

Supporting Information

Synthesis of β -Nitro Ketone from Geminal Bromonitroalkane and Silyl Enol Ether by Visible Light Photoredox Catalysis

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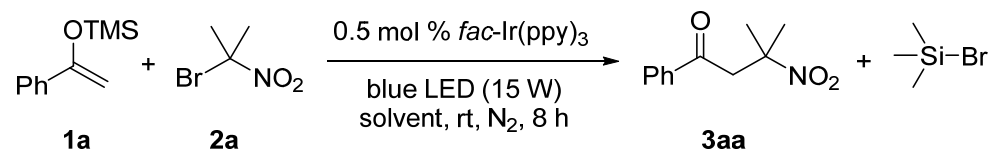
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1. General information

All the solvents and reagents were obtained from commercial sources and used without purification unless stated otherwise. THF, Et₂O and 1,4-dioxane were distilled over CaH₂ and LiAlH₄ under N₂. Toluene, CH₂Cl₂ and CH₃CN were distilled over CaH₂ under N₂. Acetone, AcOEt, DMSO, DMA, DMF, DME, CHCl₃, C₂H₅NO₂, CH₃NO₂ and DBU were dried over activated 4A molecular sieves. All glassware was dried overnight at 100 °C prior to use. All visible light induced photocatalytic reactions were performed in a Schlenk tube under N₂ atmosphere. Thin-layer chromatography (TLC) was performed on silica gel plates (0.2–0.25 mm thickness). Visualization of TLC was achieved by the use of UV light (254 nm). Flash column chromatography was performed on a silica gel (Qingdao Haiyang, 200–300 mesh) column. ¹H and ¹³C NMR spectra were recorded on a JEOL ECZ 400 MHz or 600 MHz spectrometer. The chemical shift (δ) values are given in ppm and are referenced to TMS or residual solvent peaks. Chemical shifts of ¹⁹F NMR are referred to CFC₃ (δ = 0). Infrared spectra were obtained on a Nicolet AVATAR 360 FT-IR spectrometer. Melting points were measured on a WRX-4 (Shanghai Yice) micro melting point apparatus. Mass spectra were obtained on an AB Sciex TripleTOF 5600+ mass spectrometer. X-ray diffraction experiment was performed on a Rigaku XtaLAB Synergy diffractometer using Cu Kα radiation.

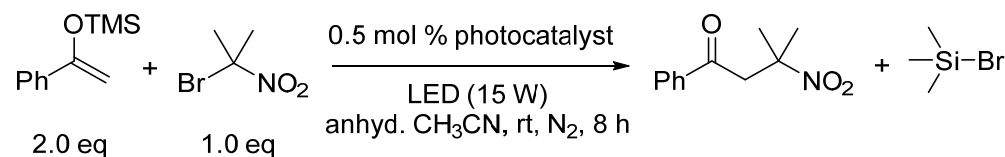
2. Optimization of reaction conditions

Table S1 Effect of solvent



Entry	1a equiv	Solvent	Yield (%)	Entry	1a equiv	Solvent	Yield (%)
1		CH ₃ CN	91	10		1,4-dioxane	0
2		DMSO	85	11		CH ₂ Cl ₂	36
3		DMF	84	12	1.5	CHCl ₃	36
4		DMA	71	13		toluene	35
5	1.5	acetone	46	14	2.0		98
6		AcOEt	38	15	1.5	CH ₃ CN	91
7		DME	35	16	1.0		35
8		THF	43	17	0.5		16
9		Et ₂ O	41				

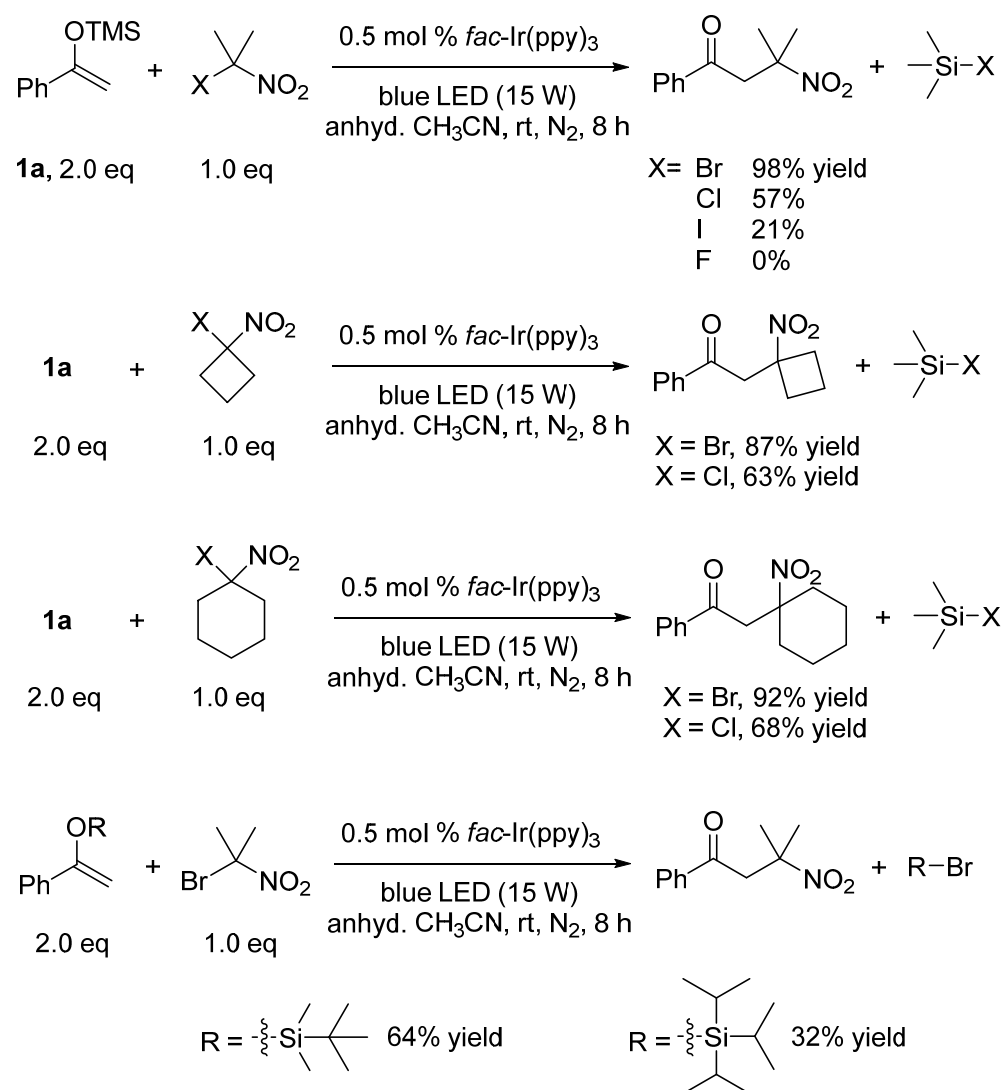
Table S2 Effect of photocatalyst



Entry	Photocatalyst	Visible light (15 W)	Yield (%)
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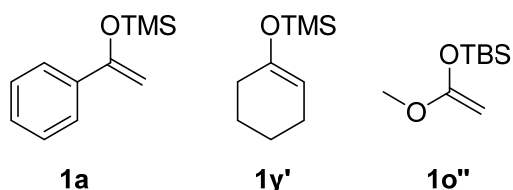
1	<i>fac</i> -Ir(ppy) ₃		98
2	Ir(ppy) ₂ (dtbbpy)PF ₆		71
3	[Ir(dF(CF ₃)ppy) ₂ (dtbbpy)](PF ₆)		trace
4	[Ru(bpy) ₂]Cl ₂ ·6H ₂ O	blue LED belt	32
5	[Ru(bpy) ₂]Cl ₂		81
6	[Ru(bpy) ₂](PF ₆) ₂		78
7	NaI / Ph ₃ P (10 mol %)		18
8	Eosin Y, neutral (10 mol %)	green LED belt	trace
9	Eosin Y, disodium salt (10 mol %)		22

Figure S1 Effect of leaving group



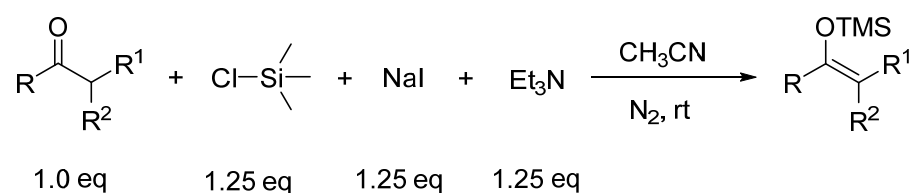
3. Preparation of silyl enol ethers

Silyl enol ethers from commercial sources:



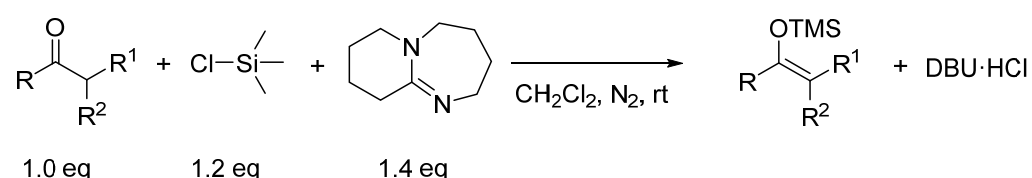
3.1 Preparation of silyl enol ethers

General procedure A^{1,2}



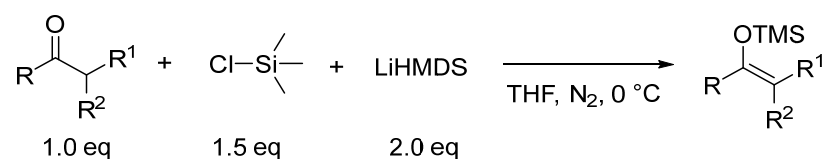
Sodium iodide (1.70 g, 11.3 mmol) in acetonitrile (20 mL) was added at room temperature to a solution of ketone (9.08 mmol), triethylamine (1.90 mL, 11.3 mmol) and chlorotrimethylsilane (1.45 mL, 11.3 mmol) successively introduced to the reaction flask under N₂ atmosphere. This solution was vigorously stirred overnight and the reaction was monitored by TLC. After the reaction was completed, ice-water (50 mL) and cold pentane (50 mL) were successively added. After decantation, the aqueous layer was extracted with pentane (2 × 50 mL). The combined organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated under vacuum to give the crude trimethylsilyl enol ether. Repeatedly, high vacuum was shortly applied to remove the volatiles. After determining the purity by NMR analysis, the thus obtained silyl enol ether was used for photocatalytic coupling reaction.

General procedure B³



A mixture of ketone (5.0 mmol), chlorotrimethylsilane (0.8 mL, 6.0 mmol) and 1,8-diazabicyclo [5.4.0] undec-7-ene (DBU) (1.0 mL, 7.0 mmol) in dichloromethane (5.0 mL) was stirred at room temperature for 12 h. Then the mixture was diluted with pentane (10.0 mL) and washed with NaHCO₃ solutions and dried over Na₂SO₄. Solvent was evaporated to furnish the corresponding silyl enol ether.

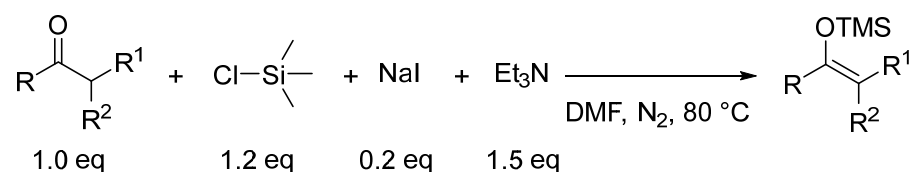
General procedure C⁴



To a solution of LiHMDS (50.0 mL, 1.0 M in THF) was added ketone (25.0 mmol) at 0 °C. After stirring for 30 min at the same temperature, TMSCl (4.8 mL, 37.5 mmol) was added at 0 °C. The mixture was stirred for 45 min at the same temperature before saturated aqueous

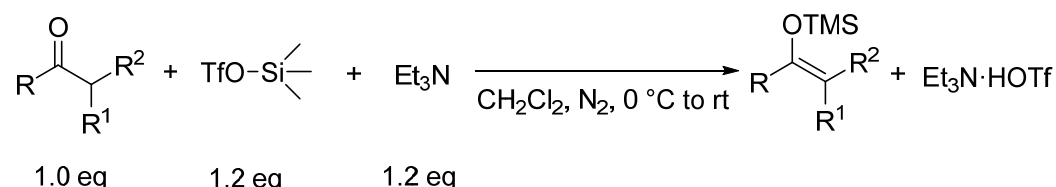
NaHCO₃ was added to quench the reaction. The aq. layer was extracted twice with hexanes (150 mL). The combined organic layers were washed with saturated NaHCO₃ solution and brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, and concentrated to give a yellow oil.

General procedure D⁵



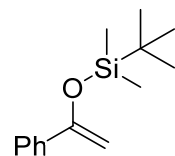
TMSCl (7.5 mL, 60.0 mmol) was added to a stirred solution of ketone (7.0 mL, 50.0 mmol), Et₃N (10.0 mL, 75.0 mmol) and NaI (1.5 g, 10 mmol) in DMF (30 mL). The solution was stirred at 80 °C under N₂ for 12 h. After cooling to room temperature, cold water (50 mL) was added and the solution was extracted with light petroleum (3 × 50 mL, b.p. 30–40 °C). The combined organic layers were washed with saturated NaHCO₃ (3 × 50 mL) and brine (3 × 50 mL) and evaporated under reduced pressure.

General procedure E⁶



Ketone (5.0 mmol) was added to a flame-dried round-bottom flask at 0 °C under N₂. Anhydrous dichloromethane (20 mL) was added to the flask, followed by triethylamine (0.85 mL, 6.0 mmol). Then TMSOTf (1.0 mL, 6.0 mmol) was added dropwise via syringe over 10 min. The reaction was stirred overnight at room temperature, which was monitored by TLC. Upon completion, the reaction was quenched with sat. aq. NaHCO₃ and diluted with DCM. The phases were separated and the aqueous layer was extracted with DCM (3 × 15 mL). The combined organic layers were washed with brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, and concentrated in vacuum.

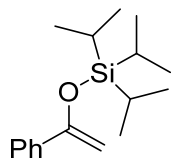
3.2 Physical data



tert-Butyldimethyl((1-phenylvinyl)oxy)silane⁷

Following general procedure A, *t*-butyldimethylchlorosilane (TBSCl) was used instead of chlorotrimethylsilane (TMSCl).

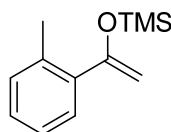
Yellow oil (1.65 g, 94% yield); R_f = 0.8 (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.75 – 7.68 (m, 2H), 7.45 – 7.32 (m, 3H), 4.99 (d, *J* = 1.9 Hz, 1H), 4.53 (d, *J* = 1.9 Hz, 1H), 1.27 – 0.83 (m, 9H), 0.32 (d, *J* = 2.5 Hz, 6H); ¹³C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 155.98, 137.80, 128.13, 128.02, 125.26, 90.86, 25.84, 18.31, –4.65.



Triisopropyl((1-phenylvinyl)oxy)silane⁸

Following general procedure E, TIPSOTf was used instead of TMSOTf.

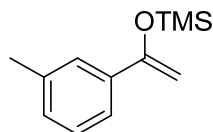
Yellow oil (1.5 g, 90% yield); $R_f = 0.8$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.75 (dt, $J = 7.3, 2.5$ Hz, 2H), 7.42 – 7.33 (m, 3H), 4.95 (dd, $J = 3.6, 1.9$ Hz, 1H), 4.56 – 4.44 (m, 1H), 1.39 (dd, $J = 7.6, 3.5$ Hz, 3H), 1.25 – 1.21 (m, 18H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 156.16, 137.91, 128.06, 128.00, 125.28, 89.89, 18.08, 12.79.



Trimethyl((1-(*o*-tolyl)vinyl)oxy)silane (1b)⁹

Following general procedure A.

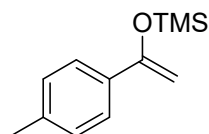
Yellow oil (1.4 g, 75% yield); $R_f = 0.8$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.36 (d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.26 – 7.05 (m, 3H), 4.59 (s, 1H), 4.45 (s, 1H), 2.44 (s, 3H), 0.24 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 157.80, 138.96, 135.79, 130.31, 128.67, 127.99, 125.35, 94.83, 20.43, 0.02.



Trimethyl((1-(*m*-tolyl)vinyl)oxy)silane (1c)

Following general procedure A.

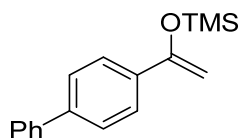
Yellow oil (1.7 g, 92% yield); $R_f = 0.8$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.52 (d, $J = 8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.32 (td, $J = 7.6, 2.9$ Hz, 1H), 7.20 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 1H), 5.12 – 4.85 (m, 1H), 4.57 – 4.44 (m, 1H), 2.46 (d, $J = 2.9$ Hz, 3H), 0.39 (d, $J = 4.0$ Hz, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 155.79, 137.45, 128.94, 127.94, 125.84, 122.39, 90.88, 21.43, 0.22.



Trimethyl((1-(*p*-tolyl)vinyl)oxy)silane (1d)^{10,11}

Following general procedure A.

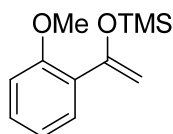
Yellow oil (1.8 g, 96% yield); $R_f = 0.8$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.56 (d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.19 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 4.95 (d, $J = 1.7$ Hz, 1H), 4.46 (d, $J = 1.9$ Hz, 1H), 2.41 (s, 3H), 0.34 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 155.71, 137.97, 134.76, 128.73, 125.13, 90.31, 21.11, 0.05.



((1-((1,1'-Biphenyl)-4-yl)vinyl)oxy)trimethylsilane (1e)¹¹

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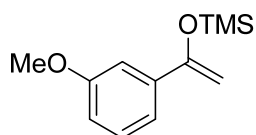
Yellow oil (1.9 g, 78% yield); $R_f = 0.7$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.84 – 7.61 (m, 6H), 7.52 (d, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 2H), 7.48 – 7.39 (m, 1H), 5.09 (d, $J = 1.8$ Hz, 1H), 4.59 (d, $J = 1.8$ Hz, 1H), 0.42 (d, $J = 2.1$ Hz, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 155.30, 140.88, 140.60, 136.41, 128.72, 127.28, 126.92, 126.72, 125.59, 91.07, 0.06.



((1-(2-Methoxyphenyl)vinyl)oxy)trimethylsilane (1f)¹²

Following general procedure A.

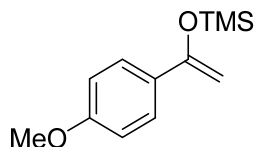
Yellow oil (1.76 g, 87% yield); $R_f = 0.8$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.59 (d, $J = 8.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.31 (s, 1H), 7.00 (s, 1H), 6.93 (d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, 1H), 5.11 (s, 1H), 4.74 (s, 1H), 3.89 (s, 3H), 0.31 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 157.02, 153.00, 129.05, 128.97, 126.84, 120.06, 110.95, 96.46, 55.16, 0.04.



((1-(3-Methoxyphenyl)vinyl)oxy)trimethylsilane (1g)¹⁰

Following general procedure A.

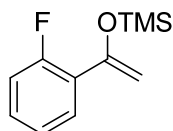
Yellow oil (1.5 g, 73% yield); $R_f = 0.8$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.27 (s, 1H), 7.24 (d, $J = 1.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.20 (s, 1H), 6.87 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 4.96 (d, $J = 1.6$ Hz, 1H), 4.48 (d, $J = 1.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.84 (s, 3H), 0.32 (d, $J = 1.4$ Hz, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 159.41, 155.36, 138.99, 128.96, 117.72, 113.53, 110.91, 91.32, 55.03, 0.03.



((1-(4-Methoxyphenyl)vinyl)oxy)trimethylsilane (1h)

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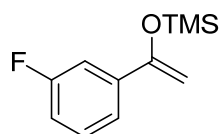
Yellow oil (1.5 g, 76% yield); $R_f = 0.8$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.87 – 7.29 (m, 2H), 6.90 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2H), 4.86 (s, 1H), 4.40 (s, 1H), 3.83 (s, 3H), 0.33 (d, $J = 2.5$ Hz, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 159.69, 155.38, 130.16, 126.48, 113.33, 89.30, 55.09, 0.00.



((1-(2-Fluorophenyl)vinyl)oxy)trimethylsilane (1i)¹³

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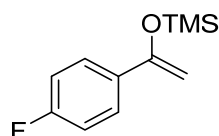
Yellow oil (1.6 g, 84% yield); $R_f = 0.8$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.64 – 7.48 (m, 1H), 7.31 – 7.15 (m, 1H), 7.12 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.05 (dd, $J = 11.7, 8.2$ Hz, 1H), 5.04 (s, 1H), 4.71 (s, 1H), 0.27 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 160.93, 159.27, 150.41, 129.40, 128.80, 116.01, 97.22, 97.15, 0.22.



((1-(3-Fluorophenyl)vinyl)oxy)trimethylsilane (1j)¹⁴

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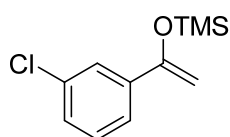
Yellow oil (1.4 g, 76% yield); $R_f = 0.8$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.41 (dd, $J = 7.8, 1.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.37 – 7.19 (m, 2H), 7.00 (td, $J = 8.3, 2.7$ Hz, 1H), 4.97 (d, $J = 1.8$ Hz, 1H), 4.51 (t, $J = 1.8$ Hz, 1H), 0.32 (d, $J = 1.7$ Hz, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 163.66, 162.04, 154.47, 129.48, 120.78, 114.83, 112.25, 91.80, 0.13.



((1-(4-Fluorophenyl)vinyl)oxy)trimethylsilane (1k)⁹

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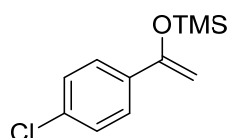
Yellow oil (1.5 g, 82% yield); $R_f = 0.8$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.59 (dd, $J = 7.7, 5.5$ Hz, 2H), 7.05 – 6.99 (m, 2H), 4.86 (s, 1H), 4.43 (s, 1H), 0.30 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 164.04, 161.58, 154.79, 133.72, 133.68, 127.00, 126.92, 114.95, 114.7, 90.54, -0.01.



((1-(3-Chlorophenyl)vinyl)oxy)trimethylsilane (1l)¹⁵

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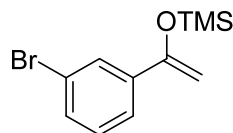
Yellow oil (1.4 g, 70% yield); $R_f = 0.8$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.60 (s, 1H), 7.49 (dt, $J = 6.5, 1.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.32 – 7.22 (m, 2H), 4.94 (d, $J = 1.9$ Hz, 1H), 4.48 (d, $J = 1.9$ Hz, 1H), 0.30 (d, $J = 1.3$ Hz, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 154.28, 139.39, 134.09, 129.24, 128.30, 125.32, 123.27, 91.84, -0.05.



((1-(4-Chlorophenyl)vinyl)oxy)trimethylsilane (1m)^{9,10}

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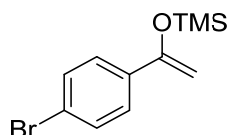
Yellow oil (1.2 g, 75% yield); $R_f = 0.8$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.53 (dd, $J = 8.6, 1.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.30 (dt, $J = 9.4, 2.2$ Hz, 2H), 4.91 (t, $J = 1.7$ Hz, 1H), 4.46 (d, $J = 1.7$ Hz, 1H), 0.39 – 0.23 (m, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 154.62, 136.00, 133.96, 128.19, 126.50, 91.34, 0.00.



((1-(3-Bromophenyl)vinyl)oxy)trimethylsilane (1n)¹⁰

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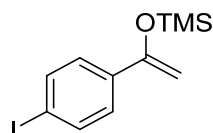
Yellow oil (2.0 g, 81% yield); $R_f = 0.8$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.73 (d, $J = 1.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.52 (m, $J = 7.9, 1.8, 1.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.41 (m, $J = 8.0, 2.1, 1.1$ Hz, 1H), 7.19 (s, 1H), 4.92 (d, $J = 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 4.47 (d, $J = 1.9$ Hz, 1H), 0.29 (d, $J = 1.1$ Hz, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 154.16, 139.62, 131.02, 129.52, 128.26, 123.72, 122.34, 91.87, -0.28.



((1-(4-Bromophenyl)vinyl)oxy)trimethylsilane (1o)⁹

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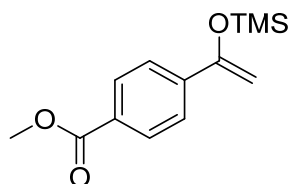
Yellow oil (2.1 g, 84% yield); $R_f = 0.8$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.61 – 7.31 (m, 4H), 4.93 (d, $J = 1.9$ Hz, 1H), 4.48 (t, $J = 1.8$ Hz, 1H), 0.30 (d, $J = 2.9$ Hz, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 154.66, 136.45, 131.14, 126.79, 122.21, 91.41, 0.00.



((1-(4-Iodophenyl)vinyl)oxy)trimethylsilane (1p)⁹

Following general procedure A.

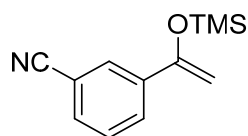
Yellow oil (2.5 g, 86% yield); $R_f = 0.8$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.66 (d, $J = 8.7$ Hz, 2H), 7.34 (d, $J = 8.6$ Hz, 2H), 4.93 (d, $J = 1.5$ Hz, 1H), 4.46 (d, $J = 1.6$ Hz, 1H), 0.29 (d, $J = 1.6$ Hz, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 154.71, 137.12, 137.04, 126.98, 93.93, 91.54, 0.03.



Methyl 4-((1-((trimethylsilyl)oxy)vinyl)benzoate (1q)

Following general procedure A.

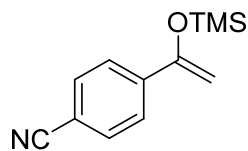
Yellow oil (1.9 g, 84% yield); $R_f = 0.7$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.97 (d, $J = 8.5$ Hz, 2H), 7.62 (d, $J = 8.6$ Hz, 2H), 4.99 (s, 1H), 4.50 (s, 1H), 3.86 (s, 3H), 0.25 (d, $J = 1.7$ Hz, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 166.55, 154.60, 141.67, 129.53, 129.29, 124.90, 92.88, 51.78, -0.19 .



3-(1-((Trimethylsilyloxy)vinyl)benzonitrile (1r)

Following general procedure A.

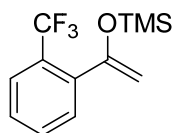
Yellow oil (1.3 g, 65% yield); $R_f = 0.8$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.79 (s, 1H), 7.75 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.49 (d, $J = 7.7$ Hz, 1H), 7.36 (t, $J = 7.9$ Hz, 1H), 4.91 (s, 1H), 4.46 (s, 1H), 0.24 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 153.19, 138.46, 131.13, 129.01, 128.65, 128.43, 118.47, 112.07, 92.09, -0.36 .



4-(1-((Trimethylsilyloxy)vinyl)benzonitrile (1s)¹³

Following general procedure A.

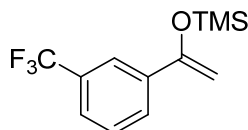
Yellow oil (1.5 g, 78% yield); $R_f = 0.8$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.66 (d, $J = 8.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.59 (d, $J = 8.9$ Hz, 2H), 5.01 (d, $J = 2.2$ Hz, 1H), 4.56 (d, $J = 2.2$ Hz, 1H), 0.27 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 153.82, 141.73, 132.40, 131.86, 128.60, 125.59, 93.64, -0.12 .



Trimethyl((1-(2-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)vinyl)oxy)silane (1t)

Following general procedure A.

Dark oil (1.7 g, 72% yield); $R_f = 0.8$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.69 (d, $J = 7.9$ Hz, 1H), 7.52 (dd, $J = 16.2, 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.42 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 4.60 – 4.48 (m, 2H), 0.29 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 156.01, 138.53, 131.59, 130.77, 128.17, 126.41, 125.03, 123.21, 94.44, -0.30 .

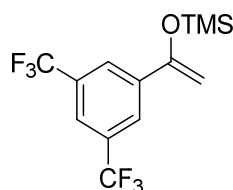


Trimethyl((1-(3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)vinyl)oxy)silane (1u)

Following general procedure A.

Yellow oil (1.5 g, 65% yield); $R_f = 0.8$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.87 (s, 1H), 7.78 (d, $J = 7.9$ Hz, 1H), 7.55 (d, $J = 6.7$ Hz, 1H), 7.44 (t, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 1H), 5.00 (s, 1H), 4.54 (s, 1H), 0.30 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 154.26, 138.35,

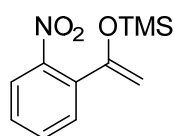
131.02, 130.71, 130.39, 130.07, 128.53, 128.32, 125.51, 124.74, 124.70, 122.80, 121.96, 121.92, 92.05, -0.30.



((1-(3,5-Bis(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)vinyl)oxy)trimethylsilane (1v)

Following general procedure A.

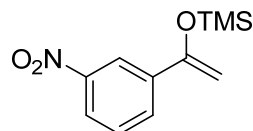
Dark oil (2.3 g, 76% yield); $R_f = 0.8$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.03 (s, 2H), 7.79 (s, 1H), 5.06 (d, $J = 2.5$ Hz, 1H), 4.62 (d, $J = 2.5$ Hz, 1H), 0.31 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 153.10, 139.80, 131.67 (q, $J = 33.3$ Hz), 127.53, 125.23, 124.82, 122.11, 121.72, 121.65, 119.40, 93.21, -0.18.



Trimethyl((1-(2-nitrophenyl)vinyl)oxy)silane (1w)

Following general procedure A.

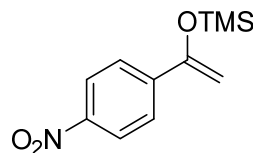
Dark oil (1.2 g, 57% yield); $R_f = 0.65$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.63 – 7.55 (m, 1H), 7.55 – 7.44 (m, 2H), 7.46 – 7.32 (m, 1H), 4.66 (d, $J = 2.2$ Hz, 1H), 4.49 (d, $J = 2.2$ Hz, 1H), 0.21 (d, $J = 1.1$ Hz, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 153.70, 133.21, 131.60, 129.98, 128.79, 123.38, 93.85, 7.06, -0.82.



Trimethyl((1-(3-nitrophenyl)vinyl)oxy)silane (1x)¹⁰

Following general procedure A.

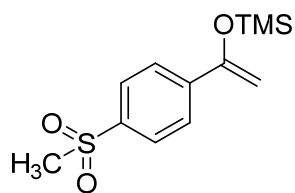
Yellow oil (1.5 g, 72% yield); $R_f = 0.7$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.40 (s, 1H), 8.13 – 8.08 (m, 1H), 7.89 (d, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.47 (t, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 5.02 (d, $J = 2.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.55 (d, $J = 2.4$ Hz, 1H), 0.29 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 153.34, 148.28, 139.29, 129.81, 128.97, 122.72, 120.01, 92.71, -0.11.



Trimethyl((1-(4-nitrophenyl)vinyl)oxy)silane (1y)¹⁶

Following general procedure A.

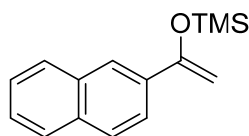
Yellow oil (1.74 g, 81% yield); $R_f = 0.7$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.15 (d, $J = 8.1$ Hz, 2H), 7.71 (d, $J = 8.5$ Hz, 2H), 5.07 (d, $J = 2.3$ Hz, 1H), 4.61 (d, $J = 2.3$ Hz, 1H), 0.28 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 153.57, 147.36, 143.57, 125.73, 123.28, 94.34, -0.81.



Trimethyl((1-(4-(methylsulfonyl)phenyl)vinyl)oxy)silane (1z)¹¹

Following general procedure A.

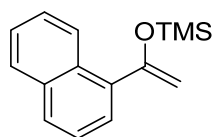
Yellow oil (2.1 g, 87% yield); $R_f = 0.7$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.83 (d, $J = 8.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.71 (d, $J = 8.6$ Hz, 2H), 5.00 (d, $J = 2.3$ Hz, 1H), 4.53 (s, 1H), 2.99 (s, 3H), 0.22 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 153.65, 142.52, 139.57, 127.04, 125.70, 93.74, 44.22, -0.23.



Trimethyl((1-(naphthalen-2-yl)vinyl)oxy)silane (1a')⁹

Following general procedure A.

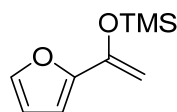
Yellow oil (1.6 g, 71% yield); $R_f = 0.7$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.16 (s, 1H), 7.96 – 7.75 (m, 4H), 7.53 (s, 2H), 5.18 – 5.14 (m, 1H), 4.66 – 4.63 (m, 1H), 0.41 (d, $J = 4.0$ Hz, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 155.59, 134.76, 133.26, 133.18, 128.48, 127.61, 127.50, 126.09, 126.07, 124.24, 123.33, 91.88, 0.11.



Trimethyl((1-(naphthalen-1-yl)vinyl)oxy)silane (1b')⁹

Following general procedure A.

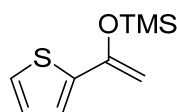
Yellow oil (2.1 g, 98% yield); $R_f = 0.7$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.49 (s, 1H), 7.95 – 7.89 (m, 2H), 7.71 – 7.49 (m, 4H), 4.97 – 4.70 (m, 2H), 0.29 (dd, $J = 8.8, 4.5$ Hz, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 156.99, 137.30, 133.66, 131.00, 128.63, 128.12, 126.24, 126.13, 125.92, 125.68, 125.00, 96.62, 0.12.



((1-(Furan-2-yl)vinyl)oxy)trimethylsilane (1c')¹⁰

Following general procedure A.

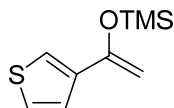
Yellow oil (1.4 g, 84% yield); $R_f = 0.7$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.34 (s, 1H), 6.45 – 6.33 (m, 2H), 4.91 (d, $J = 1.5$ Hz, 1H), 4.39 (d, $J = 1.6$ Hz, 1H), 0.28 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 152.14, 147.55, 142.29, 111.03, 106.95, 90.27, -0.33.



Trimethyl((1-(thiophen-2-yl)vinyl)oxy)silane (1d')¹⁰

Following general procedure A.

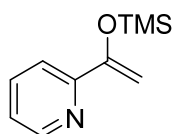
Yellow oil (1.3 g, 73% yield); $R_f = 0.7$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.19 (t, $J = 4.5$ Hz, 2H), 6.97 (dd, $J = 5.0, 3.7$ Hz, 1H), 4.84 (d, $J = 1.9$ Hz, 1H), 4.35 (d, $J = 1.8$ Hz, 1H), 0.31 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 150.85, 142.61, 127.18, 124.92, 123.80, 90.15, 0.002.



Trimethyl((1-(thiophen-3-yl)vinyl)oxy)silane (**1e'**)

Following general procedure A.

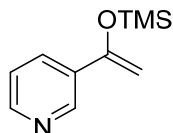
Yellow oil (1.5 g, 82% yield); $R_f = 0.7$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.41 – 7.40 (m, 1H), 7.26 – 7.23 (m, 2H), 4.80 (s, 1H), 4.42 (d, $J = 0.9$ Hz, 1H), 0.31 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 152.12, 140.37, 126.30, 125.21, 121.75, 90.76, 0.04.



2-(1-((Trimethylsilyl)oxy)vinyl)pyridine (**1f'**)¹⁰

Following general procedure A.

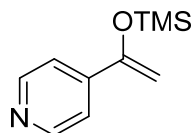
Yellow oil (1.2 g, 71% yield); $R_f = 0.7$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.47 (s, 1H), 7.60 (d, $J = 11.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.09 (t, $J = 4.4$ Hz, 1H), 5.61 (s, 1H), 4.51 (d, $J = 2.9$ Hz, 1H), 0.23 (d, $J = 3.4$ Hz, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 148.79, 136.61, 136.33, 126.88, 122.67, 118.86, 93.27, -0.14.



3-(1-((Trimethylsilyl)oxy)vinyl)pyridine (**1g'**)¹⁷

Following general procedure A.

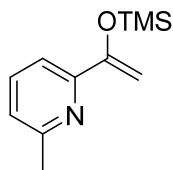
Brown oil (1.2 g, 72% yield); $R_f = 0.7$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.51 (d, $J = 1.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.63 (t, $J = 6.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.57 (d, $J = 7.9$ Hz, 1H), 7.16 – 7.07 (m, 1H), 5.64 (s, 1H), 4.54 (s, 1H), 0.32 – 0.22 (m, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 154.58, 154.27, 148.78, 136.38, 122.71, 118.92, 93.34, -0.08.



4-(1-((Trimethylsilyl)oxy)vinyl)pyridine (**1h'**)

Following general procedure A.

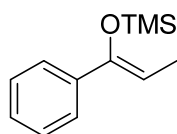
Yellow oil (1.3 g, 76% yield); $R_f = 0.7$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.51 – 8.45 (m, 2H), 7.39 – 7.32 (m, 2H), 5.05 – 4.99 (m, 1H), 4.54 – 4.48 (m, 1H), 0.20 (d, $J = 2.8$ Hz, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 153.13, 150.76, 149.67, 144.56, 120.98, 93.79, -0.25.



2-Methyl-6-(1-((trimethylsilyloxy)vinyl)pyridine (1i')

Following general procedure A.

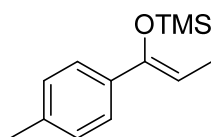
Yellow oil (1.5 g, 79% yield); $R_f = 0.7$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.50 (s, 1H), 7.36 (d, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 1H), 6.98 (d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1H), 5.65 (s, 1H), 4.51 (s, 1H), 2.49 (s, 3H), 0.24 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 157.41, 154.50, 153.88, 136.45, 122.35, 115.87, 93.19, 24.46, -0.09.



(Z)-Trimethyl((1-phenylprop-1-en-1-yl)oxy)silane (1j')¹⁰

Following general procedure B.

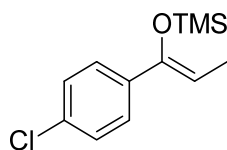
Yellow oil (1.6 g, 87% yield); $R_f = 0.9$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.64 – 7.49 (m, 2H), 7.38 – 7.32 (m, 2H), 7.31 – 7.26 (m, 1H), 5.41 (dd, $J = 6.9, 2.9$ Hz, 1H), 1.83 (dd, $J = 6.3, 2.8$ Hz, 3H), 0.24 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 149.90, 139.20, 127.96, 125.16, 105.19, 29.72, 11.61, 0.51.



(Z)-Trimethyl((1-(p-tolyl)prop-1-en-1-yl)oxy)silane (1k')

Following general procedure B.

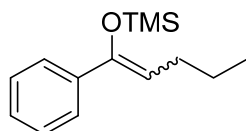
Yellow oil (1.7 g, 86% yield); $R_f = 0.7$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.44 – 7.41 (m, 2H), 7.16 (d, $J = 7.9$ Hz, 2H), 5.36 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 1H), 2.39 (s, 3H), 1.81 (dd, $J = 6.9, 2.2$ Hz, 3H), 0.22 (d, $J = 2.3$ Hz, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 149.85, 136.91, 136.38, 128.67, 125.08, 104.38, 21.05, 11.58, 0.53.



(Z)-((1-(4-Chlorophenyl)prop-1-en-1-yl)oxy)trimethylsilane (1l')

Following general procedure B.

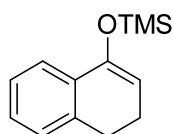
Yellow oil (1.8 g, 83% yield); $R_f = 0.7$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.40 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2H), 7.27 (d, $J = 8.7$ Hz, 2H), 5.33 (d, $J = 6.9$ Hz, 1H), 1.75 (d, $J = 6.9$ Hz, 3H), 0.16 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 148.86, 137.70, 132.91, 128.14, 126.37, 105.83, 11.63, 0.48.



(Z)-Trimethyl((1-phenylpent-1-en-1-yl)oxy)silane (1m')^{18,19}

Following general procedure E.

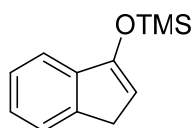
Brown oil (982 mg, 84% yield); $R_f = 0.9$ (20:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.55 (d, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.34 (d, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 3H), 5.34 (s, 1H), 2.27 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 1.54 (d, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 2H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 0.24 – 0.18 (m, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 148.97, 139.29, 127.97, 127.27, 125.30, 111.35, 28.30, 22.93, 14.00, 0.51.



((3,4-Dihydronaphthalen-1-yl)oxy)trimethylsilane (1n')

Following general procedure A.

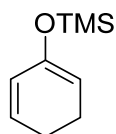
Yellow oil (1.7 g, 85% yield); $R_f = 0.7$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.65 (t, $J = 6.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.42 – 7.23 (m, 3H), 5.39 (q, $J = 5.0$ Hz, 1H), 2.98 – 2.89 (m, 2H), 2.55 – 2.44 (m, 2H), 0.51 – 0.42 (m, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 148.03, 136.85, 133.40, 127.17, 126.83, 126.05, 121.71, 104.98, 28.07, 22.07, 0.07.



((1H-Inden-3-yl)oxy)trimethylsilane (1o')¹⁰

Following general procedure A.

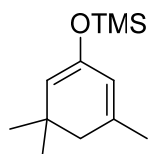
Yellow oil (1.3 g, 69% yield); $R_f = 0.7$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.53 – 7.39 (m, 3H), 7.32 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1H), 5.55 (t, $J = 2.5$ Hz, 1H), 3.38 (d, $J = 2.4$ Hz, 2H), 0.44 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 153.47, 142.61, 141.73, 125.93, 125.05, 123.66, 118.05, 105.99, 33.84, -0.09.



(Cyclohexa-1,5-dien-1-yloxy)trimethylsilane (1p')⁴

Following general procedure C.

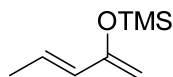
Yellow oil (3.2 g, 78% yield); $R_f = 0.8$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 5.87 – 5.82 (m, 1H), 5.71 – 5.65 (m, 1H), 4.86 (s, 1H), 2.14 (s, 4H), 0.24 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 128.79, 126.39, 102.32, 35.40, 31.86, 26.88, 22.66, 22.61, 22.55, 21.69, 14.05, 1.87.



Trimethyl((3,3,5-trimethylcyclohexa-1,5-dien-1-yl)oxy)silane (1q')²⁰

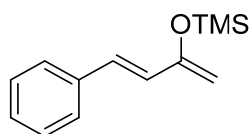
Following general procedure C.

Yellow oil (4.3 g, 82% yield); $R_f = 0.8$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 5.41 (s, 1H), 4.51 (s, 1H), 1.91 (s, 2H), 1.74 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 6H), 0.16 (d, $J = 3.7$ Hz, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 147.21, 119.88, 111.60, 43.99, 32.27, 28.88, 23.14, 5.41, 2.43.

**(E)-Trimethyl(penta-1,3-dien-2-yloxy)silane (1r')**²¹

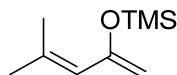
Following general procedure A.

Yellow oil (1.2 g, 84% yield); $R_f = 0.9$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 6.09 – 5.77 (m, 2H), 4.20 (s, 2H), 1.76 (d, $J = 6.2$ Hz, 3H), 0.23 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 154.88, 129.00, 126.41, 93.63, 17.44, -0.05.

**(E)-Trimethyl((4-phenylbuta-1,3-dien-2-yl)oxy)silane (1s')**

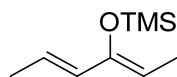
Following general procedure B.

Yellow oil (1.0 g, 87% yield); $R_f = 0.8$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.60 – 7.47 (m, 2H), 7.46 – 7.39 (m, 2H), 7.34 (d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1H), 6.98 (d, $J = 3.8$ Hz, 1H), 6.73 (d, $J = 15.7$ Hz, 1H), 4.60 (d, $J = 17.6$ Hz, 2H), 0.44 (d, $J = 2.2$ Hz, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 155.02, 136.75, 129.20, 128.54, 127.62, 126.74, 126.35, 96.90, 0.04.

**Trimethyl((4-methylpenta-1,3-dien-2-yl)oxy)silane (1t')**²¹

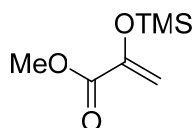
Following general procedure B.

Yellow oil (0.8 g, 89% yield); $R_f = 0.9$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 5.59 (s, 1H), 4.21 (d, $J = 56.0$ Hz, 2H), 1.92 (s, 3H), 1.77 (s, 3H), 0.23 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 155.56, 122.68, 111.54, 110.20, 94.56, 27.11, 19.34, 0.27.

**((2Z,4E)-Hexa-2,4-dien-3-yl)oxy)trimethylsilane (1u')**

Following general procedure A.

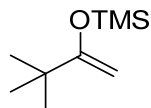
Yellow oil (1.4 g, 88% yield); $R_f = 0.9$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 5.86 (dd, $J = 15.3, 1.7$ Hz, 1H), 5.73 (d, $J = 6.9$ Hz, 1H), 4.72 (q, $J = 6.9$ Hz, 1H), 1.74 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 3H), 1.61 (d, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 3H), 0.20 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 149.36, 129.88, 123.06, 107.10, 17.52, 11.43, 0.36.



Methyl 2-((trimethylsilyl)oxy)acrylate (1v')^{22,23}

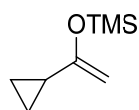
Following general procedure D, the solvent changed from DMF to CH₂Cl₂.

Reddish oil (3.5 g, 80% yield); R_f = 0.7 (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ¹H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 5.44 (s, 1H), 4.82 (s, 1H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 0.18 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 164.72, 146.89, 103.84, 51.95, -0.22.

**3,3-Dimethylbut-1-en-2-ol (1w')**⁹

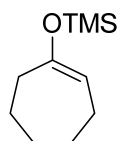
Following general procedure A.

Yellow oil (0.7 g, 80% yield); R_f = 0.9 (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 4.09 (d, *J* = 1.4 Hz, 1H), 3.93 (d, *J* = 1.4 Hz, 1H), 1.06 (s, 9H), 0.22 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 167.10, 85.73, 36.35, 28.03, 0.09.

**1-Cyclopropylethen-1-ol (1x')**^{24,25}

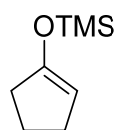
Following general procedure E.

Yellow oil (344 mg, 82% yield); R_f = 0.9 (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ¹H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 4.11 (d, *J* = 0.8 Hz, 1H), 3.98 (s, 1H), 1.48 – 1.32 (m, 1H), 0.55 (m, 4H), 0.17 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 159.03, 87.58, 15.46, 4.37, -0.04.

**(Cyclohept-1-en-1-yloxy)trimethylsilane (1z')**⁶

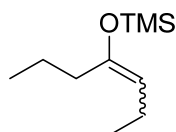
Following general procedure A.

Yellow oil (1.5 g, 91% yield); R_f = 0.9 (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 5.01 (s, 1H), 2.27 – 2.15 (m, 2H), 1.98 (dt, *J* = 9.3, 4.6 Hz, 2H), 1.72 – 1.52 (m, 6H), 0.16 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 156.02, 108.58, 35.52, 31.59, 27.82, 25.36, 25.23, 0.18.

**(Cyclopent-1-en-1-yloxy)trimethylsilane (1a'')**^{26,27}

Following general procedure A.

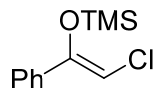
Yellow oil (1.2 g, 85% yield); R_f = 0.9 (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 4.64 – 4.62 (m, 1H), 2.30 – 2.25 (m, 4H), 1.89 – 1.83 (m, 2H), 0.22 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 154.97, 102.02, 33.47, 28.70, 21.28, -0.06.



(Hept-3-en-4-yloxy)trimethylsilane (1b'')²⁸

Following general procedure A.

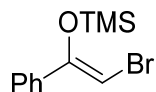
Yellow oil (1.4 g, 84% yield); $R_f = 0.8$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 4.43 (s, 1H), 1.96 (s, 4H), 1.48 (s, 2H), 0.90 (d, $J = 13.2$ Hz, 6H), 0.17 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 149.41, 110.39, 38.67, 20.15, 18.64, 14.45, 13.62, 0.51.



(Z)-((2-Chloro-1-phenylvinyl)oxy)trimethylsilane (1c'')¹⁰

Following general procedure E.

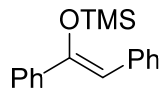
Yellow oil (960 mg, 85% yield); $R_f = 0.8$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.51 – 7.47 (m, 2H), 7.35 (dd, $J = 5.9, 2.2$ Hz, 3H), 5.99 (d, $J = 2.6$ Hz, 1H), 0.27 (d, $J = 3.6$ Hz, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 151.39, 136.34, 128.82, 128.60, 128.45, 128.33, 125.28, 99.92, -0.55.



(Z)-((2-Bromo-1-phenylvinyl)oxy)trimethylsilane (1d'')¹⁰

Following general procedure E.

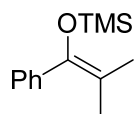
Dark oil (1.2 g, 87% yield); $R_f = 0.8$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.52 – 7.45 (m, 2H), 7.38 – 7.32 (m, 3H), 5.97 (s, 1H), 0.26 (d, $J = 1.2$ Hz, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 153.45, 136.78, 128.67, 128.31, 125.64, 88.28, -0.64.



(Z)-((1,2-Diphenylvinyl)oxy)trimethylsilane (1e'')^{29,5}

Following general procedure D.

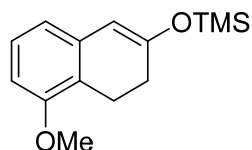
Dark oil (4.69 g, 70% yield); $R_f = 0.6$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.78 – 7.65 (m, 4H), 7.46 – 7.35 (m, 5H), 7.26 (s, 1H), 6.24 (s, 1H), 0.15 (d, $J = 1.8$ Hz, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 150.88, 139.66, 136.62, 128.61, 128.11, 128.06, 128.00, 126.14, 126.04, 110.53, 0.65.



Trimethyl((2-methyl-1-phenylprop-1-en-1-yl)oxy)silane (1f'')^{6,28}

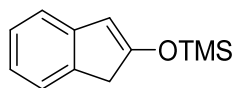
Following general procedure A.

Yellow oil (1.2 g, 65% yield); $R_f = 0.75$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.34 – 7.28 (m, 4H), 7.22 (t, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 1H), 1.80 (s, 3H), 1.69 (s, 3H), -0.02 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 143.48, 138.97, 129.07, 127.56, 127.00, 112.71, 18.14, 19.63, -0.20.



((5-Methoxy-3,4-dihydronaphthalen-2-yl)oxy)trimethylsilane (1g'')³⁰

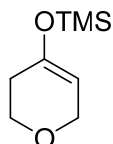
^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 6.86 – 6.52 (m, 3H), 5.71 (s, 1H), 3.83 (s, 3H), 2.58 – 2.50 (m, 2H), 2.38 (t, $J = 8.5$ Hz, 2H), 0.32 (dd, $J = 2.1, 1.2$ Hz, 9H).



((1*H*-Inden-2-yl)oxy)trimethylsilane (1h'')¹⁰

Following general procedure C.

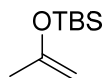
Dark oil (3.8 g, 75% yield); $R_f = 0.8$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.27 (s, 1H), 7.14 – 7.13 (m, 1H), 5.78 (s, 1H), 3.30 (s, 2H), 0.32 (s, 9H).



((3,6-Dihydro-2*H*-pyran-4-yl)oxy)trimethylsilane (1i'')¹⁰

Following general procedure A.

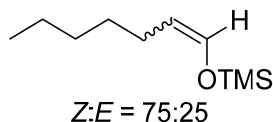
Yellow oil (1.4 g, 89% yield); $R_f = 0.7$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 4.74 (s, 1H), 4.05 (d, $J = 1.8$ Hz, 2H), 3.72 (d, $J = 5.3$ Hz, 2H), 2.04 (s, 2H), 0.13 (d, $J = 4.8$ Hz, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 147.61, 136.82, 102.02, 64.42, 30.28, 0.06.



***tert*-Butyldimethyl(prop-1-en-2-yloxy)silane (1j'')**^{31,32}

Following general procedure E, TBSOTf was used instead of TMSOTf.

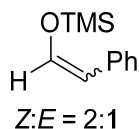
^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 4.04 (s, 2H), 1.77 (s, 3H), 0.93 (s, 9H), 0.16 (s, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 156.19, 91.20, 25.63, 22.67, 18.02, -4.68.



(Hept-1-en-1-yloxy)trimethylsilane (1k'')³³

Following general procedure A.

Yellow oil (1.6 g, 95% yield); $R_f = 0.9$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 6.18 (d, $J = 12.0$ Hz, 0.26H), 6.13 (d, $J = 6.6$ Hz, 0.84H), 4.99 (s, 0.32H), 4.48 (d, $J = 6.1$ Hz, 0.88H), 2.06 (d, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 2H), 1.87 (d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 0.64H), 1.29 (s, 11H), 0.88 (d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 5H), 0.17 (d, $J = 2.4$ Hz, 11H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 139.25, 137.56, 112.15, 111.73, 31.51, 31.24, 30.12, 29.39, 27.31, 23.54, 22.60, 22.53, 22.49, 14.04.

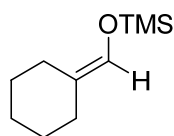


(*E*)-Trimethyl(styryloxy)silane (1l'')³⁴

Following general procedure D, THF was used instead of DMF as the solvent.

Yellow oil (1.7 g, 89% yield); $R_f = 0.9$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.84 (s, 2H), 7.56 – 7.11 (m, 11H), 6.26 (ddd, $J = 12.3, 9.7, 4.8$ Hz, 0.6H), 5.58 – 5.49 (m,

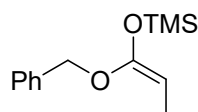
1H), 0.53 – 0.40 (m, 16H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 141.35, 139.55, 136.21, 136.07, 128.37, 128.10, 127.96, 125.69, 125.60, 125.04, 113.16, 109.47, –0.56.



(1-Cyclohexylideneethoxy)trimethylsilane (1m'')³⁵

Following general procedure A.

Yellow oil (1.5 g, 83% yield); *R*_f = 0.7 (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ¹H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 5.97 (s, 1H), 2.16 (t, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 1.92 (t, *J* = 5.9 Hz, 2H), 1.52 – 1.44 (m, 6H), 0.14 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 130.04, 122.24, 30.51, 28.41, 26.97, 26.90, 25.27, –0.75.



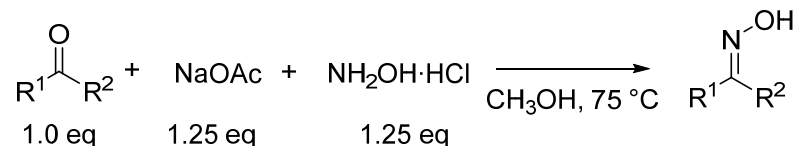
(*E*)-((1-(Benzyloxy)prop-1-en-1-yl)oxy)trimethylsilane (1n'')³⁶

Following general procedure C, the temperature was controlled at –78 °C.

¹H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.43 – 7.32 (m, 5H), 4.86 (s, 2H), 3.75 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 1H), 1.53 (dd, *J* = 6.6, 1.0 Hz, 3H), 0.28 – 0.20 (m, 9H).

4. Preparation of *gem*-bromonitroalkanes

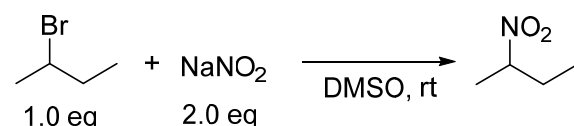
4.1 Preparation of oximes^{37,38}



In a round-bottom flask, ketone (50 mmol) was dissolved in CH₃OH (100 mL) under N₂ atmosphere, then sodium acetate (5.12 g, 62.5 mmol) and hydroxylamine hydrochloride (4.35 g, 62.5 mmol) were added. The solution was heated at 75 °C to reflux and stirred overnight. After cooling to room temperature, methanol was evaporated and H₂O (50 mL) was added followed by AcOEt (100 mL). Then the organic layer was washed with saturated brine (50 mL), dried over Na₂SO₄, and concentrated to give a white solid.

4.2 Preparation of nitro compounds

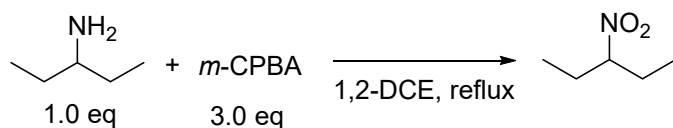
2-Nitrobutane



2-Bromobutane (5.5 mL, 40 mmol) was added to a stirred mixture of NaNO₂ (5.5 g, 80 mmol) in DMSO (100 mL). After stirring for 6 h, the reaction mixture was poured into ice-water (60 mL) and layered with hexanes (100 mL). The aq. phase was extracted with hexanes. Then the organic layers were washed with water (2 × 50 mL), dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered, concentrated at 30 °C under vacuum (20 Torr) to afford the product as a blue oil (2.5 g, 61%

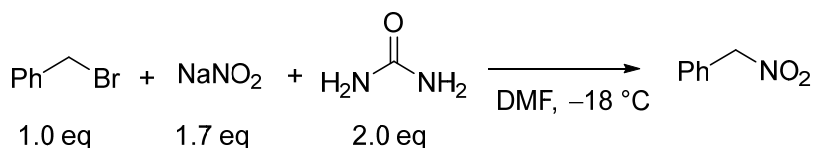
yield).

3-Nitropentane



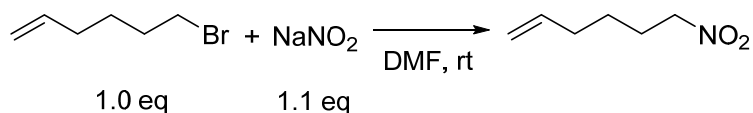
m-Chloroperbenzoic acid (17.2 g, 100.0 mmol) was dissolved in 1,2-dichloroethane (DCE) (20 mL) in a three-necked round-bottom flask equipped with a condenser and a pressure-equalizing dropping funnel. 3-Pentylamine (2.2 mL, 20 mmol) in 1,2-DCE (40 mL) was added dropwise to the refluxing peracid solution. Reflux was continued for 3 h after the addition and then the reaction mixture was cooled, filtered, washed with 1 M NaOH three times, dried over Na₂SO₄, and evaporated at 30 °C under reduced pressure (20 Torr). The crude nitro compound was purified by silica gel chromatography (light petroleum) to afford the product (1.47 g, 63% yield).

Phenyl nitromethane³⁹



Benzyl bromide (5.10 g, 30.0 mmol) was added to a stirred mixture of NaNO₂ (3.50 g, 50.0 mmol) and urea (3.60 g, 60.0 mmol) in DMF (60 mL) at -18 °C. After stirring at -18 °C for 6 h, the reaction mixture was poured into ice-water (60 mL) and layered with hexanes (100 mL). The aqueous phase was extracted with diethyl ether (3 × 60 mL). Then the extracts were washed with 10% aqueous sodium thiosulfate solution (2 × 20 mL) and water (2 × 50 mL) in sequence. The organic phase was dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered, concentrated, and the residue was chromatographed (20:1 hexanes/AcOEt) on silica gel to afford the product (1.85 g, 45% yield).

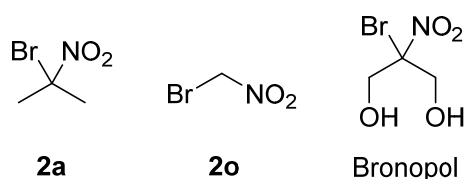
6-Nitro-1-hexene



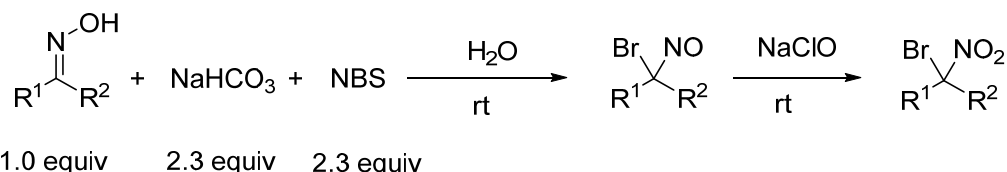
To a stirred solution of sodium nitrite (1.42 g, 20.56 mmol) in DMF (40 mL) was added 6-bromohex-1-ene (2.50 mL, 18.7 mmol), and the reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for 2 hours. The pale yellow solution was then partitioned between ice-water (100 mL) and diethyl ether (50 mL), and the organic phase was separated. The aqueous component was extracted with diethyl ether (3 × 50 mL), and the combined organic extracts were subsequently washed with water (2 × 50 mL), dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, and concentrated under reduced pressure. Purification by flash column chromatography (petroleum) afforded the product as a pale yellow oil (1.0 g, 42% yield).

4.3 Preparation of *gem*-bromonitroalkanes

gem-bromonitroalkanes from commercial sources:

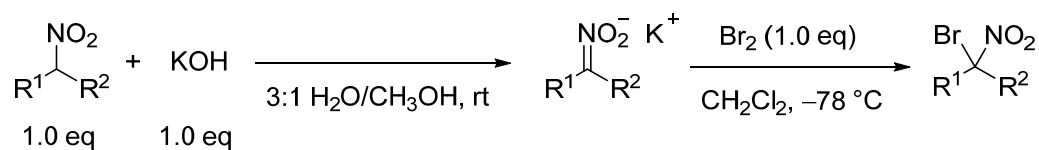


General procedure F



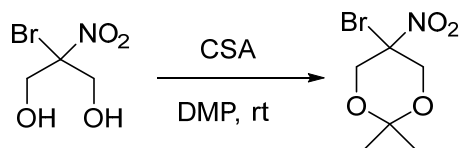
The corresponding oxime (25.0 mmol) was added to a solution of sodium bicarbonate (4.80 g, 57.5 mmol) in 150 mL of water followed by *N*-bromosuccinimide (10.2 g, 57.5 mmol). The reaction mixture was stirred at rt overnight and extracted with AcOEt, and the organic layers were washed with brine and dried over Na₂SO₄. After evaporation of solvents, the residue of bromonitrosoalkane was diluted with benzene (50 mL). To the benzene solution were added tetrabutylammonium hydrogensulfate (4.25 g, 12.5 mmol) and sodium hypochlorite solution (ca. 1.3 M, 60 mL) in portions. Stirring was continued until blue or green color of the reaction mixture faded. After separation and concentration of the organic phase, the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography on silica gel (petroleum ether).

General procedure G⁴⁰



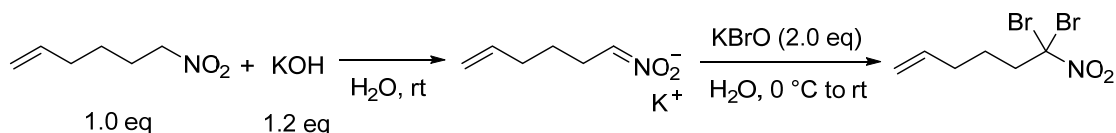
The respective nitro compound (30.0 mmol) was added to a mixture of solid KOH (85%, 2.0 g, 30 mmol), CH₃OH (25 mL) and H₂O (75 mL) at room temperature. The mixture was vigorously stirred until complete dissolution of the starting nitro compound (ca. 30 min), and then cooled to 0 °C. Bromine (1.52 mL, 30 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (50 mL, precooled to -78 °C) was added in one pot. The cooling bath was removed, and the mixture was vigorously stirred for 5 min. After separation and concentration of the organic phase, the crude product was chromatographed on silica gel (petroleum ether).

5-Bromo-2,2-dimethyl-5-nitro-1,3-dioxane (2p)⁴¹



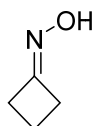
To a solution of 2-bromo-2-nitro-1,3-propanediol (20.0 g, 0.101 mol) in 2,2-dimethoxypropane (80 mL) was added L-camphor-10-sulfonic acid (1.62 g, 8.09 mmol). The mixture was stirred for 3 d at rt under a nitrogen atmosphere. The solvent was evaporated with a rotary evaporator and the residual solid was purified by chromatography on silica gel (petroleum ether) to give a white solid (70% yield).

6,6-Dibromo-6-nitro-1-hexene (2q)



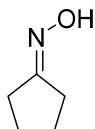
In a round-bottom flask, 6-nitro-1-hexene (1.2 g, 10 mmol) was added to a mixture of solid KOH (85%, 0.79 g, 12 mmol) and H₂O (10 mL) at room temperature. The mixture was stirred at rt for 30 min, then cooled to 0 °C. A solution of KBrO (20 mmol), prepared from bromine (1.0 mL, 20 mmol), solid KOH (85%, 2.63 g, 40.0 mmol) and H₂O (30 mL) at 0 °C, was added dropwise. The mixture was allowed to warm to room temperature and extracted with hexanes. The organic phases were dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated. The crude product was chromatographed on silica gel (20:1 hexanes/AcOEt) to give 6,6-dibromo-6-nitro-1-hexene as a pale yellow oil (656 mg, 23% yield).

4.4 Physical data



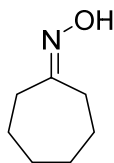
Cyclobutanone oxime⁴²

White solid (3.6 g, 85% yield); ¹H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 3.18 – 2.71 (m, 4H), 2.14 – 1.93 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 159.72, 31.34, 30.48, 14.40.



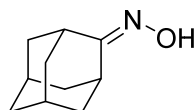
Cyclopentanone oxime⁴³

White solid (4.1 g, 83% yield); ¹H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.92 (br, *J* = 354.4 Hz, 1H), 2.40 (d, *J* = 60.6 Hz, 4H), 1.75 (s, 4H); ¹³C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 167.31, 31.29, 27.16, 25.13, 24.49.



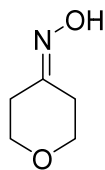
Cycloheptanone oxime⁴³

White solid (5.0 g, 79% yield); ¹H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 9.93 (br, 1H), 2.55 (s, 2H), 2.35 (s, 2H), 1.78 – 1.41 (m, 8H); ¹³C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 164.13, 33.55, 30.32, 30.20, 28.50, 27.40, 24.39.



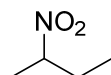
(1*r*,3*r*,5*R*,7*S*)-Adamantan-2-one oxime⁴⁴

White solid (6.7 g, 82% yield); ¹H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 3.57 (s, 1H), 2.56 (s, 1H), 2.01 – 1.82 (m, 12H); ¹³C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 166.97, 38.87, 37.45, 36.47, 36.22, 28.76, 27.83.



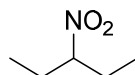
Tetrahydro-4H-pyran-4-one oxime⁴⁵

White solid (4.5 g, 79% yield); ¹H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 3.78 (d, *J* = 30.4 Hz, 4H), 2.66 (s, 2H), 2.37 (s, 2H); ¹³C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 155.97, 68.15, 66.67, 32.21, 25.95.



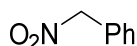
2-Nitrobutane

Blue oil (2.5 g, 61%); ¹H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 4.41 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 1H), 1.95 – 1.64 (m, 2H), 1.47 – 1.34 (m, 3H), 0.90 – 0.81 (m, 3H); ¹³C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 84.62, 28.12, 18.36, 9.67.



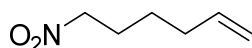
3-Nitropentane⁴⁶

Brown oil (1.5 g, 63%); ¹H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 4.25 (dd, *J* = 7.7, 4.6 Hz, 1H), 1.87 (dd, *J* = 8.3, 6.2 Hz, 2H), 1.71 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 0.90 – 0.84 (m, 6H); ¹³C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 91.64, 26.55, 9.91.



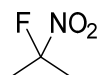
(Nitromethyl)benzene^{47,39}

Yellow oil (1.85 g, 45%); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.44 (dd, *J* = 4.5, 1.7 Hz, 5H), 5.43 (s, 2H).



6-Nitrohex-1-ene⁴⁸

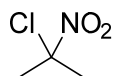
Yellow oil (1.0 g, 42%); ¹H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 5.69 (ddd, *J* = 17.0, 8.3, 5.1 Hz, 1H), 4.98 – 4.89 (m, 2H), 4.31 (d, *J* = 2.5 Hz, 2H), 1.98 (dd, *J* = 53.8, 5.4 Hz, 6H), 1.40 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H).



2-Fluoro-2-nitropropane (2t)^{49,50}

Following general procedure G, Selectfluor was used instead of bromine.

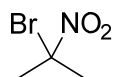
Yellow oil (1.6 g, 82%); ¹H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 1.87 (s, 3H), 1.83 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 118.87, 117.30, (*J* = 235.6 Hz)24.87, 24.71 (*J* = 23.9 Hz); ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ -111.96.



2-Chloro-2-nitropropane (2r)⁵¹

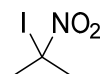
Following general procedure G, *N*-chlorosuccinimide was used instead of bromine.

Yellow oil (0.8 g, 43%); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 2.09 (d, $J = 1.3$ Hz, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 99.99, 30.82.



2-Bromo-2-nitropropane (2a)⁵²

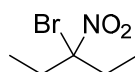
^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 2.26 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 6H).



2-Iodo-2-nitropropane (2s)⁵¹

Following general procedure G, iodine was used instead of bromine.

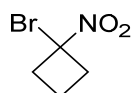
^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 2.38 (s, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 62.96, 35.55.



3-Bromo-3-nitropentane (2b)⁵³

Following general procedure G.

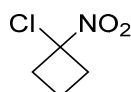
Yellow oil (1.8 g, 75% yield); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 2.42 (s, 4H), 1.04 – 1.01 (m, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 105.25, 35.51, 9.61.



1-Bromo-1-nitrocyclobutane (2c)⁵¹

Following general procedure F.

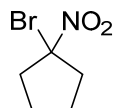
Yellow oil (3.5 g, 72% yield); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = 3.29 – 3.17 (m, 2H), 2.92 – 2.77 (m, 2H), 2.30 – 2.12 (m, 1H) 1.97 (dtt, $J = 11.3, 9.6, 5.0$ Hz, 1H) ppm; ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = 84.35, 39.58, 13.62.



1-Chloro-1-nitrocyclobutane (2v)

Following general procedure F, NCS was used instead of NBS.

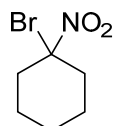
Yellow oil (1.7 g, 75% yield); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 3.31 – 3.01 (m, 2H), 2.74 (d, $J = 5.7$ Hz, 2H), 2.09 (d, $J = 51.3$ Hz, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 96.66, 38.48, 13.16.



1-Bromo-1-nitrocyclopentane (2d)

Following general procedure F.

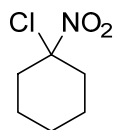
Yellow oil (1.7 g, 68% yield); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 2.43 (s, 4H), 1.72 (s, 2H), 1.40 (s, 1H), 0.86 (s, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 94.74, 39.26, 23.80, 23.53.



1-Bromo-1-nitrocyclohexane (2e)⁵¹

Following general procedure F.

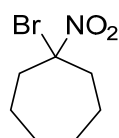
Yellow oil (2.5 g, 71% yield); ¹H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 2.36 (s, 4H), 1.71 – 1.34 (m, 6H); ¹³C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 94.62, 38.97, 23.53, 23.34.



1-Chloro-1-nitrocyclohexane (2u)⁵⁹

Following general procedure F, aqueous NaClO was used instead of NBS.

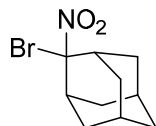
Yellow oil (2.1 g, 68% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 2.52 – 2.20 (m, 4H), 1.82 – 1.54 (m, 5H), 1.36 (dd, *J* = 9.2, 4.4 Hz, 1H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 103.67, 38.16, 23.84, 22.85.



1-Bromo-1-nitrocycloheptane (2f)⁵¹

Following general procedure F.

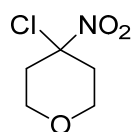
Yellow oil (3.8 g, 70% yield); ¹H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 2.74 (dt, *J* = 14.2, 7.5 Hz, 1H), 2.51 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 2.39 (s, 2H), 1.59 (d, *J* = 28.5 Hz, 8H); ¹³C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 99.25, 42.98, 27.86, 22.97.



(1r,3r,5r,7r)-2-Bromo-2-nitroadamantane (2g)^{54,55}

Following general procedure F.

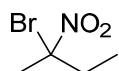
Colorless oil (1.2 g, 43% yield); ¹H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 2.90 (s, 2H), 2.37 (d, *J* = 13.7 Hz, 2H), 1.98 (d, *J* = 14.6 Hz, 2H), 1.95 – 1.75 (m, 8H); ¹³C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 102.45, 38.31, 37.56, 34.95, 34.50, 26.09, 25.59.



4-Chloro-4-nitrotetrahydro-2H-pyran (2h)

Following general procedure F, aqueous NaClO was used instead of NBS.

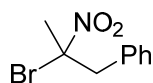
Yellow oil (2.5 g, 71% yield); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = 4.53 (tt, *J* = 9.9, 4.7 Hz, 2H), 4.01 (dt, *J* = 12.1, 4.0 Hz, 2H), 3.46 (ddd, *J* = 12.1, 10.4, 2.9 Hz, 2H), 2.25 – 2.05 (m, 2H) ppm; ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ = 80.67, 65.34, 30.48.



2-Bromo-2-nitrobutane (2i)⁵⁶

Following general procedure G.

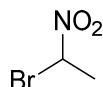
Yellow oil (1.2 g, 75% yield); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 2.41 (dd, $J = 16.1, 7.4$ Hz, 2H), 2.20 (s, 3H), 1.03 (t, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 96.09, 37.39, 29.45, 9.88.



(2-Bromo-2-nitropropyl)benzene (2j)

Following general procedure G.

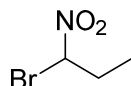
Yellow oil (1.0 g, 75% yield); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.36 – 7.32 (m, 3H), 7.21 (dd, $J = 6.4, 3.2$ Hz, 2H), 3.87 (d, $J = 14.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.65 (d, $J = 14.3$ Hz, 1H), 2.18 (s, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 133.12, 130.34, 128.67, 128.20, 93.60, 49.41, 28.98.



1-Bromo-1-nitroethane (2k)^{57,51}

Following general procedure G.

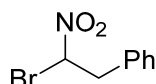
Yellow oil (4.3 g, 94% yield); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 6.04 (q, $J = 6.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.14 (d, $J = 6.5$ Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 74.52, 24.21.



1-Bromo-1-nitropropane (2l)^{57,51}

Following general procedure G.

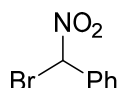
Yellow oil (4.2 g, 86% yield); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 5.93 – 5.80 (m, 1H), 2.53 – 2.19 (m, 2H), 1.06 (t, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 81.19, 31.03, 10.35.



(2-Bromo-2-nitroethyl)benzene (2m)⁵⁸

Following general procedure G.

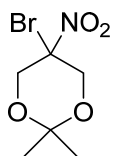
Yellow oil (1.1 g, 75% yield); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.38 – 7.31 (m, 3H), 7.21 (dd, $J = 7.3, 2.3$ Hz, 2H), 6.06 (dd, $J = 8.3, 6.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.76 (dd, $J = 14.5, 8.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.52 (dd, $J = 14.5, 6.1$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 133.22, 129.14, 129.04, 128.27, 79.12, 43.38.



(Bromo(nitro)methyl)benzene (2n)⁵⁹

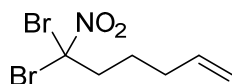
Following general procedure G.

Yellow oil (329 mg, 38% yield); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.68 – 7.60 (m, 2H), 7.49 – 7.41 (m, 3H), 6.91 (s, 1H). ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 132.80, 131.39, 129.15, 128.21, 80.37.



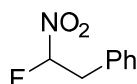
5-Bromo-2,2-dimethyl-5-nitro-1,3-dioxane (2p)⁶⁰

White solid (16.1g, 70% yield); ¹H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 4.77 (dd, *J* = 13.3, 1.6 Hz, 2H), 4.26 (d, *J* = 13.4 Hz, 2H), 1.53 (s, 3H), 1.37 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 99.44, 66.14, 27.77, 18.44.



6,6-Dibromo-6-nitrohex-1-ene (2q)

¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 5.91 – 5.64 (m, 1H), 5.23 – 4.78 (m, 2H), 2.97 – 2.63 (m, 2H), 2.18 (d, *J* = 9.8 Hz, 2H), 1.77 – 1.57 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 136.63, 116.20, 87.66, 48.30, 32.08, 26.31.



(2-Fluoro-2-nitroethyl)benzene (2w)^{49,50}

Following general procedure G, Selectfluor was used instead of bromine.

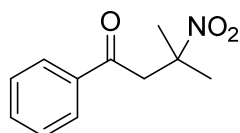
¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.31 (dd, *J* = 40.0, 1.3 Hz, 5H), 6.01 (dd, *J* = 6.7, 3.8 Hz, 1H), 3.42 (d, *J* = 16.0 Hz, 2H).

5. Photocatalytic coupling reactions.

5.1 Typical procedure

A dry Schlenk tube charged with a stirring bar was evacuated and backfilled with N₂ (three times). Trimethylsilyl enol ether (**1a**, 457 mg, 2.38 mmol) of acetophenone, 2-bromo-2-nitropropane **2a** (200 mg, 1.19 mmol) and anhydrous acetonitrile (6.0 mL) were added via gastight syringe under N₂ atmosphere followed by *fac*-Ir(ppy)₃ (4 mg, 0.5 mol %). The reaction mixture was degassed by freeze-pump-thaw method and then stirred under irradiation with blue LEDs (460 nm, app. 3.0 cm distance from the tube). The mixture was maintained at approximately 25 °C by a desk fan in air-conditioned room. The reaction was monitored by TLC. Upon completion (8 h), the mixture was concentrated in vacuo. The crude product was purified by flash chromatography on silica gel (20:1 to 10:1 hexanes/AcOEt) to give **3aa**.

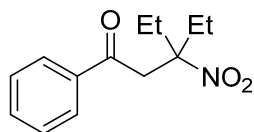
5.2 Physical data



3-Methyl-3-nitro-1-phenylbutan-1-one (3aa)⁶¹

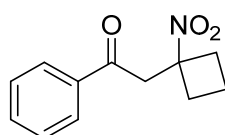
White solid (242 mg, 98% yield); R_f = 0.25 (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); m.p. 64.0–64.8 °C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.97 – 7.90 (m, 2H), 7.60 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.48 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz,

2H), 3.68 (s, 2H), 1.77 (s, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 194.94, 136.42, 133.64, 128.75, 127.93, 84.94, 47.10, 26.61.



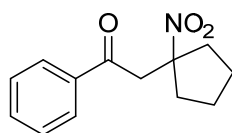
3-Ethyl-3-nitro-1-phenylpentan-1-one (3ab)

Colorless oil (242 mg, 98% yield); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.97 (dd, $J = 8.4, 1.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.60 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.49 (d, $J = 15.6$ Hz, 2H), 3.68 (s, 2H), 2.22 (dd, $J = 7.5, 2.5$ Hz, 4H), 0.86 (t, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 195.17, 136.62, 133.60, 128.77, 127.90, 93.17, 40.66, 28.97, 8.37; IR (film) ν_{max} 2930, 1651, 1562, 1460, 1194, 1134, 1076 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{17}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 258.11; Found 258.1106.



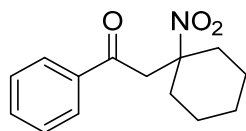
2-(1-Nitrocyclobutyl)-1-phenylethan-1-one (3ac)

White solid (227 mg, 87% yield); $R_f = 0.19$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); m.p. 112.4–113.9 $^{\circ}\text{C}$; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.99 – 7.92 (m, 2H), 7.60 (s, 1H), 7.48 (t, $J = 7.7$ Hz, 2H), 3.90 (s, 2H), 3.09 – 3.02 (m, 2H), 2.37 (t, $J = 4.9$ Hz, 2H), 2.14 (s, 1H), 1.97 (s, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 195.11, 136.07, 133.71, 128.76, 128.01, 84.81, 44.46, 32.70, 14.38; IR (film) ν_{max} 2957, 1678, 1533, 1449, 1400, 1360, 1269, 1225, 1078, 1001. 880, 752.27, 692.47 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{13}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 242.0787; Found 242.0786.



2-(1-Nitrocyclopentyl)-1-phenylethan-1-one (3ad)

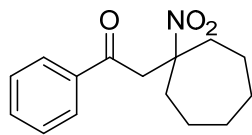
White solid (244 mg, 88% yield); $R_f = 0.25$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); m.p. 113.5–114.8 $^{\circ}\text{C}$; ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.94 (d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.62 – 7.57 (m, 1H), 7.48 (t, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 2H), 3.81 (s, 2H), 2.71 (d, $J = 12.1$ Hz, 2H), 1.95 (s, 4H), 1.77 (s, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 195.38, 136.24, 133.60, 128.73, 127.99, 94.64, 47.21, 38.87, 24.94; IR (film) ν_{max} 2963, 1686, 1599, 1539, 1447, 1400, 1364, 1221, 1180, 1142, 1074, 1001, 754, 691 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 256.0944; Found 256.0948.



2-(1-Nitrocyclohexyl)-1-phenylethan-1-one (3ae)

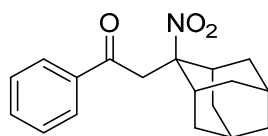
Colorless oil (271 mg, 92% yield); $R_f = 0.27$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.93 – 7.86 (m, 2H), 7.56 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.47 – 7.39 (m, 2H), 3.64 (s, 2H), 2.35 (dd, $J = 13.5, 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 2.00 (dd, $J = 13.5, 8.6$ Hz, 2H), 1.50 (s, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 195.15, 136.49, 133.44, 128.58, 127.82, 88.44, 44.84, 34.53, 24.62,

22.32; IR (film) ν_{max} 2953, 2926, 2855, 1690, 1682, 1537, 1450, 1364, 1215, 1007, 750, 688 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{17}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 270.11; Found 270.1096.



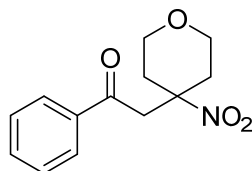
2-(1-Nitrocycloheptyl)-1-phenylethan-1-one (3af)

White solid (255 mg, 82% yield); $R_f = 0.27$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); m.p. 116.3–118.2 °C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.93 (d, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.58 (d, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.51 – 7.43 (m, 2H), 2.66 – 2.55 (m, 2H), 2.05 (dd, $J = 15.9, 10.0$ Hz, 2H), 1.62 (d, $J = 35.4$ Hz, 10H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 195.16, 136.53, 133.56, 128.72, 127.94, 92.12, 47.29, 38.12, 29.98, 23.45; IR (film) ν_{max} 2924, 1688, 1539, 1180, 1142, 1074, 758, 689 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{19}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 284.1257; Found 284.1264.



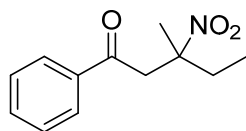
2-((1R,3S,5r,7r)-2-Nitroadamantan-2-yl)-1-phenylethan-1-one (3ag)

White solid (335 mg, 94% yield); $R_f = 0.3$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); m.p. 122.8–124.5 °C; ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.82 (dd, $J = 8.4, 1.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.57 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.45 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 3.60 (s, 2H), 2.75 (s, 2H), 2.11 (s, 2H), 1.95 (s, 3H), 1.86 (d, $J = 15.5$ Hz, 3H), 1.76 (d, $J = 9.1$ Hz, 4H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Cyclohexane-*d*₁₂) δ 196.09, 137.17, 133.60, 128.72, 127.92, 95.58, 43.16, 37.91, 34.50, 33.89, 26.38; IR (film) ν_{max} 2918, 1688, 1535, 1449, 1354, 764, 691 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{21}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 322.1413; Found 322.1416.



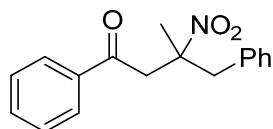
2-(4-Nitrotetrahydro-2H-pyran-4-yl)-1-phenylethan-1-one (3ah)

Colorless oil (131 mg, 44% yield); $R_f = 0.1$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.10 (d, $J = 6.9$ Hz, 2H), 7.89 (d, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 2H), 7.61 – 7.57 (m, 2H), 7.46 (t, $J = 7.9$ Hz, 4H), 3.82 – 3.73 (m, 4H), 3.66 (s, 2H), 2.53 (d, $J = 14.6$ Hz, 2H), 2.11 (s, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 194.58, 171.40, 136.26, 133.88, 133.71, 130.17, 129.32, 128.83, 128.47, 127.99, 85.40, 63.91, 46.32, 34.44, 29.67; IR (film) ν_{max} 2924, 1535, 1451, 1383, 1180, 1142, 1074, 1042, 1015 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_4\text{Na}$ 272.0893; Found 272.0897.



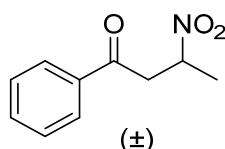
3-Methyl-3-nitro-1-phenylpentan-1-one (3ai)

Colorless oil (218 mg, 90% yield); $R_f = 0.4$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.95 – 7.90 (m, 2H), 7.58 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.46 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 3.84 (d, $J = 18.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.49 (d, $J = 18.0$ Hz, 1H), 2.10 – 1.99 (m, 2H), 1.74 (s, 3H), 0.93 (t, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 195.07, 136.40, 133.53, 128.66, 127.84, 88.48, 45.37, 33.70, 22.02, 8.17; IR (film) ν_{max} 2967, 2932, 2878, 1711, 1551, 1458, 1375, 700 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 244.0944; Found 244.0947.



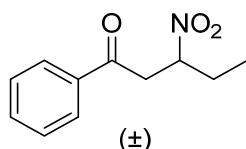
3-Methyl-3-nitro-1,4-diphenylbutan-1-one (3aj)

Colorless oil (307 mg, 91% yield); $R_f = 0.3$ (8:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.90 (dd, $J = 8.2, 1.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.60 (s, 1H), 7.47 (t, $J = 7.9$ Hz, 2H), 7.31 – 7.25 (m, 3H), 7.09 (dd, $J = 6.8, 2.8$ Hz, 2H), 3.71 (d, $J = 18.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.54 – 3.39 (m, 3H), 1.77 (s, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 195.23, 136.51, 134.57, 133.65, 130.09, 128.75, 128.66, 127.90, 127.69, 88.76, 45.25, 44.68, 23.73; IR (film) ν_{max} 2924, 2853, 1684, 1539, 1450, 1383, 1358, 1142, 1074, 1042, 1013, 756, 727, 689, 557 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{17}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 306.11; Found 306.1099.



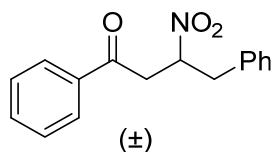
3-Nitro-1-phenylbutan-1-one (3ak)⁶²

Colorless oil (214 mg, 93% yield); $R_f = 0.17$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.95 (d, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 2H), 7.60 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.51 – 7.45 (m, 2H), 5.20 – 5.16 (m, 1H), 3.91 (dd, $J = 18.0, 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.29 (d, $J = 5.0$ Hz, 1H), 1.68 (s, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 195.11, 135.76, 133.81, 128.45, 128.03, 78.08, 42.36, 19.60;



3-Nitro-1-phenylpentan-1-one (3al)⁶²

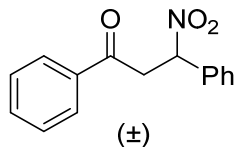
Colorless oil (234 mg, 95% yield); $R_f = 0.25$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.96 (dd, $J = 8.3, 1.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.61 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.49 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 5.15 – 5.04 (m, 1H), 3.95 – 3.85 (m, 1H), 3.27 (dd, $J = 18.2, 4.3$ Hz, 1H), 2.07 – 1.99 (m, 2H), 1.05 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 195.24, 135.80, 133.84, 128.79, 128.07, 83.88, 40.57, 27.21, 10.03.



3-Nitro-1,4-diphenylbutan-1-one (3am)

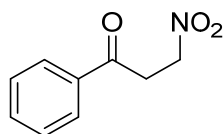
White solid (295 mg, 92% yield); $R_f = 0.37$ (8:1 hexanes/AcOEt); m.p. 114.4–115.3 °C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.91 (d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.60 (s, 1H), 7.46 (d, $J = 7.8$ Hz,

2H), 7.33 (d, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 3H), 7.23 (s, 2H), 5.42 – 5.33 (m, 1H), 3.84 (dd, $J = 18.4, 8.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.42 (dd, $J = 13.9, 6.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.30 – 3.21 (m, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 195.15, 135.80, 134.91, 133.87, 129.09, 129.02, 128.80, 128.08, 127.74, 83.58, 40.02, 39.80; IR (film) ν_{max} 1680, 1543, 1437, 1383, 1283, 1219, 1074, 928, 750, 700, 546 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 292.0944; Found 292.0938.



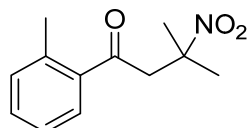
3-Nitro-1,3-diphenylpropan-1-one (3an)

White solid (45 mg, 35% yield); $R_f = 0.37$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); m.p. 114.4–116.1 $^{\circ}\text{C}$; ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.00 (dd, $J = 8.4, 1.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.62 (s, 1H), 7.52 – 7.42 (m, 7H), 6.16 (dd, $J = 10.1, 3.6$ Hz, 1H), 4.42 (dd, $J = 18.3, 10.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.51 (dd, $J = 18.3, 3.6$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 194.84, 135.73, 134.35, 133.94, 130.00, 129.28, 128.85, 128.18, 127.46, 85.48, 42.35; IR (film) ν_{max} 1687, 1552, 1365, 756, 690 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{13}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 278.0895; Found 278.0788.



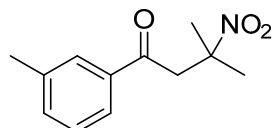
3-Nitro-1-phenylpropan-1-one (3ao)⁶³

White solid (164 mg, 77% yield); $R_f = 0.25$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); m.p. 76.8–78.0 $^{\circ}\text{C}$; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.02 – 7.95 (m, 2H), 7.65 – 7.60 (m, 1H), 7.53 – 7.48 (m, 2H), 4.83 (t, $J = 6.1$ Hz, 2H), 3.67 (t, $J = 6.1$ Hz, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 194.94, 135.67, 133.95, 128.86, 128.12, 69.26, 34.85.



3-Methyl-3-nitro-1-(*o*-tolyl)butan-1-one (3ba)

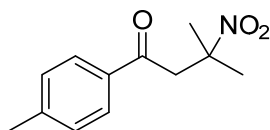
Colorless oil (229 mg, 87% yield); $R_f = 0.22$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.63 (dd, $J = 7.8, 1.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.39 (d, $J = 1.3$ Hz, 1H), 7.28 – 7.23 (m, 2H), 3.59 (s, 2H), 2.47 (s, 3H), 1.75 (s, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 198.84, 138.50, 137.09, 132.17, 131.78, 128.16, 125.73, 84.98, 49.73, 26.66, 21.22; IR (film) ν_{max} 2932, 1811, 1786, 1746, 1709, 1516, 1368, 1173, 976, 879, 698 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 244.0944; Found 244.0947.



3-Methyl-3-nitro-1-(*m*-tolyl)butan-1-one (3ca)

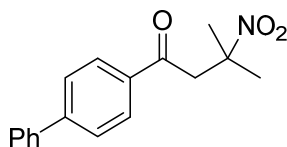
Colorless oil (234 mg, 89% yield); $R_f = 0.22$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.74 – 7.68 (m, 2H), 7.38 (d, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.33 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.67 (s, 2H), 2.38 (s, 3H), 1.74 (s, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 195.15, 138.44, 136.27,

134.25, 128.47, 128.32, 125.00, 84.73, 47.02, 26.48, 21.14; IR (film) ν_{max} 2932, 1811, 1786, 1746, 1709, 1516, 1368, 1173, 976, 879, 698 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[M + Na]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 244.0944; Found 244.0947.



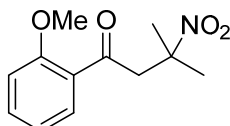
3-Methyl-3-nitro-1-(*p*-tolyl)butan-1-one (3da)

White solid (237 mg, 90% yield); R_f = 0.22 (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); m.p. 58.2–58.9 °C; ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.83 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.28 (s, 2H), 3.65 (s, 2H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 1.76 (s, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 194.55, 144.57, 134.03, 129.42, 128.07, 85.05, 46.98, 26.60, 21.65; IR (film) ν_{max} 2932, 1811, 1786, 1746, 1709, 1516, 1368, 1173, 976, 879, 698 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[M + Na]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 244.0944; Found 244.0947.



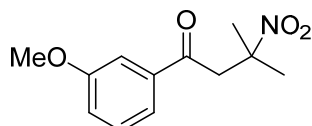
1-([1,1'-Biphenyl]-4-yl)-3-methyl-3-nitrobutan-1-one (3ea)

Colorless oil (320 mg, 95% yield); R_f = 0.19 (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.01 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 7.70 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 7.63 (d, J = 6.9 Hz, 2H), 7.48 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.42 (d, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 3.71 (s, 2H), 1.79 (s, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 194.51, 146.35, 139.64, 135.14, 129.00, 128.56, 128.40, 127.37, 127.27, 85.04, 47.11, 26.63; IR (film) ν_{max} 2932, 1543, 1404, 1370, 1348, 1074, 762, 692 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[M + Na]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{17}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 306.1106; Found 306.1106.



1-(2-Methoxyphenyl)-3-methyl-3-nitrobutan-1-one (3fa)

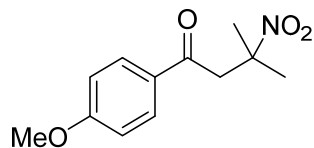
Colorless oil (234 mg, 83% yield); R_f = 0.18 (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.71 (dd, J = 7.7, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 7.50 – 7.44 (m, 1H), 6.98 (dd, J = 14.5, 8.1 Hz, 2H), 3.92 (s, 3H), 3.70 (s, 2H), 1.71 (s, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 196.71, 158.68, 134.16, 130.45, 127.25, 120.77, 111.56, 85.07, 55.49, 52.39, 26.59; IR (film) ν_{max} 1680, 1601, 1543, 1362, 1262, 1231, 1175, 1074, 1017, 835, 571 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[M + H]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{16}\text{NO}_4$ 238.1073; Found 238.1078.



1-(3-Methoxyphenyl)-3-methyl-3-nitrobutan-1-one (3ga)

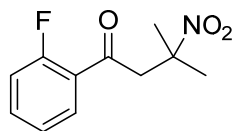
Yellow solid (246 mg, 87% yield); R_f = 0.18 (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); m.p. 70.3–71.7 °C; ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.50 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.45 (s, 1H), 7.41 – 7.35 (m, 1H), 7.16 – 7.11 (m, 1H), 3.85 (s, 3H), 3.66 (s, 2H), 1.76 (s, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-

d) δ 194.79, 159.92, 137.72, 129.71, 120.48, 120.18, 112.12, 84.88, 55.43, 47.21, 26.59; IR (film) ν_{max} 1680, 1601, 1543, 1362, 1262, 1231, 1175, 1074, 1017, 835, 571 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{16}\text{NO}_4$ 238.1073; Found 238.1078.



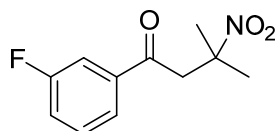
1-(4-Methoxyphenyl)-3-methyl-3-nitrobutan-1-one (3ha)

White solid (240 mg, 85% yield); R_f = 0.18 (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); m.p. 78.7–79.9 °C; ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.94 – 7.88 (m, 2H), 6.96 – 6.91 (m, 2H), 3.87 (s, 3H), 3.62 (s, 2H), 1.75 (s, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 193.40, 163.87, 130.24, 129.50, 113.85, 85.02, 55.50, 46.74, 26.60; IR (film) ν_{max} 1680, 1601, 1543, 1362, 1262, 1231, 1175, 1074, 1017, 835, 571 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{16}\text{NO}_4$ 238.1073; Found 238.1078.



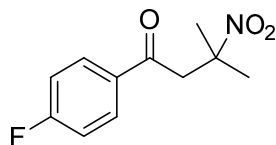
1-(2-Fluorophenyl)-3-methyl-3-nitrobutan-1-one (3ia)

Colorless oil (228 mg, 85% yield); R_f = 0.3 (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.84 (t, J = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.57 – 7.51 (m, 1H), 7.26 – 7.20 (m, 1H), 7.14 (dd, J = 11.0, 8.8 Hz, 1H), 3.67 (d, J = 3.0 Hz, 2H), 1.74 (d, J = 1.4 Hz, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 193.12, 162.76, 135.20, 130.61, 124.87, 124.65, 116.66, 84.64, 51.92, 26.65; ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ -108.47; IR (film) ν_{max} 1692, 1587, 1543, 1441, 1360, 1252, 1142, 866, 783 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{12}\text{NO}_3\text{FNa}$ 248.0693; Found 248.0696.



1-(3-Fluorophenyl)-3-methyl-3-nitrobutan-1-one (3ja)

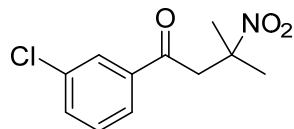
White solid (214 mg, 80% yield); R_f = 0.3 (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); m.p. 127.1–128.2 °C; ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.71 (d, J = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.61 (d, J = 9.4 Hz, 1H), 7.49 – 7.44 (m, 1H), 7.30 (d, J = 2.6 Hz, 1H), 3.65 (s, 2H), 1.77 (d, J = 1.1 Hz, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 193.73, 161.61, 138.41, 130.51, 123.66, 120.60, 114.85, 84.79, 47.20, 26.60; ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ -111.70; IR (film) ν_{max} 1692, 1587, 1543, 1441, 1360, 1252, 1142, 866, 783 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{12}\text{NO}_3\text{FNa}$ 248.0693; Found 248.0696.



1-(4-Fluorophenyl)-3-methyl-3-nitrobutan-1-one (3ka)

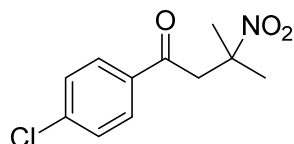
Colorless oil (233 mg, 87% yield); R_f = 0.3 (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (600 MHz,

Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.96 (dd, $J = 8.8, 5.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.21 – 7.10 (m, 2H), 3.64 (s, 2H), 1.76 (s, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 193.37, 165.20, 132.89, 130.64, 115.98, 84.92, 46.99, 26.62; ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ -103.93; IR (film) ν_{max} 1692, 1587, 1543, 1441, 1360, 1252, 1142, 866, 783 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{12}\text{NO}_3\text{FNa}$ 248.0693; Found 248.0696.



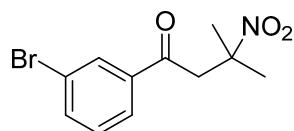
1-(3-Chlorophenyl)-3-methyl-3-nitrobutan-1-one (3la)

Colorless oil (236 mg, 82% yield); $R_f = 0.27$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.90 (t, $J = 1.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.59 – 7.55 (m, 1H), 7.43 (t, $J = 7.9$ Hz, 2H), 3.64 (s, 2H), 1.77 (s, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 193.71, 137.93, 135.17, 133.57, 130.11, 128.12, 126.01, 84.85, 47.15, 26.62; IR (film) ν_{max} 1694, 1587, 1535, 1396, 1350, 1283, 1227, 1136, 1085, 843, 816, 571 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{12}\text{NO}_3\text{NaCl}$ 264.0397; Found 264.0399.



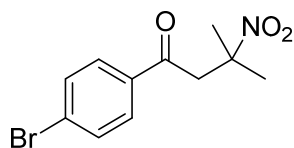
1-(4-Chlorophenyl)-3-methyl-3-nitrobutan-1-one (3ma)

Colorless oil (239 mg, 83% yield); $R_f = 0.27$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.89 – 7.84 (m, 2H), 7.48 – 7.43 (m, 2H), 3.63 (s, 2H), 1.76 (s, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 193.75, 140.21, 134.74, 129.35, 129.10, 84.90, 47.02, 26.62; IR (film) ν_{max} 1694, 1587, 1535, 1396, 1350, 1283, 1227, 1136, 1085, 843, 816, 571 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{12}\text{NO}_3\text{ClNa}$ 264.0397; Found 264.0399.



1-(3-Bromophenyl)-3-methyl-3-nitrobutan-1-one (3na)

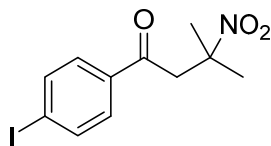
Colorless oil (300 mg, 88% yield); $R_f = 0.24$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); m.p. 126.3–128.2 $^{\circ}\text{C}$; ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.05 (d, $J = 1.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.85 (d, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.72 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.36 (t, $J = 7.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.64 (s, 2H), 1.76 (s, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 193.63, 138.09, 136.47, 131.03, 130.35, 126.44, 123.09, 84.81, 47.10, 26.61; IR (film) ν_{max} 2957, 1692, 1539, 1395, 1136, 1074, 1010, 810, 571 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{13}\text{NO}_3\text{Br}$ 286.0073; Found 286.0070.



1-(4-Bromophenyl)-3-methyl-3-nitrobutan-1-one (3oa)

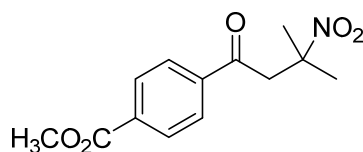
Colorless oil (293 mg, 86% yield); $R_f = 0.24$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.83 – 7.76 (m, 2H), 7.66 – 7.58 (m, 2H), 3.63 (s, 2H), 1.76 (s, 6H); ^{13}C NMR

(151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 193.99, 135.09, 132.05, 129.41, 128.88, 84.83, 46.96, 26.59; IR (film) ν_{max} 2957, 1692, 1539, 1395, 1136, 1074, 1010, 810, 571 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{13}\text{NO}_3\text{Br}$ 286.0073; Found 286.0070.



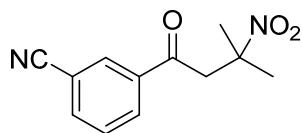
1-(4-Iodophenyl)-3-methyl-3-nitrobutan-1-one (3pa)

Colorless oil (337 mg, 85% yield); R_f = 0.20 (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.85 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.63 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 3.62 (s, 2H), 1.76 (s, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 194.27, 138.09, 135.62, 129.26, 101.76, 84.83, 46.91, 26.61; IR (film) ν_{max} 1688, 1580, 1539, 1458, 1385, 1356, 1279, 1227, 997, 804 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{12}\text{NO}_3\text{NaI}$ 355.9754; Found 355.9751.



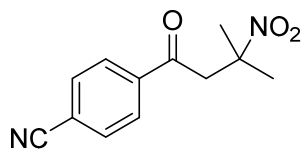
Methyl 4-(3-methyl-3-nitrobutanoyl)benzoate (3qa)

White solid (291 mg, 91% yield); R_f = 0.18 (8:1 hexanes/AcOEt); m.p. 99.0–100.8 $^\circ\text{C}$; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.13 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.98 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 3.95 (s, 3H), 3.69 (s, 2H), 1.78 (s, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 194.51, 166.03, 139.50, 134.38, 129.95, 127.87, 84.84, 52.53, 47.37, 26.62; IR (film) ν_{max} 1723, 1696, 1535, 1281, 1182, 1138, 1107, 1074, 1041, 1015, 849, 766, 698 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_5\text{Na}$ 288.0842; Found 288.0845.



3-(3-Methyl-3-nitrobutanoyl)benzonitrile (3ra)

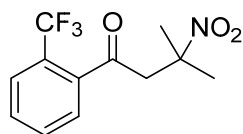
Colorless oil (196 mg, 71% yield); R_f = 0.26 (5:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.21 (s, 1H), 8.17–8.11 (m, 1H), 7.87 (d, J = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.64 (t, J = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 3.66 (s, 2H), 1.78 (s, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 193.07, 137.09, 136.45, 131.85, 131.63, 129.87, 117.66, 113.38, 84.75, 47.05, 26.66; IR (film) ν_{max} 1692, 1541, 1420, 1361, 1287, 1240, 1142, 1026, 922, 802, 756, 679 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{12}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3\text{Na}$ 255.074; Found 255.0737.



4-(3-Methyl-3-nitrobutanoyl)benzonitrile (3sa)

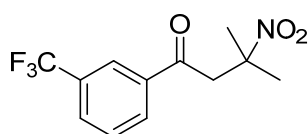
Colorless oil (199 mg, 72% yield); R_f = 0.26 (5:1 hexanes/AcOEt); m.p. 117.3–119.0 $^\circ\text{C}$; ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.02 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 7.79 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 3.67 (s, 2H), 1.78 (s, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 193.74, 139.26, 132.64, 128.38, 117.68, 116.95, 84.80, 47.25, 26.64; IR (film) ν_{max} 1692, 1541, 1420, 1361, 1287, 1240, 1142, 1026,

922, 802, 756, 679 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{12}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3\text{Na}$ 255.074; Found 255.0737.



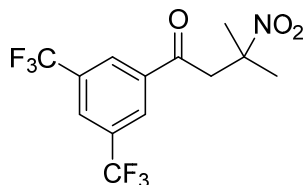
3-Methyl-3-nitro-1-(2-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)butan-1-one (3ta)

Colorless oil (232 mg, 71% yield); $R_f = 0.19$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.71 (d, $J = 7.9$ Hz, 1H), 7.64 (s, 1H), 7.58 (s, 1H), 7.49 (d, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 1H), 3.52 (s, 2H), 1.76 (s, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 199.15, 139.36, 132.06, 130.41, 127.00, 126.74, 126.70, 124.46, 84.84, 51.32, 26.30; ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ -62.75; IR (film) ν_{max} 1701, 1609, 1545, 1379, 1329, 1179, 1138 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{12}\text{NO}_3\text{F}_3\text{Na}$ 298.0661; Found 298.0666.



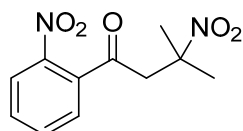
3-Methyl-3-nitro-1-(3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)butan-1-one (3ua)

Colorless oil (236 mg, 72% yield); $R_f = 0.19$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); m.p. 69.4–70.2 $^\circ\text{C}$; ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.18 (s, 1H), 8.12 (dt, $J = 7.8, 1.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.87 (mt, $J = 16.0, 7.7, 2.0, 1.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.64 (s, 1H), 3.70 (s, 2H), 1.79 (s, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 193.68, 136.85, 133.36, 131.08, 130.02, 129.52, 124.77, 84.79, 47.13, 26.64; ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ -62.75; IR (film) ν_{max} 1701, 1609, 1545, 1379, 1329, 1179, 1138 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{12}\text{NO}_3\text{F}_3\text{Na}$ 298.0661; Found 298.0666.



1-(3,5-Bis(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)-3-methyl-3-nitrobutan-1-one (3va)

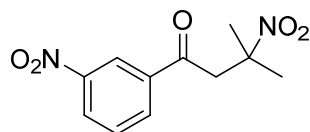
Colorless oil (278 mg, 68% yield); $R_f = 0.24$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.46 (s, 2H), 8.36 (s, 1H), 3.72 (s, 2H), 1.80 (s, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 192.41, 137.76, 132.43, 127.95, 126.78, 121.40, 84.70, 47.13, 26.66; ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ -62.92; IR (film) ν_{max} 1690, 1287, 1177, 1128 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{11}\text{NO}_3\text{F}_6\text{Na}$ 366.0535; Found 366.0531.



3-Methyl-3-nitro-1-(2-nitrophenyl)butan-1-one (3wa)

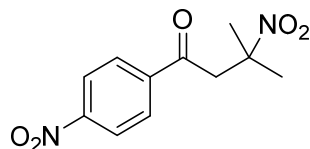
Colorless oil (114 mg, 38% yield); $R_f = 0.18$ (8:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.17 (d, $J = 8.3$ Hz, 1H), 7.77 (d, $J = 1.1$ Hz, 1H), 7.64 (s, 1H), 7.47 (dd, $J = 7.6, 1.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.50 (s, 2H), 1.81 (s, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 197.34,

153.25, 137.28, 134.73, 130.79, 127.62, 124.52, 85.12, 53.40, 26.33; IR (film) ν_{max} 1692, 1605, 1533, 1424, 1348, 1285, 1136, 1074, 1013, 982, 930, 795, 714, 561 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{12}\text{N}_2\text{O}_5\text{Na}$ 275.0638; Found 275.0634.



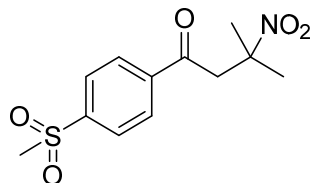
3-Methyl-3-nitro-1-(3-nitrophenyl)butan-1-one (3xa)

White solid (225 mg, 75% yield); $R_f = 0.18$ (8:1 hexanes/AcOEt); m.p. 193.2–194.9 $^{\circ}\text{C}$; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.78 – 8.73 (m, 1H), 8.46 (dd, $J = 8.2, 1.2$ Hz, 1H), 8.32 – 8.24 (m, 1H), 7.72 (t, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.72 (s, 2H), 1.81 (s, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 192.92, 148.41, 137.50, 133.50, 130.15, 127.90, 122.84, 84.72, 47.19, 26.69; IR (film) ν_{max} 1692, 1605, 1533, 1424, 1348, 1285, 1136, 1074, 1013, 982, 930, 795, 714, 561 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{12}\text{N}_2\text{O}_5\text{Na}$ 275.0638; Found 275.0634.



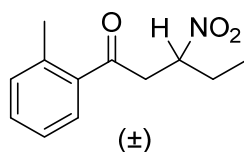
3-Methyl-3-nitro-1-(4-nitrophenyl)butan-1-one (3ya)

White solid (216 mg, 72% yield); $R_f = 0.18$ (8:1 hexanes/AcOEt); m.p. 193.1–194.9 $^{\circ}\text{C}$; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.35 (s, 1H), 8.32 (s, 1H), 8.11 (s, 1H), 8.09 (s, 1H), 3.70 (s, 2H), 1.80 (s, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 193.56, 150.64, 140.72, 129.04, 84.82, 47.47, 29.68, 26.67; IR (film) ν_{max} 1692, 1605, 1533, 1424, 1348, 1285, 1136, 1074, 1013, 982, 930, 795, 714, 561 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{12}\text{N}_2\text{O}_5\text{Na}$ 275.0638; Found 275.0634.



3-Methyl-1-(4-(methylsulfonyl)phenyl)-3-nitrobutan-1-one (3za)

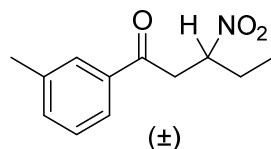
White solid (197 mg, 58% yield); $R_f = 0.23$ (5:1 hexanes/AcOEt); m.p. 138.2–139.8 $^{\circ}\text{C}$; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.12 (d, $J = 8.7$ Hz, 2H), 8.07 (d, $J = 8.7$ Hz, 2H), 3.69 (s, 2H), 3.09 (s, 3H), 1.79 (s, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 193.87, 144.70, 140.28, 128.85, 127.97, 84.83, 47.40, 44.30, 26.68; IR (film) ν_{max} 1693, 1661, 1611, 1543, 1316, 1296, 1152, 1086 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_5\text{NaS}$ 308.0563; Found 308.0559.



