PREPARATIVE SYNTHESIS OF C-(α-D-GLUCOPYRANOSYL)-ALKENES AND -ALKADIENES: DIELS-ALDER REACTION*

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ABSTRACT

The reaction of 2,3,4,6-tetra-O-benzyl-1-O-(p-nitrobenzoyl)- α -D-glucopyranose with (E)-penta-2,4-dienyltrimethylsilane and boron trifluoride etherate in acetonitrile afforded stereoselectively (E)-5-(tetra-O-benzyl- α -D-glucopyranosyl)-1,3-pentadiene (1) in good yield. The readily available penta-O-benzoyl- α -D-glucopyranose reacted with allyltrimethylsilane in the presence of boron trifluoride etherate in acetonitrile to give 3-(tetra-O-benzoyl- α -D-glucopyranosyl)-1-propene (2) and its β anomer (5) in yields of 60% and 2.3%, respectively. Diels-Alder cycloaddition of maleic anhydride to diene 1 afforded the adduct *cis,cis*-3-(tetra-O-benzyl- α -D-glucopyranosylmethyl)cyclohex-4-ene-1,2-dicarboxylic anhydride (9) in high yield.

INTRODUCTION

The stereoselective synthesis of C-(D-glycopyranosyl)alkenes from sugars having non-participating groups at C-2 with allyltrimethylsilane and a Lewis acid has been widely studied¹⁻⁵. A similar kind of reaction led Acton *et al.*⁶ to the stereospecific coupling of a pentadienyl chain to C-1 of daunosamine to obtain an α -Cglycopyranosyl derivative in >90% yield. Bennek and Gray reported⁷ the preparation of C-(D-glycopyranosyl)alkenes using methyl per(trimethylsilyl)glycosides and allyltrimethylsilane in the presence of trimethylsilyl trifluoromethanesulfonate.

We now report the extension of the previous work in our laboratory¹ to obtain 3-(α -D-glucopyranosyl)-1-propene (4) on a larger scale in an improved yield without chromatographic purification. The synthesis of the very stable diene (E)-5-(tetra-O-benzyl- α -D-glucopyranosyl)-1,3-pentadiene (1) has also been achieved. The latter compound promises to be a good substrate for Diels-Alder cycloaddition reactions, which could be extremely useful for the synthesis of "pseudodi-saccharides".

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RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

Synthesis of the α -C-glucosylalkadiene 1 was achieved by the reaction of tetra-O-benzyl-1-O-(p-nitrobenzoyl)- α -D-glucopyranose with freshly prepared (E)-penta-2,4-dienyltrimethylsilane⁸ (3 mol eq.) and BF₃·OEt₂ (3 mol eq.) in dry acetonitrile at 0°-room temperature overnight under nitrogen. The compound was purified on a column of silica gel to give a white solid (45% yield). After recrystallization from methanol, long needles having $[\alpha]_{D}^{28}$ +61.4° in dichloromethane were obtained. At this stage of purity, compound 1 could be stored for long periods of time with no observable decomposition or polymerization. The α -anomeric configuration was established on the basis of its high dextrorotation and the $J_{1',2'}$ value of 5.1 Hz (see ref. 1, $J_{1',2'}$ 5.8 Hz for compound 3). The coupling constants for the protons of the pentadienyl chain were in accordance⁸ with those expected for the (E) isomer. Its ¹³C-n.m.r. spectrum was also as expected for structure 1 (see Experimental).

