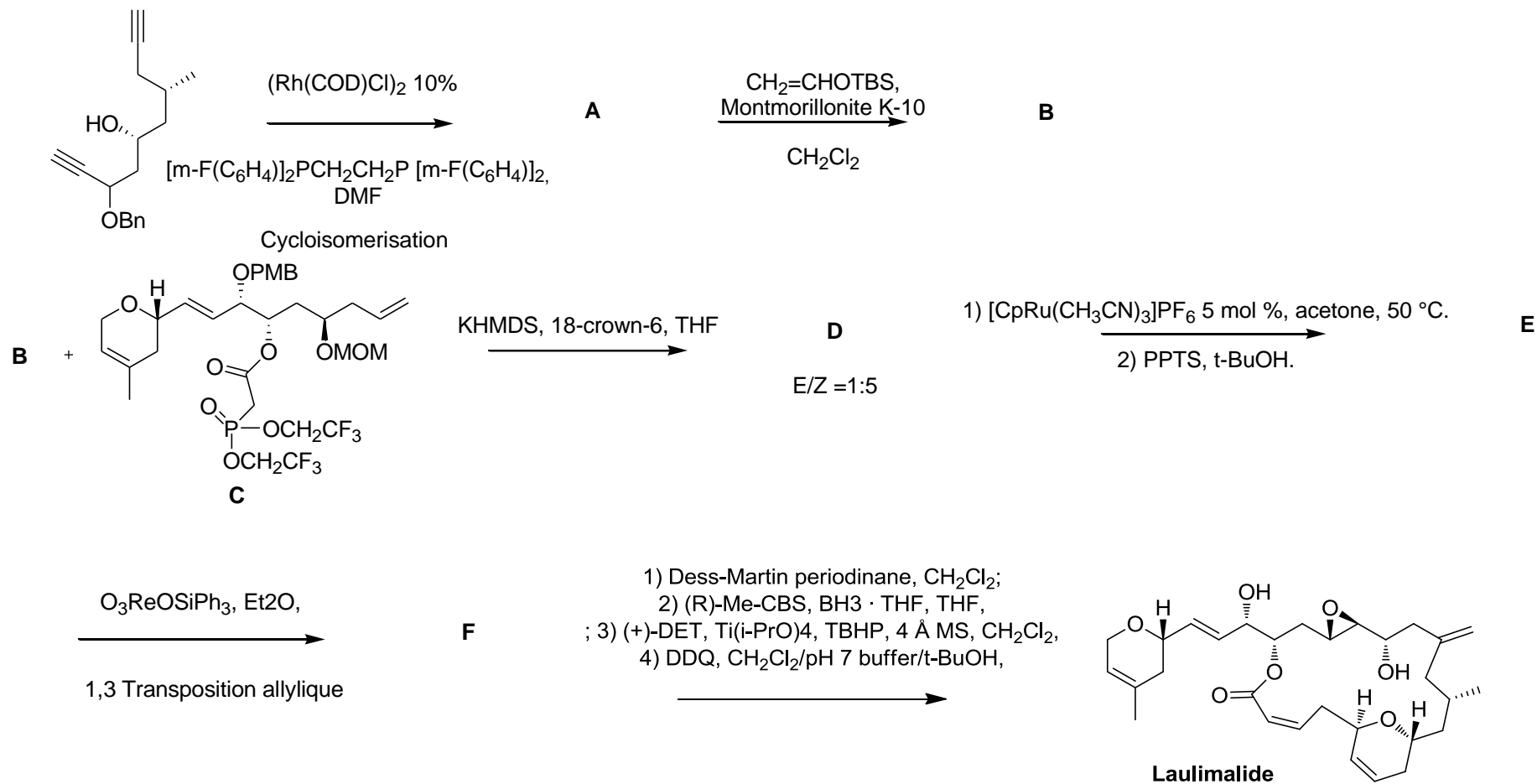
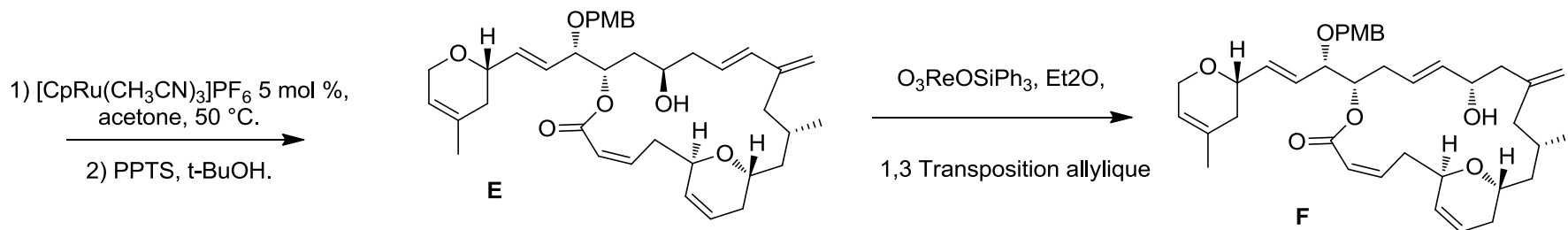
