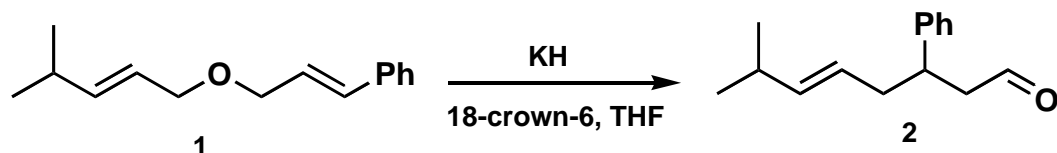
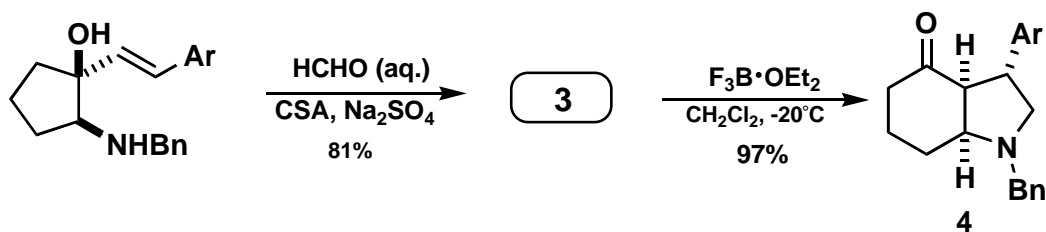


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1. Explain the formation of the aldehyde **2** on treatment of the ether **1** with KH.



2. Identify the structure of **3** and predict a suitable mechanism for the formation of **4**.



3. Suggest a plausible mechanism for the following transformation:

