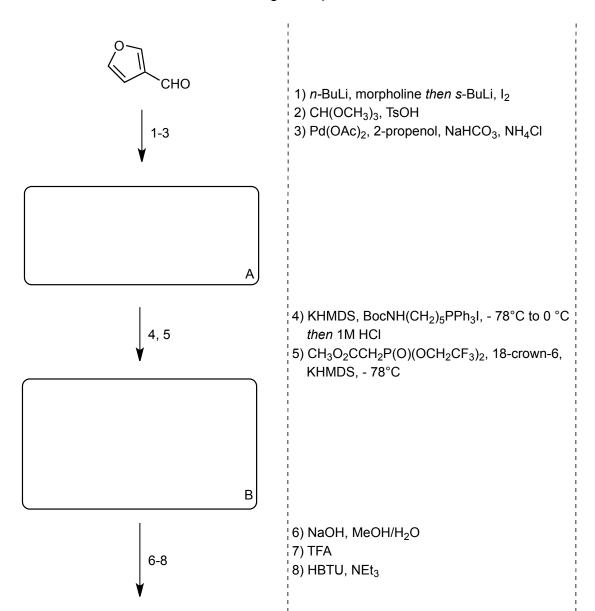
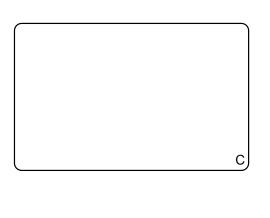
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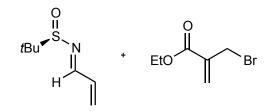
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Please provide a mechanism for step1 and 3.

Name of reaction in step 4 and 5.





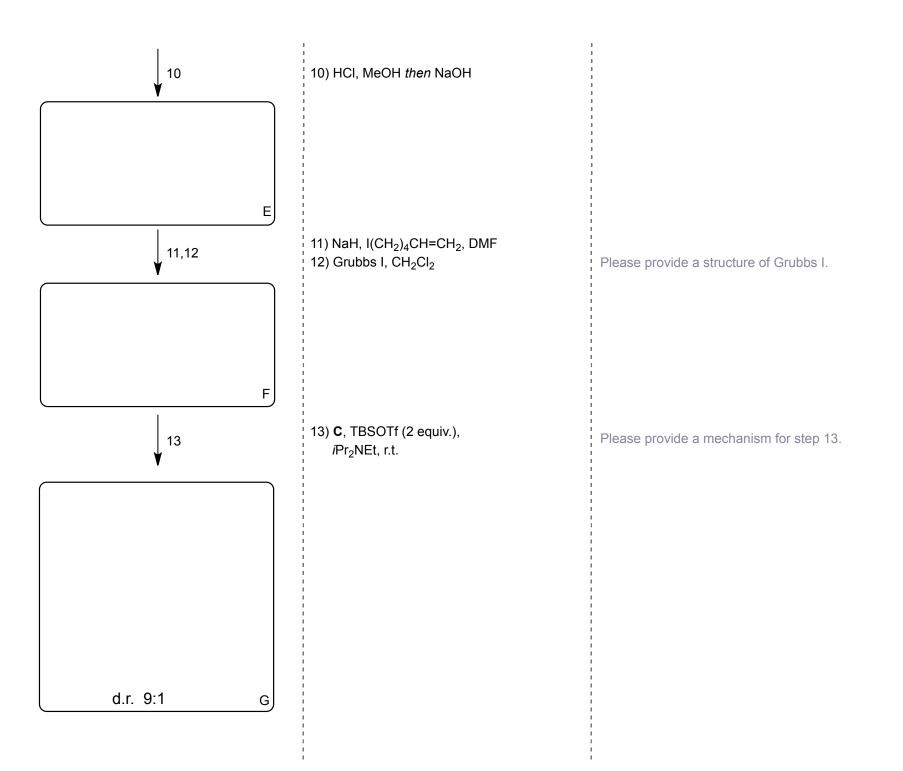


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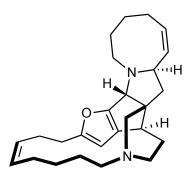
9) Zn, LiCl, H₂O (1 equiv.)

Please determine the absolute configuration of the starting material according to CIP nomenclature.

How would you synthesise the allylic bromide?







(-)-Nakadomarin A

14) Tf₂O (3 equiv.), 2,6-di-*tert*-butyl-4-methylpyridine then Red-Al (excess)

Please provide a mechanism for step 14. Structure of Red-Al?