

*Supporting Information*

**'BuOLi Promoted Terminal Alkynes Functionalizations by Aliphatic Thiols and Alcohols**

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**Table S1.** Optimization of base for **4ab**

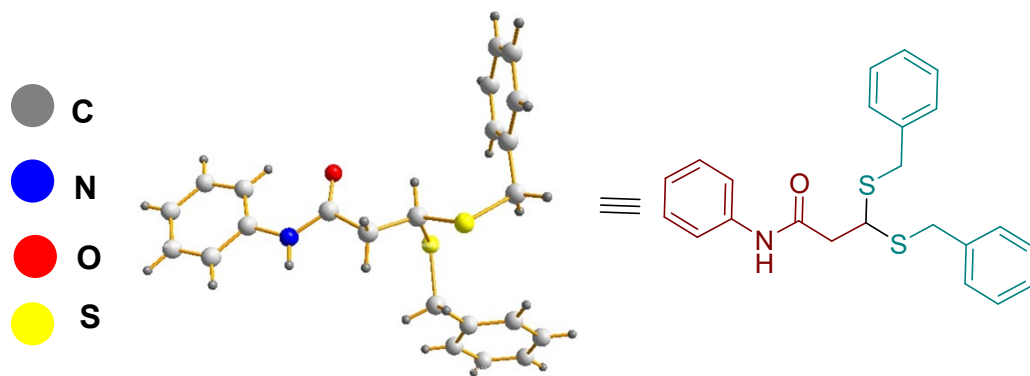
<b>Entry</b>	<b>Base (mol %)</b>	<b>Yield of 4ab (%)<sup>a</sup></b>
1	<sup>t</sup> BuOLi (10.0)	51
2	<sup>t</sup> BuOLi (15.0)	69
3	<sup>t</sup> BuOLi (20.0)	62

<sup>a</sup>Isolated yields after column chromatography, Standard reaction conditions: **1a** (60 mg, 0.413 mmol), and <sup>t</sup>BuOLi (5 mg, 0.062 mmol) in 1 mL dry EtOH at inert atmosphere for 30 h.

### **Crystallographic Investigation**

The compound **3ad** was recrystallized by the slow evaporation of ethanol and water mixture (ca. 50%). The crystals data were collected with Bruker SMART D8 goniometer equipped with an APEX CCD detector and with an INCOATEC micro source (Cu-K $\alpha$  radiation,  $\lambda = 1.54184 \text{ \AA}$ ). SAINT<sup>+1</sup> and SADABS<sup>2</sup> were used to integrate the intensities and to correct the absorption respectively. The structure was resolved by direct methods and refined on F<sup>2</sup> with SHELXL-97.<sup>3</sup>

### **Compound (3ad) (CCDC 2044668)**



**Figure S1.** Crystal structure of (**3ad**) (CCDC 2044668).

### Crystallographic Data for (**3ad**)

Empirical formula	C <sub>23</sub> H <sub>23</sub> NOS <sub>2</sub>
Formula weight	393.54
Temperature/K	298.85(10)
Crystal system	Monoclinic
Space group	P2 <sub>1</sub> /c
a/Å	12.4011(2)
b/Å	18.3334(4)
c/Å	9.57886(15)
α/°	90
β/°	91.0519(16)
γ/°	90
Volume/Å <sup>3</sup>	2177.43(7)
Z	4
ρ <sub>calc</sub> /cm <sup>3</sup>	1.200

$\mu/\text{mm}^{-1}$	2.296
F(000)	832.0
Crystal size/ $\text{mm}^3$	$0.2 \times 0.17 \times 0.18$
Radiation	$\text{CuK}\alpha$ ( $\lambda = 1.54184$ )
Reflections collected	33898
Independent reflections	4456 [Rint = 0.0417, Rsigma = 0.0221]
Goodness-of-fit on F2	1.061
Final R indexes [ $I \geq 2\sigma(I)$ ]	R1 = 0.0484, wR2 = 0.1314
Final R indexes [all data]	R1 = 0.0563, wR2 = 0.1371
Largest diff. peak/hole / $\text{e}\ \text{\AA}^{-3}$	0.27/-0.31

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- (1) SAINT+, Bruker AXS Inc., Madison, Wisconsin, USA, 1999 (Program for Reduction of Data collected on Bruker CCD Area Detector Diffractometer V. 6.02.)
- (2) SADABS, Bruker AXS, Madison, Wisconsin, USA, 2004
- (3) Sheldrick, G. A Short History of Shelx. *Acta Crystallogr. Sect. A* **2008**, *64*, 112-122.

## NMR SPECTRA

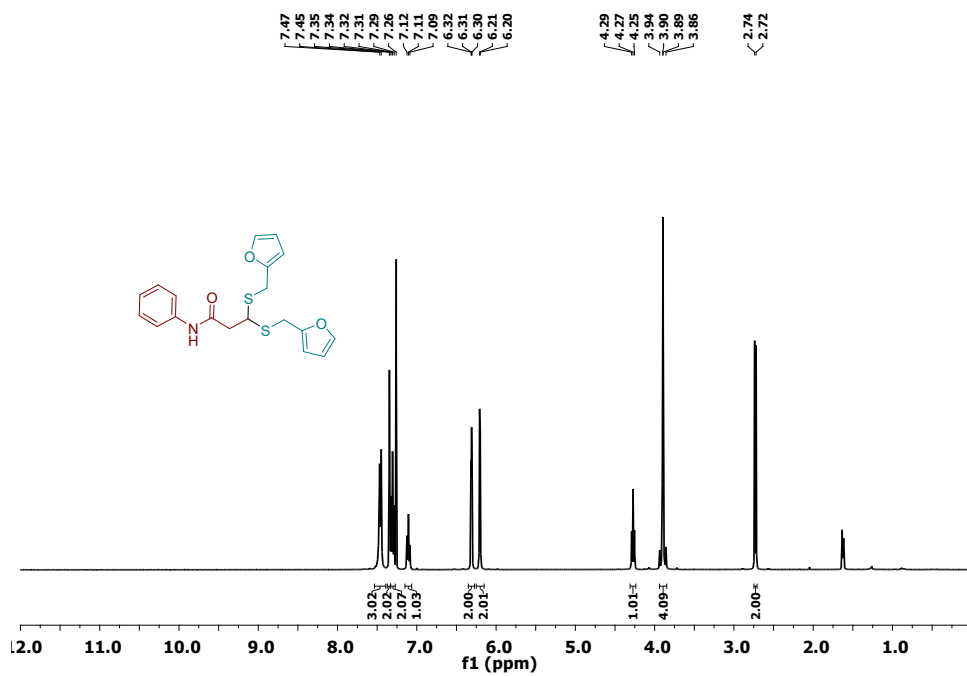


Figure S2. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis((furan-2-ylmethyl)thio)-N-phenylpropanamide (**3aa**)

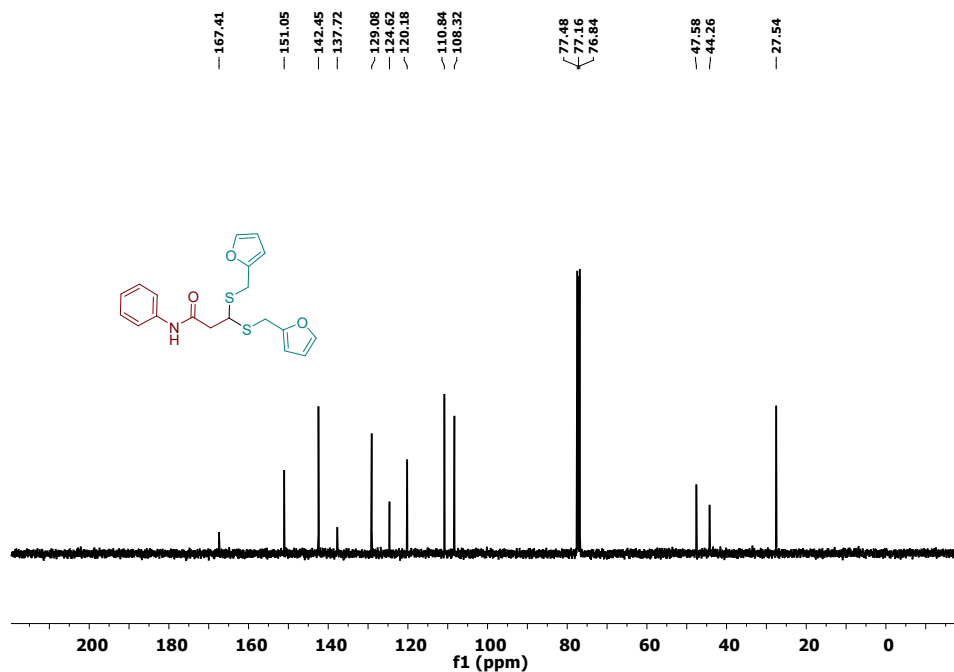


Figure S3. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis((furan-2-ylmethyl)thio)-N-phenylpropanamide (**3aa**)

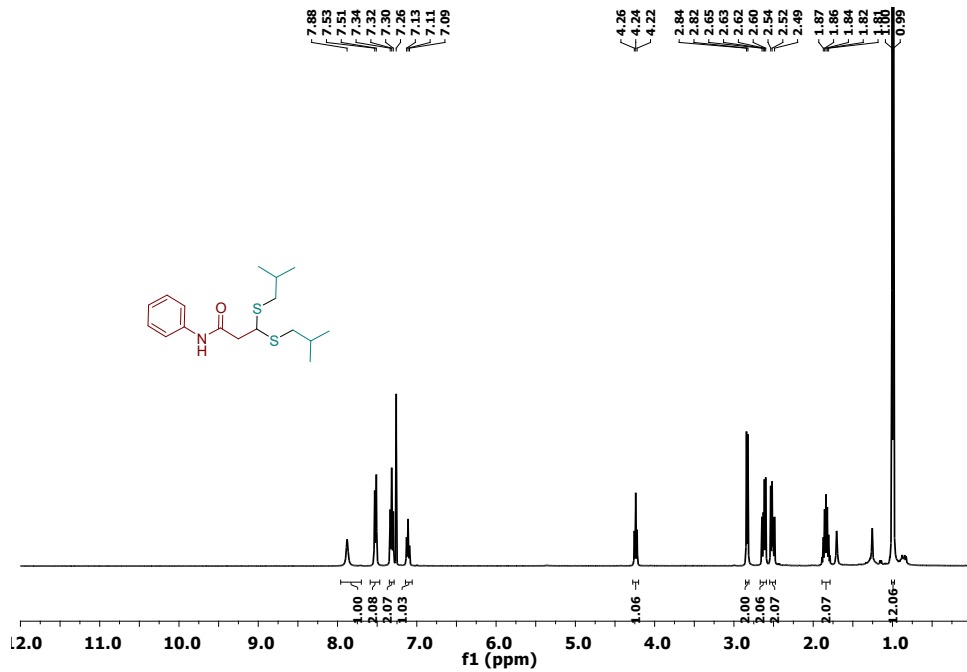


Figure S4.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis(isobutylthio)-N-phenylpropanamide (**3ab**)

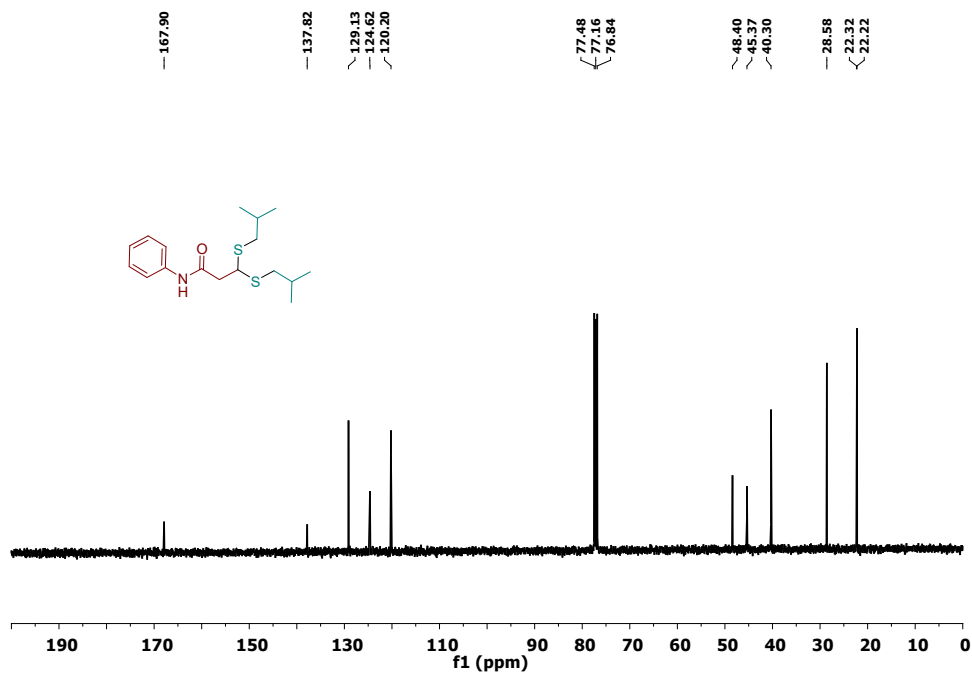


Figure S5.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis(isobutylthio)-N-phenylpropanamide (**3ab**)

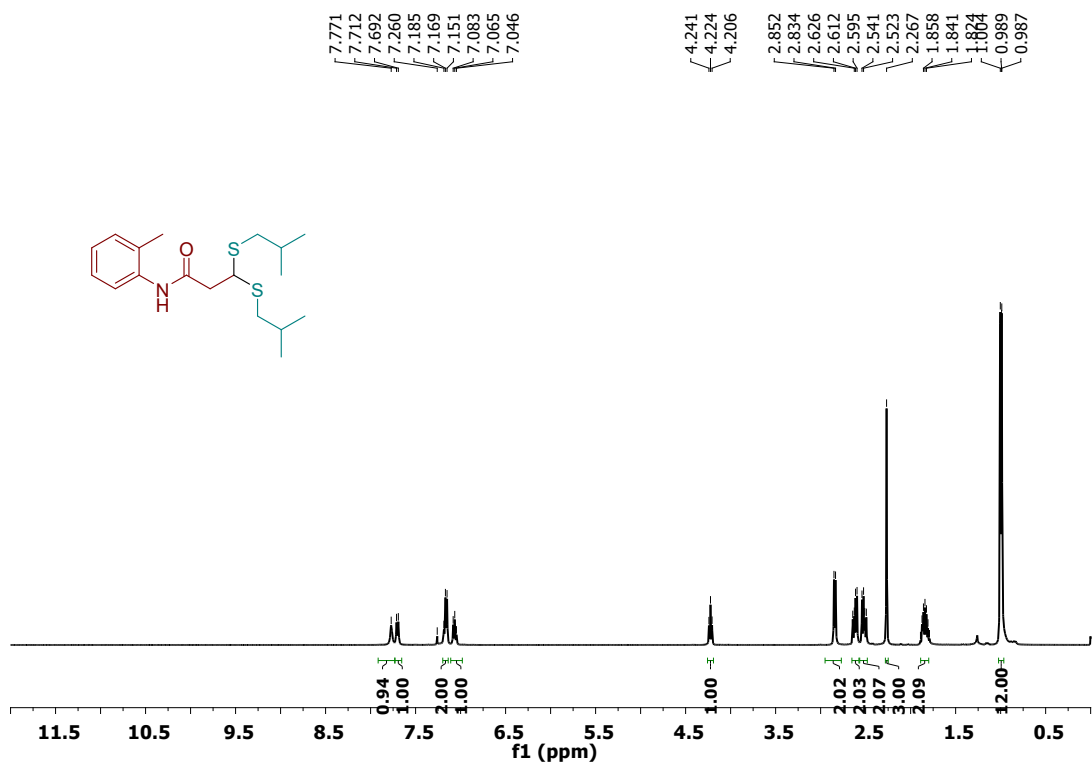
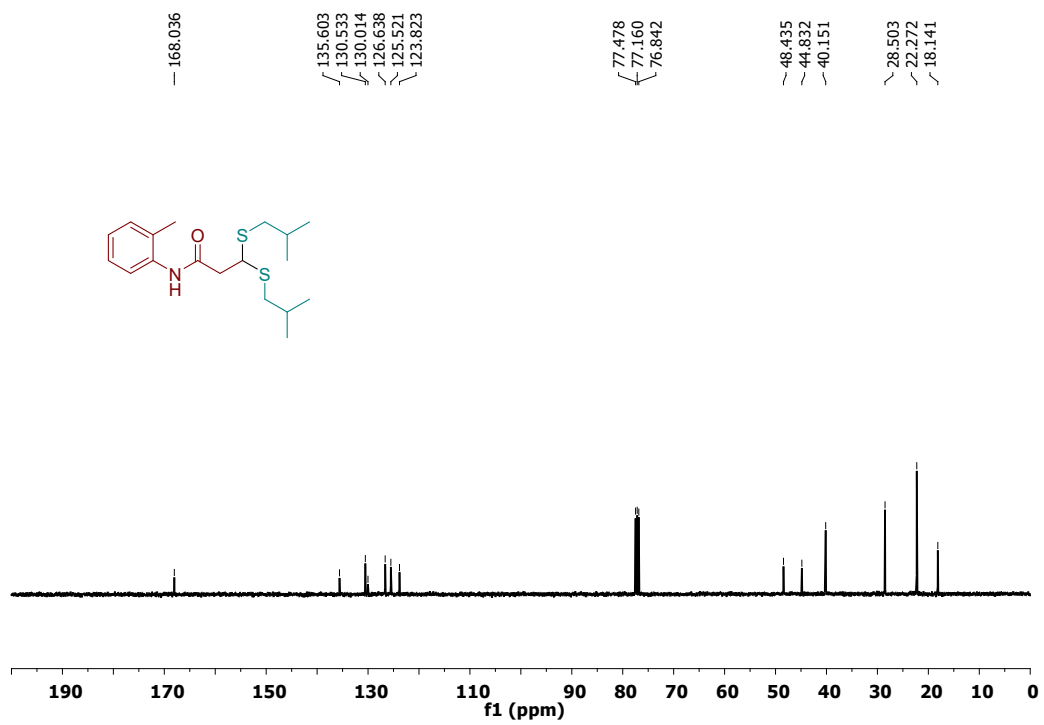
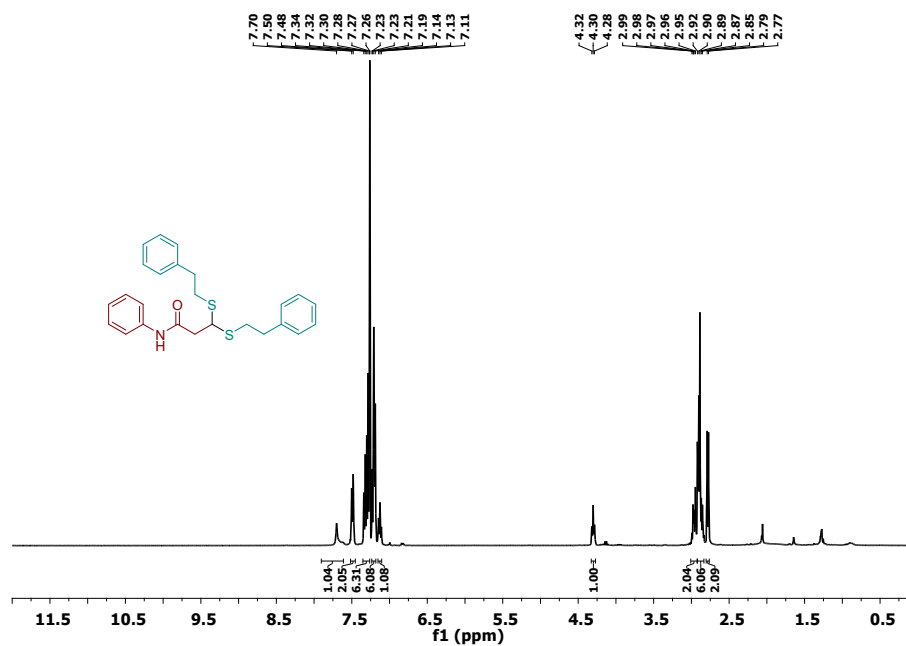


