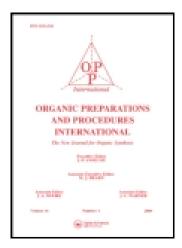
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Chiral sulfinamides including t-butanesulfinamide and p-toluenesulfinamide are important and versatile reagents that have extensive applications in asymmetric synthesis and catalysis, and in the synthesis of natural products.<sup>1-3</sup> Chiral N-alkylsulfinamides including N-alkyl t-butanesulfinamides and p-toluenesulfinamides are used as highly enantioselective organocatalysts and ligands in asymmetric syntheses. In 2006, Sun et al.<sup>4</sup> reported that chiral N-(2-hydroxylbenzyl) t-butanesulfinamide displayed excellent asymmetric induction ability in the reduction of N-arylketimines with trichlorosilane to produce enantiomerically enriched amines. Khiar et al.<sup>5</sup> discovered that monosulfinamides and C<sub>2</sub>-symmetric bissulfinamides are convenient neutral chiral promoters of the allylation of N-acylhydrazones. Recently Jacobsen et al.<sup>6</sup> developed chiral N-fluoroalkyl t-butanesulfinamides as highly enantioselective organocatalysts for the enantioselective protonation of enol silanes. Chiral N-alkyl t-butane- and p-toluenesulfinamides have been used mostly as ligands in asymmetric catalysis. The use of enantiomerically pure N-phosphino-N-alkyl t-butane- or ptoluenesulfinamide ligands led to good or excellent enantioselectivities (up to 99%ee) in the cobalt-catalyzed asymmetric intermolecular Pauson-Khand reaction of norbornadiene<sup>7,8</sup> and rhodium(I)-catalyzed [2 + 2 + 2] cycloaddition reactions.<sup>9</sup>

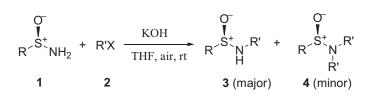
In 2012, Xu *et al.*<sup>10,11</sup> reported the highly enantioselective rhodium-catalyzed 1,2addition of arylboronic acids to  $\alpha$ -ketoesters and  $\alpha$ -diketones and the asymmetric conjugate addition of arylboronic acids to cyclic  $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated carbonyl compounds using a simple chiral *N*-(sulfinyl)cinnamylamine as ligand. At nearly the same time, Khiar *et al.*<sup>12</sup> described the rhodium-catalyzed 1,4-addition of boronic acids to both cyclic and acyclic  $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated carbonyl compounds. More recently, Xu *et al.*<sup>13</sup> developed *chiral N*-(sulfinyl)cinnamylamines as ligands for the rhodium-catalyzed asymmetric arylation of cyclic ketimines, leading to tetrasubstituted carbon stereocenters with high

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enantioselectivity. Du *et al.*<sup>14,15</sup> developed enantiomerically pure *N*-(substituted allyl) *t*-butanesulfinamide ligands for the rhodium-catalyzed asymmetric 1,2-addition to  $\alpha$ -diketones and the 1,4-addition to  $\alpha$ , $\beta$ -unsaturated ketones and esters.

*Chiral N*-alkyl *t*-butane- and *p*-toluenesulfinamides have been obtained *via* the classical route<sup>16–18</sup> first developed by Ellman *et al.*,<sup>19</sup> in the presence of catalysts such as  $Ti(OiPr)_4$  and CuSO<sub>4</sub> for example. *t*-Butanesulfinamide were condensed with aldehydes or ketones to give the corresponding sulfinylimines,<sup>16–18</sup> which were then reduced to the sulfinamides with sodium borohydride;<sup>20,21</sup> similarly, *chiral N*-sulfinylimidates have been reduced by sodium borohydride to *N*-alkyl *t*-butanesulfinamide.<sup>22,23</sup> In addition, nucle-ophilic substitution of *chiral t*-butyl *t*-butanethiosulfinate with primary amines gave *N*-alkyled products including *N*-alkyl sulfinamides.<sup>24</sup> Xu *et al.*<sup>11</sup> has used moisture-sensitive and expensive lithium *bis*(trimethylsilyl)amide as a base to perform the allylation of chiral *t*-butanesulfinamides.<sup>26–28</sup> we now report a simple, mild, selective and direct *N*-monoalkylation of *chiral t*-butanesulfinamide and *p*-toluenesulfinamide with allyl, primary and secondary alkyl and benzyl halides using potassium hydroxide as the base at room temperature (*Scheme* 1).



#### Scheme 1

2-Iodobenzyl bromide and t-butanesulfinamide were chosen as model substrates to optimize the reaction conditions. After examination of bases, solvents, temperature and ratios of substrates, the optimized conditions were determined. The best yield (85%) of N-(2-iodobenzyl) t-butanesulfinamide (3a) accompanied by 6% N, N-bis(2-iodobenzyl) t-butanesulfinamide (4a) was achieved under the following conditions: 1.2 mmol of (R)t-butanesulfinamide (1a), 1.0 mmol of 2-iodobenzyl bromide (2a), 1.5 mmol of KOH in 3 mL THF for 4 hours. The monoalkylization of chiral t-butane- and p-toluenesulfinamides was then evaluated (Table 1). (R)-t-butanesulfinamide was used to react with various alkyl halides (Table 1, Entries 1–8). Monobenzylation of (R)-t-butanesulfinamide with benzyl bromide gave nearly the same yield as with 2-iodobenzyl bromide (Entries 1 and 2). However, benzyl chloride gave poorer yields of both mono- and di-alkylated products (Entry 3). N-Allyl t-butanesulfinamide, a good chiral ligand in enantioselective rhodiumcatalyzed 1,4-addition to cyclic  $\alpha,\beta$ -unsaturated carbonyl compounds,<sup>10,11</sup> was obtained in good yield (Entry 4). Similarly, chiral ligand N-cinnamyl t-butanesulfinamide, which is an excellent ligand for 1,4- and 1,2-additions,<sup>10,11</sup> may be prepared efficiently by this protocol (*Entry* 5); this compound has also been obtained *via* the typical Ellman two-step method involving condensation of cinnamaldehyde followed by reduction with sodium borohydride.<sup>16-20</sup> N-Propargyl t-butanesulfinamides was also obtained similarly (Entry 6). Even less sterically demanding iodomethane and bromoethane successfully and selectively