The reaction of penta-O-benzoyl- α -D-glucopyranose with allyltrimethylsilane (10 mol. eq.) and BF₃ · OEt₂ (10 mol eq.) in dry acetonitrile under nitrogen at 80° yielded the glucosylpropene **2**. This reaction required a longer time (~1 day) than that already described to form the acetylated analog **3** starting from penta-O-acetyl- α -D-glucopyranose under the same reaction conditions. The mixture was processed as previously described¹, and treatment of the residue with ethanol gave crystalline compound **2** (43%) which showed $[\alpha]_D^{25} + 66^\circ$ in dichloromethane. The ¹H-n.m.r. spectrum of **2** presented a doubled doublet of doublets ($J_{1',2'}$ 5.3 Hz) for H-1' at δ 4.58 which indicates the α -D-gluco configuration. The structure of **2** was confirmed by its transformation into the known^{1,7} deprotected compound **4** by O-debenzoylation with sodium methoxide-methanol. Additional amounts of **2** were obtained (60% total yield) by evaporating the mother liquor followed by chromatography on a column of silica gel.

An amorphous solid (~2.5%) which was characterized as the β anomer of **2** (5) was also isolated from the column. Compound **5** showed a specific rotation of +34° in dichloromethane. The β -anomeric configuration was assigned on the basis of the ¹H-n.m.r. data for H-1', which resonated as a doubled doublet of doublets at δ 3.84 and had $J_{1',2'}$ 9.6 Hz (see ref. 1, $J_{1',2'}$ 9.5 Hz for the β anomer of **3**); the lower δ value for H-1' of **5** indicates that is axially oriented. The large values of $J_{2',3'} = J_{3',4'} = J_{4',5'}$ (8.5 Hz for **2** and 9.6 Hz for **5**) are in accordance with the 4C_1 D-glucopyranose conformation. The chemical-shift values found for C-1' in compounds **2** and **5**, 71.78 and 77.84 p.p.m., respectively, are also in accordance with those previously observed¹ for the corresponding α and β anomers.

Attempts to obtain C-(D-glycopyranosyl)alkenes of 2-amino-2-deoxy-D-glucose by the same procedure, using several different protecting groups for the amino function, were unsuccessful. It is worth noting that the reaction of tetra-O-acetyl-2-deoxy-2-(p-toluenesulfonamido)- α , β -D-glucopyranose with allyltrimethyl-silane and BF₃·OEt₂ in acetonitrile afforded a product formulated as the



imidazoline 6 in $\sim 20\%$ yield. The same compound was obtained in almost quantitative yield when allyltrimethylsilane was not present in the reaction mixture.

The structure assigned to **6** was based on its elemental analysis and spectroscopic data (see Experimental section). The strong levorotation indicates the β anomeric configuration, and the ¹H-n.m.r. data suggest a distorted, chair-like conformation ("normal" values of $J_{2,3}$ and $J_{3,4}$, but low values of 5 Hz for $J_{1,2}$ and $J_{4,5}$, indicative of *trans* ring-fusion⁹), rather than the skew conformation (high $J_{1,2}$ and $J_{4,5}$ values, low $J_{2,3}$ and $J_{3,4}$ values) found¹⁰ for structurally related, dextrorotatory oxazolines having the α -anomeric configuration (*cis* ring-fusion). The formation of **6** may be rationalized on the basis of reaction of an oxonium ion, formed from the sugar by the Lewis acid, with acetonitrile to give a nitrilium ion* **7**, which then undergoes nucleophilic attack by the tosylamino group.

In order to engage the unactivated alkene 2 as a dienophile in Diels-Alder reactions, we converted it into activated derivatives by the temporary introduction of suitable substituents. For example, the tolyl vinyl sulfone derivative 8 was prepared in almost quantitative yield by the reaction of 2 with the readily available *Se*-phenyl *p*-tolueneselenosulfonate¹² in boiling chloroform, followed by oxidation of the resulting selenol derivatives with excess *m*-chloroperoxybenzoic acid¹³ in dichloromethane. However, attempts to react 8 either with Danishefsky's diene [1-

^{*}For the general structure 7 the β configuration has been proposed¹¹ to be the more stable through operation of the antianomeric effect.

methoxy-3-(trimethylsilyloxy)-1,3-butadiene] or benzyl *trans*-1,3-butadiene-1-carbamate were unsuccessful.

Diene 1 was found to undergo Diels-Alder addition of maleic anhydride to give a single compound, adduct 9, in $\sim 80\%$ yield after recrystallization from ethanol. The reaction took place smoothly at $\sim 80-90^\circ$ in toluene during 8 h, after which time no starting sugar was present. The stereochemical course of the cycloaddition to the prochiral diene 1 from the *re* face was *endo*, as expected.

The highly functionalized adduct 9 might be further elaborated in order to prepare the corresponding chiral cyclohexane derivatives.

EXPERIMENTAL

General methods. — Evaporations were conducted under diminished pressure. T.I.c. was performed on precoated plates of Silica Gel 60F-254 (E. Merck); components were detected by u.v. light and by spraying the plates with 10% sulfuric acid and subsequent heating. Melting points were determined with a Thomas-Hoover apparatus and are uncorrected. Specific rotations were determined with a Perkin-Elmer 141 polarimeter. I.r. spectra were recorded with a Matteson Polaris FT-IR spectrometer. ¹H-N.m.r. and ¹³C-n.m.r. spectra were obtained at 500 MHz and 125 MHz, respectively, with a Bruker AM-500 spectrometer by Dr. C. E. Cottrell. Chemical shifts refer to an internal standard of tetramethylsilane ($\delta = 0.00$). Chemical-ionization (c.i.) and fast-atom-bombardment (f.a.b.) mass spectra were recorded at The Ohio State University Chemical Instrument Center with Kratos MS-30 and VG 70-250S mass spectrometers. Elemental analyses were performed by Atlantic Microlabs, Atlanta, Georgia.

5-(Tetra-O-benzyl- α -D-glucopyranosyl)-(E)-1,3-pentadiene (1). — A solution of 2,3,4,6-tetra-O-benzyl-1-O-(p-nitrobenzoyl)- α -D-glucopyranose¹⁴ (500 mg, 0.72 mmol) in dry MeCN (10 mL) was cooled to 0° and BF₃·OEt₂ (0.26 mL, 2.16 mmol) and freshly prepared (E)-penta-2,4-dienyltrimethylsilane (0.39 mL, 2.16 mmol) were added. The mixture was stirred overnight under nitrogen and the solvent was removed under diminished pressure. The residue was dissolved in CH2Cl2 and the solution was washed successively with water, saturated NaHCO3 solution, and water, dried (anhydrous MgSO₄), and evaporated to a syrup, which was chromatographed on a column of silica gel (9:1 petroleum ether-Et₂O). The main product was isolated as a white solid (192.8 mg, 45%) which gave long needles, m.p. 79-80°, on recrystallization from MeOH; $[\alpha]_D^{28}$ +61.4° (c 1.7, CH₂Cl₂); ν_{max}^{NaCl} 1600 (C=C aliphat.), 1500, and 1450 (C=C aromat.) cm⁻¹; n.m.r. data (¹H, 500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.27–7.34 (m, CH₂Ph), 6.31 (ddd, 1 H, H-2), 6.12 (dd, 1 H, $J_{2,3}$ 10.5, $J_{3,4}$ 15.2 Hz, H-3), 5.70 (dt, 1 H, $J_{4,5a}$ 7.0, $J_{4,5b}$ 14.6 Hz, H-4), 5.09 (dd, 1 H, $J_{1a,1b} < 1$, $J_{1b,2}$ 16.7 Hz, H-1b), 4.98 (dd, 1 H, $J_{1a,2}$ 10.4 Hz, H-1a), 4.12 (dt, 1 H, $J_{1',2'}$ 5.1, $J_{1',5a}$ 10.3, J_{1'.5b} 10.3 Hz, H-1'), 4.45–4.82 (4 dd, 8 H, J_{A,B} 11–12 Hz, CH₂Ph), 3.61–3.81 (m, 6 H, H-2',3',4',5',6'a,6'b), and 2.52 (m, 2 H, H-5a and H-5b); (¹³C, 125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 115.34 (C-1), 137.08, 133.05, 130.67 (C-2,3,4), 28.65 (C-5), 82.36 (C-1'),

78.15 (C-2'), 80.08 (C-3'), 71.26 (C-4'), 73.84 (C-5'), 69.03 (C-6'), 73.11, 73.44, 75.03, 75.04 (4 CH₂Ph), 138.11, 138.21, 138.76 (4 CH₂C₆H₅), and 127.57–128.42 (9 signals for 4 CH₂C₆H₅); m/z 591 (M + H)⁺.

