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# **Total Synthesis of Clostrienose**

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# INTRODUCTION

Polyketides constitute one of the major classes of natural products having diverse carbon structures. A number of polyketide natural products have been identified as biologically important molecules such as antibiotic, immunosuppressant, anticancer, and antiparasitic agents.<sup>1</sup> Some of these natural products serve as regulators to influence expression of specific genes of their producing organisms.<sup>2</sup> One source of such natural products is known to be aerobic organisms, and there have been few anaerobic organisms that produce polyketides.<sup>3</sup>

Clostridium acetobutylicum is an anaerobic bacterium well known for its historical use as an industrial producer of the organic solvents acetone, butanol, and ethanol (ABE). In 2017, Zhang et al. isolated three new polyketides 1-3 from the culture broth of C. acetobutylicum ATCC 824 (Figure 1).<sup>4</sup> Clostrienose (1) was one of the major constituents and was elucidated to have a unique glycosyl ester structure consisting of  $\alpha$ -D-galactofuranosyl- $(1 \rightarrow 2)$ - $\alpha$ -L-rhamnosyl moiety and a tetradecatrienoic acid derivative termed clostrienoic acid (2) by extensive NMR, mass spectrometry (MS) and UV spectral analyses. The absolute configuration of 2 was deduced by correlation of its hydrogenation product with (R)-hydroxytetradecanoic acid.<sup>5</sup> The molecular structure of 3 was tentatively assigned based on the limited physical data [UV and liquid chromatography (LC)-MS] and thus remained inconclusive. The same authors demonstrated that these polyketides acted as chemical triggers of sporulation and granulose accumulation in this strain, suggesting them to be signaling molecules used by the strain to control cellular physiology and metabolism. Such biological significance coupled with the structural rarity<sup>6</sup> makes these natural products fascinating synthetic targets. Furthermore, development of an efficient method for preparation of an authentic sample might be quite useful for identification of a natural

product obtained from the culture broth. Interest derived from these considerations has prompted us to prepare them. In this paper, we report the total synthesis of 1-3.

## RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

The structural feature of clostrienose (1) includes a chemically unstable skipped-triene system<sup>7</sup> in the fatty-acid moiety connected to an anomeric center of the disaccharide residue. In order to avoid destruction of the triene-ester system during the synthetic process, the proper choice of *O*-protecting groups in synthetic intermediates seemed to be a significantly important problem; usual protecting groups such as benzyl and benzoyl employed in oligosaccharide synthesis might be inappropriate. Therefore, we considered that the deprotection reaction at the final stage of the total synthesis should be performed under mild acidic conditions. In the successful synthesis plan, we have presumed that 1 would be accessible from a fatty acid 4 carrying an acid-labile O-protecting group and a silvlated disaccharide  $7^8$  (Scheme 1) and that the obligatory esterification would lead to the desired  $\alpha$ -isomer predominantly by an anomeric effect. The triene system in 4 could be constructed by Migita-Kosugi-Stille coupling<sup>9</sup> of vinylstannane 5 and E,E-diene 6, while disaccharide 7 would be synthesized from thioglycoside  $8^{10}$  via a simple manipulation. In addition, this strategy would also enable us to prepare 3 by changing disaccharide 7 to monosaccharide **20** (see Scheme 4) for esterification.

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Figure 1. Structures of polyketides derived from C. acetobutylicum ATCC 824.



Our synthesis began with installation of an acid-cleavable protecting group into terminal acetylene  $9^{11}$  which is readily obtainable from L-malic acid (Scheme 2). Treatment of 9 with TBSCl/imidazole or 2,3-dihydropyran/PPTS gave the corresponding tert-butyldimethylsilyl ether **10a** or 2-tetrahydropyranyl ether **10b**. Each compound was further transformed into bromide **11a** or **11b** by the action of *N*-bromosuccinimide-silver nitrate (AgNO<sub>3</sub>).<sup>12</sup> Stereoselective hydrostannylation of

#### Scheme 2. Preparation of Vinylstannane Derivatives



the C-C triple bond in 10 or 11 was one of the key steps in this total synthesis and was investigated under several conditions (Table 1). Under conventional conditions (Bu<sub>3</sub>SnH, AIBN, toluene, 100 °C),<sup>13</sup> a mixture of stereoisomers (E/Z = ca. 6/1-7/1) of 1-tributylstannyl-1-alkenes 12a,b was obtained. Hydrostannylation using a palladium catalyst<sup>14-18</sup> suppressed formation of the corresponding Zisomer, resulting in the production of terminal isomers in a variety of ratios. For silyl series 10a and 11a, a considerable amount (5-41%) of a protiodestannylation<sup>19</sup> product 13 was observed. Among the results, the reaction of 11b with a combination of Bu<sub>3</sub>SnH-tetrakis(triphenylphosphine)palladium<sup>20</sup> (entry 9) afforded desired vinylstannane 12b in high yield (>95% E-selectivity), and this compound, without separation of undesired regioisomers, was employed for the coupling reaction in Scheme 3.

For the coupling partner, allyl carbonate  $6^{21}$  was selected because it can be readily prepared as a geometrically pure form.<sup>22,23</sup> The Migita-Kosugi-Stille coupling of 12b with 6 was investigated under several conditions (Table 2).<sup>24-28</sup> It was revealed that the coupling product 14 contained 8Z,10Eand 8E,10Z-isomers (8Z:10Z = ca. 1:1), whose ratio was determined by NMR analyses.<sup>29</sup> The best result was obtained by the use of tris(dibenzylideneacetone)dipalladium (0.03 equiv)<sup>30</sup> and lithium chloride (6.6 equiv) in dimethylformamide (DMF) to give 14 in high yield. As the separation of regioisomers was found to be difficult on a practical scale, this coupling product was employed for the next desilylation, and the minor cis-isomers (not shown) were removed by highperformance liquid chromatography (HPLC) separation. Alcohol 15 thus obtained was transformed into the corresponding carboxylic acid 16 via Dess-Martin oxidation, followed by Pinnick oxidation.<sup>32</sup> Finally, exposure of this to mild acidic conditions (acetic acid-water, rt) led to the formation of 2 after HPLC separation. The physical and spectral data were identical to those of the natural product.

Prior to the total synthesis of 1, we embarked on the synthesis of 3 to optimize the reaction conditions of the esterification and a global deprotection at the final stage. Benzyl L-rhamnoside  $(17)^{33}$  was selected as a starting material (Scheme 4), and preparation of 18 was attempted. However, hydrogenation of the *tri*-TES derivative obtained from 17 caused partial desilylation, resulting in a complex mixture.<sup>34</sup> This side reaction could not be reduced with several basic additives (*e.g.*, NaHCO<sub>3</sub>). Therefore, we revised our protecting group strategy; the C<sub>2,3</sub>-diol moiety of 17 was initially protected with acetonide and the remaining C<sub>4</sub>-alcohol was transformed to the TES ether 19. Its debenzylation proceeded without problems to give hemiacetal 20 in good yield. The crucial coupling<sup>35</sup> of 20 with 16 was affected by the action of

## Table 1. Preparation of E-Vinylstannane 12a or 12b via Hydrostannylation of 10 or 11

		ratio <sup>a</sup> (E/Z/terminal)	
entry	conditions	$ \begin{array}{cccc}  & Bu_3Sn & H \\  & H & R & H_2C = \\  & H & R & R \\  & E & C & T & terminal \end{array} $	yield <sup>b</sup> (%)
1	<b>10a</b> , Bu <sub>3</sub> SnH (1.2 eq.), AIBN, 100 °C	84/15/1 <sup>c</sup>	93
2	<b>10b</b> , Bu <sub>3</sub> SnH (1.2 eq.), AIBN, 100 °C	85/14/1	90
3	<b>10a</b> , Bu <sub>3</sub> SnH (1.2 eq.), Pd <sub>2</sub> (dba) <sub>3</sub> (0.005 eq.), (C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>11</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> P·HBF <sub>4</sub> (0.2 eq.), Hinio's base (0.4 eq.) CH <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub> 0 °C	80/2/18 <sup>c</sup>	54
4	<b>10b</b> , Bu <sub>3</sub> SnH (1.2 eq.), Pd <sub>2</sub> (dba) <sub>3</sub> (0.005 eq.), $(C_6H_{11})_3P \cdot HBF_4$ (0.2 eq.), Hünig's base (0.4 eq), $CH_2(L_2, 0  {}^\circC$	79/0/21	86
5	10b, Bu <sub>3</sub> SnH (1.1 eq.), Pd(PPh <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub> (0.02 eq.), CH <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub> , rt	50/0/50	77
6	$11a,Bu_3SnH(1.2~eq.),Pd_2(dba)_3~(0.005~eq.),Ph_3P~(0.04~eq.),CH_2Cl_2,rt$	$94/1/5^{c}$	74
7	11b, Bu <sub>3</sub> SnH (1.2 eq.), Pd <sub>2</sub> (dba) <sub>3</sub> (0.005 eq.), Ph <sub>3</sub> P (0.04 eq.), CH <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub> , rt	87/5/8	82
8	<b>11a</b> , Bu <sub>3</sub> SnH (3.0 eq.), Pd(Ph <sub>3</sub> P) <sub>4</sub> (0.05 eq.), THF, -78 °C -> rt	95/2/3 <sup>c</sup>	64
9	<b>11b</b> , Bu <sub>3</sub> SnH (3.0 eq.), Pd(Ph <sub>3</sub> P) <sub>4</sub> (0.05 eq.), THF, -78 °C -> rt	95/3/2	91

<sup>a</sup>Determined by <sup>1</sup>H NMR analysis. <sup>b</sup>Combined yield of olefin isomers after flash column chromatography. <sup>c</sup>As another product, terminal olefin 13 possibly arising from the protiodestannylation product was also detected.

