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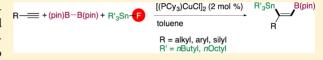
Copper-Catalyzed Borylstannylation of Alkynes with Tin Fluorides

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Supporting Information

ABSTRACT: Tin fluorides were found to be suitable electrophiles for the copper-catalyzed borylstannylation of terminal alkynes with bis(pinacolato)diboron to afford *cis-vic-*boryl-(stannyl)alkenes straightforwardly. A fluorine atom proved to play a pivotal role in generating a key catalytic intermediate, a



borylcopper species, both in the induction period and in the σ -bond metathesis step.

INTRODUCTION

Borylstannylation of unsaturated carbon—carbon bonds, which leads to synchronous carbon-boron and carbon-tin bond formation at vicinal positions, is of high synthetic value, because multifunctionalized organometallic compounds thus generated have bench-stable/easy-to-handle properties and can serve as convenient and potent intermediates for constructing complex molecular skeletons by site-selective carbon-carbon (e.g., Suzuki-Miyaura and Migita-Kosugi-Stille coupling)² and/or carbon-heteroatom³ bond-forming processes at their C-B⁴ and C-Sn⁵ moieties. In particular, much attention has thus far been focused on the reaction of alkynes, which provides regioand stereodefined vic-boryl(stannyl)alkenes, owing to the potential utility for accessing diverse multisubstituted alkenes of biological and pharmacological significance. Within this context, we have already developed the copper-catalyzed threecomponent borylstannylation of alkynes if using bis-(pinacolato)diboron ((pin)B-B(pin)) and tin alkoxides, where a copper alkoxide acts as a key catalytic species. Although a variety of vic-boryl(stannyl)alkenes are efficiently accessible by this reaction, terminal alkynes, especially aliphatic ones, turned out to give the respective products only in moderate yield (Scheme 1), which is ascribed to the formation of alkynylstannanes and a distannane⁹ as byproducts.

The former should come from a reaction of an intermediary generated alkynylcopper species with a tin alkoxide (Scheme 2, red arrow), which has been demonstrated by an independent reaction (Scheme 2, eq 1).¹⁰ The catalytic involvement of a copper alkoxide of relatively high basicity should rationalize the facile generation of an alkynylcopper species,¹¹ and thus we

Scheme 1. Cu-Catalyzed Borylstannylation with Tin Alkoxides

R =
$$nHex$$
, R' = tBu

$$R = \frac{Cu(OAc)_2 (2 \text{ mol } \%)}{PCy_3 (7 \text{ mol } \%)}$$

$$R' = Me, tBu$$

$$R = nHex, R' = tBu$$

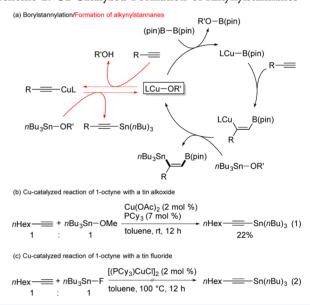
$$R = \frac{Cu(OAc)_2 (2 \text{ mol } \%)}{PCy_3 (7 \text{ mol } \%)}$$

$$toluene, rt$$

$$R = \frac{nBu_3Sn}{R}$$

$$R = \frac{nHex}{R}$$

Scheme 2. Cu-Catalyzed Formation of Alkynylstannanes



envisaged that the use of another tin electrophile with a less basic leaving group (X), which inevitably diminishes the basicity of a Cu-X intermediate, should retard the alkynylcopper formation to result in the successful borylstannylation of terminal alkynes. We report herein that a tin fluoride serves as an effective tin electrophile for this purpose (Scheme 2, eq 2) and that the reaction becomes more practical due to the extremely bench stable property of a tin fluoride as opposed to a moisture-sensitive tin alkoxide.

■ RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

At the outset, we conducted the reaction of diphenylacetylene (1a) with (pin)B–B(pin) (2) using tributyltin fluoride (3a) as a tin electrophile in THF in the presence of PCy_3 –CuCl catalyst to observe the stereoselective formation of a *syn*-borylstannylated product (4aa) in 50% yield (entry 1, Table 1).

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Table 1. Optimization of Reaction Conditions^a

entry	Cu cat.	solvent	yield (%) ^b
1	PCy ₃ /CuCl	THF	50
2	$[(PPh_3)CuCl]_4^c$	THF	45
3	PtBu ₃ /CuCl	THF	38
4	PnBu ₃ /CuCl	THF	0
5	IMesCuCl	THF	trace
6	IPrCuCl	THF	trace
7	PCy ₃ /CuCl	toluene	61
8 ^d	PCy ₃ /CuCl	toluene	74
9	PCy ₃ /CuCl	DMF	41
$10^{d,e}$	PCy ₃ /CuCl	toluene	0

^aReaction conditions unless specified otherwise: ligand/Cu = 1, 1a (0.39 mmol), 2 (0.39 mmol), 3a (0.30 mmol), solvent (1 mL), 60 °C, 24 h. ^bIsolated yield. ^c1 mol %. ^d100 °C. ^enBu₃SnCl was used instead of nBu₃SnF.

