

化學家在做什麼？

以有機化學家為例

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展望化學的未來：An Era of  
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## Science:

Knowledge about the world, especially based on **examining, testing** and **proving** facts.

## Chemistry:

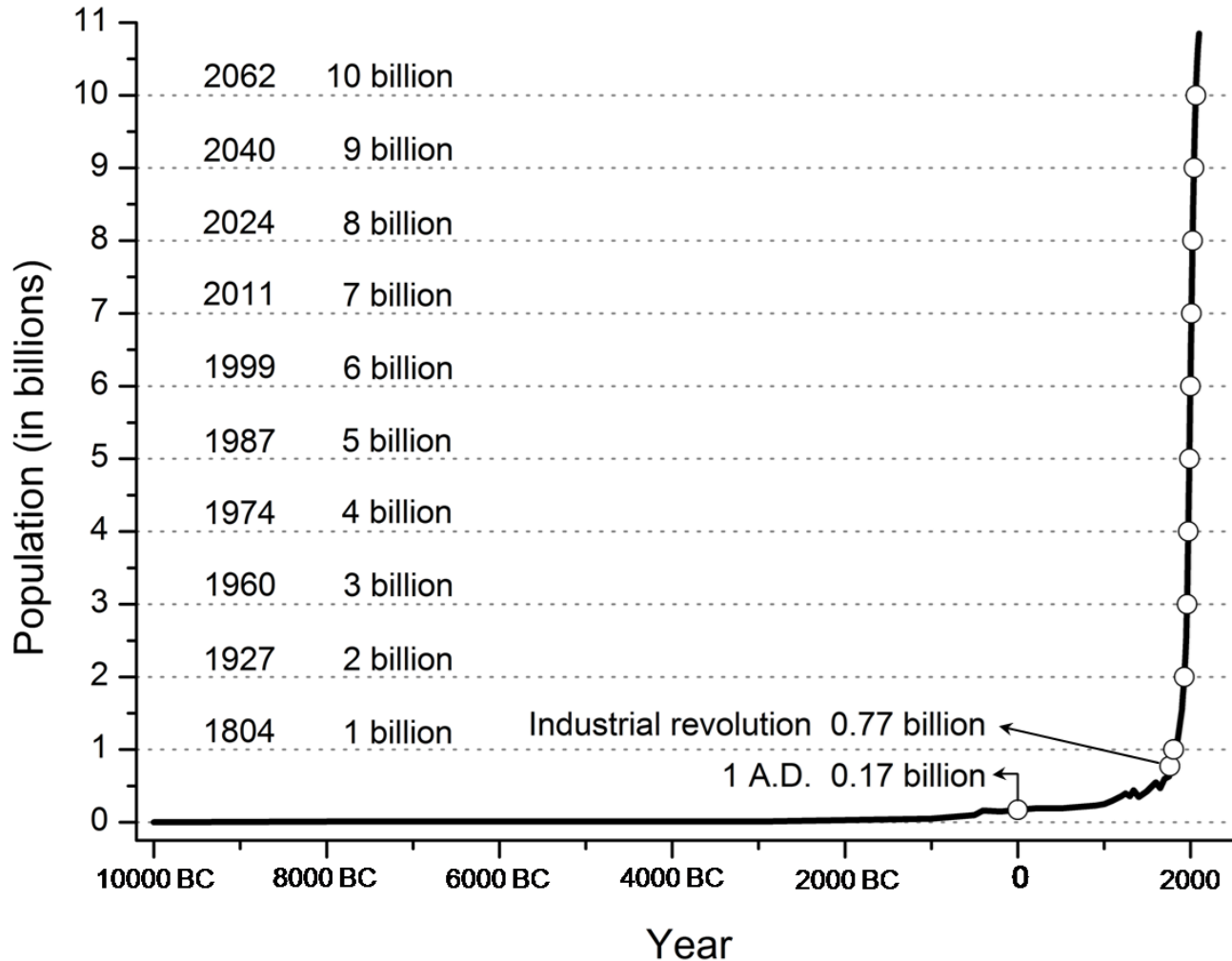
The **science** that is concerned with studying the ***structure*** of **substances** and the way that they ***change*** or ***combine*** with each other.

*Longman Dictionary*

現況與需求？

機器人會取代化學家嗎？

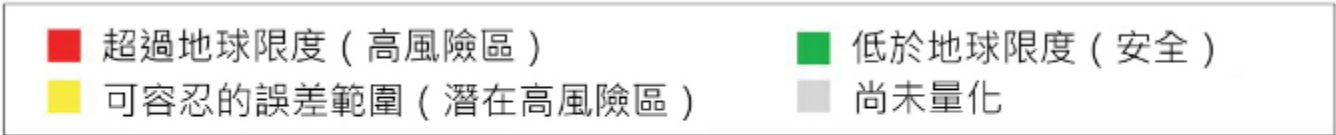
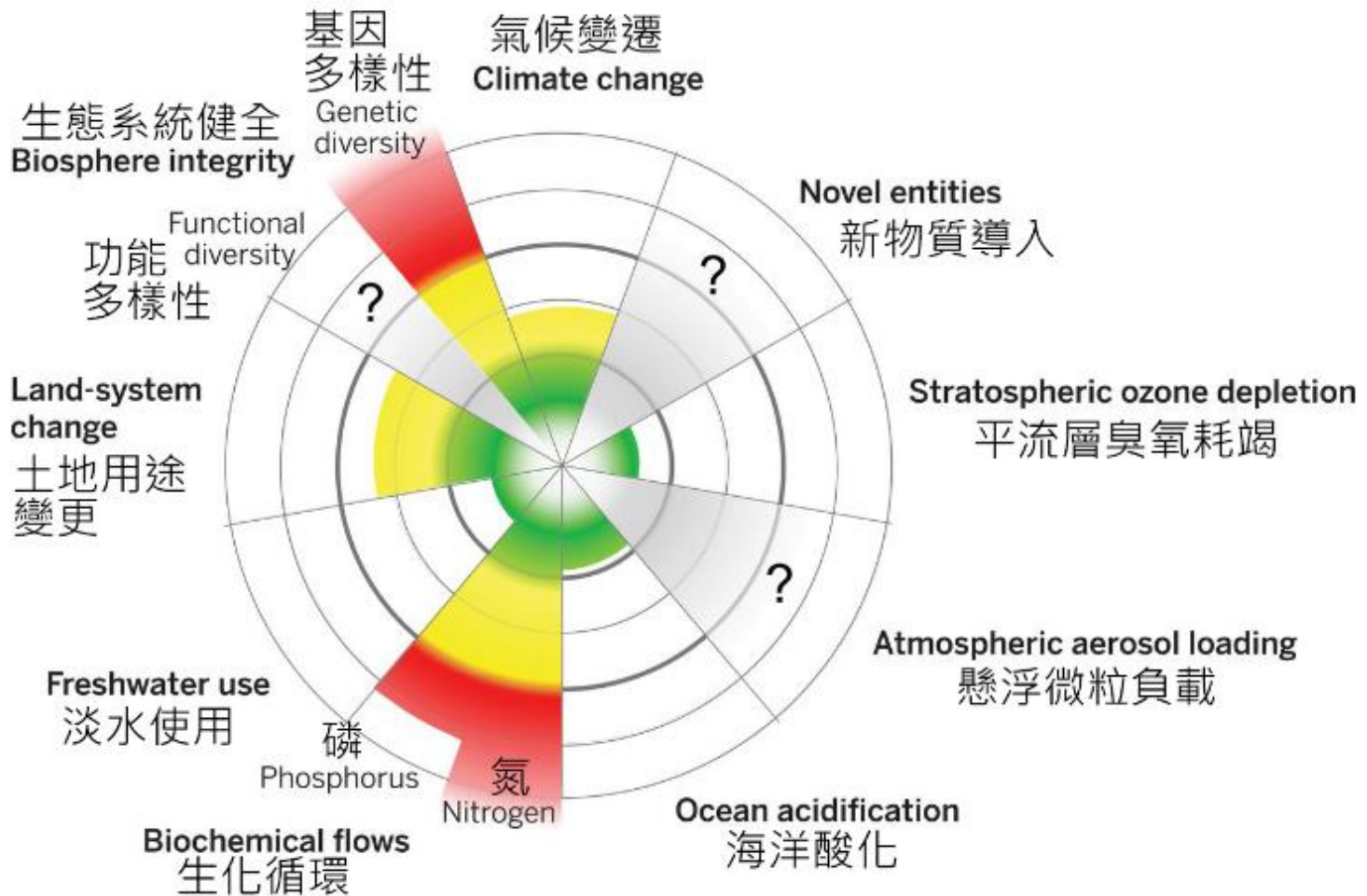
# World Population



■ Food/water enough when 30% more people?

Data before 1940: [http://www.census.gov/population/international/data/worldpop/table\\_history.php](http://www.census.gov/population/international/data/worldpop/table_history.php)

Data after 1940: <http://esa.un.org/unpd/wpp/Excel-Data/population.htm> Graph prepared by Hung-Yu Huang



中文翻譯：Impact Hub Taipei

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1 消除貧窮



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# Reinventing Chemistry

George M. Whitesides\*

change · chemistry · science




## *The End of One Era and the Beginning of Another*

**Nothing goes on forever.** The years following World War II were very kind to chemistry. The research universities and the chemical industry—one of the most beneficial partner-

ment, whatever—"chemical" or not? Any simple definition of the field of chemistry—or at least any definition as simple as "atoms, molecules, and reactions"—no longer seems to fit its potential, its obligations to society, or the complexity of the challenges it faces.

### Abstract



CHANGE

**“Chemistry may now be the most important of the sciences in its potential to impact society.”**

Chemistry is in a period of change, from an era focused on molecules and reactions, to one in which manipulations of systems of molecules and reactions will be essential parts of controlling larger systems. This Essay traces paths from the past to possible futures.

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# 可以不要化學工業嗎？ PET vs. Wool

## Land-Use Intensification in Manufacturing Fiber



Figure 2.11 Fleece made from recycled synthetic PET fibre. Image copyright O. Akhøj.



Figure 2.12 A sheep (in Swaledale, Cumbria), the source of the natural fibre, wool. Image copyright David Iliff 2010. Used under license from Shutterstock.com.

### PET

- A 4-hectare plant produces 0.5 million tonnes per year

### Wool

- To obtain 0.5 million tonnes per year; 25 sheep/hectare . Need  $4 \times 10^6$  ha of pasture. (Size of the Netherlands)

Land use ratio!! =  $4 \times 10^6 / 4 = 10^6$  !!

If 39 million tonnes of wool needed per year. **Size of India!!**

# 化學化工--現代社會的支柱

## 延長壽命 改變世(視)界!



# 化學 帶來工作機會

歐洲 雇用一百二十萬人

美國 雇用八十萬人

台灣



製造業分為四大產業；分別為金屬機械、資訊電子、化學工業與民生工業

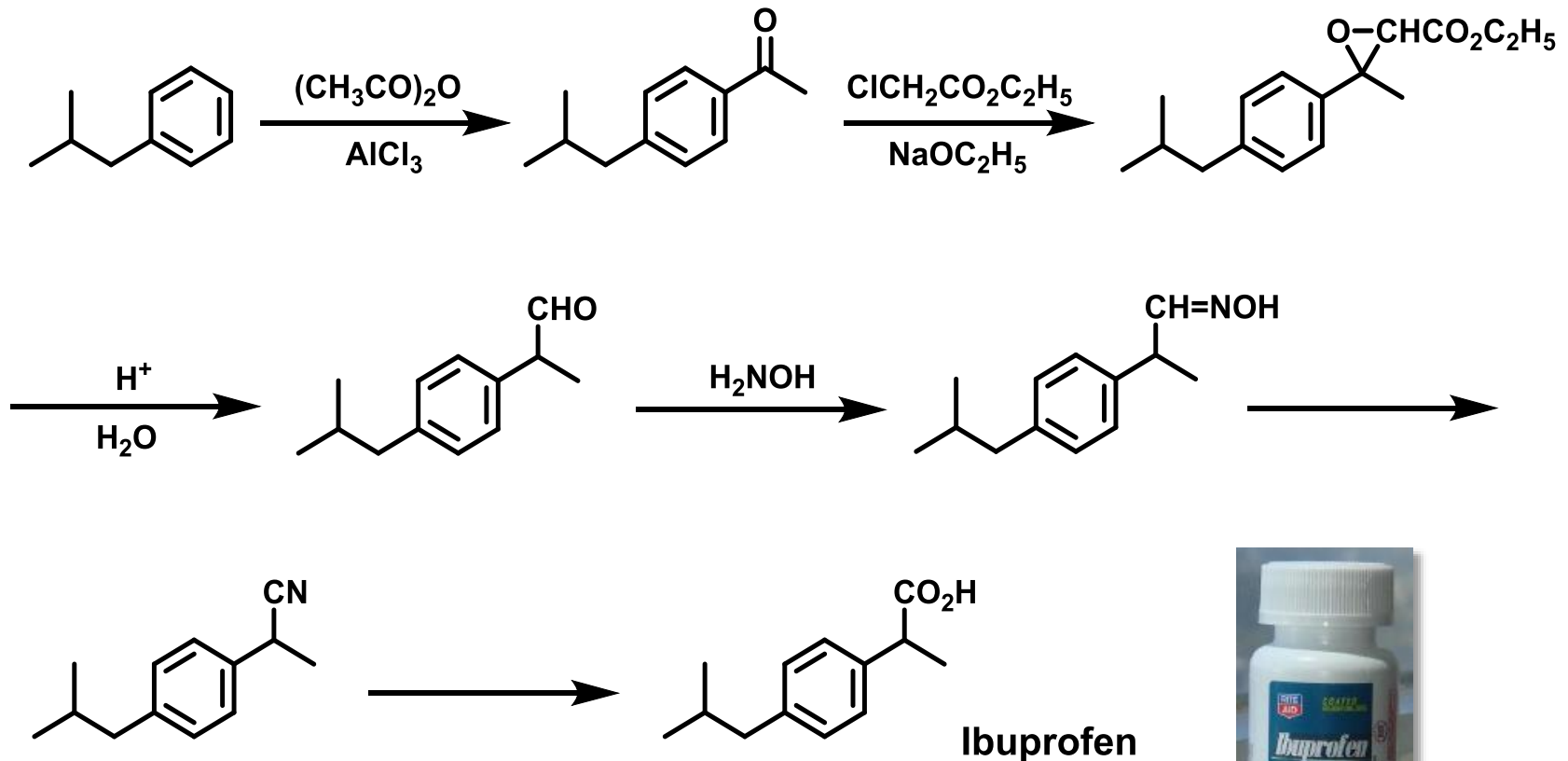
- 2000年生產產值比例依序為24.68%、37.39%、22.84%(1.92兆)與15.09%
- 2008年生產產值比例依序為27.96%、31.94%、30.36%(3.03兆)與9.75%
- 2012年生產產值比例依序為26.08%、32.74%、31.34%(3.13兆)與9.85%

資訊電子與化學工業近年來分佔第一、二位，且差距小

# Success Story about Ibuprofen

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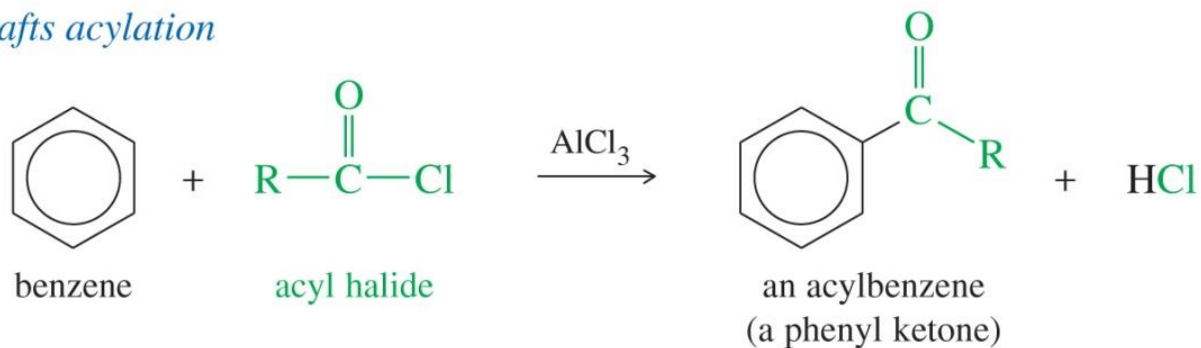
- UK market for ibuprofen is about 3,000,000 kg per year
- Old synthetic route (6 steps; atom economy = 40%)



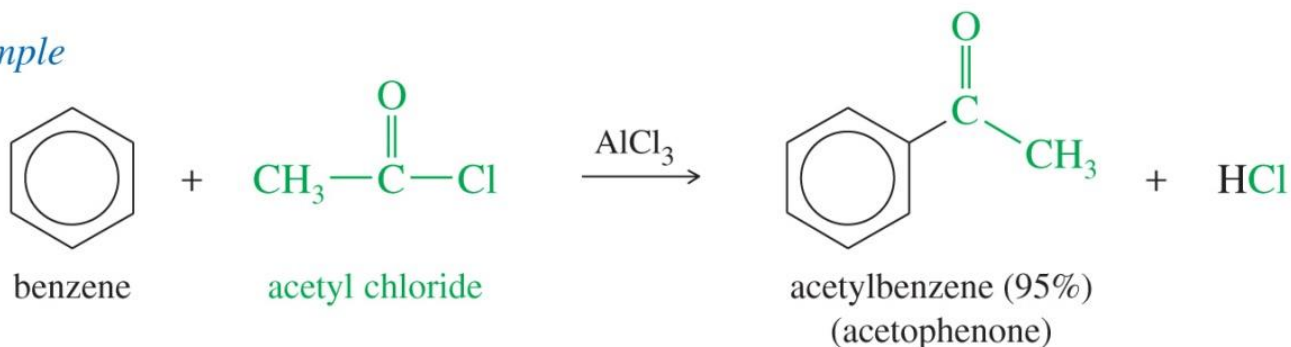
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## Friedel–Crafts Acylation

