## Supporting information

## Magnesium (II)-Catalyzed Hetero-Diels-Alder Reaction of Brassard's Dienes with Isatins

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## 1. General remarks

${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR spectra were recorded on commercial instruments ( 400 MHz ). Chemical shifts are recorded in ppm relative to tetramethylsilane and with the solvent resonance as the internal standard $\left(\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}, \delta=7.26\right)$. Spectra are reported as follows: chemical shift, multiplicity $(\mathrm{s}=$ singlet, $\mathrm{d}=$ doublet, $\mathrm{t}=$ triplet, $\mathrm{m}=$ multiplet $)$, coupling constants (Hz), integration and assignment. ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR data were collected on commercial instruments ( 100 MHz ) with complete proton decoupling. Chemical shifts are reported in ppm from the tetramethylsilane with the solvent resonance as internal standard $\left(\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}, \delta=77.0\right)$. Enantiomeric excesses (ee) were determined by chiral HPLC analysis on Daicel Chiralcel IA, IB, ADH and ODH in comparison with the authentic racemates. Optical rotations were reported as follows: $[\alpha]_{\mathrm{D}}{ }^{\mathrm{T}}$ (c: $\mathrm{g} / 100 \mathrm{~mL}$, in solvent). HRMS was recorded on a commercial apparatus (ESI Source). All the solvents were purified by usual methods before use. All isatins were prepared according to the literature. ${ }^{1}$ Brassard's dienes 1, 2 were prepared from methyl 3-oxopentanoate and methyl 3-oxobutanoate according to a literature procedure. ${ }^{2} \mathrm{CD}$ spectra ( MeOH as the solvent) were determined by Chirascan CD which was purchased from Applied photophysics Ltd. Silica gel for Thin-layer chromatography (HG/T2354-92) made in Qingdao Haiyang Chemical Co., Ltd.

## 2. General procedure for preparation of Brassard's diene



Preparation of Brassard type diene 1: 1) To a 150 mL round bottom flask with calcium chloride tube, methyl 3-oxopentanoate (150 mmol, 19.5 mL ),
trimethoxymethane ( $250 \mathrm{mmol}, 26.5 \mathrm{~mL}$ ) were added. The mixture was kept at $0{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and conc. sulfuric acid $(0.25 \mathrm{~mL})$ was added to the reaction mixture, The reaction was allowed to warm to room temperature and detected by TLC. After 24 h , The mixture was concentrated and purified by distillation under reduced pressure to afford the methyl 3-methoxypent-2-enoate with $64 \%$ yield.
2) To a 250 mL three round bottom flask with constant pressure funnel, the device was filled with $N_{2}$ gas. Lithium diisopropylamide ( $75 \mathrm{mmol}, 38 \mathrm{~mL}$ ), dry tetrahydrofuran (30 mL) were added, keep the device at $-78{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, 3-methoxypent-2-enoate ( $50 \mathrm{mmol}, 7.2 \mathrm{~mL}$ ), dry tetrahydrofuran ( 15 mL ) were added to the constant pressure funnel, competing the drops within half an hour, then dry tetrahydrofuran $(5 \mathrm{~mL})$ was added to wash the funnel. The reaction mixture continues stiring 1 hour, then dry trimethylchlorosilane ( $125 \mathrm{mmol}, 15.6 \mathrm{~mL}$ ) was added, After competing the drops within half an hour and keeping the reaction mixture stirring half an hour, the reaction was allowed to warm to room temperature to stir overnight. Removing the salts by filtration and the reaction mixture was purified by distillation under reduced pressure to afford the (1,3-dimethoxypent-3-enyloxy) trimethylsilane in $40 \%$ yield.

## 1,3-dimethoxypent-3-enyloxy trimethylsilane 1


${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $400 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ) $\delta 4.62(\mathrm{q}, J=6.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.77(\mathrm{~s}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 3.32(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 3.27(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.40(\mathrm{~d}, \mathrm{~J}=6.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}),-0.00$
(s, 9H). ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( $101 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ) $\delta 157.47,151.07,103.98,74.03,57.03,54.60$, 10.03, 0.00.

## 3. General procedure for $N, N^{\prime}$-dioxide preparation

The $N, N$ 'dioxide ligands L1-L6 were synthesized by the same procedure in the literature. ${ }^{3}$



To a solution of (S)-1-N-Boc-piperidine-2-carboxylic acid (2.29 g, 10 mmol ) in $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}(20 \mathrm{~mL})$ was added $\mathrm{Et}_{3} \mathrm{~N}(1.55 \mathrm{~mL}, 11 \mathrm{mmol})$, isobutyl chloroformate $(1.50 \mathrm{~g}$, 11 mmol ) at $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ under stirring. After $30 \mathrm{~min}, 2,6$-diethyl-4-methylaniline ( $1.95 \mathrm{~g}, 12$ mmol ) was added. The reaction was allowed to warm to room temperature and detected by TLC. After 24 h , the mixture was washed with $1 \mathrm{M} \mathrm{KHSO}_{4}$, saturated $\mathrm{NaHCO}_{3}$, brine, dried over anhydrous $\mathrm{MgSO}_{4}$ and concentrated and purified through flash chromatograph to give $1 \mathrm{~L}(3.76 \mathrm{~g}$, up to $99 \%$ isolate yield).

The white solid of $\mathbf{1 L}$ in $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}(8 \mathrm{~mL})$ was added TFA $(10 \mathrm{~mL})$ at $0{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and stirred until the reaction was finished (2 h). Then, the solvent was evaporated, and $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}(10$ mL ) was added. The pH value of the mixture was brought into the range of $10-12$ by
the addition of solid $\mathrm{K}_{2} \mathrm{CO}_{3}$ and saturated $\mathrm{NaHCO}_{3}$. The aqueous phase was extracted with $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}(5 \times 20 \mathrm{~mL})$. The combined organic phase was washed with brine, dried over anhydrous $\mathrm{MgSO}_{4}$ and evaporated in vacuo. The residue was directly used for next step without further purification.

To a solution of $2 \mathrm{~L}(2.74 \mathrm{~g}, 10 \mathrm{mmol})$ in $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{CN}(8 \mathrm{~mL})$ was added $\mathrm{K}_{2} \mathrm{CO}_{3}(2.76 \mathrm{~g}$, 20 mmol ) and 1,3-dibromopropane ( $510 \mu \mathrm{~L}, 5 \mathrm{mmol}$ ) under stirring. It was kept stirring at $80^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, and monitored by TLC. Then, $\mathrm{K}_{2} \mathrm{CO}_{3}$ was removed by filtration and washed by $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}$. The filtrate was concentrated and purified by silica gel column chromatography to give 3 L ( $2.35 \mathrm{~g}, 80 \%$ isolate yield).