Anal. Calc. for C₃₉H₄₂O₅: C, 79.29; H, 7.16. Found: C, 79.37; H, 7.21.

3-(Tetra-O-benzoyl- α -D-glucopyranosyl)-1-propene (2) and its β anomer (5). - Penta-O-benzoyl- α -D-glucopyranose (5.0 g, 7.14 mmol) was dissolved in dry MeCN (50 mL) at 80° and allyltrimethylsilane (11.3 mL, 71.4 mmol) and BF₃·OEt₂ (9. 0mL, 71.4 mmol) were added under nitrogen. The mixture was heated for 27 h at 80° under nitrogen. Evaporation gave a brown residue which was dissolved in CH_2Cl_2 and processed conventionally to give a brown foam (4.40 g). This was dissolved in abs. EtOH, anhydrous Et₂O was added, and the mixture was kept in a freezer for several h to give the title compound 2 (1.90 g, 43.18%) in two crops, m.p. 121–122° (from EtOH), $[\alpha]_D^{25}$ +66° (c 0.65, CH₂Cl₂); ν_{max}^{NaCl} 1735 (C=O), 1600 (C=C aliphat.), 1580, 1450 (C=C aromat.), and 1260 (C=O) cm⁻¹; n.m.r. data (¹H, 500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.30-8.05 (m, 20 H, OCOC₆H₅), 5.99 (t, 1 H, J_{3',4'} 8.5 Hz, H-3'), 5.80 (dddd, 1 H, J_{2,3a} 4.5, J_{2,3b} 7.5, J_{1a,2} 10.3, J_{1b,2} 17.1 Hz, H-2), 5.54 (t, $1 \text{ H}, J_{4',5'} 8.5 \text{ Hz}, \text{H-4'}$, 5.51 (dd, $1 \text{ H}, J_{2',3'} 8.5 \text{ Hz}, \text{H-2'}$), 5.17 (dd, $1 \text{ H}, J_{1a,1b} 1.1$, $J_{1b,2}$ 17.1, $J_{1b,3a} = J_{1b,3b} \sim 1$ Hz, H-1b), 5.02 (dd, 1 H, $J_{1a,2}$ 10.3 Hz, $J_{1a,3a} = J_{1a,3b} \sim 1$ Hz, H-1a), 4.58 (ddd, 1 H, J_{1',2'} 5.3, J_{1',3b} 10.8, J_{1',3a} 4.5 Hz, H-1'), 4.59 (dd, 1 H, $J_{5',6'b}$ 6.2 Hz, H-6'b), 4.58 (dd, 1 H, $J_{5',6'a}$ 3.3, $J_{6'a,6'b}$ -12.0 Hz, H-6'a), 4.35 (ddd, 1 H, H-5'), 2.80 (dddt, 1 H, J_{2,3b} 7.5, J_{3a,3b} 15.3 Hz, H-3b), 2.49 (ddt, 1 H, H-3a); (¹³C, 125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 117.99 (C-1), 133.04 (C-2), 31.16 (C-3), 71.78 (C-1'), 70.28 (C-2'), 70.93 (C-3'), 69.67 (C-4'), 69.48 (C-5'), 63.05 (C-6'), 166.19, 165.84, and 165.33 (4 OCOC₆H₅); m/z 621 (M + H)⁺, 579 (M - allyl)⁺, 500 (M - OBz $+ H)^+$, and 499 (M - OBz)⁺.

Anal. Calc. for C₃₇H₃₂O₉: C, 71.60; H, 5.19. Found: C, 71.62; H, 5.20.

The mother liquor of compound 2 was concentrated to a residue, which was chromatographed on a column of silica gel (50:1 PhMe-EtOAc) to afford an additional crop of 2 (0.55 g), leading to a 60% total yield.

Some fractions from the column were found to contain the β anomer of **2** (5) (0.10 g, 2.3%). Compound **5** was a foam, $[\alpha]_{D}^{25} + 34^{\circ}$ (*c* 0.7, CH₂Cl₂); ν_{max}^{NaCl} 1735 (C=O), 1600 (C=C aliphat.), 1500, and 1450 (C=C aromat.) cm⁻¹; n.m.r. data (¹H, 500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.32–8.03 (m, 20 H, OCOC₆H₅), 5.87 (m, 2 H, $J_{2,3a}$ 6.8, $J_{2,3b}$ 8.0 Hz, H-2 and H-3'), 5.62 (t, 1 H, $J_{3',4'} = J_{4',5'}$ 9.6 Hz, H-4'), 5.43 (t, 1 H, $J_{2',3'}$ 9.6 Hz, H-2'), 5.07 (dd, 1 H, $J_{1a,1b}$ 1.6, $J_{1b,2}$ 17.2, $J_{1b,3a} = J_{1b,3b} \sim 1$ Hz, H-1b), 5.02 (dd, 1 H, $J_{1a,2}$ 10.3, $J_{1a,3a} = J_{1a,3b} \sim 1$ Hz, H-1a), 4.60 (dd, 1 H, $J_{5',6'b}$ 3.1 Hz, H-6'b), 4.45 (dd, 1 H, $J_{5',6'a}$ 5.5, $J_{6'a,6'b} - 12.0$ Hz, H-6'a), 4.08 (ddd, 1 H, H-5'), 3.84 (ddd, 1 H, $J_{1',2'}$ 9.6 Hz, H-1'), 2.37–2.47 (m, 2 H, $J_{3a,3b}$ 15.2 Hz, H-3a and H-3b); (¹³C, 125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 117.93 (C-1), 133.04 (C-2), 35.82 (C-3), 77.84 (C-1'), 74.57 (C-2'), 76.08 (C-3'), 72.28 (C-4'), 70.07 (C-5'), 63.47 (C-6'), 166.16, 165.97, 165.36, and 165.27 (OCOC₆H₅); m/z 621 (M + H)⁺, 579 (M – allyl)⁺, 500 (M – OBz + H)⁺, and 499 (M – OBz)⁺.

Anal. Calc. for C₃₇H₃₂O₉: C, 71.60; H, 5.19. Found: C, 71.49; H, 5.22.

3-(α -D-Glucopyranosyl)-1-propene (4). — A solution of the tetrabenzoate 2 (1.5 g, 2.4 mmol) in dry MeOH (20 mL) was treated with 4.4M NaOMe in MeOH (0.11 mL) overnight and neutralized with Amberlite IR-120 (H⁺) resin. The resin was filtered off, washed with MeOH, and the filtrate was evaporated to a solid (0.49 g, 100%), m.p. 150–151° (from 2-propanol) (lit.¹ m.p. 150–151°).

