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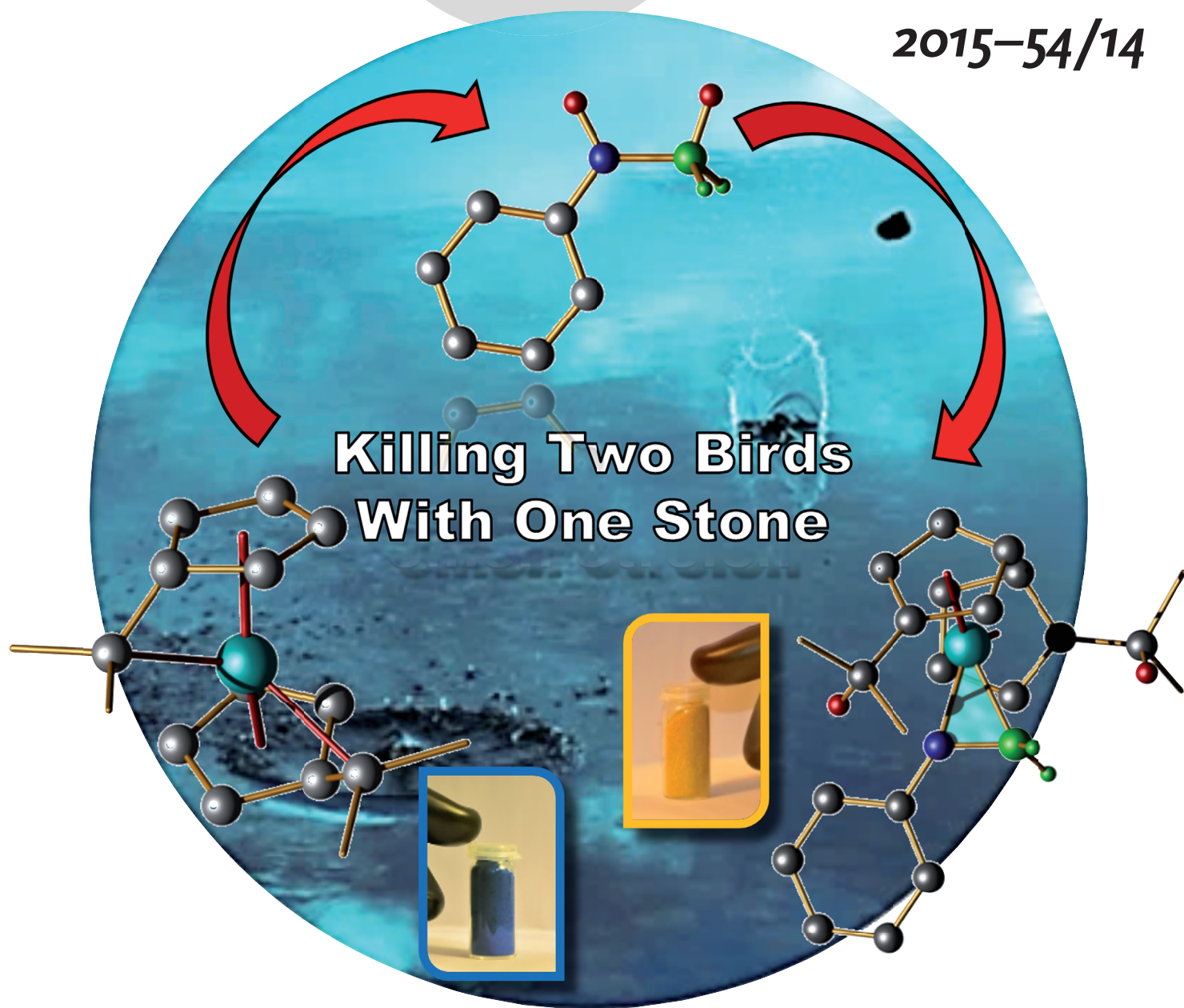
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Killing two birds with one stone

In the presence of a bis(η^5, η^1 -pentafulvene) titanium complex, *N*-methylanilines undergo two bond activation reactions to directly give titanaaziridines. Based on this transformation, S. Doye, R. Beckhaus, et al. report in their Communication on page 4383 ff. the isolation and investigation of all key intermediates of the titanium-catalyzed hydroaminoalkylation of alkenes. The results represent the first experimental proof of the suggested reaction mechanism of this industrially promising reaction.

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