The use of PPh₃ or PtBu₃ as a ligand also gave a comparable yield of 4aa (entries 2 and 3), whereas the reaction with PnBu₃ or an N-heterocyclic carbene (IMes or IPr) was found to be unsuccessful (entries 4–6). The reaction turned out to proceed best in toluene (entries 7 and 8; 61% at 60 °C, 74% at 100 °C), and a polar solvent such as DMF was unfit (entry 9). It should be noted that 4aa did not form at all with tributyltin chloride (entry 10), demonstrating the crucial role of a fluorine atom in the catalytic process (vide infra).

In addition to internal alkynes such as 1-phenyl-1-propyne (1b) and 2-octyne (1c), which provided regioselectively the respective products (4ba and 4ca) bearing a B(pin) moiety geminal to a methyl group (entries 1 and 2, Table 2), an aliphatic terminal alkyne, 1-octyne (1d), proved to be facilely convertible into 4da in 78% yield with the preferential installation of B(pin) into a terminal carbon (93:7, entry 3). With tributyltin fluoride, cuprous chloride alone similarly promoted the reaction, albeit at the cost of its yield and regioselectivity (68%, 80:20), while the reaction with tributyltin methoxide again resulted in low yield (27%, 68:32) (entries 4 and 5). Perfect regioselectivity was observed with arylacetylenes (1e-g) (entries 6-8), and functionalized aliphatic alkynes (1h,i) were efficiently converted to the products (4ha,ia) (entries 9 and 10). Furthermore, trioctyltin fluoride (3b)^{12,13} could participate in the reaction, where 1d,e were transformed with efficacy similar to that with 3a (entries 11 and 12). In addition to 1h,i, aliphatic terminal alkynes having a C-Cl bond (1j) or silvl ether (1k) also afforded the borylstannylation products (4hb-kb) with these functional groups intact, although the regioselectivities dropped to some extent in comparison to that with 1d (entries 13-16).¹⁴ The reaction was applicable to trimethylsilylacetylene (11) to give solely 4lb (entry 17), and almost equal amounts of regioisomers (4mb and 4'mb) were produced with a propargyl ether (1m) (entry 18).

Assuming that facile conversion of a Cu–Cl complex into a Cu–F complex, which should undergo σ -bond metathesis with **2** in some borylations, ^{15,16} may occur in the borylstannylation, (PPh₃)₃CuCl (5a)¹⁷ was treated with **3a** in the presence or

Table 2. Substrate Scope

$$R = R' + 2 + R''_3Sn - F \xrightarrow{[(PCy_3)CuCI]_2 (2 \text{ mol }\%)} \xrightarrow{\text{toluene, } 100 \text{ °C}} \xrightarrow{\text{toluene, } 100 \text{ °C}} \xrightarrow{\text{R''}_3Sn} \xrightarrow{\text{R''}_3Sn} \xrightarrow{\text{R''}_3Sn} \xrightarrow{\text{R''}_4} \xrightarrow{\text{R'$$

entry	R	R'	3	time (h)	yield (%) ^b	4:4'
1	Ph	Me (1b)	3a	32	74	>99:1
2	nPent	Me (1c)	3a	48	44	97:3
3	nHex	H (1d)	3a	24	78	93:7
4 ^c	nHex	H (1d)	3a	13	68	80:20
$5^{c,d}$	nHex	H (1d)	3a	24	27	68:32
6	Ph	H (1e)	3a	27	62	>99:1
7	4 -BrC $_6$ H $_4$	H (1f)	3a	37	43	>99:1
8	$3-MeC_6H_4$	H (1g)	3a	37	48	>99:1
9	$NC(CH_2)_3$	H (1h)	3a	37	61	84:16
10	$Phth(CH_2)_4$	H (1i)	3a	37	68	88:12
11	nHex	H (1d)	3b	5	70	88:12
12	Ph	H (1e)	3b	32	68	>99:1
13	$NC(CH_2)_3$	H (1h)	3b	34	70	71:29
14	$Phth(CH_2)_4$	H (1i)	3b	31	64	72:28
15	Cl(CH ₂) ₃	H (1j)	3b	16	59	79:21
16	$TBSO(CH_2)_2$	H (1k)	3b	48	58	71:29
17	TMS	H (11)	3b	48	30	>99:1
18	$BnOCH_2$	H (1m)	3b	22	56	44:56

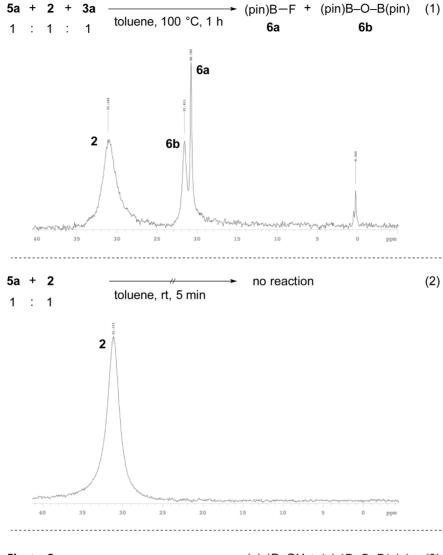
^aReaction conditions unless specified otherwise: 1 (0.39 mmol), 2 (0.39 mmol), 3 (0.30 mmol), toluene (1 mL), 100 °C. ^bIsolated yield. ^cCuCl (4 mol %) was used instead of [(PCy₃)CuCl]₂. ^dnBu₃SnOMe was used instead of nBu₃SnF.