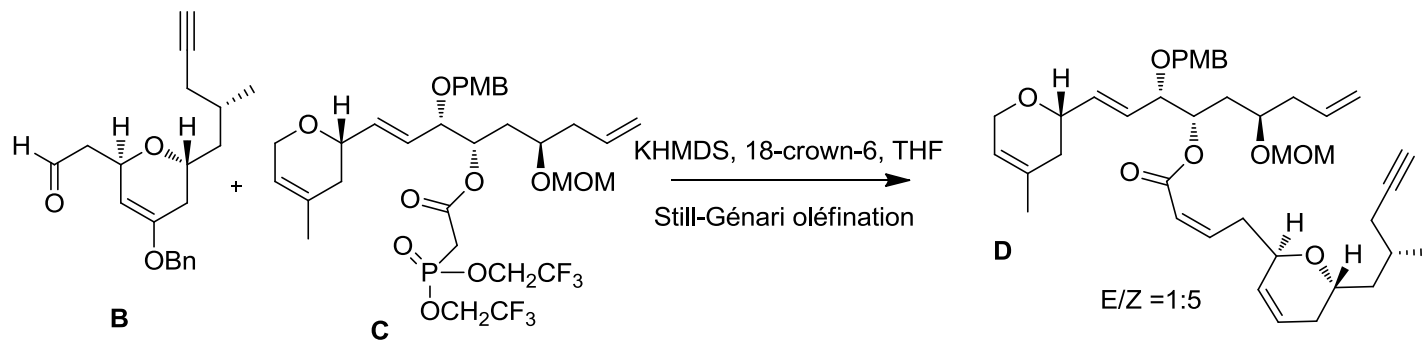
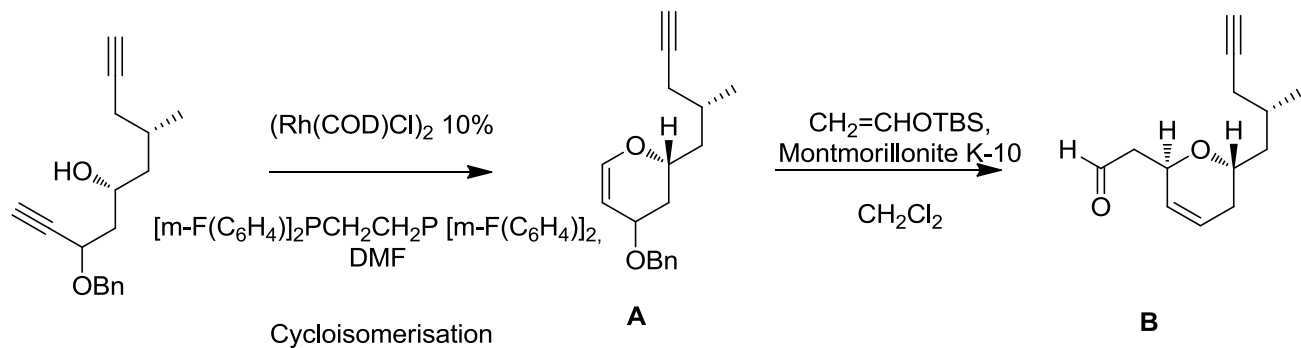


