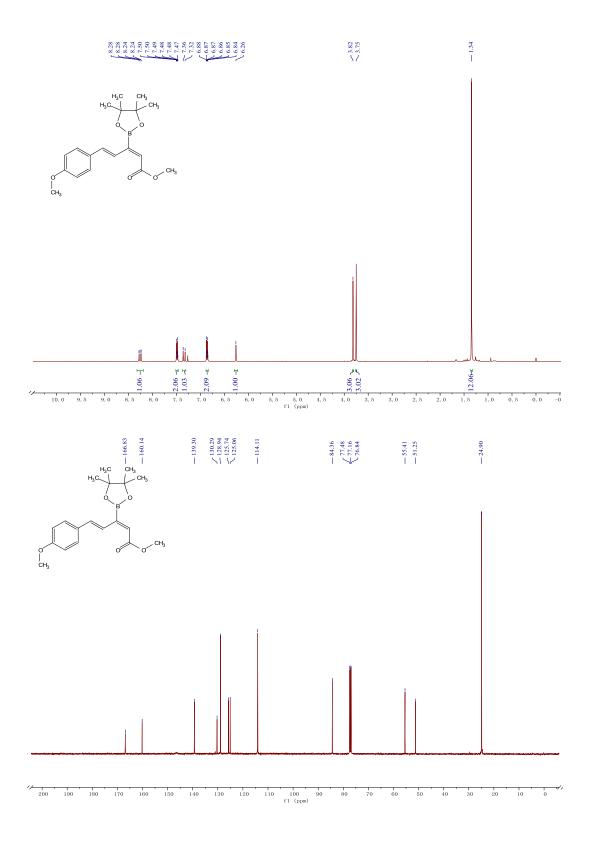
Eluent: dichloromethane.

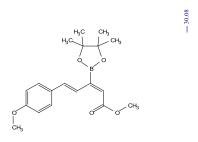
¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.26 (dd, J = 16.2, 0.7 Hz, 1H), 7.52 – 7.45 (m, 2H), 7.34 (d, J = 16.2 Hz, 1H), 6.90 – 6.83 (m, 2H), 6.26 (s, 1H), 3.82 (s, 3H), 3.75 (s, 3H), 1.34 (s, 12H).

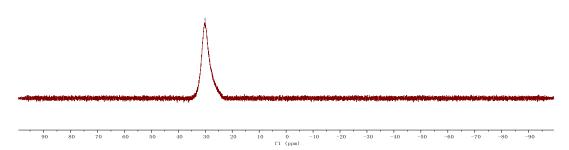
¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.83, 160.14, 139.30, 130.29, 128.94, 125.74, 125.06, 114.12, 84.36, 55.41, 51.25, 24.90.

¹¹**B NMR** (128 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 30.08.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{19}H_{25}O_5^{11}BNa$ [M+Na]+: 367.1693, found: 367.1695.

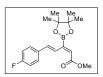






methyl (2Z,4E)-5-(4-fluorophenyl)-3-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)penta-2,4-dienoate (5d)

Prepared according to General Procedure B from 1d (40.8 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product 5d was isolated in 80% yield (53.1 mg) by flash column chromatography as light yellow oil.



Eluent: dichloromethane.

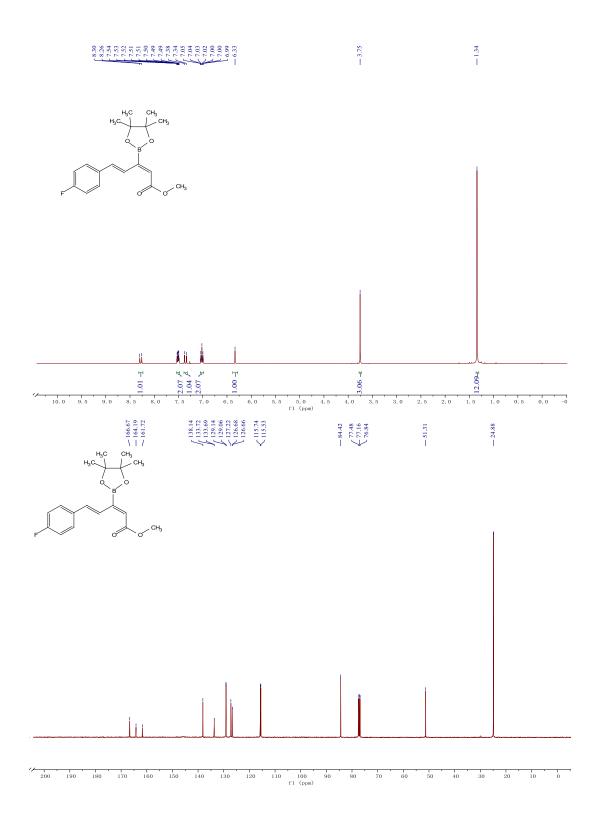
¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.28 (d, J = 16.2 Hz, 1H), 7.54 – 7.47 (m, 2H), 7.36 (d, J = 16.3 Hz, 1H), 7.07 – 6.96 (m, 2H), 6.33 (s, 1H), 3.75 (s, 3H), 1.34 (s, 12H).

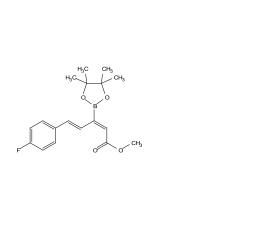
¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.67, 162.96 (d, J = 248.5 Hz), 138.14, 133.72, 133.69, 129.10 (d, J = 8.1 Hz), 127.22, 126.67 (d, J = 2.3 Hz), 115.64 (d, J = 21.7 Hz), 84.42, 51.32, 24.88.

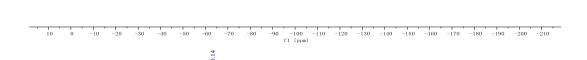
¹⁹**F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -112.82.

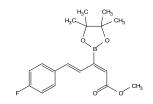
¹¹**B NMR** (128 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 30.14.

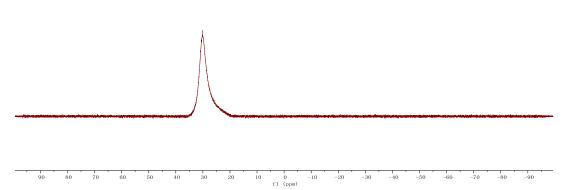
HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{18}H_{22}O_4^{11}BFNa$ [M+Na]+:355.1493, found: 355.1499.











methyl (2Z,4E)-5-(4-chlorophenyl)-3-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)penta-2,4-dienoate (5e)

Prepared according to General Procedure B from **1e** (44.1 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product **5e** was isolated in 83% yield (60.8 mg) by flash column chromatography as light yellow oil.



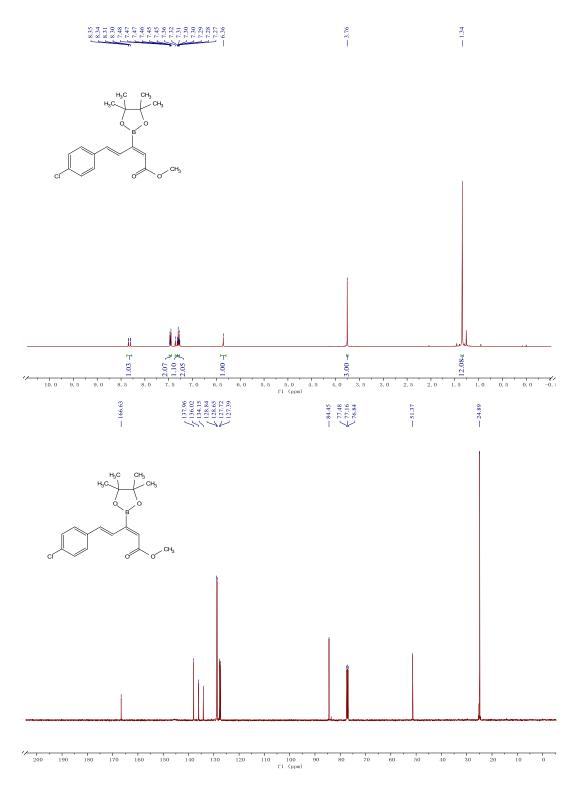
Eluent: dichloromethane.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.33 (dd, J = 16.2, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 7.49 – 7.43 (m, 2H), 7.34 (d, J = 16.3 Hz, 1H), 7.31 – 7.27 (m, 2H), 6.36 (s, 1H), 3.76 (s, 3H), 1.34 (s, 12H).

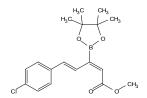
¹³C **NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.63, 137.96, 136.02, 134.15, 128.84, 128.65, 127.72, 127.39, 84.45, 51.37, 24.89.

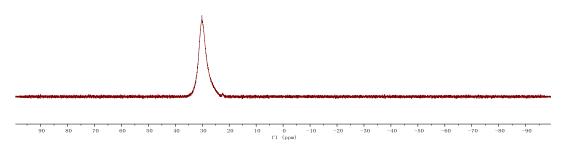
¹¹**B NMR** (128 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 30.13.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for C₁₈H₂₂O₄¹¹BClNa [M+Na]⁺: 371.1197, found: 371.1199.



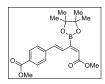






methyl 4-((1E,3Z)-5-methoxy-5-oxo-3-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)penta-1,3-dien-1-yl)benzoate (5f)

Prepared according to General Procedure B from **1f** (48.8 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product **5f** was isolated in 66% yield (49.3 mg) by flash column chromatography as light yellow solid.



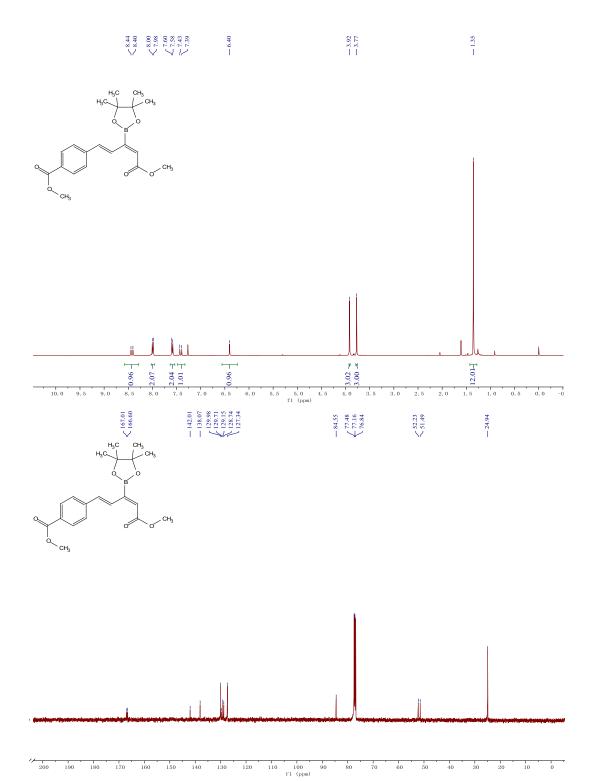
Eluent: Dichloromethane.

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.42 (d, J = 16.2 Hz, 1H), 7.99 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.59 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.41 (d, J = 16.2 Hz, 1H), 6.40 (s, 1H), 3.92 (s, 3H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 1.35 (s, 12H).

