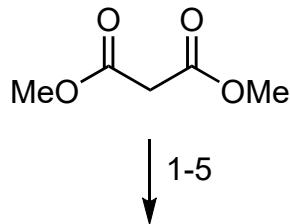


Total Synthesis of Putative Melognine

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- 1) 1, K_2CO_3
- 2) 2, DBU
- 3) 3, CuI , $\text{Pd}(\text{PPh}_3)_4$, NEt_3
- 4) NsCl , DMAP, pyr.
- 5) DIBAL-H
- 6) $\text{PhCH}(\text{OMe})_2$, TsOH
- 7) MsCl , NEt_3
- 8) K_2CO_3 , DMF
- 9) ethylene, Hoveyda-Grubbs II
- 10) PhSH , K_2CO_3
- 11) $\text{Na}_2\text{WO}_4 \cdot 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$, aq H_2O_2 , Aliquat 336

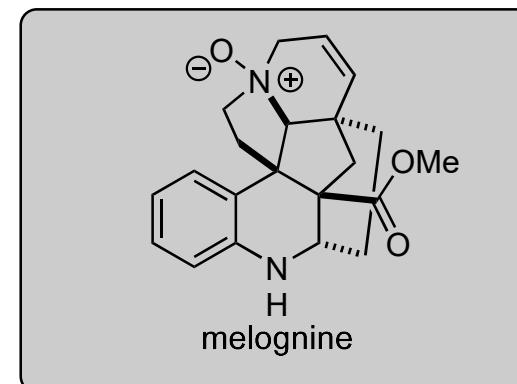
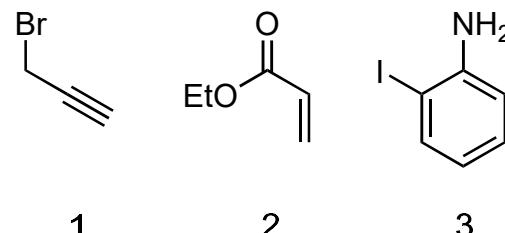
3) Name of reaction?

5) Hint: 10 equiv. of DIBAL-H

9) Name of reaction?

11) Hint: Two 6-membered rings and one 5-membered ring are formed. A “Z-Nitrone” is formed as an intermediate.

Note: Aliquat 336 is a phase transfer catalyst.



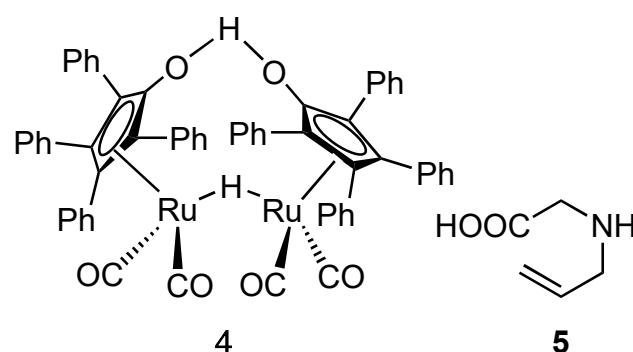
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melogenine

- 12) Zn, AcOH
- 13) Ac₂O, DMAP, NEt₃
- 14) 4
- 15) Boc₂O, DMAP
- 16) aq. AcOH
- 17) TIPSOTf, 2,6-lutidine
- 18) DMP
- 19) Ph₃P=CH₂
- 20) TBAF
- 21) DMP
- 22) 5, 130°C
- 23) Hoveyda-Grubbs II
- 24) K₂CO₃, MeOH
- 25) CrO₃ H₂SO₄, H₂O
- 26) TMSCHN₂, MeOH
- 27) TFA
- 28) aq. H₂O₂



14) Hint: Epimerization

22) Hint: Decarboxylation
occurs and key step.