### *Friedel–Crafts acylation*



### *Example*

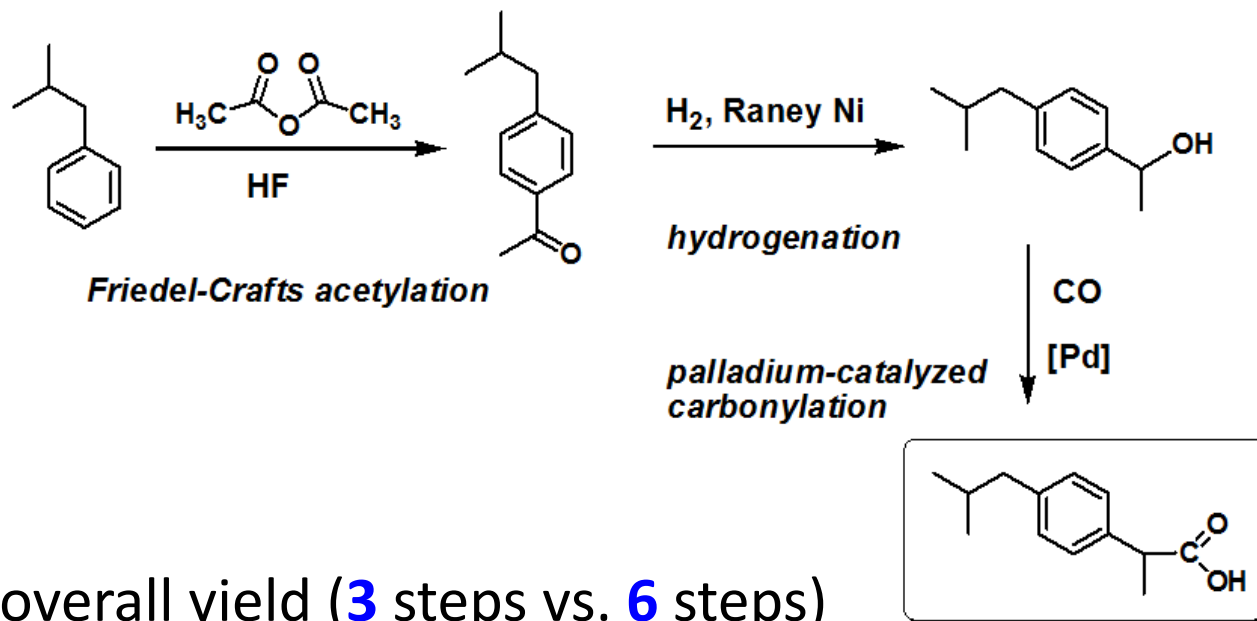


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- Acyl chloride is used in place of alkyl chloride.
- The product is a phenyl ketone that is less reactive than benzene.

# Green Synthesis of Ibuprofen

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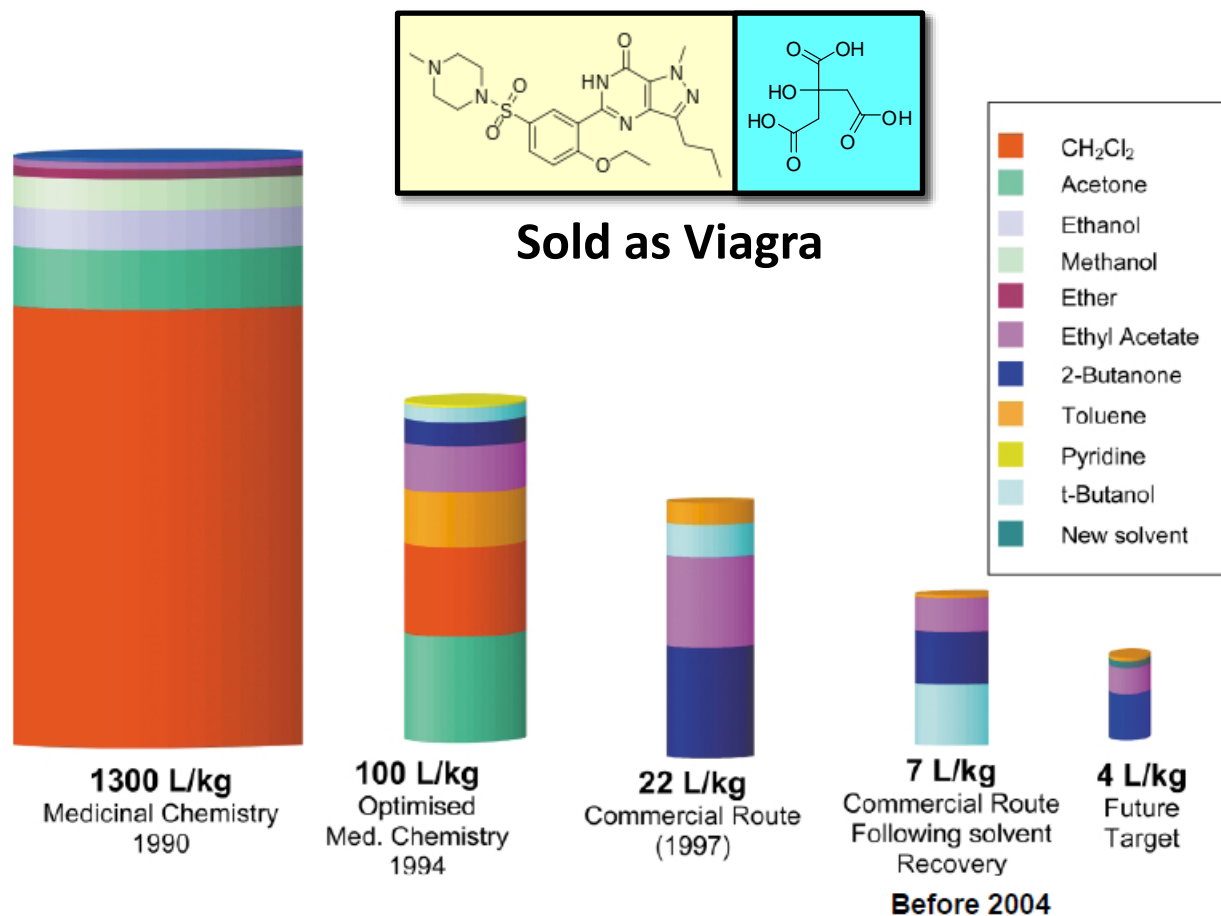
- Greater overall yield (**3** steps vs. **6** steps)
- Greater atom economy (**77%** vs. **40%** atom economy)
- Fewer auxiliary substances (products and solvents separation agents)
- **Less waste:** greater atom economy, catalytic vs. stoichiometric reagents, recovery of byproducts and reagents, recycling, and reuse, lower disposal costs.

Presidential Green Chemistry Challenge Awards

**Greener Synthetic Pathways Award** in 1997

# The Sildenafil Citrate Process: Reduction of Solvent Usage

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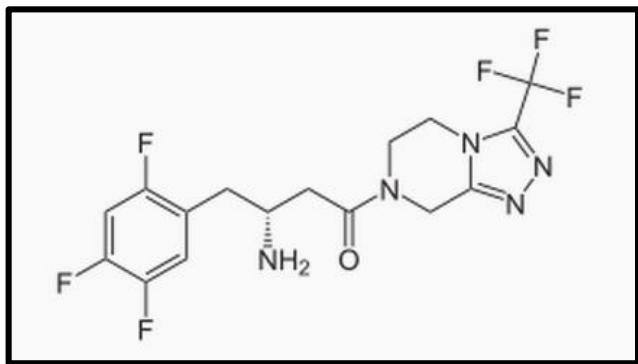
**2003 CRTSTAL Faraday Award**

*Green Chem.* **2004**, 6, 43; *Org. Proc. Res. Dev.* **2005**, 9, 88.



# Green Synthesis of Sitagliptin: Biocatalysis

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Active ingredient in Januvia  
for treating of type 2 diabetes

- Enzymatic process affording chiral amine
- Eliminate the use of a rare metal catalyst
- Remove the use of high pressure condition
- Increase yield
- **Less waste:** compared to original catalytic synthesis, the enzymatic
- process creates **99.8 kg less waste for each kg** of sitagliptin produced.

**Presidential Green Chemistry Challenge Award**

**Greener Reaction Conditions Award in 2010**

*Science* **2010**, 329, 305.



