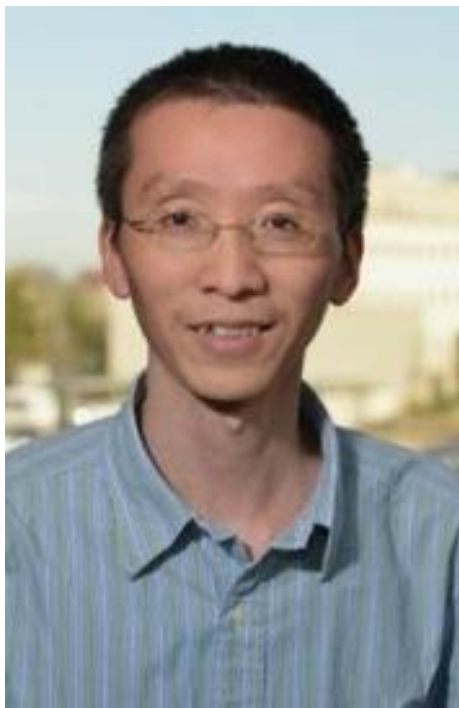


Research Presentation of Ge's lab

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Research in Ge's group :

1) Metal-catalyzed carbon-carbon and carbon-heteroatom bond formation through C-H activation

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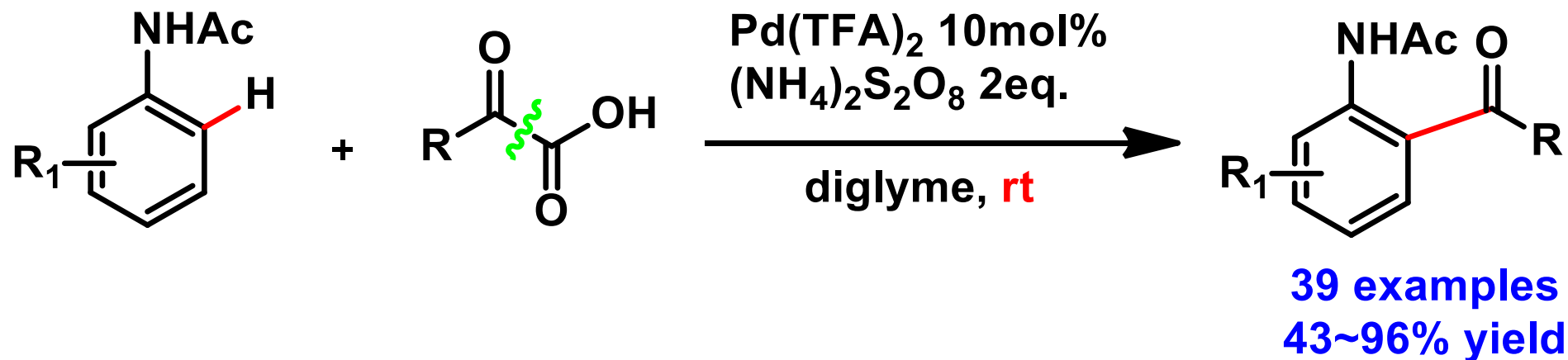
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2) Total synthesis and structure-activity relationship studies of biologically active natural products.

Room Temperature Palladium-Catalyzed Decarboxylative *ortho*-Acylation of Acetanilides with α -Oxocarboxylic Acids

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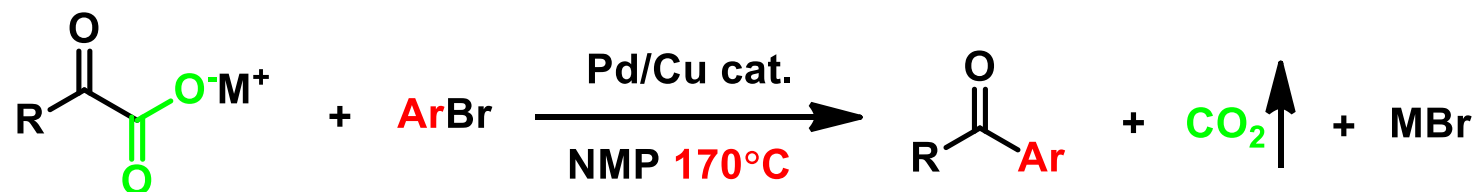


This reaction provides efficient access to *o*-acyl acetanilides ***under mild conditions***

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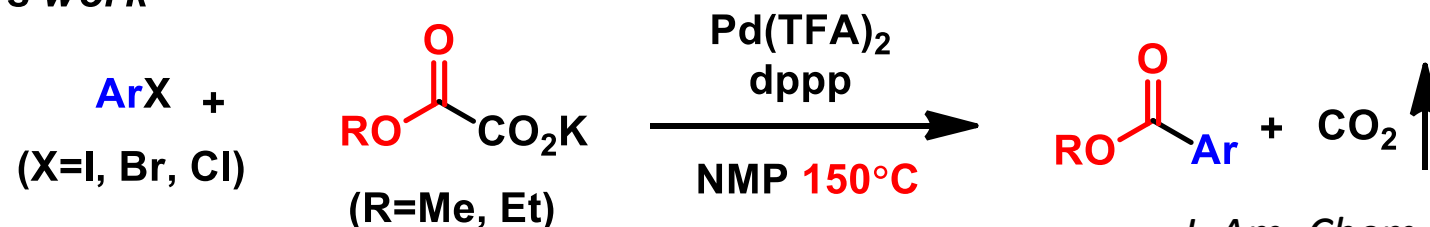
Previous work

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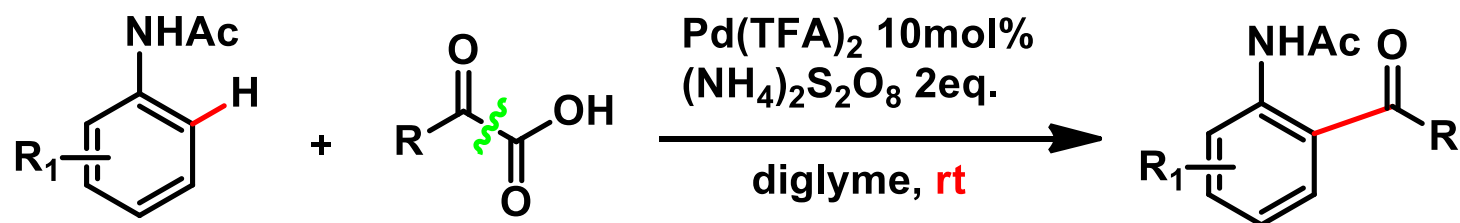
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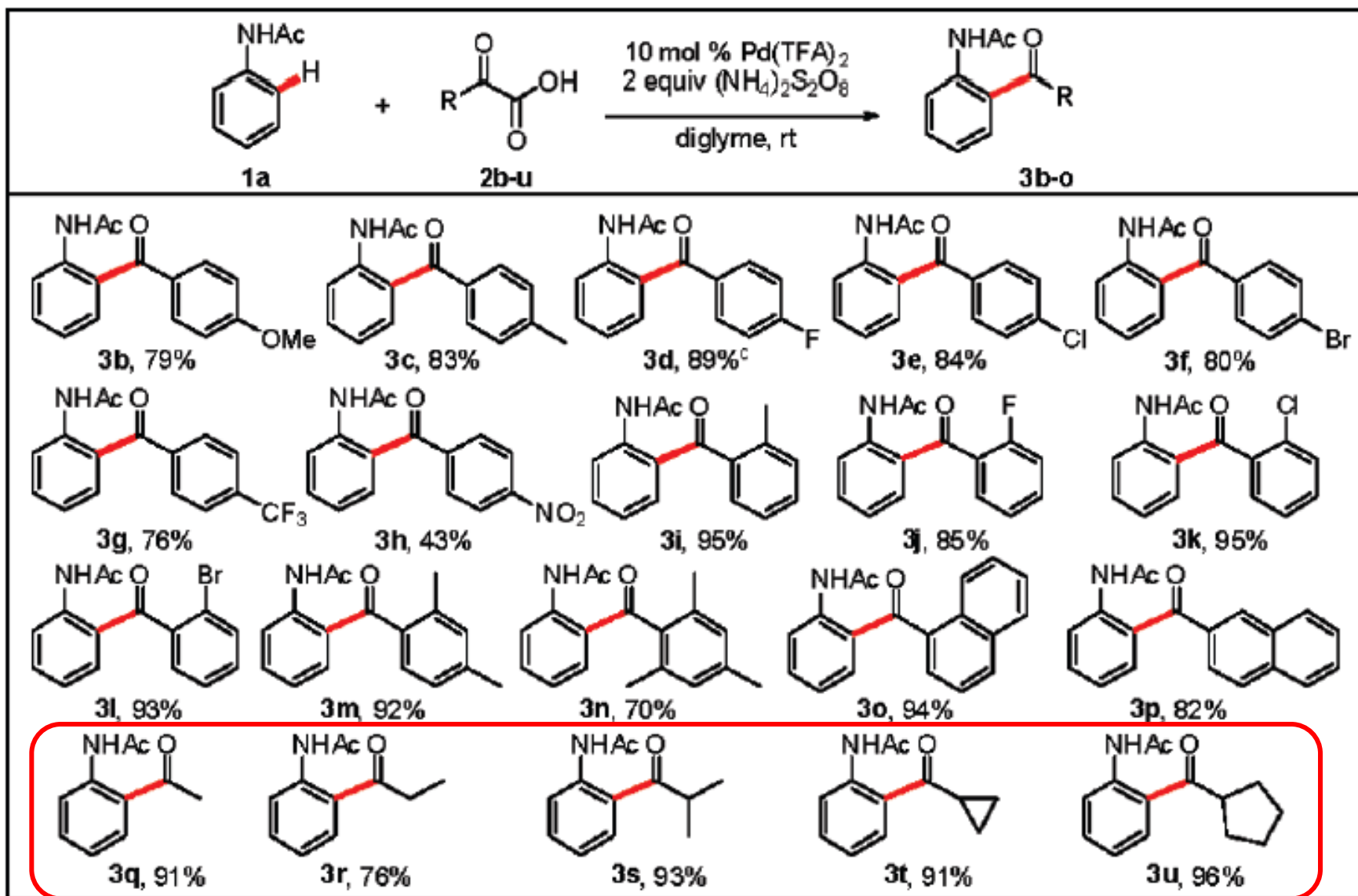
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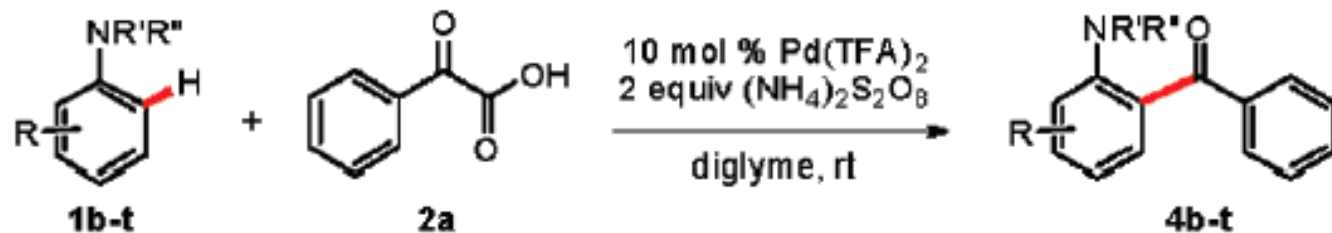
39 examples
43~96% yield

