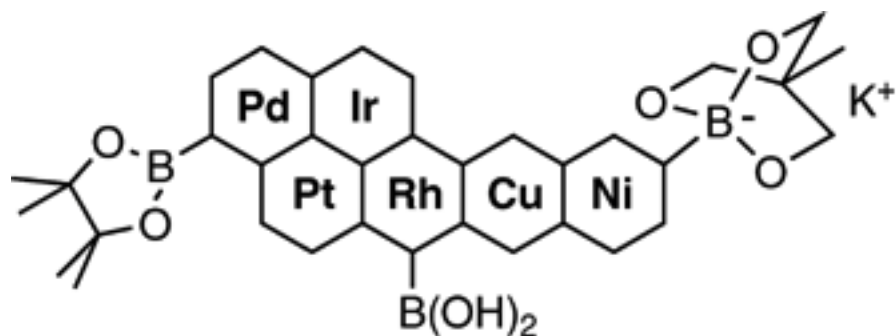


C-H Activation for the Construction of C-B bonds



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44 Ru Ruthenium 101.07	45 Rh Rhodium 102.90550	46 Pd Palladium 106.42
75 Re Rhenium 186.207	77 Ir Iridium 192.217	

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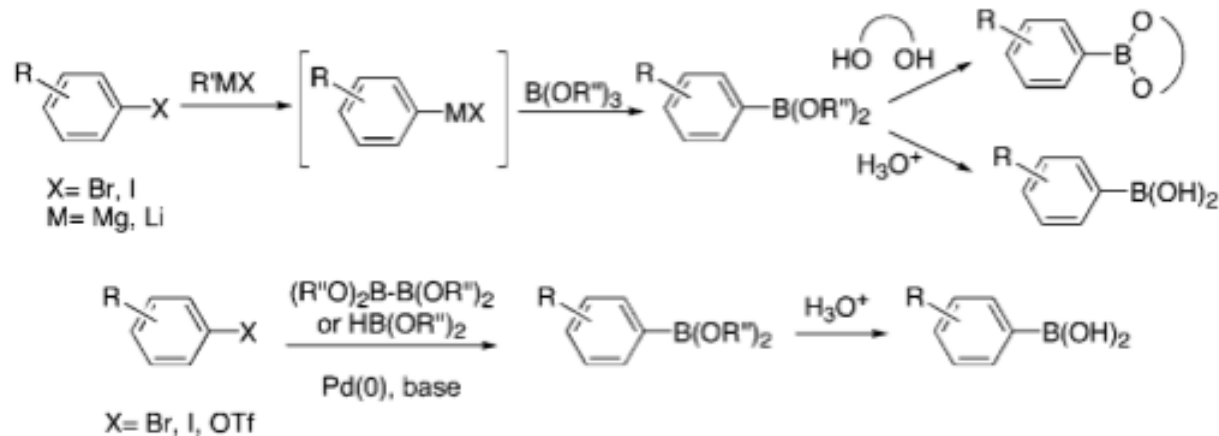
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For elements with no stable isotopes, the mass number of the isotope with the longest half-life is in parentheses.

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1. Introduction

Common Syntheses of Arylboronate Esters and Acids

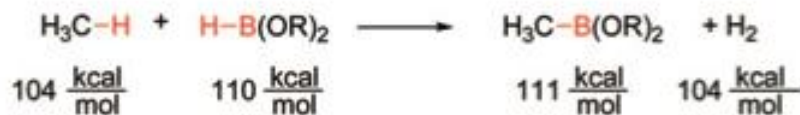


$\text{B}_2(\text{OR})_4$ as B-Source:^a



$$\Delta\text{BDE} = -13 \frac{\text{kcal}}{\text{mol}}$$

HB(OR)_2 as B-Source:^a



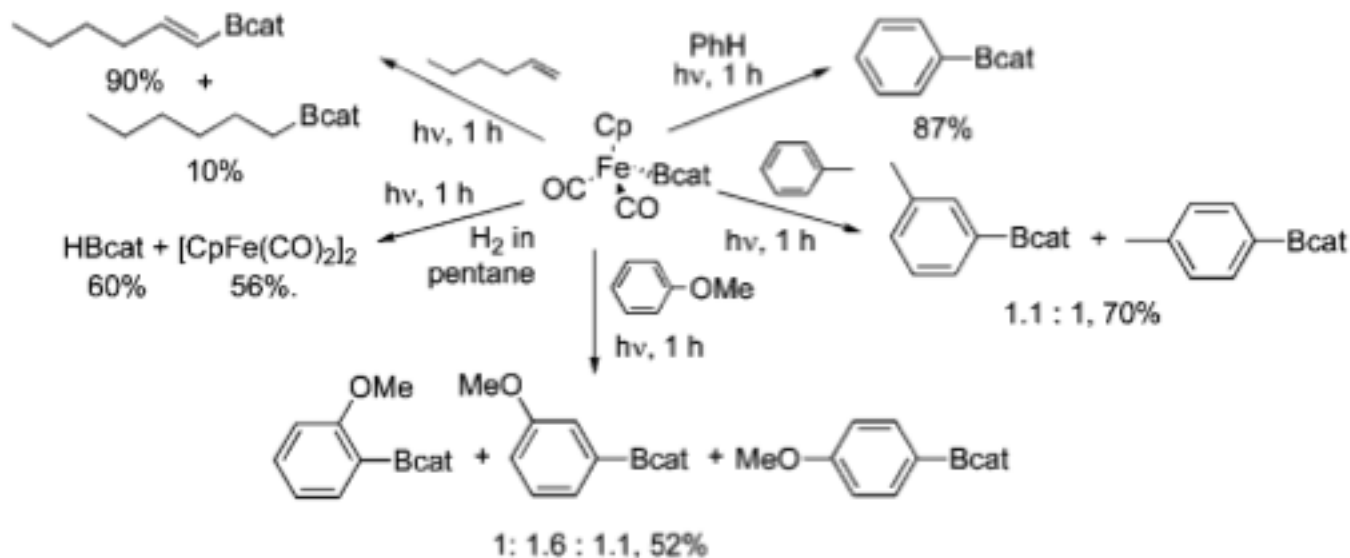
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Thermodynamic of Methane Borylation with $\text{B}_2(\text{OR})_4$ or HB(OR)_2