3-Nitro-1-(*o*-tolyl)pentan-1-one (3bl)

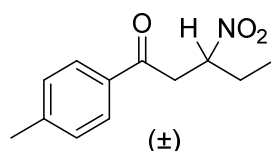
Colorless oil (234 mg, 89% yield); $R_f = 0.25$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.73 – 7.67 (m, 1H), 7.42 (t, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.28 (d, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.13 –

5.05 (m, 1H), 3.82 (dd, $J = 18.1, 9.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.19 (dd, $J = 18.1, 4.1$ Hz, 1H), 2.49 (s, 3H), 2.07 – 1.95 (m, 2H), 1.04 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 198.60, 138.98, 136.21, 132.25, 132.11, 128.68, 125.82, 84.03, 42.98, 27.12, 21.38, 9.99; IR (film) ν_{max} 2972, 2928, 1692, 1551, 1456, 1379, 980, 759.99 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 244.0944; Found 244.0949.



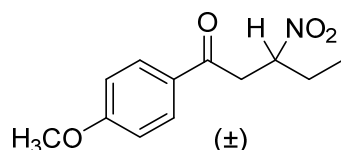
3-Nitro-1-(*m*-tolyl)pentan-1-one (3cl)

Colorless oil (232 mg, 88% yield); $R_f = 0.25$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.75 (s, 2H), 7.39 (dd, $J = 15.8, 7.7$ Hz, 2H), 5.14 – 5.03 (m, 1H), 3.87 (dd, $J = 18.1, 8.7$ Hz, 1H), 3.26 (dd, $J = 18.2, 4.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.41 (s, 3H), 2.06 – 1.98 (m, 2H), 1.04 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 195.41, 138.63, 135.85, 134.55, 128.62, 128.55, 125.26, 83.92, 40.60, 27.17, 21.26, 9.99; IR (film) ν_{max} 2972, 2928, 1692, 1551, 1456, 1379, 980, 759.99 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 244.0944; Found 244.0949.



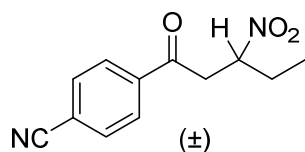
3-Nitro-1-(*p*-tolyl)pentan-1-one (3dl)

Colorless oil (224 mg, 85% yield); $R_f = 0.25$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.86 (d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.27 (d, $J = 17.0$ Hz, 2H), 5.14 – 5.05 (m, 1H), 3.86 (dd, $J = 18.0, 8.5$ Hz, 1H), 3.25 (dd, $J = 18.0, 4.5$ Hz, 1H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 2.06 – 1.99 (m, 2H), 1.04 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 194.80, 144.81, 133.44, 129.47, 128.21, 84.02, 40.51, 27.23, 21.68, 10.04; IR (film) ν_{max} 2972, 2928, 1692, 1551, 1456, 1379, 980, 759.99 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 244.0944; Found 244.0949.



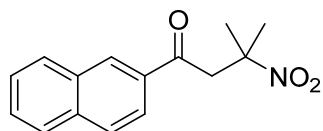
1-(4-Methoxyphenyl)-3-nitropentan-1-one (3hl)

Colorless oil (251 mg, 89% yield); $R_f = 0.37$ (5:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.95 – 7.90 (m, 2H), 6.97 – 6.92 (m, 2H), 5.09 (d, $J = 4.5$ Hz, 1H), 3.87 (d, $J = 0.6$ Hz, 4H), 3.26 – 3.18 (m, 1H), 2.06 – 1.97 (m, 2H), 1.03 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 193.63, 164.04, 130.40, 128.93, 113.93, 84.10, 55.51, 40.25, 27.22, 10.04; IR (film) ν_{max} 2974, 2938, 1678, 1601, 1551, 1258, 1175, 1026, 835, 567 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_4\text{Na}$ 260.0893; Found 260.0897.



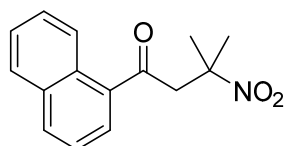
4-(3-Nitropentanoyl)benzonitrile (3sl)

Colorless oil (227 mg, 82% yield); $R_f = 0.19$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.05 (d, $J = 8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.80 (d, $J = 8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.10 (dd, $J = 7.0, 3.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.97 – 3.88 (m, 1H), 3.23 (dd, $J = 18.3, 4.0$ Hz, 1H), 2.11 – 1.99 (m, 2H), 1.06 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 3H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 194.13, 138.68, 132.70, 128.53, 117.64, 117.16, 83.49, 40.67, 27.17, 9.99; IR (film) ν_{max} 1692, 1541, 1420, 1361, 1287, 1240, 1142, 1026, 922, 802, 756, 679 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{12}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3\text{Na}$ 255.074; Found 255.0737.



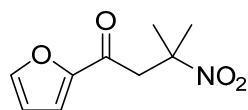
3-Methyl-1-(naphthalen-2-yl)-3-nitrobutan-1-one (3a'a)

White solid (285 mg, 93% yield); $R_f = 0.27$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); m.p. 119.5–120.5 °C; $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.45 (s, 1H), 8.02 – 7.95 (m, 2H), 7.90 (dd, $J = 13.8, 8.5$ Hz, 2H), 7.66 – 7.60 (m, 1H), 7.60 – 7.55 (m, 1H), 3.82 (s, 2H), 1.82 (s, 6H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 194.88, 135.80, 133.84, 132.42, 129.77, 129.60, 128.82, 128.71, 127.84, 127.02, 123.48, 85.14, 47.16, 26.67; IR (film) ν_{max} 2922, 1680, 1539, 1466, 1362, 1126, 858, 818, 748 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{16}\text{NO}_3$ 258.1124; Found 258.1129.



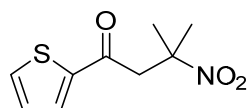
3-Methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-yl)-3-nitrobutan-1-one (3b'a)

White solid (282 mg, 92% yield); $R_f = 0.27$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); m.p. 119.5–120.5 °C; $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.55 (d, $J = 8.6$ Hz, 1H), 8.02 (d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.90 – 7.86 (m, 2H), 7.61 – 7.49 (m, 3H), 3.76 (s, 2H), 1.82 (s, 6H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 199.13, 135.24, 133.99, 133.23, 129.99, 128.48, 128.26, 127.42, 126.70, 125.57, 124.21, 85.20, 50.26, 26.75; IR (film) ν_{max} 2922, 1680, 1539, 1466, 1362, 1126, 858, 818, 748 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{16}\text{NO}_3$ 258.1124; Found 258.1129.



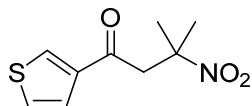
1-(Furan-2-yl)-3-methyl-3-nitrobutan-1-one (3c'a)

Colorless oil (216 mg, 92% yield); $R_f = 0.23$ (8:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.59 (d, $J = 0.9$ Hz, 1H), 7.22 (d, $J = 3.6$ Hz, 1H), 6.56 (dd, $J = 3.6, 1.7$ Hz, 1H), 3.52 (s, 2H), 1.74 (s, 6H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 184.14, 152.35, 146.66, 117.53, 112.60, 85.05, 46.57, 26.51; IR (film) ν_{max} 2365, 2340, 1543, 1464 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_9\text{H}_{11}\text{NO}_4\text{Na}$ 220.0586; Found 220.0584.



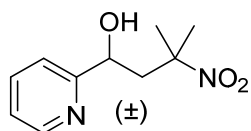
3-Methyl-3-nitro-1-(thiophen-2-yl)butan-1-one (3d'a)

Colorless oil (233 mg, 92% yield); $R_f = 0.15$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.70 (dd, $J = 17.4, 5.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.14 (d, $J = 4.7$ Hz, 1H), 3.60 (s, 2H), 1.76 (s, 6H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 187.83, 143.70, 134.44, 132.22, 128.26, 85.18, 47.48, 26.53; IR (film) ν_{max} 1607, 1543, 1462, 1413, 1180, 1140, 1074 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_9\text{H}_{11}\text{NO}_3\text{SNa}$ 236.0351; Found 236.0349.



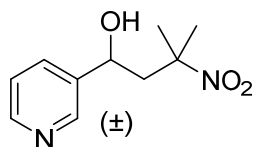
3-Methyl-3-nitro-1-(thiophen-3-yl)butan-1-one (3e'a)

White solid (233 mg, 92% yield); $R_f = 0.15$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); m.p. 69.6–71.1 $^{\circ}\text{C}$; $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.06 (d, $J = 1.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.52 (d, $J = 5.1$ Hz, 1H), 7.33 (d, $J = 1.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.58 (s, 2H), 1.75 (d, $J = 1.5$ Hz, 6H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 189.23, 141.73, 132.34, 126.75, 126.70, 85.03, 48.11, 26.54; IR (film) ν_{max} 1607, 1543, 1462, 1413, 1180, 1140, 1074 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_9\text{H}_{11}\text{NO}_3\text{SNa}$ 236.0351; Found 236.0349.



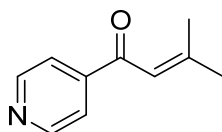
3-Methyl-3-nitro-1-(pyridin-2-yl)butan-1-ol (3f'a)

Colorless oil (195 mg, 78% yield); $R_f = 0.86$ (AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.52 – 8.48 (m, 1H), 7.73 – 7.66 (m, 1H), 7.30 – 7.19 (m, 2H), 4.82 (dd, $J = 9.5, 3.1$ Hz, 1H), 4.29 (t, $J = 6.7$ Hz, 1H), 2.39 – 2.29 (m, 2H), 1.73 (s, 6H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 161.00, 148.23, 137.06, 122.70, 120.25, 87.42, 69.60, 48.51, 26.61, 26.34; IR (film) ν_{max} 1593, 1539, 1470, 1142, 1076, 766 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{15}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$ 211.1077; Found 211.1071.



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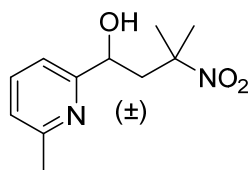
Colorless oil (188 mg, 75% yield); $R_f = 0.43$ (AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.46 (s, 2H), 7.71 (d, $J = 7.9$ Hz, 1H), 7.26 (s, 1H), 4.87 (dd, $J = 10.1, 2.7$ Hz, 1H), 2.53 (dd, $J = 15.1, 10.1$ Hz, 1H), 2.15 (dd, $J = 15.1, 2.7$ Hz, 1H), 1.71 (d, $J = 2.3$ Hz, 6H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Benzene-*d*₆) δ 148.78, 147.08, 140.08, 133.78, 123.75, 86.94, 77.32, 77.00, 76.68, 68.47, 48.49, 27.00, 26.06; IR (film) ν_{max} 1593, 1539, 1470, 1142, 1076, 766 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{15}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$ 211.1004; Found 211.1071.



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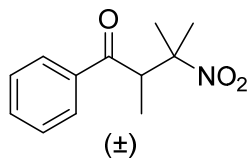
Colorless oil (133 mg, 69% yield); $R_f = 0.45$ (5:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.77 (d, $J = 6.1$ Hz, 2H), 7.72 – 7.66 (m, 2H), 6.71 (s, 1H), 2.26 (s, 3H), 2.05

(s, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 189.79, 160.60, 150.62, 145.46, 121.26, 119.98, 28.26, 21.51; IR (film) ν_{max} 2926, 2384, 1659, 1381, 1132, 1074 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{12}\text{NO}$ 162.0913; Found 162.0914.



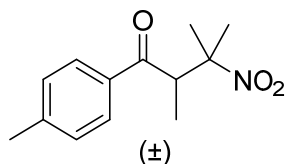
3-Methyl-1-(6-methylpyridin-2-yl)-3-nitrobutan-1-ol (3i'a)

Colorless oil (219 mg, 82% yield); R_f = 0.95 (AcOEt); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.58 (t, J = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.06 (t, J = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 4.77 (dd, J = 10.0, 2.5 Hz, 1H), 4.59 (s, 1H), 2.54 (s, 3H), 2.39 – 2.34 (m, 1H), 2.29 – 2.22 (m, 1H), 1.75 (d, J = 3.5 Hz, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 159.86, 157.18, 137.27, 122.14, 117.08, 87.62, 69.12, 48.91, 26.63, 26.46, 24.16; IR (film) ν_{max} 1599, 1539, 1460, 1180, 1140, 1074 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{17}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$ 225.1233; Found 225.1231.



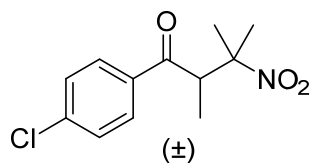
2,3-Dimethyl-3-nitro-1-phenylbutan-1-one (3j'a)⁶¹

Colorless oil (216 mg, 82% yield); R_f = 0.28 (20:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.97 (d, J = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 7.62 – 7.56 (m, 1H), 7.50 (t, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 4.41 (q, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 1.72 (d, J = 20.4 Hz, 6H), 1.24 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 200.48, 136.54, 133.52, 128.84, 128.36, 90.67, 46.62, 23.84, 14.20.



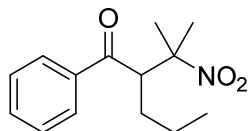
2,3-Dimethyl-3-nitro-1-(*p*-tolyl)butan-1-one (3k'a)

White solid (238 mg, 85% yield); R_f = 0.25 (20:1 hexanes/AcOEt); m.p. 82.1–83.2 °C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.87 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.27 (d, J = 7.5 Hz, 3H), 4.38 (q, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 1.70 (d, J = 19.7 Hz, 6H), 1.22 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 199.98, 144.51, 134.05, 129.52, 128.52, 90.72, 46.44, 24.38, 21.60, 14.21.



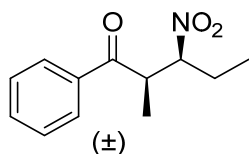
1-(4-Chlorophenyl)-2,3-dimethyl-3-nitrobutan-1-one (3l'a)

White solid (253 mg, 83% yield); R_f = 0.22 (20:1 hexanes/AcOEt); m.p. 122.0–122.8 °C; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.97 – 7.86 (m, 2H), 7.50 – 7.44 (m, 2H), 4.33 (q, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 1.71 (d, J = 6.7 Hz, 6H), 1.24 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 199.30, 140.11, 134.77, 129.78, 129.17, 90.61, 46.59, 24.27, 14.21.



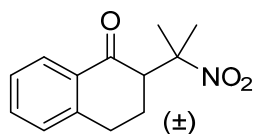
2-(2-Nitropropan-2-yl)-1-phenylpentan-1-one (3m'a)

^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.02 (d, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.69 – 7.57 (m, 1H), 7.51 (t, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 2H), 4.44 (dd, $J = 11.0, 3.0$ Hz, 1H), 1.92 (dddd, $J = 12.9, 11.0, 9.2, 5.7$ Hz, 1H), 1.71 (s, 3H), 1.53 (s, 3H), 1.34 (dt, $J = 6.7, 3.4$ Hz, 1H), 1.25 (s, 2H), 0.84 (t, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 201.07, 138.50, 133.70, 128.91, 128.44, 90.95, 51.35, 31.74, 26.13, 22.10, 21.19, 14.05; IR (film) ν_{max} 2957, 1680, 1537, 1180, 1142, 1076 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{19}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 272.1257; Found 272.1260.



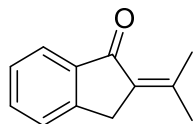
(2*R*,3*S*)-2-Methyl-3-nitro-1-phenylpentan-1-one (3j'l)⁶⁴

Colorless oil (197 mg, 75% yield); $R_f = 0.35$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.98 (dd, $J = 8.4, 1.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.60 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.51 – 7.48 (m, 2H), 4.99 – 4.94 (m, 1H), 4.18 (dd, $J = 9.5, 7.3$ Hz, 1H), 2.15 (s, 1H), 1.99 – 1.93 (m, 1H), 1.24 (d, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 3H), 1.02 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 200.31, 135.07, 133.63, 128.84, 128.49, 89.33, 42.41, 23.87, 14.22, 9.33.



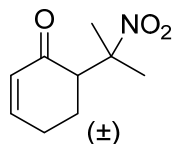
2-(2-Nitropropan-2-yl)-3,4-dihydronaphthalen-1(2H)-one (3n'a)

Colorless oil (172 mg, 62% yield); $R_f = 0.15$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.97 (d, $J = 7.9$ Hz, 1H), 7.49 (t, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.29 (d, $J = 20.0$ Hz, 3H), 3.57 (dd, $J = 13.9, 3.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.22 – 3.01 (m, 2H), 2.16 (d, $J = 9.9$ Hz, 1H), 2.00 (s, 1H), 1.73 (s, 3H), 1.65 (s, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 195.54, 143.07, 133.71, 132.55, 128.56, 127.61, 126.90, 88.69, 77.20, 54.85, 29.50, 25.69, 25.35, 22.37; IR (film) ν_{max} 2924, 2365, 1543, 1181, 1140, 1074, 554 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 256.0944; Found 256.0937.



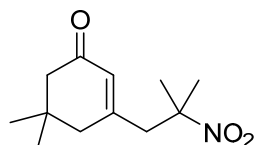
2-(Propan-2-ylidene)-2,3-dihydro-1H-inden-1-one (3o'a)⁶⁵

Colorless oil (168 mg, 82% yield); $R_f = 0.33$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.80 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.55 (td, $J = 7.4, 1.3$ Hz, 1H), 7.46 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.37 (t, $J = 7.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.65 (s, 2H), 2.44 (s, 3H), 2.01 (s, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 194.02, 149.64, 147.85, 140.37, 133.67, 130.42, 127.16, 125.90, 123.89, 32.22, 24.53, 20.43.



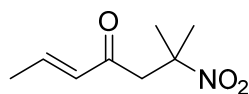
6-(2-Nitropropan-2-yl)cyclohex-2-en-1-one (3p'a)

White solid (112 mg, 51% yield); $R_f = 0.3$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); m.p. 82.1–83.2 °C; $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 6.97 – 6.93 (m, 1H), 5.99 (dt, $J = 10.0, 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.37 (dd, $J = 14.2, 4.0$ Hz, 1H), 2.54 – 2.47 (m, 2H), 2.02 – 1.98 (m, 1H), 1.89 – 1.82 (m, 1H), 1.70 (s, 3H), 1.58 (d, $J = 8.1$ Hz, 3H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 196.66, 149.16, 130.19, 88.68, 29.69, 26.40, 25.09, 24.51, 22.91; IR (film) ν_{max} 3418, 2388, 1615, 1397 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_9\text{H}_{13}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 206.0787; Found 206.0788.



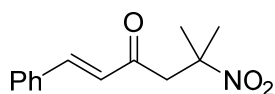
5,5-Dimethyl-3-(2-methyl-2-nitropropyl)cyclohex-2-en-1-one (3q'a)

Colorless oil (156 mg, 58% yield); $R_f = 0.2$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 5.85 (s, 1H), 2.81 (s, 2H), 2.19 (s, 2H), 2.07 (s, 2H), 1.61 (s, 6H), 1.00 (s, 6H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 199.27, 155.98, 129.52, 86.99, 50.79, 48.33, 44.20, 33.78, 28.10, 26.35; IR (film) ν_{max} 2959, 1670, 1539, 1468, 1371, 1180, 1139, 1074 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{20}\text{NO}_3$ 226.1437; Found 226.1432.



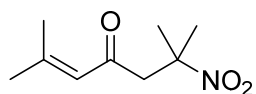
(E)-6-Methyl-6-nitrohept-2-en-4-one (3r'a)

Colorless oil (165 mg, 81% yield); $R_f = 0.17$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 6.86 (dd, $J = 15.7, 6.9$ Hz, 1H), 6.09 (dt, $J = 15.8, 1.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.20 (s, 2H), 1.89 (dd, $J = 6.9, 1.6$ Hz, 3H), 1.66 (s, 6H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 194.71, 143.94, 131.47, 84.90, 48.30, 26.40, 18.22; IR (film) ν_{max} 2918.42, 1543.12, 1132.26, 1076.33, 630.75 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_8\text{H}_{13}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 194.0787; Found 194.0790.



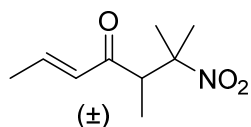
(E)-5-Methyl-5-nitro-1-phenylhex-1-en-3-one (3s'a)

Colorless oil (217 mg, 78% yield); $R_f = 0.17$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.58 – 7.54 (m, 3H), 7.42 – 7.40 (m, 2H), 6.73 (s, 1H), 6.70 (s, 1H), 3.35 (s, 2H), 1.73 (s, 6H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 194.70, 134.05, 130.88, 129.03, 128.43, 128.18, 125.64, 85.21, 49.26, 26.50; IR (film) ν_{max} 2922.28, 1541.19, 1076.33, 555.52 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 256.0944; Found 256.0950.



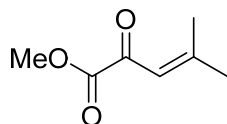
2,6-Dimethyl-6-nitrohept-2-en-4-one (3t'a)⁶⁶

Colorless oil (170 mg, 77% yield); $R_f = 0.22$ (20:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 6.00 (d, $J = 1.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.07 (s, 2H), 2.12 (s, 3H), 1.88 (s, 3H), 1.65 (s, 6H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 195.06, 157.84, 123.17, 52.14, 27.78, 26.42, 20.92.



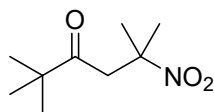
(*E*)-5,6-Dimethyl-6-nitrohept-2-en-4-one (3u'a)

Colorless oil (172 mg, 78% yield); $R_f = 0.25$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 6.94 (dd, $J = 15.6, 6.9$ Hz, 1H), 6.19 (d, $J = 15.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.64 (d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 1H), 1.92 (d, $J = 6.9$ Hz, 3H), 1.63 (d, $J = 3.6$ Hz, 6H), 1.13 (d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 199.03, 144.37, 131.02, 90.29, 49.76, 23.92, 23.61, 18.29, 13.22; IR (film) ν_{max} 1385, 1180, 1142, 1074, 918, 636, 547 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_9\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 208.0944; Found 208.0950.



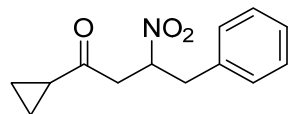
Methyl 4-methyl-2-oxopent-3-enoate (3v'a)

Colorless oil (105 mg, 62% yield); $R_f = 0.25$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 6.87 – 6.34 (m, 1H), 3.86 (s, 3H), 2.26 (s, 3H), 2.03 (d, $J = 1.3$ Hz, 3H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 181.58, 165.03, 162.93, 119.09, 52.82, 21.85.



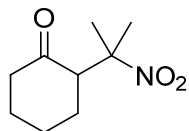
2,2,5-Trimethyl-5-nitrohexan-3-one (3w'a)

Colorless oil (107 mg, 48% yield); $R_f = 0.25$ (20:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 3.18 (s, 2H), 1.66 (s, 6H), 1.15 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 211.01, 84.77, 45.50, 44.32, 26.52, 26.22; IR (film) ν_{max} 2922, 1464, 1132, 1076 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_9\text{H}_{17}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 210.1106; Found 210.1102.



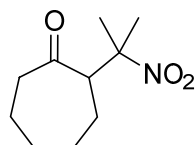
1-Cyclopropyl-3-nitro-4-phenylbutan-1-one (3x'a)

Colorless oil (199 mg, 72% yield); $R_f = 0.35$ (20:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.34 – 7.31 (m, 2H), 7.29 (d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 1H), 7.18 – 7.16 (m, 2H), 5.17 (ddd, $J = 15.4, 7.5, 4.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.40 (dd, $J = 18.2, 8.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.31 (s, 1H), 3.14 (s, 1H), 2.88 (d, $J = 18.2$ Hz, 1H), 1.90 (t, $J = 4.5$ Hz, 1H), 1.07 – 1.02 (m, 2H), 0.96 – 0.89 (m, 2H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 205.75, 134.88, 129.08, 128.94, 127.66, 83.31, 44.27, 39.62, 20.75, 11.45, 11.27; IR (film) ν_{max} 2924, 1699, 1551, 1451, 1393, 1180, 1138, 1074, 1018, 918 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 256.0944; Found 256.0941.



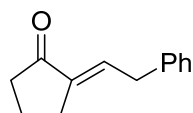
2-(2-Nitropropan-2-yl)cyclohexan-1-one (3y'a)

Colorless oil (130 mg, 59% yield); $R_f = 0.17$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 3.32 (dd, $J = 13.3, 5.2$ Hz, 1H), 2.38 (dd, $J = 10.6, 5.8$ Hz, 2H), 2.16 – 2.08 (m, 1H), 2.00 (s, 2H), 1.73 (m, 2H), 1.66 (s, 4H), 1.56 (s, 3H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 208.12, 88.64, 57.23, 42.72, 29.68, 27.58, 25.27, 24.76, 22.73; IR (film) ν_{max} 2924, 1699, 1551, 1451, 1393, 1180, 1138, 1074, 1018, 918 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 256.0944; Found 256.0941.



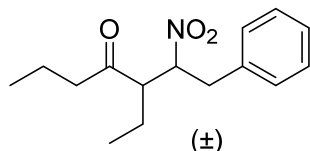
2-(2-Nitropropan-2-yl)cycloheptan-1-one (3z'a)

Colorless oil (171 mg, 72% yield); $R_f = 0.18$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 3.46 (dd, $J = 10.9, 2.5$ Hz, 1H), 2.65 – 2.58 (m, 1H), 2.42 (dd, $J = 11.8, 4.6$ Hz, 1H), 1.98 – 1.90 (m, 3H), 1.66 (s, 7H), 1.60 (s, 3H), 1.49 – 1.42 (m, 1H), 1.35 (d, $J = 11.1$ Hz, 1H), 1.28 – 1.22 (m, 2H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 211.74, 90.41, 57.14, 43.88, 29.46, 28.71, 27.55, 25.20, 23.53, 22.96; IR (film) ν_{max} 2924, 1699, 1551, 1451, 1393, 1180, 1138, 1074, cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{17}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 222.1106; Found 222.1102.



(*E*)-2-(2-Phenylethylidene)cyclopentan-1-one (3a''m)

Colorless oil (131 mg, 59% yield); $R_f = 0.14$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.31 – 7.16 (m, 5H), 6.75 – 6.67 (m, 1H), 3.49 (d, $J = 7.7$ Hz, 2H), 2.73 – 2.65 (m, 2H), 2.36 (t, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 2H), 2.03 – 1.95 (m, 2H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 207.09, 138.51, 137.75, 133.76, 128.67, 128.47, 126.48, 38.60, 35.81, 26.83, 19.76; IR (film) ν_{max} 2963, 1719, 1649, 1175, 1074, 698 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{15}\text{O}$ 187.1117; Found 187.1110.



3-Ethyl-2-nitro-1-phenylheptan-4-one (3b''m)

Colorless oil (194 mg, 79% yield); *syn* : *anti* = 40 : 60.

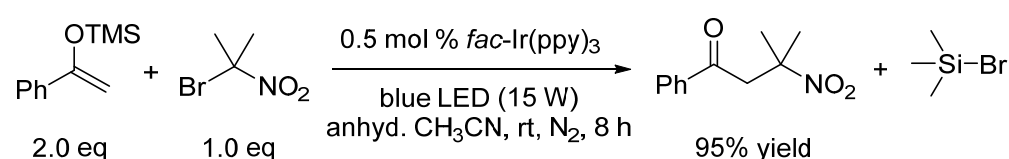
***syn*-isomer:** $R_f = 0.42$ (20:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.29 – 7.22 (m, 3H), 7.14 – 7.10 (m, 2H), 4.99 (td, $J = 10.4, 3.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.16 (ddd, $J = 10.0, 6.3, 5.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.05 (d, $J = 10.7$ Hz, 1H), 2.99 (d, $J = 3.3$ Hz, 1H), 2.61 – 2.43 (m, 2H), 1.64 (dd, $J = 7.4, 2.4$ Hz, 4H), 0.91 (dt, $J = 31.0, 7.4$ Hz, 6H). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 209.66, 135.22, 128.77, 128.65, 127.50, 90.49, 55.15, 46.28, 38.40, 22.54, 16.67, 13.60, 10.07; IR (film)

ν_{\max} 2967, 2932, 2878, 1711, 1551, 1458, 1375, 700 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{21}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 286.1413; Found 286.1416.

anti-isomer: $R_f = 0.38$ (20:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.32 – 7.26 (m, 3H), 7.13 – 7.09 (m, 2H), 5.04 – 4.99 (m, 1H), 3.29 (dd, $J = 14.7, 3.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.21 (s, 1H), 3.08 (dd, $J = 14.7, 8.8$ Hz, 1H), 2.55 – 2.40 (m, 2H), 1.86 – 1.75 (m, 2H), 1.60 – 1.54 (m, 2H), 0.90 (dt, $J = 18.0, 7.5$ Hz, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 210.15, 134.77, 128.81, 127.60, 77.20, 53.52, 45.11, 36.89, 21.18, 16.55, 13.54, 10.32; IR (film) ν_{\max} 2967, 2932, 2878, 1711, 1551, 1458, 1375, 700 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{21}\text{NO}_3\text{Na}$ 286.1413; Found 286.1416.

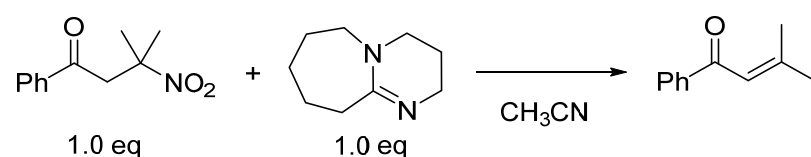
6. Conversions of coupling products

6.1 Gram-scale reaction

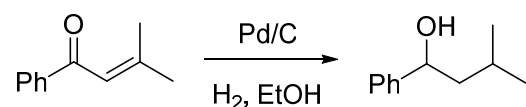


A Schlenk tube equipped with a stirring bar was evacuated and backfilled with N_2 (three times). Geminal bromonitroalkane **2a** (1.00 g, 5.95 mmol), silyl enol ether of acetophenone **1a** (1.23 g, 11.9 mmol) and *fac*-Ir(ppy)₃ (20 mg, 0.50 % mmol) were placed. Then, anhydrous acetonitrile (CH_3CN , 20.0 mL) was added via a gastight syringe under N_2 atmosphere. The reaction mixture was degassed by freeze-pump-thaw method and then stirred overnight under irradiation with blue LEDs (460 nm, app. 3.0 cm distance from the tube), maintained at approximately room temperature (25 °C) by a desk fan in the air-conditioned room. Upon completion, the mixture was concentrated under vacuum. The product was purified by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 50:1–10:1) on silica gel to give the product **3aa** (white solid, 1.17 g, 95% yield).

6.2 Conversions of 3aa and 3al

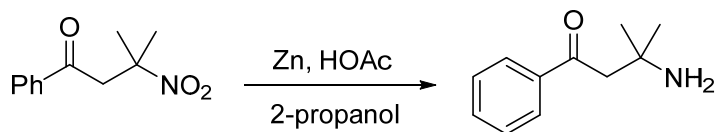


A Schlenk tube equipped with a stirring bar was evacuated and backfilled with N_2 (three times). **3aa** (100 mg, 0.50 mmol) and DBU (75 μL , 0.50 mmol) were added. Then, anhydrous acetonitrile (CH_3CN , 10 mL) was added via a gastight syringe under N_2 atmosphere. The reaction mixture was stirred 5 h, and monitored by TLC. Upon completion, the mixture was concentrated under vacuum. The crude product was purified by flash column chromatography (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 10:1) on silica gel to give the product **4a** (colorless oil, 73 mg, 91% yield).

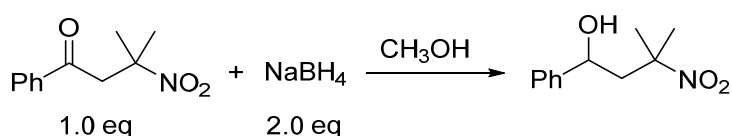


To a Schlenk tube were added **4a** (80 mg, 0.50 mmol), 10% Pd/C (30 mg in wet) and EtOH (15 mL). The mixture was well stirred under hydrogen atmosphere overnight. Pd/C was filtered and

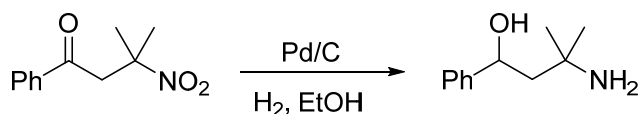
washed with EtOH. The filtrate was concentrated and the residue dried in vacuo. The product was purified by flash column chromatography on silica gel to give 3-methyl-1-phenylbutan-1-ol **4b** as a colorless oil (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 2:1).



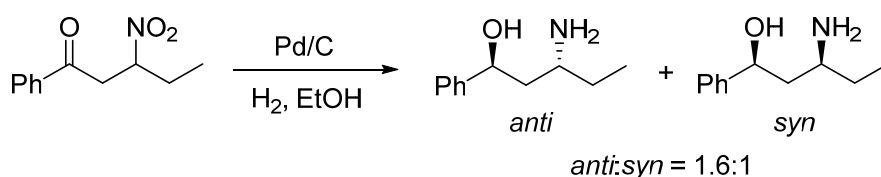
To a solution of **3aa** (100 mg, 0.50 mmol) in 2-propanol (2 mL) was added zinc dust (65 mg, 1.0 mmol) and acetic acid (0.15 mL) at room temperature. The resulting mixture was stirred for 6 h and then quenched with saturated aqueous NaHCO₃. The solution was filtrated through Celite to remove zinc dust. The filtrate was extracted with CH₂Cl₂, and the extracts were washed with brine and dried over Na₂SO₄. After evaporation of solvents, the product **4c** was obtained in 82% yield (73 mg).



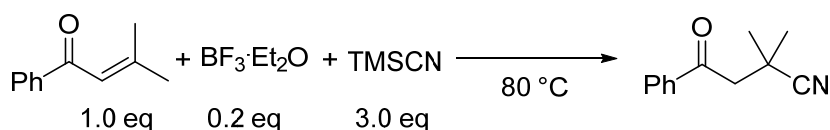
3aa (100 mg, 0.50 mmol) was added to a 100ml flame-dried round-bottomed flask containing methanol (20 mL), followed by NaBH₄ (38 mg, 1.0 mmol) in portions. After 3 h, the mixture was concentrated under vacuum, diluted by water and extracted with DCM (3 × 10 mL). The organic layers were combined and concentrated under vacuum. The product **4d** was purified by flash column chromatography on silica (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 10:1–5:1).



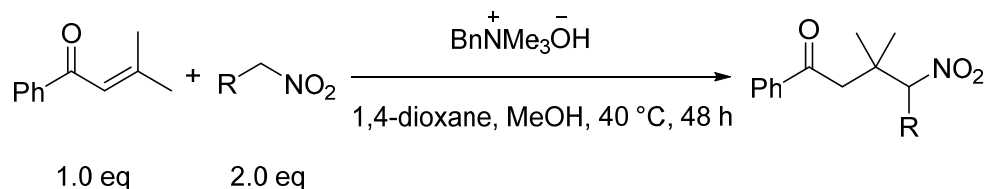
To a transparent Schlenk tube were added **3aa** (100 mg, 0.5 mmol), 10% Pd/C (30 mg in wet), and EtOH (15 mL). The mixture was well stirred under hydrogen atmosphere overnight. Pd/C was filtered and washed with EtOH. The filtrate was concentrated and the residue dried in vacuo. The yield of crude **4e** was 87%. The product was purified by flash column chromatography on silica gel (ethyl acetate/methanol = 1:1).



To a Schlenk tube were added **3al** (100 mg, 0.50 mmol), 10% Pd/C (30 mg in wet) and EtOH (15 mL). The mixture was well stirred under hydrogen atmosphere overnight. Pd/C was filtered and washed with EtOH. The filtrate was concentrated and the residue dried in vacuo. The yield of crude **4f** was 83%. The product was purified by flash column chromatography on silica gel (ethyl acetate/methanol = 1:1).

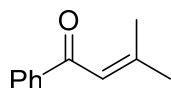


To a solution of **4a** (100 mg, 0.50 mmol) and TMSCN (0.2 mL, 1.5 mmol) was slowly added $\text{BF}_3 \cdot \text{Et}_2\text{O}$ (15 μL , 0.10 mmol) at room temperature, the mixture was stirred at 80 °C for 12 h. After being cooled to 0 °C, the reaction was carefully quenched with saturated NaHCO_3 solution (5 mL) and extracted with ethyl acetate (3 \times 10 mL). The combined organic extracts were dried over anhydrous Na_2SO_4 and concentrated in vacuo. The product **4g** was purified by flash column chromatography on silica (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 50:1–8:1).



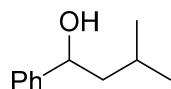
To a solution of nitroalkane (2.00 mmol), **4a** (200 mg, 1.00 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (1 mL) was added a solution of benzyltrimethylammonium hydroxide (0.15 mL, 40% in MeOH) at ambient temperature. The solution was stirred at 40 °C for 48 h until completion of reaction. The reaction mixture was concentrated in vacuo to give a residue. The crude product was purified by flash column chromatography using 10:1 hexanes/AcOEt to give the product **4h** or **4i** as a colorless oil.

6.2 Physical data



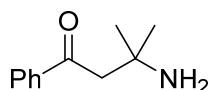
3-Methyl-1-phenylbut-2-en-1-one (**4a**)⁶⁵

Yellow oil (73 mg, 91% yield); $R_f = 0.7$ (20:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.97 – 7.83 (m, 2H), 7.53 – 7.39 (m, 3H), 6.79 – 6.67 (m, 1H), 2.20 (d, $J = 1.3$ Hz, 3H), 2.00 (d, $J = 1.3$ Hz, 3H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 191.35, 156.51, 139.18, 132.15, 128.32, 128.07, 121.09, 27.85, 21.04.



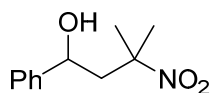
3-Methyl-1-phenylbutan-1-ol (**4b**)⁶⁷

Colorless oil (66 mg, 80% yield); $R_f = 0.1$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.37 – 7.26 (m, 5H), 4.75 (dd, $J = 8.2, 5.4$ Hz, 1H), 1.98 (br, 1H), 1.71 (d, $J = 6.3$ Hz, 2H), 1.52 (s, 1H), 0.97 (dd, $J = 6.5, 2.5$ Hz, 6H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 145.21, 128.42, 127.44, 125.84, 72.74, 48.31, 24.75, 23.08, 22.22.



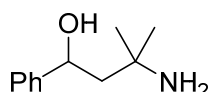
3-Amino-3-methyl-1-phenylbutan-1-one (**4c**)⁶⁸

Colorless oil (73 mg, 80% yield); $R_f = 0.1$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.93 (d, $J = 8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.59 (d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.47 (t, $J = 7.7$ Hz, 2H), 3.28 (s, 2H), 1.47 (s, 6H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 199.03, 136.42, 133.97, 128.74, 128.23, 53.78, 45.53, 26.12.



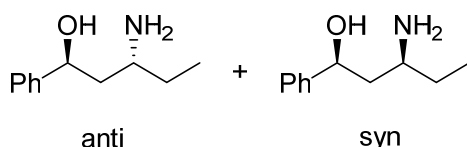
3-Methyl-3-nitro-1-phenylbutan-1-ol (4d)⁶⁹

Colorless oil (108 mg, 93% yield); R_f = 0.3 (5:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.37 – 7.28 (m, 5H), 4.82 (dd, J = 10.0, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 2.53 (dd, J = 15.1, 10.0 Hz, 1H), 2.16 (dd, J = 15.1, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 1.70 (d, J = 9.8 Hz, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 144.19, 128.73, 128.03, 125.54, 87.08, 71.10, 48.78, 27.08, 25.92; ; IR (film) ν_{max} 2990, 2930, 1537, 1458, 1384, 1358, 1132, 1063, 756, 700 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{15}\text{NONa}$ 232.0944; Found 232.0948.



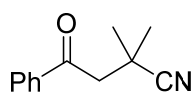
3-Amino-3-methyl-1-phenylbutan-1-ol (4e)⁷⁰

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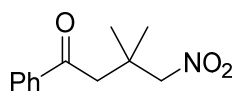
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Colorless oil (52 mg, 52% yield); R_f = 0.1 (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.38 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 3H), 7.33 (td, J = 7.6, 3.8 Hz, 3H), 7.26 (s, 1H), 5.11 – 5.05 (m, 1H), 4.92 (dd, J = 10.6, 2.2 Hz, 1H), 2.93 (s, 1H), 2.83 (s, 1H), 1.86 – 1.75 (m, 3H), 1.54 – 1.29 (m, 6H), 0.92 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 0.88 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 145.44, 128.23, 128.15, 126.98, 126.65, 125.63, 125.57, 75.56, 72.22, 50.44, 44.74, 42.49, 33.63, 31.08, 29.68, 10.22, 9.87.



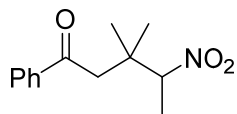
2,2-Dimethyl-4-oxo-4-phenylbutanenitrile (4g)^{71,72}

White solid (78 mg, 83% yield); R_f = 0.2 (8:1 hexanes/AcOEt); ^1H NMR (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.94 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.59 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.51 – 7.46 (m, 2H), 3.25 (s, 2H), 1.54 (s, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 195.16, 136.48, 133.62, 128.75, 124.47, 47.43, 29.59, 26.92.



3,3-Dimethyl-4-nitro-1-phenylbutan-1-one (4h)^{73,74}

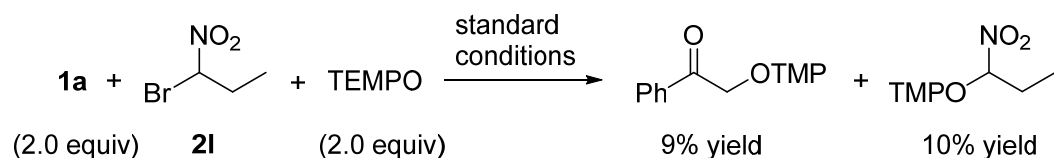
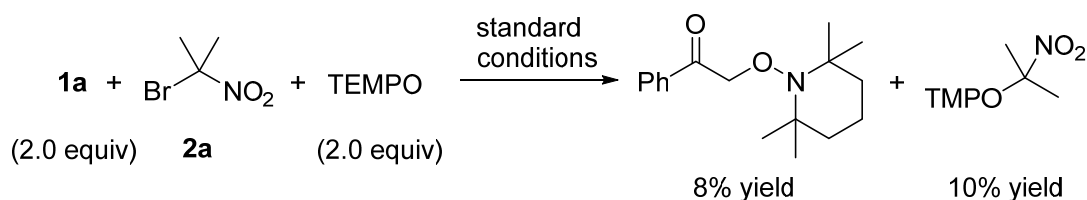
Colorless oil (78 mg, 83% yield); $R_f = 0.2$ (8:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.95 – 7.91 (m, 2H), 7.61 – 7.55 (m, 1H), 7.46 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 4.71 (s, 2H), 3.14 (s, 2H), 1.24 (s, 6H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 198.31, 137.46, 133.24, 128.64, 127.85, 83.58, 45.47, 34.48, 26.19.



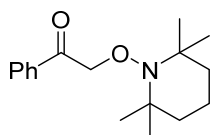
3,3-Dimethyl-4-nitro-1-phenylpentan-1-one (4i)^{73,74}

Colorless oil (78 mg, 83% yield); $R_f = 0.2$ (8:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.95 – 7.88 (m, 2H), 7.56 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.46 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 5.17 (q, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.20 (d, $J = 17.1$ Hz, 1H), 2.90 (d, $J = 17.2$ Hz, 1H), 1.52 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 3H), 1.18 (d, $J = 21.8$ Hz, 6H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 198.32, 137.67, 133.18, 128.62, 127.90, 88.90, 77.20, 45.53, 36.83, 24.27, 23.75, 13.84.

7. Radical-trapping experiments



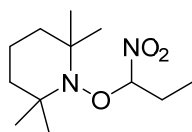
1-Phenyl-2-((2,2,6,6-tetramethylpiperidin-1-yl)oxy)ethan-1-one⁷⁵



Following the general procedure, obtained in 9% yield (for **2l**) as a colorless liquid after silica gel chromatography.

Colorless oil (59 mg, 9% yield); $R_f = 0.65$ (20:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.95 – 7.89 (m, 2H), 7.54 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 1H), 7.44 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 5.10 (s, 2H), 1.45 (dd, $J = 9.2, 4.0$ Hz, 6H), 1.16 (s, 12H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 195.55, 135.23, 133.07, 128.41, 127.79, 81.15, 59.96, 39.55, 32.64, 32.15, 20.07, 16.87; IR (film) ν_{max} 2972, 2930, 1703, 1450, 1379, 1362, 1180, 1138, 1097, 1074, 972, 754, 690, 567 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{26}\text{NO}_2$ 276.1958; Found 276.1960.

2,2,6,6-Tetramethyl-1-(1-nitropropoxy)piperidine



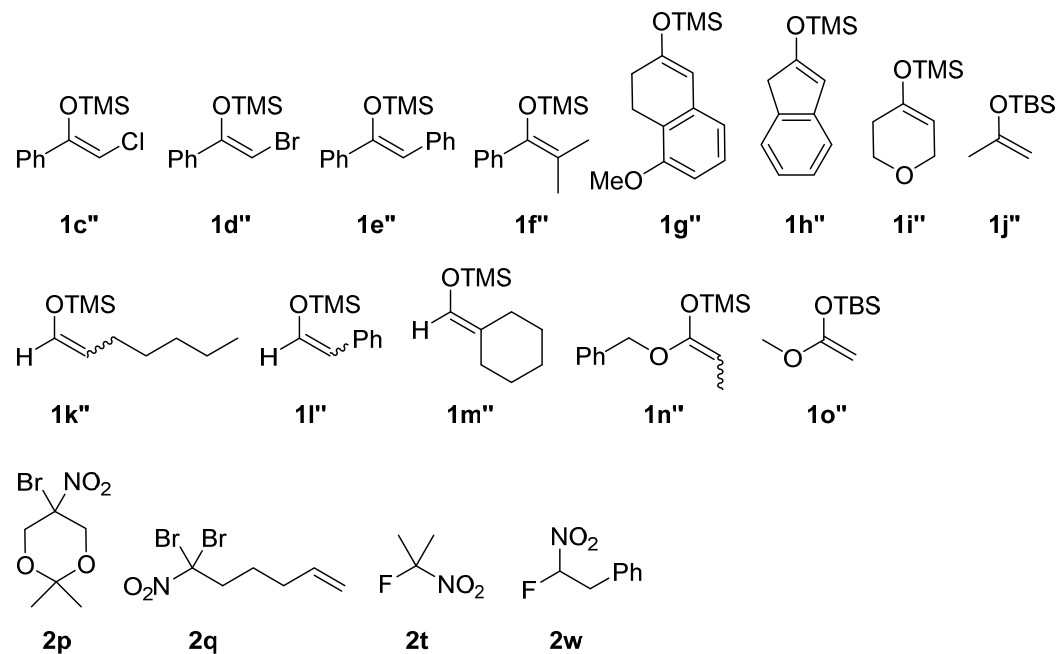
Following the general procedure, obtained in 10% yield as a reddish oil after silica gel

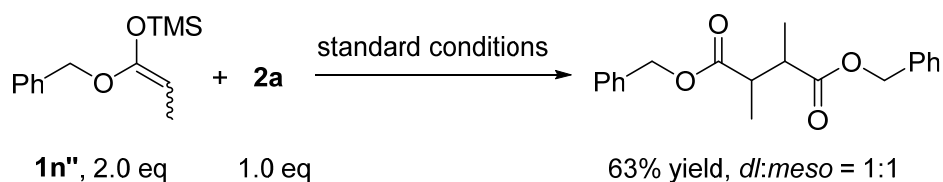
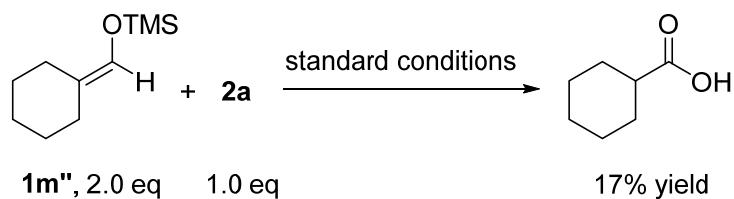
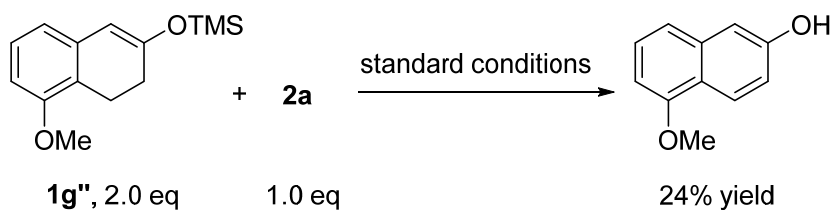
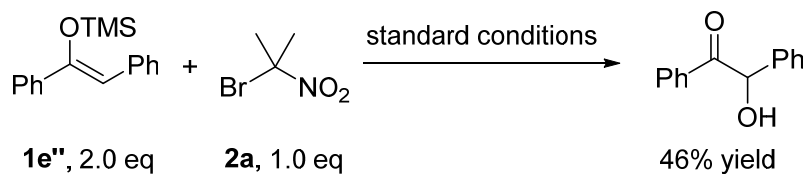
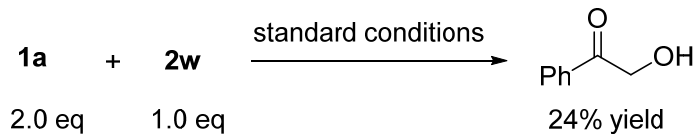
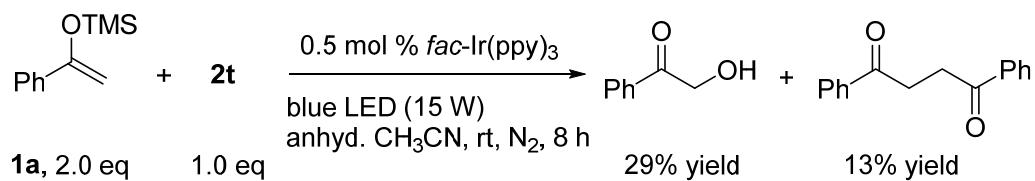
chromatography.

Reddish oil (29 mg, 10% yield); $R_f = 0.7$ (20:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform- d) δ 5.61 – 5.52 (m, 1H), 2.27 – 1.93 (m, 2H), 1.52 (d, $J = 43.1$ Hz, 6H), 1.15 (d, $J = 9.4$ Hz, 9H), 0.93 (t, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 6H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform- d) δ 94.13, 61.26, 59.55, 40.13, 39.86, 32.88, 31.72, 25.42, 20.05, 19.83, 16.65, 7.97, 0.00; IR (film) ν_{max} 2924, 1180, 1138, 1074 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{24}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$ 245.1859; Found 245.1856.

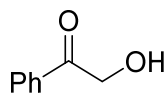
8. Unsuccessful coupling reactions

8.1 Unsuccessful coupling reactants



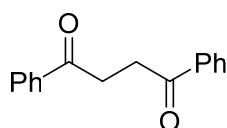


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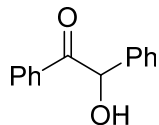
2-Hydroxy-1-phenylethan-1-one⁷⁶

Colorless oil (94 mg, 29% yield); R_f = 0.3 (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.03 (dd, J = 8.3, 1.3 Hz, 2H), 7.56 (d, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.47 (dd, J = 8.3, 7.2 Hz, 2H), 5.57 (s, 1H), 3.46 (s, 2H).



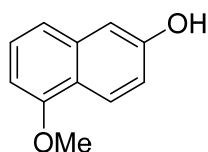
1,4-Diphenylbutane-1,4-dione⁷⁷

White solid (37 mg, 13% yield); $R_f = 0.65$ (20:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (600 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.05 (dd, $J = 8.3, 1.3$ Hz, 4H), 7.58 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.50 – 7.46 (m, 4H), 3.47 (s, 4H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (151 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 198.72, 136.79, 133.16, 128.61, 128.13, 32.58.



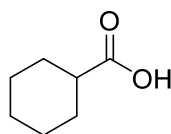
2-Hydroxy-1,2-diphenylethan-1-one⁷⁸

White solid (232 mg, 46% yield); $R_f = 0.2$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.91 (dd, $J = 8.5, 1.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.56 – 7.49 (m, 1H), 7.44 – 7.37 (m, 2H), 7.37 – 7.32 (m, 4H), 7.31 – 7.27 (m, 1H), 5.96 (s, 1H), 4.55 (d, $J = 6.1$ Hz, 1H).



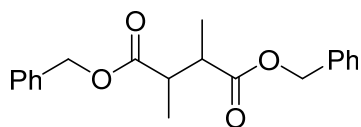
5-Methoxynaphthalen-2-ol⁷⁹

Colorless oil (101 mg, 24% yield); $R_f = 0.13$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.17 (d, $J = 9.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.38 – 7.30 (m, 1H), 7.27 (s, 1H), 7.14 – 7.02 (m, 2H), 6.67 (d, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 1H), 5.09 (s, 1H), 3.98 (s, 3H).



Cyclohexanecarboxylic acid⁸⁰

Colorless oil (52 mg, 17% yield); $R_f = 0.2$ (10:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 2.39 – 2.23 (m, 1H), 1.93 (dd, $J = 13.3, 2.7$ Hz, 2H), 1.84 – 1.56 (m, 4H), 1.53 – 1.39 (m, 2H), 0.92 – 0.81 (m, 2H).



Dibenzyl 2,3-dimethylsuccinate (*dl:meso* = 1:1)

Colorless oil (245 mg, 63% yield); $R_f = 0.3$ (20:1 hexanes/AcOEt); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.38 – 7.29 (m, 10H), 5.08 (d, $J = 4.7$ Hz, 4H), 2.88 (ddd, $J = 21.9, 4.9, 2.1$ Hz, 2H), 1.19 (d, $J = 6.2$ Hz, 6H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 174.84, 174.16, 135.86, 135.76, 128.46, 128.18, 128.11, 128.08, 66.35, 66.32, 42.47, 41.60, 14.63, 13.58; IR (film) ν_{max} 2924, 1685, 1583, 1490, 1452, 1362, 1382, 1200, 1074, 709 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z : $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{24}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$ 327.159; Found 327.1586.

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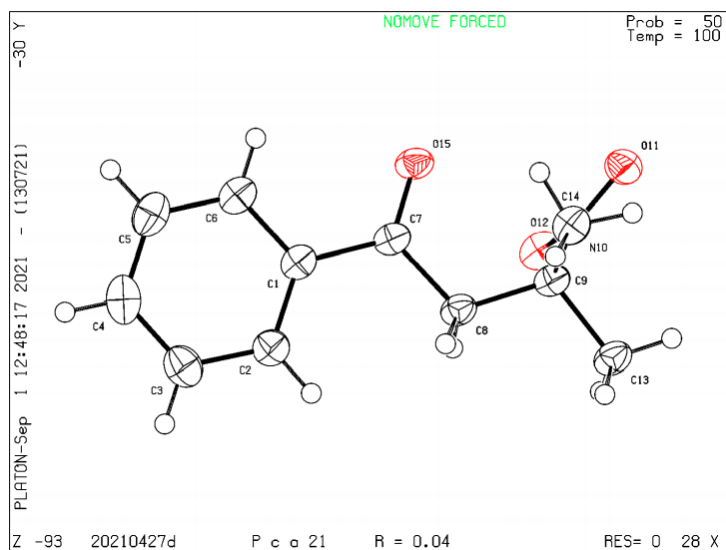
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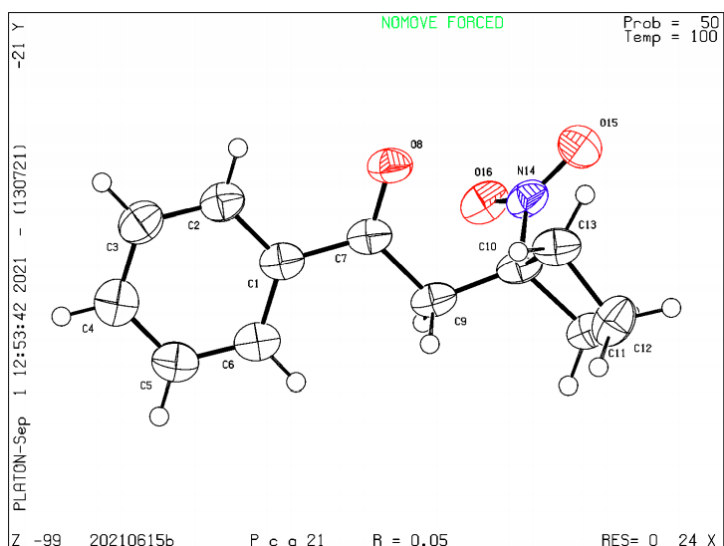
10. Crystal data

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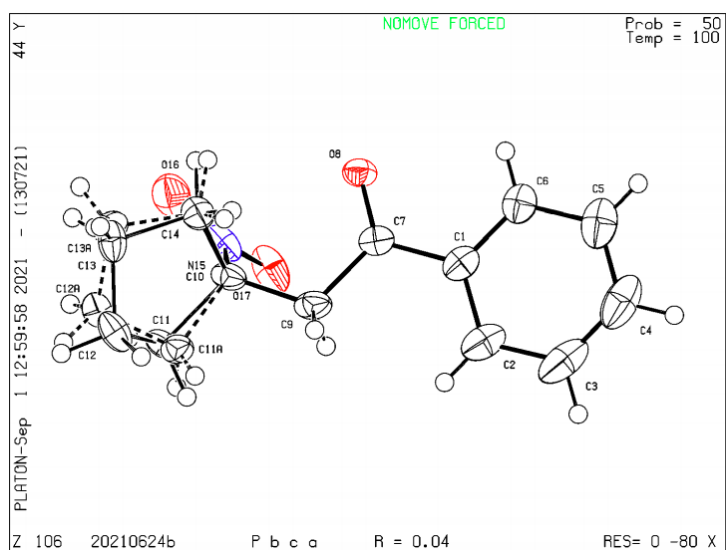
Crystal data and structure refinement for 3aa.

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c/Å	10.9209(3)
α/°	90
β/°	90
γ/°	90
Volume/Å ³	1094.53(5)
Z	4
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Radiation	CuKα (λ = 1.54184)
2θ range for data collection/°	9.064 to 152.016
Index ranges	-12 ≤ h ≤ 12, -12 ≤ k ≤ 12, -13 ≤ l ≤ 12
Reflections collected	18887
Independent reflections	2179 [R _{int} = 0.0601, R _{sigma} = 0.0273]
Data/restraints/parameters	2179/1/138
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.093
Final R indexes [I ≥ 2σ (I)]	R ₁ = 0.0356, wR ₂ = 0.0975
Final R indexes [all data]	R ₁ = 0.0363, wR ₂ = 0.0984
Largest diff. peak/hole / e Å ⁻³	0.18/-0.17
Flack parameter	0.17(12)



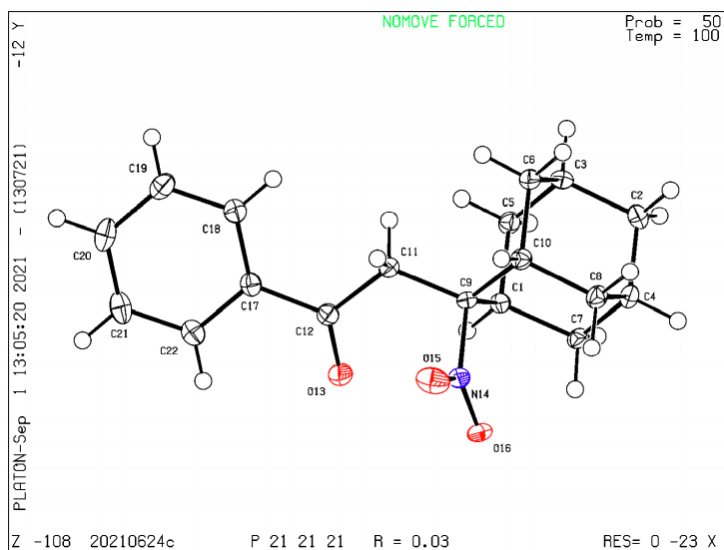
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b/Å	9.8396(5)
c/Å	11.0400(5)
α/°	90
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Volume/Å ³	1088.77(9)
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Radiation	CuKα (λ = 1.54184)
2θ range for data collection/°	8.988 to 153.54
Index ranges	-12 ≤ h ≤ 12, -12 ≤ k ≤ 12, -13 ≤ l ≤ 13
Reflections collected	18412
Independent reflections	2207 [R _{int} = 0.0938, R _{sigma} = 0.0357]
Data/restraints/parameters	2207/1/146
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.127
Final R indexes [I ≥ 2σ (I)]	R ₁ = 0.0540, wR ₂ = 0.1557
Final R indexes [all data]	R ₁ = 0.0580, wR ₂ = 0.1625
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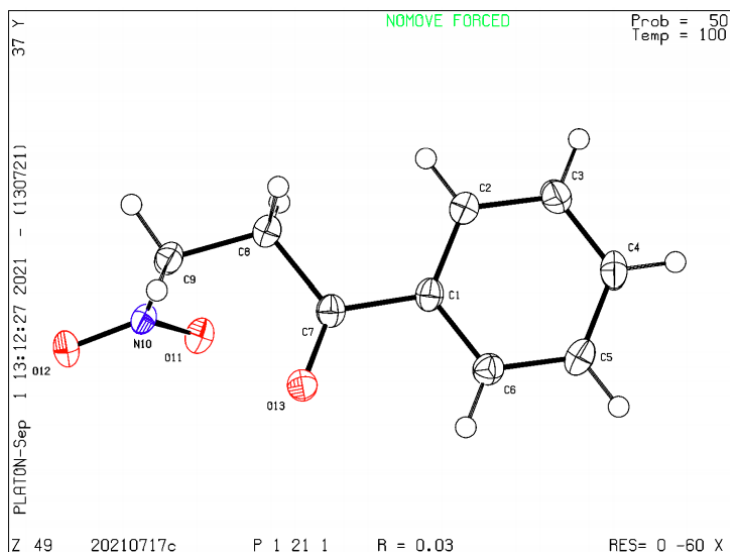
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c/Å	20.7789(3)
α /°	90
β /°	90
γ /°	90
Volume/Å ³	2328.05(5)
Z	8
$\rho_{\text{calc}}/\text{cm}^3$	1.331
μ/mm^{-1}	0.778
F(000)	992.0
Crystal size/mm ³	0.4 × 0.2 × 0.05
Radiation	CuK α (λ = 1.54184)
2 θ range for data collection/°	8.51 to 152.284
Index ranges	-12 ≤ h ≤ 12, -12 ≤ k ≤ 13, -24 ≤ l ≤ 26
Reflections collected	20591
Independent reflections	2397 [R _{int} = 0.0412, R _{sigma} = 0.0181]
Data/restraints/parameters	2397/124/183
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.069
Final R indexes [I ≥ 2 σ (I)]	R ₁ = 0.0416, wR ₂ = 0.1058
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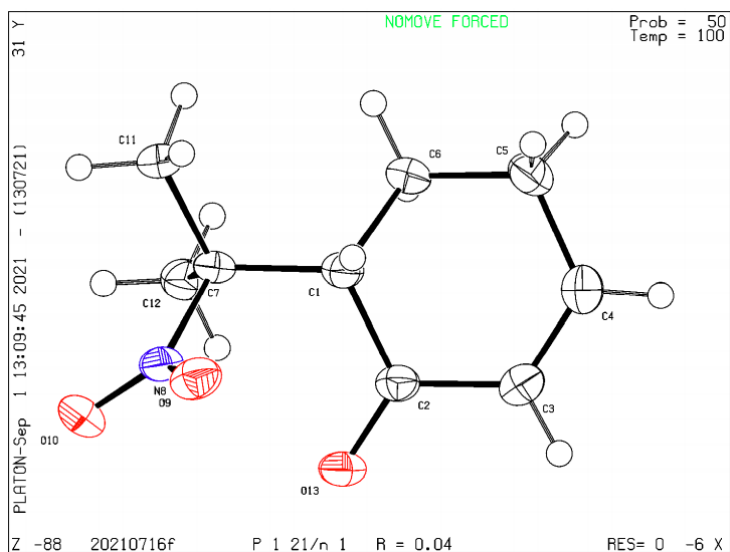
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b/Å	10.44770(10)
c/Å	21.3750(2)
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β/°	90
γ/°	90
Volume/Å ³	1470.58(3)
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ρ _{calc} /cm ³	1.352
μ/mm ⁻¹	0.739
F(000)	640.0
Crystal size/mm ³	0.5 × 0.4 × 0.3
Radiation	CuKα (λ = 1.54184)
2θ range for data collection/°	8.274 to 152.68
Index ranges	-5 ≤ h ≤ 8, -13 ≤ k ≤ 13, -26 ≤ l ≤ 26
Reflections collected	13735
Independent reflections	2971 [R _{int} = 0.0282, R _{sigma} = 0.0169]
Data/restraints/parameters	2971/0/200
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.038
Final R indexes [I ≥ 2σ (I)]	R ₁ = 0.0275, wR ₂ = 0.0739
Final R indexes [all data]	R ₁ = 0.0278, wR ₂ = 0.0741
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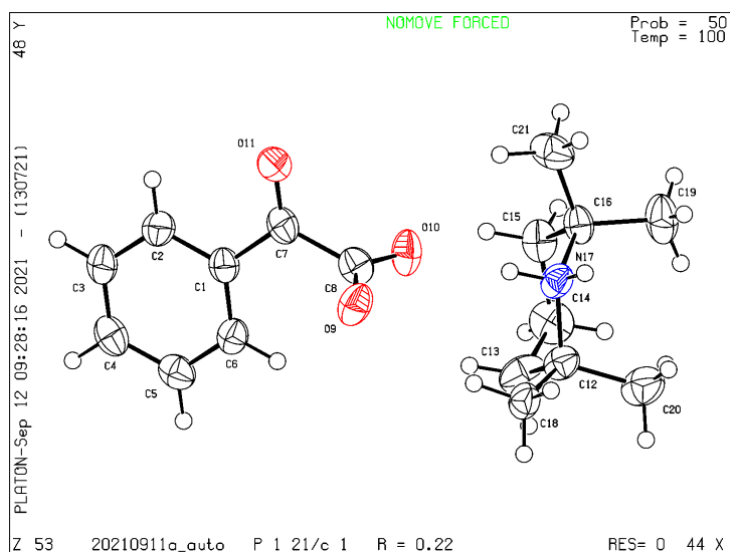
Crystal data and structure refinement for 3ao.

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b/Å	8.2450(3)
c/Å	9.0227(3)
α/°	90
β/°	92.654(2)
γ/°	90
Volume/Å ³	417.38(2)
Z	2
ρ _{calc} /cm ³	1.426
μ/mm ⁻¹	0.910
F(000)	188.0
Crystal size/mm ³	0.7 × 0.4 × 0.1
Radiation	CuKα (λ = 1.54184)
2θ range for data collection/°	9.814 to 151.768
Index ranges	-6 ≤ h ≤ 6, -10 ≤ k ≤ 10, -11 ≤ l ≤ 11
Reflections collected	7648
Independent reflections	1631 [R _{int} = 0.0439, R _{sigma} = 0.0222]
Data/restraints/parameters	1631/1/119
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.095
Final R indexes [I ≥ 2σ (I)]	R ₁ = 0.0315, wR ₂ = 0.0904
Final R indexes [all data]	R ₁ = 0.0317, wR ₂ = 0.0906
Largest diff. peak/hole / e Å ⁻³	0.24/-0.17
Flack parameter	-0.14(16)



Crystal data and structure refinement for 3p'a.

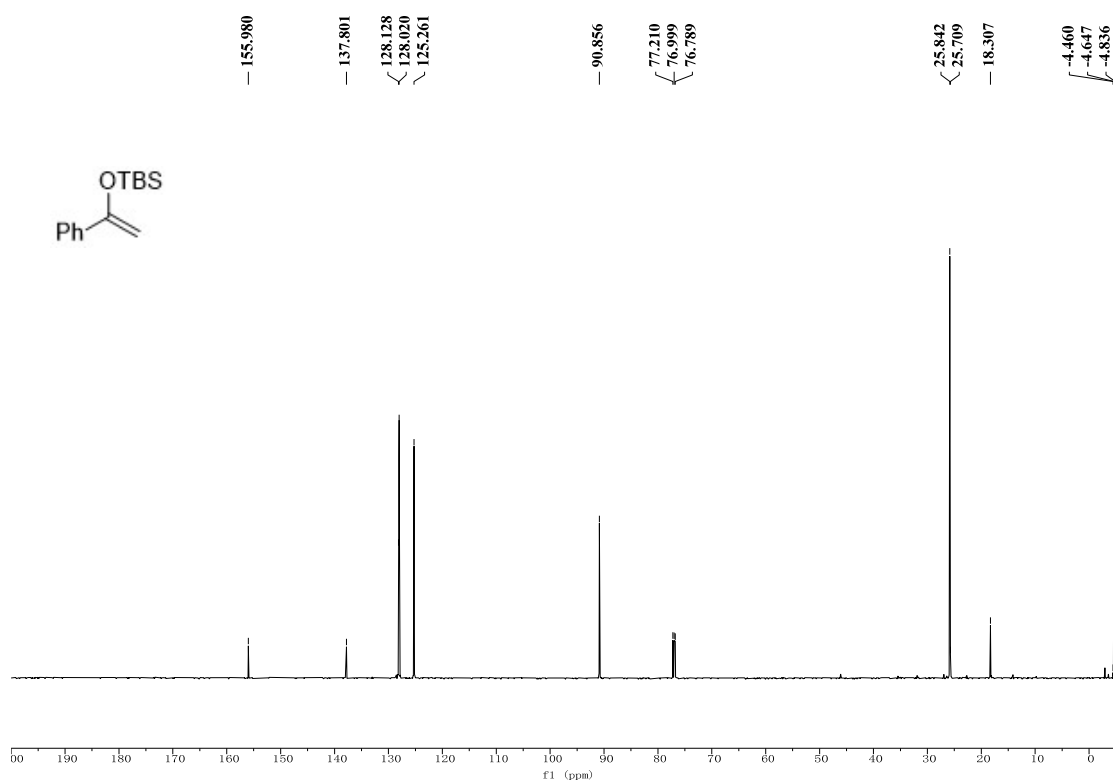
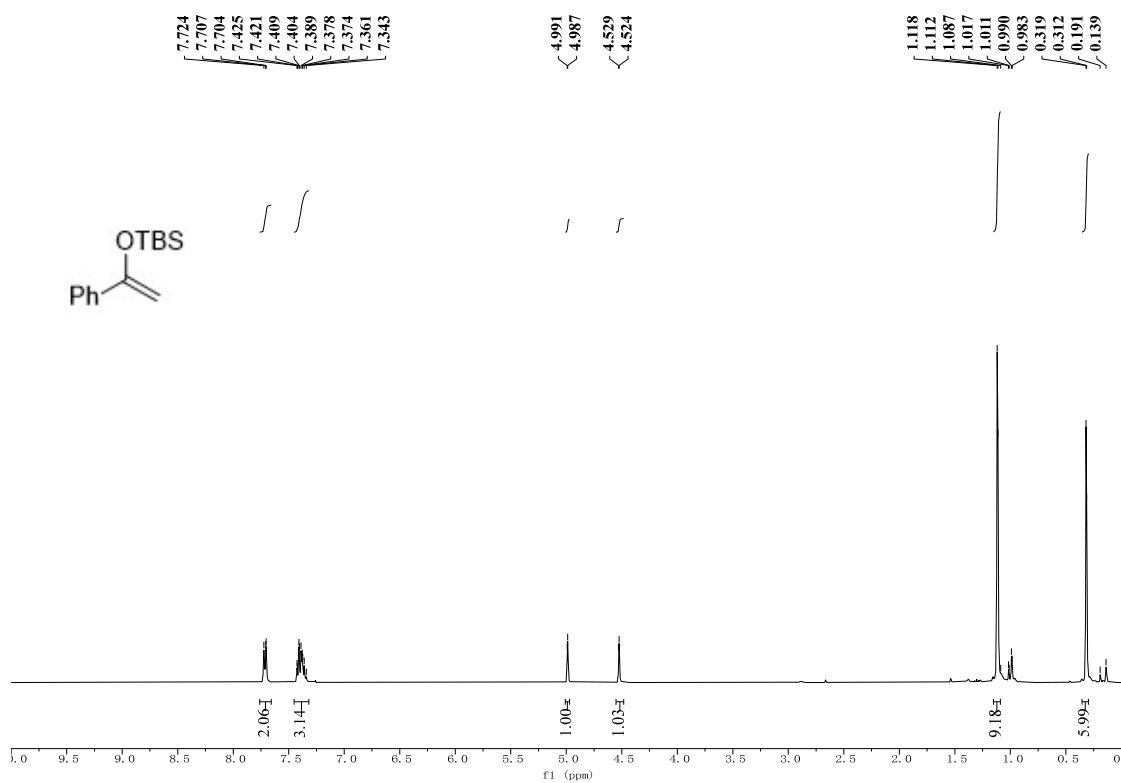
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Crystal system	monoclinic
Space group	$P2_1/n$
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$c/\text{\AA}$	9.9491(4)
$\alpha/^\circ$	90
$\beta/^\circ$	96.274(3)
$\gamma/^\circ$	90
Volume/ \AA^3	903.30(5)
Z	4
$\rho_{\text{calc}}/\text{cm}^3$	1.347
μ/mm^{-1}	0.843
F(000)	392.0
Crystal size/ mm^3	$0.4 \times 0.3 \times 0.05$
Radiation	$\text{CuK}\alpha$ ($\lambda = 1.54184$)
2θ range for data collection/ $^\circ$	10.638 to 151.98
Index ranges	$-6 \leq h \leq 7, -19 \leq k \leq 19, -12 \leq l \leq 12$
Reflections collected	16839
Independent reflections	1860 [$R_{\text{int}} = 0.0591, R_{\text{sigma}} = 0.0262$]
Data/restraints/parameters	1860/0/121
Goodness-of-fit on F^2	1.083
Final R indexes [$I \geq 2\sigma(I)$]	$R_1 = 0.0428, wR_2 = 0.1200$
Final R indexes [all data]	$R_1 = 0.0459, wR_2 = 0.1233$
Largest diff. peak/hole / $e \text{\AA}^{-3}$	0.32/-0.20

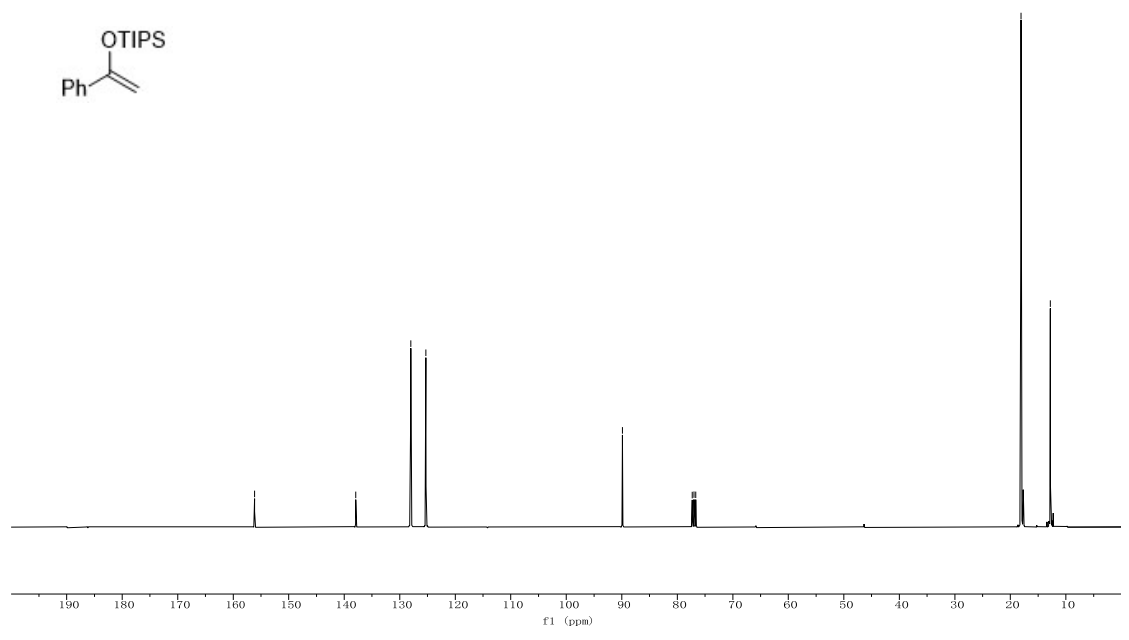
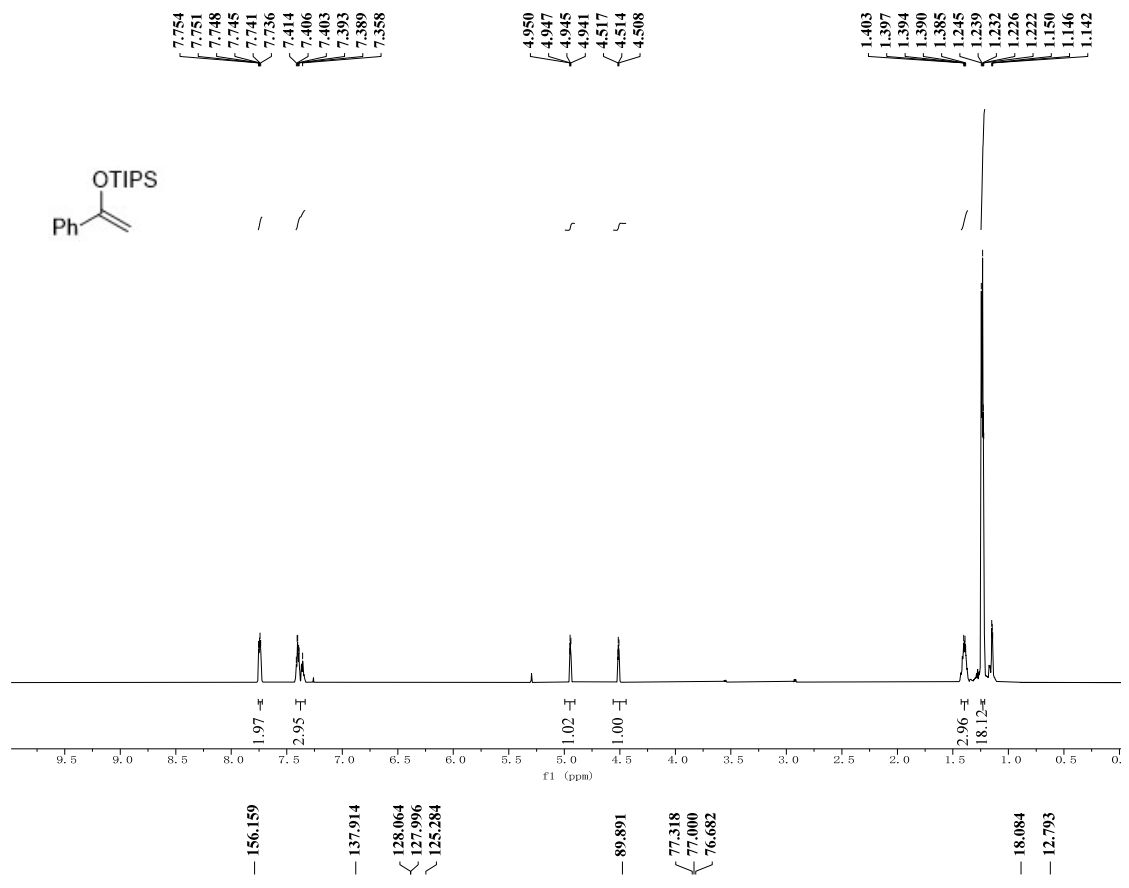


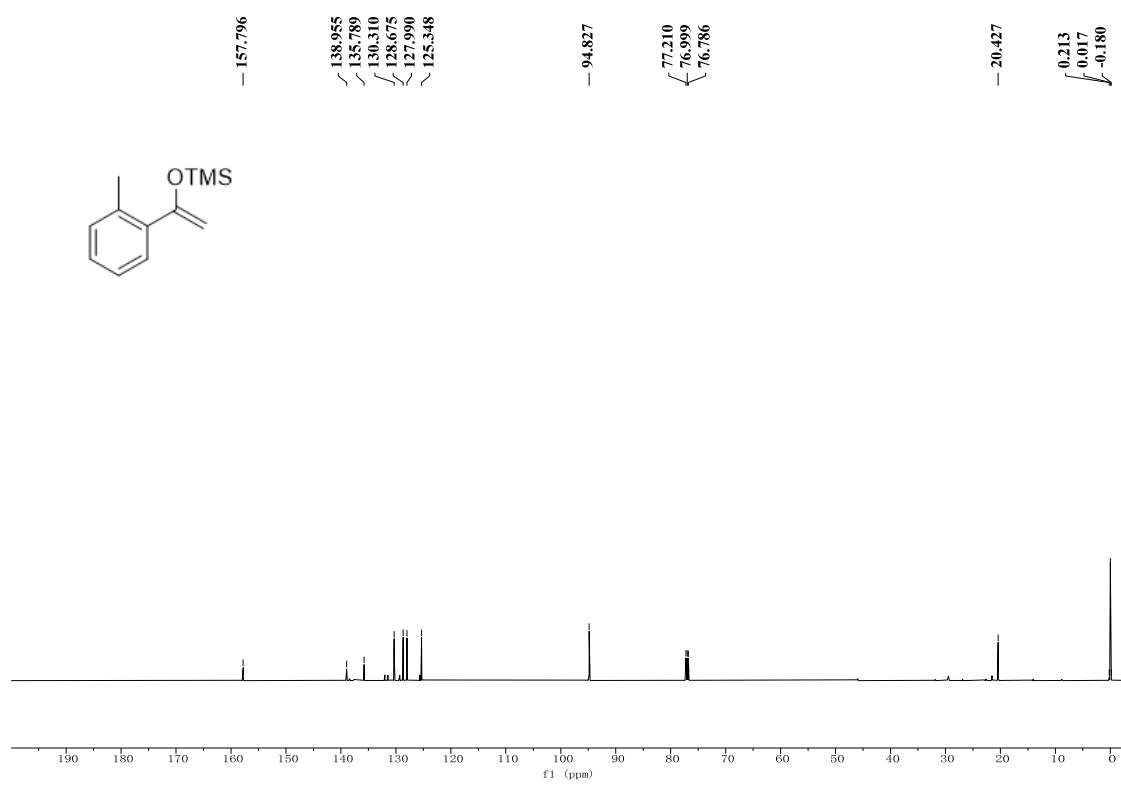
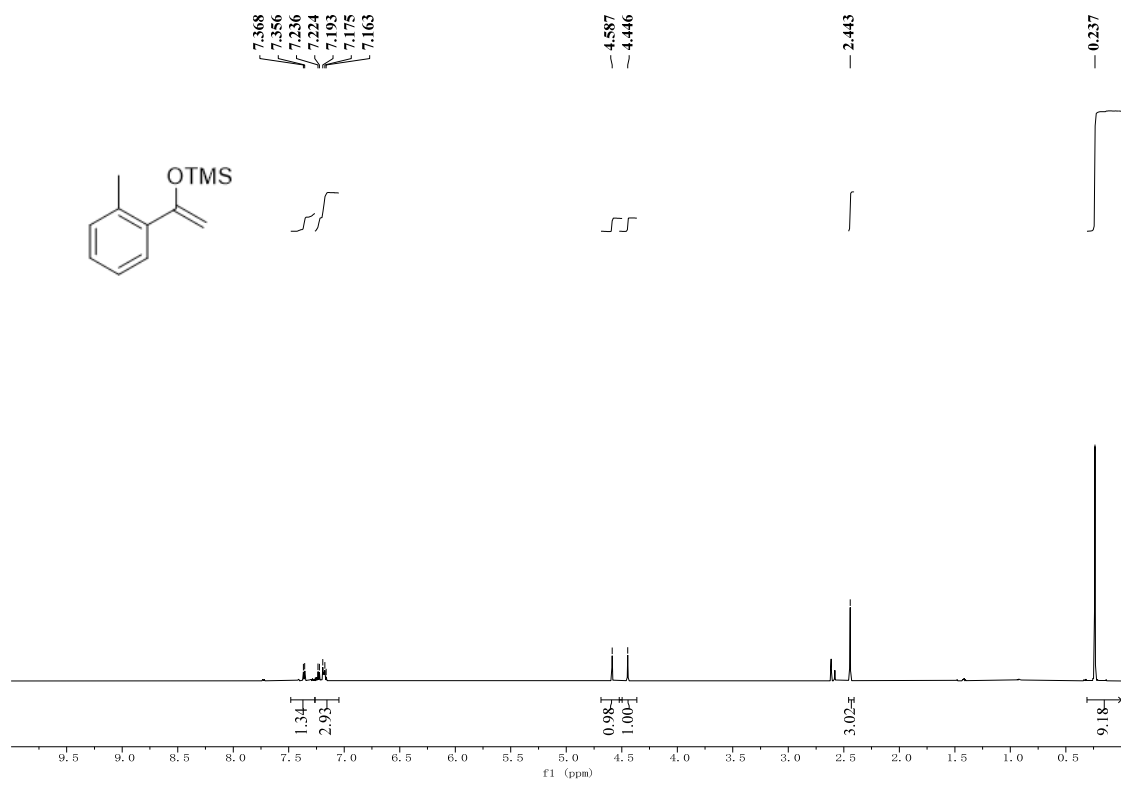
Crystal data and structure refinement for 2,2,6,6-tetramethylpiperidine benzoylformate.

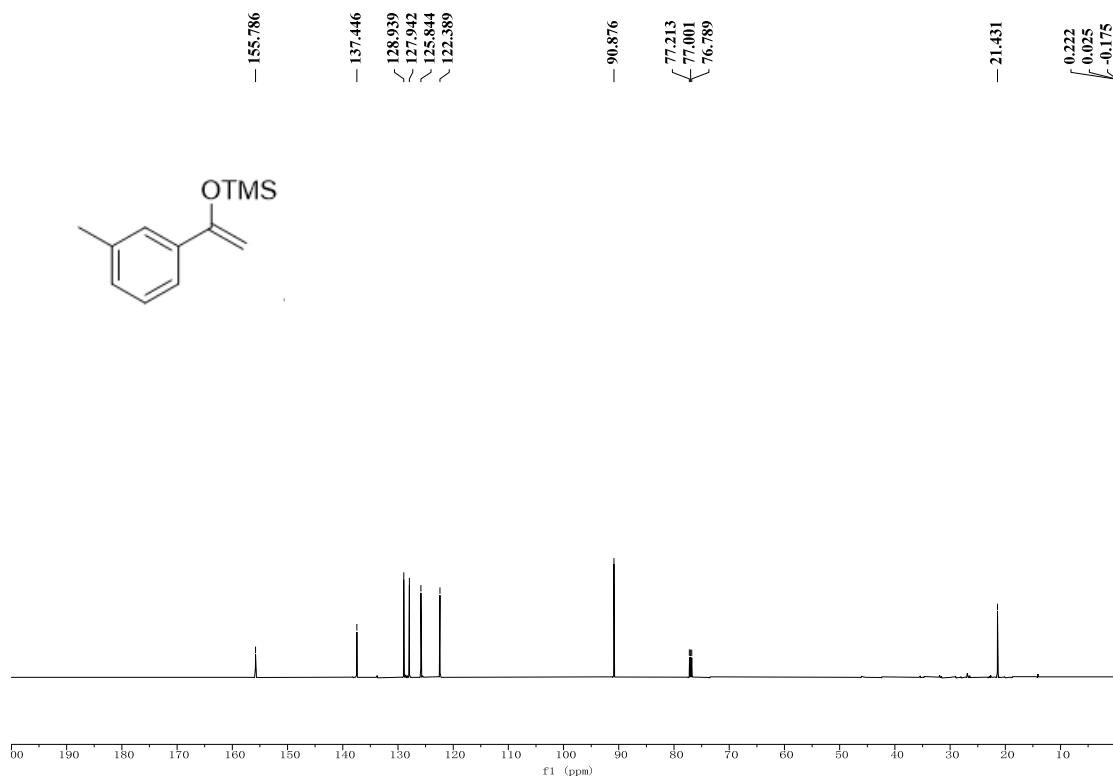
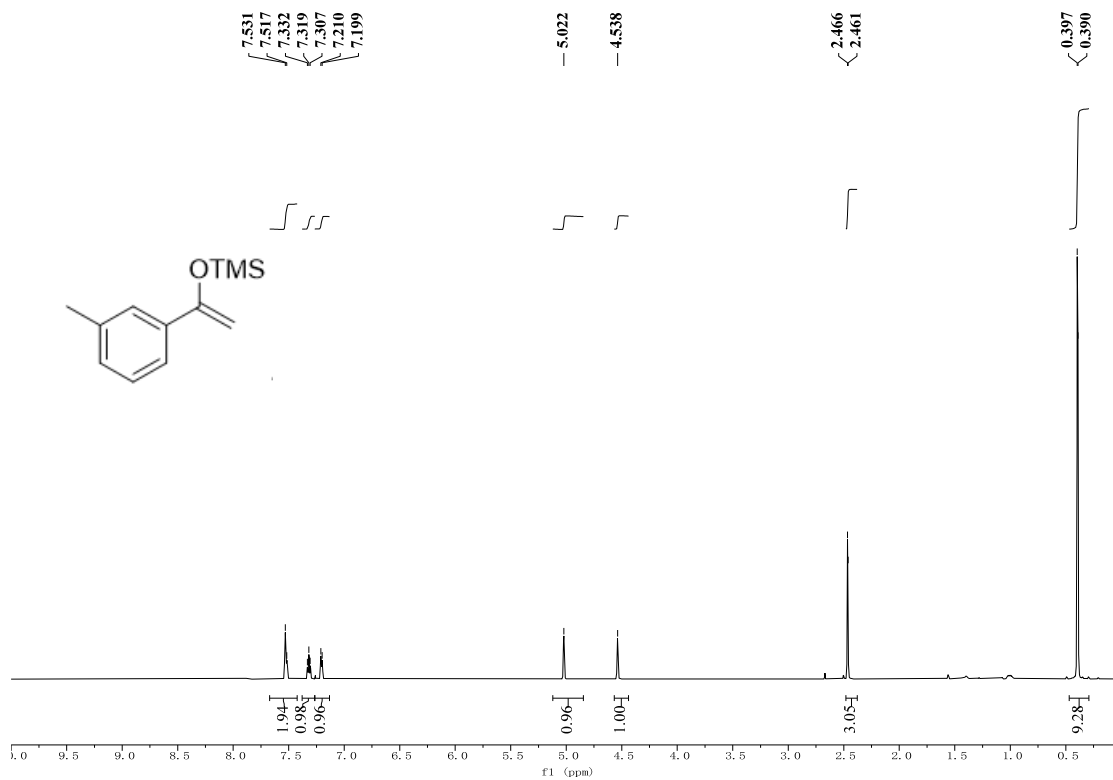
Temperature/K	99.99(10)
Crystal system	monoclinic
Space group	P2 ₁ /c
a/Å	10.3396(5)
b/Å	10.1521(4)
c/Å	15.1640(8)
α /°	90
β /°	90.266(5)
γ /°	90
Volume/Å ³	1591.73(13)
Z	4
$\rho_{\text{calc}}/\text{cm}^3$	1.222
μ/mm^{-1}	0.651
F(000)	635.0
Crystal size/mm ³	0.6 × 0.3 × 0.1
Radiation	Cu K α (λ = 1.54184)
2 θ range for data collection/°	8.552 to 153.368
Index ranges	-12 ≤ h ≤ 13, -12 ≤ k ≤ 12, -16 ≤ l ≤ 19
Reflections collected	14153
Independent reflections	3188 [R _{int} = 0.0642, R _{sigma} = 0.0369]
Data/restraints/parameters	3188/0/195
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	3.359
Final R indexes [I ≥ 2 σ (I)]	R ₁ = 0.2227, wR ₂ = 0.6254
Final R indexes [all data]	R ₁ = 0.2269, wR ₂ = 0.6288
Largest diff. peak/hole / e Å ⁻³	1.04/-0.75

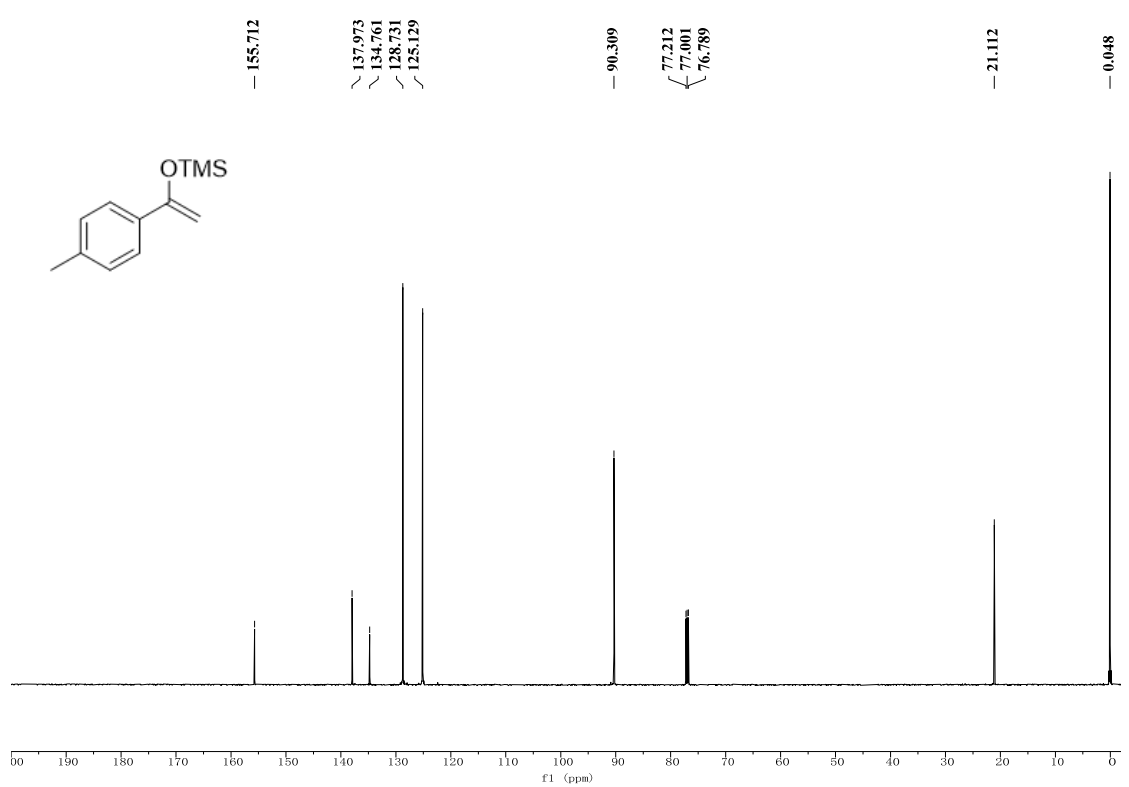
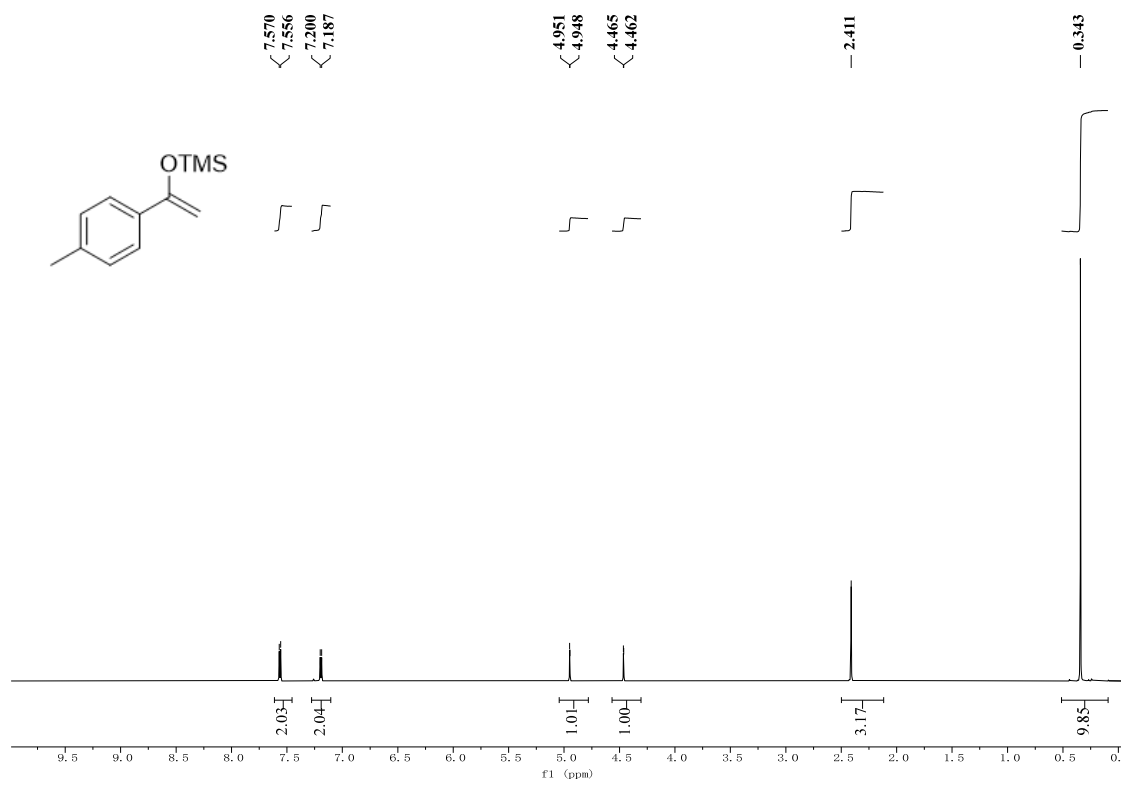
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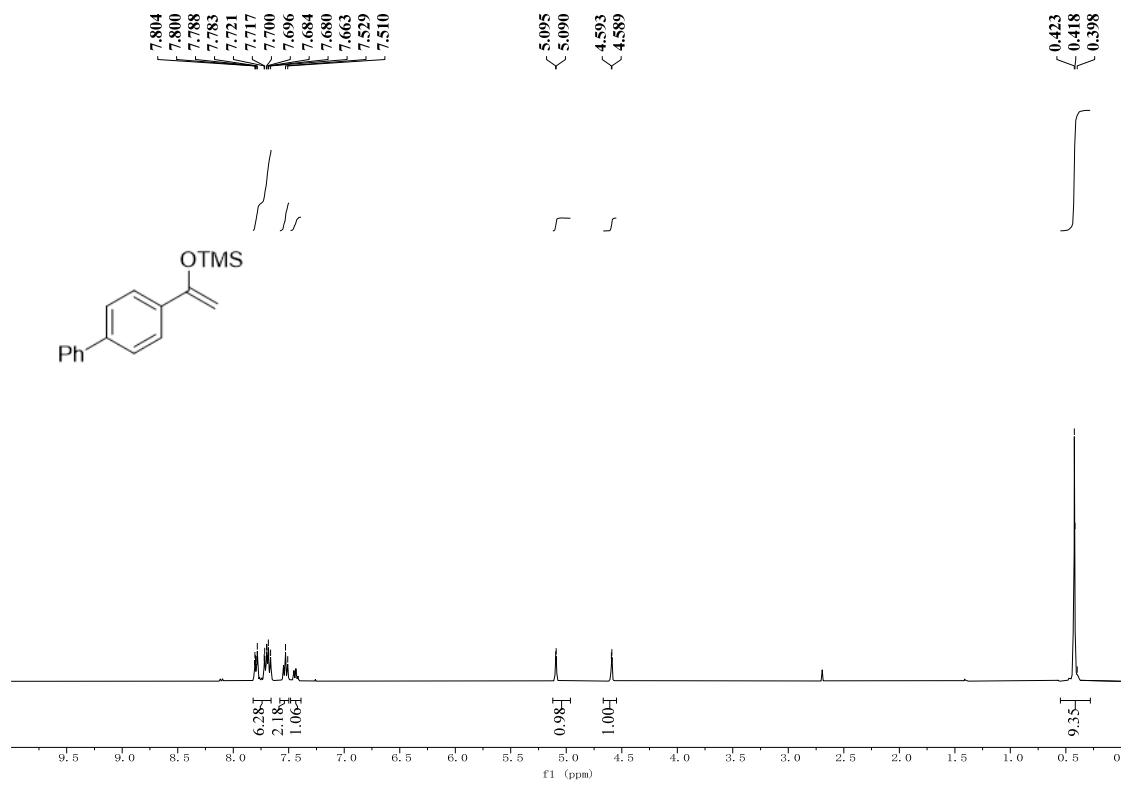


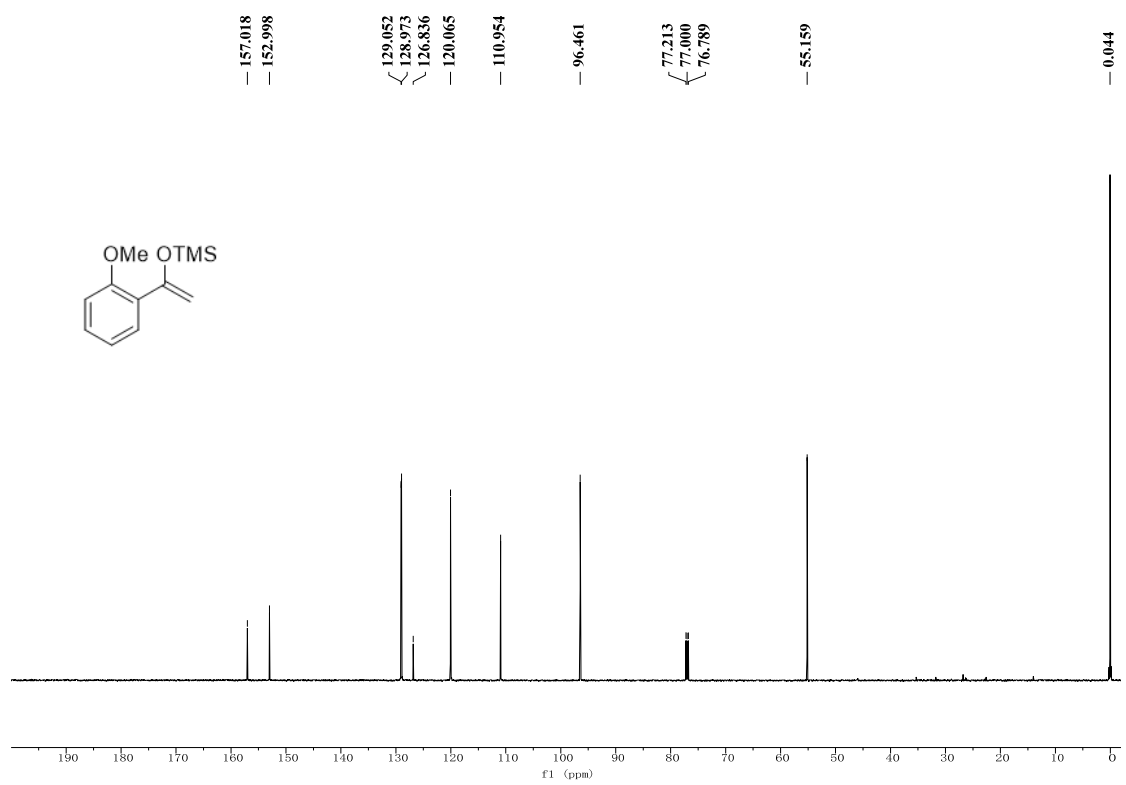
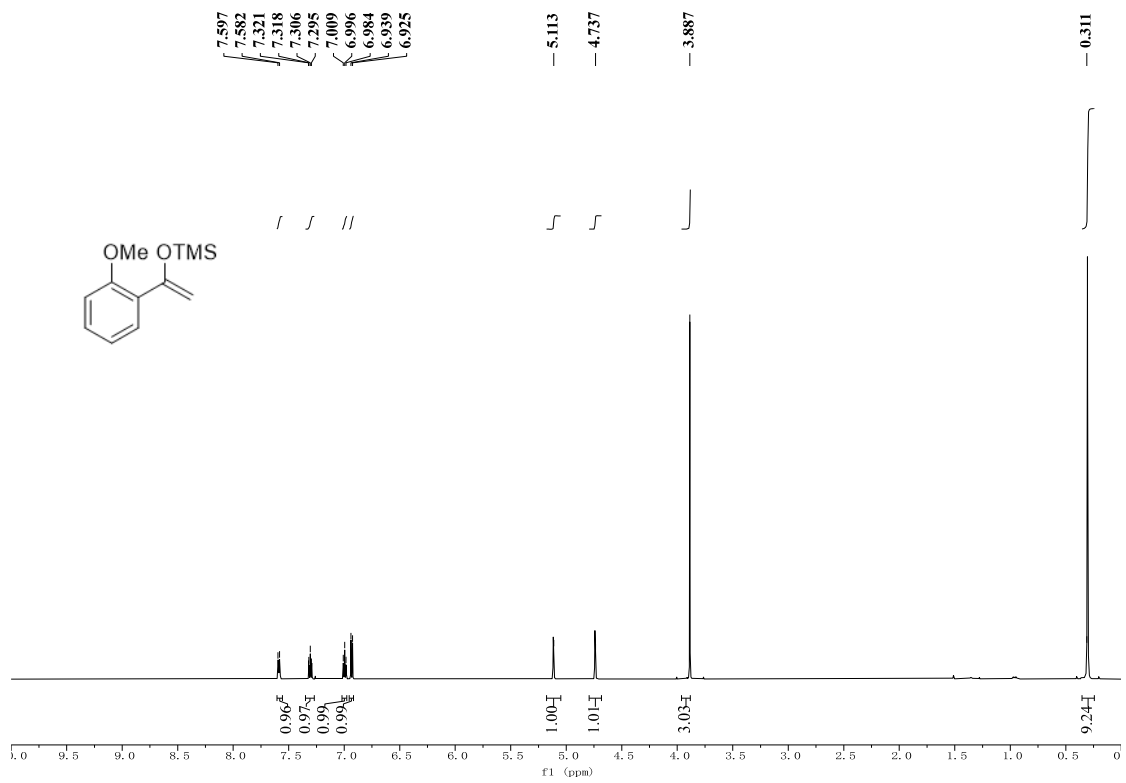


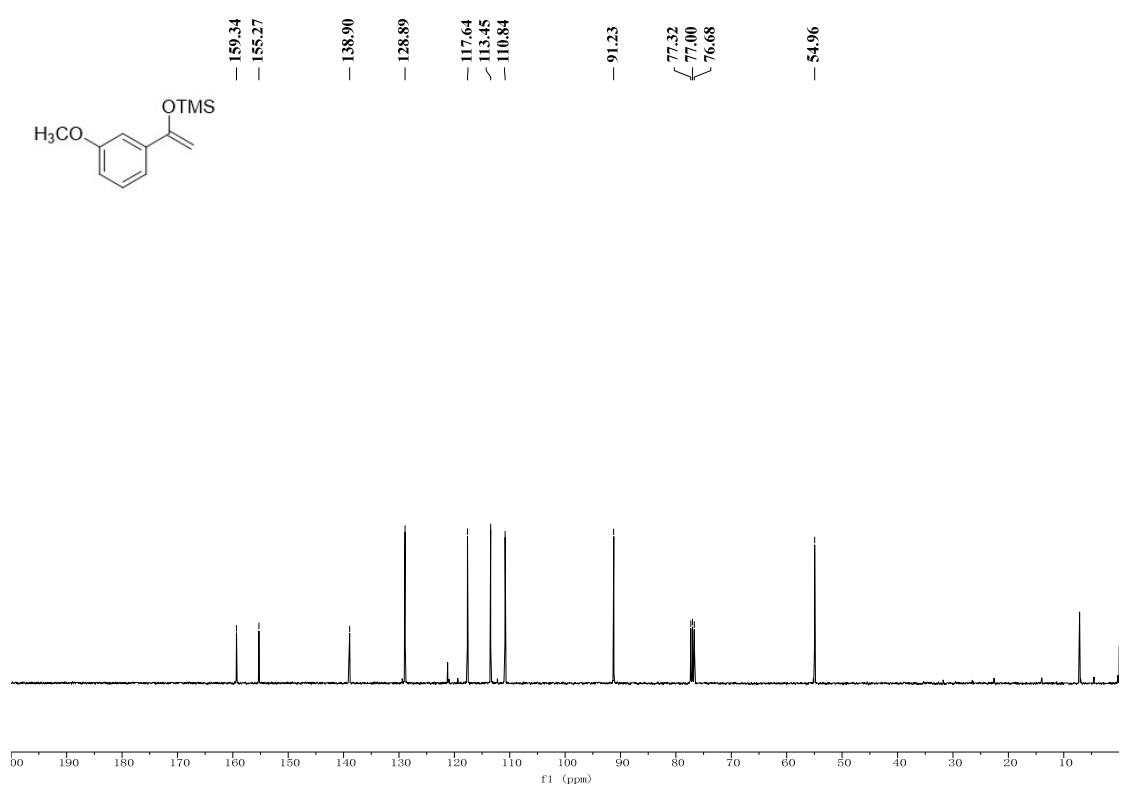
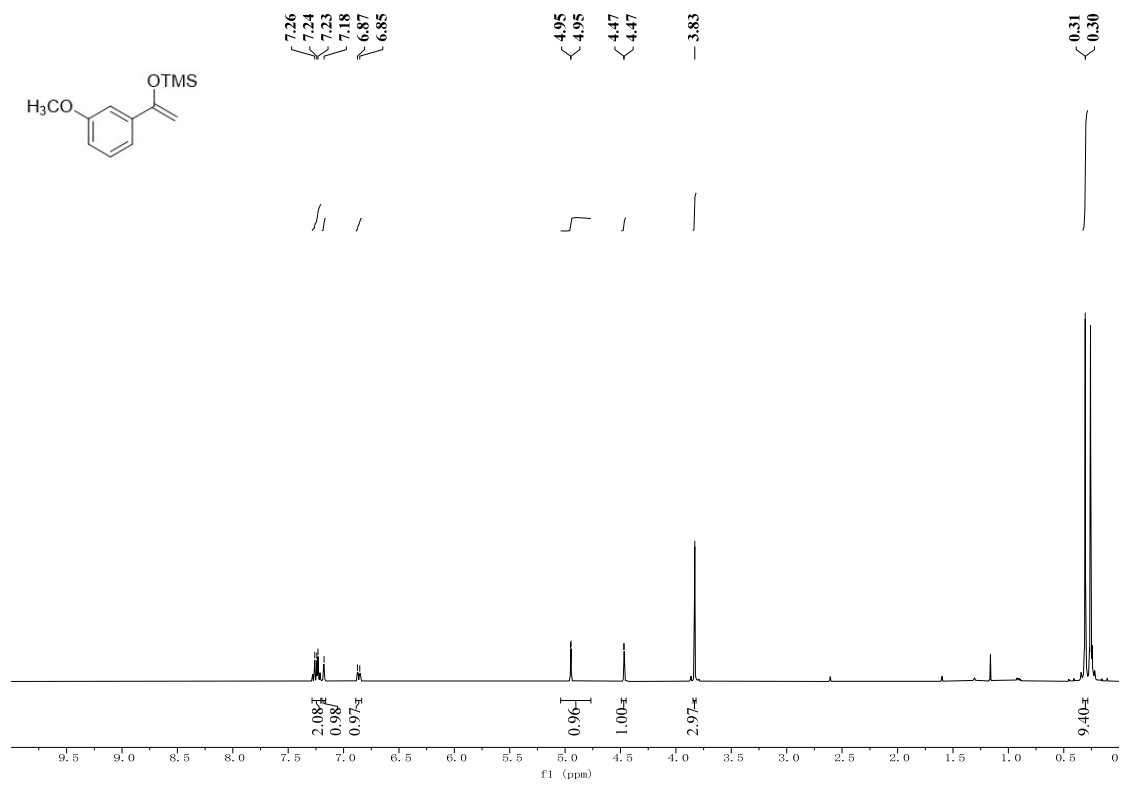


