



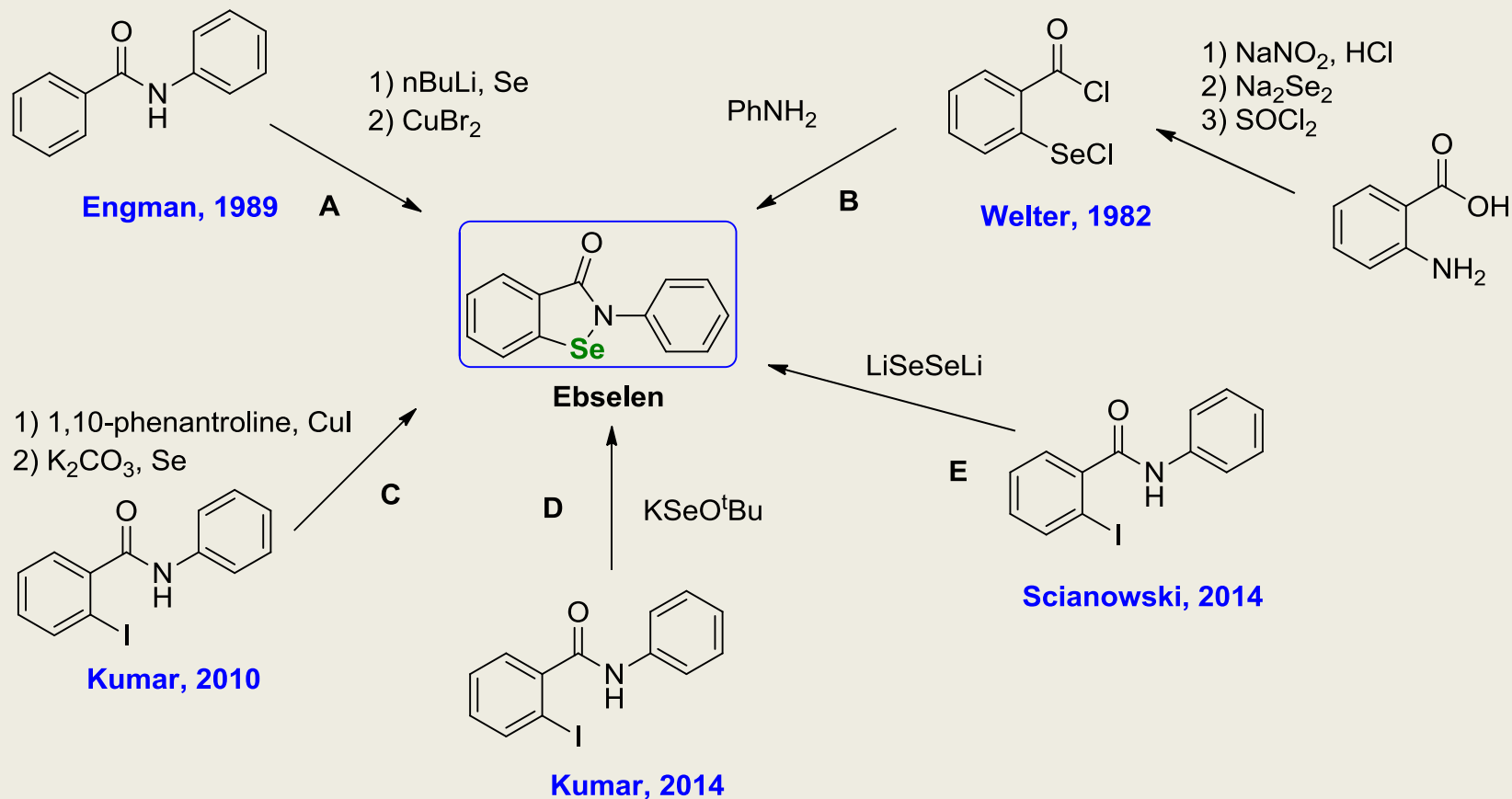
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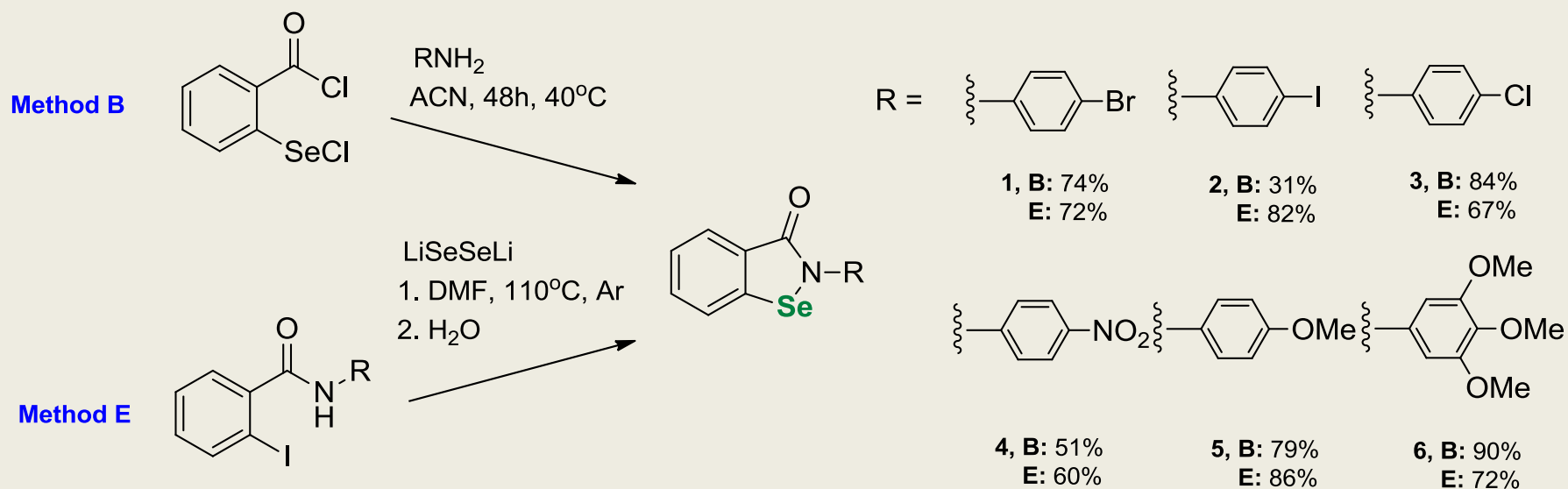
# ***N*-aryl benzisoselenazolones – synthesis, transformations and antioxidant activity**