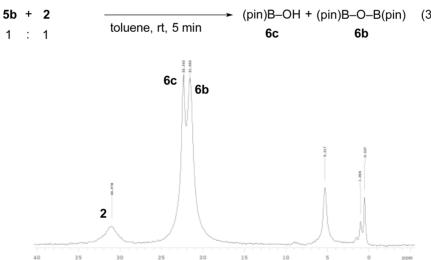
absence of 1a, as described in Scheme 3. In each case, no halogen exchange reaction took place at all, showing that such a process is not operative in the induction period.

Scheme 3. Reaction of (PPh₃)₃CuCl with a Tin Fluoride

On the other hand, the reaction of 5a with 2 and 3a was found to readily produce (pin)B-F (6a)18 and its hydrolyzed product (pin)B-O-B(pin) (6b) (Scheme 4, eq 1), 19 which indicates that 5a may be converted into the borylcopper species (PPh₃)₃Cu-B(pin), although we could not confirm the formation by ¹¹B NMR probably owing to its instability under the reaction conditions. ²⁰ In addition to these results, the fact that nothing happened by simply mixing 5a and 2 (Scheme 4, eq 2) leads to the conclusion that tin fluoride-assisted generation of a borylcopper species (7a, Scheme 5, step A)²¹ may trigger the borylstannylation. Then the resulting borylcopper accepts insertion of an alkyne to form an alkenylcopper species (7b, step B), which is captured by a tin fluoride to afford the product and a cuprous fluoride complex (7c, step C). Regeneration of 7a by σ -bond metathesis between 2 and 7c (step D) has been examined by the stoichiometric reaction of 2 with (PPh₃)₃CuF (5b) (Scheme 4, eq 3).

Scheme 4. 11B NMR Experiments





Although no signal of a borylcopper species was again observable in ¹¹B NMR, **6b** and (pin)B-OH (**6c**)¹⁹ arising from hydrolysis²² of **6a** were found to form with rapid consumption of **2**, demonstrating the facility of step D experimentally. In addition, the validity of step C was

confirmed by the ready capture of the catalytically generated alkenylcopper species 8 (from (E)-borylstyrene 9a)^{23,24} with 3a, which provided (E)-stannylstyrene 9b (Scheme 6). A catalytic cycle similar to that of the borylstannylation may also be operative in this boron—tin exchange.

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Scheme 5. Plausible Catalytic Cycle

Scheme 6. Capture of an Alkenylcopper Species with a Tin Fluoride

■ CONCLUDING REMARKS

In conclusion, we have disclosed that tin fluorides act as effective electrophiles for capturing catalytically generated alkenylcopper species, enabling the facile borylstannylation of alkynes. The mechanistic studies revealed that a fluorine atom played a pivotal role both in the induction period and in the σ -bond metathesis step. Further studies on copper-catalyzed three-component couplings using fluorine-containing electrophiles as well as on the synthetic application of tin fluorides to catalytic stannylations are in progress.

EXPERIMENTAL SECTION

General Remarks. All manipulations of oxygen- and moisturesensitive materials were conducted with standard Schlenk techniques under a purified argon atmosphere. Nuclear magnetic resonance spectra were taken on a Varian System 500 (1H, 500 MHz; 13C, 125 MHz; ¹¹B, 160 MHz; ¹¹⁹Sn, 186 MHz) spectrometer using residual chloroform (1 H, δ 7.26) or CDCl₃ (13 C, δ 77.0) as an internal standard and boron trifluoride diethyl etherate (11 B, δ 0.00) or tetramethyltin (119 Sn, δ 0.00) as an external standard. 1 H NMR data are reported as follows: chemical shift, multiplicity (s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, q = quartet, m = multiplet), coupling constants (Hz), integration. High-resolution mass spectra were obtained with a Thermo Fisher Scientific LTQ Orbitrap XL spectrometer. Preparative recycling gel permeation chromatography was performed with a GL Science PU 614 instrument equipped with Shodex GPC H-2001L and -2002L columns (toluene as eluent). Column chromatography was carried out using Merck Kieselgel 60. Unless otherwise noted, commercially available reagents were used without purification. Toluene and THF were distilled from sodium/benzophenone ketyl. DMF was distilled from CaHa.

