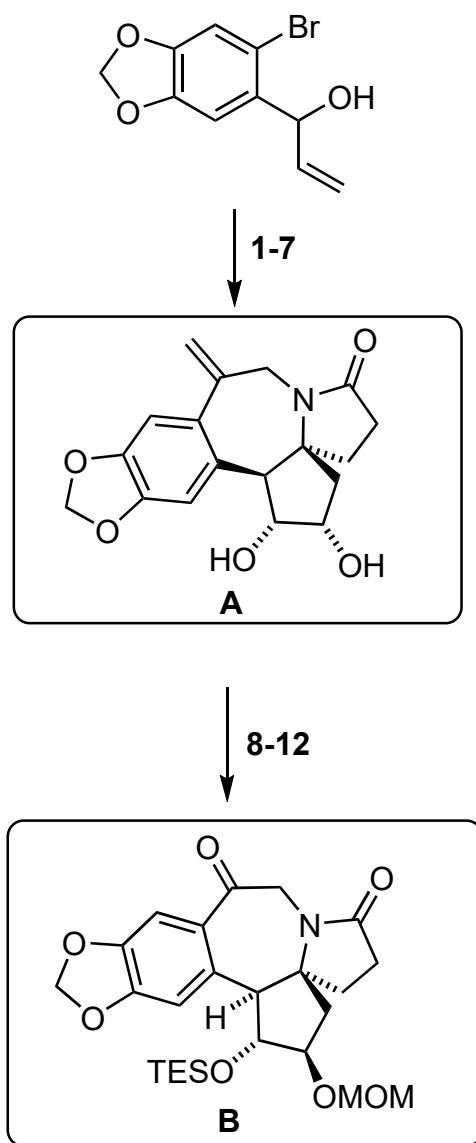
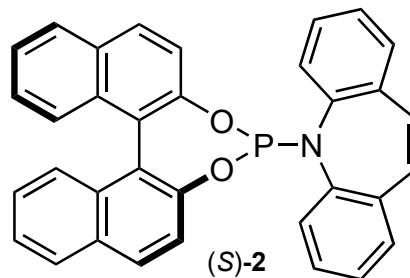
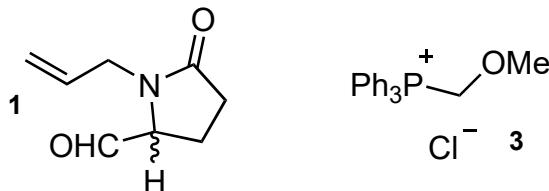


Enantioselective Total Synthesis of the *Cephalotaxus* Alkaloids (-)-Fourtuneicyclidine A and B and (-)-Cephalotine B

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1. **1**, $[\text{Ir}(\text{cod})\text{Cl}]_2$ (2 mol %), **(S)-2**, benzhydrylamine (20 mol%), $\text{Cl}_2\text{HCCO}_2\text{H}$ (45 mol%)
 2. **3**, LiHMDS, -10 °C
 3. $\text{Pd}(\text{PPh}_3)_4$ (10 mol%), 1,2-bis(diphenyl-phosphino)benzene (10 mol%), Cs_2CO_3 (2 equiv.), 120 °C
 4. *p*-TSA
 5. $\text{PPh}_3\text{CH}_2\text{Br}$, *t*-BuOK, 0 °C
 6. Grubbs II
 7. K_2OsO_4 , NMO

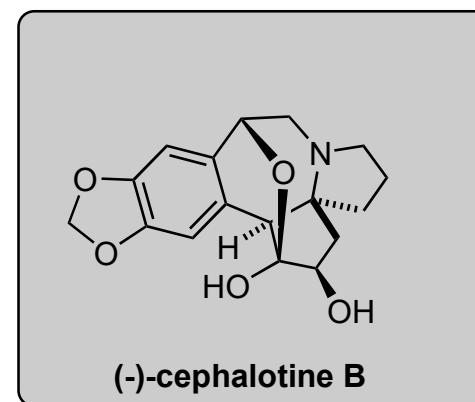
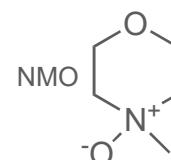


8. TESCl, imidazole, 0 °C
 9. NCS, DMS, NEt₃, -78 °C
 10. NaBH₄
 11. MOMCl, DIPEA
 12. O₃, Me₂S, DCM/ pyridine

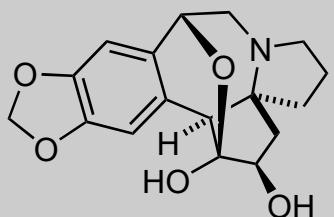
3. Name of reaction? Heck

What is the structure of NMO? Rationalize the regio- and stereo-selectivity. Open-Book effect of Osmate and cyclopentadiene. Disubstituted Db most reactive.

Hint Step 8: Selective for one alcohol



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(-)cephalotine B

13. NaBH_4
14. Ac_2O , Pyridine, DMAP
15. TBAF
16. $(\text{COCl})_2$, DMSO, NEt_3
17. K_2CO_3 , MeOH
18. conc. HCl, MeOH
19. $\text{RhH}(\text{CO})(\text{PPh}_3)_3$, PhSiH_3

16: Name of reaction?
Swern oxidation