

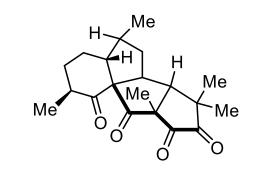
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Total Synthesis of (+)-Aberrarone

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Carreira (2022) 15 steps

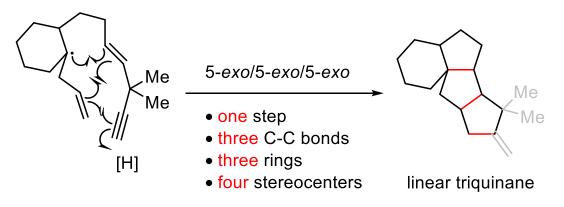
This work 12 steps (protecting-group-free)

Introduction:

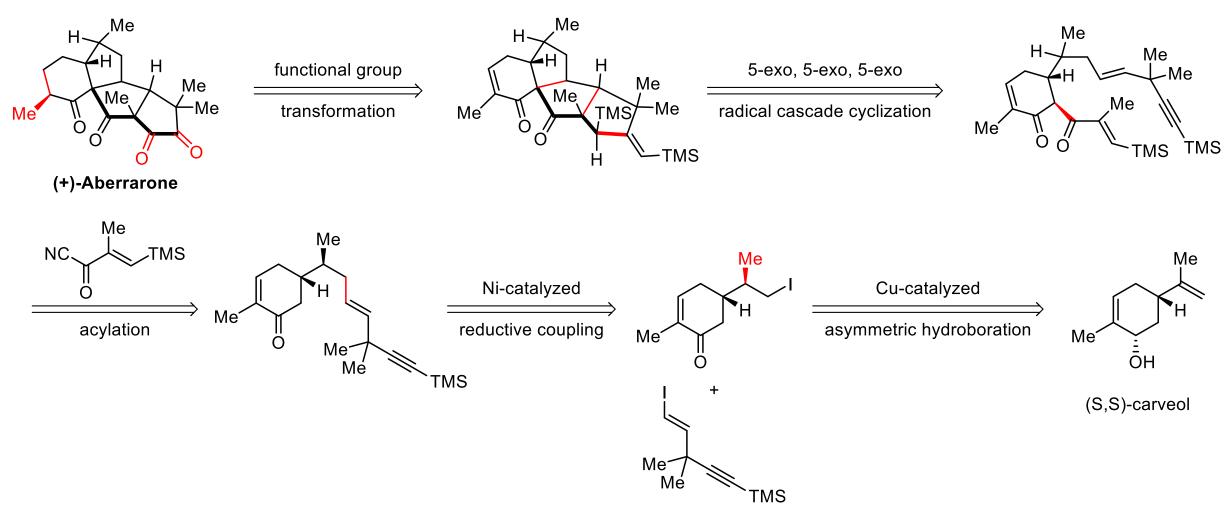
- A linear triquinanes isolated from the West Indian gorgonian octocoral *Pseudopterogorgia elisabethae* in 2009
- In vitro activity against malaria parasite
- Featuring a unique 6/5/5/5 tetracyclic ring system with four ketones, seven stereocenters, and three quaternary carbon centers
- A concise 12-step total synthesis via the radical cascade strategy.

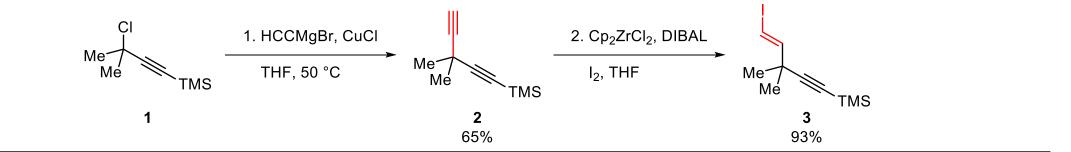
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radical cascade strategy:

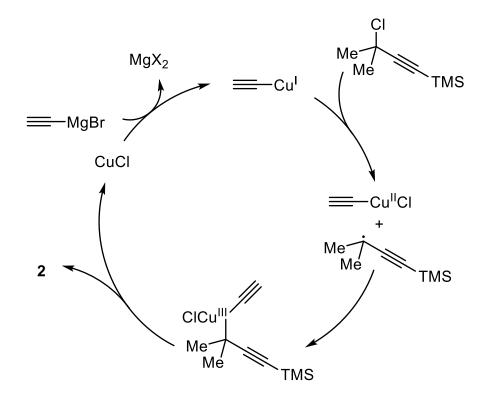


Retro-synthetic route





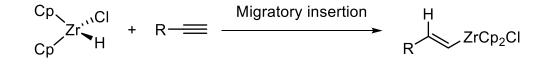
Copper-based Kumada cross coupling (proposed mechanism):



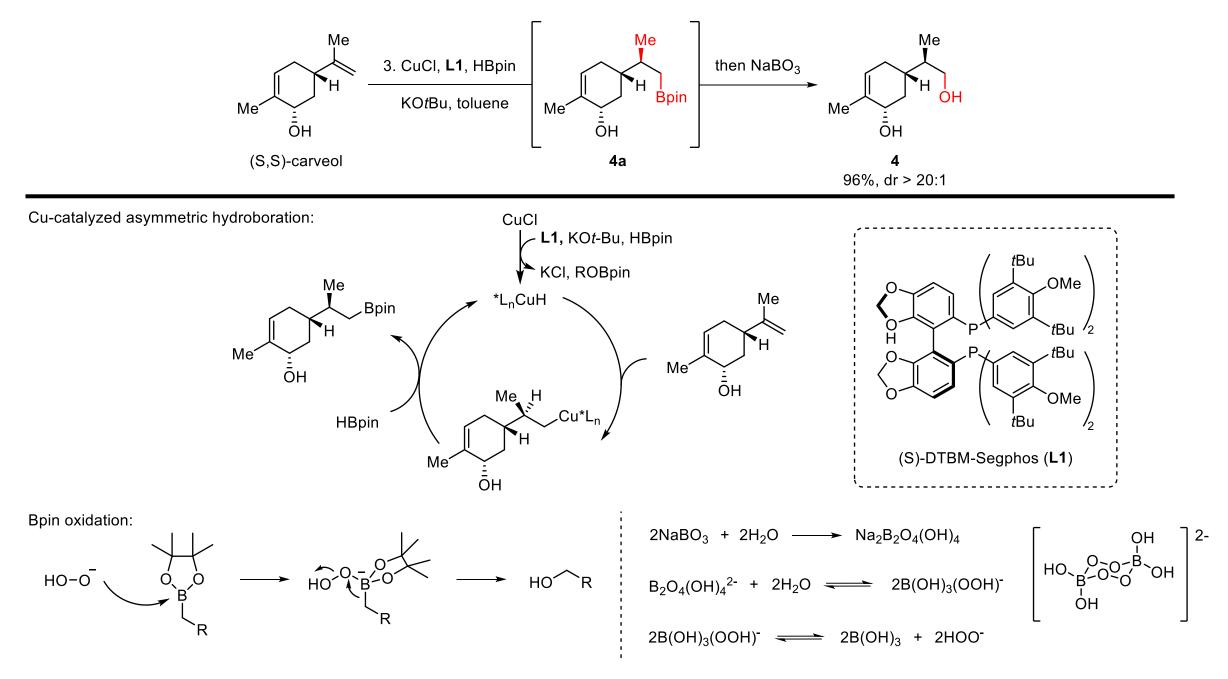
Synthesis of vinyl iodide via hydrozirconation:

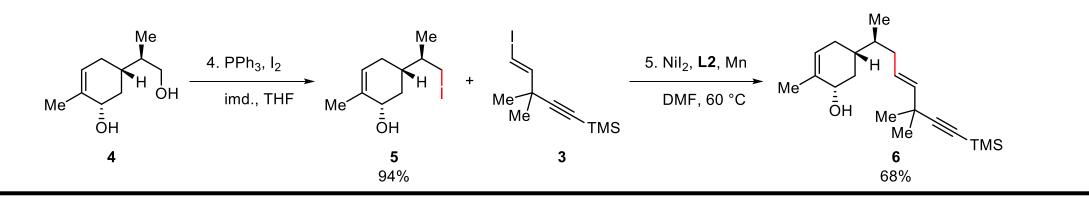
$$Cp_2ZrCl_2 + iBu_2AIH \longrightarrow Cp_2ZrHCl + iBu_2AICl$$

Schwartz's reagent



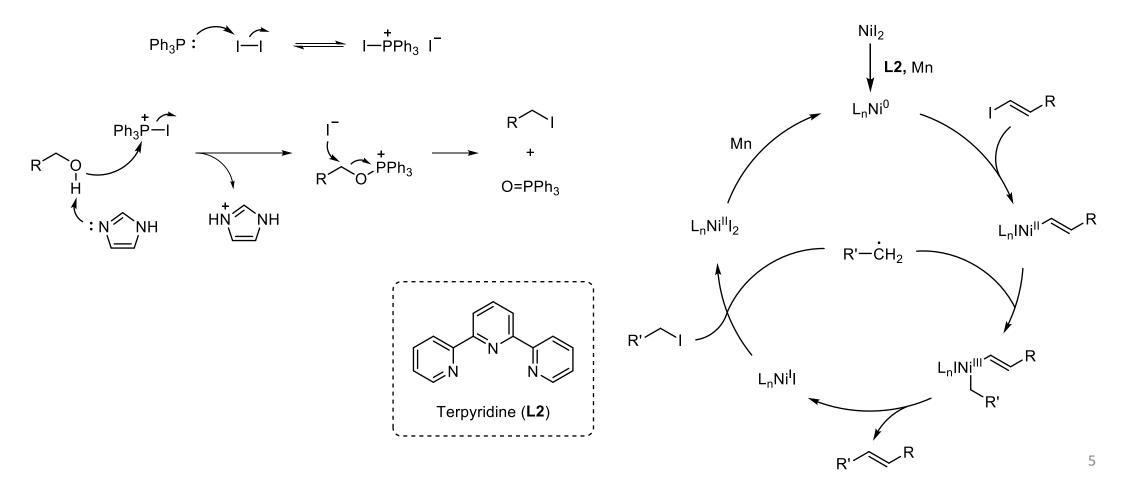


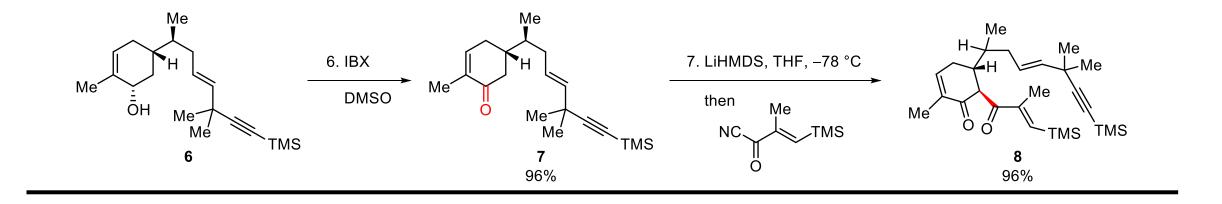




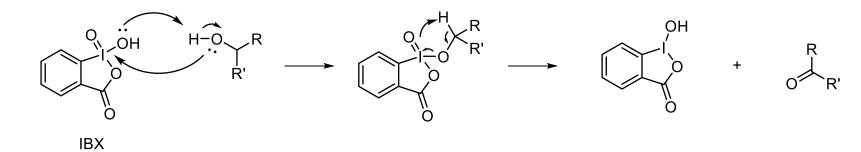
Appel reaction:

Ni-catalyzed reductive cross coupling:

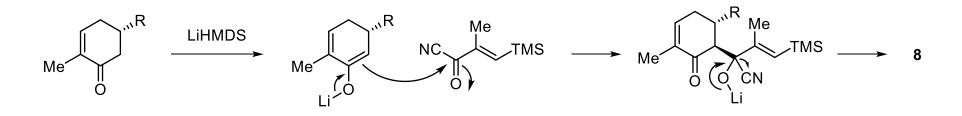


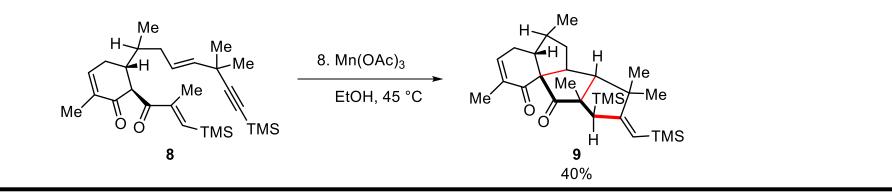


IBX oxidation of alcohol:

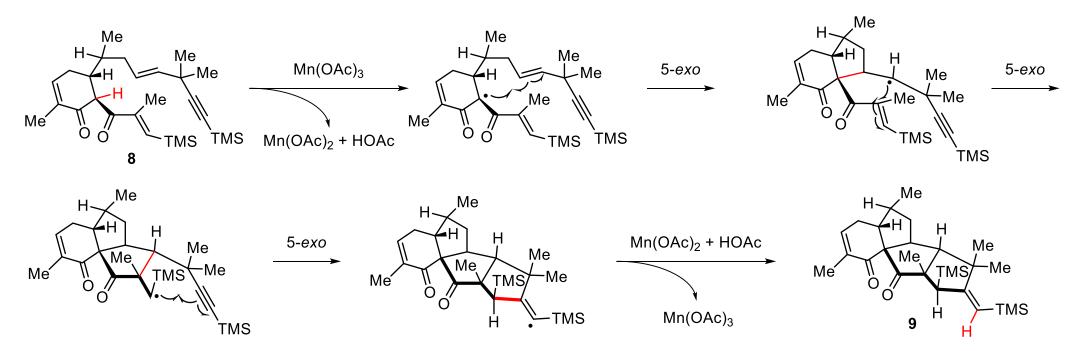


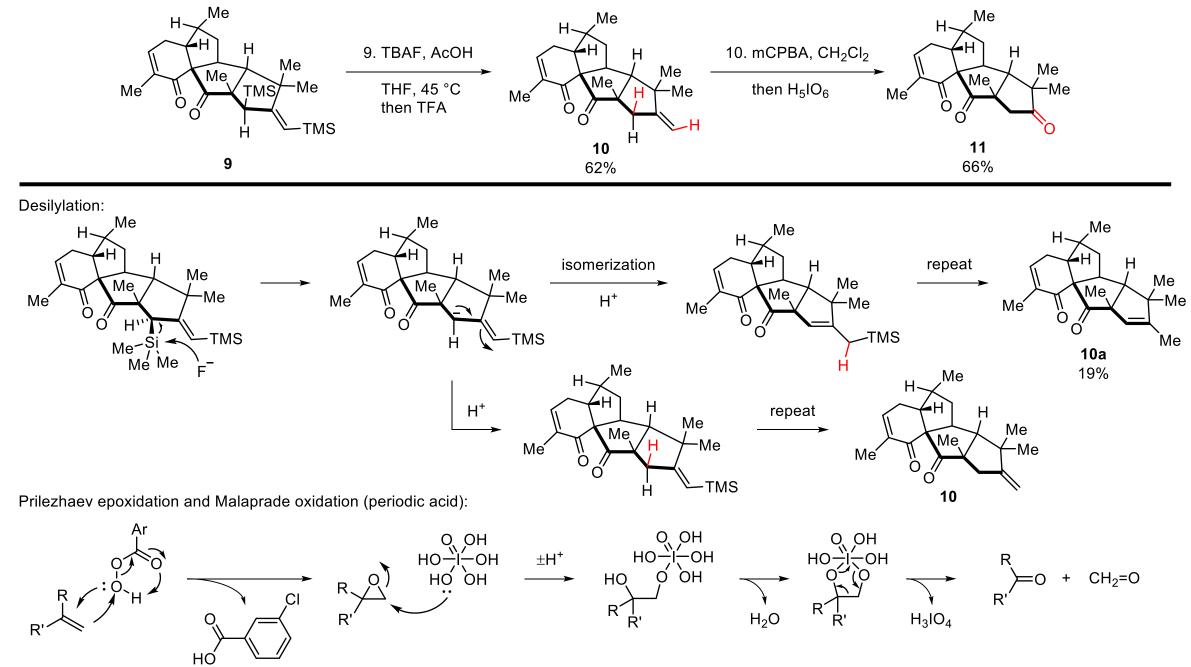
Acylation:

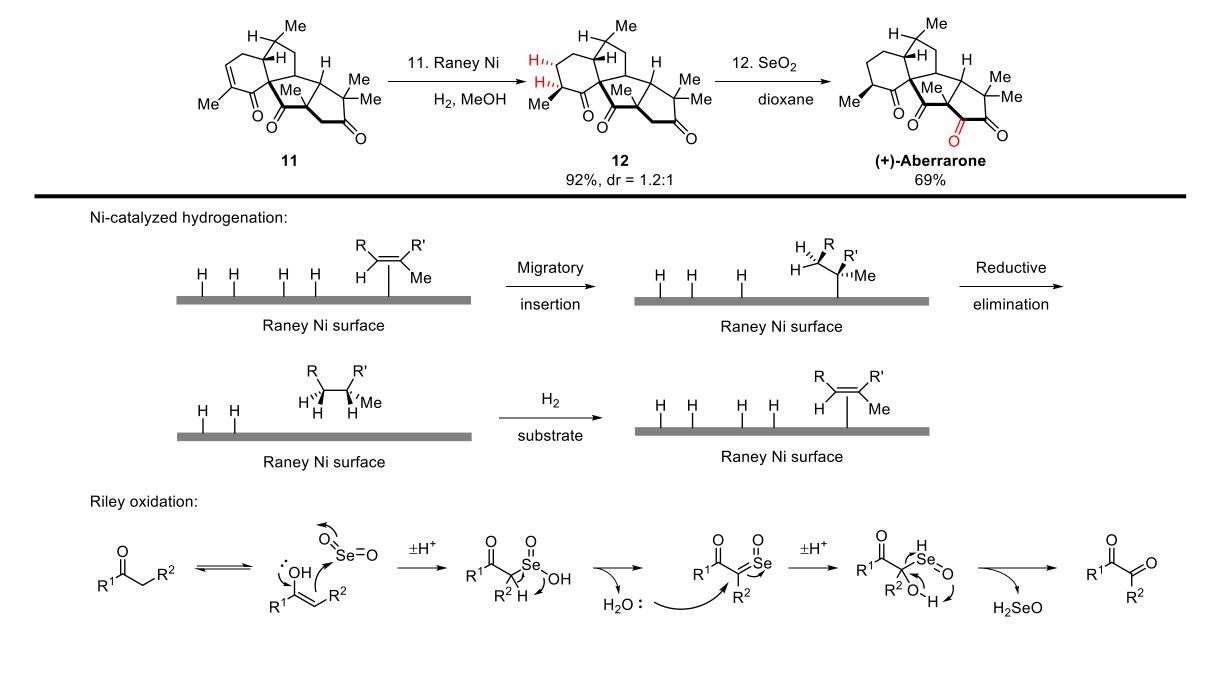




Manganese-mediated radical cascade cyclization:







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