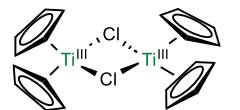
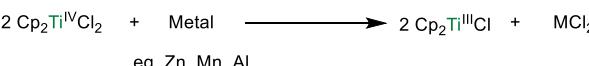
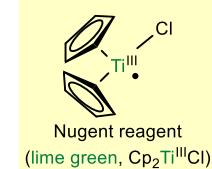
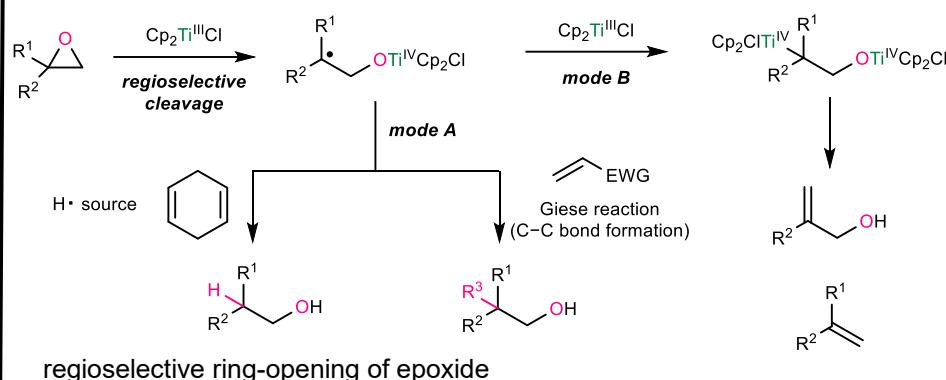


Nugent reagent

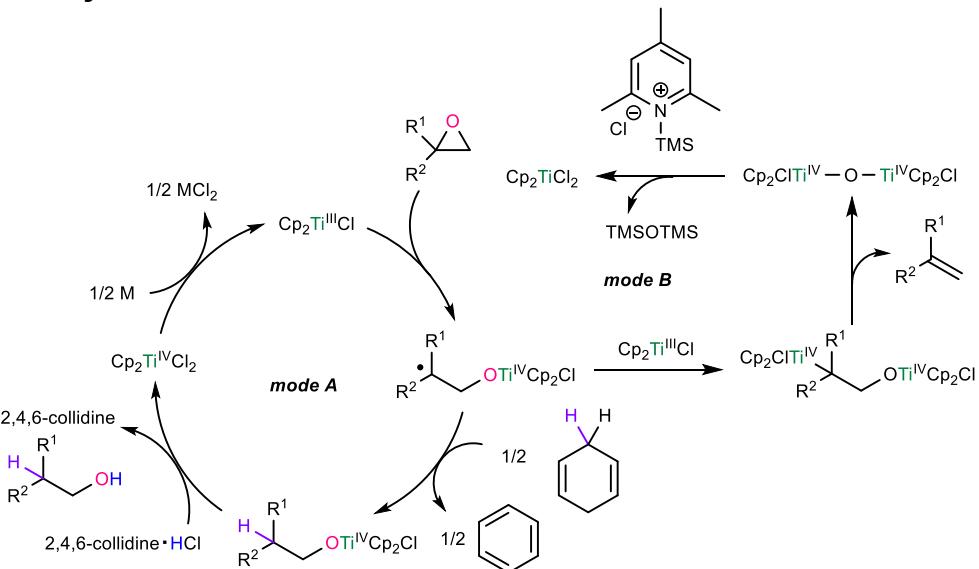


1. a mild SET reagent (unpaired d electron, $E^\circ = -0.8$ V vs Fc^+/Fc)
 2. has a vacant site, allowing to inner-sphere electron transfer
 3. in situ preparation from metal reductant and Cp_2TiCl_2

Reaction mode -stoichiometric Ti species-



Catalytic modification



1. metal reductant/2,4,6-collidine · HCl system for **mode A**
 2. metal reductant/2,4,6-collidine/TMSCl for **mode B**

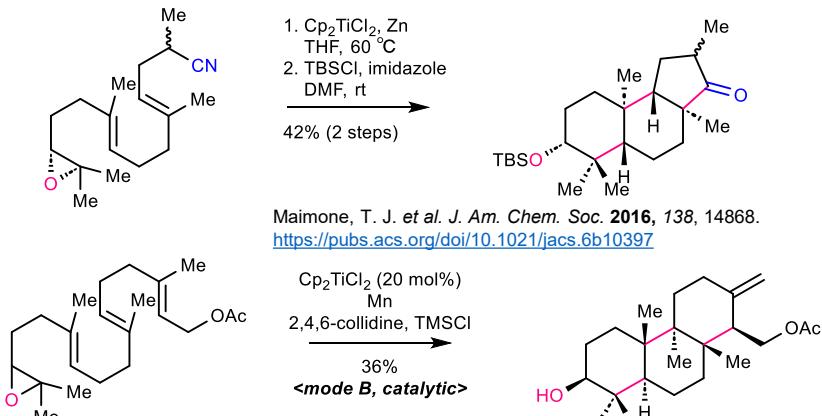
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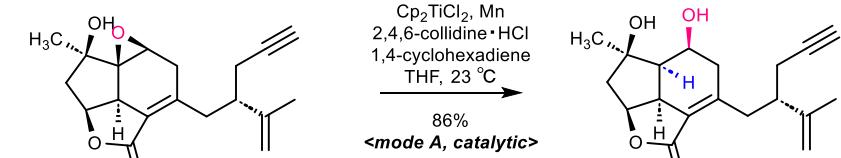
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Classical application in total syntheses

