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Rh-Catalyzed Asymmetric Hydrogenation of α - and β -Enamido Phosphonates: Highly Enantioselective Access to Amino Phosphonic Acids

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I. General Information

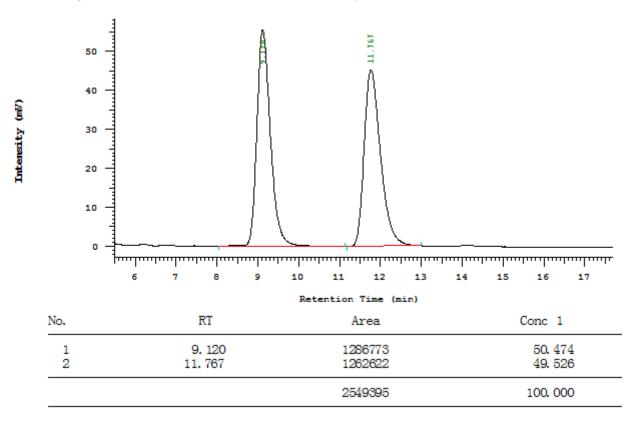
All reactions were carried out under a nitrogen atmosphere. Solvents were purified by standard procedure before use. Commercial reagents were used without further purification. Flash chromatography was performed on silica gel 60 (40-63µm, 60Å). Thin layer chromatography (TLC) was performed on glass plates coated with silica gel 60 with F254 indicator. Proton nuclear magnetic resonance (¹H NMR) spectra were recorded on a Bruker 400 MHz spectrometer. Chemical shifts for protons are reported in parts per million downfield from tetramethylsilane and are referenced to residual protium in the NMR solvent (CHCl₃= δ 7.26). Carbon nuclear magnetic resonance (¹³C NMR) spectra were recorded on a Bruker 100 MHz spectrometer. Chemical shifts for carbon are reported in parts per million downfield from tetramethylsilane and are referenced to the carbon resonances of the solvent (CDCl₃ = δ 77.07). Phosphorus nuclear magnetic resonance (³¹P NMR) spectra were recorded on a Bruker 162 MHz spectrometer. Chemical shifts for phosphorus are reported in parts per million downfield from the external 85% H₃PO₄ signal at 0.0 ppm as a standard. Data are represented as follows: chemical shift, multiplicity (br = broad, s = singlet, d = doublet, t= triplet, q = quartet, m = multiplet), coupling constants in Hertz (Hz) integration. Enantiomeric ratios were determined by chiral HPLC with *n*-hexane and *i*-PrOH as solvents. Optical rotations were recorded on a JASCO P-1020 polarimeter. ESI HRMS spectra were recorded on Bio TOFQ. Conversions were determined by GC. β -enamido phosphonates^[1-4] and β -substituted α -enamido phosphonates^[5] were prepared according to the literatures.

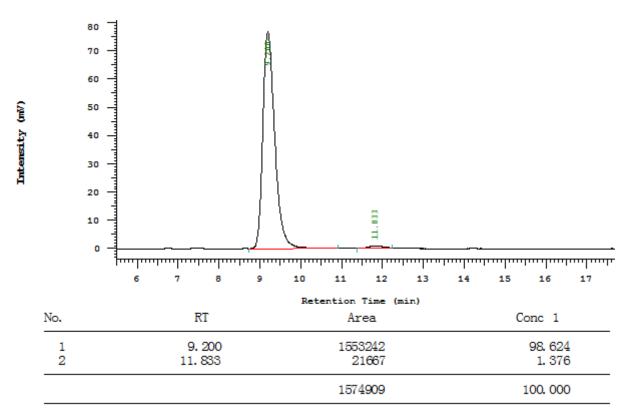
II. General Procedure for Asymmetric Hydrogenation of the Substrates

In a nitrogen-filled glovebox, a stainless steel autoclave was charged with [Rh(COD)₂]BF₄ (0.00125mmol, 0.01 equiv), (S)-**L3c** (0.001375mmol, 0.011 equiv) in 1.0 mL of a degassed TFE. After stirring for 60 min at room temperature, the reaction mixture was added to a mixture of the substrate (**1a-l, 3a-j**) (0.125 mmol, 1 equiv) in 1.0 mL of the same solvent, and the hydrogenation was performed at 25 °C under H2 pressure of 3 MPa for 24 h. The solvent was then evaporated, and the residue was purified by flash

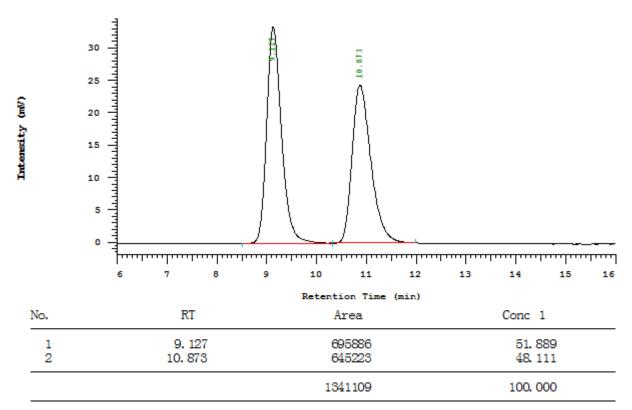
column chromatography to give the corresponding hydrogenation product (2a-l, 4a-j).

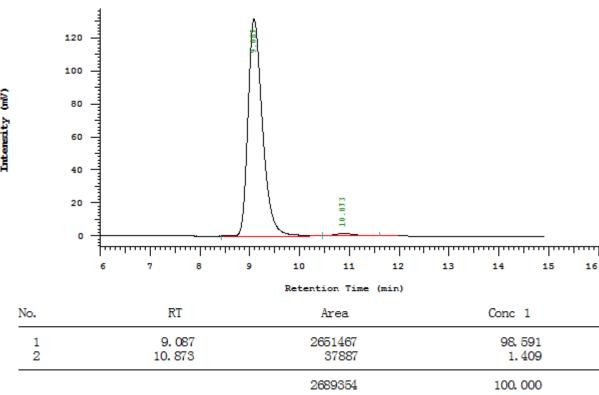
dimethyl (*S*)-(2-benzamido-2-phenylethyl)phosphonate (2a). [6] 41.7 mg (99% yield) of 2a was obtained as a white solid after purification with column chromatography on silica gel (hexanes/EtOAc/methanol, 1/1/0.1). 97% ee was determined by chiral HPLC (Chiralcel OD-H, n-hexane/i-PrOH = 80/20, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm, 40 °C): t_R (major) = 9.2 min, t_R (minor) = 11.8 min. [α] $_D^{20}$ = -23.5 (c 1.2, CH₂Cl₂). 1 H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.15 (d, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.94 – 7.92 (m, 2H), 7.51 – 7.31 (m, 7H), 7.27 – 7.23 (m, 1H), 5.61 (ddd, J = 26.1, 12.9, 7.0 Hz, 1H), 3.69 (d, J = 11.0 Hz, 3H), 3.39 (d, J = 11.1 Hz, 3H), 2.54 – 2.36 (m, 2H); 13 C NMR (176 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.4, 141.2 (d, J_{C-p} = 8.3 Hz), 134.0, 131.6, 128.7, 128.6, 127.6, 127.2, 126.0, 52.5 (d, J_{C-p} = 6.5 Hz), 52.4 (d, J_{C-p} = 6.7 Hz), 48.7 (d, J_{C-p} = 5.5 Hz), 31.6 (d, J_{C-p} = 138.1 Hz); 31 P NMR (162 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 30.7.





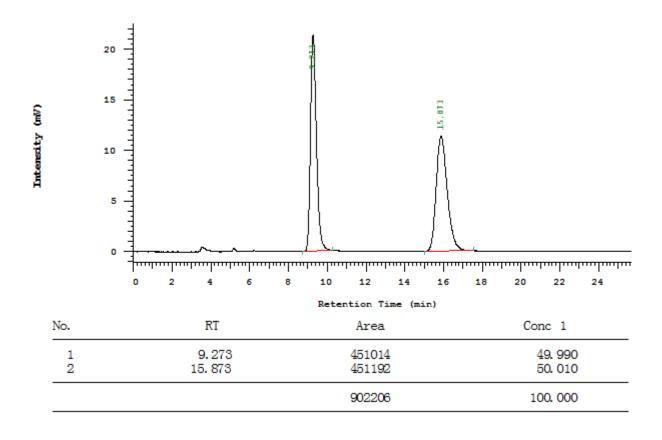
dimethyl (*S*)-(2-benzamido-2-(4-fluorophenyl)ethyl)phosphonate (2b). 43.6 mg (99% yield) of 2b was obtained as white solid after purification with column chromatography on silica gel (hexanes/EtOAc/methanol, 1/1/0.1). M.P.: 114 – 116 °C. 97% ee was determined by chiral HPLC (Chiralcel OD-H, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 80/20, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm, 40 °C): t_R (major) = 9.1 min, t_R (minor) = 10.9 min. $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -19.2$ (*c* 0.9, CH₂Cl₂). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.16 (d, J = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 7.93 (d, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.52 – 7.43 (m, 3H), 7.38 – 7.34 (m, 2H), 7.03 (t, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 5.58 (ddd, J = 26.9, 12.9, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 3.72 (d, J = 11.0 Hz, 3H), 3.45 (d, J = 11.1 Hz, 3H), 2.49 – 2.34 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.4, 162.1 (d, J_{Cf} = 245.9 Hz), 137.0 (dd, J = 9.8, 4.6 Hz), 133.8, 131.8, 128.7, 127.7 (d, J = 8.1 Hz), 127.2, 115.5 (d, J = 21.6 Hz), 52.6 (d, J_{Cp} = 6.6 Hz), 52.4 (d, J_{Cp} = 6.7 Hz), 48.2 (d, J_{Cp} = 5.6 Hz), 31.5 (d, J_{Cp} = 138.3 Hz); ³¹P NMR (162 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 30.6. HRMS calc. for C₁₇H₂₀FNO₄P [M+H]⁺: 352.1108, found: 352.1114.

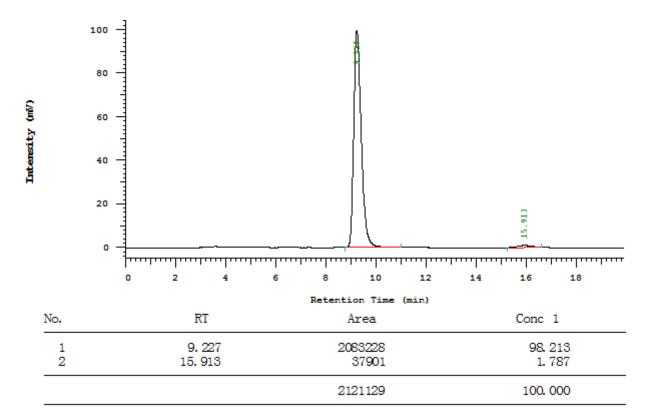




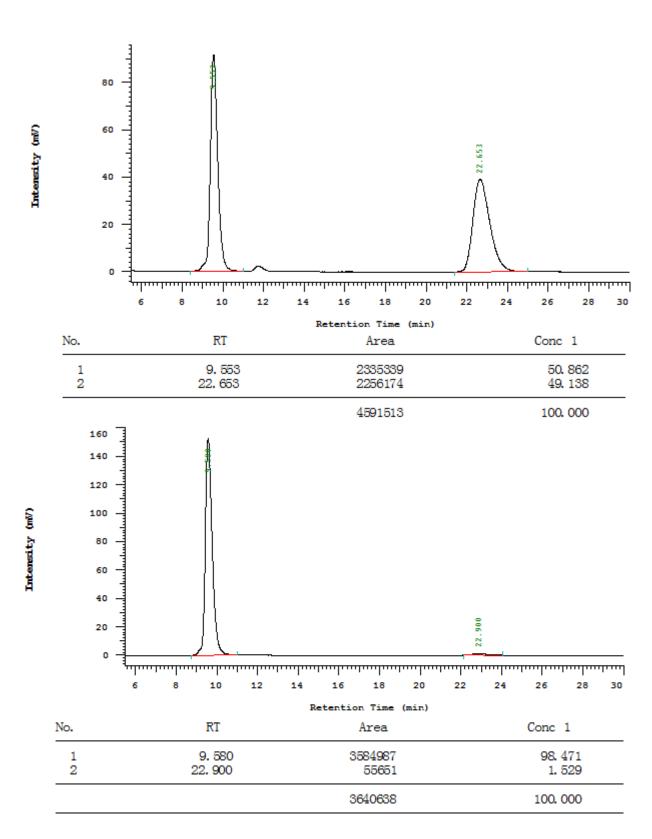
 $\label{eq:continuous} \textbf{dimethyl} \ \ \textbf{(S)-(2-benzamido-2-(4-chlorophenyl)ethyl)} \\ \textbf{phosphonate} \ \ \textbf{(2c).} \ \ ^{[6]} \ \ 45.7$

mg (99% yield) of **2c** was obtained as white solid after purification with column chromatography on silica gel (hexanes/EtOAc/methanol, 1/1/0.1). M.P.: 184 – 186 °C. 96% ee was determined by chiral HPLC (Chiralcel OD-H, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 80/20, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm, 40 °C): t_R (major) = 9.2 min, t_R (minor) = 15.9 min. [α]_D²⁰ = -22.4 (c 1.3, CH₂Cl₂). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.18 (d, J = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 7.93 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.52 – 7.44 (m, 3H), 7.34 – 7.30 (m, 4H), 5.56 (ddd, J = 26.7, 12.9, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 3.72 (d, J = 11.0 Hz, 3H), 3.46 (d, J = 11.1 Hz, 3H), 2.41 (dd, J = 16.3, 5.6 Hz, 2H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.4, 139.8 (d, J_{C-p} = 8.4 Hz), 133.7, 133.3, 131.8, 128.8, 128.7, 127.4, 127.2, 52.6 (d, J_{C-p} = 6.6 Hz), 52.4 (d, J_{C-p} = 6.7 Hz), 48.3 (d, J_{C-p} = 5.8 Hz), 31.4 (d, J_{C-p} = 138.2 Hz); ³¹P NMR (162 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 30.4.



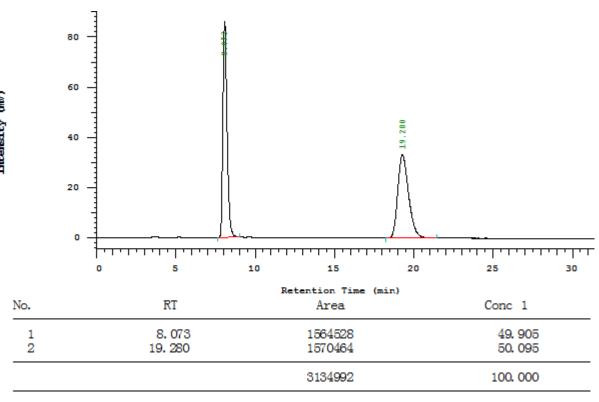


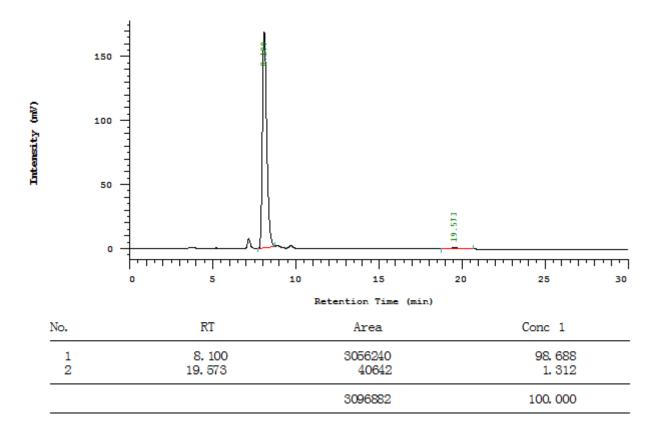
dimethyl (*S*)-(2-benzamido-2-(4-bromophenyl)ethyl)phosphonate (2d). [6] 51.1 mg (99% yield) of 2d was obtained as white solid after purification with column chromatography on silica gel (hexanes/EtOAc/methanol, 1/1/0.1). M.p.: 92 – 94 °C. 97% ee was determined by chiral HPLC (Chiralcel OD-H, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 80/20, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm, 40 °C): t_R (major) = 9.6 min, t_R (minor) = 22.9 min. [α] $_D^{20}$ = -16.8 (c 0.8, CH $_2$ Cl $_2$). 1 H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl $_3$) δ 8.17 (d, J = 6.9 Hz, 1H), 7.92 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.54 – 7.44 (m, 5H), 7.28 – 7.25 (m, 2H), 5.54 (dq, J = 26.8, 6.5 Hz, 1H), 3.73 (d, J = 11.0 Hz, 3H), 3.46 (d, J = 11.1 Hz, 3H), 2.40 (dd, J = 16.6, 6.0 Hz, 2H); 13 C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl $_3$) δ 166.4, 140.4 (d, J_{C-p} = 8.6 Hz), 133.7, 131.8, 131.8, 128.7, 127.8, 127.2, 121.4, 52.6 (d, J_{C-p} = 6.6 Hz), 52.5 (d, J_{C-p} = 6.7 Hz), 48.4 (d, J_{C-p} = 5.8 Hz), 31.3 (d, J_{C-p} = 138.5 Hz); 31 P NMR (162 MHz, CDCl $_3$) δ 30.4.



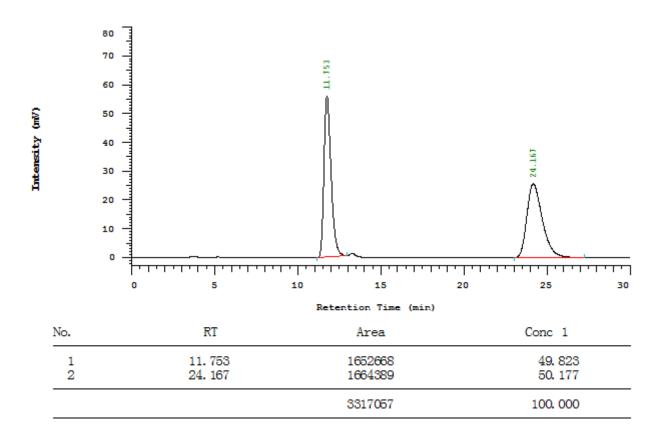
dimethyl (S)-(2-benzamido-2-(p-tolyl)ethyl)phosphonate (2e). [6] 43.1 mg (>99%)

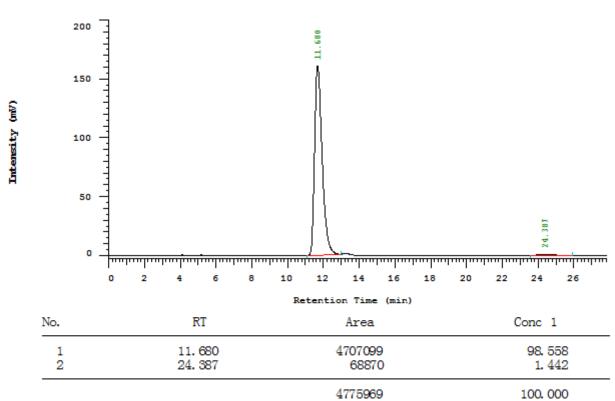
yield) of **2e** was obtained as colorless oil after purification with column chromatography on silica gel (hexanes/EtOAc/methanol, 1/1/0.1). 97% ee was determined by chiral HPLC (Chiralcel OD-H, n-hexane/i-PrOH = 80/20, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm, 40 °C): t_R (major) = 8.1 min, t_R (minor) = 19.6 min. [α]_D²⁰ = -24.5 (c 3.2, CH₂Cl₂). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.08 (d, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.91 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.50 – 7.39 (m, 3H), 7.26 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.13 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 5.55 (ddd, J = 24.4, 13.1, 6.8 Hz, 1H), 3.69 (d, J = 10.9 Hz, 3H), 3.42 (d, J = 11.0 Hz, 3H), 2.53 – 2.37 (m, 2H), 2.31 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.4, 138.3 (d, J_{C-p} = 8.7 Hz), 137.2, 134.1, 131.5, 129.3, 128. 6, 127.2, 126.0, 52.5 (d, J_{C-p} = 6.6 Hz), 52.4 (d, J_{C-p} = 6.6 Hz), 48.6 (d, J_{C-p} = 5.3 Hz), 31.6 (d, J_{C-p} = 137.8 Hz), 21.1; ³¹P NMR (162 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 30.8.



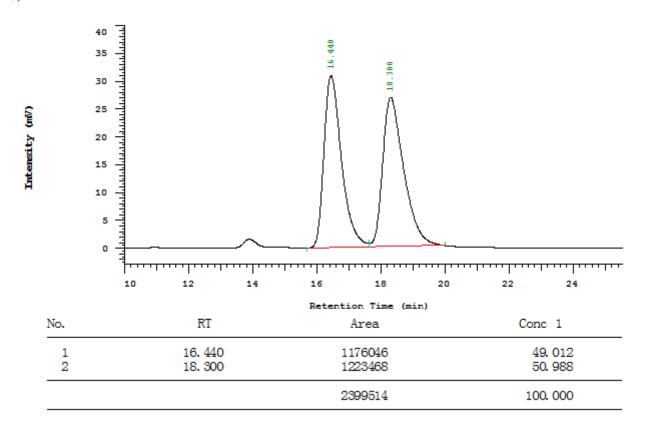


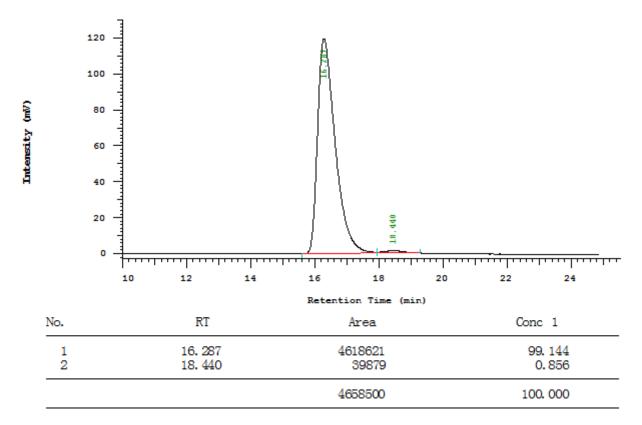
dimethyl (*S*)-(2-benzamido-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)ethyl)phosphonate (2f). ^[6] 45.2 mg (>99% yield) of 2f was obtained as colorless oil after purification with column chromatography on silica gel (hexanes/EtOAc/methanol, 1/1/0.1). 97% ee was determined by chiral HPLC (Chiralcel OD-H, n-hexane/i-PrOH = 80/20, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm, 40 °C): t_R (major) = 11.7 min, t_R (minor) = 24.4 min. $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ = -22.5 (c 0.8, CH₂Cl₂). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.00 (d, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.92 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.47 (dt, J = 25.1, 7.4 Hz, 3H), 7.31 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 6.88 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 5.55 (ddd, J = 25.7, 13.0, 6.5 Hz, 1H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.70 (d, J = 10.9 Hz, 3H), 3.44 (d, J = 11.0 Hz, 3H), 2.52 – 2.35 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.4, 159.0, 134.0, 133.3 (d, J_{C-p} = 8.2 Hz), 131.6, 128.6, 127.2, 127.2, 114.1, 55.3, 52.5, 52.5 (d, J_{C-p} = 3.6 Hz), 52.4 (d, J_{C-p} = 3.6 Hz), 48.3 (d, J_{C-p} = 5.4 Hz), 31.6 (d, J_{C-p} = 137.6 Hz); ³¹P NMR (162 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 30.9.



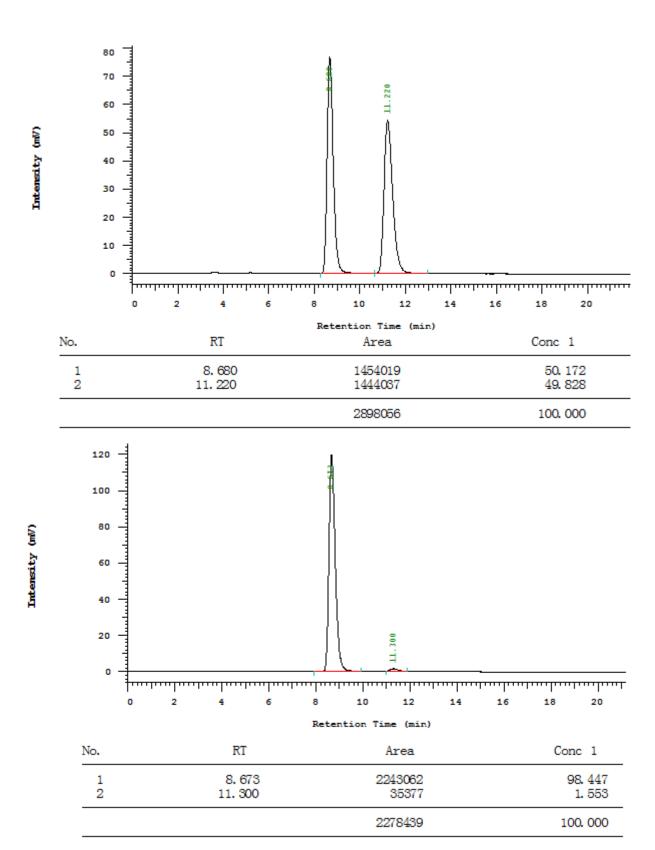


dimethyl (*S*)-(2-benzamido-2-(2-chlorophenyl)ethyl)phosphonate (2g). [6] 44.6 mg (>99% yield) of 2g was obtained as white solid after purification with column chromatography on silica gel (hexanes/EtOAc/methanol, 1/1/0.1). M.P.: 106 - 108 °C. 98% ee was determined by chiral HPLC (Chiralcel OD-H, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90/10, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm, 40 °C): t_R (major) = 16.3 min, t_R (minor) = 18.4 min. [α] $_D^{20}$ = -74.1 (c 3.4, CH $_2$ Cl $_2$). 1 H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl $_3$) δ 8.43 (d, J = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 7.95 (d, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.53 – 7.43 (m, 4H), 7.37 (d, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.25 – 7.18 (m, 2H), 5.86 (ddd, J = 26.7, 12.5, 6.7 Hz, 1H), 3.73 (d, J = 11.0 Hz, 3H), 3.43 (d, J = 11.1 Hz, 3H), 2.64 – 2.39 (m, 2H); 13 C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl $_3$) δ 166.1, 138.5 (d, J_{C-p} = 8.4 Hz), 133.7, 132.2, 131.7, 129.9, 128.8, 128.7, 127.4, 127.2, 127.1, 52.6 (d, J_{C-p} = 6.6 Hz), 52.3 (d, J_{C-p} = 6.8 Hz), 46.8 (d, J_{C-p} = 5.9 Hz), 28.7 (d, J_{C-p} = 137.9 Hz); 31 P NMR (162 MHz, CDCl $_3$) δ 30.7.



