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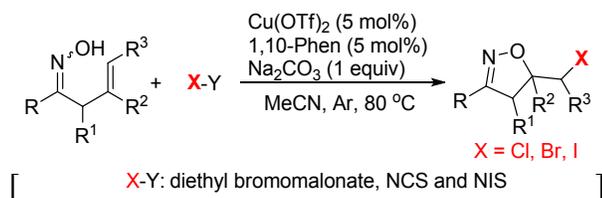
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ABSTRACT: A general and efficient oxyhalogenation of unsaturated ketoximes has been achieved through copper catalysis with diethyl bromomalonate, NCS and NIS, yielding 5-chloromethyl, 5-bromomethyl as well as 5-iodomethyl isoxazolines in good to excellent yields.

5-Halomethyl isoxazolines represent a versatile building block for the rapid construction of valuable heterocycles and bioactive molecules. For instance, they can be transformed into isoxazole¹ and pyrrolidin-3-ol² via dehydrohalogenation and reduction, respectively. Furthermore, fused cyclopropyl-3-amino-2,4-oxazine BACE inhibitor can be synthesized with chloromethyl 3-(5-bromo-2-fluorophenyl) isoxazoline through multistep ring opening and cyclization sequences (Figure 1).³ Conventional methods to synthesize 5-halomethyl isoxazolines use the 1,3-dipolar cycloaddition of nitrile oxides with allyl halide (Scheme 1a). However, the protocol suffers from moderate yields of the products.^{3,4} Alternatively, oxyhalogenation of allylic oximes allows for efficient access to this valuable functionality (Scheme 1b).^{2,5} Despite robust investigation, these methods are generally limited by the utilization of stoichiometric oxidants and a large excess of halides and the low halide atom economy. Thus, a general and cheap catalytic platform for oxyhalogenation of allylic oximes remains highly desired.

Recent progress toward the oxyfunctionalization of allylic

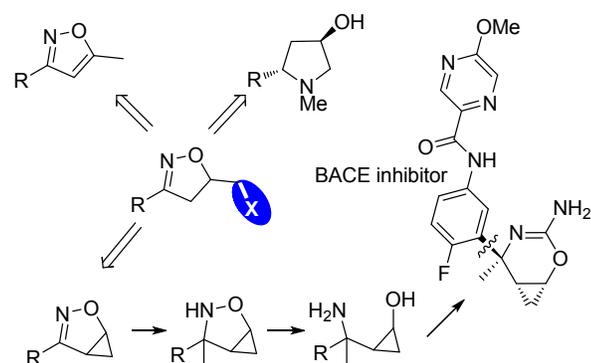
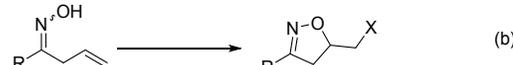


Figure 1. Transformation of 5-halomethyl isoxazolines.

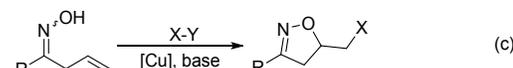
Oximes⁶ has employed copper catalysis as a versatile tool for radical processes. Han⁷ and Wang⁸, who through copper catalyzed single-electron-transfer (SET) processes have generated iminoxyl radical from allylic oximes and developed oxyalkynylation, oxyamination and oxytrifluoromethylthiolation with ethynylbenziodoxolone (EBX), amines and AgSCF₃, respectively. Liang⁹, Liu¹⁰ and Hu¹¹ have identified an array of Cu catalyzed protocols for oxytrifluoromethylation of allylic oximes. In these reactions, the role of copper catalysts was the generation of active CF₃-containing intermediates. Wang and co-workers have applied copper catalyzed atom transfer process to generate azido radicals from TMSN₃ and developed oxyazidation based on radical cross coupling.¹² Recently, we questioned whether 5-halomethyl isoxazolines synthesis might be accomplished in a general sense via copper catalysis with readily available halide source. Herein, we describe our work towards this goal, which has led to the development of a powerful platform for catalytic construction of chloromethyl, bromomethyl as well as iodomethyl isoxazolines (Scheme 1c).

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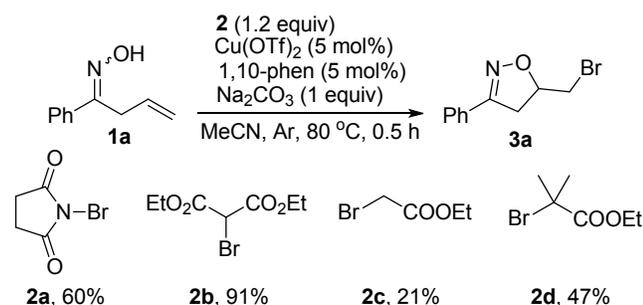
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X-Y: diethyl bromomalonate, NCS and NIS

Scheme 1. Synthesis of 5-halomethyl isoxazolines.

We began our investigations into the proposed copper-catalyzed oxyhalogenation of allylic oximes by evaluating different Br source (Scheme 2). Upon stirring allylic oxime **1a** with N-Bromosuccinimide (NBS) in the presence of Cu(OTf)₂, 1,10-phenanthroline (1,10-phen), and Na₂CO₃, we observed 60% HPLC yield of the desired isoxazoline **3a**. Inspired by Leonori's work on iminobromogenation of olefins,¹³ diethyl bromomalonate **2b** was then employed as bromo source. To our delight, 91% HPLC yield of the desired isoxazoline **3a** was obtained. Other commercially available α -bromoesters, such as ethyl bromoacetate **2c** and ethyl 2-bromoisobutyrate **2d** were less effective. We next explored the sensitivity of these reactions to various changes in the standard conditions. Other Cu salts were moderately successful (Table 1, entries 2–4), while other ligands uniformly less effective than 1,10-phen (Table 1, entries 5–7). Similarly, a number of bases were also effective in these reactions, but the reaction yields diminished with Cs₂CO₃ (Table 1, entries 8–11). Also, the reaction is moderately successful in THF and EtOH (Table 1, entry 12 and 14), but considerably less so in other solvents (Table 1, entries 14–17). Control reactions of **1a** lacking Cu(OTf)₂ and 1, 10-phen were uniformly less effective (Table 1, entries 18–19), while lacking Na₂CO₃ was unsuccessful (Table 1, entry 20). Notably, 20 mol% of Na₂CO₃ could provide the desired isoxazoline **3a** in 86% HPLC yield (Table 1, entry 21).



Scheme 2. oxybromination of **1a** with various Br source. ^a HPLC yields using toluene as an internal standard are reported for reactions at 0.2 mmol scale.

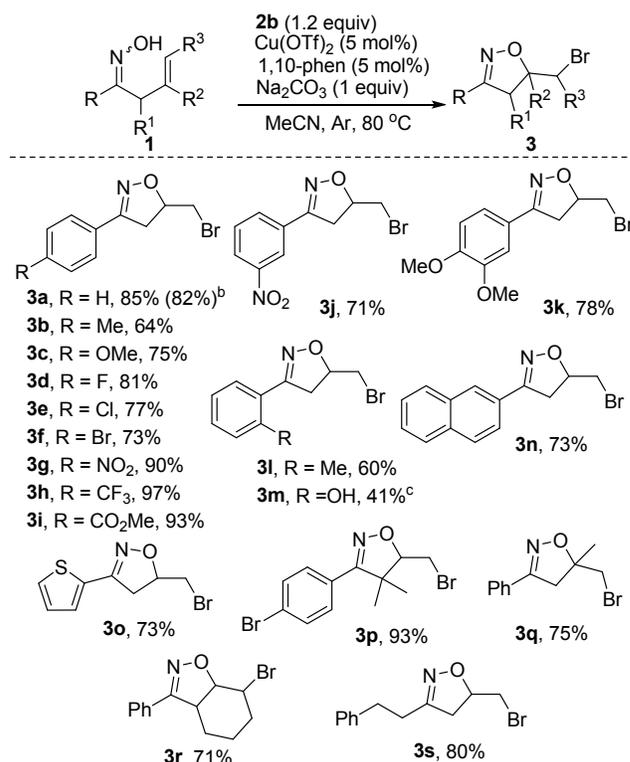
Table 1. Optimization of the reaction conditions ^a

Entr y	Cu	Ligand	base	Sol.	Yield/% ^b
1	Cu(OTf) ₂	1,10-phen	Na ₂ CO ₃	MeCN	91(85) ^c
2	Cu(OAc) ₂	1,10-phen	Na ₂ CO ₃	MeCN	89
3	CuCl ₂	1,10-phen	Na ₂ CO ₃	MeCN	76
4	CuI	1,10-phen	Na ₂ CO ₃	MeCN	88
5	Cu(OTf) ₂	bpy	Na ₂ CO ₃	MeCN	55
6	Cu(OTf) ₂	TMEDA	Na ₂ CO ₃	MeCN	68
7	Cu(OTf) ₂	PPh ₃	Na ₂ CO ₃	MeCN	26
8	Cu(OTf) ₂	1,10-phen	K ₃ PO ₄	MeCN	78
9	Cu(OTf) ₂	1,10-phen	Cs ₂ CO ₃	MeCN	28
10	Cu(OTf) ₂	1,10-phen	K ₂ CO ₃	MeCN	82
11	Cu(OTf) ₂	1,10-phen	NaHCO ₃	MeCN	76
12	Cu(OTf) ₂	1,10-phen	Na ₂ CO ₃	THF	80
13	Cu(OTf) ₂	1,10-phen	Na ₂ CO ₃	H ₂ O	54
14	Cu(OTf) ₂	1,10-phen	Na ₂ CO ₃	EtOH	72
15	Cu(OTf) ₂	1,10-phen	Na ₂ CO ₃	DMA	40

16	Cu(OTf) ₂	1,10-phen	Na ₂ CO ₃	DCE	17
17	Cu(OTf) ₂	1,10-phen	Na ₂ CO ₃	PhMe	53
18	-	1,10-phen	Na ₂ CO ₃	MeCN	31
19	Cu(OTf) ₂	-	Na ₂ CO ₃	MeCN	20
20	Cu(OTf) ₂	1,10-phen	-	MeCN	0
21 ^d	Cu(OTf) ₂	1,10-phen	Na ₂ CO ₃	MeCN	86

^a Reaction conditions: **1a** (0.2 mmol), **2b** (0.24 mmol), copper catalyst (0.01 mmol), base (0.2 mmol), solvent (1 mL), 80 °C, 0.5 h, under argon. ^b HPLC yields using toluene as an internal standard. ^c isolated yield. ^d 20 mol% of Na₂CO₃ used.

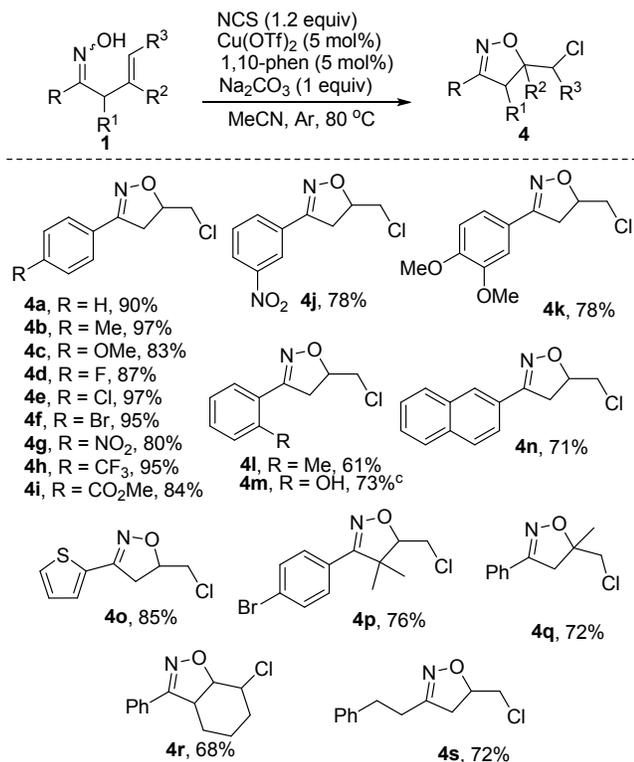
With optimal oxybromination conditions in hand, we probed the generality of this process with respect to the allylic oximes. As shown in Scheme 2, a diverse array of aromatic oximes with a variety of functional groups (methyl, methoxyl, fluoro, chloro, bromo, nitro, trifluoromethyl and ester groups) performed well using this protocol (compounds **3a–3l**, 60–97% yield). Notably, we found that phenolic oxime could be bromooxygenated, though with modest reaction efficiency (**3m**, 41%). Moreover, naphthyl oxime was found to be a competent substrate in this transformation (**3n**, 73% yield). Furthermore, thiophenyl oxime could be employed without loss in efficiency (**3o**, 85% yield). With respect to substituted allylic group, we have found that a range of oximes with substitution at the R1, R2 and R3 positions were effective substrates in this protocol (**3p–3r**, 71–93% yield). Perhaps most importantly, this transformation is not limited to aromatic oximes. For example, phenethyl can be readily incorporated in this copper cyclization (**3s**, 80% yield). Scalability of this reaction was demonstrated through the preparation of **3a** on 6.5 mmol scale.



Scheme 3. Scope of the oxybromination strategy. ^aIsolated yields are reported for reactions at 0.2 mmol scale for 0.5–2 h. ^b6.5 mmol scale, and product **3a** was obtained in 1.283 g. ^c2 equiv. of Na₂CO₃ used

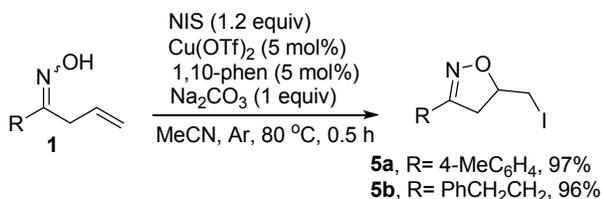
Inspired by the excellent results above, we next evaluated the ability of this copper catalysis to accommodate chlorooxygenation

of allylic oximes using N-chlorosuccinimide (NCS) as Cl source. As described in Scheme 4, with various oximes examined in the oxybromination reaction (scheme 3), the desired chloromethyl isoxazolines were successfully achieved in good to excellent yields under the optimal reaction conditions (**4a-4s**, 61-97%).



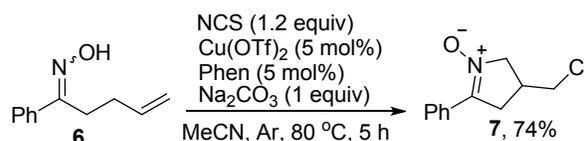
Scheme 4. Scope of the oxychlorogenation strategy. ^aIsolated yields are reported for reactions at 0.2 mmol scale for 0.5~5 h. ^c2 equiv of Na₂CO₃ used

Although we recently developed the TBHP-induced iodocyclization of allylic oximes with I₂, the protocol is less effective for electron-rich aryl and aliphatic oximes.^{5d} Therefore, we turned our attention to defining the capacity for copper catalyzed oxyiodo geniation of allylic oximes in the presence of N-iodosuccinimide (NIS) (Scheme 5). To our delight, both methyl substituted aromatic (**5a**, 97%) and aliphatic (**5b**, 96%) isoxazolines were successfully achieved in excellent yields under the optimal reaction.



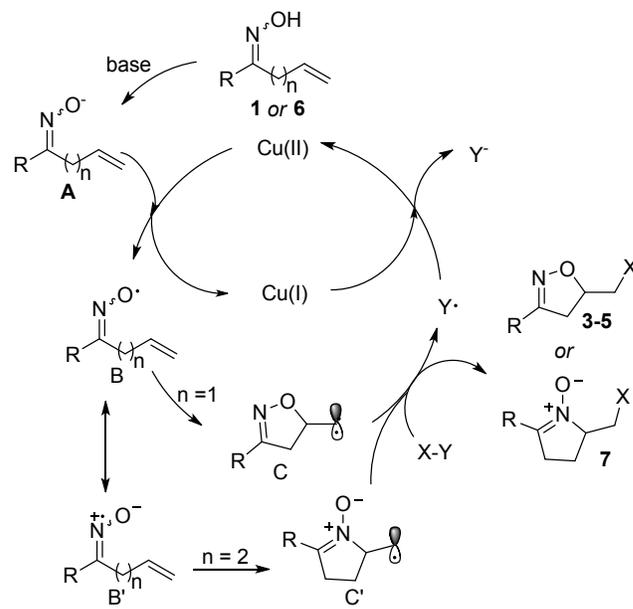
Scheme 5. oxyiodo geniation of allylic oximes

As iminoxyl radical possesses an electronic structure with the single-electron spin density delocalized on both the O- and N-atom, iminoxyl radical-promoted cyclization of γ,δ -unsaturated ketoximes often affords nitrone products.^{5c,7,14} To verify that this reaction experienced an iminoxyl radical involved process, γ,δ -unsaturated ketoxime **6** was subjected to the standard conditions with NCS. As expected, nitrones **7** was obtained in 74% yield (Scheme 6).



Scheme 6. Control experiment

Based on these experiments and previous results, a plausible mechanism is proposed in Scheme 7. Cu(II) is SET reduced by the iminoxyl anion **A**, formed by deprotonation of substrates **1** or **6**, to generate the iminoxyl radical (resonance structures **B** and **B'**), along with Cu(I).^{7,8} Then, iminoxyl radical **B** (or **B'**) undergoes O- or N-atom 5-exo-trig radical cyclization relying on the length of carbon chain, delivering the radical intermediate **C** or **C'**. Subsequently, homolytic halide atom transfer with the polarized SOMOphile (X-Y) would furnish the targeted 5-halomethyl isoxazolines **3-5** or nitrone **7** as well as the electron-poor Y radicals.¹³ Finally, single electron reduction of Y radicals by Cu(I) forms Y anion with the concomitant regeneration of Cu(II). Y anion can also act as a base to deprotonate the substrates **1** or **6**.



Scheme 7. Proposed mechanism

In conclusion, we have developed a highly efficient copper catalyzed oxyhalogenation of alkenes using readily available halide source, such as diethyl bromomalonate, NCS and NIS. This protocol serves as general and convenient approach for the rapid access of 5-halomethyl isoxazolines, which exhibited good substrate scope and function group compatibility. This transformation is predicated on a significant modification of the reported oxyhalogenation of allylic oximes as both stoichiometric amounts of oxidants and a large excess of halides are avoided.

EXPERIMENTAL SECTION

General method. Unless stated otherwise, all reactions were carried out under an argon atmosphere. All solvents were purified and dried according to standard methods prior to use. All commercial reagents were used without additional purification. Flash chromatography was carried out with silica gel (200-300 mesh). Melting points were determined without correction on a digital melting-point apparatus. ¹H NMR and ¹³C NMR spectra were recorded at 500 MHz (or 600MHz) and 125 MHz (or 150

MHz) spectrometers in CDCl₃ using tetramethylsilane (TMS) as internal standard, respectively.¹⁹F NMR spectra were recorded at 400 MHz spectrometers. High-resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were recorded using ion trap (compounds **3-5** and **7**) and ICR (compound **1i**) with an positive-ion electrospray ionization (ESI⁺) source, and ICR (compounds **1k** and **1m**) with an negative-ion electrospray ionization (ESI⁻) source.

Synthesis of starting oximes 1. Oximes **1** were synthesized according to the reported procedures.¹⁵ The starting substrates **1a-d**, **1g-h**, **1n-o**, **1q**,^{15a} **1e**, **1j**,^{15b} **1f**,^{15c} **1l**, **1r**,^{15d} **1p**,^{15e} **1s**^{15f} are known compounds, and their NMR data were identical with those in the literature.

methyl 4-(1-(hydroxyimino)but-3-en-1-yl)benzoate (1i). The reaction of methyl 4-formylbenzoate (1.64 g, 10 mmol) give **1i** as white soild (1.50 g, 68%), mp 72-73 °C, R_f = 0.22, (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 10:1); ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 9.12 (s, 1H), 8.06 – 8.03 (m, 2H), 7.70 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 5.98 – 5.85 (m, 1H), 5.22 – 5.09 (m, 2H), 3.93 (s, 3H), 3.60 (d, J = 6.2 Hz, 2H). ¹³C{¹H} NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.8, 156.2, 139.9, 131.7, 130.6, 129.8, 126.3, 117.4, 52.3, 30.8. HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₂H₁₃NO₃ [M+H]⁺: 222.1125, found 222.1128.

1-(3,4-dimethoxyphenyl)but-3-en-1-one oxime (1k). The reaction of 3,4-dimethoxybenzaldehyde (1.66 g, 10mmol) give **1k** as colorless oil (1.22 g, 55%), R_f=0.17 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 5:1); ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 9.01 (s, 1H), 7.26 (d, J = 4.1 Hz, 1H), 7.19 – 7.12 (m, 1H), 6.85 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 5.99 – 5.86 (m, 1H), 5.20 – 5.07 (m, 2H), 3.89 (d, J = 1.2 Hz, 7H), 3.57 (d, J = 6.2 Hz, 2H). ¹³C{¹H} NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 156.5, 150.2, 148.9, 132.5, 128.3, 119.5, 117.0, 110.7, 108.9, 55.9, 55.8, 30.9. HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₂H₁₃NO₃ [M-H]⁻: 218.0812, found 218.0835.

1-(o-hydroxybenzene)but-3-en-1-one oxime (1m). The reaction of 2-hydroxybenzaldehyde (1.22 g, 20 mmol) give **1m** as white soild (0.90 g, 51%), mp 75-76 °C, R_f = 0.36, (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 10:1); ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 11.95 – 11.42 (m, 1H), 8.56 – 8.08 (m, 1H), 7.48 – 7.40 (m, 1H), 7.30 – 7.22 (m, 1H), 6.99 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 6.91 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 6.00 – 5.88 (m, 1H), 5.24 – 5.10 (m, 2H), 3.70 – 3.63 (m, 2H). ¹³C{¹H} NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 160.3, 157.6, 131.5, 130.9, 127.9, 119.5, 117.7, 117.6, 117.4, 29.1. HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₀H₁₁NO₂ [M-H]⁻: 176.0706, found 176.0720.

General procedure for the synthesis of isoxazolines.

The general procedure A. A flame dry 8 mL tube was charged with oximes **1** (0.2 mmol), diethyl bromomalonate (**2b**) (57.4 mg, 0.24 mmol), Na₂CO₃ (21.2 mg, 0.2 mmol), Cu(OTf)₂ (3.6 mg, 0.01mmol), 1,10-Phen (1.0mg, 0.01 mmol) in anhydrous MeCN (1 mL) under argon atmosphere. The resulting suspension was stirred for 0.5-2 h at 80°C (block heaters). The mixture was extracted with ethyl acetate (3 x 15 mL). The combined organic layers were washed with brine (10 mL), dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated in vacuo. The residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel to give the products **3**.

The general procedure B. A flame dry 8 mL tube was charged with oximes 1 or 6 (0.2 mmol), NCS (32.0 mg, 0.24 mmol), Na₂CO₃ (21.2 mg, 0.2 mmol), Cu(OTf)₂ (3.6 mg, 0.01mmol), 1,10-Phen (1.0mg, 0.01 mmol) in anhydrous MeCN (1 mL) under argon atmosphere. The resulting suspension was stirred for 0.5-5 h at 80 °C (block heaters). The mixture was extracted with ethyl acetate (3 x 15 mL). The combined organic layers were washed with brine (10 mL), dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated in vacuo. The residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel to give the products **4** or **7**.

The general procedure C. A flame dry 8 mL tube was charged with oximes **1** (0.2 mmol), NIS (53.9 mg, 0.24 mmol), Na₂CO₃ (21.2 mg, 0.2 mmol), Cu(OTf)₂ (3.6 mg, 0.01mmol), 1,10-Phen (1.0mg, 0.01 mmol) in anhydrous MeCN (1 mL) under argon

atmosphere. The resulting suspension was stirred for 0.5 h at 80 °C (block heaters). The mixture was extracted with ethyl acetate (3 x 15 mL). The combined organic layers were washed with brine (10 mL), dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated in vacuo. The residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel to give the products **5**.

Gram scale reaction. A flame dry 25 mL schlenk flask was charged with **1a** (1.05g, 6.5 mmol), diethyl bromomalonate (1.86 g, 7.8 mmol), Na₂CO₃ (689.0 mg, 6.5 mmol), Cu(OTf)₂ (117.6 mg, 0.33mmol), 1,10-Phen (64.4 mg, 0.33 mmol) in anhydrous MeCN (15 mL) under argon atmosphere. The resulting suspension was stirred for 2 h at 80 °C (block heaters). The mixture was extracted with ethyl acetate (3 x 25 mL). The combined organic layers were washed with brine (20 mL), dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated in vacuo. The residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel to give the products **3a** (1.283 g, 5.34 mmol).

5-(Bromomethyl)-3-phenyl-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (3a).^{5b}

Compound **3a** was prepared following the general procedure A. The reaction of **1a** (32.2 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **3a** as white soild (41 mg, 85%); mp 59-61 °C, R_f = 0.65 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 5:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.71 – 7.64 (m, 2H), 7.45 – 7.37 (m, 3H), 5.05 – 4.95 (m, 1H), 3.58 (dd, J = 10.4, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 3.51 (dd, J = 17.0, 10.5 Hz, 1H), 3.41 (dd, J = 10.4, 8.3 Hz, 1H), 3.33 (dd, J = 17.0, 6.4 Hz, 1H).

5-(Bromomethyl)-3-(p-tolyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (3b).¹

Compound **3b** was prepared following the general procedure A. The reaction of **1b** (35.0 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **3b** as white soild (32.4 mg, 64%); mp 88-89 °C, R_f = 0.67 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 5:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.56 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.22 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 5.04 – 4.93 (m, 1H), 3.57 (dd, J = 10.3, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 3.50 (dd, J = 17.0, 10.4 Hz, 1H), 3.40 (dd, J = 10.3, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 3.31 (dd, J = 17.0, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 2.38 (s, 3H).

5-(Bromomethyl)-3-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (3c).^{5b}

Compound **3c** was prepared following the general procedure A. The reaction of **1c** (38.3 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **3c** as white soild (40.6 mg, 75%); mp 77-78 °C, R_f = 0.42 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 5:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.60 (d, J = 8.9, 2H), 6.92 (d, J = 8.9, 2H), 5.01 – 4.91 (m, 1H), 3.83 (s, 3H), 3.57 (dd, J = 10.3, 4.2 Hz, 1H), 3.49 (dd, J = 16.9, 10.4 Hz, 1H), 3.39 (dd, J = 10.3, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 3.29 (dd, J = 16.9, 6.3 Hz, 1H).

5-(Bromomethyl)-3-(4-fluorophenyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (3d).

Compound **3d** was prepared following the general procedure A. The reaction of **1d** (35.8 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **3d** as white soild (42 mg, 81%); mp 49-50 °C, R_f = 0.65 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 5:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.69 – 7.63 (m, 2H), 7.15 – 7.06 (m, 2H), 5.05 – 4.95 (m, 1H), 3.58 (dd, J = 10.4, 4.2 Hz, 1H), 3.50 (dd, J = 17.0, 10.5 Hz, 1H), 3.41 (dd, J = 10.4, 8.2 Hz, 1H), 3.31 (dd, J = 17.0, 6.4 Hz, 1H). ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 163.9 (d, J = 250.0 Hz), 155.1, 128.8 (d, J = 8.5 Hz), 125.4 (d, J = 3.4 Hz), 116.0 (d, J = 22.5Hz), 79.84, 39.7, 33.1. ¹⁹F NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -109.4. HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₀H₁₀BrFNO [M+H]⁺: 257.9924, found 257.9927.

5-(Bromomethyl)-3-(4-chlorophenyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (3e).¹

Compound **3e** was prepared following the general procedure A. The reaction of **1e** (39.1 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **3e** as white soild (42.3 mg, 77%); mp 104-105 °C, R_f = 0.58 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 5:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.60 (d, J = 8.6, 2H), 7.37 (d, J = 8.6, 2H), 5.05 – 4.97 (m, 1H), 3.57 (dd, J = 10.4, 4.2 Hz, 1H), 3.48 (dd, J = 17.0, 10.5 Hz, 1H), 3.41 (dd, J = 10.4, 8.1 Hz, 1H), 3.29 (dd, J = 17.0, 6.5 Hz, 1H).

5-(Bromomethyl)-3-(4-bromophenyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (3f).^{5b}

Compound **3f** was prepared following the general procedure A. The reaction of **1f** (48.0 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **3f** as white soild (48.1 mg, 73%); mp 109-110 °C, R_f = 0.54 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 5:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.53 (s, 4H), 5.06 – 4.96 (m, 1H),

3.58 (dd, $J = 10.4, 4.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.53 -3.37 (m, 2H), 3.29 (dd, $J = 17.0, 6.5$ Hz, 1H).

5-(Bromomethyl)-3-(4-nitrophenyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole

(**3g**).^{5b}Compound **3g** was prepared following the general procedure A. The reaction of **1g** (41.2 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **3g** as yellow soild (51.5 mg, 90%); mp 159-160 °C, $R_f = 0.41$ (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 3:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.32 – 8.21 (m, 2H), 7.90 – 7.77 (m, 2H), 5.16 – 5.06 (m, 1H), 3.61 (dd, $J = 10.6, 4.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.55 (dd, $J = 17.0, 10.7$ Hz, 1H), 3.47 (dd, $J = 10.6, 7.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.36 (dd, $J = 17.0, 6.7$ Hz, 1H).

5-(Bromomethyl)-3-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)-4,5-

dihydroisoxazole (3h). Compound **3h** was prepared following the general procedure A. The reaction of **1h** (45.8 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **3h** as white soild (59.8 mg, 97%); mp 68-69 °C, $R_f = 0.48$ (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 5:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.78 (d, $J = 8.1$ Hz, 2H), 7.67 (d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, 2H), 5.11 – 5.01 (m, 1H), 3.60 (dd, $J = 10.5, 4.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.53 (dd, $J = 17.0, 10.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.45 (dd, $J = 10.5, 7.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.34 (dd, $J = 17.0, 6.6$ Hz, 1H). ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 155.1, 132.5, 132.0(q, $J = 32.4$ Hz), 127.0, 125.7 (q, $J = 3.8$ Hz), 124.8, 122.7, 80.2, 39.3, 33.1. ¹⁹F NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -62.9. HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₁H₁₀F₃BrNO [M+H]⁺: 307.9898, found 307.9894.

Methyl 4-(5-(Bromomethyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazol-3-yl)benzoate (3i).

¹⁶Compound **3i** was prepared following the general procedure A. The reaction of **1i** (43.8 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **3i** as white soild (55.6 mg, 93%); mp 135-137 °C, $R_f = 0.40$ (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 5:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.06 (d, $J = 8.4, 2$ H), 7.72 (d, $J = 8.5, 2$ H), 5.10 – 4.96 (m, 1H), 3.92 (s, 3H), 3.58 (dd, $J = 10.4, 4.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.52 (dd, $J = 17.0, 10.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.43 (dd, $J = 10.4, 8.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.33 (dd, $J = 17.0, 6.6$ Hz, 1H).

5-(Bromomethyl)-3-(3-nitrophenyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (3j).

Compound **3j** was prepared following the general procedure A. The reaction of **1j** (41.2 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **3j** as white soild (40.6 mg, 71%); mp 72-73 °C, $R_f = 0.48$ (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 5:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.43 (t, $J = 1.9$ Hz, 1H), 8.29 – 8.24 (m, 1H), 8.12 – 8.02 (m, 1H), 7.61 (t, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 5.15 – 5.05 (m, 1H), 3.64 – 3.52 (m, 2H), 3.47 (dd, $J = 10.6, 7.7$ Hz, 1H), 3.38 (dd, $J = 17.0, 6.7$ Hz, 1H). ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 154.5, 148.5, 132.3, 130.9, 129.9, 124.8, 121.6, 80.4, 39.2, 33.0. HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₀H₁₀BrN₂O₃ [M+H]⁺: 284.9869, found 284.9868.

5-(Bromomethyl)-3-(3,4-dimethoxyphenyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole

(**3k**). Compound **3k** was prepared following the general procedure A. The reaction of **1k** (44.2 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **3k** as white soild (47.1 mg, 78%); mp 92-93 °C, $R_f = 0.32$ (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 5:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.37 (d, $J = 1.9$ Hz, 1H), 7.04 (dd, $J = 8.3, 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 6.85 (d, $J = 8.3$ Hz, 1H), 5.02 – 4.93 (m, 1H), 3.90 (s, 6H), 3.57 (dd, $J = 10.3, 4.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.49 (dd, $J = 16.9, 10.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.39 (dd, $J = 10.3, 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.30 (dd, $J = 16.9, 6.3$ Hz, 1H). ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 155.8, 151.1, 149.3, 121.9, 120.5, 110.6, 108.8, 79.6, 56.0 (d, $J = 3.8$ Hz), 39.8, 33.2, 29.7. HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₂H₁₅BrNO₃ [M+H]⁺: 300.0229, found 300.0223.

5-(Bromomethyl)-3-(o-tolyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (3l). Compound

3l was prepared following the general procedure A. The reaction of **1l** (35.0 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **3l** as pale brown oil (30.4 mg, 60%); $R_f = 0.57$ (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 5:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.37 – 7.22 (m, 4H), 5.00 – 4.91 (m, 1H), 3.63 – 3.52 (m, 2H), 3.47 – 3.33 (m, 2H), 2.56 (s, 3H). ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 156.9, 138.2, 131.7, 129.6, 128.9, 128.2, 125.9, 78.6, 42.2, 33.3, 23.0. HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₁H₁₃BrNO [M+H]⁺: 254.0175, found 254.0178.

5-(Bromomethyl)-3-(o-hydroxybenzene)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole

(**3m**). Compound **3m** was prepared following the general procedure A with 0.4 mmol of Na₂CO₃ (42.4 mg). The reaction of **1m** (35.4 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **3m** as pale brown oil (21.0 mg, 41%); $R_f =$

0.48 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 5:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 9.63 (s, 1H), 7.39 – 7.30 (m, 1H), 7.21 (dd, $J = 7.8, 1.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.05 (dd, $J = 8.3, 0.9$ Hz, 1H), 6.99 – 6.88 (m, 1H), 5.03 – 4.94 (m, 1H), 3.66 – 3.54 (m, 2H), 3.48 – 3.38 (m, 2H). ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 158.1, 157.4, 132.1, 128.5, 119.7, 117.2, 113.5, 78.6, 39.8, 32.7. HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₀H₁₁BrNO₂ [M+H]⁺: 255.9977, found 255.9968.

5-(Bromomethyl)-3-(naphthalen-2-yl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (3n).²

Compound **3n** was prepared following the general procedure A. The reaction of **1n** (42.2 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **3n** as white soild (42.8 mg, 73%); mp 87-88 °C, $R_f = 0.61$ (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 5:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.97 (dd, $J = 8.7, 1.7$ Hz, 1H), 7.91 (s, 1H), 7.86 (dd, $J = 8.3, 4.7$ Hz, 3H), 7.57 – 7.50 (m, 2H), 5.10 – 5.02 (m, 1H), 3.68 – 3.58 (m, 2H), 3.50 – 3.41 (m, 2H).

5-(Bromomethyl)-3-(thiophen-2-yl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (3o).¹

Compound **3o** was prepared following the general procedure A. The reaction of **1o** (33.4 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **3o** as yellow oil (36.2 mg, 73%); $R_f = 0.41$ (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 5:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.41 (dd, $J = 5.1, 1.1$ Hz, 1H), 7.23 (dd, $J = 3.6, 1.1$ Hz, 1H), 7.07 (dd, $J = 5.1, 3.7$ Hz, 1H), 5.04 – 4.95 (m, 1H), 3.61 – 3.48 (m, 2H), 3.40 (dd, $J = 10.4, 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.34 (dd, $J = 16.8, 6.4$ Hz, 1H).

5-(Bromomethyl)-3-(4-bromophenyl)-4,4-dimethyl-4,5-

dihydroisoxazole (3p). Compound **3p** was prepared following the general procedure A. The reaction of **1p** (53.6 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **3p** as white soild (64.8 mg, 93%); mp 71-72 °C, $R_f = 0.62$ (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 5:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.56 – 7.51 (m, 2H), 7.50 – 7.46 (m, 2H), 4.48 (t, $J = 6.7$ Hz, 1H), 3.60 (dd, $J = 10.8, 6.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.52 (dd, $J = 10.8, 6.8$ Hz, 1H), 1.48 (s, 3H), 1.32 (s, 3H). ¹³C{¹H}C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 164.1, 132.0, 129.0, 127.8, 124.4, 89.5, 51.6, 27.5, 25.6, 18.9. HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₂H₁₄Br₂NO [M+H]⁺: 345.9437, found 345.9442.

5-(Bromomethyl)-5-methyl-3-phenyl-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (3q).¹

Compound **3q** was prepared following the general procedure A. The reaction of **1q** (35.0 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **3q** as colorless oil (38 mg, 75%); $R_f = 0.58$ (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 5:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.72 – 7.57 (m, 2H), 7.49 – 7.31 (m, 3H), 3.58 – 3.45 (m, 3H), 3.13 (d, $J = 17.0$ Hz, 1H), 1.66 (s, 3H).

7-Bromo-3-phenyl-3a,4,5,6,7,7a-hexahydrobenzo[d]isoxazole (3r).

Compound **3r** was prepared following the general procedure A. The reaction of **1r** (40.2 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **3r** as white soild (39.9 mg, 71%); mp 109-111 °C, $R_f = 0.63$ (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 5:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.73 – 7.65 (m, 2H), 7.46 – 7.38 (m, 3H), 4.73 – 4.65 (m, 2H), 3.65 – 3.57 (m, 1H), 2.17 – 2.01 (m, 3H), 1.88 – 1.75 (m, 1H), 1.60 – 1.50 (m, 1H), 1.42 – 1.31 (m, 1H). ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 163.9, 130.4, 128.9, 128.6, 127.1, 84.11, 47.1, 42.6, 29.7, 25.8, 18.0. HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₃H₁₅BrNO [M+H]⁺: 280.0332, found 280.0331.

5-(Bromomethyl)-3-phenethyl-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (3s).¹⁷

Compound **3s** was prepared following the general procedure A. The reaction of **1s** (37.8 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **3s** as colorless oil (42.9 mg, 80%); $R_f = 0.57$ (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 3:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.35 – 7.27 (m, 2H), 7.25 – 7.18 (m, 3H), 4.84 – 4.70 (m, 1H), 3.43 (dd, $J = 10.3, 4.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.22 (dd, $J = 10.3, 8.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.04 (dd, $J = 17.4, 10.3$ Hz, 1H), 2.97 – 2.87 (m, $J = 8.0, 2.8$ Hz, 2H), 2.84 (dd, $J = 17.4, 6.1$ Hz, 1H), 2.68 (dd, $J = 14.8, 7.1$ Hz, 2H).

5-(Chloromethyl)-3-phenyl-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (4a).^{5c}

Compound **4a** was prepared following the general procedure B. The reaction of **1a** (32.2 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **4a** as white soild (39.3 mg, 81%); mp 51-52 °C, $R_f = 0.37$ (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 10:1). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.68 – 7.66 (m, 2H), 7.43 – 7.40 (m, 3H), 5.02 – 4.69 (m, 1H), 3.71 (dd, $J = 11.3, 4.5$ Hz, 1H), 3.58 (dd, $J = 11.2, 7.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.42 (dd, $J = 17.0, 10.5$ Hz, 1H), 3.35 (dd, $J = 17.0, 6.3$ Hz, 1H).

*5-(Chloromethyl)-3-(p-tolyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (4b).*¹

Compound **4b** was prepared following the general procedure B. The reaction of **1b** (35.0 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **4b** as white soild (45.0 mg, 97%); mp 76-77 °C, $R_f = 0.33$ (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 10:1). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.55 (d, $J = 8.1$ Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, $J = 7.9$ Hz, 2H), 4.92 – 4.86 (m, 1H), 3.49 (dd, $J = 17.0$, 10.3 Hz, 1H), 3.40 (dd, $J = 10.5$, 4.1 Hz, 1H), 3.18 – 3.24 (m, 2H), 2.38 (s, 3H).

*5-(Chloromethyl)-3-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (4c).*¹

Compound **4c** was prepared following the general procedure B. The reaction of **1c** (38.2 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **4c** as white soild (36.9 mg, 83%); mp 72-74 °C, $R_f = 0.36$ (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 5:1). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.61 – 7.59 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2H), 6.92 – 6.90 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2H), 4.96 – 4.91 (m, 1H), 3.83 (s, 1H), 3.69 (dd, $J = 11.2$, 4.4 Hz, 1H), 3.55 (dd, $J = 11.2$, 7.5 Hz, 1H), 3.36 (dd, $J = 16.9$, 10.5 Hz, 1H), 3.30 (dd, $J = 16.9$, 6.3 Hz, 1H).

*3-(4-fluorophenyl)-5-(Chloromethyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (4d).*¹

Compound **4d** was prepared following the general procedure B. The reaction of **1d** (35.8 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **4d** as white soild (37.0 mg, 87%); mp 58-59 °C, $R_f = 0.30$ (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 10:1). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.69 – 7.66 (m, 1H), 7.07 – 7.14 (m, 1H), 4.96 – 5.01 (m, 1H), 3.71 (dd, $J = 11.3$, 4.2 Hz, 1H), 3.57 (dd, $J = 11.3$, 7.3 Hz, 1H), 3.47 (dd, $J = 16.9$, 10.5 Hz, 1H), 3.32 (dd, $J = 16.9$, 6.5 Hz, 1H).

*3-(4-chlorophenyl)-5-(Chloromethyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (4e).*¹

Compound **4e** was prepared following the general procedure B. The reaction of **1e** (39.1 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **4e** as white soild (45.0 mg, 97%); mp 85-86 °C, $R_f = 0.32$ (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 10:1). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.59 (d, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 2H), 7.37 (d, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 2H), 4.97 – 5.02 (m, 1H), 3.70 (dd, $J = 9.5$, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 3.58 (dd, $J = 9.5$, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 3.46 (dd, $J = 14.0$, 8.8 Hz, 1H), 3.30 (dd, $J = 14.0$, 5.4 Hz, 1H).

*3-(4-bromophenyl)-5-(Chloromethyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (4f).*¹

Compound **4f** was prepared following the general procedure B. The reaction of **1f** (48.0 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **4f** as white soild (51.7 mg, 95%); mp 105-106 °C, $R_f = 0.30$ (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 10:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.52 (s, 4H), 3.30 (dd, $J = 16.9$, 6.5 Hz, 1H), 5.02 – 4.96 (m, 1H), 3.70 (dd, $J = 11.4$, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 3.58 (dd, $J = 11.3$, 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.46 (dd, $J = 16.9$, 10.5 Hz, 1H).

*5-(Chloromethyl)-3-(4-nitrophenyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (4g).*¹⁸

Compound **4g** was prepared following the general procedure B. The reaction of **1g** (41.2 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **4g** as white soild (38.0 mg, 80%); mp 154-155 °C, $R_f = 0.38$ (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 3:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.32 – 8.20 (m, 2H), 7.89 – 7.79 (m, 2H), 5.12 – 5.07 (m, $J = 10.9$, 6.8, 4.1 Hz, 1H), 3.75 (dd, $J = 11.5$, 4.1 Hz, 1H), 3.65 (dd, $J = 11.5$, 7.0 Hz, 1H), 3.53 (dd, $J = 17.0$, 10.7 Hz, 1H), 3.39 (dd, $J = 17.0$, 6.7 Hz, 1H).

*5-(Chloromethyl)-3-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (4h).*¹⁸

Compound **4h** was prepared following the general procedure B. The reaction of **1h** (45.8 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **4h** as white soild (50.3 mg, 95%); mp 79-80 °C, $R_f = 0.36$ (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 10:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.79 (d, $J = 8.1$ Hz, 2H), 7.67 (d, $J = 8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.06 (m, 1H), 3.74 (dd, $J = 11.4$, 4.2 Hz, 1H), 3.62 (dd, $J = 11.4$, 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.52 (dd, $J = 17.0$, 10.7 Hz, 1H), 3.37 (dd, $J = 17.0$, 6.6 Hz, 1H).

methyl 4-(5-(Chloromethyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazol-3-yl)benzoate (4i).

Compound **4i** was prepared following the general procedure B. The reaction of **1i** (43.8 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **4i** as white soild (42.5 mg, 84%); mp 124-126 °C, $R_f = 0.26$ (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 5:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.04 (d, $J = 6.7$ Hz, 2H), 7.71 (d, $J = 8.6$ Hz, 2H), 4.99 – 5.04 (m, 1H), 3.91 (s, 3H), 3.71 (dd, $J = 11.3$, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 3.60 (dd, $J = 11.3$, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 3.50 (dd, $J = 16.9$, 10.6 Hz, 1H), 3.34 (dd, $J = 16.9$, 6.6 Hz, 1H). ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.3, 155.5, 133.1, 131.4,

129.9, 126.6, 80.2, 52.2, 44.7, 38.1. HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₂H₁₃ClNO₃ [M+H]⁺: 254.0578, found 254.0577.

5-(Chloromethyl)-3-(3-nitrophenyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (4j).

Compound **4j** was prepared following the general procedure B. The reaction of **1j** (41.2 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **4j** as white soild (37.2 mg, 78%); mp 84-85 °C, $R_f = 0.29$ (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 5:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.43 (t, $J = 1.9$ Hz, 1H), 8.26 (m, 1H), 8.11 – 8.00 (m, 1H), 7.61 (t, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 5.13 – 5.08 (m, 1H), 3.74 (dd, $J = 11.5$, 4.2 Hz, 1H), 3.65 (dd, $J = 11.5$, 6.8 Hz, 1H), 3.55 (dd, $J = 17.0$, 10.7 Hz, 1H), 3.40 (dd, $J = 17.0$, 6.7 Hz, 1H). ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 154.5, 148.4, 132.2, 130.8, 129.8, 124.7, 121.5, 80.5, 44.8, 37.9. HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₀H₁₀ClN₂O₃ [M+H]⁺: 241.0375, found 241.0373.

3-(3,4-dimethoxyphenyl)-5-(Chloromethyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (4k).

Compound **4k** was prepared following the general procedure B. The reaction of **1k** (44.2 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **4k** as white soild (39.8 mg, 78%); mp 74-76 °C, $R_f = 0.21$ (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 5:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.36 (d, $J = 1.9$ Hz, 1H), 7.04 (dd, $J = 8.3$, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 6.84 (d, $J = 8.3$ Hz, 1H), 4.99 – 4.91 (m, 1H), 3.90 (s, 6H), 3.69 (dd, $J = 11.2$, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 3.55 (dd, $J = 11.2$, 7.5 Hz, 1H), 3.47 (dd, $J = 16.8$, 10.4 Hz, 1H), 3.30 (dd, $J = 16.8$, 6.3 Hz, 1H). ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 155.8, 151.0, 149.1, 121.7, 120.4, 110.5, 108.7, 79.6, 55.8 (d, $J = 3.2$ Hz), 44.8, 38.6, 29.6. HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₂H₁₅ClNO₃ [M+H]⁺: 256.0735, found 256.0739.

5-(chloromethyl)-3-(o-tolyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (4l).

Compound **4l** was prepared following the general procedure B. The reaction of **1l** (35.0 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **4l** as light yellow oil (25.4 mg, 61%); $R_f = 0.28$ (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 10:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.35 (dd, $J = 7.6$, 1.1 Hz, 1H), 7.33 – 7.23 (m, 3H), 4.96 – 4.91 (m, 1H), 3.61 – 3.53 (m, 2H), 3.72 (dd, $J = 11.3$, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 3.39 (dd, $J = 16.9$, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 2.56 (s, 3H). ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 156.9, 138.1, 131.6, 129.6, 128.9, 128.1, 125.9, 78.7, 44.9, 41.1, 22.8. HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₁H₁₃ClNO [M+H]⁺: 210.0680, found 210.0680.

2-(5-(Chloromethyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazol-3-yl)phenol (4m).

Compound **4m** was prepared following the general procedure B with 0.4 mmol of Na₂CO₃ (42.4 mg). The reaction of **1m** (35.4 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **4m** as white soild (30.6 mg, 73%); mp 67-68 °C, $R_f = 0.37$ (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 10:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 9.64 (s, 1H), 7.38 – 7.30 (m, 1H), 7.21 (dd, $J = 7.8$, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 7.04 (dd, $J = 8.3$, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 6.94 (m, 1H), 5.01 – 4.96 (m, 1H), 3.73 (dd, $J = 11.4$, 4.4 Hz, 1H), 3.65 – 3.53 (m, 2H), 3.45 (dd, $J = 16.9$, 6.5 Hz, 1H). ¹³C{¹H} NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 158.1, 157.3, 132.0, 128.4, 119.6, 117.1, 113.5, 78.6, 44.5, 38.7. HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for C₁₀H₁₁ClNO₂ [M+H]⁺: 212.0472, found 212.0474.

*5-(chloromethyl)-3-(naphthalen-2-yl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (4n).*¹

Compound **4n** was prepared following the general procedure B. The reaction of **1n** (42.2 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **4n** as white soild (34.9 mg, 71%); mp 78-79 °C, $R_f = 0.30$ (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 10:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.96 (dd, $J = 8.7$, 1.7 Hz, 1H), 7.91 (s, 1H), 7.88 – 7.81 (m, 3H), 7.57 – 7.48 (m, 2H), 5.07 – 5.00 (m, 1H), 3.75 (dd, $J = 11.3$, 4.4 Hz, 1H), 3.65 – 3.58 (m, 2H), 3.46 (dd, $J = 16.8$, 6.5 Hz, 1H).

*5-(chloromethyl)-3-(thiophen-2-yl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (4o).*¹

Compound **4o** was prepared following the general procedure B. The reaction of **1o** (33.4 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **4o** as light yellow oil (34.2 mg, 85%); $R_f = 0.26$ (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 10:1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.41 (dd, $J = 5.1$, 1.1 Hz, 1H), 7.23 (dd, $J = 3.6$, 1.1 Hz, 1H), 7.07 (dd, $J = 5.1$, 3.7 Hz, 1H), 5.01 – 4.96 (m, 1H), 3.71 (dd, $J = 11.3$, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 3.60 – 3.49 (m, 2H), 3.35 (dd, $J = 16.8$, 6.4 Hz, 1H).

3-(4-bromophenyl)-5-(chloromethyl)-4,4-dimethyl-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (4p).

Compound **4p** was prepared following the general procedure B. The reaction of **1p** (53.6 mg, 0.2 mmol) give

4p as white solid (45.5 mg, 76%); mp 61–62 °C, R_f = 0.30 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 10:1); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.55–7.52 (m, 2H), 7.51–7.47 (m, 2H), 4.42 (t, J = 6.5 Hz, 1H), 3.78 (dd, J = 11.6, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 3.71 (dd, J = 11.6, 6.8 Hz, 1H), 1.48 (s, 3H), 1.33 (s, 3H). $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 163.9, 131.9, 128.9, 127.6, 89.5, 51.3, 40.6, 25.5, 18.9. HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{14}\text{BrClNO}$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 301.9941, found 301.9943.

5-(chloromethyl)-5-methyl-3-phenyl-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (4q).¹ Compound **4q** was prepared following the general procedure B. The reaction of **1q** (35.04 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **4q** as colorless oil (30.0 mg, 72%); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.70–7.62 (m, 2H), 7.43–7.27 (m, 3H), 3.61 (q, J = 11.2 Hz, 2H), 3.53 (d, J = 16.9 Hz, 1H), 3.16–3.05 (m, 1H), 1.62 (s, 3H).

7-iodo-3-phenyl-3a,4,5,6,7a-hexahydrobenzo[d]isoxazole (4r).¹⁸ Compound **4r** was prepared following the general procedure B. The reaction of **1r** (40.2 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **4r** as white solid (31.9 mg, 68%); mp 89–90 °C, R_f = 0.50 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 10:1); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.69–7.68 (m, 2H), 7.42 (dd, J = 5.1, 1.9 Hz, 3H), 4.59–4.53 (m, 2H), 3.61–3.56 (m, 1H), 2.13–1.93 (m, 3H), 1.86–1.72 (m, 1H), 1.56–1.46 (m, 1H), 1.42–1.31 (m, 1H).

5-(chloromethyl)-3-phenethyl-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (4s). Compound **4s** was prepared following the general procedure B. The reaction of **1s** (37.8 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **4s** as colorless oil (32.2 mg, 72%); R_f = 0.50 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 5:1); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.34–7.28 (m, 2H), 7.23 (dd, J = 10.5, 4.5 Hz, 3H), 4.76 (m, 1H), 3.57 (dd, J = 11.2, 4.4 Hz, 1H), 3.39 (dd, J = 11.2, 7.4 Hz, 1H), 3.03 (dd, J = 17.3, 10.4 Hz, 1H), 2.93 (td, J = 8.0, 2.9 Hz, 2H), 2.85 (dd, J = 17.3, 6.1 Hz, 1H), 2.69 (m, 2H). $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 157.8, 140.2, 128.5, 128.2, 126.4, 78.6, 44.7, 40.8, 32.5, 29.1. HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{15}\text{ClNO}$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 224.0836, found 224.0838.

5-(iodomethyl)-3-(p-tolyl)-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (5a).¹⁹ Compound **5a** was prepared following the general procedure C. The reaction of **1b** (35.0 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **5a** as white solid (58.0 mg, 97%); mp 87–89 °C, R_f = 0.43 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 10:1); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.56 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.22 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 4.94–4.88 (m, 1H), 3.50 (dd, J = 17.0, 10.3 Hz, 1H), 3.42 (dd, J = 10.0, 4.1 Hz, 1H), 3.26–3.18 (m, 2H), 2.38 (s, 3H).

5-(iodomethyl)-3-phenethyl-4,5-dihydroisoxazole (5b). Compound **5b** was prepared following the general procedure C. The reaction of **1s** (37.8 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **5b** as white solid (60.4 mg, 96%); mp 54–55 °C, R_f = 0.54 (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate 5:1); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.34–7.28 (m, 2H), 7.23 (dd, J = 10.6, 4.6 Hz, 3H), 4.69 (m, 1H), 3.27 (dd, J = 10.0, 4.1 Hz, 1H), 3.07–2.99 (m, 2H), 2.93 (td, J = 8.0, 2.3 Hz, 2H), 2.74 (dd, J = 17.4, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 2.70–2.62 (m, 2H). $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 157.5, 140.2, 128.6, 128.2, 126.4, 79.2, 43.2, 32.5, 29.2, 7.8. HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{15}\text{INO}$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 316.0192, found 316.0193.

3-(chloromethyl)-5-phenyl-3,4-dihydro-2H-pyrrole 1-oxide (7). Compound **7** was prepared following the general procedure B. The reaction of **6** (35.0 mg, 0.2 mmol) give **7** as brown solid (30.9 mg, 74%); mp 90–91 °C, R_f = 0.51 (ethyl acetate); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.40–8.30 (m, 2H), 7.45 (dd, J = 5.3, 2.0 Hz, 3H), 4.54 (s, 1H), 4.38 (dd, J = 11.6, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 3.84 (dd, J = 11.6, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 3.27–3.03 (m, 2H), 2.45–2.33 (m, 1H), 2.28 (ddd, J = 15.7, 11.7, 5.7 Hz, 1H). $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (125 MHz, $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$) δ 139.4, 130.1, 128.3, 126.89, 74.1, 45.6, 28.4, 18.9. HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{13}\text{ClNO}$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 210.0683, found 210.0680.

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