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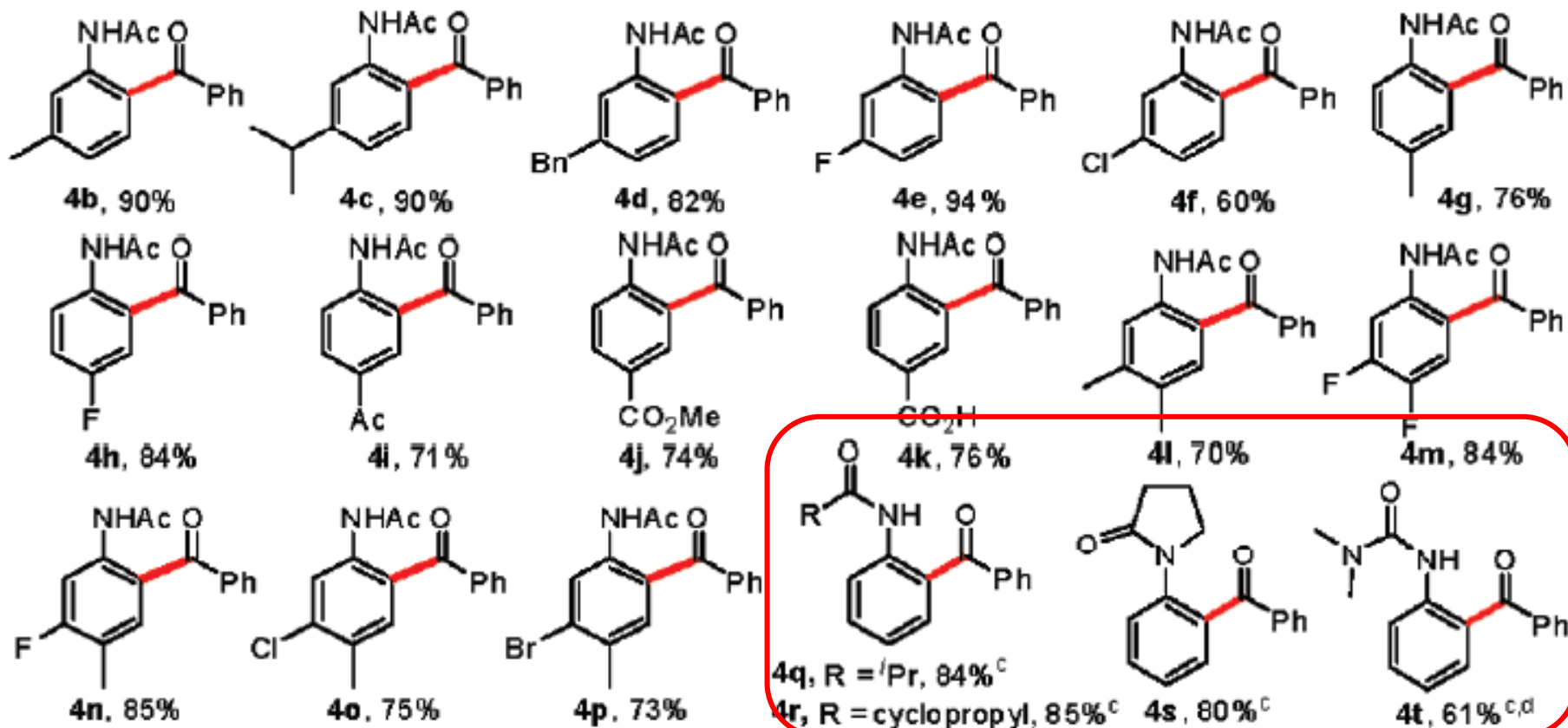
Scope of α -Oxocarboxylic Acids



Scope of Anilides

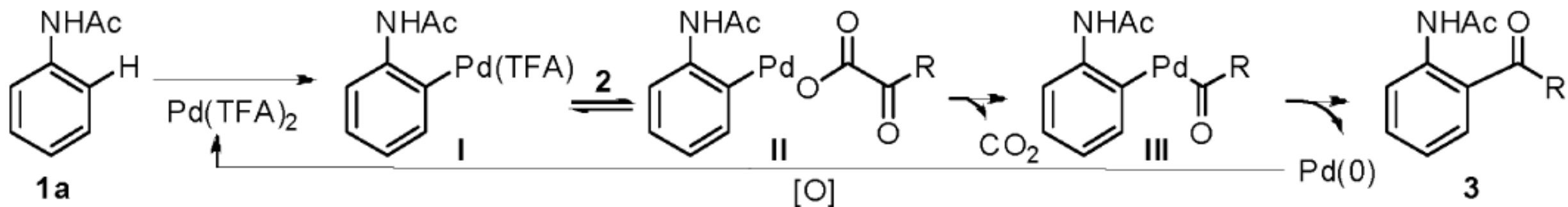


1) *O*-substituted
acetanilides
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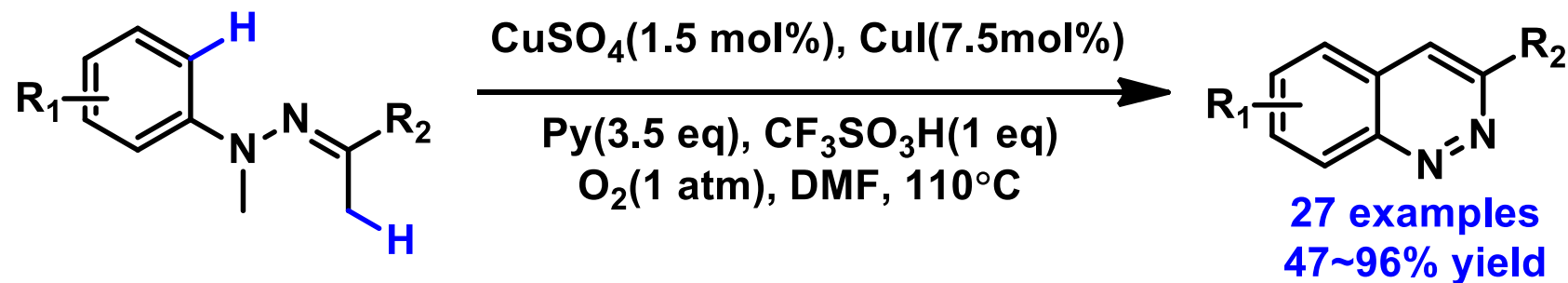
2) Acetamido
group **not**
necessary

Proposed Catalytic Cycle of Decarboxylative Coupling



Copper-Catalyzed Aerobic Dehydrogenative Cyclization of N-Methyl-N-phenylhydrazones: Synthesis of Cinnolines**

Guangwu Zhang, Jinmin Miao, Yan Zhao, and Haibo Ge*

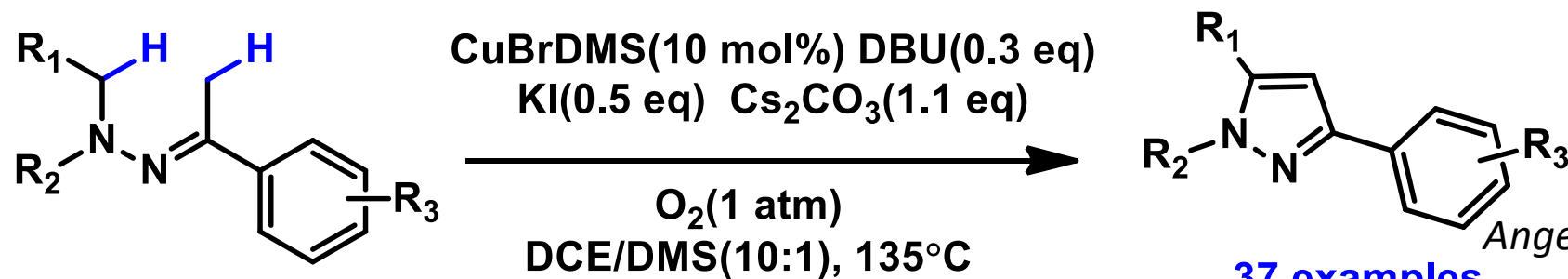


27 examples
47~96% yield

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Copper-Catalyzed Aerobic Intramolecular Dehydrogenative Cyclization of N,N-Disubstituted Hydrazones through C_{sp³}-H Functionalization**

