

SCM1 „SYNTHESECHEMIE“

Aktuelle katalytische Synthesemethoden

Teil 1: C-H Aktivierung

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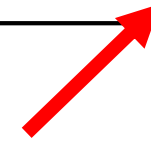


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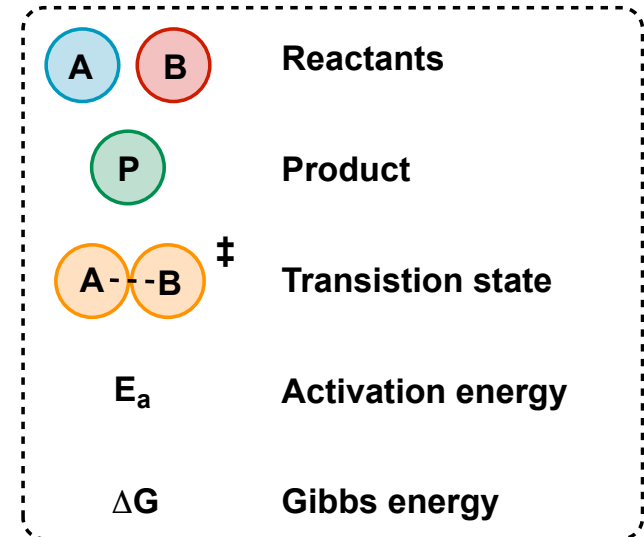
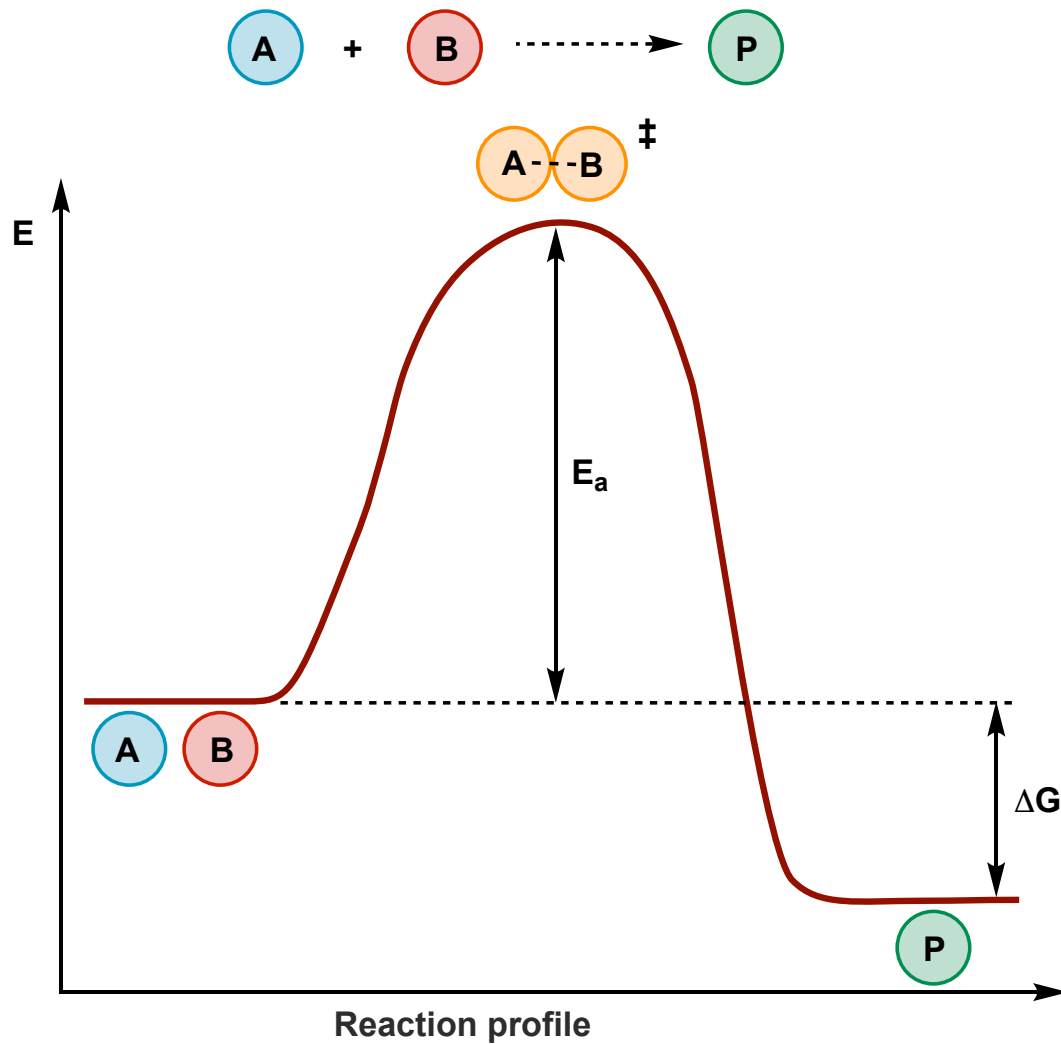


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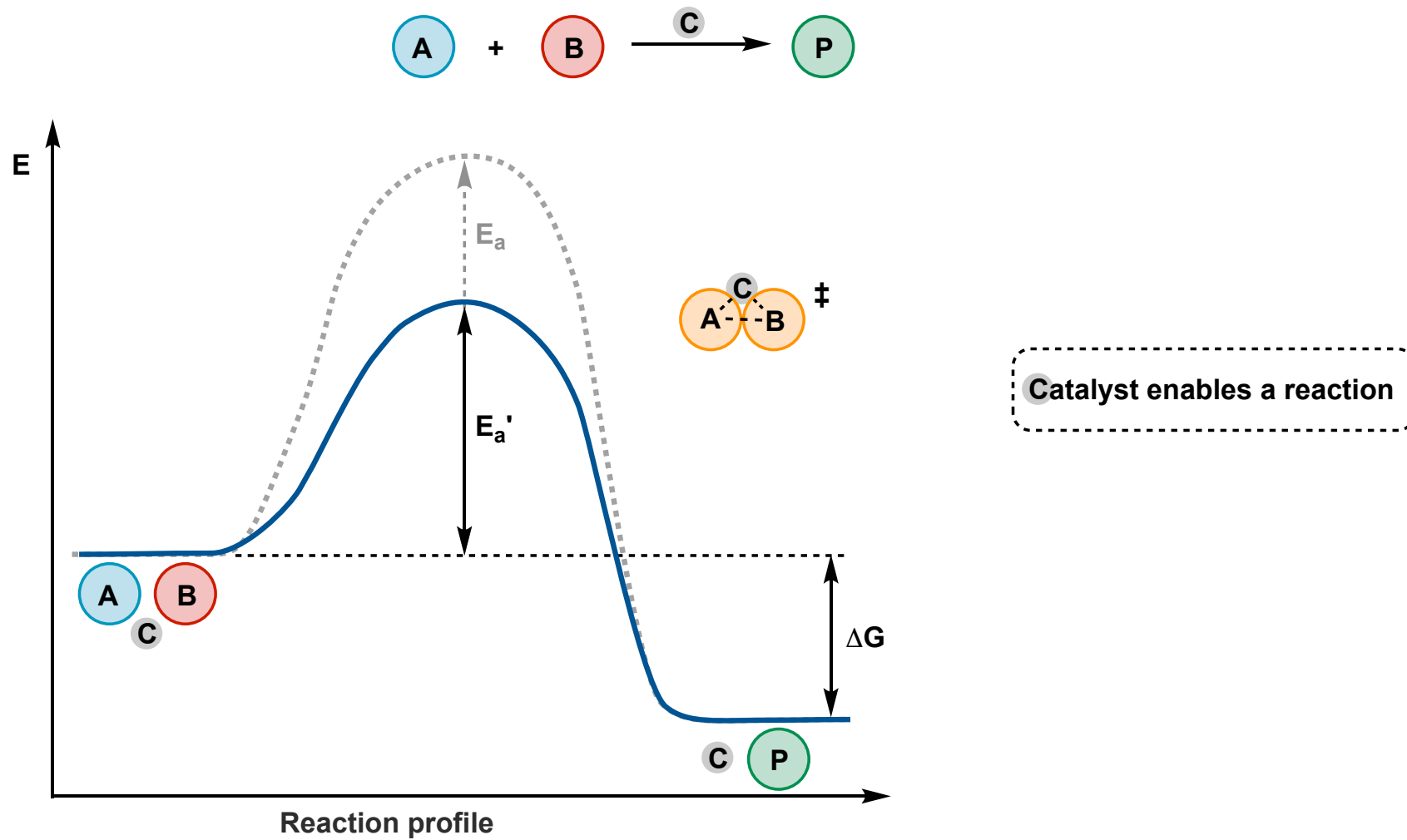
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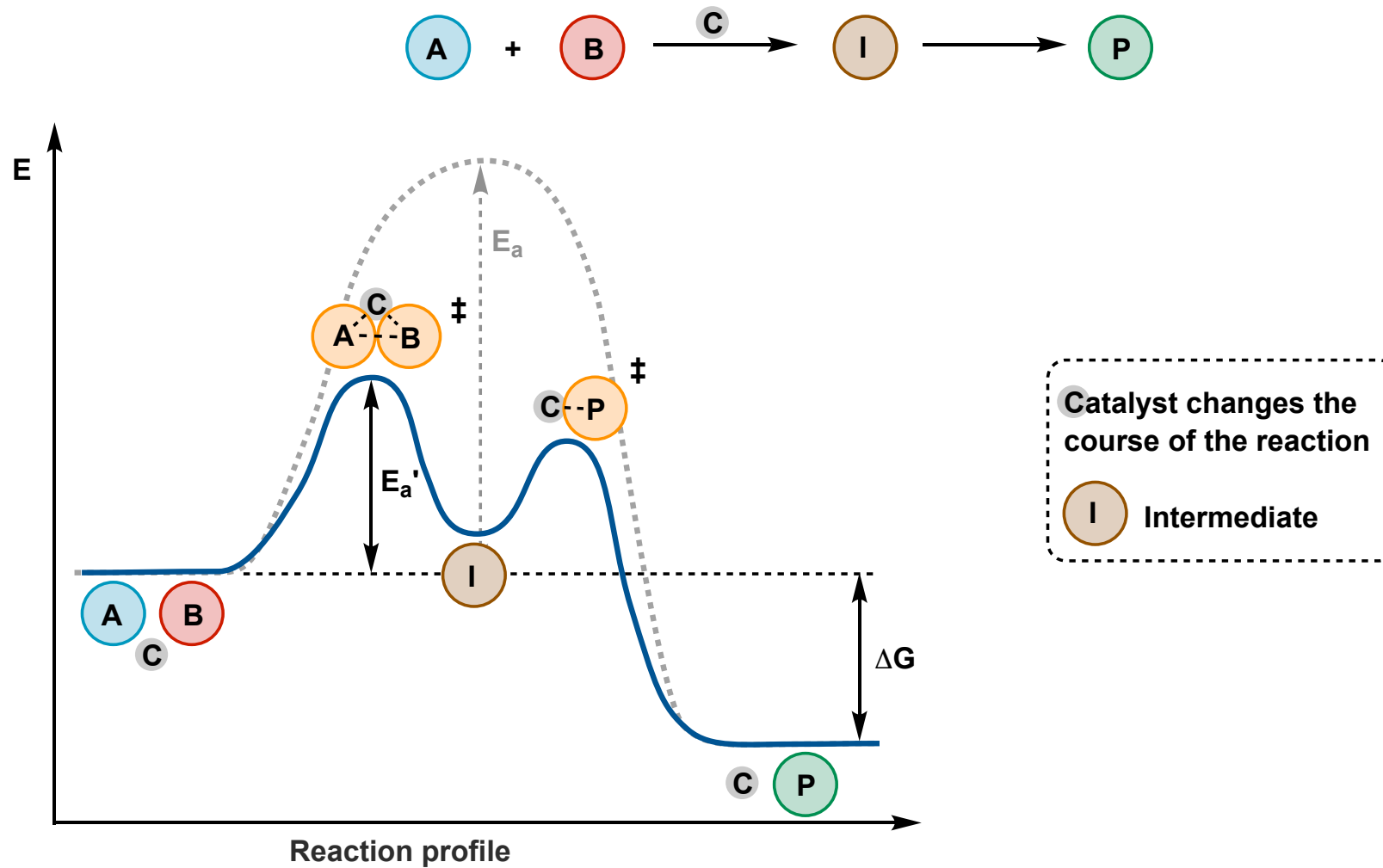
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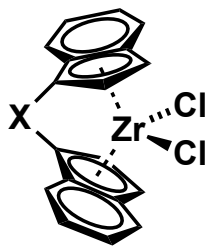
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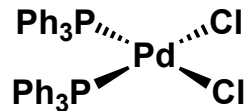
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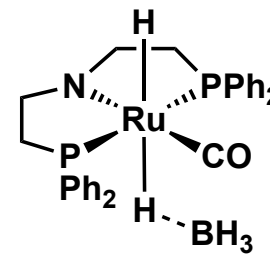
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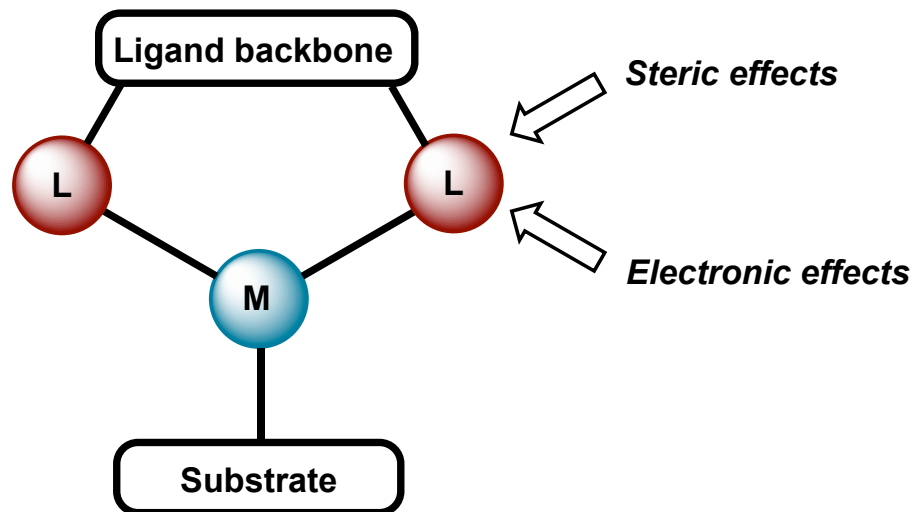
Polymerization



