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Palladium-Catalyzed Oxidative Carbocyclizations

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Background:

➤ Carbocyclizations

Annulation process

involving carbon-carbon bond formation via carbometalation.

Usually **promoted by transition metals** or their complexes,
not by typical elements.

Cobalt, Iridium, Rhodium, Ruthenium, Osmium, Rhenium, Palladium, Gold, Silver, Copper, Zinc, Cadmium, Tin, Antimony, Tellurium, Indium, Bismuth, Polonium, Astatine, Radon, Xenon, Krypton, Bromine, Selenium, Arsenic, Germanium, Phosphorus, Silicon, Aluminum, Chlorine, Argon, Sulfur, Oxygen, Nitrogen, Carbon, Boron, Helium, Neon, Fluorine, Neon, Helium, Hydrogen, Be, Li, Na, Mg, Ca, Sc, Ti, V, Cr, Mn, Fe, Co, Ni, Cu, Zn, Ga, Ge, As, Se, Br, Kr, Rb, Sr, Y, Zr, Nb, Mo, Tc, Ru, Rh, Pd, Ag, Cd, In, Sn, Sb, Te, I, Xe, Cs, Ba, La, Hf, Ta, W, Re, Os, Ir, Pt, Au, Hg, Tl, Pb, Bi, Po, At, Rn, Fr, Ra, Ac, Rf, Ha, Sg, Bh, Hs, Mt, Ce, Pr, Nd, Pm, Sm, Eu, Gd, Tb, Dy, Ho, Er, Tm, Yb, Lu, Th, Pa, U, Np, Pu, Am, Cm, Bk, Cf, Es, Fm, Md, No, Lr

碱金属		碱土金属		过渡态金属		其他金属		非金属		稀有气体	
H	1.01	Pd	106.40	钯	Palladium	He	4.003	Ne	20.18	He	4.003
Hydrogen	6.94	Be	90.8			Helium		Oxygen	16.999	Neon	
Li	6.94	Beryllium				Lithium		Fluorine	18.998	Neon	
Na	22.99	Magnesium				Sodium		Neon	30.18	Neon	
Mg	24.31					Magnesium		Chlorine	35.45	Argon	
K	39.10	Calcium				Potassium		Sulfur	32.06	Chlorine	
Ca	40.08	Scandium				Calcium		Phosphorus	30.97	Chlorine	
Sc		Titanium				Scandium		Silicon	28.09	Chlorine	
Ti		Vanadium				Titanium		Aluminum	26.98	Chlorine	
V		Chromium				Vanadium		Phosphorus	31.01	Chlorine	
Cr		Manganese				Chromium		Sulfur	32.09	Chlorine	
Mn		Iron				Manganese		Germanium	69.72	Chlorine	
Fe		Cobalt				Iron		Arsenic	74.92	Chlorine	
Co		Nickel				Cobalt		Selenium	78.96	Chlorine	
Ni		Copper				Nickel		Bromine	35.45	Chlorine	
Cu		Zinc				Copper		Xenon	79.90	Chlorine	
Zn		Ruthenium				Zinc		Krypton	81.80	Chlorine	
Ga		Rhodium				Ruthenium					
Ge		Palladium				Rhodium					
As		Silver				Palladium					
Se		Cadmium				Silver					
Br		In				Cadmium					
Kr		Tin				In					
		Antimony				Tin					
		Tellurium				Antimony					
		Indium				Tellurium					
		Bismuth				Indium					
		Polonium				Bismuth					
		Astatine				Polonium					
		Radon				Astatine					
		Xenon				Radon					

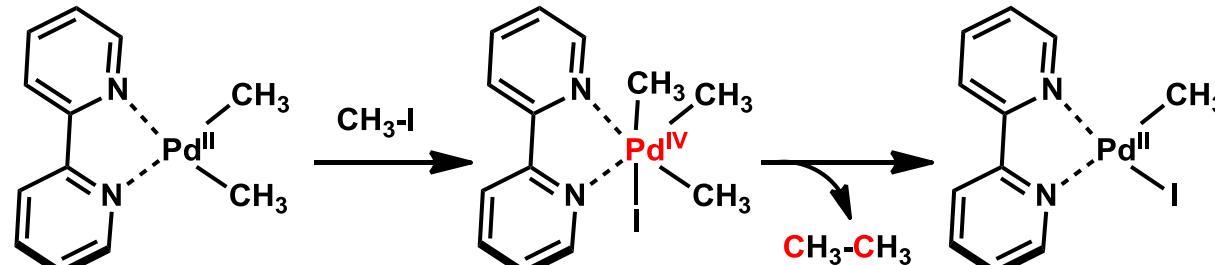
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Ce	Cerium	Pr	Procydrium	Nd	Neodymium	Pm	Protactinium	Sm	Samarium	Eu	Europium	Gd	Gadolinium	Tb	Terbium	Dy	Dysprosium	Ho	Holmium	Er	Erbium	Tm	Thulium	Yb	Ytterbium	Lu	Lutetium
90	232.04	91	231.04	92	238.03	93	237.08	94	246	95	243	96	247	97	247	98	253	99	252	100	257	101	260	102	260	103	262
Th	Thorium	Pa	Protactinium	U	Uranium	Np	Neptunium	Pu	Plutonium	Am	Americium	Cm	Curium	Bk	Berkelium	Cf	Californium	Es	Einsteinium	Fm	Fermium	Md	Mendelevium	No	Nobelium	Lr	Lawrencium

Pd⁰, Pd^{II}, and Pd^{IV}

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D. C. Powers, T. Ritter, *Acc. Chem. Res.* 2012, 45, 840.

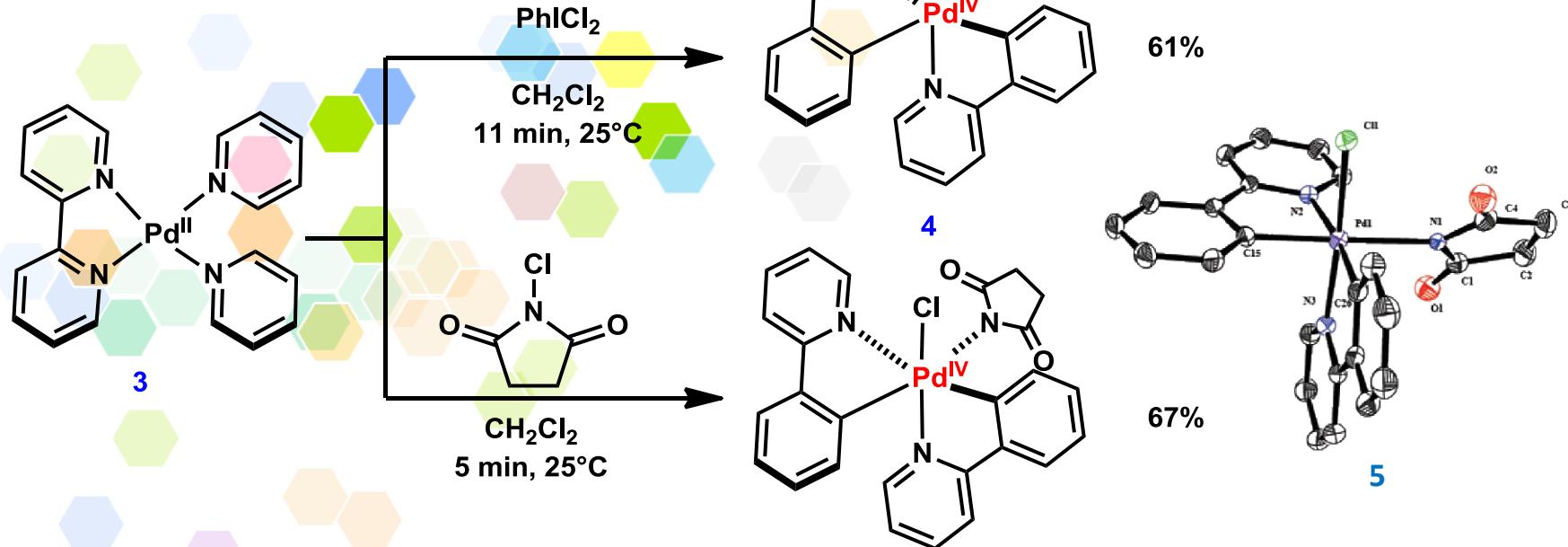
Background:

➤ Pd^{II}/Pd^{IV}Catalytic Cycle



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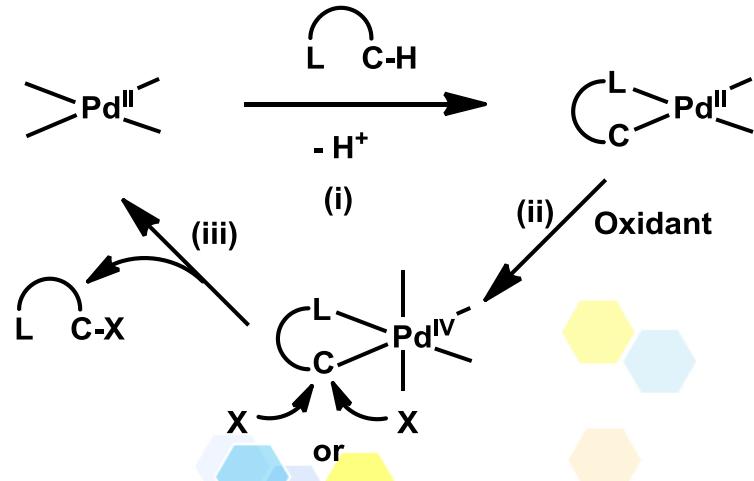
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Background:

➤ Pd^{II}/Pd^{IV}Catalytic Cycle



Allison R. Dick, Kami L. Hull, Melanie S. Sanford, *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **2004**, 126, 2300.

➤ Oxidants for a Pd^{II}/Pd⁰ Catalytic Cycle

Ag^I, Cu^{II}, TBHP, BQ, O₂

➤ Oxidants for a Pd^{II}/Pd^{IV} Catalytic Cycle

PhI(OAc)₂, PhI(O₂CCF₃)₂, PhI(O₂CtBu)₂, H₂O₂

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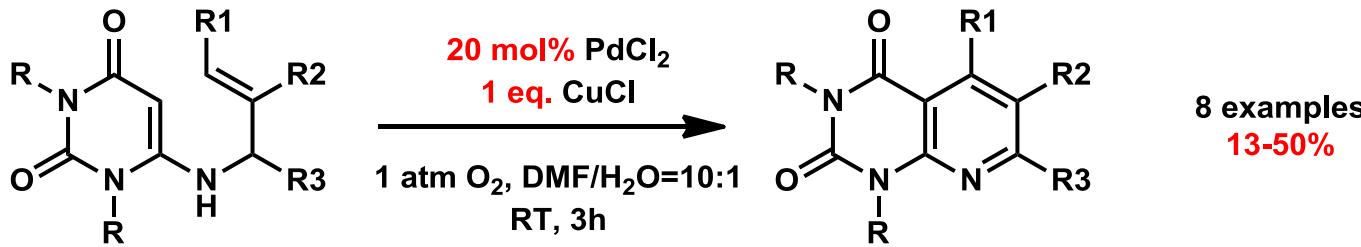


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 - alkenes involving β -H elimination
 - arene–alkenes
 - allenynes
 - enynes
 - others

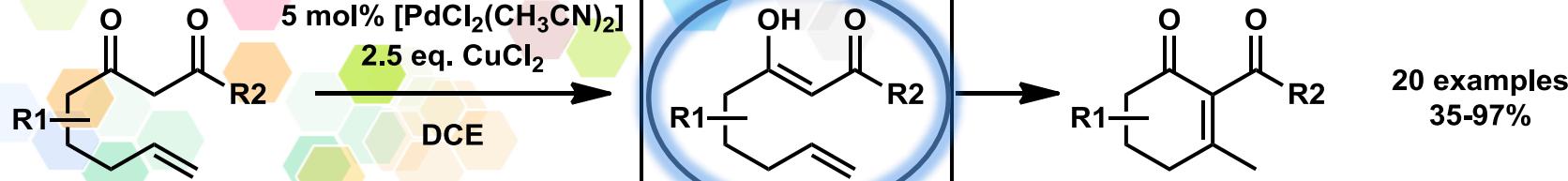
Carbocyclization via a Pd^{II}/Pd⁰ Catalytic Cycle (1)

➤ diones



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➤ unactivated olefins

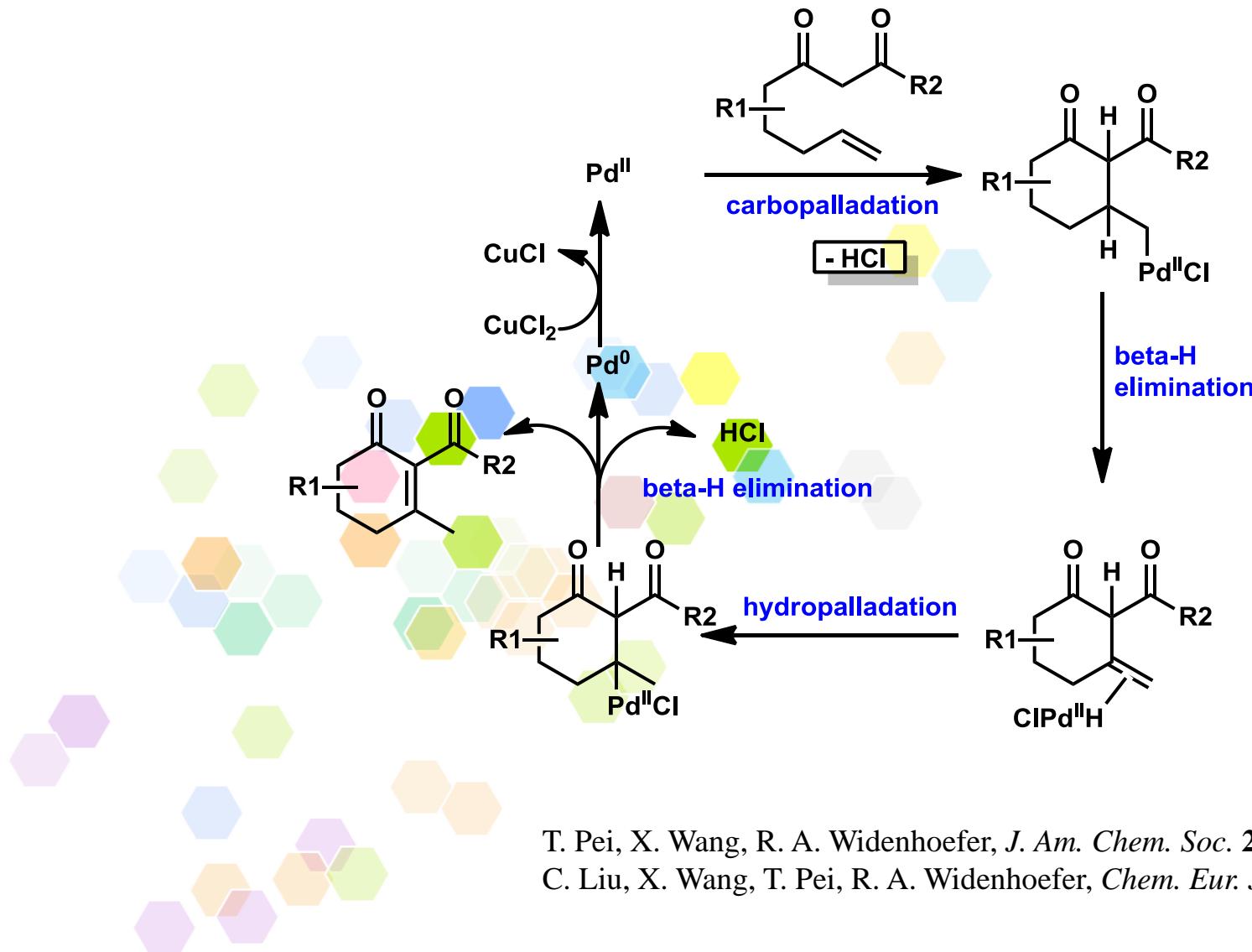


stabilized carbon nucleophiles

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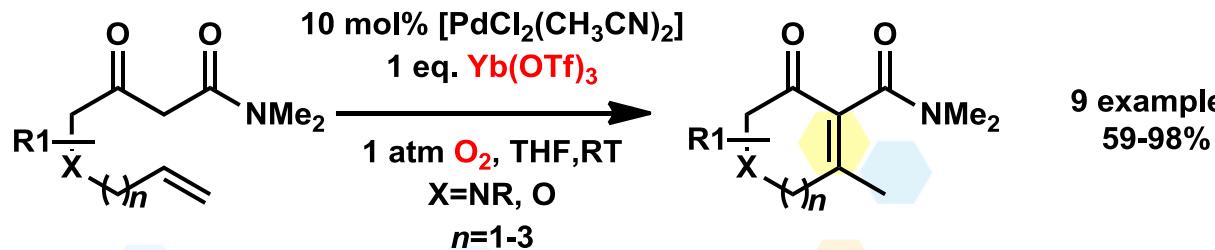
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Carbocyclization via a Pd^{II}/Pd⁰ Catalytic Cycle (1)

