

Abbreviations

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A

AAA	asymmetric allylic alkylation	
Ac	acetyl	
acac	acetylacetone	
Ad	1-adamantyl	
AD	asymmetric dihydroxylation	
Adoc	1-adamantyloxycarbonyl	
ADMET	acyclic diene polymerization	
AE	asymmetric epoxidation	
AIBN	2,2'-azobisisobutyronitrile	
Alloc	allyloxycarbonyl	
Alpine Borane	B-isopinocamphenyl-9-borabicyclo [3.3.1] nonane	
Am	amyl	
amu	atomic mass unit	
anhyd.	Anhydrous	
aq.	Aqueous or water solution	
AQN	anthraquinone	
Ar	aryl or argon	
atm	atmosphere	
au	atomic unit	

B

9-BBN	9-borabicyclo[3.3.1]nonane	
BHT	2,6-di- <i>t</i> -butyl- <i>p</i> -cresol	
BINOL	1,1'-bi-2,2'-naphthol	

bipy or bpy	2,2'-bipyridyl	
bmim	1-butyl-3-methylimidazolium cation	
BMS	borane-dimethyl sulfide complex	
Bn	benzyl	
Boc	<i>t</i> -butoxycarbonyl	
BOM	benzyloxymethyl	
BOP	benzotriazol-1-yloxytris(dimethylamino)phosphonium hexafluorophosphate	
BOP-Cl	bis(2-oxo-3-oxazolidinyl)phosphinic chloride	
b. p. or bp	boiling point	
B ₂ Pin ₂ (Bpin) ₂	or bis(pinacolato)diboron	
Bpoc	1-methyl-1-(4-biphenyl)ethoxycarbonyl	
BQ	benzoquinone	
Bredereck's reagent	<i>t</i> -butoxybis(dimethylamino)methane	
BroP	Bromotris(dimethylamino)phosphonium hexafluorophosphate	
Bs	<i>p</i> -bromobenzenesulfonyl (brosyl)	
BSA	<i>N,O</i> -bis(trimethylsilyl)acetamide	
BSTFA	<i>N,O</i> -bis(trimethylsilyl)trifluoroacetamide	
Bt	1- or 2-benzotriazol	
BTA	benzyltrimethylammonium cation	
<i>i</i> Bu	<i>iso</i> -butyl	
<i>sec</i> -Bu	<i>secondary</i> -butyl	

ⁿ Bu	normal-butyl	
^t Bu	tertiary-butyl	
Burgess' reagent	Methoxycarbonylsulfamoyl)triethylammonium Hydroxide, Inner Salt	
Bz	benzoyl	
C		
CAMCR	catalytic asymmetric multicomponent reaction	
CAN	ceric ammonium nitrate	(NH ₄) ₂ [Ce(NO ₃) ₆]
cat.	Catalyst or catalytic amount of	
CBS catalyst		
Cbz or Z	benzyloxycarbonyl	
CD	circular dichromism or cyclodextrin	
CDI	carbonyl diimidazole	
CHD	1,3- or 1,4-cyclohexadiene	
chloramine-T	<i>p</i> -toluenesulfonchloramide sodium salt	
CI-MS	chemical ionization mass spectrometry	
CIP	2-chloro-1,3-dimethylimidazolidinium hexafluorophosphate	
CMHP	cumene hydroperoxide	
CMMP	cyanomethylenetrimethyl phosphorane	
COD	1,5-cyclooctadiene	
Collins' reagent	dipyridine chromium(VI) oxide	CrO ₃ (Py) ₂
Collman's reagent	disodium tetracarbonylferrate	Na ₂ Fe(CO) ₄
Comin's reagent	2-[<i>N,N</i> -bis(trifluoromethylsulfonyl)amino]-5-chloropyridine	
conc.	Concentrated	