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*N*,*N*'-dicyclohexylcarbodiimide (DCC) and 4-(dimethylamino)pyridine (DMAP) in dichloromethane to give the desired product **22** in 86% yield along with the βanomer **21** (5%). The stereochemistry of each isomer was assigned by comparison of the chemical shift of the anomeric proton [ $\delta_{\rm H}$  6.19, 6.14 (each d, J = 2.6-2.7 Hz) for **21** vs  $\delta_{\rm H}$ 6.70, 6.69 (each s) for **22**] to those of 2,3-O-isopropylidene-Lrhamnopyranosyl benzoates reported in the literature<sup>36</sup> and by the difference NOE experiments of **21**; strong NOE was observed for the signal of H-5' upon irradiation of H<sub>1</sub>' (see Supporting Information, S-31).<sup>37</sup> The α-isomer **22** underwent

Table 2. Migita-Kosugi-Stille Coupling of 12b and 6

ntry	Conditions	$\frac{\text{ratio}^{\prime\prime}}{8E/(8Z+10Z)}$	yield <sup>®</sup> (%)
1	$Pd_2(dba)_3$ ·CHCl <sub>3</sub> (0.03 equiv), LiCl (6.6 equiv), DMF, 0 °C	69/31	53
2	$[Pd(\eta^{3}-C_{3}H_{5})Cl_{2}]_{2}$ (0.03 equiv), DPPB (0.05 equiv), DMF, 0 °C	62/38	40
3	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub> (0.05 equiv), <i>n</i> -Bu <sub>4</sub> NCl (1.1 equiv), Hünig's base (2.5 equiv), DMF, rt	83/17	31
4	Pd <sub>2</sub> (dba) <sub>3</sub> (0.03 equiv), LiCl (6.6 equiv), Hünig's base (1.2 equiv), DMF, rt	77/23	63
5	Pd <sub>2</sub> (dba) <sub>3</sub> (0.03 equiv), LiCl (7.0 equiv), Hünig's base (1.2 equiv), NMP, rt	76/24	61
6	Pd <sub>2</sub> (dba) <sub>3</sub> (0.03 equiv), LiCl (6.6 equiv), DMF, rt	81/19	89
7	Pd(PPh <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>4</sub> (0.05 equiv), LiCl (6.6 equiv), DMF, rt	65/35	20 <sup>c</sup>
8	Pd(PPh <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>4</sub> (0.05 equiv), CuI (4.0 equiv), DMF, rt	65/35	1 <sup>c</sup>

<sup>*a*</sup>Determined by <sup>1</sup>H NMR analysis. 8*Z* and 10*Z* mean 8*Z*, 10*E*- and 8*E*, 10*Z*-isomers, respectively. <sup>*b*</sup>Combined yield. <sup>*c*</sup>A mixture of homodimers derived from **12b** was obtained as major products (70~80%).<sup>31</sup>

hydrolysis under acidic conditions, affording  $3^{38}$  after HPLC separation. The gross structure of 3 including the stereochemistry of the C-1 position was confirmed by extensive NMR analyses. In particular, the configuration of the anomeric position was also supported by the  ${}^{1}J_{CH}$  coupling constant (173 Hz).<sup>39</sup> The other physical data for 3 showed agreement with those of the reported data for the natural product<sup>4</sup> (see Supporting Information, S-32).

Having completed the stereoselective synthesis of 2 and 3, we next turned our attention to the total synthesis of 1. Disaccharide 7 was prepared from 8, as summarized in Scheme 5. Treatment of 8 with N-iodosuccinimide in the presence of acetic acid<sup>40</sup> provided the corresponding glycosyl acetate 23 as an anomeric mixture. After hydrogenolysis of the benzyl

Scheme 4. Synthesis of L-Rhamnosyl Clostrienoate (3)



groups, the resulting compound was silvlated with TESOTf-DMAP in pyridine to afford fully protected disaccharides 24a,b (major/minor = ca. 2/1) in high yield. To accurately assign 24a and 24b in <sup>1</sup>H NMR, a mixture of the diastereomers was separated into each isomer by HPLC. In the <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectra  $(C_6D_6)$ , the anomeric proton at C-1' of the major product was observed at 6.47 ppm as a broad singlet,<sup>37</sup> whereas the corresponding signal of the minor showed a sharp singlet ( $\delta_{\rm H}$ 5.78). The spectral broadening of the major product suggested that the anomer exists as several conformers in solution that have a relatively high barrier for interconversion. In order to suppress the reversible conformational changes, NMR measurements were performed using  $CD_2Cl_2$  at -35 °C. As expected, a couple of signals derived from two conformers were observed in the <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectra, and the large couplingconstant value  $(J_{1',2'} = 7.3 \text{ Hz})$  of the anomeric proton of the minor conformer at 5.84 ppm revealed the major product to be a 1',2'-trans isomer 24a. The structure of the minor product 24b was supported by the difference NOE experiments (see Supporting Information, S-33).<sup>37</sup> Thus, irradiation of  $H_{1'}$ caused enhancement of signals due to H<sub>3'</sub> and H<sub>5'</sub>. These results became useful information for structural determination of the later esters (vide infra). Compounds 24a,b, upon brief treatment with sodium methoxide, led to the formation of 7. According to the procedure described above, 7 was coupled with 16, affording 26 as a major product. In this reaction, a trace amount of 25 was also isolated. Concerning the assignment of stereochemistry, differentiation of the anomeric

Scheme 5. Total Synthesis of Clostrienose (1)



configuration newly created was conducted on the basis of the correlation of the chemical shift of H-1' ( $\delta_{\rm H}$  6.51 for **26** vs 5.84, 5.87 for **25**) with those of the corresponding acetates ( $\delta_{\rm H}$  6.47 for **24a** vs 5.78 for **24b**) in the <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectra ( $C_6D_6$ ).<sup>37</sup> Furthermore, the anomeric configuration of **25** was also confirmed by nuclear Overhauser effect spectroscopy spectra; there were cross peaks between H<sub>1'</sub> and H<sub>3'</sub>, H<sub>5'</sub> in the L-rhamnose moiety (see Supporting Information, S-34). Finally, global deprotection of **26** was performed by treatment with aqueous acetic acid at rt, furnishing **1** after purification by HPLC.<sup>38</sup> The <sup>1</sup>H- and <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectral data of **1** were consistent with those of the natural product unambiguously.

In conclusion, clostrienoic acid (2) was synthesized *via* Migita-Kosugi-Stille coupling of octadienyl carbonate **6** and a chiral vinyltin derivative **12b** as a key step. By utilizing the

acid precursor 16 as a common key building block, total synthesis of a couple of fatty-acid glycosyl esters 1 and 3 was accomplished. Chemical preparation of these samples would be a useful tool for clarifying the metabolism of *C. acetobutylicum* and for improvement of ABE fermentation.

## EXPERIMENTAL SECTION

General Experimental Procedures. Optical rotations were measured using a JASCO DIP-370 digital polarimeter. IR spectra were recorded by an attenuated total reflectance method using ZnSe prism on a JASCO FT/IR-4600 spectrophotometer. <sup>1</sup>H and <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectra were recorded at 500 or 600 MHz with Agilent Technologies V500 or JEOL ECZ600 spectrometers. Chemical shifts were referenced to a residual signal of solvents [CDCl<sub>3</sub> ( $\delta_{\rm H}$  7.26,  $\delta_{\rm C}$  77.0), CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> ( $\delta_{\rm H}$  5.32,  $\delta_{\rm C}$  53.8), C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub> ( $\delta_{\rm H}$  7.15,  $\delta_{\rm C}$  128.0), and DMSO- $d_6$  $(\delta_{\rm H} 2.62, \delta_{\rm C} 39.8)$ ]. Electrospray ionization (ESI) MS was recorded on a JEOL JMS-T100 or Waters Synapt G2 mass spectrometer. Preparative HPLC was conducted on a Senshu SSC system with a Senshu Pak PEGASIL Silica 60-5 column  $(20 \times 250 \text{ mm}, \text{SSC})$  or a Capcell Pak C<sub>18</sub> column  $(20 \times 250 \text{ mm}, \text{SSC})$ mm, Shiseido). Merck precoated silica gel 60  $F_{254}$  plates, 0.25 mm in thickness, were used for analytical thin-layer chromatography. Column chromatography was performed on Kanto Silica Gel 60N (spherical, neutral; 40–100  $\mu$ m), and the columns were eluted in the flash mode.

(R)-3-tert-Butyldimethylsilyloxy-1-tert-butyldiphenylsilyloxy-5-hexyne (10a). To a stirred solution of 9 (3.52 g, 9.98 mmol) and imidazole (2.04 g, 29.9 mmol) in N,Ndimethylformamide (20 mL) was added tert-butyldimethylsilyl chloride (2.26 g, 15.0 mmol) at 0 °C, and the mixture was stirred at 0 °C--> rt for 16 h. After the addition of ice-water, the resulting mixture was stirred for 30 min and then extracted with ether. The combined organic layers were washed with cold HCl, water, saturated aqueous NaHCO<sub>3</sub>, water, and brine, dried, and concentrated. The residue was chromatographed on silica gel (*n*-hexane-ether = 100:1->50:1) to give 10a (4.29 g, 99%) as a syrup:  $[\alpha]_D^{21} = -14.2$  (c 1.1, CHCl<sub>3</sub>); IR (ZnSe):  $\nu_{\rm max}$  3311, 2928, 2856, 2117, 1471, 1254, 1086, 836, 701 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 500 MHz): δ 7.70–7.63 (m, 4H), 7.44– 7.36 (m, 6H), 4.07 (m, 1H), 3.78–3.73 (m, 2H), 2.37–2.35 (m, 2H), 1.98 (t, J = 2.7 Hz, 1H), 1.91 (m, 1H), 1.76 (m, 1H),1.06 (s, 9H), 0.87 (s, 9H), 0.09 (s, 3H), 0.04 (s, 3H);  $^{13}C$ NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 125 MHz): δ 135.6, 133.9, 133.8, 129.6, 129.5, 127.6, 81.6, 70.0, 67.9, 60.4, 39.4, 27.6, 26.8, 25.8, 19.2, 18.0, -4.5, -4.8; HRMS (ESI): m/z 467.2782 [M + H]<sup>+</sup> (calcd for  $C_{28}H_{43}O_2Si_2$ , 467.2801).