2-Methyl-3-p-tolylsulfonyl-(3,4,6-tri-O-acetyl-1,2-dideoxy-B-D-glucopyrano)-[2,1-d]-1-imidazoline (6). — A mixture of 1,3,4,6-tetra-O-acetyl-2-deoxy-2-(ptoluenesulfonamido)- α , β -D-glucopyranose¹⁵ (1.5 g, 3.0 mmol), MeCN (8 mL), and BF₃·OEt₂ (4 mL) was boiled for 19 h under N₂. The solution was evaporated to dryness and diluted with CHCl₃. The solution was washed successively with water, saturated NaHCO₃ solution, and water, and dried over anhydrous MgSO₄. Evaporation gave a brown foam, which after treatment with MeOH afforded the title compound as a white solid (1.25 g, 87%), m.p. 104-105° (from methanol), $[\alpha]_D^{25} - 250^\circ$ (c 1, chloroform); ν_{max}^{NaCl} 1735 (C=O), 1650 (C=N), 1375 (S=O), and 1240 (C=O) cm⁻¹; n.m.r. data (¹H, 500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.77 (d, 2 H, J 8.2 Hz, C_6H_4), 7.40 (d, 2 H, J 8.2 Hz, C_6H_4), 5.50 (d, 1 H, $J_{1,2}$ 4.8 Hz, H-1), 5.50 (t, 1 H, $J_{3,4}$ 9.8 Hz, H-3), 4.95 (dd, 1 H, $J_{4,5}$ 4.7 Hz, H-4), 4.29 (dd, 1 H, $J_{5,6b}$ 5.4, $J_{6a,6b}$ -12.2 Hz, H-6b), 4.14 (dd, 1 H, $J_{5.6a}$ 2.9 Hz, H-6a), 3.90 (dd, 1 H, $J_{2.3}$ 8.4 Hz, H-2), 3.72 (ddd, 1 H, H-5), 2.45, and 2.43 (s, 6 H, N=CCH₃ and C₆H₄CH₃), 2.11 (s, 3 H, OAc), and 2.07 (s, 6 H, 2 OAc); (¹³C, 125 MHz): 8 91.63 (C-1), 68.23 (C-2), 77.25 (C-3), 57.79 (C-4), 76.99 (C-5), 63.17 (C-6), 160.43 (N-C=N), 145.31, 134.83, 130.31, 127.28 (SO₂C₆H₄), 170.54, 169.59 (3 CH₃CO), 21.54, 20.80, 20.66, and 17.48 (3 $CH_{3}CO$, $SO_{2}C_{6}H_{4}CH_{3}$, and $N=CCH_{3}$; m/z 483 (M + H)⁺ and 423 $(M - Ac - H_2O)^+$.

Anal. Calc. for $C_{21}H_{26}N_2O_9S$: C, 52.27; H, 5.43; N, 5.80; S, 6.64. Found: C, 52.19; H, 5.44; N, 5.76; S, 6.69.

trans-3-(Tetra-O-benzoyl- α -D-glucopyranosyl)-I-(p-tolylsulfonyl)-1-propene (8). — A solution of compound 2 (100 mg, 0.16 mmol) and Se-phenyl ptolueneselenolsulfonate (54.7 mg, 0.17 mmol) in CHCl₃ (4 mL) was boiled for 48 h. The solvent was removed, and the residue was treated with EtOH to give two crops of a white solid material (136 mg, 90%) which showed two spots on t.l.c. ($R_{\rm F}$ 0.27 and 0.19, 30:1 PhMe-EtOAc). Eighty mg (0.08 mmol) of this material was dissolved in CH_2Cl_2 (0.6 mL) and a solution of *m*-chloroperoxybenzoic acid (34 mg, 0.19 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (3.0 mL) was added during 5 min. The mixture was washed with 5% Na₂CO₃ solution, then water, dried over anhydrous MgSO₄, and evaporated to dryness to afford 66 mg (99%) of the title compound, m.p. 90-95° (from EtOH), $[\alpha]_{D}^{26}$ +54.3° (c 0.35, CH₂Cl₂); ν_{max}^{NaCl} 1735 (C=O), 1600 (C=C aliphat.), 1450, 1500 (C=C aromat.), 1325, and 1150 (S=O) cm⁻¹; n.m.r. data (¹H, 500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.24–8.08 (m, aromatic), 7.02 (ddd, 1 H, $J_{1,2}$ 15.1, $J_{2,3a}$ 2.3, J_{2.3b} 6.8 Hz, H-2), 6.51 (d, 1 H, J_{1.2} 15.1 Hz, H-1), 5.90 (t, 1 H, J_{2',3'} 8.1 Hz, H-3'), 5.54 (t, 1 H, $J_{3',4'}$ 8.1 Hz, H-4'), 5.48 (dd, 1 H, $J_{1',2'}$ 5.1 Hz, H-2'), 4.65 (ddd, 1 H, $J_{1',3a}$ 4.0, $J_{1',3b}$ 8.8 Hz, H-1'), 4.54 (dd, 1 H, $J_{5',6'a}$ 6.2 Hz, H-6'a), 4.45 (dd, 1 H, J_{5'.6'b} 3.5, J_{6'a,6'b} 12.1 Hz, H-6'b), 4.30 (ddd, 1 H, J_{4',5'} 8.1 Hz, H-5'), 2.97 (m, 1 H,