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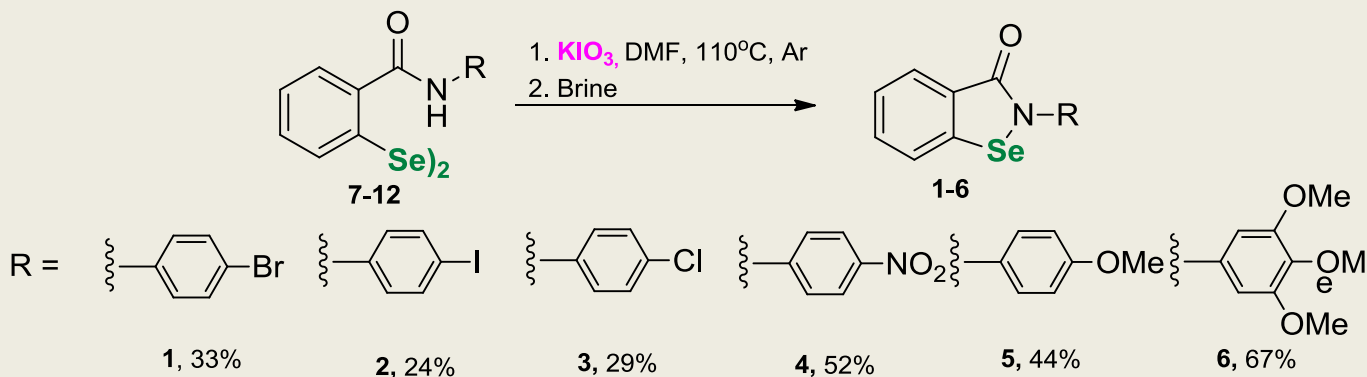
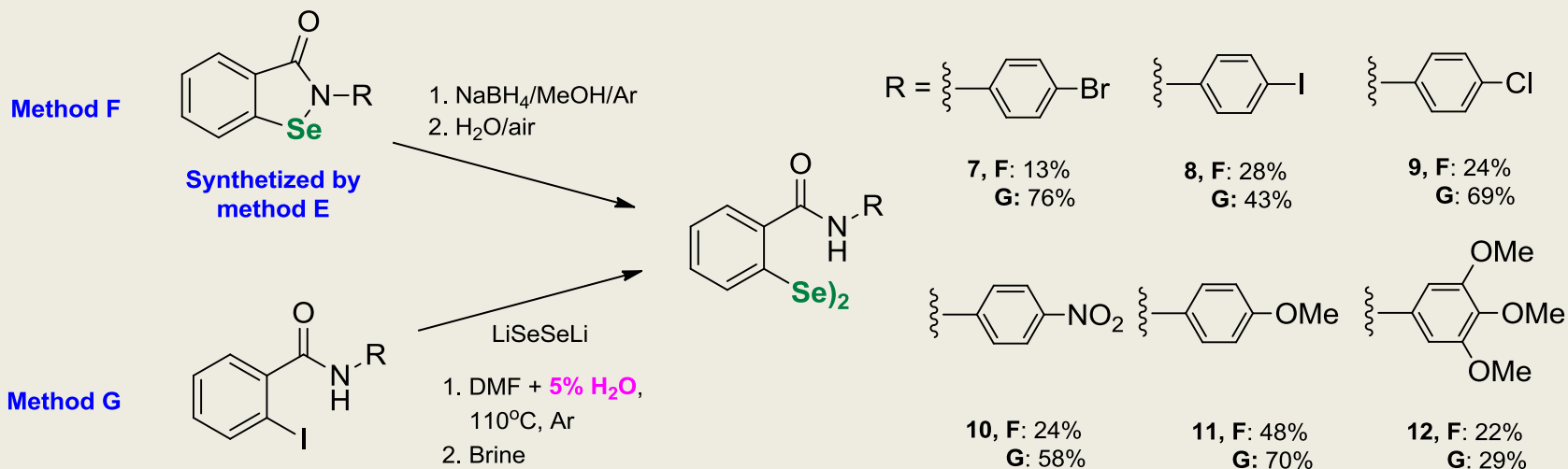
# Methods of ebselen synthesis (A-E)