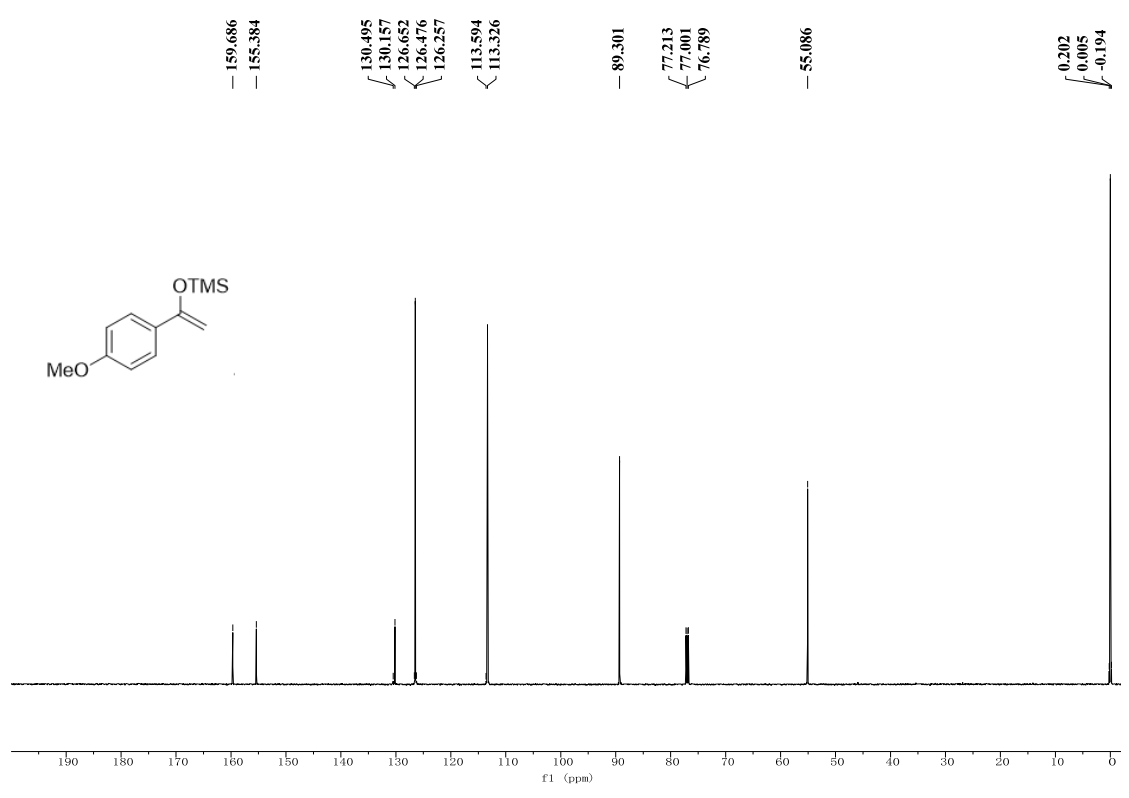
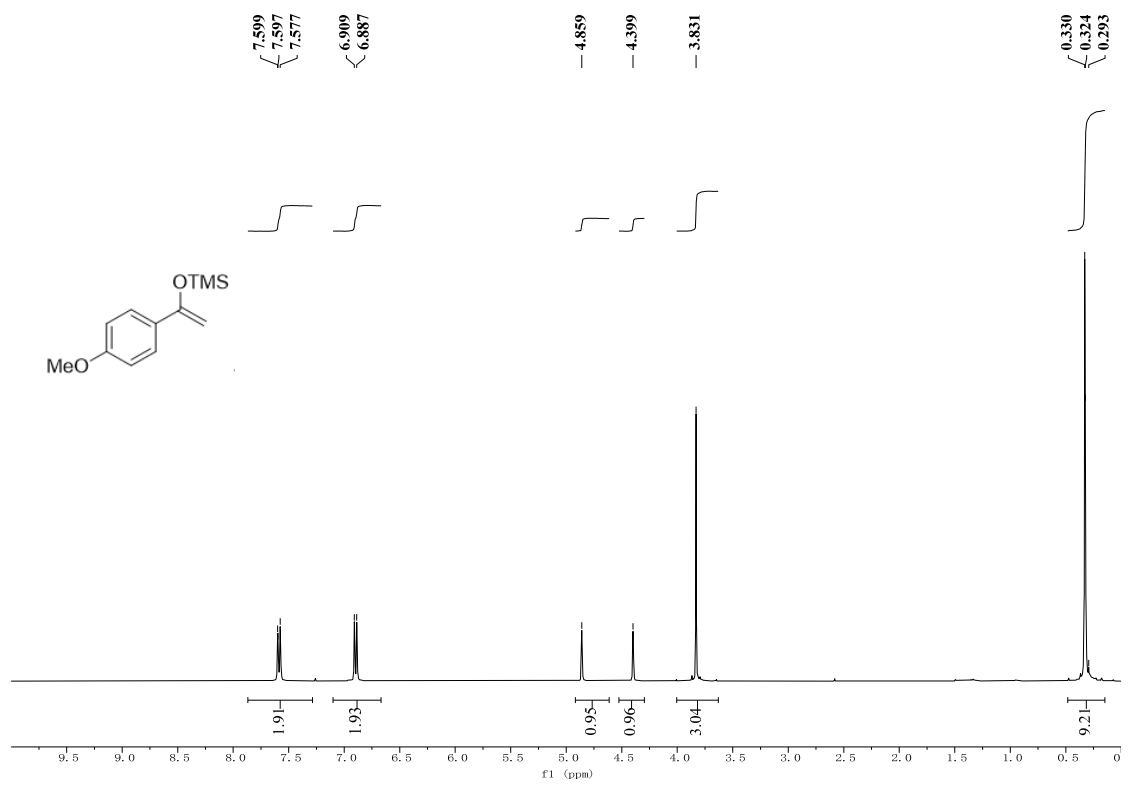


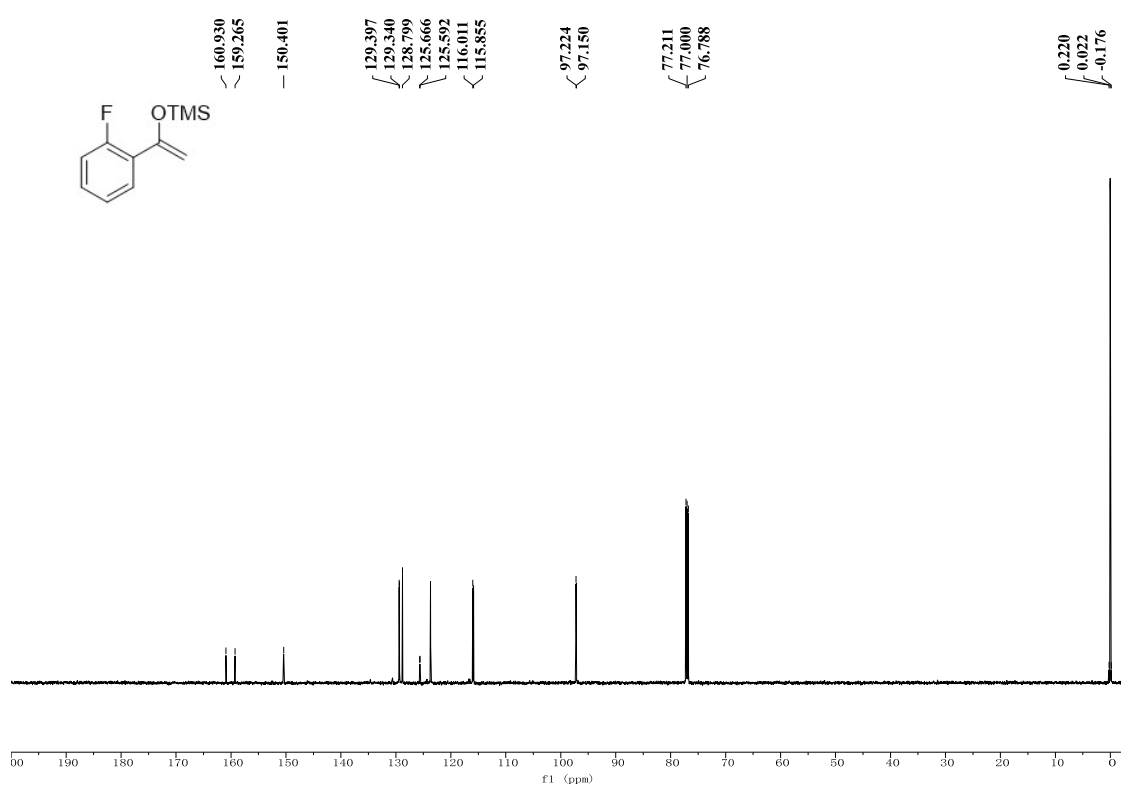
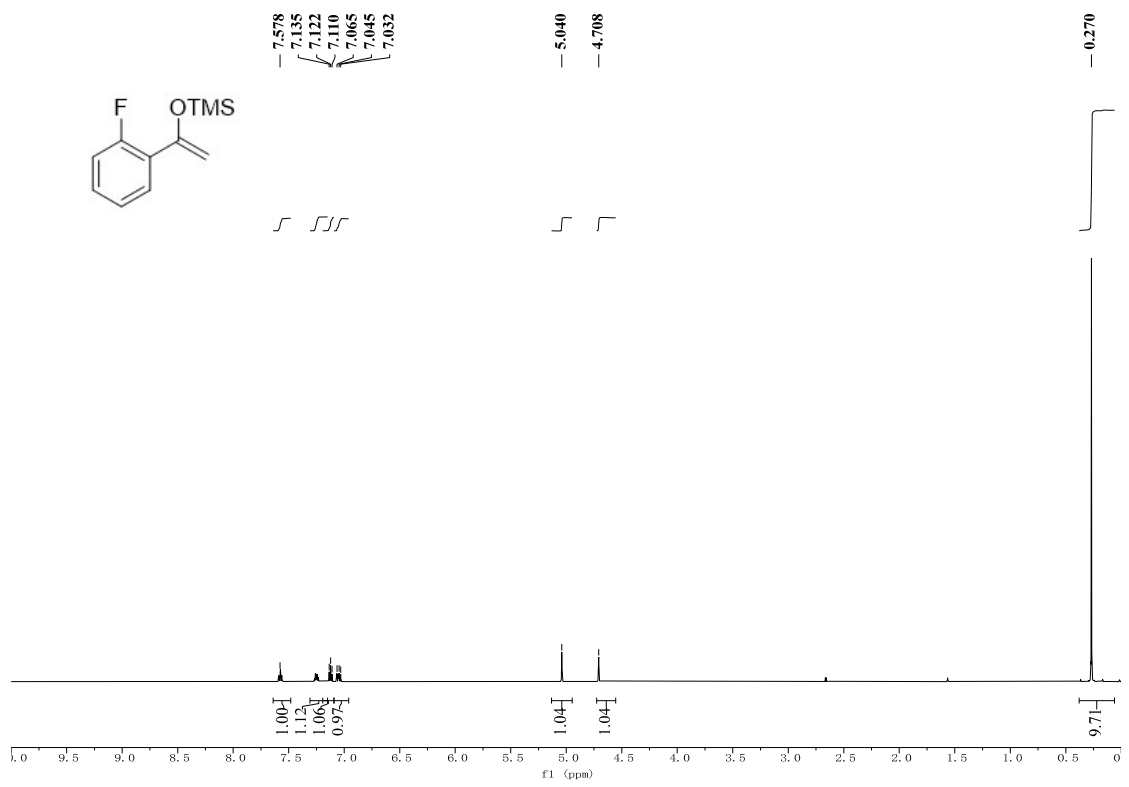


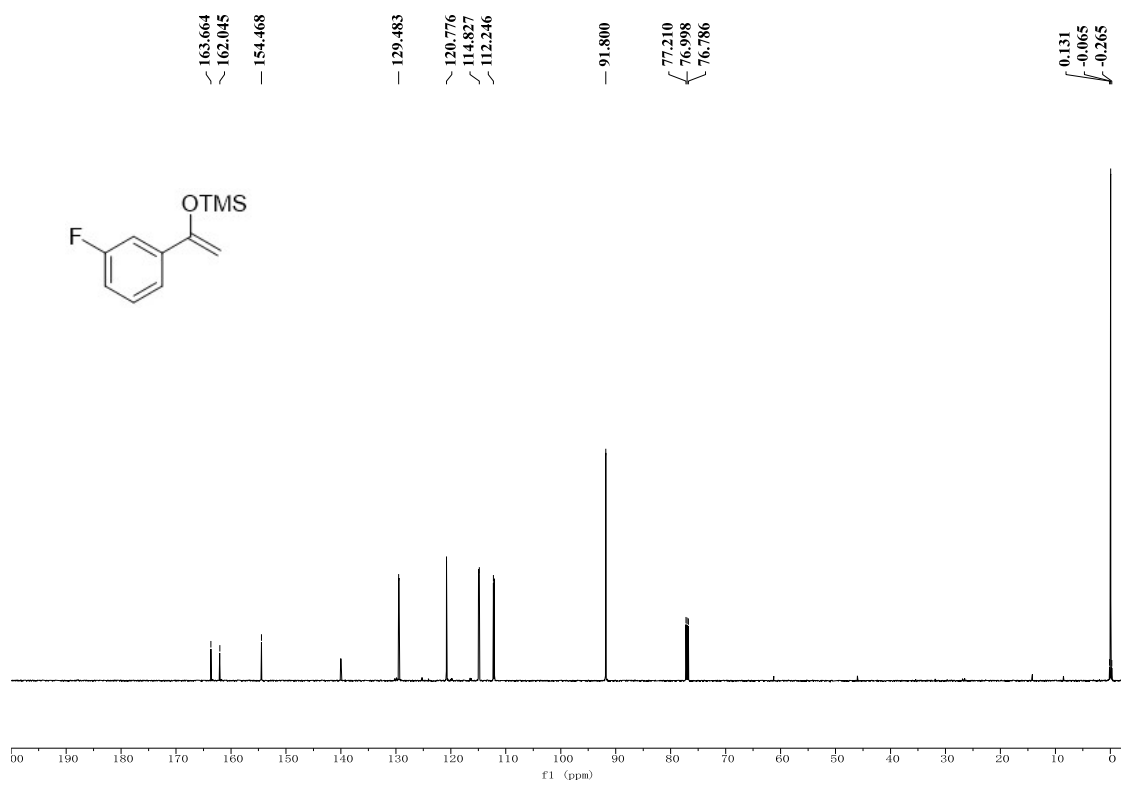
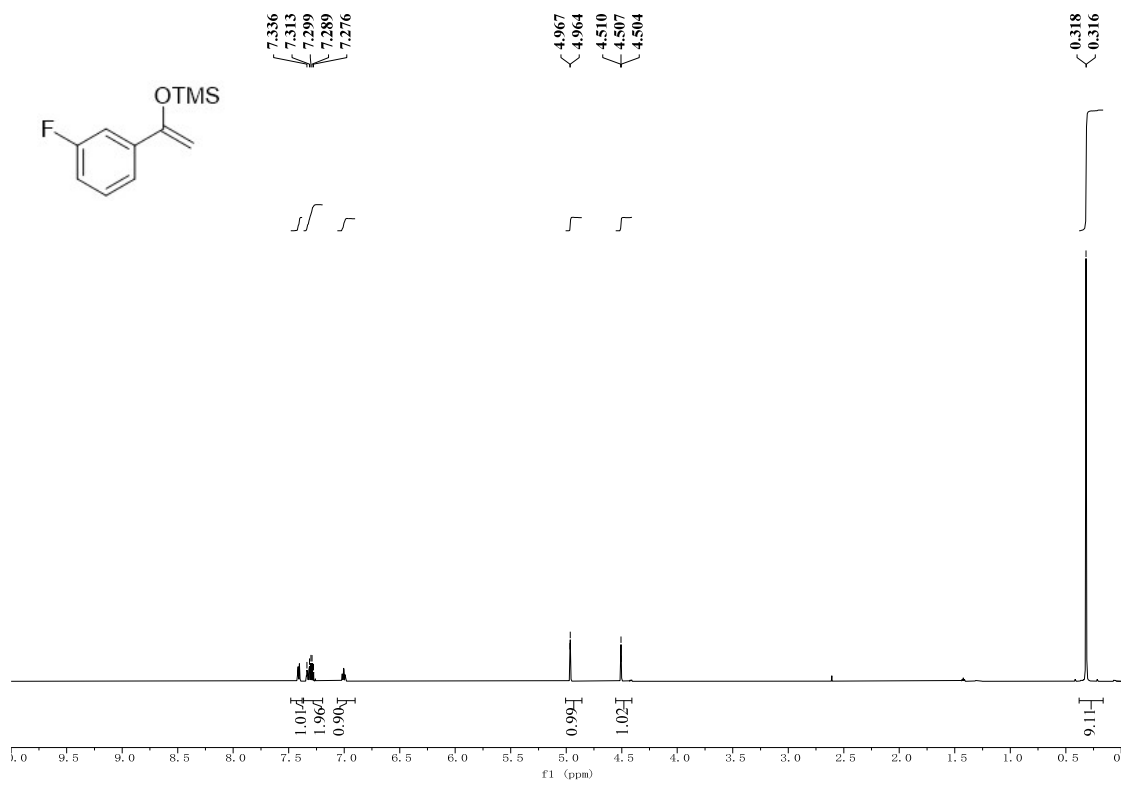


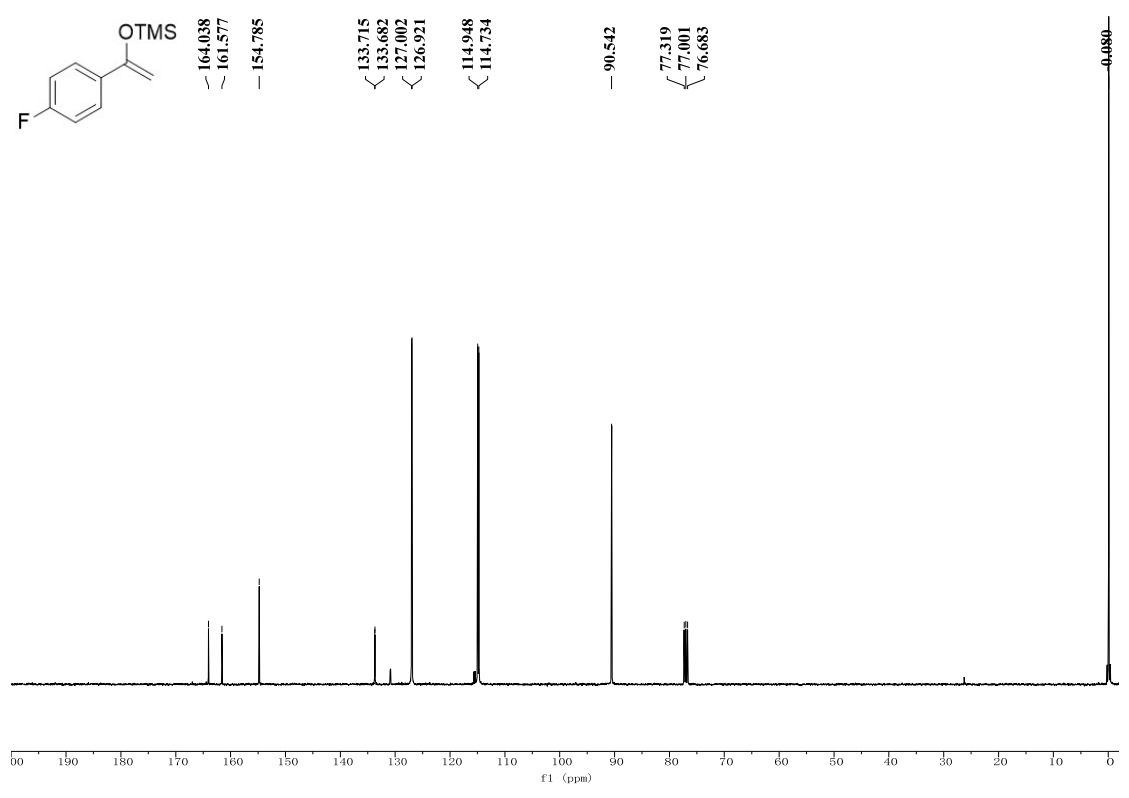
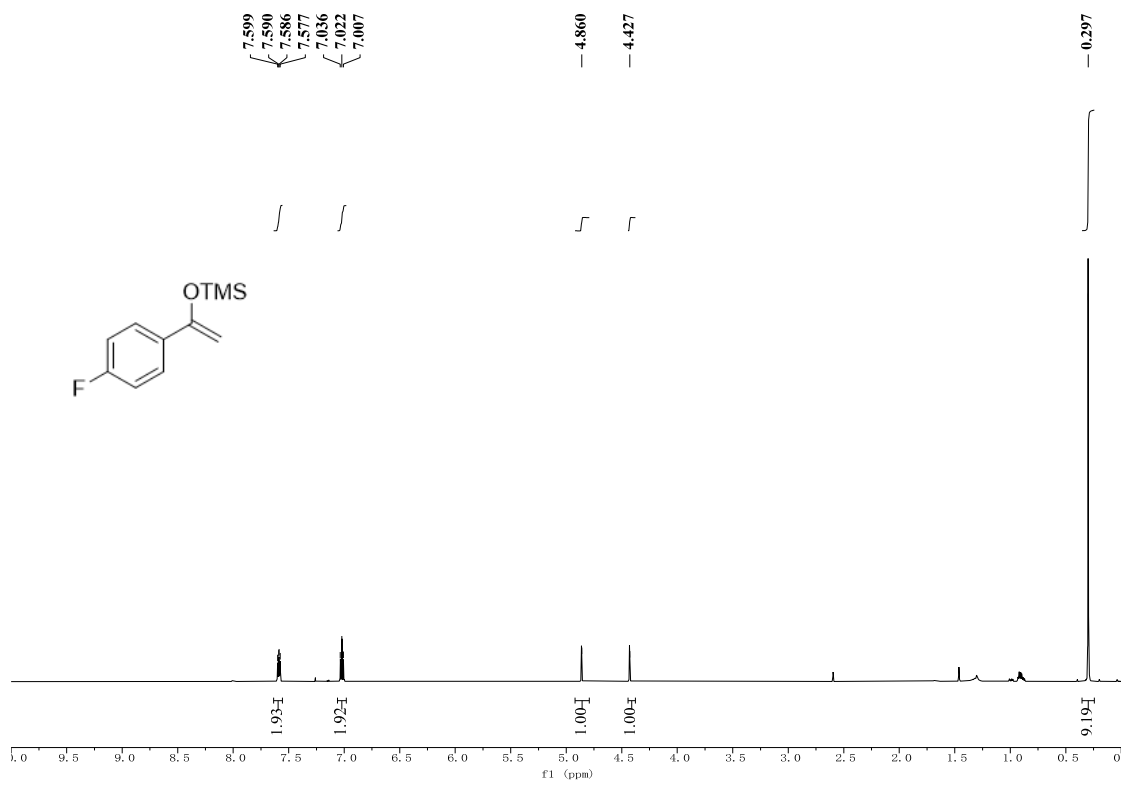


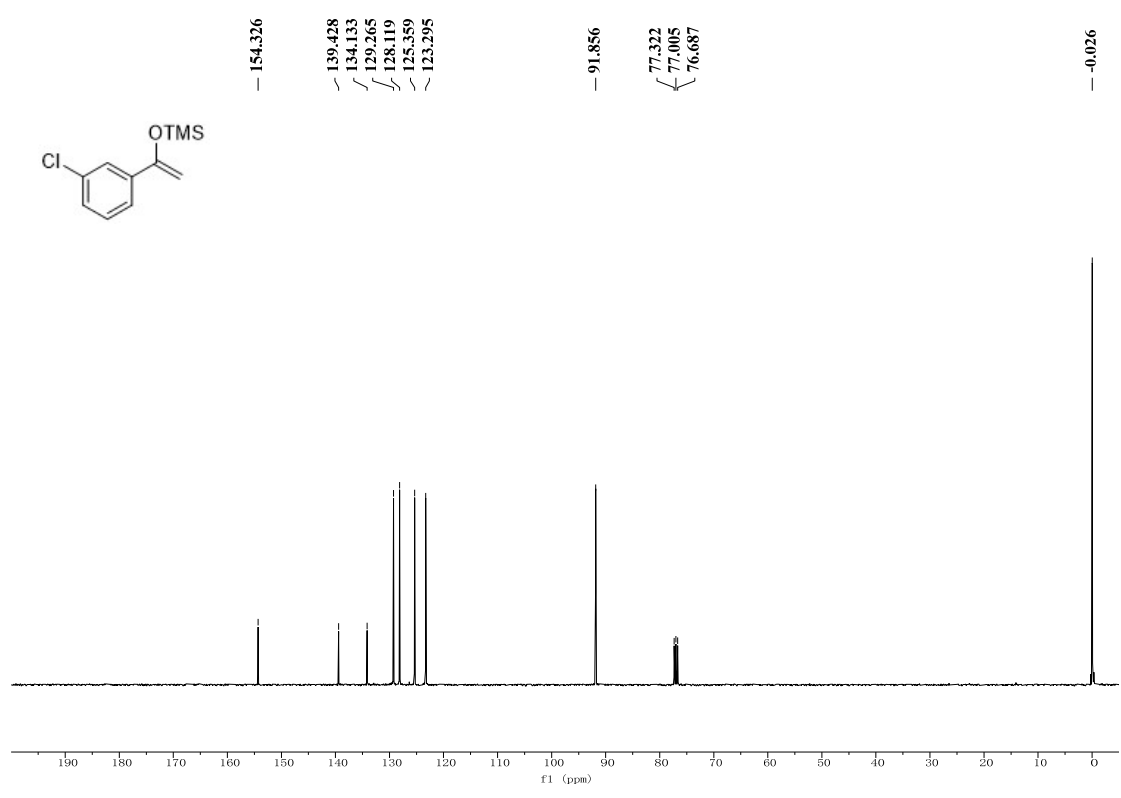
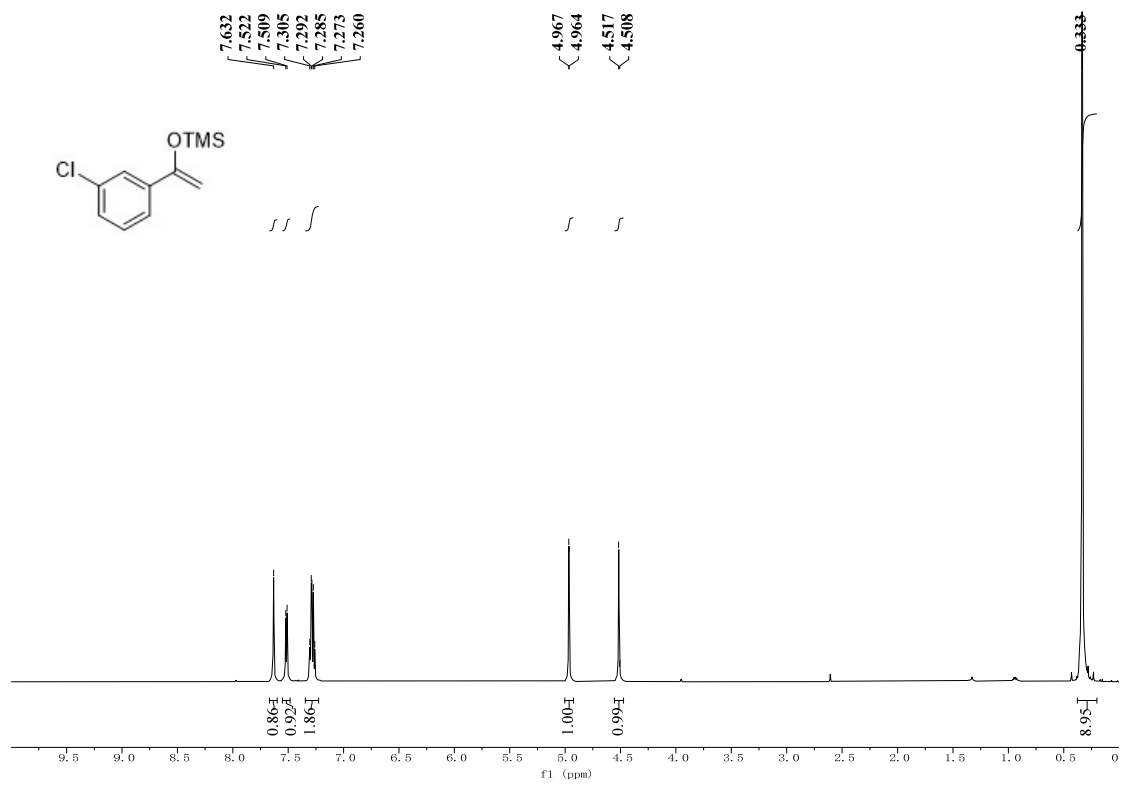


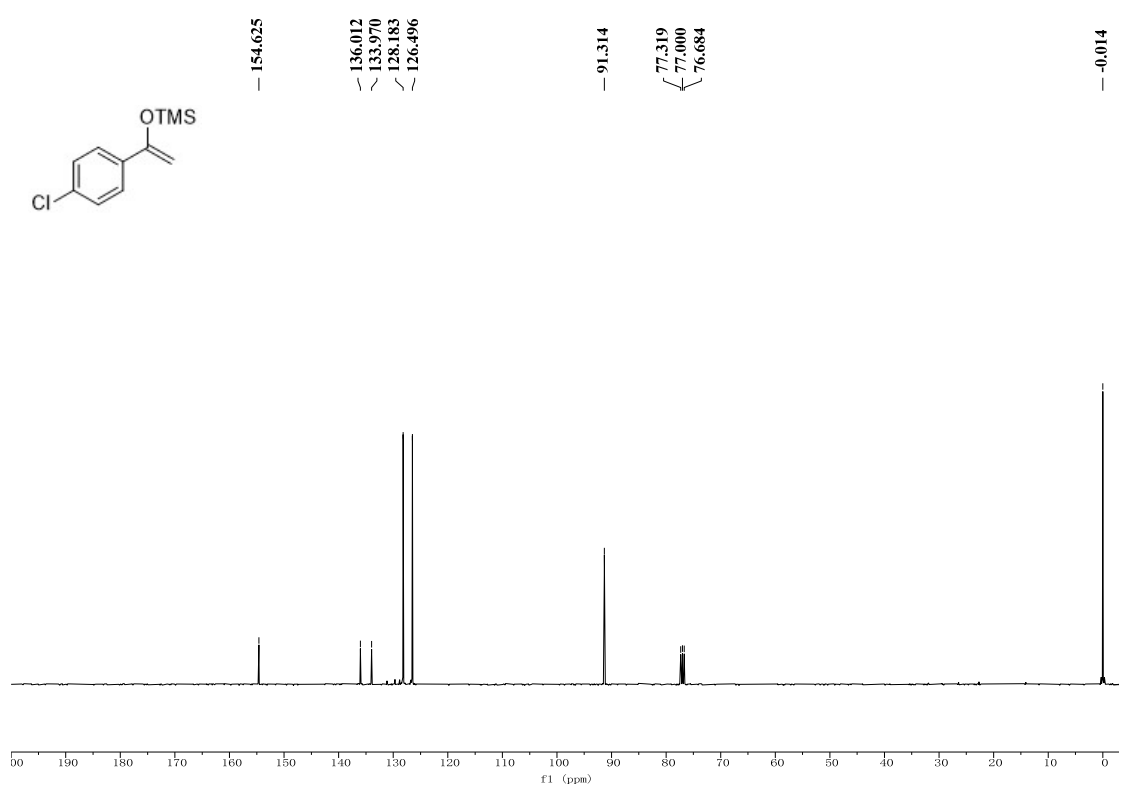
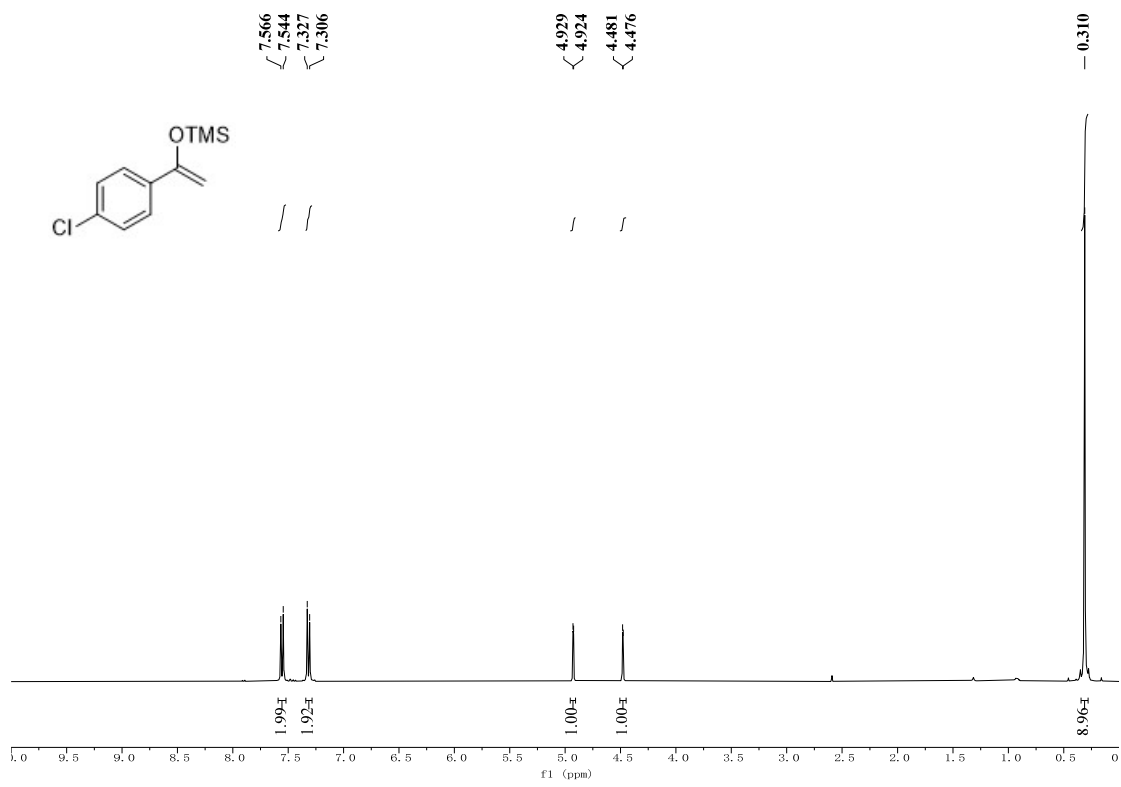


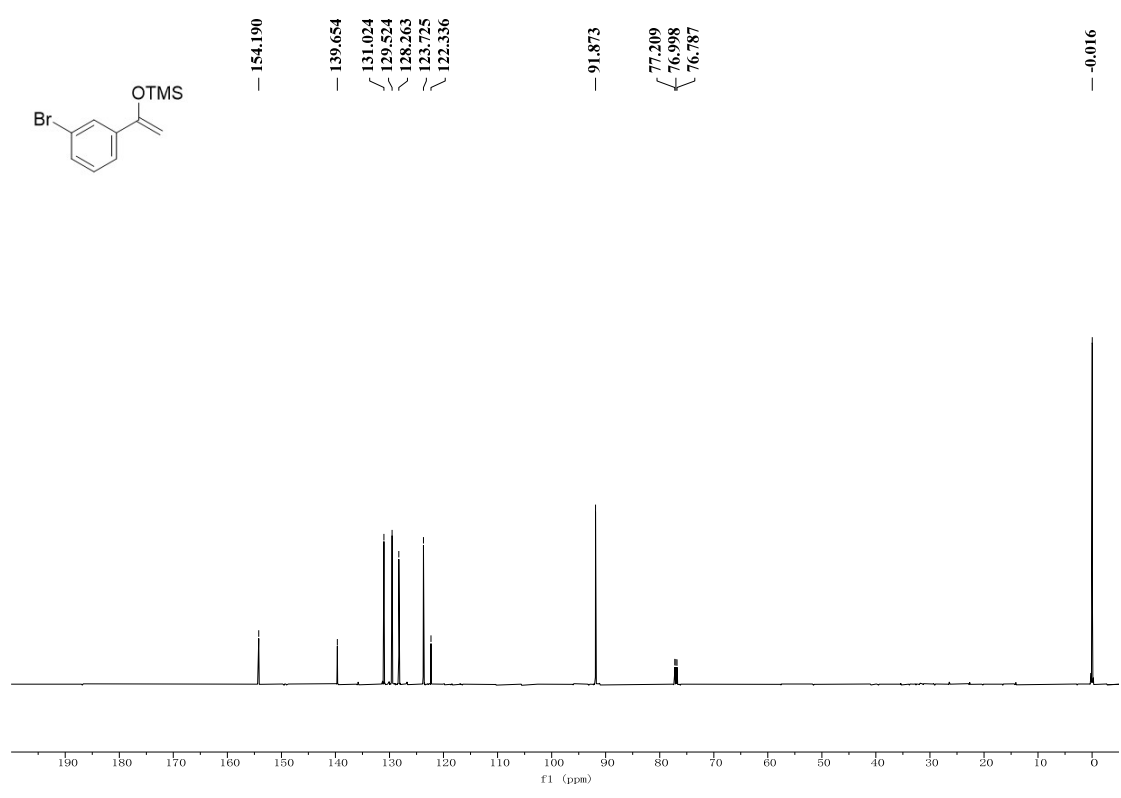
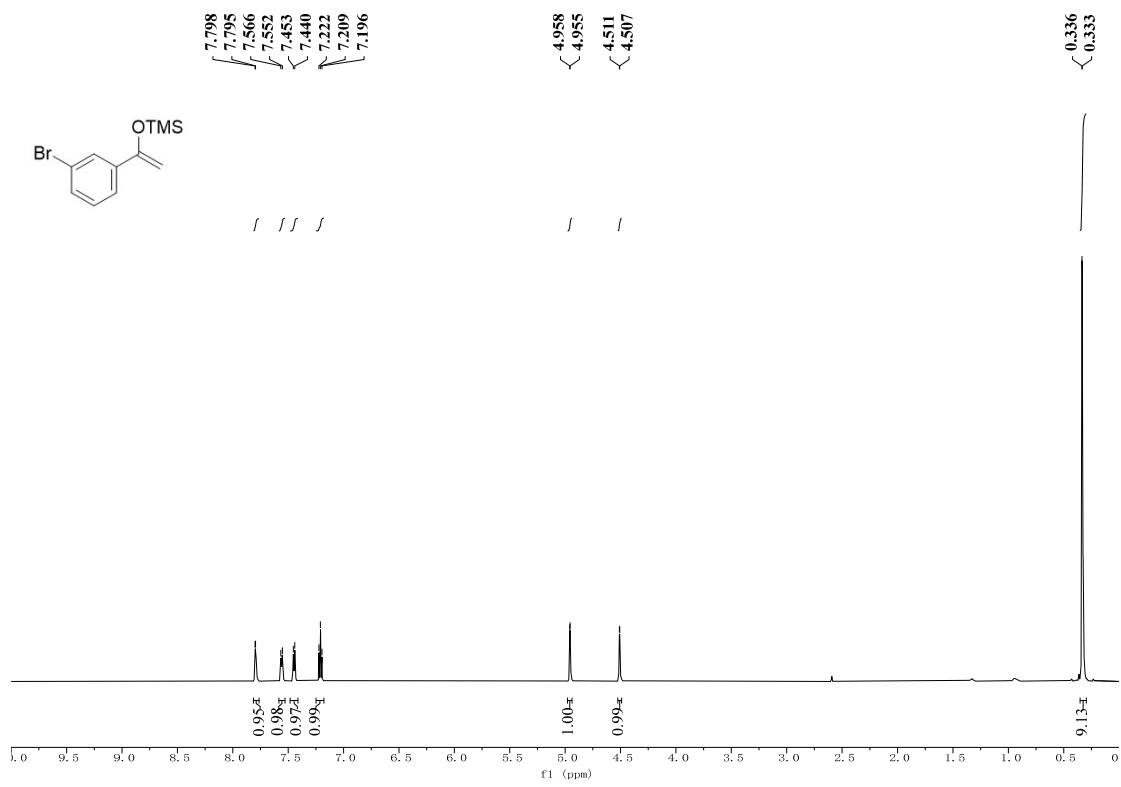


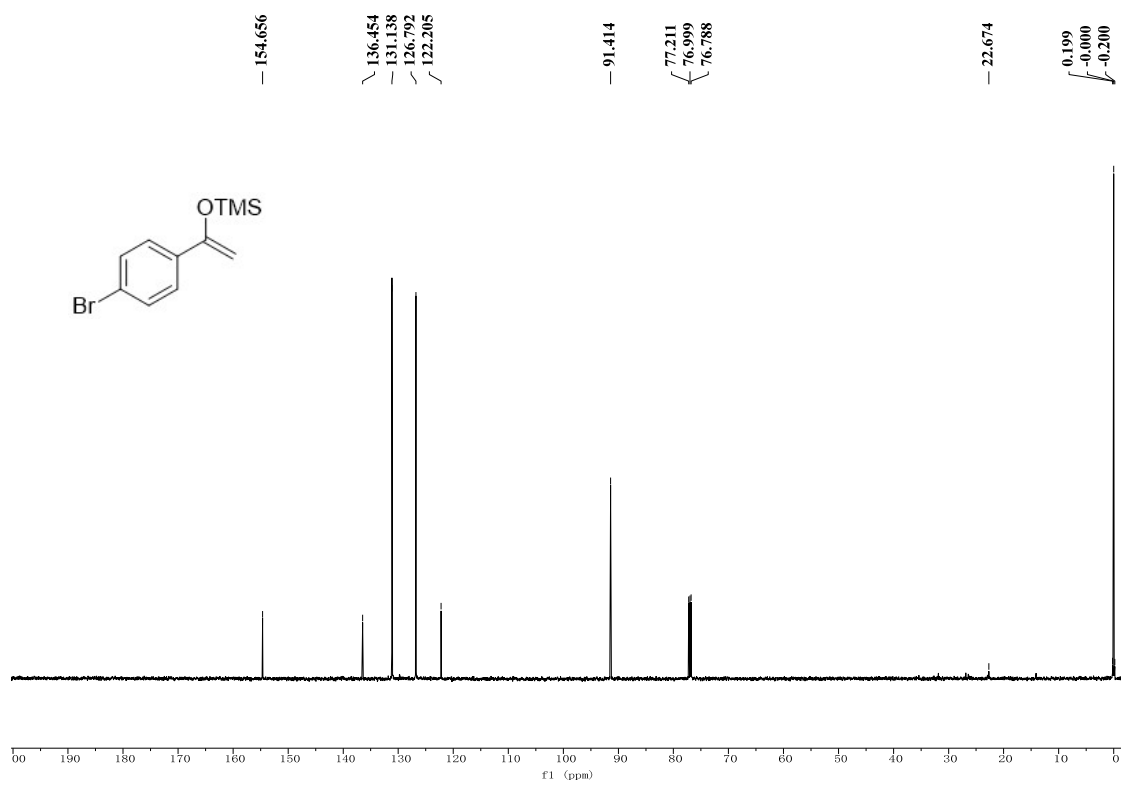
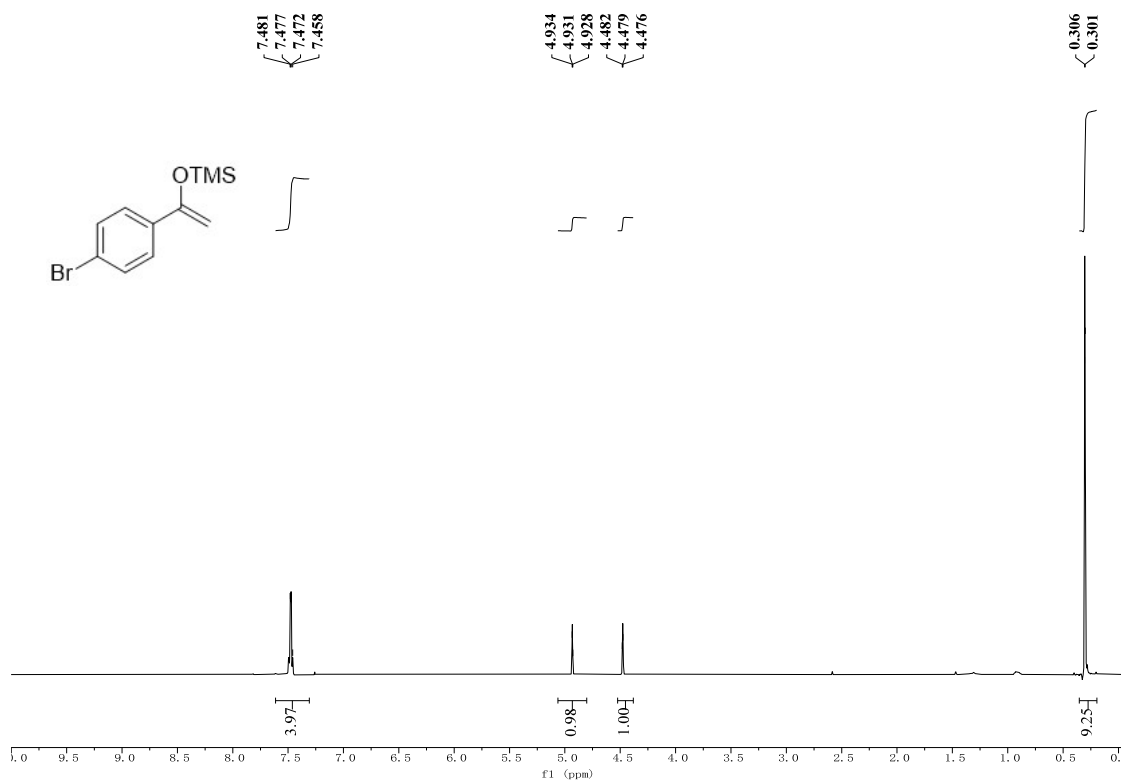


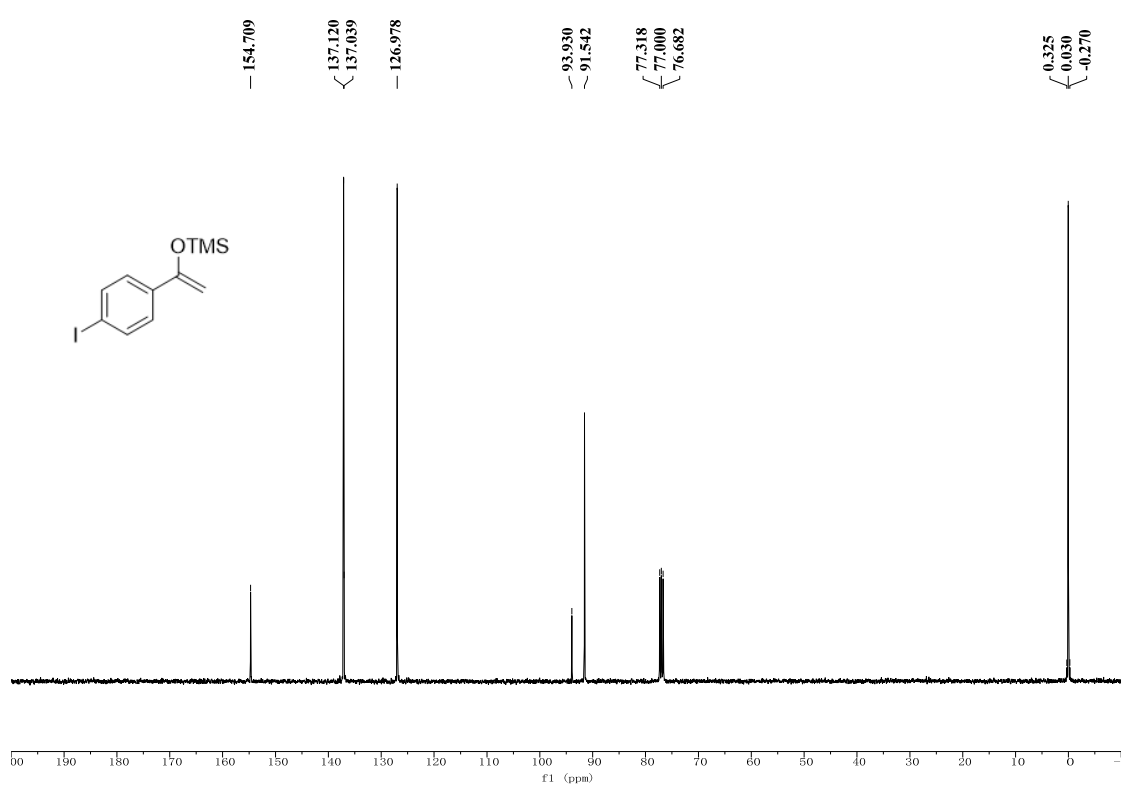
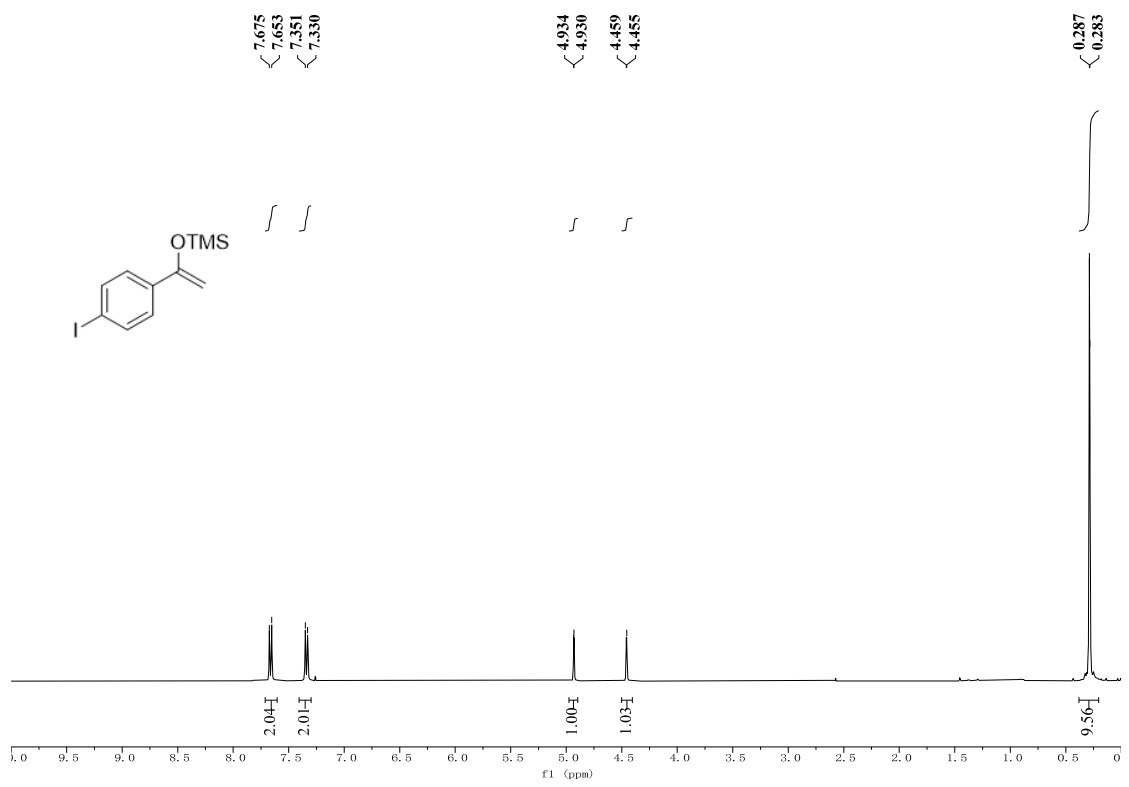


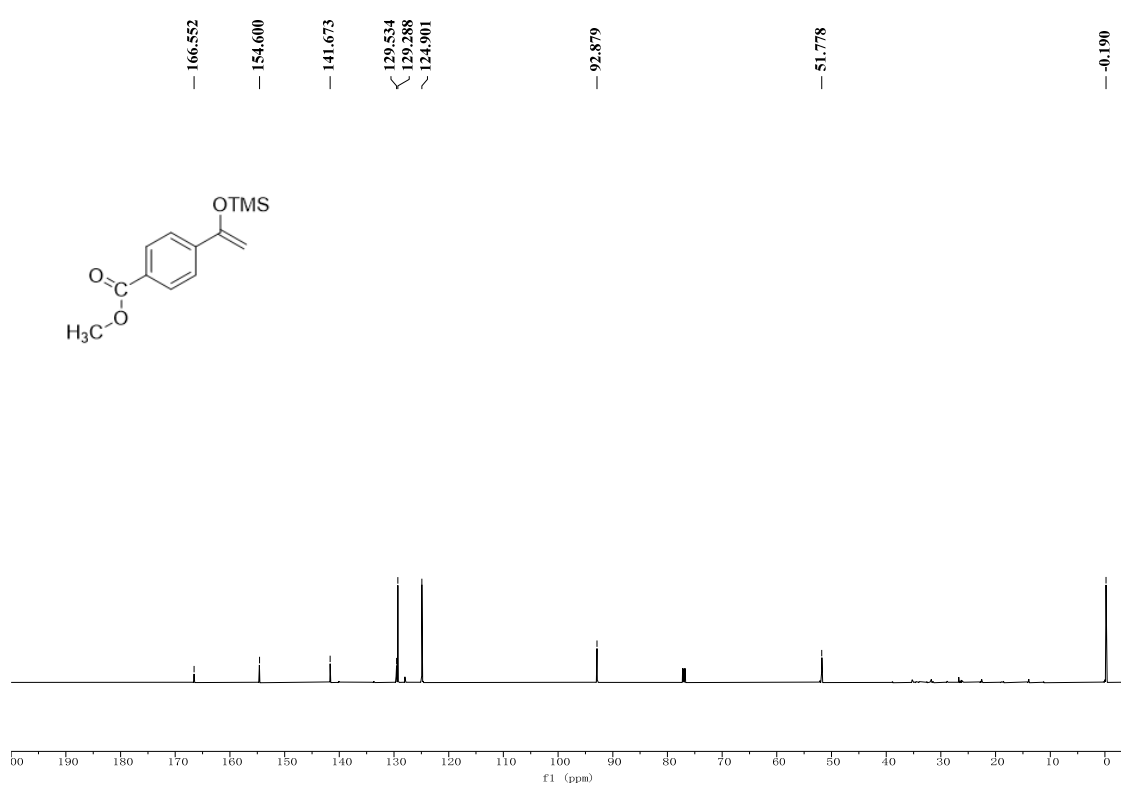
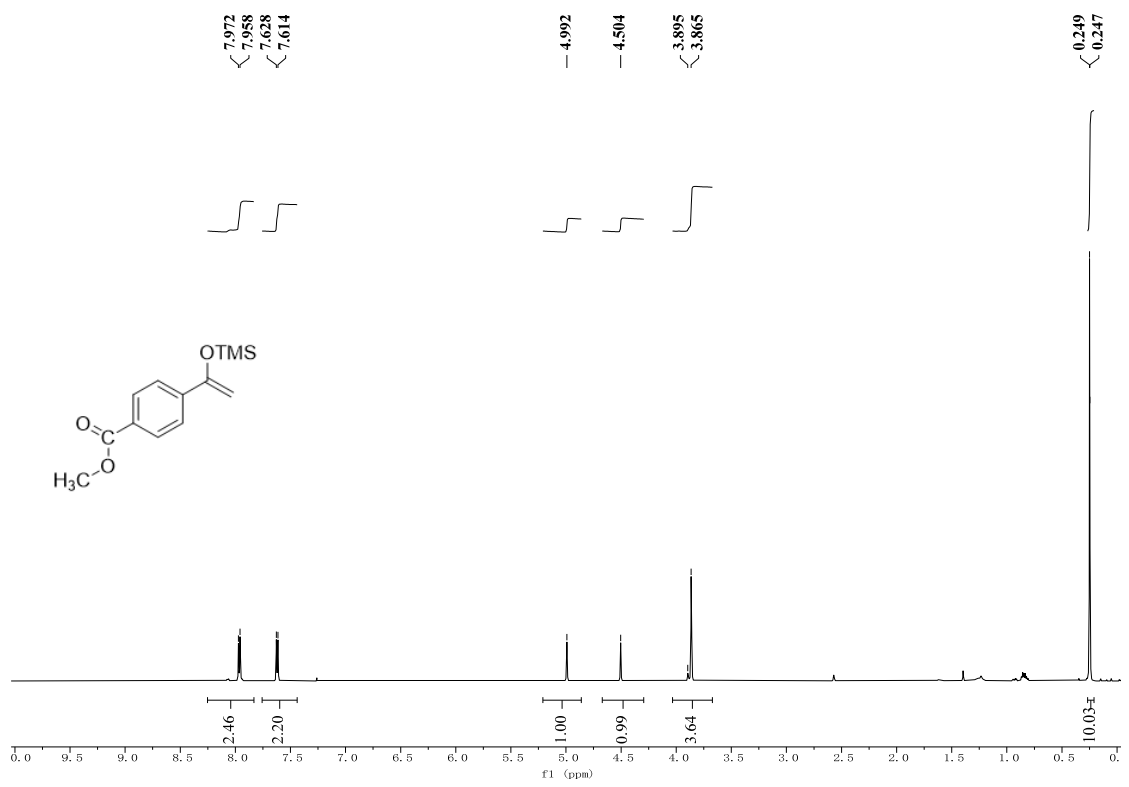


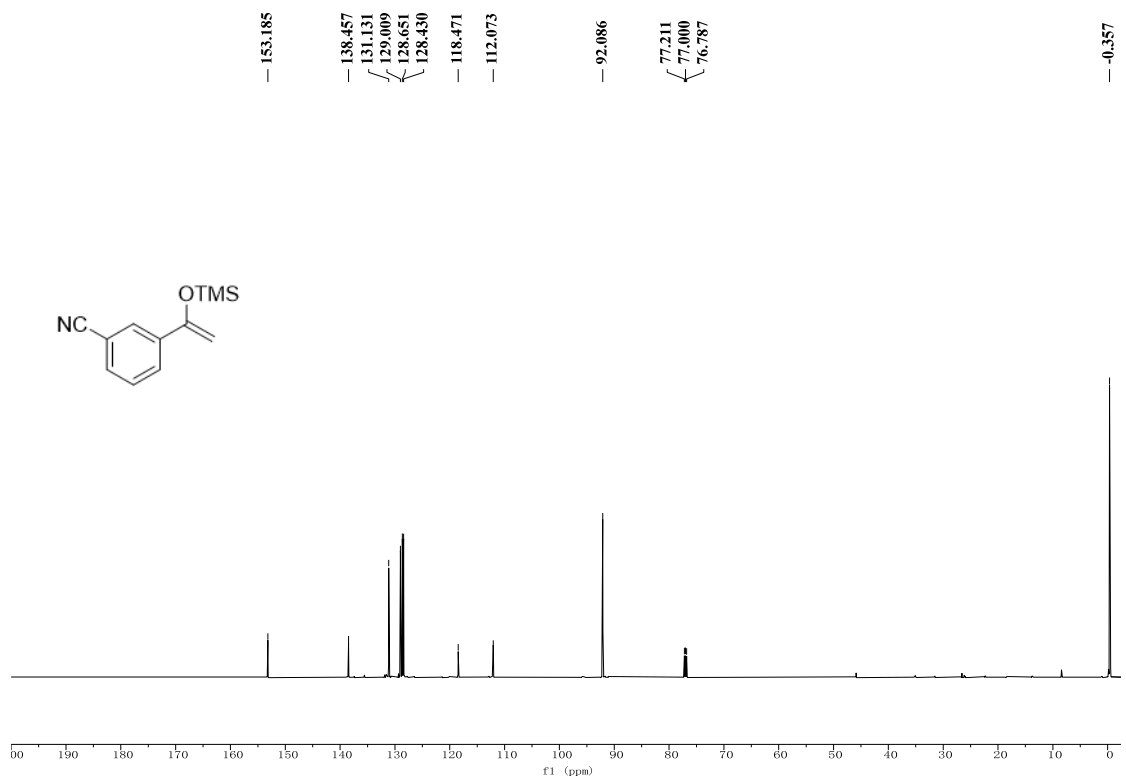
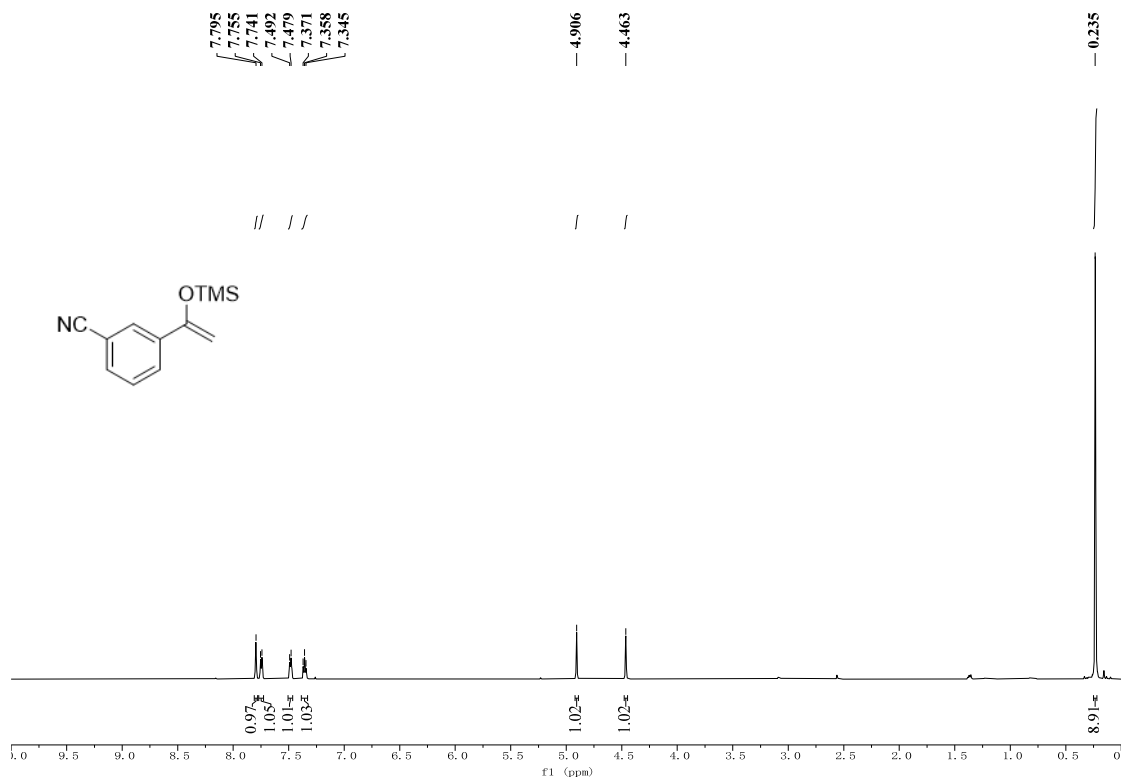


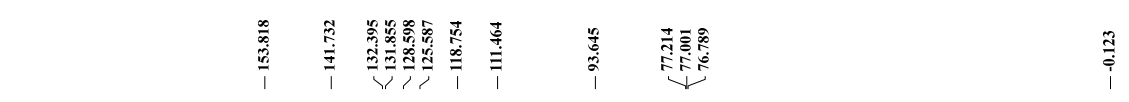
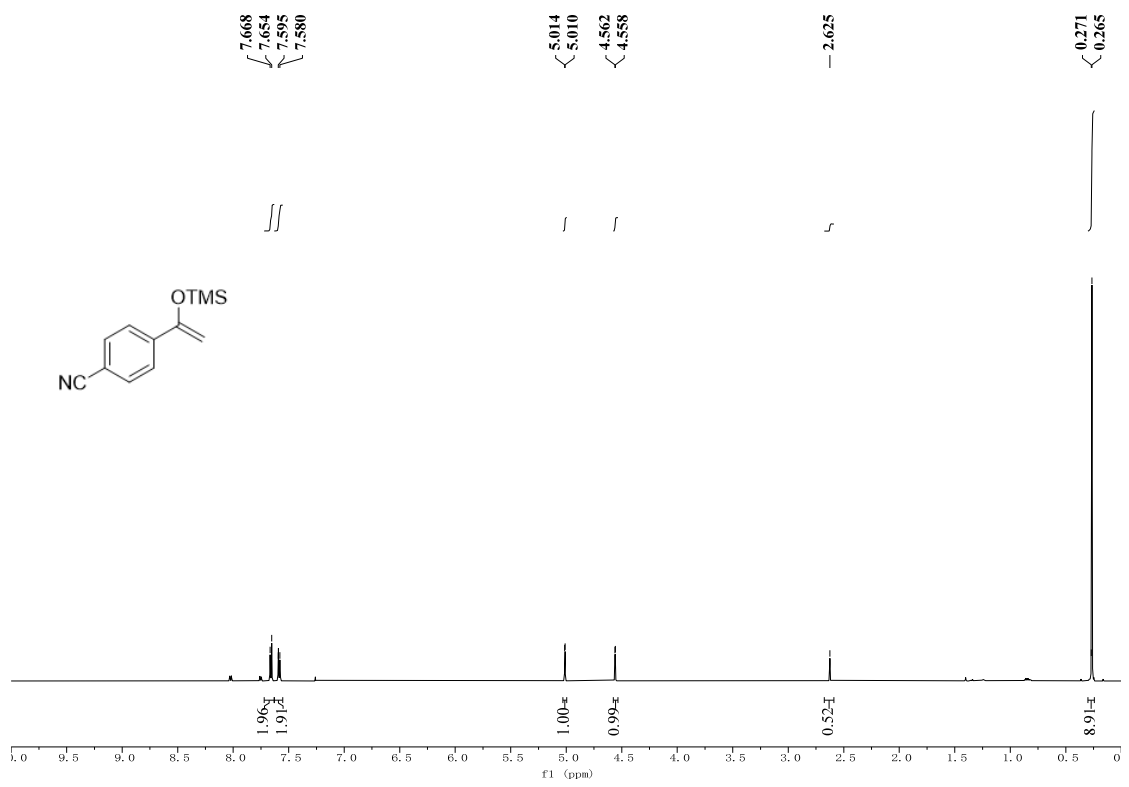


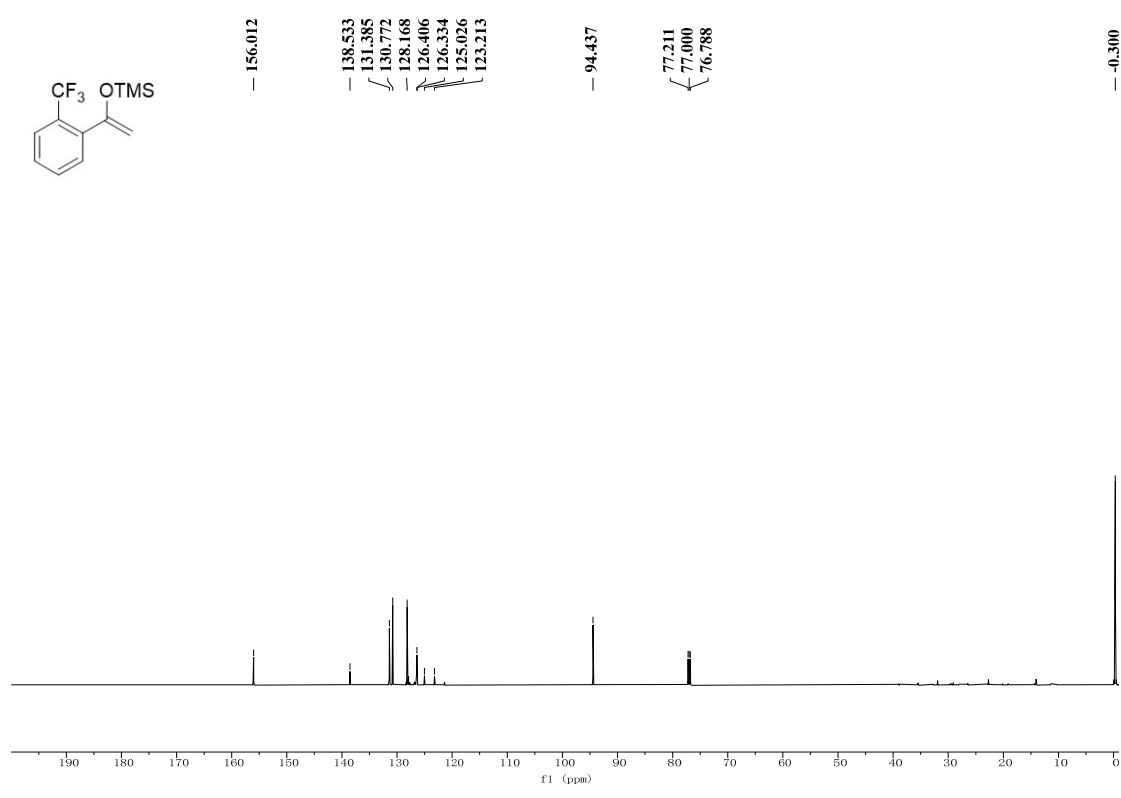
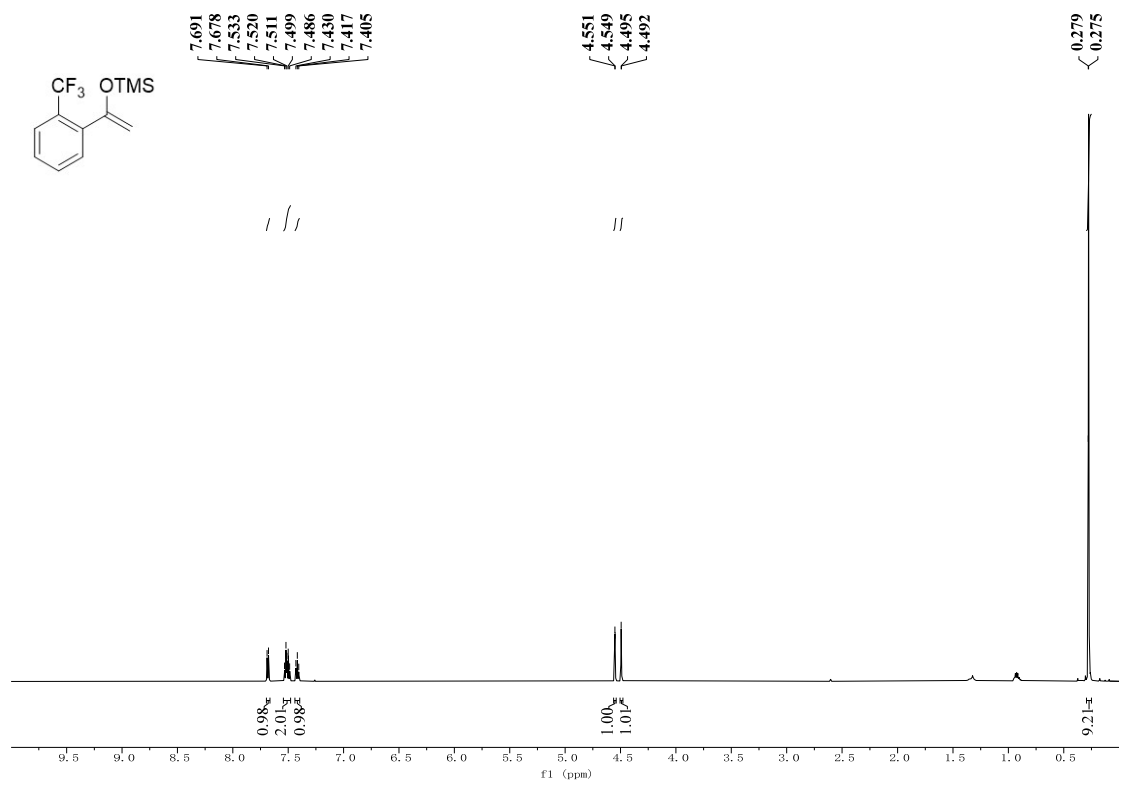


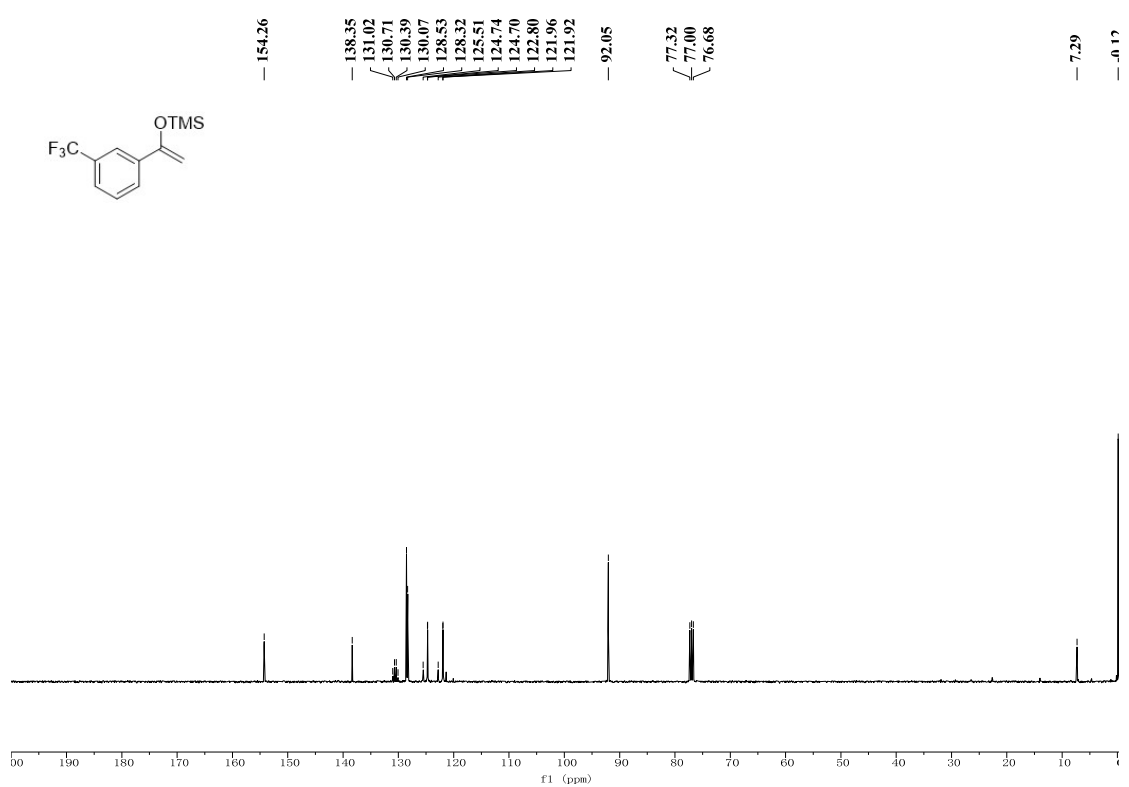
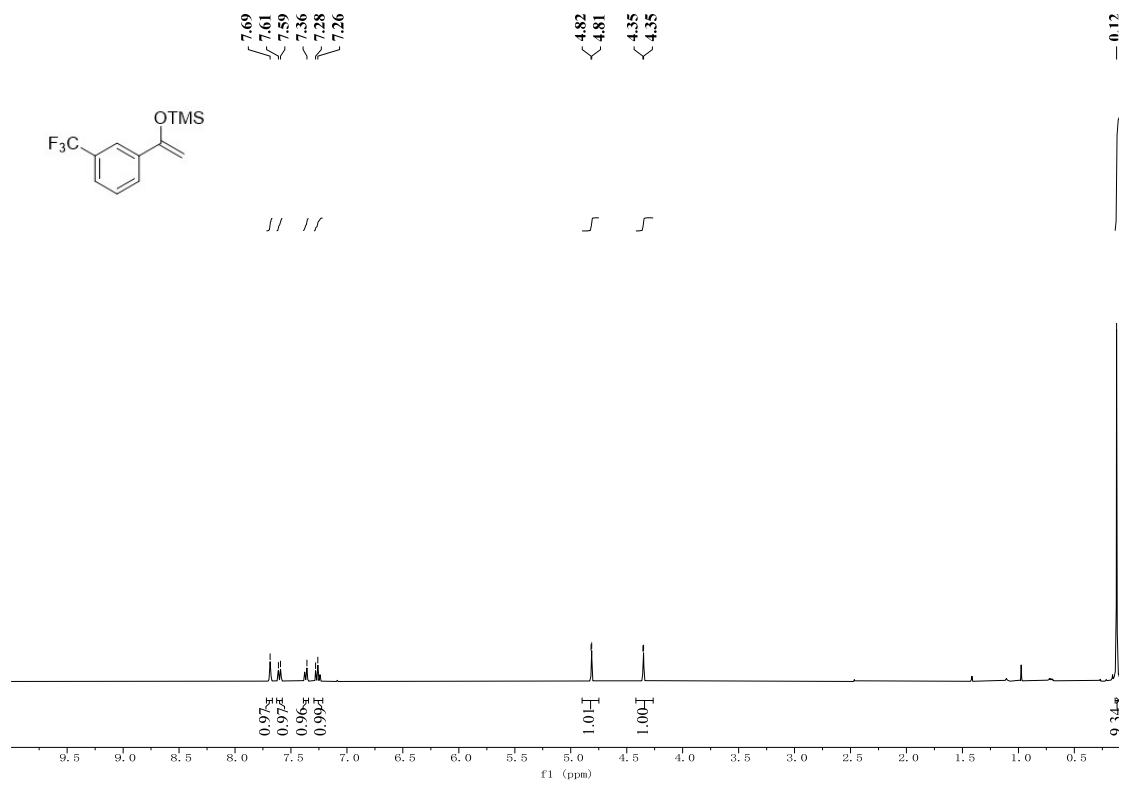


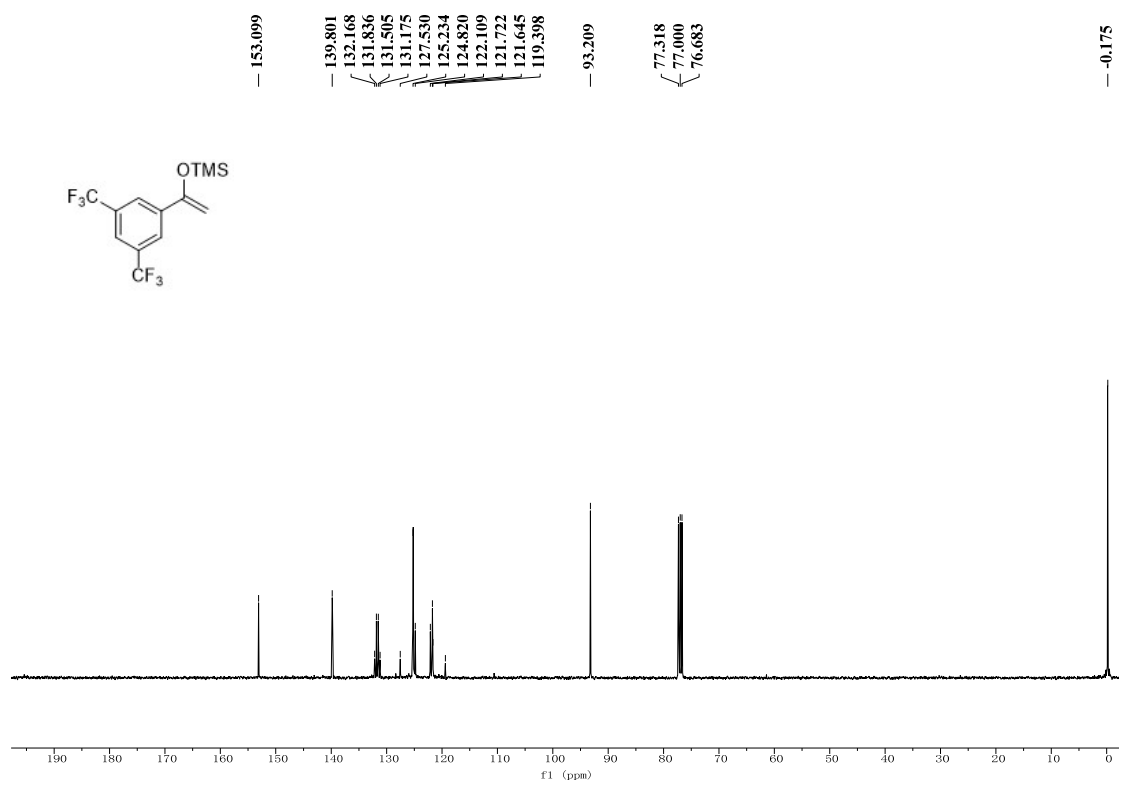
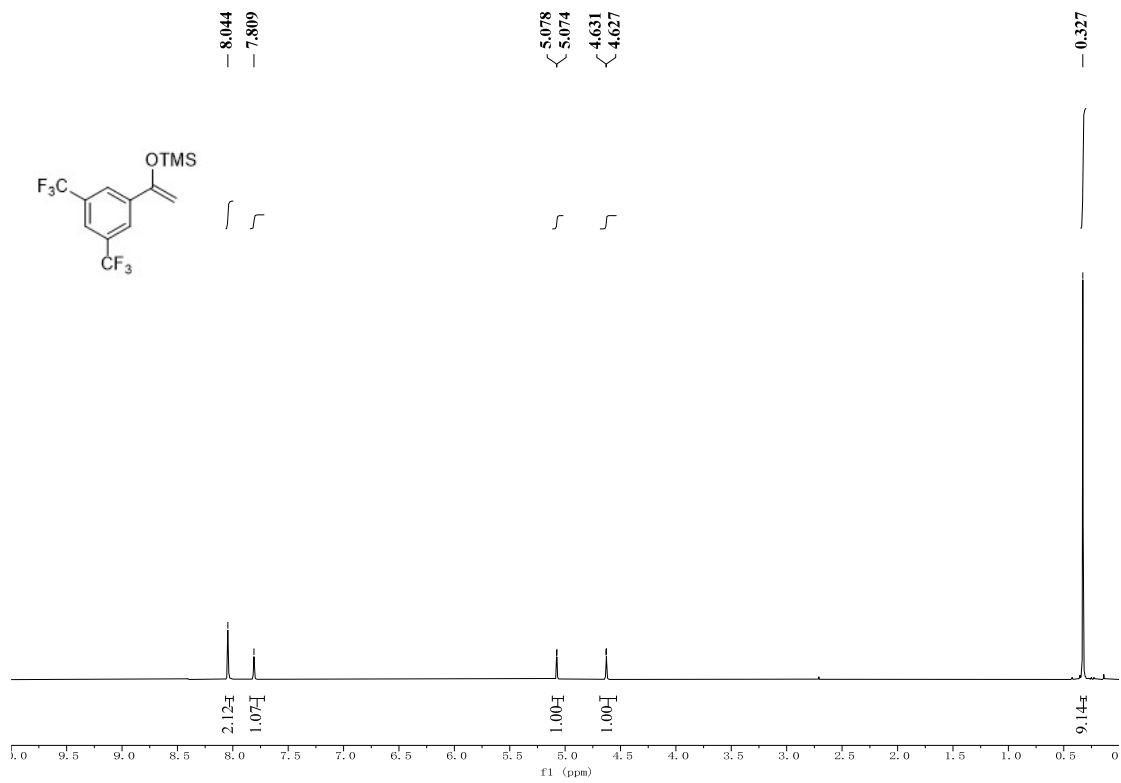


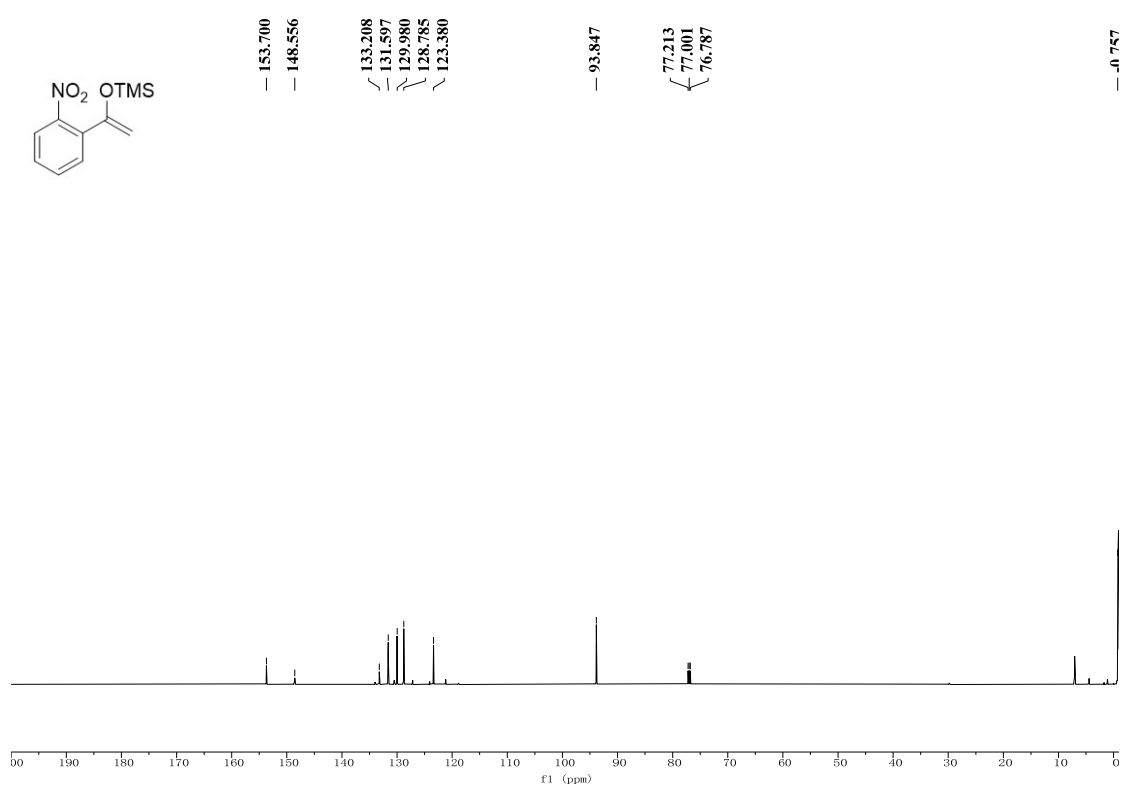
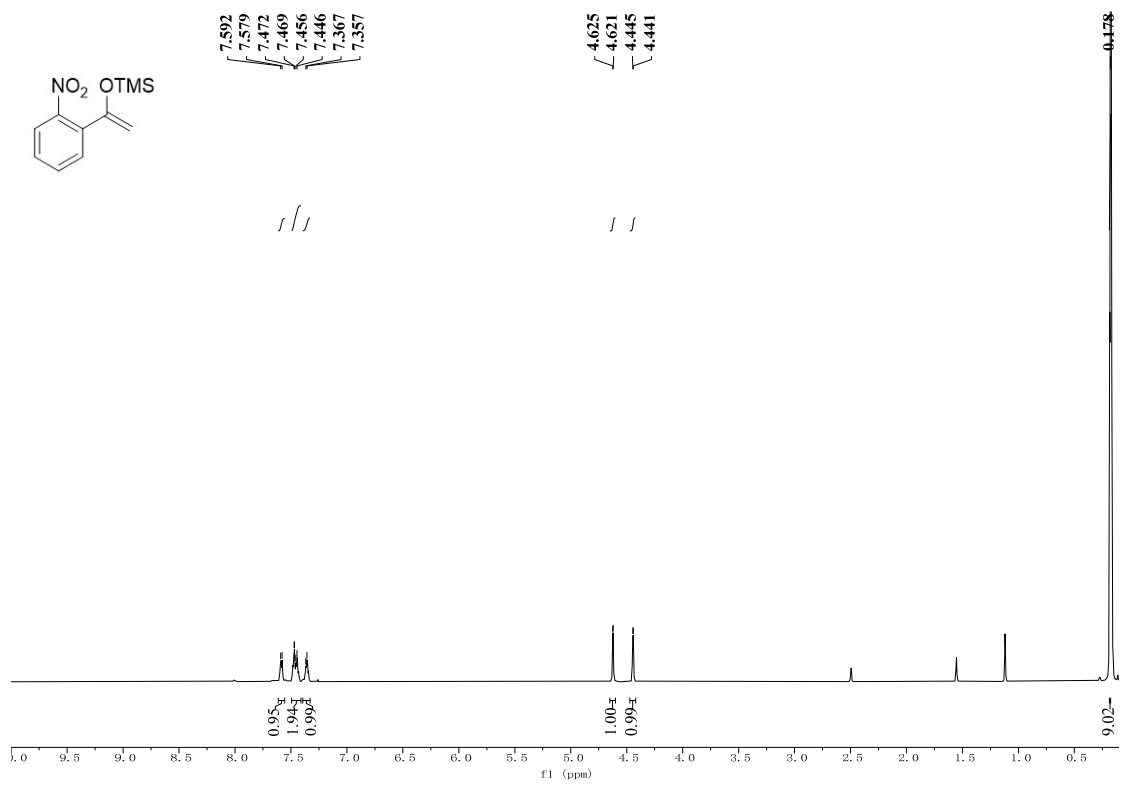


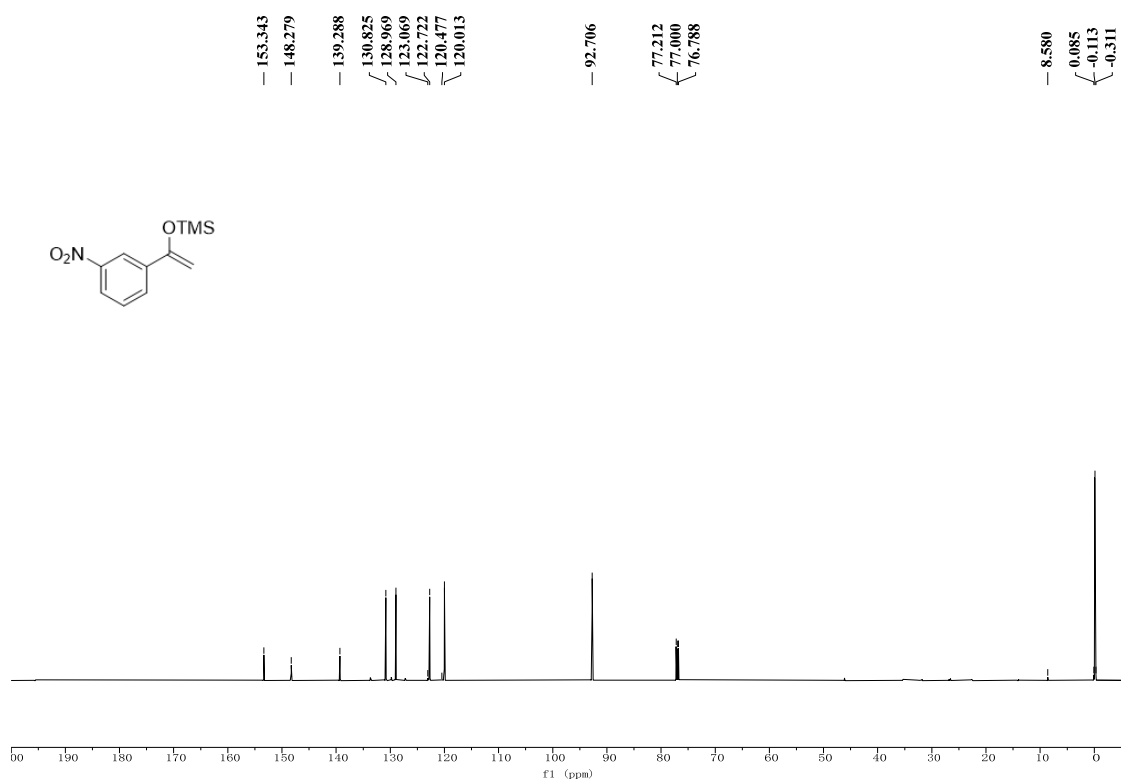
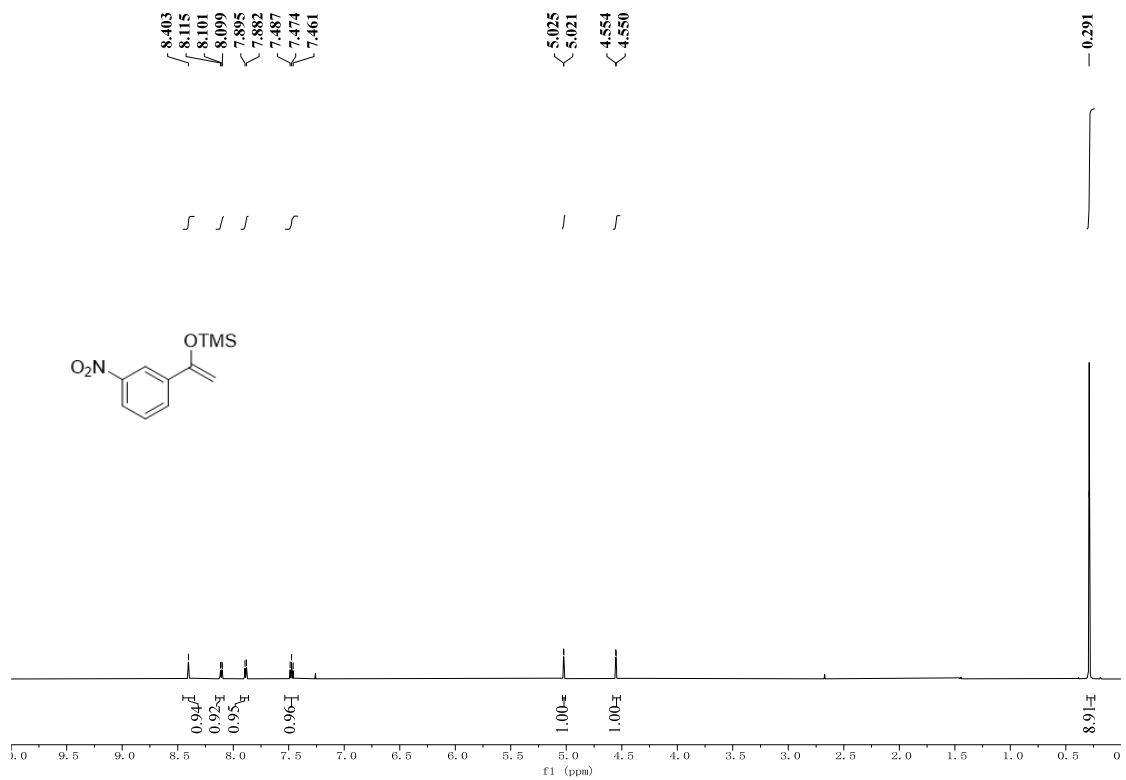


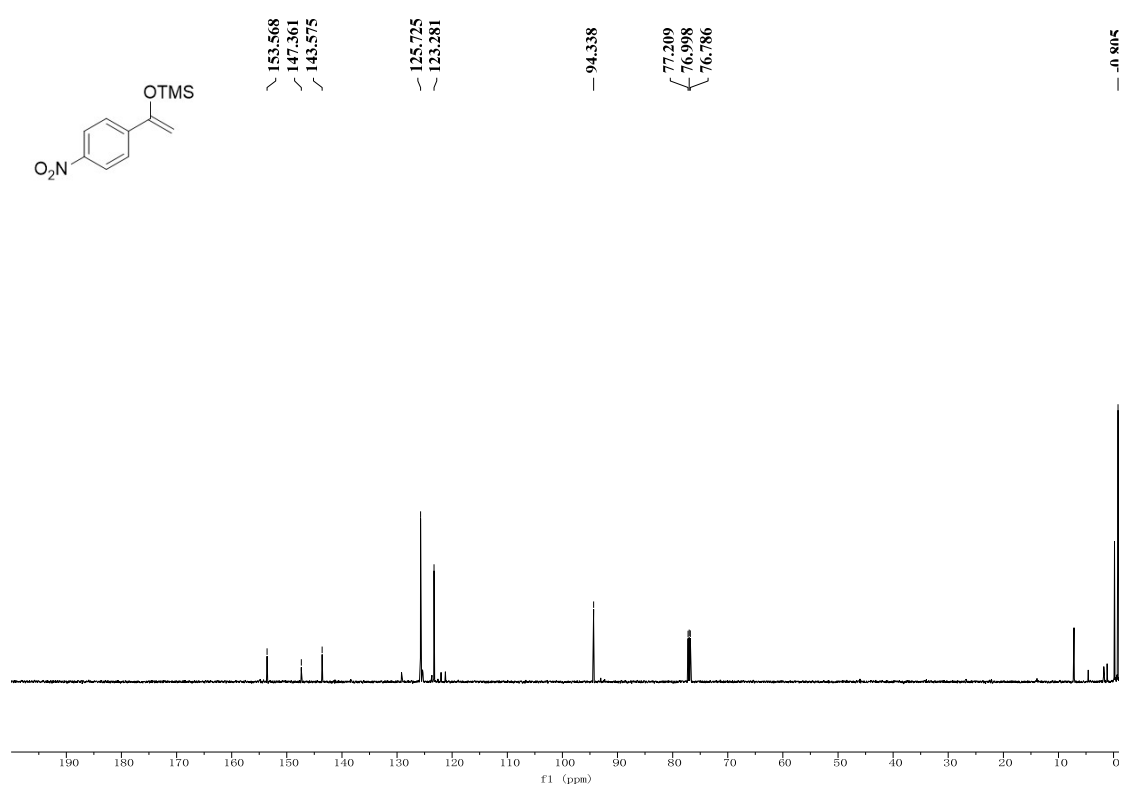
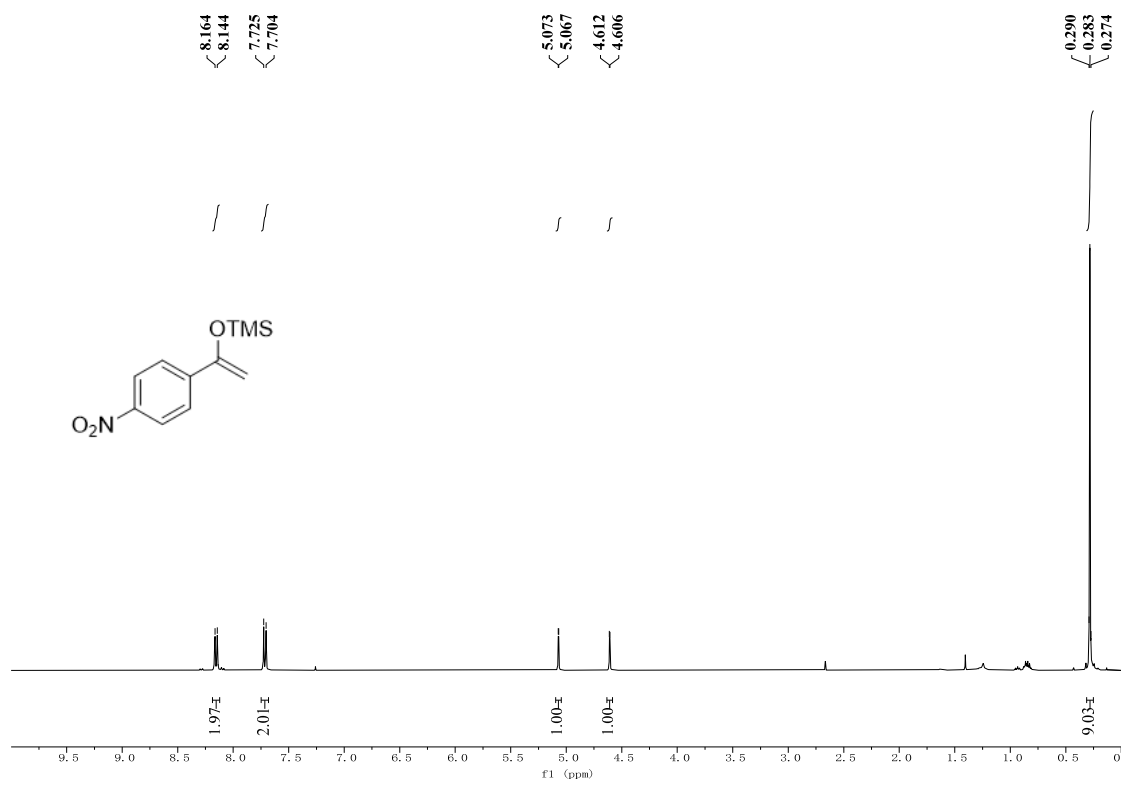


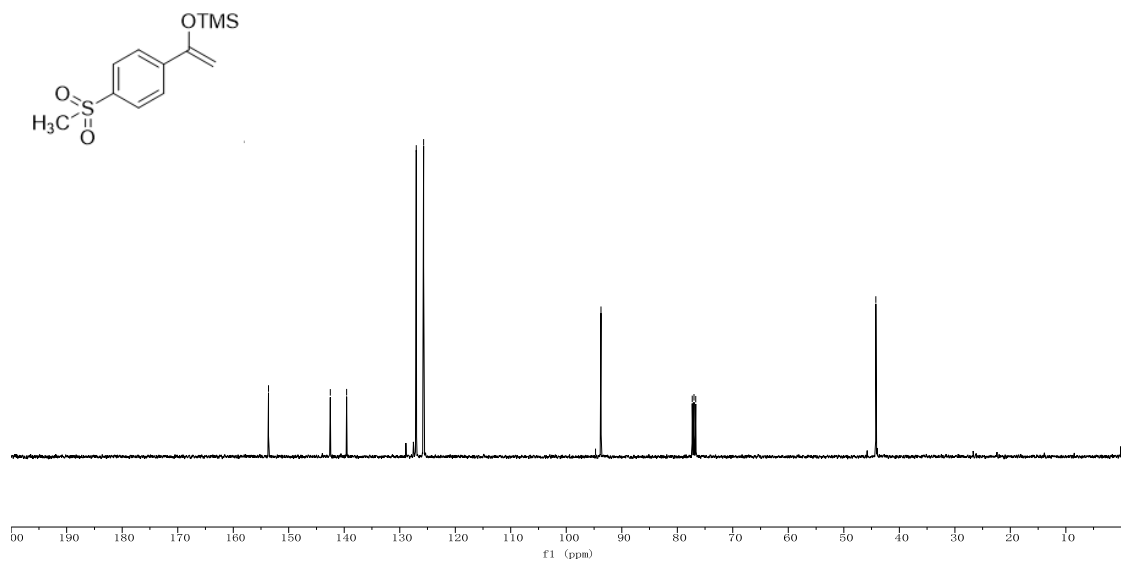
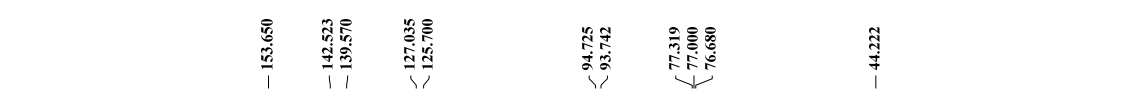
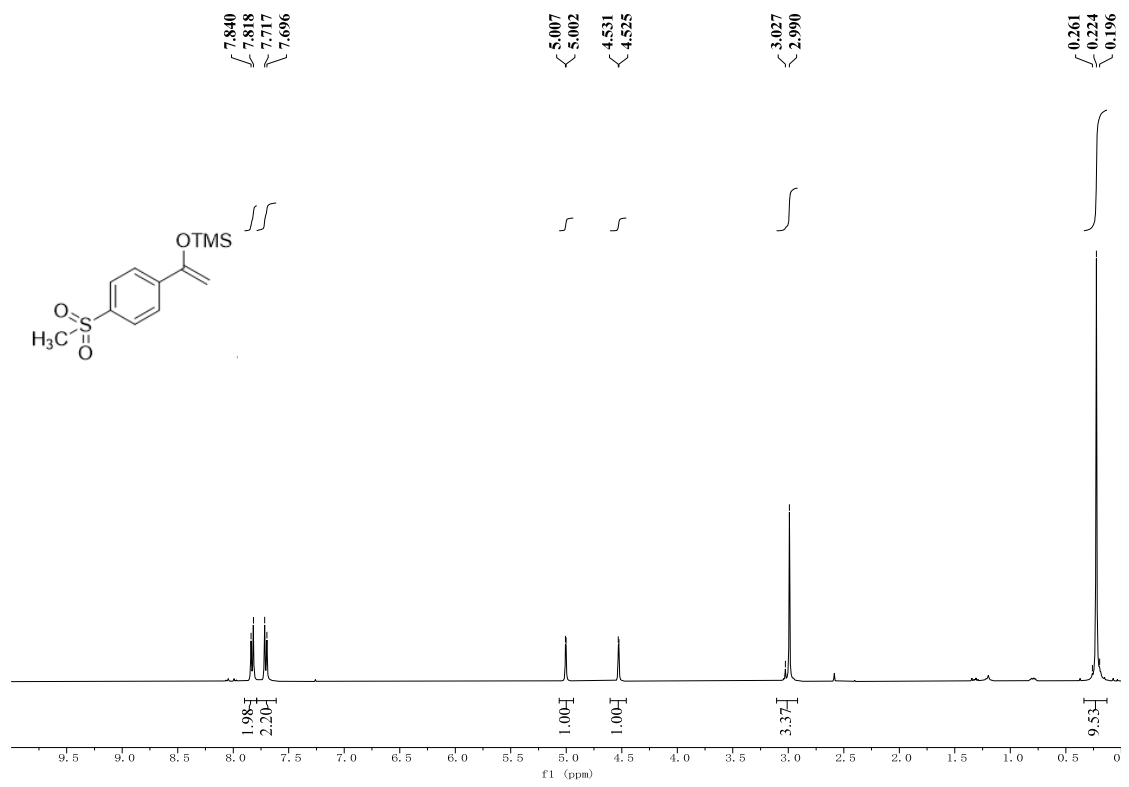


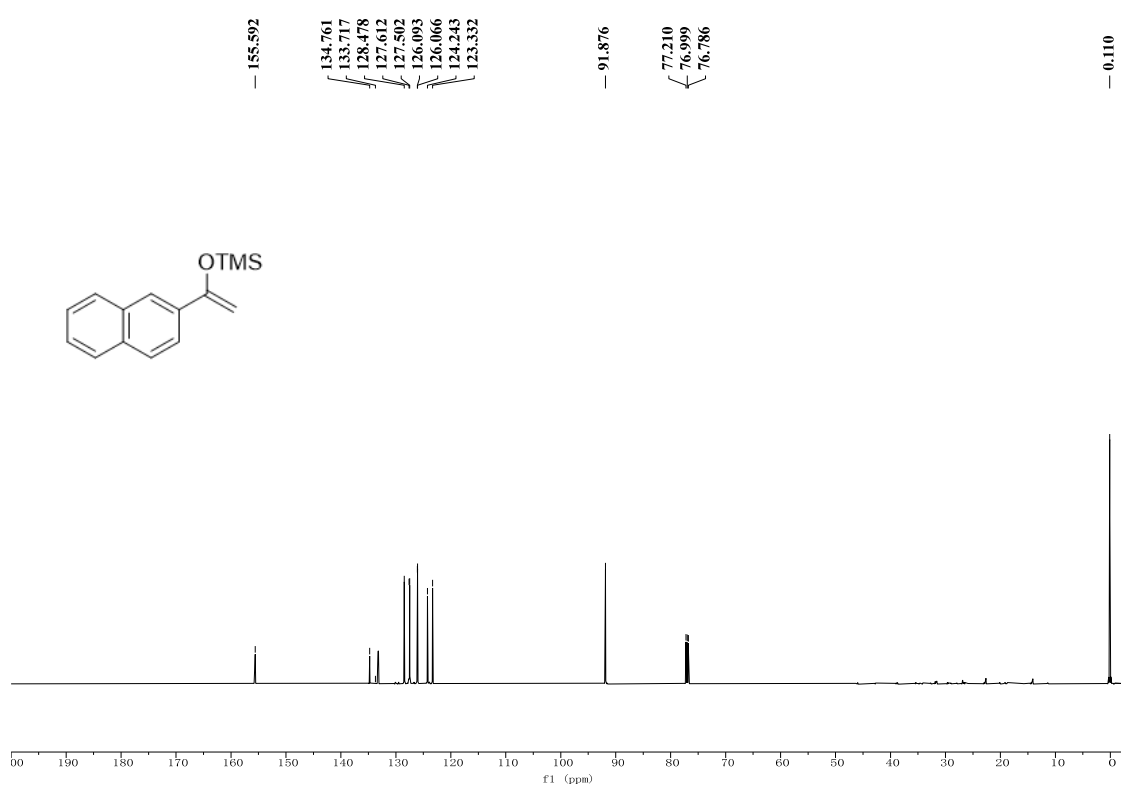
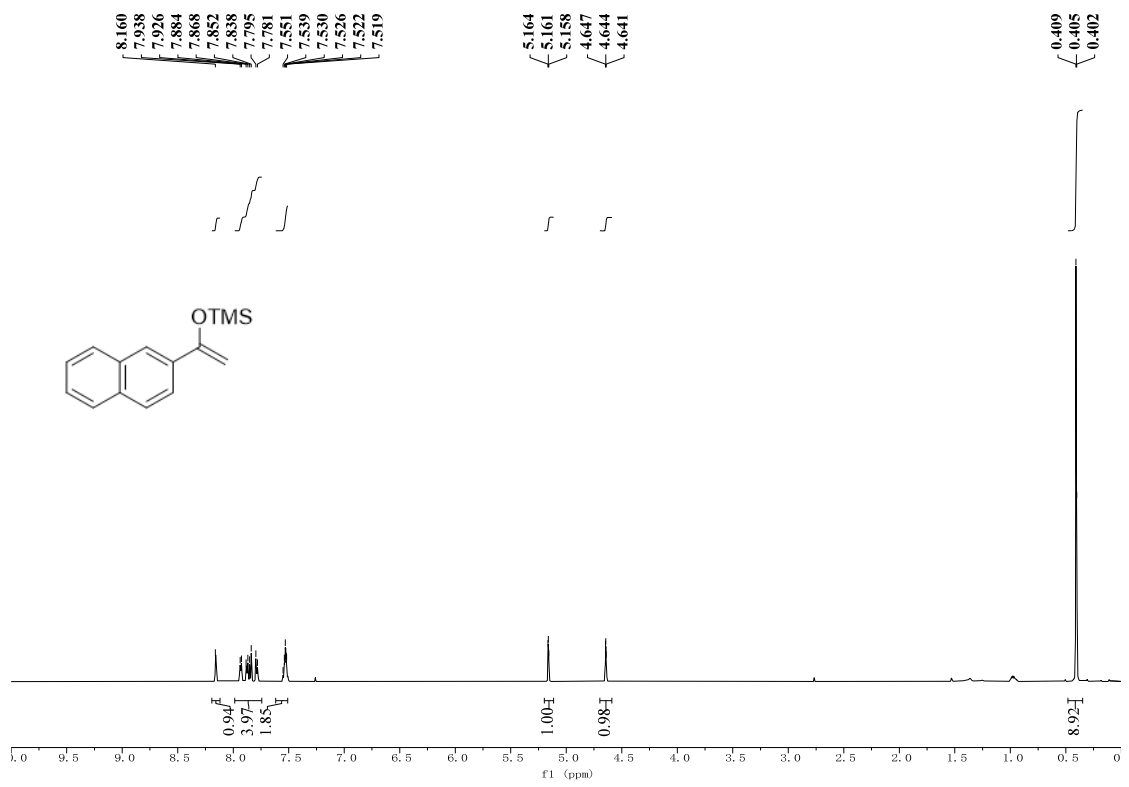