# Prospects of Chemists

The Economist

World politics Business & finance Economics Science & technology Culture

The future of jobs

## The onrushing wave

Previous technological innovation has always delivered more long-run employment, not less. But things can change

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**A bright future ahead for chemists and chemical engineers in a world of computerisation!**

### Bring on the personal trainers

Probability that computerisation will lead to job losses within the next two decades, 2013 (1=certain)

Job	Probability
Recreational therapists	0.003
Dentists	0.004
Athletic trainers	0.007
Clergy	0.008
Chemical engineers	0.02
Editors	0.06
Firefighters	0.17
Actors	0.37
Health technologists	0.40
Economists	0.43
Commercial pilots	0.55
Machinists	0.65
Word processors and typists	0.81
Real estate sales agents	0.86
Technical writers	0.89
Retail salespersons	0.92
Accountants and auditors	0.94
Telemarketers	0.99

Source: "The Future of Employment: How Susceptible are Jobs to Computerisation?" by C.Frey and M.Osborne (2013)

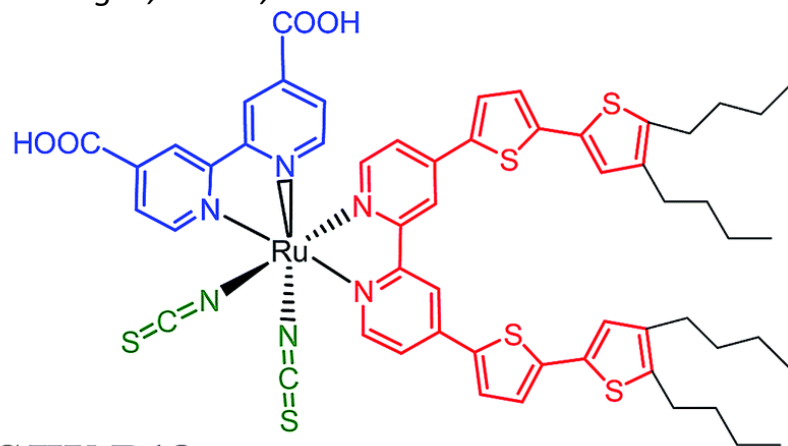
# Structural design of ruthenium sensitizer compatible with cobalt electrolyte for a dye-sensitized solar cell<sup>†</sup>

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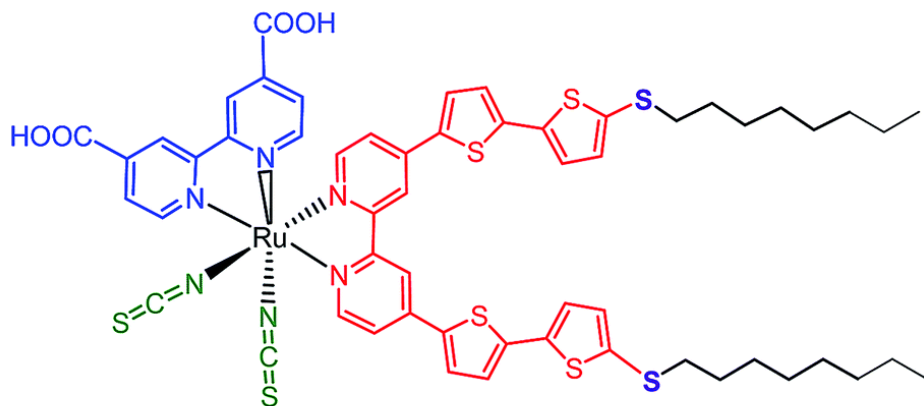
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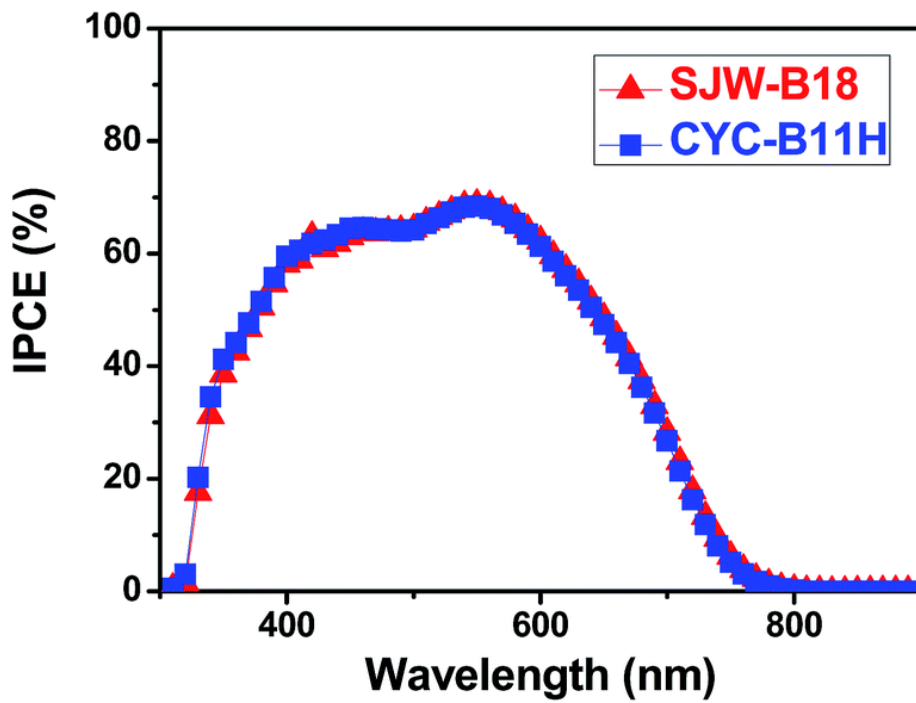
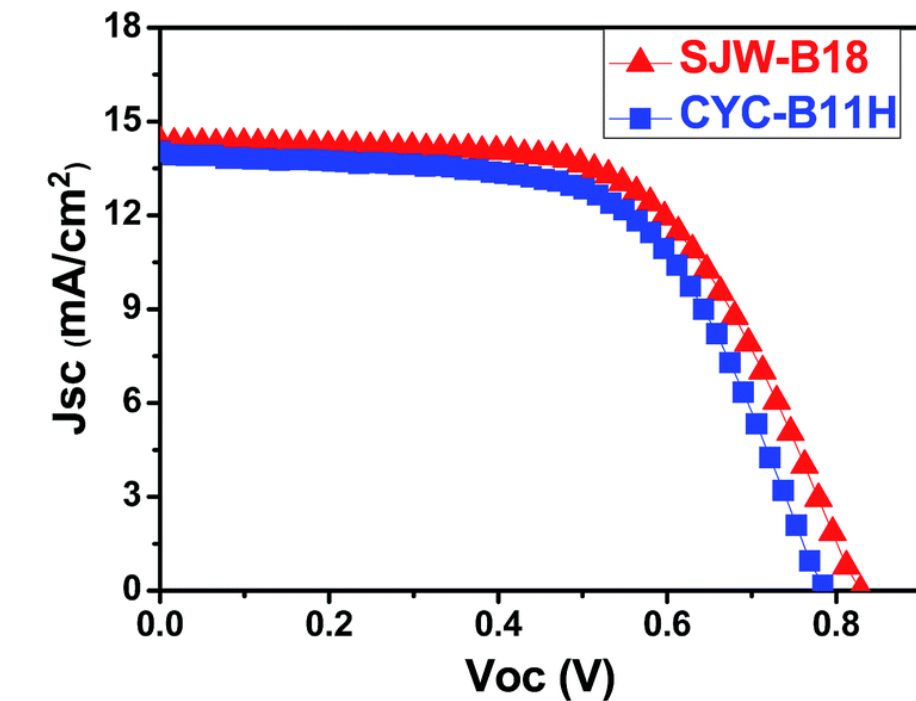


SJW-B18

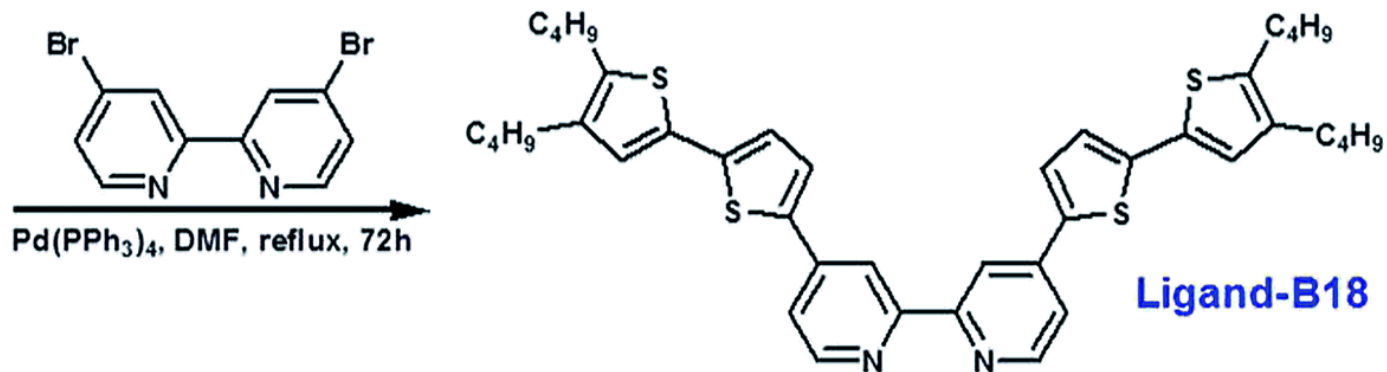
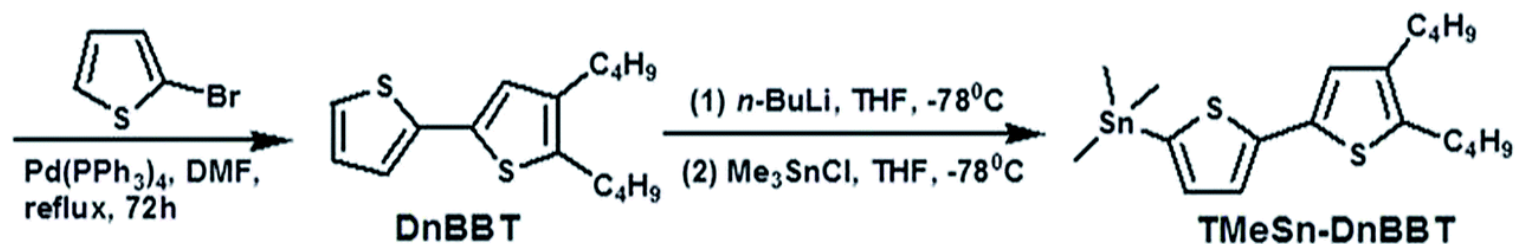
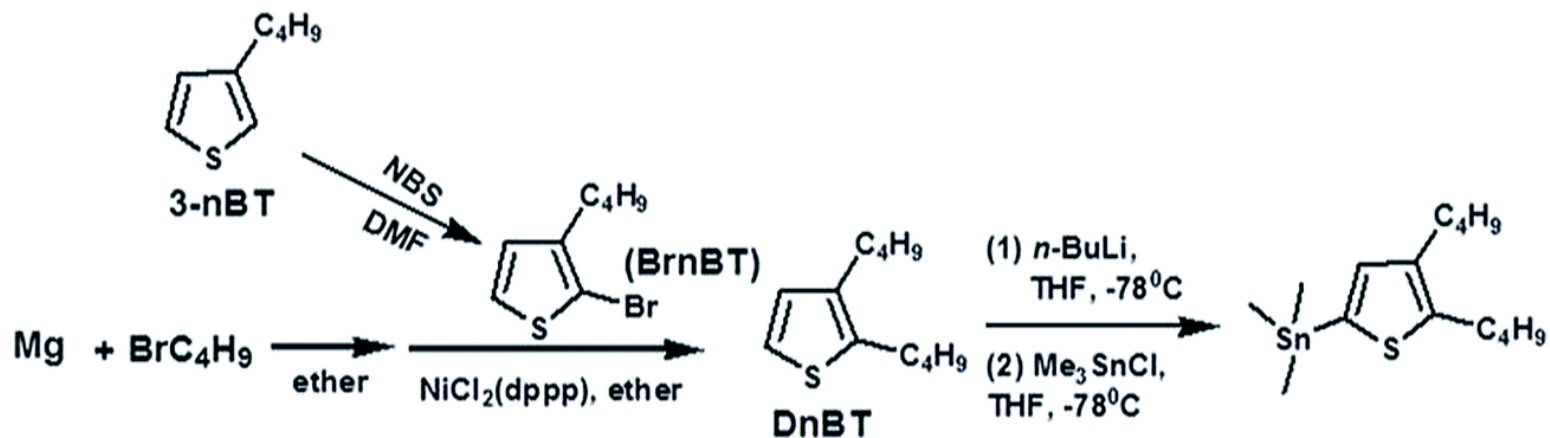
功能(function)導向的合成化學



