

**Supplementary data**

**Ru(II)-catalysed oxidative (4+2) annulation of chromene and coumarin carboxylic acids  
with alkynes/propargylic alcohols: Isolation of Ru(0) complexes**

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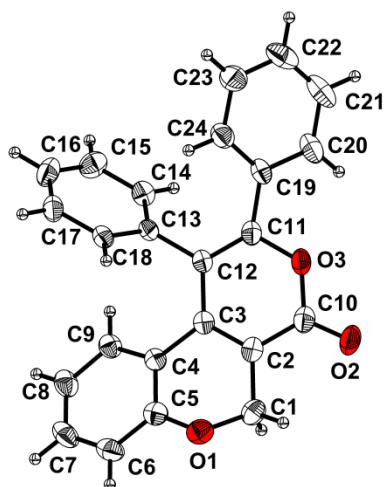
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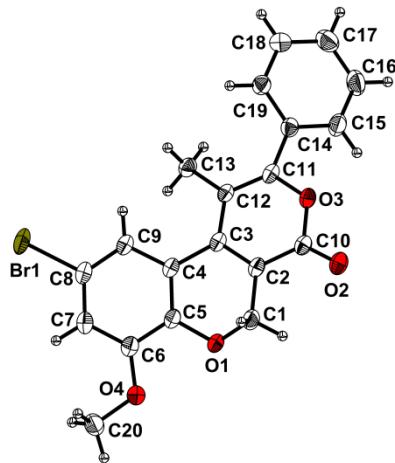
### **Crystallographic data for compounds 5aa, 5ce, 5cj, 6aa and 7ab**

Single crystal X-ray data for crystals of compounds **5aa, 5ce, 5cj, 6aa and 7ab** were collected on an X-ray diffractometer using Mo-K $\alpha$  ( $\lambda = 0.71073 \text{ \AA}$ ) radiation after mounting on glass fibers inside a brass pin in open air. The structures were solved by direct methods and refined by full matrix least squares method using standard procedures; absorption corrections were done using SADABS program, where applicable.<sup>1</sup> In general, all non-hydrogen atoms were refined anisotropically; hydrogen atoms were fixed by geometry or located by a Difference Fourier map and refined isotropically. CCDC numbers are 2213160-2213164.

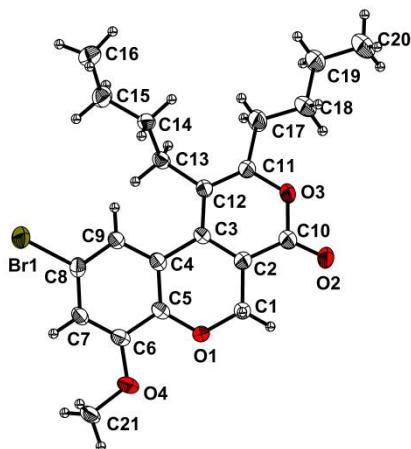
### ***ORTEPs and crystal data of 5aa, 5ce, 5cj, 6aa and 7ab (Figures S1-S5)***



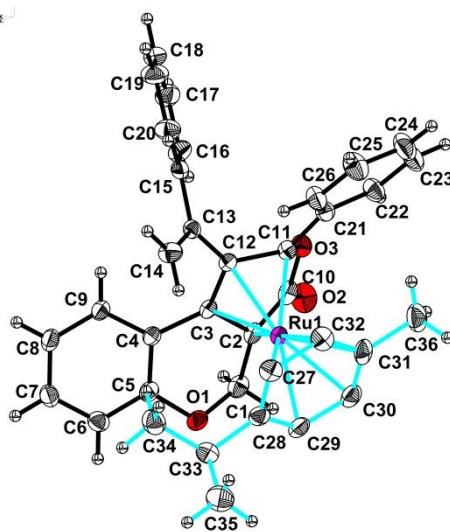
**Figure S1.** ORTEP view of compound **5aa** with 30% probability of ellipsoids. **Crystal data:**  $C_{24}H_{16}O_3$ ,  $M = 352.37$ , Orthorhombic, Space group  $Pna2$  (1),  $a = 7.9771(3)$ ,  $b = 14.2651(6)$ ,  $c = 15.4453(7) \text{ \AA}$ ,  $V = 1757.58(13) \text{ \AA}^3$ ,  $Z = 4$ ,  $\mu = 0.087 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ , data/restraints/parameters: 2973/1/245, R indices (I>2sigma(I)):  $R1 = 0.0288$ ,  $wR2$  (all data) = 0.0747. Solvent for crystallization: EtOAc + hexane. CCDC No: 2213160.



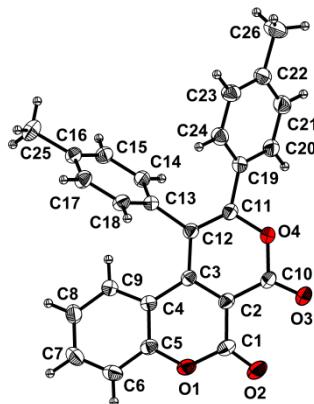
**Figure S2.** ORTEP view of compound **5ce** with 30% probability of ellipsoids. **Crystal data:**  $C_{21}H_{15}BrClO_4$ ,  $M = 446.69$ , Monoclinic, Space group  $P2(1)/c$ ,  $a = 16.4674(10)$ ,  $b = 7.5481(5)$ ,  $c = 16.6864(10)$  Å,  $V = 1837.3(2)$  Å $^3$ ,  $\beta = 117.646(2)^\circ$ ,  $Z = 4$ ,  $\mu = 2.408$  mm $^{-1}$ , data/restraints/parameters: 3187/0/246, R indices ( $>2\sigma(I)$ ):  $R1 = 0.0462$ ,  $wR2$  (all data) = 0.1320. Solvent for crystallization: DCM + hexane. CCDC No: 2213161.



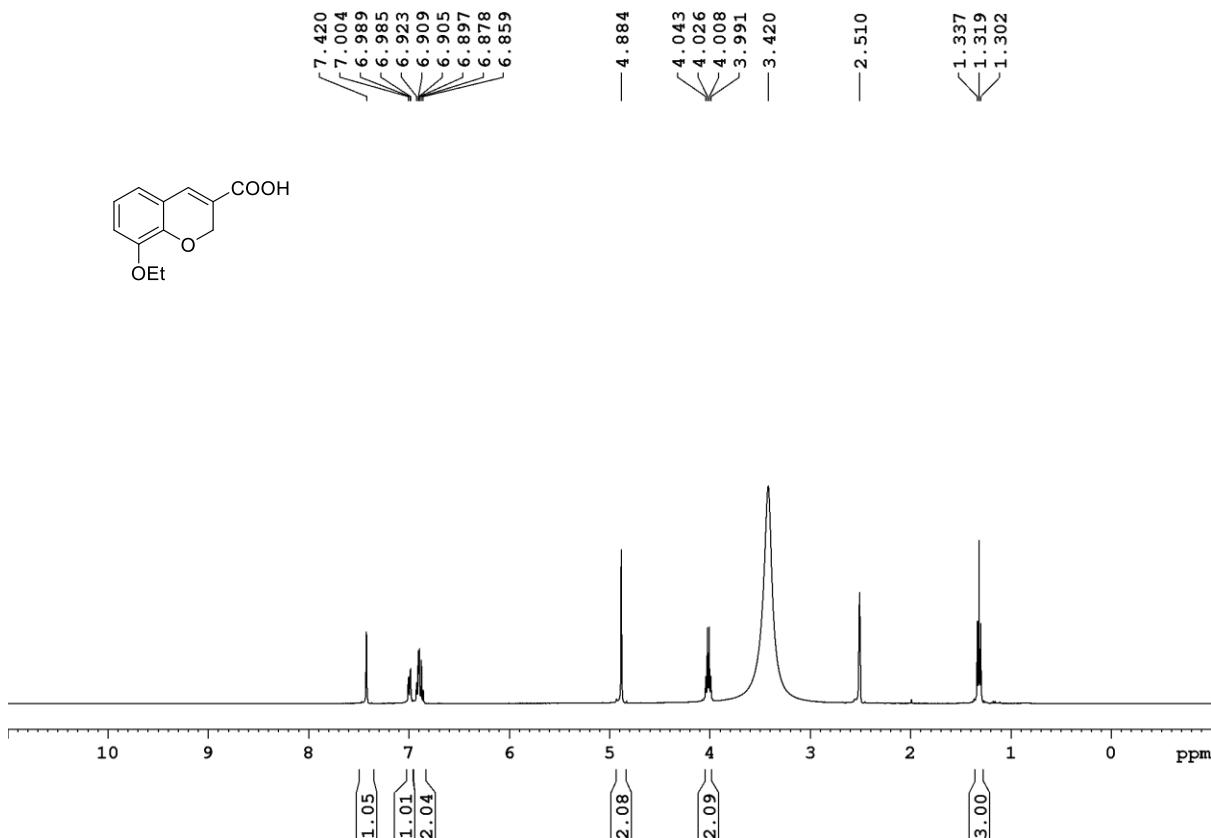
**Figure S3.** ORTEP view of compound **5cj** with 30% probability of ellipsoids. **Crystal data:**  $C_{21}H_{25}BrO_4$ ,  $M = 421.32$ , Monoclinic, Space group  $P\bar{1}\ 2\bar{1}\ 1$ ,  $a = 5.1663(2)$ ,  $b = 14.7442(5)$ ,  $c = 12.9318(5)$  Å,  $V = 974.41(6)$  Å $^3$ ,  $\beta = 98.432(4)^\circ$ ,  $Z = 2$ ,  $\mu = 2.132$  mm $^{-1}$ , data/restraints/parameters: 2954/1/238, R indices ( $>2\sigma(I)$ ):  $R1 = 0.0544$ ,  $wR2$  (all data) = 0.1402. Solvent for crystallization: EtOAc + hexane. CCDC No: 2213162.



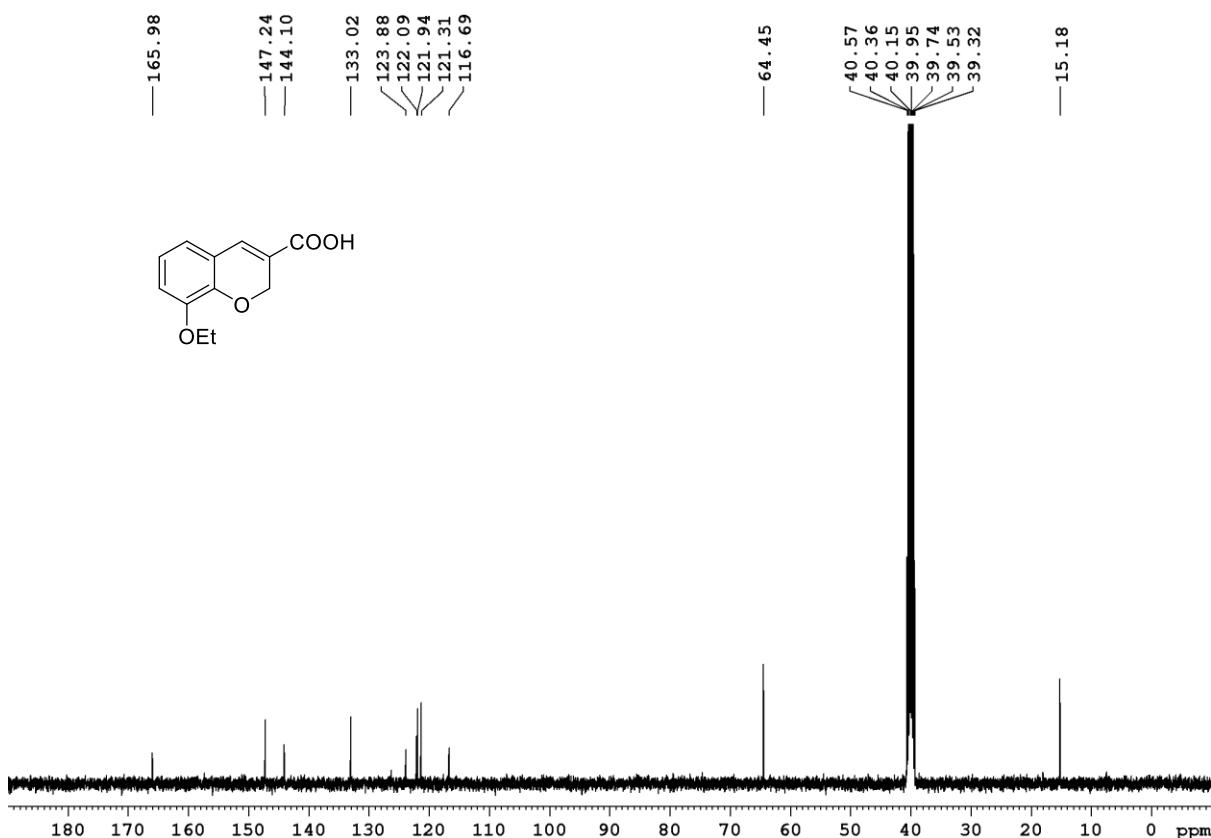
**Figure S4.** ORTEP view of compound **6aa** with 30% probability of ellipsoids. **Crystal data:**  $C_{36}H_{32}O_3Ru$ ,  $M = 613.72$ , Monoclinic, Space group  $P2(1)/c$ ,  $a = 18.2137(11)$   $b = 9.1058(6)$   $c = 17.3141(10)$  Å,  $V = 2781.2(3)$  Å $^3$ ,  $\beta = 104.407(2)^\circ$ ,  $Z = 4$ ,  $\mu = 0.600$  mm $^{-1}$ , data/restraints/parameters: 4886/0/364, R indices ( $>2\sigma(I)$ ):  $R1 = 0.0201$ ,  $wR2$  (all data) = 0.0543. Solvent for crystallization: EtOAc + hexane. CCDC No: 2213163.



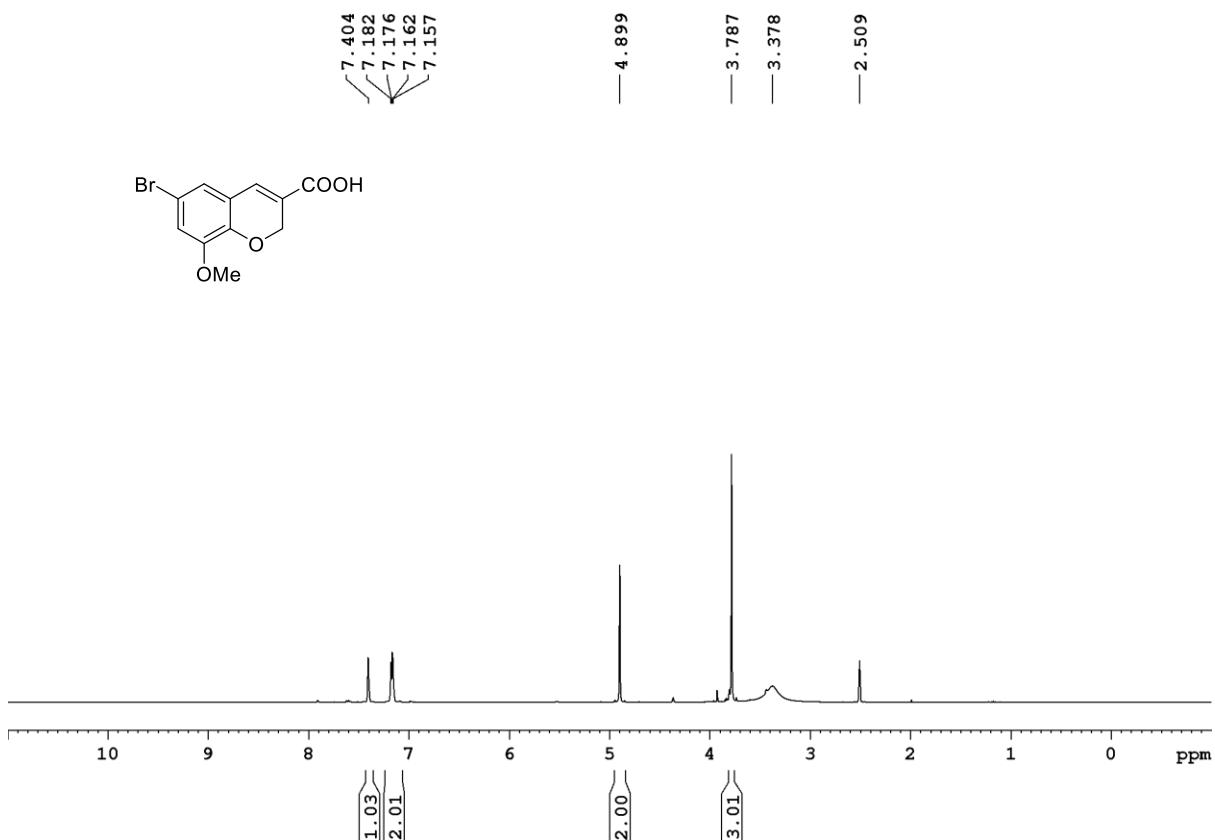
**Figure S5.** ORTEP view of compound **7ab** with 30% probability of ellipsoids. **Crystal data:**  $C_{26}H_{18}O_4$ ,  $M = 394.40$ , Orthorhombic, Space group  $Fdd2$ ,  $a = 52.655(4)$ ,  $b = 7.5681(4)$ ,  $c = 19.8301(12)$  Å,  $V = 7902.3(9)$  Å $^3$ ,  $Z = 16$ ,  $\mu = 0.089$  mm $^{-1}$ , data/restraints/parameters: 3261 /1/274, R indices ( $>2\sigma(I)$ ):  $R1 = 0.0339$ ,  $wR2$  (all data) = 0.0873. Solvent for crystallization: EtOAc + hexane. CCDC No: 2213164.



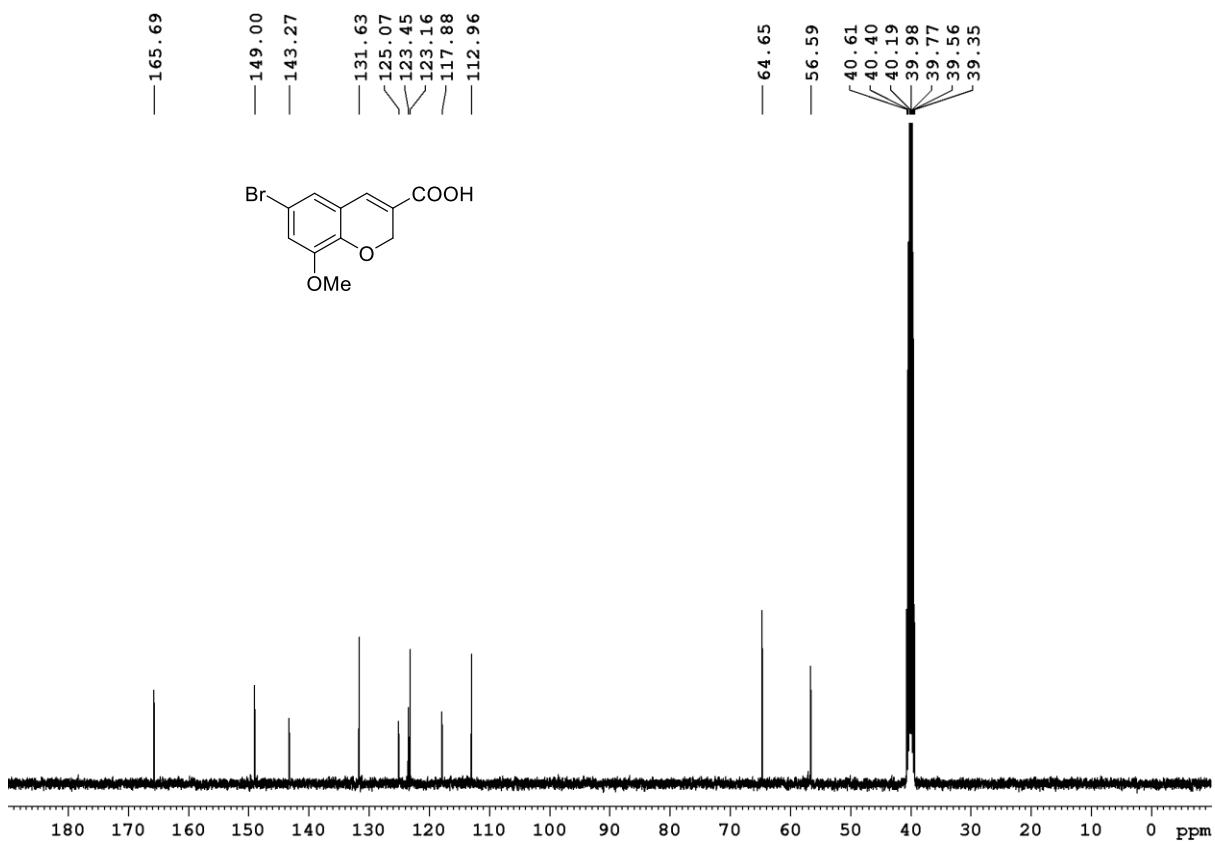
**Figure S6.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **1b**



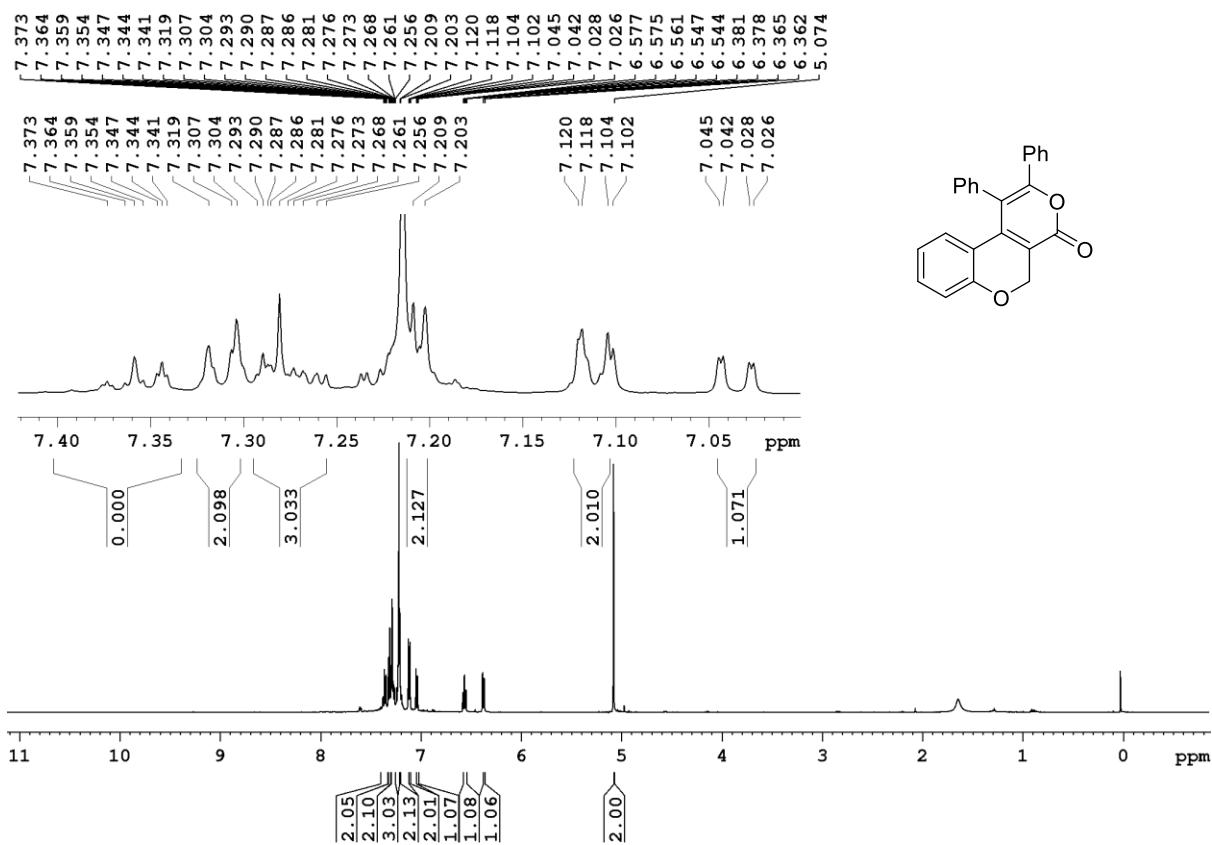
**Figure S7.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound **1b**



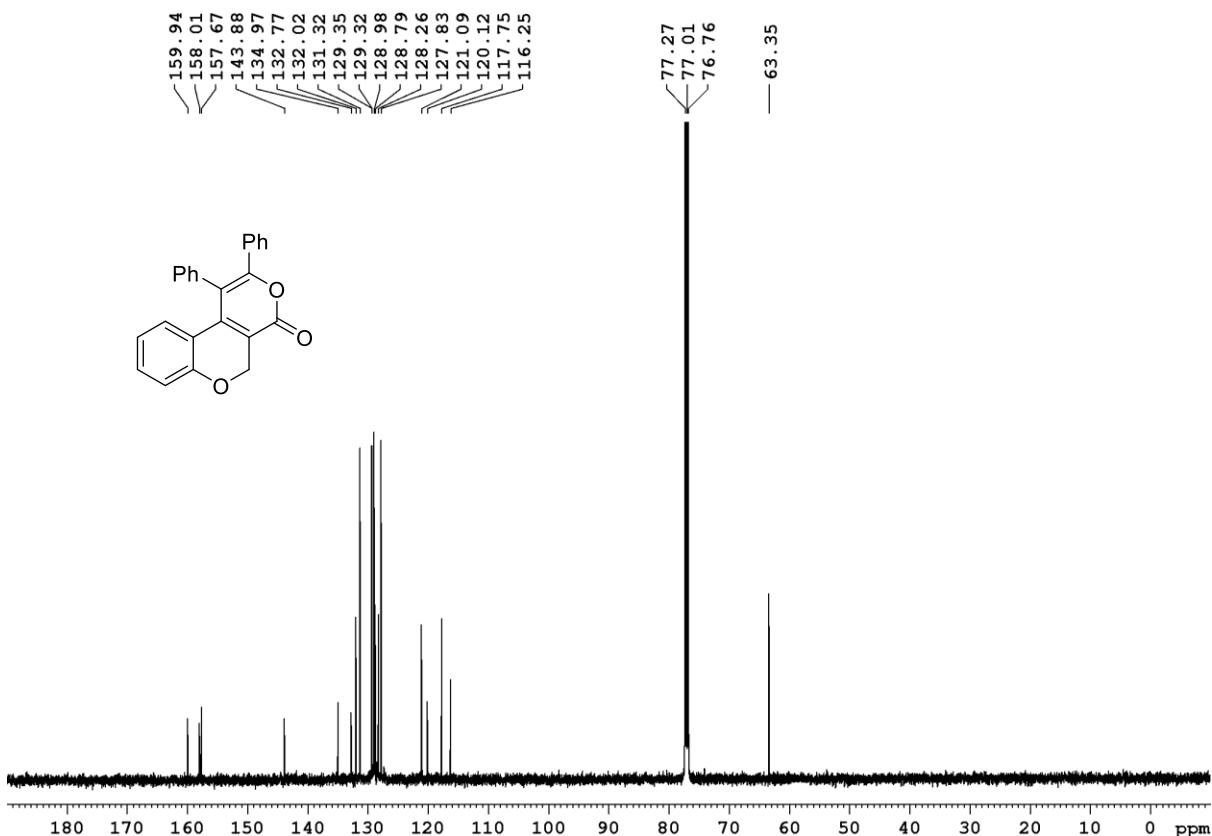
**Figure S8.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **1c**



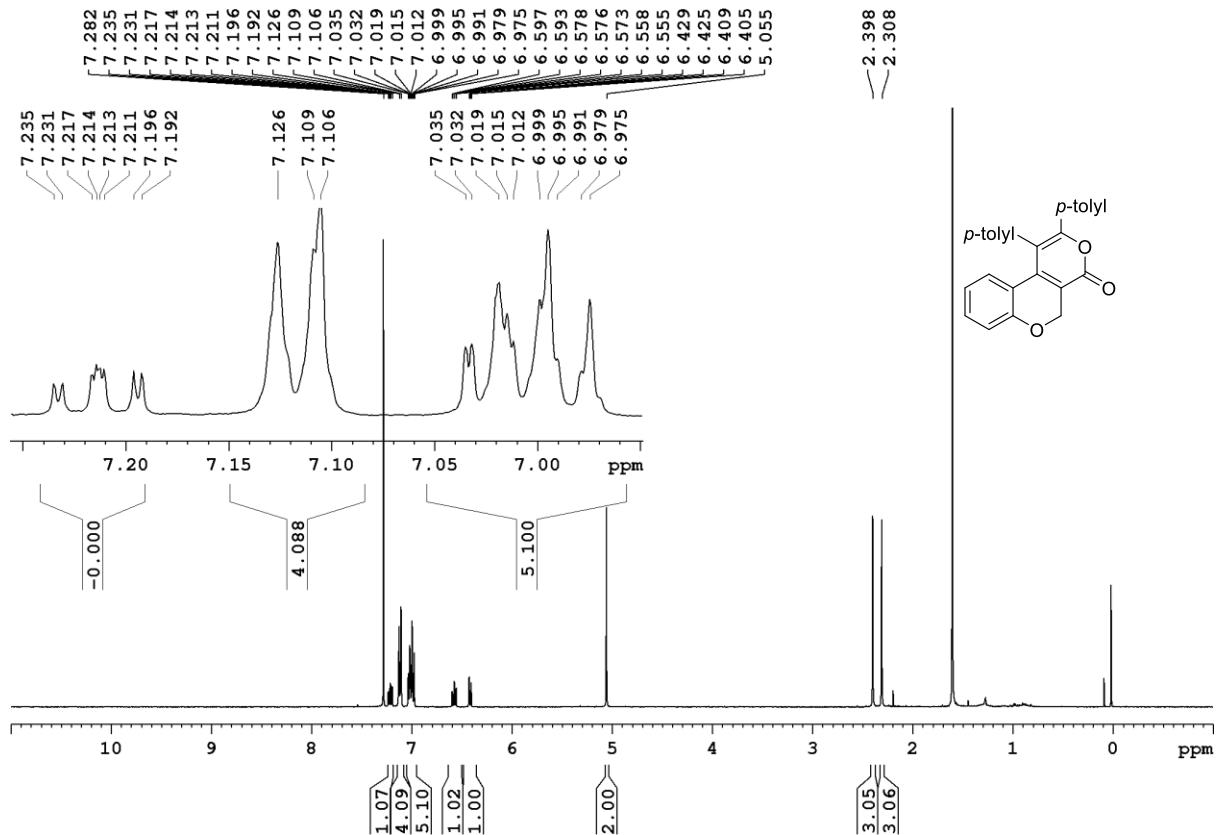
**Figure S9.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound **1c**



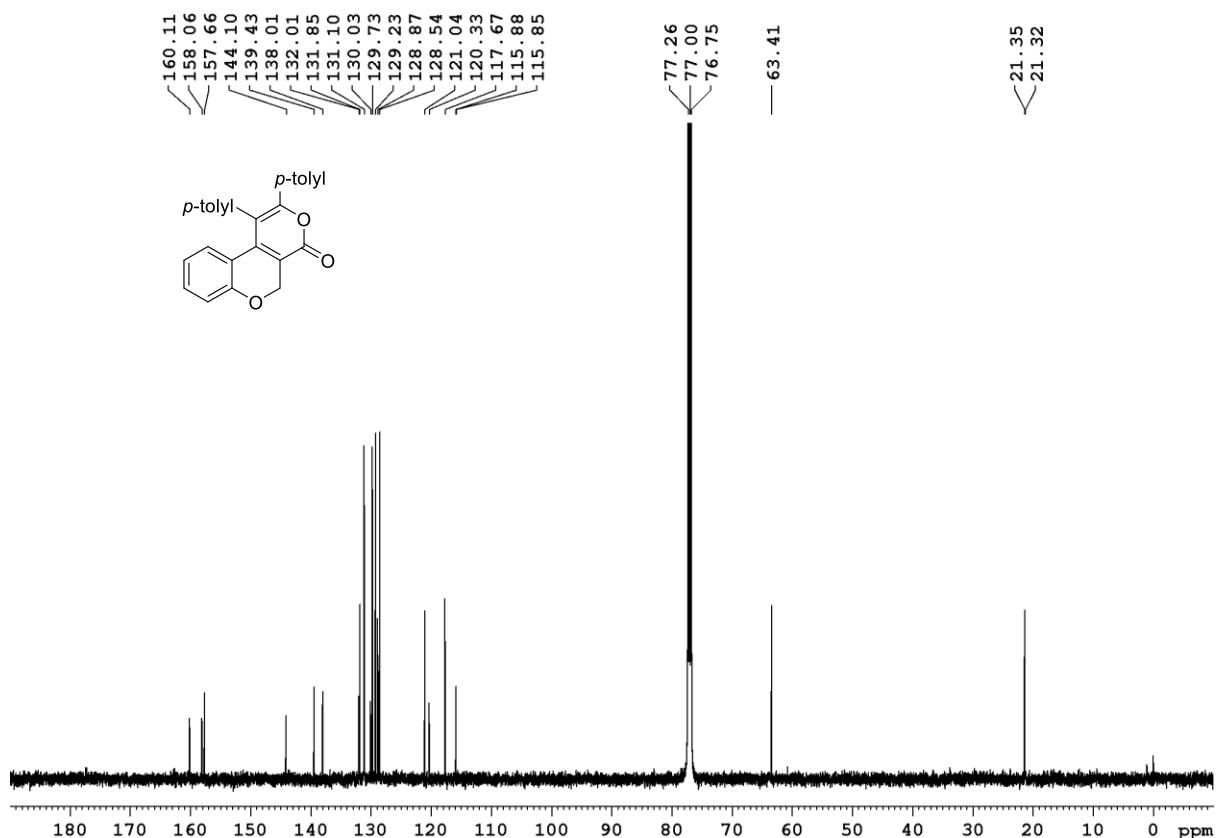
**Figure S10.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound 5aa



