# Solid dosing in High-Throughput Experimentation: generalization of mass enhancer technologies for submilligram scale

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#### S1 – General information

All chemical products and glass beads commercially available were purchased from Sigma-Aldrich, Acros and Fluka and used without further purification. Anhydrous solvents: 1,2-dichloroethane, acetonitrile, DMF, DMSO were purchased in anhydrous form and used without further purification. THF was dried from sodium/benzophenone under nitrogen. Dichloromethane was distilled form calcium hydride under nitrogen.

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz), <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz), <sup>19</sup>F (376 MHz) were measured on a Bruker Avance 400 MHz spectrometer. Chemical shifts are reported in parts per million (ppm) downfield from residual solvents peaks and coupling constants are reported as Hertz (Hz). Splitting patterns are designated as singlet (s), broad singlet (br. s), doublet (d), triplet (t), quartet (q), quintet (quint), heptuplet (hept), multiplet (m). Splitting patterns that could not be interpreted or easily visualized are designated as multiplet (m).

Electrospray mass spectra were obtained using an ESI-Quadripole autopurify, Waters (pump: 2545, mass: ZQ2000) mass Spectrometer. High resolution mass spectroscopy of final compounds were determined using a Xevo® G2-XS QTof.

GC-MS analyses were performed using Thermo Scientific Trace 1300 Gas Chromatograph coupled to a ISQ LT Single Quadrupole Mass Spectrometer using helium as the carrier gas at a flow rate of 10 mL/min and an initial oven temperature of 50 °C. The column used was a Thermo TG-5MS (30 m length, 0.25 mm diameter and 0.25  $\mu$ m thickness). The injector temperature was 200 °C. The detector temperature was 250 °C. For runs with the initial oven temperature of 50 °C, temperature was increased with a 15 °C/min ramp after 50 °C hold for 1 min to a final temperature of 280 °C, then hold at 280 °C for 4 min (split mode of injection, total run time of 20 min).

Flash chromatographies were performed using silica gel 60 Å (40-63  $\mu$ m). Preparative chromatographies were performed using PLC plates of silica gel 60 F254 of 20x20 cm and 2 mm thickness. TLC analyses were carried out on pre-coated Glass TLC Silica gel plates 60 F254 from Merck. The plates were visualized using a 254 nm ultraviolet lamp.

Electrochemical experiments were conducted using an ElectraSyn 2.0. Information and details can be found at https://www.ika.com/en/Products-Lab-Eq/Electrochemistry-Kit-csp-516/ElectraSyn-20-Package-cpdt20008980/. All the electrodes (zinc and nickel foam) were purchased on the IKA website (https://www.ika.com/en/Products-Lab-Eq/Electrochemistry-KitAccessories-cspacc-516/).

For blue light irradiation, one Kessil PR160-456 nm lamps (19 V DC 40 W Max) were placed 2cm away from glass tubes and reactions were kept at room temperature using fans.

As an important note, we visually observed that BINAP seemed to be adhering to the glass vial (see SI), and this has been confirmed by the characterization.

Precision balance used: Sartorius Lab Quintix 125D-15

## S2 – General procedure for Chembeads and ChemCarriers preparation

## A. General protocol for the preparation of Chembeads

CB have been prepared by laying the powders (previously grinded with a mortar) between two slices of glass beads in a glass vial, followed by a 5 min hand mixing of the vial. This technique previously described [1, 2] is reproducible with most compounds as ligands or catalysts (as a note, Copper based salts/complexes require longer time of grinding), but does not work very well with inorganic bases. It explains why inorganic bases have not been considered on mixed CB systems, as our lab is not equipped with a Resodyn<sup>®</sup> type instrument.

For mixture coating, the mixture of compounds was previously prepared in the appropriate proportion in a glass vial by hand mixing during 2 min and then vortex mixing for 3 additional min (bench mini vortex). See examples of before/after hand mixing. Different size of CB were used (from left to right : size 1 is 106  $\mu$ m, size 2 is 150-212  $\mu$ m, size 3 is 212-300  $\mu$ m, size 4 is 425-600  $\mu$ m) with the same coating charge (5% w/w in Pd<sub>2</sub>dba<sub>3</sub>).



Figure S1: Preparation of Chembeads of four different sizes before and after mixing

## B. General protocol for the preparation of Silica and Celite® ChemCarriers

Silica and Celite<sup>®</sup> ChemCarriers have been prepared by laying the powders (previously grinded as thin as possible with a mortal) between two slices of silica (60 Å porosity, 250  $\mu$ m thickness) or Celite<sup>®</sup> (particle size 0.02-0.1 mm) in a glass vial, followed by a 5 min hand mixing of the vial. For mixture coating, the mixture of compounds was previously prepared in the appropriate proportion in a glass vial by hand mixing during 2 min and then vortex mixing for 3 additional min (bench mini vortex).

## C. Double weight procedure for coating charge evaluation

For the coating charge evaluation, the double-weight procedure has been used. UV calibration dosing was not possible for CB coated with metals or mixture of ligands/metals. In addition, the laboratory is not equipped with ICP-MS.

After preparation of Chembeads or ChemCarriers in a tared vial (vial A), the CB or CC are transferred to a new vial (vial B), and the excess mass of solid remaining coated on the vial B is reported. Based on this excess, the real charge coated is calculated.

Table S1: Measured masses of supported compounds and calculated charges with error evaluation