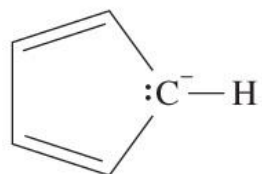
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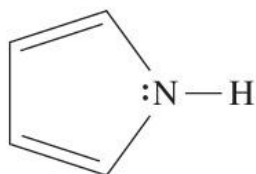
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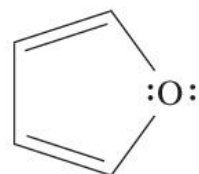
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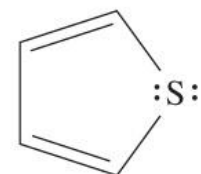
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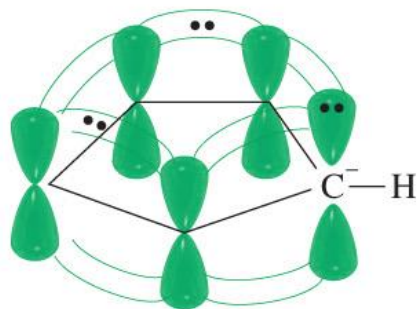
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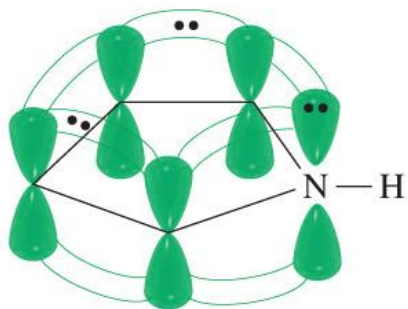
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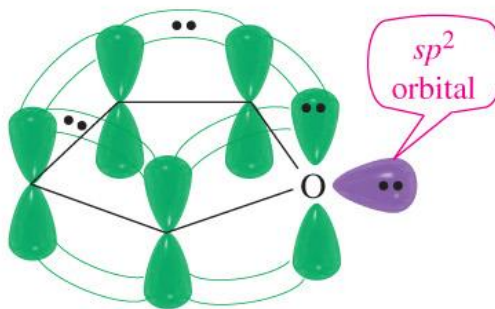
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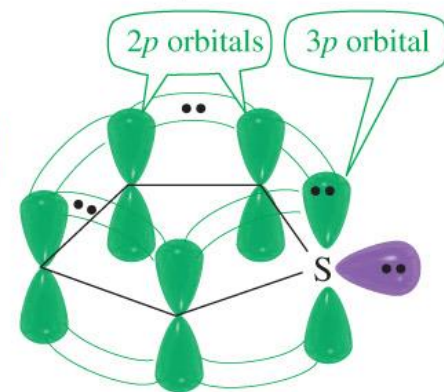
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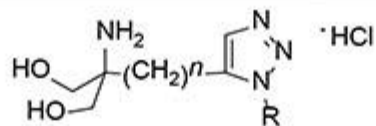
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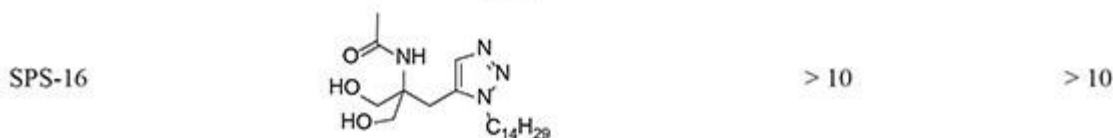
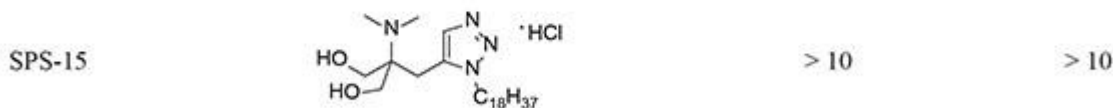
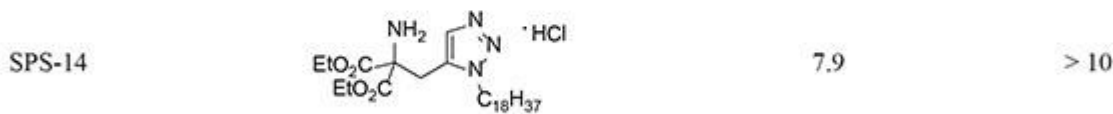
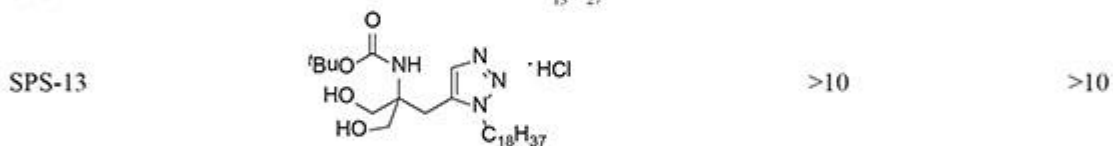
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Non-immunosuppressive triazole-based small molecule induces **anticancer activity** against human hormone-refractory prostate cancers: the role in inhibition of PI3K/AKT/mTOR and c-Myc signaling pathways



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SPS-2	1	C <sub>8</sub> H <sub>17</sub>	>10	>10
SPS-3	1	C <sub>10</sub> H <sub>21</sub>	>10	9.7
SPS-4	1	C <sub>12</sub> H <sub>25</sub>	>10	>10
SPS-5	1	C <sub>14</sub> H <sub>29</sub>	4.9	4.7
SPS-6	1	C <sub>16</sub> H <sub>33</sub>	3.3	5.3
SPS-7	1	C <sub>18</sub> H <sub>37</sub>	3.0	4.6
SPS-8	1	C <sub>20</sub> H <sub>41</sub>	3.8	6.2
SPS-9	2	C <sub>16</sub> H <sub>33</sub>	6.2	nd
SPS-10	2	C <sub>14</sub> H <sub>29</sub>	>10	nd
SPS-11	3	C <sub>14</sub> H <sub>29</sub>	4.2	5.4
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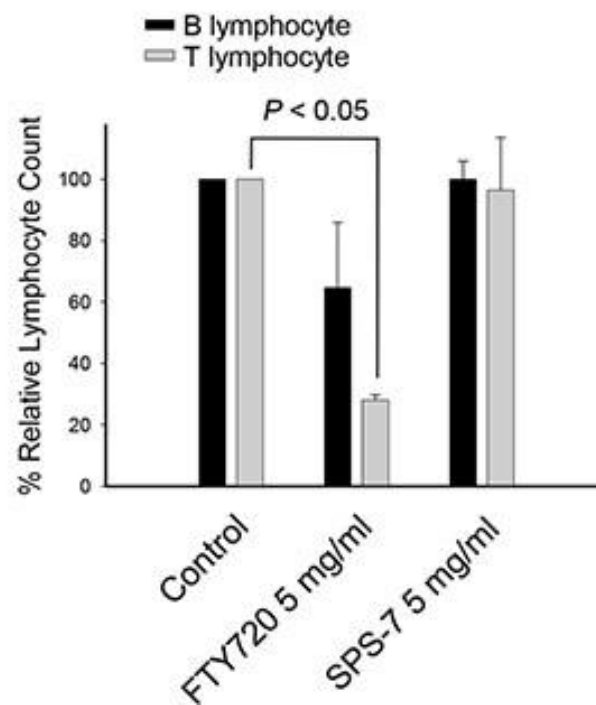
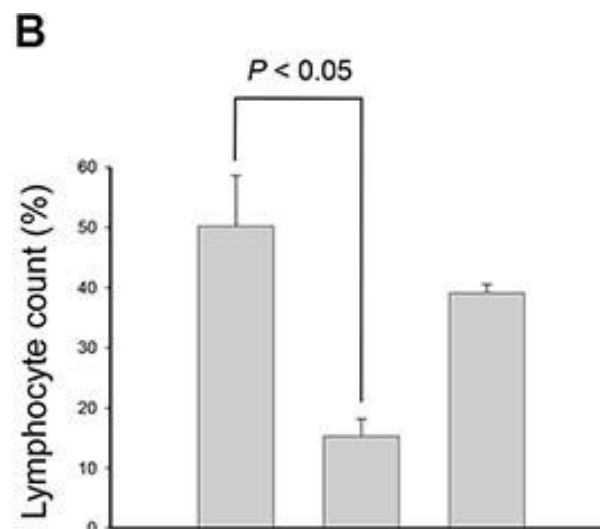
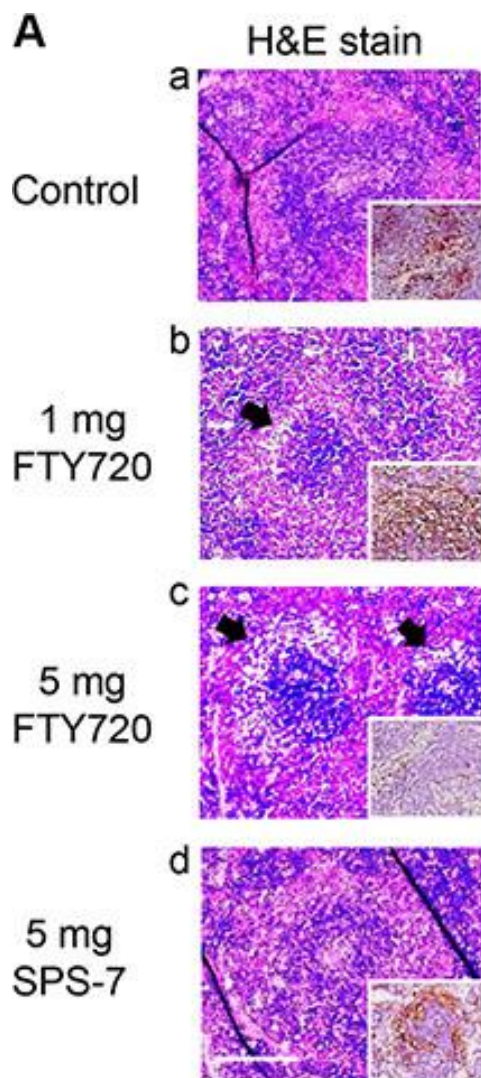
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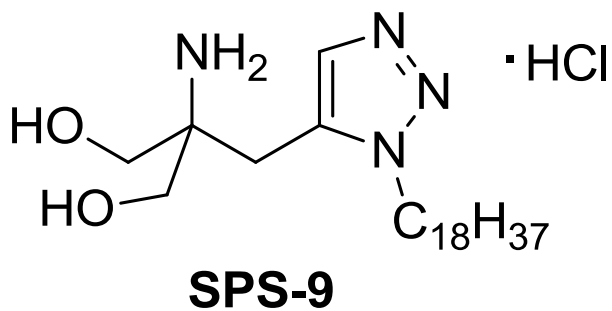
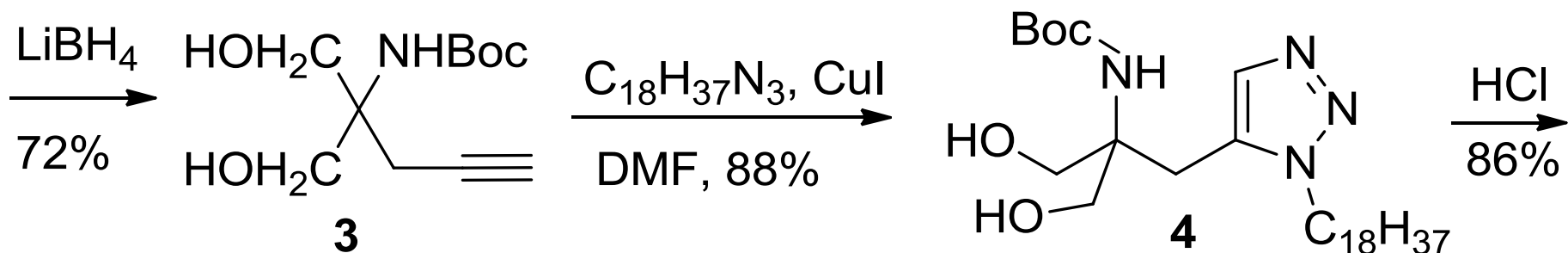
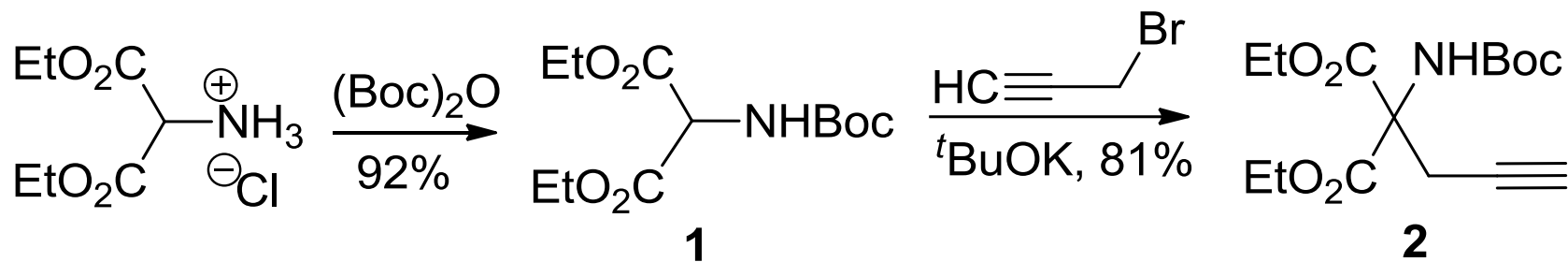
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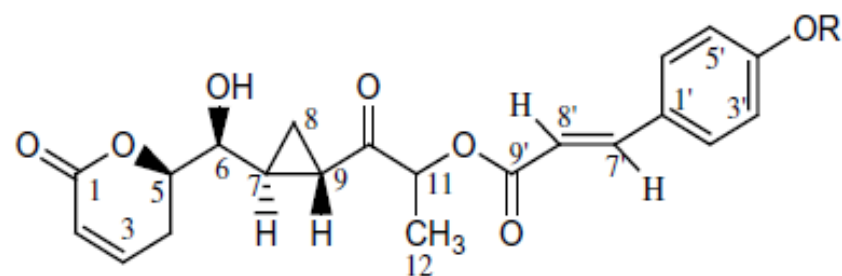