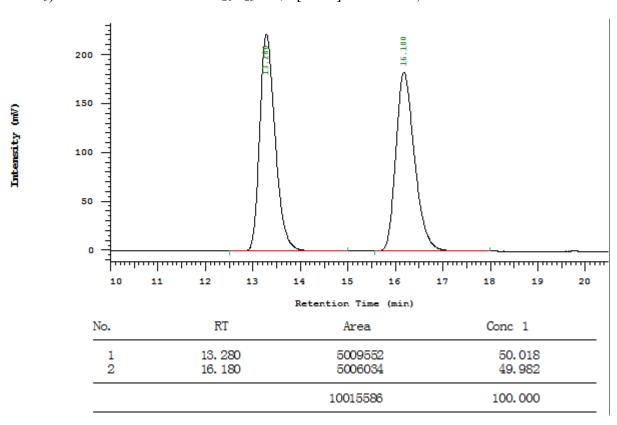


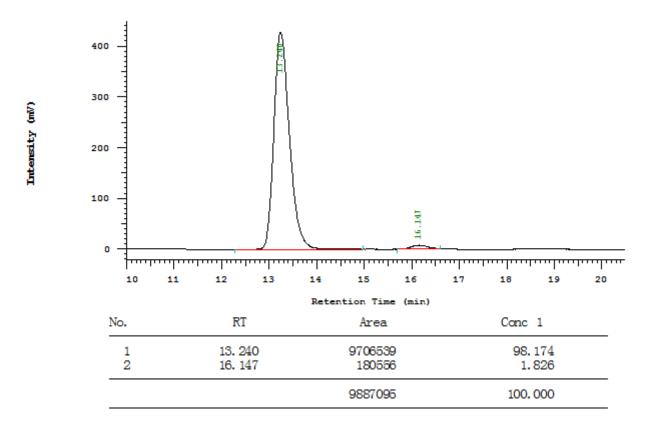
dimethyl (*S*)-(2-benzamido-2-(3-chlorophenyl)ethyl)phosphonate (2h). 45.4 mg (99% yield) of 2h was obtained as colorless oil after purification with column chromatography on silica gel (hexanes/EtOAc/methanol, 1/1/0.1). 97% ee was determined by chiral HPLC (Chiralcel OD-H, n-hexane/i-PrOH = 80/20, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm, 40 °C): t_R (major) = 8.7 min, t_R (minor) = 11.3 min. [α] $_D$ ²⁰ = -29.5 (c 1.1, CH₂Cl₂). 1 H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.22 (d, J = 6.9 Hz, 1H), 7.94 (d, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.54 - 7.37 (m, 4H), 7.28 - 7.24 (m, 3H), 5.56 (ddd, J = 26.5, 12.9, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 3.73 (d, J = 11.0 Hz, 3H), 3.47 (d, J = 11.1 Hz, 3H), 2.44 - 2.38 (m, 2H); 13 C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.5, 143.5 (d, J_{C-p} = 8.7 Hz), 134.6, 133.7, 131.8, 130.0, 128.7, 127.8, 127.2, 126.2, 124.3, 52.6 (d, J_{C-p} = 6.6 Hz), 52.5 (d, J_{C-p} = 6.8 Hz), 48.4 (d, J_{C-p} = 5.8 Hz), 31.4 (d, J_{C-p} = 138.7 Hz); 31 P NMR (162 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 30.3. HRMS calc. for C₁₇H₂₀ClNO₄P [M+H]⁺: 368.0813, found: 368.0821.



dimethyl (S)-(2-benzamido-2-(naphthalen-2-yl)ethyl)phosphonate (2i). 47.6 mg

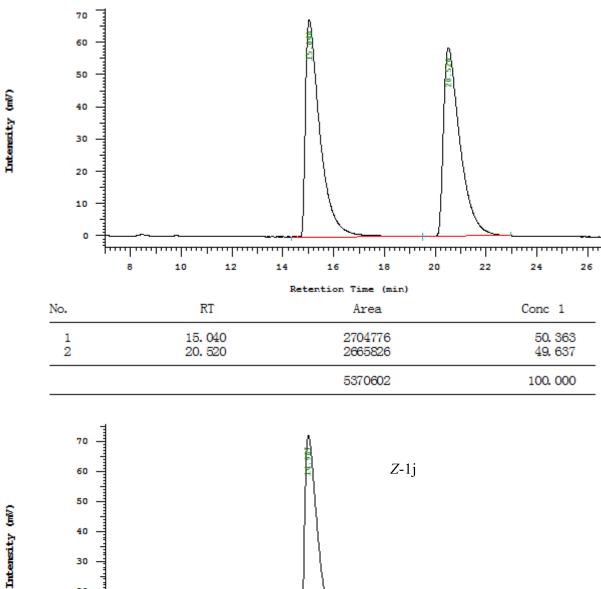
(99% yield) of **2i** was obtained as white solid after purification with column chromatography on silica gel (hexanes/EtOAc/methanol, 1/1/0.1). M.P.: 138 – 140 °C. 96% ee was determined by chiral HPLC (Chiralcel OD-H, n-hexane/i-PrOH = 80/20, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm, 40 °C): t_R (major) = 13.2 min, t_R (minor) = 16.1 min. $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -32.9$ (c 4.2, CH₂Cl₂). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.28 (d, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.96 – 7.94 (m, 2H), 7.83 – 7.76 (m, 4H), 7.51 – 7.41 (m, 6H), 5.75 (ddd, J = 25.3, 12.8, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 3.69 (d, J = 11.0 Hz, 3H), 3.33 (d, J = 11.1 Hz, 3H), 2.62 – 2.41 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 166.5, 138.7 (d, J_{C-p} = 8.7 Hz), 134.0, 133.3, 132.8, 131.7, 128.6, 128.6, 128.0, 127.6, 127.3, 126.30, 126.0, 124.7, 124.3, 52.5 (d, J_{C-p} = 6.6 Hz), 52.4 (d, J_{C-p} = 6.7 Hz), 48.9 (d, J_{C-p} = 5.5 Hz), 31.5 (d, J_{C-p} = 138.2 Hz); ³¹P NMR (162 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 31.7. HRMS calc. for C₂₁H₂₃NO₄P [M+H]⁺: 384.1359, found: 384.1354.

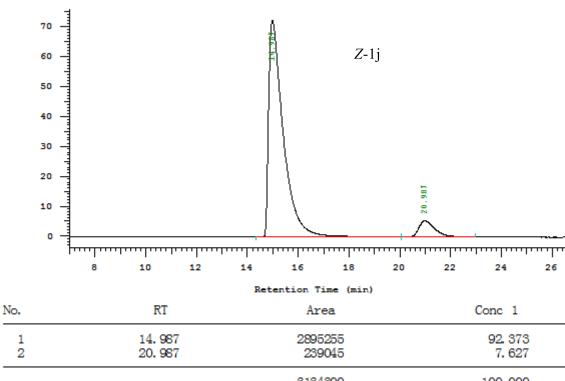




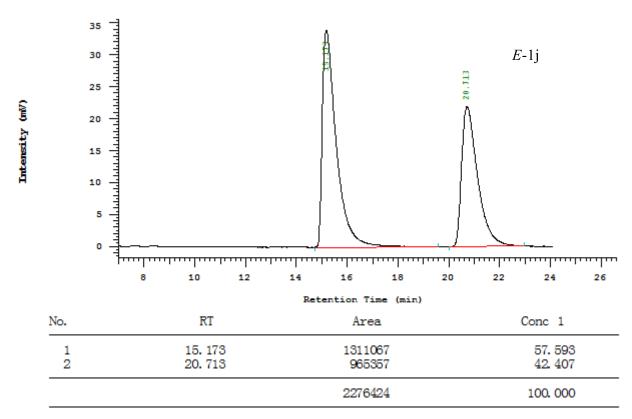
dimethyl (S)-(2-acetamido-2-(naphthalen-2-yl)ethyl)phosphonate (2j). 39.2 mg

(99% yield) of **2j** was obtained as colorless oil after purification with column chromatography on silica gel (hexanes/EtOAc/methanol, 1/1/0.3). 85% ee (*Z*-1j) and 15% ee (*E*-1j) were determined by chiral HPLC (Chiralcel OJ-H, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 85/15, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm, 40 °C): t_R (major) = 15.0 min, t_R (minor) = 21.0 min. [α]_D²⁰ = 17.8 (*c* 1.0, CHCl₃), (*Z*-1j); [α]_D²⁰ = 0.8 (*c* 0.8, CHCl₃), (*E*-1j). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.84 – 7.79 (m, 4H), 7.50 – 7.41 (m, 3H), 7.15 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 5.64 – 5.54 (m, 1H), 3.70 (d, *J* = 11.0 Hz, 3H), 3.31 (d, *J* = 11.0 Hz, 3H), 2.54 – 2.34 (m, 2H), 2.09 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.6, 138.4 (d, J_{C-p} = 8.3 Hz), 133.3, 132.8, 128.5, 128.0, 127.6, 126.4, 126.1, 124.8, 124.3, 52.5 (d, J_{C-p} = 6.7 Hz), 52.3 (d, J_{C-p} = 6.8 Hz), 48.4, 31.5 (d, J_{C-p} = 138.6 Hz), 23.5; ³¹P NMR (162 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 30.3. HRMS calc. for C₁₆H₂₁NO₄P [M+H]⁺: 322.1203, found: 322.1209.

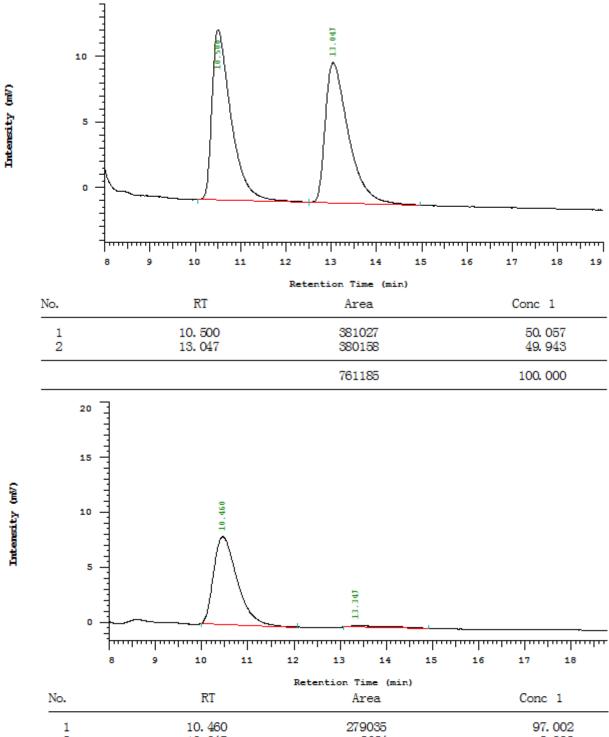




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dimethyl (*S*)-(2-acetamido-2-phenylethyl)phosphonate (2k).^[7] 51.0 mg (>99% yield) of 2k was obtained as white solid after purification with column chromatography on silica gel (hexanes/EtOAc/methanol, 2/1/0.5). M.P.: 132 – 134 °C. 94% ee was determined by chiral HPLC (Chiralcel OD-H, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 85/15, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm, 40 °C): t_R (major) = 10.5 min, t_R (minor) = 13.3 min. [α]_D³⁰ = 25.1 (*c* 1.6, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.35 – 7.32 (m, 4H), 7.29 – 7.21 (m, 2H), 5.45 – 5.34 (m, 1H), 3.68 (d, J = 10.9 Hz, 3H), 3.39 (d, J = 11.0 Hz, 3H), 2.40 – 2.28 (m, 2H), 2.02 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.5, 141.1 (d, J_{C-p} = 8.4 Hz), 128.6, 127.5, 126.1, 52.4 (d, J_{C-p} = 6.6 Hz), 52.2 (d, J_{C-p} = 6.6 Hz), 48.3 (d, J_{C-p} = 4.7 Hz), 31.6 (d, J_{C-p} = 138.6 Hz), 23.3; ³¹P NMR (162 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 30.2.

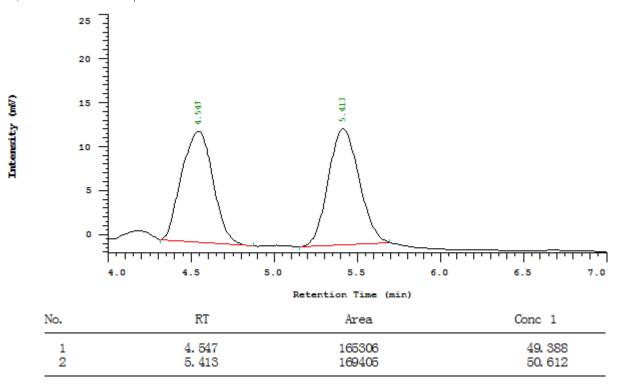


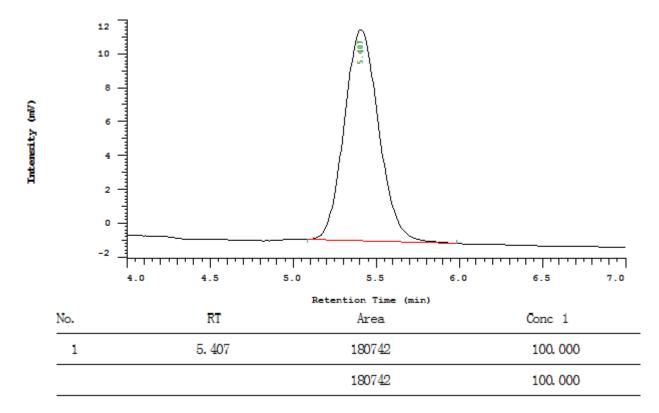
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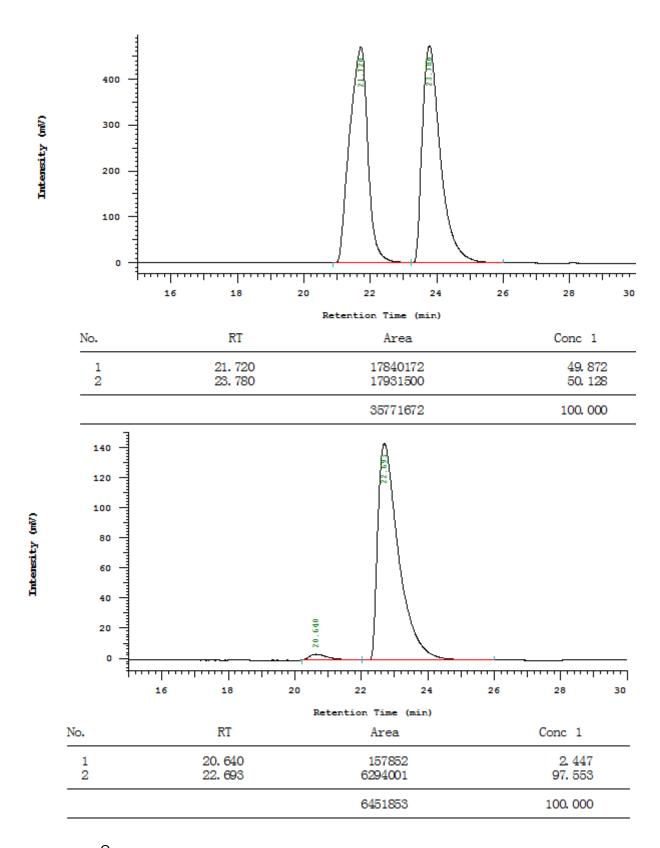
di-tert-butyl (S)-(2-acetamido-2-phenylethyl)phosphonate (2l). 43.9 mg (99% yield)

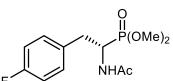
of **21** was obtained as a white solid after purification with column chromatography on silica gel (hexanes/EtOAc/methanol, 2/1/0.1). M.p.: 148 – 150 °C. >99% ee was determined by chiral HPLC (Chiralcel OD-H, n-hexane/i-PrOH = 85/15, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm, 40 °C): t_R (major) = 5.4 min, t_R (minor) = 4.5 min. [α] $_D$ ³⁰ = 30.9 (c 1.8, CHCl₃). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.34 – 7.27 (m, 4H), 7.25 – 7.20 (m, 1H), 7.18–7.16 (m, 1H), 1H), 5.29 – 5.19 (m, 1H), 2.18 (dd, J = 16.9, 6.7 Hz, 2H), 2.03 (s, 3H), 1.51 (s, 9H), 1.32 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.5, 142.0 (d, J_{C-p} = 9.9 Hz), 128.5, 127.1, 126.1, 82.9 (d, J_{C-p} = 8.8 Hz), 82.5 (d, J_{C-p} = 8.9 Hz), 49.7 (d, J_{C-p} = 5.8 Hz), 36.6 (d, J_{C-p} = 142.1 Hz), 30.4 (d, J_{C-p} = 4.0 Hz), 30.2 (d, J_{C-p} = 4.0 Hz), 23.3; ³¹P NMR (162 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 19.1. HRMS calc. for C₁₈H₃₁NO₄P [M+H]⁺: 356.1995, found: 356.1995.





dimethyl (*S*)-(1-acetamido-2-phenylethyl)phosphonate (4a). [4] 33.5 mg (99% yield) of 4a was obtained as colorless oil after purification with column chromatography on silica gel (hexanes/EtOAc/methanol, 1/1/0.2). >95% ee was determined by chiral HPLC (Chiralpak AD-H, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 95/5, 0.8 mL/min, 220 nm, 40 °C): t_R (major) = 22.7 min, t_R (minor) = 20.6 min. [α]_D²⁰ = 13.8 (*c* 1.2, CH₂Cl₂). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.31 – 7.19 (m, 5H), 6.65 (d, J = 9.8 Hz, 1H), 4.86 – 4.72 (m, 1H), 3.75 (d, J = 10.7 Hz, 6H), 3.25 – 3.10 (m, 1H), 2.98 – 2.89 (m, 1H), 1.89 (d, J = 0.6 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.8 (d, J_{C-p} = 4.9 Hz), 136.5 (d, J_{C-p} = 13.3 Hz), 129.1, 128.4, 126.9, 53.5 (d, J_{C-p} = 6.9 Hz), 52.9 (d, J_{C-p} = 6.9 Hz), 45.7 (d, J_{C-p} = 156.3 Hz), 35.5 (d, J = 3.3 Hz), 22.8; ³¹P NMR (162 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 26.8.



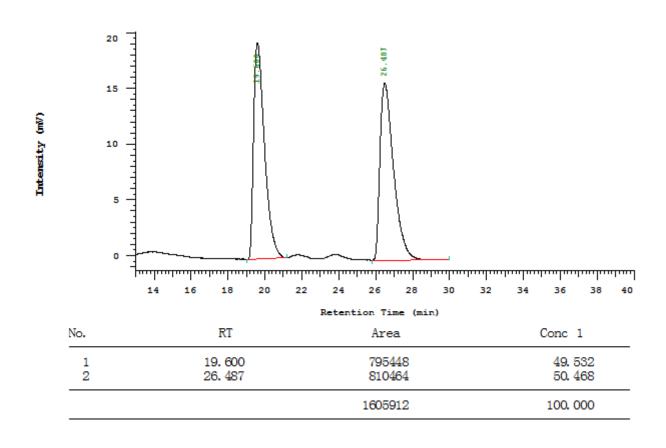


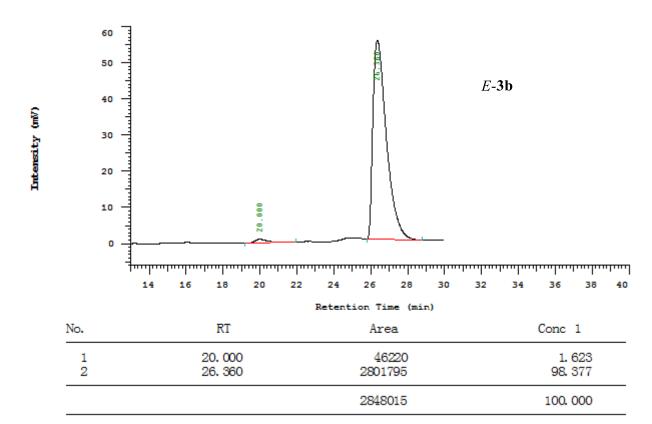
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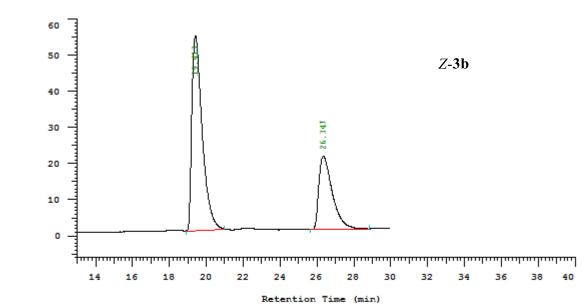
dimethyl (S)-(1-acetamido-2-(4-fluorophenyl)ethyl)phosphonate (4b). >35.8

mg (>99% yield) of 4b was obtained as colorless oil after purification with column chromatography on silica

gel (hexanes/EtOAc/methanol, 1/1/0.1). 97% ee (*E*-**3b**), 35% ee (*Z*-**3b**), 92% ee (*E*-**3b**/*Z*-**3b** = 10/1) and 35% ee (*E*-**3b**/*Z*-**3b** = 1/1) were determined by chiral HPLC (Chiralpak AD-H, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 95/5, 0.8 mL/min, 220 nm, 40 °C): t_R (major) = 26.4 min, t_R (minor) = 20.0 min. $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ = 28.6 (*c* 3.5, CH₂Cl₂) (*E*-**3b**); $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ = -0.2 (*c* 3.3, CH₂Cl₂) (*Z*-**3b**); $[\alpha]_D^{30}$ = 26.5 (*c* 3.7, CH₂Cl₂) (*E*-**3b**/*Z*-**3b** = 10/1); $[\alpha]_D^{30}$ = 1.2 (*c* 3.2, CH₂Cl₂) (*E*-**3b**/*Z*-**3b** = 1/1). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.22 – 7.18 (m, 2H), 7.00 – 6.95 (m, 2H), 6.78 (d, *J* = 9.9 Hz, 1H), 4.80 – 4.70 (m, 1H), 3.76 (dd, *J* = 10.7, 3.5 Hz, 6H), 3.19 – 3.12 (m, 1H), 2.95 – 2.86 (m, 1H), 1.90 (d, *J* = 1.0 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.9 (d, *J* = 5.1 Hz), 161.8 (d, *J*_{C-p} = 245.0 Hz), 132.2 (dd, *J* = 13.6, 3.3 Hz), 130.6 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz), 115.3 (d, *J* = 21.3 Hz), 53.6 (d, *J*_{C-p} = 6.9 Hz), 52.9 (d, *J*_{C-p} = 7.0 Hz), 45.7 (d, *J*_{C-p} = 156.2 Hz), 34.7 (d, *J*_{C-p} = 3.4 Hz), 22.7; ³¹P NMR (162 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 26.6. HRMS calc. for C₁₂H₁₈FNO₄P [M+H]⁺: 290.0952, found: 290.0956.