Chemicals	Support	First support weight (mg)	Chemical 1 weight (mg)	Chemical 2 weight (mg)	Chemical 3 weight (mg)	Final weight (mg)	Vial empty (mg)	Vial coated (mg)	Targeted charge in chemical 1	Measured charge in %	Mass difference (mg)	Corrected charge in chemical 1	Error %
Ru(bpy) <sub>3</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub>	CB #3	126.9	12.5			250.11	6046.31	6052.51	5	5.00	6.2	2.52	49.6
Phenanthroline	CB #3	126.1	12.56			252.06	6059.64	6060.23	5	4.98	0.59	4.75	4.7
Ni(OTf) <sub>2</sub>	CB #3	125.5	12			249.96	6031.77	6034.15	5	4.80	2.38	3.85	19.8
Ni(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	CB #3	125.7	13.18			249.6	6034.28	6040.01	5	5.28	5.73	2.98	43.5
bpy	CB #3	125.5	13.3			250.22	6123.13	6123.87	5	5.32	0.74	5.02	5.6
$Ni(OTf)_2 + Phen + Ru(bpy)_3Cl_2$	CB #3	124.6	2.72	6.28	12.1	250.09	6065.22	6066.37	5	1.09	1.15	0.63	42.3
$Ni(OAc)_2 + bpy$	CB #3	126.9	9.53	15.96		250.59	8756.74	8759.57	5	6.37	2.83	5.24	17.7
Ni(OAc) <sub>2</sub> + bpy	Silica	126.3	9.83	15.82		250.78	8668.56	8669.89	5	6.31	1.33	5.78	8.4
Ni(OAc) <sub>2</sub> + bpy	Celite®	128	10.27	16.65		249.5	8795.14	8796.07	5	6.67	0.93	6.30	5.6
Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub>	CB #1	120.5	12.77			250.91	4685.37	4691.02	5	5.09	5.65	2.84	44.2
Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub>	CB #2	125	13.46			250.53	4728.35	4732.83	5	5.37	4.48	3.58	33.3
Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub>	CB #3	130.2	13.81			253.05	4797.49	4802.07	5	5.46	4.58	3.65	33.2
Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub>	CB #4	127.2	12.52			525.35	4912.19	4917.55	5	2.38	5.36	1.36	42.8
Xantphos	CB #1	130.2	15.51			251.59	4722.4	4722.97	6.31	6.16	0.57	5.94	3.7
Xantphos	CB #2	132.7	17.64			252.25	4854.49	4860.96	6.31	6.99	6.47	4.43	36.7
Xantphos	CB #3	125.7	15.66			252.7	4865.86	4870.05	6.31	6.20	4.19	4.54	26.8
Xantphos	CB #4	125.8	16.32			251.2	4884.04	4889.08	6.31	6.50	5.04	4.49	30.9
Xantphos	Silica	120.8	12.31			250.3	4782.12	4782.42	5	4.92	0.3	4.80	2.4
Xantphos	Celite®	123.9	12.42			251.1	4830.23	4830.7	5	4.95	0.47	4.76	3.8
Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> + Xantphos	CB #1	126.2	12.53			250.9	4841.5	4846.15	5	4.99	4.65	3.14	37.1
$Pd_2dba_3 + Xantphos$	CB #2	130.1	12.49			251.6	4850.31	4855.33	5	4.96	5.02	2.97	40.2
$Pd_2dba_3 + Xantphos$	CB #3	124.6	12.51			249.2	4798.37	4802.64	5	5.02	4.27	3.31	34.1
$Pd_2dba_3$ + Xantphos	CB #4	124.3	12.39			250.9	4820.64	4825.27	5	4.94	4.63	3.09	37.4
Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> + Ruphos	CB #3	121.3	12.45			251	4844.32	4848	5	4.96	3.68	3.49	29.6
Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> + Sphos	CB #3	125.7	12.52			250.4	4795.33	4797.72	5	5.00	2.39	4.05	19.1
$Pd_2dba_3 + BINAP$	CB #3	125.5	12.54			250.2	4882.65	4886.01	5	5.01	3.36	3.67	26.8
Pd(PPh <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub>	CB #3	121.3	12.66			250.08	4695.71	4697.91	5	5.06	2.2	4.18	17.4
Cul	CB #3	123.7	15.69			311.5	4724.25	4727.63	5	5.04	3.38	3.95	21.5
Pd(PPh3) <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub> +Cul	CB #3	124.1	7.19	12.46		251.37	4746.27	4749.29	5	2.86	3.02	1.66	42.0
Pd(PPh <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub>	Silica	129.7	12.15			250.12	4721.45	4721.69	5	4.86	0.24	4.76	2.0
Pd(PPh <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub>	Celite®	120.4	12.14			250.21	4706.08	4707.34	5	4.85	1.26	4.35	10.4

## **S3** – Procedures for HTE experiments

#### A. General procedures

The screening of conditions and scope evaluations were performed in a 96 well plate format using 1 mL vials (8x30 mm vials number 884001 from Analytical Sales and Services) in a Paradox reactor (96973 from Analytical Sales and Services). The homogeneous stirring was controlled thanks to Stainless Steel, Parylene C Coated stirring elements and a tumble stirrer (VP 711D-1 and VP 710 Series from V&P Scientific). The liquid dispensing was performed using calibrated manual pipettes and multipipettes (Fisher/Eppendorf). The heating control was performed thanks to a heating block from V&P scientific (VP 741DCE). The HTE experiments were designed using an in-house software called HTDesign<sup>®</sup>, and developed by the GIPSI team at CEA Paris-Saclay (DRF/Joliot).



Figure S2: HTE set-up description

#### B. Suzuki-Miyaura cross-coupling



**Plate preparation:** In a glovebox, base is added in stock solution (in acetone) as a slurry mixture and then evaporated, palladium source and Xantphos were added in stock solution (in acetone) then evaporated, both coupling partners were added in stock solution (in acetone) then evaporated,

Chembeads were weighed one by one with a precision balance, finally solvent was added. Reaction block was sealed and stirred at 300 rpm for 3h at 80°C.

#### **HTDesign® protocol:**

## **Solutions Mères**

1 Solution «Aryl Bromide»:	ajouter 1	42,260 mg	de Aryl Bromide dans	6,00 ml de solvant acetone
2 Solution «Boronic Acid»:	ajouter 1	71,036 mg	de Boronic Acid dans	6,00 ml de solvant acetone
3 Solution «Potassium phosphate tribasic»:	ajouter 2	254,724 mg	de Potassium phosphate tribasic dans	6,00 ml de solvant water
4 Solution «tetrahydrofuran (THF)»:	SOLVA	NT		
5 Solution «Pd2dba3»:	ajouter	9,157 mg	de Pd2dba3 dans	2,00 ml de solvant acetone
6 Solution «Xantphos»:	ajouter 1	15,724 mg	de Xantphos dans	2,00 ml de solvant acetone
7 Solution «Pd2dba3 on Chembeads 5% w/w»:	ajouter	7,326 mg	de Pd2dba3 on Chembeads 5% w/w dans	1,60 ml de solvant acetone
8 Solution «Xantphos on Chembeads 6,31% w/w»:	ajouter	9,258 mg	de Xantphos on Chembeads 6,31% w/w dans	1,60 ml de solvant acetone
9 Solution «Pd2dba3 5% + Xantphos 6.31% on Chembeads»	ajouter	16,607 mg	de Pd2dba3 5% + Xantphos 6.31% on Chembeads dans	1,60 ml de solvant acetone

#### **Plaques**

Etape 1: ajouter 100,00 µl de la solution «Aryl Bromide» dans les puits:

1 1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
A 🔵		$\bigcirc$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	$\bigcirc$
B	$\circ$	$\bigcirc$									
С 🔵	$) \bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$									
D		$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	0	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	0	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$
EC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
НС	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Etape 2: ajouter 100,00 µl de la solution «Boronic Acid» dans les puits:

1 1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
$A \bigcirc$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	$\bigcirc$
B	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō
C 🔘	0	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	0	$\bigcirc$	0	0	0	$\circ$	0	$\bigcirc$
$D \bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	$\circ$	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$							
$E \bigcirc$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Ο
$F \bigcirc$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
$G \bigcirc$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
$H \bigcirc$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Etape 3: ajouter 100,00 µl de la solution «Potassium phosphate tribasic» dans les puits:

1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
A	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
B	ē	۲	۲	۲	۲	۲	۲	۲	۲	۲	۲	٠
C	ē	ē	ē	ē	ē	ē	ē	ē	ē	ē	ē	•
D	ē	ė	ė	ė	Ö	۲	Ö	ē	ē	۲	Ö	•
E	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Õ	Õ	Ō	Õ	Ō
F	Ō	Ō	Ō	Õ	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Õ	Ō	Ō	Ō
G	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō
Η	Ó	Ó	Ó	Ó	Ő	Ó	Ó	Ó	Ő	Ő	Ó	Ō

Etape 4: ajouter 100,00 µl de la solution «tetrahydrofuran (THF)» dans les puits:

1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
A	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		•
B	۲	۲	٠	۲	ė	۲	Ö	۲	Ö	۲	ė	۲
C	۲	۲	۲	۲	Ó	۲	Ó	۲	Ó	۲	Ó	۲
D	۲	۲	۲	۲	Ó	۲	Ó	۲	Ó	۲	Ó	۲
E	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	O	Ō	Ó
F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
G	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Η	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Etape 5: ajouter 100,00 µl de la solution «Pd2dba3» dans les puits:

1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
A	٠	0	0	٠	0	0	٠	0	0	٠	0	0
B	٠	0	0	٠	0	0	٠	0	O	٠	0	0
C	٠	0	0	٠	0	0	٠	0	0	٠	0	0
D	٠	0	0	٠	0	0	٠	0	0	٠	0	0
E	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
G	O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
H	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Etape 6: ajouter 100,00 µl de la solution «Xantphos» dans les puits:

1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
A	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	$\bigcirc$	0	0
B	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō	Ō
С	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	$\bigcirc$	0	0
D	0	0	0	$\bigcirc$	0	0	0	0	0	$\bigcirc$	0	0
E	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
G	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
H	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Etape 7: ajouter 100,00 µl de la solution «Pd2dba3 on Chembeads 5% w/w» dans les puits:

1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
A	0	•	0	0	•	0	0	•	0	0	•	0
B	0	•	0	0	•	0	0	•	0	0	•	0
C	0	•	0	0	•	0	0	•	0	0	•	0
D	0	٠	0	0	•	0	0	٠	0	0	٠	0
E	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
G	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
H	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	O

Etape 8: ajouter 100,00 µl de la solution «Xantphos on Chembeads 6,31% w/w» dans les puits:



Etape 9: ajouter 100,00 µl de la solution «Pd2dba3 5% + Xantphos 6.31% on Chembeads» dans les puits:

1 /	2	34	5	67	8	9 10	11 12
AC	00	00	0	00	00	00	00
BC	00	00	O(	ÕÕ	Ô(	ÓC	00
CC	00	00	0	00	00	00	00
DC	00	00	0	00	00	00	00
EC	) O (	00	0	ОC	00	ОC	00
$F \subset$	) O (	00	00	00	00	00	00
$G \subset$	00	00	00	ЭO	00	00	00
НC	00	00	00	00	00	00	00

**HTE analytical method:** The plate was prepared as mentioned above with respect of the HTDesign<sup>®</sup> protocol (see above). The plate was sealed and stirred 3h at 80°C. After this time each sample was diluted with a MeCN solution containing 1 µmol of biphenyl (500 µL, 0.002 M). 50 µL aliquots were sampled into a 1 mL deep 96 well plate containing 600 µL MeCN. Ratios of Area Under Curve of starting material, products and side products were tabulated as well as areas for peaks of interest.

Analytical assay: 7.30 min Assay with Waters UPLC-UV-MS: CSH Phenyl-Hexyl 50\*2,1 in 1,7  $\mu$ m; 4  $\mu$ L injection; 50 mm x 2.1 mm; 0.4 mL/min; H<sub>2</sub>O/MeCN; gradient: 95% MeCN to 0% in 6.00 min; QDA ESI 110-1200 pos/neg; nebulizer: 700 L/hr; cone gas: 30 L/hr; source 150 °C; desolvation 450 °C.

<b>Retention times</b>	- Major peaks	7.30 min	assay:
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Peak Label	Retention Time (in min)
Final Product (FP)	6.30
Aryl Bromide (SM1)	5.77
Byproduct (BP1)	5.49
Byproduct (BP2)	6.21
IS	6.96

