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Graphical Abstract

Abstract: palladium-catalyzed А difunctionalization one-pot of alkynes with α,α-Palladium-catalyzed one-pot construction of difluorinated 1,3-enynes from iododifluoroacetones is introduced for the synthesis of difluorinated 1,3-enynes. The reaction proceeds α, α -iododifluoroacetones and alkynes through the radical addition of RCOCF₂ radical to alkynes and subsequent Sonogashira coupling with the same alkynes to give the Xing Wang, Jian Hu, Jie Ren, Tianci Wu, Jingjing Wu*, Fanhong Wu* School of Chemical and Environmental Engineering, 1,3-enyne products with high regio Shanghai Institute of Technology, 201418, Shanghai China. and stereoselectivity. Pd(PPh₃)₄ (5mol%) R K₃PO₄ (2.0eq) F Ro Toluene, 80°C, 8h N_2 R₂=Aryl, R₁=Aryl, alkyl, 24 examples heterocyclic heterocyclic up to 90% yield



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ABSTRACT

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1. Introduction

Since the organofluorine compounds have specific biological activity such as lipid solubility and metabolic stability in medicinal chemistry and thermal stability in materials chemistry [1], the novel strategies for introducing fluorine or fluorine-containing groups into organic compounds have attracted much attention and significant progress in this field has taken place in the past few decades [2]. Specifically, the increasing number of CF2-containing drugs [3] have stimulated considerable interest in exploring new methods for the synthesis of CF2-containing compounds [4]. Transition-metal-mediated difluoroalkylation becomes a hot research topic in current organofluorine chemistry [5]. It is high desired to develop novel protocols for the transition-metal-mediated difluoroalkylation of different substrates to construct structurally diverse CF2containing compound library in the terms of both synthetic and medicinal aspects.

As we know, alkynes are ubiquitous building blocks in chemical industries and their functionalization continues to attract attention [6]. However, the alkyne difunctionalization of fluoroalkyl species is still a challenge task. Nevado [7] and Chaładaj [8] groups reported palladium-catalyzed three-component reactions of terminal alkynes or internal alkynes, boronic acids, and perfluoroalkyl iodides for the synthesis of trisubstituted or tetrasubstituted perfluoroalkyl-containing alkenes respectively. Liang and coworkers disclosed a palladium-catalyzed three-component reaction of terminal alkynes, arylboronic acids and ethyl iododifluoroacetate to construct a variety of gem-difluoroalkylated alkenes [9]. Our group recently

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developed a method for palladium-catalyzed three-component reaction of aryl alkynes, arylboronic acids and α,α -iododifluoroacetones for access to benzoyldifluoromethyl-2,2-diphenylethylenes [10]. The processes mentioned above are multicomponent reactions involving radical fluoroalkylation of an alkyne followed by a cross-coupling reaction with a boronic acid.

An interesting alkyne difunctionalization "two-component" reaction of perfluoroalkyl iodides and alkynes has been described by Wu and coworkers to synthesize perfluoroalkylated enynes under palladium catalysis [11]. 1,3-Enyne is an scaffold could be found in drugs, such as Terbinafine [12] and also could serve as an important building block for organic synthesis and materials science due to C-C unsaturated bond [13]. Consistent with our interest in the development of methods for the preparation of structurally diverse CF₂-containing compounds with the building block α , α -iododifluoroacetones [14], we sought to explore the alkynes difunctionalization with α , α -iododifluoroacetones and alkynes. Herein, we reported a palladium-catalyzed one-pot reaction of α, α -iododifluoroacetones and alkynes involving the radical addition and subsequent Sonogashira coupling reaction to give difluorinated 1,3-enyne compounds with high region and stereoselectivities (Scheme 1).



Scheme 1 Palladium-catalyzed one-pot reaction.

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2. Result and disscussions

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2.1 The optimization of reaction conditions

Initially, α, α -iododifluoroacetone **1a** and phenylacetylene 2a were chosen as the model substrates for the optimization of reaction conditions. The reaction was conducted in 1,4dioxane at 80 °C with K₂CO₃ as the base and catalyzed by $Pd(PPh_3)_4$ under the nitrogen. To our delight, the desired product 2,2-difluoro-1,4,6-triphenylhex-3-en-5-yn-1-one 3a was obtained in moderate yield (Table 1, entry1). The yield was not improved when other Pd catalysts, such as Pd(PPh₃)₂Cl₂, PdCl₂, Pd₂(dba)₃ or Pd(OAc)₂ was used (<u>Table 1</u>, entries 2-5). Therefore, Pd(PPh₃)₄ was chosen as suitable catalyst for the onepot reaction. The addition of ligand to the reaction did not lead to significant change in the reaction yields (Table 1, entries 6 and 7). Screening of the solvent and base (Table 1, entries 8-13) demonstrated that K₃PO₄ and toluene are the most suitable base and solvent for the reaction, giving the target product 3a in 92% yield at 80 °C (Table 1, entry 12). Increasing or decreasing the temperature failed to improve the yield of 3a (Table 1, entries 14 -16).

Table 1 Screening of optimal conditions.^[a]



[a] Conditions: α , α -iododifluoroacetone **1a** (1.0 mmol), phenylacetylene **2a** (2.0 mmol), base (2.0 mmol), toluene (2.0 ml), catalyst (5% mmol), 80 °C under N₂ for 8h; [b] GC yield; [c] Ligand (dppf, 10mol%) was added; [d] Ligand (P(o-anisyl)₃, 10mol%) was added.