The $N, N$-dioxide $\mathbf{L} 4$ was prepared through oxidation of $3 \mathbf{L}$ by m-CPBA $(1.38 \mathrm{~g}, 8$ $\mathrm{mmol})$ in $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}(20 \mathrm{~mL})$ at $0{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 1 h and purified through flash chromatograph to give a white foam solid. Then it was dissolved in $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}$ and filtration through Celite to remove the silicon gel, concentrate to get a kind white foam $\mathbf{L} 4(2.23 \mathrm{~g}, 90 \%$ isolated yield). For other ligands, the synthesis method could be found in reference.
 L4: white solid; m. p. $120-122{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} ;[\alpha]_{\mathrm{D}}{ }^{27.6}=$ -25.2 (c = 0.20 in $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}$ ). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 400 MHz , $\left.\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right) \delta 11.86(\mathrm{~s}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 6.91(\mathrm{~s}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 3.63(\mathrm{~d}, \mathrm{~J}=$ $11.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 3.56(\mathrm{~d}, J=11.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.40(\mathrm{dd}$, $J=19.3,8.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.95(\mathrm{t}, J=11.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.83-2.71(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.70-2.60(\mathrm{~m}$, 2H), $2.52(\mathrm{dd}, J=14.4,7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 8 \mathrm{H}), 2.43-2.35(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 2.29(\mathrm{~s}, 6 \mathrm{H}), 2.14(\mathrm{~d}, J=$ $13.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.92(\mathrm{~d}, J=12.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.69(\mathrm{~d}, J=14.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.44(\mathrm{dd}, J=25.9$,
$12.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 1.17(\mathrm{t}, J=7.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 12 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( $101 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ) $\delta$ 167.63, $140.37,137.30,129.60,127.45,64.10,64.92,26.72,25.37,22.48,21.25,20.32,16.28$, 15.01.

## 4. General procedure for the catalytic asymmetric hetero-Diels-Alder reaction

For Brassard type diene 1:

In a test tube, isatin $3 \mathbf{e}(0.10 \mathrm{mmol}, 31.6 \mathrm{mg})$, ligand $\mathbf{L} 4(0.01 \mathrm{mmol}, 6.2 \mathrm{mg})$, $\operatorname{Mg}\left(\mathrm{ClO}_{4}\right)_{2}(0.01 \mathrm{mmol}, 2.3 \mathrm{mg})$ were added. The tube was filled with $N_{2}$ gas, and 0.5 mL of $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}$ was added. The reaction was stirred at $30{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 0.5 h , then the Brassard type diene $\mathbf{1}$ (1.5 equiv, $40 \mu \mathrm{~L}$ ) was added at $35^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and the reaction mixture was stirred for 1 h until isatin $3 \mathbf{e}$ was consumed (determined by TLC). Then TFA (30 $\mu \mathrm{L}$ ) was added to the reaction mixture at room temperature, and the solution kept stirring for 2 h . Next, saturated $\mathrm{NaHCO}_{3}(4 \mathrm{~mL})$ was added, and the solution was stirred for 5 min . After diluted with 4 mL of $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}$, the mixture was filtered through a plug of celite. The layers were separated. The acquired aqueous layer was extracted with $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}(2 \times 5 \mathrm{~mL})$, and then the combined organic layers were washed with brine and dried over anhydrous $\mathrm{MgSO}_{4}$ and concentrated. The crude oil was purified by flash chromatography (petroleum : $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}: \mathrm{EtOAc}=3: 1: 0.5$ ) to afford the product $\mathbf{4 e}$.

For Brassard's diene 2:
In a test tube, isatin $3 \mathbf{a}(0.1 \mathrm{mmol}, 23.7 \mathrm{mg})$, ligand $\mathbf{L} \mathbf{4}(0.01 \mathrm{mmol}, 6.20 \mathrm{mg})$, and $\operatorname{Mg}(\mathrm{OTf})_{2}(0.011 \mathrm{mmol}, 3.6 \mathrm{mg})$ were added. The tube was filled with $N_{2}$ gas, and 0.5 mL of $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}$ was added. The reaction was stirred at $30{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for 0.5 h , then the

Brassard's diene 2 ( 1.5 equiv, $40 \mu \mathrm{~L}$ ) was added at $35^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and the reaction mixture kept stirring for 1 h (determined by TLC). The crude mixture was purified by flash chromatography (petroleum : $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}: \mathrm{EtOAc}=3: 1: 0.5$ ) to afford the product $\mathbf{5 a}$.

## 5. Optimization of other conditions

5.1 Screening of other metals

${ }^{a}$ Unless specified, all reactions were performed with L-metal ( $10 \mathrm{~mol} \%, 1: 1$ ), $\mathbf{1}(0.15 \mathrm{mmol}), \mathbf{3 e}(0.10 \mathrm{mmol})$, at $35{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for $1 \mathrm{~h} .{ }^{b}$ Isolated yield. ${ }^{c}$ Determined by HPLC analysis (Chiralcel IB).

Table 5.1 showed that other metals, such as $\operatorname{Er}(\mathrm{OTf})_{3}, \mathrm{Zn}(\mathrm{OTf})_{2}, \mathrm{Fe}(\mathrm{acac})_{2}$, $\mathrm{Ni}\left(\mathrm{BF}_{4}\right)_{2} \cdot 6 \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$, gave poor results.
5.2 Screening of the other ligands



L5: $\mathrm{Ar}=2,6-\mathrm{Et}_{2}-4-\mathrm{MeC}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{2}$


L6: $\mathrm{Ar}=2,6-\mathrm{Et}_{2}-4-\mathrm{MeC}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{2}$

| Entry $^{a}$ | Ligand | Yield $^{b}$ (\%) | $\mathrm{dr}^{c}$ | ee $^{c}$ (\%) |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1 | L5 | 25 | $70: 30$ | 60 |
| 2 | L6 | 60 | $70: 30$ | 15 |

${ }^{a}$ Unless specified, all reactions were performed with $\mathrm{L}-$ metal $(10 \mathrm{~mol} \%, 1: 1), \mathbf{1}(0.15 \mathrm{mmol}), \mathbf{3 e}(0.10 \mathrm{mmol})$, at $35{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for $1 \mathrm{~h} .{ }^{b}$ Isolated yield. ${ }^{c}$ Determined by HPLC analysis (Chiralcel IB).

Table 5.2 showed that the amino acid backbone of the ligand also affected the reactivity and selectivity of the reaction greatly.
5.3 Optimization of the concentration of reaction

${ }^{a}$ Unless specified, all reactions were performed with L-metal ( $10 \mathrm{~mol} \%, 1: 1$ ), $\mathbf{1}(0.15 \mathrm{mmol}), \mathbf{3 e}(0.10 \mathrm{mmol})$, at $35{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for $1 \mathrm{~h} .{ }^{b}$ Isolated yield. ${ }^{c}$ Determined by HPLC analysis (Chiralcel IB).
5.4 Optimization of the additives of the reaction

${ }^{a}$ Unless specified, all reactions were performed with L-metal ( $10 \mathrm{~mol} \%, 1: 1$ ), Additives ( 30 mg ), $\mathbf{1}(0.15 \mathrm{mmol}), 3 \mathbf{e}(0.10$ mmol ), at $35{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for $1 \mathrm{~h} .{ }^{b}$ Isolated yield. ${ }^{c}$ Determined by HPLC analysis (Chiralcel IB).

Table 5.4 showed molecular sieves and desiccants decreased the yield of the reaction obviously in the present catalyst system.
5.5 Optimization of the ratio of metal to ligand

${ }^{a}$ Unless specified, all reactions were performed with $\mathrm{L}-\mathrm{metal}(10 \mathrm{~mol} \%), \mathbf{1}(0.15 \mathrm{mmol}), 3 \mathrm{e}(0.1 \mathrm{mmol})$, at $35{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for $1 \mathrm{~h} .{ }^{b}$ Isolated yield. ${ }^{c}$ Determined by HPLC analysis (Chiralcel IB). ${ }^{d}$ the reaction was exposed in air. ${ }^{e}$ After 1 h, TFA (30 $\mu \mathrm{L}$ ) was added to the reaction mixture, then stirred for 2 h at room temperature.

Table 5.5, entries 1-4 showed that the molar ratio of $\mathbf{L 4}$ to $\mathrm{Mg}\left(\mathrm{ClO}_{4}\right)_{2}$ also affected the reactivity of the reaction. The yield of the reaction decreased in the presence of a excess of Ligand or Metal in the reaction. Entry 5 showed that TFA could improve the yield by promoting the transformation of Aldol product to the cycloaddition product.
5.6 Optimization of the reaction conditions of Brassard's diene 2 with isatin 3a

|  |  <br> 2 |  | $=0$ | $\xrightarrow[\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}, 35^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 1 \mathrm{~h}]{\mathrm{L}-\mathrm{M}(10 \mathrm{~mol} \%)}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Entry ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | Metal | Ligand | M : L | Yield ${ }^{\text {b }}$ (\%) | $\mathrm{ee}^{c}$ (\%) |
| 1 | $\mathrm{Mg}\left(\mathrm{ClO}_{4}\right)_{2}$ | L4 | 1:1 | 60 | 81 |
| 2 | $\mathrm{Mg}(\mathrm{OTf})_{2}$ | L4 | 1:1 | 80 | 90 |
| 3 | $\mathrm{Mg}(\mathrm{OTf})_{2}$ | L1 | 1:1 | 80 | 90 |
| 4 | $\mathrm{Mg}(\mathrm{OTf})_{2}$ | L2 | 1:1 | 38 | 90 |
| 5 | $\mathrm{Mg}(\mathrm{OTf})_{2}$ | L3 | 1:1 | 59 | 91 |
| 6 | $\mathrm{Mg}(\mathrm{OTf})_{2}$ | L4 | 1.1:1 | 82 | 93 |
| $7^{\text {d }}$ | $\mathrm{Mg}(\mathrm{OTf})_{2}$ | L4 | 1.1:1 | 82 | 93 |

${ }^{a}$ Unless specified, all reactions were performed with L-metal ( $10 \mathrm{~mol} \%$ ), $2(0.15 \mathrm{mmol})$, $\mathbf{3 a}(0.1 \mathrm{mmol})$, at $35{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for $1 \mathrm{~h} .{ }^{b}$ Isolated yield. ${ }^{c}$ Determined by HPLC analysis (Chiralcel ODH). ${ }^{d}$ After $1 \mathrm{~h}, \mathrm{TFA}(30 \mu \mathrm{~L})$ was added to the reaction mixture, then stirred for 2 h at room temperature.

For the reaction of Brassard's diene 2 with isatin, as shown in Table 5.6, entries 1-2 showed that when $\mathbf{L 4}-\mathrm{Mg}(\mathrm{OTf})_{2}$ instead of $\mathbf{L} 4-\mathrm{Mg}\left(\mathrm{ClO}_{4}\right)_{2}$ was applied to the reaction, the yield and ee could be improved to $80 \%$ and $90 \%$, respectively. Further surveying the ratio of metal to ligand, the best result was obtained in the presence of L4: $\operatorname{Mg}(\mathrm{OTf})_{2}=1: 1.1$ (entry 6 ). Entry 7 shows that TFA couldn't improve the yield of the reaction because of trace amount of Aldol product.

## 6. The operando IR experiments of the reaction



The 3D ATR-FTIR profile of the reaction


The IR spectrum of isatin $3 \mathbf{e}$


The IR spectrum of Aldol product $\mathbf{6}$


The IR spectrum of $\mathbf{4 e}$

## 7. The analytical and spectral characterization data of the aldol product 6

(Z)-methyl-4-(1-benzyl-5-bromo-3-hydroxy-2-oxoindolin-3-yl)-3-methoxypent-2-eno ate 6

$3.73(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 3.63(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.02(\mathrm{~d}, \mathrm{~J}=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( $101 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ) $\delta$ $175.32,173.71,170.34,141.81,135.38,133.3,132.06,128.82,127.77,127.41$, 126.72, 115.66, 110.51, 93.61, 78.50, 55.88, 51.67, 43.99, 42.27, 11.77. HRMS
(SEI-TOF) calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{22} \mathrm{H}_{22} \mathrm{Br}^{80.9163} \mathrm{NNaO}_{5}\left(\left[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{Na}^{+}\right]\right)=482.0579$, Found 482.0579.



