

Asymmetric Cooperative Catalysis of Strong Brønsted Acid–Promoted Reactions Using Chiral Ureas

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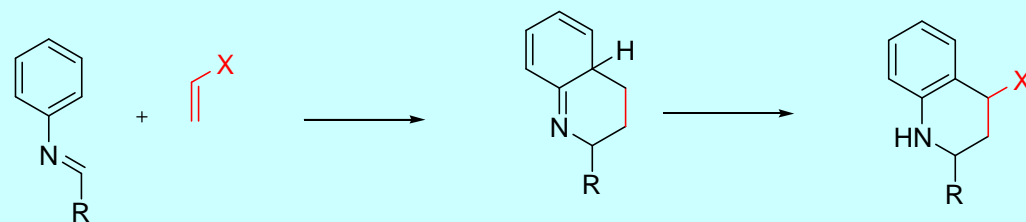
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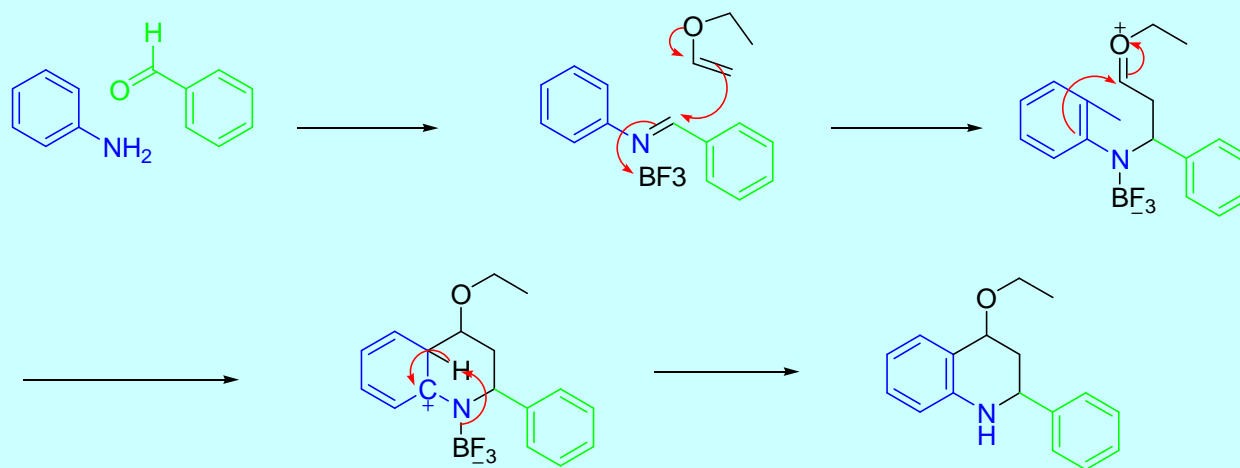
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Povarov reaction

Cycloaddition between an aromatic imine and alkene (must be electron rich).

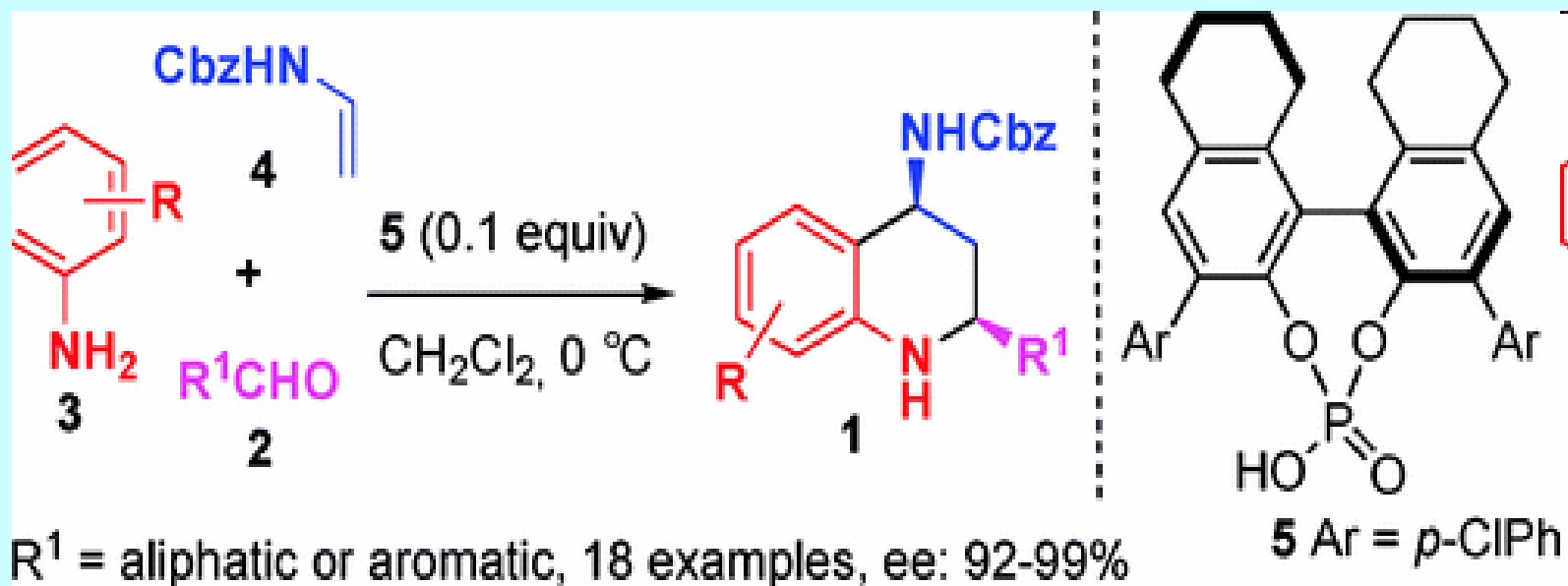


Mechanistic rationale



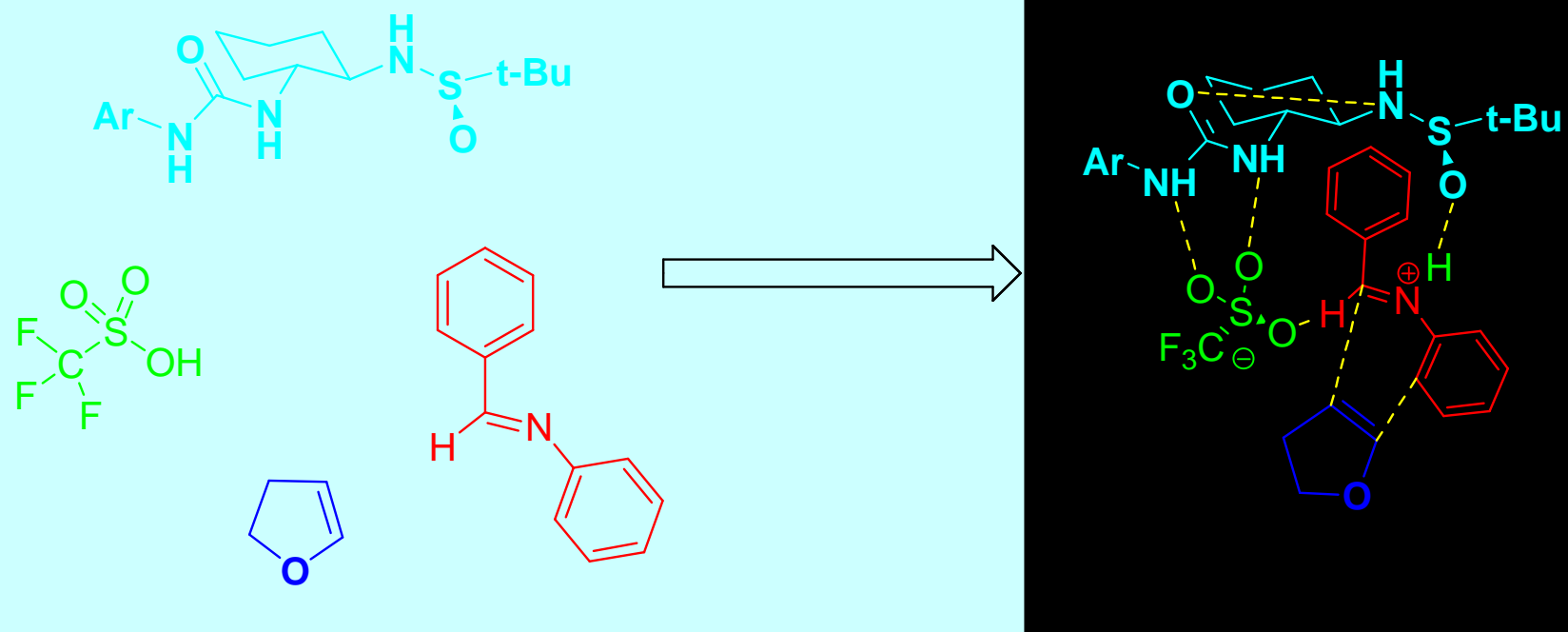
Background.....

