

# Dyotropic Rearrangements

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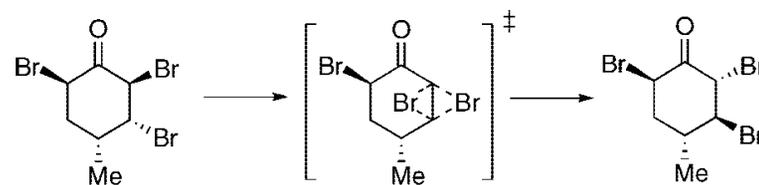
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# What is a Dyotropic Rearrangement?

A process in which two  $\sigma$ -bonds simultaneously migrate intramolecularly

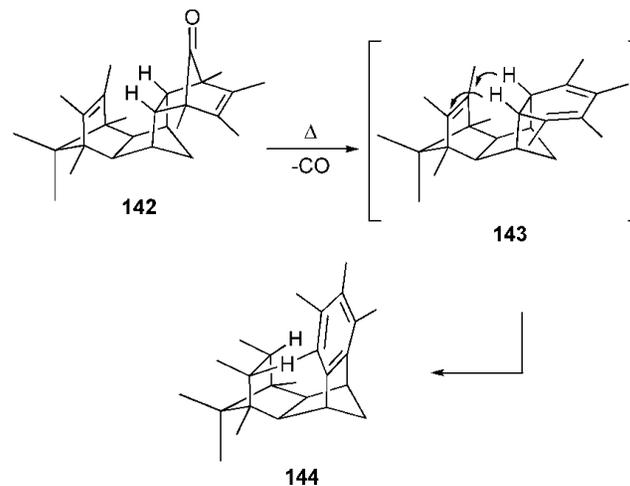
Type 1

2  $\sigma$  bonds exchange their positions



Type 2

No direct positional interchange occurs

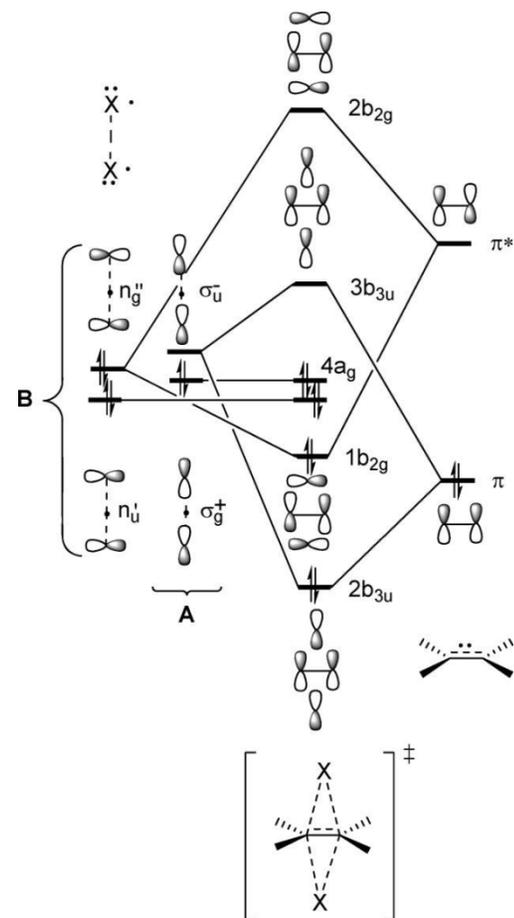
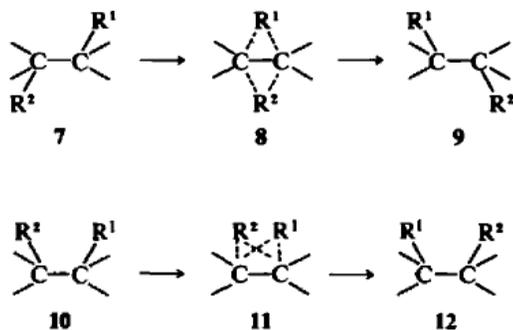
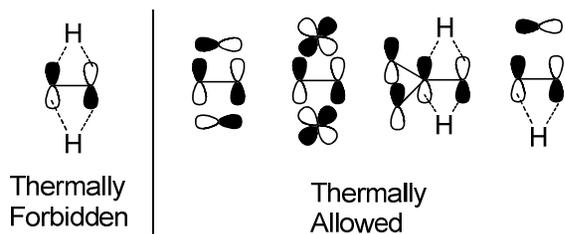


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# Orbital Symmetry Requirements for Type I Dyotropic Rearrangements

Formally  $[\sigma_s2 + \sigma_s2]$  pericyclic reactions

Permitted suprafacially only with inversion at the migrating group and/or participation of a lone pair, d orbital, extended  $\pi$  system, or element of  $\pi$  symmetry



Non-concerted processes are also possible, bypassing orbital symmetry requirements

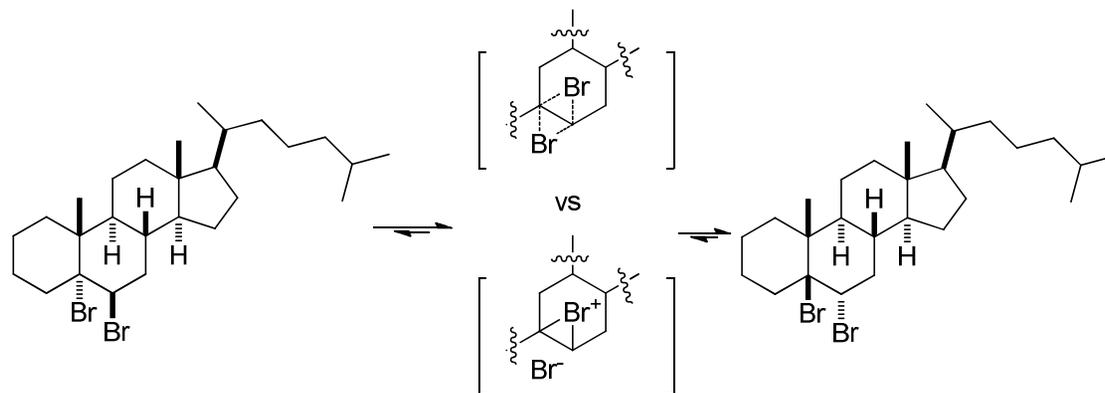
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# Mutarotation of Dihalogens



Solvent	heptane	CCl <sub>4</sub>	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>6</sub>	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>5</sub> NO <sub>2</sub>	CHCl <sub>3</sub>	CHCl <sub>3</sub> -/AcOH 1:1	CHCl <sub>3</sub> -/EtOH 1:1
$K_{rel}$	1	2.7	5.3	28	86	115	284

(at 40 C)

In more polar solvents, solvolysis and elimination are also observed

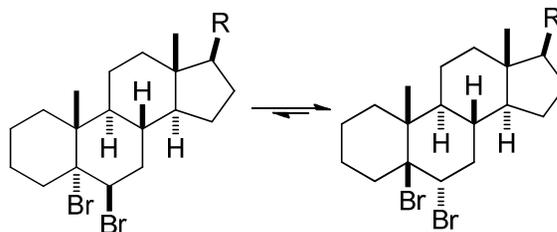
The proportion of solvolysis and elimination are insensitive to added Br<sup>-</sup> and OAc<sup>-</sup>

The rate is insensitive to added HBr and catechol and benzoyl peroxide

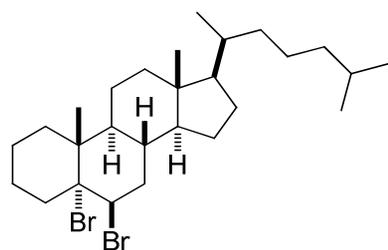
## Conclusion

*“It is considered probable that the nature of the intermediate changes gradually as the ionizing power of the solvent decreases until, in the poorest ionizing solvents, an intermediate or transition state is involved with negligible charge separation, both bromine atoms being essentially equivalent”*

# Activation Parameters

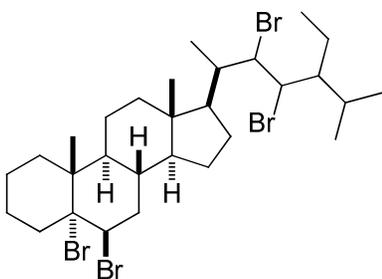


(in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ )



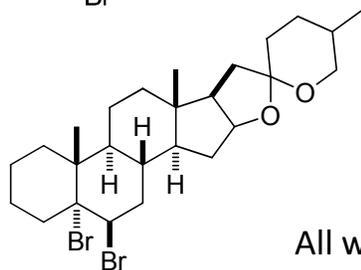
$$k = 10^{10.1} e^{\frac{-20.4 \left(\frac{\text{kcal}}{\text{mol}}\right)}{RT}} \text{sec}^{-1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta H^\ddagger &= 20.1 \text{ kcal/mol} \\ \Delta S^\ddagger &= -13.2 \text{ cal}/(\text{mol}\cdot\text{K}) \\ \Delta G^\ddagger &= +24.0 \text{ kcal/mol (@298 K)} \end{aligned}$$



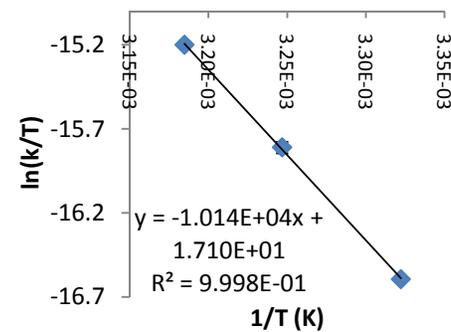
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All were first order in dibromide

$\Delta S^\ddagger < 0$  shows that the transition states have fewer degrees of freedom than the ground states

This is consistent with a concerted dyotropic shift

An ionization/internal return mechanism would show  $\Delta S^\ddagger > 0$

# Computational Investigations

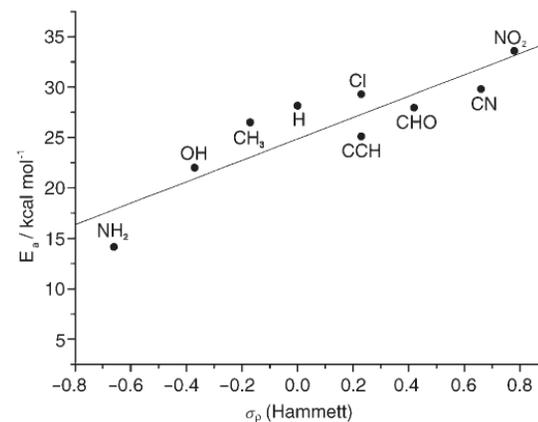
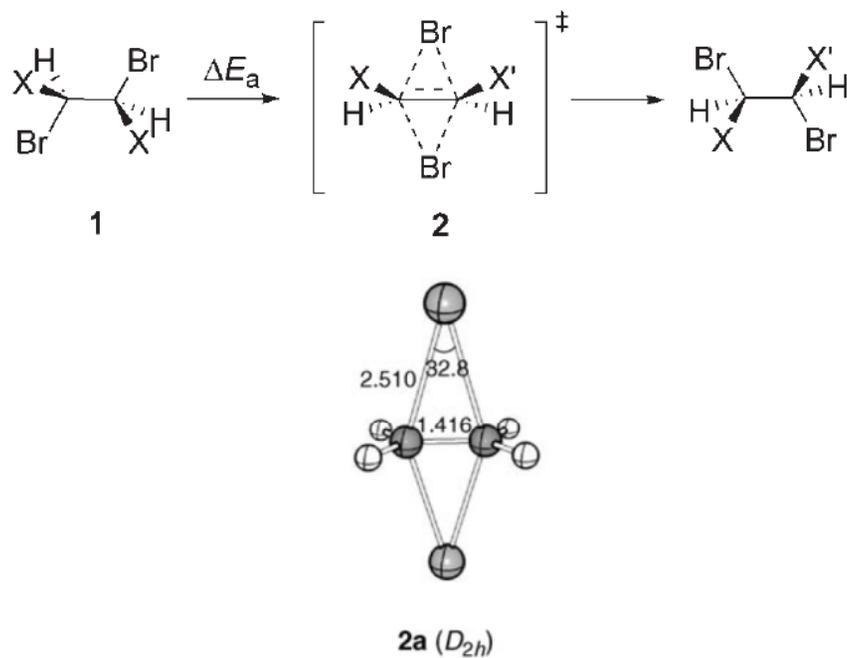
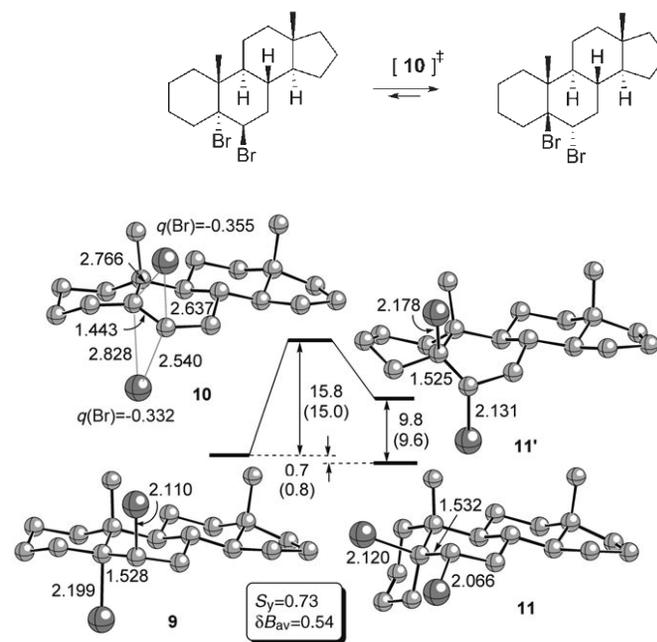
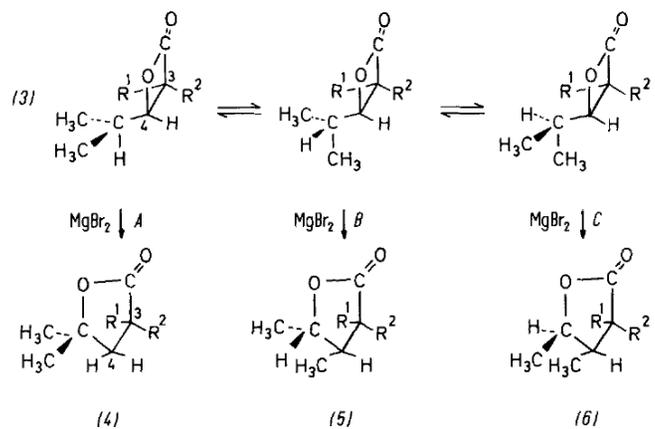
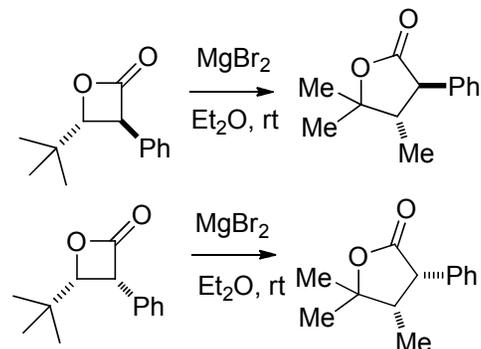
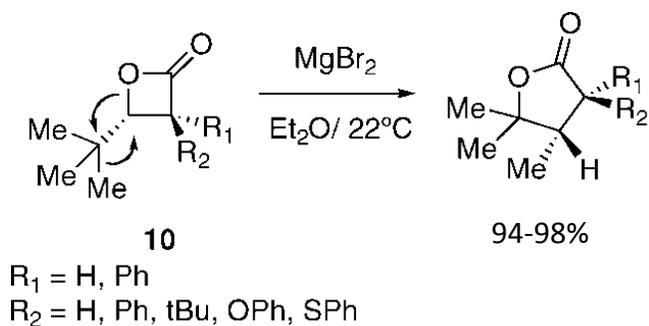


Figure 4. Plot of the activation energies ( $E_a$ ) versus the  $\sigma_p$  Hammett substituent constants of monosubstituted 1,2-dibromoethanes.

Concerted and highly synchronous mechanism  
 Activation energy is reduced by electron-donating substituents  
 Calculated activation energy is low for cholestane analog



# Lactone Ring Expansion



$R^1 = \text{H, } R^2 = \text{Ph}$  78:7:15 **4:5:6**  
 $R^1 = \text{Ph, } R^2 = \text{H}$  >98% **6**

Stereospecific

H migrates somewhat faster than Me

Stereospecificity implies concerted mechanism

# Caged Lactone Ring Expansion

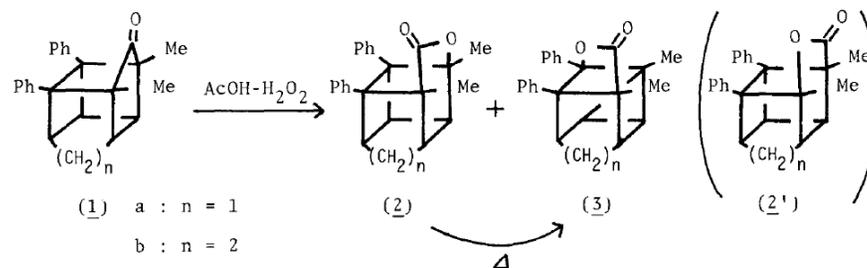


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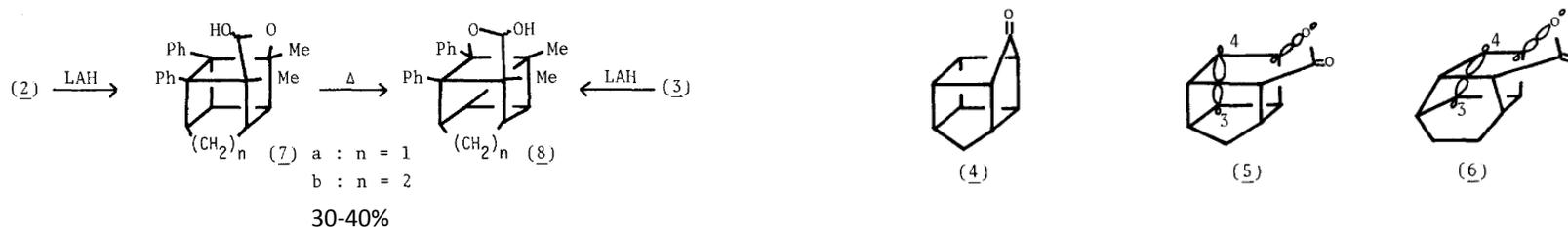
compd.	Temp. (°C)	$10^5 \times k$ (sec <sup>-1</sup> )	$E_a$ (kcal/mol)*	$\Delta S^\ddagger$ (eu)*
(2a)	230	8.54	36.5±2.8	-5.6±5.6
(2b)	230	13.2	29.5±1.9	-20.4±3.8

