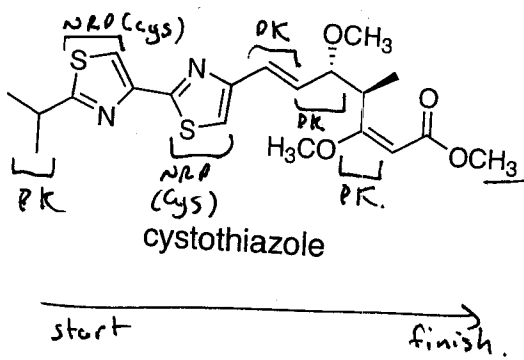
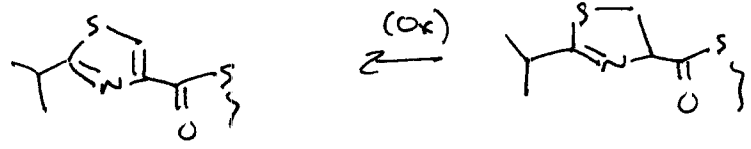
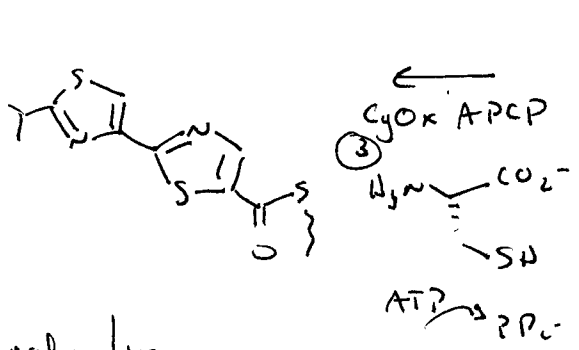
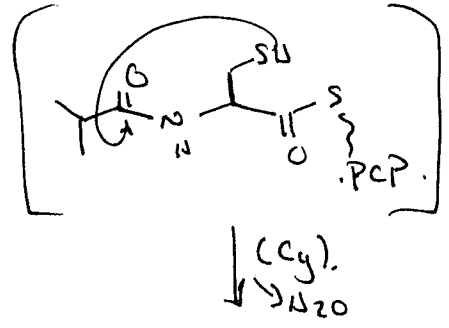
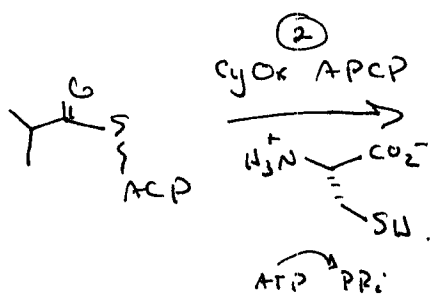
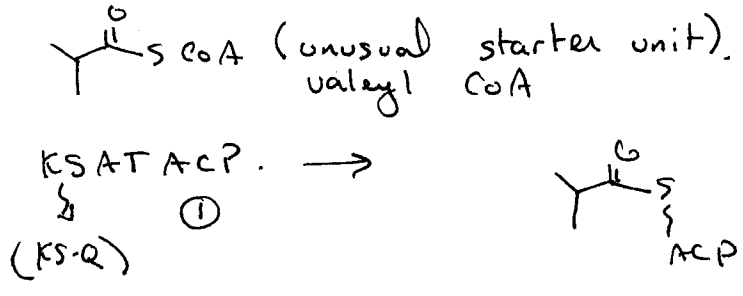


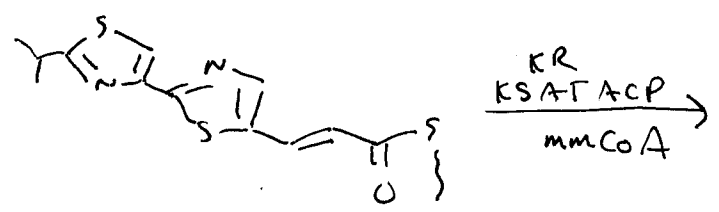
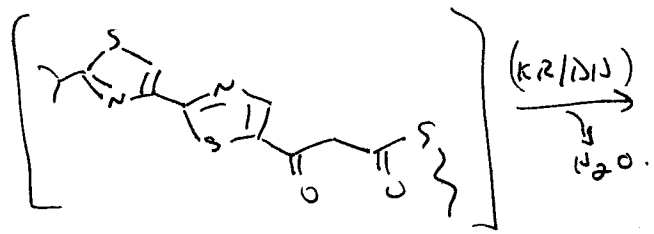
PK = polyketide  
 NRP = nonrib. peptide