➤ γ -heteroalkenyl β -ketoamides



No copper-based oxidants

98%

91%

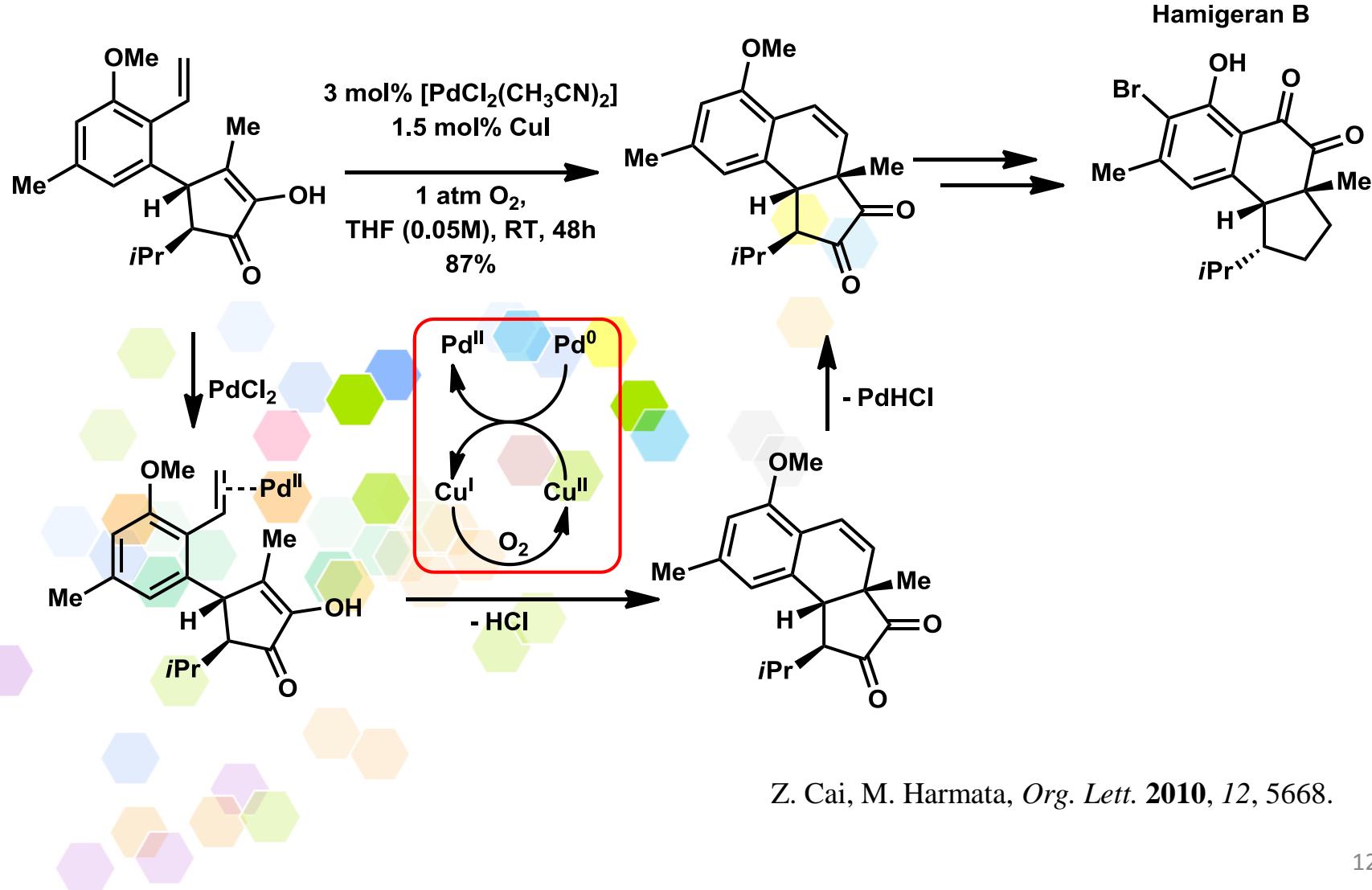
62%

98%

K.-T. Yip, J.-H. Li, O.-Y. Lee, D. Yang, *Org. Lett.* **2005**, 7, 5717.

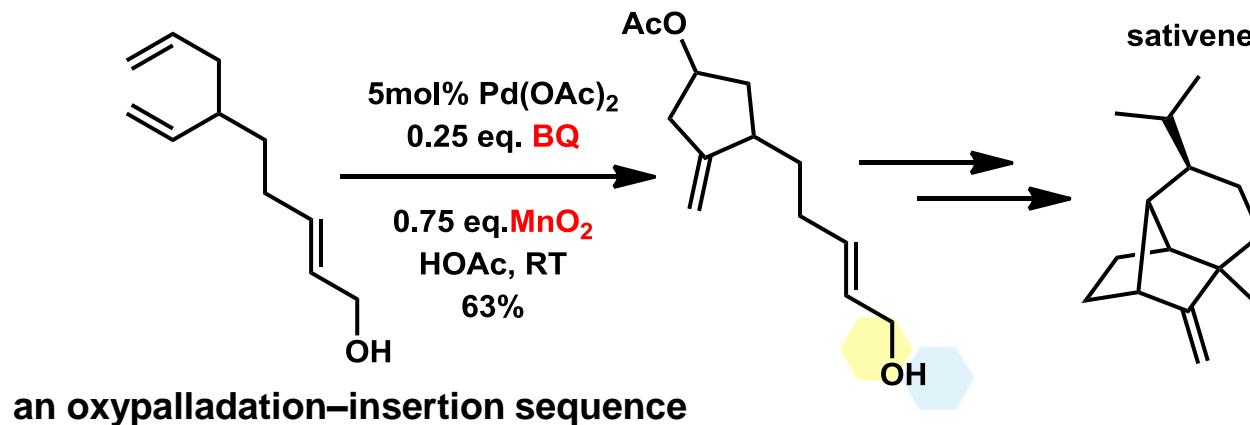
Carbocyclization via a Pd^{II}/Pd⁰ Catalytic Cycle (1)

➤ α -hydroxyenone



Carbocyclization via a Pd^{II}/Pd⁰ Catalytic Cycle (1)

➤ dienes

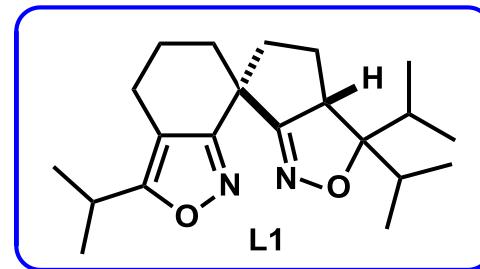
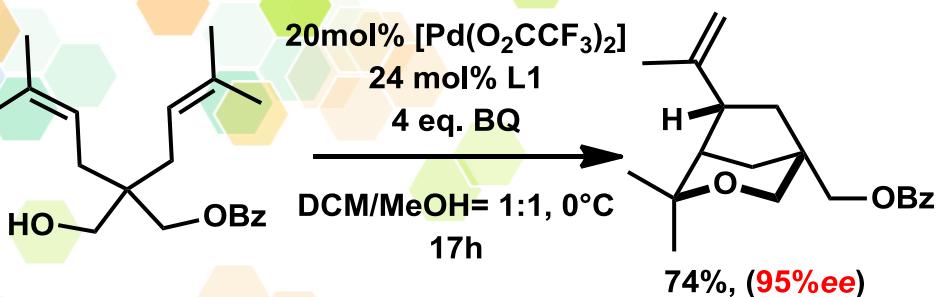


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C. Moberg, K. Nordström, P. Helquist, *Synthesis* **1992**, 685.

➤ dienes in an enantioselective manner

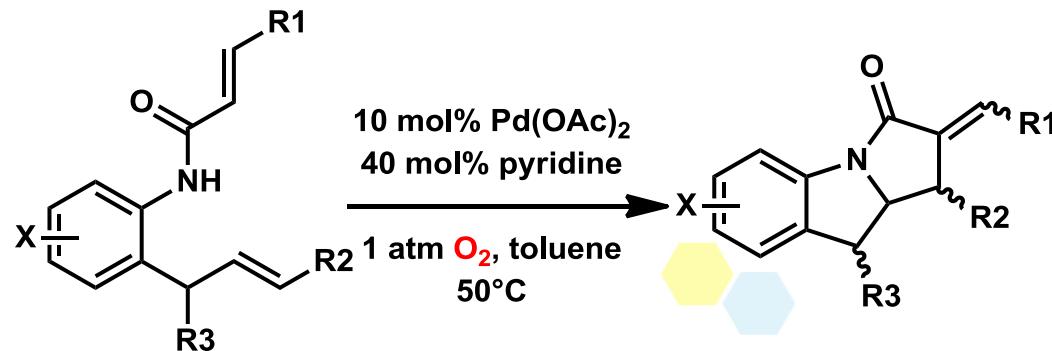


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Carbocyclization via a Pd^{II}/Pd⁰ Catalytic Cycle (1)

➤olefin-substituted anilides



initiated through amidopalladation

an enantioselective version with a chiral counterpart

an environmentally benign terminal oxidant

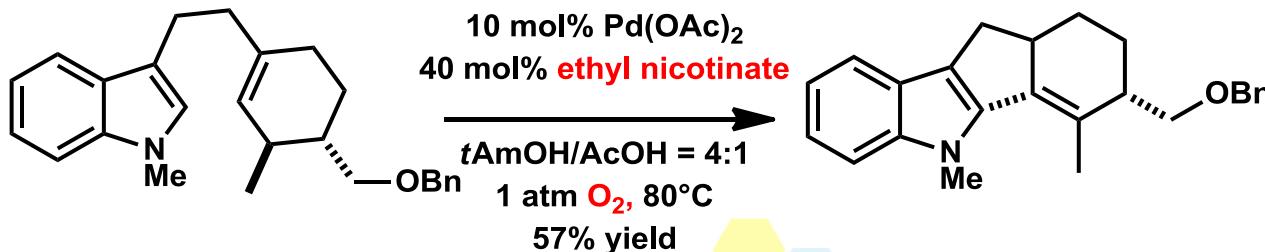
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Carbocyclization via a Pd^{II}/Pd⁰ Catalytic Cycle (2)

➤ Carbocyclization of arene–alkenes



cis Palladation

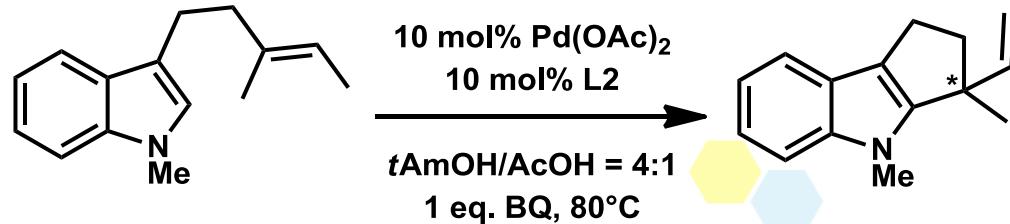


initiated by C-H activation of indole

- E. M. Ferreira, B. M. Stoltz, *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **2003**, *125*, 9578.
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P. A. Donets, E. V. Van der Eycken, *Synthesis* **2011**, 2147.

