Supporting Information

Regioselective One-Pot Benzoylation of Triol and Tetraol Arrays in Carbohydrates

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Experimental Section

1. General Procedures

All reagents and solvents were dried prior to use according to standard methods. Commercial reagents were used without further purification, unless otherwise stated. ¹H NMR spectra were recorded on an Advance DRX Bruker-400 MHz spectrometer at 25° C. High-resolution mass spectrometry was performed on a Bruker APEX IV. All reactions were performed in flame-dried modified Schlenk (Kjeldahl shape) flasks fitted with a glass stopper or rubber septa under a positive pressure of argon. Analytical TLC was performed on silica gel 60-F254 precoated on aluminum plates (E. Merck), with detection by fluorescence and/or by staining with acidic ceric ammonium molybdate. Column chromatograp-hy was performed employing Silica Gel 230-400 mesh.

2. Competitive reactions for the investigation of the benzoylation rate.



(a) **2a** (1.0 eq) and BzCN (1.0 eq) reacted at -78 °C with DMAP (0.1 eq) and DIPEA (1.0 eq) as base. After 2 h, the reaction was quenched with 1N HCl (aq). Then the mixture was diluted with 100 mL of DCM and the precipitate was filtered off through a pad of Celite. The organic layer was washed with 1N HCl (aq) and Na₂S₂O₃ (aq), dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated. The residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel to afford mono benzylation product in 80% yield (4a : 5a = 20 :1, analyzed by NMR) with 15% **2a** recovered.

(b) **3a** (1.0 eq) and BzCN (1.0 eq) reacted at -78 °C with DMAP (0.1 eq) and DIPEA (1.0 eq) as base. After 2 h, the reaction was quenched with 1N HCl (aq). Then the mixture was diluted with 100 mL of DCM and the precipitate was filtered off through

a pad of Celite. The organic layer was washed with 1N HCl (aq) and $Na_2S_2O_3$ (aq), dried over Na_2SO_4 , filtered, and concentrated. The residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel to afford mono benzylation product **5a** in 33% yield with 60% **3a** recovered and no **4a** was detected.

(c) **2a** (1.0 eq), **3a** (1.0 eq) and BzCN (1.0 eq) reacted at -78 °C with DMAP (0.1 eq) and DIPEA (1.0 eq) as base. After 2 h, the reaction was quenched with 1N HCl (aq). Then the mixture was diluted with 100 mL of DCM and the precipitate was filtered off through a pad of Celite. The organic layer was washed with 1N HCl (aq) and Na₂S₂O₃ (aq), dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated. The residue was analyzed by proton NMR directly. **2a** : **3a** : **4a** : **5a** = 2 : 7 : 6 : 1



1a (1.0 eq), **2a** (1.0 eq) and BzCN (2.0 eq) reacted at -78 °C with DMAP (0.1 eq) and DIPEA (2.0 eq) as base. After 1 h, the reaction was quenched with 1N HCl (aq). Then the mixture was diluted with 100 mL of DCM and the precipitate was filtered off through a pad of Celite. The organic layer was washed with 1N HCl (aq) and Na₂S₂O₃ (aq), dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated. The residue was analyzed by proton NMR directly. **2a** : **3a** : **4a** = 10 : 2 : 7. However, **1a** and **5a** was rarely found in the mixture.



1a (1.0 eq) and Bz₂O (1.0 eq) reacted at -78 °C with DMAP (0.1 eq) and DIPEA (1.0 eq) as base. After 6 h, the reaction was quenched with 1N HCl (aq). Then the mixture was diluted with 100 mL of DCM and the precipitate was filtered off through a pad of Celite. The organic layer was washed with 1N HCl (aq) and Na₂S₂O₃ (aq), dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated. The residue was purified by column chromatography (hexane/ethyl acetate = 5 : 1) on silica gel to afford compound monobezoylation product in 80% yield (5a : 4a >20:1, NMR analysis).

3. Procedures for DMAP catalyzed cyanide-mediated regioselective benzoylation of Triols and Tetraols:



Methyl 6-*O-tert*-butyl-diphenylsilyl-2,4-di-*O*-benzoyl-α-D-galactopyranoside (4a) To a solution of compound 1a (30 mg, 69.4 µmol) and 4 Å molecular sieves in 4 mL mixture of CHCl₃ and DCM (V:V = 3:1) was added benzoyl cyanide (19.1 mg, 145.8 µmol) at room temperature under nitrogen atmosphere. After cooling down the reaction mixture to -78 °C, DIPEA (25 µL, 145 µmol) and 4-dimethylaminopyridine (DMAP) (1 mg, 7.1 µmol) was added. The reaction was further stirred for 10 h at this temperature. After the TLC analysis showed the reaction was complete, the reaction was quenched by addition of 1N HCl (aq). Then the mixture was diluted with 100 mL of DCM and the precipitate was filtered off through a pad of Celite. The organic layer was washed with 1N HCl (aq) and Na₂S₂O₃ (aq), dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated. The residue was purified by column chromatography (hexane/ethyl acetate = 5 : 1) on silica gel to afford compound 4a¹ (33.6 mg, 76%) as foam.

1 mmol scale experiment:

To a solution of compound **1a** (432 mg, 1 mmol) and 4 Å molecular sieves was added the 88 mL mixture of CHCl₃ and DCM (V:V = 3:1). After cooling down the reaction mixture to -78 °C, benzoyl cyanide (268 mg, 2.05 mmol) was added under nitrogen atmosphere. After stirring 10 min at this temperature, DIPEA (350 μ L, 2.0 mmol) and 4-dimethylaminopyridine (DMAP) (12 mg, 0.1 mmol) was added. The reaction was further stirred for 12 h at this temperature. After the TLC analysis showed the reaction was complete, the reaction mixture was poured into 50 mL 1N HCl (aq). Then the mixture was diluted with 100 mL of DCM and the precipitate was filtered off through a pad of Celite to remove the molecular sieves. The organic layer was washed with 1N HCl (aq), dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated. The residue was purified by column chromatography (hexane/ethyl acetate = 8 : 1) on silica gel to afford compound **4a** (459 mg, 72%) as white foam.

1 mmol scale experiment with the investigation of addition rate:

To a solution of compound **1a** (432 mg, 1 mmol) and 4 Å molecular sieves was added the 88 mL mixture of CHCl₃ and DCM (V:V = 3:1). After cooling down the reaction mixture to -78 °C, DIPEA (350 μ L, 2.0 mmol) and 4-dimethylaminopyridine (DMAP) (12 mg, 0.1 mmol) was added. Then benzoyl cyanide (268 mg, 2.05 mmol) solved in 10 mL DCM was added dropwise to the reaction over 30 min. The reaction was further stirred for 12 h at this temperature. After the TLC analysis showed the reaction was complete, the reaction mixture was poured into 50 mL 1N HCl (aq). Then the mixture was diluted with 100 mL of DCM and the precipitate was filtered off through a pad of Celite to remove the molecular sieves. The organic layer was washed with 1N HCl (aq), dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated. The residue was purified by column chromatography (hexane/ethyl acetate = 8 : 1) on silica gel to afford compound **4a** (440 mg, 69%) as white foam.