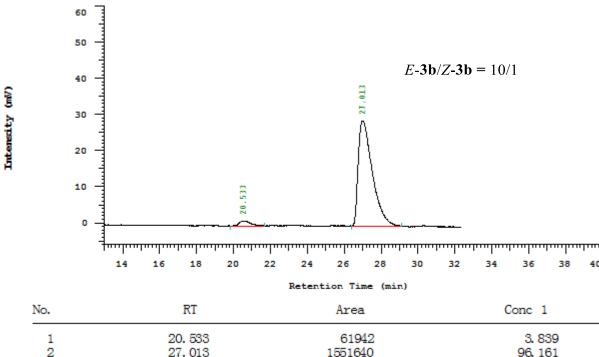




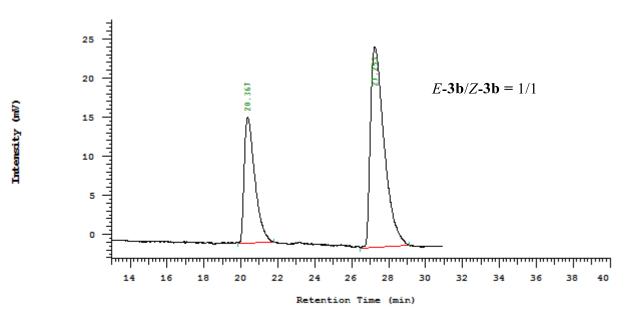


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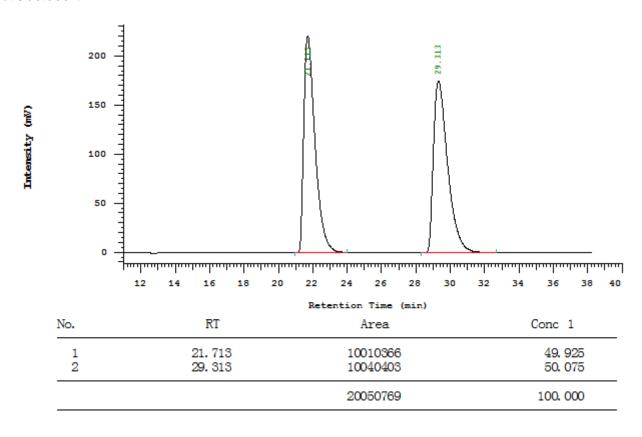
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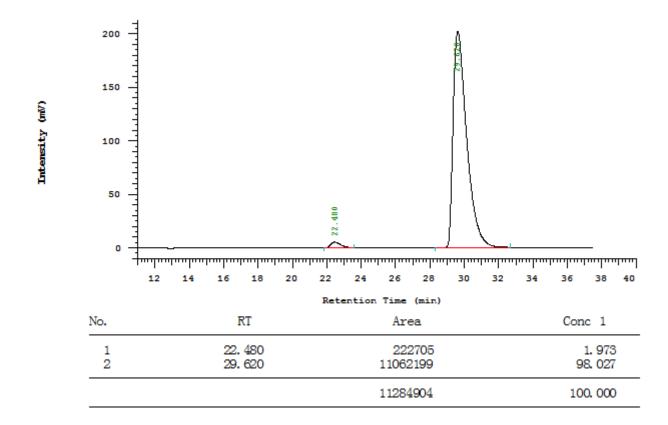


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dimethyl (S)-(1-acetamido-2-(4-chlorophenyl)ethyl)phosphonate (4c). 38.1

mg (99% yield) of **4c** was obtained as colorless oil after purification with column chromatography on silica gel (hexanes/EtOAc/methanol, 1/1/0.1). 96% ee was determined by chiral HPLC (Chiralpak AD-H, n-hexane/i-PrOH = 95/5, 0.8 mL/min, 220 nm, 40 °C): t_R (major) = 29.6 min, t_R (minor) = 22.5 min. [α]_D²⁰ = 22.6 (c 1.5, CH₂Cl₂). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.27 – 7.24 (m, 2H), 7.18 – 7.15 (m, 2H), 6.39 (d, J = 9.9 Hz, 1H), 4.82 – 4.71 (m, 1H), 3.76 (dd, J = 10.7, 5.3 Hz, 6H), 3.20 – 3.13 (m, 1H), 2.94 – 2.85 (m, 1H), 1.90 (d, J = 0.6 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.7 (d, J_{C-p} = 5.0 Hz), 135.0 (d, J_{C-p} = 13.3 Hz), 132.8, 130.4, 128.6, 53.5 (d, J_{C-p}</sub> = 6.9 Hz), 52.9 (d, <math>J_{C-p}</sub> = 6.9 Hz), 45.4 (d, <math>J_{C-p}</sub> = 156.4 Hz), 34.9 (d, <math>J_{C-p}</sub> = 3.5 Hz), 22.8; ³¹P NMR (162 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 26.4. HRMS calc. for C₁₂H₁₈CINO₄P [M+H]⁺: 306.0656, found: 306.0661.</sub></sub></sub></sub>



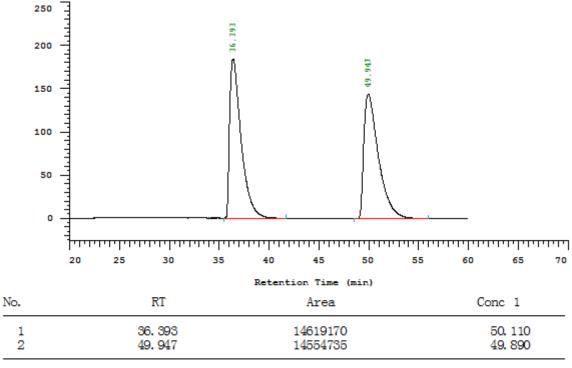


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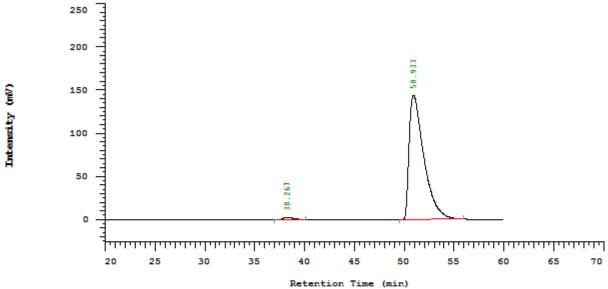
dimethyl (S)-(1-acetamido-2-(4-bromophenyl)ethyl)phosphonate (4d). 43.3

mg (>99% yield) of **4d** was obtained as colorless oil after purification with column chromatography on silica gel (hexanes/EtOAc/methanol, 1/1/0.1). 97% ee was determined by chiral HPLC (Chiralpak AD-H, n-hexane/i-PrOH = 80/20, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm, 40 °C): t_R (major) = 50.9 min, t_R (minor) = 38.3 min. [α]_D²⁰ = 27.0 (c 1.0, CH₂Cl₂). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.41 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.11 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 6.45 (d, J = 9.9 Hz, 1H), 4.81 – 4.71 (m, 1H), 3.76 (dd, J = 10.7, 5.5 Hz, 6H), 3.18 – 3.11 (m, 1H), 2.92 – 2.84 (m, 1H), 1.91 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.7 (d, J_{C-p} = 4.9 Hz), 135.5 (d, J_{C-p} = 13.3 Hz), 131.5, 130.8, 120.9, 53.5 (d, J_{C-p} = 7.0 Hz), 52.9 (d, J_{C-p} = 6.8 Hz), 45.3 (d, J_{C-p} = 156.5 Hz), 35.0 (d, J_{C-p} = 3.4 Hz), 22.8; ³¹P NMR (162 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 26.4. HRMS calc. for C₁₂H₁₈BrNO₄P [M+H]⁺: 350.0151, found: 350.0156.





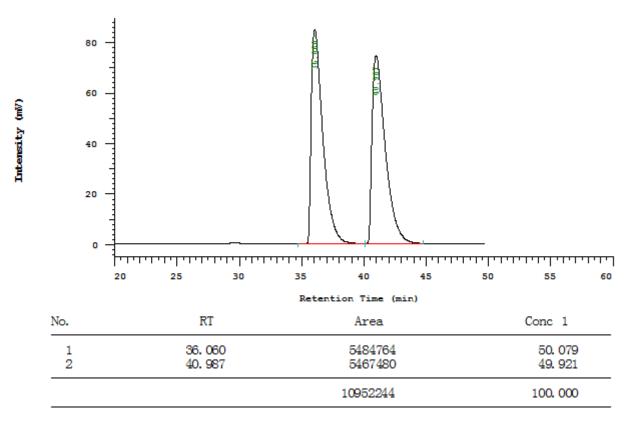
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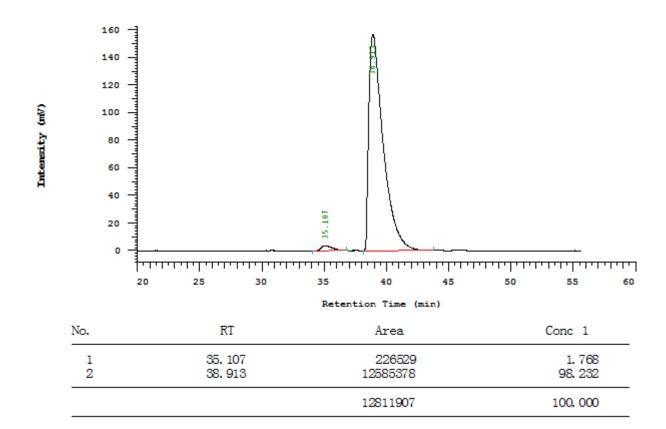


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dimethyl (S)-(1-acetamido-2-(p-tolyl)ethyl)phosphonate (4e). 35.5 mg (>99%

yield) of **4e** was obtained as colorless oil after purification with column chromatography on silica gel (hexanes/EtOAc/methanol, 1/1/0.1). 96% ee was determined by chiral HPLC (Chiralpak AD-H, n-hexane/i-PrOH = 95/5, 0.8 mL/min, 220 nm, 40 °C): t_R (major) = 38.9 min, t_R (minor) = 35.1 min. [α] $_D^{20}$ = 29.3 (c 2.1, CH₂Cl₂). 1 H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.12 – 7.07 (m, 4H), 6.30 (d, J = 9.8 Hz, 1H), 4.82 – 4.72 (m, 1H), 3.75 (dd, J = 10.6, 3.0 Hz, 6H), 3.20 – 3.13 (m, 1H), 2.92 – 2.83 (m, 1H), 2.30 (s, 3H), 1.89 (s, 3H); 13 C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.7 (d, J_{C-p} = 4.9 Hz), 133.3 (d, J_{C-p} = 13.2 Hz), 136.4, 129.2, 128.9, 53.4 (d, J_{C-p} = 7.0 Hz), 52.9 (d, J_{C-p} = 6.9 Hz), 45.7 (d, J_{C-p} = 155.8 Hz), 35.1 (d, J_{C-p} = 3.2 Hz), 22.9, 21.1; 31 P NMR (162 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 26.9. HRMS calc. for C₁₃H₂₁NO₄P [M+H] $^+$: 286.1203, found: 286.1206.

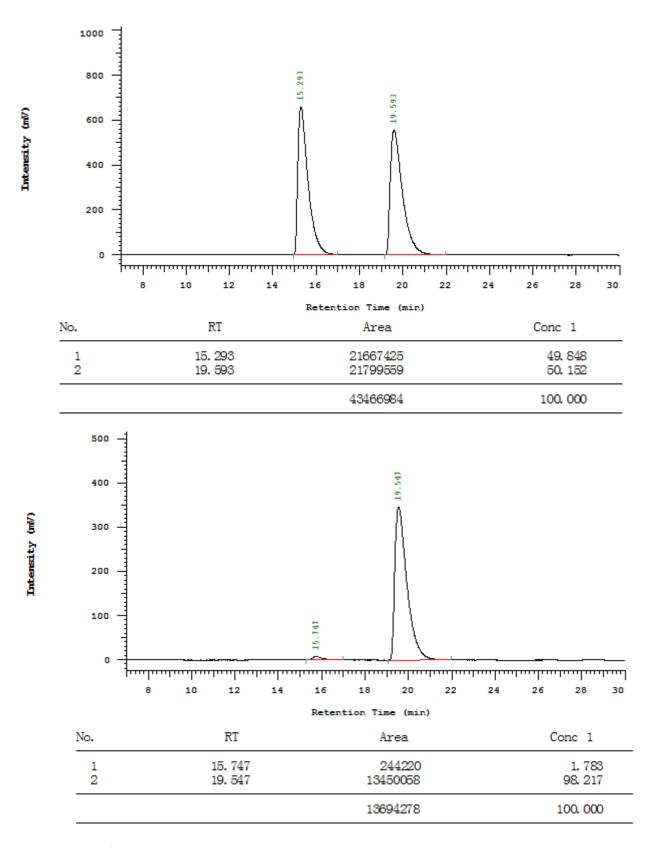




4f

dimethyl (S)-(1-acetamido-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)ethyl)phosphonate (4f).

34.5 mg (99% yield) of **4f** was obtained as colorless oil after purification with column chromatography on silica gel (hexanes/EtOAc/methanol, 1/1/0.1). 96% ee was determined by chiral HPLC (Chiralpak AD-H, n-hexane/i-PrOH = 90/10, 0.8 mL/min, 220 nm, 40 °C): t_R (major) = 19.5 min, t_R (minor) = 15.7 min. $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ = 26.8 (c 1.7, CH₂Cl₂). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.14 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 6.82 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 6.25 (d, J = 9.9 Hz, 1H), 4.80 – 4.70 (m, 1H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.75 (dd, J = 10.7, 3.5 Hz, 6H), 3.18 – 3.11 (m, 1H), 2.91 – 2.82 (m, 1H), 1.90 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.6 (d, J_{C-p} = 5.0 Hz), 158.5, 130.1, 128.3 (d, J_{C-p} = 13.1 Hz), 113.9, 55.2, 53.4 (d, J_{C-p} = 7.0 Hz), 52.9 (d, J_{C-p} = 6.8 Hz), 45.8 (d, J_{C-p} = 155.5 Hz), 34.7 (d, J_{C-p} = 3.2 Hz), 22.9; ³¹P NMR (162 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 26.9. HRMS calc. for C₁₃H₂₁NO₅P [M+H]⁺: 302.1152, found: 302.1158.



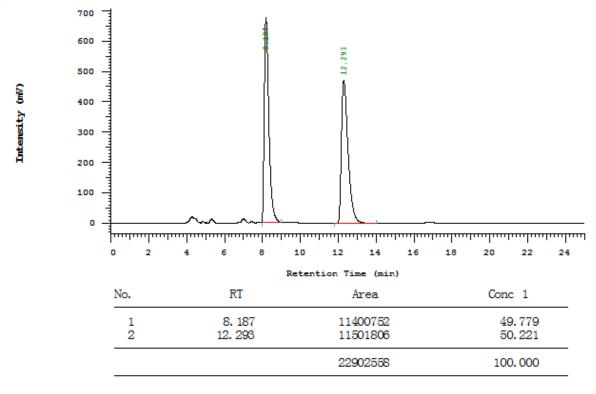
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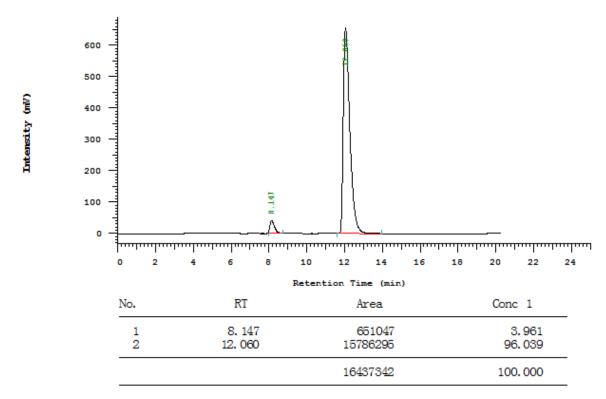
4g

dimethyl (S)-(1-acetamido-2-(4-nitrophenyl)ethyl)phosphonate (4g). 37.7

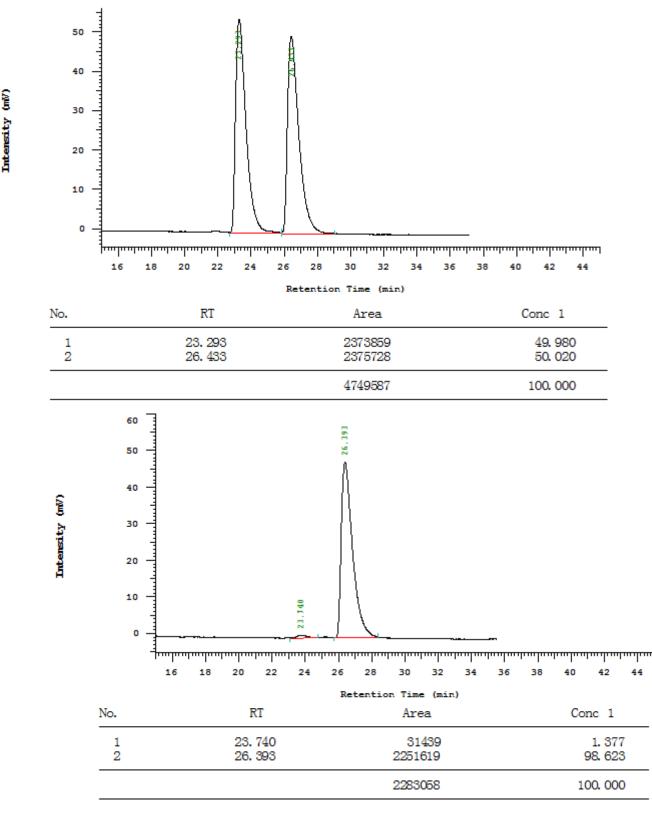
mg (96% yield) of 4g was obtained as a white solid after purification with column chromatography on silica

gel (hexanes/EtOAc/methanol, 1/1/0.1). M.p.: 146 – 148 °C. >92% ee was determined by chiral HPLC (Chiralpak AD-H, n-hexane/i-PrOH = 80/20, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm, 40 °C): t_R (major) = 12.1 min, t_R (minor) = 8.1 min. [α] $_D^{20}$ = 37.9 (c 1.3, CH $_2$ Cl $_2$). 1 H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl $_3$) δ 8.15 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 7.43 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 6.69 (d, J = 9.8 Hz, 1H), 4.88 – 4.78 (m, 1H), 3.79 (t, J = 11.0 Hz, 6H), 3.32 – 3.25 (m, 1H), 3.08 – 2.99 (m, 1H), 1.91 (s, 3H); 13 C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl $_3$) δ 169.8 (d, J_{C-p} = 5.1 Hz), 147.1, 144.4 (d, J_{C-p} = 13.8 Hz), 130.0, 123.6, 53.8 (d, J_{C-p} = 7.0 Hz), 53.0 (d, J_{C-p} = 7.1 Hz), 45.2 (d, J_{C-p} = 157.4 Hz), 35.5 (d, J_{C-p} = 3.7 Hz), 22.8; 31 P NMR (162 MHz, CDCl $_3$) δ 25.8. HRMS calc. for C $_{12}$ H $_{18}$ N $_{2}$ O $_{6}$ P [M+H] $^+$: 317.0897, found: 317.0899.





dimethyl (*S*)-(1-acetamido-2-(2-fluorophenyl)ethyl)phosphonate (4h). 35.9 mg (99% yield) of 4h was obtained as colorless oil after purification with column chromatography on silica gel (hexanes/EtOAc/methanol, 1/1/0.1). 97% ee was determined by chiral HPLC (Chiralpak AD-H, n-hexane/i-PrOH = 95/5, 0.8 mL/min, 220 nm, 40 °C): t_R (major) = 26.4 min, t_R (minor) = 23.7 min. [α] $_D^{20}$ = 25.6 (c 1.7, CH₂Cl₂). 1 H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.27 – 7.19 (m, 2H), 7.09 – 6.99 (m, 2H), 6.34 (d, J = 9.8 Hz, 1H), 4.83 – 4.72 (m, 1H), 3.78 (dd, J = 10.6, 8.4 Hz, 6H), 3.22 – 3.16 (m, 1H), 3.04 – 2.95 (m, 1H), 1.89 (s, 3H); 13 C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.6 (d, J_{C-p} = 4.9 Hz), 161.3 (d, J_{C-f} = 244.7 Hz), 131.3 (d, J = 4.3 Hz), 128.8 (d, J = 8.2 Hz), 124.2 (d, J = 3.5 Hz), 123.9 – 123.3 (m), 115.2 (d, J = 22.2 Hz), 53.5 (d, J_{C-p} = 7.0 Hz), 53.0 (d, J_{C-p} = 6.8 Hz), 45.1 (d, J_{C-p} = 156.4 Hz), 28.9 (dd, J = 4.0, 1.7 Hz). 22.8; 31 P NMR (162 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 26.2. HRMS calc. for C₁₂H₁₈FNO₄P [M+H] $^+$: 290.0952, found: 290.0959.

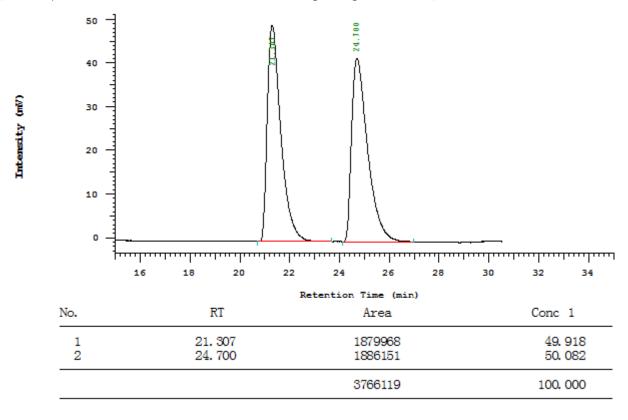


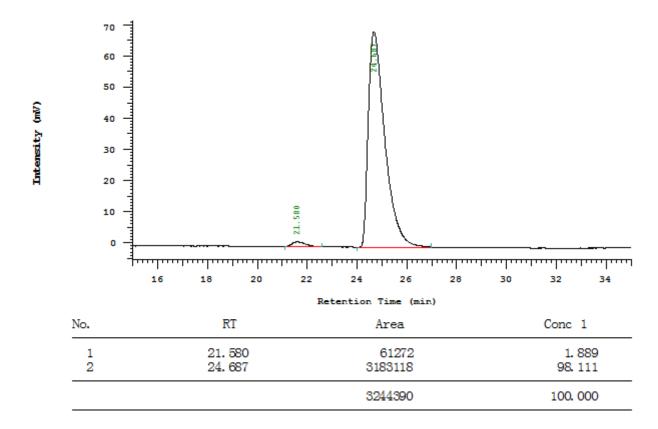
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dimethyl (S)-(1-acetamido-2-(3-fluorophenyl)ethyl)phosphonate (4i). 35.8 mg (99% yield) of 4i was obtained as colorless oil after purification with column chromatography on silica

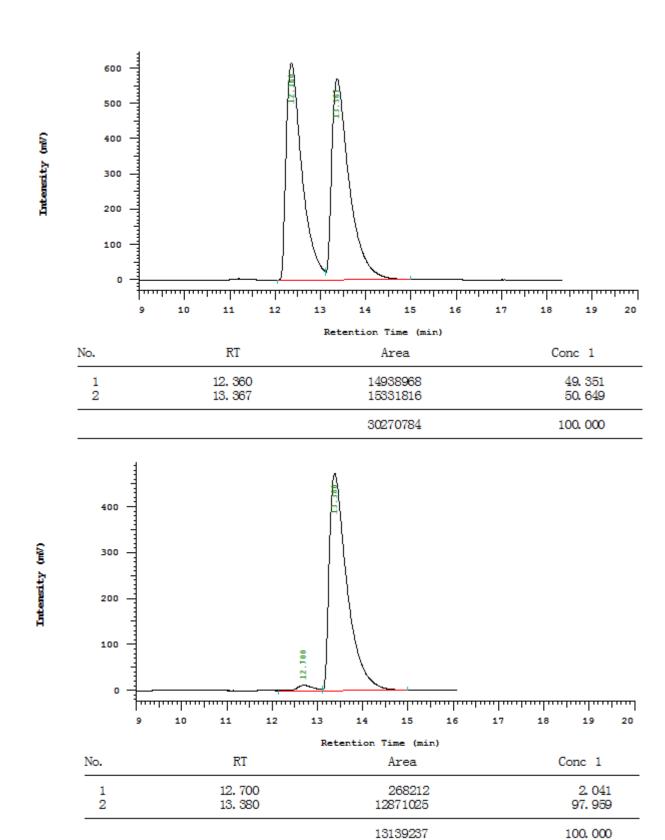
gel (hexanes/EtOAc/methanol, 1/1/0.1). 96% ee was determined by chiral HPLC (Chiralpak AD-H, n-hexane/i-PrOH = 95/5, 0.8 mL/min, 220 nm, 40 °C): t_R (major) = 24.7 min, t_R (minor) = 21.6 min. [α] $_D^{20}$ = 29.9 (c 2.0, CH₂Cl₂). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.27 – 7.22 (m, 1H), 7.03 – 6.90 (m, 3H), 6.63 (d, J = 9.8 Hz, 1H), 4.82 – 4.72 (m, 1H), 3.77 (dd, J = 10.7, 8.3 Hz, 6H), 3.22 – 3.15 (m, 1H), 2.97 – 2.88 (m, 1H), 1.91 (d, J = 0.6 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.8 (d, J_{C-p} = 5.0 Hz), 162.7 (d, J_{C-f} = 245.8 Hz), 139.1 (dd, J = 13.7, 7.4 Hz), 129.9 (d, J = 8.3 Hz), 124.7 (d, J = 2.8 Hz), 116.2 (d, J = 21.4 Hz), 113.8 (d, J = 21.0 Hz), 53.6 (d, J_{C-p} = 7.0 Hz), 52.9 (d, J = 6.9 Hz), 45.5 (d, J_{C-p} = 156.7 Hz), 35.3, 22.8; ³¹P NMR (162 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 26.3. HRMS calc. for C₁₂H₁₈FNO₄P [M+H]⁺: 290.0952, found: 290.0951.





4j

dimethyl (S)-(1-acetamido-2-(thiophen-3-yl)ethyl)phosphonate (4j). 33.7 mg (99%) yield) of 4j was obtained as colorless oil after purification with column chromatography on silica gel (hexanes/EtOAc/methanol, 1/1/0.1). 96% ee was determined by chiral HPLC (Chiralpak AD-H, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90/10, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm, 40 °C): t_R (major) = 13.4 min, t_R (minor) = 12.7 min. $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ = 19.8 (c 1.6, CH₂Cl₂). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.26 – 7.25 (m, 1H), 7.07 (d, J = 1.7 Hz, 1H), 6.97 (d, J = 4.9 Hz, 1H), 6.39 (d, J = 9.7 Hz, 1H), 4.84 – 4.74 (m, 1H), 3.75 (dd, J = 10.7, 3.6 Hz, 6H), 3.22 – 3.15 (m, 1H), 3.05 - 2.96 (m, 1H), 1.93 (d, J = 0.5 Hz, 3H); 13 C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.8 (d, $J_{C-p} = 4.9$ Hz), 136.6 (d, $J_{C-p} = 13.9$ Hz), 128.3, 125.8, 122.3, 53.5 (d, $J_{C-p} = 7.0$ Hz), 52.9 (d, $J_{C-p} = 6.9$ Hz), 45.1 (d, $J_{C-p} = 156.5 \text{ Hz}$), 30.2 (d, $J_{C-p} = 3.6 \text{ Hz}$), 22.9; ³¹P NMR (162 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 26.6. HRMS calc. for C₁₀H₁₇NO₄PS [M+H]⁺: 278.0610, found: 278.0615.



III. Deuterium Labelling Experiments

The reactions were conducted according to the general asymmetric hydrogenation procedure.

The reactions using D_2 as hydrogen source was conducted, and fully deuterated product was observed.

dimethyl ((1*S*)-2-benzamido-2-(4-chlorophenyl) ethyl-1,2-*d*2) phosphonate (2c-*d*₂). 45.8 mg (99% yield) of 2c-*d*₂ was obtained as colorless oil after purification with column chromatography on silica gel (hexanes/EtOAc/methanol, 1/1/0.1). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.18 (s, 1H), 7.92 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.53 – 7.29 (m, 7H), 3.72 (d, J = 10.8 Hz, 3H), 3.46 (d, J = 10.9 Hz, 3H), 2.40 (d, J = 17.5 Hz, 1H).

The reactions using TFE- d_3 as solvent was conducted, and no deuterated product was observed.

dimethyl (*S*)-(2-benzamido-2-(4-chlorophenyl)ethyl)phosphonate (2c). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.20 (d, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.93 - 7.91 (m, 2H), 7.53 - 7.42 (m, 3H), 7.33 - 7.31 (m, 4H), 5.55 (dq, J = 26.3, 6.6 Hz, 1H), 3.72 (d, J = 11.0 Hz, 3H), 3.46 (d, J = 11.1 Hz, 3H), 2.40 (dt, J = 17.2, 6.0 Hz, 2H).