Entry	R	R'X	Yield (%)
1 <sup>b</sup>	<i>t</i> -Bu	2-IC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> Br	<b>3a</b> (86), <b>4a</b> (6)
2	<i>t</i> -Bu	BnBr	<b>3b</b> (87), <b>4b</b> (5)
3	<i>t</i> -Bu	BnCl	<b>3b</b> (72), <b>4b</b> (6)
4 <sup>c</sup>	<i>t</i> -Bu	$CH_2 = CHCH_2Br$	<b>3c</b> (83), <b>4c</b> (7)
5 <sup>c</sup>	<i>t</i> -Bu	PhCH=CHCH <sub>2</sub> Br	<b>3d</b> (80), <b>4d</b> (6)
6	<i>t</i> -Bu	HC≡CCH <sub>2</sub> Br	<b>3e</b> (84), <b>4e</b> (8)
7	<i>t</i> -Bu	CH <sub>3</sub> I	<b>3f</b> (85), <b>4f</b> (<5)
8	<i>t</i> -Bu	CH <sub>3</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> Br	<b>3g</b> (87), <b>4g</b> (<5)
9	<i>p</i> -Tol	$2-IC_6H_4CH_2Br$	<b>3h</b> (86), <b>4h</b> (6)
10	<i>p</i> -Tol	$2-BrC_6H_4CH_2Br$	<b>3i</b> (89), <b>4i</b> (5)
11	<i>p</i> -Tol	BnBr	<b>3j</b> (89), <b>4j</b> (7)
12	<i>p</i> -Tol	BnCl	<b>3j</b> (82), <b>4j</b> (6)
13	<i>p</i> -Tol	$CH_2 = CHCH_2Br$	<b>3k</b> (85), <b>4k</b> (6)
14	<i>p</i> -Tol	HC≡CCH <sub>2</sub> Br	<b>3I</b> (83), <b>4I</b> (7)
15	<i>p</i> -Tol	PhCH=CHCH <sub>2</sub> Br	<b>3m</b> (85), <b>4m</b> (5)
16	<i>p</i> -Tol	2-Br-5-FC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>3</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> Br	<b>3n</b> (80), <b>4n</b> (9)
17	<i>p</i> -Tol	CH <sub>3</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> Br	<b>3o</b> (75), <b>4o</b> (9)
18 <sup>d</sup>	t-Bu	$2-IC_6H_4CH_2Br$	<b>3a</b> (88), <b>4a</b> (6)

 Table 1

 Monoalkylation of *t*-Butanesulfinamide and *p*-Toluenesulfinamide<sup>a</sup>

a) Reaction conditions: 1.0 of mmol (*R*)-*t*-butane- or *p*-toluenesulfinamide, 1.2 mmol of alkyl halide, 1.5 mmol of KOH, 3 mL THF, at room temperature for 4 hours, unless otherwise noted. b) Based on chiral HPLC analysis, 100%ee **3a** was obtained. c) Except for compounds **3c** and **3d**, the other compounds are new. d) 20 mmol of (*R*)-*t*-butanesulfinamide, 24 mmol of 2-iodobenzyl bromide, 30 mmol of KOH and 60 mL THF were used.

led to the corresponding *N*-monoalkylated *t*-butanesulfinamides (*Entries* 7 and 8). All alkyl halides reacted smoothly with *p*-toluenesulfinamide to afford good to excellent yields of *N*-monoalkylation and a minimal amount of the *N*,*N*-dialkylation products (*Table 1*, *Entries 9 to 16 vs. 17*). Although the representative procedure was performed on a 1.0 mmol scale, it has been scaled up to 20 mmol with nearly identified results (*Table 1*, *Entry 18*).

The *N*,*N*-dialkylated products of *tert*-butanesulfinamide and *p*-toluenesulfinamide may be obtained, provided two equivalents of the alkyl halides and two equivalents of KOH are used (*Scheme 2*). The results of symmetric dialkylation are listed in *Table 2 (Entry 1–15)*.

$$\begin{array}{c} O^{-} \\ I \\ R^{-} \\ S^{+} \\ NH_{2} \end{array} + 2 RX' \xrightarrow{KOH} \\ THF, air, rt \\ 1 \end{array} \begin{array}{c} O^{-} \\ R^{-} \\ R^{-} \\ R^{+} \\$$

Scheme 2

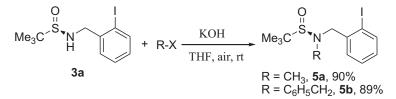
Entry	R	R'X	Yield (%)
1 <sup>b</sup>	tert-Bu	2-IC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> Br	<b>3a</b> (4), <b>4a</b> (84)
2	tert-Bu	BnBr	<b>3b</b> (12), <b>4b</b> (84)
3	tert-Bu	BnCl	<b>3b</b> (12), <b>4b</b> (74)
4	tert-Bu	$CH_2 = CHCH_2Br$	<b>3c</b> (11), <b>4c</b> (79)
5	tert-Bu	PhCH=CHCH <sub>2</sub> Br	<b>3d</b> (12), <b>4d</b> (78)
6	tert-Bu	$HC \equiv CCH_2Br$	<b>3e</b> (14), <b>4e</b> (80)
7	<i>p</i> -Tol	$2-IC_6H_4CH_2Br$	<b>3h</b> (0), <b>4h</b> (92)
8	<i>p</i> -Tol	$2-BrC_6H_4CH_2Br$	<b>3i</b> (0), <b>4i</b> (94)
9	<i>p</i> -Tol	BnBr	<b>3j</b> (0), <b>4j</b> (91)
10	<i>p</i> -Tol	BnCl	<b>3j</b> (0), <b>4j</b> (88)
11	<i>p</i> -Tol	$CH_2 = CHCH_2Br$	<b>3k</b> (0), <b>4k</b> (91)
12	<i>p</i> -Tol	$HC \equiv CCH_2Br$	<b>3l</b> (0), <b>4l</b> (92)
13	<i>p</i> -Tol	PhCH=CHCH <sub>2</sub> Br	<b>3m</b> (0), <b>4m</b> (88)
14	<i>p</i> -Tol	2-Br-5-FC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>3</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> Br	<b>3n</b> (6), <b>4n</b> (89)
15	<i>p</i> -Tol	CH <sub>3</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> Br	<b>3o</b> (20), <b>4o</b> (65)

 Table 2

 Symmetric Dialkylation of *tert*-Butanesulfinamide and *p*-Toluenesulfinamide<sup>a</sup>

(a) Reaction conditions: 2.2 mmol chiral sulfinamide, 1.0 mmol alkyl halide, 2.5 mmol KOH, 3 mL THF, under air at room temperature for 12 hours. (b) 100%ee **4a** were obtained.

Unsymmetrical dialkylated sulfinamides (5) are readily prepared *via* alkylation of *N*-monoalkylated sulfinamides (3) as illustrated by the *N*-alkylation of (*R*)-*N*-(2-iodobenzyl)-*tert*-butanesulfinamide (3a) shown in *Scheme 3*.



#### Scheme 3

In conclusion, a simple, mild and inexpensive KOH-promoted selective N-monoand dialkylation of chiral *t*-butane- and *p*-toluenesulfinamides without racemization under ambient conditions has been developed.

#### **Experimental Section**

All glassware used were dried in an oven at  $120^{\circ}$ C. All chemicals were purchased and used as received. All compounds were characterized by <sup>1</sup>H NMR, <sup>13</sup>C NMR, IR spectroscopy and elemental analysis. NMR spectra were recorded on a Bruker Avance 300 MHz or 400 MHz instrument. All <sup>1</sup>H NMR experiments are reported in  $\delta$  units, and were measured relative

to the residual hydrogen signals of CDCl<sub>3</sub> ( $\delta$  7.26), DMSO-d<sub>6</sub> ( $\delta$  2.50) or CD<sub>3</sub>COCD<sub>3</sub> ( $\delta$  2.05), unless otherwise stated. All <sup>13</sup>C NMR experiments are reported in  $\delta$  units, and were measured relative to the residual carbon signals of CDCl<sub>3</sub> ( $\delta$  77.23), DMSO-d<sub>6</sub> ( $\delta$  39.60) or CD<sub>3</sub>COCD<sub>3</sub> ( $\delta$  206.88, 29.92), unless otherwise stated, and all were obtained with <sup>1</sup>H decoupling. All IR spectra were taken on a Bruker Tensor-27 infrared spectrometer with an OPUS workstation. Electron-spraying ionization mass spectra were recorded on an Agilent 1200 series LC/MS DVL instrument. Melting points were determined on an Electrothermal melting point apparatus and are uncorrected. Combustion analyses were performed on a Euro EA-3000 elemental analyzer (Leeman Labs Inc.). Optical rotation data were measured on a Rudolph Research Autopol IV Polarimeter (Na D line, cell long 10 cm,  $\lambda$  = 589 nm). Chiral HPLC analyses were performed on a liquid chromatography (n-hexane / isopropanol 90/10 or 99/1 (v/v), 0.8 mL/min, 25°C) with a Chiralcel OD-H chiral column (4.6 mm × 250 mm × 5  $\mu$ m, Daicel Chemical Industries, Ltd.).

#### Typical Procedure of N-Monoalkylation of Chiral Sulfinamides

To an oven-dry 25 mL screwed cap tube fitted with a stir bar were added (*R*)-*t*-butanesulfinamide (0.145 g, 1.2 mmol), the alkyl halide (1.0 mmol), potassium hydroxide (0.084 g, 1.5 mmol) and anhydrous tetrahydrofuran (3 mL). The screwed tube was sealed with a rubber stopper and the reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature. After four hours, it was quenched with water (5 mL) and extracted with ethyl acetate (3 × 20 mL). The combined organic layer was washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate and then filtered. The filtrate was evaporated *in vacuo* and the resulting crude solid product was purified by silica gel column chromatography (5:1 petroleum ether and ethyl acetate as eluent) to give (*R*)-*N*-alkyl*t*-butanesulfinamide (**3a–3o**) and a small amount of (*R*)-*N*,*N*-dialkyl-*t*-butanesulfinamide (**4a–4o**).

#### General Procedure for the Dialkylation of Chiral Sulfinamides

To an oven-dry 25 mL screwed cap tube fitted with a stir bar were added (*R*)-*tert*-butane- or (*R*)-*p*-toluenesulfinamide (1.0 mmol), the alkyl halide (2.2 mmol), potassium hydroxide (0.143 g, 2.5 mmol) and anhydrous tetrahydrofuran (3 mL). The tube was sealed with a rubber stopper and the reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature. After twelve hours, it was quenched with water (5 mL) and extracted with ethyl acetate ( $3 \times 20$  mL). The combined organic layers were washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate and then filtered. The filtrate was evaporated *in vacuo* and the resulting crude product was purified using silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether and ethyl acetate (volume ratio 5:1) as eluent) to give (*R*)-*N*,*N*-*bis*alkyl *t*-butanesulfinamide or *p*-toluenesulfinamide (**4a–40**).