Materials. Trioctyltin fluoride (3b), 12 2-fluoro-4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane (6a), 19a 2,2'-oxybis (4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane) (6b), 19b 4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-ol (6c), 19c and $[(PCy_3)CuCl]_2^{25}$ were prepared according to reported procedures.

Cu-Catalyzed Borylstannylation of Alkynes: General Procedure. A Schlenk tube equipped with a magnetic stirring bar was charged with $[(PCy_3)CuCl]_2$ (6.0 μ mol). To the residue were added an alkyne (0.39 mmol), bis(pinacolato)diboron (0.39 mmol), a tin fluoride (0.30 mmol), and toluene (1.0 mL), and the resulting mixture was stirred at 100 °C for the period as specified in Table 2. The mixture was diluted with ethyl acetate and filtered through a Celite plug. The organic solution was washed with brine, dried over MgSO₄, and evaporated. The residual tin fluoride was removed by column chromatography (10% w/w anhydrous K_2CO_3 -silica gel; ethyl acetate as eluent), and the product was isolated by silica gel column chromatography (hexane/ethyl acetate as eluent) or gel permeation chromatography (toluene as eluent). In ^{13}C NMR spectra, boronbound carbons were not detected because of quadrupolar relaxation.

Characterization of Borylstannylation Products. (*E*)-Tributyl-(1-phenyl-2-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)prop-1-en-1-yl)stannane (4ba). ^{1f} ¹H NMR (CDCl₃): δ 0.70–0.78 (m, 6H), 0.83 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 9H), 1.16–1.25 (m, 6H), 1.30 (s, 12H), 1.32–1.39 (m, 6H), 1.64 (s, J_{H-Sn} = 9.9 Hz, 3H), 6.75–6.79 (m, 2H), 7.07 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.26 (t, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H). ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃): δ 12.48 (J_{C-Sn} = 334.6 Hz), 13.70, 18.85 (J_{C-Sn} = 51.4 Hz), 24.82, 27.54 (J_{C-Sn} = 59.8 Hz), 29.14 (J_{C-Sn} = 19.7 Hz), 83.52, 124.33, 125.68 (J_{C-Sn} = 15.1 Hz), 127.88, 147.84 (J_{C-Sn} = 35.5 Hz), 166.95. ¹¹⁹Sn NMR (CDCl₃): δ –57.08.

Mixture of (E)-Tributyl(2-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)oct-2-en-3-yl)stannane (4ca) and (E)-Tributyl(3-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)oct-2-en-2-yl)stannane (4'ca). ^{1f-1}H NMR (CDCl₃): δ 0.79–0.94 (m, 18H), 1.17–1.36 (m, 24H), 1.39–1.53 (m, 6H), 1.80 (s, $J_{\rm H-Sn}=10.7$ Hz, 3H), 2.33 (t, J=7.7 Hz, $J_{\rm H-Sn}=59.6$ Hz, 2H). ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃): δ 12.07 ($J_{\rm C-Sn}=327.9$ Hz), 13.77, 14.11, 15.96 ($J_{\rm C-Sn}=62.0$ Hz), 22.67, 24.76, 27.70 ($J_{\rm C-Sn}=60.3$ Hz), 28.45, 29.40 ($J_{\rm C-Sn}=18.6$ Hz), 32.10, 35.78 ($J_{\rm C-Sn}=47.6$ Hz), 83.23, 166.77. ¹¹⁹Sn NMR (CDCl₃): δ –55.40.

Mixture of (Z)-Tributyl(1-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)oct-1-en-2-yl)stannane (4da) and (E)-Tributyl(2-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)oct-1-en-1-yl)stannane (4'da). ^{1f-1}H NMR (CDCl₃): δ 0.82–1.01 (m, major/minor, 18H), 1.21–1.35 (m, major/minor, 24H), 1.36–1.57 (m, major/minor, 8H), 2.22 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, minor, 2H), 2.31 (t, J = 6.6 Hz, major, 2H), 6.09 (s, J_{H-Sn} = 152.9 Hz, major, 1H), 6.69 (s, J_{H-Sn} = 81.9 Hz, minor, 1H). ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃): δ 11.44 (J_{C-Sn} = 329.5 Hz), 13.73, 14.08, 22.62, 22.67, 24.74, 27.46, 27.59 (J_{C-Sn} = 59.1 Hz), 28.80, 29.00, 29.26, 29.33, 29.40, 29.76, 31.82, 40.53, 45.42 (J_{C-Sn} = 45.6 Hz), 82.99, 83.25, 149.58, 177.63. ¹¹⁹Sn NMR (CDCl₃): δ -55.89 (major), -68.34 (minor).