(R)-1-tert-Butyldiphenylsilyloxy-3-tetrahydropyranyloxy-5-hexyne (10b). To a stirred solution of 9 (3.00 g, 8.52 mmol) and 3,4-dihydro-2H-pyran (1.32 mL, 14.5 mmol) in dichloromethane (25 mL) was added pyridinium p-toluenesulfonate (214 mg, 0.85 mmol) at rt. The mixture was stirred at rt for 5 h and then diluted with ether, washed with saturated aqueous NaHCO<sub>3</sub>, water, and brine, dried, and concentrated. The residue was chromatographed on silica gel (n-hexane-ether = 10:1->5:1) to give 10b (3.13 g, 84%) as a syrup: IR (ZnSe):  $\nu_{\rm max}$  3313, 2926, 2117, 1235, 1087, 1022, 870, 702 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 500 MHz): δ 7.70–7.63 (m, 4H), 7.44–7.35 (m, 6H), 4.81 (brt, J = 3.6 Hz, 0.5H), 4.63 (brt, J = 3.9 Hz, 0.5H), 4.10-4.04 (m, 0.5H), 4.00-3.93 (m, 1H), 3.87-3.84 (m, 0.5H), 3.82-3.73 (m, 2H), 3.50-3.42 (m, 1H), 2.60 (ddd, J = 16.6, 4.4, 2.7 Hz, 0.5H), 2.52 (ddd, J = 16.6, 7.3, 2.7 Hz, 0.5H), 2.46 (ddd, I = 16.8, 6.1, 2.7 Hz, 0.5H), 2.38 (ddd, I =

16.8, 5.1, 2.7 Hz, 0.5H), 2.01–1.90 (m, 1.5H), 1.99 (t, J = 2.7 Hz, 0.5H), 1.96 (t, J = 2.7 Hz, 0.5H), 1.82–1.68 (m, 2H), 1.64–1.44 (m, 4.5H), 1.06, 1.05 (each s, total 9H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 125 MHz):  $\delta$  135.5, 133.9, 133.8, 133.7, 129.6, 129.5, 127.60, 127.56, 100.0, 96.3, 81.4, 81.0, 73.6, 70.3, 69.9, 62.8, 62.2, 60.5, 60.0, 37.6, 36.6, 30.9, 30.7, 26.85, 26.81, 25.9, 25.4, 23.5, 19.8, 19.4, 19.2; HRMS (ESI): m/z 459.2326 [M + Na]<sup>+</sup> (calcd for C<sub>27</sub>H<sub>36</sub>O<sub>3</sub>SiNa, 459.2331).

(3R)-6-Bromo-3-tert-butyldimethylsilyloxy-1-tert-butyldiphenylsilyloxy-5-hexyne (11a). To a stirred solution of 10a (200 mg, 0.43 mmol) in acetone (2.0 mL) were added Nbromosuccinimide (83.7 mg, 0.47 mmol) and silver nitrate (7.3 mg, 43.0  $\mu$ mol) at rt. The mixture was stirred at rt for 1 h and then diluted with ether, washed with water and brine, dried, and concentrated. The residue was chromatographed on silica gel (n-hexane-ether = 50:1) to give 11a (235 mg, 99%) as a syrup:  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = -13.8$  (c 1.4, CHCl<sub>3</sub>); IR (ZnSe):  $\nu_{max}$ 2927, 2856, 1427, 1389, 1086, 890, 701 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 500 MHz): δ 7.72–7.67 (m, 4H), 7.48–7.39 (m, 6H), 4.09 (m, 1H), 3.82-3.74 (m, 2H), 2.53-2.36 (m, 2H), 1.86 (m, 1H), 1.76 (m, 1H), 1.10 (s, 9H), 0.91 (s, 9H), 0.12 (s, 3H), 0.08 (s, 3H);  $^{13}$ C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 125 MHz):  $\delta$  135.6, 135.5, 133.9, 133.8, 129.59, 129.56, 127.64, 127.63, 77.8, 67.9, 60.3, 39.6, 39.4, 28.8, 26.8, 25.8, 19.2, 18.0, -4.5, -4.8; HRMS (ESI): m/z 489.1127 [M-t-Bu]<sup>+</sup> (calcd for C<sub>24</sub>H<sub>32</sub>O<sub>2</sub>Si<sub>2</sub>Br, 489.1104).

(3R)-6-Bromo-1-tert-butyldiphenylsilyloxy-3-tetrahydro*pyranyloxy-5-hexyne* (11b). To a stirred solution of 10b (1.87) g, 4.27 mmol) in acetone (20 mL) were added Nbromosuccinimide (0.84 g, 4.70 mmol) and silver nitrate (72.5 mg, 0.43 mmol) at rt. The mixture was stirred at rt for 1 h and then diluted with ether, washed with water and brine, dried, and concentrated. The residue was chromatographed on silica gel (*n*-hexane-benzene =  $100:1 \rightarrow 2:1 \rightarrow 1:1$ ) to give 11b (2.20 g, 99%) as a syrup: IR (ZnSe):  $\nu_{max}$  3070, 2930, 2855, 2213, 1472, 1427, 1110, 1075, 1021, 700 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 500 MHz): δ 7.69–7.65 (m, 4H), 7.44–7.33 (m, 6H), 4.78 (brt, J = 3.2 Hz, 0.5H), 4.61 (brt, J = 3.7 Hz, 0.5H), 4.06 (m, 0.5H), 3.99-3.91 (m, 1H), 3.86 (m, 0.5H), 3.82-3.71 (m, 2H), 3.51-3.41 (m, 1H), 2.63 (dd, J = 16.6, 4.4 Hz, 0.5H), 2.53 (dd, J = 16.6, 7.6 Hz, 0.5H), 2.48 (dd, J = 16.9, 5.9 Hz, 0.5H), 2.41 (dd, J = 16.9, 5.1, 0.5H), 1.97-1.86 (m, 1.5H), 1.82-1.67 (m, 2H), 1.62-1.43 (m, 4.5H), 1.07, 1.06 (each s, total 9H);  ${}^{13}$ C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  135.52, 135.50, 133.85, 133.81, 133.7, 133.6, 129.6, 129.52, 129.50, 127.62, 127,59, 127.56, 100.0, 96.4, 77.4, 77.03, 73.5, 70.3, 62.7, 62.3, 60.4, 60.0, 39.3, 37.6, 36.7, 30.9, 30.7, 27.1, 26.82, 26.78, 25.4, 24.7, 19.8, 19.4, 19.1; HRMS (ESI): m/z  $537.1431[M + Na]^+$  (calcd for C<sub>27</sub>H<sub>35</sub>O<sub>3</sub>SiNaBr, 537.1437).

*Hydrostannyllation of* **10a**. *Entry* **8**. To a stirred solution of **10a** (272 mg, 0.50 mmol) and tetrakis(triphenylphosphine) palladium {Pd(Ph<sub>3</sub>P)<sub>4</sub>} (31 mg, 26.8 mmol) in tetrahydrofuran (3 mL) was added dropwise tributyltin hydride (0.4 mL, 1.49 mmol) at -78 °C. The mixture was stirred at -78 °C for 1.2 h and rt for 1.8 h and then concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was passed through a short column of silica gel (*n*-hexane  $\rightarrow$  *n*-hexane/ether = 200/1  $\rightarrow$  50/1) to give a 61:39 mixture of **12a** and **13** (340 mg). The latter was partly separated by preparative TLC. The yield of **12a** (*E*/*Z*/terminal = 95/2/3) was 64% by <sup>1</sup>H NMR analyses.

*Entry* **1**. A mixture of **10a** (100 mg, 0.21 mmol), tributyltin hydride (0.07 mL, 0.26 mmol), and a trace amount of 2,2'-azobis(isobutyronitrile) was heated at 100 °C with stirring for

1 h, cooled to rt, and then passed through a short column of silica gel (*n*-hexane) to give a 95:5 mixture of **12a** and **13** (156 mg). The former was obtained as an inseparable mixture (E/Z/terminal = 84/15/1), while the latter could be partly separated by preparative TLC. The yield of **12a** was 93% by <sup>1</sup>H NMR analyses.

12a. Syrup; IR (ZnSe):  $\nu_{max}$  2926, 2855, 1596, 1427, 1253, 1084, 1021, 773, 619 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 500 MHz):  $\delta$  7.69–7.63 (m, 4H), 7.45–7.36 (m, 6H), 6.10–5.85 (m, 2H), 3.97 (m, 1H), 3.76–3.68 (m, 2H), 2.36–2.16 (m, 2H), 1.72–1.70 (m, 2H), 1.60–1.27 (m, 12H), 1.06 (s, 9H), 0.90 (s, 9H), 0.89–0.70 (m, 15H), 0.05 (s, 3H), 0.02 (s, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 125 MHz):  $\delta$  145.7, 135.6, 134.0, 133.9, 130.4 ( $J_{Sn-C}$  = 392.9 and 376.7 Hz), 129.49, 129.48, 127.6, 69.0, 60.8, 46.2, 39.7, 29.1 ( $J_{Sn-C}$  = 20.0 Hz), 27.3 ( $J_{Sn-C}$  = 54.4 Hz), 26.8, 25.8, 19.2, 18.1, 13.7, 9.4 ( $J_{Sn-C}$  = 341.5 and 326.2 Hz), -4.34, -4.63; HRMS (ESI): m/z 701.3244 [M-t-Bu]<sup>+</sup> (calcd for C<sub>36</sub>H<sub>61</sub>O<sub>2</sub>Si<sub>2</sub>Sn, 701.3232).

13. Syrup;  $[\alpha]_D^{22} = -15.2$  (*c* 0.1, CHCl<sub>3</sub>); IR (ZnSe):  $\nu_{max}$ 3069, 2856, 1639, 1474, 1428, 1235, 1086, 738, 700 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 500 MHz):  $\delta$  7.67–7.64 (m, 4H), 7.43–7.35 (m, 6H), 5.79 (m, 1H), 5.08–4.90 (m, 2H), 3.93 (ddd, *J* = 12.1, 6.1, 5.8 Hz, 1H), 3.75–3.68 (m, 2H), 2.27–2.15 (m, 2H), 1.72–1.63 (m, 2H), 1.04 (s, 9H), 0.85 (s, 9H), 0.04 (s, 3H), 0.01 (s, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 500 MHz):  $\delta$  135.5, 135.2, 133.9, 129.5, 127.6, 116.8, 68.8, 60.8, 42.0, 39.5, 26.8, 25.9, 19.2, 18.1, -4.4, -4.7; HRMS (ES): *m/z* 469.2955 [M + H]<sup>+</sup> (calcd for C<sub>28</sub>H<sub>45</sub>O<sub>2</sub>Si<sub>2</sub>, 469.2958).

*Hydrostannyllation of* **11b**. *Entry* **9**. To a stirred solution of **11b** (1.0 g, 1.94 mmol) and tetrakis(triphenylphosphine) palladium (115.6 mg, 0.1 mmol) in tetrahydrofuran (10 mL) was added dropwise tributyltin hydride (1.6 mL, 5.82 mmol) at -78 °C. The mixture was stirred at -78 °C for 1.5 h and then at rt for 1 h and concentrated. The residue was passed through a short column of silica gel (*n*-hexane-benzene = 2:1  $\rightarrow$  1:1) to give **12b** (1.28 g, 91%) as an inseparable mixture of stereoisomers (*E*/*Z*/terminal = 95/3/2). This compound was employed to the next step without further purification.

*12b.* Syrup; IR (ZnSe):  $\nu_{max}$  2926, 2853, 1598, 1111, 1074, 1021, 997, 699 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 500 MHz):  $\delta$  7.70–7.65 (m, 4H), 7.43–7.35 (m, 6H), 6.10–5.88 (m, 2H), 4.73 (brt, *J* = 3.2 Hz, 0.5H), 4.65 (brt, *J* = 3.6 Hz, 0.5H), 3.97–3.71 (m, 4H), 3.49–3.37 (m, 1H), 2.65–2.21 (m, 2H), 1.92–1.41 (m, 14H), 1.31 (dq, *J* = 14.5, 7.1 Hz, 6H), 1.064, 1.060, 1.057 (each s, total 9H), 0.95–0.88 (m, 15H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 125 MHz):  $\delta$  145.8, 145.2, 135.6, 135.5, 134.1, 134.0, 133.9, 133.8, 130.9, 130.3 (*J*<sub>Sn-C</sub> = 394.8 and 375.9 Hz), 129.5, 129.4, 127.6, 127.53, 127.52, 98.6, 96.8, 74.1, 72.5, 62.5, 62.3, 60.9, 60.3, 44.5, 42.5, 37.9, 36.6, 30.9, 29.1 (*J*<sub>Sn-C</sub> = 20.0 Hz), 27.3 (*J*<sub>Sn-C</sub> = 54.0 Hz), 26.84, 26.81, 25.55, 25.50, 19.7, 19.6, 19.18, 19.15, 13.7, 9.38 (*J*<sub>Sn-C</sub> = 340.5 and 324.3 Hz); HRMS (ESI): *m/z* 751.3545 [M + Na]<sup>+</sup> (calcd for C<sub>39</sub>H<sub>64</sub>O<sub>3</sub>SiSnNa, 751.3544).

(3R,5E,8E,10E)-1-tert-Butyldiphenylsilyoxy-3-tetrahydropyranyloxy-5,8,10-tetradecatriene (14). To a stirred solution of 6 (229 mg, 1.24 mmol) and 12b (1.13 g, 1.49 mmol) in N,N-dimethylformamide (10 mL) were added lithium chloride (347 mg, 8.18 mmol) and tris(dibenzylideneacetone)dipalladium (34.1 mg, 37.2  $\mu$ mol) at rt. The mixture was stirred at rt for 19 h. After the addition of ice water, the resulting mixture was extracted with ether. The combined organic layers were washed successively with water and brine, dried, and concentrated. The residue was chromatographed on

silica gel (*n*-hexane-benzene =  $100:1 \rightarrow 2:1 \rightarrow 1:1$ ) to give 14 (602 mg, 89%) as a syrup (5E,8E,10E/5E,8Z,10E/5E,8E,10Z =8.6/1/1 by <sup>1</sup>H NMR analysis): IR (ZnSe):  $\nu_{max}$  2925, 2853, 1472, 1427, 1235, 1087, 871, 701 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz,  $C_6D_6$ ):  $\delta$  7.81–7.71 (m, 4H), 7.23–7.20 (m, 6H), 6.09–5.99 (m, 2H), 5.63–5.39 (m, 4H), 4.73 (m, 1H), 4.04–3.95 (m, 1.5H), 3.91–3.85 (1H), 3.83–3.72 (m, 1.5H), 3.39 (m, 0.5H), 3.34 (m, 0.5H), 2.72–2.65 (m, 2H), 2.52–2.37 (m, 1H), 2.23-2.14 (m, 1H), 1.95-1.46 (m, 7H), 1.32-1.17 (m, 5H), 1.19, 1.15 (each s, total 9H), 0.83 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 500 MHz): δ 135.9, 134.51, 134.50, 134.4, 134.3, 133.2, 133.1, 131.4, 131.3, 131.1, 130.72, 130.68, 130.5, 130.4, 129.94, 129.87, 129.85, 128.0, 127.94, 127.93, 127.4, 99.2, 97.0, 74.7, 72.7, 62.9, 62.8, 61.4, 60.8, 39.3, 38.1, 37.2, 37.1, 36.0, 35.0, 31.5, 31.4, 27.00, 26.99, 25.98, 25.95, 22.9, 20.3, 20.2, 19.4, 13.8; HRMS (ESI): m/z 569.3411 [M + Na]<sup>+</sup> (calcd for C<sub>35</sub>H<sub>50</sub>O<sub>3</sub>SiNa, 569.3427).

(3R,5E,8E,10E)-3-Tetrahydropyranyloxy-tetradeca-5,8,10trien-1-ol (15). To a stirred solution of 14 (71.3 mg, 0.13 mmol) in tetrahydrofuran (1.5 mL) was added dropwise a 1.0 M solution of *n*-tetrabutylammonium fluoride in tetrahydrofuran (0.16 mL, 0.16 mmol) at rt. The mixture was stirred at rt for 4 h and then diluted with ethyl acetate, washed with brine, dried, and concentrated. The residue was chromatographed on silica gel (*n*-hexane-ethyl acetate =  $10:1 \rightarrow 4:1$ ) to give a syrup (40 mg) as a regioisomeric mixture. This was purified by HPLC using a Shiseido Capcell-Pak  $C_{18}$  column (20 × 250 mm) with a mobile phase of acetonitrile/water (80:20) to give 15 (31.3 mg, 78%) as a syrup: IR (ZnSe):  $\nu_{max}$  3417, 2923, 2870, 1432, 1383, 1235, 1076, 1022, 985, 868, cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR  $(C_6D_6, 500 \text{ MHz}): \delta 6.08-6.02 \text{ (m, 2H)}, 5.58-5.34 \text{ (m, 4H)},$ 4.71 (t, J = 3.8 Hz, 0.5H), 4.40 (dd, J = 7.1, 2.5 Hz, 0.5H), 3.97 (m, 0.5H), 3.91 (m, 0.5H), 3.87-3.81 (m, 1H), 3.73 (m, 0.5H), 3.68 (m, 0.5H), 3.63 (m, 0.5H), 3.54 (m, 0.5H), 3.33 (m, 0.5H), 3.14 (m, 0.5H), 2.71 (brdt, J = 7,3, 6.4 Hz, 1H),2.69 (brdt, I = 6.9, 6.1 Hz, 1H), 2.47 (m, 0.5H), 2.39 (m, 0.5H), 2.18-2.07 (m, 1H), 1.93 (brdt, J = 7.3, 7.1 Hz, 2H), 1.71-1.38 (m, 5H), 1.30-1.01 (m, 3H), 1.29 (brqd, J = 7.4, 7.3 Hz, 2H), 0.82 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR ( $CD_2Cl_2$ ,125 MHz): δ 133.25, 133.17, 131.5, 131.4, 131.3, 131.1, 130.64, 130.61, 130.3, 130.2, 127.6, 127.2, 100.4, 99.2, 76.8, 75.2, 65.4, 63.0, 60.3, 59.6, 39.0, 38.8, 37.4, 36.2, 35.9, 35.0, 31.61, 31.56, 25.9, 25.6, 22.9, 21.8, 20.2, 13.8; HRMS (ESI): m/z 331.2243  $[M + Na]^+$  (calcd for  $C_{19}H_{32}O_3Na$ , 331.2249).

