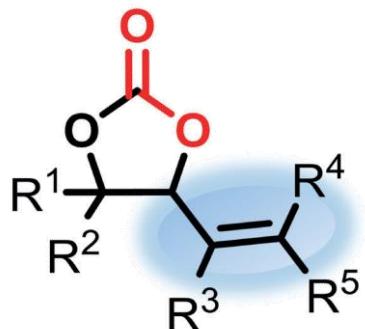




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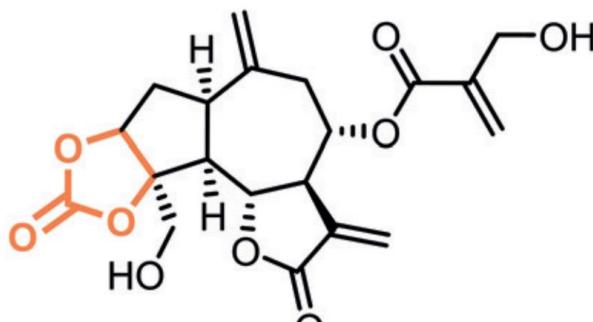
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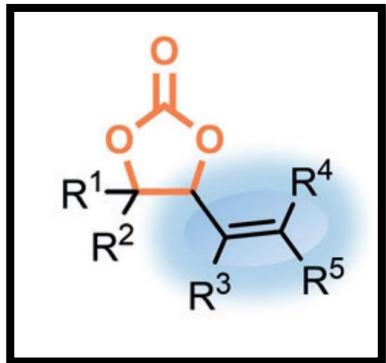
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# 1. Introduction

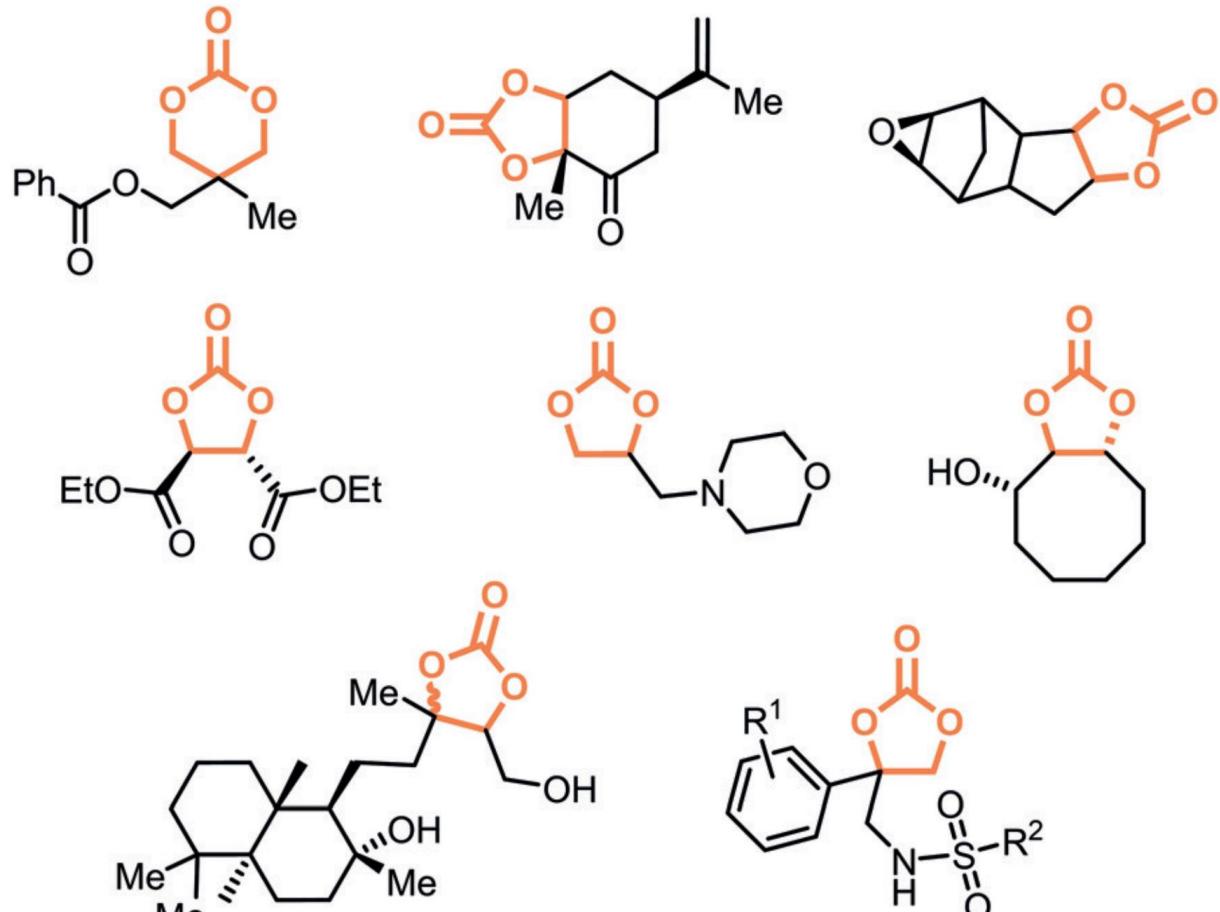
**Hololeucin**



*naturally occurring  
cyclic carbonates*

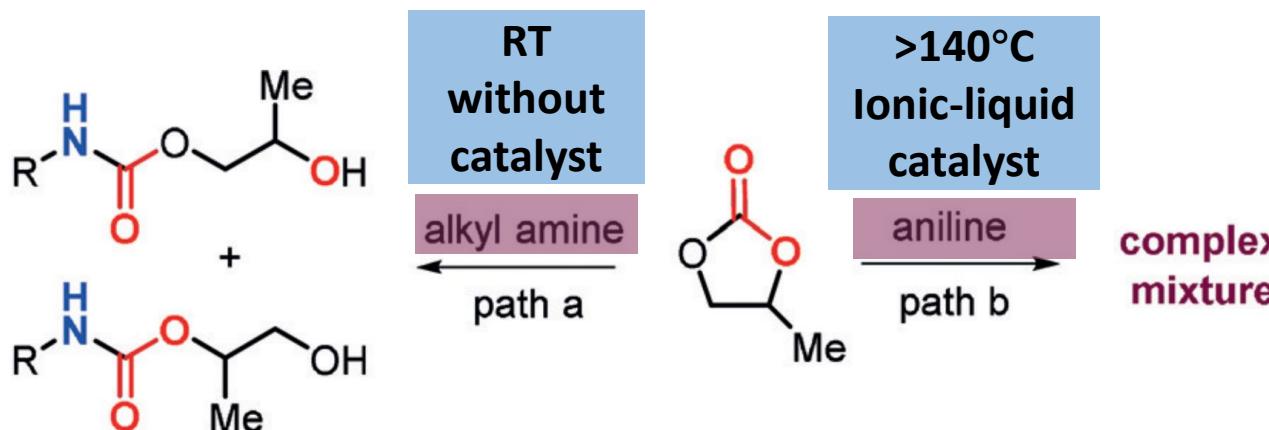


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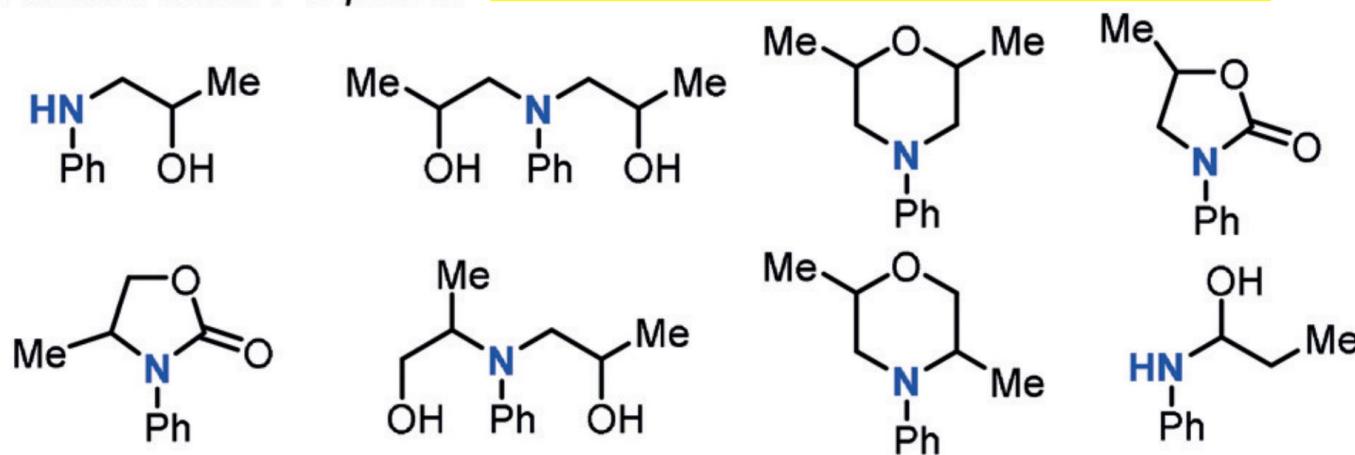