Methyl 6-*O-tert*-butyl-dimethylsilyl-2,4-di-*O*-benzoyl-α-D-galactopyranoside (4b) To a solution of compound **1b** (30 mg, 97.4 µmol) and 4 Å molecular sieves in 4 mL mixture of CHCl₃ and DCM (V:V = 3:1) was added benzoyl cyanide (26.2 mg, 199.6 umol) at room temperature under nitrogen atmosphere. After cooling down the reaction mixture to -78 °C, DIPEA (35 µL, 199.6 µmol) and 4-dimethylaminopyridine (DMAP) (1.2 mg, 10.0 µmol) was added. The reaction was further stirred for 10 h at this temperature. After the TLC analysis showed the reaction was complete, the reaction was quenched by addition of 1N HCl (aq). Then the mixture was diluted with 100 mL of DCM and the precipitate was filtered off through a pad of Celite. The organic layer was washed with 1N HCl (aq) and Na₂S₂O₃ (aq), dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated. The residue was purified by column chromatography (hexane/ethyl acetate = 4 : 1) on silica gel to afford compound **4b** (36.3 mg, 72%) as foam. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 8.16 - 8.06$ (m, 4H, ArH), 7.64 - 7.53 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.46 (m, 4H, ArH), 5.73 (d, J = 3.4 Hz, 1H, 4-H), 5.32 (dd, J = 10.3, 3.7 Hz, 1H, 2-H), 5.16 (d, J = 3.6 Hz, 1H, 1-H), 4.50 (m, 1H, 3-H), 4.13 (t, J = 6.6 Hz, 1H, 5-H), 3.80 – 3.67 (m, 2H, 6-H, 6'-H), 3.44 (s, 3H, OMe), 2.41 (d, J = 5.0 Hz, 1H, OH), 0.85 (s, 9H, tert-Butyl), -0.00 (s, 3H, SiMe), -0.04 (s, 3H SiMe). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, $CDCl_3$) $\delta = 166.71, 166.65, 133.36, 133.32, 129.92, 129.89, 129.55, 129.48, 128.51, 129.55, 129.48, 128.51, 129.55, 129.48, 128.51, 129.55, 129.48, 128.51, 129.55, 129.48, 128.51, 129.55, 129.48, 128.51, 129.55, 129.48, 128.51, 129.55, 129.48, 128.51, 129.55, 129.48, 128.51, 129.55, 129.48, 128.51, 129.55, 129.58, 129.55, 129.58$ 128.39, 97.50, 72.41, 71.44, 69.65, 67.66, 61.54, 55.50, 25.74, 18.13, -5.58, -5.62. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $C_{27}H_{37}O_8Si [M+H]^+$: 517.2252, found: 517.2252; Calcd for 27₃H₃₆NaO₈Si[M+Na]⁺:539.2070, found: 539.2072.



4-Nitrophenyl

6-*O-tert*-butyl-diphenylsilyl-2,4-di-*O*-benzoyl-α-D-galactopyranoside (4c)

To a solution of compound **1c** (30 mg, 55.6 μ mol) and 4 Å molecular sieves in 4 mL mixture of CHCl₃ and DCM (V:V = 3:1) was added benzoyl cyanide (15.0 mg, 114.5 μ mol) at room temperature under nitrogen atmosphere. After cooling down the reaction mixture to -78 °C, DIPEA (20 μ L, 114.8 μ mol) and 4-dimethylaminopyridine (DMAP) (1 mg, 7.1 μ mol) was added. The reaction was further stirred for 10 h at this

temperature. After the TLC analysis showed the reaction was complete, the reaction was quenched by addition of 1N HCl (aq). Then the mixture was diluted with 100 mL of DCM and the precipitate was filtered off through a pad of Celite. The organic layer was washed with 1N HCl (aq) and Na₂S₂O₃ (aq), dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated. The residue was purified by column chromatography (hexane/ethyl acetate = 5 : 1) on silica gel to afford compound 4c (29.0 mg, 70%) as semisolid. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 8.18 - 8.10$ (m, 2H, ArH), 8.09 - 8.03 (m, 4H, ArH), 7.65 - 7.23 (m, 16H, ArH), 7.20 - 7.11 (m, 4H, ArH), 6.00 (d, J = 3.6 Hz, 1H, 1-H), 5.86 (d, J = 3.4 Hz, 1H, 4-H), 5.48 (dd, J = 10.4, 3.6 Hz, 1H, 2-H), 4.78 – 4.63 (m, 1H, 3-H), 4.20 (t, J = 6.6 Hz, 1H, 5-H), 3.77 (qd, J = 10.4, 6.6 Hz, 2H, 6-H, 6'-H), 2.68 (d, J = 4.5 Hz, 1H, OH), 0.94 (s, 9H, tert-Butyl).¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 166.56$, 166.48, 161.39, 142.85, 135.37, 135.34, 133.61, 133.54, 132.72, 132.51, 129.97, 129.81, 129.76, 129.16, 129.04, 128.57, 128.50, 127.67, 127.60, 125.83, 116.74, 95.53, 71.38, 71.01, 70.85, 67.49, 61.77, 26.60, 18.99. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $C_{42}H_{43}NO_{10}Si [M+H]^+$: 748.2581, found: 748.2572; Calcd for $C_{42}H_{42}NNaO_{10}Si$ [M+Na]⁺:770.2393, found: 770.2392.



4-Methoxylphenyl

6-O-tert-butyl-diphenylsilyl-2,4-di-O-benzoyl-α-D-galactopyranoside (4d)

To a solution of compound 1d (30 mg, 57.3 µmol) and 4 Å molecular sieves in 4 mL mixture of CHCl₃ and DCM (V:V = 3:1) was added benzoyl cyanide (15.0 mg, 114.5µmol) at room temperature under nitrogen atmosphere. After cooling down the reaction mixture to -78 °C, DIPEA (20 µL, 114.8 µmol) and 4-dimethylaminopyridine (DMAP) (1 mg, 7.1 µmol) was added. The reaction was further stirred for 10 h at this temperature. After the TLC analysis showed the reaction was complete, the reaction was quenched by addition of 1N HCl (aq). Then the mixture was diluted with 100 mL of DCM and the precipitate was filtered off through a pad of Celite. The organic layer was washed with 1N HCl (aq) and $Na_2S_2O_3$ (aq), dried over Na_2SO_4 , filtered, and concentrated. The residue was purified by column chromatography (hexane/ethyl acetate = 5 : 1) on silica gel to afford compound 4d (29.2 mg, 70%) as semisolid. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 8.14 - 8.05$ (m, 4H, ArH), 7.64 - 7.52 (m, 4H, ArH), 7.53 - 7.27 (m, 10H, ArH), 7.16 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 2H, ArH), 7.03 - 6.94 (m, 2H, ArH), 6.79 – 6.72 (m, 2H, ArH), 5.88 (dd, J = 3.4, 1.3 Hz, 1H, 4-H), 5.72 (d, J = 3.7 Hz, 1H, 1-H), 5.43 (dd, J = 10.4, 3.7 Hz, 1H, 2-H), 4.72 (dt, J = 10.4, 4.0 Hz, 1H, 3-H), 4.46 – 4.38 (m, 1H, 5-H), 3.84 – 3.75 (m, 2H, 6-H, 6'-H), 3.73 (s, 3H, PhOMe), 2.57 (d, J = 4.7 Hz, 1H, O*H*), 0.99 (s, 9H, *tert*-Butyl).¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 166.64, 155.39, 151.00, 135.48, 135.42, 133.38, 133.36, 132.92, 132.74, 129.99, 129.85, 129.69, 129.64, 129.44, 129.41, 128.50, 128.44, 127.69, 127.59, 118.72, 114.63, 97.00, 71.98, 71.28, 70.17, 67.71, 61.91, 55.61, 26.66, 19.04. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C₄₃H₄₅O₉Si [M+H]⁺: 733.2834, found: 733.2827; Calcd for C₄₃H₄₄NaO₉Si [M+Na]⁺: 755.2646, found: 755.2647.



