# Application of Two Direct C(sp<sup>3</sup>)-H Functionalizations for the Total Synthesis of (+)-Lactacystin



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- Isolated from *Streptomyces* sp. OM-6519 by Omura in 1991
- Proteasom Inhibitor, Cancer Treatment
- Significant attention as synthetic target:
  - Total Synthesis (13)
  - Corey (1992), Smith (1993), Russel (1994), Ogawa (1995), Corey (1998), Corey (1998), Masse (1999), Plamondon (1999), Hatakeyama (2004), Shibasaki (2006), Jacobsen (2006), Prodger (2008), Silverman (2011)
  - Formal Total Synthesis (12)
  - Jun (1998), Youn (1998), Ohfune (2000), Harling (2005), Bowen (2005), Jung (2007), Kobayashi (2007), Langlois (2007), Rescourio (2008), Hayes (2010), Hayes (2013), Chandrasekhar (2014)

## **Development** Comparison to first TS

- Corey's approach (1992)



E. J. Corey, G. A. Reichard, J. Am. Chem. Soc. 1992, 114, 10677–10678.

## **Retrosynthetic Pathway** Starting from (*S*)-pyroglutaminol (6)



**Direct transformation** of  $C(sp^3)$ –H bonds to  $C(sp^3)$ –C bonds eliminates the preactivation  $\rightarrow$  Permits design of **simpler** synthetic schemes

## **Synthesis** Preliminary Studies, Developments

- Intermolecular C(sp<sup>3</sup>)–H functionalization



- Selectivity (*a*-N Hydrogen  $\rightarrow$  *a*-O Hydrogen  $\rightarrow$  aliphatic Hydrogen)
- Intramolecular C(sp<sup>3</sup>)–H functionalization



Norrish-Yang cyclization followed by oxidative ring opening

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### **Synthesis** Exploring the Selectivity Towards Alkynylation Product



K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> MeOH, 0 °C 54% (2 steps)

# **Synthesis** Second C(sp<sup>3</sup>)–H Functionalization



- Norrish-Yang cyclization not working with Hg lamp, photoexcitaion of ketol  $\rightarrow$  LED longer wavelength
- Epimerization observed without Na<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>

Carlsen, P. H. J.; Katsuki, T.; Martin, V. S.; Sharpless, K. B. J. Org. Chem. 1981, 46, 3936

## **Synthesis** Construction of (+)-Lactacystin I



Tamao, K.; Kawauchi, A.; Ito, Y. J. Am. Chem. Soc. **1992**, *114*, 3989 Crump, R. A. N. C.; Fleming, I.; Urch, C. J. J. Chem. Soc., Perkin Trans. 1 **1994**, 701

## **Synthesis** Construction of (+)-Lactacystin II





# Conclusion

- **Novel route** to (+)-lactacystin from (*S*)-pyroglutaminol
- "Reasonable" application of intermolecular C–H alkynylation and intramolecular C–H acylation
- **High applicability** of the two C(sp<sup>3</sup>)–H functionalizations
- High predictability of their chemoselectivities (*a*-N−H → *a*-O−H → aliphatic
  H)
- Further applications are under investigation

# Thank you for your attention

### Supplementary Information Intermolecular C(sp<sup>3</sup>)–H Functionalization



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### **Supplementary Information** Explanation for Stereochemical Outcome of Alkynylation



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### **Supplementary Information** Protonation of Fleming-Tamao Oxidation Enolate



### Supplementary Information Biosynthesis



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## Supplementary Information Norrish-Yang Cyclization



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