### TWC Chromatogram example: vial D7



## **Results:**

	Catalytic system	Chembeads	Solvent	Temp	Time					
col	name	name	Name	°C	h	%. Conv.	Pdt/IS	SM/IS	BP1/IS	BP2/IS
1	Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> /XantPhos	#1	THF	100	3.0	38%	11.0	8.81	6.66	2.26
2	Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> on beads/XantPhos on beads	#1	THF	100	3.0	49%	10.6	7.89	1.22	1.81
3	(Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> +XantPhos) on beads	#1	THF	100	3.0	40%	9.9	7.96	4.89	2.19
4	Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> /XantPhos	#1	THF	100	3.0	45%	11.5	8.58	3.48	1.99
5	Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> on beads/XantPhos on beads	#1	THF	100	3.0	52%	11.1	7.29	1.32	1.73
6	(Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> +XantPhos) on beads	#1	THF	100	3.0	45%	10.2	7.81	2.81	2.06
7	Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> /XantPhos	#1	THF	100	3.0	48%	12.0	7.94	3.28	1.87
8	Pd2dba3on beads/XantPhos on beads	#1	THF	100	3.0	49%	10.5	7.70	1.62	1.83
9	(Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> +XantPhos) on beads	#1	THF	100	3.0	43%	10.8	7.22	5.23	2.11
10	Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> /XantPhos	#1	THF	100	3.0	44%	11.3	8.81	3.59	1.99
11	Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> on beads/XantPhos on beads	#1	THF	100	3.0	49%	10.2	7.50	1.38	1.90
12	(Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> +XantPhos) on beads	#1	THF	100	3.0	48%	11.0	7.01	2.89	1.99
1	Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> /XantPhos	#2	THF	100	3.0	39%	10.1	9.48	4.25	2.13
2	Pd2dba3on beads/XantPhos on beads	#2	THF	100	3.0	47%	10.1	7.91	1.41	1.94
3	(Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> +XantPhos) on beads	#2	THF	100	3.0	43%	10.4	7.63	4.15	2.16
4	Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> /XantPhos	#2	THF	100	3.0	41%	10.3	9.48	3.50	2.09
5	Pd2dba3on beads/XantPhos on beads	#2	THF	100	3.0	49%	10.5	7.90	1.10	1.84
6	(Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> +XantPhos) on beads	#2	THF	100	3.0	46%	11.1	7.60	3.23	1.98
7	Pd2dba3/XantPhos	#2	THF	100	3.0	42%	10.7	9.05	3.52	2.04
8	Pd2dba3on beads/XantPhos on beads	#2	THF	100	3.0	50%	10.8	7.84	1.16	1.91
9	(Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> +XantPhos) on beads	#2	THF	100	3.0	50%	12.1	7.18	3.19	1.89
10	Pd2dba3/XantPhos	#2	THF	100	3.0	42%	10.9	9.34	3.82	2.05
11	Pd2dba3on beads/XantPhos on beads	#2	THF	100	3.0	51%	10.9	7.39	1.07	1.95
12	(Pd2dba3+XantPhos) on beads	#2	THF	100	3.0	48%	12.0	7.34	3.52	1.95
1	Pd2dba3/XantPhos	#3	THF	100	3.0	47%	11.8	8.24	3.26	2.02
2	Pd2dba3on beads/XantPhos on beads	#3	THF	100	3.0	48%	10.4	7.97	1.52	1.95
3	(Pd2dba3+XantPhos) on beads	#3	THF	100	3.0	44%	10.6	7.87	3.58	2.18
4	Pd2dba3/XantPhos	#3	THF	100	3.0	42%	10.8	9.25	3.48	2.06
5	Pd2dba3on beads/XantPhos on beads	#3	THF	100	3.0	53%	11.4	7.49	0.97	1.77
6	(Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> +XantPhos) on beads	#3	THF	100	3.0	46%	10.8	7.59	2.83	2.12
7	Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> /XantPhos	#3	THF	100	3.0	43%	10.7	8.88	3.47	2.00
8	Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> on beads/XantPhos on beads	#3	THF	100	3.0	45%	10.1	8.08	2.10	2.26
9	(Pd2dba3+XantPhos) on beads	#3	THF	100	3.0	45%	10.7	7.69	3.31	2.18
10	Pd2dba3/XantPhos	#3	THF	100	3.0	43%	11.4	8.70	4.19	2.03
11	Pd2dba3on beads/XantPhos on beads	#3	THF	100	3.0	45%	10.2	8.52	1.79	1.96
12	(Pd2dba3+XantPhos) on beads	#3	THF	100	3.0	47%	11.3	7.55	3.13	2.09
1	Pd2dba3/XantPhos	#4	THF	100	3.0	42%	11.0	9.56	3.47	2.07
2	Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> on beads/XantPhos on beads	#4	THF	100	3.0	47%	10.1	8.31	1.21	1.95
3	(Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> +XantPhos) on beads	#4	THF	100	3.0	45%	10.3	8.40	2.13	2.01
4	Pd2dba3/XantPhos	#4	THF	100	3.0	44%	11.2	9.04	3.43	2.05
5	Pd2dba3on beads/XantPhos on beads	#4	THF	100	3.0	47%	10.2	8.13	1.25	1.97
6	(Pd₂dba₃+XantPhos) on beads	#4	THF	100	3.0	45%	10.8	8.27	2.91	1.96
7	Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> /XantPhos	#4	THF	100	3.0	44%	11.2	8.74	3.50	2.04
8	Pd2dba3on beads/XantPhos on beads	#4	THF	100	3.0	48%	10.4	8.36	1.14	1.82
9	(Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> +XantPhos) on beads	#4	THF	100	3.0	55%	13.4	6.66	2.46	1.81
10	Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> /XantPhos	#4	THF	100	3.0	47%	13.0	7.91	4.75	1.99
11	Pd2dba3on beads/XantPhos on beads	#4	THF	100	3.0	48%	10.6	8.38	1.29	1.98
12	(Pd2dba3+XantPhos) on beads	#4	THF	100	3.0	67%	6.4	1.88	0.46	0.81

#### Experiment #2:



**Plate preparation:** In a glovebox, base was added in stock solution (in acetone) as a slurry mixture then evaporated, Palladium and Ligands (Xantphos, Ruphos, Sphos and BINAP) were added in stock solution (in acetone) then evaporated, coupling partners were added in stock solution (in acetone) then evaporated, Chembeads (size 3, 212-300 $\mu$ m)) were weighed one by one with a precision balance, finally solvent was added. Reaction block was sealed and stirred at 300 rpm for 16 h at 80 °C.

#### **HTDesign® protocol:**

#### **Solutions Mères**

	Solution «Aryl Bromide»:	ajouter	94,840 mg	de Aryl Bromide dans	4,00 ml de solvant acetone
	2 Solution «Boronic Acid»:	ajouter	114,024 mg	de Boronic Acid dans	4,00 ml de solvant acetone
	3 Solution «Potassium phosphate tribasic»:	ajouter	101,890 mg	de Potassium phosphate tribasic dans	2,40 ml de solvant water
ŀ	4 Solution «tetrahydrofuran (THF)»:	SOLVA	NT		
	5 Solution «Pd2dba3»:	ajouter	4,579 mg	de Pd2dba3 dans	1,00 ml de solvant acetone
	5 Solution «Xantphos»:	ajouter	5,786 mg	de Xantphos dans	1,00 ml de solvant acetone
ľ	7 Solution «RuPhos»:	ajouter	4,666 mg	de RuPhos dans	1,00 ml de solvant acetone
	3 Solution «BINAP»:	ajouter	6,227 mg	de BINAP dans	1,00 ml de solvant acetone
1	Solution «SPhos»:	ajouter	4,105 mg	de SPhos dans	1,00 ml de solvant acetone
	10 Solution «Pd2dba3 5% + Xantphos 6.31% on Chembeads»:	ajouter	16,607 mg	de Pd2dba3 5% + Xantphos 6.31% on Chembeads dans	1,60 ml de solvant acetone
	11 Solution «Pd2dba3 5% w/w RuPhos 6.31% w/w on Chembeads»:	ajouter	2,773 mg	de Pd2dba3 5% w/w RuPhos 6.31% w/w on Chembeads dans	0,30 ml de solvant acetone
	12 Solution «Pd2dba3 5% w/w + BINAP 6.31% w/w on Chembeads»:	ajouter	3,242 mg	de Pd2dba3 5% w/w + BINAP 6.31% w/w on Chembeads dans	<b>0,30 ml</b> de solvant acetone
	13 Solution «Pd2dba3 5% w/w + SPhos 6.31% w/w on Chembeads»:	ajouter	2,605 mg	de Pd2dba3 5% w/w + SPhos 6.31% w/w on Chembeads dans	0,30 ml de solvant acetone