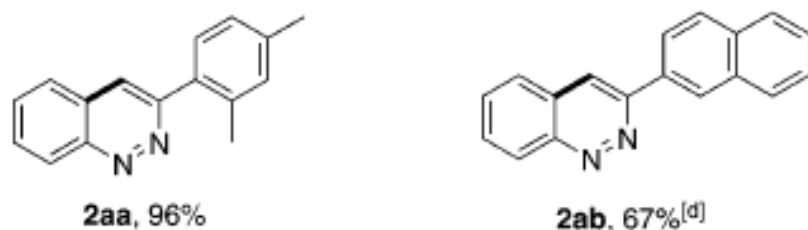
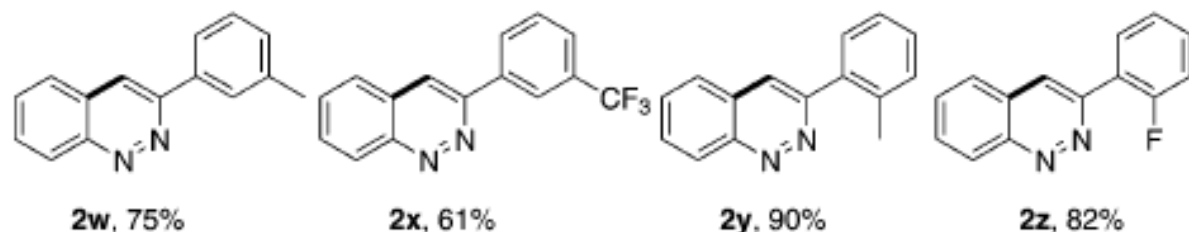
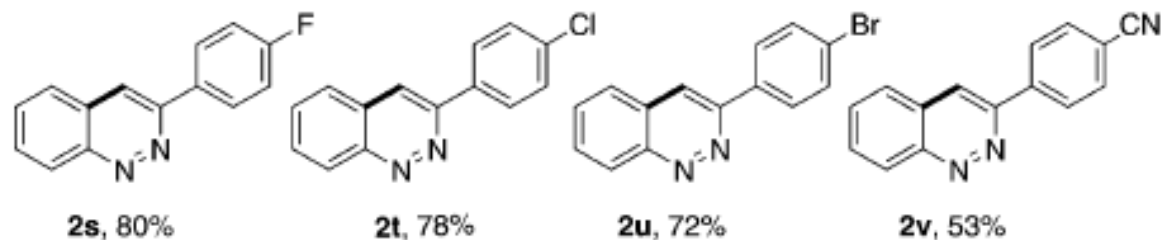
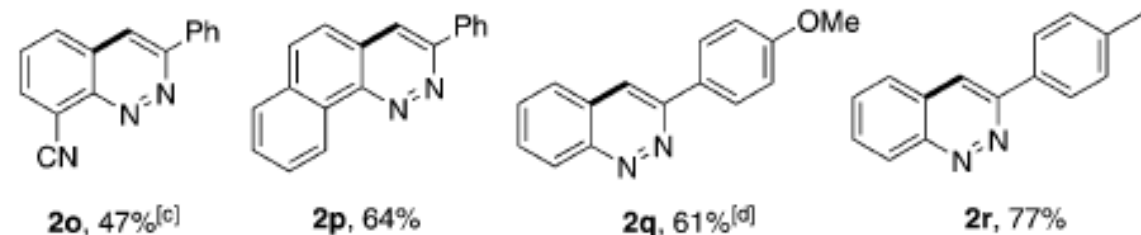
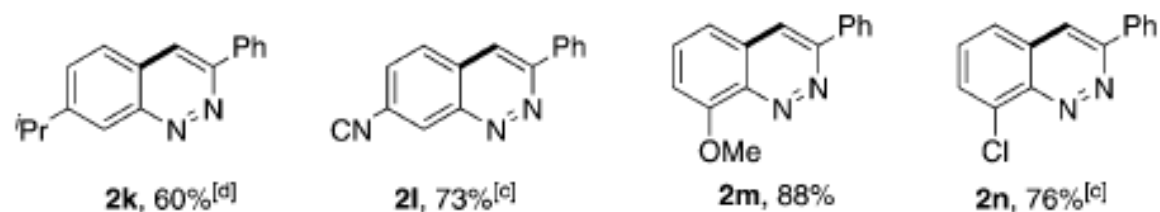
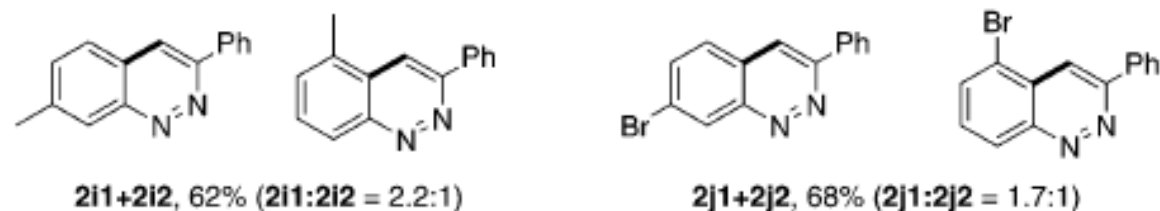
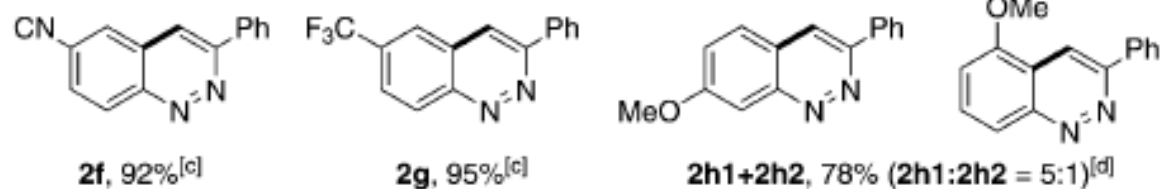
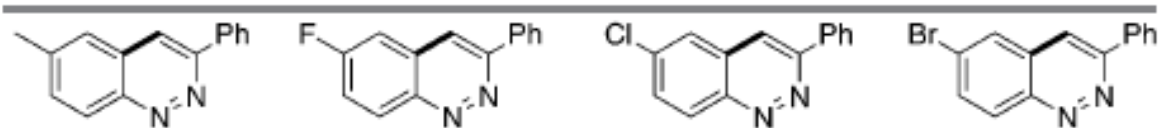
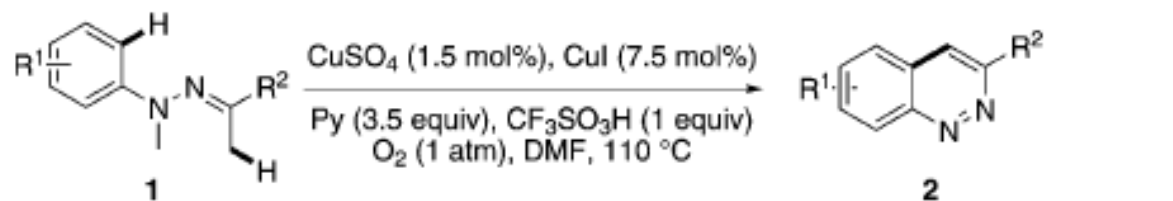
Guangwu Zhang, Yan Zhao, and Haibo Ge*



37 examples
16~96% yield

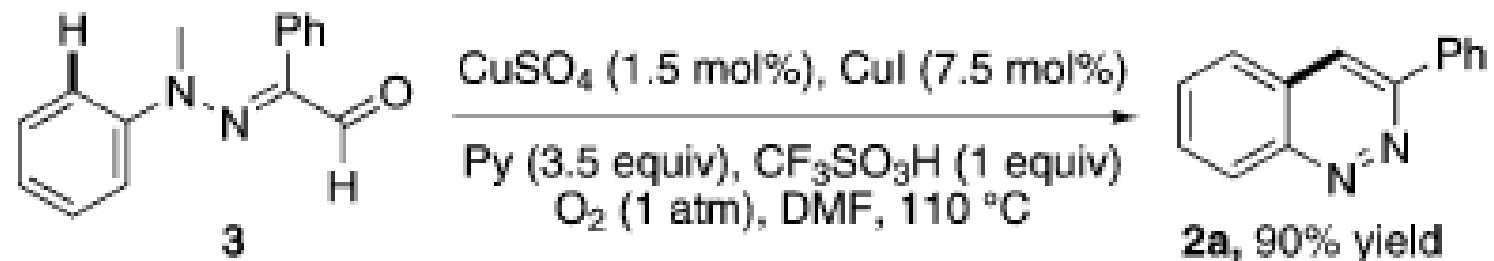
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Substrate scope