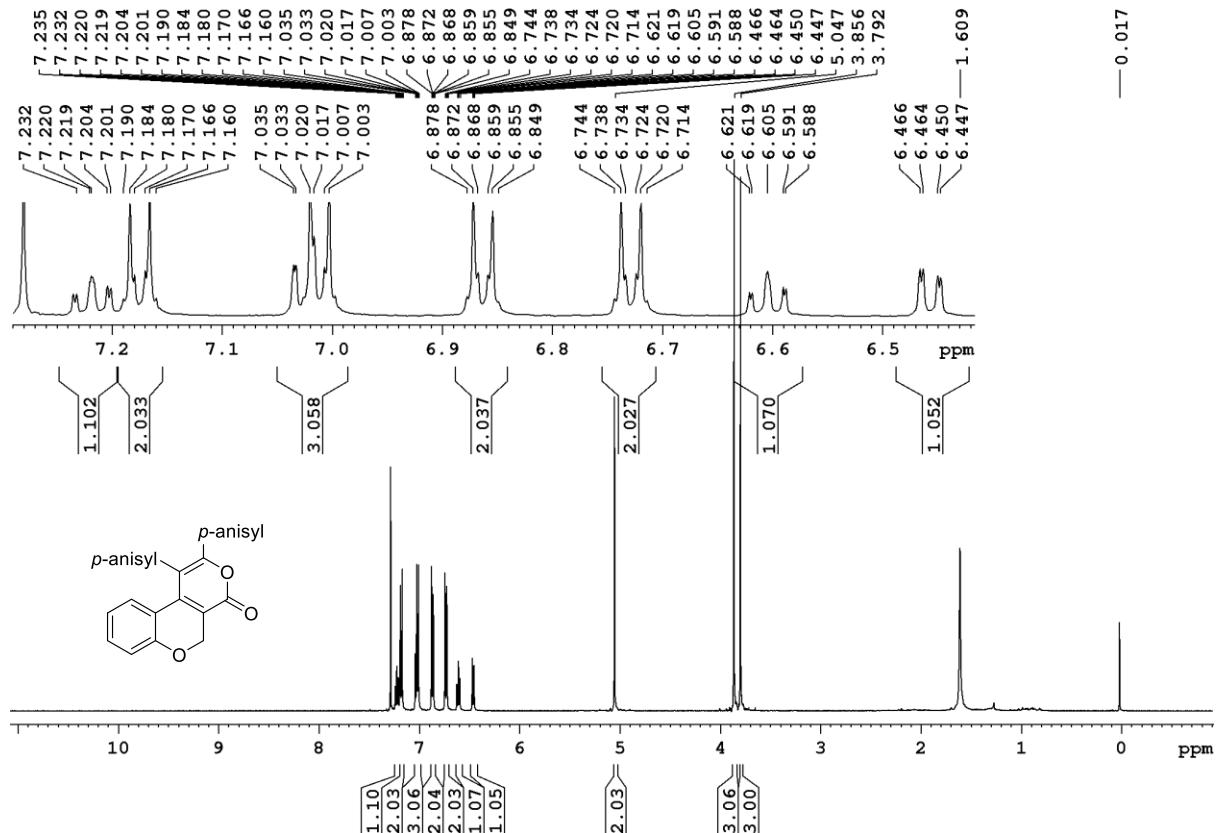
**Figure S11.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound 5aa



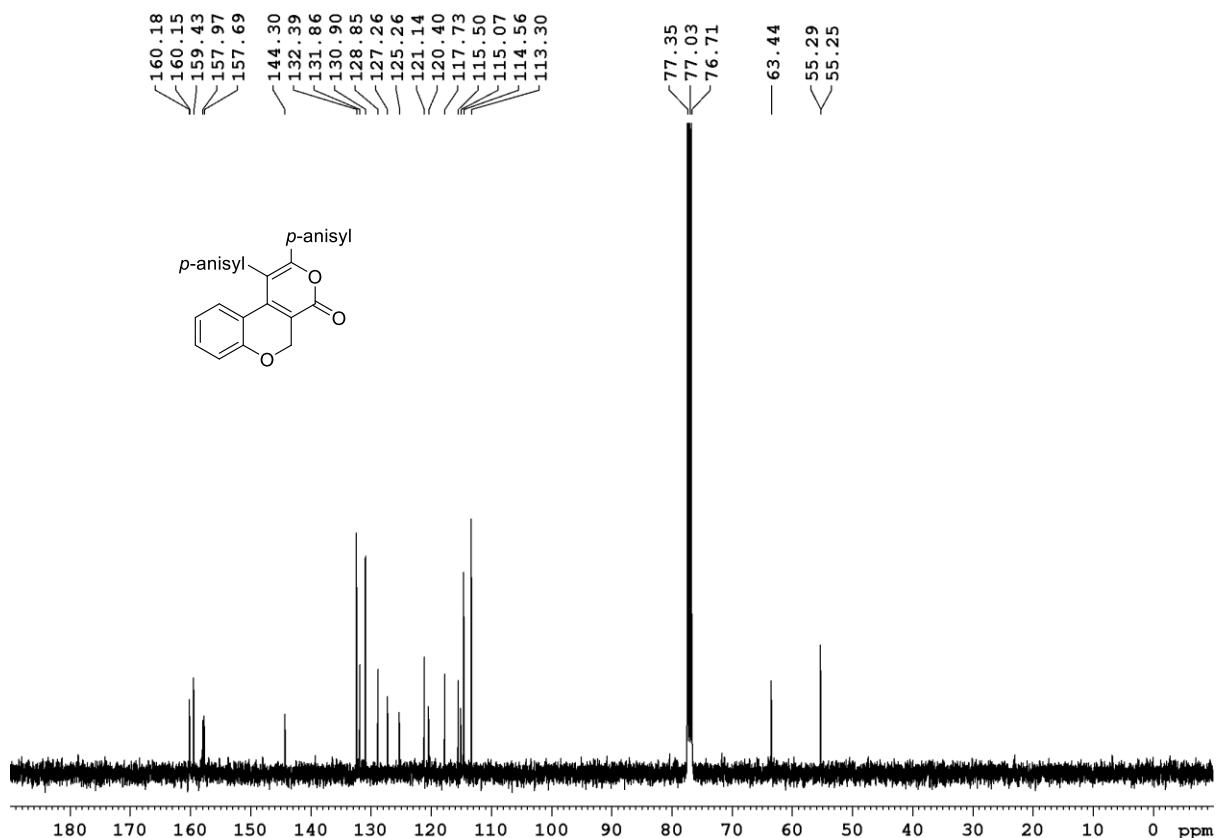
**Figure S12.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **5ab**



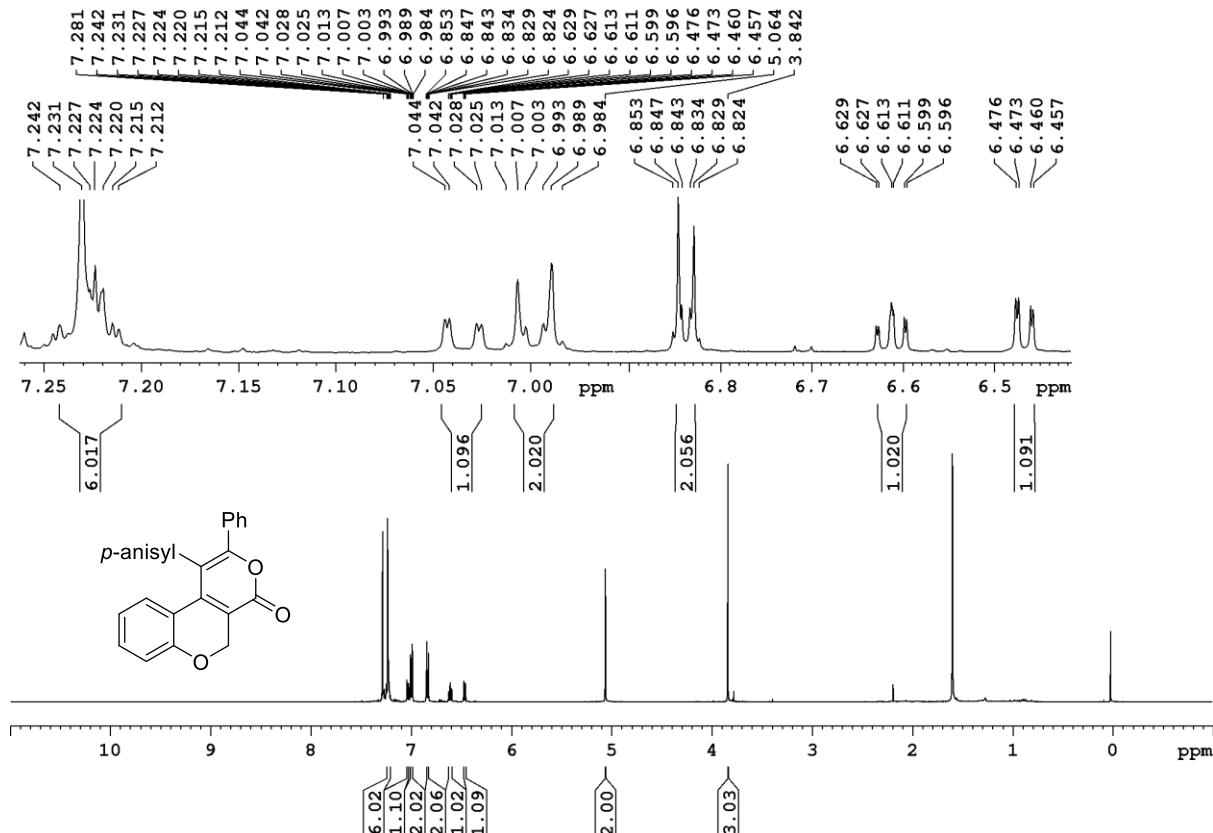
**Figure S13.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound **5ab**



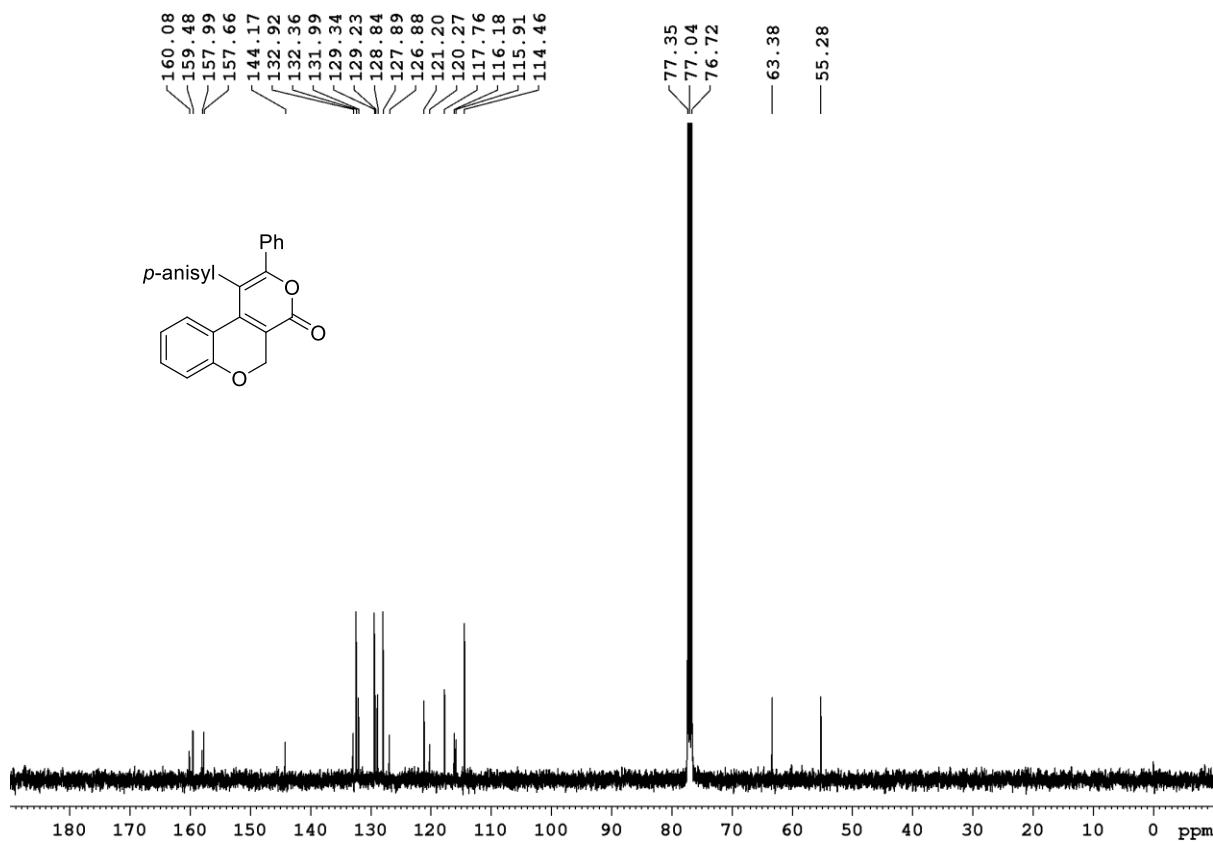
**Figure S14.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **5ac**



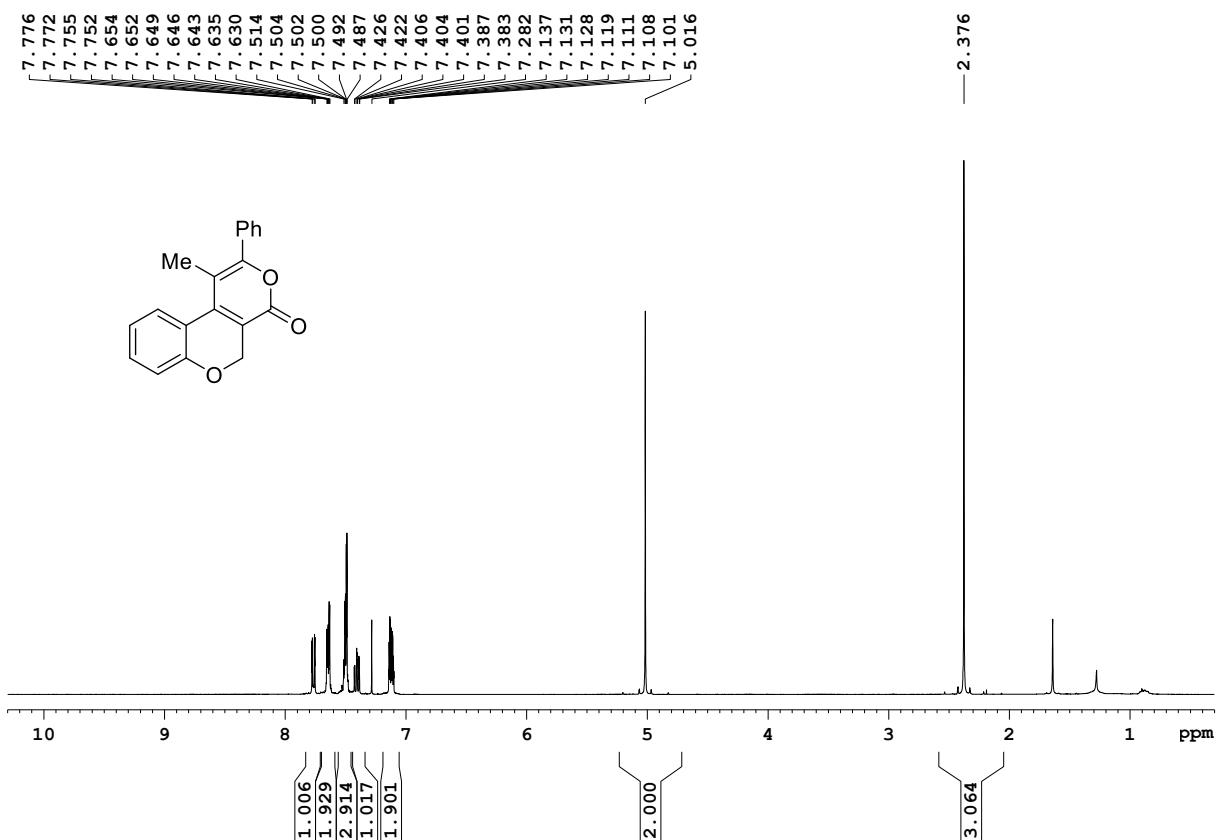
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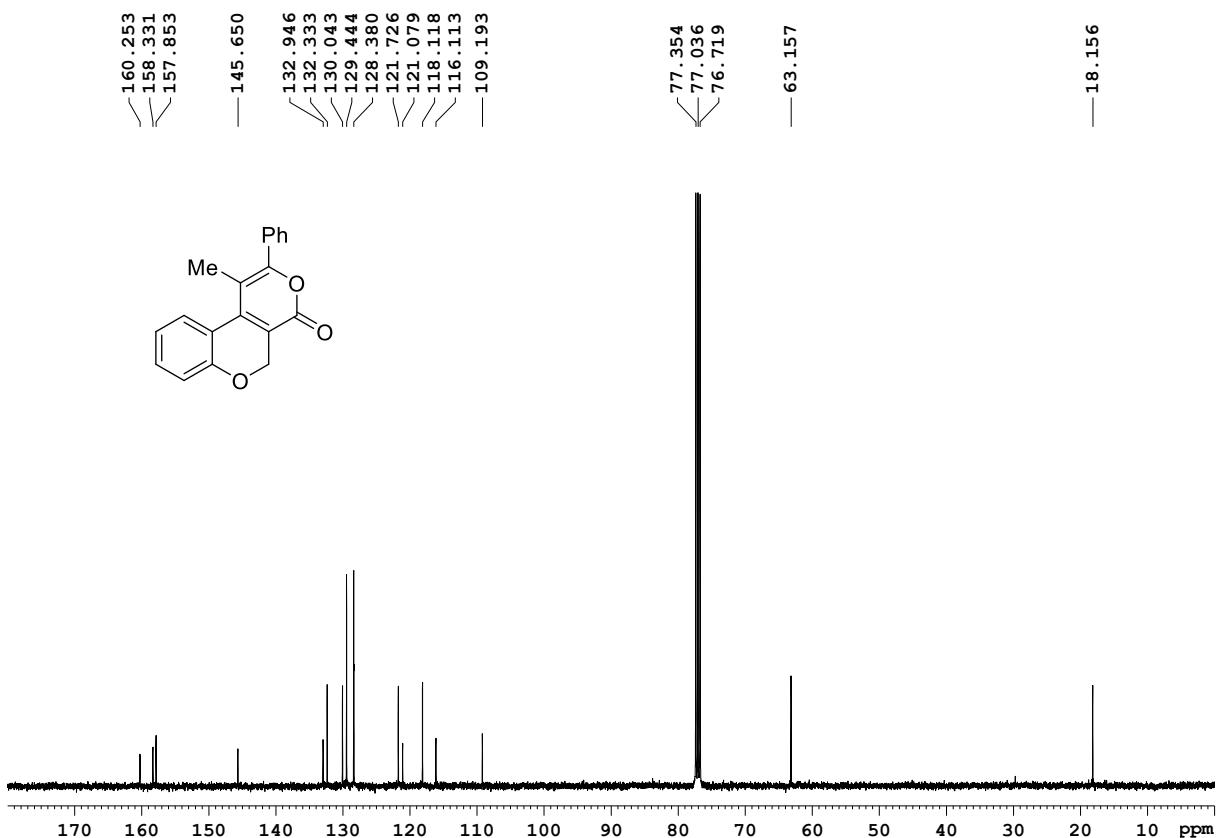
**Figure S16.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **5ad**



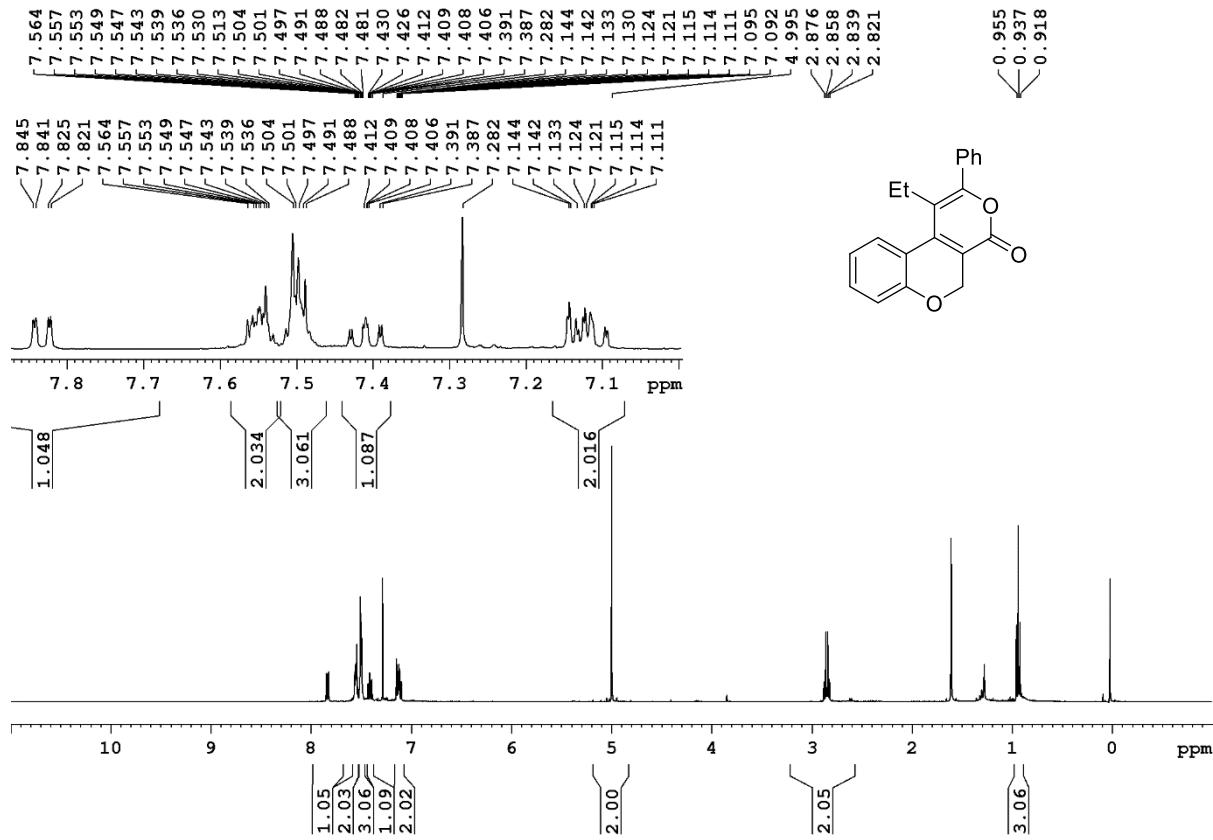
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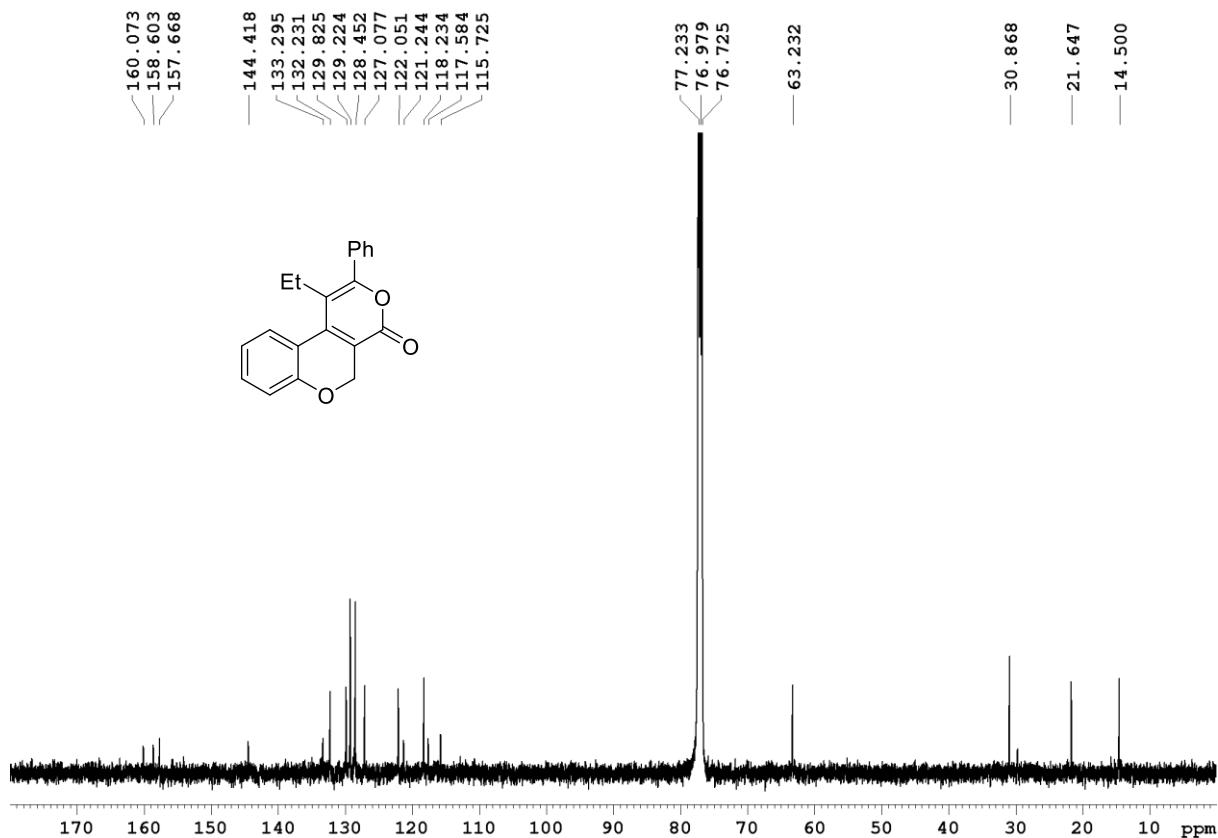
**Figure S18.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound 5ae



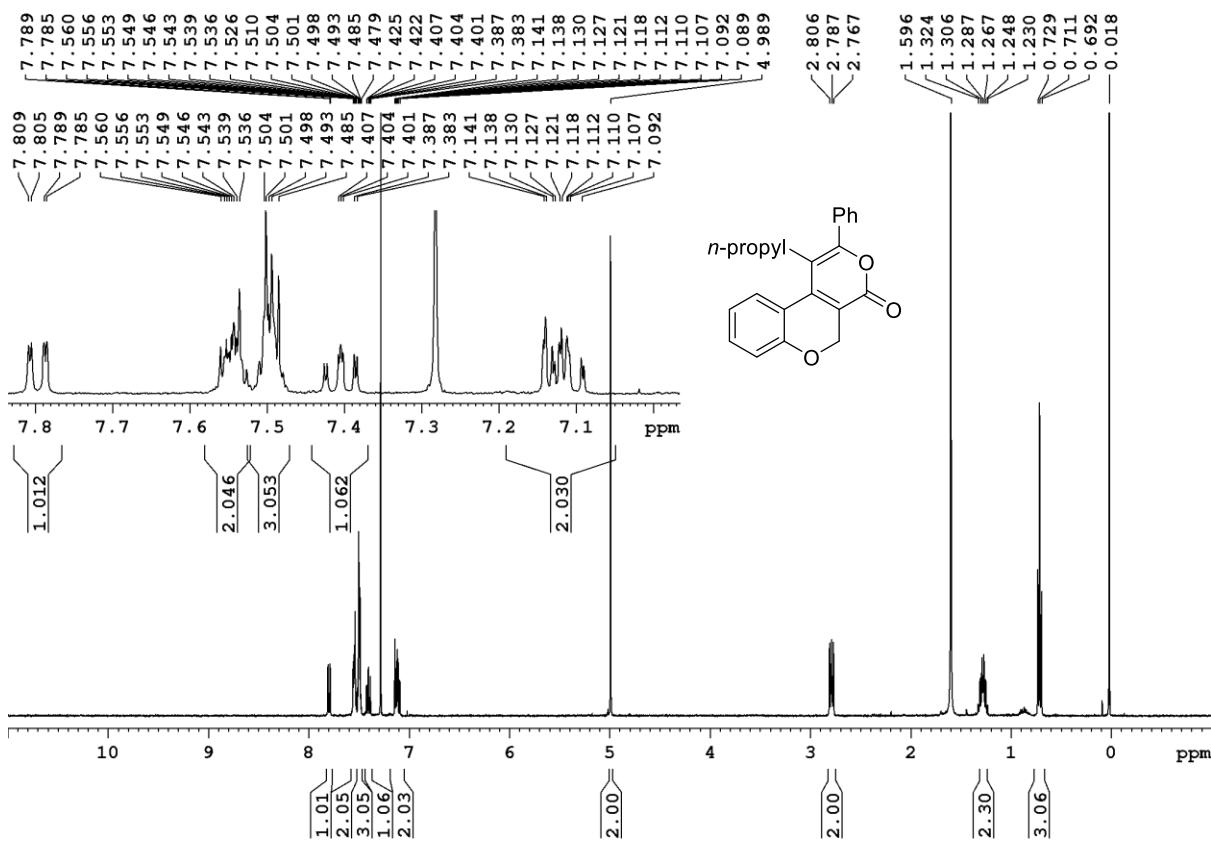
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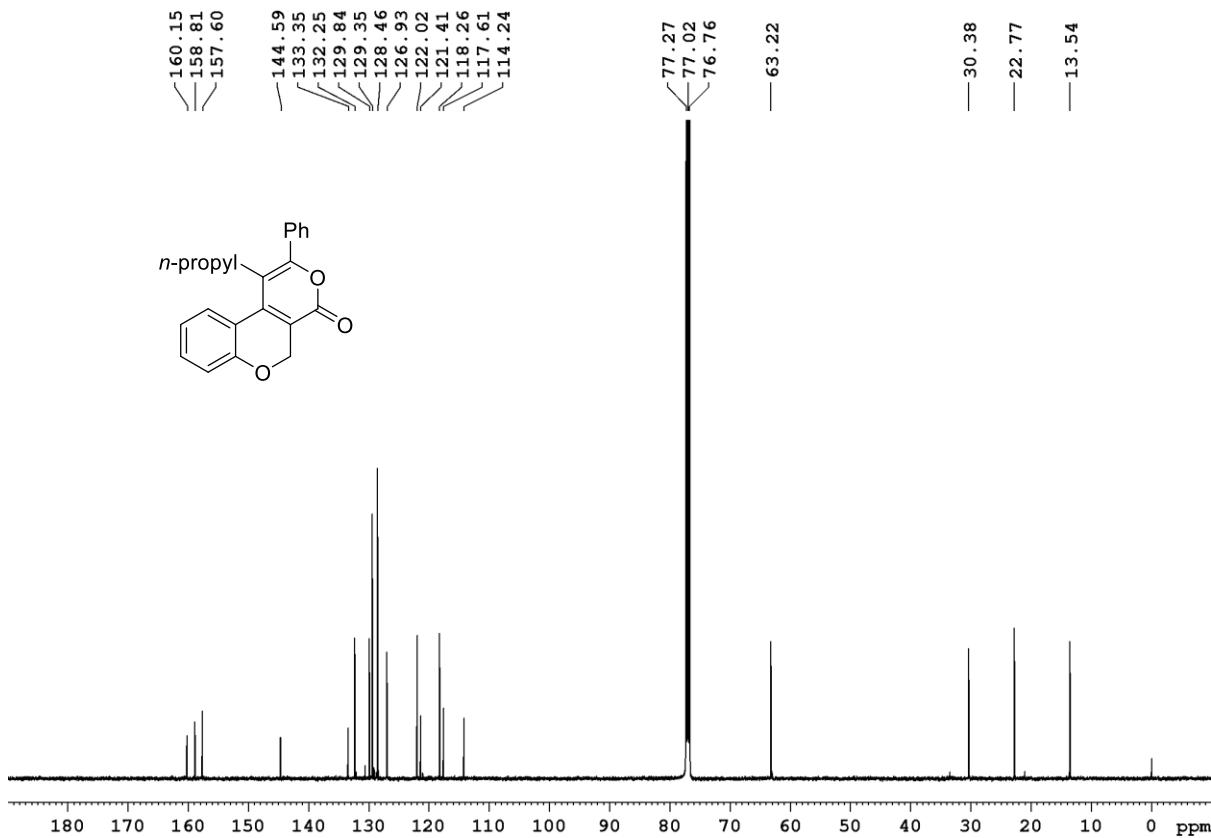
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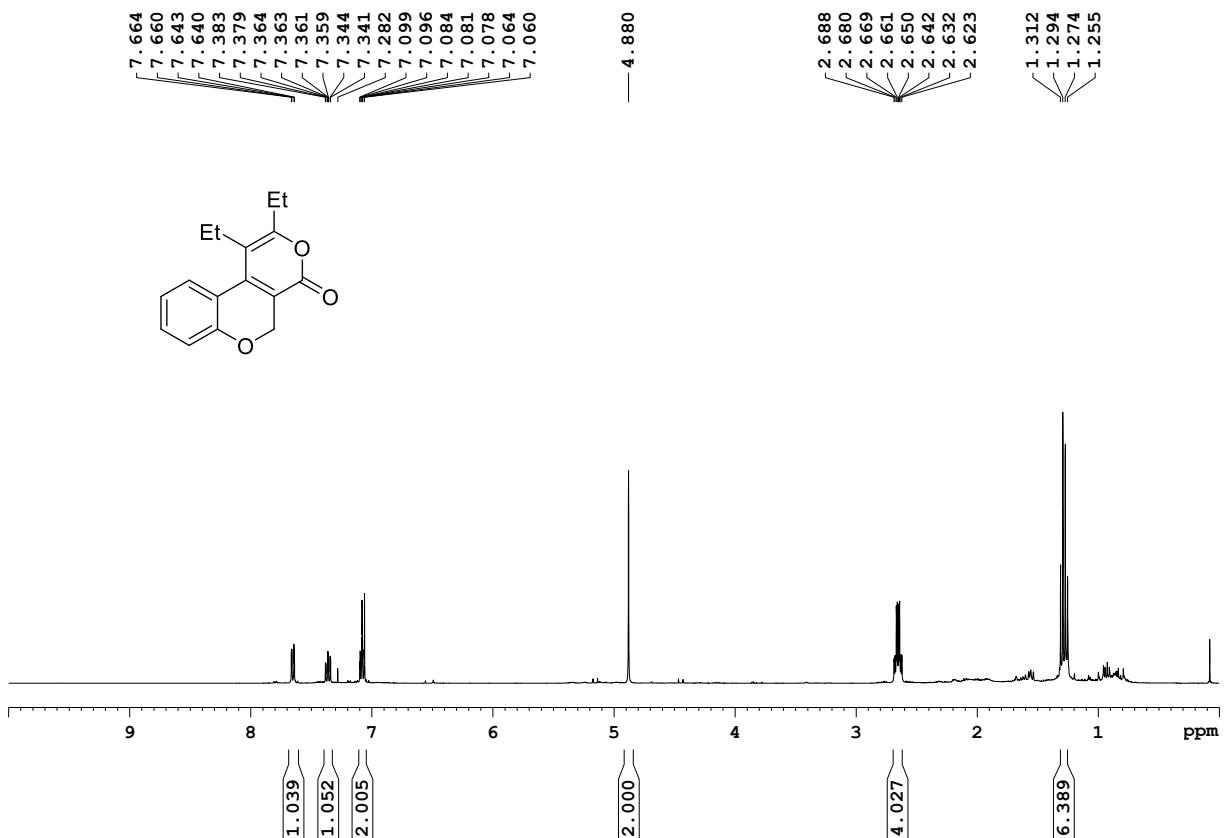
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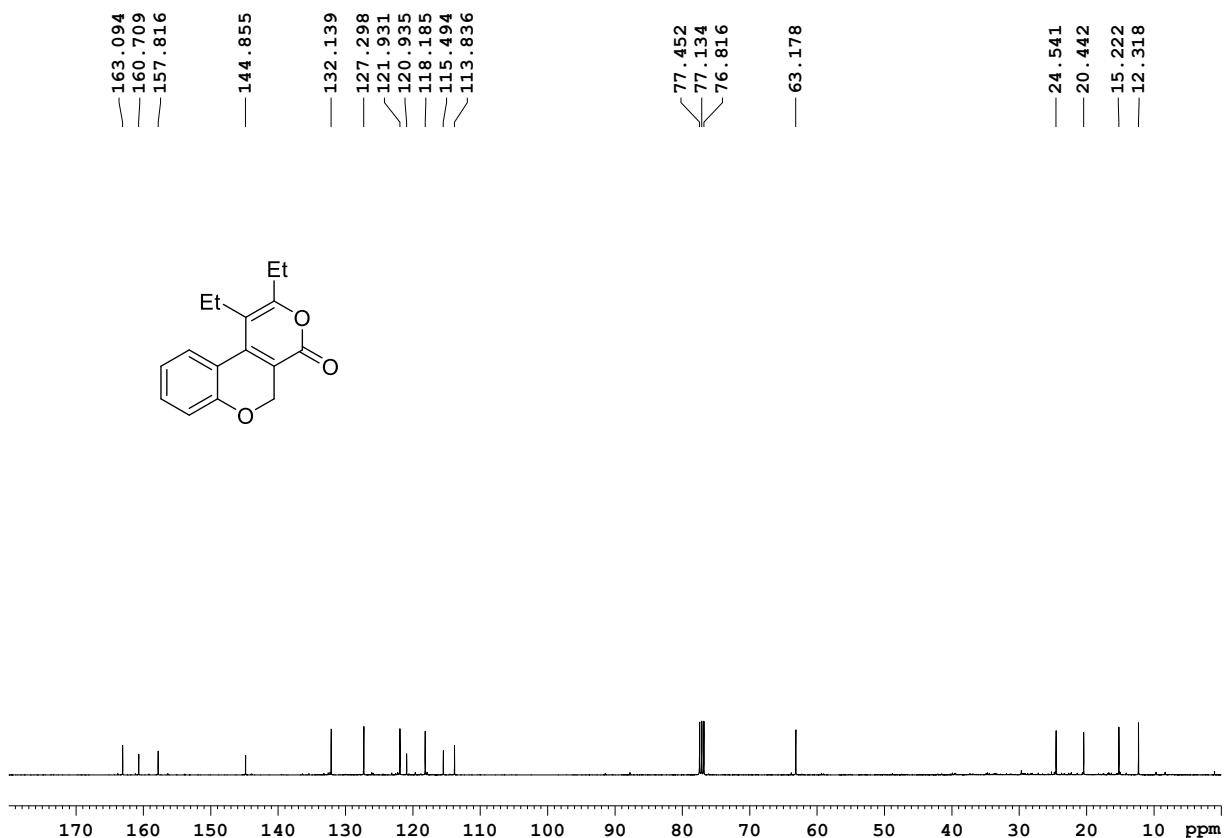
**Figure S22.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 5ag