*synthetic cyclic carbonates*

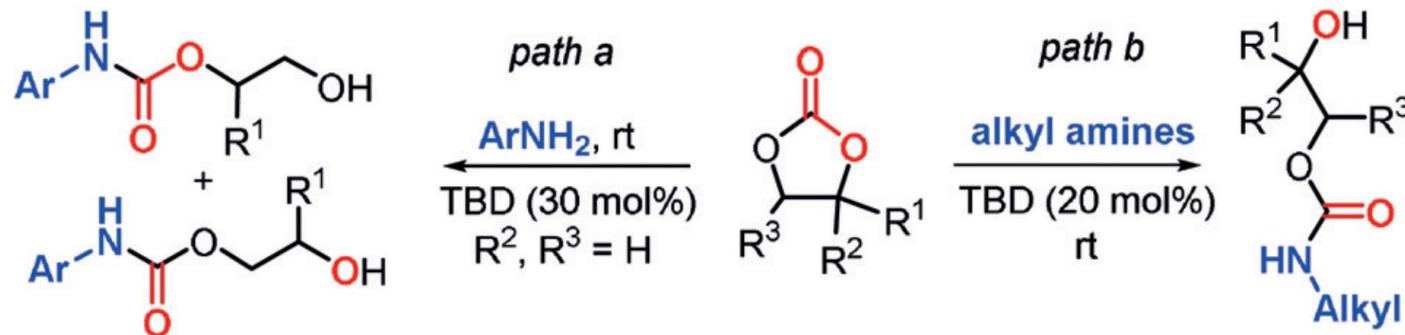
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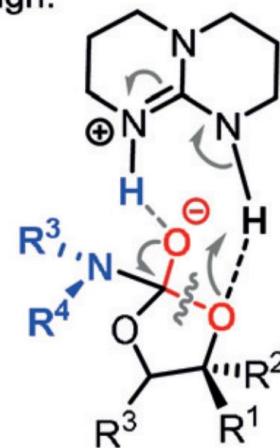
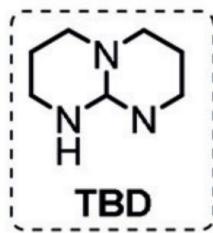
*reaction mixture of path b:* without any linear carbamate product



## 2015, The Kleij group

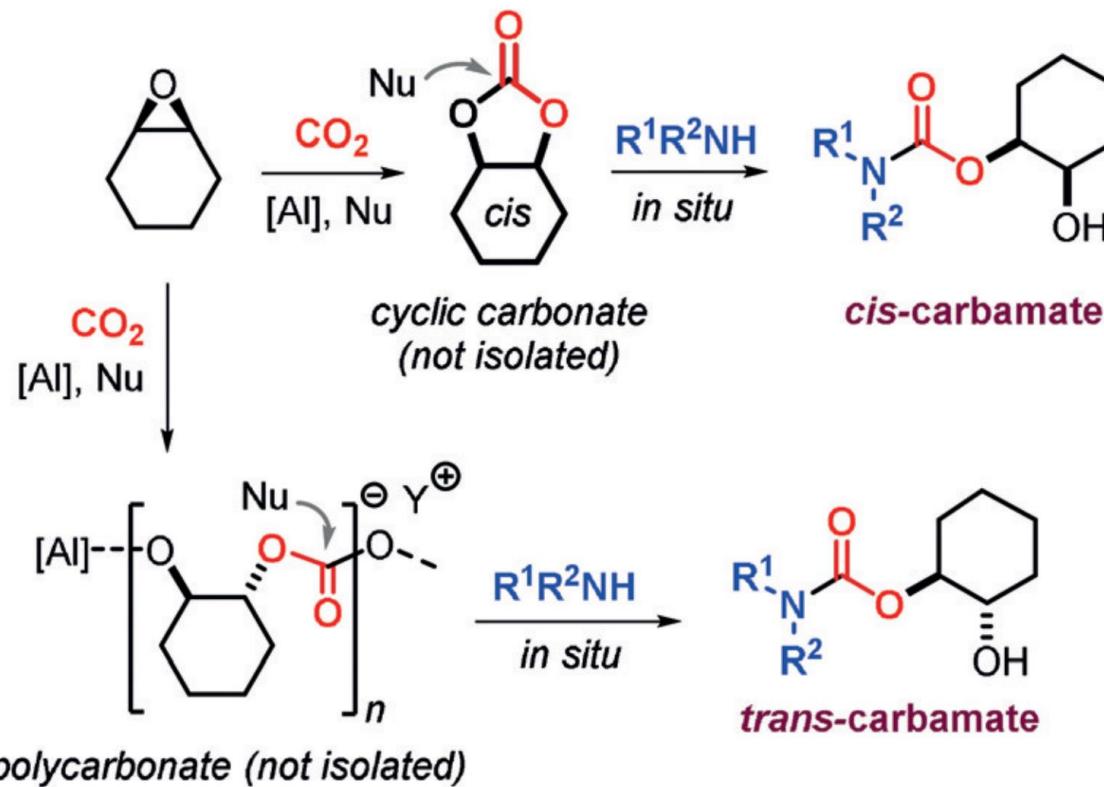
N-aryl-carbamates

Through:



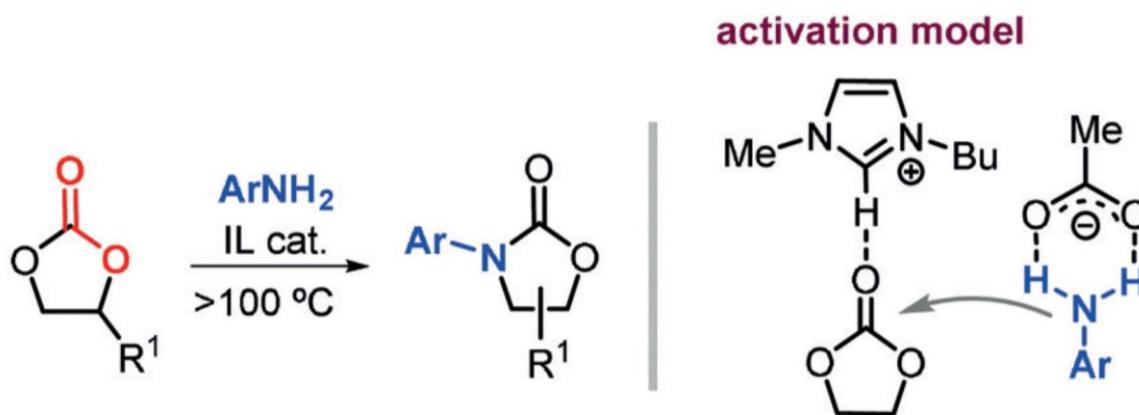
- *TBD-activated cyclic carbonate*
- *proton-relay process*
- *selective C-O bond scission*

2016, Kleij group's work  
in situ prepared cyclic or polycarbonate reagent

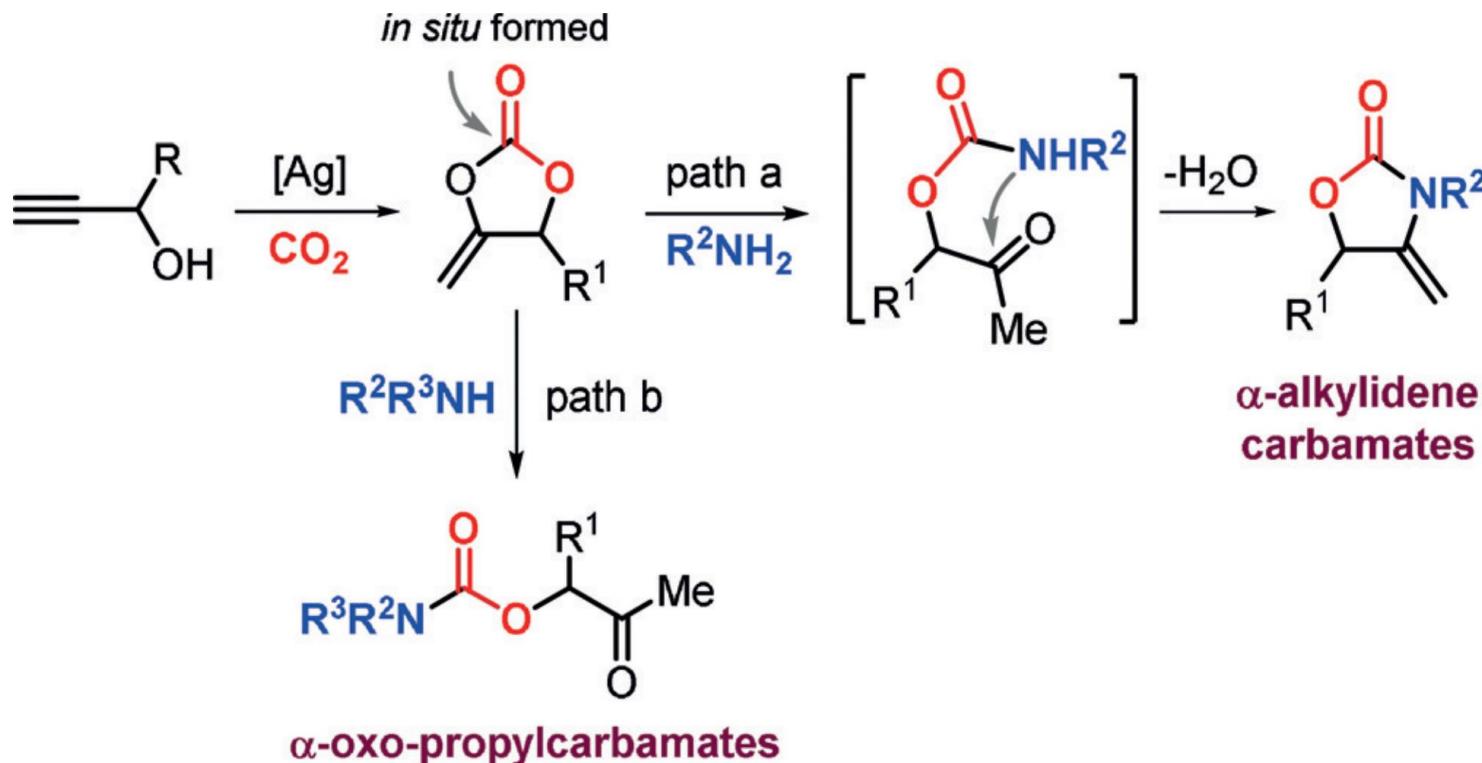


## 2011, Gao group's work

### Acylation of amines with cyclic carbonates



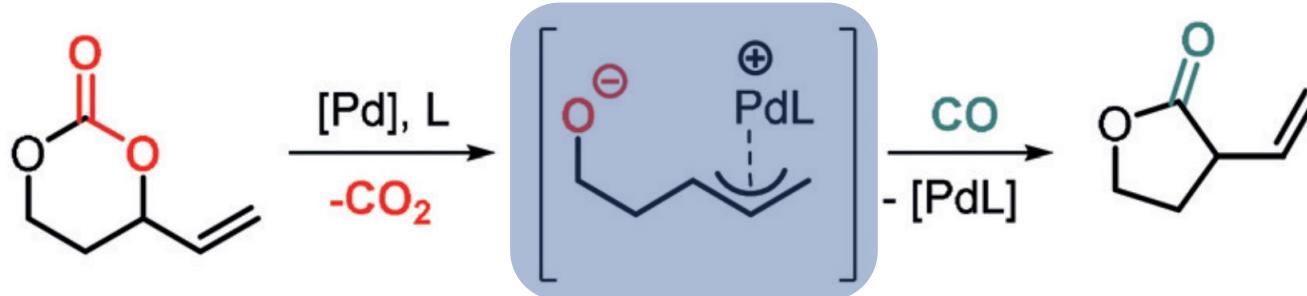
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Yoshida group's work

Pd-catalyzed decarboxylative carbonylation of a VCC

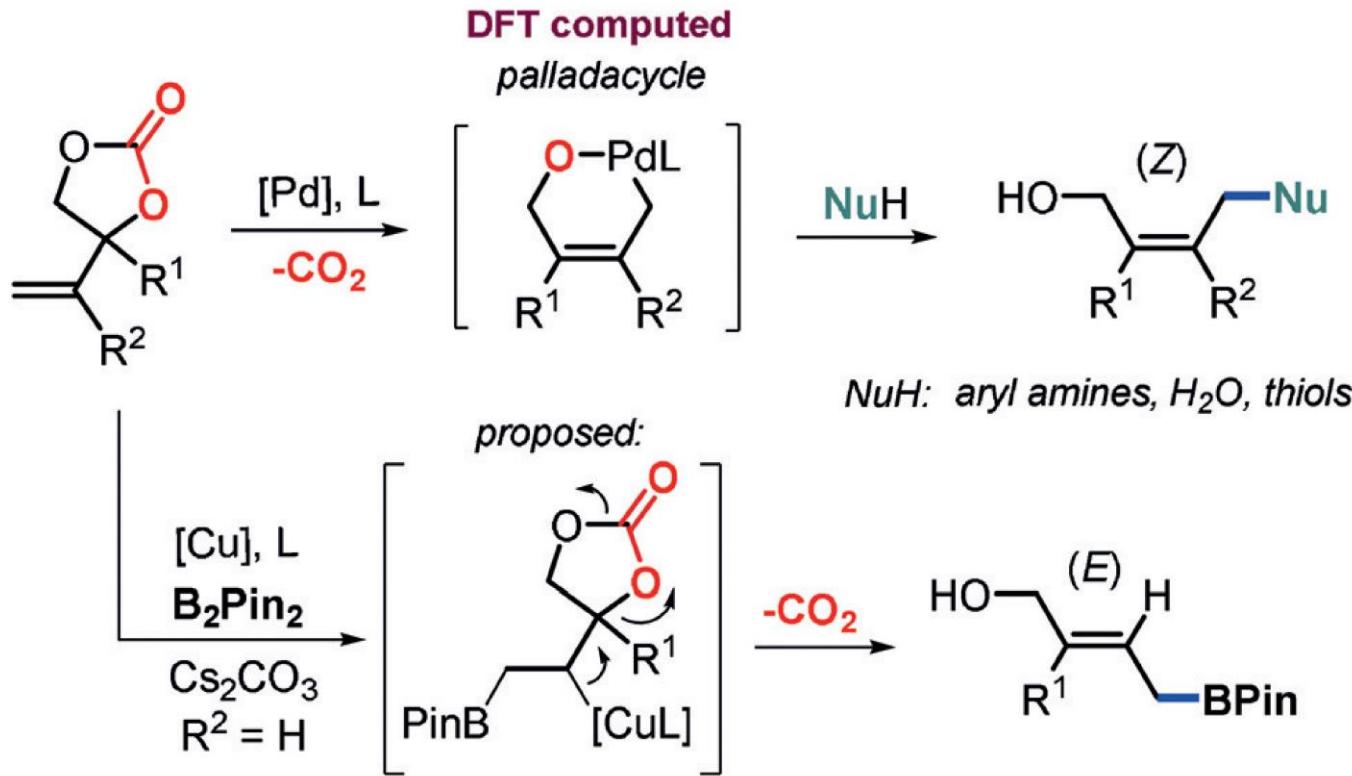


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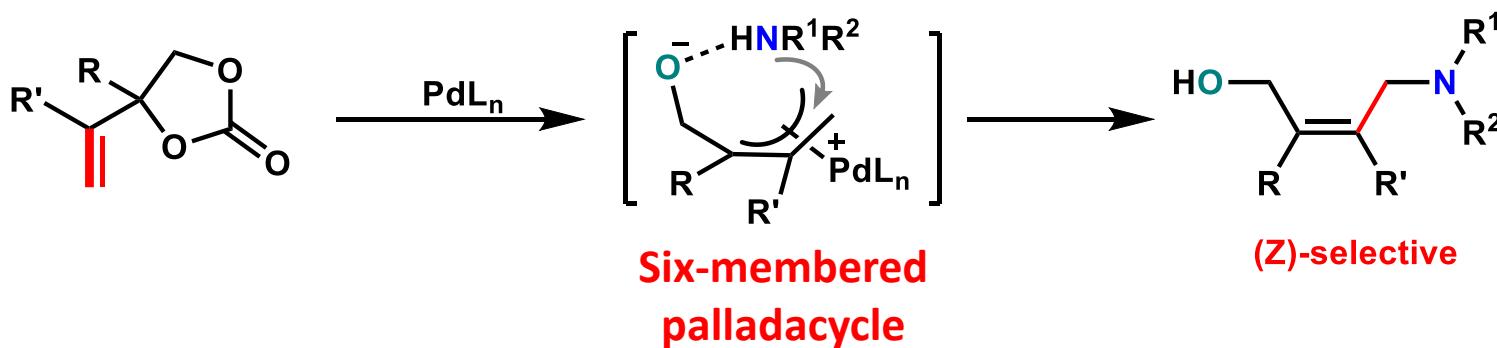
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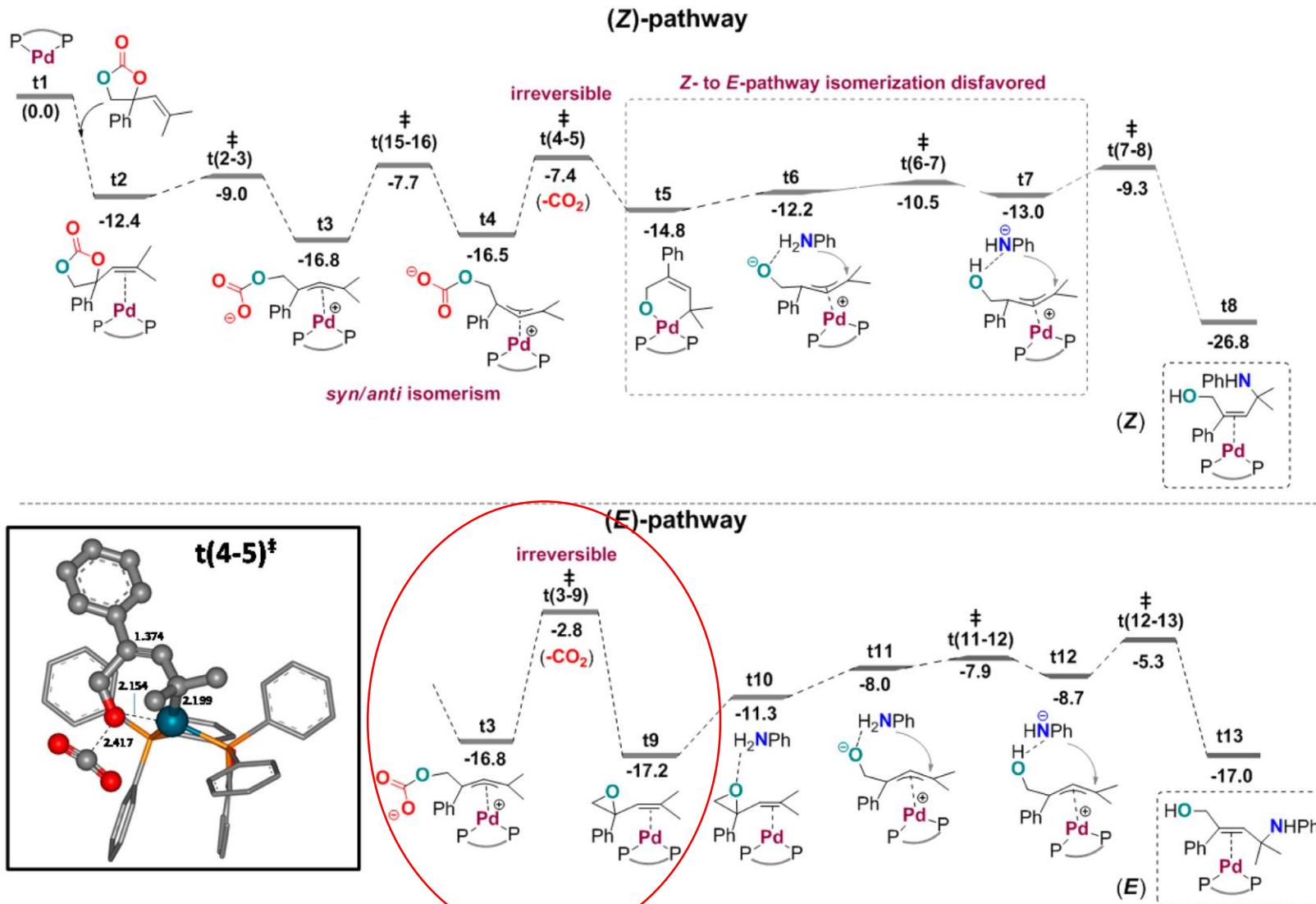
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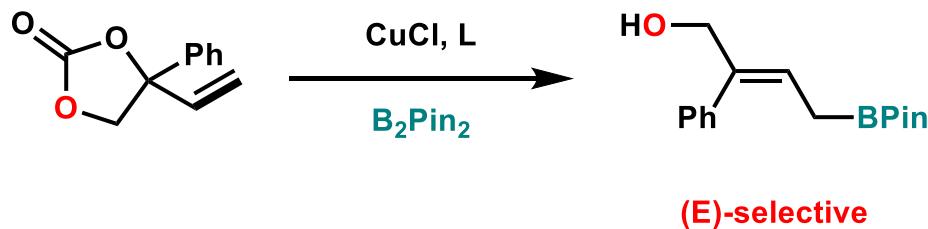
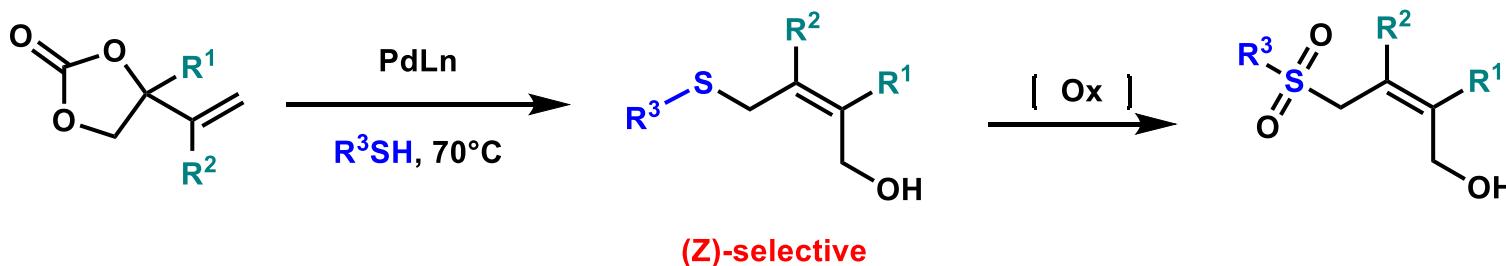
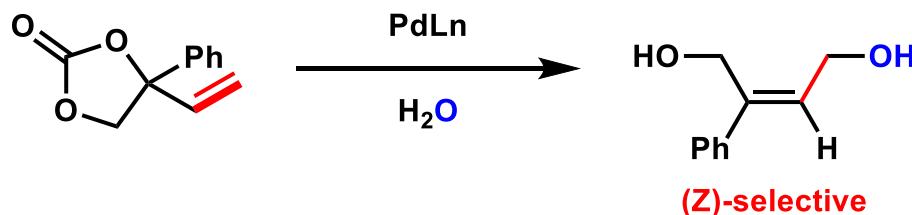
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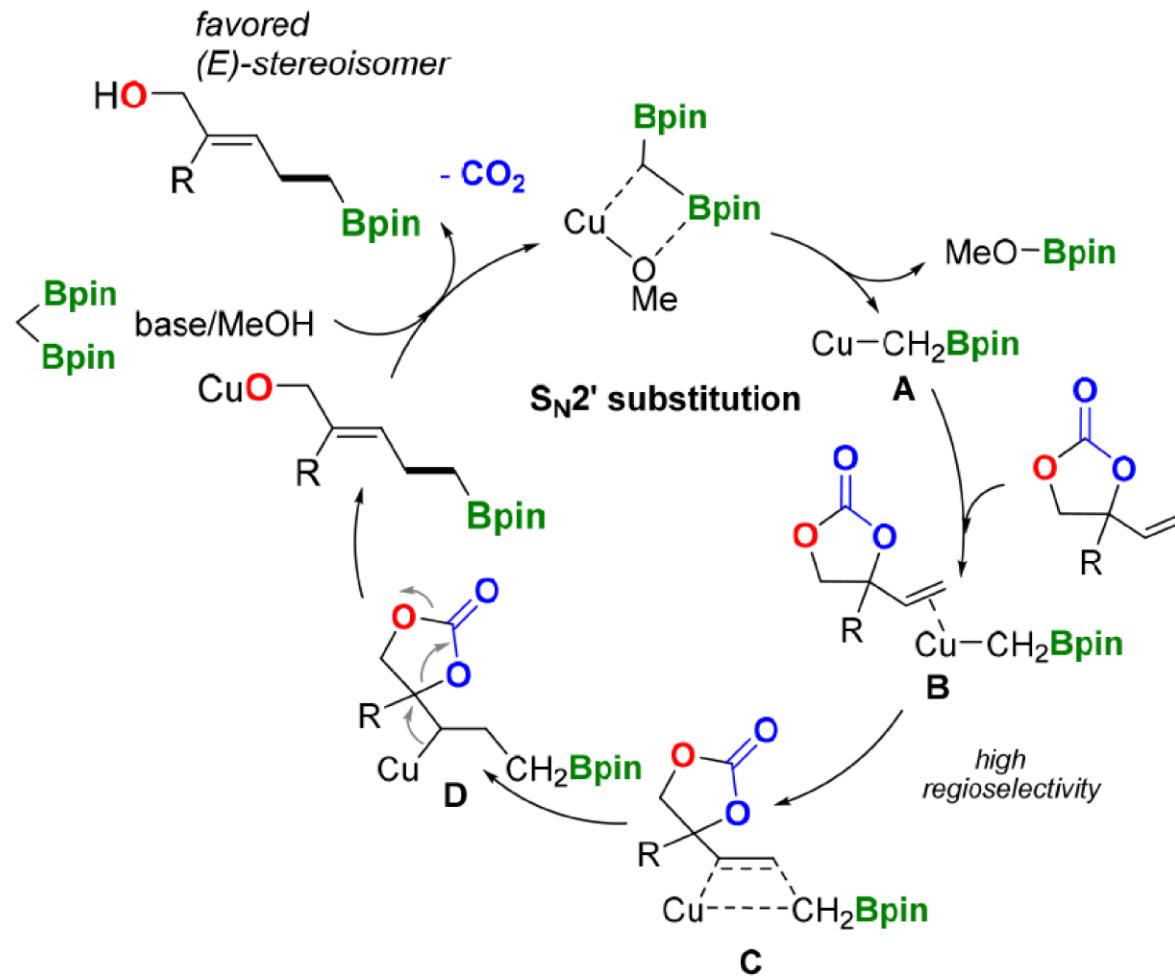
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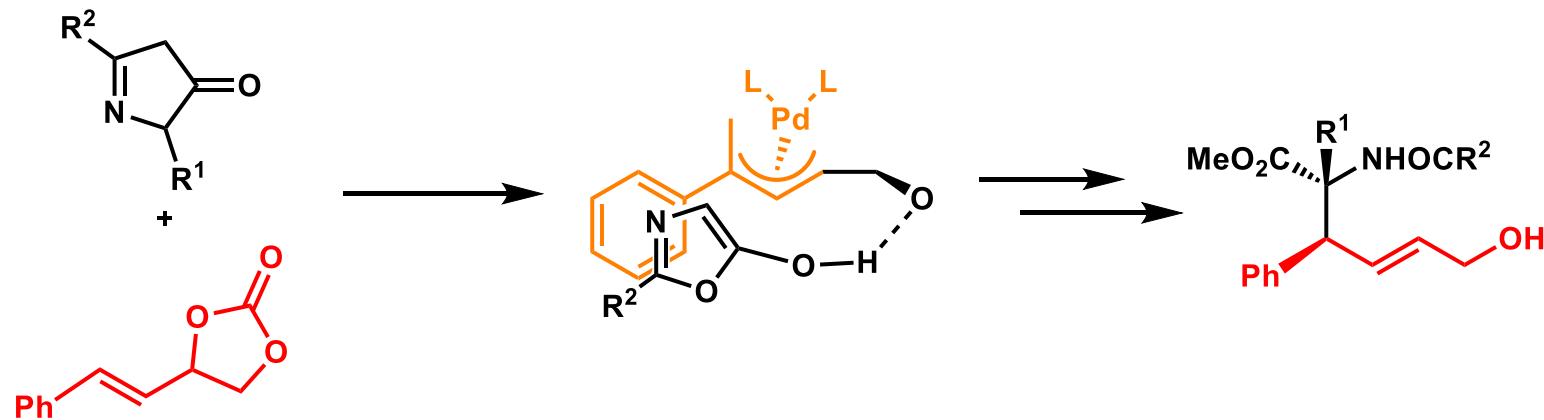
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## Mechanism of Cu-catalyzed decarboxylation to form C-B bond