2. Stoichiometric Borylation

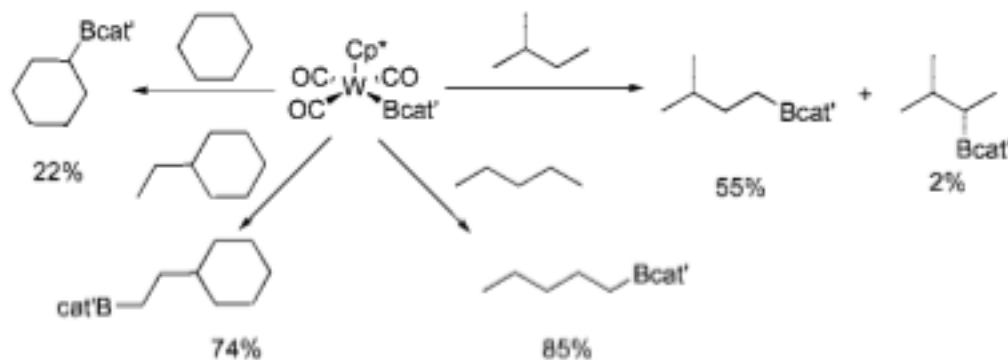
2.1. Iron

- Summary of the Reactions of the Iron Boryl Complex $\text{CpFe}(\text{CO})_2(\text{Bcat})$

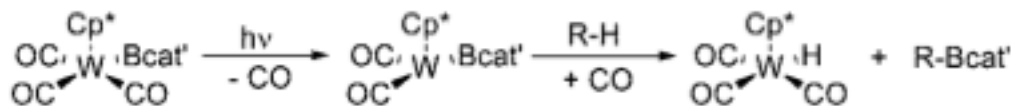


2.2. Tungsten

- Reactions of $\text{Cp}^*\text{W}(\text{CO})_3(\text{Bcat}')$ with Various Alkanes



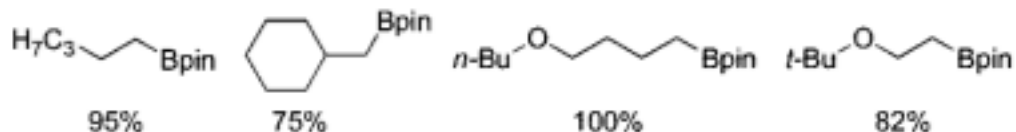
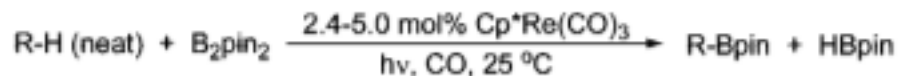
- Proposed mechanism for the reaction of $\text{Cp}^*\text{W}(\text{CO})_3(\text{Bcat}')$ with alkanes