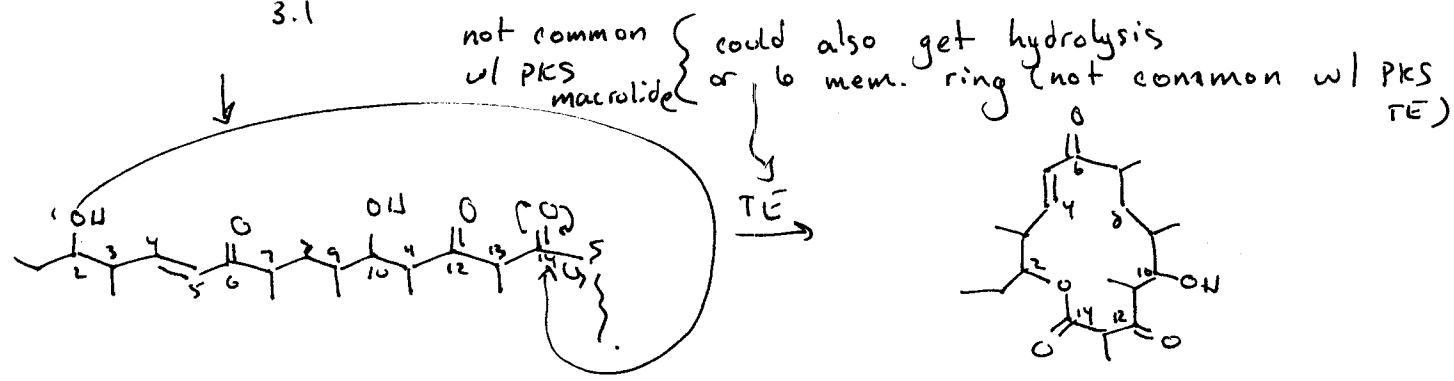
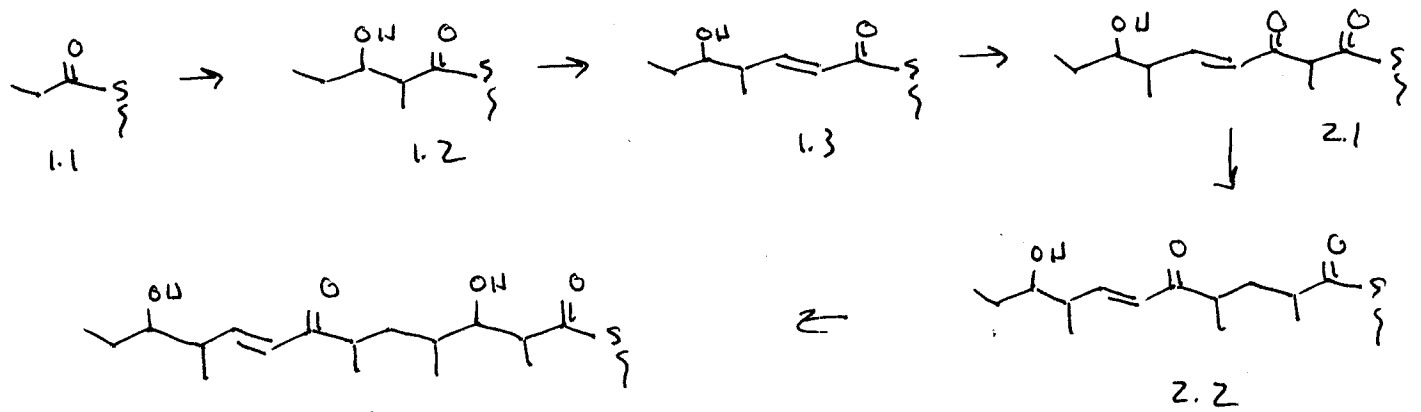