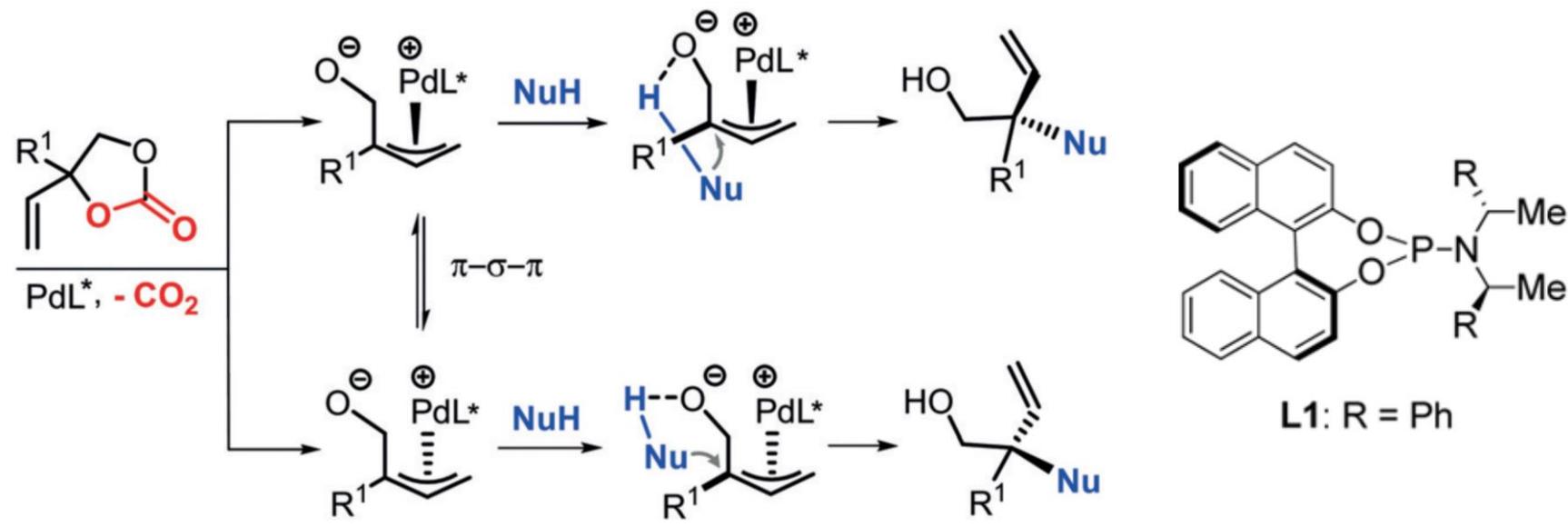


2015, Zhang group's work  
asymmetric decarboxylative alkylation of VCCs with azlactone nucleophiles