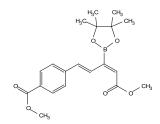
¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.01, 166.60, 142.01, 138.07, 129.98, 129.71, 129.15, 128.74, 127.34, 84.55, 52.23, 51.49, 24.94.

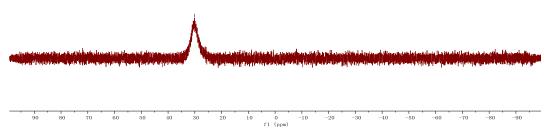
¹¹**B NMR** (128 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 30.12.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for C₂₀H₂₅O₆¹¹BNa [M+Na]⁺: 395.1642, found: 395.1638.









methyl (2Z,4E)-7-hydroxy-3-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)hepta-2,4-dienoate (5m)

Prepared according to General Procedure B from 1m (44.1 mg, 0.20 mmol). K_3PO_4 (4.2 mg, 10 mol%) was used as base instead of NEt₃. The product 5m was isolated in 74% yield (60.8 mg) by flash column chromatography as light yellow oil.



Eluent: dichloromethane.

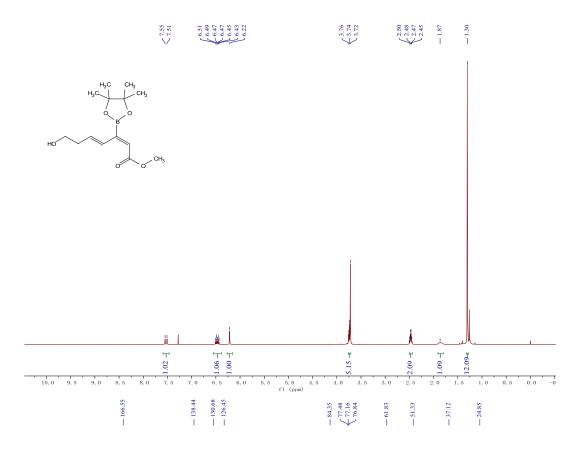
 $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.52 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 1:1)

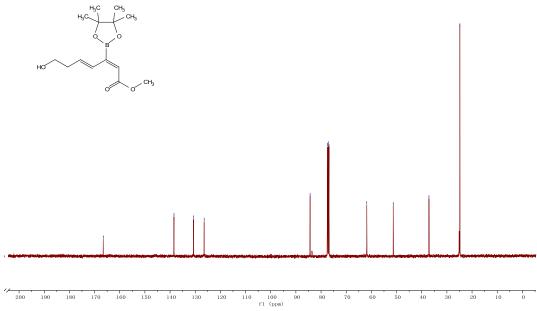
¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.53 (d, J = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 6.47 (dt, J = 15.7, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 6.22 (s, 1H), 3.77 – 3.70 (m, 5H), 2.47 (m, 2H), 1.87 (s, 1H), 1.30 (s, 12H).

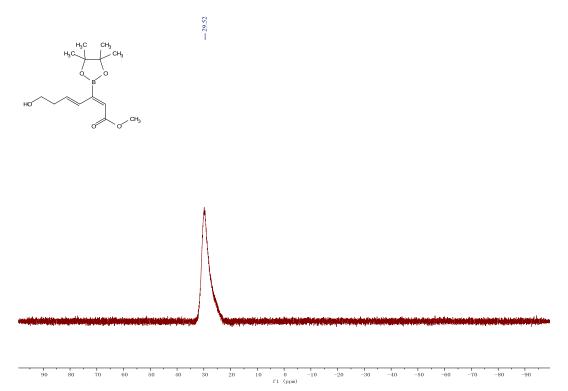
 $^{13}C\ NMR\ (101\ MHz,\ CDCl_{3})\ \delta\ 166.55,\ 138.44,\ 130.68,\ 126.45,\ 84.35,\ 61.83,\ 51.33,\ 37.12,\ 24.85.$

¹¹**B NMR** (128 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 29.52.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{14}H_{23}O_5^{11}BNa$ [M+Na]⁺: 305.1536, found: 305.1538.

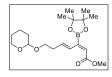






methyl (2*Z*,4*E*)-7-((tetrahydro-2H-pyran-2-yl)oxy)-3-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)hepta-2,4-dienoate (5n)

Prepared according to General Procedure B from 1n (47.6 mg, 0.20 mmol). K_3PO_4 (4.2 mg, 10 mol%) was used as base instead of NEt₃. The product 5n was isolated in 65% yield (47.6 mg) by flash column chromatography as light yellow oil.



Eluent: dichloromethane.

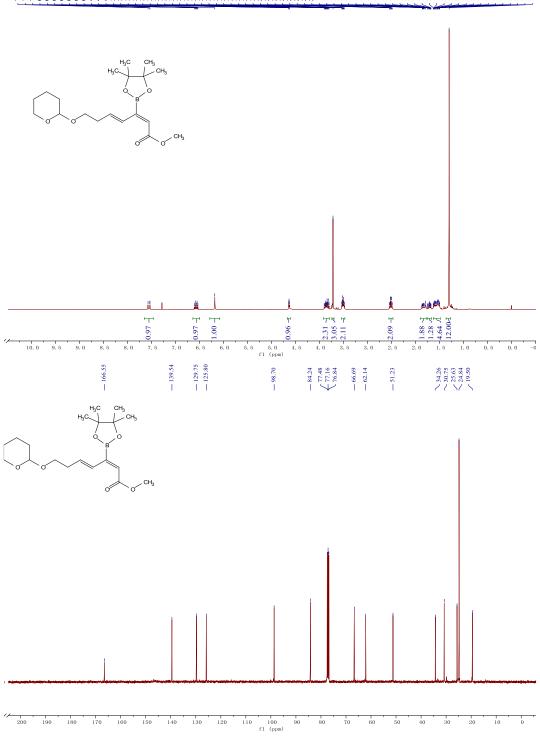
¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.62 – 7.48 (m, 1H), 6.57 (dt, J = 15.8, 7.0 Hz, 1H), 6.18 (s, 1H), 4.65 – 4.61 (m, 1H), 3.90 – 3.79 (m, 2H), 3.72 (s, 3H), 3.54 – 3.47 (m, 2H), 2.51 (qd, J = 6.9, 0.9 Hz, 2H), 1.88 – 1.78 (m, 1H), 1.75 – 1.67 (m, 1H), 1.63 – 1.49 (m, 4H), 1.30 (s, 12H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.55, 139.54, 129.75, 125.80, 98.70, 84.24, 66.69, 62.14, 51.23, 34.26, 30.75, 25.63, 24.84, 19.50.

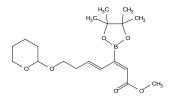
¹¹**B NMR** (128 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 30.19.

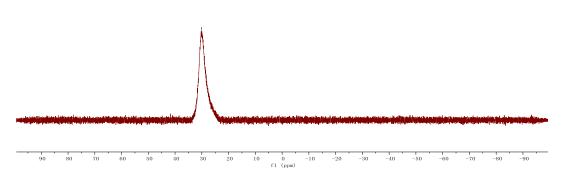
HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{19}H_{31}O_6^{11}BNa [M+Na]^+$: 389.2111, found: 389.2103.

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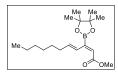






methyl (2Z,4E)-3-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)undeca-2,4-dienoate (5j)

Prepared according to General Procedure B from 1j (38.9 mg, 0.20 mmol). K_3PO_4 (4.2 mg, 10 mol%) was used as base instead of NEt₃. The product 5j was isolated in 69% yield (42.2 mg) by flash column chromatography as light yellow oil.



Eluent: dichloromethane.

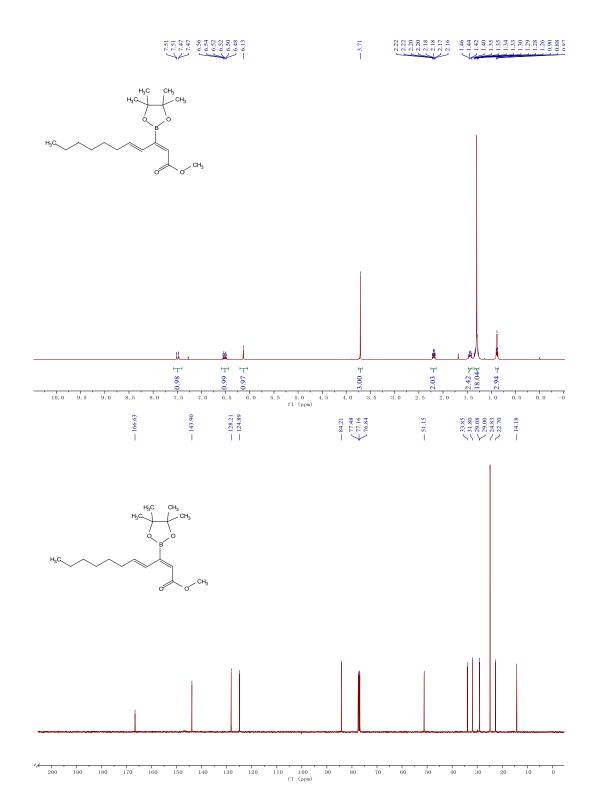
 $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.38 (tailing, petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 30:1)

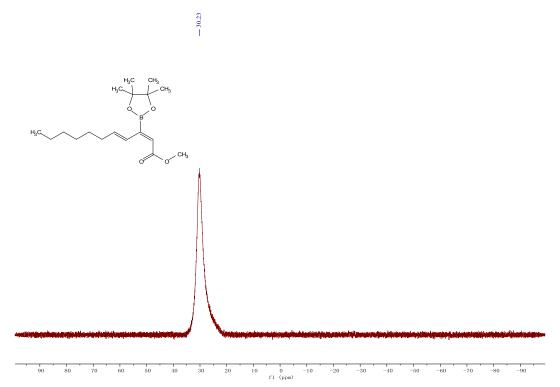
¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.49 (dd, J = 15.8, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 6.52 (dt, J = 15.7, 7.0 Hz, 1H), 6.13 (s, 1H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 2.19 (qd, J = 7.2, 1.0 Hz, 2H), 1.48 – 1.40 (m, 2H), 1.34 – 1.26 (m, 18H), 0.88 (t, J = 6.9 Hz, 3H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.63, 143.90, 128.21, 124.89, 84.21, 51.15, 33.85, 31.80, 29.08, 29.00, 24.83, 22.70, 14.18.

¹¹**B NMR** (128 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 30.23.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for C₁₈H₃₁O₄¹¹BNa [M+Na]⁺: 345.2213, found: 345.2220.





methyl (2Z,4E)-5-(*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)-3-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)penta-2,4-dienoate (5t)

Prepared according to General Procedure B from 1t (44.9 mg, 0.20 mmol). K_3PO_4 (4.2 mg, 10 mol%) was used as base instead of NEt₃. The product 5t was isolated in 51% yield (35.8 mg) by flash column chromatography as light yellow oil.



Eluent: Dichloromethane.