Synthesis of Laulimalide

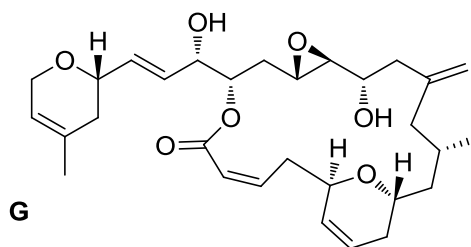
Laulimalide is a structurally unique 20-membered marine macrolide displaying microtubule stabilizing activity similar to that of paclitaxel and the epothilones.

- 1) Find out the structure of compounds A, B, D, E and F
- 2) What is the name of the reaction used to obtain B
- 3) Find the mechanism to obtain A, B and F



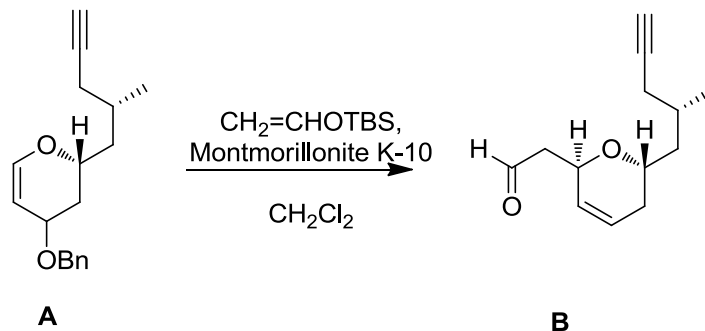


- 1) Dess-Martin periodinane, CH_2Cl_2 ;
 2) (R)-Me-CBS, $\text{BH}_3 \cdot \text{THF}$, THF,
 ; 3) (+)-DET, $\text{Ti}(\text{i-PrO})_4$, TBHP, 4 Å MS, CH_2Cl_2 ,
 4) DDQ, $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2/\text{pH 7 buffer}/\text{t-BuOH}$,