Chiral Bronsted Acid-Catalysed Enantioselective Three-component Povarov Reaction



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Present reaction.....



Model Povarov reaction co-catalysed by *o*-nitrobenzenesulfonic acid and chiral ureas/thioureas.....

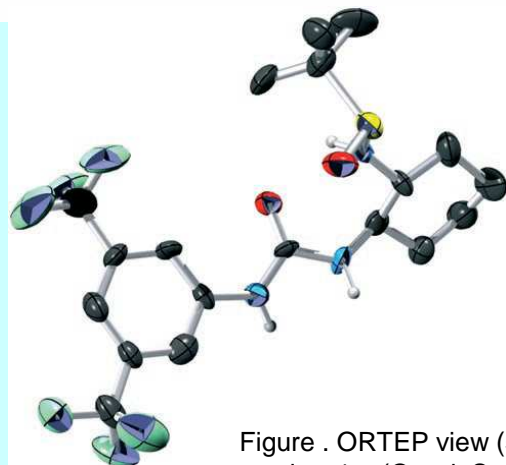
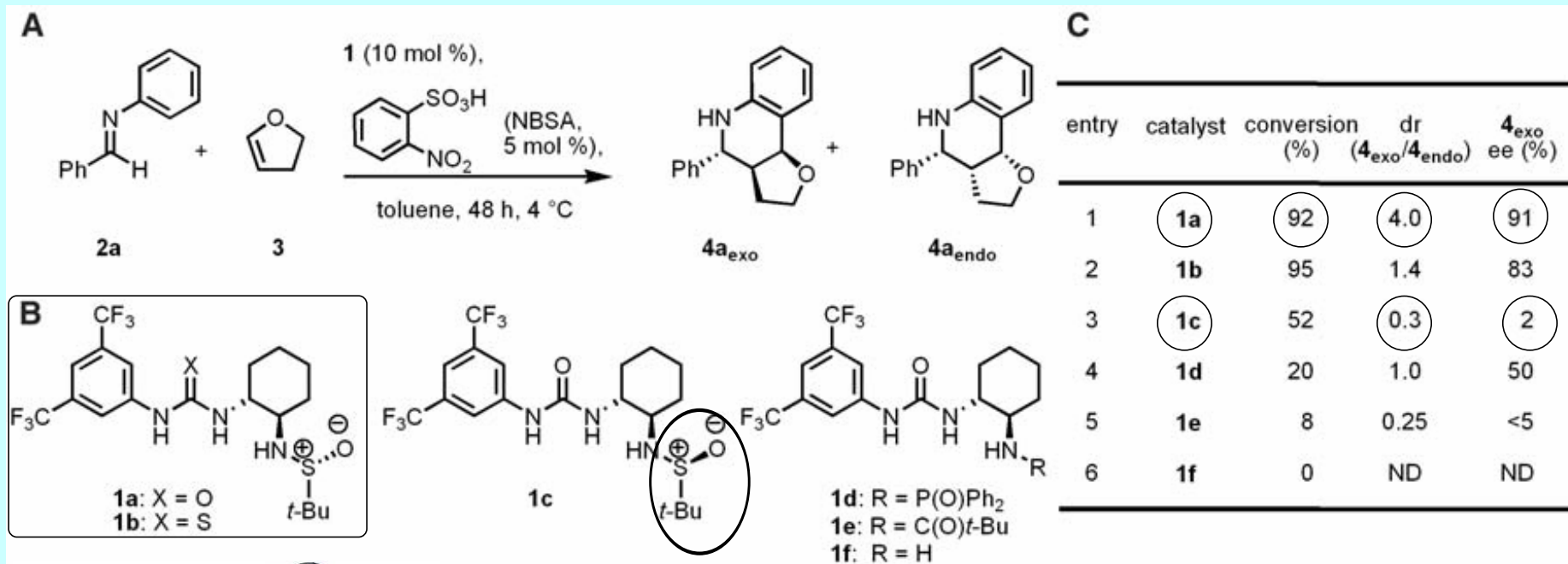
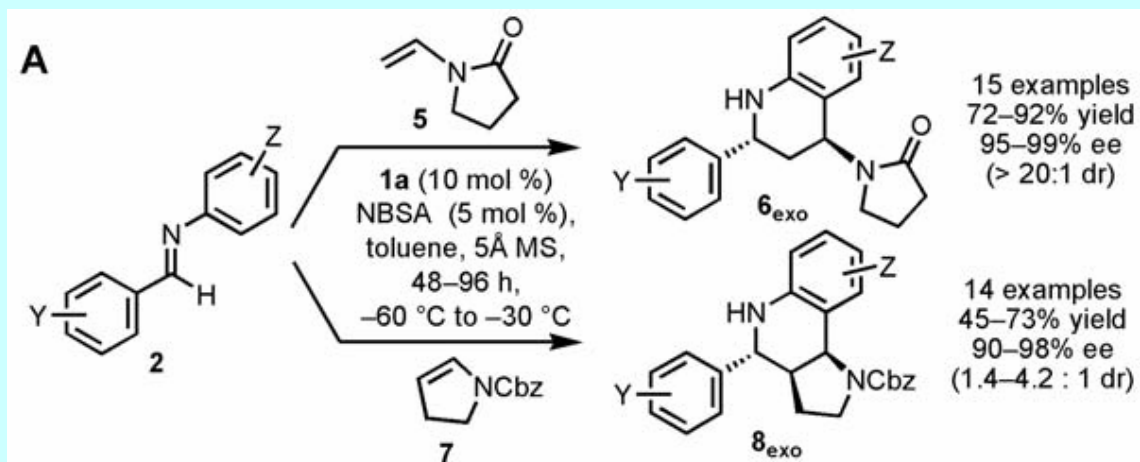
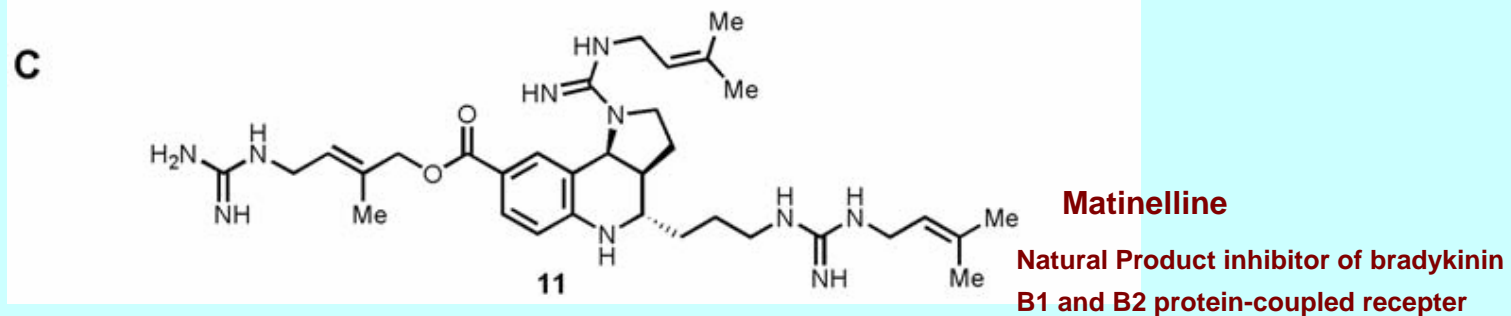
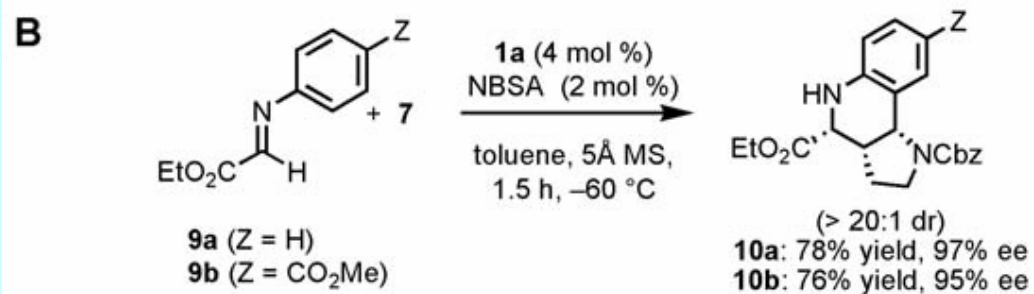