|  | Retention Time | Area \% |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| 1 | 6.72 | 97.76 |
| 2 | 8.20 | 2.24 |

## 8. The analytical and spectral characterization data of the products

(2'R,3'R)-1-benzyl-5-fluoro-4'-methoxy-3'-methylspiro[indoline-3,2'-pyran]-2,6'(3'H)dione $\mathbf{4 b}$


White solid; m. p. $108-110{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$; HPLC (Chiralcel IB, hexane $/ \mathrm{i}-\mathrm{PrOH}=80 / 20$, flow rate $=1.0 \mathrm{ml} / \mathrm{min}, \lambda=254 \mathrm{~nm})$, retention time: $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 1}=19.48 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 2}=20.89 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 3}=25.98 \mathrm{~min}$, 4b

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\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 4}=32.92 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{ee}=96 \% \text {, d.r. }=95: 5 .[\alpha]_{\mathrm{D}}{ }^{16.7}=+50.0(\mathrm{c}=0.55
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in $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}$ ). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $\left(400 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right) \delta 7.39-7.28(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 7.26(\mathrm{~d}, J=4.9 \mathrm{~Hz}$,
$2 \mathrm{H}), 7.16(\mathrm{dd}, J=7.4,2.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.97(\mathrm{~m}, J=8.8,2.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.69-6.59(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $5.37(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.97(\mathrm{~d}, J=16.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.70(\mathrm{~d}, J=16.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.84(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 3.30$
$(\mathrm{dd}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.02(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C} \operatorname{NMR}\left(101 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right) \delta 171.90$, $171.48,164.79,160.65,158.23,139.07,134.78,129.00,128.01,127.33,117.31(\mathrm{~d}$, $J=23.5 \mathrm{~Hz}), 112.38(\mathrm{~d}, J=25.2 \mathrm{~Hz}), 110.40(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.9 \mathrm{~Hz}), 90.05,82.33,56.57,44.13$, 37.55, 10.07. HRMS (SEI-TOF) calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{21} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{FNNaO}_{4}\left(\left[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{Na}^{+}\right]\right)=390.1118$, Found 390.1117.


|  | Retention Time | \% Area |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| 1 | 19.48 | 3.06 |
| 2 | 20.89 | 93.23 |
| 3 | 25.98 | 1.85 |
| 4 | 32.92 | 1.86 |

( $2^{\prime} R, 3^{\prime} R$ )-1-benzyl-5-chloro-4'-methoxy-3'-methylspiro[indoline-3,2'-pyran]-2,6'(3' H)-dione 4c


White solid; m. p. 130-132 ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$; HPLC (Chiralcel IB, hexane $/ i-\operatorname{PrOH}=80 / 20$, flow rate $=1.0 \mathrm{ml} / \mathrm{min}, \lambda=254 \mathrm{~nm})$, rentention time: $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 1}=18.12 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 2}=19.37 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 3}=24.47$ 4c
$=0.25$ in $\left.\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}\right) .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $400 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ) $\delta 7.40(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.34-$ $7.28(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 7.26-7.22(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 6.64(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.36(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.96(\mathrm{~d}, J=$ $15.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.70(\mathrm{~d}, J=15.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.83(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 3.31(\mathrm{dd}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.01$ $(\mathrm{d}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (101 MHz, $\left.\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right) \delta 171.74,171.47,164.73,141.69$, $134.65,130.88,129.01,128.94,128.23,128.05,127.33,124.75,110.66,90.01,82.19$, 56.59, 44.09, 37.46, 10.07. HRMS (SEI-TOF) calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{21} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{Cl}^{34.9689} \mathrm{NNaO}_{4}$ $\left(\left[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{Na}^{+}\right]\right)=406.0822$, Found 406.0822.


|  | Retention Time | \% Area |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| 1 | 18.12 | 2.63 |
| 2 | 19.37 | 95.43 |
| 3 | 24.47 | 0.69 |


| 4 | 30.51 | 1.26 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |

(2'R,3'R)-1-benzyl-4-bromo-4'-methoxy-3'-methylspiro[indoline-3,2'-pyran]-2, $6^{\prime}\left(3^{\prime} \mathrm{H}\right)$ -dione 4d


4d

White solid; m. p. 182-184 ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$; HPLC (Chiralcel ADH, hexane $/ i-\mathrm{PrOH}=80 / 20$, flow rate $=1.0 \mathrm{ml} / \mathrm{min}, \lambda=254 \mathrm{~nm}$ ), retention time: $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 1}=19.51 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 2}=23.73 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 3}=27.68 \mathrm{~min} \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 4}=$ 32.65 min , ee $=99 \%$, d.r. $=99: 1 .[\alpha]_{\mathrm{D}}{ }^{17.8}=+78.8(\mathrm{c}=0.66 \mathrm{in}$ $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}$ ). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H} \operatorname{NMR}\left(400 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right) \delta 7.26-7.21(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 7.20-7.18(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H})$, $7.12(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.07(\mathrm{t}, J=7.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.61(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.27(\mathrm{~s}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 4.91(\mathrm{~d}, J=15.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.63(\mathrm{~d}, J=15.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.11(\mathrm{dd}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $3.76(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 0.91(\mathrm{~d}, \mathrm{~J}=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (101 MHz, $\left.\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right) \delta$ 171.80, 171.24, 164.97, 145.25, 134.67, 132.17, 128.98, 128.04, 127.91, 127.37, 123.92, 119.95, 108.64, 89.63, 83.66, 56.48, 44.07, 33.54, 9.93. HRMS (SEI-TOF) calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{21} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{Br}^{80.9163} \mathrm{NKO}_{4}\left(\left[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{K}^{+}\right]\right)=468.0036$, Found 468.0031.


