

## C–C and C–N Couplings in Reactions of the Benzylidyne-Bridged Complex [Mo<sub>2</sub>Cp<sub>2</sub>(μ-CPh)(μ-PCy<sub>2</sub>)(CO)<sub>2</sub>] with Small Unsaturated Organics

The ability of the title compound to promote C–C coupling processes has been analyzed by examining its reactions with diazoalkanes, alkynes, and other unsaturated organic molecules. The title compound reacted with N<sub>2</sub>CPh<sub>2</sub> at room temperature to give a mixture of ketylenyl complex [Mo<sub>2</sub>Cp<sub>2</sub>{μ-κ<sup>1</sup>:η<sup>2</sup>-C(Ph)CO}(μ-PCy<sub>2</sub>)(CO)(κ<sup>1</sup>-N<sub>2</sub>CPh<sub>2</sub>)] and carbyne complex [Mo<sub>2</sub>Cp<sub>2</sub>(μ-CPh)(μ-PCy<sub>2</sub>)(CO)(κ<sup>1</sup>-N<sub>2</sub>CPh<sub>2</sub>)], products which can be converted into each other by addition/removal of CO, respectively. In contrast, denitrogenation took place rapidly in analogous reactions with diazomethane and benzylazide at room temperature, to yield, respectively, the corresponding alkenyl [Mo<sub>2</sub>Cp<sub>2</sub>{μ-κ<sup>1</sup>:η<sup>2</sup>-C(Ph)CH<sub>2</sub>}(μ-PCy<sub>2</sub>)(CO)<sub>2</sub>] and iminoacyl [Mo<sub>2</sub>Cp<sub>2</sub>{μ-C(Ph)NCH<sub>2</sub>Ph}(μ-PCy<sub>2</sub>)(CO)<sub>2</sub>] derivatives, following from selective C–C and C–N couplings. The title compound reacted at 333 K with methyl propiolate to give the corresponding propenylylidene derivative [Mo<sub>2</sub>Cp<sub>2</sub>{μ-κ<sup>2</sup>:η<sup>3</sup>-CPhCHC(CO<sub>2</sub>Me)}(μ-PCy<sub>2</sub>)(CO)<sub>2</sub>], as a result of selective coupling of the carbyne ligand to the terminal carbon of the alkyne. A related complex could be obtained when using the internal alkyne dimethyl acetylenedicarboxylate.

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