(*Z*)-*Tributyl*(1-phenyl-2-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)vinyl)stannane (**4ea**). If IH NMR (CDCl₃): δ 0.84 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 9H), 0.89–0.95 (m, 6H), 1.20–1.27 (m, 6H), 1.31 (s, 12H), 1.37–1.47 (m, 6H), 6.27 (s, J_{H-Sn} = 137.2 Hz, 1H), 6.98–7.02 (m, 2H), 7.15 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.26 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 2H). I3C NMR (CDCl₃): δ 12.31 (J_{C-Sn} = 335.7 Hz), 13.70, 24.80, 27.44 (J_{C-Sn} = 59.3 Hz), 29.09 (J_{C-Sn} = 19.1 Hz), 83.34, 125.79, 125.85 (J_{C-Sn} = 13.7 Hz), 127.79, 150.11, 175.77. I19Sn NMR (CDCl₃): δ –51.68.

(*Z*)-(1-(4-Bromophenyl)-2-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)vinyl)tributylstannane (4fa). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃): δ 0.85 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 9H), 0.89–1.00 (m, 6H), 1.18–1.27 (m, 6H), 1.30 (s, 12H), 1.33–1.49 (m, 6H), 6.24 (s, $J_{\text{H-Sn}}$ = 132.5 Hz, 1H), 6.84–6.91 (m, 2H), 7.36–7.41 (m, 2H). ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃): δ 12.30 ($J_{\text{C-Sn}}$ = 335.6 Hz), 13.70, 24.80, 27.42 ($J_{\text{C-Sn}}$ = 51.5 Hz), 29.08 ($J_{\text{C-Sn}}$ = 20.1 Hz), 83.46, 127.48, 127.53, 127.58, 130.86, 149.11, 174.38. ¹¹⁹Sn NMR (CDCl₃): δ –50.98. HRMS: calcd for C₂₂H₃₅O₂BrBSn, [M – C₄H₉]⁺, 541.0930; found, m/z 541.0925. Anal. Calcd for C₂₆H₄₄O₂BBrSn: C, 52.22; H, 7.42. Found: C, 52.51; H, 7.41.

(*Z*)-*Tributyl*(*2*-(*4*,*4*,*5*,*5*-tetramethyl-1,*3*,*2*-dioxaborolan-2-yl)-1-(*m*-tolyl)vinyl)stannane (*4ga*). 1 H NMR (CDCl₃): δ 0.84 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 9H), 0.88–1.00 (m, 6H), 1.19–1.27 (m, 6H), 1.30 (s, 12H), 1.33–1.53 (m, 6H), 2.32 (s, 3H), 6.27 (s, $J_{\text{H-Sn}}$ = 138.3 Hz, 1H), 6.78–6.84 (m, 2H), 6.97 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.15 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H). 13 C NMR (CDCl₃): δ 12.34 ($J_{\text{C-Sn}}$ = 331.3 Hz), 13.71, 21.44, 24.80, 27.46 ($J_{\text{C-Sn}}$ = 60.2 Hz), 29.11 ($J_{\text{C-Sn}}$ = 19.9 Hz), 83.32, 122.97, 126.54, 126.67, 127.69, 137.22, 150.01, 175.89. 119 Sn NMR (CDCl₃): δ –52.19. HRMS: calcd for C₂₇H₄₇O₂BNaSn, [M + Na]⁺, 557.2583; found, m/z 557.2582. Anal. Calcd for C₂₇H₄₇O₂BSn: C, 60.82; H, 8.89. Found: C, 60.59; H, 8.96.

Mixture of (Z)-6-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)-5-(tributylstannyl)hex-5-enenitrile (4ha) and (E)-5-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)-6-(tributylstannyl)hex-5-enenitrile (4'ha). 1 H NMR (CDCl₃): δ 0.85–1.00 (m, major/minor, 15H), 1.21–1.35 (m, major/minor, 18H), 1.42–1.51 (m, major/minor, 6H), 1.68–1.75 (m, major, 2H), 1.76–1.83 (m, minor, 2H), 2.27 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, minor, 2H), 2.49 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, major, 2H), 2.35 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, minor, 2H), 2.45 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, major, 2H), 6.16 (s, J_{H-Sn} = 144.7 Hz, major, 1H), 6.79 (s, J_{H-Sn} = 74.4 Hz, minor, 1H). 13 C NMR (CDCl₃): δ 11.43 (J_{C-Sn} = 328.9 Hz, major), 11.48 (minor), 13.71, 13.75, 16.31, 24.56, 24.73, 27.39, 27.46, 27.52 (J_{C-Sn} = 58.7 Hz), 29.26, 30.61, 39.50, 43.45 (J_{C-Sn} = 46.4 Hz), 83.28 (major), 83.58 (minor), 119.57, 120.05, 153.29, 174.10. 119 Sn NMR (CDCl₃): δ -53.74 (major), -67.09 (minor). HRMS: calcd for C₂₄H₄₆O₂NBNaSn, [M + Na]+, 534.2536; found, m/z 534.2538. Elemental analysis results were outside the tolerance range.