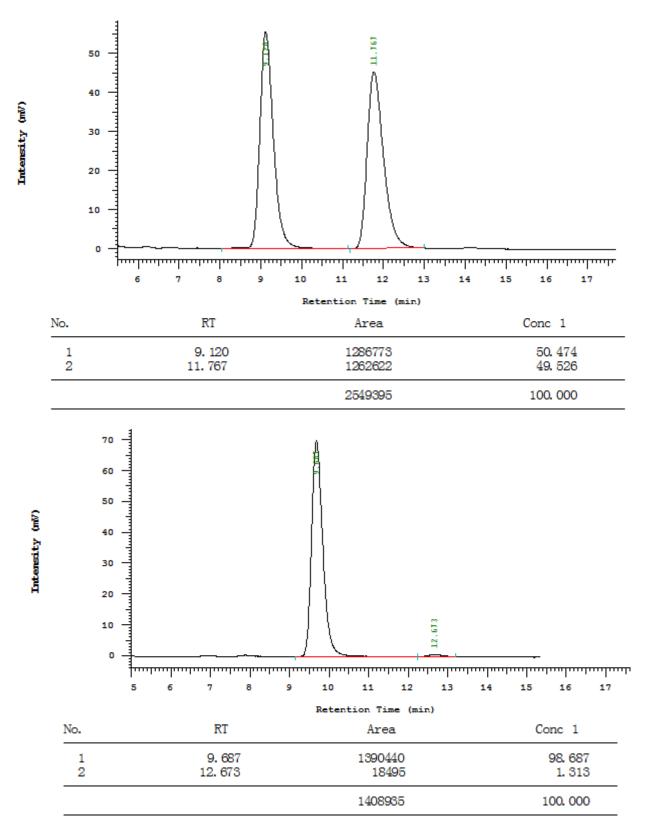
IV. Monitoring the Ees along with the Reaction Process

In a nitrogen-filled glovebox, a stainless steel autoclave was charged with [Rh(COD)₂]BF₄ (0.00125mmol, 0.01 equiv), (S)-L3c (0.001375mmol, 0.011 equiv) in 1.0 mL of a degassed TFE. After stirring for 60 min at room temperature, the reaction mixture was added to a mixture of the substrate (1c) (0.125 mmol, 1 equiv) in 1.0 mL of the same solvent, and the hydrogenation was performed at 25 °C under H₂ pressure of 3 MPa for indicated time. After indicated time, the hydrogen was slowly released and the reaction solvent was evaporated. The residue was purified by flash column chromatography to determine the yields and ee values of the product 2c.

Time (h)	Yield (%)	Ee (%)
0.5	6	96
1.5	20	96
3	38	96
5	56	96
9	85	96
12	94	96
16	99	96
20	99	96
24	99	96

V. Gram-scale Reaction and Synthetic Transformations

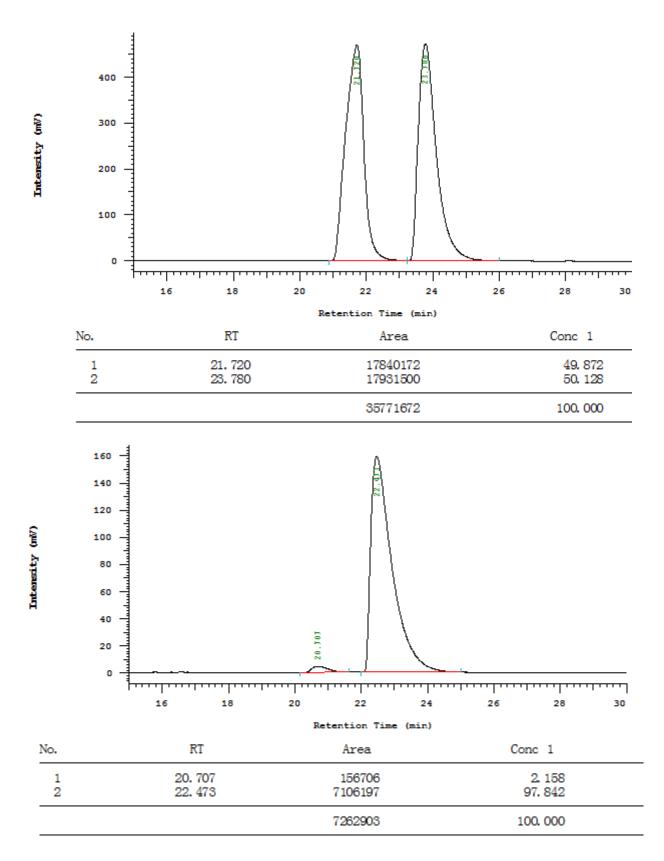
In a nitrogen-filled glovebox, a stainless steel autoclave was charged with $[Rh(COD)_2]BF_4$ (0.0026mmol, 1.0 mg), (S)-L3c (0.00286mmol, 2.0 mg) in 1.0 mL of a degassed TFE. After stirring for 60 min at room temperature, 0.1 ml of the reaction mixture was added to the substrate 1a (2.60 mmol, 0.86 g) in 1.9 mL of the same solvent, and the hydrogenation was performed at 25 °C under H_2 pressure of 5.5 MPa for 24 h. Then the hydrogen was slowly released and the reaction solvent was evaporated. 0.87 g (99% yield) of 2a was obtained as a white solid after purification with column chromatography on silica gel (hexanes/EtOAc/methanol, 1/1/0.1). 97% ee was determined by chiral HPLC (Chiralcel OD-H, n-hexane/i-PrOH = 80/20, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm, 40 °C): t_R (major) = 9.7 min, t_R (minor) = 12.7 min.



The above hydrogenated product 4a (0.87 g, 2.6 mmol) was added to 20 mL of a mixed solution of hydrochloric acid (6 M) and ethanol (v/v = 1/1), and then placed in an oil bath at 110 °C for heating and refluxing for 12 hours. After the completion of the reaction was monitored by TLC, the reaction solution was cooled to room temperature, and ethanol and part of hydrogen chloride were removed under reduced pressure. To the aqueous solution of the product, 10 mL of ethyl acetate was added to extract organic

impurities, and the aqueous phase was retained (the hydrolyzed product was slightly soluble in ethyl acetate). The extraction and purification were repeated three times, and the water was removed by a rotary evaporator to obtain a white solid. The resulting solid hydrogenated product was placed in an oven at 105° C for 12 hours to remove excess impurities. Finally, pure chiral aminophosphonic acid compounds **2aa** was obtained. (*S*)-hydrogen (2-ammonio-2-phenylethyl) phosphonate (2aa)^[8] 0.40 g (77% yield) of **2aa** was obtained as a white solid without further purification. M.p.: $178 - 180^{\circ}$ C. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) δ 8.92 – 8.91 (m, 1H), 7.91 – 7.89 (m, 1H), 7.58 – 7.22 (m, 7H), 5.37 – 5.32 (m, 1H), 2.49 – 2.27 (m, 1H), 2.07 – 1.97 (m, 1H); ³¹P NMR (162 MHz, DMSO- d_6) δ 22.1.

In a nitrogen-filled glovebox, a stainless steel autoclave was charged with $[Rh(COD)_2]BF_4$ (0.00125mmol, 0.5 mg), (S)-**L3c** (0.001375mmol, 1.0 mg) in 1.0 mL of a degassed TFE. After stirring for 60 min at room temperature, 0.1 ml of the reaction mixture was added to the substrate **3a** (1.25 mmol, 0.34 g) in 1.9 mL of the same solvent, and the hydrogenation was performed at 25 °C under H₂ pressure of 5.5 MPa for 24 h. Then the hydrogen was slowly released and the reaction solvent was evaporated. 0.34 g (99% yield) of **4a** was obtained as colorless oil after purification with column chromatography on silica gel (hexanes/EtOAc/methanol, 1/1/0.1). 96% ee was determined by chiral HPLC (Chiralpak AD-H, n-hexane/i-PrOH = 95/5, 0.8 mL/min, 220 nm, 40 °C): t_R (major) = 22.5 min, t_R (minor) = 20.7 min.



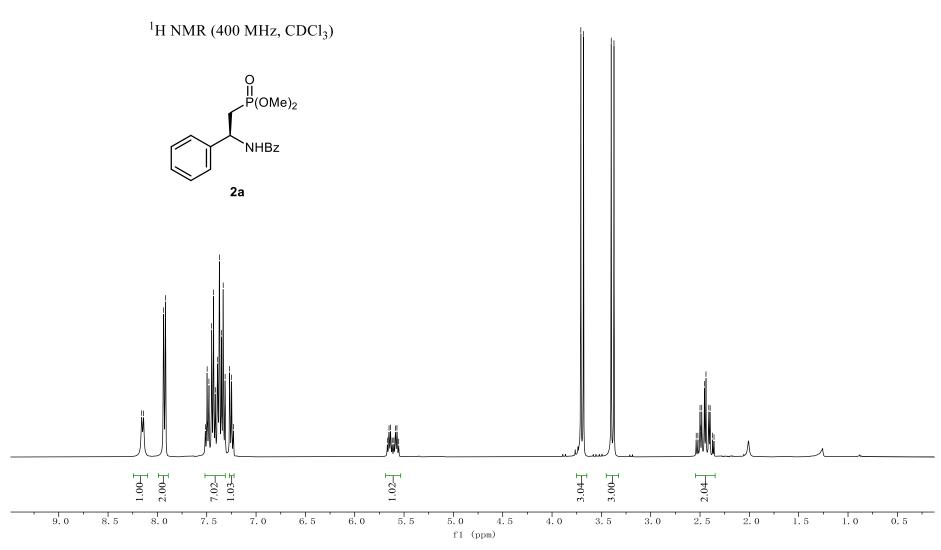
The above hydrogenated product 4a (0.34 g, 1.25 mmol) was added to 20 mL of a mixed solution of hydrochloric acid (6 M) and ethanol (v/v = 1/1), and then placed in an oil bath at 110 °C for heating and refluxing for 12 hours. After the completion of the reaction was monitored by TLC, the reaction solution was cooled to room temperature, and ethanol and part of hydrogen chloride were removed under reduced

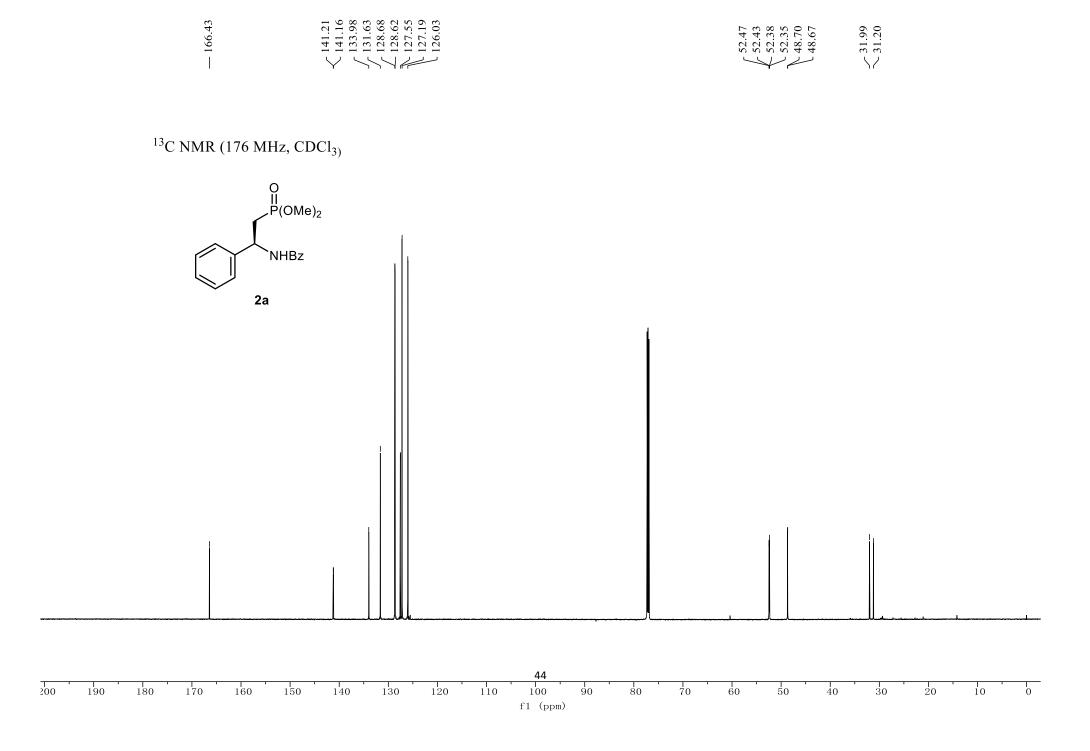
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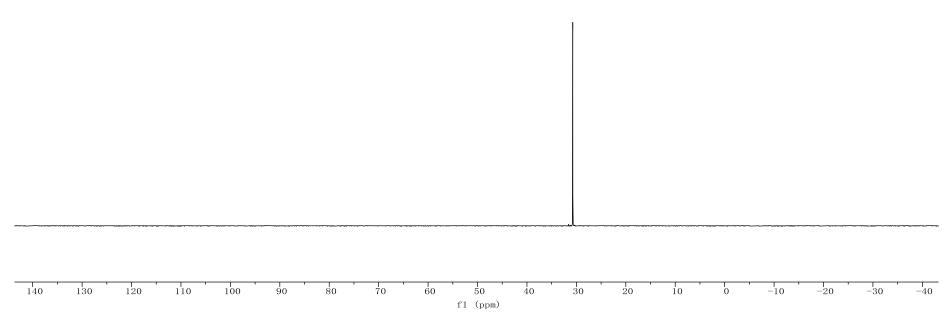
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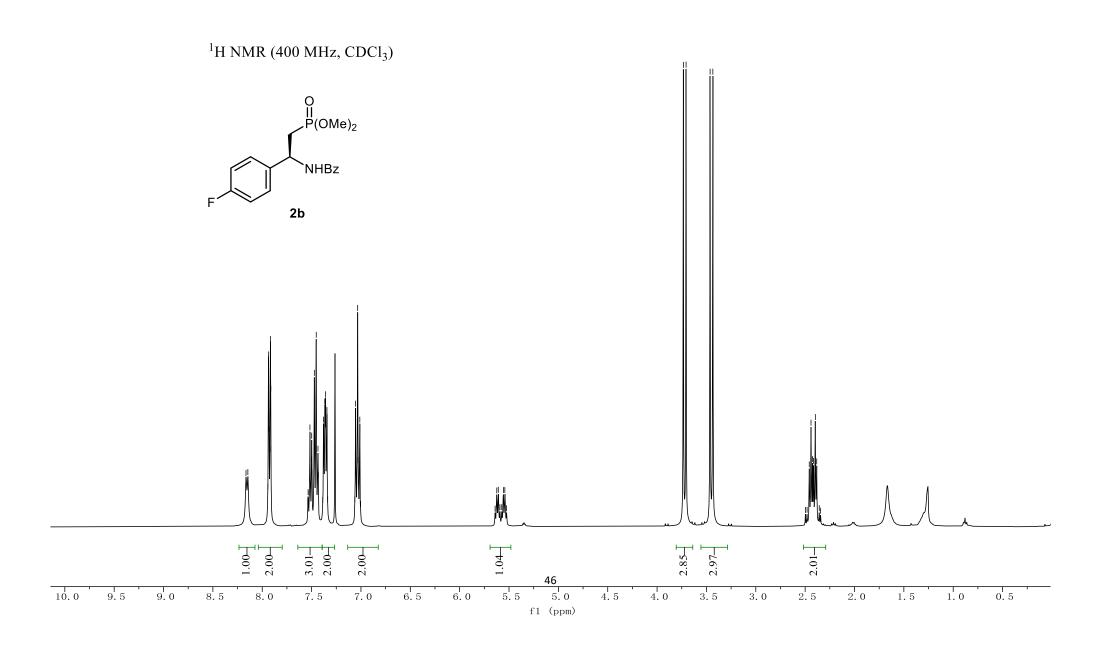
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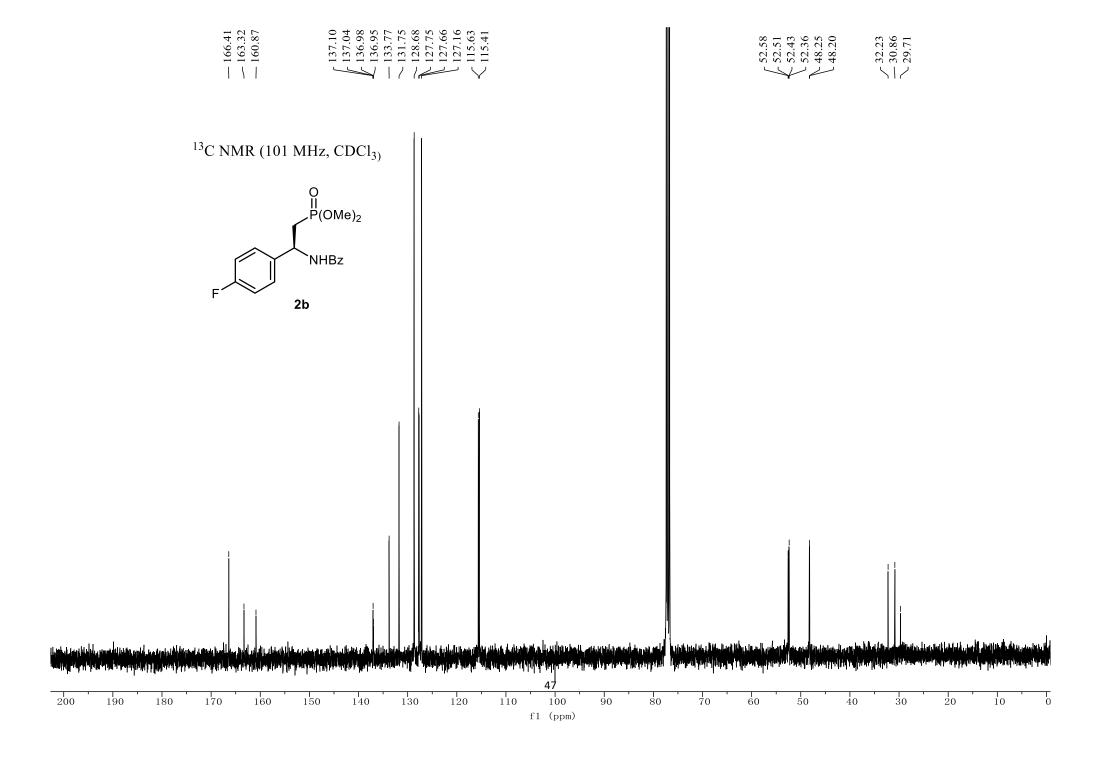
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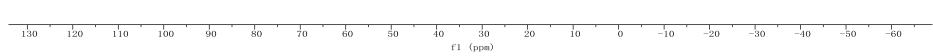




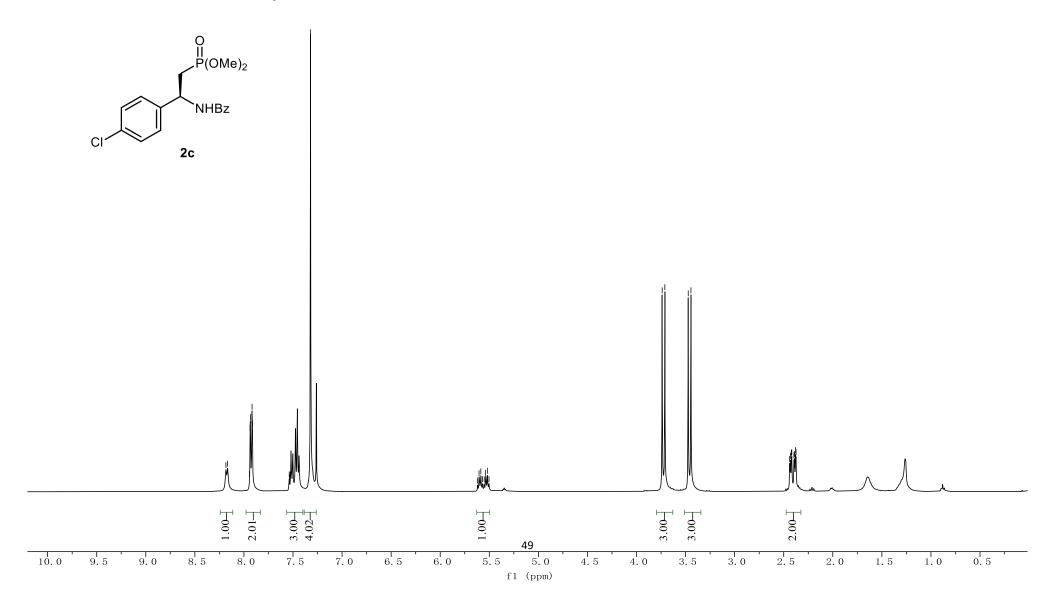


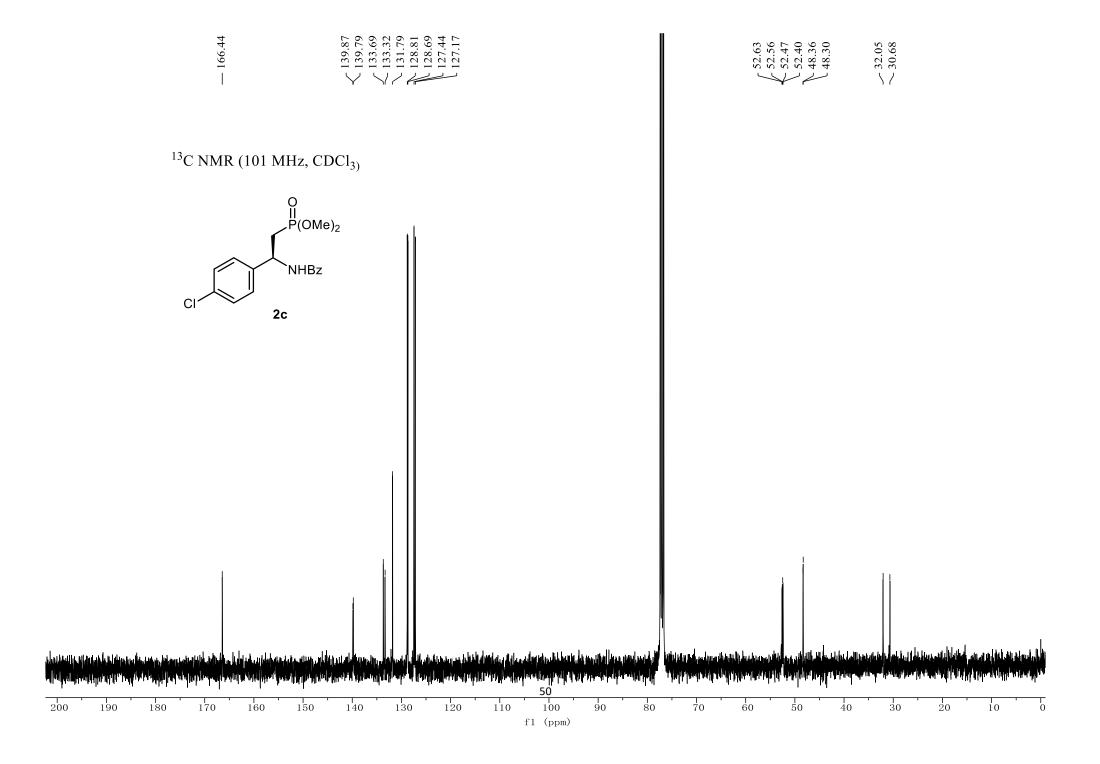


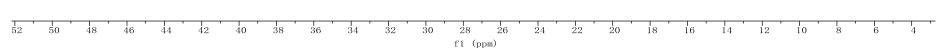


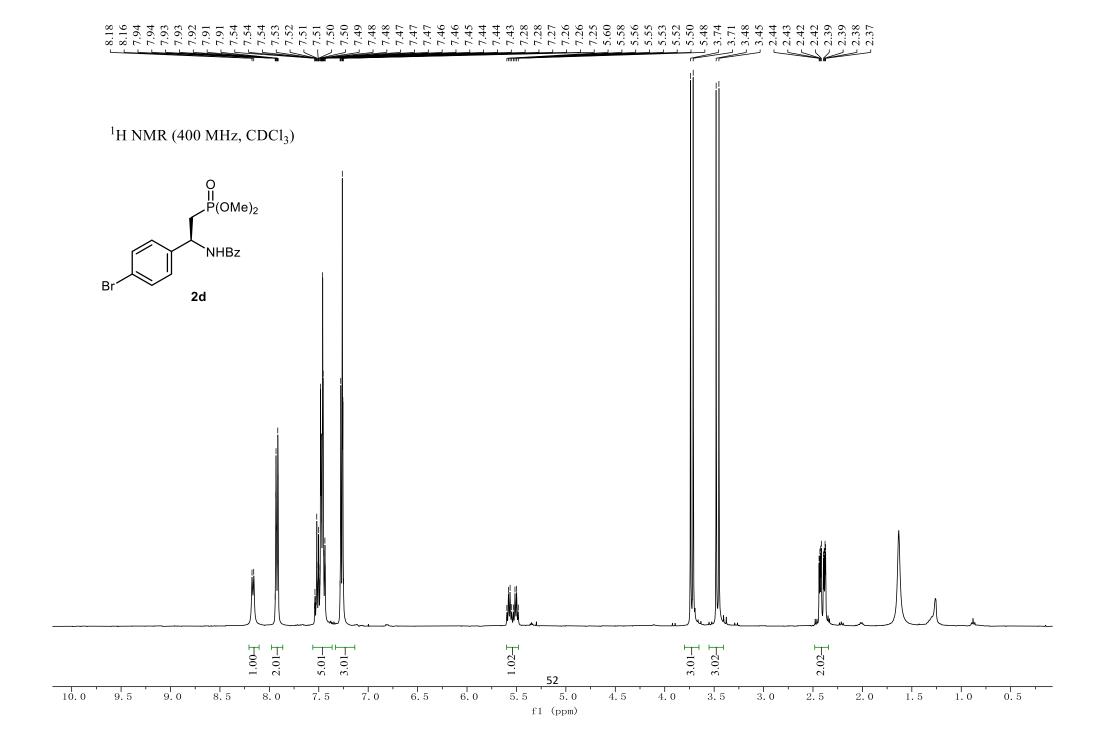


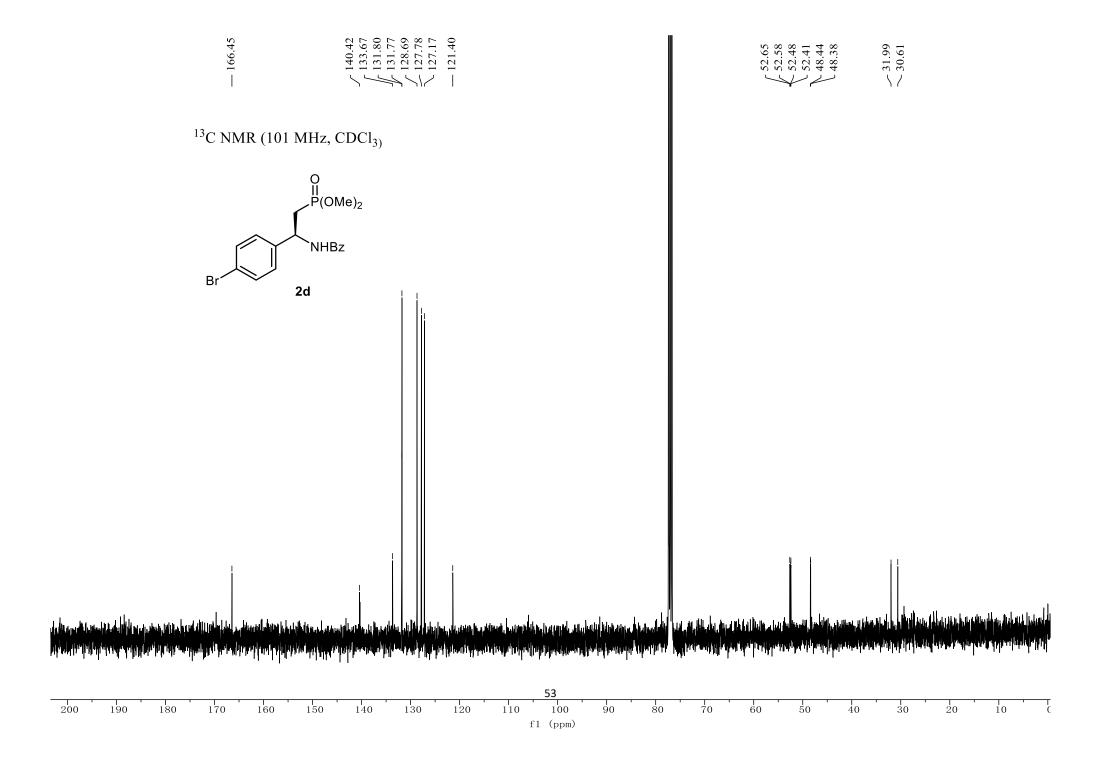


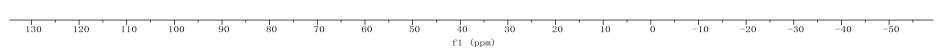


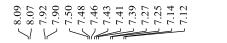


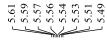








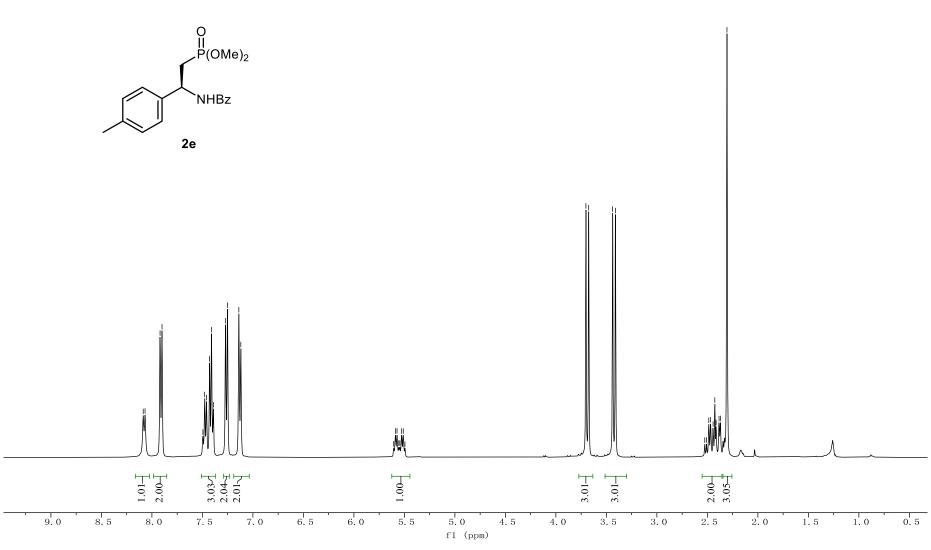


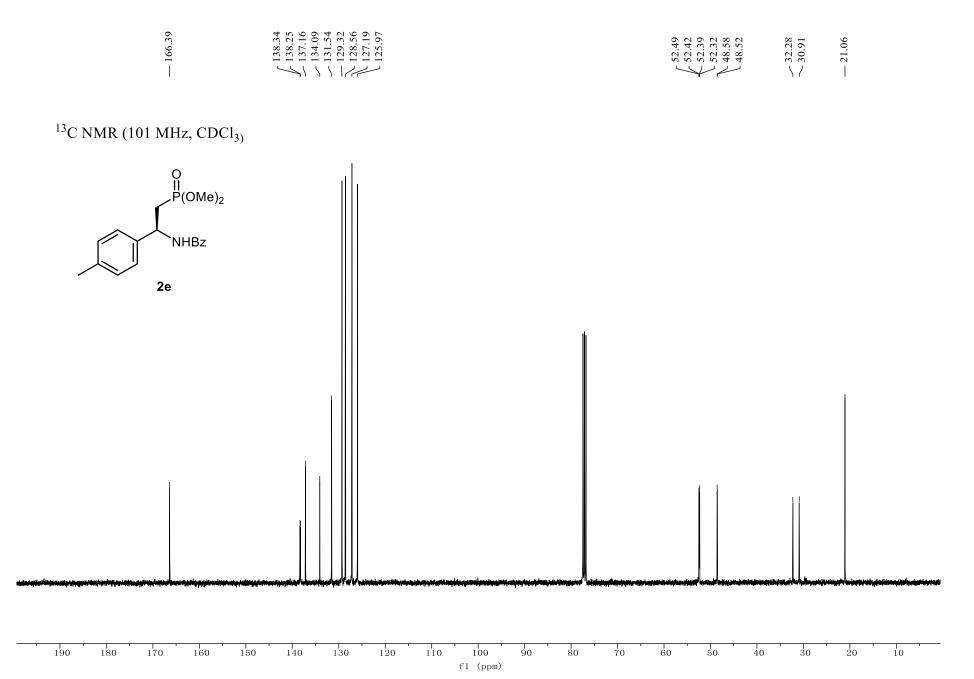


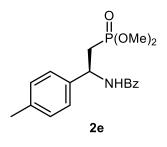


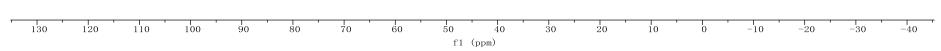


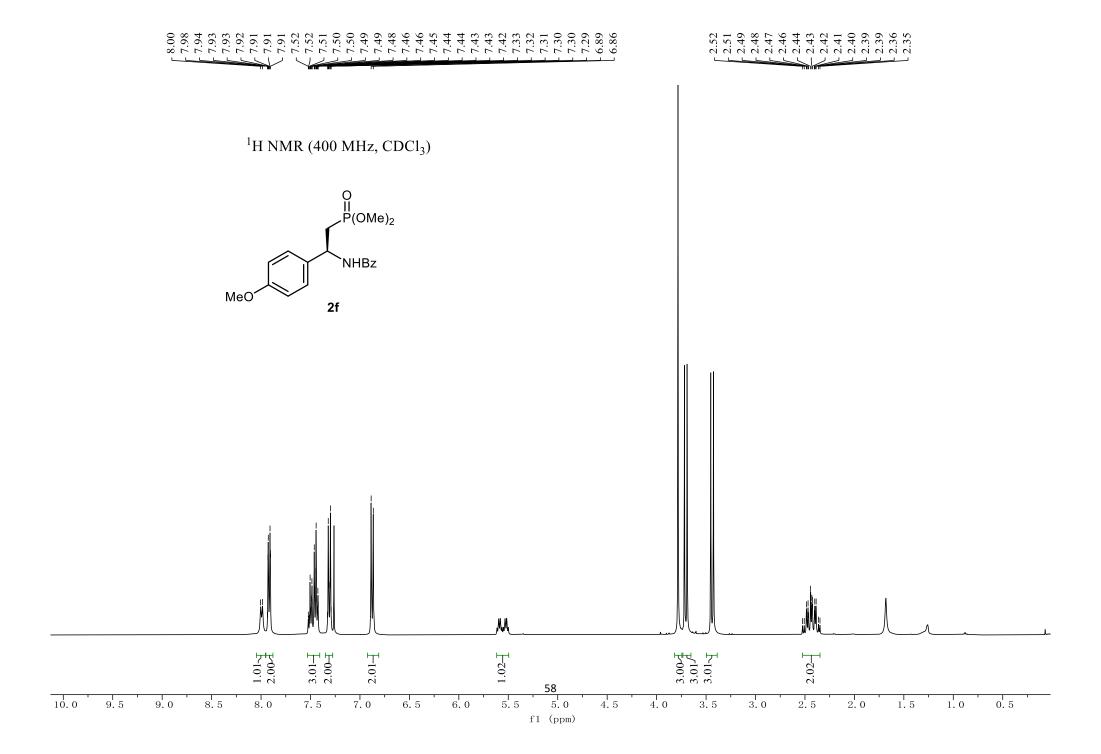
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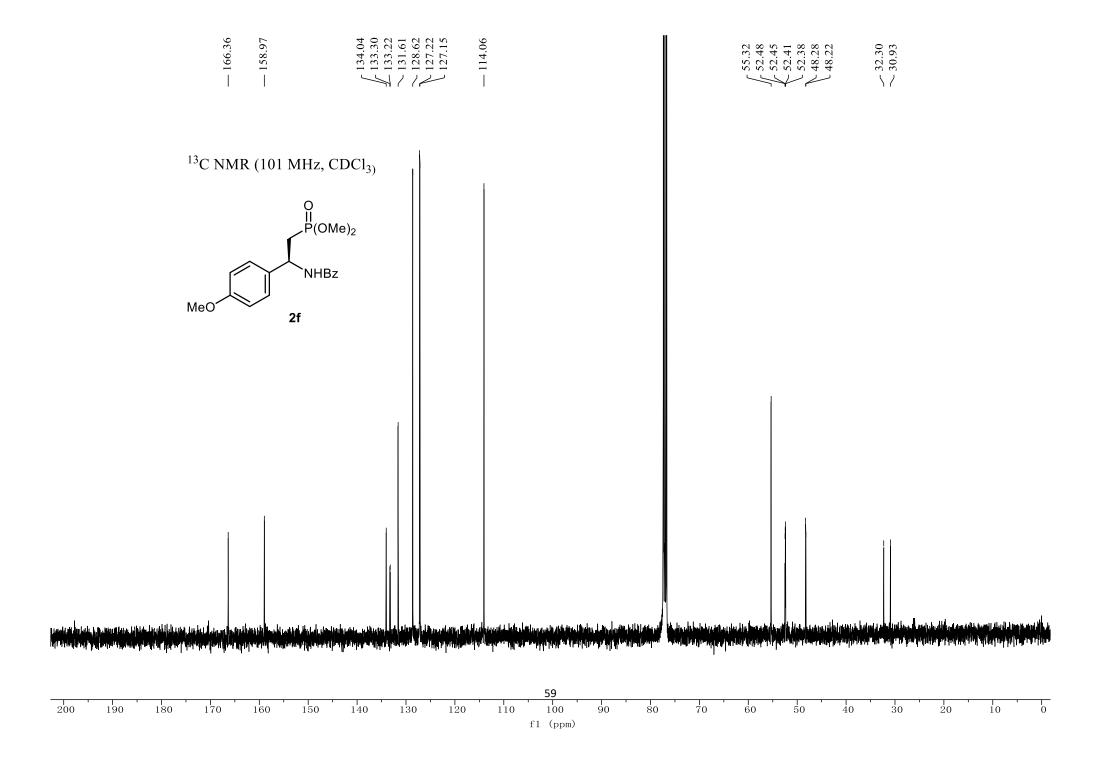


