

Electronic Supplementary Information
Fe-BPsalan complexes catalyzed highly enantioselective
Diels-Alder reaction of alkylidene β -ketoesters

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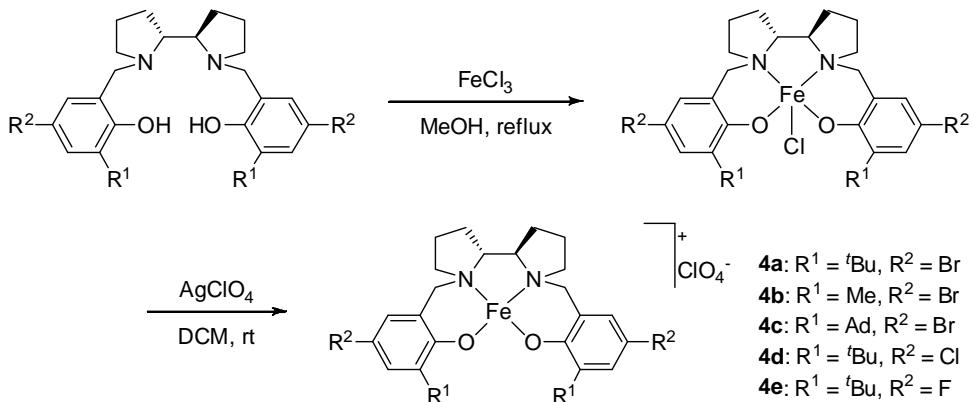
1. General experimental information

All manipulations were carried out using standard Schlenk line or drybox techniques under an atmosphere of argon. Solvents were refluxed over magnesium (methanol, ethanol), sodium (toluene, THF, Et₂O), or calcium hydride (DCM, DCE, EA, MeCN) under an argon atmosphere and collected by distillation. Flash column chromatography was performed with Huanghai silica gel (300-400 mesh). ¹H and ¹³C NMR spectra were recorded on a Bruker AM 400 (400 MHz) spectrometer. ¹H and ¹³C NMR spectra were referenced internally to residual protio-solvent (¹H) or solvent (¹³C) resonances and are reported relative to tetramethylsilane. Data are reported as follows: chemical shift, multiplicity (s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, q = quartet, m = multiplet), coupling constants (Hz) and integration. HPLC analyses were conducted on an Agilent 1100 Series chromatograph. Infrared spectra were prepared as KBr pellets or neat and were recorded on a Nicolet iN10 MX spectrometer. Optical rotations were measured with a Perkin-Elmer 241 polarimeter in a 1 dm cuvette. Mass spectra were recorded by the mass spectrometry service of Shanghai Institute of Organic Chemistry.

2. Generel procedure for the synthesis of Fe-BPsalan complexes and starting materials

Generel procedure for the synthesis of Fe-BPsalan complexes.

Fe-BPsalan complexes (**4a-e**) with (*R,R*)-bipyrrolidine backbone BPsalan ligands were prepared by the corresponding literature procedures reported by our group.¹ Iron(III) complexes (**5, 6**) were prepared by the corresponding literature procedures.²



Complex 4a: **IR** (KBr): ν_{\max} 3418, 2957, 1622, 1575, 1539, 1463, 1430, 1407, 1295, 1250, 1168, 1096, 931, 879, 815, 734, 596, 497 cm⁻¹. **HRMS** (MALDI) For $[\text{C}_{30}\text{H}_{40}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2{}^{79}\text{Br}_2{}^{54}\text{Fe}]^+$ ($[\text{M-ClO}_4]^+$): Calcd.: 672.0847, Found: 672.0839.

Complex 4b: **IR** (KBr): ν_{\max} 2957, 2922, 2852, 1607, 1475, 1443, 1204, 1089, 867, 800, 726, 622 cm⁻¹. **HRMS** (MALDI) For $[\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{28}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2{}^{79}\text{Br}_2{}^{54}\text{Fe}]^+$ ($[\text{M-ClO}_4]^+$): Calcd.: 587.9908, Found: 587.9880.

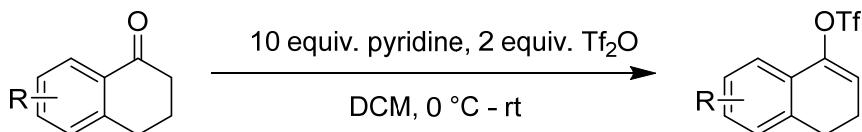
Complex 4c: **IR** (KBr): ν_{\max} 2900, 2846, 1571, 1428, 1406, 1248, 1228, 1099, 1077, 867, 804, 717, 651, 580, 494 cm⁻¹. **HRMS** (MALDI) For $[\text{C}_{42}\text{H}_{52}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2{}^{79}\text{Br}_2{}^{54}\text{Fe}]^+$ ($[\text{M-ClO}_4]^+$): Calcd.: 828.1786, Found: 828.1799.

Complex 4d: **IR** (KBr): ν_{\max} 2956, 1581, 1432, 1411, 1293, 1249, 1090, 928, 874, 815, 753, 623, 598, 507 cm⁻¹. **HRMS** (MALDI) For $[\text{C}_{30}\text{H}_{40}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2{}^{35}\text{Cl}_2{}^{54}\text{Fe}]^+$ ($[\text{M-ClO}_4]^+$): Calcd.: 584.1858, Found: 584.1839.

Complex 4e: **IR** (KBr): ν_{\max} 2959, 1597, 1422, 1296, 1203, 1094, 994, 871, 823, 797, 623, 548 cm⁻¹. **HRMS** (MALDI) For $[\text{C}_{30}\text{H}_{40}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2{}^{19}\text{F}_2{}^{54}\text{Fe}]^+$ ($[\text{M-ClO}_4]^+$): Calcd.: 552.2449, Found: 552.2431.

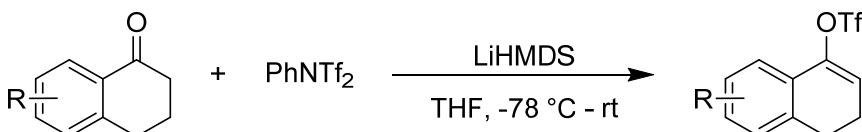
General procedure of trifluoromethanesulfonate

Method 1³:



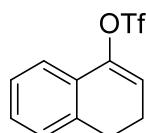
To a solution of 1-tetralone (1 equiv.) in DCM , Tf_2O (2 equiv.) and pyridine (10 equiv.) were sequentially added at 0°C . The mixture was allowed to warm to room temperature and stirred overnight. H_2O was added and the aqueous layer was extracted by DCM 3 times, and the combined organic layer was dried over MgSO_4 and concentrated in vacuo. The residue was purified by flash column chromatography.

Method 2⁴:



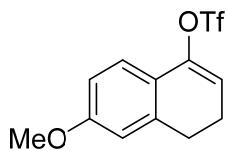
To a solution of 1-tetralone (1 equiv.) in dry THF , 1 M LiHMDS (1.5 equiv.) was added at -78°C . After stirring for 1 h, PhNTf_2 (1 equiv.) was added and stirred at the same temperature for another hour. The reaction mixture was allowed to warm to room temperature and stirred overnight. Saturated NH_4Cl solution was added to quench the reaction, and the reaction mixture was extracted with Et_2O 3 times. The combined organic layer was dried over MgSO_4 and concentrated in vacuo. The residue was purified by flash column chromatography.

3,4-Dihydronaphthalen-1-yl trifluoromethanesulfonate³



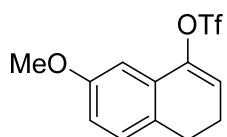
Method 1, prepared from 34.2 mmol of 1-tetralone to afford 9.05 g (32.5 mmol, 95% yield) of desired product as a yellow liquid. $^1\text{H NMR}$ (300 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.39-7.31 (m, 1H), 7.31-7.22 (m, 2H), 7.22-7.13 (m, 1H), 6.02 (t, $J = 4.8$ Hz, 1H), 2.87 (t, $J = 8.2$ Hz, 2H), 2.51 (td, $J = 8.1, 4.8$ Hz, 2H). $^{19}\text{F NMR}$ (376 MHz, CDCl_3): δ -74.09.

6-Methoxy-3,4-dihydronaphthalen-1-yl trifluoromethanesulfonate³



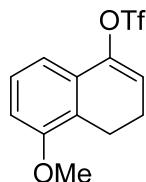
Method 1, prepared from 11.3 mmol of 6-methoxy-1-tetralone to afford 2.22 g (7.2 mmol, 63% yield) of desired product as a yellow liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.26 (d, *J* = 9.3 Hz, 1H), 6.75 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 6.72 (s, 1H), 5.85 (t, *J* = 4.8 Hz, 1H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 2.82 (q, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 2.55-2.33 (m, 2H). **¹⁹F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -73.76.

7-Methoxy-3,4-dihydronaphthalen-1-yl trifluoromethanesulfonate⁵



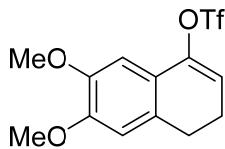
Method 1, prepared from 11.4 mmol of 7-methoxy-1-tetralone to afford 2.59 g (8.4 mmol, 74% yield) of desired product as a yellow liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 6.92 (d, *J* = 2.6 Hz, 1H), 6.81 (dd, *J* = 8.2, 2.2 Hz, 2H), 6.04 (t, *J* = 4.8 Hz, 1H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 2.80 (q, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 2.54-2.44 (m, 2H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 158.7, 146.3, 129.6, 128.8, 128.3, 118.74 (t, *J* = 321.2 Hz), 118.5, 114.5, 107.2, 55.4, 26.0, 22.8. **¹⁹F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -73.78.

5-Methoxy-3,4-dihydronaphthalen-1-yl trifluoromethanesulfonate⁶



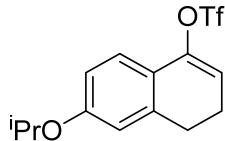
Method 1, prepared from 11.4 mmol of 5-methoxy-1-tetralone to afford 2.18 g (7.1 mmol, 62% yield) of desired product as a yellow liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.22 (t, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 7.00 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 6.87 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 6.00 (t, *J* = 4.6 Hz, 1H), 3.83 (s, 3H), 2.86 (t, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 2.47 (tdd, *J* = 8.2, 4.8, 1.3 Hz, 2H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 156.2, 146.4, 129.7, 127.3, 124.3, 118.7 (q, *J* = 322.2 Hz), 118.0, 113.9, 111.8, 55.6, 21.9, 19.2. **¹⁹F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -73.78.

6,7-Dimethoxy-3,4-dihydronaphthalen-1-yl trifluoromethanesulfonate⁷



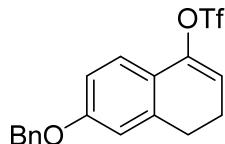
Method 1, prepared from 4.9 mmol of 6,7-dimethoxy-1-tetralone to afford 0.71 g (2.1 mmol, 43% yield) of desired product as a yellow liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 6.88 (s, 1H), 6.71 (s, 1H), 5.88 (t, *J* = 4.8 Hz, 1H), 3.89 (s, 3H), 3.87 (s, 3H), 2.79 (t, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 2.48 (ddd, *J* = 9.3, 7.6, 4.8 Hz, 2H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 149.56, 147.77, 146.24, 129.36, 121.26, 118.68 (q, *J* = 320.5 Hz), 115.13, 111.46, 105.24, 56.09, 26.67, 22.58. **¹⁹F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -73.79.

6-Isopropoxy-3,4-dihydronaphthalen-1-yl trifluoromethanesulfonate



Method 1, prepared from 4.9 mmol of 6-isopropoxy-1-tetralone to afford 1.47 g (4.4 mmol, 89% yield) of desired product as a yellow liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.16 (dd, *J* = 8.7, 2.9 Hz, 1H), 6.69-6.59 (m, 2H), 5.75 (tt, *J* = 4.9, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 4.52-4.42 (m, 1H), 2.72 (t, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 2.37 (td, *J* = 8.1, 4.8, 2H), 1.25 (dd, *J* = 6.0, 1.4 Hz, 6H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 158.8, 146.5, 138.4, 122.8, 121.4, 118.7 (q, *J* = 320.1 Hz), 115.9, 114.7, 113.0, 70.0, 27.4, 22.4, 22.1. **¹⁹F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -73.81. **IR** (KBr): ν_{max} 2979, 2940, 1654, 1609, 1568, 1497, 1419, 1249, 1212, 1142, 1008, 911, 886, 845, 605 cm⁻¹. **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): *m/z* 336 (M⁺), 294 (68.87), 161 (65.82), 133 (100), 115 (28.46), 105 (27.43). **HRMS** (EI) For [C₁₄H₁₅O₄F₃S]⁺ (M⁺): Calcd.: 336.0643, Found: 336.0645.

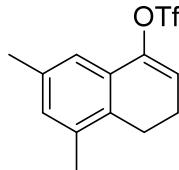
6-(Benzylxy)-3,4-dihydronaphthalen-1-yl trifluoromethanesulfonate⁸



Method 1, prepared from 6.1 mmol of 6-benzylxy-1-tetralone to afford 0.91 g (2.4 mmol, 39% yield) of desired product as a yellow liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.50-7.33 (m, 5H), 7.30 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 6.92-6.83 (m, 2H), 5.89 (t, *J* = 4.8 Hz, 1H), 5.09 (s, 2H), 2.85 (t, *J* = 8.1

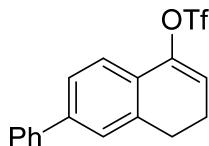
Hz, 2H), 2.49 (ddd, $J = 9.3, 7.4, 4.8$ Hz, 2H). **^{13}C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 159.5, 146.4, 138.4, 136.7, 128.8, 128.2, 127.5, 122.8, 122.0, 118.7 (q, $J = 320.2$ Hz), 115.2, 115.1, 112.3, 70.1, 27.4, 22.3. **^{19}F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl_3): δ -73.72.

5,7-Dimethyl-3,4-dihydroronaphthalen-1-yl trifluoromethanesulfonate



Method 1, prepared from 11.5 mmol of 5,7-dimethyl-1-tetralone to afford 2.35 g (7.7 mmol, 67% yield) of desired product as a yellow liquid. **^1H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.12 (s, 1H), 7.03 (s, 1H), 6.04 (t, $J = 4.8$ Hz, 1H), 2.82 (t, $J = 8.3$ Hz, 2H), 2.53 (td, $J = 8.3, 4.8$ Hz, 2H), 2.38 (s, 3H), 2.31 (s, 3H). **^{13}C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 146.9, 135.8, 135.4, 132.1, 131.6, 128.5, 120.3, 119.9, 118.8 (q, $J = 321$ Hz), 117.1, 117.0, 22.6, 22.1, 21.1, 19.4. **^{19}F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl_3): δ -73.83. **IR** (KBr): ν_{max} 2956, 2942, 1659, 1605, 1412, 1249, 1226, 1142, 1091, 902, 605 cm^{-1} . **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): m/z 306 (M^+), 173 (91.53), 145 (100), 130 (52.96), 115 (40.73), 105 (22.9), 91 (16.88), 69 (19.18). **HRMS** (EI) For $[\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{13}\text{F}_3\text{O}_3\text{S}]^+$ (M^+): Calcd.: 306.0538, Found: 306.0539.

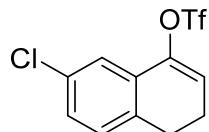
6-Phenyl-3,4-dihydroronaphthalen-1-yl trifluoromethanesulfonate



Method 1, prepared from 2.8 mmol of 6-phenyl-1-tetralone to afford 0.94 g (2.7 mmol, 94% yield) of desired product as a viscous liquid. **^1H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.61 (d, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.55-7.48 (m, 2H), 7.48-7.44 (m, 2H), 7.43 (d, $J = 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.42-7.34 (m, 1H), 6.06 (t, $J = 4.8$ Hz, 1H), 2.95 (t, $J = 8.2$ Hz, 2H), 2.57 (td, $J = 8.2, 4.8$ Hz, 2H). **^{13}C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 146.4, 142.1, 140.3, 136.8, 129.0, 127.8, 127.7, 127.1, 126.7, 125.7, 121.8, 118.7 (q, $J = 320.2$ Hz), 117.8 (t, $J = 3.6$ Hz), 27.1, 22.5. **^{19}F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl_3): δ -73.64. **IR** (KBr): ν_{max} 2076, 2831, 1404, 1200, 1139, 1003, 901, 759 cm^{-1} . **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): m/z 354

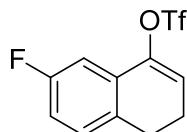
(M⁺), 221 (39.88), 193 (60.41), 178 (100), 165 (49.43), 115 (16.37). **HRMS** (EI) For [C₁₇H₁₃F₃O₃S]⁺ (M⁺): Calcd.: 354.0537, Found: 354.0541.

7-Chloro-3,4-dihydronaphthalen-1-yl trifluoromethanesulfonate⁹



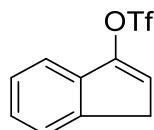
Method 2, prepared from 8.3 mmol of 7-chloro-1-tetralone to afford 0.89 g (2.8 mmol, 34% yield) of desired product as a yellow liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.31 (s, 1H), 7.29-7.20 (m, 1H), 7.11 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 6.09 (q, *J* = 3.6 Hz, 1H), 2.84 (t, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 2.57-2.47 (m, 2H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 145.3, 134.5, 133.0, 130.3, 129.1, 121.6, 117.1 (q, *J* = 320.2 Hz), 119.2, 117.1, 26.4, 22.4. **¹⁹F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -73.54.

7-Fluoro-3,4-dihydronaphthalen-1-yl trifluoromethanesulfonate¹⁰



Method 2, prepared from 3.1 mmol of 7-fluoro-1-tetralone to afford 0.35 g (1.2 mmol, 39% yield) of desired product as a yellow liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.14 (dd, *J* = 8.1, 5.8 Hz, 1H), 7.06 (dd, *J* = 9.2, 2.6 Hz, 1H), 6.95 (td, *J* = 8.4, 2.0 Hz, 2H), 6.10 (t, *J* = 4.8 Hz, 1H), 2.83 (t, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 2.52 (td, *J* = 8.2, 4.9 Hz, 2H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 163.1, 160.6, 145.5 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz), 131.7 (d, *J* = 3.4 Hz), 130.4 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz), 129.2 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz), 119.3, 118.7 (q, *J* = 320.2 Hz), 115.7 (d, *J* = 21.4 Hz), 108.8 (d, *J* = 24.7 Hz). **¹⁹F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -73.69 (s, 1F), -114.90 (q, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 3F).

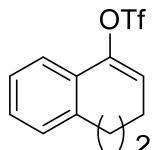
1*H*-Inden-3-yl trifluoromethanesulfonate¹¹



Method 1, prepared from 37.8 mmol of 1-indanone to afford 8.90 g (33.7 mmol, 89% yield) of desired product as a yellow liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.50-7.44 (m, 1H), 7.41 (ddd, *J* = 8.7, 7.4, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 7.38-7.28 (m, 2H), 6.37 (t, *J* = 2.3 Hz, 1H), 3.47 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 2H). **¹³C**

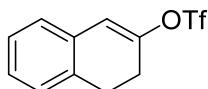
NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 148.1, 141.3, 136.7, 127.1, 127.0, 124.6, 118.8 (q, *J* = 322.19 Hz), 118.3, 118.2, 34.9. **¹⁹F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -73.15.

6,7-Dihydro-5*H*-benzo[7]annulen-9-yl trifluoromethanesulfonate¹²



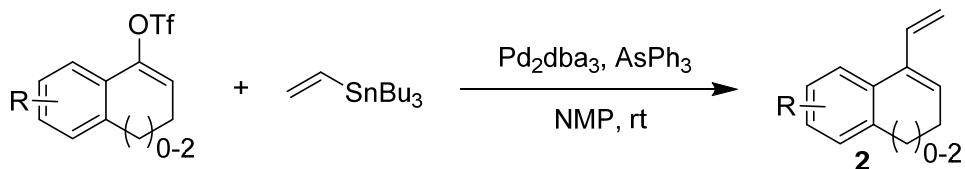
Method 1, prepared from 12.5 mmol of 1-benzosuberone to afford 3.46 g (11.9 mmol, 95% yield) of desired product as a yellow liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.54 - 7.52 (m, 1H), 7.32 - 7.29 (m, 2H), 7.25 - 7.23 (m, 1H), 6.24 (t, *J* = 6.3, 1H), 2.79 - 2.77 (m, 2H), 2.25 (q, *J* = 7.0, 2H), 2.12 - 2.06 (m, 2H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 146.3, 141.8, 132.2, 129.6, 129.4, 126.6, 126.5, 123.5, 118.7 (q, *J* = 318.6 Hz), 33.6, 30.7, 25.5. **¹⁹F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -74.2 (t, *J* = 4.7 Hz).

3,4-Dihydronaphthalen-2-yl trifluoromethanesulfonate¹³



Method 1, prepared from 13.7 mmol of 2-tetralone to afford 3.23 g (11.6 mmol, 82% yield) of desired product as a yellow liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.24-7.20 (m, 2H), 7.18-7.13 (m, 1H), 7.11-7.06 (m, 1H), 6.50 (s, 1H), 3.07 (t, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 2.71 (td, *J* = 8.4, 1.3 Hz, 2H). **¹⁹F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -73.59.

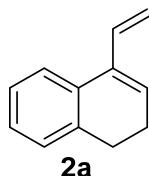
General procedure of diene³



Pd₂dba₃ (3 mol%) and AsPh₃ (10 mol%) were placed in 20 mL NMP under Ar atmosphere. After degassing for 20 min, corresponding trifluoromethanesulfonate (1 equiv.) and vinyl tributyltin (1.5 equiv.) were added and the reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for 5 h. Adding of 2 M KF (5 equiv.) solution and H₂O (100 mL) resulted in the formation of a precipitate.

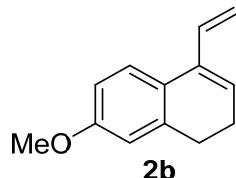
The reaction mixture was stirred vigorously for 30 min, filtered through a pad of Celite, extracted with EtOAc (50 mL × 3). The combined organic layer was dried over MgSO₄, concentrated in vacuo. The residue was purified by flash column chromatography.

4-Vinyl-1,2-dihydronaphthalene (2a)³



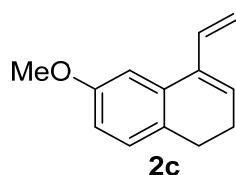
Prepared from 3.6 mmol of corresponding trifluoromethanesulfonate to afford 0.47 g (3.0 mmol, 84% yield) of **2a** as a colorless liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.34 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.27-7.16 (m, 1H), 7.19-7.11 (m, 2H), 6.69-6.57 (m, 1H), 6.19 (t, *J* = 4.9 Hz, 1H), 5.53 (d, *J* = 17.4 Hz, 1H), 5.20 (d, *J* = 11.0 Hz, 1H), 2.75 (t, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 2.30 (td, *J* = 7.9, 5.0 Hz, 2H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 136.7, 136.6, 135.6, 134.2, 127.7, 127.1, 126.5, 126.4, 123.9, 115.3, 28.3, 23.3. **MS (EI)**: (relative intensity): *m/z* 156 (M⁺), 141 (99.53), 128 (100), 115 (77.39).

7-Methoxy-4-vinyl-1,2-dihydronaphthalene (2b)³



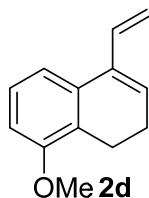
Prepared from 3.2 mmol of corresponding trifluoromethanesulfonate to afford 0.48 g (2.6 mmol, 79% yield) of **2b** as a colorless liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.26 (s, 1H), 6.74 (s, 1H), 6.66-6.54 (m, 2H), 6.07 (t, *J* = 4.7 Hz, 1H), 5.51 (dd, *J* = 17.4, 1.9 Hz, 1H), 5.17 (dd, *J* = 10.8, 1.9 Hz, 1H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 2.73 (t, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 2.34-2.24 (m, 2H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 158.6, 138.6, 136.3, 135.8, 127.3, 125.1, 124.2, 115.0, 113.9, 110.9, 55.3, 28.8, 23.2. **MS (EI)**: (relative intensity): *m/z* 186 (M⁺), 171 (69.44), 128 (69.26), 115 (73.56).

6-Methoxy-4-vinyl-1,2-dihydronaphthalene (2c)¹⁴



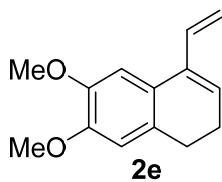
Prepared from 7.8 mmol of corresponding trifluoromethanesulfonate to afford 1.07 g (5.7 mmol, 74% yield) of **2c** as a colorless liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.12 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.00-6.95 (m, 2H), 6.75 (dd, *J* = 8.2, 2.5 Hz, 1H), 6.65 (dd, *J* = 16.8, 11.0 Hz, 1H), 6.24 (t, *J* = 4.9 Hz, 1H), 5.58 (d, *J* = 17.3 Hz, 1H), 5.24 (d, *J* = 10.9 Hz, 1H), 3.83 (s, 3H), 2.72 (t, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 2.32 (td, *J* = 7.8, 5.0 Hz, 2H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 158.3, 136.6, 135.5, 135.1, 128.8, 128.3, 127.1, 115.4, 111.7, 110.4, 55.4, 27.3, 23.6.

8-Methoxy-4-vinyl-1,2-dihydronaphthalene (**2d**)



Prepared from 7.1 mmol of corresponding trifluoromethanesulfonate to afford 1.10 g (5.9 mmol, 84% yield) of **2d** as a colorless liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.12 (t, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 6.74 (dd, *J* = 10.3, 7.9 Hz, 2H), 6.56 (dd, *J* = 17.4, 10.7 Hz, 1H), 6.41 (s, 1H), 5.40-5.28 (m, 1H), 5.15 (d, *J* = 10.9 Hz, 1H), 3.84 (s, 3H), 2.87 (t, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 2.46 (dd, *J* = 9.1, 7.6 Hz, 2H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 156.1, 138.6, 137.7, 135.6, 128.1, 126.8, 123.3, 119.6, 113.0, 109.8, 55.6, 21.8, 20.0. **IR** (KBr): ν_{\max} 2935, 2834, 1597, 1570, 1460, 1438, 1336, 1261, 1143, 1082, 1038, 913, 830, 790, 782, 729 cm⁻¹. **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): *m/z* 186 (M⁺), 171 (59.4), 155 (68.16), 141 (37.85), 128 (54.55), 115 (70.07). **HRMS** (EI) For [C₁₃H₁₄O]⁺ (M⁺): Calcd.: 186.1045, Found: 186.1043.

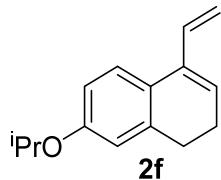
6,7-Dimethoxy-4-vinyl-1,2-dihydronaphthalene (**2e**)



Prepared from 1.9 mmol of corresponding trifluoromethanesulfonate to afford 0.26 g (1.2 mmol, 62% yield) of **2e** as a colorless liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 6.90 (s, 1H), 6.71 (s, 1H), 6.58 (ddd, *J* = 17.4, 10.9, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 6.07 (t, *J* = 4.7 Hz, 1H), 5.51 (dd, *J* = 17.4, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 5.18 (dd, *J* = 10.9, 1.9 Hz, 1H), 3.87 (s, 3H), 3.85 (s, 3H), 2.66 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 2.33-2.11 (m,

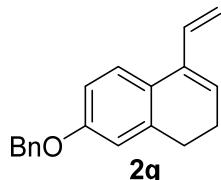
2H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 147.9, 147.2, 136.4, 135.9, 129.5, 126.9, 124.7, 115.3, 111.6, 108.5, 56.3, 56.1, 28.0, 23.5. **IR** (KBr): ν_{max} 2929, 2831, 1602, 1569, 1509, 1402, 1355, 1273, 1264, 1234, 1143, 1032, 997, 911, 866, 799 cm⁻¹. **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): *m/z* 216 (M⁺), 201 (32.24), 185 (8.36), 158 (25.57), 141 (32.95), 128 (55.46), 115 (69.98). **HRMS** (ESI) For [C₁₄H₁₇O₂]⁺ ([M+H]⁺): Calcd.: 217.1233, Found: 217.1221.

7-Isopropoxy-4-vinyl-1,2-dihydronaphthalene (**2f**)



Prepared from 1.8 mmol of corresponding trifluoromethanesulfonate to afford 0.24 g (1.1 mmol, 64% yield) of **2f** as a colorless liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.18 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 6.71-6.60 (m, 2H), 6.53 (ddd, *J* = 17.4, 10.9, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 5.98 (t, *J* = 4.7 Hz, 1H), 5.44 (dd, *J* = 17.4, 1.9 Hz, 1H), 5.09 (dd, *J* = 10.9, 1.9 Hz, 1H), 4.48 (p, *J* = 6.1 Hz, 1H), 2.64 (t, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 2.26-2.16 (m, 2H), 1.26 (d, *J* = 6.1 Hz, 6H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 151.6, 133.2, 130.9, 130.5, 121.7, 119.7, 118.7, 110.4, 109.6, 107.5, 72.0, 71.7, 71.4, 64.5, 23.4, 17.9, 16.9, 16.8. **IR** (KBr): ν_{max} 2976, 2932, 1606, 1496, 1383, 1275, 1249, 1115, 983, 823 cm⁻¹. **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): *m/z* 214 (M⁺), 186 (85.87), 172 (72.54), 157 (100), 145 (67.26), 133 (42.45), 128 (52.09), 115 (50.58). **HRMS** (EI) For [C₁₅H₁₈O]⁺ (M⁺): Calcd.: 214.1358, Found: 214.1354.

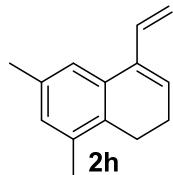
7-(Benzylxy)-4-vinyl-1,2-dihydronaphthalene (**2g**)



Prepared from 5.2 mmol of corresponding trifluoromethanesulfonate to afford 1.11 g (4.2 mmol, 81% yield) of **2g** as a colorless liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.53-7.29 (m, 6H), 6.99-6.75 (m, 2H), 6.73-6.56 (m, 1H), 6.12 (ddp, *J* = 1.5, 3.3, 4.9, 1H), 5.57 (dp, *J* = 17.4, 2.3 Hz, 1H), 5.23 (dp, *J* = 10.9, 2.2 Hz, 1H), 5.11 (s, 2H), 2.78 (t, *J* = 7.9, 2H), 2.32 (dt, *J* = 7.9, 4.3 Hz, 2H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 157.9, 138.6, 137.2, 136.2, 135.8, 128.6, 128.0, 127.5, 125.1,

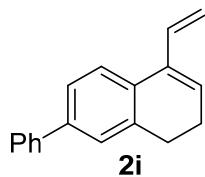
124.3, 115.0, 114.9, 111.9, 70.0, 28.8, 23.2. **IR** (KBr): ν_{max} 3031, 2933, 2882, 2828, 1606, 1567, 1497, 1249, 1140, 1028, 912, 827, 735, 695 cm^{-1} . **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): m/z 262 (M^+), 128 (12.06), 91 (100). **HRMS** (ESI) For $[\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{19}\text{O}]^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$): Calcd.: 263.1436, Found: 263.1429.

6,8-Dimethyl-4-vinyl-1,2-dihydronaphthalene (2h)

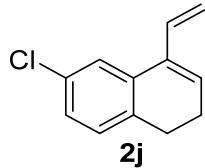


Prepared from 3.3 mmol of corresponding trifluoromethanesulfonate to afford 0.49 g (2.9 mmol, 88% yield) of **2h** as a colorless liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.09 (s, 1H), 6.95 (s, 1H), 6.69 (ddq, $J = 17.3, 10.8, 1.3$ Hz, 1H), 6.24 (td, $J = 4.8, 1.2$ Hz, 1H), 5.57 (dd, $J = 17.3, 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 5.24 (dd, $J = 10.9, 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 2.72 (t, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 2.38-2.34 (m, 4H), 2.34-2.31 (m, 4H).. **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 137.0, 136.2, 135.0, 134.8, 134.0, 131.8, 130.0, 125.8, 122.7, 115.1, 23.6, 23.1, 21.2, 19.8. **IR** (KBr): ν_{max} 2922, 2830, 1606, 1474, 1443, 1014, 911, 853 cm^{-1} . **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): m/z 184 (M^+), 169 (100), 154 (33.19), 141 (20.99). **HRMS** (EI) For $[\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{16}]^+$ (M^+): Calcd.: 184.1252, Found: 184.1254.

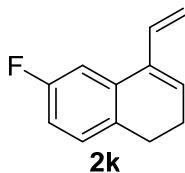
7-Phenyl-4-vinyl-1,2-dihydronaphthalene (2i)



Prepared from 1.7 mmol of corresponding trifluoromethanesulfonate to afford 0.29 g (1.3 mmol, 75% yield) of **2i** as a colorless liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.67 (d, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.53-7.45 (m, 5H), 7.39 (t, $J = 6.9$ Hz, 1H), 6.72 (dt, $J = 16.5, 8.1$ Hz, 1H), 6.27 (t, $J = 5.0$ Hz, 1H), 5.62 (dd, $J = 17.4, 5.9$ Hz, 1H), 5.29 (d, $J = 10.0$ Hz, 1H), 2.87 (q, $J = 6.2, 4.8$ Hz, 2H), 2.41 (td, $J = 7.8, 4.4$ Hz, 2H).. **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 141.0, 139.8, 137.1, 136.4, 135.5, 133.3, 128.8, 127.2, 127.0, 126.6, 126.5, 125.1, 124.4, 115.4, 28.5, 23.4. **IR** (KBr): ν_{max} 2931, 1736, 1593, 1479, 1264, 1241, 1099, 880, 813, 738 cm^{-1} . **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): m/z 232 (M^+), 217 (48.53), 215 (31.85), 202 (35.57). **HRMS** (EI) For $[\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{16}]^+$ (M^+): Calcd.: 232.1252, Found:

6-Chloro-4-vinyl-1,2-dihydronaphthalene (2j)

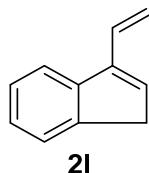
Prepared from 2.7 mmol of corresponding trifluoromethanesulfonate to afford 0.37 g (1.9 mmol, 70% yield) of **2j** as a colorless liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.31 (d, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 1H), 7.13 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 2.1 Hz, 1H), 7.08 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 6.57 (ddq, *J* = 17.3, 10.9, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 6.23 (t, *J* = 4.8 Hz, 1H), 5.53 (dd, *J* = 17.3, 1.7 Hz, 1H), 5.23 (dd, *J* = 10.9, 1.7 Hz, 1H), 2.71 (t, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 2.35-2.25 (m, 2H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 136.0, 135.8, 135.0, 134.9, 132.1, 128.8, 127.6, 126.7, 124.1, 116.0, 27.6, 23.2. **IR** (KBr): *v*_{max} 2931, 2835, 1611, 1574, 1486, 1425, 1249, 1161, 910, 872, 807 cm⁻¹. **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): *m/z* 190 (M⁺), 178 (26.09), 155 (100), 128 (34.84), 115 (24.73), 84 (24.62), 49 (26.07), 43 (31.23). **HRMS** (EI) For [C₁₂H₁₁³⁵Cl]⁺ (M⁺): Calcd.: 190.0549, Found: 190.0548.

6-Fluoro-4-vinyl-1,2-dihydronaphthalene (2k)

Prepared from 1.2 mmol of corresponding trifluoromethanesulfonate to afford 0.11 g (0.6 mmol, 52% yield) of **2k** as a colorless liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.10 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 7.05 (dd, *J* = 10.4, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 6.84 (td, *J* = 8.4, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 6.56 (dd, *J* = 17.4, 10.9 Hz, 1H), 6.23 (t, *J* = 4.9 Hz, 1H), 5.53 (d, *J* = 17.3 Hz, 1H), 5.22 (d, *J* = 10.9 Hz, 1H), 2.71 (t, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 2.30 (td, *J* = 7.9, 4.8 Hz, 2H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 161.8 (d, *J* = 242.2 Hz), 136.1 (d, *J* = 2.2 Hz), 135.9 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz), 135.1, 132.0 (d, *J* = 3.0 Hz), 128.6 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz), 127.6, 115.8, 113.2 (d, *J* = 21.4 Hz), 111.1 (d, *J* = 22.6 Hz), 27.4, 23.4. **¹⁹F NMR** (376 MHz, CDCl₃): δ -116.72 (q, *J* = 9.1 Hz). **IR** (KBr): *v*_{max} 2929, 1610, 1578, 1490, 1429, 1262, 1247, 1163, 904, 869, 810 cm⁻¹. **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): *m/z* 174 (M⁺), 159 (100), 146 (53.61), 133 (35.43). **HRMS**

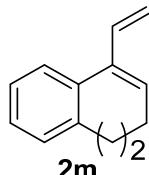
(EI) For $[C_{12}H_{11}F]^+$ (M^+): Calcd.: 174.0845, Found: 174.0842.

3-Vinyl-1*H*-indene (2l)¹⁵



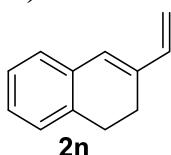
Prepared from 3.8 mmol of corresponding trifluoromethanesulfonate to afford 0.33 g (2.3 mmol, 61% yield) of **2l** as a colorless liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.63 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.48 (d, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.33 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.25 (d, J = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 6.80 (dd, J = 17.9, 11.3 Hz, 1H), 6.56 (s, 1H), 5.85 (d, J = 17.8 Hz, 1H), 5.35 (d, J = 11.3 Hz, 1H), 3.42 (s, 2H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 144.7, 143.5, 131.6, 130.7, 126.2, 125.0, 124.1, 120.2, 115.9, 37.9. **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): *m/z* 142 (M^+), 141 (100), 115 (46.83).

9-Vinyl-6,7-dihydro-5*H*-benzo[7]annulene (2m)¹⁶



Prepared from 5.1 mmol of corresponding trifluoromethanesulfonate to afford 0.79 g (4.6 mmol, 90% yield) of **2m** as a colorless liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.48-7.39 (m, 1H), 7.39-7.25 (m, 3H), 6.72-6.58 (m, 1H), 6.28 (q, J = 7.4, 6.8 Hz, 1H), 5.34-5.23 (m, 1H), 5.17 (t, J = 8.9 Hz, 1H), 2.71-2.60 (m, 2H), 2.23-2.10 (m, 2H), 2.04-1.91 (m, 2H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 141.4, 141.2, 138.2, 137.4, 131.1, 128.8, 128.6, 127.1, 125.6, 114.2, 34.2, 31.9, 24.7.

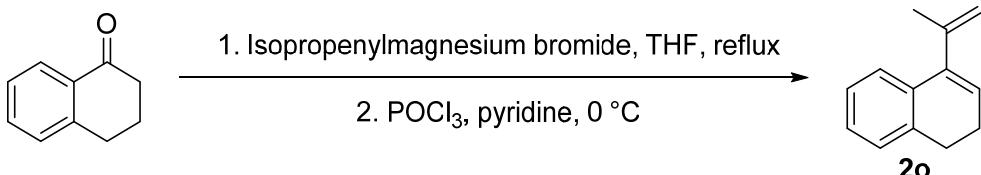
3-Vinyl-1,2-dihydronaphthalene (2n)¹⁷



Prepared from 3.6 mmol of corresponding trifluoromethanesulfonate to afford 0.49 g (3.2 mmol, 87% yield) of **2n** as a colorless liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.16 - 7.10 (m, 3H), 7.05 (ddd, J = 6.8, 1.5, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 6.55 (ddd, J = 17.5, 10.5, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 6.43 (dd, J = 1.3, 1.0 Hz,

1H), 5.34 (dd, $J = 17.5, 1.2$ Hz, 1H), 5.14 (dd, $J = 10.5, 1.2$ Hz, 1H), 2.89 (t, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 2H), 2.48 (dd, $J = 7.5, 1.3$ Hz, 2H). ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 138.5, 137.8, 135.7, 134.5, 128.2, 127.2, 127.0, 126.5, 112.7, 27.7, 22.3.

4-(Prop-1-en-2-yl)-1,2-dihydronaphthalene (2o)¹⁸



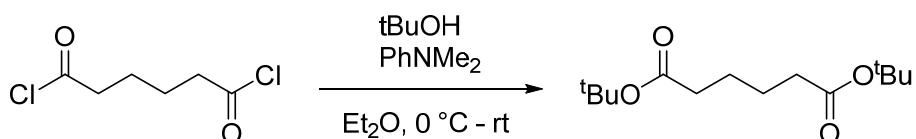
Step1:

To a solution of 1-tetralone (2.0 g, 13.7 mmol) in 20 mL dry THF, 2-propylmagnesium bromide (1.5 equiv.) was added dropwise. The reaction mixture was refluxed for 2 h. After cooling to room temperature, 30 mL saturated NH_4Cl solution was added to quench the reaction. The aqueous layer was extracted with Et_2O (15 mL \times 3). The combined organic layer was dried over MgSO_4 , concentrated in vacuo. The crude product was used without further purification.

Step2:

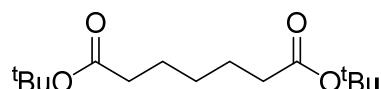
To a solution of the crude alcohol in 20 mL pyridine, POCl_3 (1.5 equiv.) was added dropwise at 0 °C. the reaction mixture was allowed to warm to room temperature and stirred overnight. Ice water was carefully added to quench the reaction and the reaction mixture was extracted with Et_2O . The combined organic layer was dried over MgSO_4 , concentrated in vacuo. The residue was purified by flash column chromatography to afford the desired product (1.1 g, 51% yield, 2 steps) as a colorless liquid. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.28-7.12 (m, 4H), 6.02 (t, $J = 4.6$ Hz, 1H), 5.12 (s, 1H), 5.07 (s, 1H), 2.78 (t, $J = 7.9$ Hz, 2H), 2.35-2.25 (m, 2H), 2.01-1.97 (m, 3H). ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 144.6, 141.5, 136.9, 134.0, 127.6, 126.8, 126.3, 125.2, 125.0, 114.5, 28.4, 23.2, 22.9.

di-*tert*-butyl adipate¹⁹



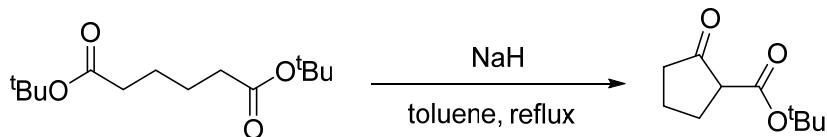
To a solution of ^tBuOH (41 mL, 437 mmol, 4 equiv.) and *N,N*-dimethylaniline (44 mL, 349 mmol, 4 equiv.) in Et₂O (120 mL), adipoyl chloride (20 g, 109 mmol) in Et₂O (20 mL) was added dropwise at 0 °C. The mixture was allowed to warm slowly to room temperature and stirred for 24 h. H₂O (100 mL) was added and the aqueous layer was extracted with Et₂O (30 mL × 3). The combined organic layer was washed sequentially with 1 M HCl (100 mL), 2 M NaOH (100 mL) and brine (100 mL), then dried over MgSO₄ and concentrated in vacuo. The residue was distilled in vacuo to give the desired product as a colorless liquid (20.5 g, 72% yield). **B.P.**: 103-105 °C (at 2.7 mbar). **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 2.27-2.21 (m, 4H), 1.66-1.59 (m, 4H), 1.45 (s, 18H).

di-*tert*-Butyl heptanedioate²⁰



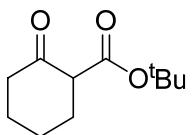
Prepared from 25.4 mmol of heptanedioyl dichloride to afford 5.34 g (19.6 mmol, 77% yield) of desired product as a colorless liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 2.35-2.31 (m, 4H), 1.72-1.68 (m, 6H), 1.52 (s, 18H).

tert-Butyl 2-oxocyclopentanecarboxylate²⁰



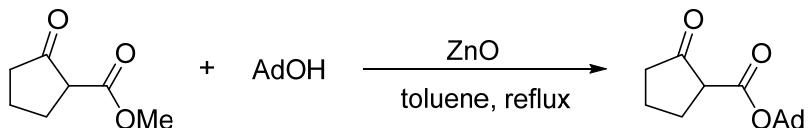
NaH (60% suspension in mineral oil, 6.7 g, 166.3 mmol) was suspended in toluene (80 mL). A solution of di-*tert*-butyladipate (1.3 g) in ^tBuOH (0.4 mL) and benzene (25 mL) was added. After refluxed for 30 min, more di-*tert*-butyladipate (19.2 g) a in benzene (40 mL) was added dropwise over 30 min. After the completion of the reaction, the reaction mixture was allowed to cool to room temperature before being cooled to 0 °C; AcOH (aq, 10%, 100 mL) was carefully added to the reaction mixture. The organic layer was separated, dried over MgSO₄ and concentrated in vacuo. The residue was distilled in vacuo to give the desired product as a colorless liquid (12.7 g, 87% yield). **B.P.**: 72-74 °C (at 2.7 mbar). **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.03 (td, *J* = 8.8, 0.6 Hz, 1H), 2.33-2.19 (m, 4H), 2.17-2.03 (m, 1H), 1.92-1.76 (m, 1H), 1.50 (s, 9H).

tert-Butyl 2-oxocyclohexanecarboxylate²¹



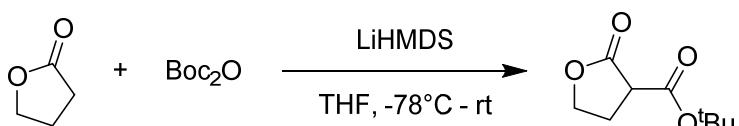
Prepared from 20.3 mmol of di-*tert*-butyl heptanedioate to afford 3.69 g (18.6 mmol, 92% yield) of desired product as a colorless liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 5.28 (s, 1H), 2.26-2.18 (m, 2H), 2.13 (d, *J* = 6.1 Hz, 2H), 1.70-1.59 (m, 2H), 1.55 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 2H), 1.47 (s, 9H) ppm.

Adamantan-1-yl 2-oxocyclopentanecarboxylate²²



A solution of methyl 2-oxocyclopentanecarboxylate (2.7 g, 19.2 mmol), ZnO (2.33 g, 28.8 mmol, 1.5 equiv.) and 1-adamantanol (29.3 g, 96.0 mmol, 5 equiv.) in toluene (50 mL) was refluxed for 8 h. The reaction mixture was filtered and filtrate was concentrated, and was purified by flash column chromatography to give the desired product as a colorless liquid (3.5 g, 69% yield). **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 3.02 (t, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 2.31-2.18 (m, 4H), 2.19-2.02 (m, 10H), 1.82 (dp, *J* = 12.7, 8.3 Hz, 1H), 1.70-1.56 (m, 6H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 213.1, 168.5, 81.8, 55.9, 41.2, 38.2, 36.2, 30.9, 27.5, 21.0.

tert-Butyl 2-oxotetrahydrofuran-3-carboxylate²³

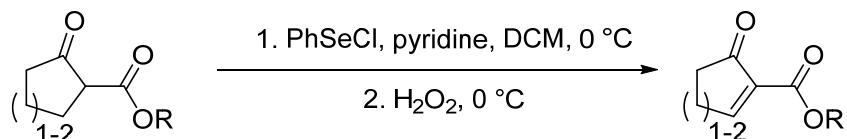


To a solution of γ-butyrolactone (3.0 g, 34.85 mmol) in 100 mL THF, LiHMDS (2 M, 26 mL, 1.5 equiv.) was added dropwise over 30 min at -78 °C. After stirring for 2 h at -78 °C, di-*tert*-butyl decarbonate was added in one portion, and the reaction mixture was allowed to warm to room temperature and stirred overnight. NH₄Cl (50 mL) was added to the reaction mixture and the aqueous layer was extracted with Et₂O (25 mL × 3). The combined organic layer was washed with brine (50 mL), then dried over MgSO₄ and concentrated in vacuo. The residue was purified by

flash column chromatography to give the desired product as a colorless liquid (5.32 g, 82% yield).

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 4.44 (td, *J* = 5.7, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 4.35-4.24 (m, 1H), 3.43 (dd, *J* = 7.3, 9.4 Hz, 1H), 2.67-2.54 (m, 1H), 2.46 (dd, *J* = 5.7, 7.7, 9.4, 13.2 Hz, 1H), 1.49 (s, 9H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.8, 166.9, 82.8, 67.2, 46.9, 27.8, 26.4.

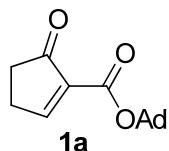
Synthesis of unsaturated β -keto esters



General procedure²⁴

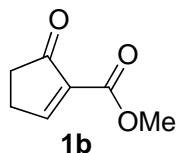
To a solution of PhSeCl (1.1 equiv.) and pyridine (1.5 equiv.) in DCM (50 mL), 2-oxocyclopentane-1-carboxylate (1 equiv.) was added dropwise at 0 °C. After stirring for 5 h, 1 M HCl (50 mL) was added to quench the reaction. The separated organic layer was washed with saturated aqueous NaHCO₃ and dried over MgSO₄. The solution was placed in round-bottom flask and cooled to 0 °C, and 35% H₂O₂ (aq, 3 equiv.) was added dropwise. After stirring at the same temperature for another 5 h, the resulting mixture was washed with H₂O (50 mL) and saturated aqueous NaHCO₃ (50 mL) and dried over MgSO₄ and concentrated in vacuo. The crude product was used without further purification.

Adamantan-1-yl 5-oxocyclopent-1-enecarboxylate (1a)



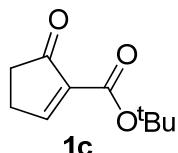
Prepared from 6.8 mmol of adamantan-1-yl 2-oxocyclopentane-1-carboxylate to afford 1.56 g (6.0 mmol, 88% yield) of **1a** as a viscous liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.26 (td, *J* = 2.7, 1.1, 1H), 2.72-2.64 (m, 2H), 2.55-2.48 (m, 2H), 2.18 (s, 9H), 1.73-1.65 (m, 6H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 203.3, 170.7, 160.8, 138.6, 82.0, 41.4, 36.2, 35.8, 30.9, 26.3. **IR** (KBr): *v*_{max} 2908, 2854, 1700, 1611, 1279, 1050, 825, 784 cm⁻¹. **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): *m/z* 260 (M⁺), 135 (100), 109 (32.2), 92 (63.49), 79 (24.85), 53 (15.76). **HRMS** (ESI) For [C₁₆H₂₄NO₃]⁺ ([M+NH₄]⁺): Calcd.: 278.1756, Found: 278.1746.

Methyl 5-oxocyclopent-1-enecarboxylate (1b)²⁵



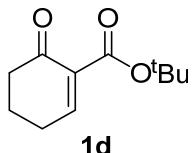
Prepared from 7.0 mmol of ethyl 2-oxocyclopentane-1-carboxylate to afford 0.83 g (5.9 mmol, 84% yield) of **1b** as a pale-yellow liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.40 (t, *J* = 2.7 Hz, 1H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 2.72 (dt, *J* = 7.3, 2.5 Hz, 2H), 2.53 (dt, *J* = 6.7, 2.2 Hz, 2H).. **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 203.0, 172.7, 162.3, 137.1, 52.0, 35.7, 26.7.

tert-Butyl 5-oxocyclopent-1-enecarboxylate (1c)²⁵



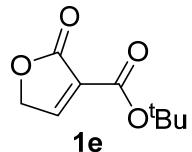
Prepared from 14.2 mmol of *tert*-butyl 2-oxocyclopentane-1-carboxylate to afford 2.52 g (13.8 mmol, 97% yield) of **1c** as a viscous liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.27 (tq, *J* = 2.5, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 2.74-2.64 (m, 2H), 2.55-2.47 (m, 2H), 1.49 (s, 9H).

tert-Butyl 6-oxocyclohex-1-enecarboxylate (1d)²⁶



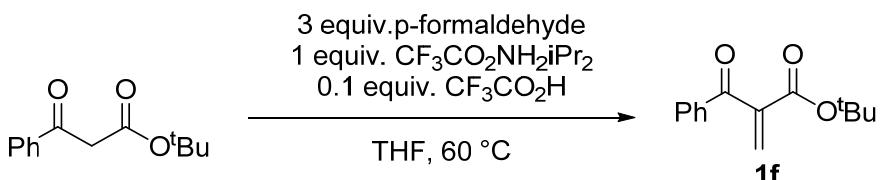
Prepared from 3.6 mmol of *tert*-butyl 2-oxocyclohexane-1-carboxylate to afford 0.85 g (3.3 mmol, 90% yield) of **1d** as a pale-yellow liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.51 (s, 1H), 2.50-2.33 (m, 4H), 2.07-1.94 (m, 2H), 1.45 (s, 9H).

tert-Butyl 2-oxo-2,5-dihydrofuran-3-carboxylate (1e)



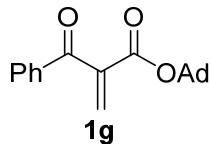
Prepared from 5.4 mmol of *tert*-butyl 2-oxotetrahydrofuran-3-carboxylate to afford 0.98 g (5.3 mmol, 99% yield) of **1e** as a pale-yellow liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.14 (d, *J* = 1.8 Hz, 1H), 4.87 (d, *J* = 1.7 Hz, 2H), 1.50 (s, 9H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.3, 159.0, 158.7, 126.8, 82.9, 69.0, 28.0, 27.8.

***tert*-Butyl 2-benzoylacrylate (**1f**)²⁷**



Unsaturated β keto ester **1f** was synthesized by a modified protocol reported in the literature.²⁷ To a solution of *tert*-butyl 3-oxo-3-phenylpropanoate (1.0 g, 4.5 mmol) and p-formaldehyde (0.41 g, 13.6 mmol, 3 equiv.) in dry THF (20 mL), CF₃COONH₂iPr₂ salt (0.98 g, 4.5 mmol, 1 equiv.) and CF₃COOH (34 μ L, 0.1 equiv.) were added and the mixture was warmed to 60 °C and stirred overnight. H₂O (30 mL) was added to the mixture, and the aqueous layer was extracted with Et₂O (10 mL \times 3). The combined organic layer was washed sequentially with 1 M HCl (50 mL), 1 M NaOH (50 mL) and brine (50 mL), then dried over MgSO₄ and concentrated in vacuo. The residue was purified by flash column chromatography to give the desired product as a colorless liquid (0.9 g, 85% yield). **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.83 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.60-7.55 (m, 1H), 7.48-7.42 (m, 2H), 6.58 (s, 1H), 6.05 (s, 1H), 1.34 (s, 9H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 193.7, 163.4, 143.3, 136.7, 133.3, 130.7, 129.0, 128.4, 82.3, 27.7.

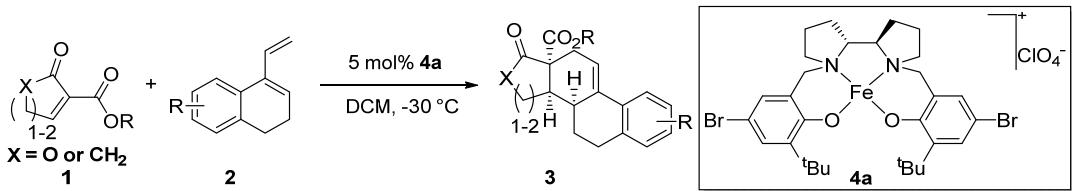
Adamantan-1-yl 2-benzoylacrylate (1g**)**



Prepared from 3.35 mmol of adamantan-1-yl 3-oxo-3-phenylpropanoate to afford 0.84 g (2.71 mmol, 81% yield) of **1g** as a colorless liquid. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.86-7.80 (m, 2H), 7.57 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.46 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 6.56 (s, 1H), 6.02 (s, 1H), 2.16-2.02 (m, 3H), 2.00-1.95 (m, 6H), 1.66-1.49 (m, 6H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 193.8, 163.2, 143.6, 136.9, 133.3, 130.5, 129.2, 128.5, 82.4, 41.1, 36.1, 30.9. **IR** (KBr): ν_{max} 2911, 2854, 1712, 1668, 1329,

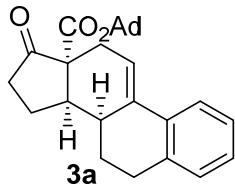
1227, 1156, 1051, 972, 964, 726 cm⁻¹. **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): *m/z* 310 (M⁺), 135 (100), 105 (63.1), 92 (34.15), 77 (40.8). **HRMS** (EI) For [C₂₀H₂₂O₃]⁺ (M⁺): Calcd.: 310.1569, Found: 310.1564.

3. General experimental procedure for Fe-BPsalan complexes catalyzed asymmetric Diels-Alder reaction of alkylidene β -ketoesters



The unsaturated β -keto ester (0.2 mmol) and Fe-BPsalan complex (0.01 mmol, 5 mol%) were dissolved in dry DCM under Ar atmosphere at room temperature. After stirring for 30 min, diene (2 equiv.) was added at the given temperature. After the completion of the reaction, the reaction mixture was concentrated, and the product was purified by flash column chromatography. The ee of the product was determined by chiral HPLC.

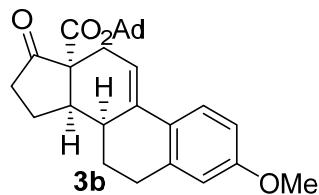
(8*S*,13*R*,14*R*)-Adamantan-1-yl 17-oxo-7,8,12,13,14,15,16,17-octahydro-6*H*-cyclopenta[a]phenanthrene-13-carboxylate (**3a**)



81 mg, viscous liquid, 97% yield, 8:1 dr, 90%, >99% ee. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.65 – 7.56 (m, 1H), 7.23 – 7.03(m, 2H), 6.32 (q, *J* = 3.7 Hz, 1H), 3.00 (dt, *J* = 12.3, 6.1 Hz, 1H), 2.92 – 2.81 (m, 3H), 2.65 – 2.54 (m, 1H), 2.54 – 2.21 (m, 4H), 2.21 – 2.07 (m, 9H), 2.07 – 1.90 (m, 3H), 1.73-1.48 (m, 7H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 214.26, 170.28, 136.83, 133.95, 133.92, 129.26, 127.04, 126.28, 123.31, 116.73, 81.85, 59.90, 44.76, 41.27, 37.10, 36.24, 34.75, 30.95, 30.21, 26.61, 25.47, 21.52. **IR** (KBr): ν_{max} 2911, 2852, 1749, 1723, 1456, 1231, 1054 cm⁻¹. **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): *m/z* 416 (M⁺), 135 (100), 93 (8.36), 79 (8.9). **HRMS** (ESI) For [C₂₈H₃₃O₃]⁺ ([M+H]⁺): Calcd.: 417.2430, Found: 417.2425. **HPLC**: Daicel Chiral AD-H, Hexane/ⁱPrOH = 99/1, 0.7 mL/min,

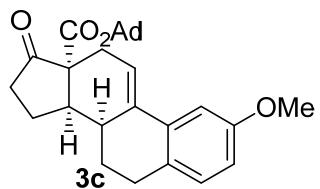
214 nm, retention times t_R (*exo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 29.6 min, t_R (*exo* diastereoisomer, major) = 41.5 min, t_R (*endo* diastereoisomer, major) = 46.1 min, t_R (*endo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 65.8 min, 90% ee (*exo*), >99% ee (*endo*), dr (*exo:endo*) = 8:1. $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 100.44$ ($c = 0.95$, CHCl₃).

(8*S*,13*R*,14*R*)-Adamantan-1-yl 3-methoxy-17-oxo-7,8,12,13,14,15,16,17-octahydro-6*H*-cyclopenta[a]phenanthrene-13-carboxylate (3b)



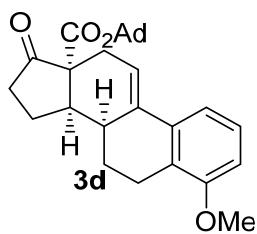
89 mg, viscous liquid, 99% yield, 12:1 dr, 91%, 94% ee. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.53 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 1H), 6.73 (dd, $J = 8.8, 2.7$ Hz, 1H), 6.61 (d, $J = 2.7$ Hz, 1H), 6.16 (q, $J = 3.7$ Hz, 1H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 2.98 (dt, $J = 12.2, 6.1$ Hz, 1H), 2.93 – 2.76 (m, 3H), 2.61 – 2.21 (m, 4H), 2.17 – 2.05 (m, 9H), 2.05 – 1.90 (m, 2H), 1.67 – 1.51 (m, 8H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 214.19, 170.23, 158.57, 138.14, 133.36, 126.86, 124.65, 114.29, 113.23, 112.77, 81.67, 59.84, 55.29, 44.61, 41.19, 37.00, 36.17, 34.61, 30.87, 30.42, 26.62, 25.22, 21.42. **IR** (KBr): ν_{\max} 2908, 2851, 1749, 1717, 1603, 1497, 1456, 1232, 1202, 1167, 1058, 826 cm⁻¹. **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): *m/z* 446 (M⁺), 267 (40.2), 135 (100). **HRMS** (ESI) For [C₂₉H₃₅O₄]⁺ ([M+H]⁺): Calcd.: 447.2535, Found: 447.2526. **HPLC**: Daicel Chiral IF3, Hexane/ⁱPrOH = 90/10, 0.7 mL/min, 214 nm, retention times t_R (*exo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 16.5 min, t_R (*exo* diastereoisomer, major) = 21.2 min, t_R (*endo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 24.6 min, t_R (*endo* diastereoisomer, major) = 26.4 min. 91% ee (*exo*), 94% ee (*endo*), dr (*exo:endo*) = 12:1. $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 141.50$ ($c = 1.01$, CHCl₃).

(8*S*,13*R*,14*R*)-Adamantan-1-yl 2-methoxy-17-oxo-7,8,12,13,14,15,16,17-octahydro-6*H*-cyclopenta[a]phenanthrene-13-carboxylate (3c)



78 mg, viscous liquid, 87% yield, 9:1 dr, 90%, 85% ee. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.11 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz, 1H), 7.01 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 1H), 6.73 (dd, *J* = 8.4, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 6.30 (q, *J* = 3.8 Hz, 1H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 3.00 (dt, *J* = 12.3, 6.1 Hz, 1H), 2.94 – 2.69 (m, 3H), 2.57 (dd, *J* = 13.1, 5.9 Hz, 1H), 2.52 – 2.35 (m, 2H), 2.29 (dt, *J* = 18.8, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 2.23 – 2.04 (m, 9H), 2.04 – 1.81 (m, 2H), 1.77 – 1.38 (m, 8H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 214.22, 170.23, 158.07, 134.77, 134.08, 130.10, 129.36, 116.92, 113.87, 107.52, 81.80, 59.84, 55.39, 44.75, 41.21, 37.06, 36.19, 34.67, 30.90, 29.33, 26.85, 25.43, 21.50. **IR** (KBr): ν_{max} 2906, 2849, 1741, 1719, 1610, 1572, 1492, 1282, 1232, 1054 cm⁻¹. **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): *m/z* 446(M⁺), 135(100), 93(11.91), 79(12.01), 44(20.82). **HRMS** (ESI) For [C₂₉H₃₅O₄]⁺ ([M+H]⁺): Calcd.: 447.2535, Found: 447.2525. **HPLC**: Daicel Chiral IA, Hexane/¹PrOH = 85/15, 0.7 mL/min, 214 nm, retention times ***t_R*** (*exo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 9.8 min, ***t_R*** (*endo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 15.0 min, ***t_R*** (*endo* diastereoisomer, major) = 16.0 min, ***t_R*** (*exo* diastereoisomer, major) = 18.8 min. 90% ee (*exo*), 85% ee (*endo*), dr (*exo:endo*) = 9:1. $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ = 135.64 (*c* = 1.02, CHCl₃).

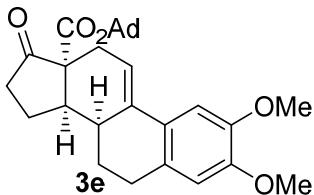
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82 mg, viscous liquid, 92% yield, 6:1 dr, 90%, 78% ee. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.24 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.12 (t, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 6.71 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 6.33 (q, *J* = 3.6 Hz, 1H), 3.82 (s, 3H), 3.10 (ddd, *J* = 17.2, 4.9, 2.2 Hz, 1H), 3.00 (dt, *J* = 12.4, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 2.94 – 2.83 (m, 1H), 2.51 (dp, *J* = 17.4, 5.6 Hz, 3H), 2.37 (ddd, *J* = 19.2, 11.5, 8.8 Hz, 1H), 2.22 (dt, *J* = 18.8, 3.4 Hz, 1H), 2.16 – 2.06 (m, 9H), 2.00 (dd, *J* = 19.3, 6.5 Hz, 2H), 1.69 – 1.54 (m, 8H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 214.09, 170.10, 157.24, 135.08, 133.73, 126.31,

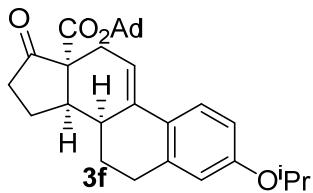
125.74, 116.85, 115.69, 108.09, 81.74, 59.69, 55.51, 44.34, 41.23, 36.84, 36.22, 33.61, 30.92, 26.11, 25.15, 23.03, 21.44. **IR** (KBr): ν_{max} 2910, 2853, 1750, 1724, 1575, 1259, 1055, 781 cm^{-1} . **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): m/z 446 (M^+), 340 (34.19), 267 (100), 238 (25.12), 210 (47.39), 171 (25.23), 165 (34.93), 152 (21.52), 97 (22.6), 85 (25.14), 71 (36.81), 57 (54.93). **HRMS** (ESI) For $[\text{C}_{29}\text{H}_{35}\text{O}_4]^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$): Calcd.: 447.2535, Found: 447.2528. **HPLC**: Daicel Chiral IG, Hexane/ i PrOH = 80/20, 0.7 mL/min, 214 nm, retention times t_R (*exo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 11.8 min, t_R (*endo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 14.1 min, t_R (*endo* diastereoisomer, major) = 14.9 min, t_R (*exo* diastereoisomer, major) = 19.9 min. 90% ee (*exo*), 78% ee (*endo*), dr (*exo:endo*) = 6:1. $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 122.45$ ($c = 1.05$, CHCl_3).

(8*S*,13*R*,14*R*)-Adamantan-1-yl 2,3-dimethoxy-17-oxo-7,8,12,13,14,15,16,17-octahydro-6*H*-cyclopenta[a]phenanthrene-13-carboxylate (3e)



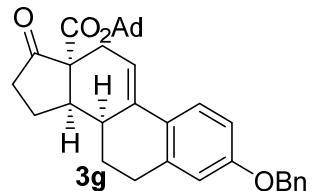
90 mg, viscous liquid, 94% yield, 10:1 dr, 90%, 96% ee. **$^1\text{H NMR}$** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.07 (s, 1H), 6.56 (s, 1H), 6.13 (q, $J = 3.7$ Hz, 1H), 3.86 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 6H), 2.98 (dt, $J = 12.2, 6.1$ Hz, 1H), 2.92 – 2.70 (m, 3H), 2.44 (dddd, $J = 50.5, 19.0, 12.1, 7.0$ Hz, 3H), 2.25 (dt, $J = 18.8, 3.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.19 – 2.06 (m, 9H), 2.06 – 1.90 (m, 2H), 1.73 – 1.53 (m, 8H). **$^{13}\text{C NMR}$** (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 214.22, 170.26, 148.52, 147.60, 133.63, 129.54, 126.34, 114.45, 111.41, 105.96, 81.80, 59.85, 55.99, 55.94, 44.67, 41.25, 37.03, 36.21, 34.41, 30.92, 29.75, 26.94, 25.22, 21.50. **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): m/z 476 (M^+), 297 (100), 135 (95.46), 93 (28.17), 79 (29.52), 67 (12.96). **HRMS** (ESI) For $[\text{C}_{30}\text{H}_{37}\text{O}_5]^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$): Calcd.: 477.2641, Found: 477.2633. **HPLC**: Daicel Chiral AD-H, Hexane/ i PrOH = 80/20, 0.7 mL/min, 254 nm, retention times t_R (*exo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 16.6 min, t_R (*endo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 30.9 min, t_R (*endo* diastereoisomer, major) = 33.9 min, t_R (*exo* diastereoisomer, major) = 36.5 min. 90% ee (*exo*), 96% ee (*endo*), dr (*exo:endo*) = 10:1. $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 175.33$ ($c = 1.08$, CHCl_3).

(8*S*,13*R*,14*R*)-Adamantan-1-yl 3-isopropoxy-17-oxo-7,8,12,13,14,15,16,17-octahydro-6*H*-cyclopenta[a]phenanthrene-13-carboxylate (3f)



89 mg, viscous liquid, 94% yield, 10:1 dr, 90%, 96% ee. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.51 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 6.70 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 6.60 (d, *J* = 2.6 Hz, 1H), 6.15 (q, *J* = 3.8 Hz, 1H), 4.53 (hept, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 2.98 (dt, *J* = 12.2, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 2.92 – 2.71 (m, 3H), 2.64 – 2.20 (m, 5H), 2.19 – 1.86 (m, 11H), 1.64 (s, 7H), 1.32 (dd, *J* = 6.1, 2.2 Hz, 6H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 214.28, 170.28, 156.93, 138.19, 133.44, 126.70, 124.66, 115.45, 114.35, 114.21, 81.73, 69.80, 59.90, 44.66, 41.25, 37.05, 36.23, 34.65, 30.93, 30.45, 26.70, 25.27, 22.23, 22.18, 21.47. **IR** (KBr): ν_{max} 2973, 2911, 2853, 1750, 1724, 1605, 1495, 1232, 1115, 1055, 1007, 967 cm⁻¹. **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): *m/z* 474 (M^+), 295 (100), 253 (25.26), 135 (87.96), 107 (10.36), 93 (21.73), 79 (23.81). **HRMS** (ESI) For [C₃₁H₃₉O₄]⁺ ([M+H]⁺): Calcd.: 475.2843, Found: 475.2841. **HPLC**: Daicel Chiral IA, Hexane/ⁱPrOH = 98/2, 0.7 mL/min, 214 nm, retention times *t_R* (*exo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 17.1 min, *t_R* (*endo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 18.9 min, *t_R* (*exo* diastereoisomer, major) = 23.0 min, *t_R* (*endo* diastereoisomer, major) = 26.6 min. 90% ee (*exo*), 96% ee (*endo*), dr (*exo:endo*) = 10:1. $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ = 87.54 (*c* = 0.95, CHCl₃).

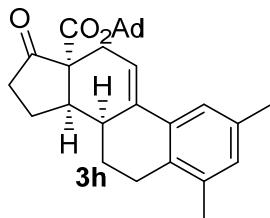
(8*S*,13*R*,14*R*)-Adamantan-1-yl 3-(benzyloxy)-17-oxo-7,8,12,13,14,15,16,17-octahydro-6*H*-cyclopenta[a]phenanthrene-13-carboxylate (3g)



74 mg, viscous liquid, 94% yield, 13:1 dr, 90%, 95% ee. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.54 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.51 – 7.28 (m, 5H), 6.81 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 6.71 (s, 1H), 6.17 (s, 1H), 5.05 (s, 2H), 3.00 (dt, *J* = 12.2, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 2.86 (d, *J* = 17.3 Hz, 3H), 2.44 (ddt, *J* = 66.4, 47.8, 11.9 Hz, 4H), 2.13 (d, *J* = 21.0 Hz, 9H), 2.04 – 1.87 (m, 2H), 1.65 (s, 8H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 214.23, 170.26, 157.83, 138.21, 137.09, 133.37, 128.66, 128.02, 127.52, 127.15,

124.69, 114.48, 114.35, 113.53, 81.73, 69.99, 59.87, 44.63, 41.22, 37.03, 36.20, 34.62, 30.90, 30.44, 26.63, 25.26, 21.45. **IR** (KBr): ν_{max} 2909, 2851, 1747, 1718, 1606, 1569, 1497, 1455, 1237, 1100, 1061, 804, 696 cm^{-1} . **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): m/z 522 (M^+), 343 (91.63), 135 (100), 91 (97.1), 79 (23.59). **HRMS** (ESI) For $[\text{C}_{35}\text{H}_{39}\text{O}_4]^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$): Calcd.: 523.2848, Found: 523.2844. **HPLC**: Daicel Chiral IC, Hexane/ i PrOH = 80/20, 0.7 mL/min, 214 nm, retention times t_R (*exo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 17.1 min, t_R (*endo* diastereoisomer, major) = 19.5 min, t_R (*exo* diastereoisomer, major) = 20.8 min t_R (*endo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 26.8 min, 90% ee (*exo*), 95% ee (*endo*), dr (*exo:endo*) = 13:1. $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 130.02$ ($c = 0.96$, CHCl_3).

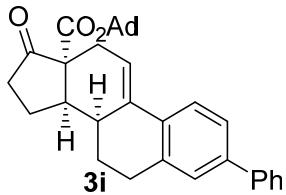
(8*S*,13*R*,14*R*)-Adamantan-1-yl 2,4-dimethyl-17-oxo-7,8,12,13,14,15,16,17-octahydro-6*H*-cyclopenta[a]phenanthrene-13-carboxylate (3h)



87 mg, viscous liquid, 98% yield, 9:1 dr, 90%, 95% ee. **^1H NMR** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.32 (s, 1H), 6.88 (s, 1H), 6.31 (d, $J = 4.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.00 (dt, $J = 12.4, 6.2$ Hz, 1H), 2.94 – 2.74 (m, 2H), 2.74 – 2.32 (m, 5H), 2.28 (s, 4H), 2.21 (s, 3H), 2.18 (s, 1H), 2.17 – 1.99 (m, 11H), 1.64 (s, 7H). **^{13}C NMR** (126 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 214.16, 170.13, 136.37, 135.09, 134.33, 133.83, 132.30, 129.78, 121.87, 116.09, 81.74, 59.77, 44.40, 41.28, 36.92, 36.26, 33.78, 30.96, 26.63, 26.46, 25.30, 21.48, 21.24, 19.83. **IR** (KBr): ν_{max} 2907, 2854, 1749, 1724, 1455, 1325, 1171, 1054, 831, 802 cm^{-1} . **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): m/z 444 (M^+), 191 (14.75), 135 (100), 95 (29.71). **HRMS** (ESI) For $[\text{C}_{30}\text{H}_{37}\text{O}_3]^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$): Calcd.: 445.2743, Found: 445.2732. **HPLC**: Daicel Chiral IF3, Hexane/ i PrOH = 96/4, 0.7 mL/min, 214 nm, retention times t_R (*exo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 10.9 min, t_R (*endo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 12.2 min, t_R (*exo* diastereoisomer, major) = 14.9 min, t_R (*endo* diastereoisomer, major) = 15.9 min. 90% ee (*exo*), 95% ee (*endo*), dr (*exo:endo*) = 9:1. $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 138.25$ ($c = 1.10$, CHCl_3).

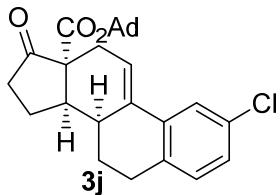
(8*S*,13*R*,14*R*)-Adamantan-1-yl 17-oxo-3-phenyl-7,8,12,13,14,15,16,17-octahydro-

6*H*-cyclopenta[*a*]phenanthrene-13-carboxylate (3i**)**



89 mg, viscous liquid, 90% yield, 7:1 dr, 90%, 95% ee. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.68 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 7.59 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.42 (q, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3H), 7.33 (dd, *J* = 7.3, 4.3 Hz, 2H), 6.37 (q, *J* = 3.6 Hz, 1H), 3.02 (dt, *J* = 12.1, 6.1 Hz, 1H), 2.98 – 2.84 (m, 3H), 2.69 – 2.57 (m, 1H), 2.57 – 2.21 (m, 4H), 2.19 – 2.05 (m, 11H), 1.65 (s, 7H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 214.22, 170.28, 140.83, 139.76, 137.19, 133.65, 133.07, 128.86, 127.80, 127.35, 127.02, 125.13, 123.84, 116.91, 81.90, 59.90, 44.73, 41.29, 37.09, 36.25, 34.77, 30.96, 30.40, 26.66, 25.51, 21.52. **IR** (KBr): ν_{max} 2909, 2852, 1745, 1720, 1483, 1271, 1232, 1205, 1057, 905, 726, 699 cm⁻¹. **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): *m/z* 492 (M⁺), 314 (10.79), 135 (100), 95 (13.02), 79 (12.67). **HRMS** (ESI) For [C₃₄H₃₇O₃]⁺ ([M+H]⁺): Calcd.: 493.2743, Found: 493.2736. **HPLC**: Daicel Chiral AD-H, Hexane/iPrOH = 90/10, 0.7 mL/min, 214 nm, retention times *t_R* (*exo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 12.9 min, *t_R* (*endo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 15.5 min, *t_R* (*exo* diastereoisomer, major) = 16.9 min, *t_R* (*endo* diastereoisomer, major) = 19.6 min. 90% ee (*exo*), 95% ee (*endo*), dr (*exo:endo*) = 7:1. $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ = 98.37 (*c* = 1.00, CHCl₃).

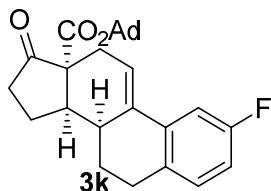
(8*S*,13*R*,14*R*)-Adamantan-1-yl 2-chloro-17-oxo-7,8,12,13,14,15,16,17-octahydro-6*H*-cyclopenta[*a*]phenanthrene-13-carboxylate (3j**)**



70 mg, viscous liquid, 78% yield, 5:1 dr, 84%, 86% ee. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.55 (d, *J* = 2.1 Hz, 1H), 7.07 (dd, *J* = 8.2, 2.1 Hz, 1H), 7.01 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 6.28 (dq, *J* = 14.6, 3.4, 2.9 Hz, 1H), 3.00 (dt, *J* = 12.2, 6.1 Hz, 1H), 2.94 – 2.71 (m, 3H), 2.63 – 2.22 (m, 4H), 2.19 – 1.91 (m, 11H), 1.68 – 1.46 (m, 8H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 213.94, 170.17, 135.14, 133.12, 132.08, 130.54, 126.93, 123.31, 118.15, 81.99, 77.16, 59.75, 44.60, 41.27, 37.03, 36.22, 34.50, 30.95, 29.65, 26.39, 25.46, 21.48. **IR** (KBr): ν_{max} 2912,

2853, 1951, 1705, 1478, 1204, 1053, 800 cm^{-1} . **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): m/z 450 (M^+), 135 (100), 93 (10.9), 79 (12.5). **HRMS** (ESI) For $[\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{32}^{35}\text{ClO}_3]^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$): Calcd.: 451.2040, Found: 451.2032. **HPLC**: Daicel Chiral AD-H, Hexane/ iPrOH = 80/20, 0.7 mL/min, 214 nm, retention times t_R (*exo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 8.8 min, t_R (*endo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 11.6 min, t_R (*endo* diastereoisomer, major) = 12.6 min, t_R (*exo* diastereoisomer, major) = 13.7 min. 84% ee (*exo*), 86% ee (*endo*), dr (*exo:endo*) = 5:1. $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 96.4$ ($c = 1.06$, CHCl_3).

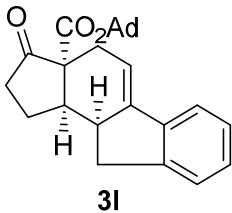
(8*S*,13*R*,14*R*)-Adamantan-1-yl 2-fluoro-17-oxo-7,8,12,13,14,15,16,17-octahydro-6*H*-cyclopenta[a]phenanthrene-13-carboxylate (3k)



47 mg, viscous liquid, 54% yield, 6:1 dr, 87%, 94% ee. **$^1\text{H NMR}$** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.32 – 7.21 (m, 1H), 7.04 (dd, $J = 8.7, 6.1$ Hz, 1H), 6.82 (td, $J = 8.3, 2.8$ Hz, 1H), 6.26 (dq, $J = 11.2, 3.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.00 (dt, $J = 12.2, 6.1$ Hz, 1H), 2.94 – 2.71 (m, 3H), 2.60 – 2.23 (m, 4H), 2.22 – 1.84 (m, 11H), 1.75 – 1.41 (m, 8H). **$^{13}\text{C NMR}$** (126 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 213.95, 170.22, 161.69 (d, $J = 242.5$ Hz), 135.74 (d, $J = 7.2$ Hz), 133.41 (d, $J = 2.5$ Hz), 132.45 (d, $J = 2.7$ Hz), 130.59 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz), 118.06, 114.14 (d, $J = 21.5$ Hz), 109.51 (d, $J = 22.1$ Hz), 81.98, 59.78, 44.68, 41.30, 37.05, 36.26, 34.51, 30.98, 29.54, 26.64, 25.47, 21.49. **$^{19}\text{F NMR}$** (376 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ -117.06 (q, $J = 8.3$ Hz, 1F) **IR** (KBr): ν_{max} 2913, 2857, 1751, 1720, 1490, 1263, 1229, 1203, 1052, 866 cm^{-1} . **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): m/z 434 (M^+), 135 (100), 93 (9.12), 79 (9.28). **HRMS** (ESI) For $[\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{32}\text{FO}_3]^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$): Calcd.: 435.2335, Found: 435.2327. **HPLC**: Daicel Chiral IG, Hexane/ iPrOH = 90/10, 0.7 mL/min, 214 nm, retention times t_R (*exo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 15.2 min, t_R (*endo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 19.1 min, t_R (*endo* diastereoisomer, major) = 22.6 min, t_R (*exo* diastereoisomer, major) = 29.5 min. 87% ee (*exo*), 94% ee (*endo*), dr (*exo:endo*) = 6:1. $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 91.33$ ($c = 1.05$, CHCl_3).

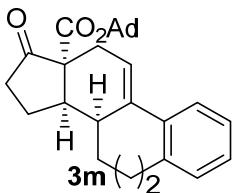
(3a*R*,10a*S*,10b*R*)-Adamantan-1-yl 3-oxo-1,2,3,3a,4,10,10a,10b-octahydro-

cyclopenta[a]fluorene-3a-carboxylate (3l)



80 mg, viscous liquid, 99% yield, >99:1 dr, 59% ee. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.40 (q, *J* = 4.6 Hz, 1H), 7.27 (d, *J* = 3.3 Hz, 1H), 7.23 – 7.15 (m, 2H), 6.04 (dt, *J* = 5.6, 3.2 Hz, 1H), 3.27 – 3.18 (m, 1H), 3.14 – 3.03 (m, 2H), 2.94 – 2.80 (m, 2H), 2.47 – 2.32 (m, 3H), 2.19 – 1.96 (m, 10H), 1.64 (d, *J* = 3.0 Hz, 6H), 1.39 (qd, *J* = 12.1, 9.4 Hz, 1H). **¹³C NMR** (126 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 214.67, 170.81, 144.63, 142.87, 140.28, 128.10, 126.83, 125.39, 120.40, 113.37, 81.98, 60.55, 43.86, 41.29, 39.49, 37.82, 36.26, 33.24, 30.98, 26.08, 21.29.. **IR** (KBr): ν_{\max} 2922, 2850, 1734, 1604, 1458, 1263, 736 cm⁻¹. **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): *m/z* 402 (M⁺), 238 (27.28), 224 (56.19), 191 (65.55), 181 (41.01), 167 (72.09), 160 (43.06), 152 (44.52), 111 (45.64), 97 (66.37), 83 (76.63), 69 (72.83), 57 (100), 43 (74.17). **HRMS** (ESI) For [C₂₇H₃₁O₃]⁺ ([M+H]⁺): Calcd.: 403.2273, Found: 403.2268. **HPLC**: Daicel Chiral PA2, Hexane/ⁱPrOH = 90/10, 0.7 mL/min, 214 nm, retention times ***t_R*** (*exo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 22.6 min, ***t_R*** (*exo* diastereoisomer, major) = 29.6 min, 59% ee (*exo*), dr (*exo:endo*) >99:1. $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ = 113.37 (*c* = 0.98, CHCl₃).

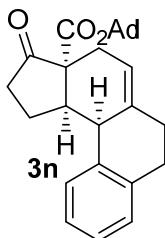
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64 mg, viscous liquid, 74% yield, >99:1 dr, 88% ee. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.18 (h, *J* = 6.9, 6.2 Hz, 2H), 7.12 – 7.03 (m, 2H), 5.88 (dt, *J* = 6.7, 3.1 Hz, 1H), 2.94 (td, *J* = 8.9, 4.4 Hz, 1H), 2.81 – 2.69 (m, 2H), 2.67 – 2.51 (m, 3H), 2.50 – 2.40 (m, 1H), 2.28 – 2.13 (m, 4H), 2.10 (d, *J* = 2.9 Hz, 6H), 1.89 (ddt, *J* = 18.5, 13.7, 7.6 Hz, 2H), 1.77 (tt, *J* = 12.7, 5.9 Hz, 1H), 1.66 (s, 5H), 1.57 – 1.27 (m, 4H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 216.19, 171.33, 146.42, 141.59,

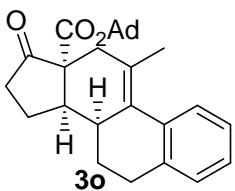
137.88, 128.15, 127.77, 127.14, 126.89, 124.24, 82.11, 60.93, 49.27, 41.23, 38.87, 38.16, 36.20, 31.49, 30.95, 27.64, 26.35, 26.15, 21.86. **IR** (KBr): ν_{max} 2911, 2850, 1742, 1720, 1236, 1199, 1054, 763 cm^{-1} . **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): m/z 430 (M^+), 135 (100). **HRMS** (ESI) For $[\text{C}_{29}\text{H}_{35}\text{O}_3]^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$): Calcd.: 431.2586, Found: 431.2578. **HPLC**: Daicel Chiral AD-H, Hexane/ i -PrOH = 99/1, 0.7 mL/min, 254 nm, retention times t_R (*exo* diastereoisomer, major) = 13.6 min, t_R (*exo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 15.1 min, 88% ee (*exo*), dr (*exo:endo*) > 99:1. $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 3.26$ ($c = 0.45$, CHCl_3).

(3a*R*,11b*S*,11c*R*)-Adamantan-1-yl 3-oxo-2,3,3a,4,6,7,11b,11c-octahydro-1*H*-cyclopenta[c]phenanthrene-3a-carboxylate (3n)



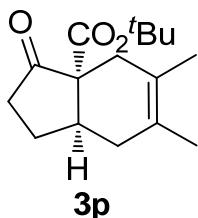
47 mg, viscous liquid, 56% yield, >99:1 dr, 99% ee. **$^1\text{H NMR}$** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.36 – 7.29 (m, 1H), 7.16 – 7.05 (m, 3H), 5.61 (h, $J = 2.5$ Hz, 1H), 4.20 (s, 1H), 2.99 (dq, $J = 10.3$, 5.1 Hz, 1H), 2.67 (dddd, $J = 18.7$, 14.8, 11.3, 4.1 Hz, 2H), 2.47 (dt, $J = 13.7$, 5.2 Hz, 2H), 2.31 (ddd, $J = 20.5$, 10.5, 5.1 Hz, 2H), 2.23 – 2.12 (m, 9H), 2.03 (dtt, $J = 34.6$, 10.6, 6.2 Hz, 3H), 1.69 (d, $J = 4.4$ Hz, 7H). **$^{13}\text{C NMR}$** (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 212.23, 172.91, 140.64, 138.35, 135.90, 128.86, 128.15, 126.05, 125.77, 120.09, 82.88, 66.04, 43.17, 41.54, 41.21, 36.90, 36.17, 33.13, 30.96, 30.81, 28.57, 26.83. **IR** (KBr): ν_{max} 2909, 2849, 1752, 1718, 1227, 1057, 744 cm^{-1} . **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): m/z 416 (M^+), 135 (100). **HRMS** (ESI) For $[\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{36}\text{NO}_3]^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{NH}_4]^+$): Calcd.: 434.2695, Found: 434.2681. **HPLC**: Daicel Chiral AD-H, Hexane/ i -PrOH = 99/1, 0.7 mL/min, 254 nm, retention times t_R (*exo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 24.7 min, t_R (*exo* diastereoisomer, major) = 37.5 min. 99% ee (*exo*), dr (*exo:endo*) > 99:1. $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -44.84$ ($c = 1.05$, CHCl_3).

(8*S*,13*R*,14*R*)-Adamantan-1-yl 11-methyl-17-oxo-7,8,12,13,14,15,16,17-octahydro-6*H*-cyclopenta[a]phenanthrene-13-carboxylate (3o)



41 mg, viscous liquid, 48% yield, 14:1 dr, 74%, 54% ee. **^1H NMR** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.31 – 7.24 (m, 1H), 7.19 – 7.06 (m, 3H), 2.85 – 2.72 (m, 2H), 2.68 – 2.49 (m, 2H), 2.43 – 2.30 (m, 3H), 2.23 – 2.02 (m, 6H), 1.97 (dd, J = 13.4, 2.2 Hz, 8H), 1.76 (dtd, J = 12.5, 10.6, 5.4 Hz, 2H), 1.58 (d, J = 3.3 Hz, 7H). **^{13}C NMR** (126 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 214.04, 169.66, 139.35, 136.65, 130.41, 128.95, 128.68, 127.70, 126.22, 125.05, 81.86, 64.47, 41.23, 40.17, 37.98, 36.20, 35.95, 30.90, 30.17, 25.77, 25.40, 21.87. **IR** (KBr): ν_{max} 2912, 2853, 1745, 1721, 1456, 1234, 1055, 765, 737 cm^{-1} . **MS** (ESI): m/z 431 ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$). **HRMS** (ESI) For $[\text{C}_{29}\text{H}_{35}\text{O}_3]^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$): Calcd.: 431.2581, Found: 431.2579. **HPLC**: Daicel Chiral AD-H, Hexane/ $^i\text{PrOH}$ = 99/1, 0.7 mL/min, 254 nm, retention times t_R (*exo* diastereoisomer, major) = 17.3 min. t_R (*endo* diastereoisomer, major) = 19.7 min, t_R (*endo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 22.5 min, t_R (*exo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 25.3 min, 74% ee (*exo*), 54% ee (*endo*), dr (*exo:endo*) 14:1. $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ = 41.80 (c = 0.67, CHCl_3 , 74% ee).

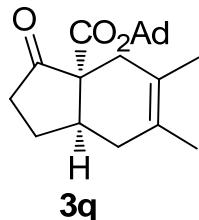
(3a*R*,7a*R*)-*tert*-Butyl-5,6-dimethyl-3-oxo-2,3,3a,4,7,7a-hexahydro-1*H*-indene-3a-c arboxylate (3p)



50 mg, colourless liquid, 95%, 92% ee. **^1H NMR** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 2.86 – 2.75 (m, 1H), 2.46 – 2.32 (m, 3H), 2.31 – 2.17 (m, 1H), 2.07 – 1.95 (m, 2H), 1.79 (d, J = 17.8 Hz, 1H), 1.69 – 1.57 (m, 7H), 1.42 (s, 9H). **^{13}C NMR** (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 214.40, 171.05, 123.44, 122.38, 81.50, 60.48, 38.57, 36.33, 32.56, 30.31, 28.05, 25.90, 19.28, 19.00. **IR** (neat): 2917, 1721, 1451, 1368, 1244, 1147, 1036, 847, 522 cm^{-1} . **HRMS** (ESI) For $[\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{24}\text{O}_3\text{N}]^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{NH}_4]^+$): Calcd. 282.2069, Found: 282.2065. **HPLC**: Daicel Chiral ADRH, Acetone/Water = 50/50, 0.5 mL/min, 214 nm, t_R (major) = 11.7 min, t_R (minor) = 12.8 min (92% ee). $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ = 100.04 (c = 0.763,

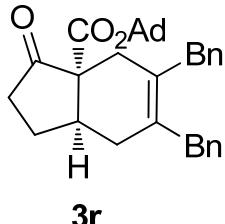
CHCl_3).

(3a*R*,7a*R*)-Adamantan-1-yl-5,6-dimethyl-3-oxo-2,3,3a,4,7,7a-hexahydro-1H-inden e-3a-carboxylate (3q)



67 mg, colourless liquid, 98%, 96% ee. **$^1\text{H NMR}$** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 2.79 (dtd, $J = 10.0, 6.8, 3.5$ Hz, 1H), 2.44 – 2.30 (m, 3H), 2.30 – 2.16 (m, 1H), 2.16 – 2.09 (m, 3H), 2.09 – 1.95 (m, 9H), 1.83 – 1.67 (m, 2H), 1.63 (s, 11H). **$^{13}\text{C NMR}$** (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 214.41, 170.77, 123.39, 122.41, 81.52, 60.55, 41.24, 38.63, 36.31, 36.23, 32.59, 30.91, 30.32, 25.89, 19.26, 18.98. **IR** (neat): 2911, 1751, 1457, 1369, 1238, 1155, 1057, 804, 519 cm^{-1} . **HRMS** (ESI) For $[\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{30}\text{O}_3\text{Na}]^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$): Calcd. 365.2093, Found: 365.2082. **HPLC**: Daicel Chiral ADRH, Acetone/Water = 60/40, 0.7 mL/min, 214 nm, t_R (major) = 33.3 min, t_R (minor) = 51.0 min (96% ee). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 75.13$ ($c = 0.948$, CHCl_3).

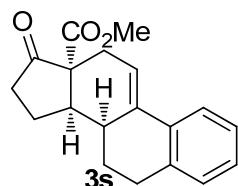
(3a*R*,7a*R*)-Adamantan-1-yl-5,6-dibenzyl-3-oxo-2,3,3a,4,7,7a-hexahydro-1H-inden e-3a-carboxylate (3r)



22 mg, colourless liquid, 22%, 72% ee. **$^1\text{H NMR}$** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.32 – 7.23 (m, 4H), 7.17 (ddt, $J = 18.2, 11.1, 4.3$ Hz, 6H), 3.63 (dd, $J = 15.2, 6.4$ Hz, 2H), 3.48 (t, $J = 13.9$ Hz, 2H), 2.77 (dtd, $J = 10.2, 6.9, 3.5$ Hz, 1H), 2.53 (d, $J = 17.3$ Hz, 1H), 2.36 – 2.20 (m, 3H), 2.14 (s, 3H), 2.07 – 1.95 (m, 8H), 1.88 (d, $J = 18.2$ Hz, 1H), 1.70 – 1.52 (m, 7H). **$^{13}\text{C NMR}$** (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 214.22, 170.46, 139.93, 139.80, 128.95, 128.71, 128.57, 128.54, 128.43, 126.18, 81.71, 60.57, 41.18, 39.35, 38.97, 38.71, 36.53, 36.24, 30.95, 30.88, 29.85, 29.06, 25.98. **IR** (neat): 2912, 2851, 1746, 1717, 1453, 1053, 1015, 698 cm^{-1} . **HRMS** (ESI) For $[\text{C}_{32}\text{H}_{38}\text{O}_3\text{Na}]^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$): Calcd. 517.2719, Found: 517.2709. **HPLC**: Daicel Chiral AD-H, Hexane/iPrOH = 96/4, 0.7

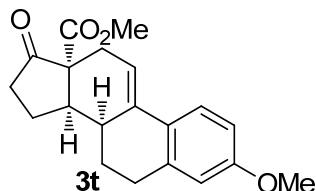
mL/min, 214 nm, t_R (major) = 18.8 min, t_R (minor) = 15.4 min (72% ee). $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 29.77$ ($c = 0.55$, CHCl₃, 72% ee).

(8S,13R,14R)-Methyl 17-oxo-7,8,12,13,14,15,16,17-octahydro-6H-cyclopenta[a]phenanthrene-13-carboxylate (3s)



61 mg, viscous liquid, 98% yield, 5:1 dr, 11%, 39% ee. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.65 – 7.47 (m, 1H), 7.20 – 7.03 (m, 3H), 6.30 (dq, $J = 20.5, 3.5, 3.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.73 (d, $J = 15.9$ Hz, 3H), 3.17 – 2.69 (m, 4H), 2.67 – 2.20 (m, 4H), 2.18 – 2.03 (m, 1H), 2.02 – 1.83 (m, 1H), 1.70 – 1.53 (m, 2H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 213.40, 171.81, 136.76, 133.88, 133.65, 129.38, 127.19, 126.27, 123.29, 115.94, 59.20, 52.92, 44.15, 36.83, 34.34, 30.17, 26.63, 25.42, 21.29. **IR** (KBr): ν_{max} 2952, 2912, 2834, 1749, 1728, 1605, 1498, 1234, 1166, 1036, 803 cm⁻¹. **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): *m/z* 326 (M⁺), 267 (100), 238 (29.61), 210 (57.69), 171 (31.63), 165 (37.66). **HRMS** (ESI) For [C₂₀H₂₃O₄]⁺ ([M+H]⁺): Calcd.: 327.1591, Found: 327.1587. **HPLC**: Daicel Chiral IG, Hexane/iPrOH = 90/10, 0.7 mL/min, 214 nm, retention times t_R (*endo* diastereoisomer, major) = 20.9 min, t_R (*endo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 22.8 min, t_R (*exo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 23.8 min, t_R (*exo* diastereoisomer, major) = 26.2 min. 11% ee (*exo*), 39% ee (*endo*), dr (*exo:endo*) = 5:1. $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 29.58$ ($c = 1.01$, CHCl₃).

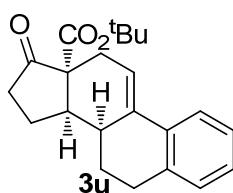
(8S,13R,14R)-Methyl 3-methoxy-17-oxo-7,8,12,13,14,15,16,17-octahydro-6H-cyclopenta[a]phenanthrene-13-carboxylate (3t)



64 mg, viscous liquid, 98% yield, 6:1 dr, 13%, 24% ee. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.49 (dd, $J = 39.4, 8.8$ Hz, 1H), 6.73 (dd, $J = 8.7, 2.9$ Hz, 1H), 6.61 (d, $J = 2.8$ Hz, 1H), 6.16 (q, $J = 3.7$ Hz, 1H), 3.84 – 3.67 (m, 6H), 3.05 (dt, $J = 12.2, 6.1$ Hz, 1H), 2.99 – 2.76 (m, 3H), 2.54 (dd,

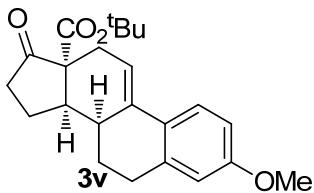
J = 19.1, 8.8 Hz, 2H), 2.46 – 2.24 (m, 2H), 2.12 – 1.87 (m, 2H), 1.70 – 1.55 (m, 2H). **¹³C NMR** (126 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 213.43, 171.85, 158.76, 138.19, 133.43, 126.69, 124.72, 113.67, 113.38, 112.92, 59.25, 55.38, 52.89, 44.12, 36.83, 34.33, 30.47, 26.71, 25.31, 21.27. **IR** (KBr): ν_{max} 2952, 2912, 2834, 1749, 1728, 1605, 1498, 1234, 1166, 1036, 803 cm⁻¹. **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): *m/z* 326 (M^+), 267 (100), 238 (29.61), 210 (57.69), 171 (31.63), 165 (37.66). **HRMS** (ESI) For [C₂₀H₂₃O₄]⁺ ([M+H]⁺): Calcd.: 327.1591, Found: 327.1587. **HPLC**: Daicel Chiral IE3, Hexane/ⁱPrOH = 85/15, 0.7 mL/min, 214 nm, retention times *t_R* (*endo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 29.5 min, *t_R* (*exo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 31.3 min, *t_R* (*exo* diastereoisomer, major) = 33.0 min, *t_R* (*endo* diastereoisomer, major) = 35.1 min. 13% ee (*exo*), 24% ee (*endo*), dr (*exo:endo*) = 6:1. $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ = 29.58 (*c* = 0.90, CHCl₃).

(8*S*,13*R*,14*R*)-*tert*-Butyl 17-oxo-7,8,12,13,14,15,16,17-octahydro-6*H*-cyclopenta[a]phenanthrene-13-carboxylate (3u)



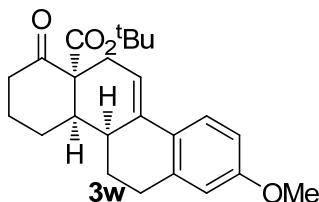
65 mg, viscous liquid, 96% yield, 14:1 dr, 89%, 88% ee. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.69 – 7.57 (m, 1H), 7.12 (tdd, *J* = 14.1, 9.4, 6.0 Hz, 3H), 6.33 (q, *J* = 3.7 Hz, 1H), 3.01 (dt, *J* = 12.2, 6.1 Hz, 1H), 2.88 (dt, *J* = 10.3, 4.8 Hz, 3H), 2.61 (dd, *J* = 17.8, 10.1 Hz, 1H), 2.54 – 2.34 (m, 2H), 2.29 (dt, *J* = 19.2, 3.5 Hz, 1H), 2.10 – 1.92 (m, 2H), 1.69 – 1.52 (m, 2H), 1.44 (d, *J* = 5.5 Hz, 9H). **¹³C NMR** (126 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 214.16, 170.58, 136.83, 133.96, 133.91, 129.28, 127.07, 126.29, 123.32, 116.67, 81.82, 59.83, 44.65, 37.04, 34.74, 30.21, 28.10, 26.63, 25.46, 21.51. **IR** (KBr): ν_{max} 2973, 2935, 1746, 1705, 1367, 1326, 1269, 1153, 850, 743 cm⁻¹. **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): *m/z* 338 (M^+), 282 (51.73), 237 (100), 218 (26.65), 193 (30.19), 179 (47.02), 165 (42.69), 141 (39.55), 128 (30.38), 115 (20.61), 109 (13.52), 57 (58.01). **HRMS** (ESI) For [C₂₂H₃₀NO₃]⁺ ([M+NH₄]⁺): Calcd.: 356.2226, Found: 356.2215. **HPLC**: Daicel Chiral AD-H, Hexane/ⁱPrOH = 98/2, 0.7 mL/min, 254 nm, retention times *t_R* (*exo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 11.9 min, *t_R* (*endo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 15.7 min, *t_R* (*endo* diastereoisomer, major) = 16.6 min, *t_R* (*exo* diastereoisomer, major) = 18.0 min. 89% ee (*exo*), 88% ee (*endo*), dr (*exo:endo*) = 14:1. $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ = 130.81 (*c* = 0.99, CHCl₃).

(8*S*,13*R*,14*R*)-*tert*-Butyl 3-methoxy-17-oxo-7,8,12,13,14,15,16,17-octahydro-6*H*-cyclopenta[a]phenanthrene-13-carboxylate (3v)



61 mg, viscous liquid, 83% yield, >99:1 dr, 89% ee. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.53 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 6.72 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 6.61 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz, 1H), 6.15 (q, *J* = 3.6 Hz, 1H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 2.99 (dt, *J* = 12.2, 6.1 Hz, 1H), 2.93 – 2.74 (m, 3H), 2.62 – 2.18 (m, 4H), 2.09 – 1.88 (m, 2H), 1.60 (ddt, *J* = 25.9, 12.4, 6.9 Hz, 2H), 1.44 (s, 9H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 214.04, 170.47, 158.54, 138.07, 133.25, 126.75, 124.60, 114.13, 113.18, 112.74, 81.58, 59.69, 55.22, 44.41, 36.86, 34.50, 30.36, 27.97, 26.59, 25.11, 21.34. **IR** (KBr): ν_{max} 2973, 2910, 2834, 1749, 1724, 1604, 1499, 1231, 1151, 846 cm⁻¹. **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): *m/z* 368 (M^+), 267 (100), 211 (32.19), 171 (23.27), 165 (33.53), 115 (19.51), 57 (26.18), 44 (31.6). **HRMS** (ESI) For $[C_{23}H_{32}NO_4]^+$ ($[M+NH_4]^+$): Calcd.: 386.2331, Found: 386.2321. **HPLC**: Daicel Chiral IF3, Hexane/ⁱPrOH = 90/10, 0.7 mL/min, 214 nm, retention times *t_R* (*endo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 9.2 min, *t_R* (*endo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 10.2 min, *t_R* (*exo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 10.8 min, *t_R* (*exo* diastereoisomer, major) = 12.9 min. 89% ee (*exo*), dr (*exo:endo*) > 99:1. $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ = 147.27 (*c* = 0.94, CHCl₃).

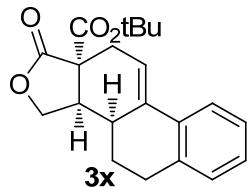
(6*aR*,10*aR*,10*bS*)-*tert*-Butyl 2-methoxy-7-oxo-6,6*a*,7,8,9,10,10*a*,10*b*,11,12-decahydrochrysene-6*a*-carboxylate (3w)



65 mg, viscous liquid, 85% yield, >99:1 dr, 90% ee. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.58 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 6.72 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 6.59 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz, 1H), 6.18 (d, *J* = 5.5 Hz, 1H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.00 – 2.87 (m, 1H), 2.87 – 2.76 (m, 2H), 2.72 – 2.56 (m, 2H), 2.55 – 2.43 (m, 1H), 2.43 – 2.32 (m, 2H), 2.10 (s, 1H), 1.89 – 1.62 (m, 5H), 1.44 (s, 9H). **¹³C NMR** (126 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 210.01, 170.82, 158.57, 138.15, 132.38, 126.68, 124.71, 113.34, 112.88, 81.38,

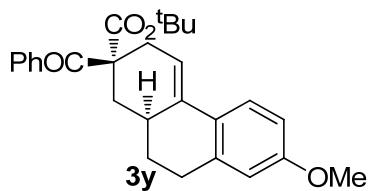
62.48, 55.37, 43.07, 37.33, 36.69, 31.19, 29.85, 28.08, 27.97, 27.60, 24.66, 21.07. **IR** (KBr): ν_{max} 2931, 2831, 1732, 1703, 1604, 1497, 1456, 1366, 1298, 1234, 1164, 1139, 852, 804 cm⁻¹. **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): *m/z* 382 (M^+), 326 (22.72), 281 (100), 211 (16.84), 123 (17.79), 165 (33.53), 115 (19.51), 57 (26.18), 44 (31.6). **HRMS** (EI) For [C₂₄H₃₀O₄]⁺ (M^+): Calcd.: 382.2144, Found: 382.2151. **HPLC**: Daicel Chiral AD-H, Hexane/ⁱPrOH = 90/10, 0.7 mL/min, 254 nm, retention times *t_R* (*exo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 9.1 min, *t_R* (*exo* diastereoisomer, major) = 14.0 min. 90% ee (*exo*), dr (*exo:endo*) > 99:1. $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ = 71.16 (*c* = 1.01, CHCl₃).

tert-Butyl (3a*R*,3b*S*,11a*R*)-1-oxo-3,3a,3b,4,5,11-hexahydrophenanthro[1,2-c]furan-11a(1*H*)-carboxylate (3x)



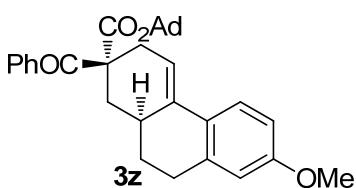
72 mg, viscous liquid, 97% yield, >99:1 dr, 87% ee. **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.49 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 6.75 (dd, *J* = 8.7, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 6.62 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz, 1H), 6.26 (s, 1H), 4.35 (t, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 1H), 3.91 (dd, *J* = 9.0, 7.8 Hz, 1H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 3.34 (ddd, *J* = 9.0, 7.8, 5.1 Hz, 1H), 2.83 – 2.71 (m, 4H), 2.62 (d, *J* = 13.2 Hz, 1H), 1.98 (dd, *J* = 12.7, 4.3 Hz, 1H), 1.49 (s, 9H), 1.38 (ddd, *J* = 12.7, 8.5, 4.2 Hz, 1H). **¹³C NMR** (126 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 176.98, 169.32, 159.01, 138.57, 135.66, 126.66, 124.89, 116.39, 113.26, 112.97, 83.02, 68.82, 55.84, 55.41, 44.30, 35.75, 30.13, 28.22, 27.99, 25.58. **IR** (neat): ν_{max} 2963, 2921, 2844, 1765, 1735, 1632, 1598, 1567, 1486, 1368, 1247, 1147, 1098, 1027, 895, 849, 809, 768, 711, 624, 547, 460 cm⁻¹. **MS** (ESI): *m/z* 393.1 ([M+Na]⁺). **HRMS** (ESI) For [C₂₂H₂₇O₅]⁺ ([M+H]⁺): Calcd.: 371.1858, Found: 371.1854. **HPLC**: Daicel Chiral AD-H, Hexane/ⁱPrOH = 97/3, 0.7 mL/min, 254 nm, retention times *t_R* (*exo* diastereoisomer, major) = 32.2 min, *t_R* (*exo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 33.7 min. 87% ee (*exo*), dr (*exo:endo*) > 99:1. $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ = 116.34 (*c* = 0.92, CHCl₃).

(2*R*,10*aS*)-*tert*-Butyl 2-benzoyl-7-methoxy-1,2,3,9,10,10*a*-hexahydrophenanthrene-2-carboxylate (3y)**



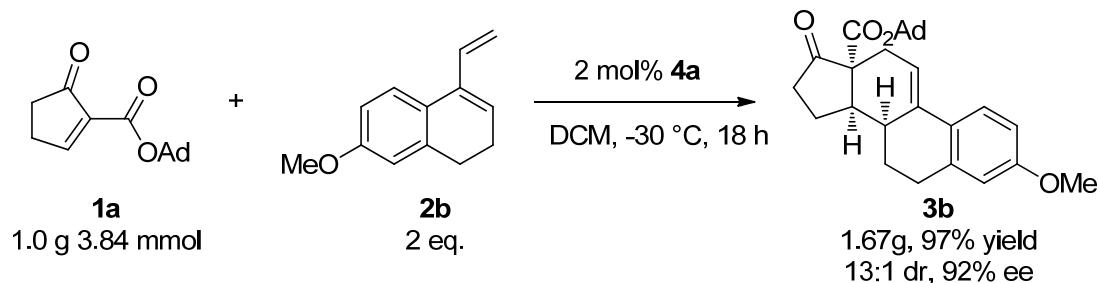
42 mg, viscous liquid, 97% yield, 2:1 dr, 67%, 72% ee. **Mixture of two isomers:** **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.92 (dd, *J* = 29.2, 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.61 – 7.48 (m, 2H), 7.43 (td, *J* = 7.6, 3.9 Hz, 2H), 6.71 (ddd, *J* = 16.9, 7.9, 3.7 Hz, 1H), 6.58 (dd, *J* = 26.8, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 6.20 – 6.11 (m, 1H), 3.78 (d, *J* = 10.5 Hz, 3H), 3.11 (ddd, *J* = 22.2, 18.5, 5.4 Hz, 1H), 2.98 – 2.15 (m, 5H), 1.96 (ddt, *J* = 34.0, 25.0, 13.5 Hz, 2H), 1.60 – 1.31 (m, 5H), 1.26 (s, 5H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 197.98, 195.96, 173.12, 171.93, 158.59, 158.53, 137.88, 137.65, 136.24, 135.37, 135.22, 134.33, 132.79, 132.62, 128.84, 128.72, 128.52, 128.45, 126.83, 126.79, 125.07, 125.05, 115.23, 114.84, 113.26, 113.19, 112.80, 112.71, 82.22, 81.83, 57.52, 57.10, 55.33, 55.30, 36.85, 36.75, 32.99, 32.91, 32.62, 30.84, 30.24, 30.00, 27.75, 27.69. **IR (KBr):** ν_{max} 2930, 2836, 1728, 1682, 1607, 1499, 1449, 1369, 1253, 1152, 1038, 843, 811, 700 cm⁻¹. **MS (EI):** (relative intensity): *m/z* 418 (M⁺), 318 (18.28), 239 (37.1), 105 (100), 77 (51.27), 57 (26.66). **HRMS (ESI)** For [C₂₇H₃₁NO₄]⁺ ([M+H]⁺): Calcd.: 419.2217, Found: 419.2214. **HPLC:** Daicel Chiral AD-H, Hexane/ⁱPrOH = 80/20, 0.7 mL/min, 214 nm, retention times *t_R* (*exo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 7.4 min, *t_R* (*endo* diastereoisomer, major) = 8.5 min, *t_R* (*exo* diastereoisomer, major) = 9.5 min, *t_R* (*endo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 11.3 min. 67% ee (*exo*), 72% ee (*endo*), dr (*exo:endo*) = 2:1. [α]_D²⁰ = 6.73 (*c* = 1.08, CHCl₃).

(3*S*,5*S*,7*S*)-Adamantan-1-yl (2*R*,10*aS*)-2-benzoyl-7-methoxy-1,2,3,9,10,10*a*-hexahydrophenanthrene-2-carboxylate (3z)**



93 mg, viscous liquid, 94% yield, 1.6:1 dr, 68%, 78% ee. **Mixture of two isomers:**
¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-d) δ 7.92 (dd, *J* = 31.4, 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.54 (dt, *J* = 13.5, 9.0 Hz, 2H), 7.43 (q, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 2H), 6.78 – 6.67 (m, 1H), 6.58 (dd, *J* = 26.7, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 6.24 – 6.06 (m, 1H), 3.77 (d, *J* = 10.5 Hz, 3H), 3.10 (td, *J* = 15.7, 13.3, 5.0 Hz, 1H), 2.82 (dddd, *J* = 62.4, 28.1, 16.6, 5.0 Hz, 2H), 2.60 (ddt, *J* = 17.0, 10.1, 5.9 Hz, 1H), 2.53 – 2.26 (m, 2H), 2.16 – 1.84 (m, 11H), 1.58 (d, *J* = 23.4 Hz, 7H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Chloroform-d) δ 197.94, 196.04, 172.82, 171.65, 158.55, 158.50, 137.85, 137.63, 136.19, 135.41, 135.19, 134.30, 132.77, 132.56, 128.85, 128.76, 128.50, 128.42, 126.84, 126.79, 125.07, 125.04, 115.28, 114.86, 113.23, 113.17, 112.77, 112.69, 82.23, 81.84, 57.52, 57.16, 55.31, 55.29, 40.95, 40.87, 36.86, 36.71, 36.09, 36.06, 33.01, 32.96, 32.61, 30.83, 30.76, 30.25, 30.00. IR (KBr): ν_{max} 2913, 2853, 1725, 1683, 1606, 1498, 1449, 1235, 1052, 965, 736, 701 cm⁻¹. MS (EI): (relative intensity): *m/z* 496 (M⁺), 317 (14.59), 239 (38.59) 135 (100), 105 (36.94). HRMS (ESI) For [C₃₃H₃₇NO₄]⁺ ([M+H]⁺): Calcd.: 497.2686, Found: 497.2685. HPLC: Daicel Chiral AD-H, Hexane/ⁱPrOH = 90/10, 0.7 mL/min, 254 nm, retention times *t_R* (*exo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 10.4 min, *t_R* (*endo* diastereoisomer, minor) = 15.8 min, *t_R* (*endo* diastereoisomer, major) = 17.0 min, *t_R* (*exo* diastereoisomer, major) = 20.0 min. 67% ee (*exo*), 72% ee (*endo*), dr: (*exo*:*endo*) = 2:1. [α]_D²⁰ = 31.11 (*c* = 0.90, CHCl₃).

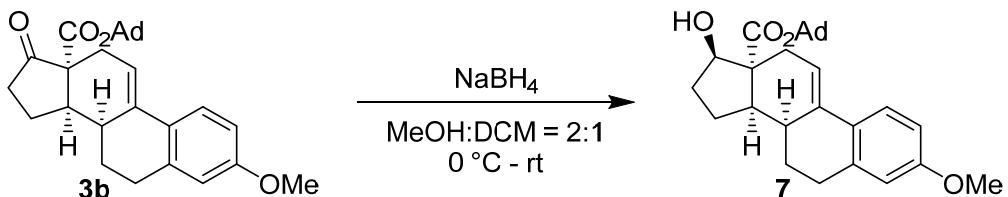
Gram scale and transformation of products:



The unsaturated β -keto ester **1a** (1.0 g, 3.8 mmol) and **4a** (60 mg, 2 mol%) were dissolved in dry DCM (38 mL, 0.1 M) under Ar atmosphere at room temperature. After stirring for 30 min, diene **2b** (2 equiv.) was added at -30 °C. After the completion of the reaction (18 h), the reaction mixture

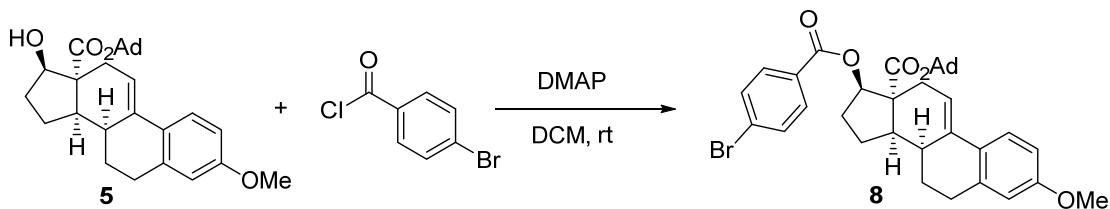
was concentrated, and the product was purified by flash column chromatography to afford the desired product (1.67 g, 97% yield, 13:1 dr, 92% ee) as viscous liquid.

(8*S*,13*R*,14*R*,17*R*)-Adamantan-1-yl 17-hydroxy-3-methoxy-7,8,12,13,14,15,16,17-octahydro-6*H*-cyclopenta[a]phenanthrene-13-carboxylate (7)²⁸



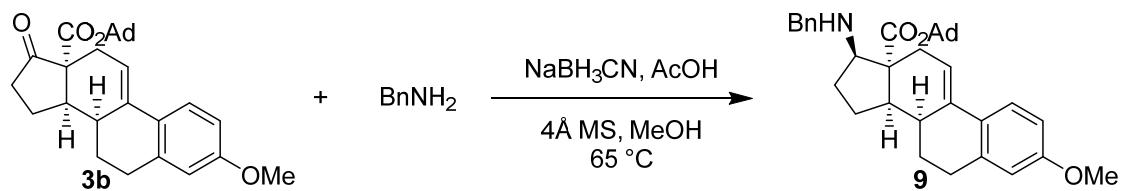
NaBH_4 (12.2 mg, 0.32 mmol, 2 equiv.) was suspended in 2 mL dry MeOH , and the solution was cooled to 0 °C. Then **3b** (72 mg, 0.16 mmol, in 1 mL DCM) was added. The reaction mixture was allowed to warm to room temperature, stirred overnight. H_2O (5 mL) was added to quench the reaction, and MeOH was evaporated in vacuo. The mixture was neutralized by 1 M AcOH, and extracted by DCM (5 mL × 3). The combined organic layer was dried over MgSO_4 and concentrated in vacuo. the product was purified by flash column chromatography to afford a viscous liquid (68 mg, 94%). **1H NMR** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.58 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 6.72 (dd, J = 8.8, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 6.59 (d, J = 2.8 Hz, 1H), 6.21 (q, J = 3.7 Hz, 1H), 4.40 (t, J = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 2.93 – 2.73 (m, 2H), 2.67 (ddt, J = 13.0, 6.0, 3.1 Hz, 1H), 2.54 – 2.39 (m, 3H), 2.19 – 2.11 (m, 4H), 2.08 (d, J = 3.0 Hz, 7H), 1.87 – 1.75 (m, 1H), 1.69 – 1.55 (m, 8H), 1.48 (dddt, J = 15.9, 12.9, 7.9, 3.8 Hz, 2H). **13C NMR** (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 175.70, 158.27, 138.08, 132.30, 127.35, 124.58, 114.90, 113.26, 112.67, 80.98, 78.43, 55.27, 53.68, 43.08, 41.39, 36.19, 35.29, 30.86, 30.78, 28.92, 27.29, 24.54, 22.33. **IR** (KBr): ν_{max} 3482, 2910, 2852, 1708, 1607, 1497, 1233, 1054, 803 cm⁻¹. **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): m/z 448 (M^+), 313 (70.0), 135 (100). **HRMS** (ESI) For $[\text{C}_{29}\text{H}_{37}\text{O}_4]^+$ ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$): Calcd.: 449.2692, Found: 449.2681. $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 32.52$ ($c = 1.00$, CHCl_3).

(8*S*,13*R*,14*R*,17*R*)-Adamantan-1-yl 17-((4-bromobenzoyl)oxy)-3-methoxy-7,8,12,13,14,15,16,17-octahydro-6*H*-cyclopenta[a]phenanthrene-13-carboxylate (8)²⁹



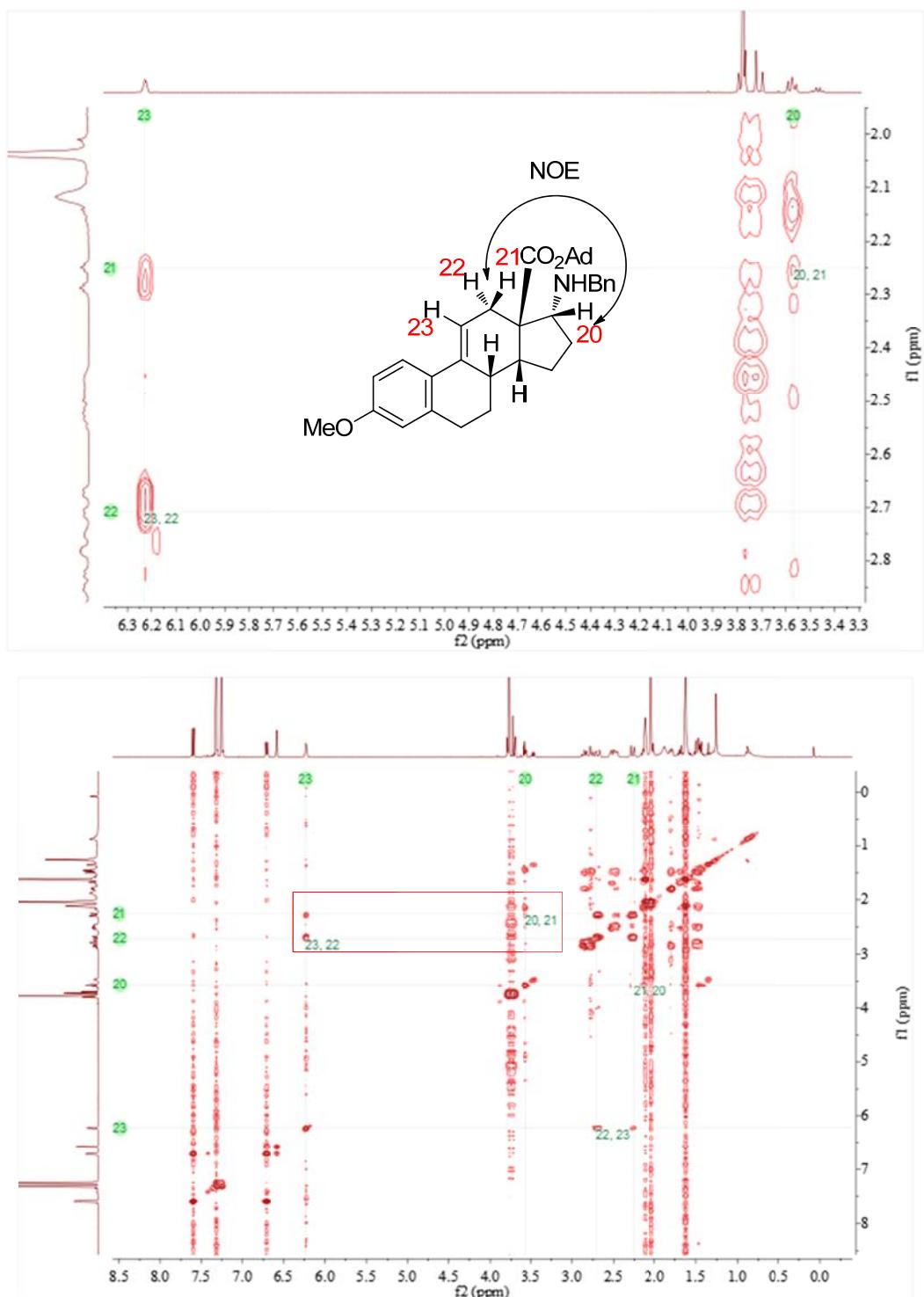
To a solution of **4-6** (55 mg, 0.12 mmol), DMAP (1.5 mg, 10% mol), and pyridine (20 μL , 0.24 mmol, 2 equiv.) in 2 mL DCM, 4-bromobenzoyl chloride (40.4 mg, 0.18 mmol, 1.5 equiv.) was added at 0 °C. the reaction mixture was allowed to warm to room temperature and stirred overnight. The reaction was quenched by H_2O and extracted by DCM (5 mL \times 3). The combined organic layer was dried by MgSO_4 , concentrated in vacuo. The product was purified by flash column chromatography to afford a viscous liquid (69 mg, 89%). **$^1\text{H NMR}$** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 8.01 – 7.80 (m, 2H), 7.59 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 3H), 6.74 (dd, J = 8.8, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 6.60 (d, J = 2.7 Hz, 1H), 6.23 (dt, J = 5.2, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 5.65 (dd, J = 9.4, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 2.95 – 2.71 (m, 3H), 2.64 (dd, J = 12.2, 6.5 Hz, 1H), 2.59 – 2.50 (m, 1H), 2.42 (ddt, J = 25.9, 17.5, 6.1 Hz, 2H), 2.07 (dd, J = 24.2, 3.1 Hz, 9H), 1.93 – 1.72 (m, 3H), 1.69 – 1.47 (m, 8H). **$^{13}\text{C NMR}$** (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 173.65, 165.22, 158.37, 137.94, 131.84, 131.78, 131.25, 129.32, 128.11, 127.16, 124.66, 114.95, 113.26, 112.77, 80.96, 80.86, 55.30, 53.74, 44.73, 41.17, 36.21, 34.69, 30.84, 30.68, 28.38, 27.41, 24.68, 23.30. **IR (KBr)**: ν_{max} 2915, 2852, 1720, 1606, 1590, 1497, 1274, 1116, 1103, 1055, 1012, 757, 737 cm^{-1} . **MS (EI)**: (relative intensity): m/z 630 (M^+), 495 (13.3), 251 (40.9), 183 (21.6), 135 (100), 93 (21.5), 79 (20.0). **HRMS (EI)** For $[\text{C}_{36}\text{H}_{39}\text{O}_5\text{Br}]^+$ (M^+): Calcd.: 630.1981, Found: 630.1988. $[\alpha]_D^{20} = 32.79$ ($c = 1.10$, CHCl_3).

(8*S*,13*R*,14*R*,17*R*)-Adamantan-1-yl 17-(benzylamino)-3-methoxy-7,8,12,13,14,15,16,17-octahydro-6*H*-cyclopenta[a]phenanthrene-13-carboxylate (9**)³⁰**



200 mg pre-activated 4 Å Molecular sieves, **3b** (44.7 mg, 0.1 mmol), benzylamine (22 µL, 0.2 mmol, 2 equiv.) and 2 mL MeOH were placed to a dry Schlenk tube, and the reaction mixture was heated to 65 °C and stirred overnight. NaBH₃CN (25.1 mg, 0.4 mmol, 4 equiv.) and acetic acid (23 µL, 0.4 mmol, 4 equiv.) were added sequentially. The reaction mixture was stirred overnight, and then filtered and concentrated in vacuo. The product was purified by flash column chromatography to afford a viscous liquid (44 mg, 82%). **¹H NMR** (400 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 7.60 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 1H), 7.33 (d, *J* = 4.4 Hz, 4H), 6.72 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 6.58 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz, 1H), 6.23 (dd, *J* = 5.3, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 3.78 (s, 4H), 3.71 (d, *J* = 13.1 Hz, 1H), 3.58 (t, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 2.93 – 2.63 (m, 3H), 2.50 (dd, *J* = 18.8, 12.1 Hz, 2H), 2.33 – 2.22 (m, 1H), 2.12 (d, *J* = 5.1 Hz, 4H), 2.03 (d, *J* = 2.9 Hz, 6H), 1.89 – 1.65 (m, 5H), 1.62 (d, *J* = 3.1 Hz, 5H), 1.49 (ddt, *J* = 12.4, 9.6, 5.0 Hz, 3H). **¹³C NMR** (101 MHz, Chloroform-*d*) δ 175.79, 158.23, 140.54, 137.81, 131.38, 128.47, 128.20, 127.40, 127.02, 124.74, 115.43, 113.27, 112.68, 80.39, 65.93, 55.29, 53.13, 52.44, 46.32, 41.27, 36.25, 34.93, 30.85, 30.79, 29.16, 27.62, 23.95, 22.94. **IR** (KBr): ν_{max} 2915, 2853, 1709, 1607, 1496, 1456, 1279, 1233, 1210, 1175, 1057, 754 cm⁻¹. **MS** (EI): (relative intensity): *m/z* 537 (M^+), 251 (100), 135 (69.82), 91 (49.31). **HRMS** (ESI) For [C₃₆H₄₄NO₃]⁺ ([M+H]⁺): Calcd.: 538.3321, Found: 538.3305. $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ = 55.27 (*c* = 1.10, CHCl₃).

The absolute configuration of 9 was confirmed by NOE



4. High resolution ESI-MS spectrum

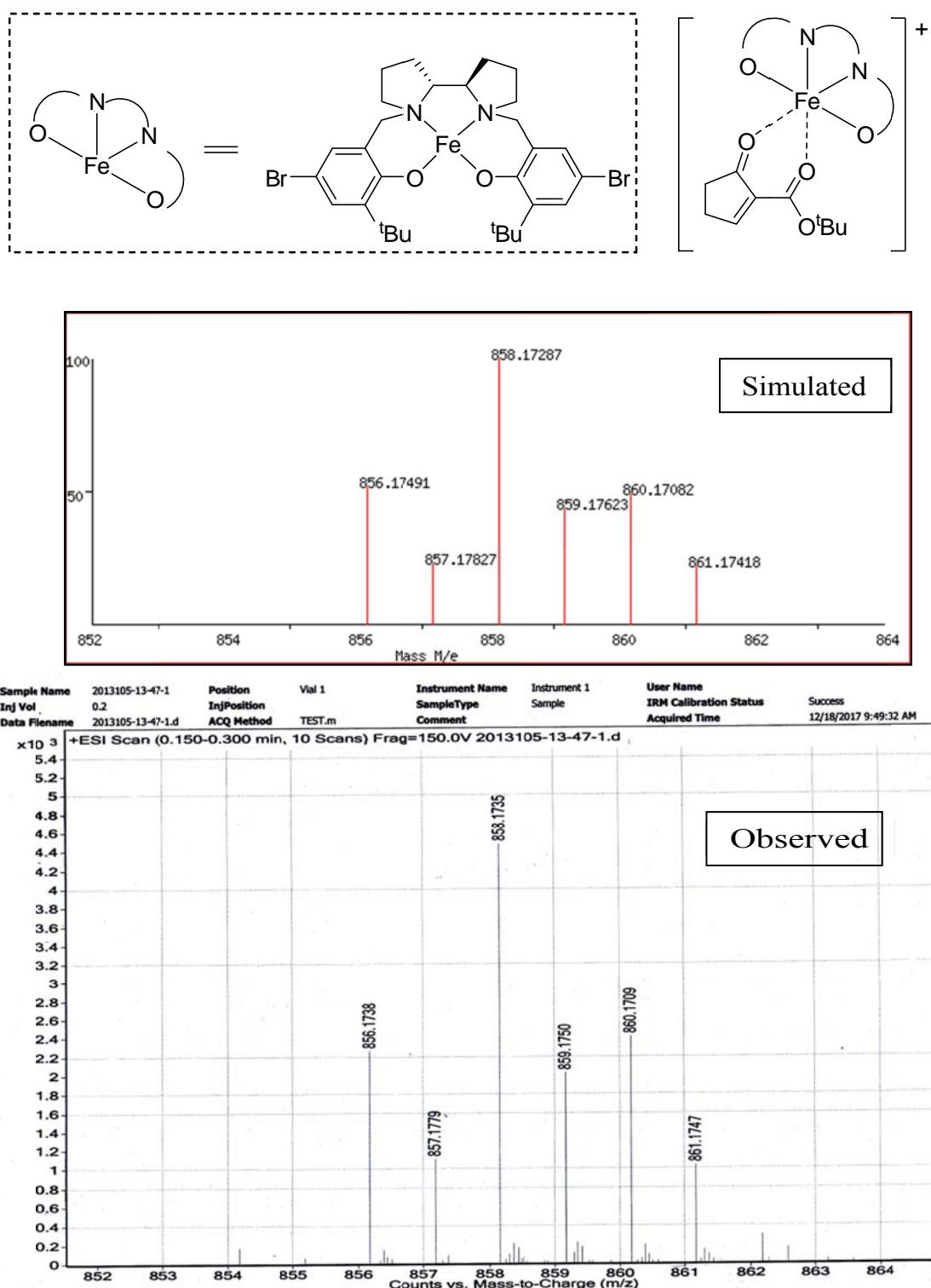


Fig. S1 Upper: Simulated isotopic distribution pattern for the adduct formed between the deprotonated form of substrate **1c** with catalyst **4a** (with ClO₄ as counter anion). Lower: Observed isotopic distribution pattern for the peak at m/z 858.2 detected by high-resolution ESI-MS analysis of a reaction mixture of **1c** and **4a** in DCM/MeOH.

5. IR spectra

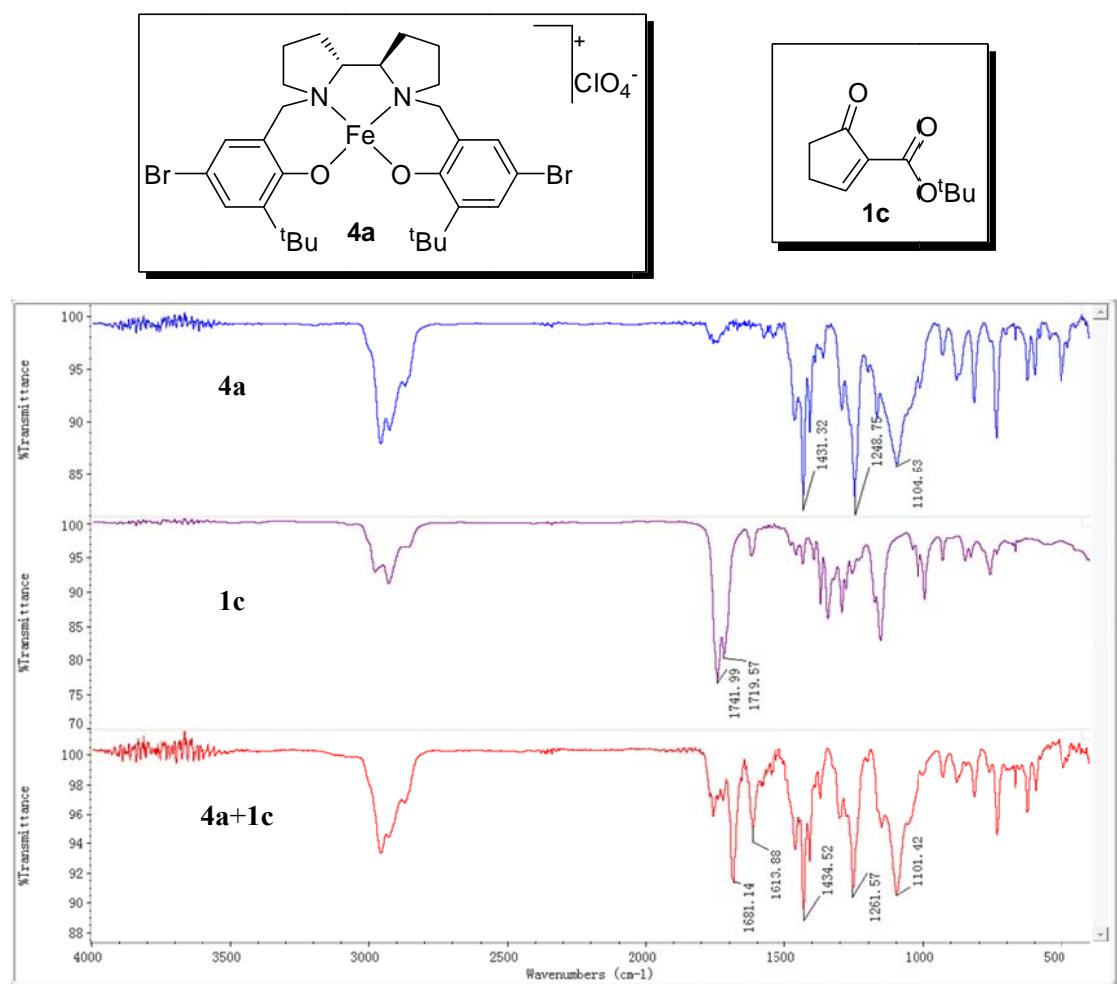
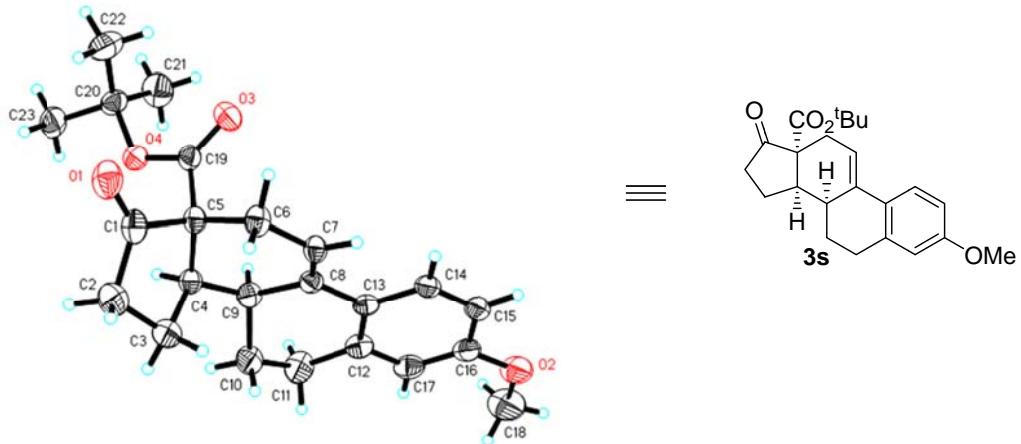


Fig. S2 Upper: IR spectrum of catalyst **4a**. Middle: IR spectrum of substrate **1c**. Lower: IR spectrum of the adduct formed between catalyst **4a** and substrate **1c**.

6. Crystal data of 3s (CCDC 1948562)



Identification code	cu_d8v17496_0m	
Empirical formula	C ₂₃ H ₂₈ O ₄	
Formula weight	368.45	
Temperature	296(2) K	
Wavelength	1.54178 Å	
Crystal system	Orthorhombic	
Space group	P 21 21 21	
Unit cell dimensions	a = 8.98190(10) Å	α = 90°.
	b = 11.9988(2) Å	β = 90°.
	c = 18.9538(3) Å	γ = 90°.
Volume	2042.69(5) Å ³	
Z	4	
Density (calculated)	1.198 Mg/m ³	
Absorption coefficient	0.647 mm ⁻¹	
F(000)	792	
Crystal size	0.180 x 0.150 x 0.120 mm ³	
Theta range for data collection	4.666 to 65.974°.	
Index ranges	-10<=h<=10, -11<=k<=14, -22<=l<=19	
Reflections collected	15052	
Independent reflections	3529 [R(int) = 0.0341]	
Completeness to theta = 67.679°	95.6 %	
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents	
Max. and min. transmission	0.7533 and 0.5750	
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²	
Data / restraints / parameters	3529 / 0 / 249	
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.069	
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0328, wR2 = 0.0867	

R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0346, wR2 = 0.0887
Absolute structure parameter	0.08(8)
Extinction coefficient	0.0110(19)
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.132 and -0.086 e. \AA^{-3}

7. Computational details

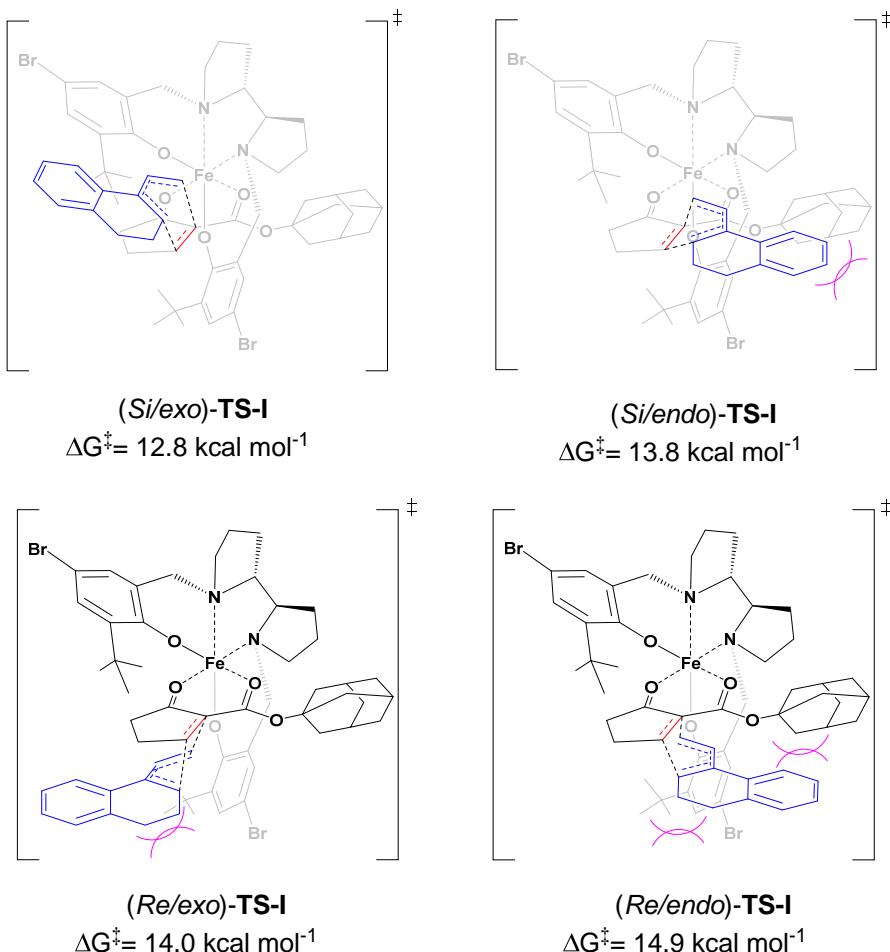


Fig. S3 Structures and corresponding energies at transition state that account for the stereoselectivity and enantioselectivity in the reaction between **1a** and **2a** using intermediate **I** as catalytic precursor. Steric hindrance was shown in purple.

In this work, all DFT calculations were performed using GAUSSIAN09.³¹ Geometries were optimized using the B3LYP functional³² in combination with def2-SVP basis set.³³ Dispersion correction with Grimme's D3 version was employed.^{34,35} Frequency calculations were carried out for these optimized structures to verify the stationary points or transition states at the same level. Solvent effect was considered by means of the polarizable continuum model (PCM).³⁶ An alternative set of single-point energies was refined with the triple- ζ basis set def2-TZVP. The method employed has been proved successful in treating the Fe-catalyzed systems.^{37,38} The open-shell unrestricted U-B3LYP is adopted by default in the calculations of doublet ($S = 1/2$), quartet ($S = 3/2$), and sextet ($S = 5/2$) spin states. The stereoselectivity and enantioselectivity was evaluated by

$$ee \text{ or } de = \frac{\exp(-\Delta\Delta G^\ddagger / RT) - 1}{\exp(-\Delta\Delta G^\ddagger / RT) + 1} \quad (1)$$

where $\Delta\Delta G^\ddagger$ is given by

$$\Delta\Delta G^\ddagger = \Delta G_{favored}^\ddagger - \Delta G_{disfavored}^\ddagger \quad (2)$$

ΔG^\ddagger is the activation Gibbs free energy, R is the gas constant ($8.317 \text{ J mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$), and T is temperature (298 K) in Kelvin.

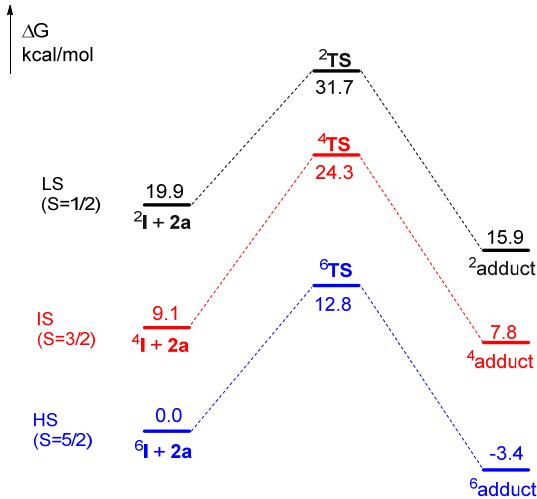


Fig. S4 The examination of multi-state reactivity for the Fe-BPsalan catalyzed Diels-Alder reaction. HS, high-spin; IS, intermediate-spin; LS, low-spin.

Cartesian coordinates of DFT-calculated structures

(*Si/exo*)-TS-I

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H	3.400904000	9.576833000	1.495176000
H	1.576902000	7.273168000	2.322943000
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H	-0.492389000	8.308553000	1.511012000
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O	2.262102000	11.020840000	3.692357000
C	-0.550354000	10.880997000	2.757971000
O	-1.632409000	10.719782000	2.013835000
O	-0.470139000	11.707223000	3.684713000
C	-3.777123000	10.937338000	1.045330000
C	-2.932525000	11.354132000	2.253857000
C	-2.839267000	12.884202000	2.307341000
C	-4.261456000	13.457466000	2.462346000
C	-4.882879000	12.913748000	3.761615000
C	-4.970786000	11.378179000	3.694448000
C	-5.833299000	10.964897000	2.489298000
C	-5.199804000	11.505589000	1.194943000
C	-5.125221000	13.040704000	1.260702000
C	-3.557027000	10.787397000	3.532280000
H	-3.302898000	11.313701000	0.124659000
H	-3.797841000	9.837751000	0.984008000
H	-2.212602000	13.201973000	3.148532000
H	-2.368191000	13.253203000	1.381682000

H	-4.195149000	14.555907000	2.512889000
H	-4.275784000	13.222661000	4.628295000
H	-5.888381000	13.341156000	3.905466000
H	-5.414247000	10.988858000	4.624450000
H	-5.915428000	9.866385000	2.442248000
H	-6.855126000	11.362285000	2.602065000
H	-5.801917000	11.196098000	0.326183000
H	-6.137996000	13.464266000	1.358577000
H	-4.694285000	13.440952000	0.327885000
H	-3.601565000	9.689669000	3.454180000
H	-2.931885000	11.027712000	4.400201000
H	2.377768000	14.282626000	2.884036000
C	3.396172000	7.046232000	-3.389383000
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C	3.264995000	9.205380000	-2.323113000
C	3.938844000	8.313885000	-3.148767000
H	0.399678000	6.603608000	-0.414450000
H	3.919676000	6.339047000	-4.036521000
H	1.751724000	5.701437000	-3.006479000
C	0.177997000	7.149945000	-1.348622000
C	1.316242000	9.800150000	-0.857359000
H	3.694693000	10.193108000	-2.161569000
H	4.884616000	8.605994000	-3.608902000
C	0.032001000	9.460803000	-0.373142000
C	-0.723272000	8.342828000	-1.048901000
H	-0.600217000	10.284258000	-0.040801000
H	-1.586133000	8.040560000	-0.436982000
H	-0.335159000	6.428140000	-2.000307000
H	-1.137973000	8.746208000	-1.990625000
C	1.950065000	11.014889000	-0.403049000
H	3.021134000	11.125305000	-0.576338000
C	1.329843000	11.988729000	0.303926000
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Fe	1.050371000	11.689070000	5.043862000
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N	-0.351994000	12.760499000	6.420791000
C	2.541472000	14.374428000	5.020945000
H	2.298365000	14.496319000	6.083151000
C	3.784090000	13.535755000	4.930138000
C	4.939299000	13.995019000	4.297798000
H	4.937496000	14.947189000	3.763903000
C	6.096605000	13.223655000	4.382981000
C	6.122989000	12.038590000	5.122577000
H	7.060927000	11.491553000	5.189031000
C	4.979543000	11.552640000	5.771742000
C	3.777346000	12.300058000	5.623034000
C	5.024293000	10.284871000	6.640472000
C	4.568636000	10.636571000	8.074471000
H	3.536353000	11.008573000	8.079568000
H	5.223431000	11.405650000	8.514485000
H	4.618011000	9.740638000	8.714254000
C	4.092010000	9.205688000	6.056806000
H	4.114799000	8.305216000	6.691352000
H	4.419703000	8.918253000	5.045927000
H	3.059513000	9.562485000	5.997403000
C	6.442015000	9.696768000	6.724059000
H	7.160372000	10.409423000	7.158154000
H	6.818355000	9.385098000	5.737317000
H	6.427583000	8.804603000	7.368544000
C	0.113509000	12.329239000	7.769475000

H	-0.338461000	12.963517000	8.548849000
H	1.199349000	12.500817000	7.793142000
C	-0.203825000	10.882092000	8.078746000
C	-0.653031000	10.558593000	9.362078000
H	-0.769074000	11.343554000	10.111452000
C	-0.955373000	9.236777000	9.672836000
C	-0.856970000	8.229875000	8.710051000
H	-1.129189000	7.214794000	8.989982000
C	-0.432663000	8.512748000	7.407742000
C	-0.067873000	9.858624000	7.098592000
C	-0.385885000	7.418335000	6.324795000
C	1.050712000	7.256679000	5.785131000
H	1.408797000	8.184528000	5.327435000
H	1.079587000	6.453882000	5.030334000
H	1.745315000	6.985033000	6.594777000
C	-1.335242000	7.805439000	5.169007000
H	-2.373618000	7.883530000	5.527504000
H	-1.304492000	7.038142000	4.378219000
H	-1.047361000	8.766738000	4.729943000
C	-0.838974000	6.054256000	6.870055000
H	-0.186358000	5.697743000	7.681778000
H	-0.799556000	5.308550000	6.061385000
H	-1.873526000	6.082294000	7.245077000
C	1.404617000	14.092820000	2.894616000
H	0.732255000	13.398639000	2.376730000
H	2.741348000	15.376807000	4.616698000
C	0.896545000	15.557050000	2.772712000
H	1.724679000	16.261851000	2.617330000
H	0.224793000	15.654877000	1.908631000
C	0.156398000	15.839122000	4.109023000
H	-0.838961000	16.274744000	3.953432000
H	0.721899000	16.530904000	4.750932000
C	0.071590000	14.444420000	4.737323000
H	-0.704593000	13.898098000	4.178850000
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C	-1.617519000	14.847943000	6.625193000
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C	1.588011000	7.632790000	1.819236000
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C	0.510548000	9.687862000	2.292201000
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H	3.379417000	8.921516000	1.684581000
H	1.252748000	6.910315000	2.582379000
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H	-0.586215000	8.096841000	1.301118000
H	3.194006000	8.167053000	3.269249000
O	2.229393000	10.657675000	3.663636000
C	-0.565967000	10.601469000	2.611378000
O	-1.659773000	10.353713000	1.916584000
O	-0.473780000	11.500141000	3.467387000
C	-3.914716000	10.246866000	1.189780000
C	-2.989616000	10.900834000	2.220012000
C	-3.019106000	12.424687000	2.064328000
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C	-4.906871000	12.517607000	3.711535000
C	-4.870783000	10.985556000	3.859827000
C	-5.817221000	10.351439000	2.826292000
C	-5.355577000	10.738780000	1.410971000
C	-5.395218000	12.269163000	1.254883000
C	-3.436718000	10.472179000	3.620485000

H	-3.573638000	10.493923000	0.177213000
H	-3.853292000	9.152623000	1.300257000
H	-2.335899000	12.893109000	2.784503000
H	-2.671832000	12.694688000	1.054467000
H	-4.485370000	14.010971000	2.187464000
H	-4.249487000	12.989791000	4.459295000
H	-5.926950000	12.887703000	3.903787000
H	-5.181539000	10.702460000	4.878005000
H	-5.819444000	9.254547000	2.937724000
H	-6.849747000	10.697939000	2.996218000
H	-6.011079000	10.269825000	0.660176000
H	-6.424928000	12.636860000	1.393480000
H	-5.082139000	12.554193000	0.236447000
H	-3.406627000	9.373929000	3.683772000
H	-2.752964000	10.861424000	4.380838000
H	2.423801000	13.937598000	2.518896000
C	-3.461959000	9.896447000	-3.354299000
C	-2.542551000	8.844229000	-3.344181000
C	-1.409748000	8.886512000	-2.527470000
C	-1.197710000	10.013291000	-1.688896000
C	-2.124837000	11.075487000	-1.728106000
C	-3.248130000	11.019026000	-2.547230000
H	0.428970000	8.105953000	-3.275349000
H	-4.343879000	9.842810000	-3.996472000
H	-2.702062000	7.976330000	-3.988383000
C	-0.365777000	7.800474000	-2.569841000
C	0.023220000	10.059174000	-0.874263000
H	-1.984357000	11.948186000	-1.091844000
H	-3.962485000	11.844570000	-2.548708000
C	0.692340000	8.867919000	-0.555012000
C	0.236031000	7.564277000	-1.186601000
H	1.759368000	8.966218000	-0.352592000
H	1.077805000	6.861000000	-1.249269000
H	-0.797230000	6.870418000	-2.967269000
H	-0.529017000	7.084397000	-0.551715000
C	0.516091000	11.332784000	-0.396483000
H	-0.105388000	12.210504000	-0.578397000
C	1.672890000	11.515961000	0.276599000
H	2.401768000	10.720798000	0.427537000
H	1.962297000	12.505670000	0.629431000

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Fe	0.971229000	11.519556000	5.262822000
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O	0.128804000	10.346009000	6.489795000
N	1.565933000	13.411539000	4.206828000
N	-0.317795000	13.049837000	6.298204000
C	2.713338000	14.032433000	4.935231000
H	2.377177000	14.269916000	5.951556000
C	3.910709000	13.131687000	5.035581000
C	5.132186000	13.472606000	4.455721000
H	5.227351000	14.385555000	3.865254000
C	6.224790000	12.632075000	4.656746000
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H	6.999901000	10.860550000	5.572300000
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C	3.774592000	11.949230000	5.804975000
C	4.782577000	9.823893000	6.870774000
C	4.197363000	10.148879000	8.262812000
H	3.194635000	10.584561000	8.180132000
H	4.846511000	10.858439000	8.800823000
H	4.130874000	9.227708000	8.864132000
C	3.862275000	8.823907000	6.140129000
H	3.768932000	7.896929000	6.728246000
H	4.274495000	8.566491000	5.151867000
H	2.862814000	9.244869000	5.994550000
C	6.147250000	9.147335000	7.081550000

H	6.860036000	9.810545000	7.596012000
H	6.601552000	8.822341000	6.132882000
H	6.014619000	8.250996000	7.706490000
C	0.186755000	12.989945000	7.697540000
H	-0.204785000	13.841548000	8.277123000
H	1.279529000	13.102250000	7.646735000
C	-0.170368000	11.713023000	8.422577000
C	-0.500681000	11.811952000	9.777757000
H	-0.491881000	12.787202000	10.267746000
C	-0.846160000	10.669921000	10.489616000
C	-0.914148000	9.428212000	9.856569000
H	-1.220297000	8.563644000	10.440773000
C	-0.611929000	9.288261000	8.498631000
C	-0.189308000	10.446204000	7.771890000
C	-0.751808000	7.926344000	7.798688000
C	0.627486000	7.473732000	7.277132000
H	1.058345000	8.214540000	6.595852000
H	0.542484000	6.508812000	6.751223000
H	1.330658000	7.341785000	8.113967000
C	-1.764697000	8.058195000	6.638653000
H	-2.758923000	8.330241000	7.027576000
H	-1.862962000	7.098890000	6.104832000
H	-1.455534000	8.828879000	5.924102000
C	-1.271978000	6.834236000	8.747599000
H	-0.586430000	6.658220000	9.590538000
H	-1.364030000	5.887527000	8.193420000
H	-2.265313000	7.078891000	9.154099000
C	1.842040000	13.411102000	2.749739000
H	1.169559000	12.685594000	2.276282000
H	3.000407000	14.981346000	4.458255000
C	1.518458000	14.850389000	2.267326000
H	2.432743000	15.447113000	2.142041000
H	1.017315000	14.822564000	1.289941000
C	0.604064000	15.446098000	3.372895000
H	-0.325341000	15.870118000	2.970749000
H	1.112993000	16.244843000	3.932948000
C	0.325541000	14.233765000	4.270810000
H	-0.437181000	13.622637000	3.762649000
C	-0.159573000	14.421490000	5.697252000
H	0.576299000	14.979165000	6.289379000
C	-1.548622000	15.110141000	5.765944000
H	-1.490644000	16.091970000	6.253568000
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C	2.926823000	9.430683000	1.837280000
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C	0.729533000	9.405094000	0.810138000
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C	1.890278000	10.026570000	2.762044000
H	3.841983000	10.040030000	1.837682000
H	2.497298000	8.454809000	-0.107797000
H	2.465736000	10.220626000	-0.142079000
H	0.038353000	9.758409000	0.040779000
H	3.207311000	8.439472000	2.230656000
O	2.156930000	10.493548000	3.887736000
C	-0.573334000	10.516206000	2.730016000
O	-1.678427000	10.216087000	2.071212000
O	-0.562420000	11.192055000	3.776651000
C	-3.938231000	9.964203000	1.428139000
C	-3.032783000	10.610751000	2.481418000
C	-3.198281000	12.133851000	2.435762000
C	-4.666385000	12.478671000	2.754734000
C	-5.025610000	11.939456000	4.151382000
C	-4.851230000	10.410473000	4.180042000

C	-5.772709000	9.769573000	3.129126000
C	-5.406851000	10.306610000	1.734328000
C	-5.586940000	11.834498000	1.704347000
C	-3.384148000	10.055593000	3.867070000
H	-3.650626000	10.330714000	0.430064000
H	-3.782196000	8.873570000	1.440783000
H	-2.527820000	12.614323000	3.160000000
H	-2.921974000	12.498714000	1.433504000
H	-4.784858000	13.573693000	2.736065000
H	-4.387425000	12.408906000	4.916057000
H	-6.066916000	12.202752000	4.397902000
H	-5.099229000	10.026052000	5.181976000
H	-5.669826000	8.671966000	3.153218000
H	-6.825554000	10.001807000	3.358255000
H	-6.049704000	9.838902000	0.972061000
H	-6.637111000	12.094926000	1.914029000
H	-5.349407000	12.224924000	0.700805000
H	-3.247355000	8.962321000	3.866415000
H	-2.717251000	10.471521000	4.631113000
H	2.873330000	13.089822000	2.561382000
C	3.429569000	4.189444000	-0.772783000
C	2.191510000	4.573529000	-1.294782000
C	1.353102000	5.438197000	-0.587979000
C	1.766262000	5.919286000	0.684274000
C	3.016976000	5.516854000	1.200566000
C	3.845491000	4.666502000	0.476186000
H	-0.778203000	5.230167000	-0.651333000
H	4.075390000	3.518870000	-1.343998000
H	1.870851000	4.196747000	-2.268768000
C	0.005350000	5.856449000	-1.115373000
C	0.845730000	6.783891000	1.425272000
H	3.358994000	5.892049000	2.165618000
H	4.816881000	4.376820000	0.881254000
C	-0.066328000	7.594486000	0.699373000
C	-0.242401000	7.328336000	-0.788309000
H	-0.972711000	7.895339000	1.229470000
H	-1.249082000	7.640491000	-1.100792000
H	-0.051053000	5.683067000	-2.199474000
H	0.472464000	7.934450000	-1.370137000
C	0.938793000	6.889974000	2.853852000
H	1.773532000	6.389954000	3.348732000
C	0.095211000	7.623950000	3.620391000
H	-0.836278000	8.032601000	3.233076000
H	0.275499000	7.747622000	4.686773000

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Fe	1.004734000	11.394984000	5.201835000
Br	7.932333000	13.087981000	3.940172000
Br	-1.554142000	10.465575000	12.173053000
O	2.590429000	11.548883000	6.273810000
O	0.163841000	10.171216000	6.385134000
N	1.583263000	13.333263000	4.206773000
N	-0.334313000	12.873976000	6.247315000
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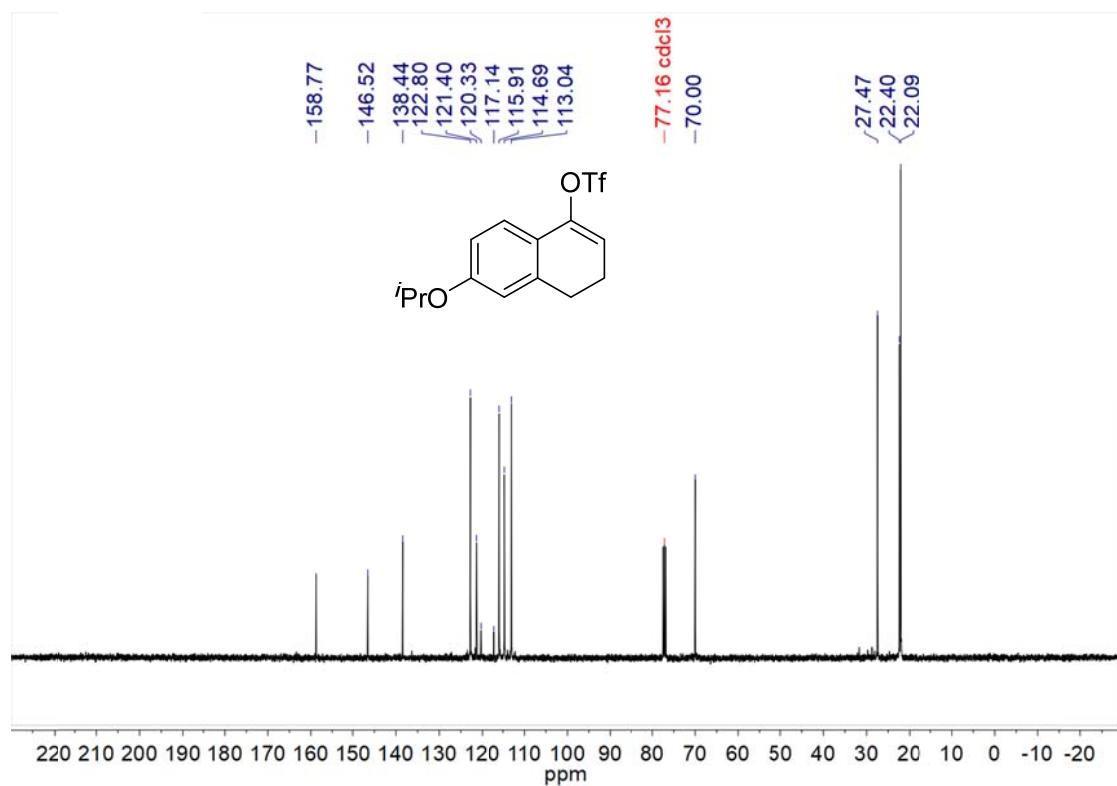
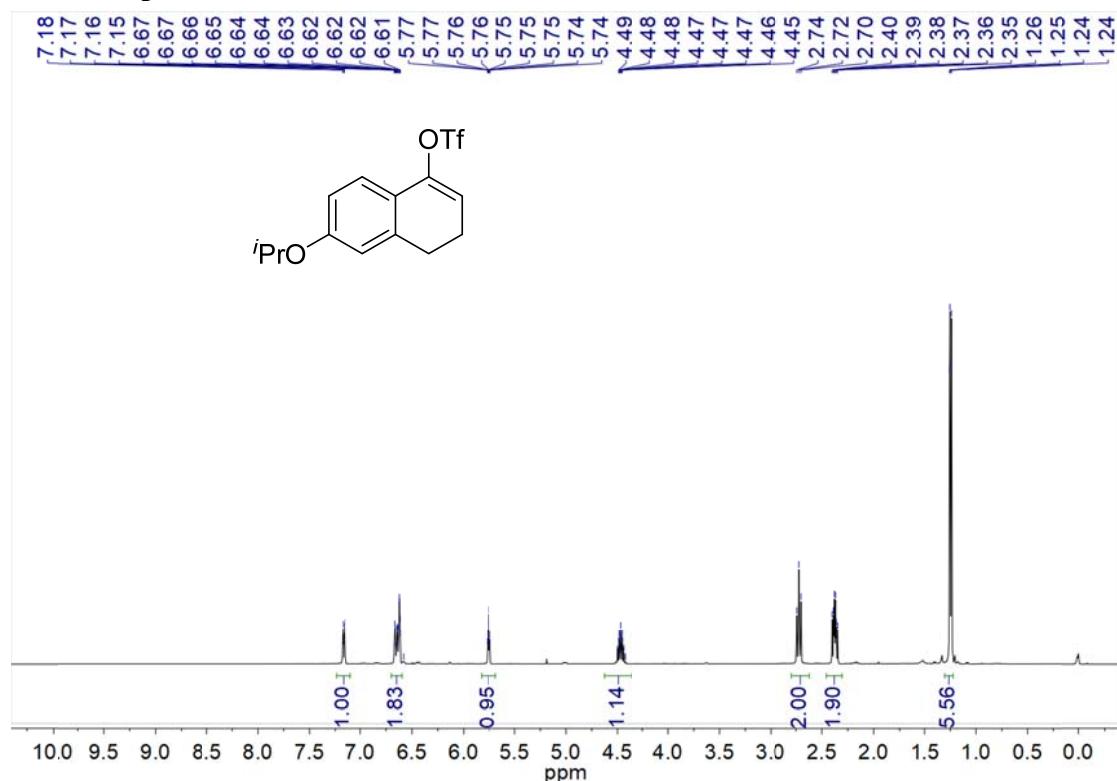
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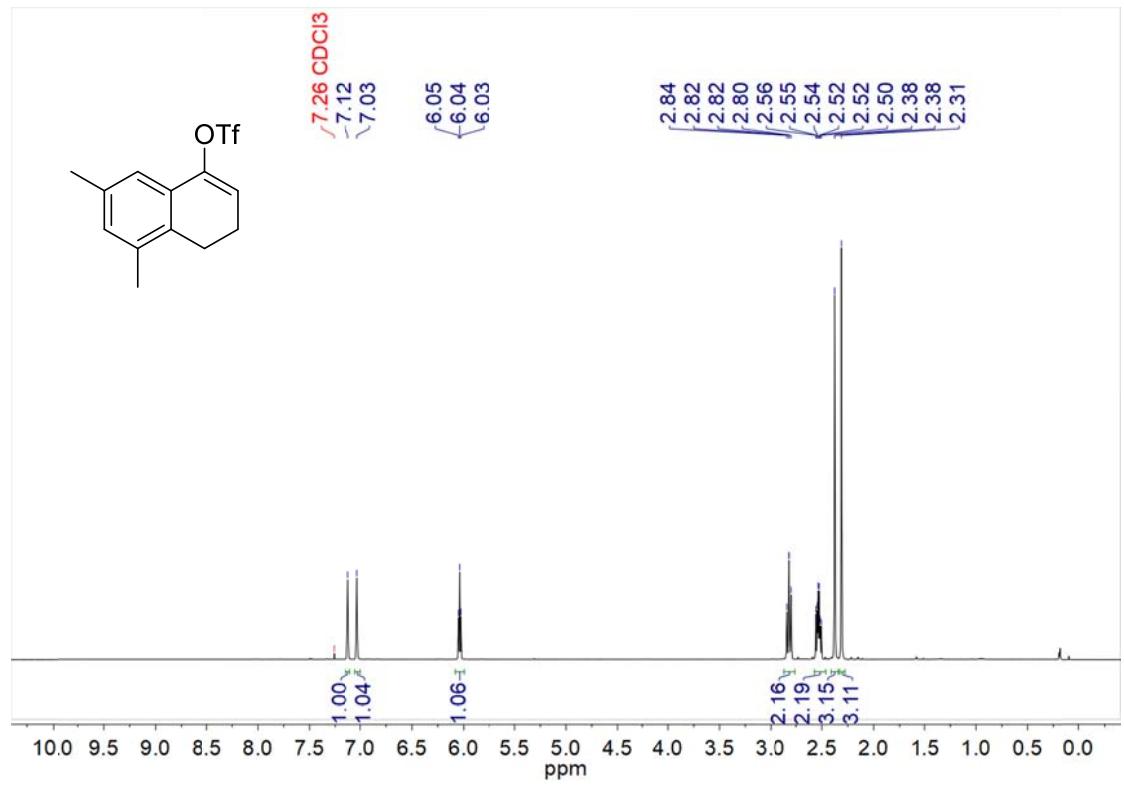
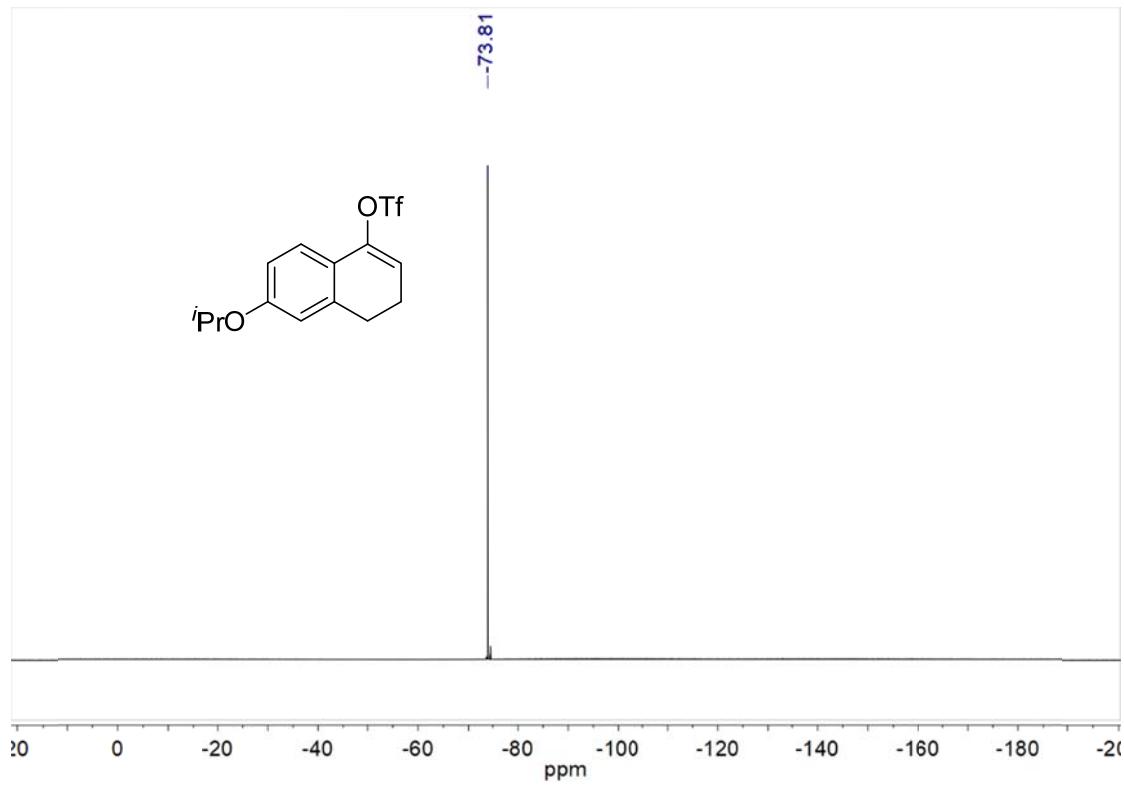
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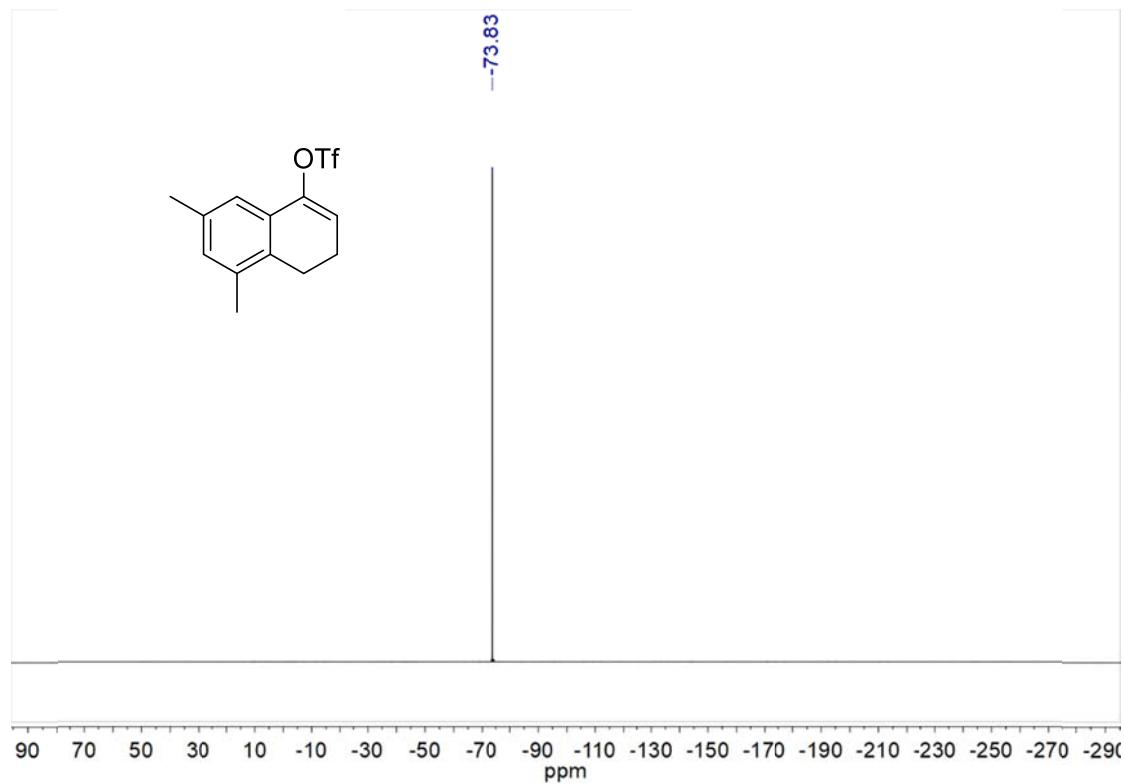
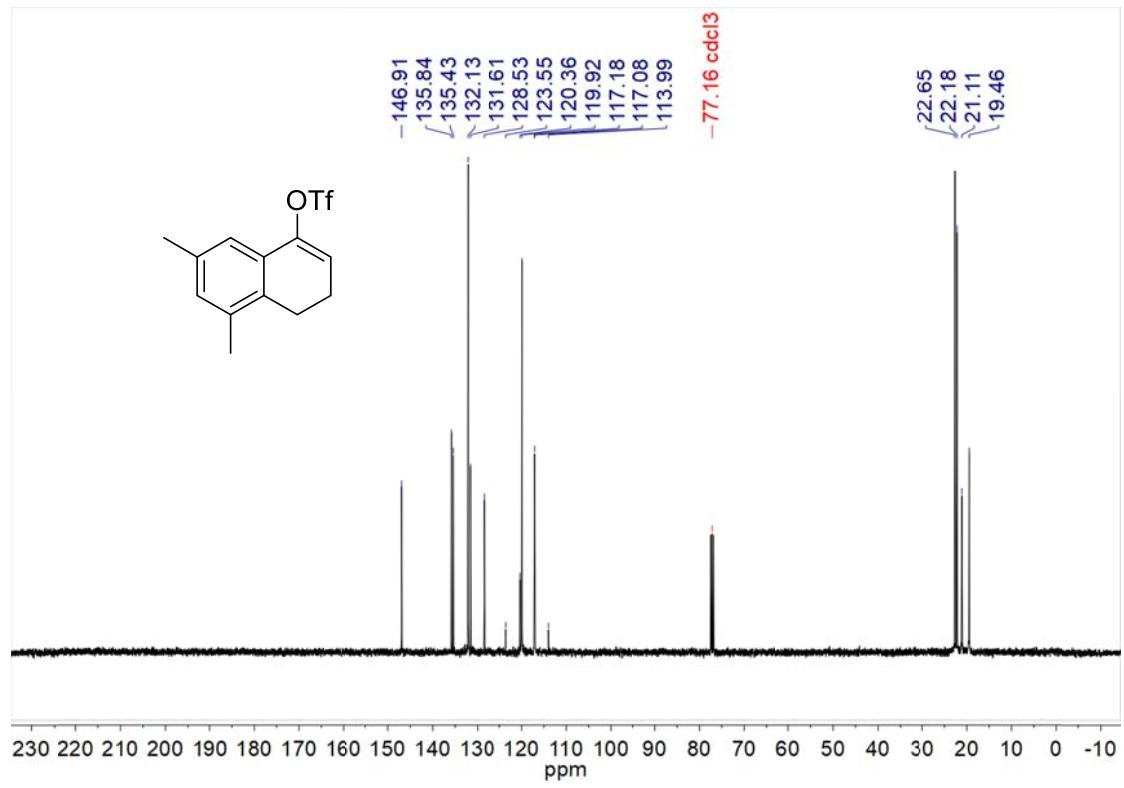
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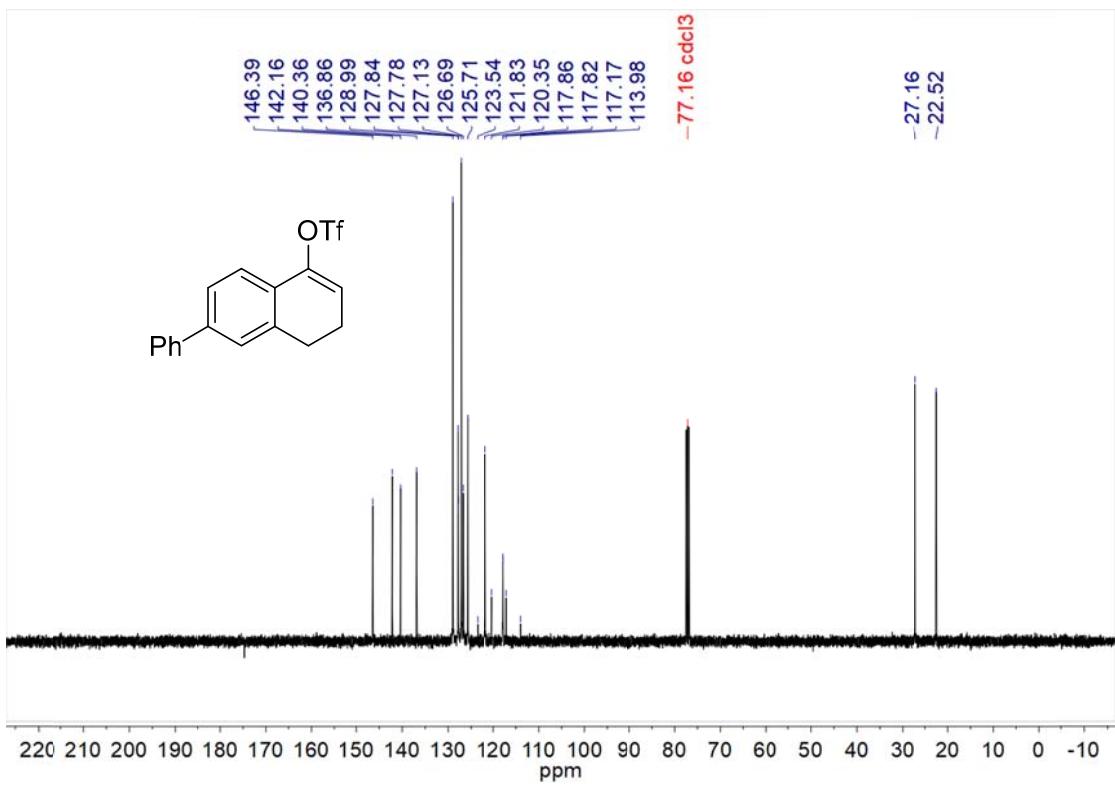
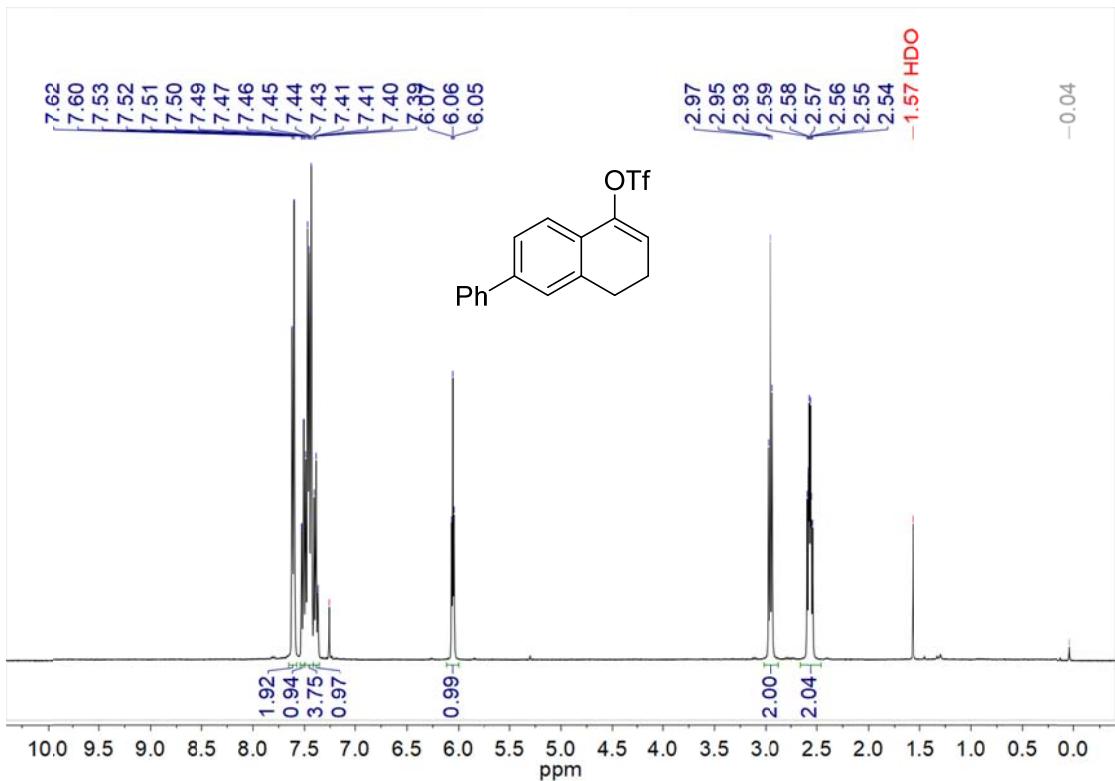
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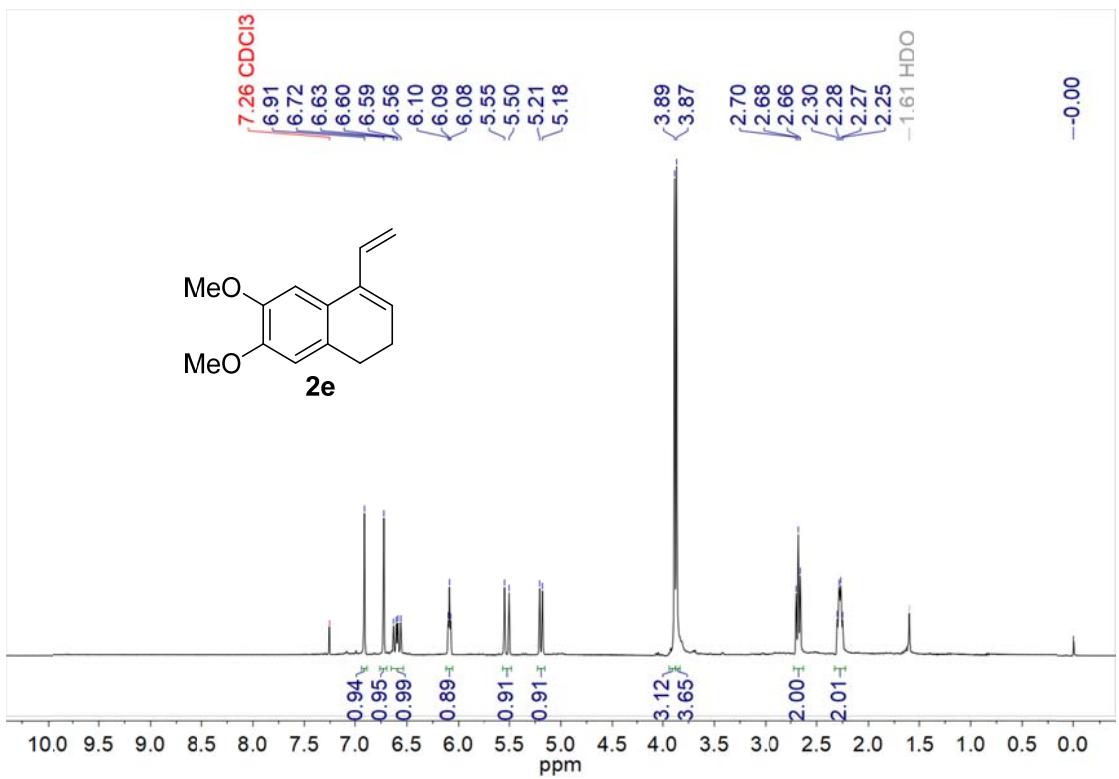
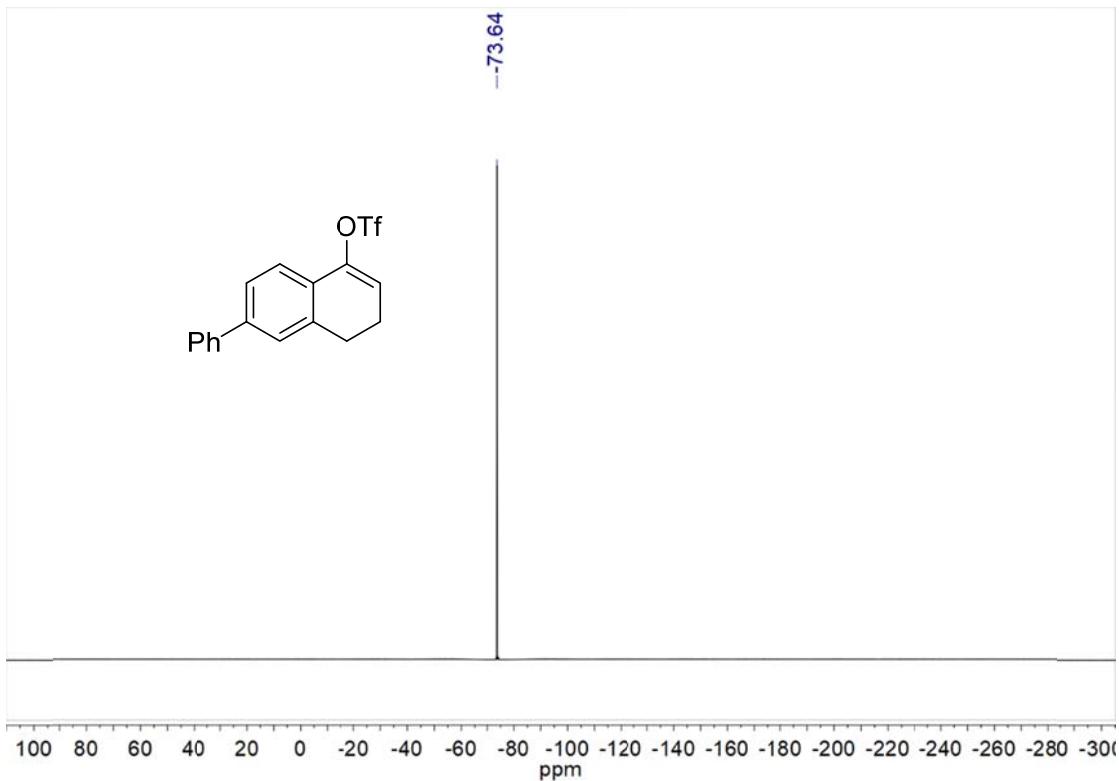
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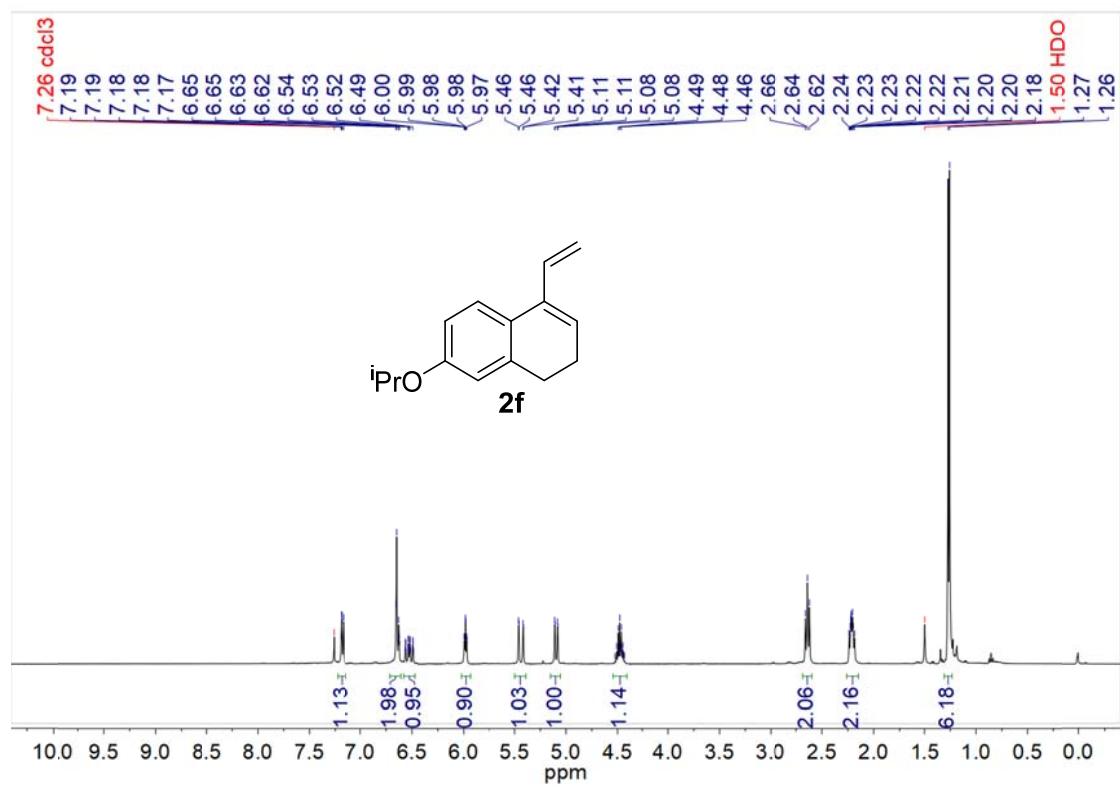
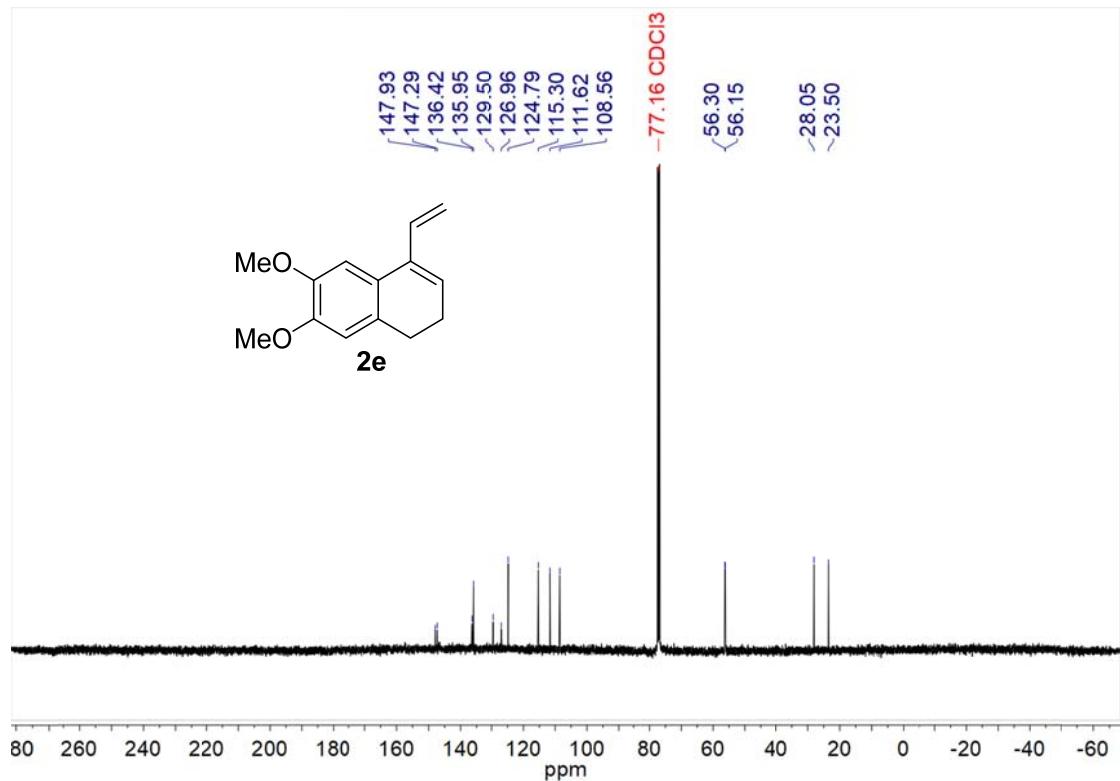


