

## Electronic Supplementary Information

### P/N-Heteroleptic Cu(I)-photosensitizer-catalyzed domino radical relay annulation of 1,6-enynes with aryldiazonium salts

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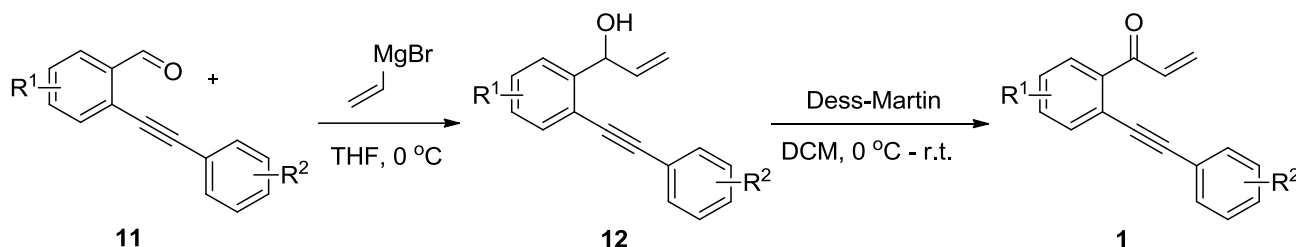
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## 1. General information

All glassware was thoroughly oven-dried. Solvents were dried according to standard methods prior to use. All commercially available reagents were obtained from chemical suppliers and used after proper purification if necessary. Thin-layer chromatography (TLC) plates were visualized by exposure to ultraviolet light. Flash chromatography was carried out using silica gel (100-200 mesh). Melting points are uncorrected. NMR spectra were recorded with tetramethylsilane as the internal standard.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectra of  $\text{CDCl}_3$  solutions were recorded at 500 and 125 MHz (Bruker Avance), respectively and resonances ( $\delta$ ) are given in parts per million relatives to tetramethylsilane. Data for  $^1\text{H}$  NMR are reported as follows: chemical shift ( $\delta$  ppm), mul-tiplicity (s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, q = quartet, m = multiplet, dd = doublet), integration, coupling constant (Hz) and assignment. Data for  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR are reported as chemical shift. GC-MS experiments were performed with an Agilent 6890N GC system equipped with a 5973N mass-selective detector with EI source; High resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were obtained on a TOF MS instrument with EI or ESI source.

## 2. General procedure for the preparation of the starting material **1**<sup>1,2</sup>



General procedure: Vinyl magnesium bromide (1.2 mmol, 1.2 equiv.) was added dropwise to a solution of *ortho*-phenylethynylbenzaldehyde **11**<sup>1</sup> (1.0 mmol, 1 equiv.) in anhydrous THF (0.35 M) at  $0\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$  for 30 min and then stirred at rt for 6 h. The reaction was quenched with aq.  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$  and the organic layers was separated. The aqueous layer was extracted with EtOAc ( $3 \times 20\text{ mL}$ ). The combined organic layers were washed with brine ( $3 \times 10\text{ mL}$ ), dried over  $\text{MgSO}_4$ , and concentrated under reduced pressure to give crude **12**.<sup>2</sup> Crude **12** was used for the next step without further purification.

To a solution of compound **12** (1.0 mmol, 1 equiv.) in DCM was added Dess-Martin

reagent (1.2 mmol, 1.2 equiv.) at 0 °C while stirring. The resulting mixture was then stirred at rt. Upon complete consumption of the starting material as monitored by TLC, the reaction mixture was quenched with saturated aqueous Na<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> and extracted with ethyl acetate (3 × 10 mL). The combined organic layers were washed with brine, and dried over anhydrous Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>. The solvent was evaporated under vacuum and the crude product were purified by column chromatography on silica gel (100-200 mesh), eluting with the indicated mixture of EA/PE (1:10 (v/v)) to give compound **1**.

### **3. Preparation of the starting material aryldiazonium tetrafluoroborates **2** and safety notice of handling **2****

All aryldiazonium tetrafluoroborates (**2**) were synthesized from the corresponding anilines according to the literature procedure and their analytical data are consistent with the reported ones.<sup>3</sup>

**Safety notice of handling 2.** Some aryldiazonium tetrafluoroborates could be explosive and should be handled carefully. Face shields, leather gloves, and protective leather clothing are highly recommended when handling these compounds.

### **4. Preparation of the photosensitizers (*PS 1-PS 5*)**

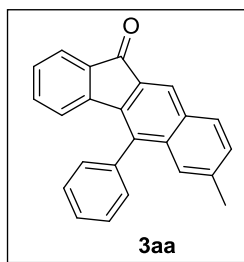
The photosensitizers *PS 1-PS5* were synthesized according to the literature procedure and their analytical data are consistent with the reported ones.<sup>4</sup>

### **5. General procedure for the synthesis of products **3** and characterization**

Typical procedure: 4-methylphenyldiazonium tetrafluoroborate **2a** (1.2 mmol, 247.1 mg, 3 equiv. based on **1a**), *PS 1* (23.0 mg, 5 mol % based on **1a**) and CuSO<sub>4</sub> • 5H<sub>2</sub>O (10.0 mg, 10 mol % based on **1a**) were placed in a 25 mL Schlenk tube. The tube was evacuated and refilled with N<sub>2</sub> three times. 1-(2-(phenylethynyl)phenyl)prop-2-en-1-one **1a** (92.9 mg, 0.4 mmol) and EtOH (4 mL) were added, and the resulting mixture was irradiated with a blue LED lamp (15 W) at 40 °C under N<sub>2</sub> atmosphere for 4 h. Upon completion, the reaction mixture was evaporated and purified by column chromatography on silica gel (100-200 mesh), eluting with the indicated mixture of EA/PE (1:20 (v/v)) to give the pure product **3aa**.

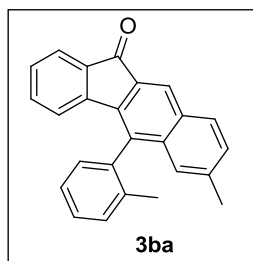
#### **Characterization of the products**

### 7-methyl-5-phenyl-11H-benzo[*b*]fluoren-11-one (3aa)



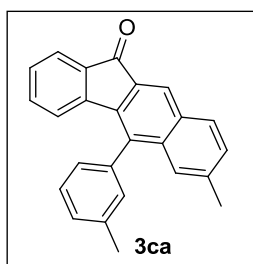
Yellow solid (66.5 mg, 52%). m.p. 159–161 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 8.18 (s, 1H), 7.83 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.75–7.70 (m, 1H), 7.66–7.59 (m, 3H), 7.44–7.38 (m, 2H), 7.33–7.28 (m, 1H), 7.24–7.15 (m, 3H), 6.29 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 2.39 (s, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 193.2, 145.1, 139.3, 137.6, 137.1, 136.6, 135.48, 134.53, 134.1, 131.8, 131.5, 130.6, 129.7, 129.2, 128.9, 128.5, 128.2, 126.4, 125.1, 124.1, 123.7, 22.0. HRMS (ESI) *m/z*: [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd for C<sub>24</sub>H<sub>17</sub>O 321.1279; Found 321.1277.

### 7-methyl-5-(*o*-tolyl)-11H-benzo[*b*]fluoren-11-one (3ba)



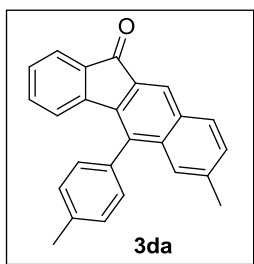
Yellow solid (70.9 mg, 53%). m.p. 146–147 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 8.22 (s, 1H), 7.86 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.76–7.72 (m, 1H), 7.55–7.46 (m, 2H), 7.46–7.40 (m, 1H), 7.33 (dd, *J*<sub>1</sub> = 8.2 Hz, *J*<sub>2</sub> = 1.4 Hz, 1H), 7.27–7.17 (m, 3H), 7.13 (d, *J* = 0.6 Hz, 1H), 6.21 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 2.40 (s, 3H), 2.03 (s, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 193.3, 145.2, 139.5, 137.0, 136.8, 136.7, 136.54, 135.51, 134.9, 133.4, 131.9, 131.7, 130.8, 130.6, 129.8, 129.0, 128.6, 128.6, 126.8, 125.9, 125.0, 124.1, 123.2, 22.1, 19.6. HRMS (ESI) *m/z*: [M+Na]<sup>+</sup> Calcd for C<sub>25</sub>H<sub>18</sub>ONa 357.1255; Found 357.1263.

### 7-methyl-5-(*m*-tolyl)-11H-benzo[*b*]fluoren-11-one (3ca)



Yellow solid (64.2 mg, 48%). m.p. 142–144 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 8.19 (s, 1H), 7.84 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.76–7.71 (m, 1H), 7.52 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.42 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.31 (dd, *J*<sub>1</sub> = 8.2 Hz, *J*<sub>2</sub> = 1.4 Hz, 1H), 7.26–7.18 (m, 5H), 6.33 (dd, *J*<sub>1</sub> = 6.4 Hz, *J*<sub>2</sub> = 1.4 Hz, 1H), 2.49 (s, 3H), 2.41 (s, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 193.3, 145.2, 139.3, 138.9, 137.5, 137.1, 136.6, 135.4, 134.6, 134.3, 131.8, 131.5, 130.6, 130.3, 129.1, 128.9, 128.9, 128.4, 126.7, 126.5, 125.0, 124.0, 123.8, 22.1, 21.6. HRMS (ESI) *m/z*: [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd for C<sub>25</sub>H<sub>19</sub>O 335.1436; Found 335.1439.

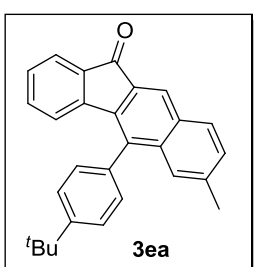
### 7-methyl-5-(*p*-tolyl)-11H-benzo[*b*]fluoren-11-one (3da)



Yellow solid (68.2 mg, 51%). m.p. 179–180 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.19 (s, 1H), 7.84 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.76–7.70 (m, 1H), 7.43 (d,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 2H), 7.33–7.28 (m, 3H), 7.24 (s, 1H), 7.23–7.18 (m, 2H), 6.38 (d,  $J = 6.5$  Hz, 1H), 2.57 (s, 3H), 2.40 (s, 3H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  193.4, 145.3, 139.3, 137.9, 137.3, 136.6, 135.6,

134.6, 134.4, 134.3, 131.8, 131.6, 130.6, 130.0, 129.6, 128.9, 128.5, 126.5, 125.0, 124.1, 123.8, 22.1, 21.5. HRMS (ESI)  $m/z$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{19}\text{O}$  335.1436; Found 335.1440.

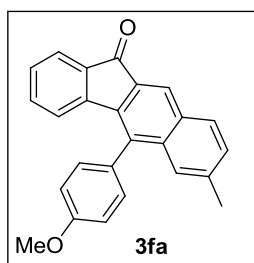
#### 5-(4-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-7-methyl-11H-benzo[*b*]fluoren-11-one (3ea)



Yellow solid (64.8 mg, 43%). m.p. 224–226 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.20 (s, 1H), 7.85 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.74–7.71 (m, 1H), 7.65–7.61 (m, 2H), 7.35–7.30 (m, 3H), 7.27 (d,  $J = 0.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.24–7.15 (m, 2H), 6.26 (d,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 2.41 (s, 3H), 1.50 (s, 9H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  193.4, 151.3, 145.3, 139.3, 137.3, 136.6,

135.7, 134.6, 134.4, 131.8, 131.5, 130.6, 129.3, 128.9, 128.4, 126.5, 126.1, 125.0, 124.1, 123.8, 34.9, 31.5, 22.1. HRMS (ESI)  $m/z$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{25}\text{O}$  377.1905; Found 377.1903.

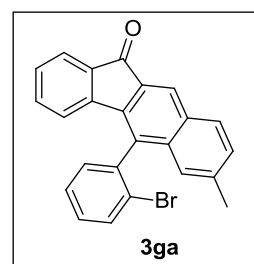
#### 5-(4-methoxyphenyl)-7-methyl-11H-benzo[*b*]fluoren-11-one (3fa)



Yellow solid (42.3 mg, 37%). m.p. 174–176 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.16 (s, 1H), 7.81 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.75–7.69 (m, 1H), 7.32–7.28 (m, 3H), 7.25 (s, 1H), 7.23–7.20 (m, 2H), 7.17–7.13 (m, 2H), 6.43–6.39 (m, 1H), 3.98 (s, 3H), 2.40 (s, 3H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  193.3, 159.5, 145.3, 139.3, 137.5, 136.6, 135.8, 134.5, 133.9,

131.8, 131.5, 130.9, 130.6, 129.5, 128.8, 128.4, 126.4, 124.9, 124.0, 123.8, 114.6, 55.4, 22.1. HRMS (ESI)  $m/z$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{19}\text{O}_2$  351.1385; Found 351.1391.

#### 5-(2-bromophenyl)-7-methyl-11H-benzo[*b*]fluoren-11-one (3ga)

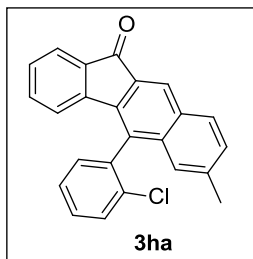


Yellow solid (103.7 mg, 65%). m.p. 232–234 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.25 (s, 1H), 7.91–7.86 (m, 2H), 7.77–7.74 (m, 1H), 7.58 (m, 1H), 7.50 (m, 1H), 7.40 (dd,  $J_1 = 7.5$ ,  $J_2 = 1.7$  Hz, 1H), 7.34 (dd,  $J_1 = 8.2$  Hz,  $J_2 = 1.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.2757.21 (m, 2H), 7.09 (d,  $J_1 = 0.6$  Hz, 1H), 6.27 (dd,  $J_1 = 6.6$  Hz,  $J_2 = 1.0$  Hz, 1H), 2.42 (s, 3H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  193.0, 144.7, 139.7, 138.4, 136.6, 136.2, 135.9, 134.9, 133.5, 132.6,

(125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  193.0, 144.7, 139.7, 138.4, 136.6, 136.2, 135.9, 134.9, 133.5, 132.6,

131.8, 131.61, 131.60, 130.8, 130.1, 129.1, 128.8, 128.3, 125.7, 125.54, 124.45, 124.2, 123.1, 22.1. HRMS (ESI)  $m/z$ :  $[M+H]^+$  Calcd for  $C_{24}H_{16}OBr$  399.0385; Found 399.0377.

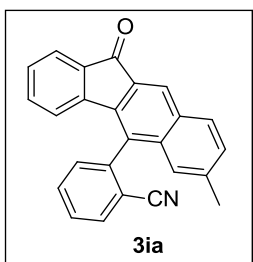
### 5-(2-chlorophenyl)-7-methyl-11H-benzo[b]fluoren-11-one (3ha)



Yellow solid (76.6 mg, 54%). m.p. 224–226 °C.  $^1H$  NMR (500 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.25 (s, 1H), 7.87 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.76 (d,  $J = 7.1$  Hz, 1H), 7.71 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.61–7.56 (m, 1H), 7.55–7.50 (m, 1H), 7.41 (d,  $J = 7.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.34 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.28–7.21 (m, 2H), 7.10 (s, 1H), 6.28 (d,  $J = 7.0$  Hz, 1H), 2.42 (s, 3H).  $^{13}C$  NMR (125 MHz,

$CDCl_3$ ):  $\delta$  193.0, 144.7, 139.7, 136.6, 136.31, 136.29, 136.1, 134.9, 134.4, 131.8, 131.7, 131.6, 130.8, 130.3, 130.0, 129.1, 128.8, 127.7, 125.7, 125.6, 124.2, 123.0, 22.1. HRMS (ESI)  $m/z$ :  $[M+H]^+$  Calcd for  $C_{24}H_{16}OCl$  355.0890; Found 355.0890.

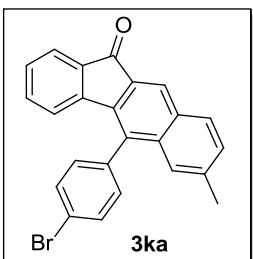
### 2-(7-methyl-11-oxo-11H-benzo[b]fluoren-5-yl)benzotrile (3ia)



Yellow solid (77.4 mg, 56%). m.p. 273–274 °C.  $^1H$  NMR (500 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.28 (s, 1H), 8.00 (dd,  $J_1 = 7.8$  Hz,  $J_2 = 0.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.91–7.85 (m, 2H), 7.81–7.71 (m, 2H), 7.58 (dd,  $J_1 = 7.7$  Hz,  $J_2 = 0.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.36 (dd,  $J_1 = 8.2$  Hz,  $J_2 = 1.3$  Hz, 1H), 7.31–7.24 (m, 1H), 7.24–7.17 (m, 1H), 7.00 (d,  $J = 0.7$  Hz, 1H), 6.12 (d,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 2.41

(s, 3H).  $^{13}C$  NMR (125 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ ):  $\delta$  192.6, 144.2, 141.8, 140.1, 136.7, 136.5, 136.2, 134.7, 133.8, 133.6, 131.7, 131.7, 131.3, 131.0, 129.4, 129.3, 129.2, 129.1, 126.3, 125.3, 124.5, 122.8, 117.1, 114.1, 22.1. HRMS (ESI)  $m/z$ :  $[M+Na]^+$  Calcd for  $C_{25}H_{15}NO$  368.1051; Found 368.1050.

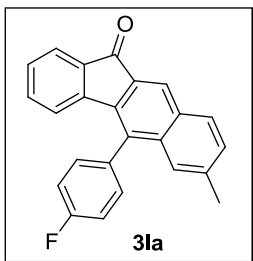
### 5-(4-bromophenyl)-7-methyl-11H-benzo[b]fluoren-11-one (3ka)



Yellow solid (100.6 mg, 63%). m.p. 229–230 °C.  $^1H$  NMR (500 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.19 (s, 1H), 7.87–7.70 (m, 4H), 7.34–7.29 (m, 3H), 7.27–7.23 (m, 2H), 7.15 (s, 1H), 6.42–6.36 (m, 1H), 2.41 (s, 3H).  $^{13}C$  NMR (125 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ ):  $\delta$  193.0, 144.8, 139.6, 136.8, 136.6, 135.6, 134.7, 132.6, 131.8, 131.63, 131.5, 130.7, 129.1, 128.8, 126.1, 125.4, 124.3,

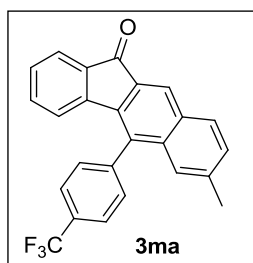
123.6, 122.5, 22.1. HRMS (ESI)  $m/z$ :  $[M+H]^+$  Calcd for  $C_{24}H_{15}ONaBr$  421.0206; Found 421.0204.

### 5-(4-fluorophenyl)-7-methyl-11H-benzo[b]fluoren-11-one (3la)



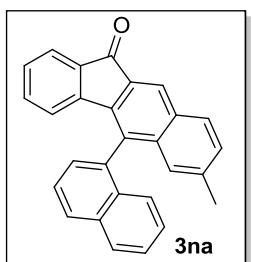
Yellow solid (81.2 mg, 60%). m.p. 209–211 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.18 (s, 1H), 7.83 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.75–7.71 (m, 1H), 7.41–7.30 (m, 5H), 7.26–7.20 (m, 2H), 7.17 (s, 1H), 6.33 (dd,  $J_1 = 6.1$  Hz,  $J_2 = 2.3$  Hz, 1H), 2.41 (s, 3H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 125 MHz):  $\delta$  193.0, 162.8 (d,  $J = 247.5$  Hz), 144.9, 139.5, 137.1, 136.6, 135.8, 134.6, 133.4 (d,  $J = 3.5$  Hz), 132.9, 131.7, 131.5 (d,  $J = 7.7$  Hz), 131.5, 130.7, 129.0, 128.7, 126.2, 125.3, 124.2, 123.6, 116.4 (d,  $J = 21.3$  Hz), 22.1. HRMS (ESI)  $m/z$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{16}\text{OF}$  339.1185; Found 339.1180.