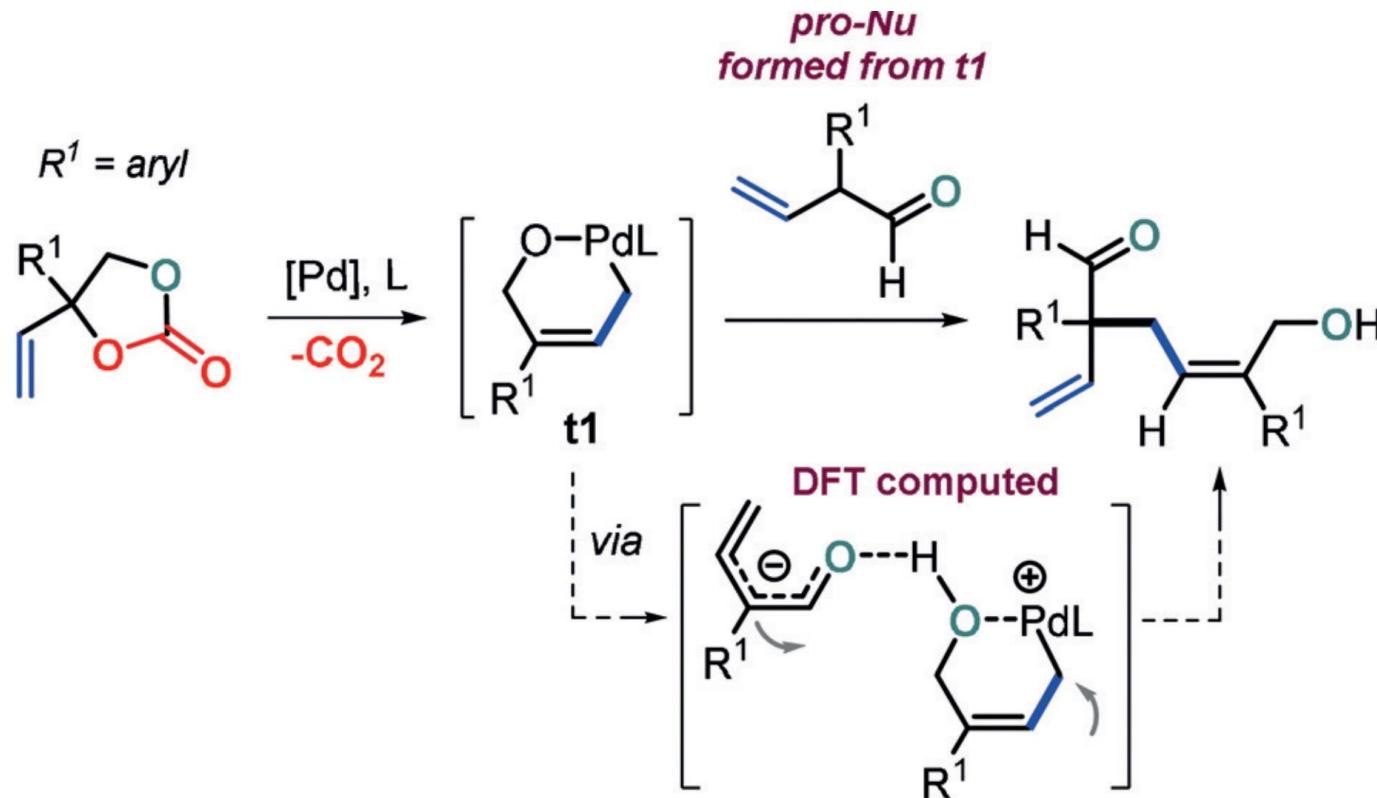


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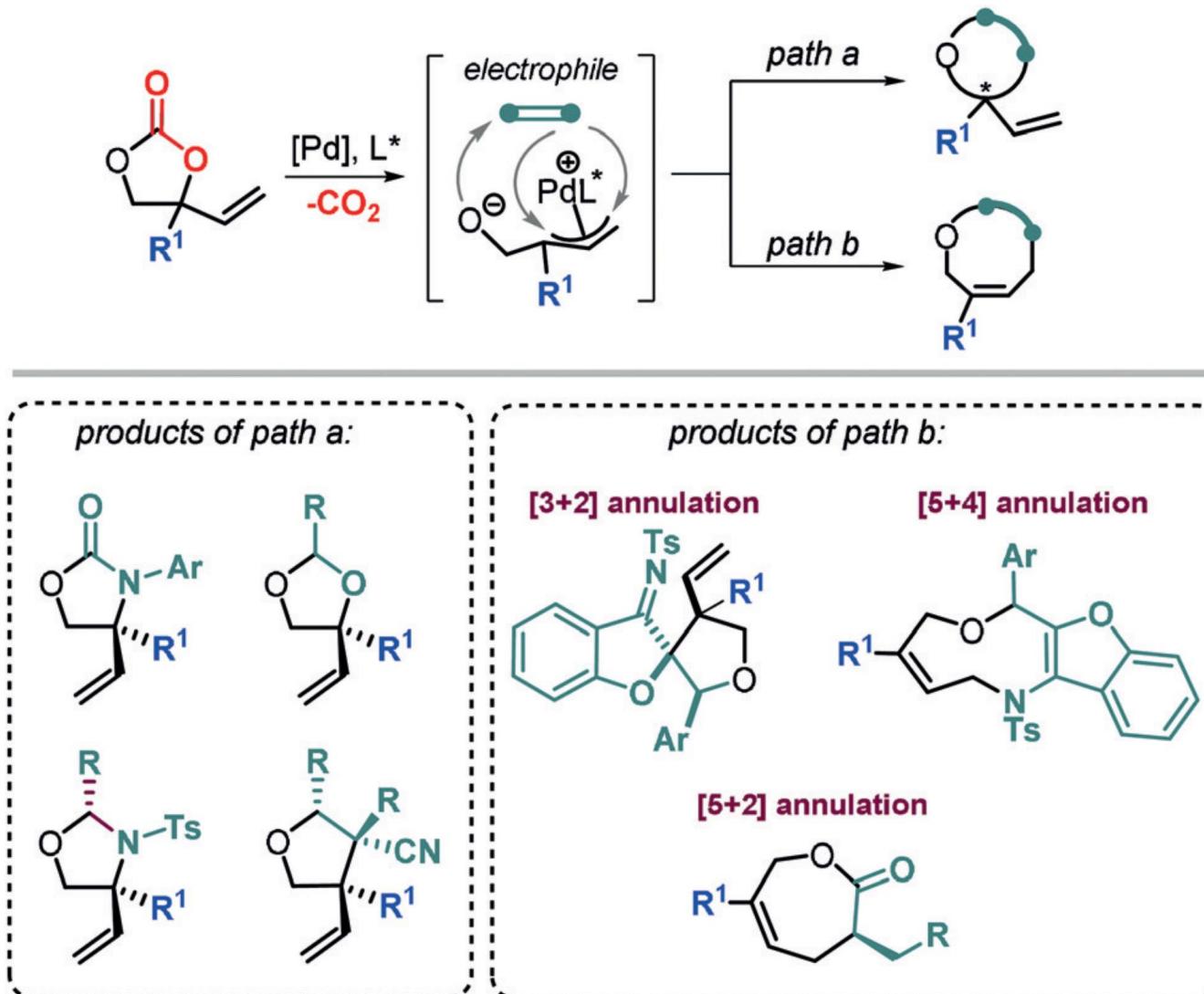
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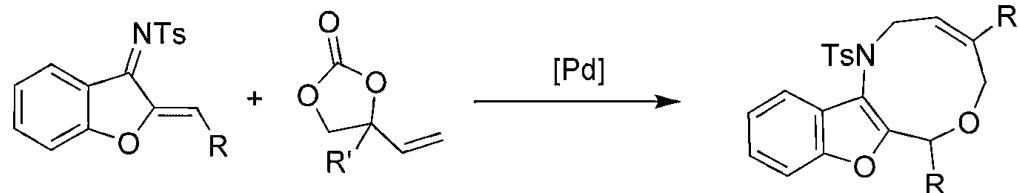
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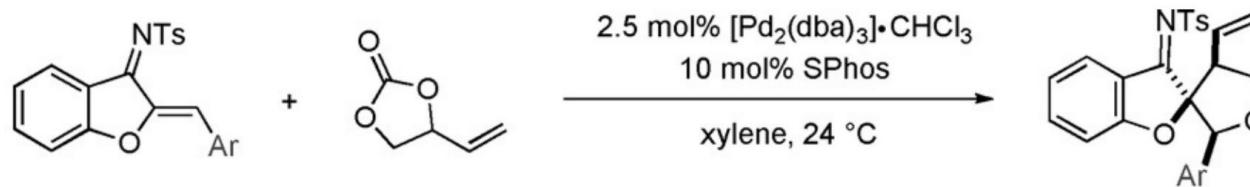
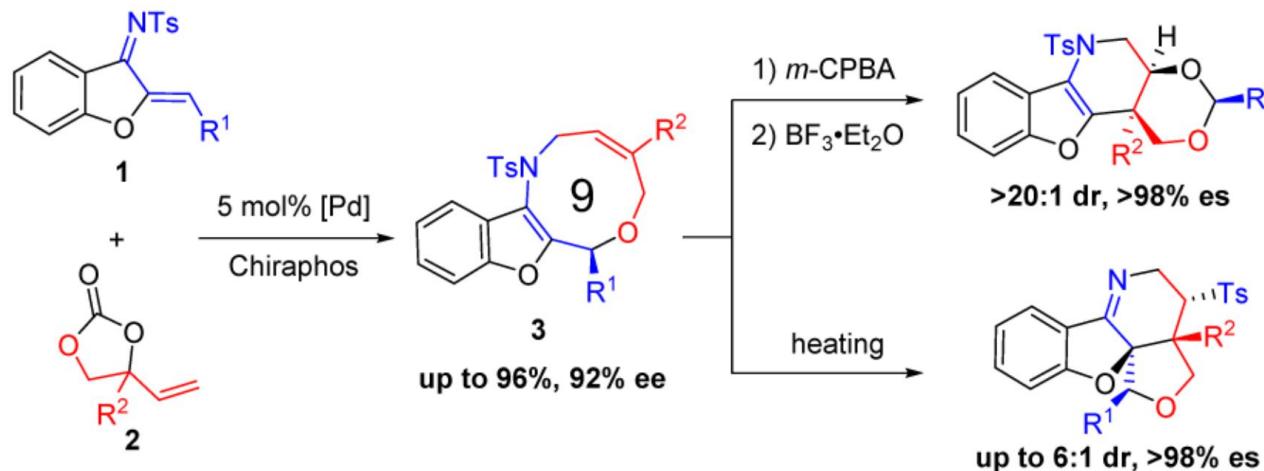
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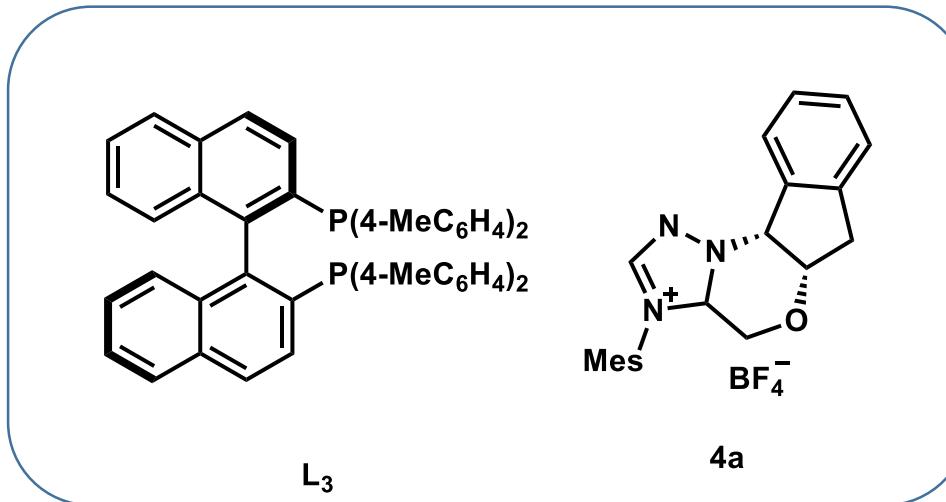
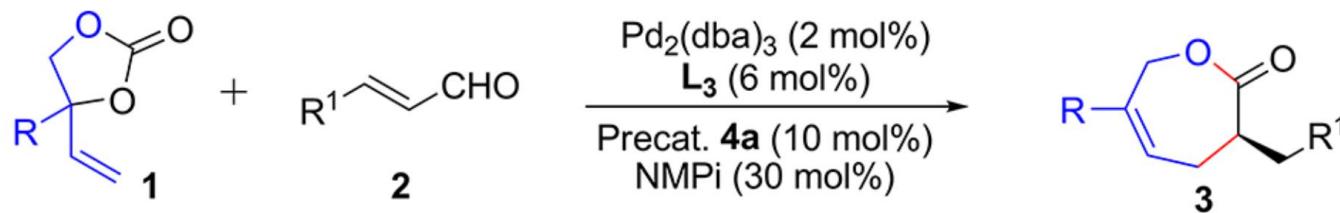


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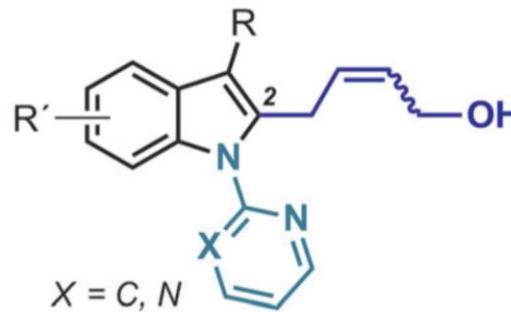
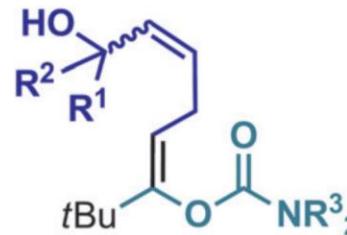
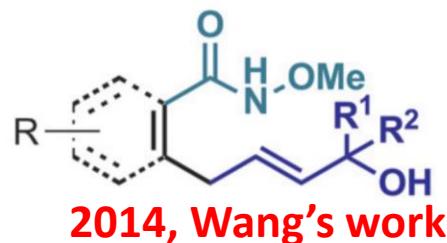


**Non-substituted  
VCCs  
[3+2]**

2018, Glorius group's work  
the first VCC-based enantioselective [5+2] cycloaddition using  
a dual catalyst derived from a chiral NHC and a Pd–allyl species