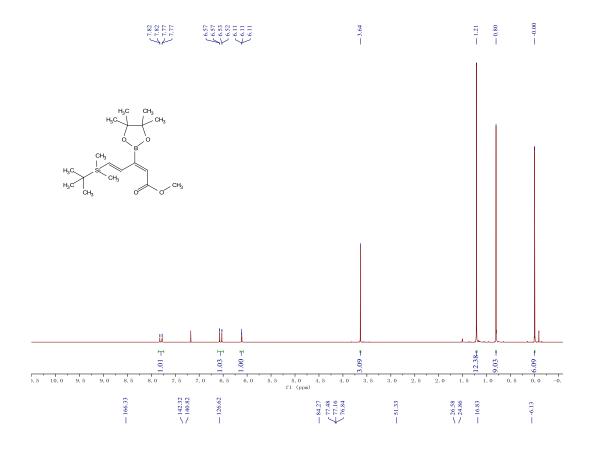
 $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.38 (tailing, petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 30:1)

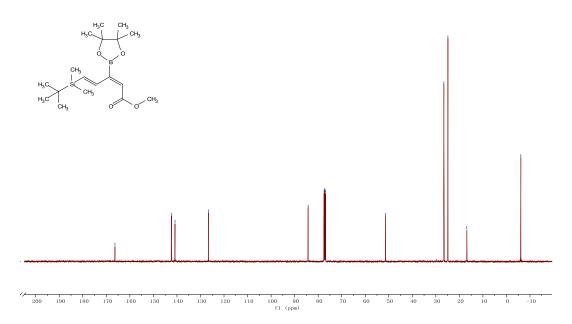
¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.80 (dd, J = 19.2, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 6.55 (dd, J = 19.2, 0.8 Hz, 1H), 6.11 (t, J = 0.8 Hz, 1H), 3.64 (s, 3H), 1.21 (s, 12H), 0.80 (s, 9H), -0.00 (s, 6H).

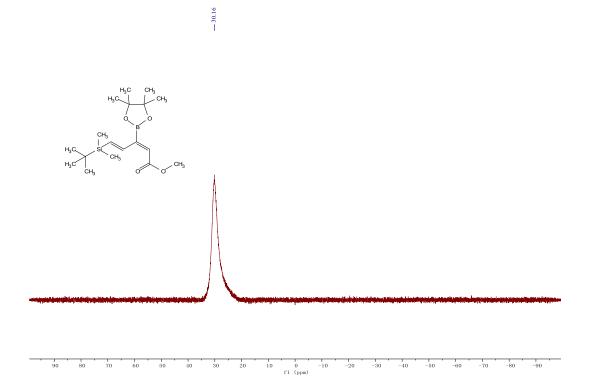
 $^{13}C\ NMR\ (101\ MHz,CDCl_3)\ \delta\ 166.33,\ 142.32,\ 140.82,\ 126.62,\ 84.27,\ 51.33,\ 26.58,\ 24.86,\ 16.83,\ -6.13.$

¹¹**B NMR** (128 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 30.16.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for C₁₈H₃₃O₄¹¹BSiNa [M+Na]⁺: 375.2139, found: 375.2146.



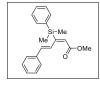




3.4 Spectra of Silyldienoates

methyl (2E,4E)-3-(dimethyl(phenyl)silyl)-5-phenylpenta-2,4-dienoate (11a)

Prepared according to General Procedure C from **1a** (37.2 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product **11a** was isolated in 87% yield (56.0 mg) by PTLC as colorless oil.



Regioselectivity: > 95:5 ($\beta:\alpha$, crude ¹H NMR).

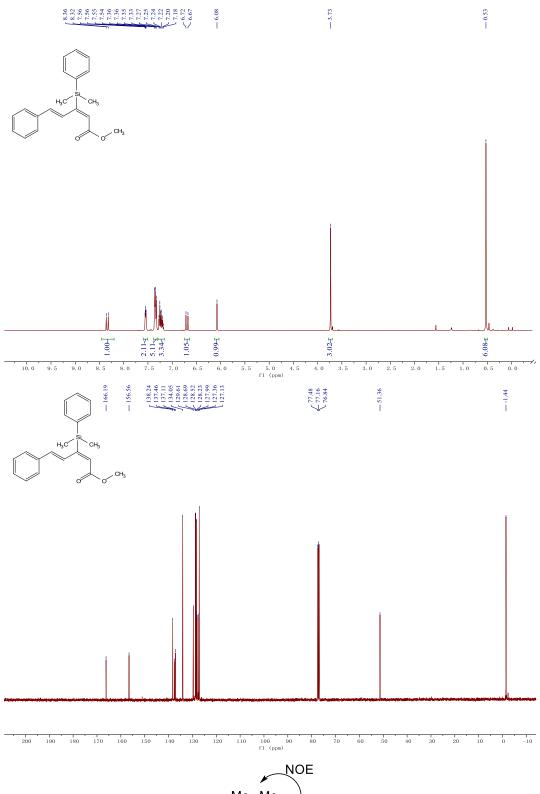
Eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (30:1).

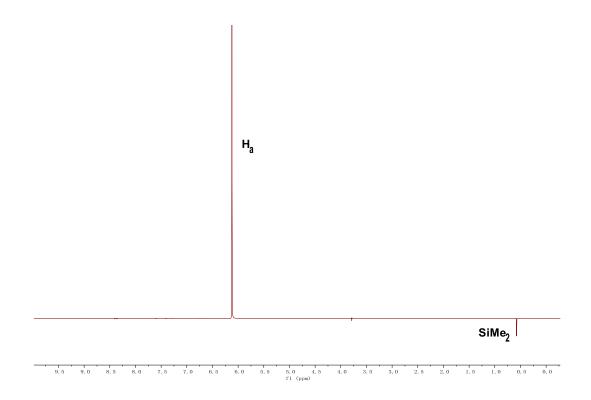
 $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.18 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20:1).

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.34 (d, J = 16.7 Hz, 1H), 7.58 – 7.51 (m, 2H), 7.39 – 7.31 (m, 5H), 7.30 – 7.16 (m, 3H), 6.70 (d, J = 16.7 Hz, 1H), 6.08 (s, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 0.53 (s, 6H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.19, 156.56, 138.24, 137.46, 137.11, 134.05, 129.61, 128.69, 128.52, 128.23, 127.99, 127.36, 127.13, 51.36, -1.44.

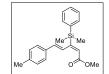
HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for C₂₀H₂₂O₂SiNa⁺ [M+Na]⁺: 345.1287, found: 345.1288.





methyl (2E,4E)-3-(dimethyl(phenyl)silyl)-5-(p-tolyl)penta-2,4-dienoate (11b)

Prepared according to General Procedure C from **1b** (40.0 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product **11b** was isolated in 89% yield (59.6 mg) by PTLC as colorless oil.



Regioselectivity: > 95.5 (β : α , crude ¹H NMR).

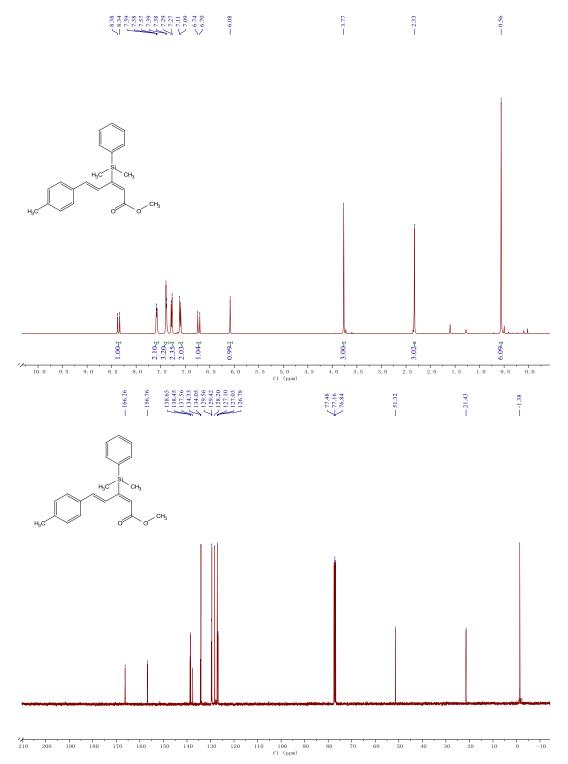
Eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (30:1).

 $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.36 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 30:1).

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.36 (d, J = 16.6 Hz, 1H), 7.64 – 7.49 (m, 2H), 7.43 – 7.32 (m, 3H), 7.28 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.10 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 6.72 (d, J = 16.7 Hz, 1H), 6.08 (s, 1H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 2.33 (s, 3H), 0.56 (s, 6H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.26, 156.76, 138.65, 138.45, 137.56, 134.33, 134.05, 129.56, 129.42, 128.20, 127.10, 127.03, 126.78, 51.32, 21.43, -1.38.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{21}H_{24}O_2SiNa^+$ [M+Na]⁺: 359.1443, found: 359.1443.



methyl (2E,4E)-3-(dimethyl(phenyl)silyl)-5-(4-methoxyphenyl)penta-2,4-dienoate (11c)

Prepared according to General Procedure C from 1c (43.2 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product 11c was isolated in 96% yield (67.4 mg) by PTLC as colorless oil.

Regioselectivity: > 95:5 ($\beta:\alpha$, crude ¹H NMR).

Eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (30:1).

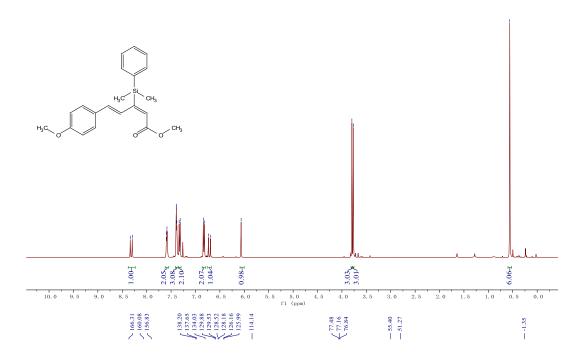
 $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.22 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 30:1).

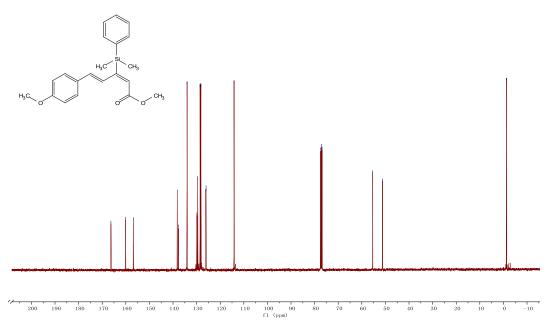
¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.32 (d, J = 16.6 Hz, 1H), 7.62 – 7.55 (m, 2H), 7.42 – 7.35 (m, 3H), 7.32 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 6.83 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 6.71 (d, J = 16.6 Hz, 1H), 6.07 (s, 1H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 3.77

(s, 3H), 0.56 (s, 6H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.31, 160.08, 156.83, 138.20, 137.65, 134.03, 129.88, 129.53, 128.52, 128.18, 126.16, 125.99, 114.14, 55.40, 51.27, -1.35.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for C₂₁H₂₄O₃SiNa⁺ [M+Na]⁺: 375.1392, found: 375.1385.

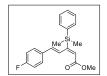




methyl (2E,4E)-3-(dimethyl(phenyl)silyl)-5-(4-fluorophenyl)penta-2,4-dienoate (11d)

Prepared according to General Procedure C from 1d (40.8 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product 11d was isolated in 86% yield (58.8 mg) by PTLC as colorless oil.

Regioselectivity: > 95.5 (β : α , crude ¹H NMR).



Eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (30:1).

 $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.38 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 30:1).

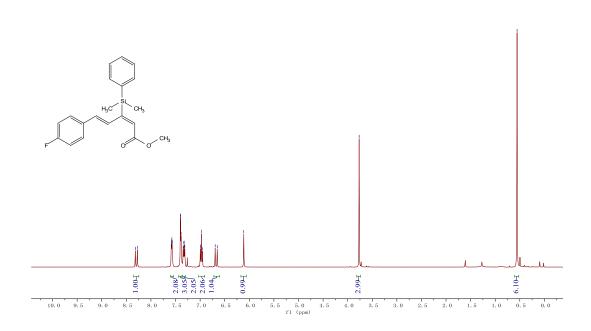
¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.30 (d, J = 16.6 Hz, 1H), 7.58 (dd, J = 6.4, 2.6 Hz, 2H), 7.42 – 7.36 (m, 3H), 7.33 (dd, J = 8.4, 5.6 Hz, 2H), 6.97 (t, J = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 6.67 (d, J = 16.7 Hz, 1H), 6.11 (s, 1H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 0.56 (s, 6H).

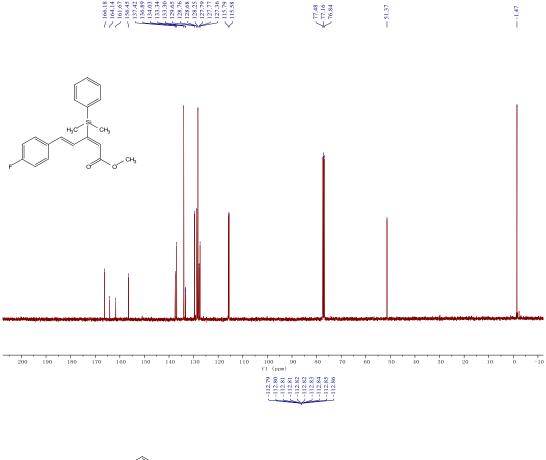
 13 C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.18, 162.91 (d, J = 248.5 Hz) , 156.45, 137.42, 136.89, 134.03, 133.32 (d, J = 3.3 Hz), 129.65, 128.72 (d, J = 8.1 Hz), 128.25, 127.78 (d, J = 2.2 Hz), 127.36, 115.69 (d, J = 21.7 Hz), 51.37, -1.47.

 ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -112.77 - -112.89 (m).

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{20}H_{21}FO_2SiNa^+$ [M+Na]⁺: 363.1193, found: 363.1192.







methyl (2E,4E)-5-(4-chlorophenyl)-3-(dimethyl(phenyl)silyl)penta-2,4-dienoate (11e)

Prepared according to General Procedure C from 1e (44.1 mg, 0.20 mmol). H₂O (6 μ L) was added after 1 h. The product 11e was isolated in 83% yield (58.8 mg) by PTLC as colorless oil.



Regioselectivity: > 95.5 (β : α , crude ¹H NMR).

Eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (30:1).

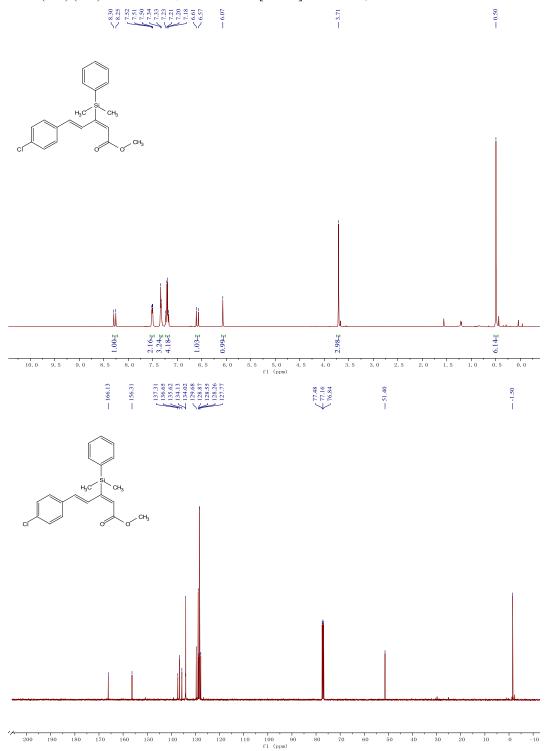
 $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.33 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 30:1).

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.28 (d, J = 16.6 Hz, 1H), 7.54 – 7.48 (m, 2H), 7.38 – 7.29 (m, 3H), 7.24

-7.16 (m, 4H), 6.59 (d, J = 16.6 Hz, 1H), 6.07 (s, 1H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 0.50 (s, 6H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.13, 156.31, 137.31, 136.65, 135.62, 134.13, 134.02, 129.68, 128.87, 128.55, 128.26, 127.77, 51.40, -1.50.

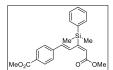
HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{20}H_{21}ClO_2SiNa^+$ [M+Na]⁺: 379.0897, found: 379.0899.



methyl 4-((1E,3E)-3-(dimethyl(phenyl)silyl)-5-methoxy-5-oxopenta-1,3-dien-1-yl)benzoate (11f)

Prepared according to General Procedure C from 1f (48.9 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product 11f was isolated in 95% yield (72.6 mg) by PTLC as colorless oil.

Regioselectivity: 93:7 (β:α, crude ¹H NMR).



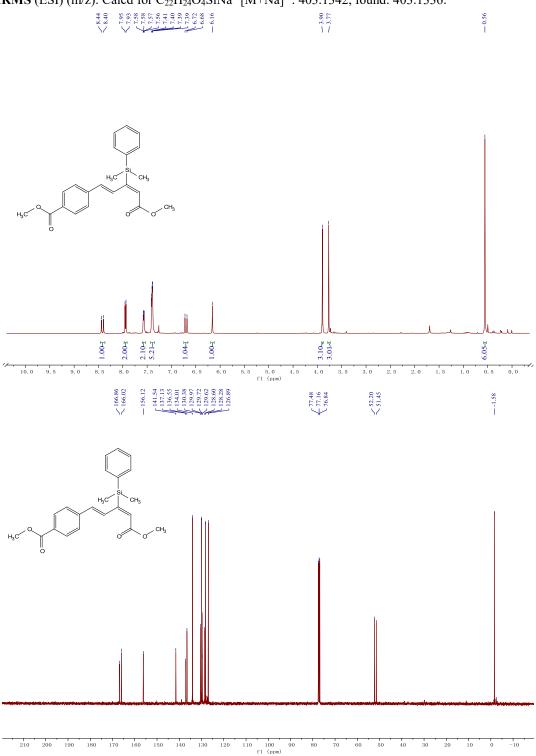
Eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (90:10).

 $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.38 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 90:10).

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.42 (d, J = 16.7 Hz, 1H), 7.94 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.62 – 7.51 (m, 2H), 7.43 – 7.37 (m, 5H), 6.70 (d, J = 16.7 Hz, 1H), 6.16 (s, 1H), 3.90 (s, 3H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 0.56 (s, 6H).

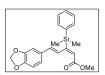
¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.86, 166.02, 156.12, 141.54, 137.13, 136.55, 134.01, 130.38, 129.97, 129.72, 129.62, 128.60, 128.28, 126.89, 52.20, 51.45, -1.58.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{22}H_{24}O_4SiNa^+$ [M+Na] $^+$: 403.1342, found: 403.1336.



 $methyl\ (2E,\!4E)\text{-}5\text{-}(benzo[d][1,\!3]dioxol\text{-}5\text{-}yl)\text{-}3\text{-}(dimethyl(phenyl)silyl)penta\text{-}2,}4\text{-}dienoate\ (11g)$

Prepared according to General Procedure C from 1g (46.0 mg, 0.20 mmol). H₂O (16 μ L) was added after 1 h. The product 11g was isolated in 95% yield (72.2 mg) by PTLC as yellow oil.



Regioselectivity: 97:3 (β:α, crude ¹H NMR).

Eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (20:1).

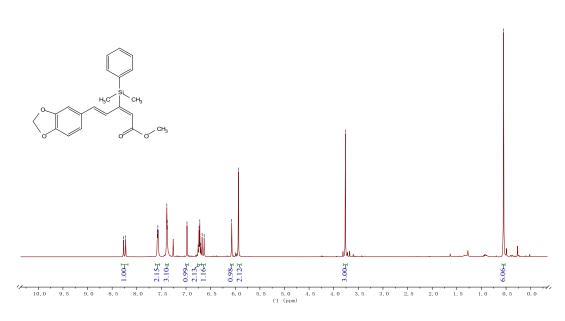
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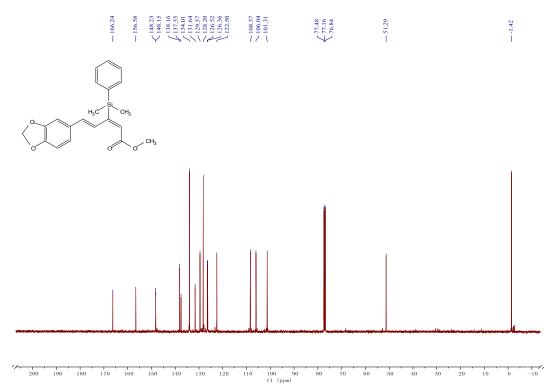
¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.25 (d, J = 16.6 Hz, 1H), 7.63 – 7.53 (m, 2H), 7.38 (d, J = 3.7 Hz, 3H), 6.98 (s, 1H), 6.73 (q, J = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 6.65 (d, J = 16.6 Hz, 1H), 6.07 (s, 1H), 5.94 (s, 2H), 3.76 (s, 3H), 0.55 (s, 6H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.24, 156.58, 148.23, 148.15, 138.16, 137.55, 134.01, 131.64, 129.57, 128.20, 126.52, 126.36, 122.50, 108.37, 106.04, 101.31, 51.29, -1.42.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for C₂₁H₂₂O₄SiNa⁺ [M+Na]⁺: 389.1185, found: 389.1186.







methyl (2E,4E)-3-(dimethyl(phenyl)silyl)-5-(naphthalen-2-yl)penta-2,4-dienoate (11h)

Prepared according to General Procedure C from **1h** (47.3 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product **11h** was isolated in 98% yield (72.2 mg) by PTLC as yellow oil.

Regioselectivity: 95:5 (β : α , crude ¹H NMR).