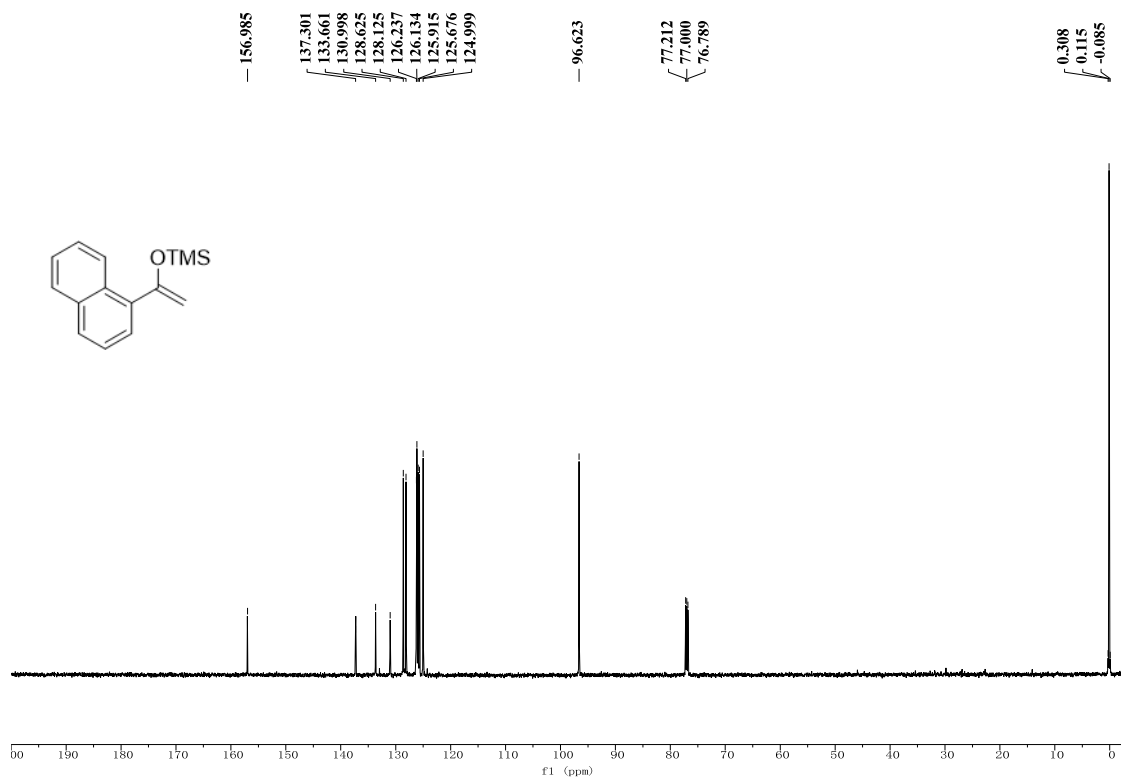
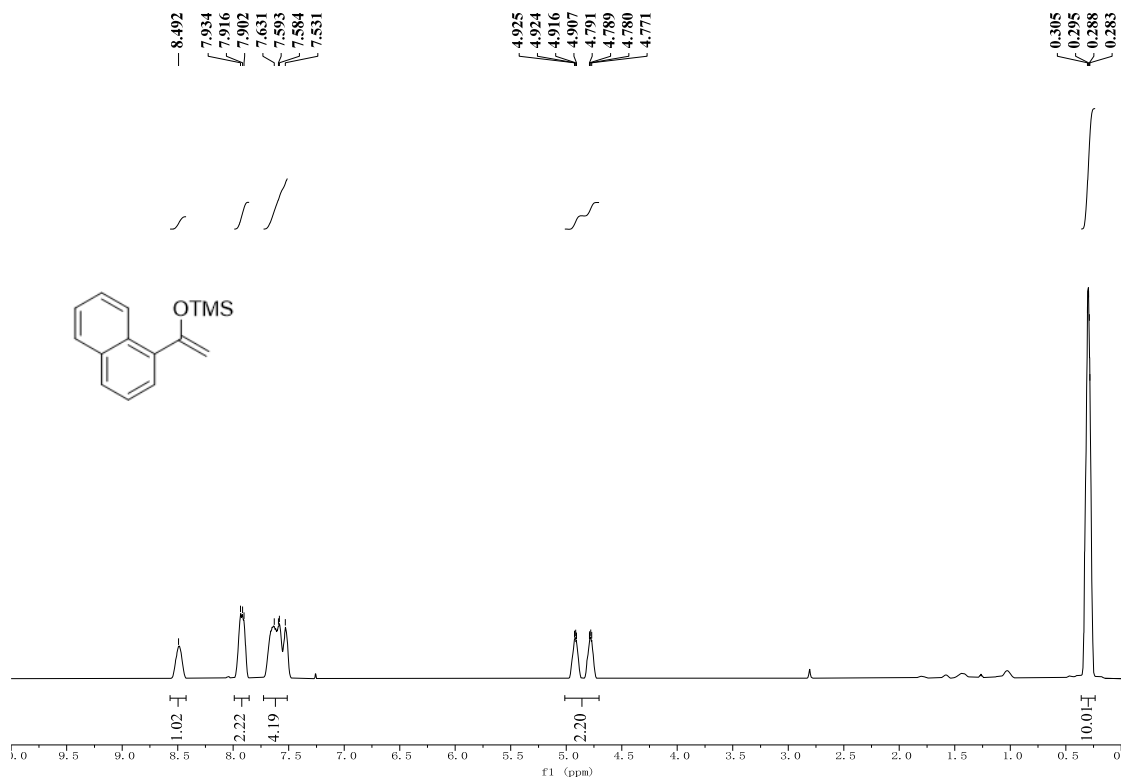


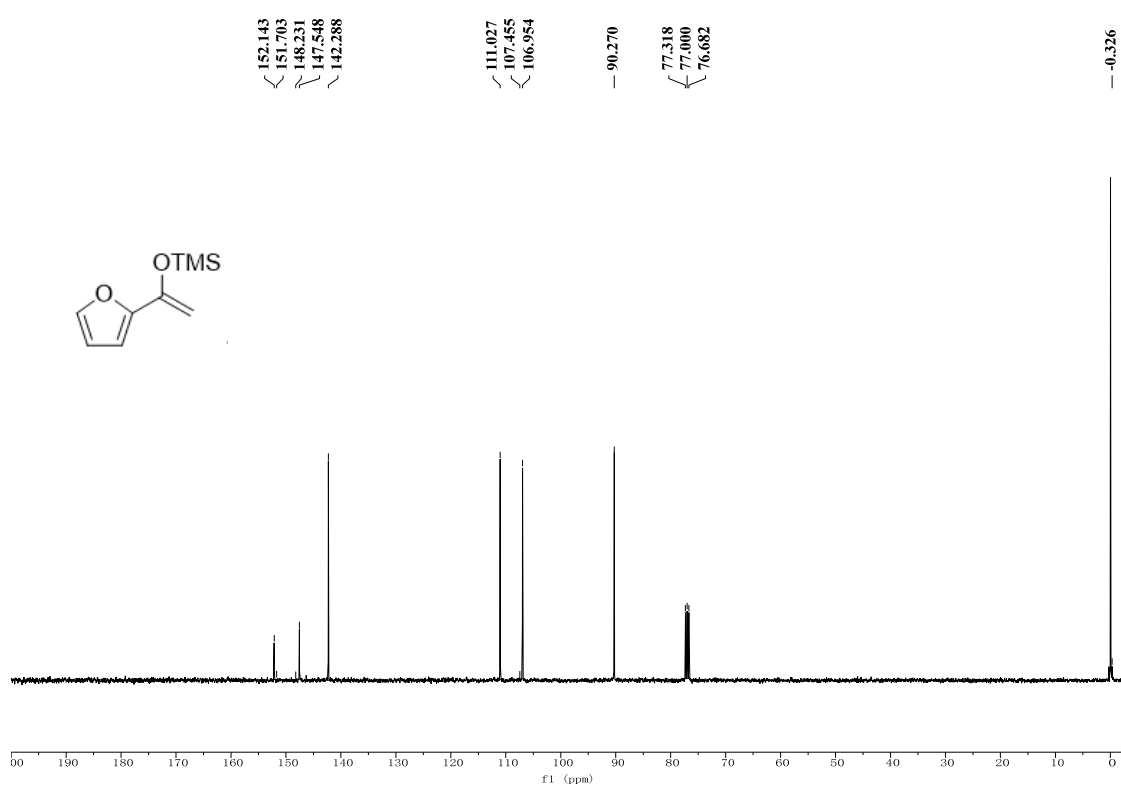
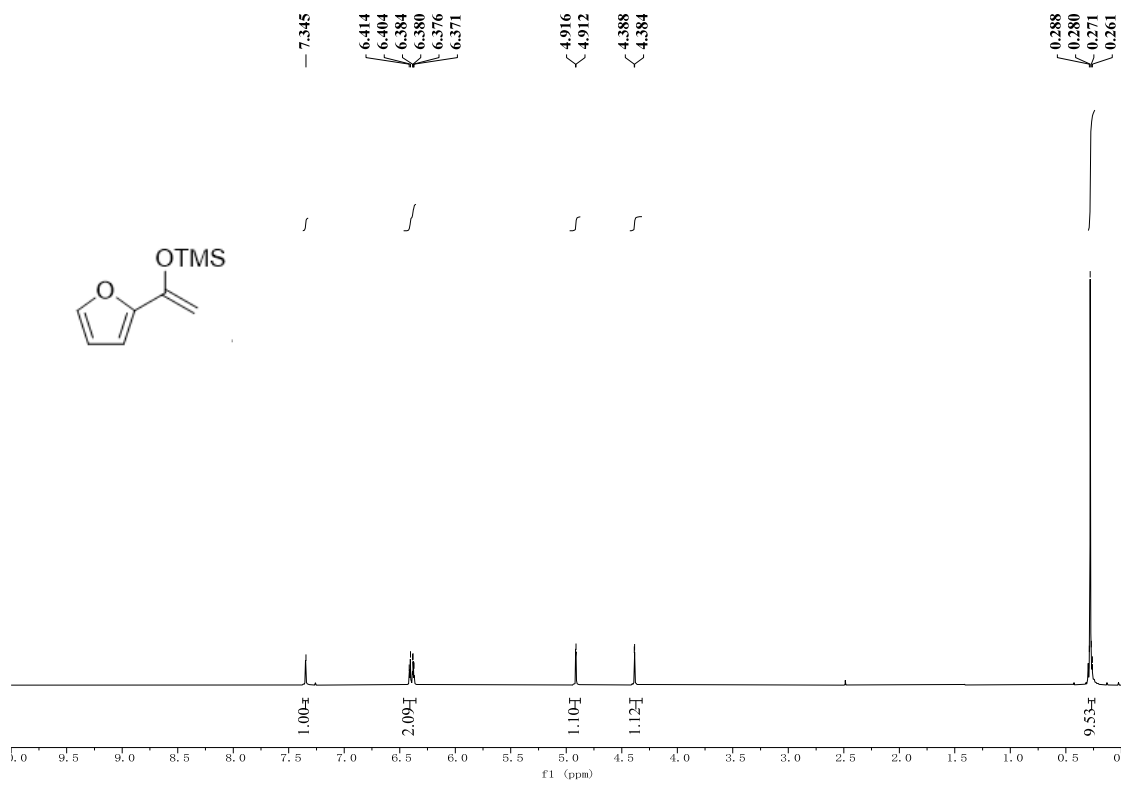


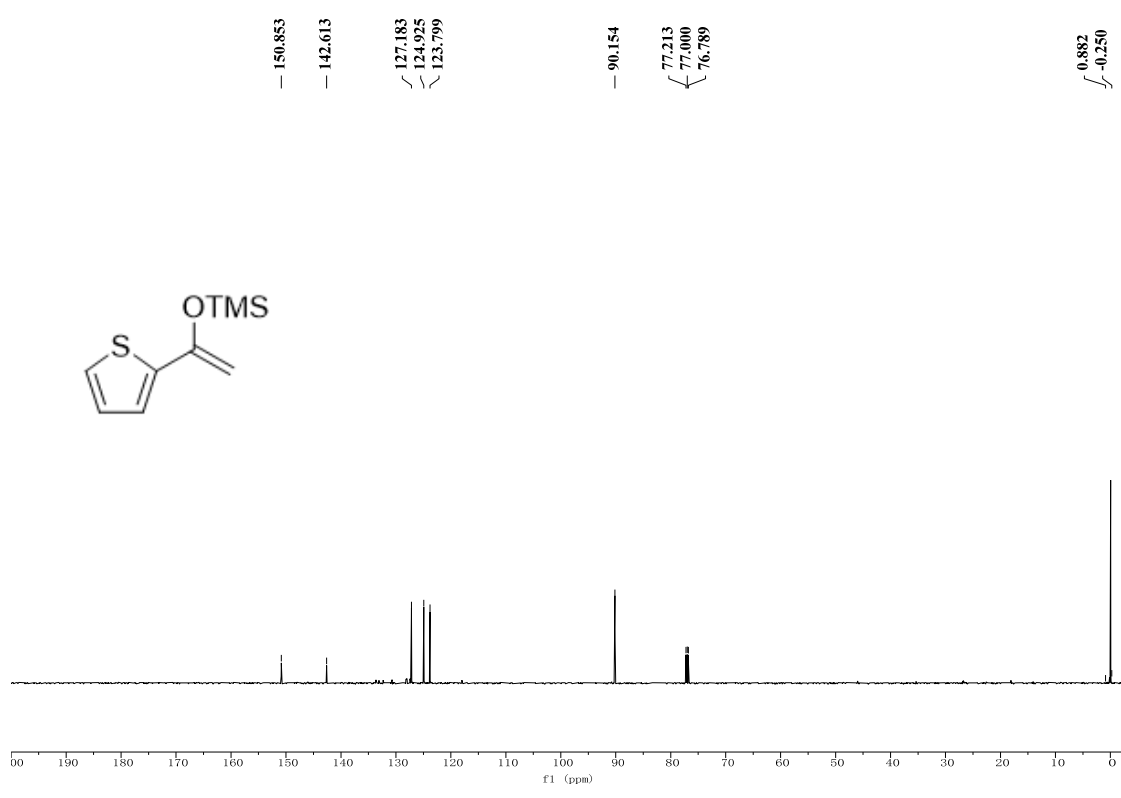
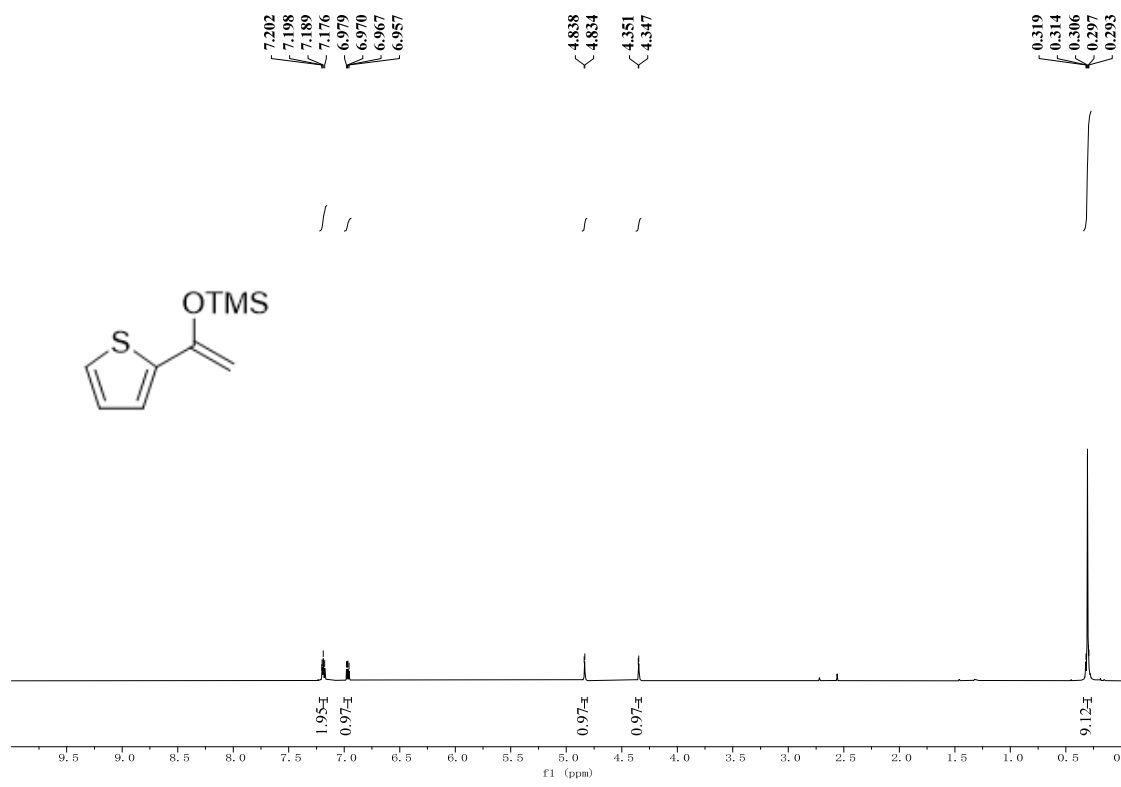


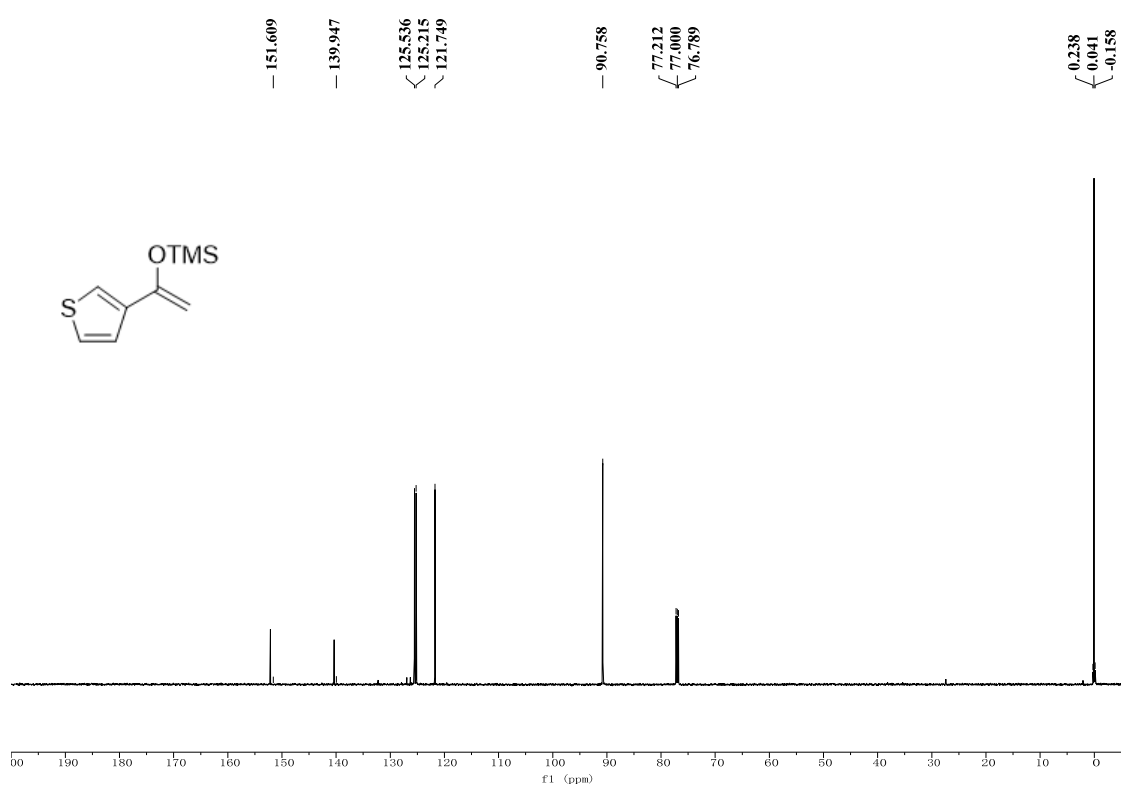
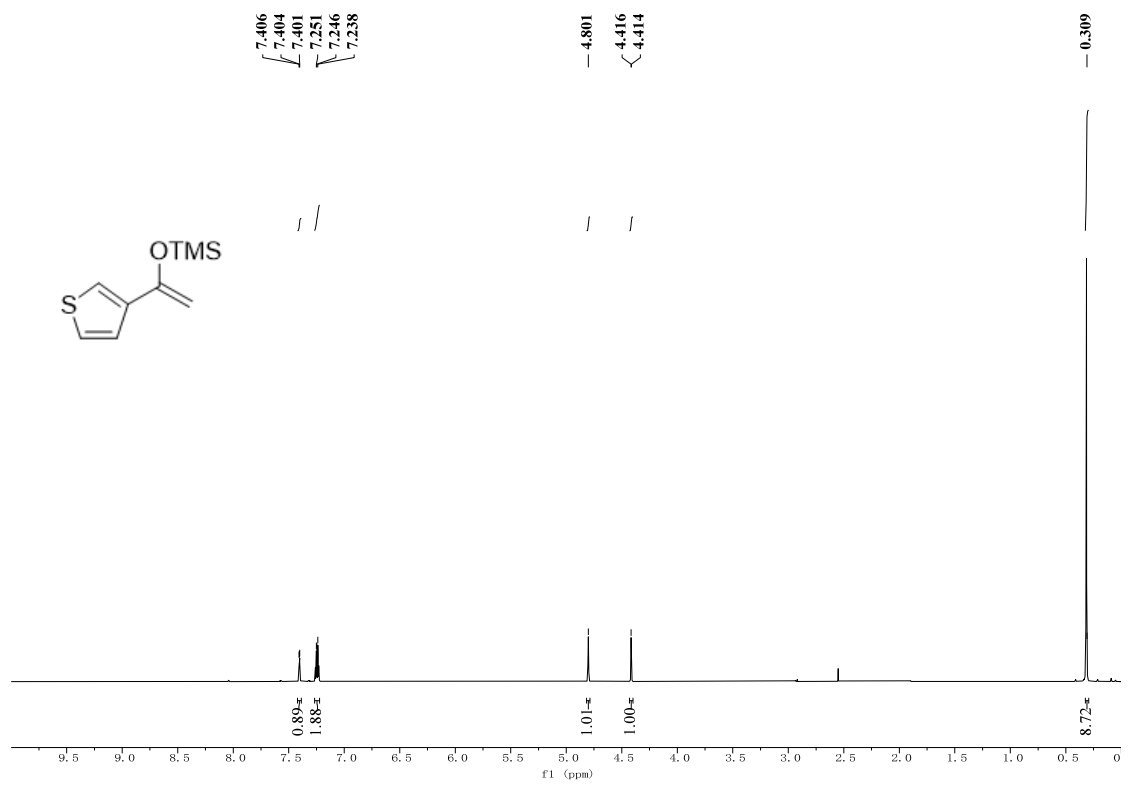


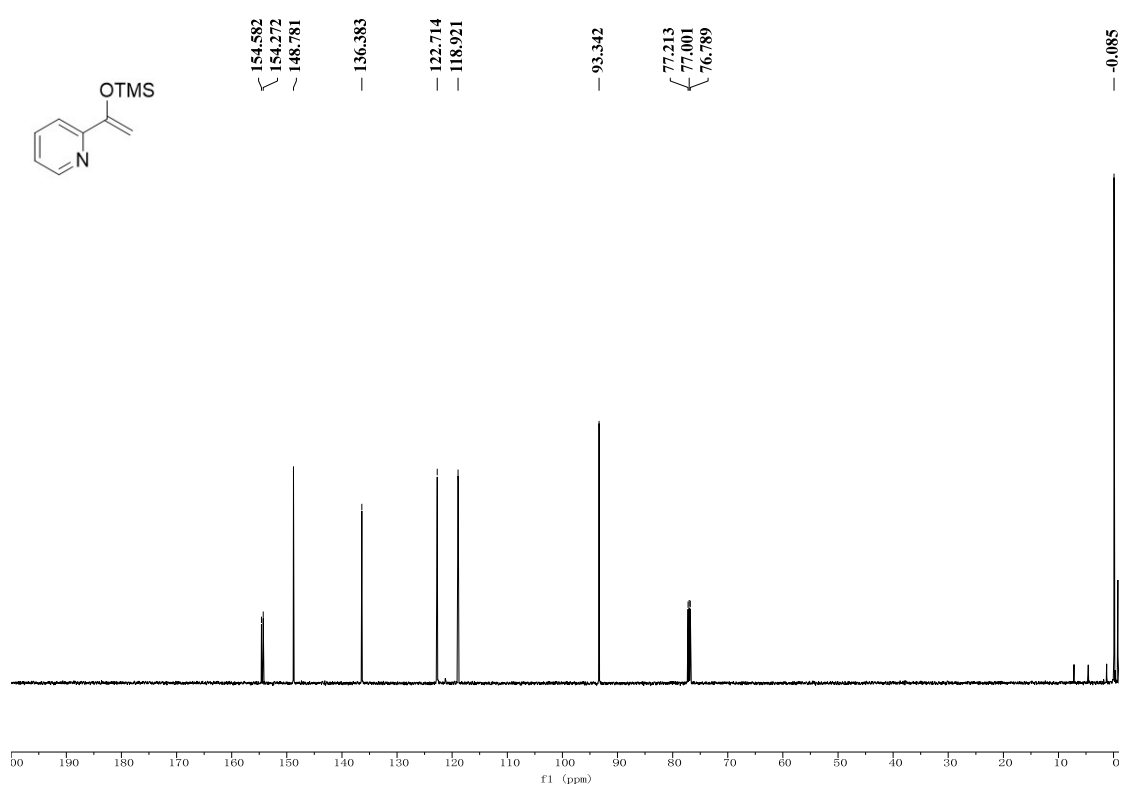
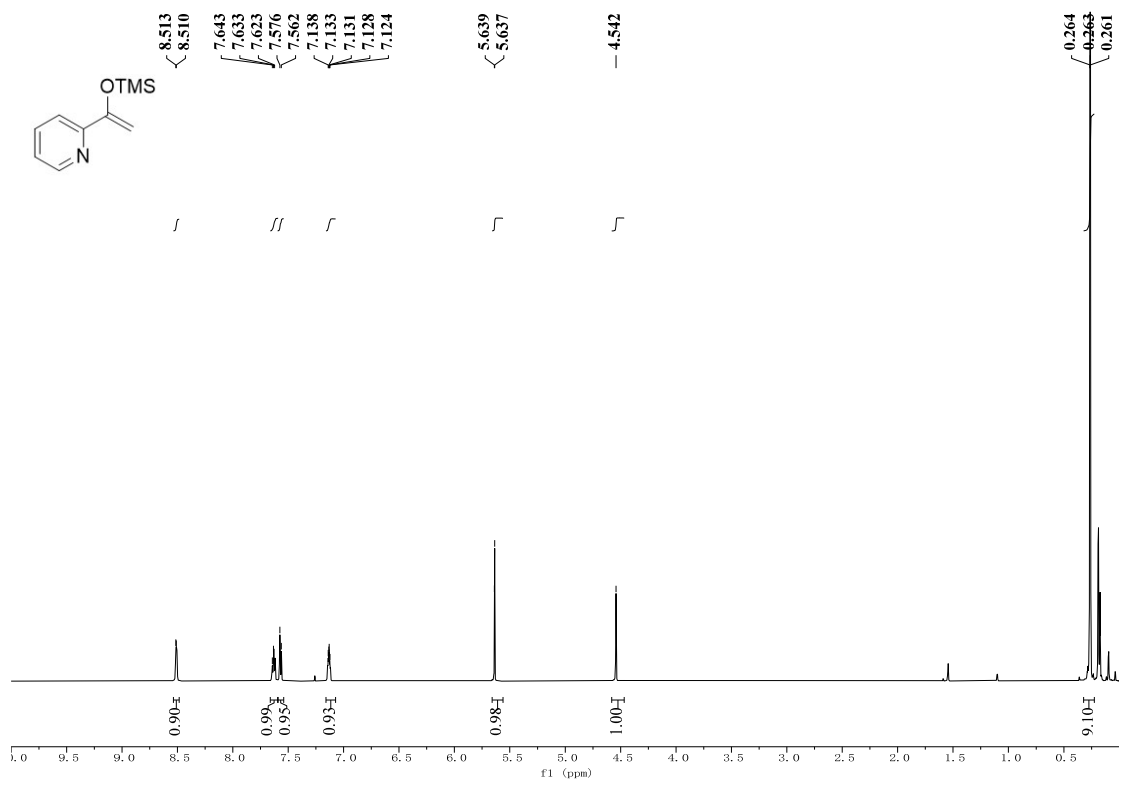


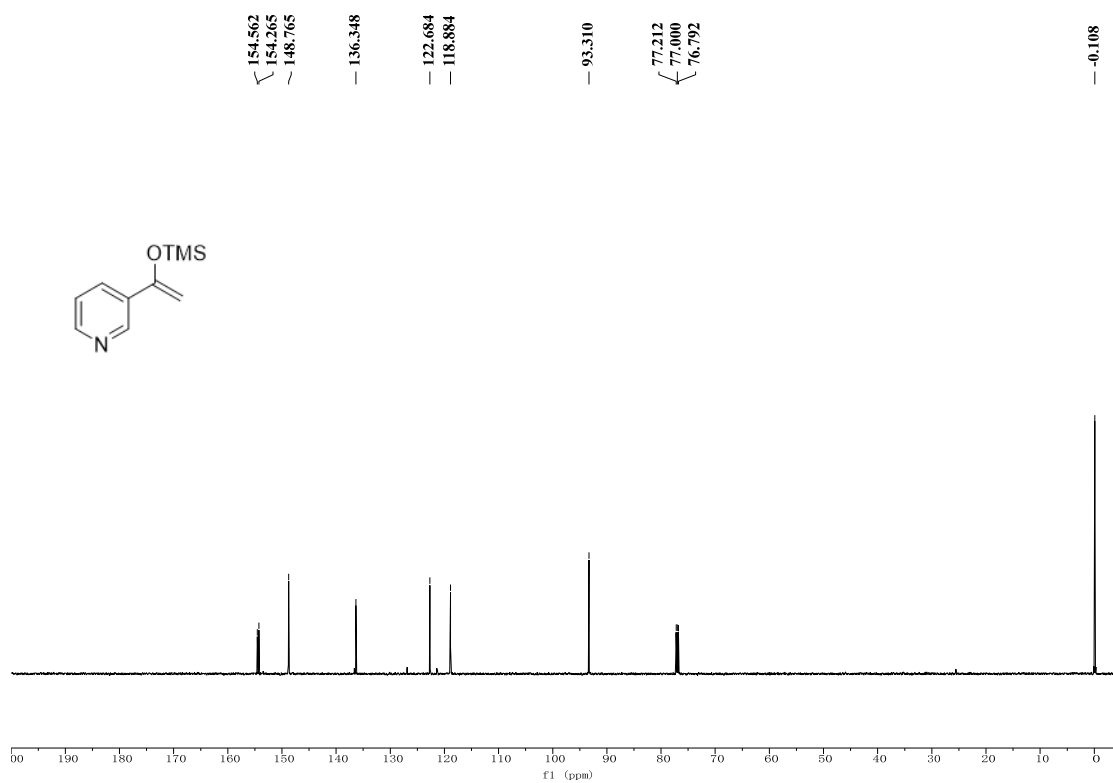
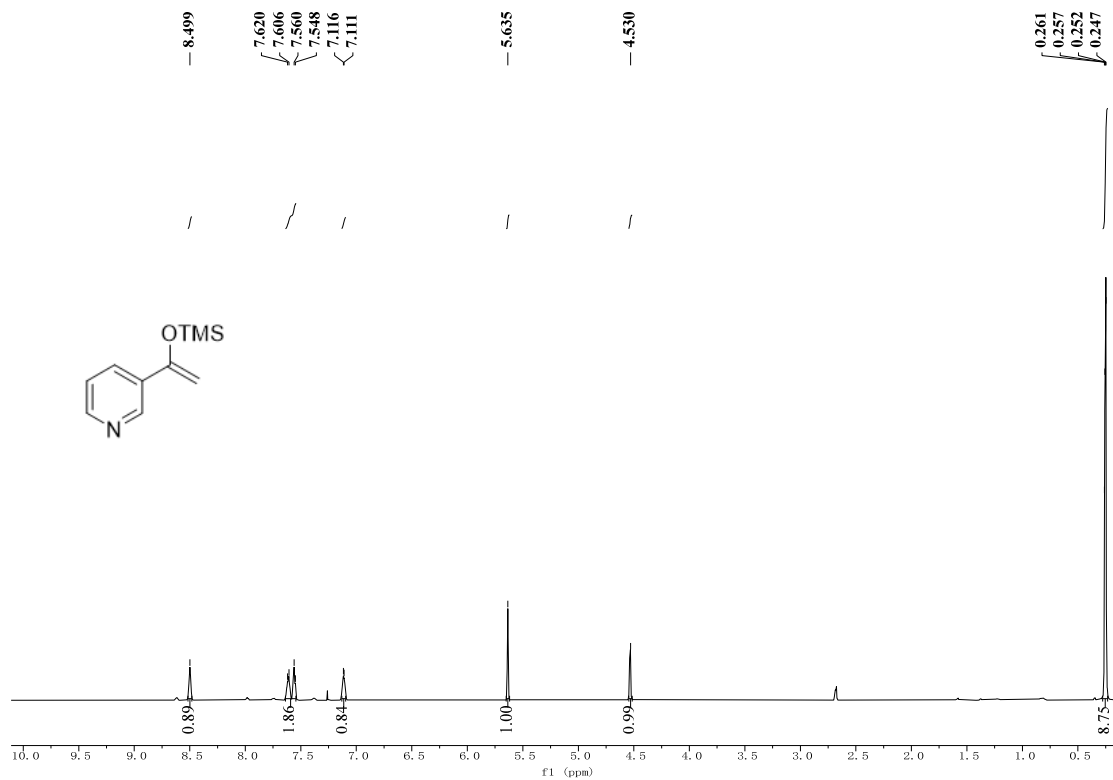


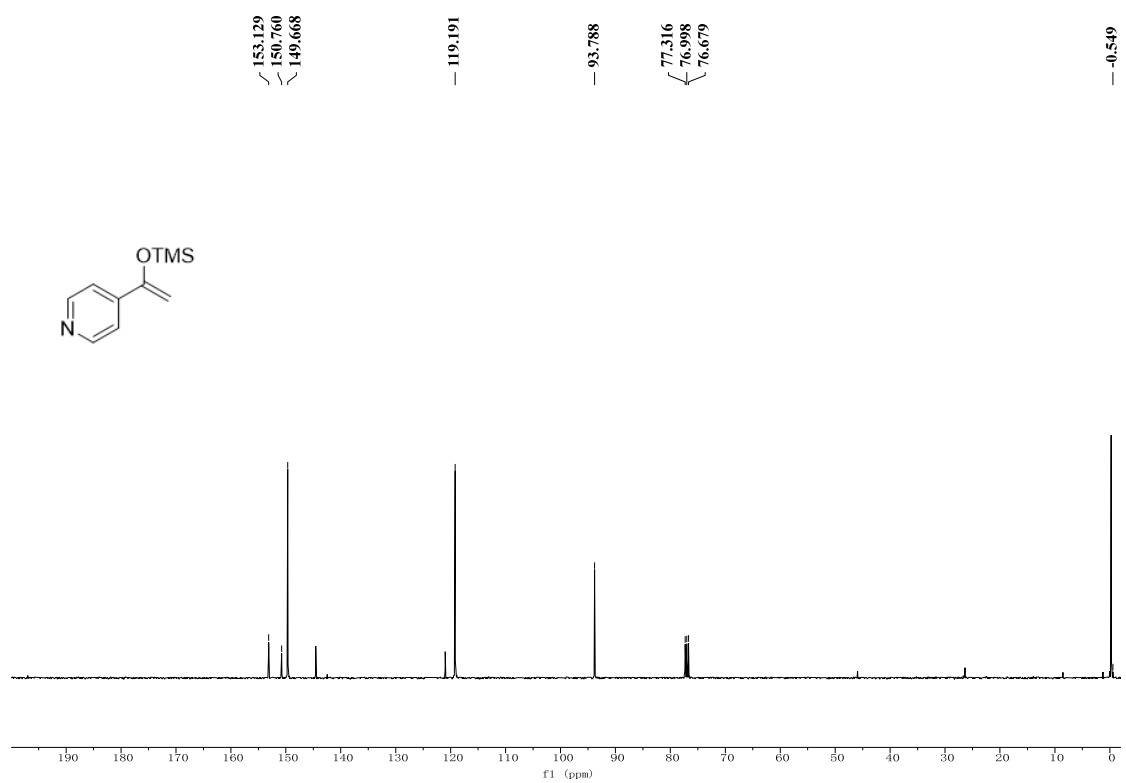
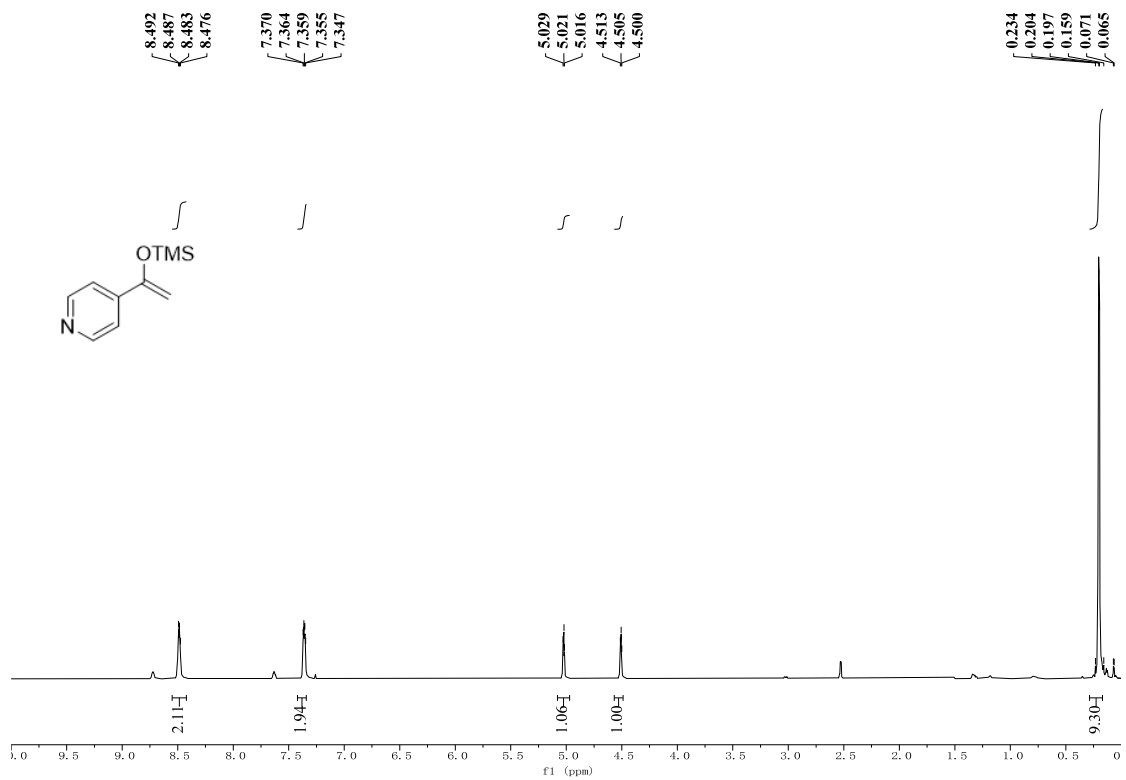


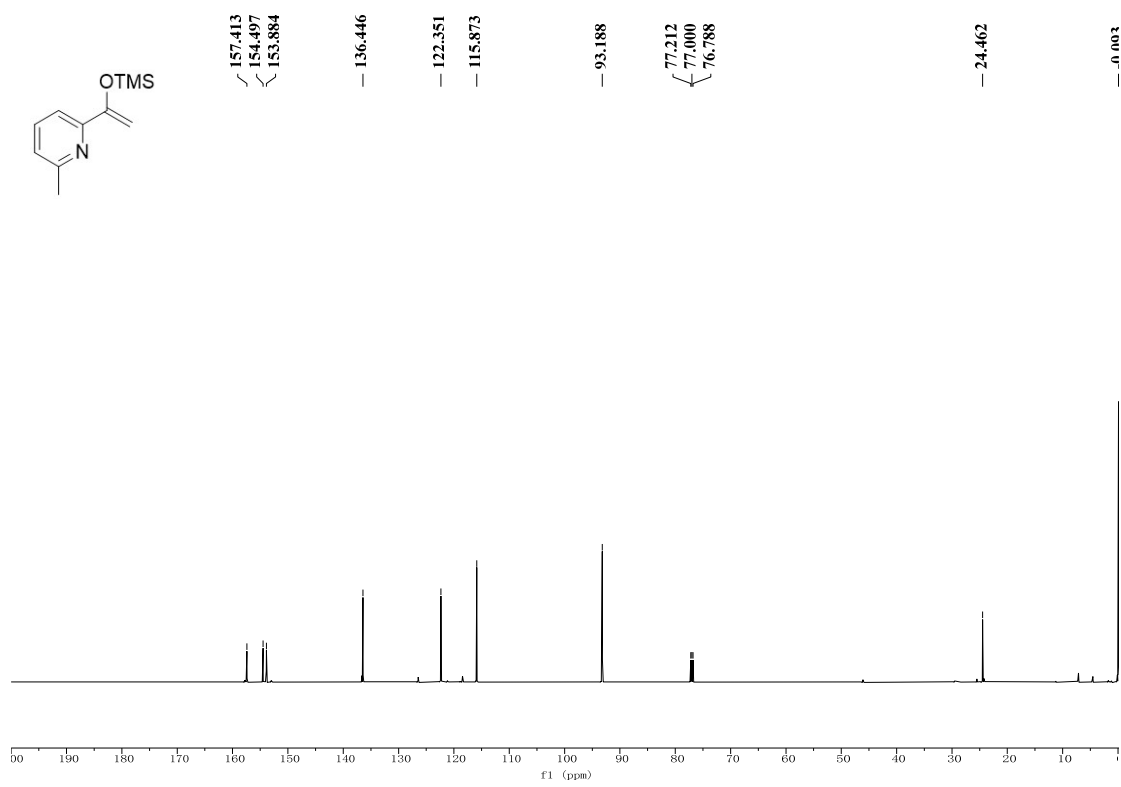
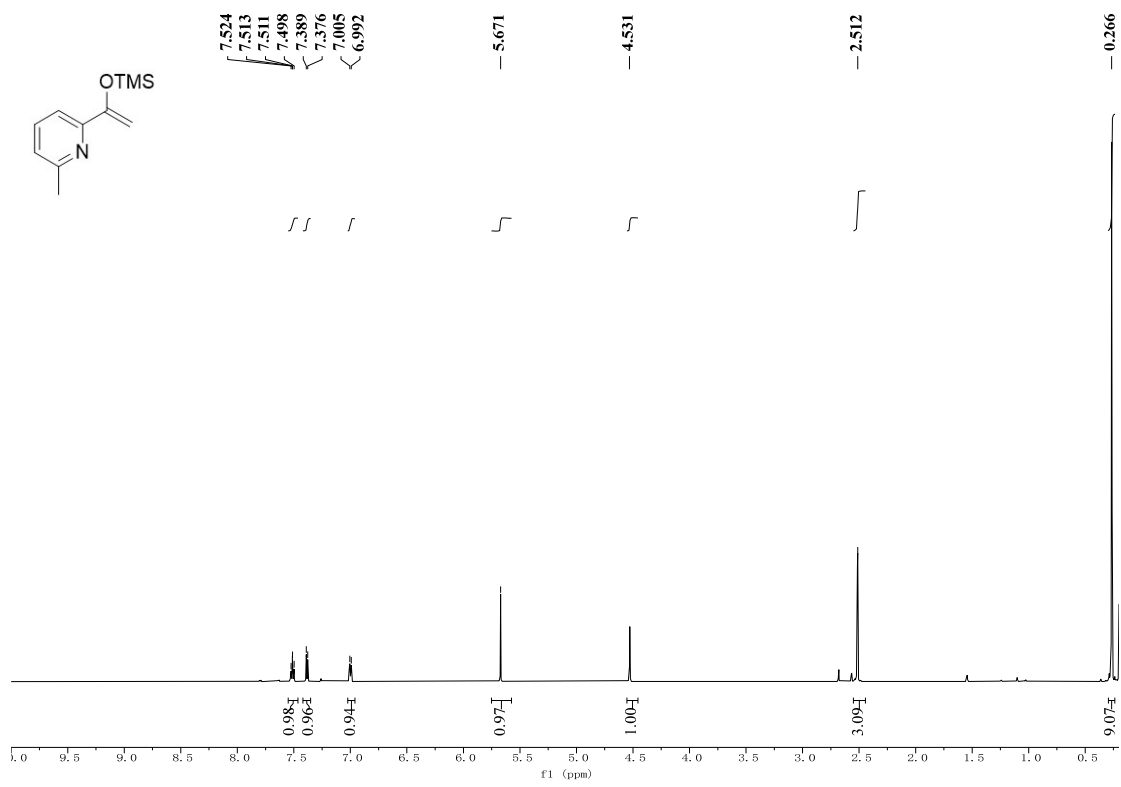


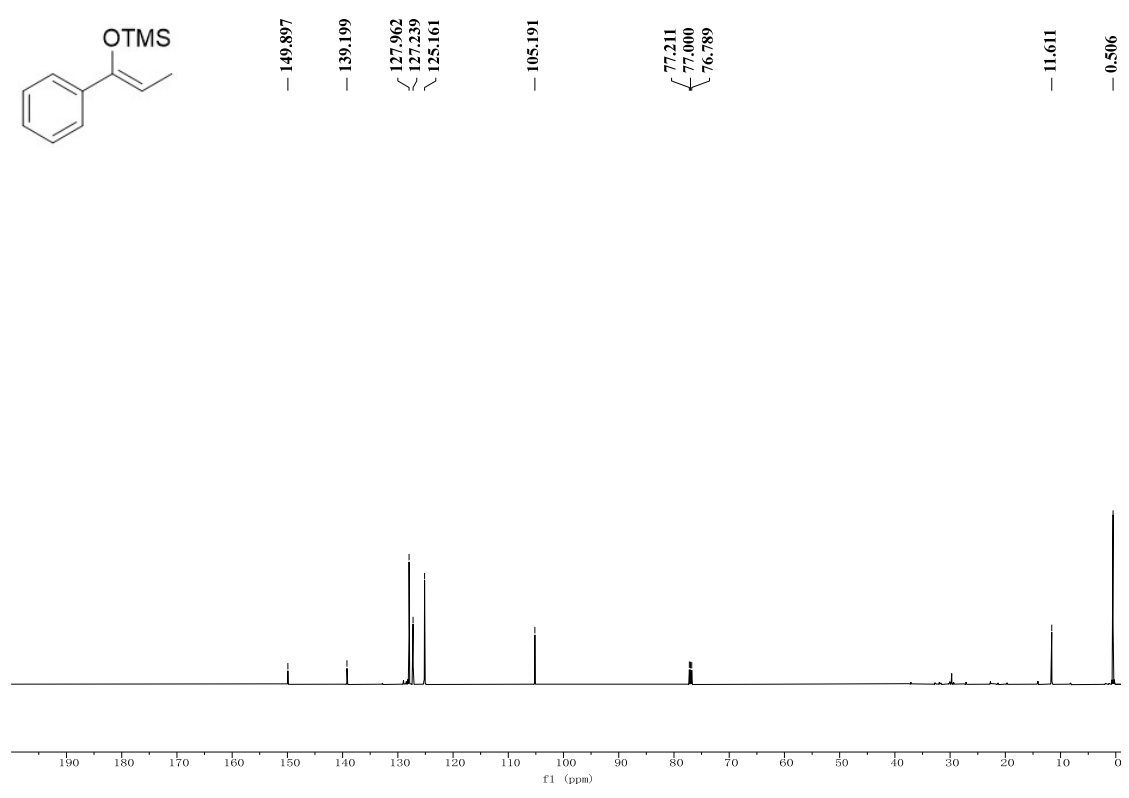
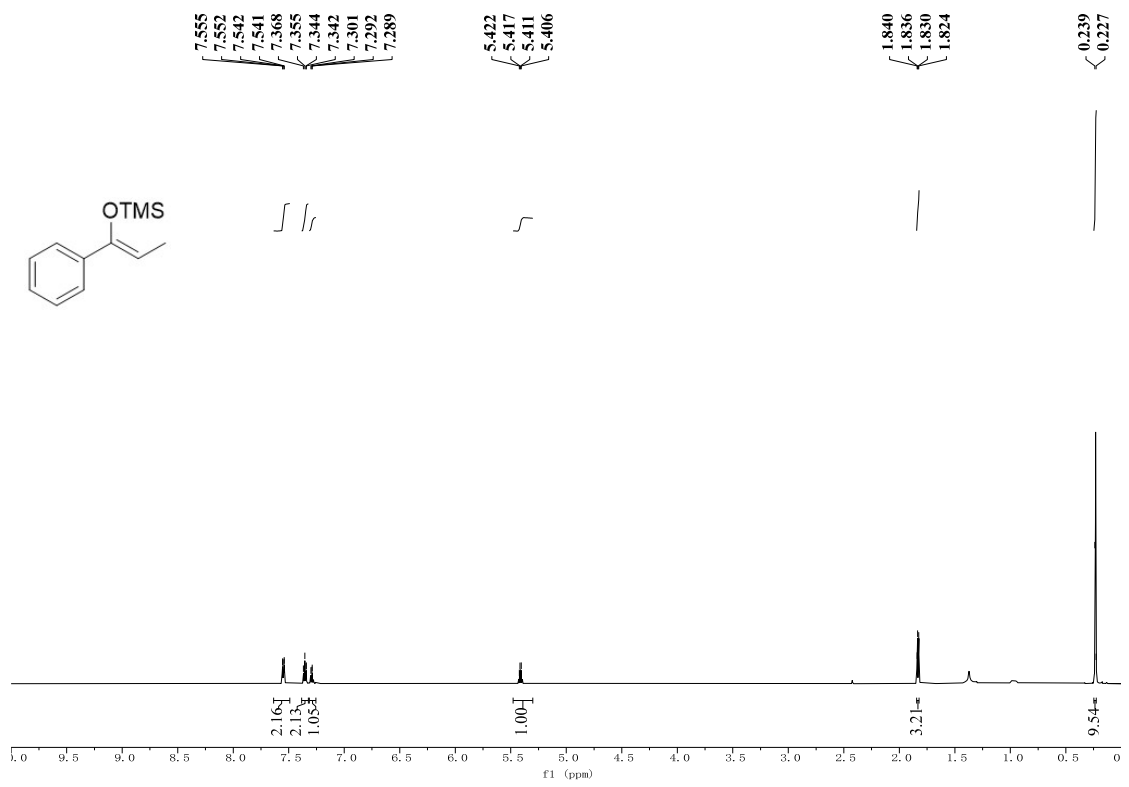


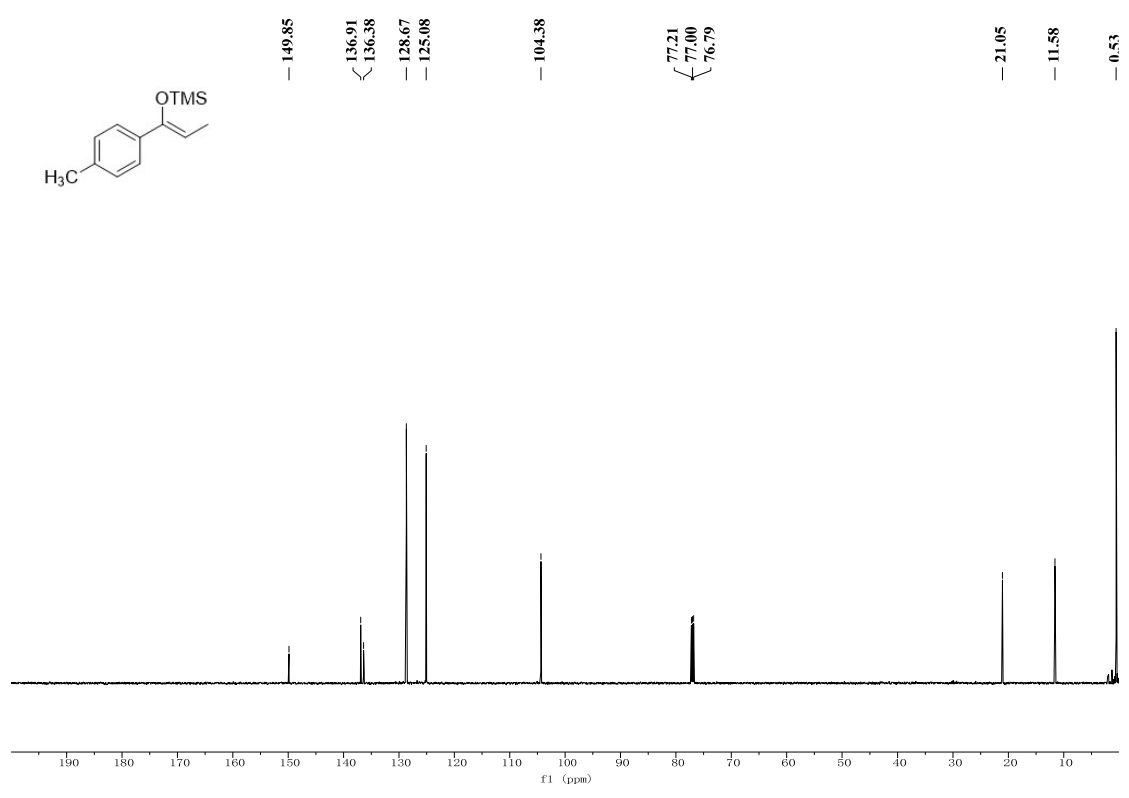
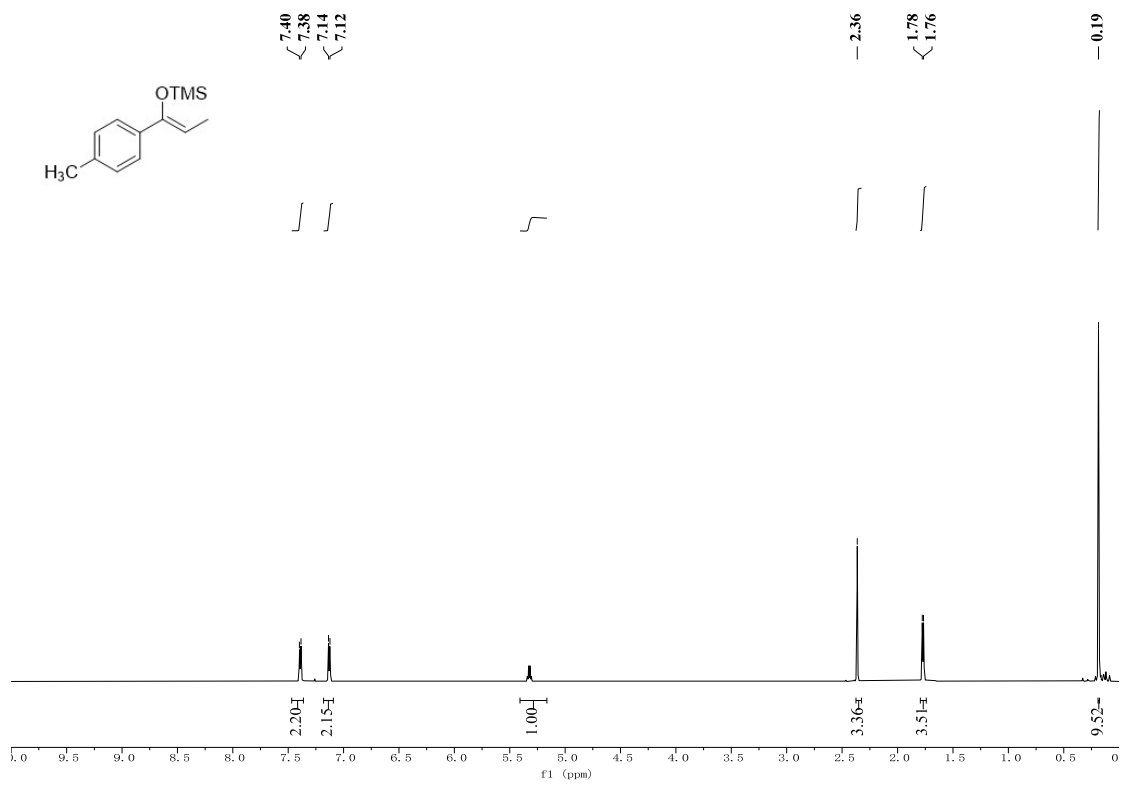


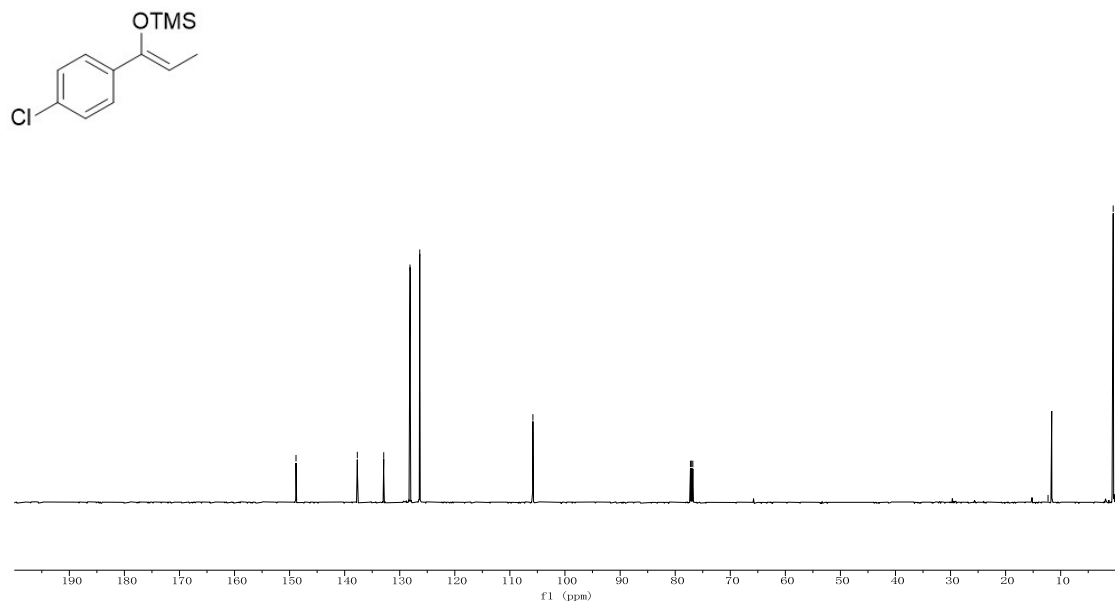
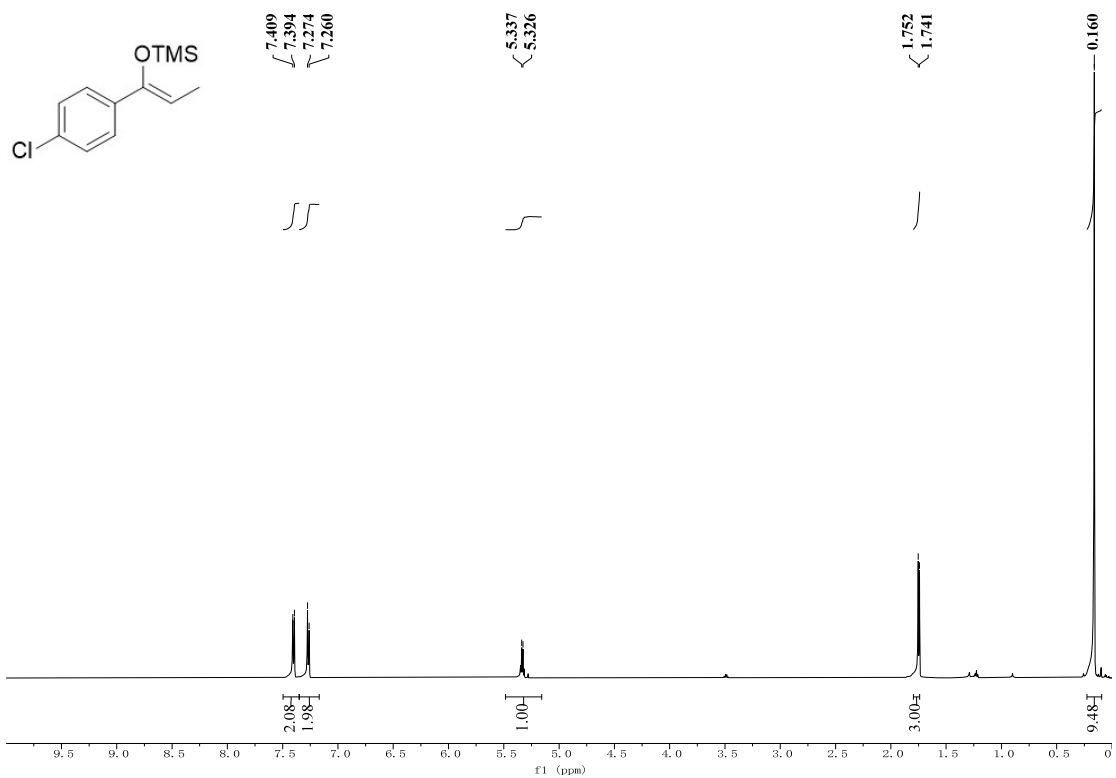


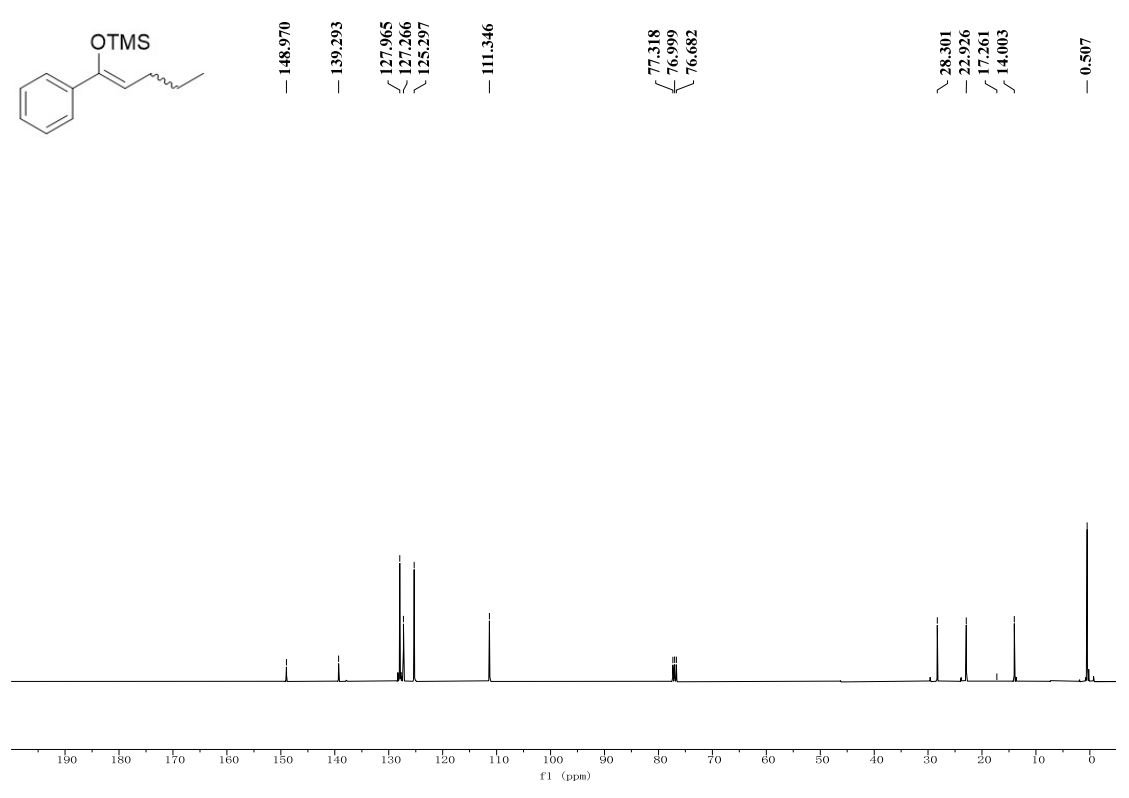
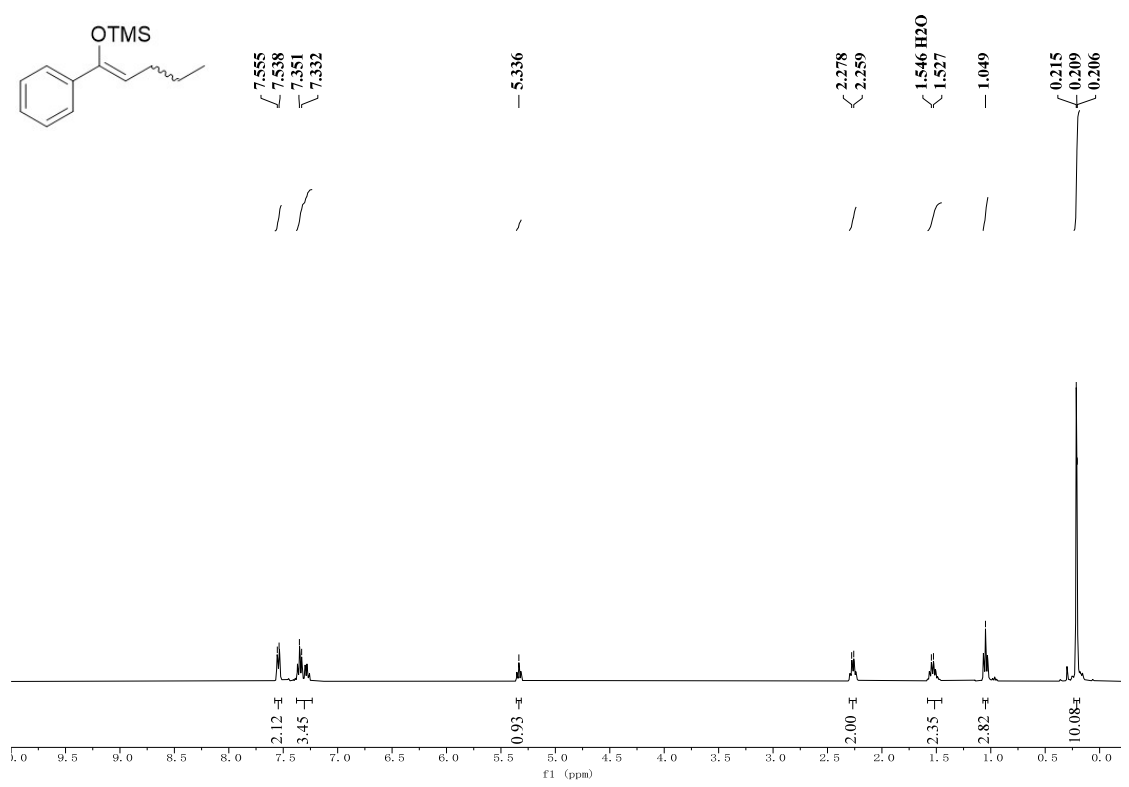


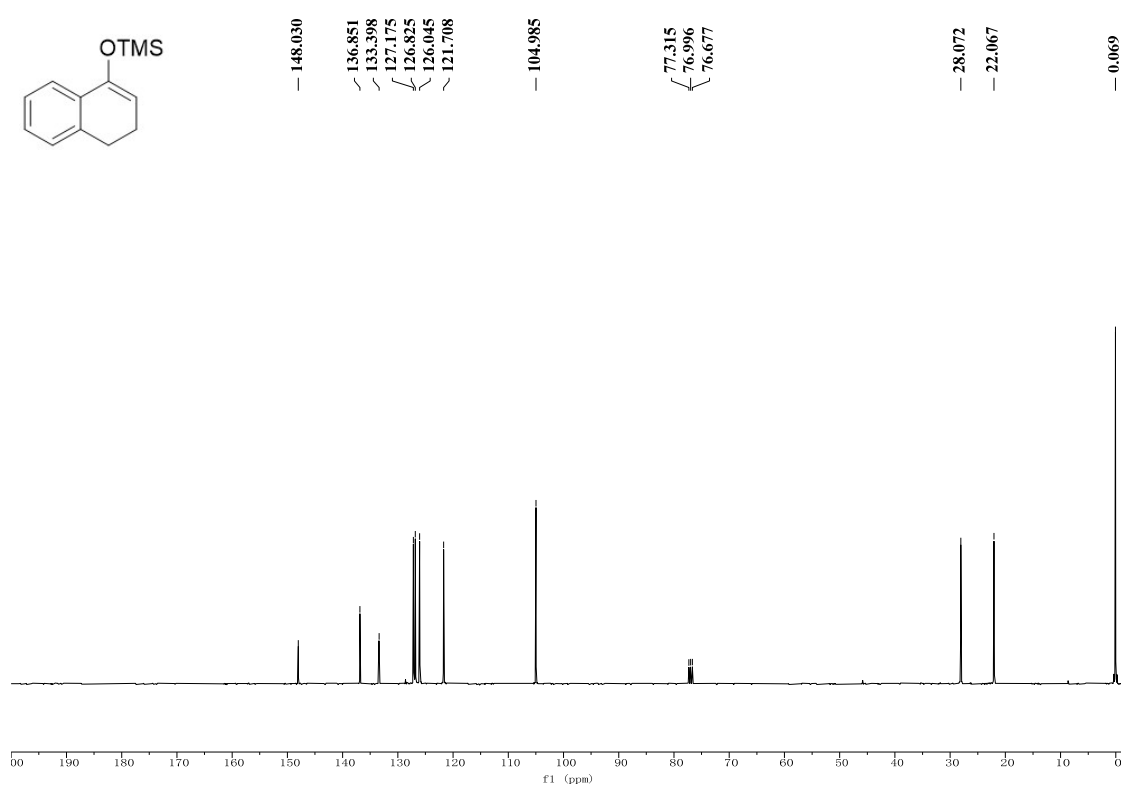
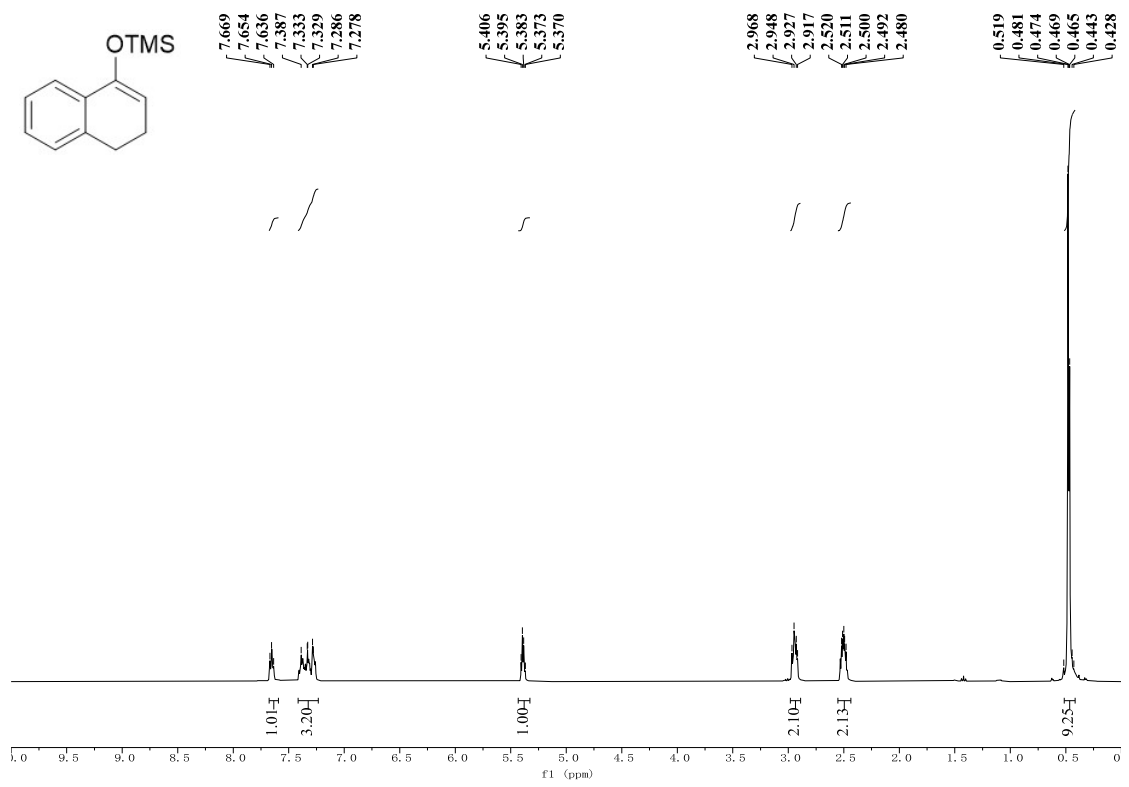


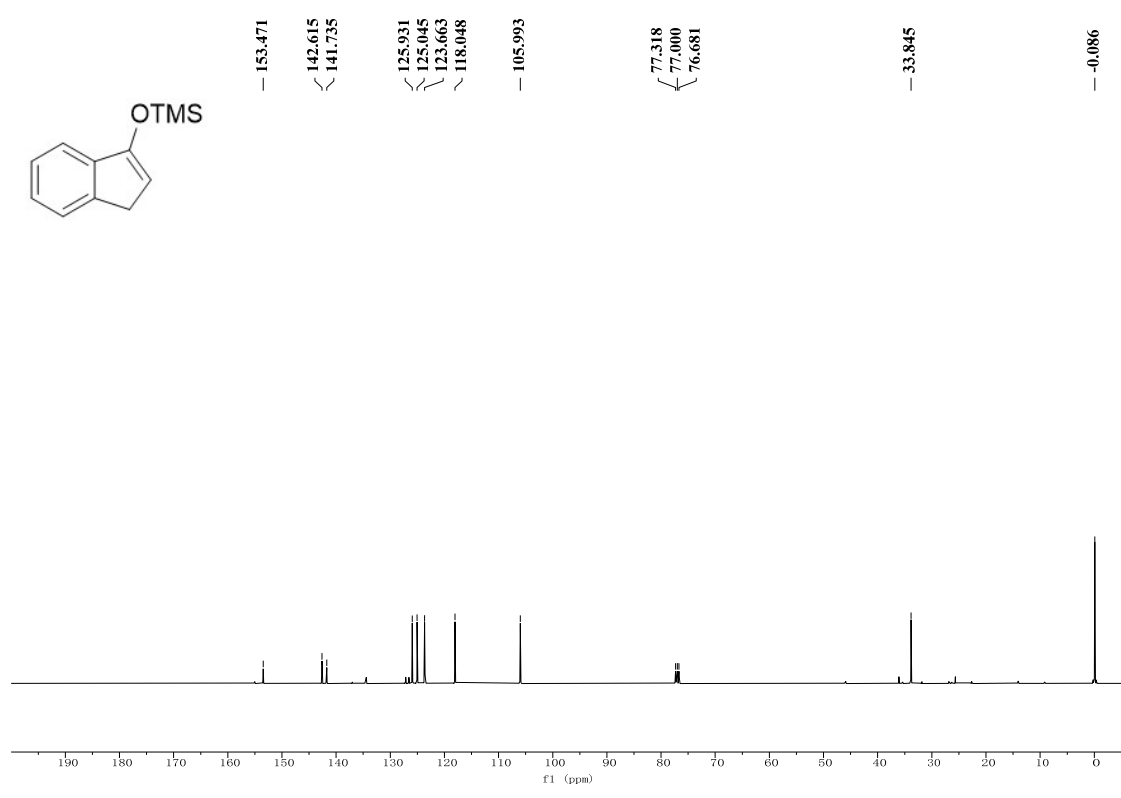
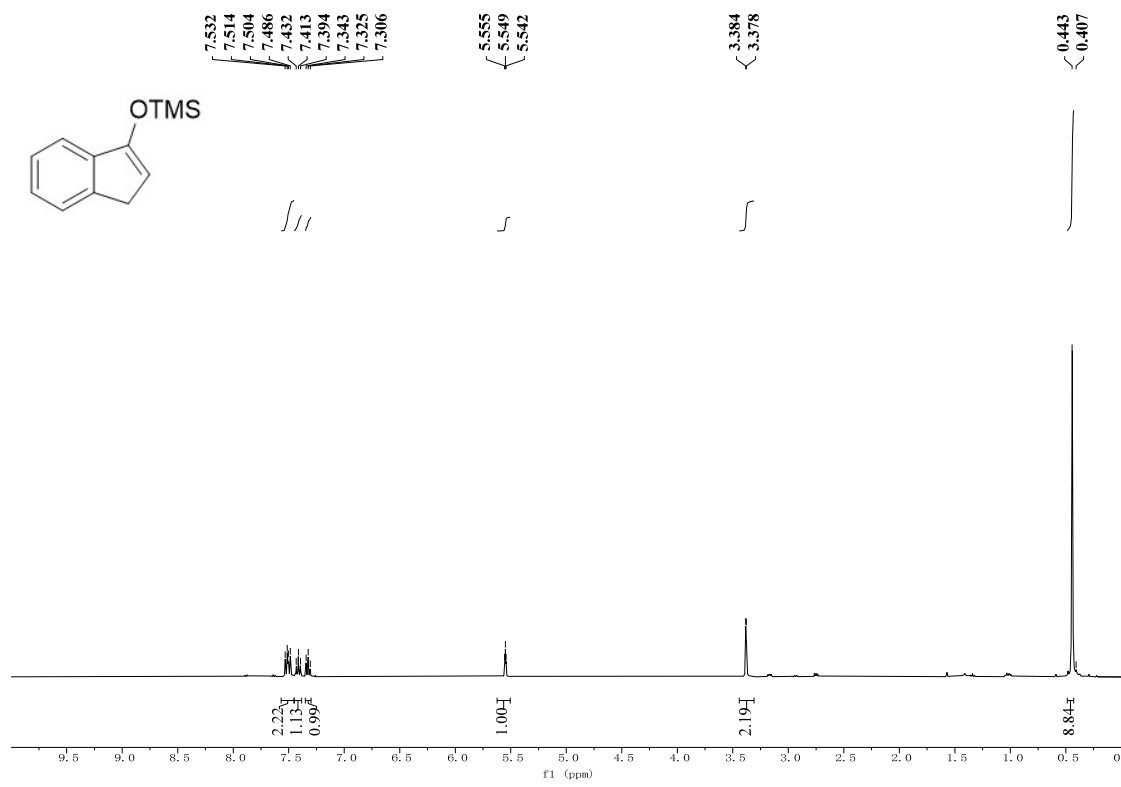


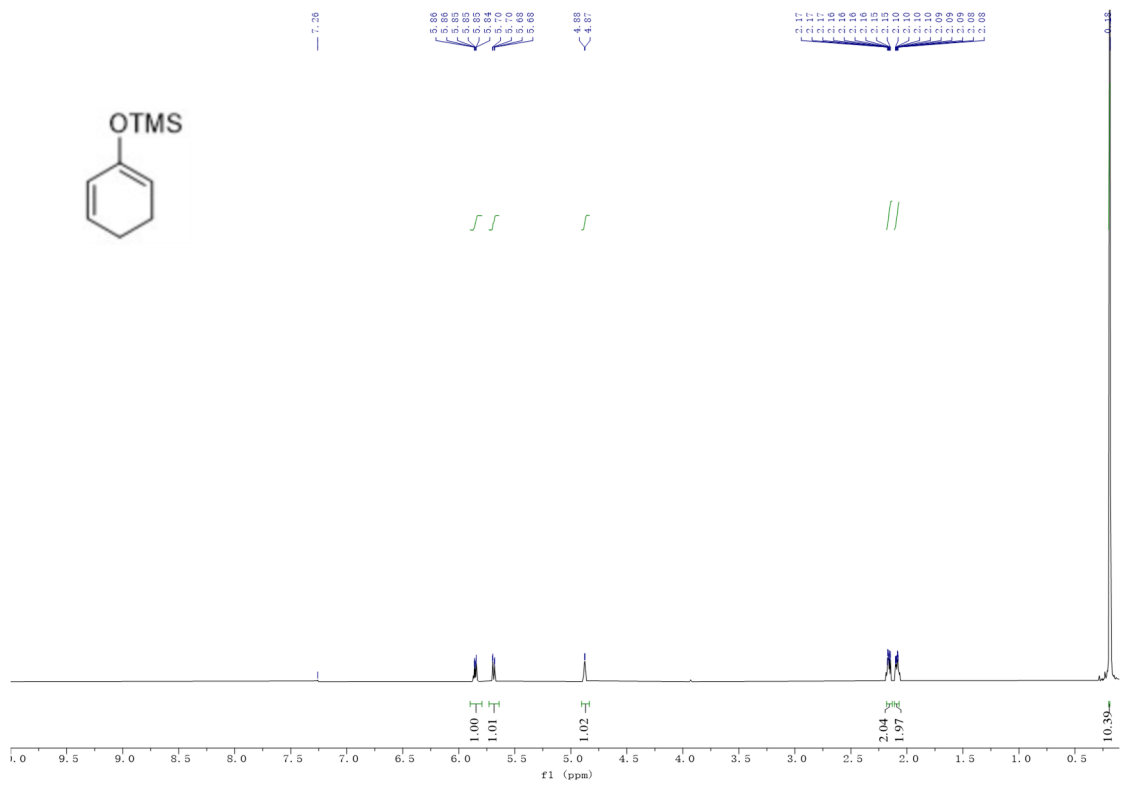




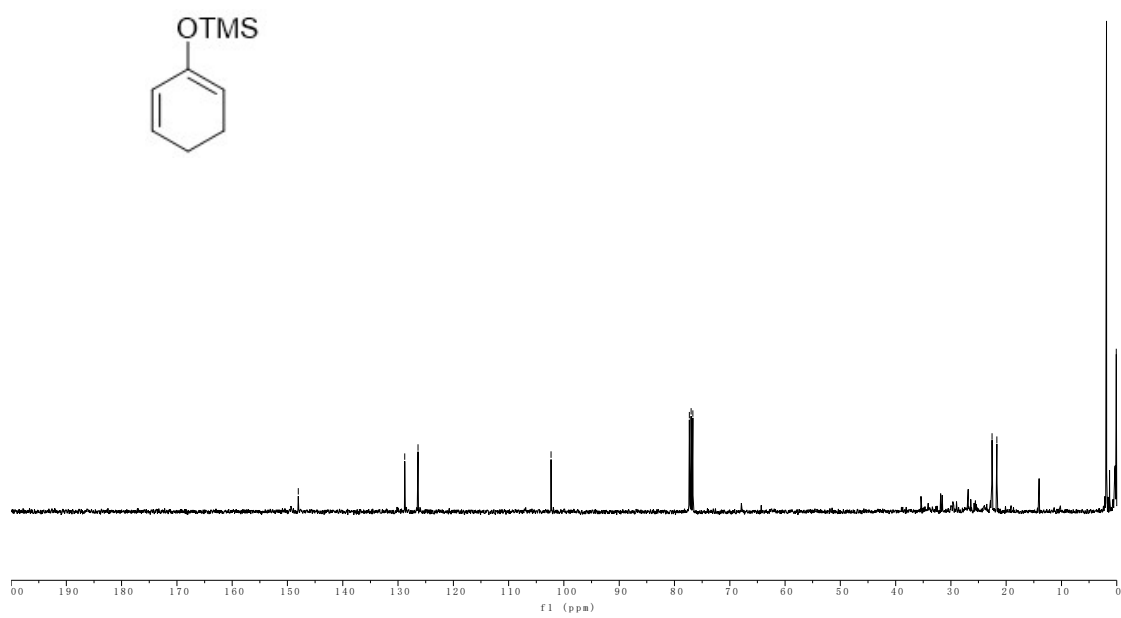


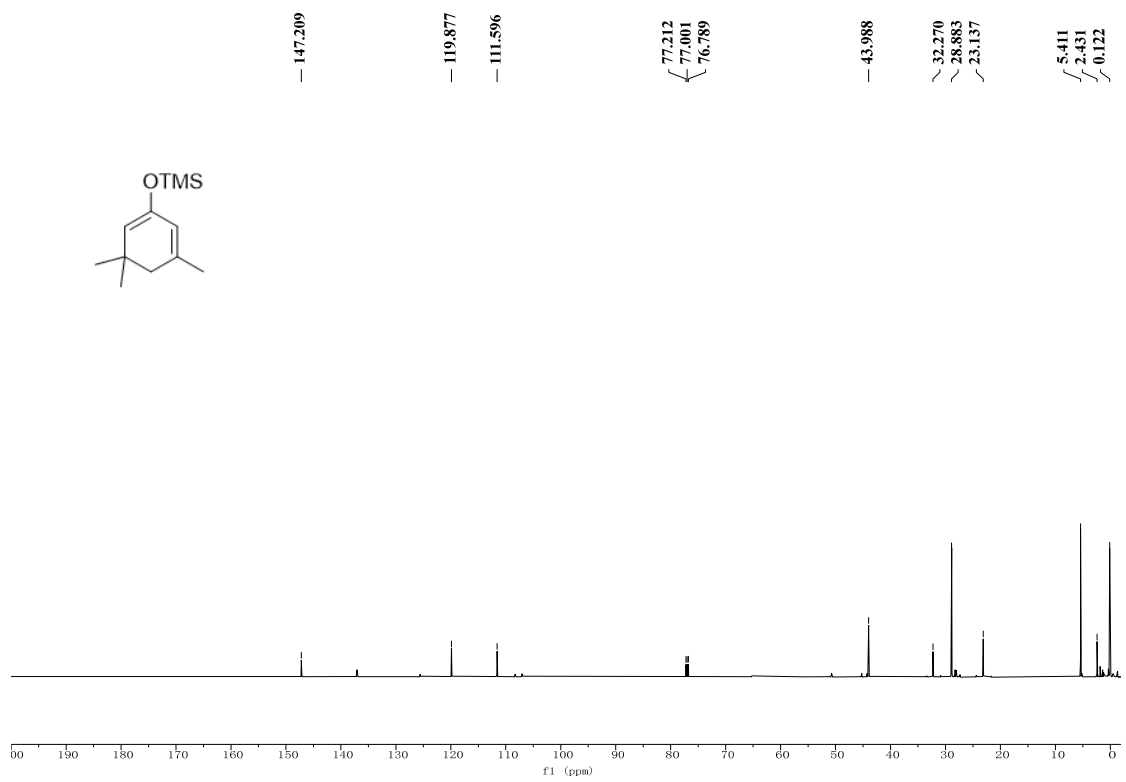
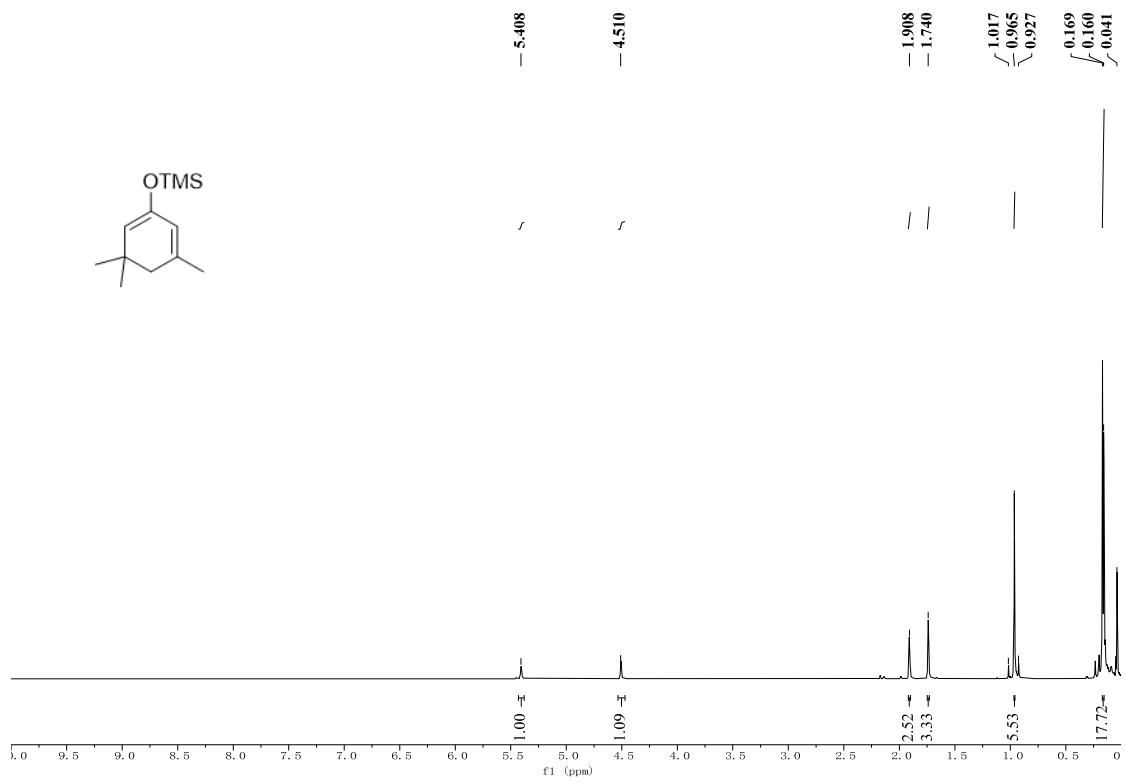


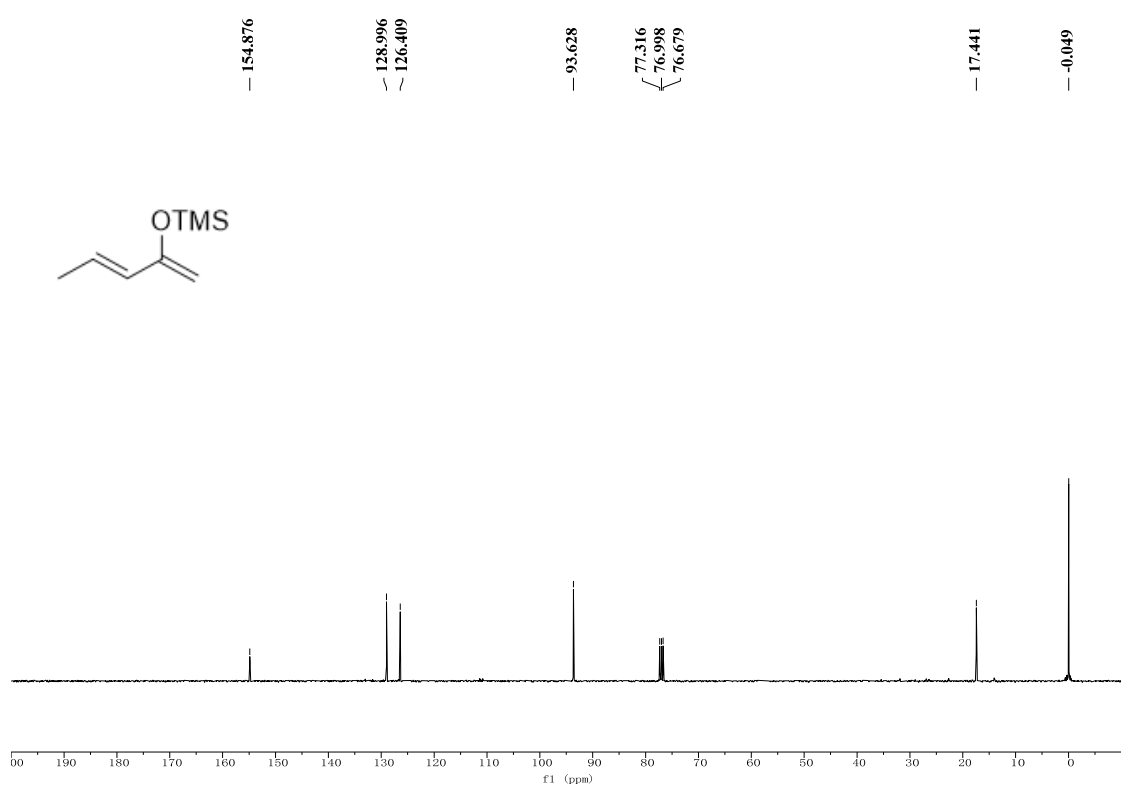
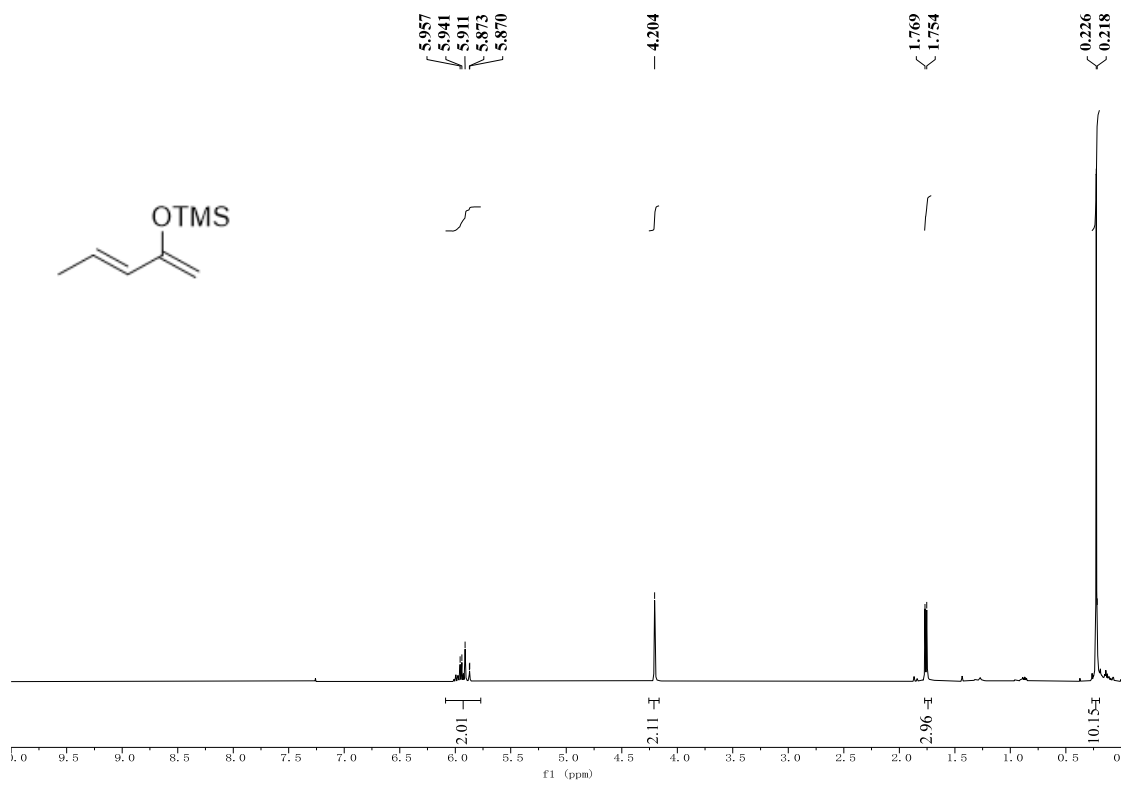


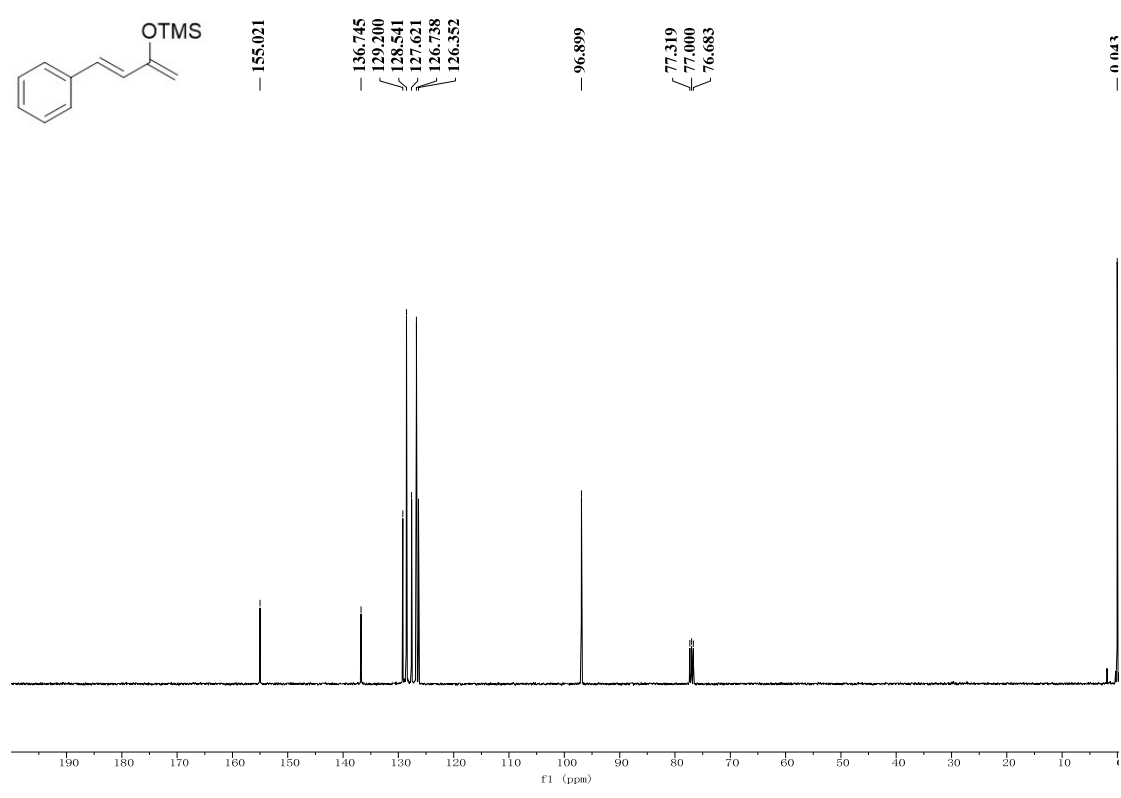
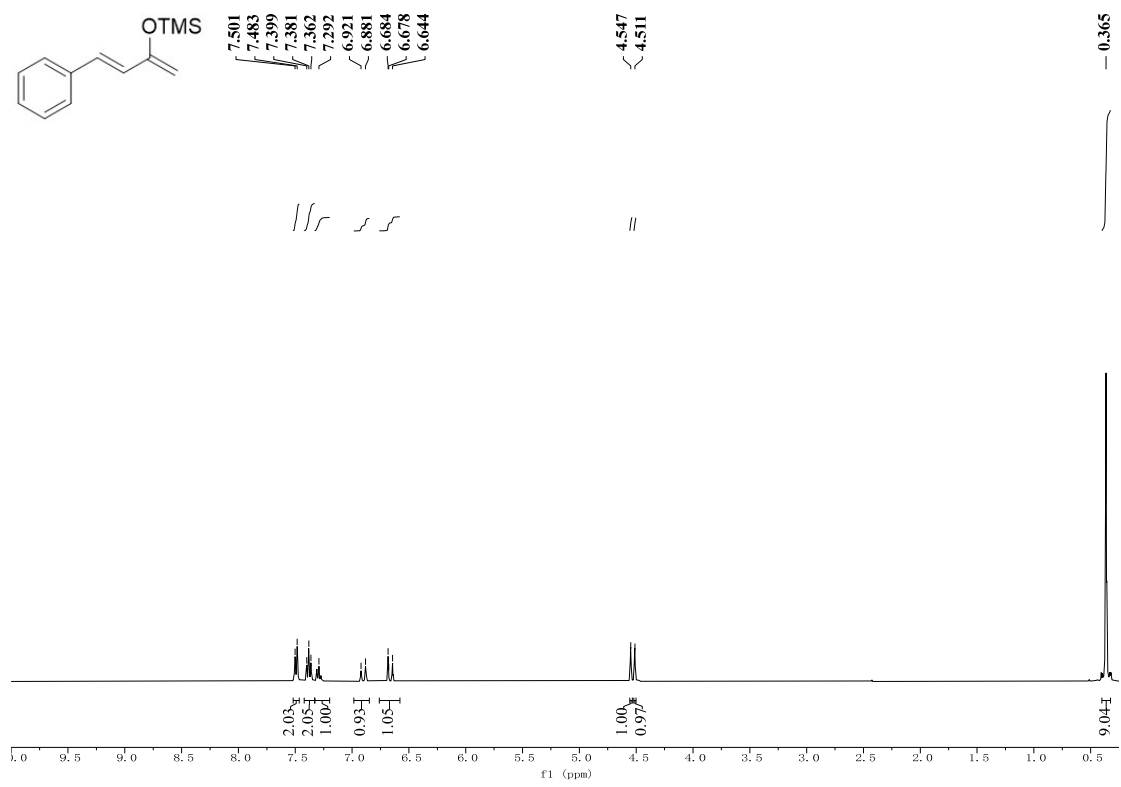


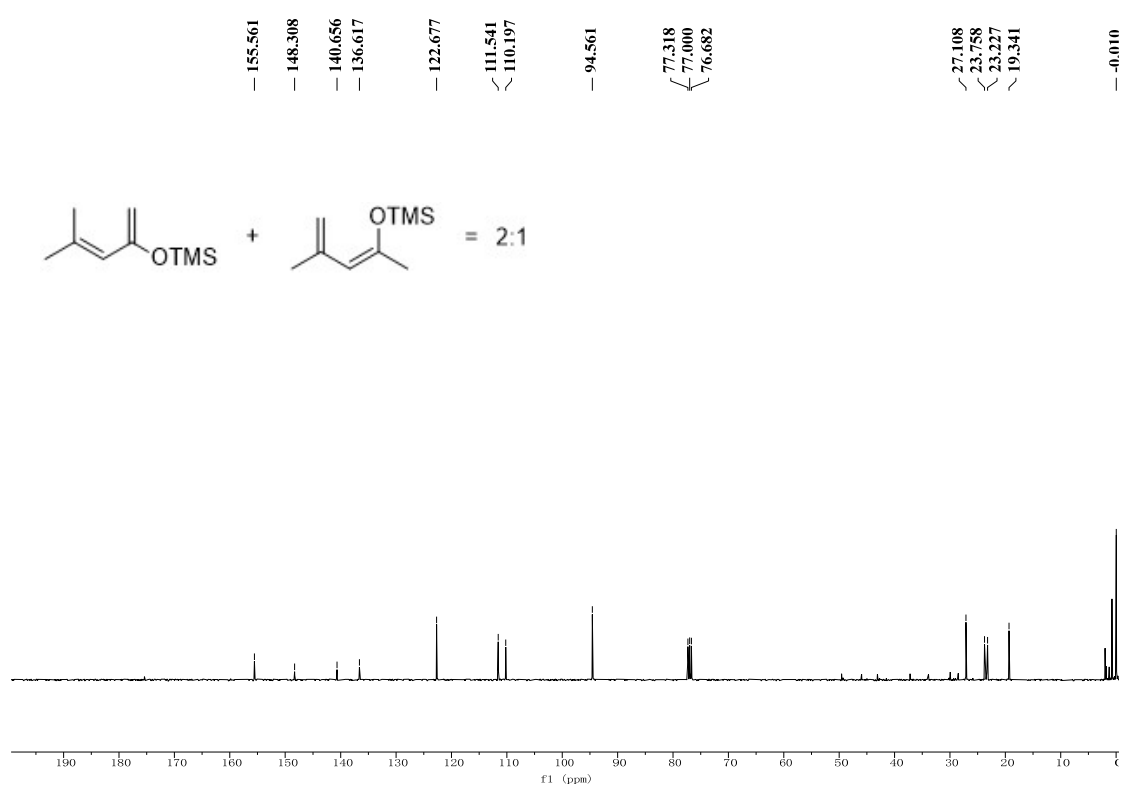
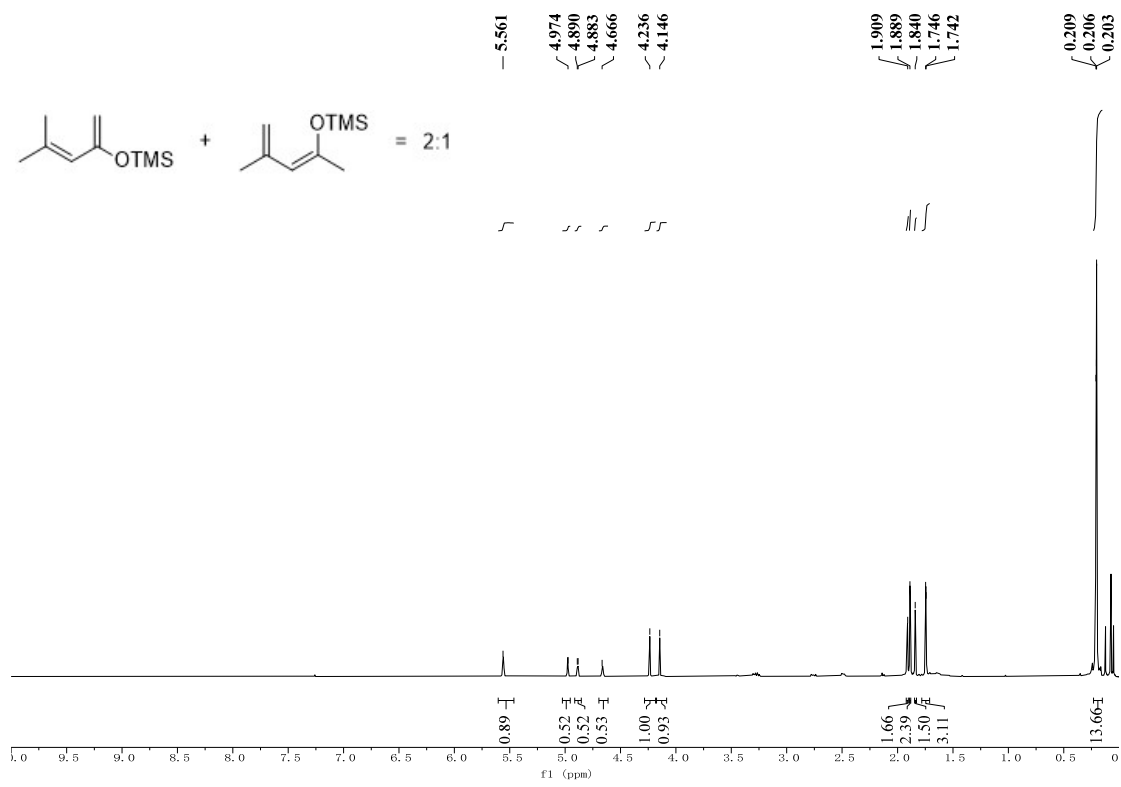
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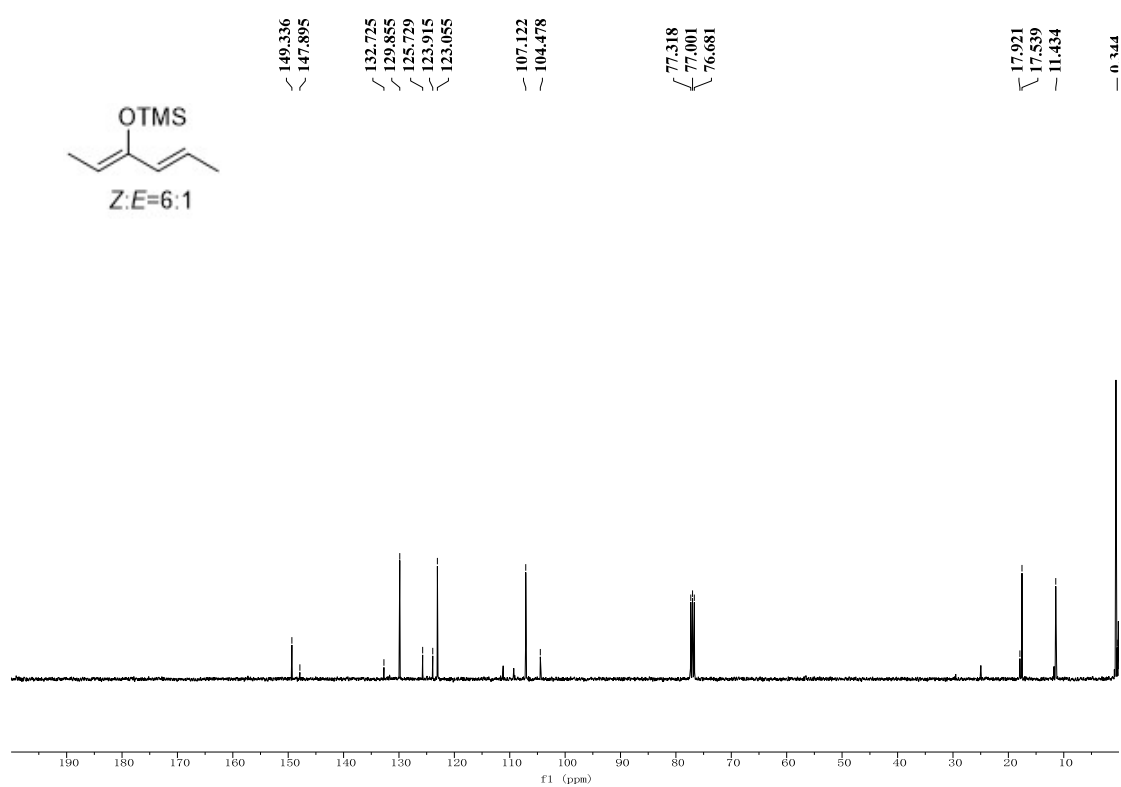
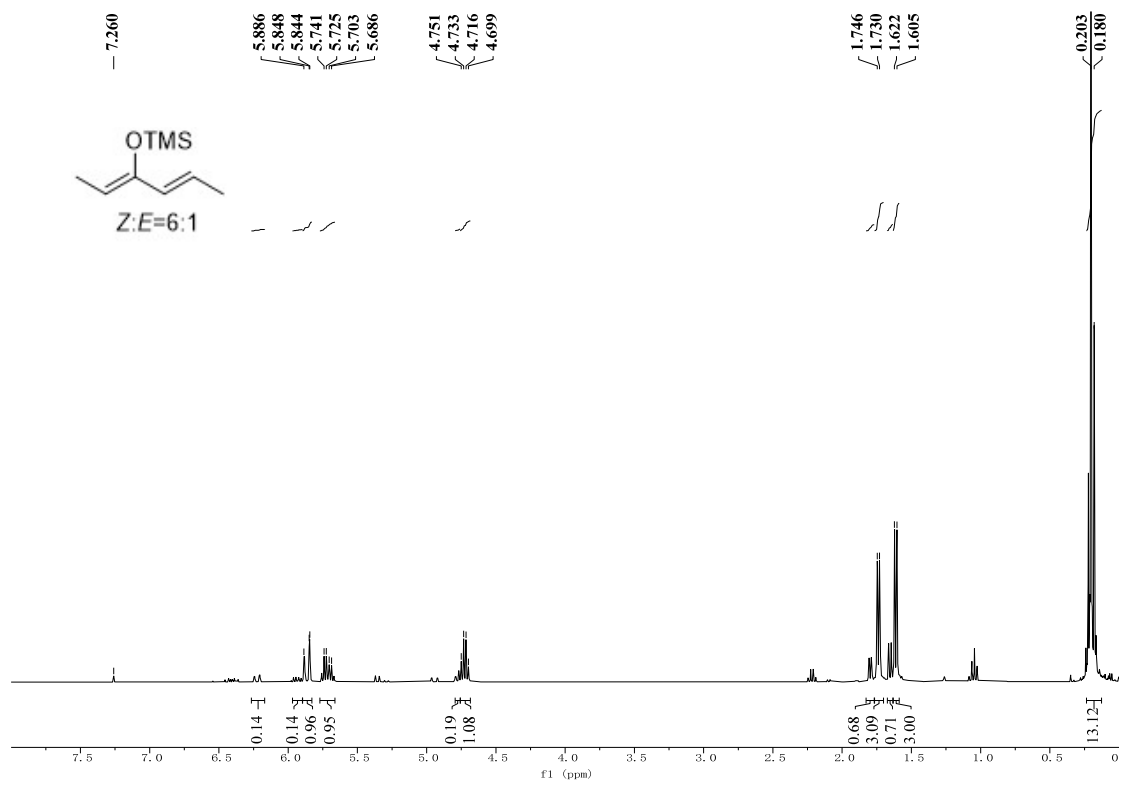