\* temperature range 210-240 °C, in *o*-dichlorobenzene

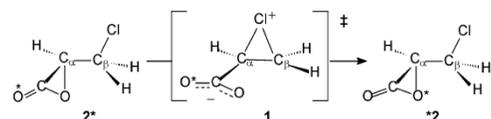
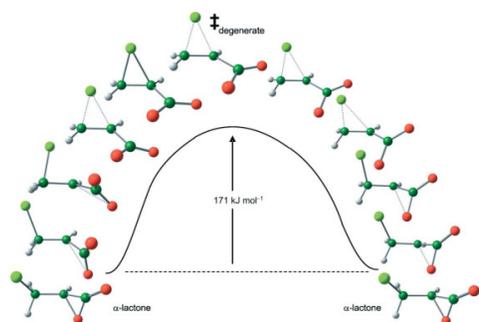
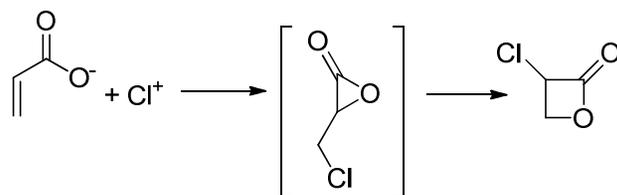
Quantitative by FVP @ 350 °C

Authors also note that 2 rearranges to 3 “readily” in the presence of BF<sub>3</sub>

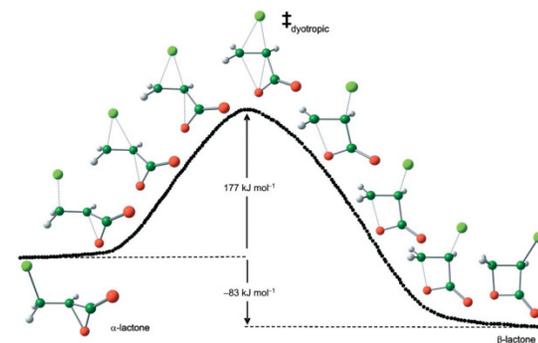
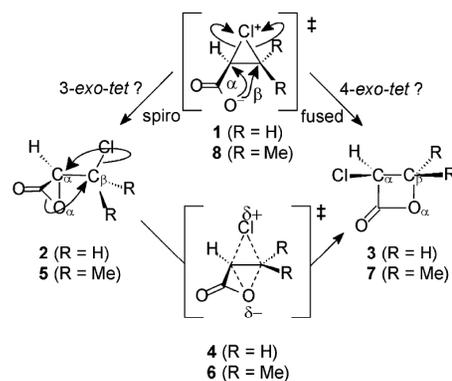
$\Delta S^\ddagger$  is consistent with a concerted dyotropic reaction



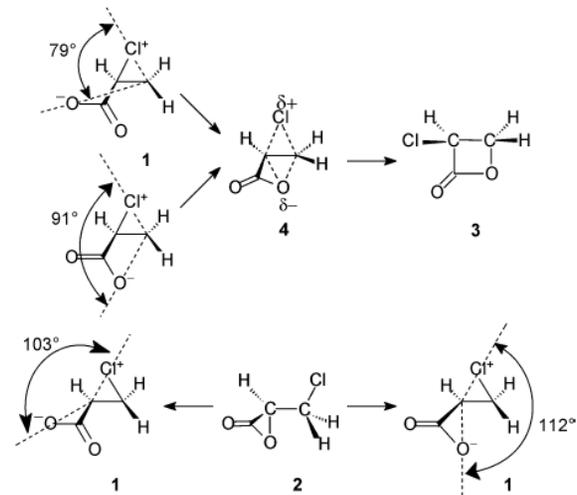
# Small Ring Chlorolactonization



$\Delta E^\ddagger = 40.8$  kcal/mol (in vacuo)  
 16.9 kcal/mol (PCM H<sub>2</sub>O)  
 23.5 kcal/mol (in explicit DFT/MM H<sub>2</sub>O)

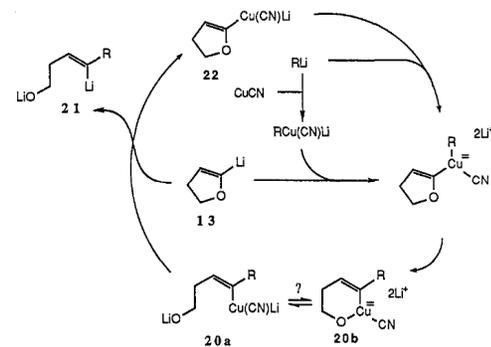
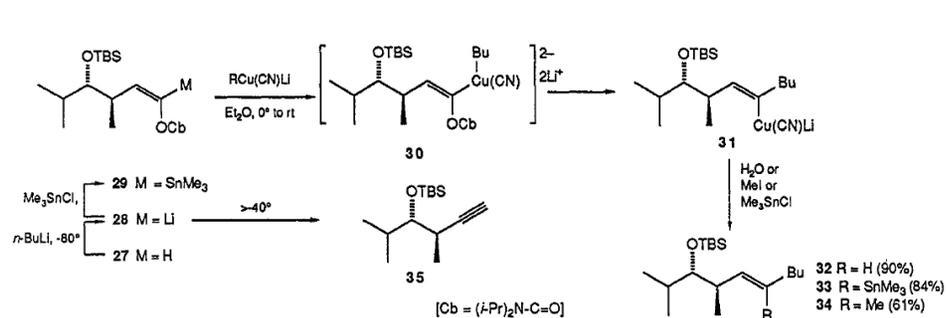


$\Delta E^\ddagger = 42.3$  kcal/mol (in vacuo)  
 32.7 kcal/mol (PCM H<sub>2</sub>O)  
 36.0 kcal/mol (in explicit DFT/MM H<sub>2</sub>O)  
 $\Delta E_{rxn} = -20$  kcal/mol in vacuo

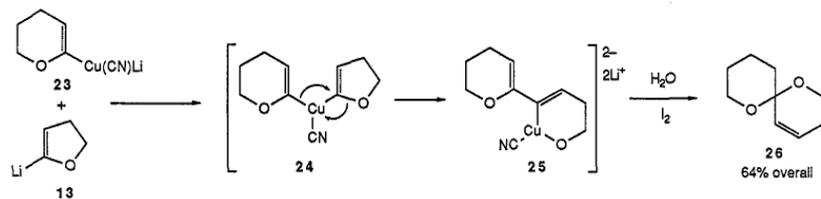


Chloronium carboxylate is a transition state for a degenerate rearrangement  
 No barrier to  $\alpha$ -lactone formation could be located  
 $\alpha$ -lactone undergoes a dyotropic rearrangement to  $\beta$ -lactone

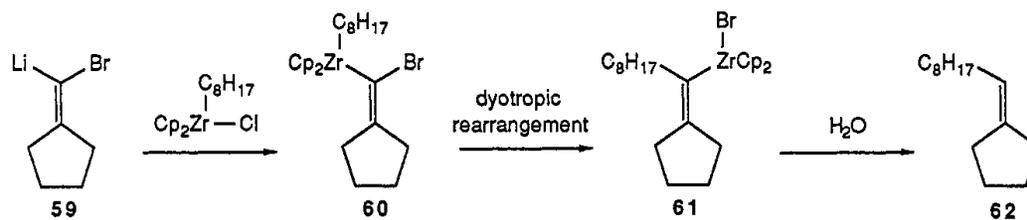
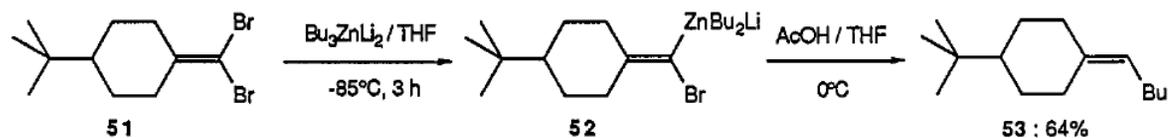
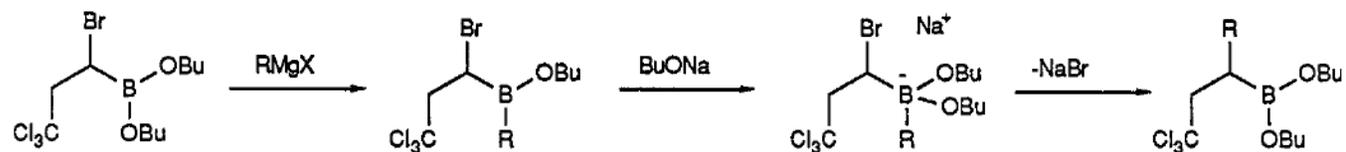
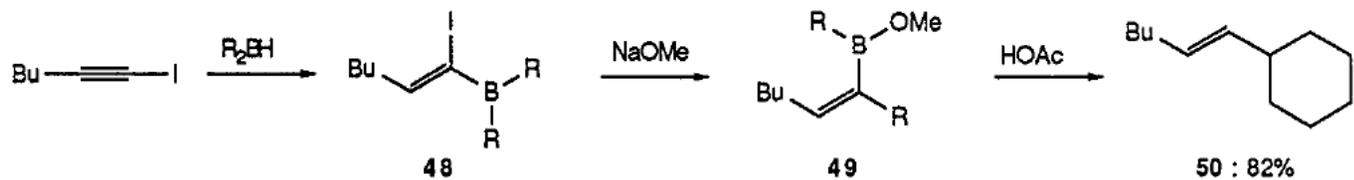
# Cuprate Rearrangements