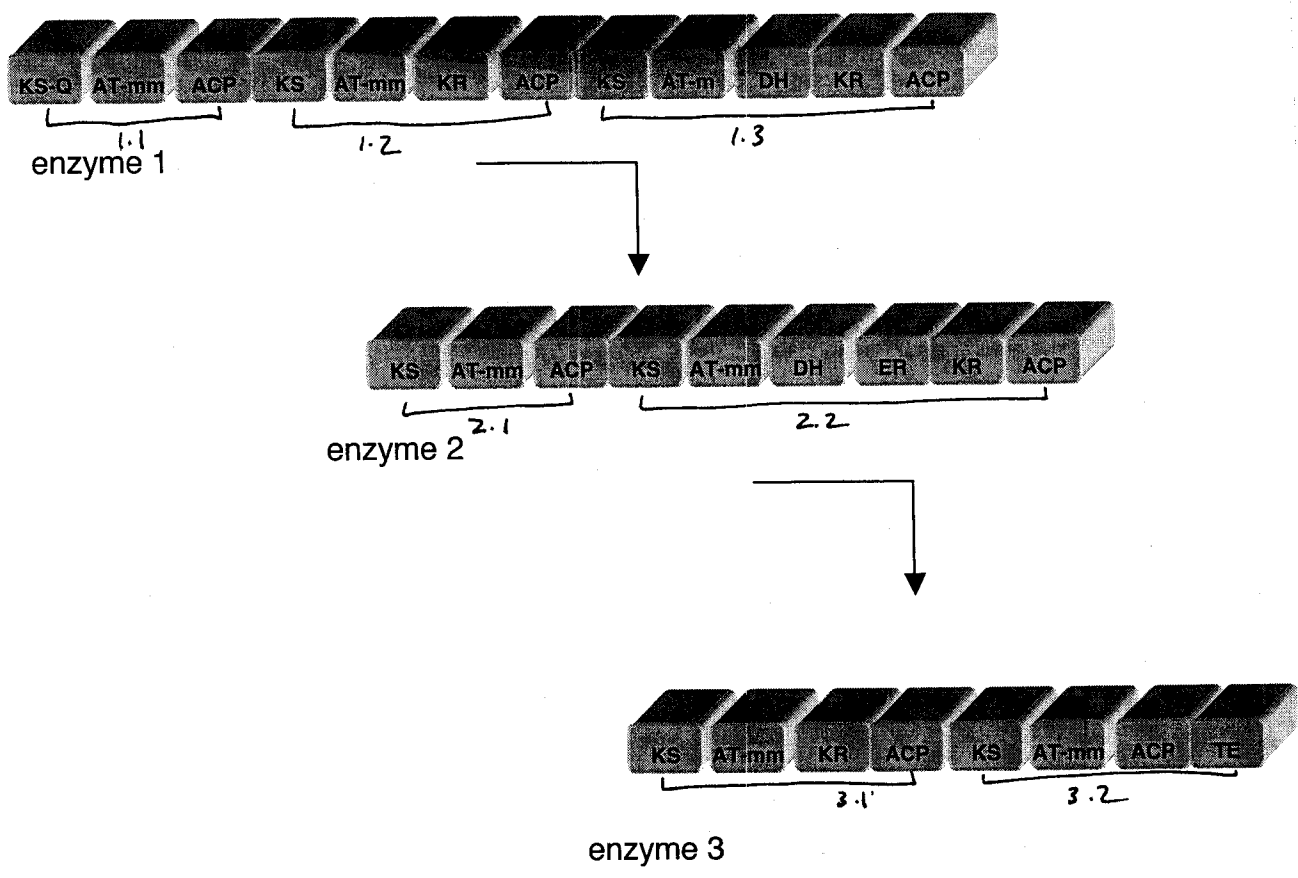
precursor is carboxylic acid. so this is last step.