2.2 Substrates scope

With the optimized reaction conditions in hand, both α , α -iododifluoroacetones and alkynes were explored for this one-pot

synthesis reaction (Table 2).The of various α.αiododifluoroacetones was accomplished according to Colby's reported procedure <u>[14^a]</u>. Overall, the α, α -iododifluoroacetones bearing electron-donating or electron-withdrawing groups on the benzene ring are compatible with the reaction conditions, thus providing the *E*-isomers of difluorinated 1,3-envnes 3a-3g as major products in high yields. Among them, the substrates with electron-withdrawing groups gave relatively lower yields of the corresponding products (3f and 3g) than others. The heterocyclic 2-iodo-2,2-difluoroketones 1h and 1i were also suitable fluorination agents for this one-pot reaction. Furthermore, when aliphatic 2-iodo-2,2-difluoroketone 1j was employed, the one-pot reaction was also performed well to give the desired products 3j in high yield. While in the case of 1-([1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)-2,2difluoro-2-iodoethan-1-one 1k, the corresponding product 3k was obtained in 55% yield. Moreover, other fluorinated agents like ICF₂CO₂Et and C₆F₁₃I, reacted with 2a smoothly to give the expected enyne products 3x and 3y in 90% yield and 70% yield respectively, which shows the generality of this one-pot reactions.

The scope of alkynes were investigated next using 2,2difluoro-2-iodo-1-phenylethanone 1a as partner. The reaction was revealed to be compatible with a broad range of alkynes, including various phenylacetylenes, 1-ethynylcyclohex-1-ene and 2-ethynylthiophene (Table 2). Phenylacetylene substituted with an electron-donating group or halo substituents provided the corresponding products **31-3s** in good to high yields. It is worth mentioning that when 1-ethynyl-4-(trifluoromethyl) benzene was subjected to the reaction, only E-isomer of the product 3t was obtained in good yield. Thienyl substituted acetylene can also afford the envne products with good yield (3u, 75%). The reaction with substrate 1-cyclohexenyl substituted acetylene gave 3v in excellent yield (90%). Moreover, the one-pot reaction of 2,2-difluoro-2-iodo-1-(thiophen-2-yl)ethan-1-one and 1-ethyl-4ethynylbenzene was also examined, and the desired difluorinated 1,3-envne 3w was isolated in 68% yield.

When aliphatic alkynessuch as 1-hepyne or trimethylsilylacetyleneas was used as partner in this one-pot reaction, we found that the addition products were obtained as major products respectively. (Scheme 2).



Scheme 2 Reaction of 1a and alkyl alkynes.

A gram-scale reaction of 1a and 2a was also carried out under the standard reaction conditions to give 3a in 80% yield even though the amount of Pd catalyst was lowered to 3 mol % of substrate 1a (Scheme 3).





[a] Condition: α, α -iododifluoroacetones (1.0 mmol), terminal alkene (2.0 mmol, base (2.0 mmol), toluene (2.0 ml), catalyst 5mol%, 80 \square under N₂ for 8h; [b] Isolated yield.

3. Control experiments and mechanism investigation

Several control reactions were carried out to understand the reaction mechanism (<u>Scheme 4</u>). When 1.2 equiv. of TEMPO (2,2,6,6-tetramethyl-1-oxylpiperidine) was added into the reaction system, no desired product **3a** was obtained; instead, compound **5** and Ph-COCF₂H were detected in 56% and 27% yield respectively (¹⁹F NMR δ -57.24 for compound **1a**, δ -71.42 for compound **5**, δ -121.44 for compound Ph-COCF₂H, see the Supporting Information). (Scheme 4, eq. 1). The result shows that a gem-difluoroalkyl radical addition pathway might be involved in the reaction pathway. Then, we decreased the ratio of **1a** and **2a** to 1: 0.5 and quenched the reaction in just half an hour. The radical adduct product **6** was found to be major product

(72% yield) accompanied with 20% yield of the desired product

3a (Scheme 4, eq. 2). Moreover, the coupling reaction of the adduct product 6 and 2a proceeded well under the $Pd(PPh_3)_4$ -catalytic system to give the product 3a in 90% yield (Scheme 4, eq. 3). These results indicated that the radical adduct product might be formed in the reaction process and involved in the formation of the desired difluorinated 1,3-envnes.



On the basis of the result of the control experiments above and previous literature reports [15], a plausible reaction mechanism is proposed (Scheme 5). First, the reaction of α , α iododifluoroacetones 1 and $Pd^{0}(PPh_{3})_{4}$ gives benzoyldifluoroalkyl (RCOCF₂) radical **A** and $Pd^{I}(PPh_{3})_{4}$ through the single electron transfer. The $RCOCF_2$ radical A then adds to the alkyne 2 to generate alkyl radical B which reacts with $Pd^{I}(PPh_{3})_{4}$ to give vinyl iodide C. Subsequently, the intermediate **D** is formed from vinyl iodide **C** and $Pd^{0}(PPh_{3})_{4}$ through the typical oxidative addition and then reacts with alkyne 2 to give the intermediate E. Finally, the intermediate E goes through reductive elimination to afford the final difluorinated 1,3-enyne product **3** and $Pd^{0}(PPh_{3})_{4}$.



Scheme 5 Plausible mechanism of the reaction

4.Conclusion

In conclusion, a palladium-catalyzed ligand-free one-pot method for the construction of difluorinated 1,3-enynes from α,α iododifluoroacetones and alkynes were reported. This method demonstrated broad substrates scope and high region and stereoselectivities. Mechanistic investigation indicated that a RCOCF_2 radical and radical adduct product are involved in the rone-pot reaction pathway.

5. Experimental section

5.1 General Information

All reagents were commercially available and used without further purification unless indicated otherwise. Reagents were purchased at the highest commercial quality and used without further purification, unless otherwise stated. Reactions were monitored by thin layer chromatorgraphy (TLC) carried out on GF254 plates (0.25 mm layer thickness) using UV light as visualizing agent. Flash chromatography was performed with 200-300 mesh silica gels.

All NMR spectra were recorded on a Bruker Avance 500 (resonance frequencies 500 MHz for ¹H and 125 MHz for ¹³C) equipped with a 5 mm inverse broadband probe head with zgradients at 295.8 K with standard Bruker pulse programs. The samples were dissolved in 0.6 mL CDCl3 (99.8% D.TMS). Chemical shifts were given in values of δH and δC referenced to residual solvent signals (δ H 7.26 for ¹H, δ C 77.0 for ¹³C in CDCl₃). Data are presented in the following space: chemical shift, multiplicity, coupling constant in hertz (Hz), and signal area integration in natural numbers. ¹⁹F NMR was recorded on an Agilent MR 400 spectrometer (CFCl₃ as an external standard and low field is positive). ¹H, ¹³C and ¹⁹F multiplicities are reported as follows: singlet (s), doublet (d), triplet (t), quartet (q), doublet of doublets (dd), triplet of doublets (td), multiplet (m), and broad resonance (br). High-resolution mass spectra (HRMS) (Compounds 3a, 3c, 3r, 3p) were recorded under electron impact conditions using a MicroMass GCT CA 055 instrument and recorded on a MicroMass LCTTM spectrometer. High-resolution mass spectra (HRMS) (Other Compound 3b-3w) was recorded on a Bruker micro-TOF-QII time of flight massspectrometer with electrospray ionization.