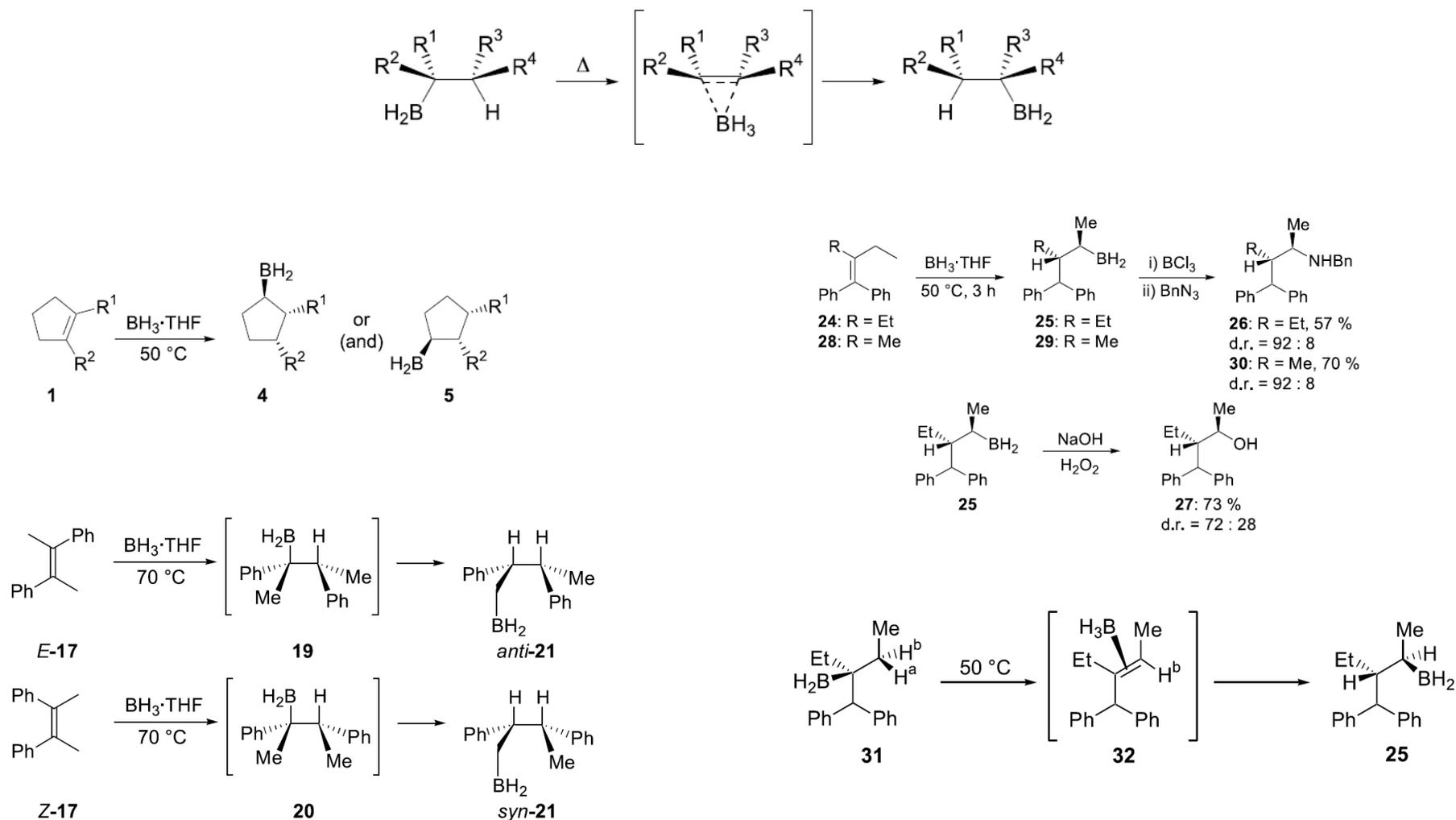
Excellent method for obtaining stereodefined trisubstituted alkenes and organometallic reagents  
 Can be used in three component coupling reactions



## Other Metallate Rearrangements

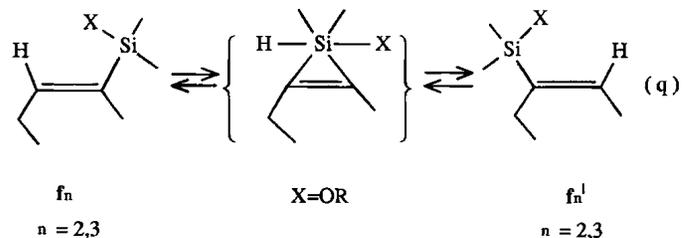


# Syn Dyotropic Rearrangements of Organoboranes

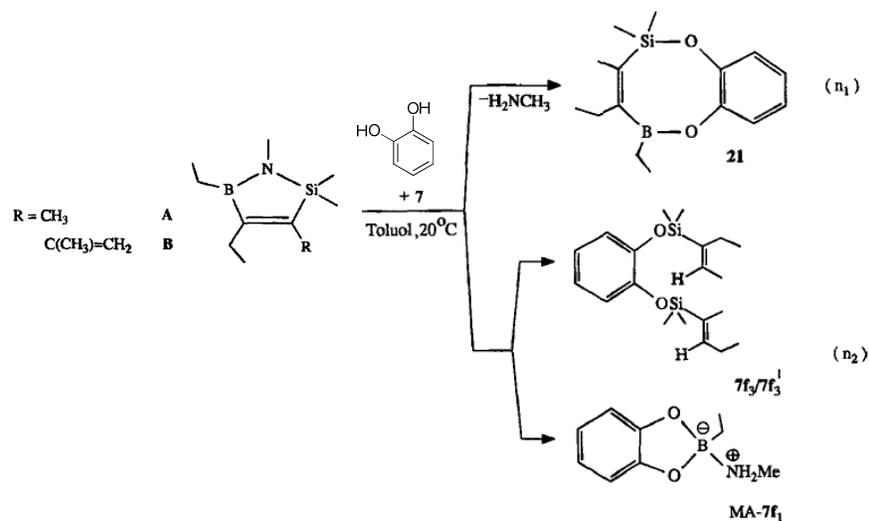


One of only 2 examples of *syn* type 1 dyotropic rearrangements

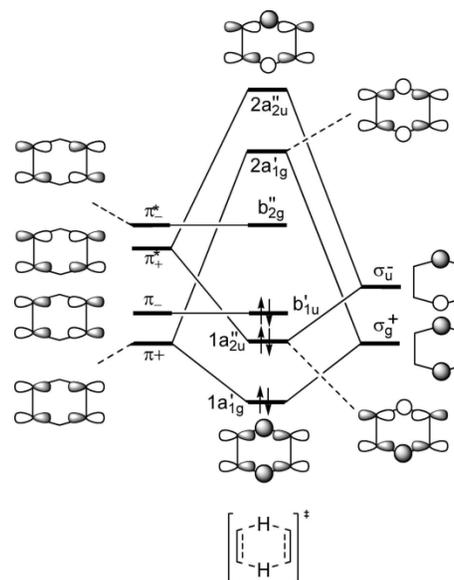
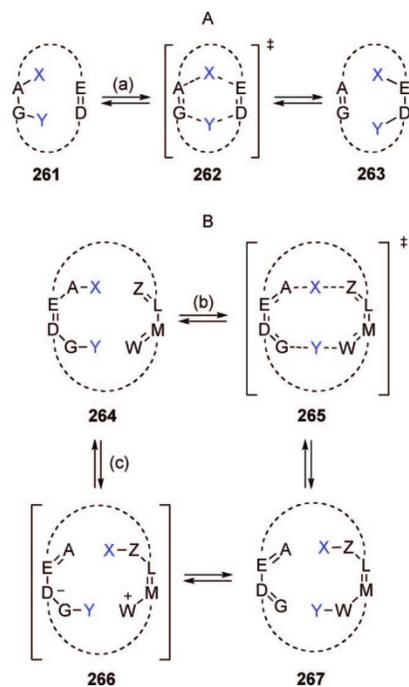
# Syn Silane Migration



The 2<sup>nd</sup> of two reported *syn* type I dyotropic reactions  
 Has not been investigated in detail, the mechanism depicted is the authors hypothesis  
 Only observed during protodeboronation of *Z*-bora-sila-alkenes



# Type II Dyotropic Rearrangements



Many possible scaffolds

Most common is type A, a thermally allowed  $6-\pi e^-$  process

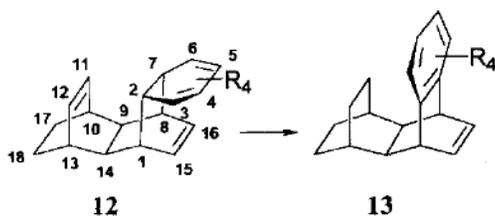
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# Type II Dyotropic Reactions: Double Hydrogen Migrations