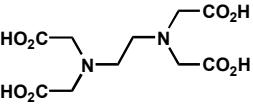
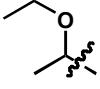
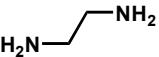
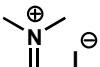
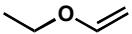
conv.	Conversion	
Corey lactone	(3a <i>R</i> ,4 <i>S</i> ,5 <i>R</i> ,6 <i>aS</i>)-(-)-5-(benzoyloxy)-hexahydro-4(-hydroxymethyl)-2H-cyclopenta[b]furan-2-one	
COSY	correlation spectroscopy	
COT	cyclooctatetraene	
Cp	cyclopentadienyl	
Cp*	1,2,3,4,5-pentamethyl cyclopentadienyl	
CPME	cyclopentylmethyl ether	
Crabtree's catalyst	(<i>SP</i> -4)tris(cyclohexyl)phosphane [(1- η ;5-6- η)-cycloocta-1,5-diene] pyridineiridium hexafluoridophosphate	[Ir(cod)(py)(PCy ₃)P _{F₆}
CSA	(1 <i>S</i>)-(+) -10-comphorsulfonic acid	
CSI	chlorosulfonyl isocyanate	ClSO ₂ NCO
CSI-MS	cold spray ionization mass spectrometry	
CT	charge transfer	
^c Hex or Cy	cyclohexyl	

D

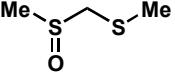
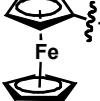
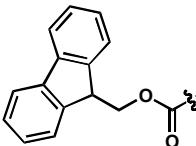
d	days	
Δ	heat	
DABCO	1,4-diazabicyclo[2.2.2]octane	
DAIB	3- <i>exo</i> -dimethylaminoisoborneol	
DAST	diethylaminosulfer trifluoride	
dba	dibenzylideneacetone	
DBN	1,5-diazabicyclo[4.3.0]non-5-ene	
DBU	1,8-diazabicyclo[5.4.0]undec-7-ene	
DCB	1,2-dichlorobenzene	

DCC	dicyclohexylarbodiimide	
DCE	1,2-dichloroethane	<chem>ClCH2CH2Cl</chem>
DCM	dichloromethane	<chem>CH2Cl2</chem>
DCU	<i>N,N'</i> -dicyclohexylurea	
DDQ	2,3-dichloro-5,6-dicyano-1,4-benzoquinone	
DEAD	diethyl azodicarboxylate	<chem>EtO2C-N#N-CO2Et</chem>
deg	degree	
DEIPS	diethylisopropylsilyl	<chem>Et2iPrSi-</chem>
DET	diethyl tartrate	
DHP	3,4-dihydro-2H-pyran	
DIAD	diisopropyl azodicarboxylate	<chem>iPrO2C-N#N-CO2iPr</chem>
Diazald	<i>p</i> -toluenesulphonylmethylnitrosamide	
DIBAL	or	
DIBAH	diisobutylaluminium hydride	
DIC	diisopropyl carbodiimide	
dien	diethylenetriamine	
diglyme	diethylene glycol dimethyl ether	
DIPEA	diisopropylethylamine	<chem>iPr2NEt</chem>
DIPA	diisopropylamine	<chem>iPr2NH</chem>
DIPT	diisopropyl tartrate	
DMA	<i>N,N</i> -dimethylacetamide	
DMB	dimethoxybenzyl	
DMAD	dimethyl acetylenedicarboxylate	<chem>MeO2C-C#C-CO2Me</chem>
DMAP	4-(dimethylamino)pyridine	