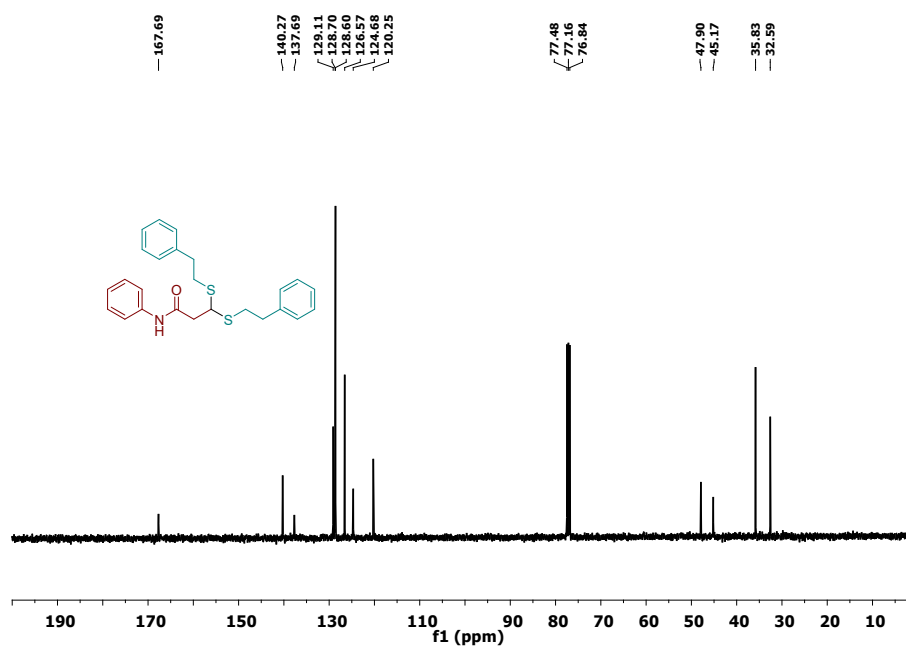
Figure S6. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis(isobutylthio)-N-(o-tolyl)propanamide (3bb)



**Figure S7.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis(isobutylthio)-N-phenylpropanamide (**3bb**)



**Figure S8.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis(phenethylthio)-N-phenylpropanamide (**3ac**)



**Figure S9.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis(phenethylthio)-N-phenylpropanamide (**3ac**)



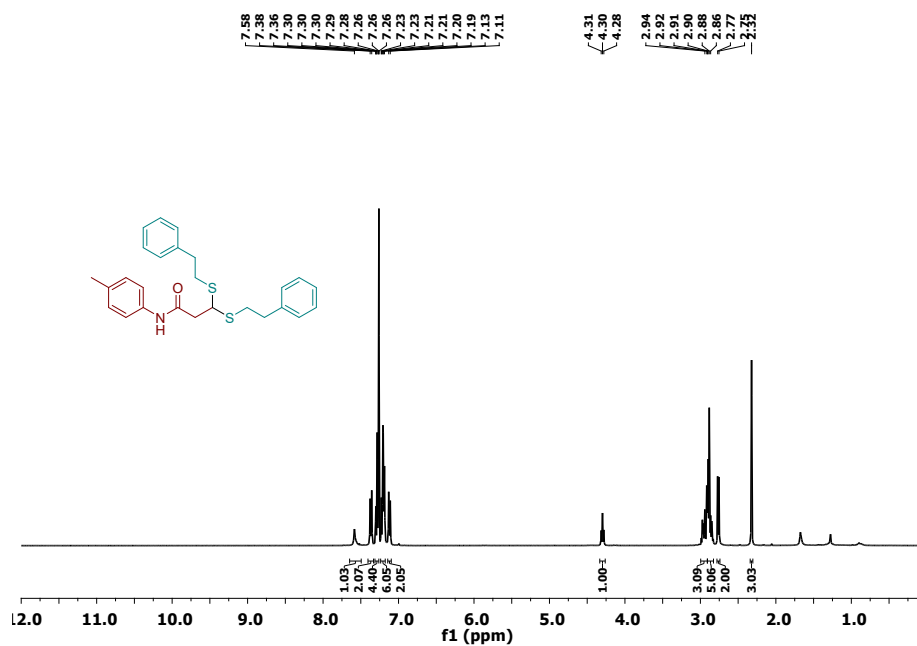


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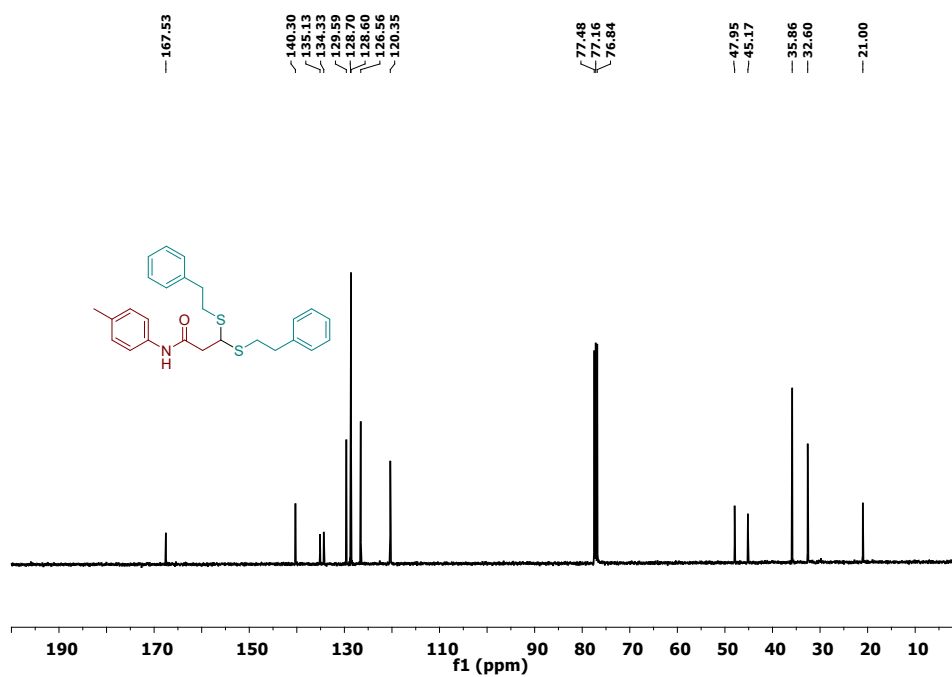


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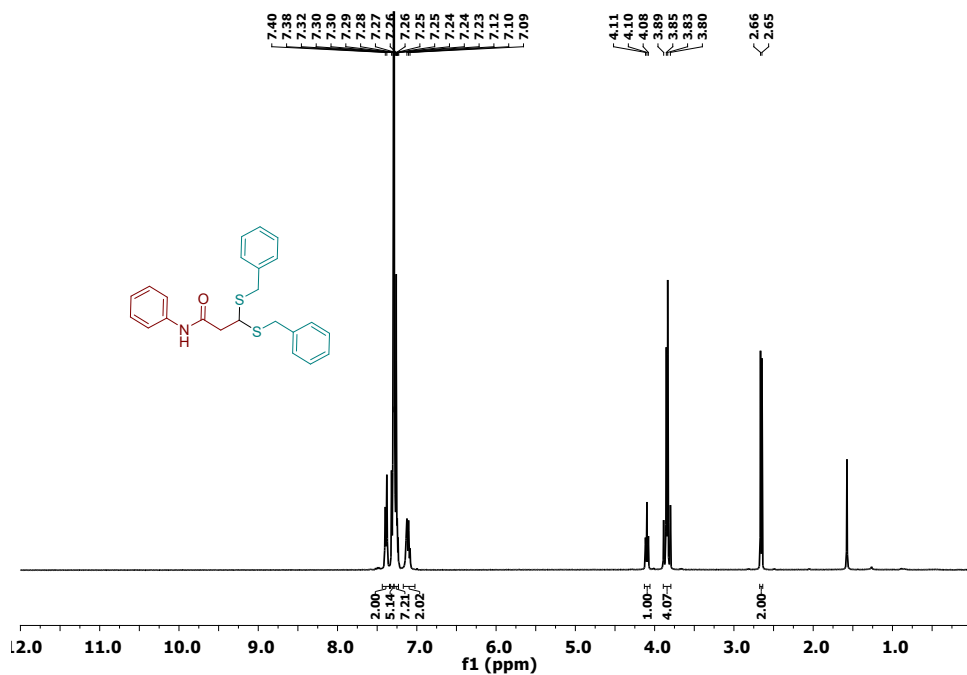


Figure S12.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis(benzylthio)-N-phenylpropanamide (**3ad**)

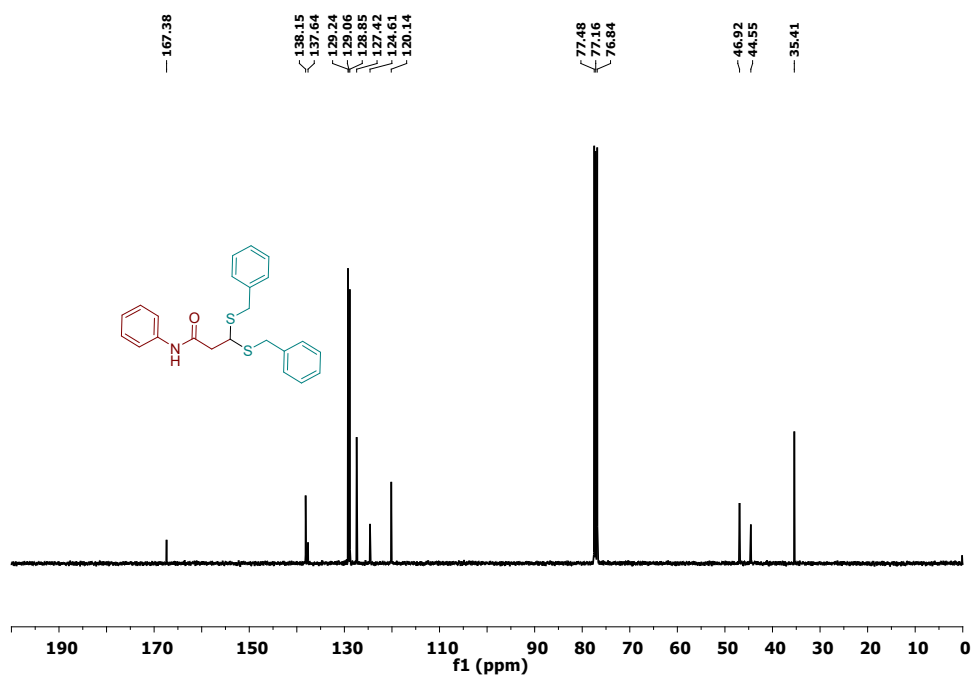
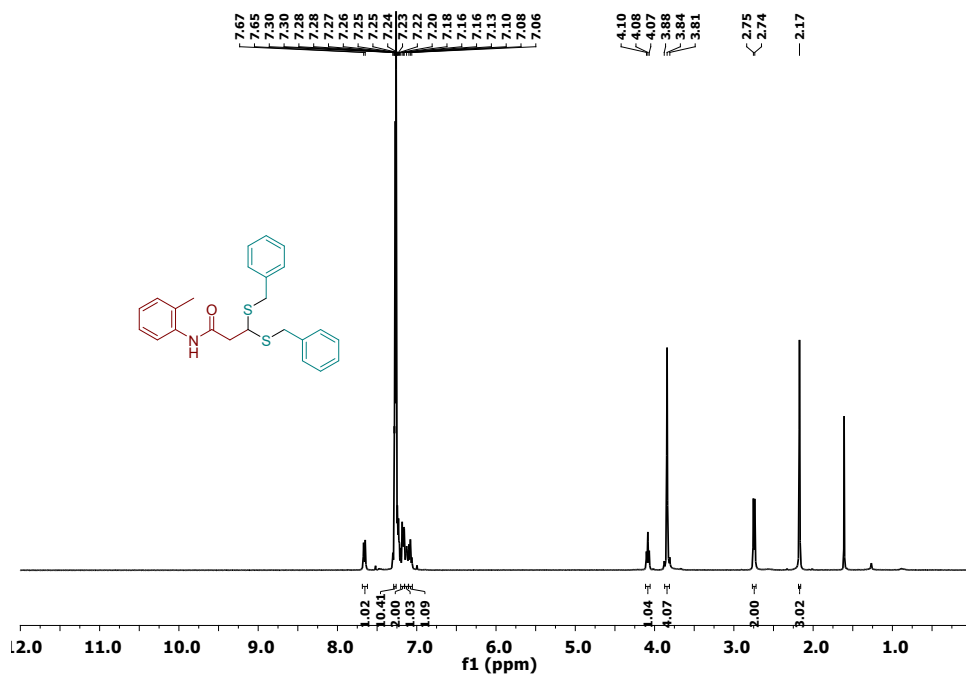
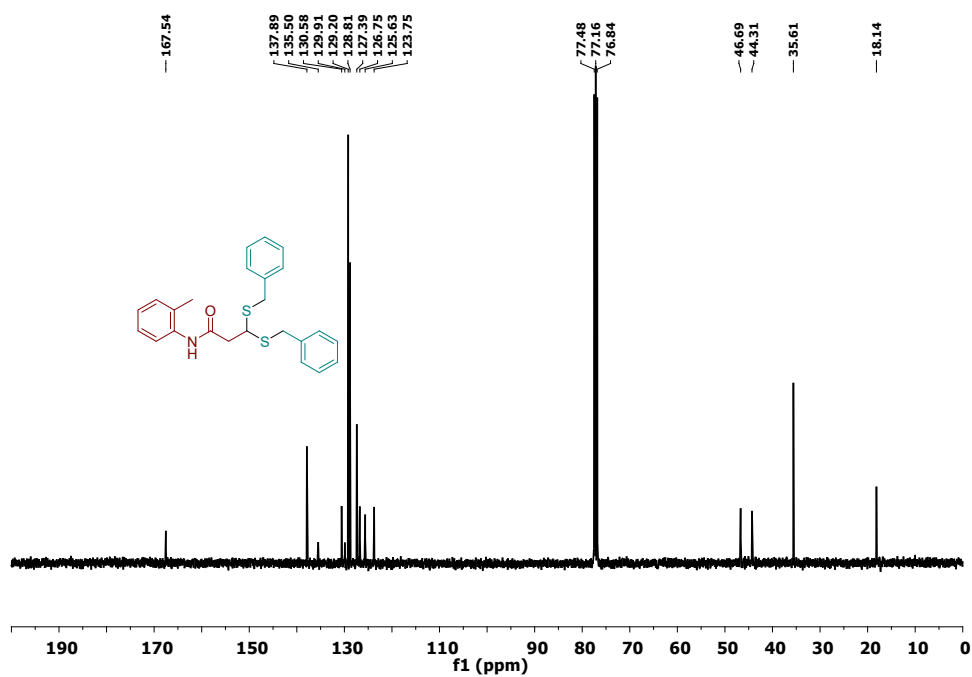