nal-CoA  
 KS  
 AT  
 KR  
 DU  
 ACP

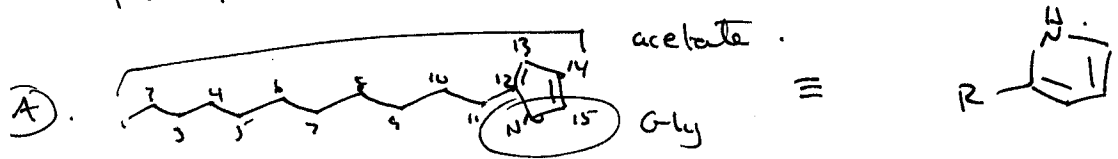


#2 See for example Chem Rev (2005) 105 543-558



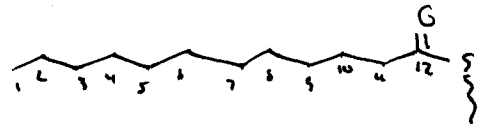
can't predict stereochem from protein sequence -  
 see ref for actual stereocenters

#3 See reference Chem Biol (2001) 8 817-829 for further discussion.

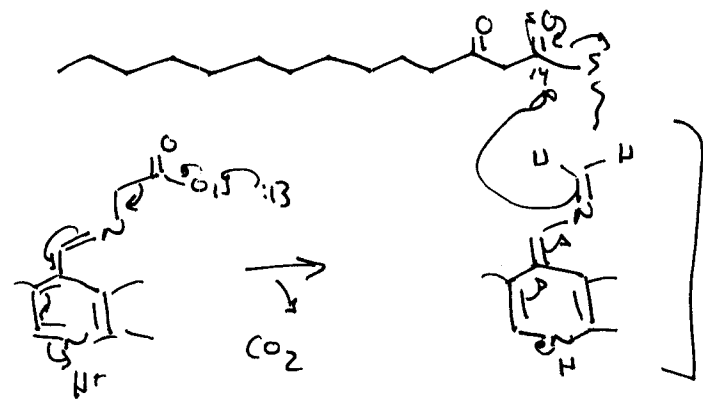
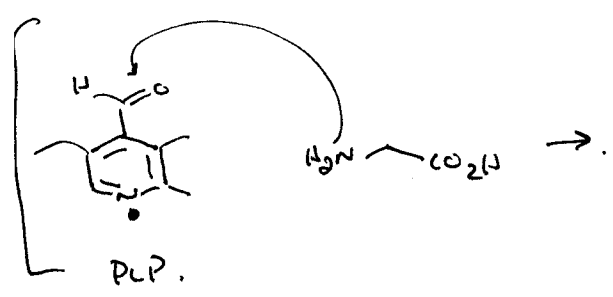