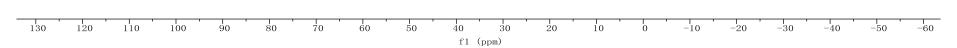




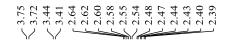


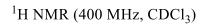


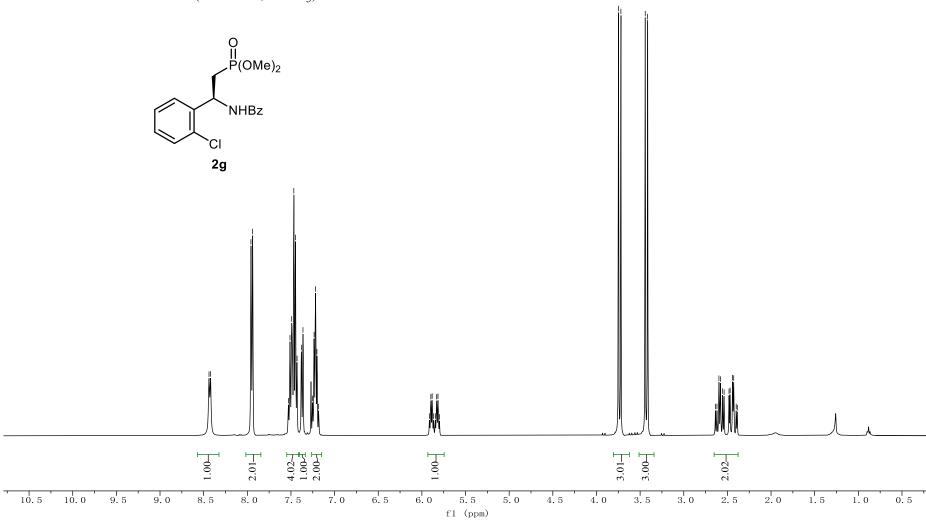


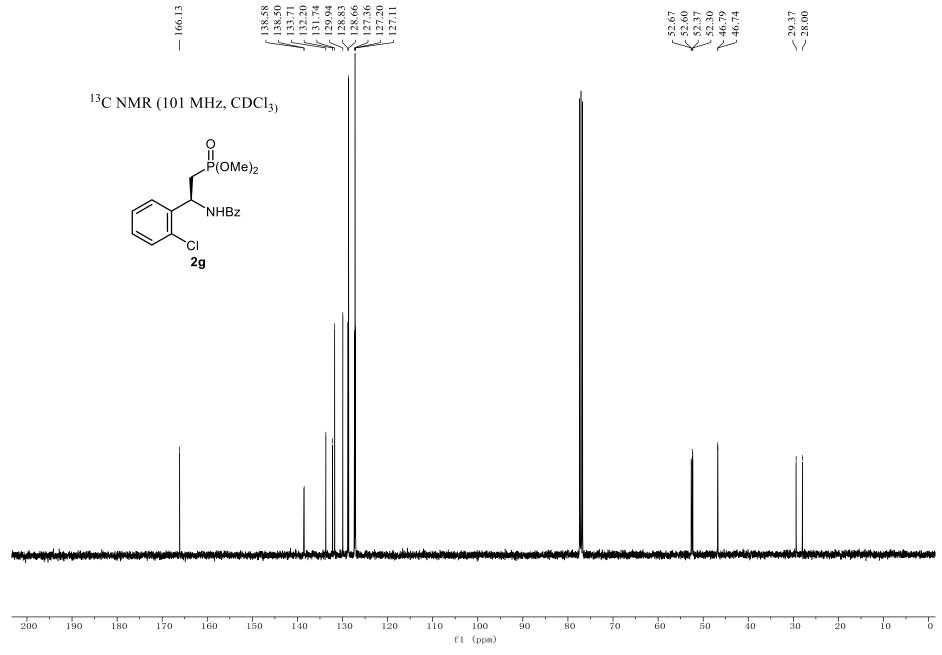


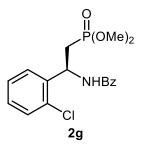


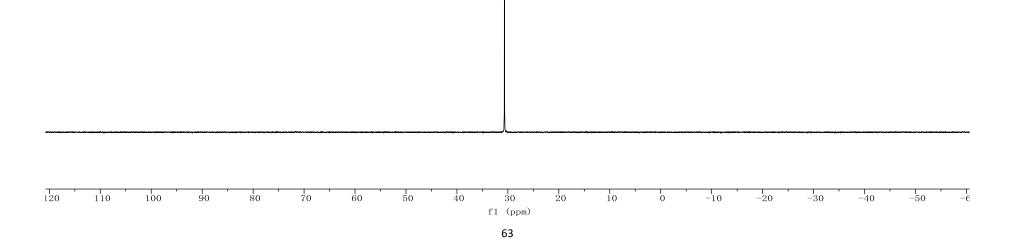


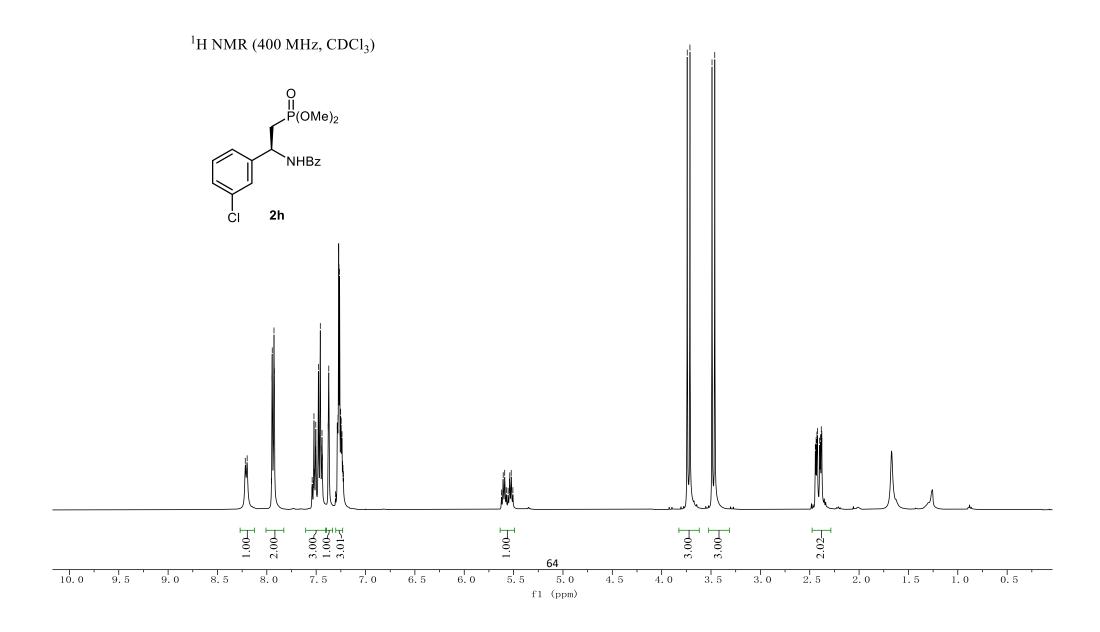


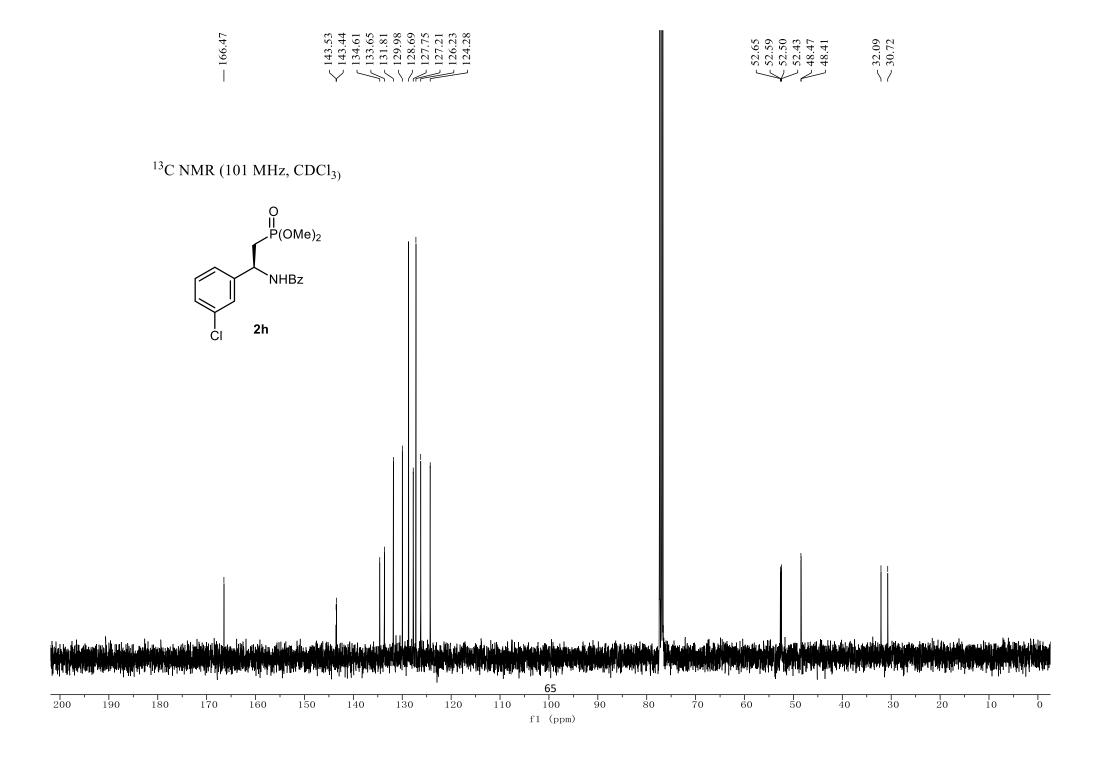


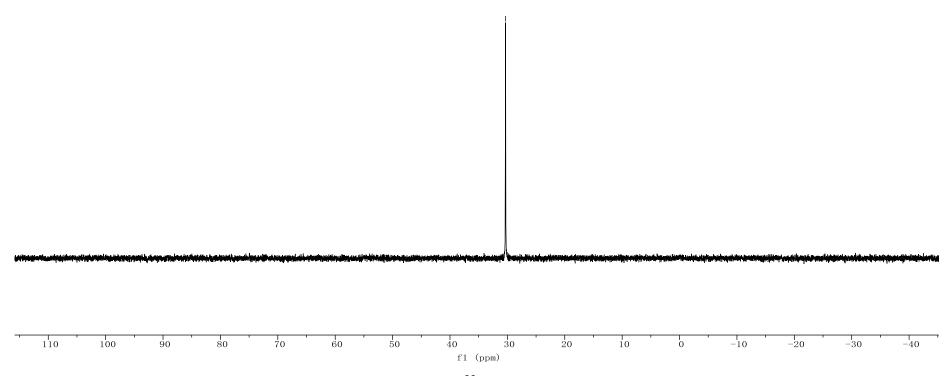


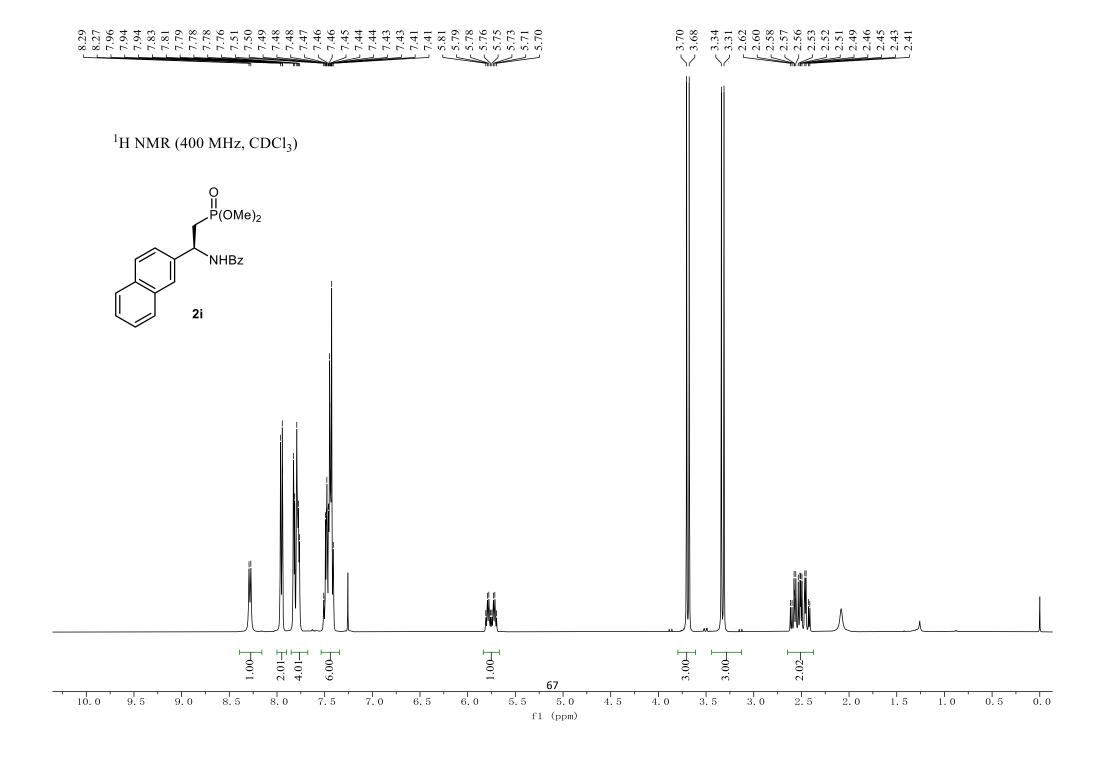


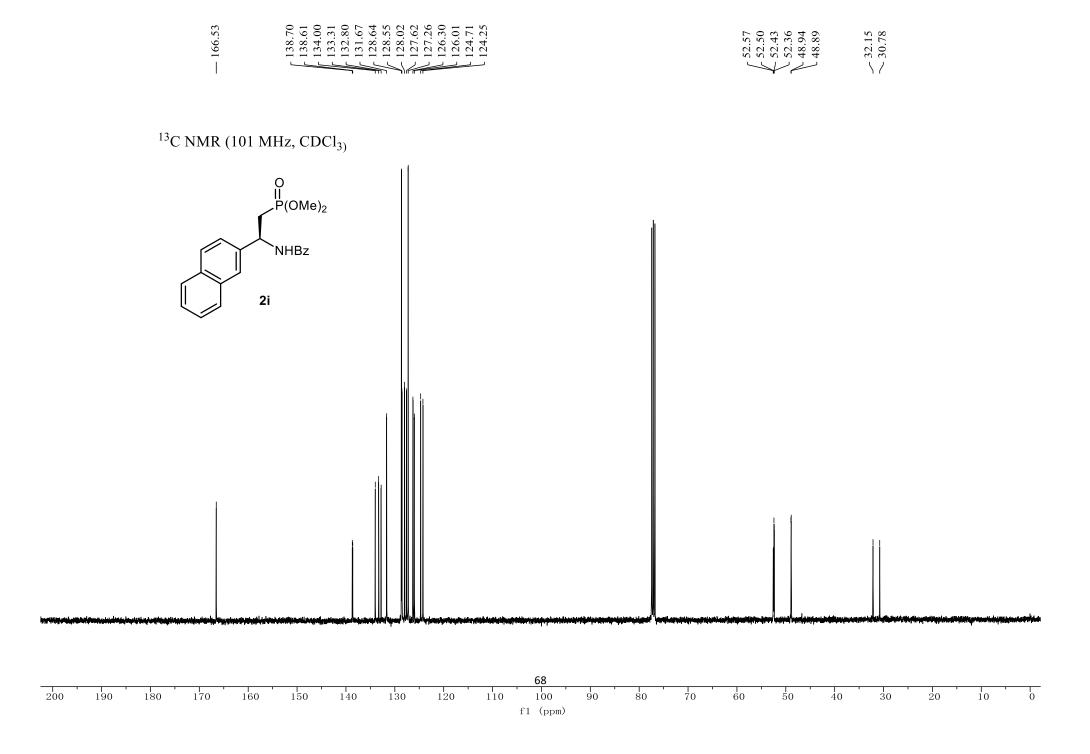


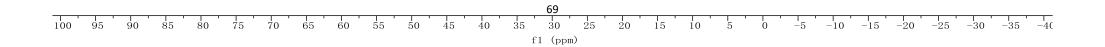




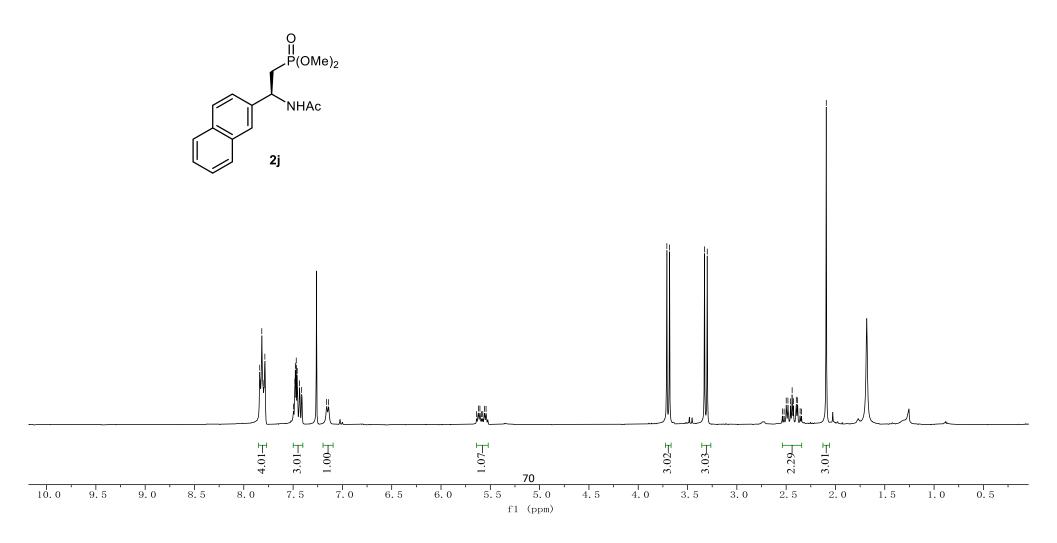


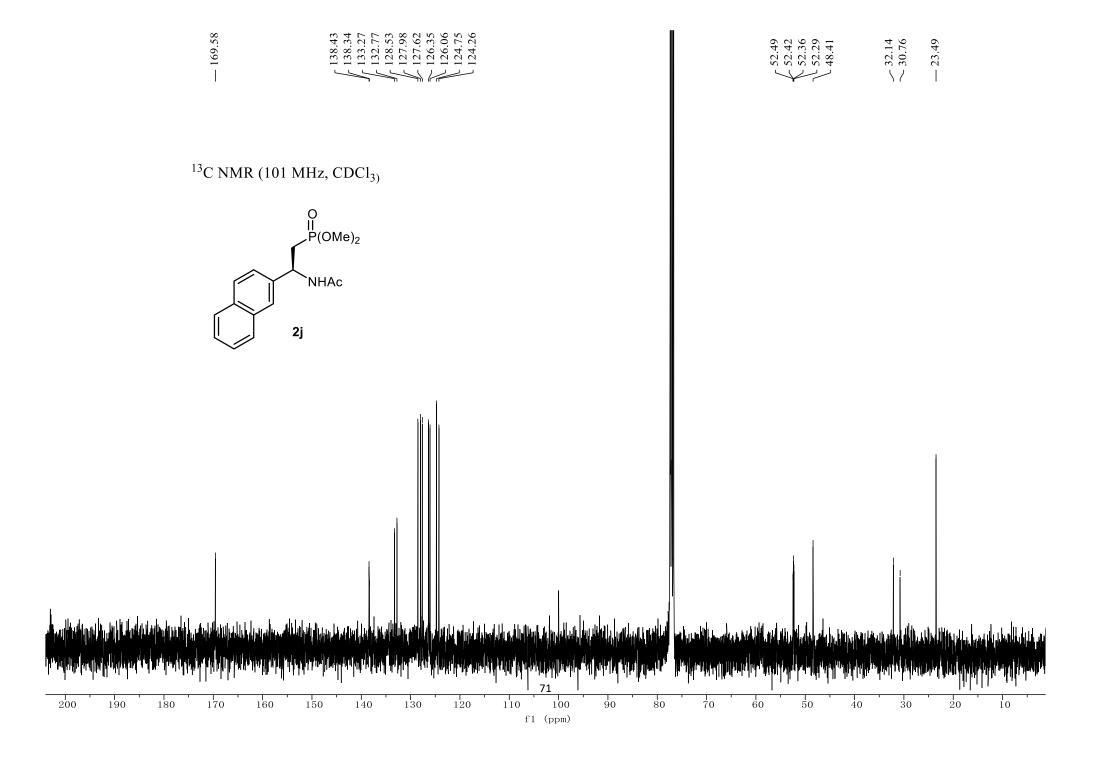


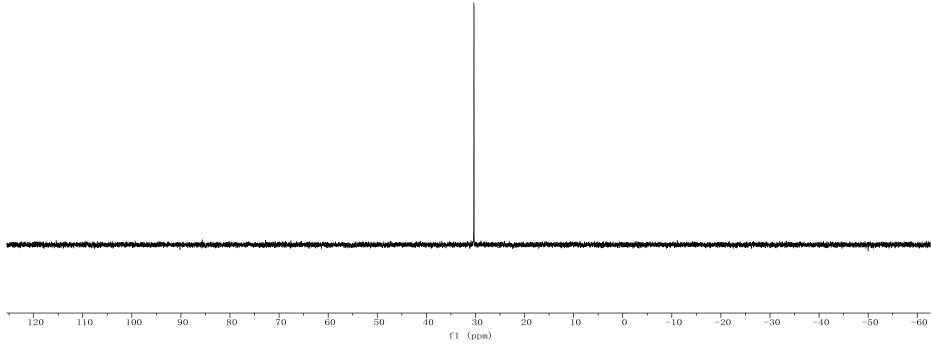


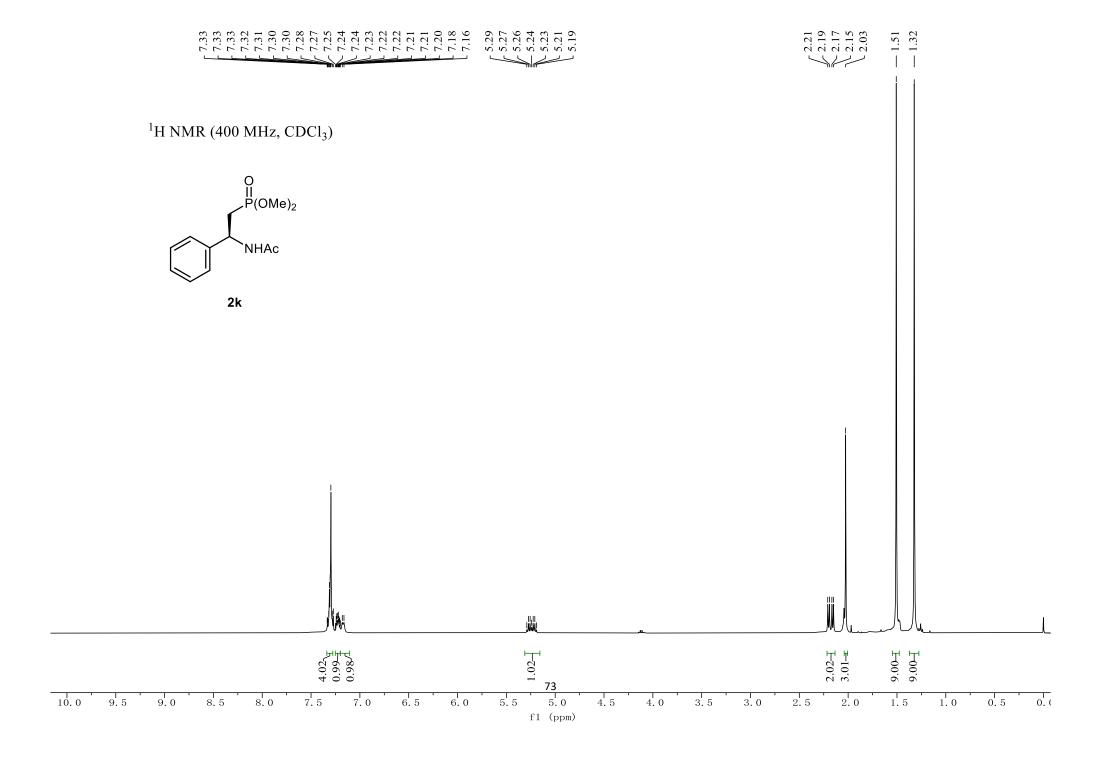


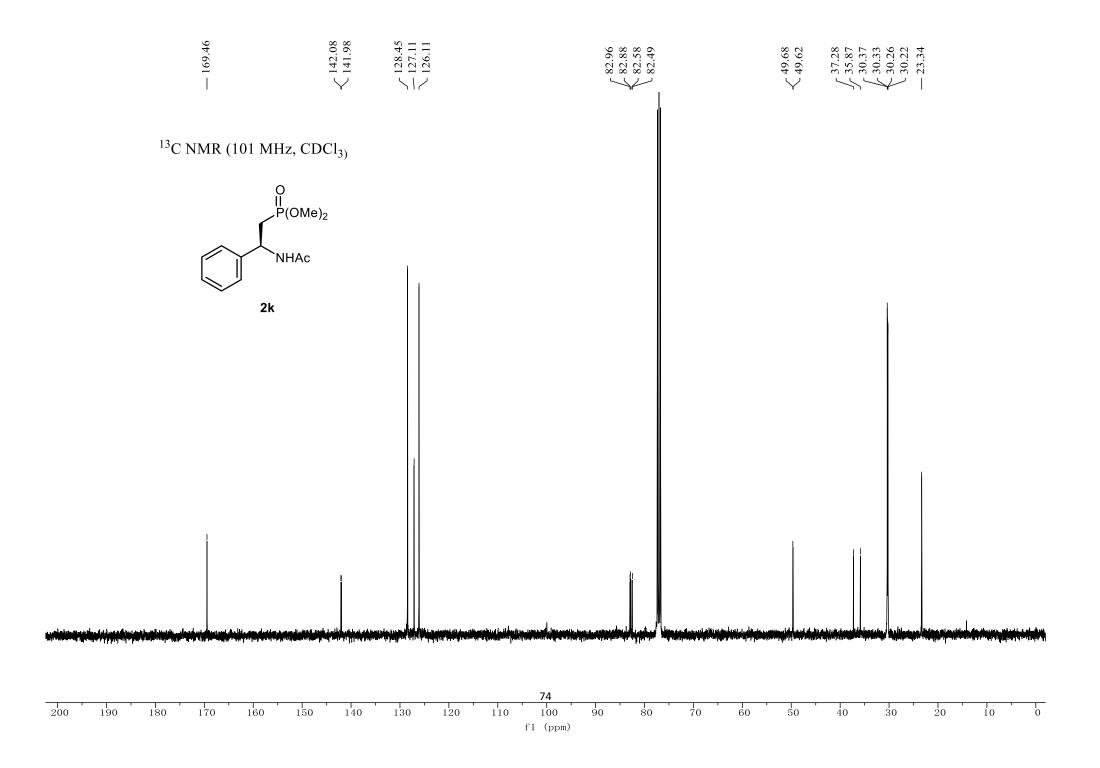
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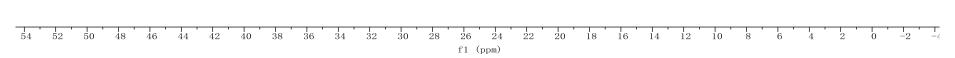


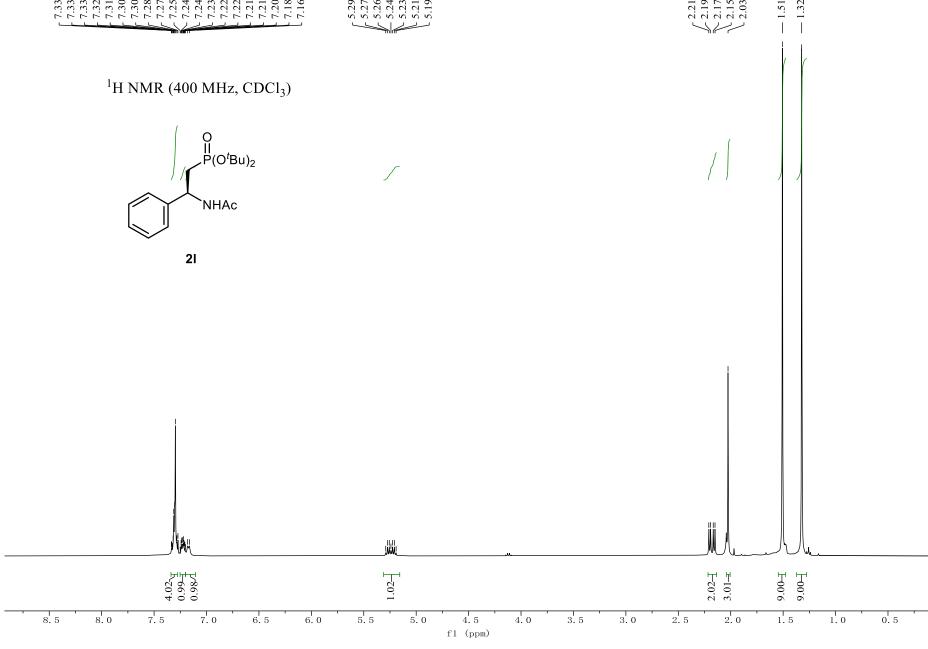






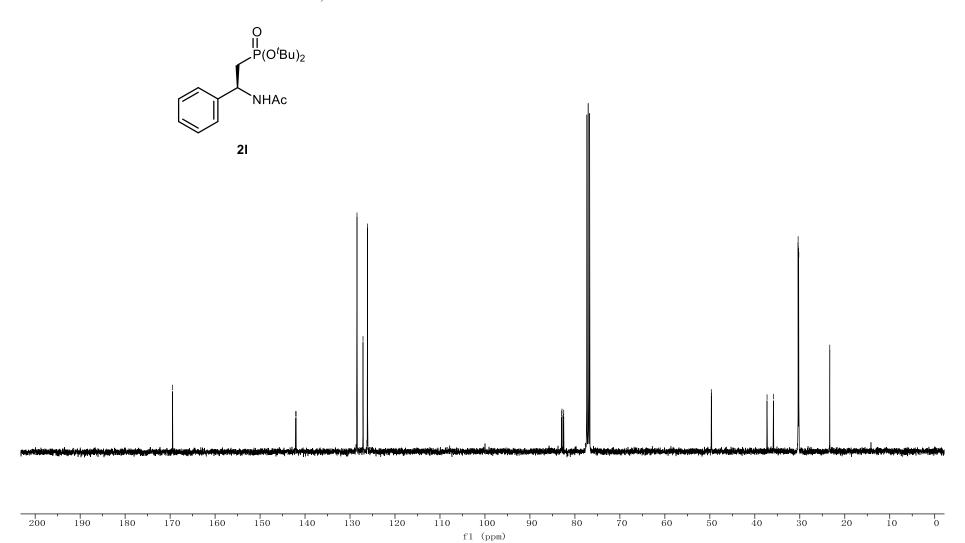


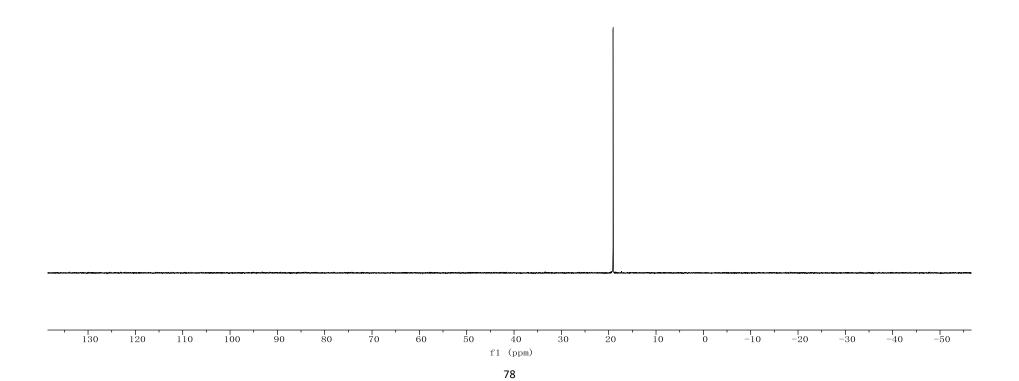


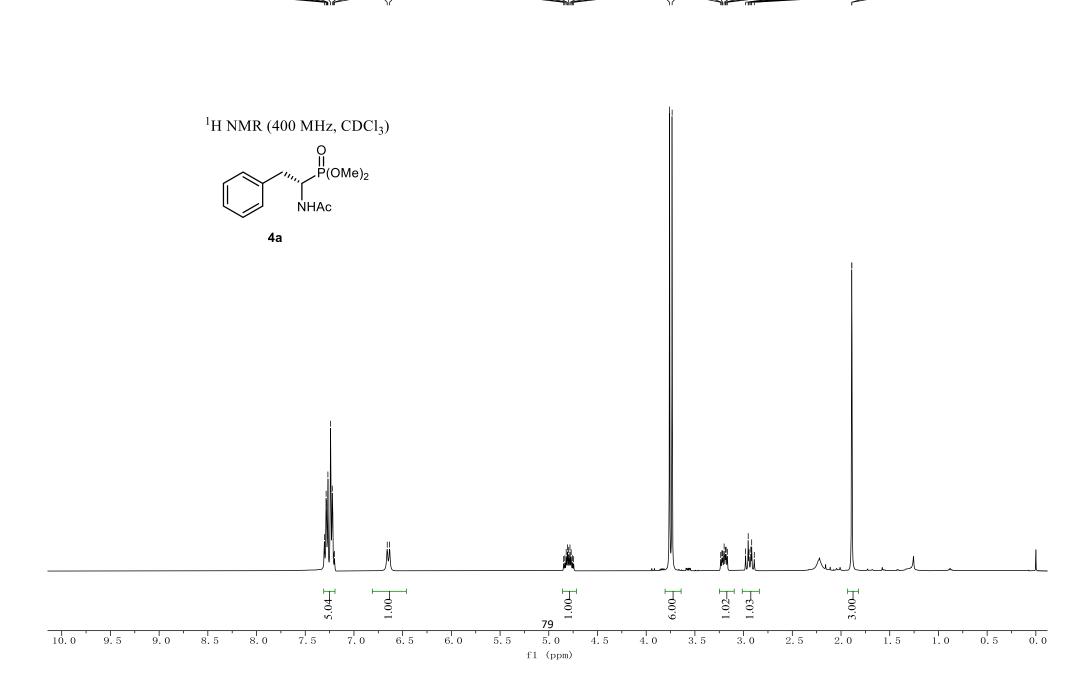




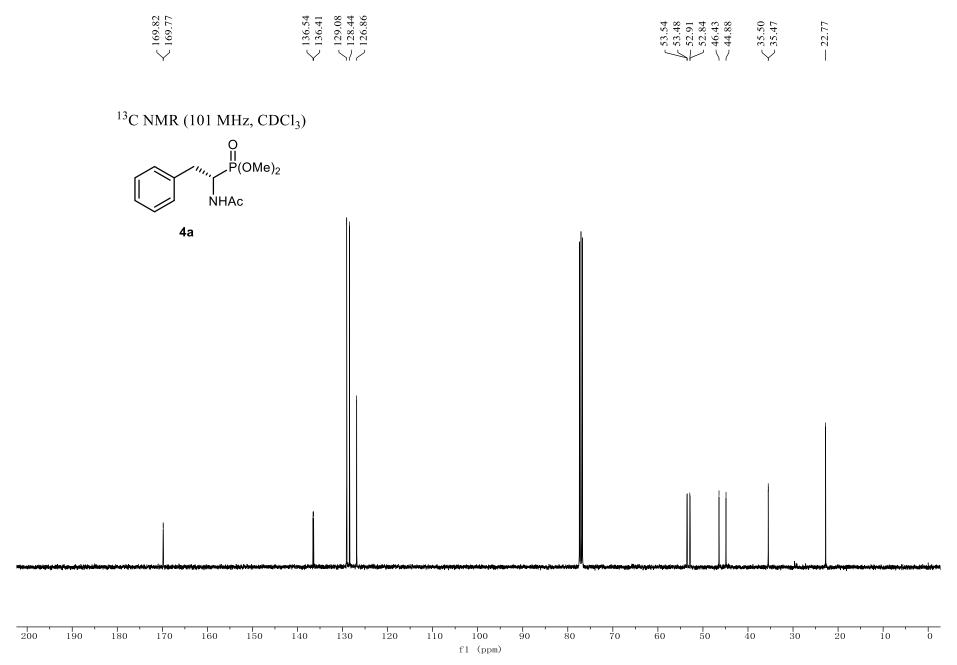
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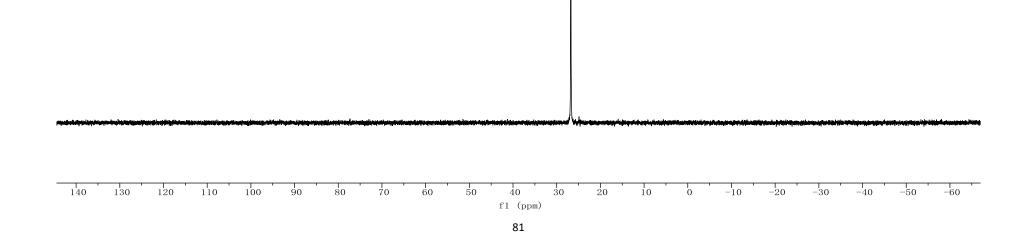


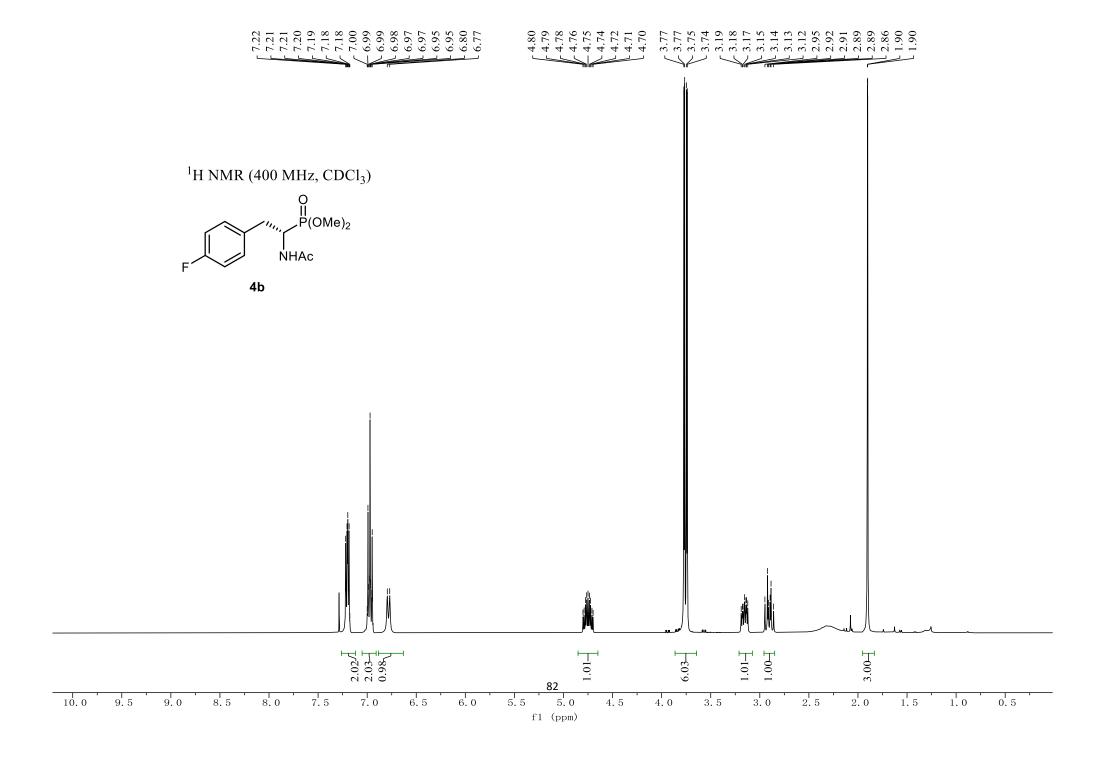


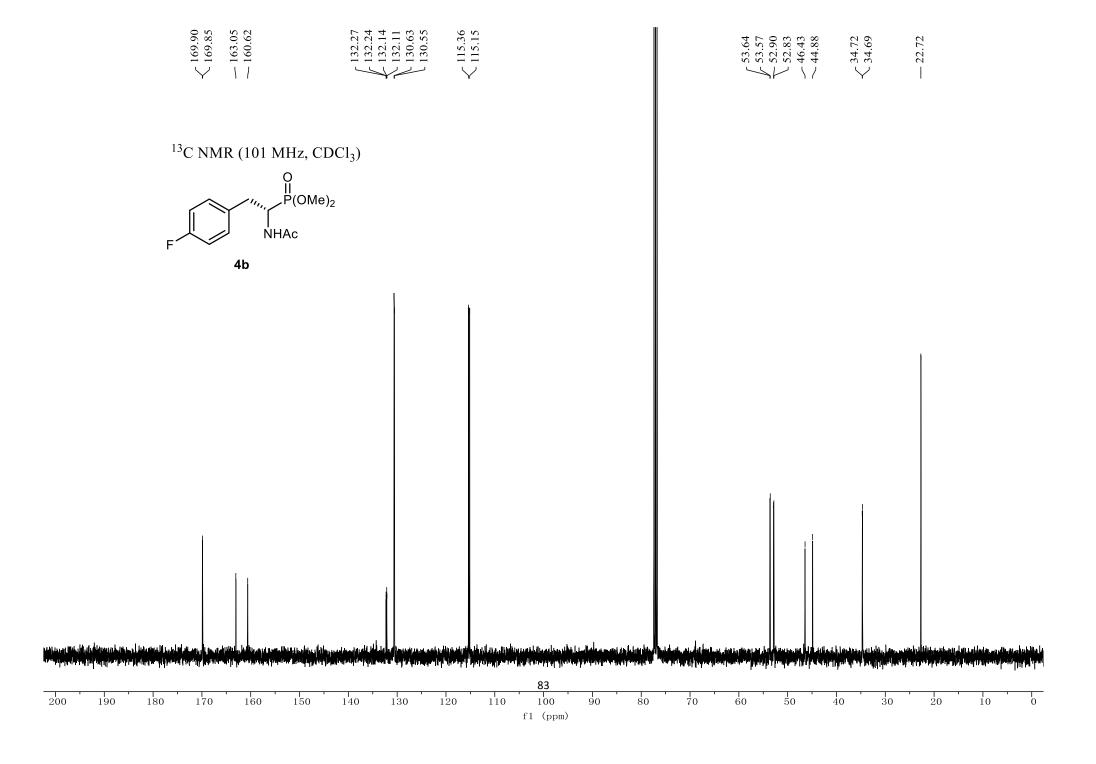
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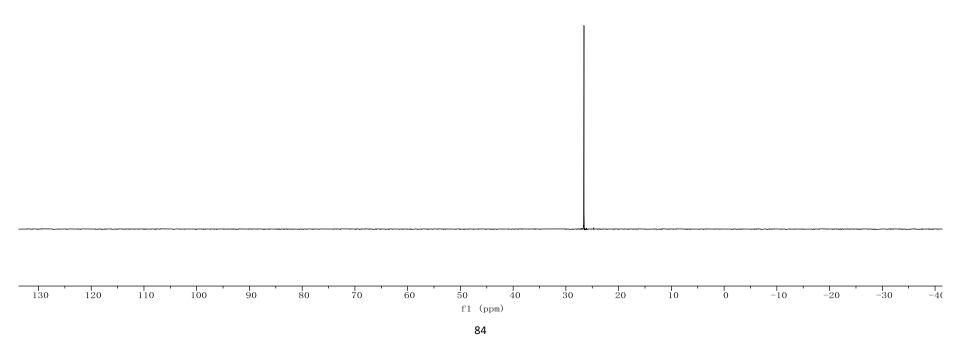