#### 7-methyl-5-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)-11H-benzo[b]fluoren-11-one (3ma)



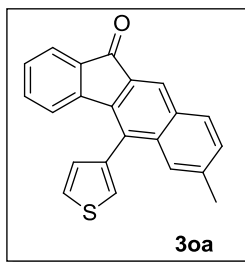
Yellow solid (105.6 mg, 68%). m.p. 209–211 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.17 (d,  $J = 3.5$  Hz, 1H), 7.91 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 7.82 (dd,  $J_1 = 8.2$  Hz,  $J_2 = 2.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.74–7.69 (m, 1H), 7.57 (d,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 2H), 7.32 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.26–7.19 (m, 2H), 7.09 (s, 1H), 6.28–6.23 (m, 1H), 2.41 (s, 3H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  192.7, 144.5, 141.7, 139.8, 136.6, 136.5, 135.5, 134.7, 132.2, 131.7, 131.5, 130.8, 130.6 (q,  $J = 32.5$  Hz), 130.4, 129.1, 128.9, 126.3 (q,  $J = 3.7$  Hz), 125.9, 125.5, 124.3, 124.2 (q,  $J = 272.3$  Hz), 123.4, 22.0. HRMS (ESI)  $m/z$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{16}\text{OF}_3$  389.1159; Found 389.1153.

#### 7-methyl-5-(naphthalen-1-yl)-11H-benzo[b]fluoren-11-one (3na)



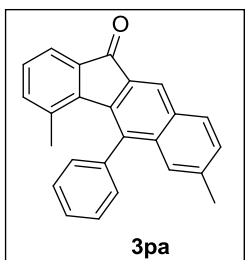
Yellow solid (69.6 mg, 47%). m.p. 215–217 °C.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.31 (s, 1H), 8.13 (d,  $J = 8.3$  Hz, 1H), 8.05 (d,  $J = 8.3$  Hz, 1H), 7.91 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.75–7.69 (m, 2H), 7.57–7.50 (m, 2H), 7.43 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.35–7.29 (m, 2H), 7.17–7.12 (m, 1H), 7.03 (s, 1H), 7.01–6.95 (m, 1H), 5.84 (d,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1H), 2.28 (s, 3H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  193.3, 144.8, 139.6, 137.6, 136.7, 136.6, 135.1, 134.7, 133.9, 132.3, 131.6, 130.7, 129.1, 128.7, 128.5, 128.4, 127.7, 126.7, 126.48, 126.46, 126.1, 125.7, 125.4, 124.0, 123.6, 22.0. HRMS (ESI)  $m/z$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{19}\text{O}$  371.1436; Found 371.1430.

#### 7-methyl-5-(thiophen-3-yl)-11H-benzo[b]fluoren-11-one (3oa)



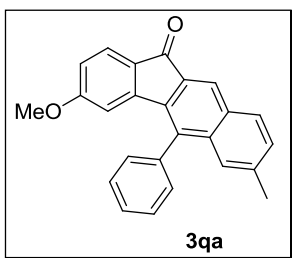
Yellow solid (57.4 mg, 44%). m.p. 201–202 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 8.19 (s, 1H), 7.84 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.76–7.71 (m, 1H), 7.69–7.64 (m, 1H), 7.38–7.35 (m, 1H), 7.34–7.29 (m, 2H), 7.29–7.23 (m, 2H), 7.16 (dd, *J*<sub>1</sub> = 4.8 Hz, *J*<sub>2</sub> = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 6.47–6.41 (m, 1H), 2.43 (s, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 193.2, 145.0, 139.5, 137.5, 137.2, 136.51, 136.46, 134.7, 131.8, 131.4, 130.6, 129.1, 128.99, 128.95, 128.7, 126.9, 126.2, 125.3, 124.2, 124.1, 123.5, 22.1. HRMS (ESI) *m/z*: [M+Na]<sup>+</sup> Calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>14</sub>ONaS 349.0663; Found 349.0660.

#### 4,7-dimethyl-5-phenyl-11H-benzo[*b*]fluoren-11-one (3pa)



Yellow solid (82.8 mg, 62%). m.p. 218–219 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 8.25 (s, 1H), 7.82 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.67 (dd, *J*<sub>1</sub> = 7.2 Hz, *J*<sub>2</sub> = 0.6 Hz, 1H), 7.56–7.50 (m, 3H), 7.48–7.43 (m, 2H), 7.36 (d, *J* = 0.7 Hz, 1H), 7.31 (dd, *J*<sub>1</sub> = 8.2 Hz, *J*<sub>2</sub> = 1.3 Hz, 1H), 7.19 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.11 (dd, *J*<sub>1</sub> = 7.5, *J*<sub>2</sub> = 0.5 Hz, 1H), 2.39 (s, 3H), 1.38 (s, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 193.2, 144.6, 140.1, 139.2, 139.0, 138.2, 137.9, 137.4, 135.6, 134.7, 133.1, 131.8, 131.1, 130.4, 128.9, 128.64, 128.4, 128.0, 127.1, 125.2, 121.9, 22.3, 21.3. HRMS (ESI) *m/z*: [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd for C<sub>25</sub>H<sub>19</sub>O 335.1436; Found 335.1431.

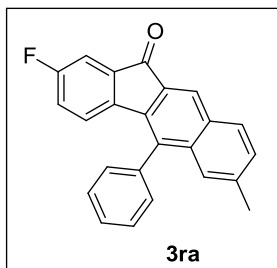
#### 3-methoxy-7-methyl-5-phenyl-11H-benzo[*b*]fluoren-11-one (3qa)



Yellow solid (72.8 mg, 52%). m.p. 169–170 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 8.15 (s, 1H), 7.84 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.68–7.57 (m, 4H), 7.46–7.41 (m, 2H), 7.34–7.30 (m, 1H), 7.24 (s, 1H), 6.70 (dd, *J*<sub>1</sub> = 8.3 Hz, *J*<sub>2</sub> = 2.2 Hz, 1H), 5.77 (d, *J* = 2.2 Hz, 1H), 3.53 (s, 3H), 2.40 (s, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 191.8, 164.8, 147.7, 139.0, 137.5, 136.7, 134.8, 133.9, 132.8, 131.7, 130.5, 129.9, 129.8, 129.2, 128.9, 128.2, 126.4, 125.8, 124.3, 114.7, 108.6, 55.1, 22.0. HRMS (ESI) *m/z*: [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd for C<sub>25</sub>H<sub>19</sub>O<sub>2</sub> 351.1385; Found 351.1388.

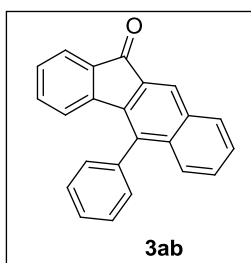
#### 2-fluoro-7-methyl-5-phenyl-11H-benzo[*b*]fluoren-11-one (3ra)





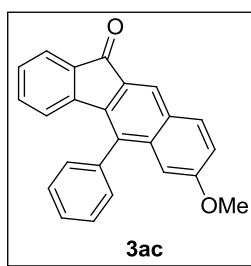
Yellow solid (78.4 mg, 58%). m.p. 206–208 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 8.18 (s, 1H), 7.83 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.66–7.59 (m, 3H), 7.43–7.36 (m, 3H), 7.32 (dd, *J*<sub>1</sub> = 8.2 Hz, *J*<sub>2</sub> = 1.3 Hz, 1H), 7.20 (s, 1H), 6.86 (td, *J*<sub>1</sub> = 8.7, *J*<sub>2</sub> = 2.6 Hz, 1H), 6.23–6.19 (m, 1H), 2.40 (s, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 125 MHz): δ 192.0 (d, *J* = 2.2 Hz), 163.1 (d, *J* = 250.4 Hz), 141.0 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz), 139.7, 138.7 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz), 137.4, 137.2, 134.8, 133.7 (d, *J* = 1.4 Hz), 131.9 (d, *J* = 1.7 Hz), 131.2, 130.7, 129.7, 129.4, 129.0, 128.4, 126.4, 125.5, 125.1 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz), 121.1 (d, *J* = 22.9 Hz), 111.1 (d, *J* = 23.0 Hz), 22.1. HRMS (ESI) *m/z*: [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd for C<sub>24</sub>H<sub>16</sub>OF 339.1185; Found 339.1180.

### 5-phenyl-11H-benzo[*b*]fluoren-11-one (3ab)



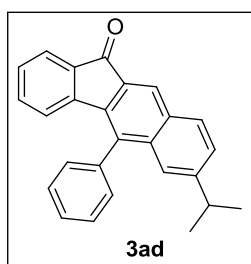
Yellow solid (84.2 mg, 55%). m.p. 230–232 °C (lit.<sup>5</sup> m.p. 232 °C). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 8.24 (s, 1H), 7.94 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.74 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 7.65–7.59 (m, 3H), 7.50–7.40 (m, 5H), 7.25–7.17 (m, 2H), 6.35 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 193.2, 145.1, 137.4, 136.9, 136.5, 135.3, 134.7, 134.6, 133.4, 132.5, 130.8, 129.7, 129.3, 128.9, 128.6, 128.3, 127.1, 126.8, 125.2, 124.2, 123.8.

### 7-methoxy-5-phenyl-11H-benzo[*b*]fluoren-11-one (3ac)



Yellow solid (65.8 mg, 49%). m.p. 126–127 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 8.16 (s, 1H), 7.84 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 1H), 7.74–7.70 (m, 1H), 7.65–7.58 (m, 3H), 7.45–7.39 (m, 2H), 7.25–7.10 (m, 3H), 6.77 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.30 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 3.72 (s, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 193.1, 160.2, 145.0, 138.7, 137.6, 136.7, 136.2, 134.4, 133.5, 132.3, 130.6, 129.7, 129.4, 128.6, 128.4, 128.3, 125.1, 124.0, 123.7, 118.1, 107.1, 55.2. HRMS (ESI) *m/z*: [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd for C<sub>24</sub>H<sub>17</sub>O<sub>2</sub> 337.1229; Found 337.1223.

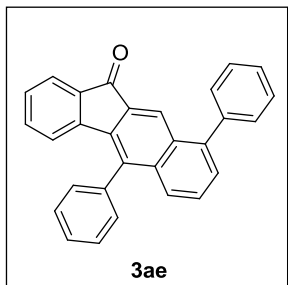
### 7-isopropyl-5-phenyl-11H-benzo[*b*]fluoren-11-one (3ad)



Yellow solid (71.2 mg, 51%). m.p. 166–167 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 8.21 (s, 1H), 7.89 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.7–7.71 (m, 1H), 7.67–7.57 (m, 3H), 7.45–7.38 (m, 3H), 7.26–7.15 (m, 3H), 6.31 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 2.98–2.89 (m, 1H), 1.23 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 6H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 150.1, 145.2, 137.6, 137.1, 136.6, 135.4, 134.6,

134.4, 131.9, 131.9, 130.8, 129.7, 129.2, 128.5, 128.2, 126.1, 125.0, 124.08, 124.06, 123.7, 34.5, 23.7. HRMS (ESI)  $m/z$ :  $[M+H]^+$  Calcd for  $C_{26}H_{21}O$  349.1592; Found 349.1597.

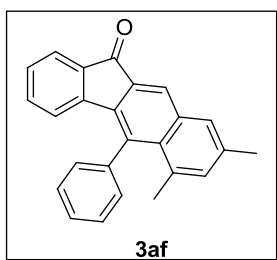
### 5,9-diphenyl-11*H*-benzo[*b*]fluoren-11-one (3ae)



Yellow solid (67.2 mg, 44%). m.p. 208–209 °C.  $^1H$  NMR (500 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.34 (s, 1H), 7.76–7.71 (m, 1H), 7.67–7.61 (m, 3H), 7.58–7.42 (m, 10H), 7.26–7.18 (m, 2H), 6.34 (d,  $J = 7.0$  Hz, 1H).  $^{13}C$  NMR (125 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ ):  $\delta$  193.2, 144.9, 143.4, 134.0, 137.7, 137.3, 136.6, 135.2, 134.8, 134.6, 132.4, 131.7, 130.0, 129.7, 129.3, 128.7, 128.6, 128.3, 128.25, 128.1, 127.7, 126.6, 124.2, 123.8, 123.6. HRMS

(ESI)  $m/z$ :  $[M+Na]^+$  Calcd for  $C_{29}H_{18}ONa$  405.1249; Found 405.1255.

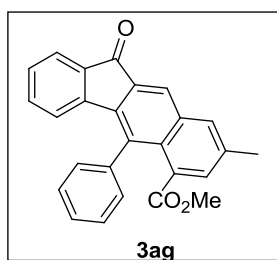
### 6,8-dimethyl-5-phenyl-11*H*-benzo[*b*]fluoren-11-one (3af)



Yellow solid (88.2 mg, 66%). m.p. 193–194 °C.  $^1H$  NMR (500 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.11 (d,  $J = 4.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.70 (d,  $J = 7.3$  Hz, 1H), 7.59–7.50 (m, 4H), 7.44–7.39 (m, 2H), 7.17 (td,  $J_1 = 7.4$  Hz,  $J_2 = 1.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.09 (dd,  $J_1 = 10.6$ ,  $J_2 = 4.5$  Hz, 2H), 5.82 (d,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1H), 2.43 (s, 3H), 1.97 (s, 3H).  $^{13}C$  NMR (125 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ ):  $\delta$  193.2,

145.8, 141.5, 136.9, 136.4, 136.4, 136.1, 135.7, 135.4, 135.2, 134.6, 132.8, 131.6, 129.8, 129.7, 128.8, 128.2, 128.1, 125.8, 123.9, 123.86, 25.0, 20.9. HRMS (ESI)  $m/z$ :  $[M+H]^+$  Calcd for  $C_{25}H_{19}O$  335.1436; Found 335.1444.

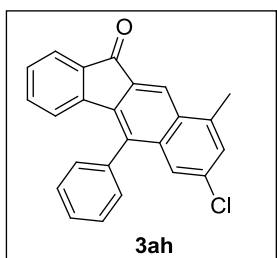
### methyl 9-methyl-11-oxo-5-phenyl-11*H*-benzo[*b*]fluorene-6-carboxylate (3ag)



Yellow solid (81.7 mg, 54%). m.p. 216–217 °C.  $^1H$  NMR (500 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.49 (s, 1H), 7.74 (d,  $J = 7.3$  Hz, 1H), 7.57–7.53 (m, 3H), 7.44–7.38 (m, 3H), 7.35–7.32 (m, 1H), 7.25–7.20 (m, 1H), 7.18–7.11 (m, 1H), 6.00 (d,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1H), 3.23 (s, 3H), 2.80 (s, 3H).  $^{13}C$  NMR (125 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ ):  $\delta$  193.1, 170.2, 145.0, 140.1, 137.7, 137.4, 136.5,

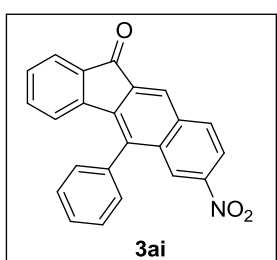
134.8, 134.5, 133.5, 132.8, 132.5, 131.9, 131.2, 129.9, 128.9, 128.6, 128.5, 126.9, 124.2, 124.1, 121.6, 51.9, 20.3. HRMS (ESI)  $m/z$ :  $[M+H]^+$  Calcd for  $C_{26}H_{19}O_3$  379.1329; Found 379.1323.

### 7-chloro-9-methyl-5-phenyl-11*H*-benzo[*b*]fluoren-11-one (3ah)



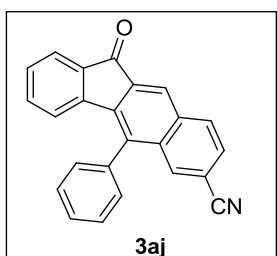
Yellow solid (70.9 mg, 50%). m.p. 203–205 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 8.39 (s, 1H), 7.74 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 7.65–7.60 (m, 3H), 7.40–7.36 (m, 2H), 7.29 (d, *J* = 5.1 Hz, 2H), 7.27–7.18 (m, 2H), 6.28 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 2.75 (s, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 193.1, 144.7, 139.5, 138.2, 137.0, 136.5, 136.3, 134.8, 134.7, 134.3, 132.3, 131.0, 129.6, 129.4, 128.9, 128.6, 128.4, 124.4, 124.3, 123.9, 121.2, 19.6. HRMS (ESI) *m/z*: [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd for C<sub>24</sub>H<sub>16</sub>OCl 355.0890; Found 355.0889.

#### 7-nitro-5-phenyl-11H-benzo[b]fluoren-11-one (3ai)



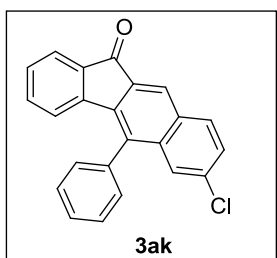
Yellow solid (26.3 mg, 25%). m.p. 236–237 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 8.36 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 8.27–8.21 (m, 2H), 8.07 (d, *J* = 11.0 Hz, 1H), 7.76 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 1H), 7.67 (d, *J* = 4.5 Hz, 1H), 7.66–7.65 (m, 3H), 7.43–7.34 (m, 3H), 6.38 (d, *J* = 9.5 Hz, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 193.2, 147.6, 144.5, 137.2, 136.3, 136.2, 136.1, 135.7, 135.6, 135.3, 132.0, 129.8, 129.7, 129.6, 129.5, 129.2, 124.6, 124.3, 124.2, 123.1, 120.3. HRMS (ESI) *m/z*: [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd for C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>14</sub>NO<sub>3</sub> 352.0974; Found 352.0971.

#### 11-oxo-5-phenyl-11H-benzo[b]fluorene-7-carbonitrile (3aj)



Yellow solid (16.9 mg, 17%). m.p. 235–236 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 8.23 (s, 1H), 8.02 (d, *J* = 10.5 Hz, 1H), 7.81 (s, 1H), 7.66 (d, *J* = 4.5 Hz, 1H), 7.65–7.63 (m, 4H), 7.39–7.37 (m, 2H), 7.26–7.23 (m, 2H), 6.37 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 192.4, 144.5, 137.0, 136.3, 136.2, 135.9, 135.3, 135.1, 135.0, 134.8, 132.7, 131.6, 129.7, 129.5, 129.1, 127.5, 124.6, 124.5, 124.2, 118.8, 112.1. HRMS (ESI) *m/z*: [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd for C<sub>24</sub>H<sub>14</sub>NO 332.1075; Found 332.1077.

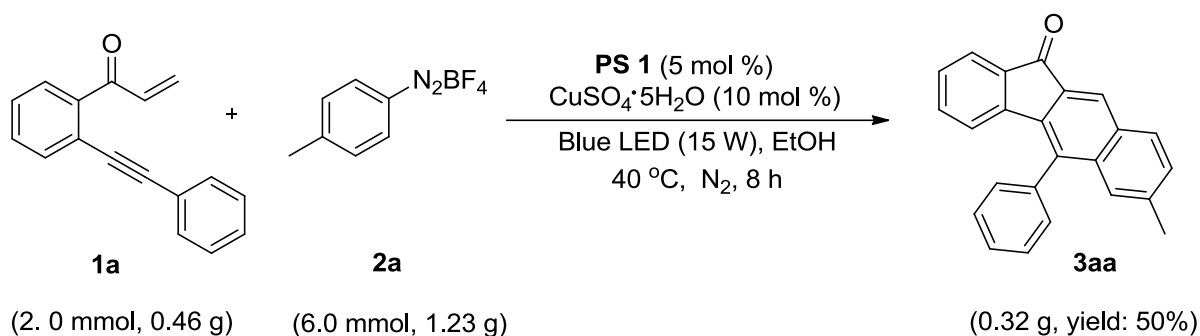
#### 7-chloro-5-phenyl-11H-benzo[b]fluoren-11-one (3ak)



Yellow solid (30.6 mg, 30%). m.p. 184–185 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 8.15 (s, 1H), 7.84 (d, *J* = 11.0 Hz, 1H), 7.71 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 1H), 7.62–7.61 (m, 3H), 7.40–7.36 (m, 4H), 7.23–7.18 (m, 2H), 6.30 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 1H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 192.9, 144.7, 137.8, 136.6, 136.5, 135.3, 134.9, 133.8, 132.8, 132.0, 131.7, 129.6, 129.5, 129.0, 128.7, 127.7, 126.2, 124.8, 124.3, 124.0. HRMS (ESI) *m/z*: [M+H]<sup>+</sup> Calcd for

C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>14</sub>ClO 341.0733; Found 341.0729.