Mixture of (Z)-2-(6-(4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2yl)-5-(tributylstannyl)hex-5-en-1-yl)isoindoline-1,3-dione (**4ia**) and (É)-2-(5-(4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)-6-(tributylstannyl)hex-5-en-1-yl)isoindoline-1,3-dione (**4'ia**). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃): δ 0.81–0.96 (m, major/minor, 15H), 1.20–1.30 (m, major/ minor, 18H), 1.34-1.50 (m, major/minor, 8H), 1.61-1.71 (m, major/ minor, 2H), 2.25 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, minor, 2H), 2.34 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, $J_{H-Sn} =$ 44.8 Hz, major, 2H), 3.67 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, major/minor, 2H), 6.08 (s, $J_{\rm H-Sn}$ = 149.8 Hz, major, 1H), 6.71 (s, $J_{\rm H-Sn}$ = 80.1 Hz, minor, 1H), 7.67–7.73 (m, major/minor, 2H), 7.80–7.85 (m, major/minor, 2H). 13 C NMR (CDCl₃): δ 11.38 (J_{C-Sn} = 329.1 Hz, major), 11.45 (minor), 13.72, 24.74, 26.45, 27.42, 27.52 (J_{C-Sn} = 59.5 Hz), 28.25, 29.24 (J_{C-Sn} = 19.0 Hz), 37.91 (J_{C-Sn} = 33.8 Hz), 44.68 (J_{C-Sn} = 47.2 Hz), 83.05, 83.32, 123.04, 123.10, 132.14, 133.75, 168.32, 176.52. ¹¹⁹Sn NMR (CDCl₃): δ –55.43 (major), –68.18 (minor). HRMS: calcd for $C_{32}H_{52}O_4$ NBNaSn, [M + Na]⁺, 668.2904; found, m/z 668.2911. Anal. Calcd for C₃₂H₅₂O₄BNSn: C, 59.66; H, 8.14. Found: C, 59.80; H, 8.25

Mixture of (Z)-Trioctyl(1-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)oct-1-en-2-yl)stannane (*4db*) *and* (*E)-Trioctyl(2-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)oct-1-en-1-yl)stannane* (*4'db*). 1 H NMR (CDCl₃): δ 0.82–0.94 (m, major/minor, 18H), 1.18–1.34 (m, major/minor, 50H), 1.45–1.55 (m, major/minor, 6H), 2.22 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, minor, 2H), 2.31 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, J_{H-Sn} = 44.9 Hz, major, 2H), 6.09 (s, J_{H-Sn} = 151.6 Hz, major, 1H), 6.70 (s, J_{H-Sn} = 81.8 Hz, minor, 1H). 13 C NMR (CDCl₃): δ 11.83 (J_{C-Sn} = 328.3 Hz), 14.12, 22.65, 22.71, 24.75, 26.99, 27.08, 27.17, 28.88, 29.07, 29.31, 29.37, 29.45, 29.78, 31.86, 31.98, 34.53, 34.67 (J_{C-Sn} = 55.3 Hz), 40.50, 45.44, 82.99 (major), 83.25 (minor), 149.73, 177.79. 119 Sn NMR (CDCl₃): δ –56.12 (major), –68.57 (minor). HRMS: calcd for C₃₀H₆₀O₂BSn, [M – C₈H₁₇]⁺, 583.3703; found, m/z 583.3702. Anal. Calcd for C₃₈H₇₇O₂BSn: C, 65.62; H, 11.16. Found: C, 65.41; H, 11.38.

(Z)-Trioctyl(1-phenyl-2-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)vinyl)stannane (**4eb**). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃): δ 0.85–0.94 (m, 15H), 1.18–1.32 (m, 42H), 1.39–1.47 (m, 6H), 6.26 (s, $J_{\rm H-Sn}$ = 136.2 Hz, 1H), 7.00 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.15 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.26 (t, J = 6.7 Hz, 2H). ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃): δ 12.72 ($J_{\rm C-Sn}$ = 334.4 Hz), 14.13, 22.69, 24.81, 26.87 ($J_{\rm C-Sn}$ = 19.7 Hz), 29.26, 29.33, 31.94, 34.54 ($J_{\rm C-Sn}$ = 55.6 Hz), 83.33, 125.80, 125.88, 127.78, 150.10, 175.93. ¹¹⁹Sn NMR (CDCl₃): δ –52.06. HRMS: calcd for C₃₀H₅₂O₂BSn, [M – C₈H₁₇]⁺, 575.3077; found, m/z 575.3078. Elemental analysis results were outside the tolerance range.