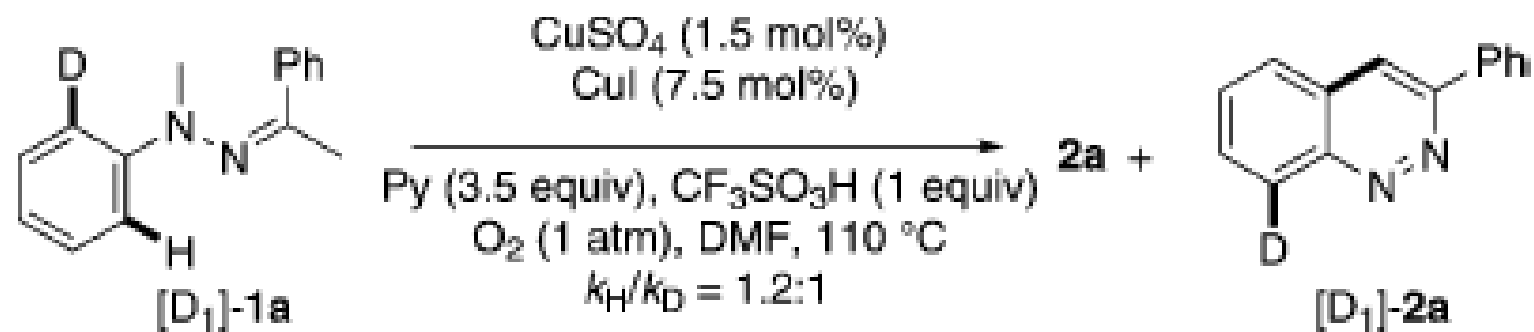


Mechanism

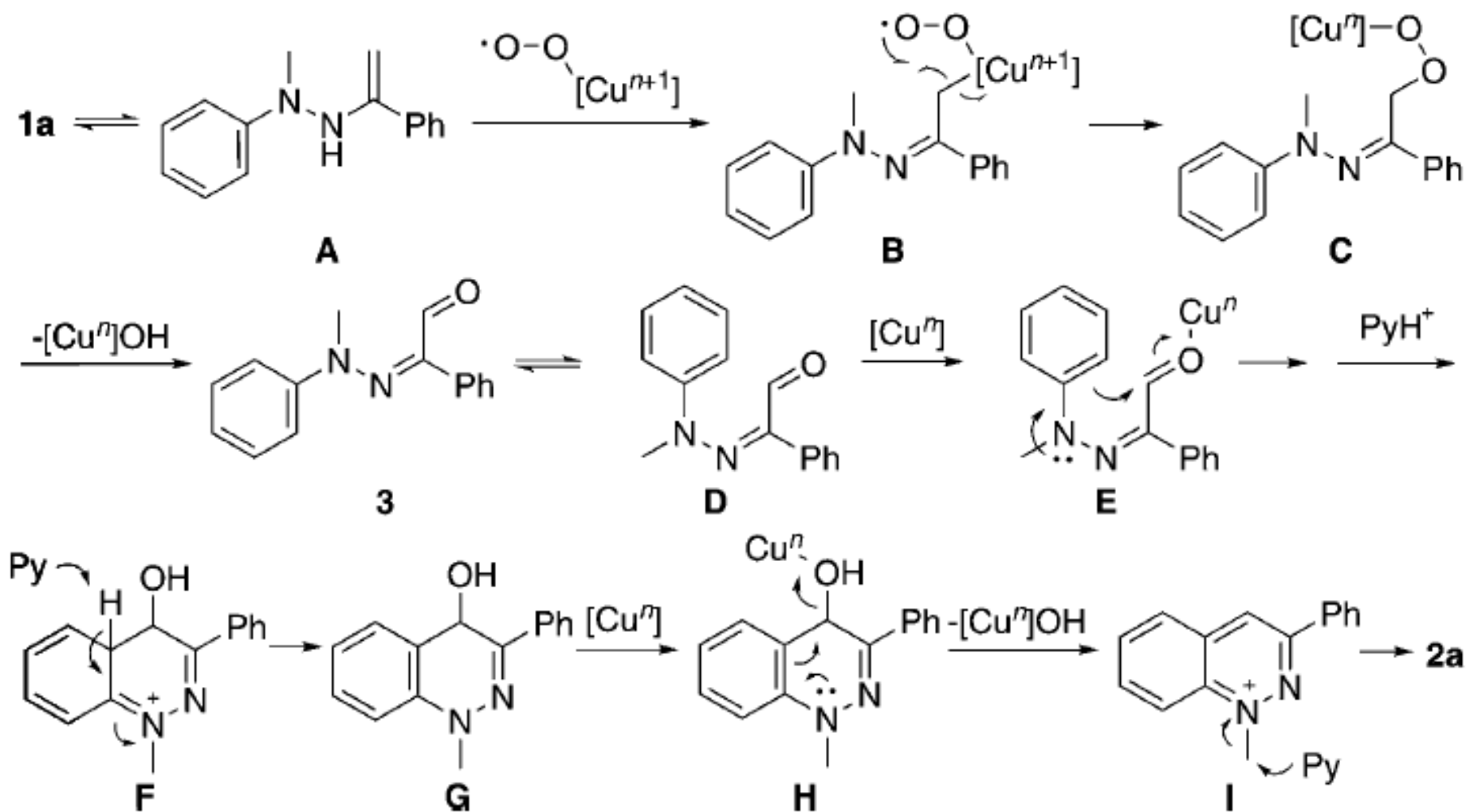
Cyclization of 2-(N-methyl-N-phenylhydrazono)-2-phenylacetaldehyde



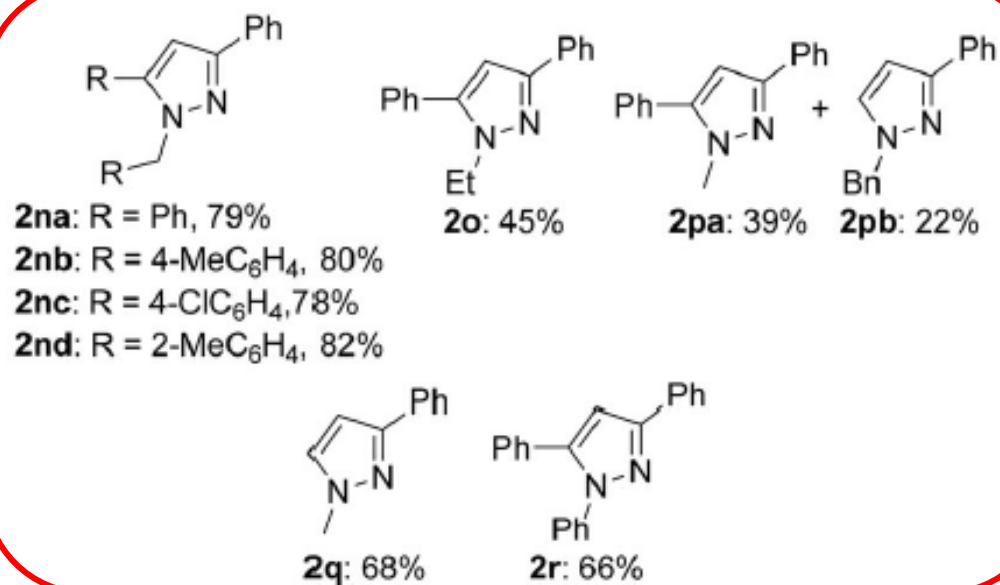
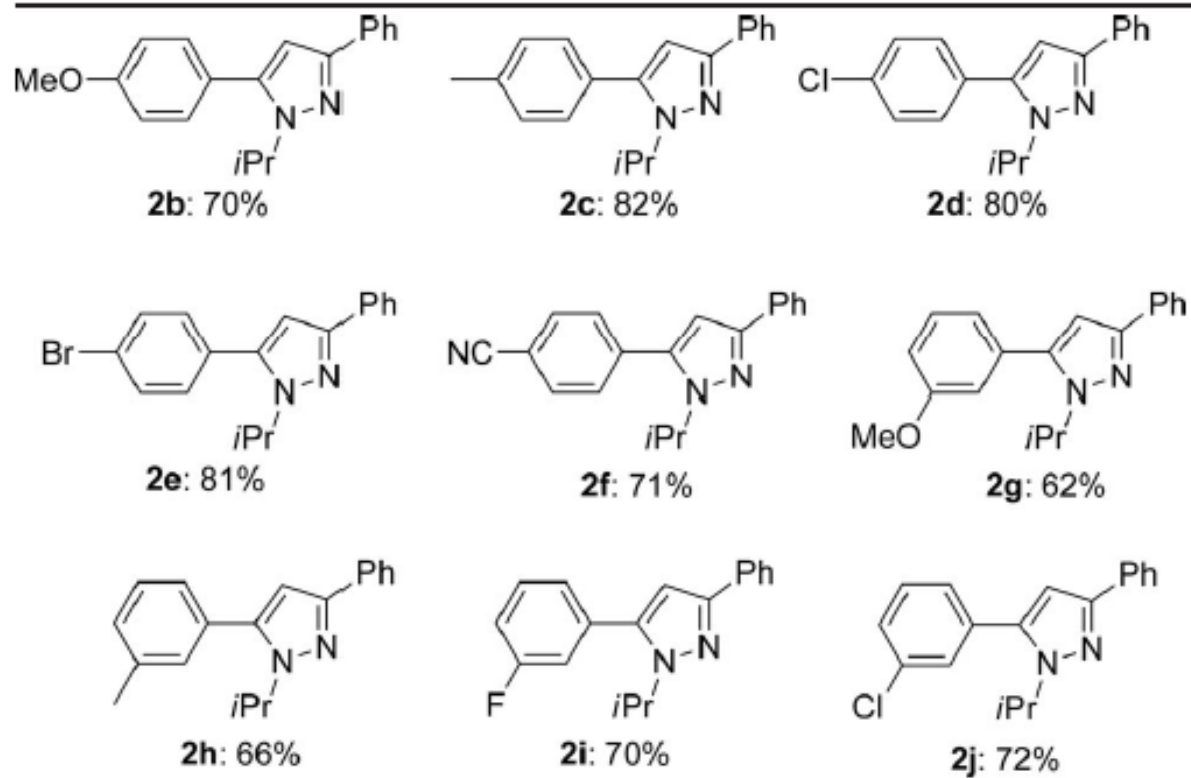
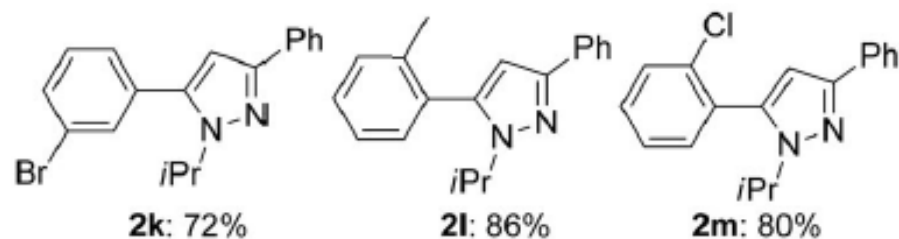
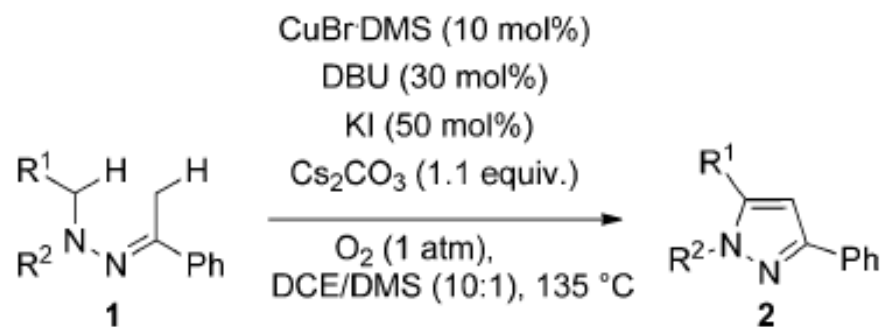
Deuterium-labeling experiments