4.2 General procedure for the synthesis of **3a-3w**

An oven-dried tube was charged with K_3PO_4 (2.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv), and Pd(PPh₃)₄ (0.05 mmol, 5 mol %). The tube was evacuated and backfilled with nitrogen (repeated three times). Then, α,α -iododifluoroacetones **1** (1.0 mmol, 1.0 equiv) dissolved in toluene (3.0 mL), and terminal alkyne **2** (2.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv) were added into the tube. The reaction mixture was stirring at 80 °C for 4-12h. After completion of the reaction (as indicated by TLC), the reaction is quenched with the appropriate amount of water, and the reaction mixture was extracted with ethyl acetate (3*10 mL). The combined organic layers were washed with saturated brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, concentrated in vacuum and the crude residue was purified by silica-gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/EtOAc =200:1) to afford desired the product **3a-3w**.

5.3 (*E*)-2,2-difluoro-1,4,6-triphenylhex-3-en-5-yn-1-one (**3a**)

Pale yellow sticky liquid ; yield=85% ; ¹H NMR (500MHz,CDCl₃) : δ 7.78 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.56 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.43 (dd, *J* = 7.6, 1.7 Hz, 2H), 7.37 (t, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.32 (m, 4H), 7.25 (m,4H), 6.57 (t, *J*=12.8Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (125MHz, CDCl₃): δ 187.19 (t,²'*J*_{CF}=29.38Hz), 135.58, 134.07, 133.96 (t,³*J*_{CF}=9.375Hz), 131.84, 129.75, 129.73, 129.71, 129.12, 128.79, 128.43, 128.09, 127.59(t, ²*J*_{CF}=26.875Hz), 126.69, 122.19, 114.73 (t, ¹*J*_{CF}=246.25Hz), 93.66, 89.32; ¹⁹F NMR (376Hz,CDCl₃): δ -88.25 (d, *J*=11.28Hz, 2F); HRMS (EI-TOF) calculated[M]+for C₂₄H₁₆F₂O: 358.1169, found: 358.1165.

5.4 (*E*)-2,2-difluoro-4,6-diphenyl-1-(p-tolyl)hex-3-en-5-yn-1-one (**3b**)

-D Pale yellow sticky liquid ; yield=80% ; ¹H NMR (500MHz,CDCl₃) : δ 7.81 (d, J = 5 Hz, 2H), 7.72 (dd, J = 13.3,7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.43 (d, J = 5Hz, 3H), 7.30-7.23 (m, 6H), 6.85 (d, J=10Hz, 2H), 6.56 (t, J=13.0Hz, 1H), 2.37 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (125MHz, CDCl₃): δ 186.81 (t, ²'J_{C-F}=28.75Hz), 145.24, 135.64, 133.80 (t, ³J_{C-F}=9.375Hz), 131.83, 129.94, 129.18, 129.08, 129.05, 128.78, 128.42, 128.05, 127.71 (t, ²J_{C-F}=26.875Hz),122.24, 122.19, 114.82 (t, ¹J_{C-F}=246.25Hz), 93.53, 89.43, 21.81; ¹⁹F NMR (376Hz,CDCl₃): δ -89.30 (d, J=12.06Hz, 2F); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calculated[M+H]+for C₂₅H₁₈F₂O: 373.1404,found: 373.1399

5.5 (*E*)-2,2-difluoro-1-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4,6-diphenylhex-3-en-5-yn-1-one (3c).

Pale yellow sticky liquid ; yield=79% ; ¹H NMR (500MHz,CDCl₃) : δ 7.81(d, J = 9Hz, 2H), 7.43 (t, J = 8 Hz, 2H), 7.33-7.25 (m, 8H), 6.86 (d, J = 9Hz, 2H), 6.56 (t, J=13.0Hz, 1H), 3.86 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (125MHz, CDCl₃): δ 185.70 (t, ²' J_{C} = 29.18Hz), 164.26, 135.66, 133.63 (t, ³ J_{C} =8.875Hz), 132.32, 131.80, 129.02, 128.97, 128.73, 128.39, 127.98, 127.77 (t, ² J_{C} = =26.56Hz), 124.70, 122.25, 114.88 (t, ¹ J_{C} =246.93Hz), 113.73, 93.41, 89.45, 55.54; ¹⁹F NMR (376Hz,CDCl₃): δ -88.52 (d, J=13.16Hz,2F); HRMS (EI-TOF) calculated [M]+for C₂₅H₁₈F₂O₂:389.1275, found: 388.1276

5.6 (*E*)-2,2-difluoro-1-(4-fluorophenyl)-4,6-diphenylhex-3-en-5-yn-1-one (**3d**)

Pale yellow sticky liquid; yield=75%; ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.80 (dd, J = 8.5,5.5Hz, 2H), 7.43 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.31 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 4H), 7.24 (d, J = 5 Hz, 4H); 7.04 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 6.56 (t, J = 12.75Hz, 1H) ; ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 185.6 (t, ² J_{CF} =29.375Hz), 166.20 (d, ^{1,} J_{CF} =256.25Hz), 135.52, 134.16 (t, ^{3,} J_{CF} =9.375Hz), 132.55 (d, ^{3,} J_{CF} =10Hz), 131.85, 129.21, 129.18, 128.80, 128.45, 128.21, 128.12, 127.37(t, ² J_{CF} =26.875), 122.12, 115.72 (d, ^{2,} J_{CF} =21.25Hz), 114.68 (t, ¹ J_{CF} =246.25), 93.88, 89.19; ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -88.15 (d, J = 11.28Hz, 2F), δ -102.54(m, 1F); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calculated [M+H]⁺ for C₂₄H₁₅F₃O: 376.1153, found: 377.1154

