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# Sustainable synthesis of enantiopure fluorolactam derivatives by a selective direct fluorination - amidase strategy

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### **HPLC** assays

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# SI-3.1 Method Name: CSH~2min\_For Method Description: Formic Acid Generic Analytical UPLC LC/MS 2 Minute Method

The UPLC analysis was conducted on an Acquity UPLC CSH C18 column (50 mm x 2.1 mm x i.d. 1.7 µm packing diameter) at 40 °C.

The solvents employed were:

A = 0.1 % v/v solution of Formic Acid in Water.

B = 0.1 % v/v solution of Formic Acid in Acetonitrile.

Time (min)	Flow rate (mL/min)	% A	% B
0	1	97	3
1.5	1	5	95
1.9	1	5	95
2.0	1	97	3

The UV detection was a summed signal from wavelength of 210 nm to 350 nm.

Injection volume : 0.5  $\mu$ L

#### **MS Conditions**

MS : Waters ZQ Ionisation mode : Alternate-scan Positive and Negative Electrospray Scan Range : 100 to 1000 AMU Scan Time : 0.27 seconds Inter scan Delay : 0.10 seconds Standard solutions of 3-fluoro-2-oxopiperidine-3-carboxylic acid **5** (41.2 mmol in MeOH, 5 mL), methyl 3-fluoro-2-oxopiperidine-3-carboxylate **2b,c** (41.2 mmol in MeOH, 5 mL) and 1,4-dimethoxy benzene (20.6 mmol in MeOH, 10 mL) were prepared in triplicate.

These solutions were added to an array of HPLC vials in triplicate (volumes defined in the Table below), which were then analyzed *via* UPLC-MS (Method CSH~2min\_For). The acid and ester UV response factors were compared to the analytical standard and the average response factor was plotted against concentration to give a UPLC calibration curve.

Vial	A		В		С		D	E
	(µL)	(µmol)	(µL)	(µmol)	(µL)	(µmol)	(µL)	(µL)
1	250	10.3	250	10.3	500	10.3	0	500
2	175	7.0	175	7.0	500	10.3	150	500
3	125	5.2	125	5.2	500	10.3	250	500
4	75	3.0	75	3.0	500	10.3	350	500
5	50	2.0	50	2.0	500	10.3	450	500
6	25	1.0	25	1.0	500	10.3	450	500

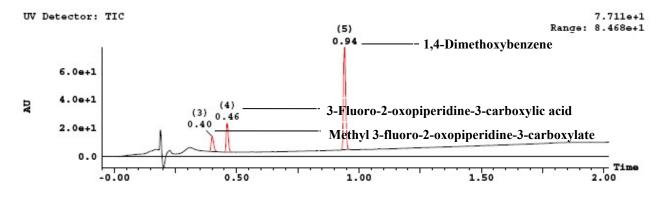
A = 3-Fluoro-2-oxopiperidine-3-carboxylic acid **5** (41.2 mmol in MeOH)

B = Methyl 3-fluoro-2-oxopiperidine-3-carboxylate **2b,c** (41.2 mmol in MeOH)

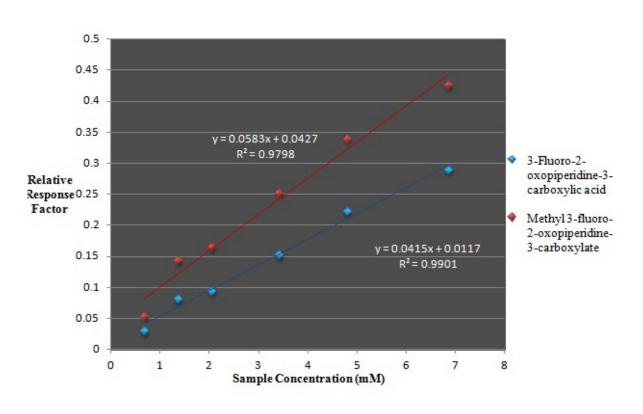
C = 1,4-Dimethoxy benzene (20.6 mmol in MeOH)

#### D = MeOH

E = 60mM Na<sub>2</sub>HPO<sub>4</sub>: 60mM KH<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> Buffer (3:1; pH 7.3, 20 °C)



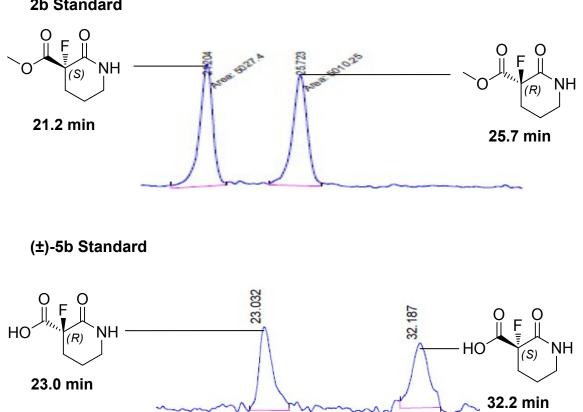
Representative UPLC Trace



**UPLC** Calibration

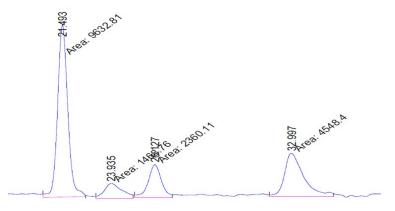
#### SI-3.3 High Throughput Chiral HPLC Analysis

Column Conditions: Diacel Chiralpak IA 4.6 mm x 250 mm; Ethanol:Heptane / 0.1 % TFA (8:92); 1 mL min<sup>-1</sup>; 215 nm; 25 °C; 40 min.



**2b Standard** 

Representative example from high throughput hydrolase screen (JM EST47)



21 min, (S)-ester (80 %); 23 min, (R)-ester (20 %), [60 % ee (S)] 23 min, (S)-acid (76 %); 32 min, (R)-acid (24 %), [52 % ee (R)]

#### SI-3.4 Preparative Chiral HPLC

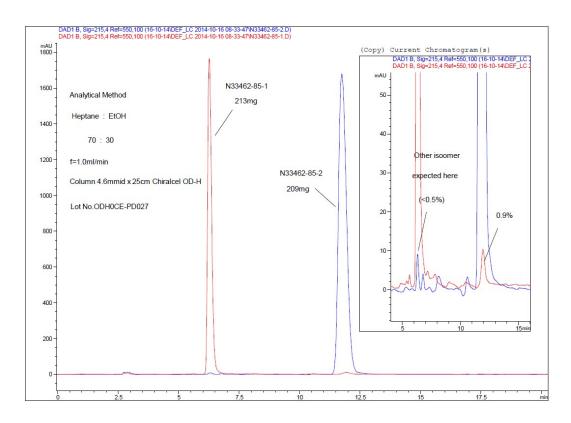
Lactam **2b,c** (540 mg) was dissolved in 10 mL EtOH to give a clear solution and purified by preparative chiral HPLC (3 mL injection volume).

**Chiral HPLC Conditions**: Column 30 mm x 25 cm Chiralcel OD-H; EtOH:Heptane (3:7), 215 nm, 20 °C.

Fractions from 4.5 – 6 min were collected together and concentrated at RT to give  $\frac{20}{(S)-2b}$  (213 mg) as a white solid, >99 % ee,  $[\alpha]^{\overline{D}}$  +14.393° (*c* 1.00, MeCN).

Fractions from 11.0 - 13.0 min were collected together and concentrated at RT to  $\frac{20}{D}$  give (*R*)-**2c** (209 mg) as an off-white solid, 98 % *ee*, [ $\alpha$ ]  $\frac{20}{D}$  -14.128° (*c* 1.00, MeCN).

A 50 mg sample of each enantiomer was recrystallised from heptane/methanol and analysed by X-ray crystallography to determine absolute configuration.