#### Plaques

Etape 1: ajouter 100,00 μl de la solution «Aryl Bromide» dans les puits:

1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
A	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
B	$\bigcirc$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	0	0	0	0	0	0
D	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	0	0	0	0	0	0
E	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
G	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
H	$\cap$	$\cap$	$\cap$	$\cap$	$\cap$	$\cap$	$\cap$	$\cap$	$\cap$	0	$\cap$	$\cap$

#### Etape 2: ajouter 100,00 µl de la solution «Boronic Acid» dans les puits:

1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
A	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
B	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C	0	0	$\bigcirc$	0	$\bigcirc$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D	0	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	0	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	0	0	0	0	0	0
E	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
G	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
H	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Etape 3: ajouter 100,00 µl de la solution «Potassium phosphate tribasic» dans les puits:

1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
A	•	•	•	•	•	•	0	0	C	0	0	C
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#### Etape 4: ajouter 100,00 µl de la solution «tetrahydrofuran (THF)» dans les puits:

1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
A	•	•	•	•	•	•	0	0	0	0	0	0
В	۲	٠	۲	۲	۲	۲	0	0	0	0	0	0
С	•	•	•	•	•	•	0	0	0	0	0	0
D	•	•	•	•	•	•	0	0	0	0	0	Ο
Ε	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Ο
G	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Н	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

#### Etape 5: ajouter 100,00 µl de la solution «Pd2dba3» dans les puits:

1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12
<i>A</i> <b>●○●○●○○○○○○○○○○○○○</b>
$B \bigcirc \bigcirc$
<i>c</i> 000000000000000000000000000000000000
<i>D</i> 000000000000000000000000000000000000
$E \bigcirc \bigcirc$
$F \bigcirc \bigcirc$
$G \bigcirc \bigcirc$
HOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOO

#### Etape 6: ajouter 100,00 µl de la solution «Xantphos» dans les puits:

1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12
A OOOOOOOOOOOO
$B \bigcirc \bigcirc$
<i>c</i> 000000000000000000000000000000000000
<i>D</i> 000000000000000000000000000000000000
$E \bigcirc \bigcirc$
$F \bigcirc \bigcirc$
$G_{000000000000000000000000000000000000$
$H_{OOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOO$

#### Etape 7: ajouter 100,00 µl de la solution «RuPhos» dans les puits:

1 1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
$A \bigcirc$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
B 🔴	0		0	۲	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
$C \bigcirc$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
$D \bigcirc$	Ō	Ō	Õ	Õ	Ō	Õ	Q	Õ	0	Õ	0
$E \bigcirc$	Ō	Õ	Õ	Õ	Õ	Õ	Õ	Õ	O	Õ	O
$F \bigcirc$	Õ	Õ	Õ	Õ	Õ	Õ	Õ	Õ	Q	Õ	Õ
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HО	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

#### Etape 8: ajouter 100,00 µl de la solution «BINAP» dans les puits:

<b>1</b> <i>1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12</i>
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$B \bigcirc \bigcirc$
$C \bullet O \bullet O \bullet O O O O O O O O O O O O O O $
<i>D</i> 000000000000000000000000000000000000
$E \bigcirc \bigcirc$
F0000000000000000000000000000000000000
<i>G</i> 000000000000000000000000000000000000
H0000000000000000000000000000000000000

#### Etape 9: ajouter 100,00 µl de la solution «SPhos» dans les puits:

1	1 2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
A (	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>B</u> (	C	0	Ó	Ó	Ó	Ó	Ó	Ó	0	Ó	0
C (	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D(	C	$) \bigcirc$	0	$\bigcirc$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
E (	ЭC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
F(	ЭC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
G(	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
H(	C	O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Etape 10: ajouter 100,00 µl de la solution «Pd2dba3 5% + Xantphos 6.31% on Chembeads» dans les puits:	1
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Etape 11: ajouter 100,00 µl de la solution «Pd2dba3 5% w/w RuPhos 6.31% w/w on Chembeads» dans les puits:	1
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Etape 12: ajouter 100,00 µl de la solution «Pd2dba3 5% w/w + BINAP 6.31% w/w on Chembeads» dans les puits	þ
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Etape 13: ajouter 100,00 µl de la solution «Pd2dba3 5% w/w + SPhos 6.31% w/w on Chembeads» dans les puits:	1
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**HTE analytical method:** The plate was prepared as mentioned above with respect of the HTDesign protocol (see above). The plate was sealed and stirred 16 h at 80 °C. After this time each sample was diluted with a MeCN solution containing 1  $\mu$ mol of biphenyl (500  $\mu$ L, 0.002 M). 50  $\mu$ L aliquots were sampled into a 1 mL deep 96 well plate containing 600  $\mu$ L MeCN. Ratios of Area Under Curve of starting material, products and side products were tabulated as well as areas for peaks of interest.

Analytical assay: 7.30 min Assay with Waters UPLC-UV-MS: CSH Phenyl-Hexyl 50\*2,1 in 1,7  $\mu$ m; 4  $\mu$ L injection; 50 mm x 2.1 mm; 0.4 mL/min; H<sub>2</sub>O/MeCN; gradient: 95% MeCN to 0% in 6.00 min; QDA ESI 110-1200 pos/neg; nebulizer: 700 L/hr; cone gas: 30 L/hr; source 150 °C; desolvation 450 °C.

#### Retention times – Major peaks 7.30 min assay:

Peak Label	Retention Time (in min)
Final Product (FP)	6.30
Aryl Bromide (SM1)	5.77
Byproduct (BP1)	4.79
Byproduct (BP2)	5.63
IS	6.96

## TWC Chromatogram example: vial B4



#### **Results:**

			Catalytic system	Solvent	Temp	Time					
HPLC	row	col	name	Name	°C	h	%. Conv.	Pdt/IS	SM/IS	BP1/IS	BP2/IS
1	Α	1	Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> /XantPhos	THF	100	3.0	65%	2.68E+1	6.22	3.73	4.18
2	Α	2	(Pd2dba3/XantPhos) on beads	THF	100	3.0	83%	5.60E+1	6.15	1.79	3.28
3	Α	3	Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> /XantPhos	THF	100	3.0	46%	1.43E+1	5.86	6.99	3.88
4	Α	4	(Pd2dba3/XantPhos) on beads	THF	100	3.0	84%	5.92E+1	5.39	1.69	3.81
5	Α	5	Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> /XantPhos	THF	100	3.0	65%	2.43E+1	5.36	4.11	3.57
6	Α	6	(Pd2dba3/XantPhos) on beads	THF	100	3.0	80%	4.55E+1	5.78	2.20	3.62
7	В	1	Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> /RuPhos	THF	100	3.0	74%	2.78E+1	3.06	3.59	3.29
8	В	2	(Pd2dba3/RuPhos) on beads	THF	100	3.0	93%	1.11E+2	4.26	0.90	2.78
9	В	3	Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> /RuPhos	THF	100	3.0	45%	1.40E+1	4.75	7.14	5.50
10	В	4	(Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> /RuPhos) on beads	THF	100	3.0	93%	1.07E+2	4.23	0.94	2.54
11	В	5	Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> /RuPhos	THF	100	3.0	83%	4.01E+1	2.78	2.49	2.85
12	В	6	(Pd2dba3/RuPhos) on beads	THF	100	3.0	93%	1.00E+2	4.11	1.00	2.64
13	С	1	Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> /BINAP	THF	100	3.0	81%	3.34E+1	1.96	2.99	2.75
14	С	2	(Pd2dba3/BINAP) on beads	THF	100	3.0	94%	8.25E+1	2.03	1.21	2.45
15	С	3	Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> /BINAP	THF	100	3.0	65%	1.93E+1	2.43	5.17	2.89
16	С	4	(Pd2dba3/BINAP) on beads	THF	100	3.0	94%	7.91E+1	1.66	1.26	2.32
17	С	5	Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> /BINAP	THF	100	3.0	82%	3.36E+1	1.78	2.98	2.51
18	С	6	(Pd2dba3/BINAP) on beads	THF	100	3.0	95%	7.19E+1	0.19	1.39	2.12
19	D	1	Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> /SPhos	THF	100	3.0	80%	3.85E+1	3.43	2.60	3.40
20	D	2	(Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> /SPhos) on beads	THF	100	3.0	97%	1.86E+2	3.28	0.54	2.07
21	D	3	Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> /SPhos	THF	100	3.0	83%	3.95E+1	2.89	2.53	2.82
22	D	4	(Pd2dba3/SPhos) on beads	THF	100	3.0	97%	1.75E+2	2.74	0.57	2.07
23	D	5	Pd <sub>2</sub> dba <sub>3</sub> /SPhos	THF	100	3.0	81%	3.67E+1	2.91	2.72	2.95
24	D	6	(Pd2dba3/SPhos) on beads	THF	100	3.0	97%	1.67E+2	2.55	0.60	2.02

## C. Sonogashira cross-coupling



#### **Experiment #3:**



**Plate preparation:** In a gloveboxe, base was added in stock solution (in acetone) as slurry mixture then evaporated, copper iodide and palladium complex were added in stock solution (in acetone) then evaporated, coupling partners were added in stock solution (in acetone) then evaporated, Chembeads (size 3, 212-300µm)were weighed one by one with a precision balance, finally solvent was added. Reaction block was sealed and stirred at 300 rpm for 3 h at 60 °C.

#### **HTDesign® protocol:**



Etape 1: ajouter 100,00 µl de la solution «2-Bromo-6-methylpyridine» dans les puits:

1 /	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	П	12
.4 🔘	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
_B 🔘	0	0	0	0	0	O	0	0	0	0	0
CO	$\odot$	۲	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D 🔵	0	۲	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
E 🔘	0	$^{\circ}$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
F 🔵	0	۲	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
$G \bigcirc$	0	0	0	Q	0	Q	Q	Q	0	0	0
NC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Etape 2: ajouter 100,00 µl de la sol	ution «Hex-1-yne» dans les puits:
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Etape 3: ajouter 100,00 µl de la sol	ution «Bis(triphenylphosphine)palladium(II) dichloride» dans les puits
$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	
Etape 4: ajouter 100,00 µl de la sol	ution «Copper(I) iodide» dans les puits:
$ \begin{array}{ c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c$	
Etape 5: ajouter 100,00 µl de la sol	lution «cesium carbonate» dans les puits:
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**HTE analytical method:** The plate was prepared as mentioned above with respect of the HTDesign protocol (see above). The plate was sealed and stirred 3 h at 60 °C. After this time each sample was diluted with a MeCN solution containing 1  $\mu$ mol of biphenyl (500  $\mu$ L, 0.002 M). 50  $\mu$ L aliquots were sampled into a 1 mL deep 96 well plate containing 600  $\mu$ L MeCN. Ratios of Area Under Curve of starting material, products and side products were tabulated as well as areas for peaks of interest.

Analytical assay: 7.00 min assay with Waters UPLC-UV-MS: CSH Phenyl-Hexyl 50\*2,1 in 1,7  $\mu$ m; 4  $\mu$ L injection; 50 mm x 2.1 mm; 0.4 mL/min; H<sub>2</sub>O/MeCN; gradient: 95% MeCN to 0% in 6.00 min; QDA ESI 110-1200 pos/neg; nebulizer: 700 L/hr; cone gas: 30 L/hr; source 150 °C; desolvation 450 °C.

#### Retention times – Major peaks 7.00 min assay:

Peak Label	<b>Retention Time</b>
Final Product (FP)	2.34
Starting Material (SM)	N/A
Byproduct (BP)	3.62
IS	4.42

## TWC Chromatogram example: vial D3



#### **Results:**

row	col	%. Conv.	Pdt/IS	SM/IS	Carrier System	Test	
А	1	100%	7.8	0.00	No carrier	#1	
А	2	100%	8.3	0.00	00 No carrier		
А	3	100%	8.5	0.00	No carrier	#3	
В	1	100%	7.7	0.00	Pd(PPh <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub> on Chembeads	#1	
В	2	100%	8.3	0.00	Pd(PPh <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub> on Chembeads	#2	
В	3	100%	8.7	0.00	Pd(PPh <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub> on Chembeads	#3	
С	1	100%	7.5	0.00	Cul on Chembeads	#1	
С	2	100%	8.1	0.00	Cul on Chembeads	#2	
С	3	100%	8.1	0.00	Cul on Chembeads	#3	
D	1	100%	8.4	0.00	Mixed Chembeads	#1	
D	2	100%	8.3	0.00	Mixed Chembeads	#2	
D	3	100%	8.9	0.00	Mixed Chembeads	#3	
E	1	100%	8.8	0.00	Pd(PPh <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub> on SiO <sub>2</sub>	#1	
Е	2	100%	8.9	0.00	$Pd(PPh_3)_2Cl_2$ on $SiO_2$	#2	
Е	3	100%	8.9	0.00	$Pd(PPh_3)_2Cl_2$ on $SiO_2$	#3	
F	1	100%	8.3	0.00	Pd(PPh <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub> on Celite	#1	
F	2	100%	8.3	0.00	Pd(PPh <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub> on Celite	#2	
F	3	100%	8.7	0.00	Pd(PPh <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub> on Celite	#3	

#### S4 – Procedures for batch experiments

#### A. Suzuki-Miyaura cross-coupling



**General procedure:** A 5 mL microwave tube equipped with a magnetic stirbar was charged with 2-bromo-6-methoxynaphthalene (1 equiv, 0.1 mmol, 24 mg), 3-(trifluoromethyl)phenylboronic acid (1.5 equiv, 0.15 mmol, 28 mg), tris(dibenzylidèneacétone)dipalladium(0) (5 mol%, 0.005 mmol, 5 mg), Xantphos (10 mol%; 0.01 mmol, 6 mg) supported (Chembeads size 3: 212-300  $\mu$ m) or not and potassium phosphate (2 equiv; 0.2 mmol; 42 mg) in THF (1 mL). The vial was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 100 °C for 18 h.