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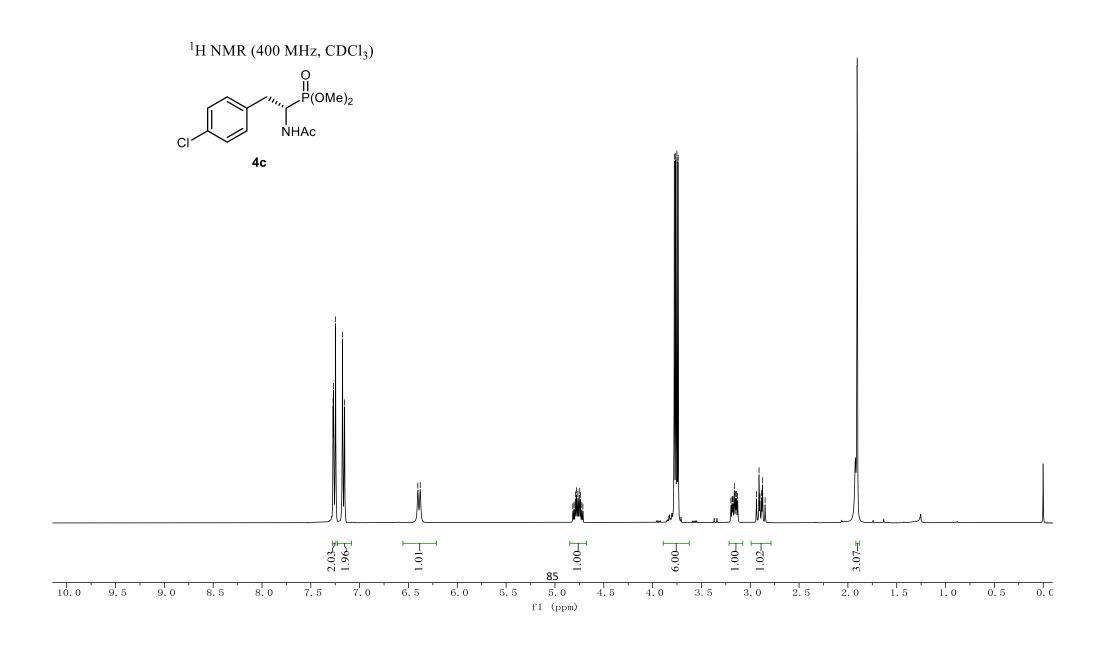


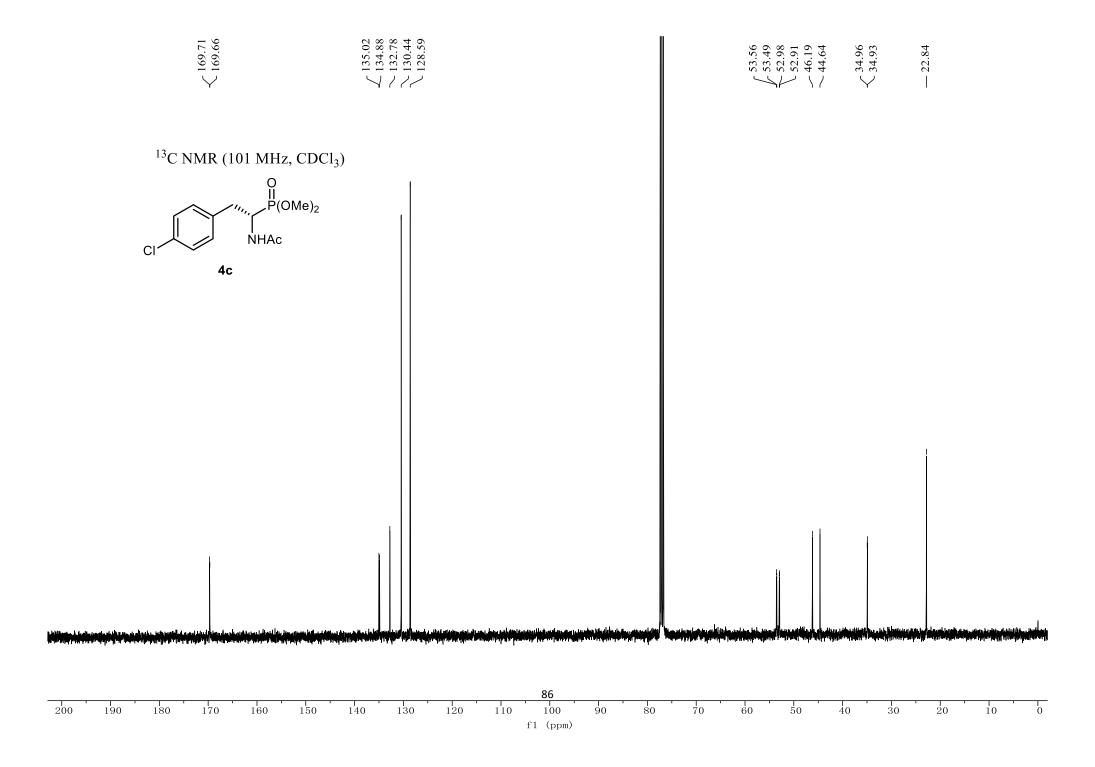




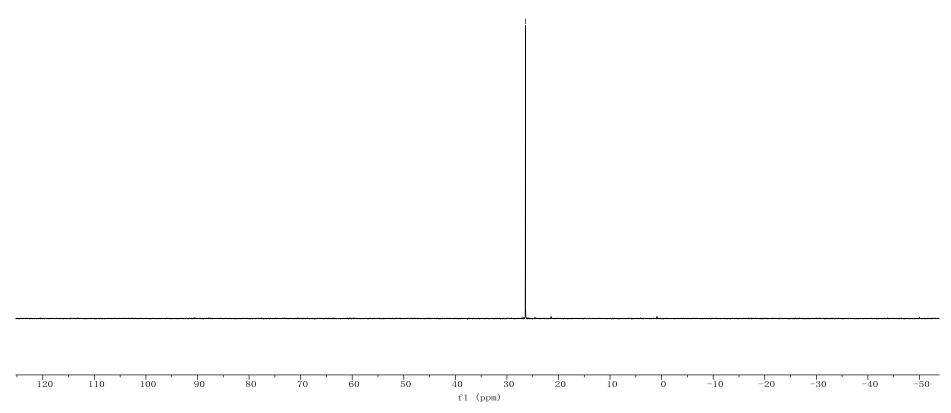


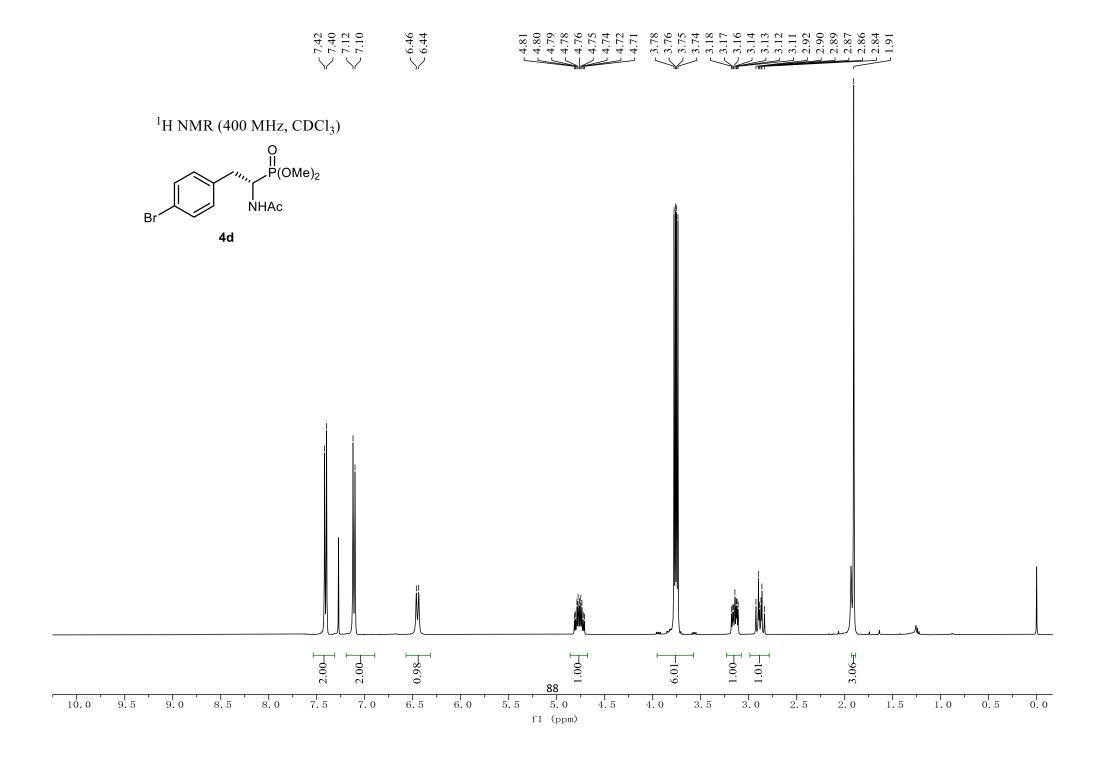


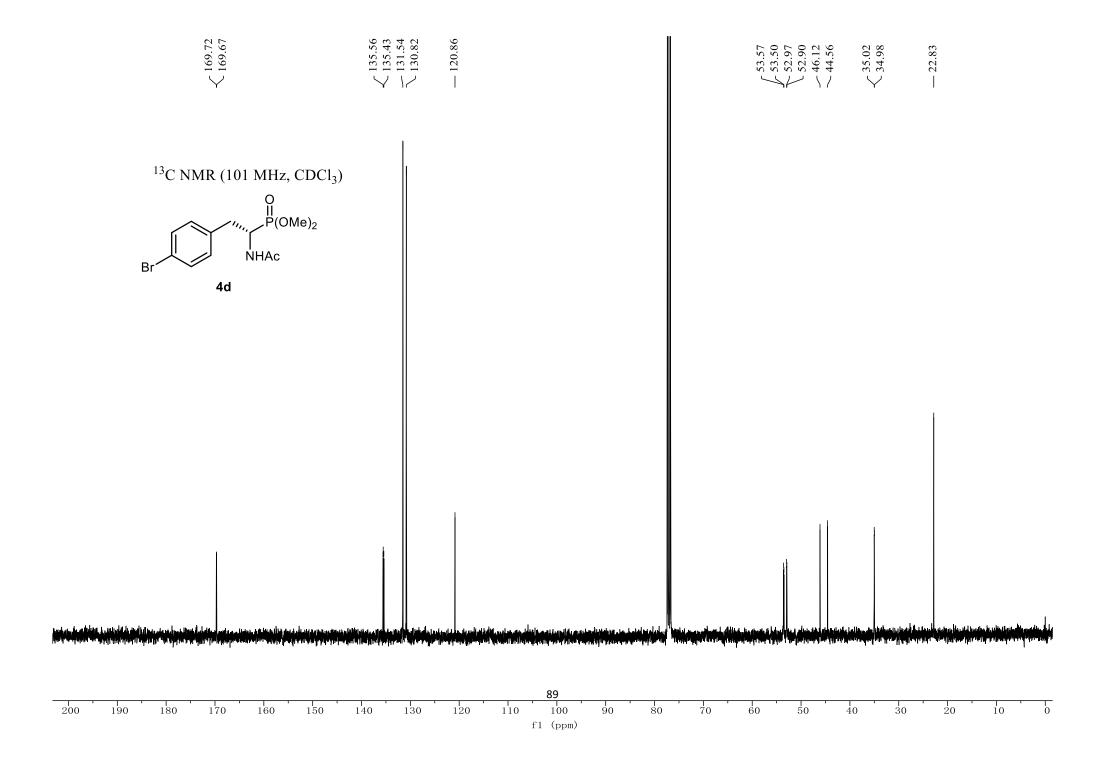


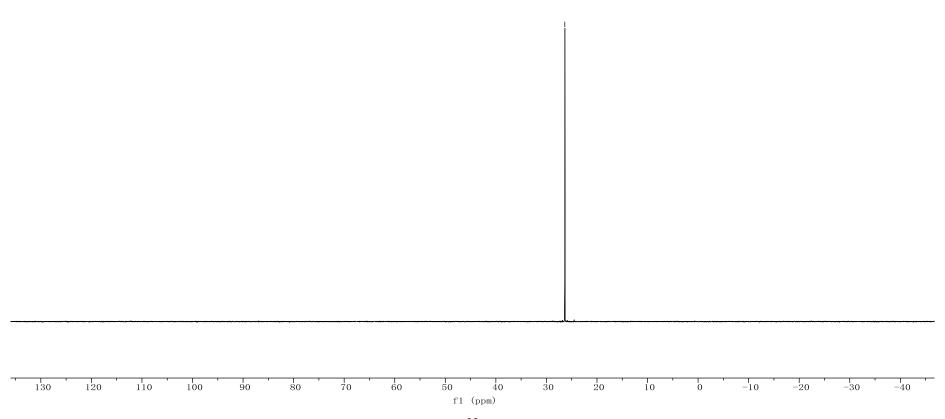


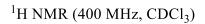
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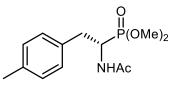


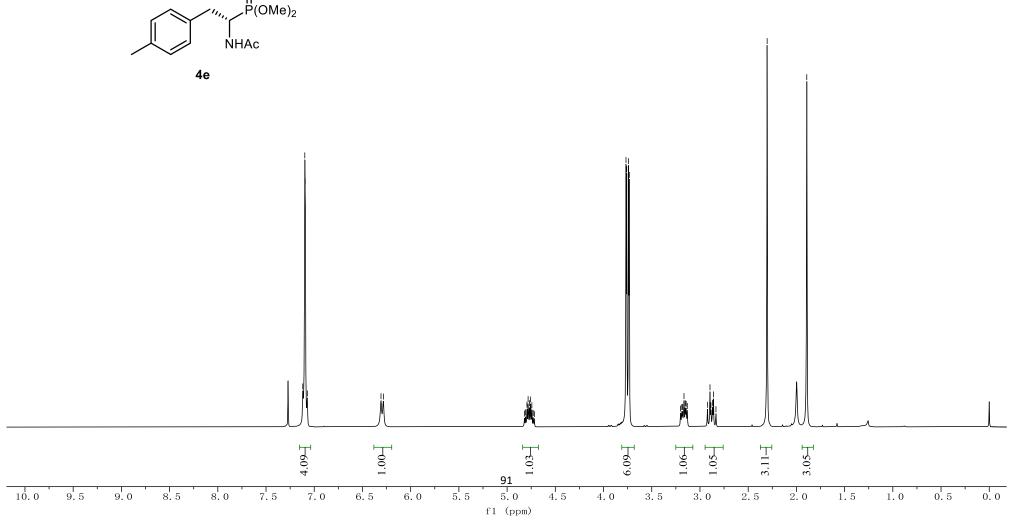


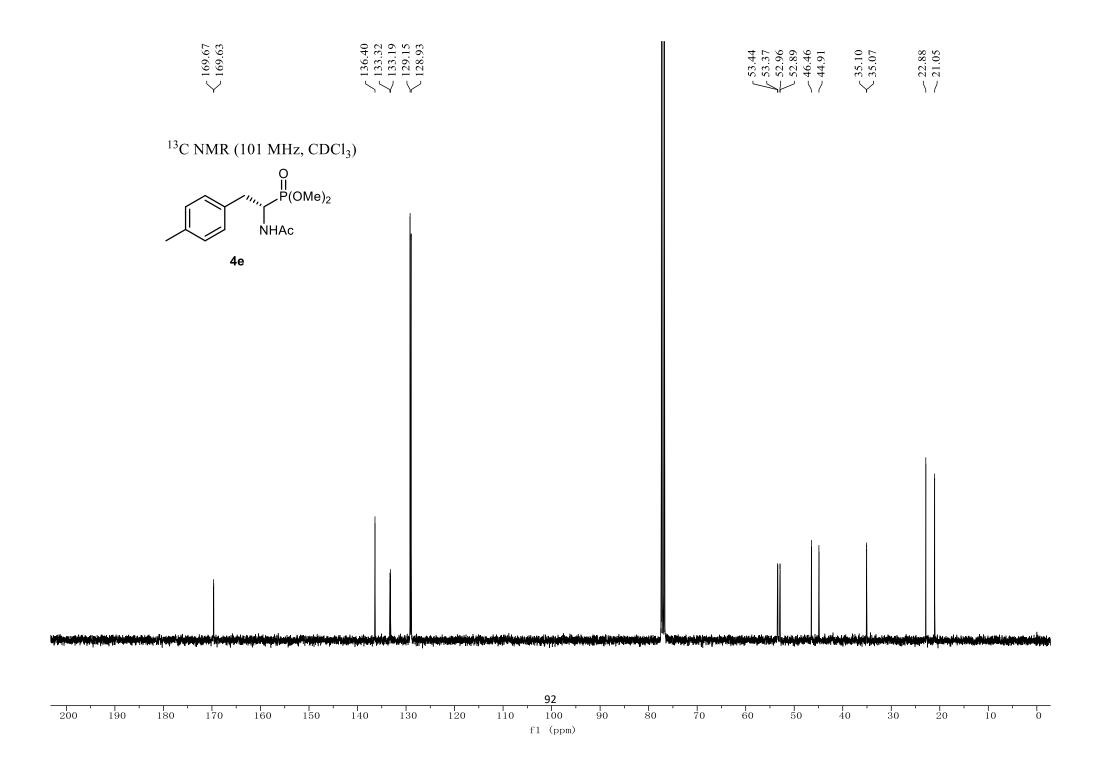




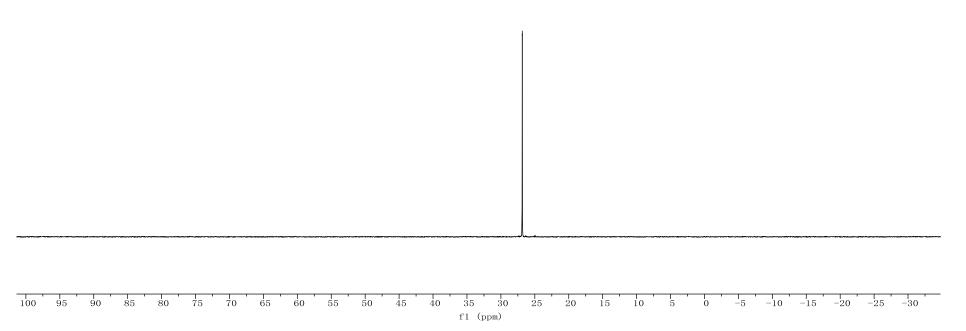


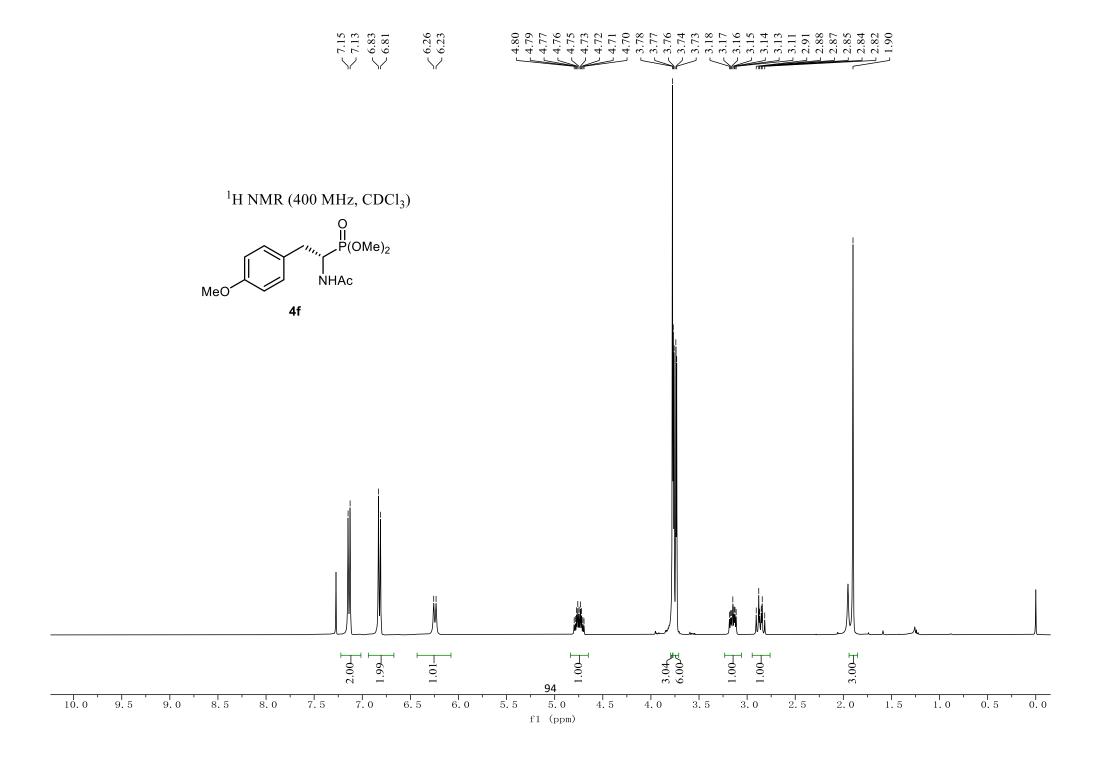


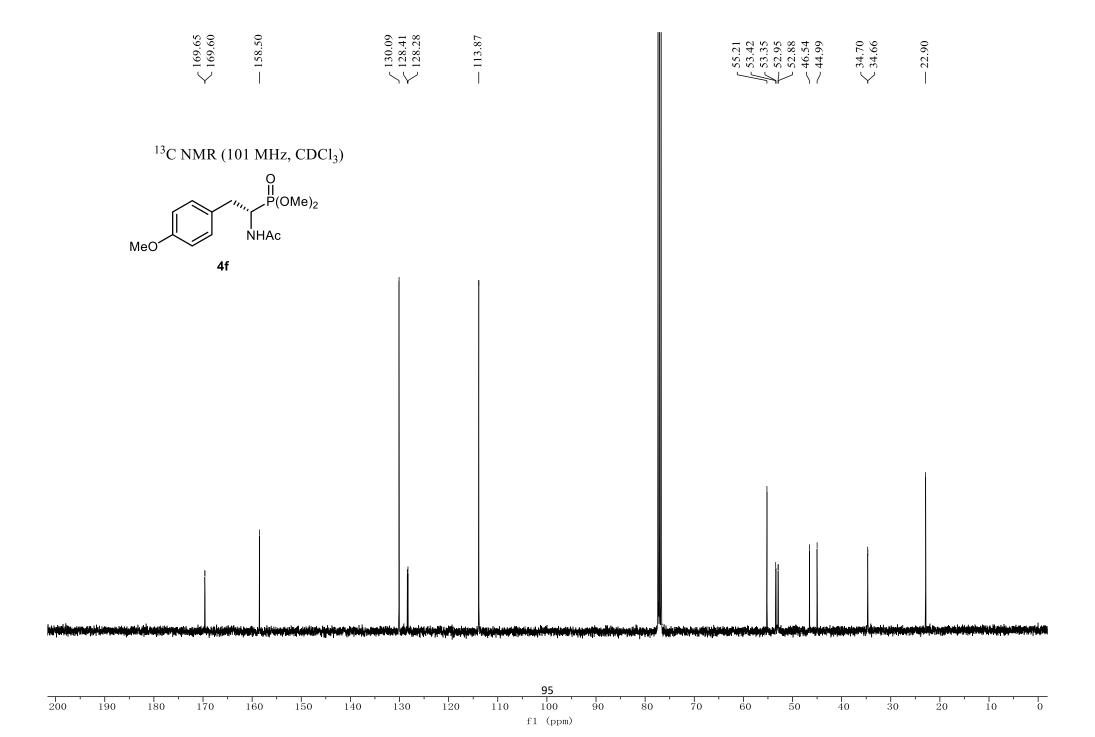


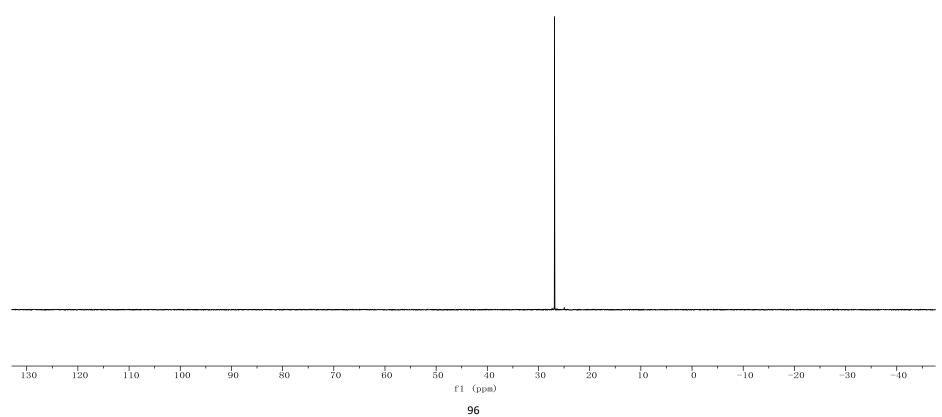


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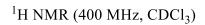