( $2^{\prime} R, 3^{\prime} R$ )-1-benzyl-5-bromo-4'-methoxy-3'-methylspiro[indoline-3,2'-pyran]-2,6'(3'H) -dione $\mathbf{4 e}$


White solid; m. p. $156-158{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$; HPLC (Chiralcel IB, hexane $/ i-\operatorname{PrOH}=80 / 20$, flow rate $=1.0 \mathrm{ml} / \mathrm{min}, \lambda=254 \mathrm{~nm})$, retention time: $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 1}=20.98 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 2}=22.64 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 3}=29.03 \mathrm{~min}$, $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 4}=36.27 \mathrm{~min}$, ee $=95 \%$, d.r. $=95: 5 \cdot[\alpha]_{\mathrm{D}}{ }^{17.2}=+61.3(\mathrm{c}=$ 0.80 in $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}$ ). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H} \operatorname{NMR}\left(400 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right) \delta 7.53(\mathrm{~d}, J=1.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.38(\mathrm{dd}, J=$ 8.3, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 7.31 (dd, $J=12.8,5.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 7.24(\mathrm{~s}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 6.59(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.3 \mathrm{~Hz}$, 1H), $5.36(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.96(\mathrm{~d}, J=15.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.70(\mathrm{~d}, J=15.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.83(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H})$, $3.32(\mathrm{dd}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.00(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( $101 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ) $\delta$ $171.63,171.46,164.72,142.19,134.62,133.79,129.02,128.55,127.51,127.32$, 116.10, 111.12, 90.00, 82.13, 76.77, 56.60, 44.06, 37.44, 10.07. HRMS (SEI-TOF) calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{21} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{Br}^{80.9163} \mathrm{NNaO}_{4}\left(\left[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{Na}^{+}\right]\right)=452.0296$, Found 452.0296.



|  | Retention Time | \% Area |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| 1 | 20.98 | 3.17 |
| 2 | 22.64 | 93.82 |
| 3 | 29.03 | 1.60 |
| 4 | 36.27 | 1.41 |

( $2^{\prime} R, 3^{\prime} R$ )-1-benzyl-6-bromo-4'-methoxy-3'-methylspiro[indoline-3,2'-pyran]-2, $6^{\prime}\left(3^{\prime} \mathrm{H}\right)$ -dione $4 f$


White solid; m. p. 150-152 ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$; HPLC (Chiralcel ADH, hexane $/ i-\operatorname{PrOH}=80 / 20$, flow rate $=1.0 \mathrm{ml} / \mathrm{min}, \lambda=254 \mathrm{~nm}$ ), retention time: $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 1}=12.84 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 2}=16.03 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 3}=20.83 \mathrm{~min}$ $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 4}=23.62 \mathrm{~min}$, ee $=98 \%$, d.r. $=94: 6 \cdot[\alpha]_{\mathrm{D}}{ }^{15.7}=+45.0(\mathrm{c}=$ 0.76 in $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}$ ). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $400 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ) $\delta 7.29-7.24(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.24-7.21(\mathrm{~m}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 7.19$ (dd, $J=4.5,2.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 7.15(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.0,1.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.81(\mathrm{dd}, J=12.5$, $1.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.28(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.88(\mathrm{~d}, \mathrm{~J}=15.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.59(\mathrm{~d}, J=15.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.75(\mathrm{~s}$, $3 \mathrm{H}), 3.23(\mathrm{q}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 0.91(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( $101 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ) $\delta 171.99,171.48,164.89,144.49,134.57,129.07,128.11,127.32,126.47,125.59$, 125.46, 124.76, 112.95, 90.02, 81.99, 56.57, 44.09, 37.43, 10.02. HRMS (SEI-TOF) calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{21} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{Br}^{80.9163} \mathrm{NNaO}_{4}\left(\left[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{Na}^{+}\right]\right)=452.0296$, Found 452.0297.



|  | Retention Time | \% Area |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| 1 | 12.84 | 2.98 |
| 2 | 16.03 | 1.70 |
| 3 | 20.83 | 91.97 |
| 4 | 23.62 | 3.35 |

( $2^{\prime} R, 3^{\prime} R$ )-1-benzyl-5-iodo-4'-methoxy-3'-methylspiro[indoline-3,2'-pyran]-2, $6^{\prime}\left(3^{\prime} \mathrm{H}\right)$-di one $4 h$


White solid; m. p. $156-158{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$; HPLC (Chiralcel IB, hexane $/ \mathrm{i}-\mathrm{PrOH}=80 / 20$, flow rate $=1.0 \mathrm{ml} / \mathrm{min}, \lambda=254 \mathrm{~nm})$, rentention time: $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 1}=20.88 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 2}=22.30 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 3}=28.25 \mathrm{~min}$, 4h

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\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 4}=35.45 \mathrm{~min}, \text { ee }=96 \% \text {, d.r. }=92: 8 .[\alpha]_{\mathrm{D}}{ }^{18.1}=+70.8(\mathrm{c}=0.70
$$

in $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}$ ). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $400 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ) $\delta 7.68(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.3,1.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.58(\mathrm{dd}, J$ $=8.2,1.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.31(\mathrm{dd}, J=12.7,5.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 7.24(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 6.51(\mathrm{dd}$, $J=13.9,8.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.36(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.94(\mathrm{~d}, J=15.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.69(\mathrm{~d}, J=15.6 \mathrm{~Hz}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 3.83(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 3.32(\mathrm{dd}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.00(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 101 $\left.\mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right) \delta 171.47,171.45,164.73,142.89,139.72,134.62,133.04,129.01$,
$128.80,128.06,127.33,111.61,89.99,85.82,82.00,56.60,44.01,37.40,10.05$. HRMS (SEI-TOF) calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{21} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{INNaO} 4\left(\left[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{Na}^{+}\right]\right)=498.0178$, Found 498.0176.



|  | Retention Time | \% Area |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| 1 | 20.88 | 5.07 |
| 2 | 22.30 | 90.39 |
| 3 | 28.25 | 1.87 |
| 4 | 35.45 | 2.68 |

( $2^{\prime} R, 3^{\prime} R$ )-1-benzyl-4'-methoxy-3',5-dimethylspiro[indoline-3,2'-pyran]-2,6'(3'H)-dione
$4 i$


White solid; m. p. 110-112 ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$; HPLC (Chiralcel ADH, hexane $/ i-\operatorname{PrOH}=80 / 20$, flow rate $=1.0 \mathrm{ml} / \mathrm{min}, \lambda=254 \mathrm{~nm}$ ), rentention time: $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 1}=15.32 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 2}=20.55 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 3}=21.91 \mathrm{~min}$,
$4 i$ $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 4}=24.52 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{ee}=98 \%$, d.r. $=96: 4 .[\alpha]_{\mathrm{D}}{ }^{13.9}=+50.7(\mathrm{c}=0.68$ in $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}$ ). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H} \operatorname{NMR}\left(400 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right) \delta 7.47-7.41(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.40(\mathrm{~d}, J=4.4 \mathrm{~Hz}$ $3 \mathrm{H}), 7.35(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.18(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.72(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.49(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.08$ (d, $J=15.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.81(\mathrm{~d}, J=15.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.95(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 3.46(\mathrm{dd}, J=7.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $2.43(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.11(\mathrm{~d}, \mathrm{~J}=7.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( $101 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ) $\delta$ 172.11, 171.72,
$165.31,140.76,135.27,133.21,131.16,128.86,127.80,127.37,126.61,124.86$, 109.32, 90.04, 82.61, 56.48, 43.96, 37.51, 21.06, 10.06. HRMS (SEI-TOF) calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{22} \mathrm{H}_{21} \mathrm{NKO}_{4}\left(\left[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{K}^{+}\right]\right)=402.1108$, Found 402.1103.



|  | Retention Time | \% Area |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| 1 | 15.32 | 2.25 |
| 2 | 20.55 | 1.66 |
| 3 | 21.91 | 0.65 |
| 4 | 24.52 | 95.43 |

( $2^{\prime} R, 3^{\prime} R$ )-1-benzyl-4'-methoxy-3',7-dimethylspiro[indoline-3,2'-pyran]-2, $6^{\prime}\left(3^{\prime} H\right)$-dione

## 4j



White solid; m. p. $128-130{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$; HPLC (Chiralcel ADH, hexane $/ i-\mathrm{PrOH}=70 / 30$, flow rate $=1.0 \mathrm{~mL} / \mathrm{min}, \lambda=254 \mathrm{~nm}$ ), retention time: $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 1}=13.12 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 2}=17.94 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 3}=21.24 \mathrm{~min}_{\mathrm{r} 4}=$ 4j 26.74 min , ee $=99 \%$, d.r. $=98: 2 .[\alpha]_{\mathrm{D}}{ }^{14.8}=+50.2(\mathrm{c}=0.43 \mathrm{in}$ $\left.\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}\right) .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H} \operatorname{NMR}\left(400 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right) \delta 7.35-7.28(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 7.24(\mathrm{~d}, \mathrm{~J}=7.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $7.16(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.07-6.99(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 5.35(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.11(\mathrm{~s}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.81(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H})$, $3.36(\mathrm{dd}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.26(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.01(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 101 MHz ,
$\left.\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right) \delta 173.24,171.61,165.35,141.31,136.93,134.92,128.95,127.39,125.74$, 123.63, 122.13, 120.28, 99.99, 90.10, 81.91, 56.46, 45.20, 37.64, 18.72, 10.11. HRMS (SEI-TOF) calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{22} \mathrm{H}_{21} \mathrm{NNaO}_{4}\left(\left[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{Na}^{+}\right]\right)=386.1368$, Found 386.1370.



| Retention Time | \% Area |
| ---: | ---: |
| 13.12 | 1.41 |
| 17.94 | 0.34 |
| 21.24 | 97.48 |
| 26.74 | 0.77 |

(2'R,3'R)-1-benzyl-4'-methoxy-3',5,7-trimethylspiro[indoline-3,2'-pyran]-2,6'(3'H)-dio ne $\mathbf{4 k}$


White solid; m. p. $179-181{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$; HPLC (Chiralcel IB, hexane $/ i-\mathrm{PrOH}=80 / 20$, flow rate $=1.0 \mathrm{ml} / \mathrm{min}, \lambda=254 \mathrm{~nm})$, retention time: $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 1}=18.03 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 2}=19.52 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 3}=26.14 \mathrm{~min}$, 4k

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\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 4}=36.18 \mathrm{~min}, \text { ee }=98 \% \text {, d.r. }=98: 2 .[\alpha]_{\mathrm{D}}{ }^{15.6}=+14.8(\mathrm{c}=0.56
$$

in $\left.\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}\right) .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $\left(400 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right) \delta 7.30(\mathrm{t}, J=7.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.25-7.20(\mathrm{~m}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 7.15(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.10(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.84(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.34(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.08(\mathrm{~s}, 2 \mathrm{H})$,
$3.80(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 3.35(\mathrm{dd}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.28(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 2.20(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 1.02(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}$, $3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( $101 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ) $\delta 173.21,171.65,165.40,138.81,137.01,135.30$, 133.23, 128.91, 127.40, 127.33, 125.76, 122.82, 119.98, 90.06, 82.11, 56.45, 45.12, 37.60, 20.74, 18.55, 10.12. HRMS (SEI-TOF) calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{23} \mathrm{H}_{23} \mathrm{NNaO}_{4}\left(\left[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{Na}^{+}\right]\right)=$ 400.1525, Found 400.1521.



|  | Retention Time | \% Area |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| 1 | 18.03 | 1.20 |
| 2 | 19.52 | 96.06 |
| 3 | 26.14 | 0.79 |
| 4 | 36.18 | 1.94 |

( $2^{\prime} R, 3^{\prime} R$ )-1-benzyl-4',5-dimethoxy-3'-methylspiro[indoline-3,2'-pyran]-2,6'(3'H)-dione 41


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White solid; m. p. 122-124 ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$; HPLC (Chiralcel ADH, hexane $/ \mathrm{i}-\mathrm{PrOH}=80 / 20$, flow rate $=1.0 \mathrm{ml} / \mathrm{min}, \lambda=254 \mathrm{~nm}$ ), retention time: $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 1}=27.36 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 2}=28.71 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 3}=41.08$ $\min \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 4}=42.74 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{ee}=99 \%$, d.r. $=97: 3 .[\alpha]_{\mathrm{D}}{ }^{17.1}=+65.7(\mathrm{c}$
$(\mathrm{d}, J=2.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.78(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.6,2.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.61(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.36(\mathrm{~s}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 4.95(\mathrm{~d}, \mathrm{~J}=15.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.68(\mathrm{~d}, J=15.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.82(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 3.75(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H})$, $3.32(\mathrm{dd}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 1.00(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR $\left(101 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right) \delta$ $171.93,171.64,165.22,156.50,136.39,135.22,128.89,127.83,127.77,127.37$, $115.42,111.18,110.17,90.04,82.75,56.49,55.85,44.04,37.65,10.03$. HRMS
(SEI-TOF) calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{22} \mathrm{H}_{22} \mathrm{NO}_{5}\left(\left[\mathrm{M}^{+} \mathrm{H}^{+}\right]\right)=380.1498$, Found 380.1494 .