Carbocyclization via a Pd^{II}/Pd⁰ Catalytic Cycle (2)

► an enantioselective oxidative carbocyclization of indoles



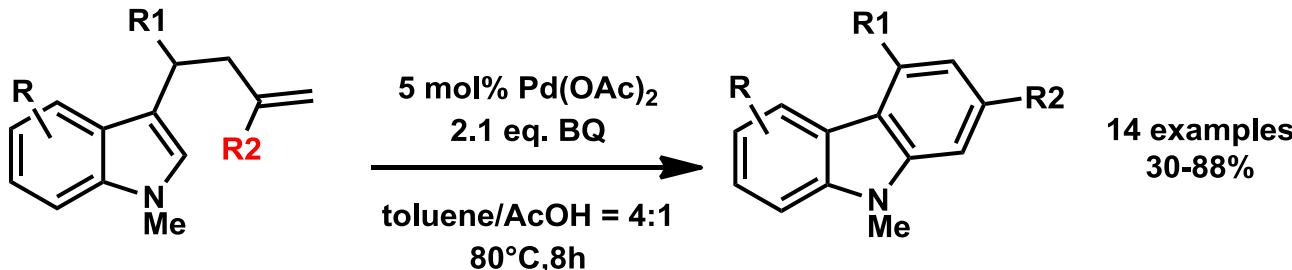
R	Yield(%)	ee(%)
H	39	43
CO_2Et	59	32

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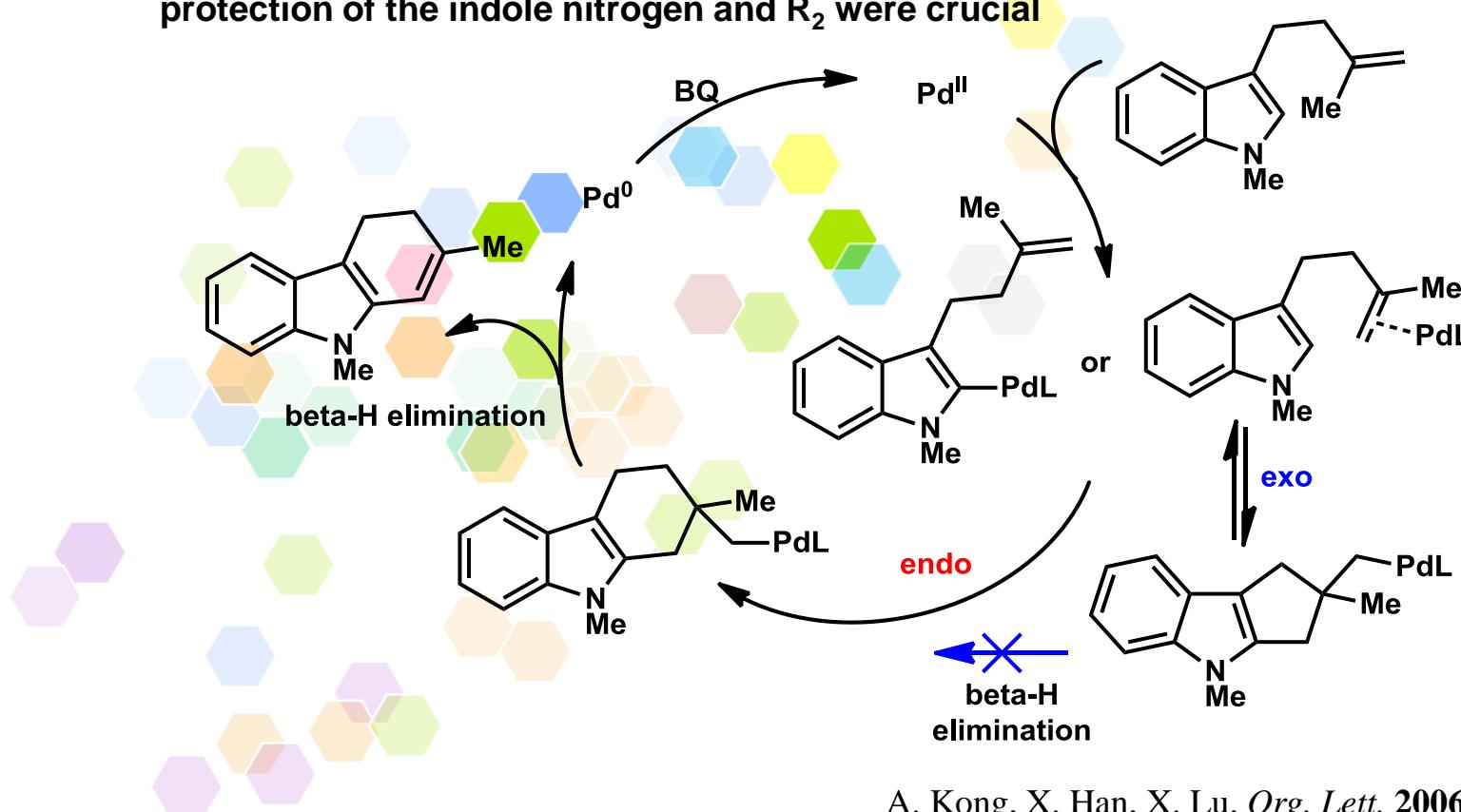
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Carbocyclization via a Pd^{II}/Pd⁰ Catalytic Cycle (2)

► indoles

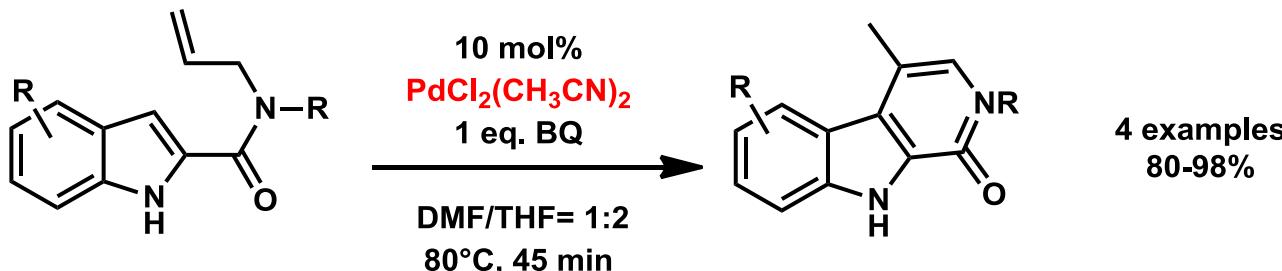


protection of the indole nitrogen and R₂ were crucial



Carbocyclization via a Pd^{II}/Pd⁰ Catalytic Cycle (2)

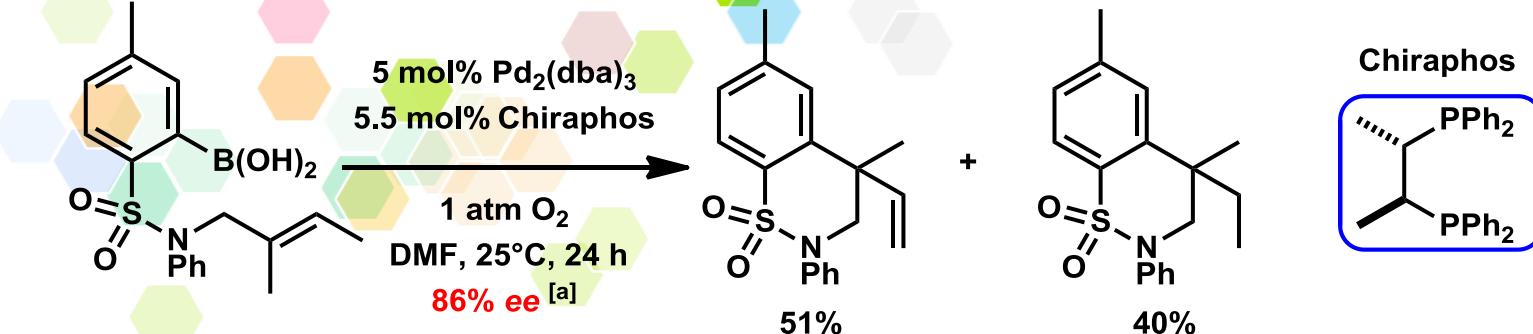
➤ indolecarboxamide



No need to protect of the indole nitrogen

G. Abbiati, E. M. Beccalli, G. Broggini, C. Zoni, *J. Org. Chem.* 2003, 68, 7625.

➤ enantioselective oxidative Heck cyclization



[a] The ee value was determined after Pd/C hydrogenation of the two products.

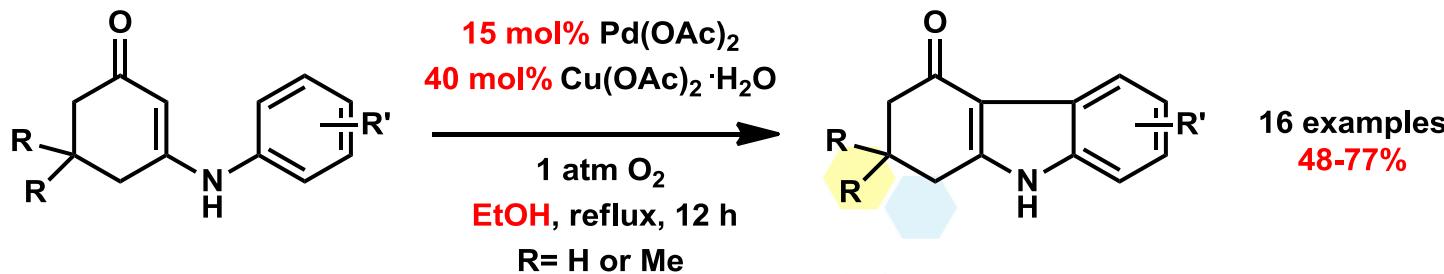
Poor selectivity and limited substrate scope

K. Akiyama, K. Mikami, *Heterocycles* 2007, 74, 827.

Carbocyclization via a Pd^{II}/Pd⁰ Catalytic Cycle (2)

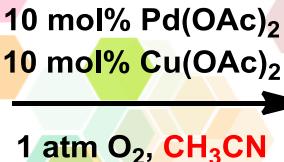
➤ anilines

the first catalytic example for the synthesis of carbazoles



R= H or Me

Kibayashi's example

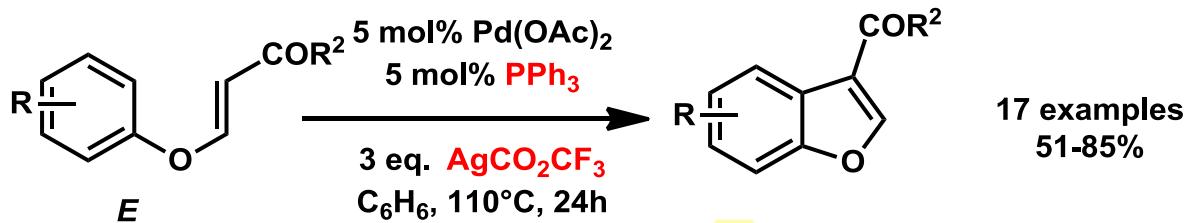


31%

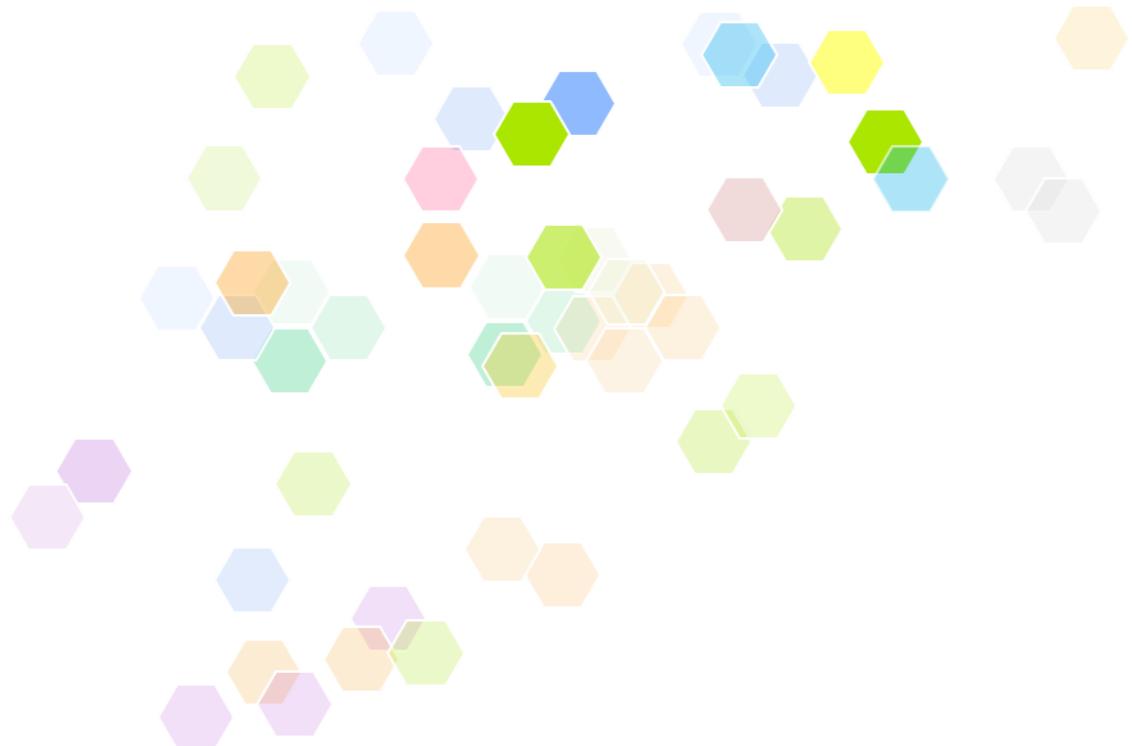
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Carbocyclization via a Pd^{II}/Pd⁰ Catalytic Cycle (2)

➤ aryl vinyl ethers

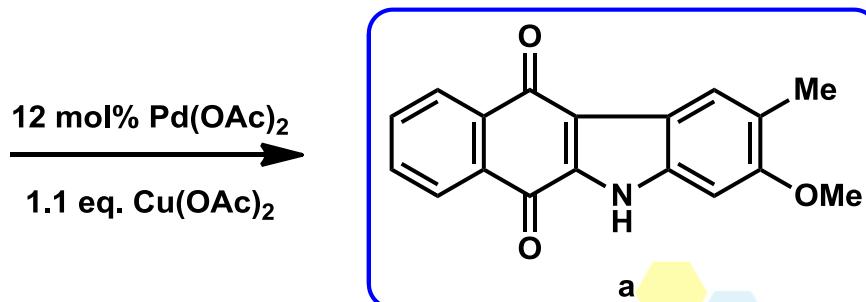


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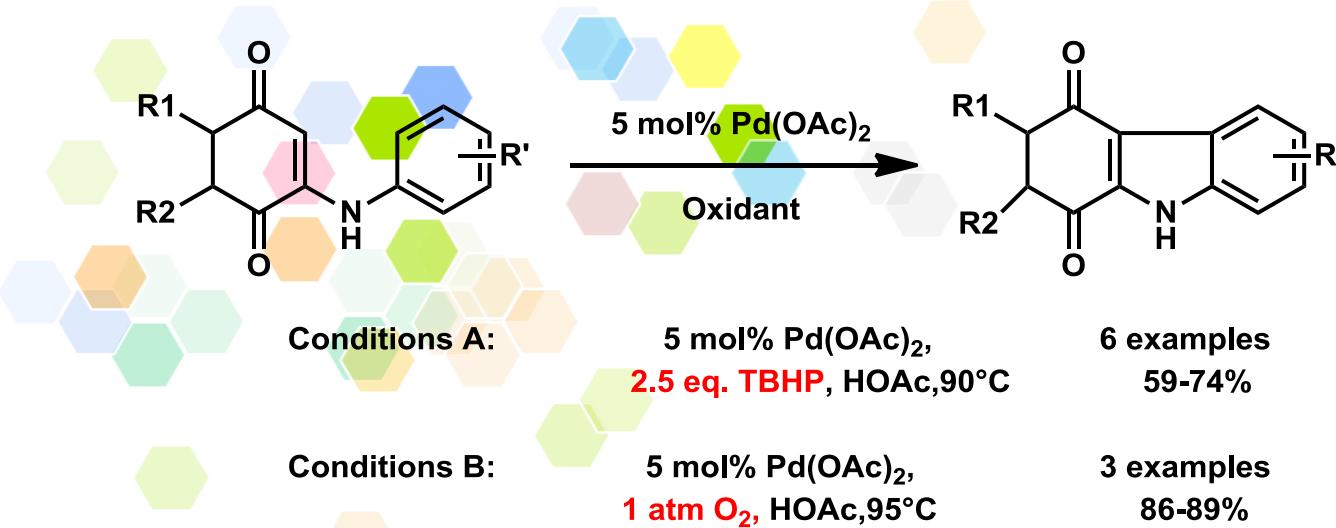


Carbocyclization via a Pd^{II}/Pd⁰ Catalytic Cycle (2)

➤ aminoquinone



The first example of a palladium-catalyzed synthesis of a carbazoloquinone

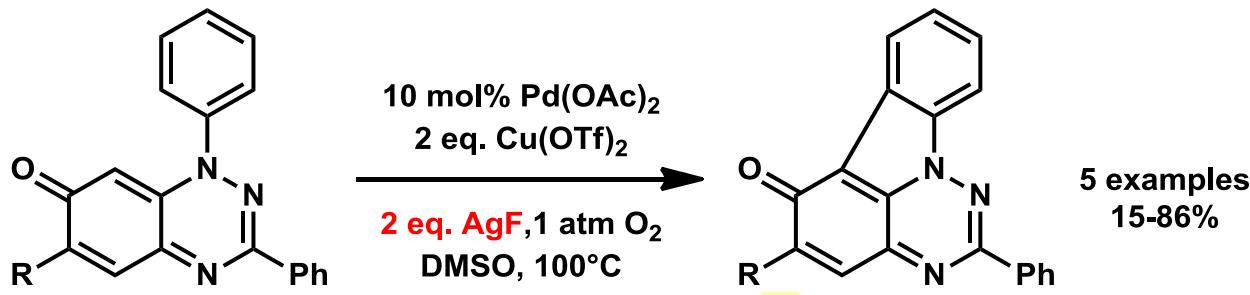


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H. Hagelin, J. D. Oslob, B. Åkermark, *Chem. Eur. J.* **1999**, *5*, 2413.