PK synthesis

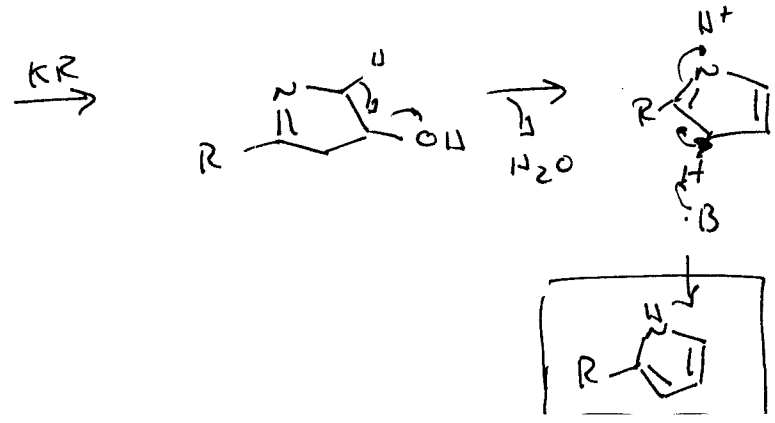
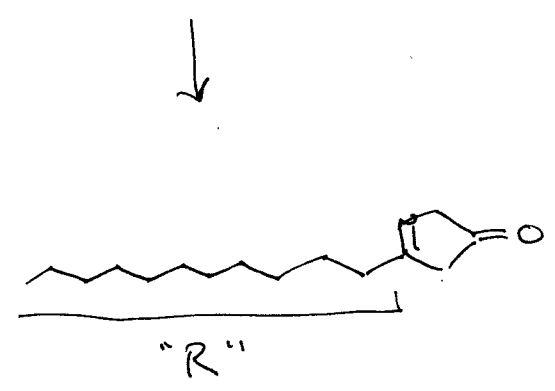
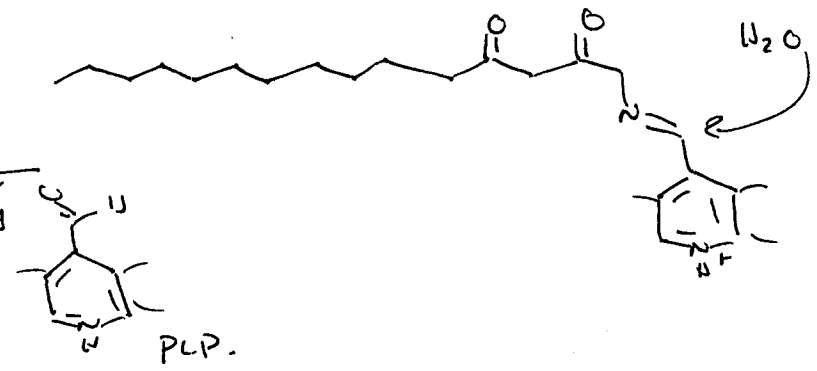
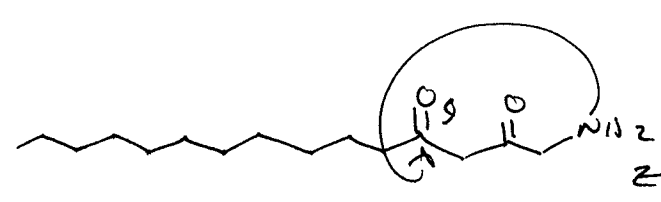
**KSRDHSRATACP**  
m CoA