5.7 (*E*)-1-(4-bromophenyl)-2,2-difluoro-4,6-diphenylhex-3-en-5-yn-1-one (3e)

Pale yellow sticky liquid ; yield=82% ; ¹H NMR (500MHz,CDCl₃) : δ 7.66 (d, J = 8.5, 2H), 7.56 (d, J = 8.5Hz, 2H), 7.48(dd, J = 7.6,1.5Hz, 2H), 7.36 (t, J = 7.5Hz, 4H), 7.295-7.284 (m, 4H), 6.56 (t, J=12.5Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (125MHz, CDCl₃): δ 186.26(t, ^{2·} J_{C-F} =30Hz), 135.44, 134.27 (t, ³ J_{C-F} =10Hz), 131.86, 131.81, 131.07, 130.53, 129.58, 129.28, 129.21, 128.84, 128.46, 128.16, 127.88 (t, ² J_{C-F} =26.875Hz), 122.08, 114.58 (t, ¹ J_{C-F} =244.375Hz), 94.01, 89.14; ¹⁹F NMR (376Hz,CDCl₃): δ -88.15 (d, J=12.78Hz, 2F); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calculated[M+H]+for C₂₄H₁₅F₂BrO: 437.0353, found: 437.0352

5.8 (*E*)-2,2-difluoro-4,6-diphenyl-1-(4-(trifluoromethoxy)phenyl)hex-3-en-5-yn-1-one (**3f**)

Pale yellow sticky liquid ; yield=60% ; ¹H NMR (500MHz,CDCl₃) : δ 7.86 (d, J = 5 Hz, 2H), 7.48 (d, J = 5Hz, 2H), 7.38-7.34 (m, 4H), 7.30-7.26 (m, 4H), 7.23(d, J=10Hz, 2H), 6.60 (t, J=12.75Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (125MHz, CDCl₃): δ 185.75 (t, ²'J_{C-F}=30Hz), 153.20, 135.50, 134.30 (t, ³J_{C-F}=9.375Hz), 131.84, 131.77, 129.96, 129.23, 129.18, 128.76, 128.43, 128.12, 127.14, 126.92 (t, ²J_{C-F}=27.5Hz), 122.32 (q, J=258.3Hz), 122.01, 114.59(t, ¹J_{C-F}=246.25Hz), 93.99, 89.08; ¹⁹F NMR (376Hz,CDCl₃): -57.54(s, 3F), δ -88.12 (d,J=15.04Hz, 2F); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calculated [M+H]⁺ for C₂₅H₁₅F₅O₂: 443.1070, found: 443.1070

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(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)hex-3-en-5-yn-1-one (**3g**)

Pale yellow sticky liquid; yield=62%; ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.95 (d, J = 10Hz, 1H), 7.87(s, 1H), 7.79 (d, J = 10 Hz,1H), 7.52 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.13 (dd, J =7.8,1.6Hz, 2H); 7.34-7.30 (m, 3H), 7.25-7.17(m, 4H), 6.57 (t, J = 12.5Hz, 1H) ; ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 186.16 (t, ² J_{CF} =30Hz), 135.39, 134.49 (t, ³ J_{CF} =10Hz), 132.51, 132.42, 131.85, 131.30, 131.04, 130.24(q, ^{1.} J_{CF} =3.75Hz), 129.40, 129.21, 128.97, 128.77, 128.43, 128.20, 127.05 (t, ² J_{CF} =27.5Hz), 123.285 (q, ^{1.} J_{CF} =261.25Hz), 122.03, 114.50 (t, ¹ J_{CF} =245.62Hz), 94.13, 88.89; ¹⁹ F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -62.95 (s, 3F), δ -87.84 (d, J=11.28Hz, 2F); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calculated [M+H]+ for C₂₅H₁₅F₅O: 427.1121, found: 427.1118

5.10 (*E*)-2,2-difluoro-1-(furan-2-yl)-4,6-diphenylhex-3-en-5-yn-1-one ($\mathbf{3h}$)

Pale yellow sticky liquid; yield=79%; ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.64 (d, *J*=8.45Hz, 2H), 7.55 (d, *J*=8.6Hz, 2H), 7.47 (d, *J*=6.25Hz, 2H), 7.35 (d, *J*=7.25Hz, 3H), 7.28 (d, *J*=5.35Hz, 4H), 6.59 (t, *J* = 12.5Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃): 186.24 (t, ², *J*_{C-F}=29.785Hz), 135.42, 134.25 (t, ³*J*_{C-F}=9.68Hz), 131.84, 131.79, 131.05, 129.54, 129.24, 129.17, 128.81, 128.43, 128.13, 127.24 (t, ²*J*_{C-F}=27.25Hz), 126.67, 122.07, 114.56 (t, ¹*J*_{C-F}=246.12Hz), 93.96, 89.10; ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -91.97 (d, *J* = 13.16Hz, 2F); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calculated [M+H]+ for C₂₂H₁₅F₂O₂:349.1040, found: 349.1040

5.11 (*E*)-2,2-difluoro-4,6-diphenyl-1-(thiophen-2-yl)hex-3-en-5-yn-1-one(**3i**)

Pale yellow sticky liquid; yield=76%; ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.77 (s, 1H), 7.71 (d, *J*=5Hz, 1H), 7.44 (d, *J*=5Hz, 2H), 7.36-7.28 (m, 8H), 7.11 (t, *J*=5Hz, 1H), 6.52 (t, *J* = 15Hz,1H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz,CDCl₃): 180.84 (t, ²*J*_C, *F*=31.25Hz), 138.14, 136.18, 135.60, 135.43, 134.35 (t, ³*J*_C, *F*=8.75Hz), 131.85, 129.14, 129.06, 128.71, 128.51, 128.44, 128.09, 126.99 (t, ²*J*_{C-F}=25.625Hz), 122.16, 114.63 (t, ¹*J*_C, *F*=248.125), 93.86, 89.37; ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl3): δ -89.96 (d, *J* = 15.04Hz, 2F); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calculated [M+H]+ for C₂₂H₁₄F₂OS:365.0812, found: 365.0807.