Methyl 6-O-triphenylmethyl-2,4-di-O-benzoyl-a-D-galactopyranoside (4e)

To a solution of compound 1e (30 mg, 68.8 µmol) and 4 Å molecular sieves in 4 mL mixture of CHCl₃ and DCM (V:V = 3:1) was added benzoyl cyanide (19.0 mg, 144.5 umol) at room temperature under nitrogen atmosphere. After cooling down the reaction mixture to -78 °C, DIPEA (25 µL, 145 µmol) and 4-dimethylaminopyridine (DMAP) (1 mg, 7.1 µmol) was added. The reaction was further stirred for 10 h at this temperature. After the TLC analysis showed the reaction was complete, the reaction was quenched by addition of 1N HCl (aq). Then the mixture was diluted with 100 mL of DCM and the precipitate was filtered off through a pad of Celite. The organic layer was washed with 1N HCl (aq) and Na₂S₂O₃ (aq), dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated. The residue was purified by column chromatography (hexane/ethyl acetate = 5 : 1) on silica gel to afford compound 4e (31.7 mg, 72%) as foam. ¹H NMR $(400 \text{ MHz}, \text{CDCl}_3) \delta = 8.10 - 8.02 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 7.57 \text{ (td, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{ (m, 2H, ArH)}, 8.00 - 7.90 \text{$ J = 7.3, 1.9 Hz, 2H, ArH), 7.49 – 7.34 (m, 11H, ArH), 7.23 – 7.09 (m, 9H, ArH), 5.79 (d, J = 3.4 Hz, 1H, 4-H), 5.25 (dd, J = 10.4, 3.7 Hz, 1H, 2-H), 5.12 (d, J = 3.7 Hz, 1H, 1H)1-H), 4.57 – 4.40 (m, 1H, 3-H), 4.12 (t, J = 6.7 Hz, 1H, 5-H), 3.41 (s, 3H, OMe), 3.39 (dd, J = 9.6, 6.4 Hz, 1H, 6-H), 3.23 (dd, J = 9.4, 7.2 Hz, 1H, 6'-H), 2.36 (d, J = 4.8 Hz)1H, OH).¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 166.65, 166.57, 143.51, 133.31, 133.21, 129.94, 129.88, 129.48, 129.34, 128.49, 128.38, 128.36, 127.76, 127.00, 97.44, 86.90, 72.28, 71.63, 67.93, 67.55, 61.71, 55.55. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C₄₀H₃₇O₈ [M+H]⁺: 645.2483 found: 645.2483; Calcd for $C_{40}H_{36}NaO_8 [M+Na]^+$: 667.2305, found: 667.2302.



Methyl 2,4,6,-tri-*O***-benzoyl-α-D-galactopyranoside (4f)** To a solution of compound **1f** (30 mg, 100.6 μmol) and 4 Å molecular sieves in 30

mL of dry CHCl₃ was added benzoyl cyanide (27.0 mg, 206.1 µmol) at room temperature under nitrogen atmosphere. After cooling down the reaction mixture to -10 °C, DIPEA (36 µL, 206 µmol) and 4-dimethylaminopyridine (DMAP) (2.2 mg, 18.0 µmol) was added. The reaction was allowed to raise the temperature to room temperature over 8 h. After the TLC analysis showed the reaction was complete, the reaction was quenched by addition of 1N HCl (aq). Then the mixture was diluted with 100 mL of DCM and the precipitate was filtered off through a pad of Celite. The organic layer was washed with 1N HCl (aq) and Na₂S₂O₃ (aq), dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated. The residue was purified by column chromatography (hexane/ethyl acetate = 3 : 1) on silica gel to afford compound $4f^2$ (37.3 mg, 73%) as semisolid.



Methyl 6-O-benzyl-2,4-di-O-benzoyl-α-D-galactopyranoside (4g)

To a solution of compound 1g (30 mg, 105.6 µmol) and 4 Å molecular sieves in 30 mL of dry CHCl₃ was added benzoyl cyanide (29.1 mg, 222.1 µmol) at room temperature under nitrogen atmosphere. After cooling down the reaction mixture to -10 °C, DIPEA (38 µL, 222 µmol) and 4-dimethylaminopyridine (DMAP) (2.4 mg, 19.6 µmol) was added. The reaction was allowed to raise the temperature to room temperature over 8 h. After the TLC analysis showed the reaction was complete, the reaction was quenched by addition of 1N HCl (aq). Then the mixture was diluted with 100 mL of DCM and the precipitate was filtered off through a pad of Celite. The organic layer was washed with 1N HCl (aq) and Na₂S₂O₃ (aq), dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated. The residue was purified by column chromatography (hexane/ethyl acetate = 3:1) on silica gel to afford compound 4g (36.7 mg, 71%) as semisolid. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 8.14 - 8.05$ (m, 4H, ArH), 7.60 - 7.54 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.48 – 7.41 (m, 4H, ArH), 7.31 – 7.17 (m, 5H, ArH), 5.74 (d, J = 3.5 Hz, 1H, 4-H), 5.34 (dd, J = 10.3, 3.7 Hz, 1H, 2-H), 5.17 (d, J = 3.7 Hz, 1H, 1-H), 4.53 (d, J = 11.8 Hz, 1H, PhCH₂), 4.51 - 4.46 (m, 1H, 3-H), 4.44 (d, J = 11.7 Hz, 1H, PhCH₂), 4.27 (t, J = 6.2 Hz, 1H, 5-H), 3.62 (d, J = 6.2 Hz, 2H, 6-H, 6'-H), 3.44 (s, 3H, OMe), 2.47 (d, J = 5.4 Hz, 1H, OH).¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 166.71, 166.53, 137.64,$ 133.37, 133.32, 129.95, 129.86, 129.48, 129.34, 128.49, 128.37, 128.30, 127.63, 97.53, 73.58, 72.28, 71.82, 68.63, 68.10, 67.41, 55.57. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $C_{28}H_{29}O_8$ [M+H]⁺: 493.1849, found: 493.1857; Calcd for $C_{28}H_{28}NaO_8$ [M+Na]⁺: 515.1662, found: 515.1676.



4-Methoxylphenyl 2,4-di-*O*-benzoyl-α-L-fucopyranoside (4h)

To a solution of compound **1h** (30 mg, 111.1 µmol) and 4 Å molecular sieves in 30 mL of dry CHCl₃ was added benzovl cyanide (29.4 mg, 228.0 µmol) at room temperature under nitrogen atmosphere. After cooling down the reaction mixture to -10 °C, DIPEA (40 µL, 228 µmol) and 4-dimethylaminopyridine (DMAP) (2.7 mg, 22.0 µmol) was added. The reaction was allowed to raise the temperature to room temperature over 8 h. After the TLC analysis showed the reaction was complete, the reaction was quenched by addition of 1N HCl (aq). Then the mixture was diluted with 100 mL of DCM and the precipitate was filtered off through a pad of Celite. The organic layer was washed with1N HCl (aq) and Na₂S₂O₃ (aq), dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated. The residue was purified by column chromatography (DCM/ethyl acetate = 20: 1) on silica gel to afford compound **4h** (40.1 mg, 75%) as semisolid. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 8.17$ (dd, J = 8.0, 1.4 Hz, 2H, ArH), 8.08 (d, J = 8.1, 1.4 Hz, 2H, ArH), 7.65 – 7.55 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.47 (m, 4H, ArH), 7.06 – 6.98 (m, 2H, ArH), 6.84 – 6.75 (m, 2H, ArH), 5.74 (d, J = 3.7 Hz, 1H, 1-H), 5.64 (d, J = 3.5 Hz, 1H, 4-H), 5.49 (dd, J = 10.4, 3.7 Hz, 1H, 2-H), 4.76 – 4.64 (m, 1H, 3-H), 4.44 (q, J = 6.6 Hz, 1H, 5-H), 3.76 (s, 3H, OMe), 2.49 (d, J = 6.1 Hz, 1H, OH), 1.24 (d, J = 6.7 Hz, 3H, CH₃).¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 166.78$, 166.69, 155.25, 150.99, 133.45, 133.42, 129.97, 129.85, 129.40, 129.34, 128.57, 128.44, 118.15, 114.67, 96.66, 74.17, 71.84, 67.55, 66.00, 55.64, 16.30. Calcd for C₂₇H₂₇O₈ [M+H]⁺: 479.1700, found: 479.1706; Calcd for $C_{27}H_{26}NaO_8$ [M+Na]⁺: 501.1520, found: 501.1524.



Methyl 2,4,6,-tri-O-benzoyl-a-D-galactopyranoside (4f)

To a solution of compound **1i** (30 mg, 154.6 μ mol) and 4 Å molecular sieves in 30 mL of dry CHCl₃ was added benzoyl cyanide (62.7 mg, 479.3 μ mol) at room temperature under nitrogen atmosphere. After cooling down the reaction mixture to -10 °C, DIPEA (90 μ L, 510 μ mol) and 4-dimethylaminopyridine (DMAP) (3.0 mg, 24.4 μ mol) was added. The reaction was allowed to raise the temperature to room temperature over 8 h. After the TLC analysis showed the reaction was complete, the reaction was quenched by addition of 1N HCl(aq). Then the mixture was diluted with 100 mL of

DCM and the precipitate was filtered off through a pad of Celite. The organic layer was washed with 1N HCl (aq) and $Na_2S_2O_3$ (aq), dried over Na_2SO_4 , filtered, and concentrated. The residue was purified by column chromatography (hexane/ethyl acetate = 3 : 1) on silica gel to afford compound **4f**² (48.3 mg, 62%) as semisolid.

Allyl 2,4,6,-tri-*O*-benzoyl-α-D-galactopyranoside (4j)

To a solution of compound 1j (20 mg, 90.9 µmol) and 4 Å molecular sieves in 30 mL of dry CHCl₃ was added benzoyl cyanide (36.9 mg, 281.8 µmol) at room temperature under nitrogen atmosphere. After cooling down the reaction mixture to -10 °C, DIPEA (55 µL, 315.7 µmol) and 4-dimethylaminopyridine (DMAP) (3.0 mg, 24.4 µmol) was added. The reaction was allowed to raise the temperature to room temperature over 8 h. After the TLC analysis showed the reaction was complete, the reaction was quenched by addition of 1N HCl(aq). Then the mixture was diluted with 100 mL of DCM and the precipitate was filtered off through a pad of Celite. The organic layer was washed with1N HCl (aq) and Na₂S₂O₃ (aq), dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated. The residue was purified by column chromatography (hexane/ethyl acetate = 3 : 1) on silica gel to afford compound 4j (32.3 mg, 62%) as semisolid. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 8.16 - 8.11$ (m, 2H, ArH), 8.10 - 8.06 (m, 2H, ArH), 8.04 - 8.00 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.64 - 7.53 (m, 3H, ArH), 7.51 - 7.40 (m, 6H, ArH), 5.93 -5.78 (m, 1H, -CH₂-CH=CH₂), 5.84 (d, J = 4.0 Hz, 1H, 4-H), 5.42 (dd, J = 10.3, 3.7 Hz, 1H, 2-H), 5.35 (d, J = 3.7 Hz, 1H, 1-H), 5.32 – 5.21 (m, 1H, -CH₂-CH=CH₂), 5.14 (dd, J = 10.4, 1.6 Hz, 1H, -CH₂-CH=CH₂), 4.64 - 4.46 (m, 3H, H-3, H-5, H-6), 4.41 (dd, J = 9.5, 3.8 Hz, 1H, H-6'), 4.23 (ddd, J = 13.1, 5.2, 1.5 Hz, 1H, -CH₂-CH=CH₂), 4.07 (ddd, J = 13.2, 6.0, 1.4 Hz, 1H, -CH₂-CH=CH₂), 2.44 (d, J = 5.7 Hz, 1H, OH). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 166.74, 166.37, 166.03, 133.54, 133.41, 133.36, 133.17, 130.01, 129.85, 129.79, 129.66, 129.59, 129.43, 129.14, 128.58, 128.44, 128.39, 117.78, 95.80, 72.03, 71.48, 68.87, 67.43, 67.33, 62.91. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $C_{30}H_{29}O_9$ [M+H]⁺: 533.1806, found: 533.1802; Calcd for $C_{30}H_{28}NaO_9$ [M+Na]⁺: 555.1626, found: 555.1622.



4-Methoxylphenyl 2,4,6,-tri-*O*-benzoyl-α-D-galactopyranoside (4k)

To a solution of compound 1k (30 mg, 104.8 µmol) and 4 Å molecular sieves in 30 mL of dry CHCl₃ was added benzoyl cyanide (42.6 mg, 325.1 µmol) at room temperature under nitrogen atmosphere. After cooling down the reaction mixture to -10 °C, DIPEA (60 µL, 346 µmol) and 4-dimethylaminopyridine (DMAP) (3.0 mg, 24.4 µmol) was added. The reaction was allowed to raise the temperature to room temperature over 8 h. After the TLC analysis showed the reaction was complete, the reaction was guenched by addition of 1N HCl (aq). Then the mixture was diluted with 100 mL of DCM and the precipitate was filtered off through a pad of Celite. The organic layer was washed with 1N HCl (aq) and Na₂S₂O₃ (aq), dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated. The residue was purified by column chromatography (hexane/ethyl acetate = 3:1) on silica gel to afford compound 4k (38.3 mg, 61%) as semisolid. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 8.19 - 8.13$ (m, 2H, ArH), 8.11 - 8.06 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.96 - 7.87 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.68 - 7.36 (m, 9H, ArH), 7.07 - 6.97 (m, 2H, ArH), 6.76 - 6.66 (m, 2H, ArH), 5.88 (dd, J = 3.6, 1.2 Hz, 1H, 4-H), 5.82 (d, J = 3.7Hz, 1H, 1-H), 5.54 (dd, J = 10.4, 3.7 Hz, 1H, 2-H), 4.74 (ddd, J = 9.9, 5.8, 3.5 Hz, 1H, 3-H), 4.70 - 4.64 (m, 1H, 5-H), 4.52 (dd, J = 11.6, 7.9 Hz, 1H, 6-H), 4.44 (dd, J =11.5, 4.5 Hz, 1H, 6'-H), 3.70 (s, 3H, PhOMe), 2.61 (d, J = 5.8 Hz, 1H, OH). ¹³C NMR $(100 \text{ MHz}, \text{CDCl}_3) \delta = 166.71, 166.37, 165.98, 155.38, 150.47, 133.65, 133.52,$ 133.11, 130.03, 129.87, 129.73, 129.49, 129.25, 129.00, 128.62, 128.48, 128.28, 118.51, 114.55, 96.50, 71.72, 71.38, 68.05, 67.46, 63.11, 55.52. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $C_{34}H_{31}O_{10}[M+H]^+$: 599.1912, found : 599.1912; Calcd for $C_{34}H_{30}NaO_{10}[M+Na]^+$: 621.1713, found: 621.1713.

3. Branched and liner oligosaccharide synthesis



Methyl 3-*O*-(2,3,4,6-tetra-*O*-benzyl-α-D-galactopyranosyl)-6-*O*-benzyl*tert*-butyl-diphenylsilyl-2,4-di-*O*-benzoyl-α-D-galactopyranoside (8)

A mixture of thioglycoside donor 7 (101 mg, 156.0 μ mol), Ph₂SO (34.6 mg, 171.2 μ mol) and activated 4 Å molecular sieves in dry dichloromethane (5 mL) was stirred at room temperature under a nitrogen atmosphere for 10 min. Then the mixture was cooled to -78° C and Tf₂O (26 μ L, 160.0 μ mol, 1.2 eq) was added. After the donor was completely consumed (detected by TLC analysis), acceptor **4a** (90 mg, 140.6 μ mol) was added. The reaction was further stirred for 5h at this temperature. After the

TLC analysis showed the reaction was complete, the reaction was quenched by addition of NaHCO₃ (aq.) and diluted with 50 mL DCM. Then the precipitate was filtered off through a pad of Celite. The organic layer was washed with NaHCO₃(aq.) and brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated. The residue was purified by column chromatography (hexane/ethyl acetate = 3 : 1) on silica gel to afford the α disaccharide 8 (117.8 mg, 72%) as semisolid. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 8.06 - 100$ 7.97 (m, 4H, ArH), 7.68 - 7.62 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.56 - 7.45 (m, 4H, ArH), 7.41 - 7.04 (m, 33H, ArH), 5.97 (d, J = 3.2 Hz, 1H, 4a-H), 5.54 (dd, J = 10.6, 3.7 Hz, 1H, 2a-H), 5.44 (d, J = 3.3 Hz, 1H, 1b-H), 5.19 (d, J = 3.7 Hz, 1H, 1a-H), 4.80 (d, J = 11.3 Hz, 1H, PhC H_2), 4.62 – 4.57 (m, 2H, 3a-H, PhC H_2), 4.51 (d, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H, PhC H_2), 4.49 (d, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H, PhCH₂), 4.46 (d, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H, PhCH₂), 4.39 (d, J = 11.6Hz, 1H, PhCH₂), 4.38 (d, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H, PhCH₂), 4.28 (d, J = 11.7 Hz, 1H, PhCH₂), 4.15 - 4.09 (m, 2H, 5a-H, 5b-H), 3.96 (dd, J = 10.1, 3.3 Hz, 1H, 2b-H), 3.76 - 3.68(m, 2H, 6a-H, 6a'-H), 3.65 (dd, J = 10.1, 2.8 Hz, 1H, 3b-H), 3.59 (d, J = 2.8 Hz, 1H, 4b-H), 3.54 (dd, J = 9.4, 6.1 Hz, 1H, 6b-H), 3.45 (dd, J = 9.4, 6.8 Hz, 1H, 6b'-H), 3.35 (s, 3H, OMe), 1.01 (s, 9H, tert-Butyl).¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 165.99, 165.55, 138.77, 138.59, 138.54, 138.29, 135.54, 135.44, 133.07, 132.91, 132.88, 129.98, 129.76, 129.73, 129.63, 129.59, 128.36, 128.30, 128.27, 128.17, 128.10, 128.07, 127.99, 127.93, 127.79, 127.71, 127.64, 127.59, 127.57, 127.50, 127.43, 127.26, 127.13, 127.00, 97.33, 94.06, 78.66, 75.64, 75.04, 74.63, 73.25, 73.00, 72.55, 70.89, 69.64, 69.51, 68.87, 67.24, 62.20, 55.32, 26.65, 19.05. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $C_{71}H_{74}SiNaO_{13}[M+Na]^+$: 1185.4791, found: 1185.4784.