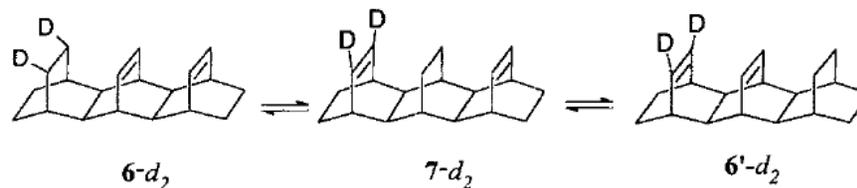


For R=H

$$\Delta H^\ddagger = +18.3 \text{ kcal/mol}$$

$$\Delta S^\ddagger = -17.0 \text{ cal/(mol}\cdot\text{K)}$$

$$\Delta G^\ddagger = +23.4 \text{ kcal/mol (@298 K)}$$



For 6 → 7

$$\Delta H^\ddagger = +35.8 \text{ kcal/mol}$$

$$\Delta S^\ddagger = -10.0 \text{ cal/(mol}\cdot\text{K)}$$

$$\Delta G^\ddagger = +38.7 \text{ kcal/mol (@298 K)}$$

For 7 → 6

$$\Delta H^\ddagger = +36.9 \text{ kcal/mol}$$

$$\Delta S^\ddagger = -6.9 \text{ cal/(mol}\cdot\text{K)}$$

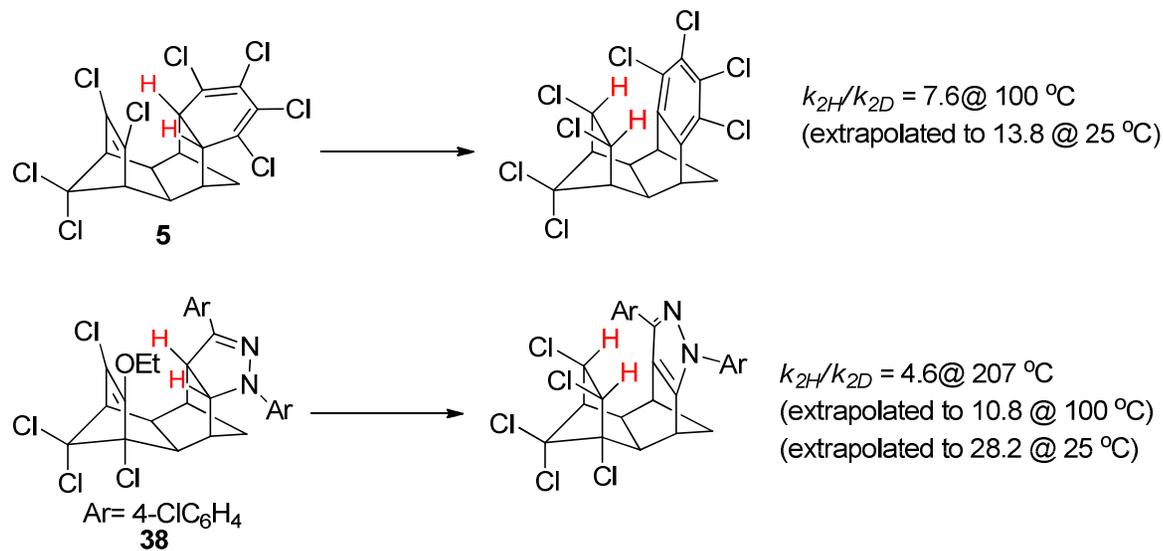
$$\Delta G^\ddagger = +40.0 \text{ kcal/mol (@298 K)}$$

Most extensively studied form of type II dyotropic rearrangement  
Components must be held in close proximity

Thermoneutral reactions have large barriers,  
despite being symmetry allowed processes

$$\Delta S^\ddagger < 0$$

# Double Hydrogen Migrations: Isotope Effects

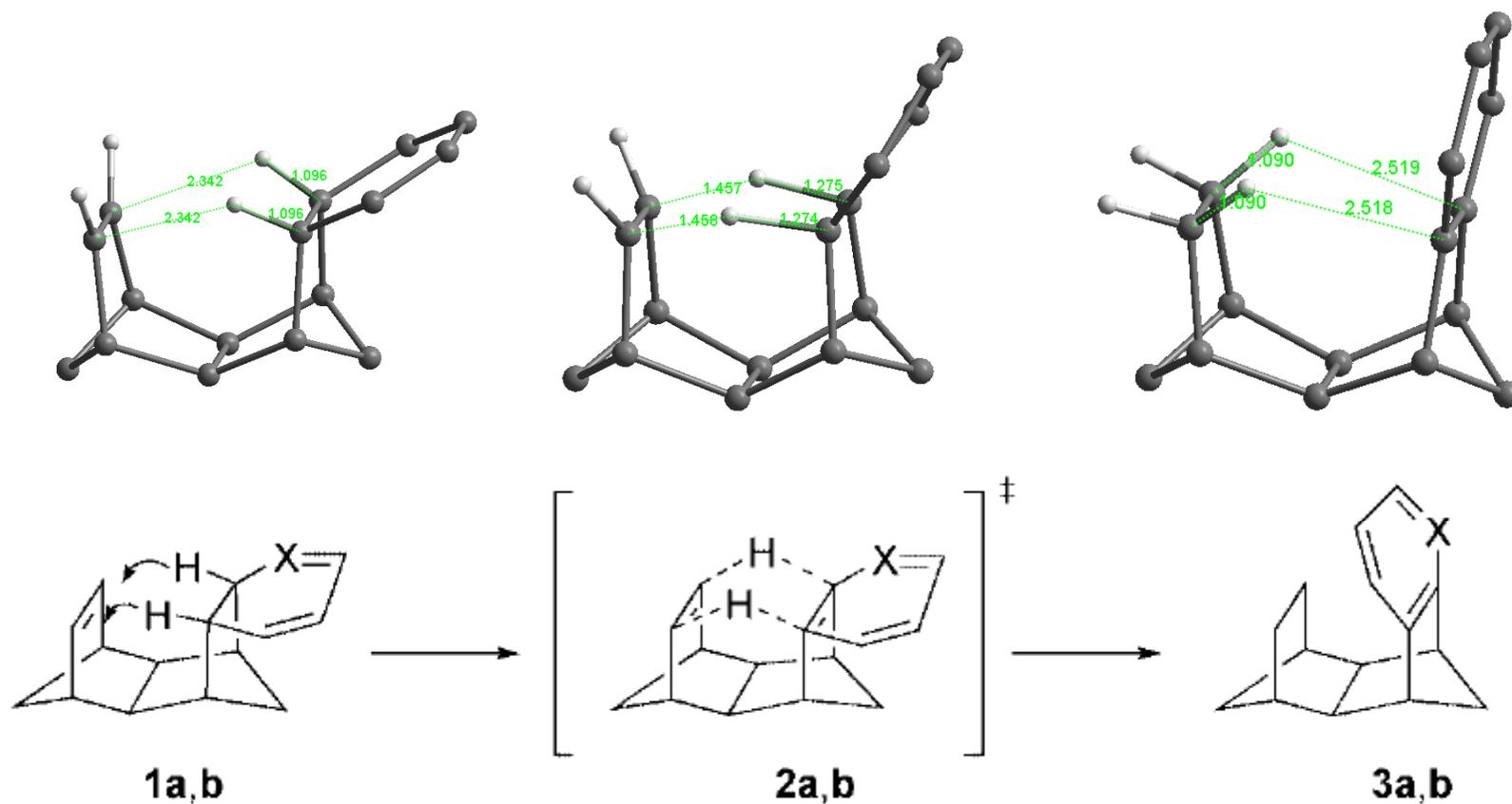


**Table 8** Activation parameters for dyotropy, <sup>1</sup>H- and <sup>2</sup>H-trienes **5** and -pyrazolines **38**

	$\Delta E_s^a$	$\Delta H^\ddagger^a$	$\Delta S^\ddagger^b$	$\Delta G^\ddagger^a$	log <i>A</i>
[ <sup>1</sup> H]- <b>5</b>	25.07 ± 0.07	24.47 ± 0.09	-9.87 ± 0.05	27.39	11.09 ± 0.06
[ <sup>2</sup> H]- <b>5</b> <sup>c</sup>	26.77 ± 0.09	26.18 ± 0.09	-9.27 ± 0.04(5)	28.95	11.20 ± 0.05
[ <sup>1</sup> H]- <b>38</b>	31.43 ± 0.21	30.83 ± 0.20	-13.33 ± 0.12	34.81	10.32 ± 0.10
[ <sup>2</sup> H]- <b>38</b> <sup>c</sup>	34.23 ± 0.30	33.63 ± 0.29(6)	-10.49 ± 0.13	36.76	10.93 ± 0.14

<sup>a</sup> kcal mol<sup>-1</sup>. <sup>b</sup> cal mol<sup>-1</sup> K<sup>-1</sup> converted from data in kJ, (1 cal = 4.18 J). <sup>c</sup> To simplify expressions used in describing and discussing data <sup>2</sup>H ≡ D.