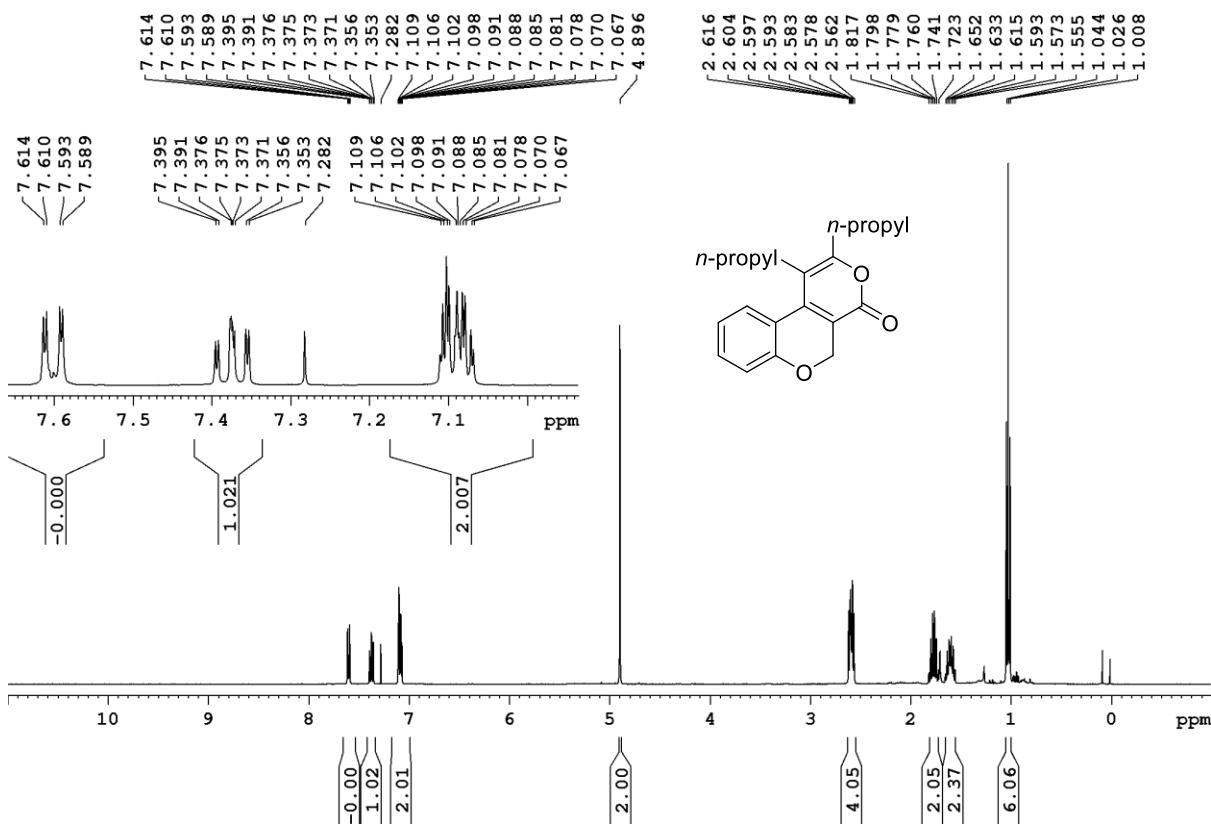
**Figure S23.** <sup>13</sup>C{<sup>1</sup>H} NMR spectrum of compound 5ag



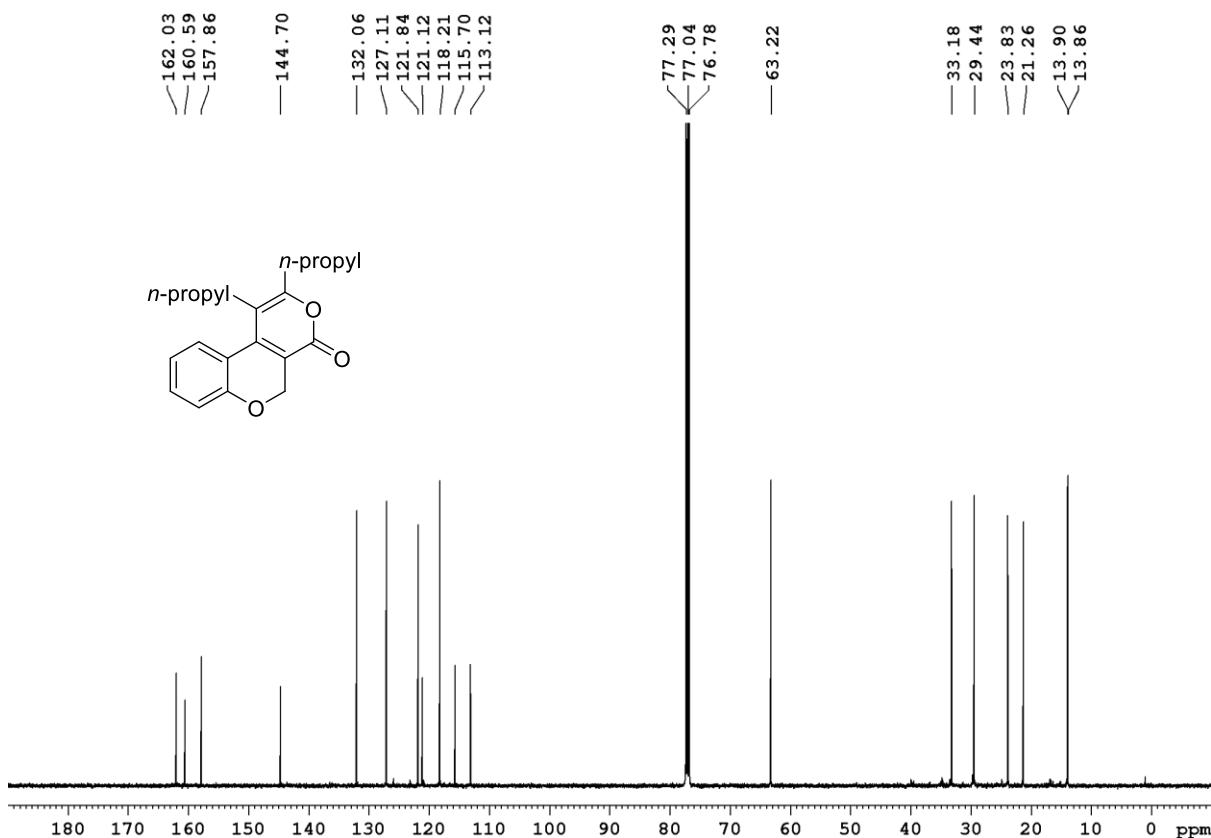
**Figure S24.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **5ah**



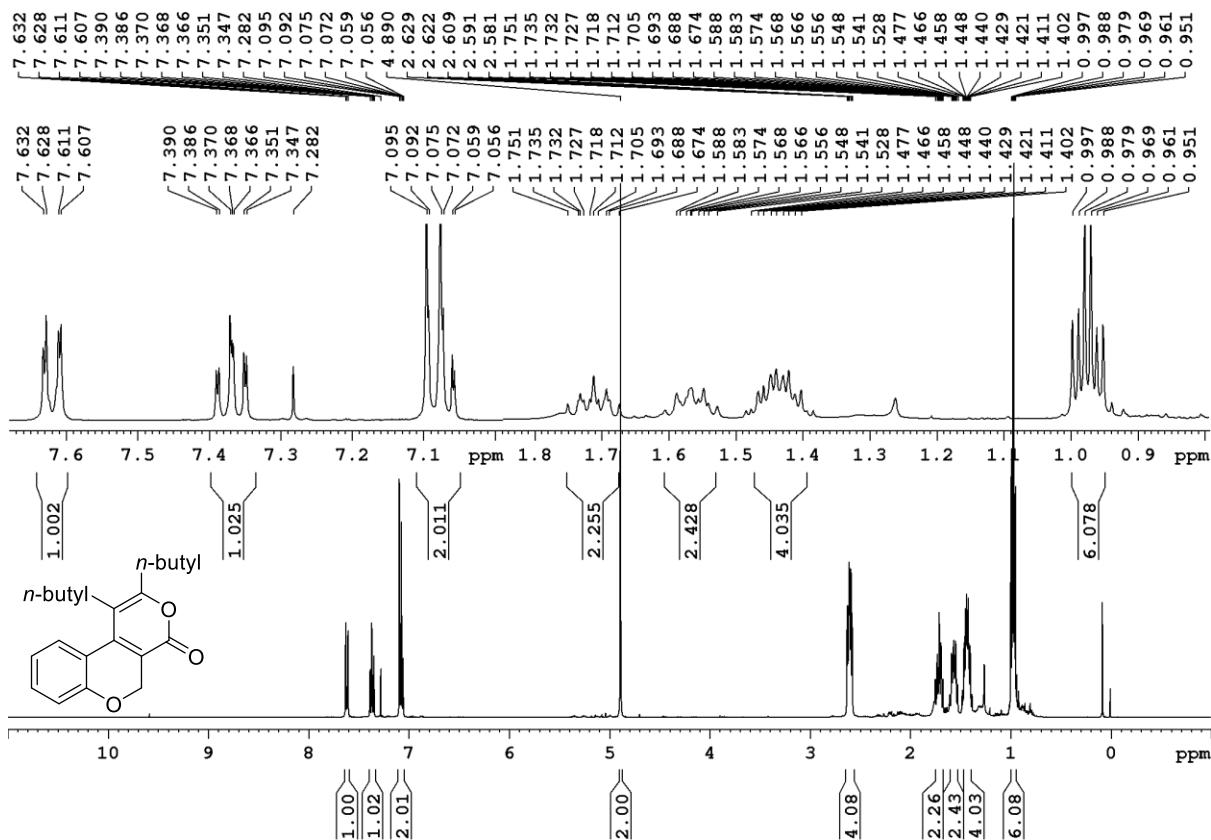
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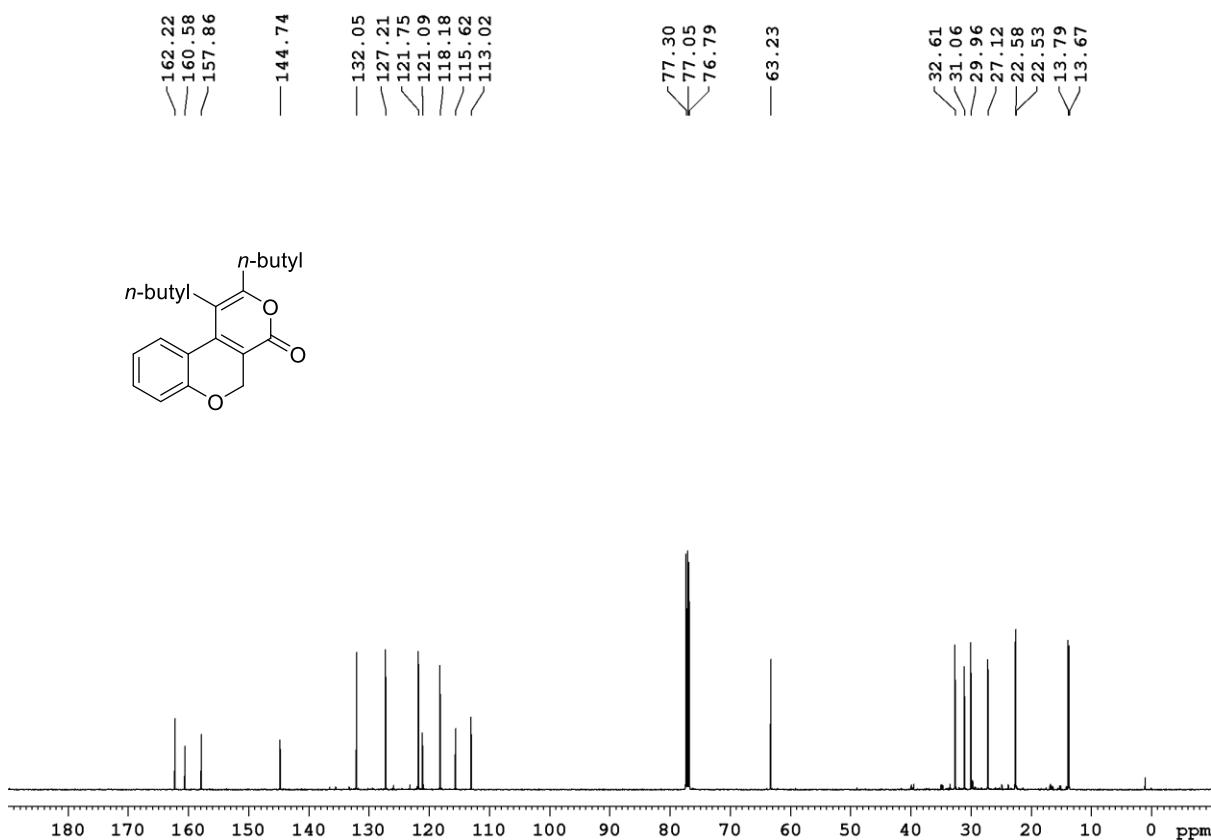
**Figure S26.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound 5ai



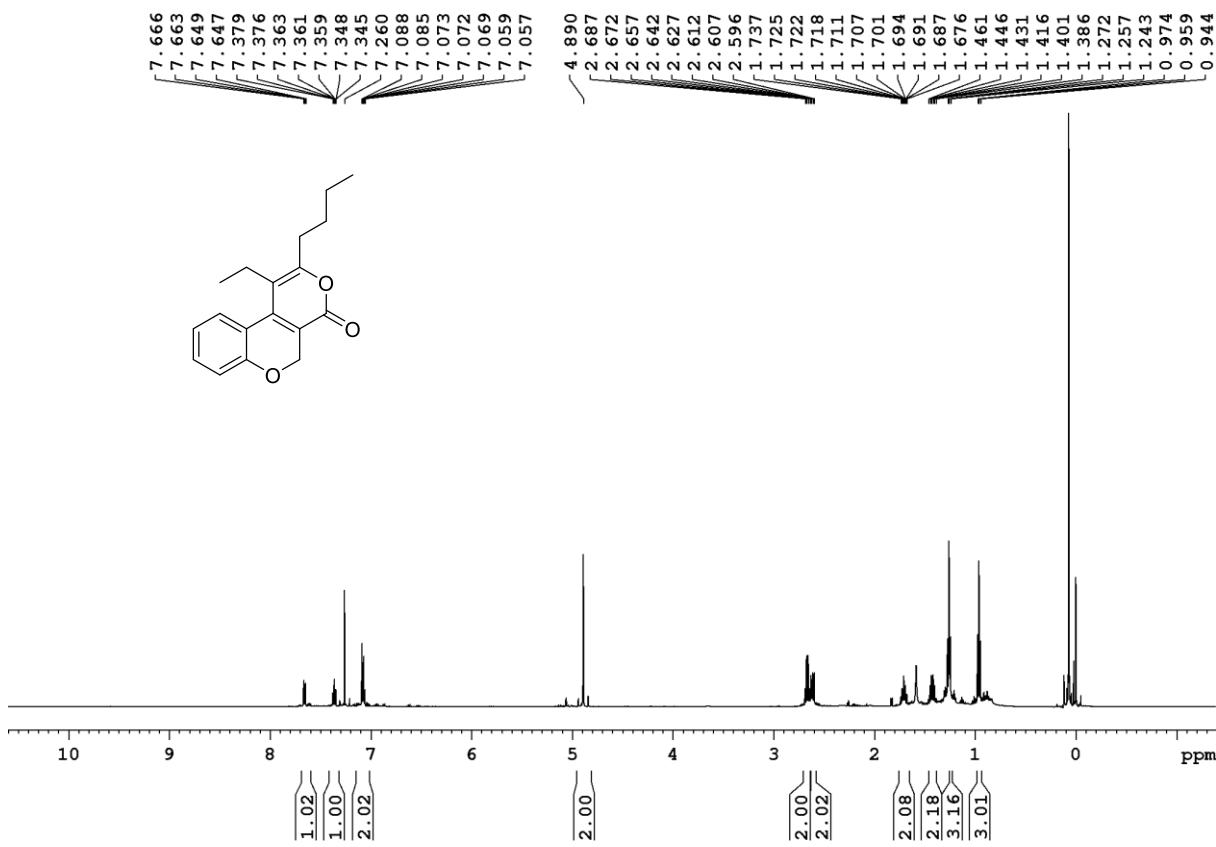
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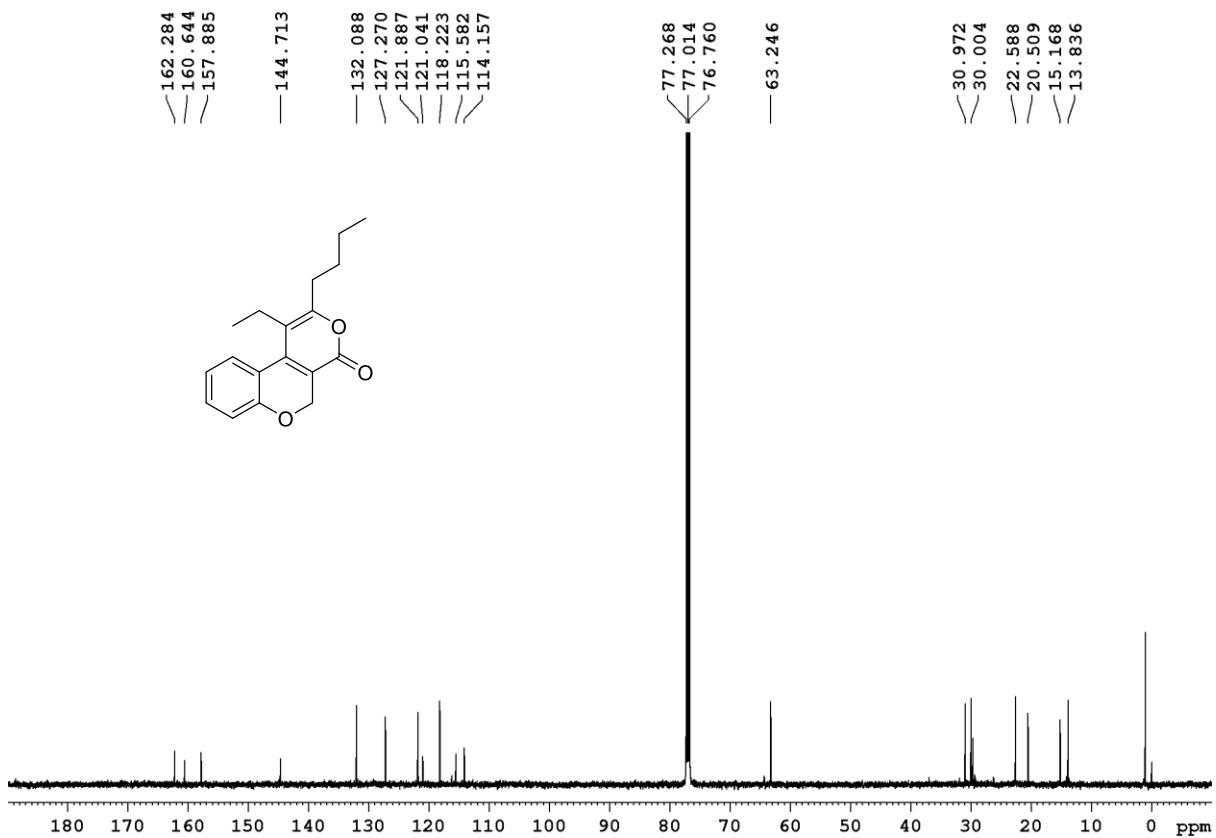
**Figure S28.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound 5aj



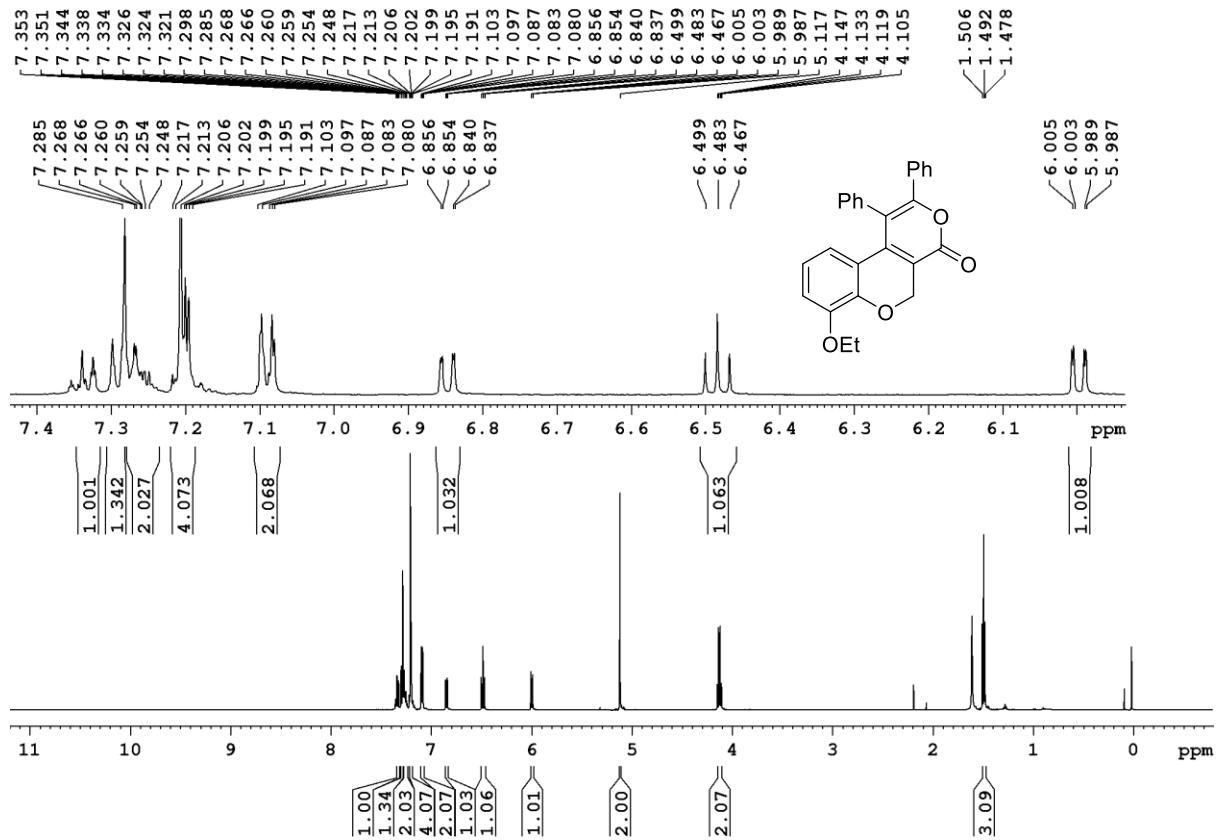
**Figure S29.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound 5aj



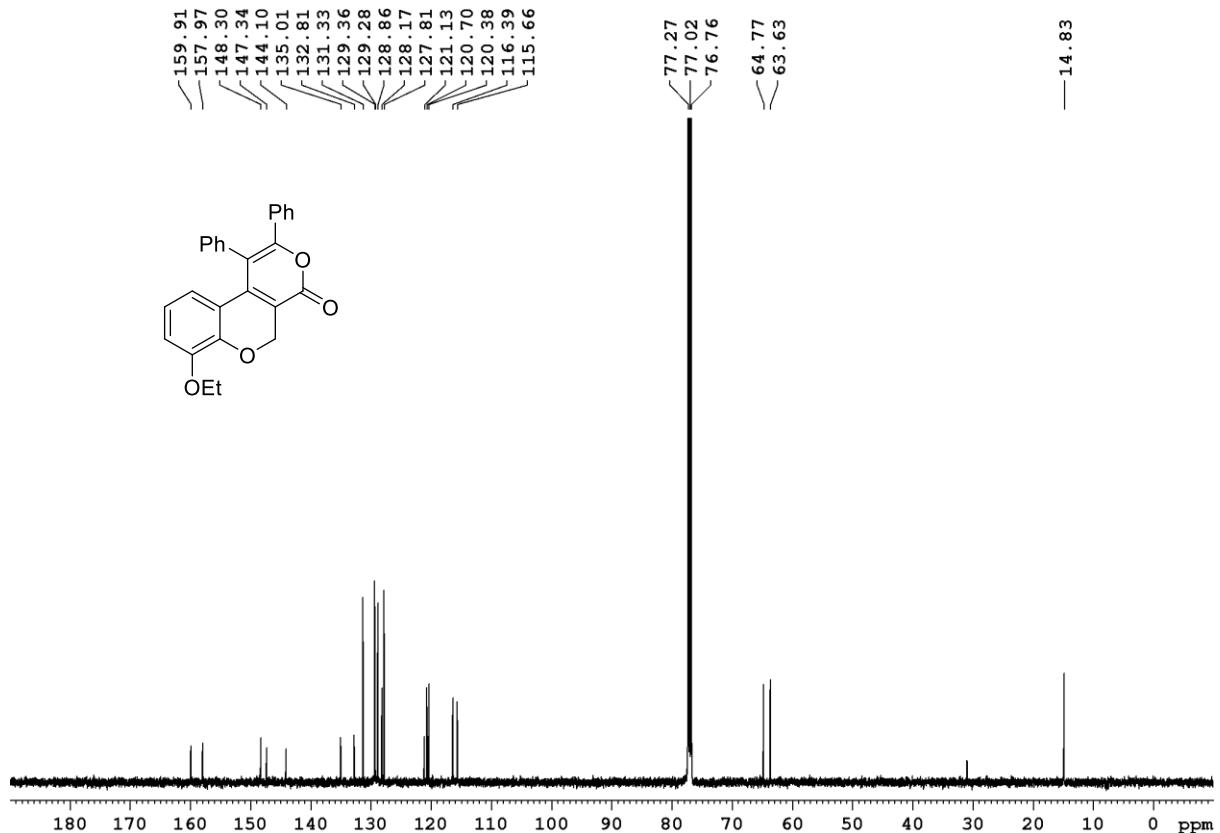
**Figure S30.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **5ak** (isomeric purity 95%)



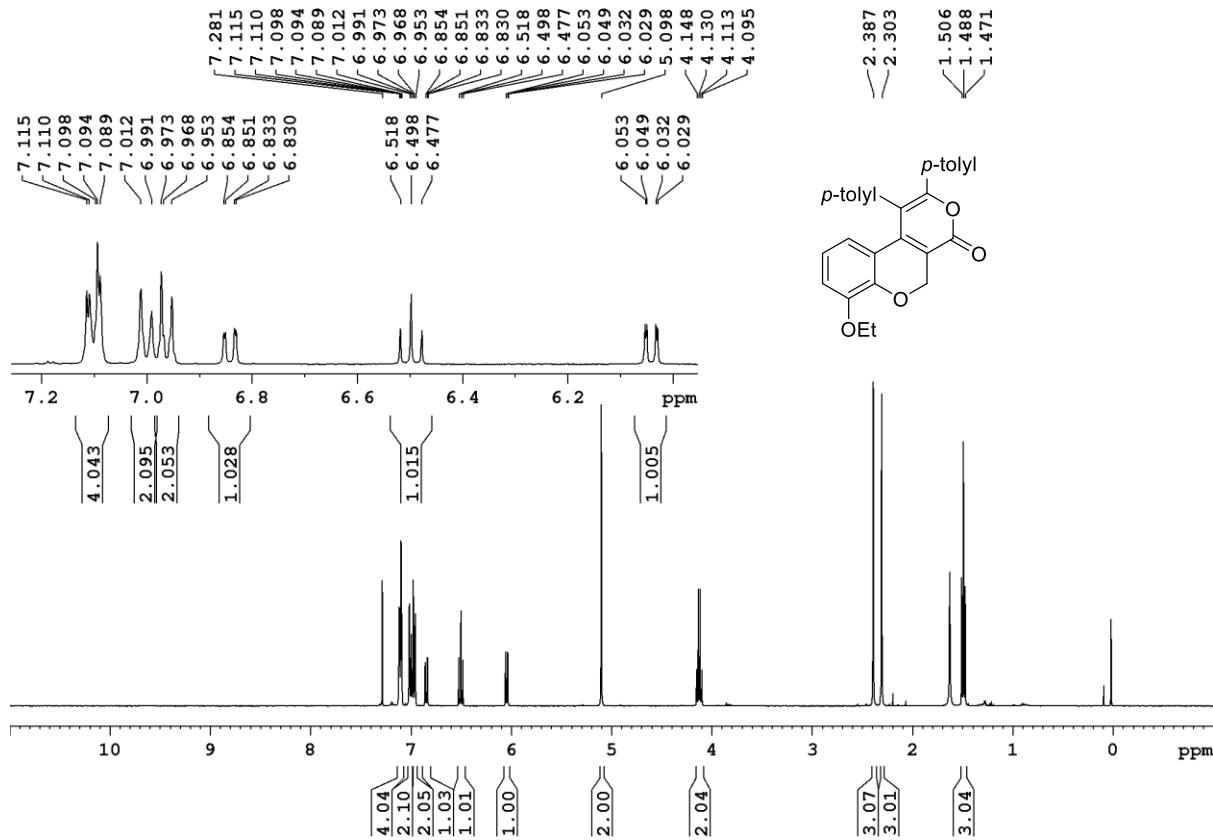
**Figure S31.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound **5ak**



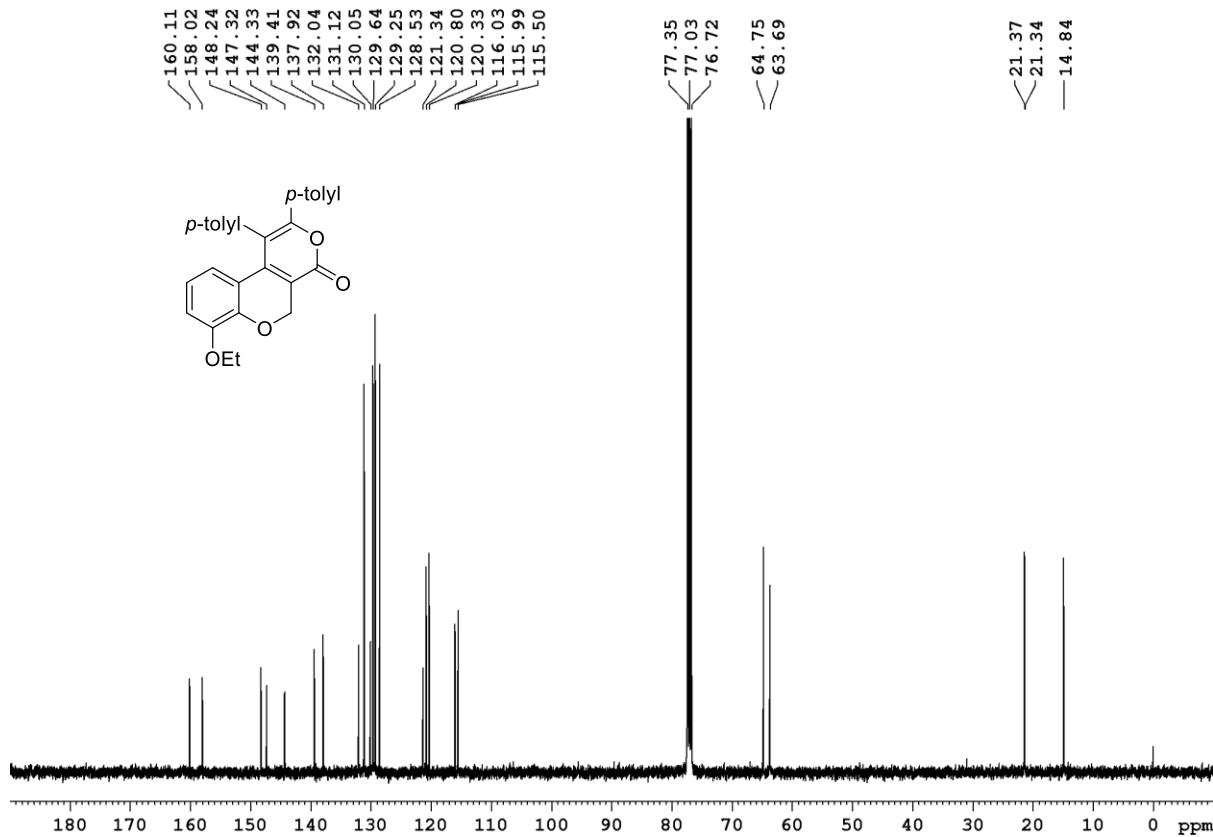
**Figure S32.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **5ba**



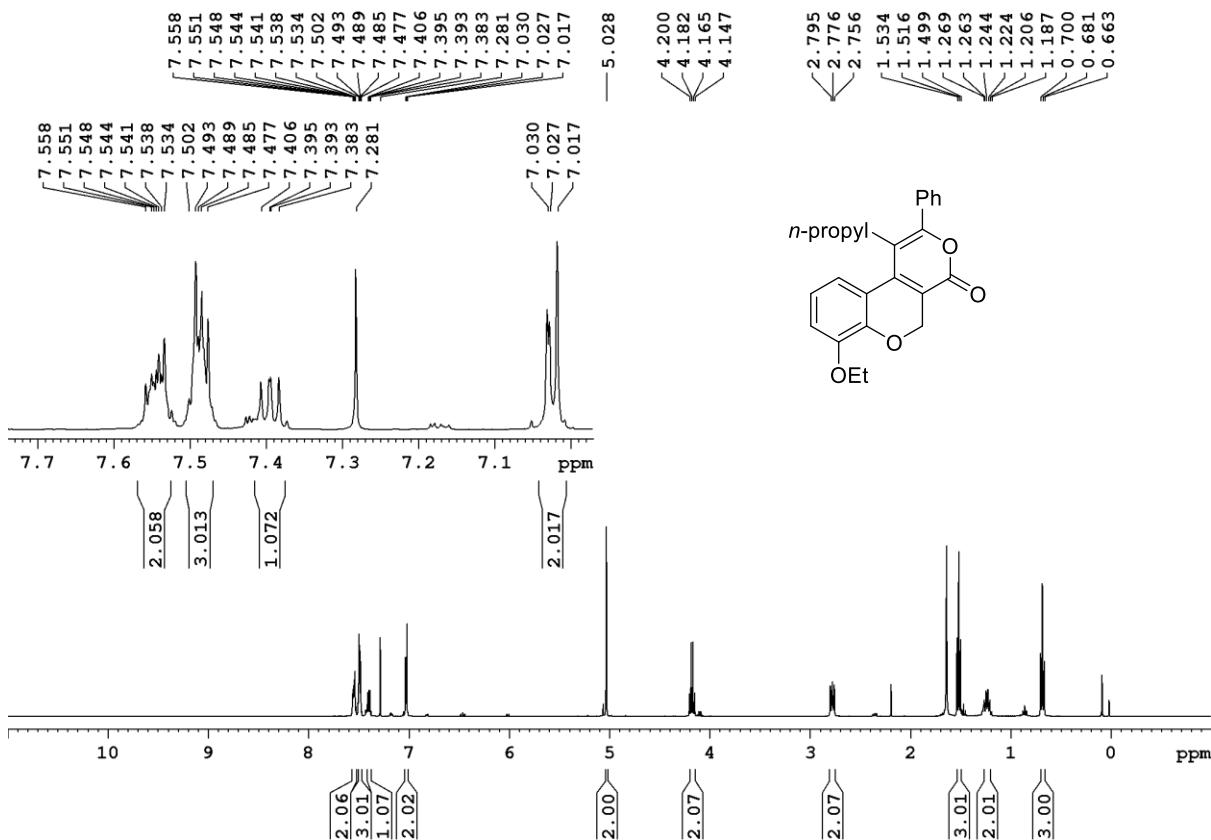
**Figure S33.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound **5ba**



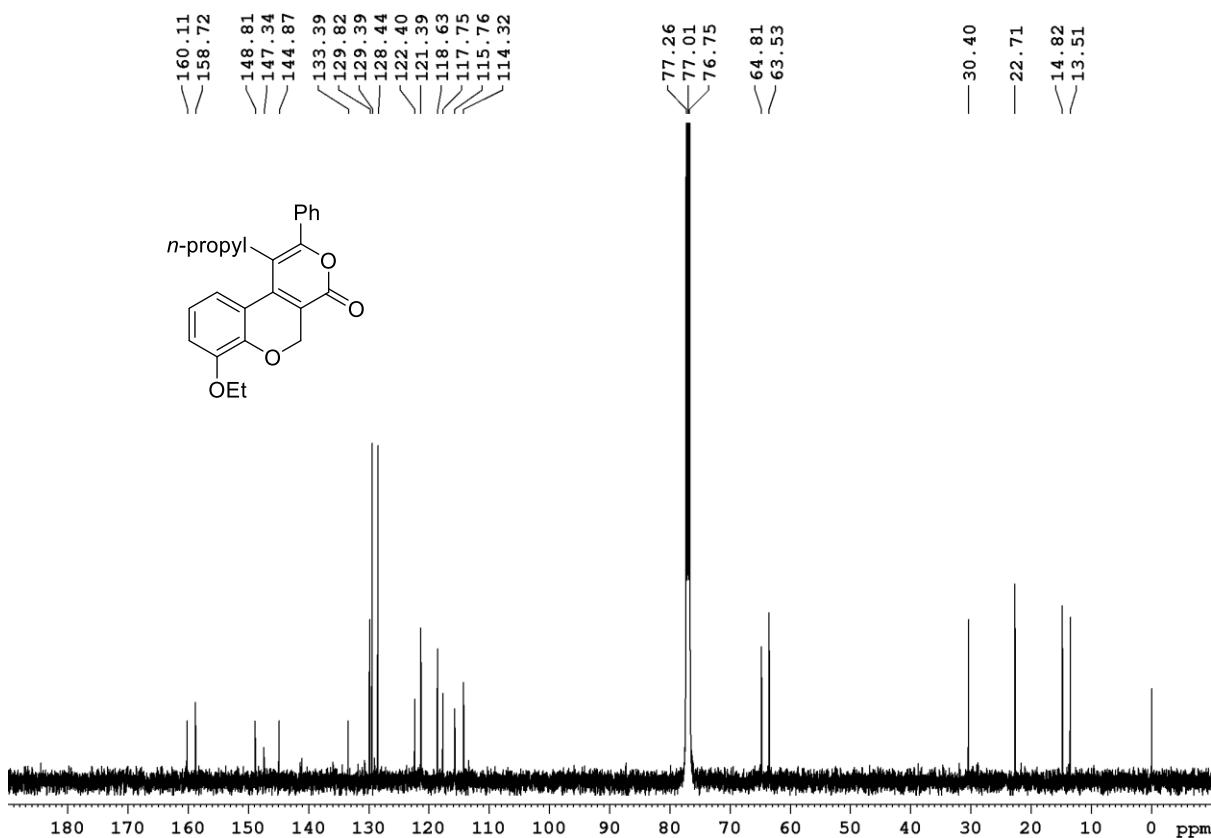
**Figure S34.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **5bb**



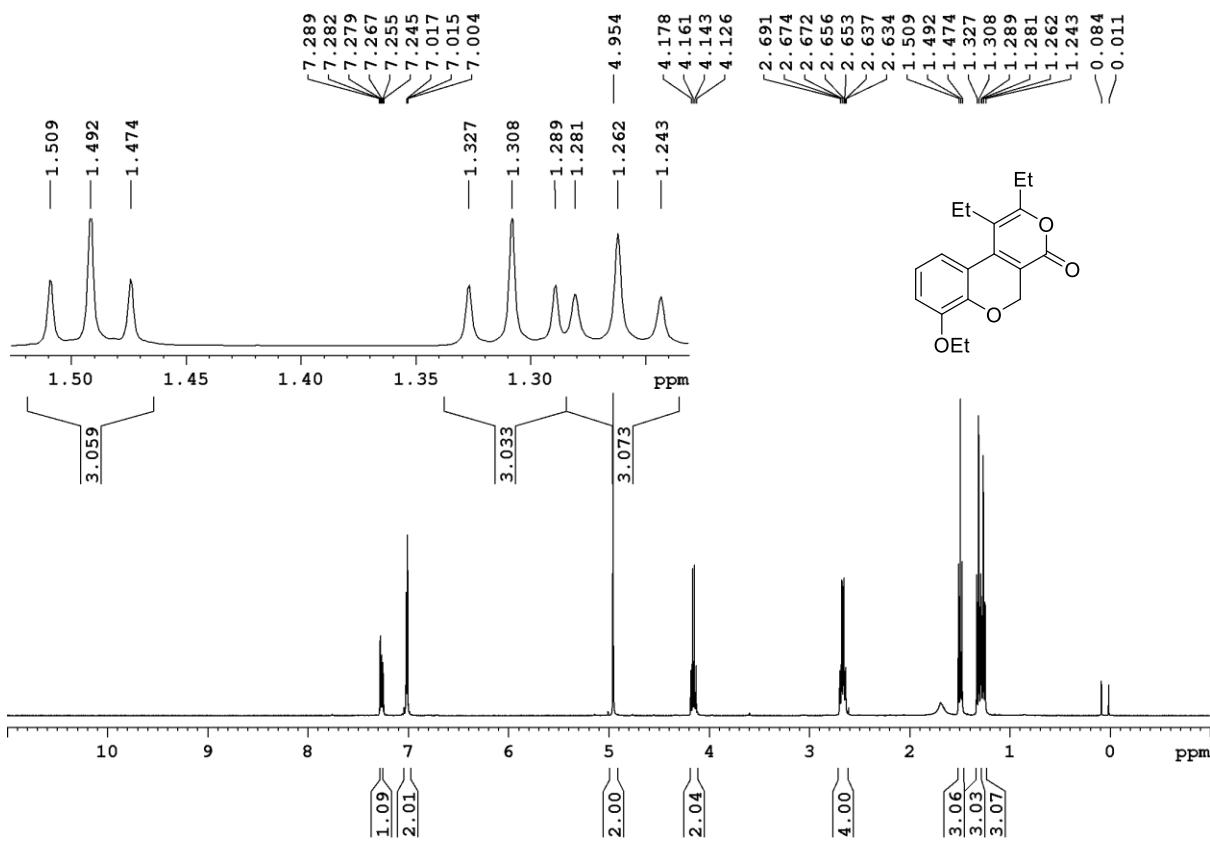
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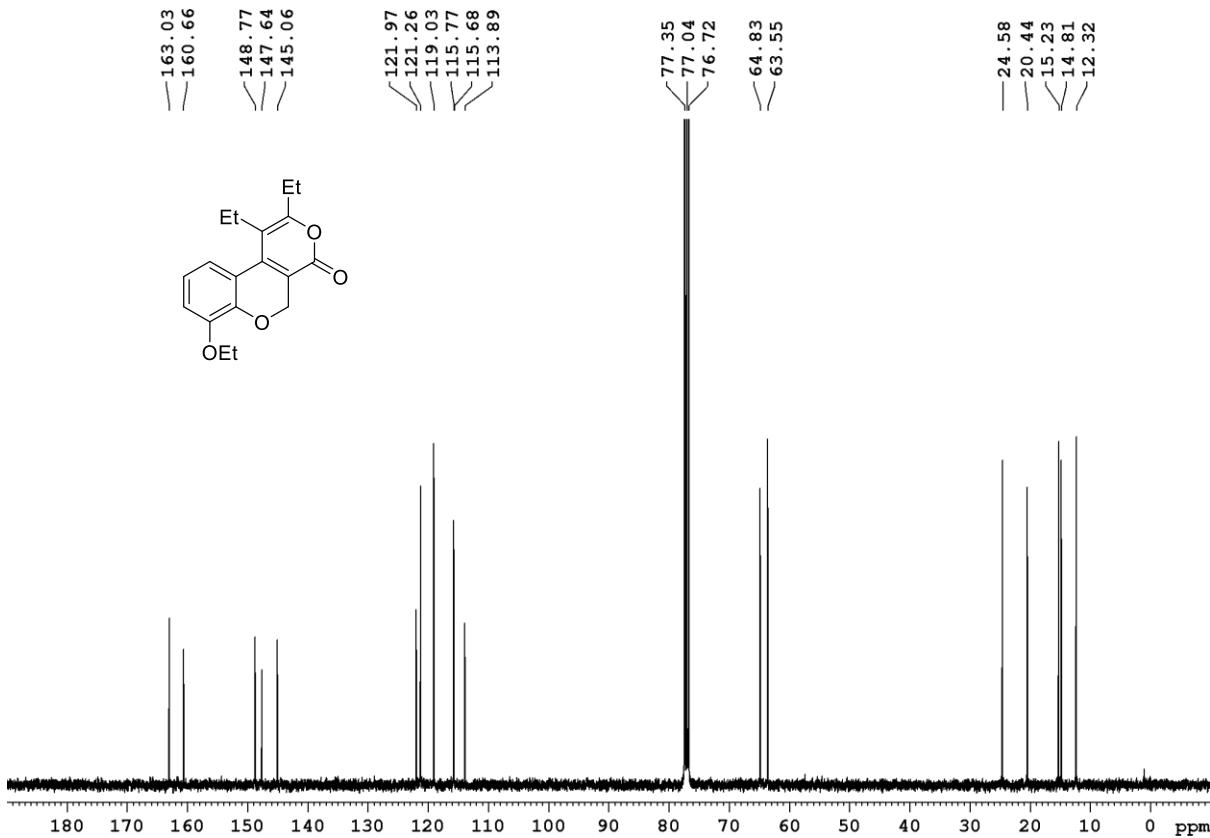
**Figure S36.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **5bg**



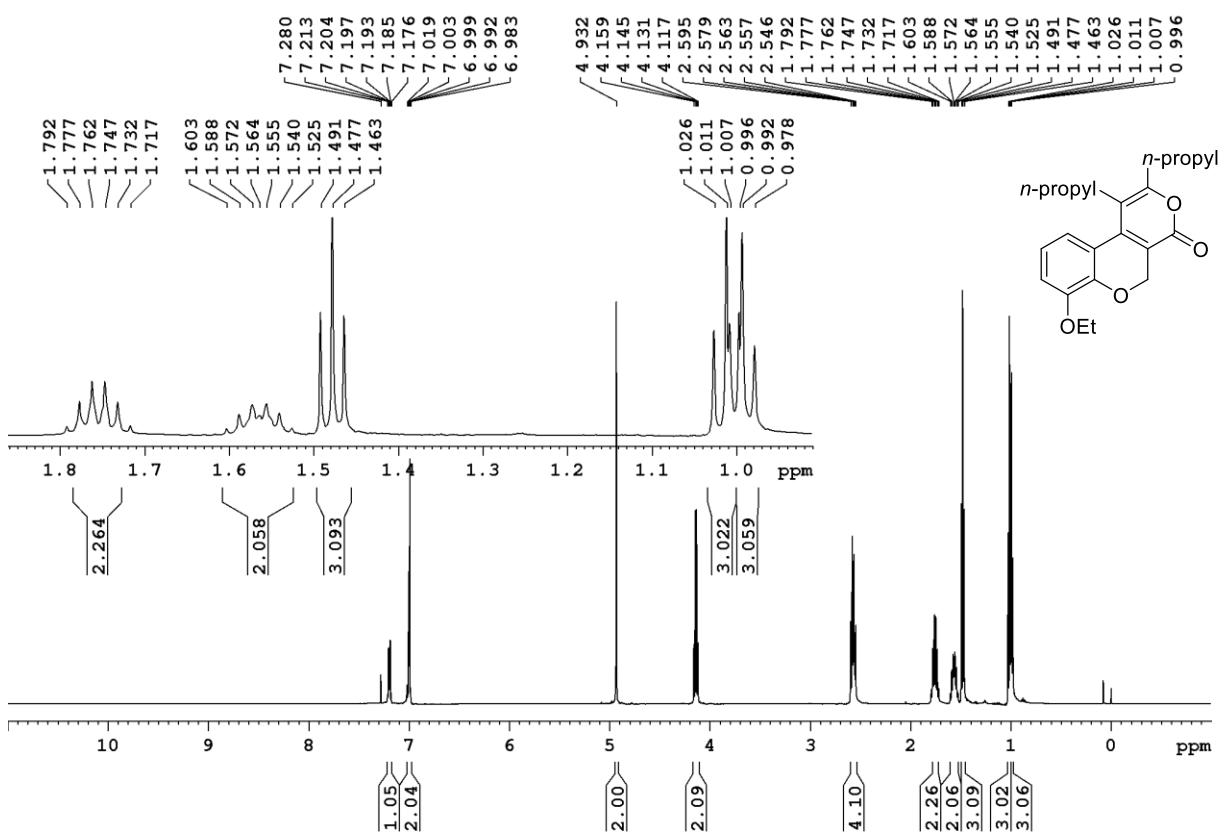
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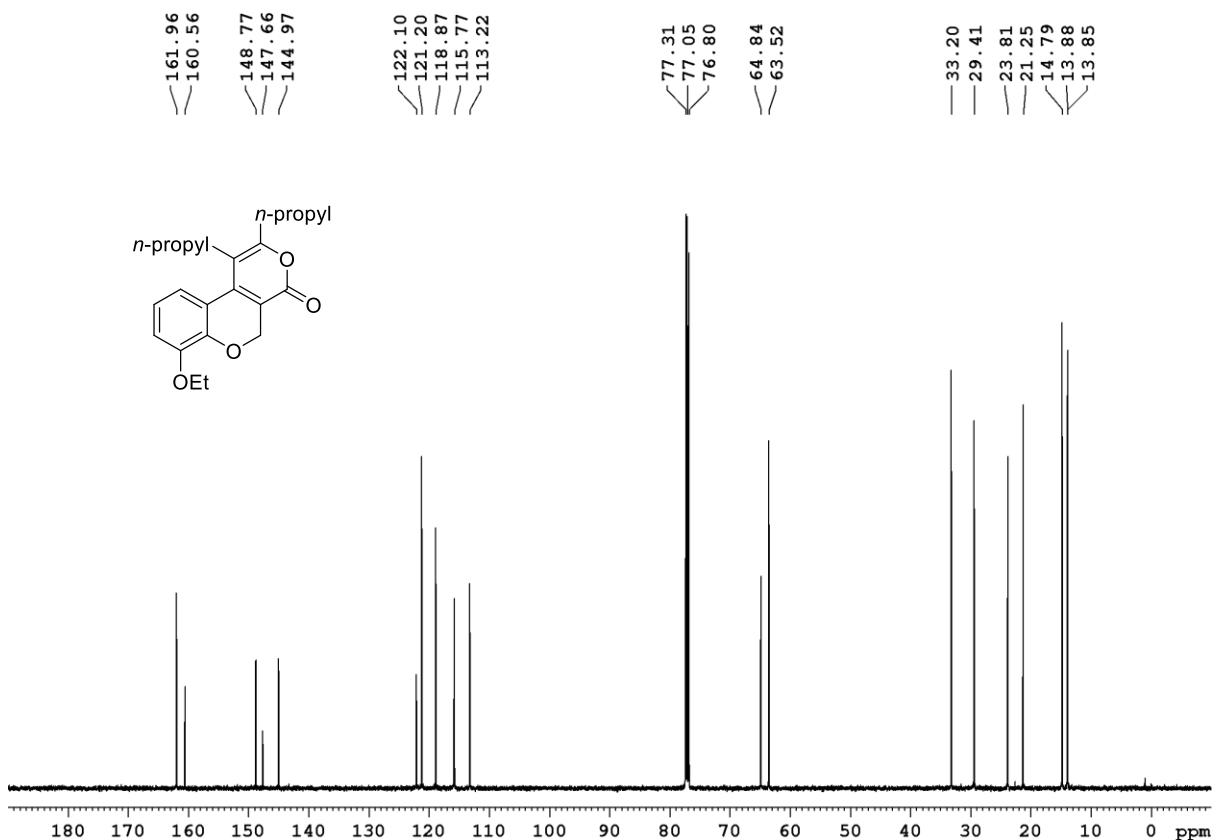
**Figure S38.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **5bh**



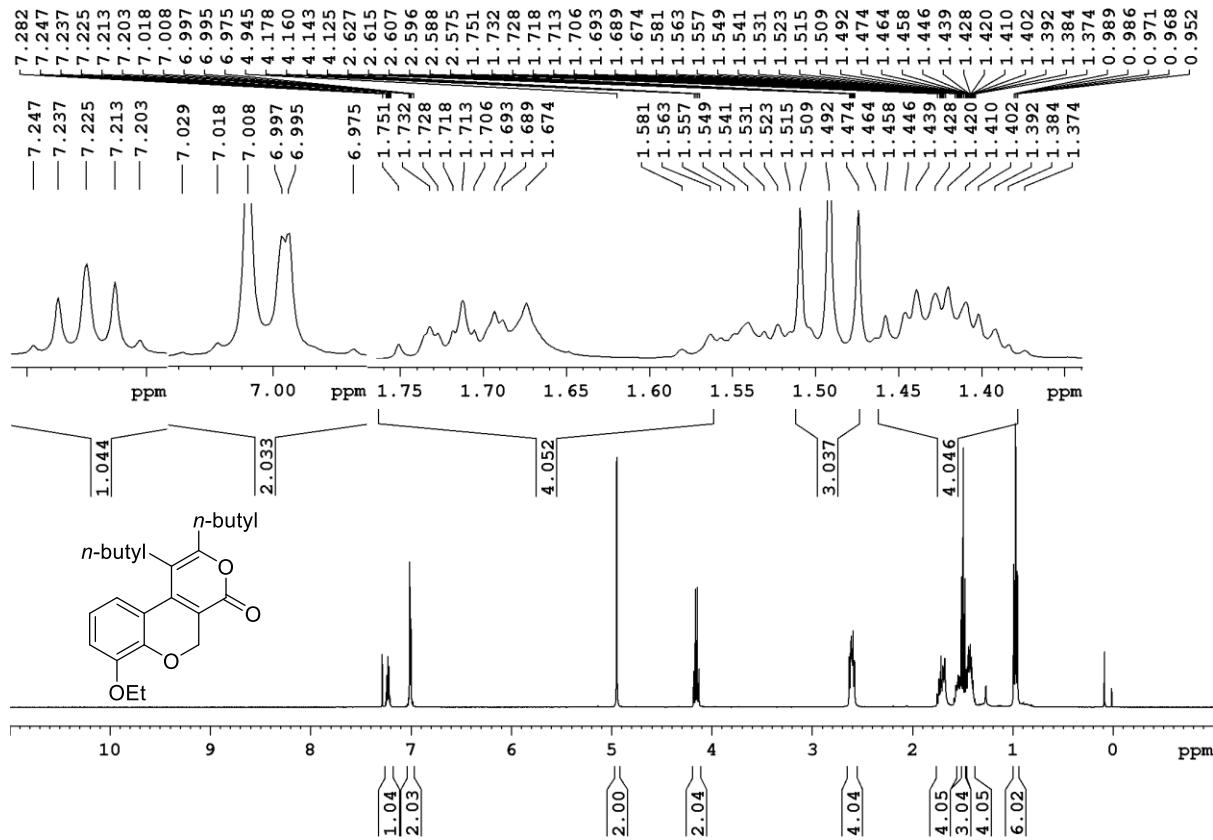
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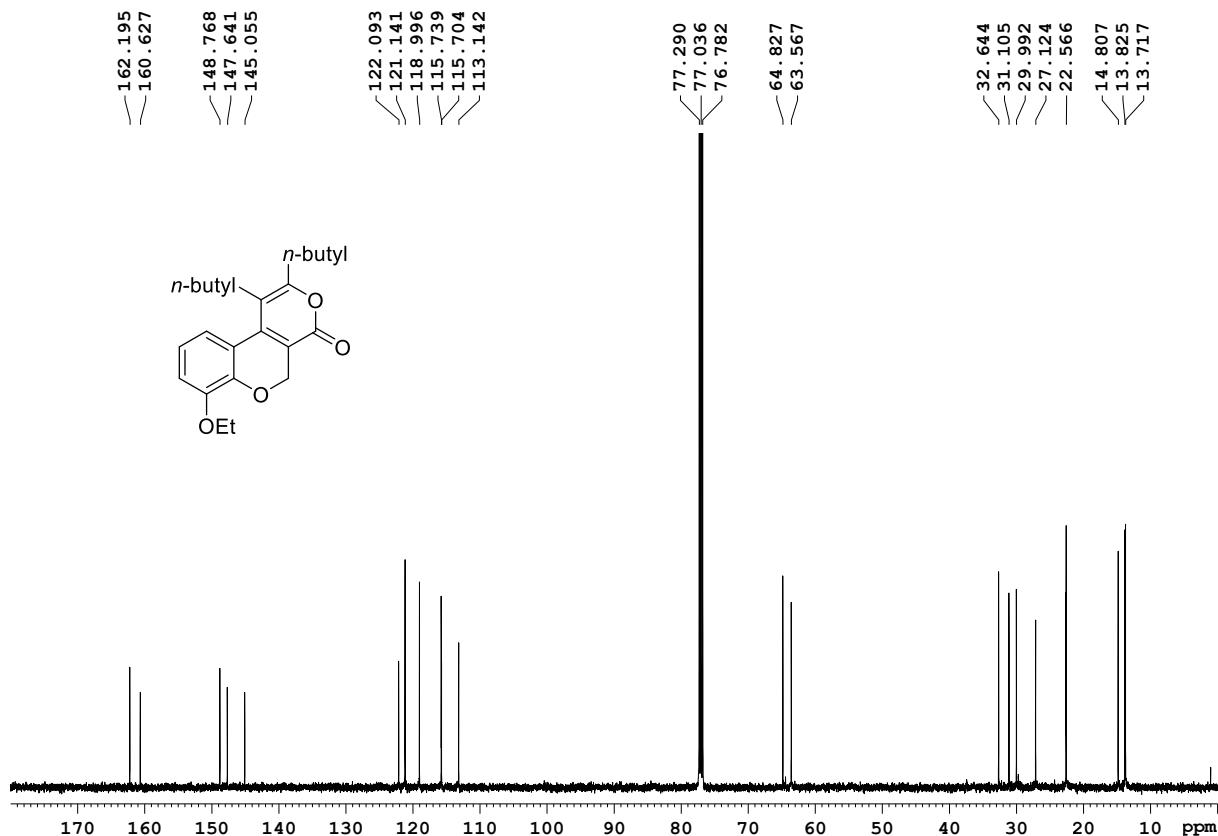
**Figure S40.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **5bi**



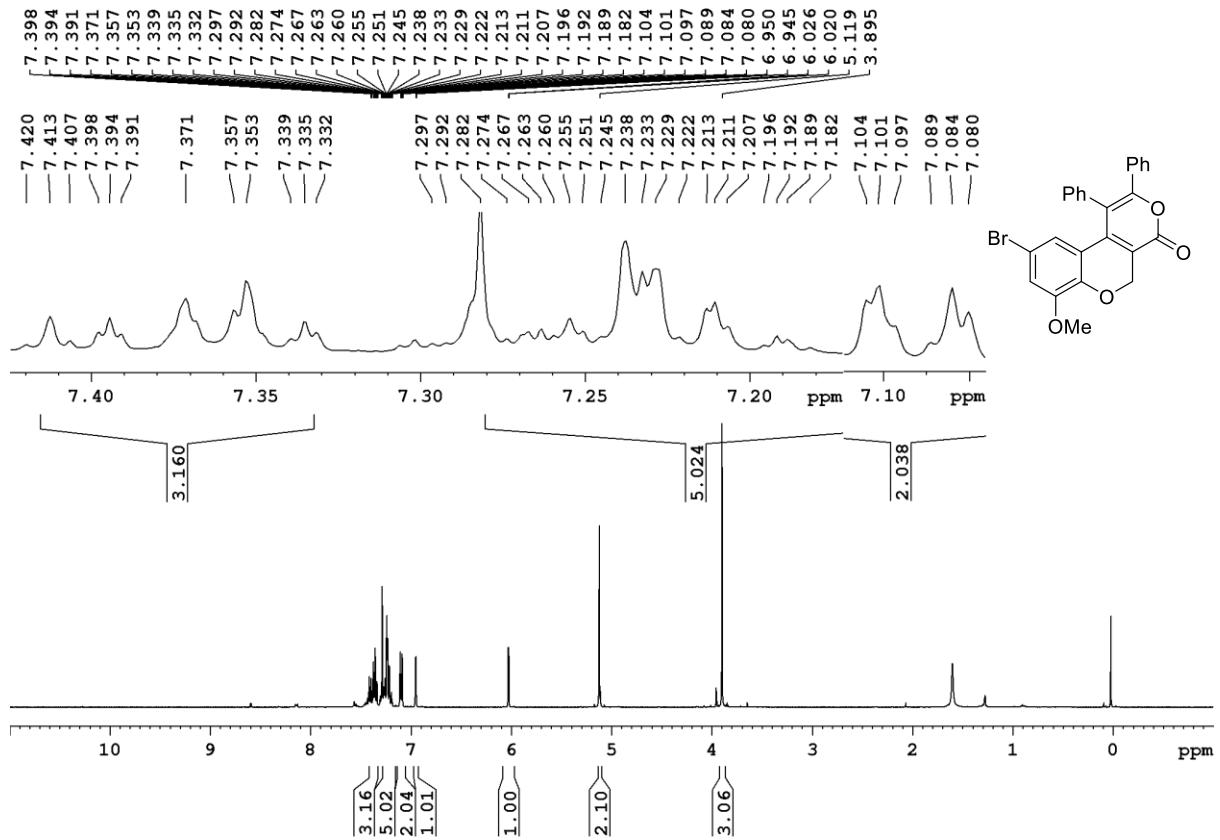
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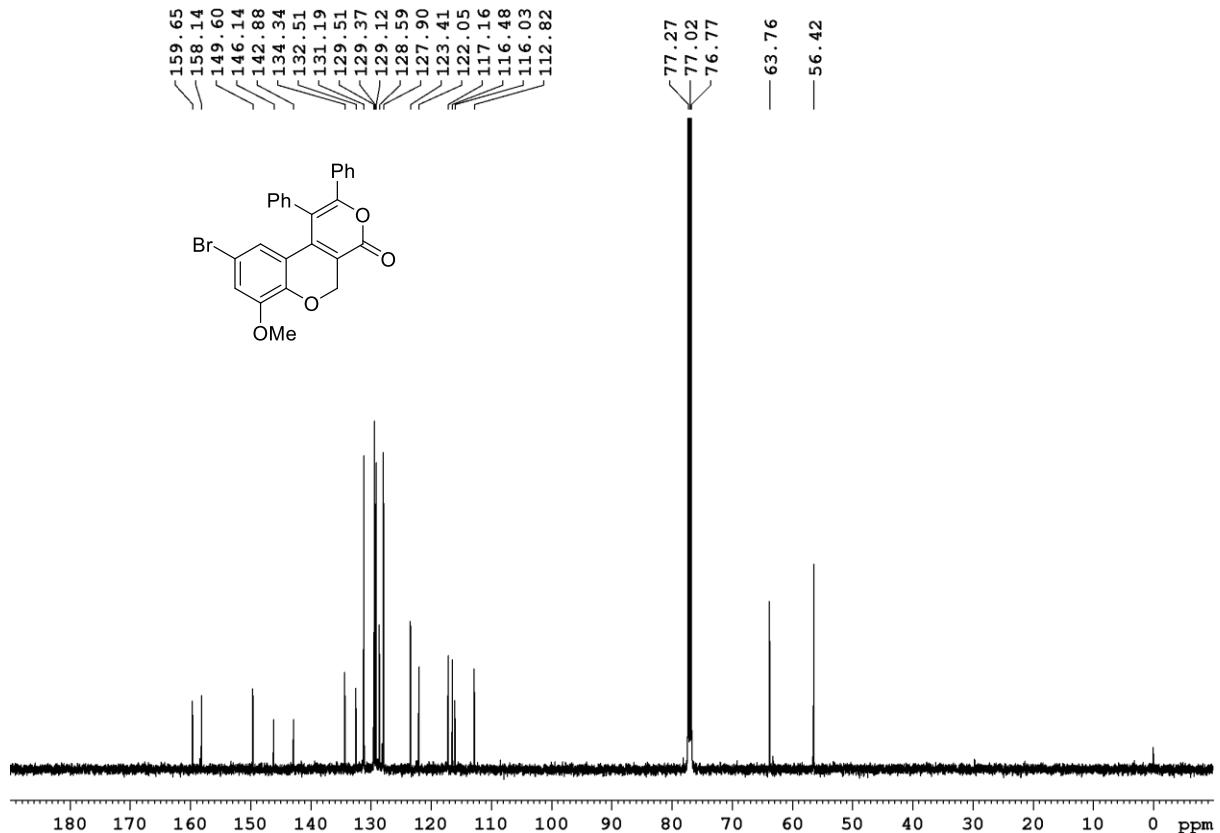
**Figure S42.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **5bj**