Methyl 3-O-(2, 3, 4, 6-tetra-O-benzyl- α -D-galactopyranosyl)-2,4-di-O-benzoyl- α -D-galactopyranoside (9)

To a solution of TBAF (7 mL, 1M in THF) was added the acetic acid to adjust the PH to 6. Then transfer the TBAF solution to a solution of compound **8** (117.8 mg, 101.4 μ mol) in 2 mL of THF via a plastic syringe. The reaction was further stirred for 3h at room temperature. After the TLC analysis showed the reaction was complete, the reaction was quenched by addition of NH₄Cl (aq.) and diluted with 50 mL DCM. The organic layer was washed with NH₄Cl (aq.) and brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated. The residue was purified by column chromatography (hexane/ethyl

acetate = 1:1) on silica gel to afford the disaccharide 9 (80.0 mg, 85%) as semisolid. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 8.13 (d, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H, ArH), 8.09 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H, ArH), 7.57 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H, ArH), 7.51 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H, ArH), 7.45 (t, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H, ArH), 7.37 - 7.10 (m, 22H, ArH), 7.09 - 7.05 (m, 2H, ArH), 5.73 (d, J = 3.3Hz, 1H, 4a-H), 5.63 (dd, J = 10.5, 3.7 Hz, 1H, 2a-H), 5.15 (d, J = 3.7 Hz, 1H, 1a-H), 4.98 (d, J = 3.4 Hz, 1H, 1b-H), 4.76 (d, J = 11.2 Hz, 1H, PhCH₂), 4.47 (dd, J = 10.4, 3.3 Hz, 1H, 3a-H), 4.42 (s, 2H, PhC H_2 x 2), 4.36 (d, J = 11.3 Hz, 1H, PhC H_2), 4.31 – 4.20 (m, 3H, PhC H_2 x 3), 4.17 (d, J = 11.7 Hz, 1H, PhC H_2), 4.09 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 1H, 5a-H), 3.98 (t, J = 6.8 Hz, 1H, 5b-H), 3.88 (dd, J = 9.9, 3.4 Hz, 1H, 2a-H), 3.72 - 3.51 (m, 4H, 6a-H, 4b-H, 3b-H, 6a'-H), 3.43 – 3.34 (m, 1H, 6b-H), 3.39 (s, 3H, OMe), 3.22 (dd, J = 8.9, 5.5 Hz, 1H, 6b'-H), 3.02 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H, OH).¹³C NMR (100 MHz, $CDCl_3$) $\delta = 167.79, 166.06, 138.62, 138.59, 138.24, 138.05, 133.48, 133.21, 130.21$ 129.90, 129.58, 129.33, 128.51, 128.39, 128.23, 128.13, 128.10, 128.06, 128.04, 127.59, 127.52, 127.39, 127.35, 127.17, 97.46, 96.77, 79.08, 74.94, 74.69, 74.66, 73.16, 72.86, 72.67, 71.61, 70.46, 69.73, 69.18, 68.95, 68.32, 60.47, 55.52. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $C_{55}H_{57}O_{13}$ [M+H]⁺: 925.3794, found: 925.3789; Calcd for $C_{55}H_{56}NaO_{13}[M+Na]^+: 947.3613$, found: 947.3611.



Methyl 3-O-(2, 3, 4, 6- tetra-O-benzyl-α-D-galactopyranosyl)-3-O-(3, 4, 6tri-O-acetyl-2deoxy-2-N-Troc-β-D-glucopyranosyl)-2,4-di-O-benzoyl-α-D-galacto pyranoside (11)

To a solution of disaccharide acceptor **9** (50.0 mg, 54.1 μ mol) and 4 Å molecular sieves in 3 mL of dry DCM was added TMSOTf (1 μ L, 5 μ mol) at – 60 °C. Then donor **10** (40.0 mg, 64.4 μ mol), dissolved in 1 mL of dry DCM, was slowly added into the reaction. The reaction was further stirred for 2h min at this temperature. After the TLC analysis showed the reaction was complete, the reaction was quenched by addition of triethylamine and diluted with 50 mL of DCM. Then the precipitate was filtered off through a pad of Celite. The organic layer was washed with NaHCO₃ (aq.)

and brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated. The residue was purified by column chromatography (hexane/ethyl acetate = 1 : 1) on silica gel to afford compound **11** (65.2 mg, 87%) as semisolid. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 8.10 - 10^{-1}$ 8.00 (m, 4H, ArH), 7.58 - 7.46 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.44 - 7.37 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.36 - 7.06 (m, 23H, ArH), 5.81 (d, J = 3.3 Hz, 1H, 4a-H), 5.56 (dd, J = 10.5, 3.6 Hz, 1H, 2a-H), 5.28 (dd, J = 11.1, 8.7 Hz, 1H, 3c-H), 5.22 (d, J = 3.2 Hz, 1H, 1b-H), 5.20 (m, 1H, NH), 5.17 (d, J = 3.7 Hz, 1H, 1a-H), 5.03 (t, J = 9.6 Hz, 1H, 4c-H), 4.82 – 4.72 (m, 2H, Cl₃CCH₂, PhCH₂), 4.64 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H, 1c-H), 4.58 – 4.48 (m, 3H, 3a-H, $Cl_{3}CCH_{2}$, PhCH₂), 4.44 (d, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H, PhCH₂), 4.43 (d, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H, PhC H_2), 4.40 (d, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H, PhC H_2), 4.36 (d, J = 11.2 Hz, 1H, PhC H_2), 4.31 (d, *J* = 11.6 Hz, 1H, PhC*H*₂), 4.26 (d, *J* = 11.6 Hz, 1H, PhC*H*₂), 4.22 (dd, *J* = 8.3, 3.8 Hz, 1H), 4.17 (dd, J = 12.2, 4.8 Hz, 1H, 6c-H), 4.07 – 3.95 (m, 3H, 5b-H, 6c'-H, 6a-H), 3.91 (dd, J = 9.7, 3.3 Hz, 1H, 2b-H), 3.68 - 3.55 (m, 5H, 2c-H, 3b-H, 5c-H, 6a'-H),3.41 (d, J = 6.6 Hz, 2H, 6b-H, 6b'-H), 3.37 (s, 3H, OMe), 2.00 (bs, 9H, OAc x 3).¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 170.58, 170.50, 169.41, 165.96, 165.81, 153.87, 138.63, 138.52, 138.39, 138.13, 133.20, 133.14, 129.95, 129.82, 129.78, 129.55, 129.41, 128.43, 128.36, 128.24, 128.05, 128.03, 127.97, 127.66, 127.56, 127.51, 127.38, 127.19, 127.13, 127.10, 100.67, 97.24, 95.32, 94.79, 78.68, 75.19, 74.89, 74.60, 74.32, 73.18, 72.86, 72.49, 71.76, 71.64, 70.48, 69.56, 69.40, 68.80, 68.60, 68.47, 68.40, 68.04, 61.85, 56.26, 55.35, 20.59, 20.57. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C₇₀H₇₅Cl₃NO₂₂ $[M+H]^+$: 1386.3841, found: 1386.3875; Calcd for $C_{70}H_{74}Cl_3NNaO_{22}$ $[M+Na]^+$: 1408.3660, found: 1408.3683.



