Alternating Current (AC) Electrolysis toward ORGANIC SYHTHESES Alters Future

R^1-H + R^2-H R^1-R^2 + H_2

Green Dream











$R-H \longrightarrow [R-H]^{+}$







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N-H

cat. [Co], Livided cell cat. [Co], undivided cell



gram scale synthesis



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Alternant potential pattern 0.50 V: n.d. (oxidizing Ag⁰) 0.75 V: 4% (oxidizing Ag⁰) 1.00 V: 9% (oxidizing Ag⁰ and DABCO) .25 V: 42% (oxidizing Ag¹ and DABCO)

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H₂ **▲**

2H+

Cross-coupling

5-12 mA, $I_{posi} \leq I_{neg}$ 1/90 Hz, D = 83% Lei* et al., Science. 2024, 385, 216-223





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85% 10.7 D/molecule



91% 10.7 D/molecule



65% 10.8 D/molecule



cov. > 99% 11.3 D/molecule

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