Mixture of (Z)-6-(4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)-5-(trioctylstannyl)hex-5-enenitrile (**4hb**) and (E)-5-(4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)-6-(trioctylstannyl)hex-5-enenitrile (4'hb). 1 H NMR (CDCl₃): δ 0.84–0.98 (m, major/minor, 15H), δ 1.19–1.34 (m, major/minor, 42H), 1.41–1.54 (m, major/minor, 6H), 1.66–1.75 (m, major, 2H), 1.76–1.84 (m, minor, 2H), 2.26 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, minor, 2H), 2.28 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, major, 2H), 2.35 (t, J = 7.0 Hz, minor, 2H), 2.45 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, J_{H-Sn} = 41.6 Hz, major, 2H), 6.12 (s, J_{H-Sn} = 144.2 Hz, major, 1H), 6.79 (s, J_{H-Sn} = 75.7 Hz, minor, 1H). 13 C NMR (CDCl₃): δ 11.81 (J_{C-Sn} = 330.3 Hz, major), 11.85 (minor), 14.11, 16.32, 22.67, 24.58, 24.74, 26.95, 27.02 (J_{C-Sn} = 19.2 Hz), 29.23, 29.27, 29.32, 31.92, 34.48, 34.60 (J_{C-Sn} = 56.1 Hz), 39.50, 43.46, 83.27 (major), 83.58 (minor), 119.55, 153.42, 174.23. 119 Sn NMR (CDCl₃): δ –54.11 (major), –67.38 (minor). HRMS: calcd for J_{CS} C₃₆H₇₀O₂NBNaSn, [M + Na]+, 702.4420; found, J_{CS} C_{302.4419}. Elemental analysis results were outside the tolerance range.

Mixture of (Z)-2-(6-(4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2yl)-5-(trioctylstannyl)hex-5-en-1-yl)isoindoline-1,3-dione (4ib) and (E)-2-(4-(4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)-5-(triocty/stannyl)pent-4-en-1-yl)isoindoline-1,3-dione (4'ib). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃): δ 0.83–0.95 (m, major/minor, 15H), 1.17–1.31 (m, major/minor, 40H), 1.35-1.53 (m, major/minor, 10H), 1.63-1.70 (m, major/minor, 2H), 2.25 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, minor, 2H), 2.34 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, J_{H-Sn} = 42.0 Hz, major, 2H), 3.67 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, major/ minor, 2H), 6.01 (s, J_{H-Sn} = 150.7 Hz, major, 1H), 6.72 (s, J_{H-Sn} = 78.4 Hz, minor, 1H), 7.68-7.72 (m, major/minor, 2H), 7.81-7.85 (m, major/minor, 2H). ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃): δ 11.73 (J_{C-Sn} = 329.6 Hz, major), 14.09 (J_{C-Sn} = 219.7 Hz major), 14.19, 22.59, 22.65, 24.62, 24.68 (J_{C-Sn} = 222.2 Hz), 24.74 (J_{C-Sn} = 22.2 Hz), 24.81, 26.39, 26.91, 26.98, 27.05, 28.22, 29.21, 29.31, 31.91, 34.36, 34.58 ($J_{C-Sn} = 56.0 \text{ Hz}$), 34.81, 37.85, 38.33, 44.53, 44.60, 44.65, 83.00 (major), 83.28 (minor), 122.96, 123.14, 132.13, 132.19, 133.66, 133.67, 133.75, 168.23, 176.59. ¹¹⁹Sn NMR (CDCl₃): δ –55.79 (major), –63.54 (minor). HRMS: calcd for $C_{44}H_{76}O_4NBNaSn$, $[M + Na]^+$, 836.4787; found, m/z836.4788. Elemental analysis results were outside the tolerance range.

Mixture of (Z)-(5-Chloro-1-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)pent-1-en-2-yl)trioctylstannane (4jb) and (E)-(5-Chloro-2-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)pent-1-en-1-yl)trioctylstannane (4'jb). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃): δ 0.84–1.01 (m, major/ minor, 15H), 1.18-1.35 (m, major/minor, 42H), 1.41-1.57 (m, major/minor, 6H), 1.78-1.86 (m, major, 2H), 1.86-1.94 (m, minor, 2H), 2.35 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, minor, 2H), 2.46 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, $J_{H-Sn} = 41.6$ Hz, major, 2H), 3.50 (t, J = 6.7 Hz, 2H), 6.14 (s, $J_{H-Sn} = 146.6$ Hz, major, 1H), 6.78 (s, J_{H-Sn} = 76.9 Hz, minor, 1H). ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃): $J_{C-Sn} = 329.3 \text{ Hz}$, 13.73, 24.70 ($J_{C-Sn} = 21.7 \text{ Hz}$), 24.79 ($J_{C-Sn} = 22.5 \text{ Hz}$), 27.47, 27.55 ($J_{C-Sn} = 59.5 \text{ Hz}$), 27.63, 29.17, 29.28, 29.39, 31.71, 31.89, 32.07, 41.94 ($J_{C-Sn} = 46.1 \text{ Hz}$), 44.36 ($J_{C-Sn} = 46.1 \text{ Hz}$) 154.0 Hz), 44.67, 83.18 (major), 83.48 (minor), 175.16 ($I_{C-Sn} = 357.5$ Hz, major). ¹¹⁹Sn NMR (CDCl₃): δ –54.66 (major), –67.38 (minor). HRMS: calcd for $C_{27}H_{53}O_2BClSn$, $[M - C_8H_{17}]^+$, 575.2849; found, m/z 575.2839. Anal. Calcd for C₃₅H₇₀O₂BClSn: C, 61.11; H, 10.26. Found: C, 60.92, H, 10.51.

