

A Photo-enzymatic cascade to transform racemic alcohols into enantiomerically pure amines

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Experimental section

Materials

Unless stated otherwise, the used chemicals were bought from Sigma Aldrich, Alfa Aesar, Fluka and used as received. The ω -transaminases were prepared by Tanja Knaus and Francesco Mutti and applied as received.

Expression of ω -transaminases

E. coli BL21 DE3 strain was used for the expression of *At* ω TA (ω TA from *Aspergillus terreus*, in pET21a, C-term His6-tag), *Bm* ω TA (ω TA from *Bacillus megaterium* SC6394, pET28b, N-term His6-tag), *Cv* ω TA (ω TA from *Chromobacterium violaceum* DSM 30191, pET28b, N-term His6-tag), *Pf* ω TA (ω TA from *Pseudomonas fluorescens*, pET21a, no tag) and *Vf* ω TA (ω TA from *Vibrio fluvialis*, pET28b,

N-term His6-tag). 800 mL of LB medium supplemented with the appropriate antibiotic (100 μ g/mL ampicillin for pET21a and 50 μ g/mL kanamycin for pET28b) were inoculated with 15 mL of an overnight culture harboring the desired vector with genes for the expression of the ω TAs. Cells were grown at 37 °C until an OD₆₀₀ of 0.6-0.8 was reached and expression of proteins was induced by the addition of IPTG (0.5 mM). Cells were grown overnight at 25 °C and harvested by centrifugation (4 °C, 4500 rpm and 15 min). The pellets were resuspended in phosphate buffer (100 mM, pH 7.0) containing 0.5 mM PLP and lyophilized.

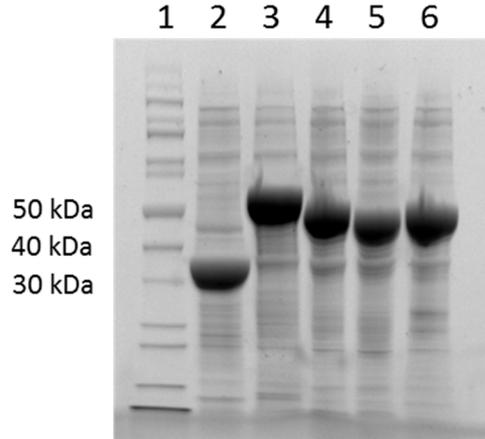


Figure S1: SDS-Page for the expression of the ω TAs. Lane 1: PageRuler™ Unstained Protein Ladder (ThermoFisher Scientific); lane 2: At- ω TA; lane 3: Bm- ω TA; lane 4: Cv- ω TA; lane 5: Pf- ω TA, lane 6: Vf ω TA

Measurements

Gas chromatography (GC)

The used systems are summarized in Table 1. The details of the analysis are summarized in the Analytics chapter.

Table S1: Used GC systems.

#	Machine	Column	Detector	Carrier gas
1	Shimadzu GC-2010 Plus	CP Wax 52CB (25 m × 0.25 mm × 1.2 μ m)	FID	N ₂
2	Shimadzu GC-2010 Plus	HYDRODEX β TBDAC (50 m × 0.25 mm × 0.25 μ m)	FID	H ₂
3	Shimadzu GC-2010	LIPODEX E (50 m × 0.25 mm × 0.25 μ m)	FID	H ₂
4	Shimadzu GC-2014	CP Sil 5 CB (50 m × 0.53 mm × 1.0 μ m)	FID	N ₂

5	Shimadzu GC- 2010 Plus	Chirasil Dex CB (25 m × 0.32 mm × 0.25 μm	FID	H ₂
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Photocatalyst synthesis and characterization

Sodium anthraquinone-2-sulfonate (SAS)

SAS was bought from Sigma Aldrich ($\geq 98\%$ by HPLC) and used as received.

FT-IR spectrum

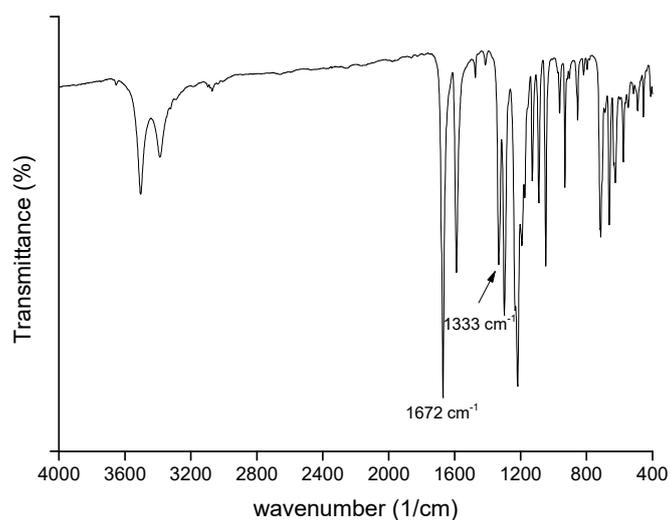


Figure S2: FT-IR spectrum of SAS. The characteristic stretching peaks of the ketone groups (1672 cm^{-1}) and the sulfonate group (1333 cm^{-1}) are visible.

Graphitic carbon nitride ($\text{g-C}_3\text{N}_4$)

Synthesis

10 g of urea (Riedel –de Haen; 99 %) was weighed into a ceramic crucible and covered with another one. The system was heated in a furnace (Carbolite CWF 1200 with a Eurotherm 2416 CG PID controller) according to the following program: from room temperature samples were heated up with $5 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}/\text{min}$ to $550 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ and kept at temperature for 4 h. Samples were cooled down with $10 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}/\text{min}$ to room temperature.

FT-IR spectrum

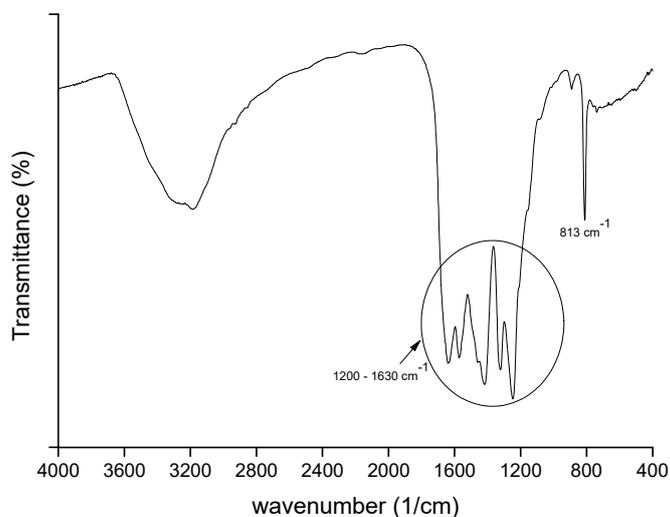


Figure S3: FT-IR spectrum of g-C₃N₄. The peak at 813 cm⁻¹ is characteristic to the stretching mode of the s-triazine ring, while the peaks between 1200 and 1630 cm⁻¹ are assigned to the stretching vibration modes of the C-N and C=N heterocycles [1].

XRD spectrum

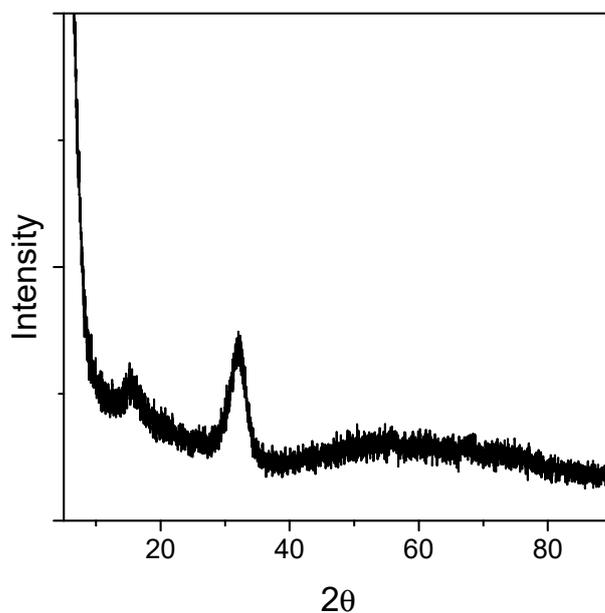


Figure S4: XRD spectrum of g-C₃N₄. The characteristic peak is visible at 2θ = 32. Please note that there is a shift in the spectrum compared to the literature due to the used Co Kα radiation (1.789 Å) source [2] [1].

Graphitic carbon nitride doped with vanadium oxide (g-C₃N₄-VO)

Synthesis

10 g of urea (Riedel –de Haen; 99 %) was weighed into a ceramic crucible and covered with another one. The system was heated in a furnace (Carbolite CWF 1200 with a Eurotherm 2416 CG PID controller) according to the following program: from room temperature samples were heated up with 5 °C/min to 550 °C and kept at temperature for 4 h. Samples were cooled down with 10 °C/min to room temperature. Next, 0.1 g of the formed g-C₃N₄ was dispersed in 10 ml 50 % methanol-water mixture with 0.053 g (0.2 mmol) vanadyl(IV)acetylacetonate (Acros organics; >99 %). The system was stirred on a magnetic stirrer for 4 h. Eventually, the mixture was centrifuged and washed with 2*10 ml methanol. The sample was dried at 70 °C overnight.

FT-IR spectrum

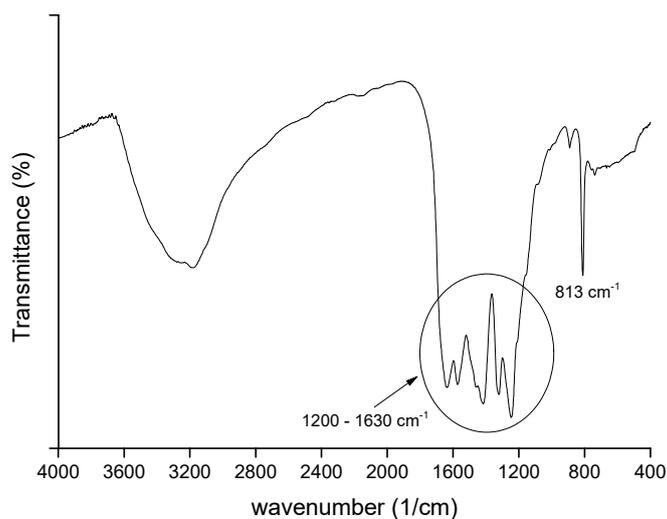


Figure S5: FT-IR spectrum of g-C₃N₄. The peaks at 813 cm⁻¹ is characteristic to the stretching mode of the s-triazine ring, while the peaks between 1200 and 1630 cm⁻¹ are characteristic to the stretching vibration modes of the C-N and C=N heterocycles [1].

XRD spectrum

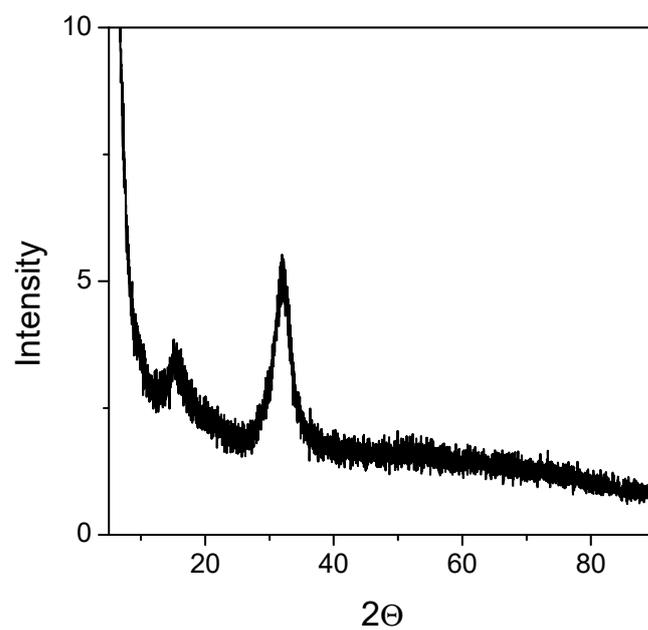


Figure S6: XRD spectrum of g-C₃N₄-VO. The characteristic peak is visible at $2\Theta = 32$. Please note that there is a shift in the spectrum compared to the literature due to the used Co K α radiation (1.789 Å) source [3].

Control reactions

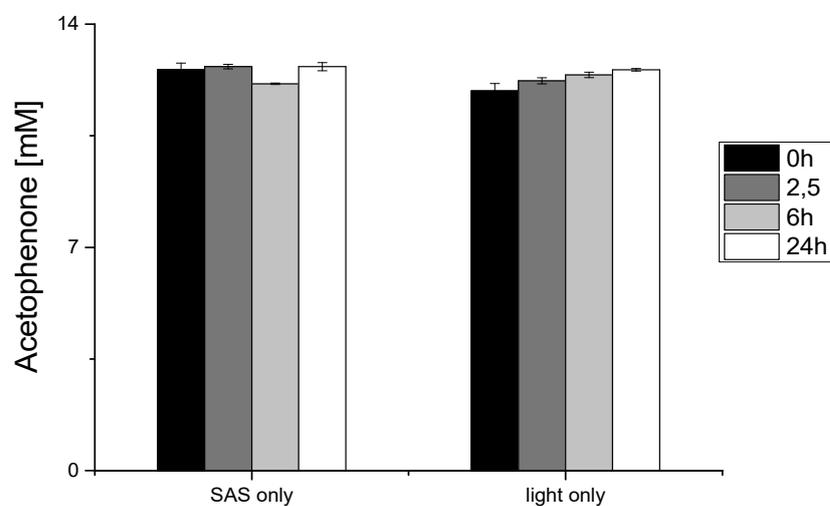


Figure S7: Effect of evaporation on the acetophenone concentration during the photo-oxidation of 1-phenylethanol. Reaction conditions: 1 ml MilliQ water with [Acetophenone] = 11 mM and [SAS] = 1.5 mM. Both reactions were incubated at 30 °C.

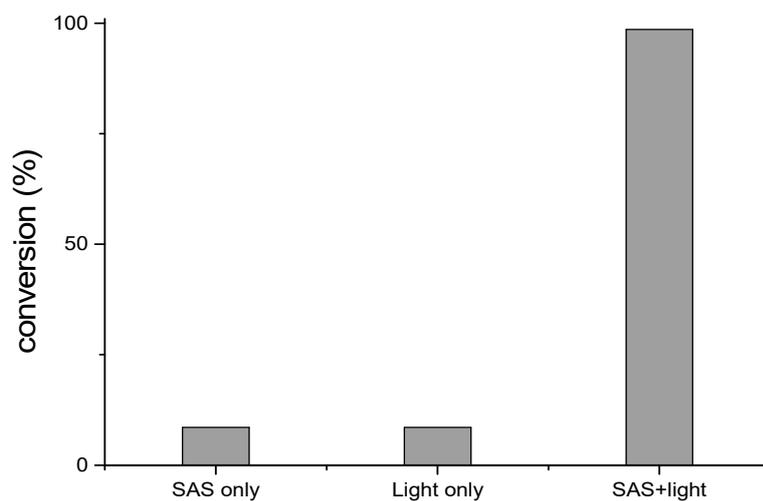


Figure S8: Control reaction of the photooxidation. Reaction conditions: 1 ml MilliQ water with [1-phenylethanol] = 15 mM, [SAS] = 1.5 mM. Reactions were incubated at 30 °C, irradiated with white light ($\lambda > 400$ nm) and stirred gently with a magnetic stirrer.

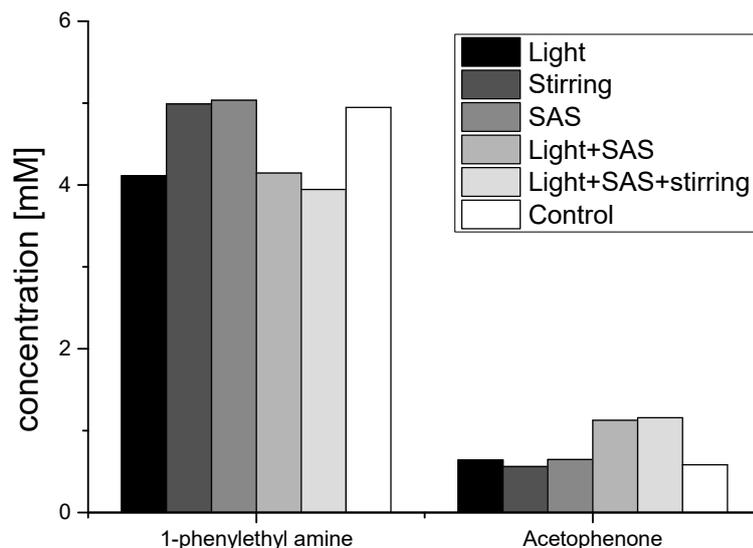


Figure S9: Effect of the circumstances of the photooxidation on the efficiency of the reductive amination. Reaction conditions: 1 ml pH 9 reaction mixture containing [NaPI] = 100 mM, [acetophenone] = 6 mM [SAS] = 0.75 mM, [IPRA] = 1 M, [PLP] = 1 mM, [crude cell extract overexpressed with *BM ω TA* enzyme] = 10 mg/ml. Samples were incubated at 30°C, irradiated with white light ($\lambda > 400$ nm) and stirred gently with a magnetic stirrer.

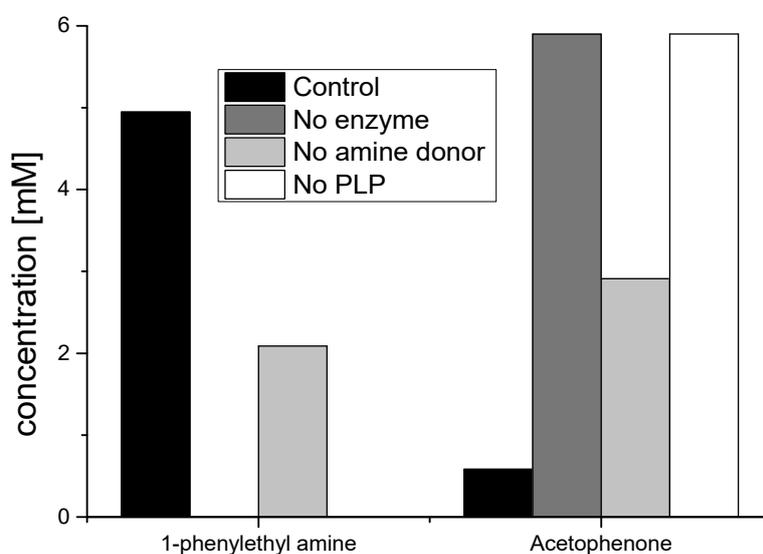


Figure S10: Control reaction of the reductive amination. Reaction conditions: 1 ml pH 9 reaction mixture containing [NaPI] = 100 mM, [acetophenone] = 6 mM, [SAS] = 0.75 mM, [IPRA] = 1 M, [PLP] = 1 mM, [crude cell extract overexpressed with *BM ω TA* enzyme] = 10 mg/ml. Samples were incubated at 30°C and shaken on a thermal shaker.

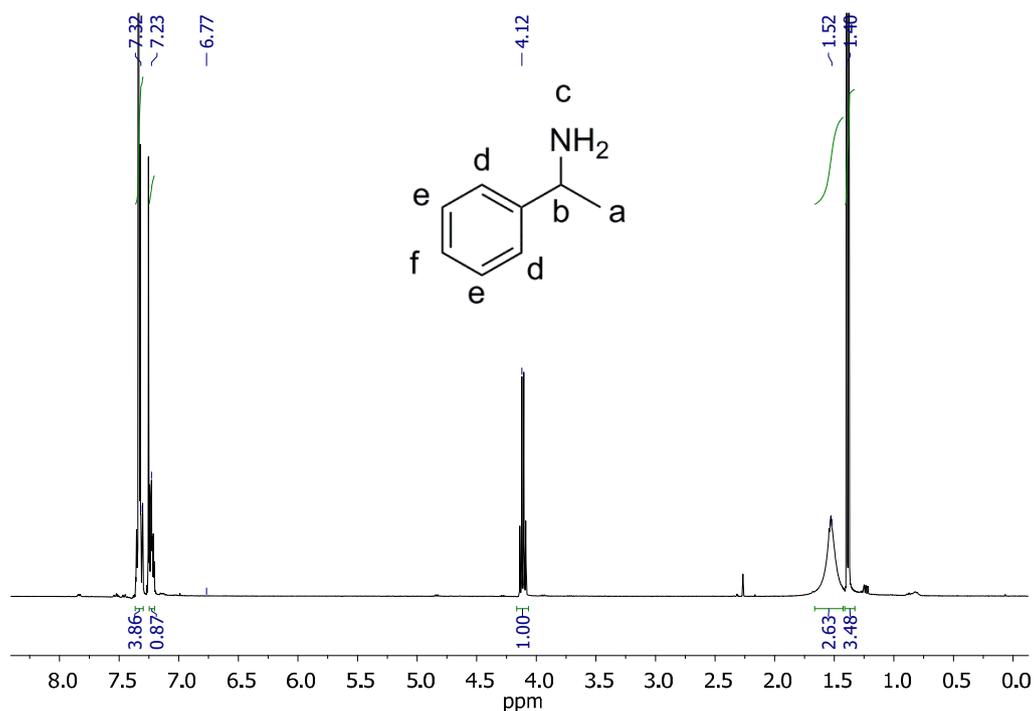


Figure S11: ¹H NMR spectrum of 1-phenylethyl amine. Protons: a = 1.16 ppm; b = 4.12 ppm; d & e = 7.32 ppm, f = 7.23 ppm. Deuterated CH₂Cl₂ was used as a solvent.

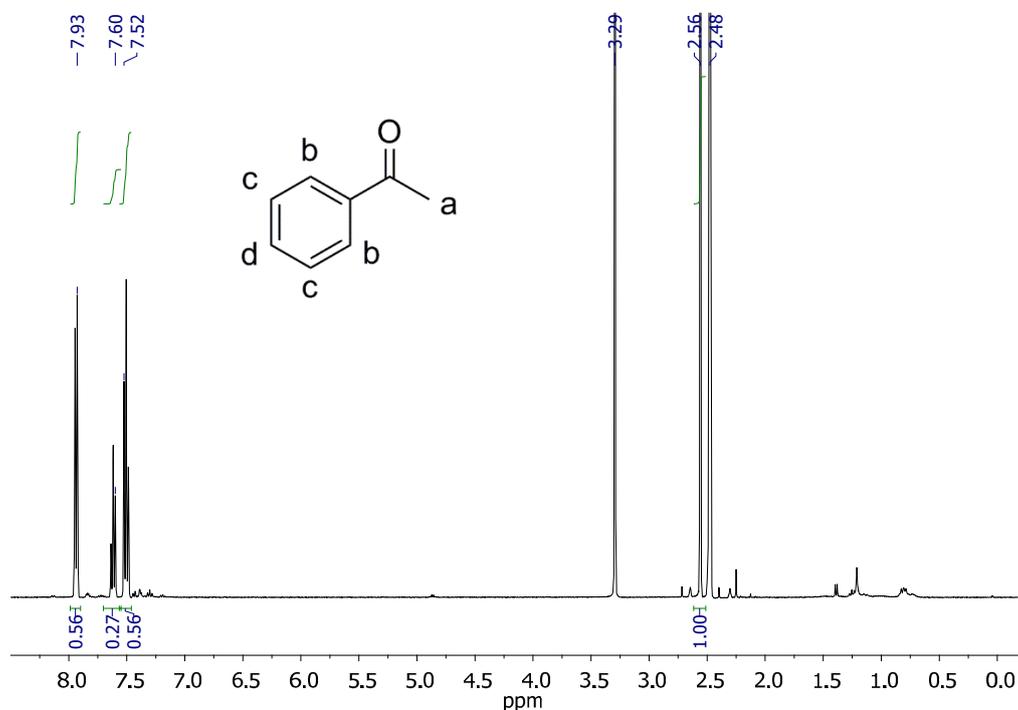


Figure S12: ¹H NMR spectrum of oxidation of 1-phenylethylamine. Protons: a = 2.48 ppm; b = 7.93 ppm; c = 7.52 ppm; d = 7.60 ppm. Deuterated DMSO was used as a solvent. Reaction conditions: 1 ml MilliQ water with [1-Phenylethyl amine] = 15 mM, [SAS] = 1.5 mM. The reaction was incubated at 30 °C, irradiated with white light ($\lambda > 400$ nm) and stirred gently with a magnetic stirrer.

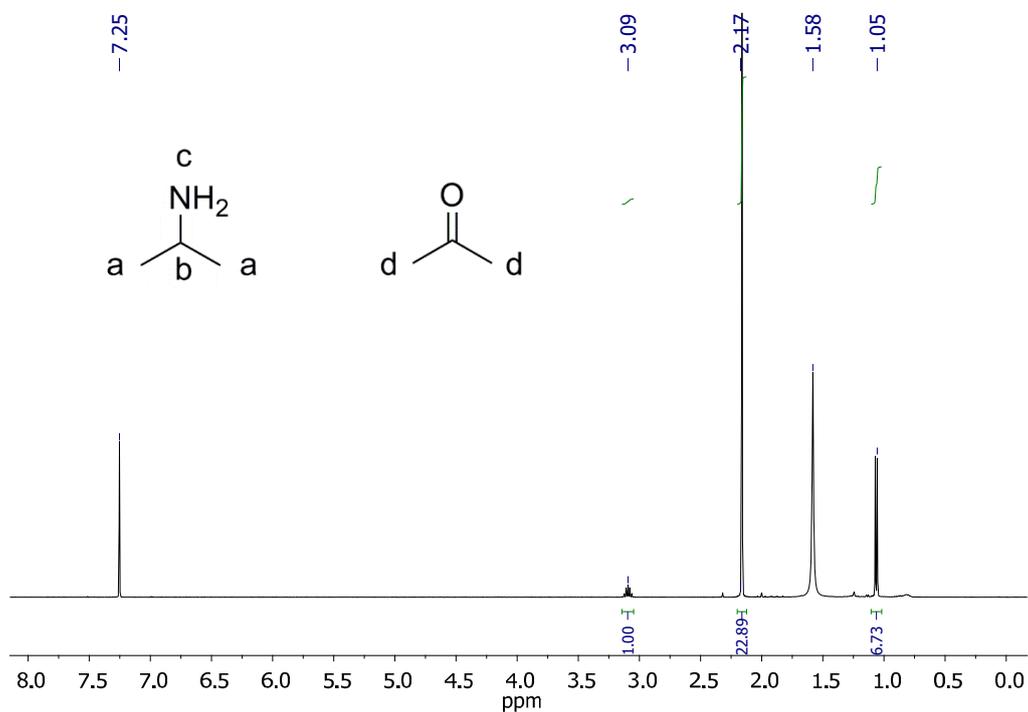


Figure S13: ^1H NMR spectrum of oxidation of isopropylamine. Protons: a = 1.05 ppm; b = 3.09 ppm; c = 1.58 ppm; d = 2.17 ppm. Reaction conditions: 1 ml reaction mixture containing [isopropylamine] = 1 M, [NaPI] = 100 mM and [SAS] = 1.5 mM. The reaction was incubated at 30 °C, irradiated with white light ($\lambda > 400$ nm) and stirred gently with a magnetic stirrer.

Optimization of the individual reaction steps

Photooxidation

Sodium anthraquinone-2-sulfonate (SAS)

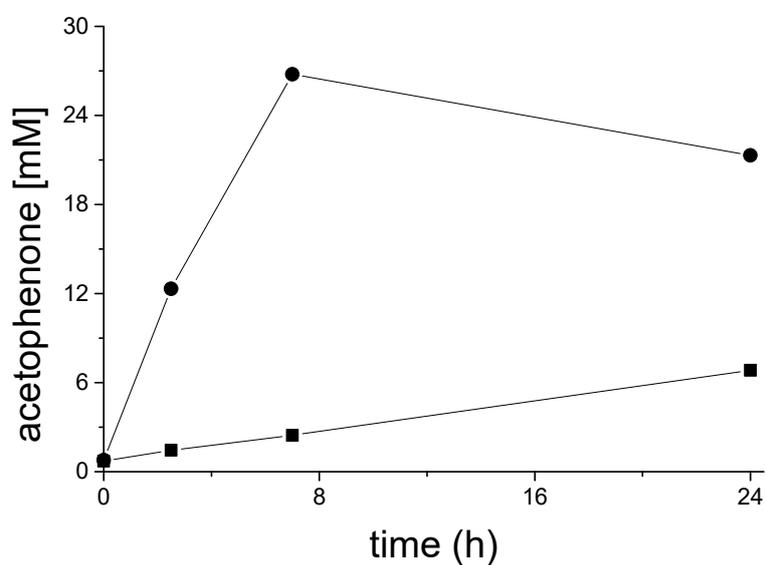


Figure S14: Effect of light intensity on the photocatalytic activity of SAS. Commercial white light bulb 205W (■) and white LED (●) were compared. Reaction conditions: 1 ml MilliQ water with [1-phenylethanol] = 25 mM and [SAS] = 1.5 mM. Reactions were run at 30 °C under atmospheric conditions and stirred with a magnetic stirrer.

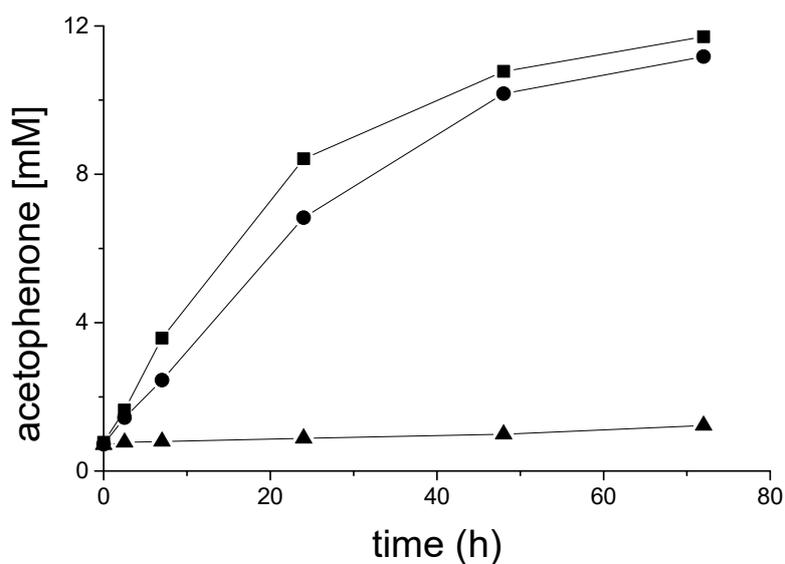


Figure S5: Effect of light composition on the photocatalytic activity of SAS. Blue LED (■), white LED (●) and red LED (▲) were investigated. Reaction conditions: 1 ml MilliQ water with [1-phenylethanol] = 25 mM and

[SAS] = 1.5 mM. Reactions were run at 30 °C under atmospheric conditions and stirred with a magnetic stirrer.

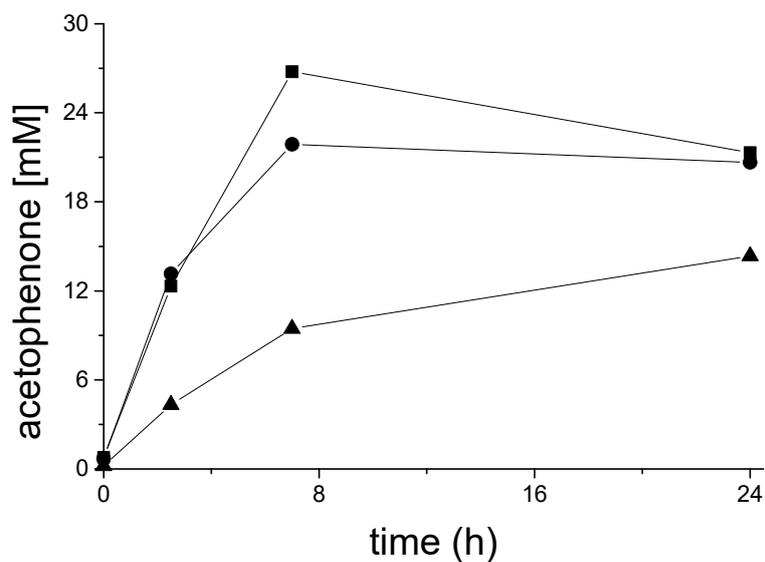


Figure S16: Effect of the reaction atmosphere on the photocatalytic activity of SAS. Air (■), oxygen (●) and nitrogen (▲) atmospheres were investigated. Reaction conditions: 1 ml MilliQ water with [1-phenylethanol] = 25 mM and [SAS] = 1.5 mM. Reactions were run at 30 °C and stirred with a magnetic stirrer.

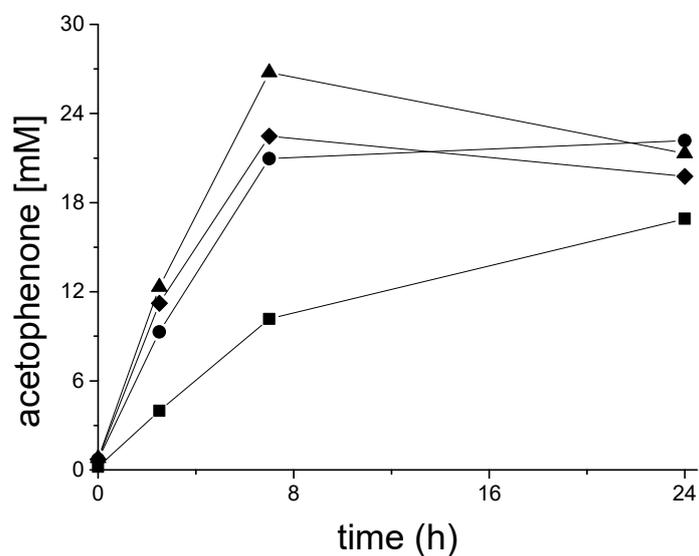


Figure S17: Effect of the amount of photocatalyst on the photocatalytic activity of SAS. 0.38 mM (■), 0.75 mM (●), 1.5 mM (▲) and 2.25 mM (◆) concentrations were investigated. Reaction conditions: 1 ml MilliQ water with [1-phenylethanol] = 25 mM. Reactions were run at 30 °C and stirred with a magnetic stirrer.

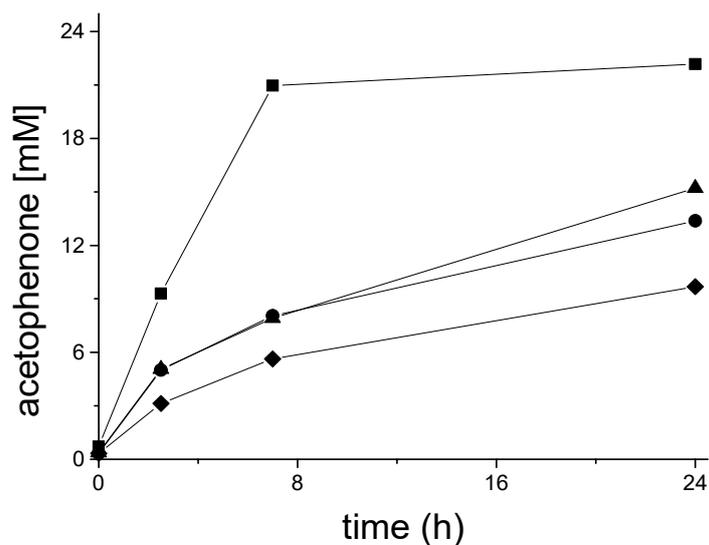


Figure S18: Effect of pH on the photocatalytic activity of SAS. pH 8.5 (●), pH 9.2 (▲), pH 10.2 (◆) and MilliQ water (■) were examined. Reaction conditions: MilliQ: 1 ml MilliQ water with [1-phenylethanol] = 25 mM and [SAS] = 1.5 mM. Varied pH: 1 ml reaction mixture containing [NaPI] = 100 mM, [isopropylamine] = 1 M, [1-phenylethanol] = 25 mM and [SAS] = 0.75 mM. Reactions were run at 30 °C and stirred with a magnetic stirrer.

Graphitic carbon nitride

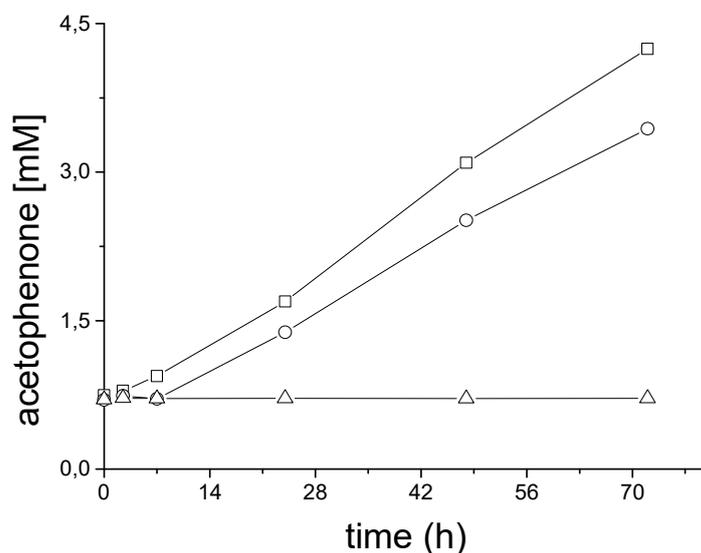


Figure S19: Effect of light composition on the photocatalytic activity of g-C₃N₄. Blue LED (□), white LED (○) and red LED (△) were investigated. Reaction conditions: 1 ml MilliQ water with [1-phenylethanol] = 25 mM and [g-C₃N₄] = 10 mg/ml. Reactions were run at 30 °C and stirred with a magnetic stirrer.

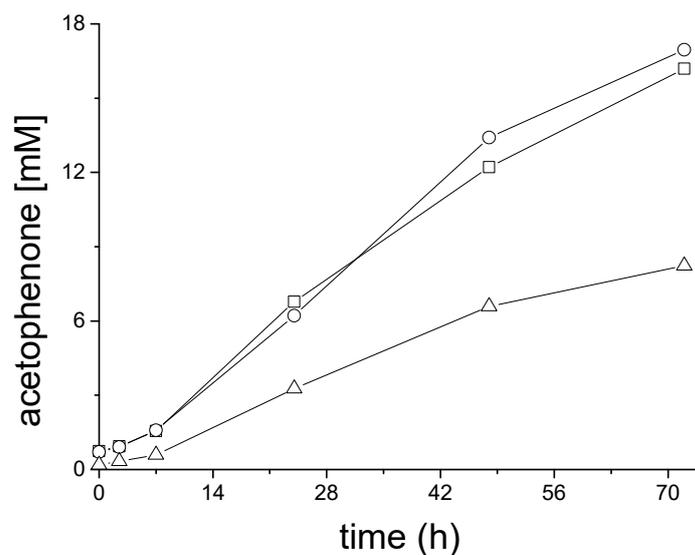


Figure S20: Effect of the reaction atmosphere on the photocatalytic activity of g-C₃N₄. Air (□), oxygen (○) and nitrogen (△) were investigated. Reaction conditions: 1 ml MilliQ water with [1-phenylethanol] = 25 mM and [g-C₃N₄] = 10 mg/ml. Reactions were run at 30 °C and stirred with a magnetic stirrer.

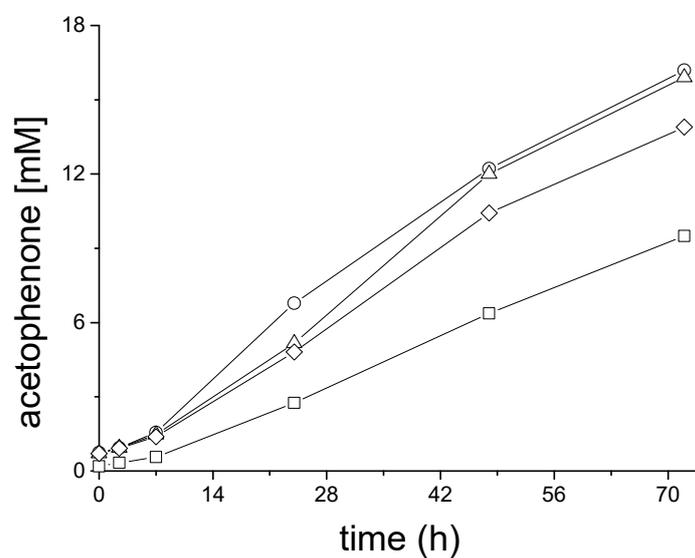


Figure S21: Effect of the photocatalyst amount on the photocatalytic activity of g-C₃N₄. 5 mg/ml (□), 10 mg/ml (○), 15 mg/ml (△) and 30 mg/ml (◇) concentrations were investigated. Reaction conditions: 1 ml MilliQ water with [1-phenylethanol] = 25 mM. Reactions were run at 30 °C under and stirred with a magnetic stirrer.

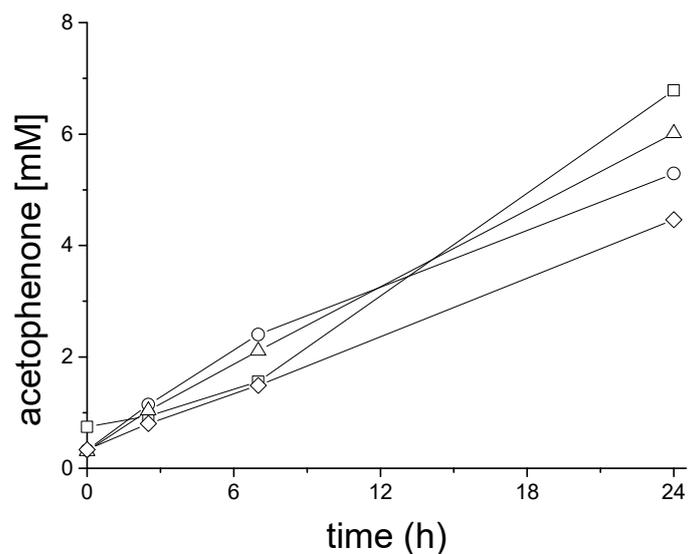


Figure S22: Effect of the pH on the photocatalytic activity of g-C₃N₄. pH 8.5 (○), pH 9.2 (△) pH 10.2 mM (◇) and MilliQ water (□). were examined. Reaction conditions: MilliQ: 1 ml MilliQ water with [1-phenylethanol] = 25 mM and [g-C₃N₄] = 10 mg/ml. Varied pH: 1 ml reaction mixture containing [NaPI] = 100 mM, [isopropylamine] = 1 M, [1-phenylethanol] = 25 mM and [g-C₃N₄] = 10 mg/ml. Reactions were run at 30 °C and stirred with a magnetic stirrer.

Reductive amination

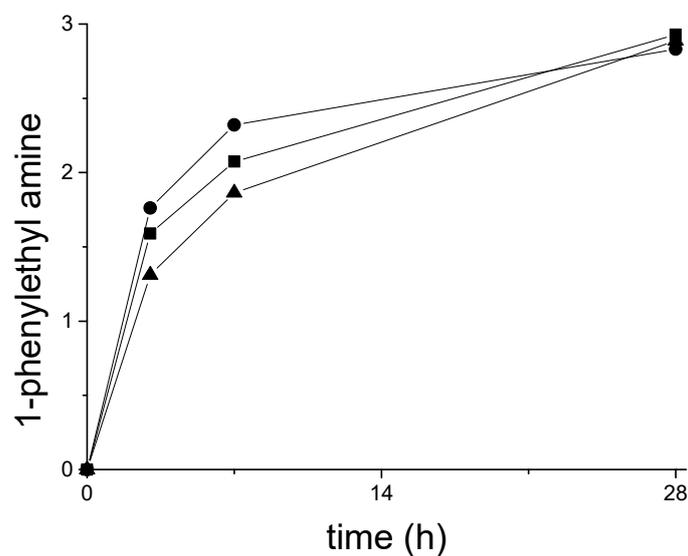


Figure S23: Effect of the enzyme concentration on the yield of the reductive amination: 5 mg/ml (●) 10 mg/ml (■) 15 mg/ml (▲) ATωTA concentrations were examined. Reaction conditions: 1 ml pH 9.1 reaction mixture containing [NaPI] = 100 mM [isopropylamine] = 1 M, [acetophenone] = 4.5 mM and [PLP] = 1 mM. Samples were incubated at 30 °C and shaken on a shaking plate.

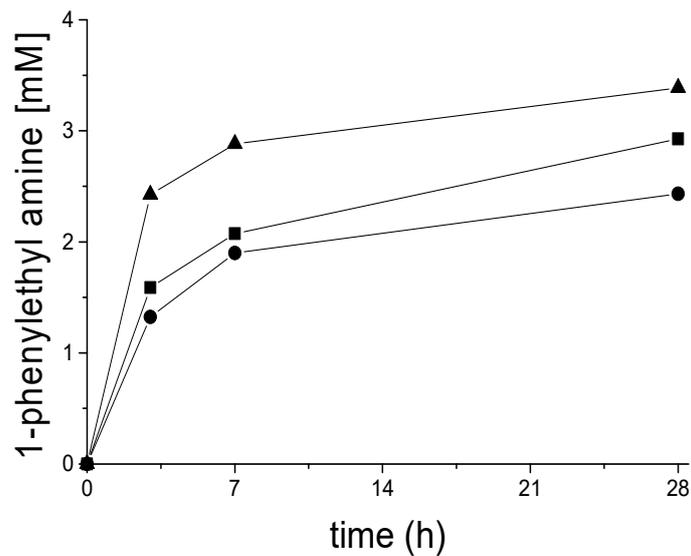


Figure S24: Effect of the amine donor concentration on the conversion of the reductive amination. 0.5 M (●) 1 M (■) and 2 M (▲) isopropylamine concentrations were examined. Reaction conditions: 1 ml pH 9 reaction mixture containing [NaPI] = 100 mM, [acetophenone] = 4.5 mM, [ATωTA] = 10 mg/ml and [PLP] = 1 mM. Samples were incubated at 30 °C and shaken on a shaking plate.

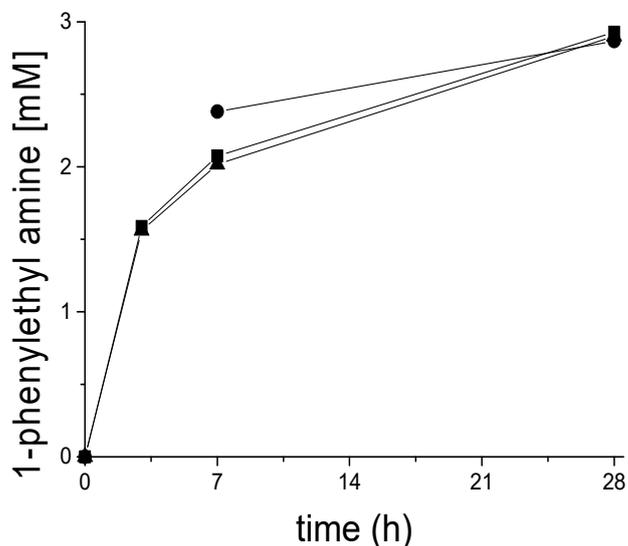


Figure S25: Effect of the cofactor concentration on the yield of the reductive amination. 0.5 mM (●) 1 mM (■) and 2 mM (▲) PLP concentrations were examined. Reaction conditions: 1 ml pH 9 reaction mixture containing [NaPI] = 100 mM, [isopropylamine] = 1 M, [acetophenone] = 4.5 mM and [ATωTA] = 10 mg/ml. Samples were incubated at 30 °C and shaken on a shaking plate.

pH dependency of the used ω -transaminases

From *Aspergillus terreus* ($AT\omega TA$)

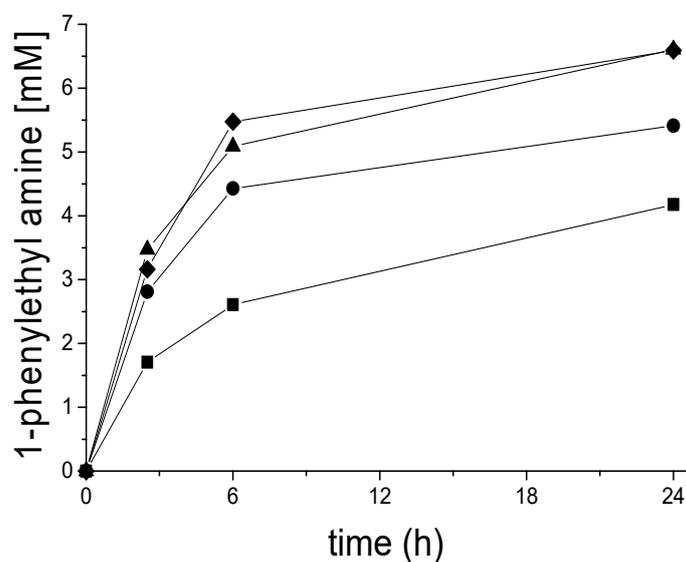


Figure S26: pH dependency of $AT\omega TA$. pH 8 (■), pH 8.5 (●) pH 9.2 (▲) and pH 10.2 (◆) were examined.