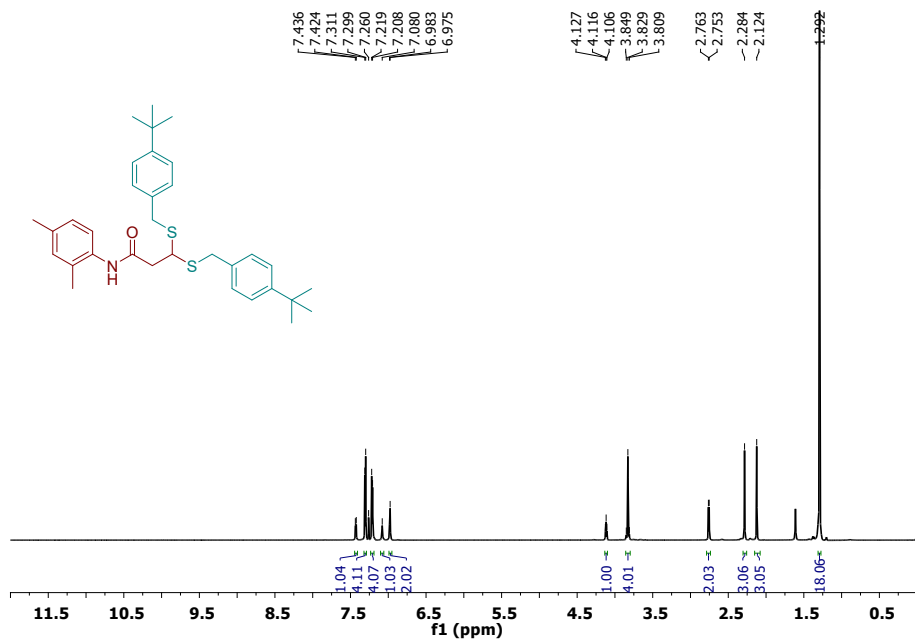
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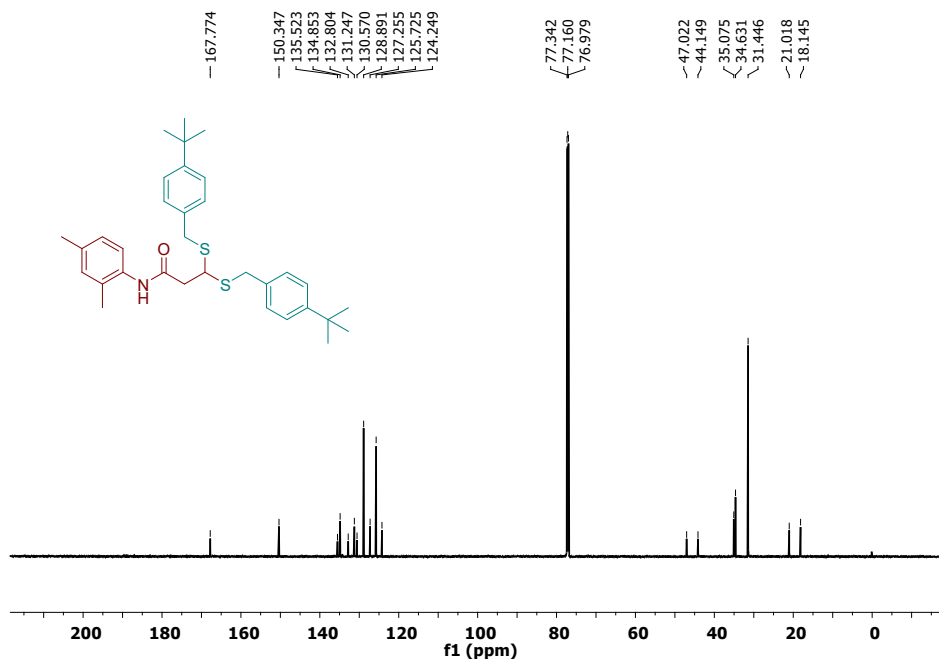
**Figure S14.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis(benzylthio)-N-(o-tolyl)propanamide (**3bd**)



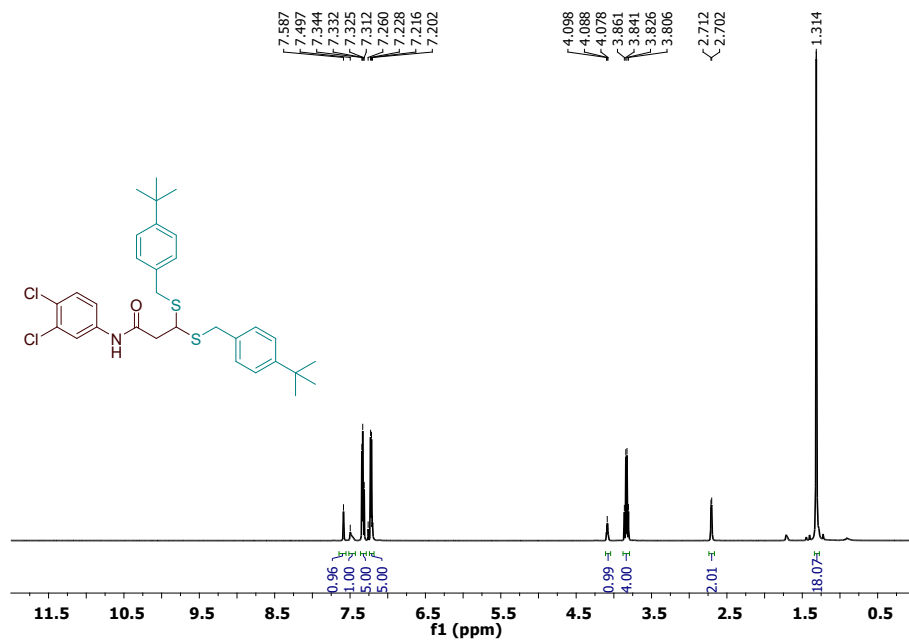
**Figure S15.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis(benzylthio)-N-(o-tolyl)propanamide (**3bd**)



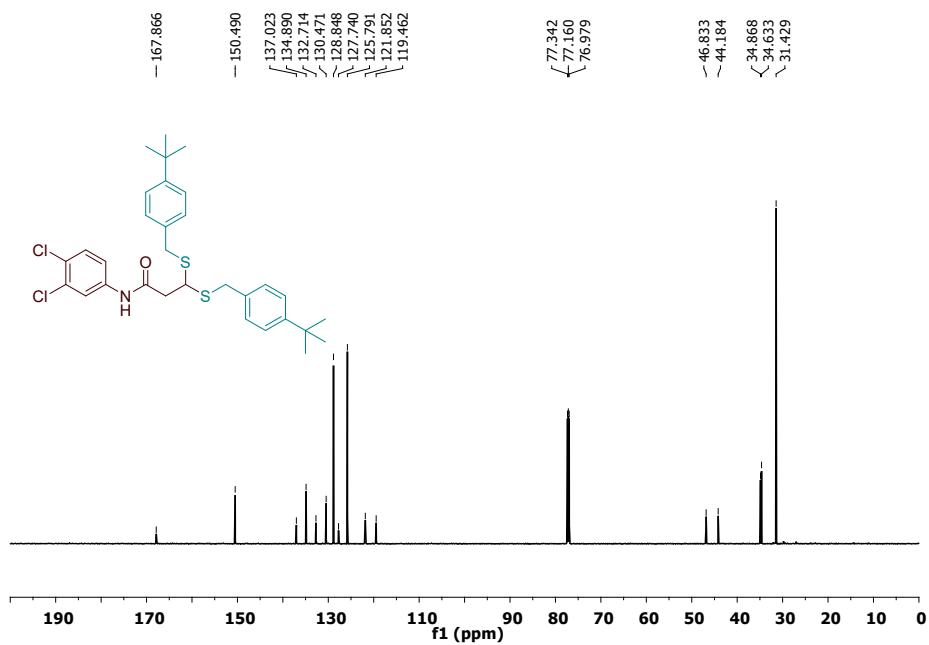
**Figure S16.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis((4-(tert-butyl)benzyl)thio)-N-(2,4-dimethylphenyl)propanamide (**3de**)



**Figure S17.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis((4-(tert-butyl)benzyl)thio)-N-(2,4-dimethylphenyl)propanamide (**3de**)



**Figure S18.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis((4-(tert-butyl)benzyl)thio)-N-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)propanamide (**3ee**)



**Figure S19.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis((4-(tert-butyl)benzyl)thio)-N-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)propanamide (**3ee**)

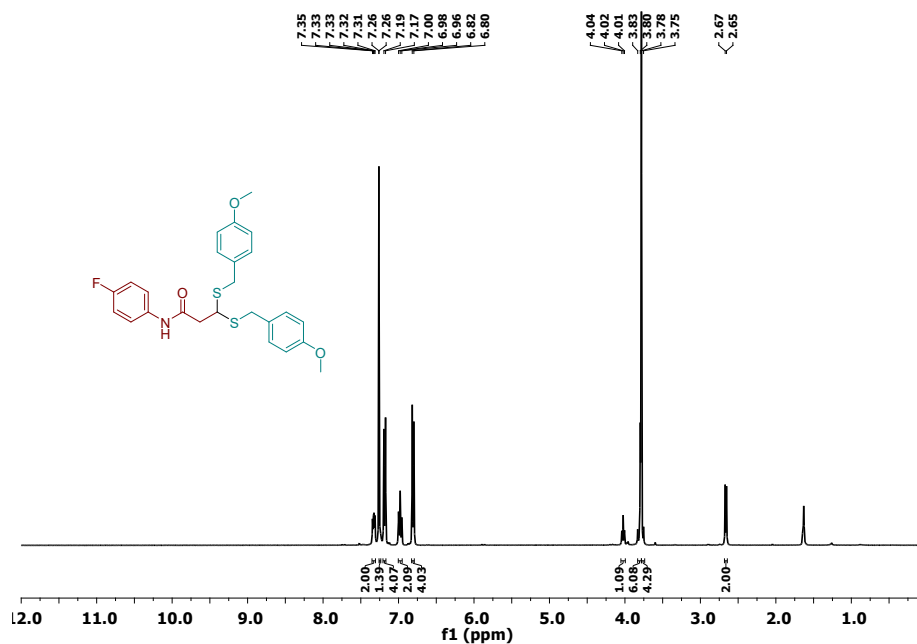


Figure S20. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis(benzylthio)-N-(o-tolyl)propanamide (3ff)

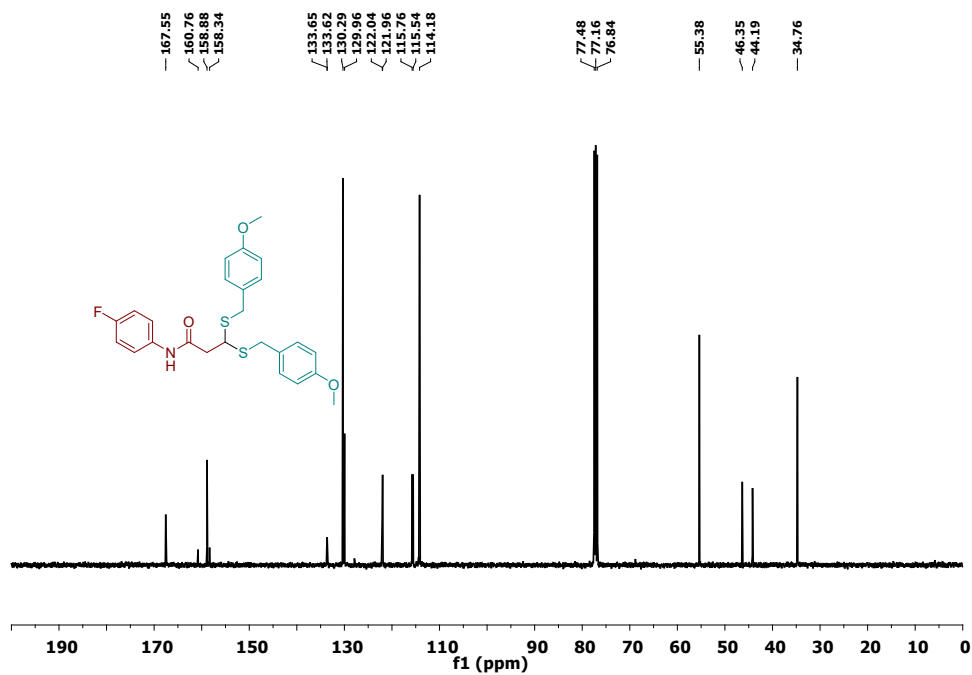
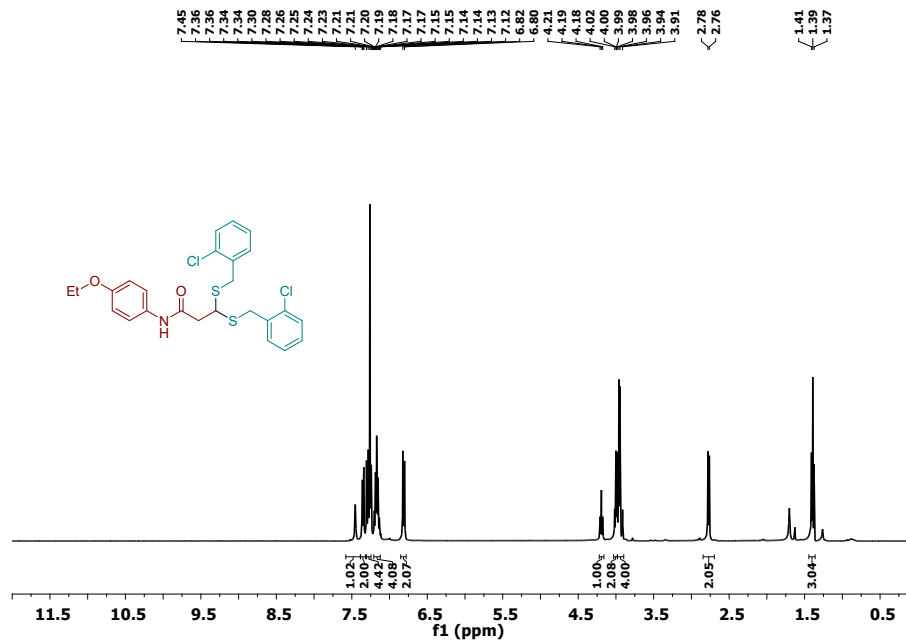
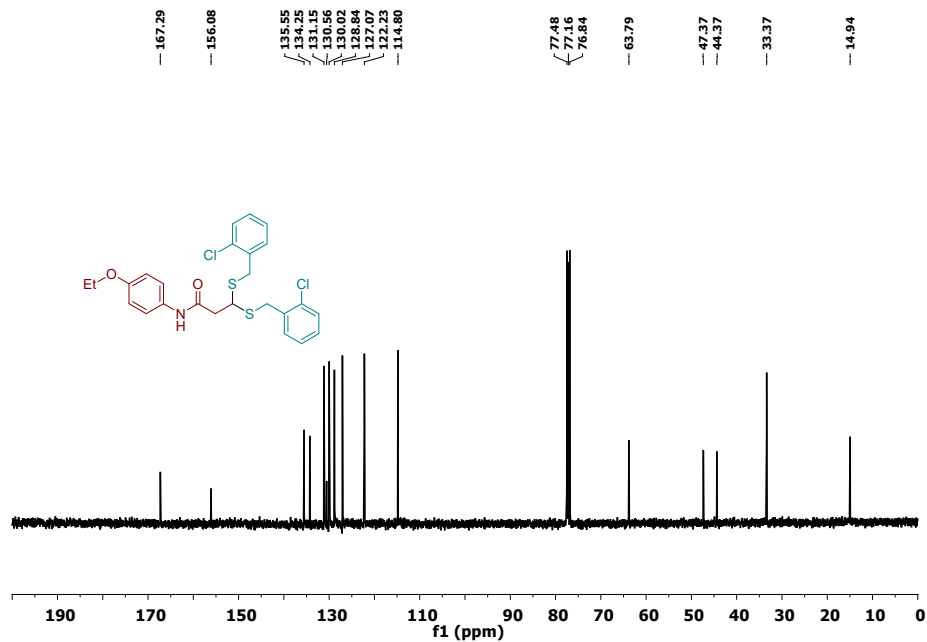


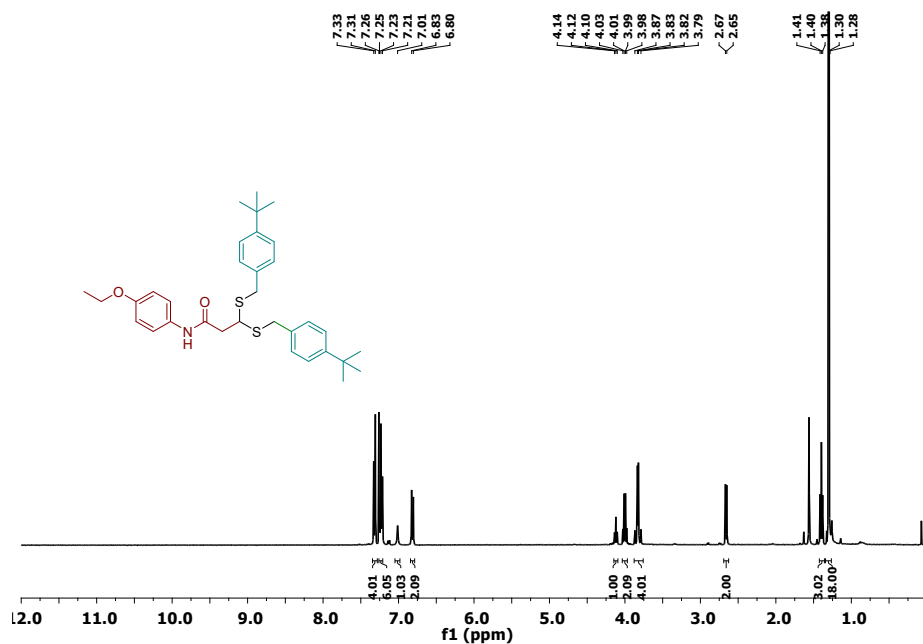
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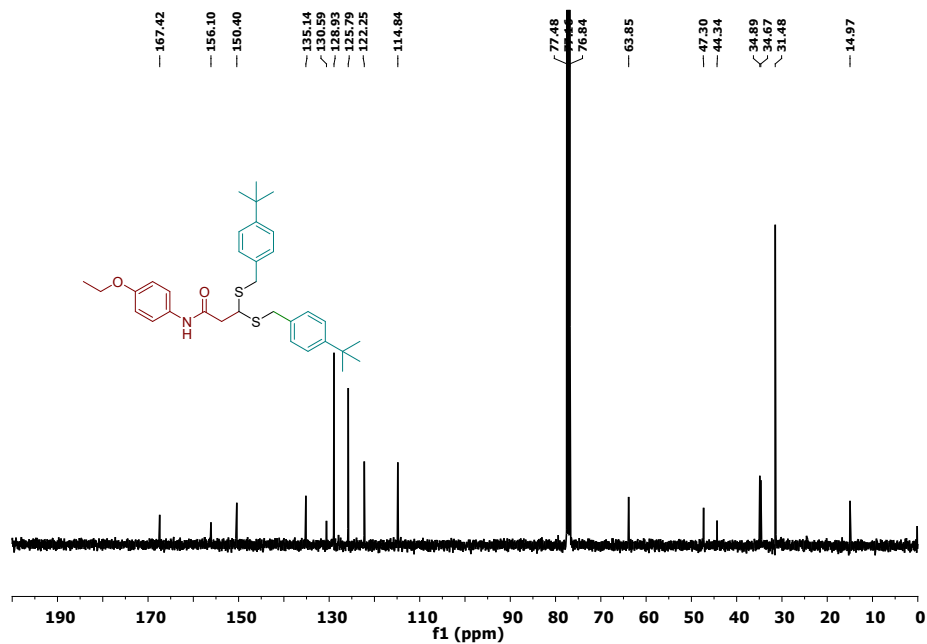
**Figure S22.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis((2-chlorobenzyl)thio)-N-(4-ethoxyphenyl)propanamide (**3gg**)



**Figure S23.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis((2-chlorobenzyl)thio)-N-(4-ethoxyphenyl)propanamide (**3gg**)



**Figure S24.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis((4-(tert-butyl)benzyl)thio)-N-(4-ethoxyphenyl)propanamide (**3ge**)



**Figure S25.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis((4-(tert-butyl)benzyl)thio)-N-(4-ethoxyphenyl)propanamide (**3ge**)



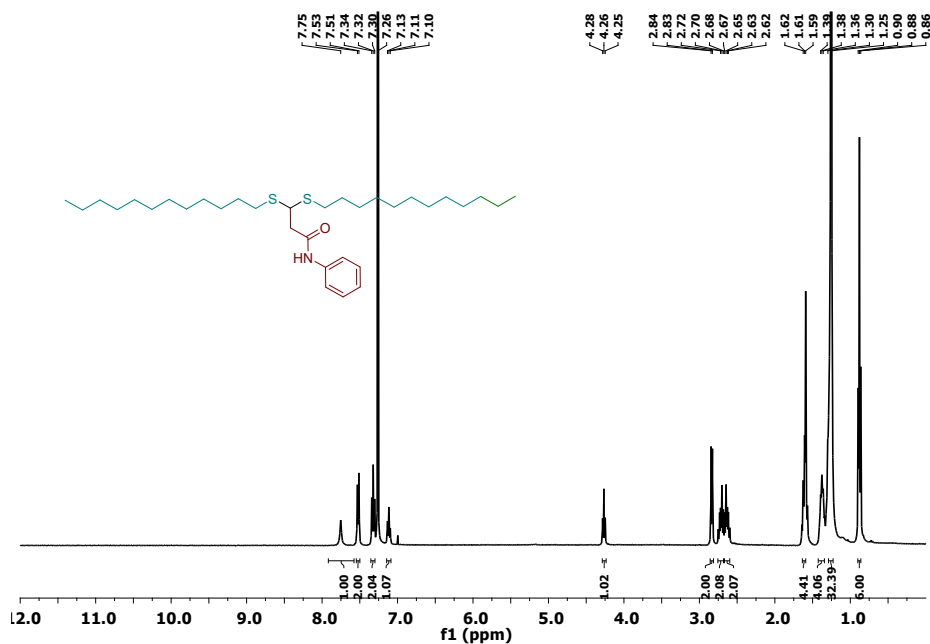


Figure S26.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis(dodecylthio)-N-phenylpropanamide (3ai)

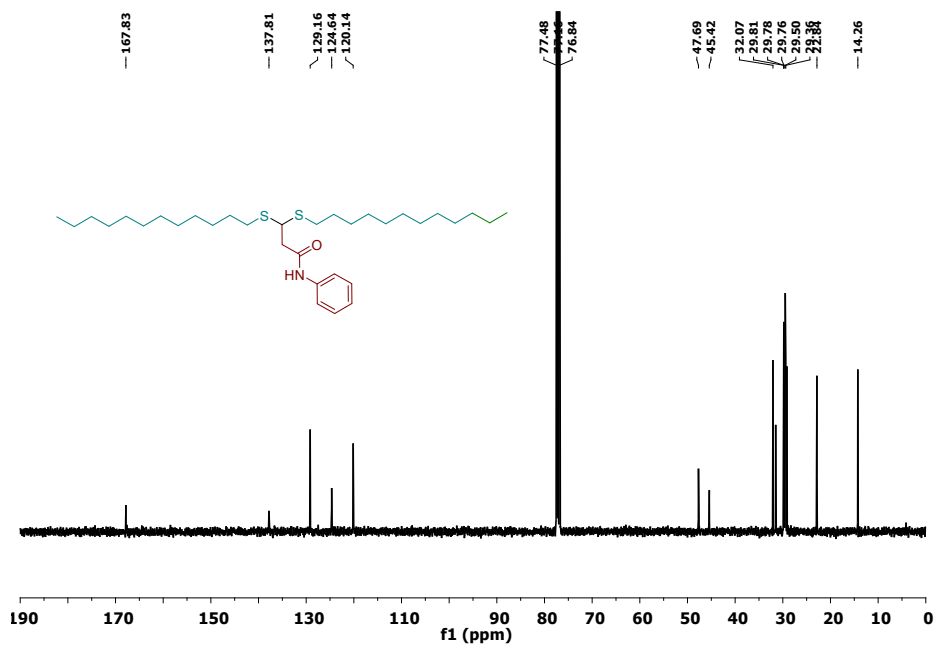


Figure S27.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis(dodecylthio)-N-phenylpropanamide (3ai)

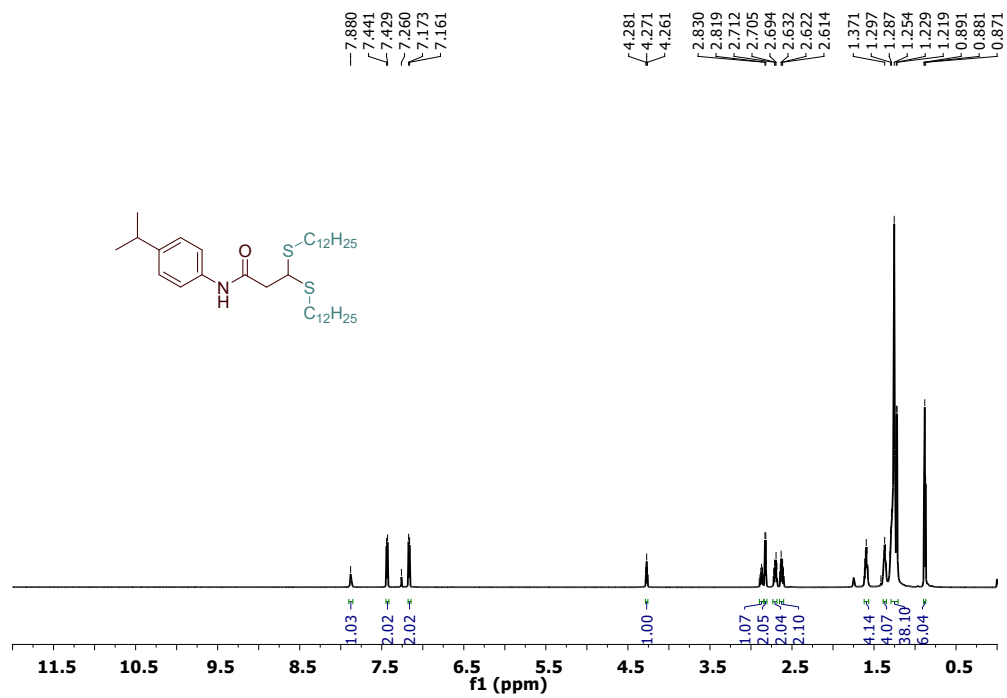


Figure S28. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis(dodecylthio)-N-(4-isopropylphenyl)propanamide (**3hi**)

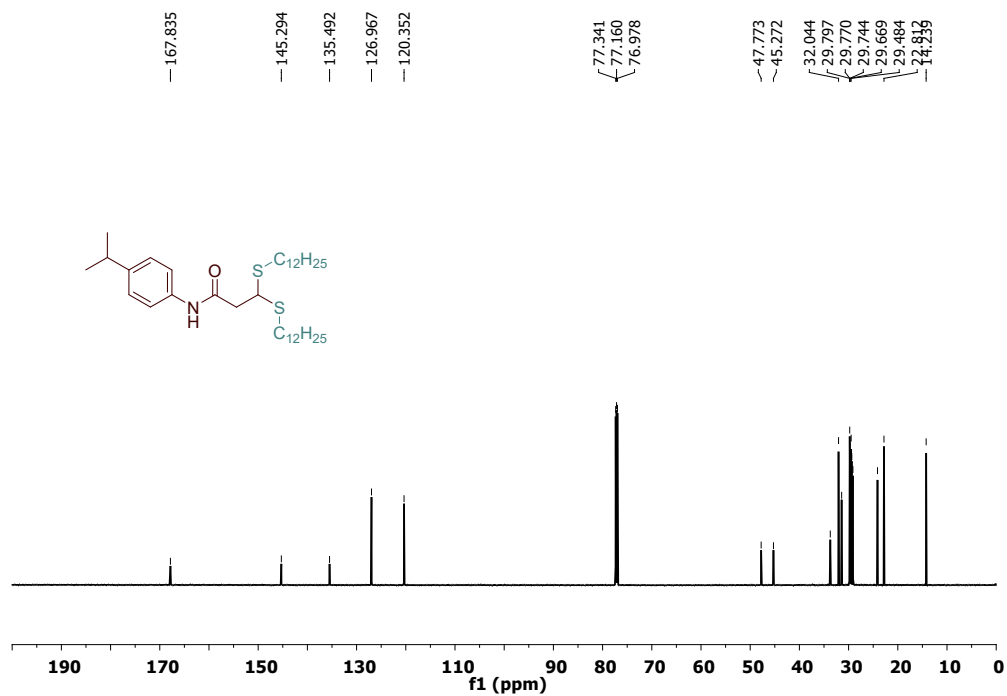


Figure S29.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis(dodecylthio)-N-(4-isopropylphenyl)propanamide

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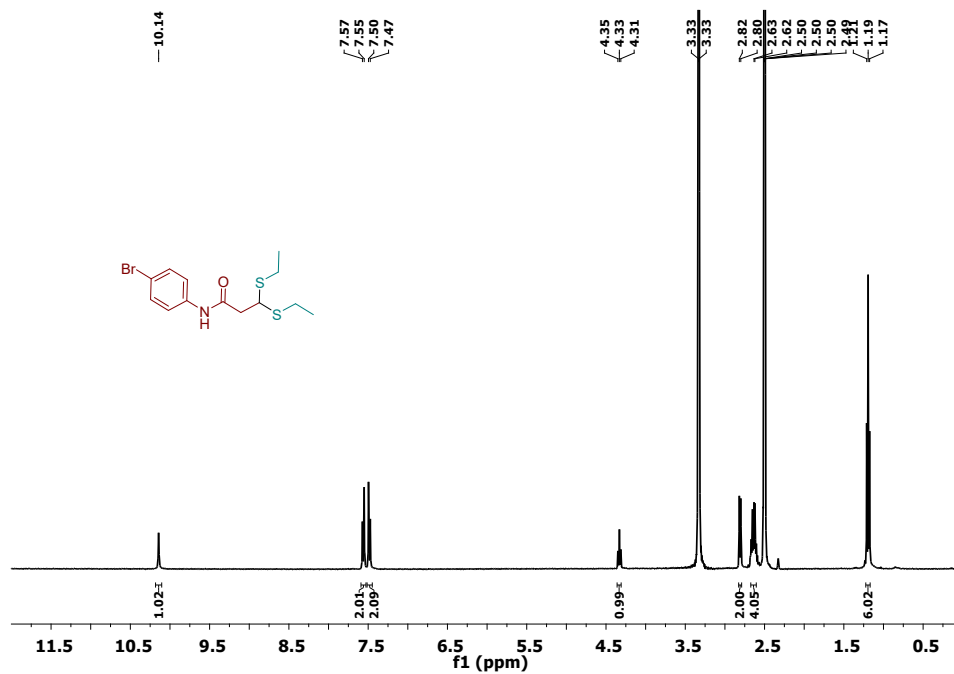


Figure S30.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of N-(4-bromophenyl)-3,3-bis(ethylthio)propanamide (3ij)