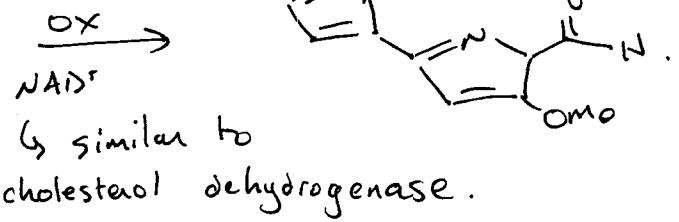
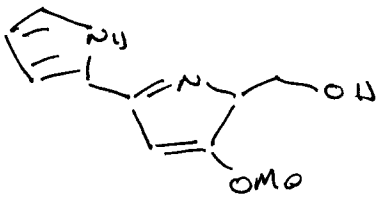
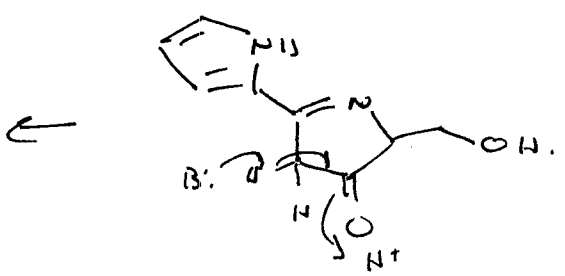
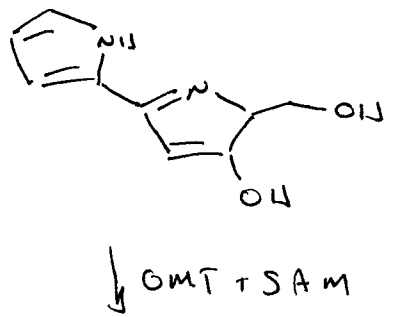
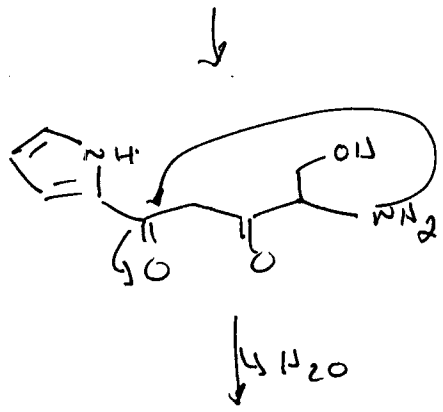
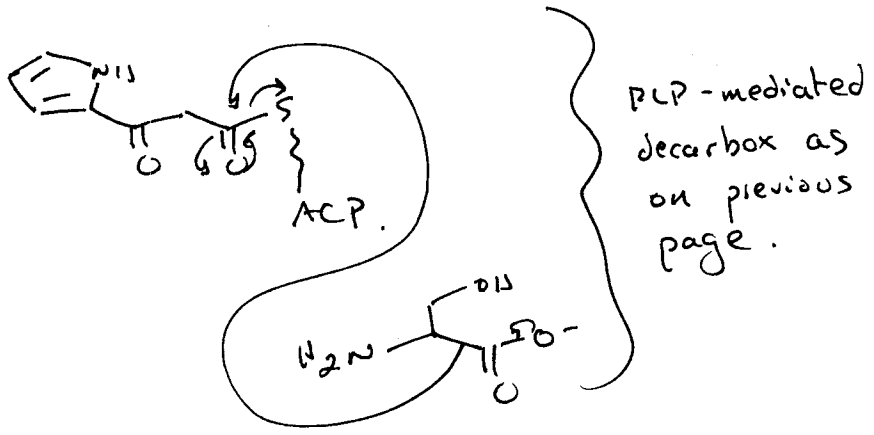
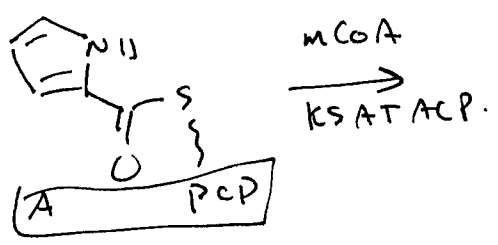
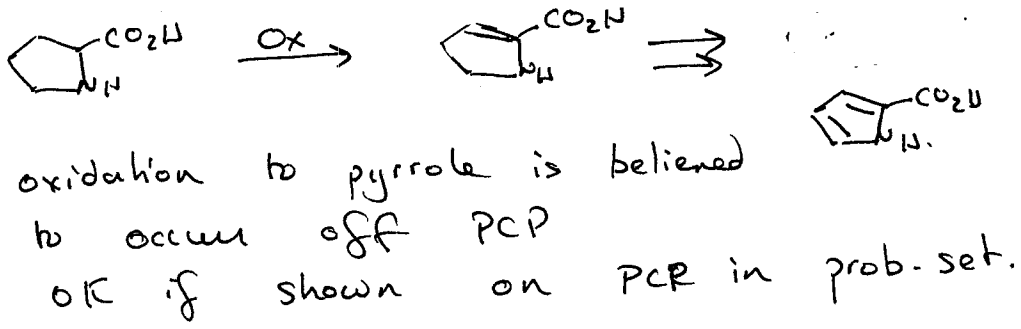
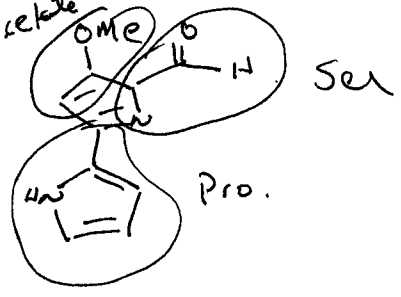
**KSATACP**  
m CoA



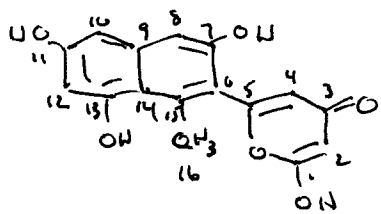
$\rightarrow$  SW-ACP.