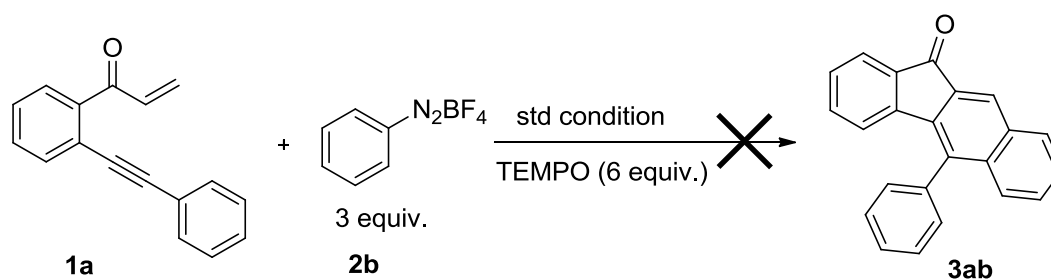
## 6. Scale-up experiment



4-Methylphenyldiazonium tetrafluorborate **2a** (6.0 mmol, 1.23 g, 3 equiv. based on **1a**), **PS 1** (0.12 g, 5 mol % based on **1a**) and **CuSO<sub>4</sub> · 5H<sub>2</sub>O** (50.0 mg, 10 mol % based on **1a**) were placed in a 50 mL Schlenk tube. The tube was evacuated and refilled with N<sub>2</sub> three times. 1-(2-(phenylethynyl)phenyl)prop-2-en-1-one **1a** (0.46 g, 2.0 mmol) and EtOH (20 mL) were added, and the resulting mixture was irradiated with a blue LED lamp (15 W) at 40 °C under N<sub>2</sub> atmosphere for 8 h. Upon completion, the reaction mixture was evaporated and purified by column chromatography on silica gel (100-200 mesh), eluting with the indicated mixture of EA/PE (1:20 (v/v)) to give the pure product **3aa** (0.32 g, 50% yield).

## 7. Mechanistic experiments.

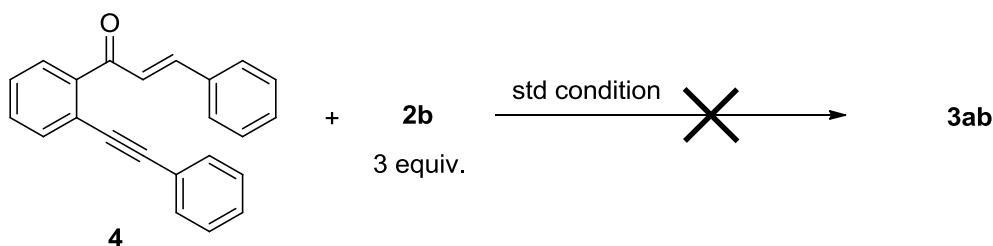
### 7.1 Radical scavenging experiment



To a 25 mL Schlenk tube were added **1a** (92.9 mg, 0.4 mmol), **2b** (229.2 mg, 1.2 mmol), TEMPO (375.0 mg, 2.4 mmol, 6.0 equiv. based on **1a**), **PS 1** (23.0 mg, 5 mol % based on **1a**) and **CuSO<sub>4</sub> · 5H<sub>2</sub>O** (10.0 mg, 10 mol % based on **1a**), the tube was evacuated and refilled with N<sub>2</sub> for three times. Then 4 mL EtOH was added under nitrogen atmosphere. The reaction mixture was irradiated at a distance of 3 cm from 15 W blue LED light. The reaction mixture was stirred at 40 °C for 4 h. Upon completion, the reaction mixture was sent for GC analysis

and none of the desired product **3ab** was detected.

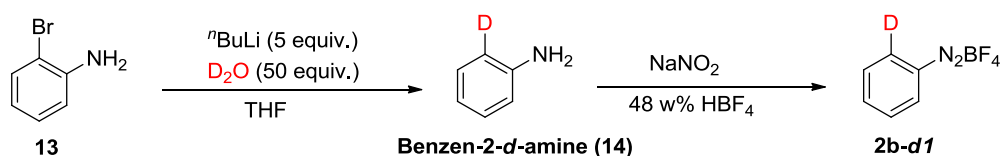
### 7.2 Subjection of **4** to the standard reaction conditions.



To a 25 mL Schlenk tube were added **4**<sup>6</sup> (123.2 mg, 0.4 mmol), **2b** (229.2 mg, 1.2 mmol), *PS 1* (23.0 mg, 5 mol % based on **4**) and CuSO<sub>4</sub> • 5H<sub>2</sub>O (10.0 mg, 10 mol % based on **4**), the tube was evacuated and refilled with N<sub>2</sub> for three times. Then 4 mL EtOH was added under nitrogen atmosphere. The reaction mixture was irradiated at a distance of 3 cm from 15 W blue LED light. The reaction mixture was stirred at 40 °C for 4 h. Upon completion, the reaction mixture was sent for GC analysis and none of the desired product **3ab** was detected. The starting material **4** was almost quantitatively recovered.

### 7.3 Intramolecular H/D competition experiment

#### Synthesis of **2b-d1**<sup>7</sup>

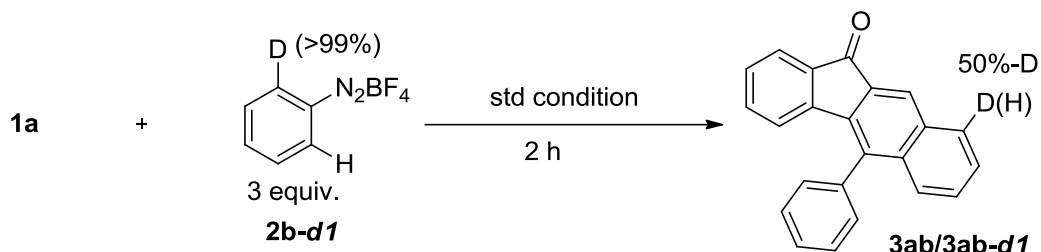


In a 100 mL of flask, <sup>n</sup>BuLi (80 mmol, 32 mL, 2.5 M in hexane) was added to 2-bromoaniline **13** (16 mmol, 2.75 g) in THF (20 mL) under N<sub>2</sub> atmosphere, and the mixture was stirred at -78 °C for 1 h. Then the mixture was warmed to rt and stirred for 1 h. D<sub>2</sub>O (0.8 mol, 14.4 mL) was added to the reaction at -78 °C, which was warmed to rt and stirred for 1 h. The reaction mixture was quenched with water (20 mL) and extracted with ethyl acetate (50 mL × 2). The organic layer were combined, dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by chromatography to give **Benzen-2-d-amine 14** (601 mg, 40%) whose deuterated rate is >99%.

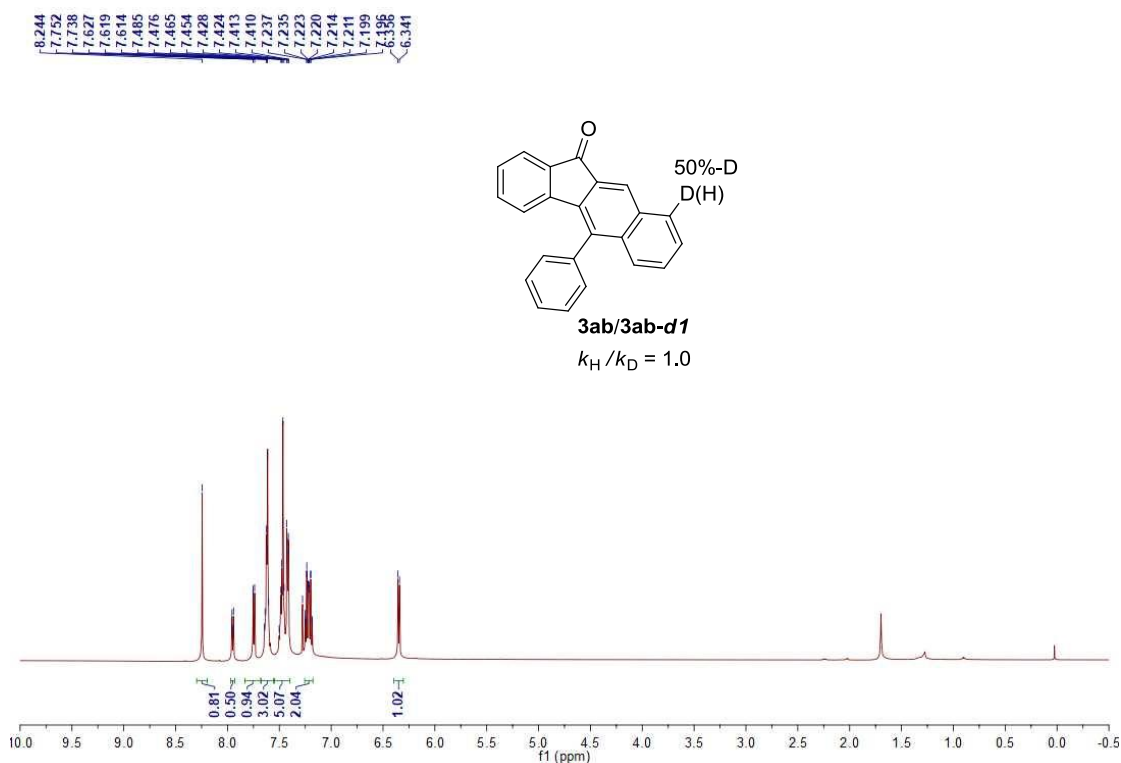
**Benzen-2-d-amine 14** (5 mmol, 470 mg) was added to a mixture of 50% HBF<sub>4</sub> (1.5 mL) and distilled water (3 mL) in ice bath. To this solution, an ice-cold solution of sodium nitrite (352 mg, 1.02 equiv.) in distilled water (1.5 mL) was added. After stirring for 30 mins, the

precipitate was collected on a hirsch funnel and washed with small amount of ice-cold distilled water. The solid was dissolved in acetone and precipitated with slow addition of ethyl ether. **2b-d1** were obtained after repeat this trituration two to three times. (771 mg, 80%).

**Subjection 2b-d1 to react with 1a under the standard reaction conditions:**



**1a** (92.9 mg, 0.4 mmol), **2b-d1** (231.5 mg, 1.2 mmol), **PS 1** (23.0 mg, 5 mol % based on **1a**) and  $\text{CuSO}_4 \cdot 5\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (10.0 mg, 10 mol % based on **1a**), the tube was evacuated and refilled with  $\text{N}_2$  for three times. Then 4 mL EtOH was added under nitrogen atmosphere. The reaction mixture was irradiated at a distance of 3 cm from 15 W blue LED light. The reaction mixture was stirred at 40 °C for 2 h. Upon completion, the reaction mixture was evaporated and purified by column chromatography on silica gel (100-200 mesh), eluting with the indicated mixture of EA/PE (1:20 (v/v)) to give the pure product **3ab/3ab-d1** (46.9 mg, 40%). The  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectra of **3ab/3ab-d1** and the calculated D incorporated rate are listed as below:



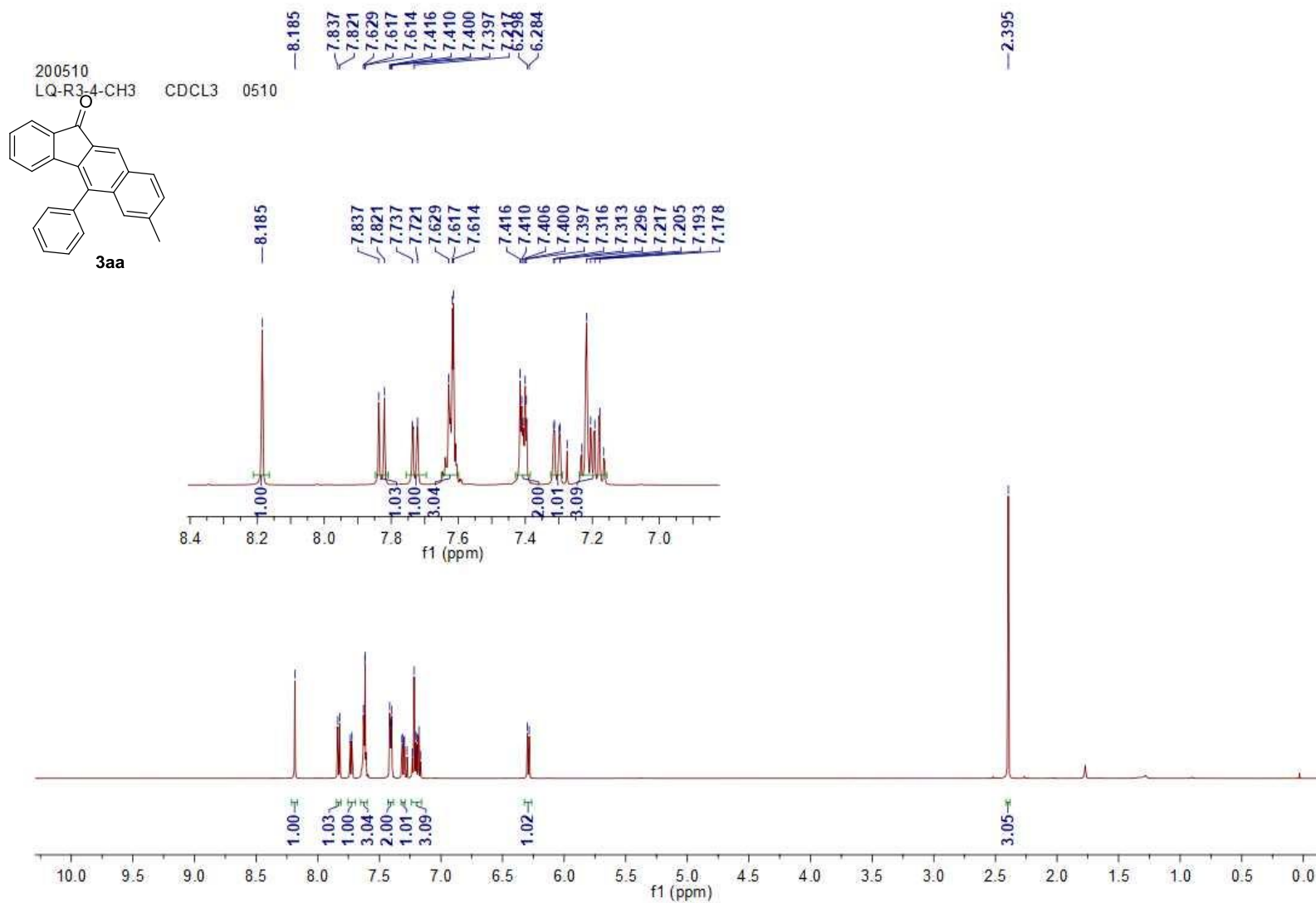
Analytical data of **3ab/3ab-d1**:  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.24 (s, 1H), 7.94 (d,  $J = 7.3$  Hz, 0.5H), 7.74 (d,  $J = 7.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.65–7.59 (m, 3H), 7.50–7.40 (m, 5H), 7.25–7.17 (m, 2H), 6.35 (d,  $J = 7.4$  Hz, 1H).

When **2b-d1** was used, the reaction did not exhibit a primary kinetic isotope effect in the intramolecular competition experiment ( $k_{\text{H}}/k_{\text{D}} = 1.0$ ), suggesting that the C-H bond cleavage in the late-stage cyclization process is not the rate-determining step.

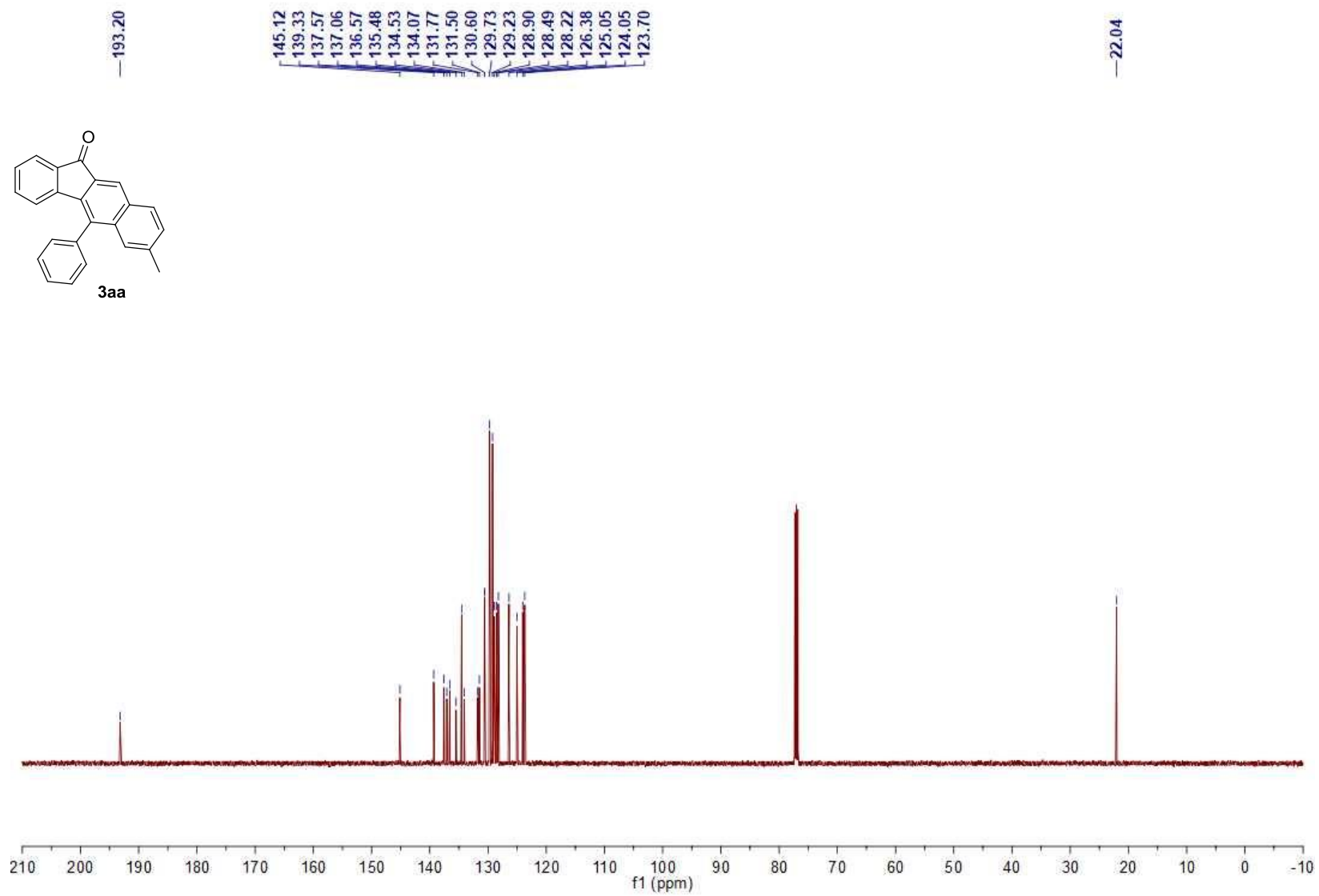
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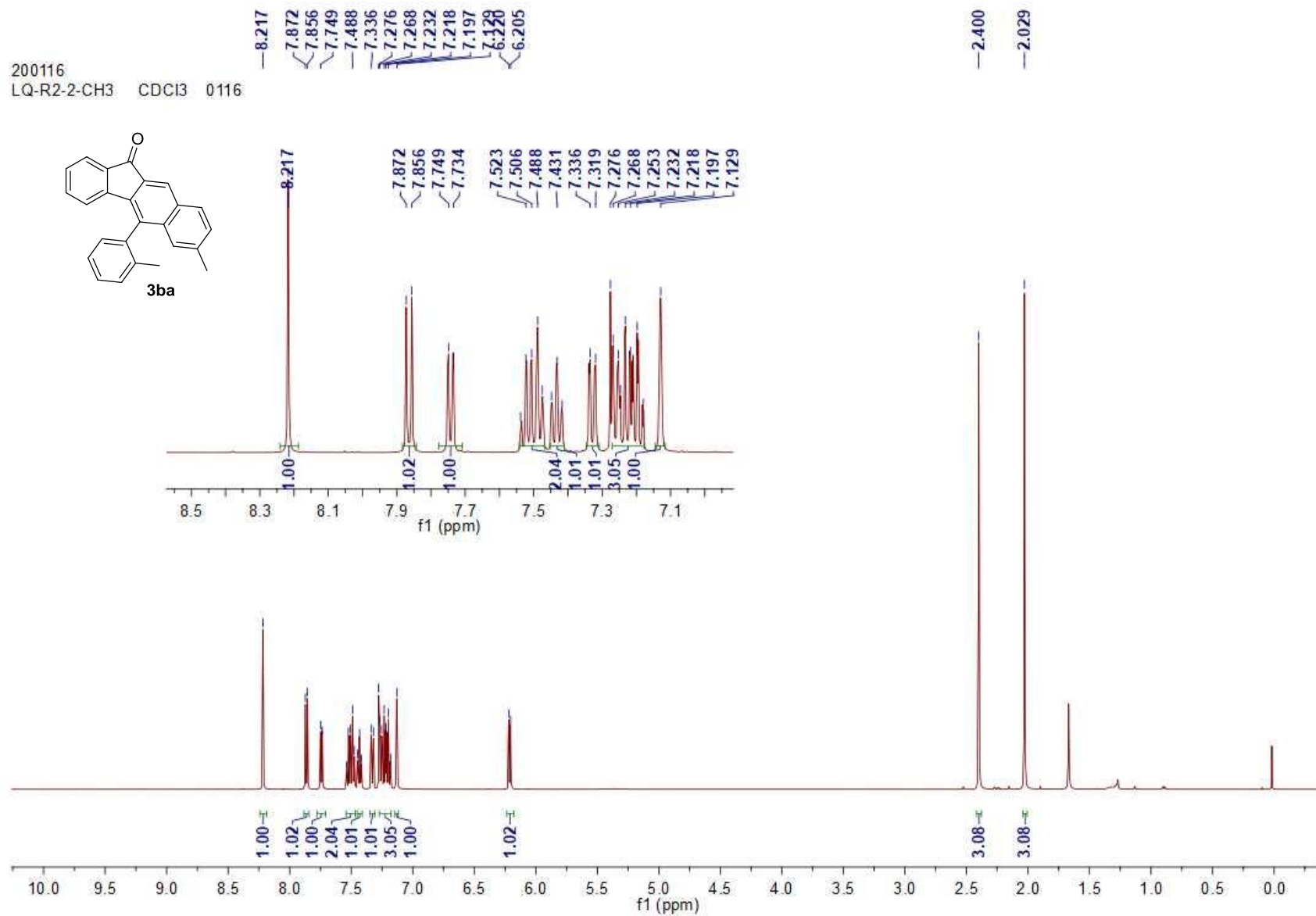
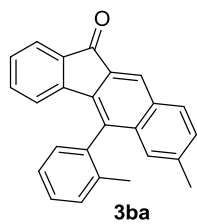
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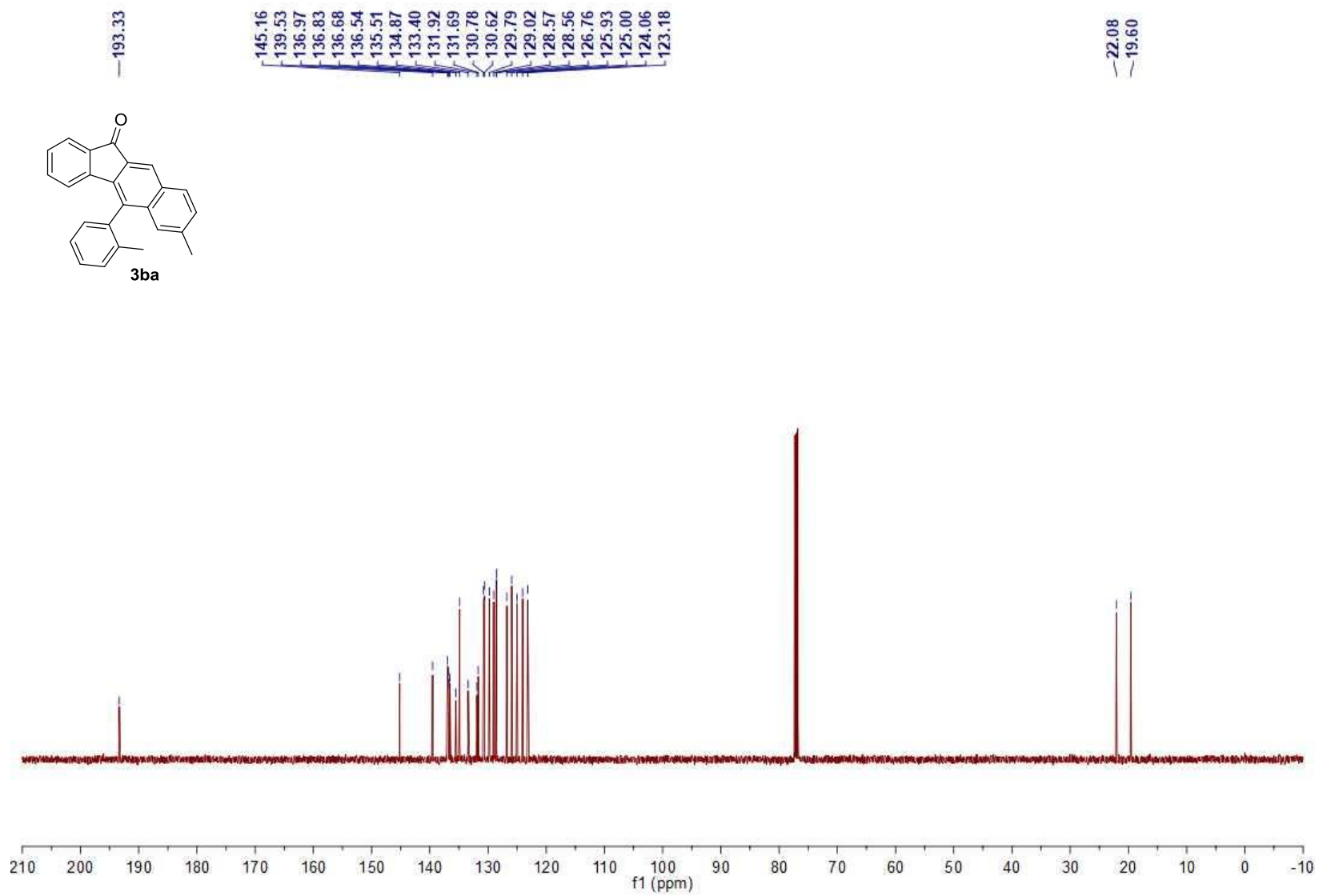