1. radical (polyene) cyclization

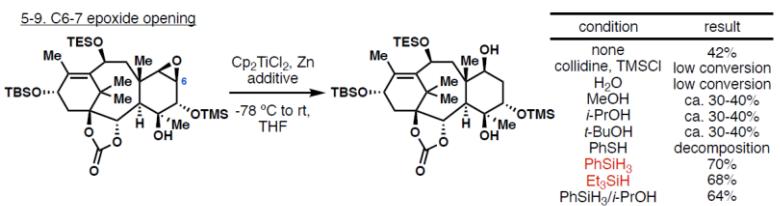


2. regioselective hydrogenation –catalytic version-



Stoltz, B. M. et al. *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **2020**, 142, 8585.
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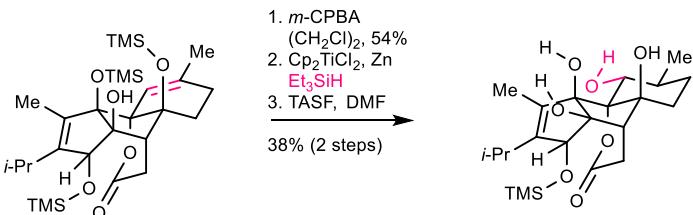
Triethylsilane as an alternative reductant



- epoxide reduction in presence of carbonate, TMS, *t*-OH
- hypothesized slow C6 radical quenching lead to decomposition
- Et₃SiH gave the cleanest TLC and was employed as the final condition

Tetrahedron. **2002**, *58*, (35), 7017.
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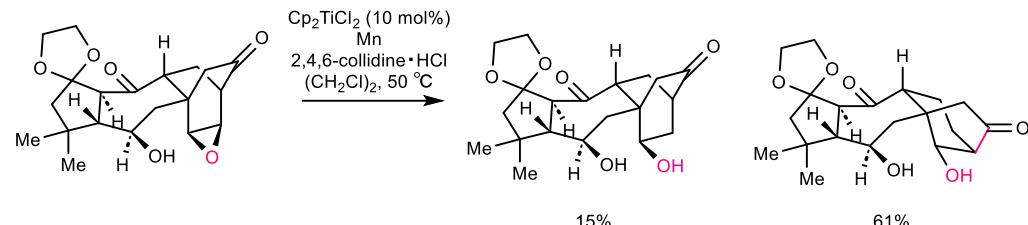
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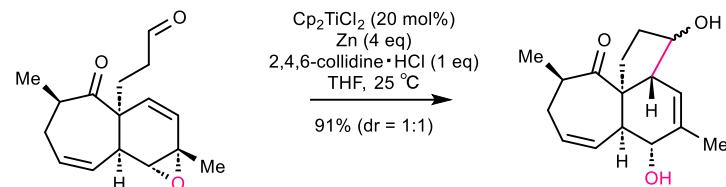
Combination of other chemistry -reports from Hanfeng Ding group-

1. Dowd-Beckwith reaction –Total synthesis of Rhodomollenin XX-



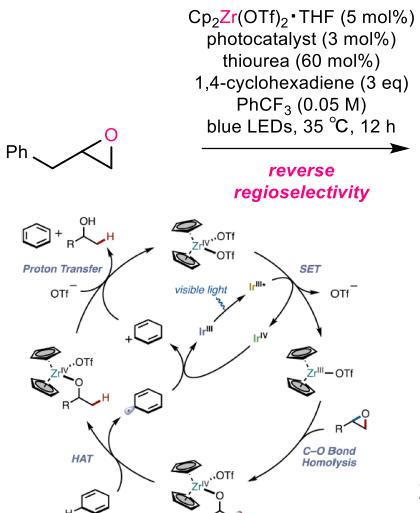
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2. Barbier-type reaction –Total synthesis of Pepulanol-

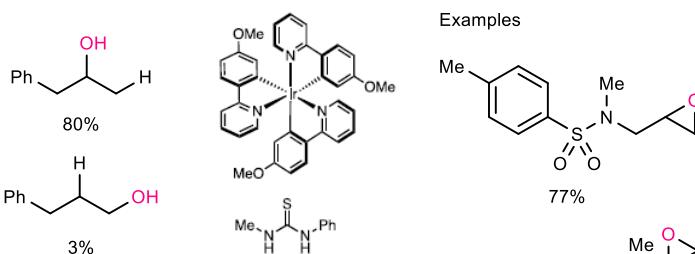


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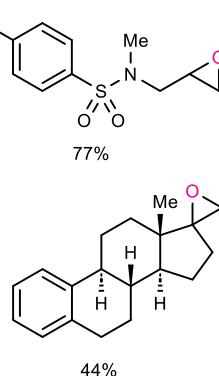
Zirconocene-mediated regioselective opening of epoxides



1. zirconocene catalyst changed the regioselectivity
2. the role of thiourea is still unclear



Examples



CCCN(C(=O)CCCC)S(=O)(=O)c1ccc(cc1)C

1 (ratio)



 $\text{Me}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{S}(=\text{O})_2-\text{N}(\text{Me})-\text{CH}_2-\text{CH}(\text{OH})-\text{CH}_2$

 H

 $>19 \text{ (ratio)}$



 $\text{C}_20\text{-OH}$

 8 (ratio)

Yamaguchi, J. et al. *Chem.* **2022**, *8*, 1762.
<https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S245192942200208X>