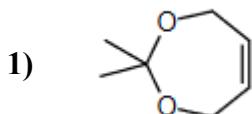


Practice problems:

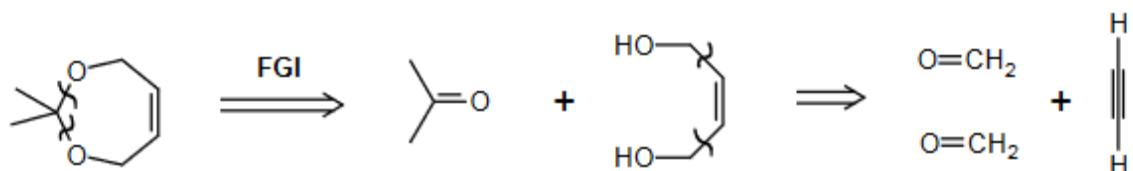
Propose a retrosynthetic analysis of the following molecules showing your thinking and the reagents that would be employed in the forward synthesis. **Follow the individual note/clue** for each molecule.

Model answers:

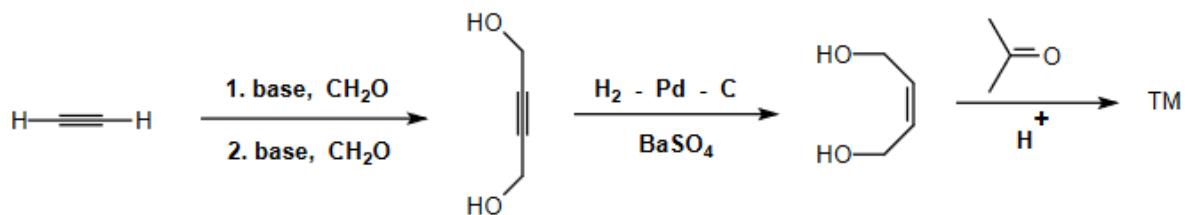


Note: Use acetylene as one of the starting materials

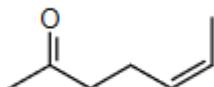
Retro Synthesis:



Forward Synthesis:

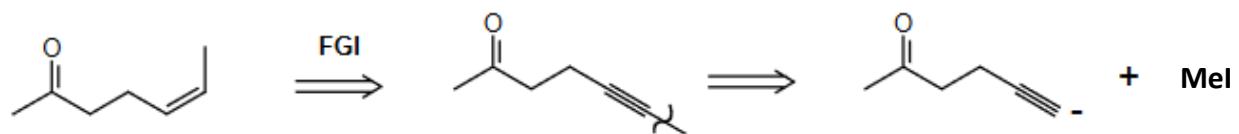


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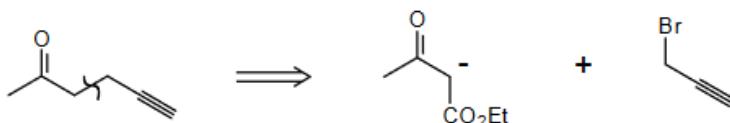


Clue: Get the *cis*-olefin through hydrogenation of alkyne.

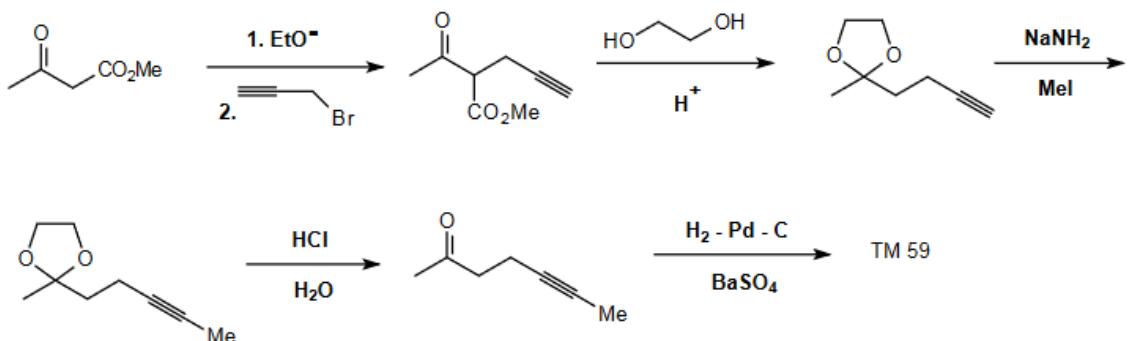
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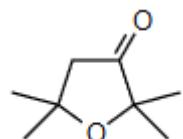
Now we can disconnect the ketone using our synthetic equivalent for the acetone anion:



Forward Synthesis:

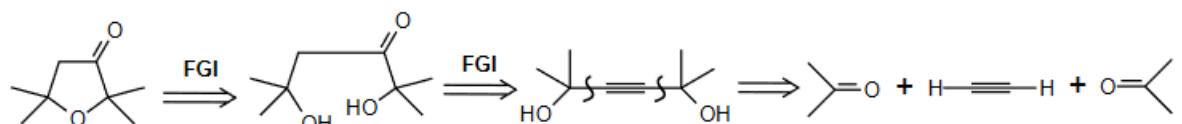


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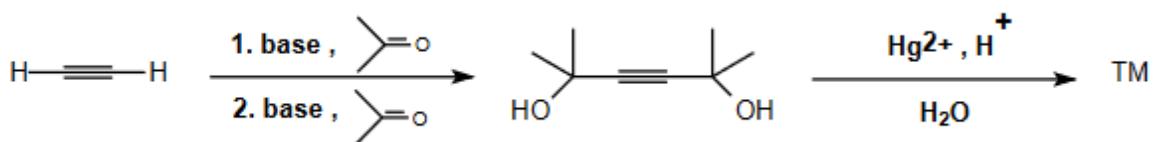


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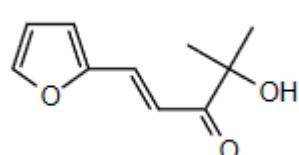
Retro Synthesis:



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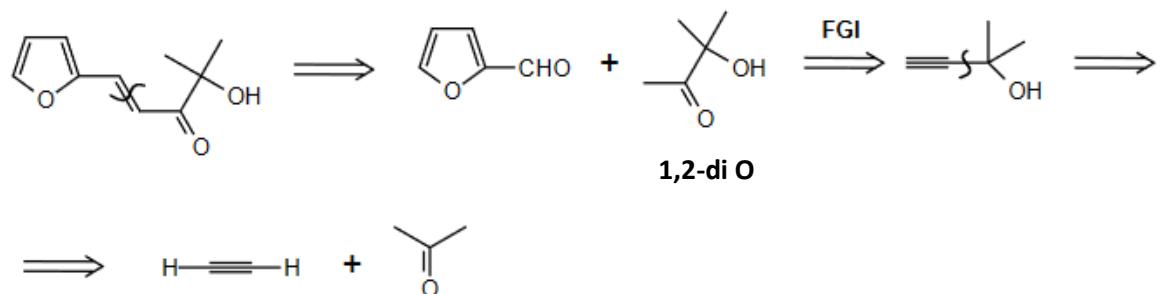


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Retro Synthesis:



Forward Synthesis:

