Supporting Information

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Electrochemical generation of 2,3-oxazolidinone glycosyl triflates as an intermediate for stereoselective glycosylation

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1. General

¹H and ¹³C NMR spectra were recorded on Varian MERCURYplus-400 (¹H, 400 MHz, ¹³C, 100 MHz). Low-temperature ¹H, ¹³C NMR, and ¹³C/¹H HMQC spectra were recorded on JEOL ECA-600P (¹H, 600 MHz, ¹³C, 150 MHz). EI and CI mass spectra were recorded on JEOL JMS-SX102A mass spectrometers. FAB and ESI mass spectra were recorded on JEOL JMS-HX110A and Thermo EXACTIVE mass spectrometers, respectively. Unless otherwise noted, all materials were obtained from commercial suppliers and used without further purification. Dichloromethane was washed with water, distilled from P₂O₅, redistilled from dried K₂CO₃ to remove a trace amount of acid, and stored over molecular sieves (4 Å). Bu₄NOTf was dried over P₂O₅ under vacuum and CD₂Cl₂ was dried over molecular sieves (4 Å) before use. Starting material **S1** [1], glycosyl donor **1a** [2], **1c** [1], and glycosyl acceptors **7** [3] were prepared according to the reported procedures.

2. Preparation of glycosyl donor



To a solution of alcohol S1 (300 mg, 0.611 mol) in pyridine (97 µL, 1.22 mmol) and CH₂Cl₂ (1 mL), chloroacetic anhydride (92 mg, 0.733 mmol) was added at 4 °C. After 3 h, 0.5 M HCl aq. was added. The aqueous layer was extracted with EtOAc. The combined layers were washed with brine. After the extract was dried over Na₂SO₄, the solvent was removed in vacuo. The residue was purified by silica gel column chromatography (hexane:EtOAc 4:1 give the chloroacetate 1b (340 mg, 98%) a colorless oil. *p*-Tolyl to 7:3) to as N-benzyl-2-amino-6-O-benzyl-2,3-N,O-carbonyl-4-O-chloroacetyl-2-deoxy-1-thio-8-D-glucopyranoside (1b). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 7.38–7.22 (m, 12H), 7.01 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 5.33 (dd, *J* = 10.4, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 4.72 (s, 2H), 4.71 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 4.52 (d, J = 11.6 Hz, 1H), 4.44 (d, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 4.15 (pseudo t, J = 10.8 Hz, 1H), 4.71 (d, J = 10.8 Hz, 1H), 4 1H), 3.97 (d, J = 14.8 Hz, 1H), 3.89 (d, J = 15.2 Hz, 1H), 3.68 (dd, J = 8.4, 3.2 Hz, 1H), 3.63 (dd, J = 10.8, 3.2 Hz, 1H), 3.64 (dd, J = 10.8, 3.2 Hz, 1H), 3.65 (dd 1H), 3.58 (dd, J = 10.8, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 3.52 (dd, J = 11.2, 9.2 Hz, 1H), 2.30 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 165.8, 158.5, 150.3, 138.9, 137.4, 135.9, 133.1, 129.9, 128.7, 128.4, 128.2, 128.1, 127.94, 127.85, 127.7, 87.0, 79.5, 78.2, 73.6, 69.6, 68.5, 60.1, 47.5, 40.4, 21.1. HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calcd for C₃₀H₃₁ClNO₆S [M+H]⁺, 568.1555; found, 568.1560.

3. Low-temperature NMR analysis of glycosyl triflates



The anodic oxidation was carried out in an H-type divided cell (4G glass filter) equipped with a carbon felt anode (Nippon Carbon JF-20-P7, ca. 160 mg, dried at 250 °C/1 mmHg before use) and a platinum plate cathode (10 mm x 10 mm). In the anodic chamber were placed thioglycoside 1a (45.0 mg, 0.10 mmol) and 0.1 M Bu₄NOTf in CD₂Cl₂ (5.0 mL). In the cathodic chamber were placed trifluoromethanesulfonic acid (22 µL, 0.25 mmol) and 0.1 M Bu₄NOTf in CD₂Cl₂ (5.0 mL). The constant current electrolysis (4.0 mA) was carried out at -78 °C with magnetic stirring. After 1.5 F/mol of electricity was consumed, the reaction mixture of the anodic chamber was transferred to a 5 mm NMR tube with a septum cap under an argon atmosphere at -78 °C. The NMR measurement was carried out at -80 °C. Chemical shifts were reported using signals of CH₂Cl₂ at 5.32 ppm (^{13}C) $(^{1}H NMR)$ NMR) and CD_2Cl_2 at 53.8 ppm as standards. Triflyl 2-N-acetyl-4,6-di-O-acetyl-2,3-N,O-carbonyl-2-deoxy-α-D-glucopyranoside (2a). Selected data for 2a (7.0–2.0 ppm for ¹H NMR and 100–20 ppm for ¹³C NMR). ¹H NMR (CD₂Cl₂, 600 MHz) δ 6.89 (d, J = 2.1 Hz, 1H, H-1), 5.39 (dd, J = 10.3, 9.6 Hz, 1H, H-4), 4.63 (dd, J = 12.4, 10.3 Hz, 1H, H-3), 4.21–4.16 (m, 3H), 4.14–4.11 (m, 1H, H-5), 2.45 (s, 3H), 2.10 (s, 3H), 2.04 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (CD₂Cl₂, 150 MHz) δ 99.9 (C-1), 72.9 (C-5), 72.7 (C-3), 65.7 (C-4), 60.1 (C-6), 57.6 (C-2), 23.6 (CH₃ of NAc), 20.60 (CH₃ of OAc), 20.52 (CH₃ of OAc).

The triflyl anodic oxidation of thioglycoside 1b (54.5)mg, 0.0984 mmol) afforded **2-***N*-**benzyl-6***O*-**benzyl-2**,**3**-*N*,*O*-**carbonyl-4**-*O*-**chloroacetyl-2**-**deoxy-α**-**D**-**glucopyranoside** (**2b**). Selected data for **2b** (6.0–3.5 ppm for ¹H NMR and 100–40 ppm for ¹³C NMR). ¹H NMR (CD₂Cl₂, 600 MHz) δ 5.97 (s, 1H, H-1), 5.51 (dd, J = 10.3, 9.6 Hz, 1H, H-4), 4.62 (d, J = 15.1 Hz, 1H, CH_2Ph), 4.52 (d, J = 11.7 Hz, 1H, $C(O)CH_2CI$, 4.51 (d, J = 11.7 Hz, 1H, H-3), 4.23 (d, J = 12.4 Hz, 1H, $C(O)CH_2CI$), 4.19 (d, J = 14.4 Hz, 1H, CH₂Ph), 4.06 (d, J = 16.5 Hz, 1H, CH₂Ph), 3.91 (d, J = 8.9 Hz, 1H, H-5), 3.79 (d, J = 16.5 Hz, 1H, CH₂Ph), 3.58 (d, J = 12.4 Hz, 1H, H-2), 3.51 (d, J = 11.7 Hz, 1H, H-6), 3.40 (d, J = 11.0 Hz, 1H, H-6'). ¹³C NMR (CD₂Cl₂, 150 MHz) & 99.9 (C-1), 74.3 (C-5), 72.2 (C-3, C(O)CH2Cl), 67.3 (C-4), 64.0 (C-6), 58.4 (C-2), 47.8 (CH2Ph), 40.9 (*C*H₂Ph)

The anodic oxidation of thioglycoside **1c** (57.9 mg, 0.0995 mmol) afforded **triflyl 2-N-benzyl-4,6-di**-*O*-**benzyl-2,3**-*N*,*O*-**carbonyl-2-deoxy-\alpha-D-glucopyranoside** (**2c**). Selected data for **1c** (6.0–3.4 ppm for ¹H NMR and 110–40 ppm for ¹³C NMR). ¹H NMR (CD₂Cl₂, 600 MHz) δ 5.95 (s, 1H, H-1), 4.78 (d, *J* = 11.0 Hz, 1H, CH₂Ph), 4.59–4.55 (m, 2H, H-3, CH₂Ph), 4.42 (d, *J* = 11.0 Hz, 1H, CH₂Ph), 4.40 (d, *J* = 11.0 Hz, 1H, CH₂Ph), 4.27 (d, *J* = 14.4 Hz, 1H, CH₂Ph), 4.22 (d, *J* = 11.7 Hz, 1H, CH₂Ph), 4.22 (d, *J* = 11.7 Hz, 1H, CH₂Ph), 4.22 (d, *J* = 10.3 Hz, 1H, H-4), 3.79 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 1H, H-5), 3.69 (d, *J* = 10.3 Hz, 1H, H-6), 3.51 (d, *J* = 10.3 Hz, 1H, H-6'), 3.48 (d, *J* = 12.4 Hz, 1H, H-2). ¹³C NMR (CD₂Cl₂, 150 MHz) δ 100.7 (C-1), 76.0 (C-5), 75.3 (C-3), 72.7 (CH₂Ph), 72.4 (CH₂Ph), 72.0 (C-4), 65.1 (C-6), 58.6 (C-2), 47.9 (CH₂Ph).

4. Glycosylation of glycosyl triflate with alcohols



The anodic oxidation was carried out in an H-type divided cell (4G glass filter) equipped with a carbon felt anode (Nippon Carbon JF-20-P7, ca. 160 mg, dried at 250 °C/1 mmHg before use) and a platinum plate cathode (10 mm x 10 mm). In the anodic chamber were placed a thioglycoside 1a (48.4 mg, 0.11 mmol) and 0.1 M Bu_4NOTf in CH_2Cl_2 (5.0 mL). In the cathodic chamber were placed trifluoromethanesulfonic acid (22 μ L, 0.25 mmol) and 0.1 M Bu₄NOTf in CH₂Cl₂ (5.0 mL). The constant current electrolysis (4.0 mA) was carried out at -78 °C with magnetic stirring. After 1.6 F/mol of electricity was consumed, methanol (20 µL, 0.5 mmol) was added to the anodic chamber and the reaction mixture was stirred for an additional 1 h at -78 °C. Et₃N (0.1 mL) was added and the mixture was filtered through a short column (2 x 3 cm) of silica gel to remove Bu₄NOTf. The removal of solvent under reduced pressure afforded β -isomer of the corresponding methyl glycoside **3** β in 76% >99% vield (29)0.084 mmol, β -selectivity). Methyl mg, 2-*N*-acetyl-4,6-di-*O*-acetyl-2,3-*N*,*O*-carbonyl-2-deoxy-β-D-glucopyranoside (3β). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 5.10 (dd, J = 9.6, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 4.97 (d, J = 6.4 Hz, 1H), 4.50 (dd, J = 12.0, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 4.29 (dd, J = 12.8, 9.6 Hz, 1H), 4.24 (dd, J = 12.0, 7.2 Hz, 1H), 4.07 (ddd, J = 8.4, 6.4, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 3.91 (dd, J = 12.8, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 3.51

(s, 3H), 2.52 (s, 3H), 2.13 (s, 3H), 2.10 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 170.2, 170.1, 169.4, 152.8, 101.2, 77.5, 74.9, 70.1, 64.0, 60.5, 56.4, 24.6, 20.9, 20.8. HRMS (EI) *m*/*z* calcd for C₁₄H₁₉NO₉ [M]⁺, 345.1060; found, 345.1057.



Glycosylation of **2a** (43.5 mg, 0.099 mmol) with ethanol (29 μL, 0.50 mmol) afforded **ethyl 2-N-acetyl-4,6-di-***O***-acetyl-2,3-***N***,***O***-carbonyl-2-deoxy-β-D-glucopyranoside (4**β) in 71% yield (25 mg, 0.070 mmol, >99% β-selectivity). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 5.10 (dd, J = 9.6, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 5.08 (d, J = 6.4 Hz, 1H), 4.51 (dd, J =12.0, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 4.29 (dd, J = 12.4, 9.6 Hz, 1H), 4.26 (dd, J = 12.0, 7.2 Hz, 1H), 4.07 (ddd, J = 8.4, 4.8, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 3.95–3.86 (m, 2H), 3.62 (ddd, J = 16.0, 9.2, 7.2 Hz, 1H), 2.52 (s, 3H), 2.13 (s, 3H), 2.09 (s, 3H), 1.24 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 170.14, 170.10, 169.4, 152.8, 99.9, 77.5, 74.9, 70.3, 64.9, 64.2, 60.8, 24.6, 20.9, 20.8, 14.9. HRMS (EI) *m/z* calcd for C₁₅H₂₁NO₉ [M+H]⁺, 360.1289; found, 360.1292.







Glycosylation of **2a** (44.5 mg, 0.102 mmol) with benzyl alcohol (52 μL, 0.50 mmol) afforded a mixture of **5α** and **5β** [2] in 89% yield (38 mg, 0.090 mmol, $\alpha/\beta = 9/91$). **Benzyl-N-acetyl-4,6-di-***O***-acetyl-2,3-***N***,***O***-carbonyl-2-deoxy-α-D-glucopyranoside (5α**). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 600 MHz) δ 7.39–7.29 (m, 5H), 5.85 (d, J = 3.4 Hz, 1H), 5.29 (t, J = 10.3 Hz, 1H), 4.73 (d, J = 11.7 Hz, 1H), 4.69 (dd, J = 11.7, 10.3 Hz, 1H), 4.63 (d, J = 11.7 Hz, 1H), 4.22 (dd, J = 12.4, 4.8, 1H), 4.06 (dd, J = 12.4, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 3.90 (dd, J = 11.7, 2.8, 1H), 3.87–3.85 (ddd, J = 9.6, 4.8, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 2.49 (s, 3H), 2.11 (d, J = 6.2 Hz, 6H). ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 150 MHz) δ 171.0, 170.6, 169.1, 152.6, 136.4, 128.6, 128.4, 128.1, 95.9, 74.3, 71.5, 70.1, 68.0, 61.5, 60.0, 23.6, 20.7, 20.6. HRMS (FAB) *m/z* calcd for C₂₀H₂₃NO₉ [M+H]⁺, 422.1446; found, 422.1438.

Benzyl 2-*N*-acetyl-4,6-di-*O*-acetyl-2,3-*N*,*O*-carbonyl-2-deoxy-α-D-glucopyranoside (5β). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 7.40–7.27 (m, 5H), 5.17 (d, J = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 5.11 (dd, J = 9.6, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 4.88 (d, J = 11.2 Hz, 1H), 4.65 (d, J = 11.2 Hz, 1H), 4.53 (dd, J = 12.0, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 4.29 (dd, J = 12.8, 9.6 Hz, 1H), 4.25 (dd, J =11.6, 6.8 Hz, 1H), 4.09 (ddd, J = 7.2, 3.6, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 4.01 (dd, J = 12.8, 6.8 Hz, 1H), 2.52 (s, 3H), 2.13 (s, 3H), 2.00 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 170.1, 170.0, 169.3, 152.8, 136.3, 128.3, 128.0, 127.9, 99.5, 77.6, 74.9, 71.0, 70.2, 64.1, 60.5, 24.6, 20.83, 20.79.





Glycosylation of **2a** (43.7 mg, 0.10 mmol) with 2,2,2-trifluoroethanol (36 µL, 0.49 mmol) afforded a mixture of **6a** and **6β** in 82% yield (33.8 mg, 0.082 mmol, $\alpha/\beta = 15/85$). **2',2',2'-Trifluoroethyl 2-N-acetyl-4,6-di**-*O*-acetyl-2,3-*N*,*O*-carbonyl-2-deoxy- α -D-glucopyranoside (6 α). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 600 MHz) δ 5.79 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz, 1H), 5.33 (t, *J* = 10.3 Hz, 1H), 4.64 (dd, *J* = 11.7, 10.3 Hz, 1H), 4.25 (dd, *J* = 12.4, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 4.18 (dd, *J* = 12.4, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 4.07–4.00 (m, 2H), 3.96–3.93 (ddd, *J* = 8.9, 4.1, 2.1 Hz, 1H), 3.90 (dd, *J* = 11.7, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 2.51 (s, 3H), 2.14 (s, 3H), 2.10 (s, 3H) ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 150 MHz) δ 171.1, 170.5, 169.1, 152.3, 124.0 (q, *J* = 275.7 Hz), 96.5, 73.7, 70.9, 67.7, 66.3 (q, *J* = 34.5 Hz), 61.3, 59.5, 23.5, 20.6, 20.6. HRMS (EI) *m*/z calcd for C₁₅H₁₈F₃NO₉ [M+NH₄]⁺, 431.1272; found, 431.1269.