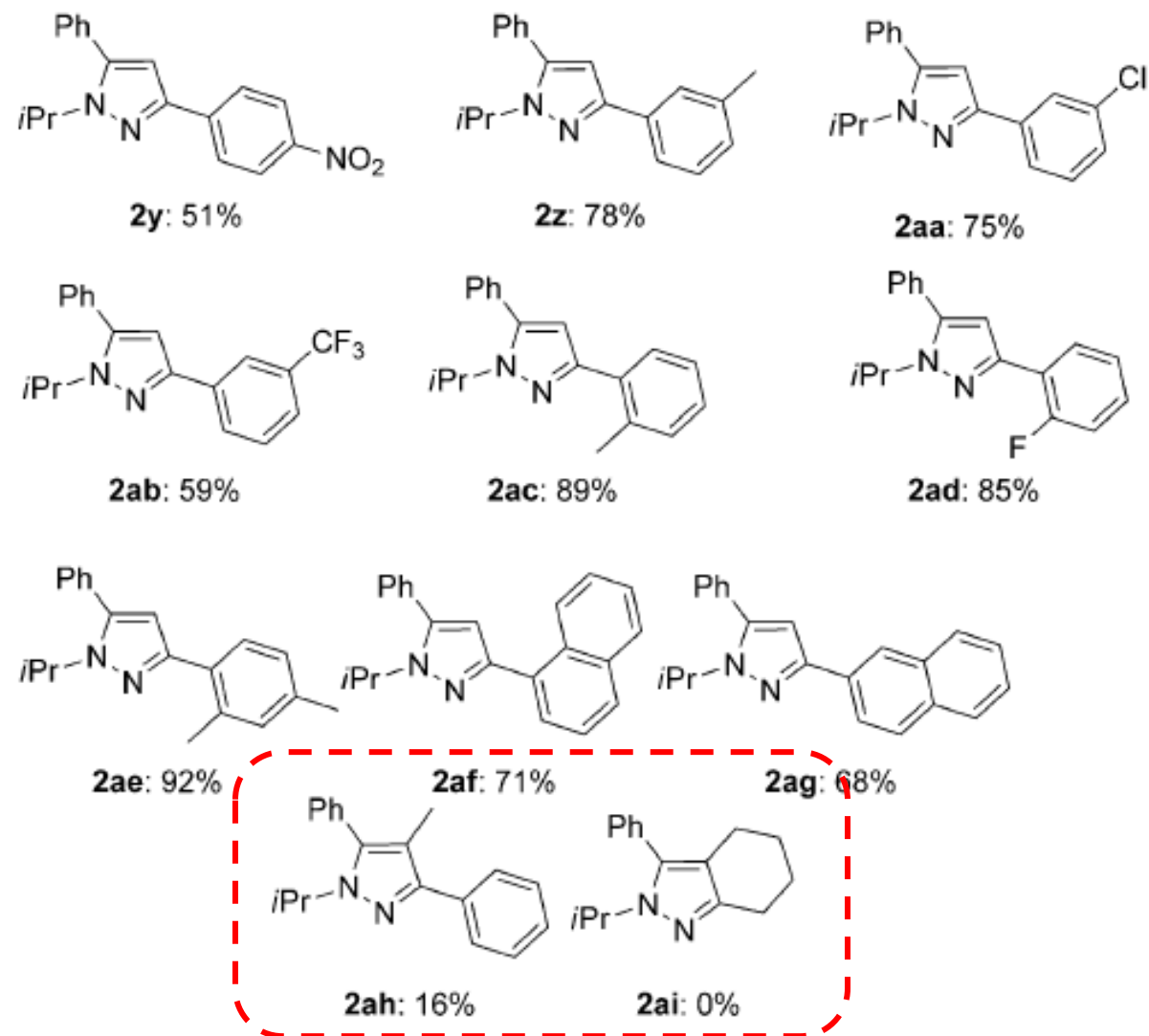
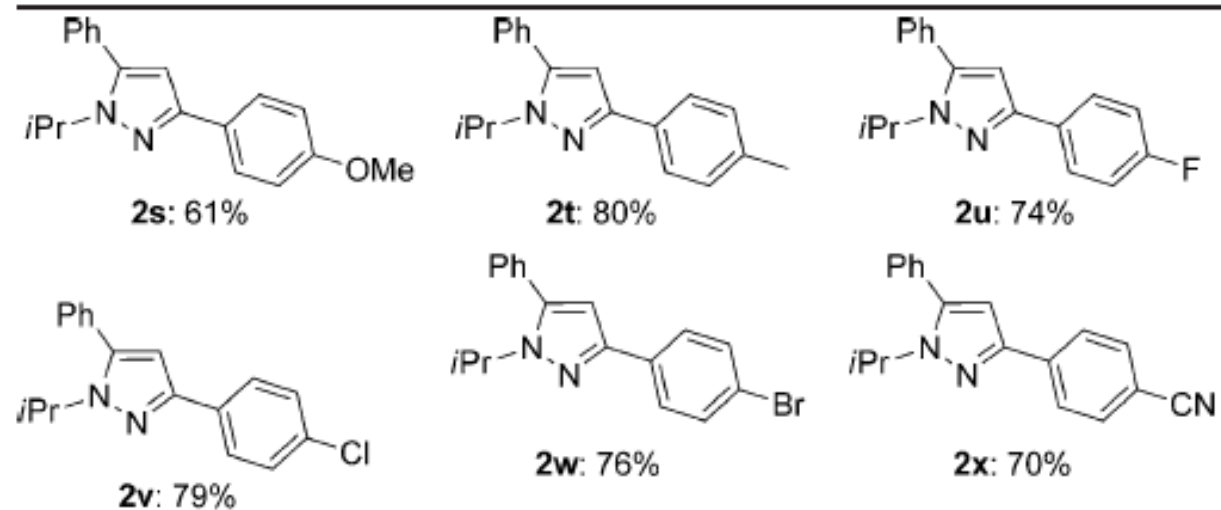
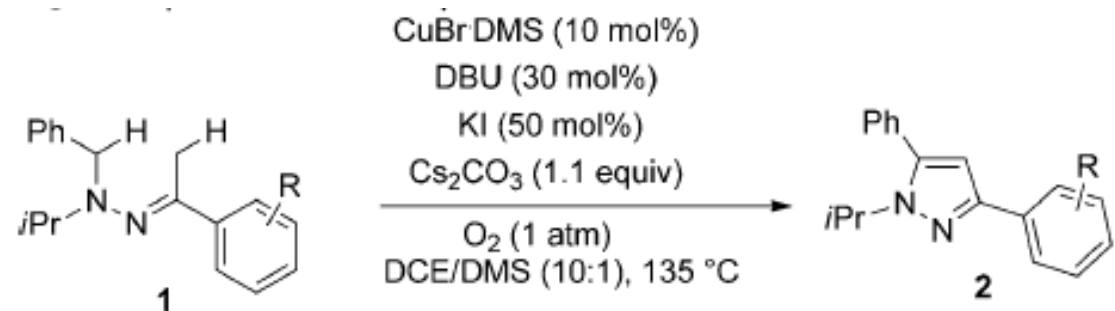
Proposed reaction mechanism.



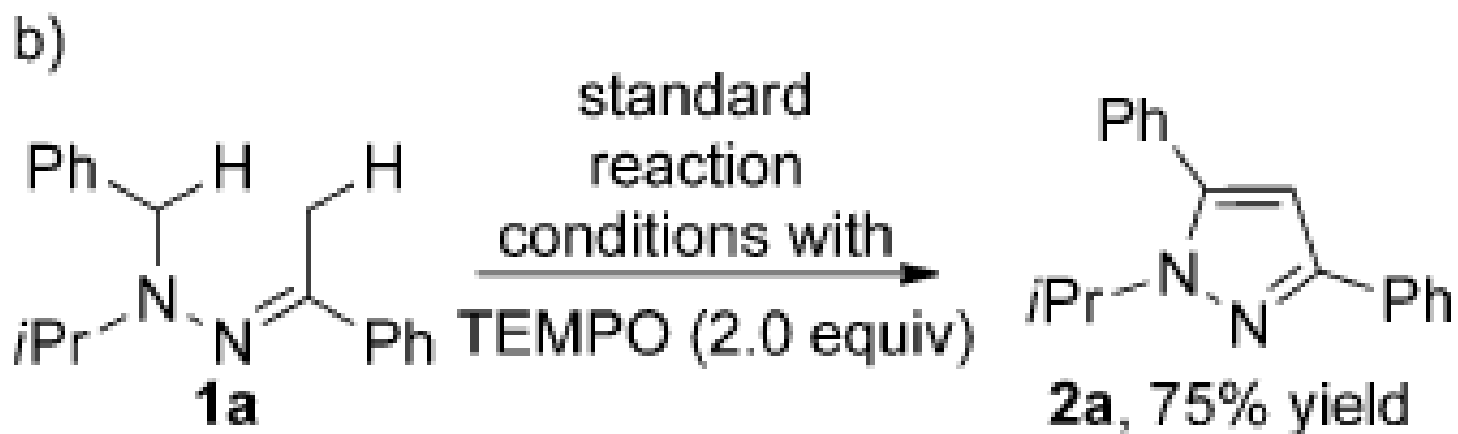
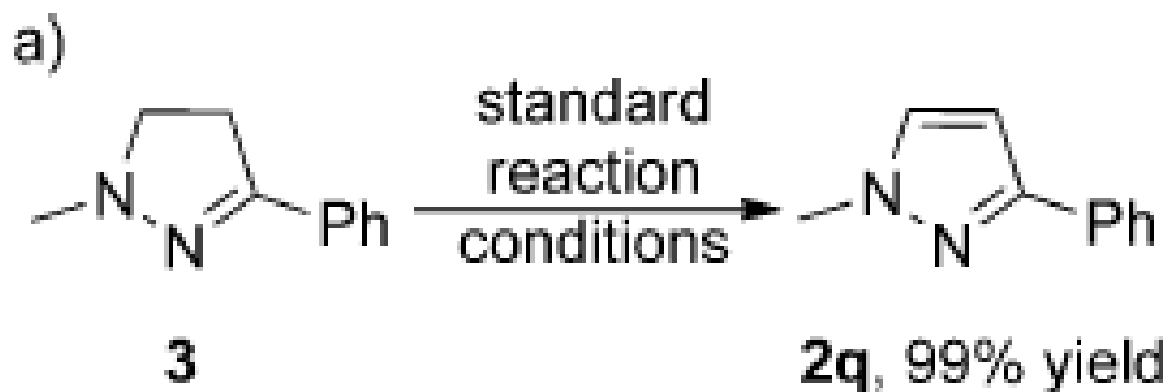
Scope: *N* substituents