(3R,5E,8E,10E)-3-Tetrahydropyranyloxy-tetradeca-5,8,10trienoic Acid (16). To a stirred suspension of 15 (272 mg, 0.89 mmol) and NaHCO<sub>3</sub> (150 mg, 1.78 mmol) in dichloromethane (5.0 mL) was added Dess-Martin periodinane (560 mg, 1.32 mmol) at 0 °C, and the mixture was stirred at 0 °C for 1.5 h. After the addition of saturated aqueous NaHCO<sub>3</sub>/  $Na_2S_2O_3$  (1:1), the resulting mixture was extracted with ether. The combined organic layers were washed successively with water and brine, dried, and concentrated. The residue was passed through a short column of silica gel (n-hexane-ethyl acetate = 6:1) to give a syrup (241 mg) which was dissolved in tetrahydrofuran-2-methyl-2-propanol-water (8:3:1, 7.2 mL). To this solution were added  $NaH_2PO_4 \cdot 2H_2O$  (417 mg, 2.67 mmol) and 2-methyl-2-butene (1.42 mL, 13.4 mmol). To a stirred solution of the above mixture was added dropwise a solution of sodium chlorite (242 mg, 2.67 mmol) in water (0.6 mL) at 0 °C, and the resulting mixture was stirred at the same temperature for 20 min. After the addition of saturated aqueous  $Na_2S_2O_3$ , the resulting mixture was extracted with

ethyl acetate. The combined organic layers were washed successively with water, brine, and concentrated. The residue was chromatographed on silica gel (n-hexane-ethyl acetate =  $6{:}1 \rightarrow 4{:}1)$  to give 16 (250 mg, 87%) as a syrup; IR (ZnSe):  $\nu_{\rm max}$  3180, 3017, 2929, 2866, 1726, 1707, 1438, 1282, 1134, 1021, 984, 764 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR ( $C_6D_{67}$  500 MHz):  $\delta$  6.09– 6.00 (m, 2H), 5.54-5.29 (m, 4H), 4.83 (t, J = 3.5 Hz, 0.5 H),4.68 (t, J = 3.7 Hz, 0.5H), 4.23–4.19 (m, 1H), 3.87–3.80 (m, 1H), 3.39-3.31 (m, 1H), 2.68-2.60 (m, 2.5H), 2.48-2.33 (m, 2.5H), 2.19 (m, 1H), 1.95 (brdd, J = 7.4, 7.1 Hz, 2H), 1.69-1.62 (m, 1H), 1.60-1.54 (m, 1H), 1.55-1.50 (m, 1H), 1.31 (brqt, J = 7.4, 7.3 Hz, 2H), 1.28-1.19 (m, 3H), 0.84 (t, J = 7.3)Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (500 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>): δ 178.1, 177.7, 132.77, 132.67, 131.9, 131.8, 131.7 (x2), 131.1, 131.07, 130.0, 129.9, 127.0, 126.5, 99.1, 97.7, 74.2, 73.3, 62.32, 62.27, 40.5, 39.3, 37.3, 35.97, 35.95, 35.0, 31.3, 31.1, 25.8, 25.7, 22.9, 19.80, 19.77, 13.8; HRMS (ESI): m/z 321.2069  $[M - H]^-$  (calcd for C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>29</sub>O<sub>4</sub>, 321.2066).

Clostrienoic Acid (2). A solution of 16 (150 mg, 0.47 mmol) in 80% acetic acid (8.0 mL) was stirred at rt for 2 h and then concentrated. The residue was, after coevaporation with toluene (x2), purified by HPLC using a Shiseido Capcell-Pak  $C_{18}$  column (20 × 250 mm) with a mobile phase of acetonitrile: 0.1% formic acid-H<sub>2</sub>O (40:60) to give 2 (74 mg, 66%) as an amorphous solid;  $[\alpha]_{\rm D}^{25} = -9.6$  (c 0.55, CHCl<sub>3</sub>) {lit.<sup>4</sup>  $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -9.1$  (*c* 1, CHCl<sub>3</sub>)}; IR (ZnSe):  $\nu_{max}$  3379, 2959, 2924, 1710, 1235, 1086, 969, 873 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, DMSO- $d_6$ ):  $\delta$  6.02–5.95 (m, 2H), 5.55 (m, 2H), 5.47-5.37 (m, 2H), 3.82 (m, 1H), 2.72 (t, I = 4.8 Hz, 2H), 2.29 (dd, J = 14.9, 4.9 Hz, 1H), 2.17 (dd, J = 14.9, 8.3 Hz, 1H), 2.09 (t, J = 5.9 Hz, 2H), 1.99 (brdd, J = 7.1, 7.0 Hz, 2H), 1.34 (qd, J = 7.4, 7.1 Hz, 2H), 0.85 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 3H); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 6.02–5.99 (m, 2H), 5.63–5.55 (m, 3H), 5.46-5.38 (m, 1H), 4.07 (m, 1H), 2.79 (t, J = 6.4Hz, 2H), 2.58 (dd, J = 16.6, 3.5 Hz, 1H), 2.48 (dd, J = 16.6, 9.0 Hz, 1H), 2.26 (t, I = 6.4 Hz, 2H), 2.01–2.06 (brdd, I =14.4, 7.1 Hz, 2H), 1.40 (qd, J = 7.3, 7.1 Hz, 2H), 0.89 (t, J =7.3 Hz, 3H);  ${}^{13}$ C NMR (125 MHz, DMSO- $d_6$ ):  $\delta$  173.0, 132.2, 130.7, 130.4, 130.1(x2), 127.5, 67.2, 41.9, 40.2, 34.9, 34.0, 22.0, 13.5; HRMS (ESI): m/z 237.1486  $[M - H]^-$  (calcd for  $C_{14}H_{21}O_{3}$ , 237.1491).

Benzyl 2,3-O-isopropylidene-4-O-triethylsilyl- $\alpha$ - $\iota$ -rhamnopyranoside (19). To a stirred solution of 17 (1.88 g, 7.41 mmol) and 2,2-dimethoxypropane (1.09 mL, 8.90 mmol) in acetone (40.0 mL) was added p-toluenesulfonic acid monohydrate (141 mg, 0.74 mmol), and the mixture was stirred at rt for 12 h. After the addition of triethylamine, the resulting mixture was concentrated in vacuo. The residue was passed through a short column of silica gel (benzene-ethyl acetate = 6:1) to give the corresponding acetonide<sup>29</sup> (1.60 g, 73%) as a syrup. This compound was employed to the next step without further purification. To a stirred solution of the above acetonide (81.2 mg, 0.28 mmol) and 2,6-lutidine (48.0  $\mu$ L, 0.41 mmol) in dichloromethane (2.0 mL) was added dropwise triethylsilyl trifluoromethanesulfonate (TESOTf) (76.9  $\mu$ L, 0.34 mmol) at 0 °C, and the mixture was stirred at 0 °C  $\sim$  rt for 8.5 h. After the addition of ice water, the resulting mixture was vigorously stirred for 10 min and then extracted with ether. The combined organic layers were washed successively with cold aqueous HCl, water, saturated aqueous NaHCO<sub>3</sub>, water, and brine, dried, and concentrated. The residue was chromatographed on silica gel (*n*-hexane  $\rightarrow$  *n*hexane-ether = 20:1) to give 19 (110 mg, 96%) as an

amorphous solid;  $[\alpha]_D^{21} = -46.4$  (*c* 1.0, CHCl<sub>3</sub>); IR (ZnSe):  $\nu_{max}$  2956, 2909, 2875, 1456, 1380, 1241, 1219, 1083, 865, 740 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.35–7.29 (m, 4H), 5.03 (s, 1H), 4.69, 4.49 (each d, *J* = 11.8 Hz, total 2H), 4.15 (d, *J* = 5.5 Hz, 1H), 4.00 (dd, *J* = 7.1, 5.5 Hz, 1H), 3.68 (dq, *J* = 9.5, 6.1 Hz, 1H), 3.36 (dd, *J* = 9.5, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 1.51 (s, 3H), 1.33 (s, 3H), 1.26 (d, *J* = 6.1 Hz, 1H), 0.96 (t, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 9H), 0.66 (m, 6H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  137.2, 128.5, 128.2, 127.9, 108.9, 96.2, 79.1, 76.2, 75.9, 69.0, 66.1, 28.1, 26.4, 17.5, 6.8, 5.0; HRMS (ESI): *m/z* 431.2216 [M + Na]<sup>+</sup> (calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>36</sub>O<sub>5</sub>NaSi, 431.2230).

