

# Science of Synthesis

## Quick Start Guide



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Science of Synthesis is your online **synthetic methodology tool** for the most **reliable chemical transformations** available! It is the **ONLY** resource providing **full-text reviews** of organic and organometallic transformations as well as experimental procedures.

Written by chemists for chemists, SOS provides expert recommendations from over 1,750 contributors as well as unique insights into the scope and limitations of synthetic methods.

SOS helps you get up to speed on a chosen field of research quickly and is essential in helping you complete the design of your synthetic strategy. It helps you answer questions such as:

- What is the background and context to the field of research I am interested in?
- Which synthetic methodology is the most reliable and which experimental procedures could I use?
- Which experts work in this field and what is their opinion?

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# Results

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REFINE

FILTER BY:

- Reaction Product (3)
- Reaction Catalyst (1)
- Reaction Reactant (1)

FILTER BY MATCH TYPE:

- Substructure Match (4)

SORT BY HITLIST:

- By relevance
- By publication date

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Results (Articles Found Containing your Search Term, Structure or Reaction)

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- 8.1.14.10 Method 10: Benzofuryllithium Compounds  
Gribble, G. W., *Science of Synthesis*, (2006) 8, 388.  
> Show Reaction > Show Full text > Show TOC > Show Single Step Reactions
- Cyclic Alkenes as Reaction Components  
3.1.1.4.2.3.1 Reactions of 2,3-Dihydrofuran and 2,2-Dialkyl-2,3-dihydrofurans  
Coffart, V.; Guay, P. J., *Science of Synthesis: Cross Coupling and Heck-Type Reactions*, (2012) 3, 321.  
> Show Reaction > Show Full text > Show TOC > Show Single Step Reactions
- 3.6.13.1.3.3 Method 3: Cyclization-Homocoupling of 2-Alkynylphenols with (Diacetoxyiodo)benzene  
Hopkinson, M. H.; Gouverneur, V., *Science of Synthesis Knowledge Updates*, (2011) 2, 118.  
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Reaction Product

39  $\xrightarrow[Et_2O, r.t., overnight]{10 mol\% Hg(OAc)_2, PhI(OAc)_2 (5 equiv)}$  40 37%

- 6.1.8.10.2 Variation 2: Preparation of Oligomeric Furans  
Perlasamy, M.; Seenivasaperumal, M.; Sivakumar, S., *Science of Synthesis*, (2005) 6, 310.  
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Show context of method

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### 3.6.13.1.3.3 Method 3: Cyclization-Homocoupling of 2-Alkynylphenols with (Diacetoxyiodo)benzene

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A similar gold(III)-catalyzed cascade cyclization-homocoupling protocol can be applied in the synthesis of 3,3'-bifurofurans directly from 2-alkynylphenols (Scheme 17).<sup>[69]</sup> In this case, (diacetoxyiodo)benzene is the most successful oxidant, delivering the dimer **40** in 37% yield from phenol **39** when used with tetrachloroauric acid (10 mol%) in diethyl ether. The low isolated yield of the reaction can be attributed to competitive oxidation of the starting material to quinone derivatives by (diacetoxyiodo)benzene.

**Scheme 17** Synthesis of a 3,3'-Bifurofuran from a 2-Alkynylphenol<sup>[69]</sup>

**2,2'-Diphenyl-3,3'-bifurofuran (40); Typical Procedure:**<sup>[69]</sup>

H[AuCl<sub>4</sub>] (17.5 mg, 0.05 mmol, 10 mol%) was placed in a predried 20-mL vial equipped with a stirrer bar. Et<sub>2</sub>O (10 mL) was added and the mixture was stirred at rt for 5 min. 2-Alkynylphenol **39** (100 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1 equiv) was added, followed, after 5 min, by PhI(OAc)<sub>2</sub> (848 mg, 2.6 mmol, 5 equiv). The mixture was stirred at rt overnight and then filtered and concentrated. The crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (silica gel) or preparative TLC.

References

[69] Auzias, M. G.; Neuburger, M.; Wegner, H. A., *Synlett*, (2010), 2443.

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Show context of method in breadcrumb navigation

References

If available: Related information in the archive



# Explore contents

## Special topics

- Asymmetric Organocatalysis
- Cross-Coupling and Heck-Type Reactions
- Multicomponent Reactions
- Stereoselective Synthesis
- Water in Organic Synthesis
- and further topics

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Houben-Weyl methods

Logical organization of content

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Compound class introduction

Method within the context of a chapter

Science of Synthesis provides a critical review of synthetic methodology developed to-date in the fields of organic and organometallic chemistry.

## Features include

- Selection of molecular transformations by world-renowned experts with elaboration on scope and limitations
- Full-text descriptions of synthetic methods with practical experimental procedures immediately applicable in the lab
- Community of over 1,750 experts involved in the review and updating of methods
- Logical organization of the synthetic methods for each functional group
- Intuitive search functions to allow rapid lead generation and route optimization

## Why use Science of Synthesis?

Science of Synthesis is essential in helping you complete the design of your synthetic strategy after you have collected together relevant citations, patent and property information. It helps you answer questions such as:

- **What is the best synthetic strategy to use?**
- **Which experts work in this field?**
- **What is the background and context to the field of research I am interested in?**
- **Which experimental procedures should I use?**
- **What should I avoid based on the experience of other chemists working in the field?**

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