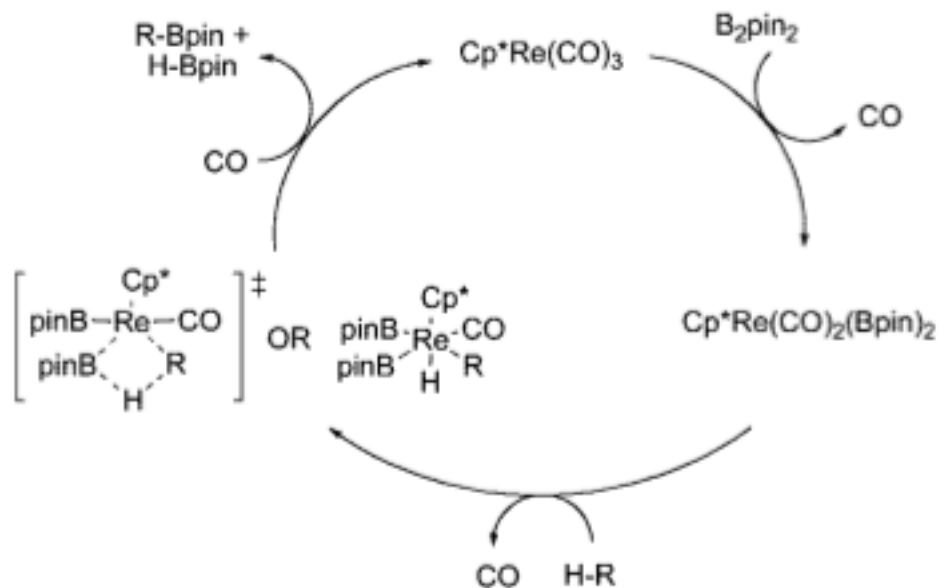
3. Metal-catalyzed Borylation

3.1. Rhenium

- Cp*Re-Catalyzed Borylation of Alkanes

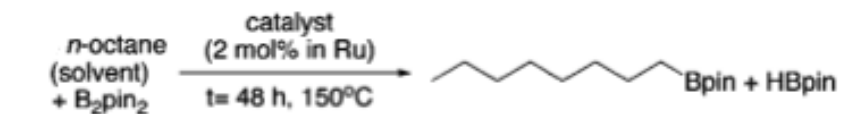


- Proposed mechanism for Cp*Re-Catalyzed Alkanes Borylation



3.2. Ruthenium

- Borylation of Octane with B_2pin_2 catalyzed Ru complexes

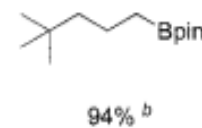
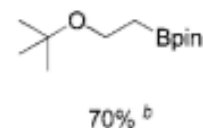
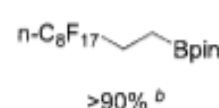
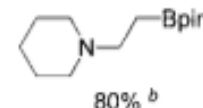
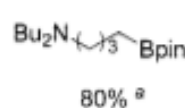
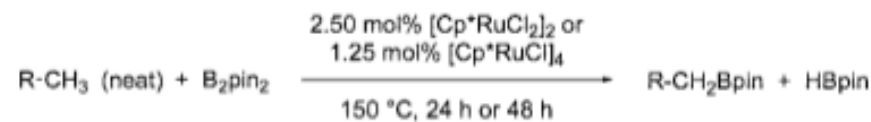


catalyst	yield ^a	conversion ^a
$[Cp^*RuCl_2]_2$	98% (75%) ^b	99%
$[Cp^*RuCl]_4$ ^c	65%	99%
$Cp^*Ru(H)(COD)$	58%	80%
$Cp^*Ru(Cl)(TMEDA)$	95%	98%
$[Cp^*Ru(OMe)]_2$	7%	65%
$(COD)Ru(2\text{-methylallyl})_2$	7%	59%
$Ru(acac)_3$	4%	76%

^a Determined by GC. ^b Isolated yield in parentheses. ^c 5 mol % Ru used.

The reaction of arenes with B_2pin_2 in the presence of Cp^*Ru -complexes did not form functionalized products in good yields.

- Ru-Catalyzed Terminal Borylation of Heteroatom-Containing Substrates

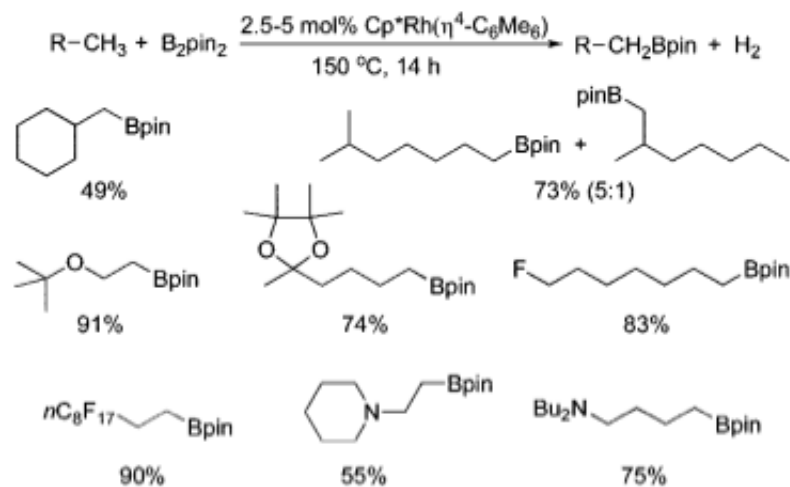


^a Conditions: $[Cp^*RuCl]_4$ neat, 150°C , 24 h, yield determined by GC.

^b Conditions: $[Cp^*RuCl_2]_2$ neat, 150°C , 48 h, yield determined by GC.

3.3. Rhodium

Rh-catalyzed Borylation of Aliphatic Substrates

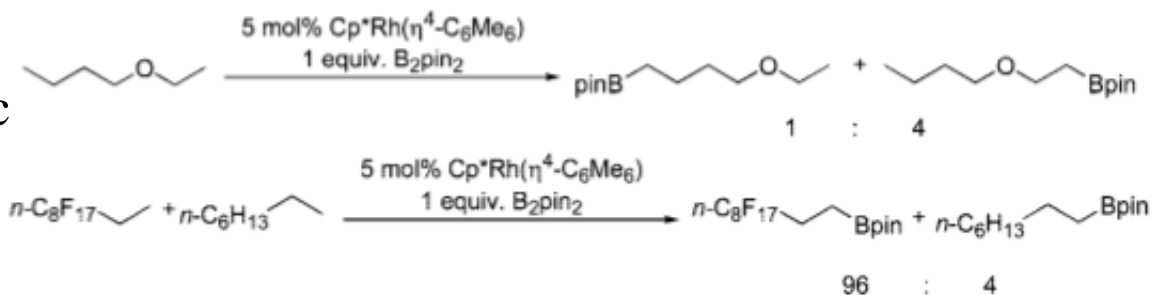


^a Conditions: 2.5–5 mol % Cp^{*}Rh(η⁴-C₆Me₆), 1 equiv of B₂pin₂ in neat substrate, 150 °C, 24 h. yields were determined by GC analysis.