Mixture of (Z)-tert-Butyldimethyl((4-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)-3-(trioctylstannyl)but-3-en-1-yl)oxy)silane (4kb) and (E)-tert-Butyldimethyl((3-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)-4-(trioctylstannyl)but-3-en-1-yl)oxy)silane (4'kb). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃): δ 0.04 (s, major/minor, 6H), 0.84–1.96 (m, major/minor, 24H), 1.20–1.31 (m, major/minor, 42H), 1.45–1.53 (m, major/minor, 6H), 2.46 (t, J = 7.0 Hz, minor, 2H), 2.56 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, J_{H-Sn} = 44.0 Hz, major, 2H), 3.56 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, major, 2H), 3.62 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, minor, 2H), 6.16 (s, J_{H-Sn} = 148.9 Hz, major, 1H), 6.81 (s, J_{H-Sn} = 14.6 Hz, minor, 1H). ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃): δ –5.20 (major), –5.15 (minor), 11.80 (J_{C-Sn} = 332.0 Hz), 14.13, 18.38, 22.70, 24.73, 24.79, 26.01, 26.05, 26.96, 27.03 (J_{C-Sn} = 19.3 Hz), 29.28, 29.36, 31.96, 34.53, 34.64 (J_{C-Sn} = 56.0 Hz), 44.24, 47.91 (J_{C-Sn} = 42.6 Hz), 63.00, 63.60, 83.11 (major), 83.36 (minor), 153.91, 172.75. ¹¹⁹Sn NMR (CDCl₃): δ –54.61 (major), –69.55 (minor). HRMS: calcd for C₄₀H₈₃O₃BNsiSn, [M + Na]⁺, 793.5124; found, m/z 793.5128. Anal. Calcd for C₄₀H₈₃O₃BSiSn: C, 62.42; H, 10.87. Found: C, 62.18; H. 11.09

(Z)-Trimethyl(2-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)-1-(trioctylstannyl)vinyl)silane (4**lb**). 1 H NMR (CDCl₃): δ 0.06 (s, 9H), 0.86–0.97 (m, 15H), 1.22–1.31 (m, 42H), 1.41–1.52 (m, 6H), 7.11

(s, $J_{\rm H-Sn}$ = 201.0 Hz, 1H). ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃): δ –0.79, 12.65 ($J_{\rm C-Sn}$ = 320.5 Hz), 14.13, 22.70, 24.80, 27.12 ($J_{\rm C-Sn}$ = 18.7 Hz), 29.29, 29.36, 31.97, 34.69 ($J_{\rm C-Sn}$ = 58.1 Hz), 83.41, 182.23. ¹¹⁹Sn NMR (CDCl₃): δ –56.62. HRMS: calcd for C₂₇H₅₆O₂BSiSn, [M – C₈H₁₇]⁺, 571.3165; found, m/z 571.3158. Anal. Calcd for C₃₅H₇₃O₂BSiSn: C, 61.50; H, 10.76. Found: C, 61.23; H, 11.08.

Mixture of (Z)-(3-(Benzyloxy)-1-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)prop-1-en-2-yl)trioctylstannane (4mb) and (E)-(3-(Benzyloxy)-2-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)prop-1en-1-yl)trioctylstannane (4'mb). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃): δ 0.83–0.99 (m, major/minor, 15H), 1.19-1.36 (m, major/minor, 42H), 1.43-1.57 (m, major/minor, 6H), 4.16-4.19 (m, major, 2H), 4.20-4.23 (m, minor, 2H), 4.49 (s, minor, 2H), 4.52 (s, major, 2H), 6.49 (s, J_{H-Sn} = 140.9 Hz, minor, 1H) 7.18 (s, $J_{H-Sn} = 77.3$ Hz, major, 1H), 7.23–7.39 (m, major/minor, 5H). ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃): δ 11.61 ($J_{C-S_n} = 334.4$ Hz, minor), 11.79 ($J_{C-Sn} = 340.9$ Hz, major), 14.12, 22.68, 24.74, 24.76, 26.98 (J_{C-Sn} = 19.5 Hz), 29.27, 29.29, 29.34, 31.95, 34.54 (J_{C-Sn} = 53.8 Hz, major), 34.59 (J_{C-Sn} = 56.7 Hz, minor) 71.80, 72.04, 75.12, 79.42, 83.20, 83.46, 127.22, 127.27, 127.45, 127.55, 128.16, 138.54, 138.94, 151.56, 171.21. ¹¹⁹Sn NMR (CDCl₃): δ –57.60 (minor), -64.92 (major). HRMS: calcd for $C_{40}H_{73}O_3BNaSn$, $[M + Na]^+$, 755.4572; found, m/z 755.4576. Elemental analysis results were outside the tolerance range.

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4da and 4'da: 86% (4da:4'da = 74:26) with 5a, 76% (4da:4'da = 74:26) with 5b.

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