Carbonylation



CO₂ Hydrogenation



HOMOGENEOUS CATALYSIS: ADVANTAGES

- mild reaction conditions
- selectivity
- steric and electronic properties
- mechanistic investigations

DISADVANTAGES

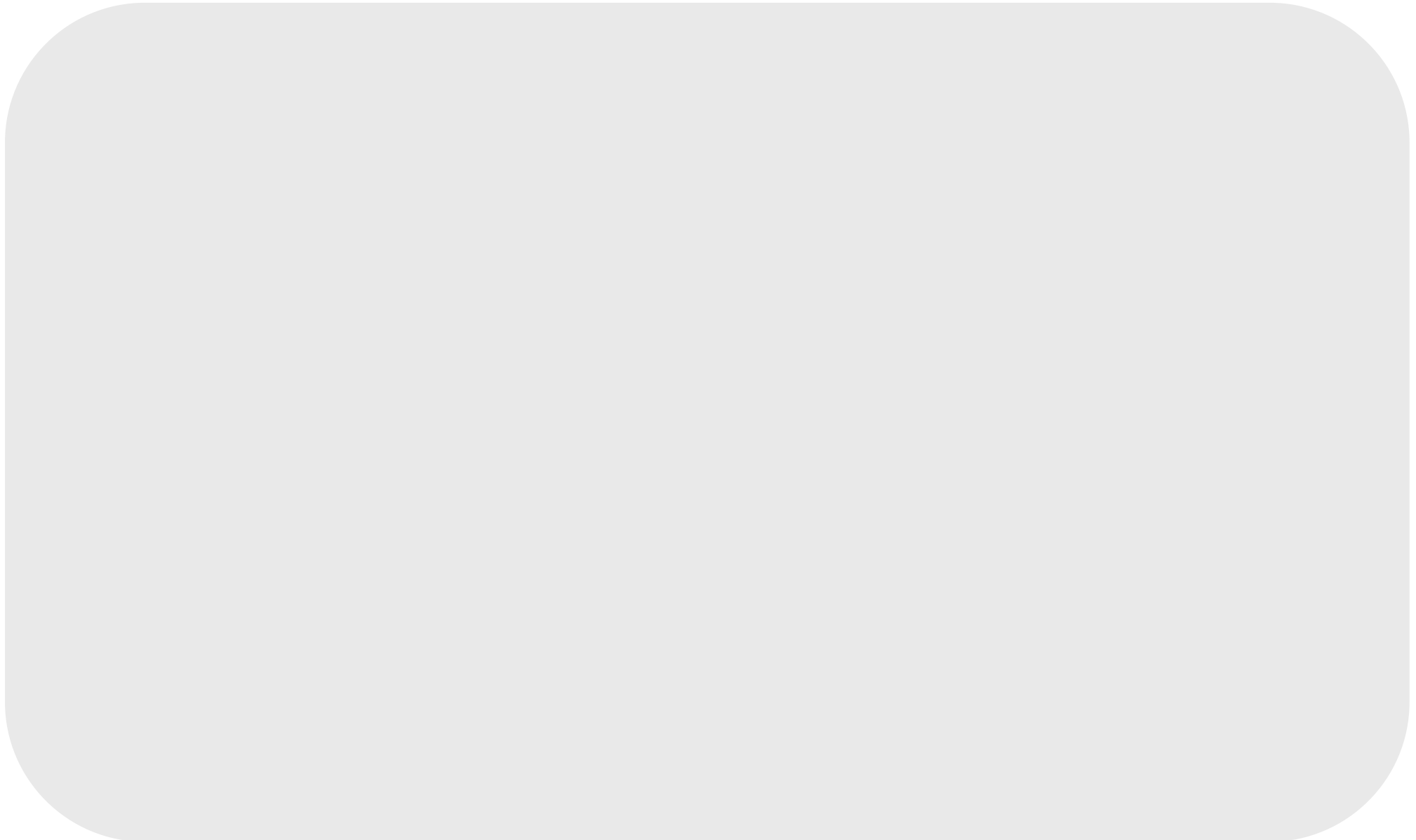
- recycling
- sensitivity

„Modern (Homogeneous) Catalysis?“

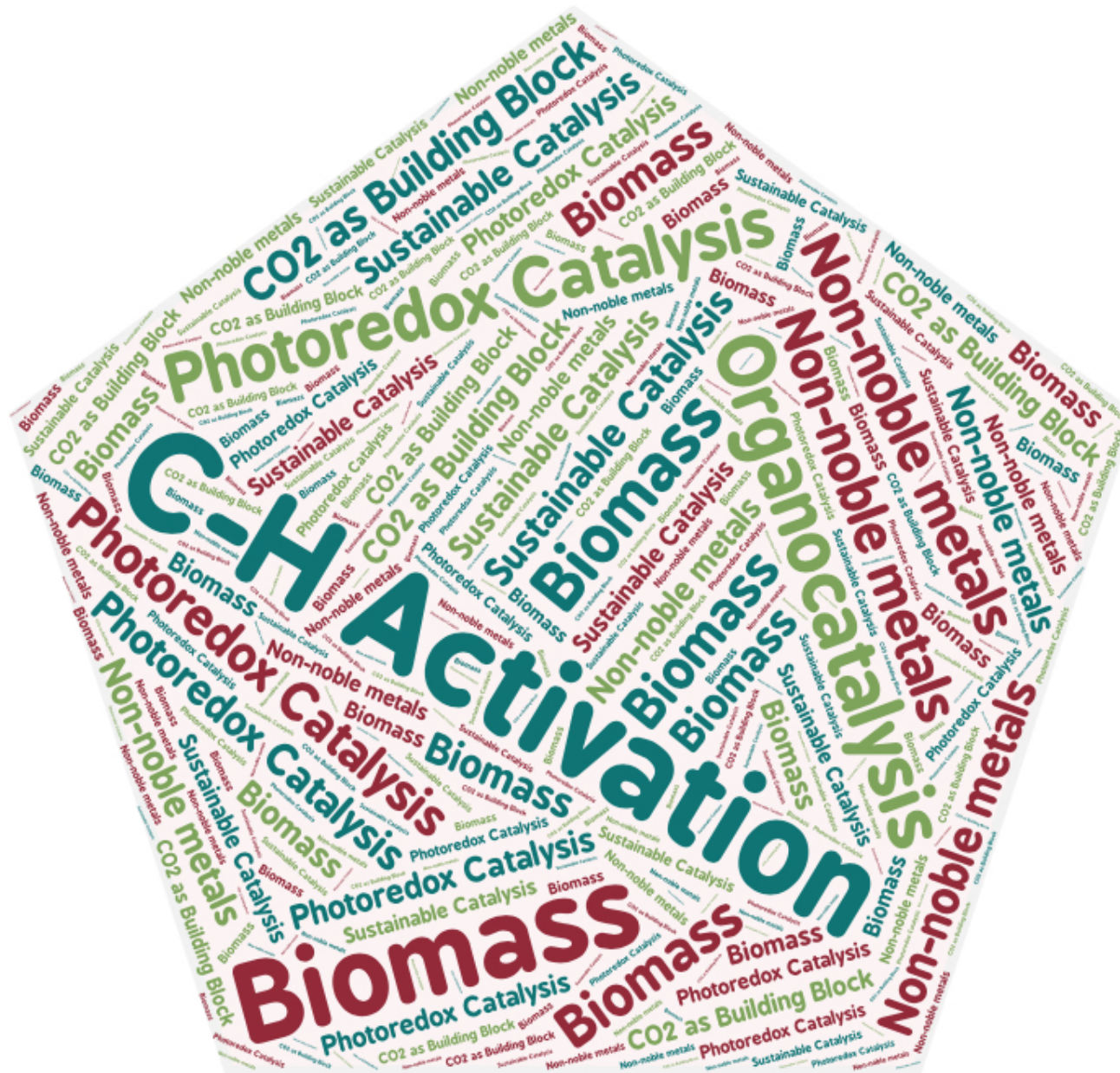
- **What is old catalysis? Established catalysis?**
- **Nobel prizes in catalysis?**

„Modern (Homogeneous) Catalysis?“

- Nobel prizes in catalysis?



„Modern (Homogeneous) Catalysis?“

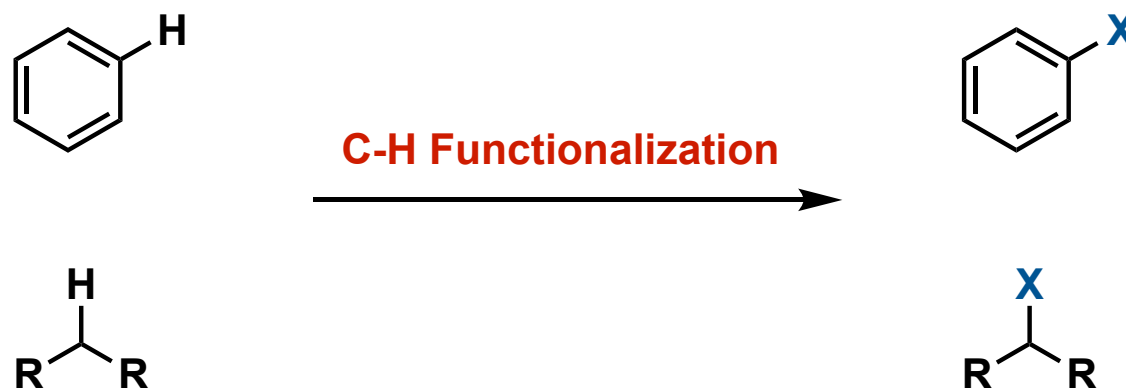


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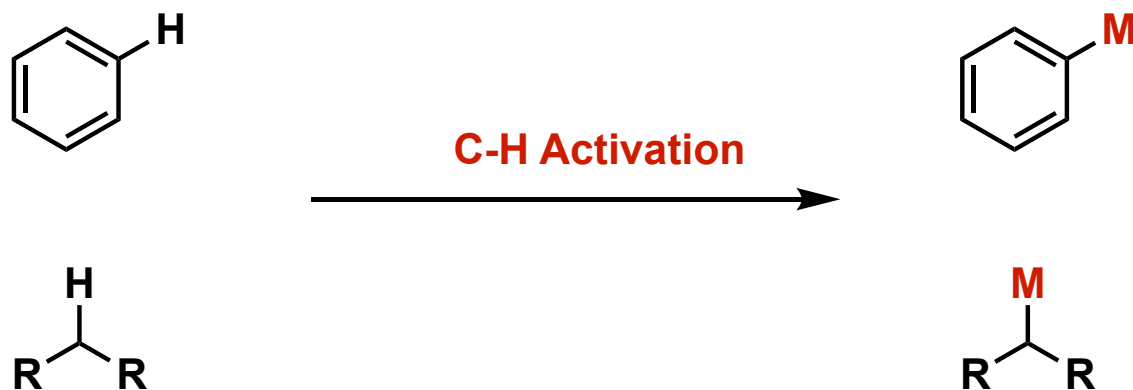
I. C-H Activation

II. Photoredox Catalysis

- C-H functionalization in general:



- C-H activation: The replacement of a C-H bond by a C-M bond, where M is a transition metal. “Activation” in this sense means the replacement of a relatively unreactive C-H bond with a C-M bond, which can be much more easily functionalized. A C-H activation followed by a reaction from C-M to C-X is therefore a key part of a *C-H functionalization*. Often, the term C-H activation is used to describe the whole process.