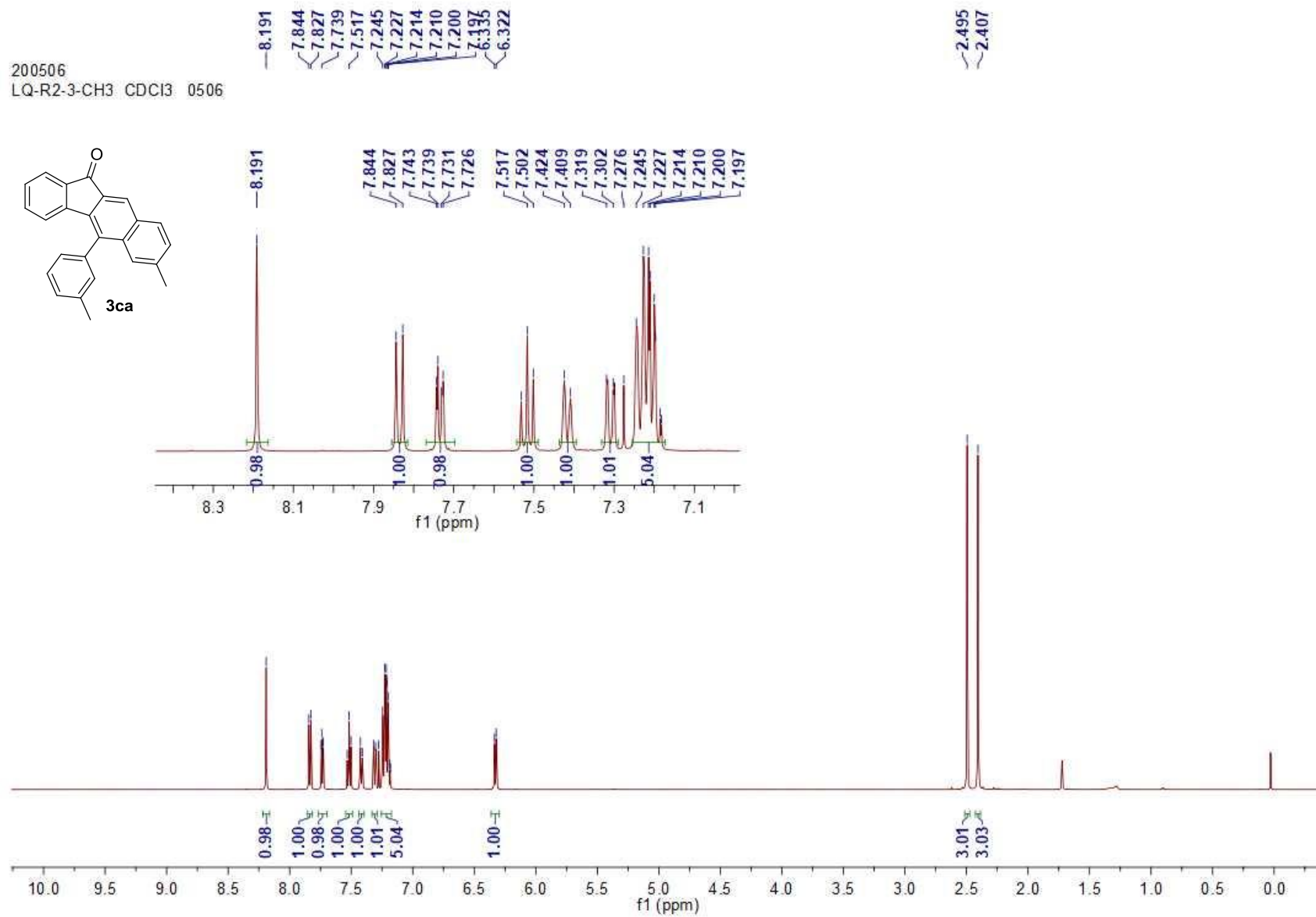
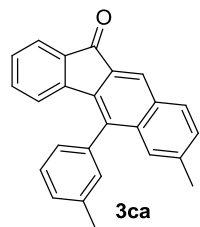


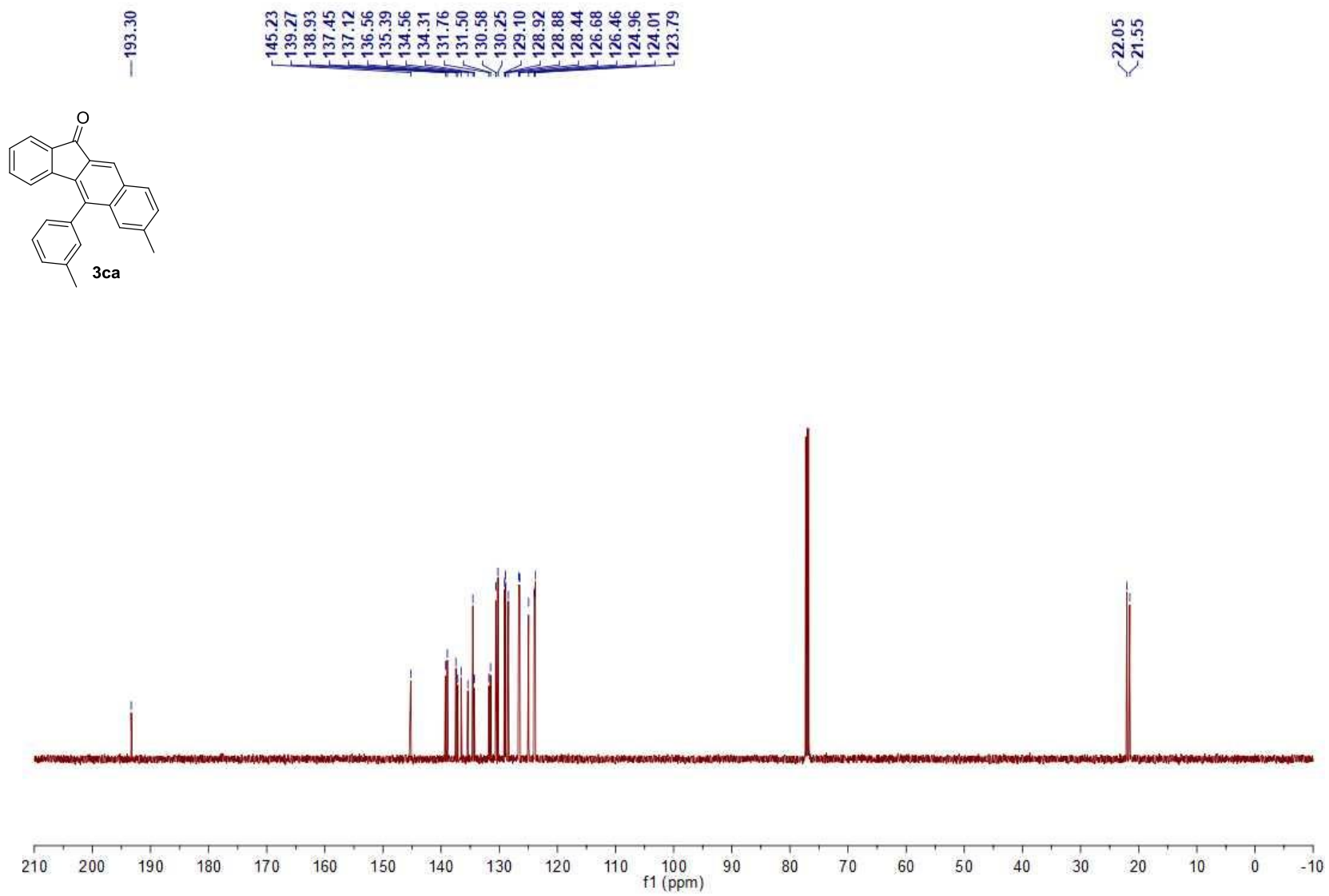
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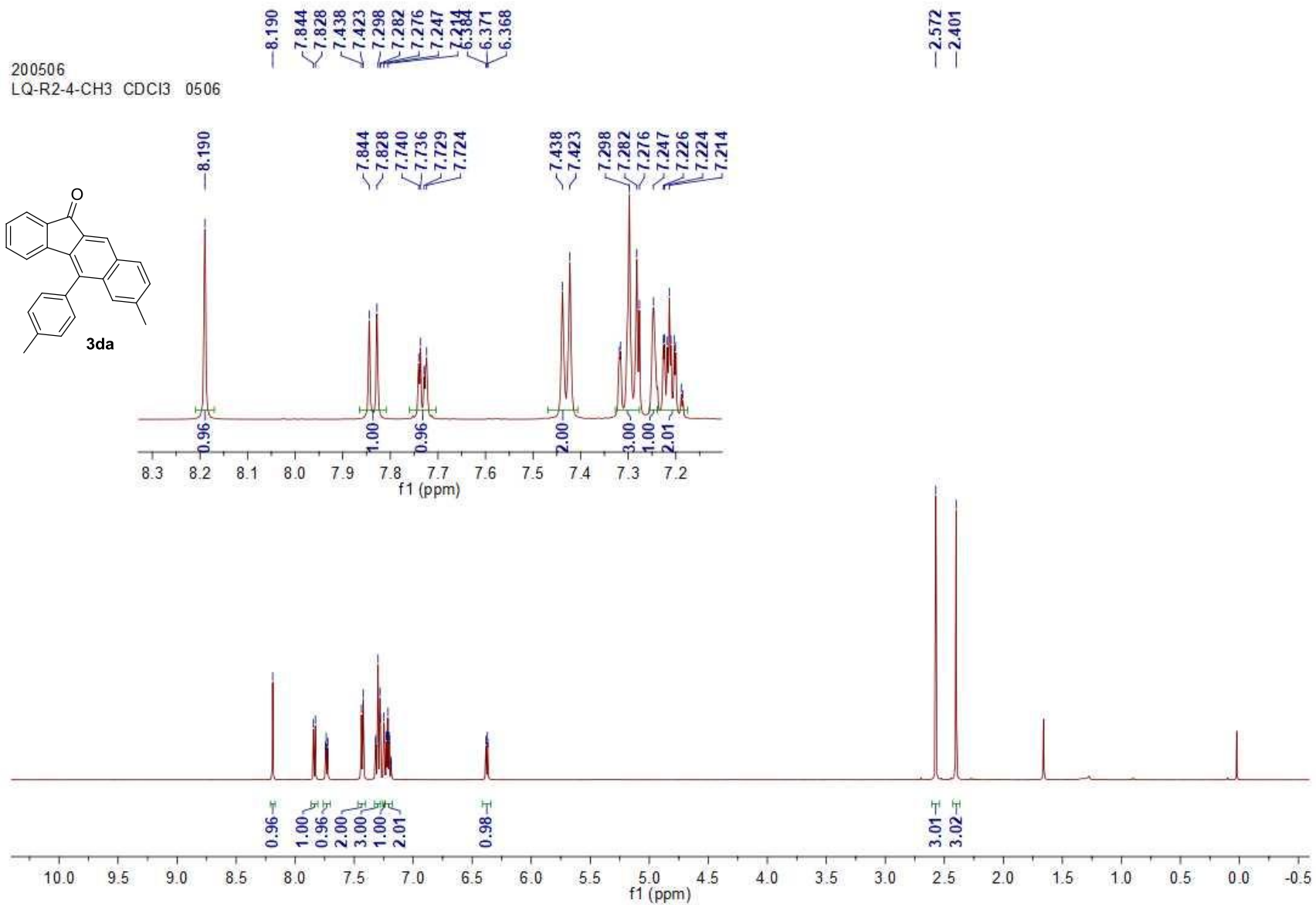
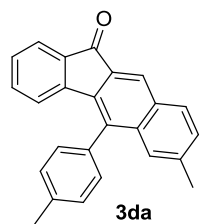