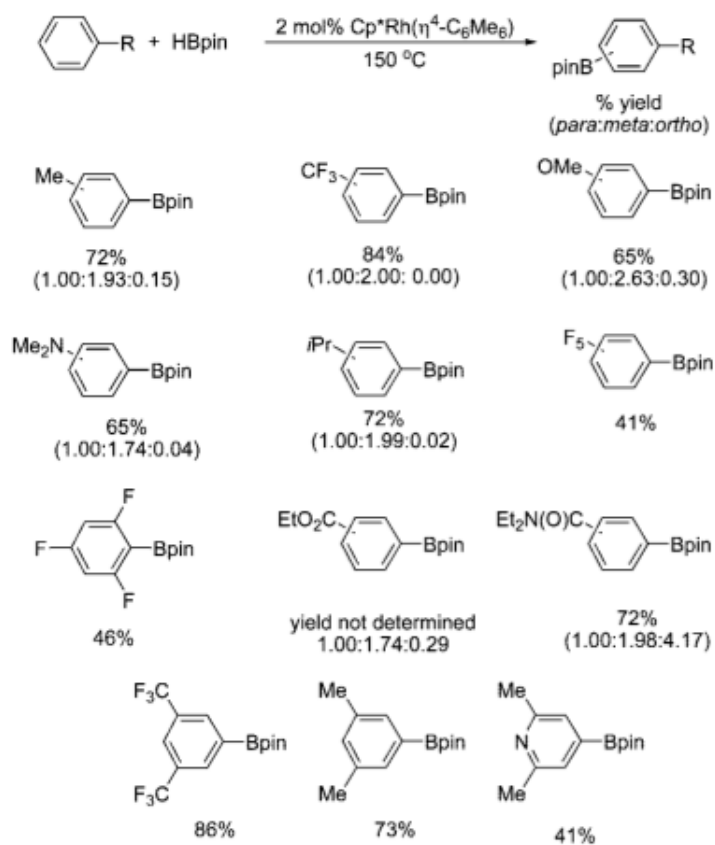
More electron-deficient C-H bonds in aliphatic substrates undergo borylation catalyzed by Cp^{*}Rh(η⁴-C₆Me₆) faster than more electron-rich C-H bonds.

The presence of heteroatoms, such as nitrogen and oxygen, are known to activate the C-H bond α to the heteroatom toward cleavage by many metal complexes. However this property of the heteroatoms did not override the preference of the catalyst for the functionalization of the least hindered of the primary C-H bonds.

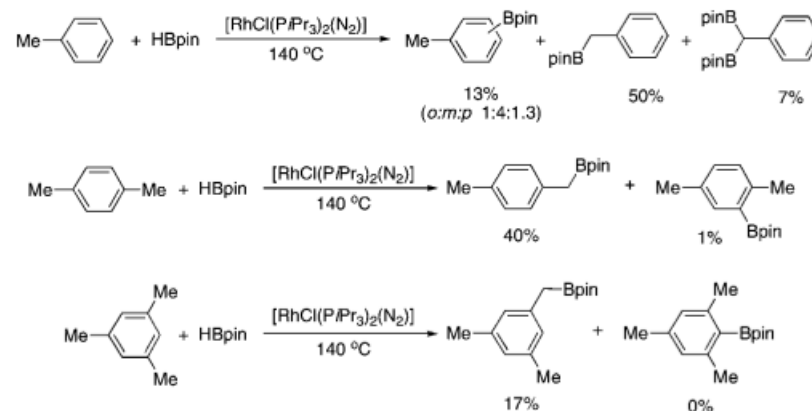
Electronic Effect on Aliphatic Borylation