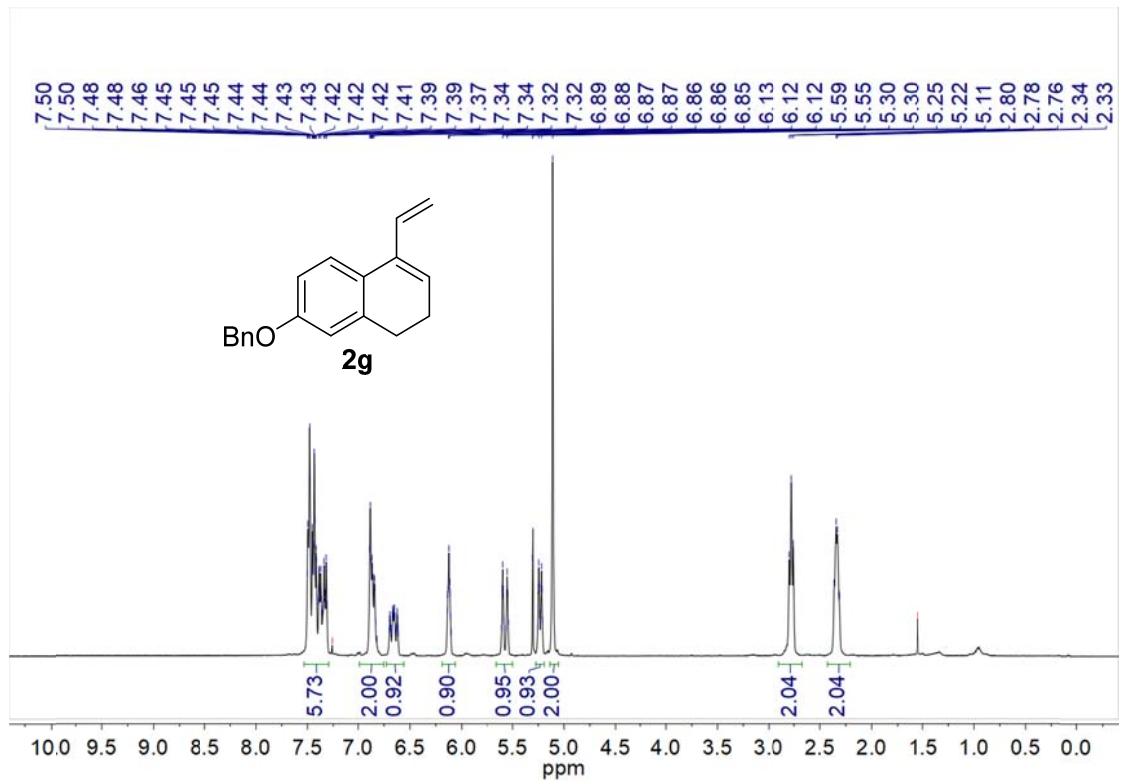
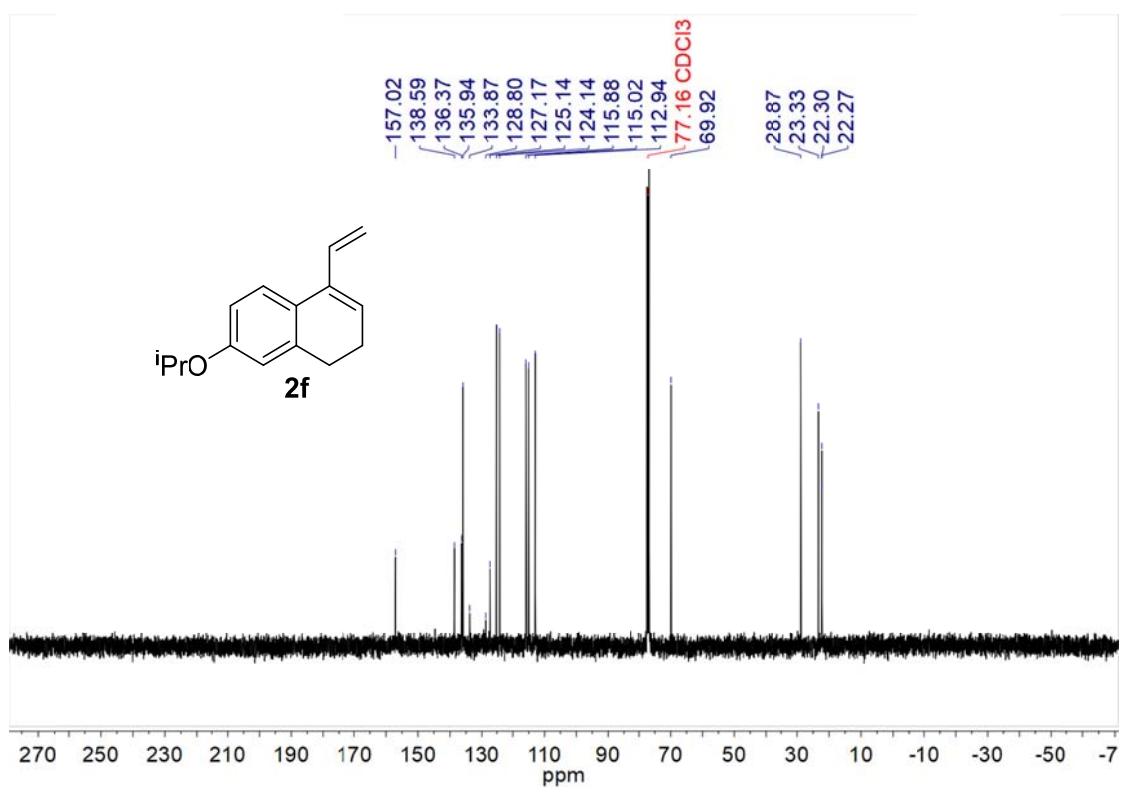


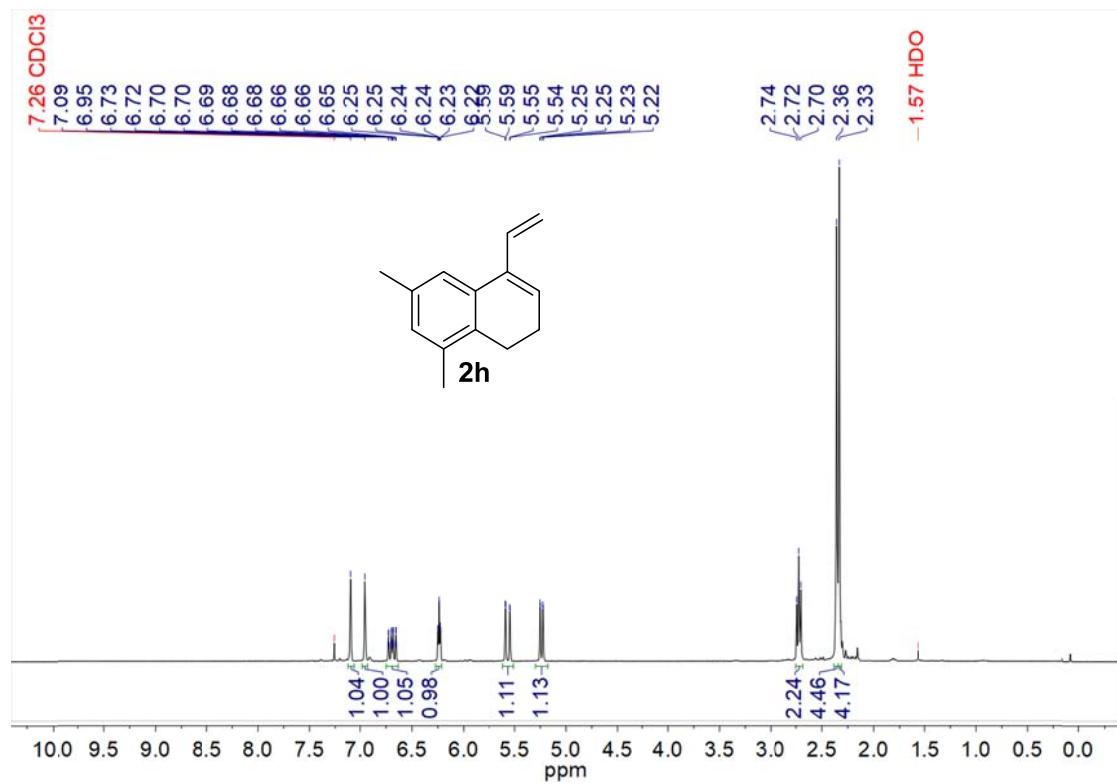
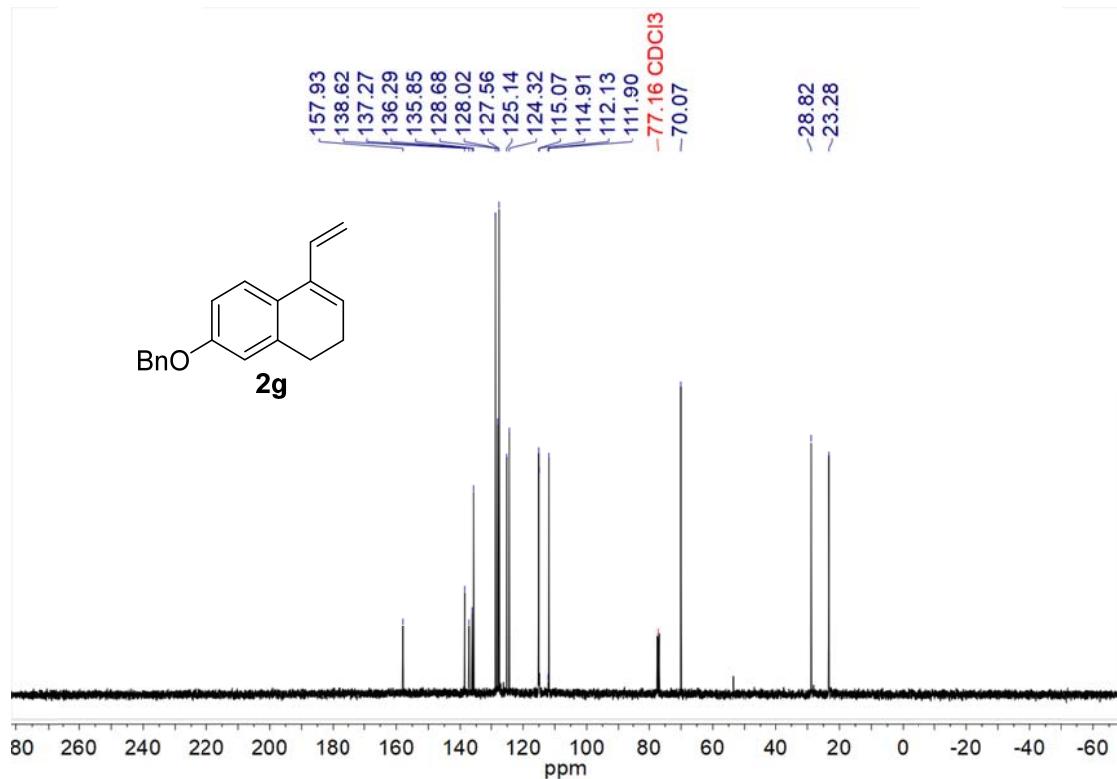


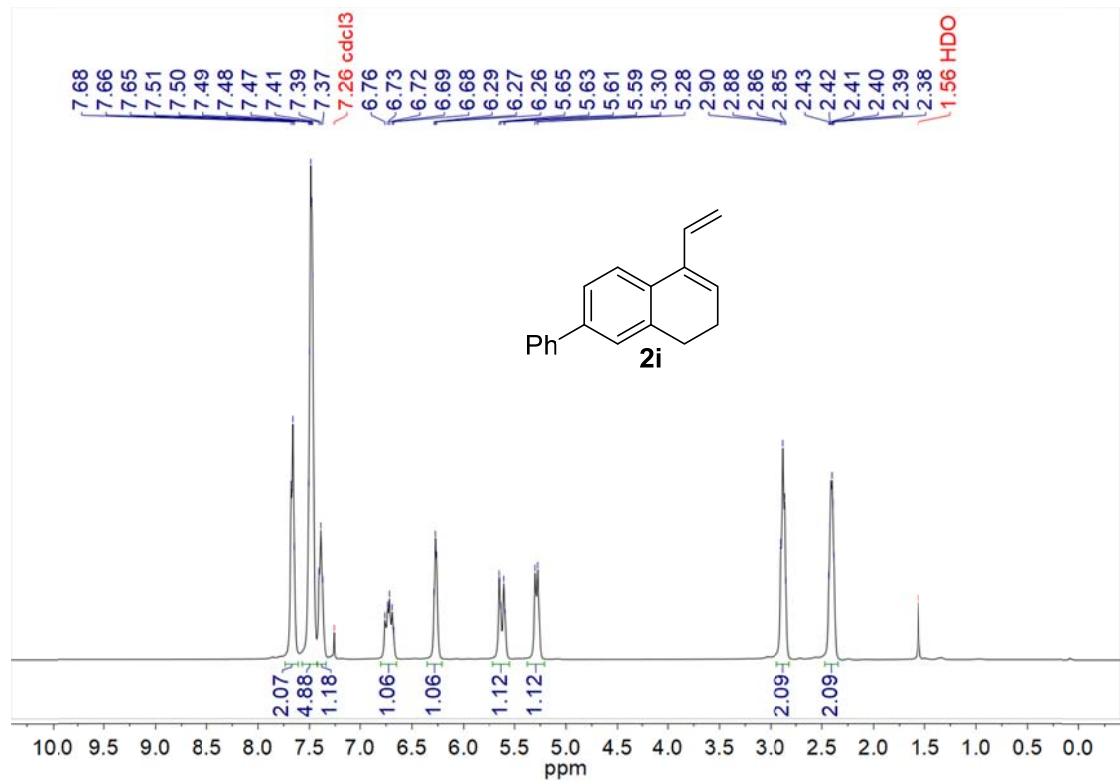
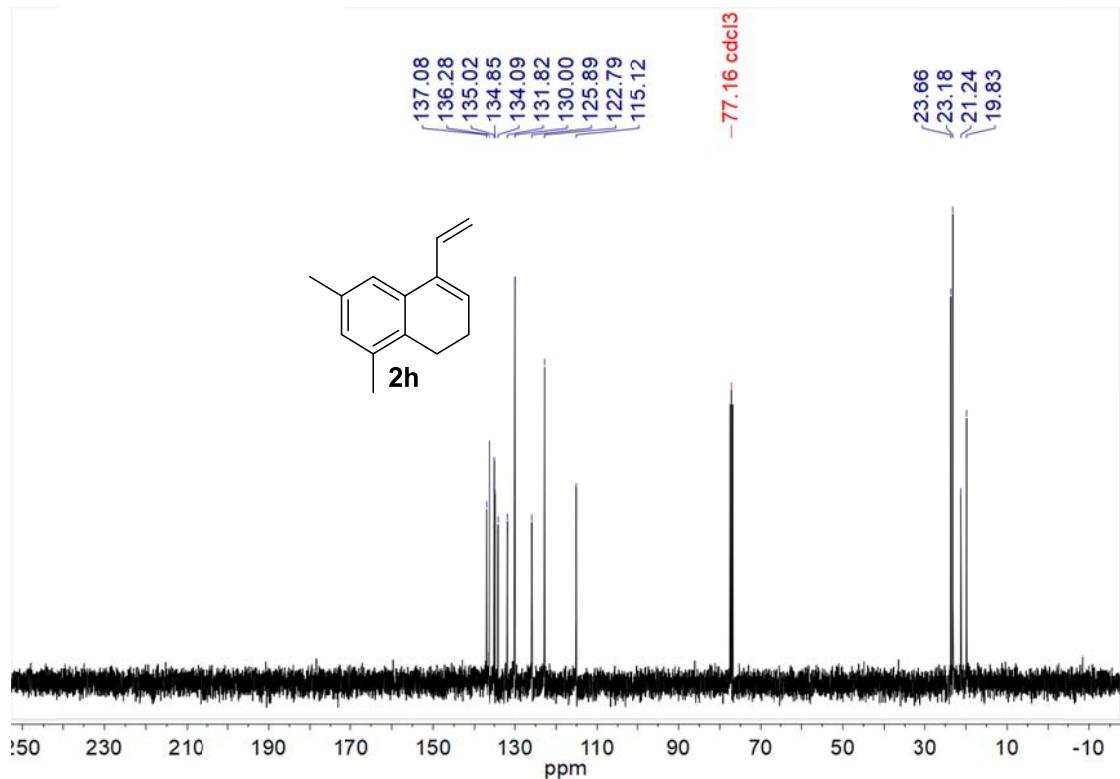


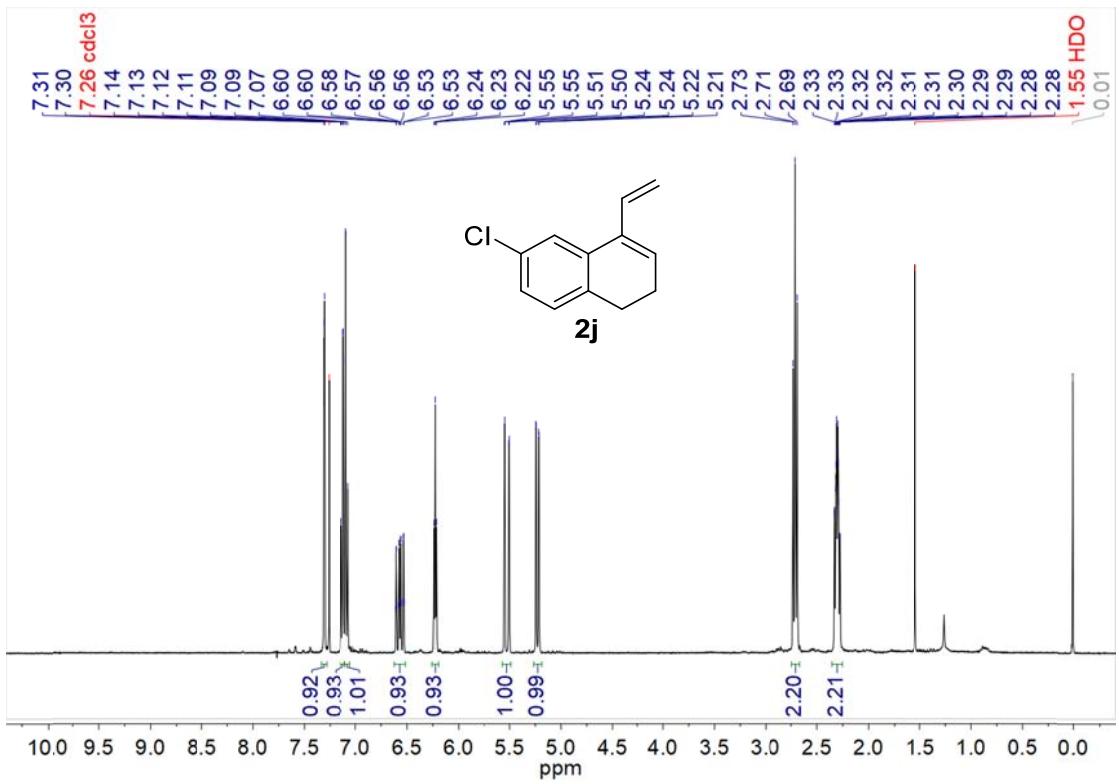
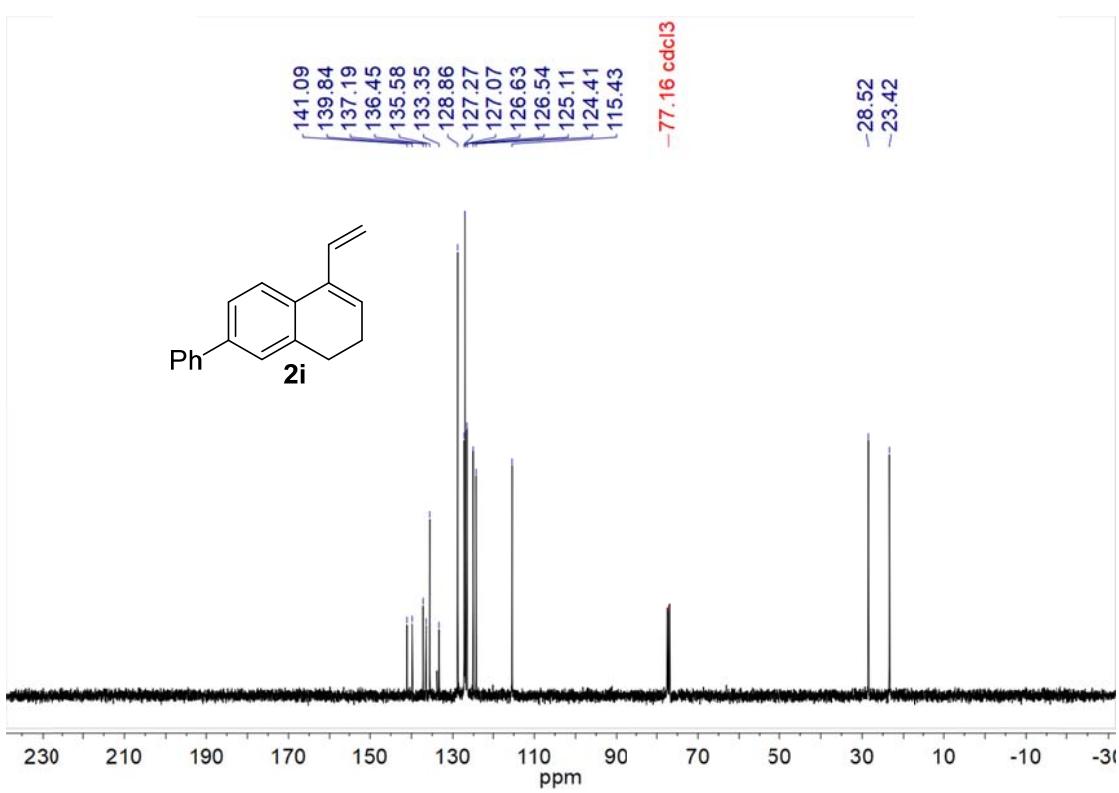


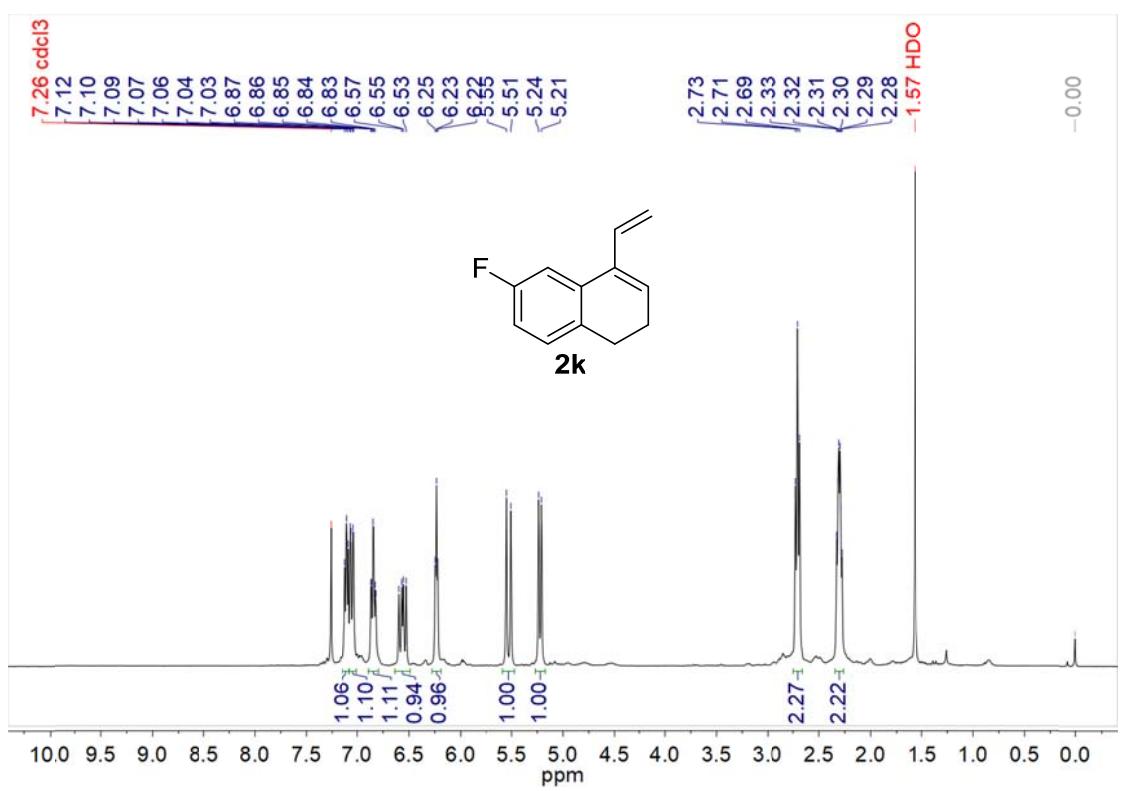
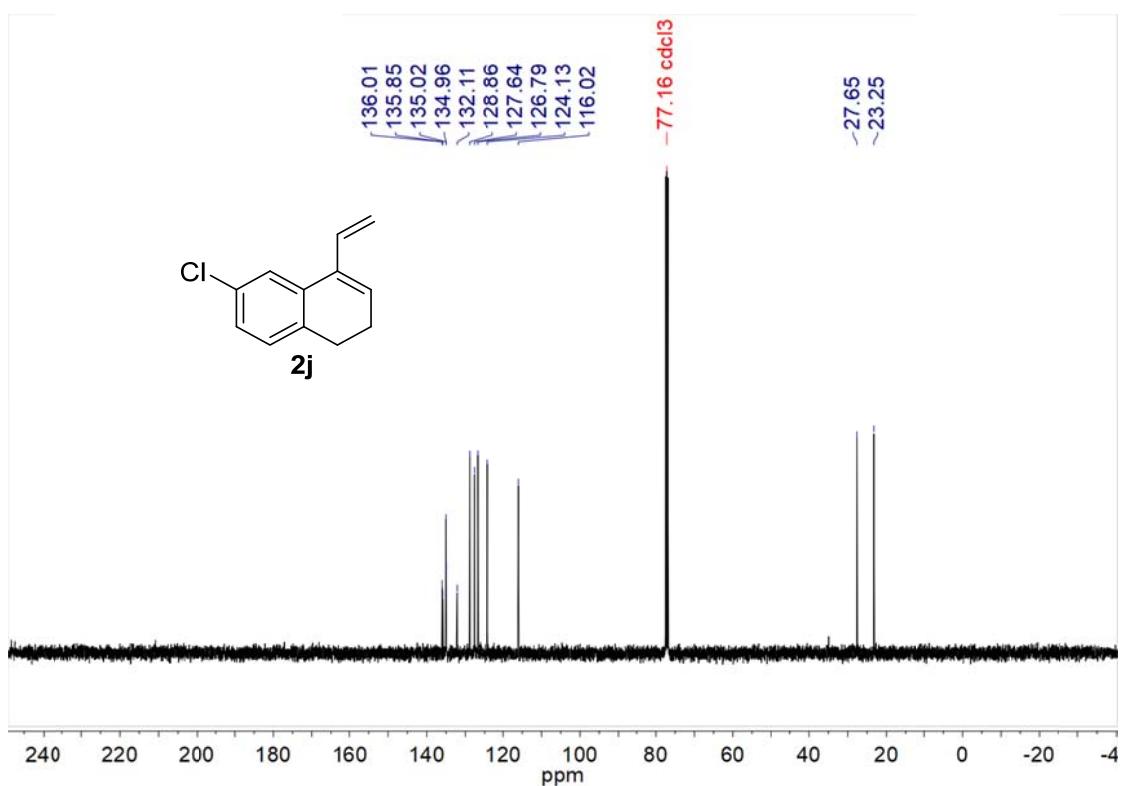


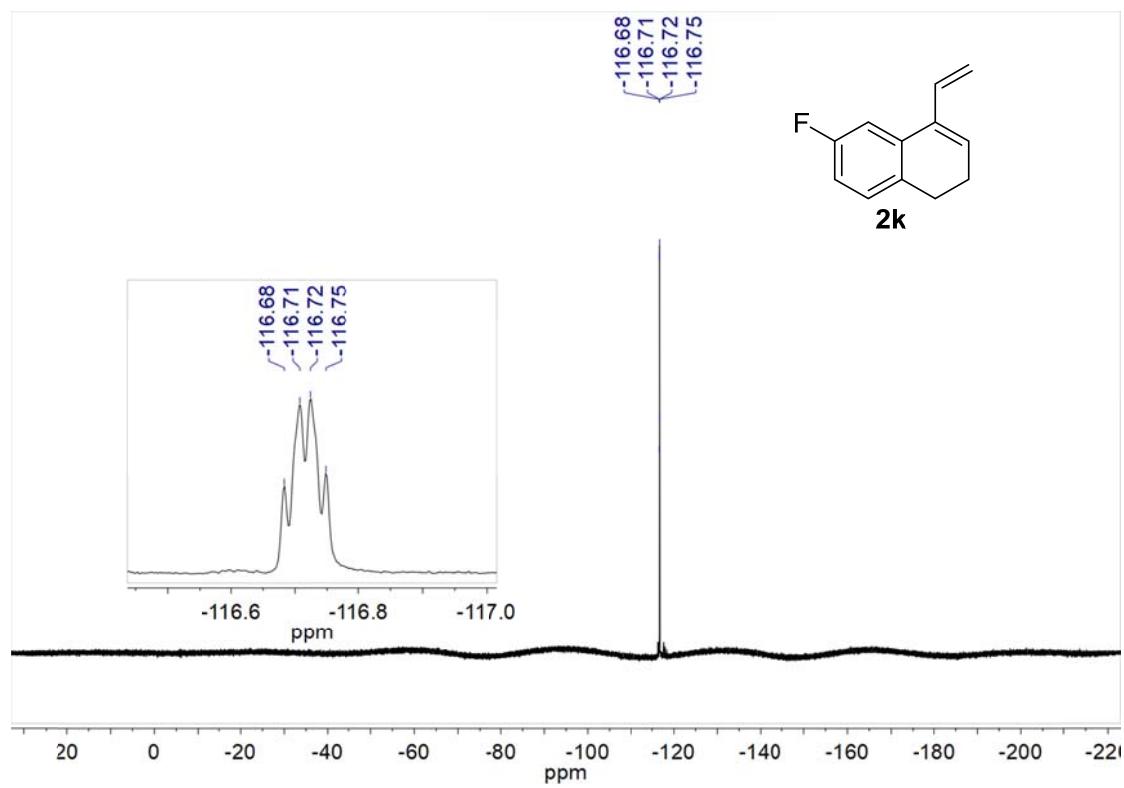
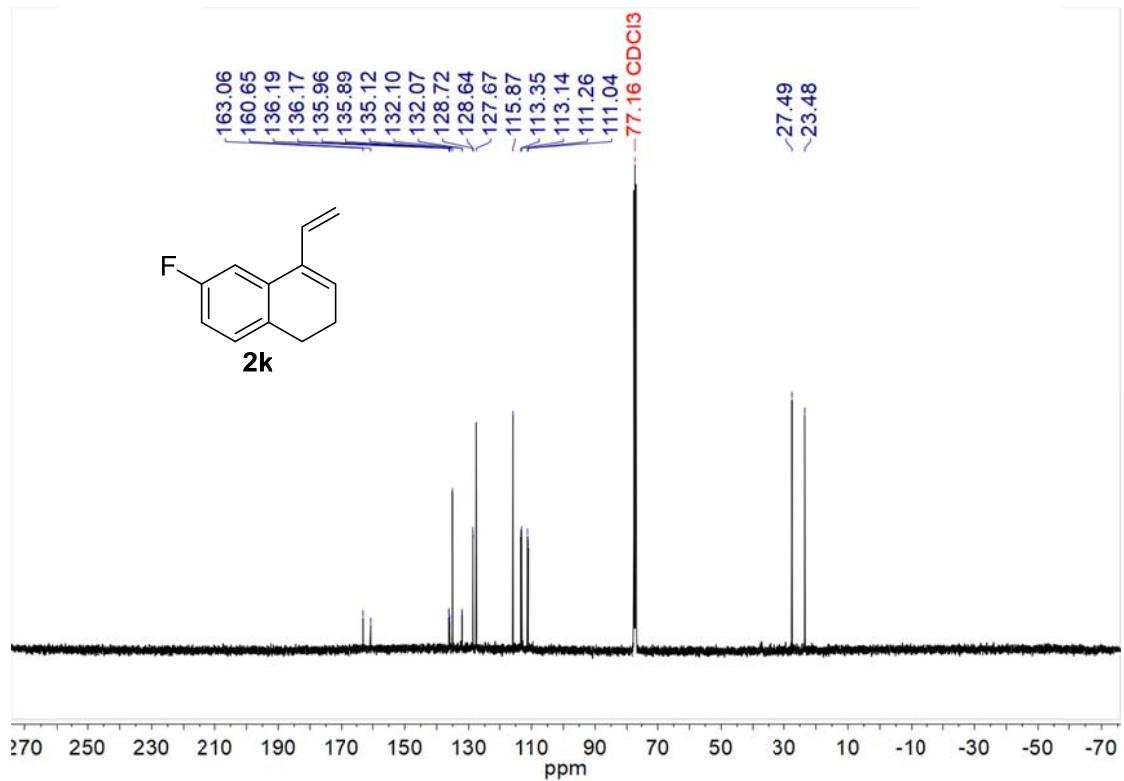


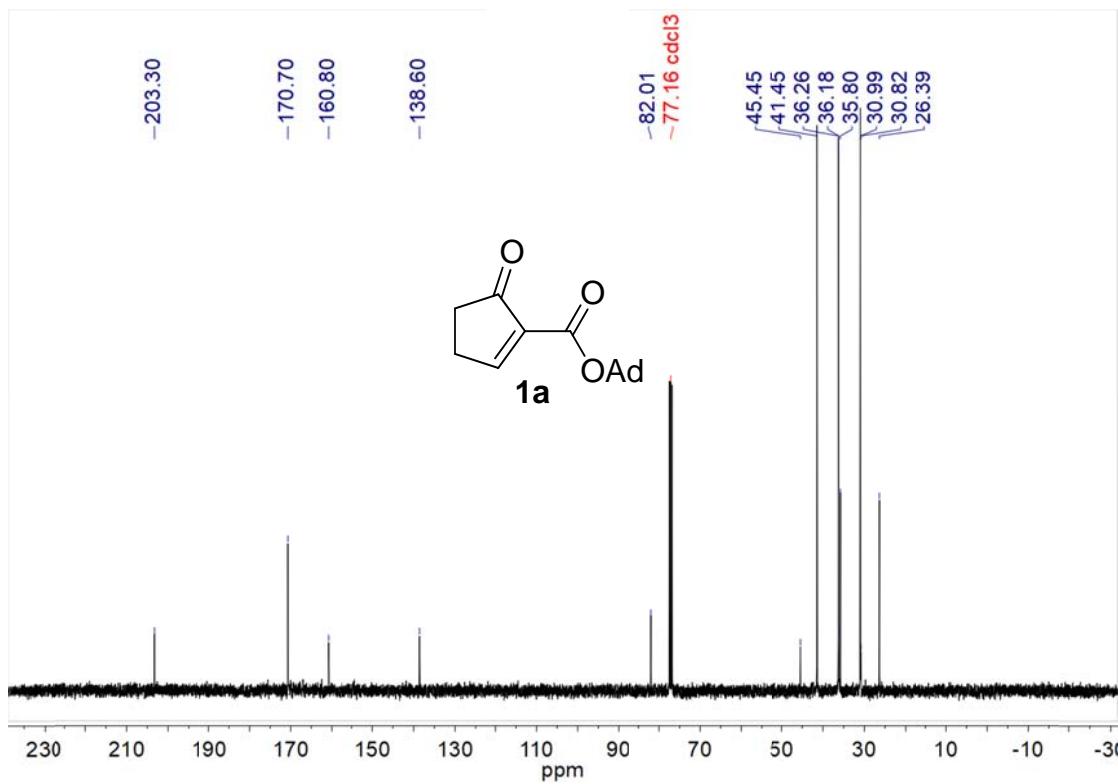
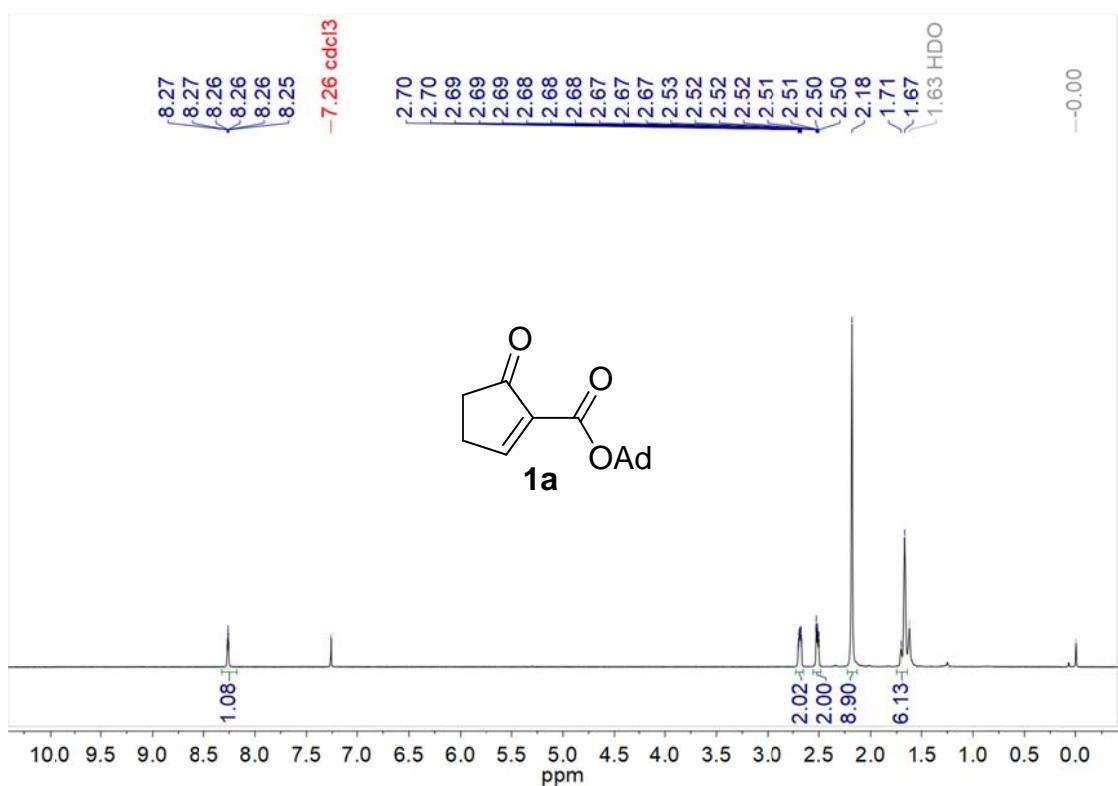


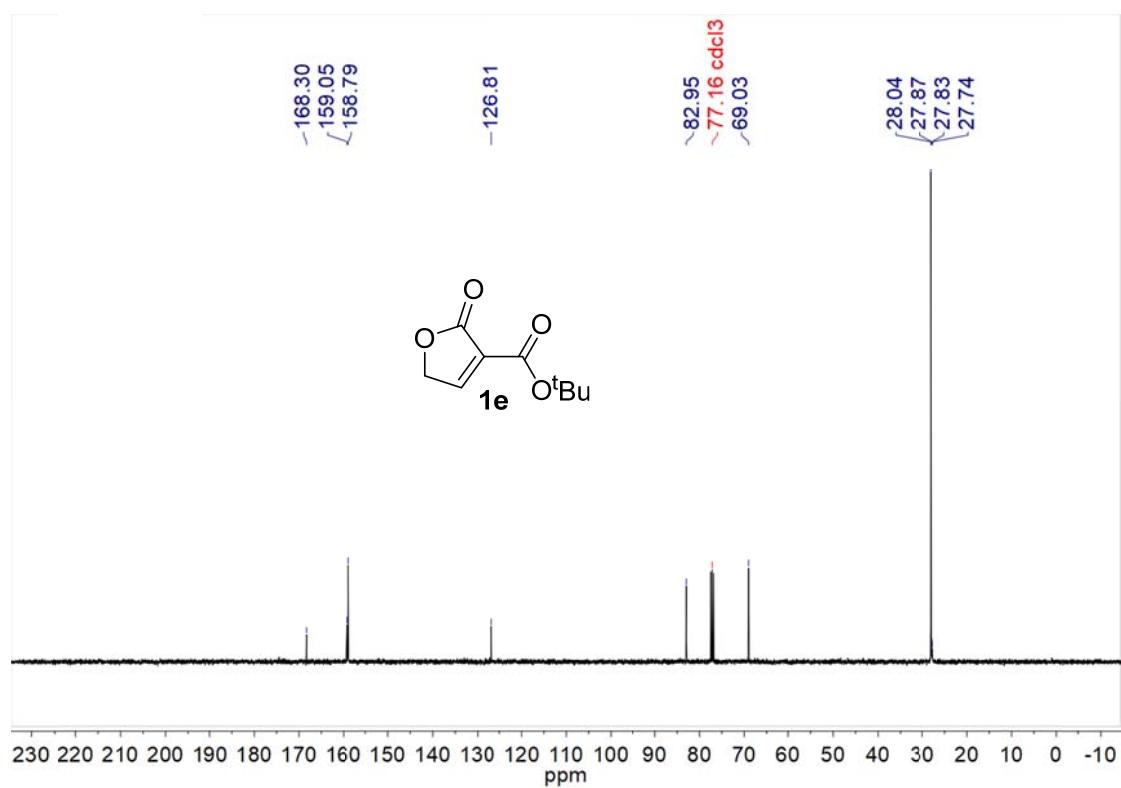
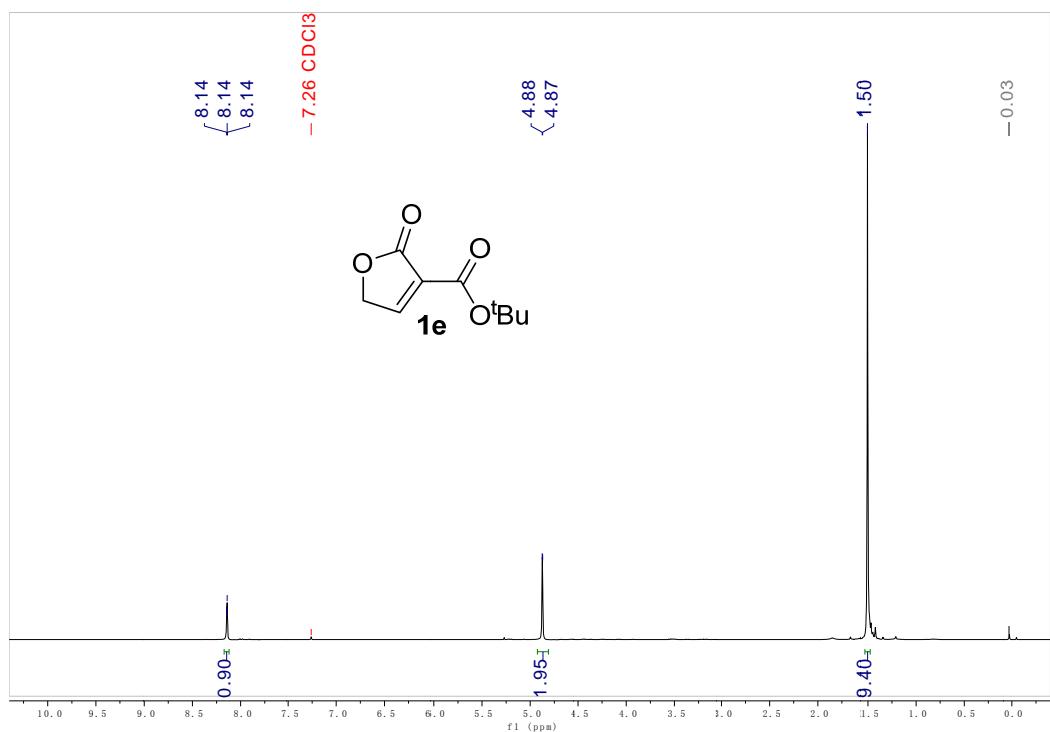


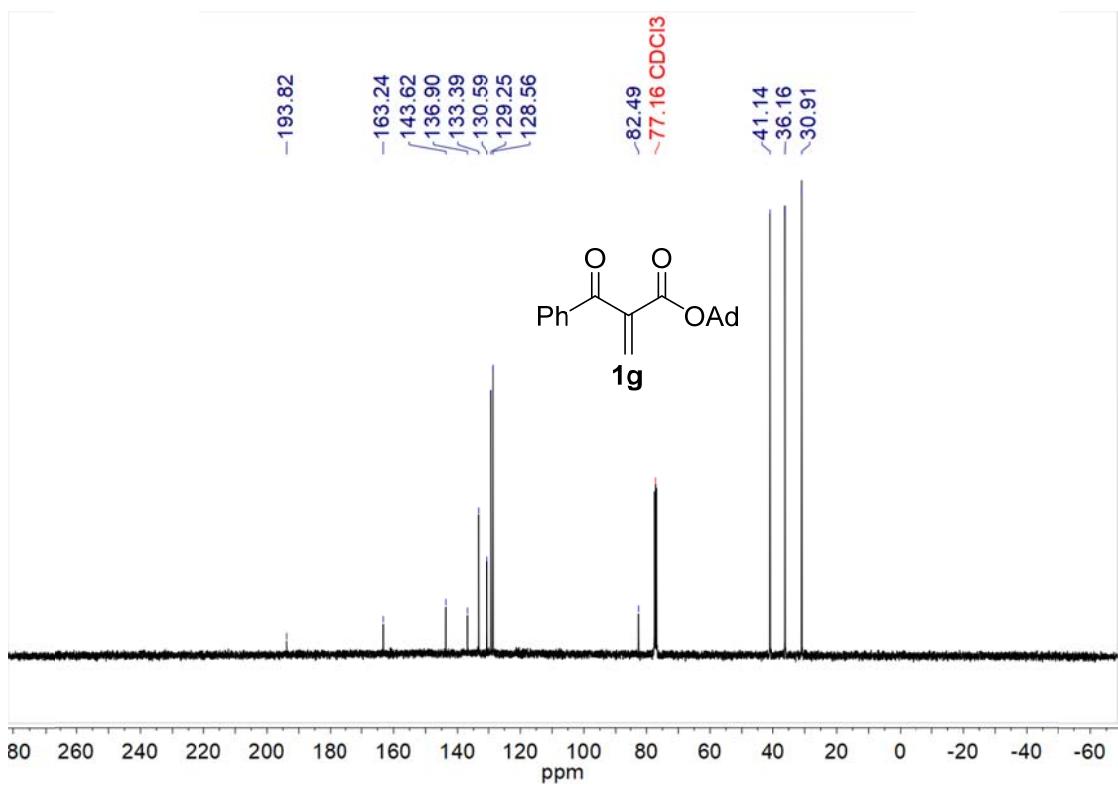
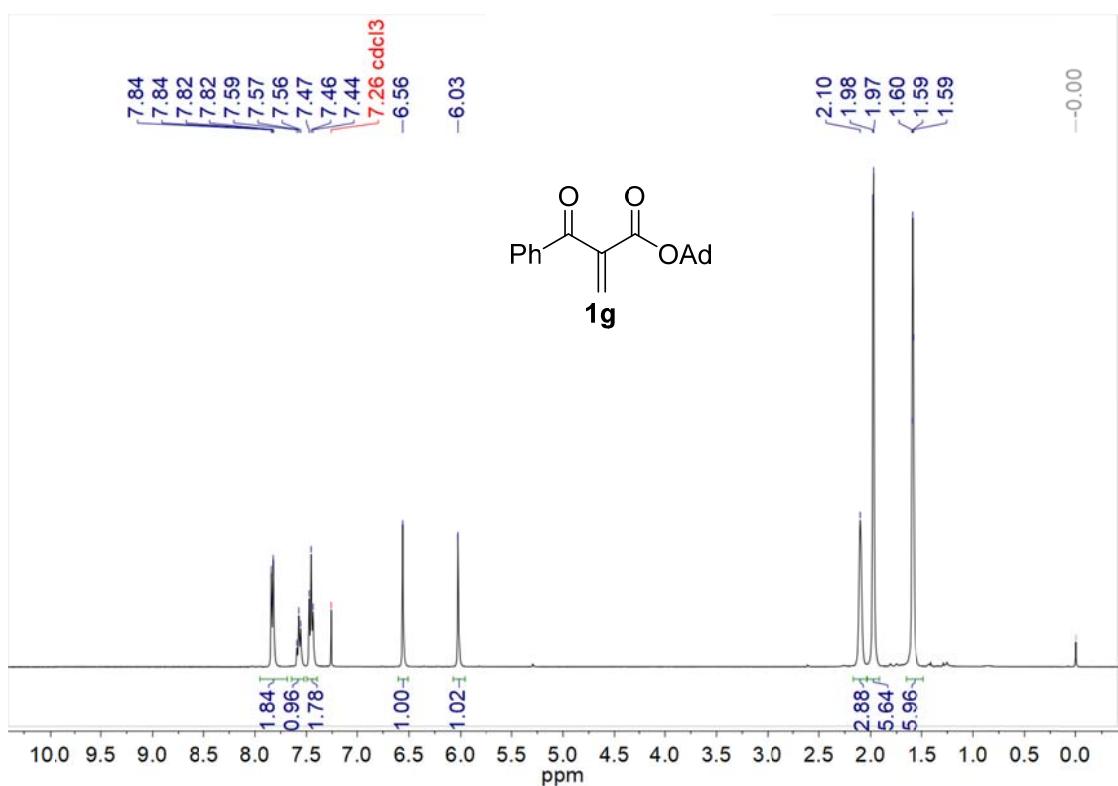




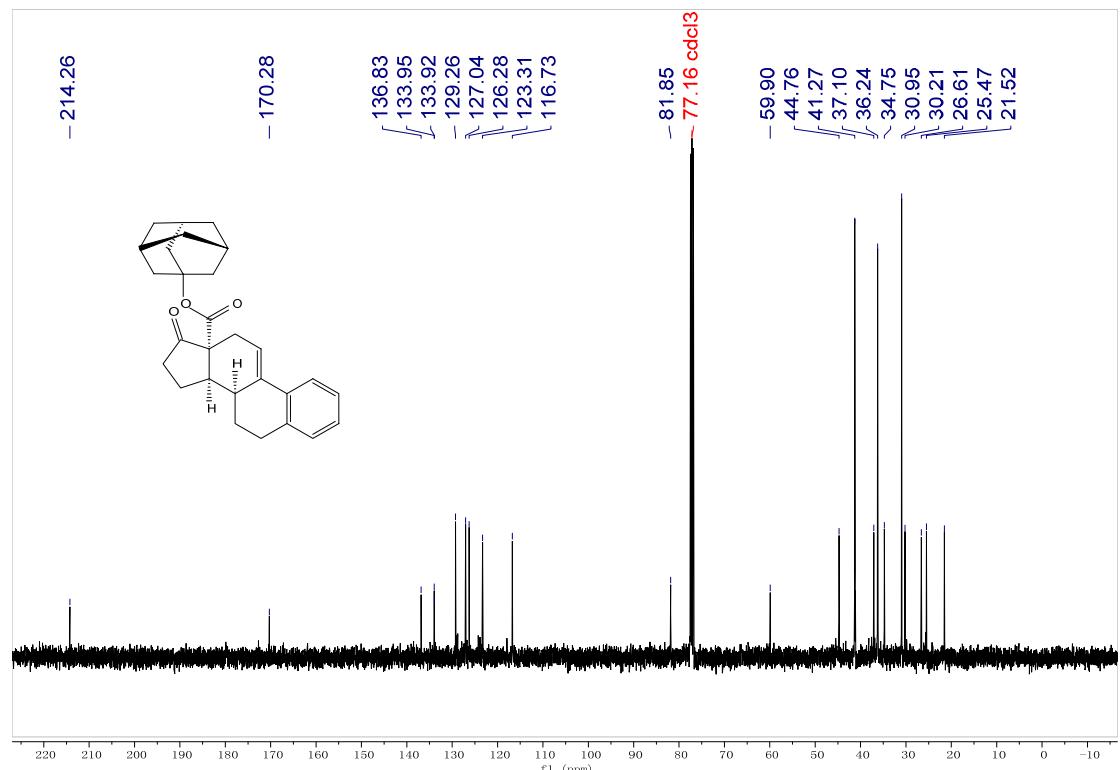
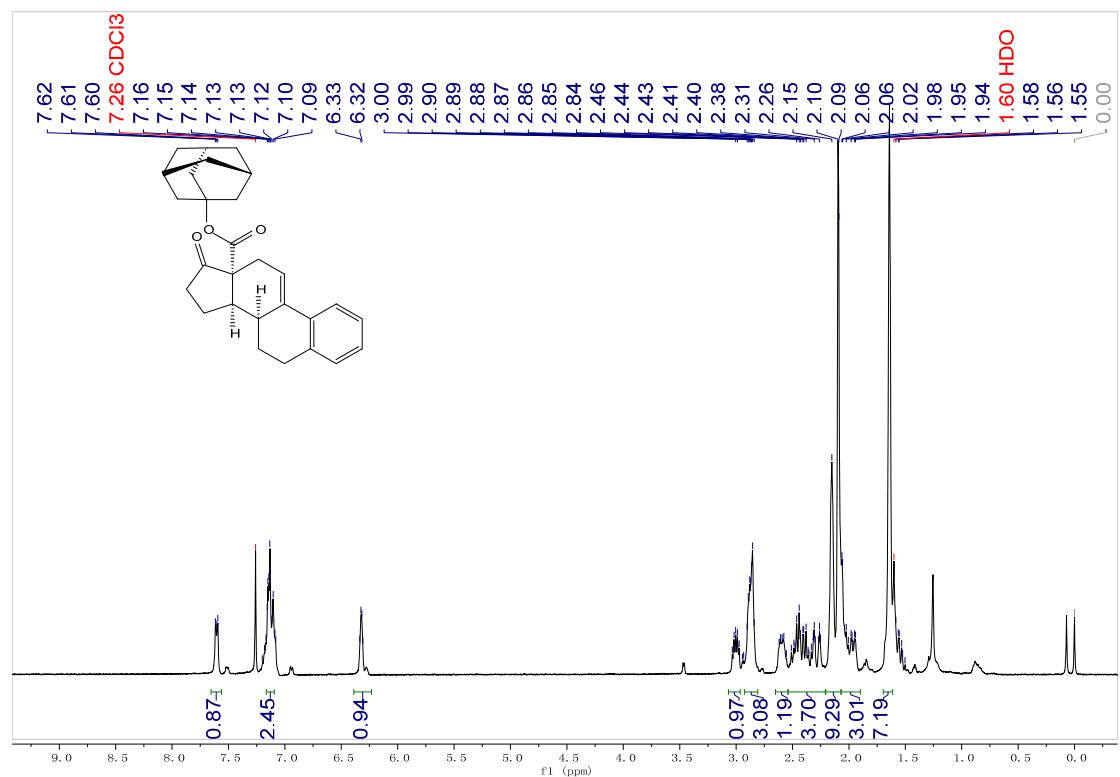




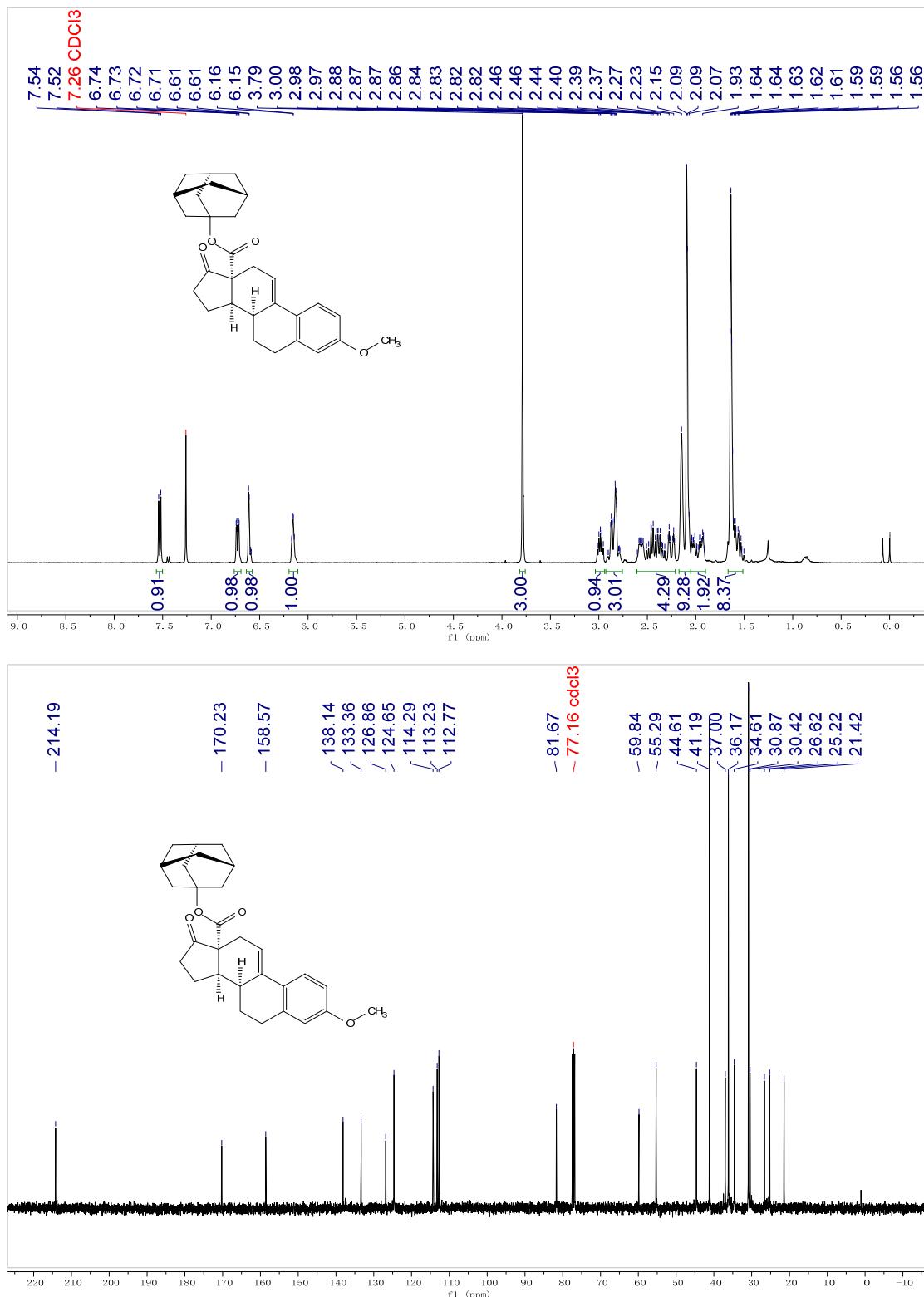




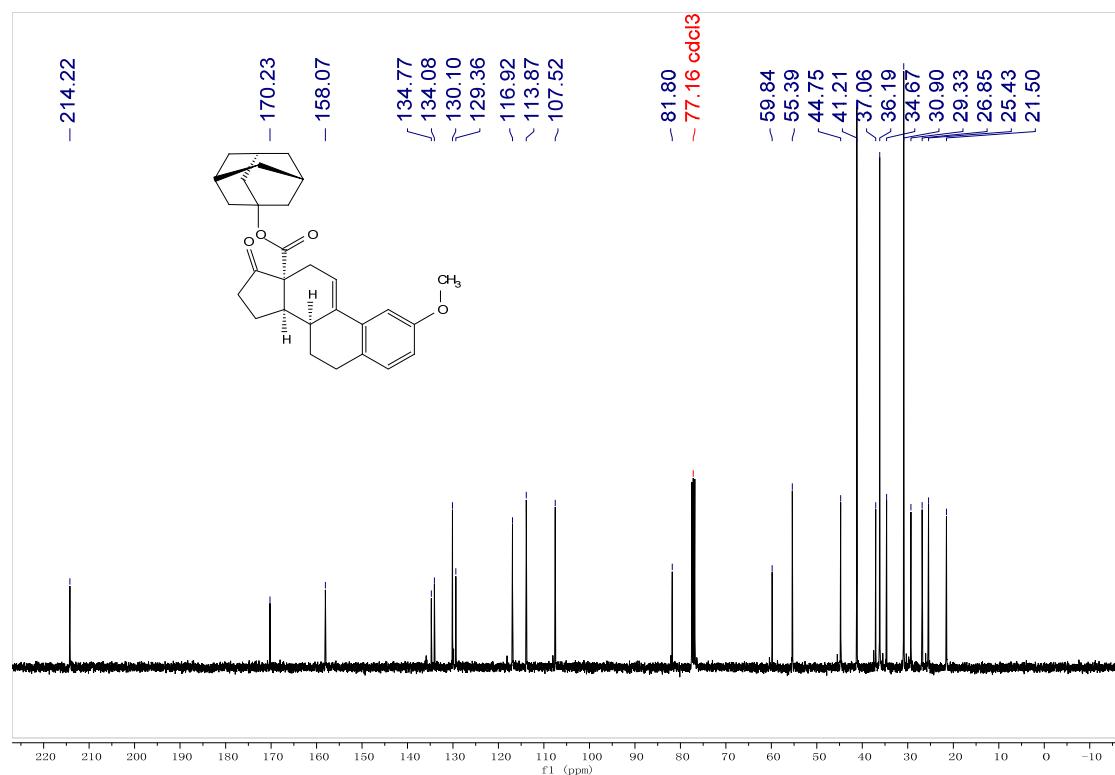
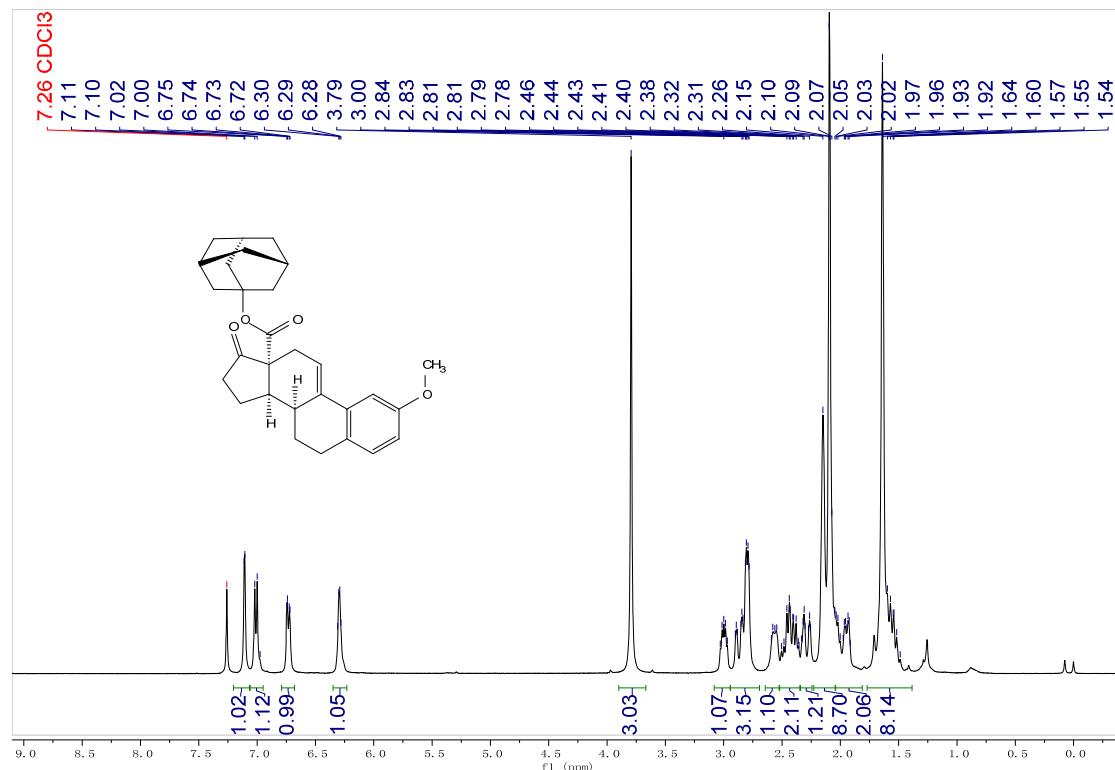
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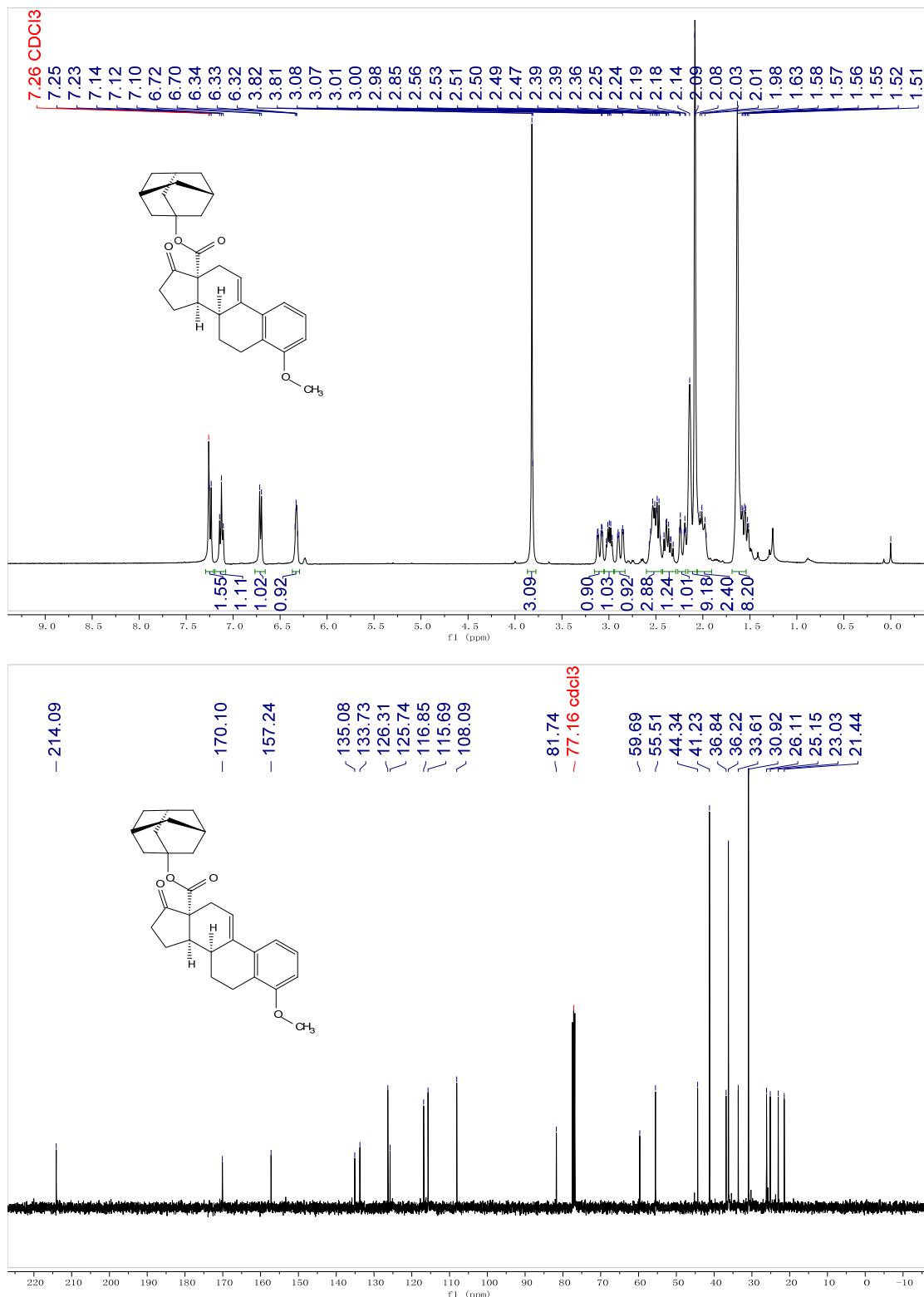
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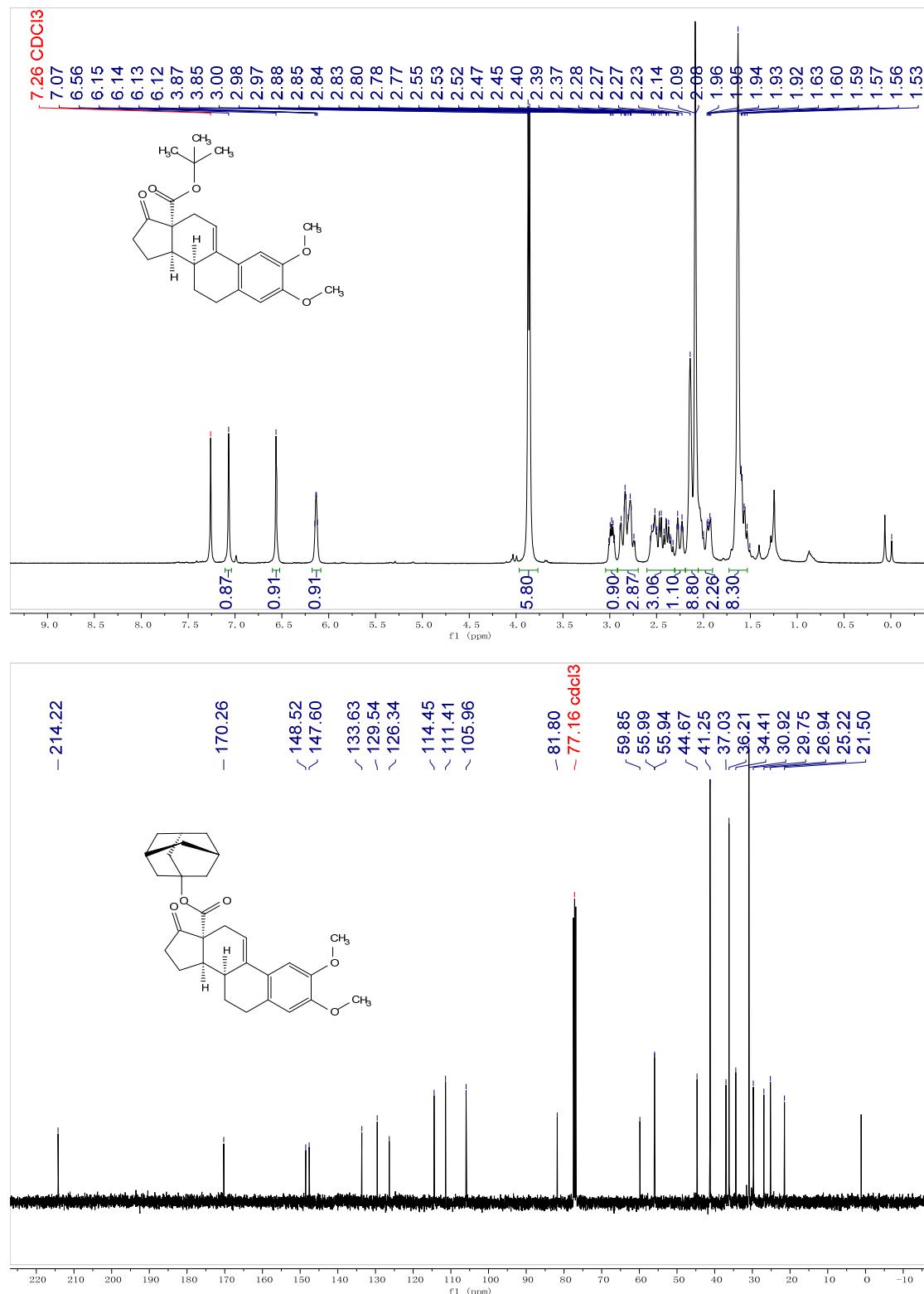
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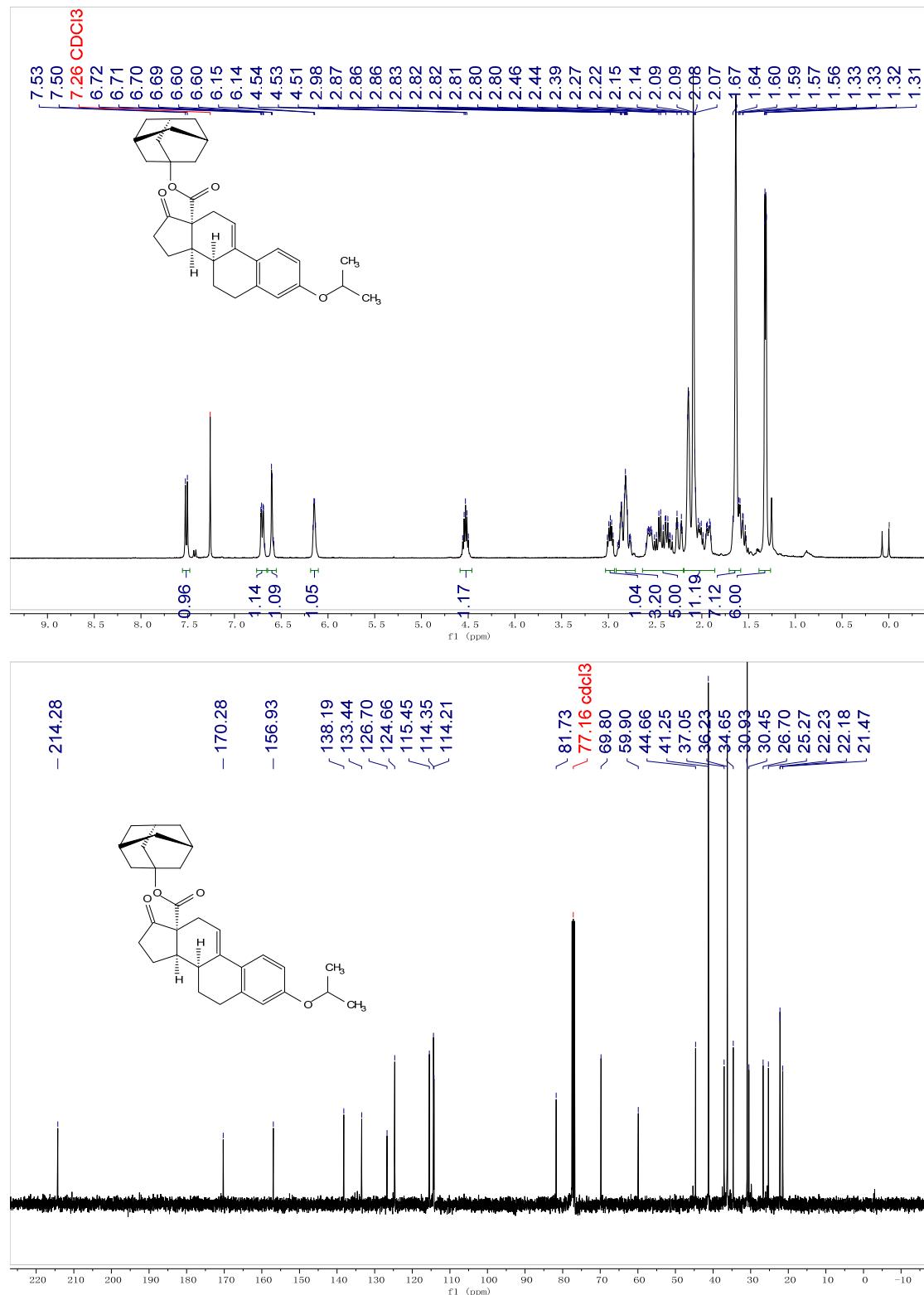
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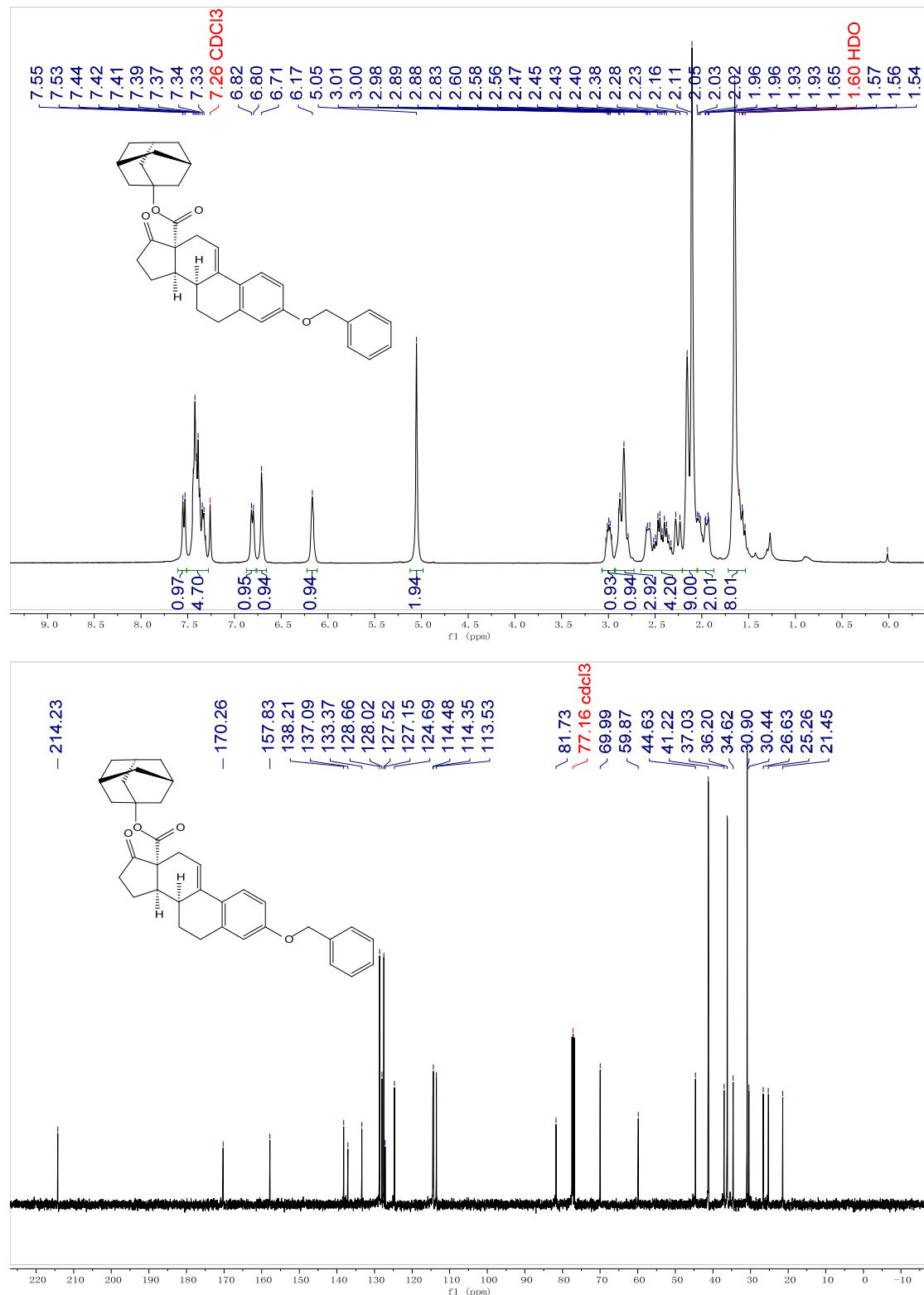
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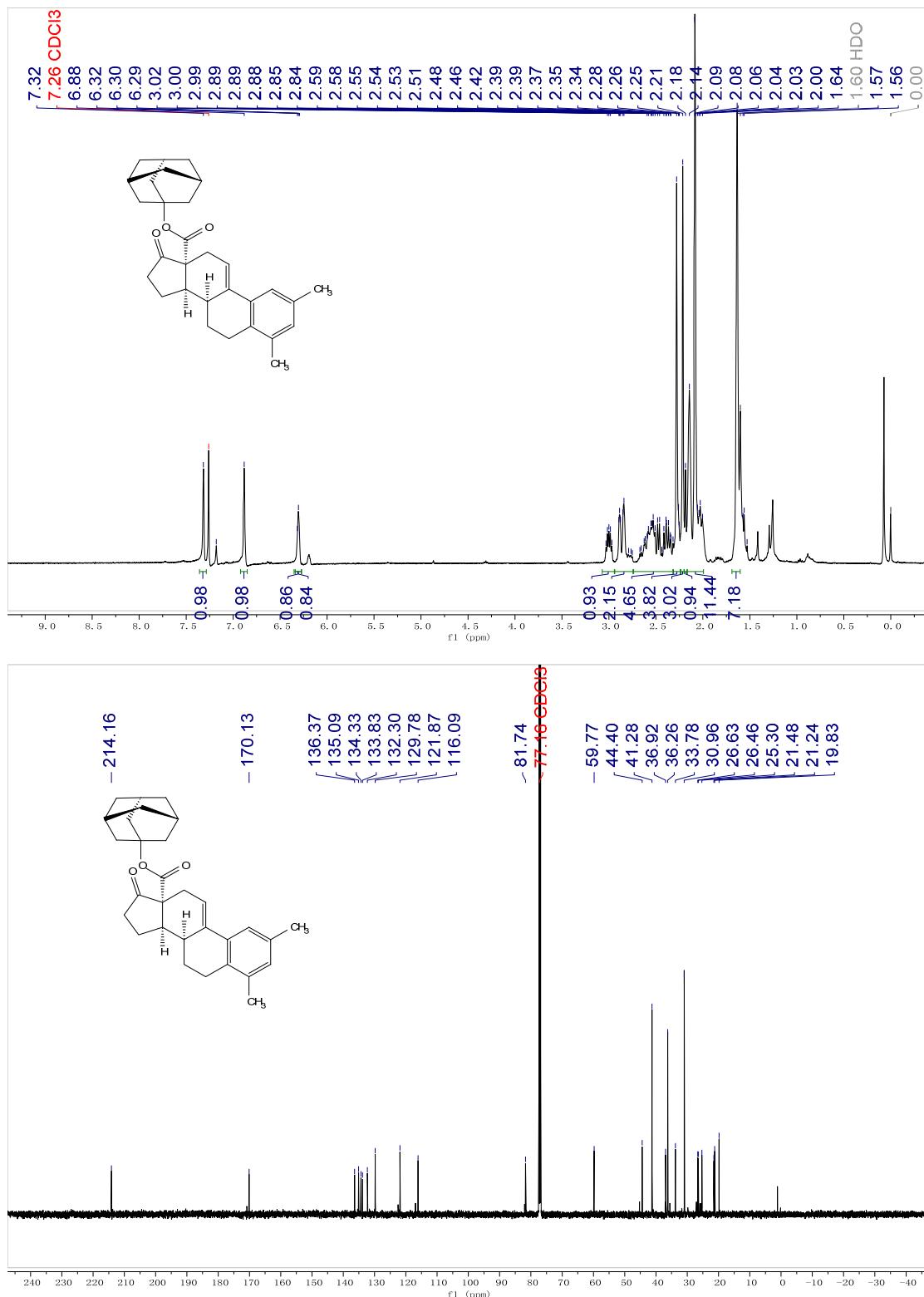
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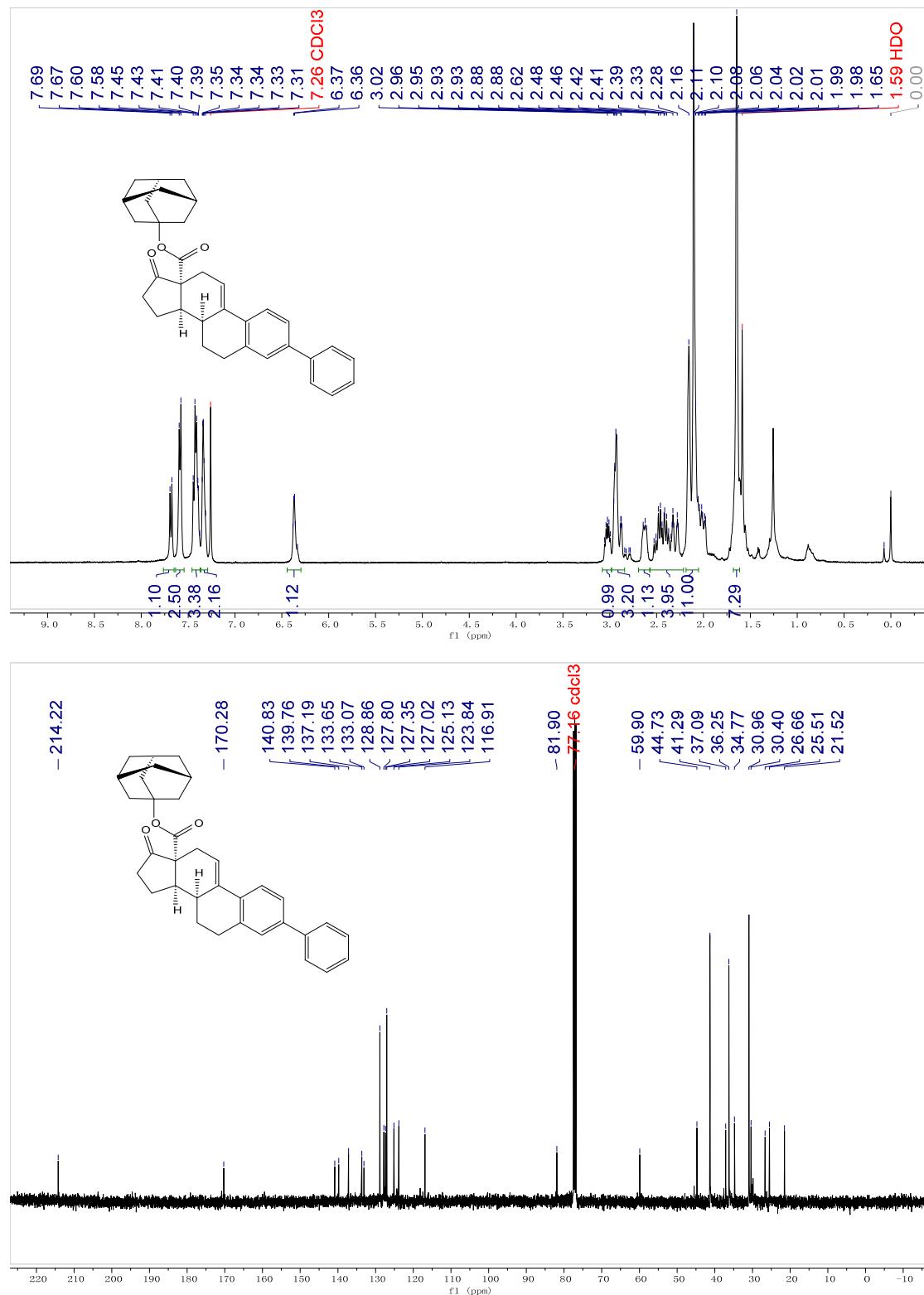
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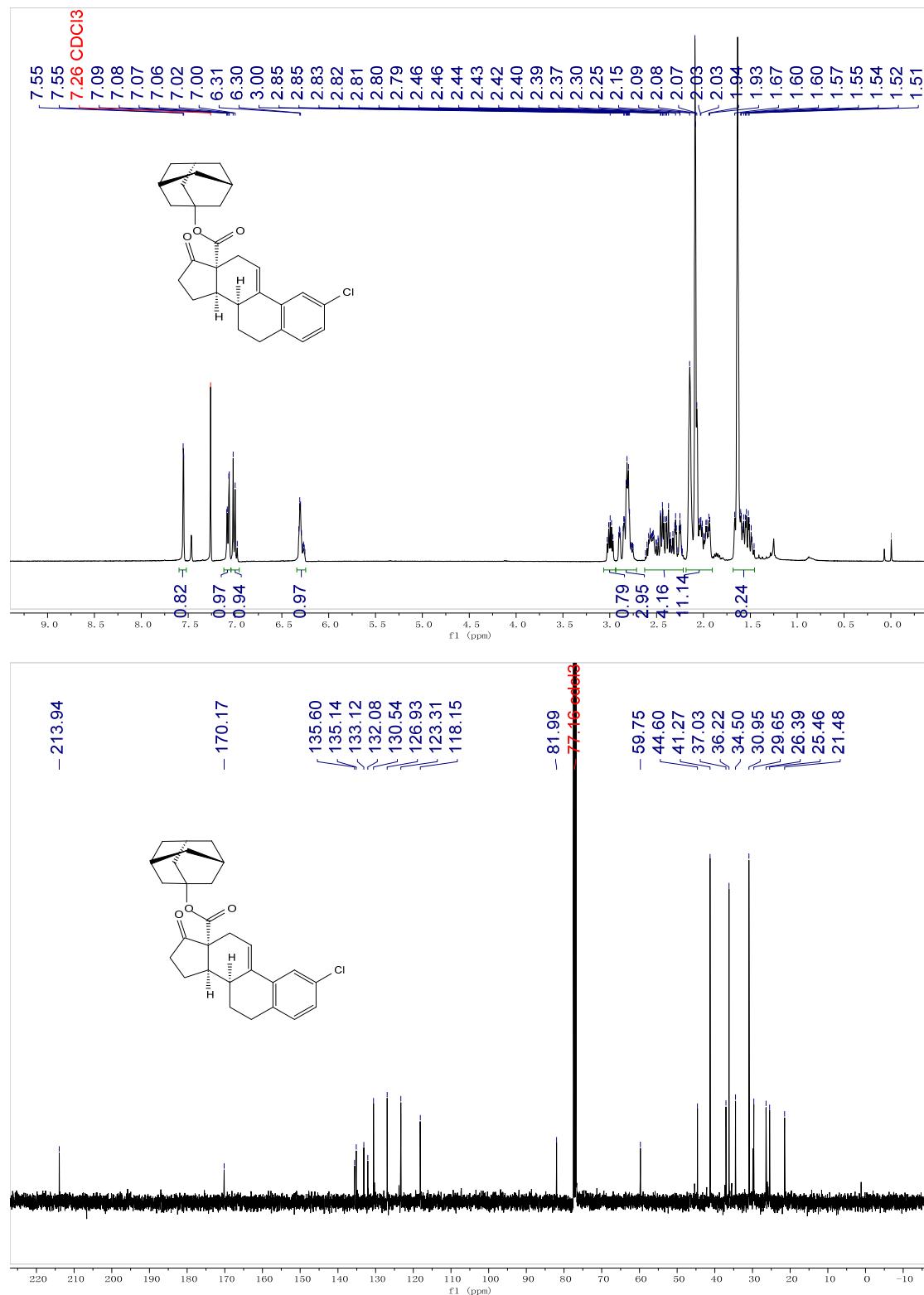
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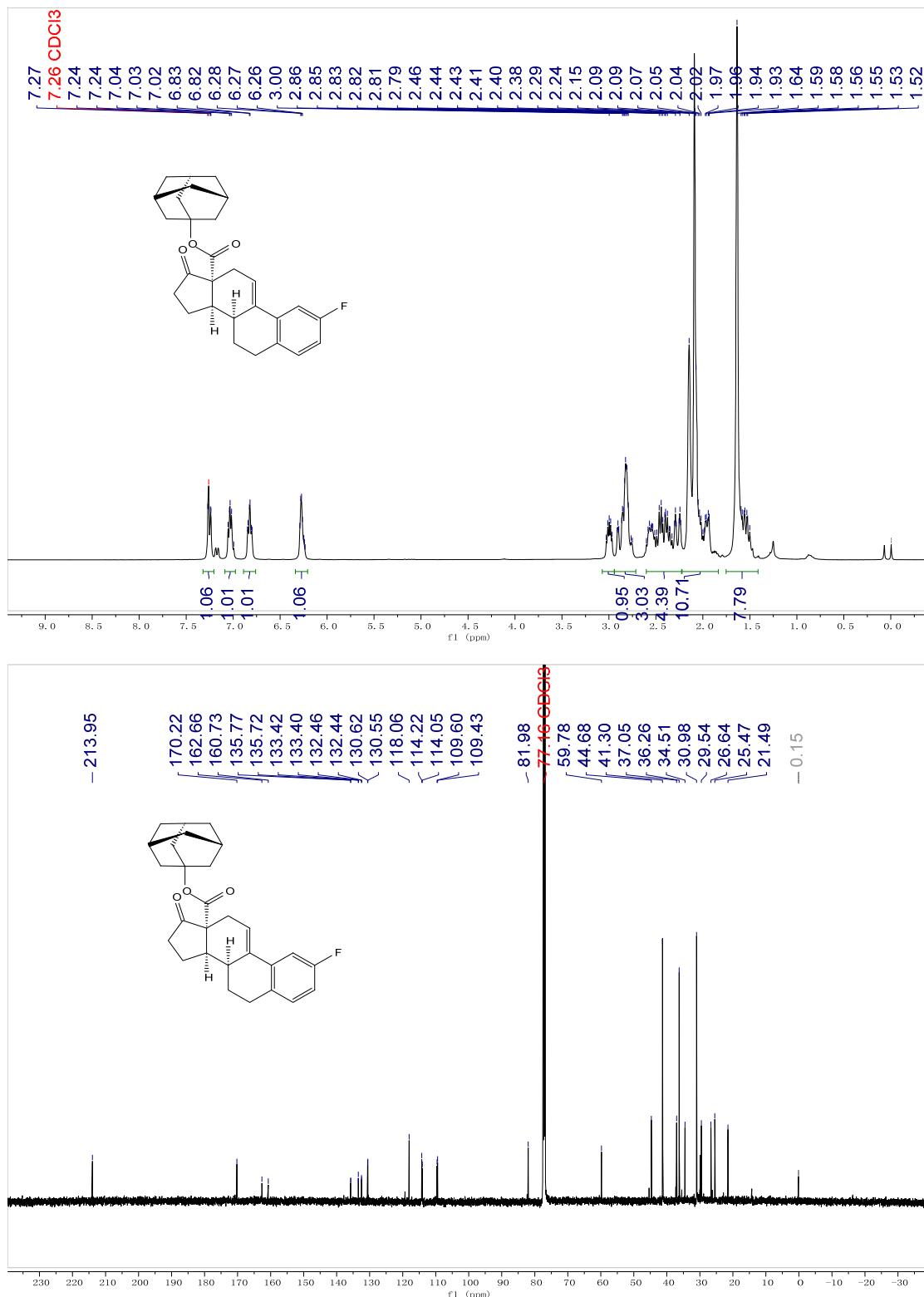
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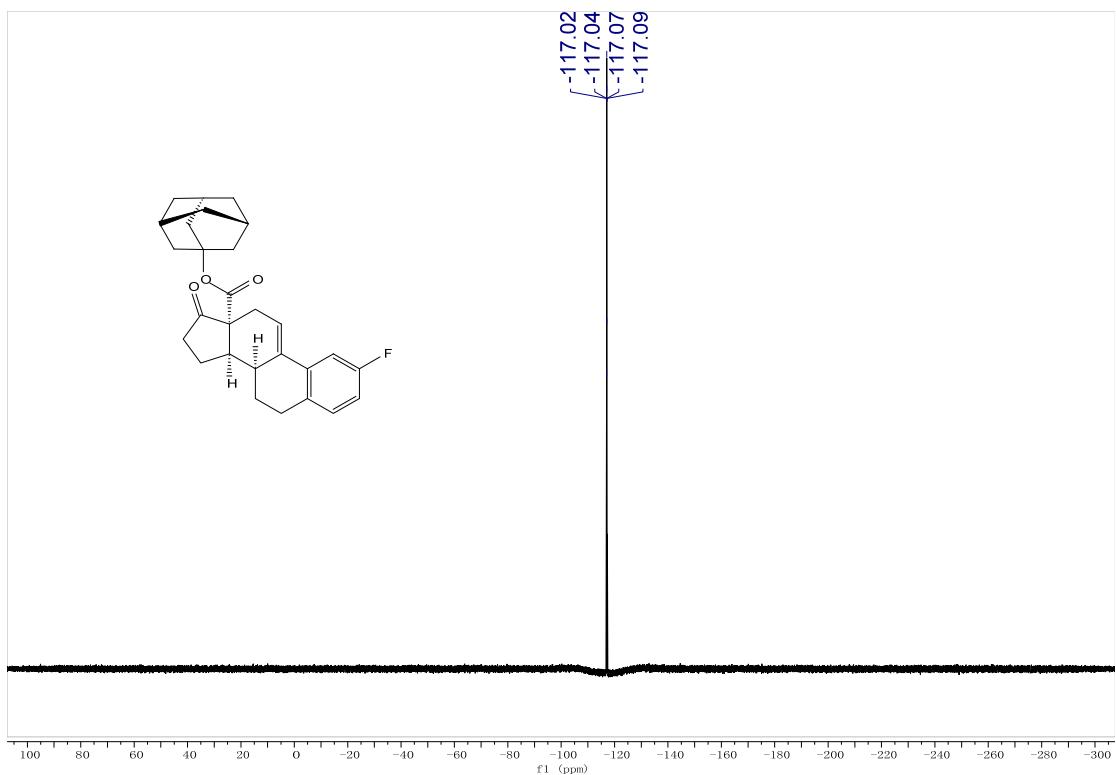


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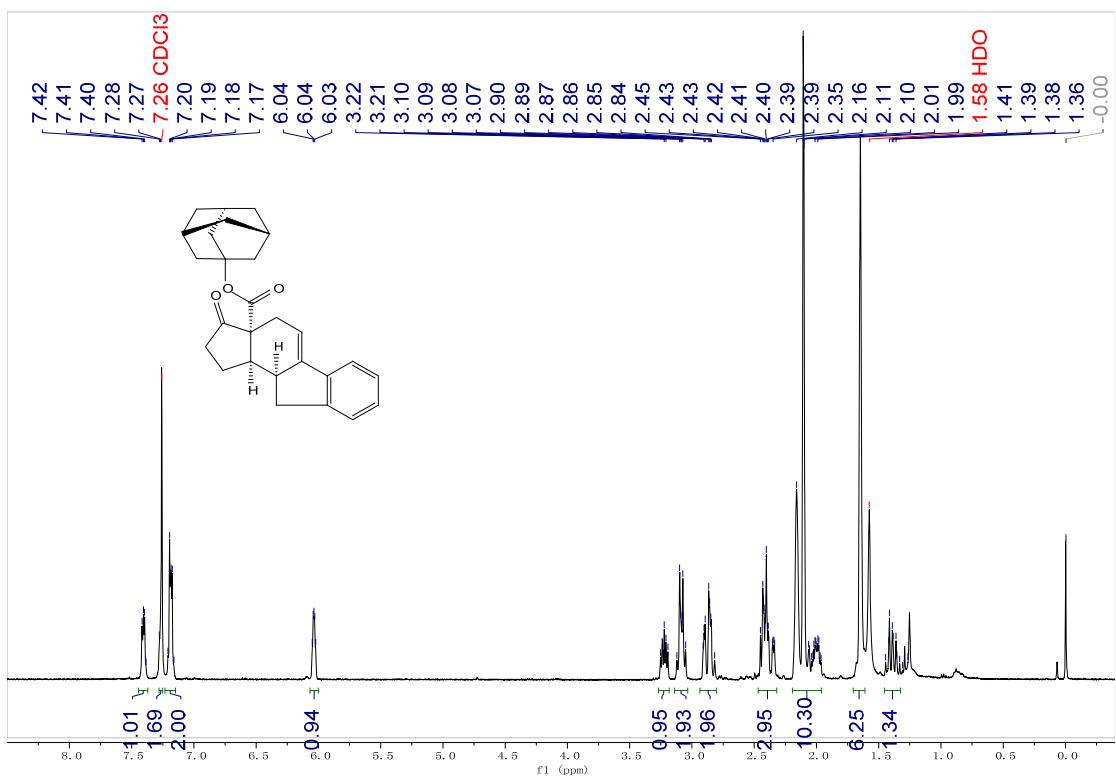


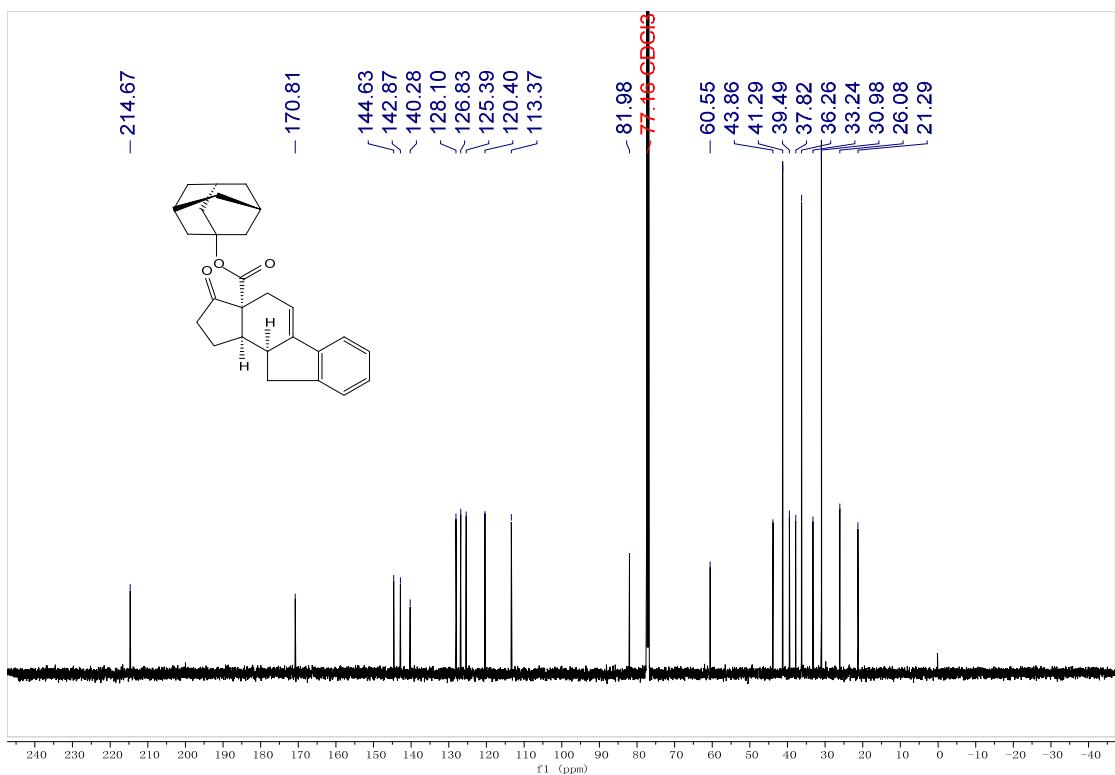
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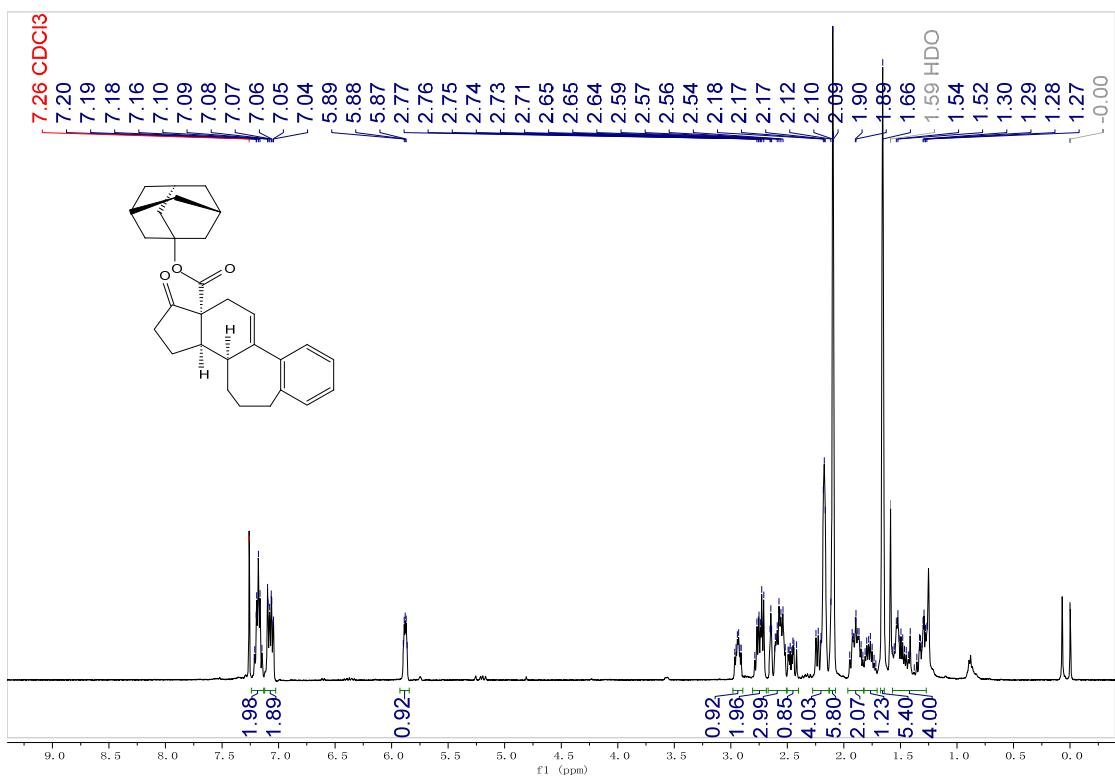


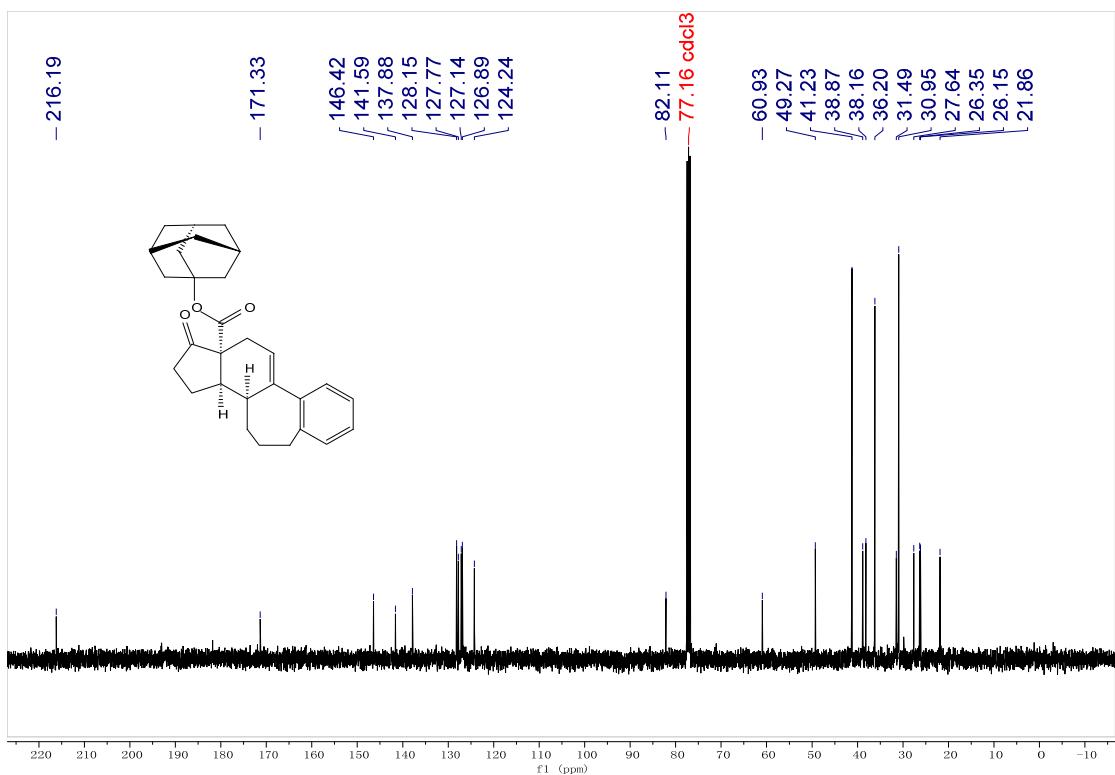
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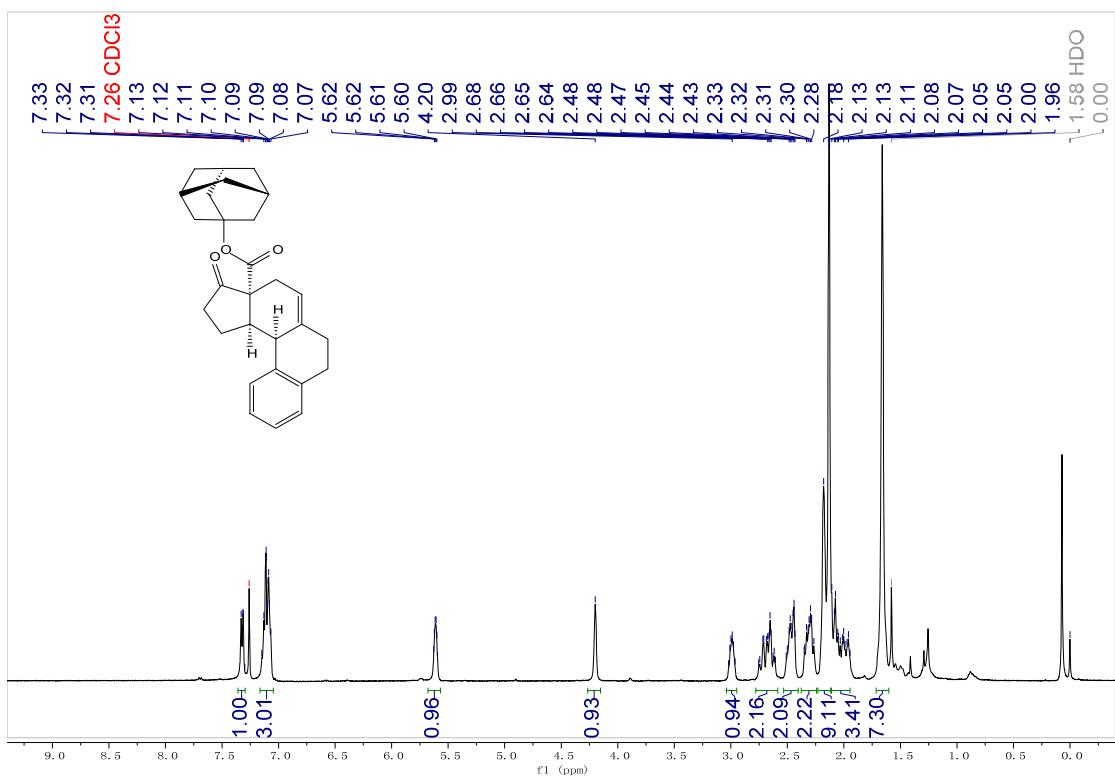


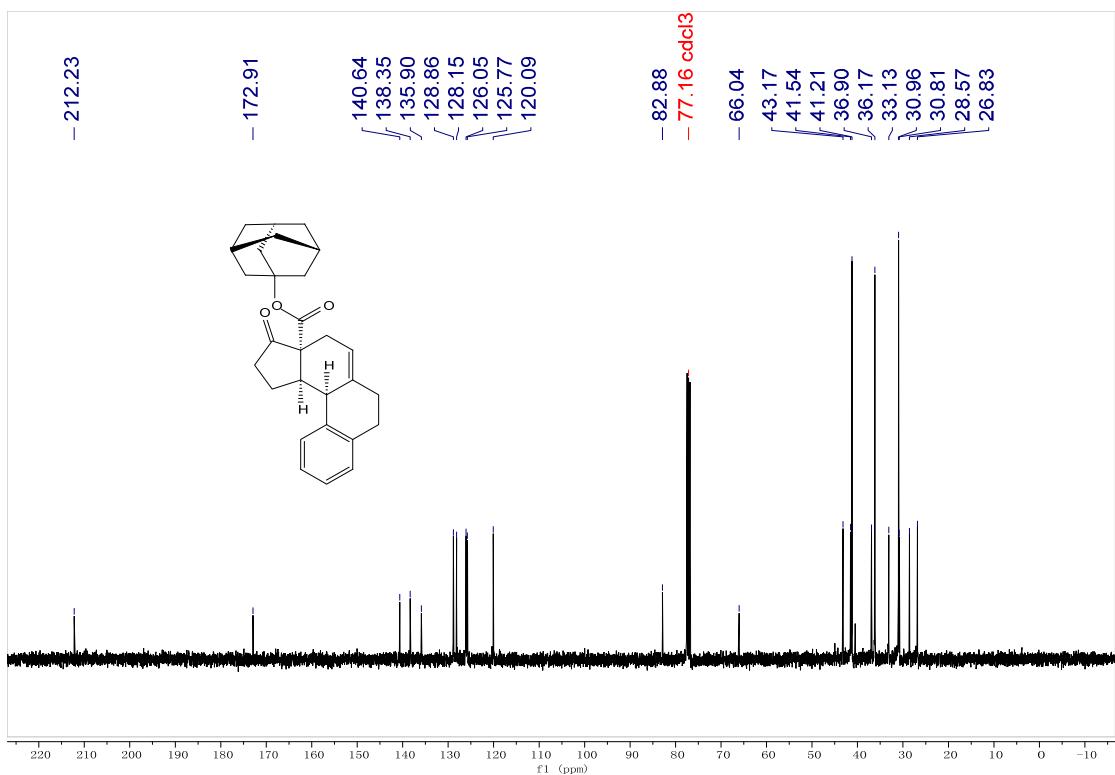
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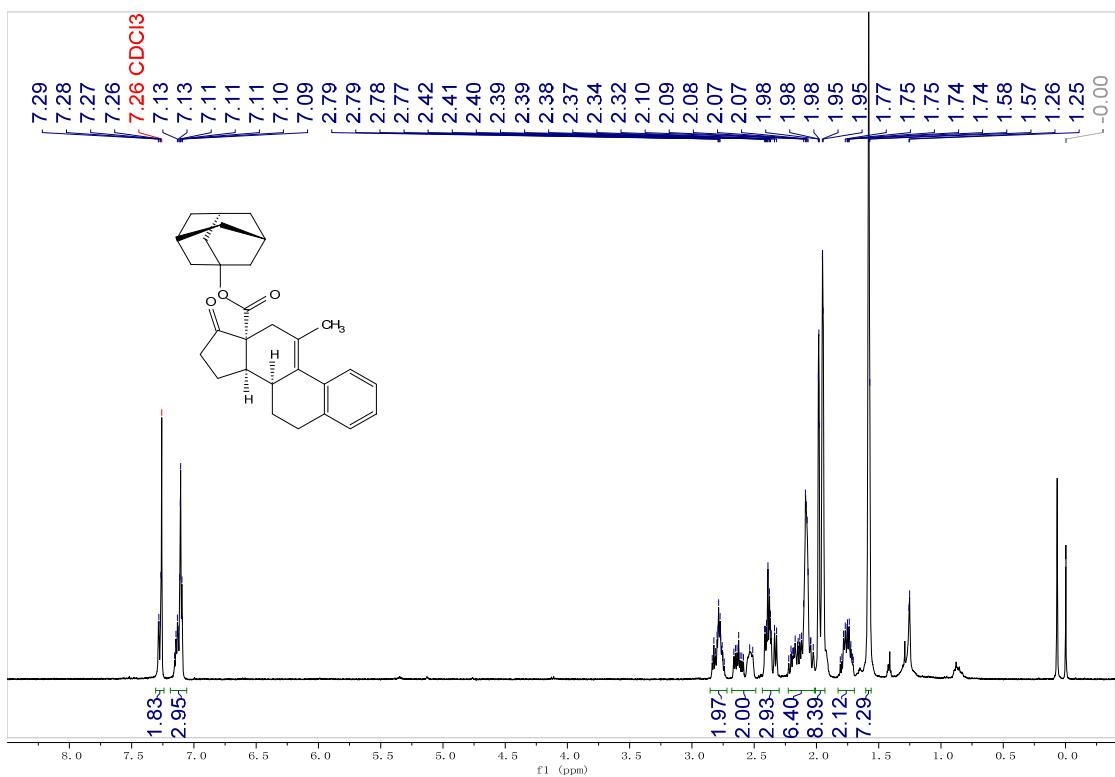


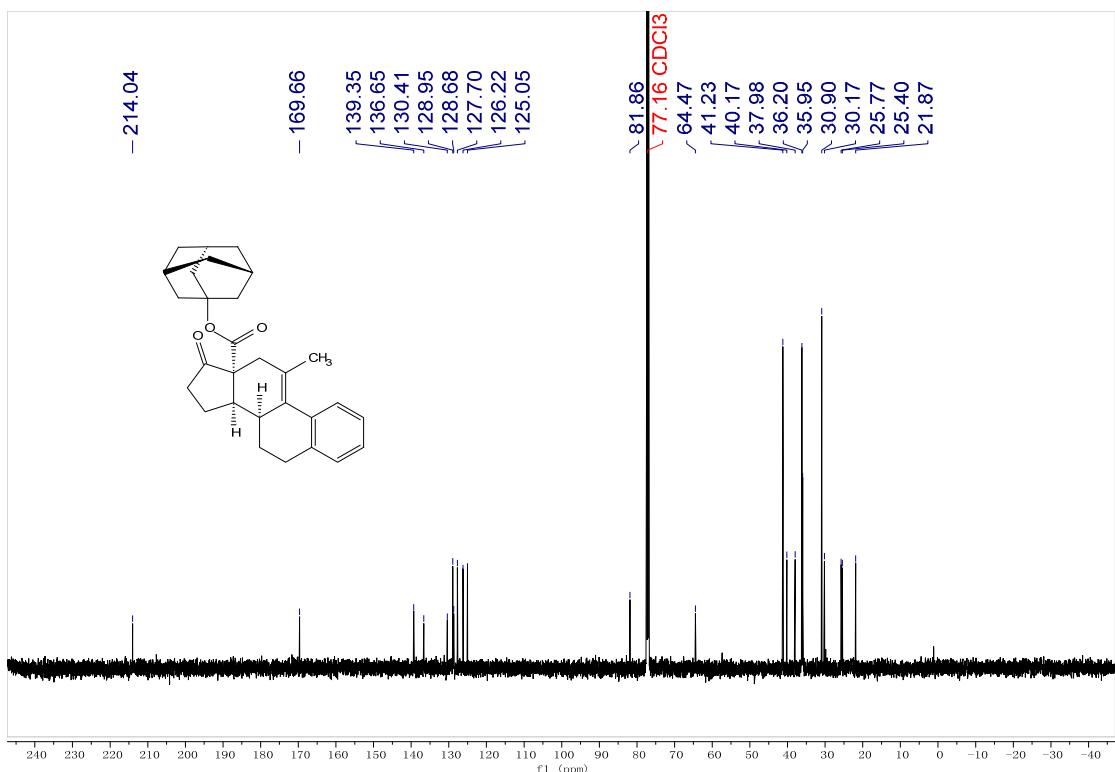
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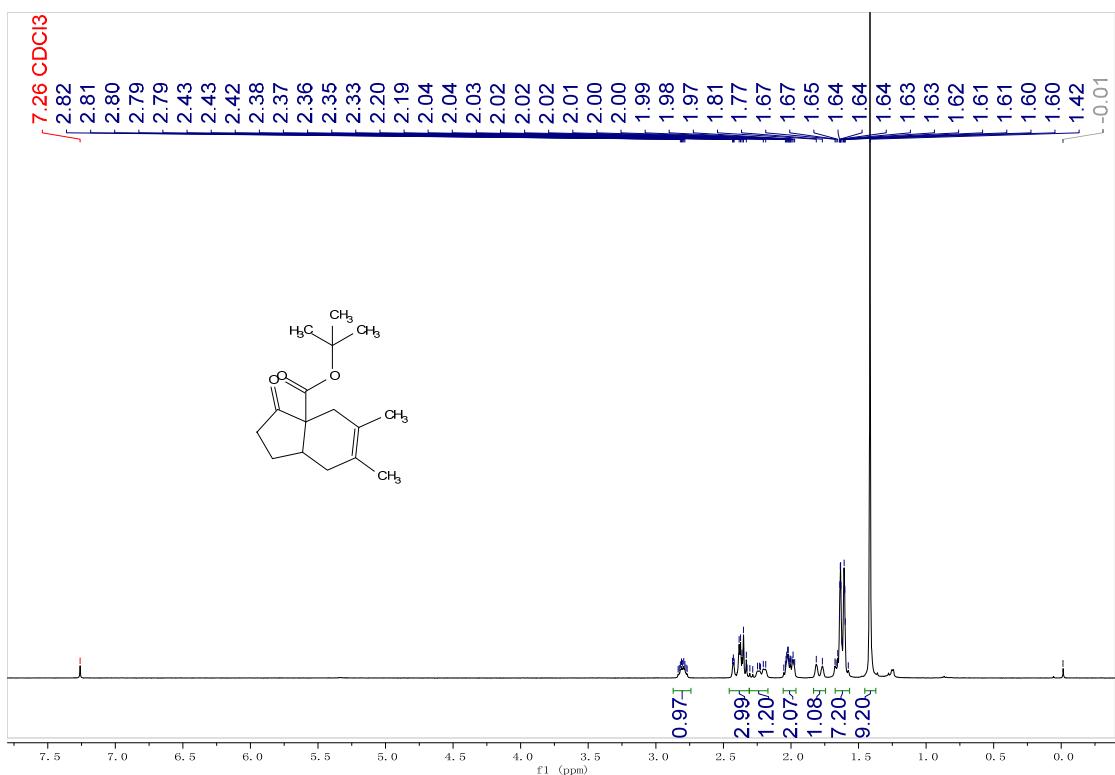


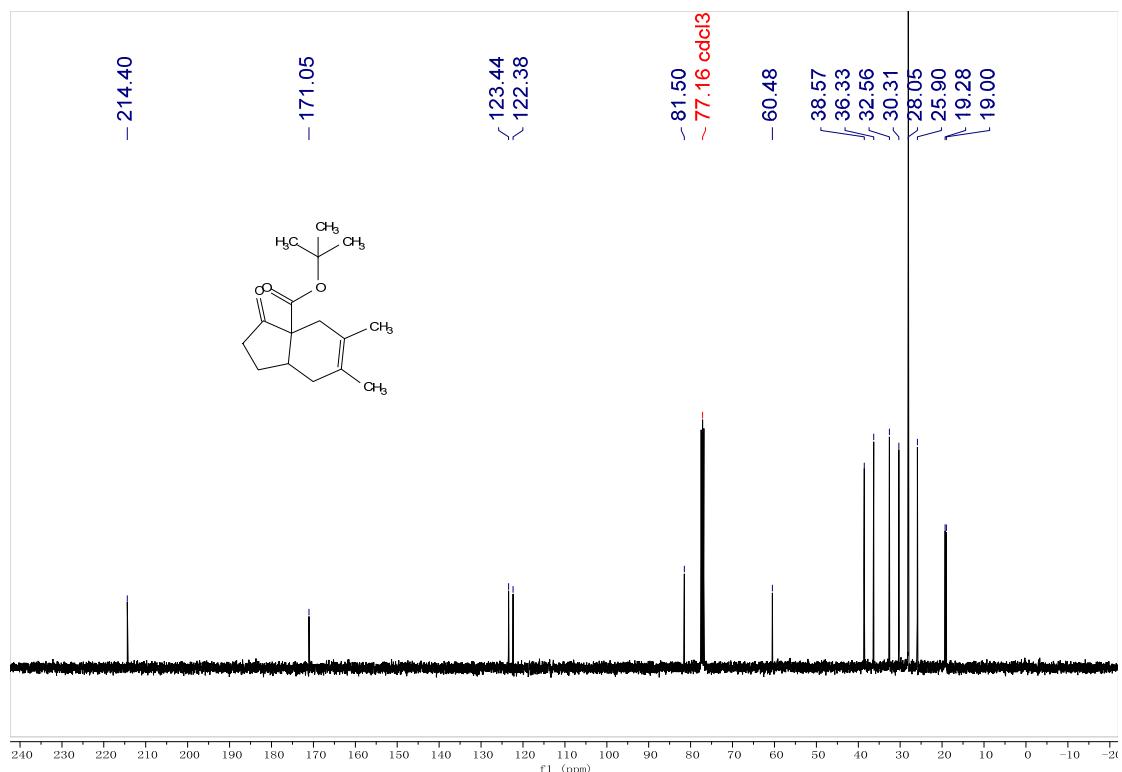
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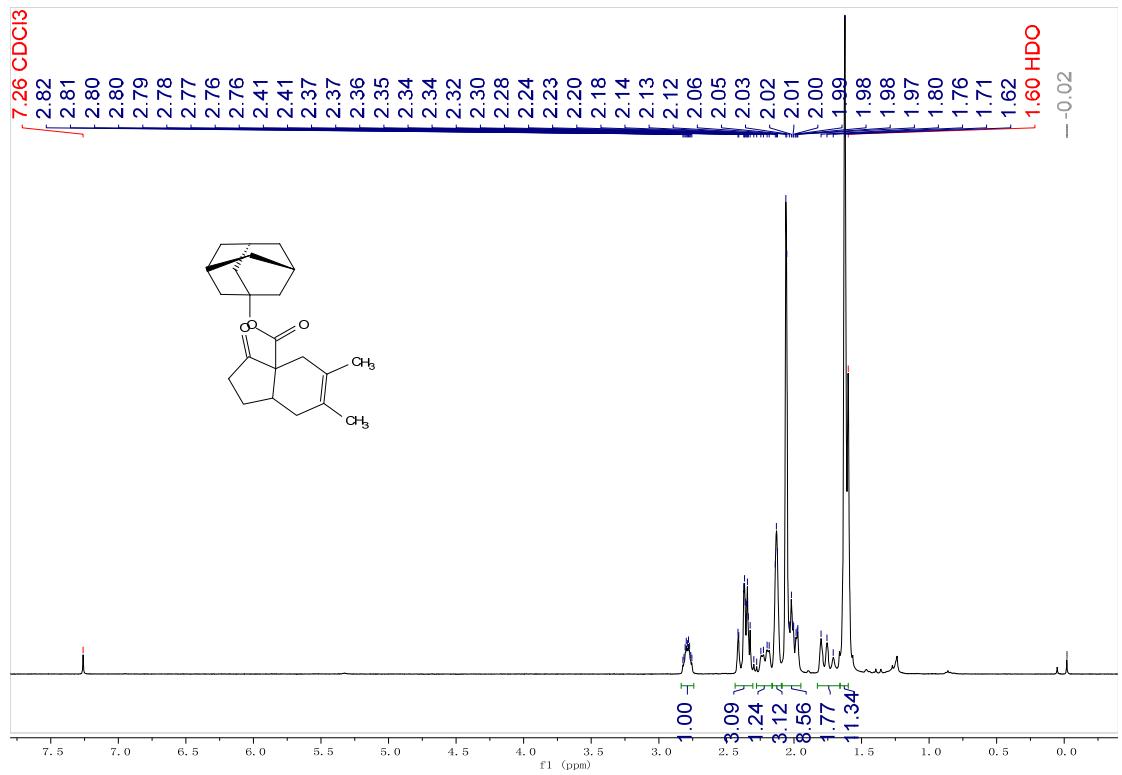


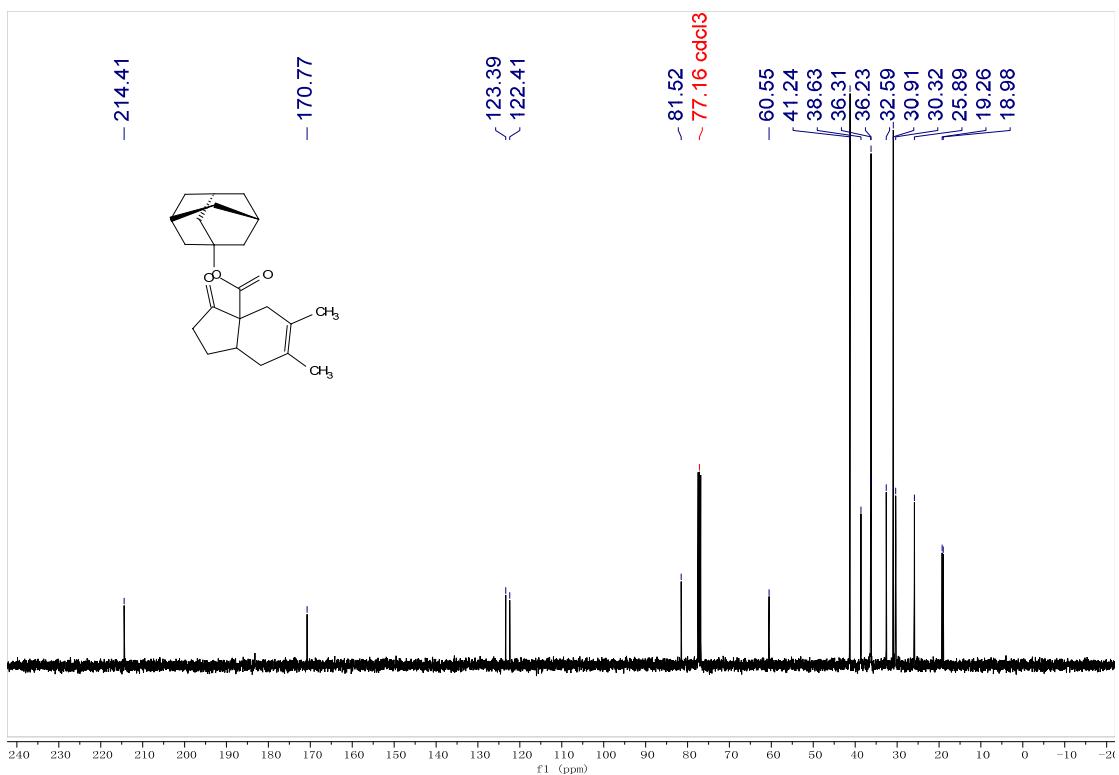
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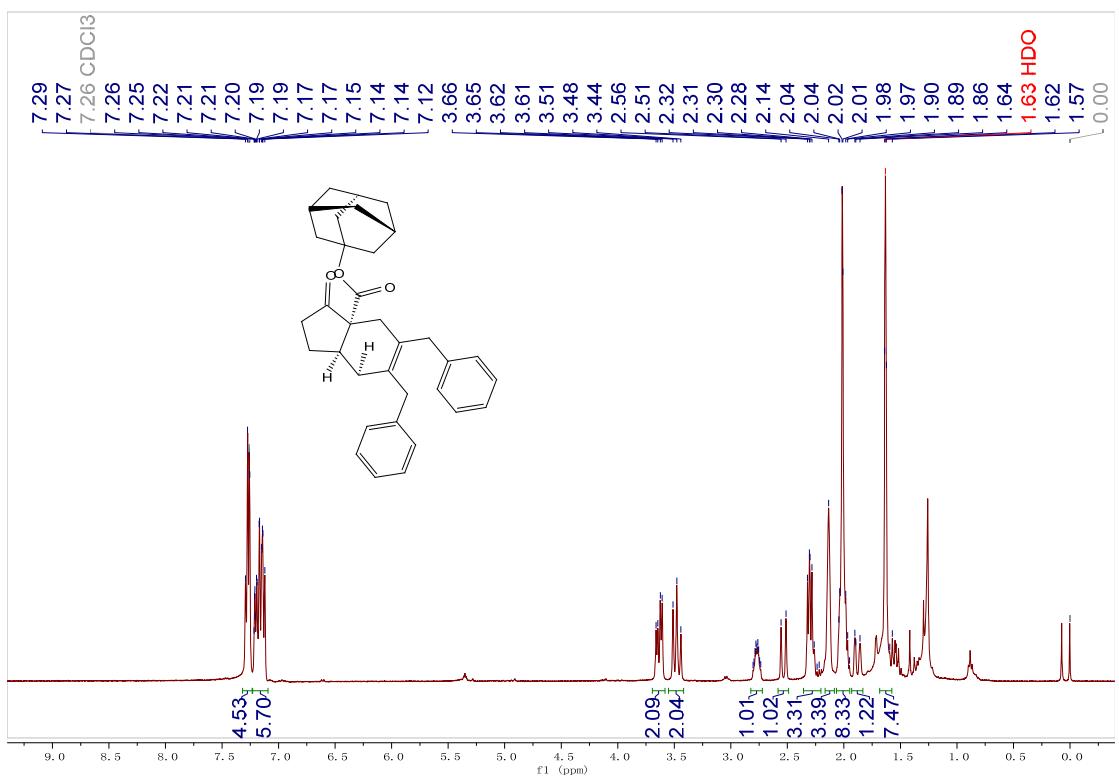


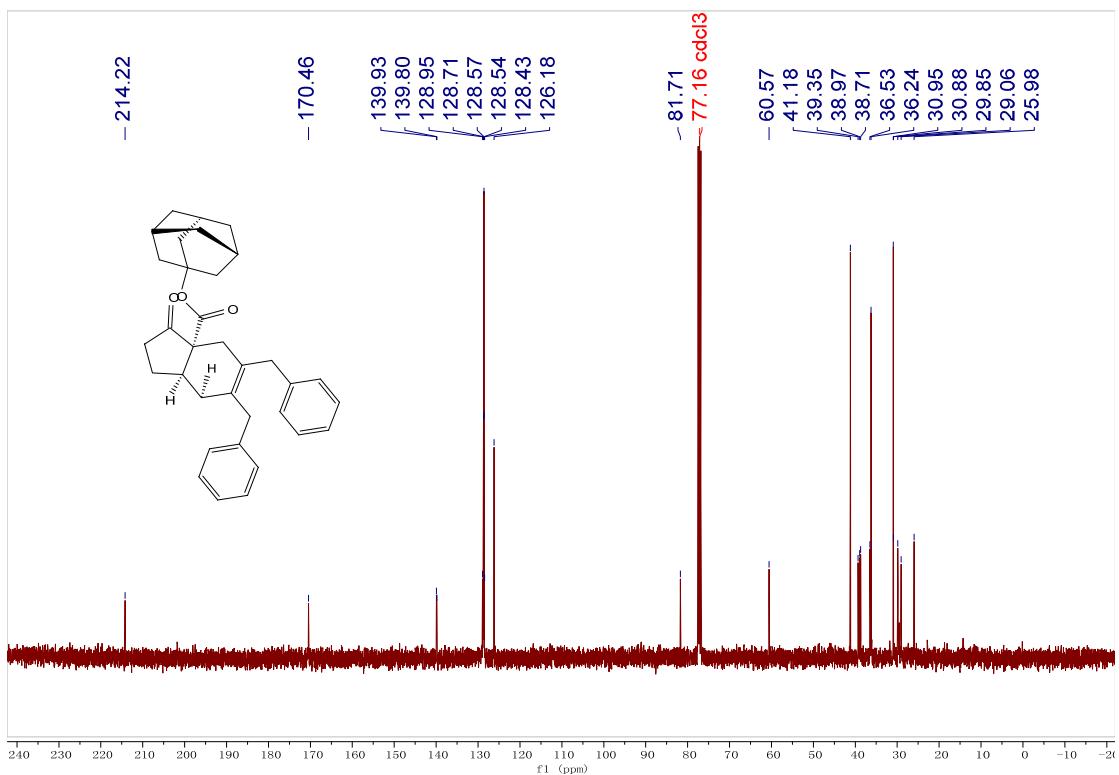
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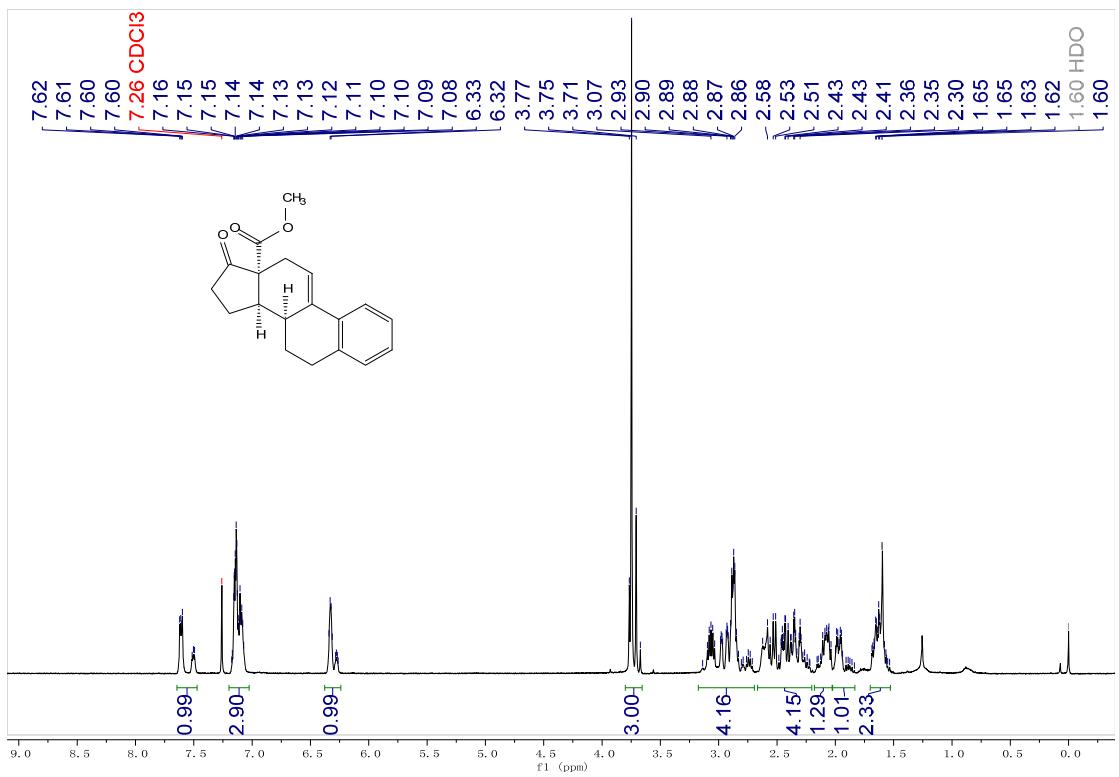


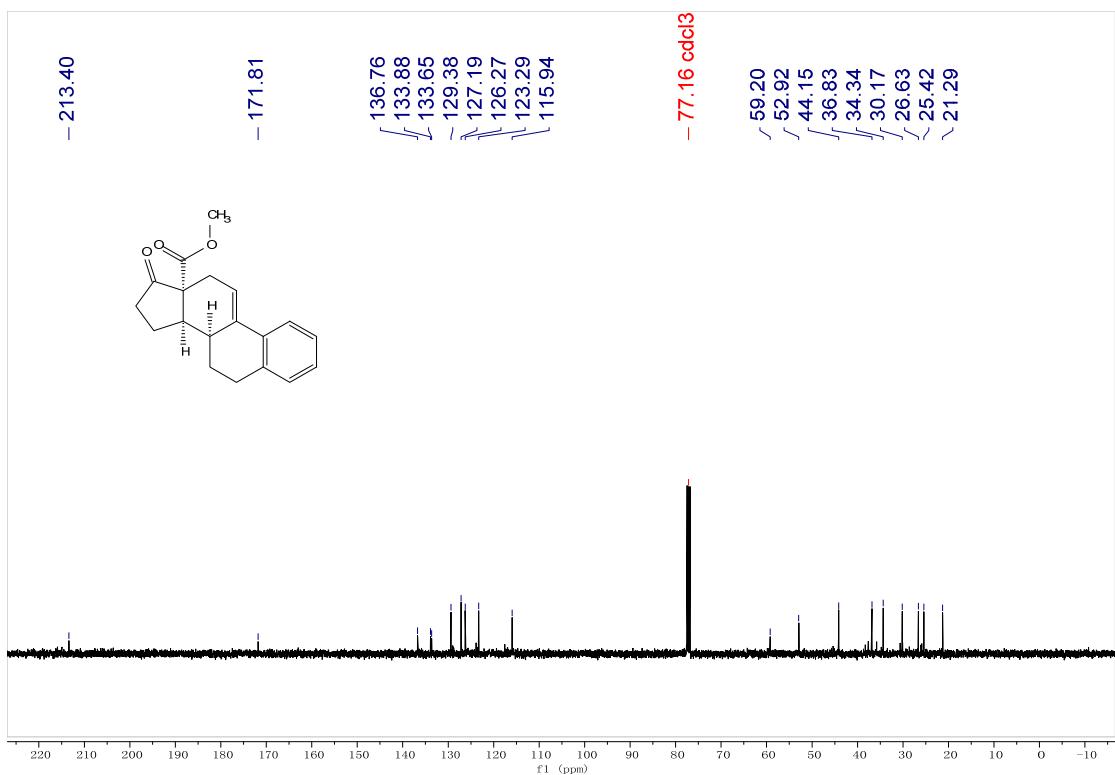
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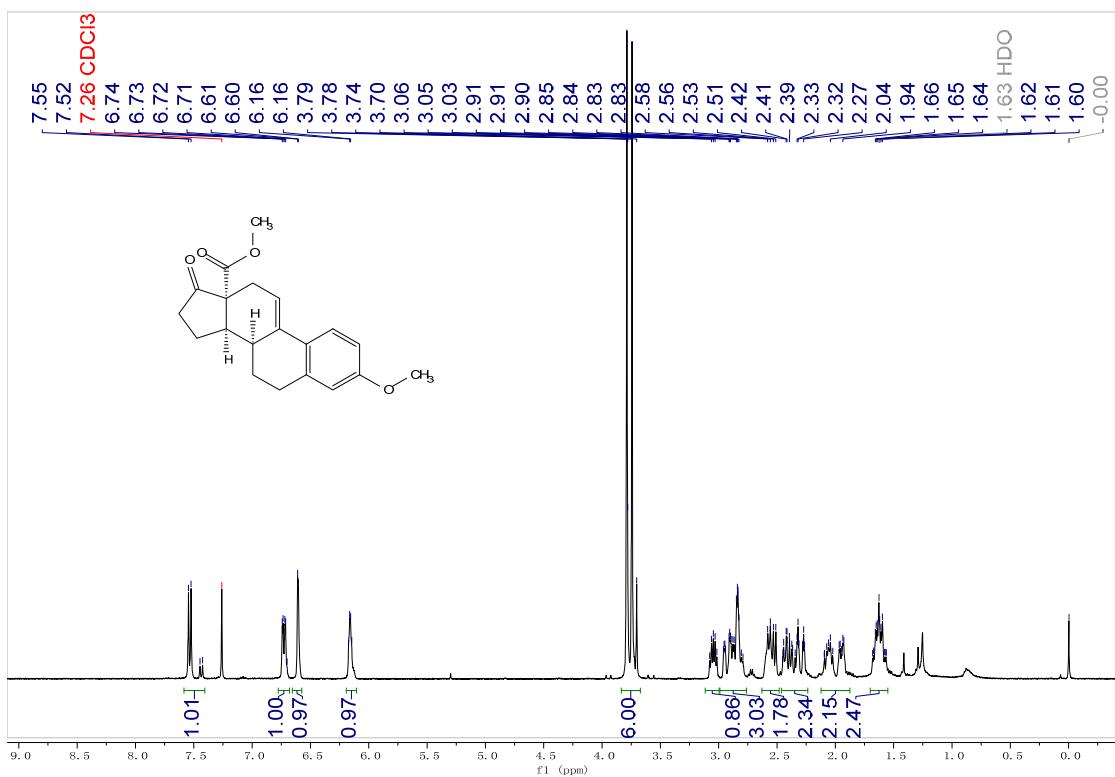


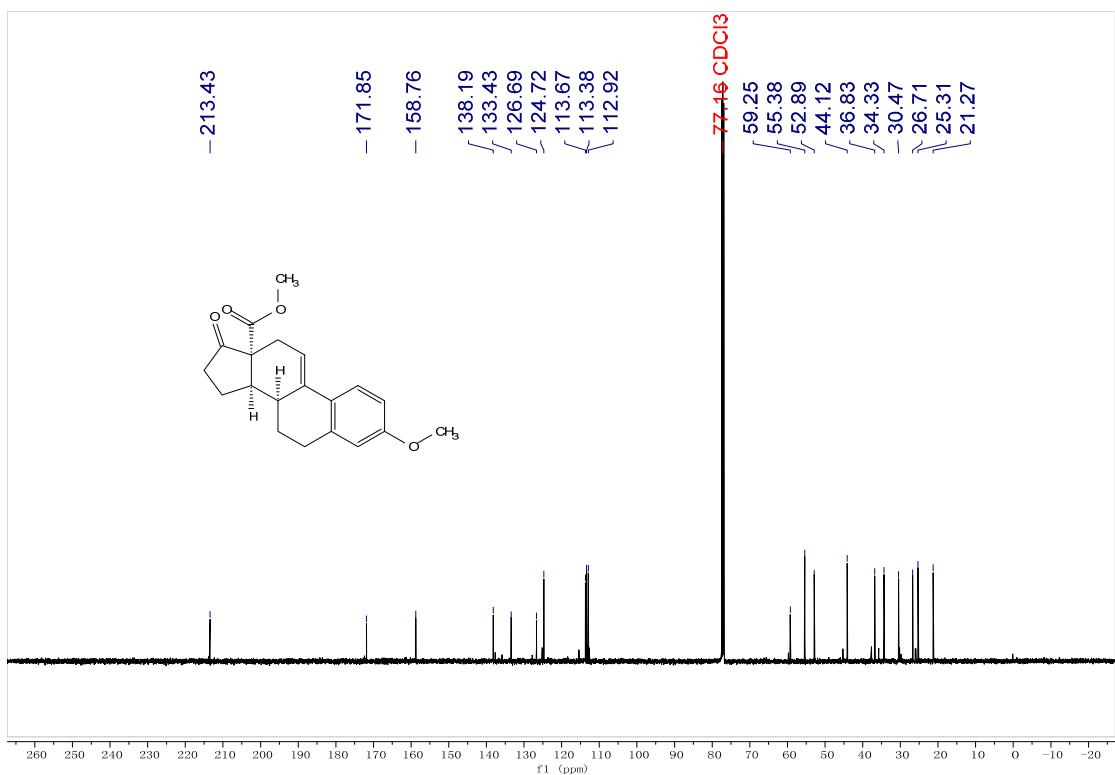
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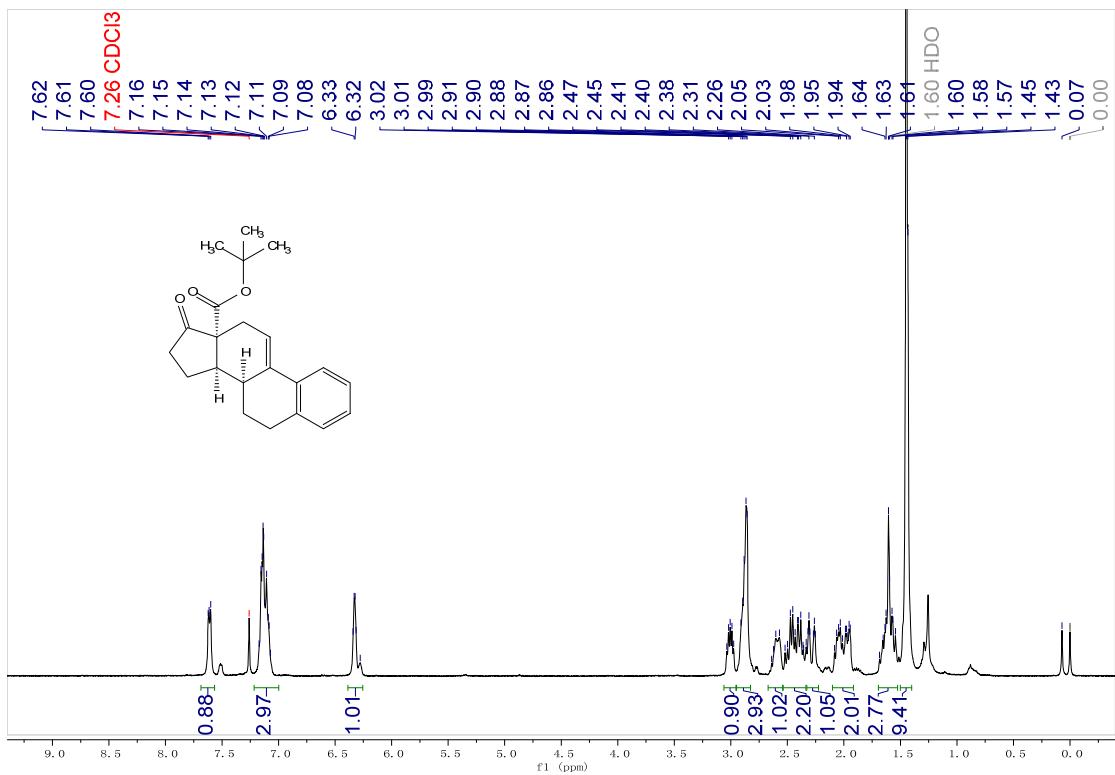


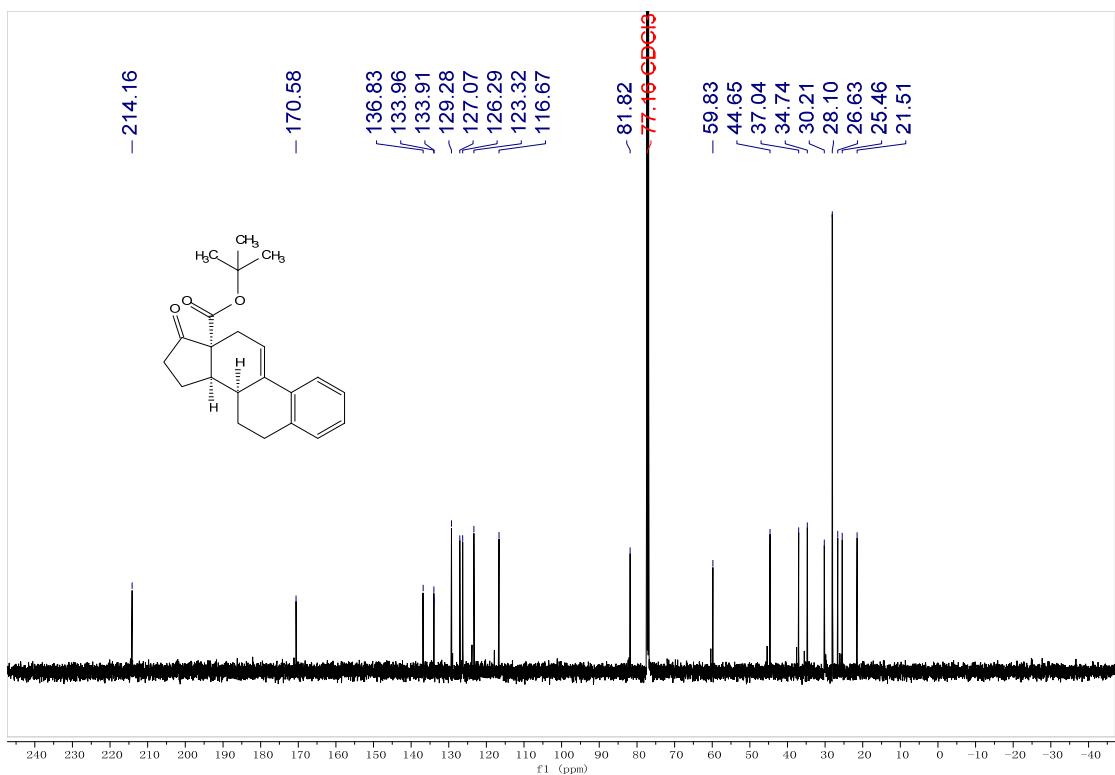
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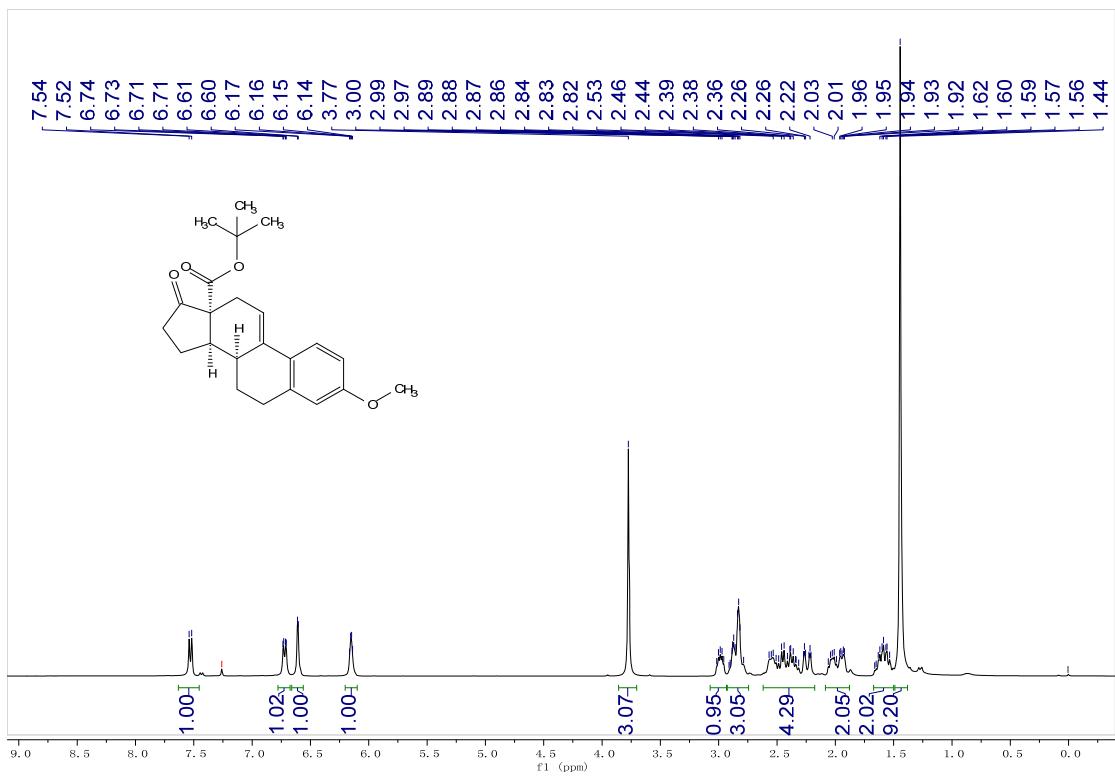


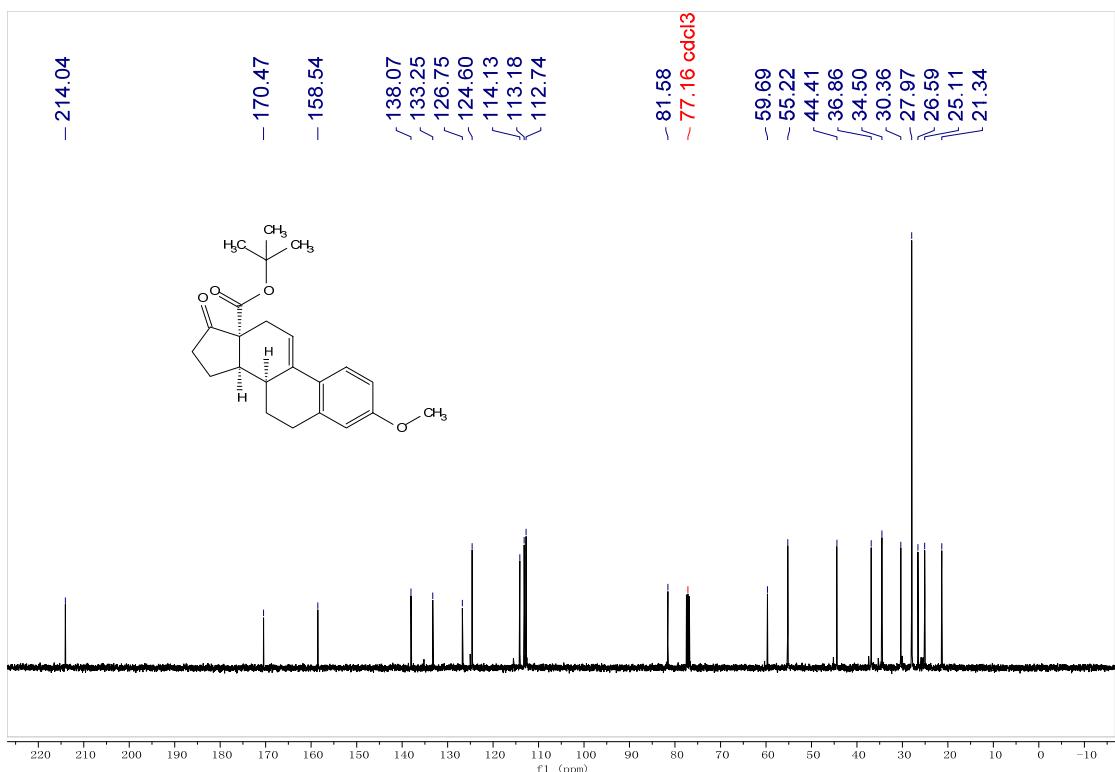
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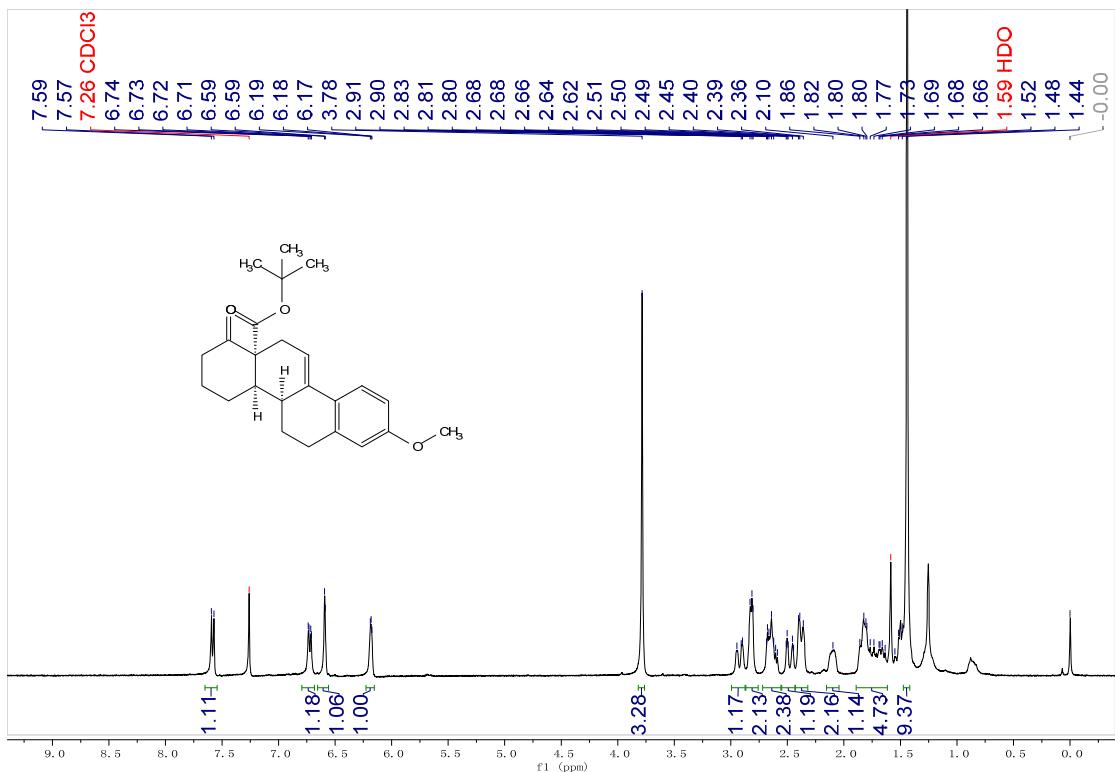


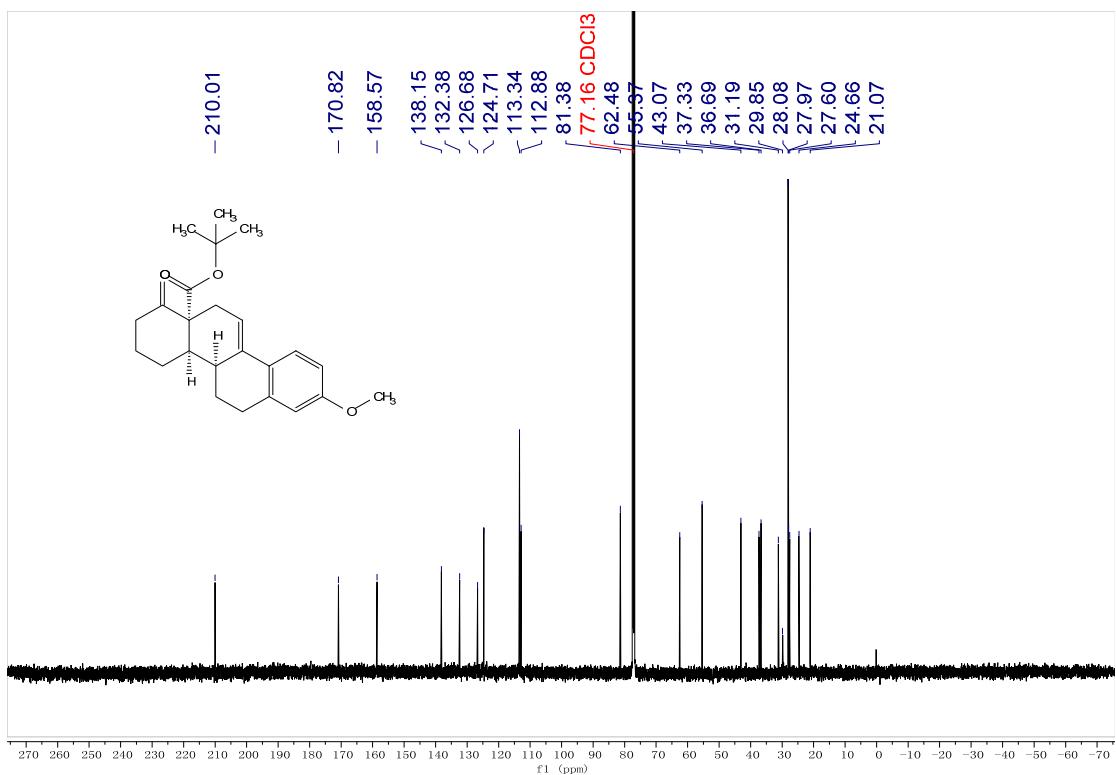
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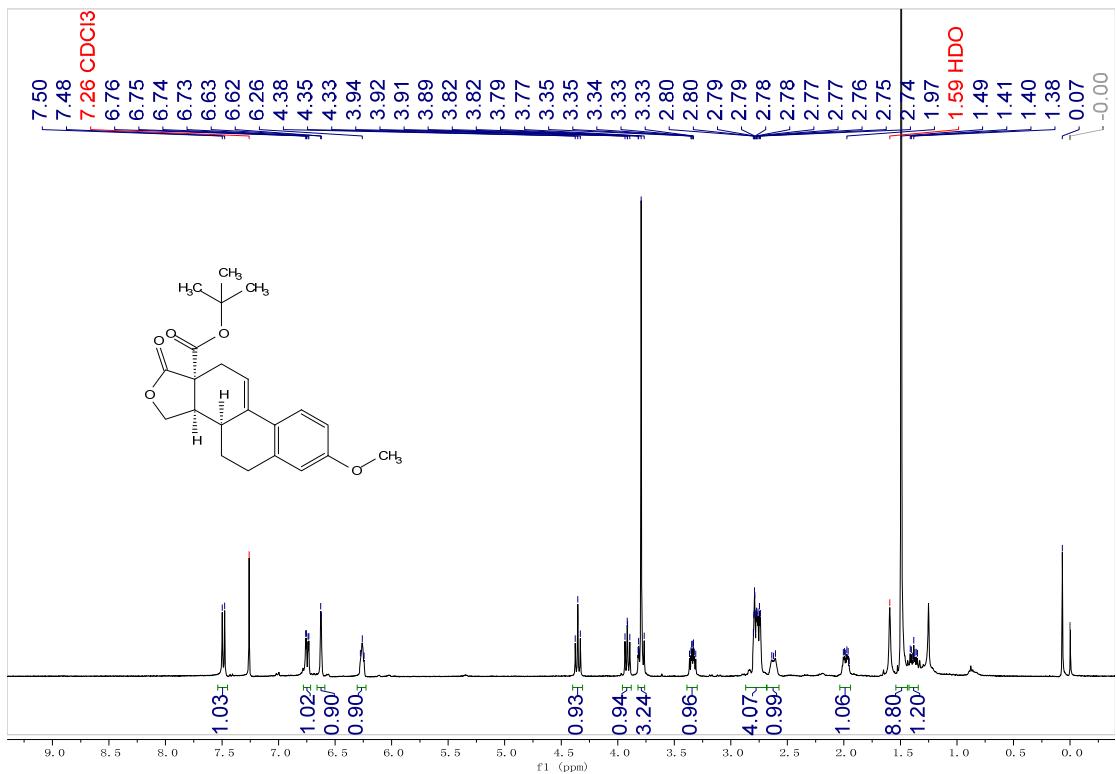


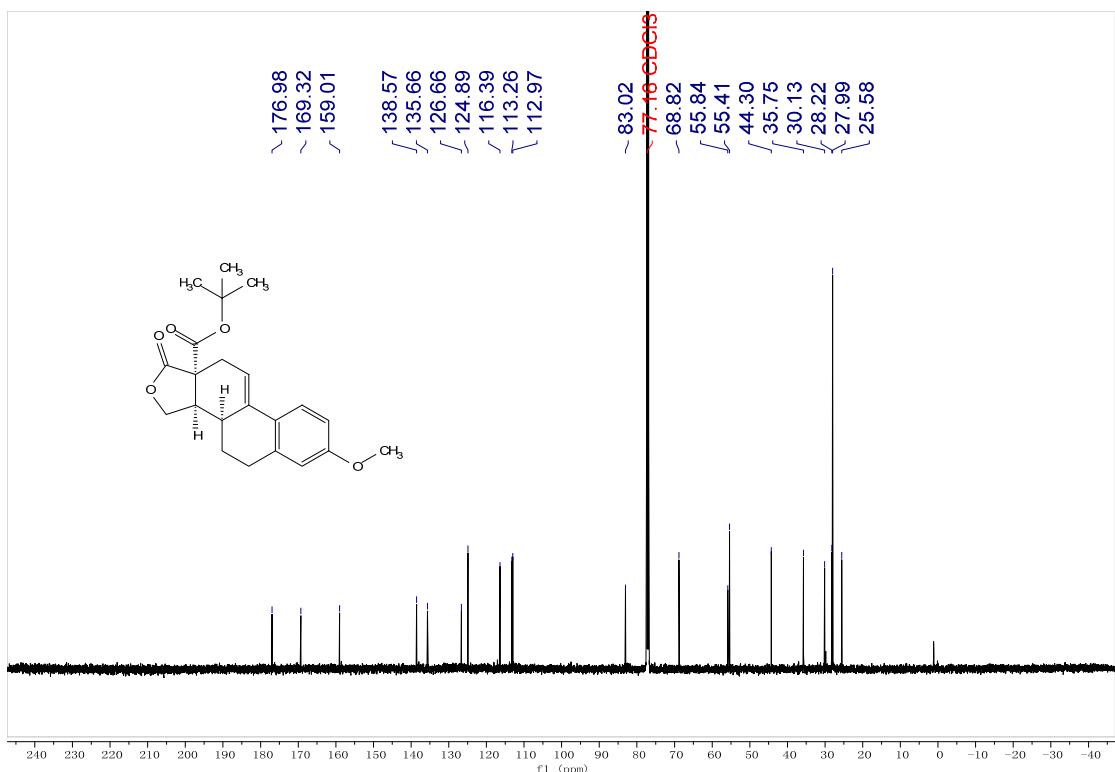
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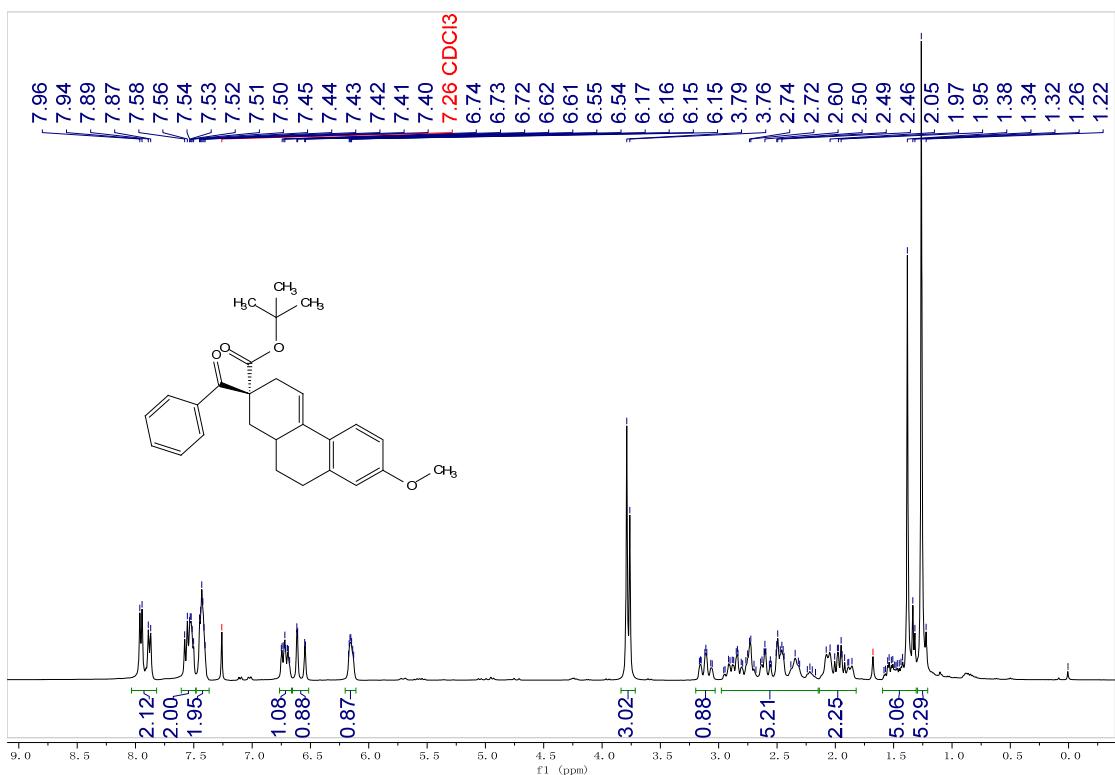


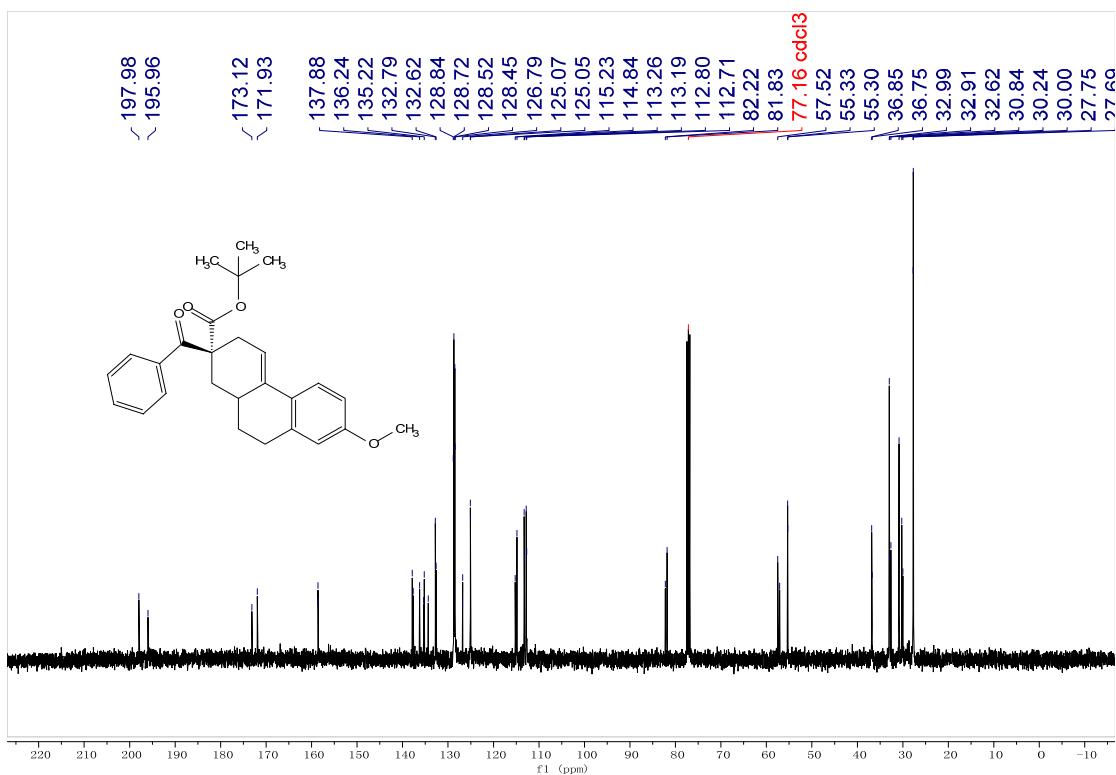
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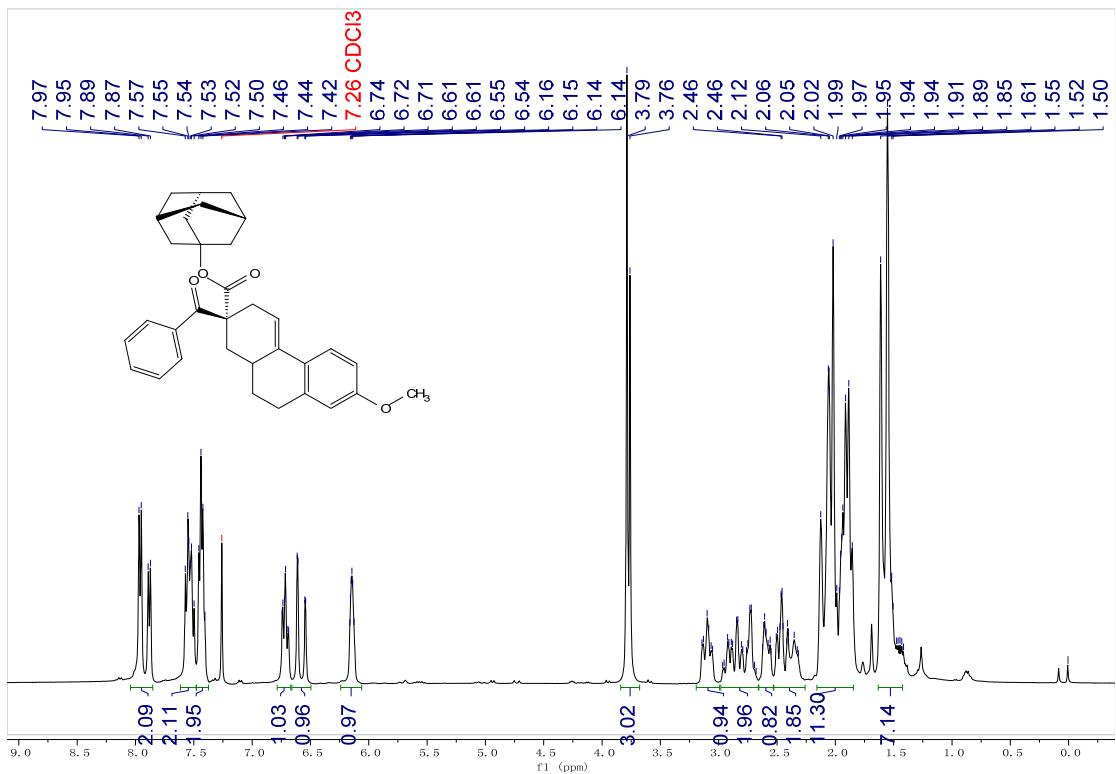


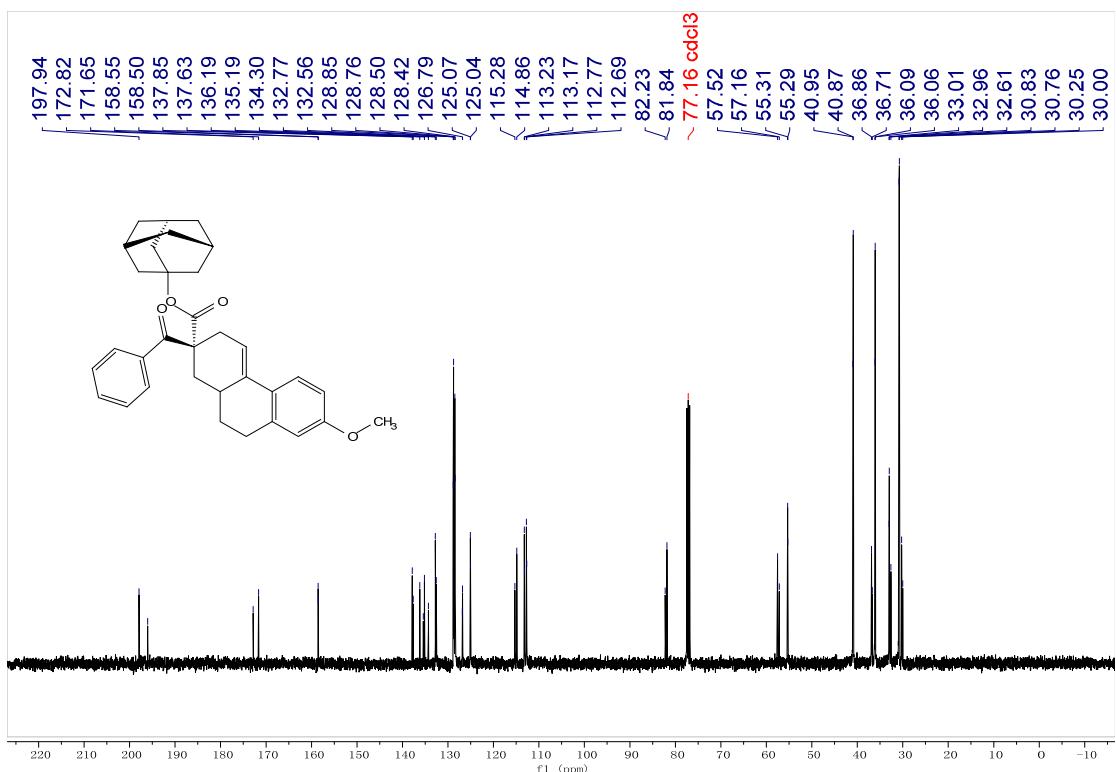
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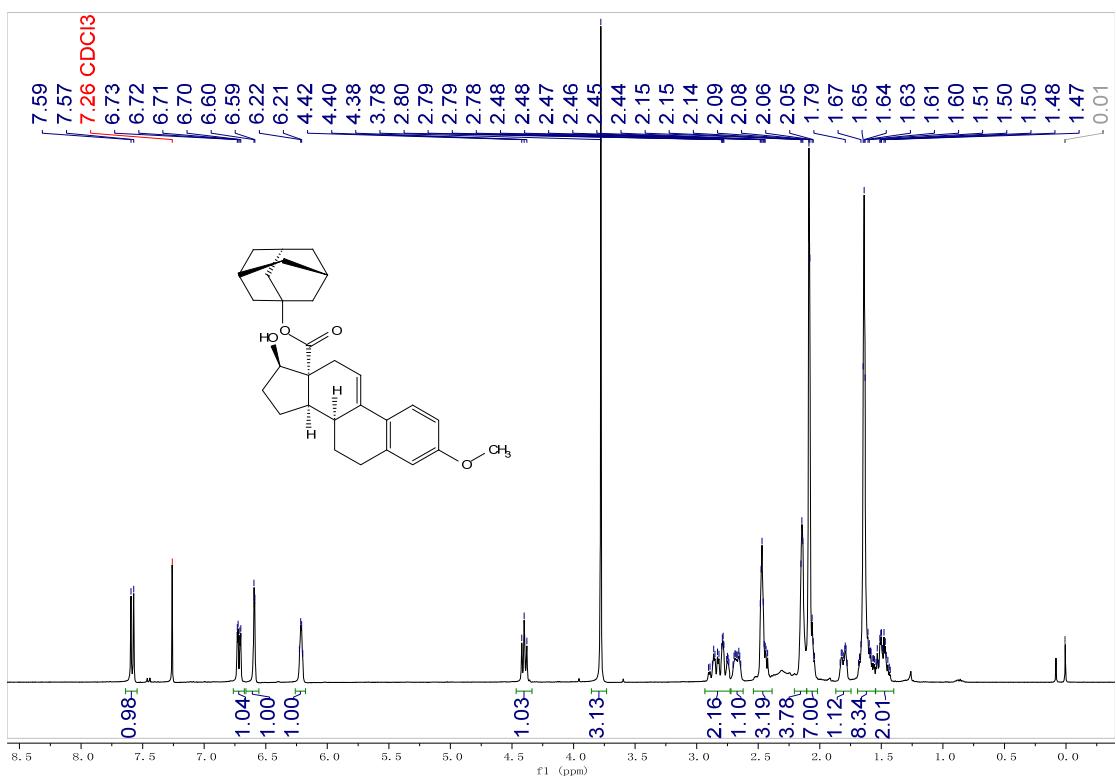


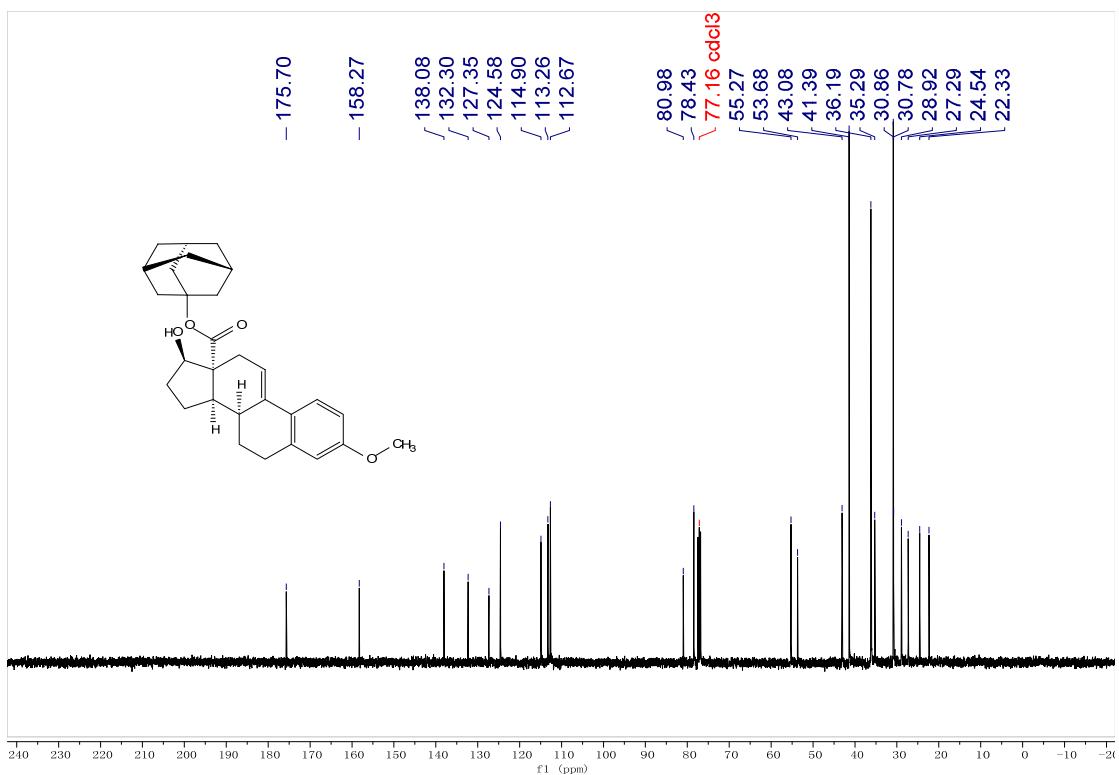
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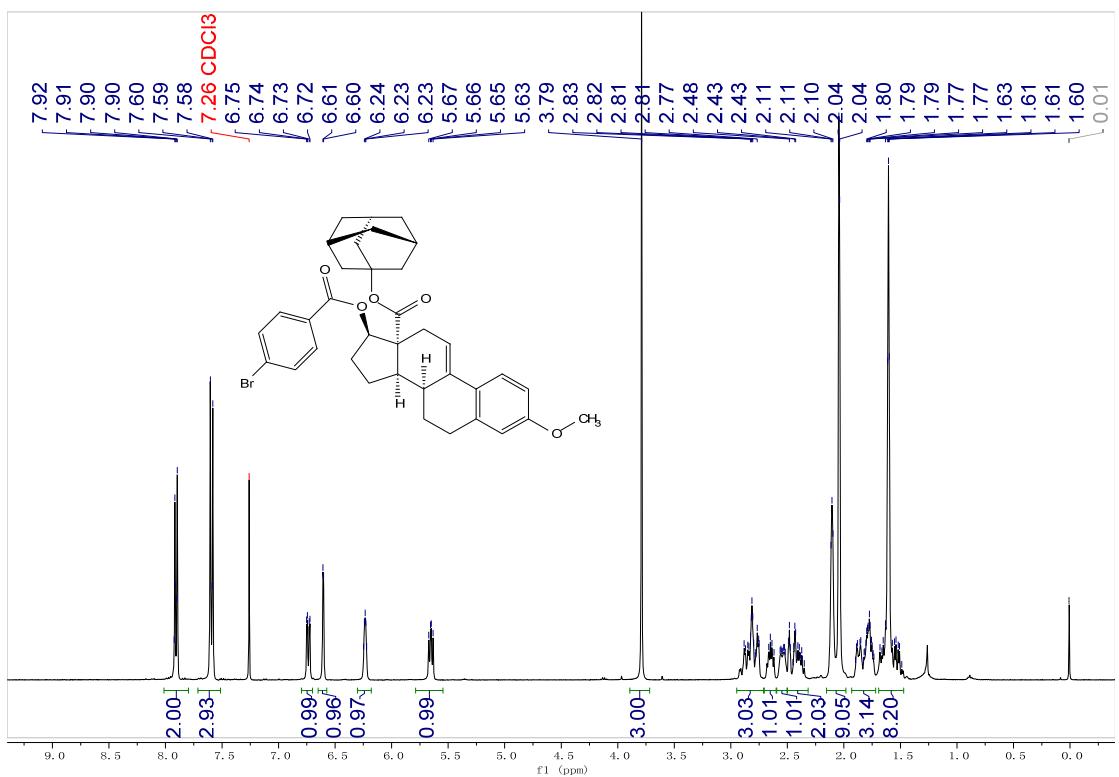


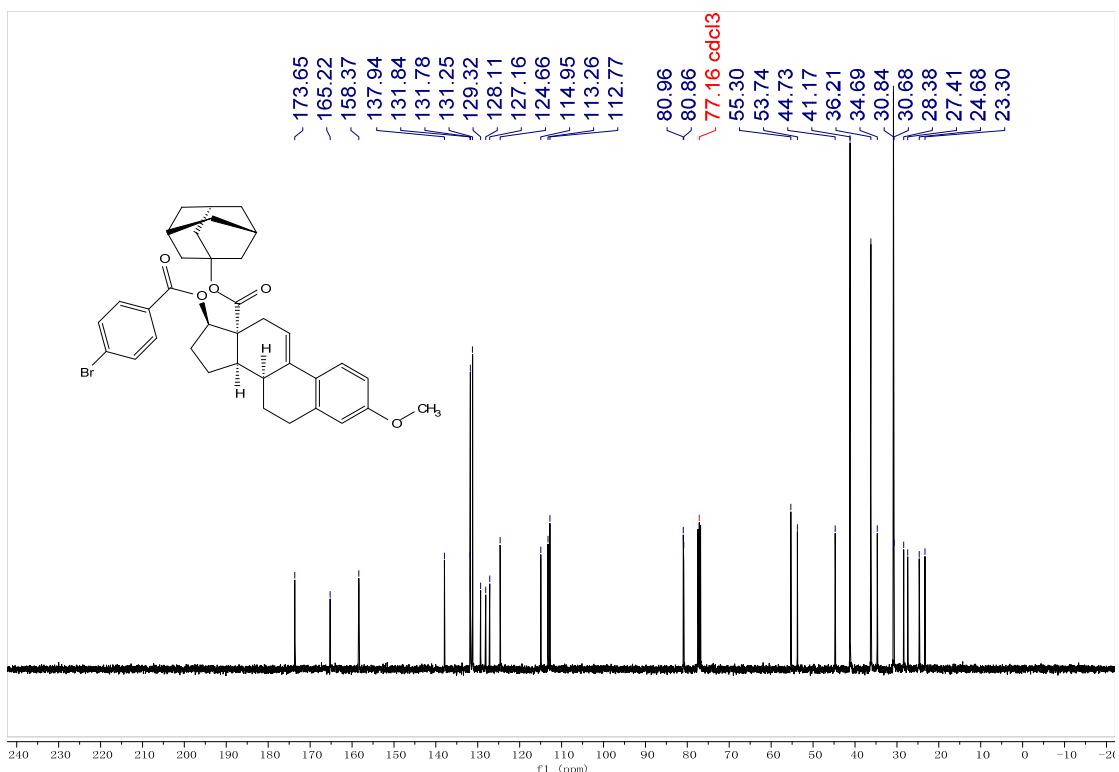
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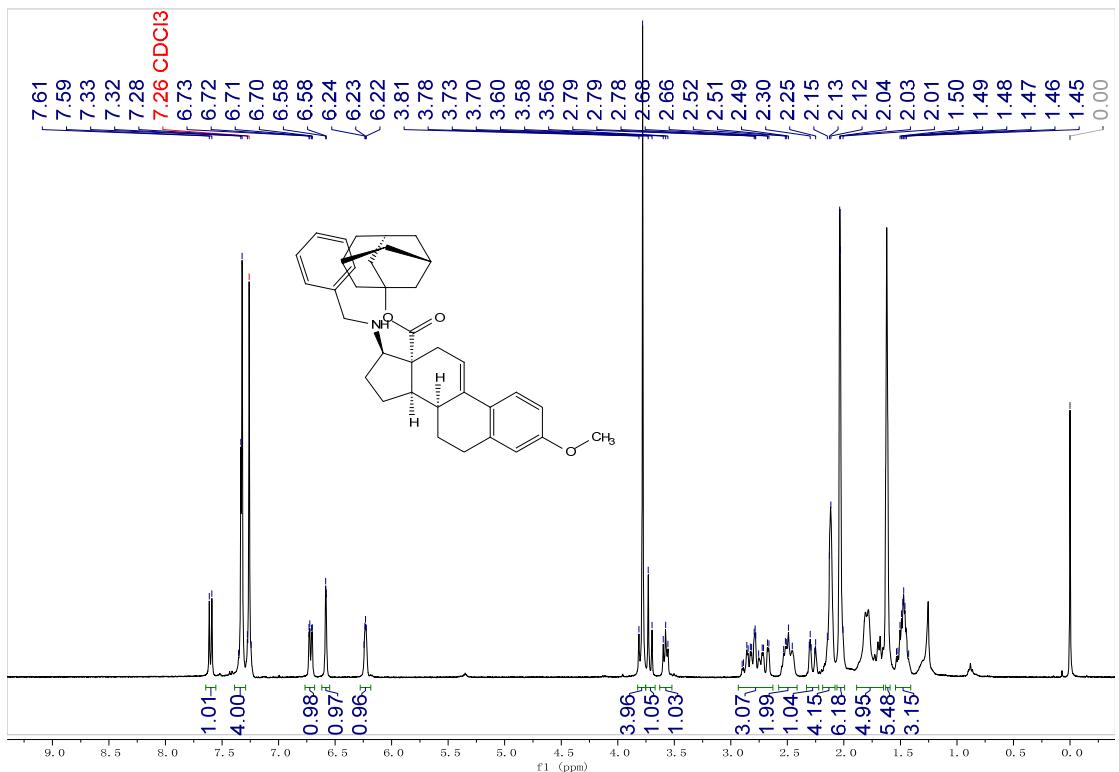


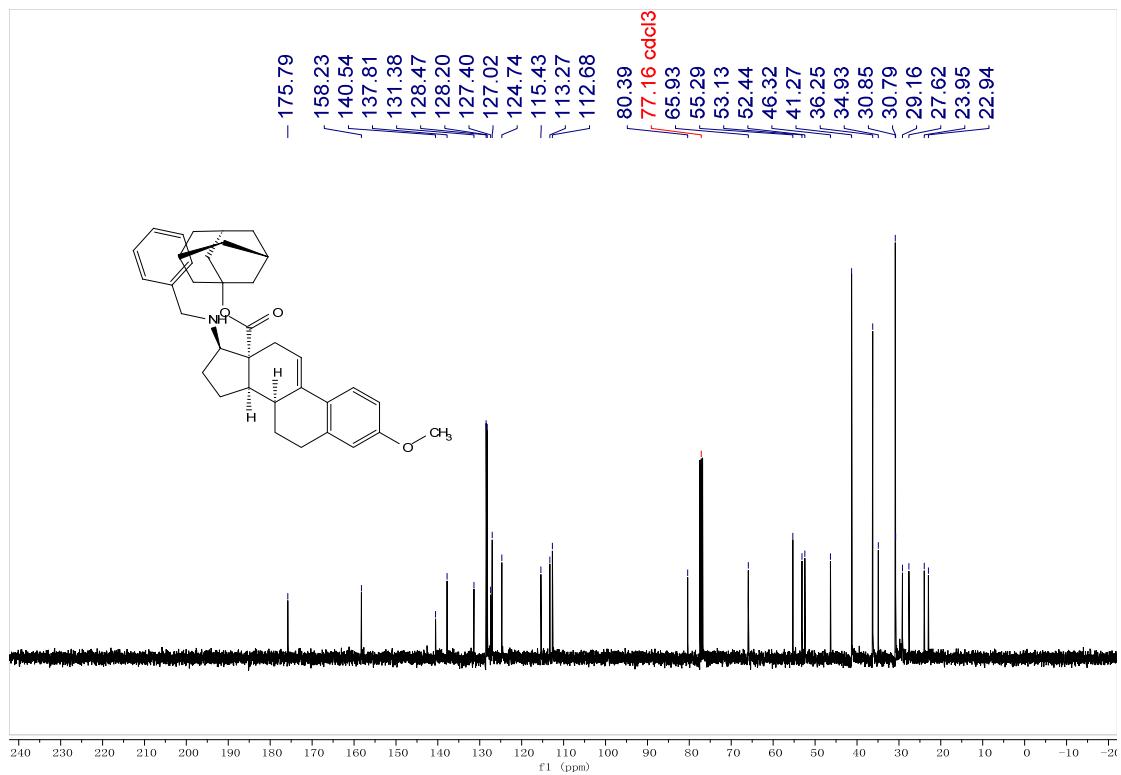
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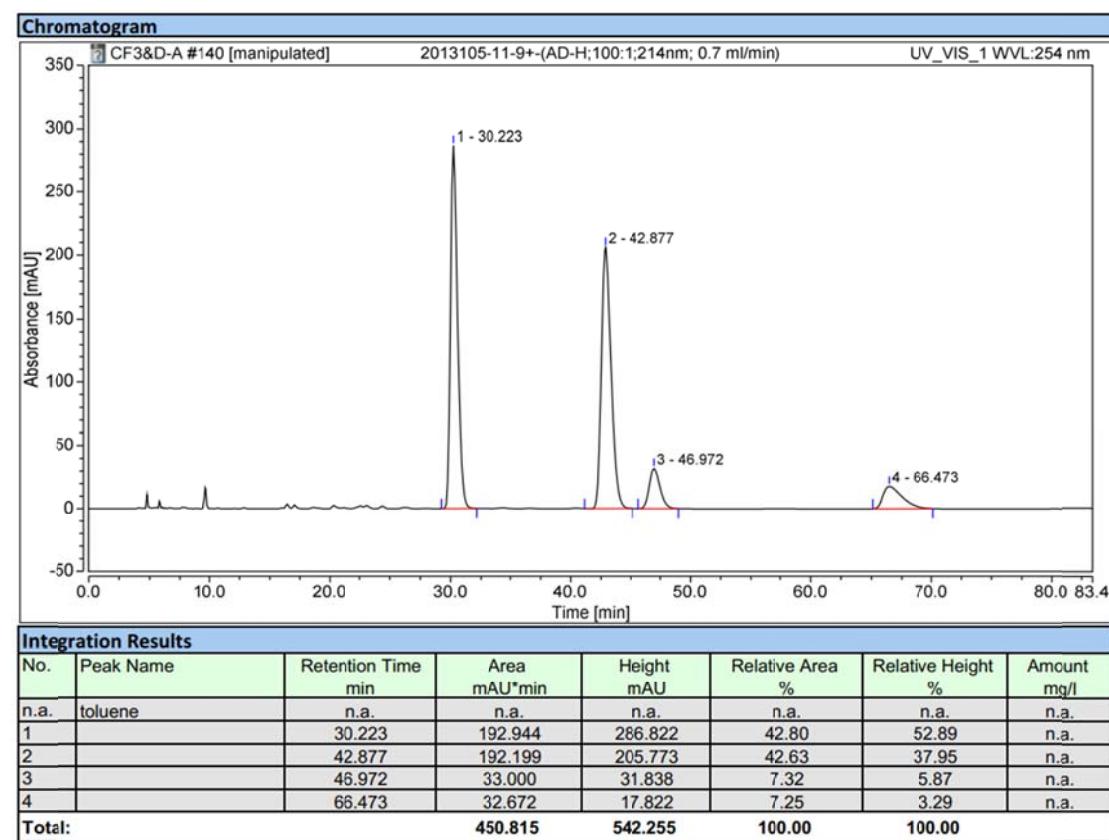
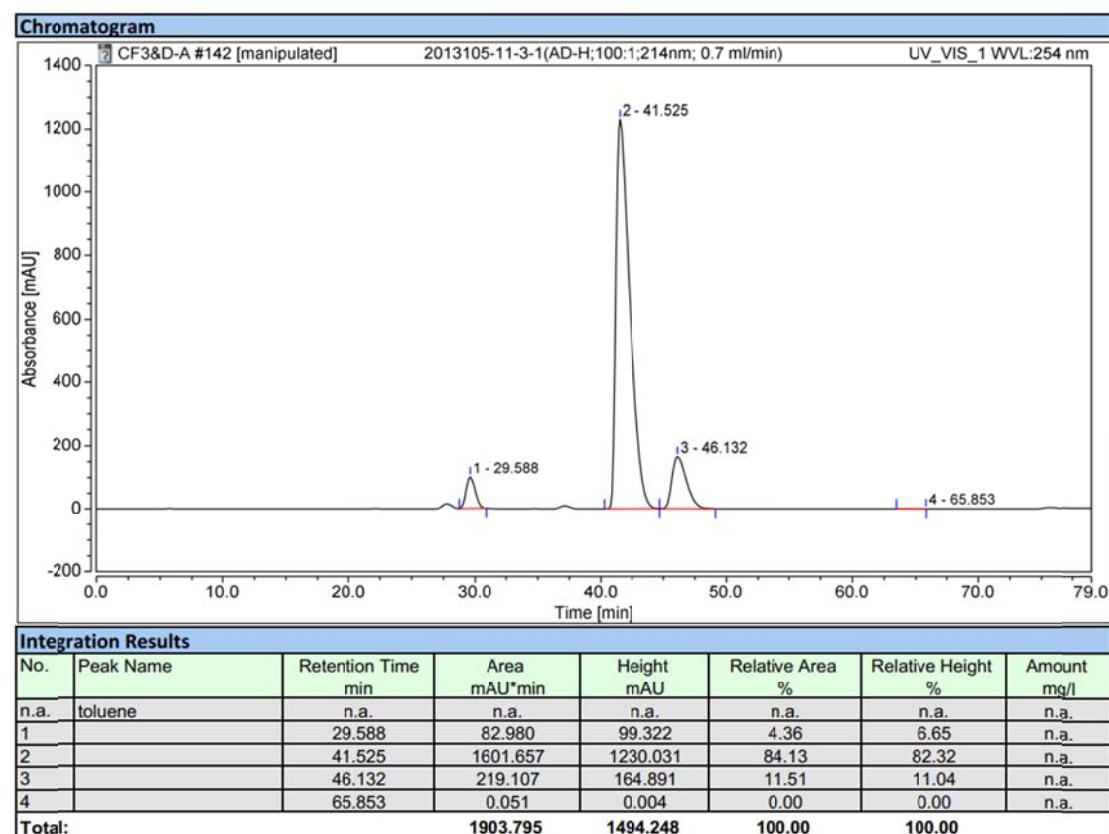
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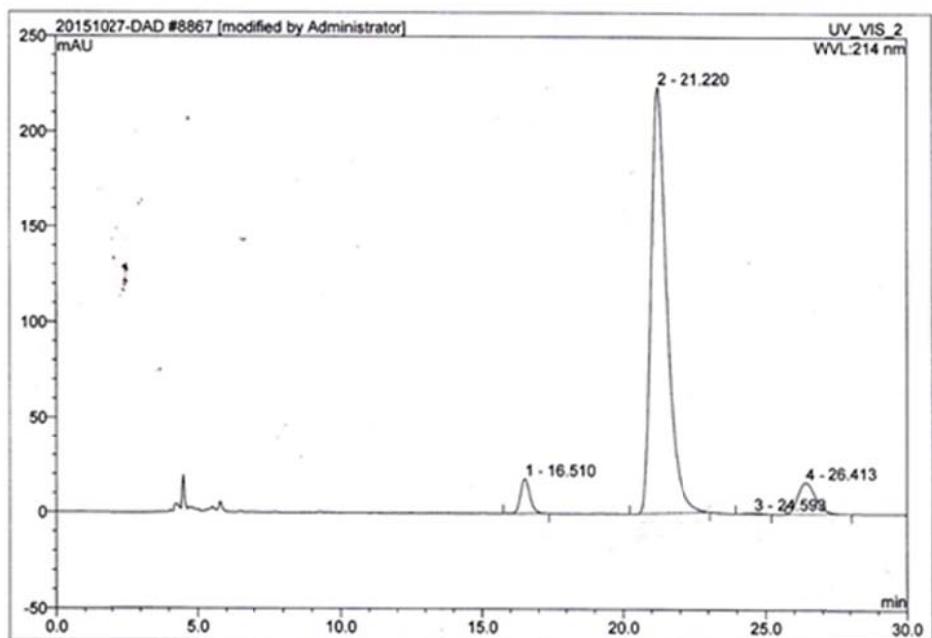


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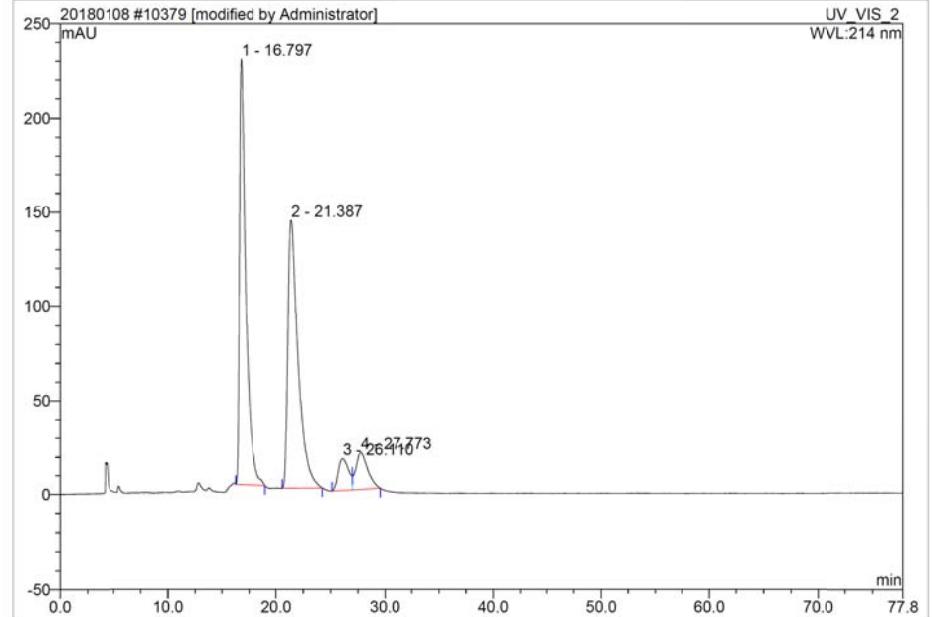
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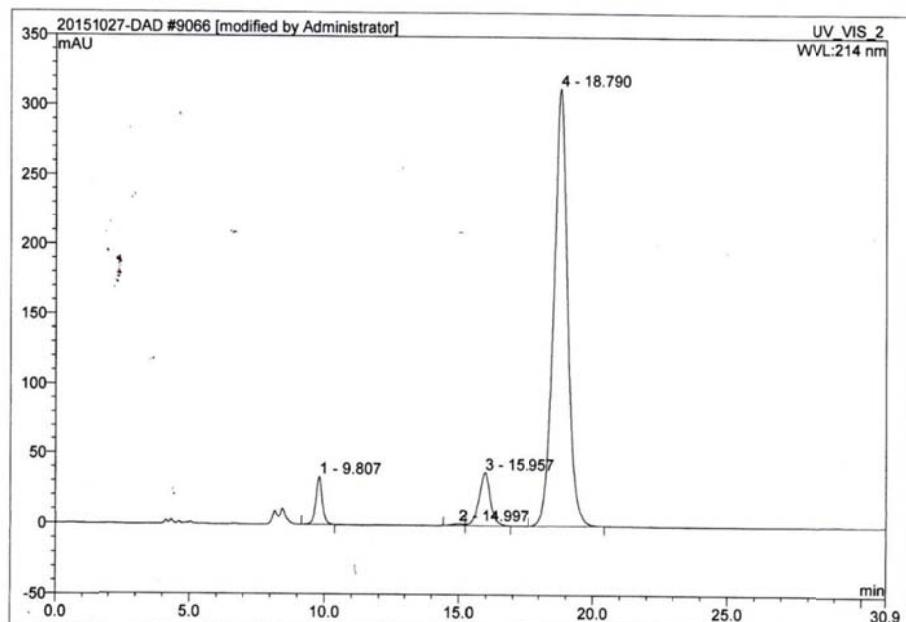


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1	16.51	n.a.	18.293	6.985	4.27	n.a.	BMB*
2	21.22	n.a.	223.548	144.232	88.10	n.a.	BMB*
3	24.59	n.a.	0.534	0.361	0.22	n.a.	BMB*
4	26.41	n.a.	16.725	12.135	7.41	n.a.	BMB*
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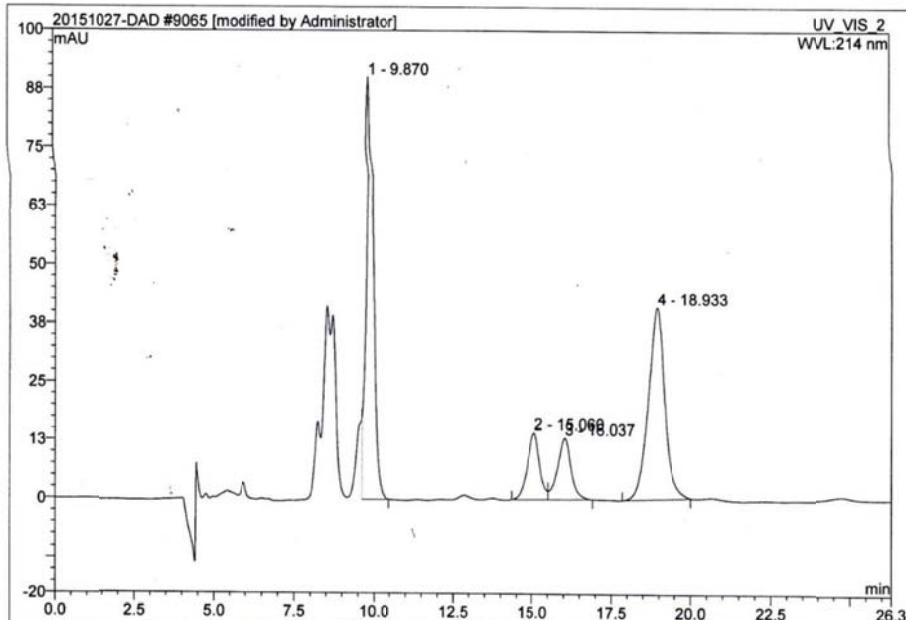


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1	16.80	n.a.	225.936	155.764	43.90	n.a.	BMB*
2	21.39	n.a.	142.321	155.035	43.70	n.a.	BMB
3	26.11	n.a.	17.135	18.892	5.32	n.a.	BM
4	27.77	n.a.	19.785	25.097	7.07	n.a.	MB
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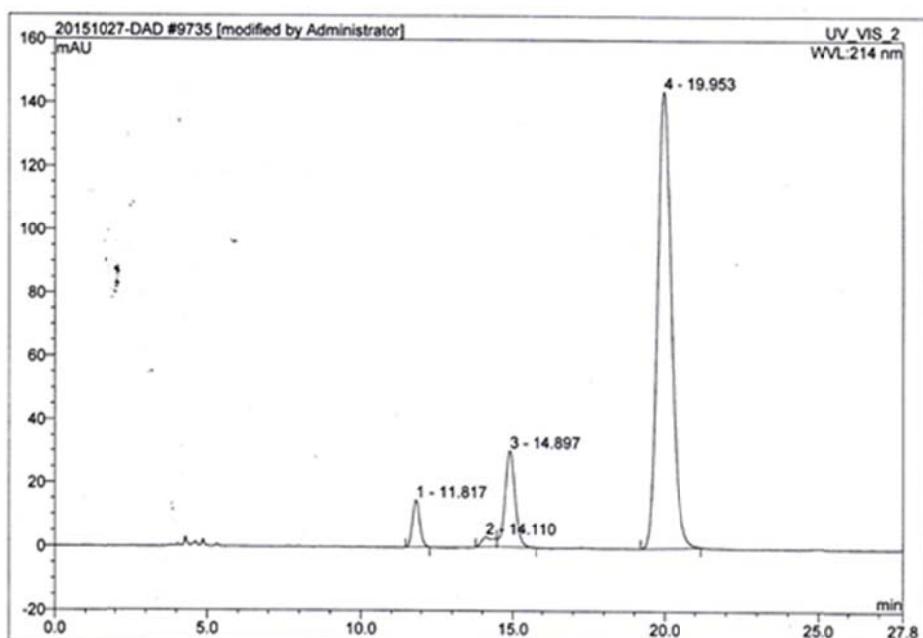


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2	15.00	n.a.	1.290	0.571	0.26	n.a.	BM
3	15.96	n.a.	38.187	18.759	8.65	n.a.	MB
4	18.79	n.a.	313.676	167.699	86.66	n.a.	BMB*
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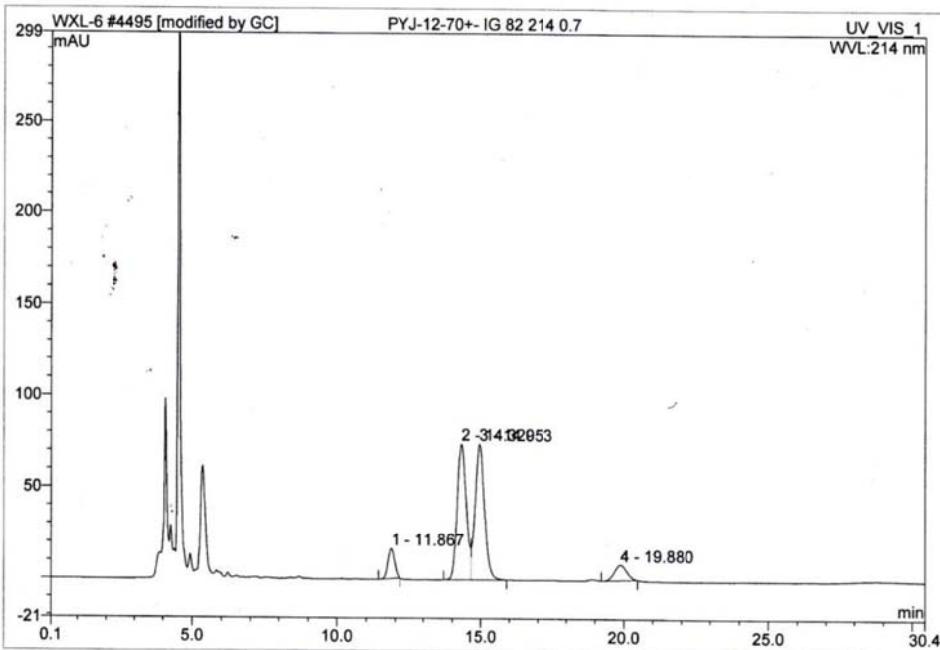


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1	9.87	n.a.	89.906	24.497	39.49	n.a.	MB*
2	15.06	n.a.	14.203	6.487	10.46	n.a.	BM
3	16.04	n.a.	13.164	6.502	10.48	n.a.	MB
4	18.93	n.a.	41.014	24.554	39.58	n.a.	BMB
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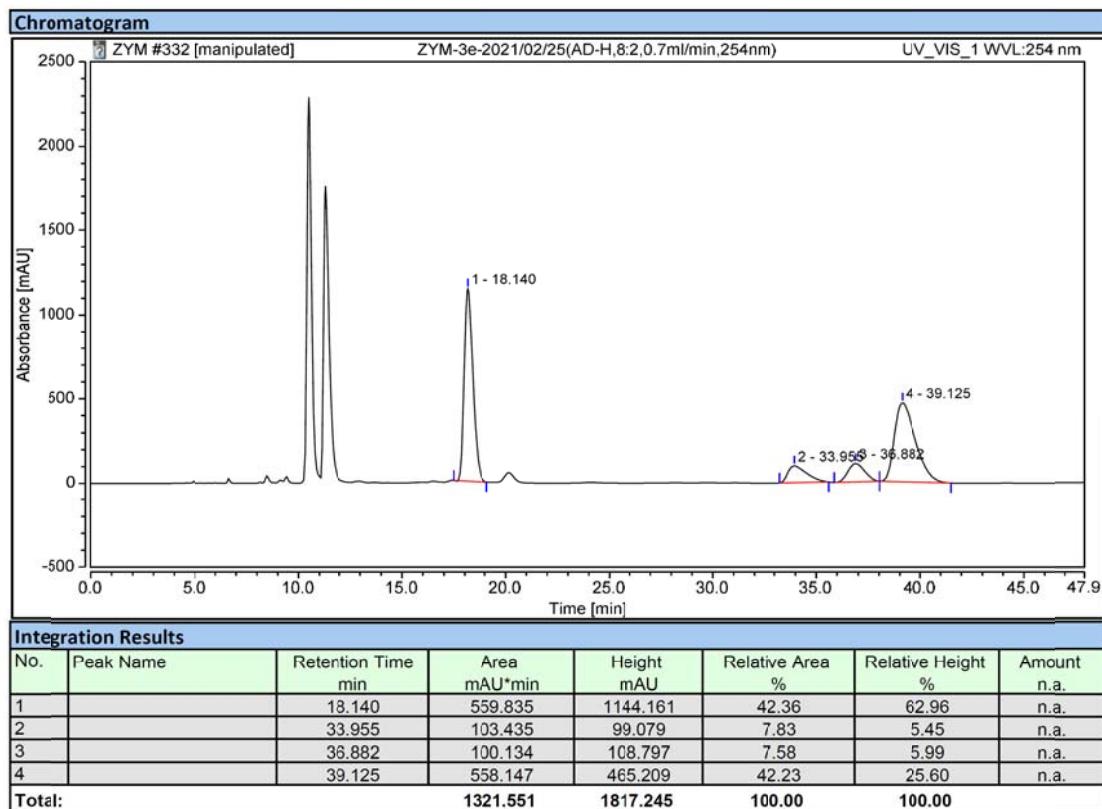
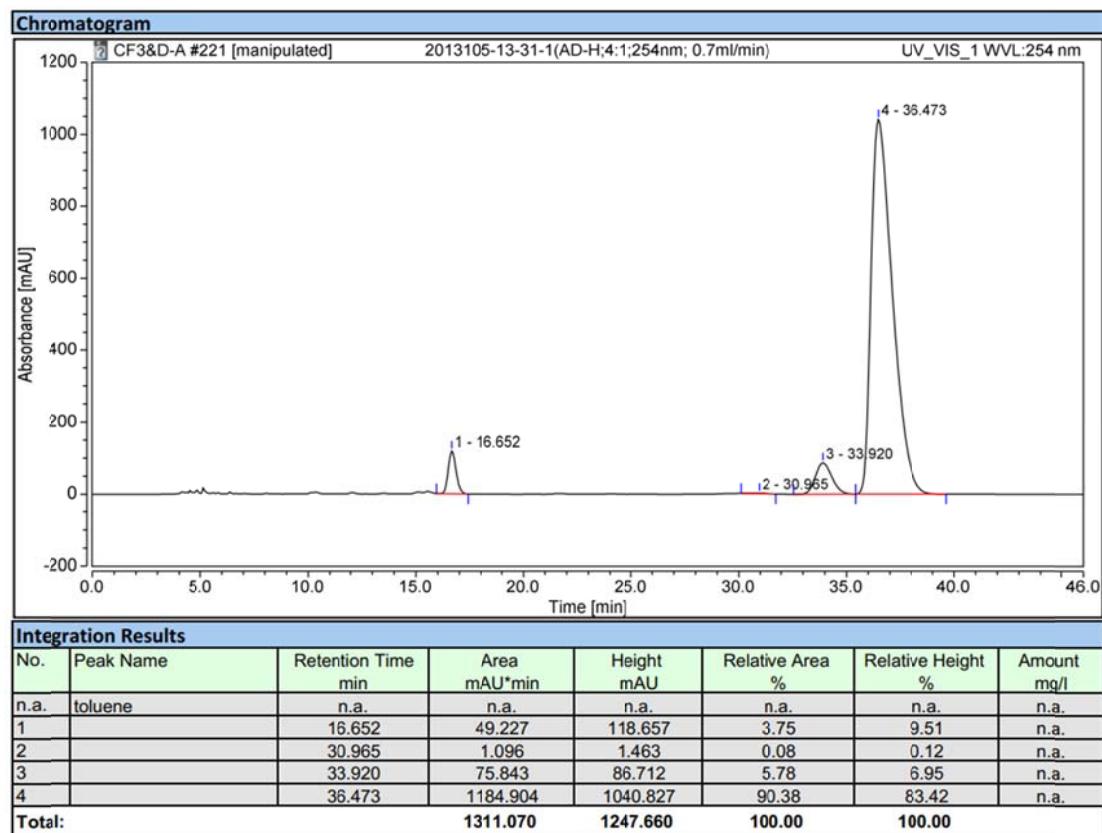


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1	11.82	n.a.	15.000	4.138	4.40	n.a.	BMB
2	14.11	n.a.	3.016	1.418	1.51	n.a.	BM*
3	14.90	n.a.	30.517	11.743	12.49	n.a.	MB*
4	19.95	n.a.	144.195	76.732	81.60	n.a.	BMB
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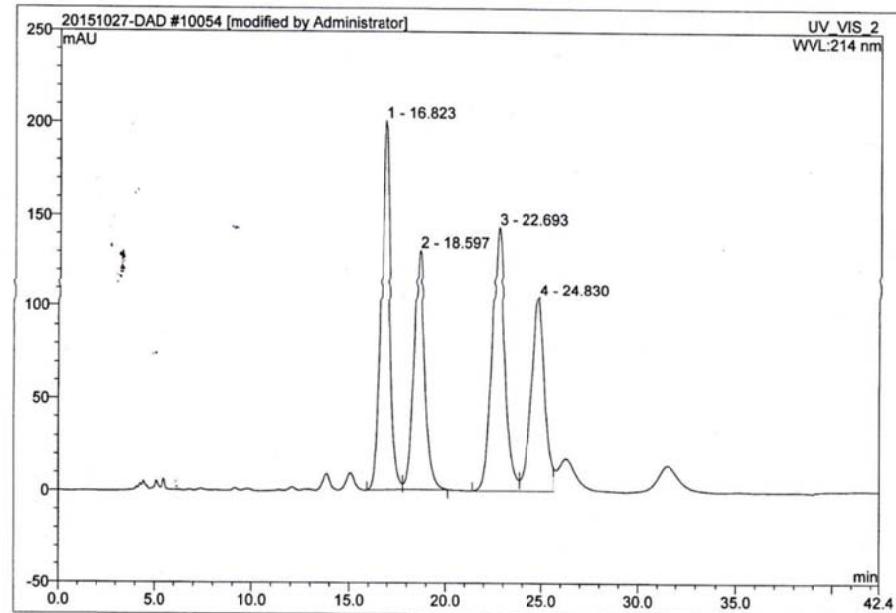
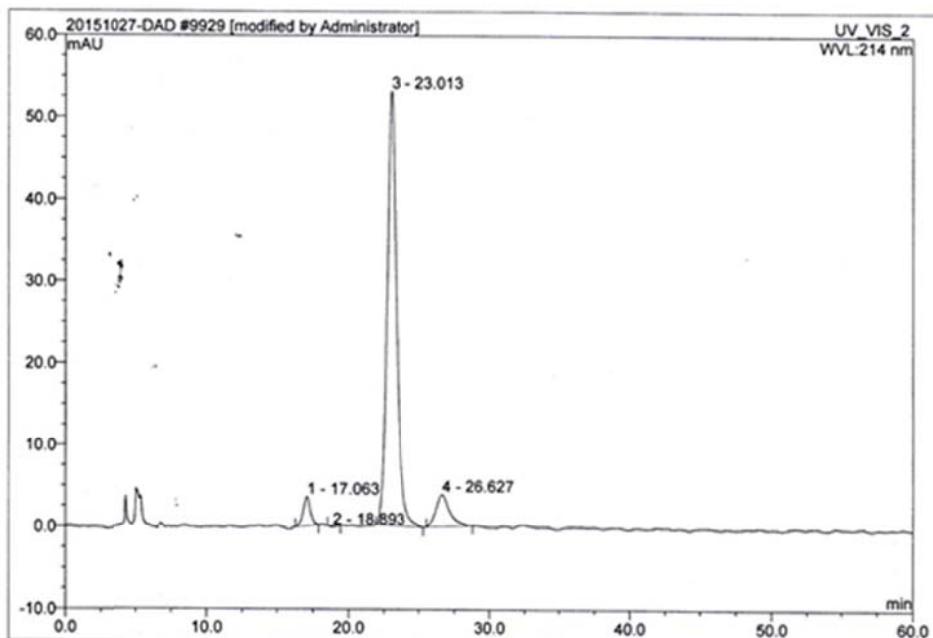


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1	11.87	n.a.	16.451	4.398	6.78	n.a.	BMB*
2	14.32	n.a.	74.468	27.500	42.41	n.a.	BM*
3	14.95	n.a.	74.489	28.723	44.29	n.a.	MB*
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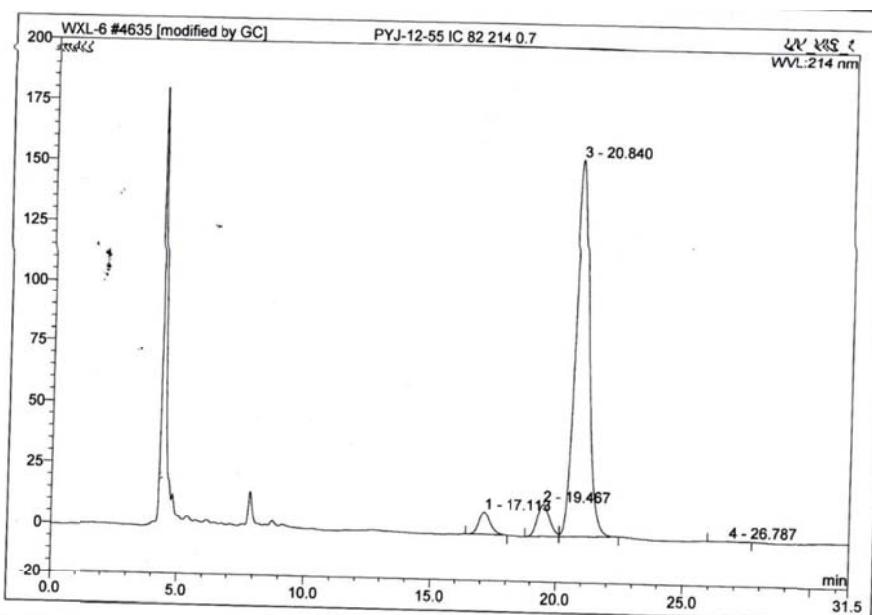
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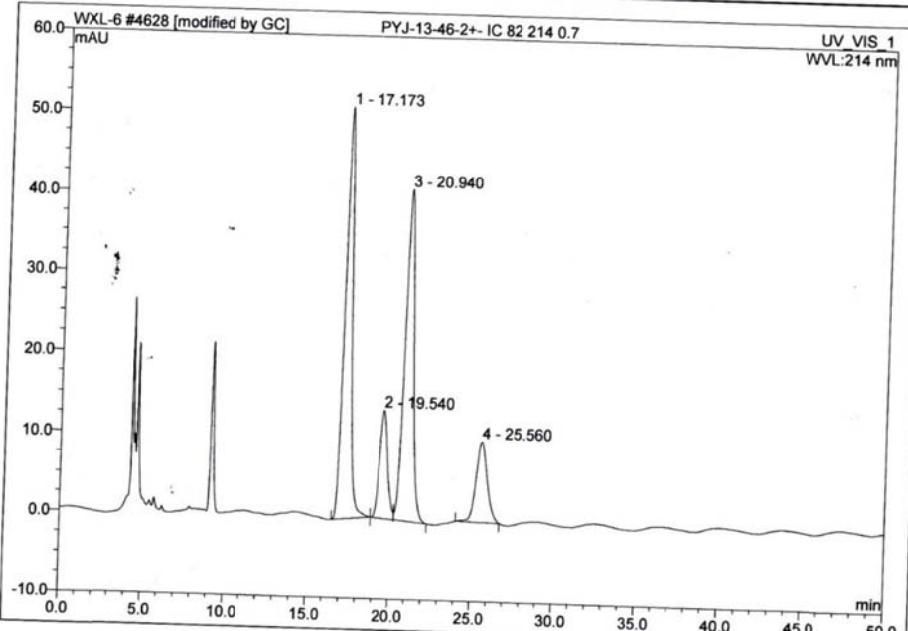
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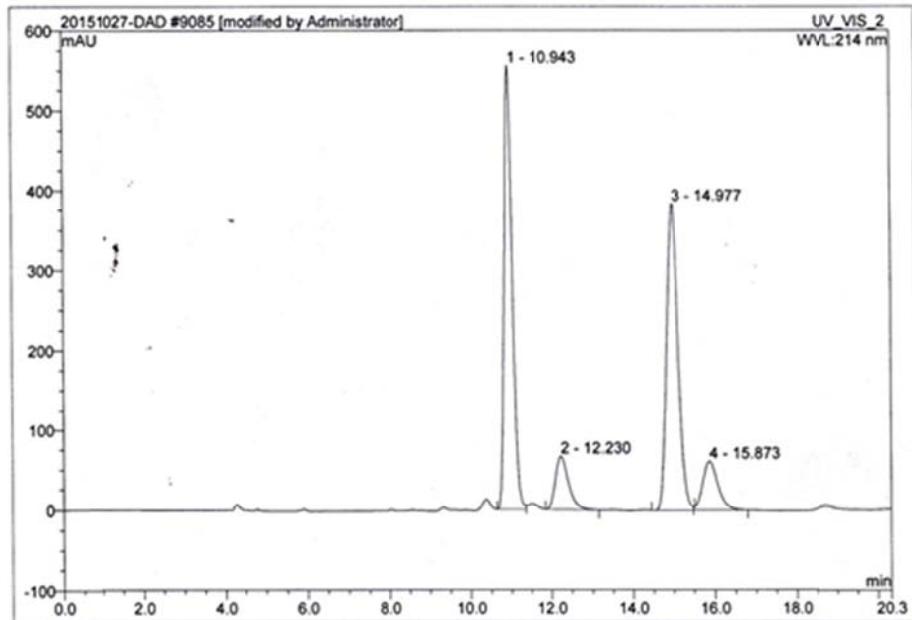
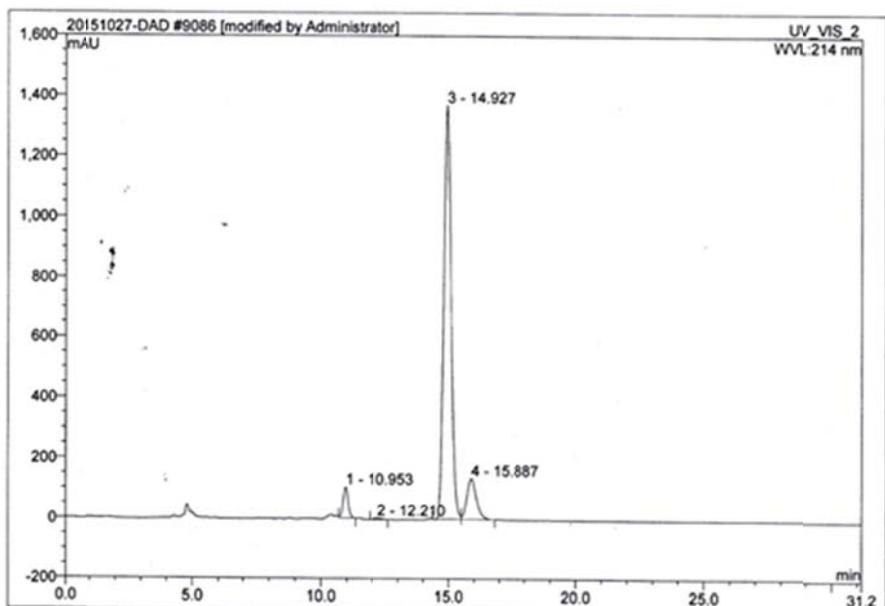


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1	17.11	n.a.	9.299	4.820	4.42	n.a.	BMB*
2	19.47	n.a.	13.419	7.519	6.90	n.a.	BM *
3	20.84	n.a.	155.792	96.460	88.51	n.a.	MB*
4	26.79	n.a.	0.182	0.178	0.16	n.a.	BMB*
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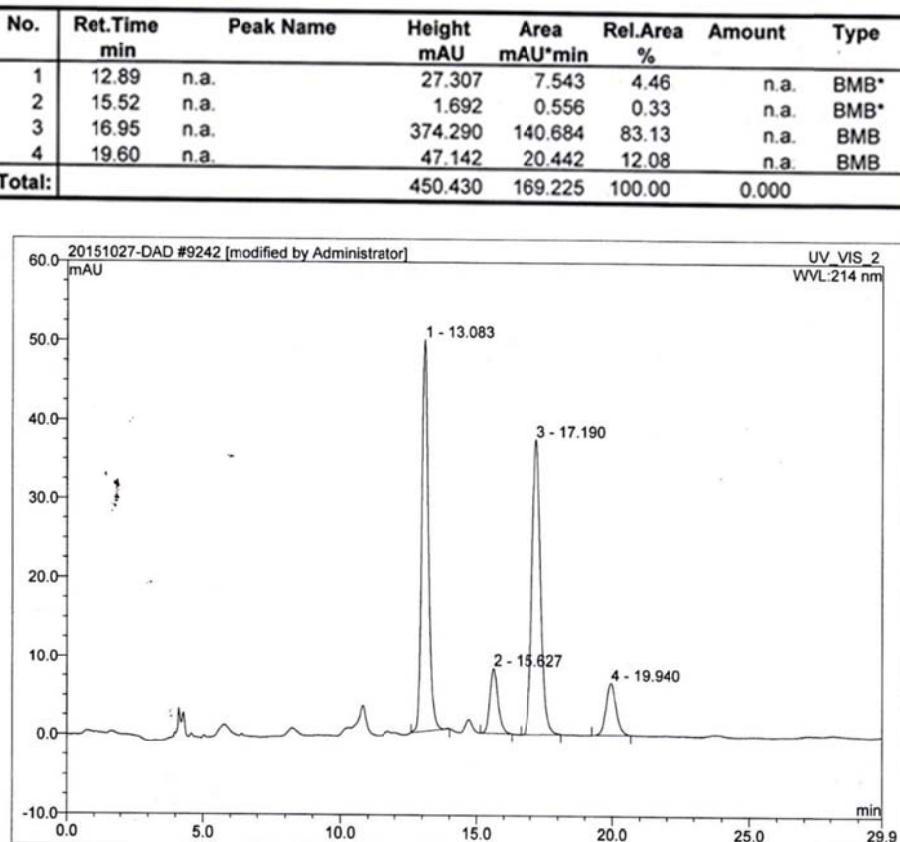
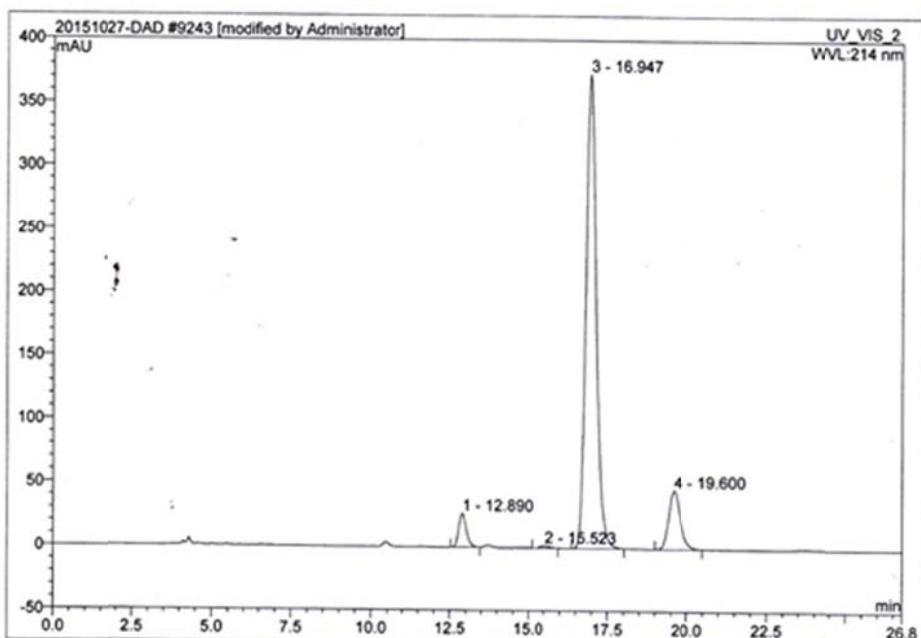


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1	17.17	n.a.	51.177	26.540	39.04	n.a.	BMB*
2	19.54	n.a.	13.413	7.731	11.37	n.a.	bM
3	20.94	n.a.	41.219	25.744	37.87	n.a.	MB*
4	25.56	n.a.	9.995	7.964	11.72	n.a.	BMB*
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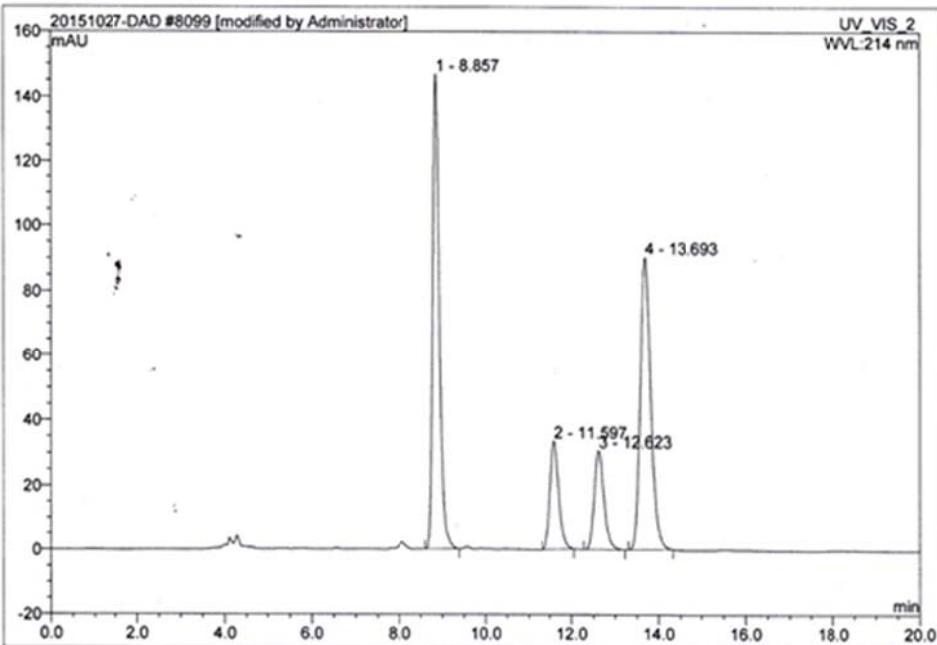
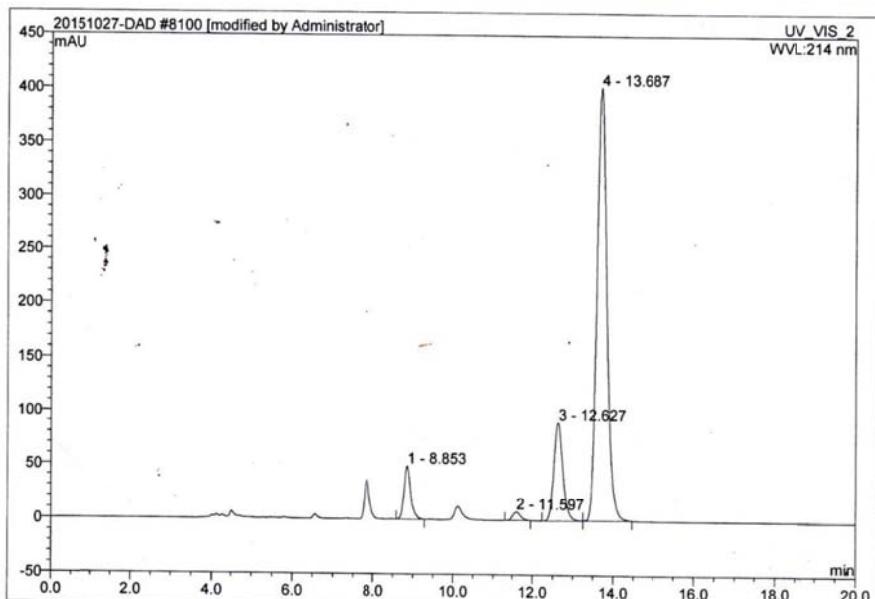
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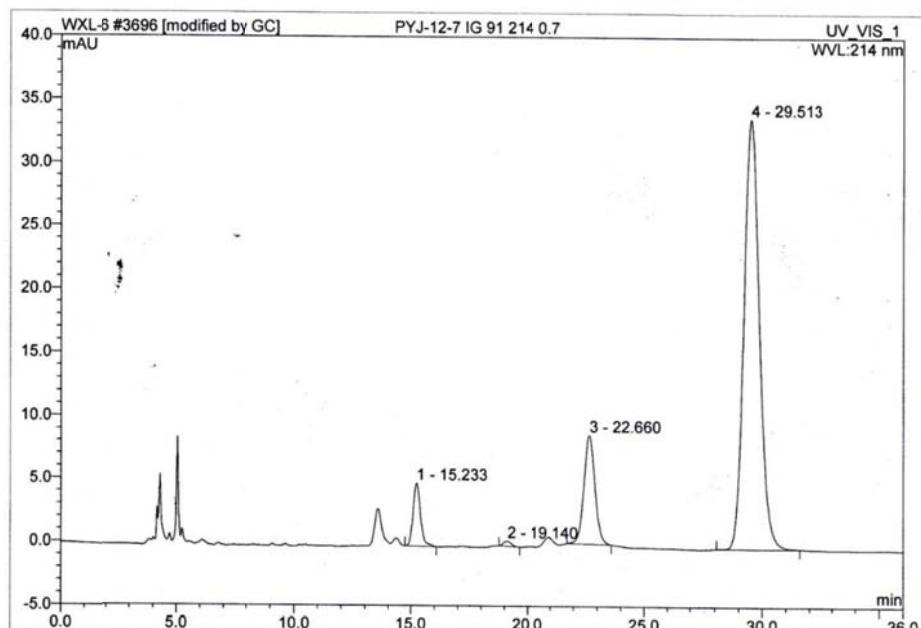


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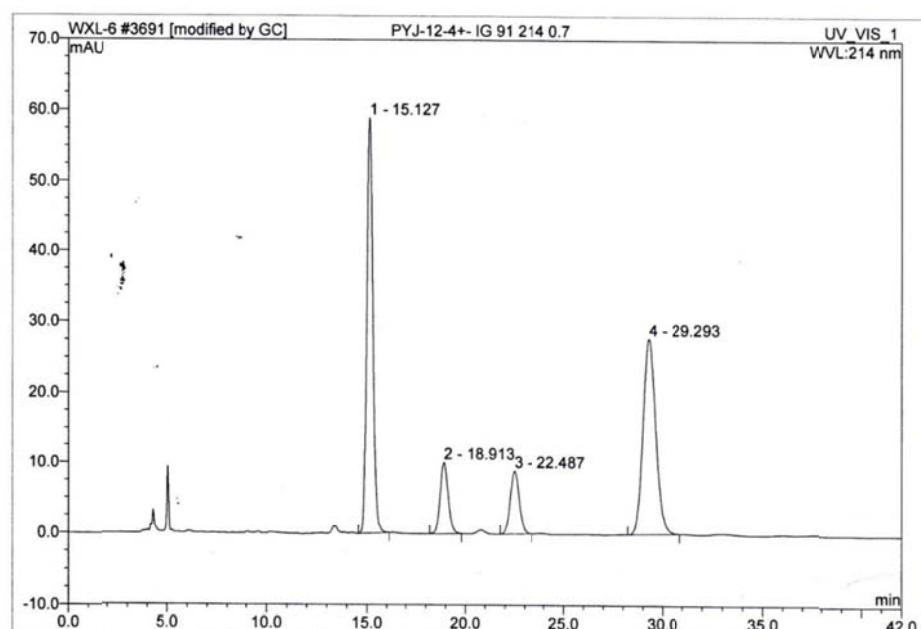


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2	11.60	n.a.	33.480	7.932	11.78	n.a.	BMB
3	12.62	n.a.	30.796	8.022	11.92	n.a.	BMB
4	13.69	n.a.	90.337	25.563	37.97	n.a.	BMB
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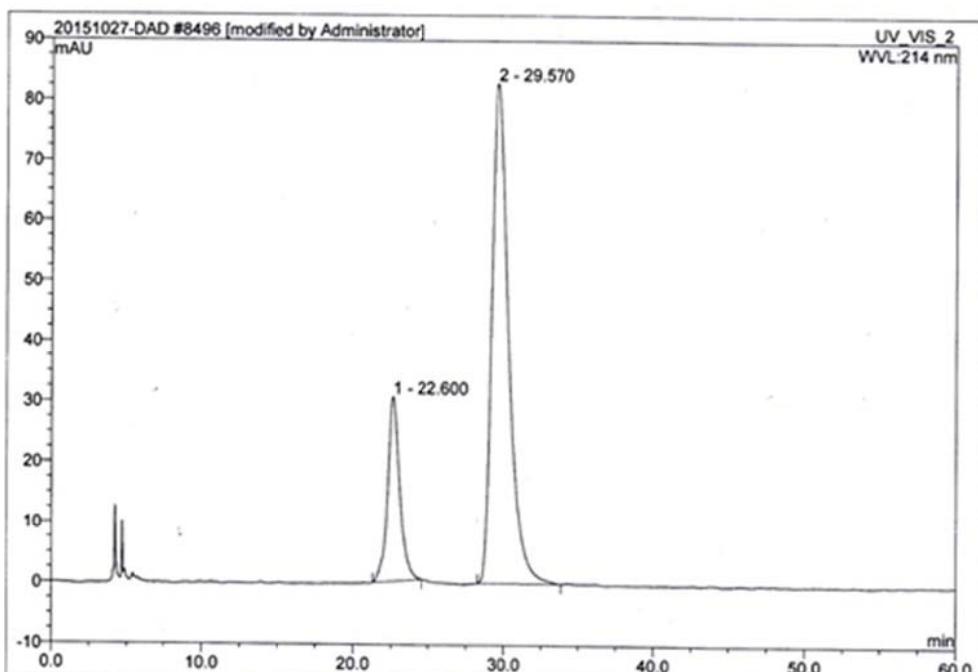


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2	19.14	n.a.	0.390	0.152	0.47	n.a.	BMB*
3	22.66	n.a.	8.665	4.754	14.63	n.a.	BMB*
4	29.51	n.a.	34.100	25.749	79.24	n.a.	BMB*
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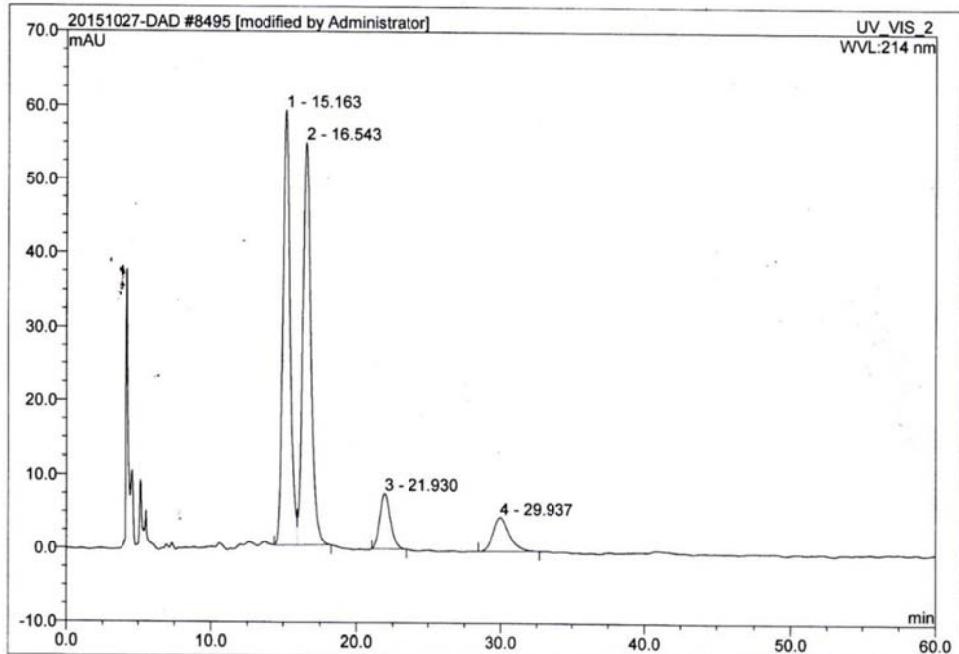


No.	Ret.Time min	Peak Name	Height mAU	Area mAU*min	Rel.Area %	Amount	Type
1	15.13	n.a.	59.022	20.807	40.75	n.a.	BMB*
2	18.91	n.a.	10.248	4.800	9.40	n.a.	BMB*
3	22.49	n.a.	9.073	4.780	9.36	n.a.	BMB*
4	29.29	n.a.	27.844	20.672	40.49	n.a.	BMB*
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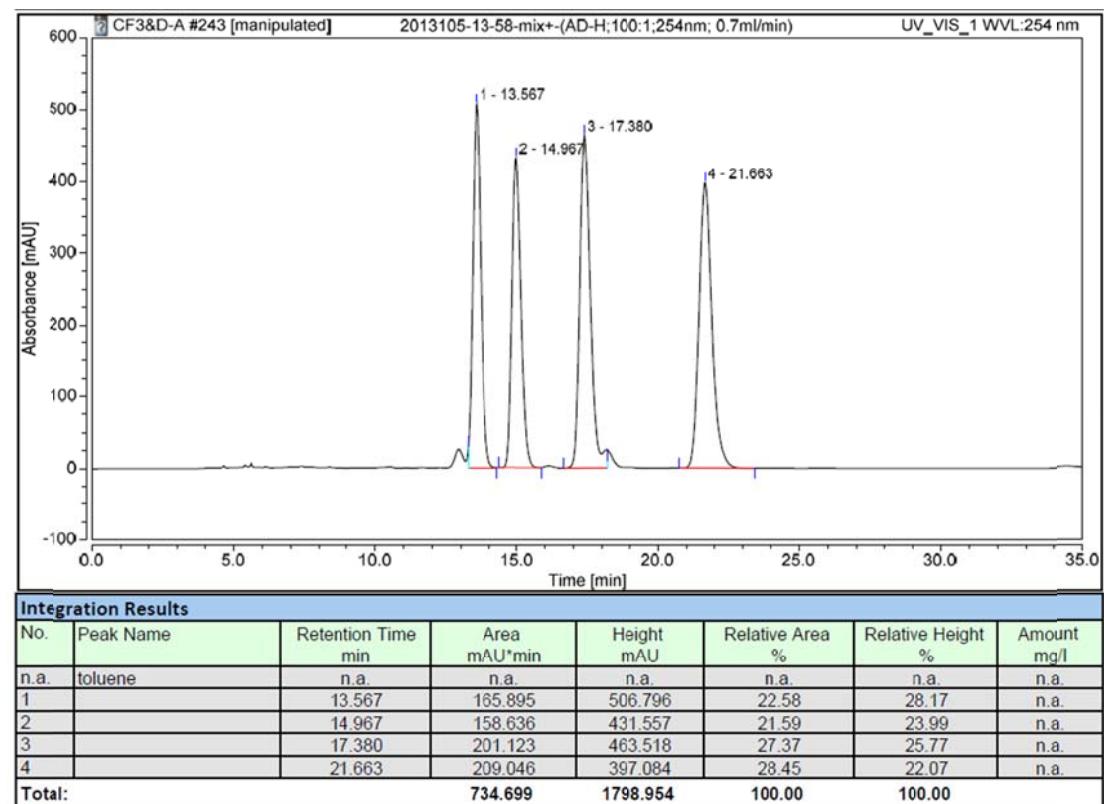
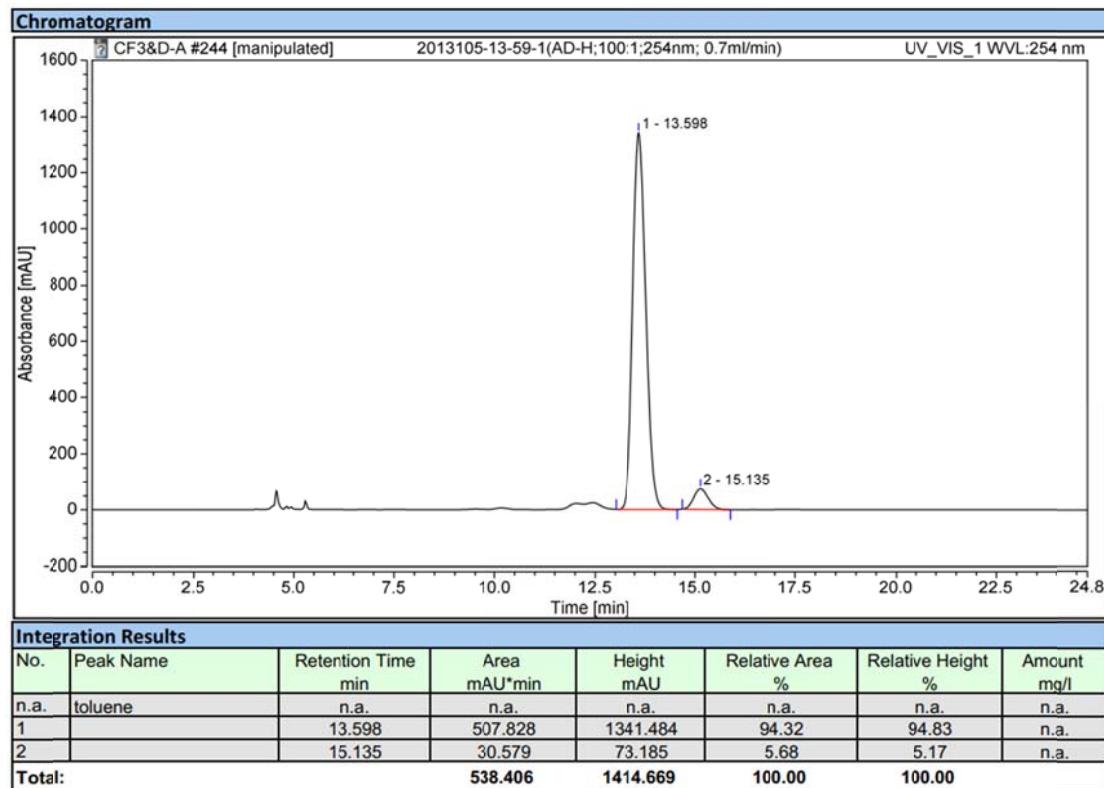