2,3-O-Isopropylidene-4-O-triethylsilyl- $\alpha$ -L-rhamnopyranose (20). A mixture of 19 (200 mg, 0.49 mmol) and 10% Pd/ C (40 mg) in ethyl acetate (4.0 mL) was stirred vigorously under a hydrogen atmosphere at rt for 1.5 h, filtered through a pad of Celite, and then concentrated. The residue was chromatographed on silica gel (n-hexane-ethyl acetate = 4:1) to give 20 (153 mg, 98%) as an amorphous solid; IR (ZnSe):  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  3421, 2956, 2908, 2876, 1457, 1380, 1239, 1219, 1101, 1073, 844 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>): δ 5.23 (d, J = 4.7 Hz, 0.89H), 4.92 (dd, J = 11.2, 2.5 Hz, 0.11H), 4.19 (dd, J = 5.8, 2.5 Hz, 0.11H), 4.14 (brd, J = 5.4 Hz, 0.89H),4.05 (brt, J = 6.4 Hz, 1H), 3.83 (dq, J = 8.4, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 3.47 (d, I = 11.2 Hz, 0.11 H), 3.46 - 3.36 (m, 1H), 3.00 (d, I = 4.7 Hz)Hz, 0.89H) 1.52 (s, 0.33H), 1.49 (s, 2.67H), 1.36 (s, 0.33H), 1.33 (s, 2.67H), 1.26 (d, J = 6.3 Hz, 0.33H), 1.23 (d, J = 6.3 Hz, 2.67H), 0.97 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 8.01H), 0.96 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 0.99H), 0.73–0.58 (m, 6H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (500 MHz,  $CD_2Cl_2$ ):  $\delta$ 110.5 ( $\beta$ -anomer), 109.4 ( $\alpha$ -anomer), 93.0 ( $\beta$ ), 92.4 ( $\alpha$ ), 80.6  $(\beta), 79.0 (\alpha), 76.7 (\alpha), 75.8 (\alpha), 75.6 (\beta), 75.1 (\beta), 73.5 (\beta),$ 67.1 ( $\alpha$ ), 28.1 ( $\alpha$ ), 27.8 ( $\beta$ ), 26.5 ( $\beta$ ), 26.4 ( $\alpha$ ), 18.7 ( $\beta$ ), 18.1 ( $\alpha$ ), 7.0 ( $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ ), 5.32 ( $\alpha$ ), 5.29 ( $\beta$ ); HRMS (ESI): m/z341.1754  $[M + Na]^+$  (calcd for  $C_{15}H_{30}O_5NaSi$ , 341.1760).

(3R,5E,8E,10E)-2,3-O-Isopropylidene-4-O-triethylsilyl- $\beta$ -L-Rhamnopyranosyl 3-(Tetrahydropyranyloxy)tetradeca-5,8,10-trienoate (**21**) and (3R,5E,8E,10E)-2,3-O-Isopropylidene-4-O-triethylsilyl- $\alpha$ -L-Rhamnopyranosyl 3-(Tetrahydropyranyloxy)tetradeca-5,8,10-trienoate (**22**). To a stirred solution of **20** (30.0 mg, 93.5  $\mu$ mol) and **16** (20.1 mg, 62.3  $\mu$ mol) in dichloromethane (0.5 mL) were added DCC (15.4 mg, 74.8  $\mu$ mol) and DMAP (0.8 mg, 6.23  $\mu$ mol) at 0 °C. The mixture was stirred at 0 °C ~ rt for 18 h and then concentrated. The residue was chromatographed on a column of silica gel (*n*-hexane-ether = 30:1  $\rightarrow$  10:1) to give **22** (33.4 mg, 86%) as an amorphous solid. Further elution with *n*hexane-ethyl acetate (10:1) afforded an oil which was purified by preparative TLC (*n*-hexane-ether = 10:1) to give **21** (2.0 mg, 5%) as an amorphous solid.

21. IR (ZnSe):  $\nu_{max}$  2956, 2934, 2874, 1749, 1377, 1112, 1088, 1022, 986, 727 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>):  $\delta$  6.22 (d, J = 2.7 Hz, 0.51H), 6.17 (d, J = 2.7 Hz, 0.49H), 6.08–6.04 (m, 2H), 5.56–5.40 (m, 4H), 4.91, 4.75 (each t, J = 7.1 Hz, total 1H), 4.38–4.30 (m, 1H), 3.97–3.71 (m, 4H), 3.44–3.31 (m, 2H), 2.86–2.41 (m, 5H), 2.27 (m, 1H), 1.96 (brdd, J = 7.1, 7.1 Hz, 2H), 1.78–1.23 (m, 8H), 1.468, 1.465 (each s, total 3H), 1.35 (d, J = 6.1 Hz, 3H), 1.19 (s, 3H), 1.04 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 9H), 0.84 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 3H), 0.80–0.65 (m, 6H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>):  $\delta$  170.4, 170.2, 133.24, 133.20, 132,1, 131.9, 131.5, 130.6, 130.15, 130.11, 126.9, 126.4, 110.71, 110.69, 99.4, 97.9, 90.95, 90.92, 80.41, 80.38, 75.1, 74.4, 73.7, 73.41, 73.36, 73.1, 62.82, 62.78, 40.7, 39.7, 39.2, 37.2, 35.9, 35.0, 31.3, 31.2, 30.1, 27.6, 27.5, 26.00, 25.96, 25.90, 25.8, 22.9, 20.00, 19.98, 18.74, 18.71, 13.82, 6.9, 5.2; HRMS

(ESI): m/z 645.3794 [M + Na]<sup>+</sup> (calcd for C<sub>34</sub>H<sub>58</sub>O<sub>8</sub>NaSi, 645.3799).

22. IR (ZnSe):  $\nu_{\rm max}$  2956, 2921, 2874, 1749, 1380, 1118, 1083, 1022, 862 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>):  $\delta$  6.74 (m, 0.46H), 6.72 (m, 0.54H), 6.09-6.02 (m, 2H), 5.57-5.35 (m, 4H), 4.87 (t, J = 3.4 Hz, 0.54H), 4.65 (t, J = 4.4 Hz, 0.46H), 4.29 (m, 0.46H), 4.23 (m, 0.54H), 4.17 (d, J = 5.2 Hz, 0.46H),4.13-4.05 (m, 1.54H), 3.97-3.80 (m, 2H), 3.59-3.54 (m, 1H), 3.38-3.31 (m, 1H), 2.72-2.64 (m, 2.46H), 2.52-2.40 (m, 2H), 2.34 (dd, J = 15.4, 4.4 Hz, 0.56H), 2.25–2.19 (m, 1H), 1.95 (brdd, J = 7.4, 7.1 Hz, 2H), 1.72–1.19 (m, 11H), 1.45, 1.43 (each s, total 3H), 1.16, 1.18 (each s, total 3H), 1.039, 1.036 (each t, J = 7.8 Hz, total 9H), 0.84 (t, J = 6.4 Hz, 3H), 0.81–0.66 (m, 6H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz,  $C_6D_6$ ):  $\delta$ 169.5, 169.4, 132.8, 132.7, 131.9, 131.8, 131.78, 131.75, 131.10, 131.07, 129.94, 129.87, 127.0, 126.5, 109.5, 109.4, 99.5, 97.8, 91.8, 91.7, 79.33, 79.29, 76.3, 76.2, 75.93, 75.90, 74.5, 73.2, 69.1, 69.0, 62.7, 62.5, 40.5, 39.5, 39.4, 37.3, 36.01, 35.98, 35.0, 31.4, 31.3, 28.12, 28.10, 26.4, 26.3, 25.8, 25.7, 22.9, 20.2, 19.9, 18.0, 13.8, 7.1, 5.4; HRMS (ESI): *m*/*z* 645.3784 [M + Na]<sup>+</sup> (calcd for  $C_{34}H_{58}O_8NaSi$ , 645.3799).

 $(3R, 5E, 8E, 10E) - \alpha - L - Rhamnopyranosyl Crostrienoate (3). A$ solution of 22 (252 mg, 0.40 mmol) in 80% acetic acid (17.0 mL) was stirred at rt for 3 d, concentrated, and then coevaporated with toluene-ethanol. The residue was chromatographed on silica gel (dichloromethane-methanol =  $100:1 \rightarrow$  $50:1 \rightarrow 10:1$ ) to give a syrup (159 mg) which was purified by HPLC using a Shiseido Capcell-Pak  $C_{18}$  column (20 × 250 mm) with a mobile phase of acetonitrile: water (4:7) to give 3 (127 mg, 82%) as a white powder after lyophilization;  $[\alpha]_D^{26} =$ -45.5 (c 1.0, MeOH); IR (ZnSe):  $\nu_{max}$  3353, 2956, 2930, 1734, 1258, 1134, 1057, 953, 804 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  6.03–5.97 (m, 2H), 5.95 (d, J = 1.7 Hz, 1H) 5.57-5.48 (m, 4H), 4.03 (m, 1H), 3.82 (m, 1H), 3.69-3.66 (m, 2H), 3.43 (t, J = 9.5 Hz, 1H), 2.77 (t, J = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 2.55 (dd, J = 15.4, 4.4 Hz, 1H), 2.40 (dd, J = 15.4, 8.8 Hz, 1H), 2.22 (m, 2H), 2.03 (brdd, J = 7.1, 7.0 Hz, 2H), 1.40 (dq, *J* = 7.1, 7.4 Hz, 2H), 1.24 (d, *J* = 6.1 Hz, 3H), 0.90 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 3H);  ${}^{13}$ C NMR (125 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  171.5, 133.5, 132.9, 132.5, 131.8, 130.7, 127.6, 95.4, 73.4, 72.3, 72.1, 71.2, 69.3, 42.6, 41.4, 36.6, 35.7, 23.7, 18.1, 14.0; HRMS (ESI): m/z 407.2041  $[M + Na]^+$  (calcd for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>32</sub>O<sub>7</sub>Na, 407.2046).