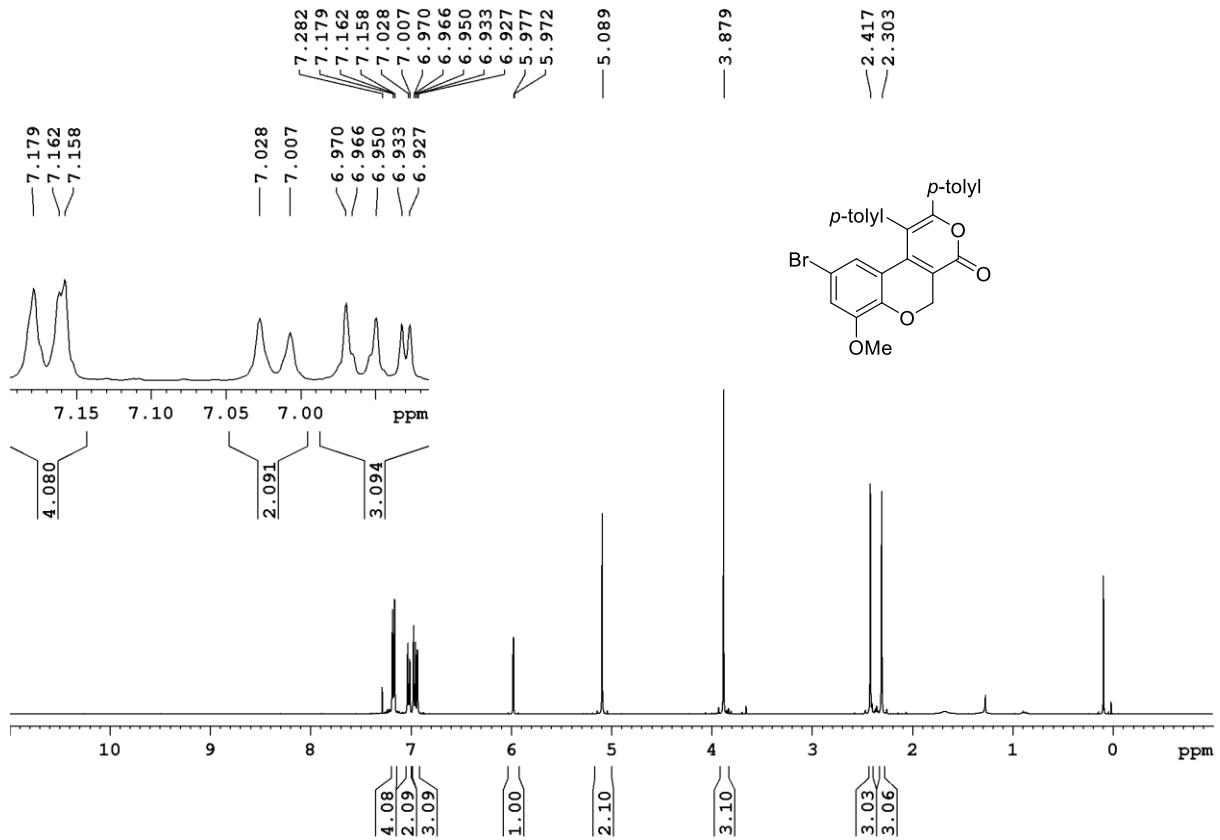
**Figure S43.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound **5bj**



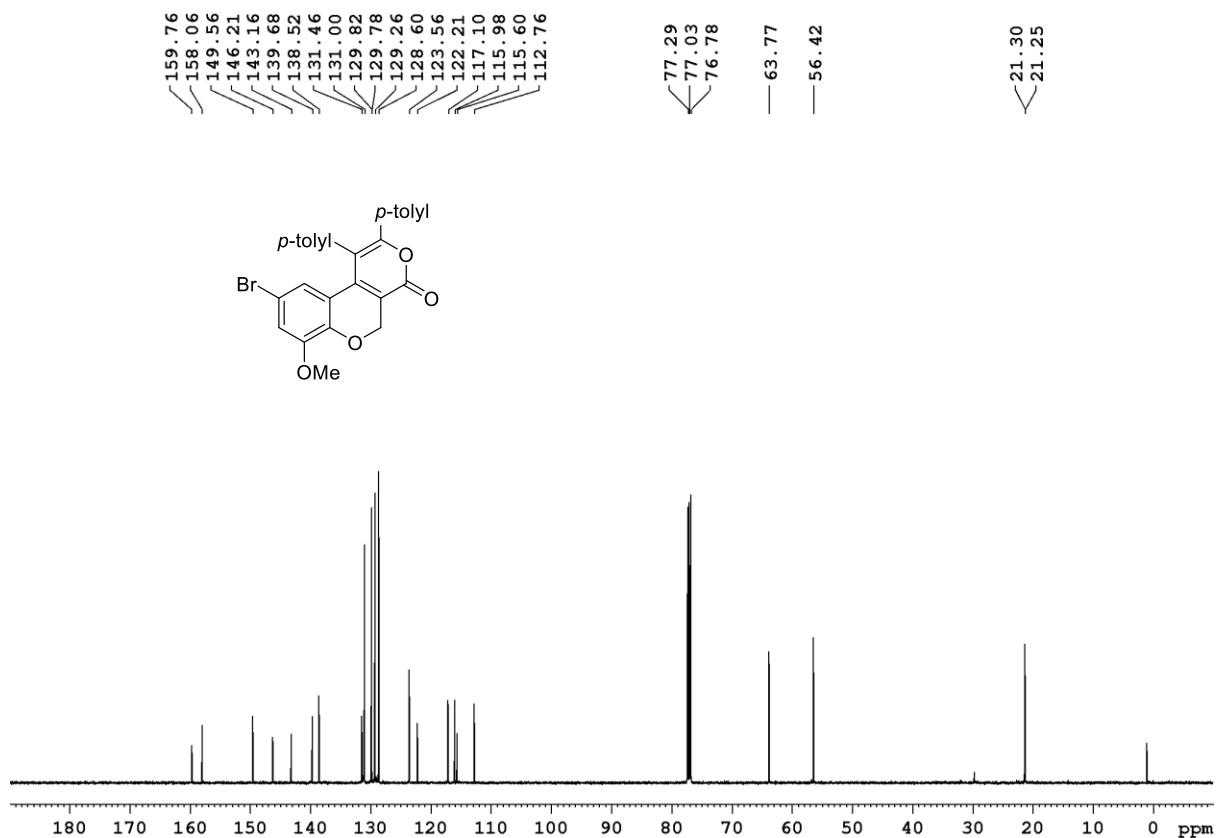
**Figure S44.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **5ca**



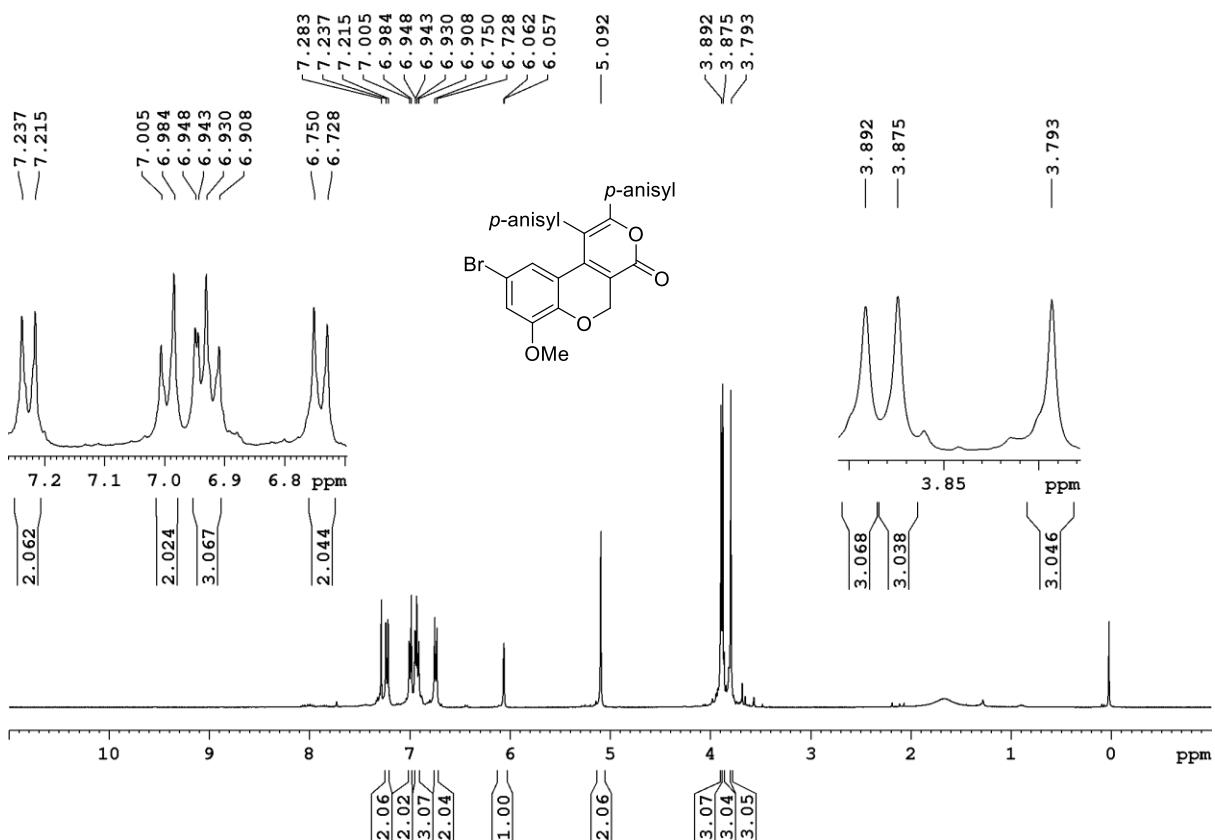
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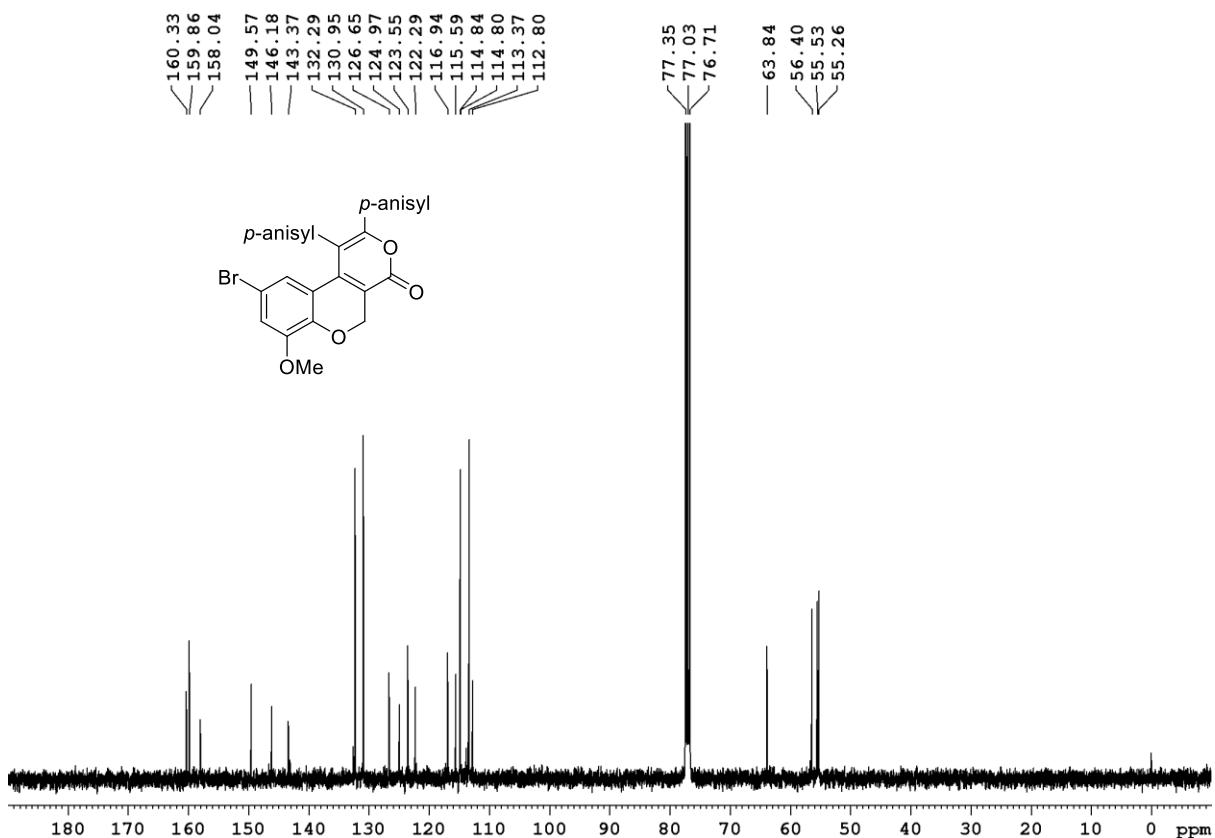
**Figure S46.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **5cb**



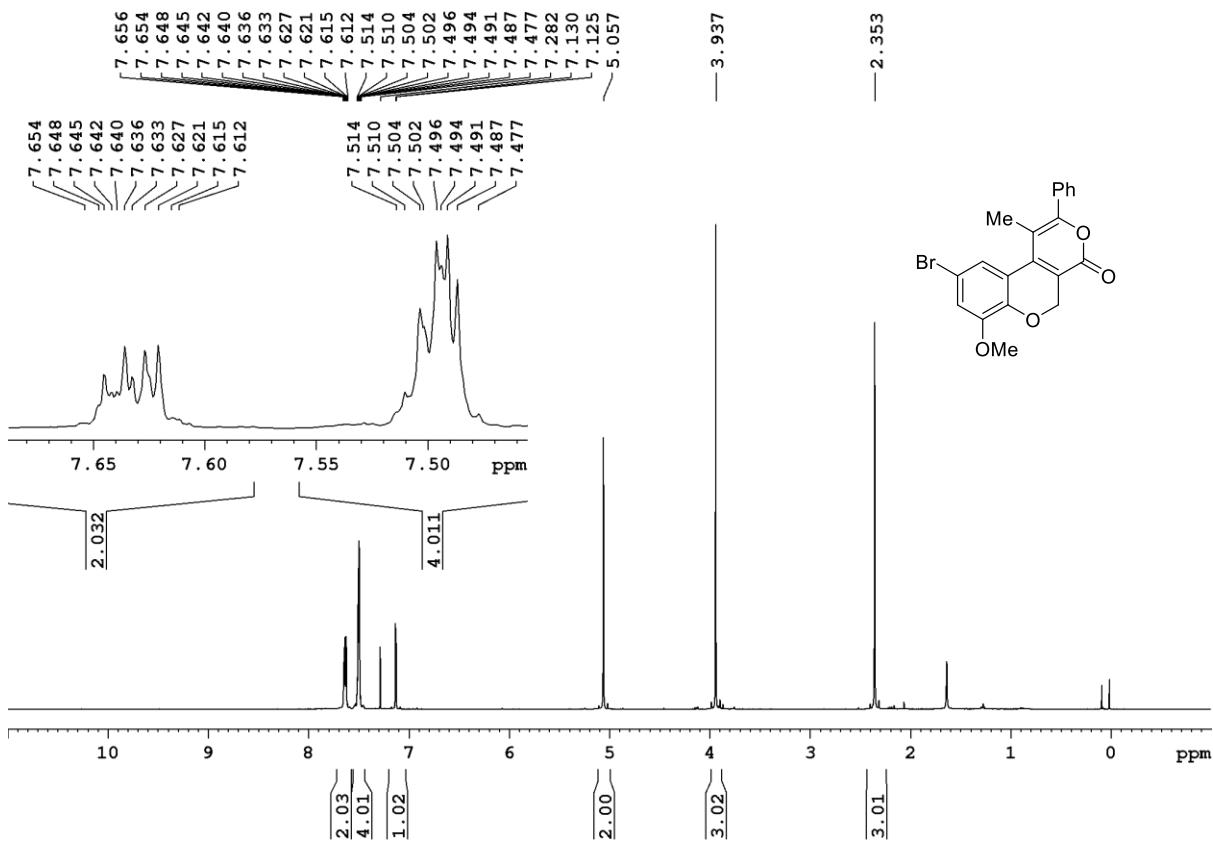
**Figure S47.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound **5cb**



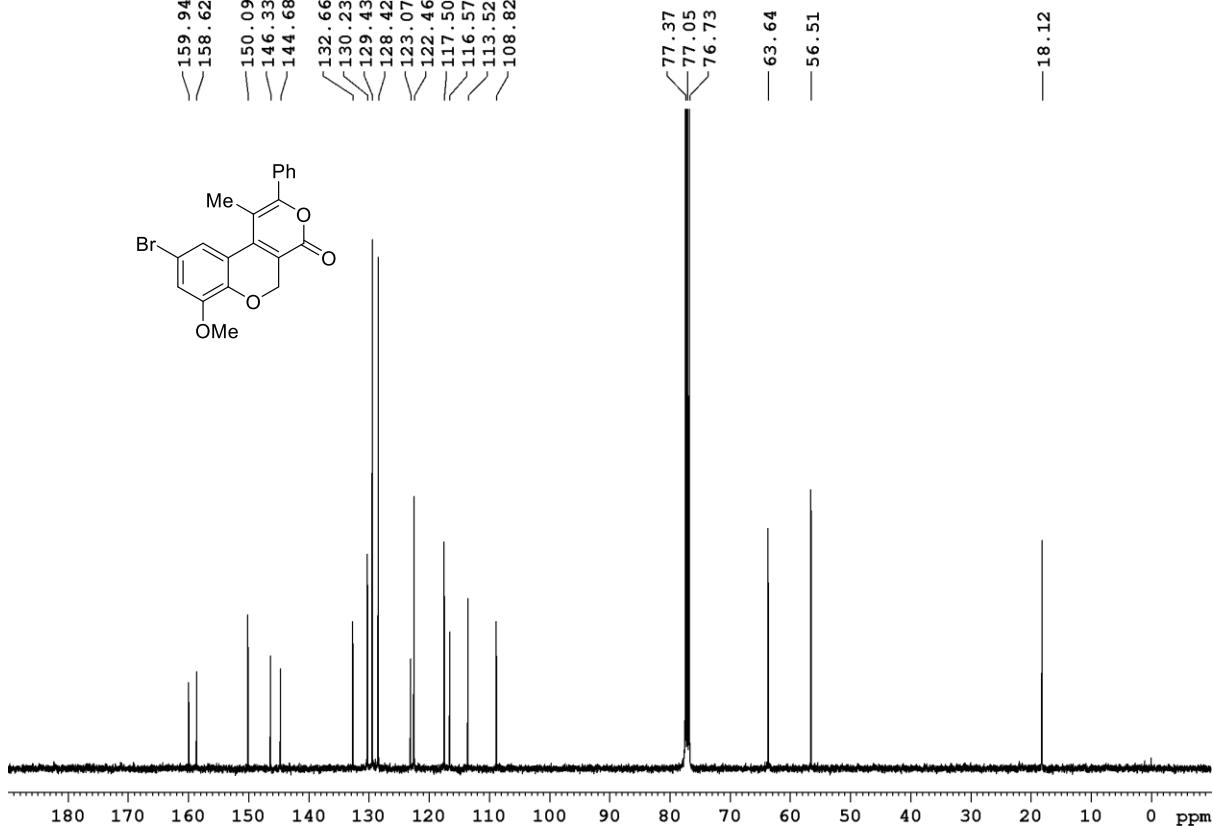
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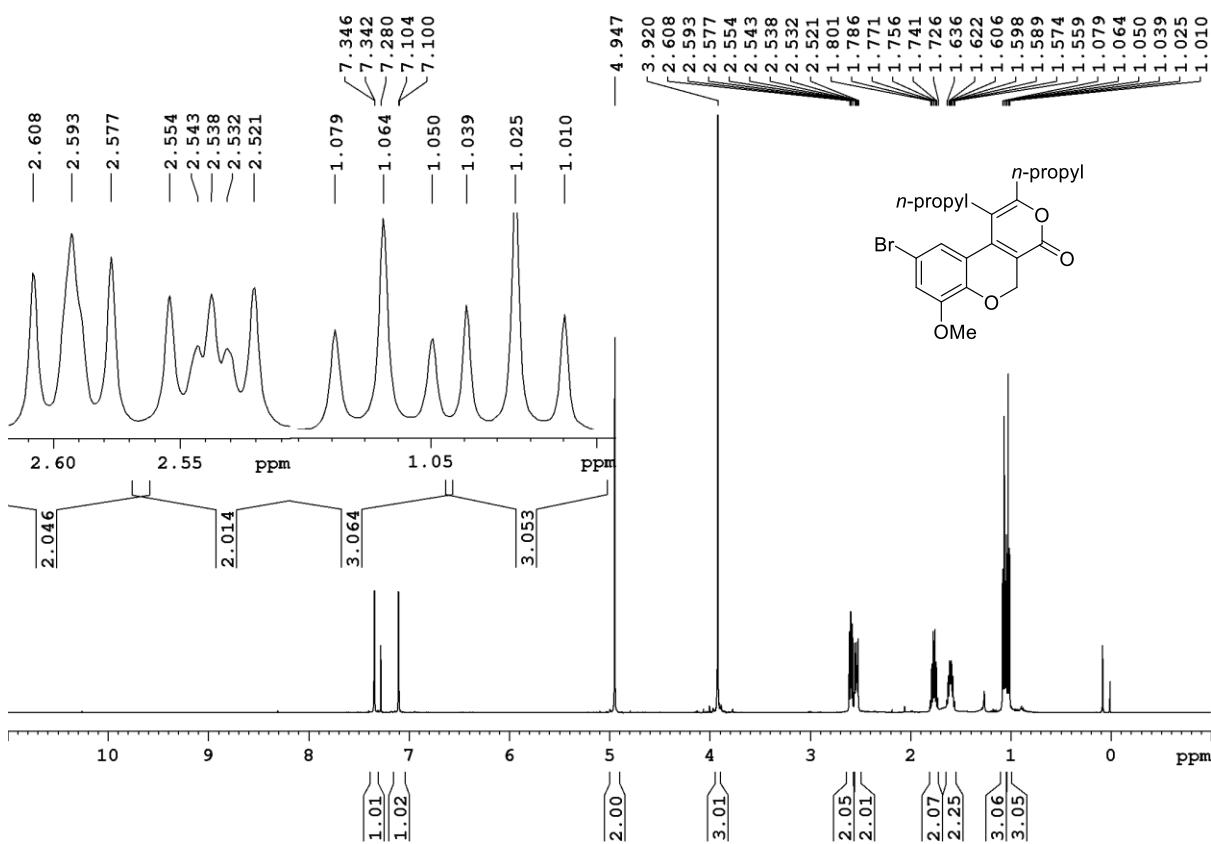
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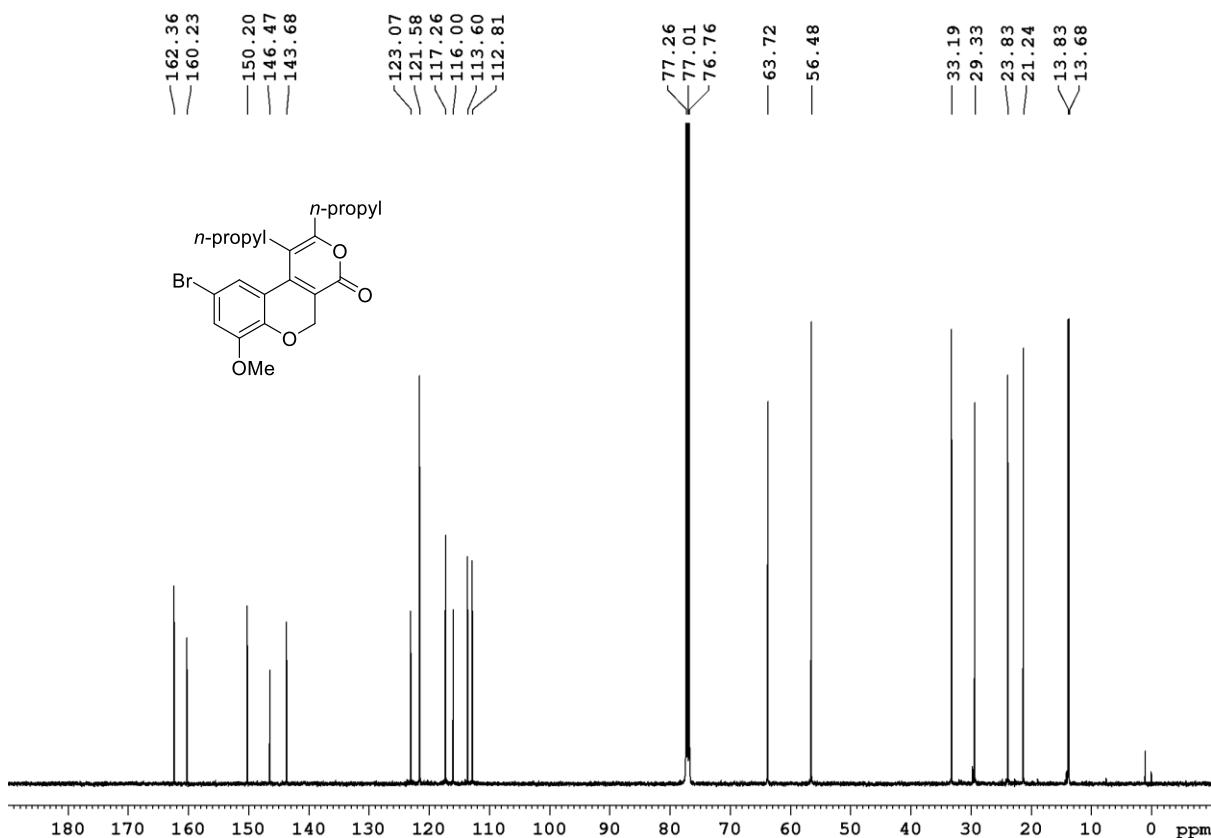
**Figure S50.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound 5ce



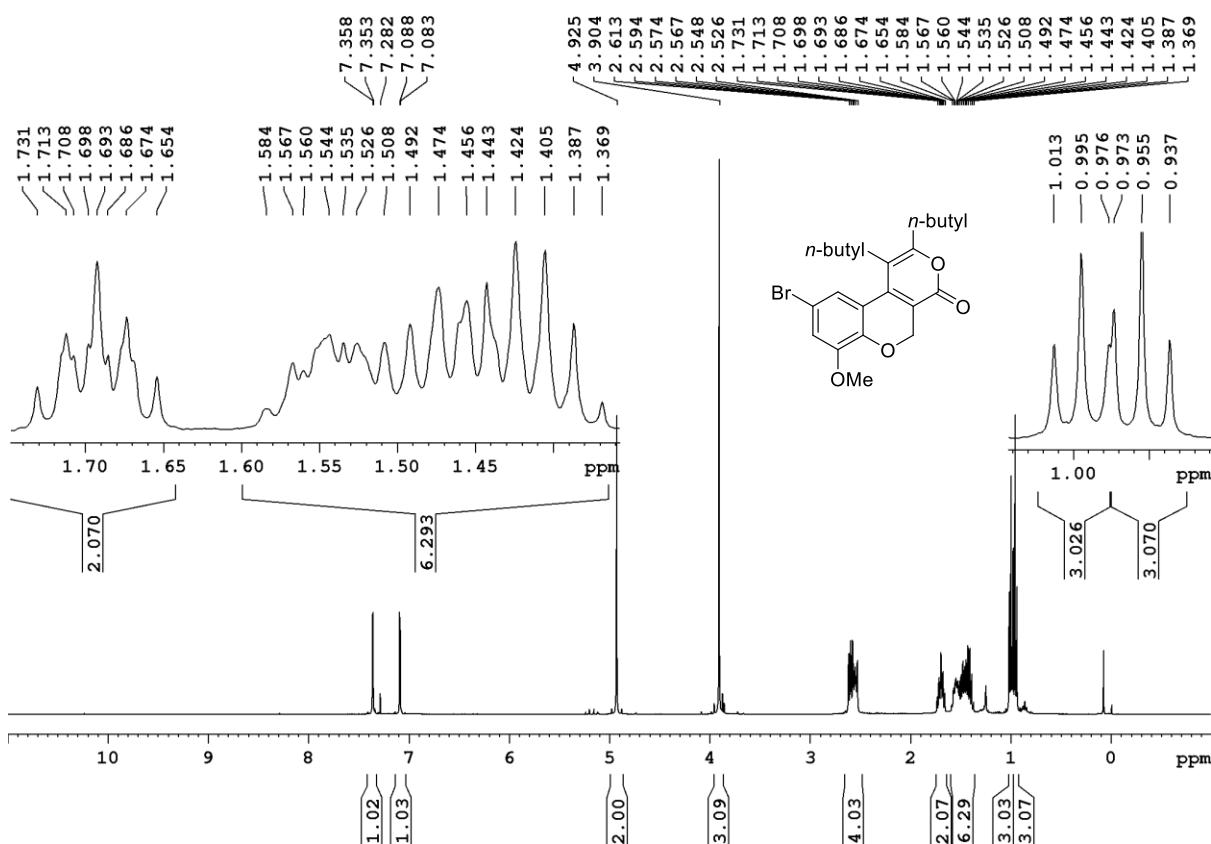
**Figure S51.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound 5ce



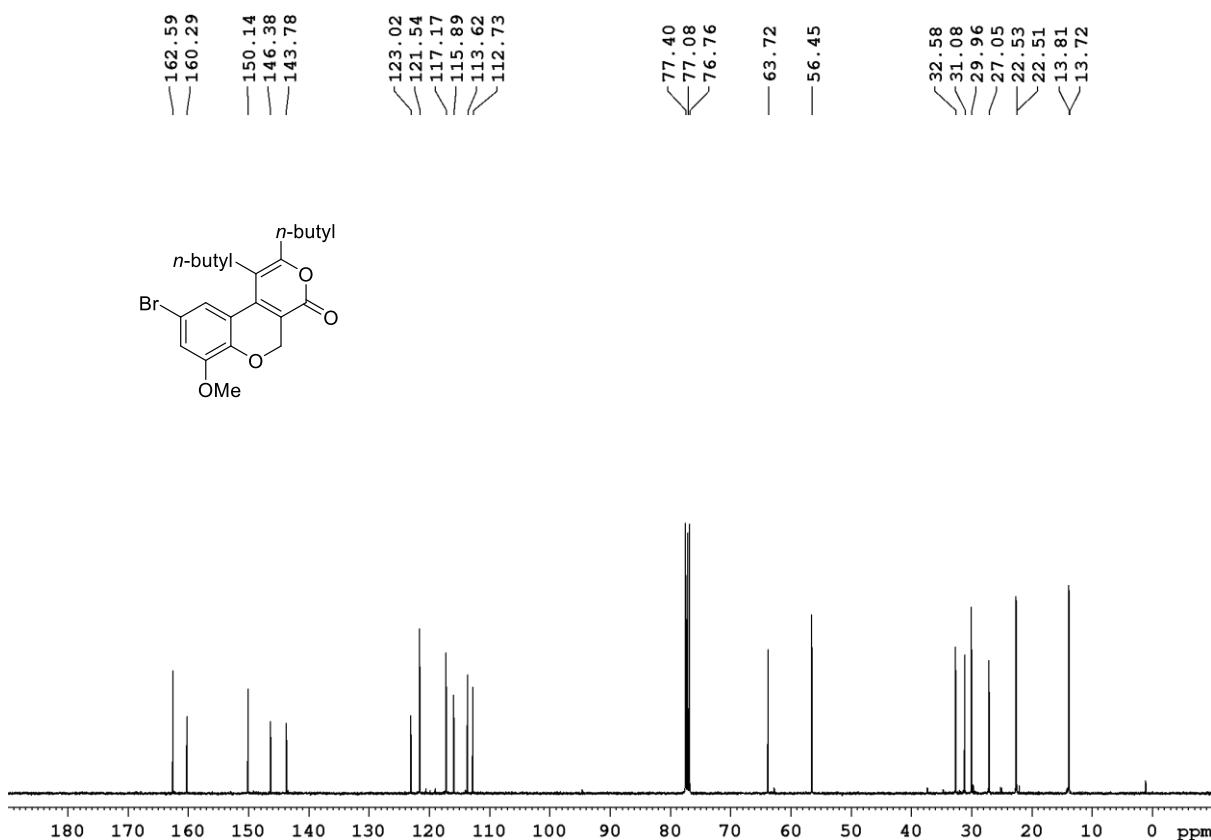
**Figure S52.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound 5ci