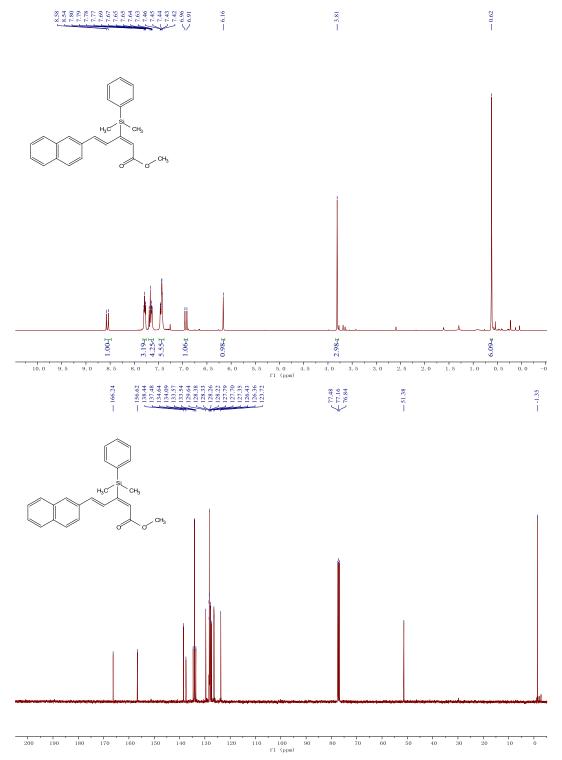
Eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (30:1).

 $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.26 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 30:1)

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.56 (d, J = 16.6 Hz, 1H), 7.78 (dd, J = 8.6, 4.4 Hz, 3H), 7.68 (d, J = 9.5 Hz, 2H), 7.64 (dd, J = 6.1, 2.7 Hz, 2H), 7.49 – 7.38 (m, 5H), 6.93 (d, J = 16.6 Hz, 1H), 6.16 (s, 1H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 0.62 (s, 6H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.24, 156.62, 138.44, 137.48, 134.64, 134.09, 133.57, 133.54, 129.64, 128.38, 128.33, 128.26, 128.22, 127.79, 127.70, 127.35, 126.43, 126.36, 123.72, 51.38, -1.35.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for C₂₄H₂₄O₂SiNa⁺ [M+Na]^{+:} 395.1443, found: 395.1440.



methyl (2E,4E)-3-(dimethyl(phenyl)silyl)-5-(thiophen-2-yl)penta-2,4-dienoate (11i)

Prepared according to General Procedure C from 1i (38.4 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product 11i was isolated in 91% yield (59.6 mg) by PTLC as yellow oil.

Regioselectivity: > 95:5 ($\beta:\alpha$, crude ¹H NMR).

Eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (20:1).

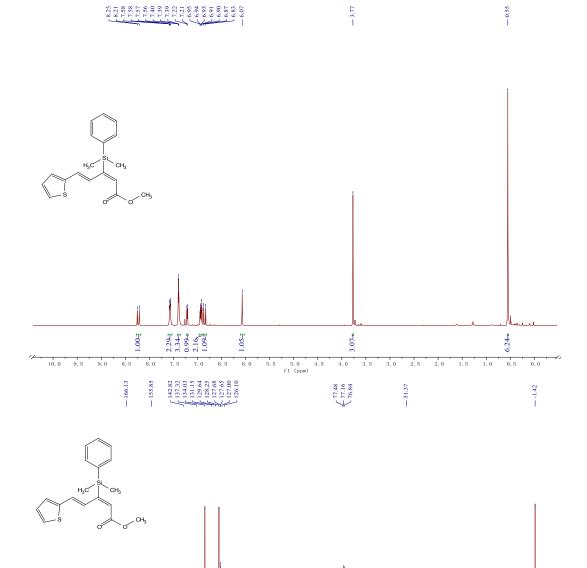
 R_f : 0.29 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 20:1)

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.23 (d, J = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 7.57 (dd, J = 6.5, 2.7 Hz, 2H), 7.43 – 7.32 (m, 3H), 7.21 (d, J = 5.0 Hz, 1H), 6.97 – 6.89 (m, 2H), 6.85 (d, J = 16.4 Hz, 1H), 6.07 (s, 1H), 3.77 (s, 3H),

0.55 (s, 6H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.13, 155.85, 142.82, 137.32, 134.03, 131.15, 129.64, 128.25, 127.68, 127.65, 127.00, 126.10, 51.37, -1.42.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{18}H_{20}O_2SSiNa^+$ [M+Na]⁺: 351.0851, found: 351.0849.



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methyl (2E,4E)-3-(dimethyl(phenyl)silyl)undeca-2,4-dienoate (11j)

Prepared according to General Procedure C from 1j (38.9 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product 11j was isolated in 85% yield (62.3 mg) by PTLC as yellow oil.

Regioselectivity: 92:3:5 (β : α :**13j**, crude ¹H NMR).

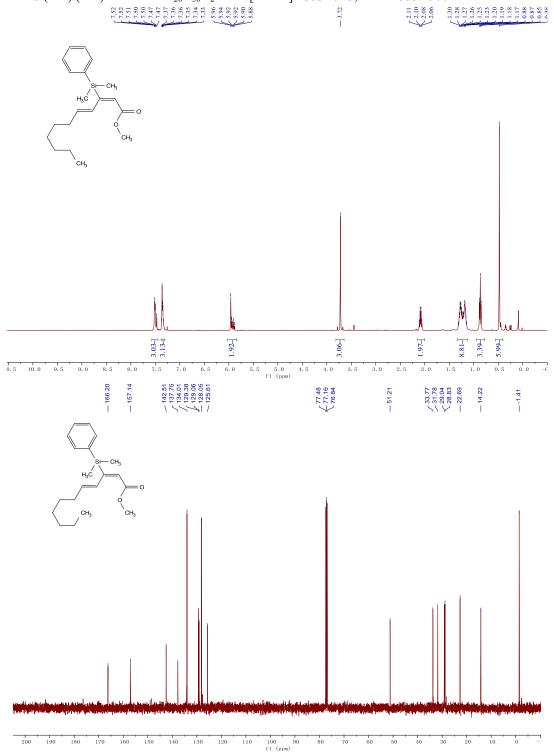


Eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (50:1).

 $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.20 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 50:1)

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.57 – 7.45 (m, 3H), 7.35 (dd, J = 5.8, 1.6 Hz, 3H), 6.00 – 5.86 (m, 2H), 3.72 (s, 3H), 2.09 (q, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 1.35 – 1.10 (m, 8H), 0.87 (t, J = 7.0 Hz, 3H), 0.48 (s, 6H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.20, 157.14, 142.51, 137.75, 134.01, 129.38, 129.06, 128.05, 125.61, 51.21, 33.77, 31.78, 29.04, 28.83, 22.69, 14.22, -1.41.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{20}H_{30}O_2SiNa^+$ [M+Na]⁺: 353.1913, found: 353.1906.



methyl (2E,4E)-7-chloro-3-(dimethyl(phenyl)silyl)hepta-2,4-dienoate (11k)

Prepared according to General Procedure C from 1k (34.5 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product 11k was isolated in 91% yield (59.7 mg) by PTLC as yellow oil.



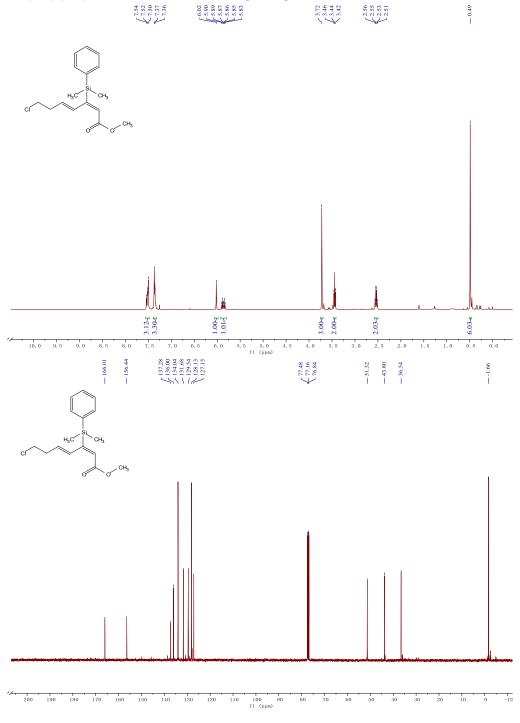
Regioselectivity: 92:4:4 (β:α:13k, crude ¹H NMR).

Eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (30:1). $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.32 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 30:1)

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.55 – 7.48 (m, 3H), 7.40 – 7.32 (m, 3H), 6.02 (s, 1H), 5.87 (dt, J = 16.0, 6.9 Hz, 1H), 3.72 (s, 3H), 3.44 (t, J = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 2.54 (q, J = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 0.49 (s, 6H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.01, 156.44, 137.28, 136.00, 134.04, 131.68, 129.54, 128.13, 127.15, 51.32, 43.80, 36.54, -1.66.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{16}H_{21}ClO_2SiNa^+$ [M+Na]+: 331.0897, found: 331.0892.



methyl (2E,4E)-7-bromo-3-(dimethyl(phenyl)silyl)hepta-2,4-dienoate (111)

Prepared according to General Procedure C from 11 (43.4 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product 111 was isolated in 89% yield (66.9 mg) by PTLC as yellow oil.



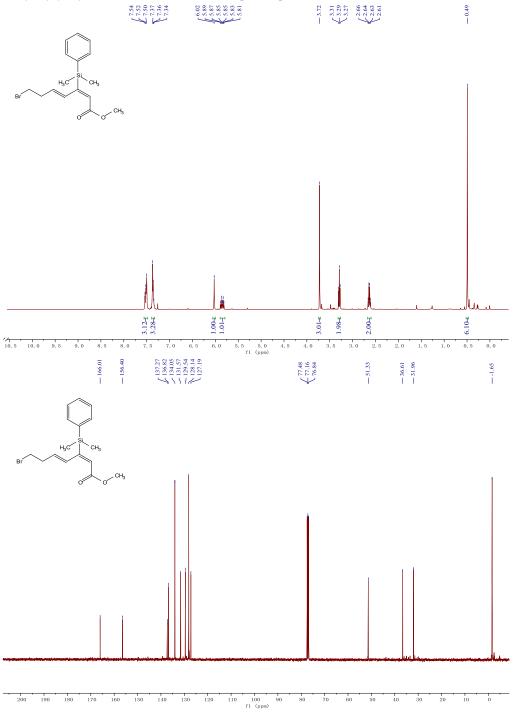
Regioselectivity: 92:4:4 (β:α:**13l**, crude ¹H NMR).

Eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (30:1). $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.32 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 30:1)

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.56 – 7.48 (m, 3H), 7.41 – 7.30 (m, 3H), 6.02 (s, 1H), 5.85 (dt, J = 16.0, 6.9 Hz, 1H), 3.72 (s, 3H), 3.29 (t, J = 6.9 Hz, 2H), 2.64 (q, J = 6.9 Hz, 2H), 0.49 (s, 6H).

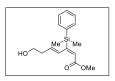
¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.01, 156.40, 137.27, 136.82, 134.05, 131.57, 129.54, 128.14, 127.19, 51.33, 36.61, 31.96, -1.65.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{16}H_{21}^{79}BrO_2Na^+$ [M+Na]^{+:} 375.0392, found: 375.0388.



methyl (2E,4E)-3-(dimethyl(phenyl)silyl)-7-hydroxyhepta-2,4-dienoate (11m)

Prepared according to General Procedure C from **1m** (30.8 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product **11m** was isolated in 87% yield (50.5 mg) by PTLC as yellow oil. **Regioselectivity**: 98:2 (β:α, crude ¹H NMR).