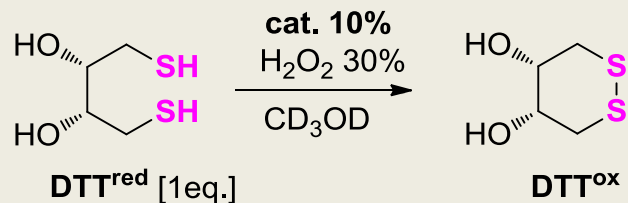
# Synthesis of ebselen derivatives 1-7 using procedure B and E



# Synthesis of diselenides 7-12 (Methods F and G) and oxidative regeneration of Se-N bond



# Antioxidant activity of the tested catalysts



| Catalyst<br>[0.1 equiv.]    | Remaining Dithiotreitol [%] |       |        |        |        |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-------|--------|--------|--------|
|                             | 3 min                       | 5 min | 15 min | 30 min | 60 min |
| <b>Benzisoselenazolones</b> |                             |       |        |        |        |
| 1                           | 86                          | 83    | 79     | 75     | 71     |
| 2                           | 42                          | 0     | 0      | 0      | 0      |
| 3                           | 78                          | 68    | 50     | 38     | 36     |
| 4                           | 25                          | 7     | 5      | 0      | 0      |
| 5                           | 64                          | 41    | 5      | 0      | 0      |
| 6                           | 5                           | 0     | 0      | 0      | 0      |
| <b>Ebselen</b>              | 84                          | 75    | 64     | 58     | 52     |
| <b>Diselenides</b>          |                             |       |        |        |        |
| 7                           | 81                          | 72    | 55     | 41     | 23     |
| 8                           | 89                          | 83    | 81     | 78     | 74     |
| 9                           | 61                          | 53    | 26     | 19     | 21     |
| 10                          | 100                         | 0     | 0      | 0      | 0      |
| 11                          | 84                          | 73    | 63     | 57     | 52     |
| 12                          | 96                          | 82    | 41     | 6      | 0      |