Shilov, A. E.; Shul'pin, G. B. *Chem. Rev.* **1997**, *97*, 2879-2932.

- Reviews:

- (a) *Chem. Rev.* **2010**, 110, 1147.
- (b) *Chem. Rev.* **2010**, 110, 890.
- (c) *Chem. Rev.* **2010**, 110, 824.
- (d) *Chem. Rev.* **2010**, 110, 725.
- (e) *Chem. Rev.* **2010**, 110, 681.
- (f) *Chem. Rev.* **2011**, 111, 1315.
- (g) *Acc. Chem. Res.* **2009**, 42, 335.
- (h) *Chem. Asian J.* **2009**, 5, 436.
- (i) *Chem Rev.* **2011**, 111, 1780.
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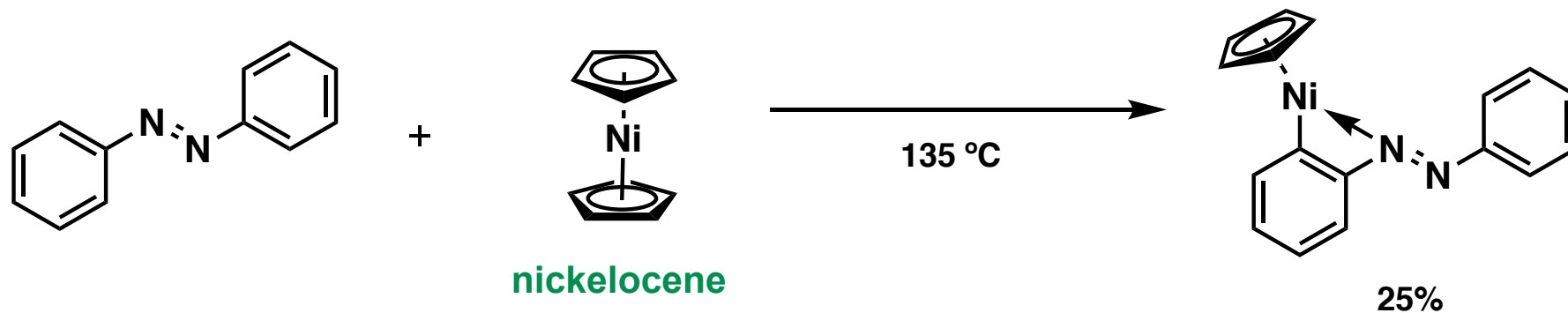
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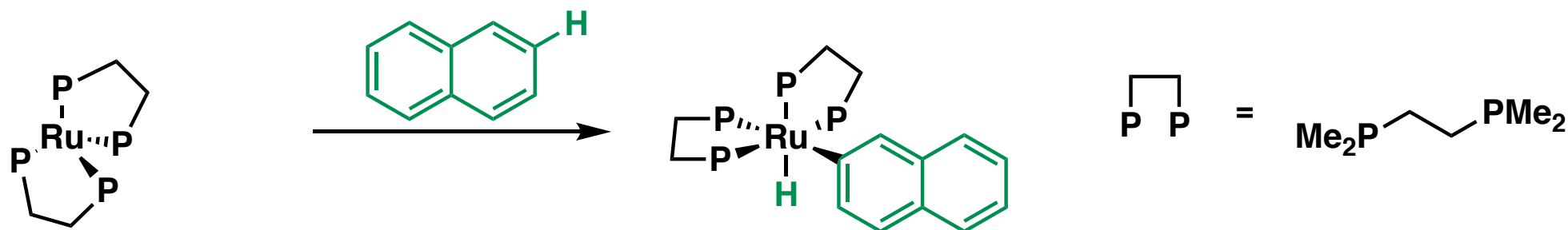
a) Stoichiometric C-H activation: sp^2

Seminal work on azobenzene:



Kleiman, J. P.; Dubeck, M. *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **1963**, 85, 1544-1545.

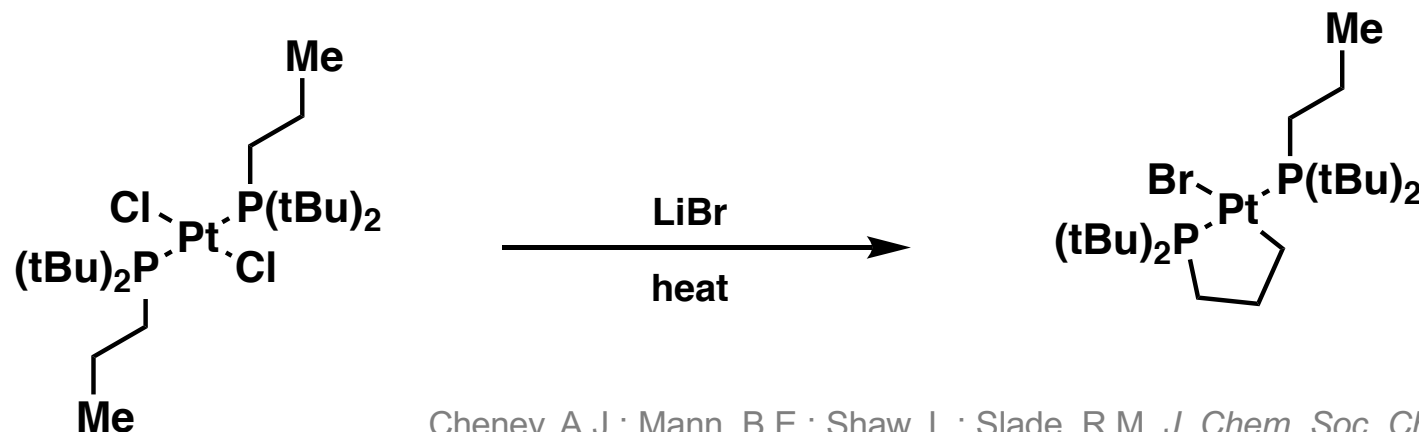
Activation of naphthalene by Ru:



Chatt, J.; Davidson, J. M. *J. Chem. Soc.* **1965**, 843-855.

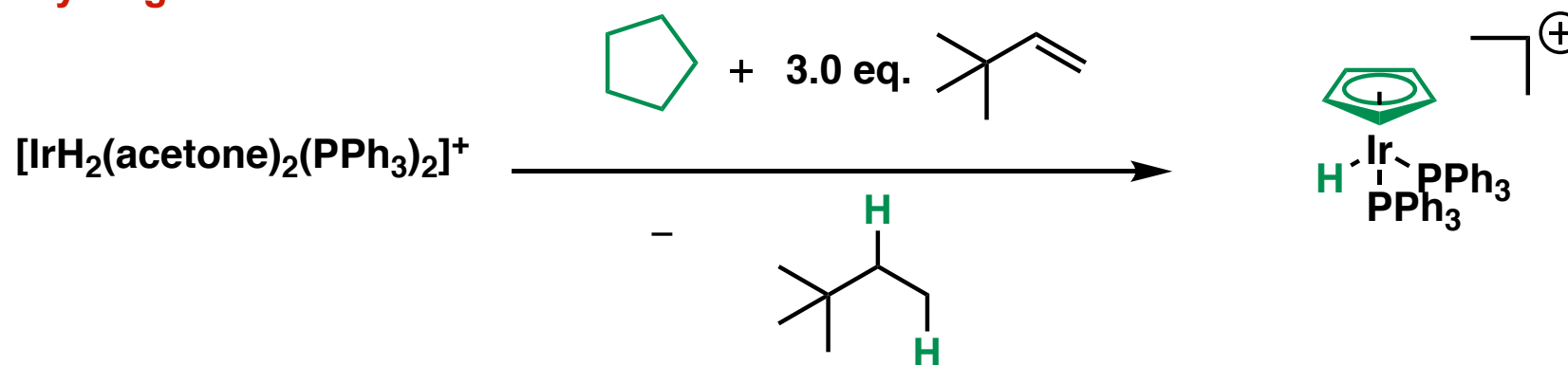
a) Stoichiometric C-H activation: sp^3

Intramolecular activation by Pt:



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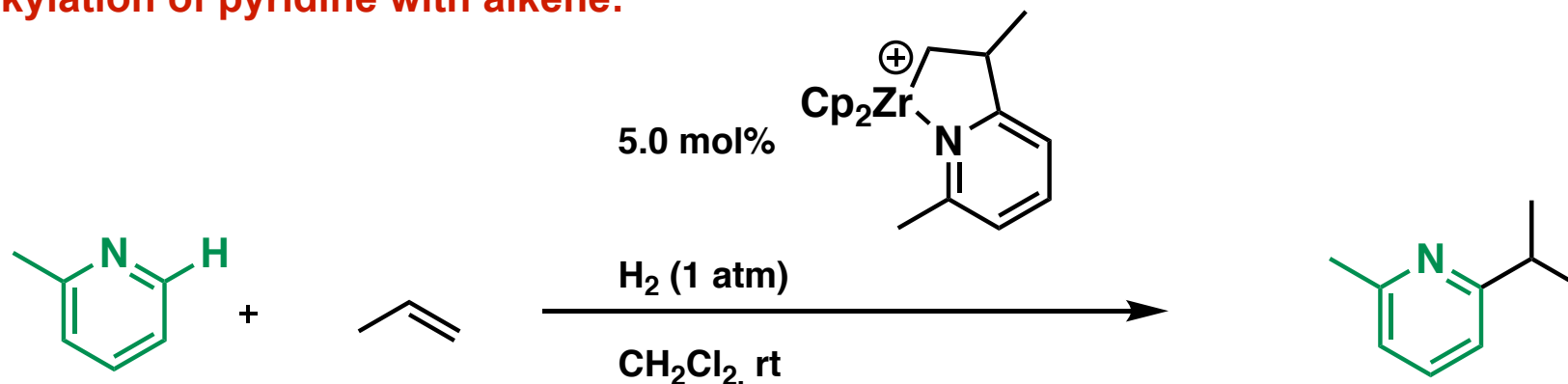
Dehydrogenation:



Crabtree, R. H.; Mihelcic, J. M.; Quirk, J. M. *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **1979**, 101, 7738-7740.

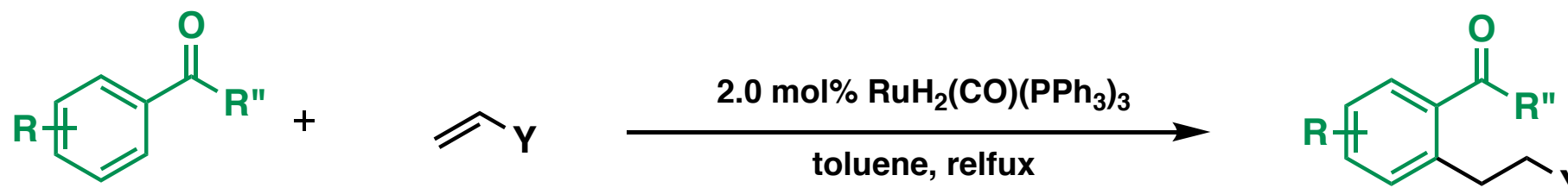
b) Catalytic C-H activation:

Alkylation of pyridine with alkene:

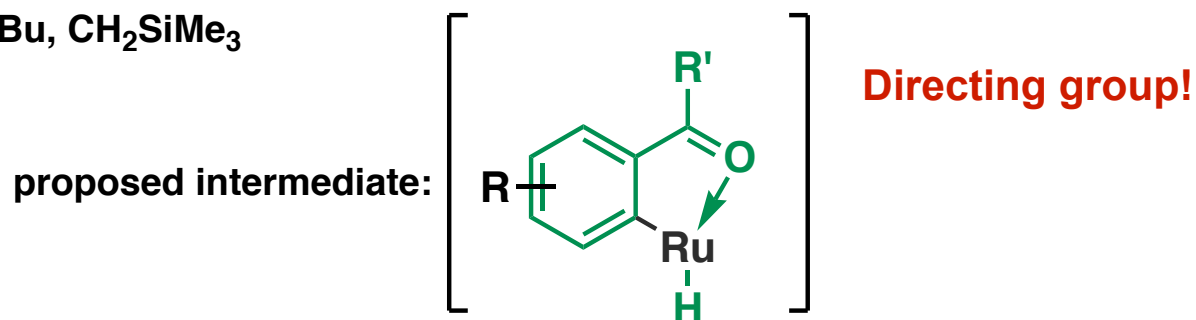


Jordan, R. F.; Taylor, D. F. *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **1989**, *111*, 778-779.

