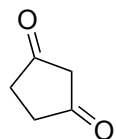


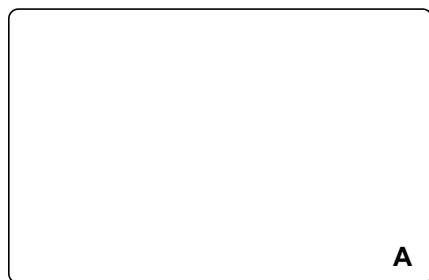
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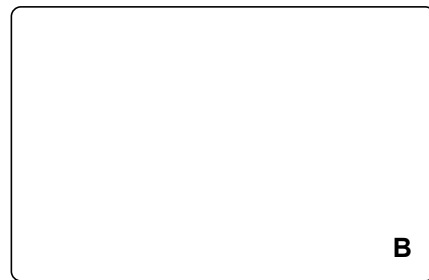


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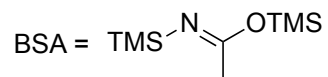
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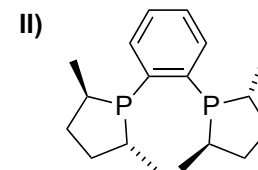
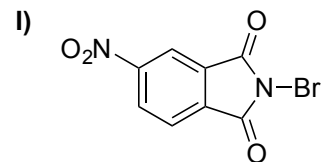


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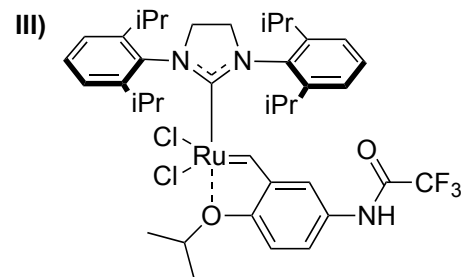
- 1) Pd(C₃H₆)Cl₂, BSA, NaOAc, dppe, allyl acetate
- 2) KO^tBu, propargyl bromide
- 3) I, AgNO₃ (5 mol%)
- 4) PPh₃AuNTf₂ (4 mol%), H₂O



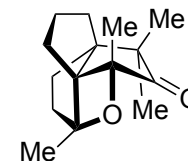
- 5) II (10 mol%), PhSiH₃, butylene oxide, 1,4-dioxane, 150 °C
- 6) (2-thiophene)CuCNLiMgBr
- 7) III (1 mol%), PhMe, 110 °C



5) Please come up with a mechanism

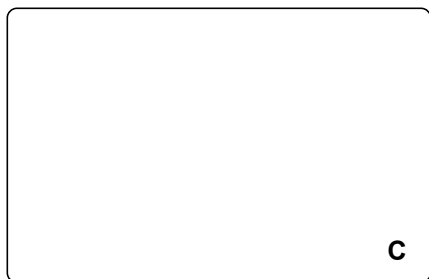


How would you call the carbon skeleton in **B**?



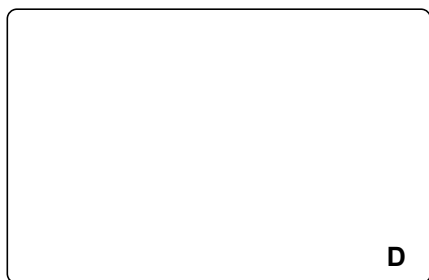
Dichrocephone B

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- 8) K-selectride
- 9) MeMgCl
- 10) H₂, Pd/C
- 11) PCC, AcOH
- 12) Ac₂O, (Me₂N)₂CH₂ (30 equiv.)
DMF, 95 °C

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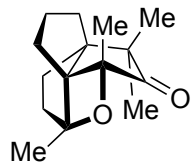


- 13) NaH, Me₃SOI (1 equiv.)
- 14) TFAA, H₂O₂, Na₂HPO₄
- 15) LiAlH₄ (10 equiv.)
- 16) PtO₂, NaOAc, H₂, AcOH
- 17) py·SO₃, NEt₃, DMSO

13) Please name the reaction

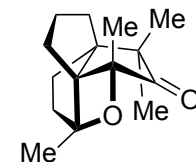
17) Please name the reaction

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- 18) HCO₂H
- 19) PhSiH₃, O₂,
Co(acac)₂ (30 mol%)
- 20) BF₃·OEt₂

19) Please name the reaction



Dichrocephone B