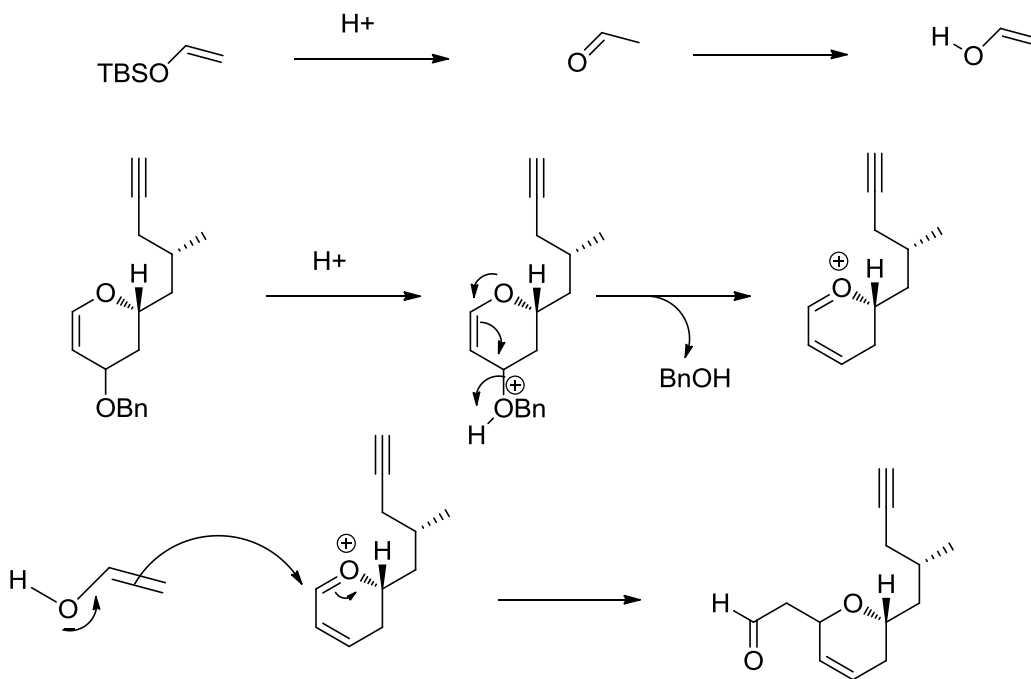


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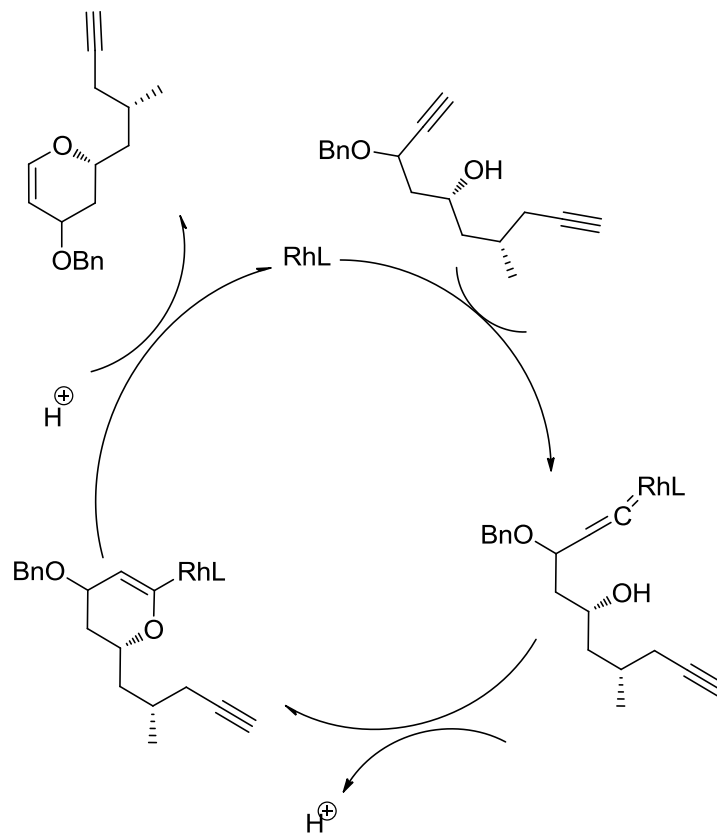
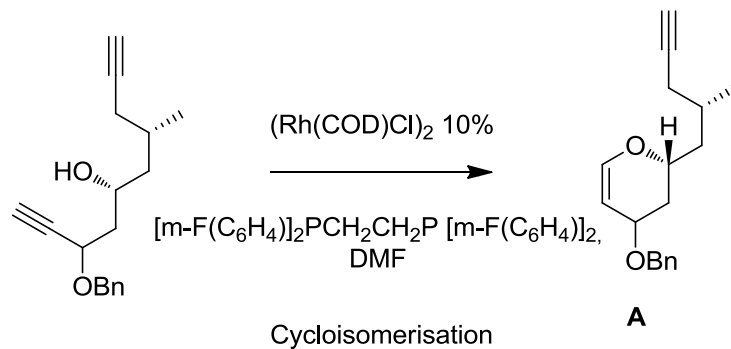
What is the name of the reaction used to obtain B ?