Scope: Imine moiety

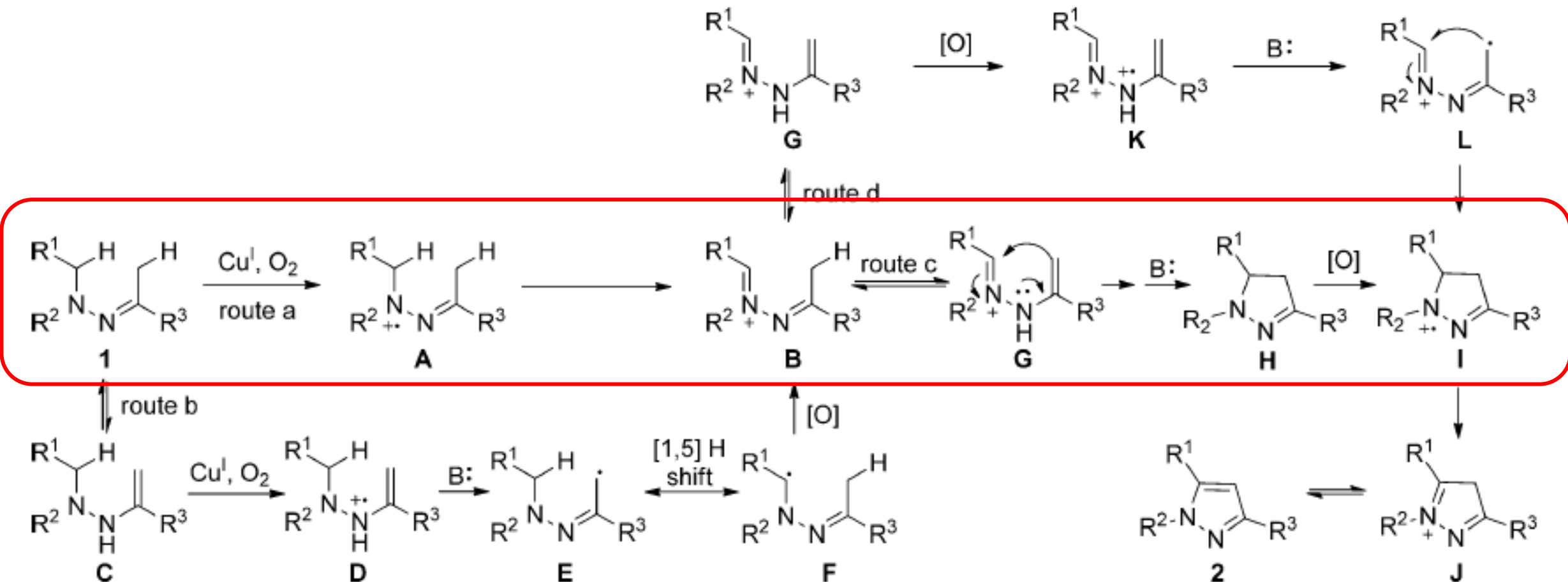


Mechanism



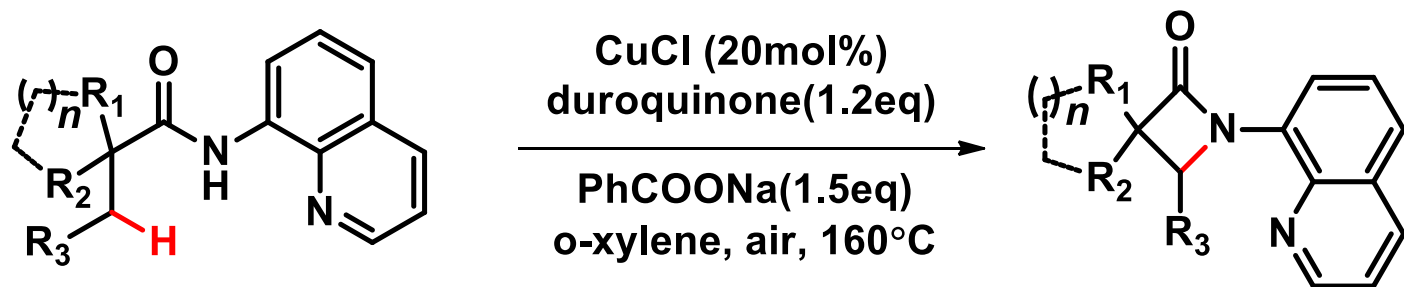
Excess TEMPO has no apparent effect on this intramolecular cyclization reaction

Plausible reaction mechanism



Copper-Catalyzed Site-Selective Intramolecular Amidation of Unactivated C(sp³)-H Bonds**

Xuesong Wu, Yan Zhao, Guangwu Zhang, and Haibo Ge*

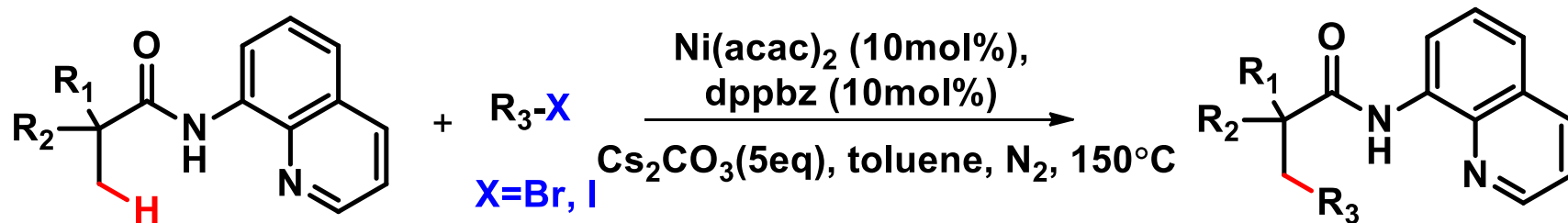


20 examples
69~94% yield

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Nickel-Catalyzed Site-Selective Alkylation of Unactivated C(sp³)-H Bonds

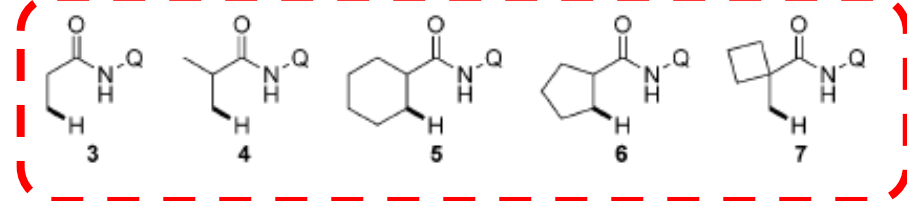
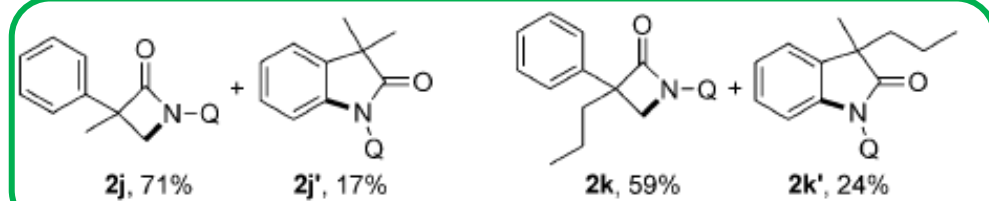
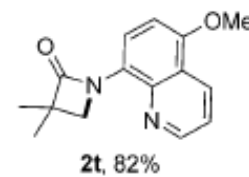
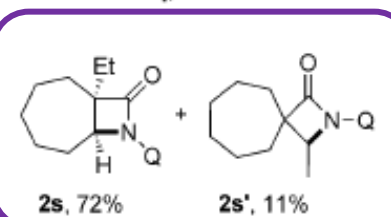
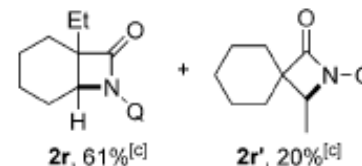
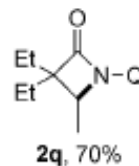
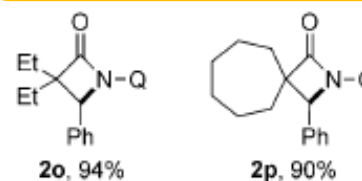
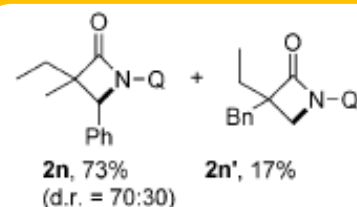
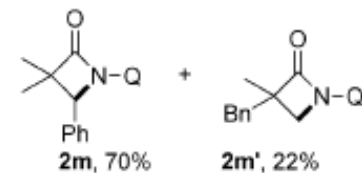
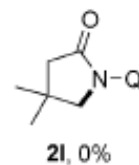
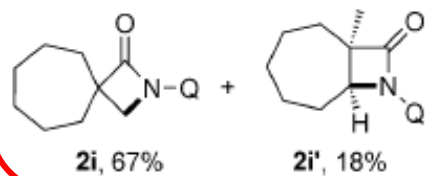
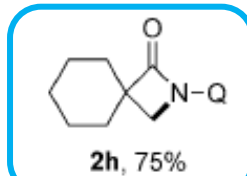
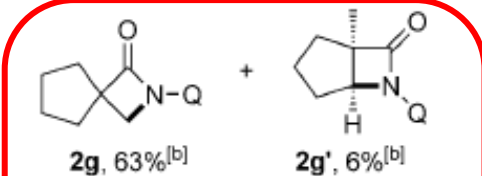
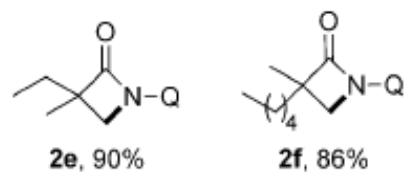
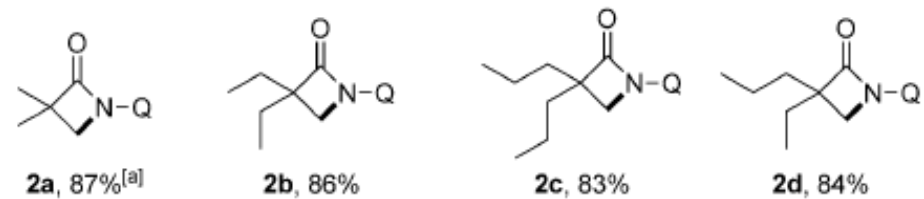
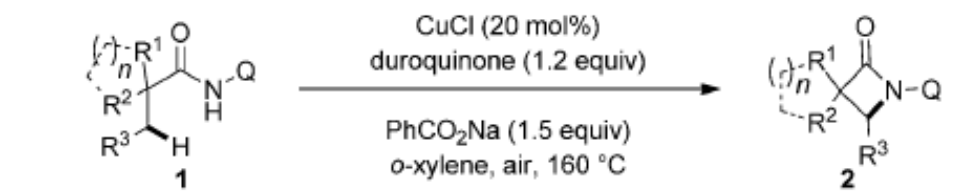
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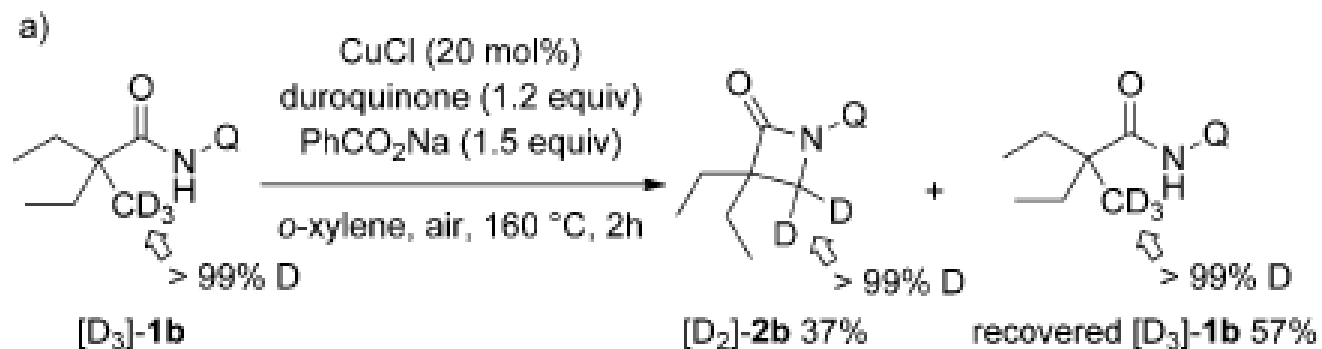
32 examples
8~91% yield