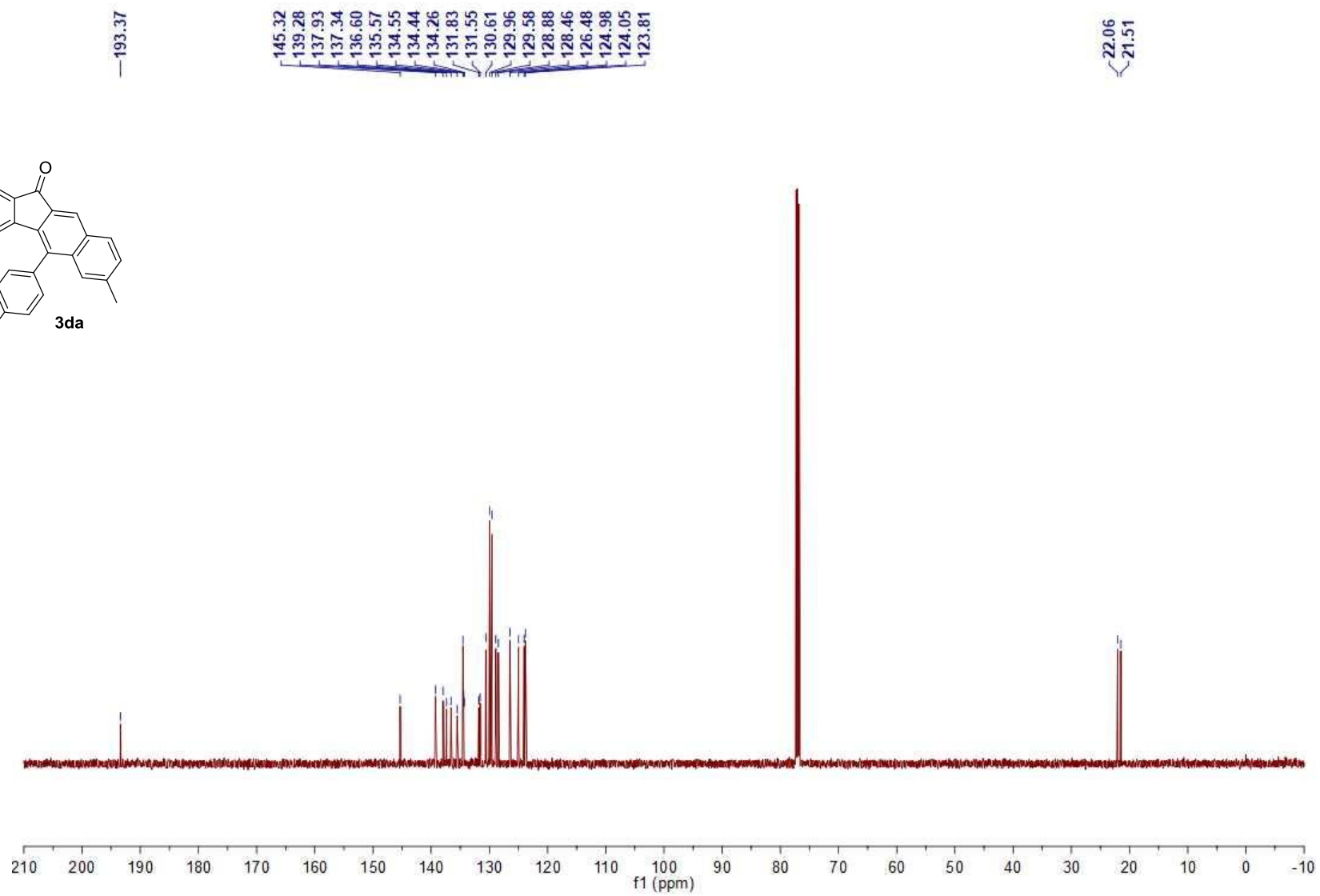
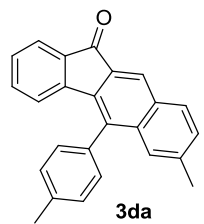
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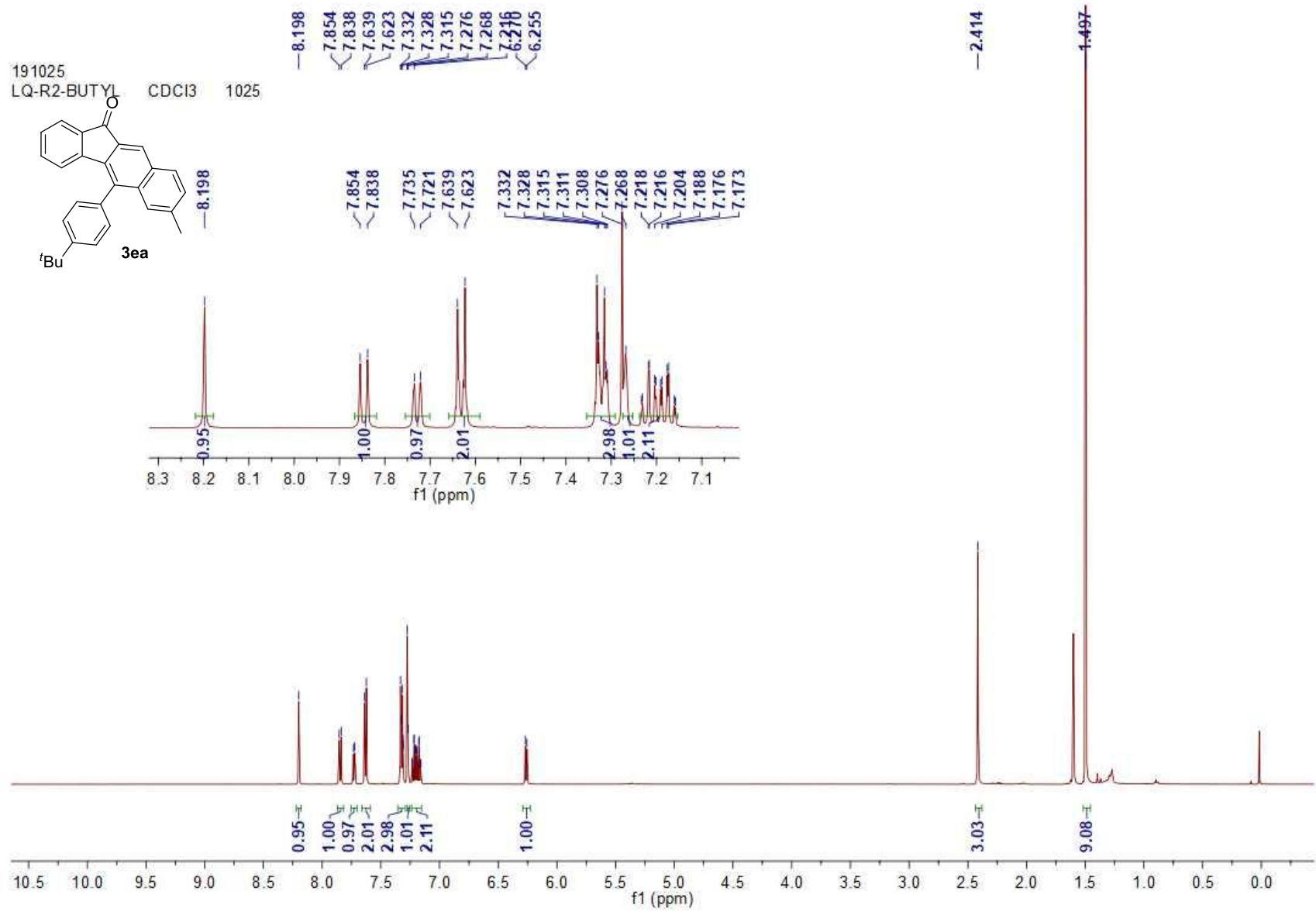




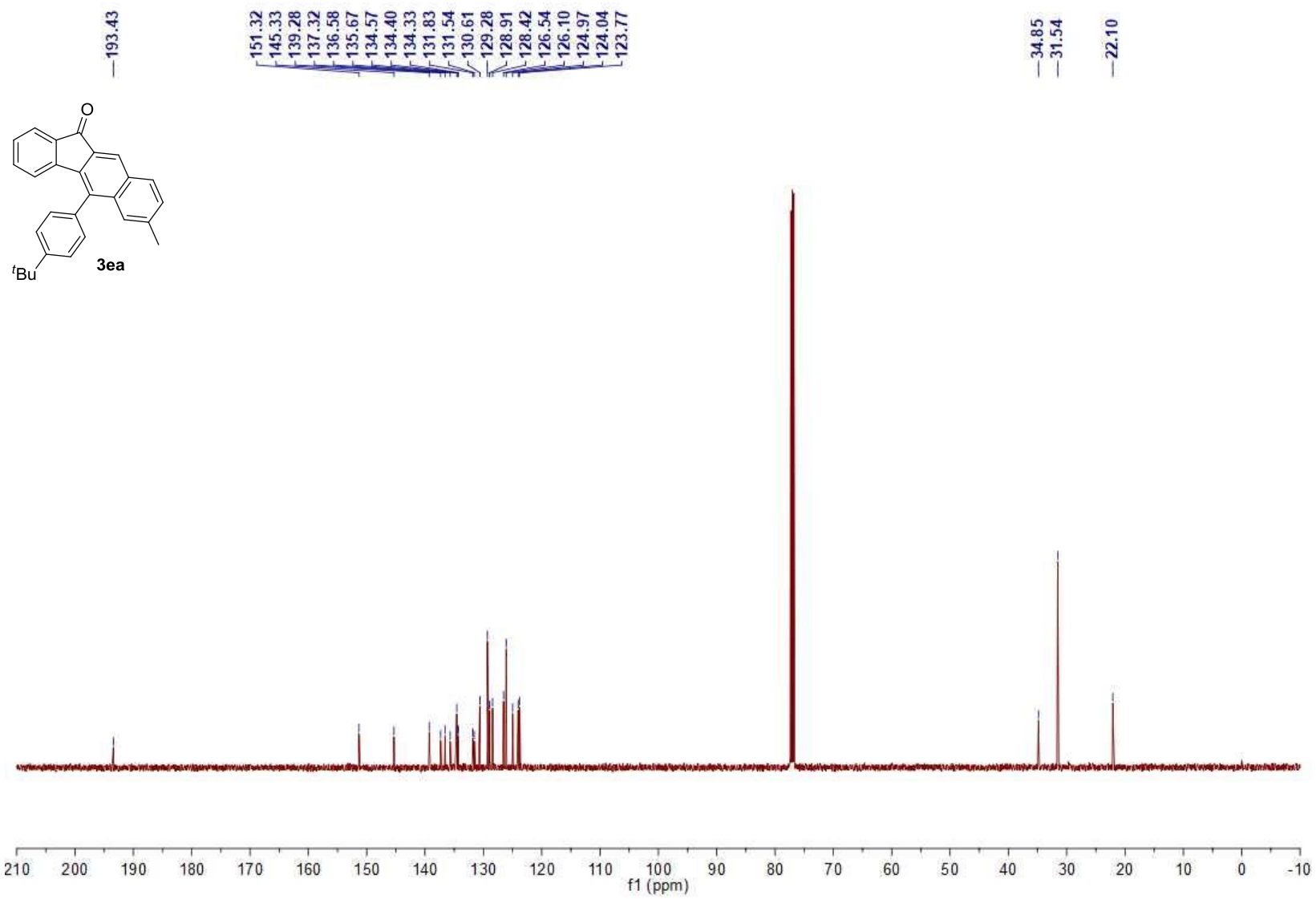
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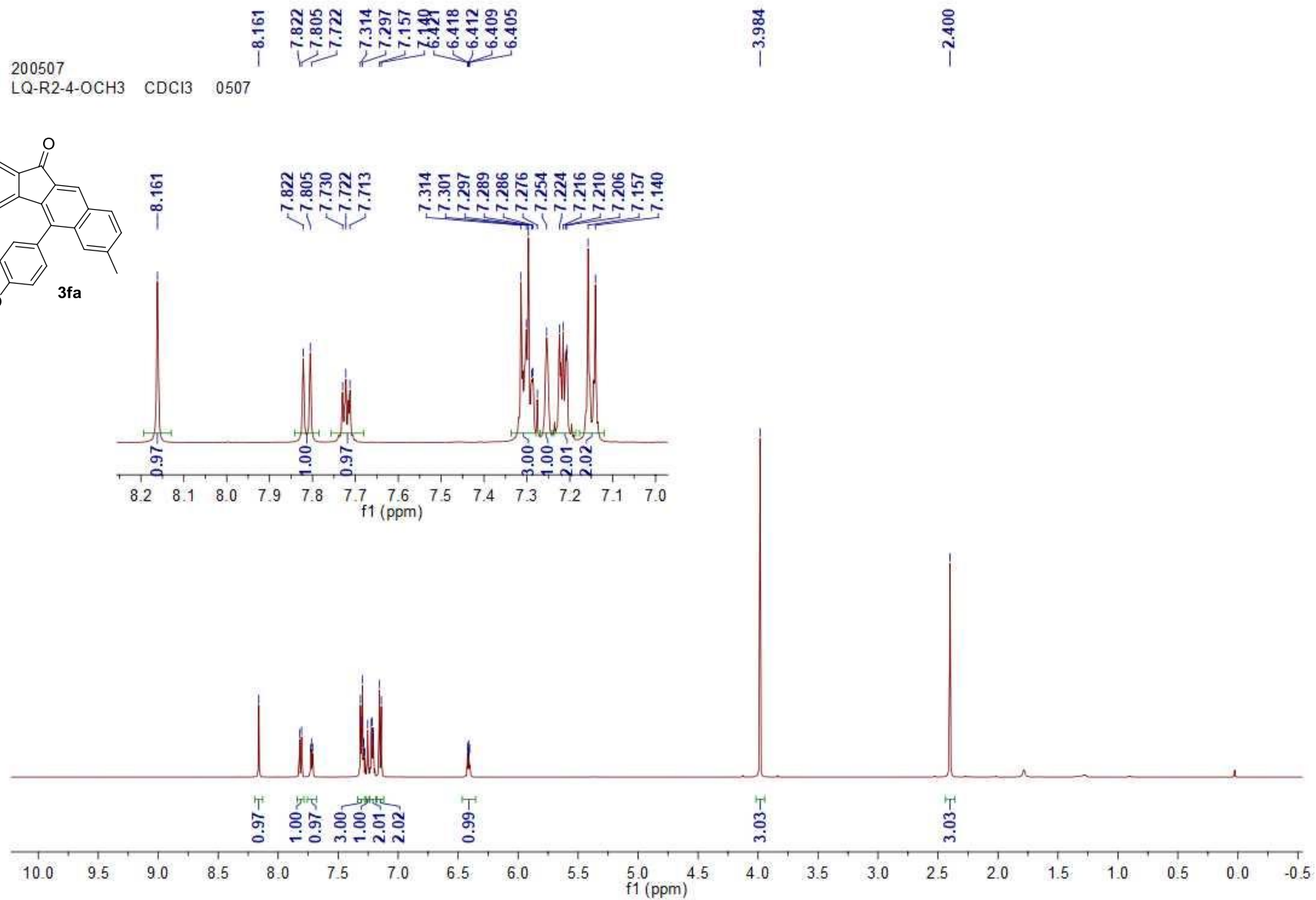
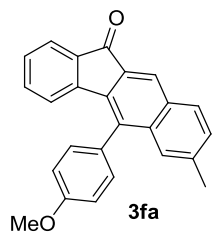


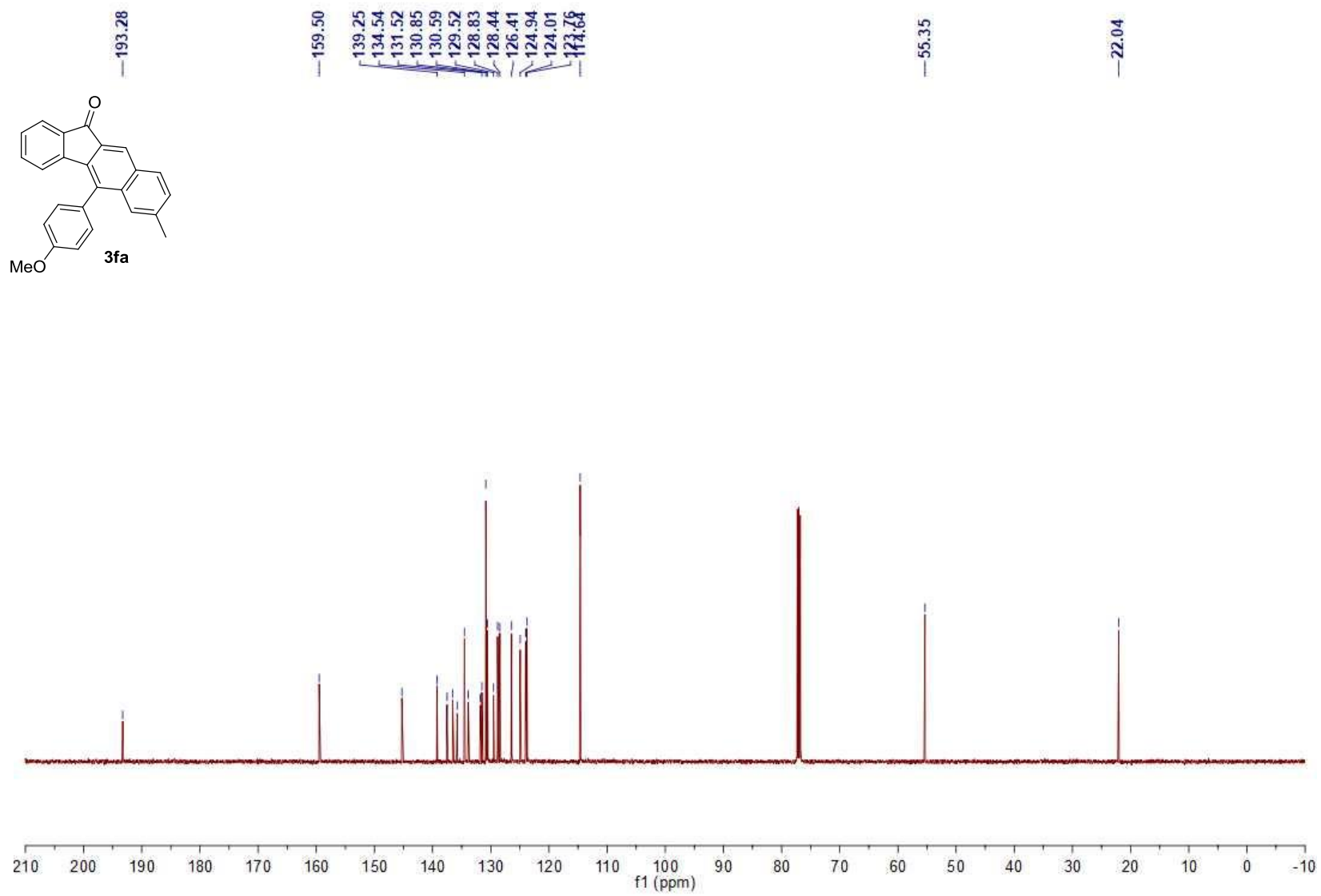




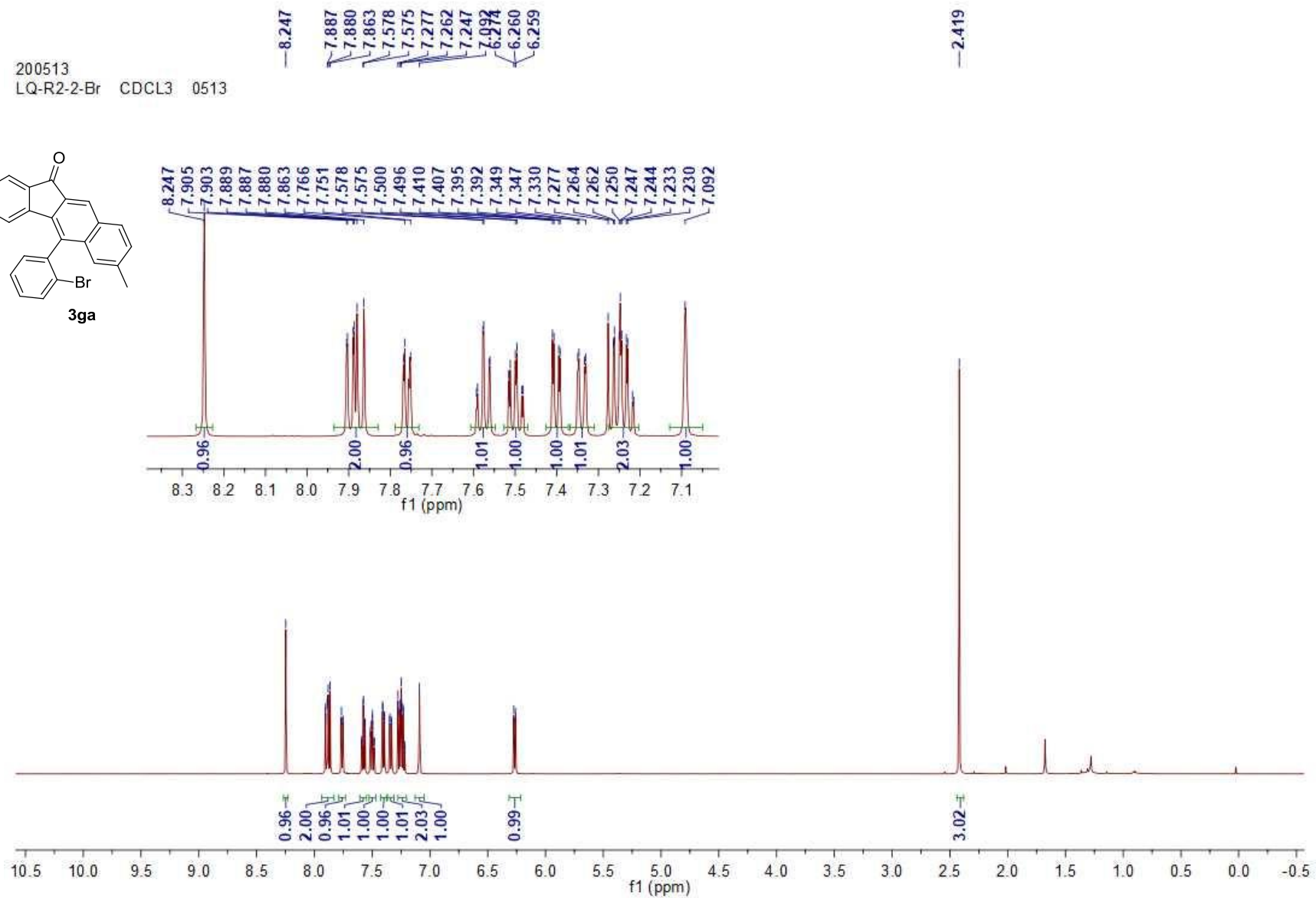
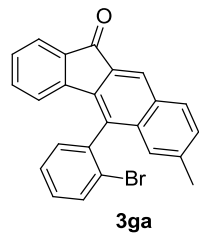


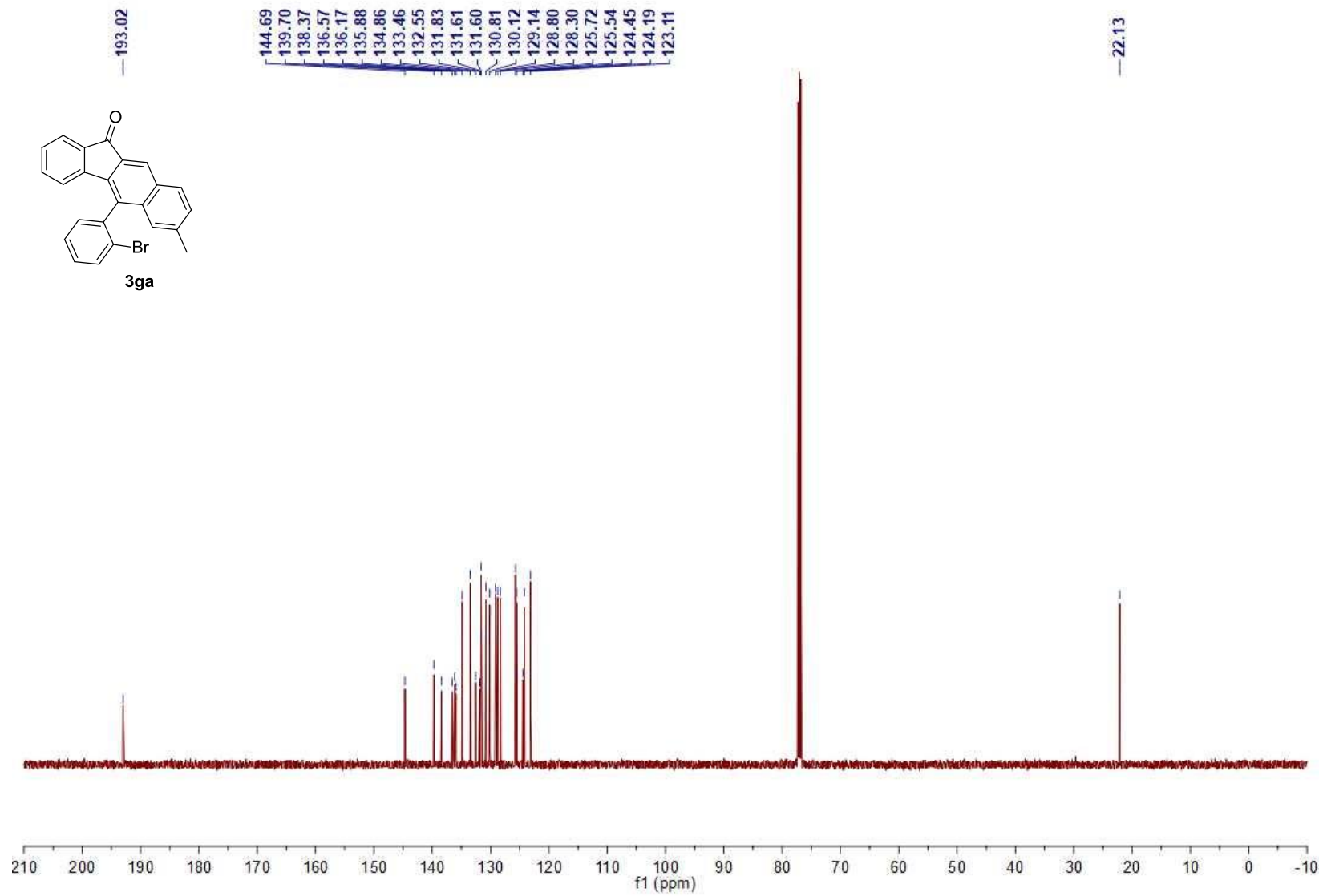
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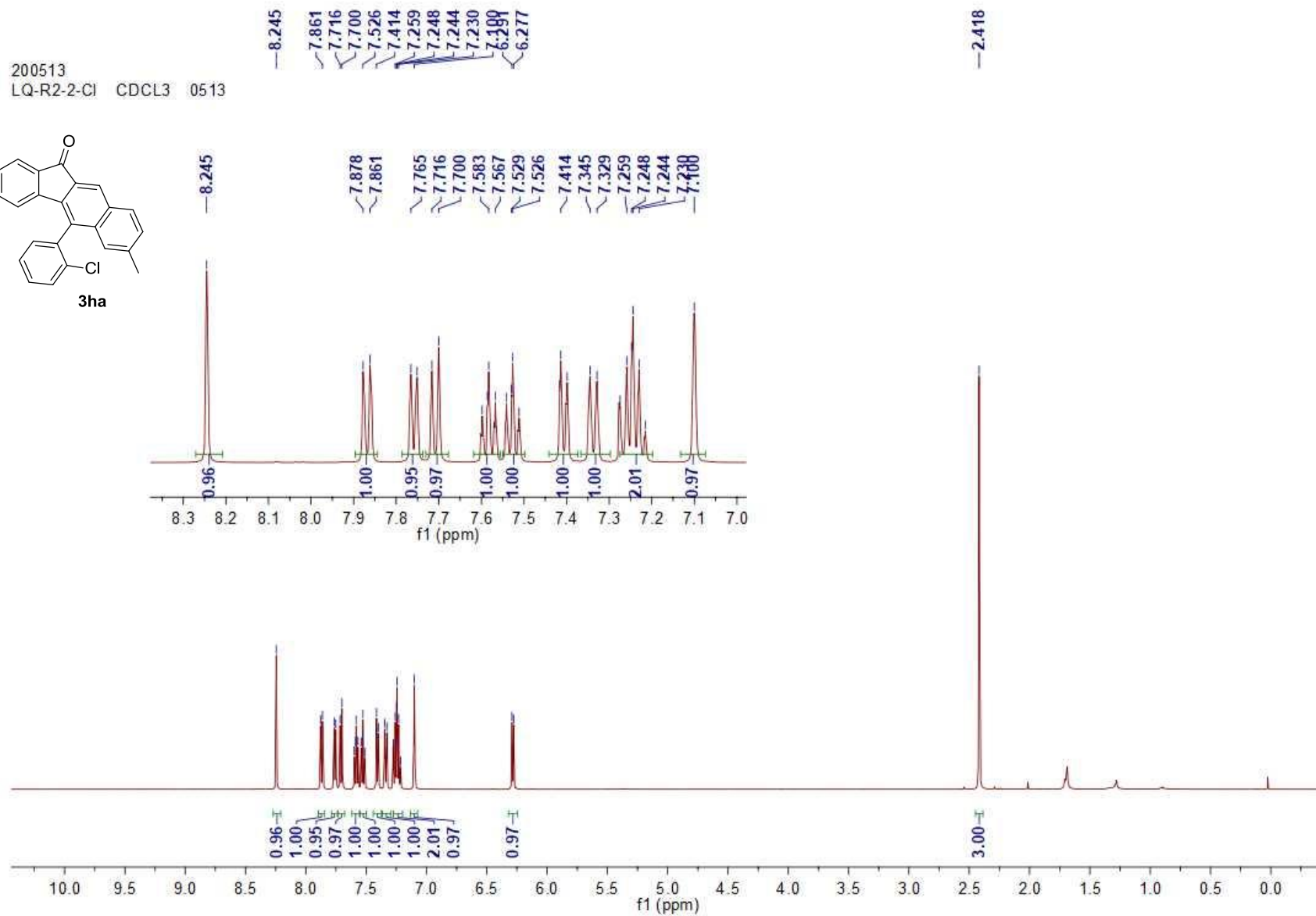
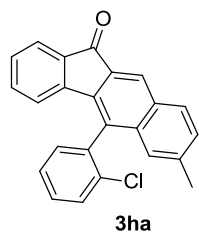


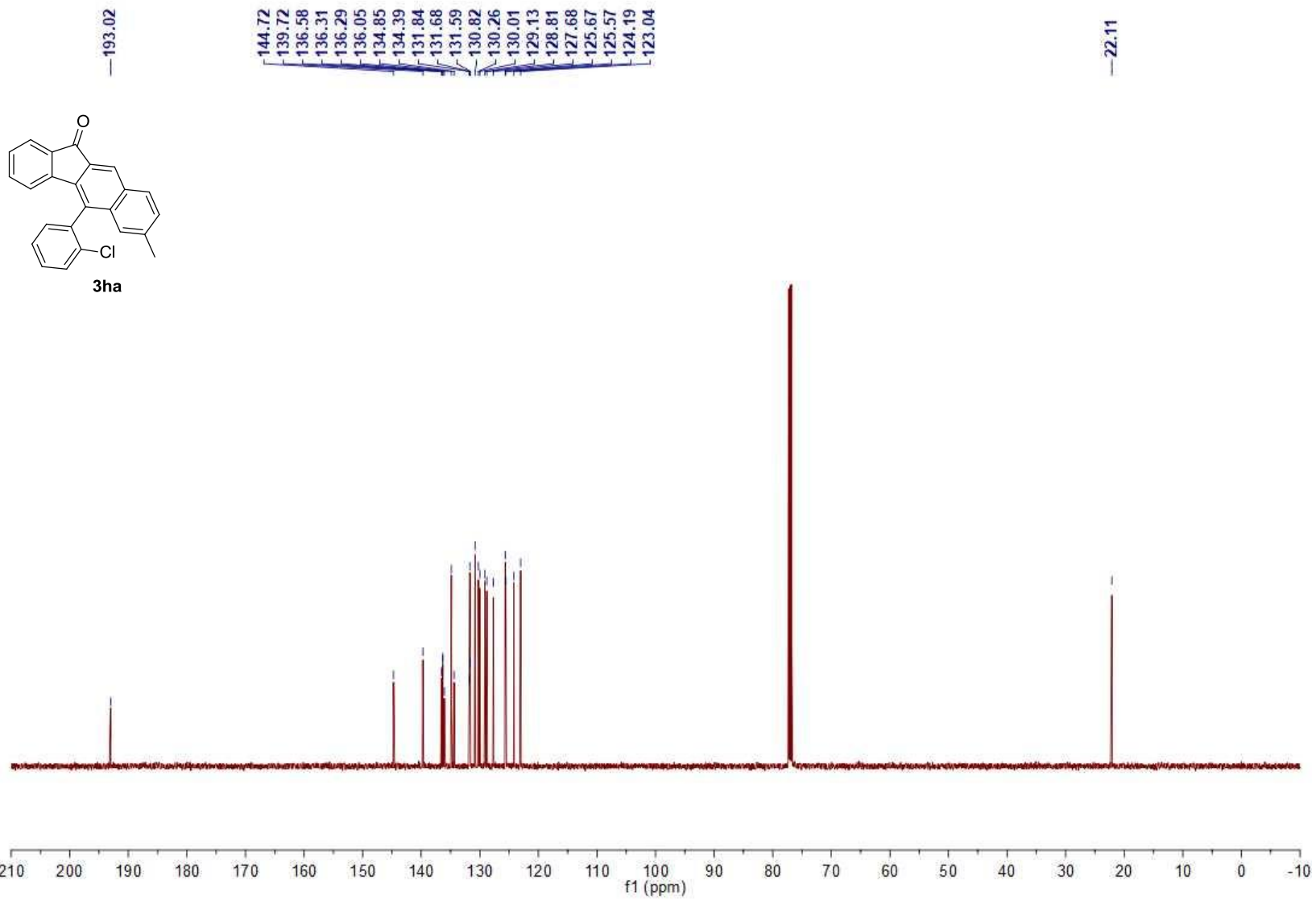
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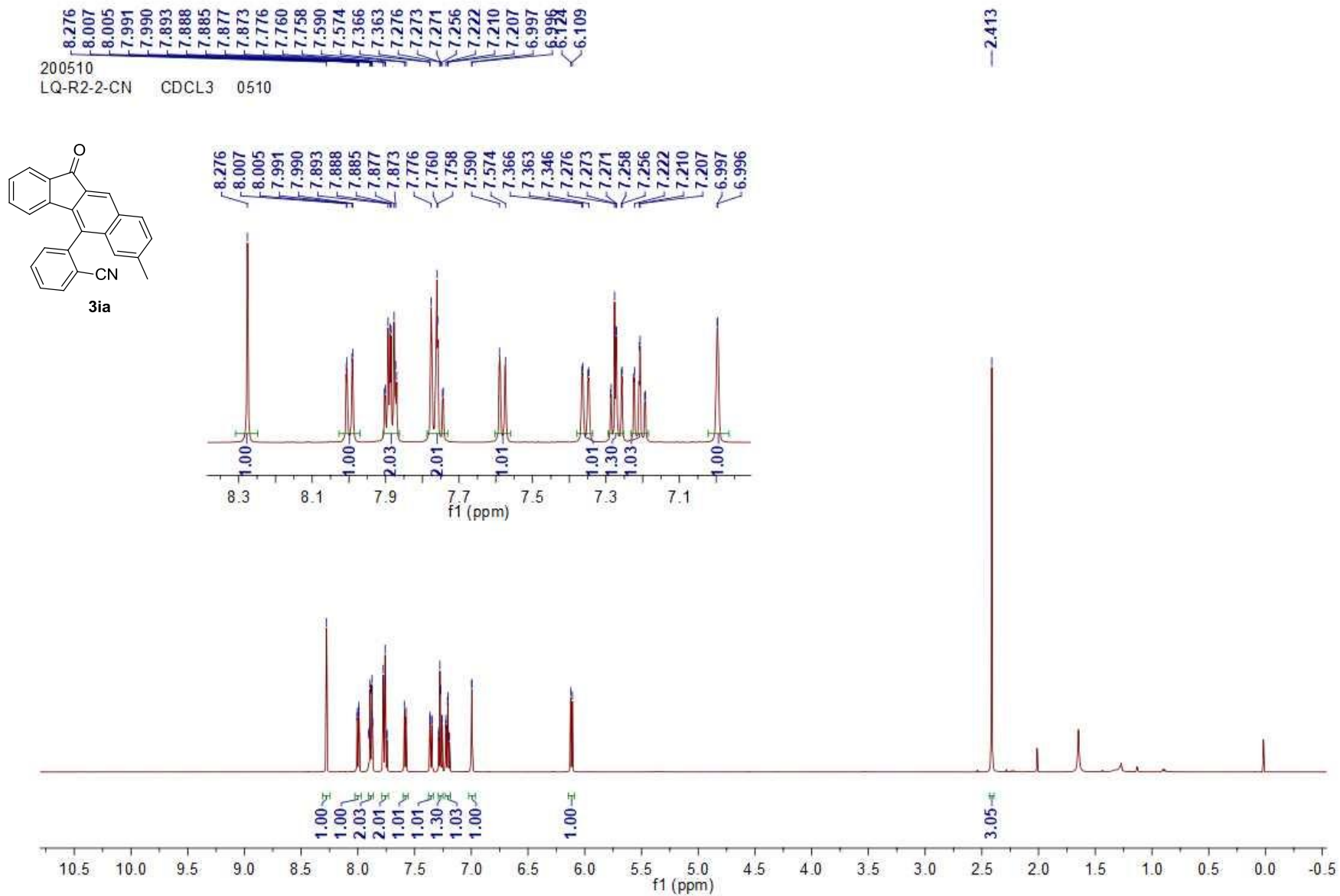




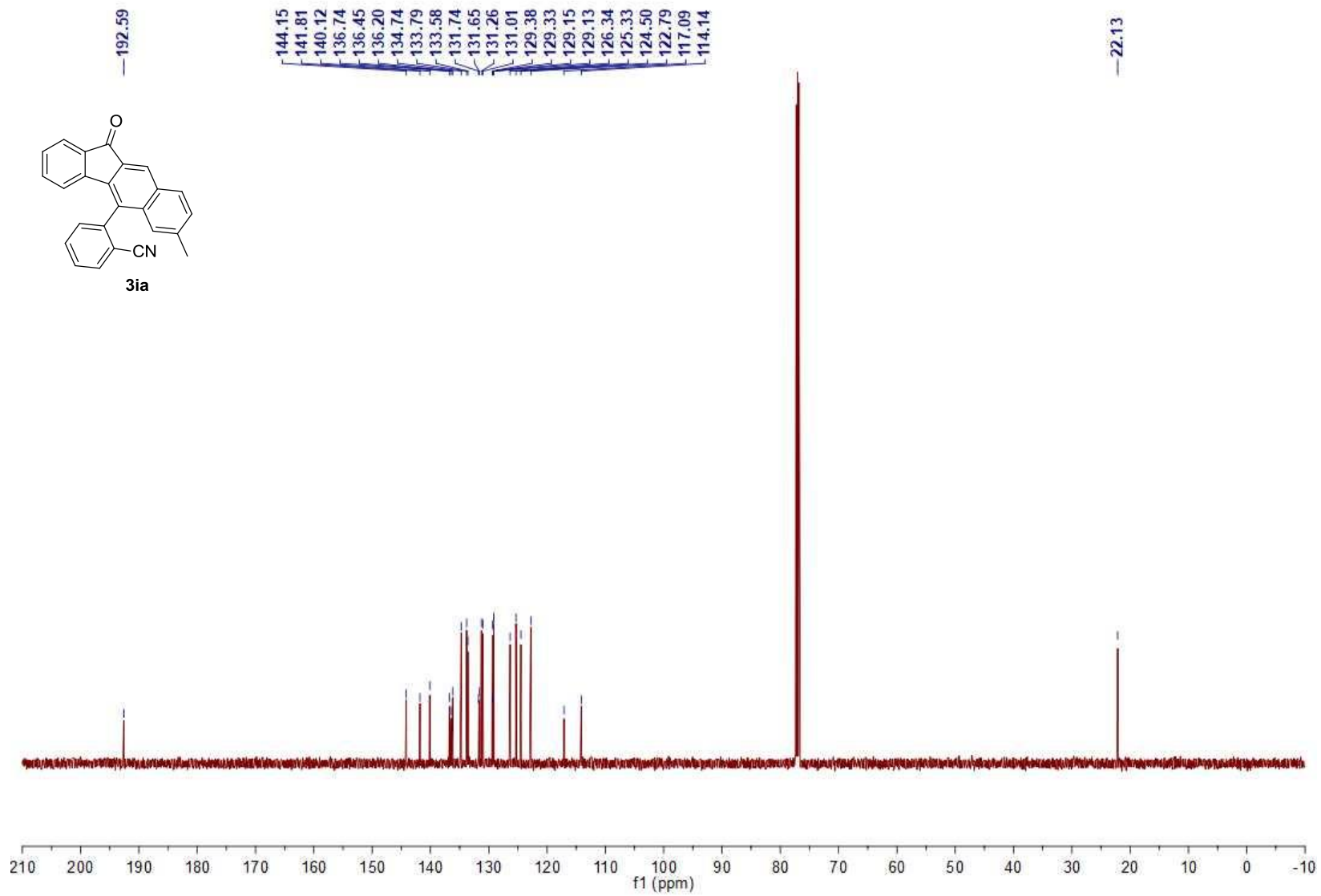
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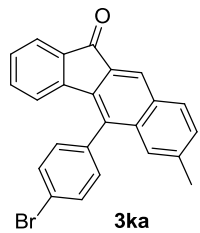








