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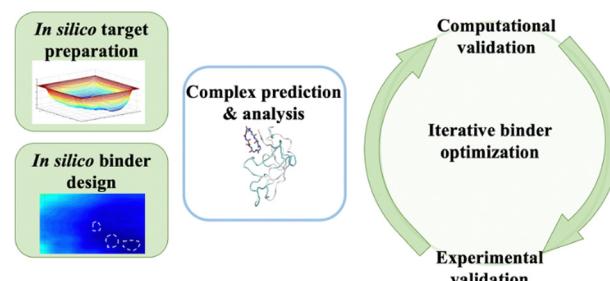
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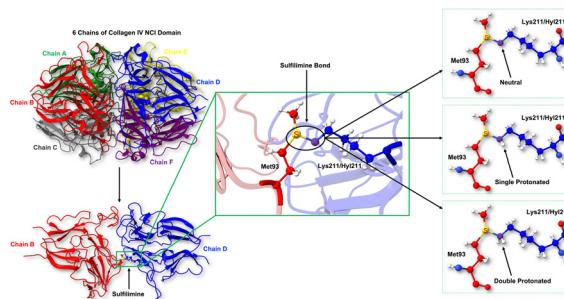


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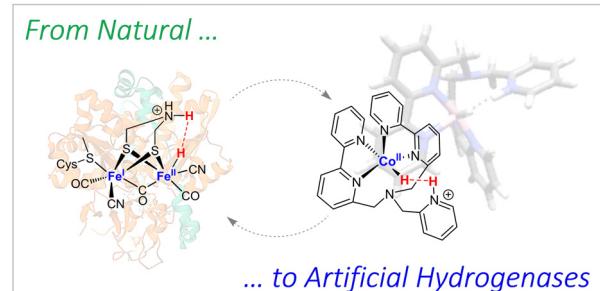
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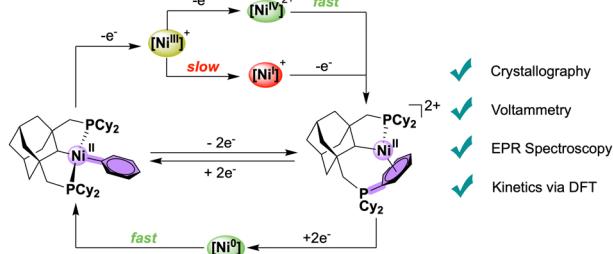


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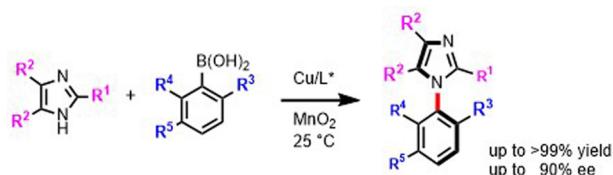
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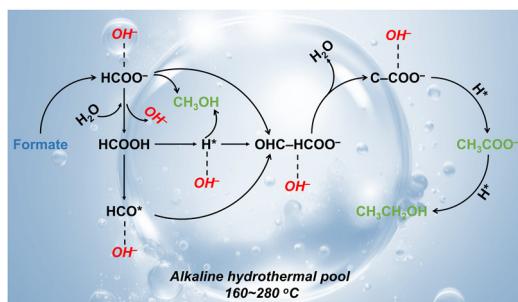
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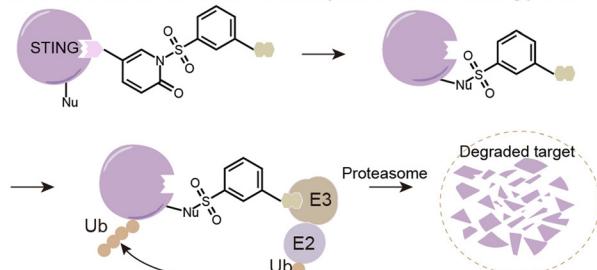
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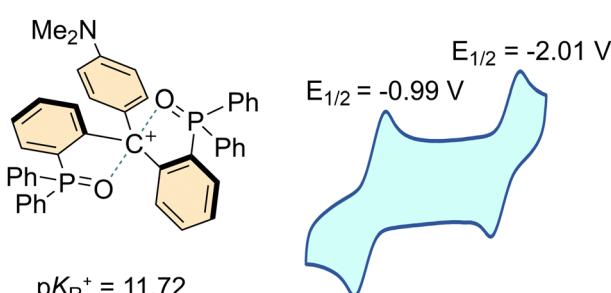
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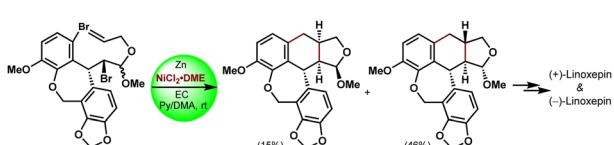
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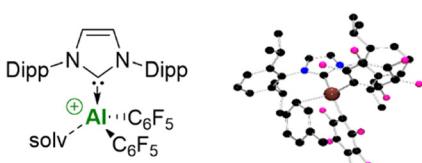
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Intramolecular Ni-catalyzed reductive coupling enables enantiodivergent synthesis of linoxepin

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- ✓ Lewis Superacidity
- ✓ Isolable and Thermostable
- ✓ Versatile Catalyst

The Lewis superacidic aluminium cation:
[(NHC)Al(C₆F₅)₂]⁺

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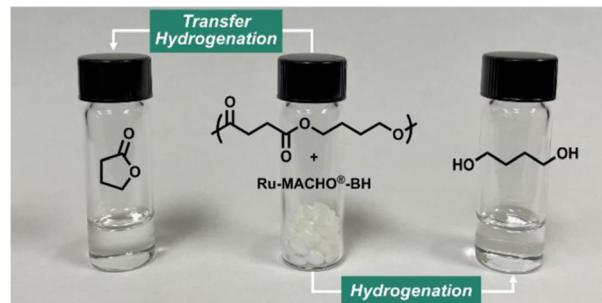


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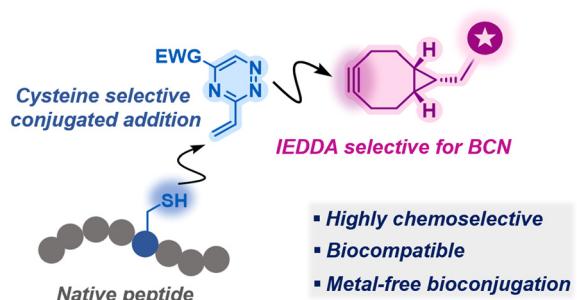
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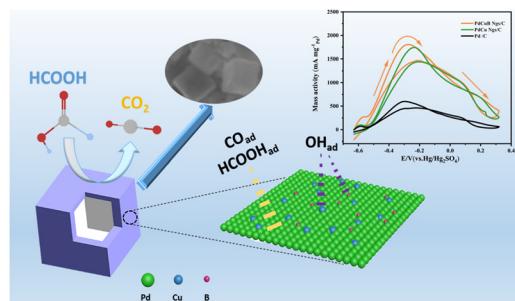
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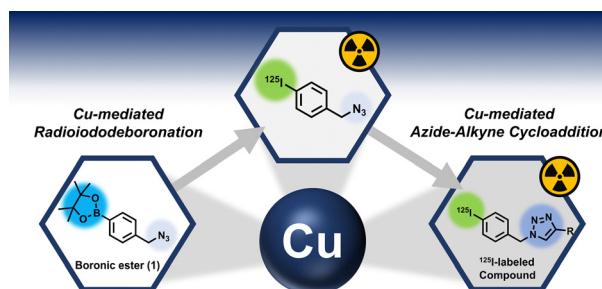
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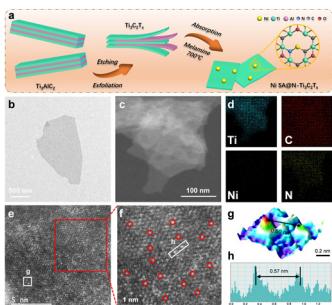
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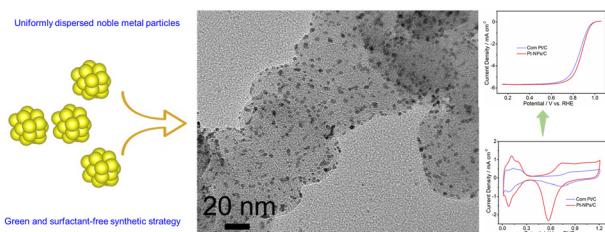
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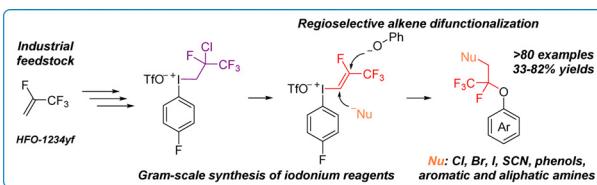
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A universal strategy for green and surfactant-free synthesis of noble metal nanoparticles