# Computational Study of Double Hydrogen Migrations



For X=CH  $E_a=19.9$  kcal/mol (B3LYP/6-31+G(d))

Sy ( a measure of synchronicity) = 0.89 (for a perfectly synchronous reaction Sy=1.0)

# Correlation with Aromatic Stabilization Energy

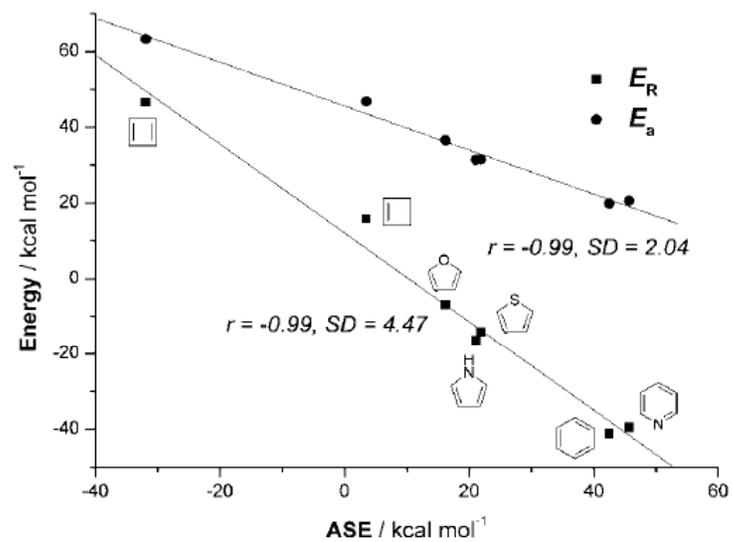
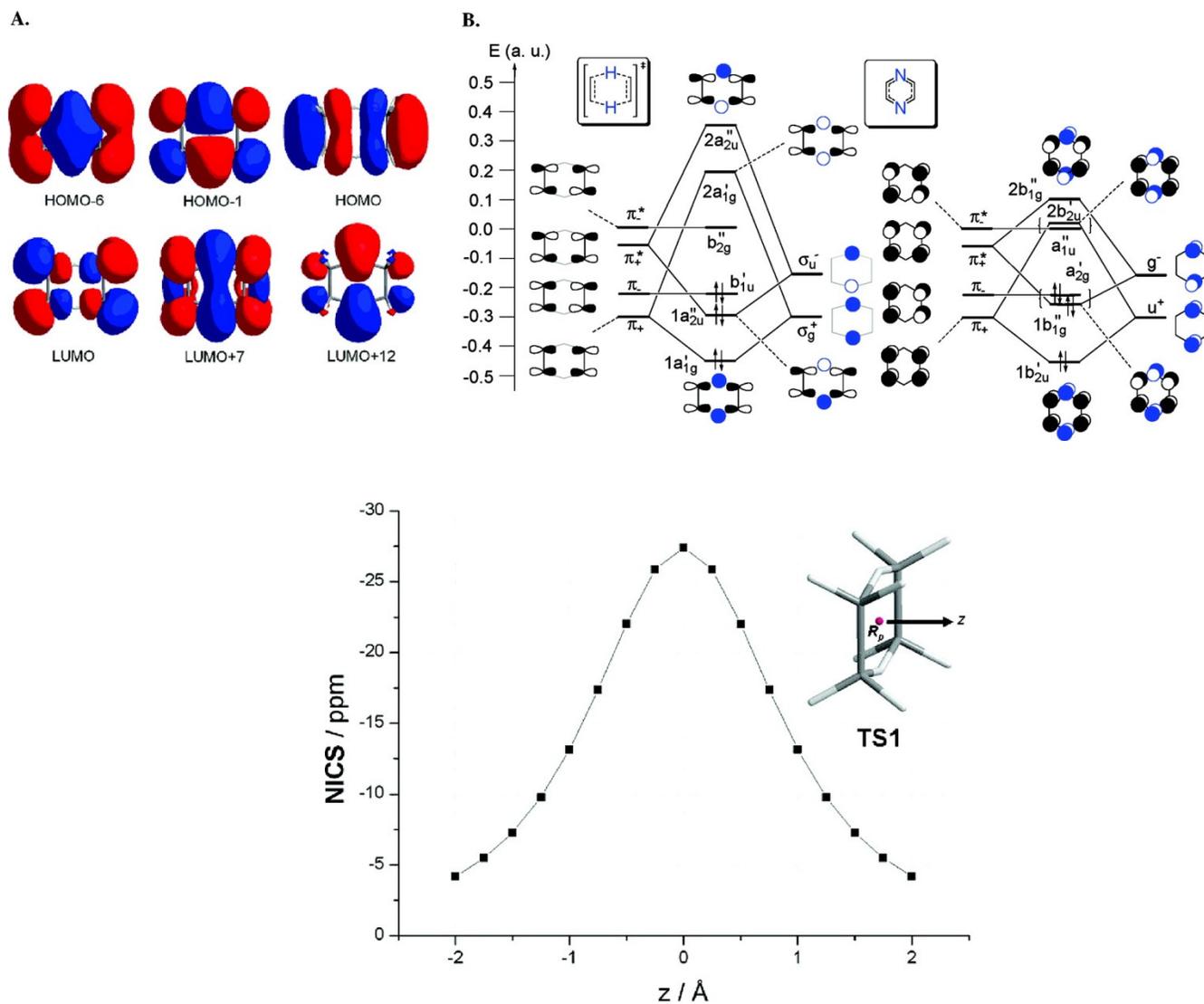


Figure 2. Plot of the ASE values vs. the activation (circles) and reaction (squares) energies for the dyotropic process  $1 \rightarrow 3$ .

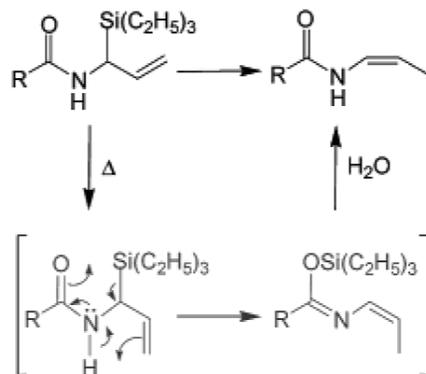
Table 2. Activation energies ( $E_a$ , kcal/mol),<sup>[a]</sup> reaction energies ( $E_R$ , kcal/mol),<sup>[a]</sup> synchronicities ( $S_y$ , in a.u.), NICS(0), and NICS(1) values (in ppm), associated with the  $1 \rightarrow 3$  double hydrogen atom transfers.

Entry	X	$E_a$ <sup>[b]</sup>	$E_R$ <sup>[c]</sup>	$S_y$	NICS(0) <sup>[d]</sup>	NICS(1) <sup>[e]</sup>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>1a,b</b> <math>\rightarrow</math> <b>2a,b</b> <math>\rightarrow</math> <b>3a,b</b></p>						
1	CH	19.9	-41.1	0.89	-26.03	-12.14
2	N	20.6	-39.5	0.88	-26.59	-12.57
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>1c-e</b> <math>\rightarrow</math> <b>2c-e</b> <math>\rightarrow</math> <b>3c-e</b></p>						
3	O	36.6	-6.8	0.84	-24.57	-12.11
4	S	31.5	-14.0	0.84	-24.85	-11.84
5	NH	31.4	-16.4	0.84	-24.62	-12.19
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6	CH	63.3	+46.6	0.93	-16.06	-6.49
7	CH <sub>2</sub>	46.9	+15.9	0.92	-24.44	-11.53

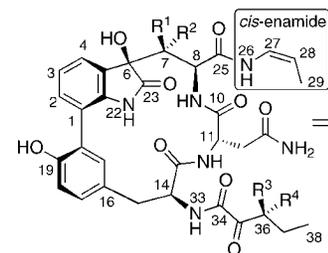
# Type 2 Dyotropic Reactions: Planar Aromaticity



# Dyotropic Rearrangement of $\alpha$ -Silyl Amides



***cis*-Enamide Formation**

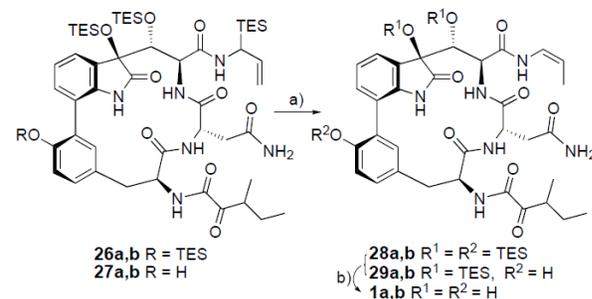


TMC-95	R <sup>1</sup>	R <sup>2</sup>	R <sup>3</sup>	R <sup>4</sup>
<b>A (1a)</b>	H	OH	CH <sub>3</sub>	H
<b>B (1b)</b>	H	OH	H	CH <sub>3</sub>
<b>C (1c)</b>	OH	H	CH <sub>3</sub>	H
<b>D (1d)</b>	OH	H	H	CH <sub>3</sub>

Table 1. Rearrangement–hydrolysis of  $\alpha$ -silylallyl amides **3**.<sup>[a]</sup>

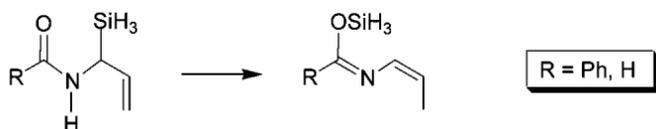
Entry	R =	Conditions	Yield [%]
1		a) toluene, 110 °C, 10 h; b) H <sub>2</sub> O	81
2		a) toluene, 110 °C, 20 h; b) H <sub>2</sub> O	73
3		a) toluene, 110 °C, 27 h; b) H <sub>2</sub> O	67
4		a) toluene, 110 °C, 3 d; b) H <sub>2</sub> O	72
5		a) <i>o</i> -xylene, 135 °C, 4 d; b) H <sub>2</sub> O	52

[a] TES = triethylsilyl, Boc = *tert*-butoxycarbonyl, EDC = 1-[3-(dimethylamino)propyl]-3-ethylcarbodiimide hydrochloride, HOAT = 1-hydroxy-7-azabenzotriazole.

