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## Hydroamination of Alkynes Using Amphiphiles-Based Au@SiO<sub>2</sub>

$$R^{1} + R^{2} + R^{2$$

**Significance:** The porous Au@SiO<sub>2</sub> catalyst was prepared from a gold precursor and a TEOS solution in the presence of cinchonidine-based triazole amphiphiles. The hydroamination of alkynes was carried out with Au@SiO<sub>2</sub> to give the corresponding imine products **1a-n** in up to 99% conversion.

**Comment:** The turnover number of  $Au@SiO_2$  was 1604 for the formation of **1b**. The catalyst was characterized by cryo-TEM, XPS, UV/Vis, zeta potential, and ICP-OES analyses.

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