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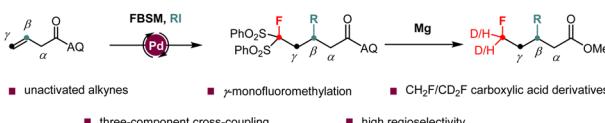
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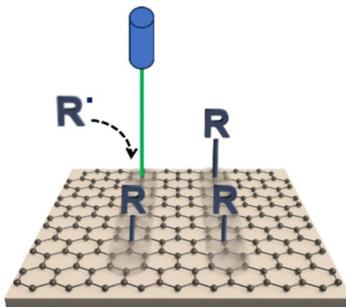


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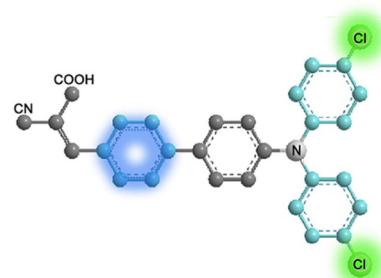
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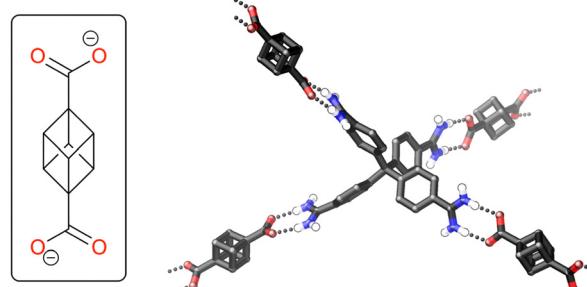
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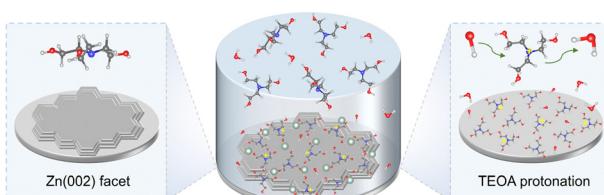
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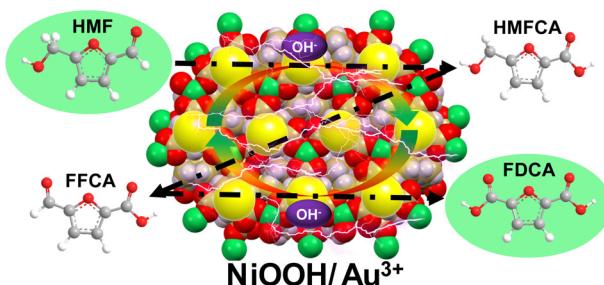
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Zn(002)-preferred and pH-buffering triethanolamine as electrolyte additive for dendrite-free Zn anodes

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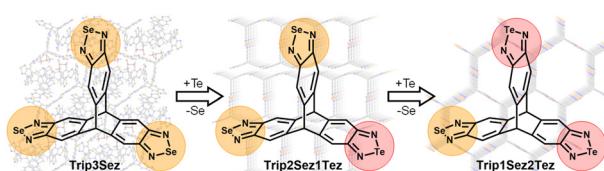
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Controllable evolution of NiOOH/Au³⁺ active species for the oxidation of 5-hydroxymethylfurfural

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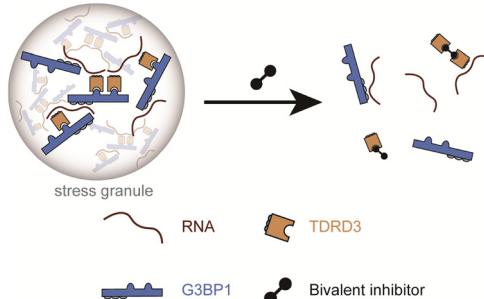
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Correction: Velocity map images from surface-hopping; reactive scattering of OH ($^2\Sigma^+$) + H₂ ($^1\Sigma_g^+$)

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