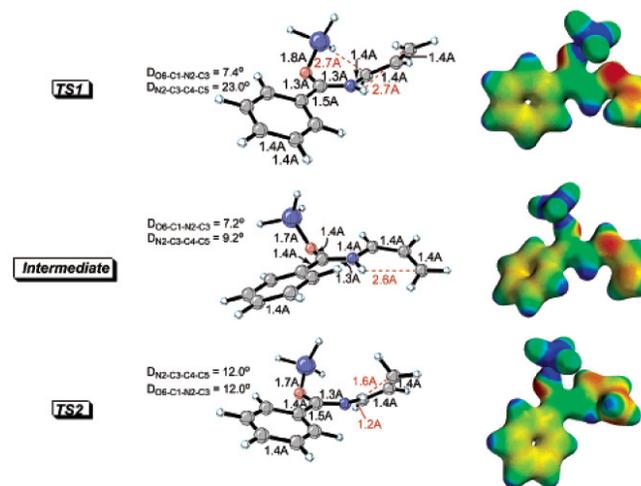
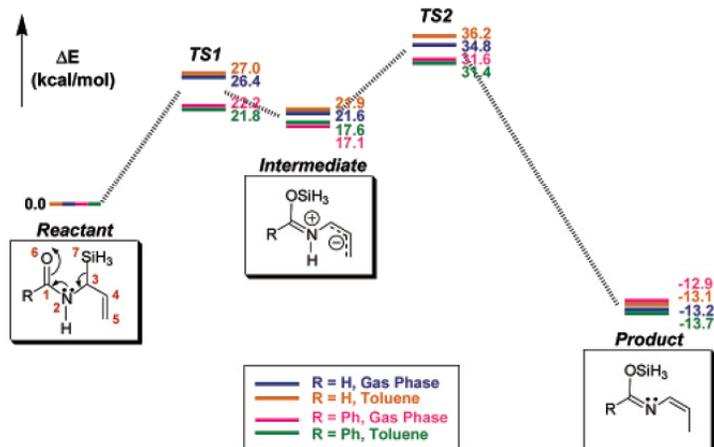


Scheme 6. Synthesis of TMC-95A (**1a**) and TMC-95B (**1b**). a) 1) *o*-xylene, 140 °C, 3 d; 2) H<sub>2</sub>O; b) HF/Py, THF/Py; then Me<sub>3</sub>SiOMe; 49% (two steps).

# Dyotropic Rearrangement of $\alpha$ -Silyl Amides : Mechanism



**Scheme 3.** Energetics Computed for the Reactions When  $R = \text{Ph}$  and  $R = \text{H}$



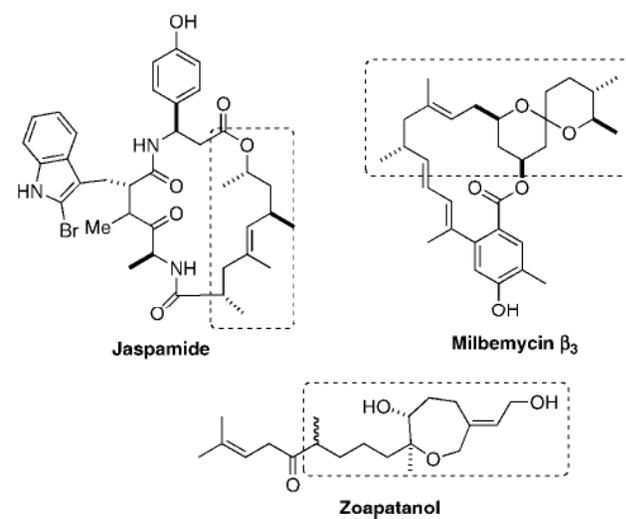
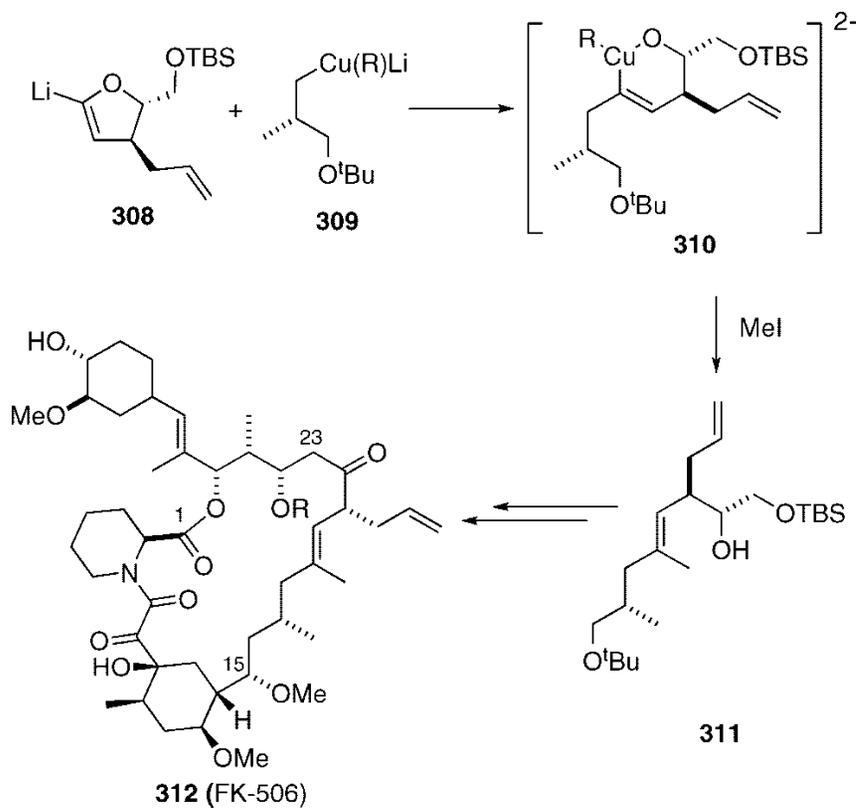
**Table 1.** Dipole Moments with B3LYP/6-311++G(3d,3p)//B3LYP/6-31G(d) Calculations (Gas Phase)

	reactant	TS1	intermediate	TS2	product
R = Ph	4.2	3.1	1.7	1.5	0.9
R = H	3.7	2.3	2.2	3.2	1.8

Calculations support a stepwise mechanism via an intermediate azomethine ylide

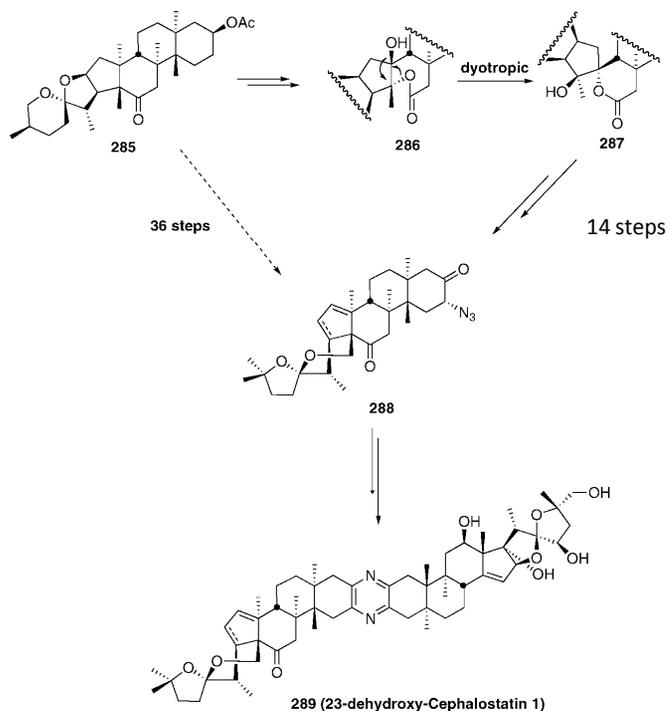
A transition structure corresponding to a concerted reaction could not be located, despite being formally a 10 e- process

# Metallate Rearrangements in Synthesis

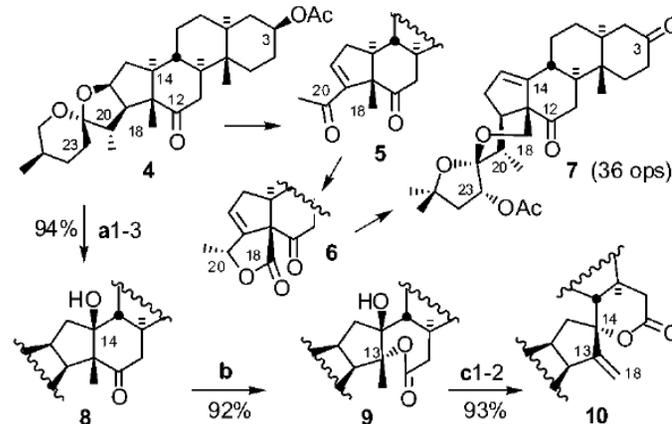


<sup>a</sup> The dotted box indicates the fragment of the molecule which has been constructed by a 1,2-dyotropic rearrangement.