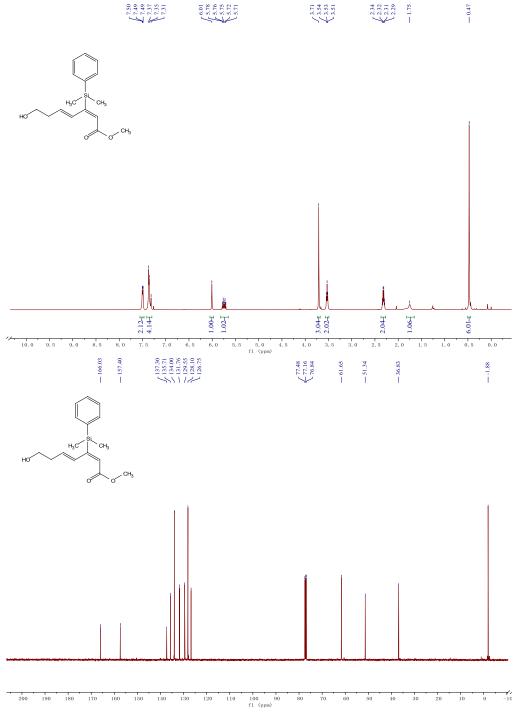


 $\pmb{Eluent:} \ petroleum \ ether/ethyl \ acetate \ (4:1). \ \pmb{R_f:} \ 0.22 \ (petroleum \ ether/ethyl \ acetate = 4:1)$

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.57 – 7.44 (m, 2H), 7.43 – 7.28 (m, 4H), 6.01 (s, 1H), 5.83 – 5.69 (m, 1H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 3.53 (t, J = 6.1 Hz, 2H), 2.32 (q, J = 6.4 Hz, 2H), 1.75 (s, 1H), 0.47 (s, 6H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.03, 157.40, 137.30, 135.71, 134.00, 131.76, 129.55, 128.10, 126.75, 61.65, 51.34, 36.83, -1.88.

HRMS(ESI) (m/z): Calcd for C₁₆H₂₂O₃SiNa⁺ [M+Na]⁺: 313.1236, found: 313.1240.



methyl (2E,4E)-3-(dimethyl(phenyl)silyl)-7-((tetrahydro-2H-pyran-2-yl)oxy)hepta-2,4-dienoate (11n)

Prepared according to General Procedure C from 1n (47.7 mg, 0.20 mmol).

The product 11n was isolated in 89% yield (70.3 mg) by PTLC as yellow oil.

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Regioselectivity: 95:1:4 (β : α : 13n, crude 1 H NMR).

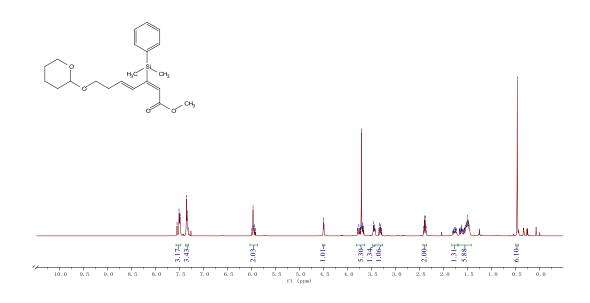
Eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (92:8).

 $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.34 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 92:8)

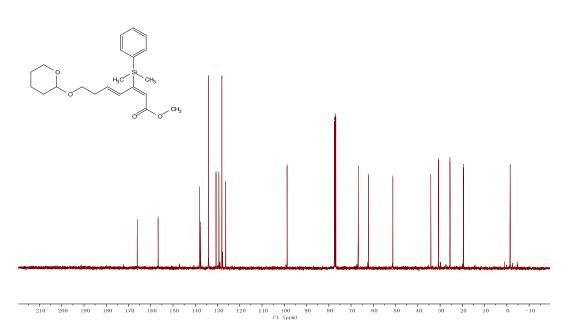
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.57 – 7.47 (m, 3H), 7.38 – 7.30 (m, 3H), 6.01 – 5.89 (m, 2H), 4.49 (d, J = 3.5 Hz, 1H), 3.80 – 3.64 (m, 5H), 3.44 (dd, J = 9.6, 5.9 Hz, 1H), 3.32 (dt, J = 9.2, 6.9 Hz, 1H), 2.39 (q, J = 6.8 Hz, 2H), 1.84 – 1.71 (m, 1H), 1.69 – 1.40 (m, 5H), 0.47 (s, 6H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.08, 156.72, 138.02, 137.55, 134.00, 130.68, 129.42, 128.06, 126.34, 98.75, 66.77, 62.10, 51.22, 34.18, 30.69, 25.56, 19.47, -1.50, -1.53.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{21}H_{30}O_4SiNa^+$ [M+Na]^{+:} 397.1811, found: 397.1812.

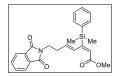






methyl (2E,4E)-3-(dimethyl(phenyl)silyl)-7-(1,3-dioxoisoindolin-2-yl)hepta-2,4-dienoate (11o)

Prepared according to General Procedure C from 10 (56.7 mg, 0.20 mmol). H₂O (6 μ L) was added after 1 h. The product 110 was isolated in 89% yield (79.1 mg) by PTLC as yellow oil.



Regioselectivity: 93:3:4 (β:α:**130**, crude ¹H NMR).

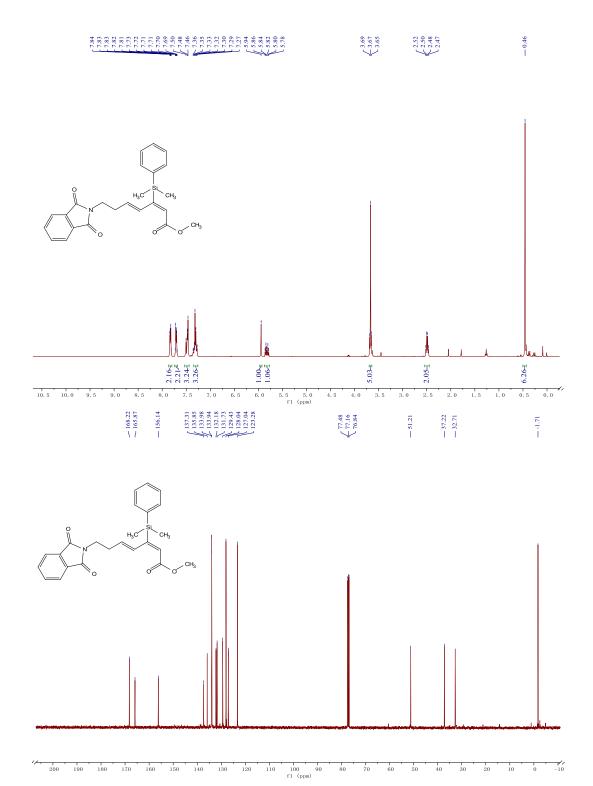
Eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (9:1).

 R_f : 0.27 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 9:1)

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.86 – 7.80 (m, 2H), 7.75 – 7.67 (m, 2H), 7.54 – 7.44 (m, 3H), 7.37 – 7.25 (m, 3H), 5.94 (s, 1H), 5.88 – 5.75 (m, 1H), 3.70 – 3.64 (m, 5H), 2.49 (q, J = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 0.46 (s, 6H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.22, 165.87, 156.14, 137.31, 135.85, 133.98, 133.94, 132.18, 131.73, 129.43, 128.04, 127.04, 123.28, 51.21, 37.22, 32.71, -1.71.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{24}H_{25}NO_4SiNa^+$ [M+Na]^{+:} 442.1451, found: 442.1447.



$methyl\ (2E,\!4E)\text{-}3\text{-}(dimethyl(phenyl)silyl)\text{-}5\text{-}methylnona\text{-}2,}4\text{-}dienoate\ (11p)$

Prepared according to General Procedure C from **1p** (36.1 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product **11p** was isolated in 72% yield (45.4 mg) by PTLC as colorless oil.



Eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (50:1).

Regioselectivity: > 95.5 (β : α , crude ¹H NMR).

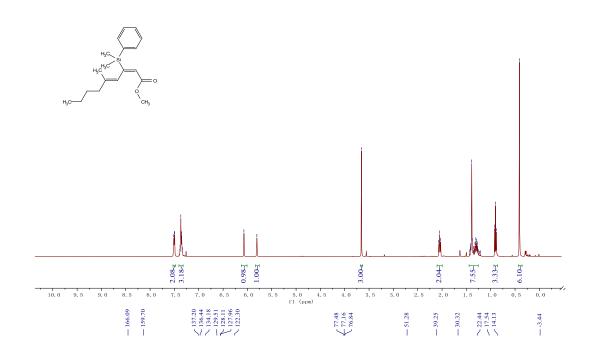
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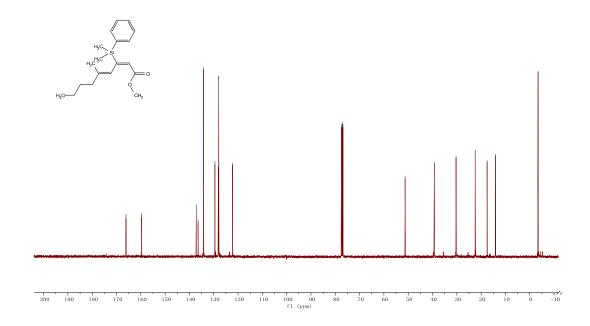
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.57 – 7.47 (m, 2H), 7.41 – 7.29 (m, 3H), 6.07 (s, 1H), 5.81 (s, 1H), 3.66

(s, 3H), 2.05 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 1.44 – 1.18 (m, 7H), 0.90 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 0.41 (s, 6H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.09, 159.70, 137.20, 136.44, 134.18, 129.51, 128.11, 127.96, 122.30, 51.28, 39.25, 30.32, 22.44, 17.54, 14.13, -3.44.

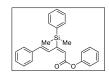
 $HRMS(ESI) \ (m/z): Calcd \ for \ C_{19}H_{28}O_2SiNa^+ \ [M+Na]^+: 339.1756, \ found: 339.1757.$







phenyl (2*E*,4*E*)-3-(dimethyl(phenyl)silyl)-5-phenylpenta-2,4-dienoate (11q) Prepared according to General Procedure C from 1q (49.7 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product 11q was isolated in 95% yield (73.4 mg) by PTLC as yellow oil.



Regioselectivity: > 95:5 ($\beta:\alpha$, crude ¹H NMR).