Allyl 3-*O*-(3,4,6-tri-*O*-acetyl-2deoxy-2-*N*-Troc-β-D-glucopyranosyl)-2,4,6-tri-*O*-benzoyl-α-D-galactopyranoside (12)

To a solution of glycosyl donor **10** (127 mg, 203.2 μ mol) and glycosyl acceptor **4j** (90 mg, 169.2 μ mol) and 4 Å molecular sieves in 3 mL of dry DCM was added TMSOTF (4 μ L, 20 μ mol) at – 60 °C. The reaction was further stirred for 2h at this temperature.

After the TLC analysis showed the reaction was complete, the reaction was quenched by addition of triethylamine and diluted with 50 mL of DCM. Then the precipitate was filtered off through a pad of Celite. The organic layer was washed with NaHCO₃ (aq.) and brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated. The residue was purified by column chromatography (hexane/ethyl acetate = 1 : 1) on silica gel to afford compound 11 (157.0 mg, 94%) as foam. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 8.14$ - 8.08 (m, 4H, ArH), 8.06 - 7.99 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.67 - 7.37 (m, 9H, ArH), 5.88 (d, J = 3.5 Hz, 1H, 4a-H), 5.86 - 5.78 (m, 1H, $-CH_2-CH=CH_2$), 5.59 (dd, J = 10.5, 3.8 Hz, 1H, 2a-H), 5.39 (t, J = 10.0 Hz, 1H, 3b-H), 5.32 (d, J = 3.7 Hz, 1H, 1a-H), 5.23 – 5.16 (m, 1H, $-CH_2-CH=CH_2$), 5.11 - 5.08 (m, 1H, $-CH_2-CH=CH_2$), 5.06 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H, 1b-H), 4.98 (t, J = 9.6 Hz, 1H, 4b-H), 4.89 – 4.79 (m, 1H, NH), 4.57 – 4.35 (m, 4H, 3a-H, 5a-H, Cl₃CCH₂ x 2), 4.28 (dd, J = 12.2, 2.4 Hz, 1H, 6b-H), 4.22 – 4.12 (m, 2H, 6b'-H, 6a-H), 4.10 - 3.98 (m, 2H, 6a'-H, -CH₂-CH=CH₂), 3.97 - 3.87 (m, 1H, -CH₂-CH=CH₂), 3.75 - 3.67 (m, 1H, 5b-H), 3.30 - 3.18 (m, 1H, 2b-H), 2.02 (s, 3H, OAc), 1.99 (s, 3H, OAc), 1.90 (s, 3H, OAc).¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 170.73$, 169.39, 166.06, 165.59, 153.14, 133.50, 133.22, 133.15, 133.08, 129.99, 129.87, 129.82, 129.68, 129.64, 129.59, 129.30, 128.64, 128.42, 128.37, 128.31, 118.04, 100.11, 95.48, 95.17, 73.81, 73.51, 71.56, 70.99, 70.82, 70.36, 68.79, 68.49, 67.59, 63.34, 61.42, 56.54, 20.63, 20.55, 20.42. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C₄₅H₄₆Cl₃NNaO₁₈ [M+Na]⁺: 1016.1673, found:1016.1646.



3-*O*-(3,4,6-tri-*O*-acetyl-2deoxy-2-*N*-Troc-β-D-glucopyranosyl)-2,4,6-tri-*O*-benzoyl-α-D-galactopyranosyl trichloroacetimidate (14)

To a solution of disaccharide **12** (80 mg, 80.5 μ mol) in 5 mL DCM and MeOH (V:V = 10:1) was added PdCl₂ (20 mg). The reaction was stirred at room temperature for 3 h until the TLC analysis showed the formation of a product and consumption of compound **12**. The reaction was diluted with 50 mL of DCM. Then the precipitate was filtered off through a pad of Celite. The organic layer was concentrated and the residue was purified by column chromatography (hexane/ethyl acetate = 1 : 1) on silica gel to afford compound 1-OH compound **13** (65 mg, 85%). Then compound 13 (65 mg, 68.2µmol) was dissolved in dry DCM (2 mL), and trichloroacetonitrile (68 µL, 682 µmol) and DBU (2 µL, 13.6 µmol) were added in sequence at 0 °C. The

reaction was further stirred for 2h min at this temperature. After the TLC analysis showed the reaction was complete, the reaction was concentrated and purified by column chromatography (hexane/ethyl acetate = 2 : 1) on silica gel to afford compound 14 (52.5 mg, 70%) as colorless oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 8.55$ (s, 1H, C=NH), 8.11 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H, ArH), 8.04 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H, ArH), 7.97 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H, ArH), 7.66 – 7.57 (m, 2H, ArH), 7.57 – 7.44 (m, 5H, ArH), 7.42 – 7.34 (m, 2H, ArH), 6.76 (d, J = 3.8 Hz, 1H, 1a-H), 5.99 (d, J = 3.3 Hz, 1H, 4a-H), 5.82 (dd, J = 10.4, 3.8 Hz, 1H, 2a-H), 5.37 (t, J = 10.0 Hz, 1H, 3b-H), 5.06 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H, 1b-H), 4.98 (t, J = 9.6 Hz, 1H, 4b-H) 4.93 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 1H, NH), 4.71 – 4.66 (m, 1H, 5a-H), 4.60 – 4.51 (m, 2H, 3a-H,6a-H), 4.38 (dd, J = 11.8, 7.6 Hz, 1H, 6a'-H), 4.25 (d, J = 12.1 Hz, 1H, 6b-H), 4.16 (dd, J = 12.2, 4.4 Hz, 1H, 6b'-H), 3.93 $(d, J = 12.3 \text{ Hz}, 1\text{H}, \text{Cl}_3\text{CC}H_2), 3.84 (d, J = 12.2 \text{ Hz}, 1\text{H}, \text{Cl}_3\text{CC}H_2), 3.80 - 3.71 (m, 10.13 \text{ Hz})$ 1H, 5b-H), 3.37 – 3.24 (m, 1H, 2b-H), 2.01 (s, 3H, OAc), 1.99 (s, 3H, OAc), 1.90 (s, 3H, OAc).¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 170.70, 170.18, 169.38, 166.03, 165.33, 165.20, 160.22, 153.18, 133.67, 133.35, 133.09, 130.01, 129.86, 129.82, 129.64, 129.50, 129.33, 128.86, 128.60, 128.52, 128.31, 128.26, 100.36, 95.13, 93.65, 90.78, 74.14, 73.46, 71.71, 70.77, 70.32, 68.96, 68.38, 63.11, 61.52, 56.46, 20.63, 20.55, 20.41. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $C_{44}H_{42}Cl_6N_2NaO_{18}$ [M+Na]⁺: 1121.0426, found: 1121.0423.