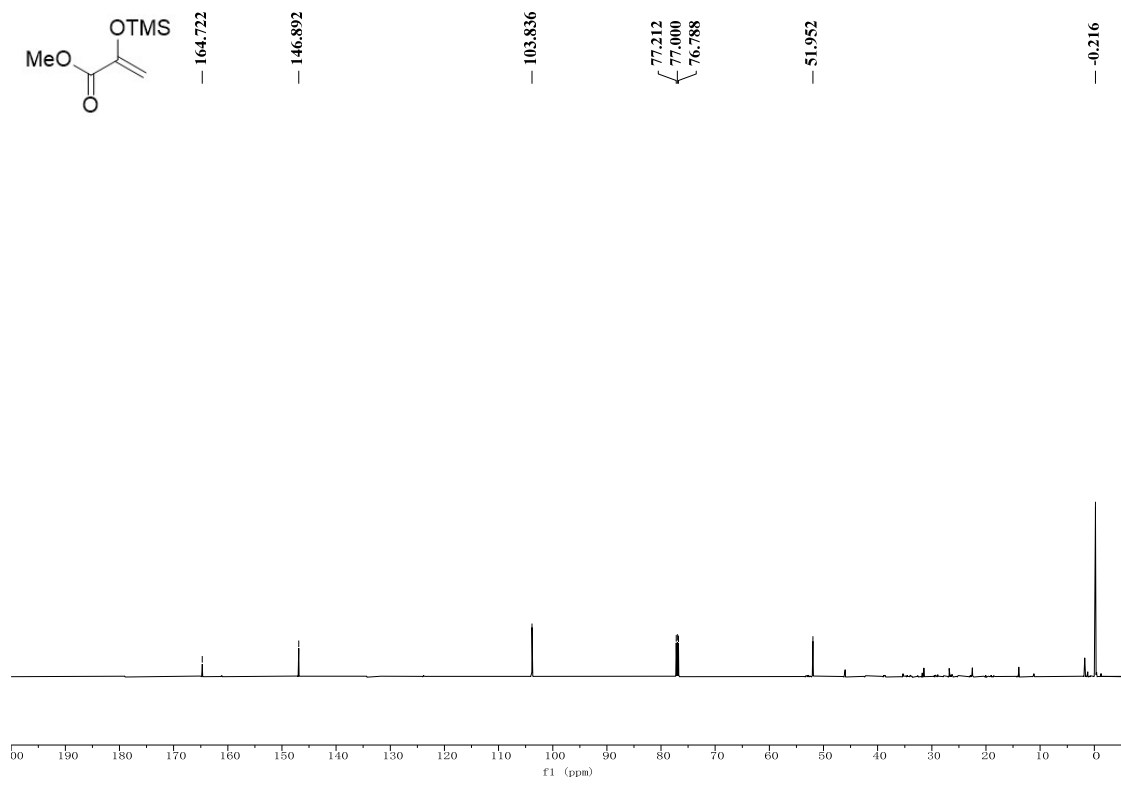
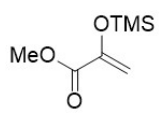
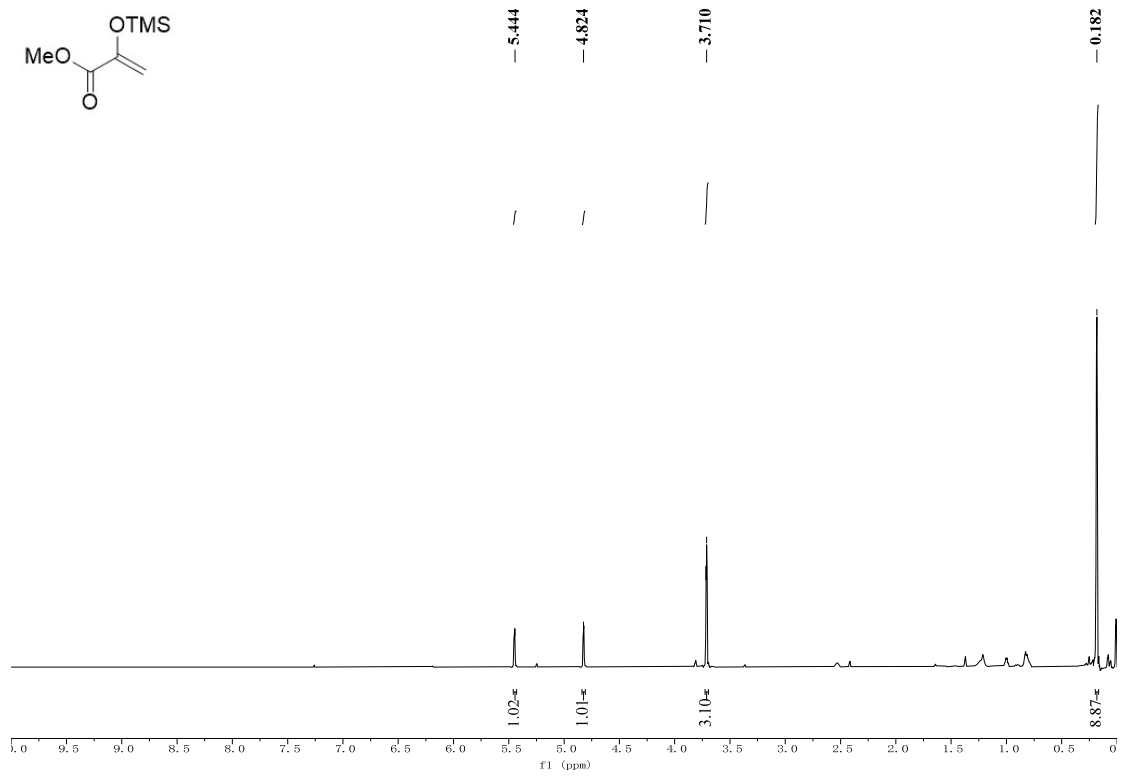
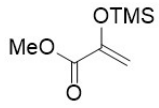


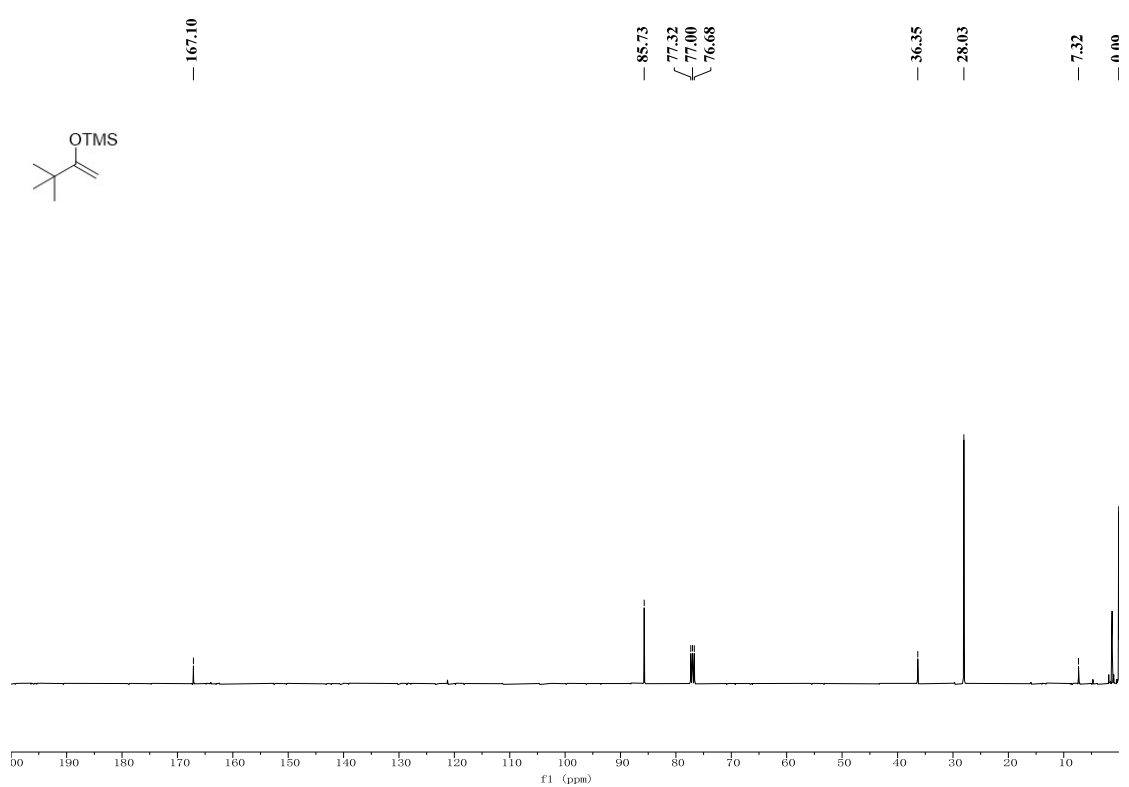
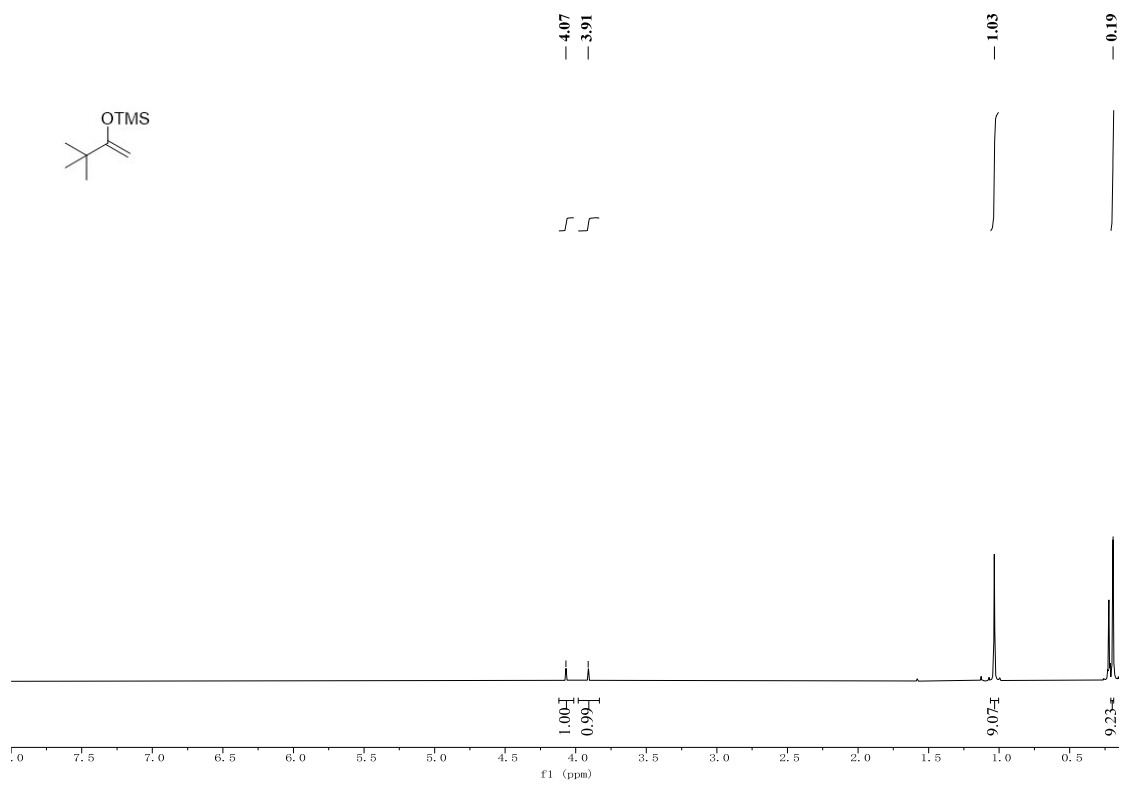


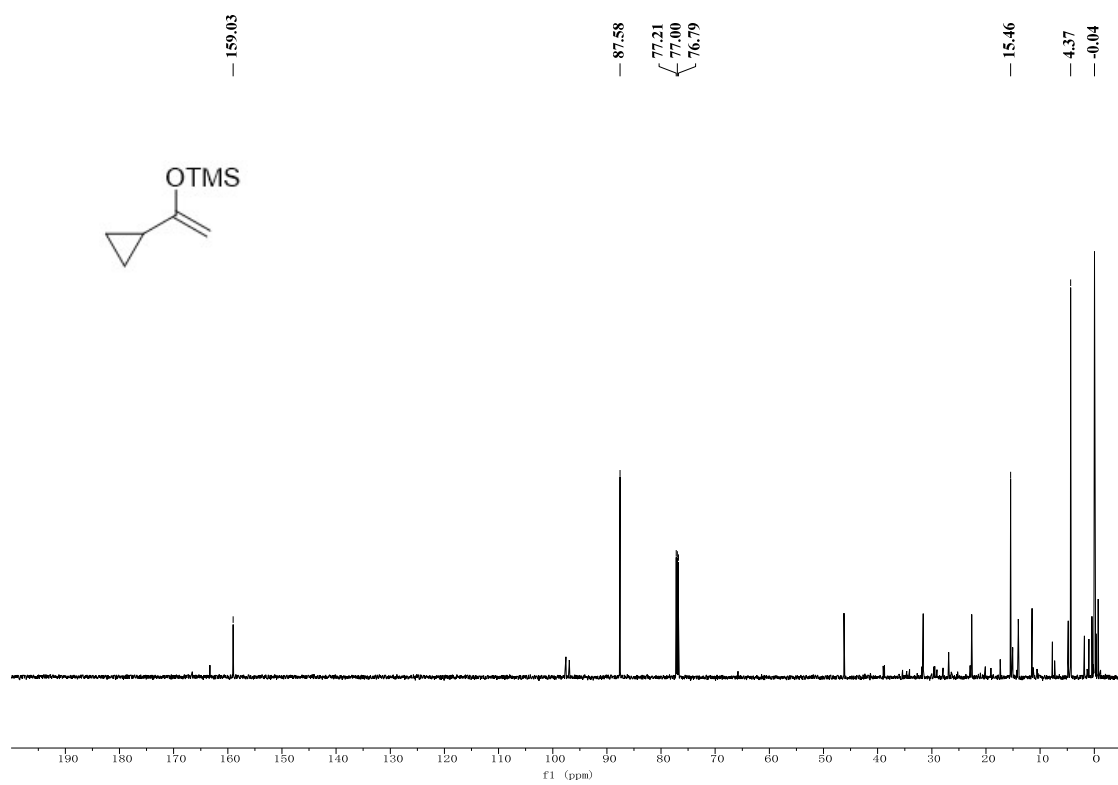
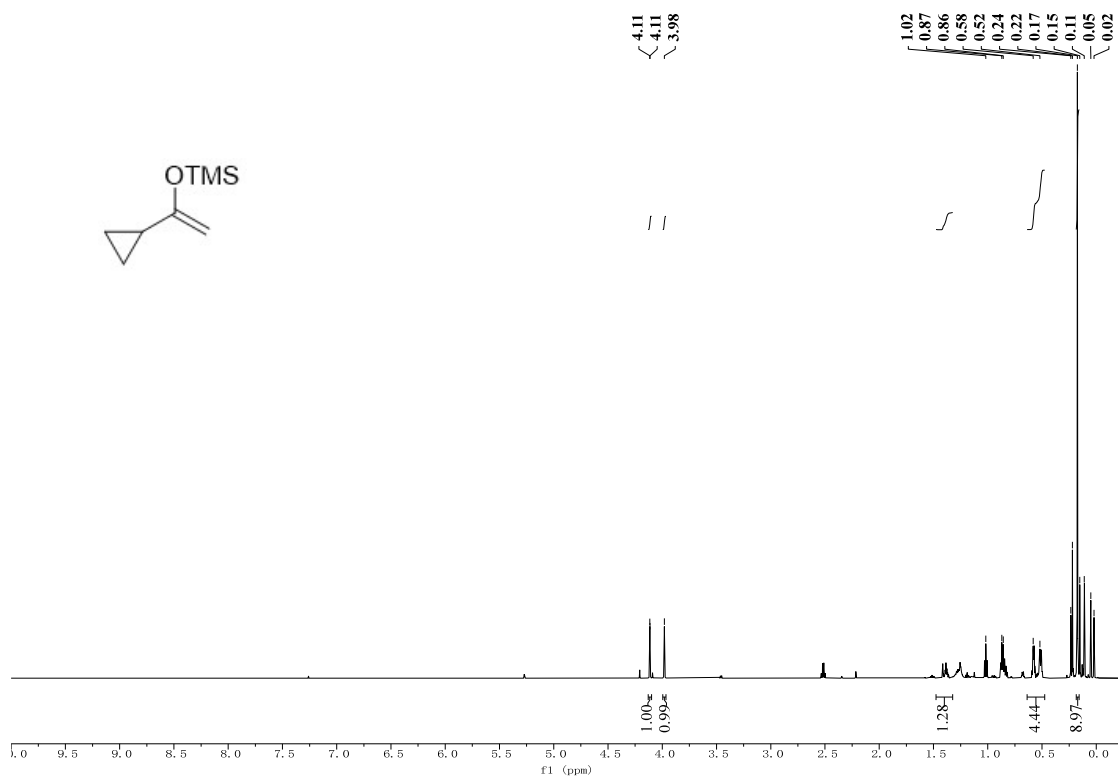


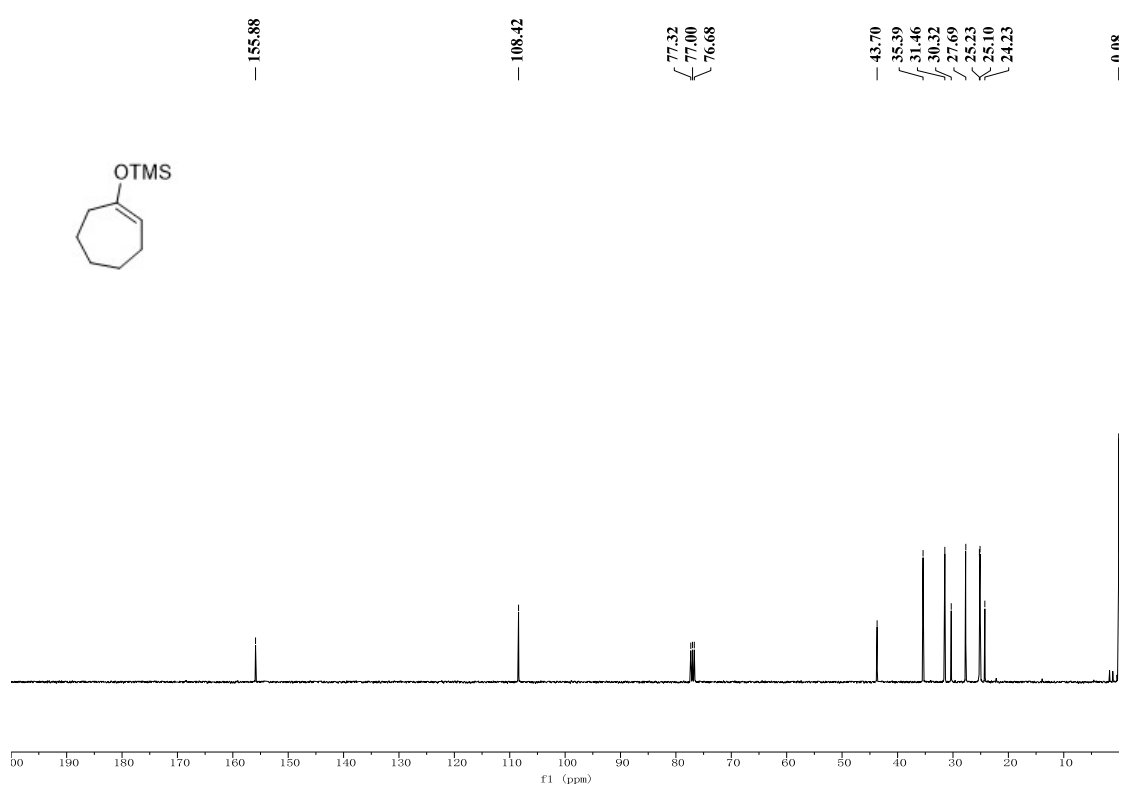
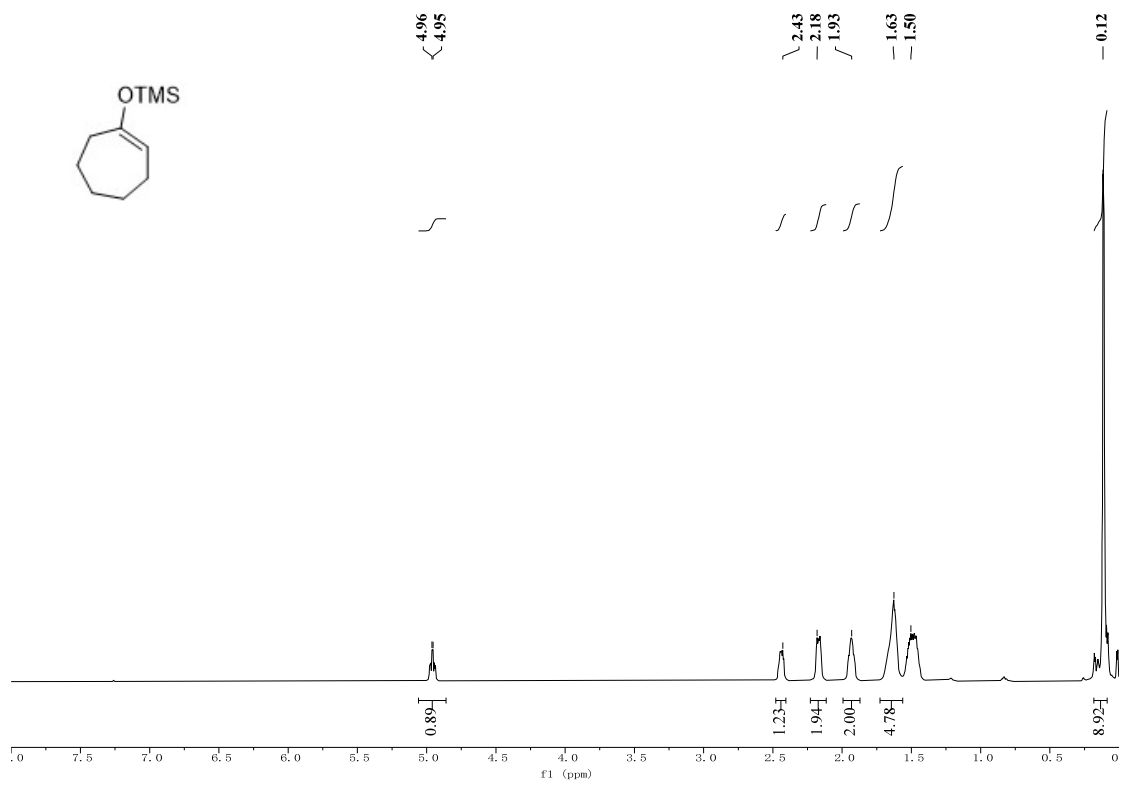


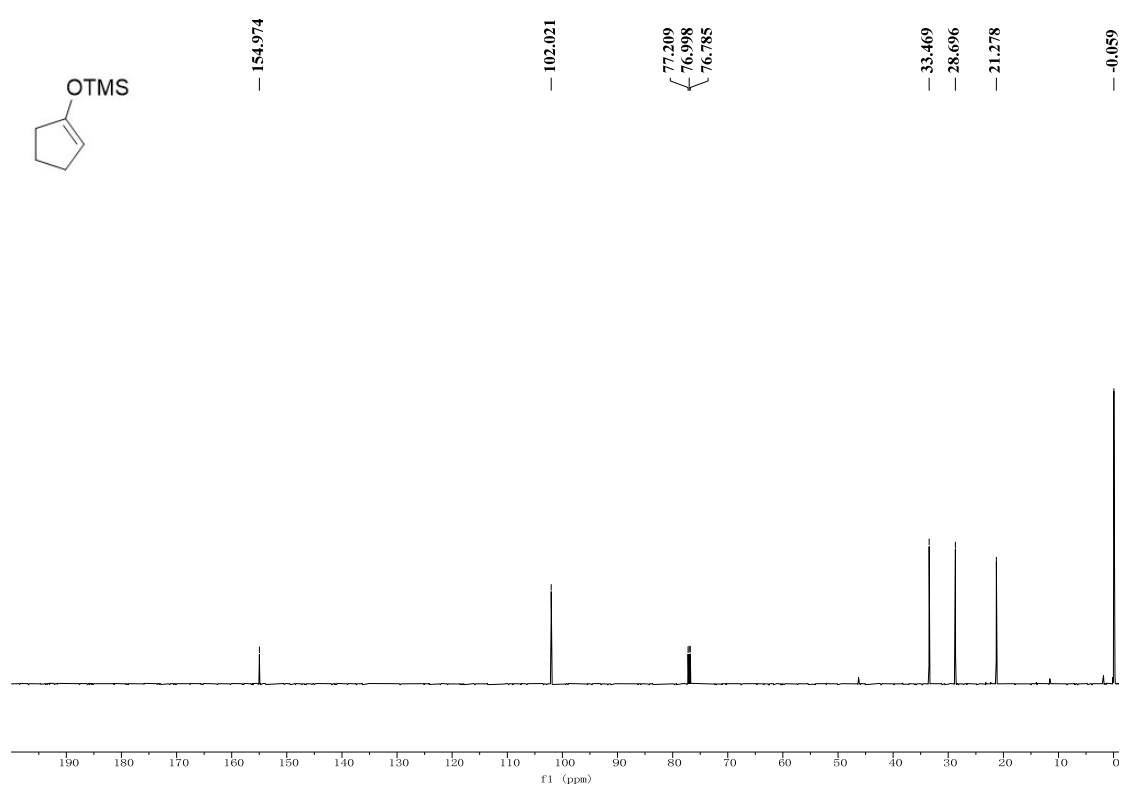
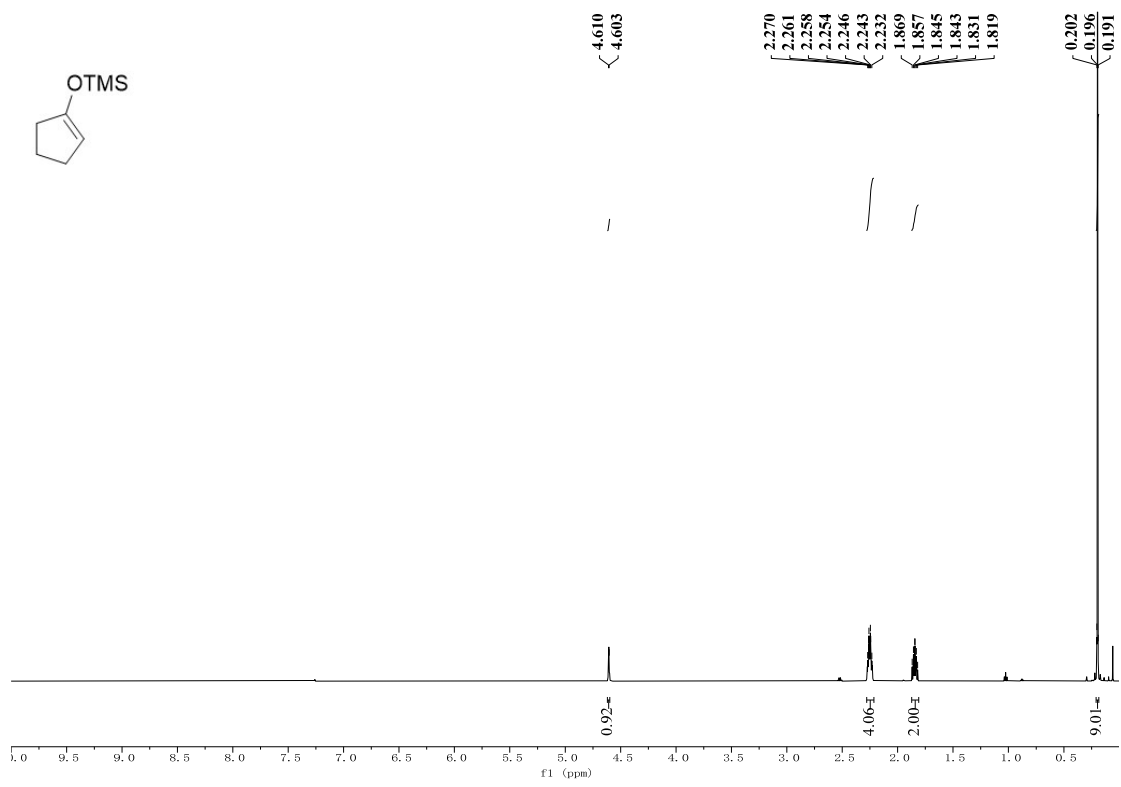


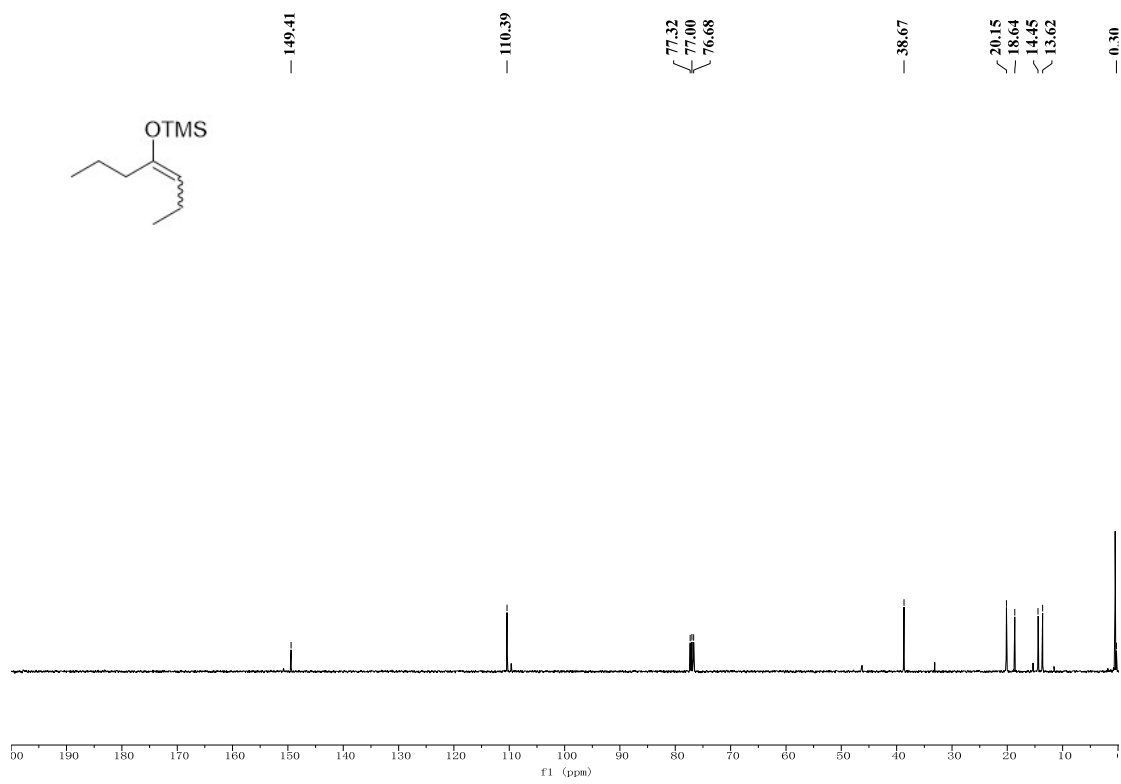
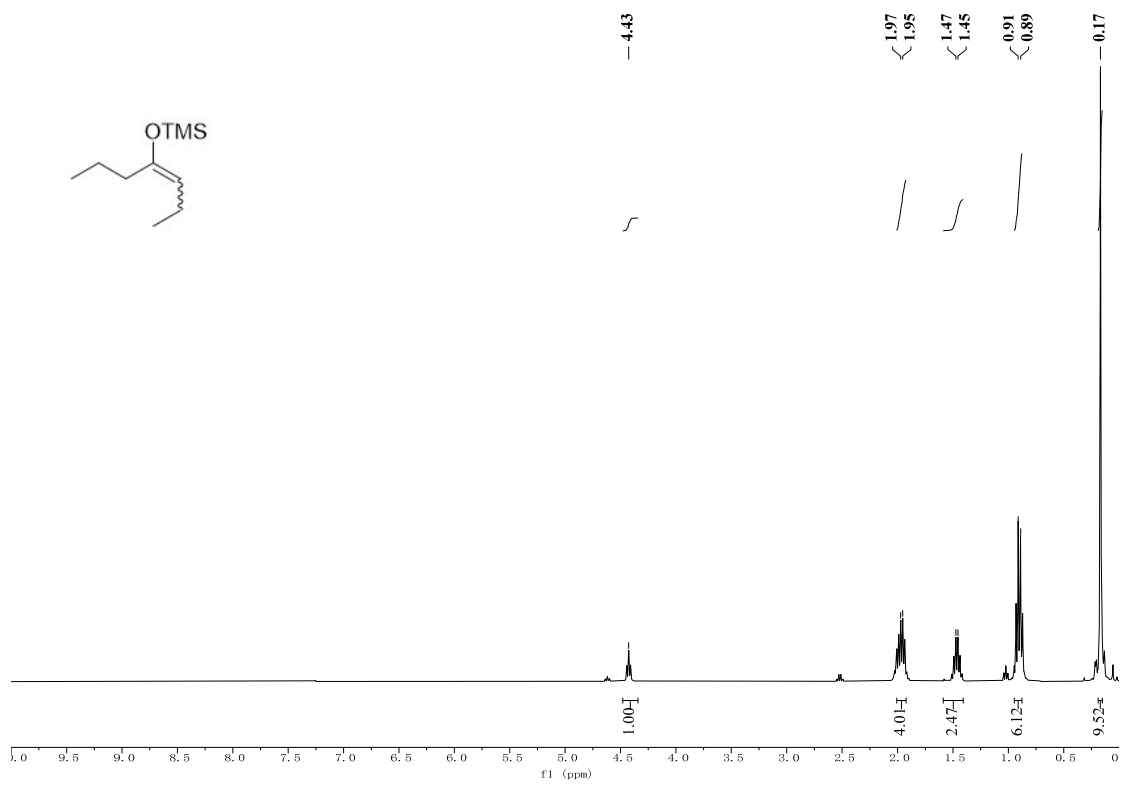


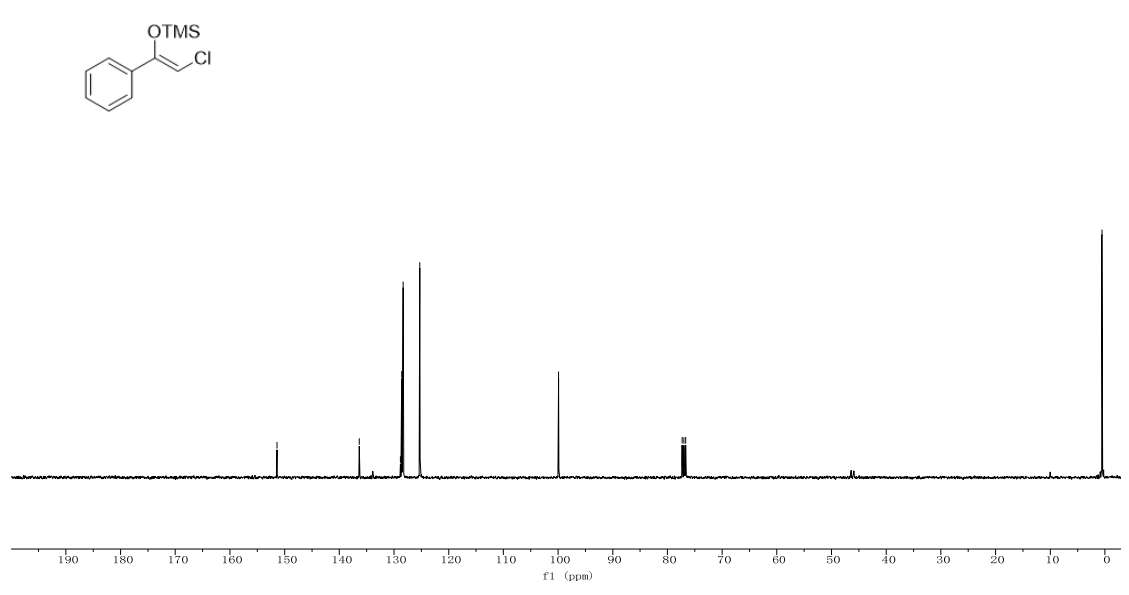
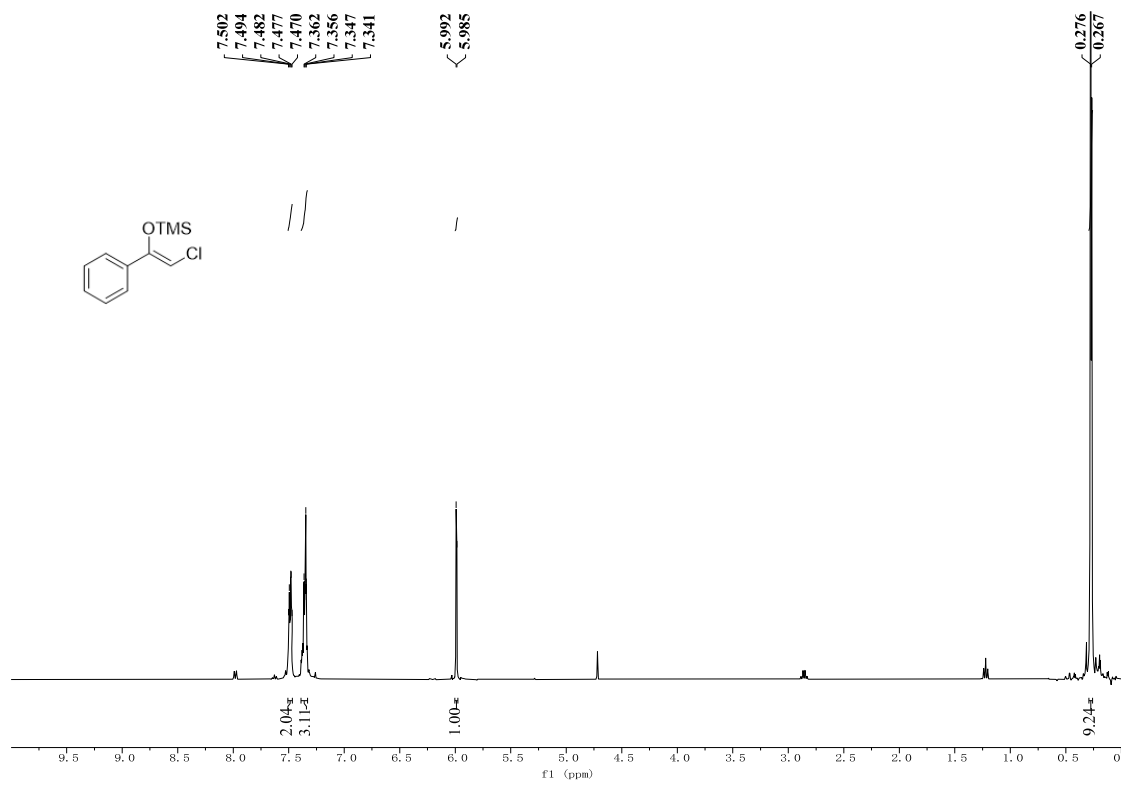


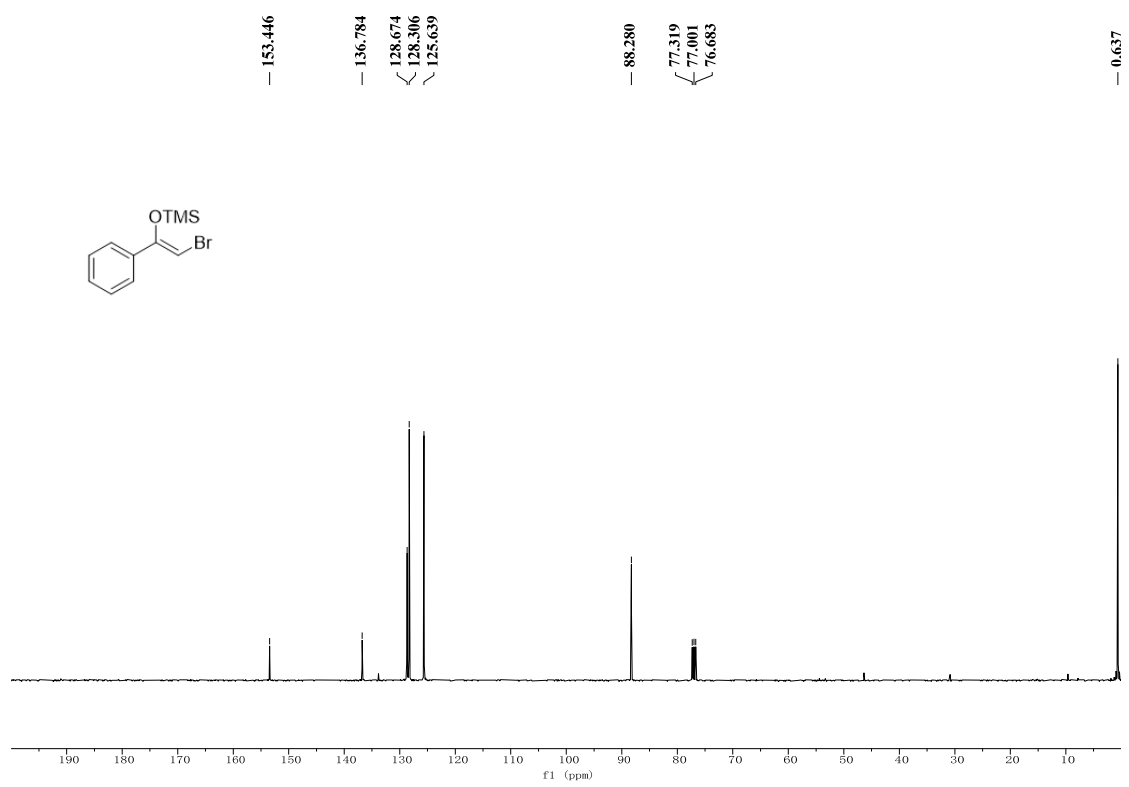
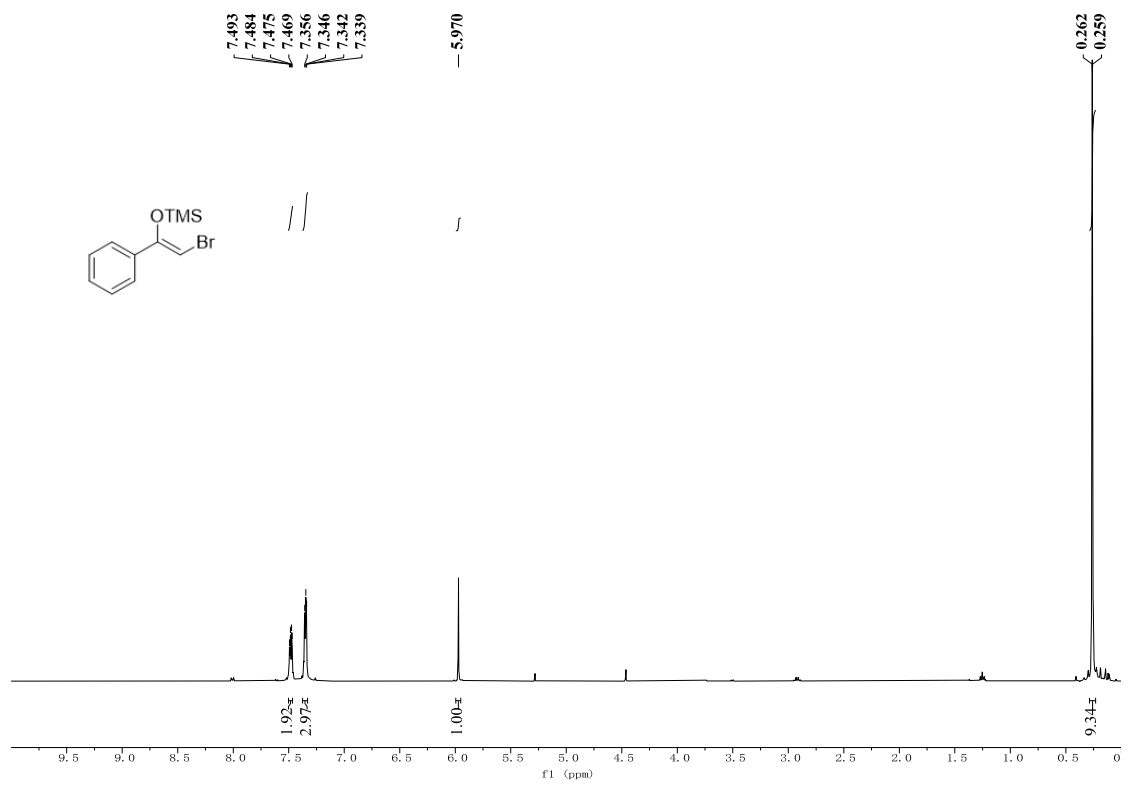


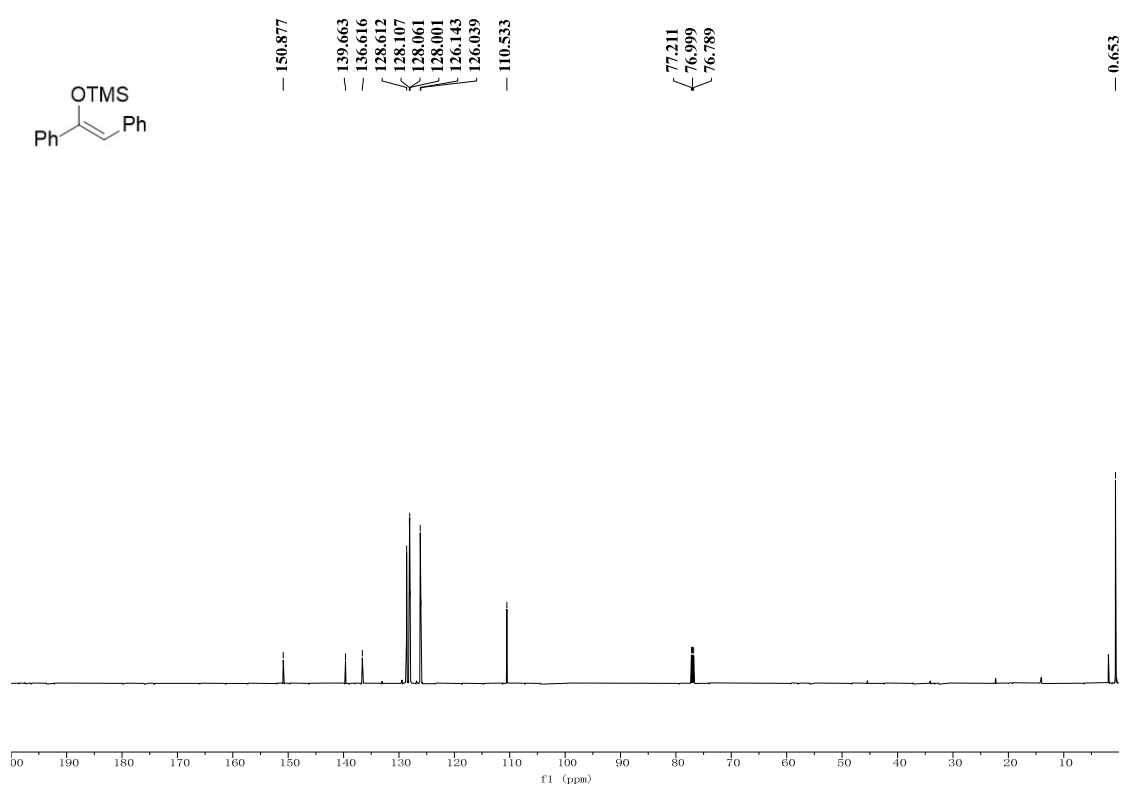
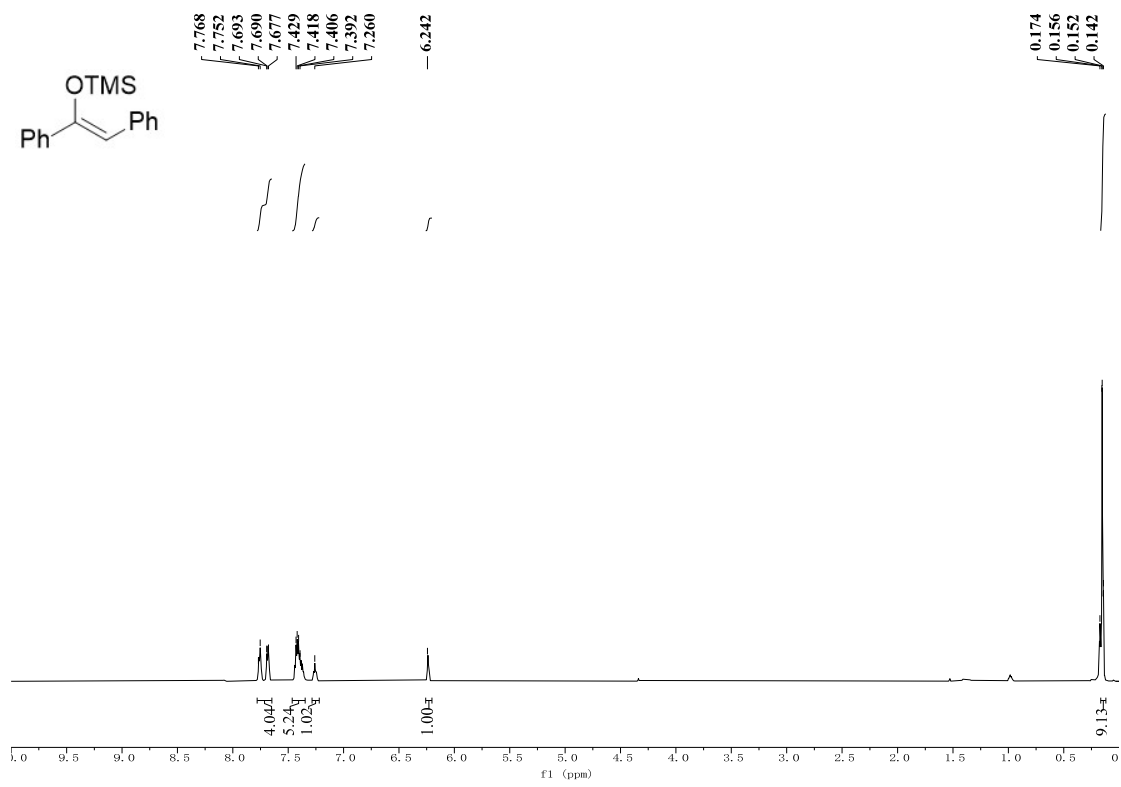


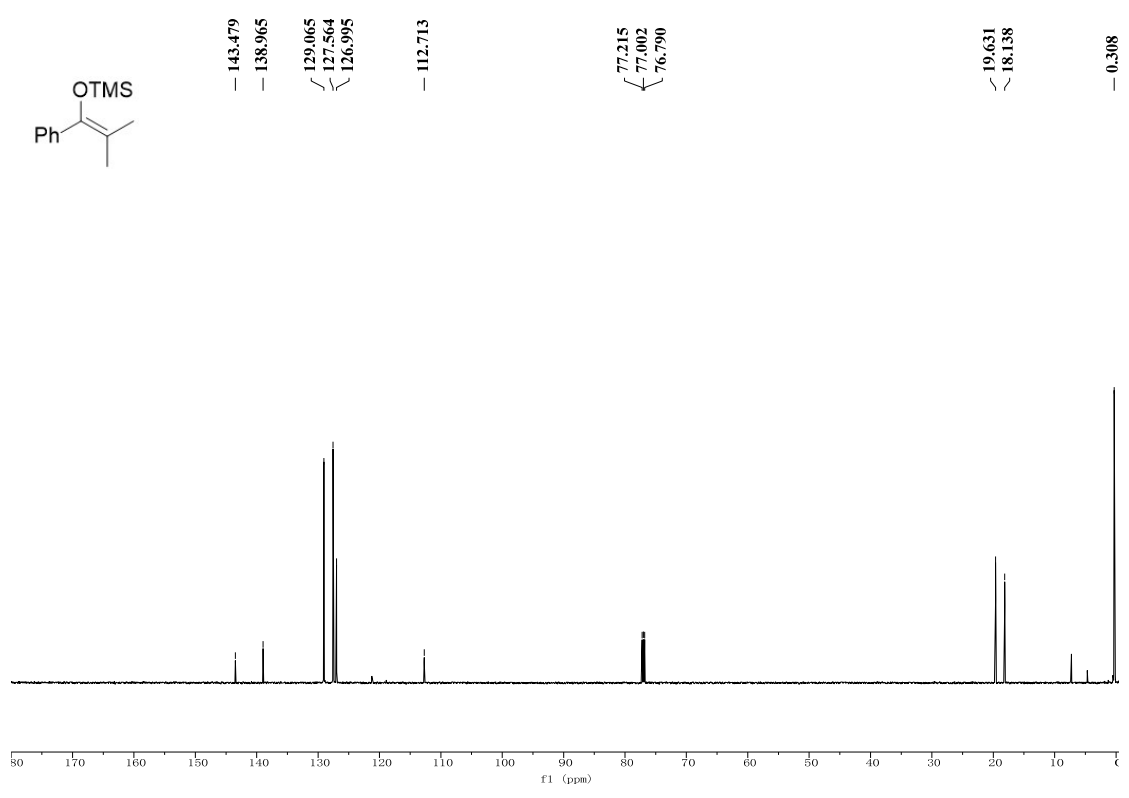
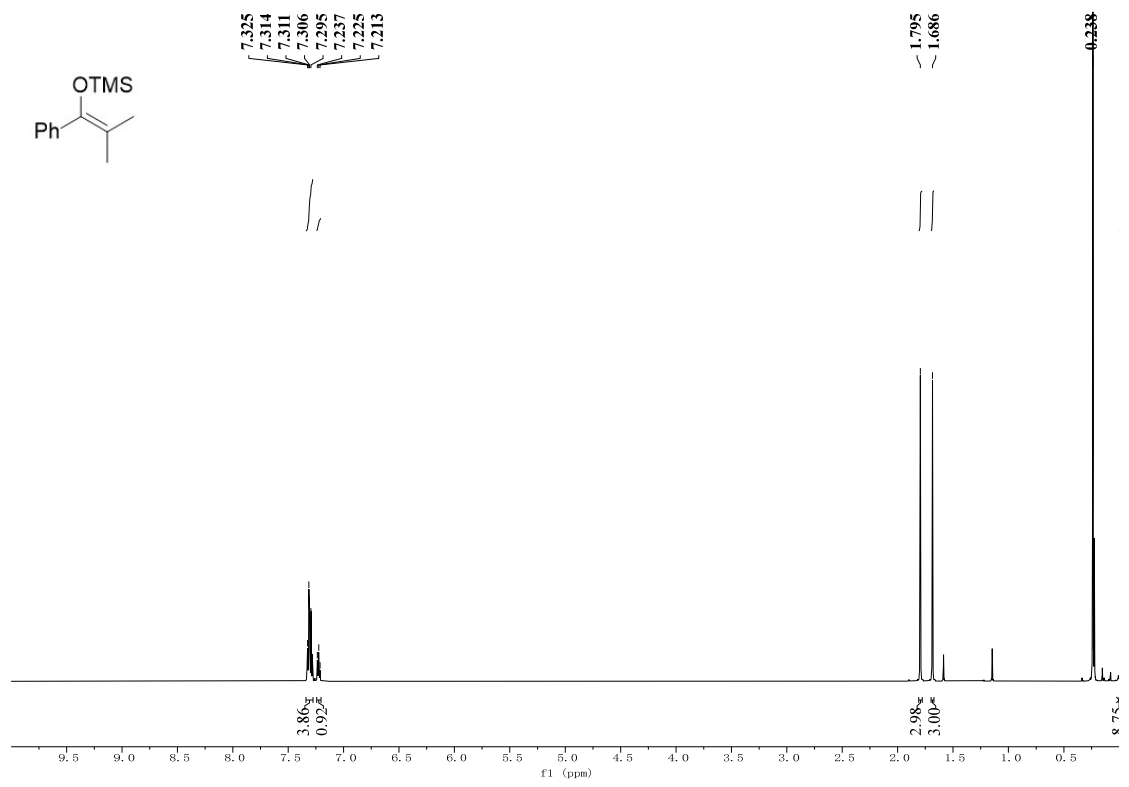


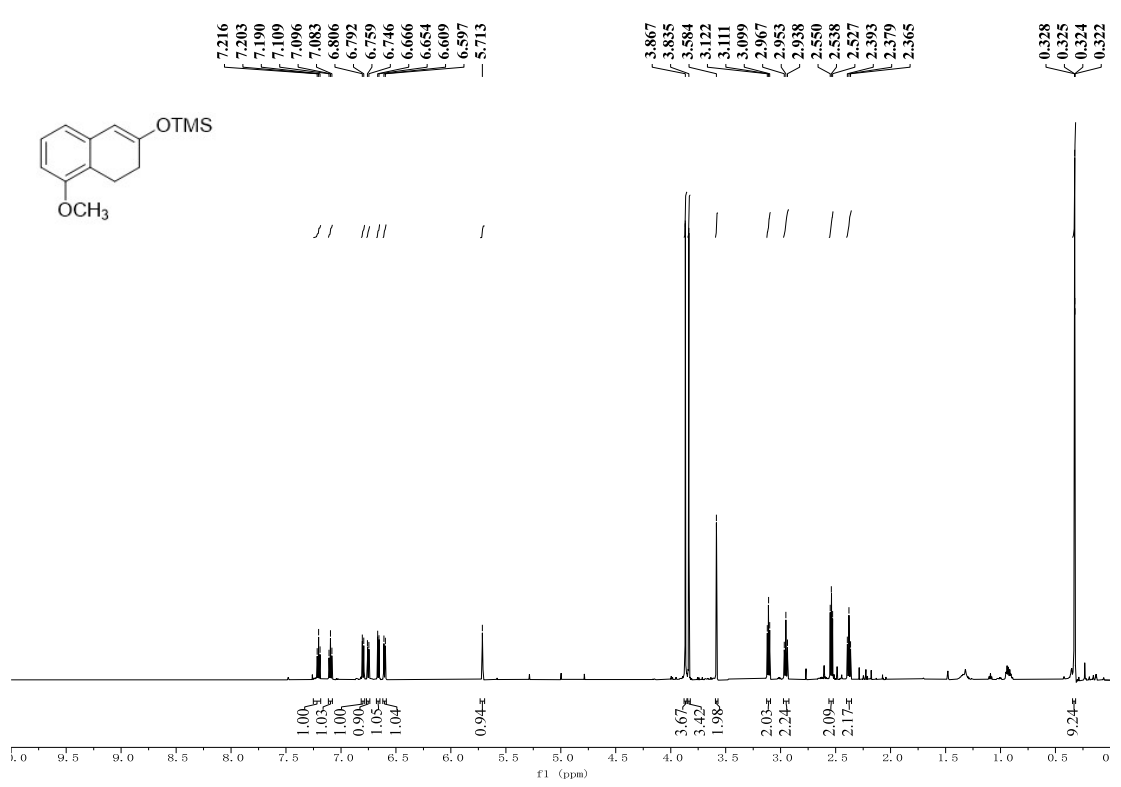
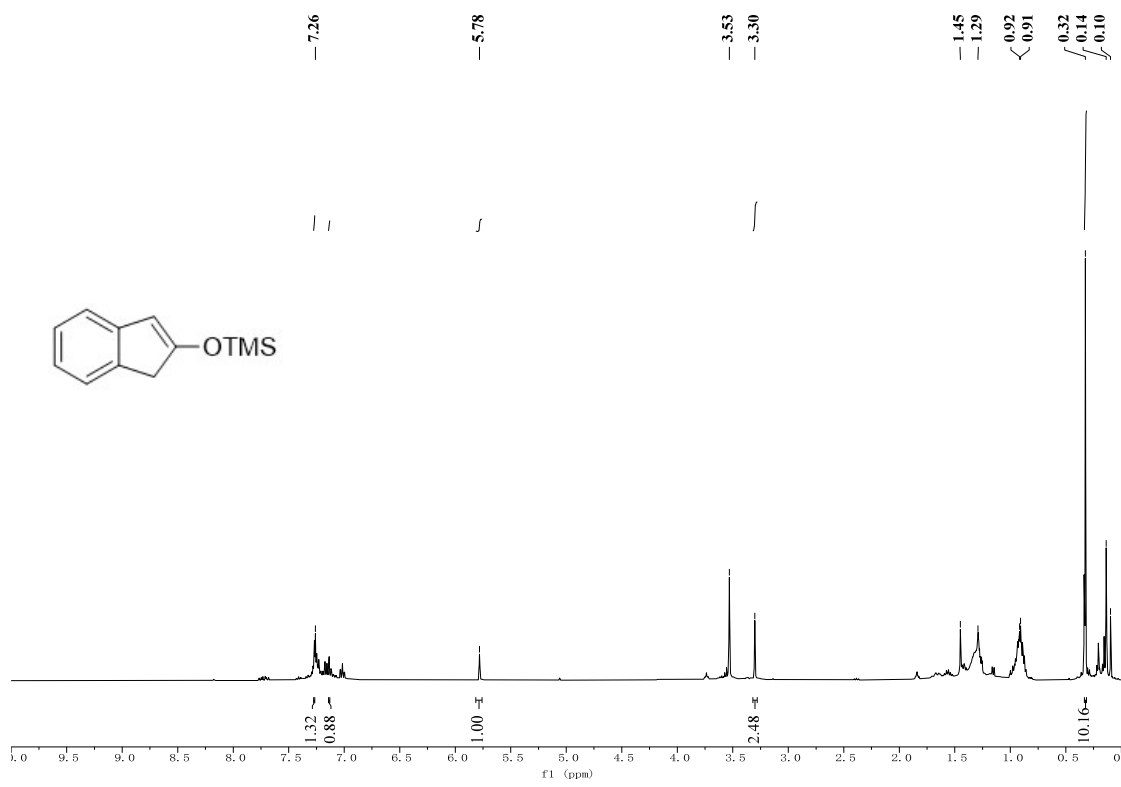


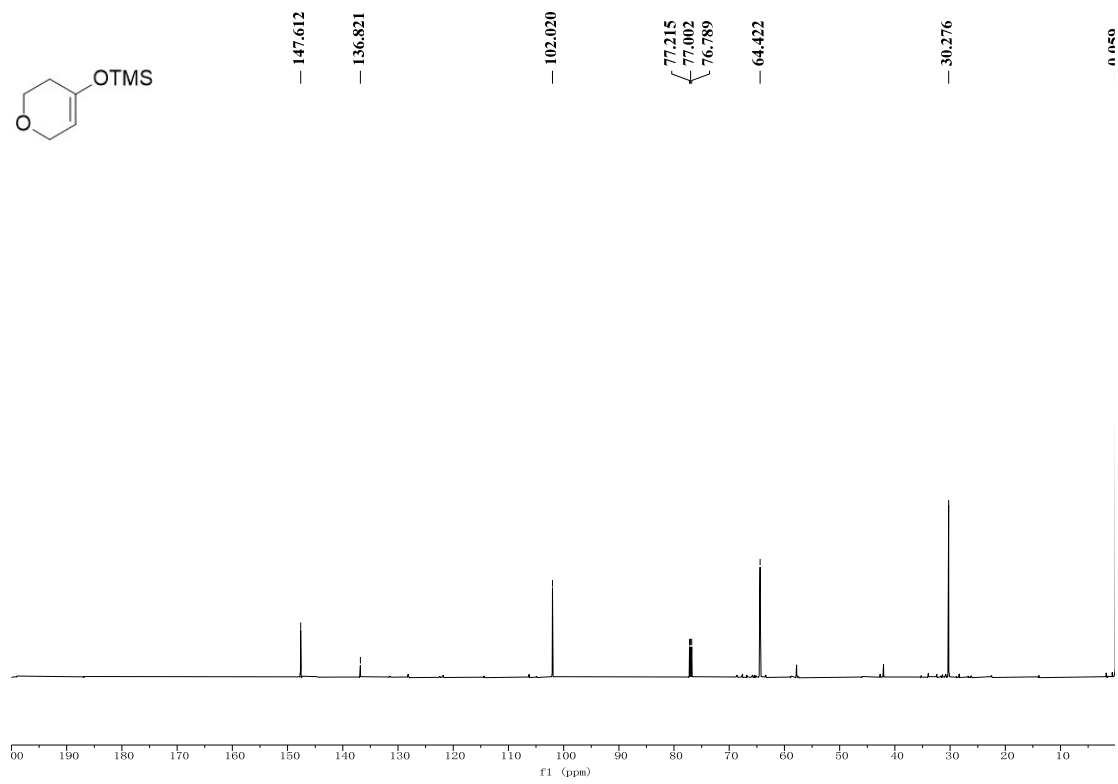
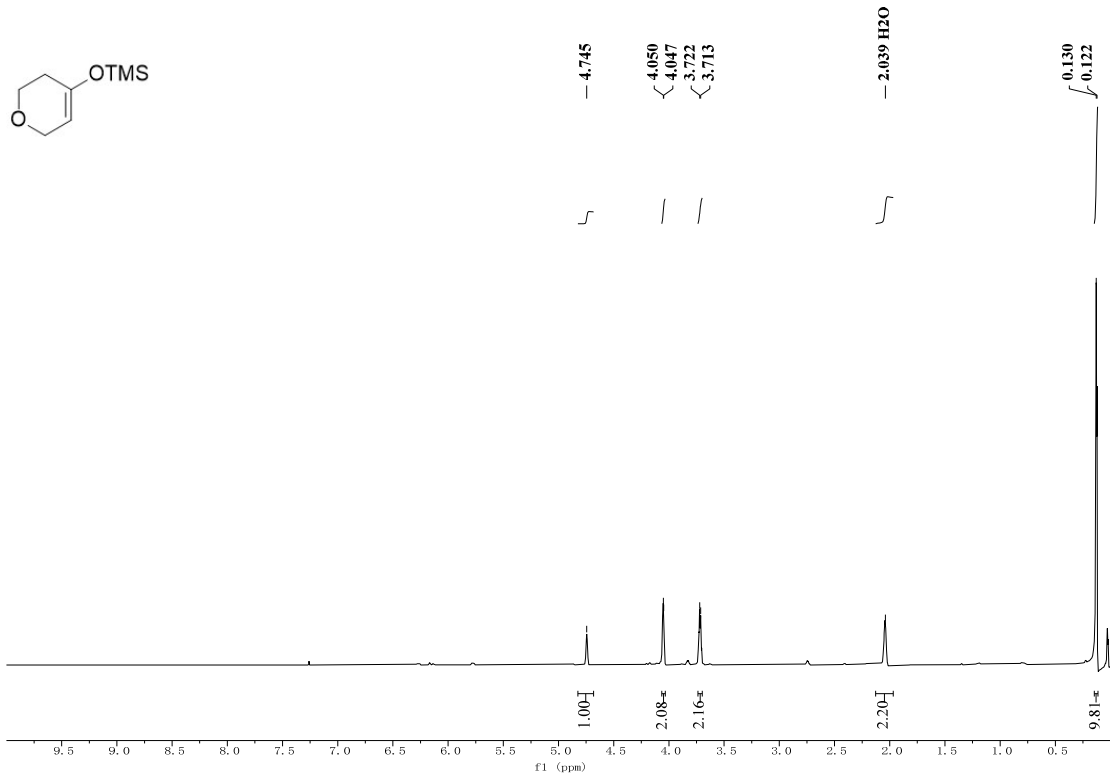


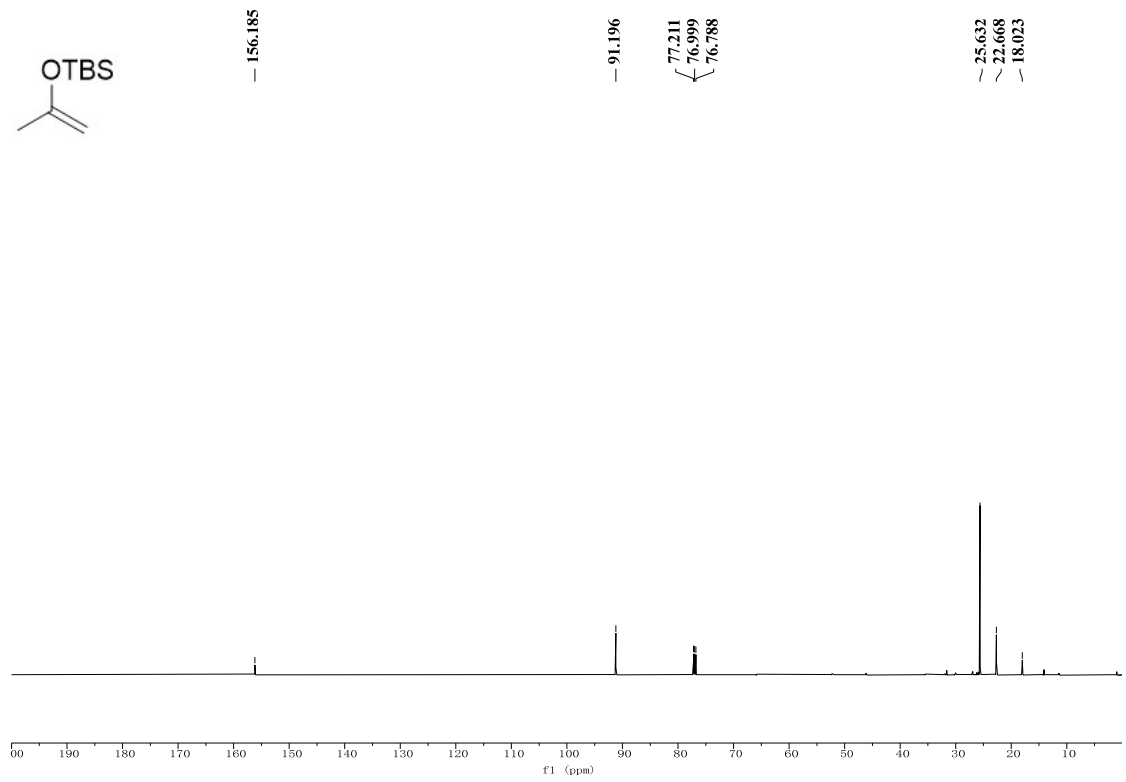
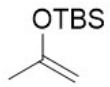
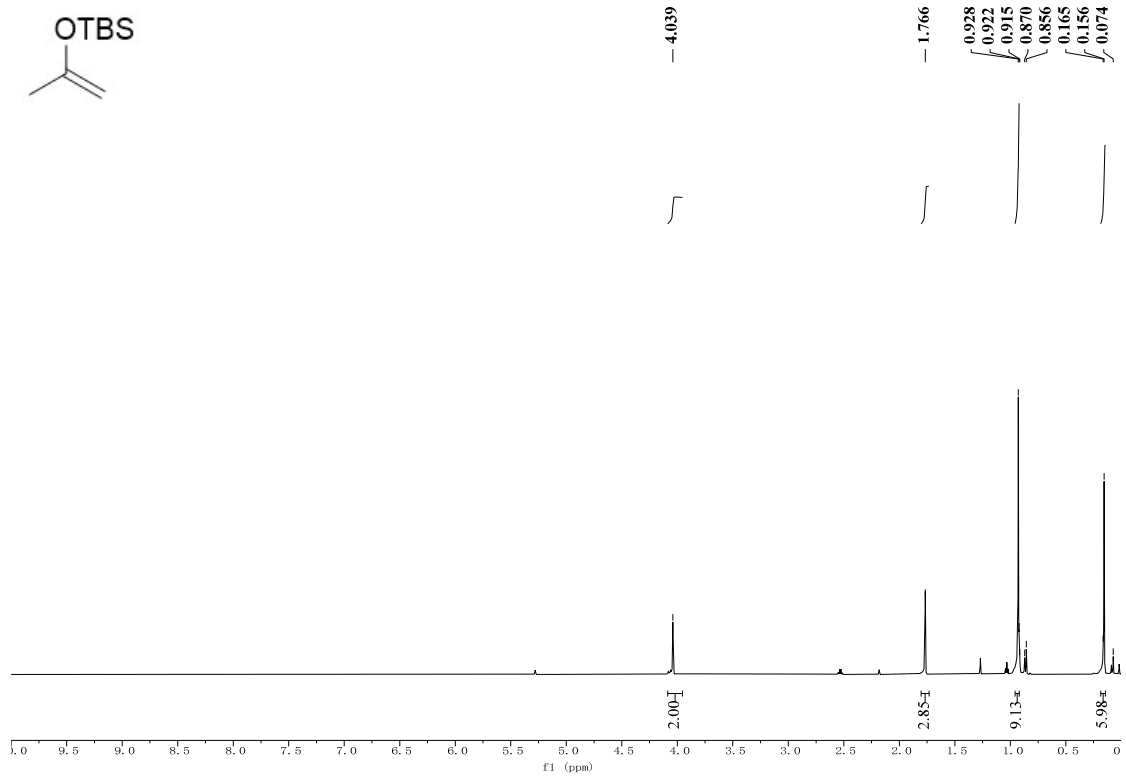
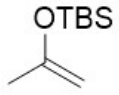


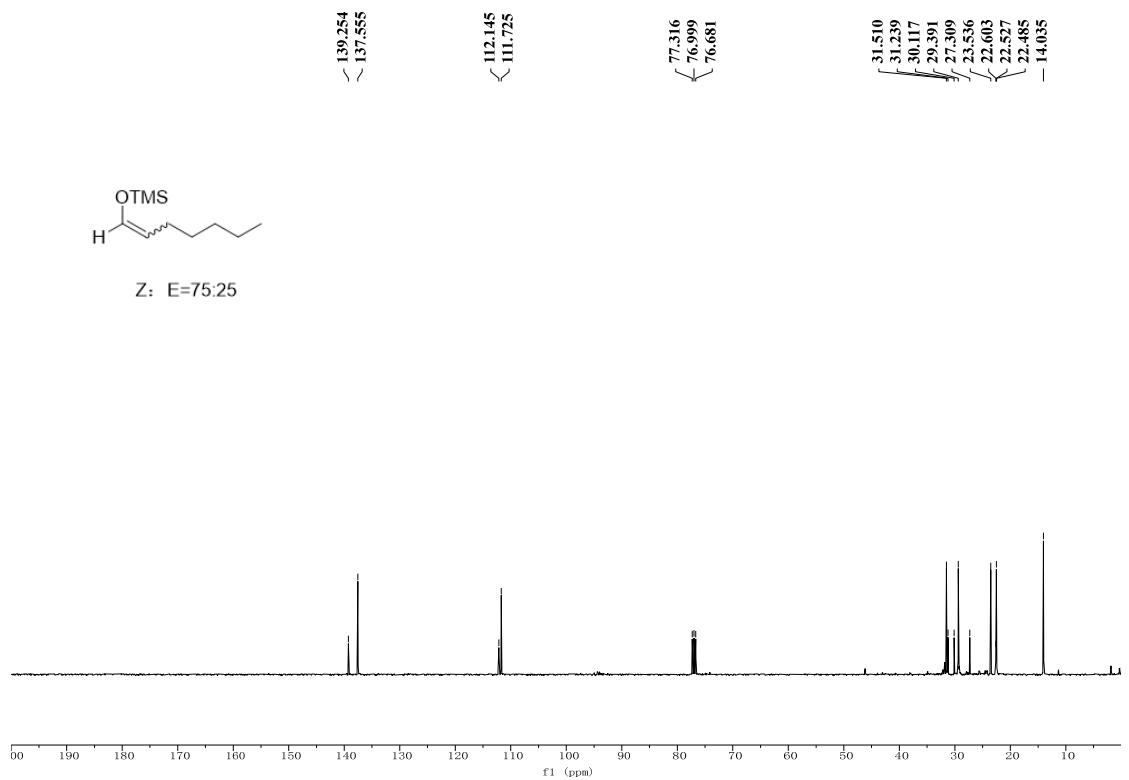
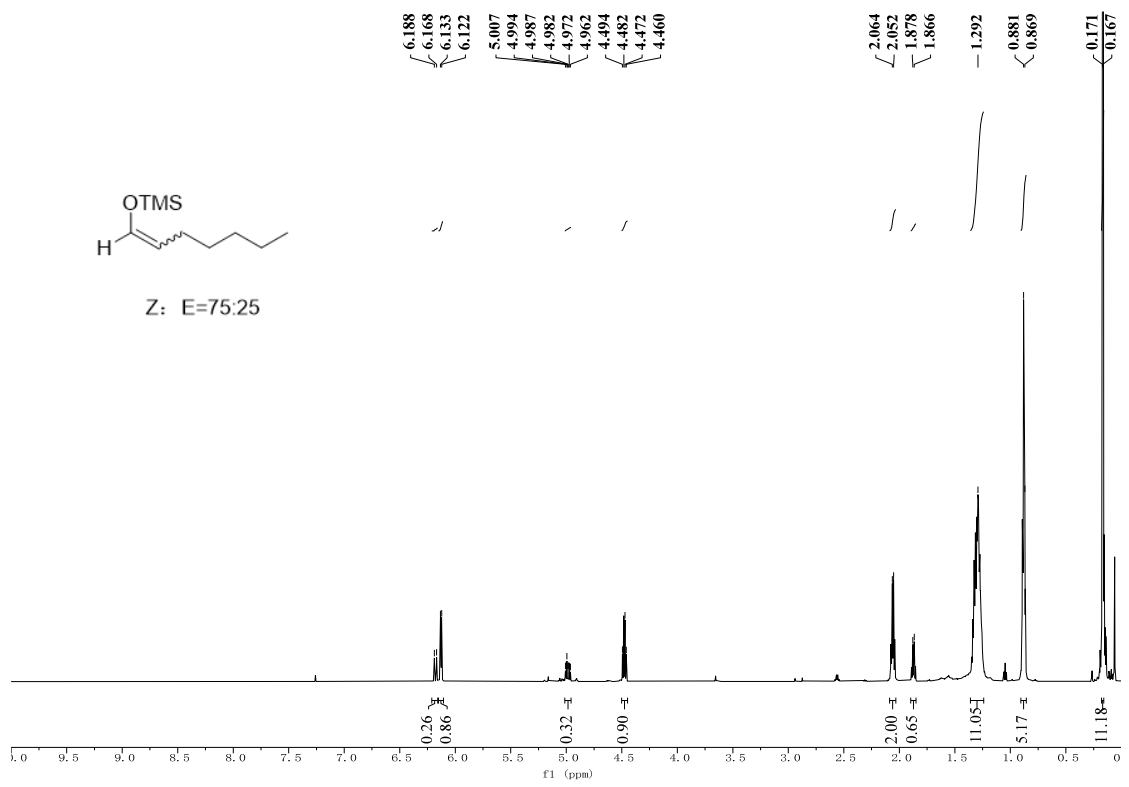


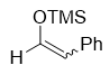
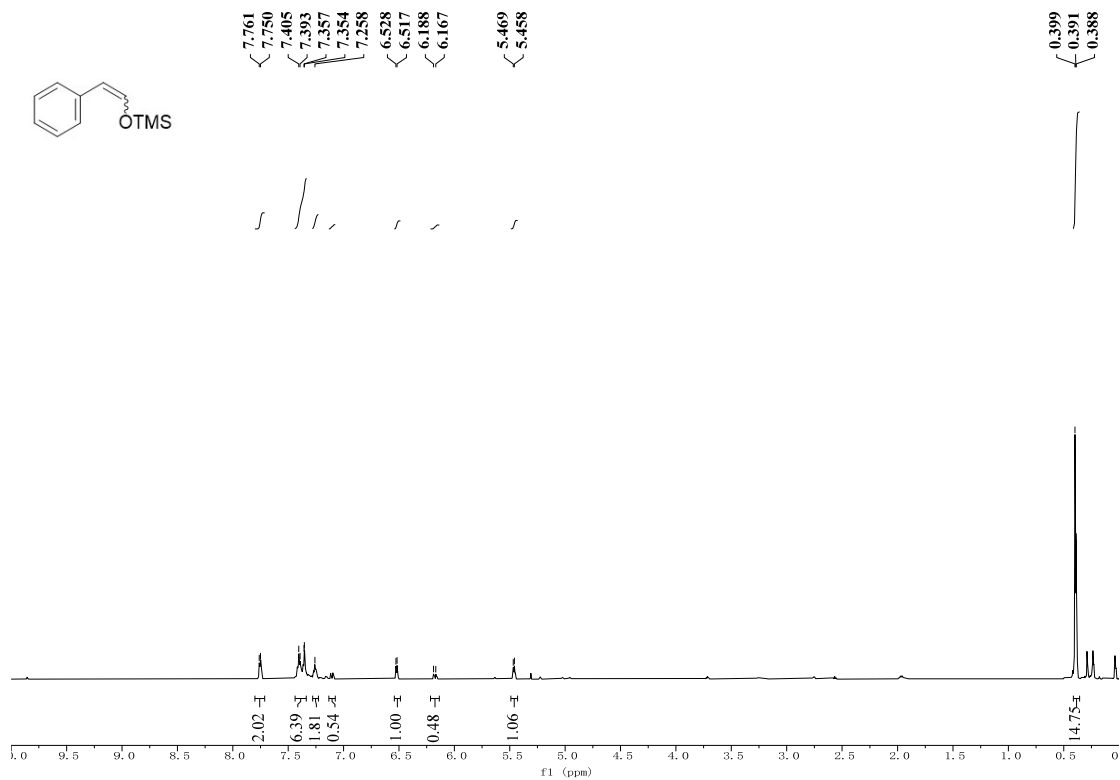
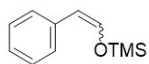




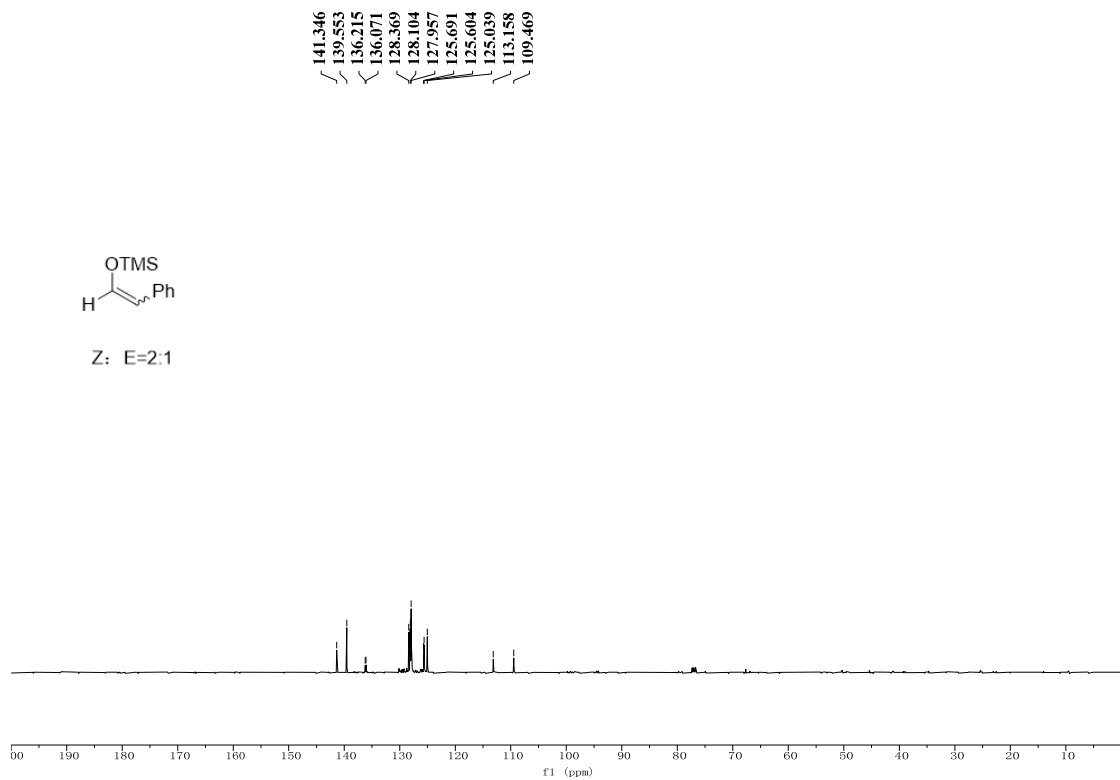


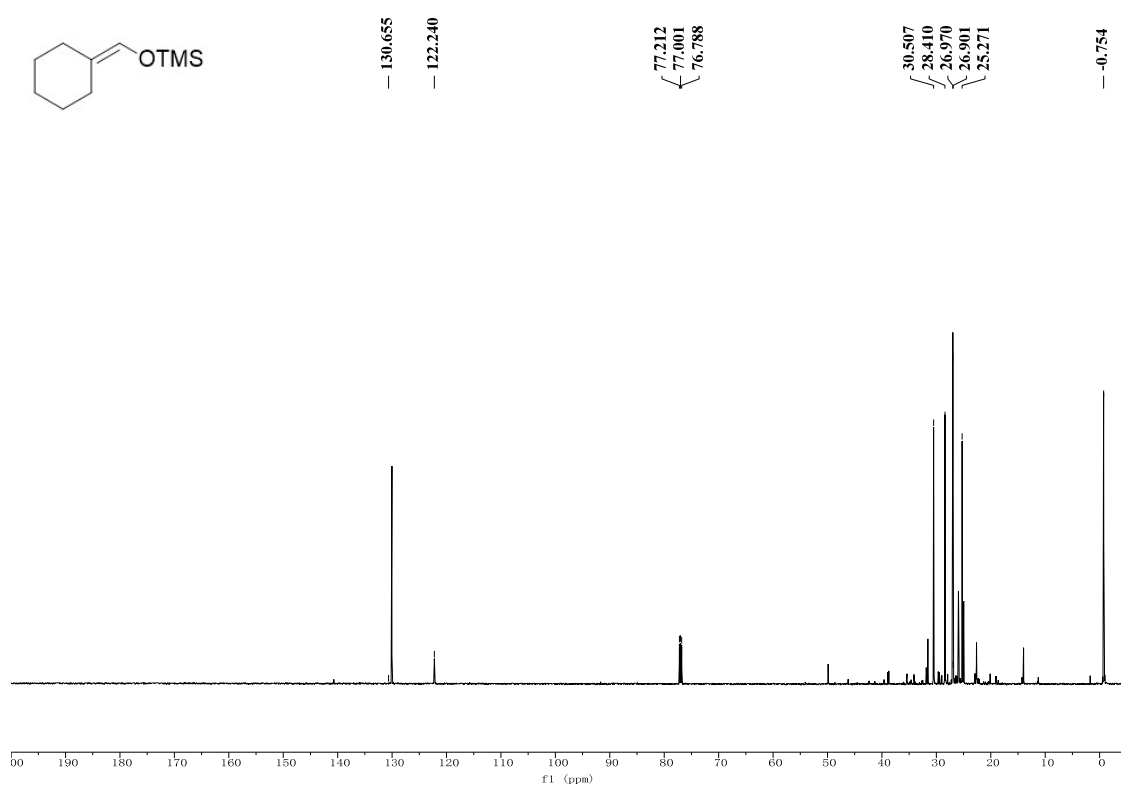
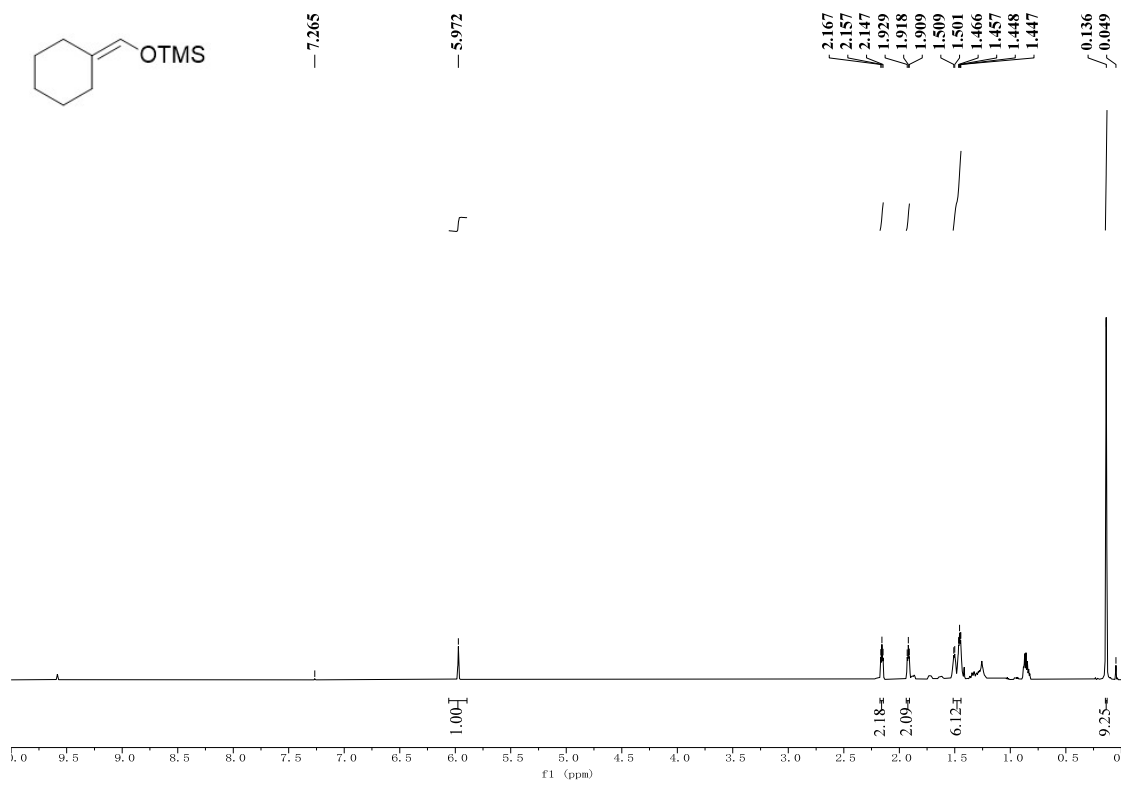


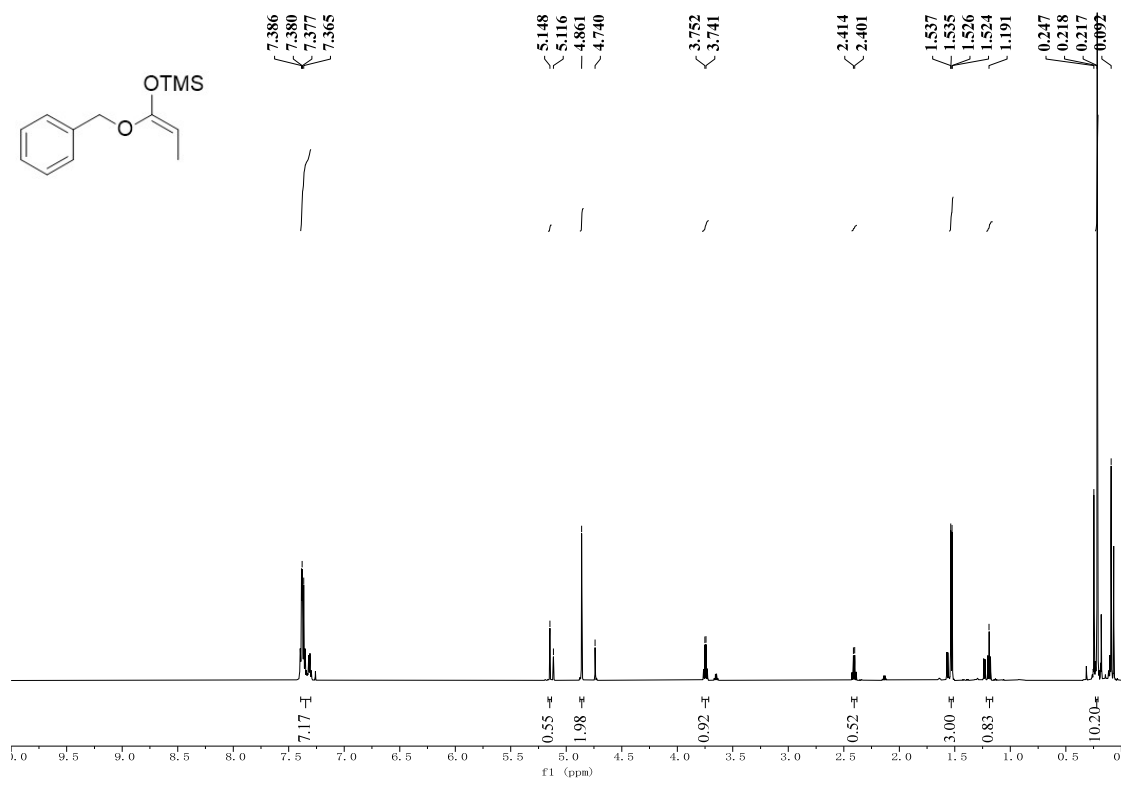


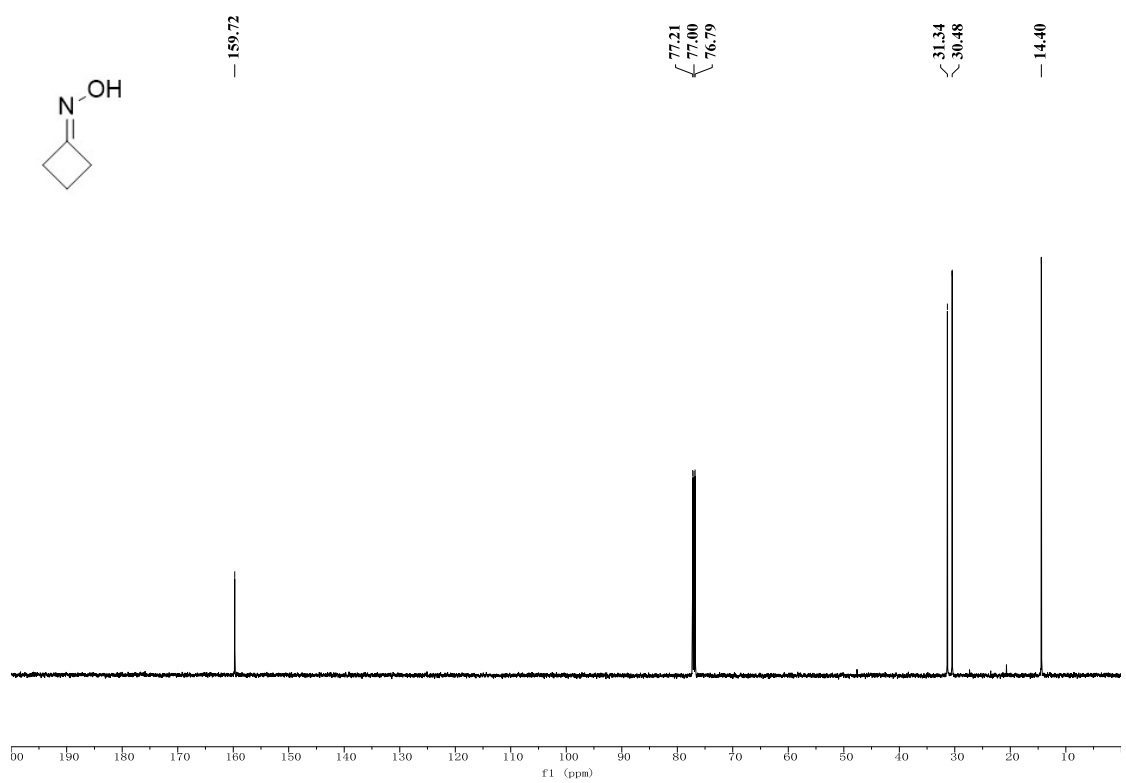
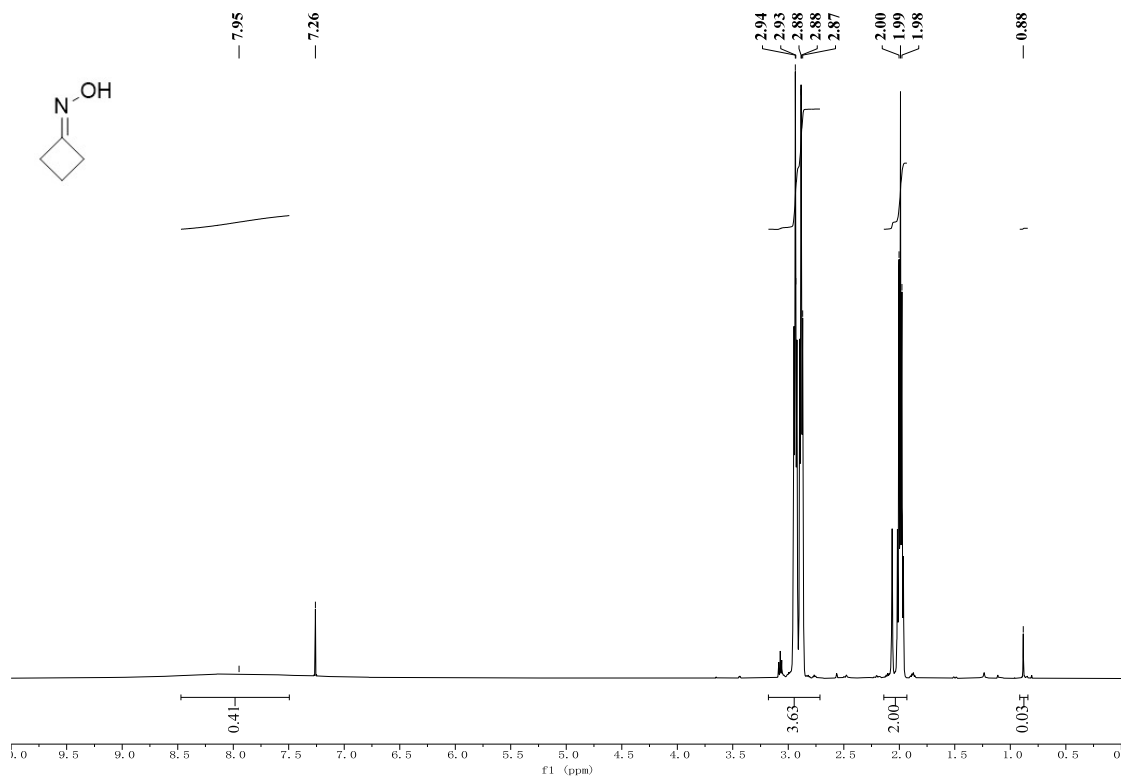


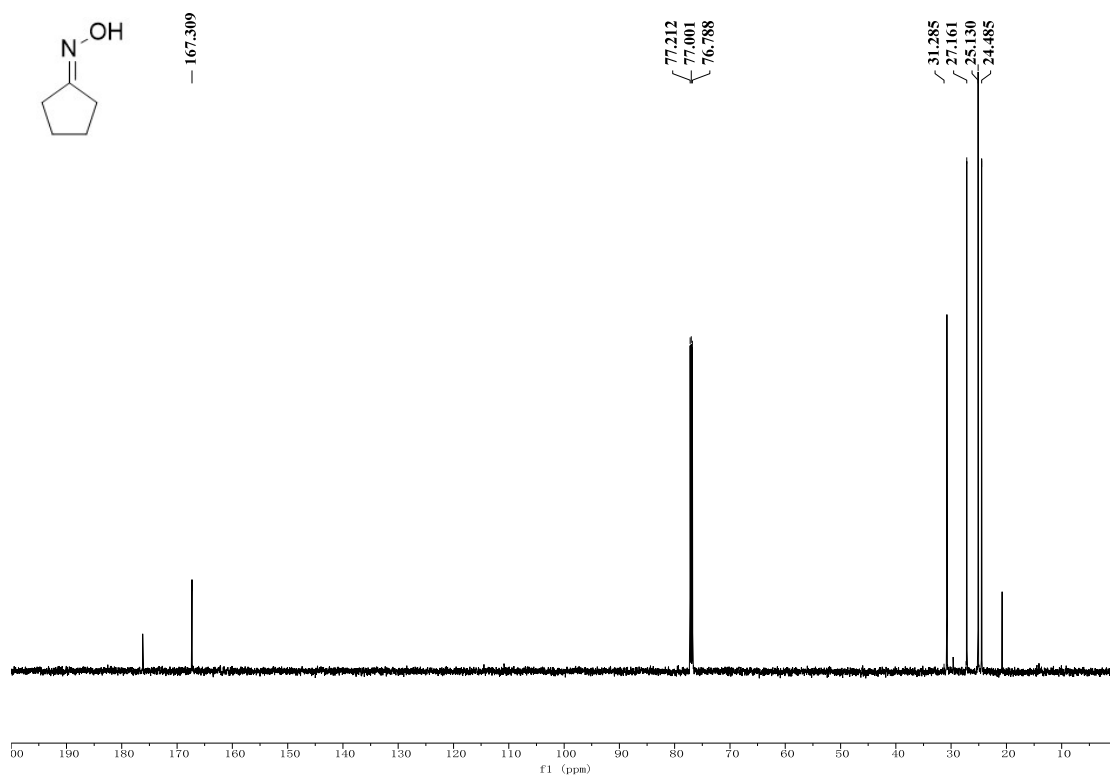
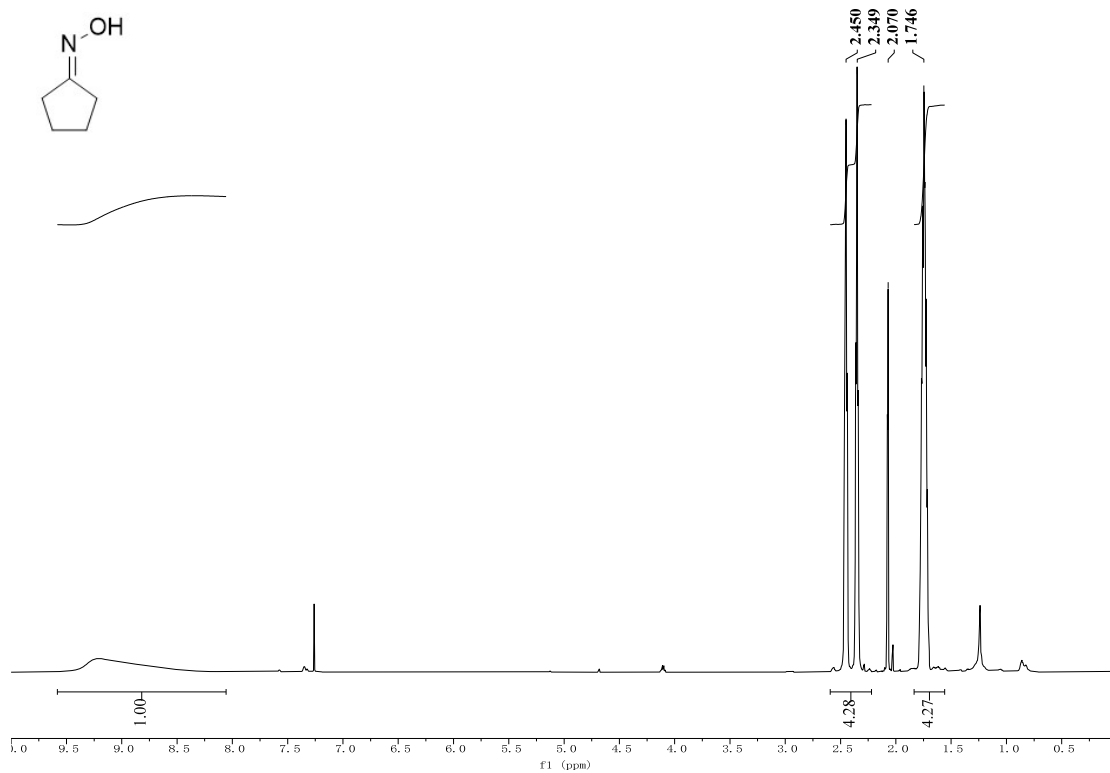
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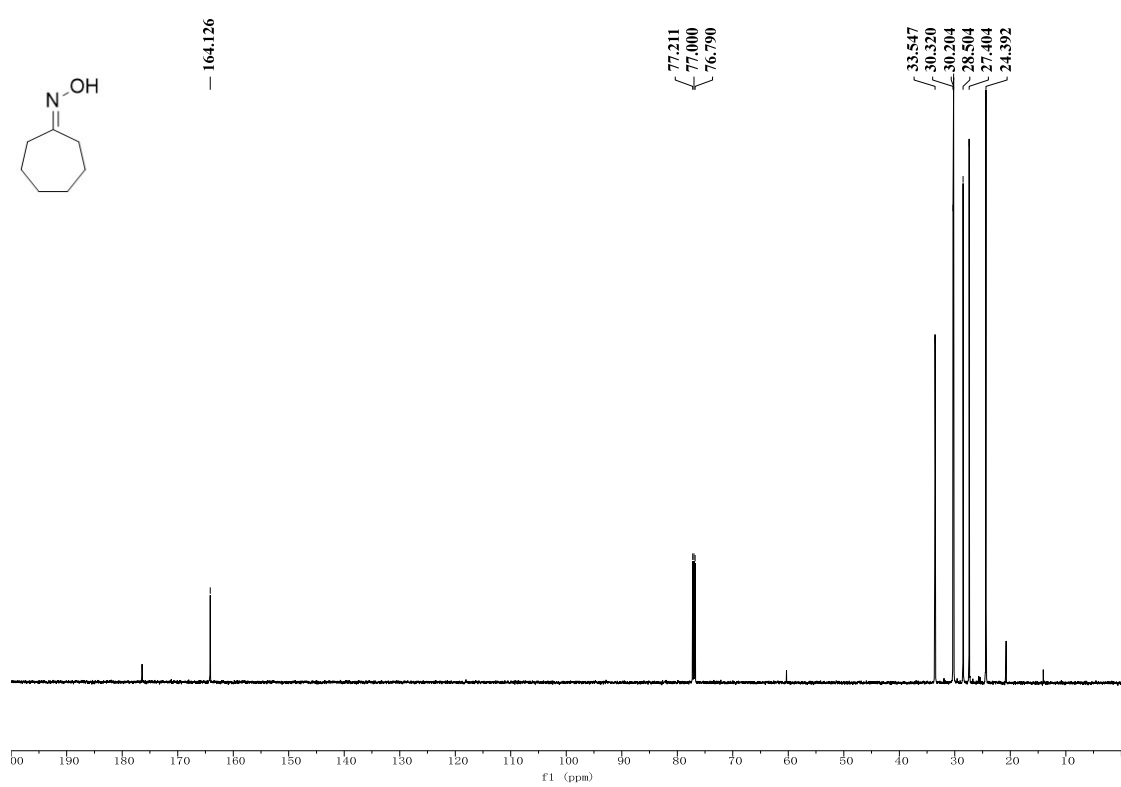
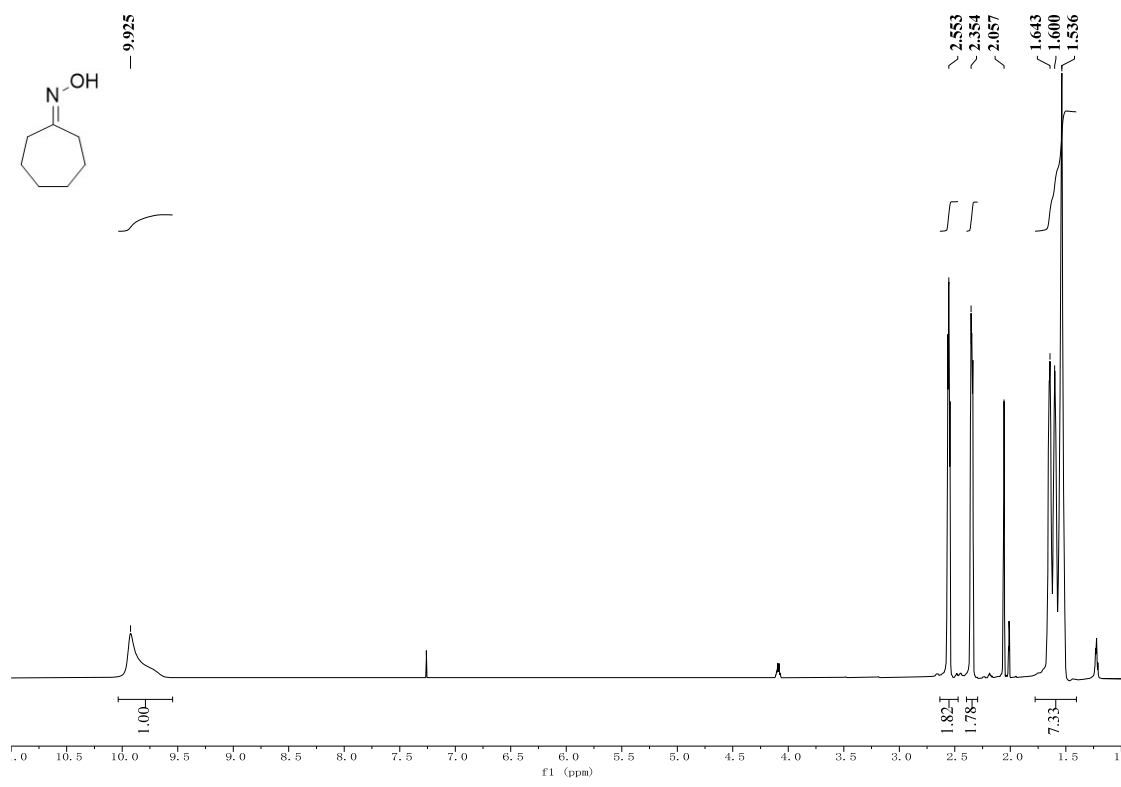