DMDO	dimethyldioxirane	
DME	1,2-dimethoxyethane	
DMF	<i>N,N</i> -dimethylformamide	
DMG	directed metalation group	
DMI	1,3-dimethylimidazolidine-2-one	
DMP	Dess-Martin periodinane	
DMPU	1,3-dimethyl-3,4,5,6-tetrahydro-2(1H)-pyrimidone	
DMS	dimethylsulfide	
DMSO	dimethylsulfoxide	
DMTr	4,4'-dimethoxytrityl	
DNPH	2,4-dinitrophenylhydrazine	
DNs	2,4-dinitrobenzenesulfonyl	
DoM	directed ortho metalation	
Dpp	diphenylphosphinyl	
Drierite	anhydrous carciun sulfate	
DPPA	diphenylphosphinyl azide	
DTBB	4,4'-di- <i>t</i> -butylbiphenyl	
DTBMP	2,6-di- <i>t</i> -butyl-4-methylpyridine	
DTBP	2,6-di- <i>t</i> -butylpyridine	
dr	diastereomeric ratio	
E		
<i>E</i>	<i>entgegen</i>	
EDC	or	
EDCI	1-ethyl-3-(3-dimethylaminopropyl)carbodiimide hydrochloride	

EDG	electron donating group	
EDTA	ethylenediamine tetraacetic acid	
EE	1-ethoxyethyl	
ee	enantiomeric excess	
EI-MS	electron impact mass spectrometry	
en	ethylenediamine	
ENDOR	electron-nuclear double resonance	
EPR	electron paramagnetic resonance	
eq or equiv	equivalent	
Eschenmoser reagent	NN-dimethylmethylenammonium iodide	
ESI-MS	electrospray ionization mass spectrometry	
ESR	electron spin resonance	
Et	ethyl	
ET	electron transfer	
EVE	ethyl vinyl ether	
EWG	electron withdrawing group	
EXAFS	extended X-ray absorption fine structure	
EXSY	exchange spectroscopy	

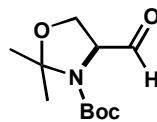
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FAB-MS	fast atom bombardment mass spectrometry	
FAMSO	formaldehyde dimethyldithioacetal S-oxide	
Fc	ferrocenyl	
Fetizon's reagent	silver carbonate – celite	Ag_2CO_3
FMO	frontier molecular orbital	
Fmoc	9-fluorenylmethoxycarbonyl	
FG	functional group	
fp or f.p.	flash point	
FRET	fluorescence resonance energy transfer	
FT-IR	Fourier transfer infrared spectroscopy	
FT-NMR	Fourier transform nuclear magnetic resonance	
FVP	flash vacuum pyrolysis	

G

Garner's
aldehyde

N-Boc-*N,O*-isopropylideneserinal



GC

gas chromatography

gem

geminal

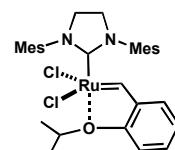
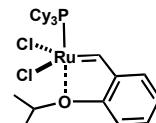
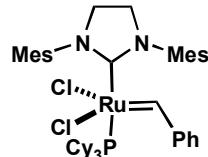
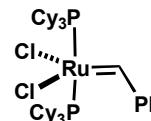
GPC

gel permeation chromatography

Grubbs' 1st
generation
catalyst

Grubbs' 2nd
generation
catalyst

Grubbs-Hove
yda catalyst



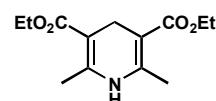
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h or hr

hour

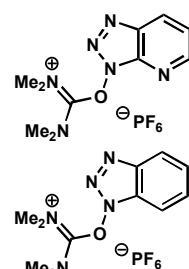
Hantzsch
ester

diethyl 1,4-dihydro-2,6-dimethyl-3,5-pyridinedicarboxylate



HATU

O-(7-azabenzotriazol-1-yl)-*N,N,N',N'*-tetramethyluronium
hexafluorophosphate



HBTU

O-(benzotriazol-1-yl)-*N,N,N',N'*-tetramethyluronium
hexafluorophosphate

Het

heterocycles

hfa

hexafluoroacetylacetone

HMBC

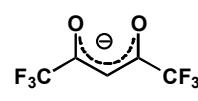
H-detected multiple-bond heteronuclear multiple quantum coherence

