Supporting Information for:

# Construction of the Bacteriochlorin Macrocycle with Concomitant Nazarov Cyclization To Form the Annulated Isocyclic Ring: Analogues of Bacteriochlorophyll a 

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## 1. Nomenclature

Compounds of type $\mathbf{1 2}$ are unsaturated linear tetrapyrrole species with some similarity to bilins (e.g., bilirubin, biliverdin, urobilin, etc.), which are degradation products of chlorophylls. However, unlike bilins, ring C and ring D in $\mathbf{1 2}$ species are not joined via a methylene bridge. Herein, the linear species $\mathbf{1 2}$ are built from Western and Eastern halves. The Western and Eastern halves are named as 2,3-dihydro-3,3-dimethyldipyrrins in accord with the literature. ${ }^{6}$ Such compounds are keystones in this synthetic route. Thus, the nomenclature for compounds of type $\mathbf{1 2}$ employed herein relies on the name of the propenone as the parent system, to which are attached the Western and Eastern halves as substituents. The parent propenone is shown in red in Chart S1. This nomenclature should provide an understandable name and be consistent with our previous nomenclature in chlorin and bacteriochlorin chemistry.

## Chart S1. Nomenclature employed herein


parent system

## 2. Spectral data



13C OBSERVE
Pulse Sequence: s2pul
Solvent: CDC13
Ambient temperature
Mercury-300BB "ncsumerc300"
Pulse 39.0 degrees
Aca. time 1.815 se
Width 18761.7 Hz
50000 repetitions
OBSERVE C13, 75.3827063 MHz

Power 40 dB
cont inuous ly on
continuous ly on
WALTZ-16 modulated
DATA PROCESSING
Line broadening 1.0 Hz
Line broadening 1.0 Hz
FT size $131072 \mathrm{hr}, 20 \mathrm{~min}, 6 \mathrm{sec}$



Standard in observe
Pulse Sequence: $\$ 2 p u 1$
Solvent: COC13
Mercury-300BB "ncsumerc300"
Relax. de lay 1.000 sec
Pulse 36.0 degrees
Acq. time 1.995 sec
Acq time 1.995
Width $1506.5 \mathrm{~Hz}^{2}$
64 repetitions
OBSERVE H1, 299.7918075 mHz
OBSERVE H1, 299.7918075
rotal time $3 \mathrm{~min}, 18 \mathrm{sec}$


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13C ObSERVE
Pulse Sequence: s2pu
Solvent: CDCl3
Ambient temperature
Mercury-300BB "ncsumerc300"
Pulse 39.0 degrees
idth 18761.7 Hz
50000 repetitions
OBSERVE C13, 75.3826926 MHz
DECOUPLE H1, $\quad 299.7932667 \mathrm{MHz}$ Power 40 dB
continuously on
cont inuously on
WALTZ-16 modulated
WALTZ-16 modulat
DATA PROCESSING
Line broadening 1.0 Hz
FT size 131072
Total time $29 \mathrm{hr}, 20 \mathrm{~min}, 6 \mathrm{sec}$







13C OBSERVE
Pulse Sequence: s2pu
Solvent: CDC13
Mercury-400BB "ncsumerc400"
Pulse 29.0 degrees
Acq. time 1.199 se
Width 25000.0 Hz
OBSERVE C13, 100.6113782 MH
DECOUPLE H1, 400.1266027 MHZ
Power 40 dB
Continuously on
WALTZ-16 modulated
DATA PROCESSING
Line broadening 1.0 Hz
FT Size 65536
Total time $7 \mathrm{hr}, 9 \mathrm{~min}, 47 \mathrm{sec}$


3b

b

## STANDARD PROTON PARAMETERS

Sample Name:
shaofei
Data Collected on:
m300.chem.ncsu.edu-mercury 300
Archive directory:
/home/vnmr1/vnmrsys/data

## Sample directory:

N-300_calib_20160906_01
Fidrile: methylester_dihydrodipyrrin_hnmr

## Pulse Sequence: PROTON (s2pul)

Solvent: cdel3
Data collected on: Sep 102016
$\mathrm{MeO}_{2} \mathrm{C}$
4a

$4 \mathbf{a}$

## STANDARD PROTON PARAMETERS

## Sample Name:

shaofei
Data Collected on:
m300.chem.ncsu.edu-mercury300
Archive directory:
/home/vnmr1/vnmrsys/data
Sample directory:
N-300_calib_20160906_01 FidFile: CARBON

Pulse Sequence: CARBON (s2pul) Solvent: cdcl3
Data collected on: Sep 102016




13C OBSERVE
Pulse Sequence: s2pul
Solvent: COC13
Ambient temperature
Mercury-400BB ${ }^{\text {nncsumerc400" }}$
Pulse 29.0 degrees
Alse time 199 sec
Width 2500000 Hz
50000 repetitions
OBSERVE C13,
DECOUPLE
H1 ${ }^{100.6113782 ~ M H z}$ Power 40 dB ,
Continuously on
WALTZ-16 modula
DATA PROCESSING
Line broadening 1.0 Hz
FT size 65536
Total time $17 \mathrm{hr}, 54 \mathrm{~min}, 26 \mathrm{sec}$