|  | Retention Time | \% Area |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| 1 | 27.36 | 1.84 |
| 2 | 28.71 | 0.98 |
| 3 | 41.08 | 0.22 |
| 4 | 42.74 | 96.96 |

(2'R,3'R)-1-benzyl-4'-methoxy-3'-methyl-7-(trifluoromethyl)spiro[indoline-3,2'-pyran ]-2,6'(3'H)-dione 4m

$\left.\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}\right) .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H} \operatorname{NMR}\left(400 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right) \delta 7.66(\mathrm{t}, J=8.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.29-7.12(\mathrm{~m}, 6 \mathrm{H})$, $5.34(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.17(\mathrm{~d}, J=16.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.06(\mathrm{~d}, J=16.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.79(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 3.36$ $(\mathrm{dd}, J=7.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 0.95(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C} \operatorname{NMR}\left(101 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right) \delta 173.53$, $171.16,164.68,141.76,135.52,129.53,129.18,129.12,128.48,128.00,127.17$, 125.94, 123.24, 113.34, $90.03,80.28,56.59,46.01,37.65,9.85$. HRMS (SEI-TOF) calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{22} \mathrm{H}_{18} \mathrm{~F}_{3} \mathrm{NNaO}_{4}\left(\left[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{Na}^{+}\right]\right)=440.1086$, Found 440.1089.


|  | Retention Time | \% Area |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| 1 | 11.53 | 2.90 |
| 2 | 16.27 | 0.71 |
| 3 | 17.38 | 91.46 |
| 4 | 27.45 | 4.93 |

1-benzyl-4'-methoxy-3'-methyl-6,7,8,9-tetrahydrospiro[benzo[g]indole-3,2'-pyran]-2, $6^{\prime}\left(1 \mathrm{H}, 3^{\prime} \mathrm{H}\right)$-dione 4 n


4n

White solid; m. p. $109-111{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$; HPLC (Chiralcel ADH, hexane $/ i-\mathrm{PrOH}=80 / 20$, flow rate $=1.0 \mathrm{ml} / \mathrm{min}, \lambda=254 \mathrm{~nm}$ ), retention time: $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 1}=15.73 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 2}=16.64 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 3}=17.84 \mathrm{~min}$, $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 4}=26.96 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{ee}=96 \%$, d.r. $=96: 4 .[\alpha]_{\mathrm{D}}{ }^{19.9}=+11.6(\mathrm{c}=0.81$ in $\left.\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}\right),{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $\left(400 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right) \delta 7.24(\mathrm{t}, \mathrm{J}=7.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.18-7.14(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $7.09(\mathrm{t}, J=7.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 6.79(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.26(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.06(\mathrm{~s}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.72(\mathrm{~s}$, 3H), 3.26 (dd, $J=7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.74-2.60(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 1.66-1.47(\mathrm{~m}, 4 \mathrm{H}), 0.95(\mathrm{~d}, J=$ $7.1 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( $101 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ) $\delta 173.86,171.73,165.54,141.76,141.40$, $137.28,128.90,127.27,125.71,124.91,124.38,121.22,121.06,90.09,81.84,56.42$, 45.86, 37.57, 30.61, 24.90, 22.72, 21.94, 10.19. HRMS (SEI-TOF) calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{25} \mathrm{H}_{25} \mathrm{NNaO}_{4}\left(\left[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{Na}^{+}\right]\right)=426.1681$, Found 426.1683.



|  | Retention Time | \% Area |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| 1 | 15.73 | 1.93 |
| 2 | 16.64 | 1.21 |
| 3 | 17.84 | 95.76 |


| 4 | 26.96 | 1.11 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |

1-benzyl-4'-methoxyspiro[indoline-3,2'-pyran]-2,6'(3'H)-dione 5a
 $J=7.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.31(\mathrm{dt}, J=15.6,7.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 5 \mathrm{H}), 7.24(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.03(\mathrm{t}, J=$ $7.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.73(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.9 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.42(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.88(\mathrm{~s}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.86(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 3.08(\mathrm{~d}$, $J=17.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.78(\mathrm{~d}, J=17.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR $\left(101 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right) \delta 172.55$, 169.92, 164.97, $142.25,134.83,131.02,128.98,127.94,127.63,127.27,124.05$, 123.48, 110.01, 90.66, 78.36, 56.43, 44.02, 33.58. HRMS (SEI-TOF) calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{20} \mathrm{H}_{17} \mathrm{NNaO}_{4}\left(\left[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{Na}^{+}\right]\right)=358.1055$, Found 358.1053.


|  | Retention Time | \% Area |
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| 1 | 20.93 | 96.51 |
| 2 | 27.08 | 3.49 |

1-benzyl-7-bromo-4'-methoxyspiro[indoline-3,2'-pyran]-2,6'(3'H)-dione 5g

$7.39(\mathrm{~m}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.31(\mathrm{t}, J=7.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.28-7.22(\mathrm{~m}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.19(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.3 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H})$, $6.94(\mathrm{t}, J=7.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.44-5.28(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 3.84(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 2.98(\mathrm{~d}, J=17.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $2.83(\mathrm{~d}, J=17.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (101 MHz, $\left.\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right) \delta 173.57,169.45,164.59$, 139.87, 136.94, 136.41, 130.80, 128.74, 127.38, 126.26, 124.87, 123.33, 103.21, 90.63, 56.48, 44.75, 33.77. HRMS (SEI-TOF) calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{20} \mathrm{H}_{16} \mathrm{Br}^{78.9163} \mathrm{NNaO}_{4}$ $\left(\left[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{Na}^{+}\right]\right)=436.0160$, Found 436.0161.


|  | Retention Time | \% Area |
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| 1 | 18.35 | 95.41 |
| 2 | 30.85 | 4.59 |

1-benzyl-4'-methoxy-5-methylspiro[indoline-3,2'-pyran]-2,6'(3'H)-dione 5i

$7.37-7.23(\mathrm{~m}, 6 \mathrm{H}), 7.04(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.61(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.0 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.42(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $4.86(\mathrm{~s}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.86(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 3.07(\mathrm{~d}, J=17.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.77(\mathrm{~d}, J=17.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.27(\mathrm{~s}$, $3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( $101 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ) $\delta 172.54,169.97,165.08,139.77,134.96,133.21$, $131.23,128.93,127.87,127.65,127.25,124.76,109.79,90.66,78.53,56.43,44.00$, 33.59, 21.05. HRMS (SEI-TOF) calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{21} \mathrm{H}_{19} \mathrm{NNaO}_{4}\left(\left[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{Na}^{+}\right]\right)=372.1212$, Found 372.1212.



