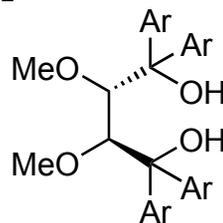
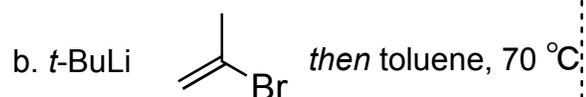
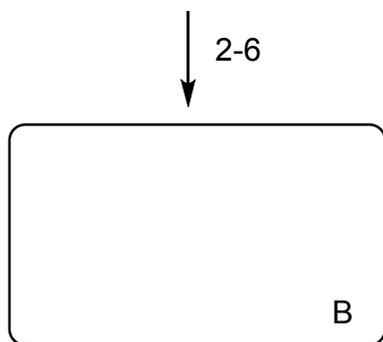
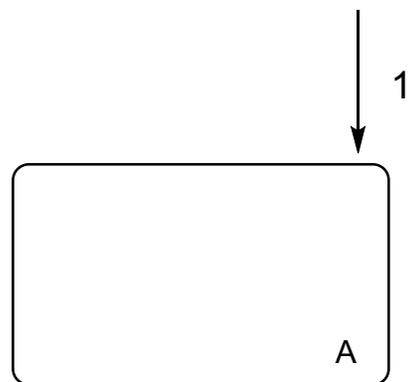
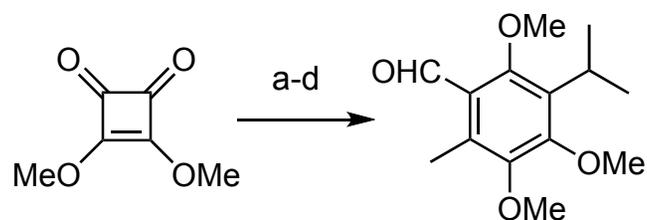


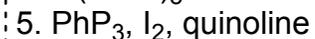
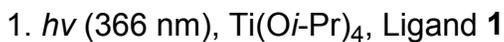
# Asymmetric Total Synthesis and Biosynthetic Implications of Perovskones, Hydrangenone, and Hydrangenone B

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Step 1:

Draw A with correct stereochemistry

*Hint:*

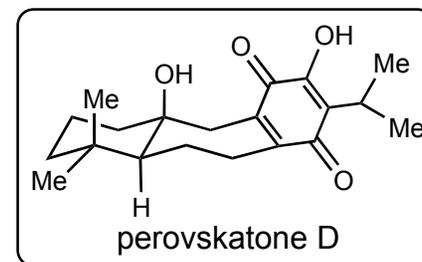
This reaction is called “photoenolization/Diels–Alder”.

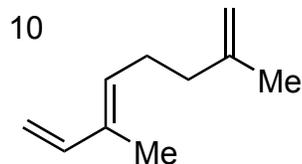
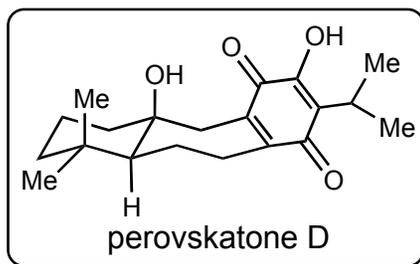
Check the natural product for the stereochemistry outcome of this reaction

Step 4:

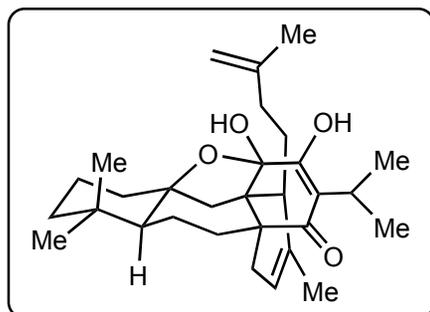
*hint:* It's a bulky reducing agent

Step 5: Name the reaction





10.  $\text{Eu}(\text{fod})_3$

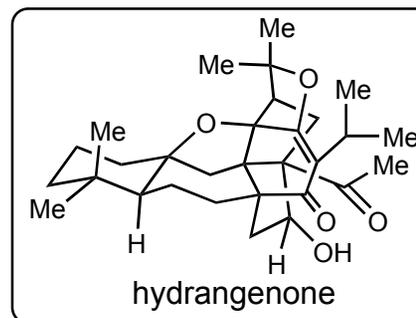
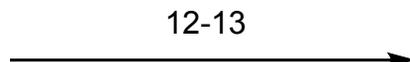
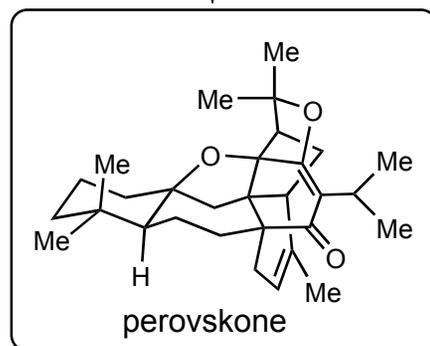


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11.  $\text{Cu}(\text{OTf})_2$

12.  $\text{O}_3$ ,  $\text{Me}_2\text{S}$

13. pyrrolidine,  $\text{AcOH}$



Step 10:

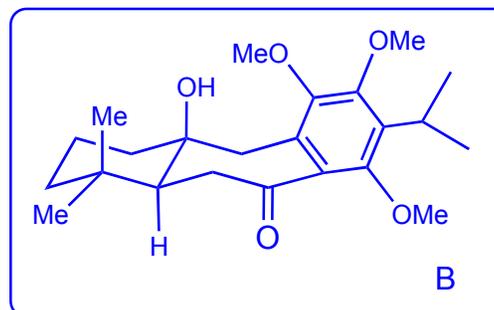
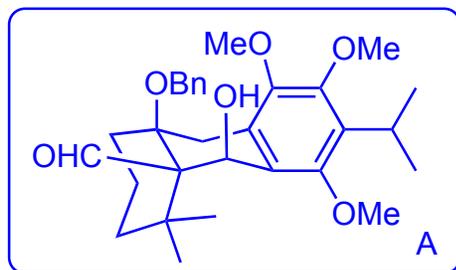
*Endo or exo?*

This is a biomimetic reaction, suggest any other reaction conditions you may want to try when you do this reaction?

Step 11:

This is also a biomimetic reaction, the mechanism? Which named reaction it would possibly be?

step b: Moore rearrangement



Step 5: Appel reaction

Step 10: *endo*

Most of the biomimetic DA reaction are *endo* selectivity.

Other conditions: heating in toluene or xylene or neat, high pressure, heating in aqueous  $\text{LiClO}_4$

Step 11

Prins reaction