#### General Procedure for Synthesis of Chiral Unsymmetrical Dialkylated Sulfinamides

To an oven-dry 25 mL screwed cap tube fitted with a stir bar were added (R)-N-(2-iodobenzyl)-t-butanesulfinamide (**3a**) (1.0 mmol), alkyl halide (1.2 mmol), potassium

hydroxide (0.073 g, 1.3 mmol) and anhydrous tetrahydrofuran (3 mL). The tube was sealed with a rubber stopper and the reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature. After twelve hours, it was quenched with water (5 mL) and extracted with ethyl acetate ( $3 \times 20 \text{ mL}$ ). The combined organic layers were washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate and then filtered and the filtrate was evaporated *in vacuo*. The resulting crude product was purified using silica gel column chromatography (petroleum ether and ethyl acetate (volume ratio 5:1) as eluent) to give (*R*)-*N*-alkyl-*N*-(2-iodobenzyl)-*t*-butanesulfinamide (**5a–5b**).

(*R*)-*N*-(2-Iodobenzyl)-*t*-butanesulfinamide (*Table* 1, *Entry* 1, 3a), white solid (0.289 g, 86%) with 100%ee (HPLC, Diacel Chiralcel OD-H column, 90:10 hexanes/2-propanol, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm; (*R*)-form,  $r_t = 5.9$  min; (*S*)-form,  $r_t = 9.7$  min), mp 112–116°C,  $[\alpha]_D^{29} = -13.269$  (c = 0.52, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.84 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 7.42–7.29 (m, 2H), 6.99 (td, J = 7.6, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 4.34 (ddd, J = 21.9, 14.2, 6.5 Hz, 2H), 3.68–3.58 (m, 1H), 1.24 (s, 9H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  140.7, 139.6, 129.7, 129.4, 128.4, 99.3, 56.1, 53.9, 22.6. IR (KBr): 3554, 3415, 3234, 2284, 1642, 1053 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

*Anal.* Calcd for C<sub>11</sub>H<sub>16</sub>INOS: C, 39.18; H, 4.78; N, 4.15. Found: C, 39.33; H, 4.95; N, 4.02.

(*R*)-*N*,*N*-bis(2-Iodobenzyl)-*t*-butanesulfinamide (*Table* 1, *Entry* 1, 4a), white solid (0.033 g, 6%) with 100%ee (HPLC, Diacel Chiralcel OD-H column, 99:1 hexanes/2-propanol, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm; (*R*)-form,  $r_t = 14.4$  min; (*S*)-form,  $r_t = 18.1$  min), mp 102–103°C,  $[\alpha]_D^{29} = +26.8$  (c = 0.45, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, D<sub>2</sub>O)  $\delta$  7.74 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.50 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.29 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 6.95–6.81 (m, 2H), 4.42 (d, *J* = 16.2 Hz, 2H), 4.19 (d, *J* = 16.2 Hz, 2H), 1.17 (s, 9H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  139.5, 138.6, 129.4, 128.9, 128.3, 128.1, 99.7, 58.8, 56.6, 23.1. IR (KBr): 3664, 3475, 3414, 2284, 1612, 1431, 1012 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

*Anal.* Calcd for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>21</sub>I<sub>2</sub>NOS: C, 39.08; H, 3.83; N, 2.53. Found: C, 39.29; H, 3.98; N, 2.41.

(*R*)-*N*-Benzyl-*t*-butanesulfinamide (*Table* 1, *Entry* 2, 3b), white solid (0.184 g, 87%), mp 64–66°C.  $[\alpha]_D^{29} = +28.4$  (c = 0.51, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.42–7.25 (m, 5H), 4.42–4.31 (m, 1H), 4.26 (dd, J = 13.7, 7.9 Hz, 1H), 3.47 (s, 1H), 1.25 (s, 9H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  129.9, 128.6, 128.6, 128.1, 128.0, 127.7, 127.6, 55.9, 49.4, 49.4, 22.6. IR (KBr): 3708, 3415, 3188, 2305, 1734, 1063 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

*Anal*. Calcd for C<sub>11</sub>H<sub>17</sub>NOS: C, 62.52; H, 8.11; N, 6.63. Found: C, 62.35; H, 8.31; N, 6.76.

(*R*)-*N*,*N*-Dibenzyl-*t*-butanesulfinamide (*Table* 1, *Entry* 2, 4b), white solid (0.015 g, 5%), mp 52–55°C,  $[\alpha]_D^{12} = +35.61$  (c = 0.44, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.44–7.10 (m, 10H), 4.29 (d, *J* = 15.4 Hz, 2H), 4.05 (d, *J* = 15.4 Hz, 2H), 1.22 (s, 9H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  136.6, 128.5, 128.3, 127.2, 58.4, 51.3, 23.1. IR (KBr): 3704, 3475, 3411, 2294, 1612, 1401, 1013 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

*Anal.* Calcd for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>23</sub>NOS: C, 71.72; H, 7.69; N, 4.65. Found: C, 71.52; H, 7.88; N, 4.46.

(*R*)-*N*-Allyl-*t*-butanesulfinamide (*Table* 1, *Entry* 4, 3c),<sup>10,11</sup> pale yellow liquid (0.134 g, 83%),  $[\alpha]_D^{12} = -79.2$  (c = 1.33, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  5.82 (ddt, J = 16.1, 10.2, 5.9 Hz, 1H), 5.12 (ddd, J = 13.7, 11.5, 1.4 Hz, 2H), 3.66 (dddd,

J = 20.6, 14.5, 7.7, 6.7 Hz, 2H), 3.36 (d, J = 5.2 Hz, 1H), 1.14 (s, 9H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  136.6, 115.8, 55.0, 46.9, 22.6. IR (KBr): 3211, 2978, 1644, 1456, 1364, 1048 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

Anal. Calcd for C<sub>7</sub>H<sub>15</sub>NOS: C, 52.13; H, 9.38; N, 8.69. Found: C, 52.02; H, 9.54; N, 8.43.