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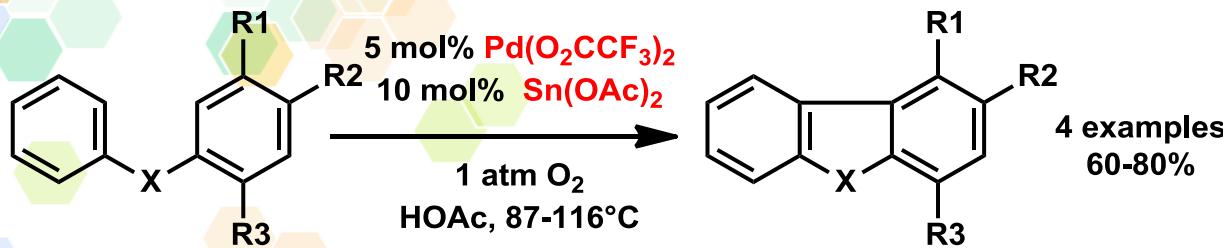
➤ benzotriazinones



first example but two equivalents of AgF were necessary

P. A. Koutentis, G. Loizou, D. L. Re, *J. Org. Chem.* 2011, 76, 5793.

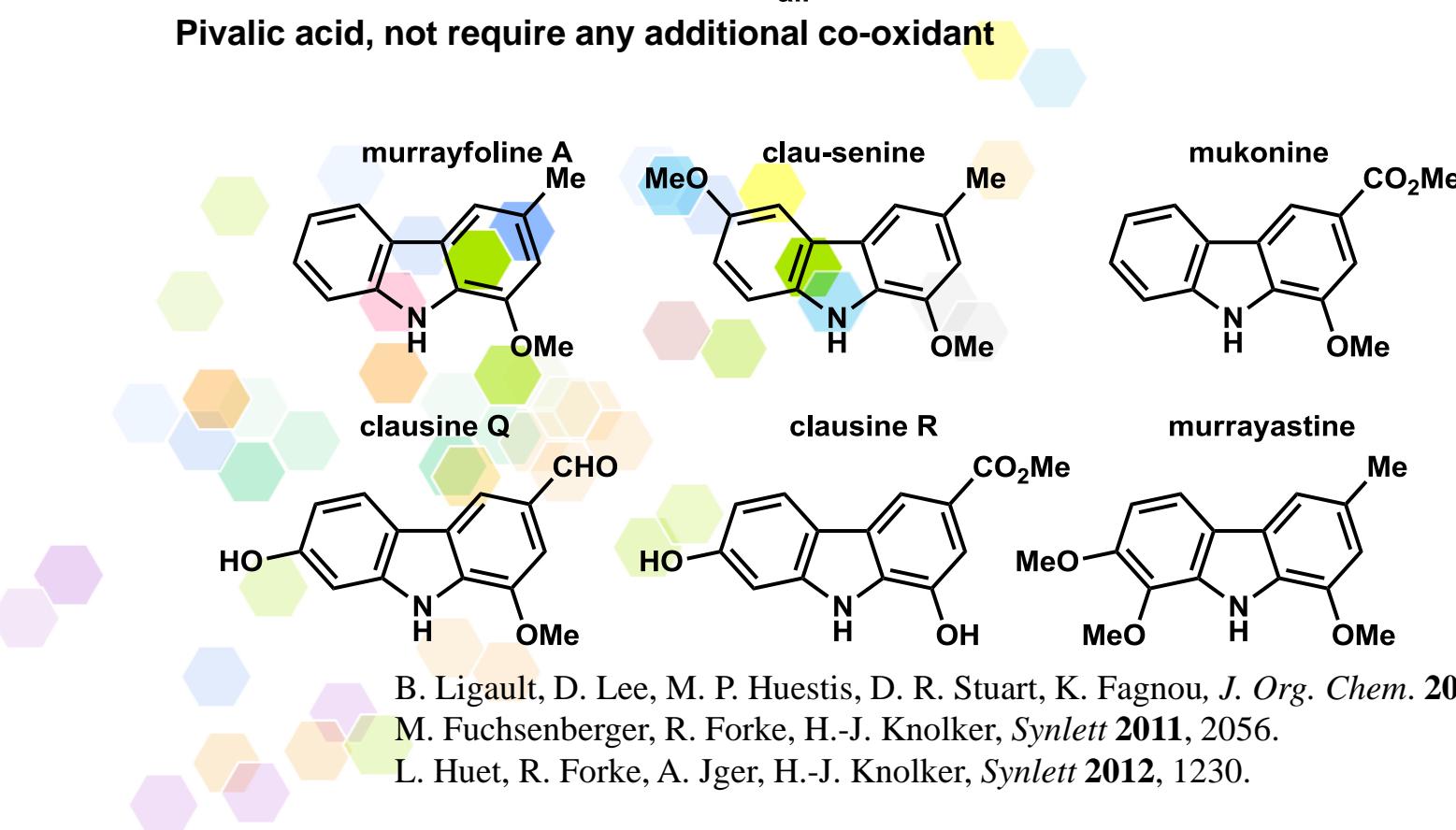
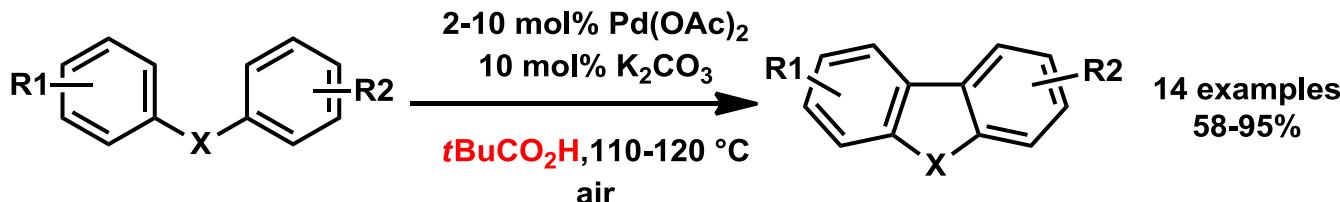
➤ Arene–Arene coupling



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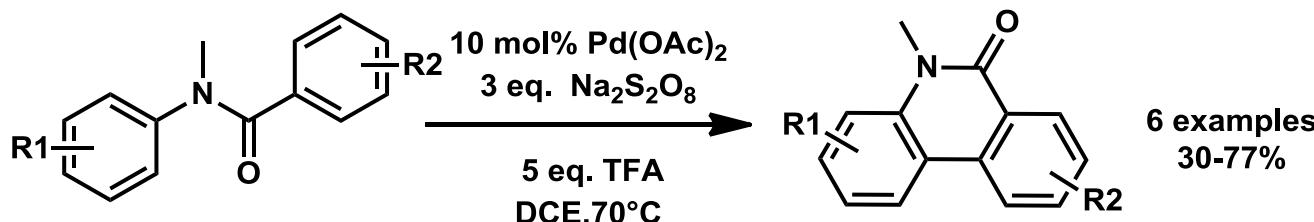
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➤ Arene–Arene coupling



Carbocyclization via a Pd^{II}/Pd⁰ Catalytic Cycle (2)

➤ anilides



electron-rich substituents are necessary

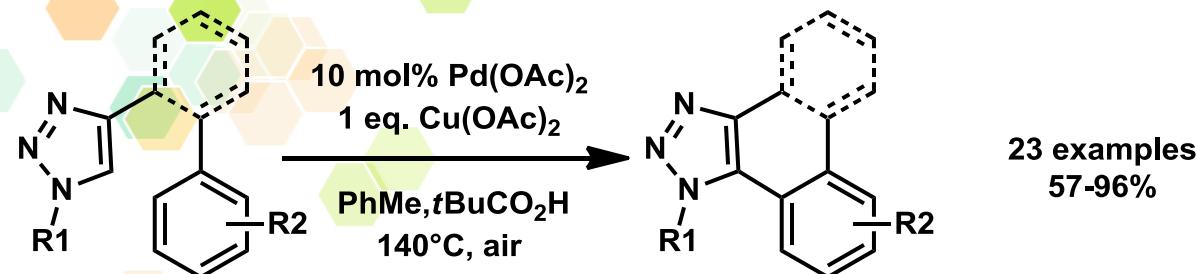


not limited to anilines, anilides, and indoles



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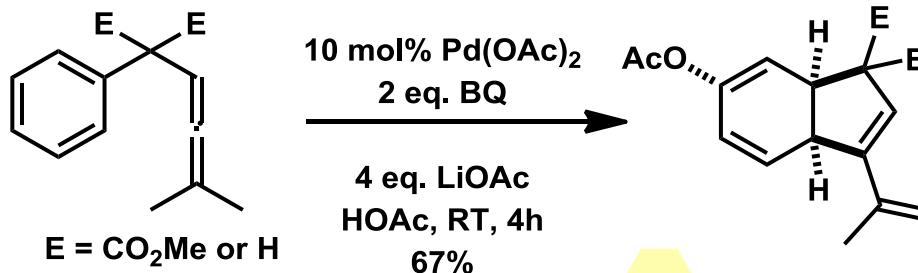
➤ triazole



L. Ackermann, R. Jeyachandran, H. K. Potukuchi, P. Novak, L. Buttner, *Org. Lett.* **2010**, *12*, 2056.

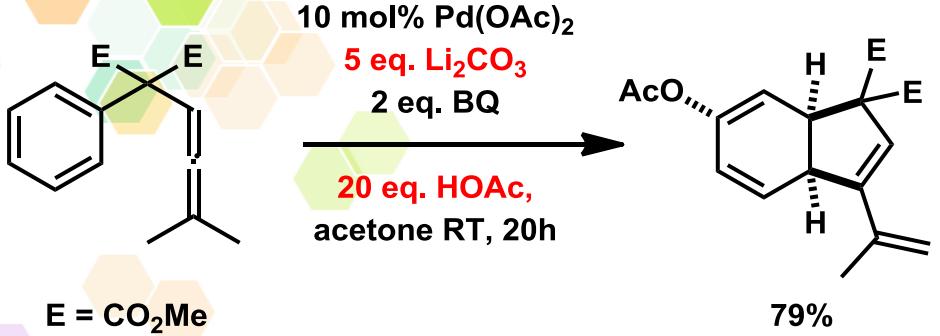
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➤ allenynes



J. Lofstedt, J. Franzen, J.-E. Backvall, *J. Org. Chem.* **2001**, *66*, 8015.

include nucleophiles other than acetate/acetic acid

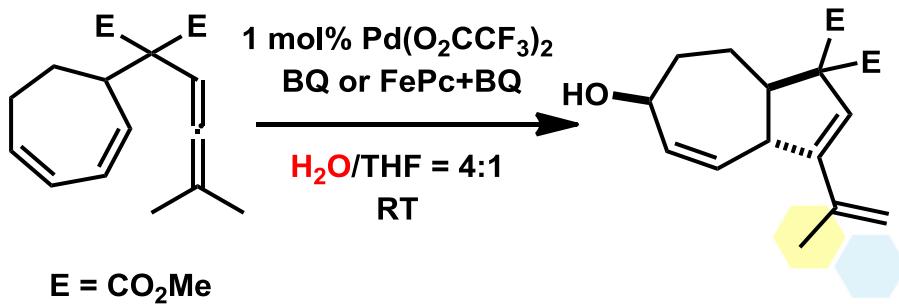


6 examples
15 85%

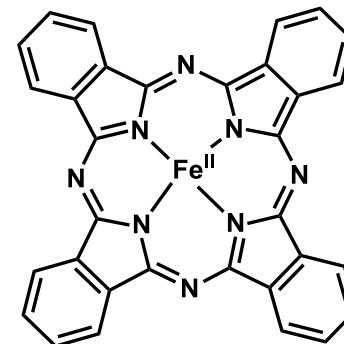
J. Lofstedt, K. Narhi, I. Dorange, J.-E. Backvall, *J. Org. Chem.* **2003**, *68*, 7243.