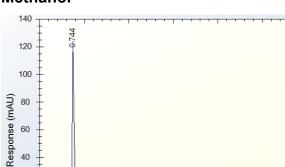
## Analytical Chiral HPLC Trace

#### SI-3.5 Scale-up Chiral HPLC Assay

Samples were prepared as a solution in methanol and analysed using the following method.

**Column Conditions:** Phenomenex Lux 5 µm Cellulose-1 50 x 4.6 mm Column; Ethanol:Heptane (2:8); 2 mL min<sup>-1</sup>; 215 nm; 25 °C; 10 min.

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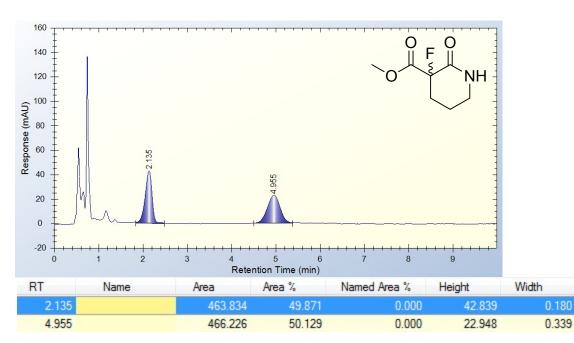
#### Methanol

40

20

0

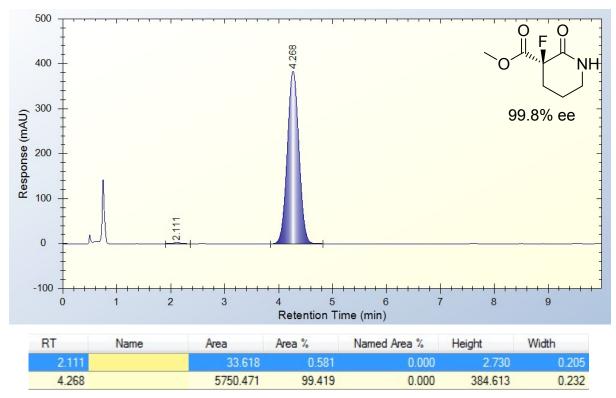
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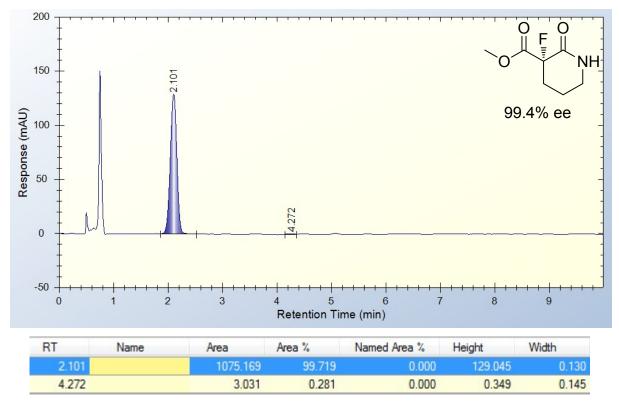
Retention Time (min)

#### Racemate

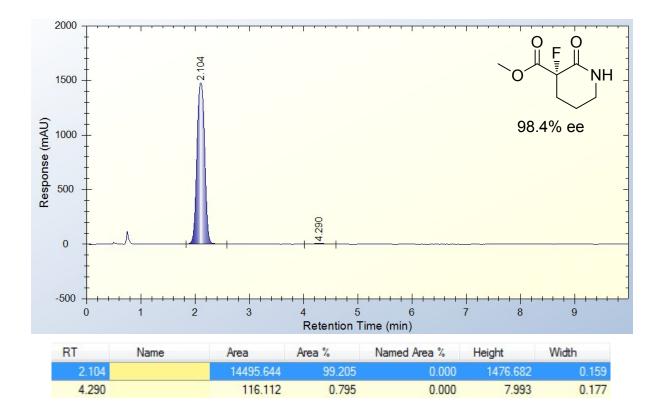
(R)-2c from preparative HPLC



#### (S)- 2b from preperative HPLC



#### Milligram scale hydrolysis



#### Multi-gram scale hydrolysis