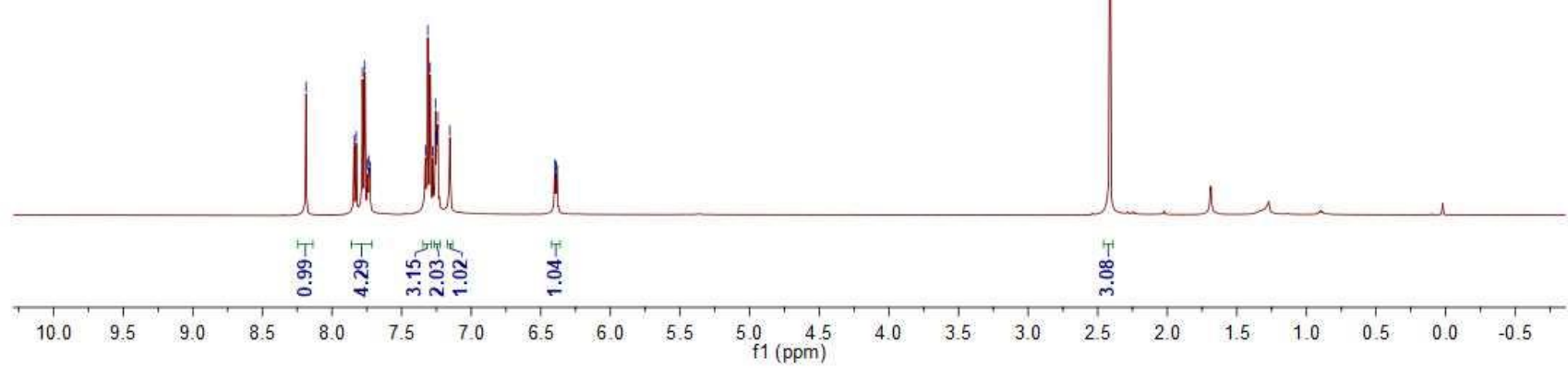
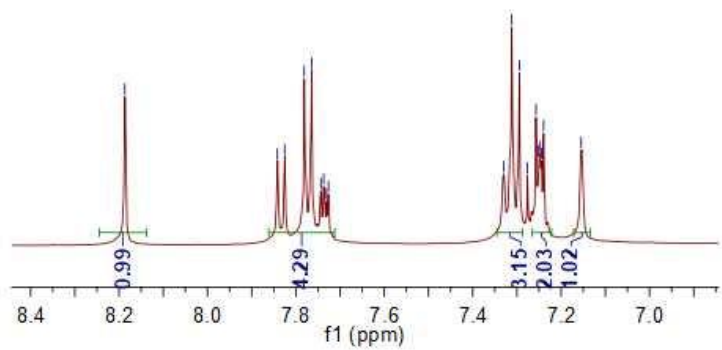
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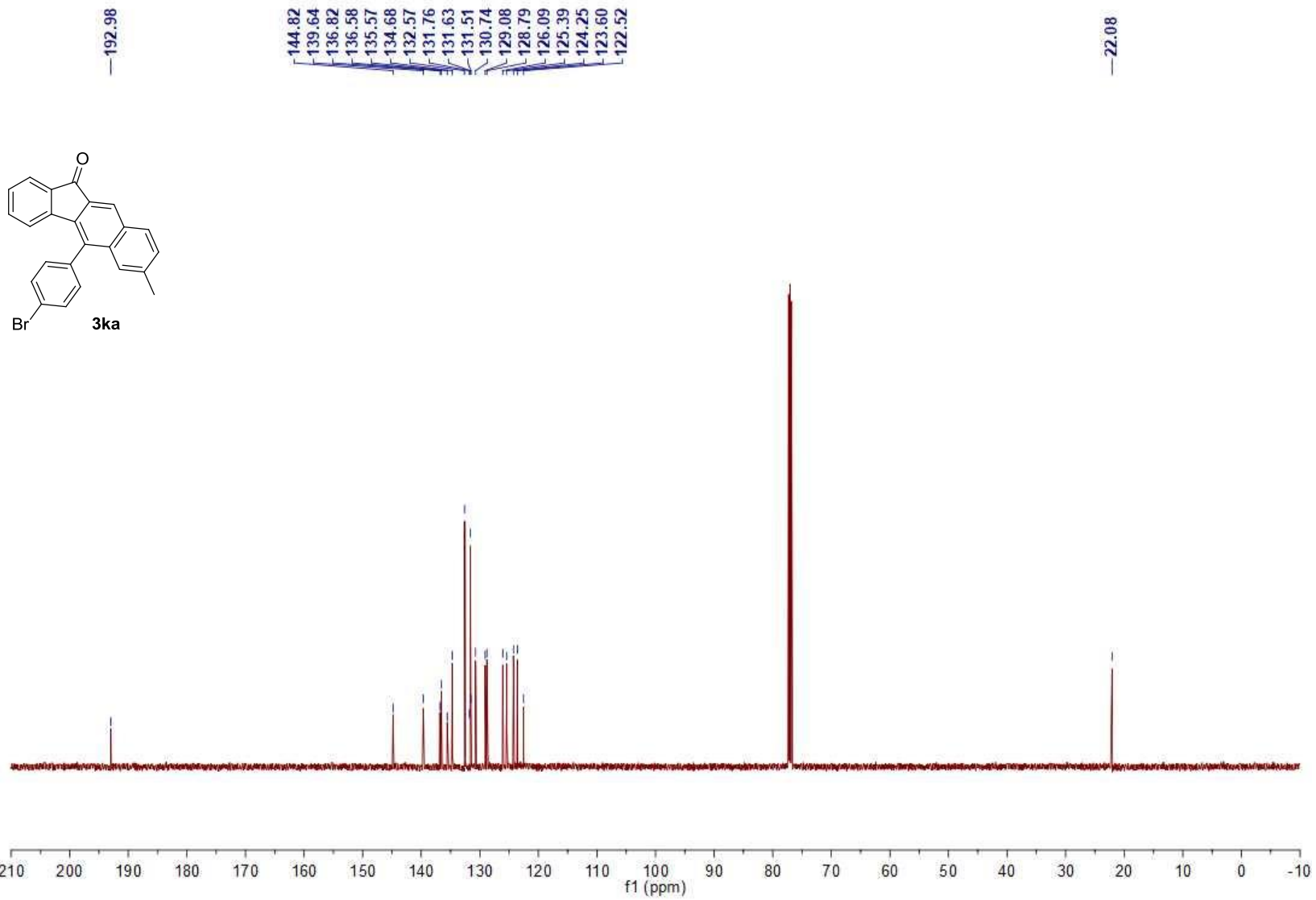


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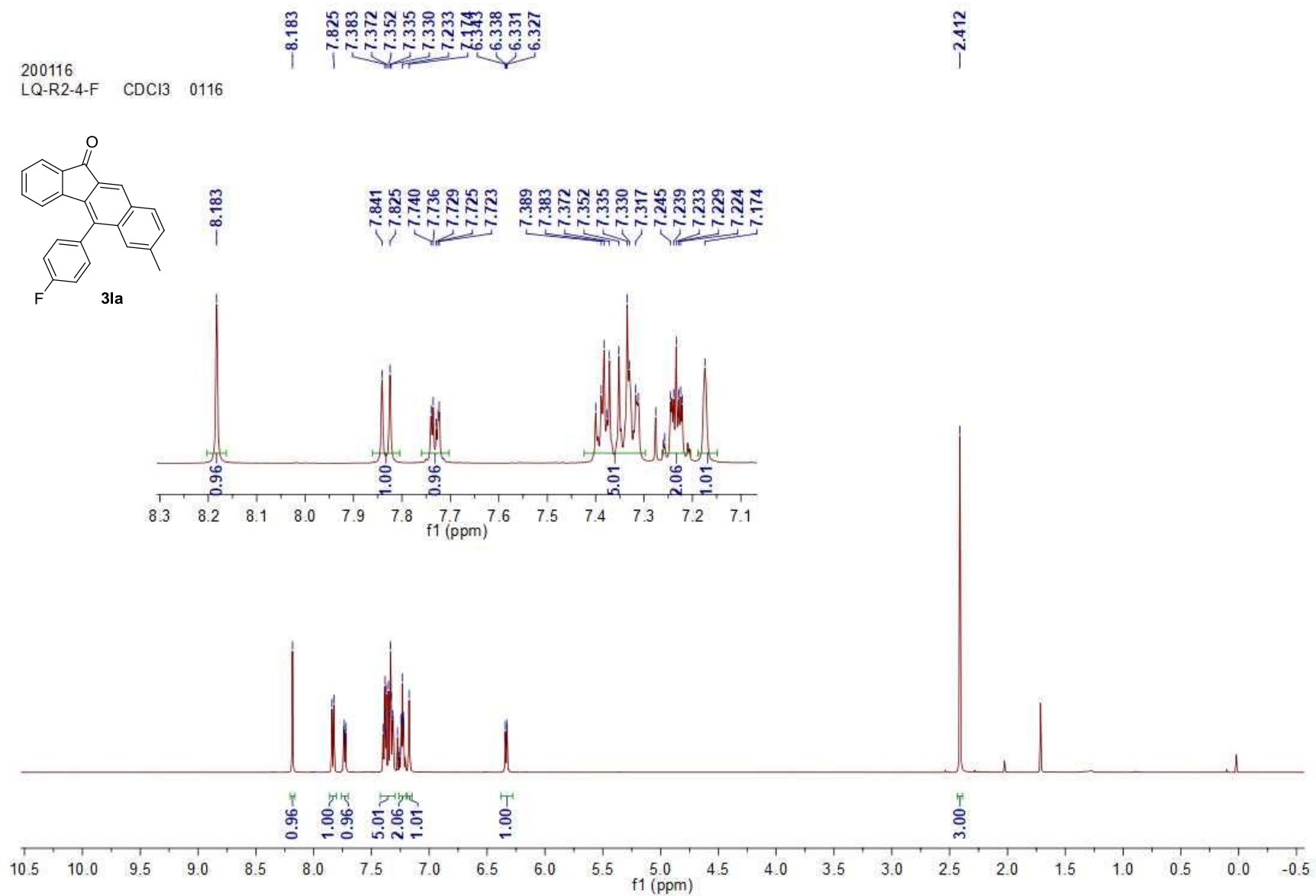
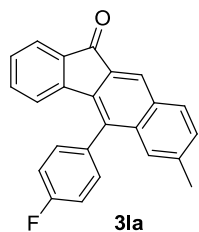
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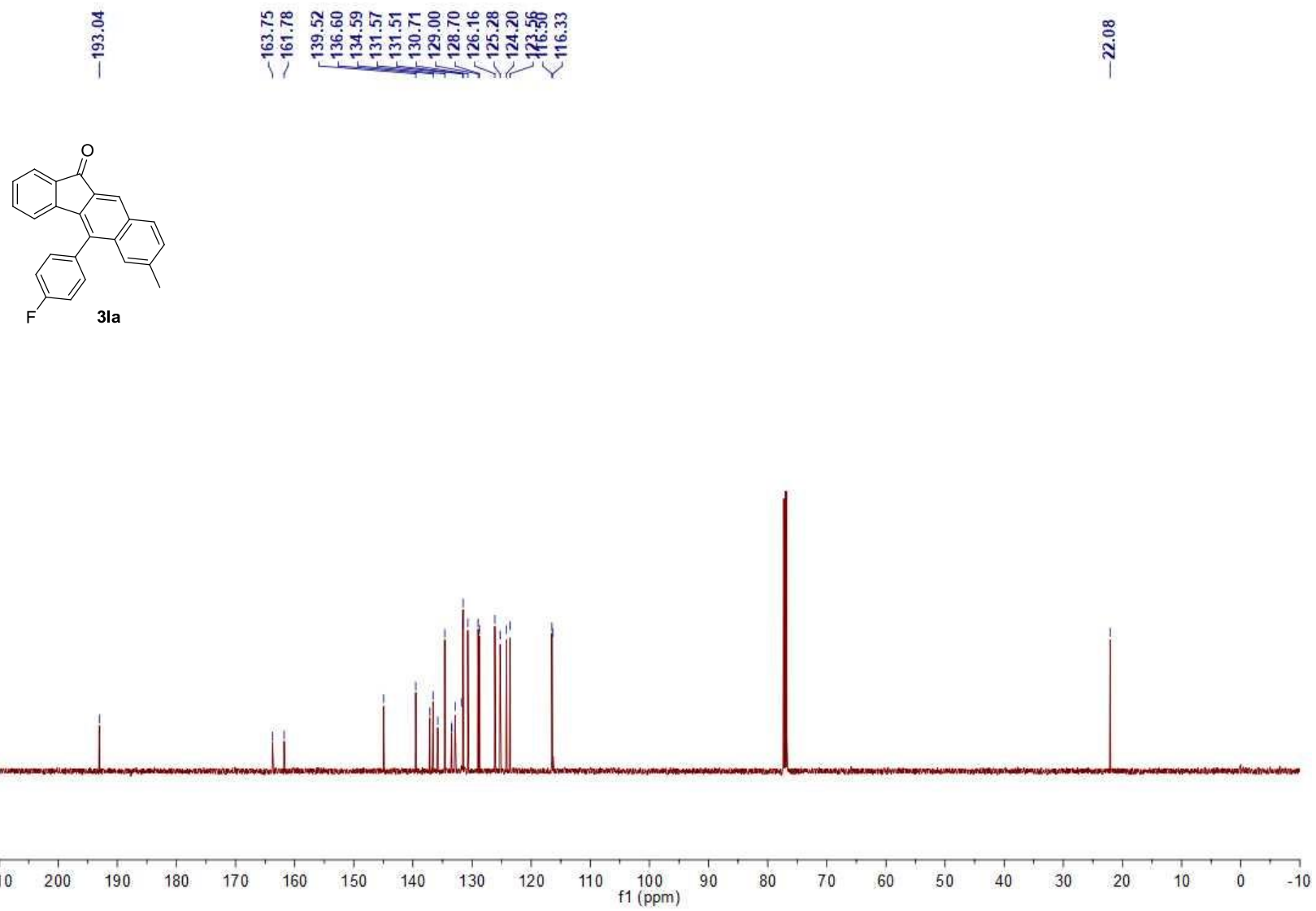
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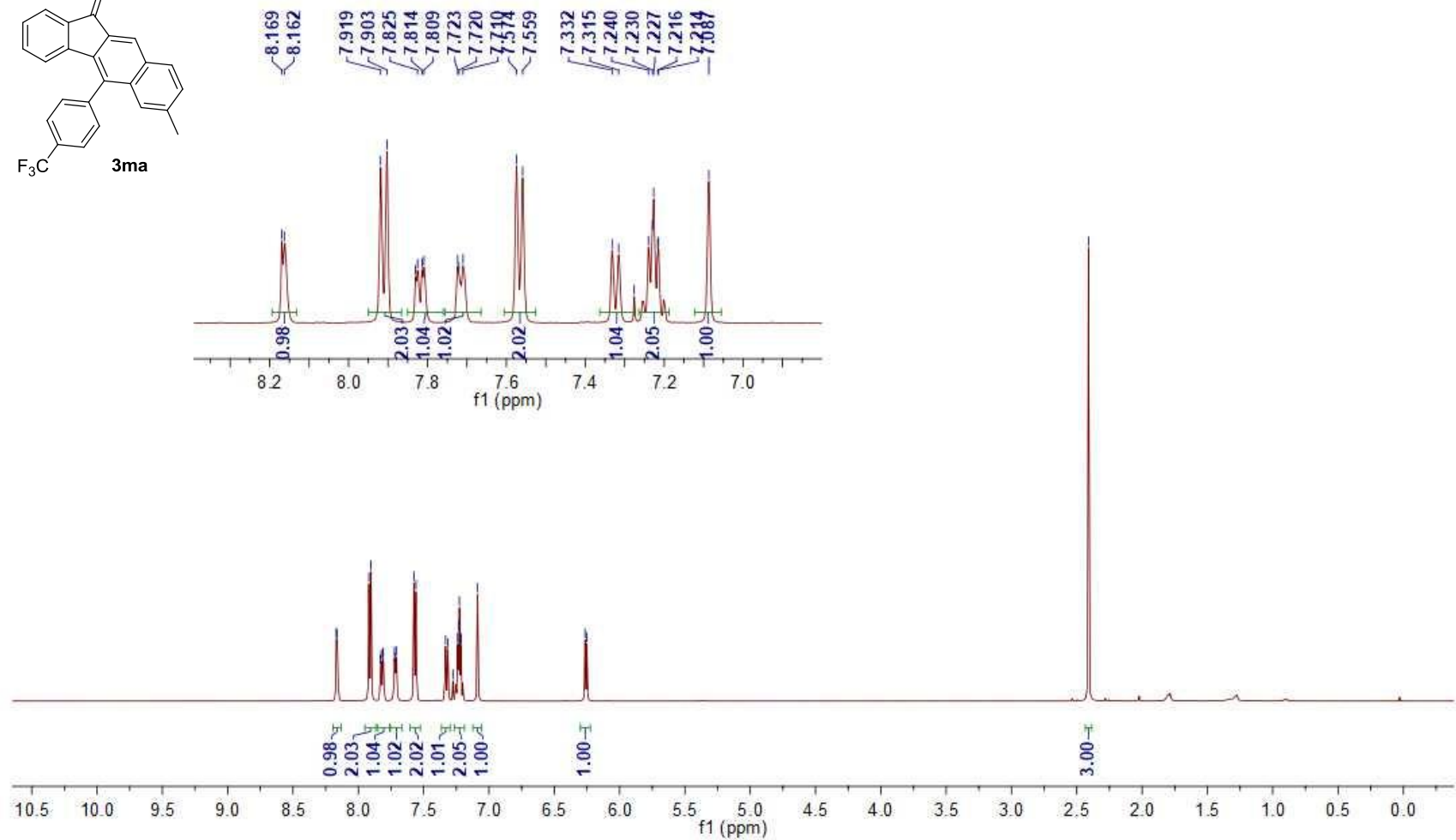
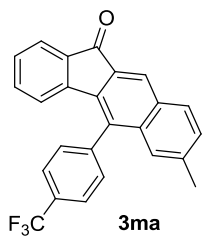


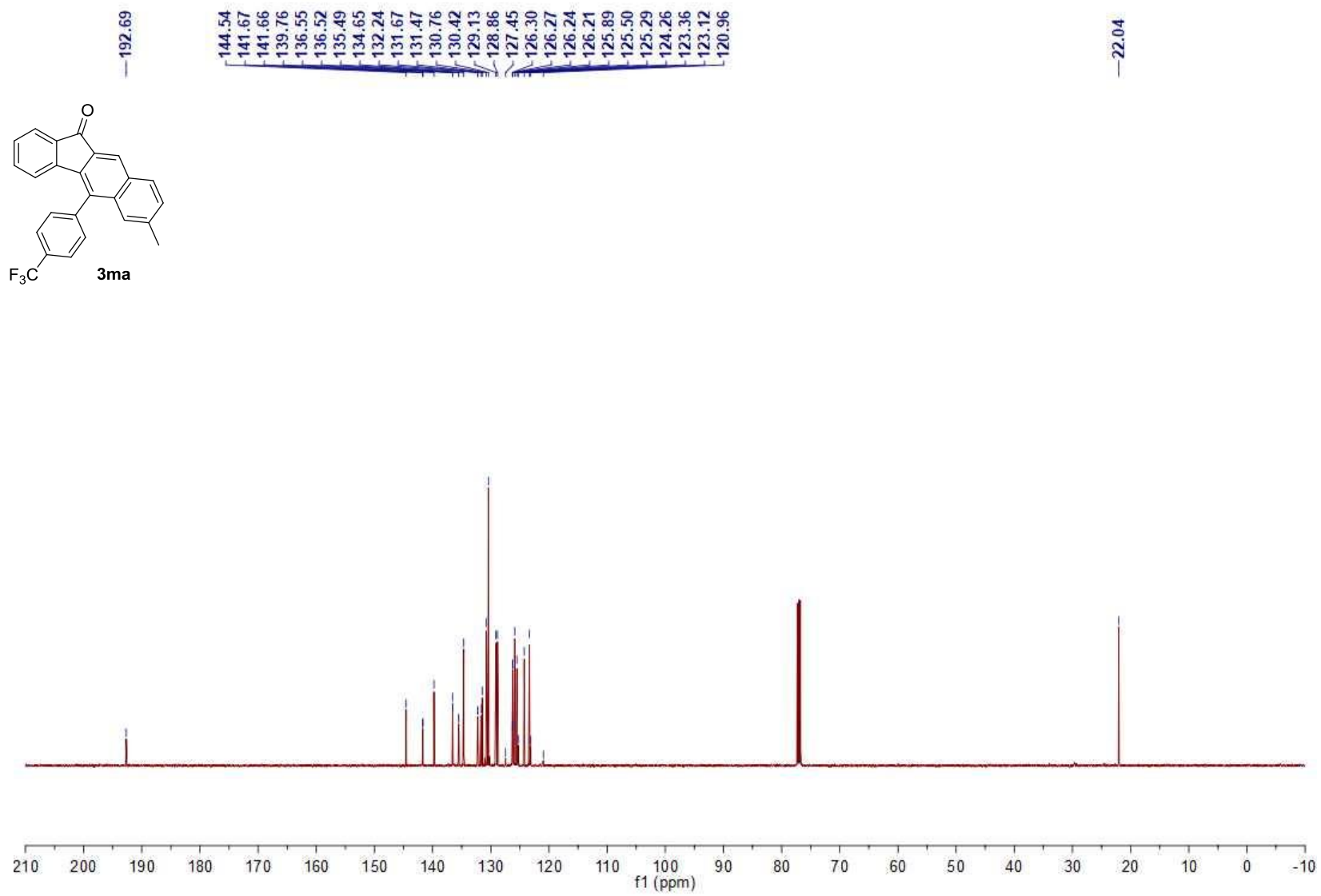
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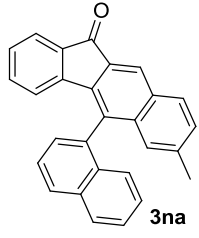


