

Catalytic Asymmetric Synthesis with "Privileged Ligands"

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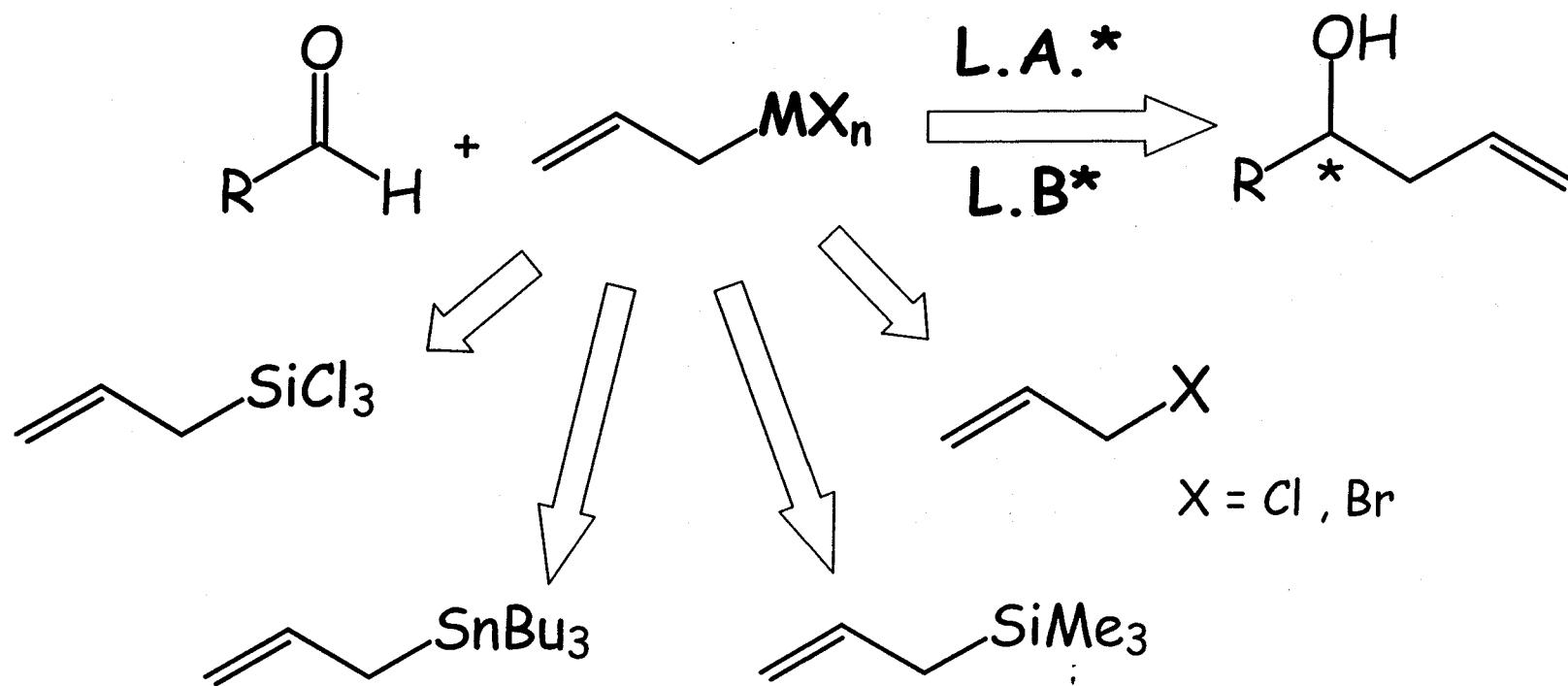
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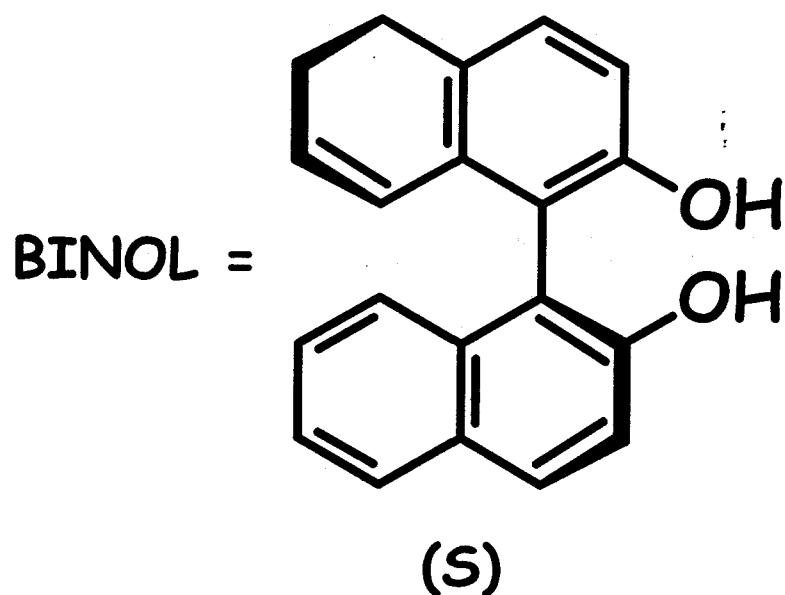
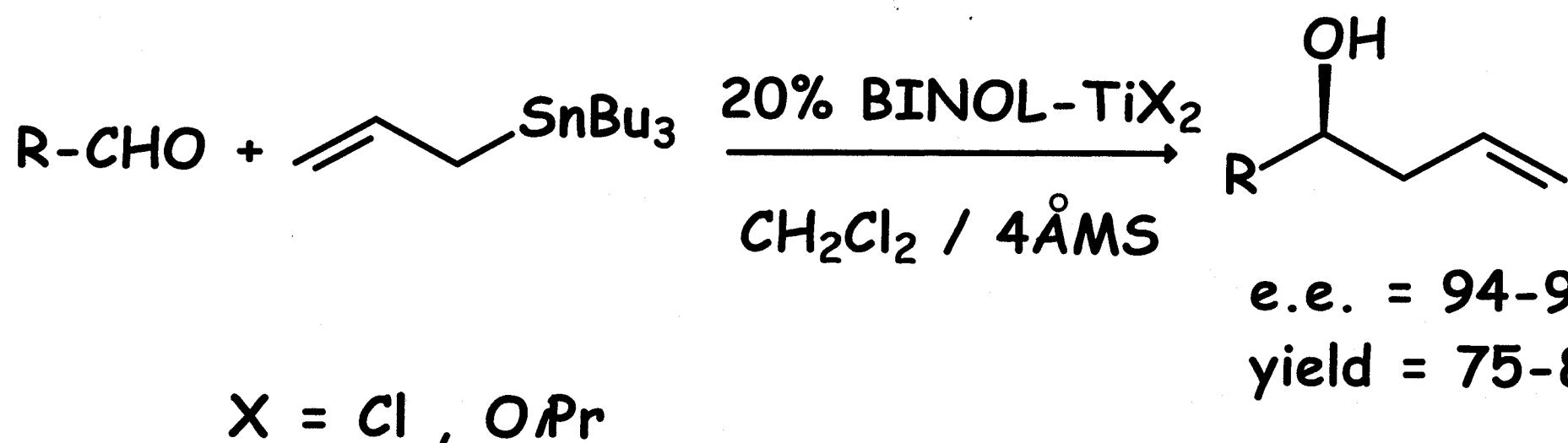
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Chiral
Lewis Acid

Substrate + Reagent → Product

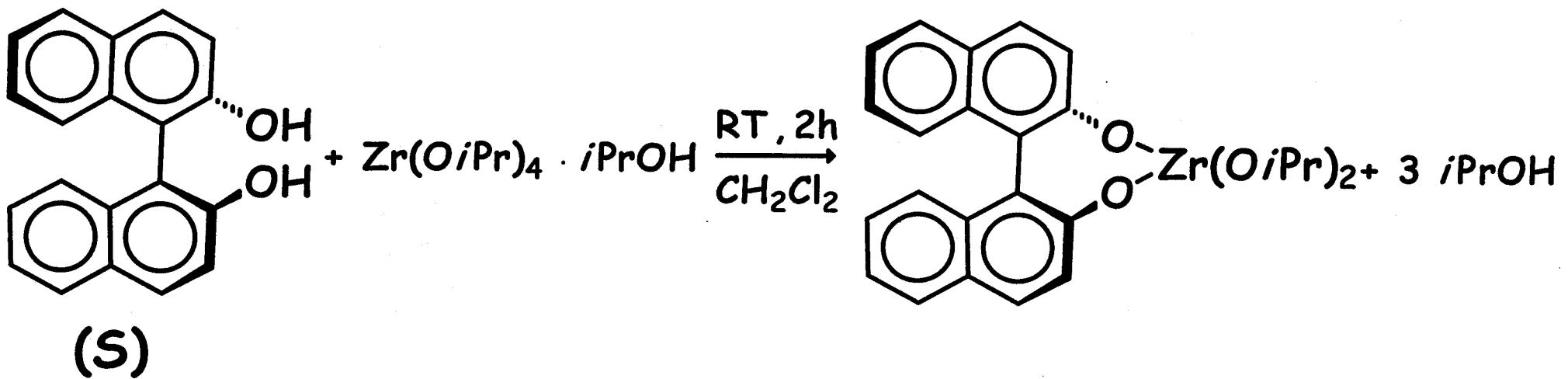
Catalytic Asymmetric Allylation Reaction of Aldehydes

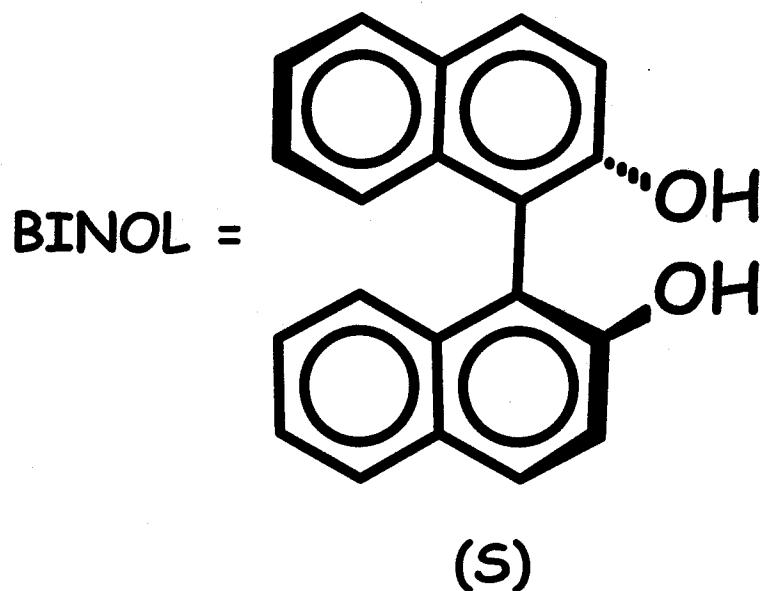
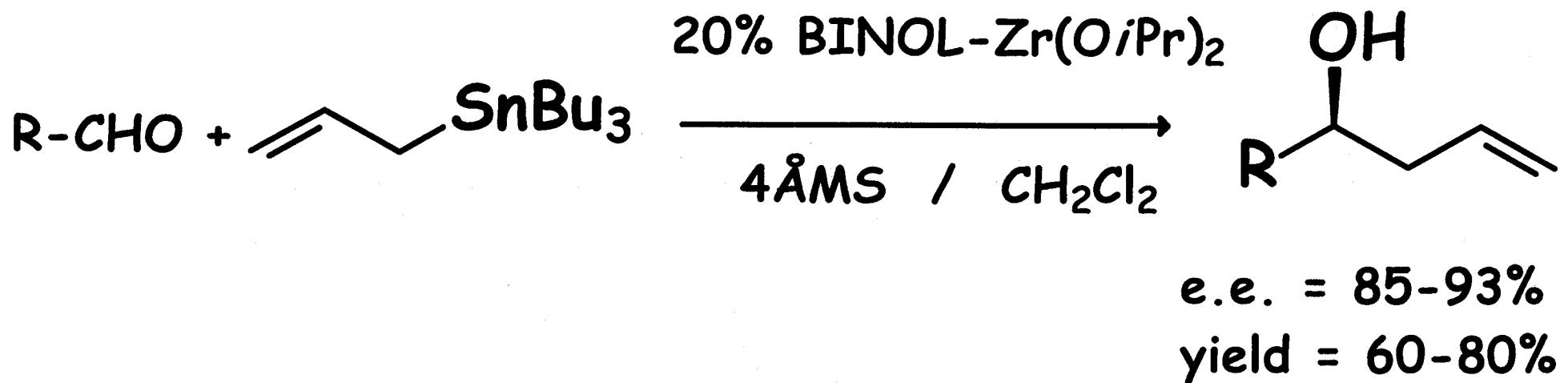


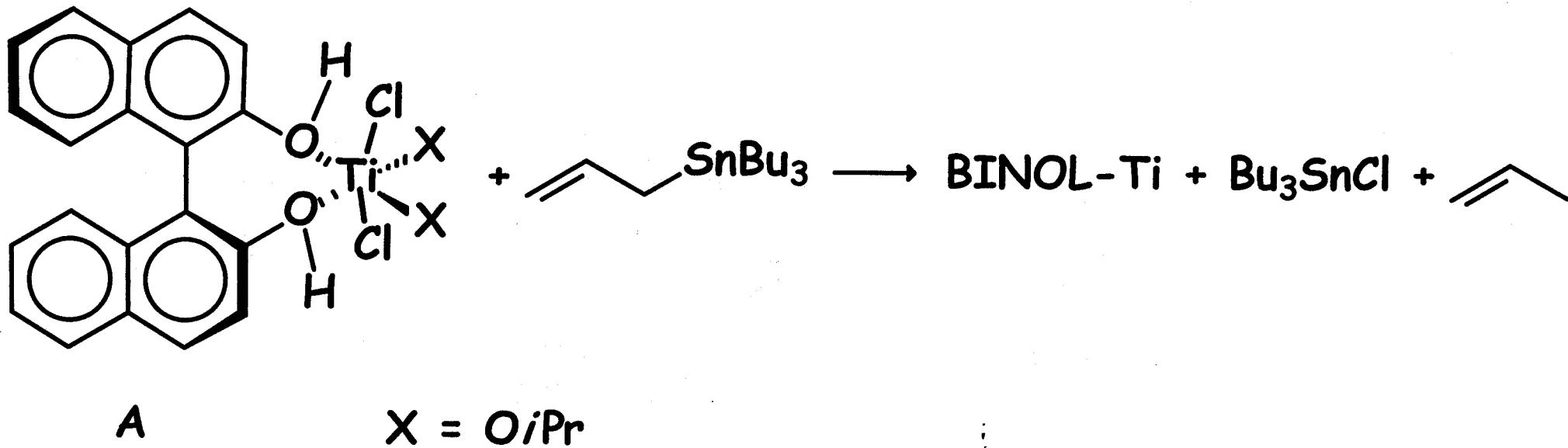


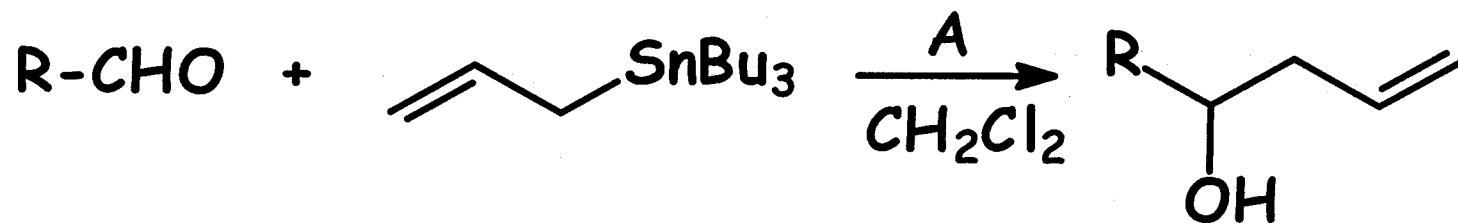
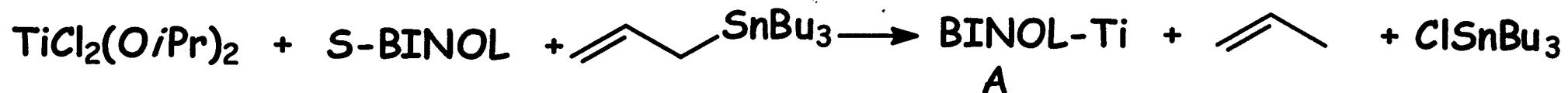
Catalytic allylation of aldehydes

R	T(°C)	t(h)	Yield%	e.e.%	Conf.
C ₇ H ₁₅	-20	24	83	97.4	R
C ₅ H ₁₁	-20	24	75	98.4	R
c-C ₆ H ₁₁	-20	90	36	89.1	S
c-C ₆ H ₁₁	RT	24	75	92.6	S
PhCH=CH	-20	90	38	94.0	S
PhCH=CH	RT	24	85	88.8	S
Ph	RT	48	96	82.0	S

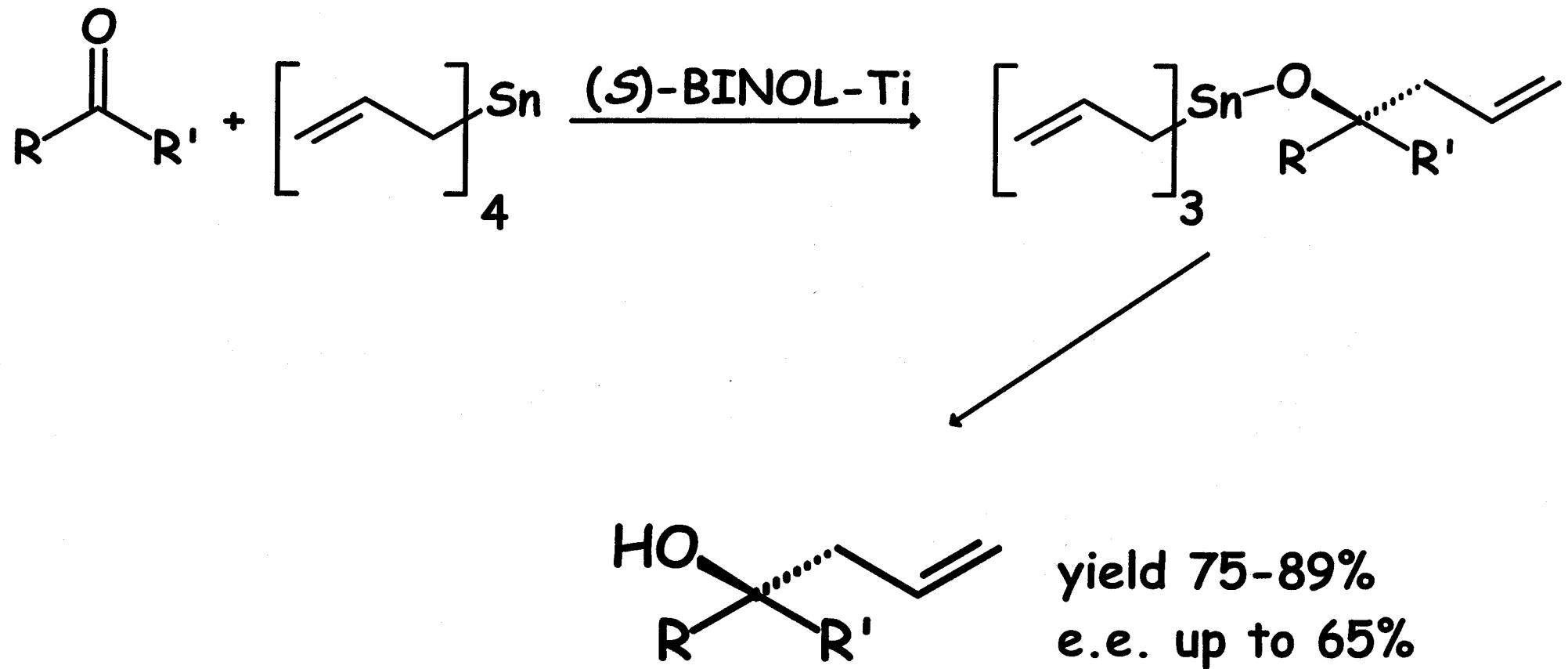




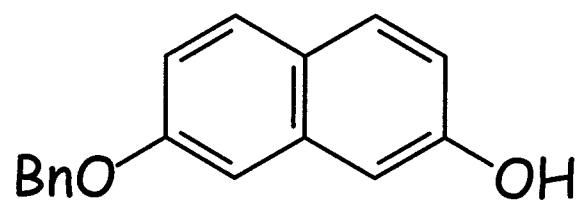




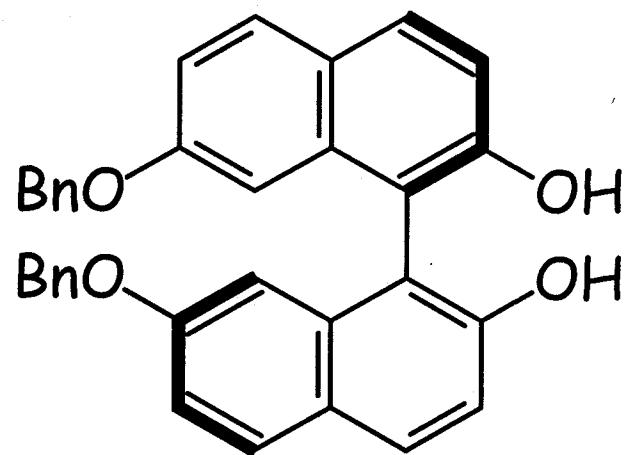
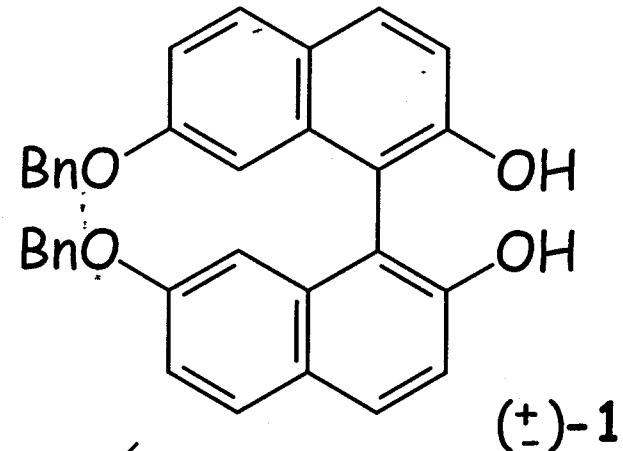
R-CHO	A \%	t. (h)	Yield \%	e.e. \%
$n\text{-C}_7\text{H}_{15}\text{CHO}$	20	2	80	94
$n\text{-C}_7\text{H}_{15}\text{CHO}$	5	24	80	94
$\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{CHO}$	20	4	74	86
$\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{CHO}$	5	48	74	75



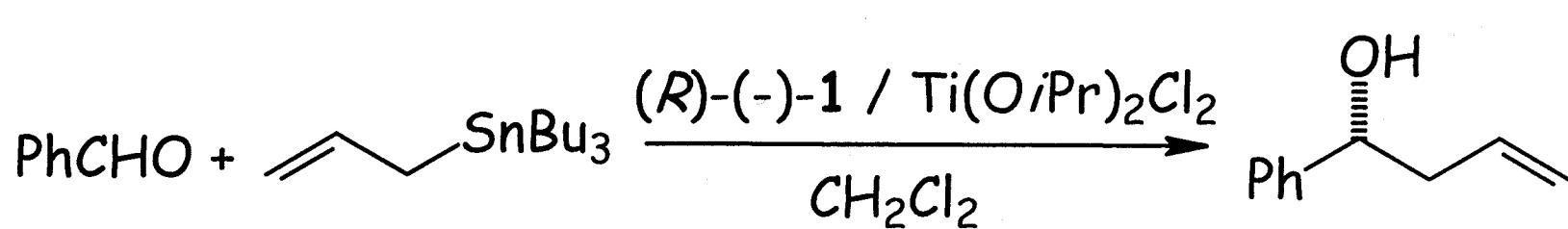
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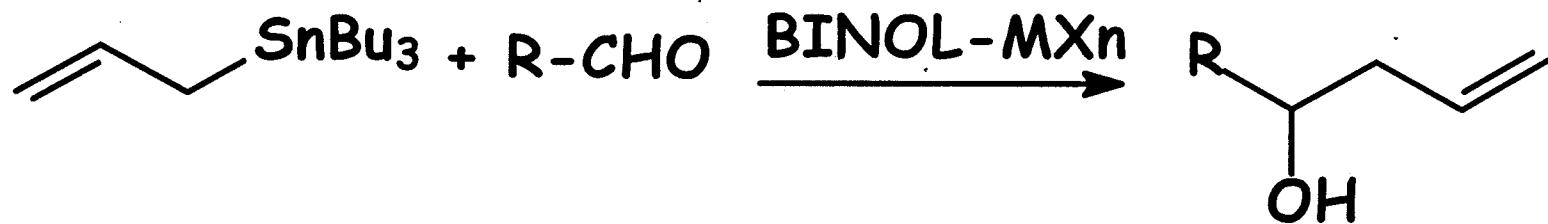
$t\text{BuNH}_2$
 $\xrightarrow{\text{CuCl}_2}$

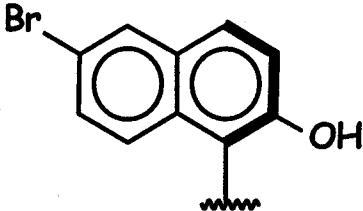
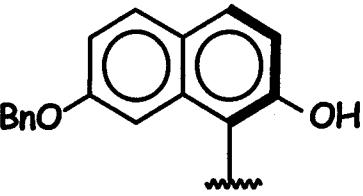
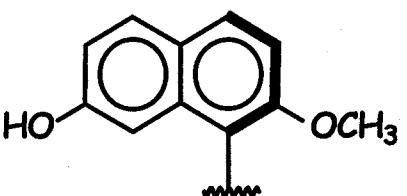


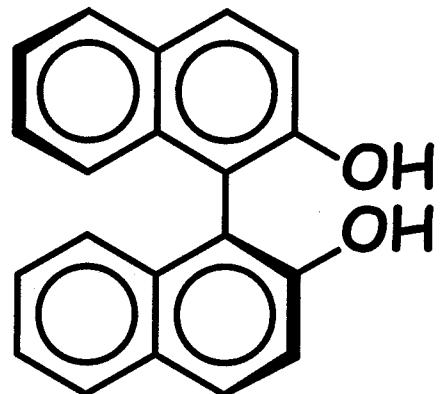
Quinine
(2-recryst.)



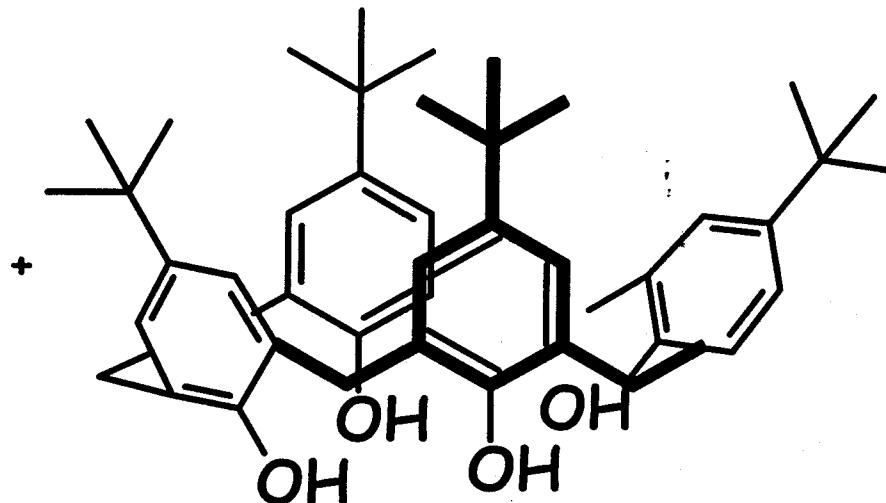
Yield = 80%
e.e. = 92%



MXn	R-	Yield (%)	e.e. (%)
	$\text{TiCl}_2(\text{O}i\text{Pr})_2$	60	72
	$\text{Zr}(\text{O}i\text{Pr})_4$	70	73
	$\text{TiCl}_2(\text{O}i\text{Pr})_2$	80	92
	$\text{Zr}(\text{O}i\text{Pr})_4$	90	77
	$\text{TiCl}_2(\text{O}i\text{Pr})_2$	14	-

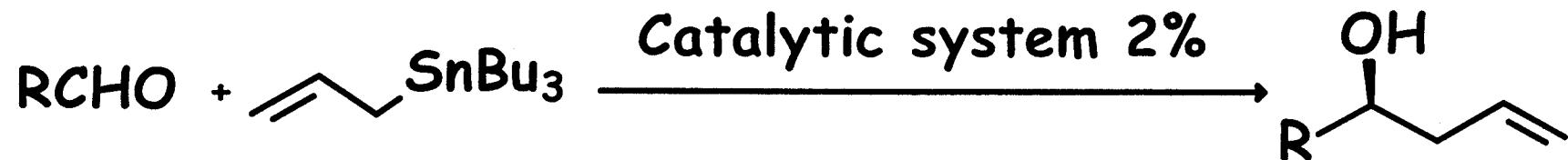


(S)-BINOL



+ $ZrCl_4(\text{thf})_2$

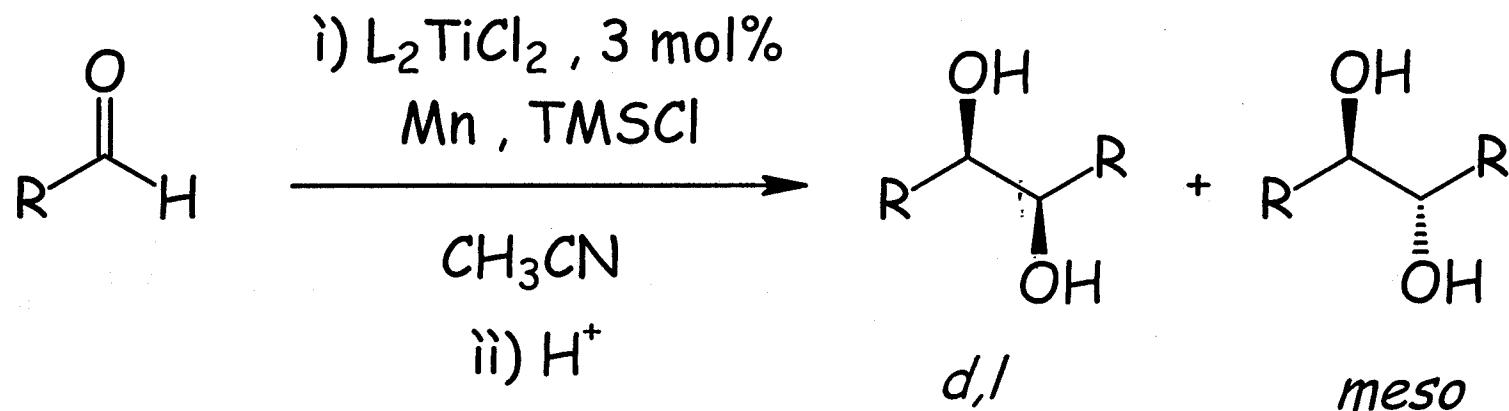
Catalytic system



**Enantioselective allylation with Zr-BINOL complex
activated by 4-*tert*-butylcalix[n]arenes**

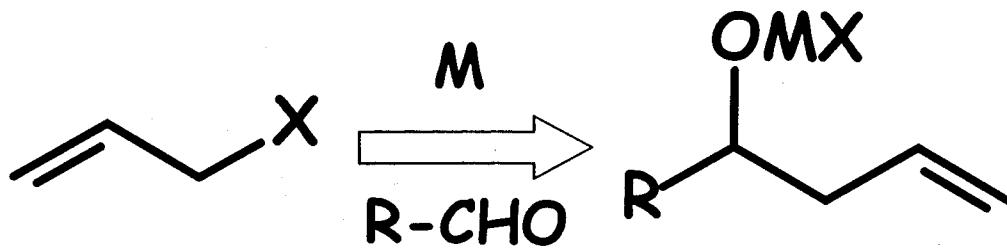
$ZrCl_4(\text{thf})_2$ %	Calix[n]Arene	%	RCHO	Yield %	e.e. %
10	Calix[4]Arene	10	<i>n</i> -C ₇ H ₁₅ CHO	68	93
5	"	5	<i>n</i> -C ₇ H ₁₅ CHO	65	96
2	"	1	<i>n</i> -C ₇ H ₁₅ CHO	40	92
2	"	0.5	<i>n</i> -C ₇ H ₁₅ CHO	57	95
10	"	10	c-C ₆ H ₁₁ CHO	52	90
6	"	6	PhCHO	78	78
5	"	5	PhCHO	85	85
10	"	10	PhCH=CHCHO	38	77
4	Calix[6]Arene	3	PhCH=CHCHO	43	62
4	Calix[8]Arene	3	PhCH=CHCHO	30	70

Diastereoselective pinacol coupling of aldehydes catalyzed by titanium-Schiff bases complexes

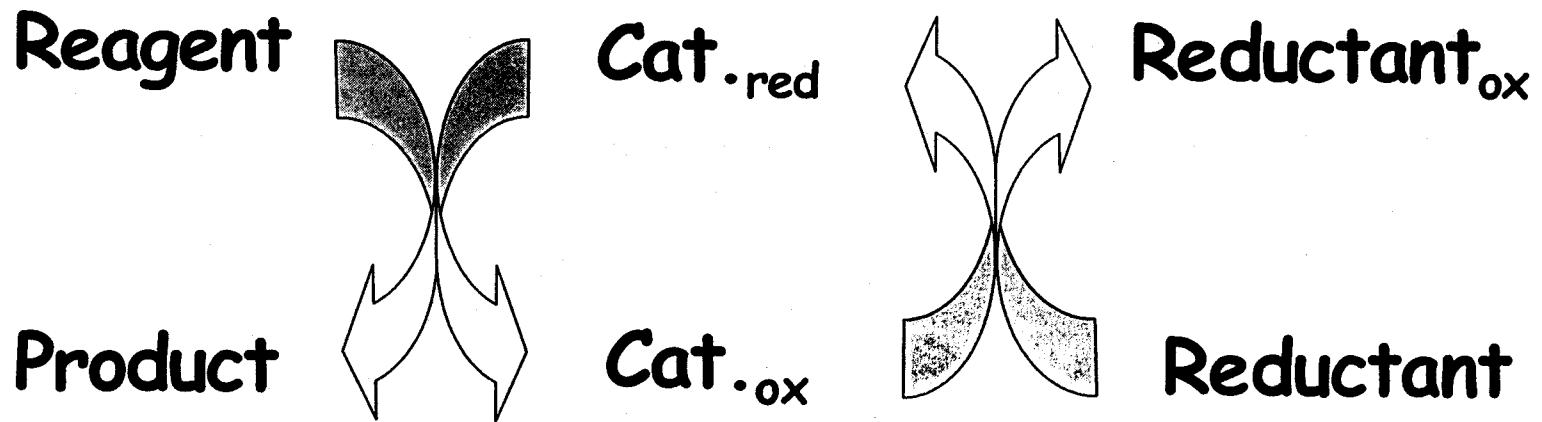


Ligand	RCHO	Yield(%)	<i>d,l : meso</i>
1	PhCHO	75	99 : 1
2	PhCHO	80	97 : 3
5	PhCHO	43	95 : 5
2	2-ThienylCHO	70	88 : 12
1	4-MeO-C ₆ H ₄ CHO	65	92 : 8
1	4-BrC ₆ H ₄ CHO	83	95 : 5
2	4-AcOC ₆ H ₄ CHO	81	91 : 9

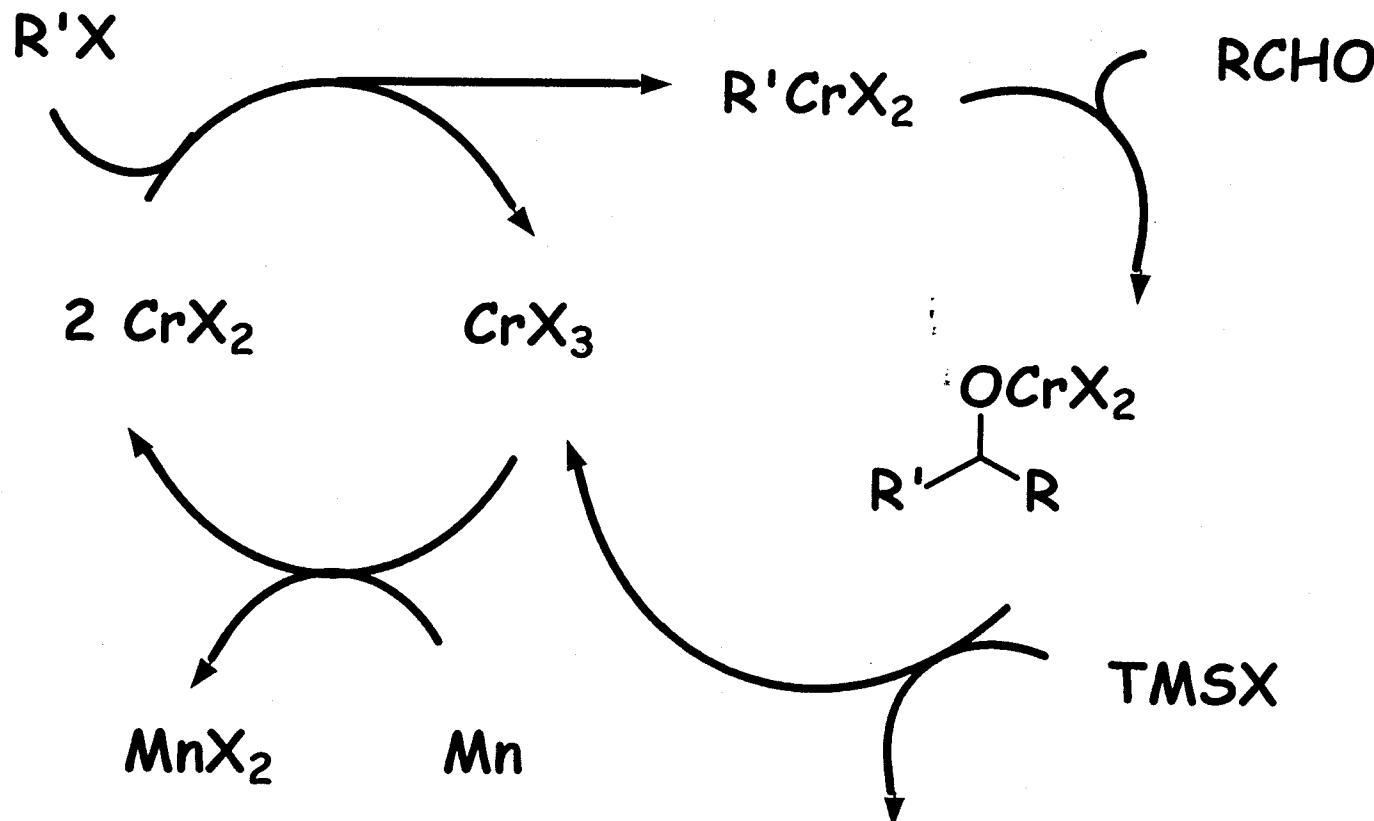
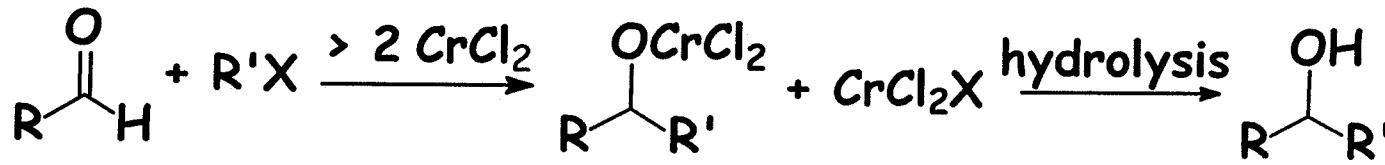
Barbier Reaction



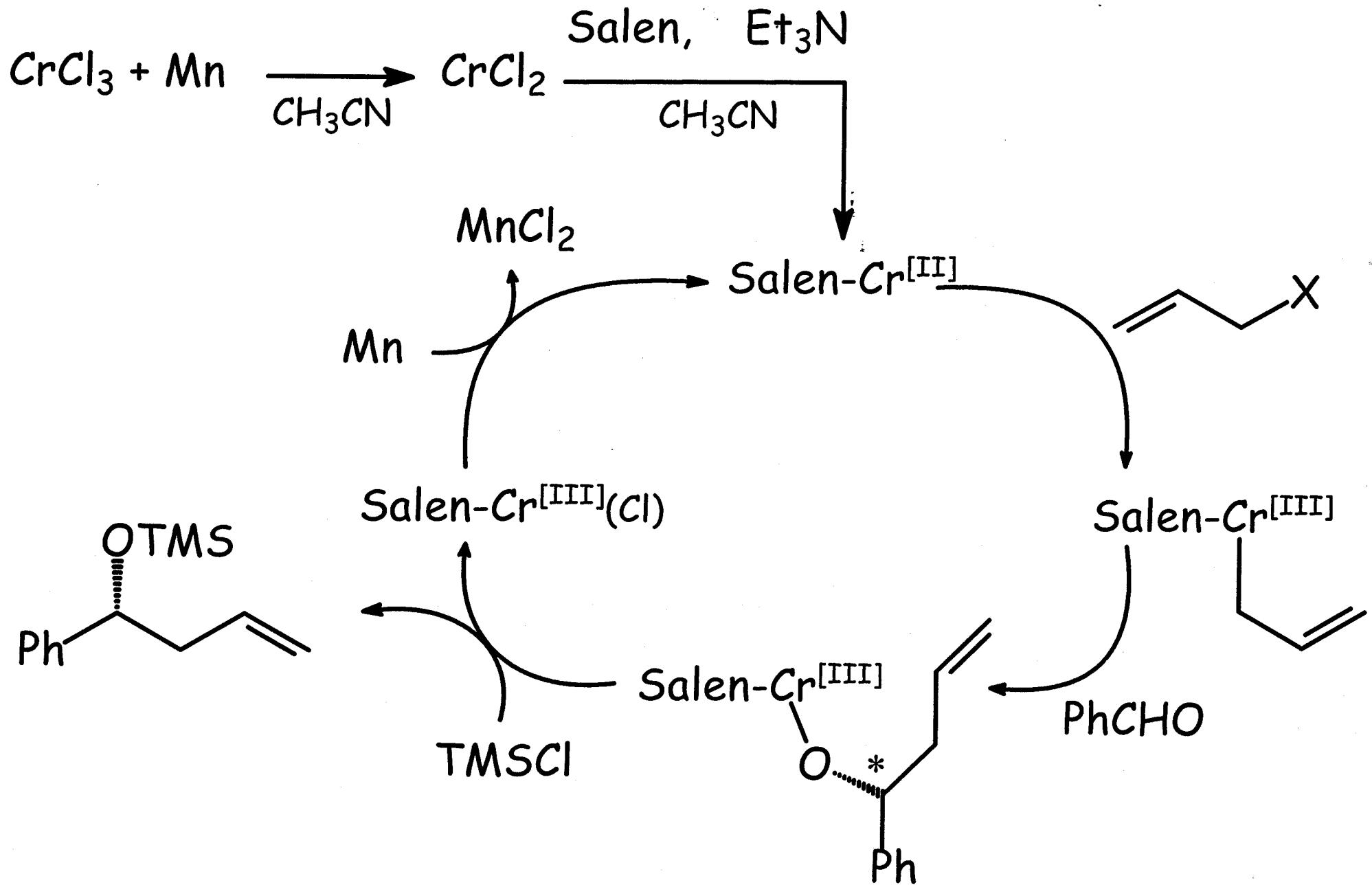
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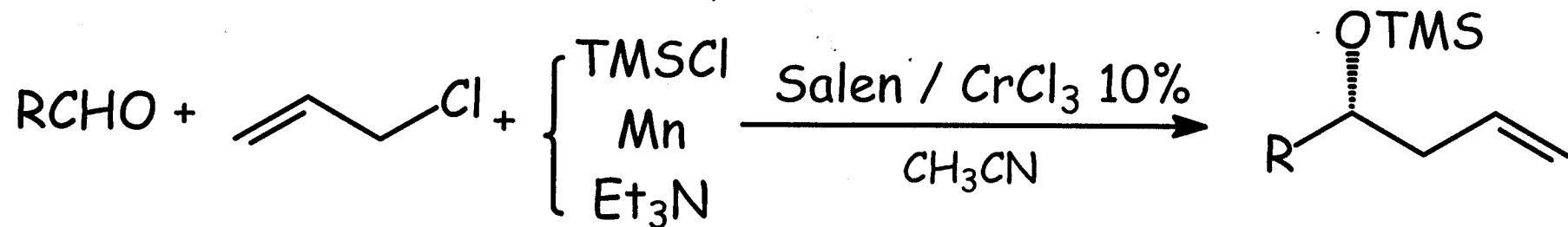


Nozaky-Hiyama-Kishi Reaction

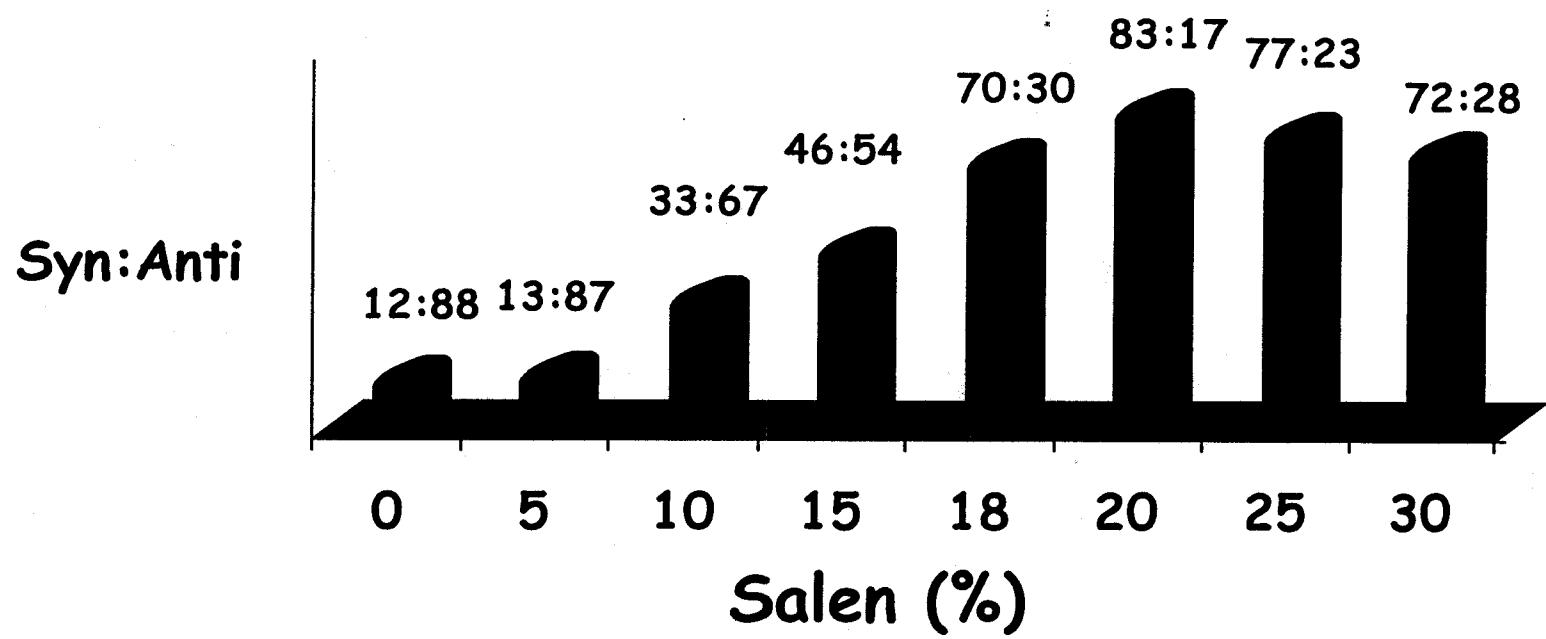
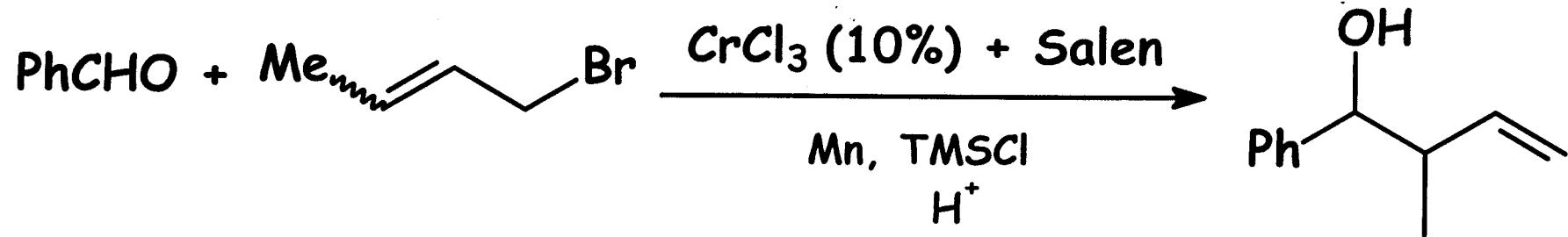


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Catalytic version



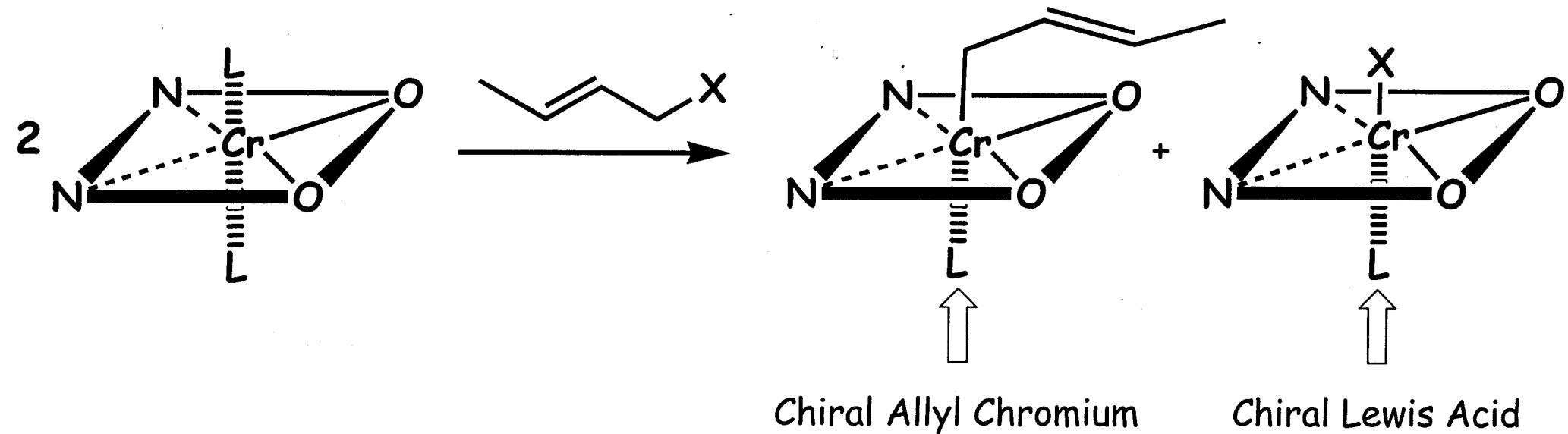


RCHO	Yield (\%)	$e.e. (\%)$	Config.
$\text{Me}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{CHO}$	67	78	R
$\text{Ph}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{CHO}$	54	82	R
$\text{MeS}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{CHO}$	46	78	R
$\text{C}_6\text{H}_5-\text{CHO}$	42	89	R
$\text{Ph}-\text{CH}_2-\text{CHO}$	45	77	S
$\text{C}_4\text{H}_3-\text{CHO}$	40	65	R