Carbocyclization via a Pd^{II}/Pd⁰ Catalytic Cycle (3)

➤ dienallenes



iron(II)-phthalocyanine (FePc)



Method A: 2 eq. BQ, 12h

90%

Method B: 1 mol% FePc, 5 mol% BQ

91%

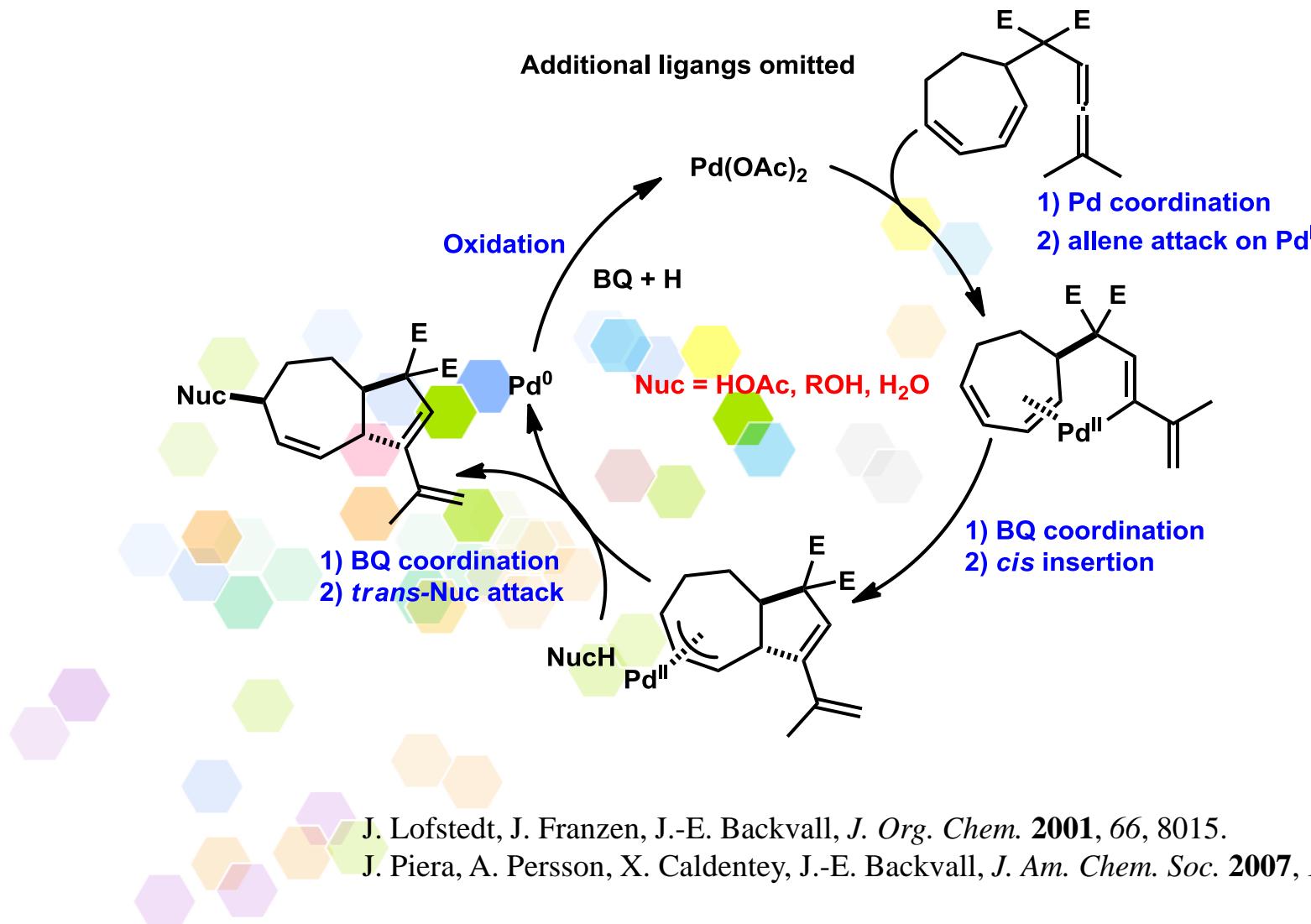
in aqueous media

water as nucleophile

J. Piera, A. Persson, X. Caldentey, J.-E. Backvall, *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **2007**, *129*, 14120.

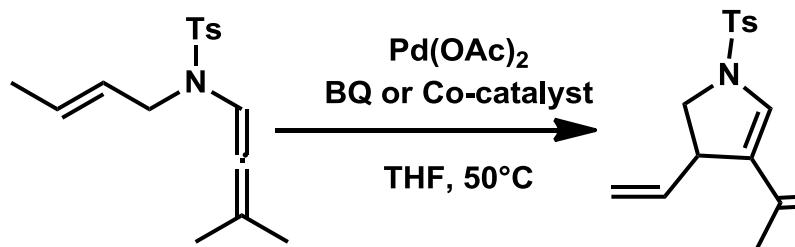
Carbocyclization via a Pd^{II}/Pd⁰ Catalytic Cycle (3)

➤ dienallenes



Carbocyclization via a Pd^{II}/Pd⁰ Catalytic Cycle (3)

► aza-enallenes



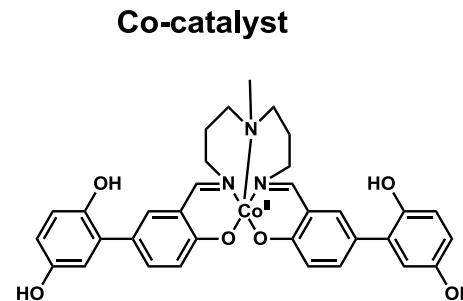
Method A: 2 mol% $\text{Pd}(\text{OAc})_2$, 1.05 eq. BQ

7 examples
64-95%

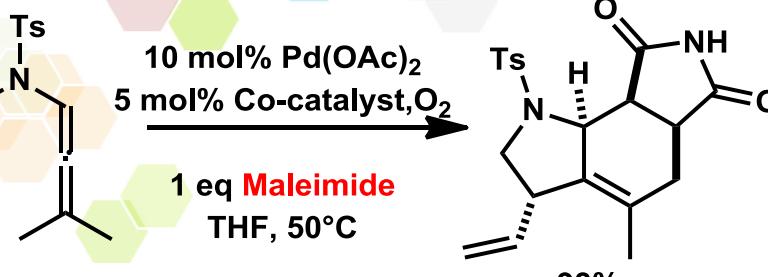
74%

Method B: 5 mol% $\text{Pd}(\text{OAc})_2$, 5 mol% Co-catalyst

94%



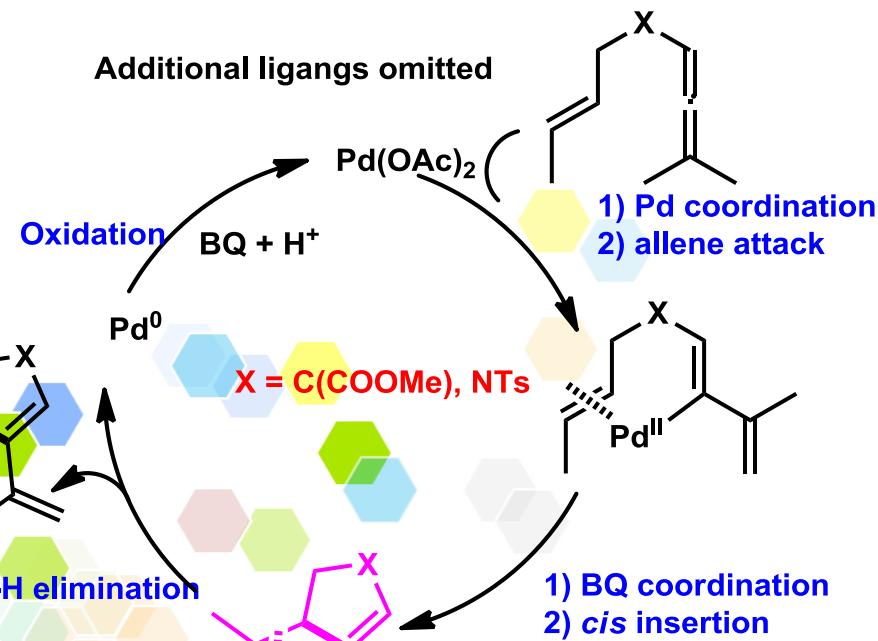
in the presence of a dienophile



A. K. A. Persson, J.-E. Backvall, *Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.* **2010**, *49*, 4624.

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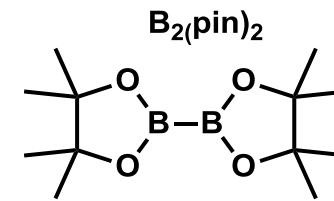
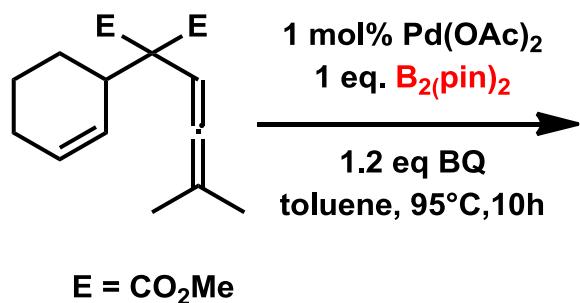
► aza-enallenes



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Carbocyclization via a Pd^{II}/Pd⁰ Catalytic Cycle (3)

➤ allenynes

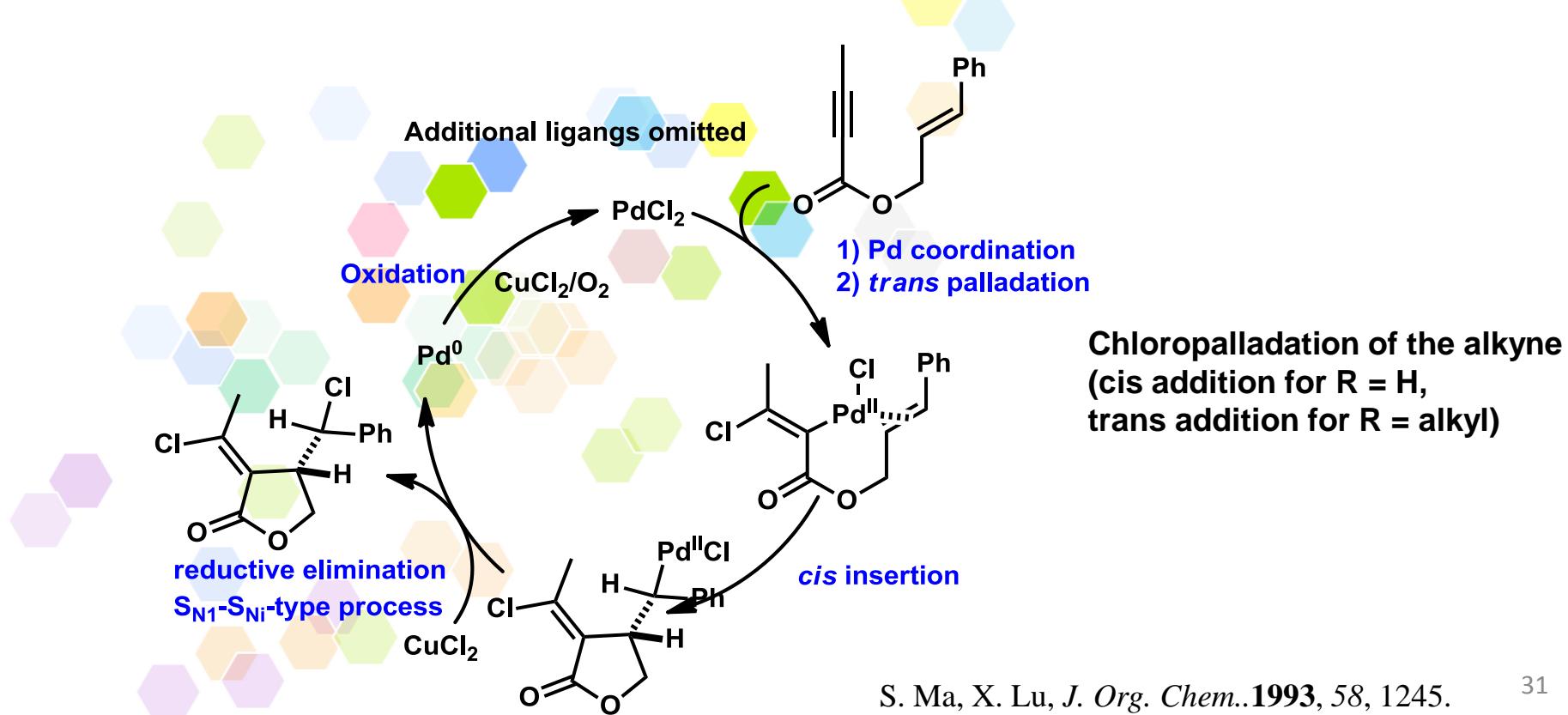
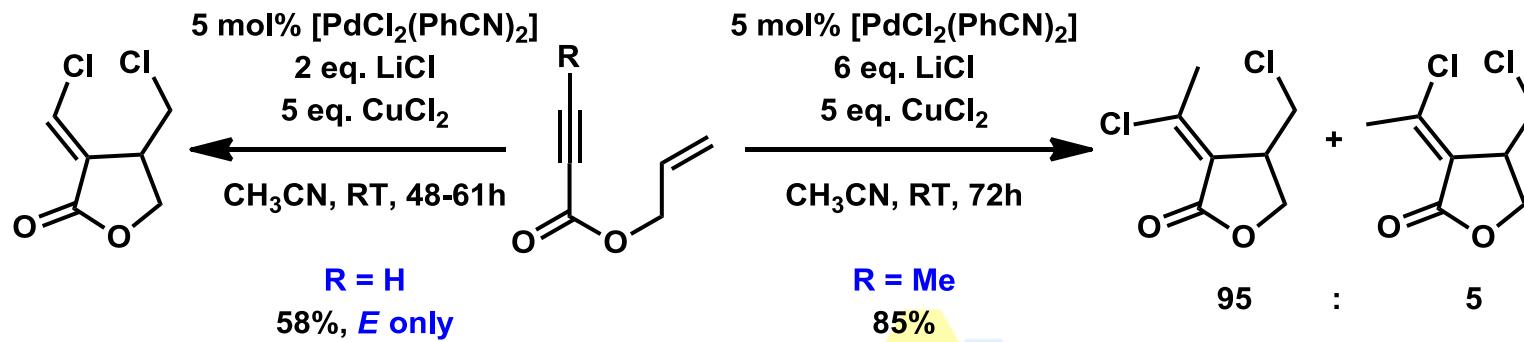


stereoselective cis carborylation

A. K. A. Persson, T. Jiang, M. T. Johnson, J.-E. Backvall, *Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.* **2011**, *50*, 6155.