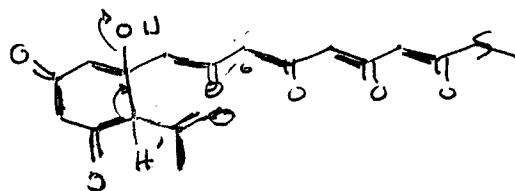
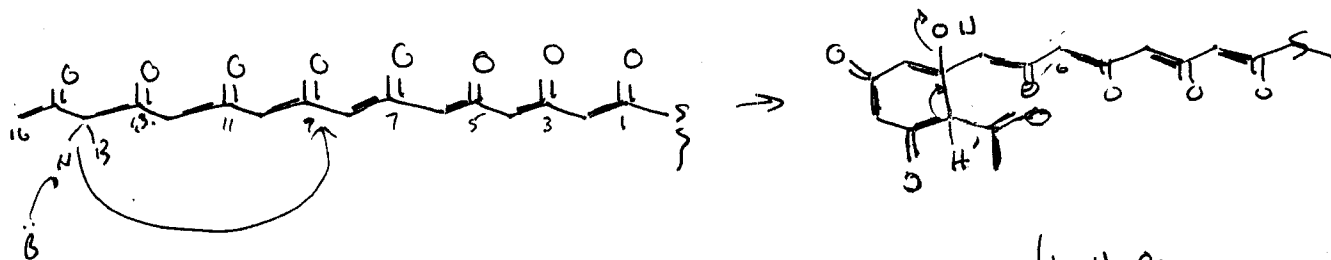
#3 cont. (B)



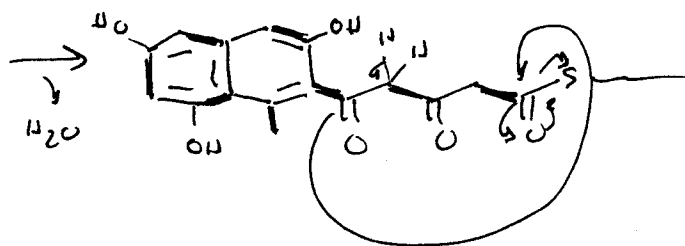
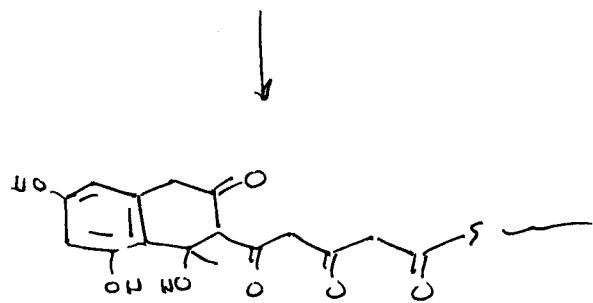
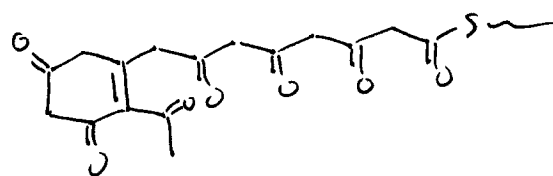
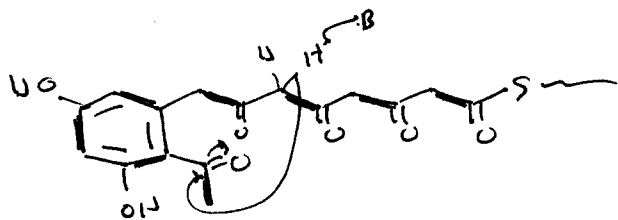
(#4) See JACS (1995) 117 6811-6821



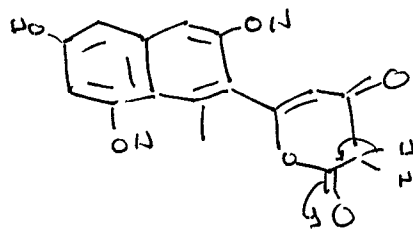
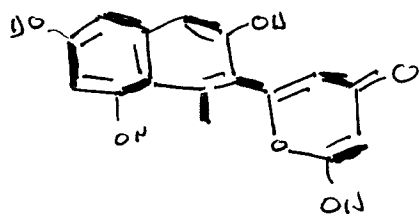
16 carbons  
bonds 9-14  
15-6  
0-5