2,3,5,6-Tetra-O-benzyl- $\alpha$ -D-galactofuranosyl-(1  $\rightarrow$  2)-1-Oacetyl-3,4-di-O-benzyl-L-rhamnopyranose (23). To a stirred solution of 8 (300 mg, 0.33 mmol) in dichloromethane-ether (1:1; 2.0 mL) were added N-iodosuccinimide (90 mg, 0.40 mmol) and acetic acid (23  $\mu$ L, 0.40 mmol) at 0 °C. After 3 h, aqueous saturated NaHCO<sub>3</sub>/Na<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> (1:1) was added, and the resulting mixture was extracted with dichloromethane. The combined organic layers were washed with water and brine, dried, and concentrated. The residue was chromatographed on silica gel (benzene-ethyl acetate =  $50:1 \rightarrow 20:1$ ) to give 23 (200 mg, 67%) as an anomeric mixture: syrup: IR (ZnSe):  $\nu_{\text{max}}$ 3060, 3031, 2930, 2869, 1753, 1454, 1366, 1224, 1062, 1026, 735, 697 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz,  $CD_2Cl_2$ ):  $\delta$  7.47–7.20 (m, 30H), 6.17 (d, J = 2.4 Hz, 0.71H), 5.63 (d, J = 0.8 Hz, (0.29H), 5.53 (d, J = 4.1 Hz, (0.29H), 5.31 (d, J = 4.4 Hz, (0.71H), 4.94 (d, I = 11.4 Hz, (0.29H), 4.88 (d, I = 11.0 Hz, 0.29H), 4.82 (d, J = 10.8 Hz, 0.71H), 4.81 (d, J = 12.4 Hz, 0.29H), 4.75-4.08 (m, 13.42H), 3.98 (t, J = 6.6 Hz, 0.71H), 3.93 (t, J = 6.1 Hz, 0.29H), 3.86-3.46 (m, 6H), 2.06 (s, 0.87H), 2.04 (s, 2.13H), 1.26 (d, J = 6.1 Hz, 0.87H), 1.21 (d, J = 6.1 Hz, 2.13H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>):  $\delta$  169.5,

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169.1, 139.53, 139.48, 139.0, 138.92, 138.89, 138.7, 138.5, 128.7, 128.61, 128.58, 128.50, 128.48, 128.43, 128.28, 128.25, 128.20, 128.17, 128.11, 128.08, 128.01, 127.95, 127.91, 127.86, 127.77, 127.74, 127.67, 127.64, 101.4, 99.2, 93.4, 91.2, 84.4, 83.6, 81.8, 81.4, 81.0, 80.5, 80.4, 80.3, 80.0, 79.9, 79.5, 78.3, 75.5, 75.3, 73.6, 73.5, 73.2, 72.8, 72.62, 72.61, 72.5, 72.44, 72.39, 72.2, 72.1, 71.4, 70.7, 70.4, 70.3, 21.3, 21.2, 18.33, 18.26; HRMS (ESI): m/z 931.4026 [M + Na]<sup>+</sup> (calcd for C<sub>56</sub>H<sub>60</sub>O<sub>11</sub>Na, 931.4033).

(2,3,5,6-Tetra-O-triethysilyl- $\alpha$ -D-galactofuranosyl)- $(1 \rightarrow$ 2)-1-O-acetyl-3,4-di-O-triethyl-silyl- $\alpha$ - $\iota$ -rhamnopyranose (24a) and (2,3,5,6-Tetra-O-triethysilyl- $\alpha$ -D-galactofuranosyl)- $(1 \rightarrow 2)$ -1-O-acetyl-3,4-di-O-triethylsilyl- $\beta$ -L-rhamnopyranose (24b). A mixture of 23 (225 mg, 0.25 mmol) and 10% Pd/C (30 mg) in ethanol-tetrahydrofuran (1:1; 4.0 mL) was stirred vigorously under a hydrogen atmosphere at rt for 7 h, filtered through a pad of Celite, and then concentrated. The residue (118 mg) was dissolved in pyridine (12.0 mL). To the solution were added a catalytic amount of DMAP (one crystal) and TESOTf (0.57 mL, 2.52 mmol) at 0 °C with stirring, and the resulting mixture was stirred at 0  $^{\circ}$ C  $\sim$  rt for 28 h. After the addition of ice water, the resulting mixture was vigorously stirred for 10 min and then extracted with ether. The combined organic layers were washed successively with cold aqueous HCl, water, saturated aqueous NaHCO<sub>3</sub>, water, and brine, dried, and concentrated. The residue was chromatographed on silica gel (*n*-hexane  $\rightarrow$  *n*-hexane-benzene = 1:1) to give a mixture of anomeric isomers 24a and 24b (185 mg, 73%). For detailed NMR analyses, a small amount of the anomeric mixture was separated into each isomer by HPLC (Senshu-Pak 20  $\times$  250 mm; *n*-hexane–ethyl acetate = 20:1).

24*a*. Syrup;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +2.3$  (*c* 0.52, CHCl<sub>3</sub>); IR (ZnSe):  $\nu_{max}$ 2952, 2876, 1759, 1459, 1414, 1235, 1089, 1006, 858, 726 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz,  $C_6D_6$ ):  $\delta$  6.47 (brs, 1H), 5.30 (brs, 1H) 4.33 (brs, 1H), 4.23 (dt, J = 8.6, 3.4 Hz, 1H), 4.17 (brs, 1H), 4.12-3.97 (m, 4H), 4.10 (dd, I = 10.3, 3.2 Hz, 1H), 3.90(brs, 1H), 3.75 (dd, J = 10.3, 7.8 Hz, 1H), 1.69 (brs, 3H), 1.42 (bd, J = 6.2 Hz, 3H) 1.19-1.05 (m, 54H), 0.90-0.74 (m, 54H)36H): <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>):  $\delta$  5.96 (bd, J = 3.1 Hz, 1H), 4.98 (d, J = 2.4 Hz, 1H) 4.03 (brs, 1H), 3.92 (brs, 1H), 3.89 (m, 1H), 3.85 (brs, 1H), 3.80-3.75 (m, 2H), 3.73-3.65 (brs, 1H), 3.65-3.56 (brs, 1H), 3.60 (brt, J = 4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.43 (dd, J = 10.5, 8.1 Hz, 1H), 2.05 (s, 3H), 1.22 (brd, J = 4.9 Hz, 3H) 1.02–0.94 (m, 54H), 0.77–0.59 (m, 36H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz,  $CD_2Cl_2$ ):  $\delta$  169.6, 102.5, 92.4, 85.0, 78.7, 78.0, 76.5, 74.0 (x2), 72.8 (x2), 64.7, 21.2, 18.6, 7.22, 7.19, 7.00, 6.97, 5.71, 5.69, 5.6, 5.5, 5.4, 5.3, 5.1, 5.0, 4.9, 4.8, 4.7; HRMS (ESI): m/z 1075.6400 [M + Na]<sup>+</sup> (calcd for C<sub>50</sub>H<sub>108</sub>O<sub>11</sub>Si<sub>6</sub>Na, 1075.6405).

24b. Syrup;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +30.5$  (c 0.22, CHCl<sub>3</sub>); IR (ZnSe):  $\nu_{max}$  2952, 2875, 1758, 1458, 1231, 1131, 1092, 1051, 1006, 822, 725 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>):  $\delta$  5.78 (br s, 1H), 5.16 (d, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 1H), 4.29 (ddd, *J* = 8.5, 4.4, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 4.24 (d, *J* = 1.9 Hz, 1H), 4.17 (dd, *J* = 10.5, 2.2 Hz, 1H), 3.98 (d, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 1H), 3.97 (dd, *J* = 9.8, 2.9 Hz, 1H), 3.95 (d, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 1H), 3.78 (t, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 1H), 3.70 (dd, *J* = 10.5, 8.8 Hz, 1H), 3.57 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 2.9 Hz, 1H), 3.24 (m, 1H), 1.79 (s, 3H), 1.37 (d, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 3H), 1.19–1.03 (m, 54H), 0.92–0.70 (m, 36H); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>):  $\delta$  5.65 (br s, 1H), 4.88 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 3.97–3.94 (m, 2H), 3.91 (brs, 1H), 3.83 (dd, *J* = 10.6, 2.2 Hz, 1H) 3.74 (d, *J* = 1.9 Hz, 1H), 3.63– 3.59 (m, 2H), 3.56 (dd, *J* = 4.4, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 3.27 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 3H), 1.01–0.95 (m, 54H), 0.74–0.59 (m, 36H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz,  $CD_2Cl_2$ ):  $\delta$  169.5, 105.5, 92.5, 85.5, 80.2, 78.0, 76.8, 74.63, 74.57, 74.2, 73.8, 64.8, 21.2, 18.6, 7.3, 7.2, 7.01, 6.99, 5.7, 5.5, 5.3, 5.24, 5.22, 5.20, 4.7; HRMS (ESI): m/z 1075.6400 [M + Na]<sup>+</sup> (calcd for  $C_{50}H_{108}O_{11}Si_6Na$ , 1075.6405).