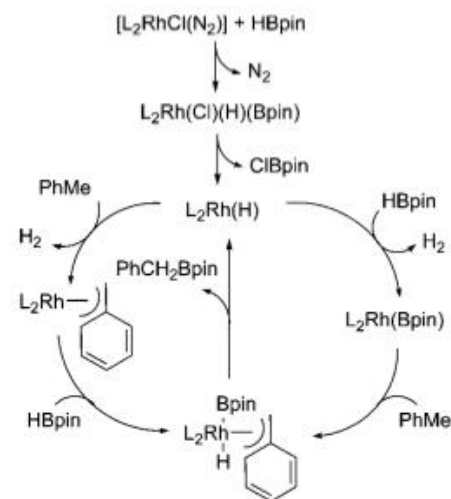
- Rh-catalyzed Borylation of Arenes



- Rh-Catalyzed Benzylic Borylation of Toluene



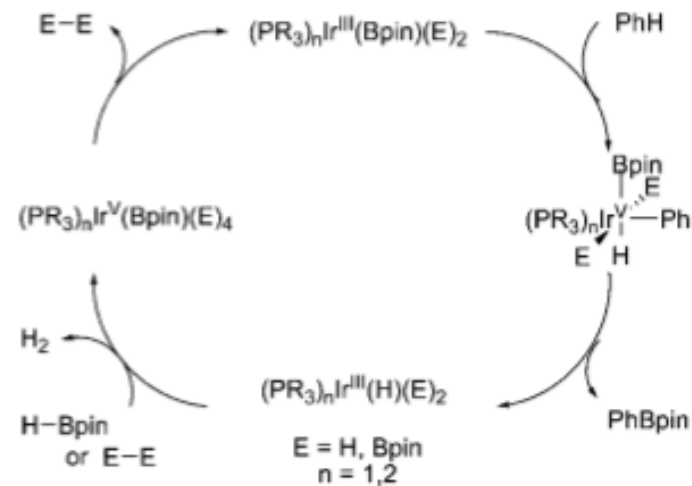
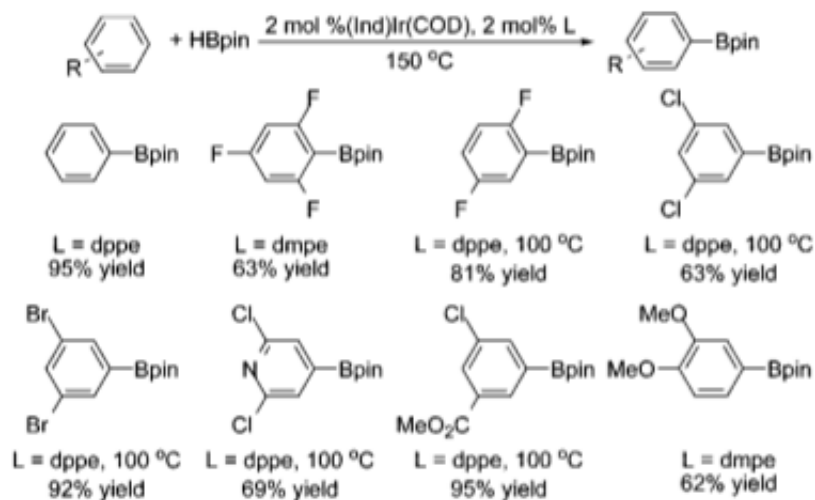
- Two Potential Mechanisms



3.4. Iridium

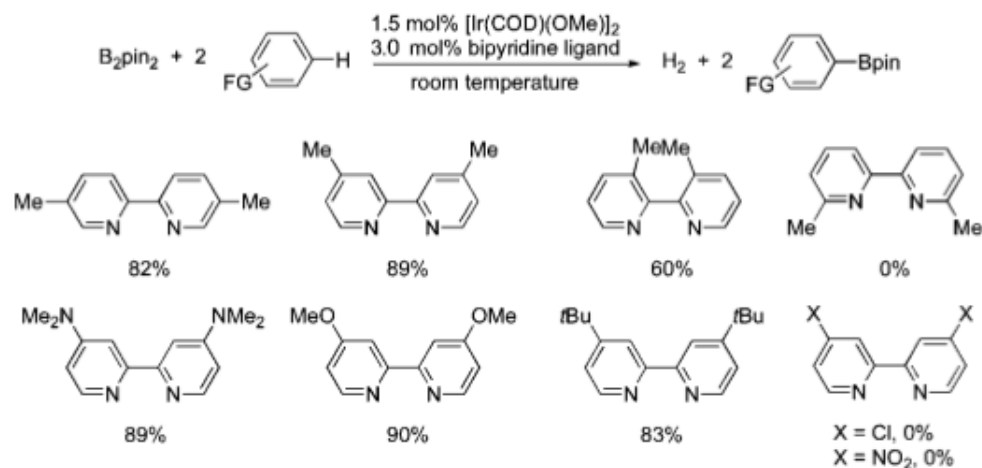
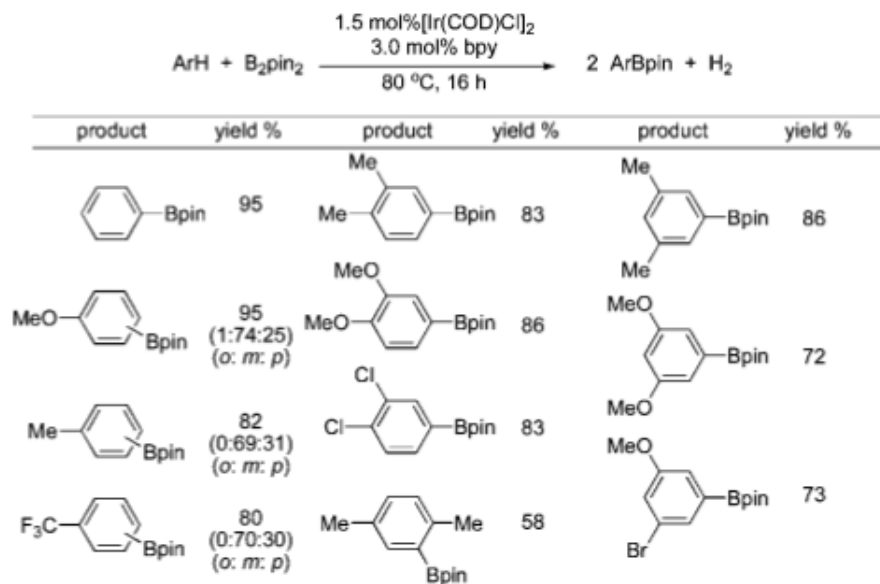
- Arene Borylation