HMDS

1,1,1,3,3,3-hexamethyldisilazane

HMPA

hexamethylphosphoramide

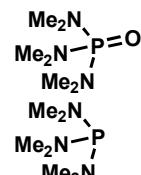


HMPT

hexamethylphosphorous triamide

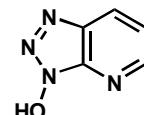
hv

irradiation with light



HOAt

1-hydroxy-7-azabenzotriazole



HOBT	1-hydroxybenzotriazole	
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HOHAHA	homonuclear Hartmann-Hahn spectrum
HOMO	highest occupied molecular orbital

HOSu	<i>N</i> -hydroxysuccinimide	
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HPLC	high performance liquid chromatography	
HSAB	hard and soft acids and bases	
HTS	high throughput screening	
Hunig's base	diisopropylethylamine	<i>i</i> Pr ₂ NEt
HWE reaction	Horner-Wadsworth-Emmons reaction	

I

IBX	2-iodoxybenzoic acid	
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Imid or Im	imidazole	
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INADEQUA TE	incredible natural abundance double quantum transfe experiment
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INDOR	internuclear double resonance
INEPT	insensitive nuclei enhanced by polarization transfer

IPA	isopropyl alcohol	
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Ipc	isopinocampheyl	
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IUPAC	International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry
IR	infrared spectroscopy

J

K

KDA	potassium diisopropylamide	
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KHMDS	potassium hexamethyldisilazide	
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K-Selectride	potassium tri- <i>s</i> -butylborohydride	
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L

LA or L.A.	Lewis acid
LAH	lithium aluminium hydride

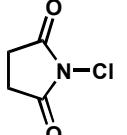
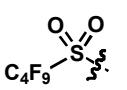
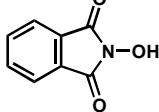
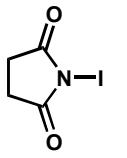
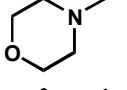
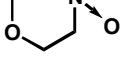
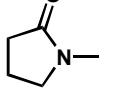
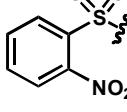
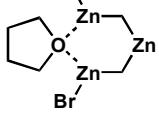
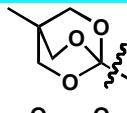
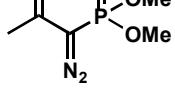


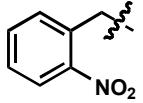
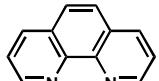
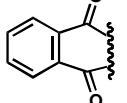
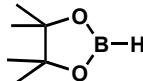
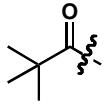
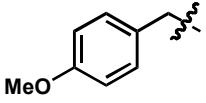
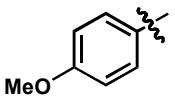
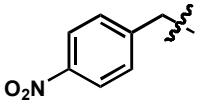
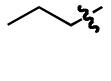
Lawesson's reagent	2,4-bis(4-methoxyphenyl)-1,3-dithia-2,4-diphosphetane-2,4-disulfide	
LB or L.B.	Lewis base	
LD	lethal dose	
LDA	lithium diisopropylamide	
LDBB	Lithium 4,4'-di-t-butylbiphenylide	
LHMDS	lithium hexamethyldisilazide	
LICA	lithium isopropylcyclohexylamide	
liq.	Liquid	
LTA	lead tetraacetate	Pb(Oac) ₄
LiTMP	lithium 2,2,6,6-tetramethylpiperidide	
LLB	LaLi ₃ tris(binaphthoxide)	
L-Selectride	lithium tri-s-butylborohydride	
LUMO	lowest unoccupied molecular orbital	