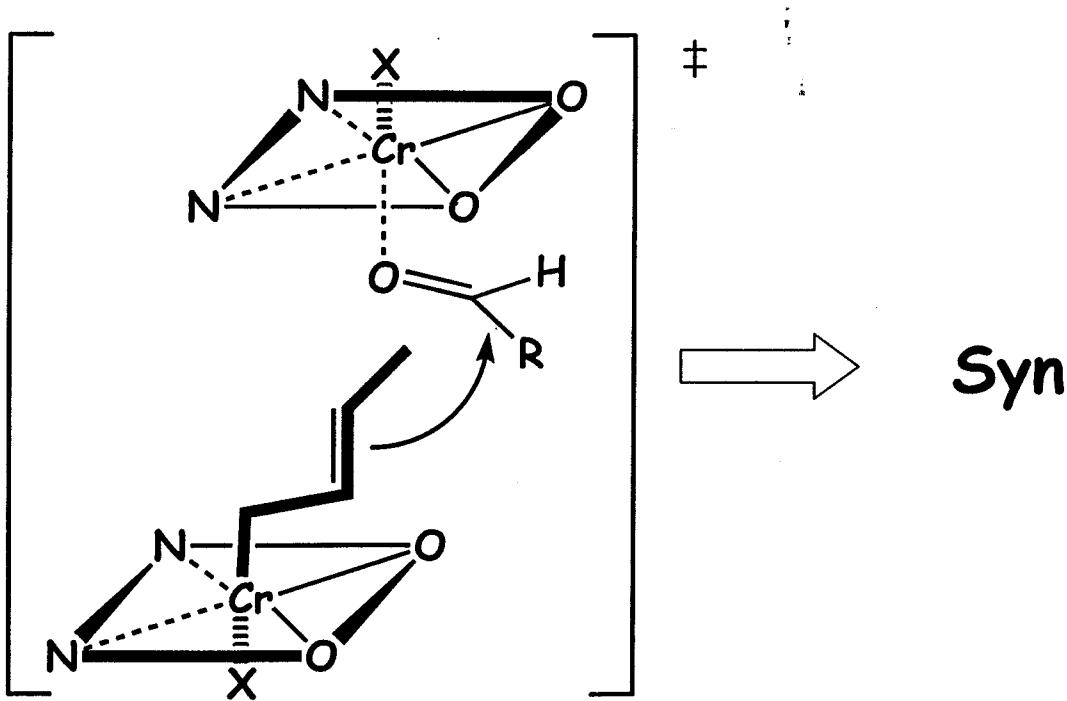


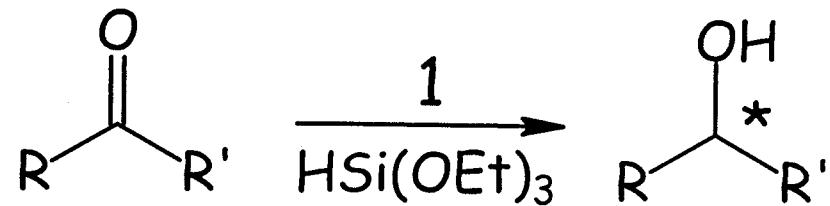
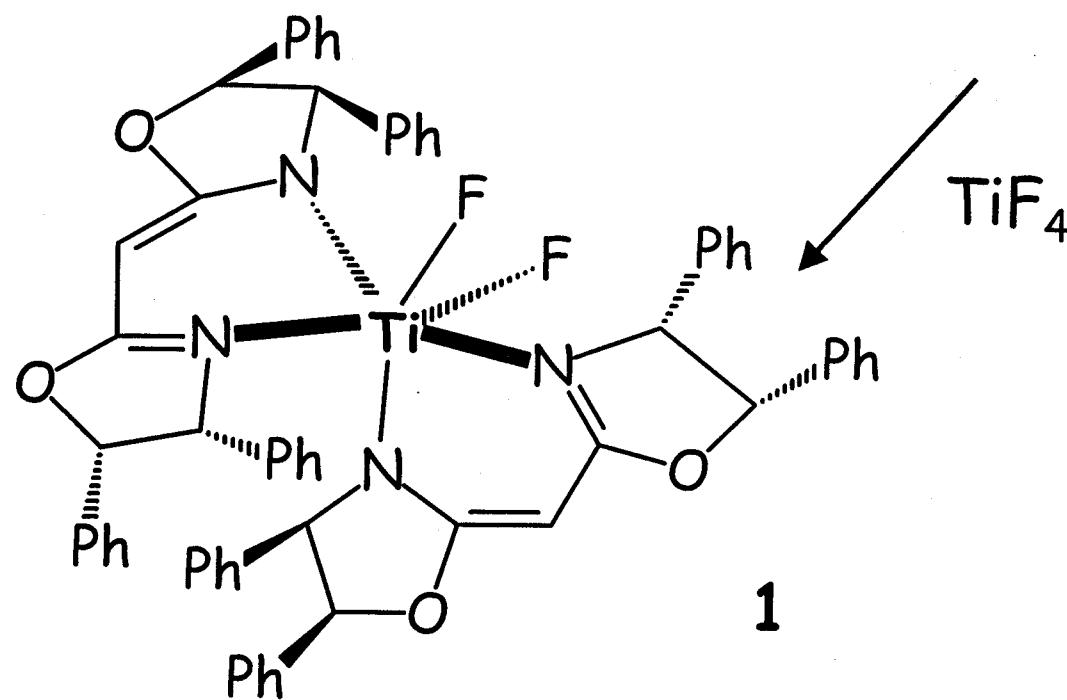
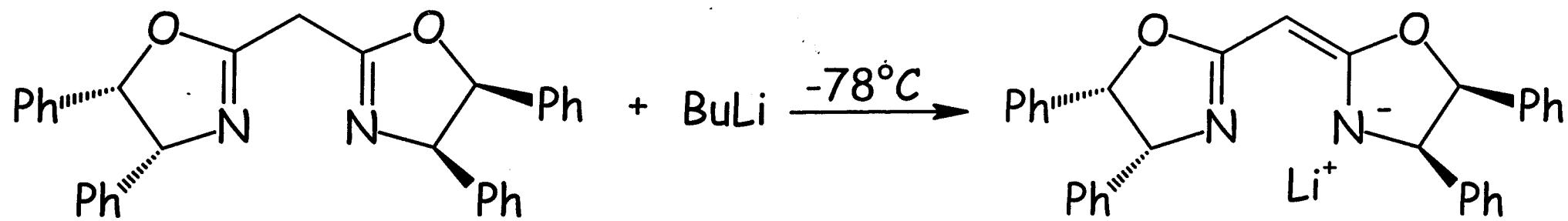
Catalyst 10% ($\text{CrCl}_3/\text{Salen}$; 1/2)

RCHO	Yield (%)	<i>Anti:S</i>_n e.e. (%)	e.e. _{Anti} (%)	e.e. _{Syn} (%)
PhCHO	56	17:83	36	90
<i>p</i> -CH ₃ PhCHO	48	26:74	24	85
<i>p</i> -PhPhCHO	47	29:71	16	84
<i>p</i> -FPhCHO	53	23:77	27	90
<i>p</i> -ClPhCHO	46	31:69	24	82
<i>p</i> -BrPhCHO	43	30:70	19	81