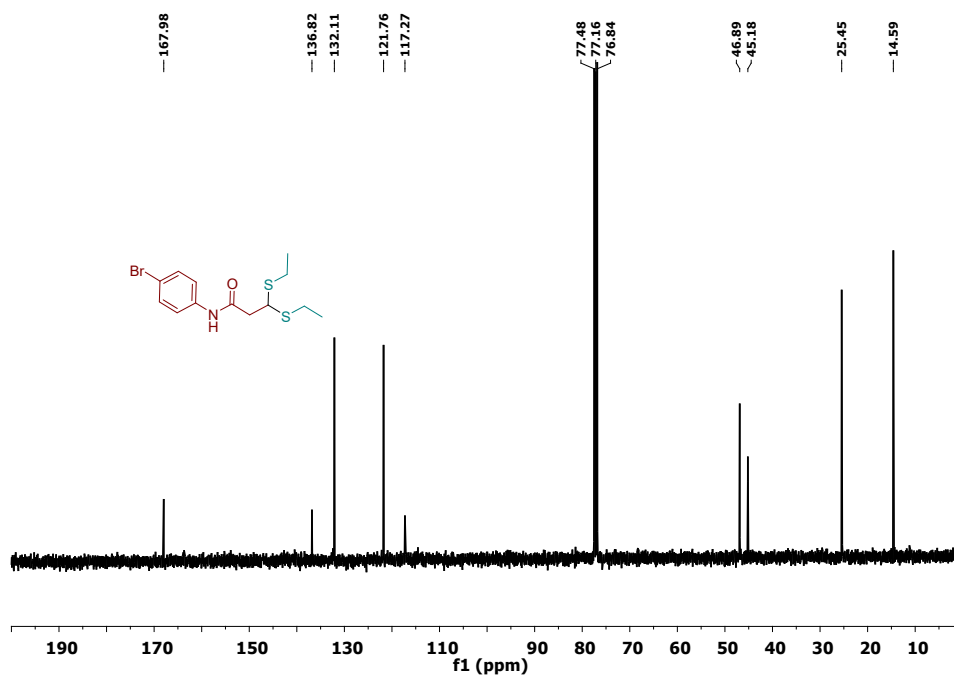


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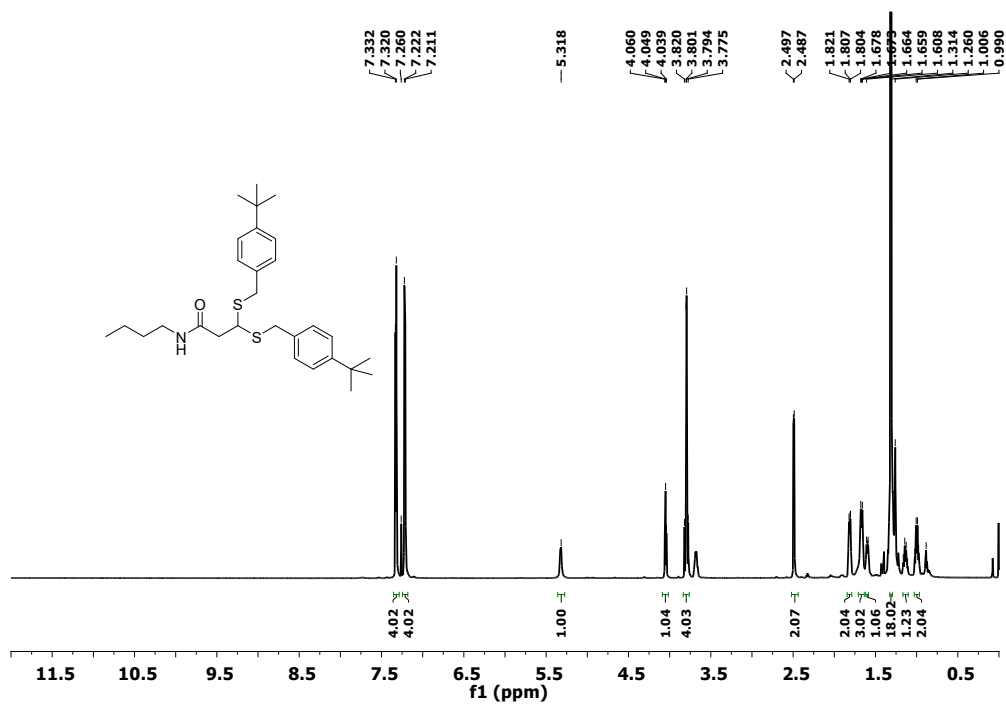
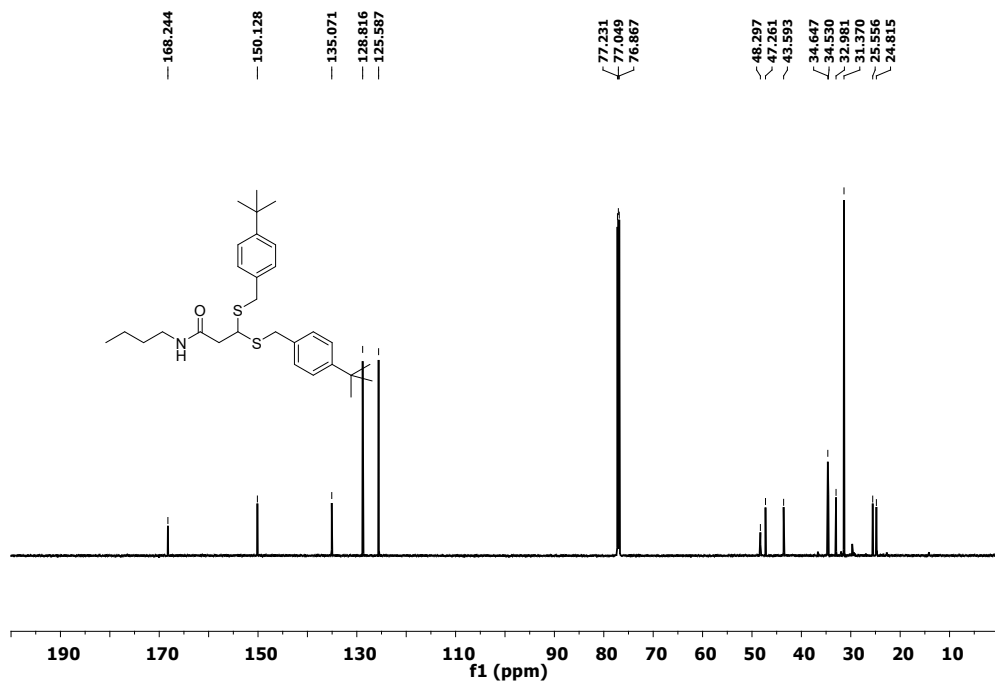
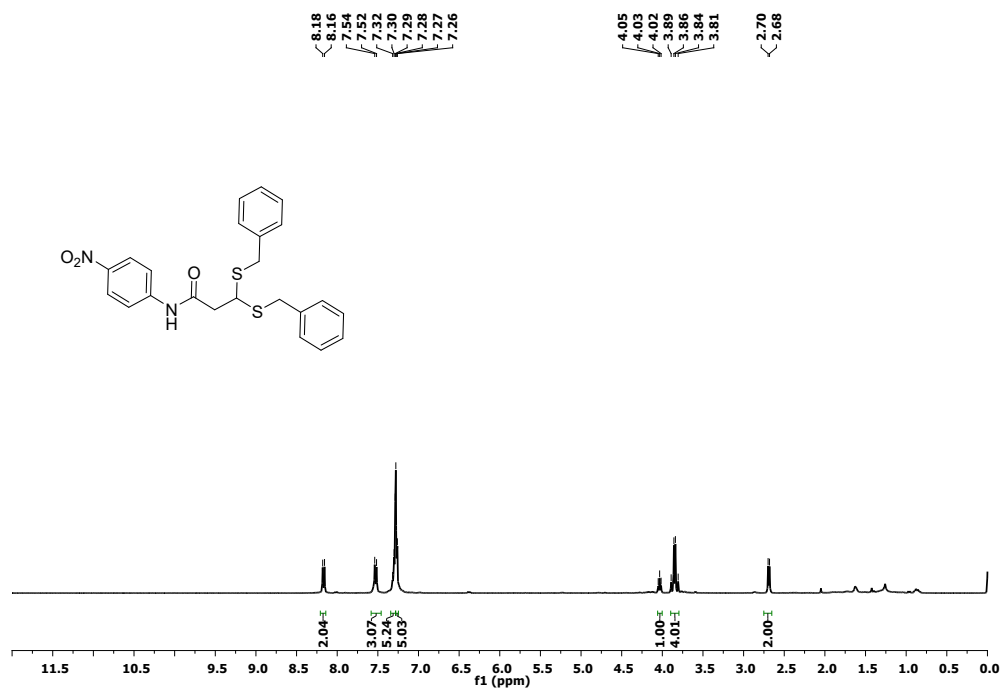


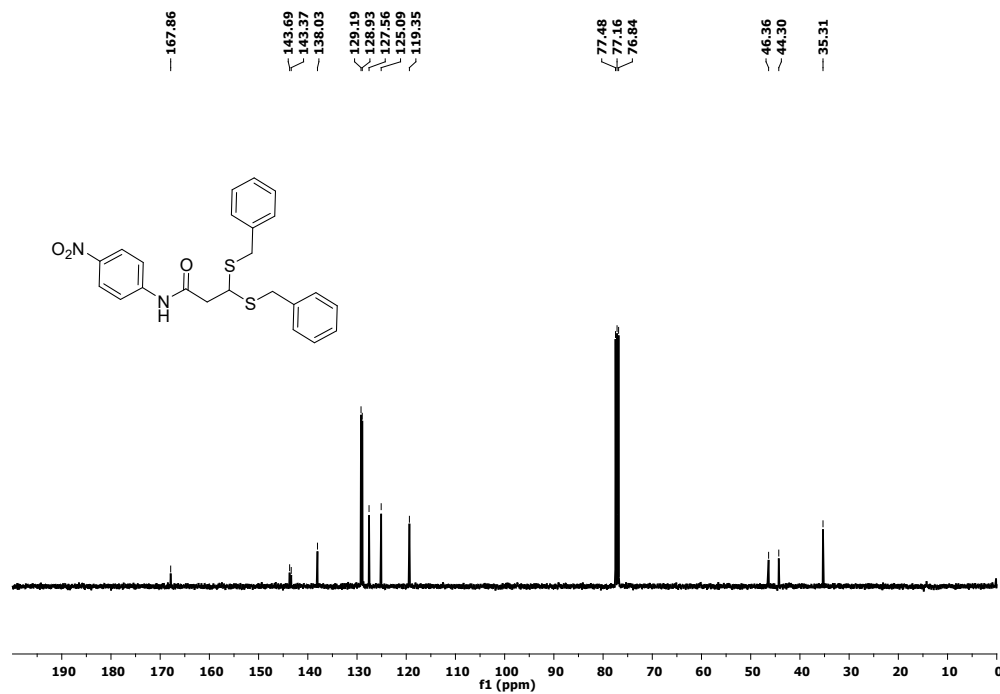
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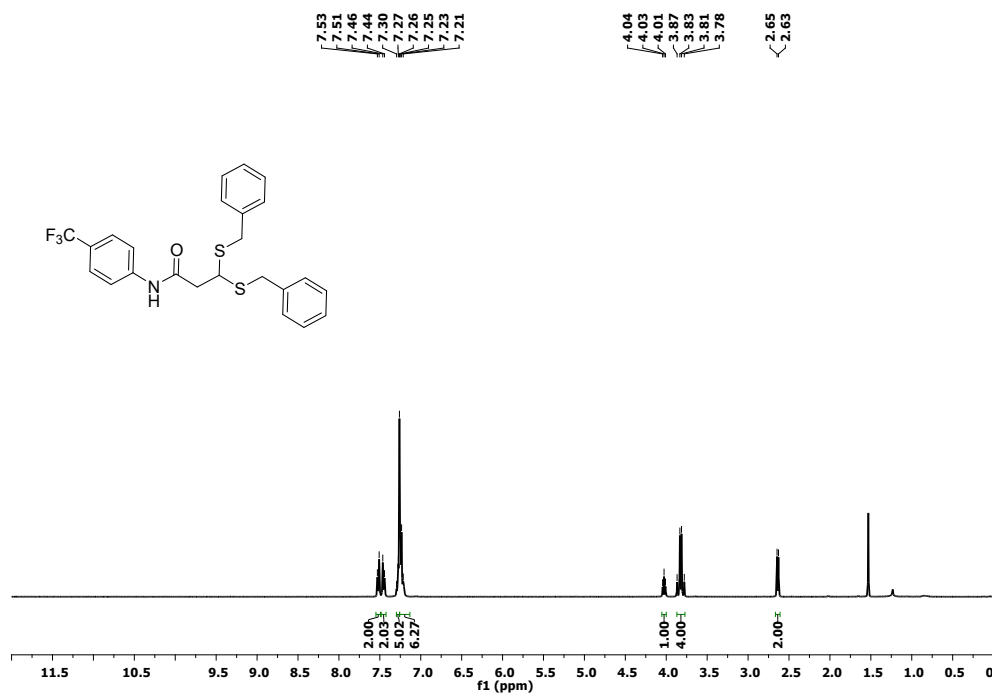
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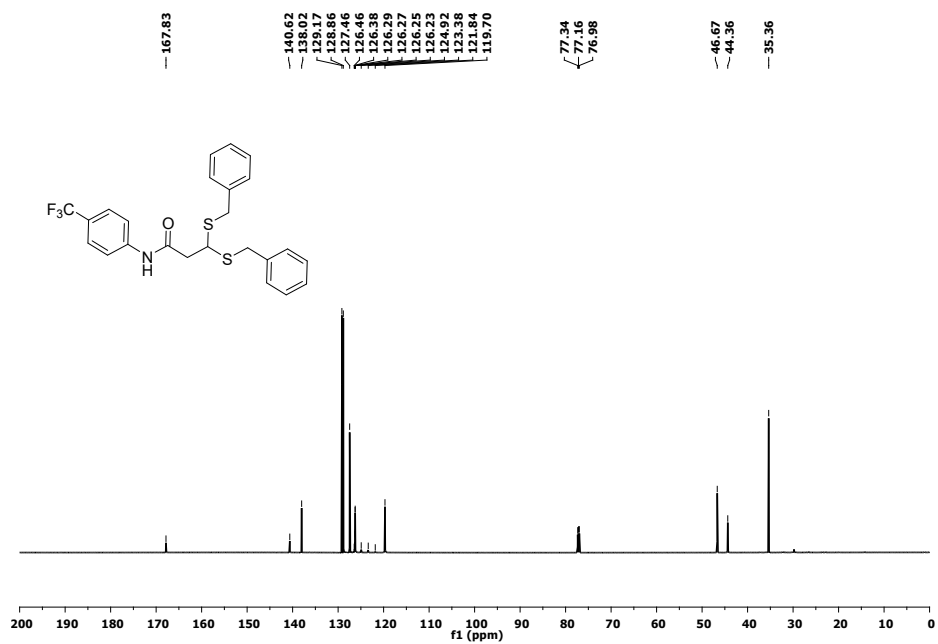
**Figure S34.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis(benzylthio)-N-(4-nitrophenyl)propanamide (**3kd**)



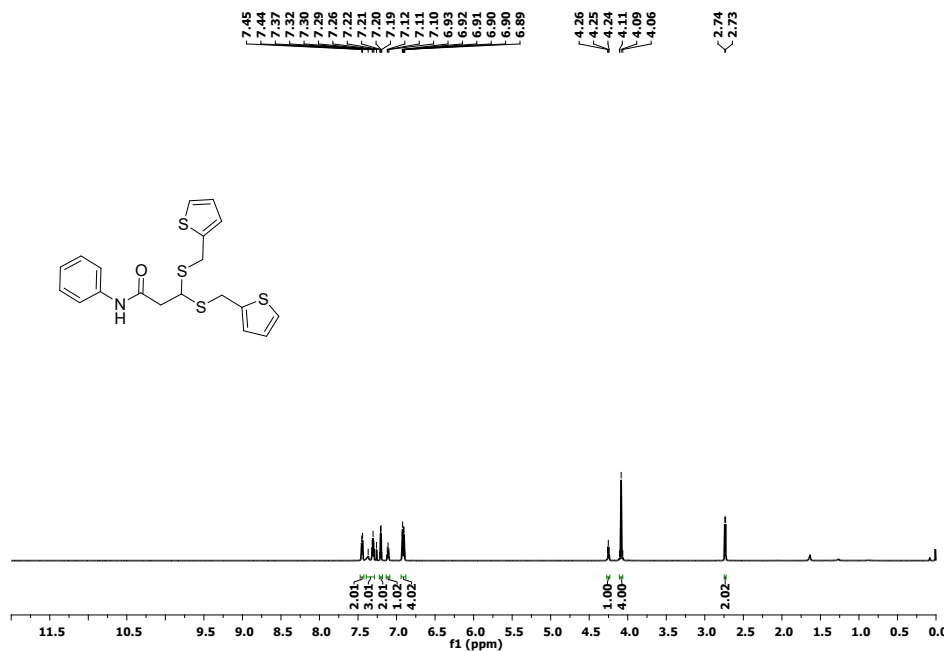
**Figure S35.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis(benzylthio)-N-(4-nitrophenyl)propanamide (**3kd**)



**Figure S36.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis(benzylthio)-N-(4(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)propanamide (**3ld**)



**Figure S37.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of spectrum of 3,3-bis(benzylthio)-N-(4(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)propanamide (**3ld**)



**Figure S38.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of N-phenyl-3,3-bis((thiophen-2-ylmethyl)thio)propanamide (**3ak**)

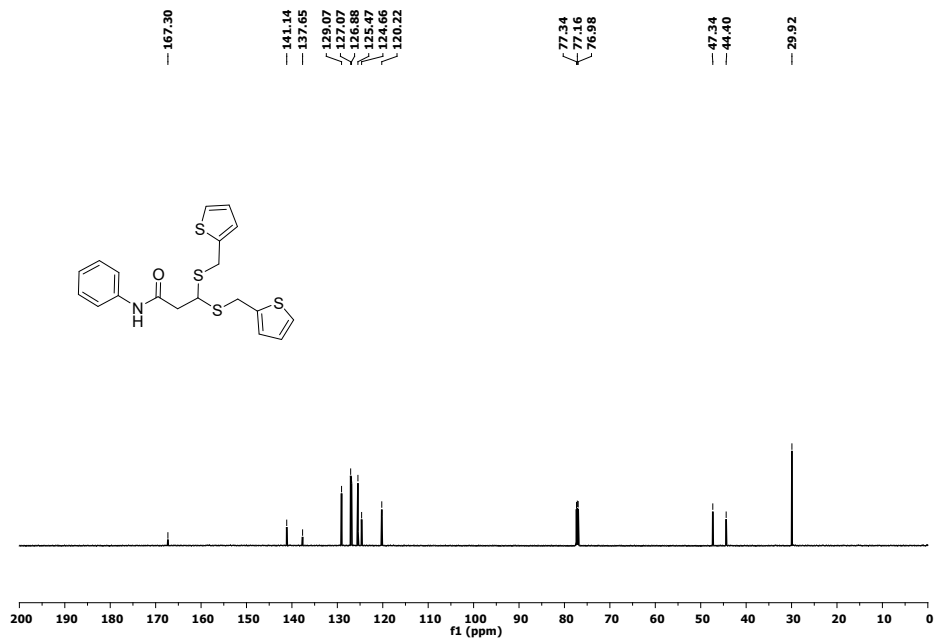


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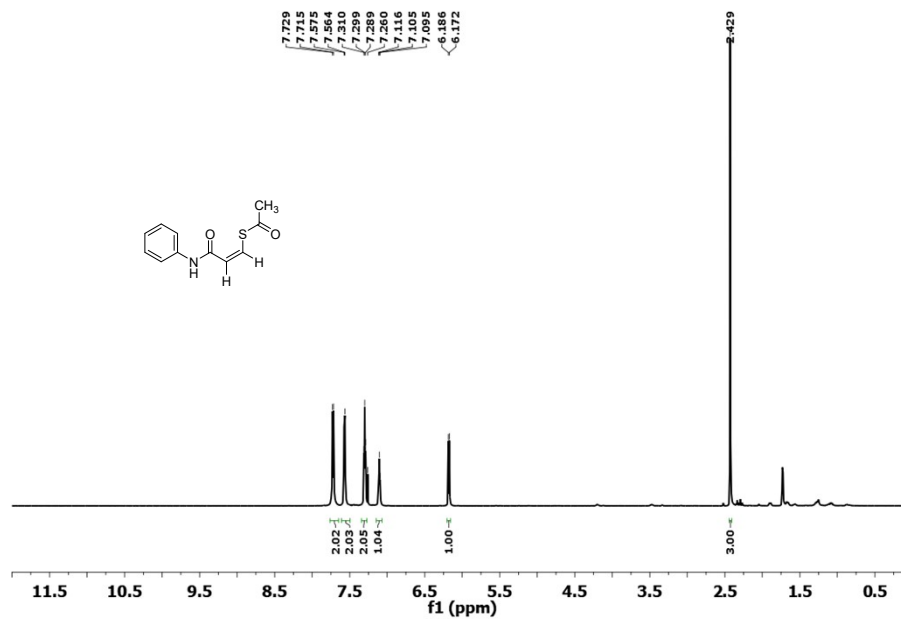