Allyl [3-*O*-[3-*O*-(3,4,6-tri-*O*-acetyl-2deoxy-2-*N*-Troc-β-D-glucopyranosyl)-2,4,6-tri-*O*-benzoyl-α-D-galactopyranosyl]-2,4,6-tri-*O*-benzoyl-α-D-galactopyran oside (15)

To a solution of glycosyl donor **14** (50 mg, 45.6 µmol) and glycosyl acceptor **4j** (30 mg, 56.3 µmol) and 4 Å molecular sieves in 3 mL of dry DCM was added TfOH (1 µL, 11.3 µmol) at -30 °C. The reaction was further stirred for 2h at this temperature. After the TLC analysis showed the reaction was complete, the reaction was quenched by addition of triethylamine and diluted with 50 mL of DCM. Then the precipitate was filtered off through a pad of Celite. The organic layer was washed with NaHCO₃ (aq.) and brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated. The residue was purified by column chromatography (hexane/ethyl acetate = 1 : 1) on silica gel to

afford compound **15** (60.8 mg, 91%) as foam. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 8.15 - 10^{-1}$ $8.08 \text{ (m, 4H, ArH)}, 8.09 - 8.01 \text{ (m, 4H, ArH)}, 7.85 \text{ (d, } J = 7.7 \text{ Hz}, 2\text{H}, \text{ArH)}, 7.65 - 8.01 \text{ (m, 4H, ArH)}, 7.85 \text{ (d, } J = 7.7 \text{ Hz}, 2\text{H}, \text{ArH)}, 7.65 - 8.01 \text{ (m, 4H, ArH)}, 7.85 \text{ (d, } J = 7.7 \text{ Hz}, 2\text{H}, \text{ArH)}, 7.65 - 8.01 \text{ (m, 4H, ArH)}, 7.85 \text{ (d, } J = 7.7 \text{ Hz}, 2\text{H}, \text{ArH)}, 7.65 - 8.01 \text{ (m, 4H, ArH)}, 7.85 \text{ (d, } J = 7.7 \text{ Hz}, 2\text{H}, \text{ArH)}, 7.65 - 8.01 \text{ (m, 4H, ArH)}, 7.85 \text{ (d, } J = 7.7 \text{ Hz}, 2\text{H}, \text{ArH)}, 7.65 - 8.01 \text{ (m, 4H, ArH)}, 7.85 \text{ (d, } J = 7.7 \text{ Hz}, 2\text{H}, \text{ArH)}, 7.65 - 8.01 \text{ (m, 4H, ArH)}, 7.85 \text{ (d, } J = 7.7 \text{ Hz}, 2\text{H}, \text{ArH)}, 7.65 - 8.01 \text{ (m, 4H, ArH)}, 7.85 \text{ (d, } J = 7.7 \text{ Hz}, 2\text{H}, \text{ArH)}, 7.65 - 8.01 \text{ (m, 4H, ArH)}, 7.85 \text{ (m, 4H, ArH$ 7.50 (m, 8H, ArH), 7.50 – 7.34 (m, 12H, ArH), 7.09 (t, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H, ArH), 5.99 (d, J = 3.5 Hz, 1H, 4a-H), 5.81 (d, J = 3.4 Hz, 1H, 4b-H), 5.79 - 5.64 (m, 1H, $-CH_2-CH=CH_2$, 5.44 (dd, J = 10.4, 3.7 Hz, 1H, 2a-H), 5.38 (dd, J = 10.1, 7.8 Hz, 1H, 2b-H), 5.30 (t, J = 10.0 Hz, 3c-H), 5.26 (d, J = 4.0 Hz, 1a-H), 5.13 (dd, J = 17.1, 1.7 Hz, 1H, $-CH_2-CH=CH_2$), 5.03 (dd, J = 10.3, 1.5 Hz, 1H, $-CH_2-CH=CH_2$), 5.00 (d, J = 10.3, 1H, $-CH_2$ 7.8 Hz, 1H, 1b-H), 4.91 (t, J = 9.6 Hz, 1H, 4c-H), 4.86 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 1H, 1c-H), 4.68 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H, NH), 4.61 - 4.31 (m, 6H, 3a-H, 6b-H, 6b'-H, 6a-H, 6a'-H, 5a-H),4.26 - 4.14 (m, 2H, 6c-H, 5b-H), 4.15 - 3.91 (m, 5H, 3b-H, -CH₂-CH=CH₂ x 2, 6c'-H, CH_2CCl_3), 3.62 – 3.48 (m, 2H, 5c-H, CH_2CCl_3), 3.15 – 2.98 (m, 1H, 2c-H), 2.00 (s, 3H, OAc), 1.96 (s, 3H, OAc), 1.86 (s, 3H, OAc).¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 170.70, 169.97, 169.39, 166.14, 165.97, 165.70, 165.27, 164.20, 153.02, 133.24, 133.14, 133.08, 133.03, 132.95, 132.78, 130.13, 130.01, 129.87, 129.71, 129.59, 129.57, 129.40, 129.29, 129.24, 128.43, 128.36, 128.31, 128.17, 117.83, 101.35, 99.84, 95.25, 95.17, 73.30, 72.85, 71.66, 71.51, 71.46, 70.77, 70.48, 69.60, 68.63, 68.53, 67.50, 63.34, 62.67, 61.41, 56.38, 20.63, 20.54, 20.38. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C₇₂H₆₈Cl₃NNaO₂₆[M+Na]⁺: 1490.2987, found: 1490.2983.



Allyl 3-*O*-(2,3,4,6-tetra-*O*-benzyl-α-D-galactopyranosyl)-2,4,6-tri-*O*-benzoylα-D-galactopyranoside (16)

A mixture of thioglycoside donor (35mg, 54.1 μ mol,), acceptor (23 mg, 43.0 μ mol), AgOTf (40 mg, 157 μ mol) and activated 4 Å molecular sieves in dry dichloromethane (3 mL) was stirred at room temperature under a nitrogen atmosphere for 10 min. Then the mixture was cooled to -60° C and a solution of *p*-nitrobenzenesulfenyl chloride (12 mg, 64.0 μ mol) in dry CH₂Cl₂ (0.5 mL) was added. The reaction was further stirred for 5h at this temperature. After the TLC analysis showed the reaction was complete, the reaction was quenched by addition of NaHCO₃ (aq.) and diluted with 50 mL DCM. Then the precipitate was filtered off through a pad of Celite. The organic layer was washed with NaHCO₃ (aq.) and brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated. The residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel to afford the α

disaccharide 16 (42.8mg, 75%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 8.06 (dd, J = 19.9, 7.8 Hz, 6H, ArH), 7.59 - 7.05 (m, 30H, ArH), 5.99 (d, J = 3.2 Hz, 1H, 4a-H), 5.88 - 1005.73 (m, J = 16.2, 10.6, 5.4 Hz, 1H, -CH₂-CH=CH₂), 5.64 (dd, J = 10.5, 3.7 Hz, 1H, 2a-H), 5.40 (d, J = 3.7 Hz, 1H, 1a-H), 5.30 (d, J = 3.3 Hz, 1H, 2a-H), 5.25 (d, J = 17.2 Hz, 1H, -CH₂-CH=CH₂), 5.08 (d, J = 10.4 Hz, 1H, -CH₂-CH=CH₂), 4.77 (d, J = 11.4 Hz, 1H, PhC H_2), 4.63 (dd, J = 10.6, 3.3 Hz, 1H, 3a-H), 4.57 – 4.34 (m, 8H, 6a-H, 6a'-H, 5a-H, PhC H_2 X 5), 4.30 (d, J = 11.1 Hz, 1H, PhC H_2), 4.27 (d, J = 11.1 Hz, 1H, PhCH₂), 4.19 (dd, J = 13.4, 5.0 Hz, 1H, -CH₂-CH=CH₂), 4.11 - 3.99 (m, 2H, 5b-H, -CH₂-CH=CH₂), 3.94 (dd, J = 10.0, 3.3 Hz, 1H, 2b-H), 3.63 (dd, J = 10.0, 2.8 Hz, 1H, 3b-H), 3.56 (d, J = 2.7 Hz, 1H, 4b-H), 3.47 – 3.34 (m, 2H, 6b-H, 6b'-H). ¹³C NMR $(100 \text{ MHz}, \text{CDCl}_3) \delta = 166.01, 165.89, 165.85, 138.70, 138.54, 138.42, 138.13,$ 133.45, 133.18, 133.12, 133.09, 130.04, 129.74, 129.66, 129.65, 129.40, 128.42, 128.39, 128.35, 128.26, 128.13, 128.08, 127.97, 127.70, 127.54, 127.43, 127.25, 127.16, 127.08, 117.35, 95.65, 94.70, 78.71, 75.45, 74.92, 74.62, 73.25, 72.98, 72.57, 70.40, 69.62, 69.27, 68.62, 68.56, 67.72, 67.41, 63.00. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for $C_{64}H_{62}NaO_{14}[M+Na]^+$: 1077.4032, found: 1077.4047.