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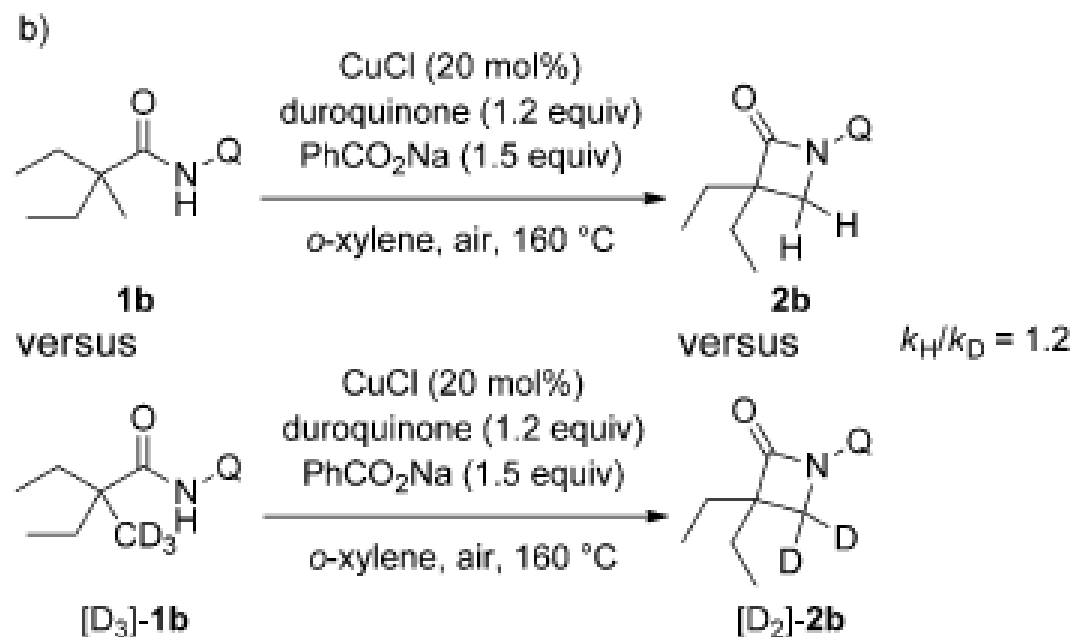
Direct amidation on sp^3 -carbon atoms



Deuterium-labeling experiments

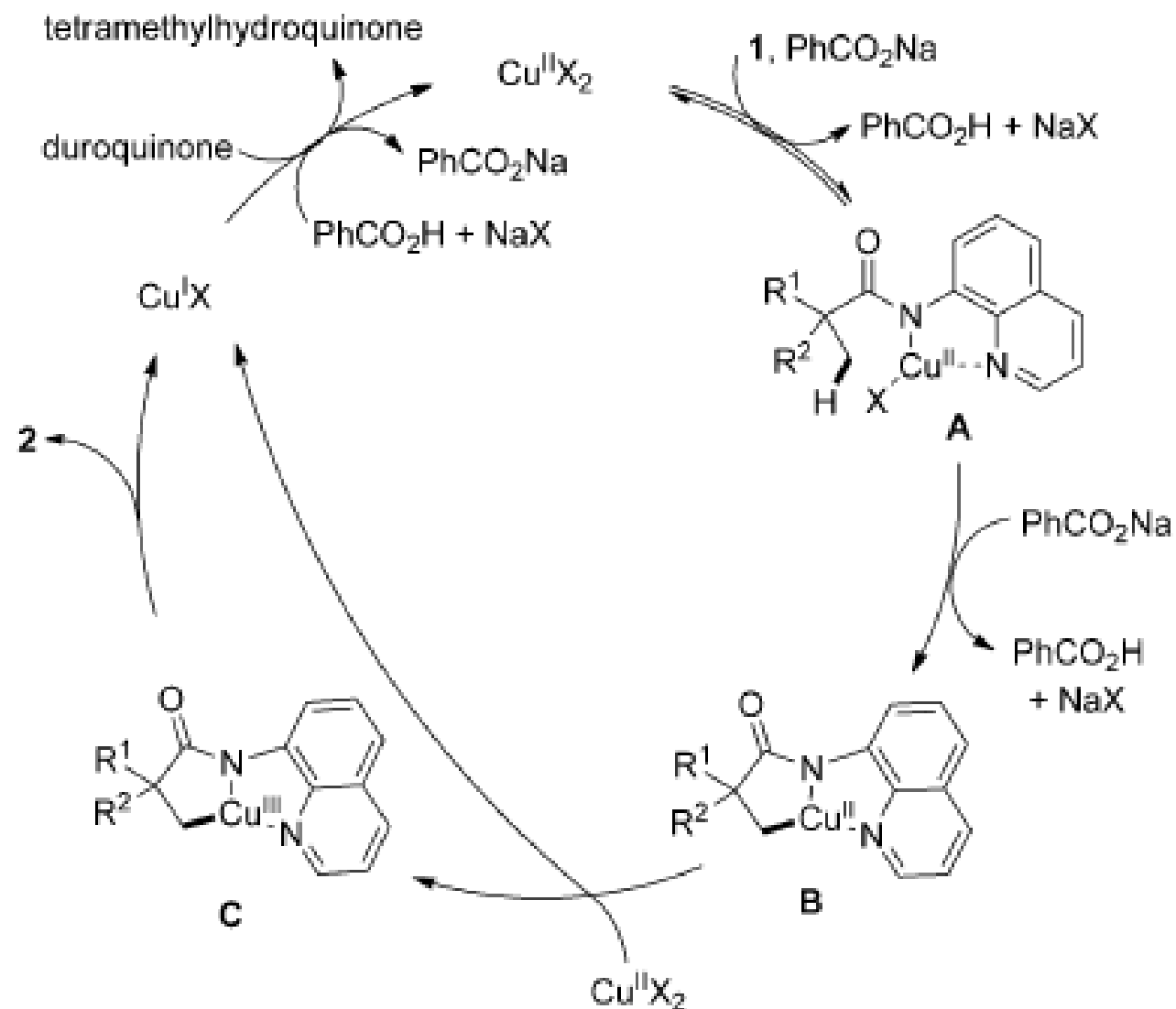


There was no apparent H–D exchange in this process

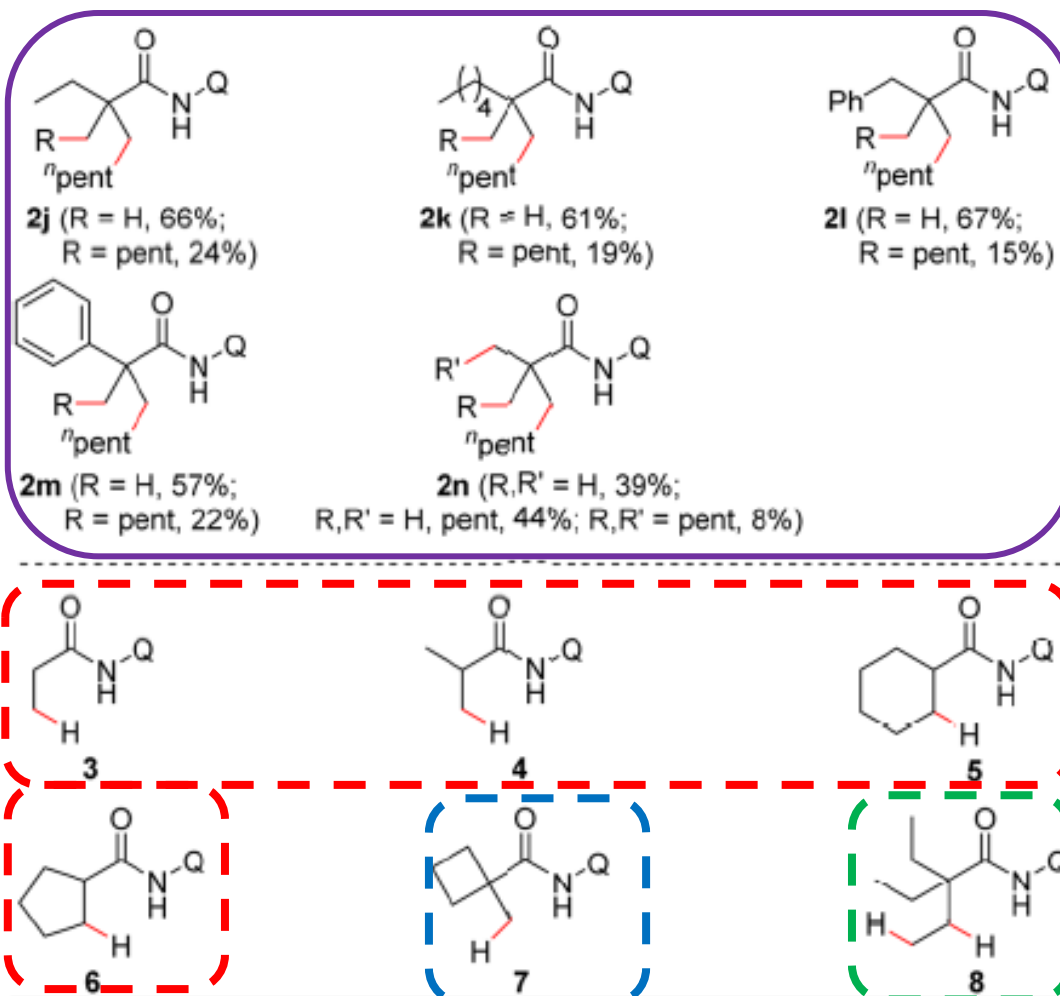
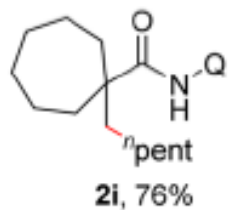
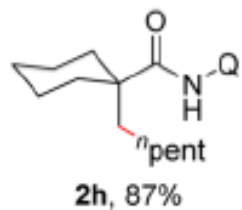
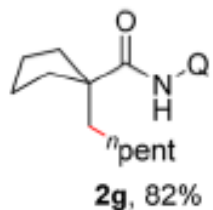
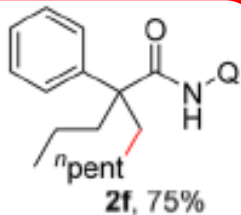
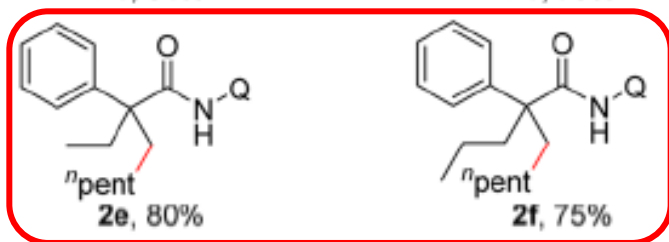
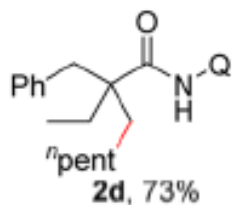
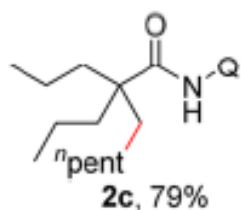
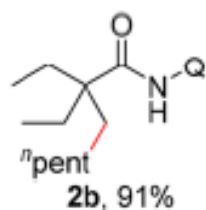
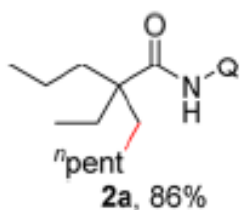
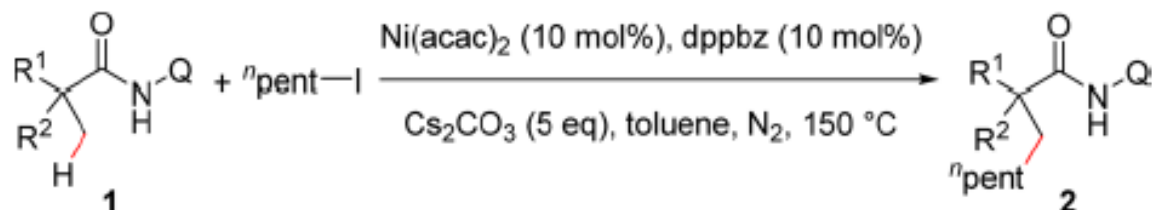