# 目標導向的合成 (target oriented synthesis)

## Brevipolides

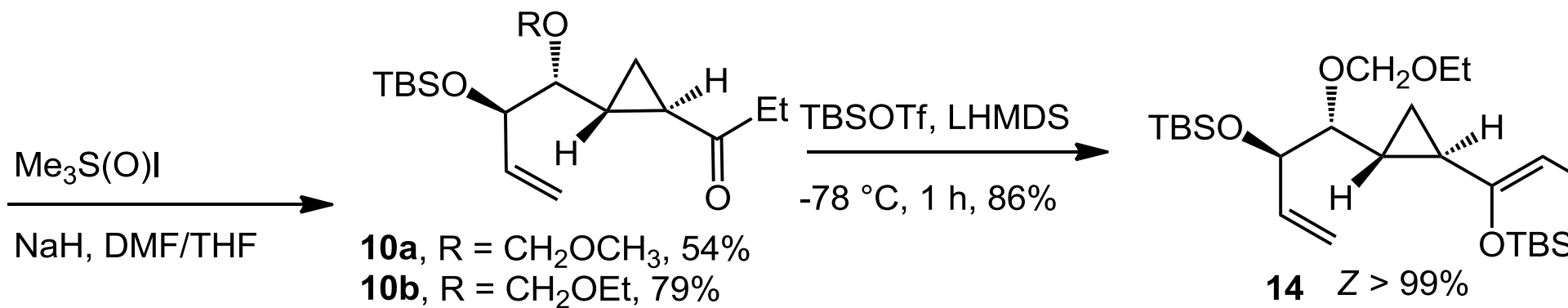
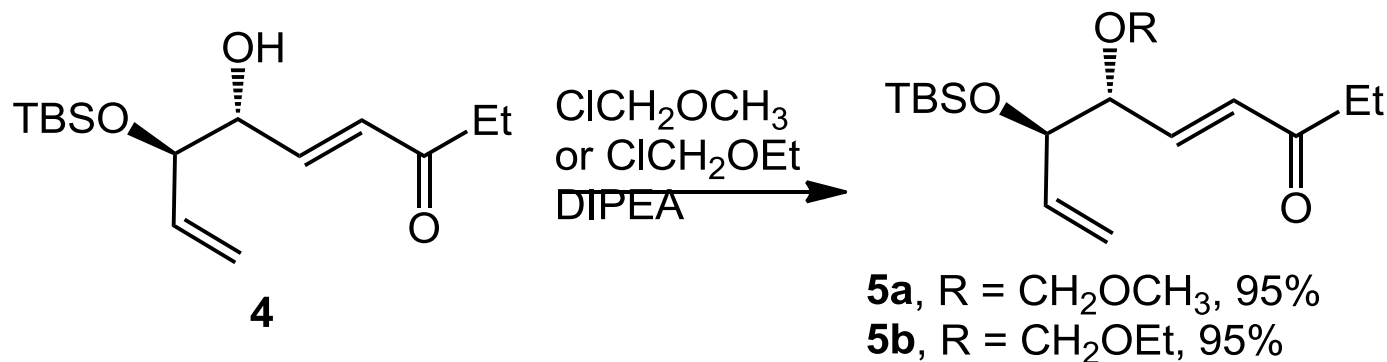
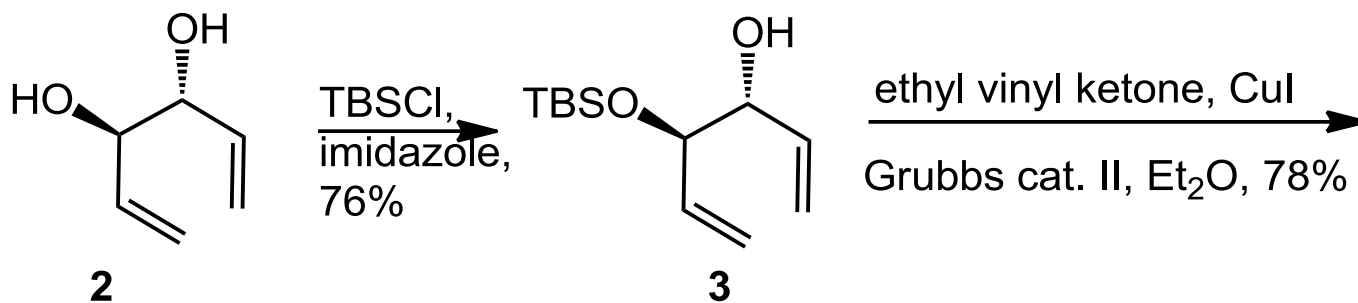


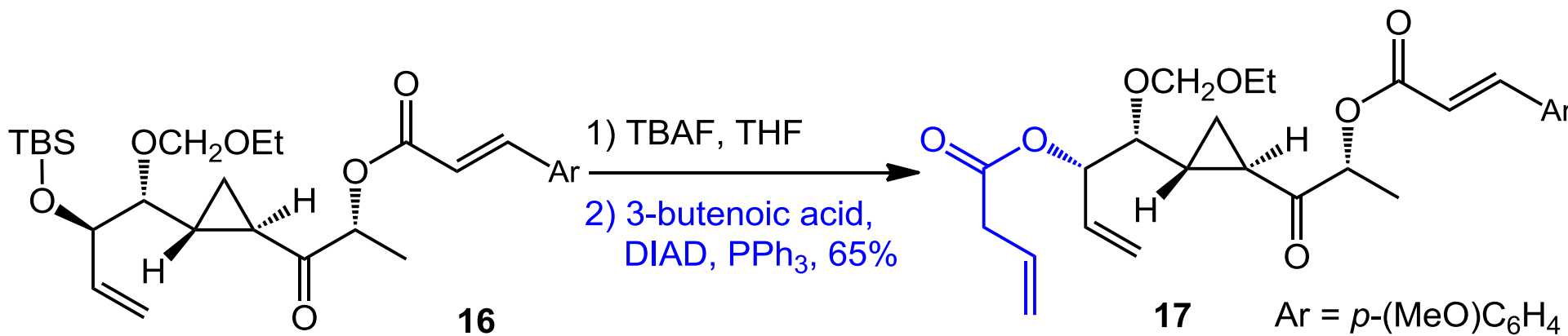
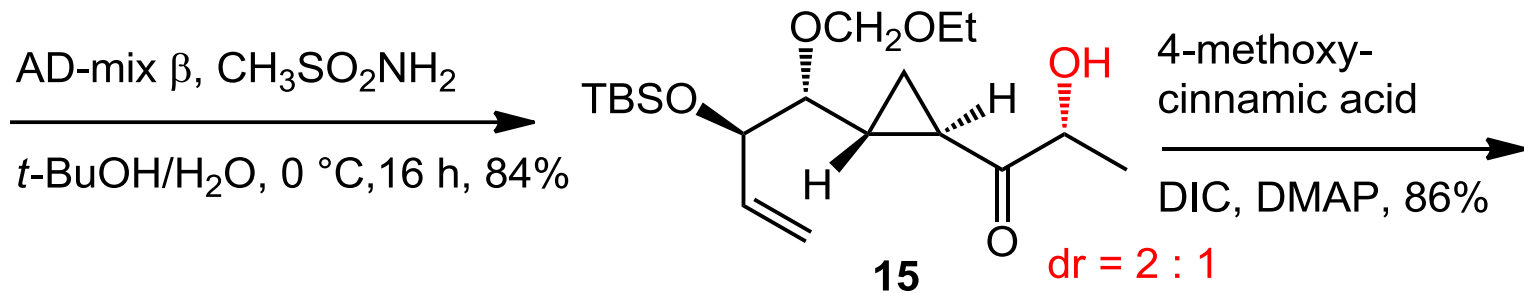
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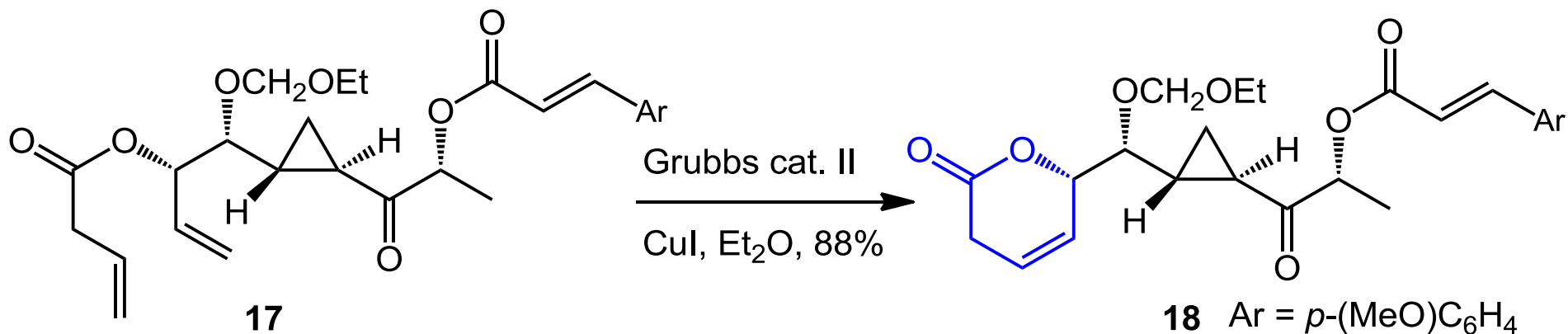
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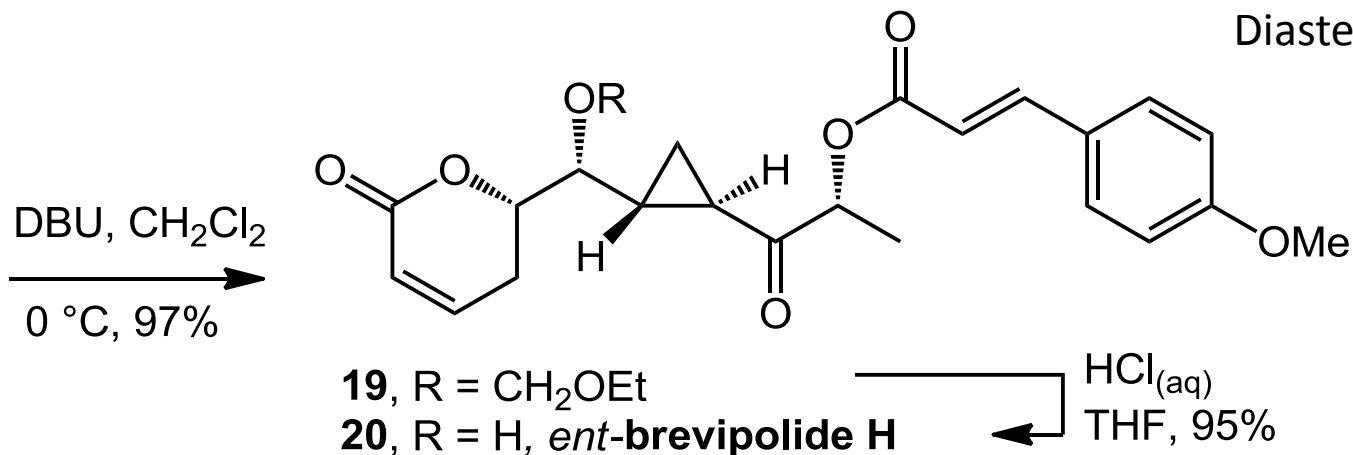
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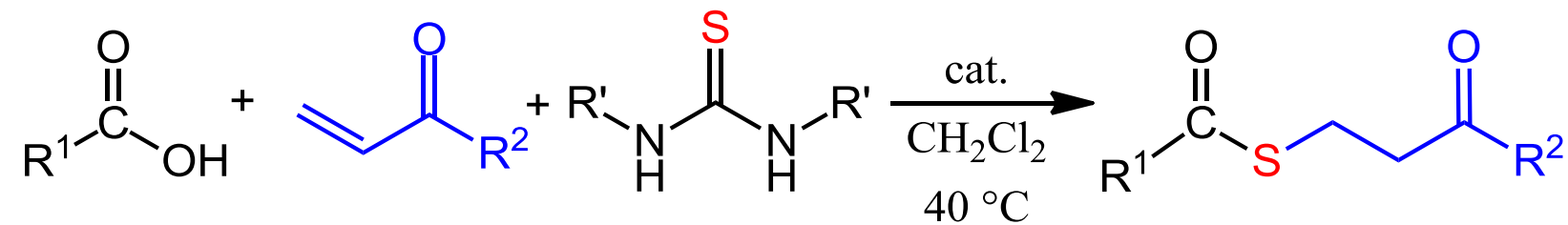