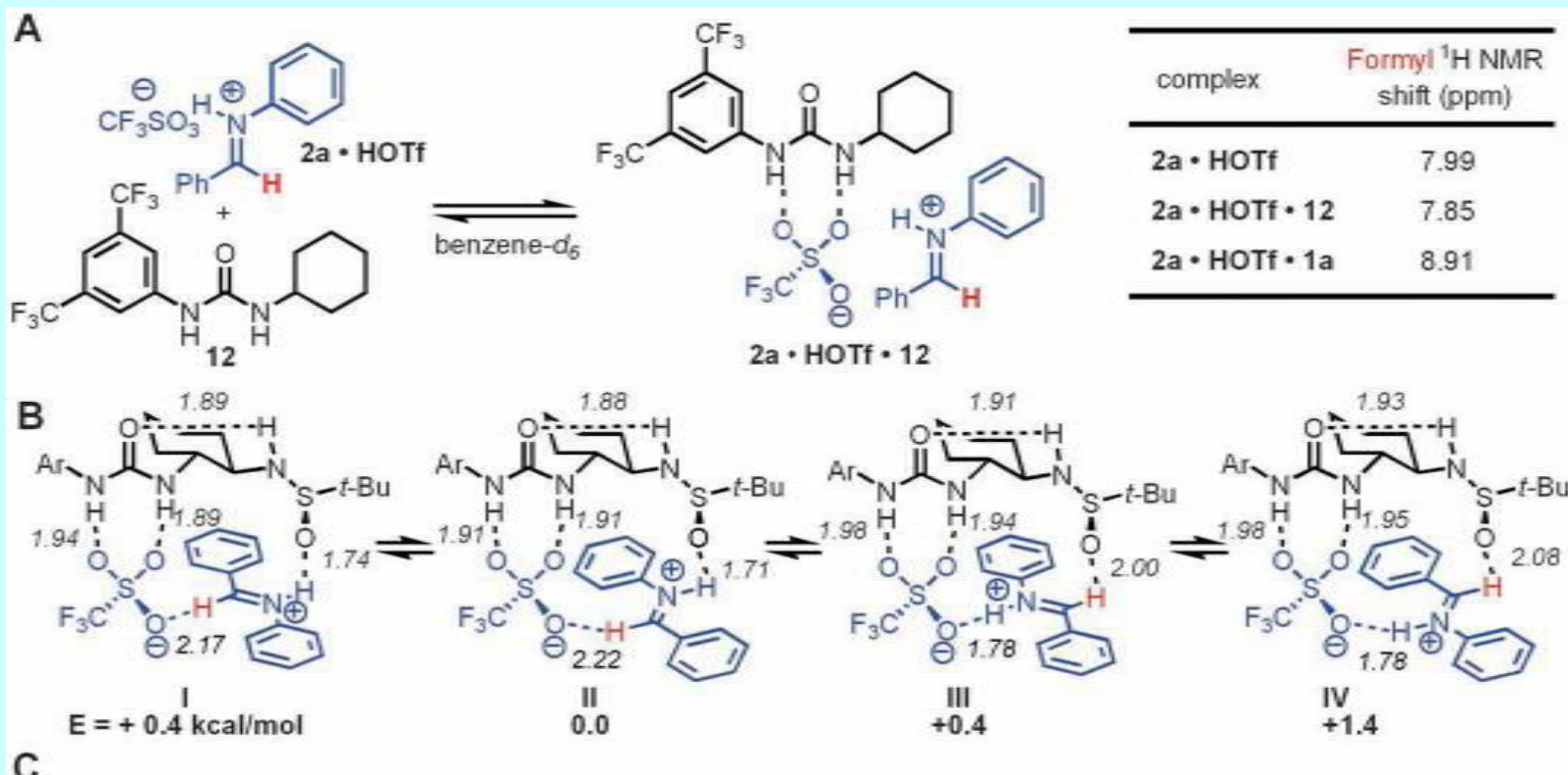
Figure . ORTEP view (50% probability level) of the solid-state structure of catalyst 1a. (O red, S yellow, F green, N blue, C gray).

Asymmetric Povarov Reaction catalyzed by 1a/NBSA.....