(*R*)-*N*,*N*-Diallyl-*t*-butanesulfinamide (*Table* 1, *Entry* 4, 4c), pale yellow liquid (0.014 g, 7%),  $[\alpha]_D{}^{12} = +35.7$  (c = 0.81, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, acetone-d<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  5.76–5.62 (m, 2H), 5.16–4.98 (m, 4H), 3.62 (dd, *J* = 15.9, 5.1 Hz, 2H), 3.31 (dd, *J* = 15.9, 6.6 Hz, 2H), 1.00 (s, 9H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, acetone-d<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  134.6, 134.5, 117.4, 117.3, 57.2, 49.4, 22.1. IR (KBr): 2977, 1642, 1454, 1361, 1074 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

*Anal.* Calcd for C<sub>10</sub>H<sub>19</sub>NOS: C, 59.66; H, 9.51; N, 6.96. Found: C, 59.43; H, 9.72; N, 6.84.

(*R*)-*N*-Cinnamyl-*t*-butanesulfinamide (*Table* 1, *Entry* 5, 3d),<sup>10,11</sup> white solid (0.189 g, 80%), mp 55–60°C,  $[\alpha]_D^{12} = -16.7$  (c = 0.32, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.41–7.20 (m, 5H), 6.58 (d, *J* = 15.8 Hz, 1H), 6.26 (dt, *J* = 15.8, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 4.01–3.91 (m, 1H), 3.91–3.81 (m, 1H), 3.37 (s, 1H), 1.25 (d, *J* = 4.8 Hz, 9H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  136.4, 132.5, 128.5, 127.8, 126.4, 55.7, 47.8, 22.6. IR (KBr): 3699, 3555, 3414, 2923, 2285, 1617, 1052 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

*Anal*. Calcd for C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>19</sub>NOS: C, 65.78; H, 8.07; N, 5.90. Found: C, 65.93; H, 8.27; N, 5.65.

(*R*)-*N*,*N*-Dicinnamyl-*t*-butanesulfinamide (*Table* 1, *Entry* 5, 4d), white solid (0.021 g, 6%), mp 50–54°C,  $[\alpha]_D^{12} = +26.4$  (c = 0.60, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  7.40 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 4H), 7.30 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 4H), 7.22 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 6.54 (d, *J* = 15.9 Hz, 2H), 6.25 (dt, *J* = 15.8, 6.4 Hz, 2H), 3.84 (dd, *J* = 15.8, 5.9 Hz, 2H), 3.65–3.56 (m, 2H), 1.11 (s, 9H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  136.7, 133.0, 129.0, 128.0, 126.7, 126.3, 57.8, 49.5, 23.0. IR (KBr): 3699, 3555, 3414, 2923, 2285, 1617, 1052 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

*Anal*. Calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>27</sub>NOS: C, 74.74; H, 7.70; N, 3.96. Found: C, 74.54; H, 7.92; N, 3.89.

(*R*)-*N*-(**Prop-2-ynyl**)-*t*-butanesulfinamide (*Table* 1, *Entry* 6, 3e), colorless liquid (0.133 g, 84%),  $[\alpha]_D{}^{12} = -19.4$  (c = 0.46, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, acetone-d<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  4.69 (s, 1H), 3.72 (ddd, J = 5.6, 3.9, 2.6 Hz, 2H), 2.65 (t, J = 2.5 Hz, 1H), 1.06 (s, 10H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, acetone-d<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  81.0, 72.5, 72.4, 55.1, 33.3, 33.1, 21.9. IR (KBr): 2918, 1642, 1488, 1415, 1334, 1066 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

*Anal*. Calcd for C<sub>7</sub>H<sub>13</sub>NOS: C, 52.79; H, 8.23; N, 8.80. Found: C, 52.56; H, 8.43; N, 8.67.

(*R*)-*N*,*N*-Di(prop-2-ynyl)-*t*-butanesulfinamide (*Table* 1, *Entry* 6, 4e), pale yellow liquid (0.016 g, 8%),  $[\alpha]_D{}^{12} = +123.7$  (c = 1.80, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, acetone-d<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  3.87 (dd, *J* = 18.2, 1.7 Hz, 2H), 3.63 (d, *J* = 18.2 Hz, 2H), 2.74 (dd, *J* = 3.1, 1.6 Hz, 2H), 1.04 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 10H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, acetone-d<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  78.2, 73.7, 73.7, 58.0, 35.7, 21.6. IR (KBr): 2947, 1652, 1404, 1261, 1045 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

*Anal*. Calcd for C<sub>10</sub>H<sub>15</sub>NOS: C, 60.88; H, 7.66; N, 7.10. Found: C, 60.67; H, 7.76; N, 7.30.

(*R*)-*N*-Methyl-*t*-butanesulfinamide (*Table* 1, *Entry* 7, 3f), colorless liquid (0.115 g, 85%),  $[\alpha]_D^{12} = -49.2$  (c = 0.73, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  3.17 (s, 1H),

2.80 (d, J = 5.4 Hz, 3H), 1.17 (s, 9H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  54.9, 30.5, 22.6. IR (KBr): 2998, 2017, 1642, 1617, 1341, 1051 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

Anal. Calcd for C<sub>5</sub>H<sub>13</sub>NOS: C, 44.41; H, 9.69; N, 10.36. Found: C, 44.31; H, 9.90; N, 10.54.

(*R*)-*N*-Ethyl-*t*-butanesulfinamide (*Table* 1, *Entry* 8, 3g), pale yellow liquid (0.130 g, 7%),  $[\alpha]_D^{12} = -69.2$  (c = 0.65, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  3.48 (s, 1H), 3.32–3.20 (m, 1H), 3.18–3.08 (m, 1H), 1.26–1.17 (m, 12H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  55.1, 40.2, 22.4, 16.3. IR (KBr): 3012, 2187, 1642, 1617, 1346, 1087 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

*Anal.* Calcd for C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>15</sub>NOS: C, 48.28; H, 10.13; N, 9.38. Found: C, 48.38; H, 10.23; N, 9.15.