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1	22.60	n.a.	30.544	28.117	20.64	n.a.	BMB*
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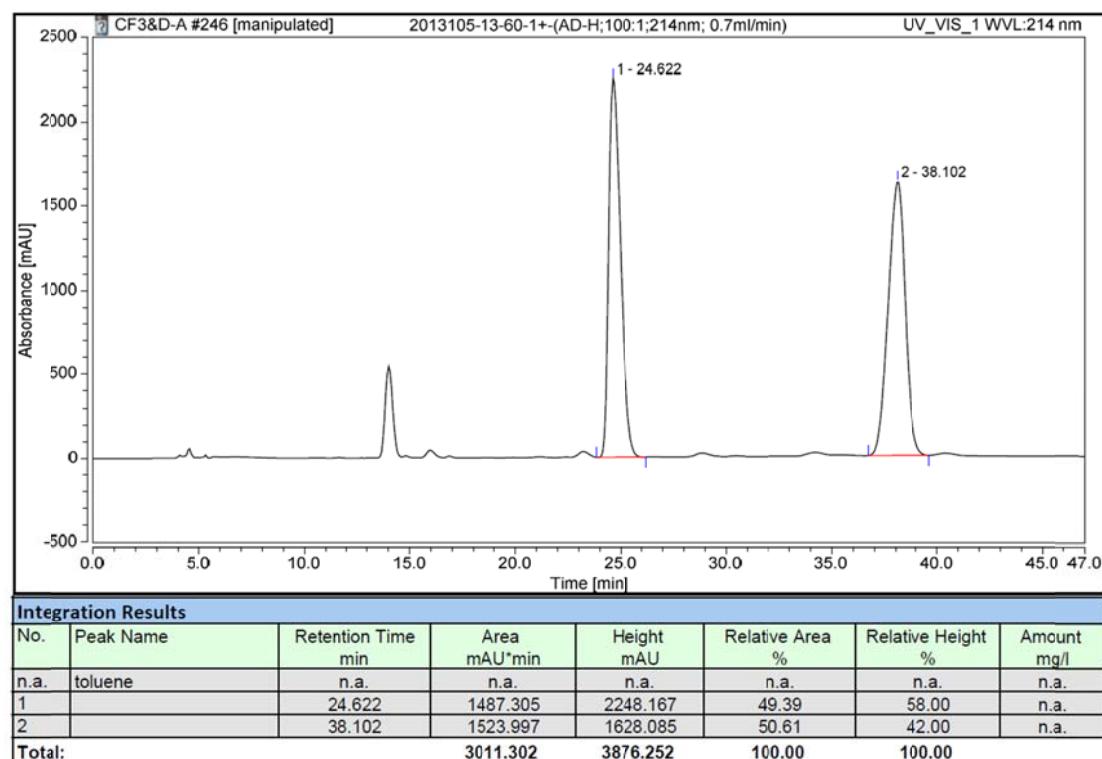
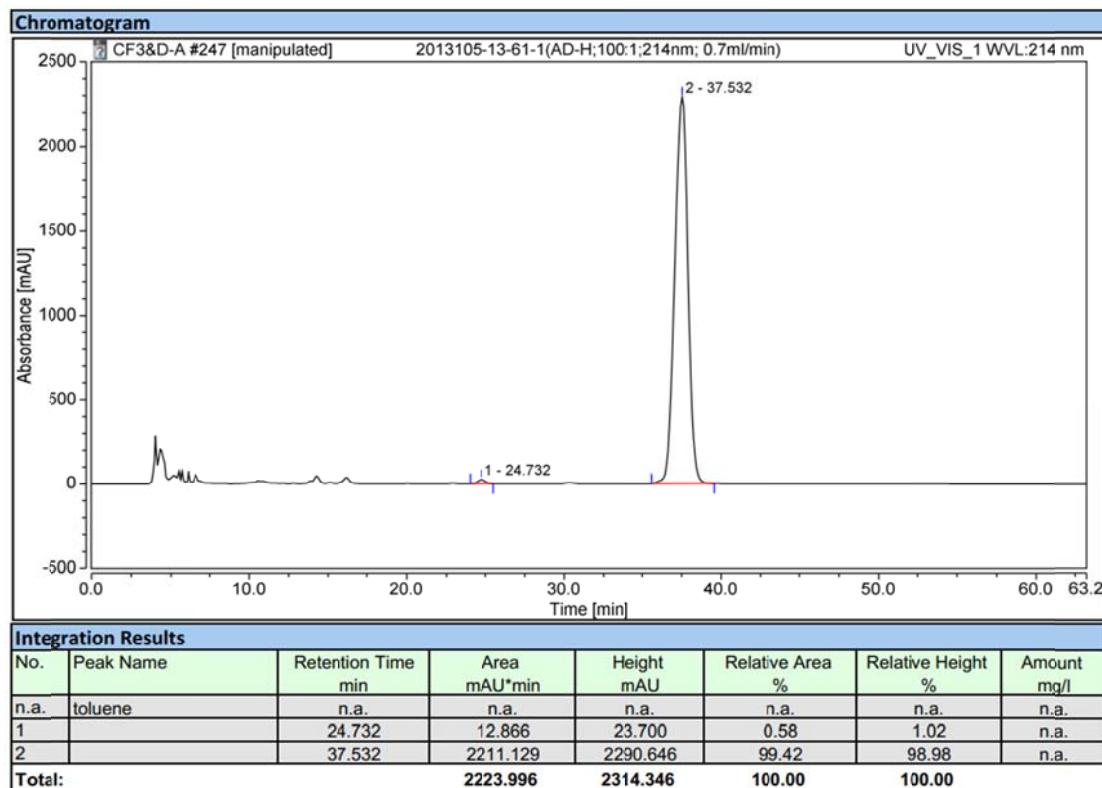


No.	Ret.Time min	Peak Name	Height mAU	Area mAU*min	Rel.Area %	Amount	Type
1	15.16	n.a.	58.951	33.623	41.40	n.a.	BM *
2	16.54	n.a.	54.523	35.072	43.18	n.a.	MB*
3	21.93	n.a.	7.604	6.465	7.96	n.a.	BMB*
4	29.94	n.a.	4.630	6.057	7.46	n.a.	BMB*
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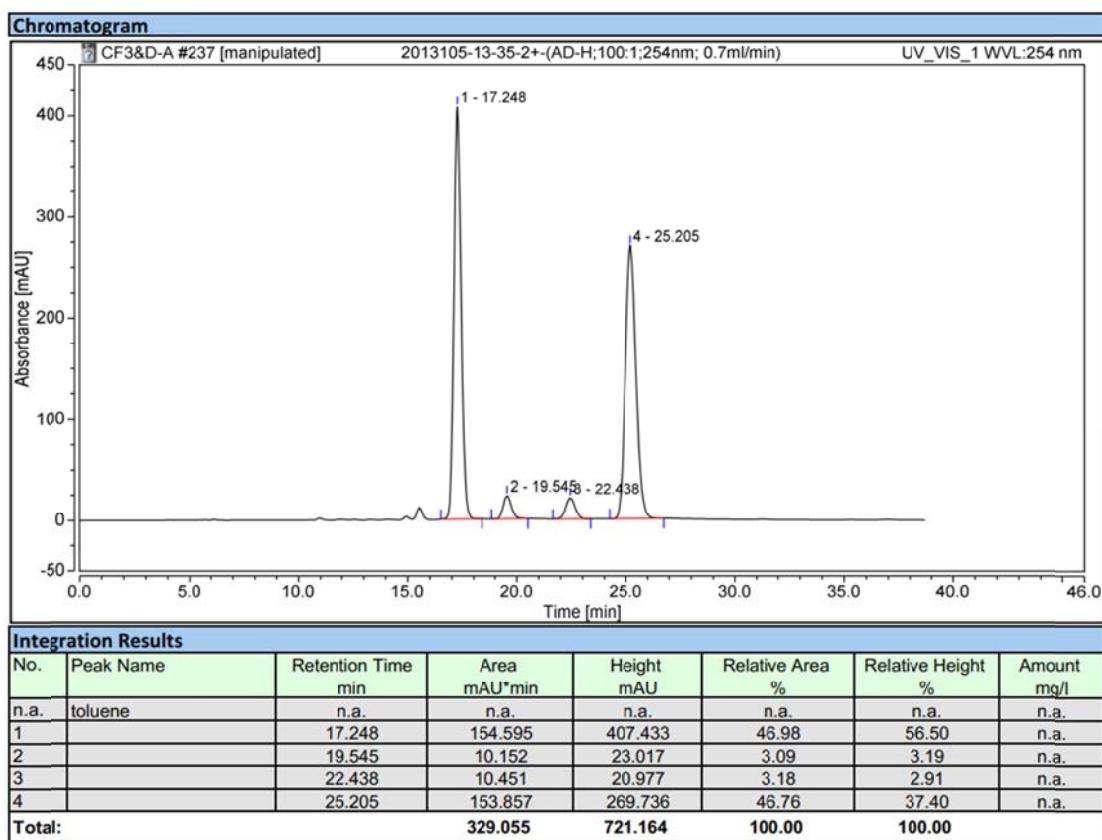
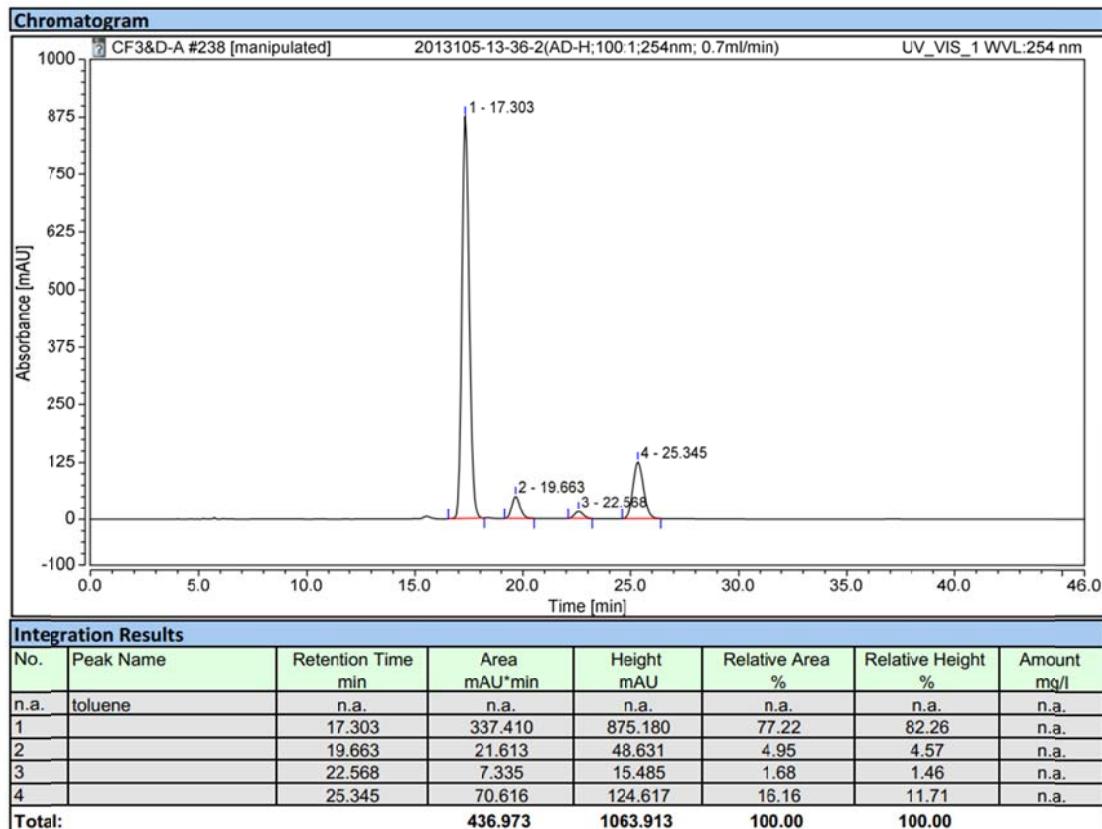
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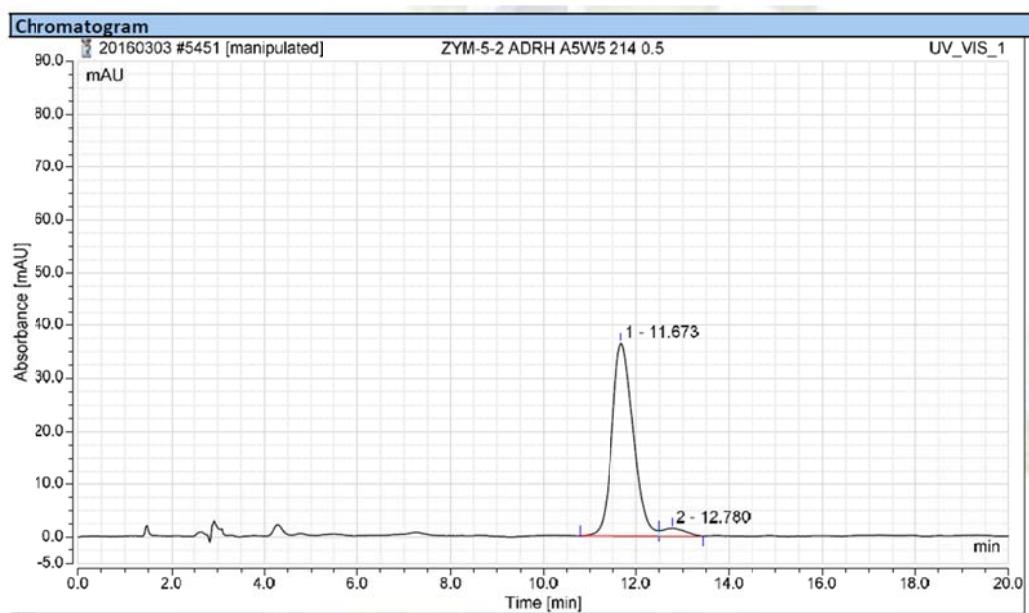
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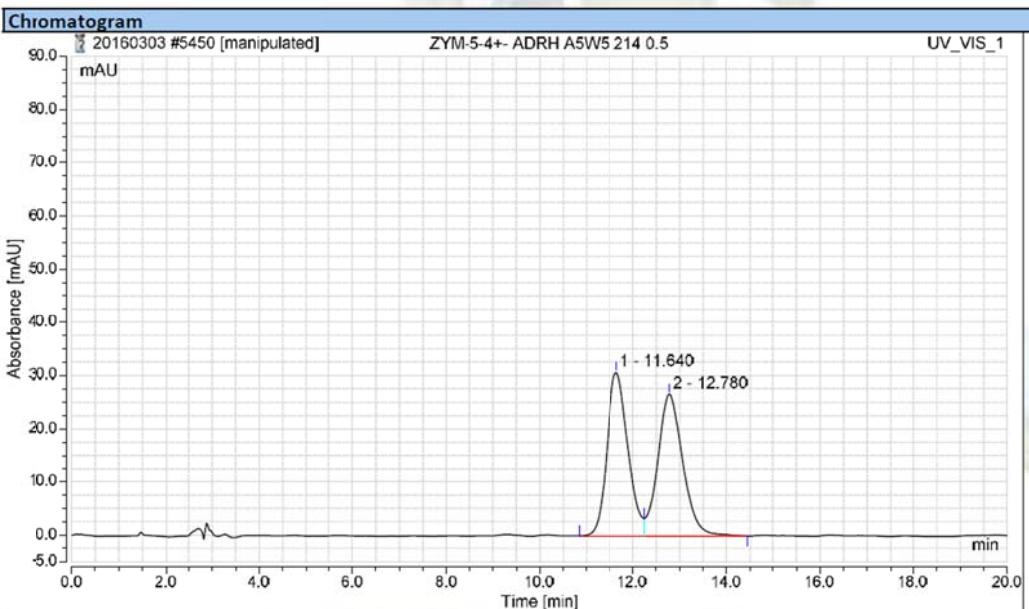
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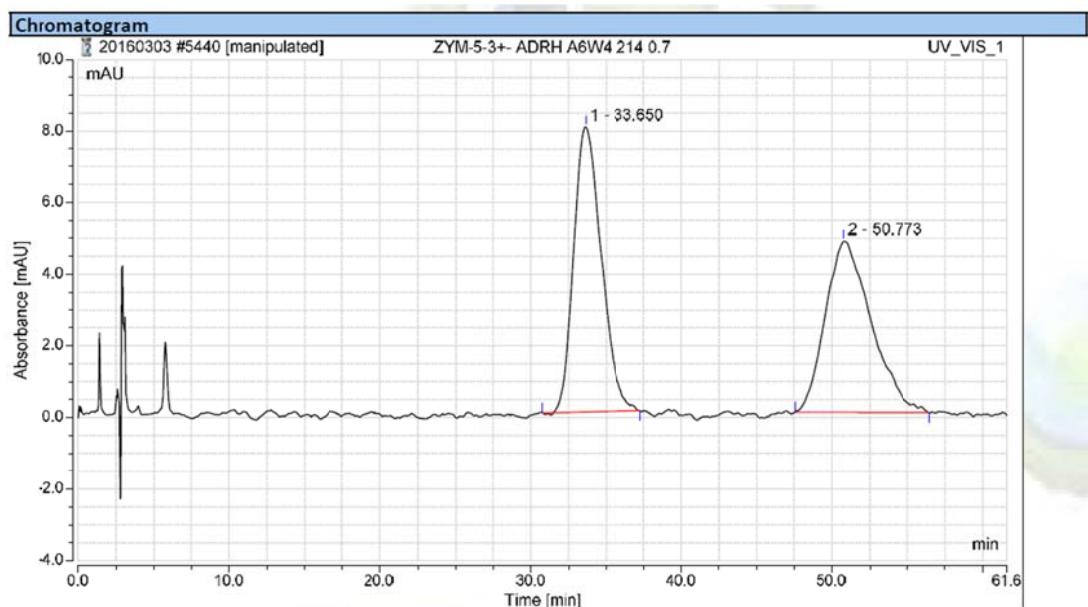
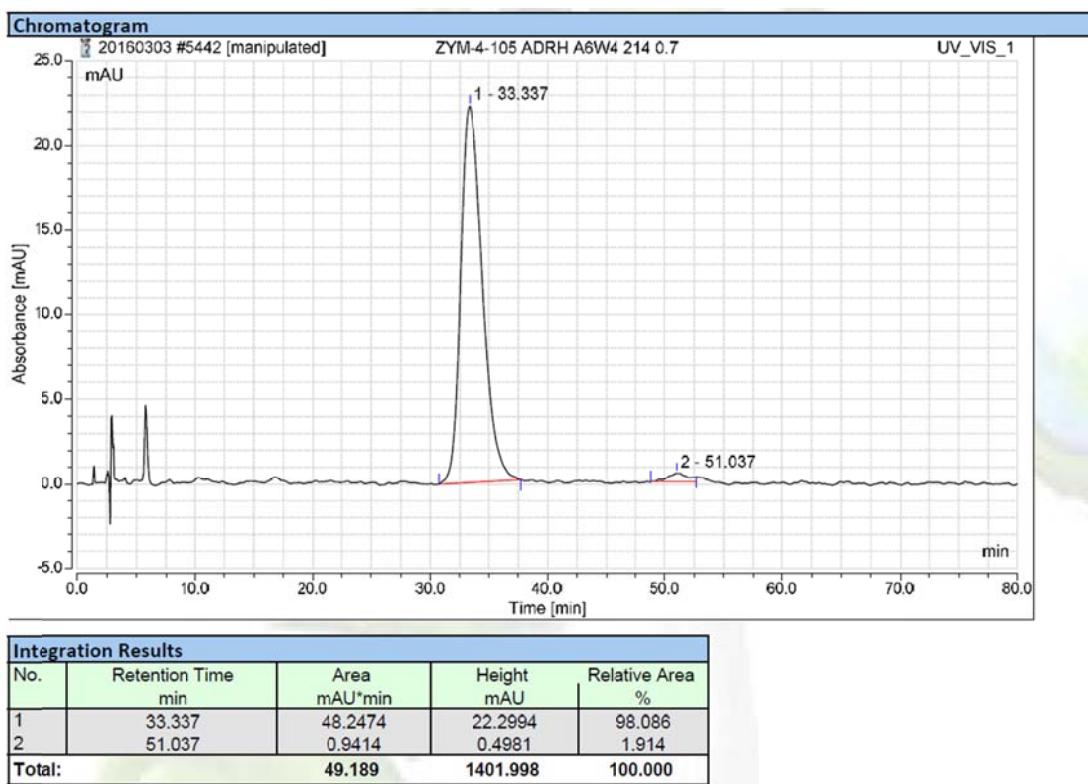


Integration Results				
No.	Retention Time min	Area mAU*min	Height mAU	Relative Area %
1	11.673	19.4920	36.4224	95.981
2	12.780	0.8161	1.4592	4.019
Total:		20.308	1401.998	100.000



Integration Results				
No.	Retention Time min	Area mAU*min	Height mAU	Relative Area %
1	11.640	16.3680	30.8136	49.780
2	12.780	16.5130	26.6937	50.220
Total:		32.881	1401.998	100.000

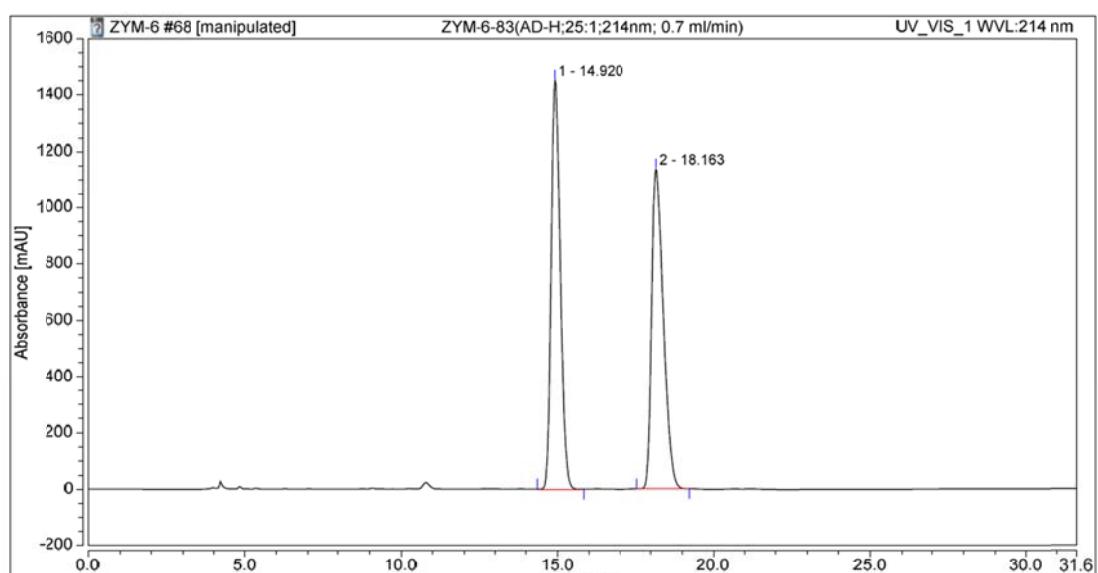
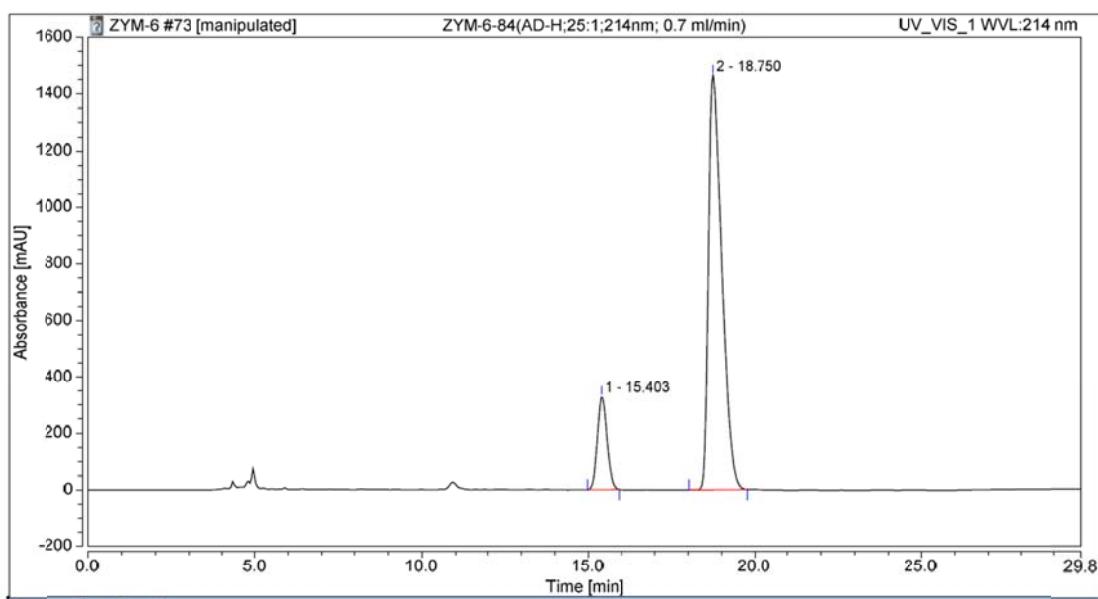
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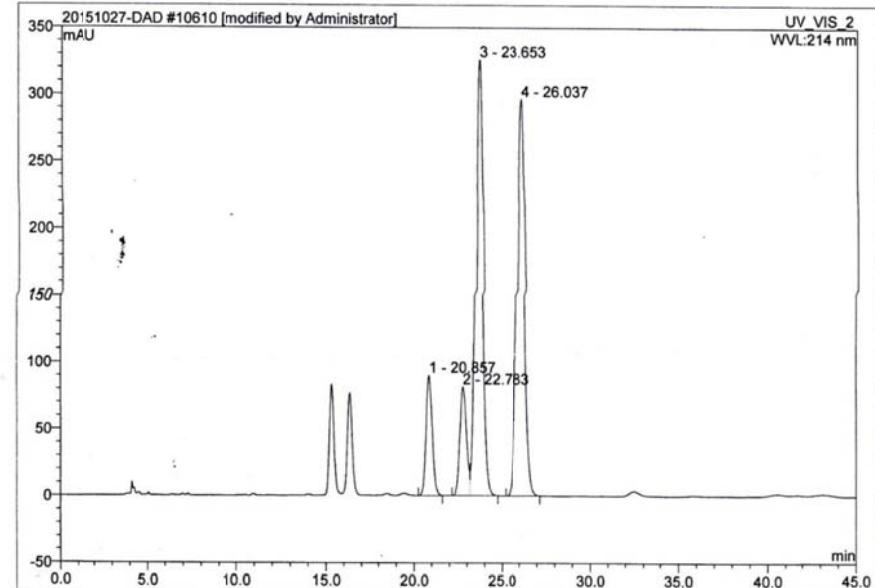
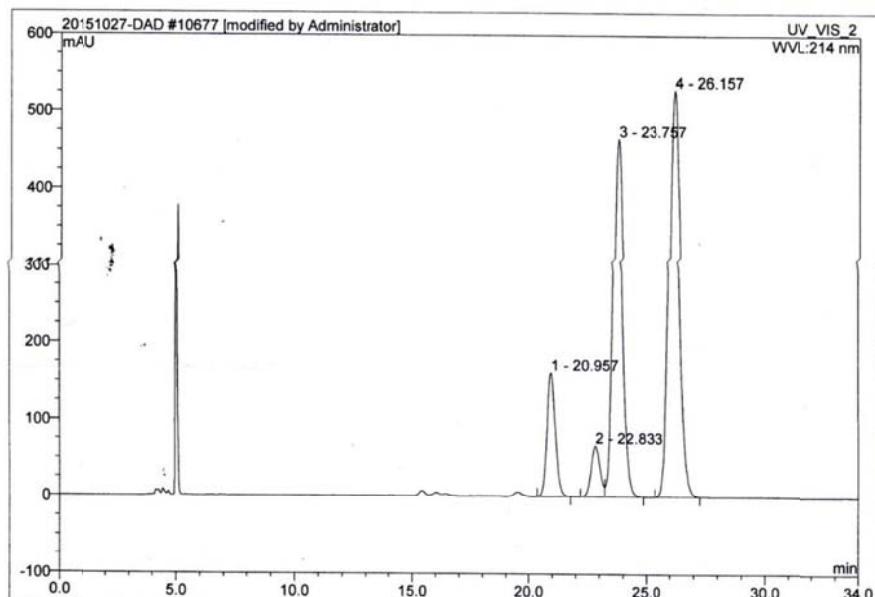
Integration Results

No.	Retention Time min	Area mAU*min	Height mAU	Relative Area %
1	33.650	16.8446	7.9743	50.324
2	50.773	16.6274	4.7830	49.676
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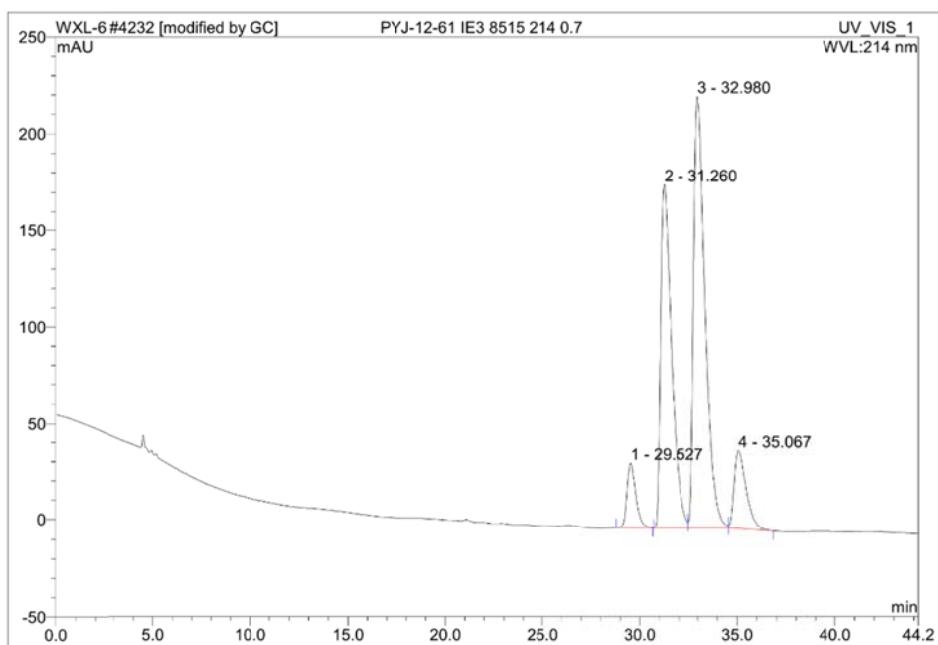


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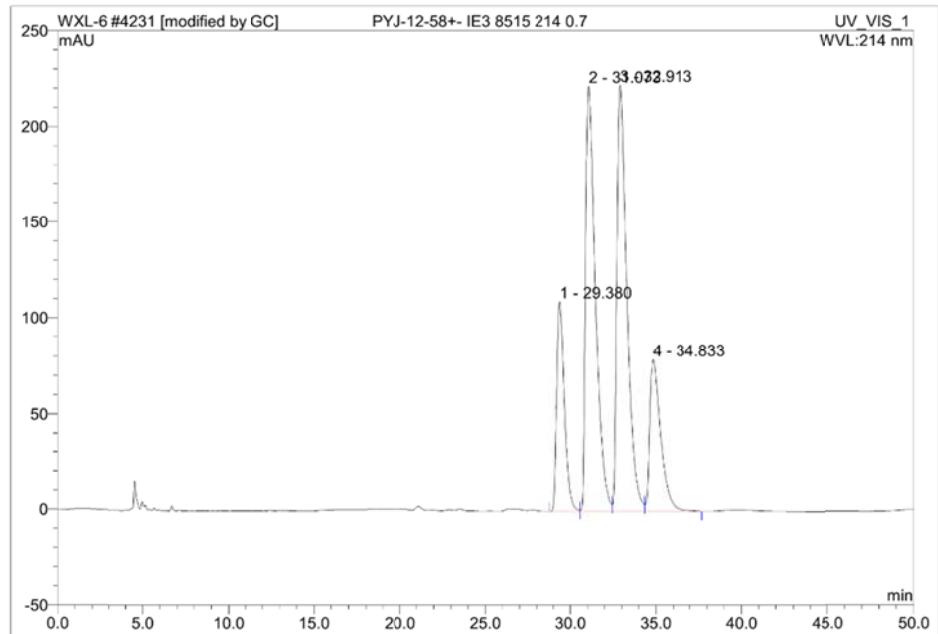


No.	Ret.Time min	Peak Name	Height mAU	Area mAU·min	Rel.Area %	Amount	Type
1	20.86	n.a.	89.412	36.487	9.52	n.a.	BMB
2	22.78	n.a.	80.883	35.550	9.27	n.a.	BM
3	23.65	n.a.	325.814	156.025	40.70	n.a.	MB
4	26.04	n.a.	296.849	155.252	40.50	n.a.	BMB
Total:			792.958	383.313	100.00	0.000	

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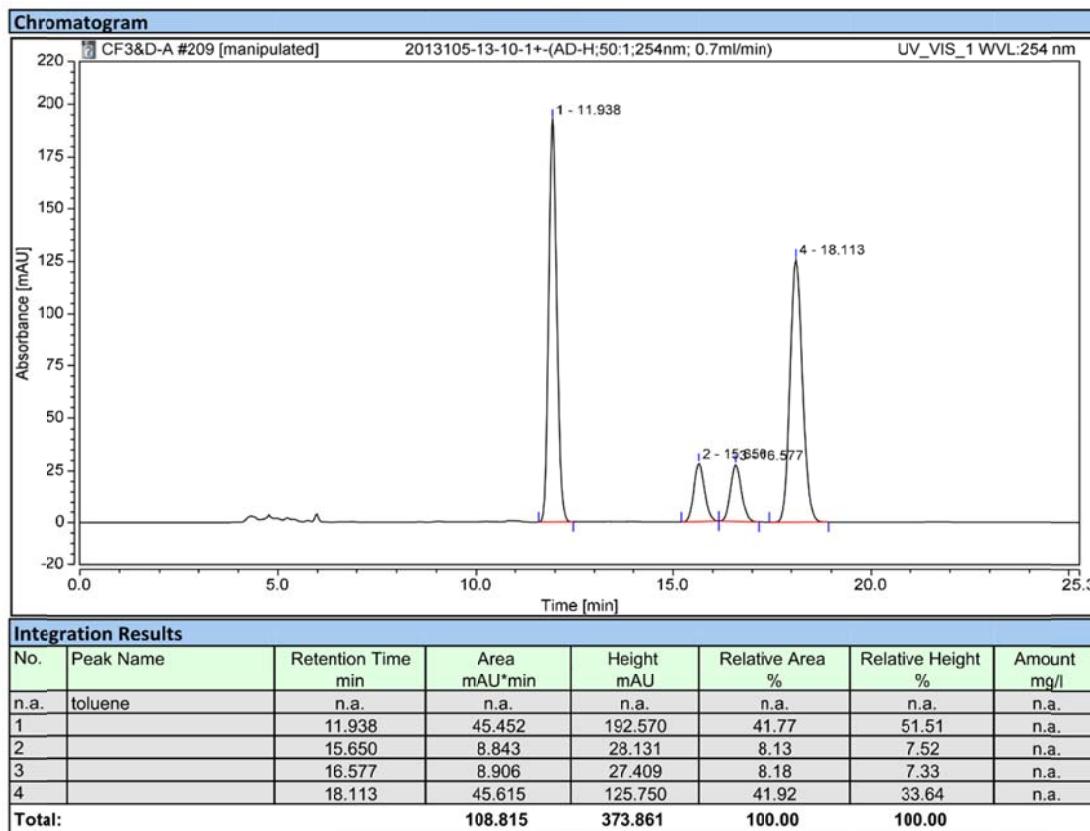
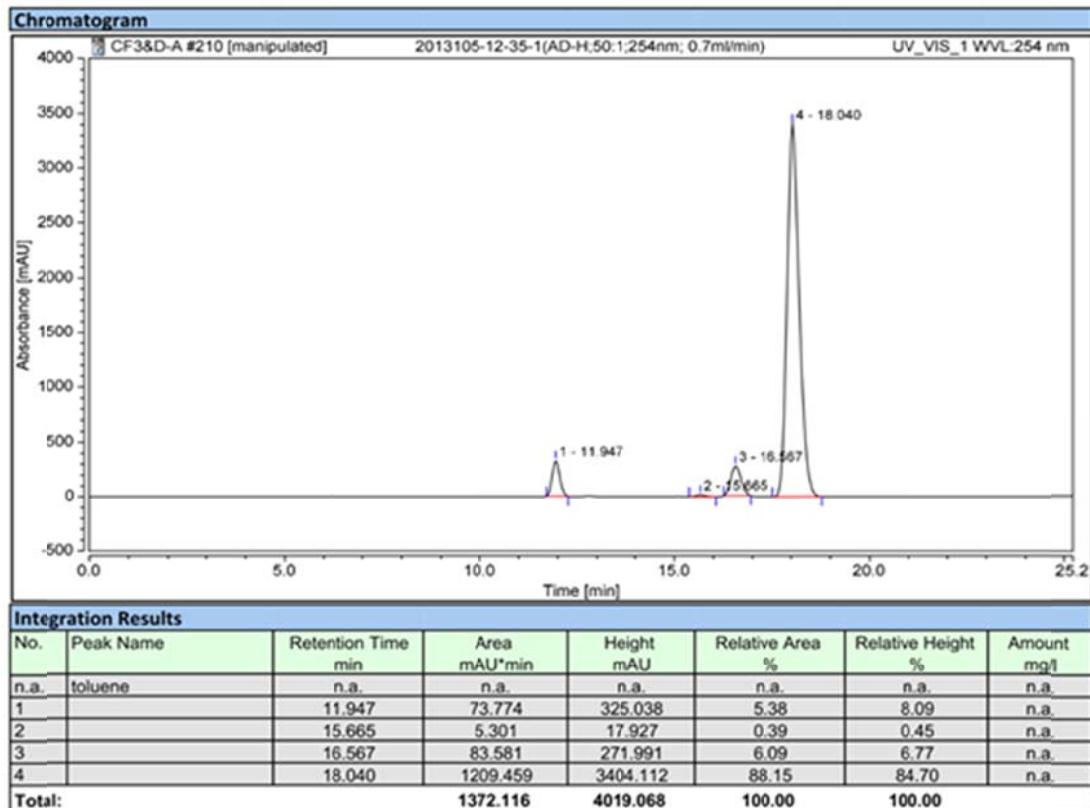


No.	Ret.Time min	Peak Name	Height mAU	Area mAU*min	Rel.Area %	Amount	Type
1	29.53	n.a.	33.546	17.584	5.58	n.a.	BMB*
2	31.26	n.a.	177.719	117.170	37.21	n.a.	BM *
3	32.98	n.a.	223.387	151.661	48.16	n.a.	M *
4	35.07	n.a.	40.371	28.512	9.05	n.a.	MB*
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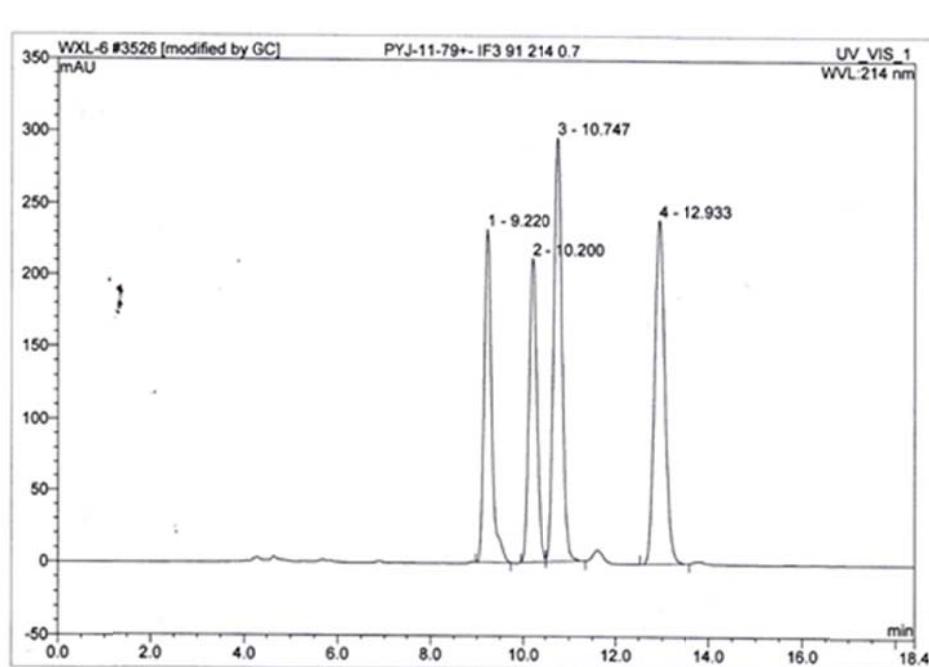
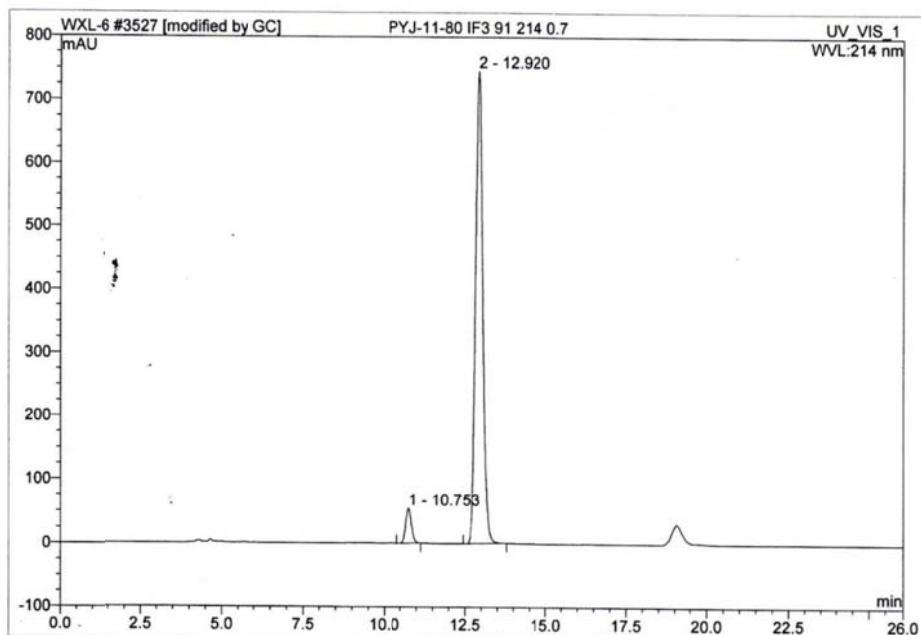


No.	Ret.Time min	Peak Name	Height mAU	Area mAU*min	Rel.Area %	Amount	Type
1	29.38	n.a.	109.512	57.209	13.76	n.a.	BM
2	31.07	n.a.	222.033	148.838	35.81	n.a.	M
3	32.91	n.a.	222.552	150.356	36.17	n.a.	M
4	34.83	n.a.	79.187	59.261	14.26	n.a.	MB
Total:			633.284	415.664	100.00	0.000	

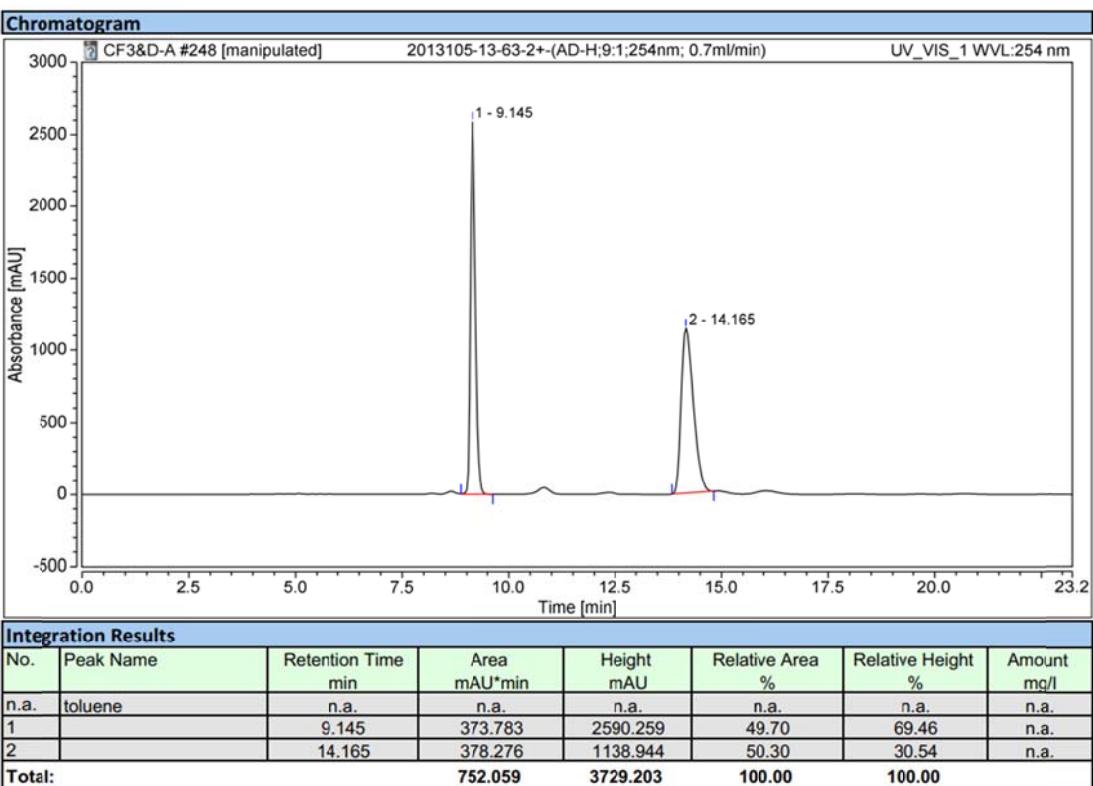
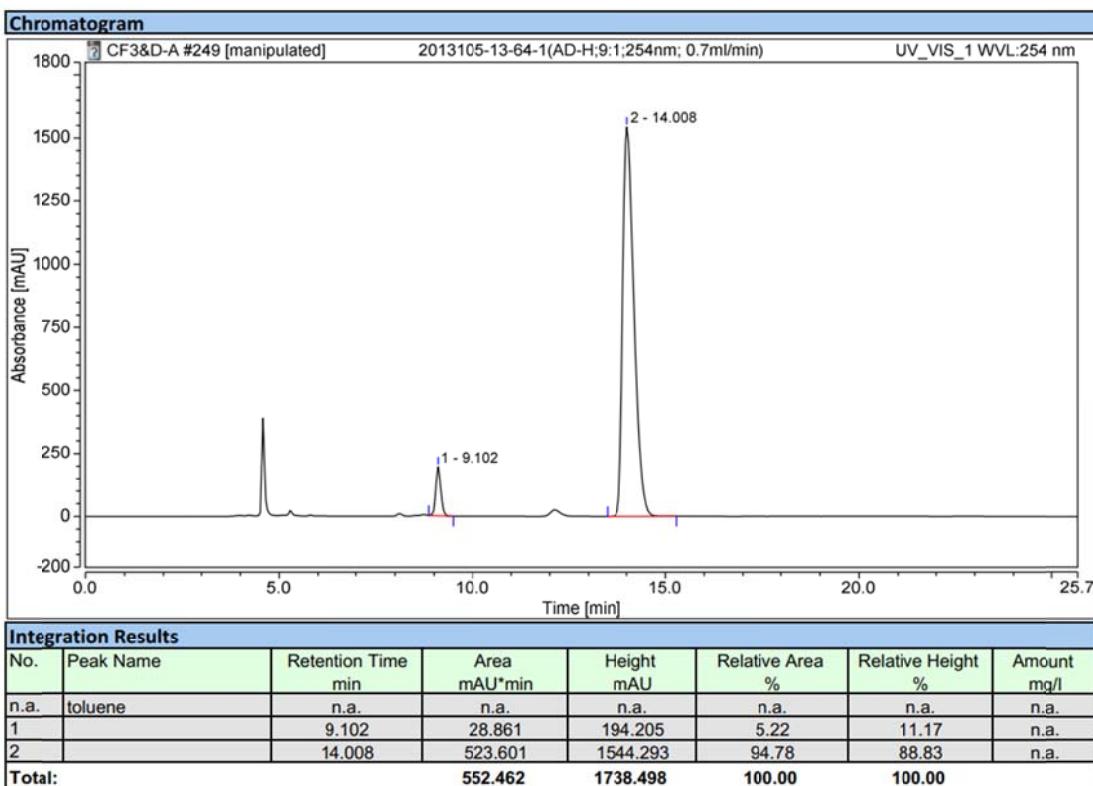
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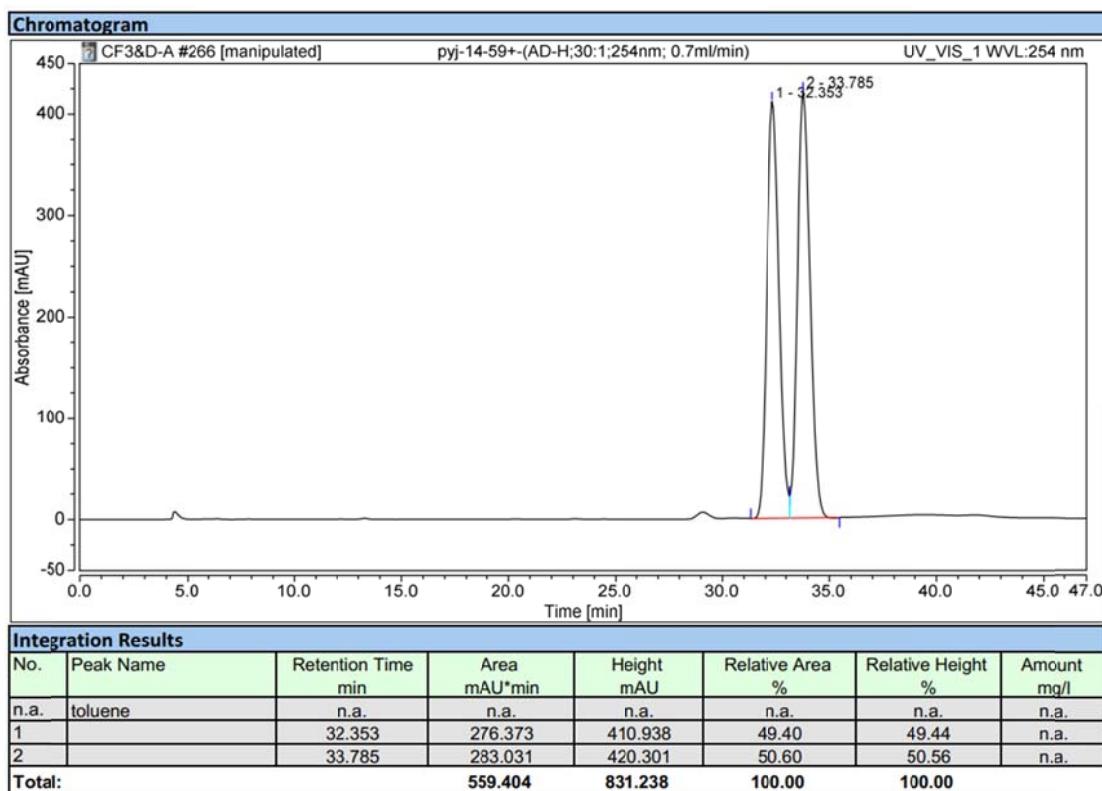
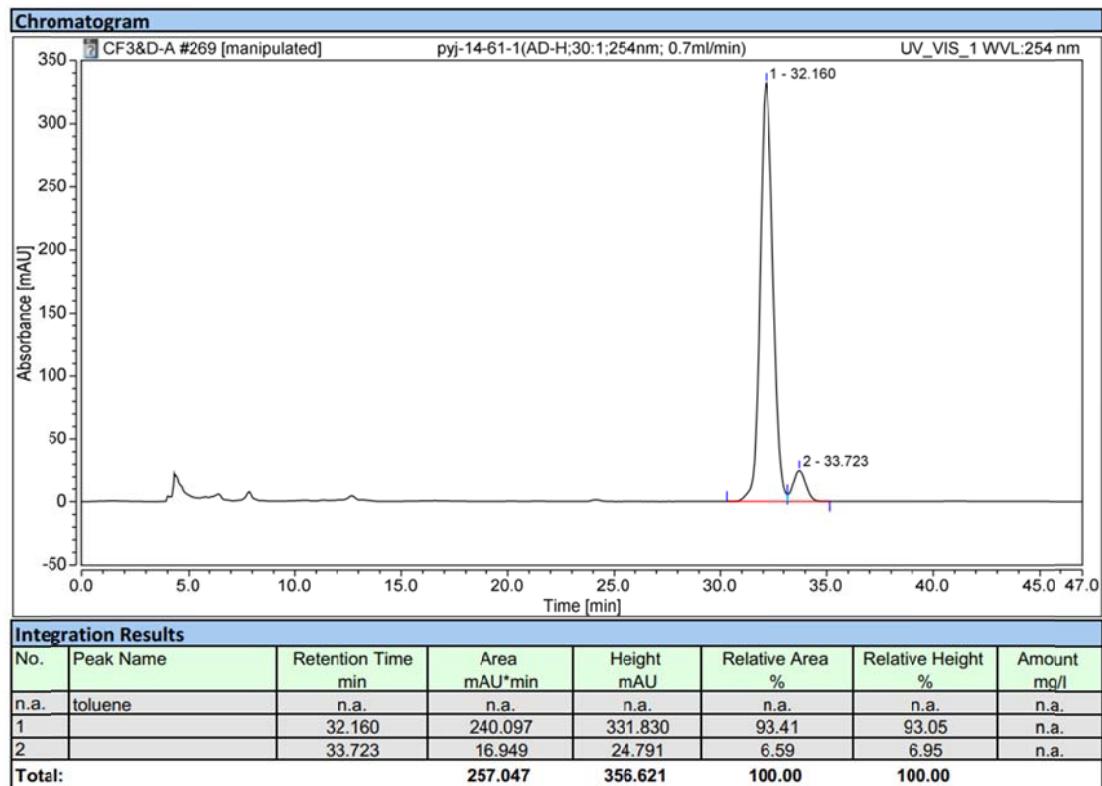
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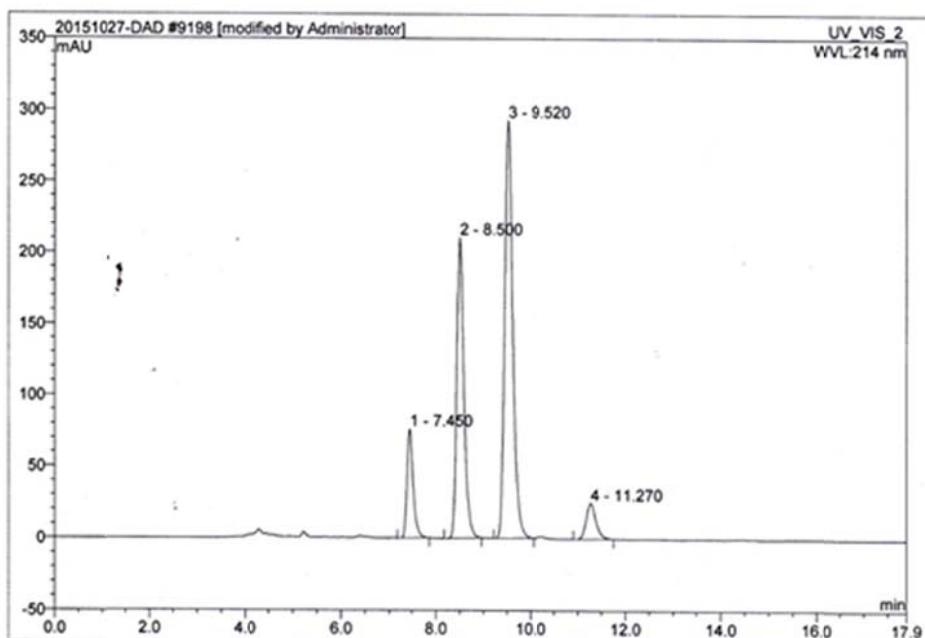
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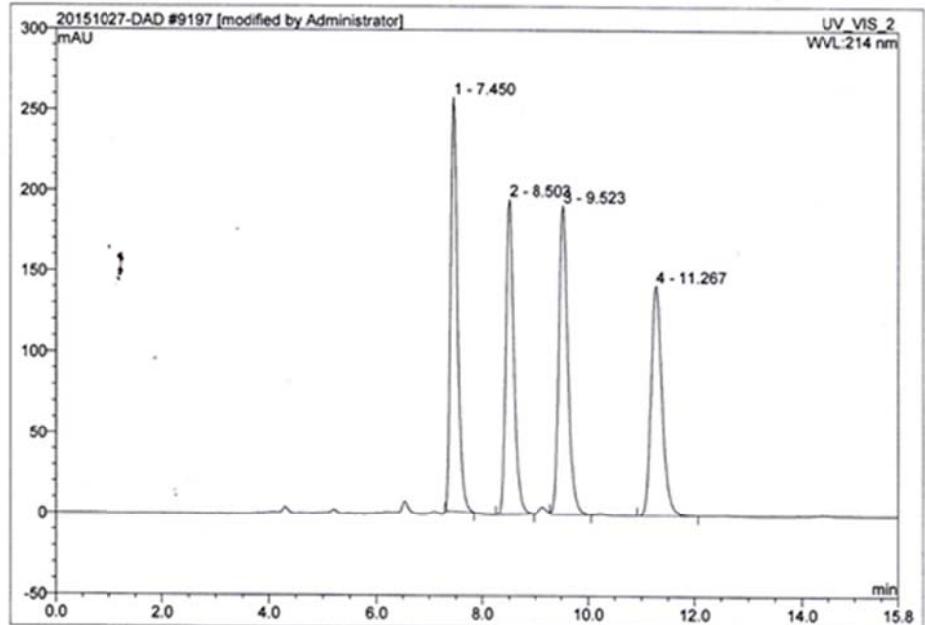
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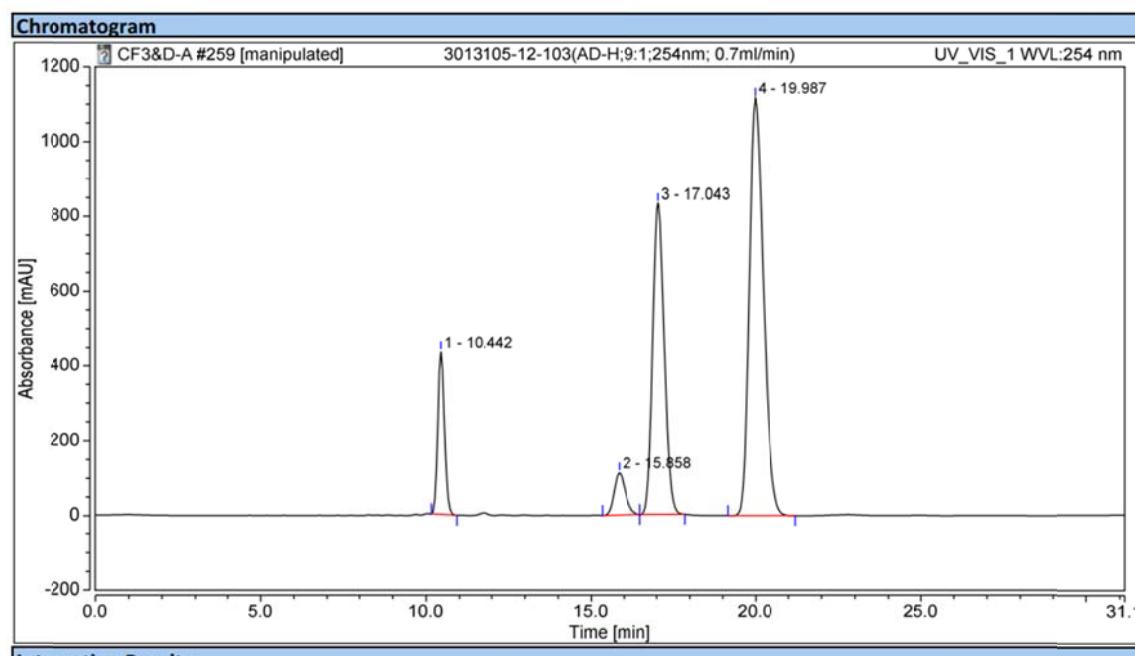


No.	Ret.Time min	Peak Name	Height mAU	Area mAU*min	Rel.Area %	Amount	Type
1	7.45	n.a.	76.351	11.444	10.26	n.a.	BMB*
2	8.50	n.a.	210.385	36.666	32.88	n.a.	BMB*
3	9.52	n.a.	292.917	57.374	51.45	n.a.	BMB*
4	11.27	n.a.	25.540	6.025	5.40	n.a.	BMB*
Total:			605.193	111.509	100.00	0.000	



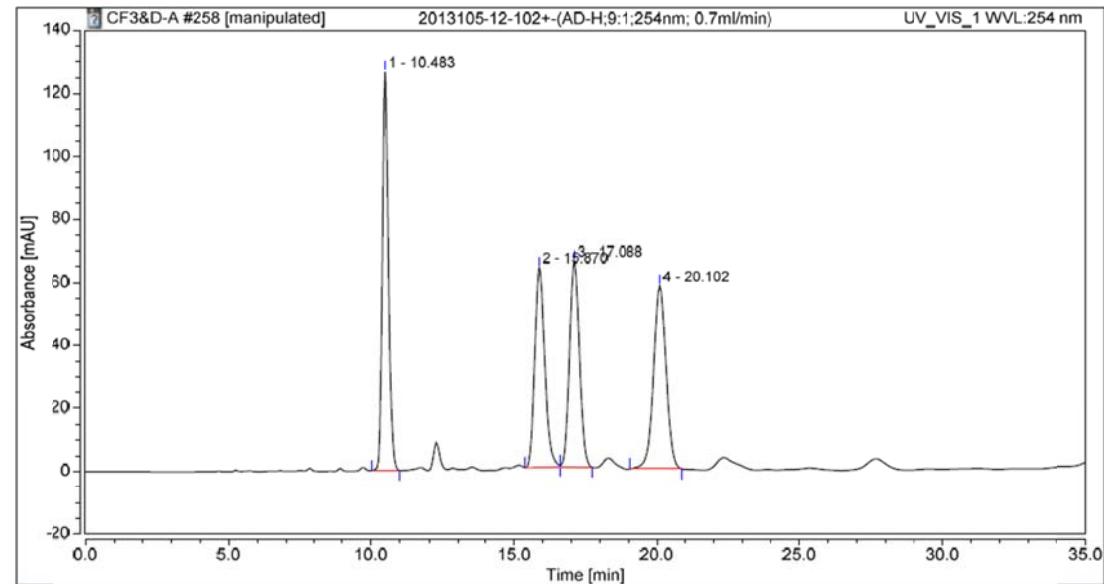
No.	Ret.Time min	Peak Name	Height mAU	Area mAU*min	Rel.Area %	Amount	Type
1	7.45	n.a.	256.525	38.579	26.80	n.a.	BMB*
2	8.50	n.a.	194.837	33.895	23.54	n.a.	BMB*
3	9.52	n.a.	191.157	37.551	26.08	n.a.	MB*
4	11.27	n.a.	142.404	33.940	23.58	n.a.	BMB
Total:			784.922	143.964	100.00	0.000	

HPLC of 3z



Integration Results

No.	Peak Name	Retention Time min	Area mAU*min	Height mAU	Relative Area %	Relative Height %	Amount mg/l
n.a.	toluene	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1		10.442	100.694	434.934	9.66	17.43	n.a.
2		15.858	45.072	112.755	4.33	4.52	n.a.
3		17.043	338.274	830.774	32.47	33.30	n.a.
4		19.987	557.903	1116.383	53.54	44.75	n.a.
Total:			1041.942	2494.846	100.00	100.00	



Integration Results

No.	Peak Name	Retention Time min	Area mAU*min	Height mAU	Relative Area %	Relative Height %	Amount mg/l
n.a.	toluene	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1		10.483	30.445	126.475	27.18	40.31	n.a.
2		15.870	25.712	63.518	22.95	20.25	n.a.
3		17.088	26.241	65.507	23.43	20.88	n.a.
4		20.102	29.618	58.218	26.44	18.56	n.a.
Total:			112.015	313.717	100.00	100.00	