## Total Synthesis of ( $\pm$ )-Hippolachnin A



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2) Give the mechanism for the formation of 5 from 4.
3) Give the missing reagent for the transformation of 5 to $\mathbf{6}$. What is the name of this reaction?
4) What is the structure of the final product 8 and the corresponding mechanism? What is the name of this reaction?


5) Give the structure 10 and explain the relative stereochemistry. What are the missing conditions and reagents for the formation of 11 from ( $\pm$ )-9?
6) What are the reagents for the formation of 12 from $11 ?$
7) Give the the structure of the final product 14 and the corresponding mechanism.
8) Give the mechanism for the formation of 4-hydroxycyclopent-2-enone from furguryl alcohol.

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