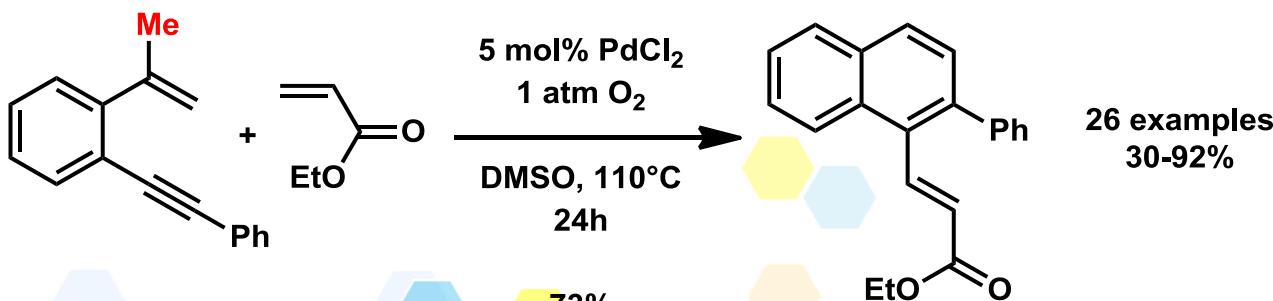
Carbocyclization via a Pd^{II}/Pd⁰ Catalytic Cycle (4)

➤ enynes



Carbocyclization via a Pd^{II}/Pd⁰ Catalytic Cycle (4)

► aromatic enynes



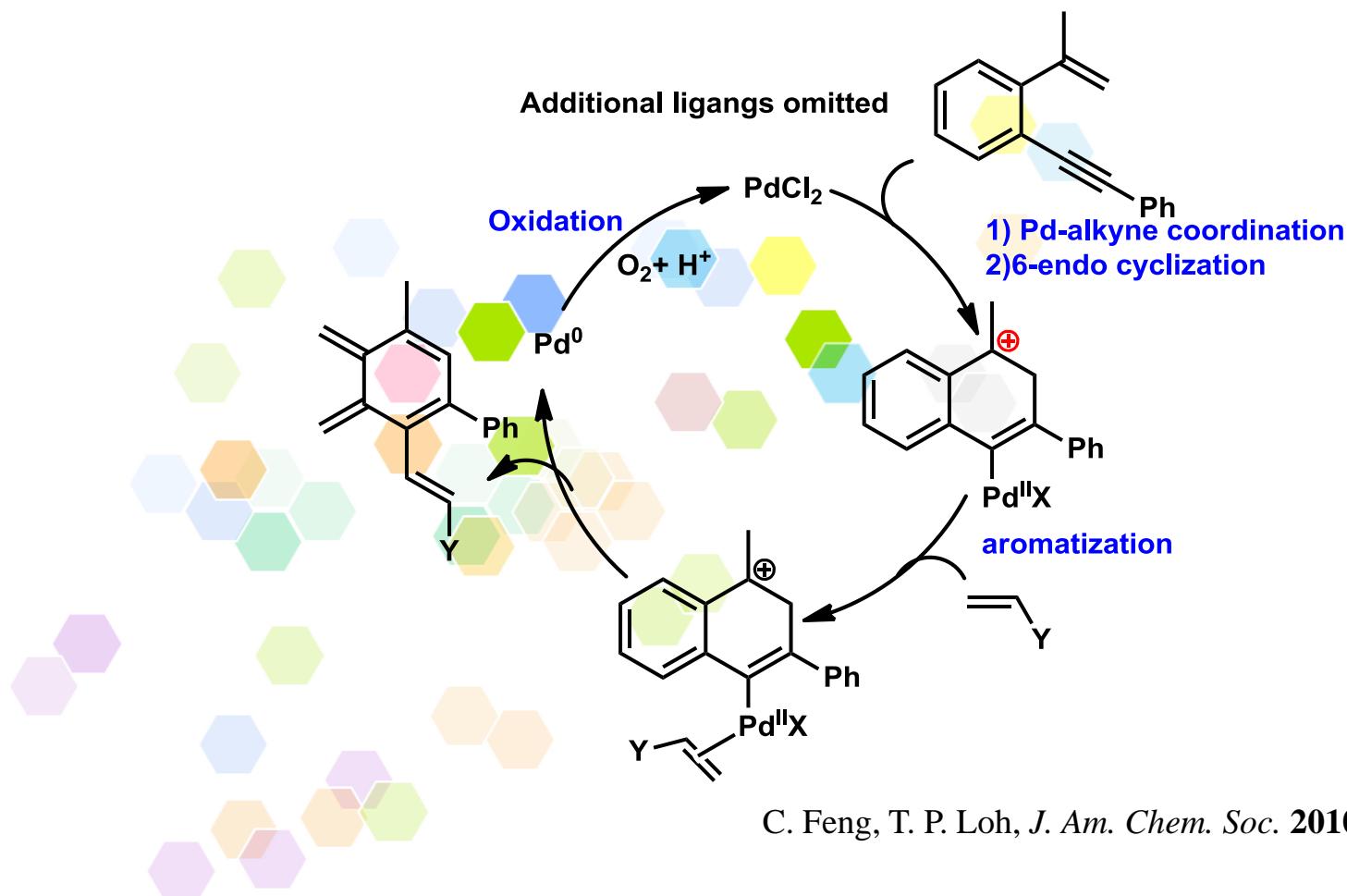
the α -methyl group on the styrene moiety is an absolute necessity

C. Feng, T. P. Loh, *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **2010**, *132*, 17710.

Carbocyclization via a Pd^{II}/Pd⁰ Catalytic Cycle (4)

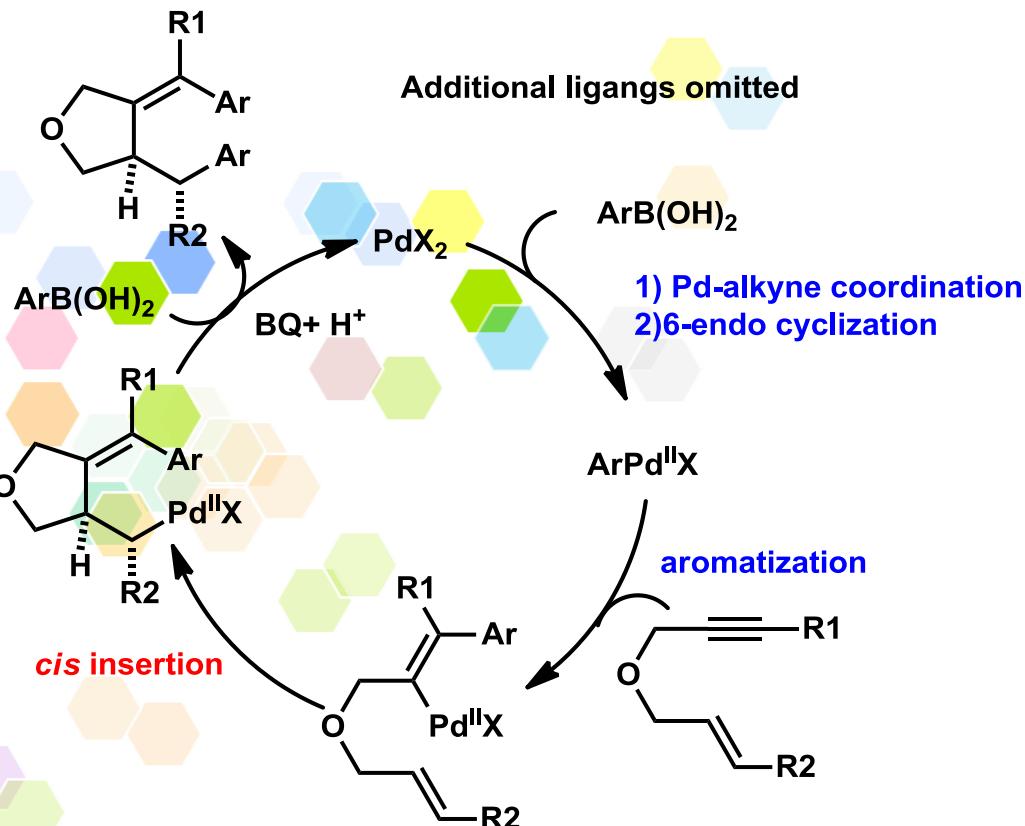
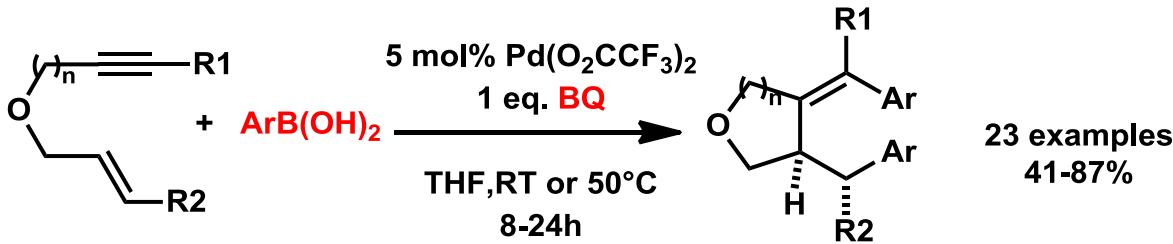
► aromatic enynes

a benzylic cation is stabilized by the methyl group



Carbocyclization via a Pd^{II}/Pd⁰ Catalytic Cycle (4)

➤ oxygen-tethered enynes

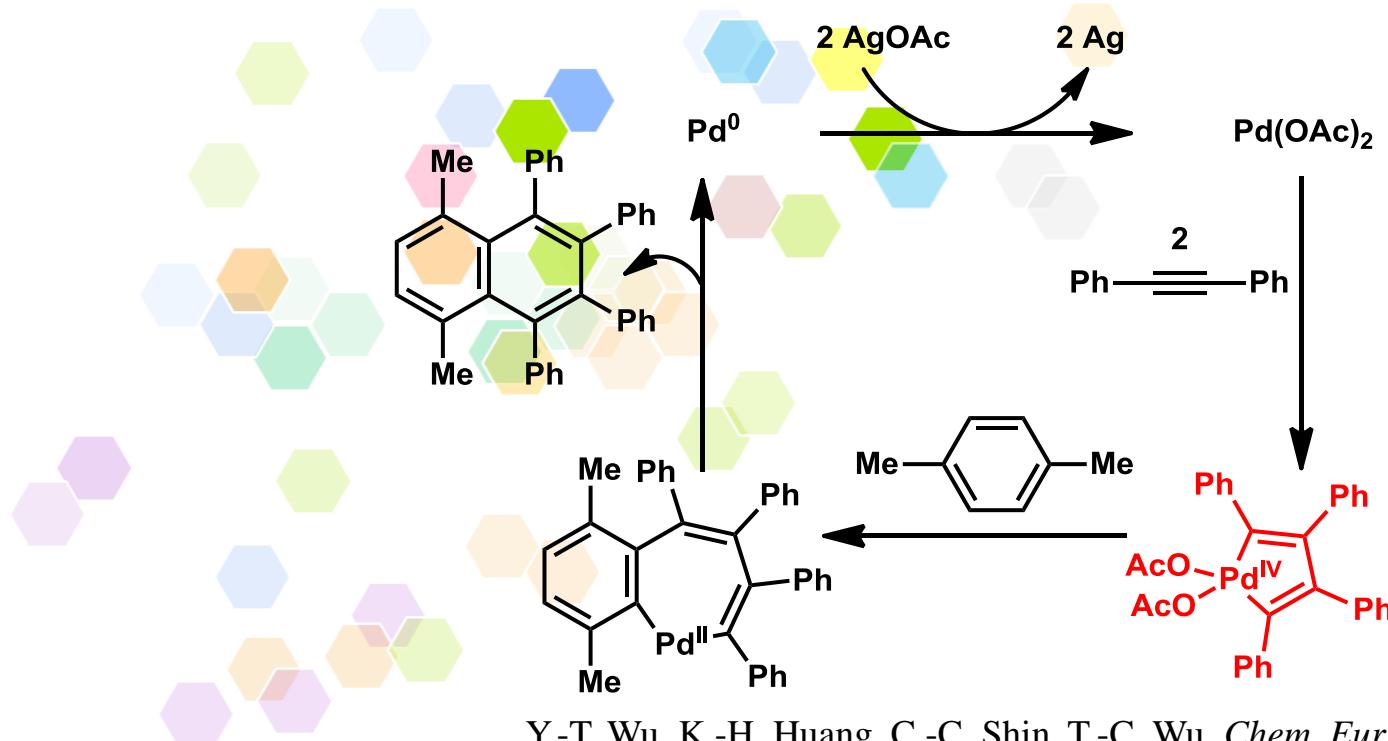


Carbocyclization via a Pd^{II}/Pd⁰ Catalytic Cycle (2)

► naphthalenes

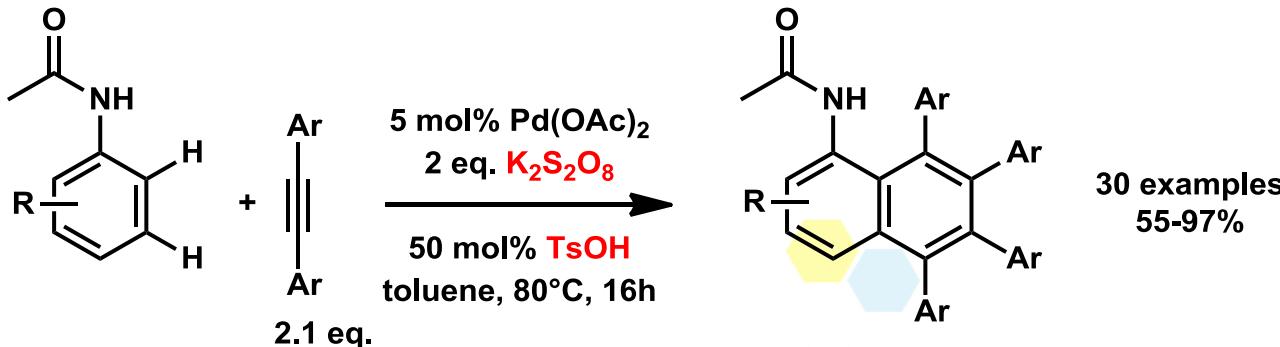


a cyclometallated Pd^{IV} intermediate



Carbocyclization via a Pd^{II}/Pd⁰ Catalytic Cycle (2)

➤ amide

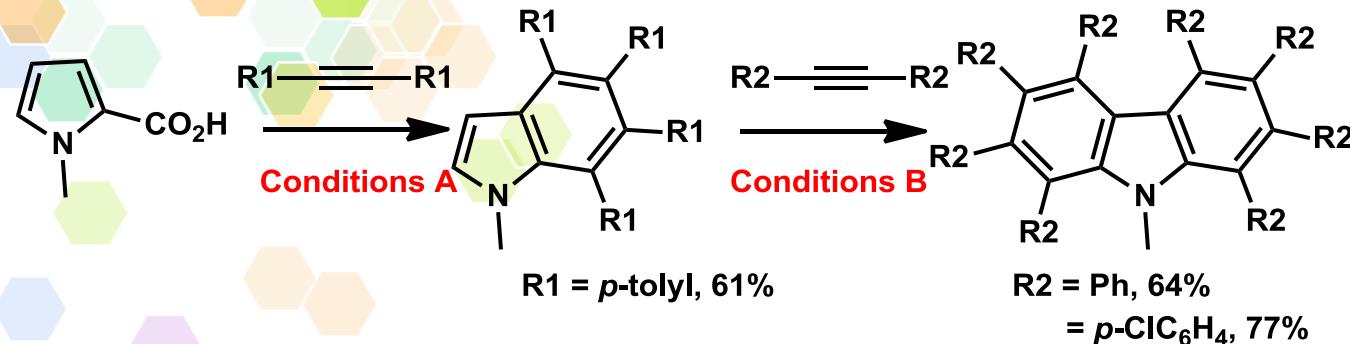
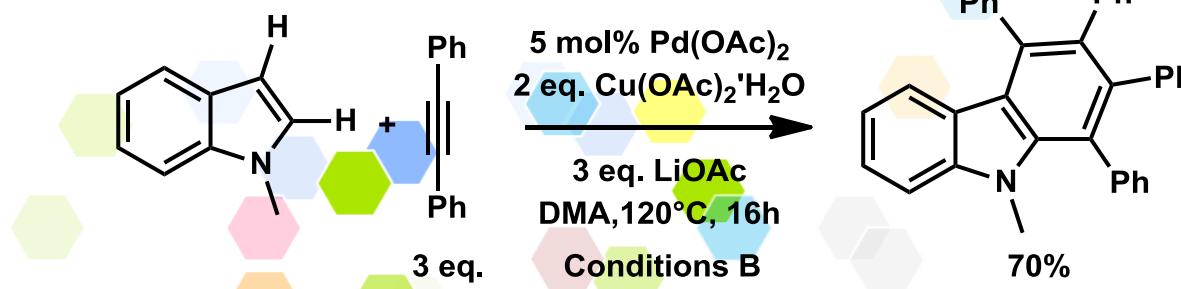
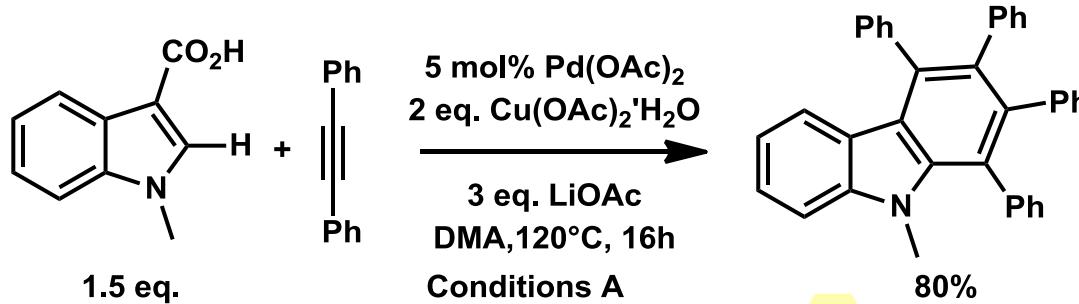


chemo- and regioselective synthesis

Y.-T. Wu, K.-H. Huang, C.-C. Shin, T.-C. Wu, *Chem. Eur. J.* **2008**, *14*, 6697.