5.12 (*E*)-4,4-difluoro-1,6,8-triphenyloct-5-en-7-yn-3-one(**3**j)

Pale yellow sticky liquid; yield=74%; ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl3): δ 7.43 (d, J = 10Hz, 2H), 7.41-7.38 (m, 2H), 7.36 (d, J = 5Hz, 3H), 7.32 (t, J=5Hz, 3H), 7.24 (t, J=7.4Hz, 2H), 7.18 (t, J=7.5Hz, 1H), 7.08 (d, J = 5Hz, 2H), 6.33 (t, J = 15Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz,CDCl3): 198.26 (t, ${}^{2}J_{CF}=30.62$ Hz), 140.13, 135.97, 134.29 (t, ${}^{3}J_{CF}=9.375$ Hz), 131.84, 129.18, 129.14, 128.72, 128.58, 128.44, 128.32, 128.28, 126.62 (t, ${}^{2}J_{CF}=26.875$ Hz), 126.36, 122.19, 113.97 (t, ${}^{1}J_{CF}=246.87$ Hz), 93.91, 89.17, 38.51, 28.69; ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃): $\delta = 95.14$ (d, J = 12.7 Hz, 2F); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calculated [M+H]⁺ for C₂₆H₂₀F₂O: 387.1560, found: 386.1559

5.13 (*E*)-1-([1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)-2,2-difluoro-4,6-diphenylhex-3-en-5-yn-1-one (**3k**)

Pale yellow sticky liquid; yield=55%; ¹H NMR (500MHz, CDCl₃) : δ 7.88(d, J = 5 Hz, 2H), 7.62 (d, J = 5Hz, 4H), 7.49-7.39 (m, 6H), 7.34-7.31 (m, 4H), 7.28(s, 2H) 7.25 (s, 1H), 6.60 (t, J=12.5Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (125MHz, CDCl₃): δ 186.76 (t, ²' $J_{CF}=23.75$ Hz), 146.67, 139.52, 135.61, 133.95 (t, ³ $J_{CF}=9.375$ Hz), 131.83, 130.51, 130.48, 130.36, 129.09, 129.03, 128.79, 128.70, 128.55, 128.40, 128.07, 127.29, 127.20 (t, ² $J_{CF}=53.75$ Hz), 122.19, 114.79 (t, ¹ $J_{CF}=243.93$ Hz), 93.68, 89.35; ¹⁹F NMR

TOF) calculated[M+H]⁺for $C_{30}H_{20}F_2O$: 435.1560,found: 435.1555

5.14 (*E*)-2,2-difluoro-1-phenyl-4,6-di-p-tolylhex-3-en-5-yn-1-one(3l)

Pale yellow sticky liquid, yield: 80%, ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDC13): δ 7.78 (d, J = 7.5Hz, 2H), 7.54(t, J=7.25Hz, 1H), 7.37 (t, J=7.75Hz, 2H), 7.31 (d, J=8Hz, 2H), 7.13 (dd, J = 15.7, 8.0 Hz, 4H), 7.04 (d, J=8Hz, 2H), 6.51 (t, J=12.75Hz, 1H), 2.235 (s, 6H); ¹³C NMR (125MHz, CDC1₃): 187.29 (t, ² J_{CF} =29.18Hz), 139.34, 139.14, 134.14 (t, ³ J_{CF} =9.625Hz), 133.96, 132.81, 131.87, 131.73, 129.70, 129.17, 128.75, 128.71, 128.34, 126.72 (t, ² J_{CF} =22.5Hz), 119.18, 114.80 (t, ¹ J_{CF} =246.06Hz), 93.68, 88.99 21.56, 21.33; ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDC1₃): δ -88.18 (d, J = 12.8Hz, 2F); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calculated [M+H]+ for C₂₆H₂₀F₂O: 387.1560, found: 387.1562

5.15 (*E*)-4,6-bis(4-ethylphenyl)-2,2-difluoro-1-phenylhex-3-en-5-yn-1-one(**3m**)

Pale yellow sticky liquid , yield: 82%, ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl3): δ 7.75 (d, J = 8Hz, 2H), 7.52 (t, J=7.5Hz, 1H), 7.36-7.33 (m, 4H), 7.14 (dd, J=10.6, 8.2Hz, 4H), 7.05 (d, J=8 Hz, 2H), 6.52 (t, J=12.75Hz, 1H), 2.64-2.59 (m, 4H), 1.24-1.89 (m, 6H); ¹³C NMR (125MHz, CDCl₃): 187.28 (t, ²⁻ J_{CF} =28.75Hz), 145.63, 145.48, 134.15 (t, ³ J_{CF} =9.375Hz), 133.90, 133.03, 131.96, 131.85, 129.61, 128.87, 128.32, 127.98, 127.53, 126.81 (t, ² J_{CF} =26.875Hz), 119.44, 114.79 (t, ¹ J_{CF} =245.625Hz), 93.71, 88.99, 28.88, 28.70, 15.45,15.27; ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl3): δ - 88.91 (d, J = 11.50Hz, 2F); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calculated [M+H]+ for C₂₈H₂₄F₂O: 415.1873, found: 415.1874

5.16 (*E*)-2,2-difluoro-1-phenyl-4,6-bis(4-propylphenyl)hex-3-en-5-yn-1-one (**3n**)

Pale yellow sticky liquid , yield: 75%, ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ7.74 (d, J = 5Hz, 2H), 7.52 (t, J=7.5Hz, 1H), 7.36-7.33 (m, 4H), 7.12 (dd, J=11.9,8.2Hz, 4H), 7.02 (d, J=8.2Hz, 2H), 6.53 (t, J=12.6Hz, 1H), 2.57-2.54 (m, 4H), 1.65-1.57 (m, 4H), 0.93 (dt,J=21.8,7.3Hz, 6H); ¹³C NMR (125MHz, CDCl₃): 187.18 (t, ² $J_{CF}=29.375$ Hz), 144.41, 143.97, 134.17 (t, ³ $J_{CF}=10$ Hz), 133.90, 132.98, 131.93, 131,76, 129.61, 128.81, 128.60, 128.31, 128.13, 126.90 (t, ² $J_{CF}=27.5$ Hz), 119.45, 114.75 (t, ¹ $J_{CF}=245.62$ Hz), 93.72, 89.00, 38.00, 37.84, 24.44, 24.29, 13.83, 13.73; ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl3): δ -87.72 (d, J = 11.28Hz, 2F) ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) calculated [M]+ for C₃₀H₂₈F₂O: 443.2186, found: 443.2180