(*R*)-*N*-(2-Iodobenzyl)-*p*-toluenesulfinamide (*Table* 1, *Entry* 9, 3h), white solid (0.319 g, 86%), mp 105–109°C,  $[\alpha]_D{}^{12} = -46.7(c = 0.71, CHCl_3)$ . <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.79 (dd, J = 7.9, 0.8 Hz, 1H), 7.63 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.33–7.22 (m, 4H), 6.94 (td, J = 7.8, 2.1 Hz, 1H), 4.51 (t, J = 6.3 Hz, 1H), 4.29 (dd, J = 14.0, 5.9 Hz, 1H), 4.03 (dd, J = 14.0, 6.9 Hz, 1H), 2.40 (s, 3H). IR (KBr): 3710, 3555, 3421, 2920, 2283, 1617, 1046 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

*Anal*. Calcd for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>14</sub>INOS: C, 45.29; H, 3.80; N, 3.77. Found: C, 45.49; H, 3.96; N, 3.58.

(*R*)-*N*,*N*-bis(2-Iodobenzyl)-*p*-toluenesulfinamide (*Table* 1, *Entry* 9, 4h), white solid (0.035 g, 6%), mp 85–88°C,  $[\alpha]_D^{12} = +26.3$  (c = 0.23, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.69 (dd, J = 10.8, 4.2 Hz, 4H), 7.33–7.19 (m, 6H), 6.84 (td, J = 7.7, 1.7 Hz, 2H), 4.25 (q, J = 15.0 Hz, 4H), 2.34 (s, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (151 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  141.8, 140.6, 139.5, 138.5, 130.5, 130.2, 130.0, 129.8, 128.7, 128.6, 126.0, 100.5, 56.5, 21.3. IR (KBr): 3704, 3555, 3414, 2918, 2285, 1617, 1431, 1010 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

*Anal.* Calcd for C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>19</sub>I<sub>2</sub>NOS: C, 42.95; H, 3.26; N, 2.39. Found: C, 42.79; H, 3.49; N, 2.24.

(*R*)-*N*-(2-Bromobenzyl)-*p*-toluenesulfinamide (*Table* 1, *Entry* 10, 3i), white solid (0.287 g, 89%), mp 93–95°C,  $[\alpha]_D^{12} = -32.7$  (c = 0.60, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.62 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.51 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.35–7.18 (m, 4H), 7.11 (ddd, *J* = 8.7, 7.8, 4.2 Hz, 1H), 4.57 (t, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 1H), 4.33 (dd, *J* = 14.1, 5.8 Hz, 1H), 4.05 (dd, *J* = 14.1, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 2.40 (s, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (151 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  141.6, 141.1, 138.0, 132.7, 130.5, 129.9, 129.5, 128.1, 126.2, 123.1, 43.6, 21.2. IR (KBr): 3193, 3057, 2920, 1596, 1569, 1441, 1059 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

*Anal.* Calcd for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>14</sub>BrNOS: C, 51.86; H, 4.35; N, 4.32. Found: C, 51.76; H, 4.54; N, 4.28.

(*R*)-*N*,*N*-bis(2-Bromobenzyl)-*p*-toluenesulfinamide (*Table* 1, *Entry* 10, 4i), white solid (0.025 g, 5%), mp 81–83°C,  $[\alpha]_D^{12} = +22.7(c = 0.24, CHCl_3)$ . <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, D<sub>2</sub>O)  $\delta$  7.64 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.41 (dd, *J* = 7.9, 1.0 Hz, 2H), 7.34–7.08 (m, 7H), 7.01 (td, *J* = 7.7, 1.7 Hz, 2H), 4.36 (d, *J* = 15.0 Hz, 2H), 4.23 (d, *J* = 15.0 Hz, 2H), 2.33 (s, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (151 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  140.6, 135.7, 132.9, 131.2, 130.1, 130.2, 129.8, 128.6, 127.9, 126.0, 123.9, 51.8, 21.3. IR (KBr): 3669, 3435, 3214, 2918, 2285, 1617, 1432, 1021 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

*Anal.* Calcd for C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>19</sub>Br<sub>2</sub>NOS: C, 51.13; H, 3.88; N, 2.84. Found: C, 51.33; H, 3.94; N, 2.73.

(*R*)-*N*-Benzyl-*p*-toluenesulfinamide (*Table* 1, *Entry* 11, 3j), white solid (0.218 g, 89%), mp 73–75°C,  $[\alpha]_D{}^{12} = -33.3$  (c = 0.15, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.64 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.40–7.17 (m, 7H), 4.50–4.37 (m, 1H), 4.22 (dd, J = 13.5, 5.1 Hz, 1H), 3.88 (dd, J = 13.5, 7.2 Hz, 1H), 2.41 (s, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  141.2, 140.7, 137.7, 129.5, 128.5, 128.2, 127.5, 125.9, 44.4, 21.2. IR (KBr): 3698, 3555, 3414, 2920, 2283, 1617, 1057 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

*Anal*. Calcd for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>15</sub>NOS: C, 68.54; H, 6.16; N, 5.71. Found: C, 68.26; H, 6.48; N, 5.93.

(*R*)-*N*,*N*-Dibenzyl-*p*-toluenesulfinamide (*Table* 1, *Entry* 11, 4j), white liquid (0.023 g, 7%),  $[\alpha]_D{}^{12} = +21.4$  (c = 0.35, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.63 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.29 (dd, J = 11.2, 4.6 Hz, 6H), 7.22–7.11 (m, 4H), 4.14–4.03 (m, 4H), 2.37 (s, 3H).<sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  141.4, 141.0, 136.6, 129.6, 129.0, 128.6, 128.5, 127.6, 126.2, 51.2, 21.4, 21.4. IR (KBr): 3708, 3535, 3414, 2904, 2283, 1617, 1022 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

*Anal*. Calcd for C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>21</sub>NOS: C, 75.19; H, 6.31; N, 4.18. Found: C, 75.29; H, 6.52; N, 4.36.