The sp^3 C–H bond cleavage should not be the rate-limiting step in this catalytic process

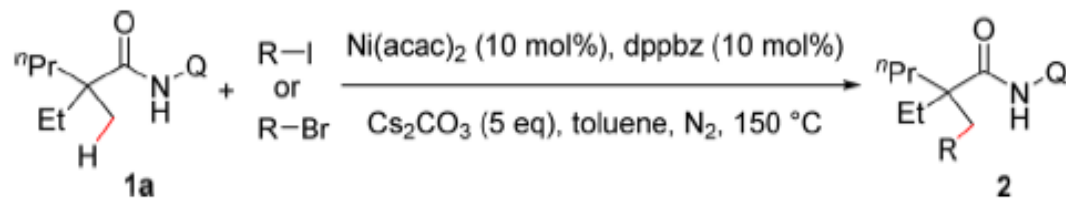
Plausible reaction mechanism



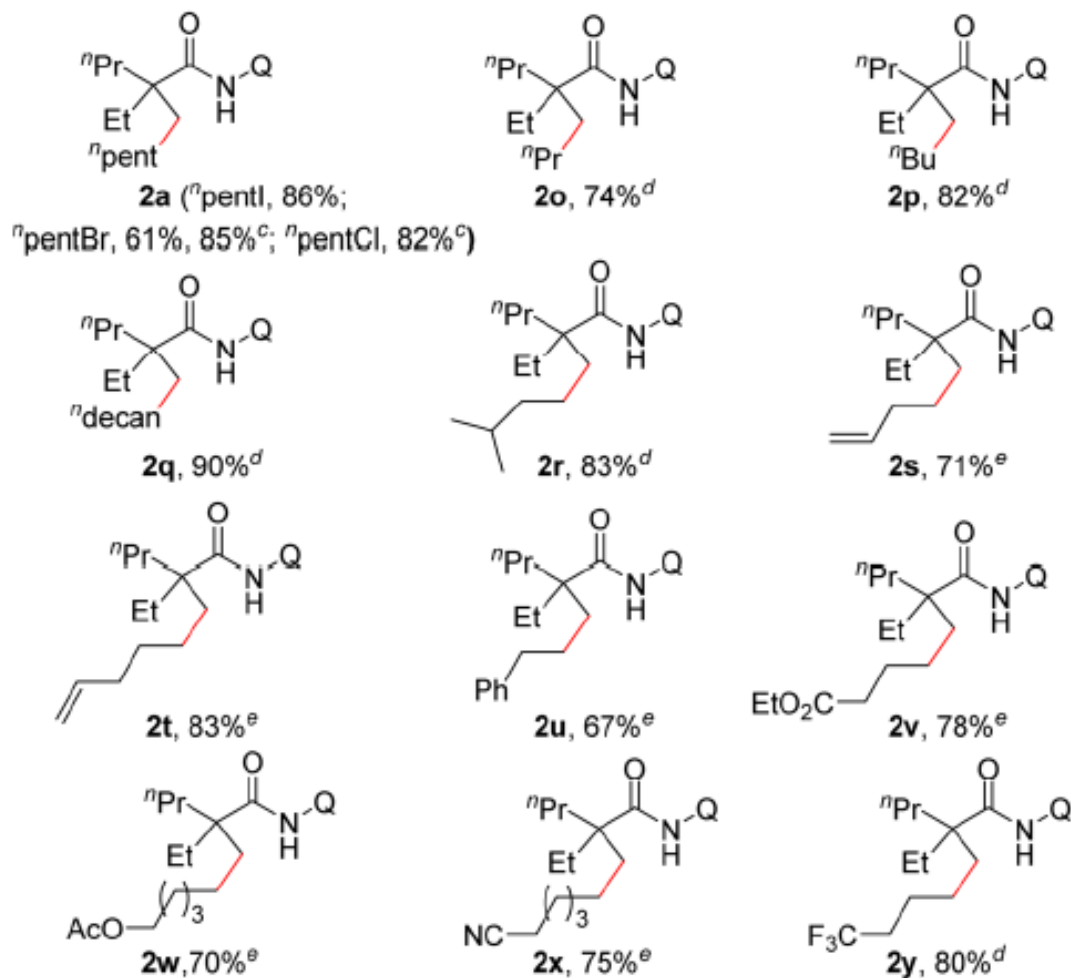
Scope of Aliphatic Amides



Scope of Alkyl Halides

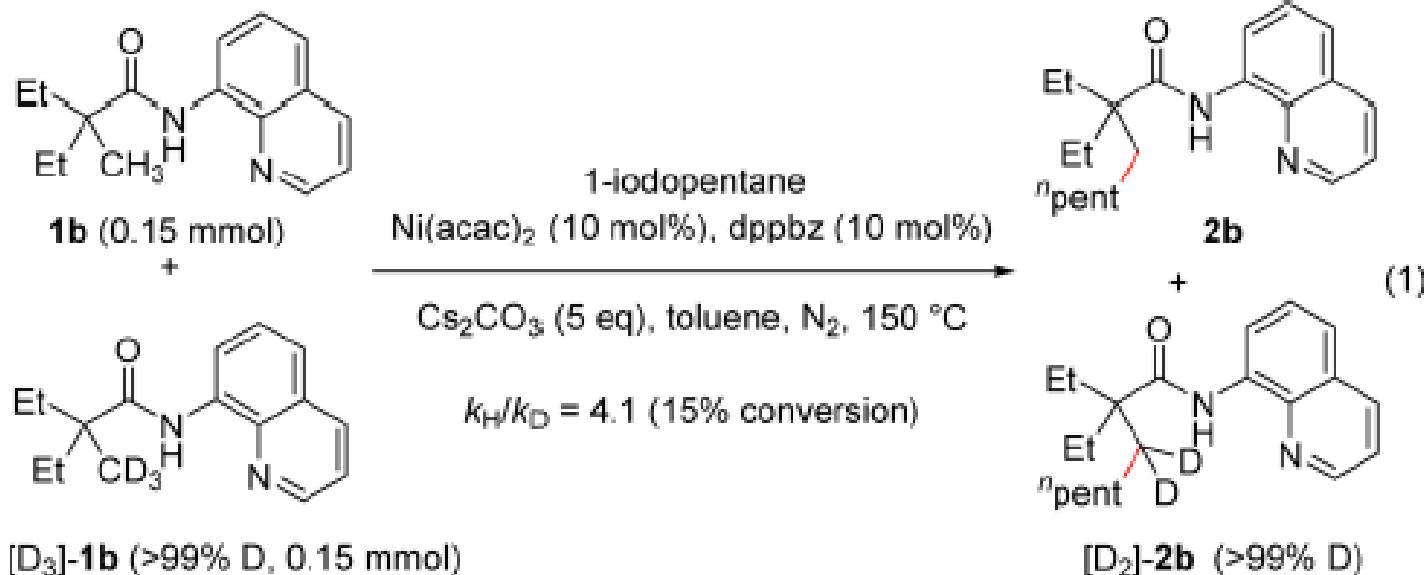


Secondary alkyl halides and benzyl bromide failed to provide the desired products

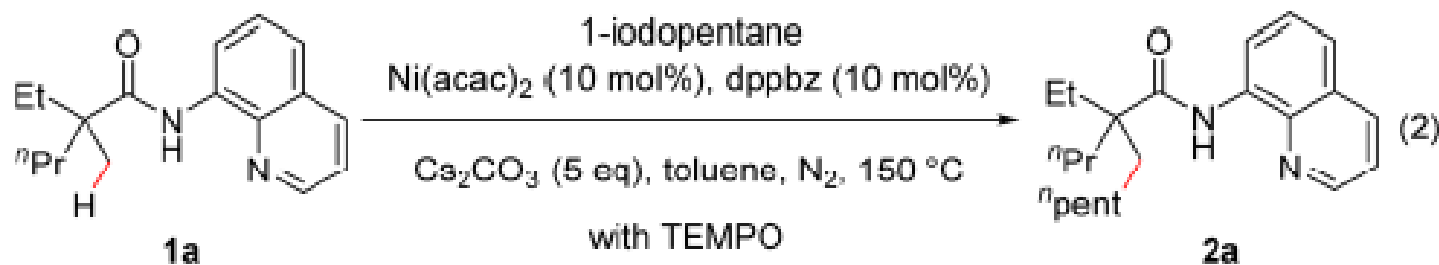


This reaction tolerated a variety of functional groups

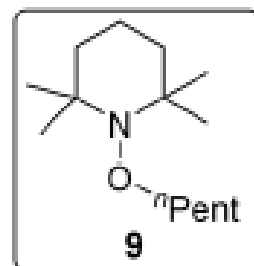
Deuterium Labeling and Radical Trapping Experiments



The cyclometalation of amide 1 with a nickel species is *the rate determining step* in the process.



TEMPO (eq)	Yield of 2a (%)
3.0	48
5.0	18
8.0	trace



Proposed Reaction Mechanism