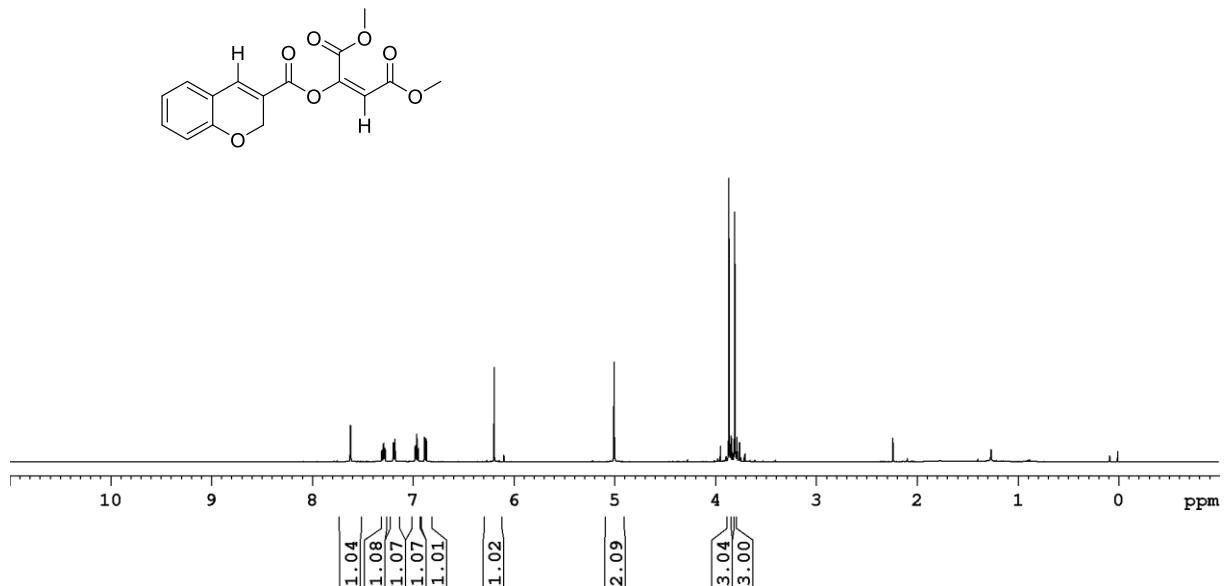
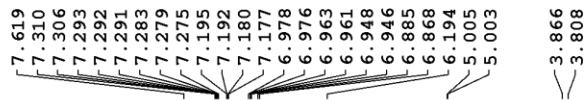
**Figure S53.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound 5ci



**Figure S54.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **5cj**



**Figure S55.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound **5cj**

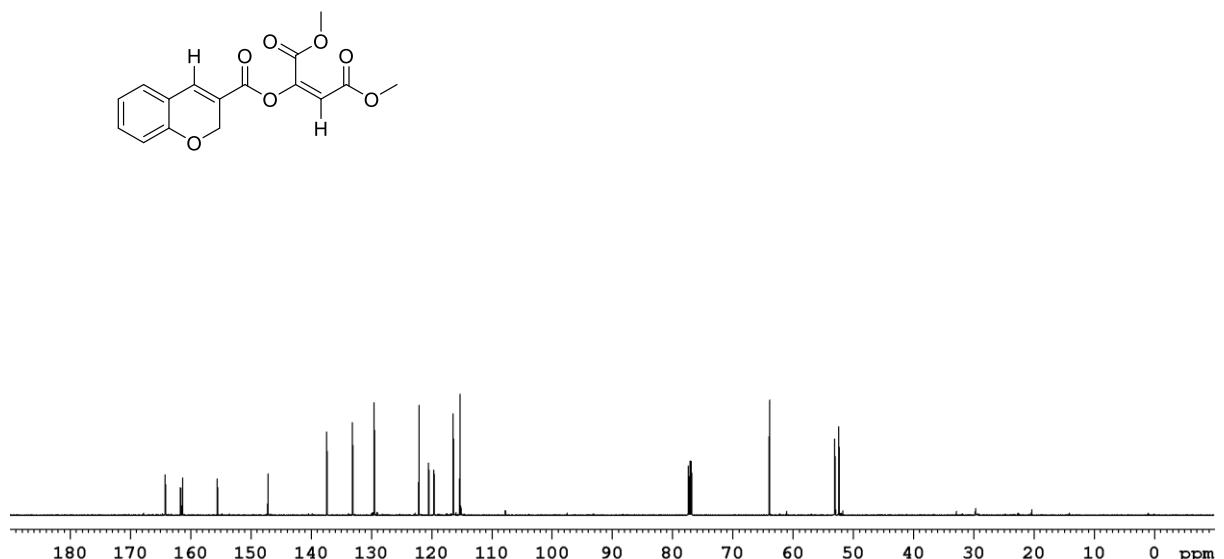
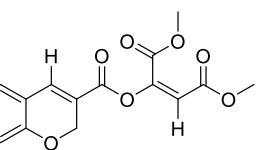


**Figure S56.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound 5'al

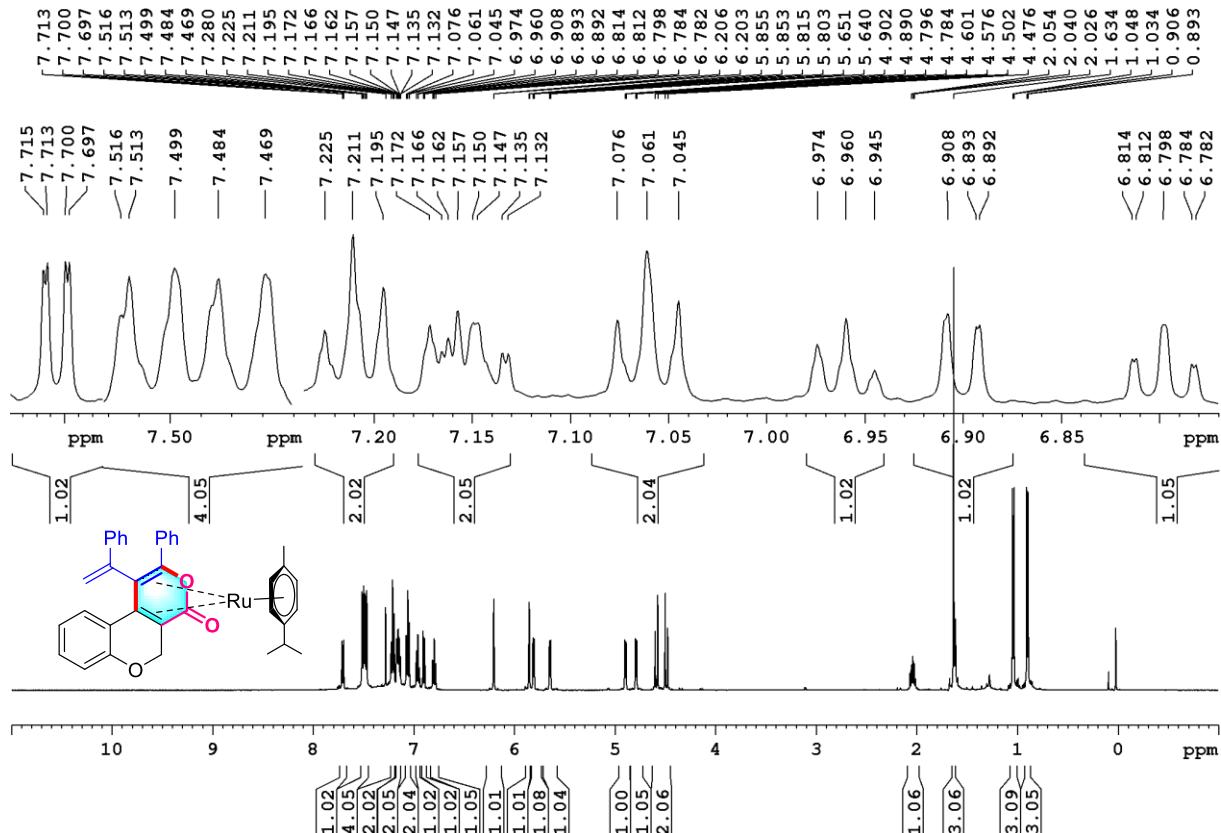
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116.398  
115.263

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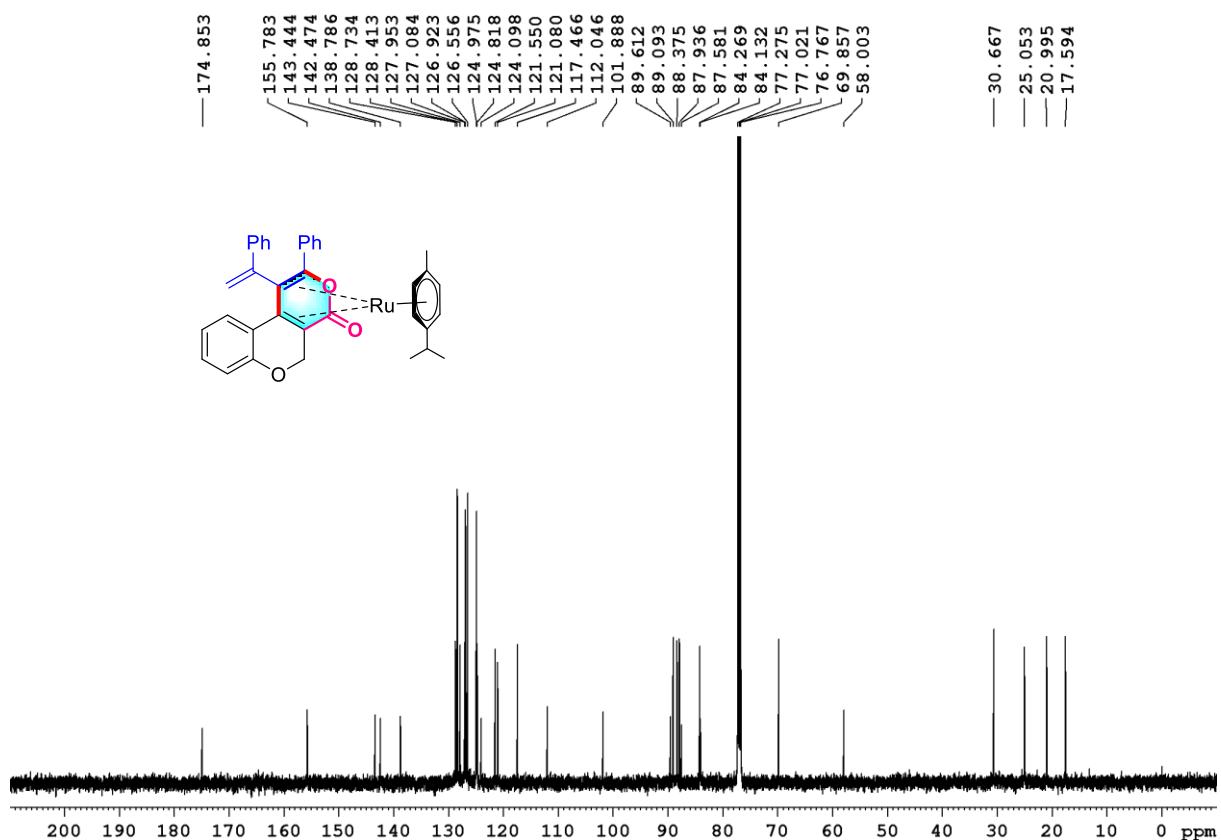
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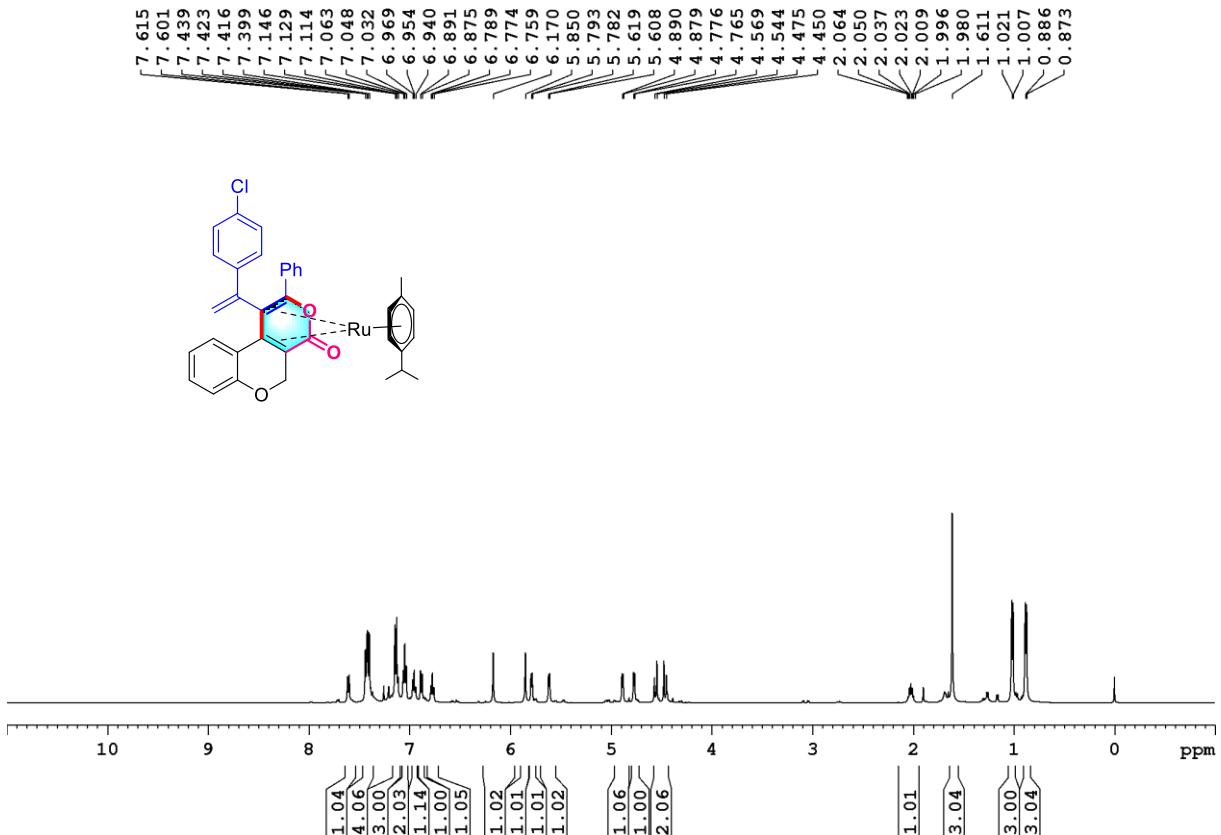
**Figure S57.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound 5'al



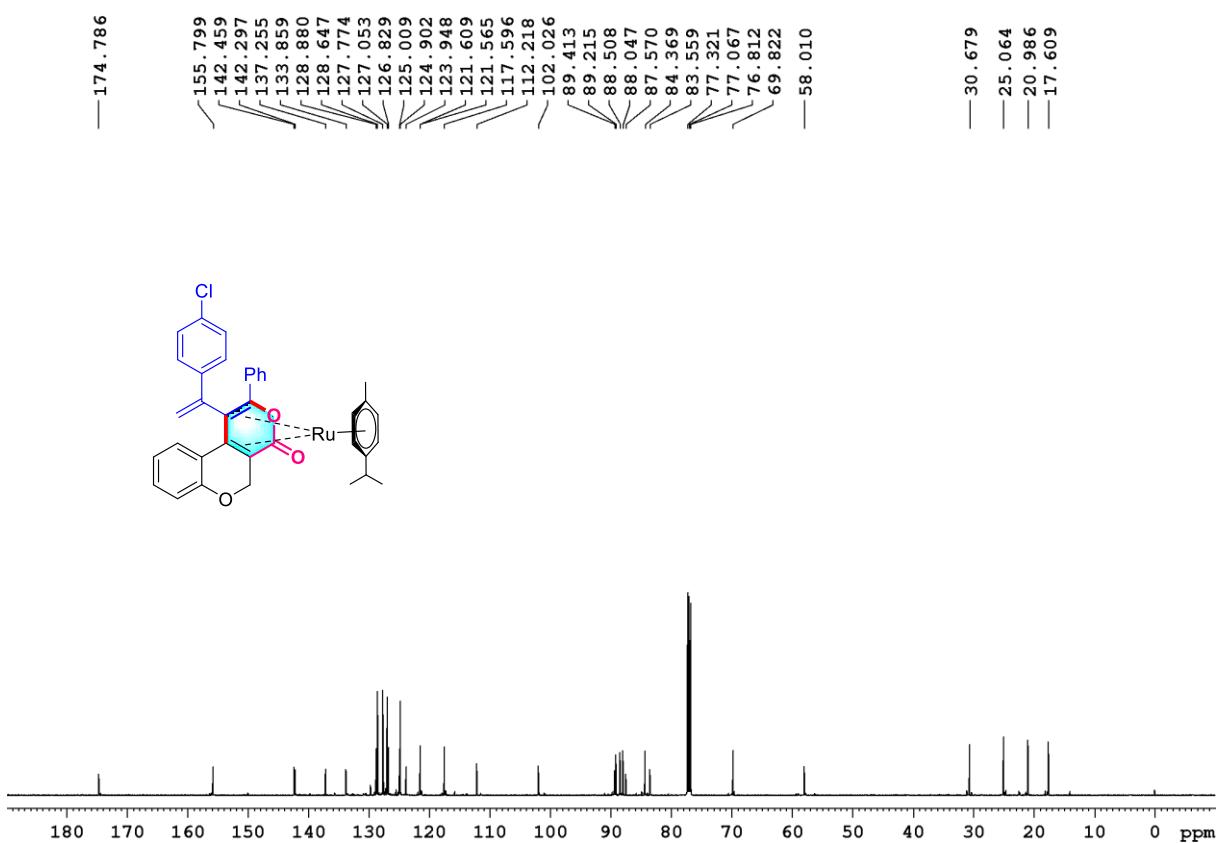
**Figure S58.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **6aa**



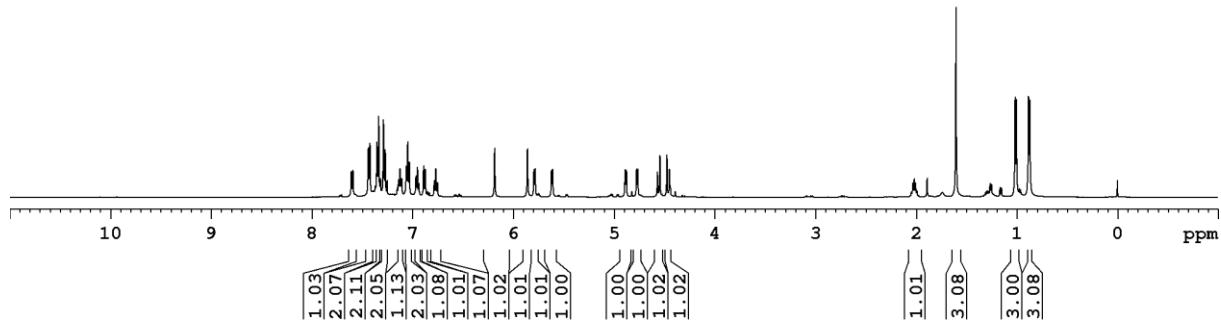
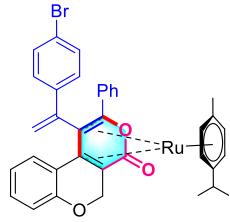
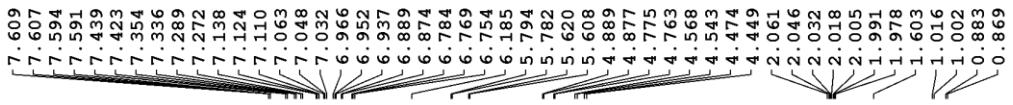
**Figure S59.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound **6aa**



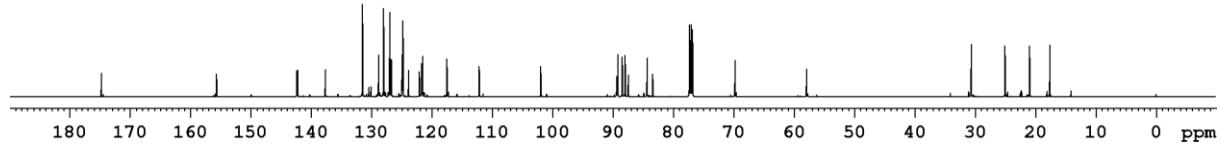
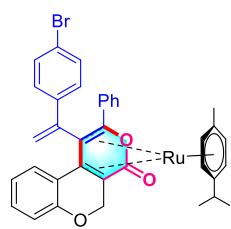
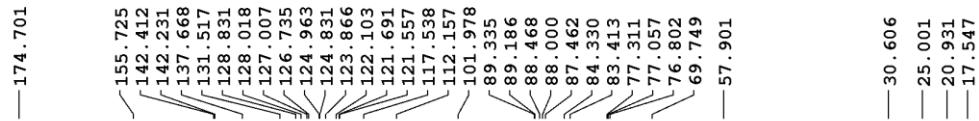
**Figure S60.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **6ab**



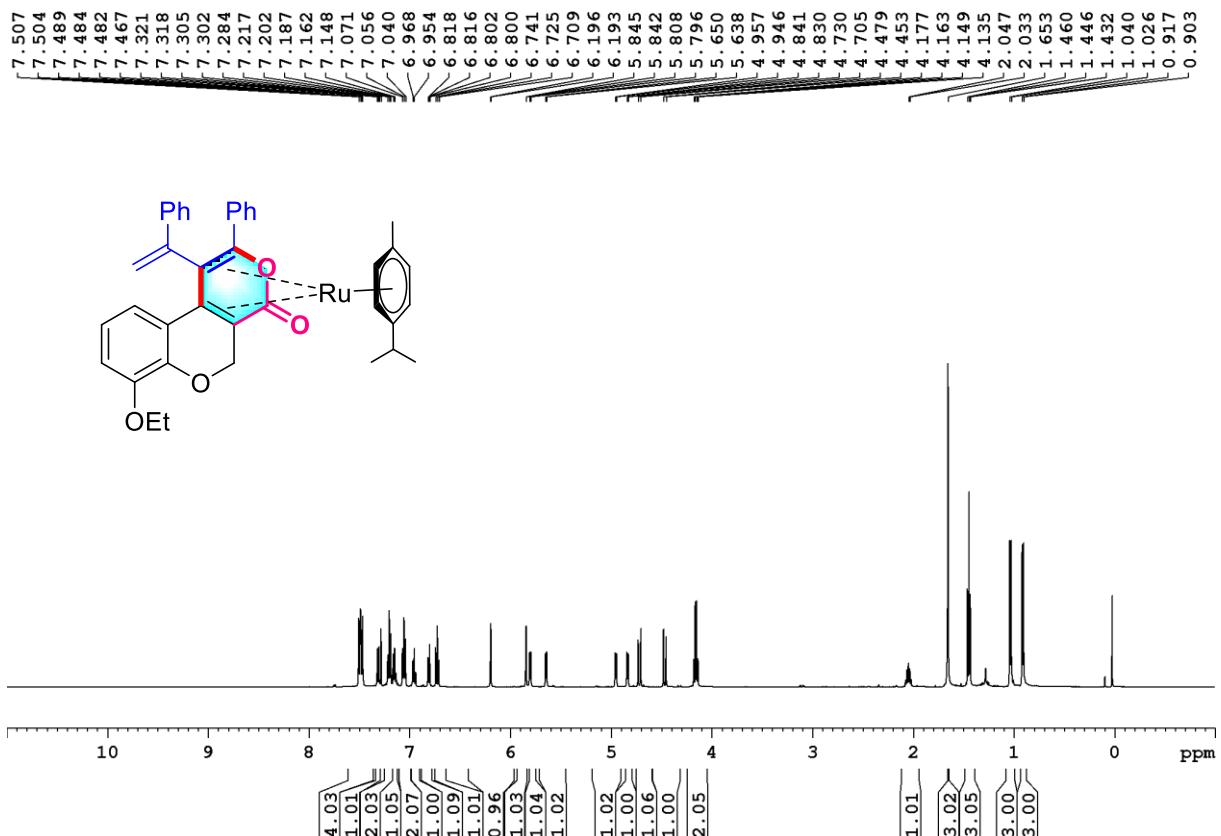
**Figure S61.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound **6ab**



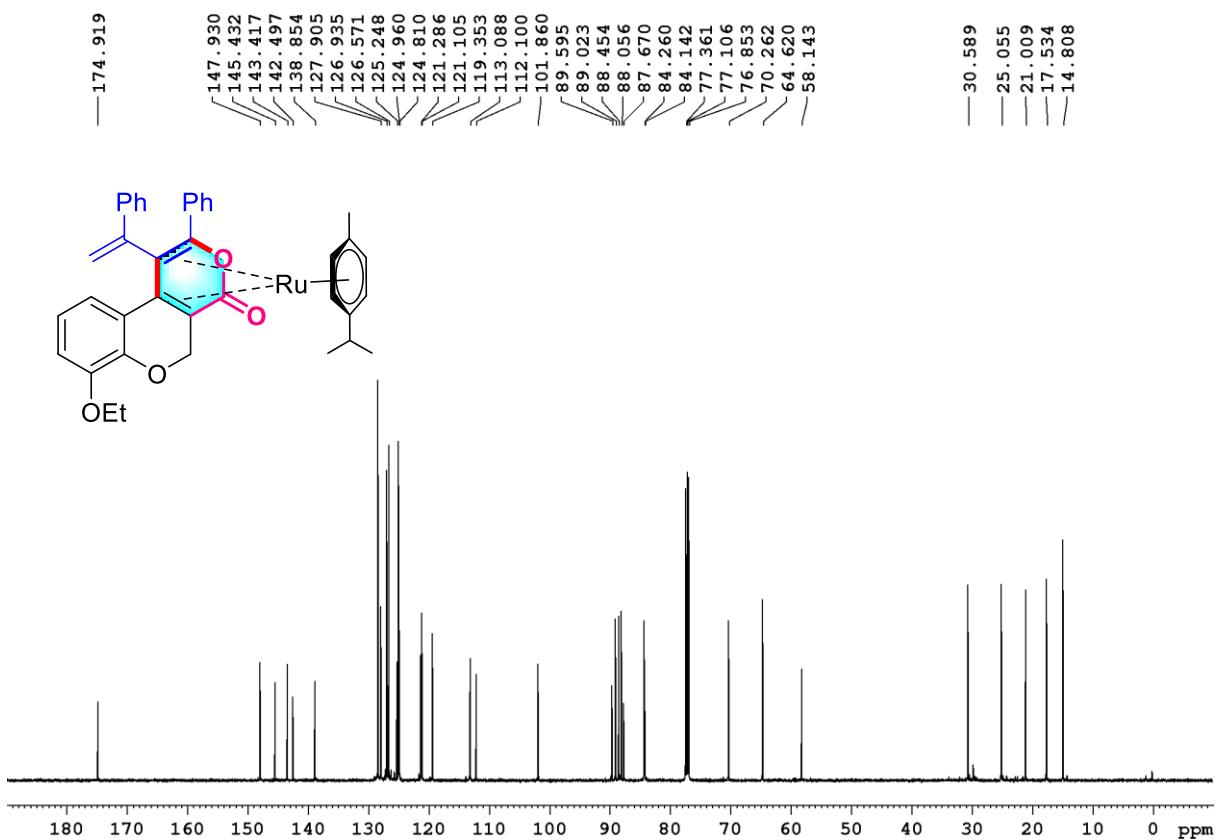
**Figure S62.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **6ac**



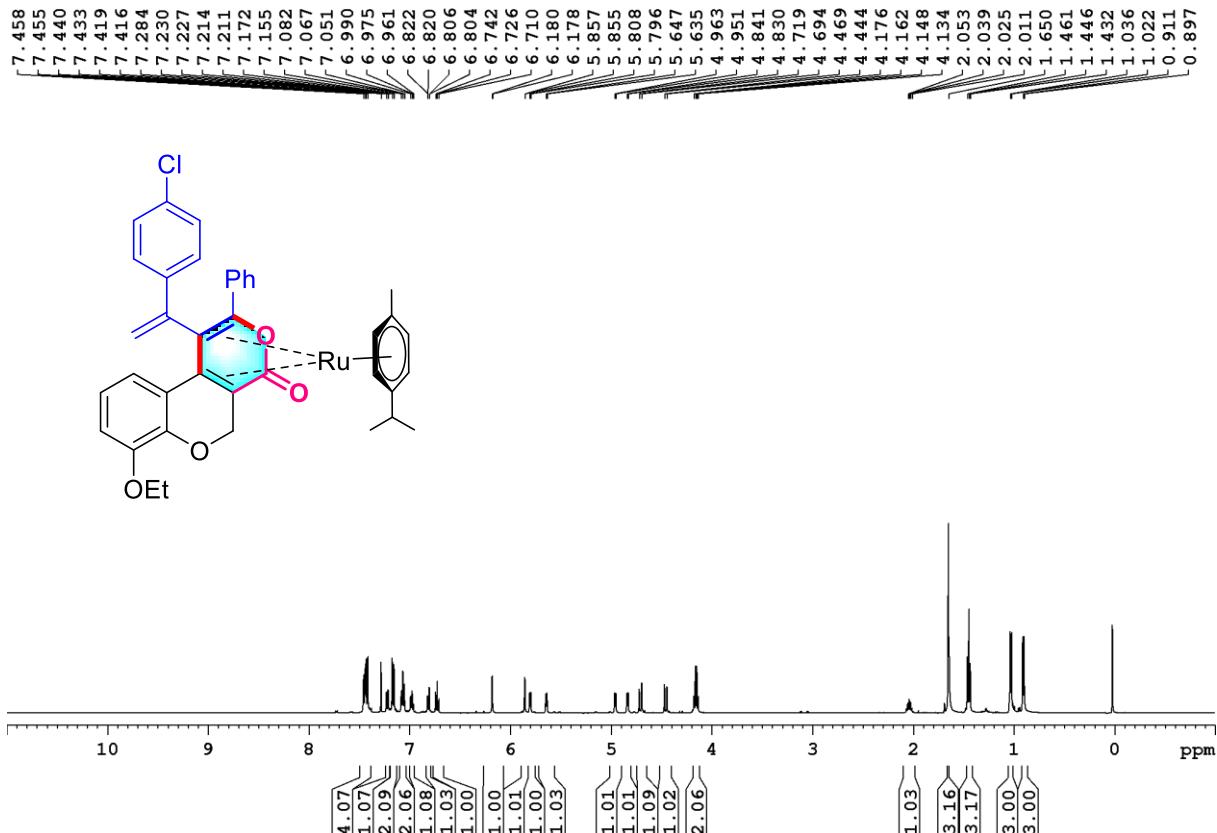
**Figure S63.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound **6ac**



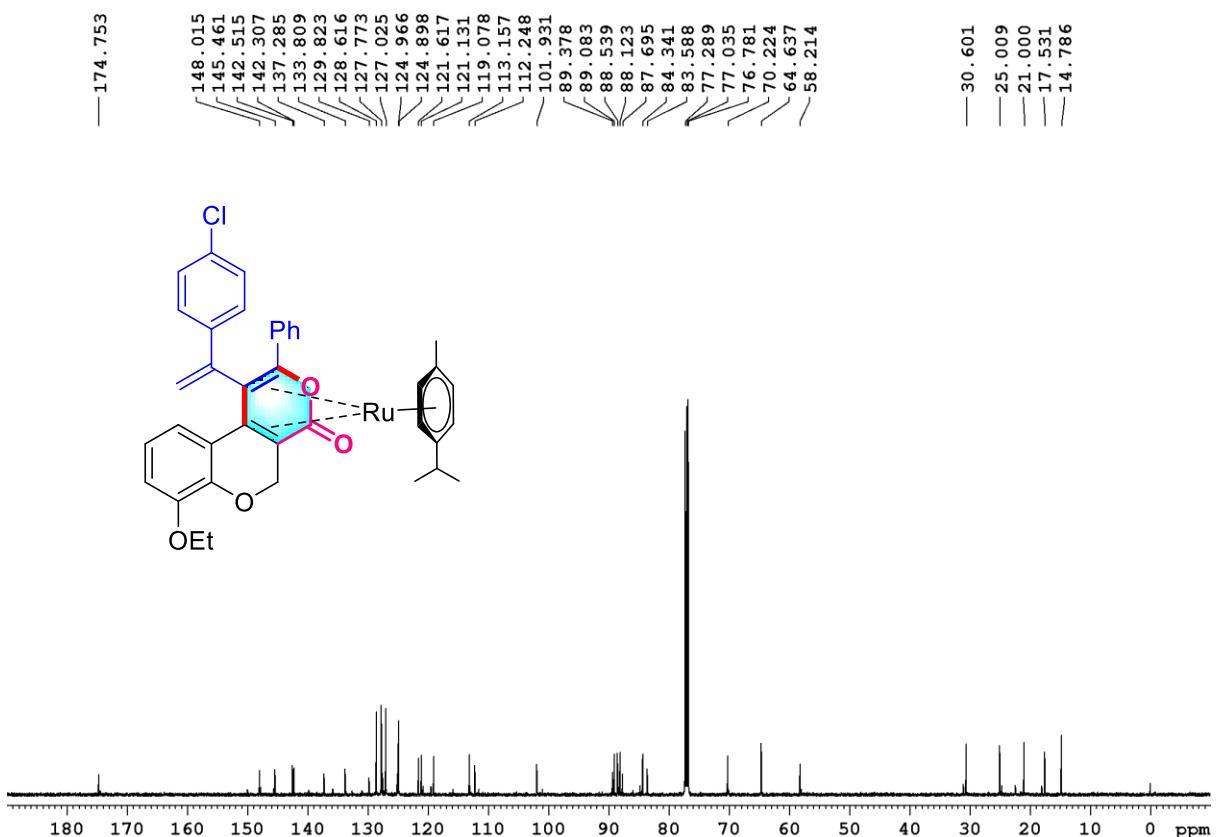
**Figure S64.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **6ba**