M

MAC	masked acyl cyanide	
MAD	methyl aluminium bis(2,4,6-tri-t-butyl-4-methylphenoxyde)	
MALDI	matrix-assisted laser desorption ionization	
Mander's reagent	methoxycarbonylcyanide	
MAO	methylaluminoxane	
Matrin sulfurane	Bis[α,α -bis(trifluoromethyl)benzenemethanolato]diphenylsulfur	
Mbs	<i>p</i> -methoxybenzenesulfonyl	
mCPBA	<i>m</i> -chloroperbenzoic acid	
Me	methyl	
Meldrum's acid	2,2-dimethyl-1,3-dioxane-4,6-dione	
MEM	2-methoxyethoxymethyl	

Mes	mesityl (2,4,6-trimethylphenyl)	
min	minute	
MMPP	magnesium monoperoxyphthalate	
MMTr	<i>p</i> -methoxyphenyldiphenylmethyl	
MNBA	2-methyl-6-nitrobenzoic anhydride	
MO	molecular orbital	
MOM	methoxymethyl	
MPM	<i>p</i> -methoxybenzyl	
mp or m.p.	melting point	
Ms	methanesulfonyl (mesyl)	
MS	molecular sieves	
MSH	<i>o</i> -mesitylenesulfonyl hydroxylamine	
MSTFA	<i>N</i> -methyl- <i>N</i> -(trimethylsilyl)trifluoroacetamide	
MTBE	methyl <i>tert</i> -butyl ether	
MTM	methylthiomethyl	
MTO	methyltrioxorhenium	
MPA-Cl	α -methoxy- α -trifluoromethyl-phenylacetyl chloride	
MVK	methyl vinyl ketone	
M.W.	molecular weight	
μ W	microwave	
N		
NaHMDS	sodium hexamethyldisilazide	
Naph or Np	naphthyl	
NBA	<i>N</i> -bromoacetamide	

nbd	norbornadiene	
NBS	<i>N</i> -bromosuccinimide	
NCS	<i>N</i> -chlorosuccinimide	
Nf	nonafluorobutanesulfonyl	
NHPI	<i>N</i> -hydroxyphthalimide	
NICS	nucleus-independent chemical shift	
NIS	<i>N</i> -iodosuccinimide	
NMM	<i>N</i> -methylmorpholine	
NMO	<i>N</i> -methylmorpholine oxide	
NMP	<i>N</i> -methylpyrrolidinone	
NMR	nuclear magnetic resonance	
NOE	nuclear Overhauser effect	
NOESY	nuclear Overhauser effect spectroscopy	
NR or n.r.	no reaction	
Ns	nitrobenzenesulfonyl (nosyl)	
Nysted reagent	cyclo-dibromodi- μ -methylene[μ -(tetrahydrofuran)]trizinc	
Nu or Nuc	nucleophile	
O		
OBO	2,6,7-trioxabicyclo[2.2.2]octyl	
Ohira-Bestmann reagent	dimethyl-1-diazo-2-oxopropylphosphonate	

<i>o</i> NB	<i>o</i> -nitrobenzyl	
ORD	optical rotatory dispersion	
Oxone		2KHSO ₅ /KHSO ₄ /K ₂ SO ₄
P		
PCC	pyridinium chlorochromate	(PyH)ClCrO ₃
PCR	polymerase chain reaction	
PDC	pyridinium dichromate	(PyH) ₂ Cr ₂ O ₇
PEG	polyethylene glycol	
Petasis reagent	bis(η^5 -cyclopentadienyl)dimethyltitanium	Cp ₂ TiMe ₂
PG	protective group	
Ph	phenyl	
Phen	1,10-phenanthroline	
Phth	phthaloyl	
PIDA	phenyliodonium diacetate	PhI(OAc) ₂
PIFA	phenyliodonium bis(trifluoroacetate)	PhI(OCOCF ₃) ₂
PinBH	pinacolborane	
Piv	pivaloyl	
PLE	pig liver esterase	
PMB	<i>p</i> -methoxybenzyl	
PMP	<i>p</i> -methoxyphenyl	
<i>p</i> NB	<i>p</i> -nitrobenzyl	
PPA	polyphosphoric acid	
ppb	parts per billion	
PPL	Porcine pancreatic lipase	
ppm	parts per million	
PPTS	pyridinium <i>p</i> -toluenesulfonate	(PyH)Ots
<i>i</i> Pr	isopropyl	
<i>n</i> Pr	<i>normal</i> -propyl	