2',2',2'-Trifluoroethyl 2-*N***-acetyl-4,6-di***-O***-acetyl-2,3-***N*,*O***-carbonyl-2-deoxyβ-D-glucopyranoside** (**6β**); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 5.22 (d, J = 6.4 Hz, 1H), 5.10 (dd, J = 9.6, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 4.55 (dd, J = 11.6, 4.4 Hz, 1H), 4.31 (dd, J =12.8, 9.6 Hz, 1H), 4.23 (dd, J = 11.6, 7.6 Hz, 1H), 4.18–4.11 (m, 2H), 4.09–4.04 (m, 1H), 4.00 (dd, J = 12.8, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 2.53 (s, 3H), 2.14 (s, 3H), 2.10 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 170.3, 170.2, 169.7, 152.6, 123.3 (q, J = 276.1Hz), 100.1, 78.5, 74.2, 70.1, 66.0 (q, J = 34.9 Hz), 64.2, 60.0, 24.3, 20.6. HRMS (EI) m/z calcd for C₁₅H₁₈F₃NO₉ [M]⁺, 413.0934; found, 414.1006.

5. Electrochemical glycosylation in the presence of glycosyl acceptor



The anodic oxidation was carried out in an H-type divided cell (4G glass filter) equipped with a carbon felt anode (Nippon Carbon JF-20-P7, ca. 160 mg, dried at 250 °C/1 mmHg before use) and a platinum plate cathode (10 mm x 10 mm). In the anodic chamber were placed a thioglycoside **1a** (52.4 mg, 0.12 mmol), glycosyl acceptor **3** (46.2 mg, 0.099 mmol), and 0.1 M Bu₄NOTf in CH₂Cl₂ (5.0 mL). In the cathodic chamber were placed trifluoromethanesulfonic acid (18 μ L, 0.20 mmol) and 0.1 M Bu₄NOTf in CH₂Cl₂ (5.0 mL). In the constant current electrolysis (4.0 mA) was carried out at -78 °C with magnetic stirring. After 1.0 F/mol of electricity was consumed, Et₃N (0.5 mL) was added and the reaction mixture was filtered through a short column (2 x 3 cm) of silica gel to remove Bu₄NOTf. The removal of solvent under reduced pressure afforded the β-isomer of the corresponding disaccharide **8α** [4]/**8β** [4] in 36% NMR yield (**8α/8β** 46:54) (Table 3, entry 1).



Methyl 2-N-acetyl-4,6-di-O-acetyl-2,3-N,O-carbonyl-2-deoxy-α-Dglucopyranosyl- $(1\rightarrow 6)$ -2,3,4-tri-O-benzyl- α -D-glucopyranoside **(8α)**. ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 7.36–7.22 (m, 15H), 5.76 (d, J = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 5.25 (dd, J = 10.0, 9.6 Hz, 1H), 5.00 (d, J = 11.2 Hz, 1H), 4.86 (d, J = 11.6 Hz, 1H), 4.79 (d, J = 10.4 Hz, 1H), 4.76 (d, J = 11.6 Hz, 1H), 4.67 (d, J = 12.0 Hz, 1H), 4.58 (d, J = 3.2 Hz, 1H), 4.56 (d, J = 10.8 Hz, 1H), 4.49 (dd, J = 12.0, 10.4 Hz, 1H), 4.14 (dd, J = 12.4, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 4.09 (dd, J = 12.4, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 3.98 (dd, J = 9.6, 8.8 Hz, 1H), 3.85 (ddd, J = 9.6, 4.0, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 3.80 (dd, J = 12.4, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 3.78 (d, J = 3.6 Hz, 1H), 3.71 (*pseudo* dt, *J* = 10.0, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 3.51 (dd, *J* = 9.6, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 3.35 (s, 3H), 3.30 (dd, J = 10.0, 8.8 Hz, 1H), 2.40 (s, 3H), 2.11 (s, 3H), 2.02 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 170.7, 170.3, 168.9, 152.5, 138.5, 137.8, 137.7, 128.3, 128.28, 128.25, 127.9, 127.8, 127.78, 127.75, 127.70, 127.5, 97.7, 95.4, 81.9, 79.7, 77.0, 75.6, 74.6, 73.9, 73.2, 69.9 (2C), 68.0, 66.9, 61.5, 59.9, 55.2, 23.7, 20.79, 20.75.