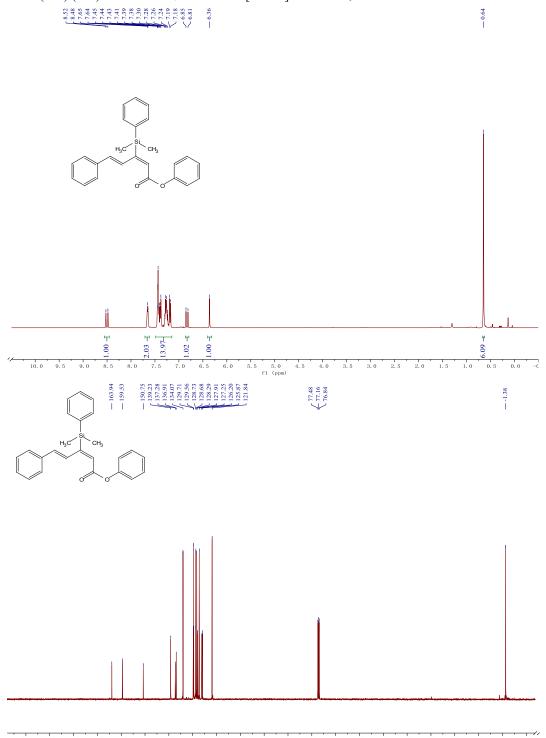
Eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (30:1).

 $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.39 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 30:1)

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.50 (d, J = 16.6 Hz, 1H), 7.65 (d, J = 3.4 Hz, 2H), 7.48 – 7.13 (m, 13H), 6.83 (d, J = 16.6 Hz, 1H), 6.36 (s, 1H), 0.64 (s, 6H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 163.94, 159.53, 150.75, 139.23, 137.28, 136.91, 134.07, 129.71, 129.56, 128.73, 128.68, 128.29, 127.91, 127.25, 126.20, 125.87, 121.84, -1.38.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{25}H_{24}O_2SiNa^+$ [M+Na]^{+:} 407.1443, found: 407.1438.



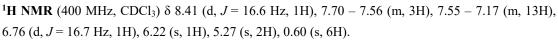
benzyl (2E,4E)-3-(dimethyl(phenyl)silyl)-5-phenylpenta-2,4-dienoate (11r)

Prepared according to General Procedure C from 1r (52.5 mg, 0.20 mmol). The product 11r was isolated in 96% yield (76.4 mg) by PTLC as yellow oil.

Regioselectivity: > 95:5 ($\beta:\alpha$, crude ¹H NMR).

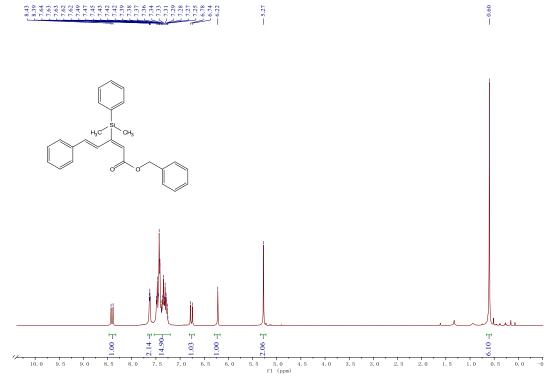
Eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (30:1).

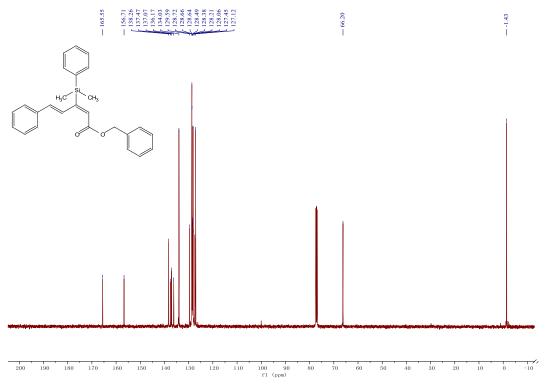
 $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.36 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 30:1)



¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 165.55, 156.71, 138.26, 137.47, 137.07, 136.17, 134.03, 129.59, 128.72, 128.66, 128.64, 128.49, 128.38, 128.21, 128.06, 127.45, 127.12, 66.20, -1.43.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{26}H_{26}O_2SiNa^+$ [M+Na]⁺: 421.1600, found: 421.1601.





(2E,4E)-N-benzyl-3-(dimethyl(phenyl)silyl)-5-phenylpenta-2,4-dienamide (11s)

Prepared according to General Procedure C from 1s (52.3 mg, 0.20 mmol).

The product 11s was isolated in 87% yield (69.3 mg) by PTLC as yellow oil.

Regioselectivity: 96:4 (β : α , crude ¹H NMR).

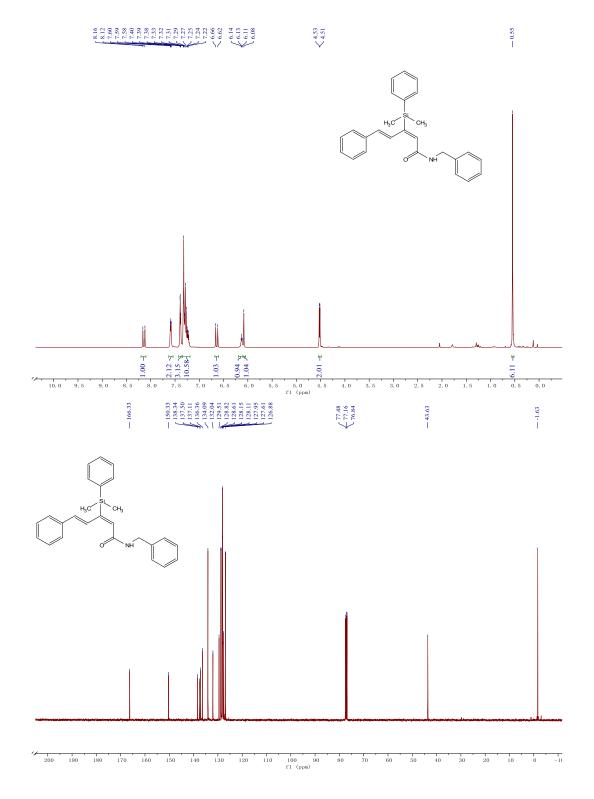
Eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (9:1).

 $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.24 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 9:1)

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.14 (d, J = 16.7 Hz, 1H), 7.63 – 7.55 (m, 2H), 7.46 – 7.35 (m, 3H), 7.35 – 7.15 (m, 10H), 6.64 (d, J = 16.7 Hz, 1H), 6.13 (t, J = 5.2 Hz, 1H), 6.08 (s, 1H), 4.52 (d, J = 5.8 Hz, 2H), 0.55 (s, 6H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.33, 150.33, 138.34, 137.50, 137.11, 136.36, 134.09, 132.04, 129.51, 128.82, 128.61, 128.15, 128.11, 127.95, 127.61, 126.88, 43.63, -1.63.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for C₂₆H₂₈NOSi⁺ [M+H]⁺: 398.1940, found: 398.1934.



3.5 Derivatizations of Products

methyl (E)-4-(5-methoxy-5-oxo-1-phenylpent-2-en-3-yl)benzoate (8a)

Following the procedure described by Burke *et al*,⁴ under argon atmosphere, a mixture of **3a** (0.1 mmol), methyl 4-iodobenzoate (0.13 mmol, 34.1 mg), K₃PO₄ (0.3 mmol, 3.0 equiv, 63.7 mg) and Pd(dppf)Cl₂ (5 mol%, 3.7 mg) in

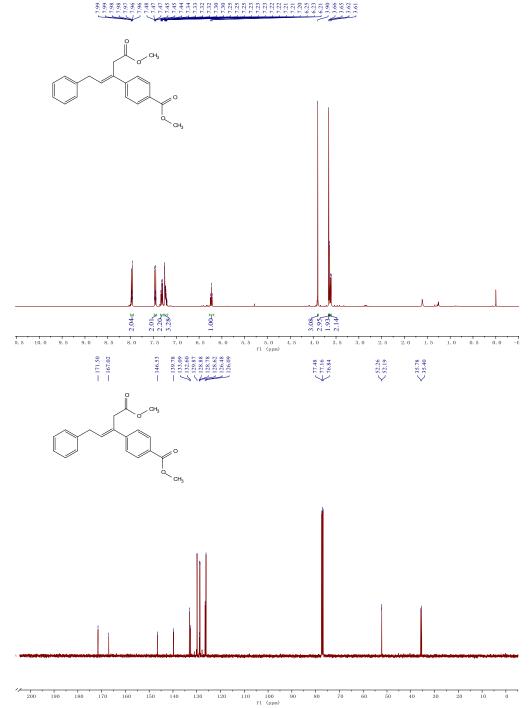
DMSO (0.07 M, 1.4 mL) was stirred at 45 °C for 12 h. Dichloromethane was added and the

precipitate was removed by filtration. The resultant solution was concentrated and the mixture was extracted by ether. The combined organic phases were dried with Na₂SO₄ and concentrated and the residue was purified by column chromatography. 8a was obtained in 85% yield with 5% of 8a'.

Eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (100:0 - 90:10). **R**_f: 0.41 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 9:1) ¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.00 – 7.95 (m, 2H), 7.50 – 7.43 (m, 2H), 7.35 – 7.28 (m, 2H), 7.27 – 7.19 (m, 3H), 6.23 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 3.90 (s, 3H), 3.66 (s, 3H), 3.65 (s, 2H), 3.62 (d, J = 7.4 Hz, 2H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 171.50, 167.02, 146.53, 139.78, 133.09, 132.60, 129.87, 128.88, 128.78, 128.62, 126.48, 126.09, 52.26, 52.19, 35.78, 35.40.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{20}H_{20}O_4Na^+$ [M+Na]⁺: 347.1259, found: 347.1263.



methyl (E)-3-methyl-5-phenylpent-3-enoate (9a)

Following the procedure described by Negishi *et al* .5 The product **9a** was isolated in 50% yield.

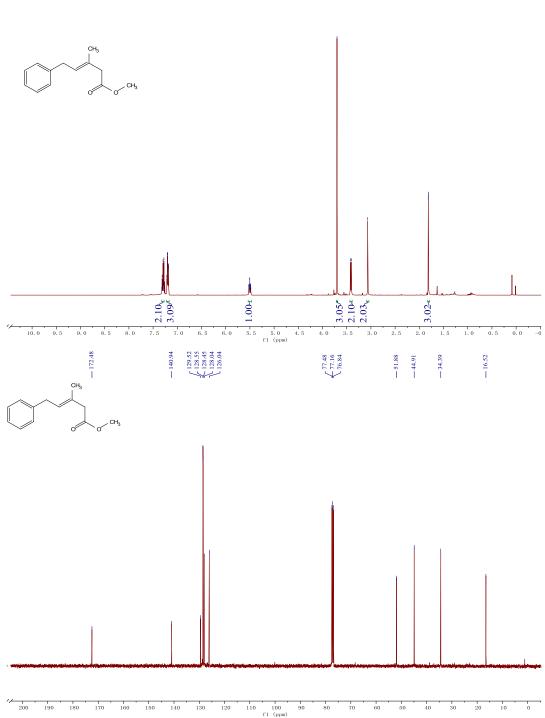


¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.32 – 7.27 (m, 2H), 7.22 – 7.17 (m, 3H), 5.50 (qt, $J = \begin{bmatrix} 7.4, 1.2 \text{ Hz}, 1\text{H} \end{bmatrix}$, 3.70 (s, 3H), 3.41 (d, J = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 3.07 (s, 2H), 1.83 – 1.78 (m, 3H).

