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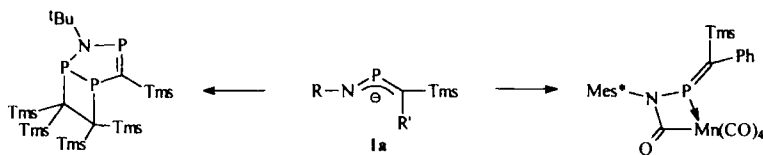
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Heteroallylic anions, as a result of their different modes of coordination (σ and π) have proven to be versatile ligands for d- and f-block metals^[1]. In context of our work on 1,2-diphosphaallylic anions **1b** and the synthesis of the corresponding vinylogous system, the 2,3,4-triphosphapentadienide **2b**^[2], we became interested in the homologous systems and succeeded in the isolation of the 3-arsa-2,4-diphosphapentadienide **2c** in crystalline form.



Furthermore we were able to synthesize the heteroallylic anions **1a-d**. For **1a**, which shows an interesting reactivity towards electrophiles and metal organic reagents, the X-ray structure of the sodium salt could be determined.



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