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## NUCLEOPHILIC TRIFLUOROMETHYLATION WITH THE REAGENT COMBINATION (Et<sub>2</sub>N)<sub>3</sub>P/CF<sub>3</sub>Br

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By interaction of the reagent combination aminophosphane  $\underline{1}$  and bromotrifluoromethane  $\underline{2}$  on halides of the 4th-6th maingroup we found a new synthetic route to trifluoromethylated elementorganics.

All  $CF_3$ -products can be isolated in respectable yields by this simple procedure.

In the meantime our method was extended to higher perfluoroorganyl halides inclusive  $C_6F_5Br$  and mixed halo(F, Cl, Br)methanes. In this connexion especially the synthesis of a palette of  $\alpha$ -fluorinated silanes like

emphasizes the scope and validity of our three component system.