Figure S40.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of (Z)-S-(3-oxo-3-(phenylamino)prop-1-en-1-yl) ethanethioate

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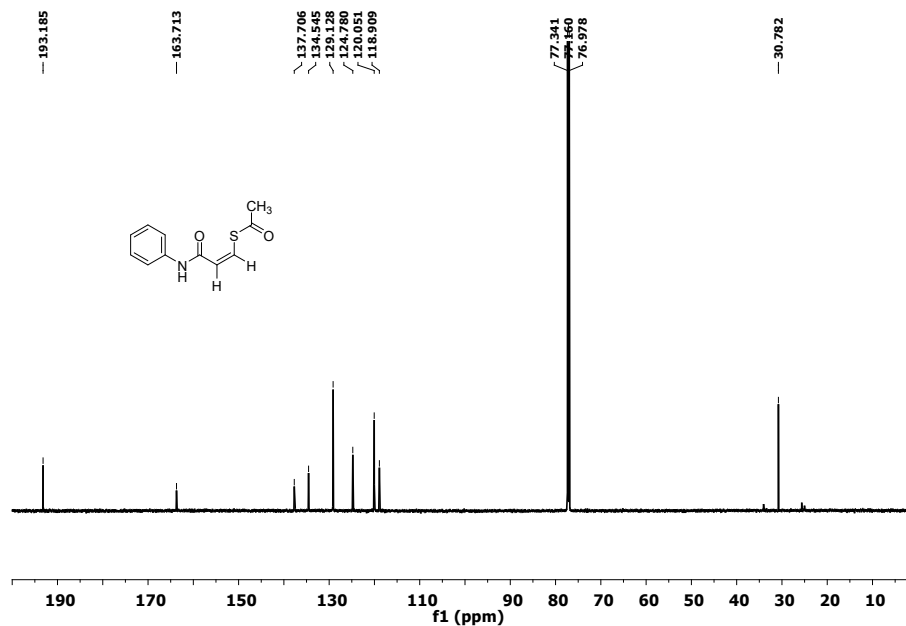




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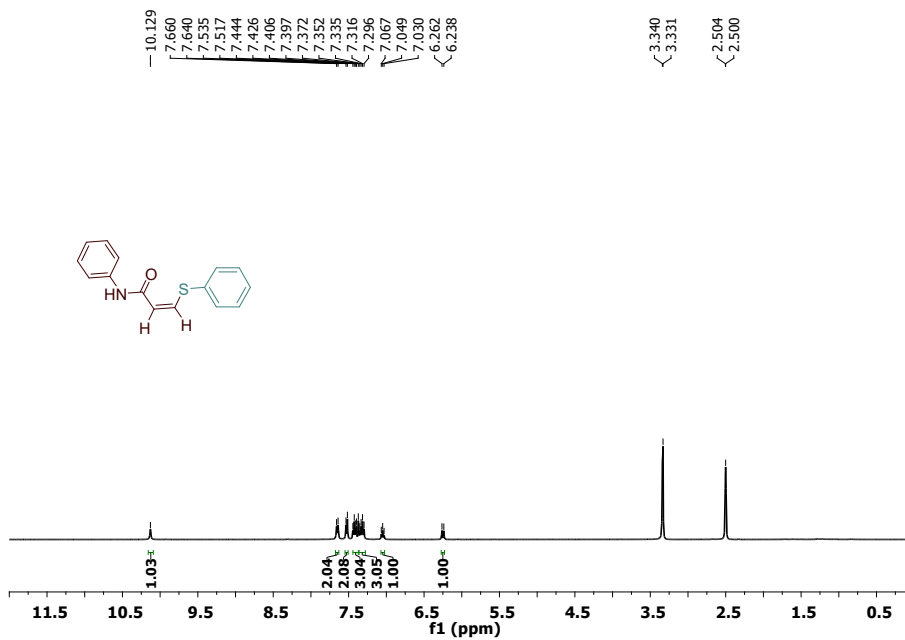


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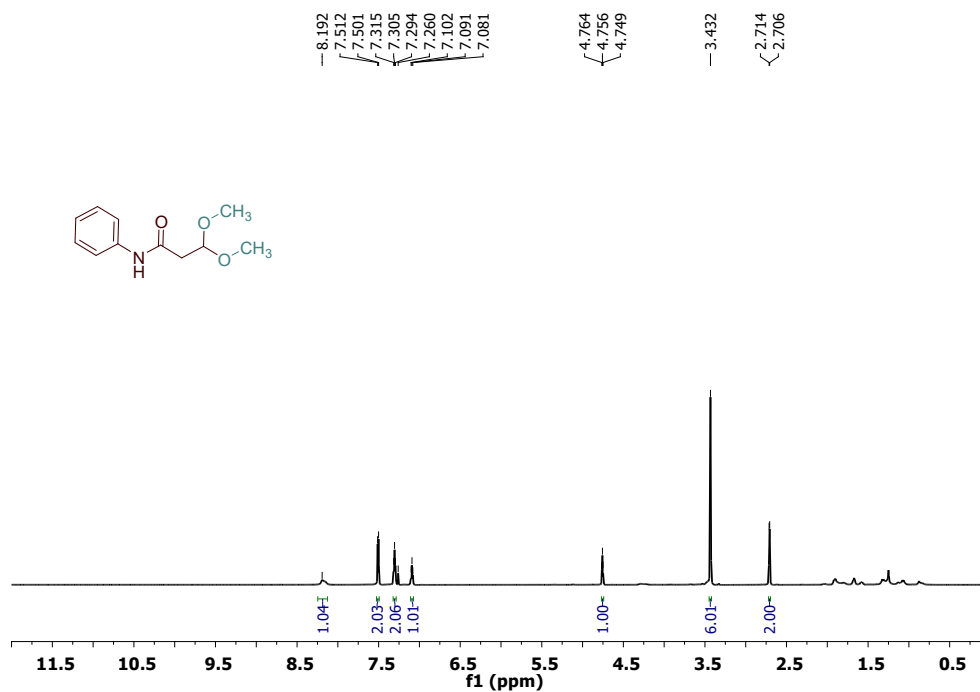


Fig. S43. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 3,3-dimethoxy-N-phenylpropanamide (4aa)

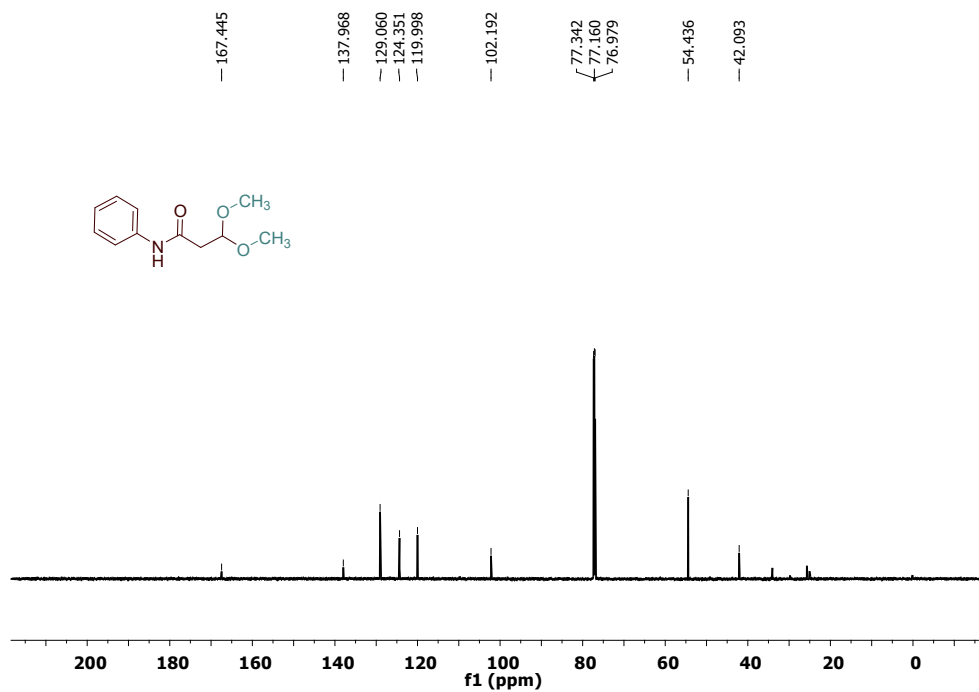
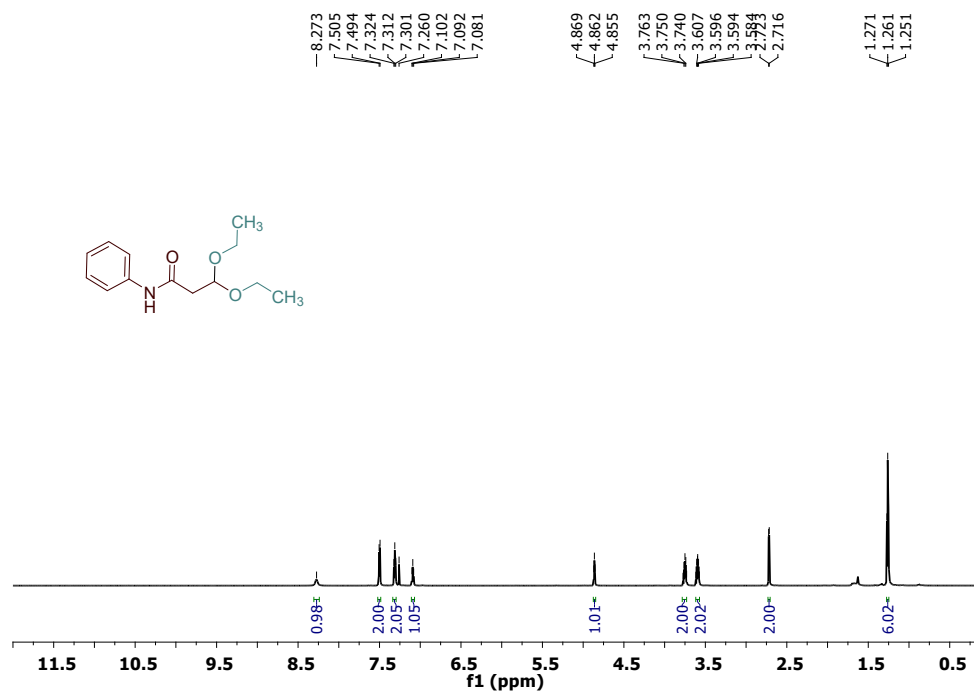
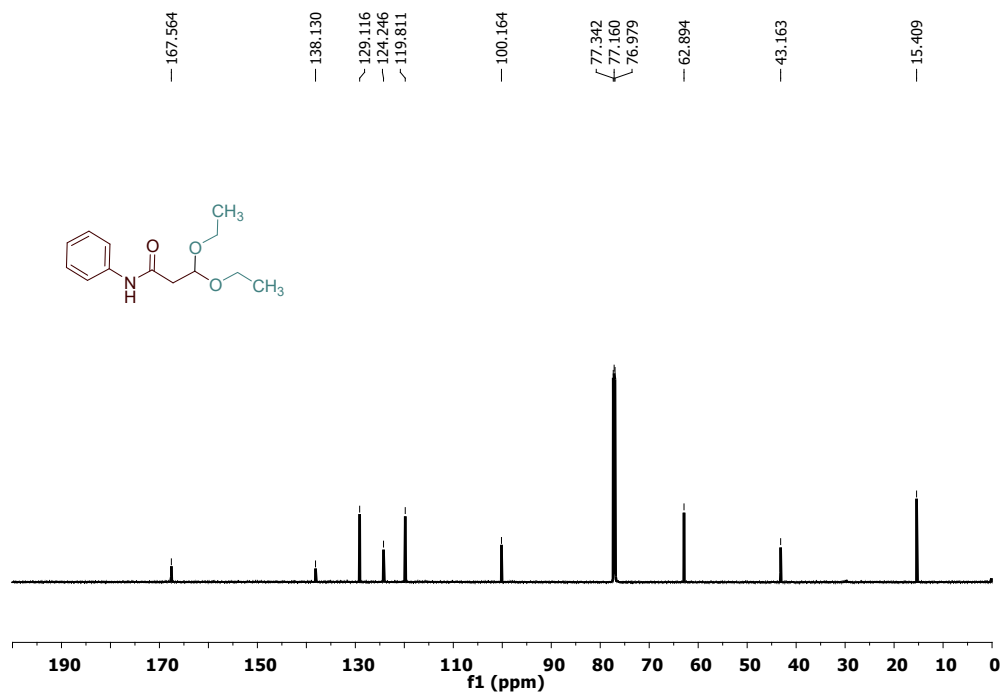


Fig. S44. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of 3,3-dimethoxy-N-phenylpropanamide (4aa)



**Fig. S45.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of 3,3-diethoxy-N-phenylpropanamide (**4ab**)



**Fig. S46.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of 3,3-diethoxy-N-phenylpropanamide (**4ab**)

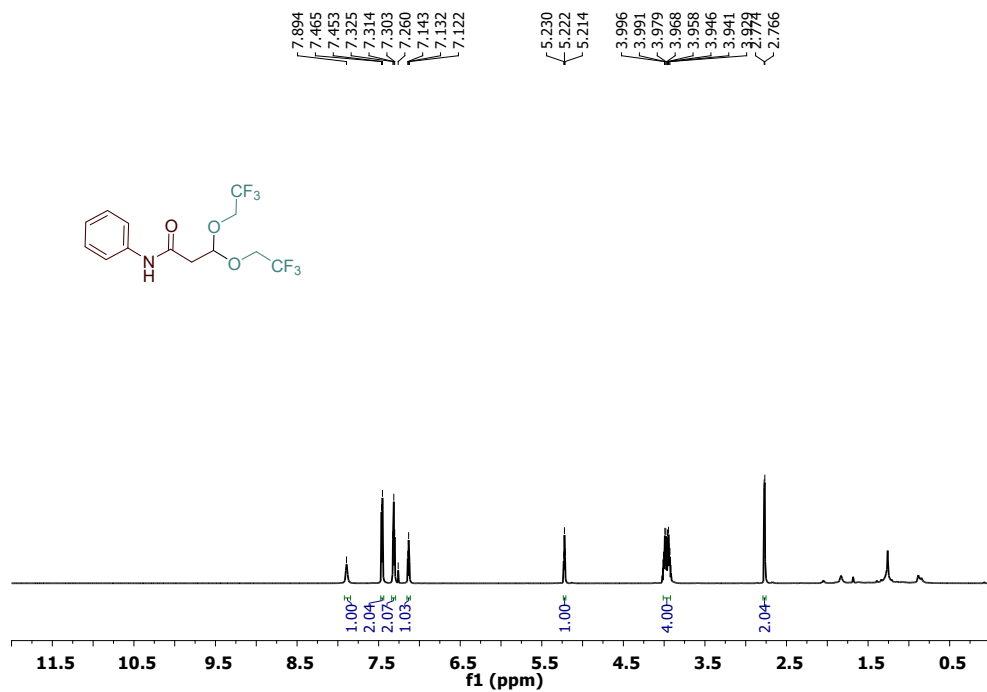


Fig. S47.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of N-phenyl-3,3-bis(2,2,2-trifluoroethoxy)propanamide (**4ac**)