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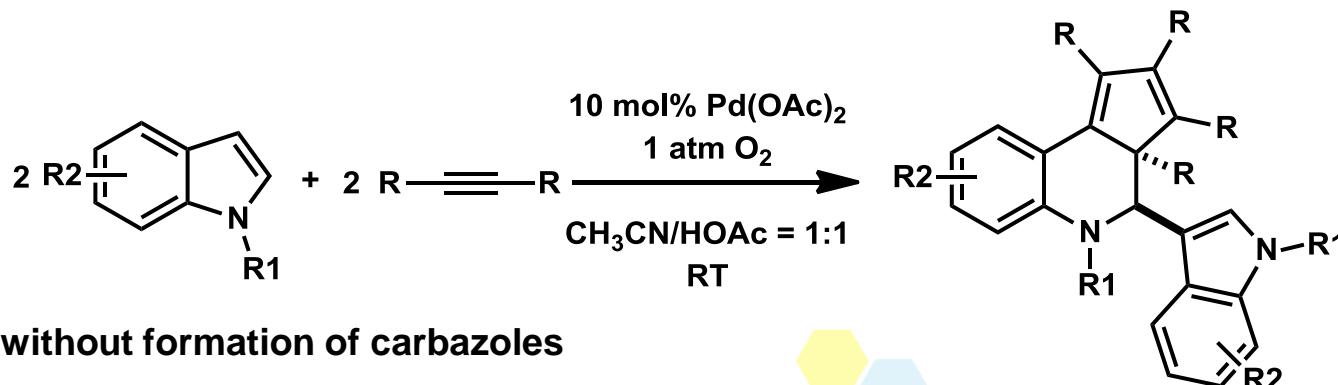
► indoles and their carboxylic acid derivatives



M. Yamashita, H. Horiguchi, K. Hirano, T. Satoh, M. Miura, *J. Org. Chem.* **2009**, *74*, 7481.
M. Yamashita, K. Hirano, T. Satoh, M. Miura, *Org. Lett.* **2009**, *11*, 2337.

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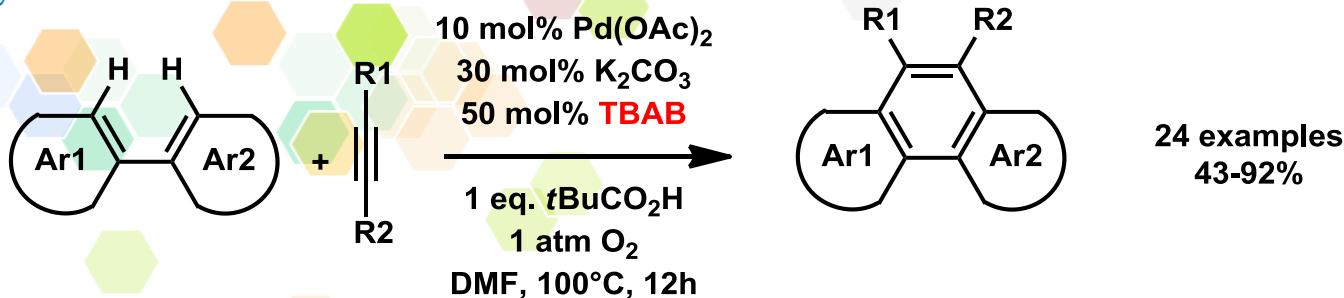
➤ indoles



this ring-expansion reaction involves a dual C-H bond activation, one C-C bond cleavage, and five new C-C bond formations

Z. Shi, B. Zhang, Y. Cui, N. Jiao, *Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.* **2010**, *49*, 4036.

➤ biaryls

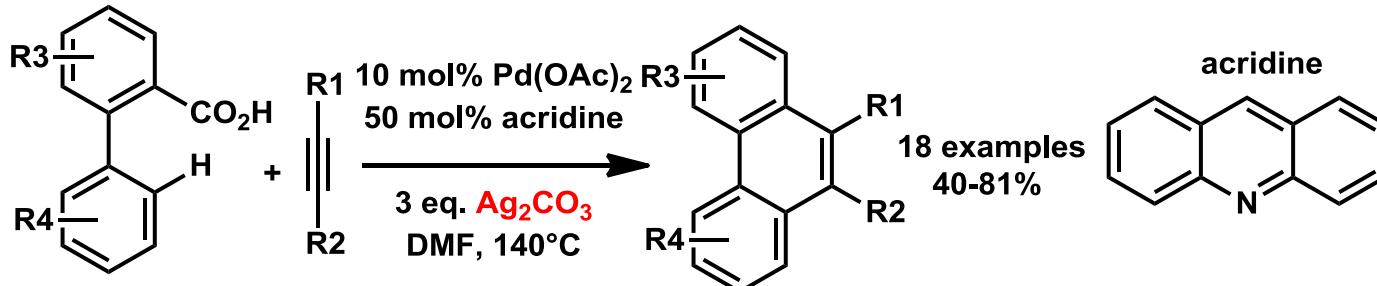


first palladium-catalyzed cycloaromatization of biaryls

Z. Shi, S. Ding, Y. Cui, N. Jiao, *Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.* **2009**, *48*, 7895.

Carbocyclization via a Pd^{II}/Pd⁰ Catalytic Cycle (2)

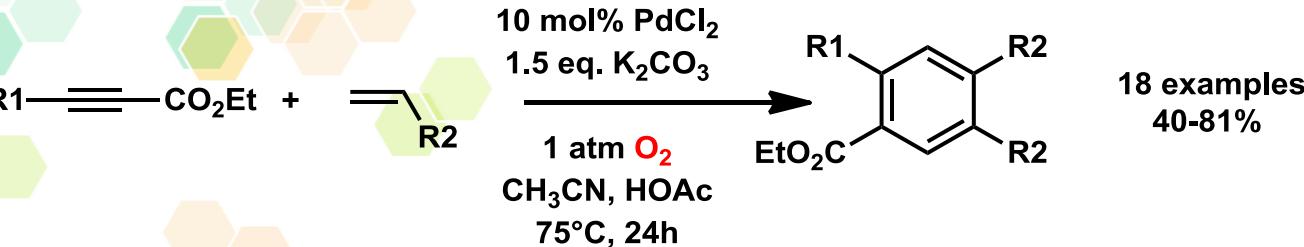
➤ phenylbenzoic acids



difficult to determine
whether decarboxylation occurs at an early stage or at the end of the catalytic cycle.

C. Wang, S. Rakshit, F. Glorius, *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **2010**, 132, 14006.

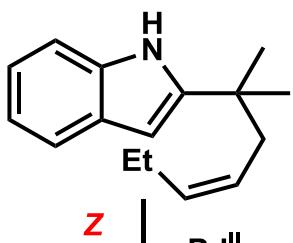
➤ alkynes



P. Zhou, L. Huang, H. Jiang, A. Wang, X. Li, *J. Org. Chem.* **2010**, 75, 8279.

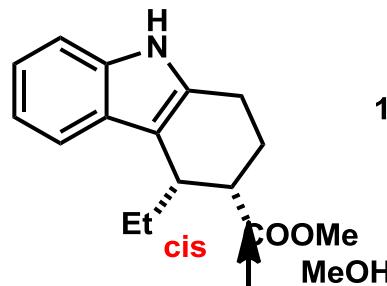
Carbocyclization via a Pd^{II}/Pd⁰ Catalytic Cycle (5)

➤ others

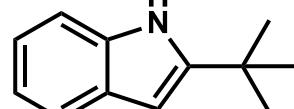


5 mol% [PdCl₂(PhCN)₂]
3 eq. CuCl₂

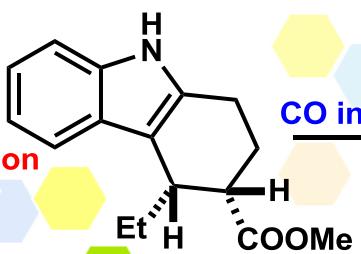
1 atm O₂, MeOH, RT, 3h
92%, d.r. > 50:1



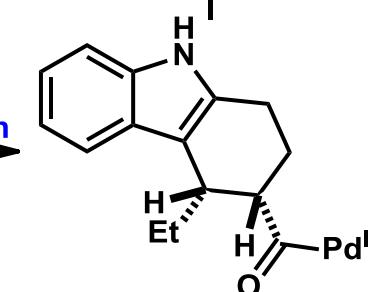
14 examples
45-92%



trans
carbopalladation



5 mol% [PdCl₂(PhCN)₂]
3 eq. CuCl₂



1 atm CO, RT, 3h
80%, d.r. > 50:1

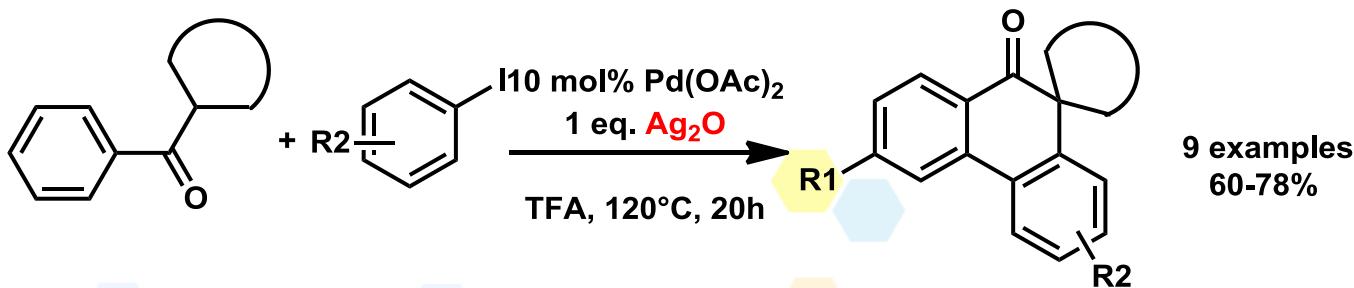
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protection of the indole N-H group is not necessary

C. Liu, R. A. Widenhoefer, *Chem. Eur. J.* **2006**, *12*, 2371.

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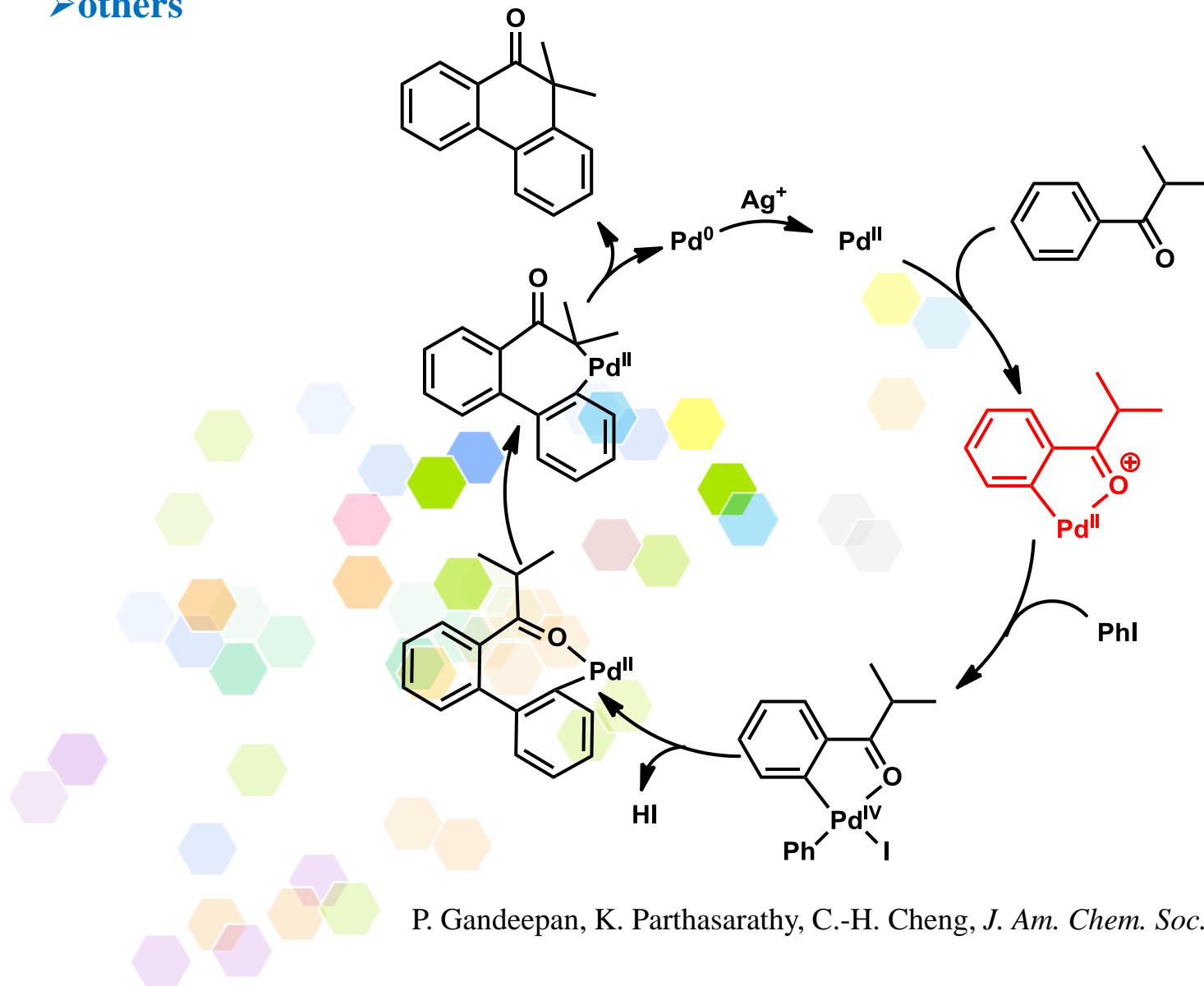
➤ others



P. Gandeepan, K. Parthasarathy, C.-H. Cheng, *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **2010**, *132*, 8569.