|  | Retention Time | \% Area |
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| 1 | 11.55 | 96.53 |
| 2 | 15.56 | 3.47 |

1-benzyl-4'-methoxy-7-methylspiro[indoline-3,2'-pyran]-2,6'(3'H)-dione 5j

$\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}$ ). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $400 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ) $\delta 7.33(\mathrm{dd}, J=16.4,7.7 \mathrm{~Hz}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 7.24(\mathrm{~d}, J=$ $7.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.14(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.03(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.96(\mathrm{dd}, J=4.6 \mathrm{~Hz}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 5.41(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.14(\mathrm{q}, J=16.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.84(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 3.02(\mathrm{~d}, J=17.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, $2.84(\mathrm{~d}, J=17.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.24(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (101 MHz, $\left.\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right) \delta$ 173.81, 169.75, $165.10,140.22,136.63,134.95,129.04,128.42,127.47,125.59,123.65,122.03$, 120.80, 90.68, 77.76, 56.38, 45.20, 33.91, 18.75. HRMS (SEI-TOF) calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{21} \mathrm{H}_{19} \mathrm{NNaO}_{4}\left(\left[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{Na}^{+}\right]\right)=372.1212$ Found 372.1213.


|  | Retention Time | \% Area |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| 1 | 16.90 | 98.69 |
| 2 | 26.63 | 1.31 |

1-benzyl-4'-methoxy-5,7-dimethylspiro[indoline-3,2'-pyran]-2,6'(3'H)-dione 5k


5k

White solid; m. p. $160-162{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$; HPLC (Chiralcel ODH, hexane $/ i-\mathrm{PrOH}=70 / 30$, flow rate $=1.0 \mathrm{ml} / \mathrm{min}, \lambda=254 \mathrm{~nm}), \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 1}$ $=13.95 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 2}=22.43 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{ee}=99 \% .[\alpha]_{\mathrm{D}}{ }^{24.2}=+27.1(\mathrm{c}=0.62$ in $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}$ ). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( $400 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ) $\delta 7.32(\mathrm{t}, J=7.3 \mathrm{~Hz}$, 2H), $7.24(\mathrm{~d}, \mathrm{~J}=7.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.19-7.07(\mathrm{~m}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 6.83(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.41(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.12(\mathrm{q}$, $J=16.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 3.85(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 3.01(\mathrm{~d}, J=15.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.84(\mathrm{~d}, J=15.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$,
$2.25(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 2.19(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (101 MHz, $\left.\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right) \delta$ 173.80, 169.79, 165.20, 137.70, 136.70, 135.33, 133.29, 129.00, 128.48, 127.42, 125.60, 122.68, 120.50, 90.68, 77.93, 56.38, 45.14, 33.92, 20.73, 18.59. HRMS (SEI-TOF) calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{22} \mathrm{H}_{21} \mathrm{NNaO}_{4}\left(\left[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{Na}^{+}\right]\right)=386.1368$, Found 386.1370.


|  | Retention Time | \% Area |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| 1 | 13.95 | 99.97 |
| 2 | 22.43 | 0.03 |

1-benzyl-4',5-dimethoxyspiro[indoline-3,2'-pyran]-2,6'(3'H)-dione $5 \mathbf{5}$


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White solid; m. p. 116-118 ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$; HPLC (Chiralcel ODH, hexane $/ i-\mathrm{PrOH}=70 / 30$, flow rate $=1.0 \mathrm{ml} / \mathrm{min}, \lambda=254 \mathrm{~nm}$ ), retention time: $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 1}=16.90 \mathrm{~min}, \mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r} 2}=23.60 \mathrm{~min}$, ee $=93 \%$, $[\alpha]_{\mathrm{D}}{ }^{22.6}=+33.7\left(\mathrm{c}=0.44\right.$ in $\left.\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{Cl}_{2}\right) .{ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR $(400 \mathrm{MHz}$, $\left.\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}\right) \delta 7.33(\mathrm{dd}, J=10.1,4.2 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.28(\mathrm{~s}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 7.27(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.07(\mathrm{~d}, J=2.5$ $\mathrm{Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.76(\mathrm{dd}, J=8.6,2.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.62(\mathrm{~d}, J=8.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 5.41(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 4.85(\mathrm{~s}$, $2 \mathrm{H}), 3.85(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 3.73(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 3.07(\mathrm{~d}, J=17.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.76(\mathrm{~d}, J=17.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$.
${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (101 MHz, $\mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ) $\delta 172.34,169.89,164.91,156.35,135.41,134.92$,
$128.95,128.77,127.90,127.25,114.90,111.72,110.53,90.61,78.63,56.43,55.87$, 44.07, 33.63. HRMS (SEI-TOF) calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{21} \mathrm{H}_{19} \mathrm{NNaO}_{4}\left(\left[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{Na}^{+}\right]\right)=388.1161$, Found 388.1154.



|  | Retention Time | \% Area |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| 1 | 16.90 | 96.71 |
| 2 | 23.60 | 3.29 |

4'-methoxy-1-methylspiro[indoline-3,2'-pyran]-2,6'(3'H)-dione $5 \mathbf{5}$

$J=7.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.38(\mathrm{t}, J=7.8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.06(\mathrm{t}, J=7.6 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 6.85(\mathrm{~d}, J=7.8 \mathrm{~Hz}$, $1 \mathrm{H}), 5.39(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.85(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 3.20(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 3.02(\mathrm{~d}, J=17.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.72(\mathrm{~d}, J=$ $17.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}) .{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( $101 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{CDCl}_{3}$ ) $\delta$ 172.32, 169.99, 164.93, 143.18, 131.14, $127.59,123.95,123.45,108.95,90.61,78.31,56.39,33.35,26.46$. HRMS (SEI-TOF) calcd for $\mathrm{C}_{14} \mathrm{H}_{13} \mathrm{NNaO}_{4}\left(\left[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{Na}^{+}\right]\right)=282.0742$, Found 282.0747 .



|  | Retention Time | \% Area |
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| 1 | 16.86 | 95.63 |
| 2 | 27.52 | 4.37 |

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