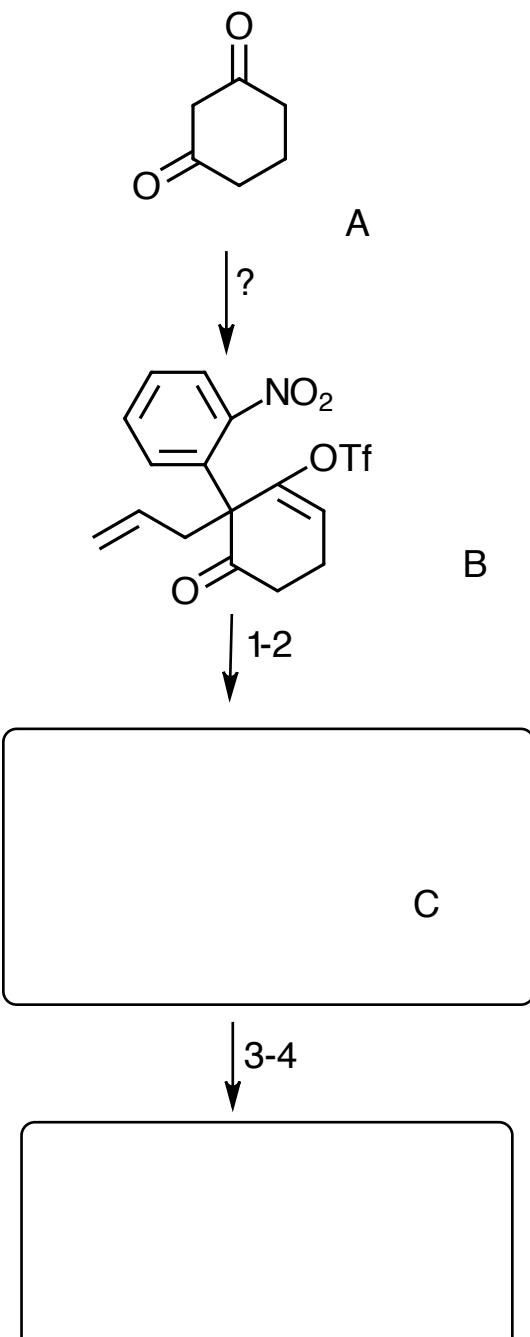


Synthesis Challenge # 44

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Please design a synthesis of B from A.

- 1) OsO₄ (4 mol%), NMO, THF/H₂O, 0°C to RT, 12 h, NaIO₄, 40°C, 6 h
- 2) Me₂NH, NaBH(OAc)₃, DCE, RT

- 3) PTSA·H₂O, NBS, CH₂Cl₂, RT, 48 h, then workup and evaporation
- 4) NaI (2.0 equiv), DMSO, 140°C, 1 h

Please provide a detailed mechanism for step 3)

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5) K_2CO_3 , Nal , $CICOOC_2H_2=CH_2$,
DCE, reflux, 9 h,
6) $TiCl_3$, NH_4OAc , acetone/ H_2O

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7) $[Pd(PPh_3)_4]$, Et_3N , CO (1 atm),
 $MeOH/DMF(2:1\ v/v)$, $50^\circ C$, 1 h,
then 1,3-dimethylbarbituric acid, RT
8) (*Z*)-1-bromo-2-iodobut-2-ene,
 Cs_2CO_3 , 4 \AA molecular sieves (MS)

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9) $[Ni(cod)_2]$ (2.0 equiv), Et_3N , CH_3CN ,
RT, 20 min, then Et_3SiH (2.0 equiv)