H-3b), 2.61 (m, 1 H, $J_{3a,3b}$ 16.5 Hz, H-3a), and 2.38 (s, 3 H, $C_6H_4CH_3$); m/z 776 (M + H)⁺, 775 (M)⁺, 653 (M - OBz - H)⁺.

Anal. Calc. for C₄₄H₃₈SO₁₁: C, 68.20; H, 4.94; S, 4.13. Found: C, 68.07; H, 4.97; S, 4.20.

cis-cis-3-(Tetra-O-benzyl-a-D-glucopyranosylmethyl)cyclohex-4-ene-1,2-dicarboxylic anhydride (9). - A solution of diene 1 (66 mg, 0.11 mmol) and maleic anhydride (21 mg, 0.21 mmol) in PhMe (1 mL) was heated at 80–90° for 8 h under N_2 . The solution was evaporated to a colorless residue which solidified after treatment with abs. EtOH. Recrystallization from EtOH gave the title compound, 60 mg (78%), m.p. 129–130°, $[\alpha]_D^{30}$ +51° (c 0.45, CHCl₃); ν_{max}^{NaCl} 1775 (C=O, anhydride); n.m.r. data (1H, 500 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.46–8.16 (m, C₆H₅), 5.95 (ddd, 1 H, H-5), 5.80 (dt, 1 H, $J_{3.4}$ 3.3, $J_{4.5}$ 9.3 Hz, H-4), 4.99–4.43 (4 dd, 8 H, $J_{A,B}$ 11–12 Hz, $CH_2C_6H_5$), 4.58 (m, 1 H, $J_{1',2'}$ 4.7 Hz, H-1'), 3.84–3.46 (m, 7 H, H-2',3',4',5',6'a,6'b,2), 3.21 (t, 1 H, $J_{1,2}$ 7.8 Hz, H-1), 2.61 (dd, 1 H, $J_{4,6a} = J_{1,6a}$ <1, $J_{5,6a}$ 8.4, $J_{6a,6b}$ 14.1 Hz, H-6a), 2.45 (m, 1 H, H-3), 2.30 (ddd, 1 H, $J_{1',7a}$ 3.8, J_{3,7a} 11.6, J_{7a,7b} 15.0 Hz, H-7a), 2.20 (ddd, 1 H, J_{3,7b} 4.8, J_{1',7b} 12.0 Hz, H-7b), 1.98 (m, 1 H, H-6b); (¹³C, 125 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 41.00, 41.70 (C-1,2), 30.93 (C-3), 134.14 (C-4,5), 24.24 (C-6), 26.15 (CH₂), 82.18 (C-1'), 78.06 (C-2'), 79.64 (C-3'), 70.38 (C-4'), 71.77 (C-5'), 69.66 (C-6'), 72.67, 73.51, 75.00, 75.47 (CH₂C₆H₅), 174.32, 171.98 (C=O), 137.94, 138.02, 138.05, 138.67 (CH₂C₆H₅), 127.63–128.40 (6 signals for C-4/C-5 and 4 CH₂C₆H₅); m/z 689 (M)⁺.

Anal. Calc. for C₄₃H₄₄O₈: C, 74.98; H, 6.44. Found: C, 74.87; H, 6.46.

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