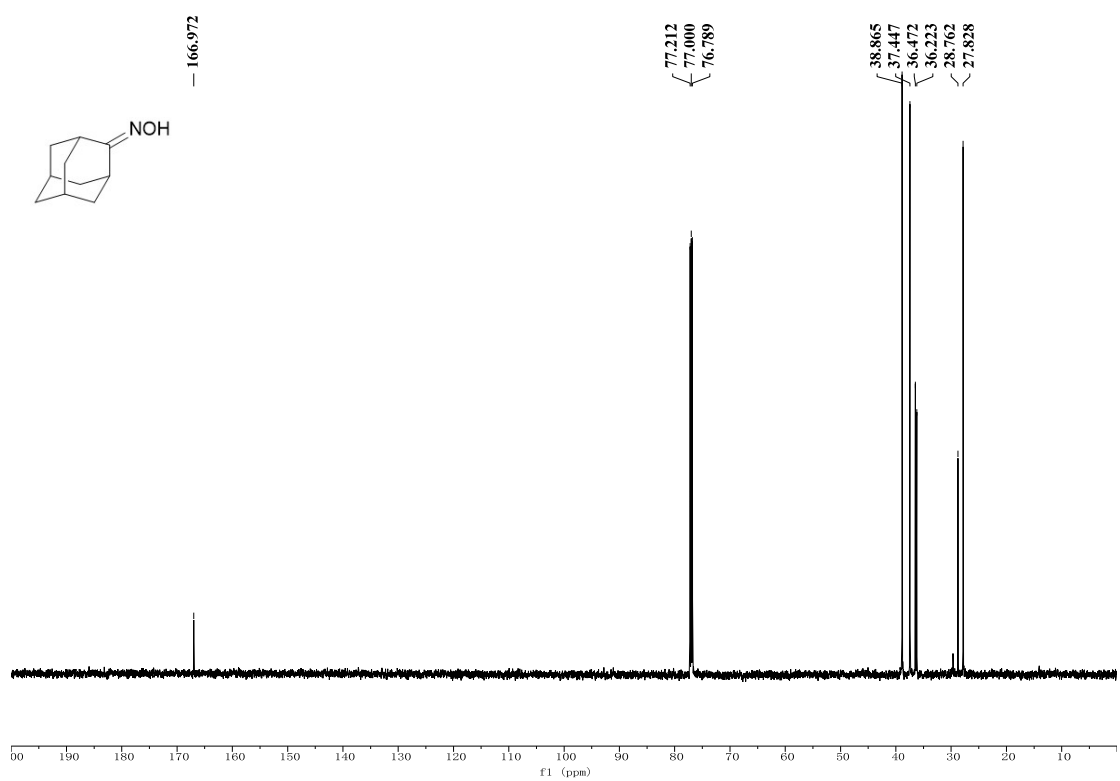
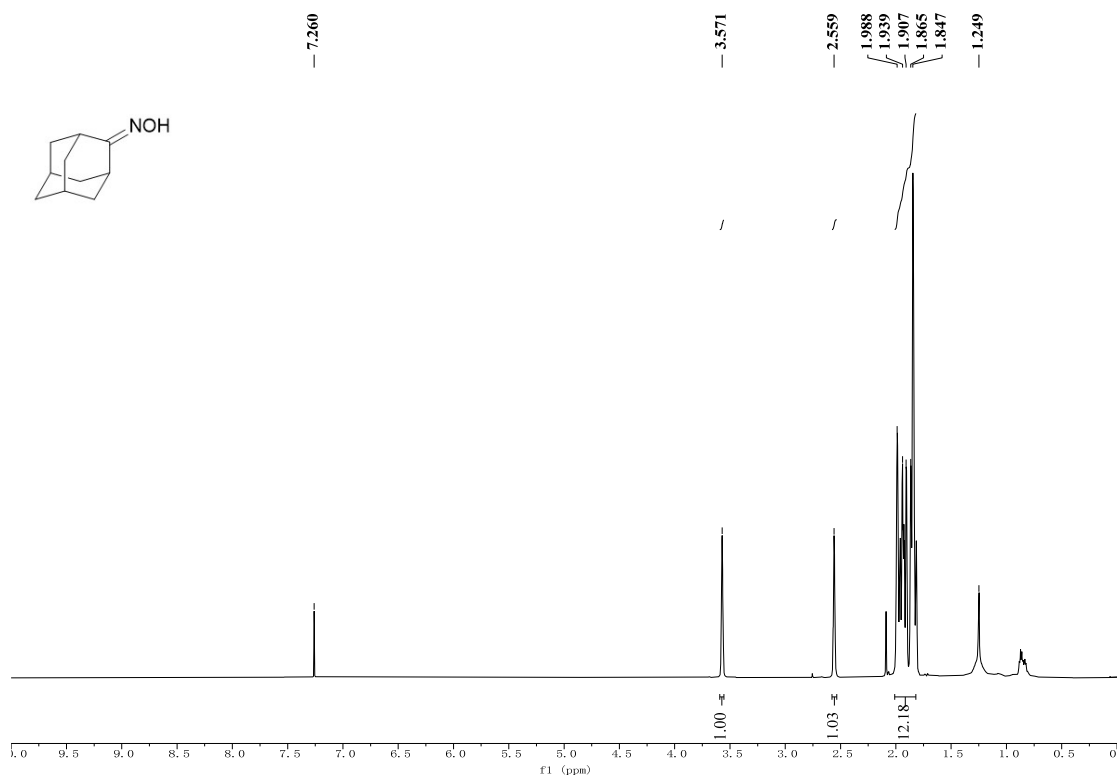


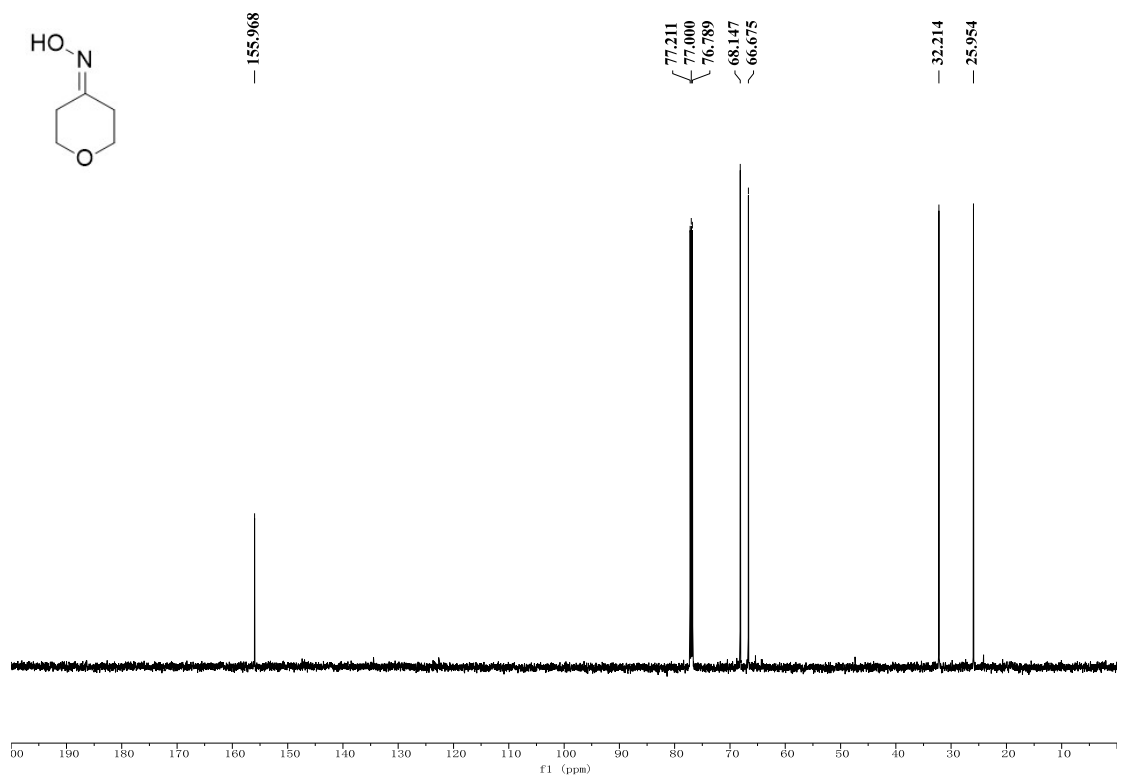
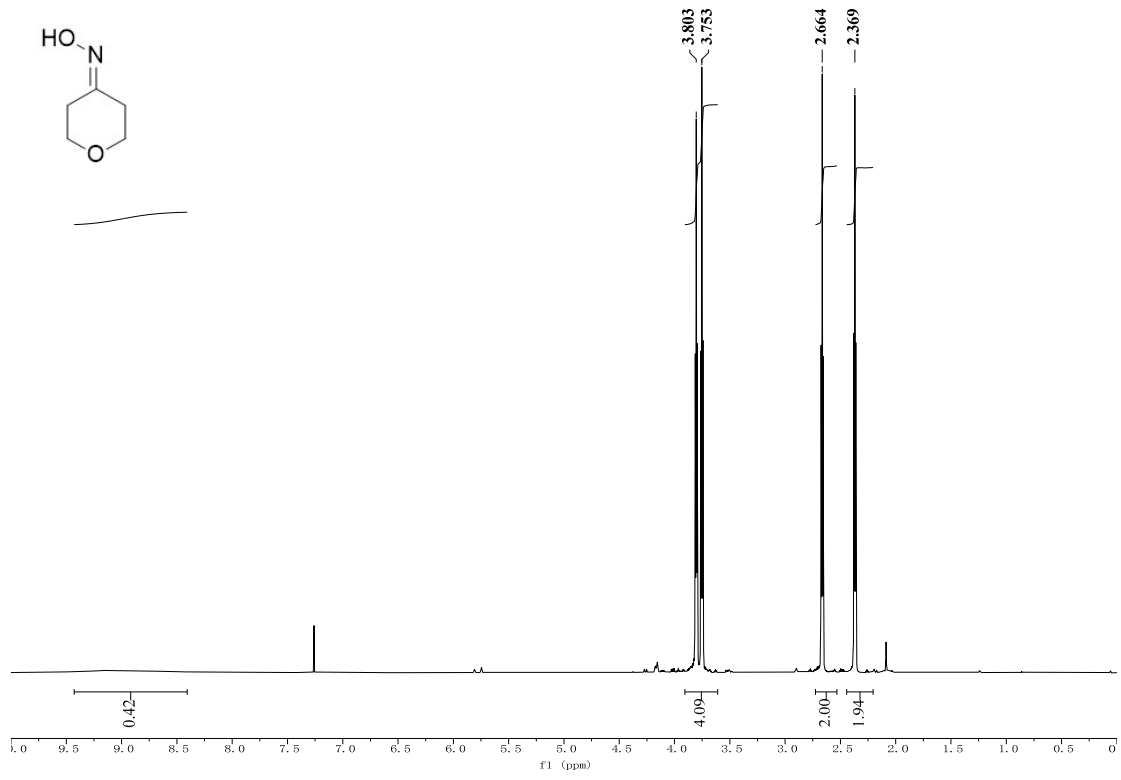


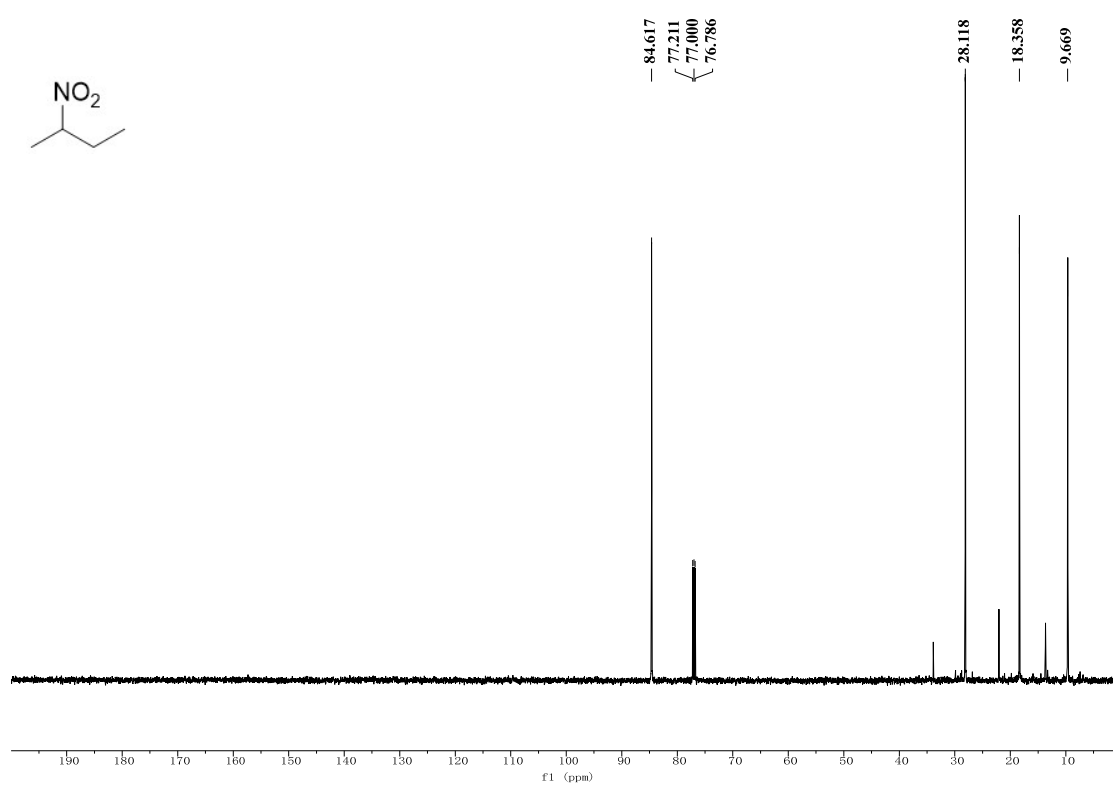
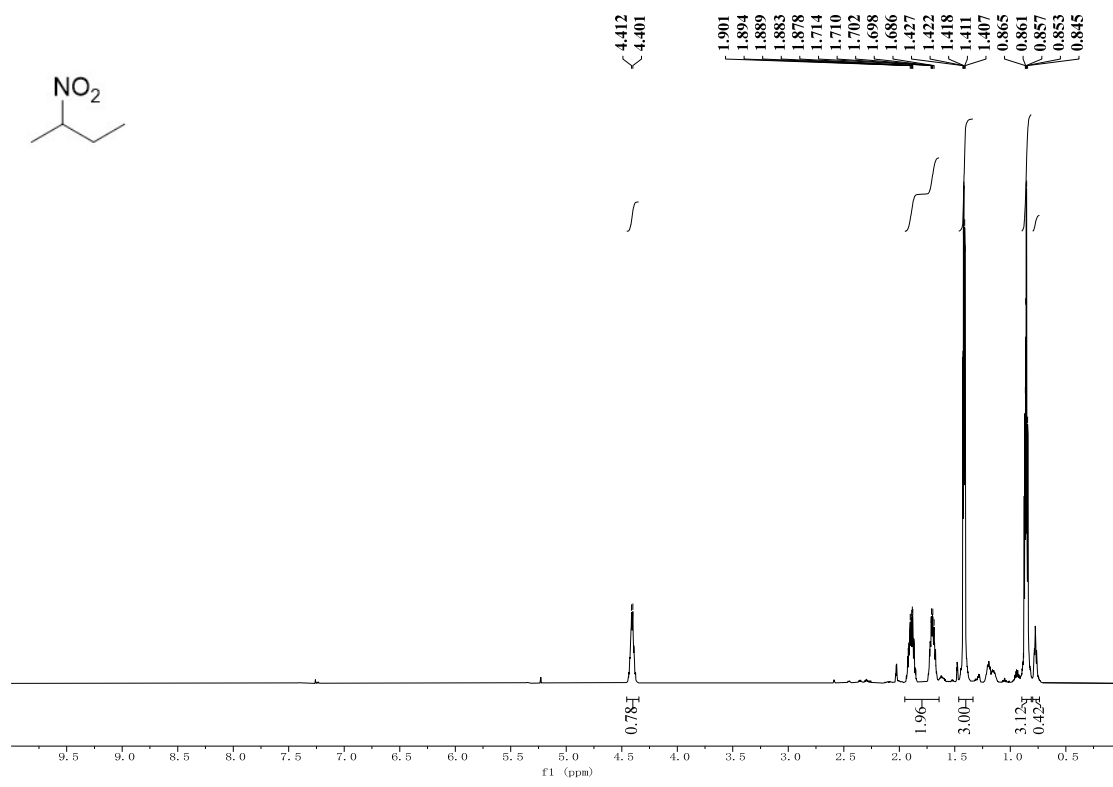


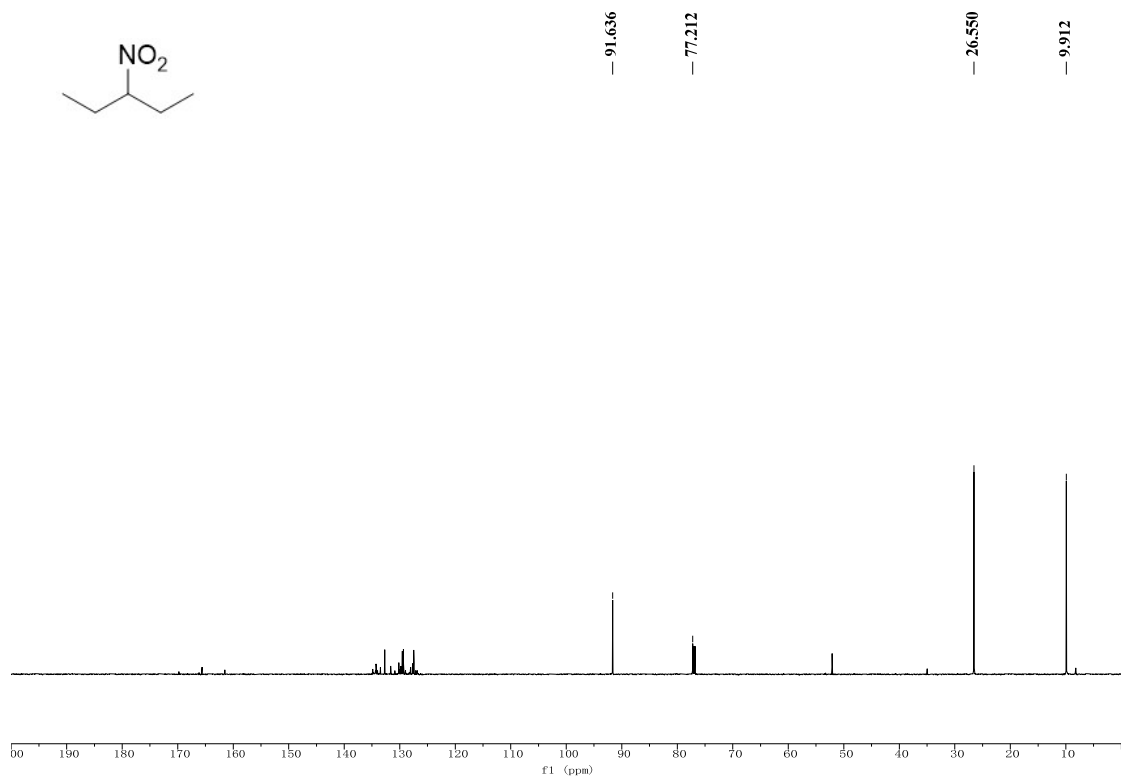
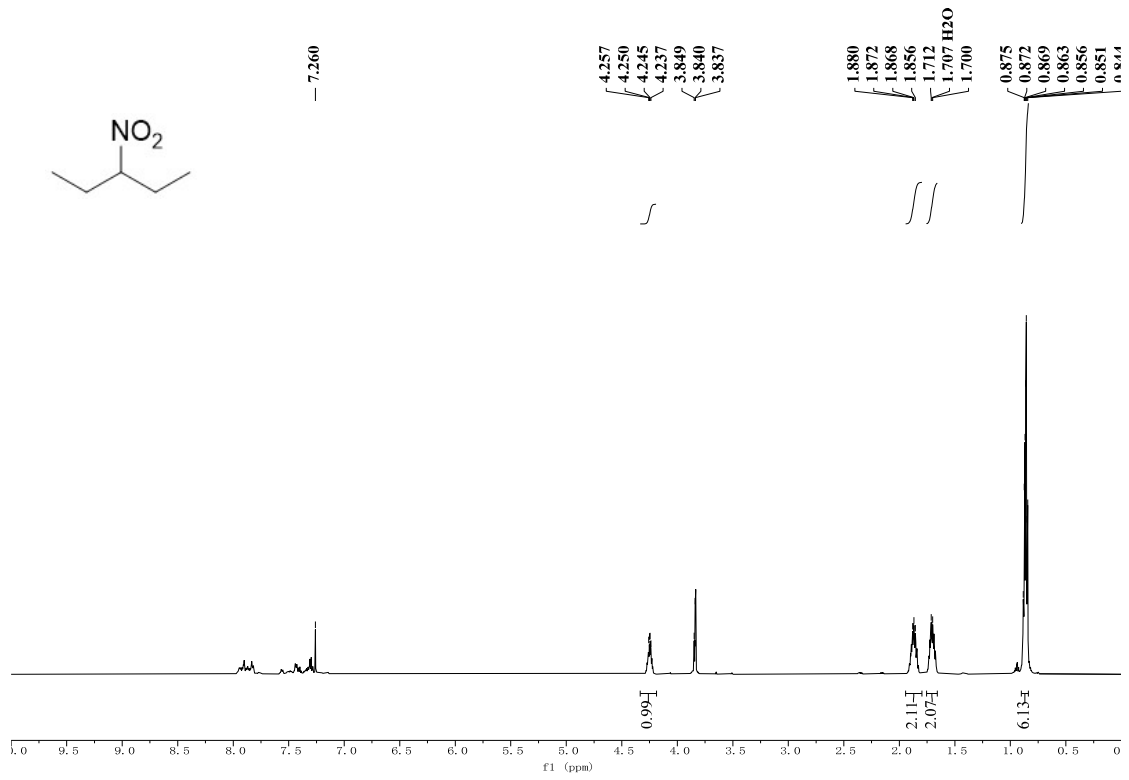


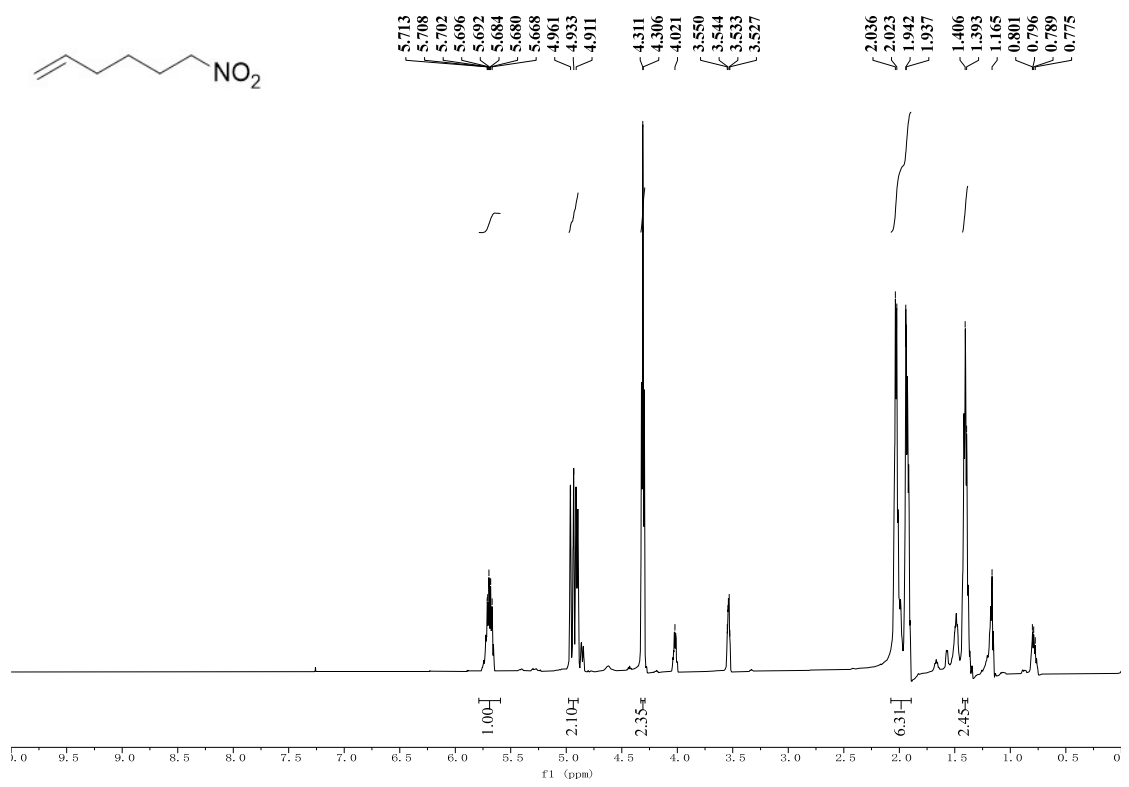
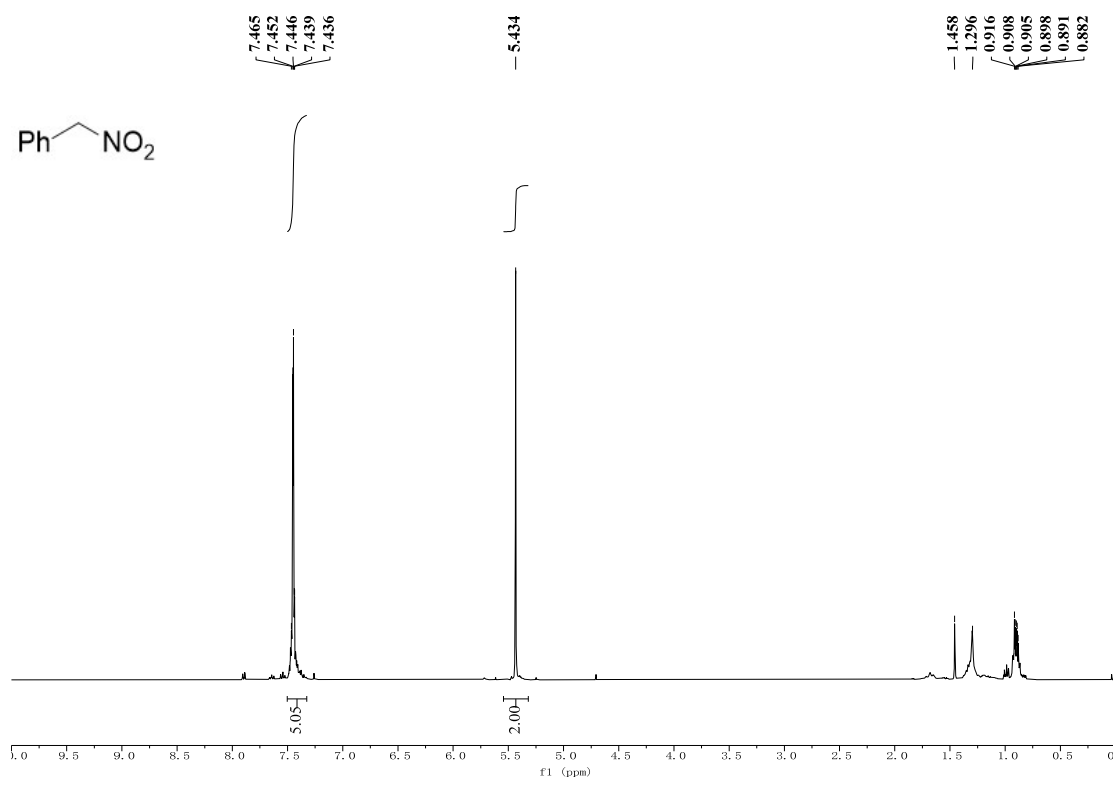


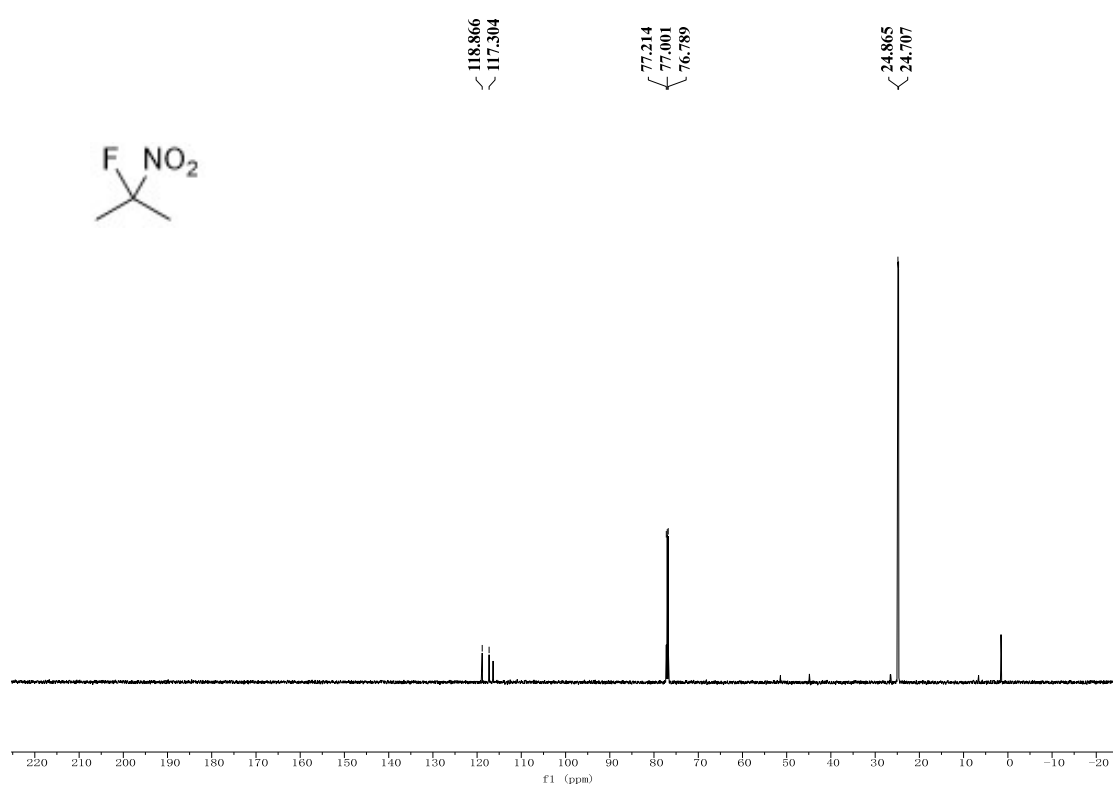
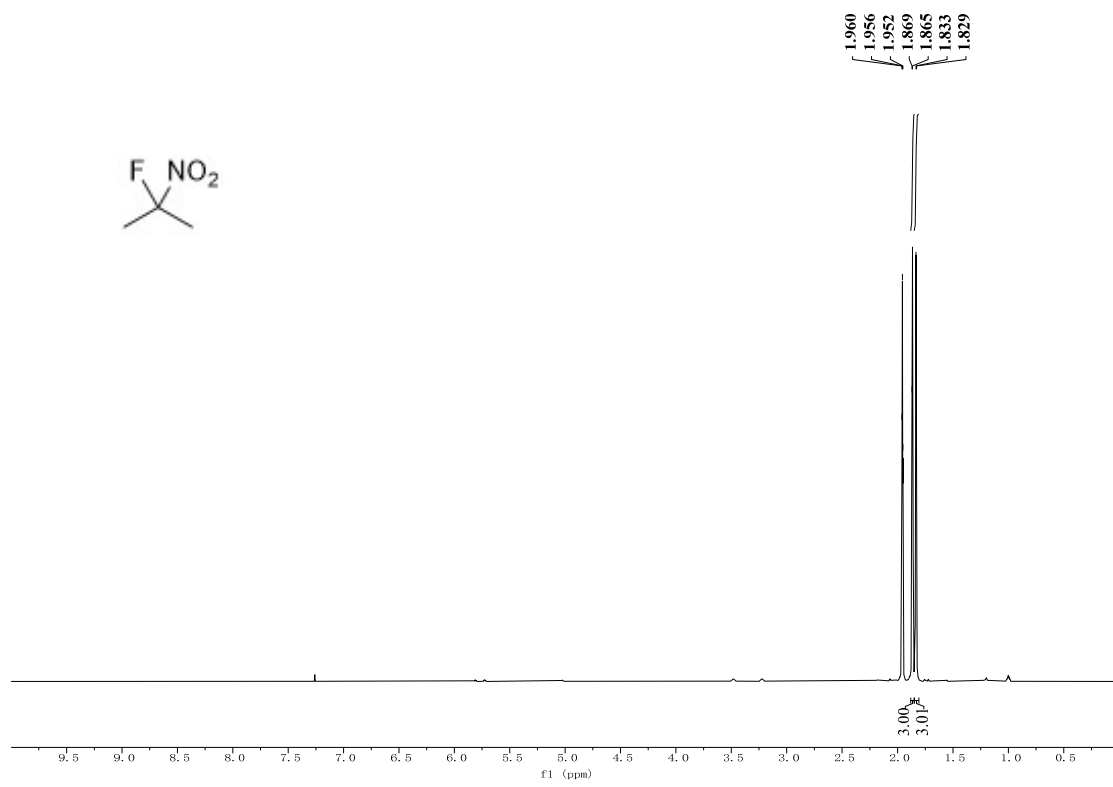


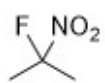




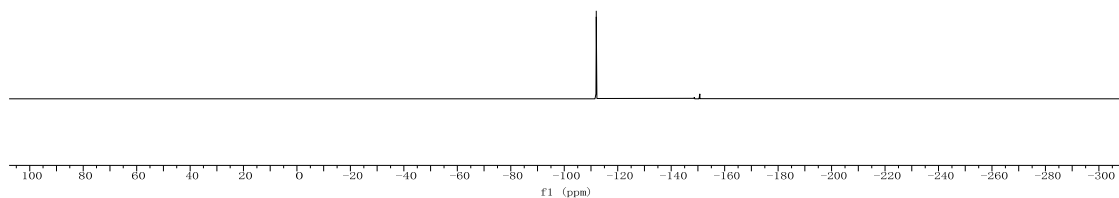


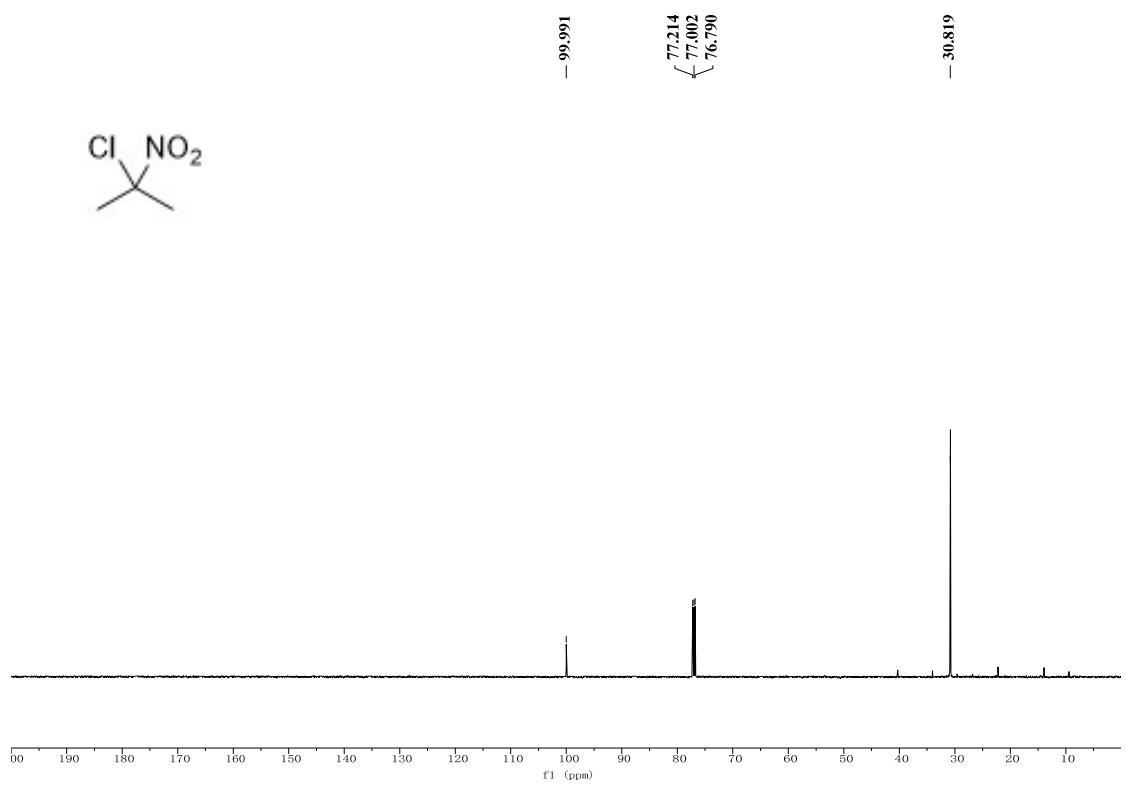
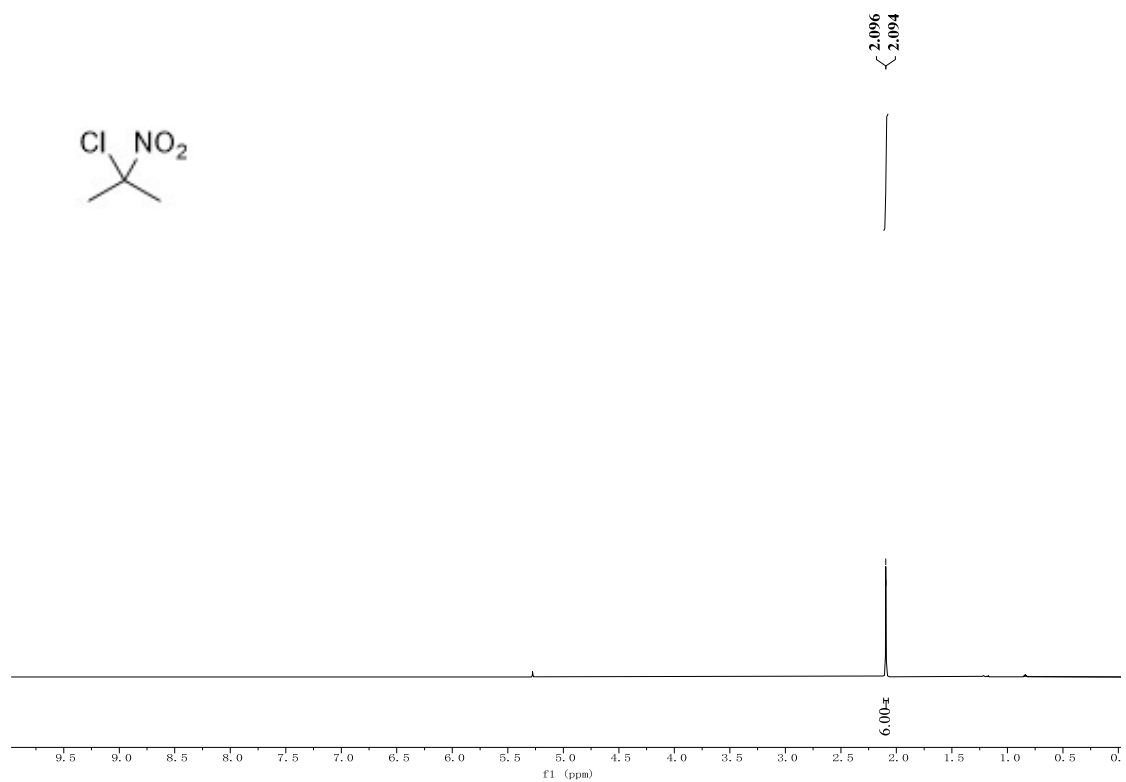


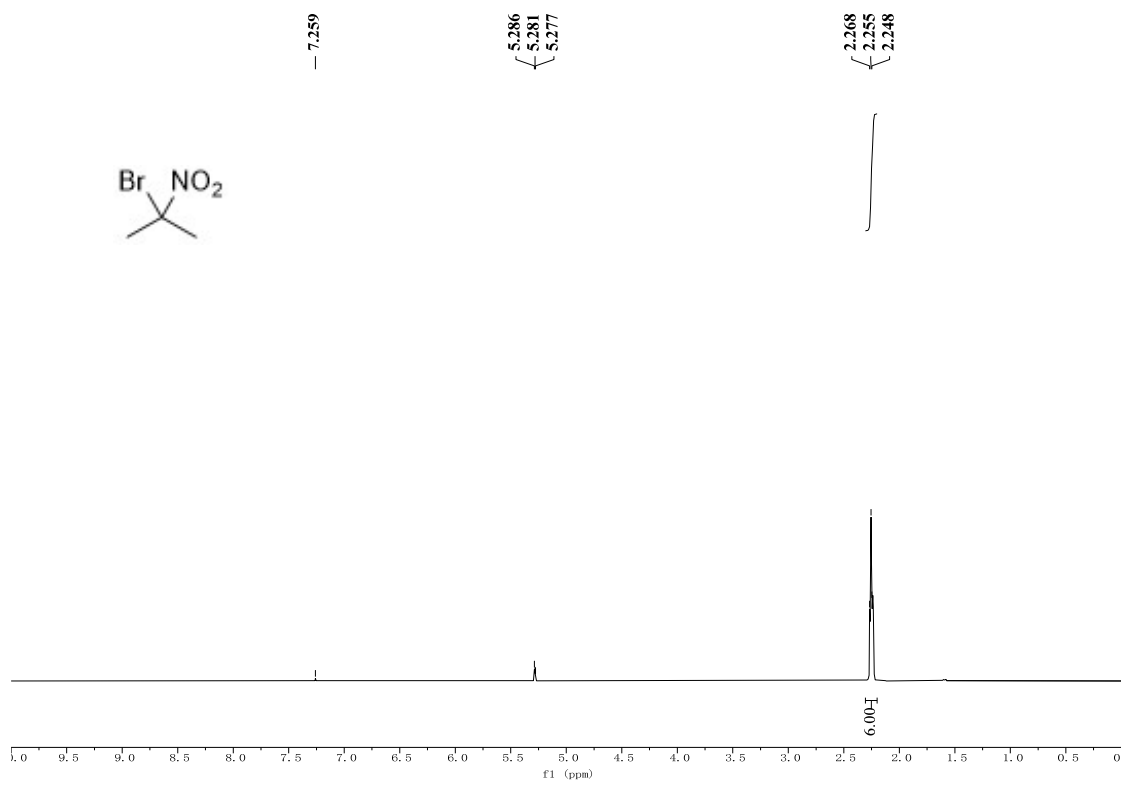


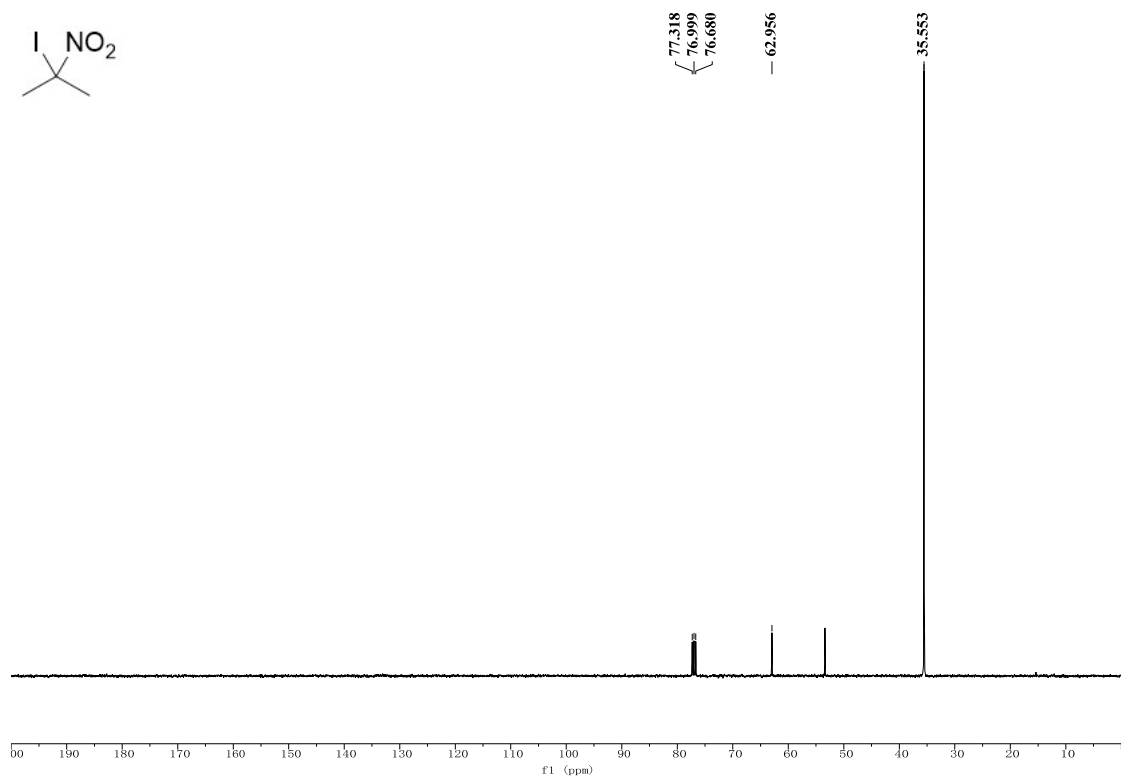
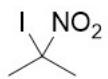
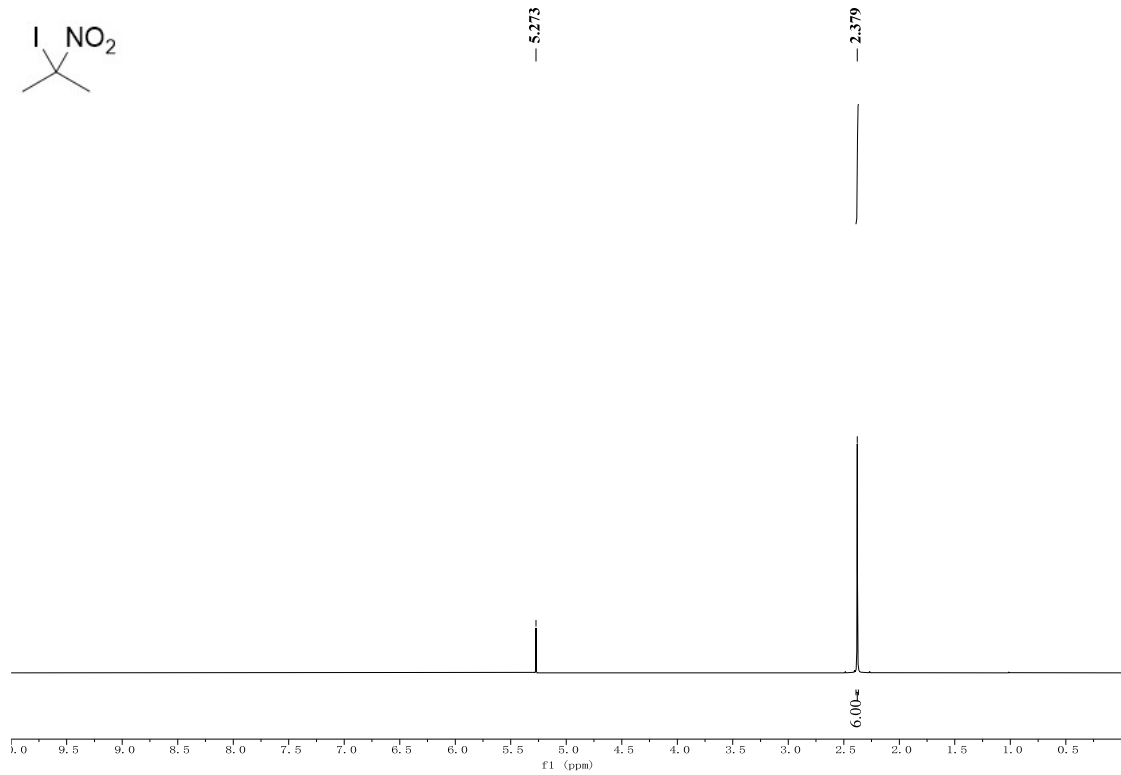
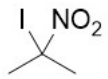


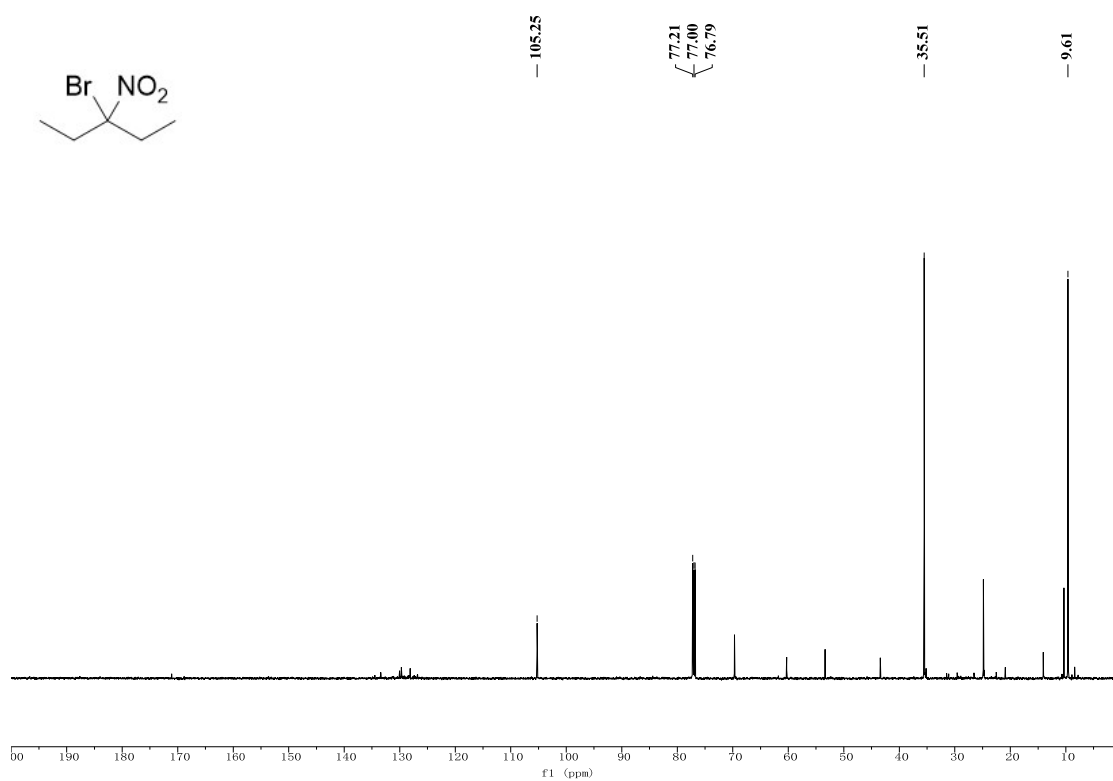
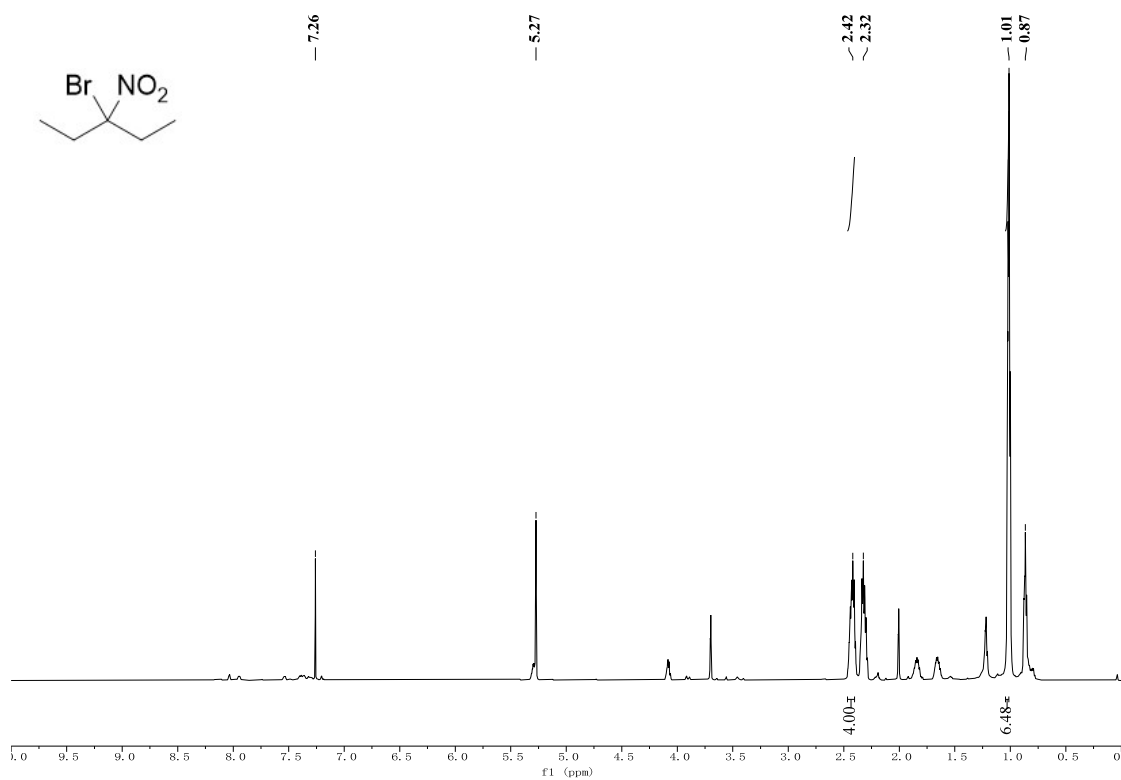
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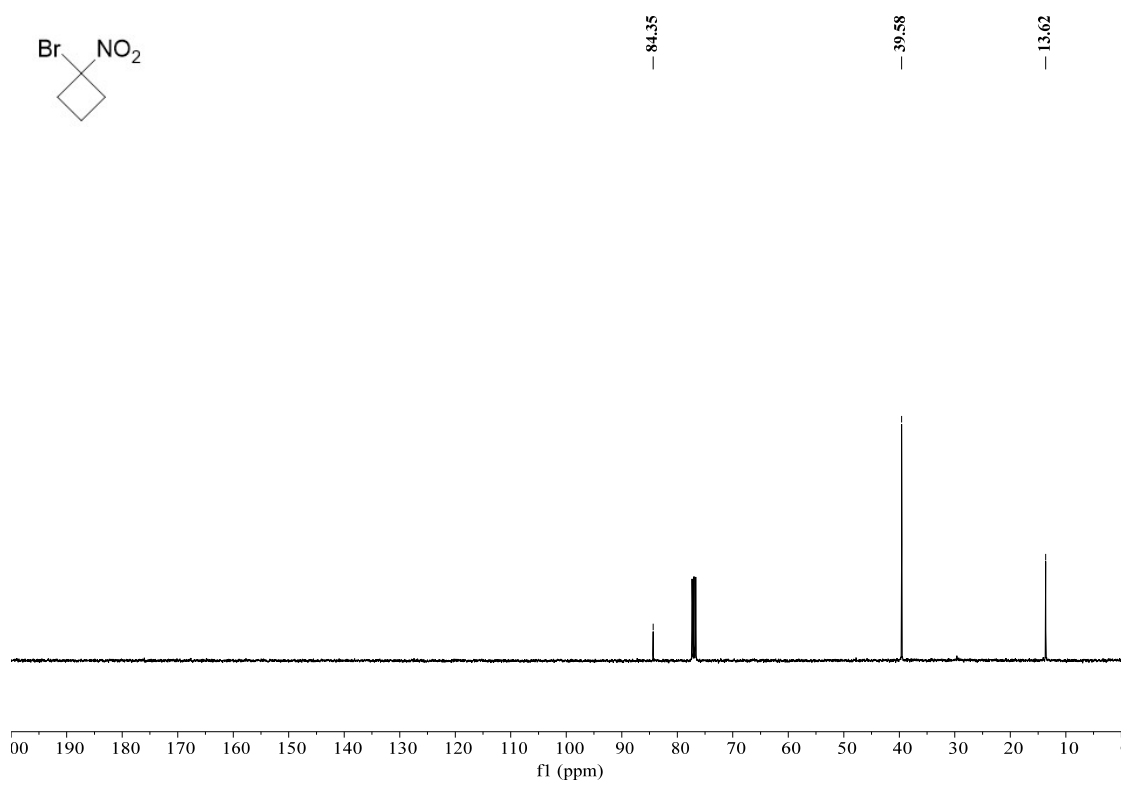
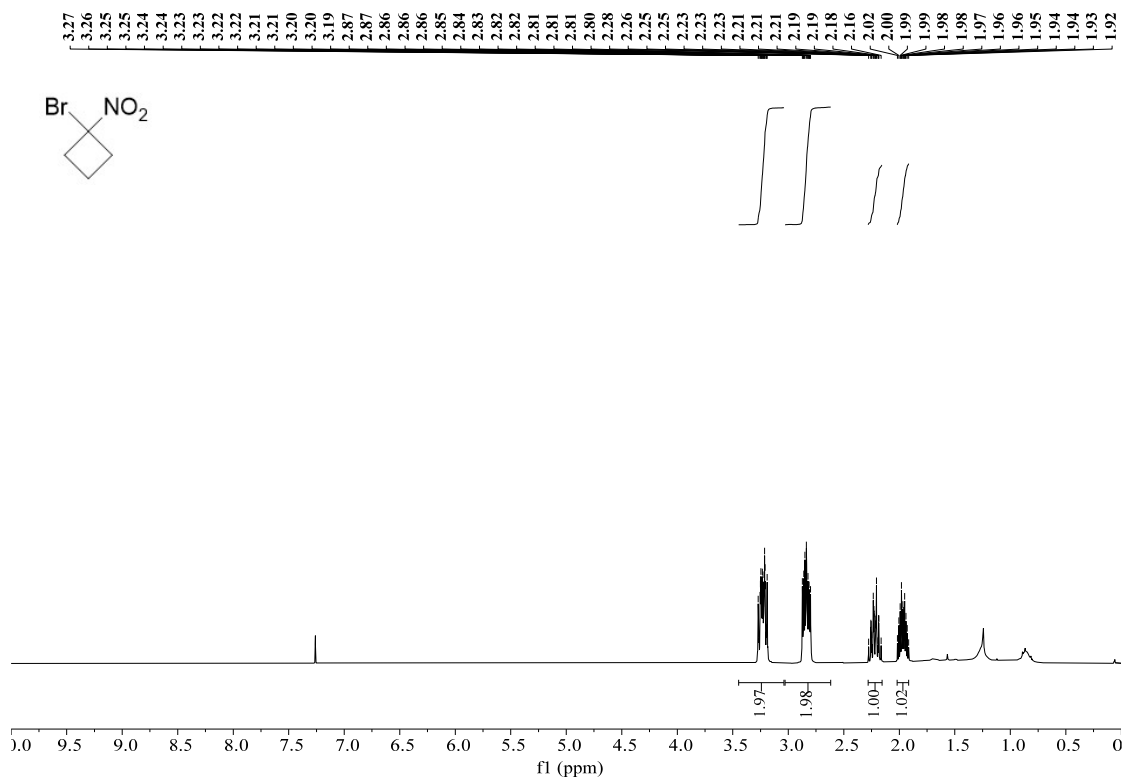


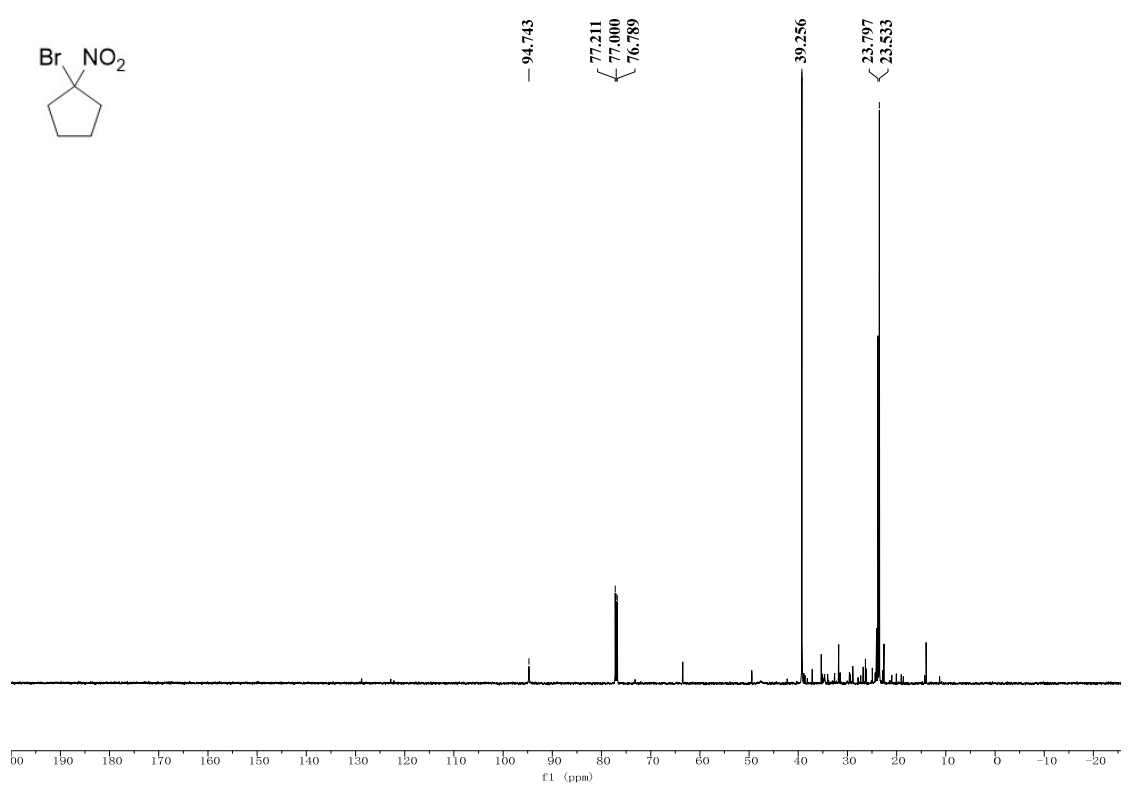
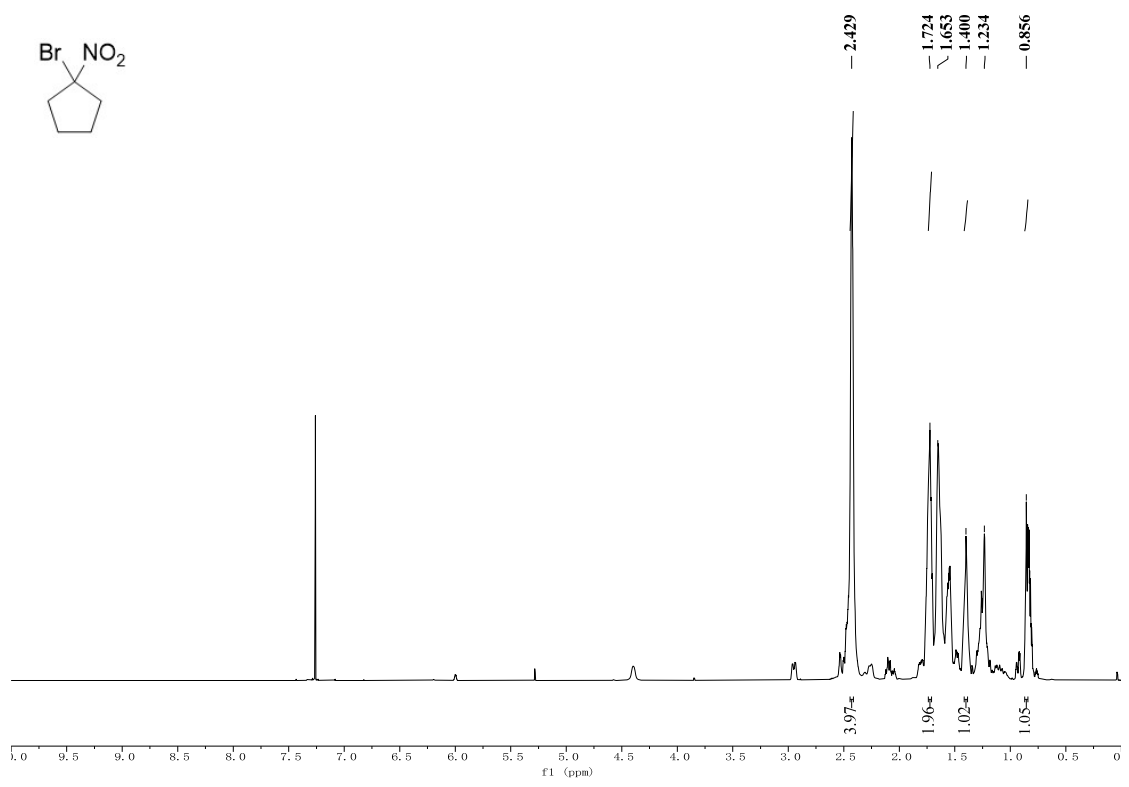


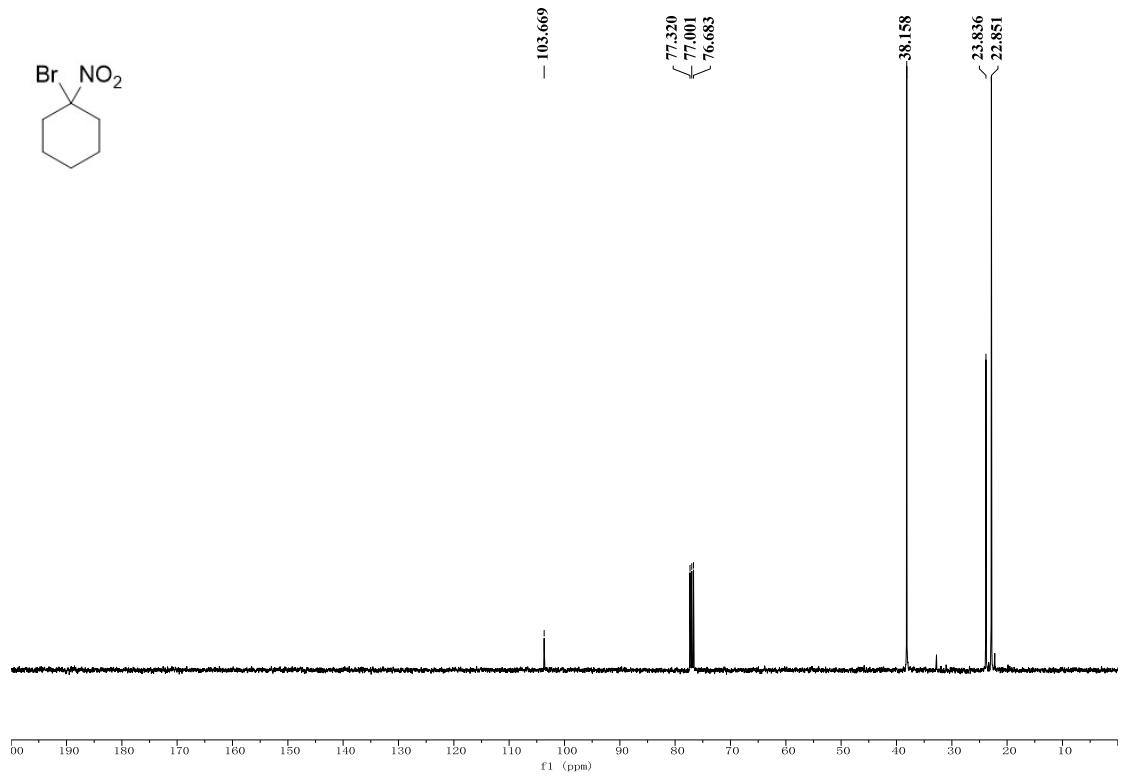
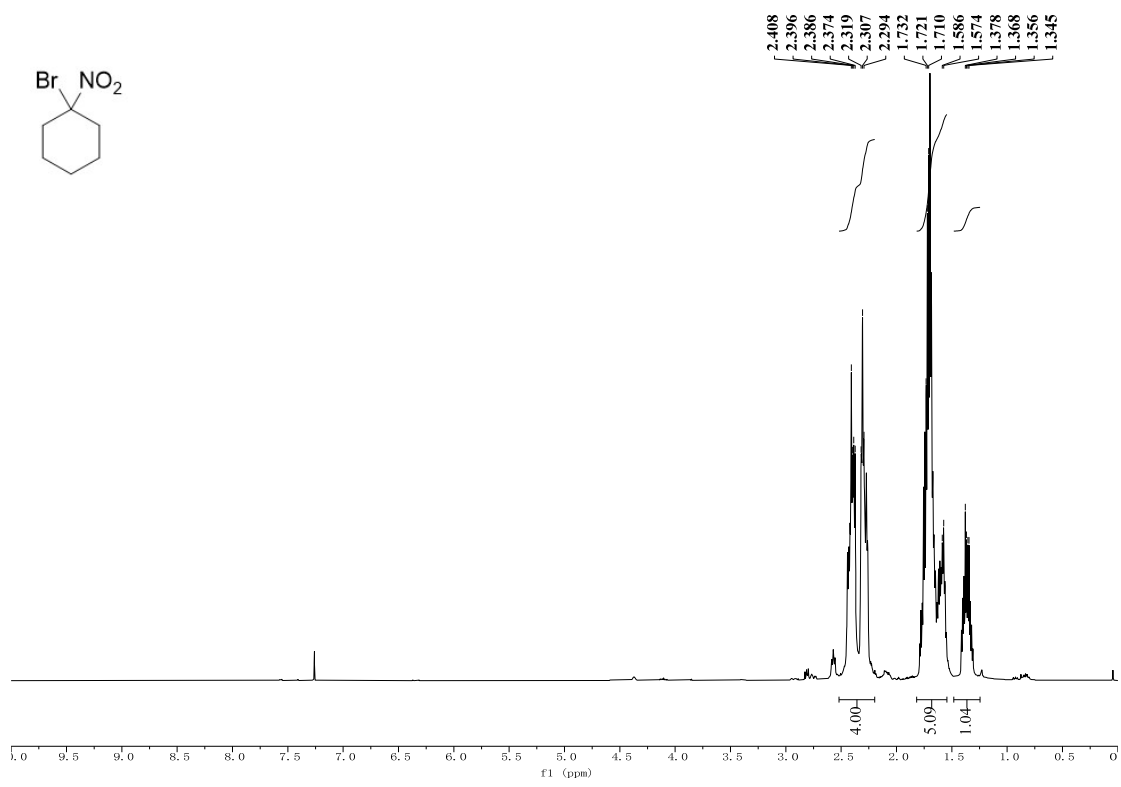


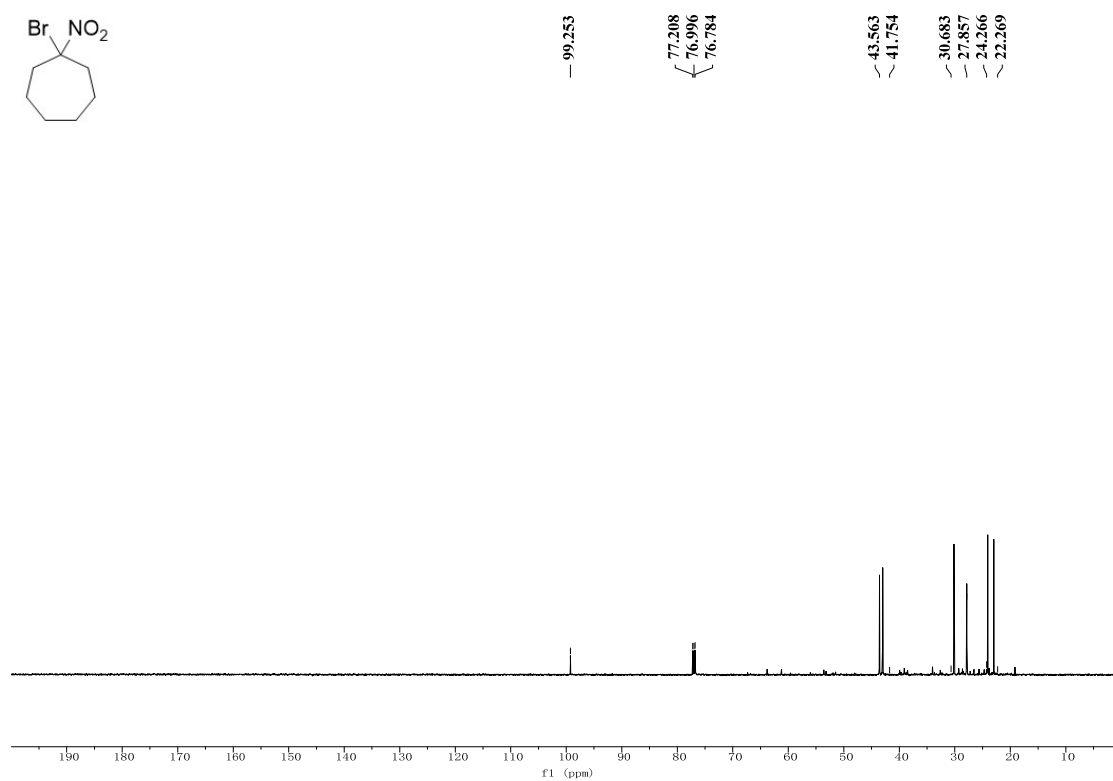
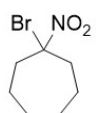
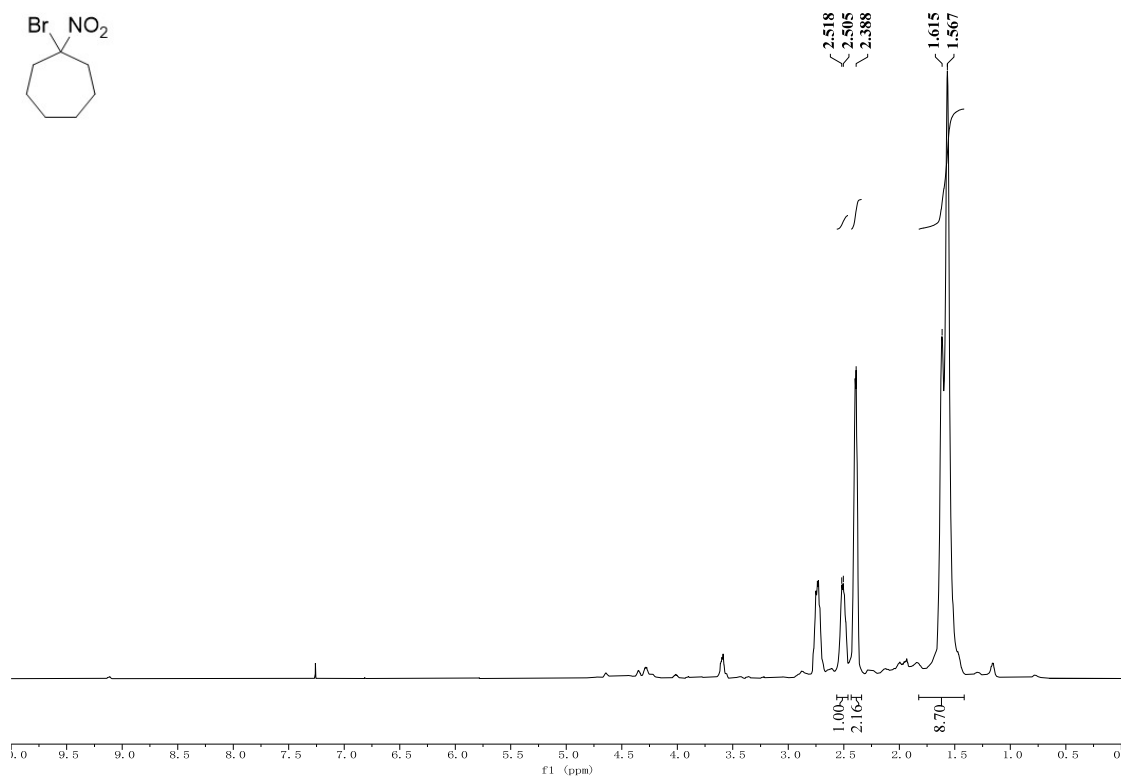
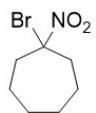


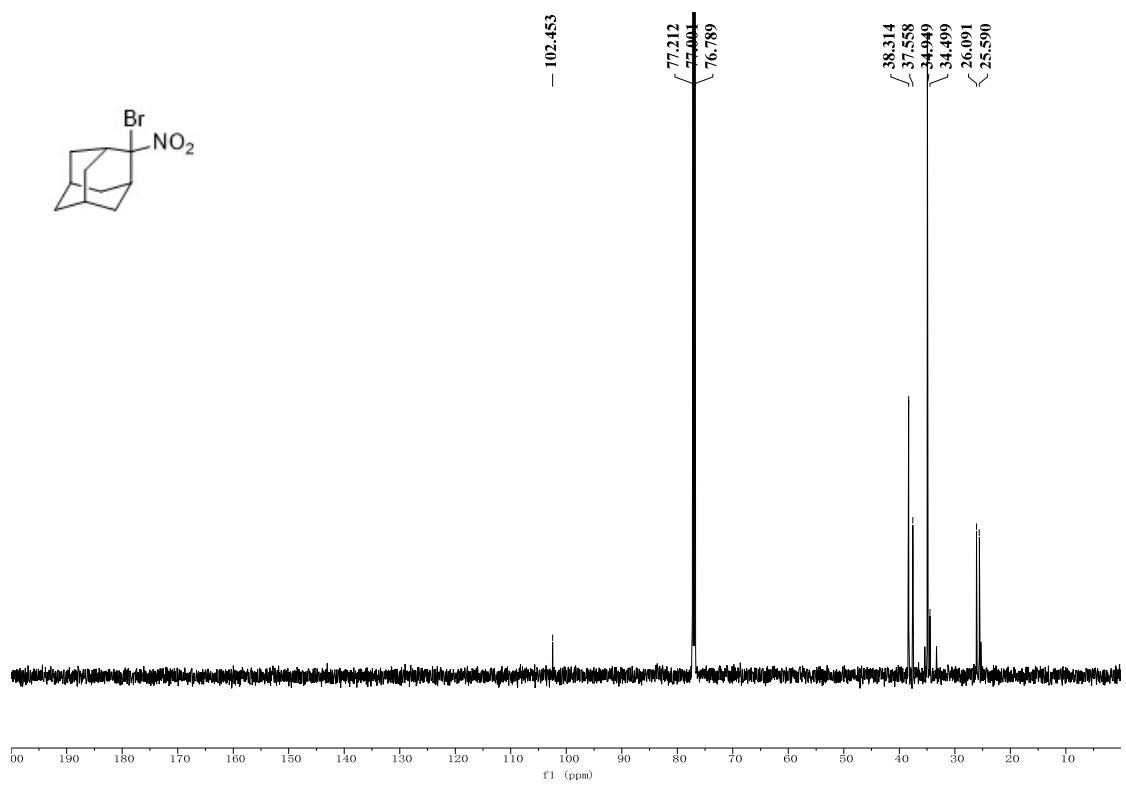
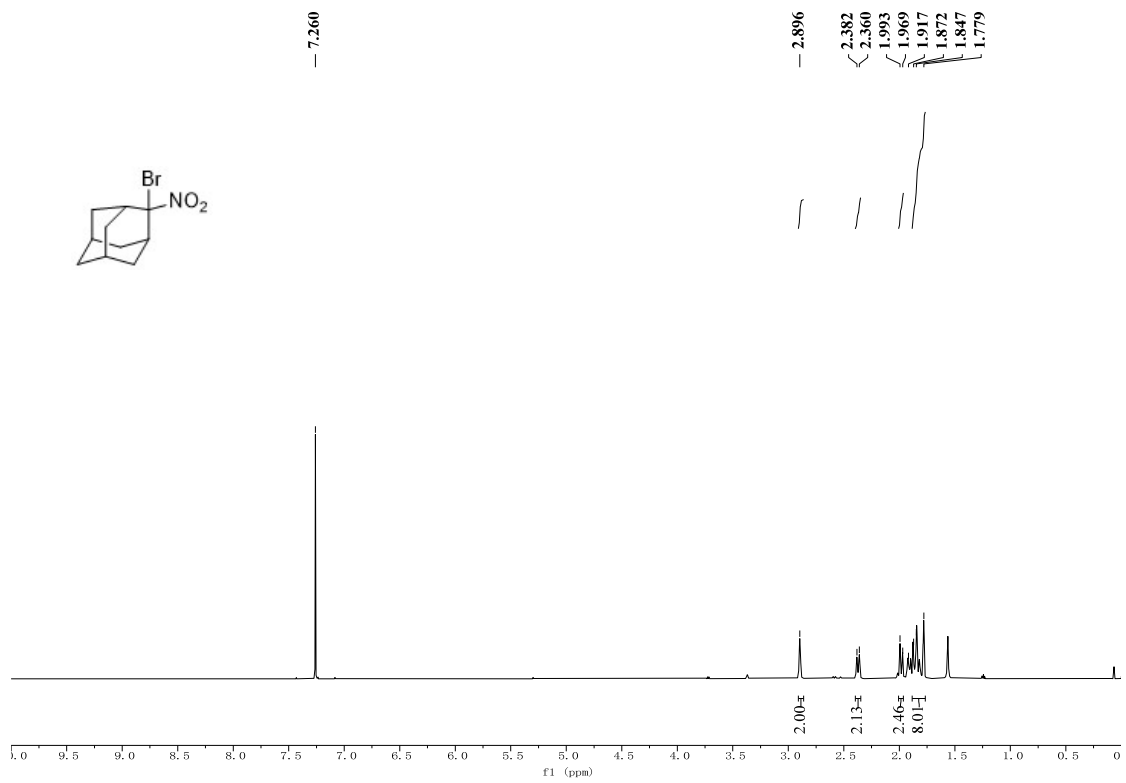


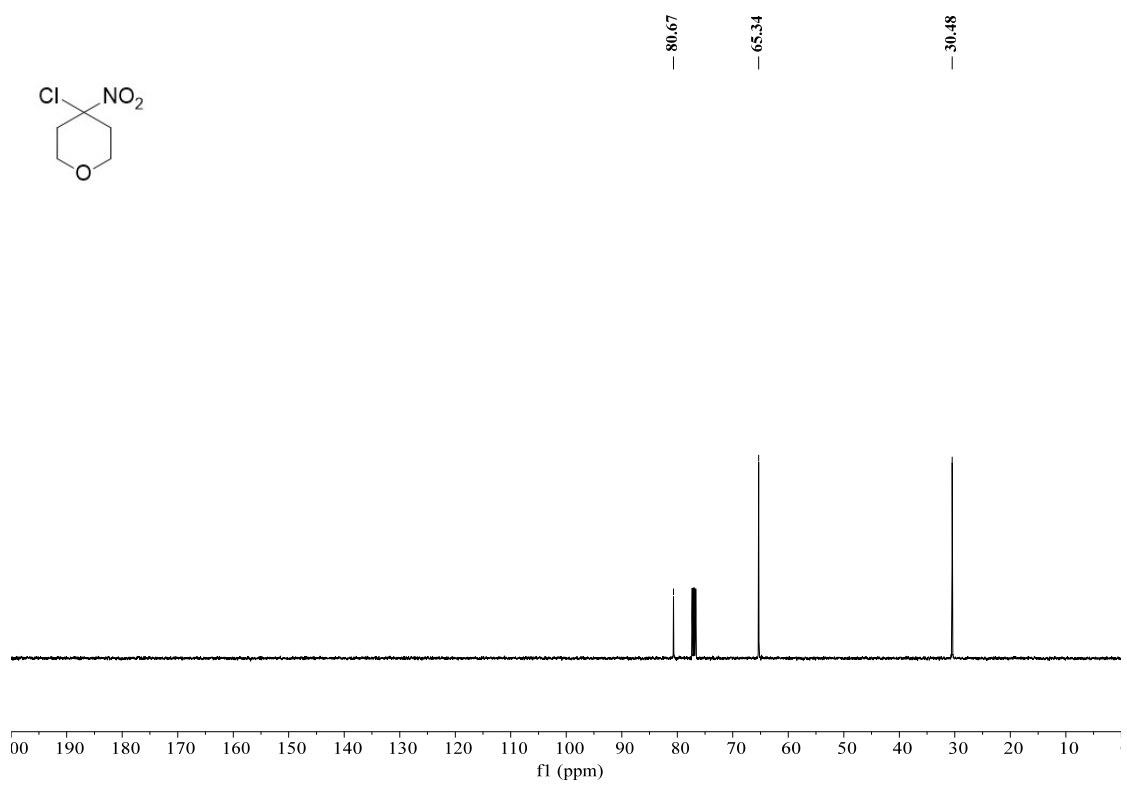
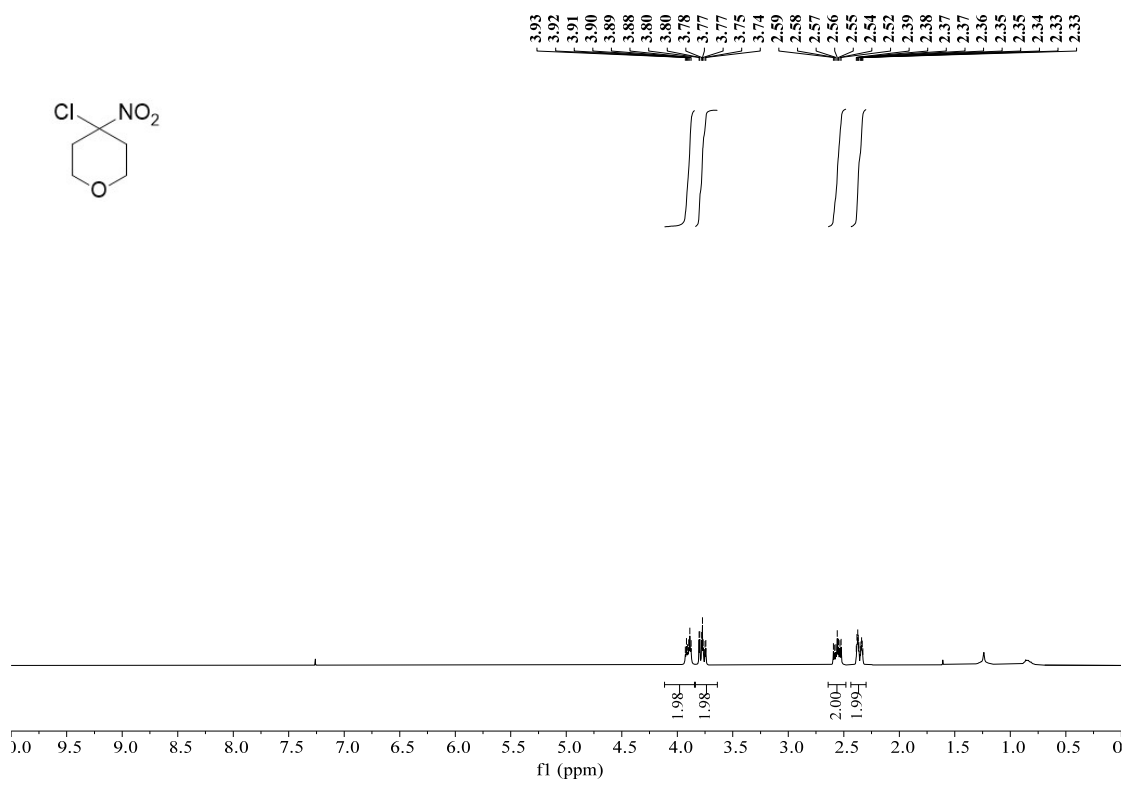


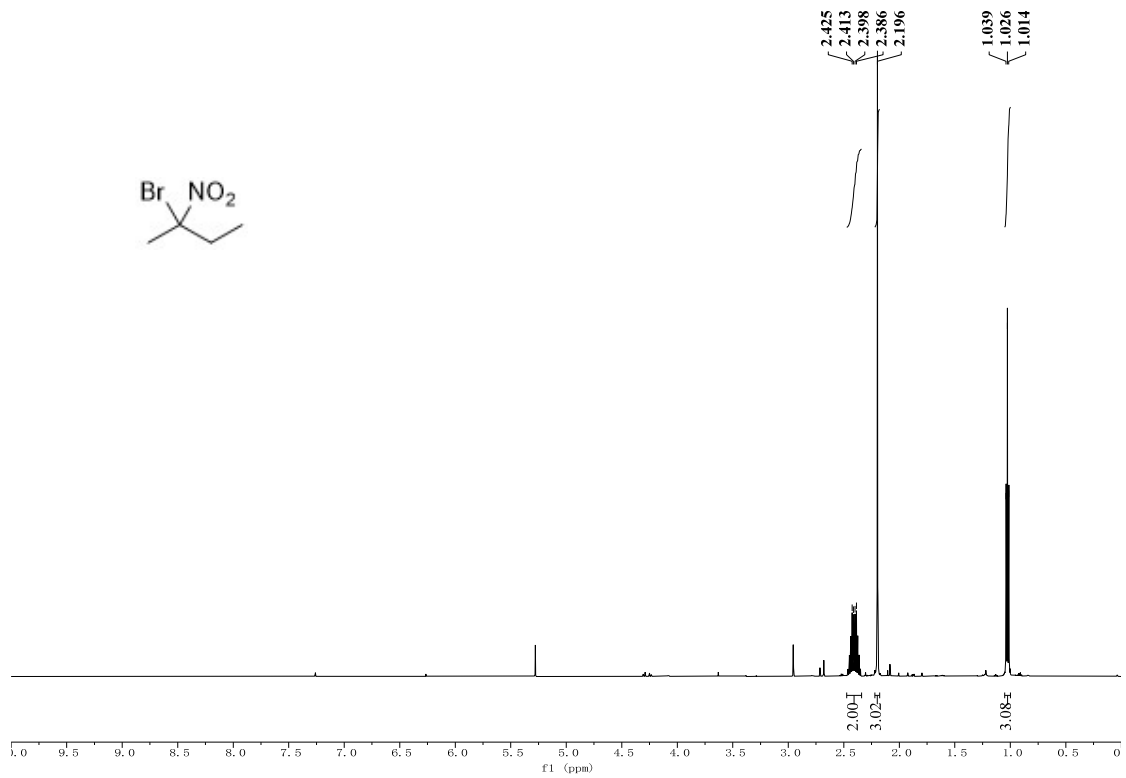
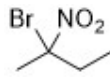












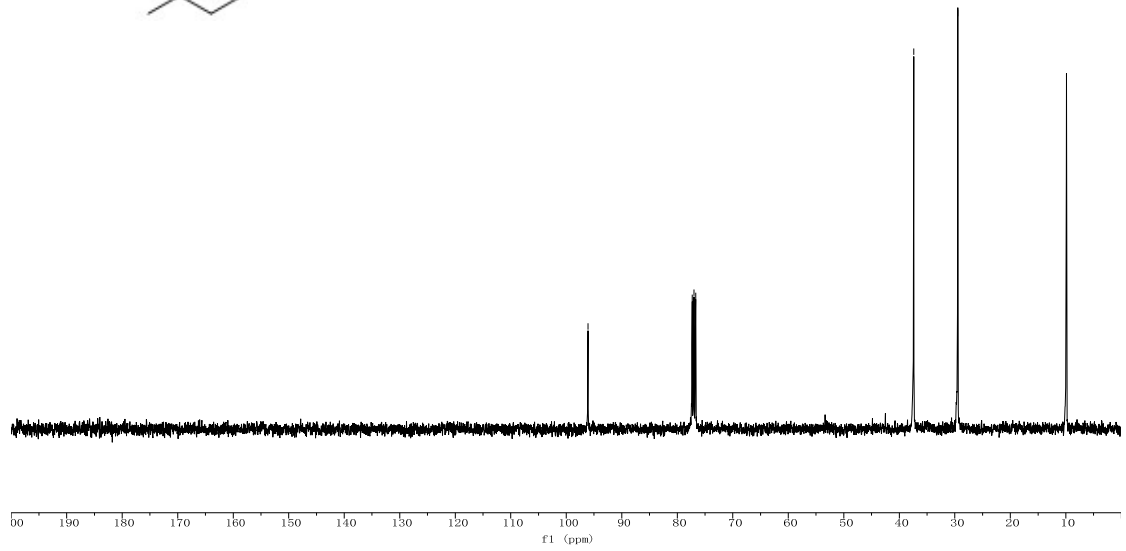
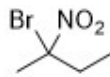
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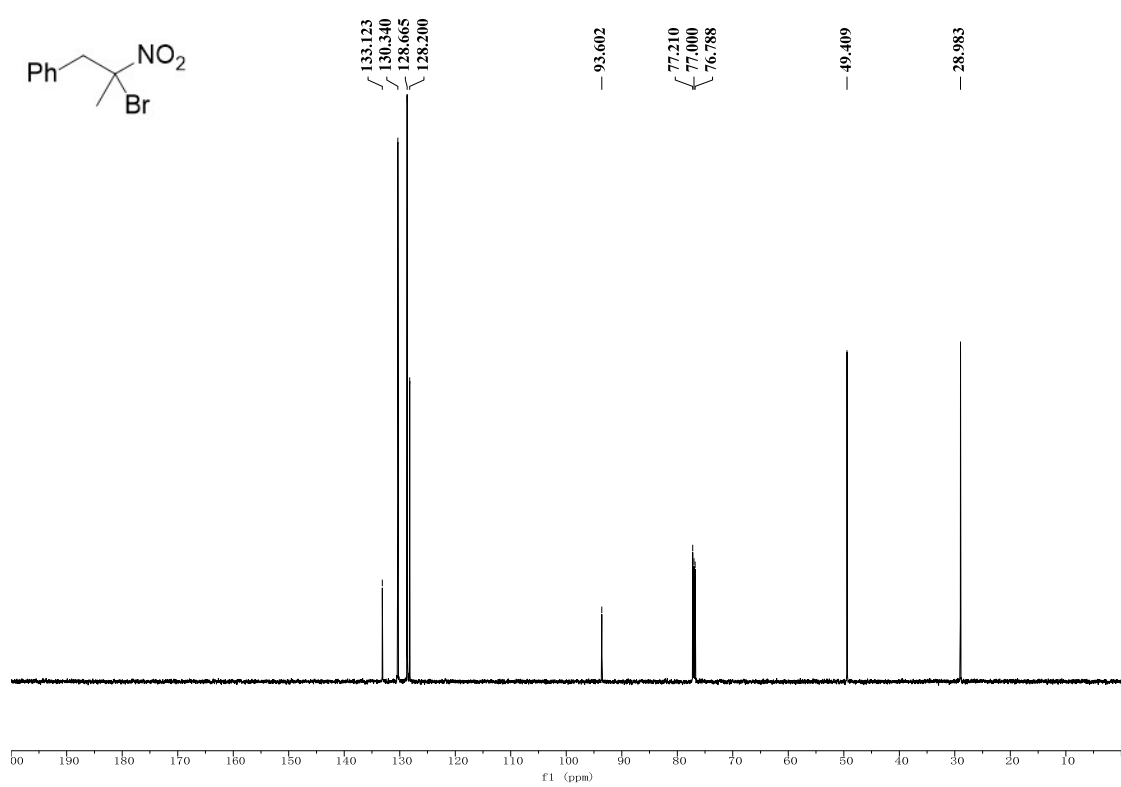
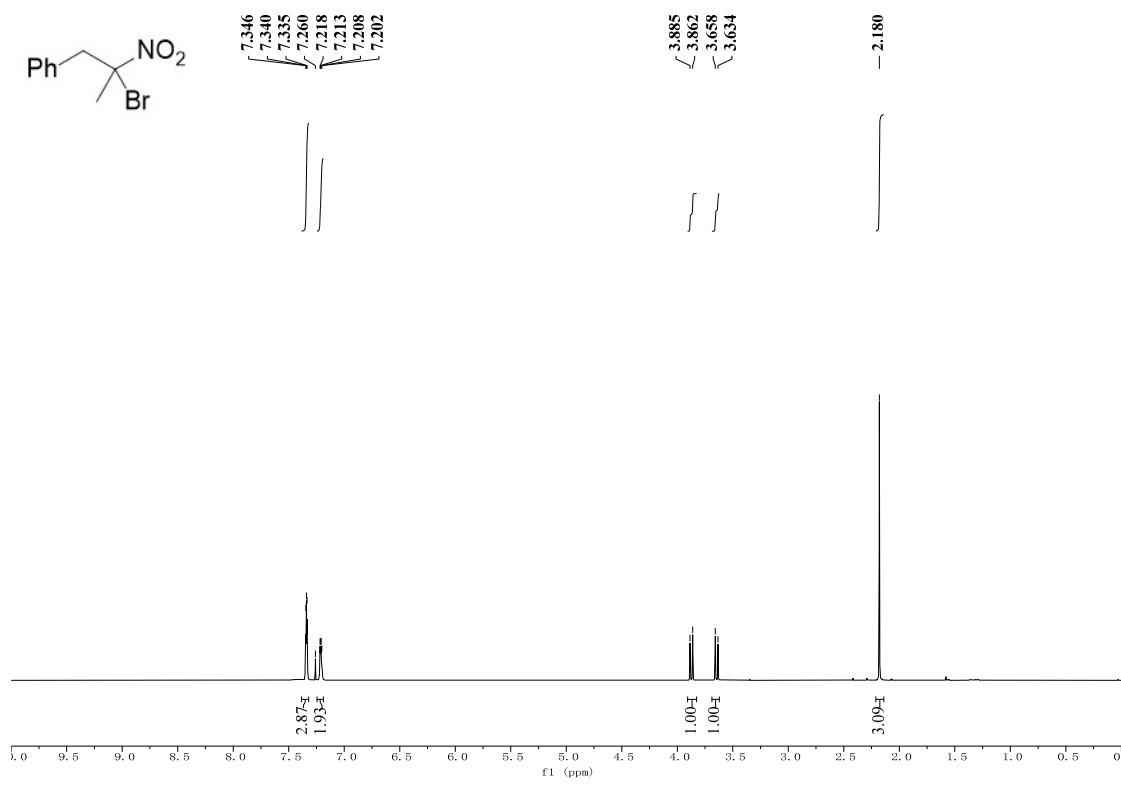
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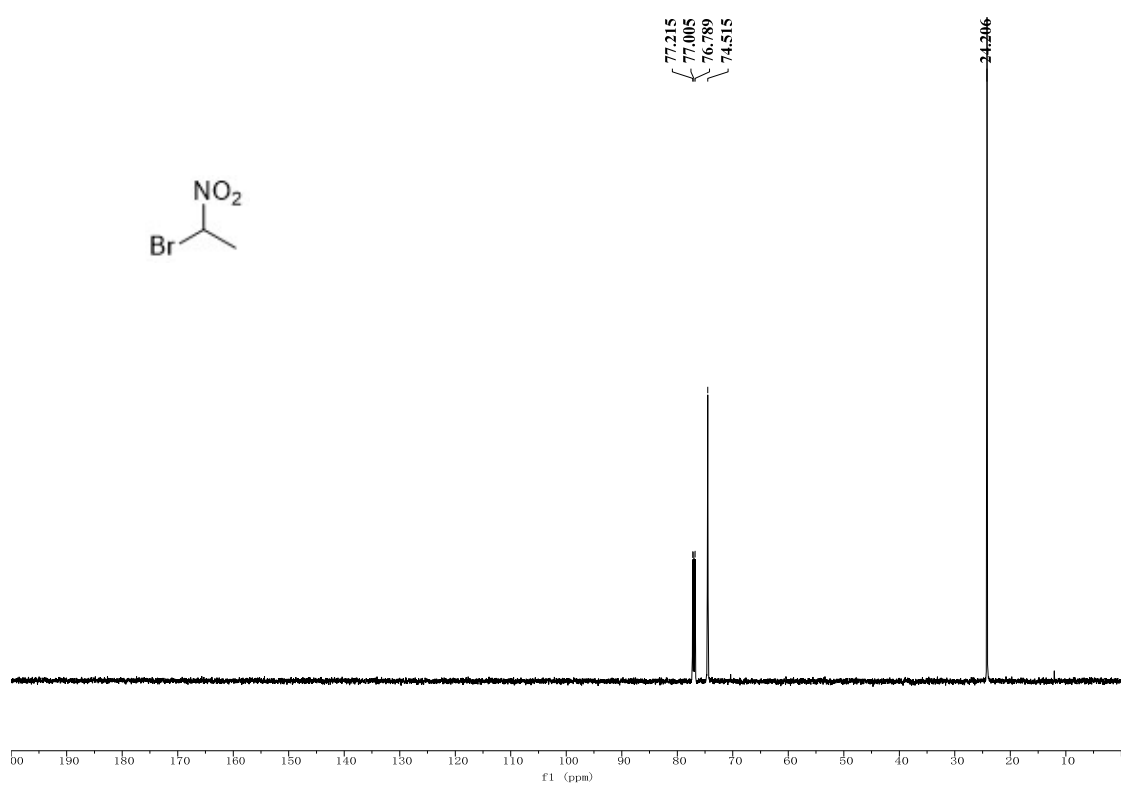
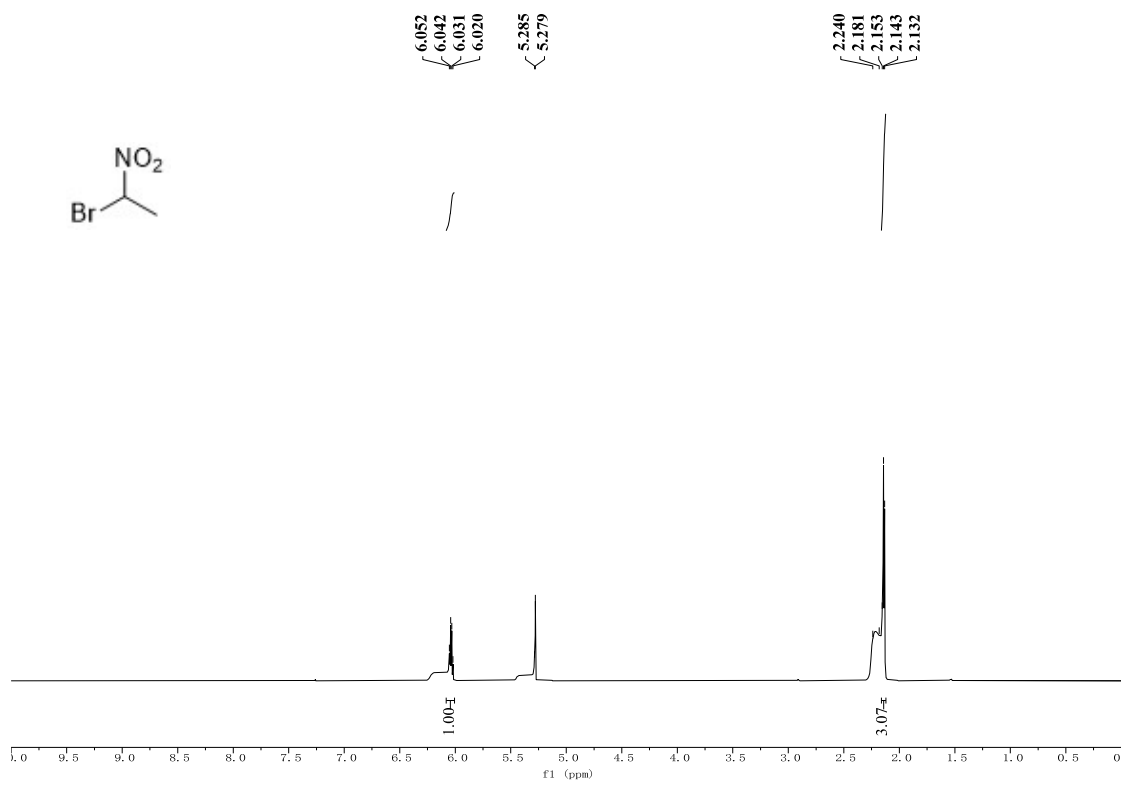
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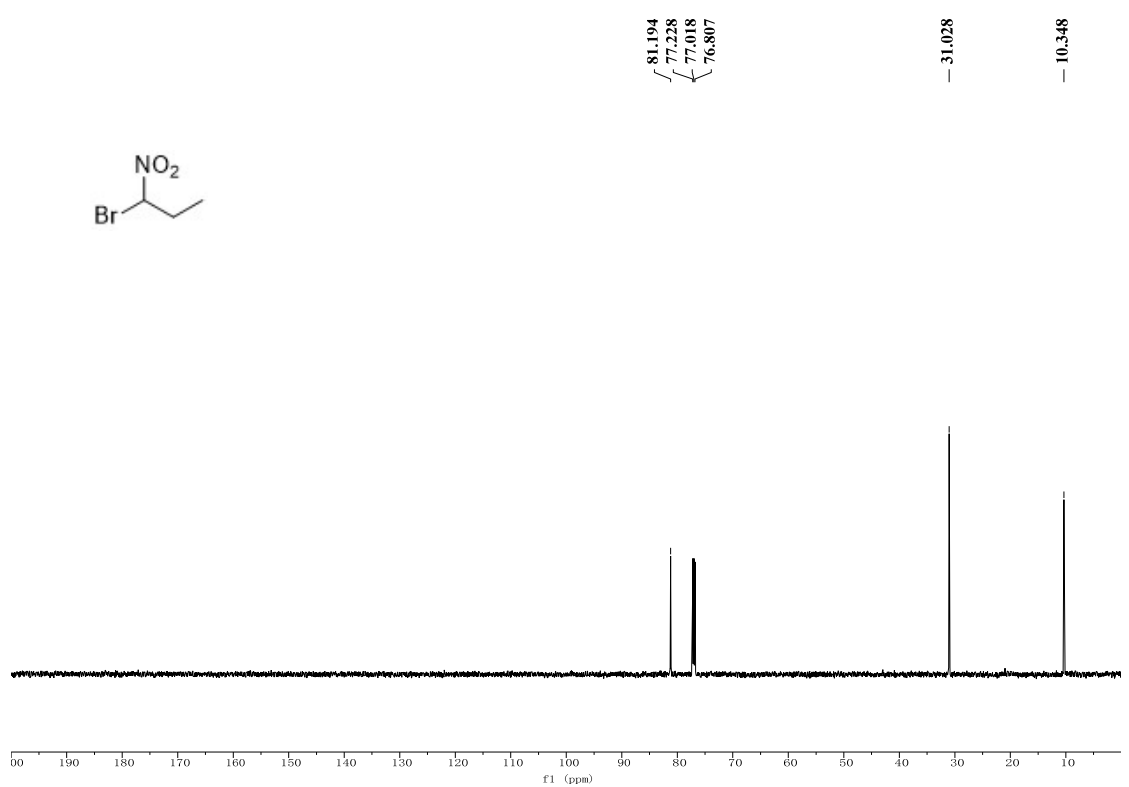
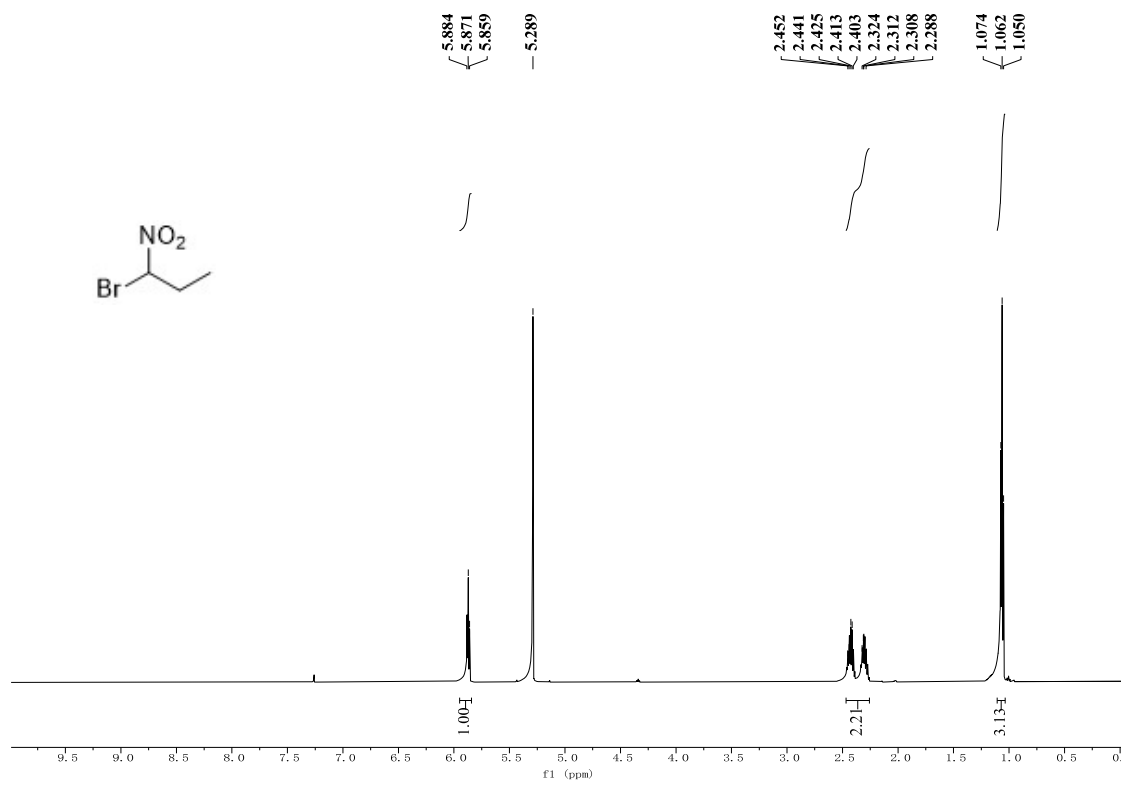
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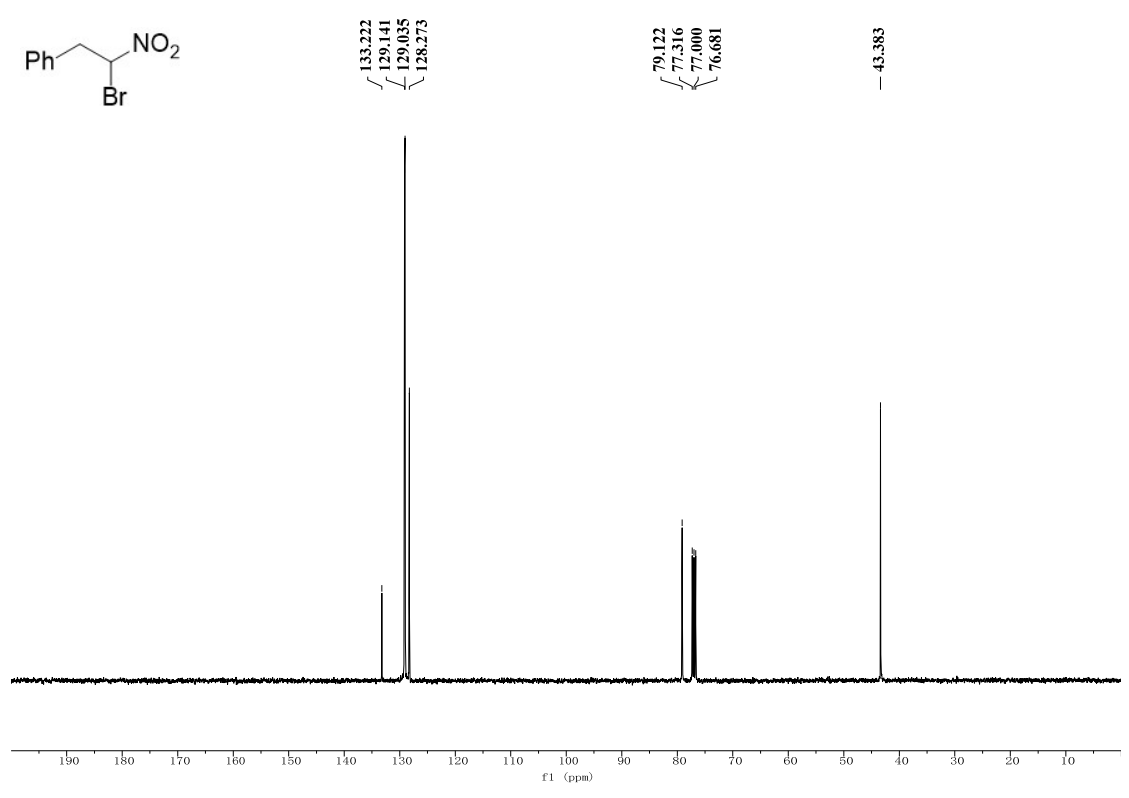
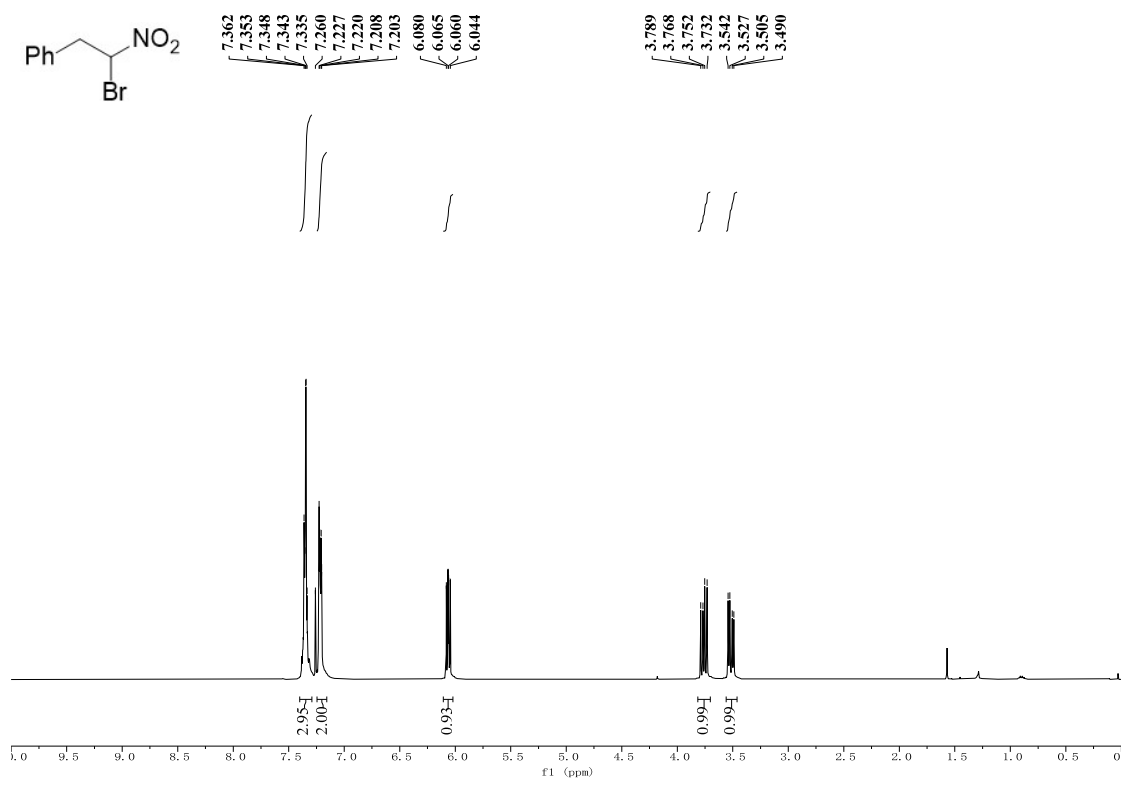
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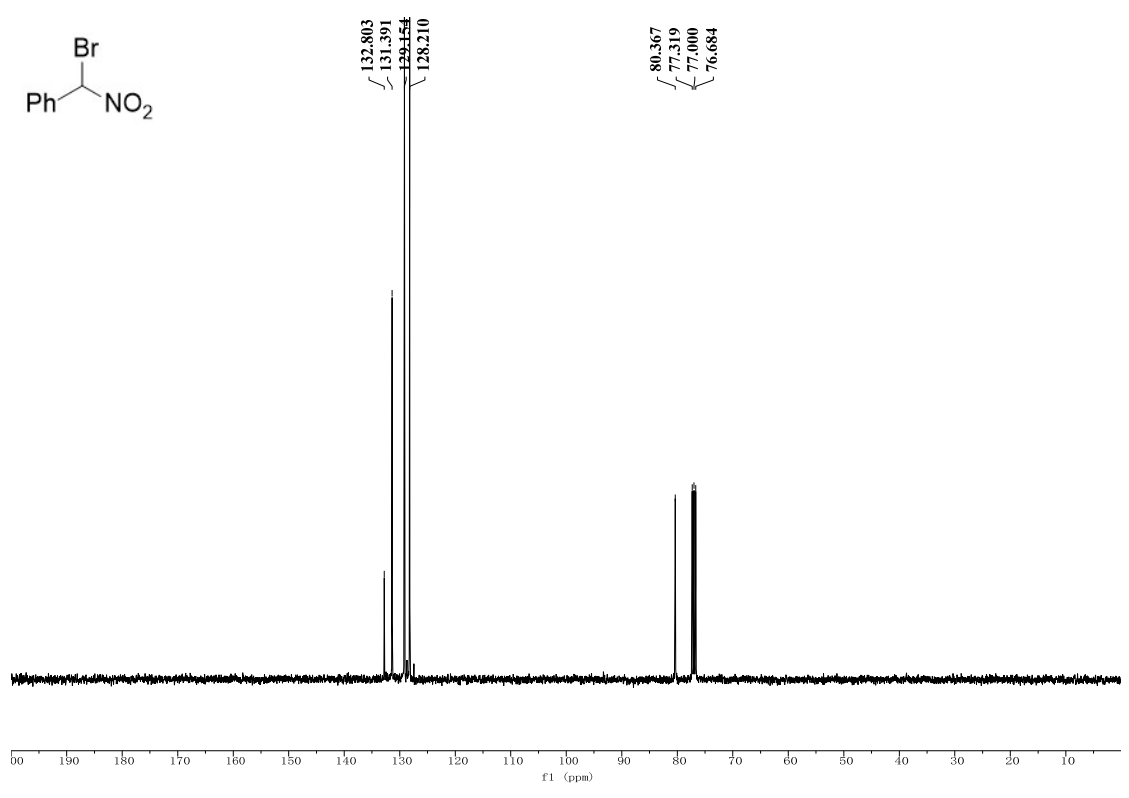
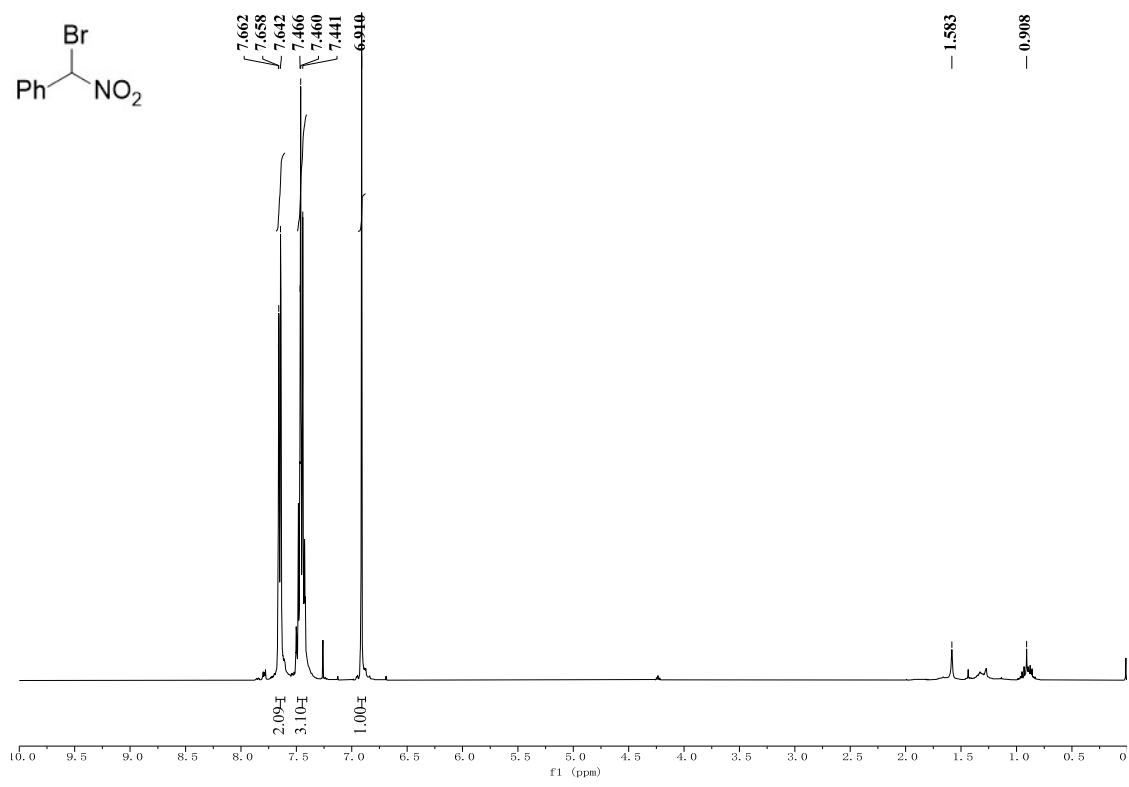