Proton sponge	1,8-Bis(dimethylamino)naphthalene	
psi	pounds per square inch	
P.T.	proton transfer	
PTC	phase-transfer catalyst	
PTSA	<i>p</i> -toluenesulfonic acid	
Py or Pyr	pyridine or pyridyl	

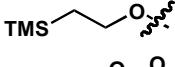
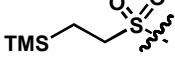
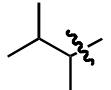
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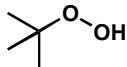
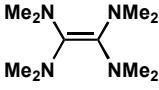
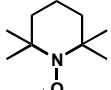
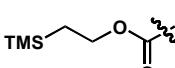
R	alkyl	
R	<i>rectus</i>	
<i>rac</i>	racemic	
RCAM	ring-closing alkyne metathesis	
RCM	ring-closing metathesis	
rds	rate-determining step	
Red-Al	sodium bis(2-methoxyethoxy)aluminium hydride	
R _f	perfluoroalkyl group	
Rf	retension factor in chromatography	
RI	reflactive index or radio isotope	
Rochelle salt	potassium sodium tartrate	
ROESY	rotating frame nuclear Overhauser and exchange spectroscopy	
ROM	ring-opening metathesis	
ROMP	ring-opening metathesis polymerization	
rt	room temperature	

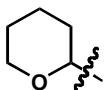
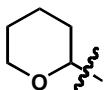
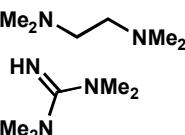
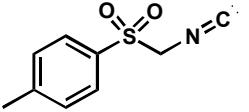
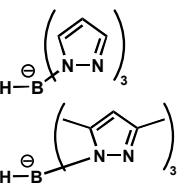
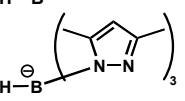
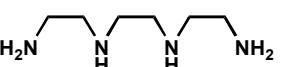
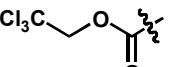
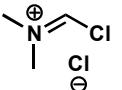
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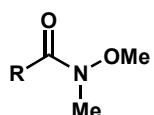
S	<i>sinister</i>	
s	seconds	
salen	<i>N,N'</i> -ethylenebis(salicylideneiminato)	
Schlosser's base		<i>n</i> -BuLi/ <i>t</i> -BuOK
Schrock's catalyst		

Schwartz's reagent	chloridobis(η^5 -cyclopentadienyl)hydrido zirconium	<chem>Cp2ZrHCl</chem>
SEM	2-(trimethylsilyl)ethoxymethyl	
SES	2-(trimethylsilyl)ethanesulfonyl	
SET	single electron transfer	
Sia	siamyl (<i>s</i> -isoamyl)	
SOMO	single occupied molecular orbital	
STM	scanning tunneling microscope	
Stryker's reagent	triphenylphosphine-copper(I) hydride hexamer	<chem>[Ph3PCuH]6</chem>
Super-Hydride	lithium triethylborohydride	<chem>LiHBET3</chem>