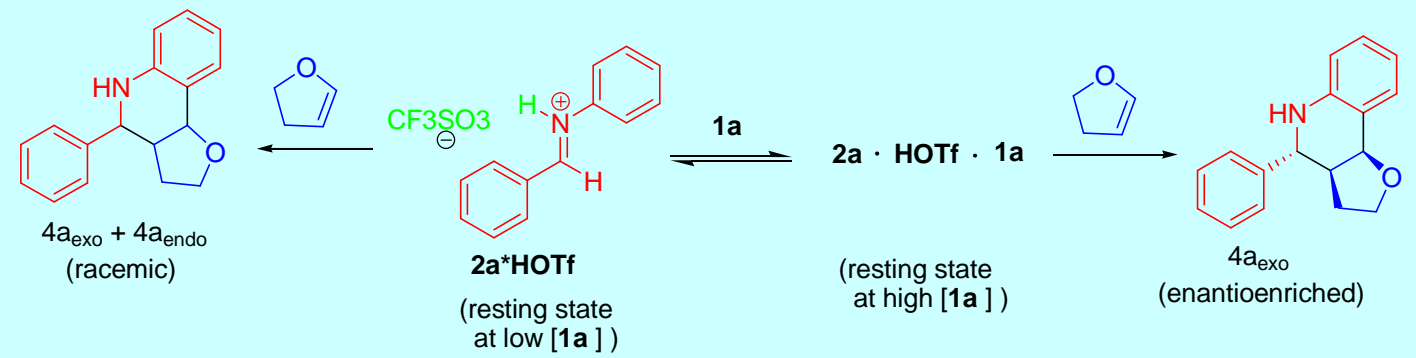
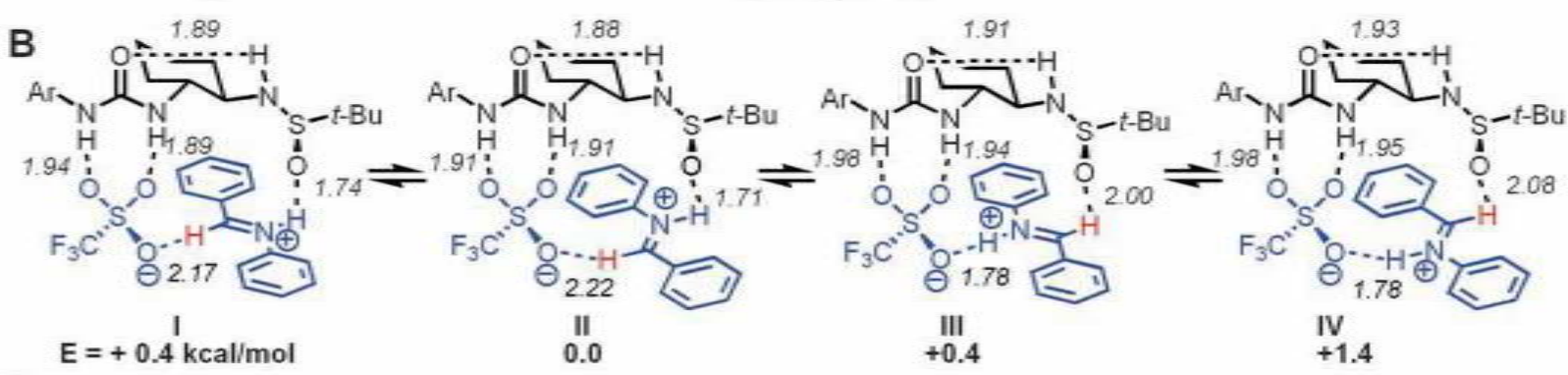


Y = H, 3-Cl, 3-Br, 3,5-OMe₂, 4-F, 4-Cl, 4-Br, 4-Me, 3-Me, 3,5-Me₂
Z = H, 4-CO₂Me, 4-Cl, 4-Br, 3,5-Me₂, 4-Me