### 3.3. Allylation through C-H Activation with VCCs



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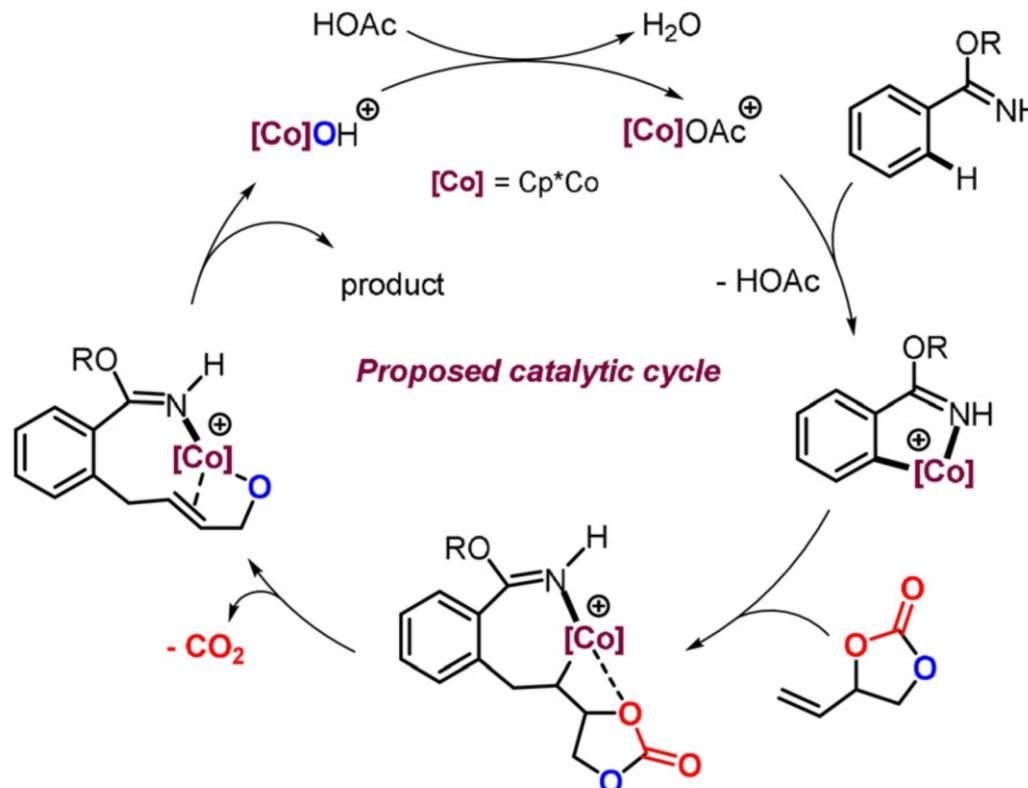
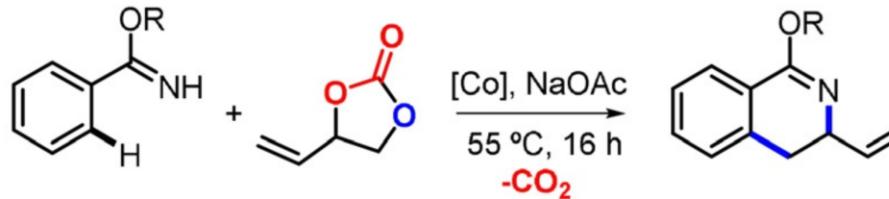
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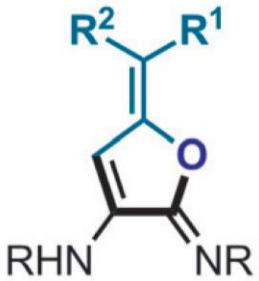
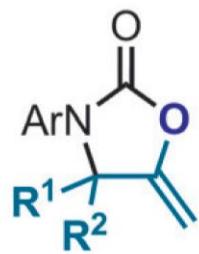
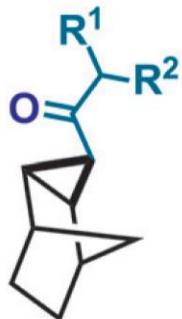
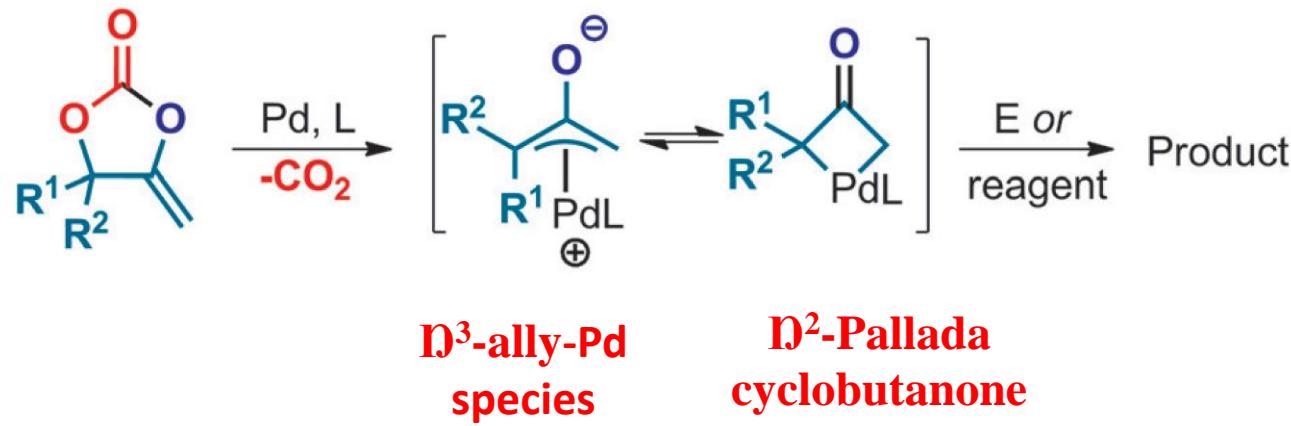
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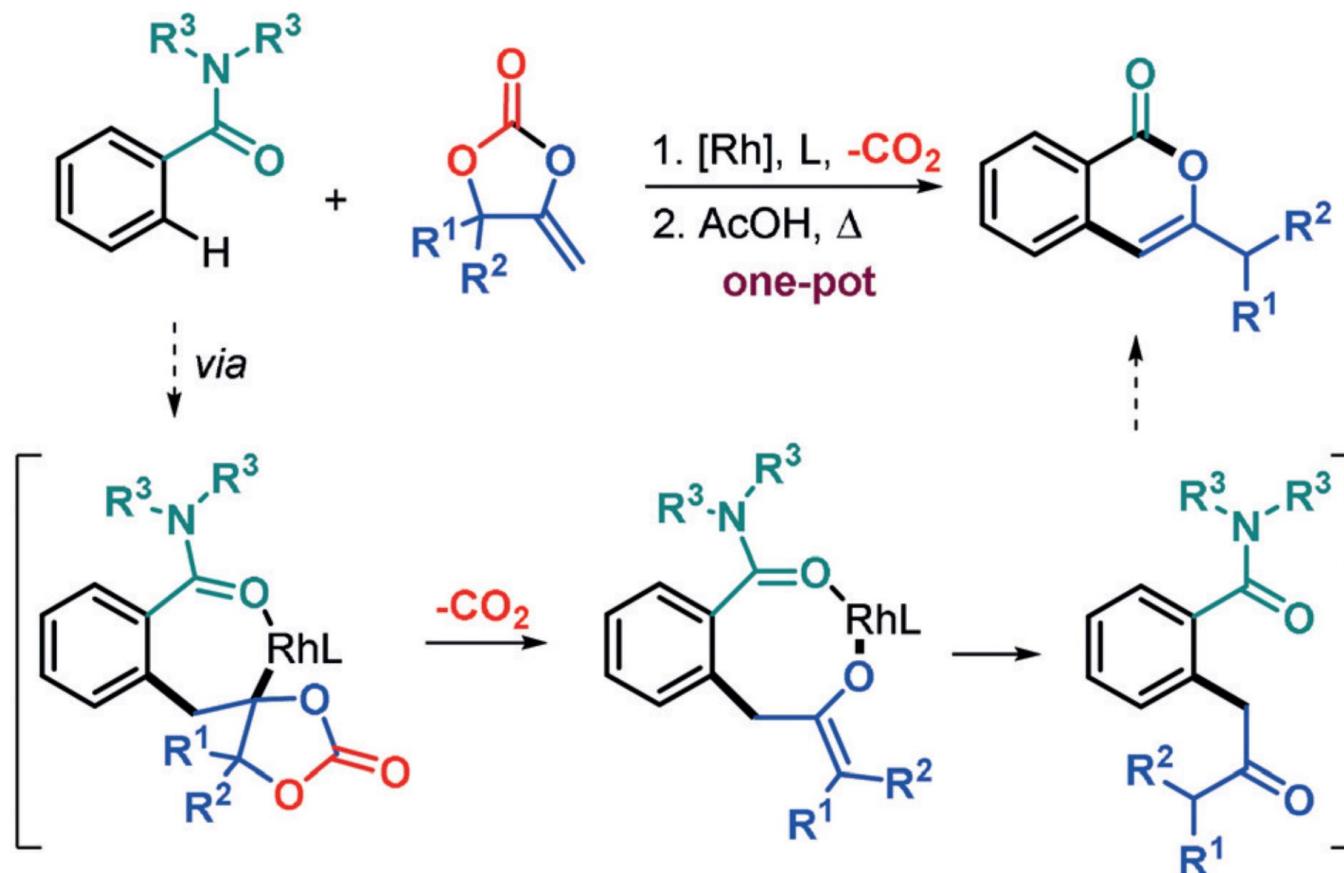
2017, Ackermann group's work  
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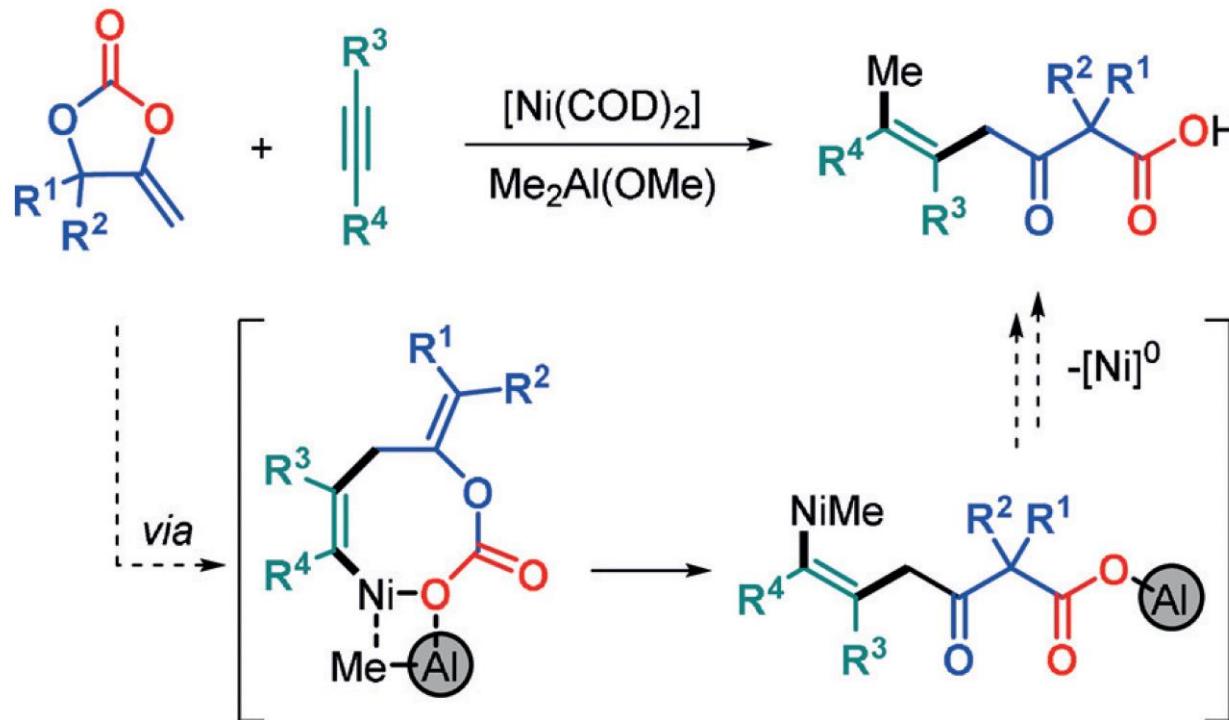
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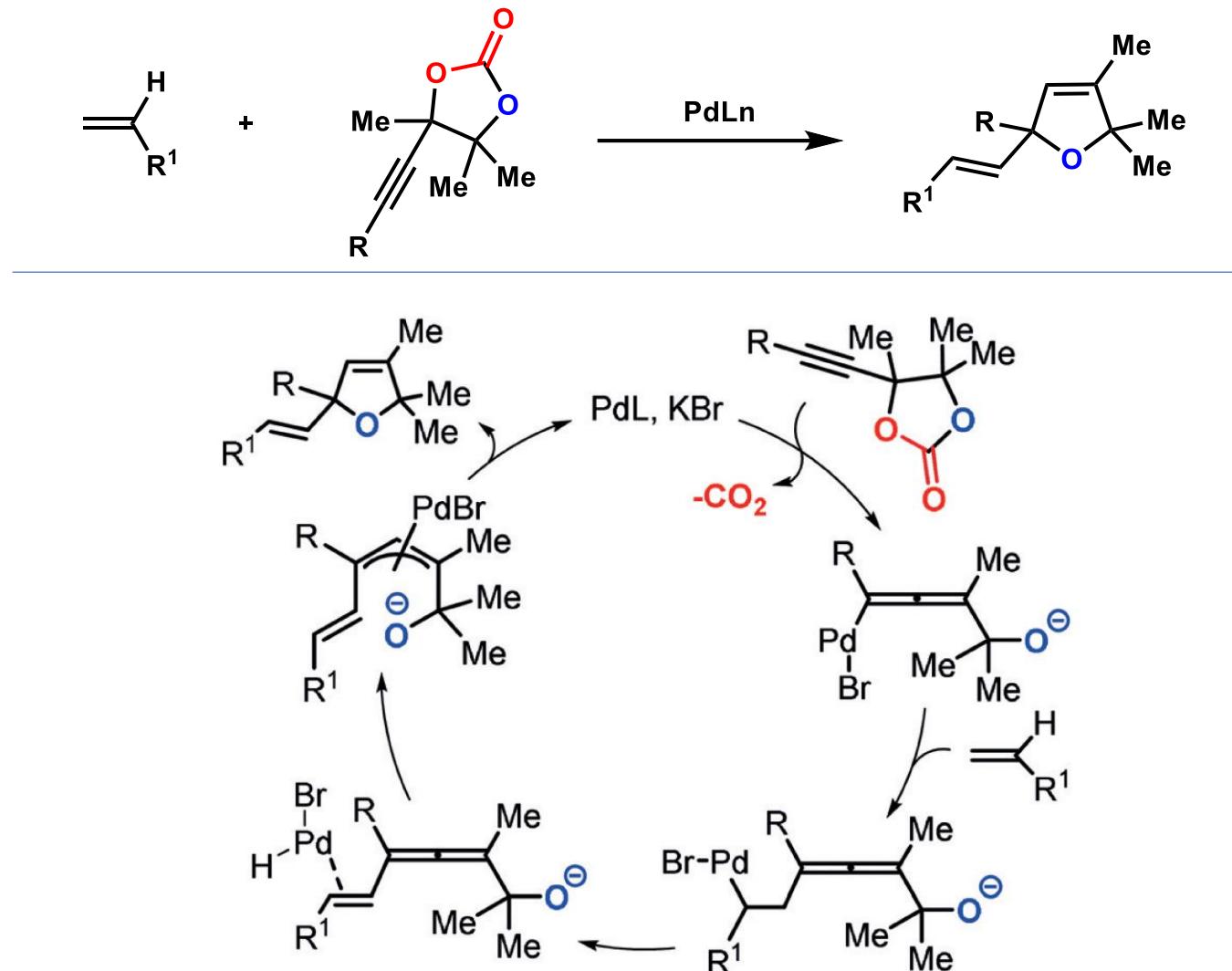


2017, Kimura group's work  
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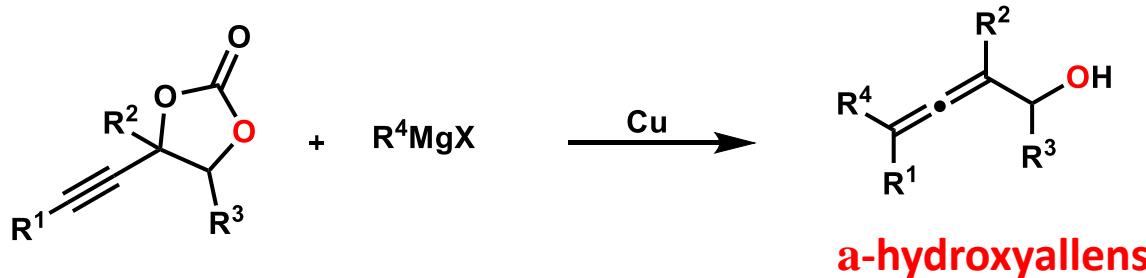


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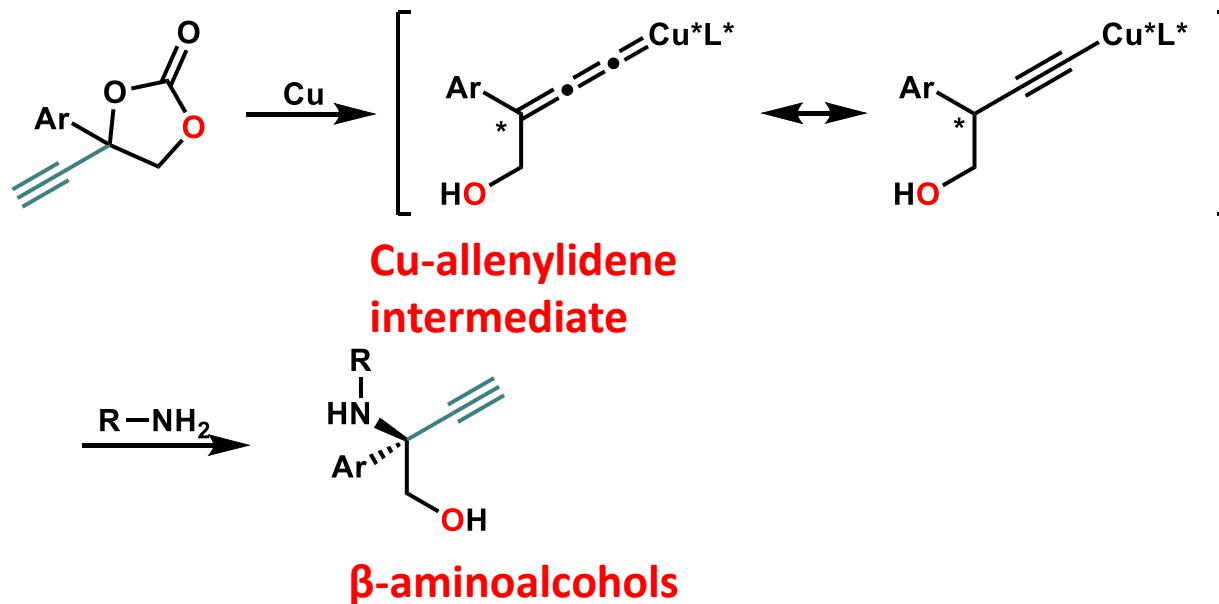
1996, Dixneuf group's work



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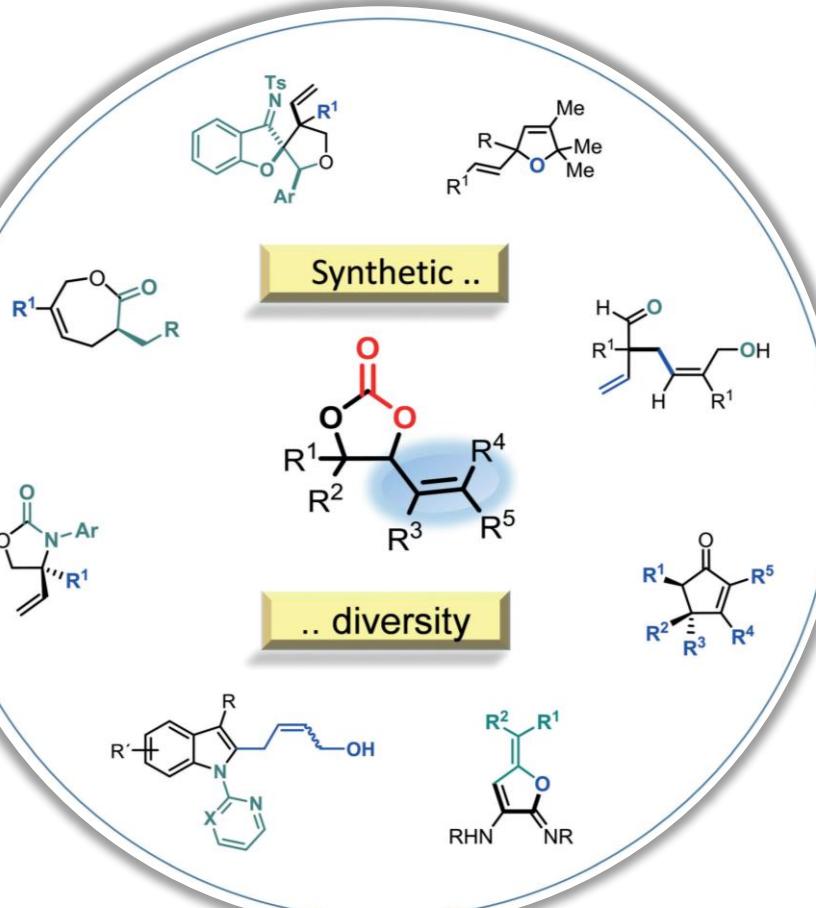


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