Murai reaction:



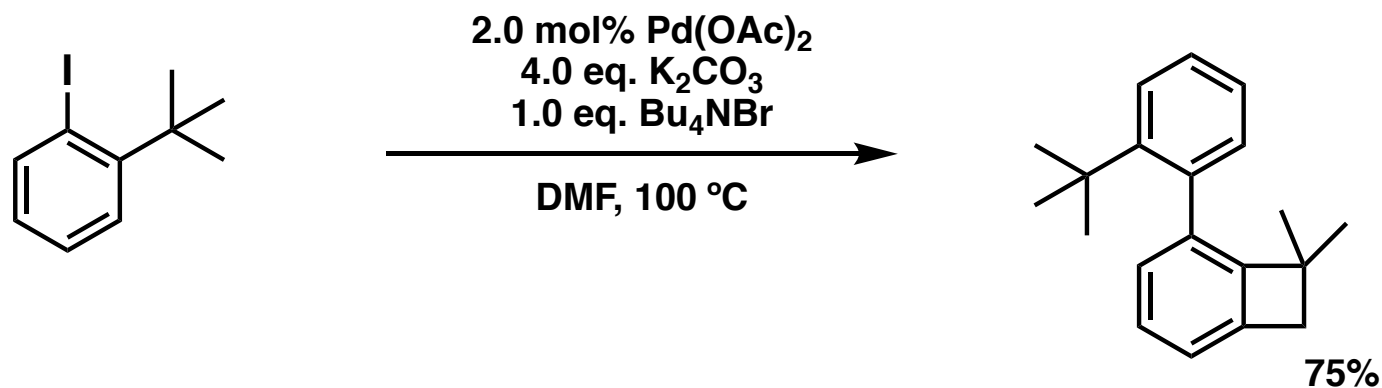
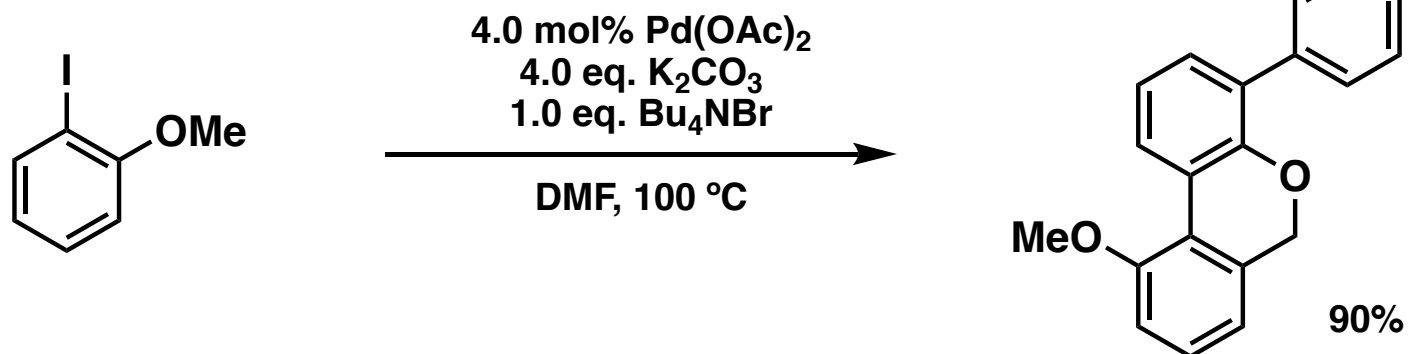
$\text{Y} = \text{Si}(\text{OEt})_3, \text{Ph}, \text{tBu}, \text{CH}_2\text{SiMe}_3$



Murai, S.; Kakiuchi, F.; Sekine, S.; Tanaka, Y.; Kamatani, A.; Sonoda, M.; Chatani, N. *Nature* **1993**, *366*, 529-531.

b) Catalytic C-H activation:

Functionalization of sp^3 bonds:



Dyker, G. *Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.* **1992**, 31 (8), 1023-1025.

Dyker, G. *Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.* **1994**, 33 (1), 103-105.

- The starting materials are cheap and easily accessible
- Reactions are atom economical
- no further functional group transformations are required (compare to cross coupling reactions, where functionalities of both coupling partners have to be installed)
- Reactions are cost effective

1. Introduction

1.5. Key Players



M. Sanford



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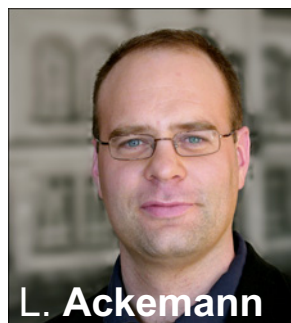


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and many more

2. Mechanistic aspects

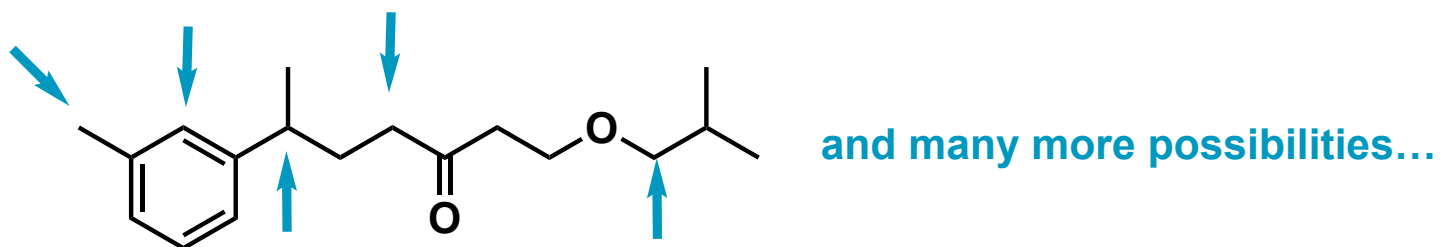
2.1. Challenges

- a) **Reactivity:** Most of the C-H bonds are stronger than the corresponding C-X bonds, therefore a C-H functionalization is thermodynamically unfavoured.

Bond	Bond Strength (in kcal/mol)	Bond	Bond Strength (in kcal/mol)
C _{Methyl} -H	105	C-C (in ethane)	90
C _{Isopropyl} -H	99	C-O (in MeOH)	92
C _{tertbutyl} -H	97	C-N (in MeNH ₂)	85
C _{allyl} -H	89	C-F (MeF)	115
C _{phenyl} -H	113	C-Cl (MeCl)	84
HCC-H (ethyne)	133	C-Br (MeBr)	72
		C-I (MeI)	58

- Possible solution(s): Use of transition metal catalysts to lower the activation barrier

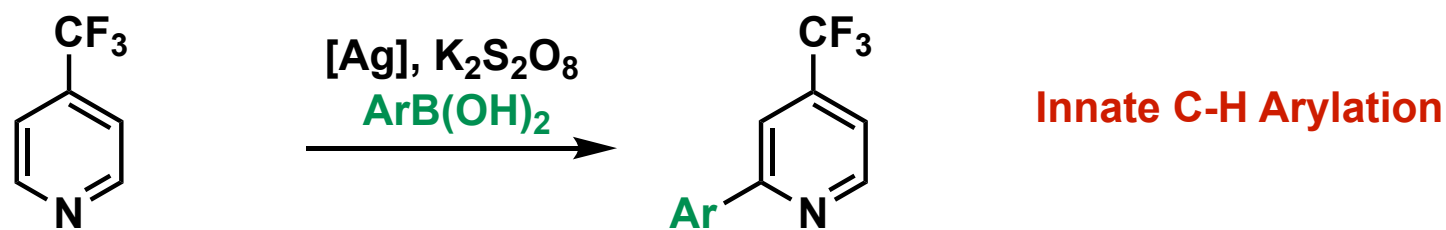
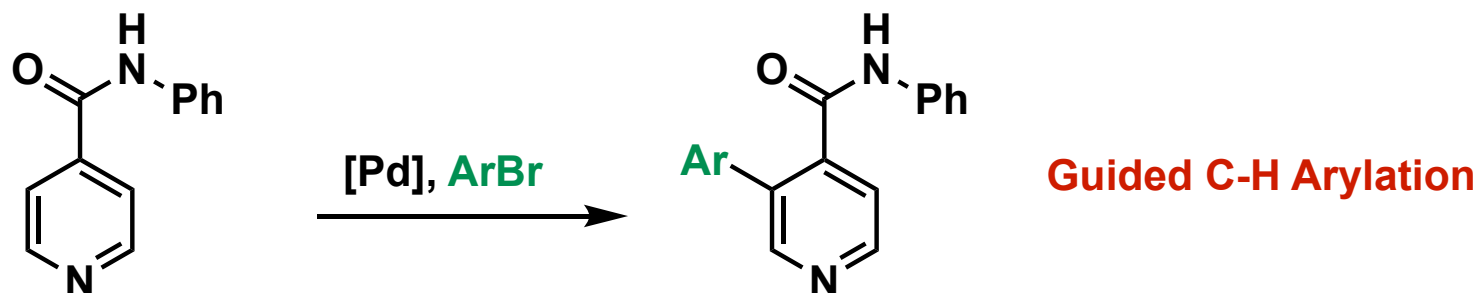
- b) **Chemoselectivity:** Once the desired C-X bond is formed, this bond itself has a lower bond strength than the C-H bond before, and over-reactions such as catalyst inhibition can occur. Secondly, the introduction of a C-X bond might change the reactivity of a whole molecule (for example by changing the electron density of an aromatic system), it is important to suppress overreaction.
- Possible solutions: Running the reaction to low conversion, employ excess of substrate over oxidant, carry out intra- vs intermolecular reactions, use deactivating functional groups, catalyst design.
- c) **Regioselectivity:** In most molecules, more than one C-H bond of a certain type, and more than one type of C-H bond exist. Therefore, a catalyst should exert high selectivity towards one particular type of C-H bond.



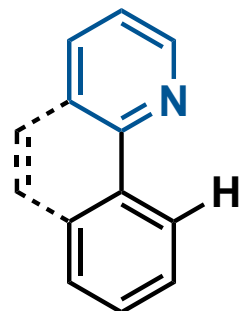
- Possible solutions: Use weak or activated C-H bonds (allylic, benzylic), use coordinating (directing) groups, try to achieve intramolecular reactions via 5- or 6-membered transition states, catalyst design.

b) **Regioselectivity:** guided or innate

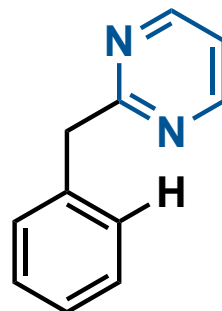
- i. Innate selectivity: natural reactivity of the molecule based on steric and electronic effects
- ii. Guided selectivity: functional groups change the nature of C-H bonds, coordination



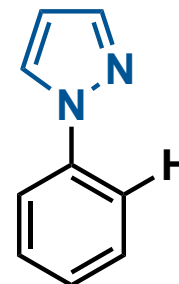
b) **Regioselectivity:** directing groups



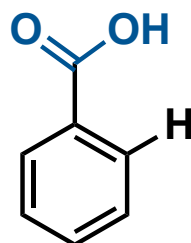
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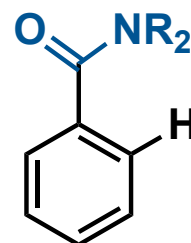
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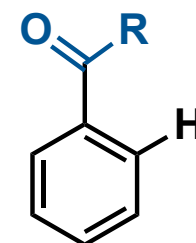
Pyrazine



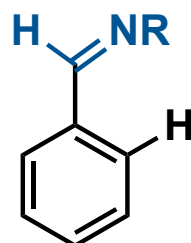
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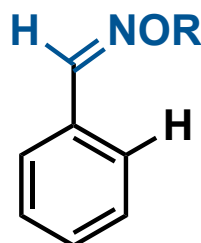
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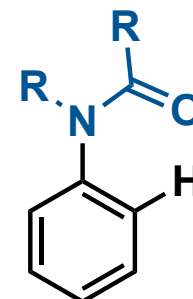
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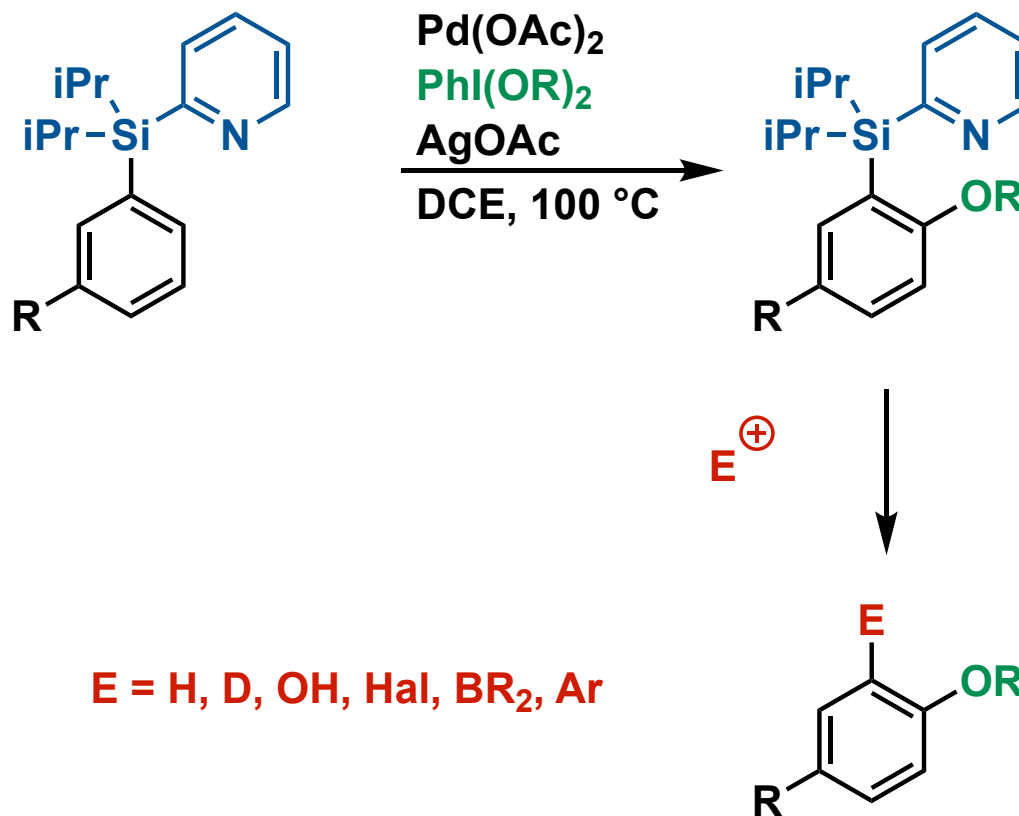
Oxime ether