¹³C **NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.48, 140.94, 129.52, 128.55, 128.45, 128.04, 126.04, 51.88, 44.91, 34.39, 16.52.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for C₁₃H₁₆O₂Na⁺ [M+Na]⁺:227.1048, found: 227.1046.





methyl (Z)-3-methyl-5-phenylpent-3-enoate (10a)

Following the procedure described by Suzuki *et al*,⁶ under argon atmosphere, a mixture of **3a** (0.2 mmol, 63.7 mg), Pd(dba)₂ (5 mol%, 5.8 mg), P(o-tolyl)₃ (10 mol%, 6.1 mg), MeI (0.8 mmol, 4.0 equiv, 113.6 mg) and K₂CO₃ (2.0 equiv, 55.3



mg) in DMF/H₂O (0.5 M, 9:1, 1.4 mL) was stirred at 60 °C. After 16 h, another batch of MeI (0.4 mmol, 2 equiv, 56.8 mg) was added and the reaction was kept at the same temperature for 9 hours. The mixture was cooled to room temperature and extracted by ether. The combined organic phases were dried with Na₂SO₄ and concentrated and the residue was purified by column chromatography. **10a** was obtained in 44% (18.0 mg) yield.

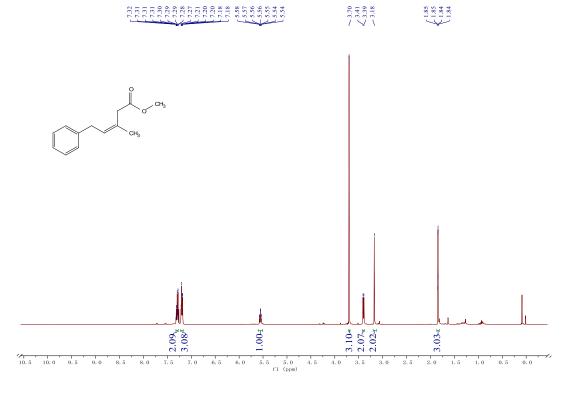
Eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate (100:0 - 30:1).

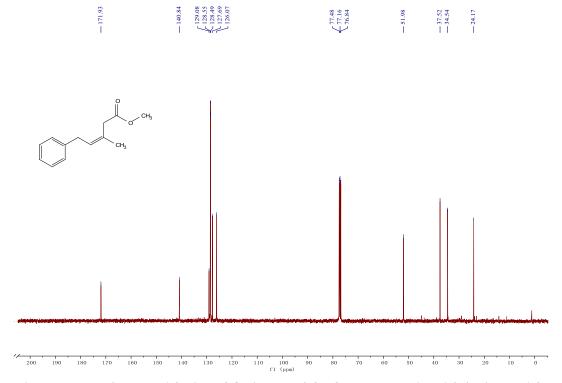
 $\mathbf{R_f}$: 0.42 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 30:1)

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.32 – 7.27 (m, 2H), 7.22 – 7.18 (m, 3H), 5.59 – 5.52 (m, 1H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 3.40 (d, J = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 3.18 (s, 2H), 1.84 (q, J = 1.2 Hz, 3H).

¹³C **NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 171.93, 140.84, 129.08, 128.55, 128.49, 127.69, 126.07, 51.98, 37.52, 34.54, 24.17.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{13}H_{16}O_2Na^+$ [M+Na]⁺: 227.1048, found: 227.1043.





anti- methyl 6-bromo-1,3-dioxo-2,8-diphenyl-2,3,5,8-tetrahydro-1H-[1,2,4]triazolo[1,2-a] pyridazine-5-carboxylate (15a)

Following the procedure described by Stoodley and Hartwig *et al*,⁷ diene **3a** (0.1 mmol, 31.4 mg), PTAD (0.11 mmol, 1.0 equiv, 19.3 mg) and benzene (0.1 M, 1 mL) were combined and the resulting solution was stirred at 30 °C for 3 h. The solvent was

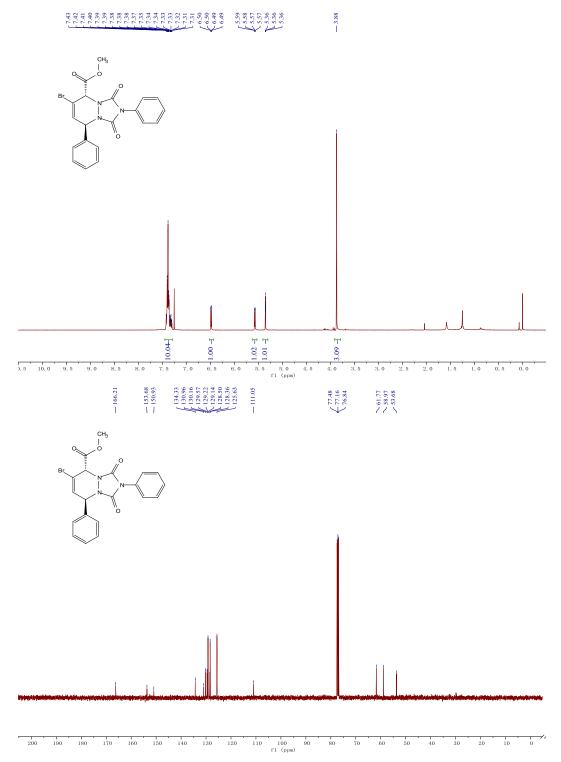


removed under reduced pressure. Then CuBr₂ (2.0 equiv, 44.7 mg) and THF/H₂O (0.1 M, 1 mL, 1:1/v:v) was added and the mixture was stirred at 80 °C for 18 h. The mixture was brought to room temperature and extracted with ethyl acetate and dried with Na₂SO₄. The residue was purified by column chromatography. **15a** was obtained in 51% (22.6 mg) yield. The stereochemistry of the product was determined by reported similar reactions.^{7a, 8}

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.44 – 7.30 (m, 10H), 6.49 (dd, J = 4.6, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 5.58 (dd, J = 4.6, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 5.36 (t, J = 1.1 Hz, 1H), 3.88 (s, 3H).

¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.21, 153.68, 150.93, 134.33, 130.96, 130.16, 129.57, 129.22, 129.14, 128.50, 128.36, 125.63, 111.05, 61.77, 58.97, 53.68.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for C₂₀H₁₆BrN₃O₄Na⁺ [M+Na]⁺: 464.0222, found: 464.0227.



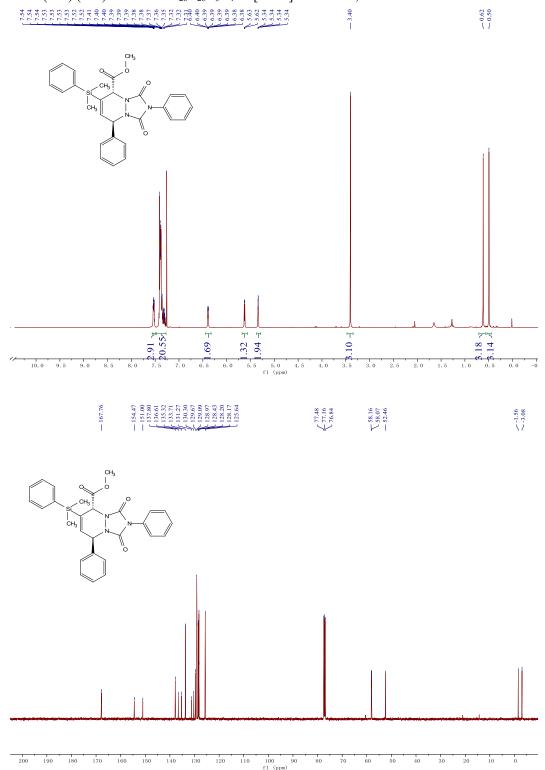
anti- methyl 6-(dimethyl(phenyl)silyl)-1,3-dioxo-2,8-diphenyl-2,3,5,8-tetrahydro-1H-[1,2,4]triazolo[1,2-a]pyridazine-5-carboxylate (16a)

Following the procedure described by Stoodley *et al*, ^{7a} diene **11a** (0.1 mmol, 32.2 mg), PTAD (0.11 mmol, 1.0 equiv, 19.3 mg) and benzene (0.1 M, 1 mL) were combined and the resulting solution was stirred at 30 °C for 24 h. The solvent was

removed under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography. **16a** was obtained in 74% (36.8 mg) yield with 93:7 dr The stereochemistry of the product was determined by reported similar reactions.^{7a, 8}

¹**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.56 – 7.50 (m, 2H), 7.44 – 7.27 (m, 13H), 6.39 (ddd, J = 4.3, 1.9, 0.5 Hz, 1H), 5.62 (d, J = 4.3 Hz, 1H), 5.34 (dd, J = 1.6, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 3.40 (s, 3H), 0.62 (s, 3H), 0.50 (s, 3H).

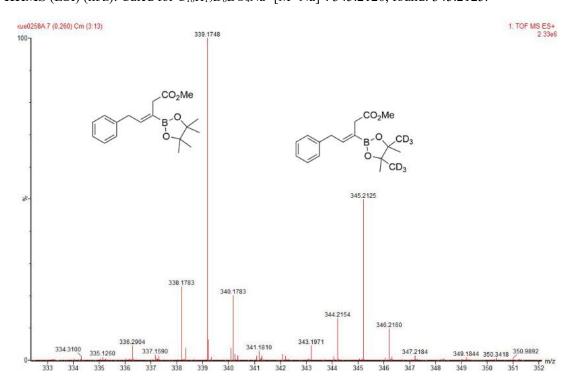
¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 167.76, 154.47, 151.00, 137.80, 136.61, 135.32, 133.71, 131.27, 130.30, 129.67, 129.09, 128.97, 128.43, 128.20, 128.17, 125.64, 58.16, 58.07, 52.46, -1.56, -3.08. HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for $C_{28}H_{28}N_3O_4Si^+$ [M+H] $^+$:498.1849, found: 498.1847.



4. Mechanistic Study

Under argon atmosphere, an oven-dried 10 mL Schlenck tube was charged with a stirring bar, CuCl (2.0 mg, 0.02 mmol, 10 mol %), 3,4,7,8-tetramethyl-1,10-phenanthroline (5.7 mg, 0.024 mmol, 12 mol %) and MeOH (1 mL, 0.2 M). After stirring for 10 min, B₂pin₂-d₁₂ 9 (66.0 mg, 0.46 mmol, 2.3 equiv), **5a** (62.8 mg, 0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv) and N,N-diisopropylethylamine (51.7 mg, 0.4 mmol, 2.0 equiv) were added in sequence. Then the reaction mixture was kept at 30 °C for 12 h. Dichloromethane was added and the precipitate was removed by filtration. The resultant solution was concentrated and the crude product was purified by column chromatography using dichloromethane as eluent. **3a** and **3a**- d_6 were isolated in 60% yield as colorless oil and ESI indicates that the ratio of **3a**- d_6 /**3a** = 1:2.

HRMS (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for C₁₈H₂₅BO₄Na⁺ [M+Na]⁺: 339.1744, found: 339.1748. **HRMS** (ESI) (m/z): Calcd for C₁₈H₁₉D₆BO₄Na⁺ [M+Na]⁺: 345.2120, found: 345.2125.



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