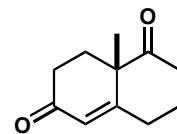
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TASF	tris(diethylamino)sulfonium difluorotrimethylsilicate	<chem>[(Et2N)3S][Me3SiF2]</chem>
TBAB	tetrabutylammonium bromide	<chem>"Bu4NBr</chem>
TBAC	tetrabutylammonium chloride	<chem>"Bu4NCl</chem>
TBAF	tetrabutylammonium fluoride	<chem>"Bu4NF</chem>
TBAI	tetrabutylammonium iodide	<chem>"Bu4NI</chem>
TBAT	tetrabutylammonium triphenyldifluorosilicate	<chem>"Bu4N][Ph3SiF2]</chem>
TBS	or <i>tert</i> -butyldimethylsilyl	
TBDMS	<i>tert</i> -butyldiphenylsilyl	
TBDPS	<i>tert</i> -butyldiphenylsilyl	
TBHP	<i>tert</i> -butylhydroperoxide	
TCDI	thiocarbonyldiimidazole	
TCA	trichloroacetic acid	<chem>Cl3CCO2H</chem>
TCE	2,2,2-trichloroethanol	<chem>Cl3CCH2OH</chem>
TDAE	tetrakis(dimethylamino)ethane	
TEA	triethylamine	<chem>Et3N</chem>
TEAB	tetraethylammonium bromide	<chem>Et4NBr</chem>
TEAC	tetraethylammonium chloride	<chem>Et4NCl</chem>
TEAI	tetraethylammonium iodide	<chem>Et4NI</chem>
TEMPO	2,2,6,6-tetramethylpiperidinyloxy	
Teoc	2-(trimethylsilyl)ethoxycarbonyl	
TES	triethylsilyl	
temp.	temperature	

Tf	trifluoromethanesulfonyl	
TFA	trifluoroacetic acid	$\text{CF}_3\text{CO}_2\text{H}$
TFAA	trifluoroacetic anhydride	$(\text{CF}_3\text{CO})_2\text{O}$
TFE	2,2,2-trifluoroethanol	$\text{CF}_3\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$
Thexyl	<i>tert</i> -hexyl	
THF	tetrahydrofuran	 or 
THP	tetrahydropyran or 2-tetrahydropyranyl	
TIPS	triisopropylsilyl	
TLC	thin layer chromatography	
TM	target molecule	
TMEDA	<i>N,N,N',N'</i> -tetramethylethylenediamine	
TMG	1,1,3,3-tetramethylguanidine	
TMS	trimethylsilyl or tetramethylsilane	
TosMIC	toluenesulfonylmethyl isocyanide	
TOF	time-of-flight or turnover frequency	
tol or tolyl	methylphenyl	
TON	turnover number	
Ts	<i>p</i> -toluenesulfonyl	
Tp	trispyrazoryl borate	
Tp*	tris(2,4-dimethylpyrazoryl)borate	
TPAP	tetra- <i>n</i> -propylammonium perruthenate	$^n\text{Pr}_4\text{N RuO}_4$
Tr	triphenylmethyl	Ph_3C^-
trien	triethylenetetramine	
Triton B	Benzyltrimethylammonium hydroxide	BnNMe_3OH
Troc	2,2,2-trichloroethoxycarbonyl	
TS	transition state	
U		
UV	ultraviolet	
V		
<i>vic</i>	<i>vicinal</i>	
Vilsmeier's reagent	<i>N</i> -Chloromethylene- <i>N,N</i> -dimethyl ammonium chloride	

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amide*N,O*-dimethylhydroxamic acidsWieland-Mie
scher ketone

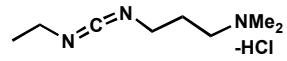
8a-methyl-3,4,7,8-tetrahydro-2H-naphthalene-1,6-dione

Wilkinson's
catalyst

chlorotris(triphenylphosphine)rhodium(I)

WSC or
WSCI

water-soluble carbodiimide

**X**

XAES X-ray absorption fine structure

XANES X-ray absorption near edge strucuture

XRD X-ray diffraction

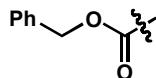
xyl or xylyl 3,5-dimethylphenyl

Y

y. yield

Z

Z benzyloxycarbonyl

Z *zusammen*

Ligand Name and Structures