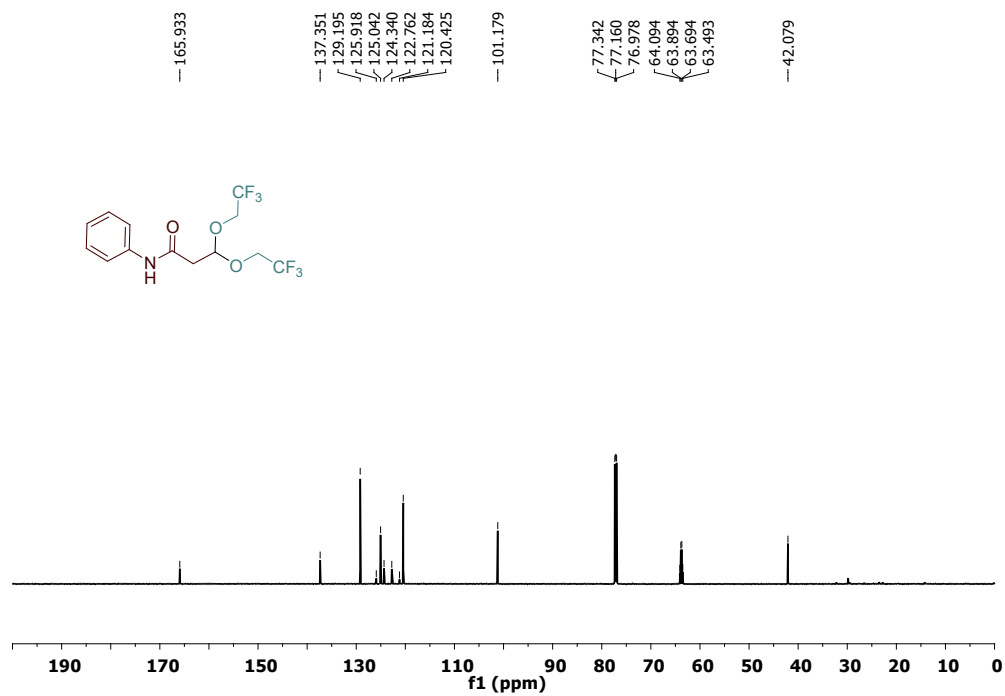


Fig. S48.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of N-phenyl-3,3-bis(2,2,2-trifluoroethoxy)propanamide (**4ac**)

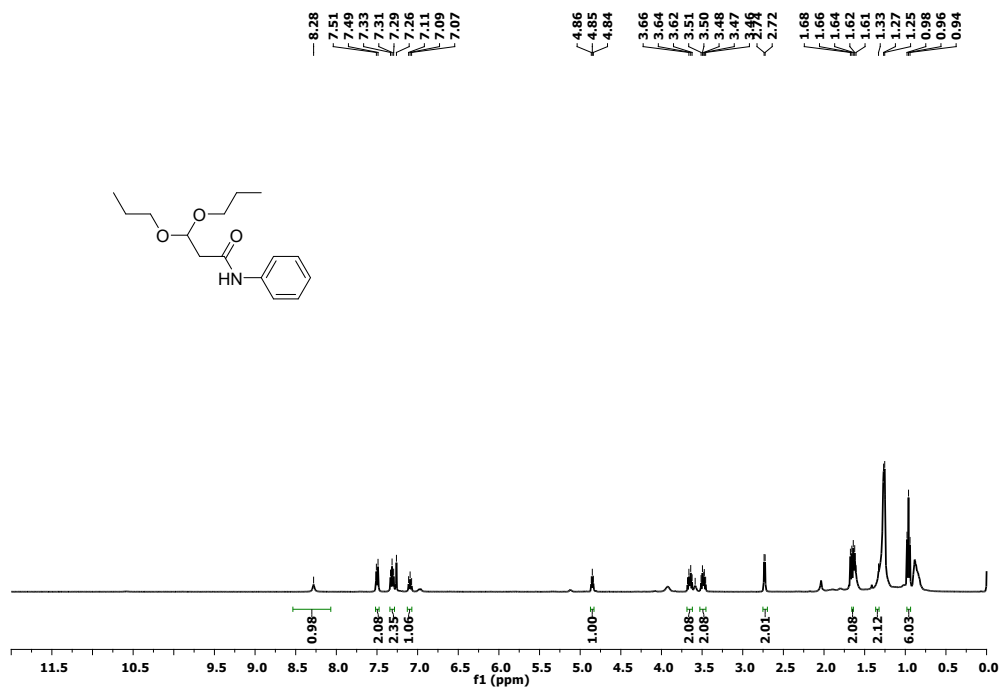


Fig. S49.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of N-phenyl-3,3-dipropoxypropanamide (4ad)

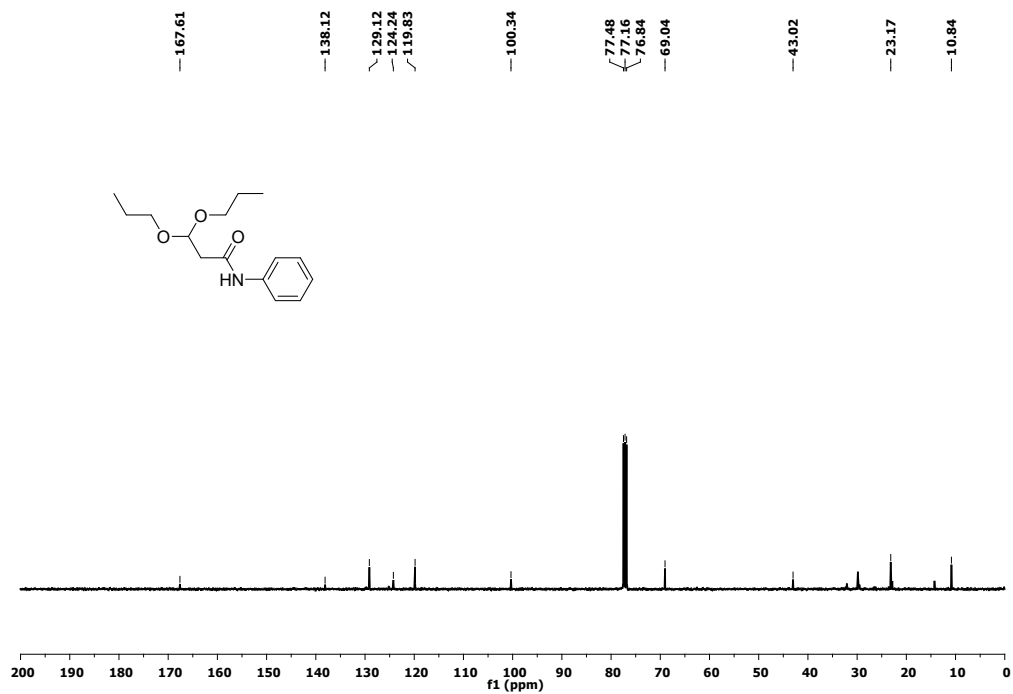


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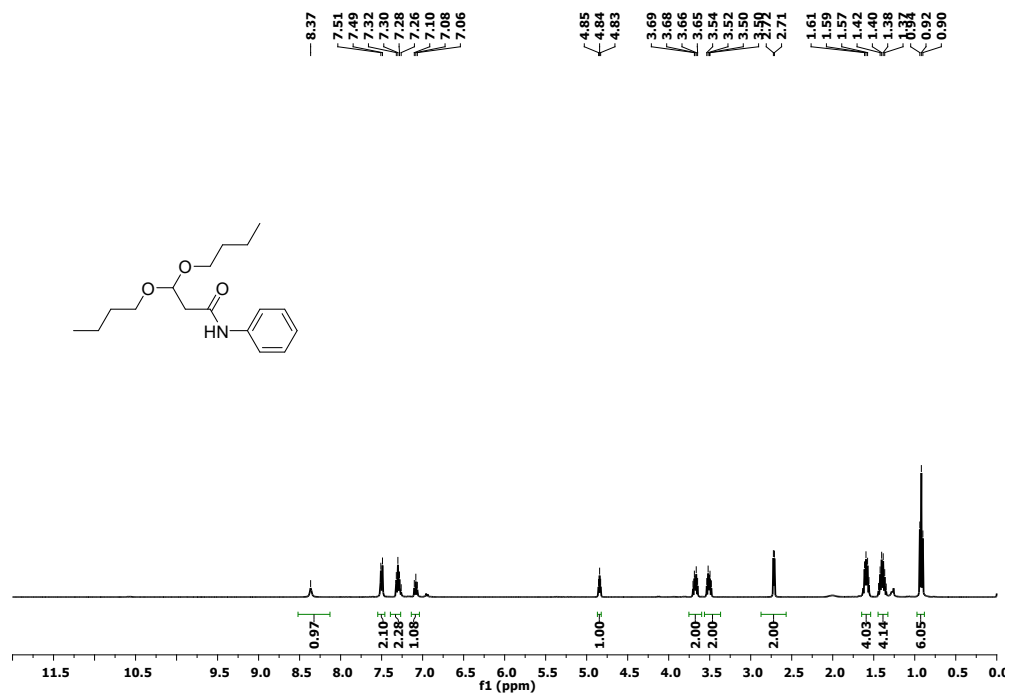


Fig. S51. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 3,3-dibutoxy-N-phenylpropanamide (4ae)

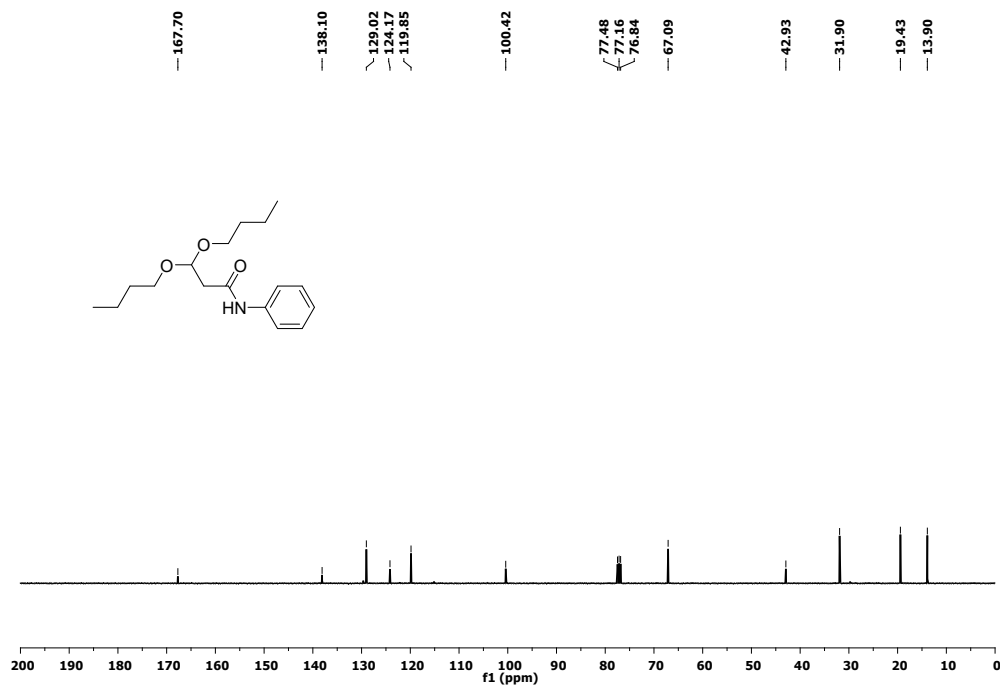


Fig. S52. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of 3,3-dibutoxy-N-phenylpropanamide (4ae)

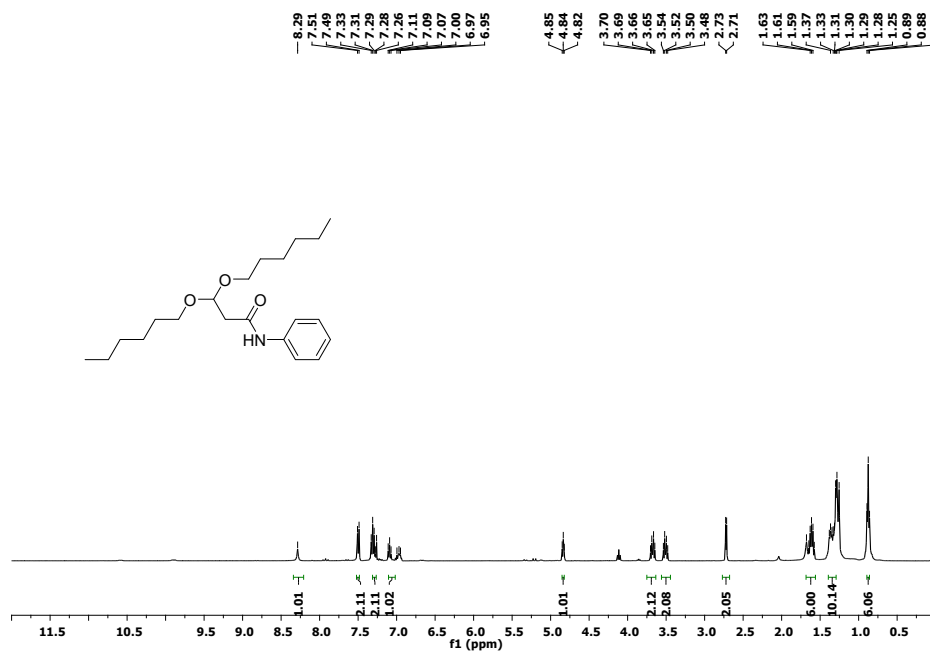


Fig. S53. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis(hexyloxy)-N-phenylpropanamide (4af)

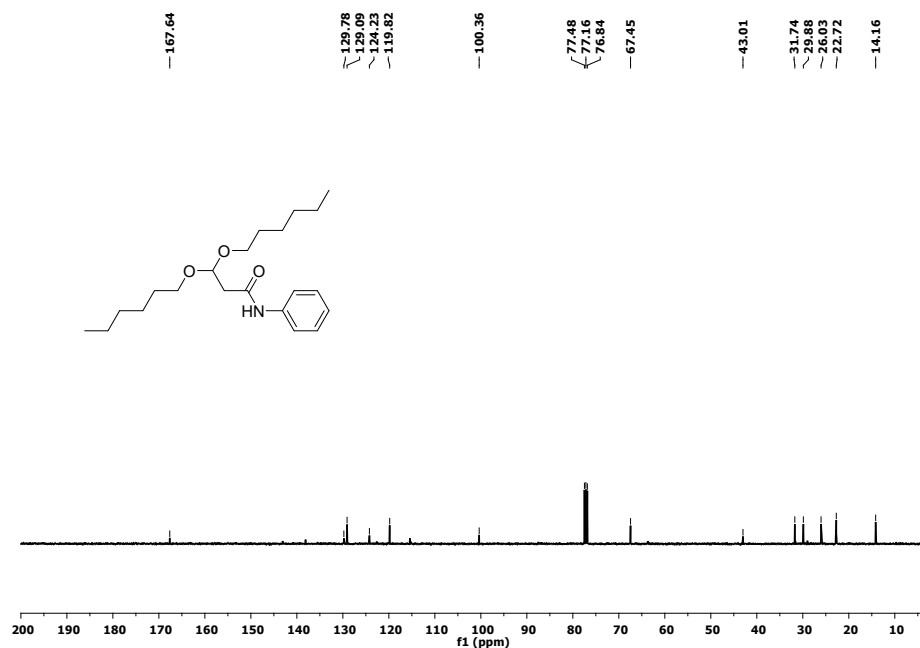


Fig. S54. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis(hexyloxy)-N-phenylpropanamide (4af)

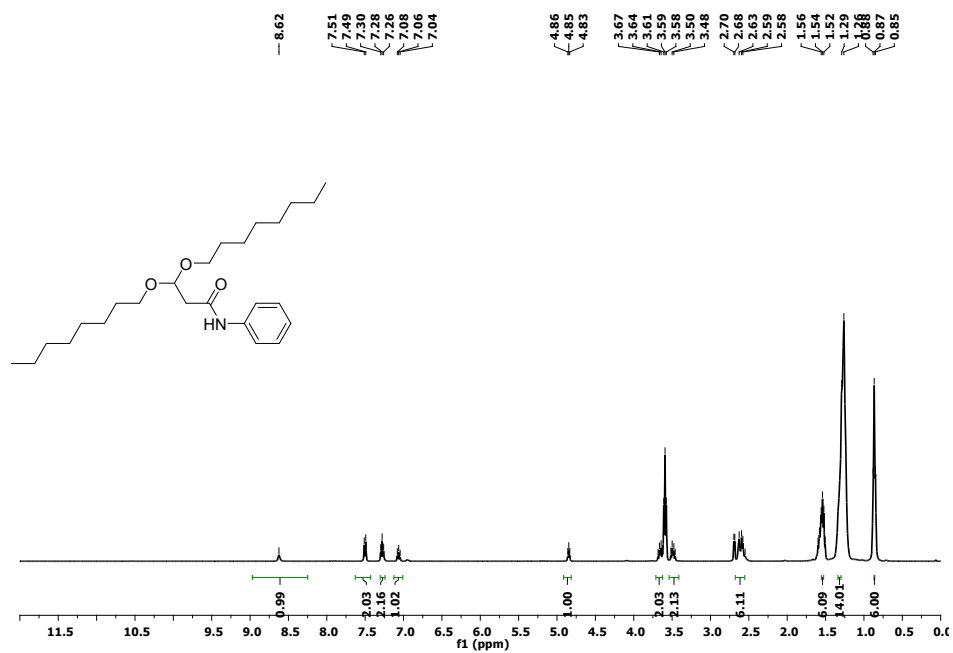


Fig. S55. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis(octyloxy)-N-phenylpropanamide (4ag)

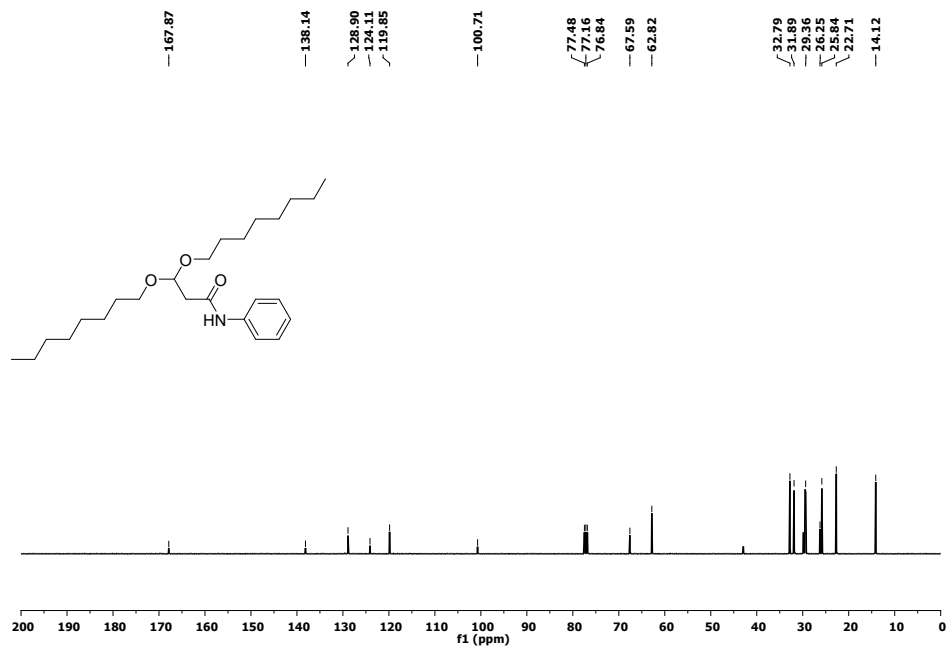


Fig. S56.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis(octyloxy)-N-phenylpropanamide (**4ag**)

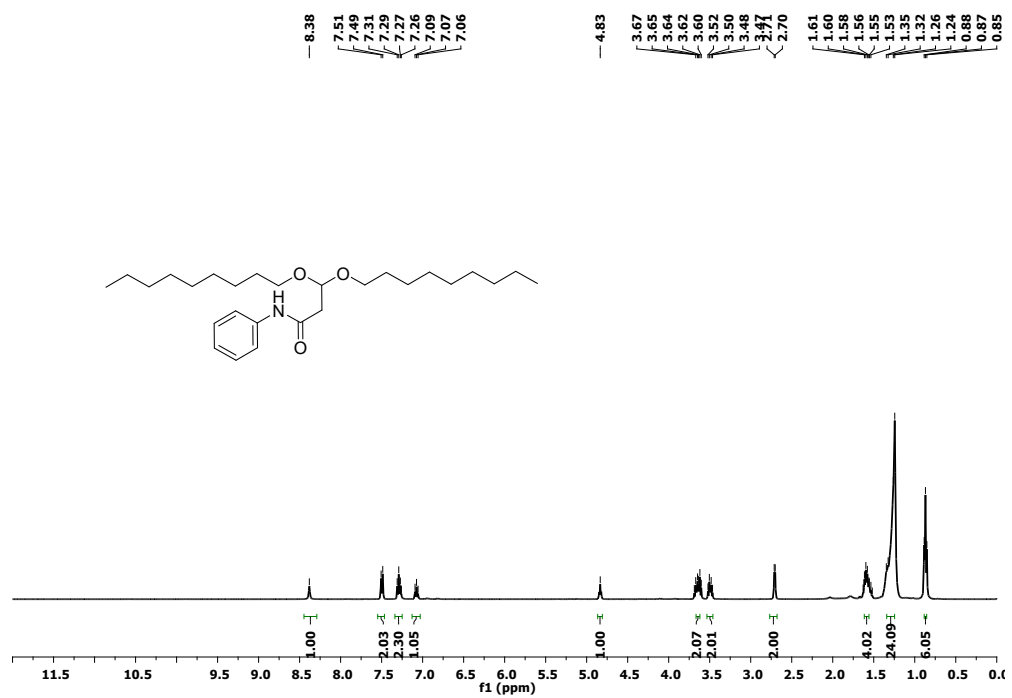


Fig. S57.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis(nonyloxy)-N-phenylpropanamide (**4ah**)



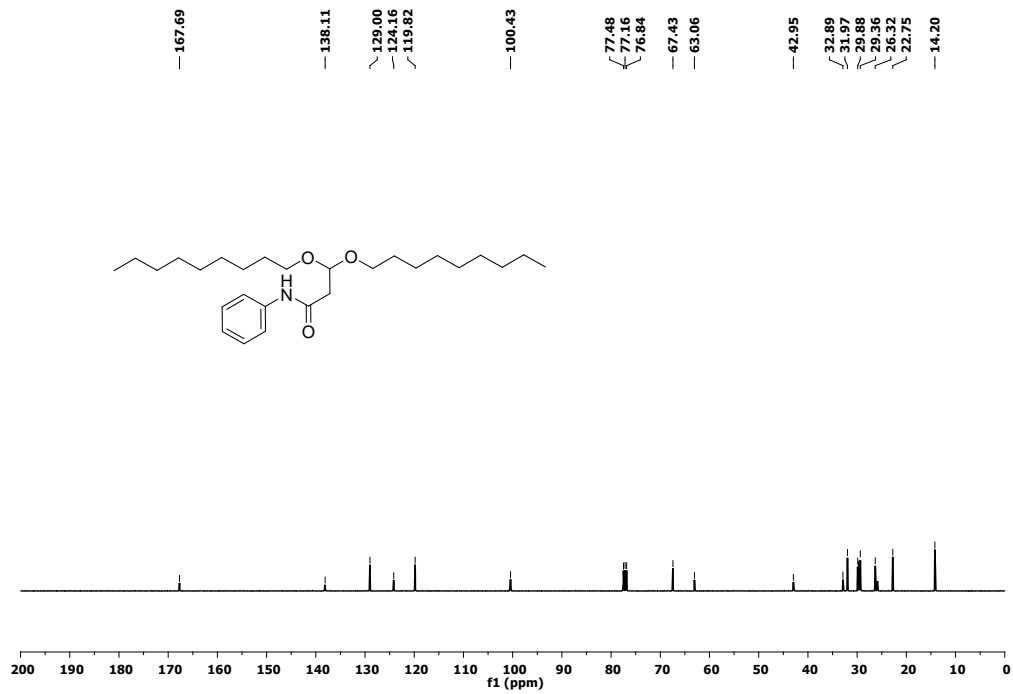


Fig. S58. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis(nonyloxy)-N-phenylpropanamide (4ah)

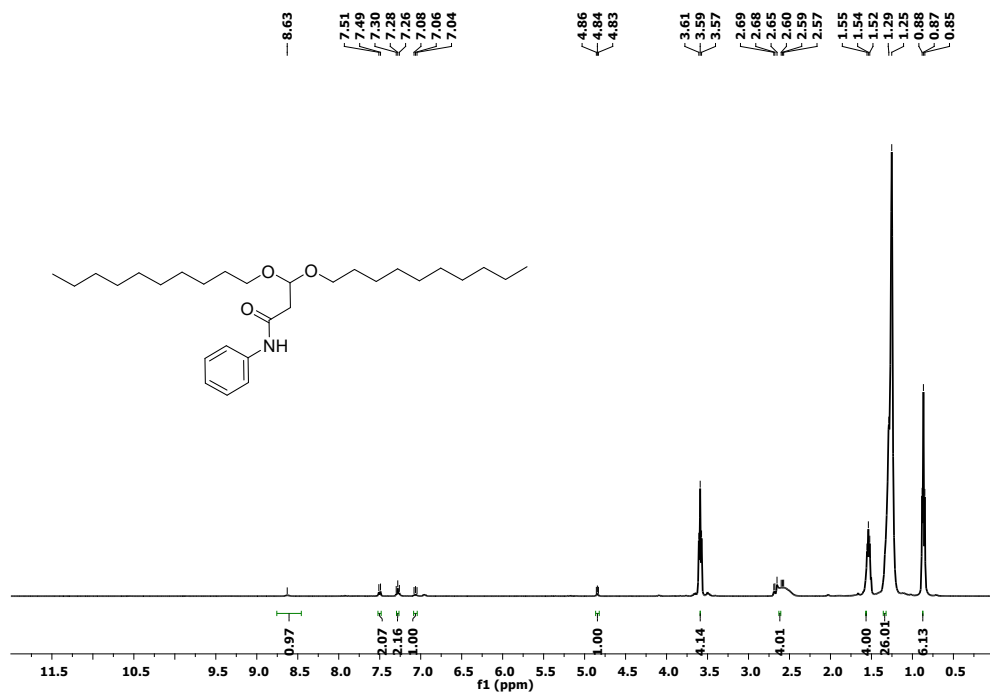


Fig. S59. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis(decyloxy)-N-phenylpropanamide (4ai)

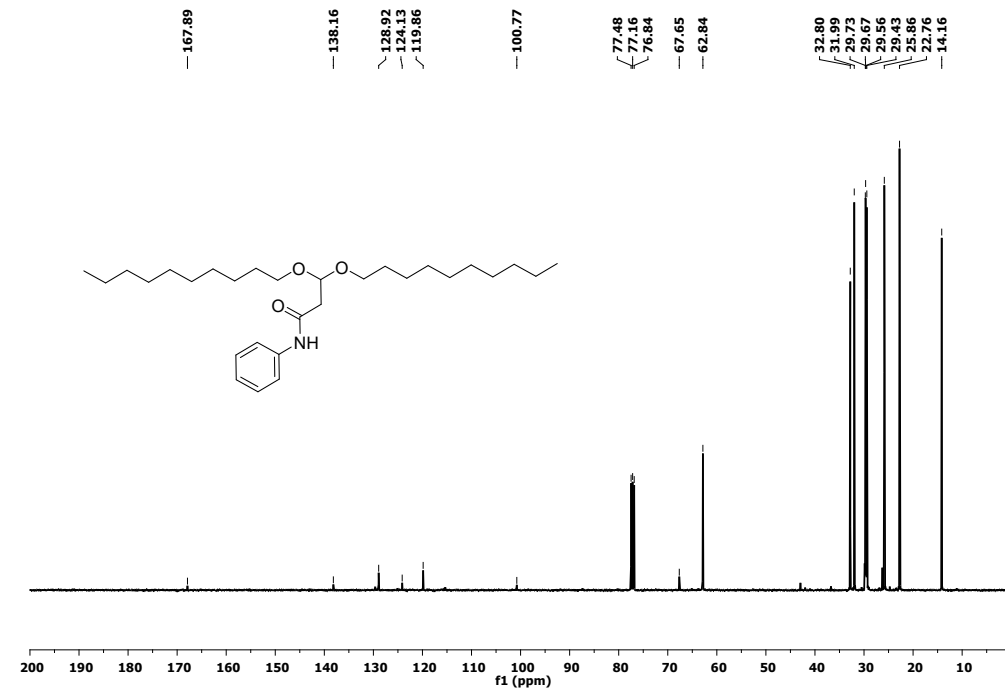


Fig. S60.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of 3,3-bis(decyloxy)-N-phenylpropanamide (4ai)

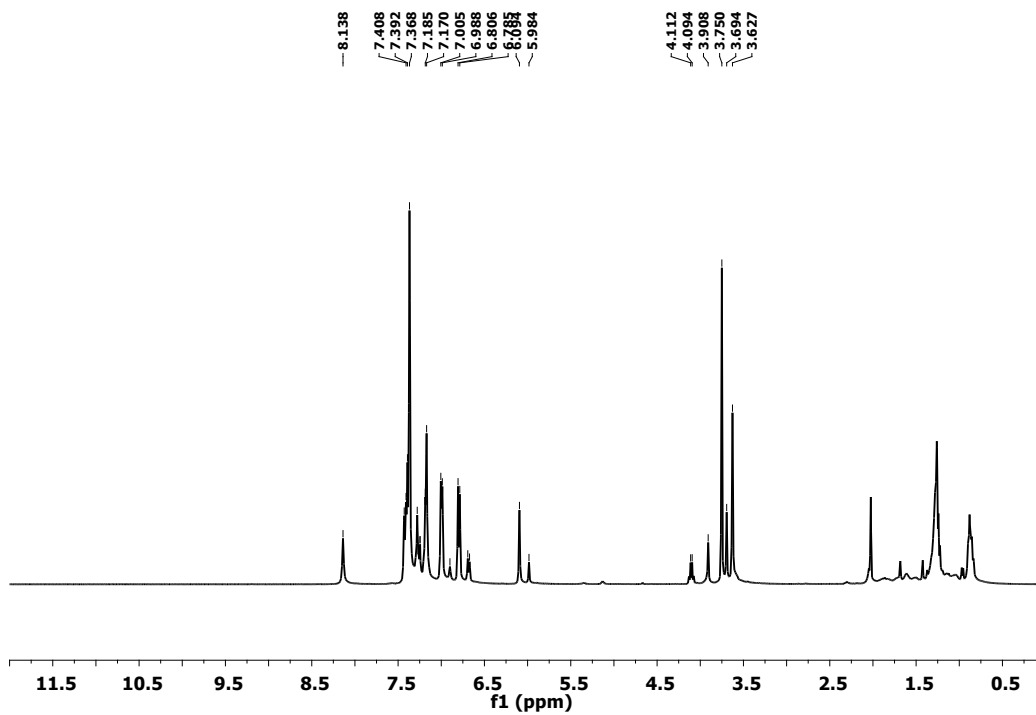
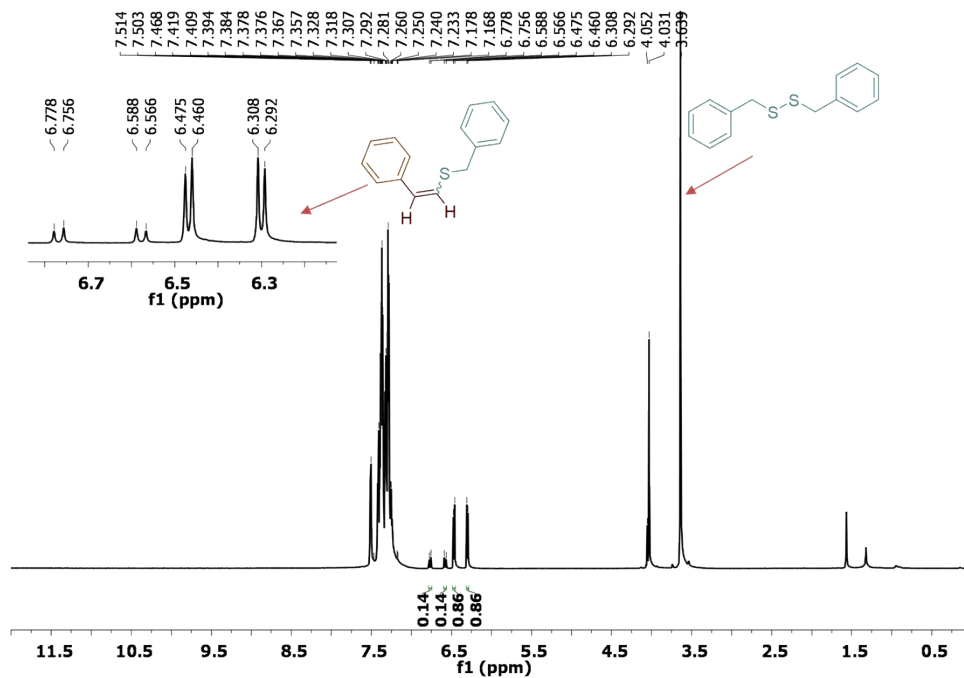
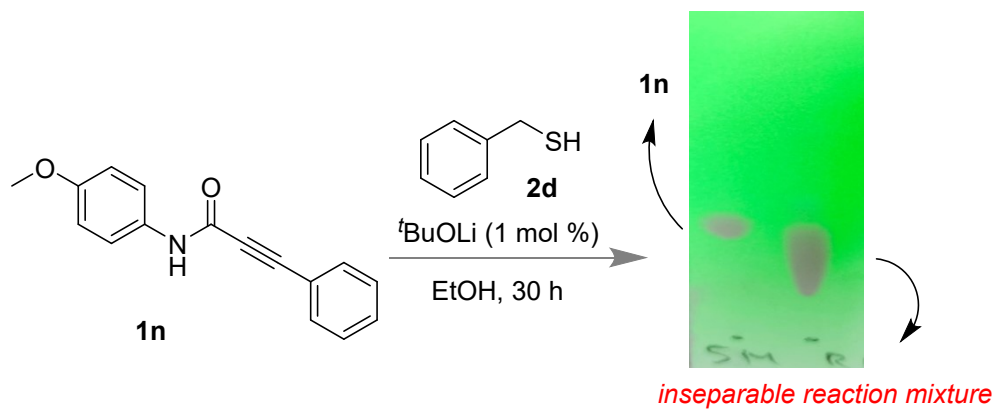


Figure S61.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum for the mixture of benzyl (styryl)sulfane and disulfide.



**Figure S62.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum for the mixture of benzyl (styryl)sulfane and disulfide.



**Scheme S1.** Reaction of internal alkyne **1n** and benzyl mercaptan **2d** shows complex reaction mixture.