Amide

b) Regioselectivity: directing groups

Removable/exchangeable directing groups: example

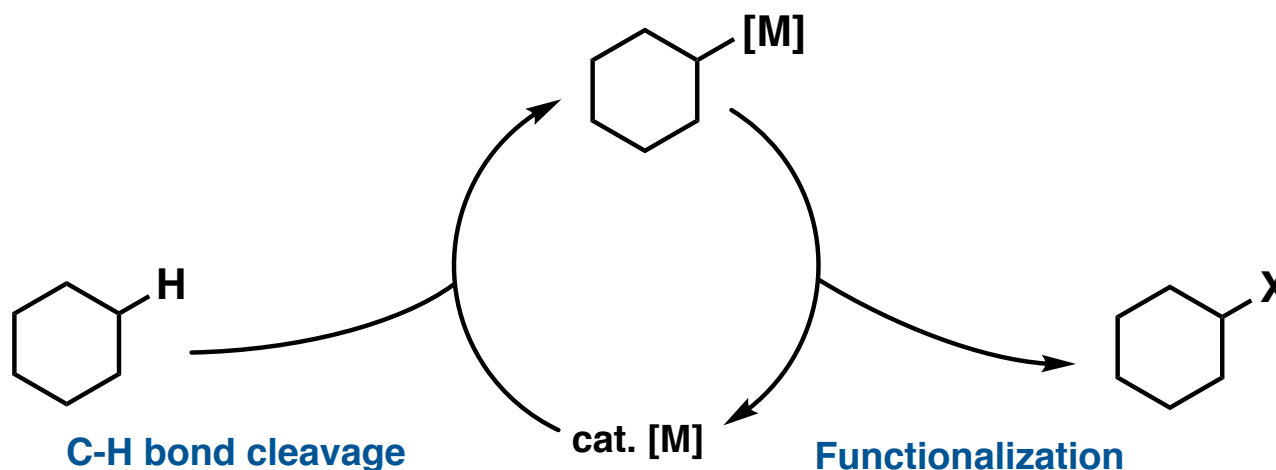


N. Chernyak, A. S. Dudnik, C. Huang, V. Gevorgyan, *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **2010**, *132*, 8270.

For the C-H activation step:

a) Inner sphere mechanism

- C-M species is the defining factor of this mechanism. It governs all follow-up reaction with respect to regio- and stereoselectivity.
- Generally, inner sphere mechanism has a tendency to prefer less hindered C-H bonds, since they avoid radical or electrophilic steps.
- Since organometallic species are generally oxidation-labile, reactions via inner sphere mechanisms normally employ no or very weak oxidants.



Dick, A. R.; Sanford, M. S. *Tetrahedron* **2006**, 62, 2439-2463.

2. Mechanistic aspects

2.2. General mechanisms

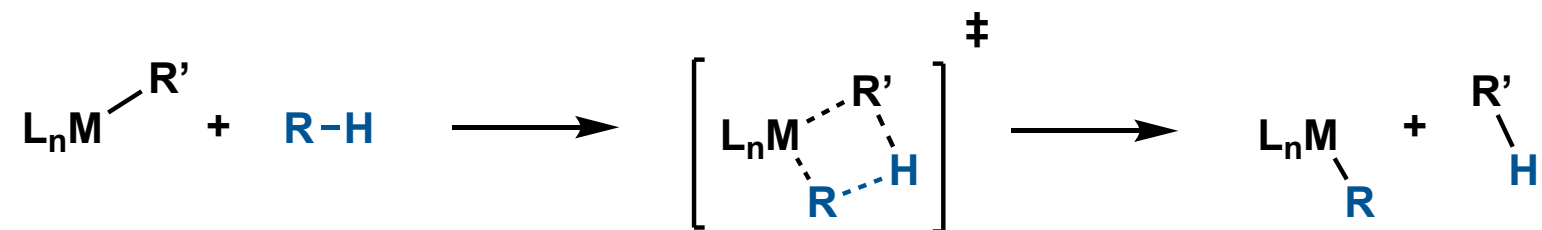
For the C-H activation step:

a) Inner sphere mechanism: C-H cleavage

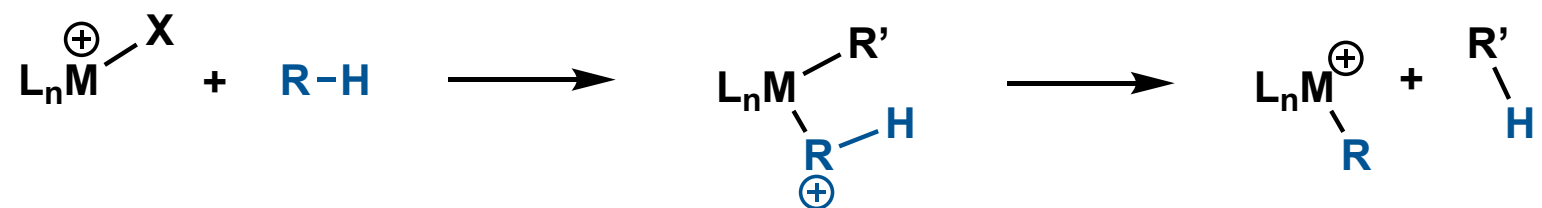
Oxidative addition



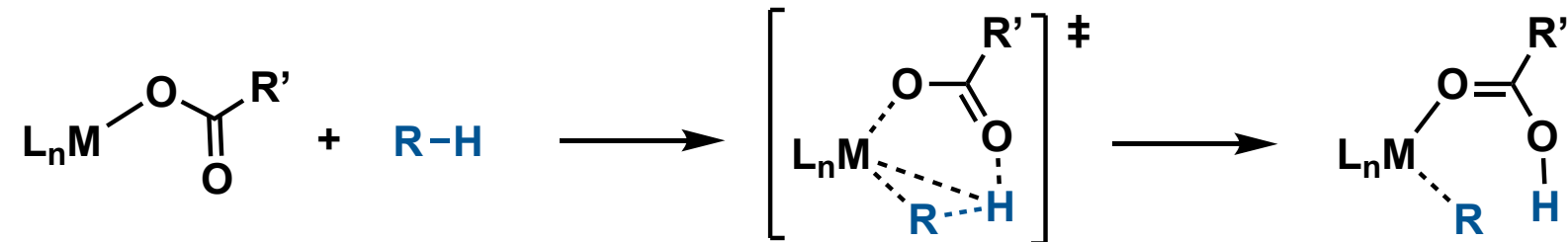
σ -Bond metathesis



Electrophilic substitution



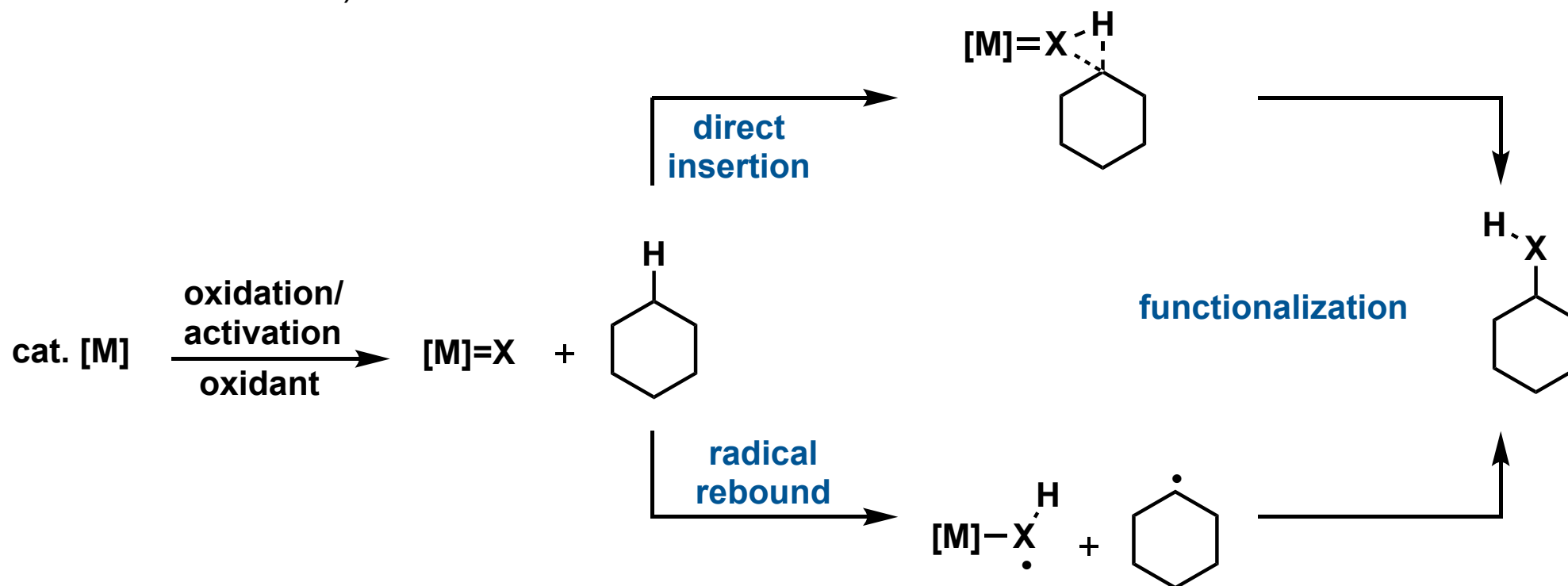
Base assisted metalation



For the C-H activation step:

b) Outer sphere mechanism

- Formation of a high oxidation state metal complex with an activated ligand X (generally oxo-, nitrene or carbene species)
- No distinct organometallic species has to be present and that the substrate does not directly interact with the metal catalyst (instead, it reacts with the activated ligand).
- Note: In practice, direct insertion and radical rebound steps are hard to distinguish.
- higher selectivity towards weaker C-H bonds (tertiary, allylic, benzylic or alpha to heteroatoms) due to radical or cationic character

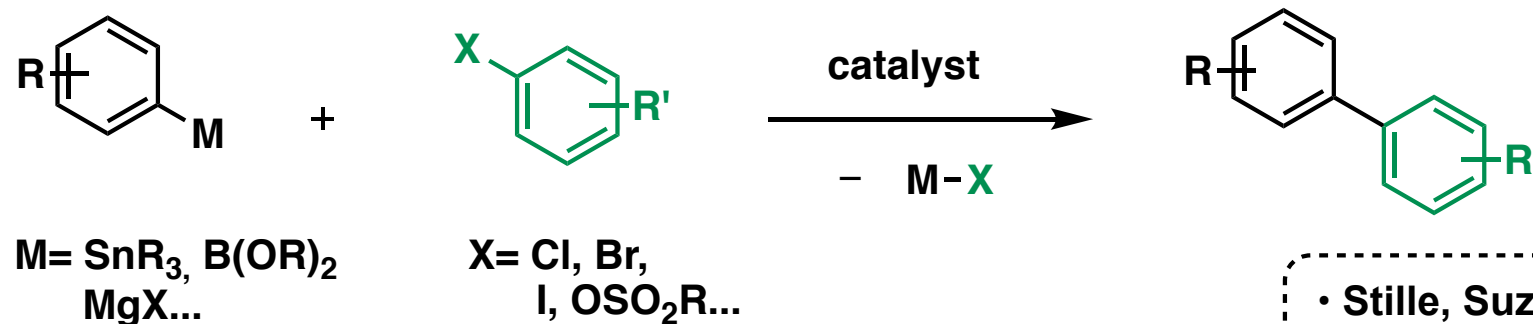


3. sp^2 -Functionalization

3.1. C-C Bond Formation

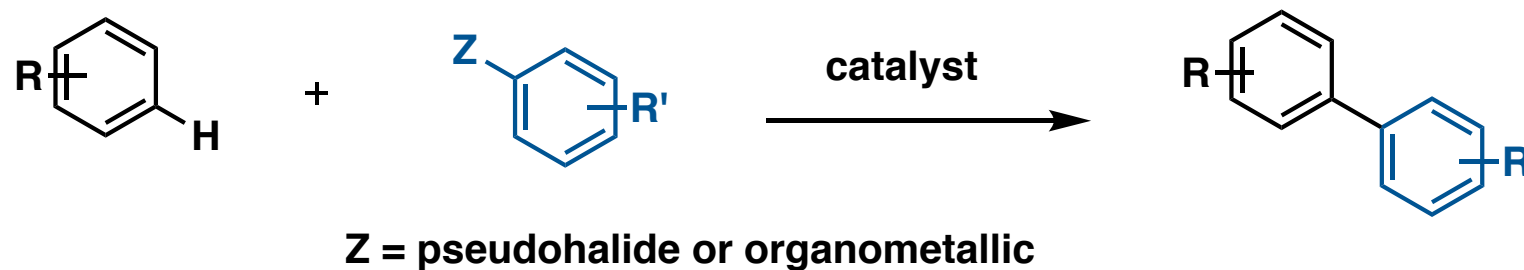
3.1.1. Direct Arylation

"Classical" cross-coupling



- Stille, Suzuki, Kumada, ...
- aryl halide reacts with organometallic nucleophile

Direct arylation



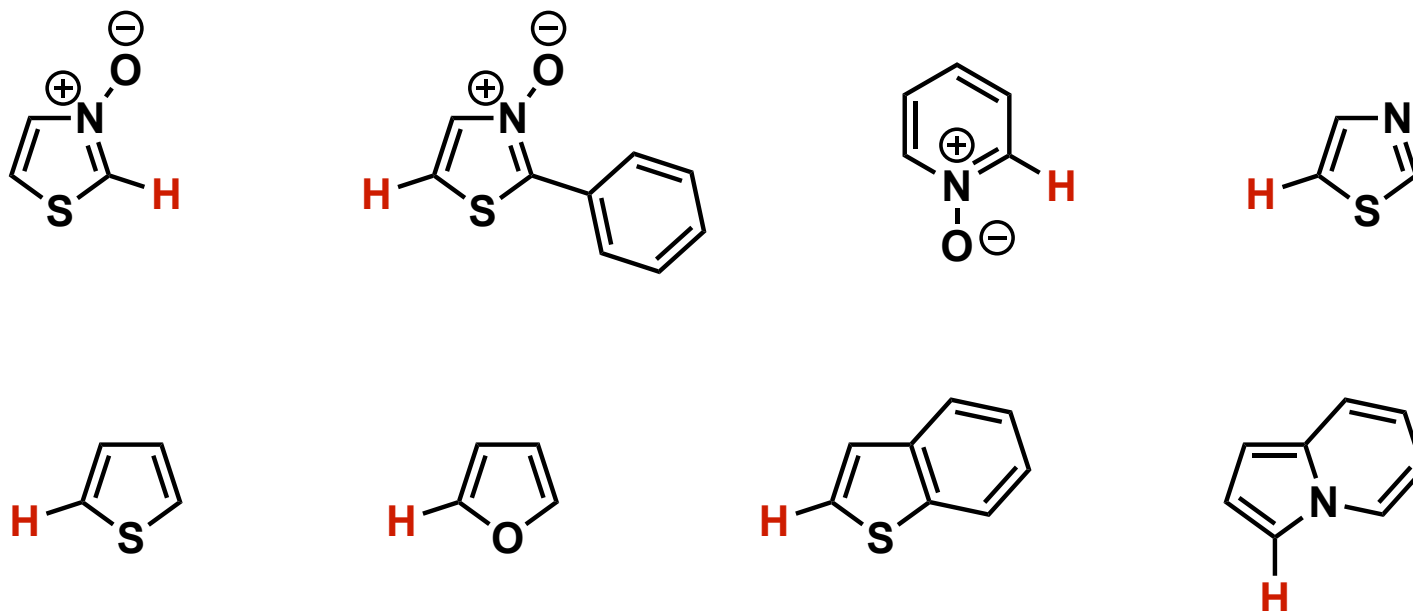
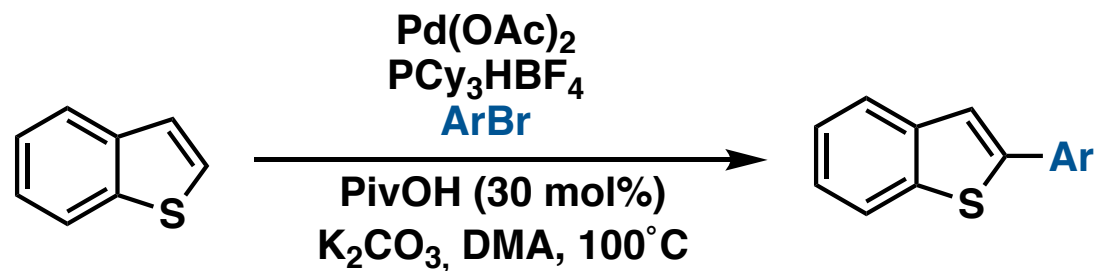
- C-H activation
- replacement of one or both reaction partners

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3.1. C-C Bond Formation

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Example 1: With aryl halides



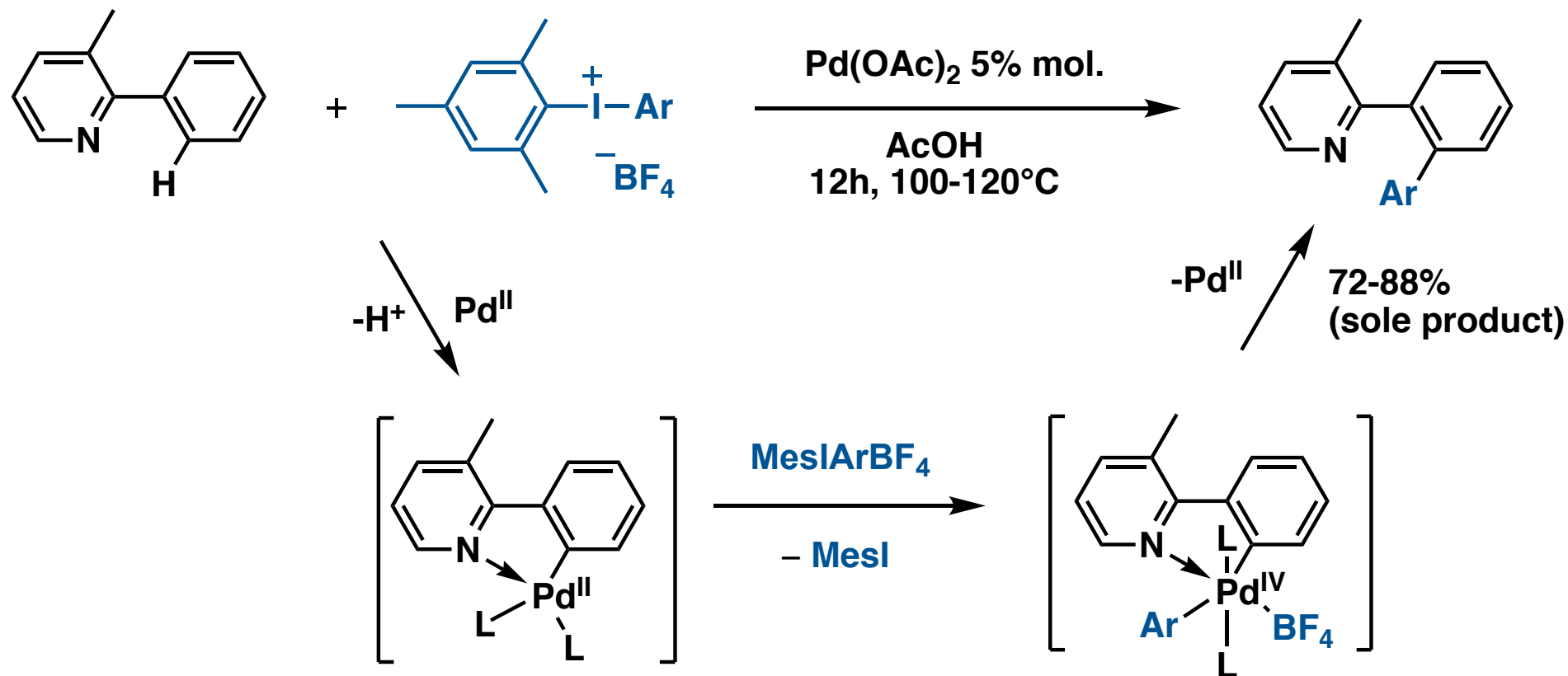
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Example 2: With aryl iodonium salts



Oxidation of the stable Pd(II) intermediate to unstable Pd(IV) enables reductive elimination.

Review: N. R. Deprez, M. S. Sanford, *Inorg. Chem.*, **2007**, 46, 1924–1935.

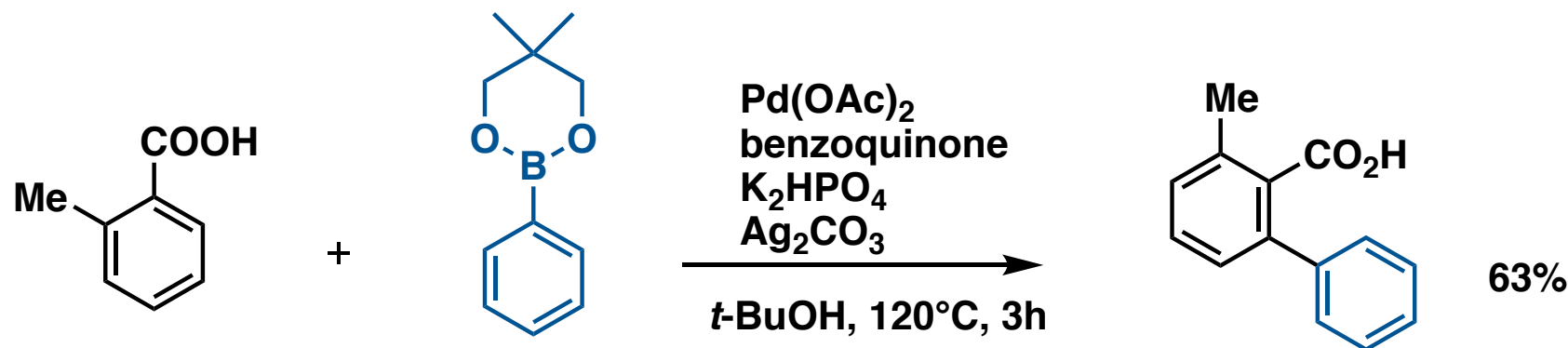
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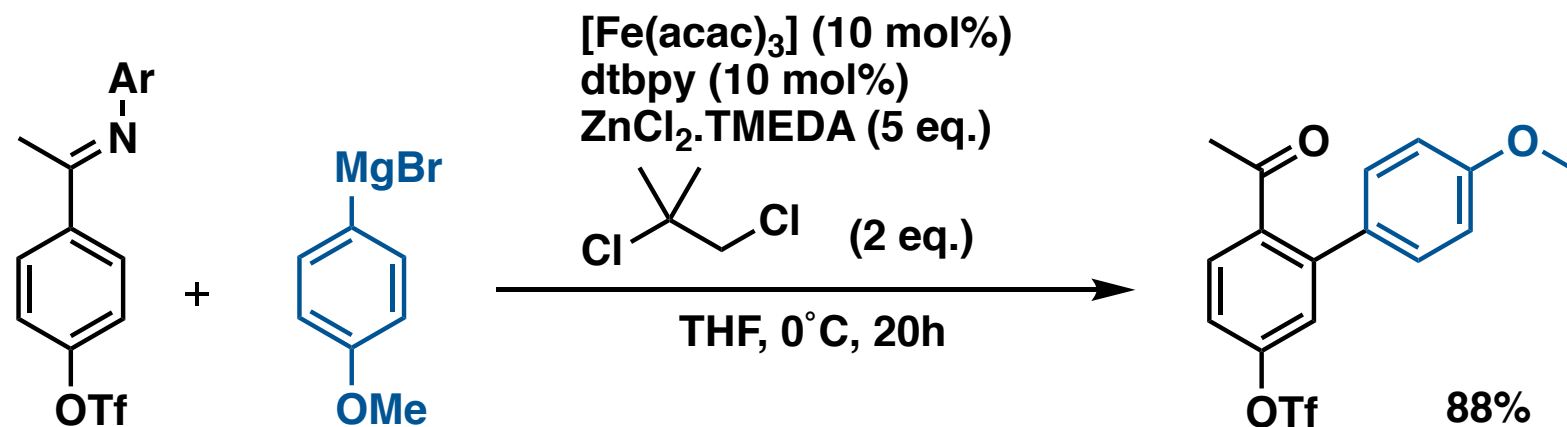
3.1.1. Direct Arylation

Example 3: With organometallic reaction partner

- less studied: requirement of terminal oxidant
organometallics often more expensive or difficult to prepare



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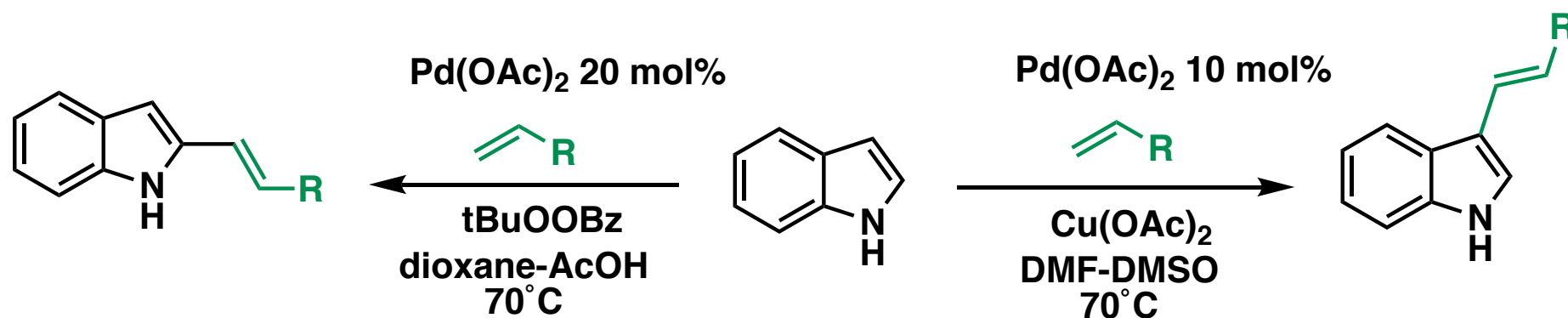
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3. sp^2 -Functionalization

3.1. C-C Bond Formation

3.1.2. Other C-C Bond Forming Reactions

Alkene-arene coupling (Heck reaction alternative)



In the presence of acid, Pd at C2 thermodynamically more stable

Innate reactivity

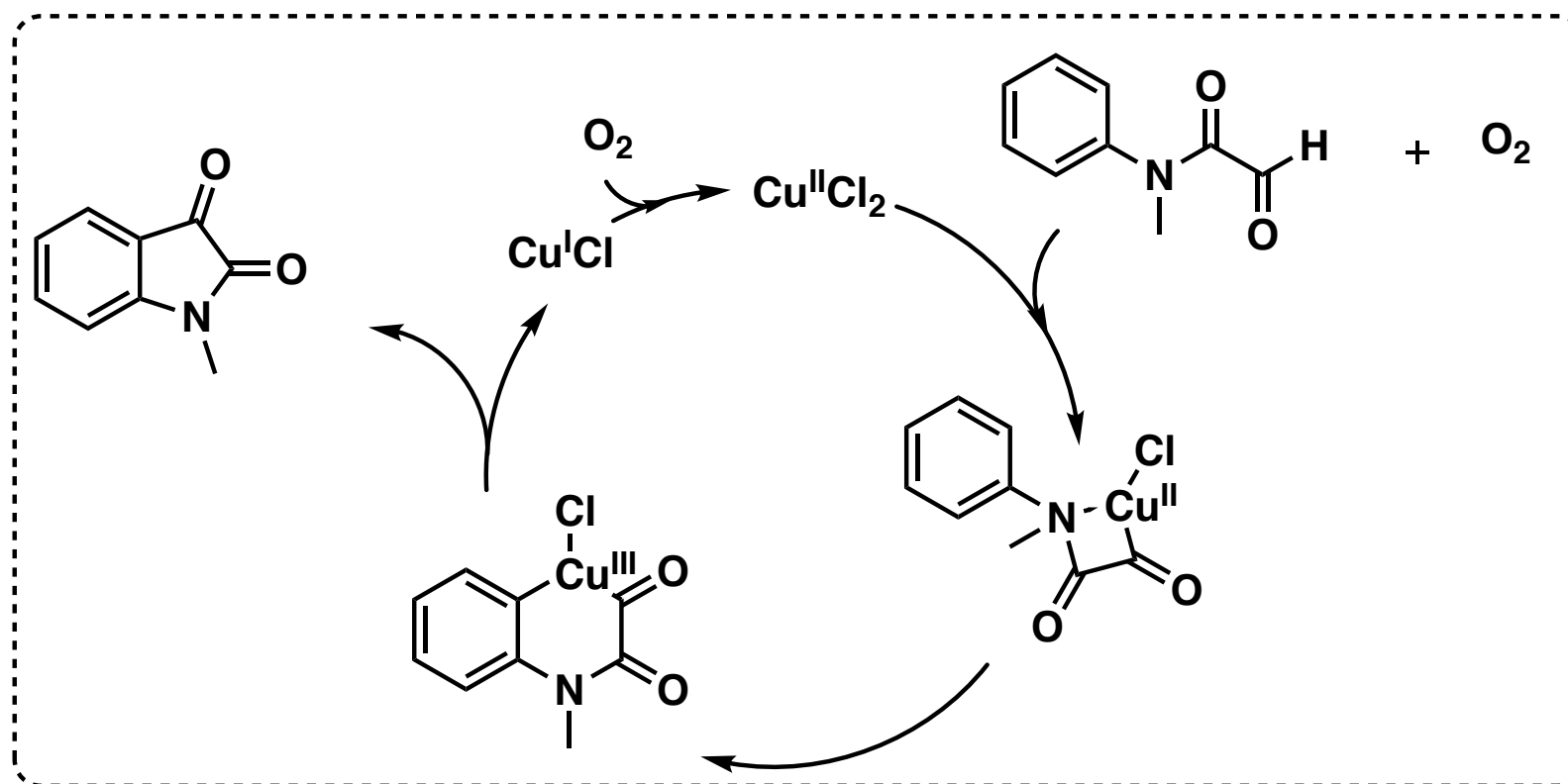
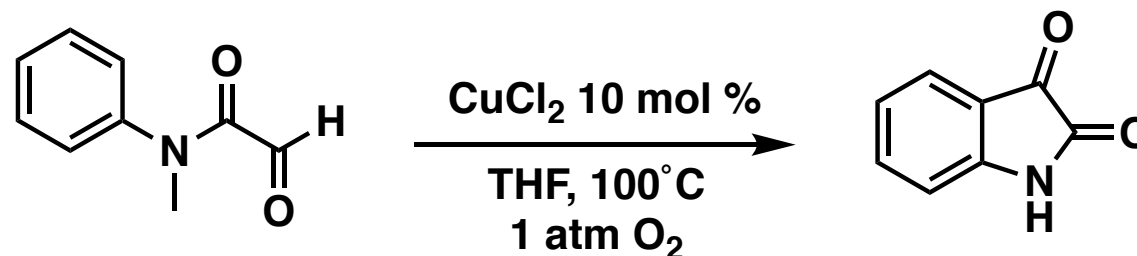
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Aldehyde-arene coupling (Heck reaction alternative)

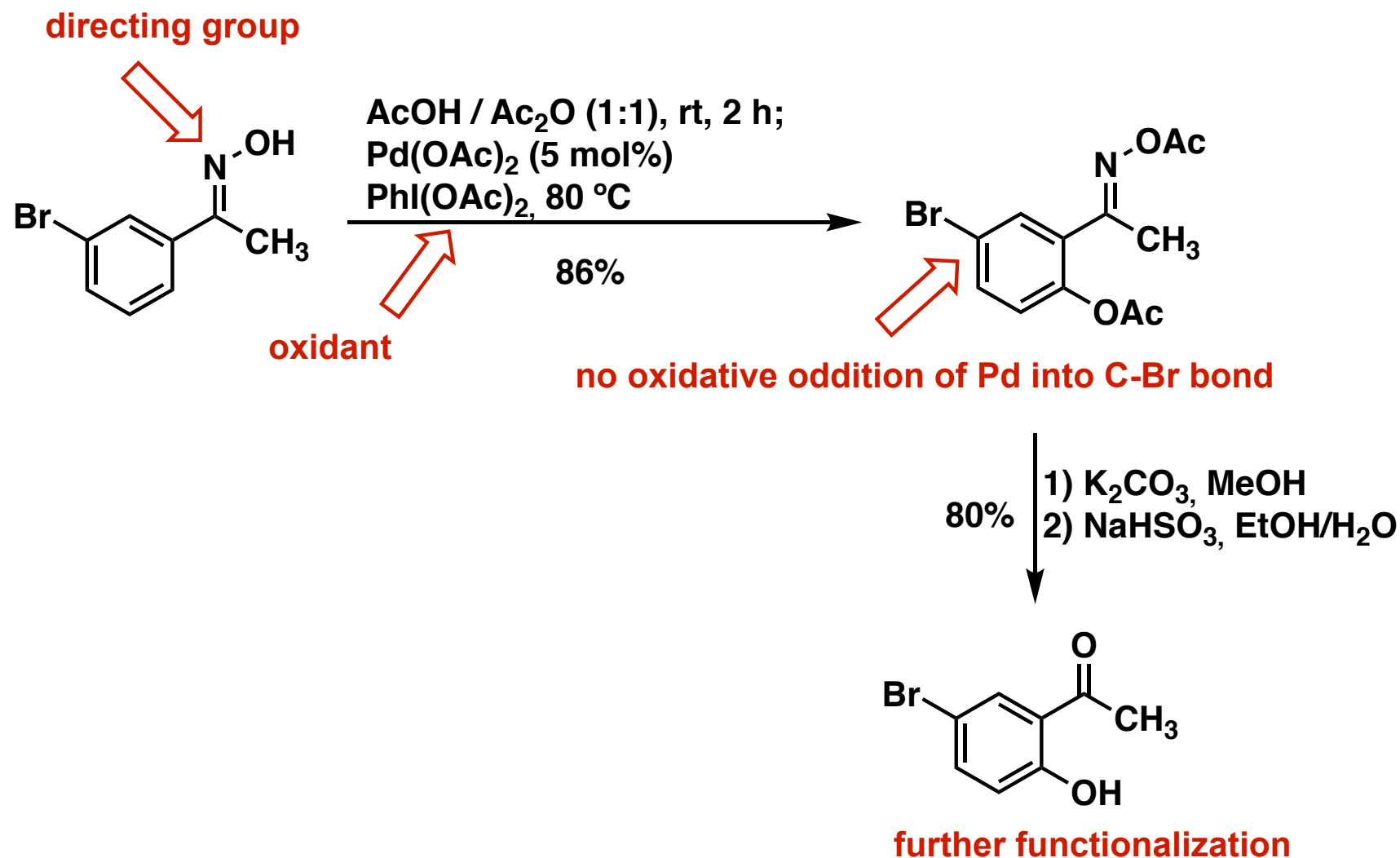


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3.2. C-Heteroatom Bond Formation