**Analytical method:** An internal standard was then added (biphenyl, 0.1 mmol, 15 mg) and the mixture was analyzed by GC-MS giving the ratio between the product area and the internal standard area.

**Isolation procedure:** A 5 mL microwave tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with 2bromo-6-methoxynaphthalene (1 equiv, 0.2 mmol, 47.2 mg), 3-(trifluoromethyl)phenylboronic acid (1.5 equiv, 0.3 mmol, 58.9 mg), tris(dibenzylidèneacétone)dipalladium(0) (5 mol%, 0.005 mmol, 10 mg), Xantphos (10 mol%; 0.01 mmol, 12 mg) supported or not and potassium phosphate (2 equiv; 0.4 mmol; 88.7 mg) in THF (2 mL). The vial was sealed and the reaction mixture was stirred at 100 °C for 18 h. The crude was filtered through celite pad and concentrated in vaccuo. The product was purified by column chromatography (eluent: cyclohexane/EtOAc) and preparative TLC (eluent: cyclohexane/EtOAc).

#### B. Sonogashira coupling



**General procedure:** Under argon atmosphere, a 15 mL #15 Ace-Threds pressure tube equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged with bis(triphenylphosphine)palladium(II) dichloride (5 mol%, 0.030 mmol, 21.1 mg), copper iodide (10 mol%, 0.061 mmol, 11 mg) followed by 2-bromo-6-methylpyridine (1 equiv, 0.61 mmol, 104.9 mg, 69.4  $\mu$ L) and 1-hexyne (10 equiv, 6.1 mmol, 501.05 mg, 700  $\mu$ L). Freshly distilled THF (3.6 mL) was added followed by the addition of potassium carbonate (10 equiv, 6.1 mmol, 806.5 mg). The tube was closed with a back seal PTFE screw cap and the reaction mixture was stirred at 60 °C for 16 h.

**Isolation procedure:** The mixture was filtered through celite pad and concentrated in vaccuo. The crude residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel (eluent: cyclohexane/EtOAc).

## C. Allylation reaction via a photoredox dual catalysis



**General procedure:** An 8 mL scintillation vial equipped with a magnetic stirbar was charged with tris(2,2'-bipyridyl)dichlororuthenium(II) hexahydrate (1 mol%, 0.001 mmol, 0.75 mg), nickel(II) trifluoromethanesulfonate (10 mol%, 0.01 mmol, 4 mg), 1,10-phenanthroline (10 mol%, 0.01 mmol, 3 mg) supported (Chembeads size 3: 212-300  $\mu$ m) or not, MeCN (1 mL) was added, followed by DIPEA (10 equiv, 1 mmol, 174  $\mu$ L), allyl acetate (10 equiv, 1 mmol, 108  $\mu$ L) and p-anisaldehyde (1 equiv; 0.1 mmol, 12  $\mu$ L). The vial was capped, and the reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature under the irradiation of a 40 W blue LED Kessil® lamp (A160WE Tuna Blue 455 nm) used at 100% color and light intensity and placed 2-3 cm away from the reaction vessel with an external cooling fan that maintains the temperature below 35°C, during 48h.

**Analytical method:** An internal standard was then added (biphenyl, 0.1 mmol, 15 mg) and the mixture was analyzed by GC-MS giving the ratio between the product area and the internal standard area.

**Isolation procedure:** An 8 mL scintillation vial equipped with a magnetic stirbar was charged with tris(2,2'-bipyridyl)dichlororuthenium(II) hexahydrate (1 mol%, 0.005 mmol, 3 mg), nickel(II) trifluoromethanesulfonate (10 mol%, 0.05 mmol, 18 mg), 1,10-phenanthroline (10 mol%, 0.05 mmol, 9 mg) supported on Chembeads (212-300  $\mu$ m), MeCN (5 mL) was added, followed by DIPEA (10 equiv, 1 mmol, 646  $\mu$ L), allyl acetate (10 equiv, 1 mmol, 539  $\mu$ L) and p-anisaldehyde (1 equiv; 0.1 mmol, 61  $\mu$ L). The vial was capped, and the reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature under the irradiation of a of a 40 W blue LED Kessil<sup>®</sup> lamp (A160WE Tuna Blue 455 nm) used at 100% color and light intensity, and placed 2-3 cm away from the reaction vessel with an external cooling fan that maintains the temperature below 35°C, during 48h. The mixture was concentrated in vaccuo, and the crude residue was subjected to column chromatography on silica gel (eluent: cyclohexane/EtOAc).

#### D. Cross electrophile coupling via electrosynthesis



**General procedure:** A 5 mL ElectraSyn vial equipped with a magnetic stir bar was charged first with solids, N-cycloxexylacyl succimide (1 equiv; 0.25 mmol, 52 mg), Ni(OAc)<sub>2</sub>.4H<sub>2</sub>O (10 mol%; 0.025 mmol;

6 mg), 2,2'-bipyridine (10 mol%, 0.025 mmol; 4 mg) supported (Chembeads size 3: 212-300  $\mu$ m) or not and KPF<sub>6</sub> (2 equiv; 0.5 mmol; 92 mg). The ElectraSyn vial was then sealed with a cap equipped with sacrificial anode (zinc) and cathode (Ni foam). The vial was put under argon atmosphere and an argon balloon was kept on the reaction. Dry DMF (3.5 mL) was then added, followed by 1-bromo-3phenylpropane (1.5 equiv; 0.375 mmol, 57  $\mu$ L). The reaction mixture was electrolyzed under a constant current of 8 mA until 4 F.mol<sup>-1</sup> were delivered. An internal standard was then added (biphenyl, 0.25 mmol, 39 mg) and the mixture was analyzed by GC-MS giving the ratio between the product area and the internal standard area.

**Analytical method:** An internal standard was then added (biphenyl, 0.25 mmol, 39 mg) and the mixture was analyzed by GC-MS giving the ratio between the product area and the internal standard.