5.17 (*E*)-2,2-difluoro-1-phenyl-4,6-di-m-tolylhex-3-en-5-yn-1-one(**30**)

Pale yellow sticky liquid , yield: 75%, ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl3): δ7.66 (d, J = 7.5Hz, 2H), 7.46 (t, J=7.5Hz, 1H), 7.29 (t, J=7.5Hz, 2H), 7.18-7.11 (m, 3H), 7.08-7.03 (m, 3H), 6.94 (d, J=6.5Hz, 1H); 6.87 (s, 1H), 6.47 (t, J=12.25Hz, 1H), 2.24 (s, 3H), 2.17 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (125MHz, CDCl₃): 185.98 (t, ^{2,} $J_{C-F}=28.75$ Hz), 164.55, 135.95, 133.92 (t, ³ $J_{C-F}=8.75$ Hz), 132.59, 132.52, 133.07, 129.30, 129.24, 129.01, 128.84, 128.74, 128.66, 128.26, 128.05 (t, ² $J_{C-F}=26.875$ Hz), 126.95, 124.99, 122.53, 115.17 (t, ¹ $J_{C-F}=247.5$ Hz), 114.02, 93.70, 89.74, 55.81, 55.80; ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -88.91 (d, J = 11.50Hz, 2F); HRMS (EI-TOF) calculated [M]+ for C₂₆H₂₀F₂O:386.1482, found: 386.1478

5.18 (*E*)-4,6-bis(4-(tert-butyl)phenyl)-2,2-difluoro-1-phenylhex-3-en-5-yn-1-one($\mathbf{3p}$)

Pale yellow sticky liquid, yield: 80%, ¹H NMR (500 MHz, TCDCl₃): δ7.62 (d, J = 7.5Hz, 2H), 7.45(t, J=7.5Hz, 1H), 7.29 (t, J=7Hz, 3H), 7.24 (s, 1H), 7.18 (s, 1H), 7.14 (d, J=8.5Hz, 2H), 7.06 (d, J=8Hz, 2H), 6.45 (t, J=12.5Hz, 1H), 1.23 (s, 9H), 1.22 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (125MHz, CDCl₃): 187.24 (t, ² $J_{CF}=28.9$ 3Hz), 152.45, 152.36, 133.98 (t, ³ $J_{CF}=9.9$ 3Hz), 133.81, 132.70, 131.98, 131.59, 129.45, 128.61, 128.22, 126.95 (t, ² $J_{CF}=26.875$ Hz), 125.40, 124.94, 119.21, 114.67 (t, ¹ $J_{CF}=245.125$ Hz), 93.56, 88.88, 34.86, 34.70, 31.24, 31.13; ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -87.41 (d, J = 12.78Hz, 2F); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calculated [M+H]+ for C₃₂H₃₂F₂O: 471.2499, found: 471.2498.

5.19 (E)-2,2-difluoro-4,6-bis(4-fluorophenyl)-1-phenylhex-3-en-5-yn-1-one(3q)

Pale yellow sticky liquid , yield: 90%, ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.75 (d, J = 7.8Hz, 2H), 7.51 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.34 (t, J = 7.0 Hz, 4H), 7.18-7.15 (m , 2H), 6.95 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 6.87 (t, J=10Hz, 2H) , 6.49 (t, J = 12.8Hz, 1H) ; ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl3): δ 187.11 (t, ²/*J*C-*F*=30Hz), 163.12 (d, ^{1,})'*J*_C/*F*=248.75Hz), 163.03 (d, ^{1,})''J_{C-F}=250Hz), 134.20, 133.85, 133.79, 132.72 (t, ³*J*_{C-*F*}=9.375Hz), 131.68, 130.75, 130.68, 128.50, 127.72 (t, ²*J*_{C-*F*}=26.875Hz), 115.58 (d, ^{2,})'*J*_{C-*F*}=85Hz), 115.2 (d, ^{2,})''*J*_{C-*F*}=85Hz), 114.66 (t, ¹*J*_{C-*F*}=246.875Hz), 92.69, 88.83; ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl3): δ -89.42 (d, J = 12.5 Hz, 2F), -109.95 (s, 1F), -112.41 (s, 1F); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calculated [M+H]+ for C₂₄H₁₄F₄O: 395.1059, found:395.1055

5.20 (*E*)-4,6-bis(4-bromophenyl)-2,2-difluoro-1-phenylhex-3en-5-yn-1-one (**3r**)

Pale yellow sticky liquid ; yield=79% ; ¹H NMR (500MHz,CDCl₃) : δ 7.84(d, J = 7.5Hz, 2H), 7.59 (t, J = 7.25Hz, 1H), 7.46-7.39 (m, 6H), 7.35(d, J = 8.5Hz, 2H), 7.14 (d, J = 8.5Hz, 2H), 6.57 (t, J=13.0Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (125MHz, CDCl₃): δ 187.19 (t, ² J_{CF} =30.625Hz), 134.34, 133.21, 132.49 (t, ³ J_{CF} =9.375Hz), 131.92, 131.79, 131.61, 131.36, 130.31, 129.84, 128.59, 128.10 (t, ² J_{CF} =26.25Hz), 123.72, 123.56, 120.89, 114.69 (t, ¹ J_{CF} =247.5Hz), 92.83, 89.76; ¹⁹F NMR (376Hz, CDCl₃): -89.76 (d, J=12.74Hz, 2F); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calculated[M+H]+for C₂₄H₁₆F₂OBr₂: 517.9339, found:517.9336

5.21 (*E*)-4,6-bis(4-chlorophenyl)-2,2-difluoro-1-phenylhex-3-en-5-yn-1-one(**3**s)