Carbocyclization via a Pd^{II}/Pd⁰ Catalytic Cycle (5)

➤ others



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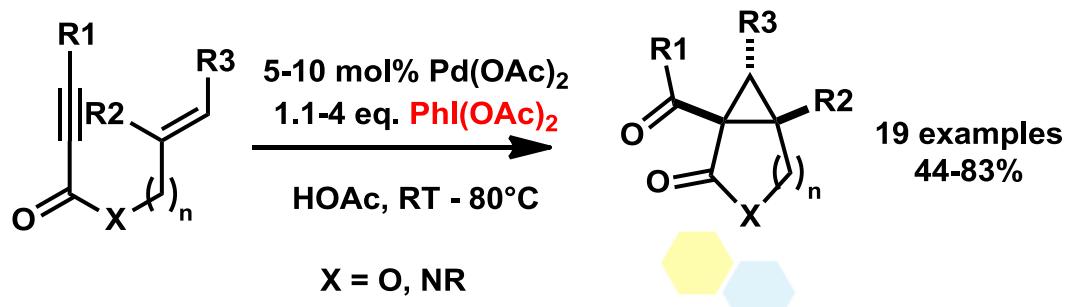


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➤ enynes

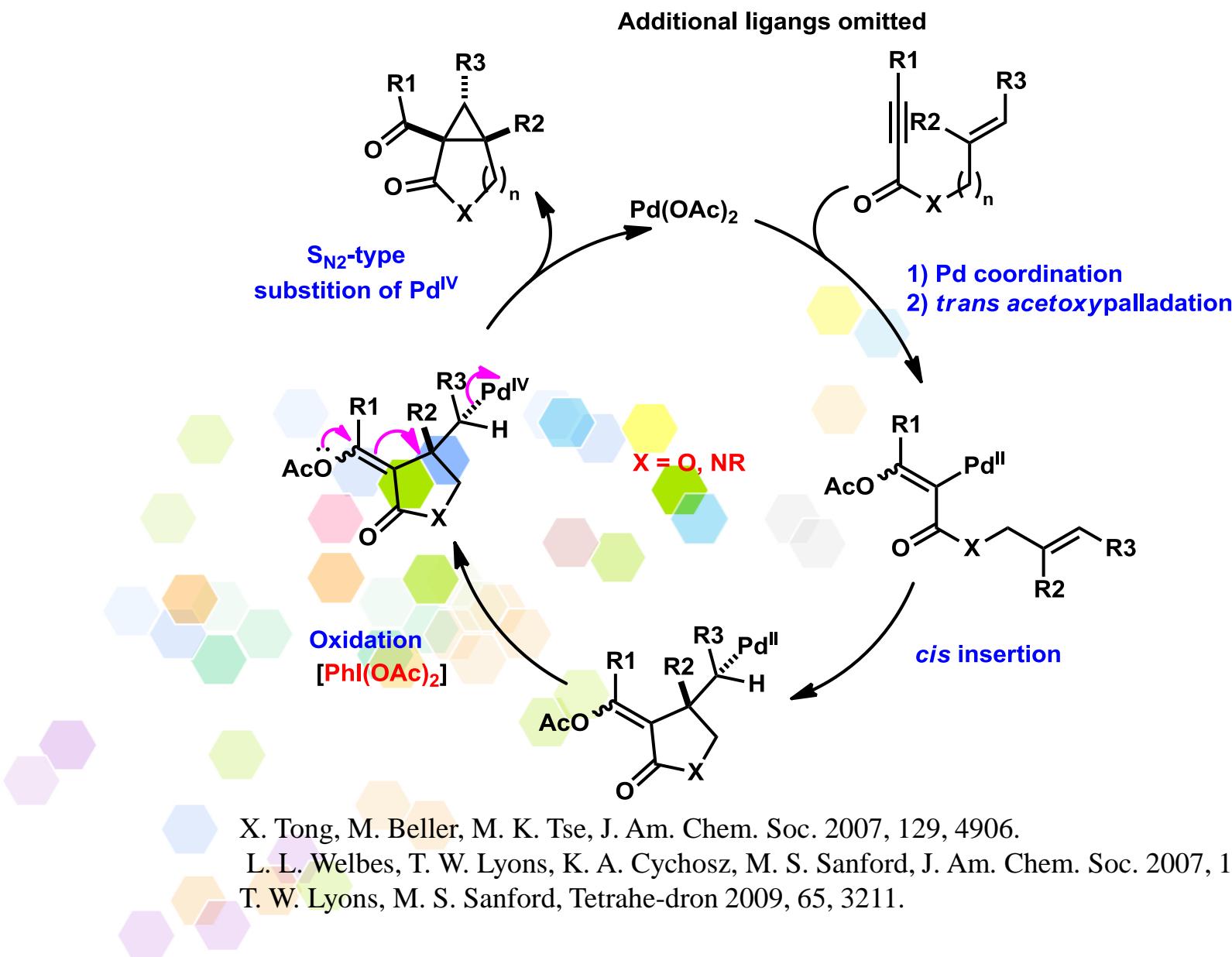


X. Tong, M. Beller, M. K. Tse, J. Am. Chem. Soc. 2007, 129, 4906.

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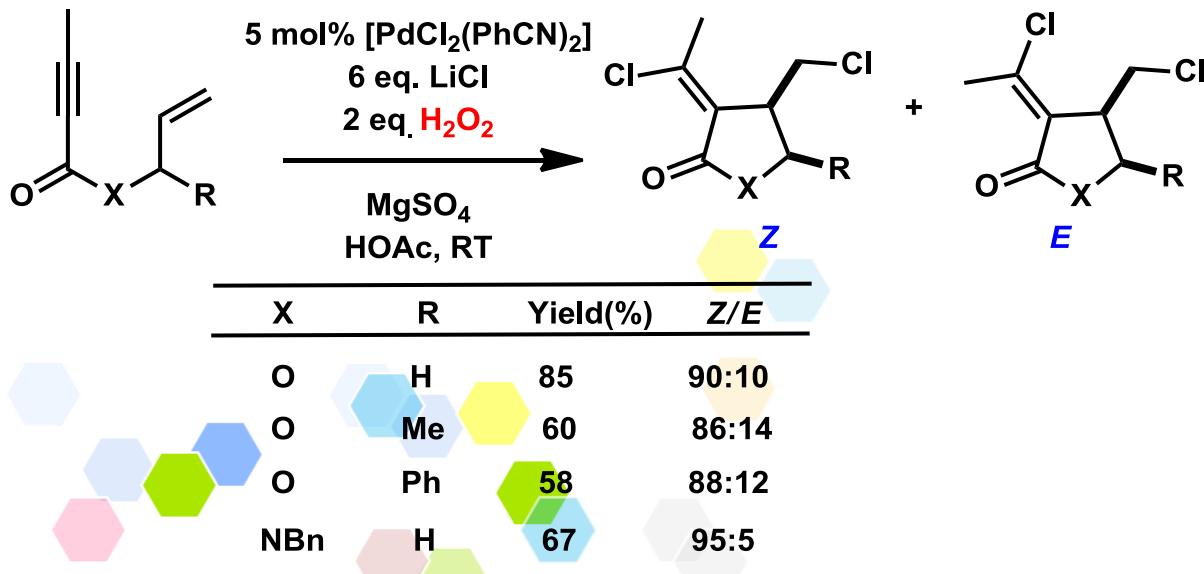
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Carbocyclization via a Pd^{II}/Pd^{IV} Catalytic Cycle



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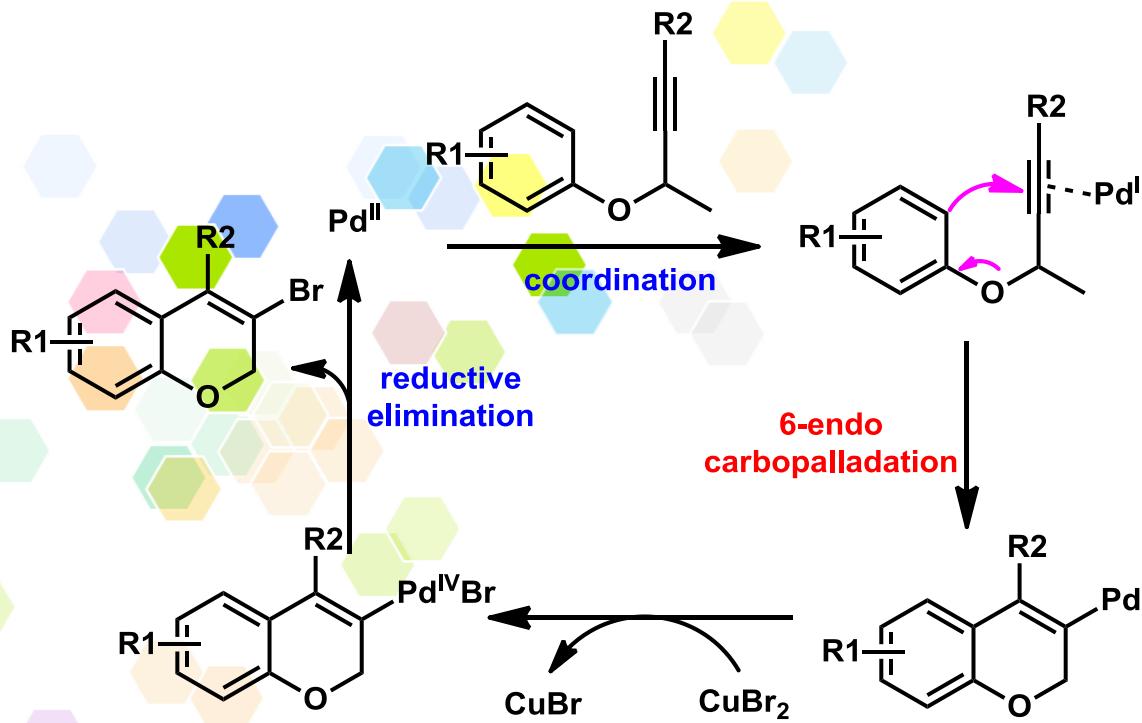
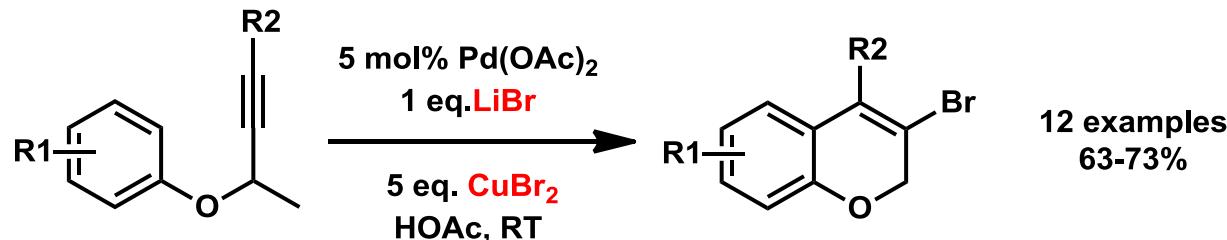
➤ enynes



G. Yin, G. Liu, *Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.* **2008**, 47, 5442.

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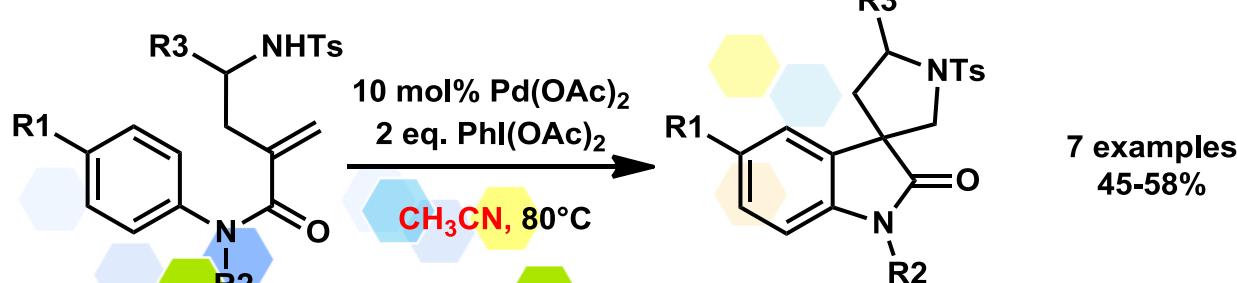
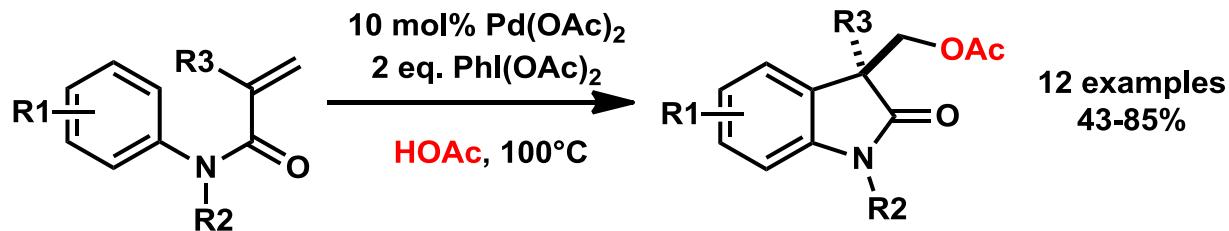
► aryl propargyl ethers



S. Tang, P. Peng, Z.-Q. Wang, B.-X. Tang, C.-L. Deng, J.-H. Li, P. Zhong, N.-X. Wang, *Org. Lett.* **2008**, *10*, 1875.

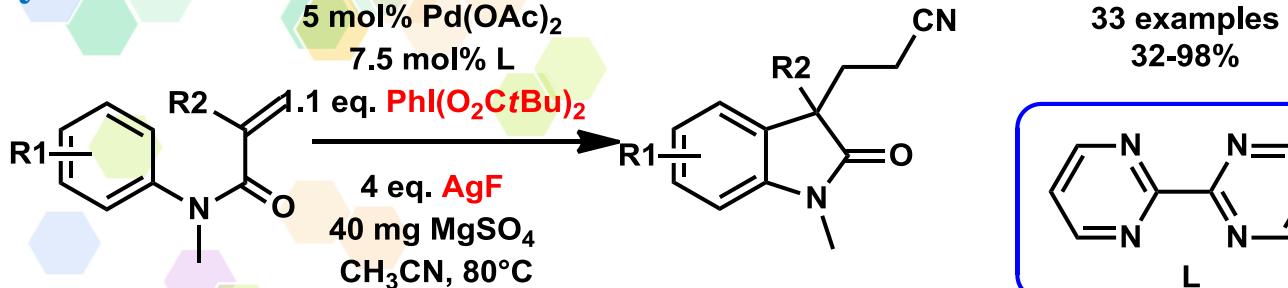
Carbocyclization via a Pd^{II}/Pd^{IV} Catalytic Cycle

➤ A,β-unsaturated alkenes



S. Jaegli, J. Dufour, H. Wei, T. Piou, X. Duan, J.-P. Vors, L. Neuville, J. Zhu, *Org. Lett.* **2010**, *12*, 4498.

➤ acrylamides



T. Wu, X. Mu, G. Liu, *Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.* **2011**, *50*, 12578.



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Challenge and Summary :

- stoichiometric metal salts
- Less developed enantioselective oxidative carbocyclizations
- Strong Pd^{II}/Pd⁰, weak Pd^{II}/Pd^{IV}
- Less application in total synthesis

Efficient Catalytic System

but

More Development Space



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