I. Arene Borylation with Iridium catalysts containing Phosphine Ligands

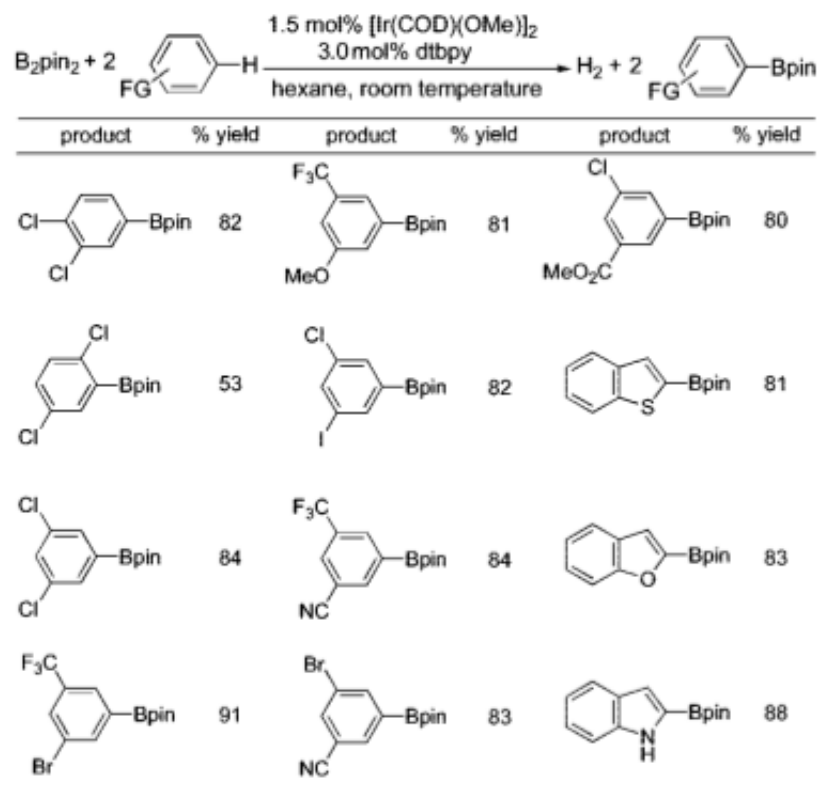


Proposed Mechanism

II. Arene Borylation with Iridium catalysts containing Bipyridine Ligands

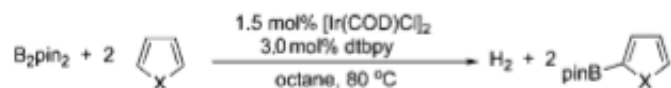


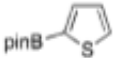
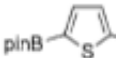
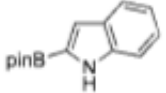
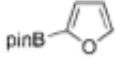
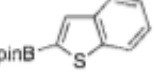
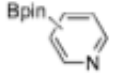
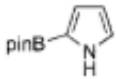
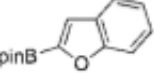
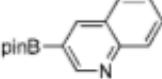
II. Arene Borylation with Iridium catalysts containing Bipyridine Ligands



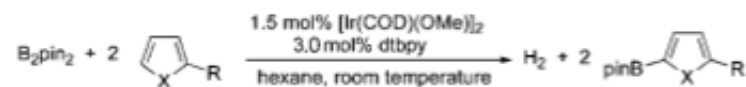
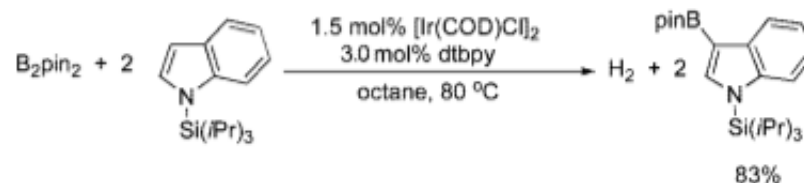
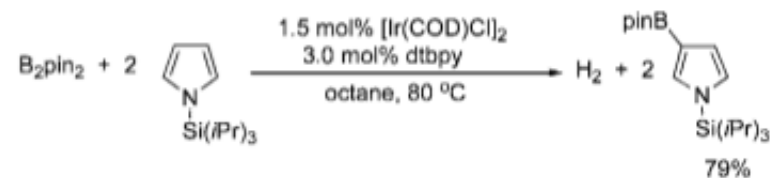
It was faster in nonpolar solvents, such as hexane, than in more coordination, more polar solvents, such as dimethyl ether (DME), and dimethyl formamide (DMF).