(*R*)-*N*-Allyl-*p*-toluenesulfinamide (*Table* 1, *Entry* 13, 3k), colorless liquid (0.166 g, 85%),  $[\alpha]_D{}^{12} = -14.9 (c = 0.23, CHCl_3)$ . <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  7.48 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.33 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 6.70 (t, *J* = 5.7 Hz, 1H), 5.71 (ddd, *J* = 16.0, 10.8, 5.6 Hz, 1H), 5.12 (dd, *J* = 17.2, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 5.00 (dd, *J* = 10.3, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 3.44–3.38 (m, 2H), 2.34 (s, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (151 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  141.9, 140.8, 136.1, 129.8, 126.2, 116.5, 42.2, 21.2. IR (KBr): 3654, 3460, 3336, 2821, 1618, 1034 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

*Anal.* Calcd for C<sub>10</sub>H<sub>13</sub>NOS: C, 61.50; H, 6.71; N, 7.17. Found: C, 61.46; H, 6.92; N, 7.32.

(*R*)-*N*,*N*-Diallyl-*p*-toluenesulfinamide (*Table* 1, *Entry* 13, 4k), colorless liquid (0.014 g, 6%),  $[\alpha]_D{}^{12} = +18.7$  (c = 2.0, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, acetone-d<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  7.44 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.28–7.22 (m, 2H), 5.70–5.57 (m, 2H), 5.02 (ddd, *J* = 13.7, 11.4, 1.3 Hz, 4H), 3.47 (qd, *J* = 15.2, 6.4 Hz, 4H), 2.27 (s, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, acetone-d<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  141.9, 141.1, 134.6, 134.5, 129.4, 126.0, 117.7, 117.72, 49.8, 49.7, 49.7, 20.4, 20.3. IR (KBr): 3575, 3479, 3414, 3356, 2901, 1608, 1022 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

*Anal*. Calcd for C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>17</sub>NOS: C, 66.34; H, 7.28; N, 5.95. Found: C, 66.65; H, 7.39; N, 5.82.

(*R*)-4-Methyl-*N*-(prop-2-ynyl)benzenesulfinamide (*Table* 1, *Entry* 14, 31), pale yellow liquid (0.160 g, 83%),  $[\alpha]_D{}^{12} = -20.9$  (c = 0.81, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.60 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.32 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 4.41–4.33 (m, 1H), 3.86 (ddd, J = 16.8, 4.8, 2.6 Hz, 1H), 3.49 (ddd, J = 16.8, 7.1, 2.6 Hz, 1H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 2.28 (t, J = 2.6 Hz, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  141.6, 139.9, 129.7, 125.9, 79.6, 72.8, 72.7, 29.7, 21.4, 21.4. IR (KBr): 3315, 2206, 1632, 1461, 1313, 1012 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

*Anal*. Calcd for C<sub>10</sub>H<sub>11</sub>NOS: C, 62.15; H, 5.74; N, 7.25. Found: C, 62.32; H, 5.96; N, 7.17.

(*R*)-4-Methyl-N,*N*-di(prop-2-ynyl)benzenesulfinamide (*Table* 1, *Entry* 14, 4l), pale yellow liquid (0.016 g, 7%),  $[\alpha]_D{}^{12} = +17.3$  (c = 0.80, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, acetone-d<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  7.42 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.27 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 3.80 (dd, *J* = 6.4, 2.3 Hz, 4H), 2.74 (t, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 2H), 2.28 (s, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  141.8, 139.8,

129.7, 129.3, 126.1, 77.9, 74.1, 74.1, 36.6, 36.5, 36.4, 21.4, 21.3. IR (KBr): 3217, 2126, 1616, 1492, 1421, 1339, 1063 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

*Anal.* Calcd for C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>13</sub>NOS: C, 67.50; H, 5.66; N, 6.06. Found: C, 67.22; H, 5.93; N, 6.23.

(*R*)-*N*-Cinnamyl-*p*-toluenesulfinamide (*Table* 1, *Entry* 15, 3m), light pink solid (0.230 g, 85%), mp 90–92°C,  $[\alpha]_D^{12} = -23.4$  (c = 0.35, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.62 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.35–7.19 (m, 7H), 6.48 (d, J = 15.8 Hz, 1H), 6.17 (dt, J = 15.8, 6.5 Hz, 1H), 4.30 (s, 1H), 3.88–3.79 (m, 1H), 3.62–3.54 (m, 1H), 2.40 (s, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  141.3, 140.8, 136.4, 132.7, 129.6, 128.5, 127.7, 126.4, 125.9, 43.2, 29.7. IR (KBr): 3555, 3479, 3414, 2821, 1618, 1062 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

*Anal.* Calcd for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>17</sub>NOS: C, 70.81; H, 6.31; N, 5.16. Found: C, 70.63; H, 6.51; N, 5.02.

(*R*)-*N*,*N*-Dicinnamyl-*p*-toluenesulfinamide (*Table* 1, *Entry* 15, 4m), pale yellow solid (0.019 g, 5%), mp 80–85°C,  $[\alpha]_D{}^{12} = +33.2$  (c = 0.24, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.53 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.30–7.18 (m, 10H), 7.19–7.10 (m, 2H), 6.36 (d, J = 15.9 Hz, 2H), 6.04 (dt, J = 15.8, 6.8 Hz, 2H), 3.84–3.67 (m, 4H), 2.31 (s, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>)  $\delta$  136.7, 133.0, 129.0, 128.1, 126.7, 126.3, 57.8, 49.5, 23.0. IR (KBr): 3705, 3479, 3414, 2920, 1617, 1438, 1022 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

*Anal.* Calcd for C<sub>25</sub>H<sub>25</sub>NOS: C, 77.48; H, 6.50; N, 3.61. Found: C, 77.28; H, 6.82; N, 3.36.