Pale yellow sticky liquid ; yield=82% ; ¹H NMR (500MHz,CDCl₃) : δ 7.84(d, J = 7.5Hz, 2H), 7.58 (t, J = 7.5Hz, 1H), 7.41 (t, J = 7.75Hz, 2H), 7.35(d, J = 8.5Hz, 2H), 7.29 (t, J = 8.5Hz, 2H), 7.25-7.19 (m, 4H), 6.57 (t, J=13.0Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (125MHz, CDCl₃): δ 187.16 (t, ^{2,} $J_{C\cdot F}$ =30Hz), 135.43, 135.30, 134.35,133.89, 133.06, 132.51 (t, ³ $J_{C\cdot F}$ =9.375Hz), 131.62, 130.11, 129.83, 128.87, 128.60, 128.41, 128.13 (t, ² $J_{C\cdot F}$ =24.375Hz), 120.47, 114.71 (t, ¹ $J_{C\cdot F}$ =247.5Hz), 92.77, 89.81; ¹⁹F NMR (376Hz,CDCl₃): -88.80 (d, J=13.16Hz, 2F); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calculated[M+H]+for C₂₄H₁₆F₂OCl₂: 427.0468,found: 427.0459.

5.22 (*E*)-2,2-difluoro-1-phenyl-4,6-bis(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)hex-3-en-5-yn-1-one(**3t**)

Pale yellow sticky liquid ; yield=75% ; ¹H NMR (500MHz,CDCl₃) : δ 7.86 (d, J = 7.5Hz, 2H), 7.61-7.53(m, 7H), 7.44-7.41 (m, 4H), 6.68 (t, J=13.25Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (125MHz, CDCl₃): δ 187.20 (t, ² $J_{C.F}$ =29.375Hz), 138.94, 134.48, 132.09 131.91 (t, ³ $J_{C.F}$ =8.75Hz), 131.49, 129.86, 129.40(t, ² $J_{C.F}$ =26.25Hz), 129.00, 128.66, 125.41(q, ² $''J_{C.F}$ =3.3Hz), 125.18 (q, ² $''J_{C.F}$ =3.75Hz), 123.84 (q, ¹ $''J_{C.F}$ =270.41Hz), 123.73 (q, ¹ $''J_{C.F}$ =270.83Hz), 127.59 (t, ² $J_{C.F}$ =26.875Hz), 126.69, 122.19, 114.64 (t, ¹ $J_{C.F}$ =247.5Hz), 92.56, 90.50; ¹⁹F NMR (376Hz, CDCl₃): δ -66.82(s, 3F), -62.97(s, 3F), -89.26 (d,J=15.04Hz, 2F);

IRMS	(ESI-TOF)	calculated[M+H] ⁺ for	$C_{26}H_{14}F_8O:$
95.0995.found: 495.0990			

5.23 (*E*)-2,2-difluoro-1-phenyl-4,6-di(thiophen-2-yl)hex-3-en-5-yn-1-one(**3u**)

Pale yellow sticky liquid , yield: 75%, 1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.77 (d, J = 10Hz, 2H), 7.50 (t, J=7.5Hz, 1H), 7.43 (s, 1H), 7.34 (t, J=8Hz, 3H), 7.22-7.20 (m, 1H), 7.11-7.10 (m, 1H), 7.05 (d, J=5Hz, 1H), 6.93(d, J=5Hz, 1H), 6.41 (d, J=13Hz, 1H); δ 187.16 (t,² $J_{C-F}=30$ Hz), 135.42, 135.30, 134.35,133.89, 133.06, 132.50 (t, ${}^{3}J_{C-F}=9.375$ Hz), 131.62, 130.11, 129.83, 128.87, 128.60, 128.41, 128.13 (t, ${}^{2}J_{C-F}=24.375$ Hz), 120.47, 114.71 (t, ${}^{1}J_{C-F}=247.5$ Hz), 92.77, 89.81; 19 F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃): δ - 88.53 (d, J = 13.16Hz, 2F); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calculated [M+H]⁺ for C₂₀H₁₂F₂OS₂:371.0376, found: 371.0372.

5.24 (*E*)-4,6-di(cyclohex-1-en-1-yl)-2,2-difluoro-1-phenylhex-3-en-5-yn-1-one(3v)

Pale yellow sticky liquid , Yield: 90%, ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ8.00 (d, J = 7.5Hz, 2H), 7.59(t, J=7.5Hz, 1H), 7.45 (t, J=8Hz, 2H), 6.21-6.16 (m, 2H), 5.72-5.70 (m, 1H), 2.12 (d, J=4.5Hz, 3H),1.95-1.82 (m, 2H), 1.65-1.56 (m, 5H), 1.43-1.41 (m, 2H), 1.37-1.32 (m, 2H),1.27-1.23 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (125MHz, CDCl₃): 186.61 (t, ² $J_{C.F}=28.12$ Hz), 136.93, 136.57 (t, ³ $J_{C.F}=12.5$ Hz), 134.04, 133.73, 133.14, 131.86, 129.99, 128.35, 126.68 (t, ² $J_{C.F}=30$ Hz), 120.25, 114.75 (t, ¹ $J_{C.F}=241.25$ Hz), 95.37, 84.94, 28.91, 25.88, 25.80, 24.67, 22.18, 21.82, 21.37, 21.06; ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -85.37 (d, J = 10.52Hz, 2F); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calculated [M+H]+ for C₂₄H₂₄F₂O:367.1873, found: 367.1866.