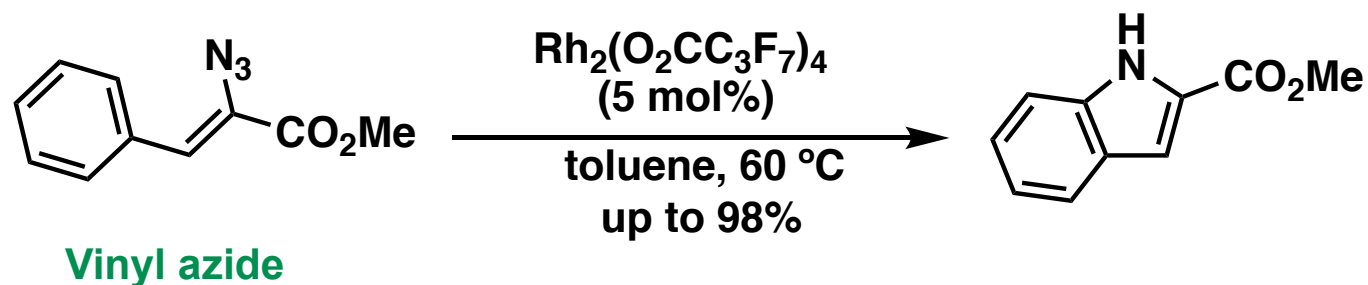
3.2.1. C-O Bond Formation



S. R. Neufeldt, M. S. Sanford, *Org. Lett.* **2010**, *12*, 532-535.

3.2.2. C-N Bond Formation

Intramolecular C-N bond formation via nitrenes



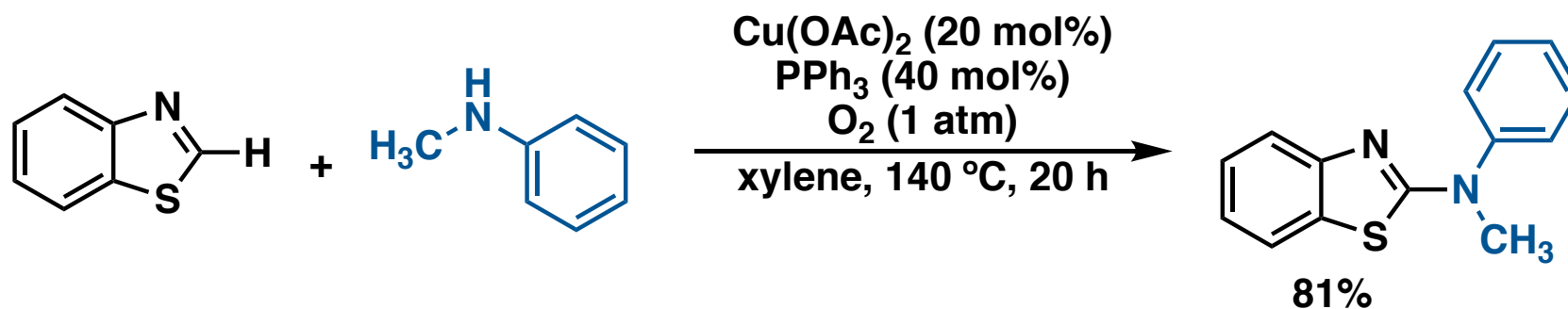
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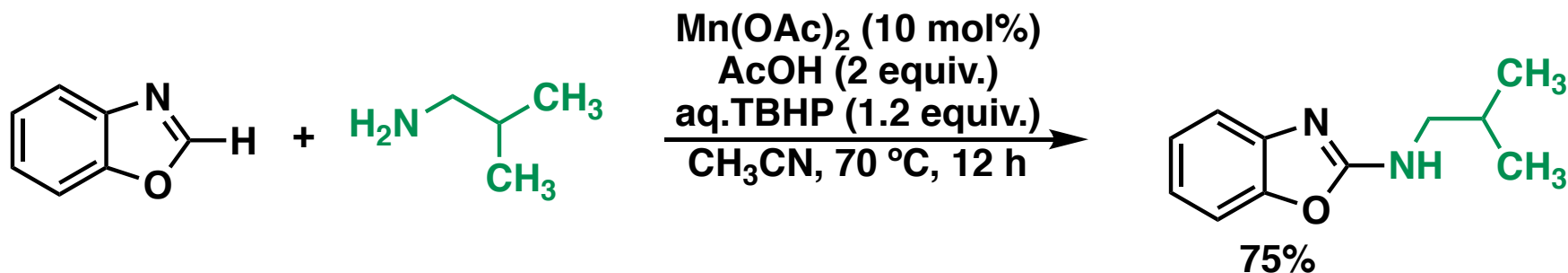
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Intermolecular oxidative amination of heterocycles



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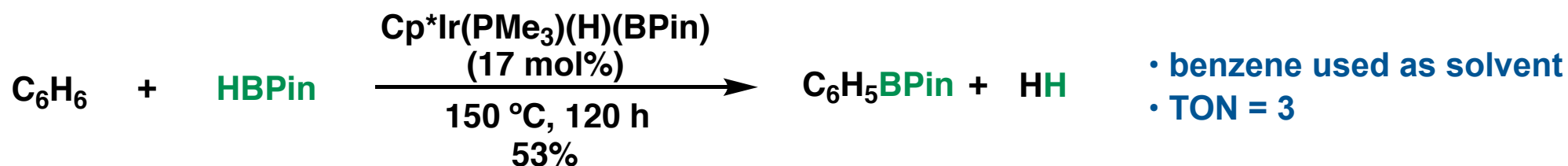
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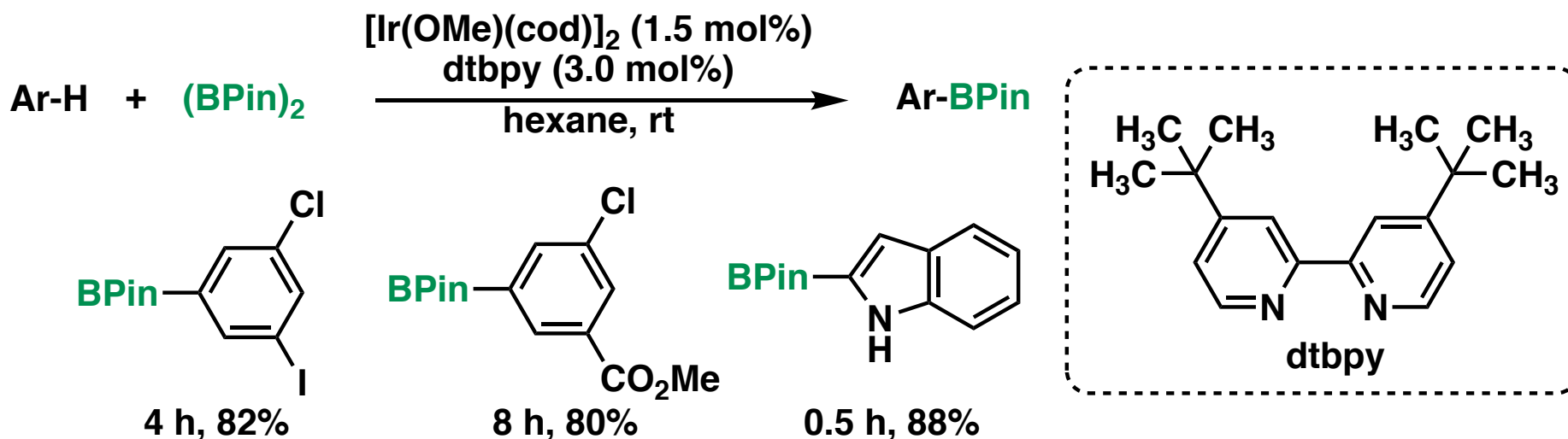
3.2.3. C-B Bond Formation

Seminal work



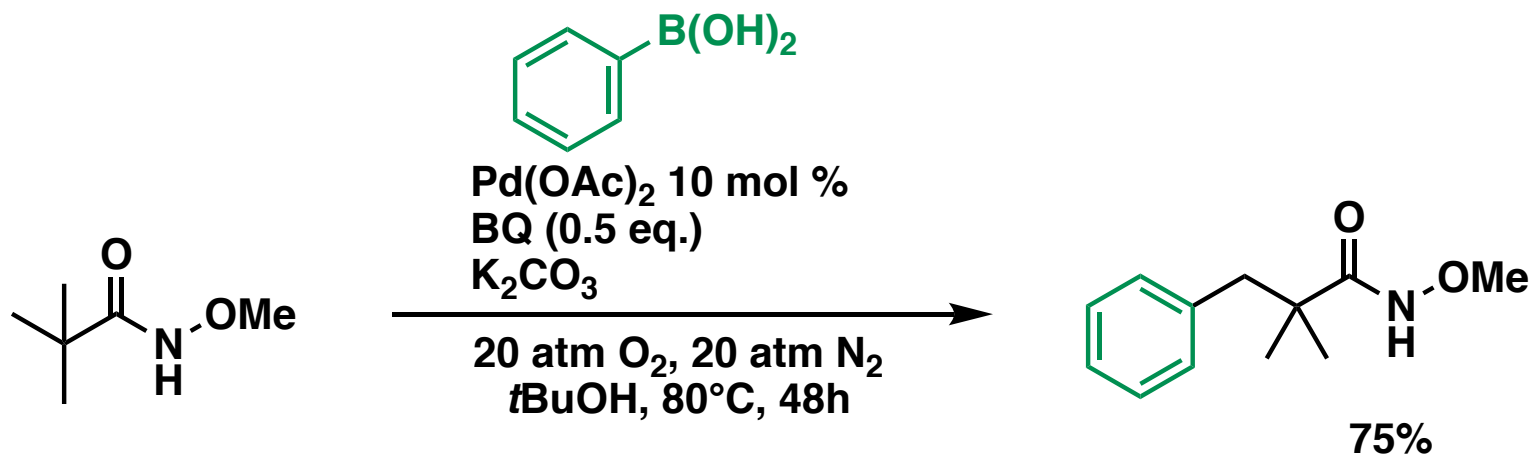
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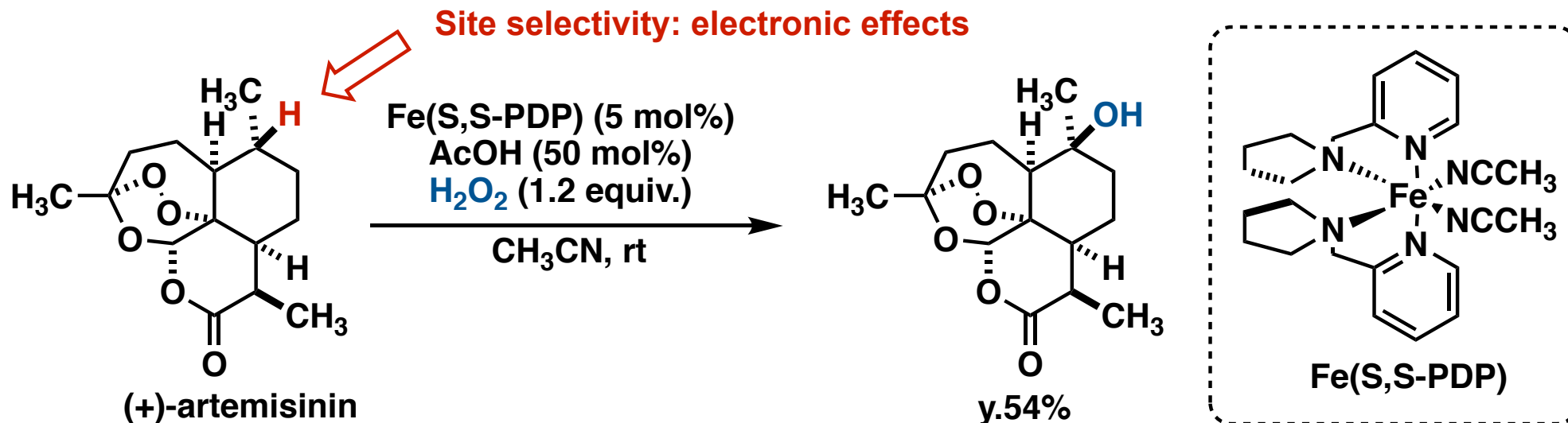


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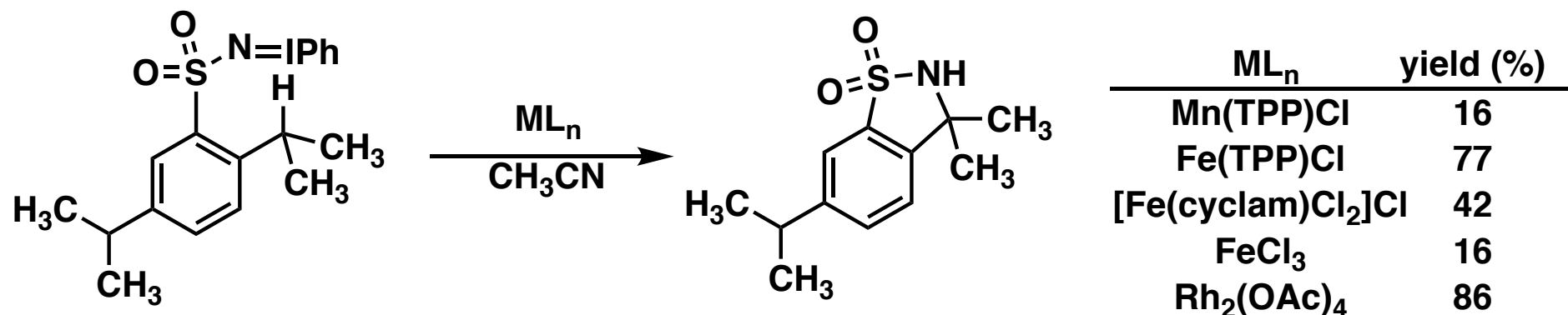
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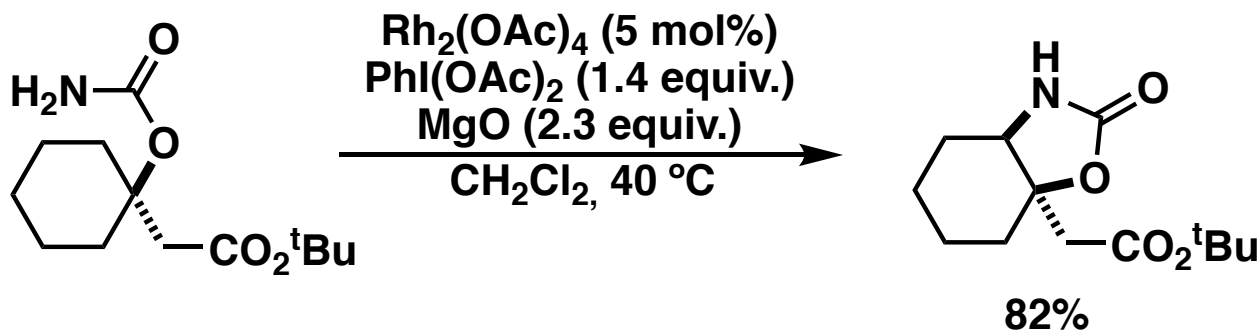
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