Methyl 2-N-acetyl-4,6-di-O-acetyl-2,3-N,O-carbonyl-2-deoxy-β-Dglucopyranosyl- $(1\rightarrow 6)$ -2,3,4-tri-O-benzyl- α -D-glucopyranoside (8β). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 7.34–7.24 (m, 15H), 5.15 (dd, J = 9.6, 4.4 Hz, 1H), 4.99 (d, J = 11.2 Hz, 1H), 4.96 (d, J = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 4.89 (d, J = 11.2 Hz, 1H), 4.81 (d, J = 10.8 Hz, 1H), 4.78 (d, J = 12.4 Hz, 1H), 4.72 (d, J = 11.2 Hz, 1H), 4.67 (d, J = 12.4 Hz, 1H), 4.64 (d, J = 3.6 Hz, 1H), 4.39 (dd, J = 12.0, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 4.26 (dd, J = 12.0, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 4.21 (dd, J = 12.4, 9.6 Hz, 1H), 4.02–3.95 (m, 4H), 3.79 (dd, J = 10.8, 4.4 Hz, 1H), 3.74 (ddd, J = 9.6, 4.0, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 3.58 (dd, J = 9.6, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 3.54 (dd, J = 9.6, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 3.37 (s, 3H), 2.46 (s, 3H), 2.12 (s, 3H), 2.01 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 170.3, 170.0, 169.4, 153.1, 138.8, 138.7, 138.2, 128.4, 128.3, 128.1, 127.9, 127.8, 127.6, 127.5, 100.3, 97.9, 82.1, 79.9, 77.3, 77.1, 75.6, 75.2, 74.6, 73.2, 69.8, 69.6, 64.1, 60.4, 55.2, 24.5, 20.8, 20.7.



Electrochemical glycosylation of **1a** (52.6 mg, 0.120 mmol) with glycosyl acceptor **7** (46.4 mg, 0.100 mmol) at 0 °C afforded disaccharide **8a** in 59% NMR yield together with *p*-methylphenyl 2-*N*-acetyl-4,6-di-*O*-acetyl-2,3-*N*,*O*-carbonyl-2-deoxy-1-thio- α -D-

glucopyranoside (9) in 21% yield (11.3 mg, 0.025 mmol) after purification by silica gel chromatography (Table 3, entry 4). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 7.30 (m, 2H), 7.13 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 6.12 (d, *J* = 4.0, 1H), 5.30 (dd, *J* = 10.0, 9.2 Hz, 1H), 4.47 (dd, *J* = 12.0, 10.0 Hz, 1H), 4.38–4.43 (m, 1H), 4.33 (dd, J = 12.0, 4.8 Hz, 1H), 4.16 (m, 2H) 2.55 (s, 3H), 2.34 (s, 3H), 2.15 (s, 3H), 2.08 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 171.0, 170.5, 169.2, 152.5, 138.7, 133.2, 130.1, 128.0, 86.5, 75.9, 70.2, 67.9, 61.7, 59.9, 23.8, 21.2, 20.7, 20.6. HRMS (FAB) *m*/*z* calcd for C₂₀H₂₃NO₈S [M+H]⁺, 438.1217; found, 438.1212.



Electrochemical glycosylation of **1a** (52.5 mg, 0.12 mmol) with glycosyl acceptor **7** (46.2 mg, 0.10 mmol) at -78 °C in the presence of DTBMP afforded glucal **10** in 24% NMR yield as a major byproduct derived from **1a** (Table 3, entry 2). **2-N-acetyl-4,6-di-O-acetyl-2,3-***N*,*O*-**carbonyl -D-glucal** (**10**). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 7.31 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 5.42 (dd, *J* = 10.4, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 5.08 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 4.33 (dd, *J* = 12.4, 4.0 Hz, 1H), 4.23 (dd, *J* = 12.4, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 4.15 (ddd, *J* = 10.0, 4.0, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 2.56 (s, 3H), 2.15 (s, 3H), 2.09 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 170.2, 168.6, 168.3, 151.8, 132.5, 111.6. 74.5, 72.9, 66.0, 61.3, 24.1, 20.8. HRMS (EI) *m*/*z* calcd for C₁₃H₁₅NO₈, 313.0798; found, 313.0800.

6. Triflic acid mediated isomerization of β -isomer to α -isomer



The crude mixture of electrochemical glycosylation $8\alpha/8\beta$ (0.094 mmol, $8\alpha/8\beta$ 3:97) was treated with TfOH (0.094 mmol, 8 µL) and 0.1 M Bu₄NOTf in CH₂Cl₂ (5.0 mL) at 0 °C for 1 h. Then Et₃N (0.5 mL) was added and the removal of solvent under reduced pressure afforded the α -isomer of the corresponding disaccharide 8α as a single product in 83% NMR yield.

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