5.25 (*E*)-4,6-bis(4-ethylphenyl)-2-fluoro-2-methyl-1- (thiophen-2-yl)hex-3-en-5-yn-1-one($\mathbf{3w}$)

Pale yellow sticky liquid , yield: 68%, ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.77 (d, J = 3Hz, 1H), 7.69 (dd, J=4.9, 0.7Hz, 1H), 7.35 (d, J=8.5Hz, 2H), 7.256 (t, J=6Hz, 2H), 7.14 (d, J=8.5Hz, 2H), 7.10-7.08 (m, 3H), 6.45 (t, J=13.25Hz, 1H), 2,65-2.60 (m, 4H), 1.23-1.20 (m, 6H); ¹³C NMR (125MHz, CDCl₃): 180.95 (t, ² J_{C-F} =31.87Hz), 145.62, 145.31, 138.29, 135.91, 135.26, 134.57(t, ³ J_{C-F} =9.375Hz), 133.10, 131.84, 128.78, 128.37, 127.97, 127.51, 126.20 (t, ² J_{C-F} =26.875Hz), 119.43, 114.73 (t, ¹ J_{C-F} =247.5Hz), 93.89, 89.07, 28.87, 28.66, 15.34, 15.26; ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -88.61 (d, J = 13.16Hz, 2F); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calculated [M+H]+ for C₂₆H₂₂F₂OS:421.1438 , found: 421.1437.

5.26 Ethyl (*E*)-2,2-difluoro-4,6-diphenylhex-3-en-5-ynoate (3x)

Pale yellow sticky liquid , yield: 90%, ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.48-7.46 (m, 4H), 7.39-7.38 (m, 3H), 7.36-7.34 (m, 3H), 6.36 (t, *J*=12.25Hz, 1H), 3.94 (q, *J*=7.2Hz, 2H), 1.16(t, J=7.2Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (125MHz, CDCl₃): 162.90 (t, ²'J_C, _F=33.43Hz), 135.55, 133.78 (t, ³J_{C-F}=10Hz), 131.83, 129.17, 129.11, 128.66, 128.43, 128.23, 126.87 (t, ²J_{C-F}=28.06Hz), 122.19, 111.90 (t, ¹J_{C-F}=243.81Hz), 93.61, 89.14, 63.01, 28.66, 13.65; ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -91.80 (s, 2F); MS (ESTOF) calculated [M+H]⁺ for C₂₀H₁₆F₂O2: 327.1197, found: 327.3

5.27 (E)-(5,5,6,6,7,7,8,8,9,9,10,10-dodecafluorodec-3-en-1yne-1,3-diyl)dibenzene (**3y**)

Pale yellow sticky liquid , yield: 70%, ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ7.5 (d, *J*=6.1Hz, 4H), 7.42-7.41 (m, 3H), 7.38-7.33 (m, 3H), 6.25 (t, *J*=15.25Hz, 1H).

Pale yellow sticky liquid , yield: 25%, ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.06 (d, *J* = 8 Hz, 2H), 7.60 (t, *J* = 7.25 Hz, 1H), 7.46 (t, *J* = 8Hz, 2H), 6.29 (t, *J* = 11 Hz, 1H), 0.166 (s, 9H), 0.108 (s, 9H). ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -94.75 (s, 2F); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calculated [M+H]+ for C₂₆H₂₂F₂OS:351.1412, found: 351.1402

5.29 (E)-2,2-difluoro-4-iodo-1-phenylnon-3-en-1-one(4a)

Pale yellow sticky liquid , yield: 65%, ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.08 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.66 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.52 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 6.62 (t, J = 11.9 Hz, 1H), 2.61 (t, J = 6.9 Hz, 2H), 1.55 (dt, J = 15.0, 7.4 Hz, 2H), 1.22 (dt, J = 14.6, 7.2 Hz, 2H), 0.89 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H).

5.30 (*E*)-2,2-difluoro-4-iodo-1-phenyl-4-(trimethylsilyl)but-3-en-1-one(**4b**)

Pale yellow sticky liquid , yield: 50%, ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.06 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.63 (t, *J* = 7.25 Hz, 1H), 7.50 (t, *J* = 7.75Hz, 2H), 7.15 (t, *J* = 11.5 Hz, 1H), 0.216 (s, 9H).

5.31 Radical trapping experiment

An oven-dried tube was charged with K_3PO_4 (2.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv), and Pd(PPh₃)₄ (0.05 mmol, 5 mol %). The tube was evacuated and backfilled with nitrogen (repeated three times). Then, α,α -iododifluoroacetones **1a** (1.0 mmol, 1.0 equiv) dissolved in toluene (3.0 mL), the 2,2,6,6-tetramethyl-1-piperidinyloxy (TEMPO) (1.2 mmol, 1.2eq) and phenylacetylene **2a** (2.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv) were added into the tube. The reaction mixture was stirring at 80 °C for 4-12h. ¹⁹F NMR spectra of the reaction indicates the product distribution.

5.32 Experiment for ratio of **1a** and **2a** with 1: 0.5.

An oven-dried tube was charged with K_3PO_4 (2.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv), and Pd(PPh₃)₄ (0.05 mmol, 5 mol %). The tube was evacuated and backfilled with nitrogen (repeated three times). Then, α,α -iododifluoroacetones **1a** (1.0 mmol, 1.0 equiv) dissolved in toluene (3.0 mL), and Phenylacetylene (0.5 mmol, 0.5equiv) were added into the tube. The reaction mixture was stirring at 80 °C for 0.5 h. After completion of the reaction (as indicated by TLC), the reaction is quenched with the appropriate amount of water, and the reaction mixture was extracted with ethyl acetate (3*10 mL). The combined organic layers were washed with saturated brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, concentrated in vacuum and the crude residue was purified by silica-gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/EtOAc =200:1) to afford desired the product **6**

5.33 Coupling reaction of the adduct product 6 and 2a

An oven-dried tube was charged with K_3PO_4 (2.0 mmol, 2.0 equiv), and Pd(PPh₃)₄ (0.05 mmol, 5 mol %). The tube was evacuated and backfilled with nitrogen (repeated three times). Then, The compound **6** (0.8 mmol, 1.0 equiv) dissolved in toluene (3.0 mL), and Phenylacetylene (0.96 mmol, 1.2equiv) were added into the tube. The reaction mixture was stirring at 80 °C for 4-6h. After completion of the reaction (as indicated by TLC), the reaction is quenched with the appropriate amount of water, and the reaction mixture was extracted with ethyl acetate (3*10 mL). The combined organic layers were washed with saturated brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, concentrated in vacuum and the crude residue was purified by silica-gel column chromatography (petroleum ether/EtOAc =200:1) to afford desired the product **3a**.

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