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$$R^{1}TeBu + R^{2}ZnCl$$
  $\xrightarrow{cat. PdCl_{2}, CuI}$   $R^{1}-R^{2}$   $69 - 79\%$ 

$$R^1$$
 = vinyl, aryl;  $R^2$  = heteroaryl

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Ar = Ph, Tolyl

O<sub>2</sub>S

$$O_2$$
 $O_2$ 
 $O_3$ 
 $O_4$ 
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$$O = \frac{11}{M_{\text{e}}} = \frac{M_{\text{e}}}{M_{\text{e}}} = \frac{1}{M_{\text{e}}} = \frac{1}{M_{\text$$

C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>27</sub> portion of the aplyronines

# A process for the preparation of 1,2,3,4,8,9,10,10a-octahydro-7bH-cyclopenta[b][1,4]diazepino-[6,7,1-hi]indole

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A practical synthesis of diazepinoindolines 1 has been developed, as exemplified by the preparation of one of the simplest structures within this series, 1,2,3,4,8,9,10,10a-octahydro-7bH-cyclopenta[b][1,4]diazepino[6,7,1-hi]indole (2). The key step involves a cyclization of 2-(2,3,3a,8b-tetrahydrocyclopenta[b]indol-4(1H)-yl)ethanamine (7) with aqueous formaldehyde in the presence of trifluoroacetic acid.

### Rhodium-catalyzed addition of aryldifluoromethylsilanes to N-sulfonylaldimines

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Shuichi Oi,\* Mitsutoshi Moro, Takanori Kawanishi and Yoshio Inoue\*

The addition of aryldifluoromethylsilanes to *N*-sulfonylaldimines was found to be catalyzed by a rhodium complex in the presence of potassium fluoride to give the corresponding arylated *N*-sulfonylamines in good yield.

# A new synthesis of $\alpha, \alpha$ -disubstituted carbonyl compounds from carbonyl compounds with one-carbon homologation

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Tsuyoshi Satoh\* and Kohsuke Miyashita

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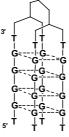
Saad Makhseed,\* Ali Bumajdad, Bader Ghanem, Kadhum Msayib and Neil B. McKeown

A novel unsymmetrically substituted phthalocyanine, which contains an extended planar core and dihydroxyl groups is synthesised and used to prepare planar phthalocyanine oligomers. These materials act as macrodiscotic liquid crystals giving a columnar mesophase, which is stable over a large temperature range.

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$$X = F,Cl,Br$$

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# A hetero Diels-Alder approach to the synthesis of the first angucyclinone and angucycline 5-aza-analogues

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Sylvain C. Collet, Jean-François Rémi, Claire Cariou, Samia Laïb, André Y. Guingant,\* Nguyen Quang Vu and Gilles Dujardin

$$RO \longrightarrow Br$$
 +  $O \longrightarrow R_1$  one-pot reaction  $R^1 = H, Me$   $O \longrightarrow R_1$ 

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Treatment of 23-hydroxyiminodiosgenin acetate with POCl<sub>3</sub> produced an abnormal Beckmann rearrangement, which led to bisnorcholenic skeletons.

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$$R^1$$
 $N$ 
 $R^2$ 
 $N-O$ 

Novel tetrahydroisoxazoloindazoles have been synthesized by intramolecular nitrile oxide cycloaddtion reaction as the key step.

#### Synthesis of new halo-containing acetylenes and their application to the synthesis of azoles

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Marcos A. P. Martins,\* Daniel J. Emmerich, Claudio M. P. Pereira, Wilson Cunico, Marcelo Rossato, Nilo Zanatta and Helio G. Bonacorso

$$R \xrightarrow{\hspace{1cm} 1) \text{ $n$-BuLi}} \text{Ph} \xrightarrow{\hspace{1cm} 2) \text{ E}-Z} \text{Ph} \xrightarrow{\hspace{1cm} 2} \text{E} + Z$$

$$R = \text{Ph}, \text{ H}, \text{ $n$-Pentyl}$$

$$E = \text{COCCl}_3, \text{ COCHCl}_2, \text{ COCF}_3, \text{ 3-methylisoxazol-5-carbonyl}, \text{ CCl}_3, \text{ Cl}, \text{ CH=CHCOCF}_3$$

$$Z = \text{OR}, \text{CF}_3\text{CO}_2, \text{ Cl}, \text{ CCl}_3$$

The synthesis of a series of six halo-and one isoxazole-containing acetylenes from the reaction of phenyl acetylenes with n-butyl lithium and subsequent reaction with an electrophile agent in moderated to good yields is reported.

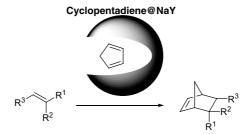
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R, R'= H, Alkyl; R"=Aryl/Alkyl

2-Anilino/benzylaminothiazolo[4,5-c]carbazoles were synthesised regioselectively and efficiently from 3-aminocarbazoles in two steps via N'-phenyl/benzylthioureidocarbazoles using montmorillonite K10 clay in both steps.

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Ru Miao, Qi-Yu Zheng, Chuan-Feng Chen\* and Zhi-Tang Huang\*

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Hai-Hong Wu, Fan Yang, Peng Cui, Jie Tang\* and Ming-Yuan He

Protection of carbonyls as cycloacetals or ketals with diols using Brønsted acidic ionic liquid [Hmim]BF<sub>4</sub> as catalyst as well as solvent was investigated. The product can be separated conveniently from the reaction system, and the ionic liquid can be reused after removal of water.

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HO OH

$$E = \frac{R_2}{N} = \frac{R_2$$

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#### A carboranylpentaphenylbenzene

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1-(o-Carboran-9-yl)-2,3,4,5,6-pentaphenylbenzene (1) was prepared by Diels-Alder reaction of 9-phenylethynyl-o-carborane and tetraphenylcyclopentadienone at 300 °C. An X-ray crystal structure of 1 shows that the steric demands of the carborane induce a significant stretching of the aryl carbon-boron bond as well as a variety of distortions of the central benzene ring, the *ortho* phenyl groups, and the carborane cage.

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