 $(2,3,5,6-Tetra-O-triethysilyl-\alpha-D-galactofuranosyl)-(1 \rightarrow$ 2)-3,4-di-O-triethylsilyl-L-rhamnopyranose (7). A solution of 24a,b (200 mg, 0.19 mmol) in dichloromethane (3.0 mL) was treated with a 1.0 M solution of sodium methoxide in methanol (0.3 mL, 0.3 mmol) at 0  $^\circ C$  for 2 min. After the addition of saturated aqueous NH4Cl, the mixture was extracted with ether. The combined organic layers were washed with water and brine, dried and concentrated. The residue was chromatographed on silica gel (n-hexane-benzene = 1:1  $\rightarrow$  1:2  $\rightarrow$  1:4) to give 7 (187 mg, 97%) as an amorphous solid: IR (ZnSe):  $\nu_{\rm max}$  3396, 2952, 2913, 2876, 1458, 1236, 1088, 1006, 860, 728 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz,  $C_6D_6$ ):  $\delta$ 5.26 (d, J = 4.2 Hz, 0.15H), 5.21 (d, J = 2.2 Hz, 0.85H), 5.20 (d, J = 10.0 Hz, 0.15 H), 5.07 (brs, 0.85 H), 4.68 (brd, J = 10.0 Hz, 0.15 H)Hz, 0.15H), 4.54 (t, J = 6.4 Hz, 0.15H), 4.35 (t, J = 3.4 Hz, 0.85H, 4.23-3.73 (m, 8.55H), 3.52 (brd, J = 8.3 Hz, 0.15H), 3.16 (m, 0.15H), 2.01 (brs, 1H), 1.45 (d, J = 6.4 Hz, 0.45H),1.43 (d, J = 5.9 Hz, 2.55H), 1.19–1.00 (m, 54H), 0.88–0.68 (m, 36H);  ${}^{13}$ C NMR (125 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>):  $\delta$  103.7, 102.6, 93.9, 93.0, 84.7, 82.9, 80.7, 80.4, 79.7, 79.3, 77.1, 76.6, 75.4, 74.9, 74.2, 74.0, 73.2, 73.1, 73.0, 70.7, 64.9, 64.4, 19.0, 18.8, 7.5, 7.43, 7.40, 7.3, 7.19, 7.17, 7.1, 6.01, 5.98, 5.93, 5.88, 5.73, 5.69, 5.67, 5.6, 5.51, 5.45, 5.3, 4.9, 4.8; HRMS (ESI): m/z1033.6307  $[M + Na]^+$  (calcd for  $C_{48}H_{106}O_{10}Si_6Na$ , 1033.6299).

 $(2,3,5,6-Tetra-O-triethysily|-\alpha-D-galactofuranosyl)-(1 \rightarrow$ 2)-3,4-di-O-triethylsilyl-β-L-rhamnopyranosyl (3R,5E,8E,10E)-3-(tetrahydropyranyloxy)tetradeca-5,8,10-trienoate (25) and (2,3,5,6-Tetra-O-triethysilyl- $\alpha$ -D-galactofuranosyl)- $(1 \rightarrow 2)$ -3,4-di-O-triethylsilyl- $\alpha$ - $\iota$ -rhamnopyranosyl (3R,5E,8E,10E)-3-(tetrahydropyranyloxy)tetradeca-5,8,10-trienoate (26). As described for the preparation of 21 and 22, disaccharide 7 (152.5 mg, 0.151 mmol) and carboxylic acid 16 (72.9 mg, 0.226 mmol) was treated with DCC (37.3 mg, 0.181 mmol) and DMAP (1.84 mg, 15.1  $\mu$ mol) in dichloromethane (8.0 mL) for 18 h. After evaporation, the residue was chromatographed on silica gel (n-hexane-ethyl acetate = 70:1) to give 26 (144.6 mg, 73%) as an amorphous solid and 35.8 mg of an anomeric mixture. The mixture was further separated by preparative TLC (n-hexane-ethyl acetate = 10:1 and then benzene-dichloromethane = 3:2) to give more 26 (13.2 mg, 7%) and 25 (3.0 mg, 2%) as an amorphous solid.

25. IR (ZnSe):  $\nu_{max}$  2952, 2909, 2875, 1757, 1458, 1414, 1236, 1128, 1088, 1053, 880, 826, 724 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>):  $\delta$  6.15–6.05 (m, 2H), 5.87 (brs, 0.52H), 5.85 (brs, 0.48H), 5.66–5.45 (m, 4H), 5.27 (d, J = 2.0 Hz, 0.52H), 5.23 (d, J = 2.0 Hz, 0.48H), 4.93 (dd, J = 4.1, 3.4 Hz, 0.48H), 4.75 (dd, J = 4.1, 3.4 Hz, 0.52H), 4.43–3.74 (m, 9H), 3.81 (dd, J = 9.0, 9.0 Hz, 0.52H), 3.71 (dd, J = 11.0, 9.0 Hz, 0.48H), 3.59 (brdd, J = 9.0, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 3.48 (m, 0.52H), 3.42 (m, 0.48H), 3.27 (m, 1H), 2.92–2.32 (m, 6H), 1.97 (m, 2H), 1.80–1.05 (m, 65H), 1.04–0.72 (m, 39H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>):  $\delta$  169.8, 169.6, 132.9, 132.7, 132.0, 131.9, 131.8, 131.7, 131.1, 131.0, 129.9, 129.8, 127.2, 126.6, 105.8 (<sup>1</sup><sub>JCH</sub> = 163.7 Hz, C-1″), 99.2, 97.7, 92.6 (<sup>1</sup><sub>JCH</sub> = 162.5 Hz, C-1′x2), 85.9, 85.8, 81.3, 81.1, 78.4, 78.3, 77.4, 77.2, 75.3, 75.2, 74.62, 74.58, 74.5, 74.4, 74.2, 74.0,

73.1, 65.1, 62.5, 62.4, 40.8, 39.7, 39.5, 37.6, 36.10, 36.08, 35.0, 31.4, 31.3, 25.9, 22.9, 19.93, 19.88, 18.7, 18.6, 13.8, 7.6, 7.5, 7.4, 7.3, 7.2, 5.98, 5.96, 5.68, 5.66, 5.6, 5.45, 5.42, 4.9; HRMS (ESI): m/z 1337.8335 [M + Na]<sup>+</sup> (calcd for C<sub>67</sub>H<sub>134</sub>O<sub>13</sub>Si<sub>6</sub>Na, 1337.8338).

26. IR (ZnSe):  $\nu_{max}$  2952, 2913, 2875, 1750, 1458, 1417, 1235, 1088, 1005, 866, 729 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>):  $\delta$  6.51 (br s, 1H), 6.06 (m, 2H), 5.64–5.35 (m, 4H), 5.31 (brs, 0.52H), 5.29 (brs, 0.48H), 4.86 (m, 0.52H), 4.66 (m, 0.48H), 4.36–3.85 (m, 10.52H), 3.84 (m, 0.48H), 3.73 (m, 1H), 3.43 (m, 0.52H), 3.38 (m, 0.48H), 2.70–2.15 (m, 6H), 1.97 (m, 2H), 1.76–1.20 (m, 11H), 1.18–1.03 (m, 54H), 0.89–0.71 (m, 39H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150 MHz, C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub>):  $\delta$  169.5, 132.7, 132.6, 131.9, 131.77, 131.73, 131.65, 131.13, 131.09, 130.0, 129.9, 127.1, 126.6, 103.4, 98.9, 97.8, 92.7, 92.5, 85.4, 85.3, 79.1, 78.92, 78.86, 77.82, 77.76, 74.41, 74.38, 74.0, 73.9, 73.2, 73.1, 72.8, 65.0, 62.5, 62.3, 40.6, 39.4, 39.3, 37.2, 36.03, 36.01, 35.0, 31.4, 31.2, 25.9, 22.9, 20.0, 19.9, 18.8, 13.8, 7.44, 7.40, 7.2, 7.1, 6.0, 5.7, 5.51, 5.47, 4.9; HRMS (ESI): *m/z* 1337.8333 [M + Na]<sup>+</sup> (calcd for C<sub>67</sub>H<sub>134</sub>O<sub>13</sub>Si<sub>6</sub>Na, 1337.8338).

Clostrienose (1). A solution of 26 (71.4 mg, 54.8  $\mu$ mol) in 80% acetic acid (5.0 mL) was stirred at rt for 1 d, concentrated, and then coevaporated with toluene–ethanol. The residue was purified by HPLC using a Shiseido Capcell-Pak C<sub>18</sub> column  $(20 \times 250 \text{ mm})$  with a mobile phase of acetonitrile/water (7:15) to give 1 (10.9 mg, 54%) as a white powder after lyophilization;  $[\alpha]_D^{23} = +13.7$  (*c* 0.10, MeOH); IR (ZnSe):  $\nu_{\rm max}$ 3289, 2956, 2923, 1736, 1569, 1408, 1057, 1037, 985, 920 cm<sup>-1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  6.00 (m, 2H), 5.97 (d, J = 1.7 Hz), 5.59–5.52 (m, 3H) 5.48 (dt, J = 15.4, 6.6 Hz, 1H), 4.94 (d, J = 4.4 Hz, 1H), 4.29 (dd, J = 8.3, 8.1 Hz, 1H), 4.03 (m, 1H), 3.96 (dd, J = 8.8, 4.9 Hz, 1H), 3.88 (dd, J = 3.4, 1.9 Hz, 1H), 3.82 (dd, J = 7.8, 1.7 Hz, 1H), 3.69 (dd, J = 9.8, 3.7 Hz, 1H, 3.68-3.57 (m, 4H) 3.41 (dd, I = 9.7, 9.6 Hz, 1H), 2.77 (t, J = 6.1 Hz, 1H), 2.56 (dd, J = 15.4, 4.2 Hz, 1H), 2.39 (dd, J = 15.4, 8.8 Hz, 1H), 2.25 (m, 2H), 2.04 (dt, J = 7.1, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 1.40 (tq, J = 7.4, 7.3 Hz, 1H), 1.26 (d, J = 6.3 Hz, 1H) 0.90 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (500 MHz, CD<sub>3</sub>OD):  $\delta$  171.5, 133.5, 132.9, 132.5, 131.8, 130.7, 127.6, 103.5, 93.8, 82.6, 79.2, 78.4, 74.5, 73.5, 72.5, 71.5, 71.3, 69.3, 64.3, 42.6, 41.5, 36.6, 35.8, 23.7, 17.9, 14.0; HRMS (ESI): m/z 569.2575  $[M + Na]^+$  (calcd for  $C_{26}H_{42}O_{12}Na$ , 569.2574).

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