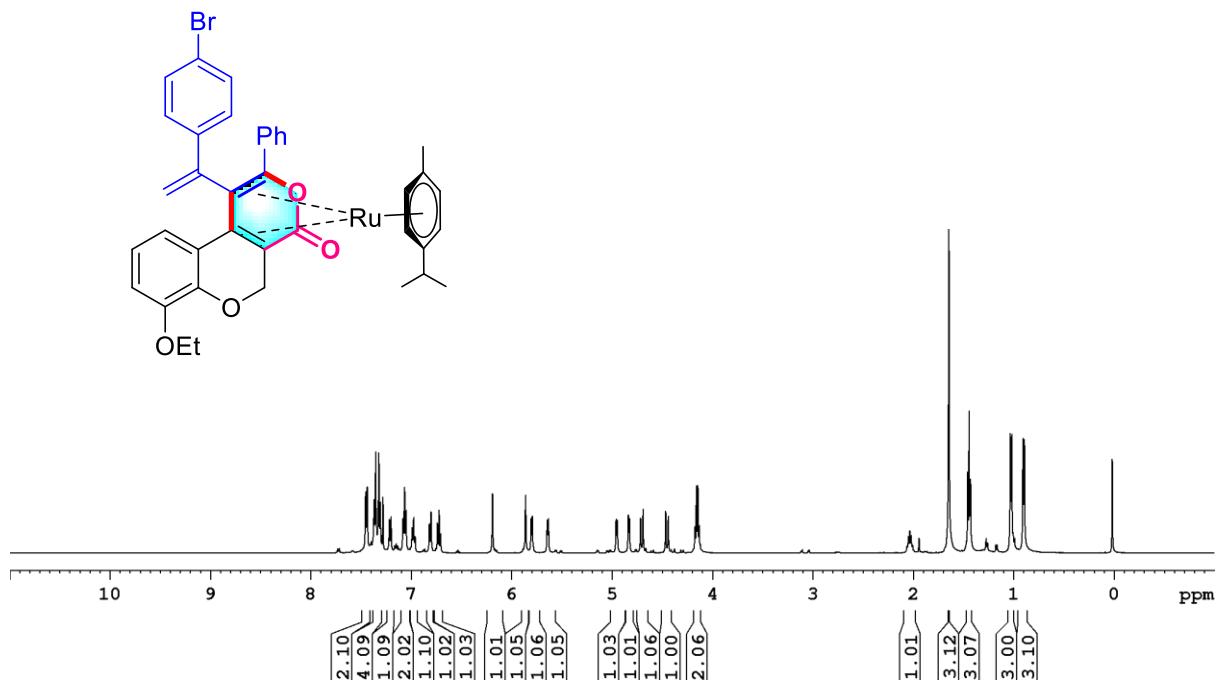
**Figure S65.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound **6ba**



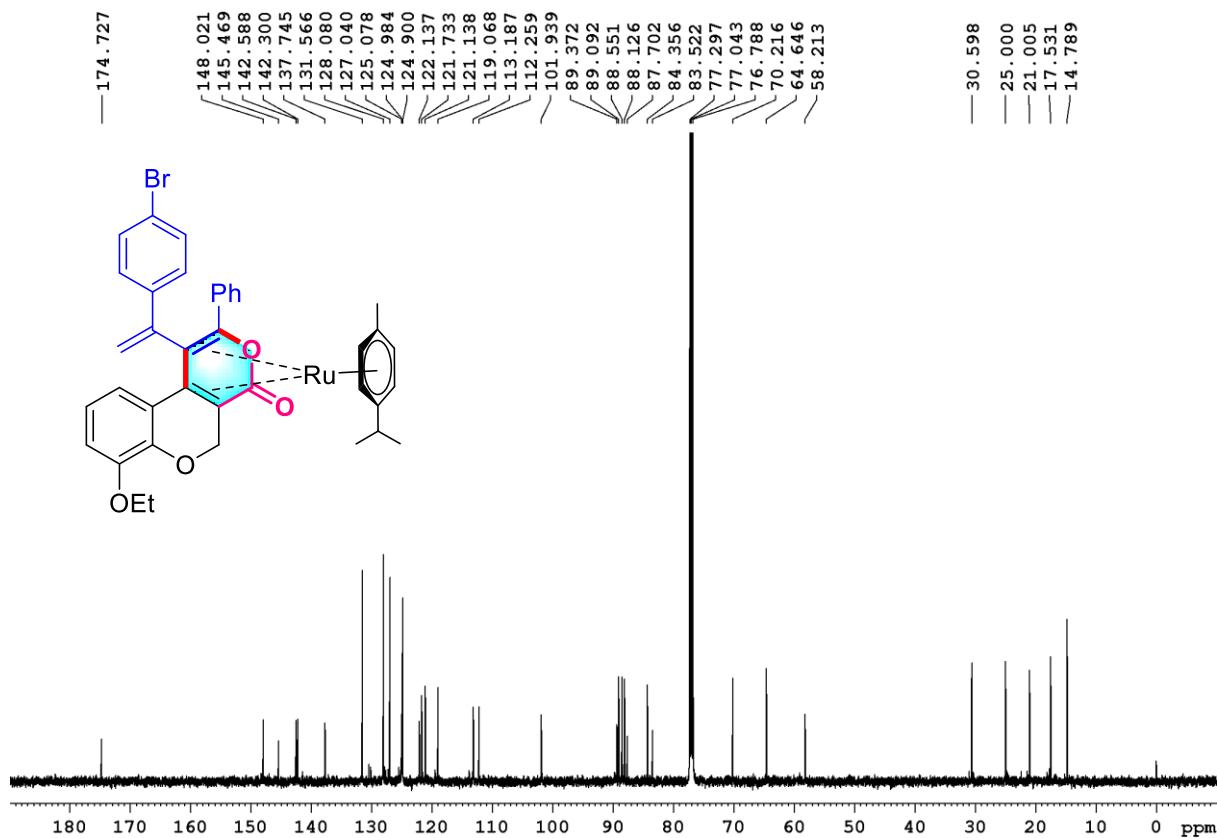
**Figure S66.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **6bb**



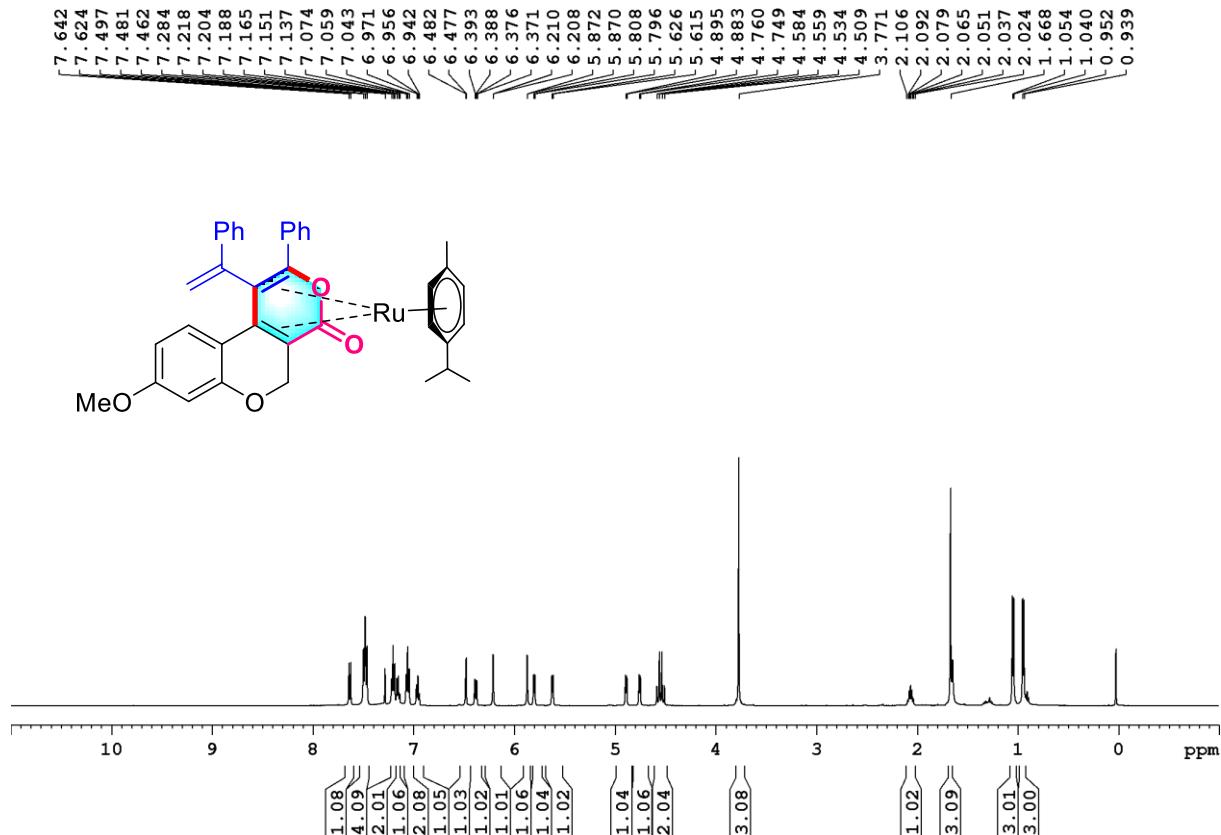
**Figure S67.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound **6bb**



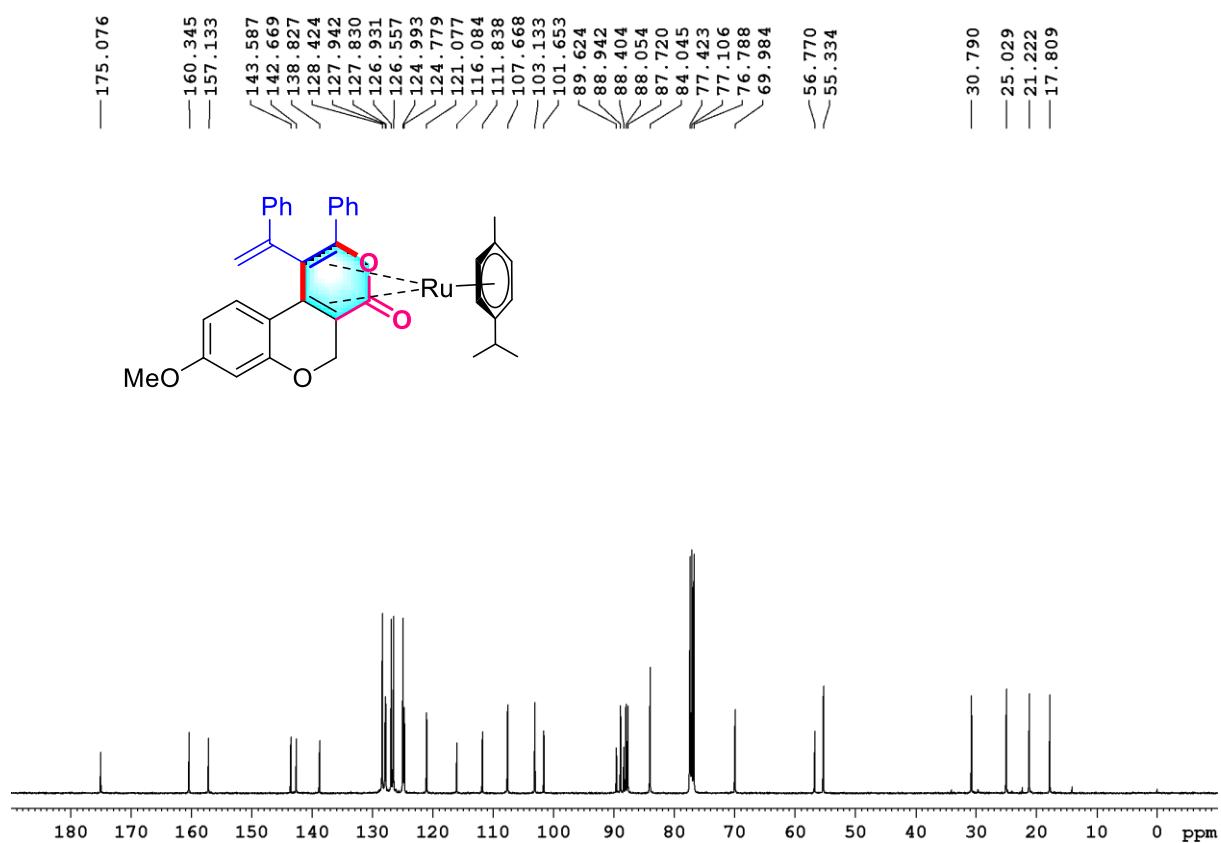
**Figure S68.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **6bc**



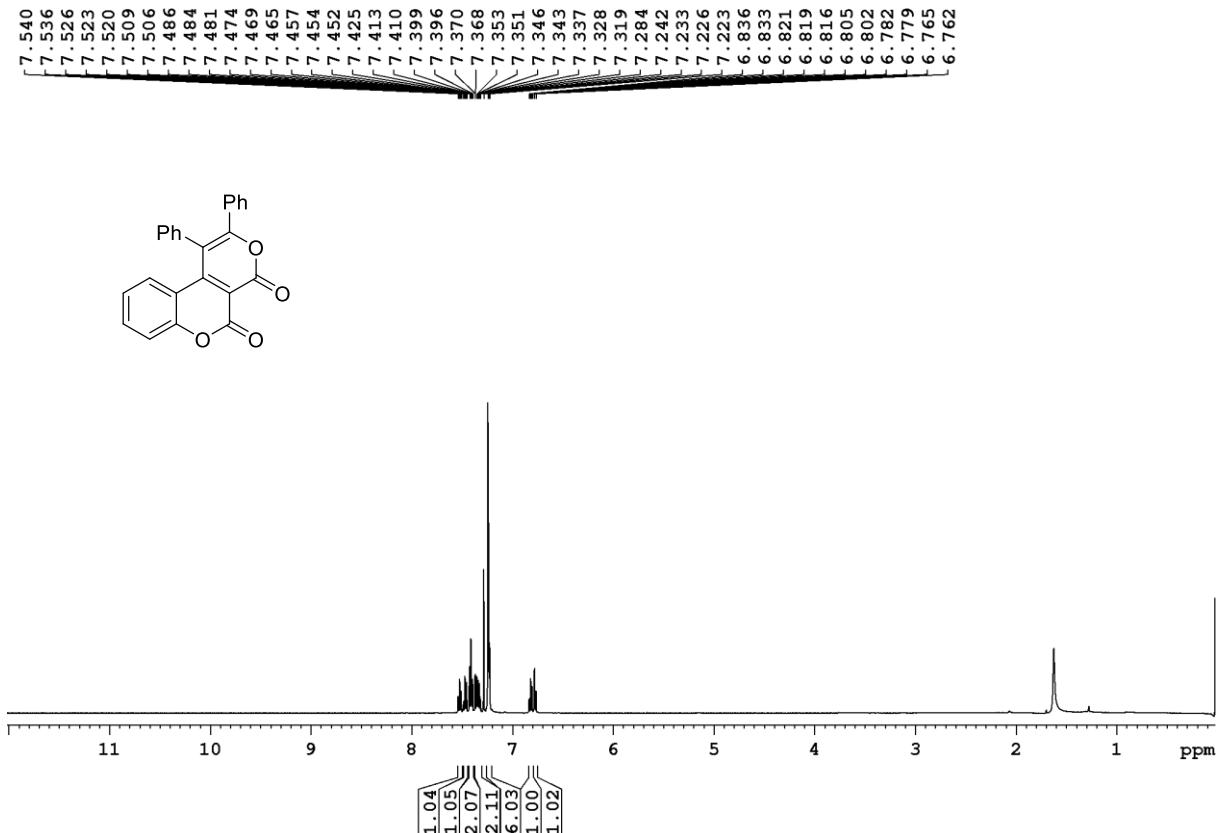
**Figure S69.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound **6bc**



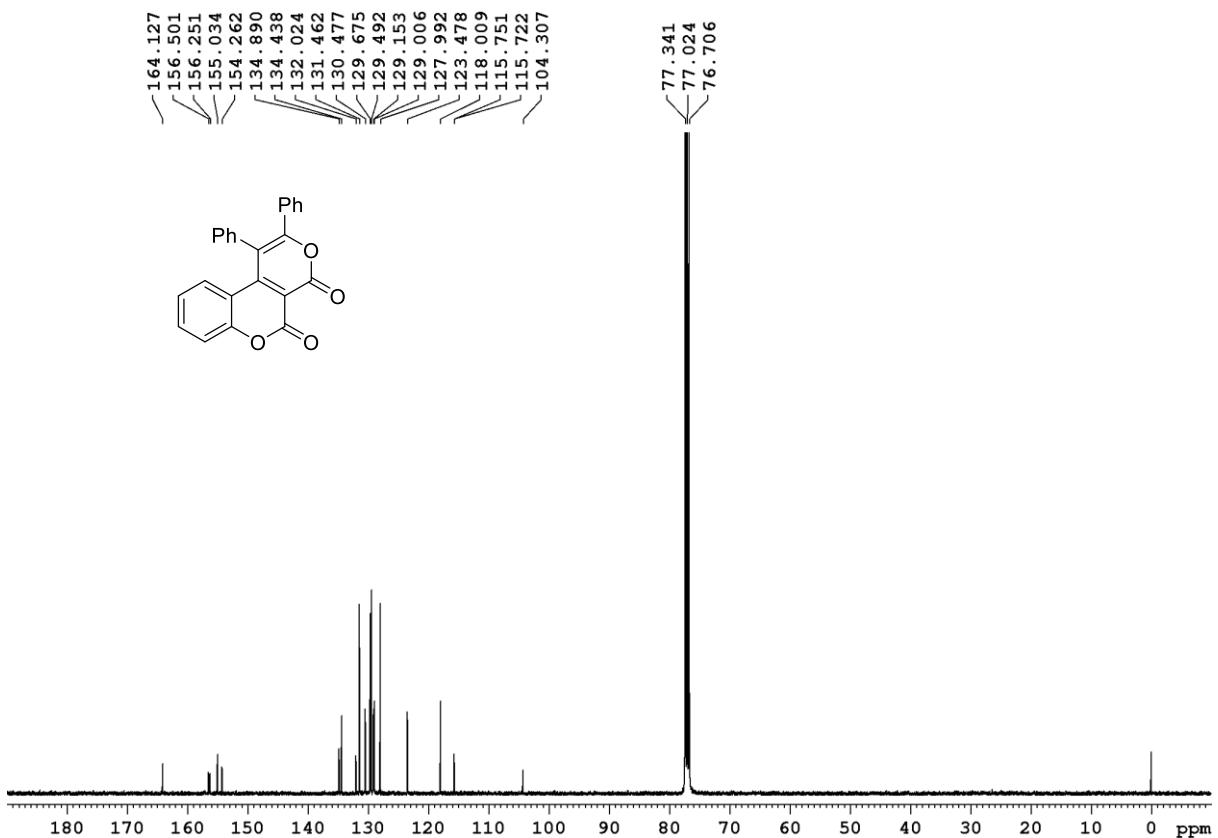
**Figure S70.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **6da**



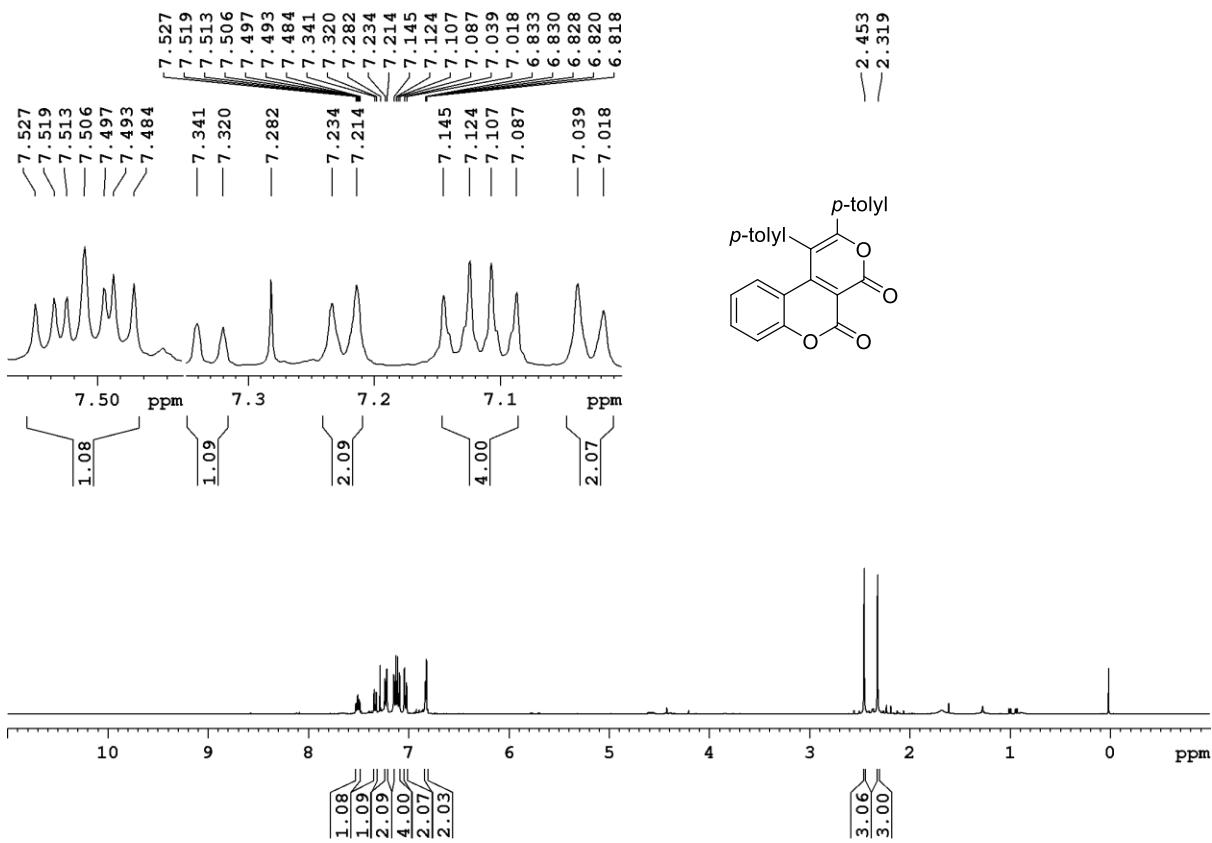
**Figure S71.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound **6da**



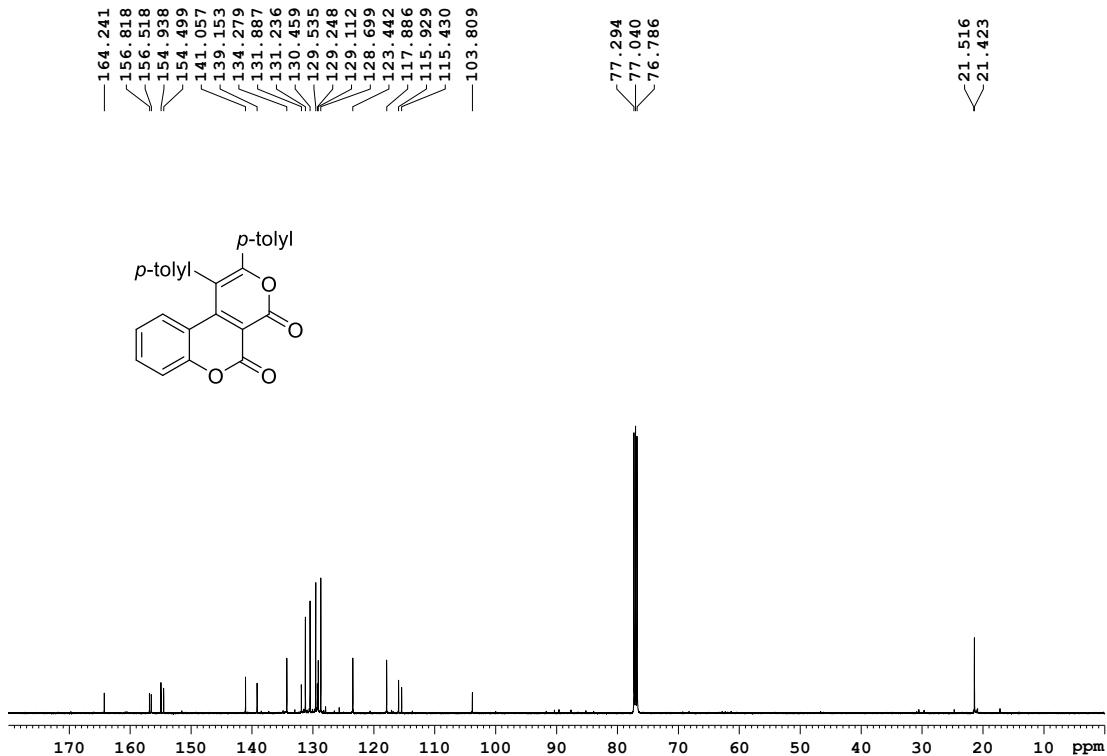
**Figure S72.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **7aa**



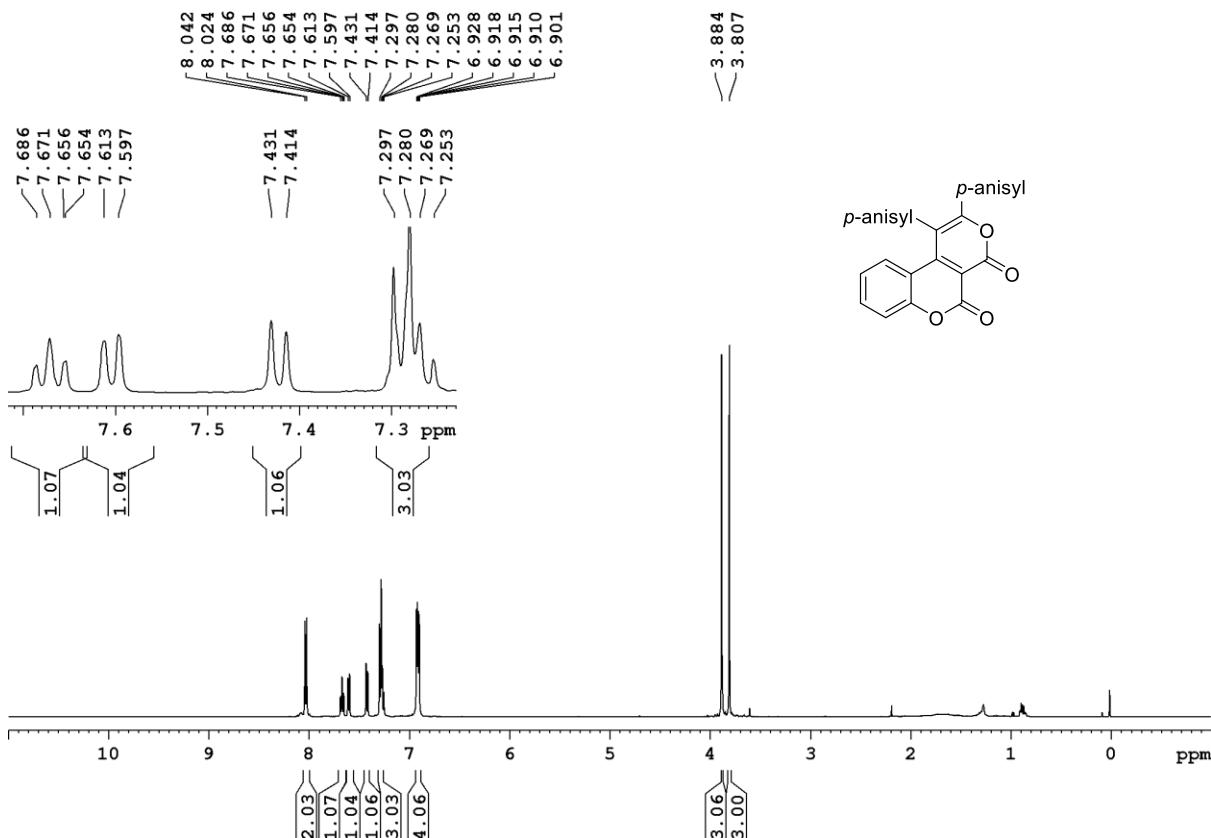
**Figure S73.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound **7aa**



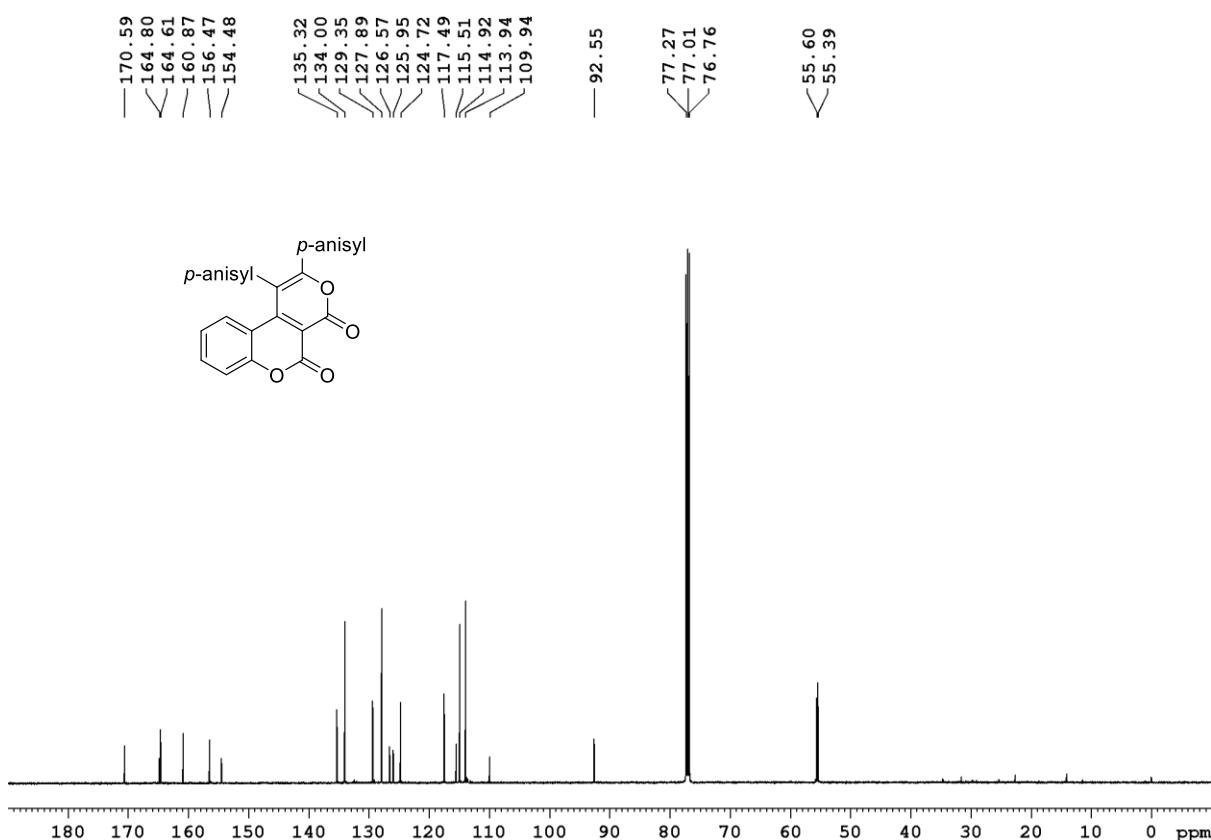
**Figure S74.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **7ab**