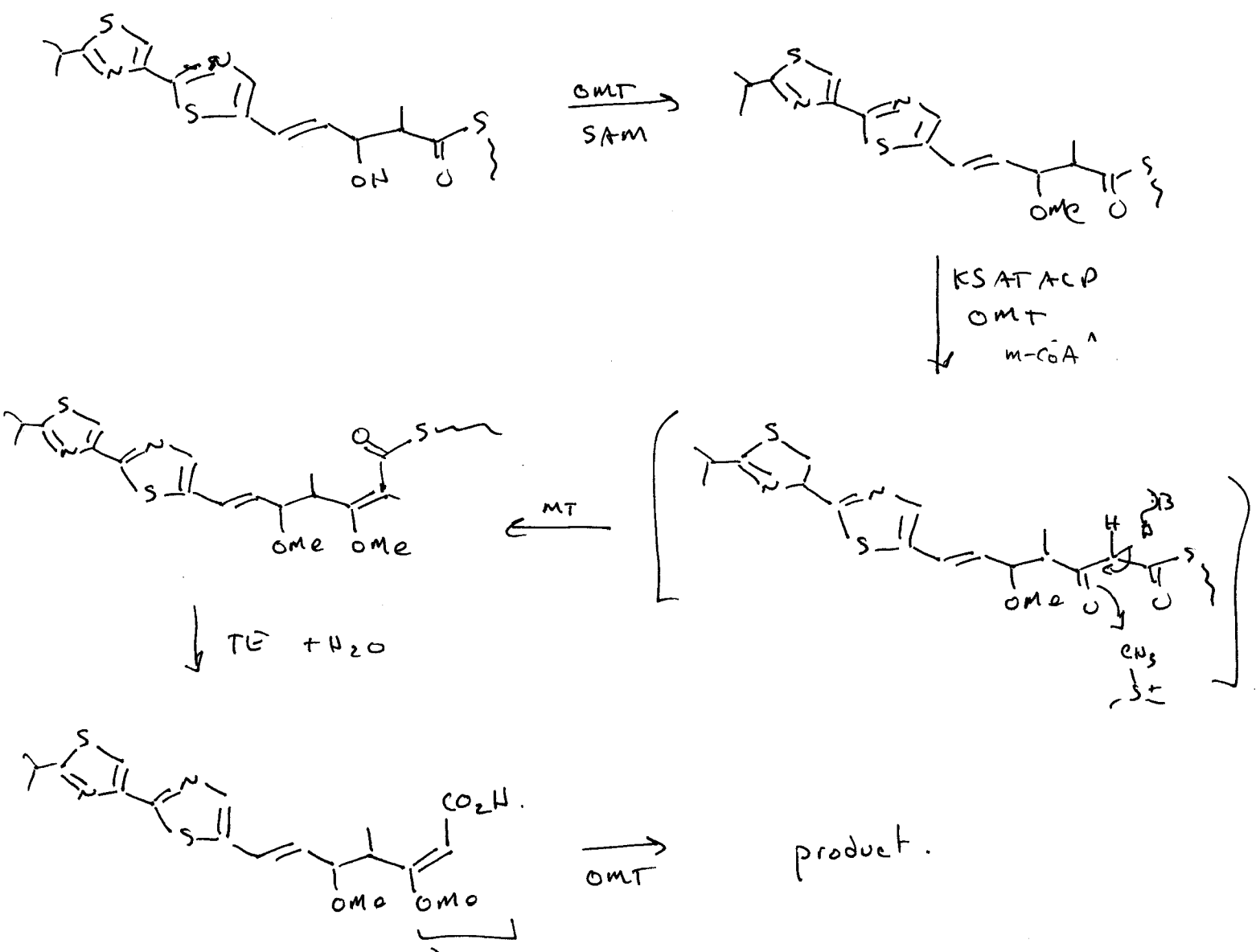
↓ H<sub>2</sub>O



↓ WS-ACP



4) (con't)



→ in actuality, an additional glyceric is added, oxidatively cleaved to yield an amide, hydrolyzed to the acid + then methylated.