Diastereomers separated here.



*ent*-Brevipolide H showed a comparable bioactivity (IC<sub>50</sub>: **7.7 versus 13.5**  $\mu\text{M}$  of natural analogue, against the cell proliferation of human hormone-refractory prostate cancer cell line (PC-3).

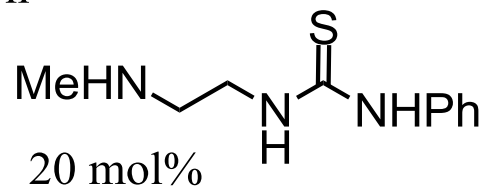
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$\text{R}^1 =$  aryl  
alkyl

$\text{R}^2 =$  Et, Ph,  
OEt

$\text{R}' =$  Me, Ph



# 給學生的建議

- 對趨勢好奇
- 珍惜跨領域的機會
- 培養自己的思考能力

*What we know? Why we know it?  
Why should we care?*

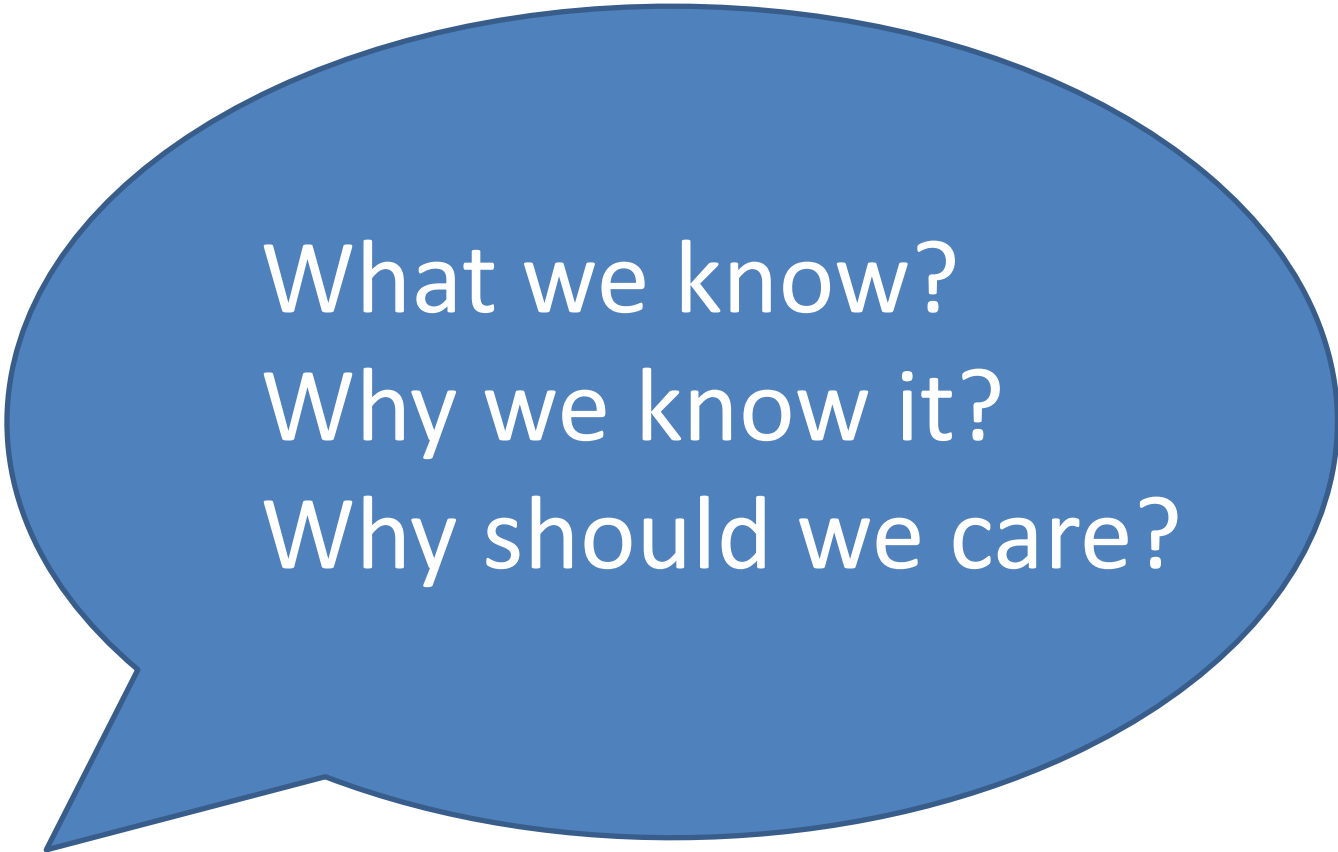
*What? So what? Now what?*

**“Research universities: in principle, the organizations with the greatest flexibility. Universities should, ideally, lead in changing the structure of chemistry, not because they are more competent than industry or government, but because they are less constrained, and because one of their jobs is education, and education is the future.”**



“Many useful types of change would be (in principle) easily accomplished: combining different departments (chemistry, biochemistry, chemical engineering, materials science), broadening education, and changing the criteria for tenure to give credit for collaborative research are among them.”

# Context-Based Learning



What we know?  
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# Context-Based Learning

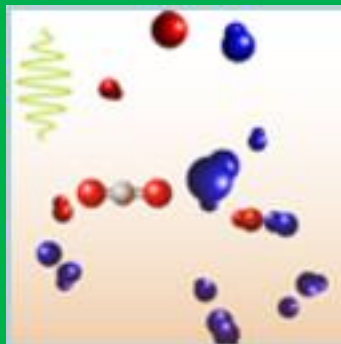
# VC3

## Visualizing the Chemistry of Climate Change

Welcome to the Visualizing the Chemistry of Climate Change (VC3) portal. Here you will find resources for teaching and learning 1<sup>st</sup> year chemistry through the rich context of climate science.



**Isotope**



**Gases**



**Acid/Base**



**Thermo-chemistry**



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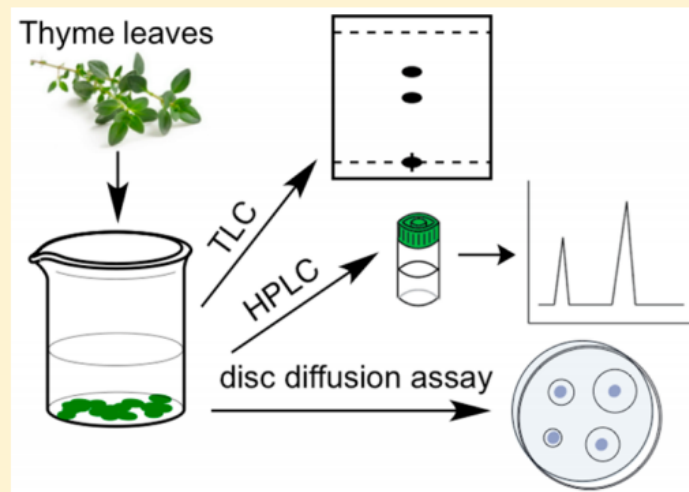
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### Supporting Information

**ABSTRACT:** In this undergraduate analytical chemistry experiment, students quantitatively assess the antibacterial activity of essential oils found in thyme leaves (*Thymus vulgaris*) in an authentic, research-like environment. This multiweek experiment aims to instill green chemistry principles as intrinsic to chemical problem solving. Students progress through various techniques including extraction, chromatography (TLC and HPLC), culturing bacteria, and disk diffusion via a process of guided exploration that emphasizes green experimental design. Approximately 600 undergraduate students carried out the experiment and self-reported substantial learning gains.



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"Today, most students who want to change the world end up being activists. How many 18-year-olds who care about the planet say, 'I'm going to go be a chemist'? But now they can go to the lab and **invent something that can save the world.** "



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