Ferrier rearrangement

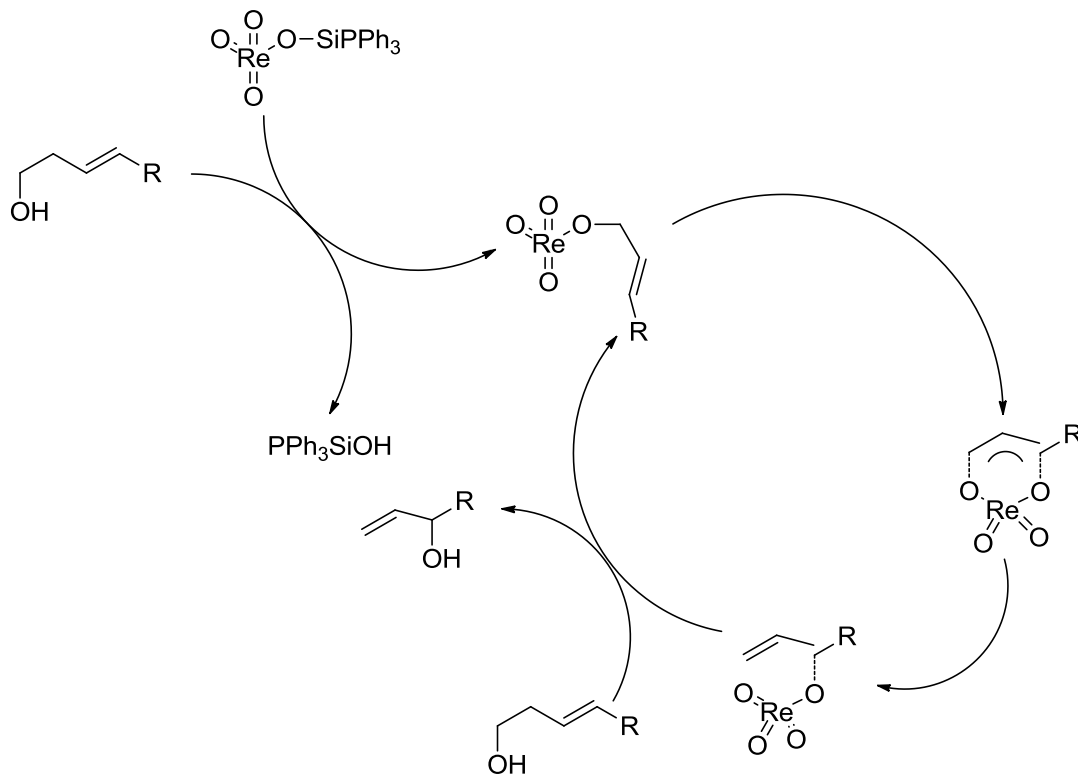
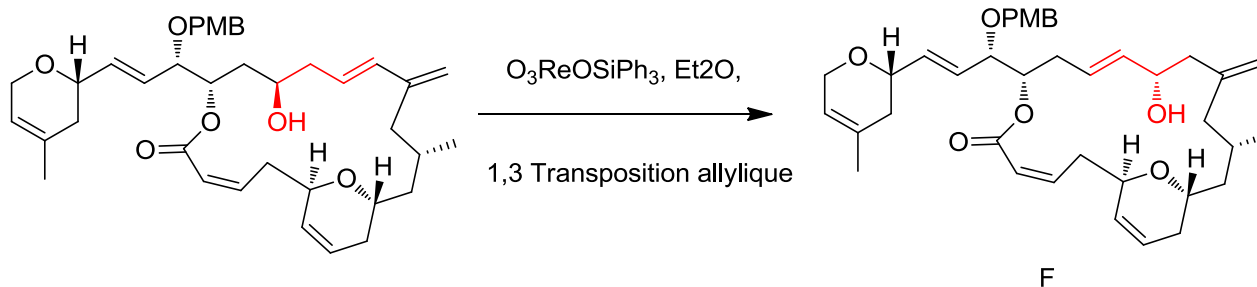


Find the mechanism to obtain A



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Find the mechanism to obtain A ,B and F



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