Reaction conditions: 1 ml reaction mixture containing [NaPI] = 100 mM, [acetophenone] = 4.5 mM, [isopropylamine] = 1M, [$AT\omega TA$] = 10 mg/ml and [PLP] = 1 mM. Samples were incubated at 30 °C and shaken on a shaking plate.

From *Bacillus megaterium* ($BM\omega TA$)

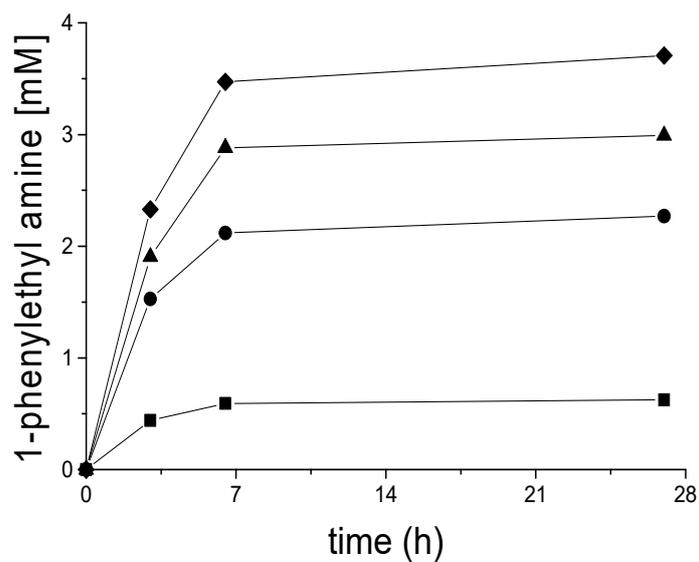


Figure S27: pH dependency of $BM\omega TA$. pH 7 (■), pH 8 (●) pH 8.5 (▲) and pH 9.1 (◆) were examined.

Reaction conditions: 1 ml reaction mixture containing [NaPI] = 100 mM, [acetophenone] = 4.5 mM,

[isopropylamine] = 1M, [BM ω TA] = 10 mg/ml and [PLP] = 1 mM. Samples were incubated at 30 °C and shaken on a shaking plate.

From *Vibrio fluvialis* (*VF* ω TA)

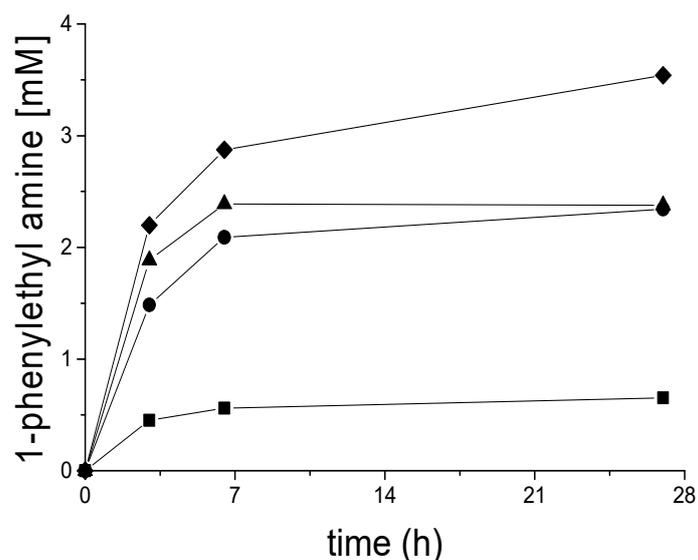


Figure S28: pH dependency of *VF* ω TA. pH 8 (■), pH 8.5 (●) pH 9.2 (▲) and pH 10.2 (◆) were examined.

Reaction conditions: 1 ml reaction mixture containing [NaPI] = 100 mM, [acetophenone] = 4.5 mM, [isopropylamine] = 1M, [*VF* ω TA] = 10 mg/ml and [PLP] = 1 mM. Samples were incubated at 30 °C and shaken on a shaking plate.

From *Pseudomonas fluorescens* (*PF* ω TA)

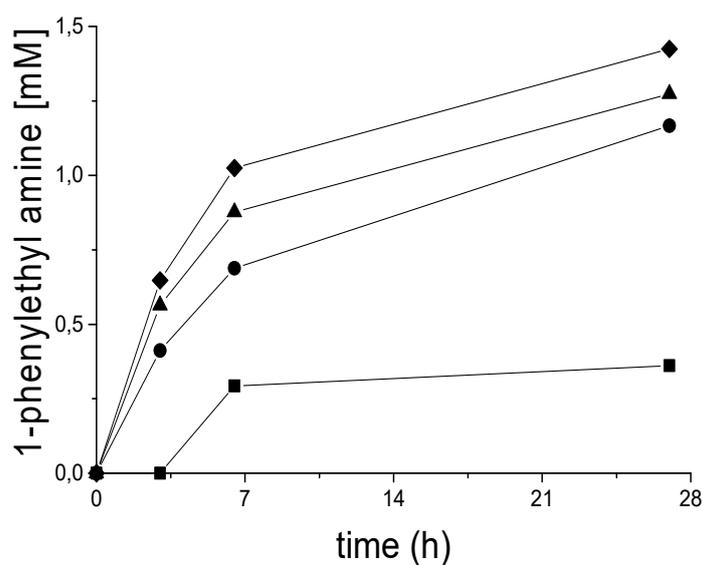


Figure S29: pH dependency of *PF* ω TA. pH 7 (■), pH 8 (●) pH 8.5 (▲) and pH 9 (◆) were examined.

Reaction conditions: 1 ml reaction mixture containing [NaPI] = 100 mM, [acetophenone] = 4.5 mM, [isopropylamine] = 1 M, [*PF* ω TA] = 10 mg/ml and [PLP] = 1 mM. Samples were incubated at 30 °C and shaken on a shaking plate.

From *Chromobacterium violaceum* (CV ω TA)

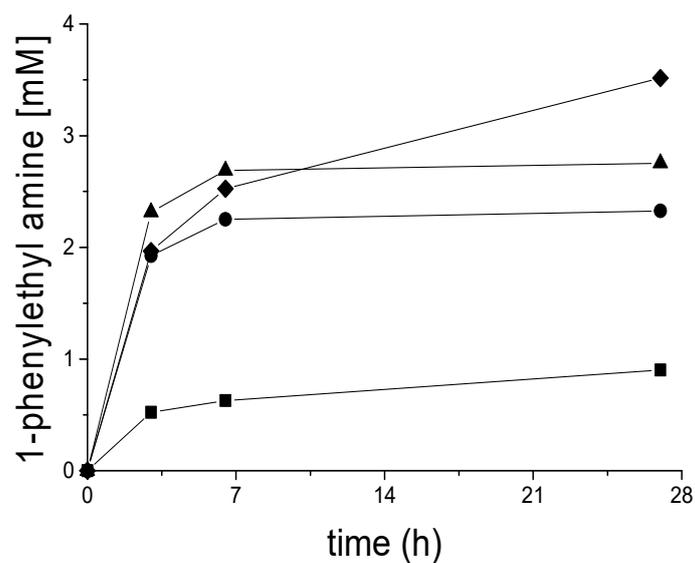
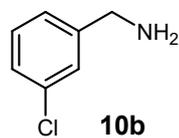
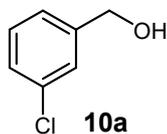
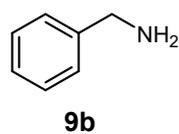
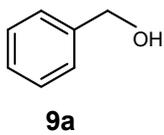
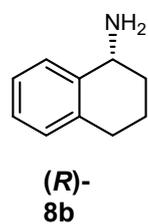
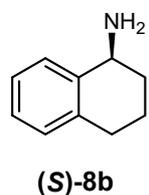
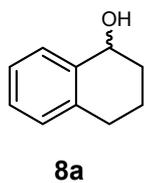
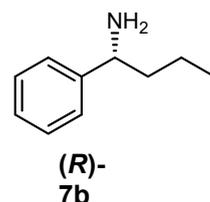
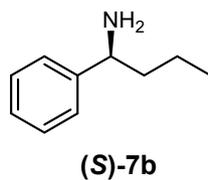
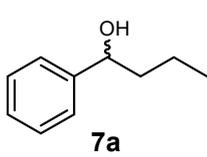
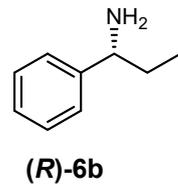
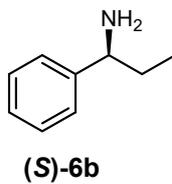
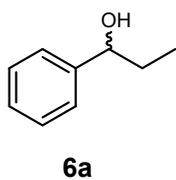
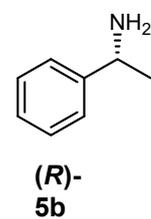
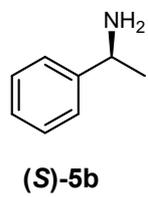
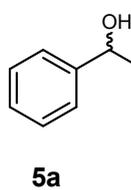
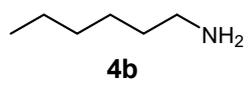
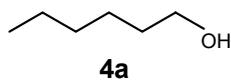
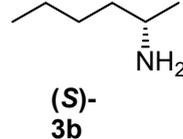
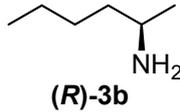
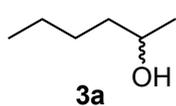
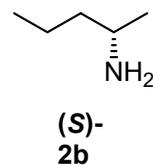
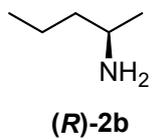
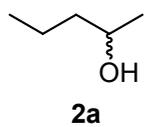
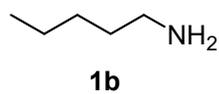
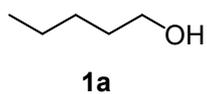


Figure S30: pH dependency of CV ω TA. pH 7 (■), pH 8 (●) pH 8.5 (▲) and pH 9 (◆) were examined. Reaction conditions: 1 ml reaction mixture containing [NaPI] = 100 mM, [acetophenone] = 4.5 mM, [isopropylamine] = 1M, [CV ω TA] = 10 mg/ml and [PLP] = 1 mM. Samples were incubated at 30 °C and shaken on a shaking plate

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Conversion determination of the alcohol oxidation

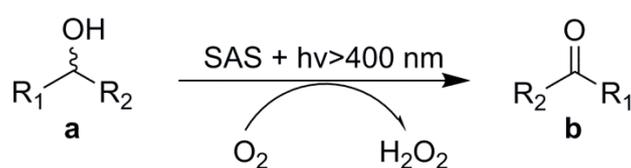


Table S2: Details of GC analysis of the alcohol oxidation.

Substrate	Used GC system	Retention time [min]	Temperature profile
1a	System 1	n-pentanol 6.39	100 °C hold 4 min, 25 °C /min to 135 °C hold 1.5 min, 30 °C /min to 245 °C hold 2 min.
		pentanal 3.22	
		dodecane 5.62	
2a	System 1	2-pentanol 4.65	100 °C hold 5 min, 25 °C /min to 110 °C hold 1.5 min, 30 °C /min to 245 °C hold 2 min.
		2-pentanone 3.19	
		dodecane 6.20	
3a	System 1	n-hexanol 6.03	110 °C hold 2.5 min, 20 °C /min to 120 °C hold 1.5 min, 30 °C /min to 150 °C hold 1 min, 30 °C /min to 245 °C hold 2 min.
		hexanal 3.11	
		dodecane 4.03	

4a	System 1	2-hexanol 5.16 2-hexanone 3.72 dodecane 4.88	110 °C hold 3 min, 15 °C /min to 120 °C hold 2 min, 30 °C /min to 240 °C hold 2 min.
5a	System 1	1-phenylethanol 8.98 acetophenone 7.49 1-octanol 6.00	130 °C hold 3 min, 30 °C /min to 200 °C hold 3.9 min, 30 °C /min to 240 °C hold 1 min.
6a	System 1	1-phenylpropanol 10.12 propiophenone 8.91 dodecane 3.55	150 °C hold 3 min, 25 °C /min to 160 °C hold 1 min, 25 °C /min to 235 °C hold 3 min.
7a	System 1	1-phenylbutanol 11.16 butyrophenone 9.63 dodecane 3.55	150 °C hold 3 min, 25 °C /min to 160 °C hold 1 min, 25 °C /min to 235 °C hold 4 min, 30 °C /min to 245 °C hold 2 min.
8a	System 1	1,2,3,4-tetrahydro-1-naphthol 16.36 α -Tetralone 15.06 Dodecane 3.55	150 °C hold 3 min, 25 °C /min to 160 °C hold 1 min, 15 °C /min to 240 °C hold 8 min, 30 °C /min to 250 °C hold 2 min.
9a	System 1	Benzyl alcohol 8.37 Benzaldehyde 5.62 1-octanol 5.24	150 °C hold 2.2 min, 25 °C /min to 210 °C hold 1.2 min, 25 °C /min to 230 °C hold 2.3 min, 25 °C /min to 240 °C hold 0.8 min.
10a	System 1	3-chlorobenzyl alcohol 14.53 3-chlorobenzaldehyde 8.97 dodecane 2.78	150 °C hold 3 min, 25 °C /min to 160 °C hold 1 min, 15 °C /min to 225 °C hold 1 min, 25 °C /min to 240 °C hold 5 min, 25 °C /min to 245 °C hold 1 min.

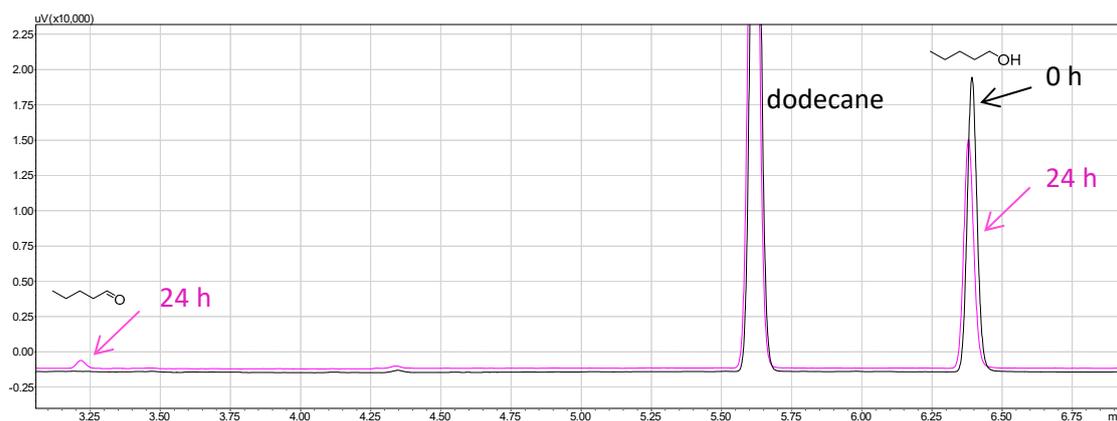


Figure S31: Representative GC chromatogram of SAS catalyzed photooxidation of 1-pentanol. Samples were diluted two times with ethyl acetate.

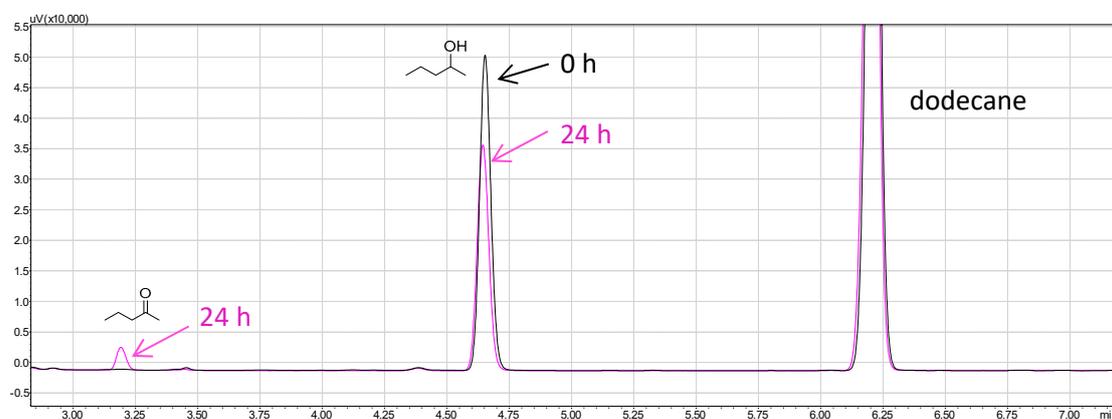


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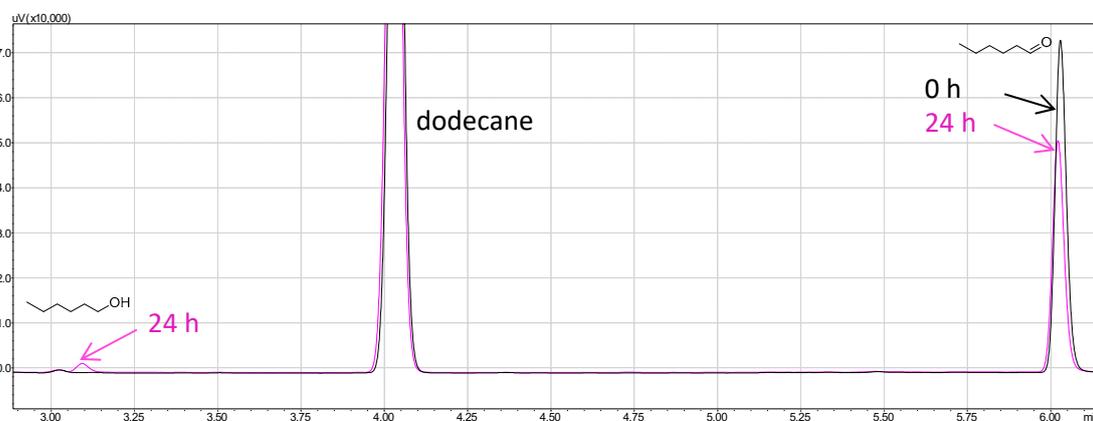


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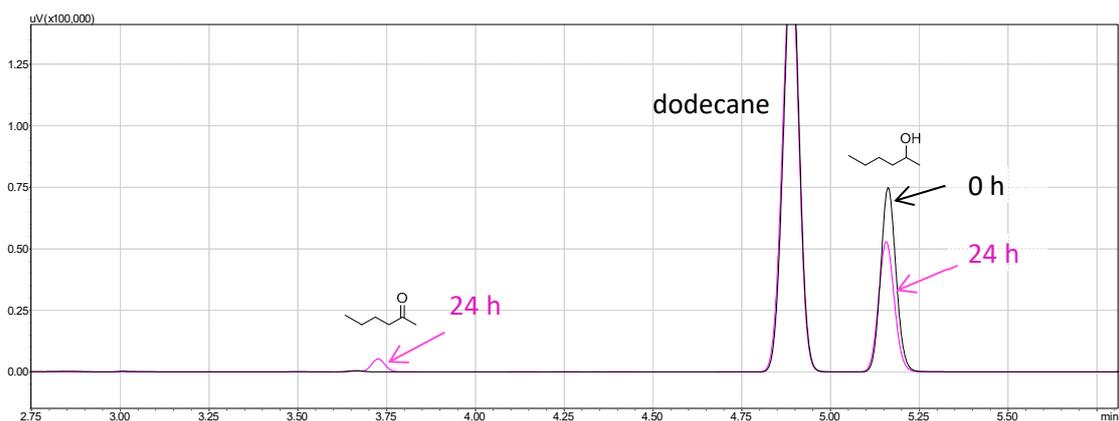


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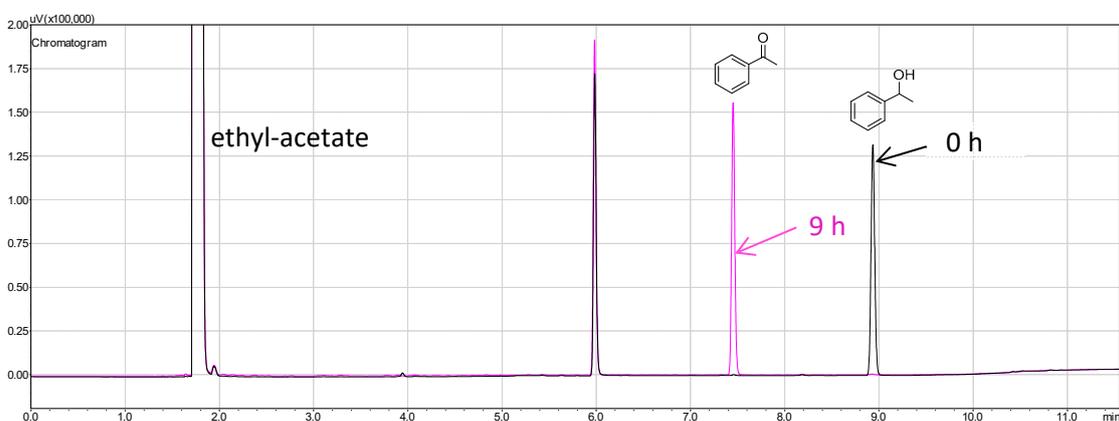


Figure S35: Representative GC chromatogram of SAS catalyzed photooxidation of 1-phenylethanol. Samples were diluted two times with ethyl acetate.

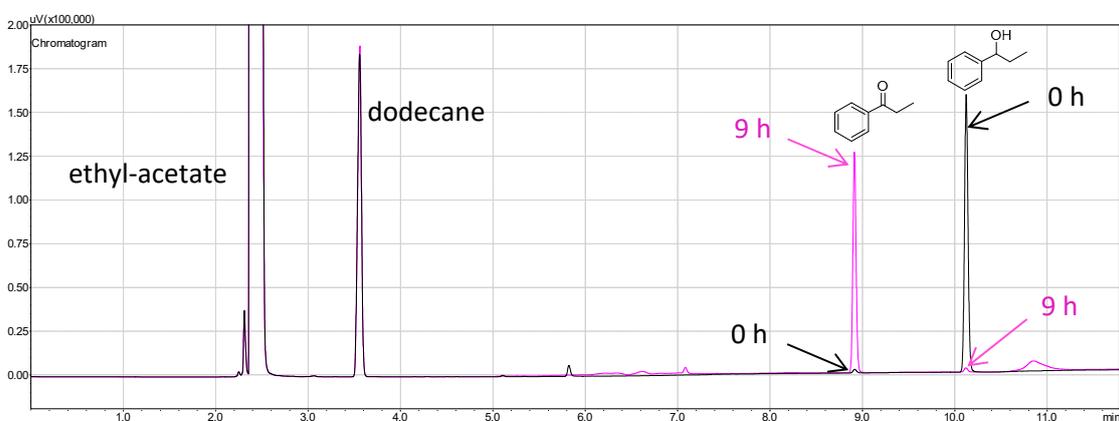


Figure S36: Representative GC chromatogram of SAS catalyzed photooxidation of 1-phenylpropanol. Samples were diluted two times with ethyl acetate.

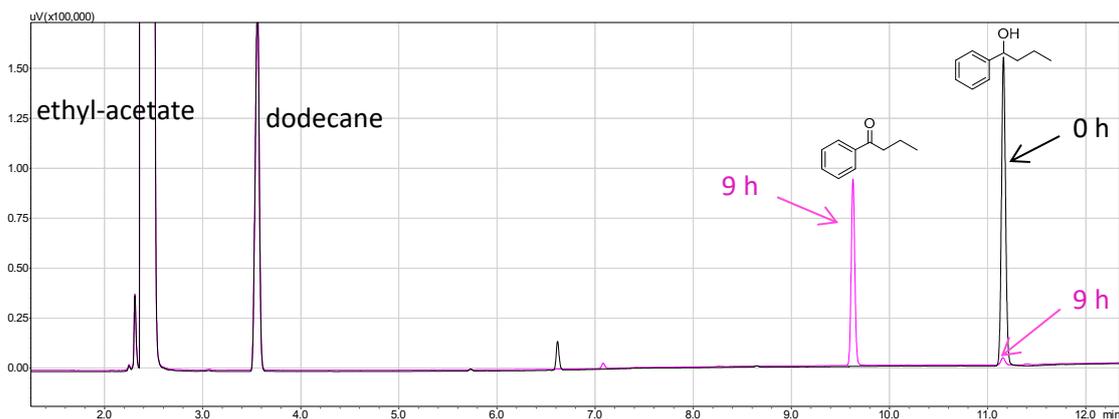


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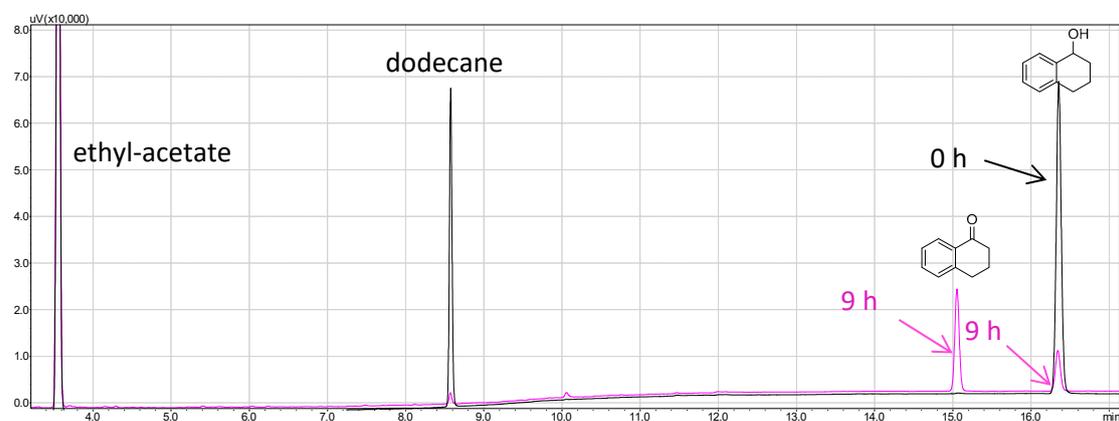


Figure S38: Representative GC chromatogram of SAS catalyzed photooxidation of 1,2,3,4-tetrahydro-1-naphthol. Samples were diluted two times with ethyl acetate.

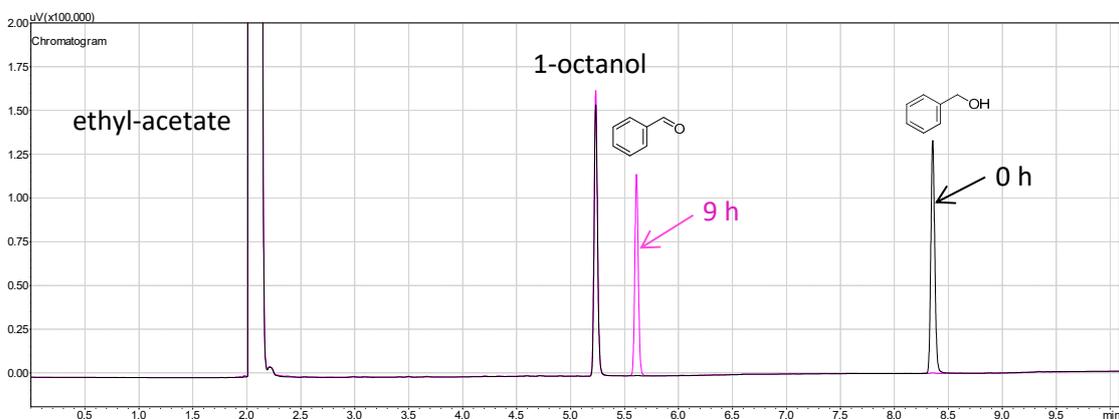


Figure S39: Representative GC chromatogram of SAS catalyzed photooxidation of benzyl alcohol. Samples were diluted two times with ethyl acetate.

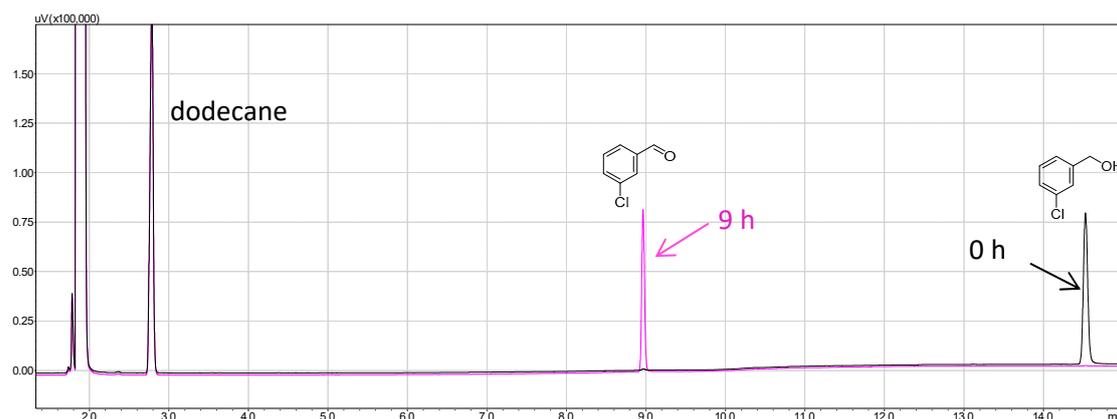


Figure S40: Representative GC chromatogram of SAS catalyzed photooxidation of 3-chlorobenzyl alcohol. Samples were diluted two times with ethyl acetate.

Conversion and enantiomeric excess determination of the reductive amination

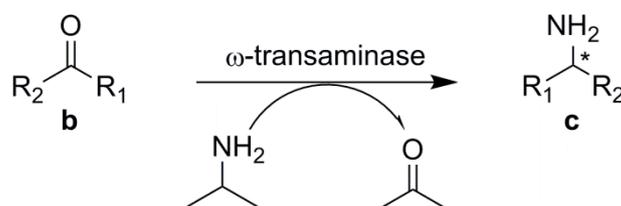


Table S3: Details of GC analysis of the reductive amination.

Substrate	Used GC system	Retention time [min]	Temperature profile
1b	System 2	n-pentylamine 13.71	110 °C hold 3.5 min, 20 °C /min to 115 °C hold 2 min, 20 °C /min to 140 °C hold 2 min, 20 °C /min to 215 °C hold 1 min, 25 °C /min to 235 °C hold 1 min
		dodecane 7.85	

2b	System 3	2-pentanone 4.00 (<i>S</i>)- 2-aminopentane 10.77 (<i>R</i>)- 2-aminopentane 10.93 dodecane 8.86	80 °C hold 5 min, 25 °C /min to 150 °C hold 1.5 min, 25 °C /min to 175 °C hold 1 min, 25 °C /min to 215 °C hold 1 min.
3b	System 4	hexanal 8.91 1-aminohexane 7.33 dodecane 6.40	90 °C hold 3 min, 30 °C /min to 105 °C hold 1 min, 30 °C /min to 140 °C hold 2 min, 30 °C /min to 150 °C hold 2 min, 30 °C /min to 265 °C hold 2 min, 30 °C /min to 325 °C hold 2 min.
4b	System 5	2-hexanone 3.20 (<i>S</i>)- 2-aminohexane 9.20 dodecane 8.54	90 °C hold 3 min, 20 °C /min to 100 °C hold 2 min, 20 °C /min to 150 °C hold 2 min, 25 °C /min to 225 °C hold 2 min.
5b	System 2	acetophenone 6.76 (<i>R</i>)- 1-phenylethyl amine 16.14 (<i>S</i>)- 1-phenylethyl amine 16.29 dodecane 5.42	130 °C hold 3 min, 10 °C /min to 140 °C hold 4.5 min, 15 °C /min to 210 °C hold 5 min, 25 °C /min to 235 °C hold 2 min.
6b	System 5	propiophenone 4.82 (<i>S</i>)- 1-phenylpropyl amine 9.50 (<i>R</i>)- 1-phenylpropyl amine 9.62 dodecane 4.10	130 °C hold 3 min, 15 °C /min to 140 °C hold 2 min, 20 °C /min to 190 °C hold 2 min, 25 °C /min to 225 °C hold 3 min.
7b	System 5	butyrophenone 9.63 (<i>S</i>)- 1-phenylbutyl amine 9.50 (<i>R</i>)- 1-phenylbutyl amine 9.62 dodecane 3.55	130 °C hold 3 min, 25 °C /min to 140 °C hold 1 min, 15 °C /min to 155 °C hold 2 min, 25 °C /min to 200 °C hold 4.5 min, 25 °C /min to 215 °C hold 1 min.
8b	System 5	α -Tetralone 8.17	120 °C hold 3 min, 20 °C /min to 150 °C hold 1 min, 20 °C /min to

		(S)- 1,2,3,4-Tetrahydro-1-naphthylamine 12.29	180 °C hold 2 min, 20 °C /min to 220 °C hold 1.75 min 25 °C /min to 225 °C hold 3 min.
		(R)- 1,2,3,4-Tetrahydro-1-naphthylamine 12.49	
		Dodecane 4.75	
9b	System 4	Benzaldehyde 1.91	120 °C hold 5 min, 20 °C /min to 170 °C hold 2 min, 20 °C /min to 200 °C hold 1 min, 30 °C /min to 305 °C hold 1 min.
		Benzyl amine 7.99	
		dodecane 4.42	
10b	System 4	3-chlorobenzaldehyde 4.56	100 °C hold 3 min, 30 °C /min to 130 °C hold 3 min, 30 °C /min to 155 °C hold 1 min, 30 °C /min to 215 °C hold 1 min, 30 °C /min to 270 °C hold 1 min, 30 °C /min to 325 °C hold 2 min,
		3-chlorobenzyl amine 11.00	
		dodecane 5.49	



Figure S41: Representative GC chromatogram of derivatized n-pentylamine

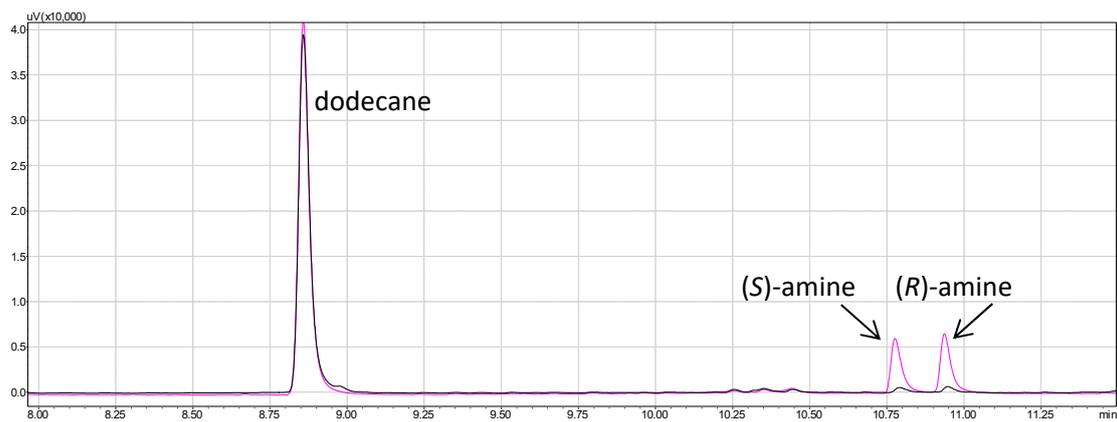


Figure S42: Representative GC chromatogram of derivatized 2-aminopentane.

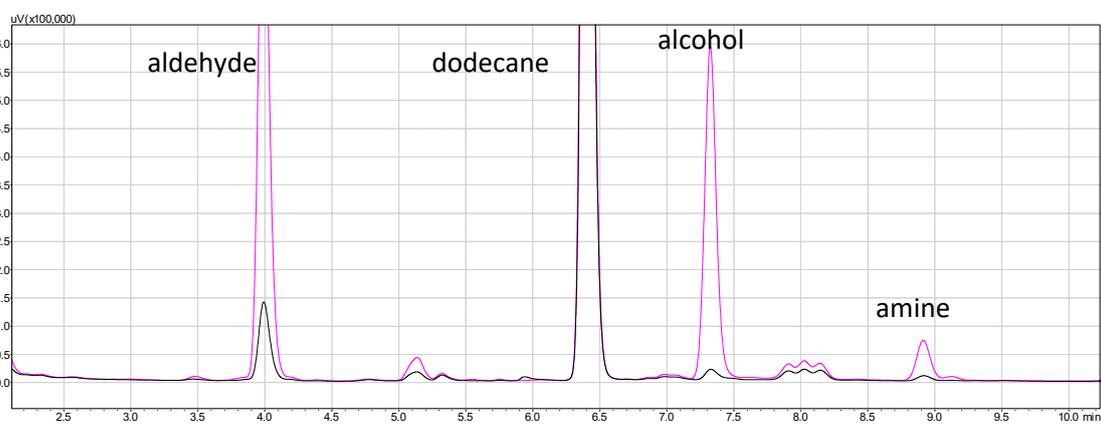


Figure S43: Representative GC chromatogram of derivatized 1-hexanol, hexanal and 1-hexylamine mixture.

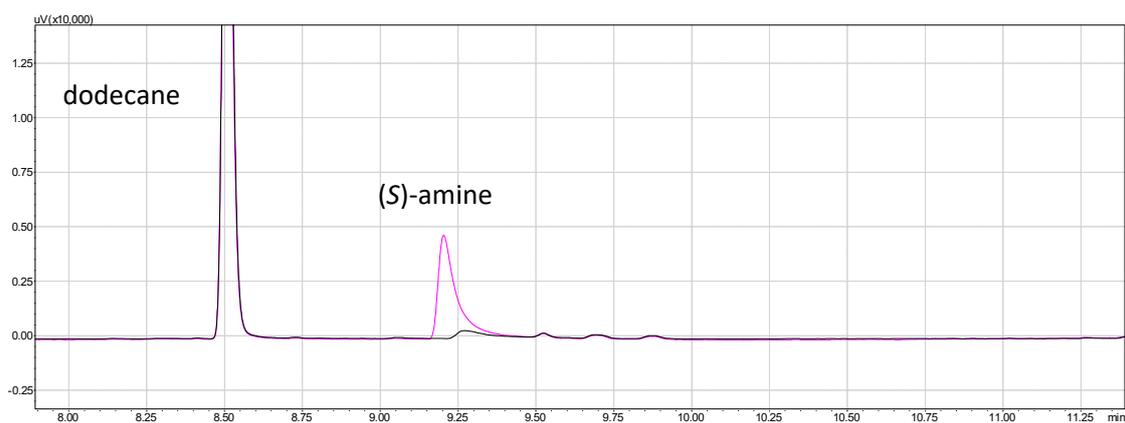


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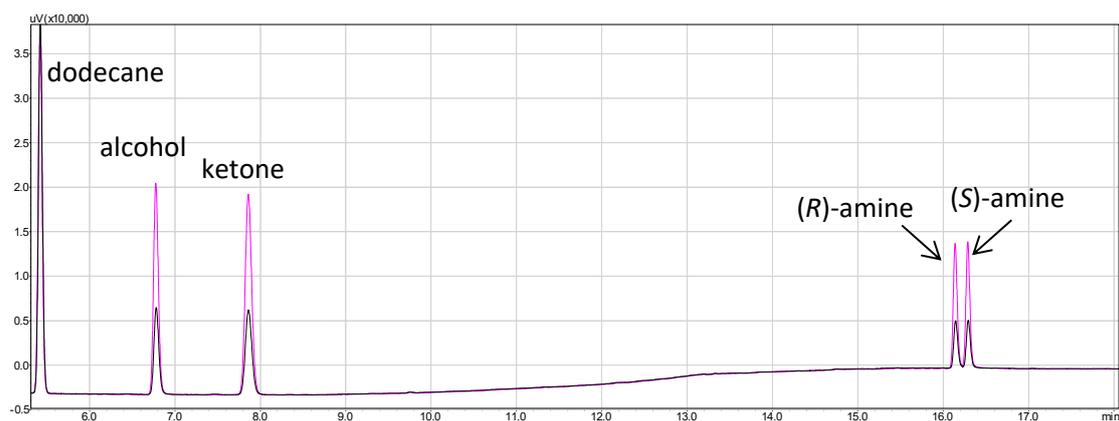


Figure S45: Representative GC chromatogram of derivatized 1-phenylethanol, acetophenone and 1-phenylethyl amine.

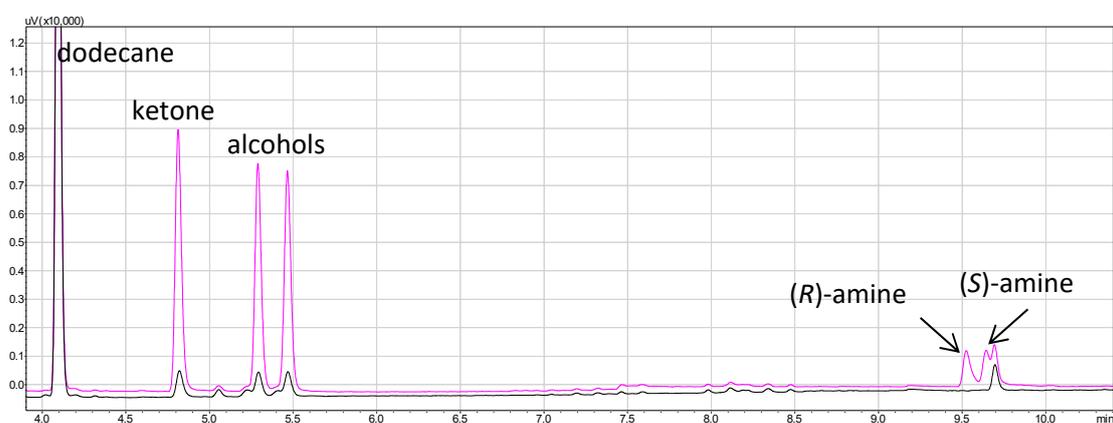


Figure S46: Representative GC chromatogram of derivatized 1-phenylpropanol, propiophenone (R) and (S) 1-phenylpropyl amine.

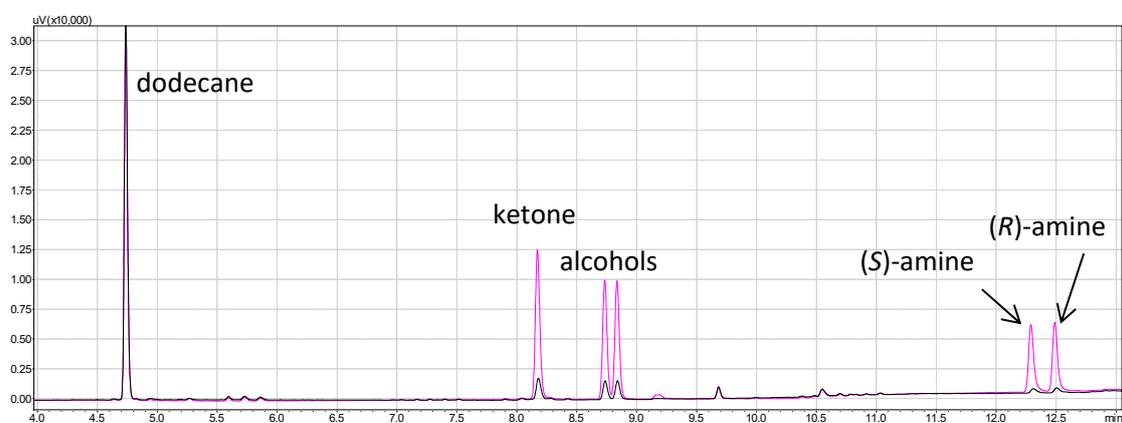


Figure S47: Representative GC chromatogram of derivatized 1,2,3,4-tetrahydro-1-naphthol, α -tetralone, (R) and (S) 1,2,3,4-tetrahydro-1-naphthylamine.

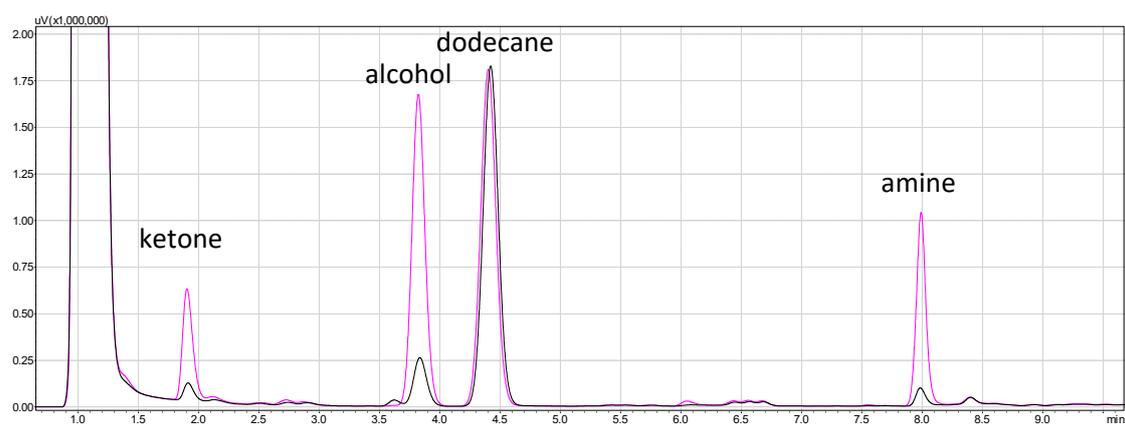


Figure S48: Representative GC chromatogram of derivatized benzyl alcohol, benzaldehyde, benzyl amine.

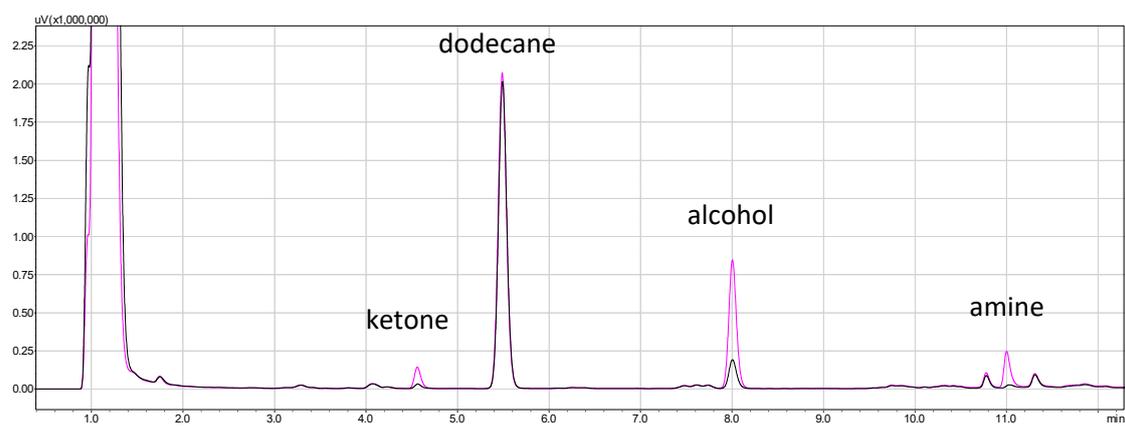


Figure S49: Representative GC chromatogram of derivatized 3-chlorobenzyl alcohol, 3-chlorobenzaldehyde, 3-chlorobenzyl amine.

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