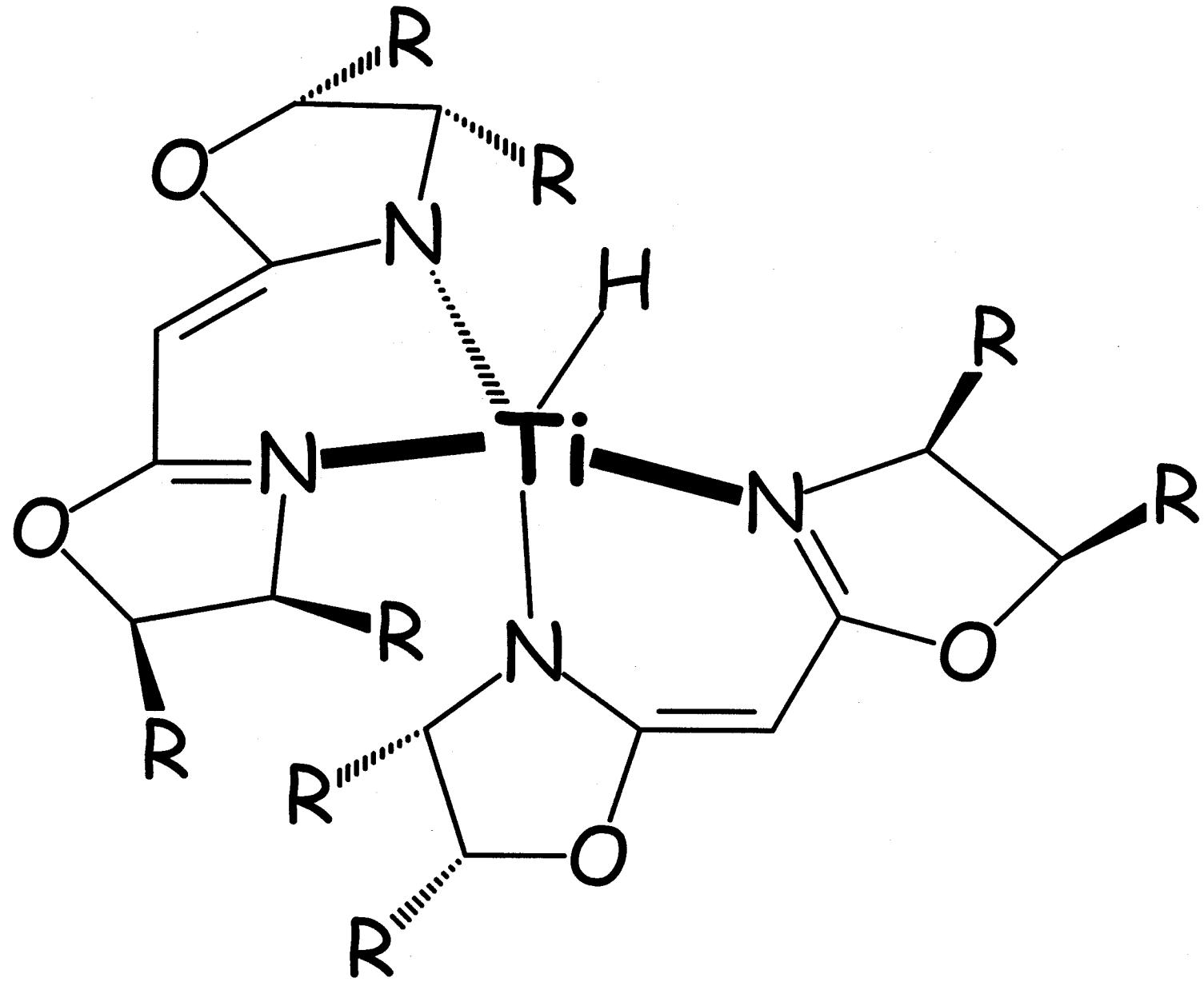
Intermolecular
Mechanism

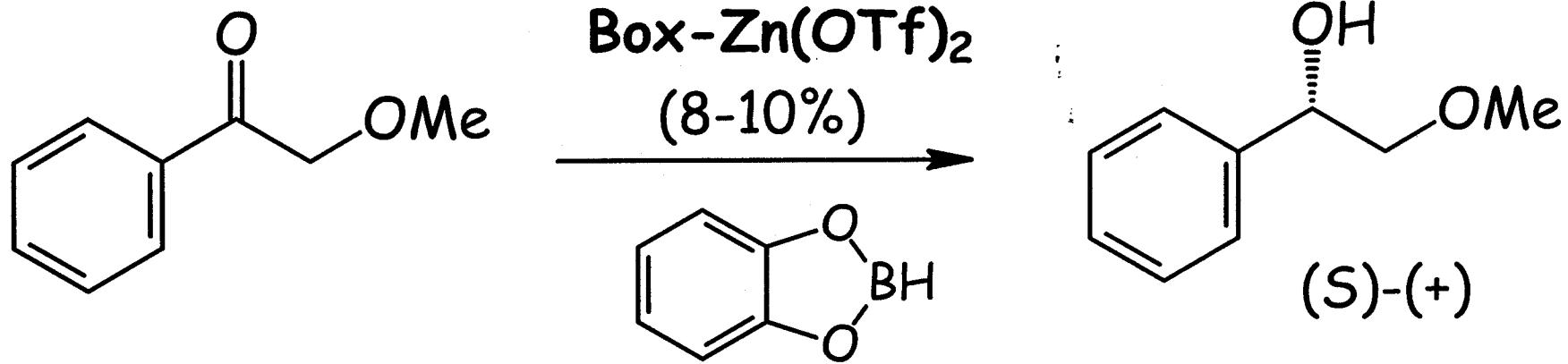
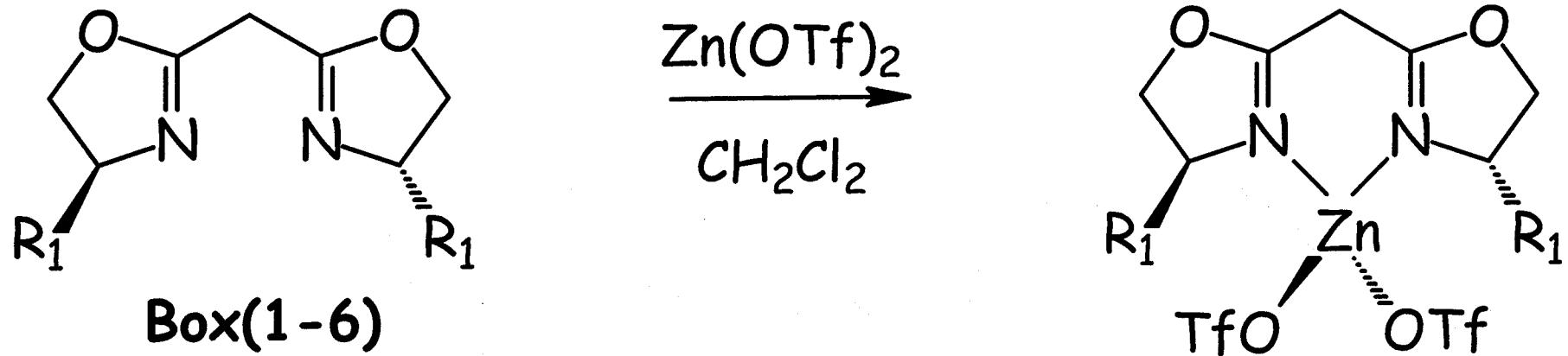




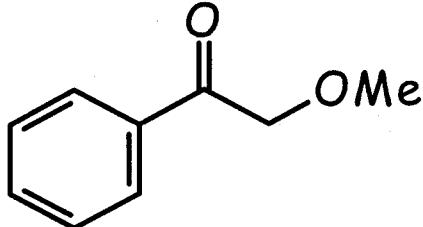
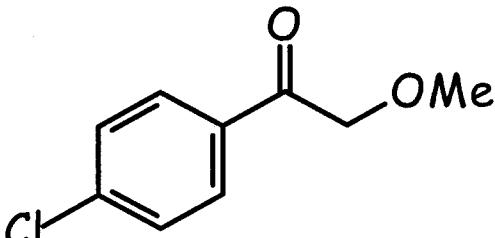
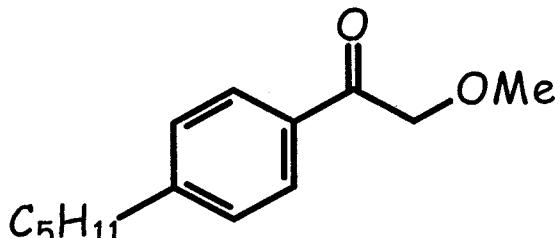
Ketone	Alcohol	Yield (%)	e.e. (%)
		54	78
		64	84
		61	83
		60	84
		61	85

Ligand 2: TiF_4 ; $(\text{EtO})_3\text{SiH}$





Enantioselective reduction of α -methoxy-ketones promoted by the BOX-Zn(OTf)₂ catalyst

Ketone	Yield (%)	e.e. (%)
	78	82
	69	81
	78	67

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