# Synthetic Applications Of Type 1 Dyotropic Rearrangements: Synthesis of Cephalostatins

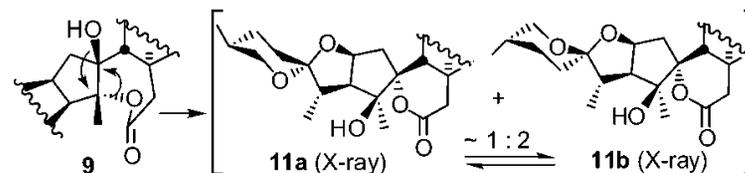


New synthesis: 16 steps, 9% overall  
(not counting other fragment, ca 25 steps by previous method)

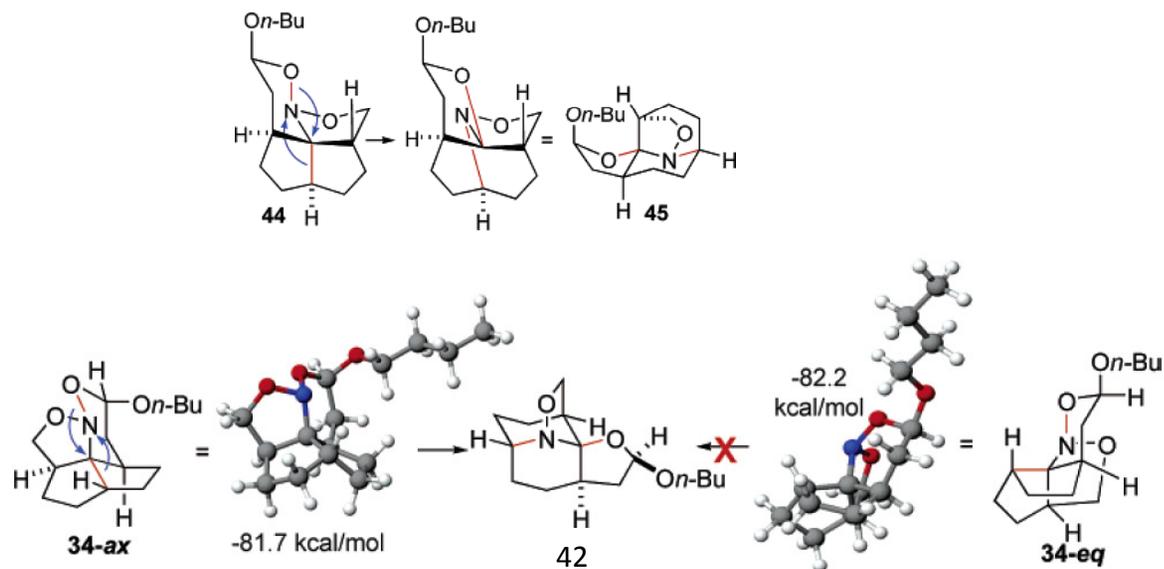
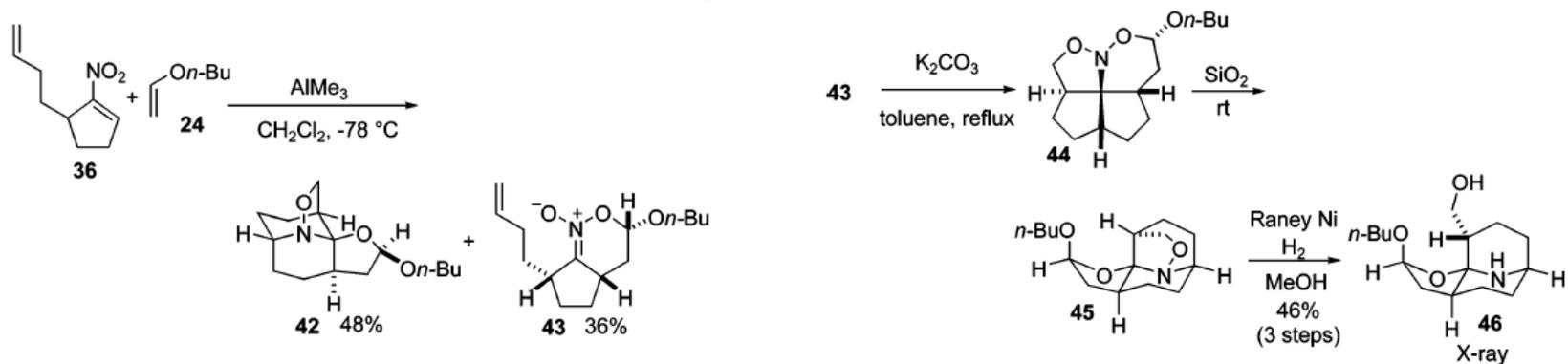


<sup>a</sup> a1. *hv*, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>; a2. evap; add 3:1 HOAc/H<sub>2</sub>O; a3. add H<sub>2</sub>CrO<sub>4</sub>; b. 2 equiv mCPBA, 4 equiv Na<sub>2</sub>HPO<sub>4</sub>, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 11 d; c1. 2% TMSOTf, PhMe, 3 h; c2. add 5 equiv pyridine, 1.5 equiv SOCl<sub>2</sub>, 50–55 °C, 50 min.

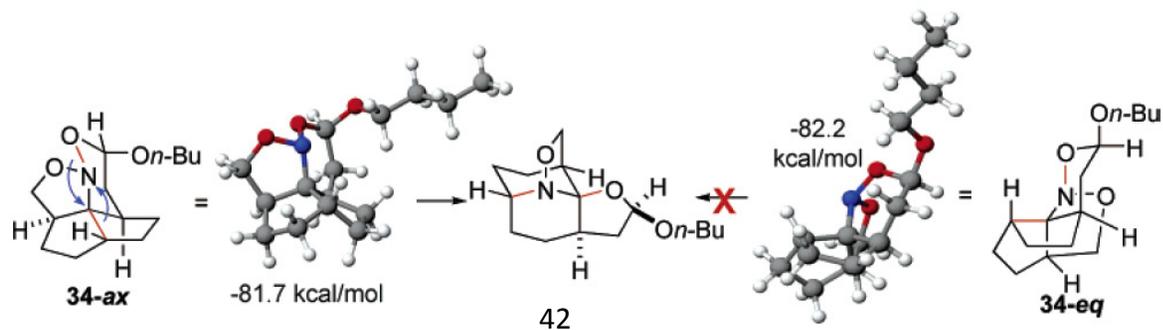
**Scheme 2**



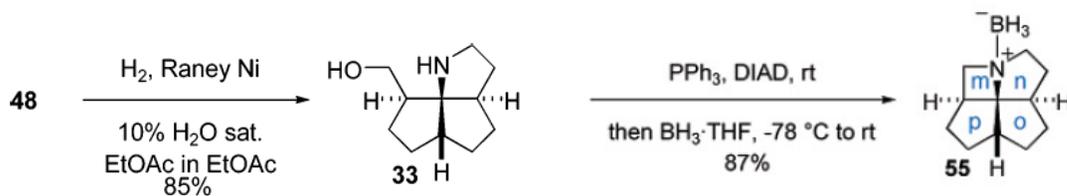
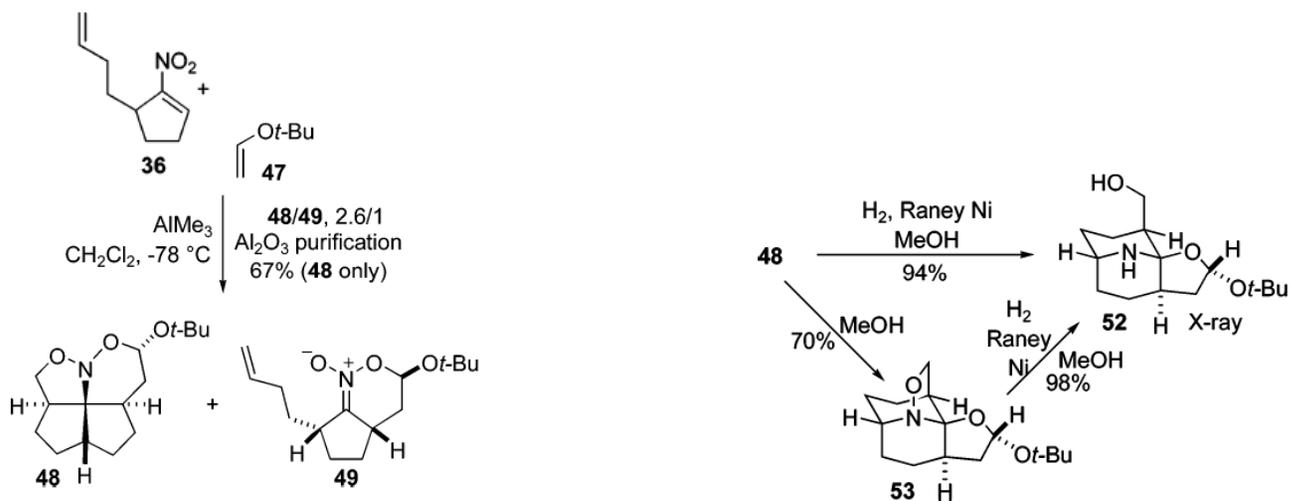
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# Conclusions

Dyotropic reactions are mechanistically interesting processes with practical applications

Despite nearly 60 years of investigation, new applications and insights are still being developed.

Dyotropic reactions can occur by concerted or stepwise processes

Above all, dyotropic reactions are not limited to esoteric contrived substrates