(*R*)-*N*-(2-Bromo-5-fluorobenzyl)-*p*-toluenesulfinamide (*Table* 1, *Entry* 16, 3n), white solid (0.273 g, 80%), mp 105–109°C,  $[\alpha]_D{}^{12} = -17.2$  (c = 0.34, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta = 2.42$  (s, 3 H), 4.06 (*J* = 14.9, 7.1 Hz, 1 H), 4.29 (d, *J* = 14.9, 6.0 Hz, 1 H), 4.69 (bs, 1 H,), 6.86 (ddd, J = 8.8, 7.8, 3.0 Hz, 1 H), 6.97 (dd, *J* = 9.1, 3.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.31 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2 H), 7.46 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 5.3 Hz, 1 H), 7.62 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2 H,). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta = 21.5$ , 44.9, 116.3, 117.6, 117.8, 126.1, 129.7, 134.0, 139.7, 140.6, 141.8, 162.0. IR (KBr): 3645, 3479, 3314, 2920, 1647, 1418, 1023 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

*Anal.* Calcd for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>13</sub>BrFNOS: C, 49.13; H, 3.83; N, 4.09. Found: C, 49.35; H, 3.67; N, 4.23.

(*R*)-*N*,*N*-bis(2-Bromo-5-fluorobenzyl)-*p*-toluenesulfinamide (*Table* 1, *Entry* 16, 4n), white solid (0.048 g, 9%), mp 92–95°C,  $[\alpha]_D^{12} = +9.2$  (c = 0.64, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CHCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.66 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.44–7.23 (m, 4H), 7.00 (dd, *J* = 9.3, 3.0 Hz, 2H), 6.77 (td, *J* = 8.3, 3.1 Hz, 2H), 4.29 (q, *J* = 15.3 Hz, 4H), 2.37 (s, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 24.5, 48.9, 116.3, 117.6, 117.8, 126.1, 129.7, 134.5, 139.7, 140.6, 141.7, 163.2. IR (KBr): 3635, 3479, 3416, 2931, 1620, 1431, 1022 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

Anal. Calcd for C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>17</sub>Br<sub>2</sub>F<sub>2</sub>NOS: C, 47.66; H, 3.24; N, 2.65. Found: C, 47.83; H, 3.50; N, 2.42.

(*R*)-*N*-Ethyl-*p*-toluenesulfinamide (*Table* 1, *Entry* 17, 30), pale yellow solid (0.137 g, 75%), mp 65–70°C,  $[\alpha]_D^{12} = -29.2$  (c = 3.80, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.59 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.32–7.28 (m, 2H), 4.10 (t, J = 5.3 Hz, 1H), 3.22–3.10 (m, 1H), 2.92–2.81 (m, 1H), 2.41 (s, 3H), 1.15 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  141.0, 140.8, 129.4, 126.2, 41.8, 21.3, 21.3, 14.4. IR (KBr): 3553, 3415, 3194, 2980, 2287, 1632, 1455, 1117 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

*Anal.* Calcd for C<sub>9</sub>H<sub>13</sub>NOS: C, 58.98; H, 7.15; N, 7.64. Found: C, 58.76; H, 7.45; N, 7.37.

(*R*)-*N*,*N*-Diethyl-*p*-toluenesulfinamide (Table 1, *Entry* 17, 40), pale yellow liquid (0.020 g, 9%),  $[\alpha]_D^{12} = +21.3$  (c = 0.65, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.54 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.33–7.26 (m, 2H), 3.13 (q, J = 7.4 Hz, 4H), 2.41 (s, 3H), 1.12 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 6H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  141.0, 140.8, 129.4, 126.2, 41.8, 21.3, 21.3, 14.4. IR (KBr): 3693, 3415, 3214, 2880, 2287, 1632, 1325, 1017 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

*Anal*. Calcd for C<sub>11</sub>H<sub>17</sub>NOS: C, 62.52; H, 8.11; N, 6.63. Found: C, 62.26; H, 8.36; N, 6.48.

(*R*)-*N*-(2-Iodobenzyl)-*N*-methyl-*t*-butanesulfinamide (5a), colorless oil (0.309 g, 90%),  $[\alpha]_D{}^{17} = +31.5$  (c = 0.51, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.78 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.42–7.23 (m, 2H), 6.92 (td, *J* = 7.7, 1.7 Hz, 1H), 4.20 (q, *J* = 15.8 Hz, 2H), 2.63 (s, 3H), 1.15 (s, 9H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  139.47 (s), 139.01 (s), 128.91 (d, *J* = 3.9 Hz), 128.23 (s), 99.24 (s), 61.34 (s), 58.53 (s), 29.50 (s), 23.30 (s).

*Anal*. Calcd for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>18</sub>INOS: C, 41.03; H, 5.17; N, 3.99. Found: C, 41.25; H, 5.31; N, 3.76.

(*R*)-*N*-(2-Iodobenzyl)-*N*-benzyl-*t*-butanesulfinamide (5b), colorless oil (0.381 g, 89%),  $[\alpha]_D{}^{17} = +28.5$  (c = 0.36, CHCl<sub>3</sub>). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.78 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.49 (d, J = 6.9 Hz, 1H), 7.39–7.21 (m, 6H), 6.93 (dd, J = 10.8, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 4.33 (dd, J = 15.7, 4.1 Hz, 2H), 4.13 (dd, J = 39.7, 15.7 Hz, 2H), 1.17 (s, 9H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  139.56 (s), 138.94 (s), 136.36 (s), 129.36 (d, J = 19.8 Hz), 128.87 (d, J = 8.9 Hz), 128.59–127.94 (m), 127.48 (s), 99.51 (s), 58.58 (s), 55.95 (s), 52.40 (s), 23.12 (s).

*Anal.* Calcd for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>22</sub>INOS: C, 50.59; H, 5.19; N, 3.28. Found: C, 50.77; H, 5.34; N, 3.48.

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