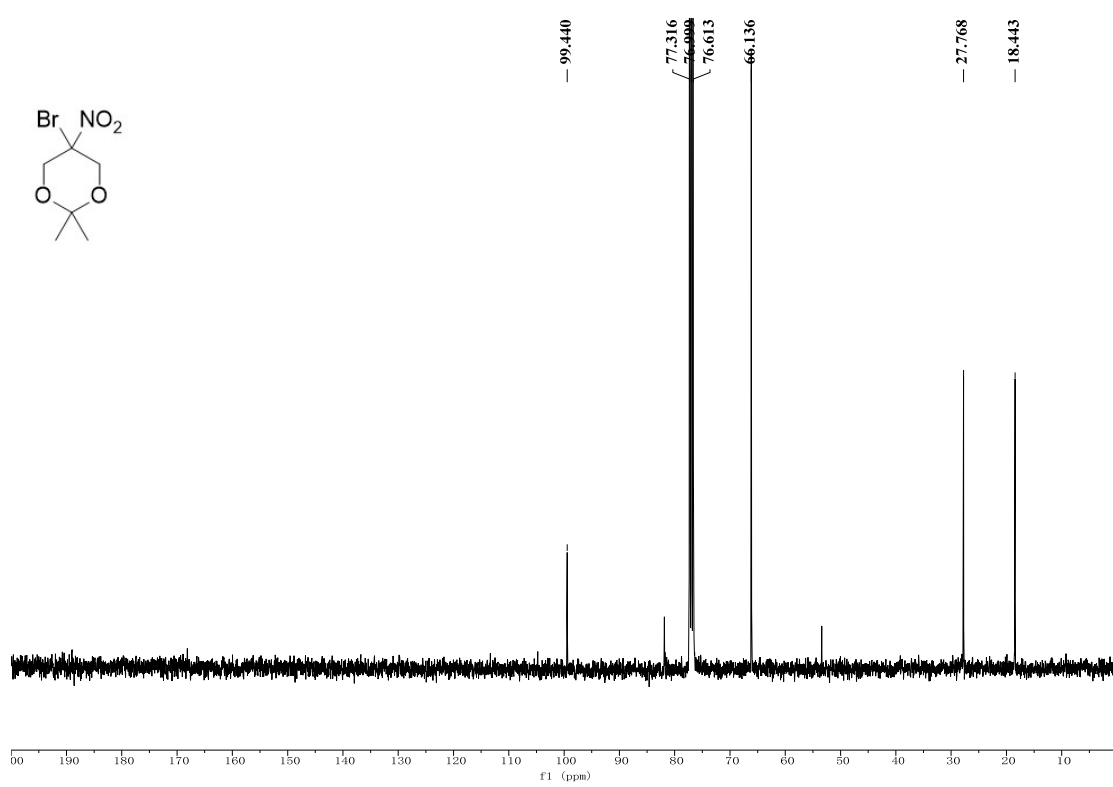
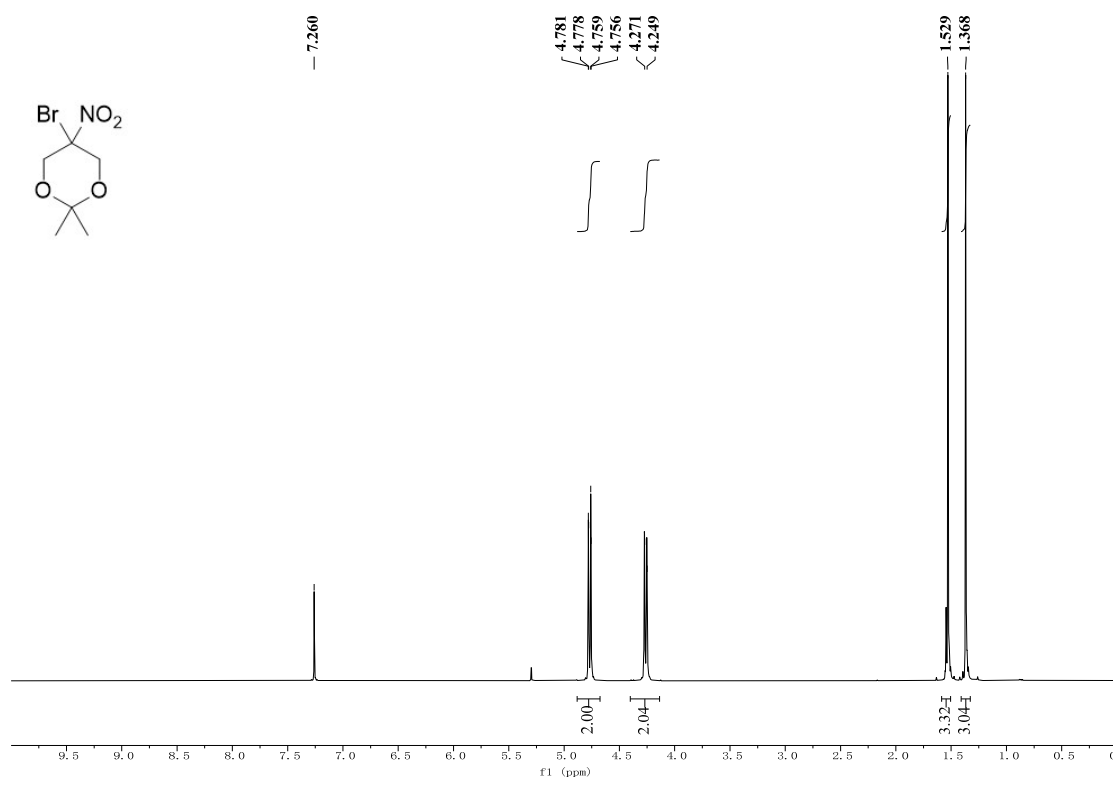


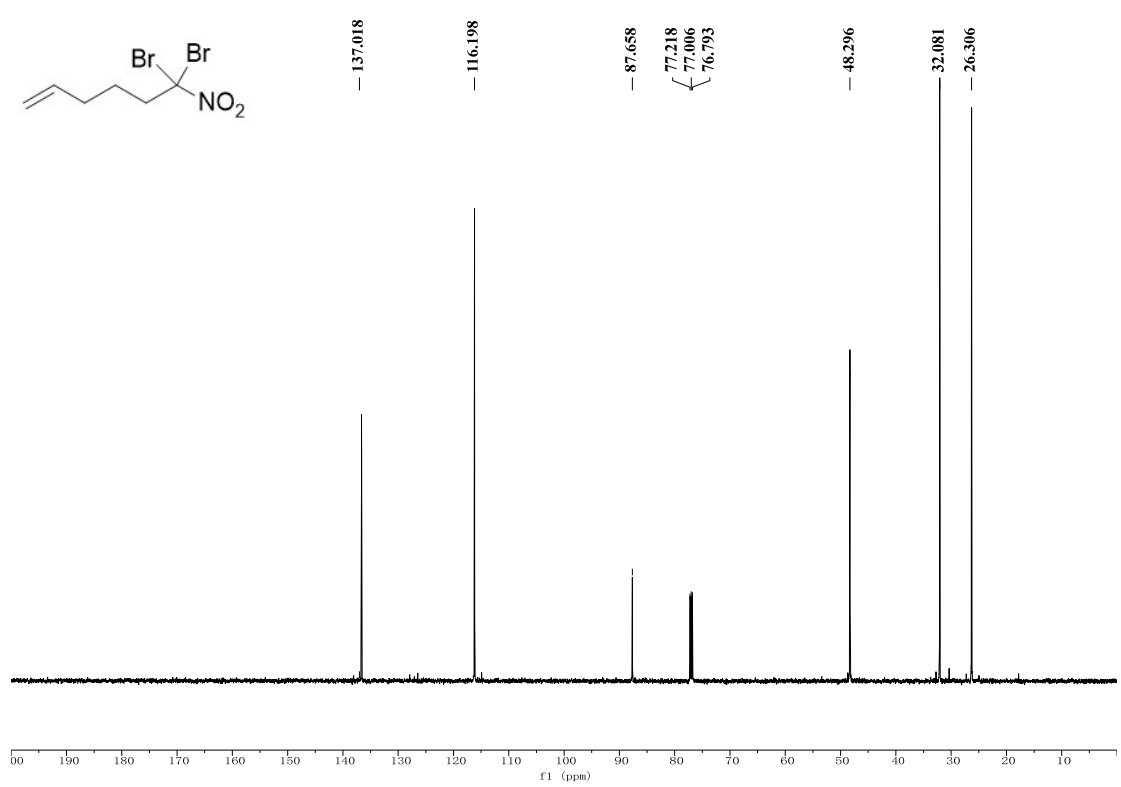
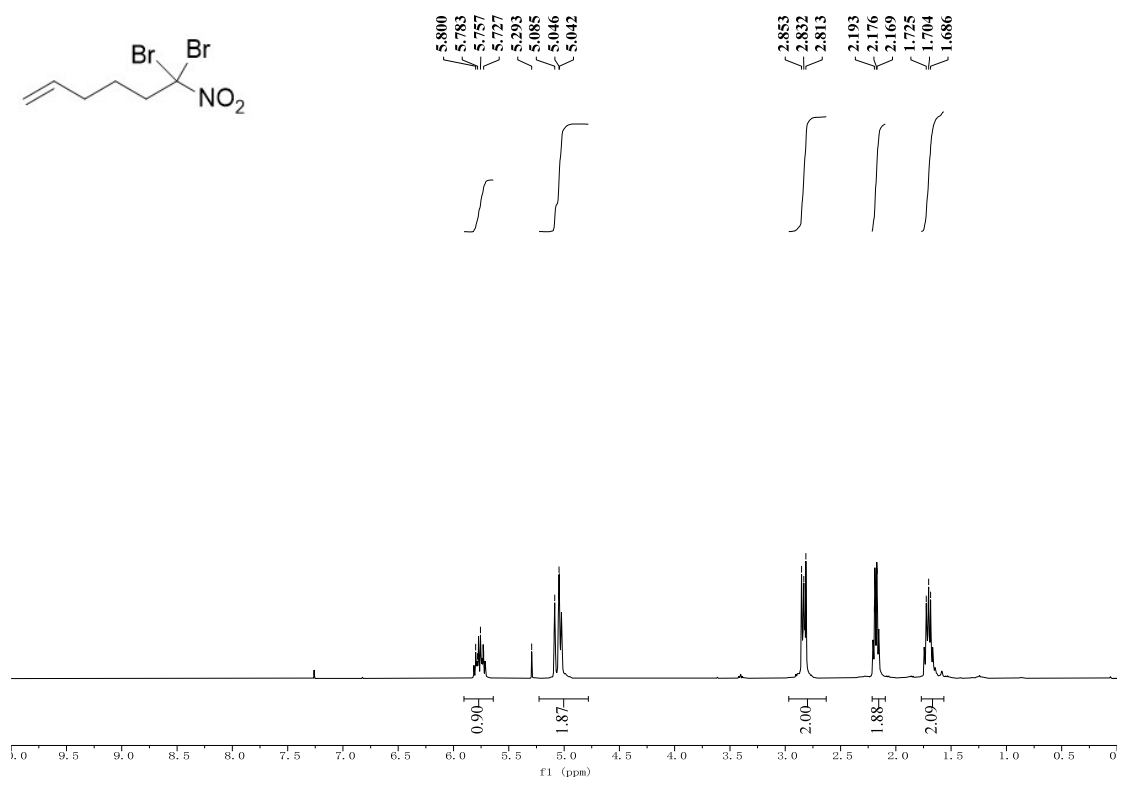


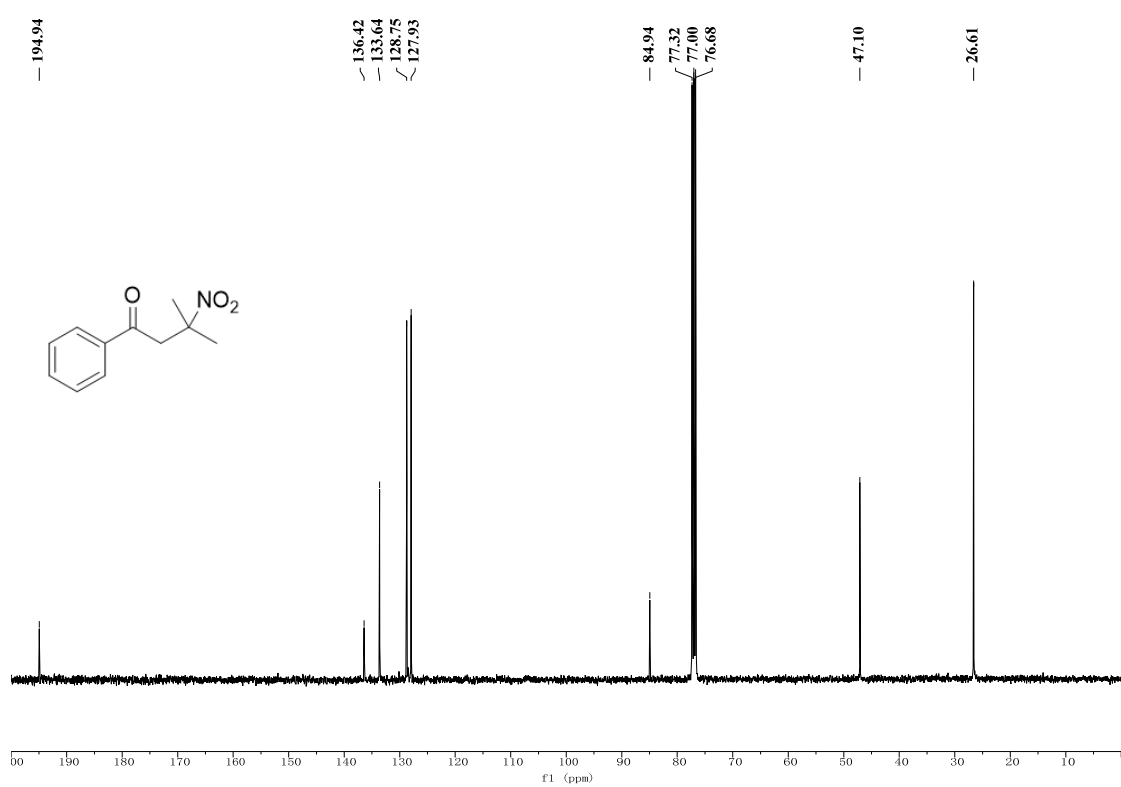
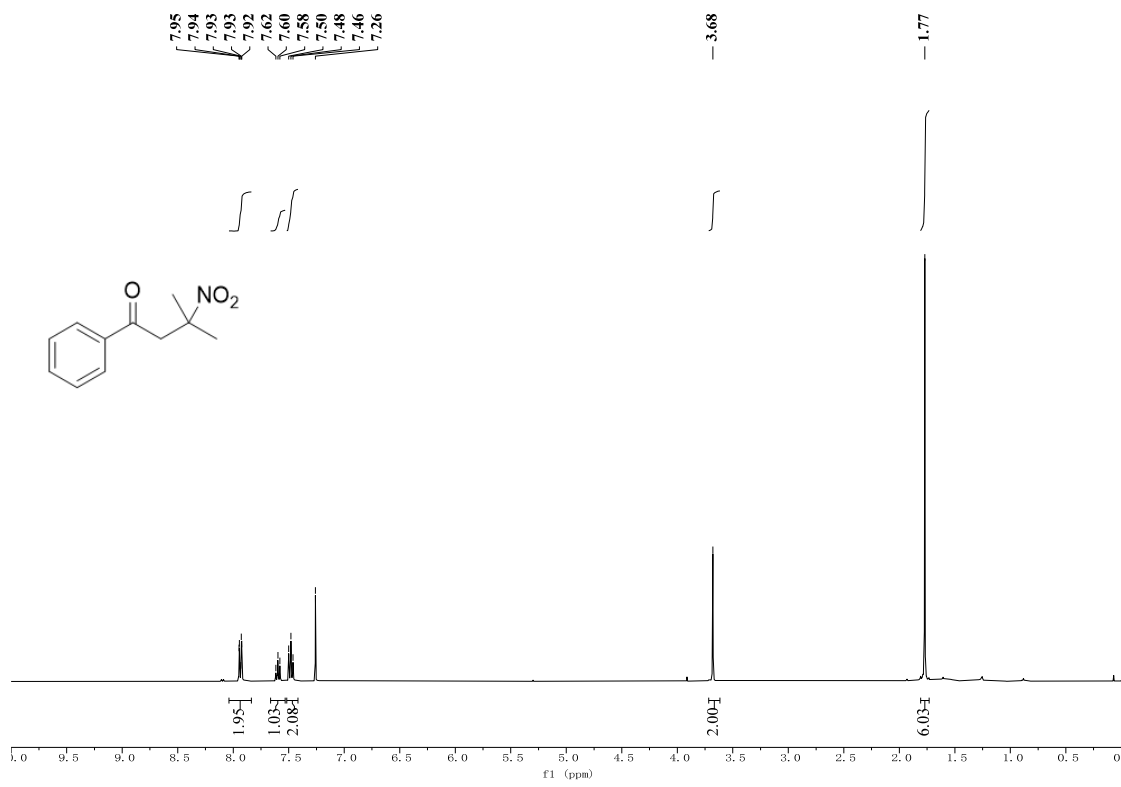


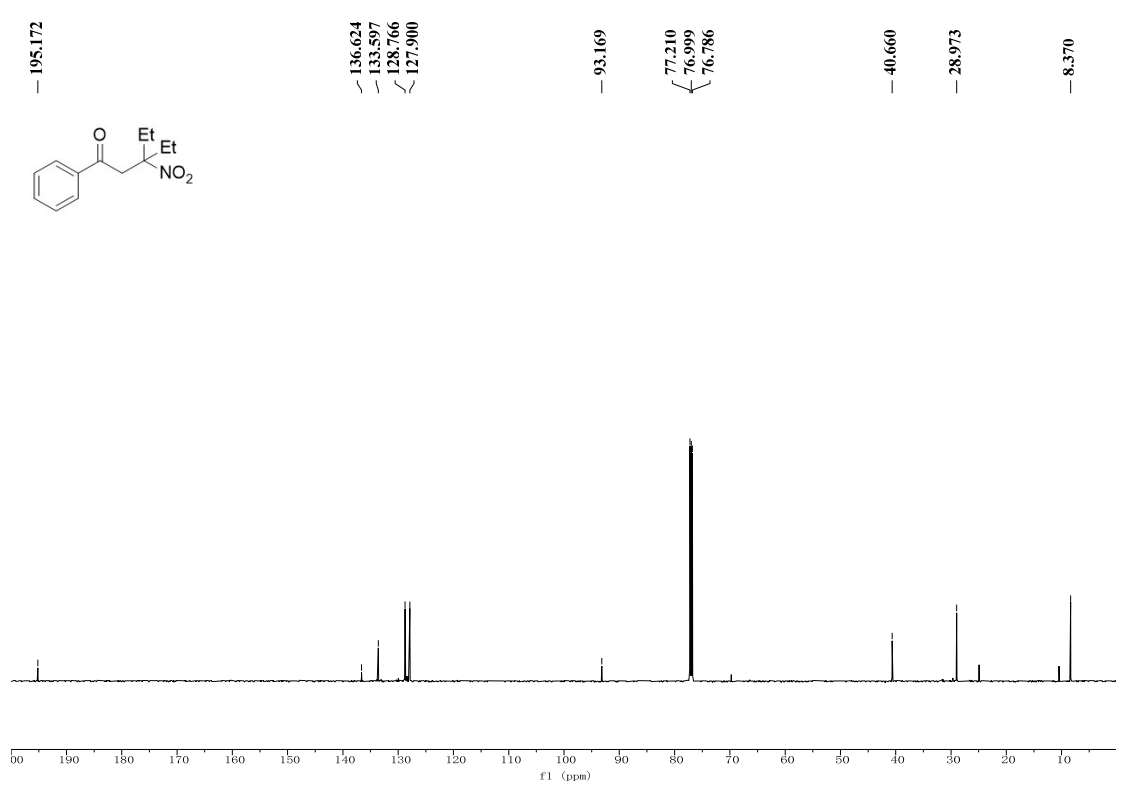
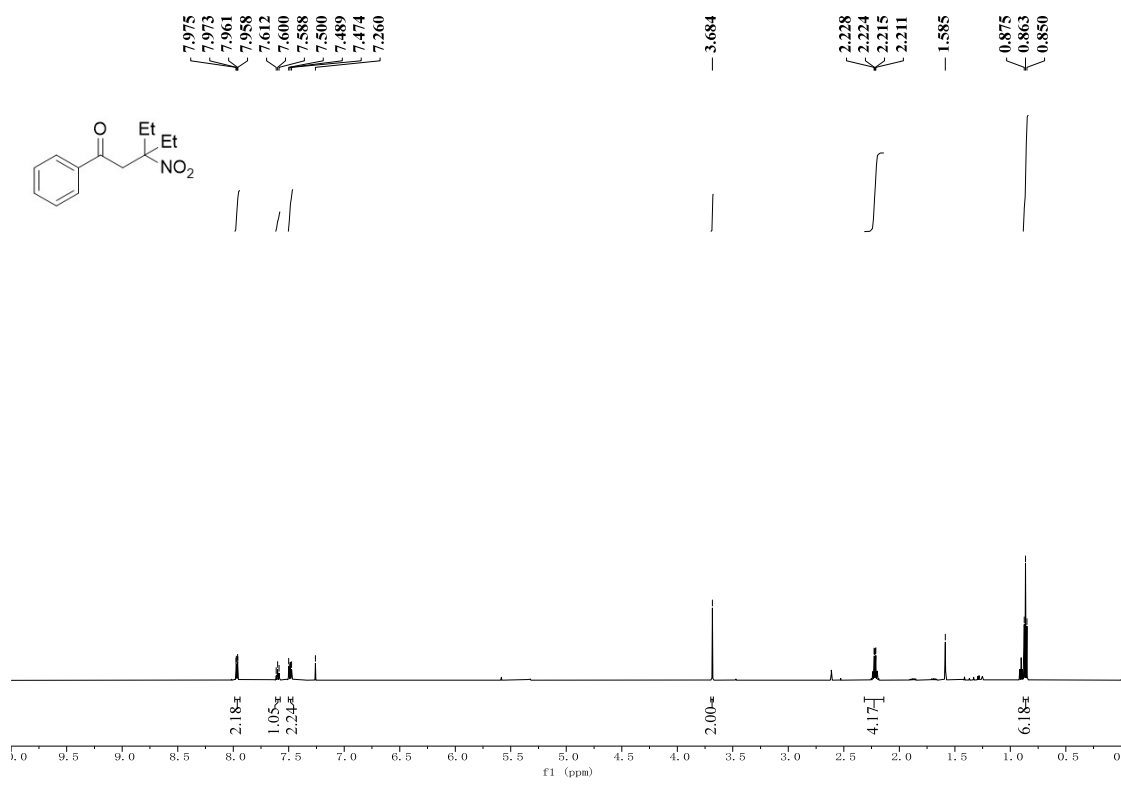


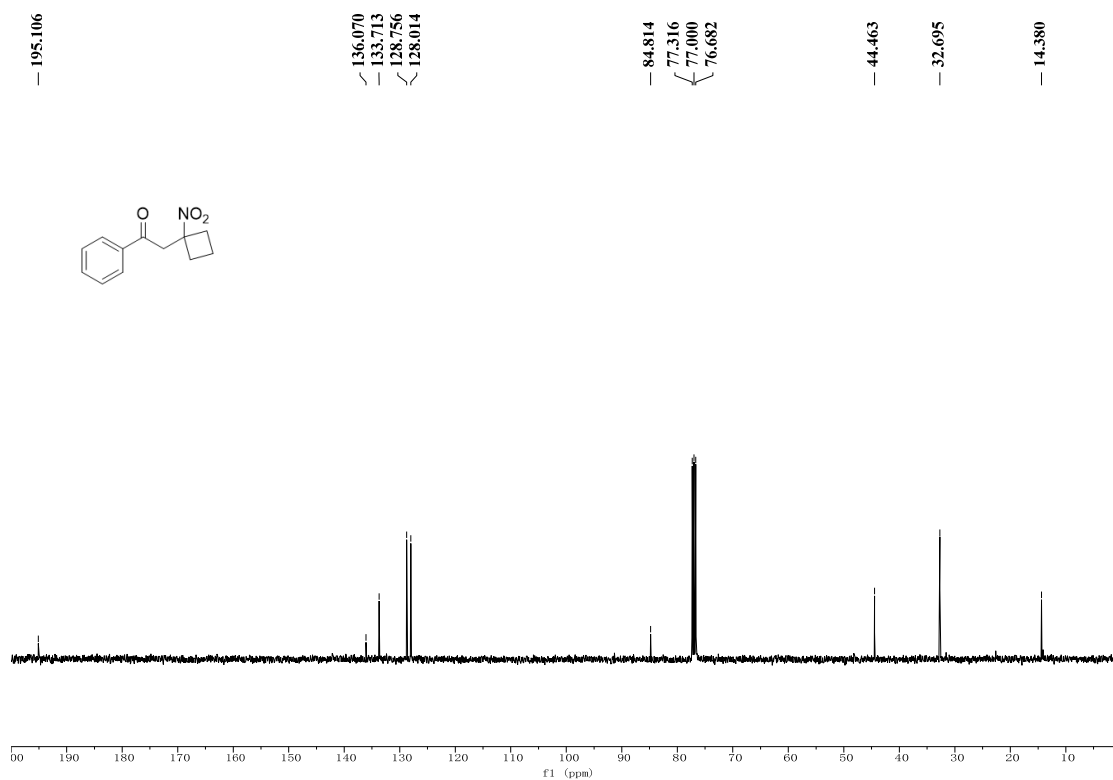
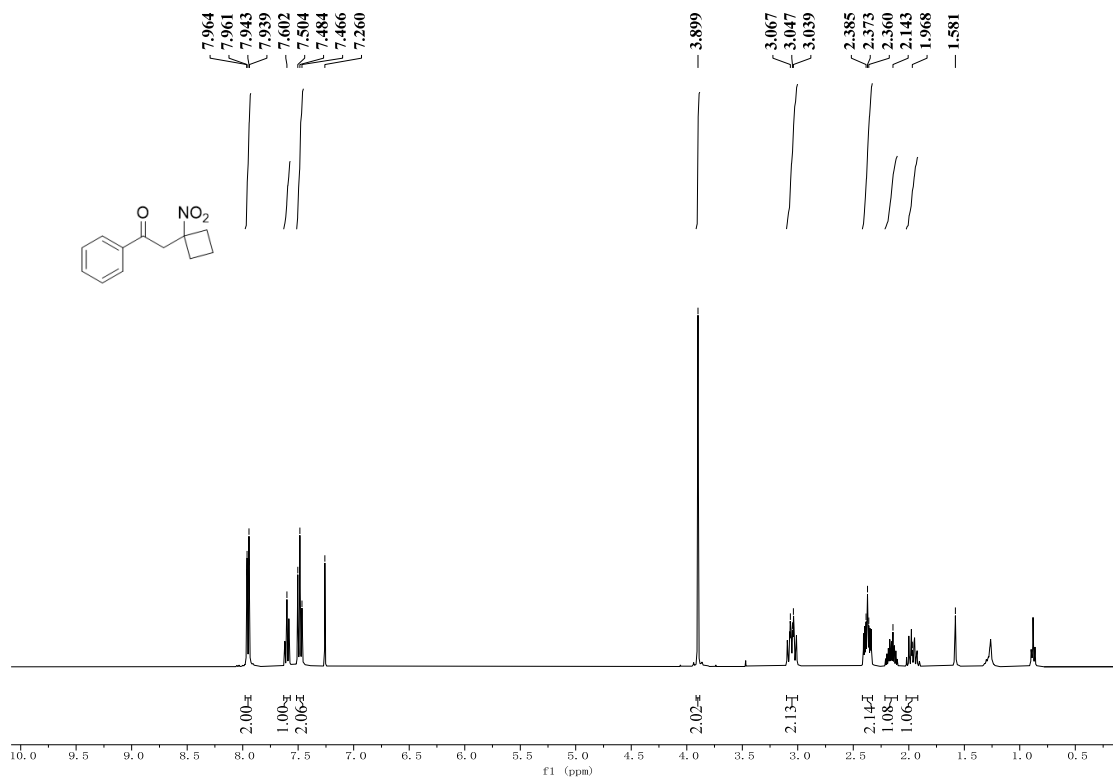


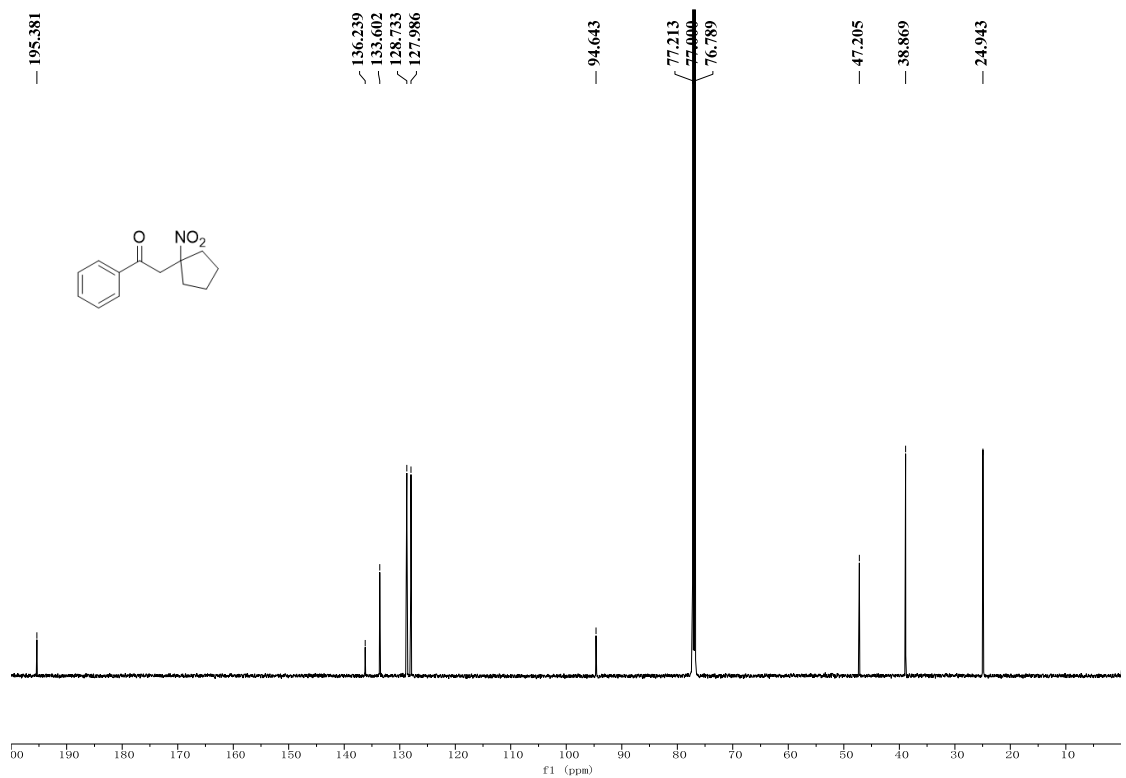
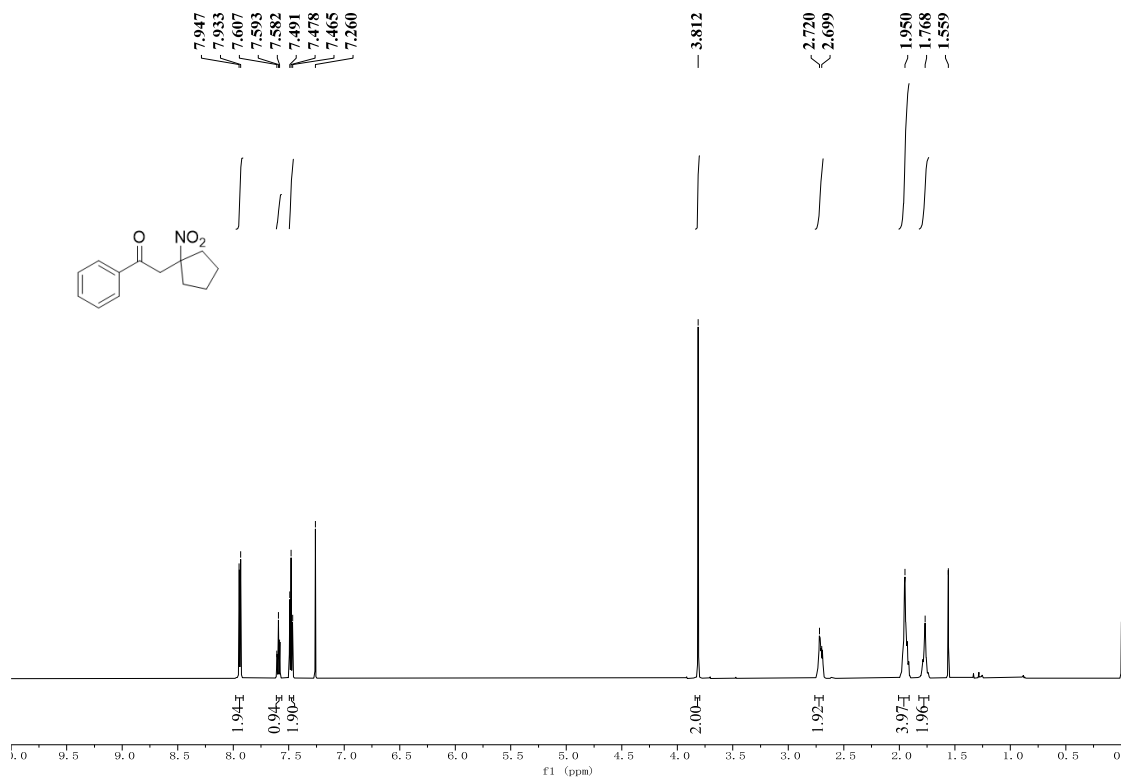


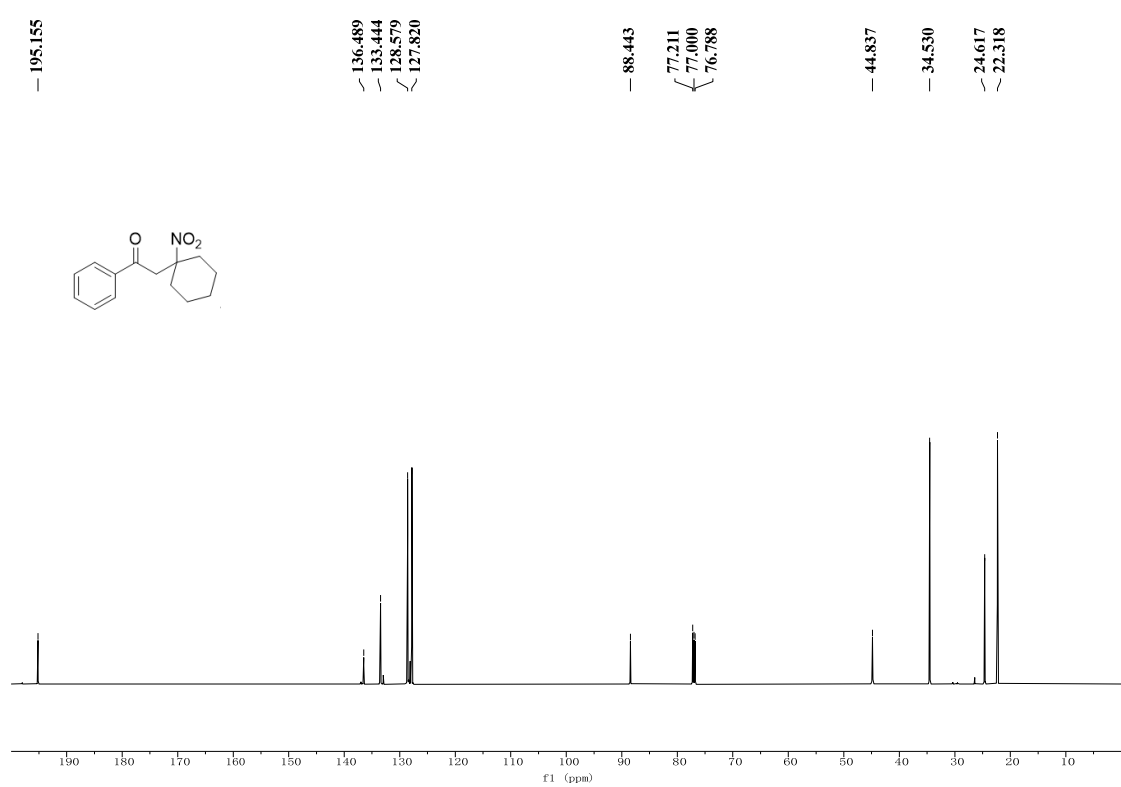
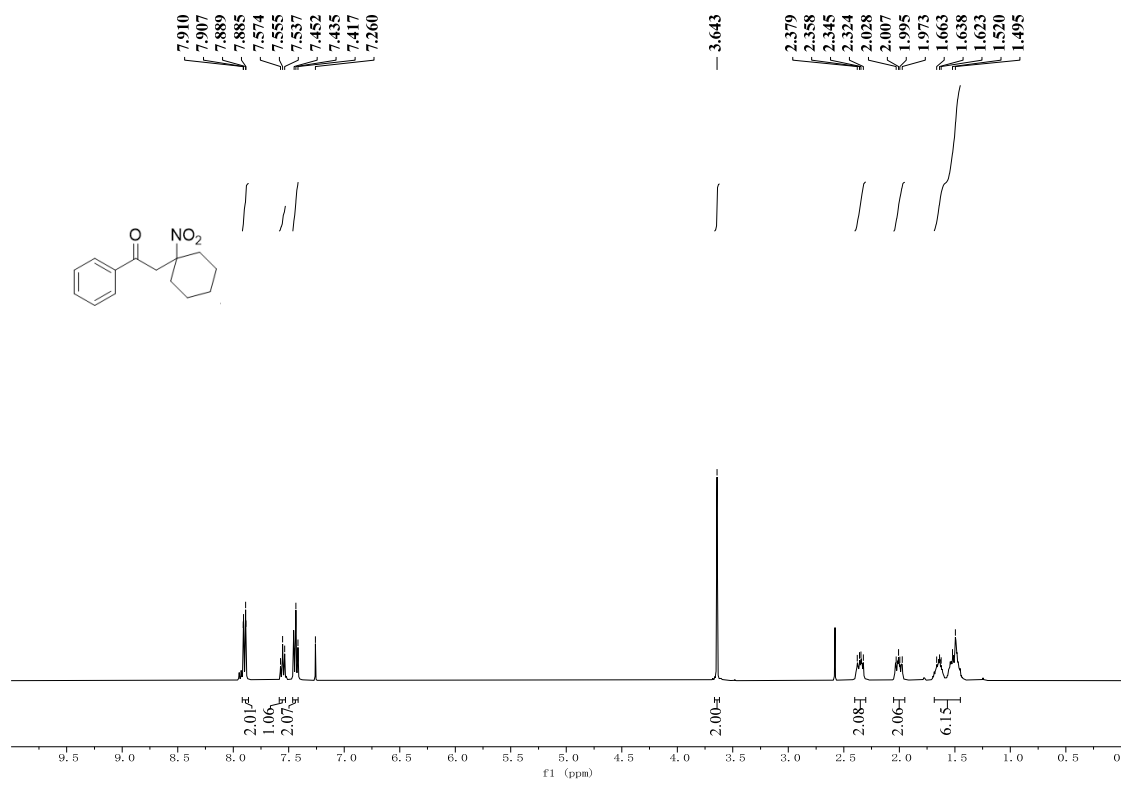


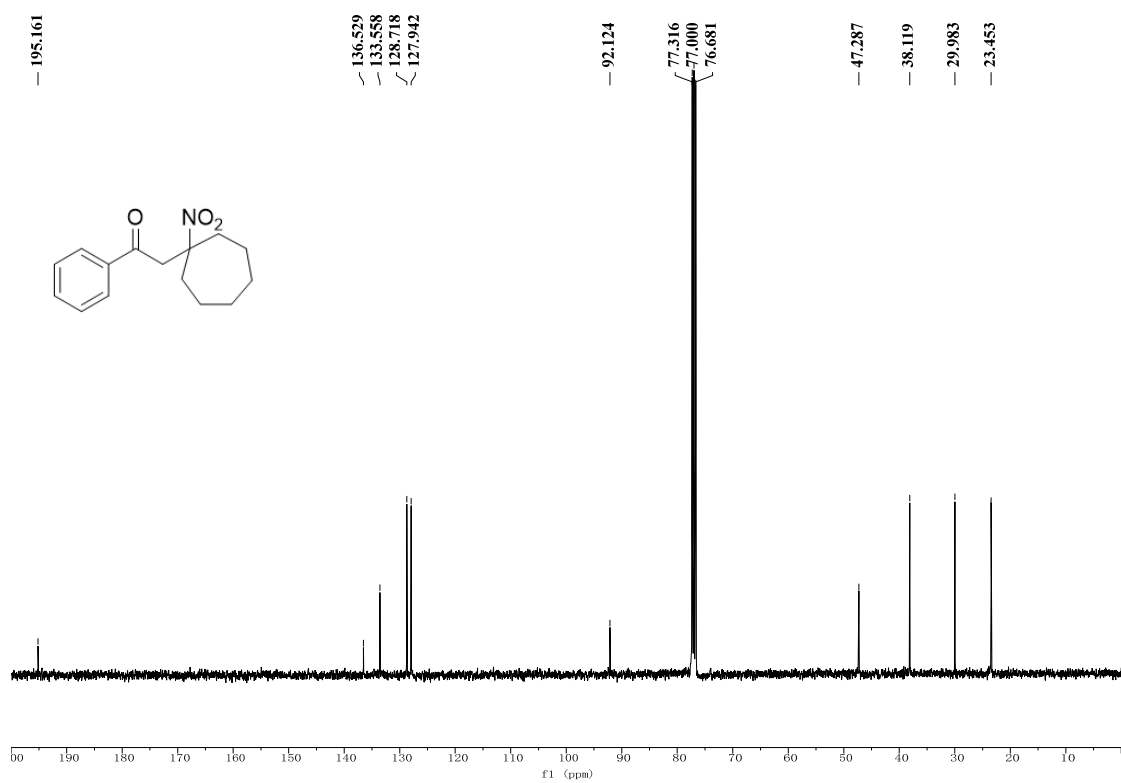
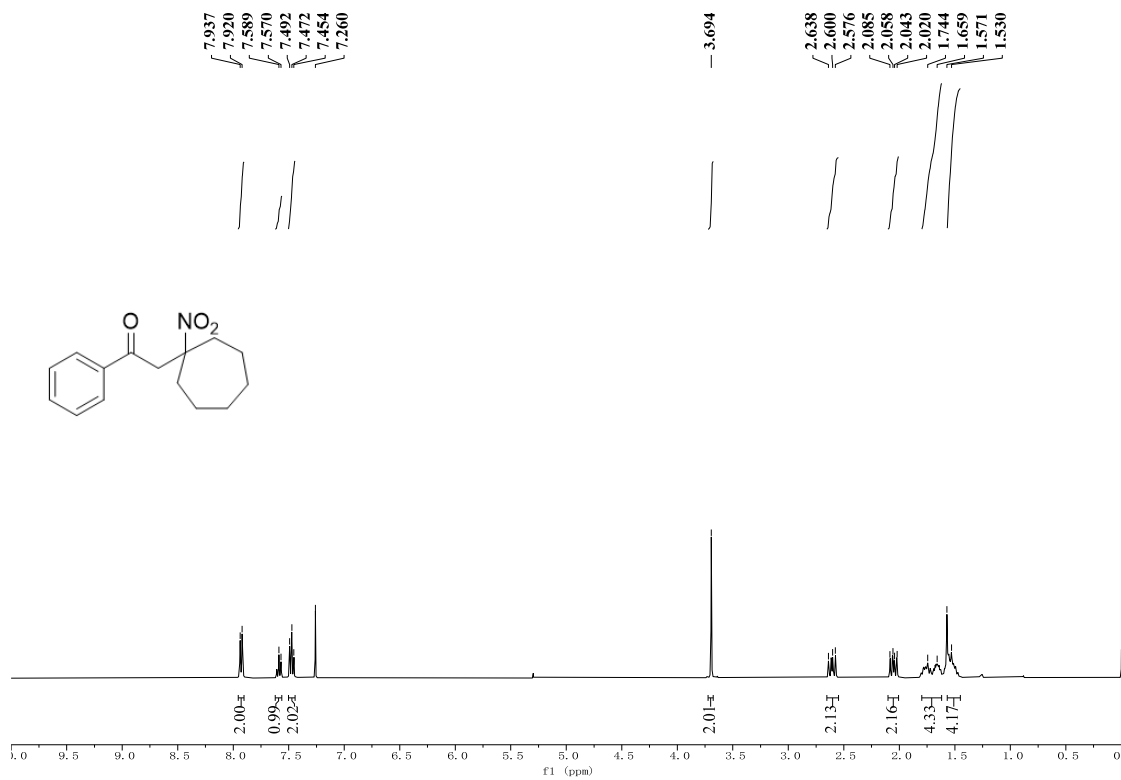


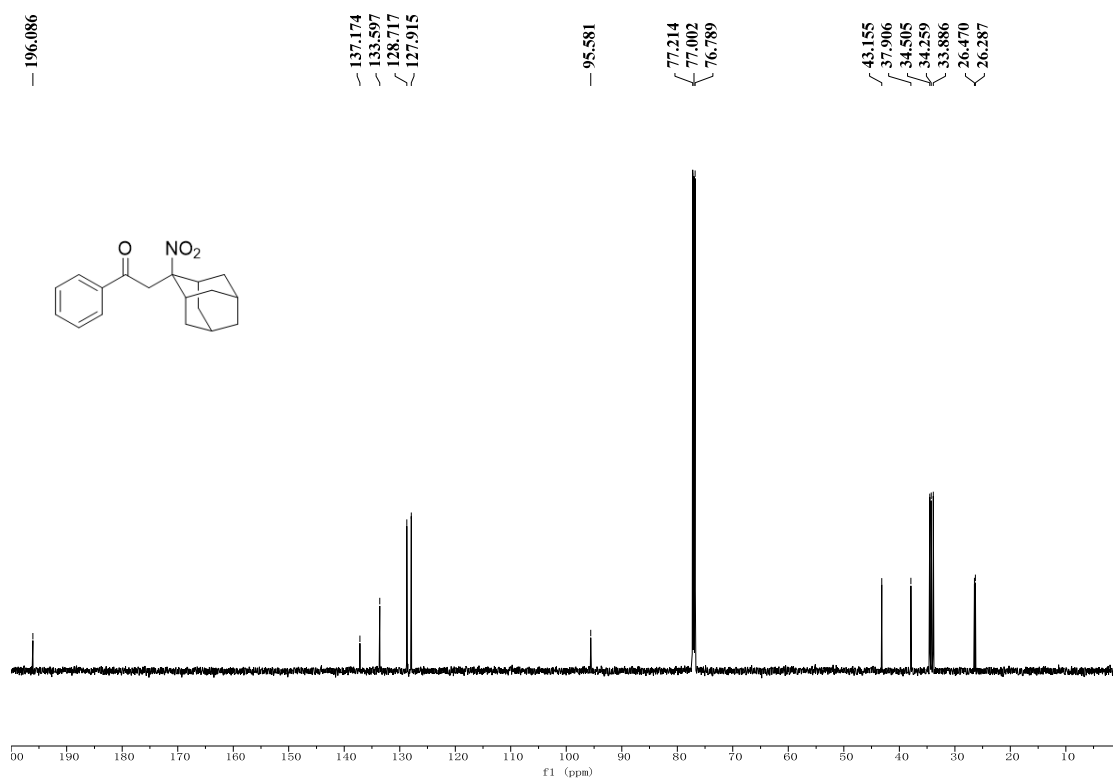
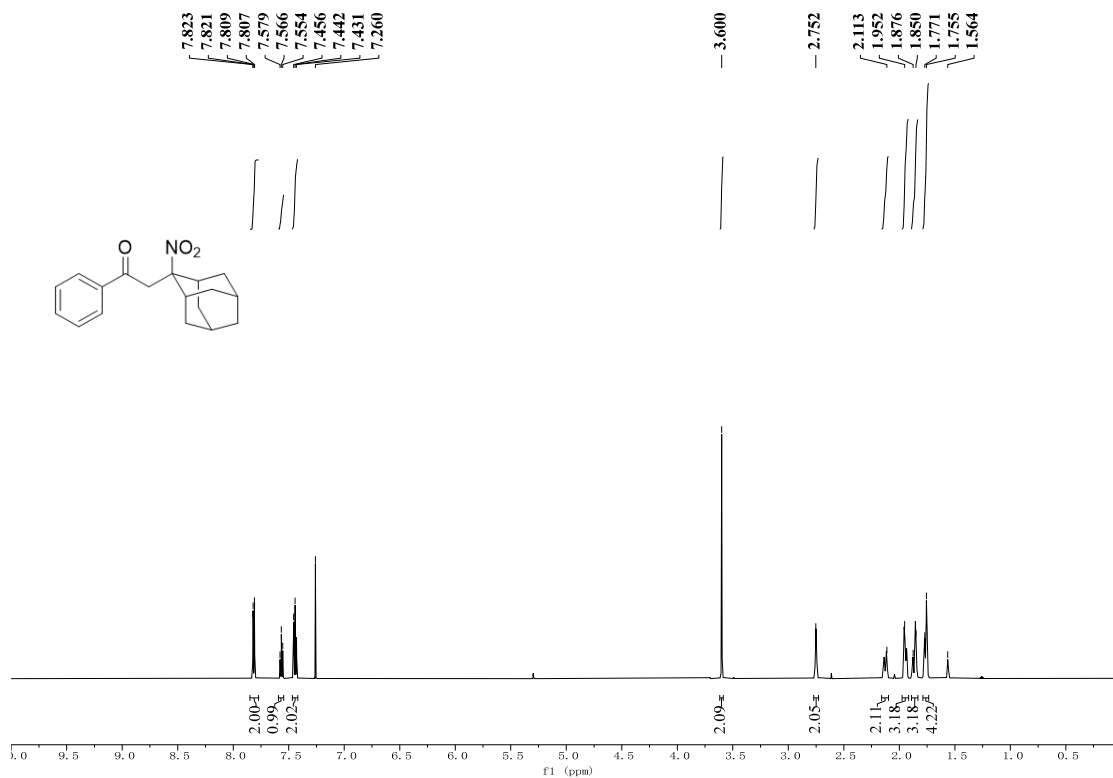


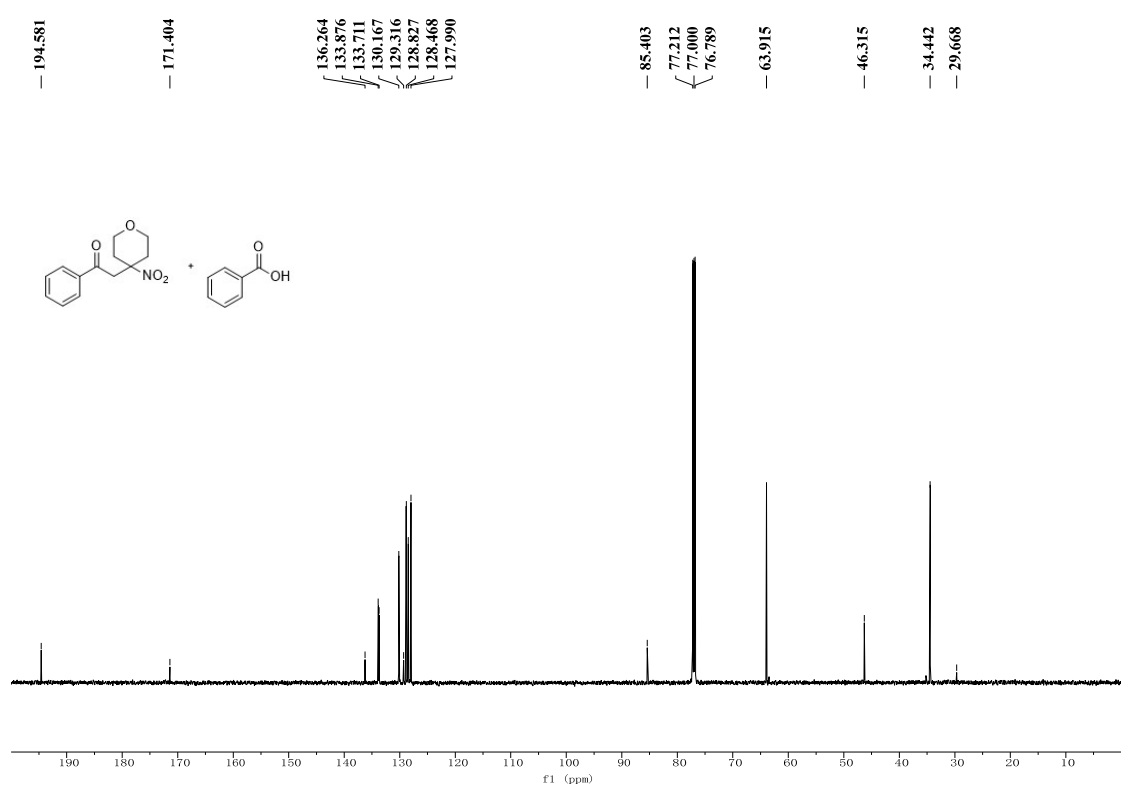
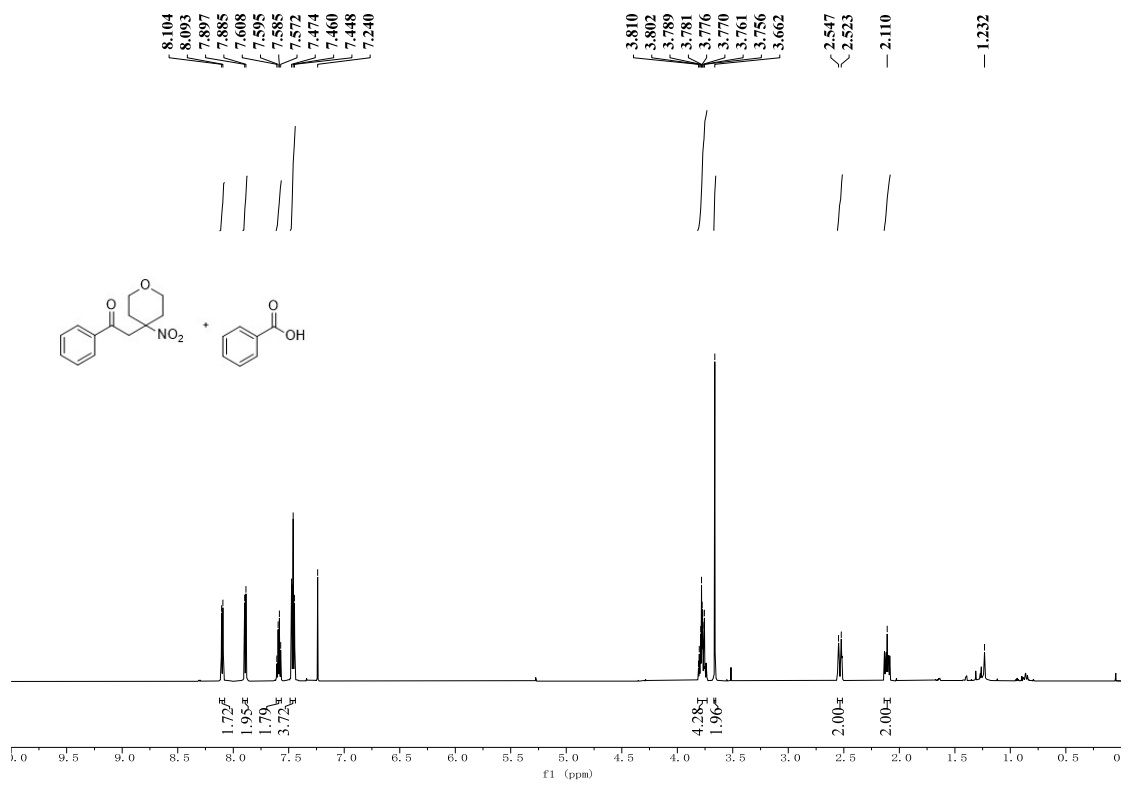


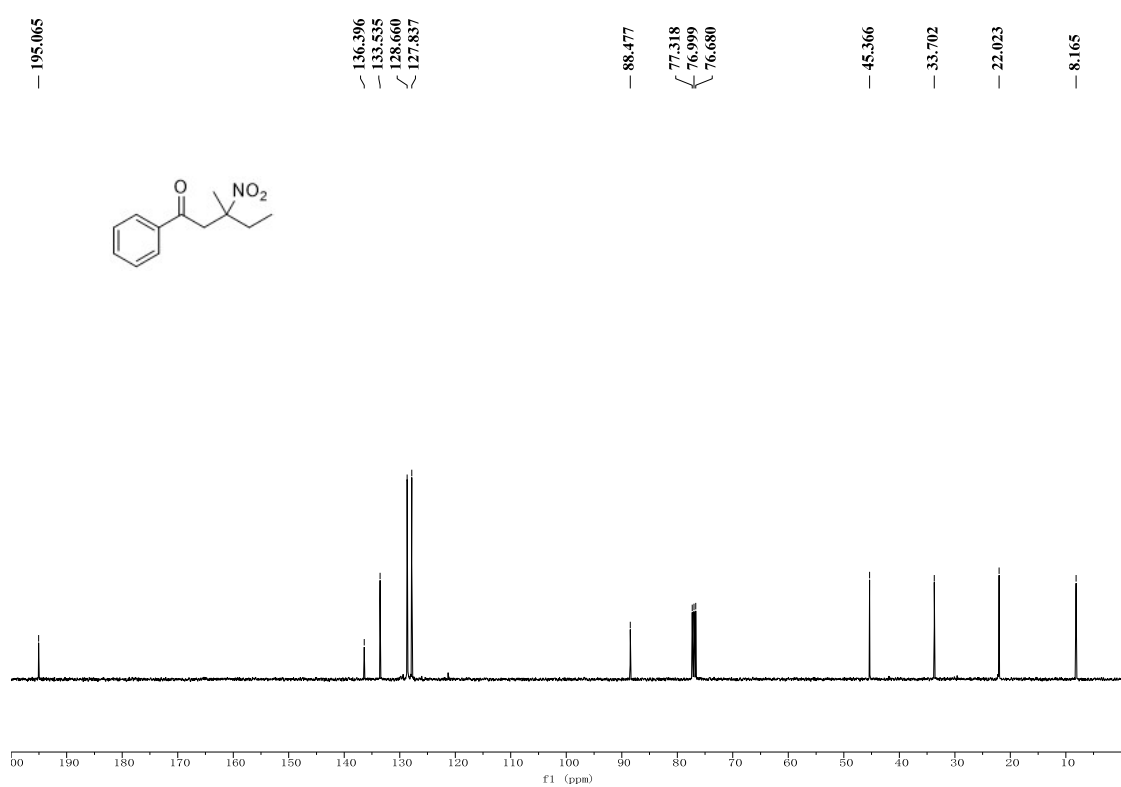
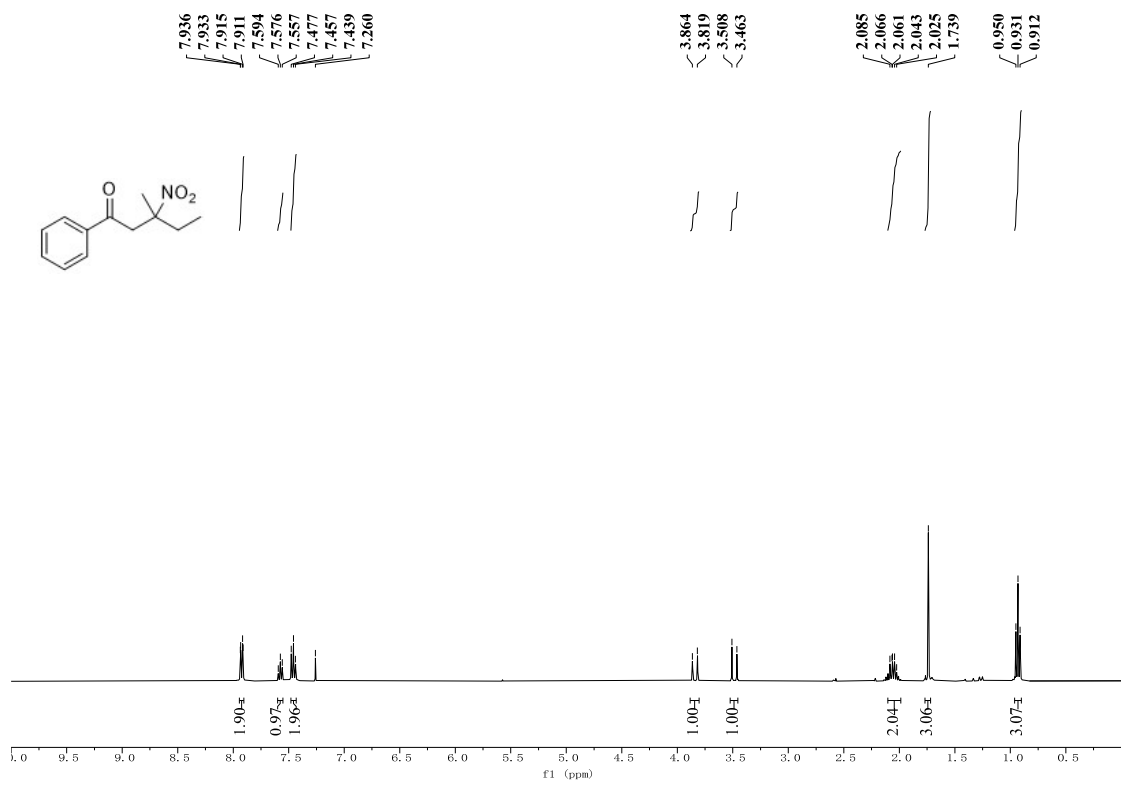


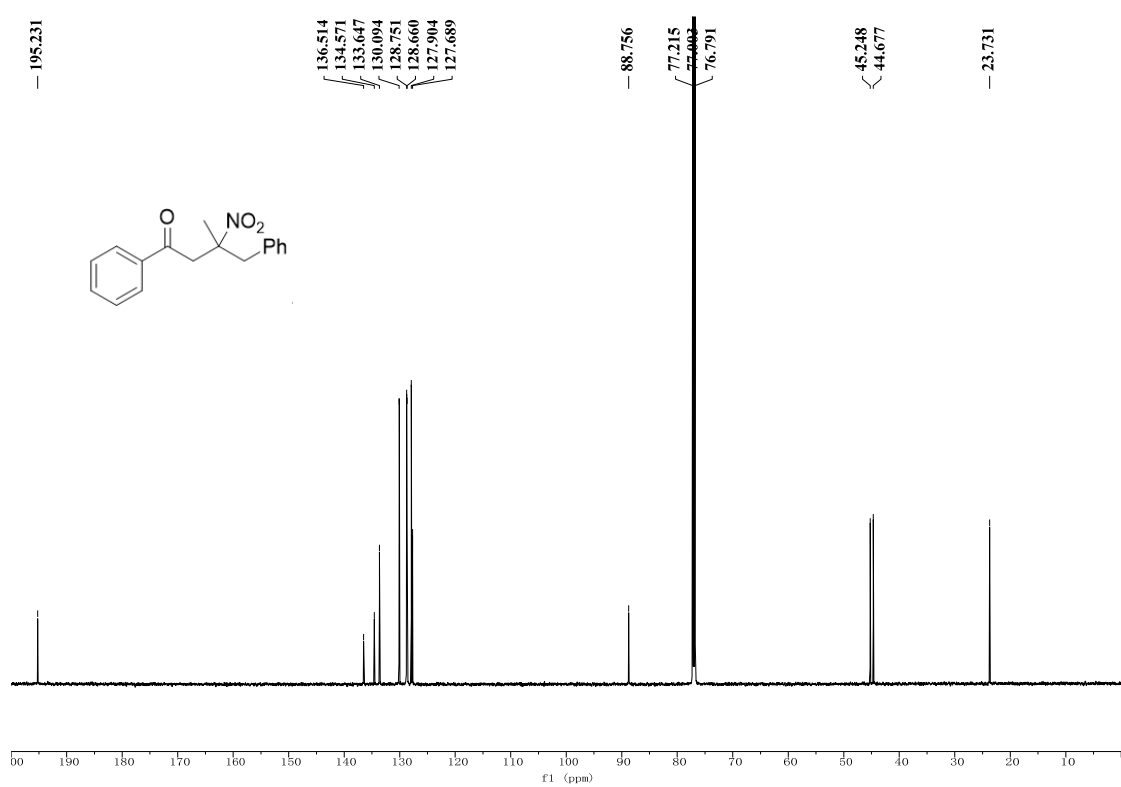
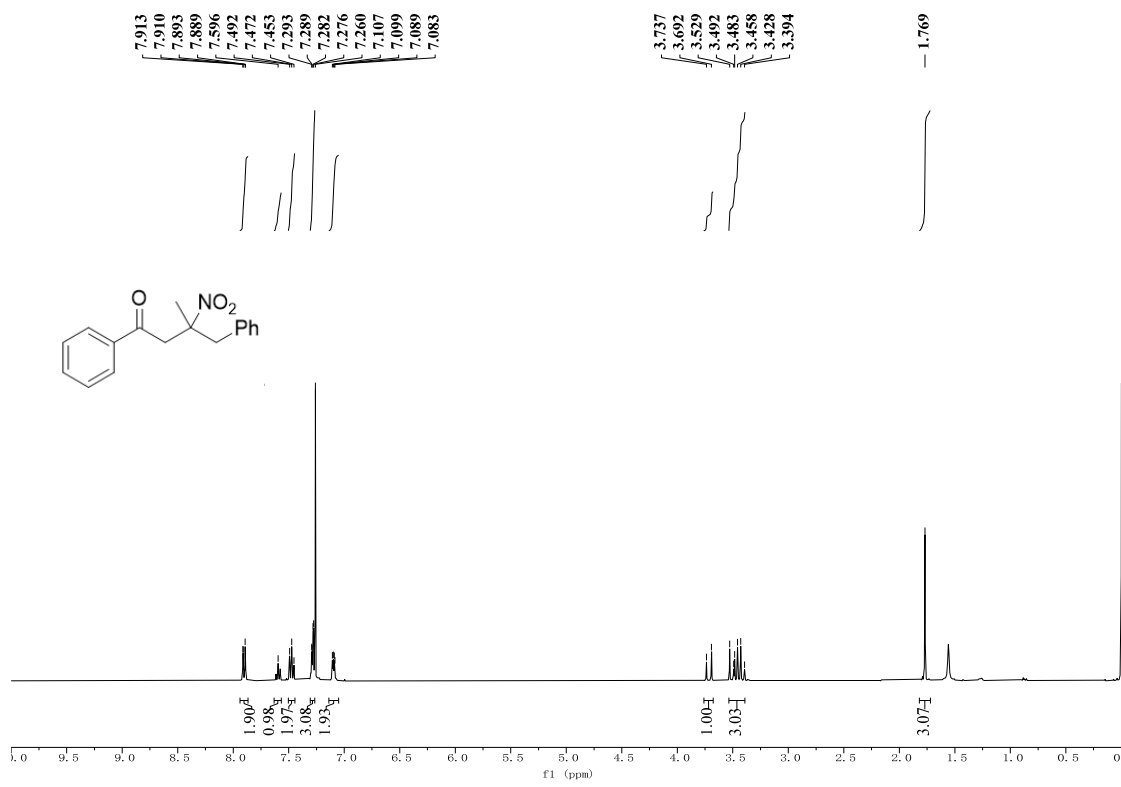


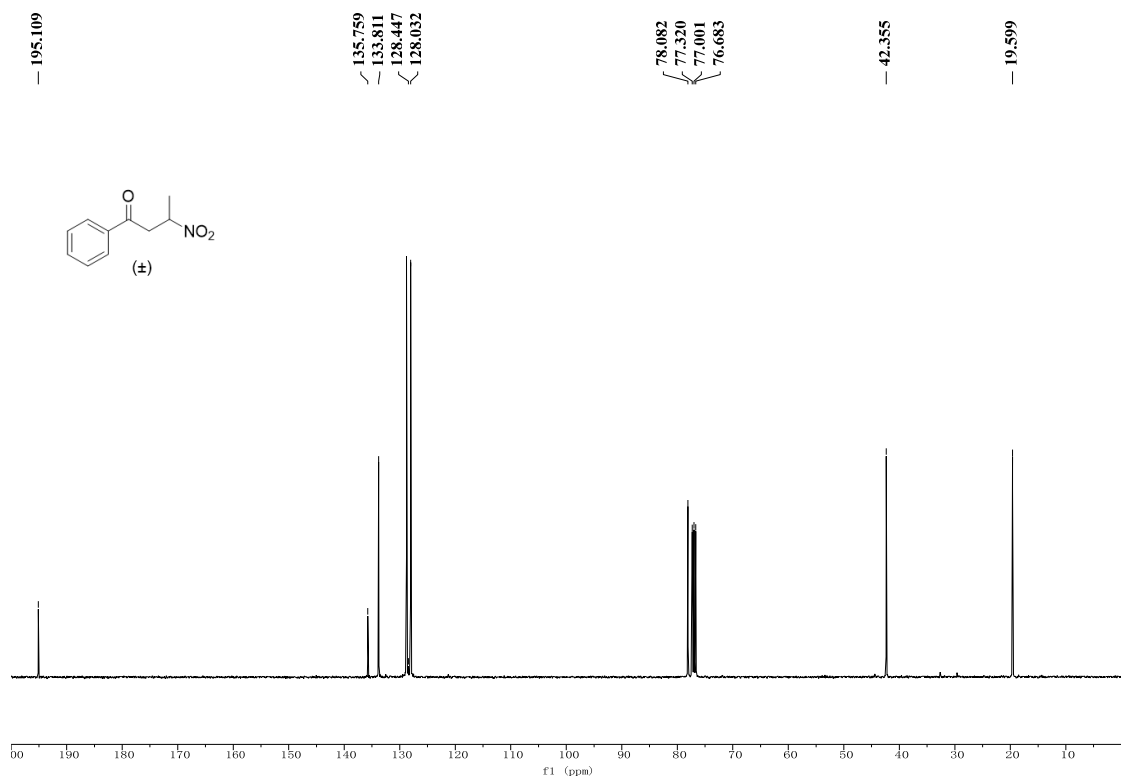
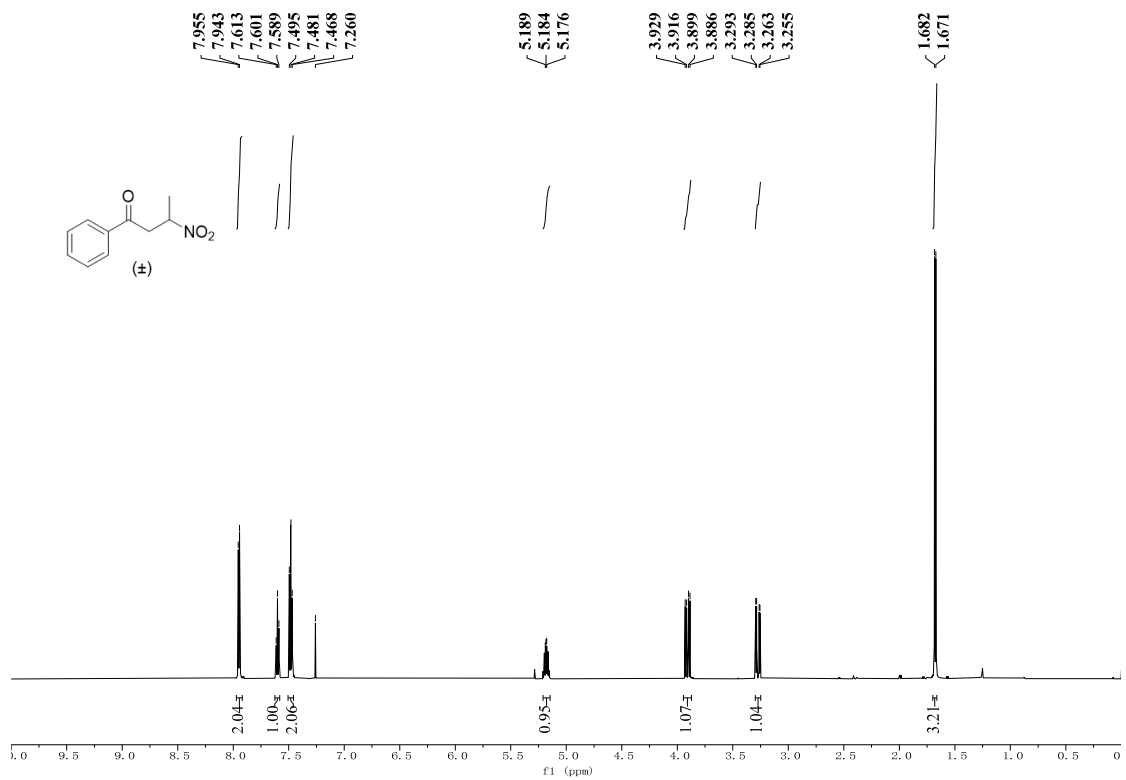


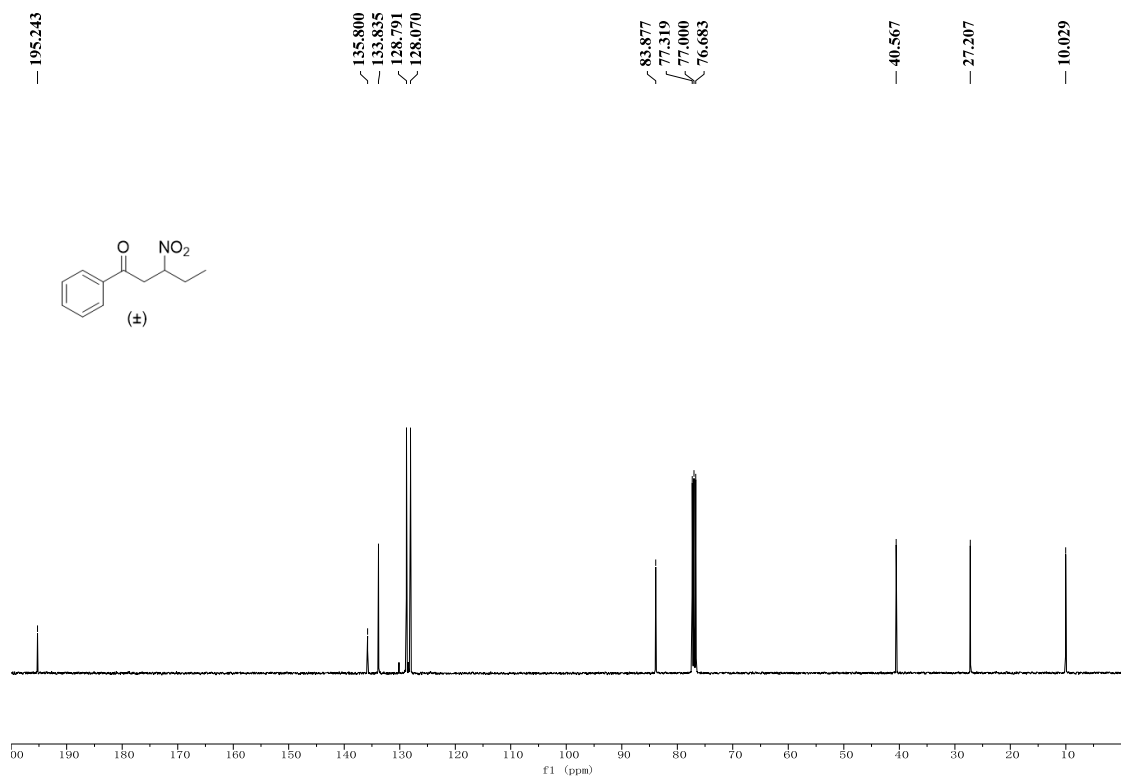
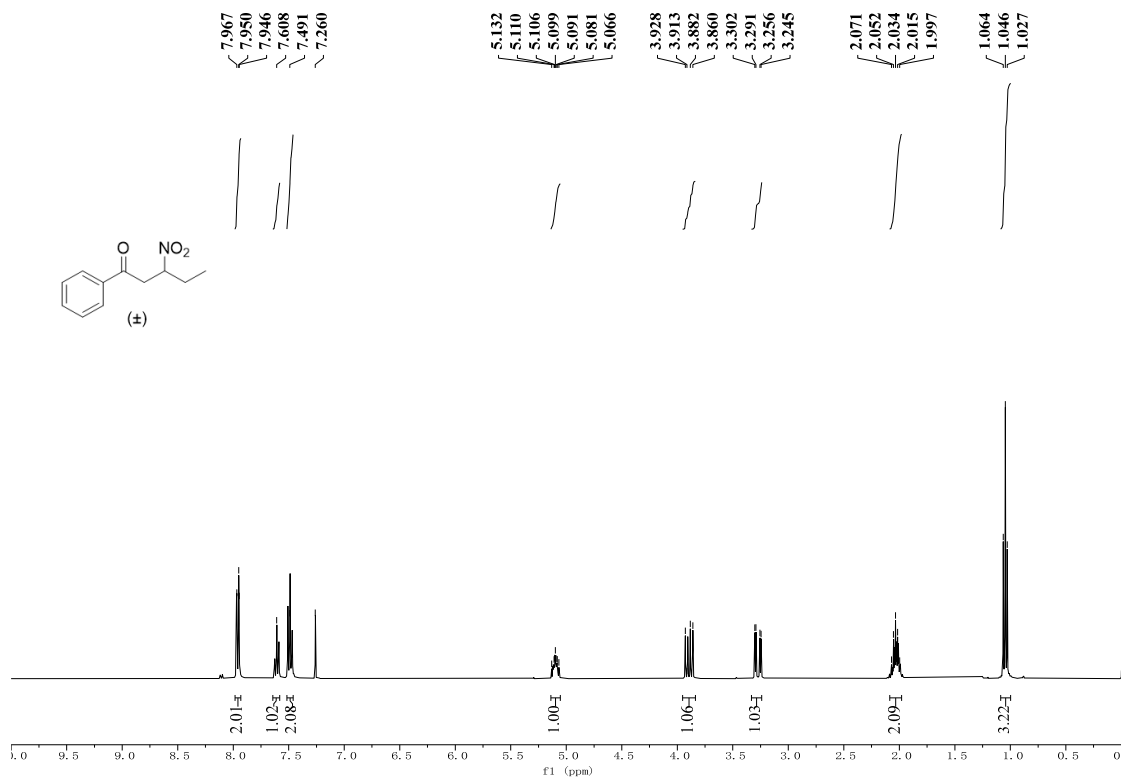


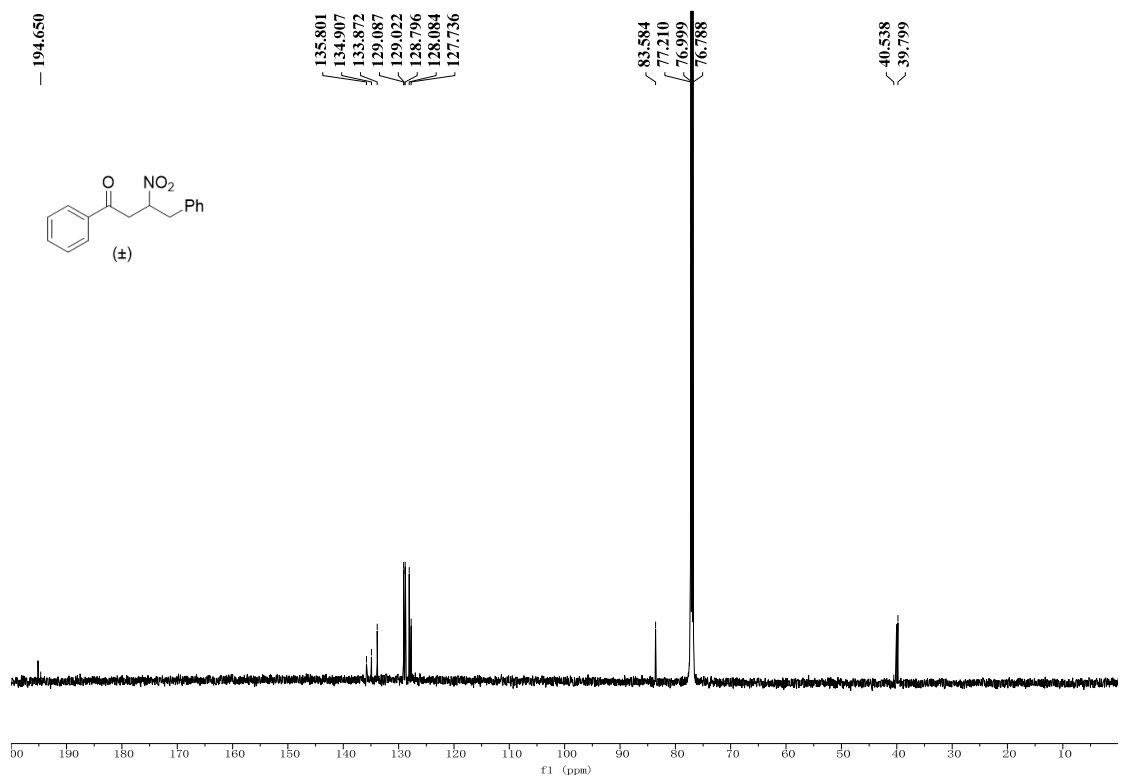
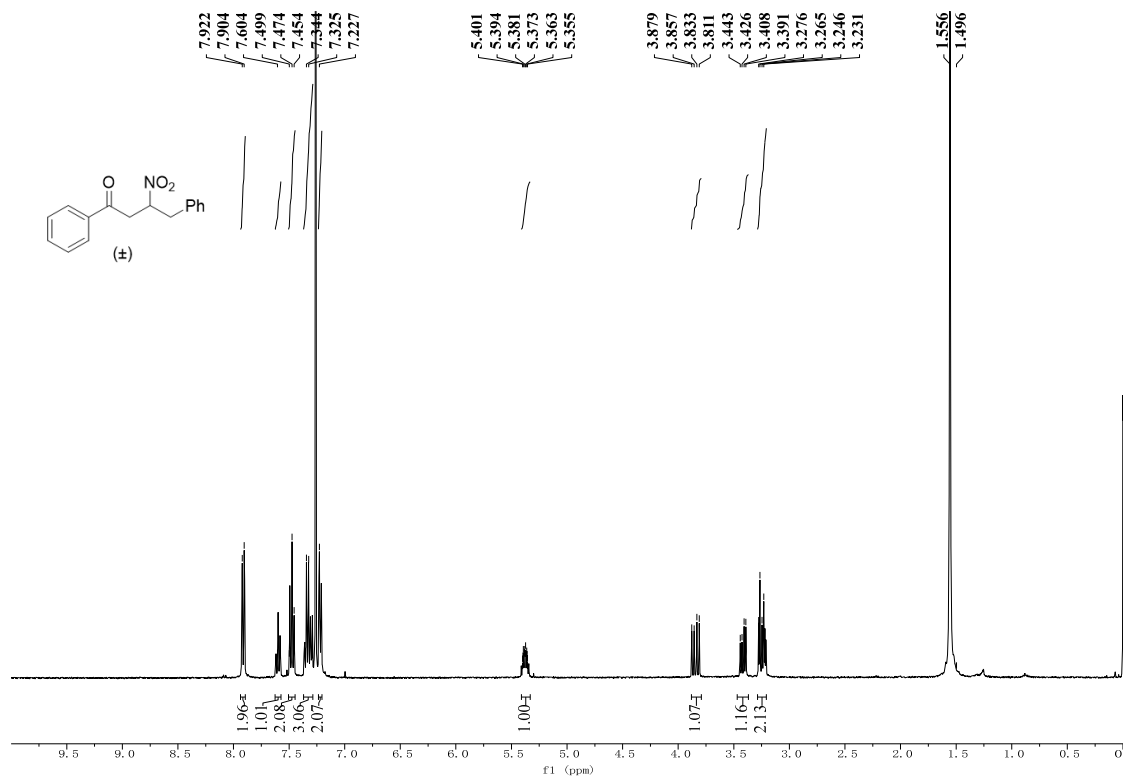


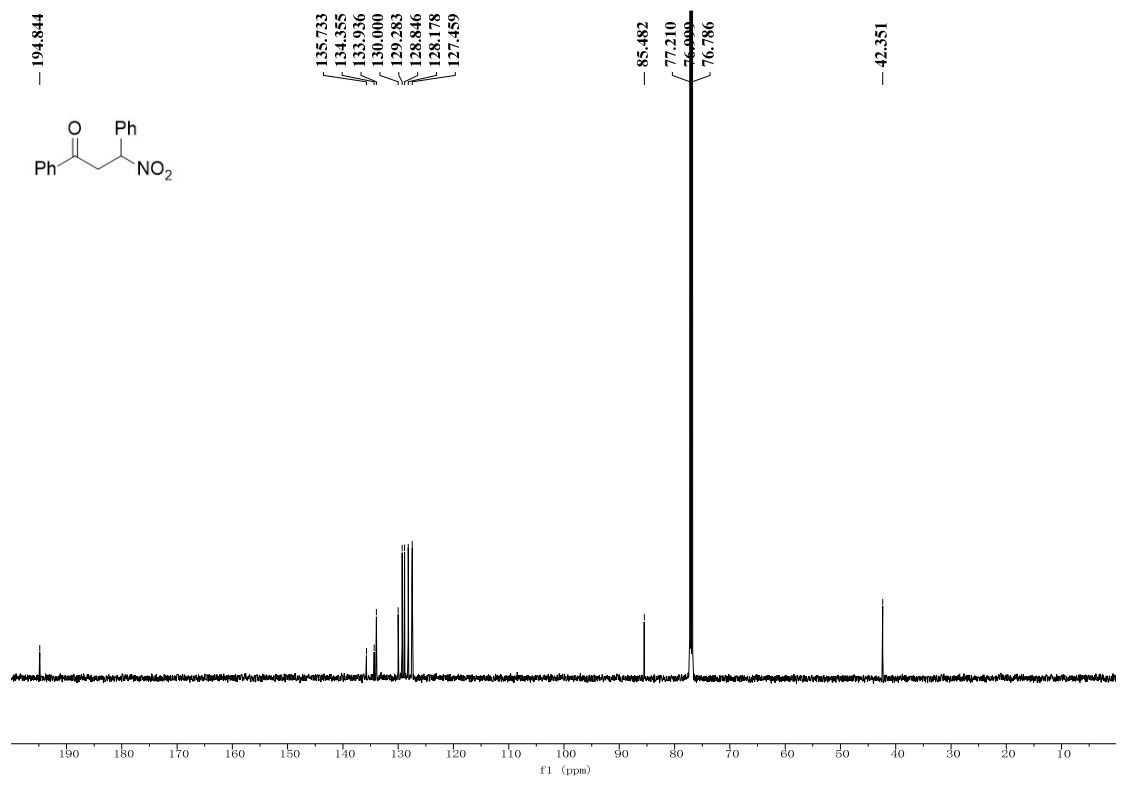
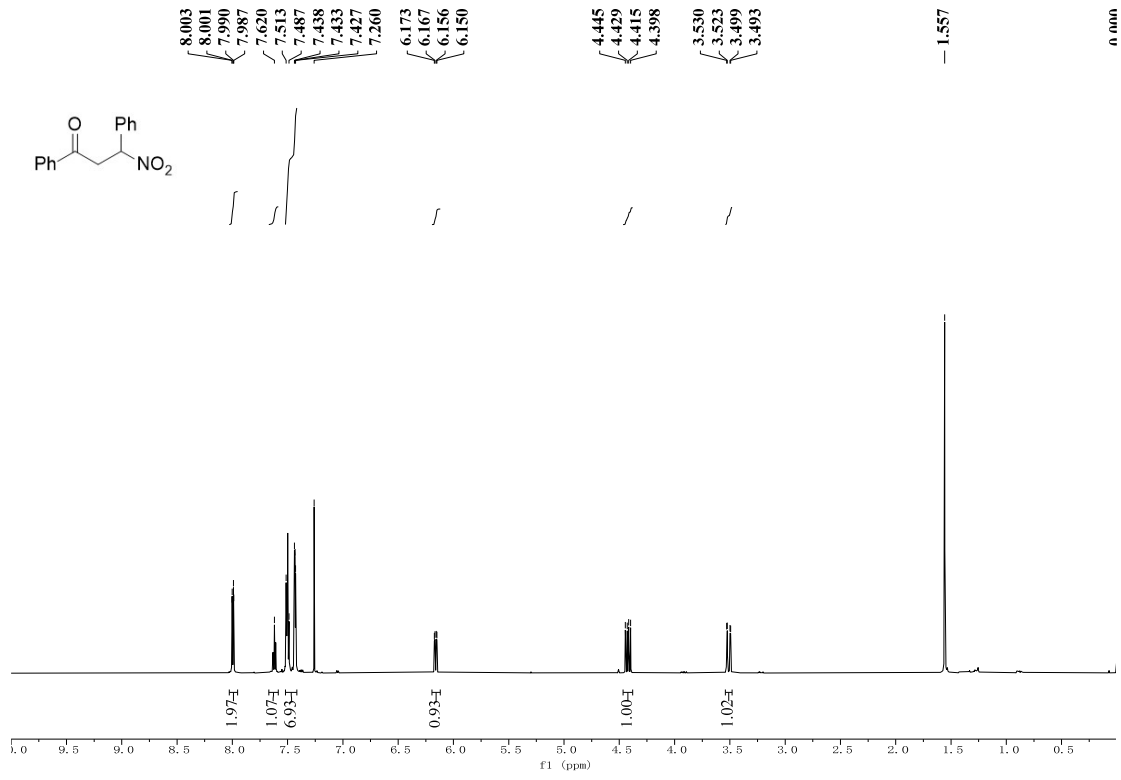


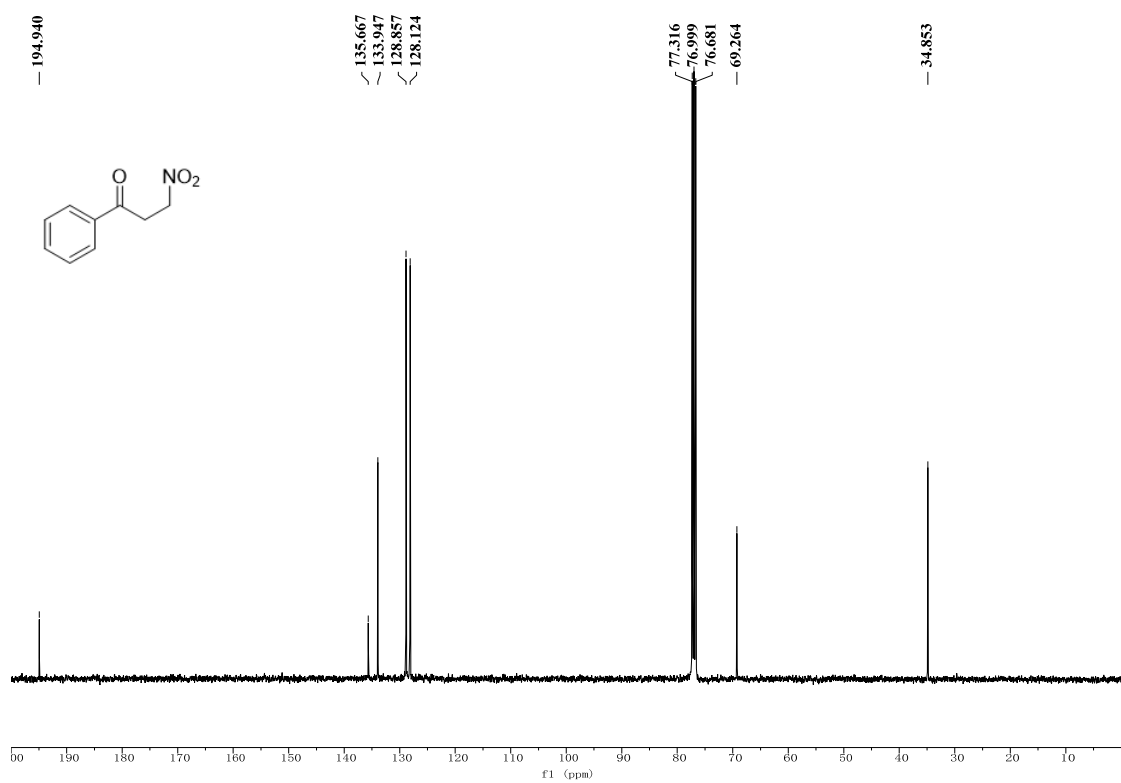
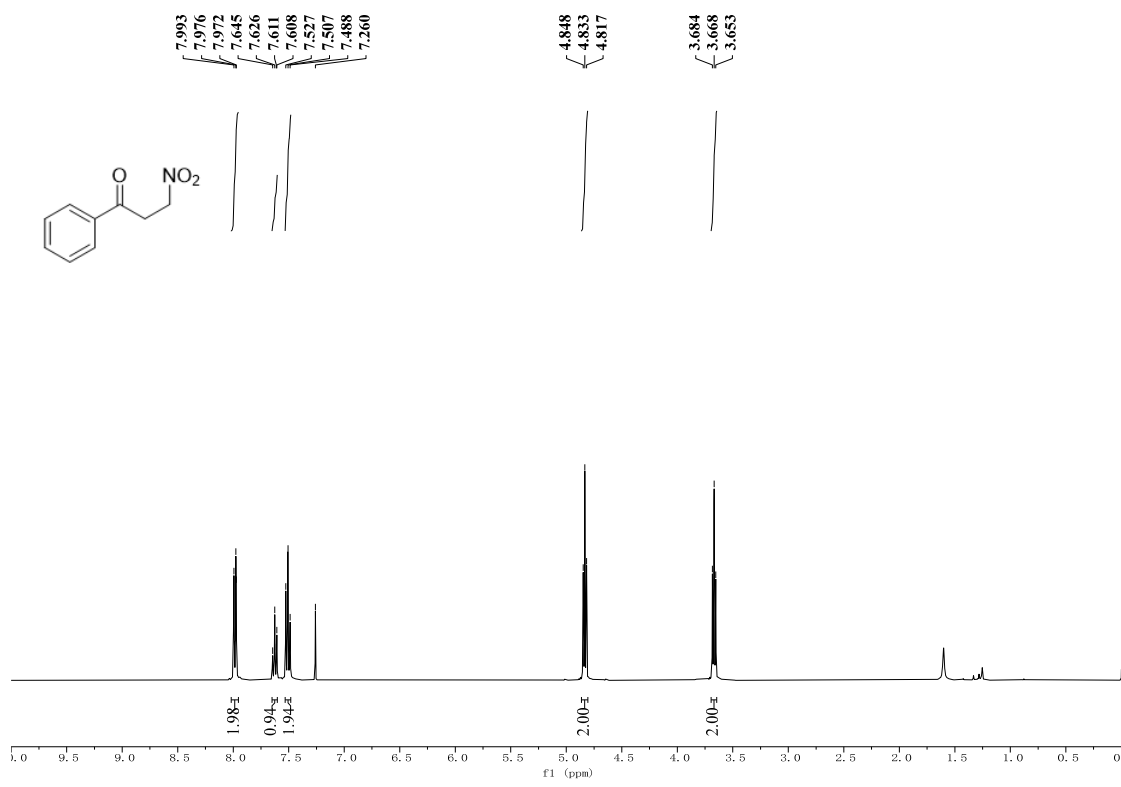


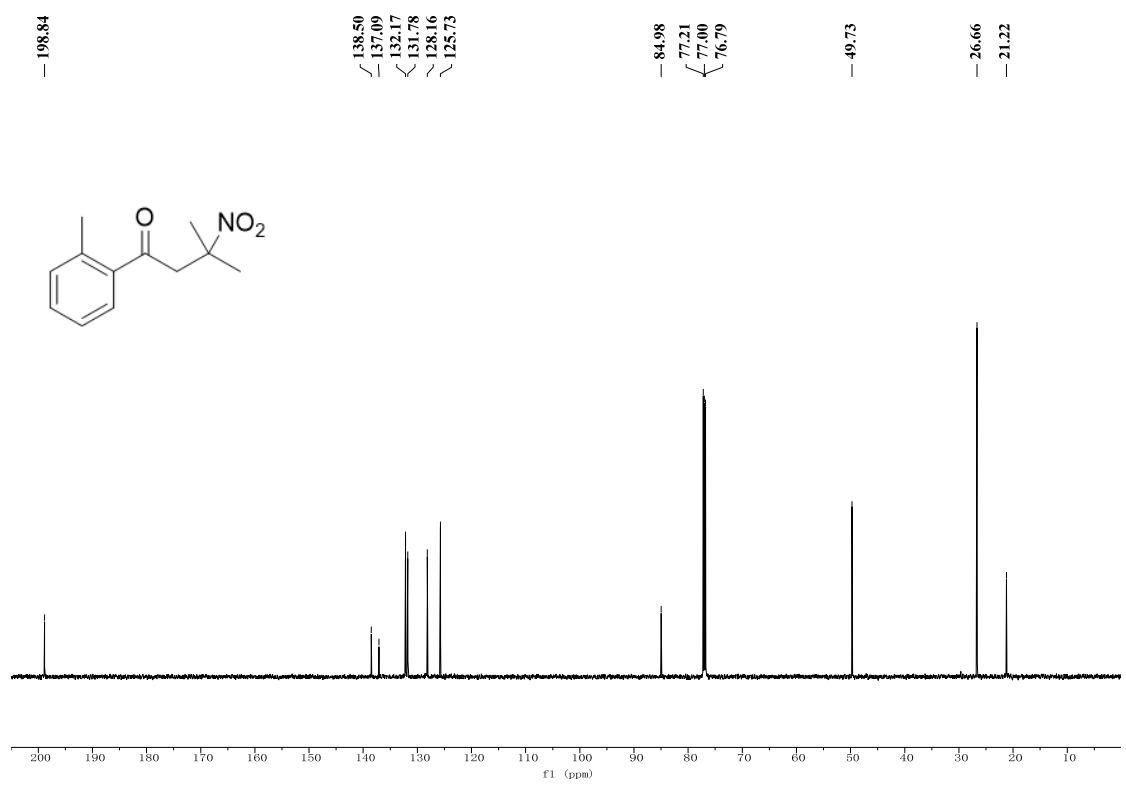
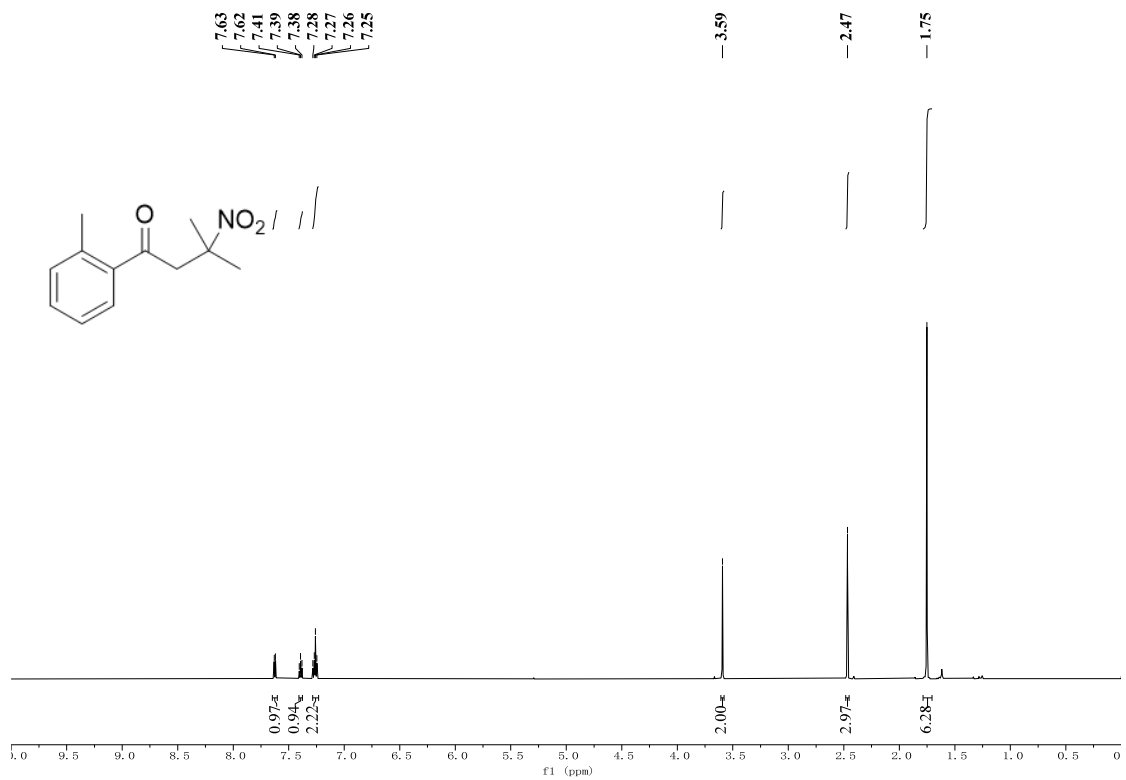