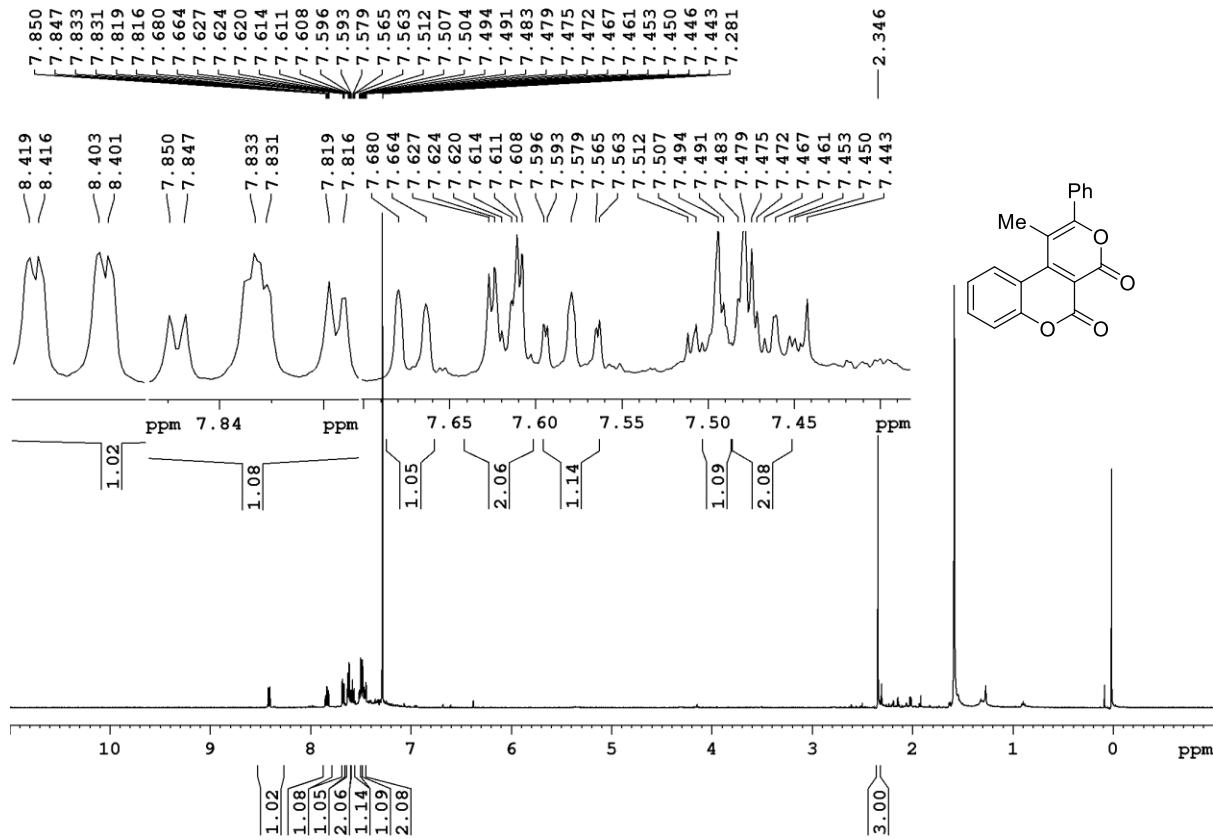
**Figure S75.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound **7ab**



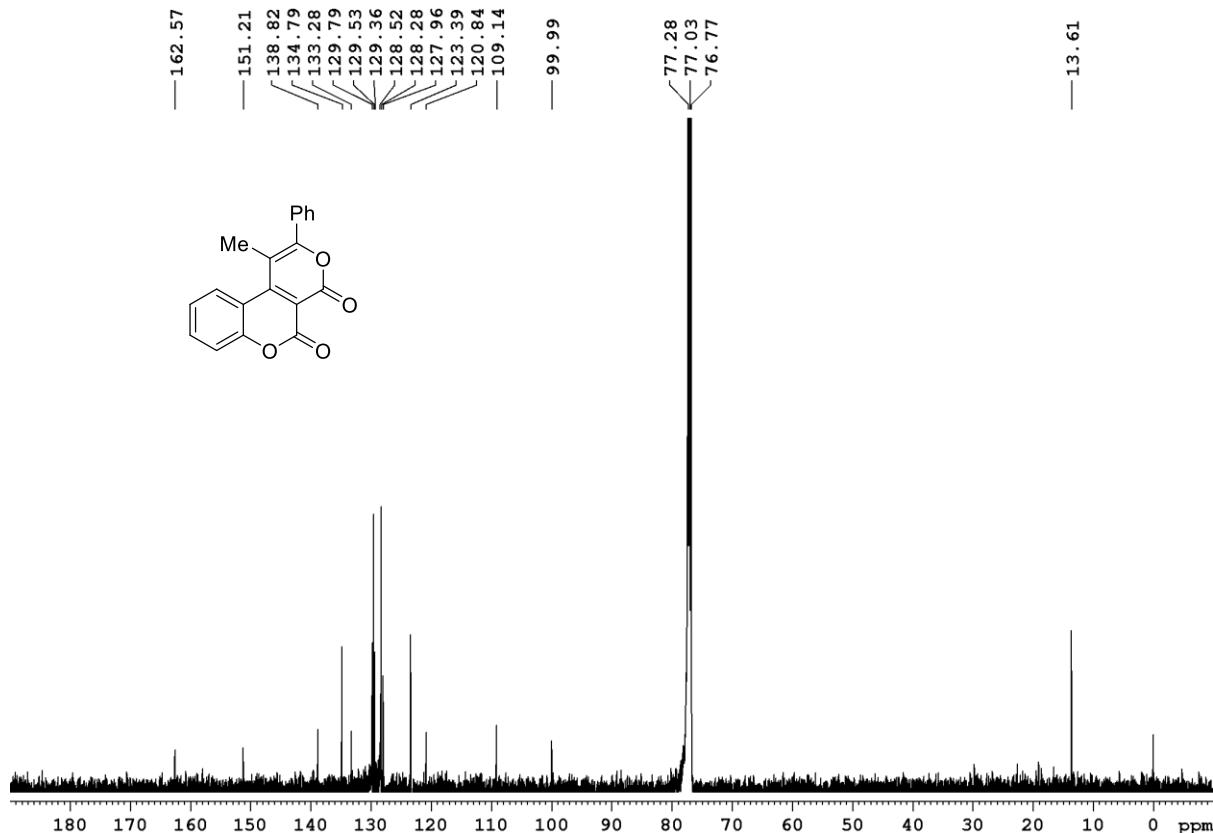
**Figure S76.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound 7ac



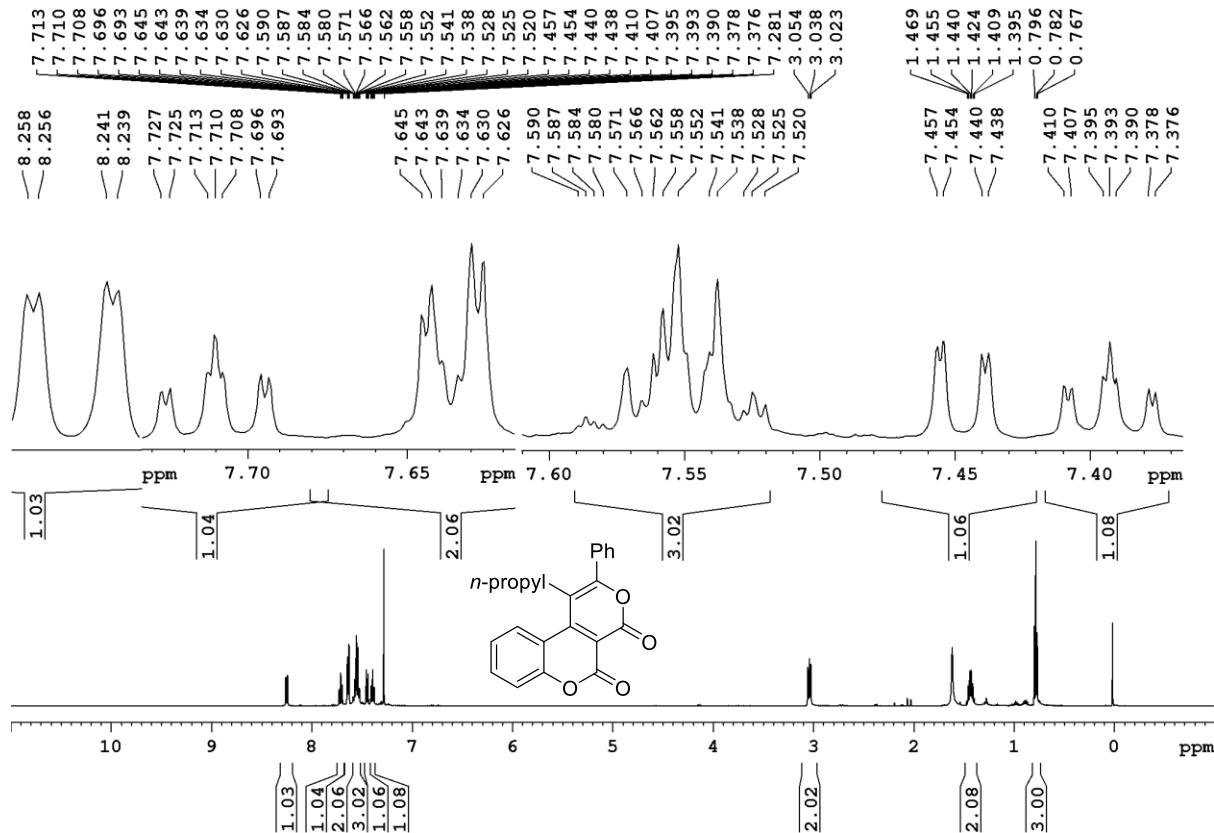
**Figure S77.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound 7ac



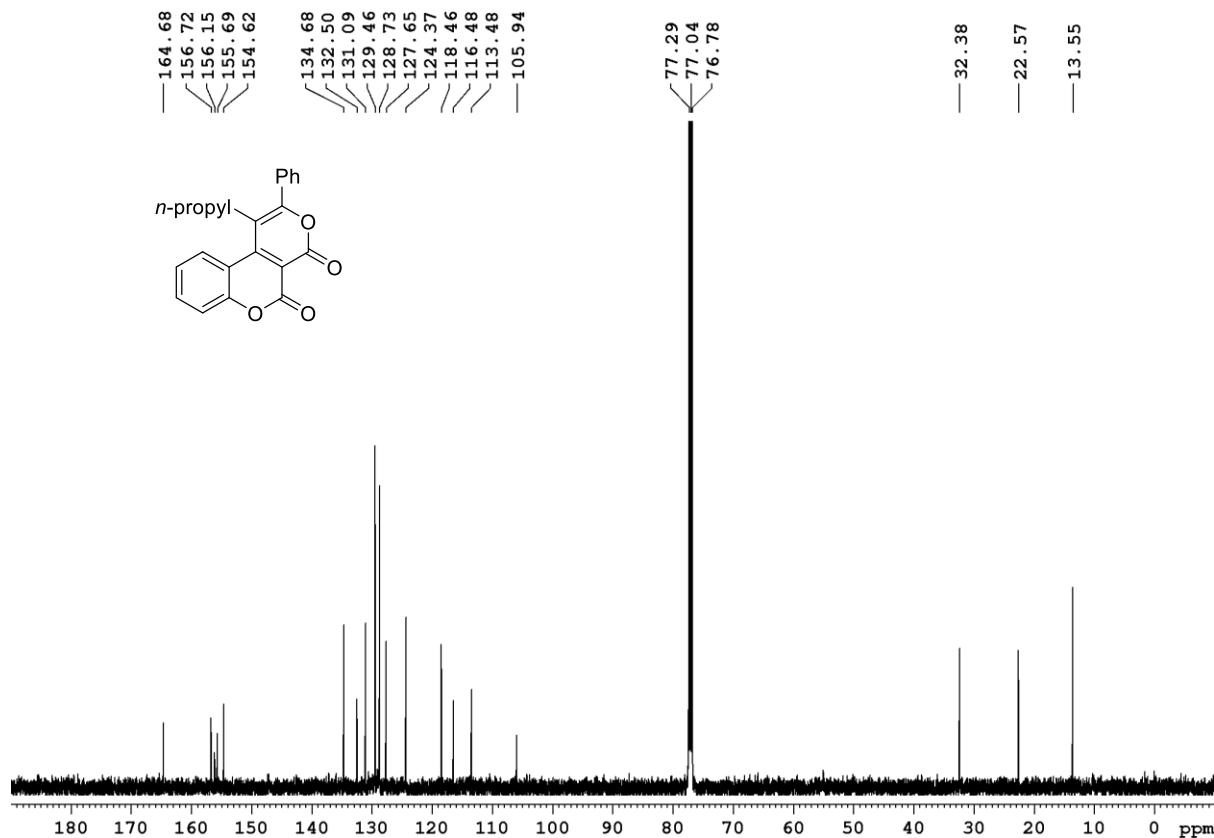
**Figure S78.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **7ae**



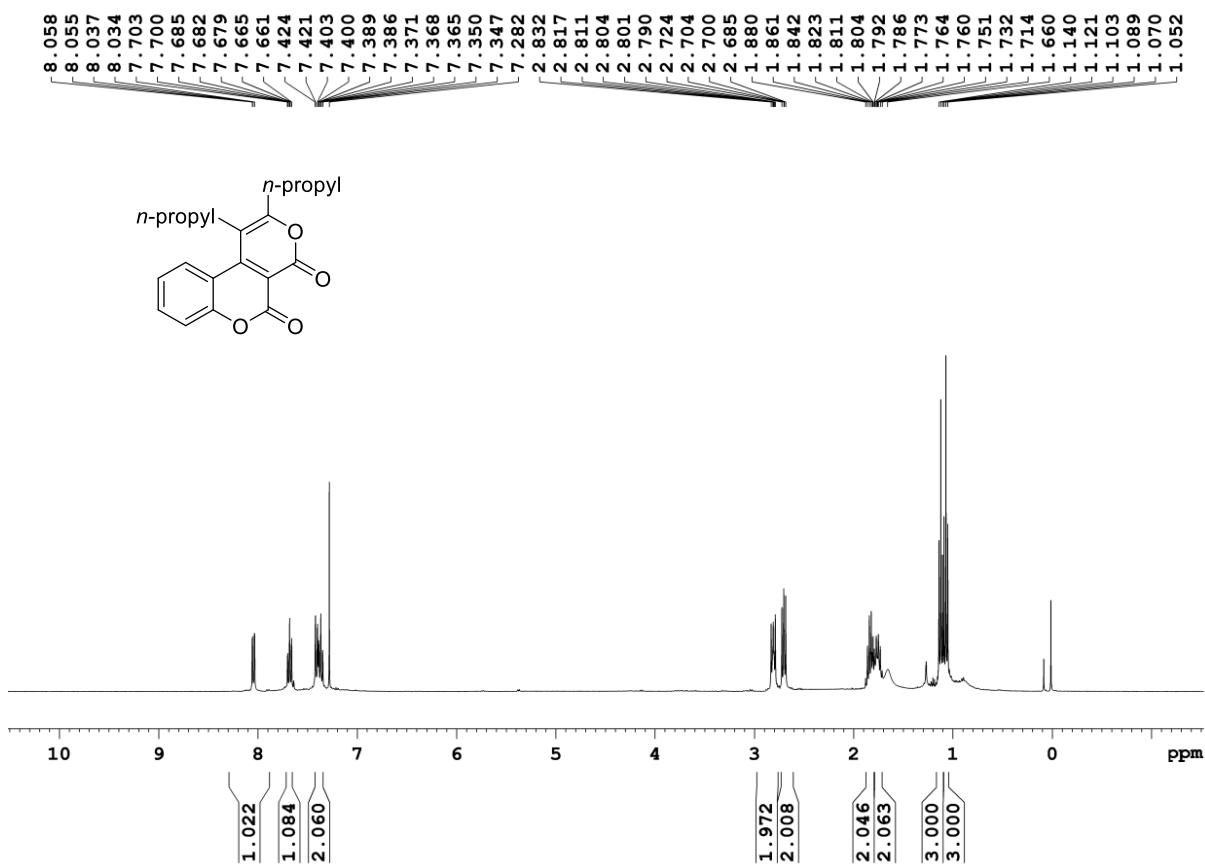
**Figure S79.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound **7ae**



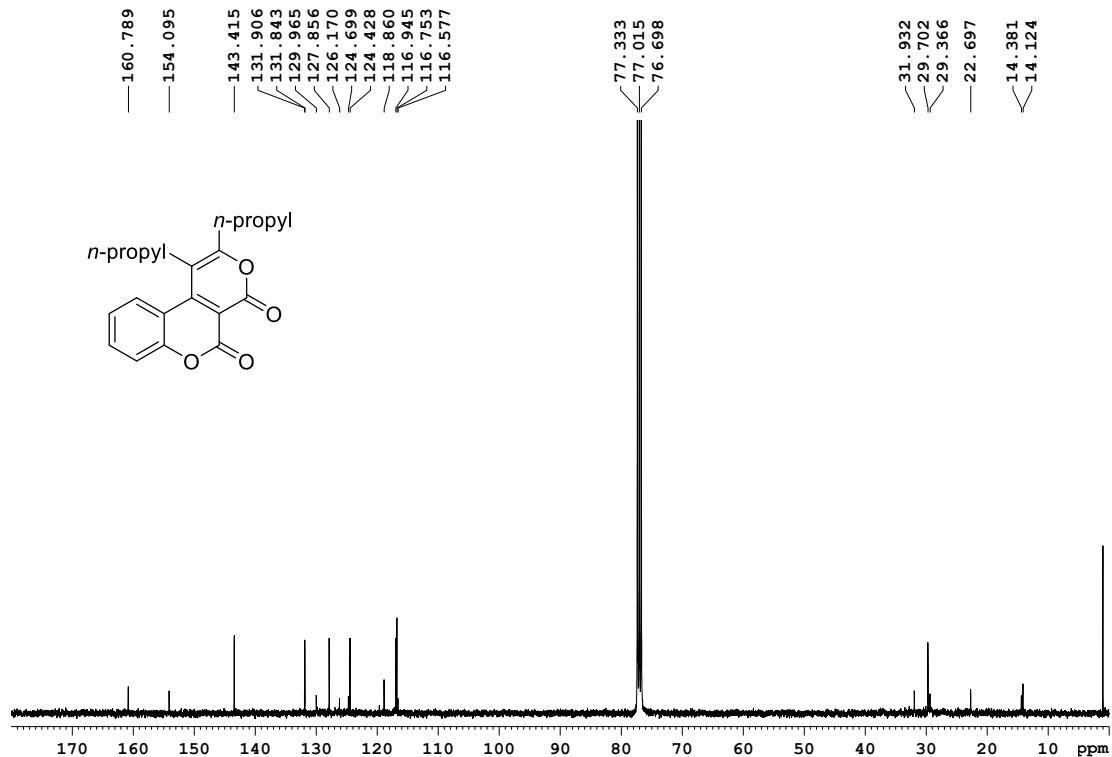
**Figure S80.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound **7ag**



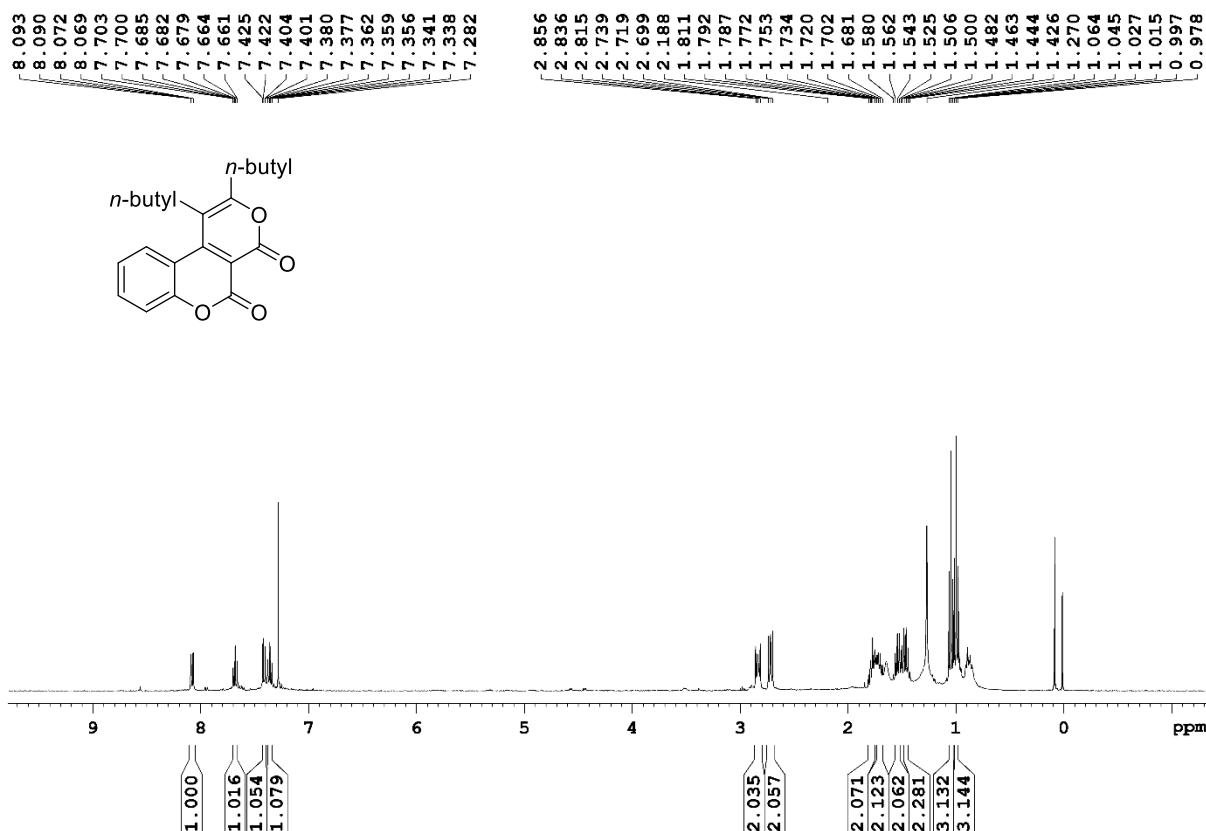
**Figure S81.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound **7ag**



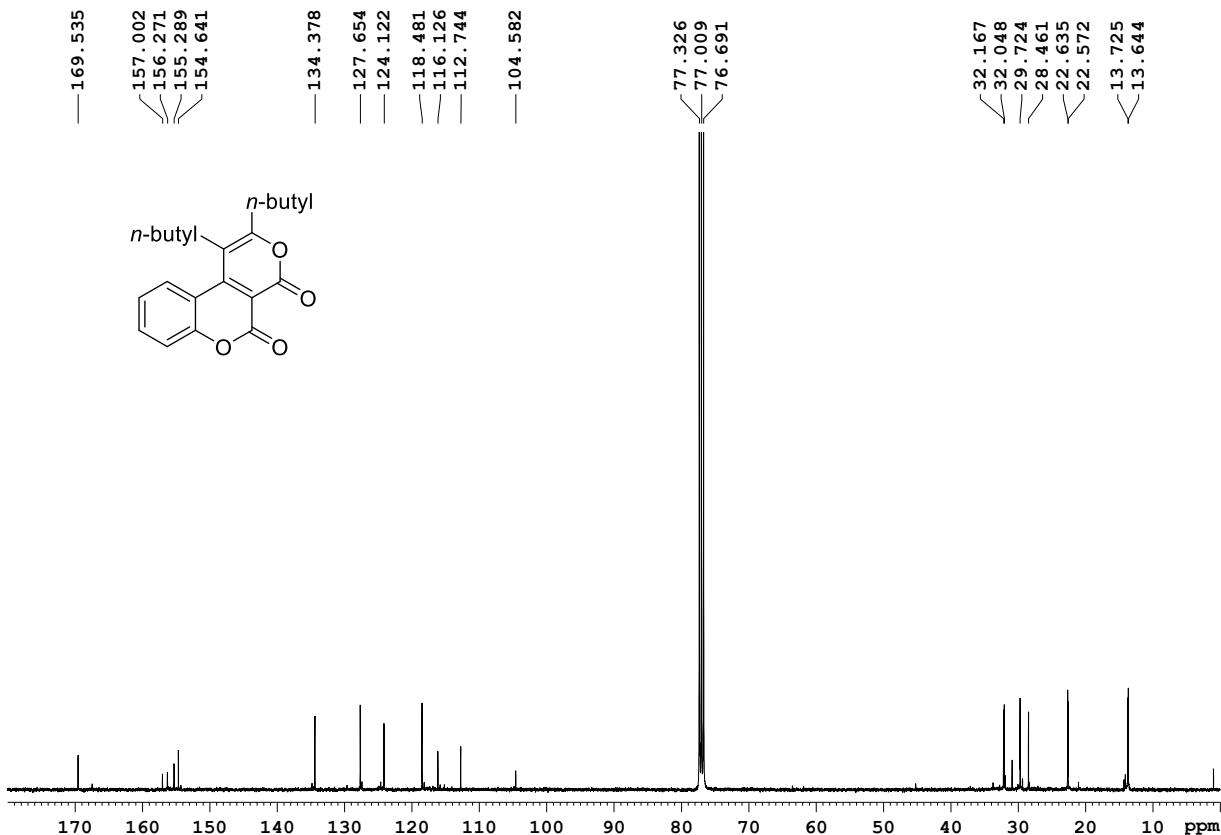
**Figure S82.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound 7ai



**Figure S83.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound 7ai



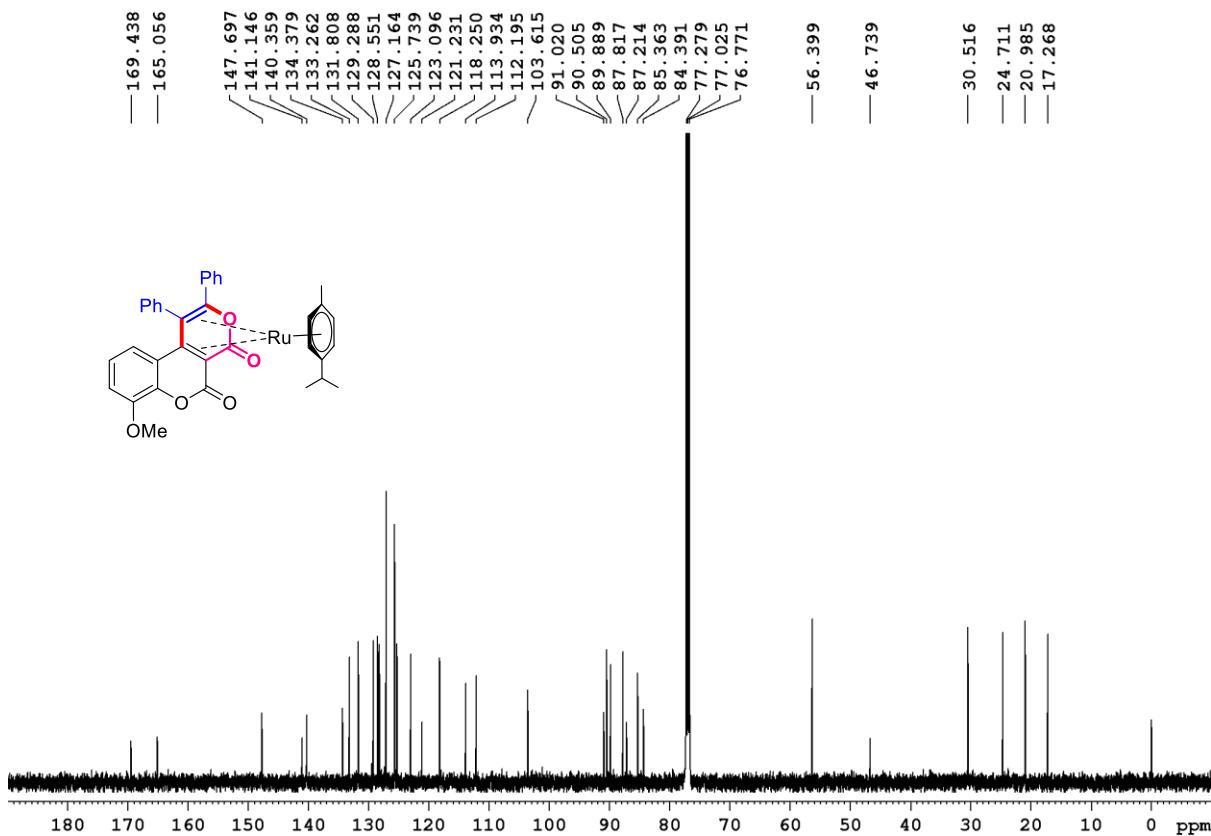
**Figure S84.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound 7aj



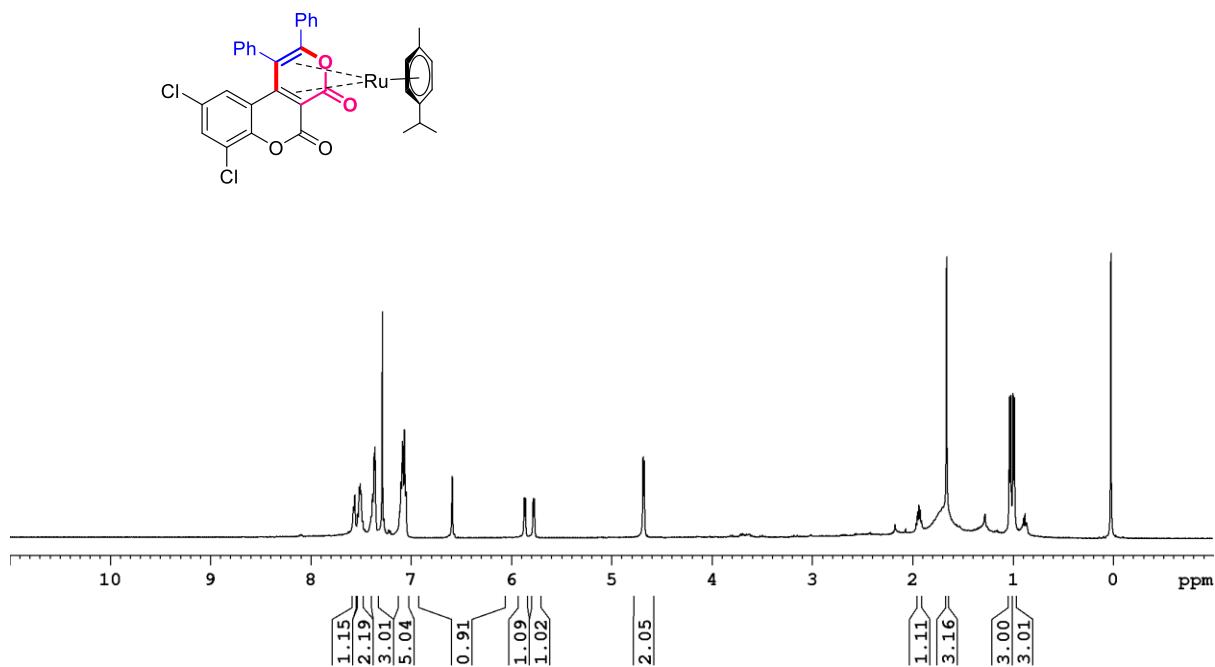
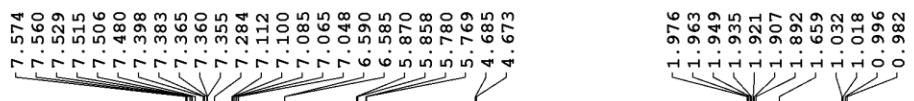
**Figure S85.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound 7aj



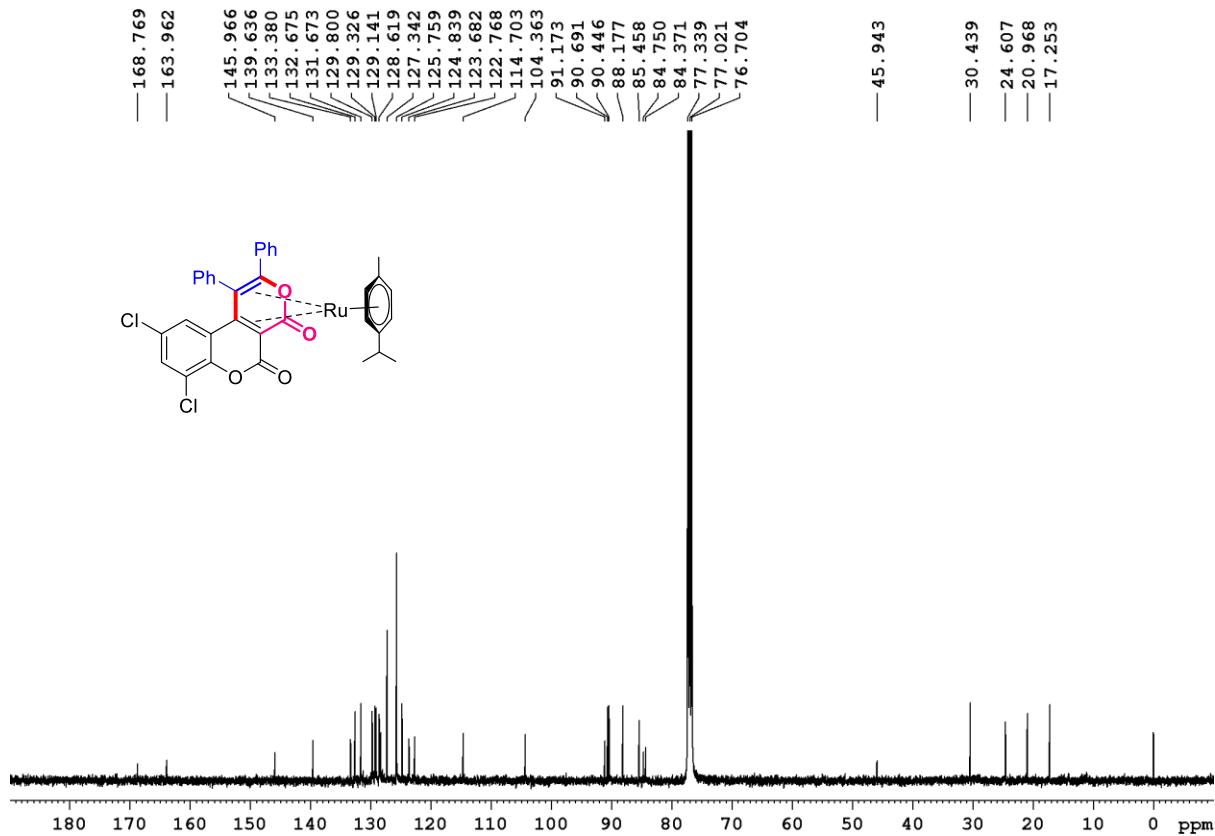
**Figure S86.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound 7'ba



**Figure S87.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound 7'ba



**Figure S88.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound 7'ca



**Figure S89.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum of compound 7'ca

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