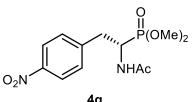






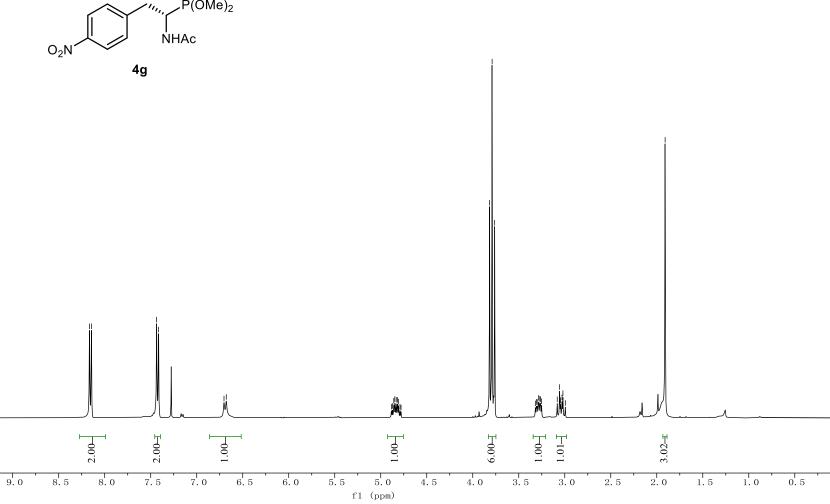


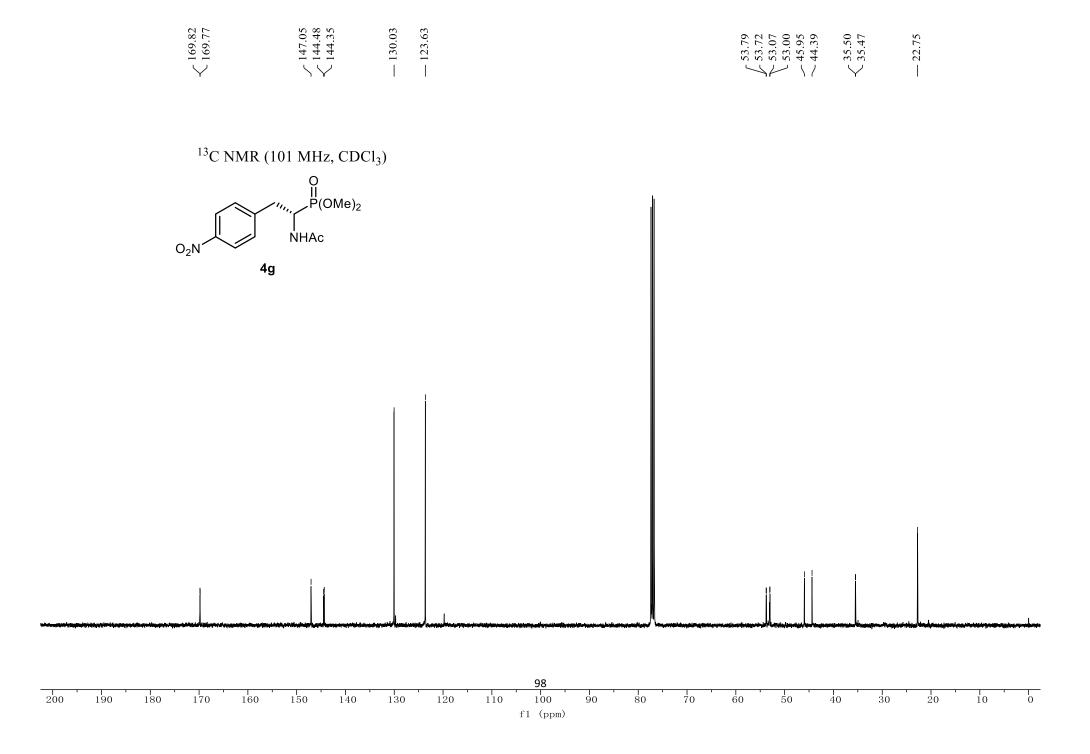


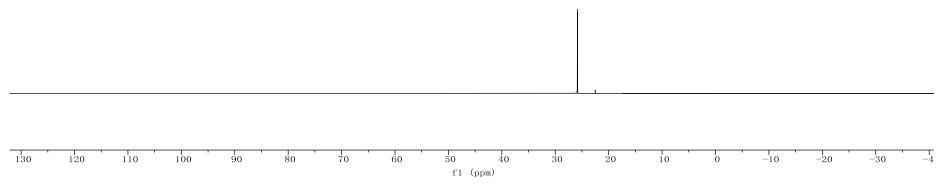


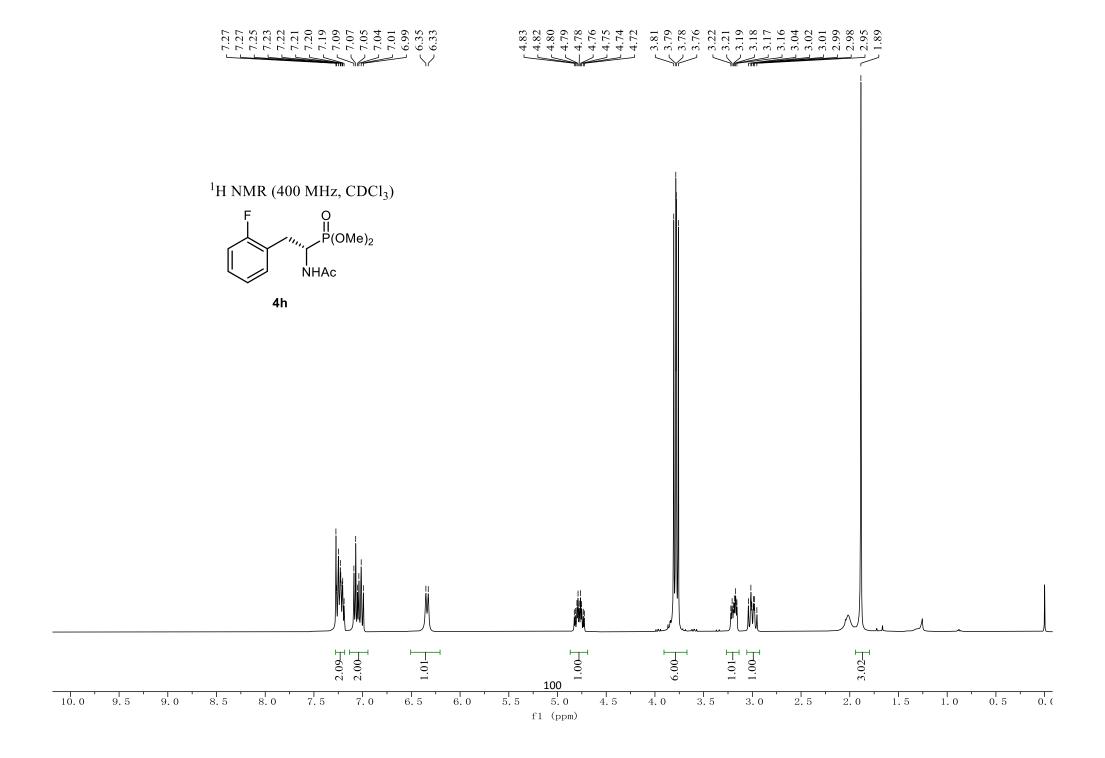
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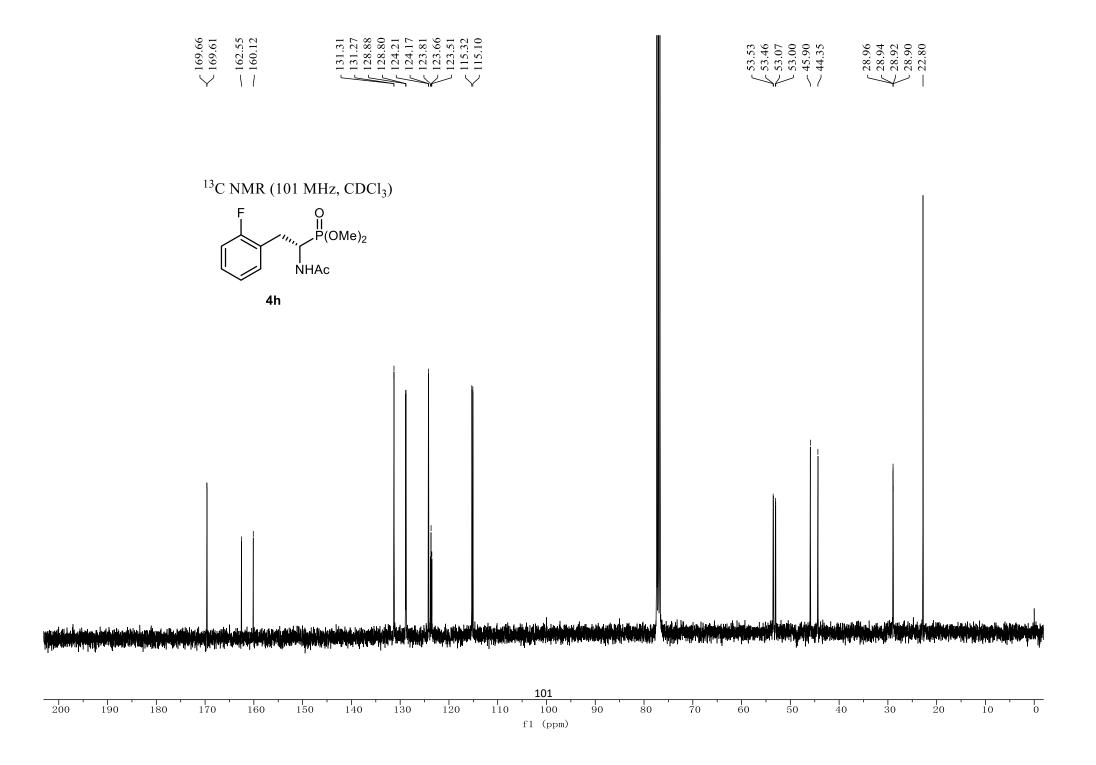
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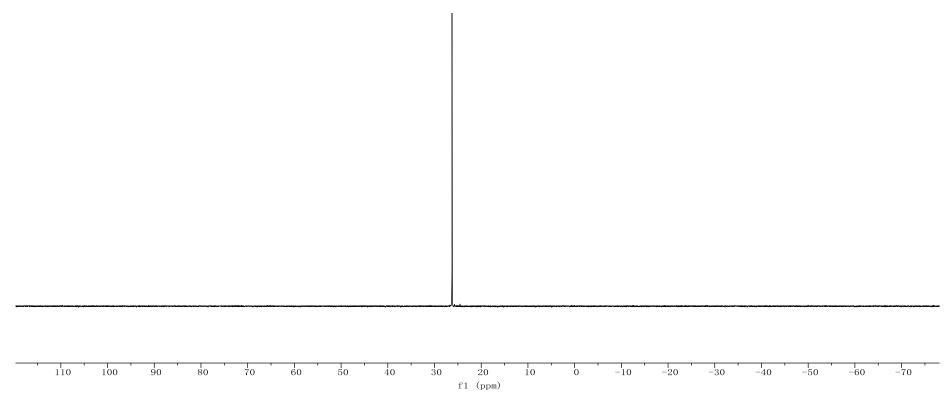


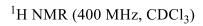


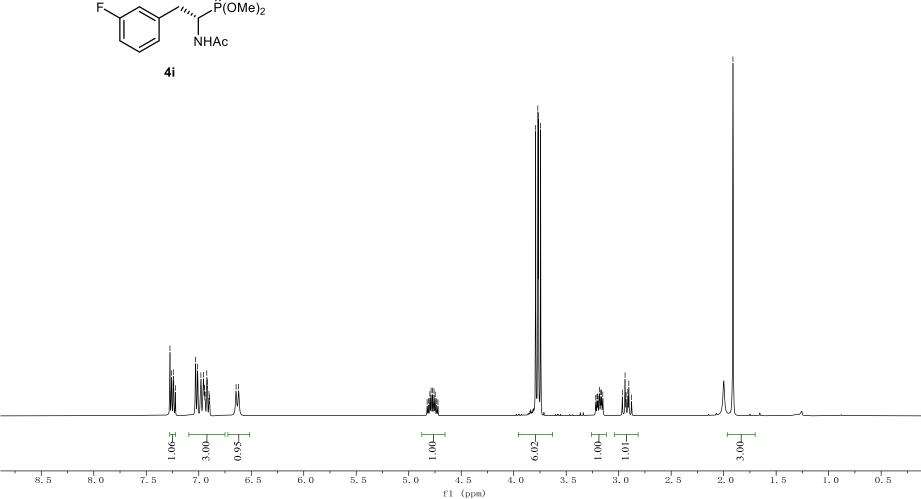


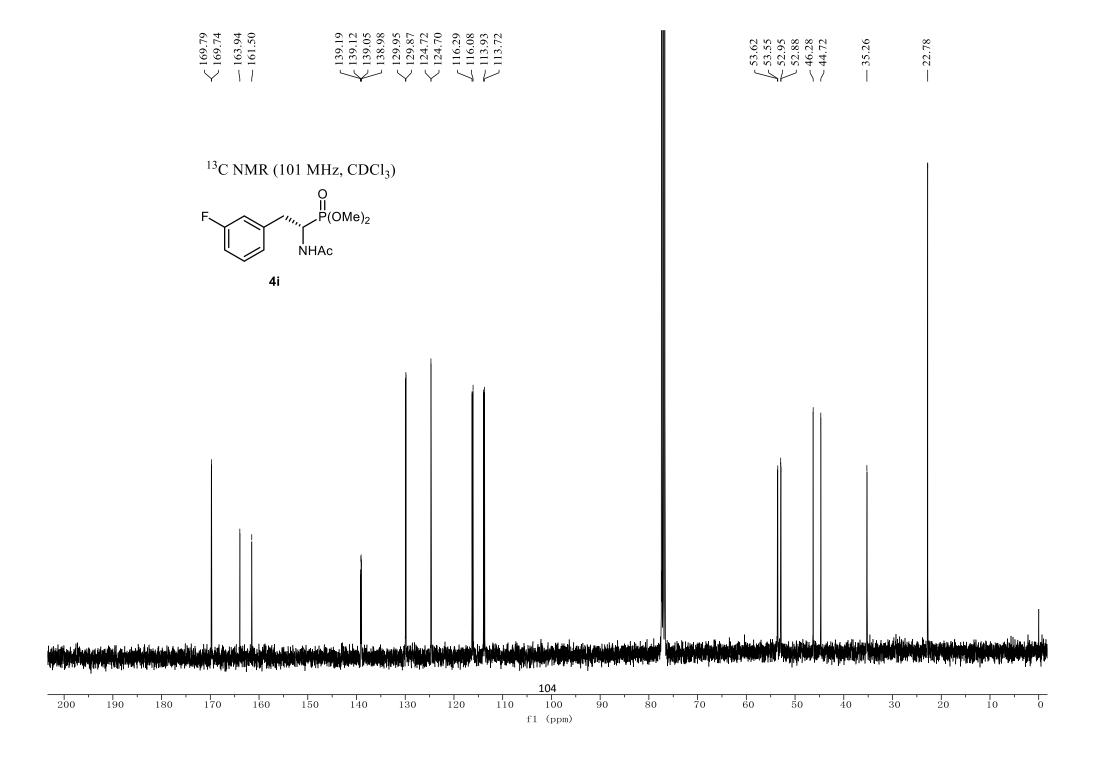


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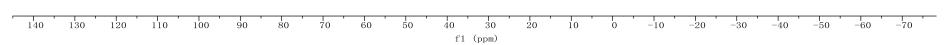


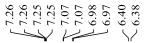


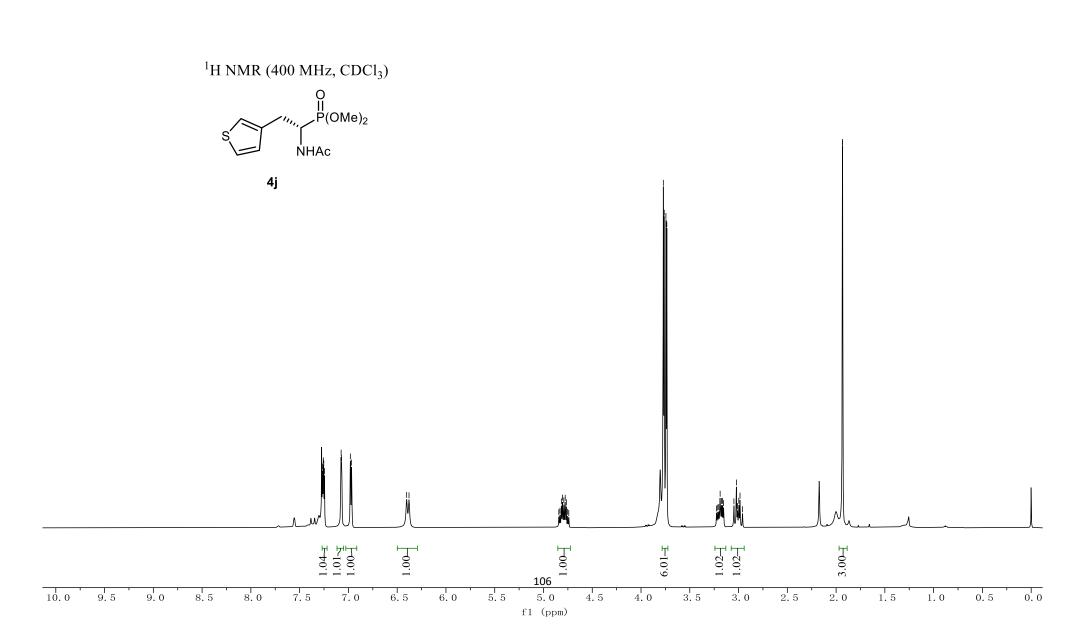


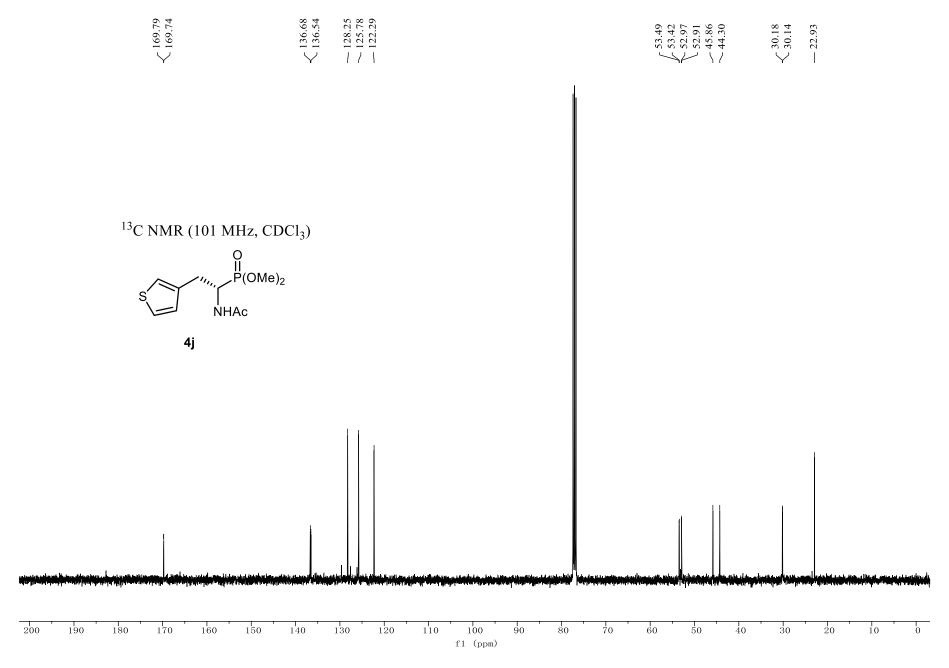


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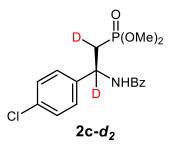
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¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃₎



10. 5

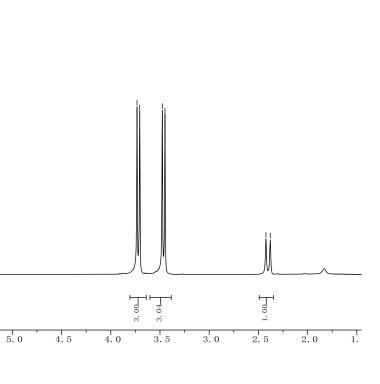
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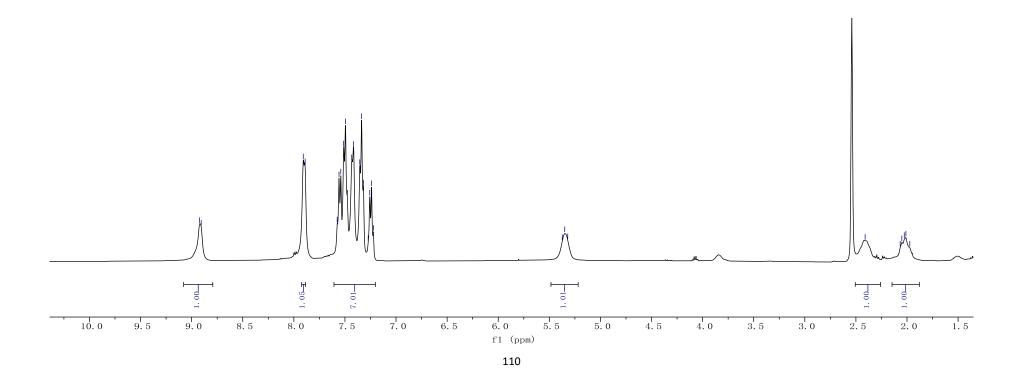
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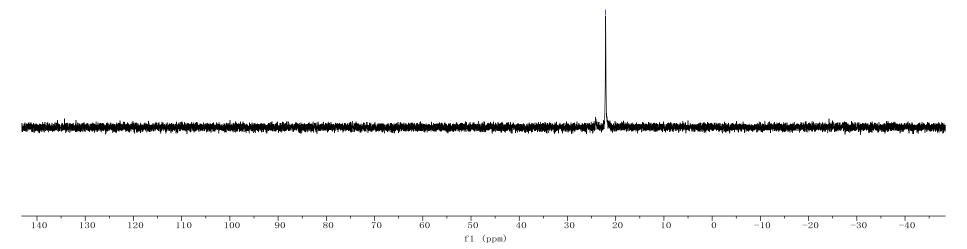
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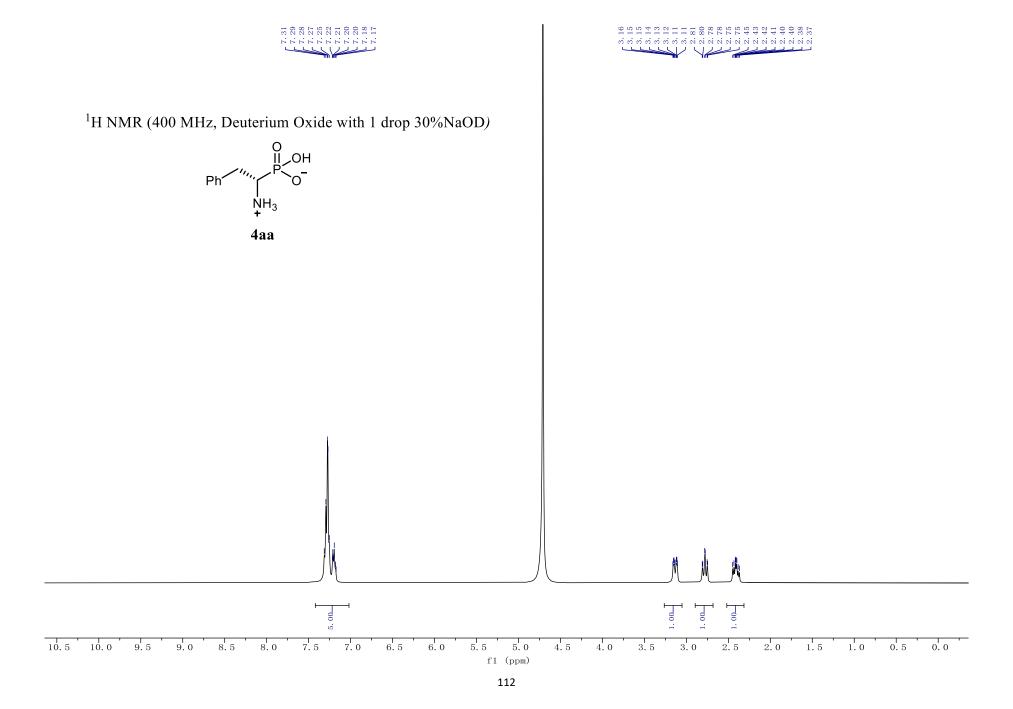
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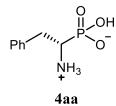
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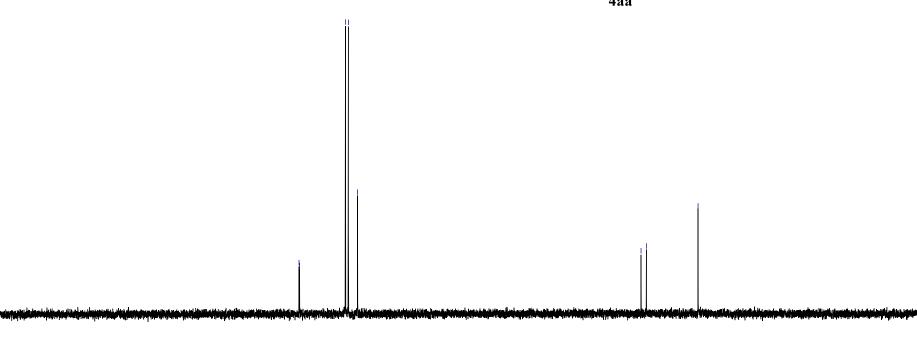






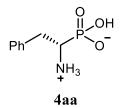
¹³C NMR (101 MHz, Deuterium Oxide with 1 drop 30%NaOD)





190 180

³¹P NMR (162 MHz, Deuterium Oxide with 1 drop 30%NaOD)



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