Sample Name:
shaofei_934-7
Data Collected on:
m400.chem.ncsu.edu-mercury 400 Archive directory:

## Sample directory

FidFile: 934-7h
pulse Sequence: PROTON (s2pul) Solvent: cdel3
Data collected on: Sep 222016



## Sample Name:

shaofei_934-7
pata collected on:
m400.chem.ncsu.edu-mercury 400
Axchive dixectory:
Sample directory:
FidFile: CARBON
Pulse Sequence: CARBON (s2pul)
Solvent: cdel3
Data collected on: Sep 222016


80
40



## Sample Name:






Sample Name:
shaofei_934-2
Data Collected on:
m400.chem.ncsu.edu-mercury 400
Archive directory:
Sample directory:


Sample Name:
shaofei_934-2
Data Collected on:
m400. chem.ncsu.edu-mercury 400 Archive directory:


Sample directory
FidFile: CARBON
Pulse Sequence: CARBON (s2pul) Solvent: cdel3
Data collected on: Sep 212016


## Sample Name:

shaofei_934-2
Data Collected on:
m400. chern.ncsu.edu-mercury 400
Archive directory:


Sample directory:
FidFile: 934-3h
Pulse Sequence: PROTON (s2pul) Solvent: cdcl3
Data collected on: Sep 212016


## Sample Name:

shaofei 934-2
Data collected on:
m400.chem.ncsu.edu-mercury 400
Archive directory:


Sample directory:
FidFile: CARBON
Pulse Sequence: CARBON (s2pul) Solvent: cdel3
Data collected on: Sep 212016



## Sample Name:

shaofei_934-2
Data Collected on :
m400.chem.ncsu.edu-mercury 400
Archive directory:


## FidFile: CARBON

Pulse Sequence: CARBON (s2pul) Solvent: cdc13
Data collected on: Sep 212016


StANDARD IH OBSERVE
Pulse Sequence: s2pul
Solvent: $\operatorname{CDC} 13$
Ambient temperature
Mercury-300BB "ncsumerc638"
Relax. delay 1.000 sec
Pulse 50.4 degrees
Acq. time 1.995 sec
Width 4506.5 Hz
64 repetitions
OBSERVE H1 $300.1683401 ~ M H z ~$ DATA PROCESSIN
FT size 32768
Total time $3 \mathrm{~min}, 18 \mathrm{sec}$



13C OBSERVE
Pulse Sequence: s2pul
Solvent: COC13
Ambient temperature
Mercury-400BB "ncsumerc400"
Pulse 81.2 degrees
Aca. time 1.199 sec
4096 repetitions
OBSERVE C13, 100.6113782 MHz
DECOUPLE H1, 400.1266027 MHZ
Power 44 dB
WALTZ-16 modulate
DATA PROCESSING
Line broadening 1.0 Hz
Line broadening 1.0 Hz
T size 65536
Total time $1 \mathrm{hr}, 40 \mathrm{~min}, 6 \mathrm{sec}$


Sample Name:
shaofei_934-2
Data collected on:
m400. chem.ncsu. edu-mercury 400
Archive directory:

## Sample directory:

## FidFile: 934-6h

Pulse Sequence: PROTON (s2pul Solvent: cdc13
Data collected on: Sep 212016



Sample Name:
shaofei_934-2
Data collected on
m400. chem.ncsu. edu-mercury 400
Archive directory:
Sample directory:
FidFile: CARBON
Pulse Sequence: CARBON (s2pul)

## Solvent: cdc13

Data collected on: Sep 212016





## Sample Name:

shaofei_aldehyde_EtEs
Data Collected on:
m400.chem.ncsu.edu-mercury 400 Archive directory:

## Sample directory:

## FidFile: dihydrodipyrrin_Me_EEEs_HNMR

Solvent: cdcl3
Data collected on: Oct 212016



Sample Name:
shaofei_aldehyde_EtEs
Data Collected on:
m400. chem.ncsu.edu-mercury 400
Archive directory:
Sample directory:
idFile: CARBON
pulse Sequence: CARBON (s2pul) Solvent: cdc13
Data collected on: oct 212016



Sample Name:
shaofei936
Data Collected on:
m400.chem.ncsu.edu-mercury 400
Archive directory:

## Sample directory:

FidFile: 930_tetrapyrrolelinearcompound_ptol_hnmr
Pulse Sequence: PROTON (s2pul) Solvent: cacl3
Data collected on: oct 12016


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Sample Name:
shaofei_934-7
Data Collected on
m400.chem.ncsu.edu-mercury 400 Archive directory:

## sample airectory:

FidFile: 932_tetrapyrrolelinearcompound
Pulse Sequence: PROTON (s2pul)
Solvent: odol3
Data collected on: Sep 222016


Sample Name:
shaofei_934-7
Date Collected
m400. chent ncsu: Axchive directory:
sample dixectory:
Fidpile: CARBON
Pulse Sequence: CARBON (s2pul) Solvent: edel3 Data collected on: Sep 222016


Sample Name:
shaofei 939
shaciel Collected on:
m400. chern.ncsu.edu-mercury 400
Archive directory:
Sample directory:
FidFile: 942_tertrapyrrolelinearcompound_dimethyl_hnmx
Pulse Sequence: PROTON (s2pul) Solvent: edcl3 Data collected on: oct 42016




Sample Name:
shaofei_946
Data collected on:
m400.chem.ncsu.edu-mercury 400
Archive directory:

## Sample directory:

Fiafile: 947_tertrapyrrolelinearcompound_etes_hnmr
Pulse Sequence: PROTON (s2pu1)
Solvent: cdcl3
Data collected on: Oct 52016




## Sample Name

shaofei
Data Collected on:
m400. chem.ncsu.edu-mercury 400
Axchive directory:
/home/lindsey/vnmrsys/data
Sample directory:
gvr-_Ala_3-CN_20161018_01 pidrile: CARBON

Pulse Sequence: CARBON (s2pul) Solvent: edel3
Data collected on: Oct 182016




## Sample Name:

shaofei_948_BC_Br
Data Collected on:
m400.chem.ncsu.edu-mercury 400
Archive directory:



BC-T
Sample directory:
FidFile: 949 BC ptol HNMR 2

Pulse Sequence: PROTON (s2pul Solvent: cdcl3
Data collected on: Oct 172016


## Sample Name:

shaofei_948_BC_Br
Data Collected on
m400.chem.ncsu.edu-mercury 400 Archive directory:

Sample directory:
FidFile: CARBON
Pulse Sequence: CARBON (s2pul) Solvent: cdcl3
Data collected on: oct 152016


180
160
140


BC-T

100


Sample Name:
shaofei_948_BC_Bx
Data collected on:
m400.chem.ncsu.edu-mercury 400 Archive directory:

Sample directory:
FidFile: 948_BC_bx_hwMr_2
Pulse Sequence: PROTON (s2pul) Solvent: cdel3
Data collected on: Oct 152016


## Sample Name:

shaofei_948_BCbr
Data Collected on:
m400.chem.ncsu. edu-mercury 400
Archive directory:
/home/lindsey/vnmrsys/data
Sample directory:
gvx-Ser-CN-1_2__20161013_01 Fiafile: CARBON
ulse Sequence: CARBON (s2pul) solvent: cdcl3
Jata collected on: oct 142016


Sample Name:
shaofei_BC_MeMe
Data collected on:
m400.chem.ncsu.edu-mercury 400 Archive directory:
/home/lindsey/vamrsys/data Sample directory: gvr-_Ala_3-CN_20161018_01 FidFile: 950_BC_MeMe_h MMR_2

Pulse Sequence: PROTON (s2pul) Solvent: ode13
Data collected on: Oct 202016

BC-MeMe

-MeMe


## Sample Name:

## shaofei_950_BC_Me2

Data collected on:
m400.chem.ncsu.edu-mercury 400
Archive directory:
Sample directory:
Fidfile: CARBON
Pulse Sequence: CARBON (s2pul) Solvent: cdcl3 Data collected on: oct 162016
 BC-MeMe

Sample Name:
shaofei_951_BCEtEs
Data Collected on
m400. chem.ncsu.edu-mercury 400 Archive directory:

## ample directory:

FidFile: 951_BC_EtEs_HNMR_3
Pulse Sequence: PROTON (s2pu1) Solvent: cdcl3
Data collected on: oct 152016


BC-Et


Sample Name:
shaofei_BC_gt
Data Collected on:
m400.chem.ncsu. Archive directory:

## Sample directory:

FidFile: CARBON

Pulse Sequence: CARBON (s2pul) Solvent: cdcl3 Data collected on: Oct 122016



Sample Name:
shaofei_BC_Ar_Es
Data collectear_Es
m400.chem.ncsu.edu-mercury 400
Archive directory:
/home/lindsey/vnmrsys/data Sample directory:
gvx-_Ala_3-CN_20161018_01 FidFile: 960_BC_Bx_Es_HNMR

Pulse Sequence: PROTON (s2pul) Solvent: cdel3 pata collected on: Oct 202016



Sample Name:
shaofei_BC_Ar_Es
Dhaofel_BC_Ar_Es
m400.chem.ncsu.edu-mercury 40 Archive directory:
/home/lindsey/vnmrsys/data Sample directory:
gvr-_Ala_3-CN_20161018_01 FidFile: CARBON

Pulse Sequence: CARBON (s2pul) Solvent: cacl3 data collected on: Oct 202016


