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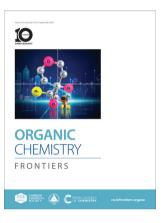
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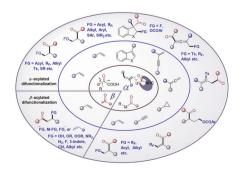
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Recent advances in three-component radical acylative difunctionalization of unsaturated carbon-carbon bonds

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Asymmetric synthesis of bicyclic pyran scaffolds bearing two oxa-quaternary stereocenters via zinc-catalyzed [5 + 1] annulations

Cui Zhang, Tao Jiang, Yuan-Zhao Hua,* Guang-Jian Mei, Min-Can Wang and Shi-Kun Jia*

- α-hydroxy aryl ketones as C,C-bisnucleophiles ♦ neoteric [5 + 1] annulations
- enantioenriched bicyclic pyran scaffolds bearing two oxa-quaternary stereocenters
- ♦ 22 examples, up to 82% yield, 20:1 dr and 99% ee

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Photocatalytic C(sp²)-OMe bond cleavage and amidation of anisoles with N-hydroxyphthalimides and phthalimides

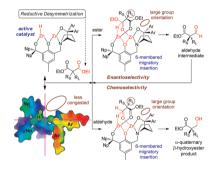
Zhentao Pan, Maier Wu, Jingxi Fang, Aiguo Zhong, Huajiang Jiang, Guan Wang, Jingjing Guo and Yongmin Ma*

- ★ Challenging C-OMe cleavage
- ★ Metal-free strategy
- ★ Mild oxidating photocatalyst
- ★ Acidic coupling reagents

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Unveiling the mechanism and origin of stereocontrol in dinuclear-zinc-catalyzed reductive desymmetrization of malonic esters

Hui Xu and Yanfeng Dang*



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Visible-light-induced defluorinative allylation of difluoromethyl ketones using alkylamines as bifunctional agents

Xiaorui Jiao, Zhonghou Huang, Weidong Meng, Shengqing Zhu* and Lingling Chu*

The "cobra effect" in the imidazolinone series: how a donor can disable the nucleophilicity

A. S. Gazizov,* E. A. Kuznetsova, A. Z. Kamaletdinov,

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D. P. Gerasimova, A. R. Burilov and M. A. Pudovik

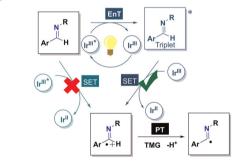
42 examples up to 99% yield

- visible-light-driven N-NO homolysis
- Remote C-H functionalization
- No photocatalyst required
 Novel cyclization process

A Barton nitrite ester-type remote functionalization and cyclization of *N*-nitrosobenzamides

Tao Huang, Pan-Feng Yuan, Kui Dong, Yuan-Yuan Zong, Can Liu, Rui-Heng Wang, Xiao-Ling Jin and Qiang Liu*

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Mechanism of photocatalyzed imine conversion: a relay process of sequential energy transfer, single electron transfer and proton transfer

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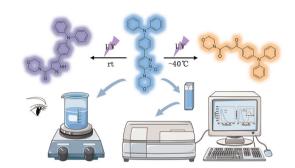
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Sravani Sana, Sowmya Dastari, Dannarm Srinivas Reddy, Ramya Tokala, Manda Sathish, Rajesh Sonti and Nagula Shankaraiah*

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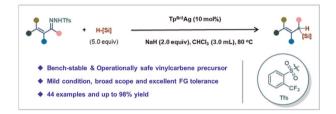
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Silver-catalyzed vinylcarbene insertion into Si-H bonds with vinyl N-triftosylhydrazones leading to allylsilanes

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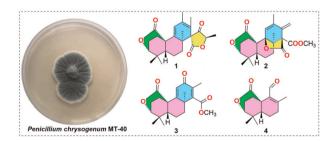
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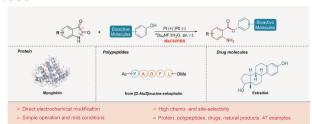
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Fangfang Jia, Mingliang Zhang, Jiangping Fan, Yang Wang, Xiangyu Ge, Xinyu Mi, Xiao Liu, Juan Wang, Peng-Fei Tu and She-Po Shi*



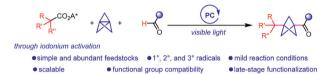
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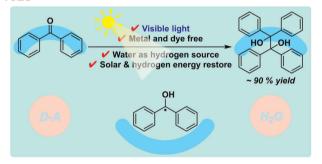
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Photocatalyzed radical multicomponent alkylacylation of [1.1.1] propellane to synthesize 1,3-disubstituted BCP ketones

Yong-Ze Liu, Yan Jiang, Jun-Lei Zhang, Yan Mei, Dong-Jie Li and Fei Pan*

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Visible light induced boryl radical and its application in reduction of unsaturated X=O(X=C, N, S) bonds

Lingfeng Yin, Guanglong Huang, Xiuhua Lin, Xinluo Song, Yanqi Chen, Tianhong Yan, Mingde Li* and Li Dang*

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Synthesis of 3-chloropiperidines by iodide-mediated electrolysis

Michael Kirchner, Yana Dubinina and Richard Göttlich*

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Fluoroarylation of *gem*-difluorostyrenes through a Pd-catalysed aryl C-H bond activation cascade

Lei Chen, Jun Pu, Peng Ye, Shuang Wang, Yang-Jie Mao, Zhen-Yuan Xu, Shao-Jie Lou* and Dan-Qian Xu*

- Fluoroarylation of C=C bond through domino aryl C-H activation;
- ✓ Rapid Acess to CF₃-containing fluorene and 1,1-diaryl methane;
- ✓ Ligand-free; ✓ Dual role of AgF; ✓ Broad substrate scope;

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Ligand-controlled cobalt-catalyzed isomerization and reductive C-O bond cleavage of allylic ethers

Lijun Chang, Cheng Cai, Ran Chen, Jianhui Chen,* Yanshu Luo and Yuanzhi Xia*

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Visible light-mediated syntheses of unsymmetrical methylene-bridged *bis*-heterocycles *via* an alkoxy radical relay reaction

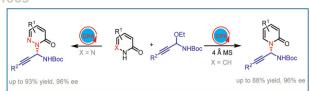
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An unusual four-step cascade reaction for accessing furo[3,4-c]pyridine-1,4-diones via rhodium catalysis

Yidi Li, Huiying Xu, Zhi Zhou,* Lin Huang, Zhenhao Tang, Wei Yi* and Xiaowei Wu*

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Phosphoric acid-catalyzed asymmetric N-propargylation of pyridazinones and 2-pyridones

Qiongya Li, Tian Chen and Jiangtao Sun*

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$$\begin{array}{c} R^{1} \\ R^{2} \\ \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} Cu(MeCN)_{A}PF_{6} \ (10 \ mol\%) \\ \hline \\ N_{B2}CO_{3} \ (2 \ equiv) \\ Ar, \ 120 \ ^{\circ}C, \ 6 \ h \\ \end{array} \\ X = Br \\ \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} R^{3} \\ R^{2} \\ \hline \\ R^{2} \\ \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{c} R^{3} \\ R^{1} \\ R^{2} \\ \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{c} R^{3} \\ R^{1} \\ R^{2} \\ \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{c} CCI_{3} \\ R^{1} \\ R^{2} \\ \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{c} R^{1} \\ R^{3} \\ \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{c} R^{1} \\ R^{2} \\ \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{c} R^{3} \\ R^{3} \\ \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{c} R^{1} \\ R^{2} \\ \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{c} R^{3} \\ R^{3} \\ \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{c} R^{1} \\ R^{2} \\ \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{c} R^{3} \\ R^{3} \\ \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{c} R^{1} \\ R^{2} \\ \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{c} R^{1} \\ R^{3} \\ \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{c} R^{1} \\ R^{3} \\ \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{c} R^{1} \\ R^{2} \\ \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{c} R^{1} \\ R^{3} \\ \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{c} R^{1} \\ R^{2} \\ \end{array}$$

Polyhaloalkanes as the C1 source: radical-mediated migratory carbonylation of alkenes with polyhaloalkanes toward α,β -unsaturated carbonyls

Tian-Bao Zhang, Yong Yao, Jing-Hao Qin, Qing Sun, Aimin Li, Qing He,* Jin-Heng Li* and Xuan-Hui Ouyang*

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X = I, N-hydroxyphthalimide (NHPI) ester, and Katritzky salt

- mild conditions, scalable ■ broad scope, at room temperature
- vinylation, thioetherification, selenation and hydrogenation

Electrochemically enabled C(sp3)-C(sp) crosscoupling of alkyl iodides, N-hydroxyphthalimide esters, and Katritzky salts with acetylenic sulfones

Jiawen Yin, Xiao Zhang, Lulu Zhao, Menggi Luo, Lin Guo, Chao Yang* and Wujiong Xia*

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22-83% yields

- √ External chemical oxidants free
- √ Green solvent
- √ Broad scope, mild conditions

Electrochemical synthesis of pyridine carboxamides from pyridine carbohydrazides and amines in an aqueous medium

Peng Qian,* Yuhan Ma, Kun Yin, Na Li, Siqi Jiang, Hui Zhang and Liangquan Sheng*

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Cancan Feng, Luging Tang, Fan Yang* and Yangije Wu*

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Pd-catalyzed enantioselective [4 + 4] dipolar cycloaddition of aliphatic 1,4-dipoles with azadienes to access eight-membered N-heterocycles

Gen-Hui Chen, Ying Ye, De-Xin Zhang, Hong-Jiao Li, Ning Zhang, Guo-Juan Liang, Dong Zhang,* Jing Zhou* and Hui Zhou*

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Transition-metal-free chemoselective reduction of α,β-unsaturated ketones using H₂O as a hydrogen

Enbo Yu, Guojiang Mao, Guo-Jun Deng* and Fuhong Xiao*

$$R^1$$
 R^2
 CS_2 , H_2O , NaOH
 R^1
 R^1
 R^2
 R^2

H₂O as hydrogen source **Transition-metal-free Excellent functional group tolerance**

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Photoinduced regioselective difluorination of secondary inert C(sp3)-H bonds in sulfonamides via 1,5-hydrogen-atom transfer

Zhi Chen, Wenkai Zhu, Chaodong Wang, Ning Xu, Qianxi Jin, Xule Huang, Shengjie Song and Jianjun Li*