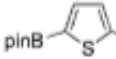
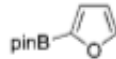
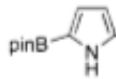
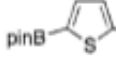
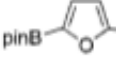
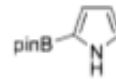
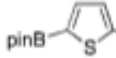
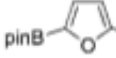
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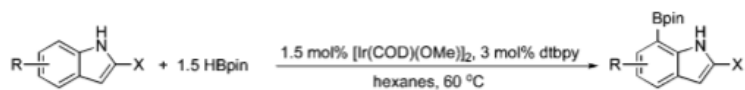
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	83 ^a		89		42 ^{a,b,c}
	67 ^a		91		84 ^b

^a Diborylated products were produced in 12–17% yield. ^b Reaction conducted at 100 °C. ^c Ratio of 3- and 4-boryl pyridine was 67:33.

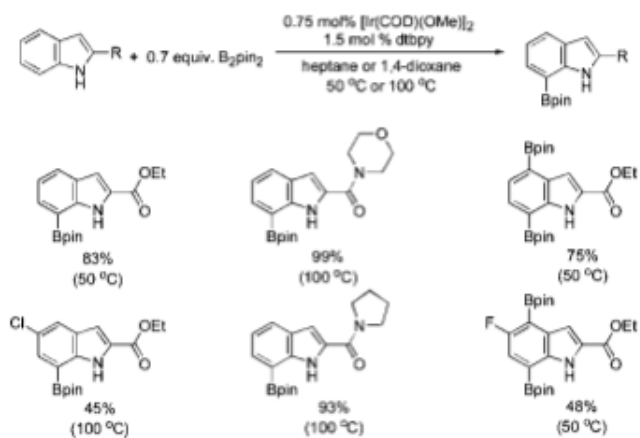


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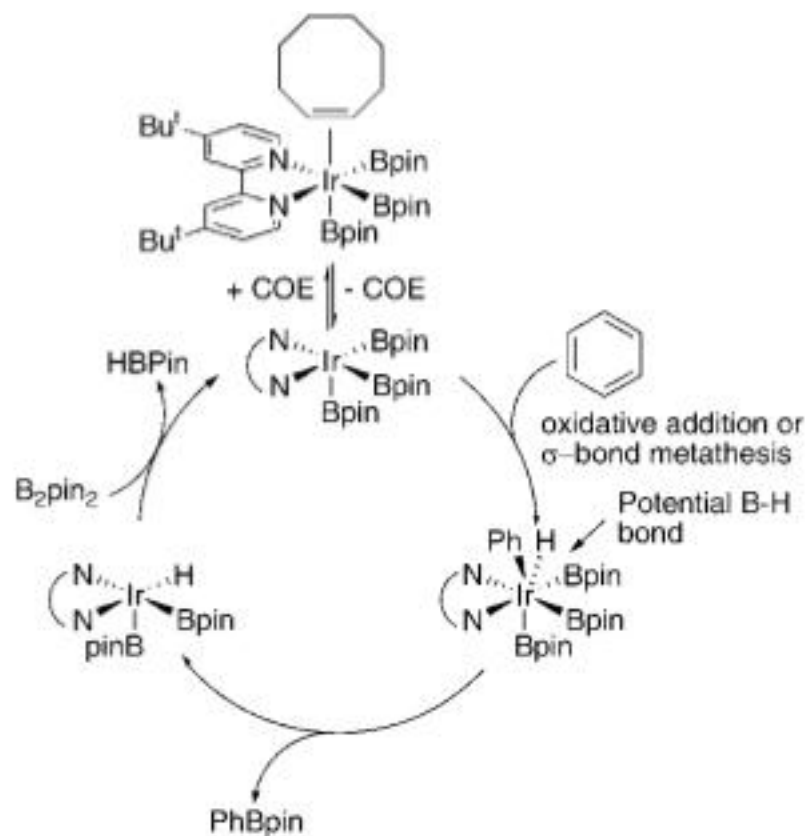
- Indole Borylation



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	92%		90%		



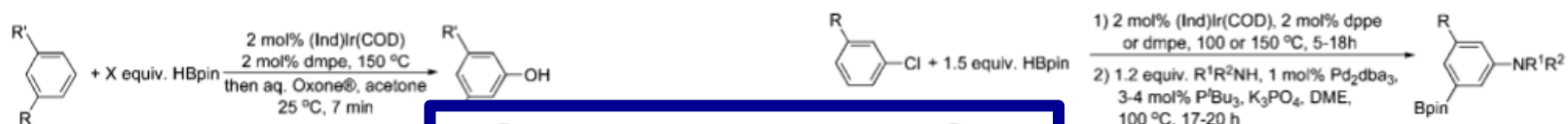
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4. Application

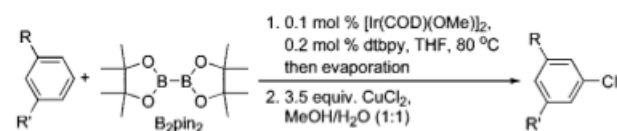
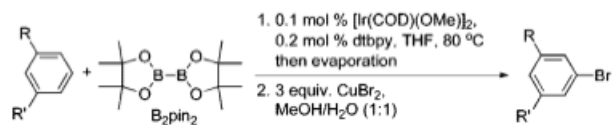
- One-Pot Syntheses of Organic Compounds

