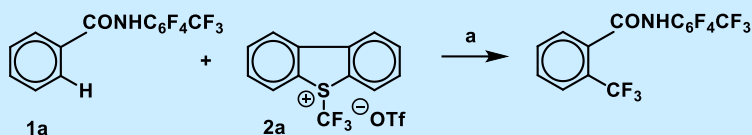


2,3,5,6-Tetrafluoro-4-(trifluoromethyl)aniline



Purity	97%
CAS Number	651-83-2
Molecular Formula	C7H2F7N
Molecular Weight	233.09

1. Trifluoromethylated aromatics are considered as basic structures for medicines and agrochemicals. Although there are reports of cross-coupling synthesis between activated aromatics (halogen, boron) and CF₃-forming agents using Pd/Cu catalysts, there are still few methods for directly introducing CF₃ groups into aromatic C-H bonds. Selective introduction of CF₃ groups at the o-position of acidic aromatic amides is achieved with a good yield through the composition of Pd-Cu catalyst + CF₃-C6F₄-directing group + amide additive + TFA.



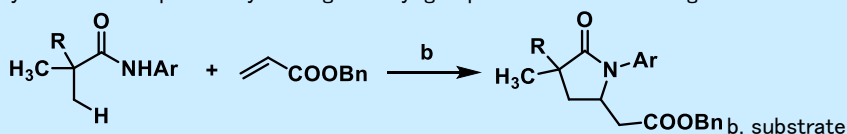
a. 1a; 0.1mmol,

2a; 0.15mmol, Pd(OAc)₂ 10mol%, TFA 1mmol, additive 15eq, DCE 3ml, 130°C*24hr, isolated yield, abb. NMF; N-methylformamide

No.	Aromatic substrates	additives	Cu(OAc) ₂	Yield(%)
2	C ₆ H ₅ CONHC ₆ F ₄ CF ₃	DMF 15eq	1 eq	23
3	C ₆ H ₅ CONHC ₆ F ₄ CF ₃	DMF 15eq	2 eq	57
6	C ₆ H ₅ CONHC ₆ F ₄ CF ₃	NMF 15eq	2 eq	79
3c	CH ₃ C ₆ H ₅ CONHC ₆ F ₄ CF ₃	NMF 15eq	2 eq	94
3e	CH ₃ OC ₆ H ₅ CONHC ₆ F ₄ CF ₃	NMF 15eq	2 eq	89

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2. Olefin addition to aliphatic C-H bonds was investigated using the Pd(OAc)₂/ Cu(OAc)₂ catalyst system and N-aryl pivalic acid/benzyl acrylate as a model. It has been found that the yield can be improved by making the aryl group electron-withdrawing.



0.2mmol, 0.1ml C₆H₅CH₂OCOCH=CH₂, 10mol% Pd(OAc)₂, 2.0eq LiCl, 1.1eq Cu(OAc)₂, 1ml DMF, N₂, 120°C*12hr

No.	R	Ar	AgOAc (eq)	Yd (%)
1a	CH ₃	-C ₆ H ₅	-	1
1b	CH ₃	-C ₆ H ₃ (NO ₂) ₂	-	47
1c	CH ₃	-C ₆ F ₅	-	71
1d	CH ₃	-C ₆ F ₄ CF ₃	-	88
8a	H	-C ₆ F ₅	1.1	55
9a	H	-C ₆ F ₄ CF ₃	1.1	91
10a	CH ₃	-C ₆ F ₄ CF ₃	1.1	94

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Application

Properties:

Appearance

Liquid

Boiling point, °C

185-186