

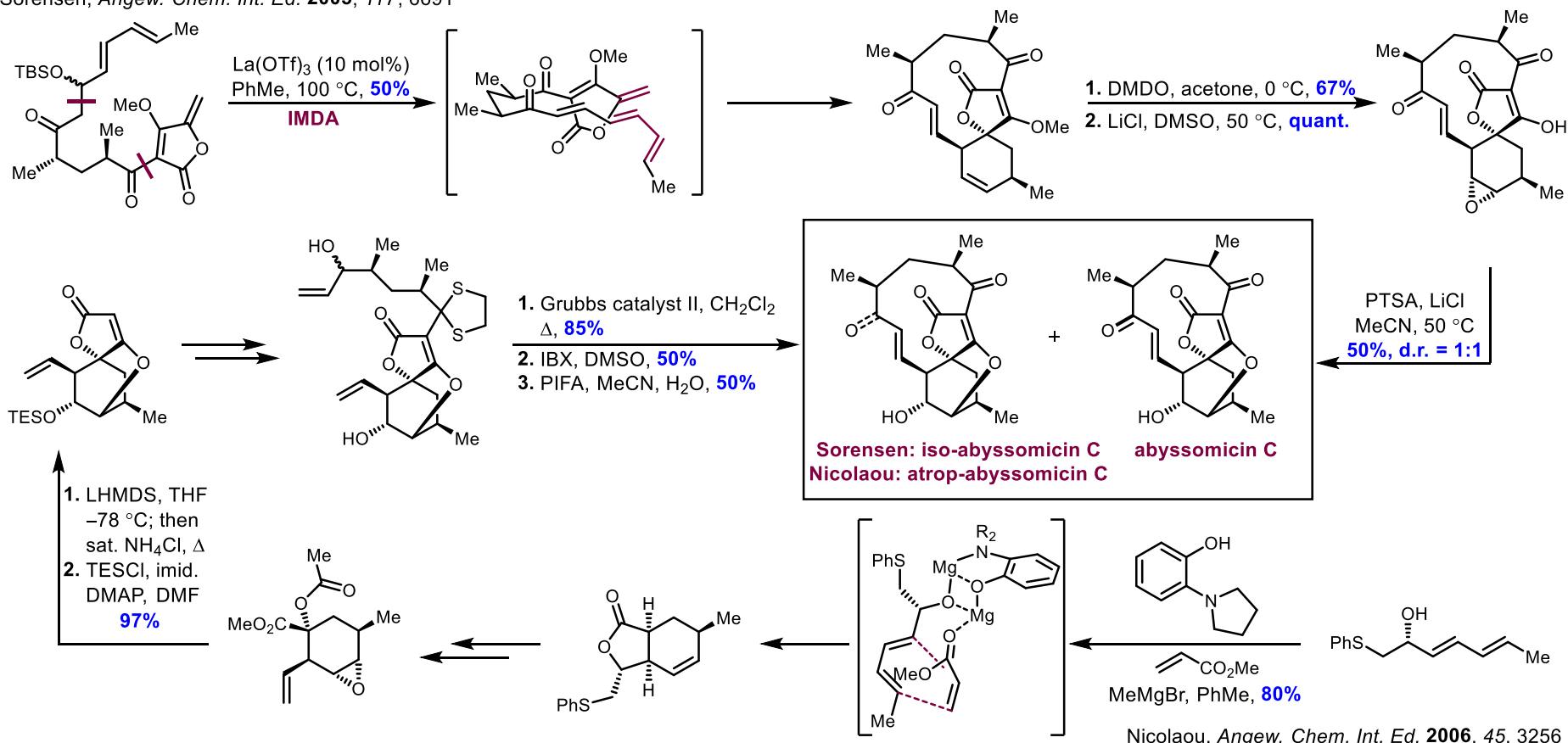
-Abyssomicin C was isolated in 2004 from actinomycete *Verrucosispora* strain collected in the Japanese sea.
 -It is a potent antibiotic for mutiresistant Gram-positive bacteria (MRSA and VRSA).
 -In 2006, Nicolaou has disclosed that atropisomerism is possible within the eleven-membered ring by getting X-ray structures of both atropisomers.
 -atrop-Abyssomicin C was isolated in 2007, has the highest activity among its congeners, and can be converted to abyssomicin C which is now believed to be an artifact.

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