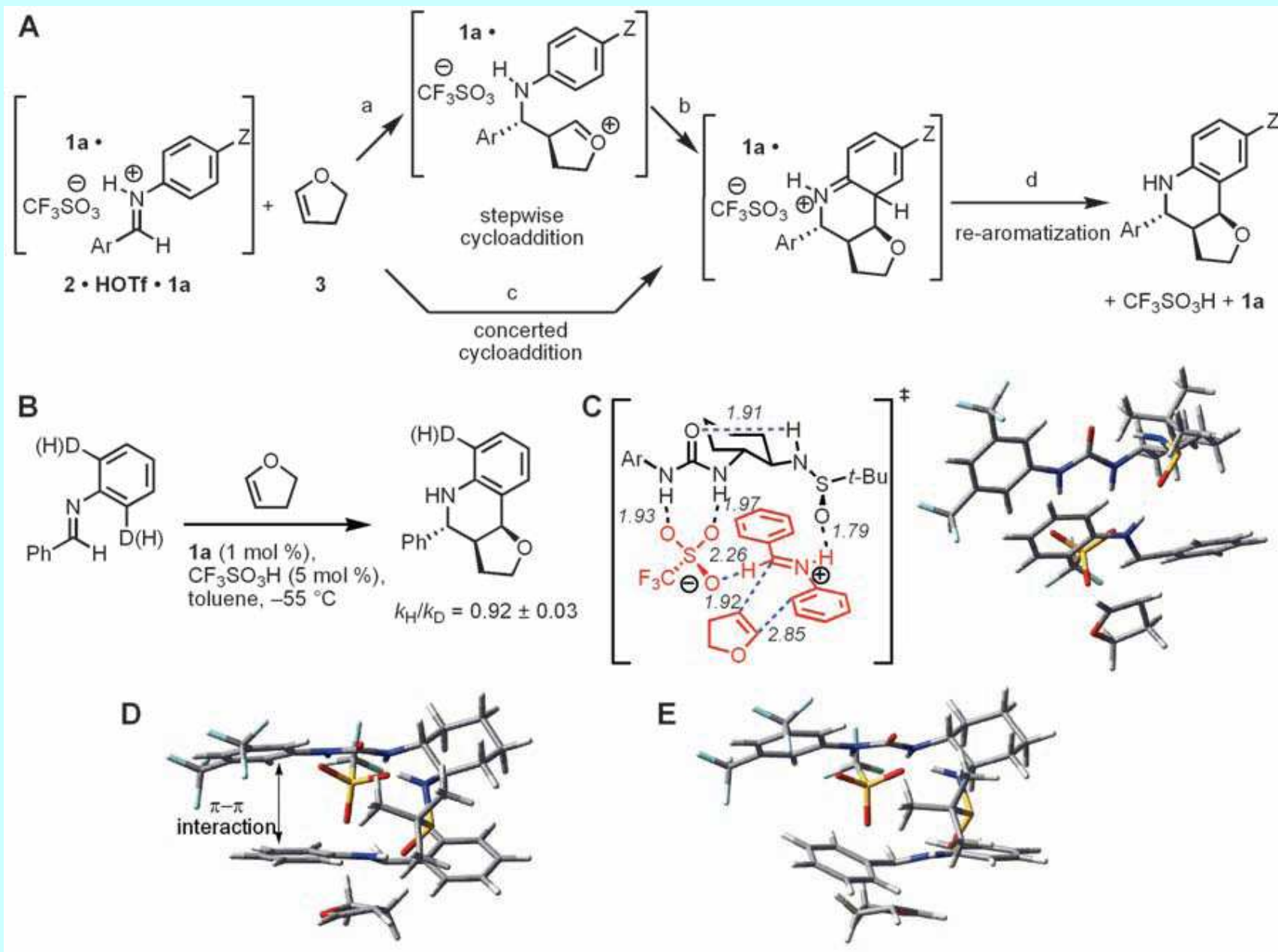




| complex | Formyl ¹ H NMR shift (ppm) |
|----------------|---------------------------------------|
| 2a · HOTf | 7.99 |
| 2a · HOTf · 12 | 7.85 |
| 2a · HOTf · 1a | 8.91 |



Possible Mechanism....



conclusion

- ***Enantioselective catalysis by 1a of a strong Bronsted acid-catalyzed Povarov reaction***
- ***Describes a strategy for inducing enantioselectivity in reaction of protio-iminium ions,***
- ***Chiral catalyst interacts with the highly reactive intermediate through a network of noncovalent interaction***
- ***This interaction leads to an attenuation of the reactivity of iminium ion and allows high enantioselectivity in cycloaddition with electron-rich alkenes (the Povarov reaction).***
- ***Illustrating the ability of Bifunctional catalyst 1a to control precisely the outcome of this reaction through noncovalent interaction alone.***

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