I. One-Pot Syntheses of Phenols and Arylamines



HBpin equiv	borylation time (h)	phenol product	Yield ^a	HBpin equiv	borylation time (h)	phenol product	Yield ^a	amine	product	% yield ^a
2.0	18		87%	2.5	50			PhMeNH		75 63 (X= Br)
1.5	12		81%	2.0	3.5			PhNH₂		73
2.0	18		79%	1.8	3		89%	PhMeNH		83
1.5	3		70%	0.25	3.5		68%	Bu₂NH		50
1.5	3		64%	4.5	53		74%	PhNH₂		47
2.0	12		85%	5.0	63		51%	PhNH₂		71
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II. One-Pot Syntheses of Aryl Bromides and Aryl Chlorides



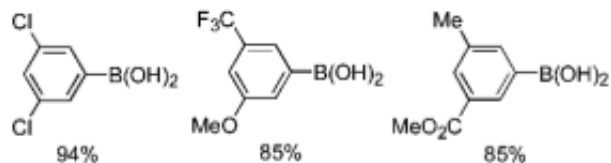
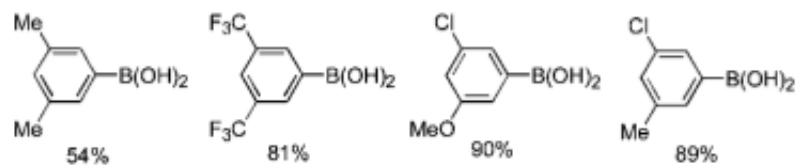
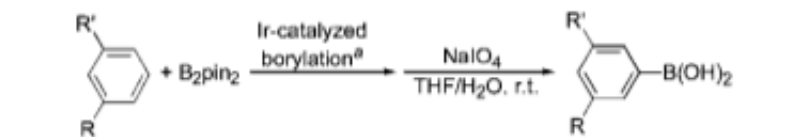
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3		62%	8		68%	13 ^{c,d}		51%
4		75%	9 ^e		74%			
5		59%	10 ^f		57%			

entry	product	yield ^a	entry	product	yield ^a	entry	product	yield ^a
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2		55%	6		66%	10 ^{c,d}		72%
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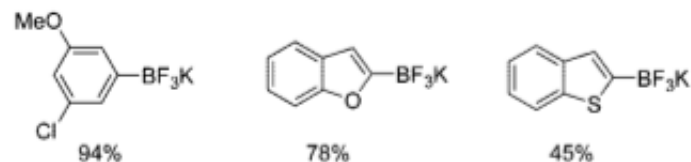
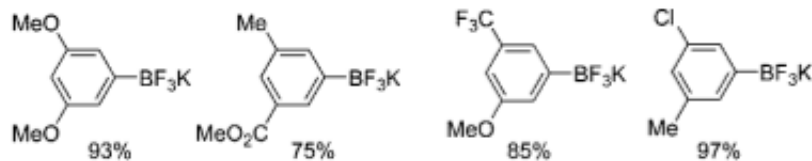
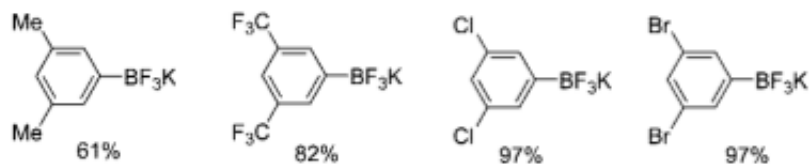
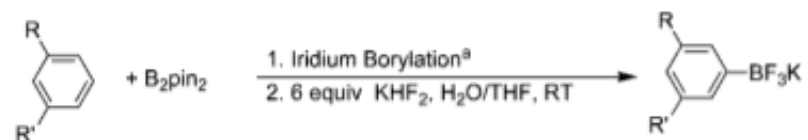
^a Average isolated yield from two experiments. All reactions were run on a 2.0 mmol scale. ^b 0.5 mol % **1** and 1.0 mol % **2** were used. ^c Contained 2% pinacol by ¹H-NMR spectroscopy. ^d 3.0 mol % **1** and 6.0 mol % **2** used. ^e 1.0 mol % **1** and 2.0 mol % **2** used. ^f 2.0 mol % **1** and 4.0 mol % **2** used.

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III. Conversion of Arenes to Arylboronic Acids and Potassium Aryltrifluoroborates



^a Borylation of arene was carried out on a 10 mmol scale using 0.1% [Ir(COD)Cl]₂ and 0.2% dtbpy in THF at 80 °C. NaIO₄ (15.0 mmol) was added to 5 mmol of crude ArBpin in a 4:1 THF/H₂O mixture. ^b Isolated yields on a 5 mmol scale of arene. Yields are the average of two reactions.



^a Borylation of arene was carried out on a 10 mmol scale using 0.1% [Ir(COD)Cl]₂ and 0.2% dtbpy in THF at 80 °C. KHF₂ (5.7 mmol) was added to 5 mmol of crude ArBpin in a 4:1 THF/H₂O mixture. Isolated yields on a 5 mmol scale of arene.

5. Conclusion

1. In contrast to many of these methods, the borylation of aryl C-H bonds occurs under mild conditions, with high turnover numbers and with a broad tolerance for functional groups.
2. Considering the rapid development of this C-H borylation chemistry, one can anticipate that further advances will lead to C-H bond functionalizations with main group reagents that will lead, in turn, to additional, widely used synthetic methods.



Thank you