3-*O*-(2,3,4,6-tetra-*O*-benzyl-α-D-galactopyranosyl)-2,4,6-tri-*O*-benzoyl-α-D-galac topyranosyl trichloroacetimidate (18)

To a solution of disaccharide **16** (200 mg, 189.7 μ mol) in 5 mL DCM and MeOH (V:V = 10:1) was added PdCl₂ (50 mg). The reaction was stirred at room temperature for 1 h until the TLC analysis showed the formation of a product and consumption of compound **16**. The reaction was diluted with 50 mL of DCM. Then the precipitate was filtered off through a pad of Celite. The organic layer was concentrated and the residue was purified by column chromatography (hexane/ethyl acetate = 3 : 1) on silica gel to afford compound 1-OH compound **17** (140.0 mg, 71%). Then compound 13 (140 mg, 138.0 μ mol) was dissolved in dry DCM (3 mL), and trichloroacetonitrile (100 μ L, 1000 μ mol) and DBU (10 μ L, 68.0 μ mol) were added in sequence at 0 °C. The reaction was further stirred for 2h min at this temperature. After the TLC analysis

showed the reaction was complete, the reaction was concentrated and purified by column chromatography (hexane/ethyl acetate = 2 : 1) on silica gel to afford compound **18** (120.5 mg, 75%) as colorless oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 8.56 (s, 1H, C=NH), 8.08 (d, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H, ArH), 8.00 (dd, J = 7.9, 3.7 Hz, 4H, ArH), 7.60 - 7.05 (m, 31H, ArH), 6.85 (d, J = 3.7 Hz, 1H, 1a-H), 6.09 (d, J = 3.1 Hz, 1H, 4a-H), 5.86 (dd, J = 10.6, 3.7 Hz, 1H, 2a-H), 5.38 (d, J = 3.4 Hz, 1H, 2b-H), 4.77 (d, J = 11.3 Hz, 1H, PhC H_2), 4.71 (dd, J = 10.6, 3.1 Hz, 1H, 3a-H), 4.66 (t, J = 6.4 Hz, 1H, 5a-H), 4.57 - 4.34 (m, 7H, 6a-H, 6a'-H, PhCH₂ x 5), 4.31 (d, J = 11.6 Hz, 1H,), 4.24 $(d, J = 11.7 \text{ Hz}, 1\text{H}, PhCH_2), 4.10 (dd, J = 8.1, 5.4 \text{ Hz}, 1\text{H}, 5b-\text{H}), 3.96 (dd, J = 9.7),$ 3.4 Hz, 1H, 2b-H, 3.66 - 3.57 (m, 2H, 3b-H, 4b-H), 3.53 (t, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H, 6b-H),3.43 (dd, J = 8.6, 5.3 Hz, 1H, 6b'-H). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) $\delta = 165.96$, 165.70, 165.51, 160.45, 138.58, 138.33, 137.92, 133.41, 133.35, 133.16, 130.06, 129.74, 129.72, 129.02, 128.52, 128.45, 128.36, 128.34, 128.10, 128.07, 127.99, 127.97, 127.88, 127.74, 127.60, 127.43, 127.23, 127.18, 127.09, 94.05, 93.80, 90.86, 78.49, 75.35, 74.76, 74.72, 73.56, 72.87, 72.55, 70.11, 69.44, 69.02, 68.45, 68.23, 66.63, 62.59. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C₆₃H₅₈Cl₃NNaO₁₄ [M+Na]⁺: 1180.2815, found: 1180.2755; Calcd for $C_{63}H_{58}Cl_3KNO_{14} [M+K]^+$: 1196.2554, found: 1196.2543.



2-Methylphenyl

[3-O-(2,3,4,6-tetra-O-benzyl-α-D-galactopyranosyl)-2,4,6-tri-O-benzoyl-α-D-gala ctopyranosyl]-2-deoxy-2-N-phthalimido-β-D-glucopyranoside (20)

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To a solution of glycosyl donor **18** (65 mg, 56.2 µmol) and glycosyl acceptor **19** (35 mg, 69.3 µmol) and 4 Å molecular sieves in 3 mL of dry DCM was added TfOH (1 µL, 11.3 µmol) at – 60 °C. The reaction was further stirred for 2h at this temperature. After the TLC analysis showed the reaction was complete, the reaction was quenched by addition of triethylamine and diluted with 50 mL of DCM. Then the precipitate was filtered off through a pad of Celite. The organic layer was washed with NaHCO₃ (aq.) and brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated. The residue was purified by column chromatography (hexane/ethyl acetate = 1 : 1) on silica gel to afford compound **11** (76.0 mg, 90%) as semisolid. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 8.11 – 7.96 (m, 6H, Ar*H*), 7.92 – 7.83 (m, 1H, Ar*H*), 7.81 – 7.75 (m, 1H, Ar*H*), 7.74 – 7.62 (m, 2H, Ar*H*), 7.57 – 7.36 (m, 9H, Ar*H*), 7.36 – 7.18 (m, 17H, Ar*H*), 5.70 (dd, *J* = 10.2, 8.0 Hz, 1H, 2b-H), 5.52 (d, *J* = 10.5 Hz, 1H, 1a-H), 5.14 (d, *J* = 3.3 Hz, 1H,

1c-H), 4.70 (d, J = 11.8 Hz, 2H, PhCH₂, 6b-H), 4.65 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 1H, 1b-H), 4.61 – 4.53 (m, 2H, 3a-H, OH), 4.51 – 4.34 (m, 5H, 2a-H, PhCH₂ x 4), 4.28 (d, J = 11.6 Hz, 1H, PhCH₂), 4.26 (d, J = 11.6 Hz, 1H, PhCH₂), 4.21 (d, J = 11.6 Hz, 1H, PhCH₂), 4.18 – 4.07 (m, 4H, 3b-H, 6b'-H, PhCH₂ x 2), 3.95 (dd, J = 9.1, 3.1 Hz, 1H, 5b-H), 3.87 (dd, J = 10.1, 3.3 Hz, 1H, 2c-H), 3.83 (t, J = 6.4 Hz, 5c-H), 3.74 – 3.59 (m, 2H, 4a-H, 5a-H), 3.51 – 3.40 (m, 3H, 3c-H, 6c-H, 6c'-H), 3.30 – 3.26 (m, 2H, 4c-H, 6a-H), 3.20 (dd, J = 9.4, 6.0 Hz, 1H, 6a'-H), 2.18 (s, 3H, *o-Me*Ph).¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 168.01, 167.45, 166.14, 165.72, 164.52, 139.84, 138.62, 138.35, 138.26, 138.11, 134.00, 133.92, 133.45, 133.40, 133.17, 132.78, 132.05, 131.76, 131.61, 130.07, 130.04, 129.89, 129.84, 129.18, 129.02, 128.85, 128.55, 128.50, 128.43, 128.39, 128.14, 128.12, 128.07, 128.00, 127.79, 127.76, 127.68, 127.65, 127.47, 127.35, 127.22, 127.20, 127.14, 126.49, 123.52, 133.19, 102.16, 95.06, 83.64, 82.84, 78.75, 77.72, 74.99, 74.64, 74.42, 73.32, 73.09, 73.06, 72.77, 72.59, 72.39, 70.88, 70.66, 70.03, 68.97, 68.33, 66.38, 63.04, 55.10, 20.82. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C₈₉H₈₃NNaO₁₉S [M+Na]⁺: 1524.5172, found: 1524.5184.

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Copies of NMR Spectra for the new compounds



¹³C spectrum of compound **4b** (100 MHz, CDCl₃)















¹³C spectrum of compound **4d** (100 MHz, CDCl₃)









¹³C spectrum of compound **4e** (100 MHz, CDCl₃)





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¹H-¹H COSY of compound **4**j















 ^{13}C spectrum of compound 4k (100 MHz, CDCl₃)





¹H-¹H COSY of compound 8





¹³C spectrum of compound **8** (100 MHz, CDCl₃)









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¹³C spectrum of compound **11** (100 MHz, CDCl₃)







¹³C spectrum of compound **12** (100 MHz, CDCl₃)

¹H-¹H COSY of compound **14**

¹³C spectrum of compound **14** (100 MHz, CDCl₃)

¹³C spectrum of compound **15** (100 MHz, CDCl₃)

¹³C spectrum of compound **16** (100 MHz, CDCl₃)

¹³C spectrum of compound **18** (100 MHz, CDCl₃)