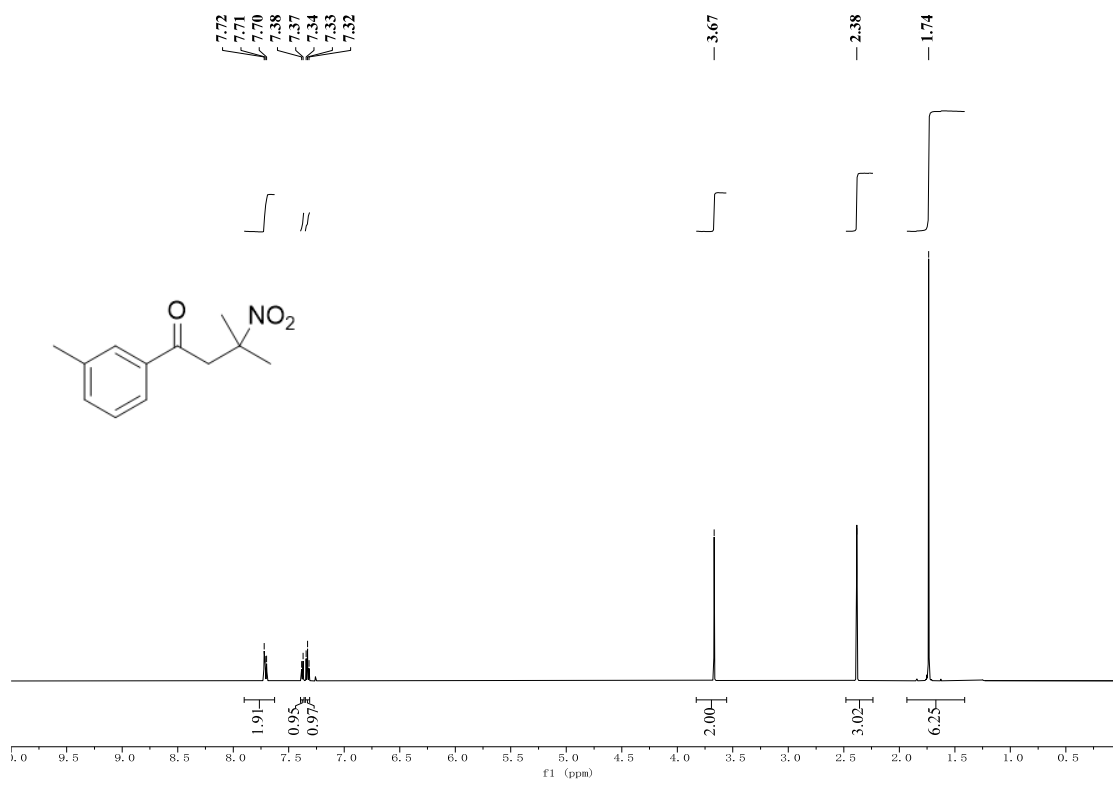


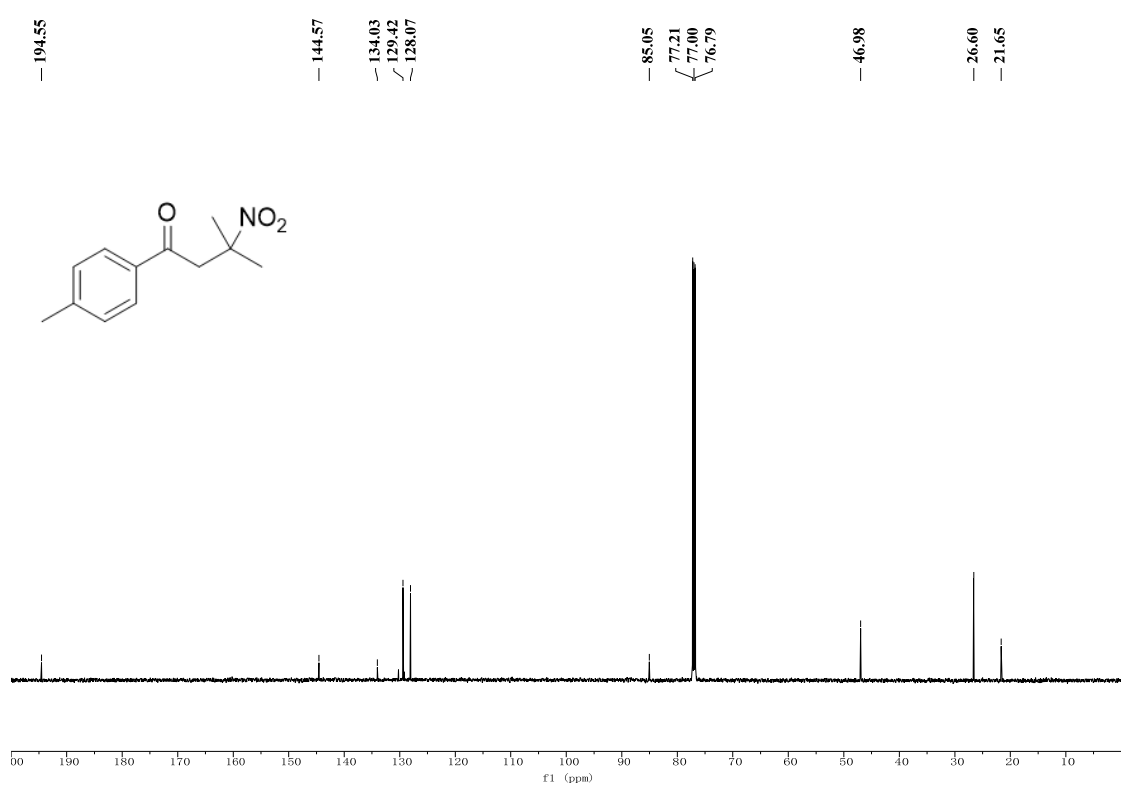
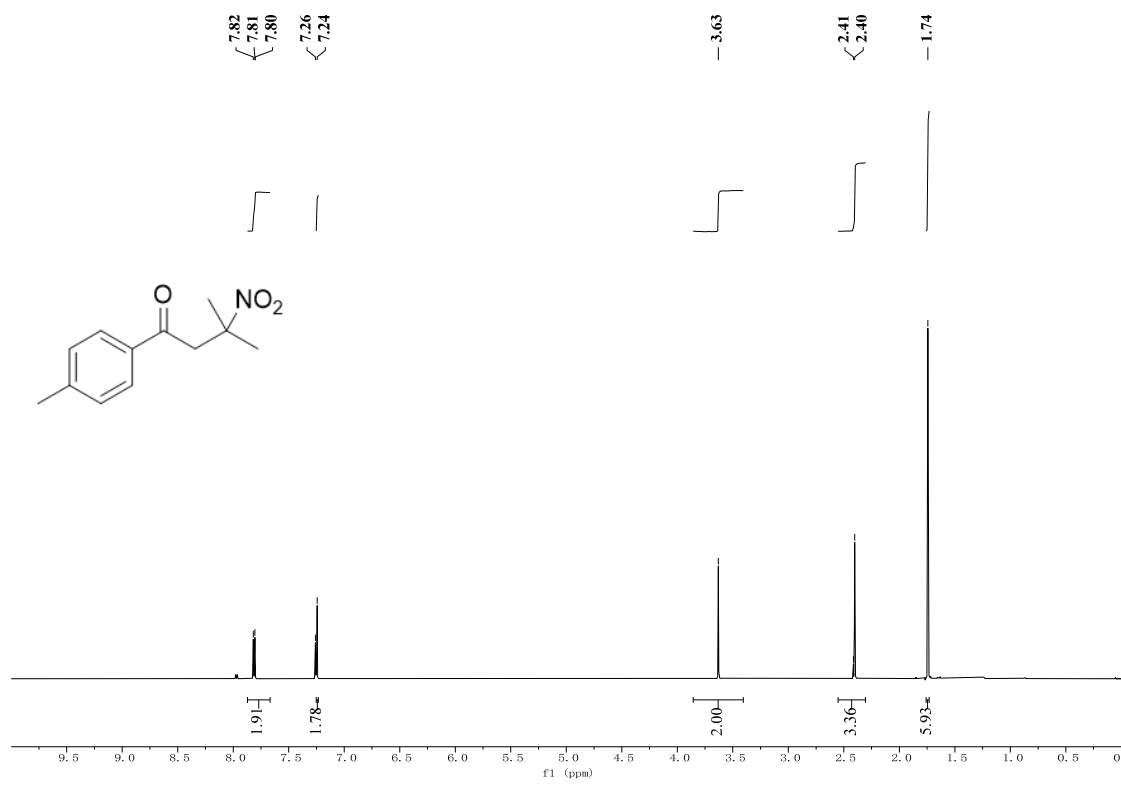


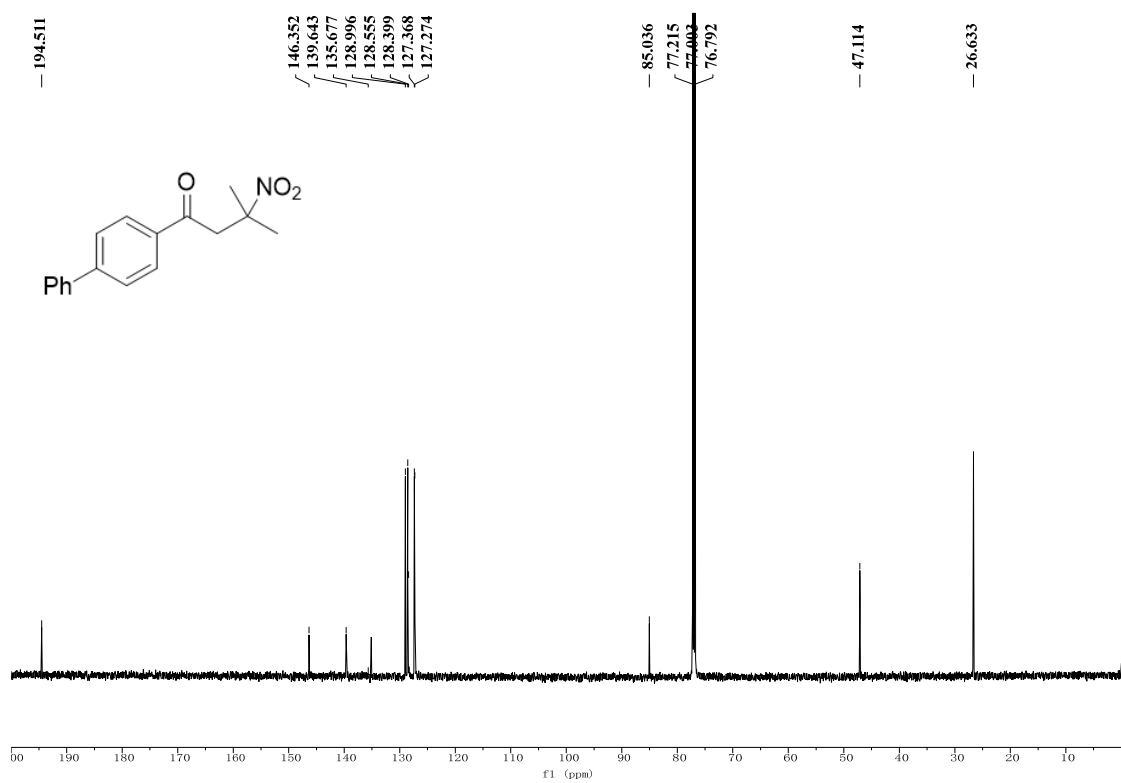
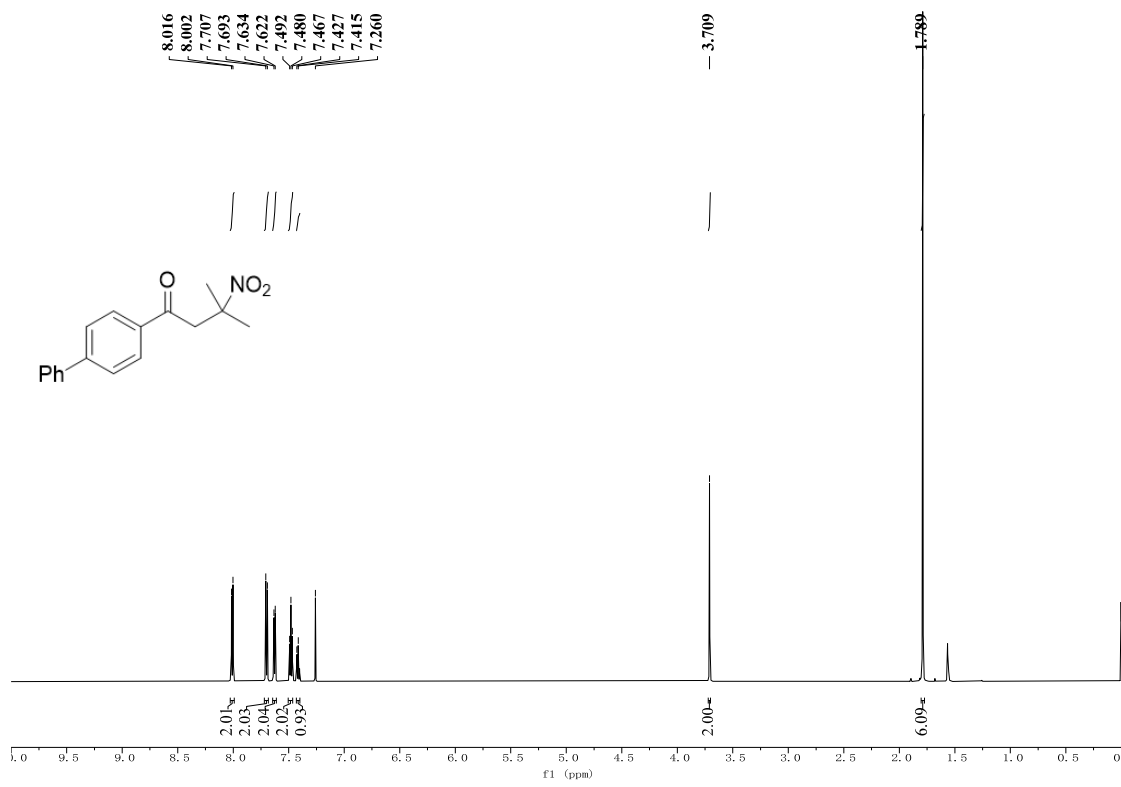


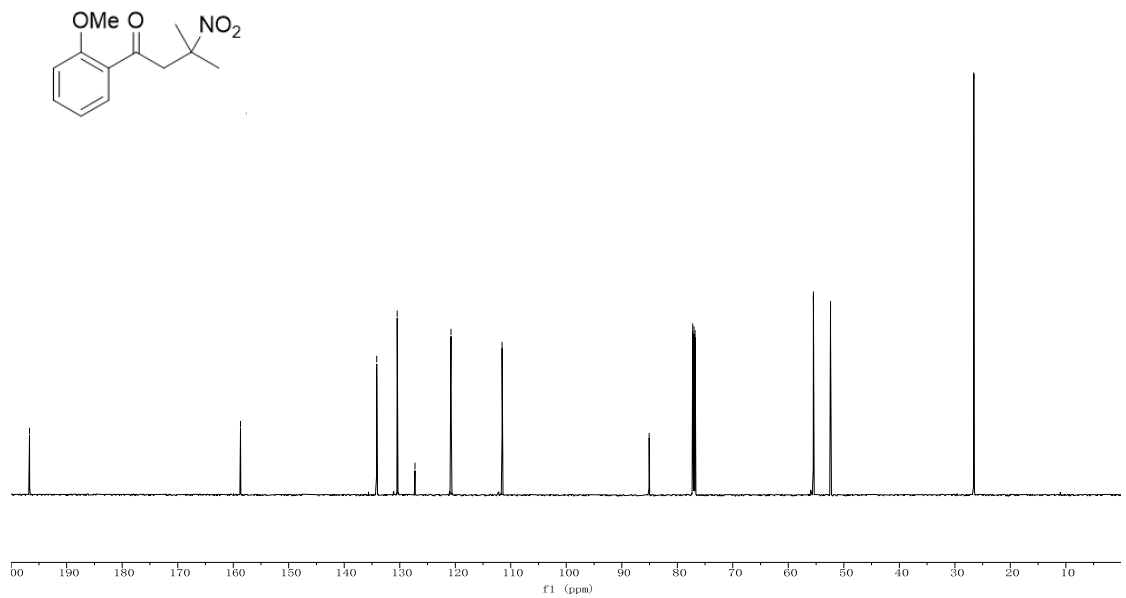
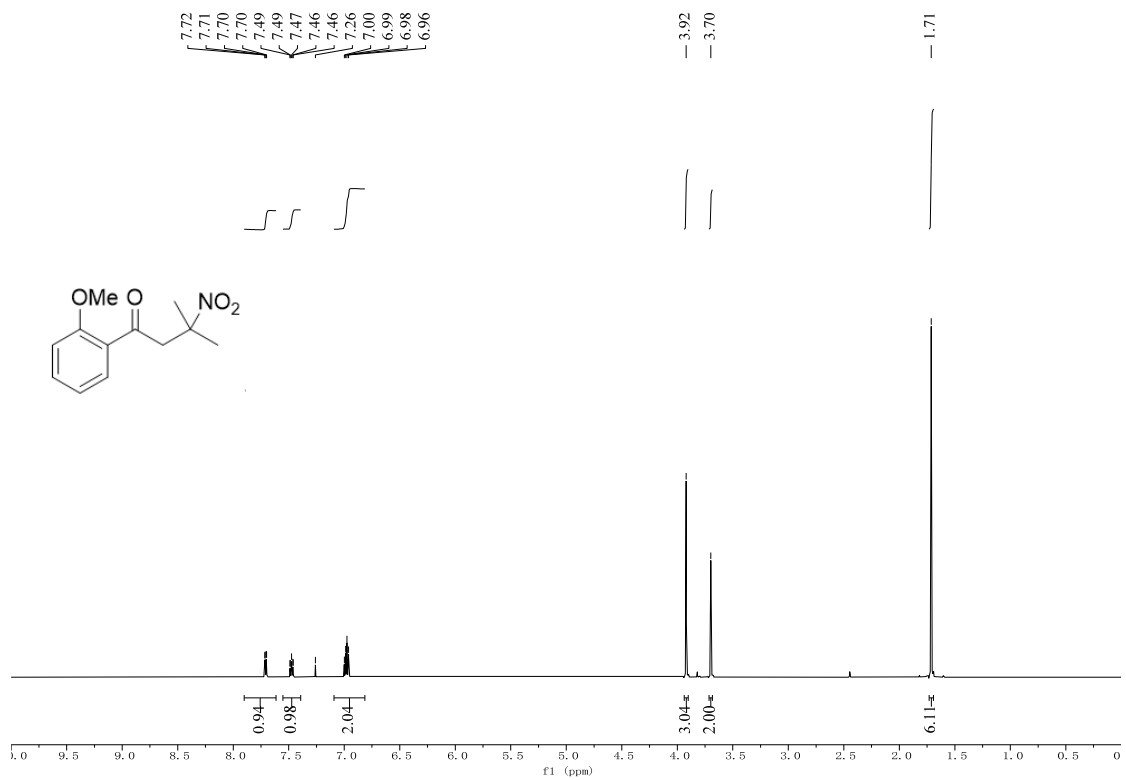


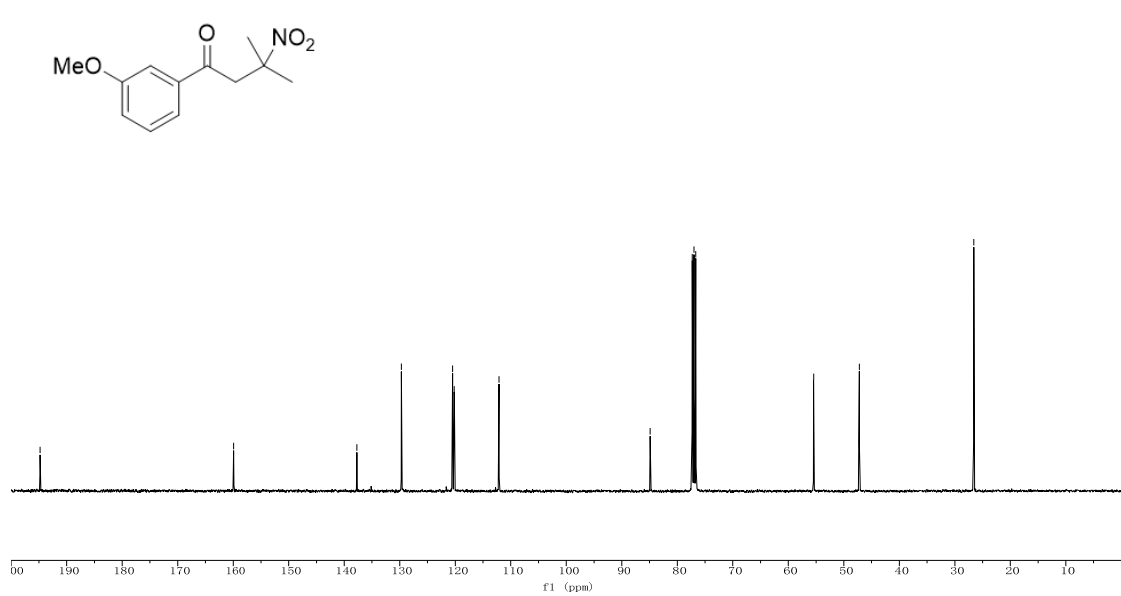


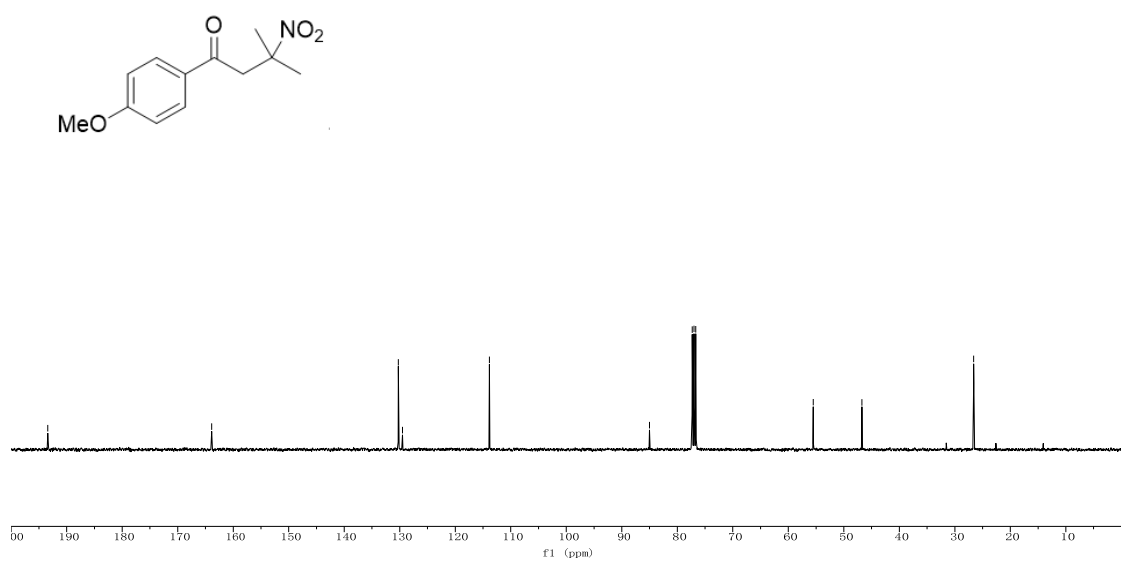
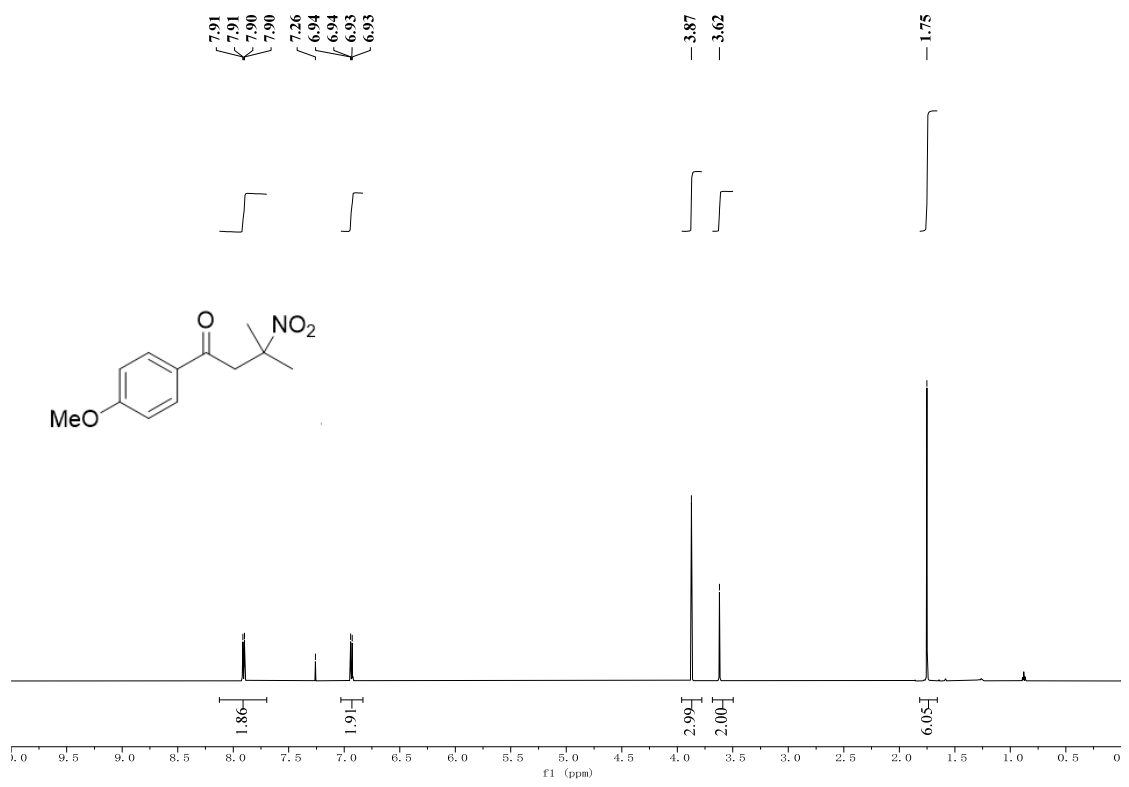


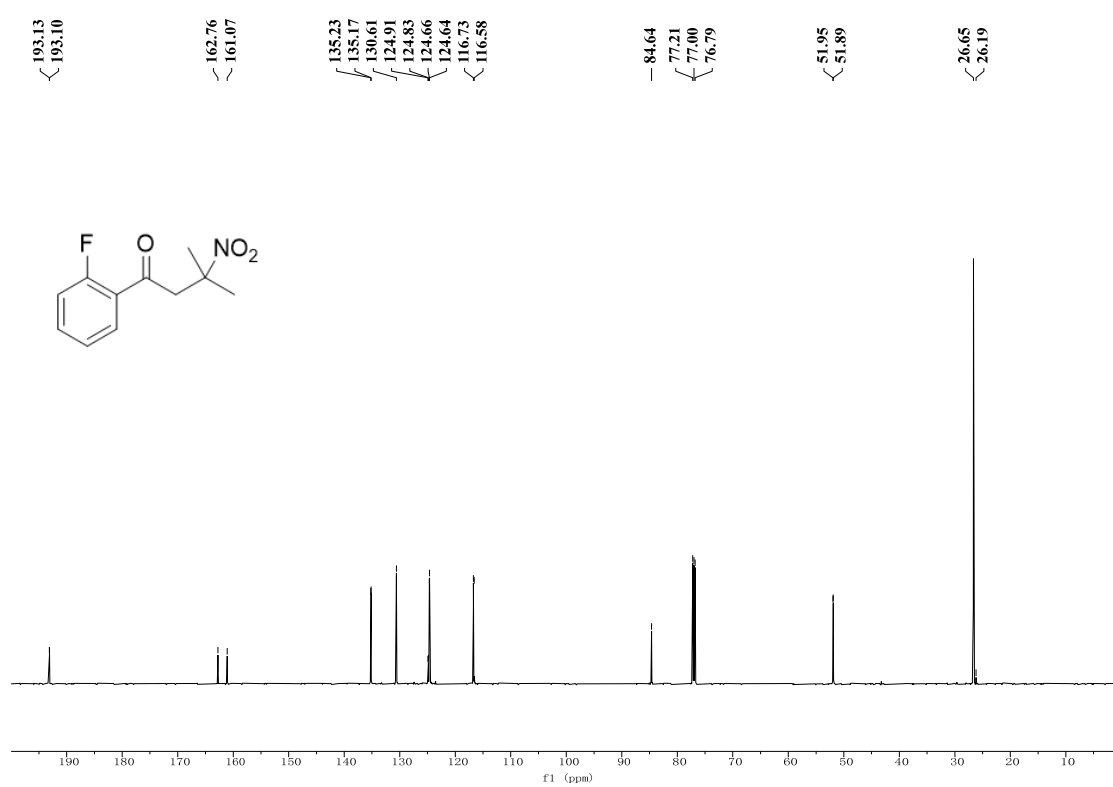
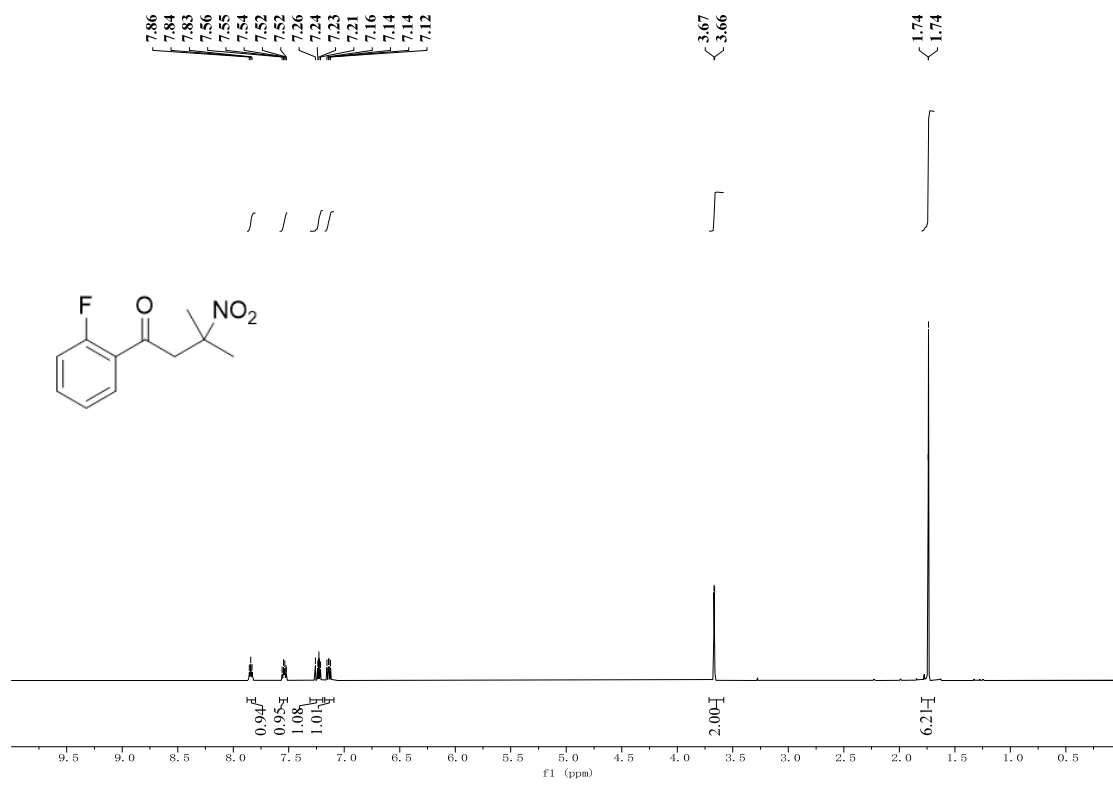


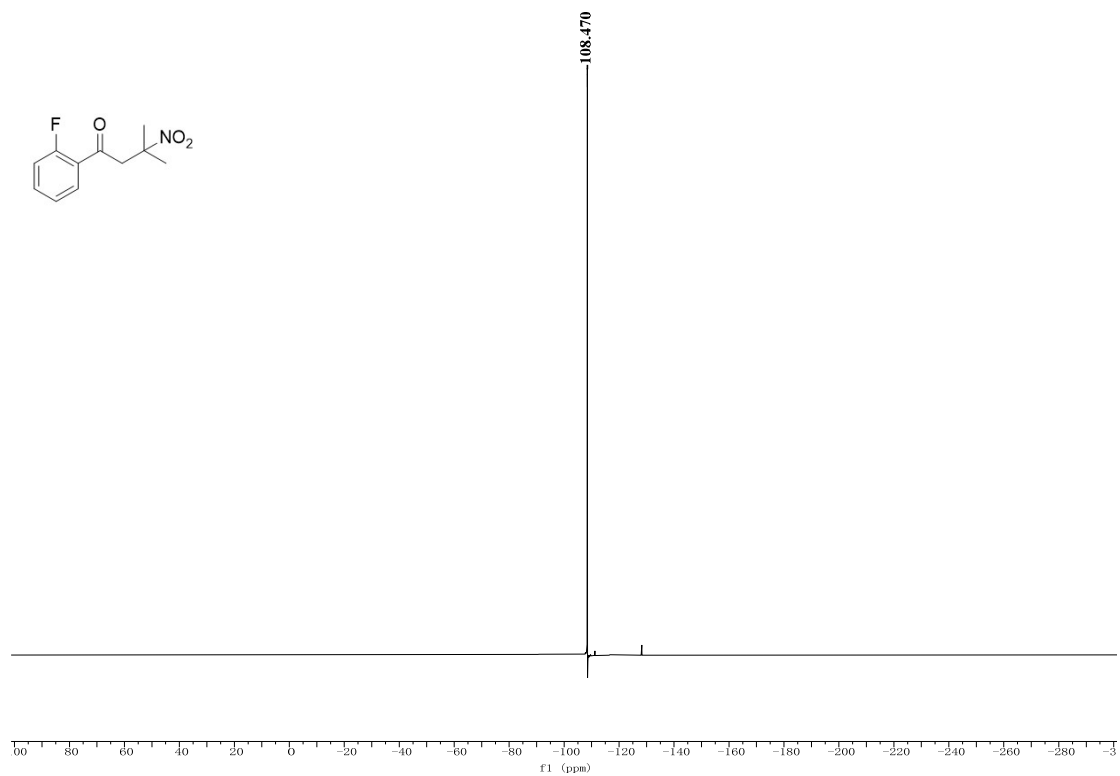


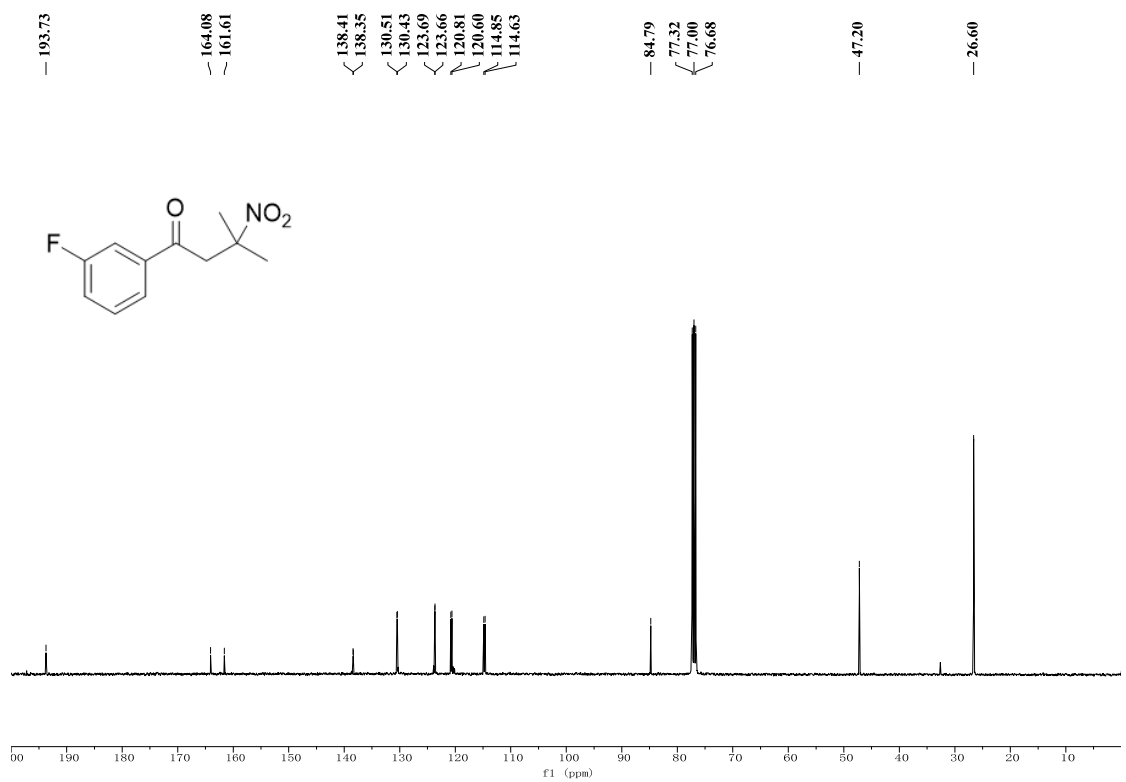
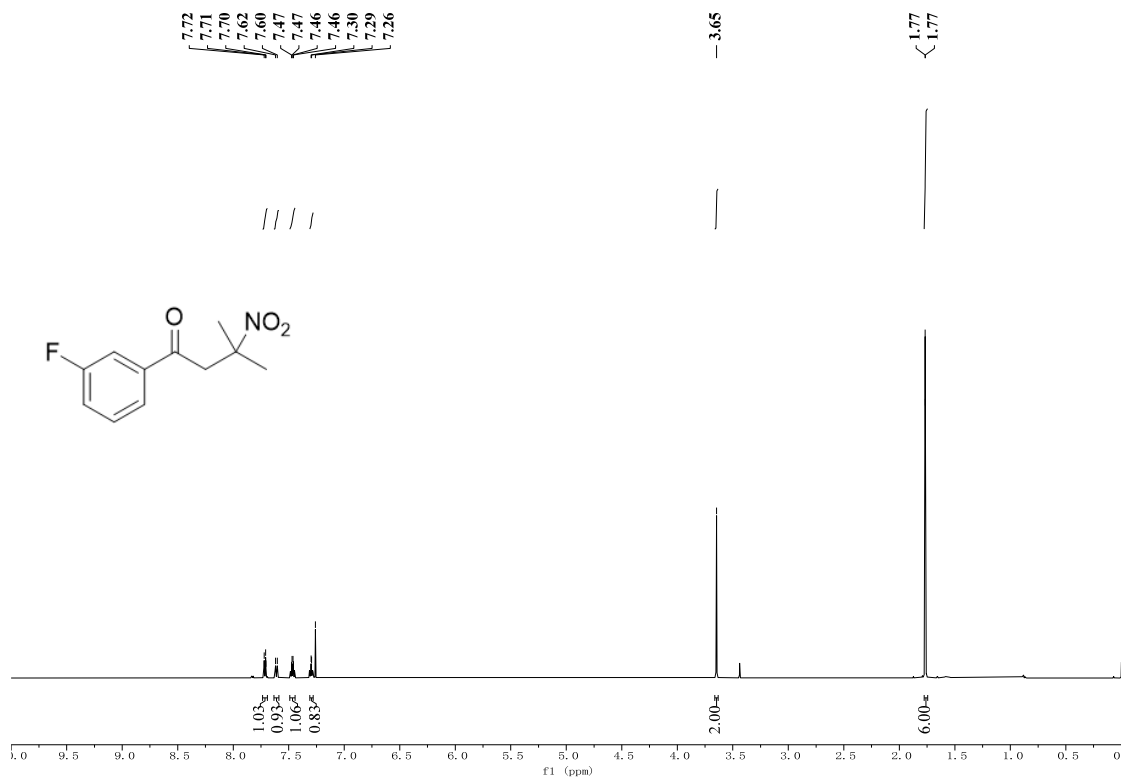


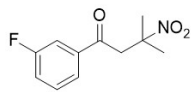




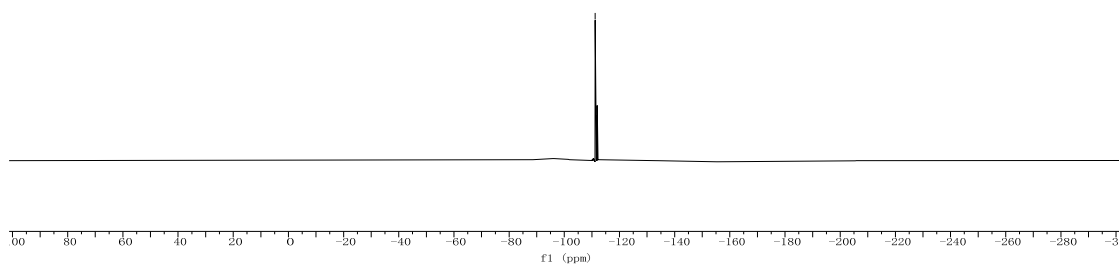


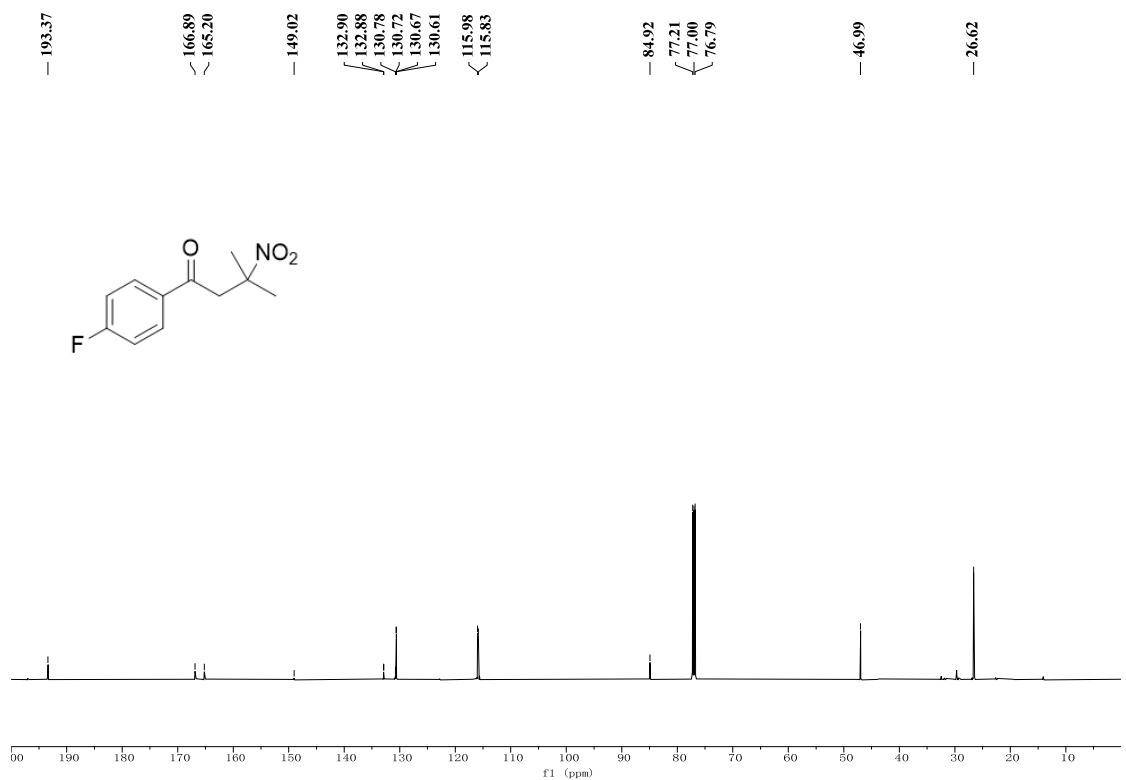
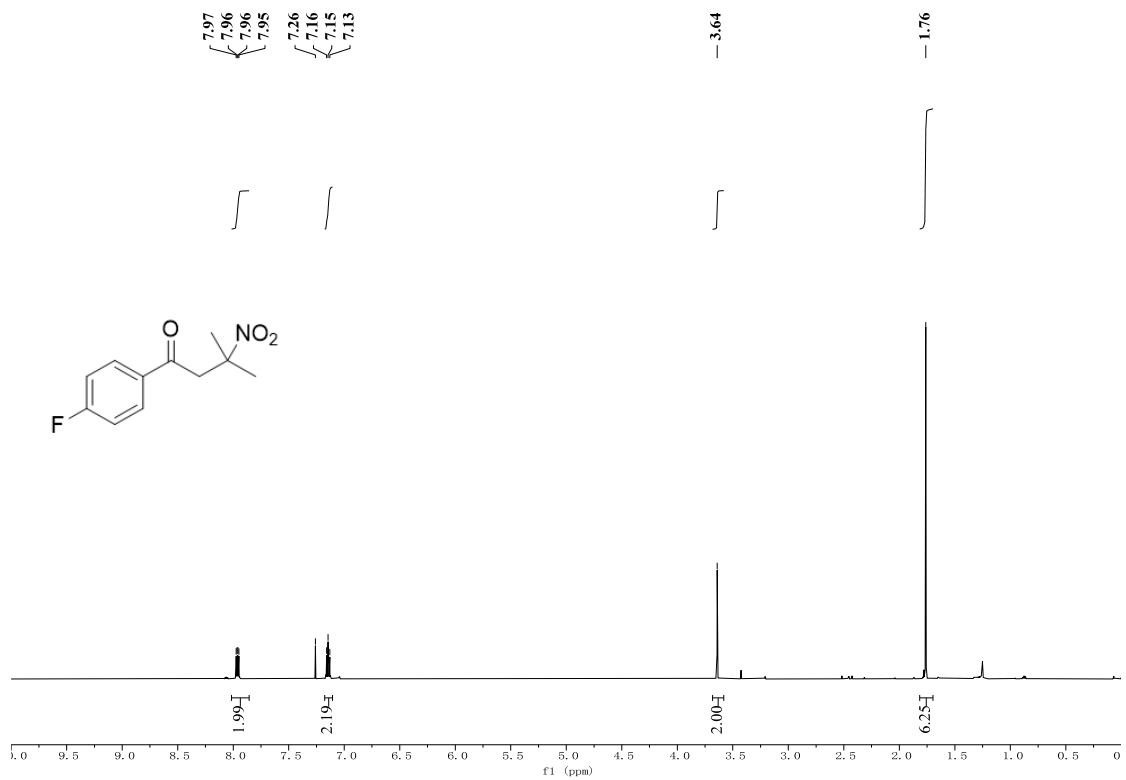


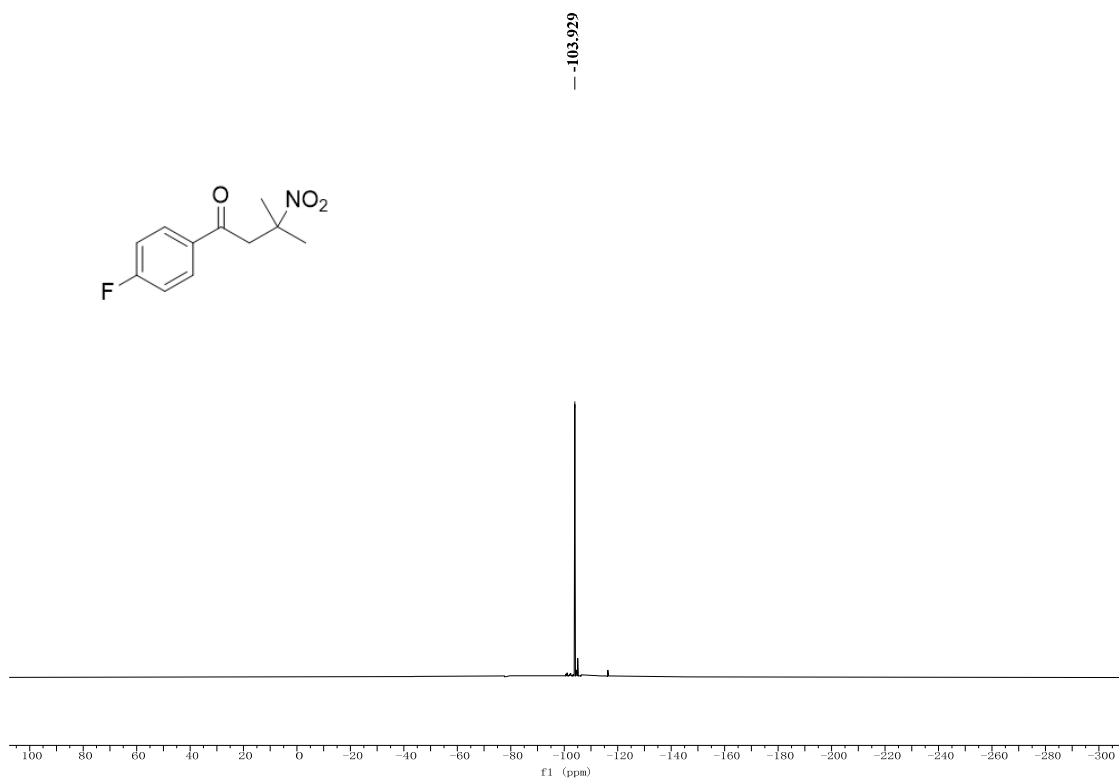
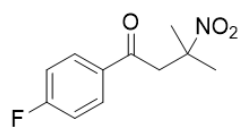


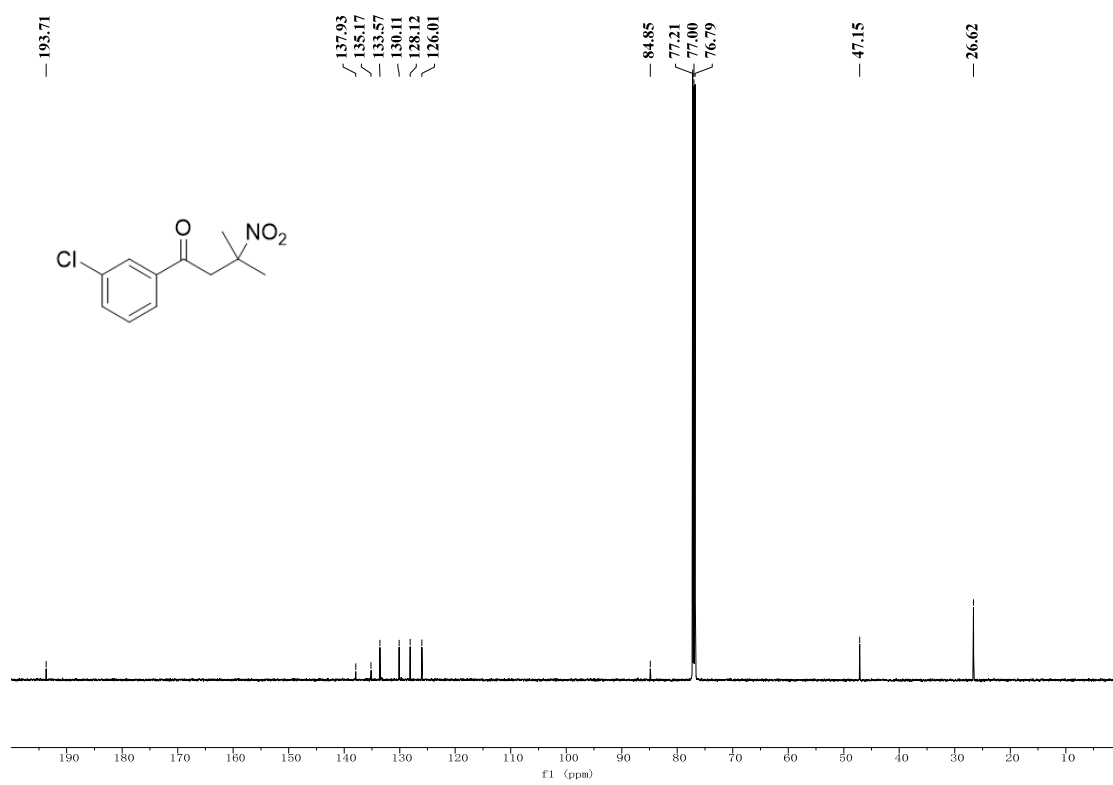
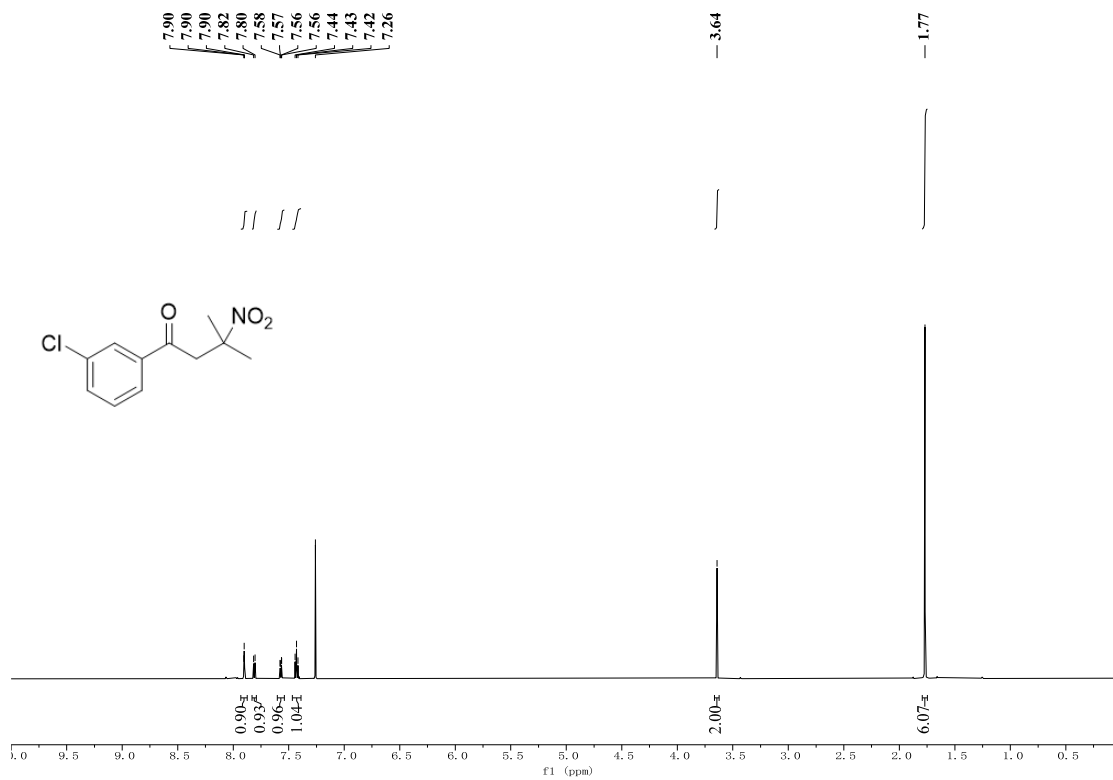


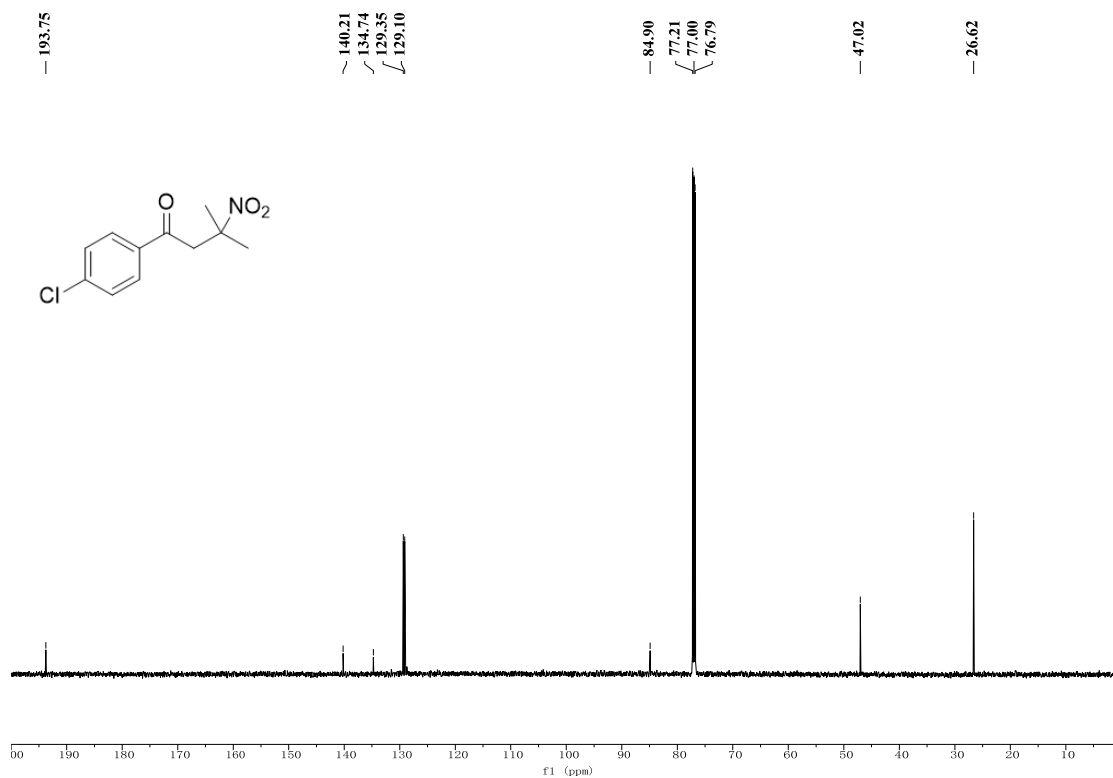
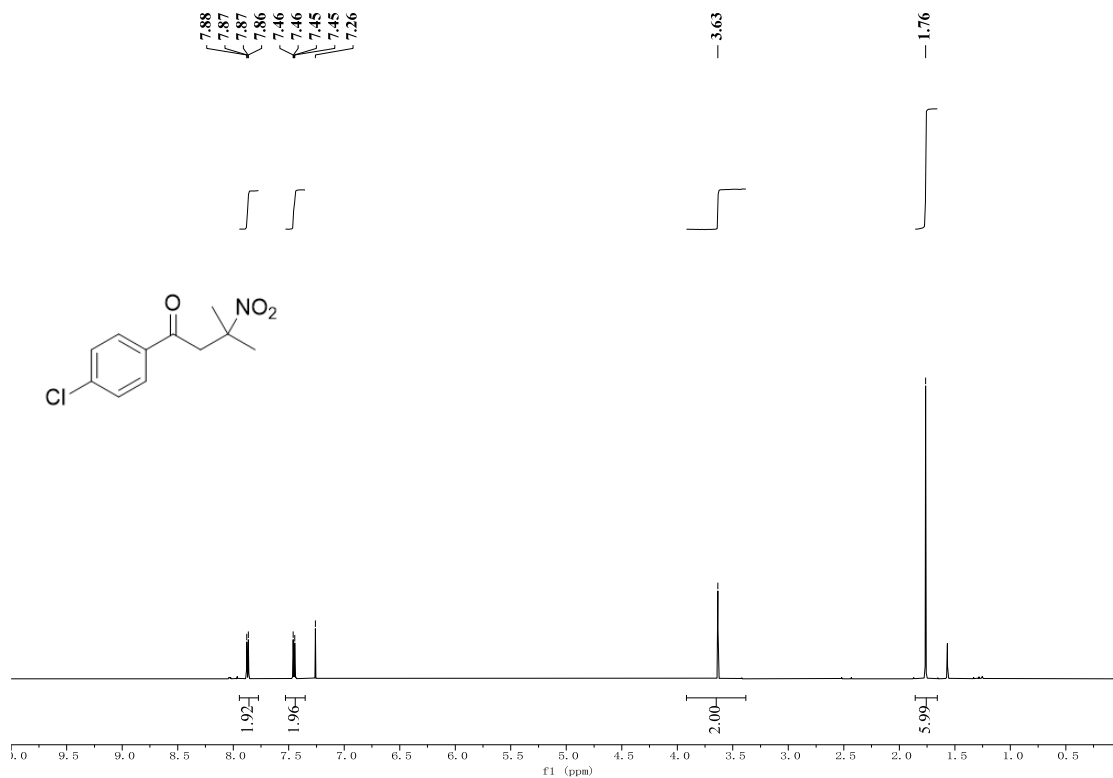
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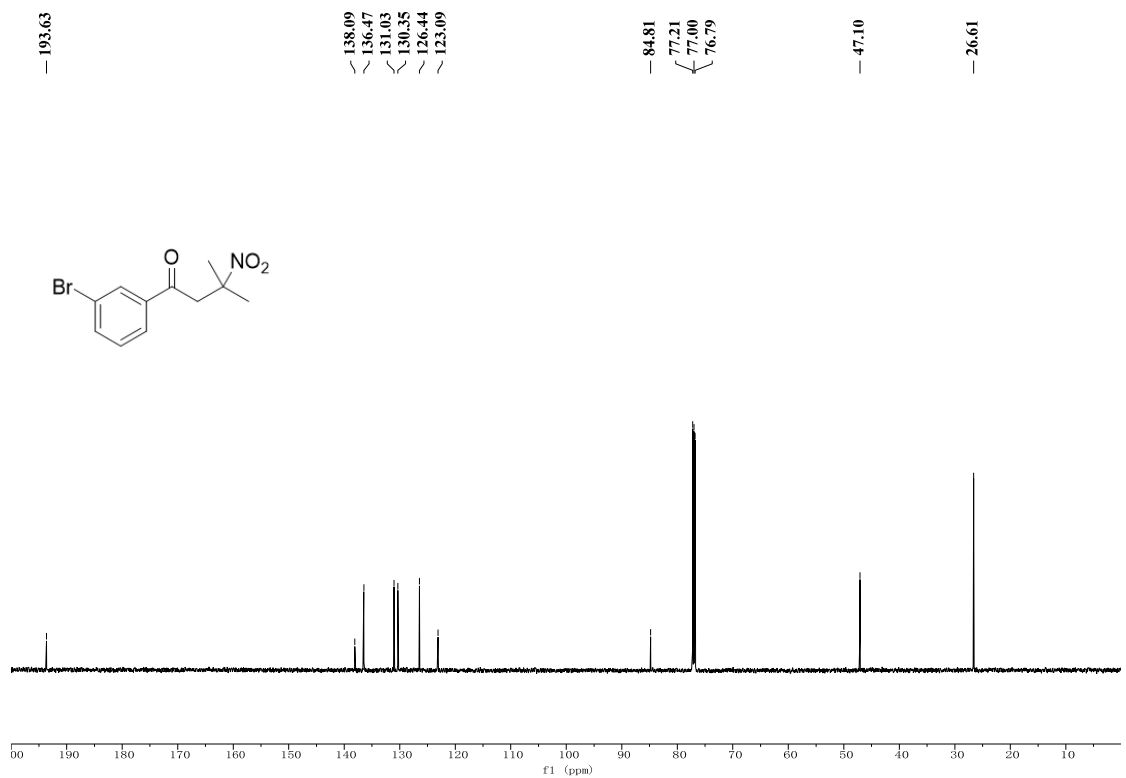
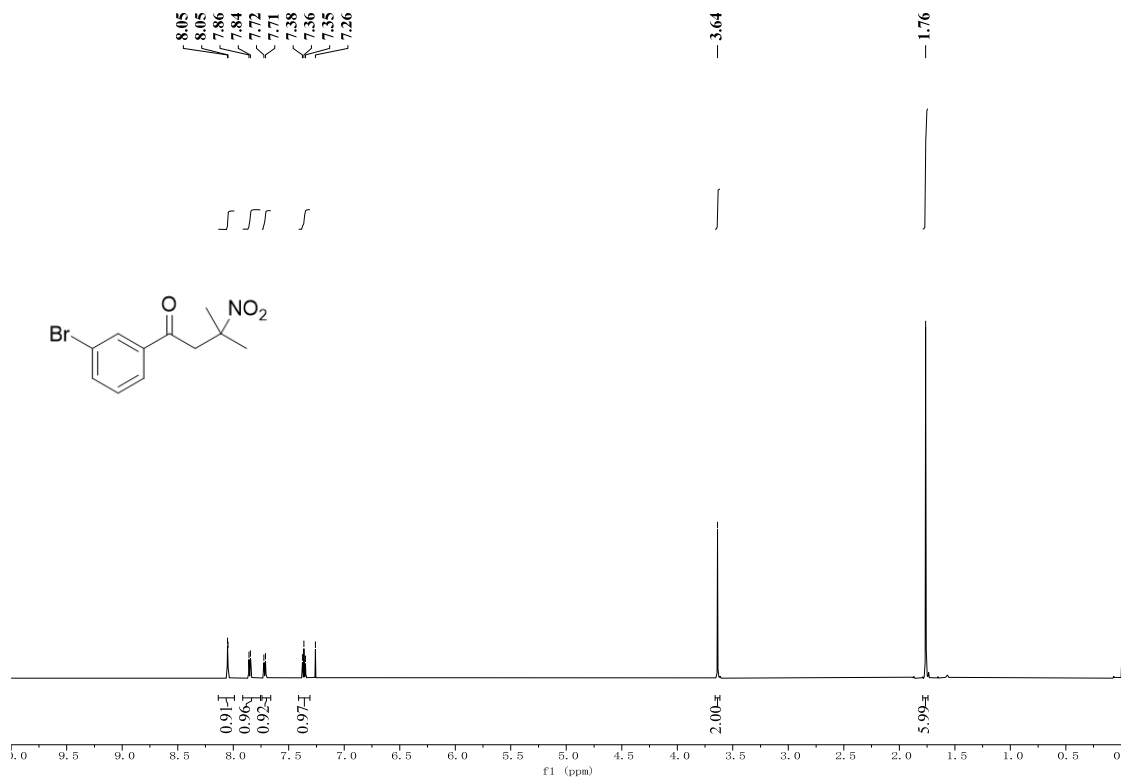


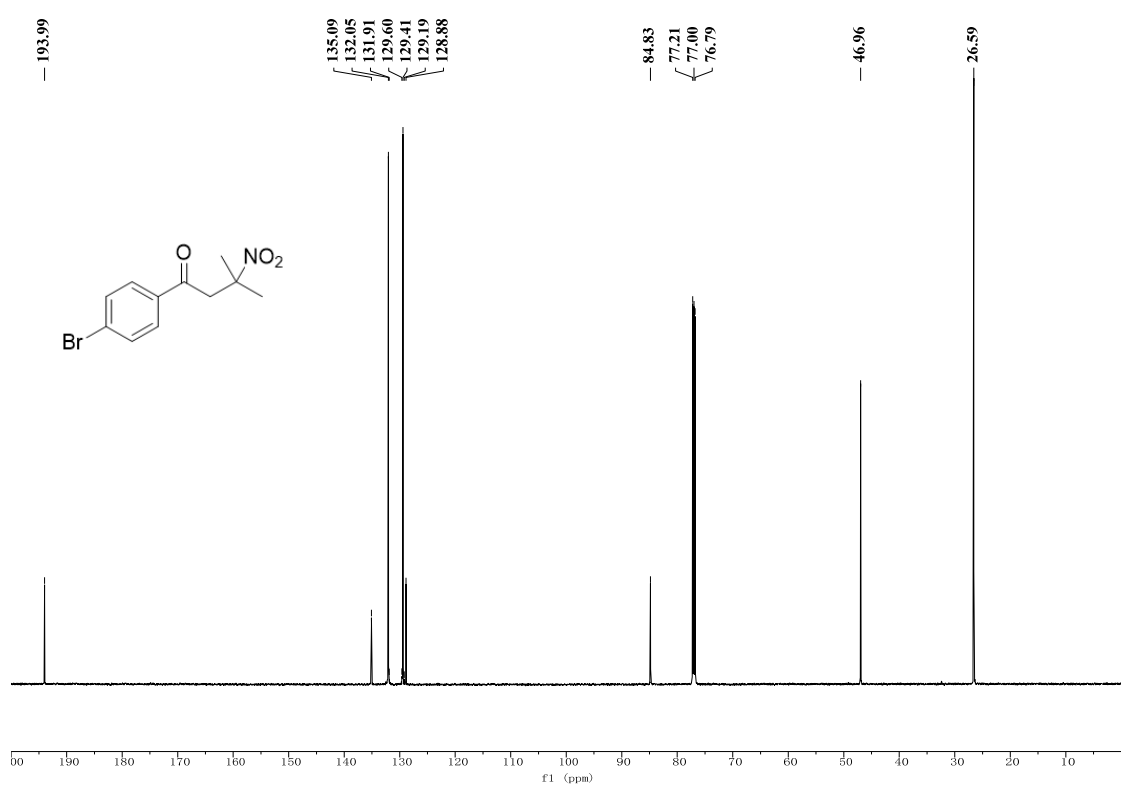
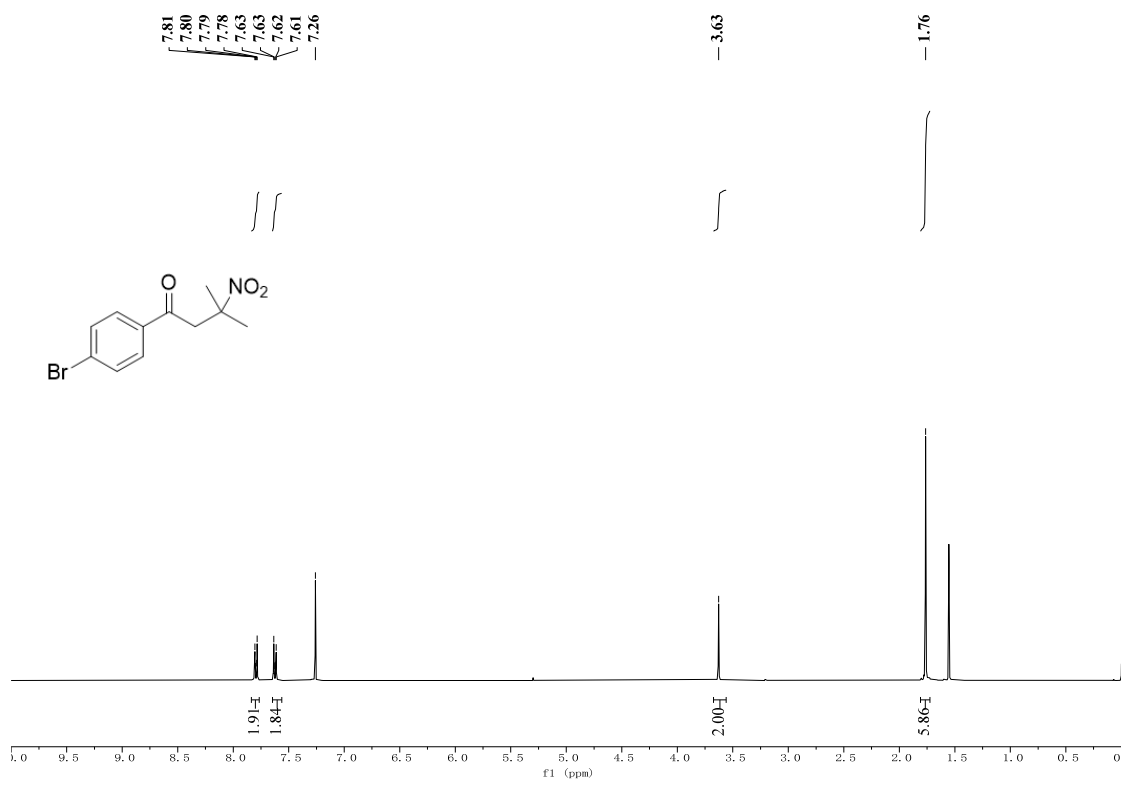


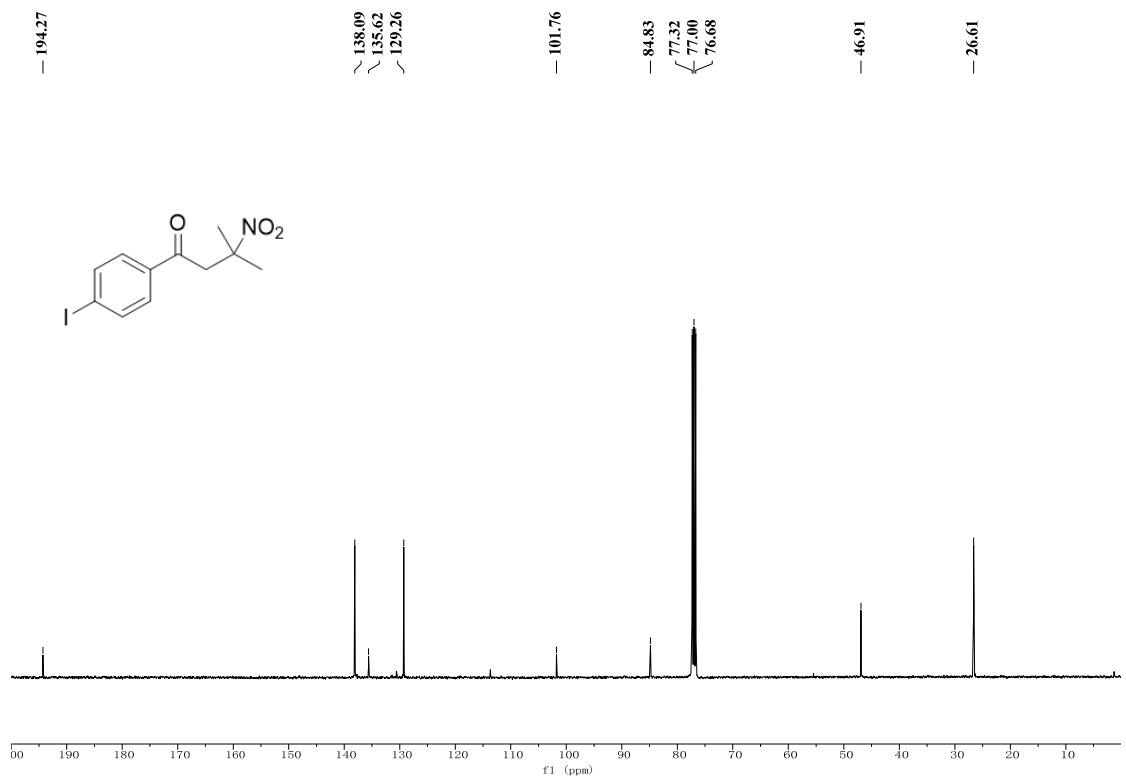
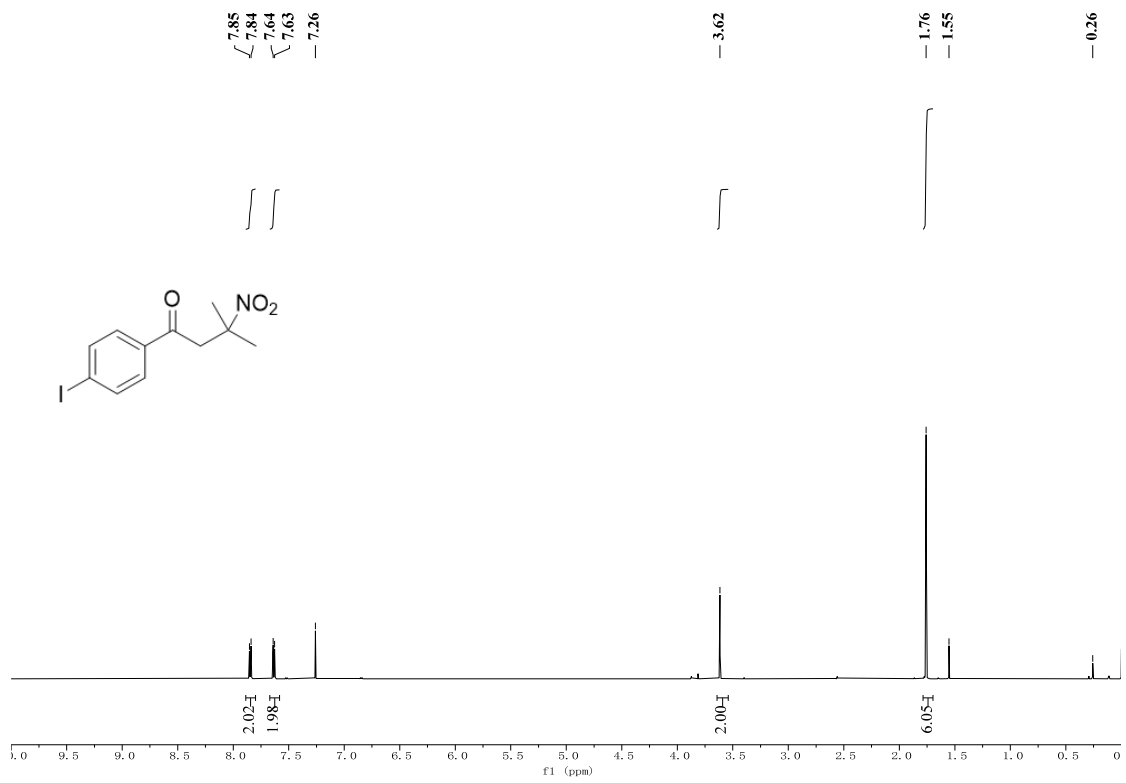


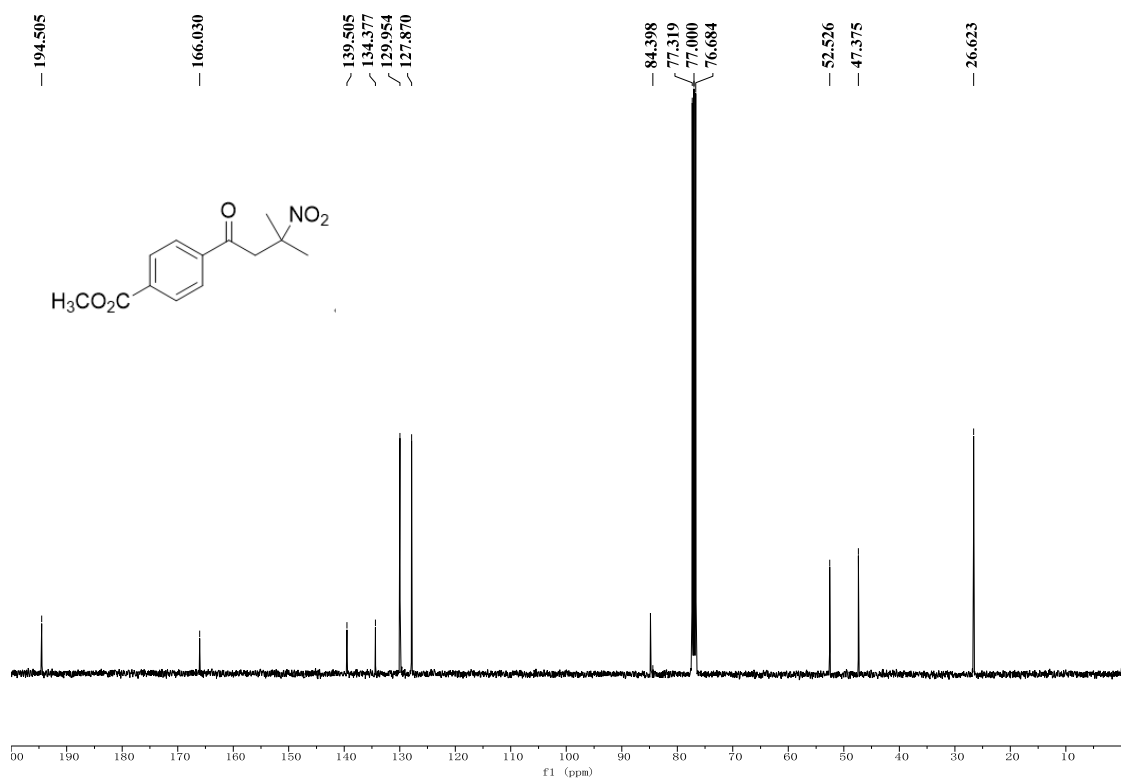
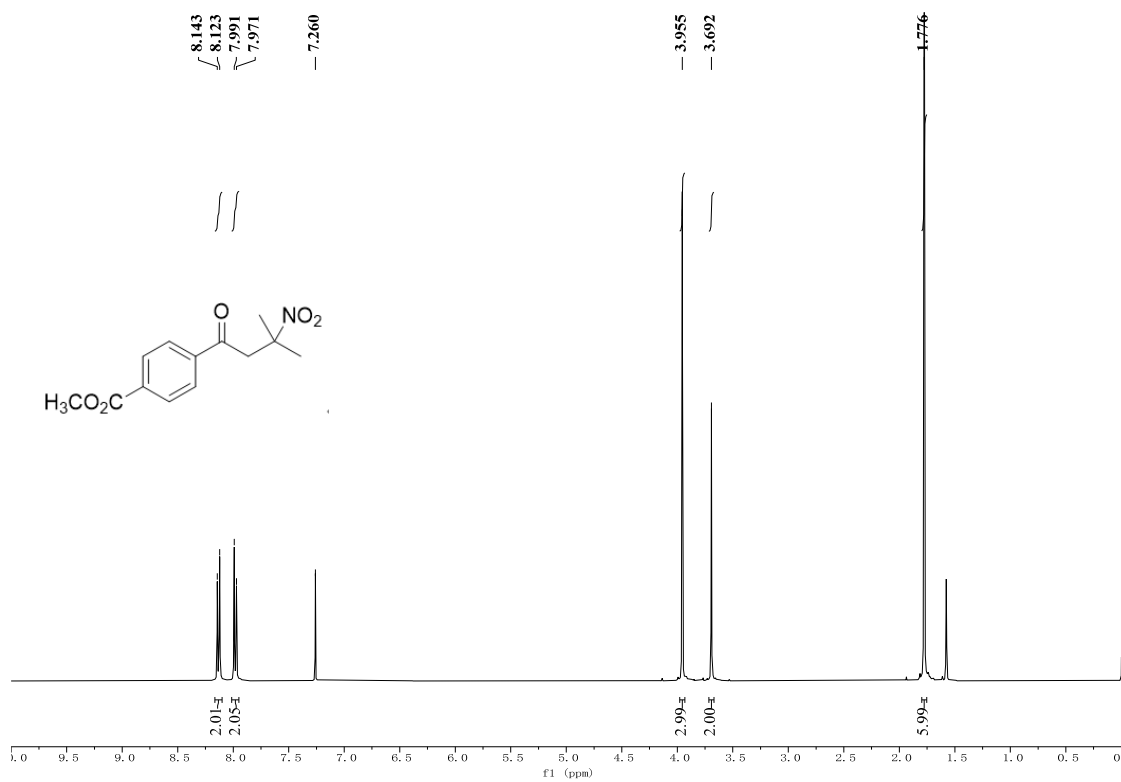


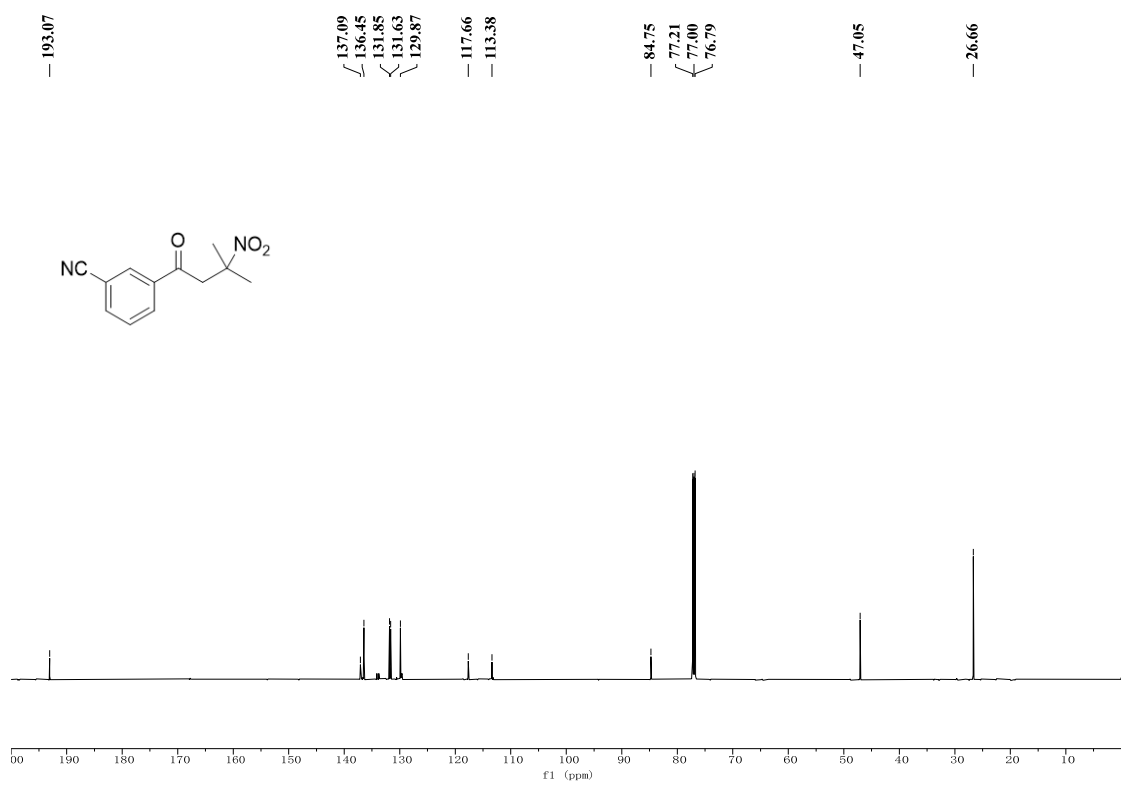
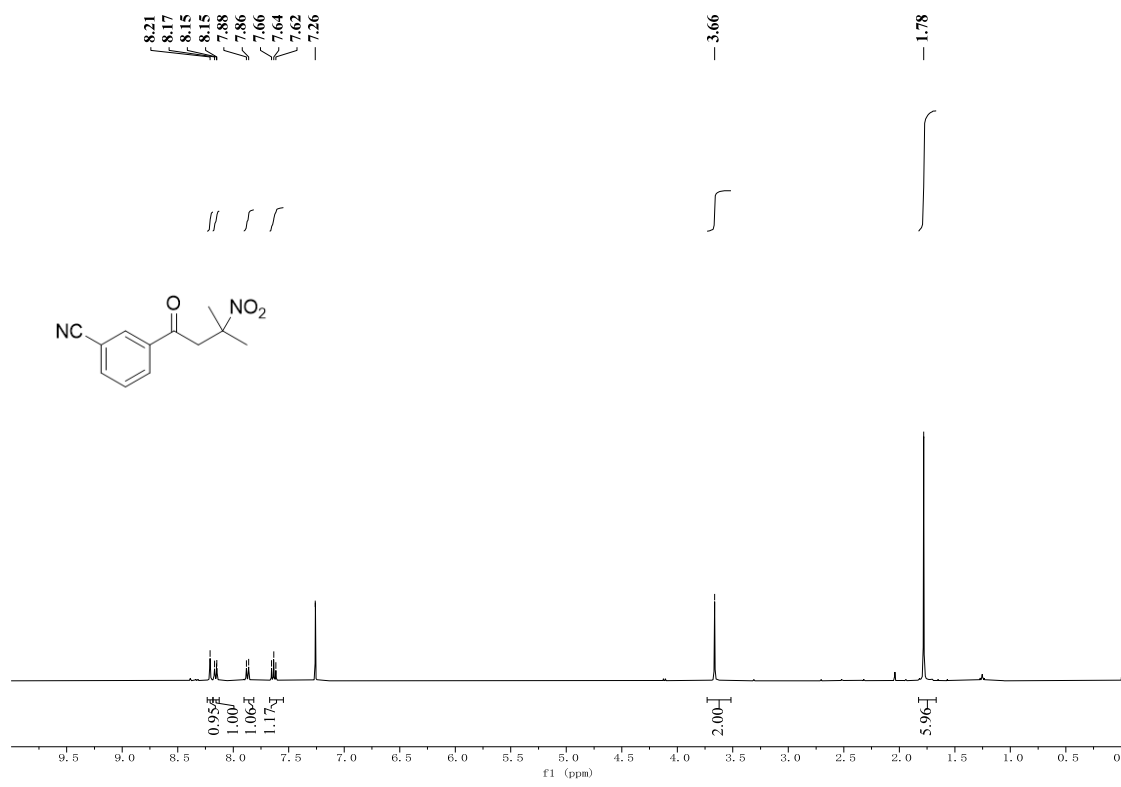


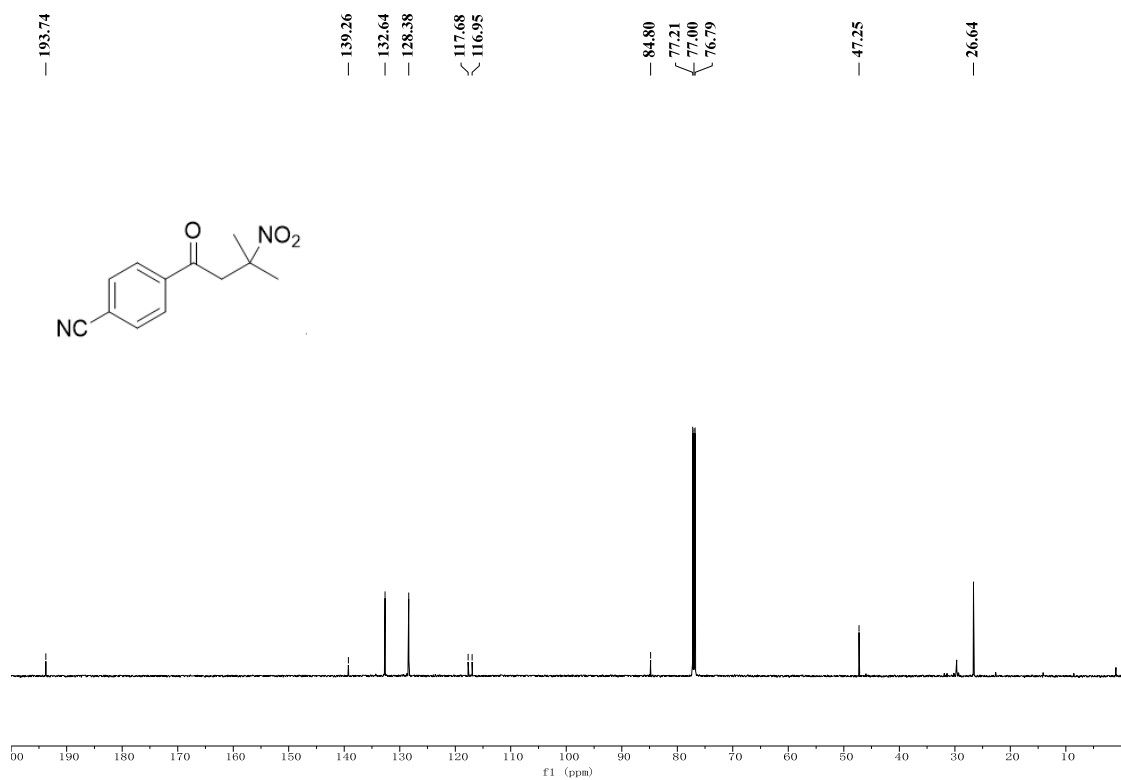
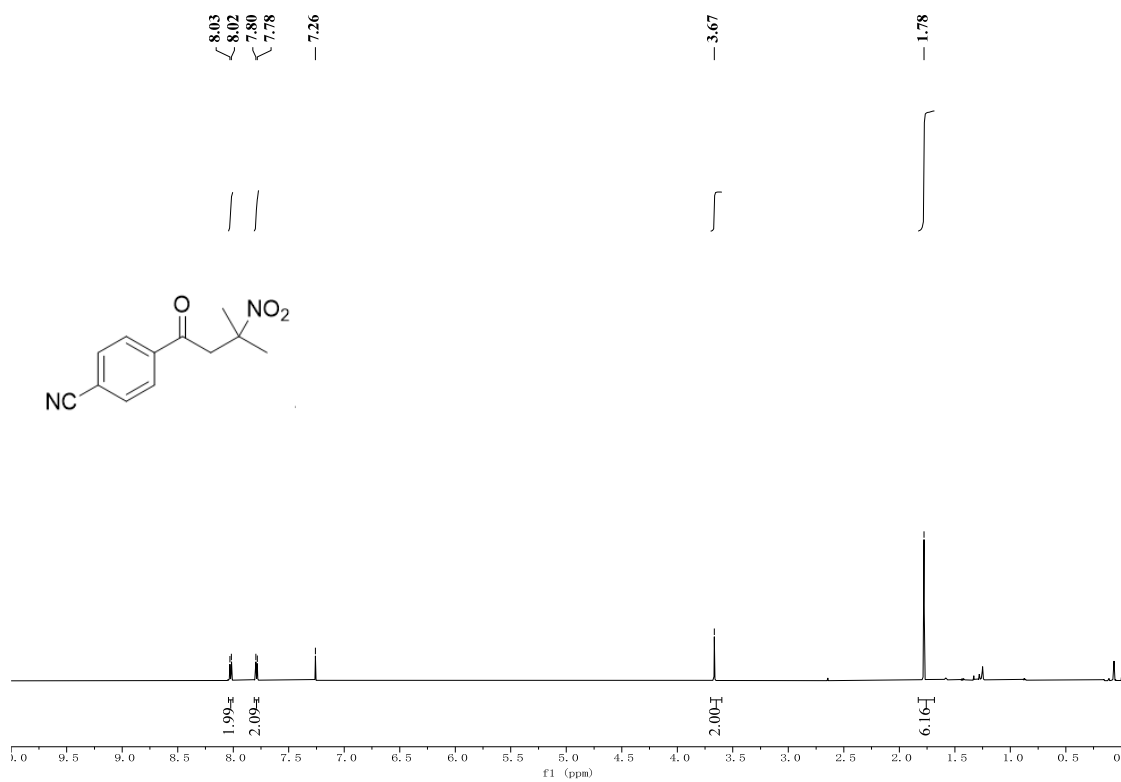


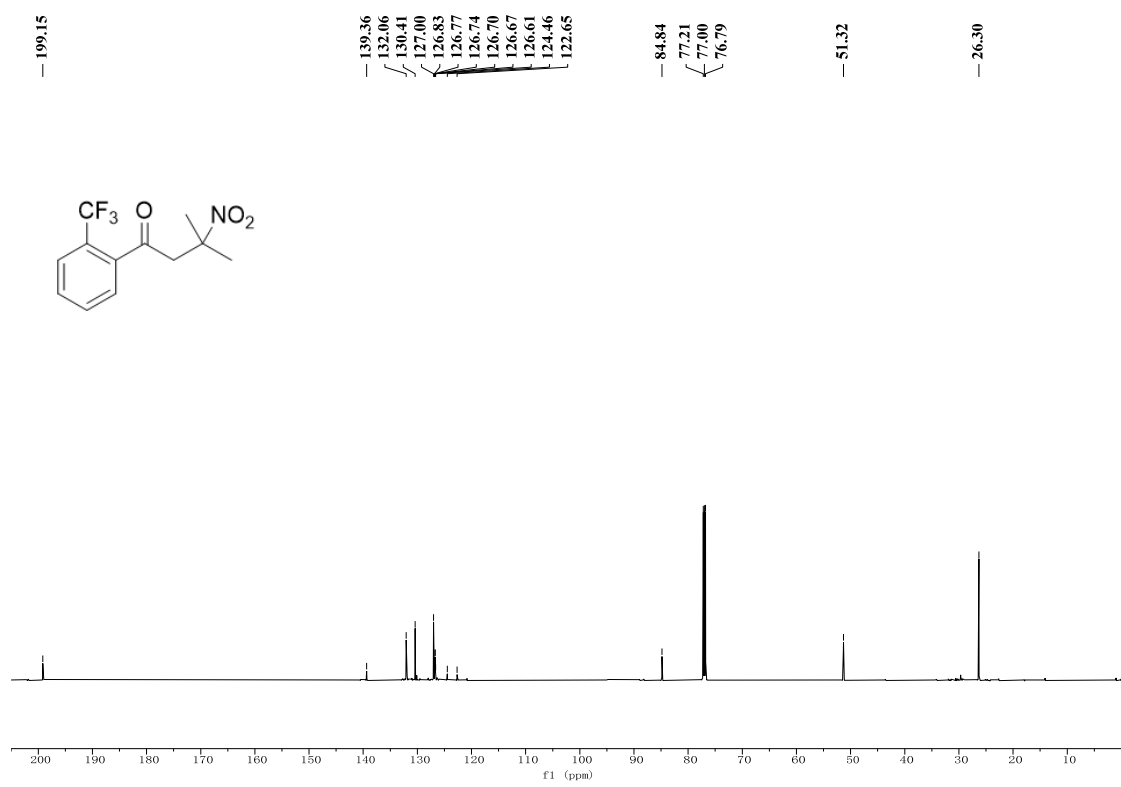
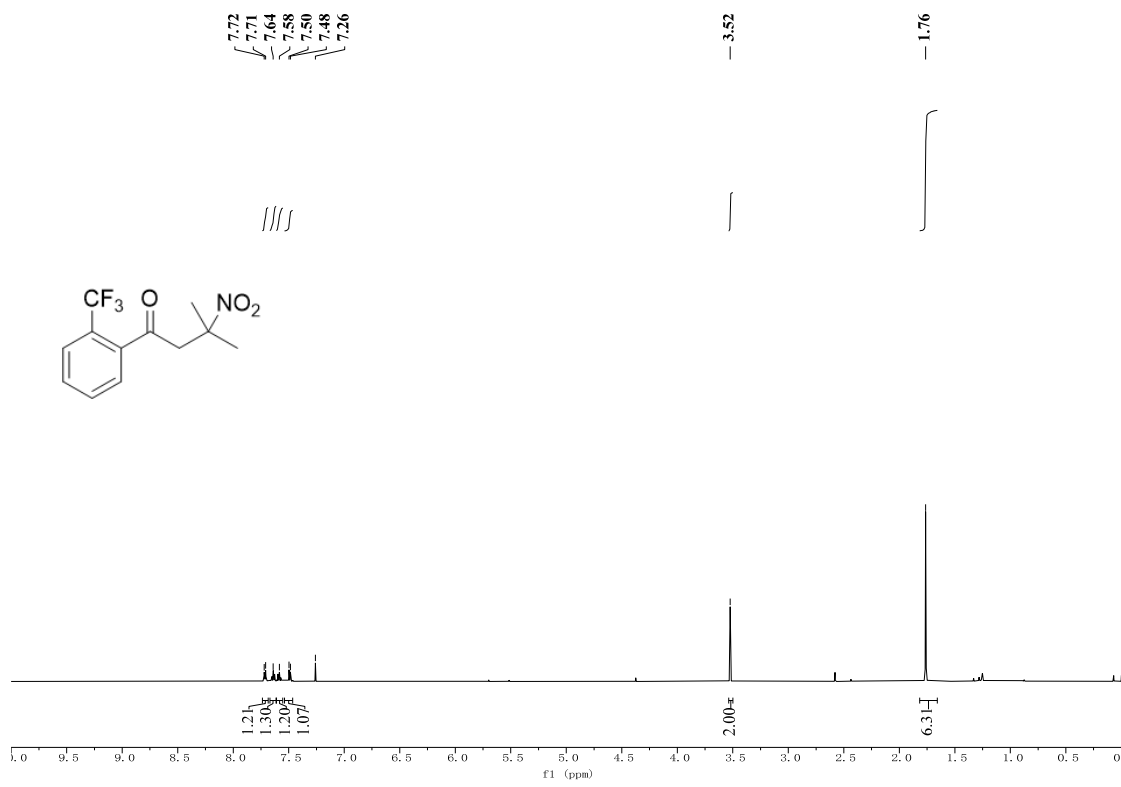




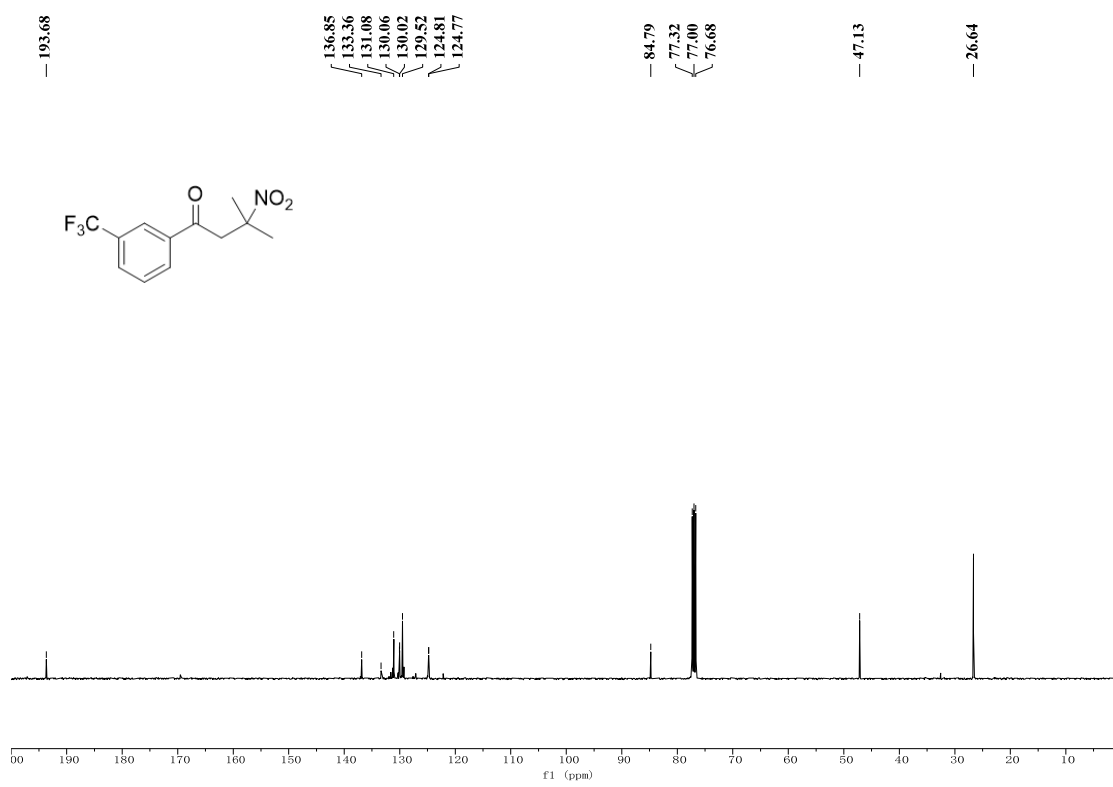
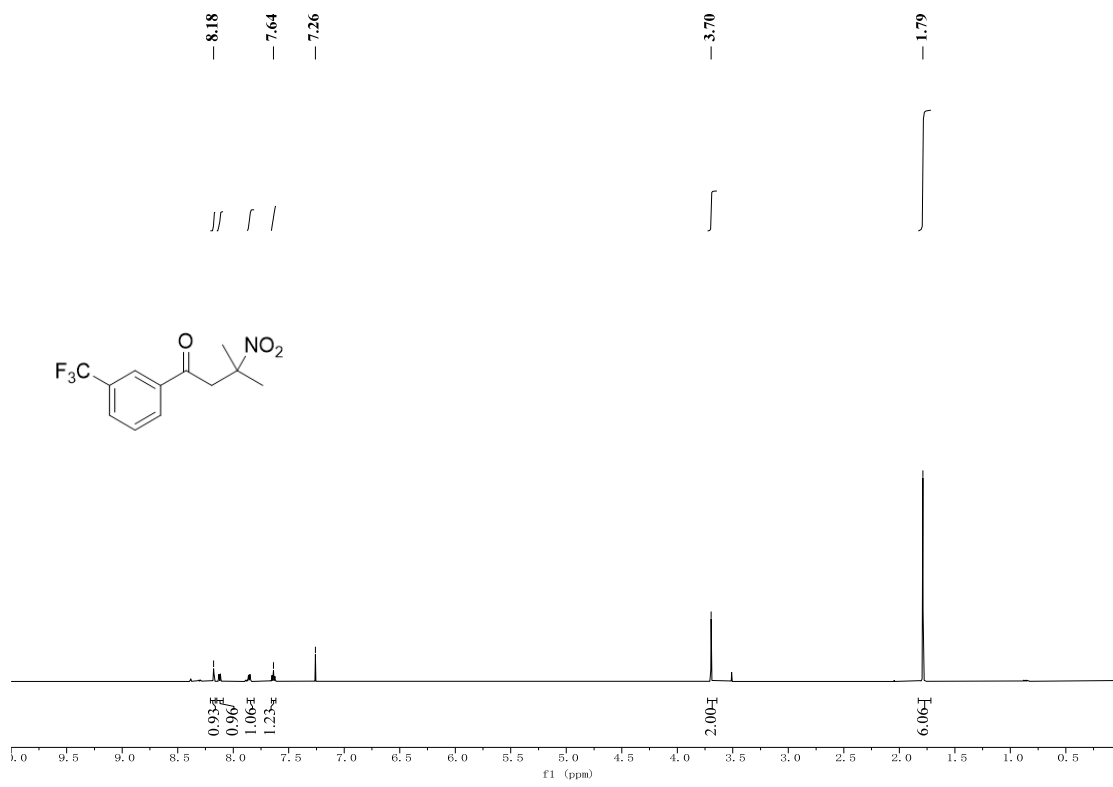


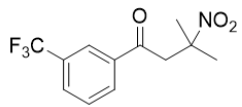




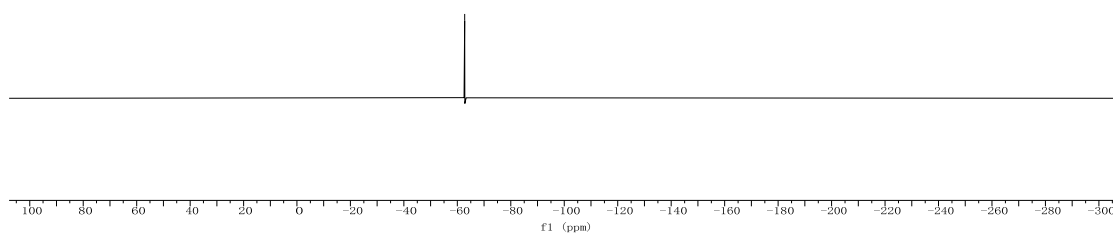


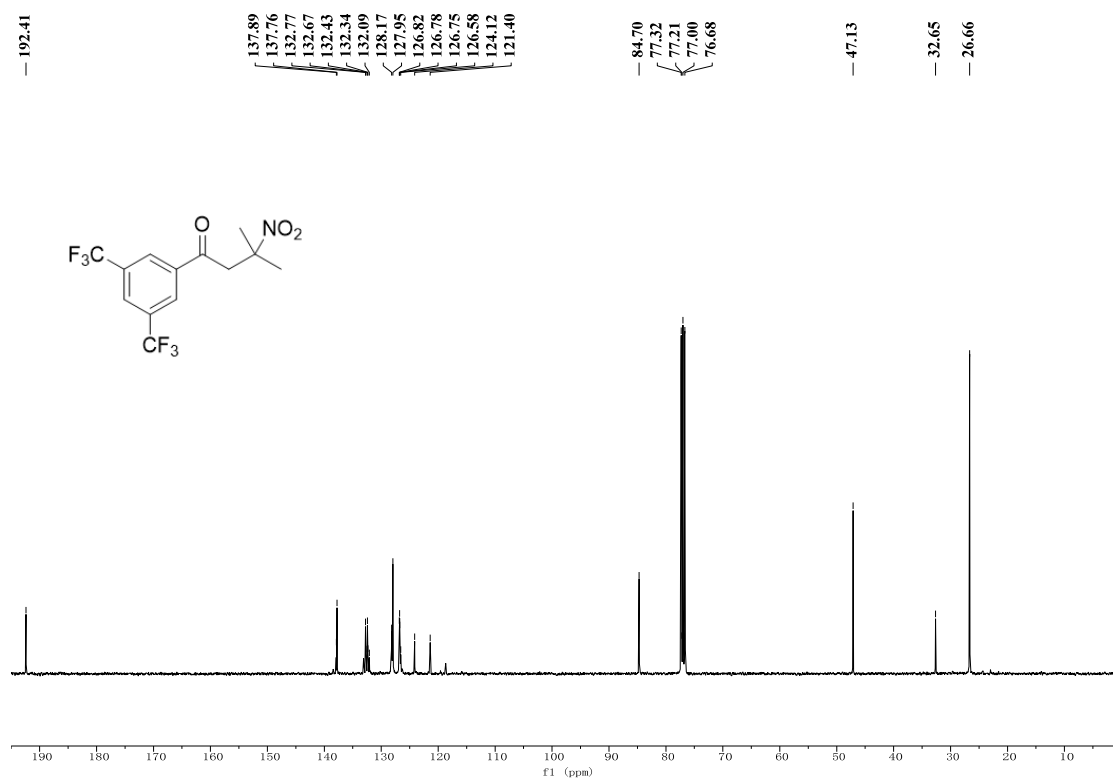
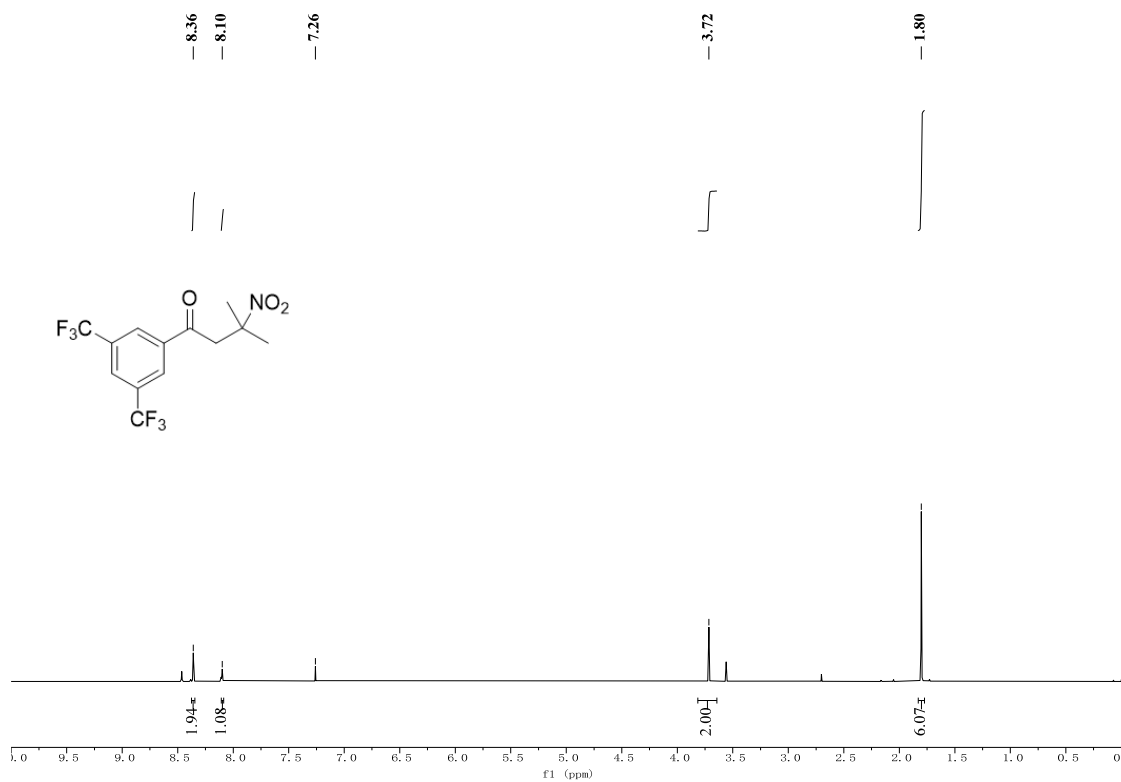






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