**Isolation procedure:** The mixture was then filtered through Celite<sup>®</sup> using dichloromethane as eluent to remove solid residues, concentrated in vaccuo, and the crude residue was subjected to column chromatography on silica gel (eluent: cyclohexane/EtOAc) to give the title compound.

#### **S5** – Characterisation of products



**2-methoxy-6-(3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)naphthalene:** Known coumpound [3], prepared according to general conditions of the Suzuki-Miyaura cross-coupling reaction and purified by column chromatography (cyclohexane/EtOAc, gradient 100:0 to 90:10) followed by a preparative TLC (cyclohexane/EtOAc, 95:5) to give

white solid (40.5 mg; 54%). <sup>1</sup>**H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.99 (d, J = 1.16 Hz, 1H), 7.95-7.94 (m, 1H), 7.89 – 7.86 (m, 1H), 7.83 (t, J = 9.12 Hz, 2H), 7.70 (dd, J = 8.49, 1.97 Hz, 1H), 7.64 – 7.54 (m, 2H), 7.23 – 7.16 (m, 2H), 3.96 (s, 3Hz). <sup>13</sup>**C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  158.2, 142.1, 134.9, 134.3, 131.3 (q, J = 32.13 Hz), 130.6 (d, J = 1.45 Hz), 129.9, 129.4, 129.2, 127.7, 126.1, 125.7, 124.4 (q, J = 272.31 Hz), 124.0 (q, J = 3.76 Hz), 123.8 (q, J = 3.83 Hz), 119.6, 105.7, 55.5. <sup>19</sup>**F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  -62.48.



**2-(hex-1-yn-1-yl)-6-methylpyridine:** Prepared according to general conditions of the Sonogashira coupling reaction and purified by column chromatography (cyclohexane/EtOAc, gradient 100:0 to 50:50) to give brown oil (73.7 mg; 70%). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.49 (t, J = 7.74 Hz, 1H), 7.18 (d, J = 7.68 Hz, 1H), 7.04 (d, J = 7.73 Hz, 1H), 2.53 (s, 3H), 2.43 (t, J = 7.14 Hz, 2H), 1.65 – 1.57 (m, 2H), 1.52 – 1.44 (m, 2H), 0.93 (t, J = 7.29 Hz, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  158.7, 143.2,

136.3, 123.9, 122.0, 90.7, 80.5, 30.5, 24.6, 22.1, 19.1, 13.7. HRMS (ESI/Q-TOF) m/z:  $[M + H]^+$  Calcd for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>16</sub>N 174.1284; Found 174.1283.



**1-(4-Methoxyphenyl)but-3-en-1-ol:** Known compound [4] prepared according to general conditions of allylation reaction via photoredox dual catalysis and purified by flash chromatography (cyclohexane/ethyl acetate, gradient 100:0 to 85:15) to give a brown oil (0.037 g; 42%). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.30-7.27 (m, 2H), 6.90-6.87 (m, 2H), 5.85–5.75 (m, 1H), 5.18–5.11 (m, 2H), 4.69 (t, *J* = 6.6

Hz, 1H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 2.52-2.48 (m, 2H), 1.73 (br s, 1H); <sup>13</sup>**C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 159.1, 136.2, 134.7, 127.2, 118.2, 113.9, 73.1, 55.3, 43.8.



**1-Cyclohexyl-4-phenylbutan-1-one:** Known compound [5], prepared according to general conditions of cross electrophile coupling via electrosynthesis and purified by flash chromatography (cyclohexane/ethyl acetate, gradient 100:0 to 95:5) to give a colorless oil (0.024 g; 42%). <sup>1</sup>H NMR

(400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.30- 7.26 (m, 2H), 7.20-7.16 (m, 3H), 2.61 (t, J = 7.32 Hz, 2H), 2.44 (t, J = 7.32 Hz, 2H), 2.33-2.27 (m, 1H), 1.89 (q, J = 7.56 Hz, 2H), 1.81-1.76 (m, 4H), 1.67-1.65 (m, 1H), 1.33-1.19 (m, 5H). <sup>13</sup>**C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  214.1, 141.9, 128.6, 128.4, 126.0, 50.9, 39.9, 35.3, 28.6, 26.0, 25.8, 25.2.





<sup>13</sup>C NMR of 2-methoxy-6-(3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)naphthalene, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 100MHz



<sup>19</sup>F NMR of 2-methoxy-6-(3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)naphthalene, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 376MHz





### <sup>1</sup>H NMR of 2-(hex-1-yn-1-yl)-6-methylpyridine, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400MHz

<sup>13</sup>C NMR of 2-(hex-1-yn-1-yl)-6-methylpyridine, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 100MHz







## <sup>1</sup>H NMR of 1-Cyclohexyl-4-phenylbutan-1-one, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400MHz



-10 130 120 110 100 f1 (ppm) ò

#### S6 – Evaluation of calibrated scoops



Figure S3: Commercial 3D printed scoops

Calibrated ChemBeads scoops allow you to weigh ChemBeads products volumetrically. These scoops have been designed to consistently deliver the calibrated amount of ChemBeads quickly and efficiently. The scoops are made of a chemical resistant plastic, acrylonitrile butadiene styrene, and can be reused multiple times, however they should not be cleaned with strong solvents.

The sizes are outlined below with Catalog Number and Calibrated Weight:

925470-1SET one of each scoop calibrated to deliver 5, 10, or 50 milligrams

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Chembeads size	5 mg	10 mg	50 mg
#1	6.04	10.64	44.35
#1	6.66	7.14	48.72
#1	5.2	9.08	46.31
#1	5.97	9.1	53.88
#1	5.06	10.21	55.25
#1	5.84		
#2	4.31	6.94	46.66
#2	5.55	10.46	49.06
#2	5.07	10.2	44.08
#2	4.64	8.1	43.24
#2	5.77	9.98	50.35
#2	4.55		
#3	5.06	9.48	50.36
#3	3.8	8.22	48.03
#3	7.1	12.34	43.94
#3	7	11.23	44.93
#3	5.47	8.58	53.22
#3	4.8		
#4	3.47	7.82	50.68
#4	5.11	5.9	48.1
#4	4.31	7.32	45.88
#4	4.02	8.74	45.55
#4	4.77	10.81	43.04
#4	4.75		

Tables S2: Measured mass obtained from calibrated scoops depending on the Chembeads size



Figure S4: Mass variations obtained with 5 mg calibrated dosing scoops depending on the Chembeads size



Figure S5: Mass variations obtained with 10 mg calibrated dosing scoops depending on the Chembeads size



Figure S6: Mass variations obtained with 50 mg calibrated dosing scoops depending on the Chembeads size

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