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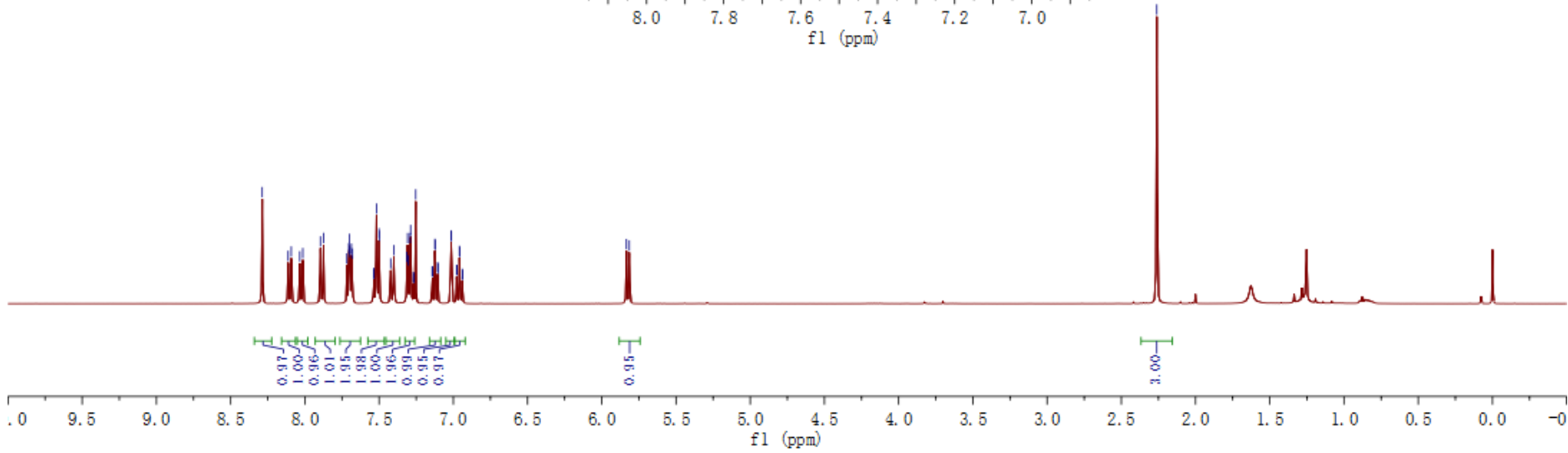
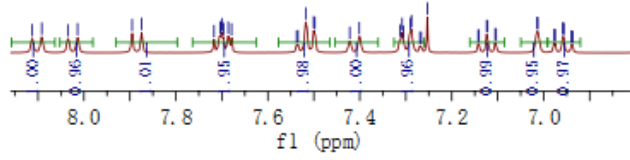




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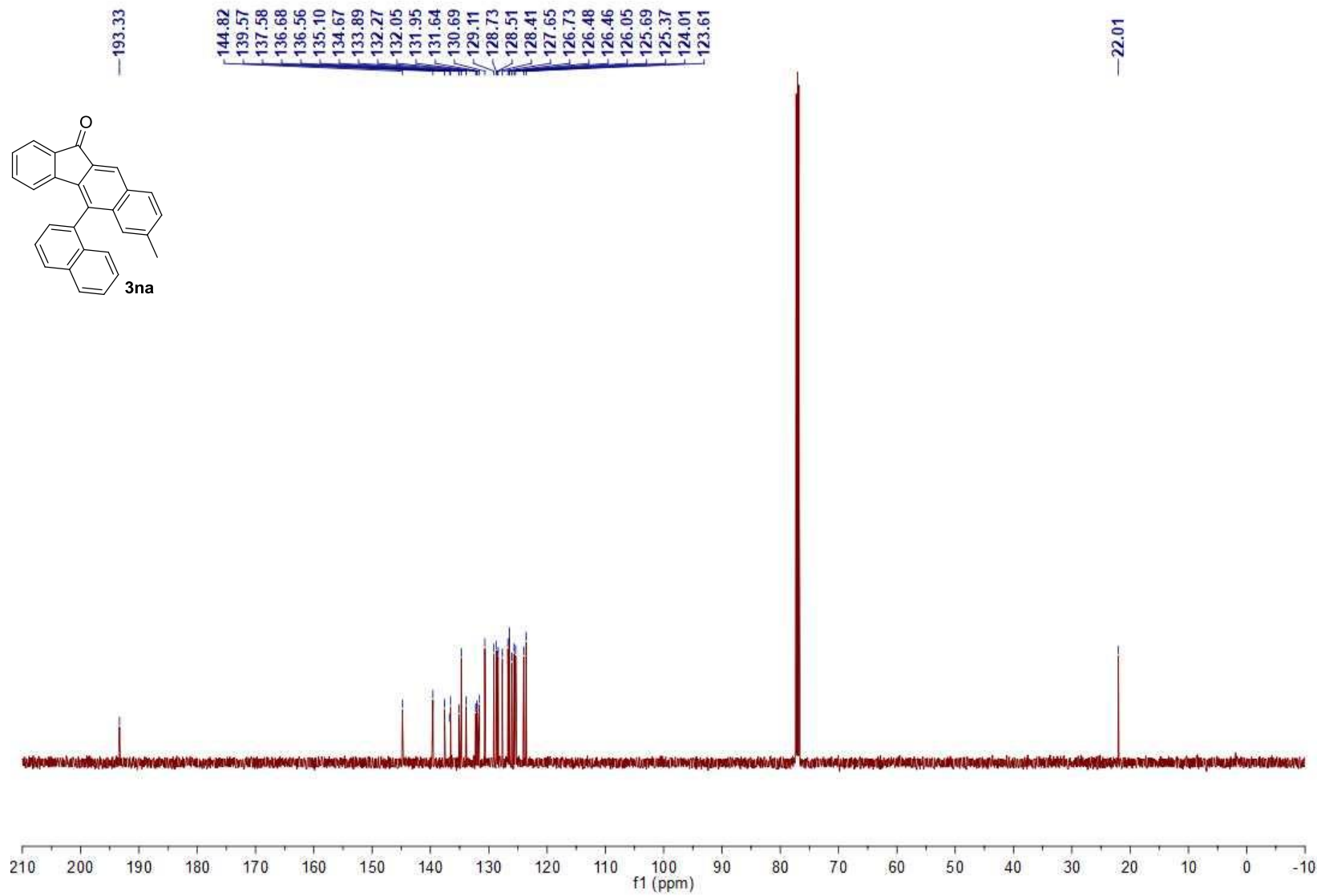


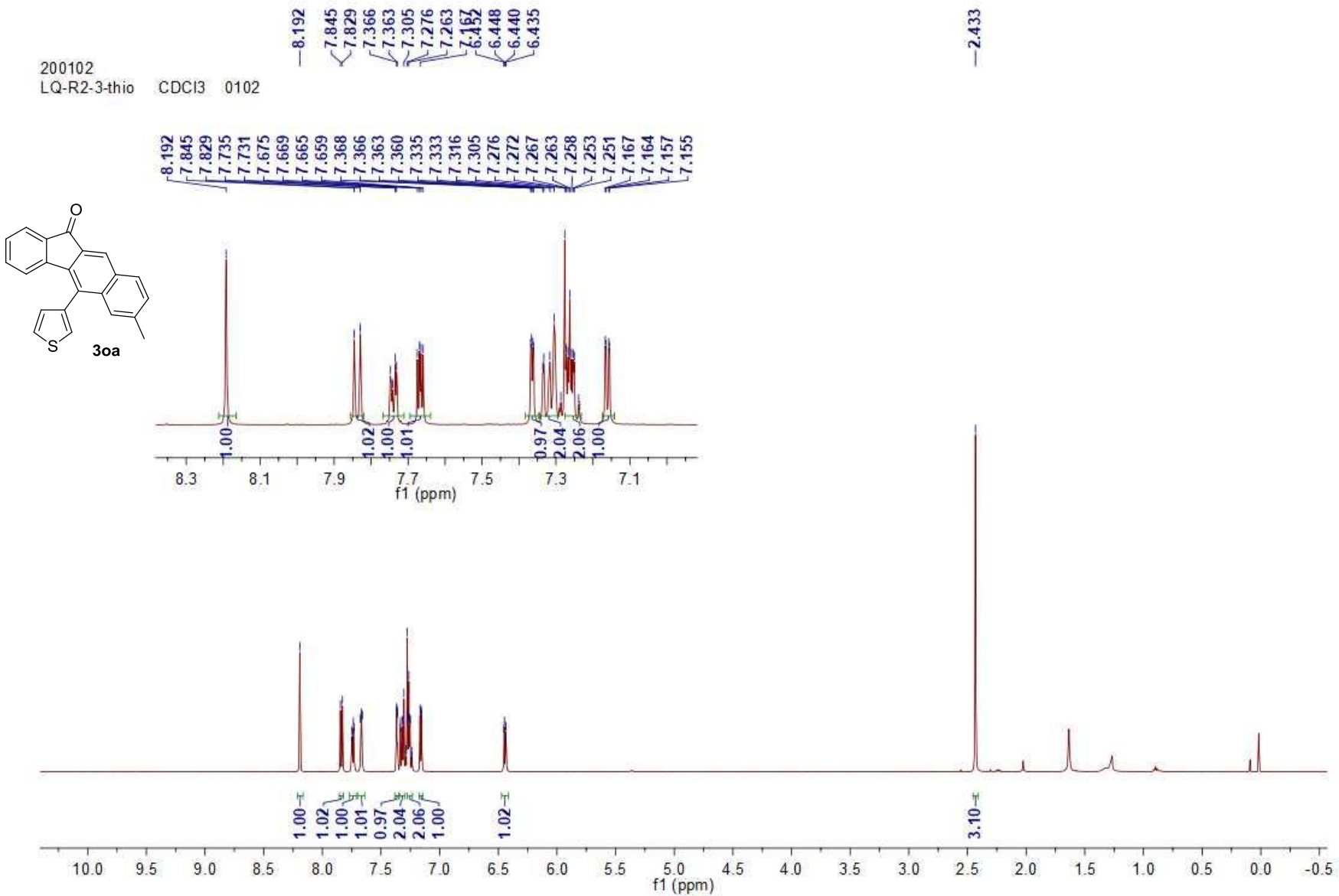
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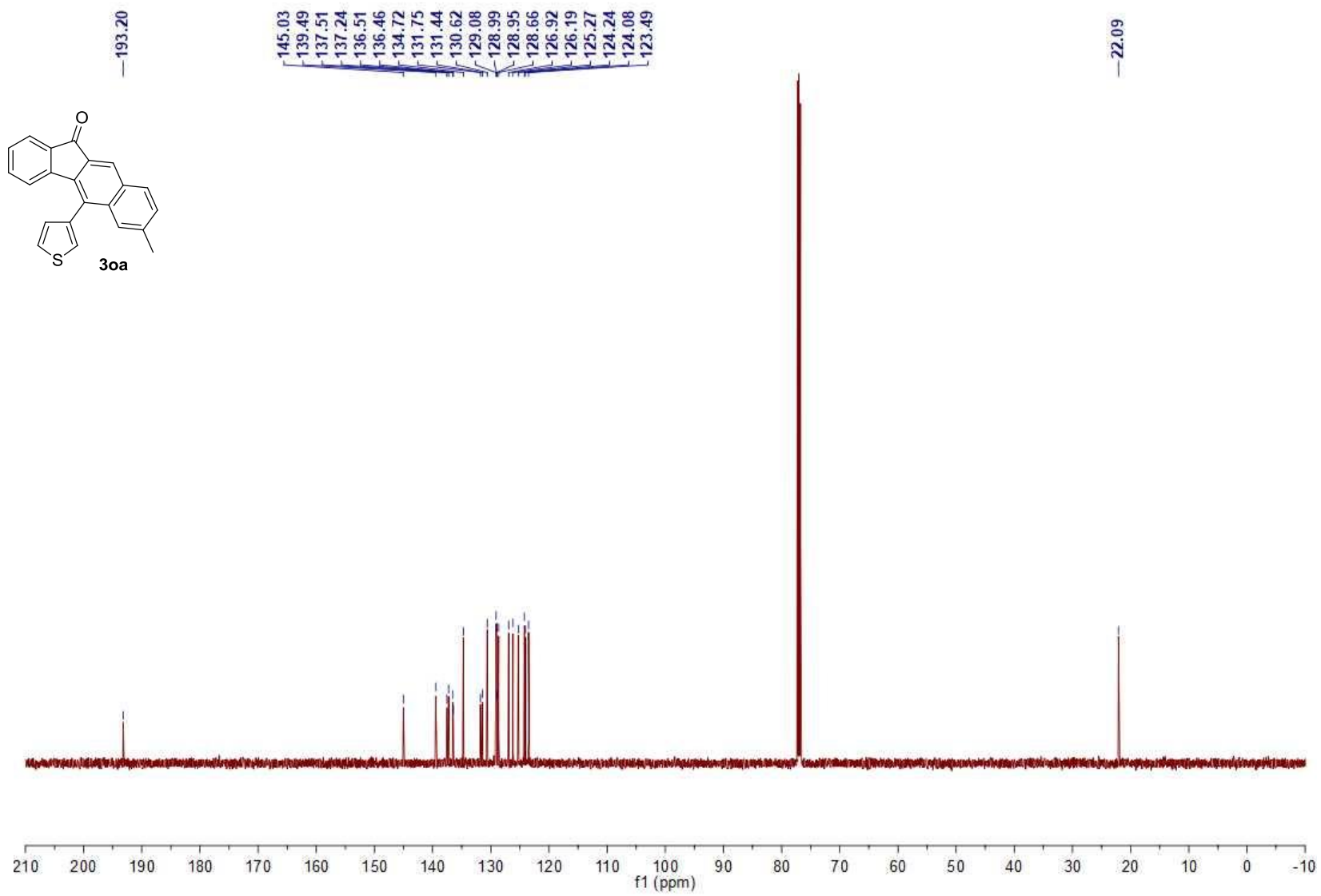


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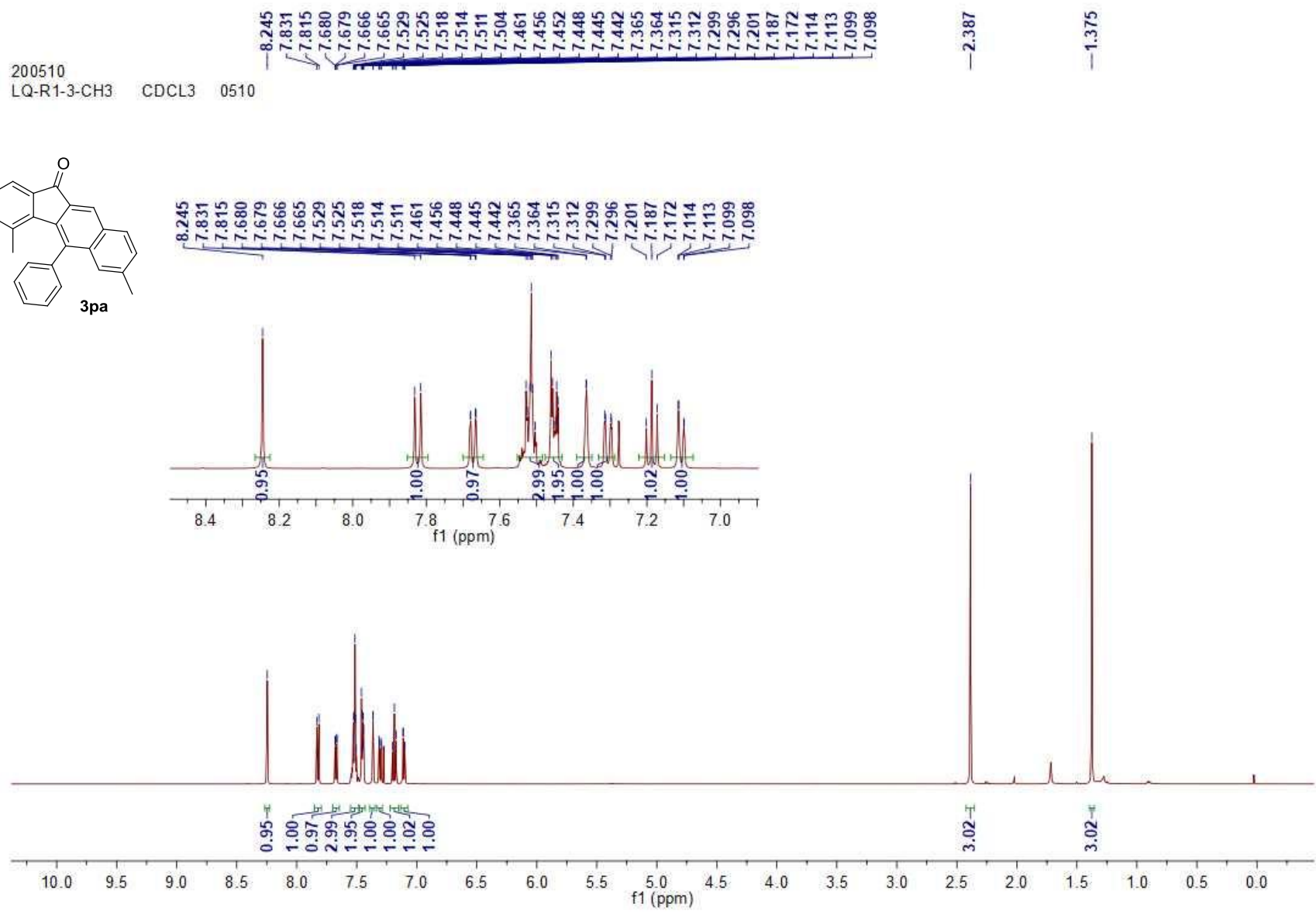
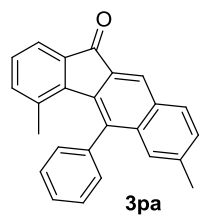


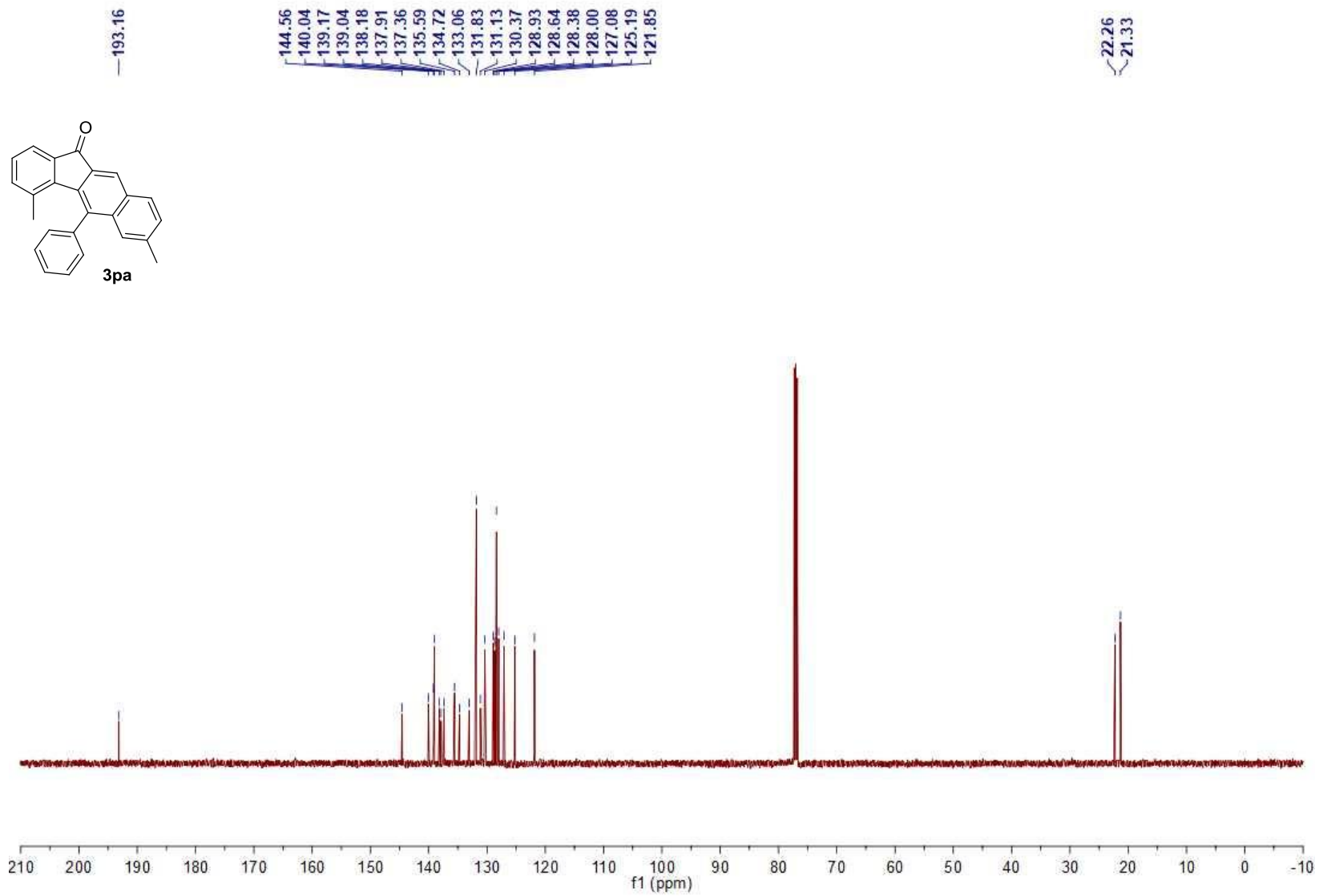




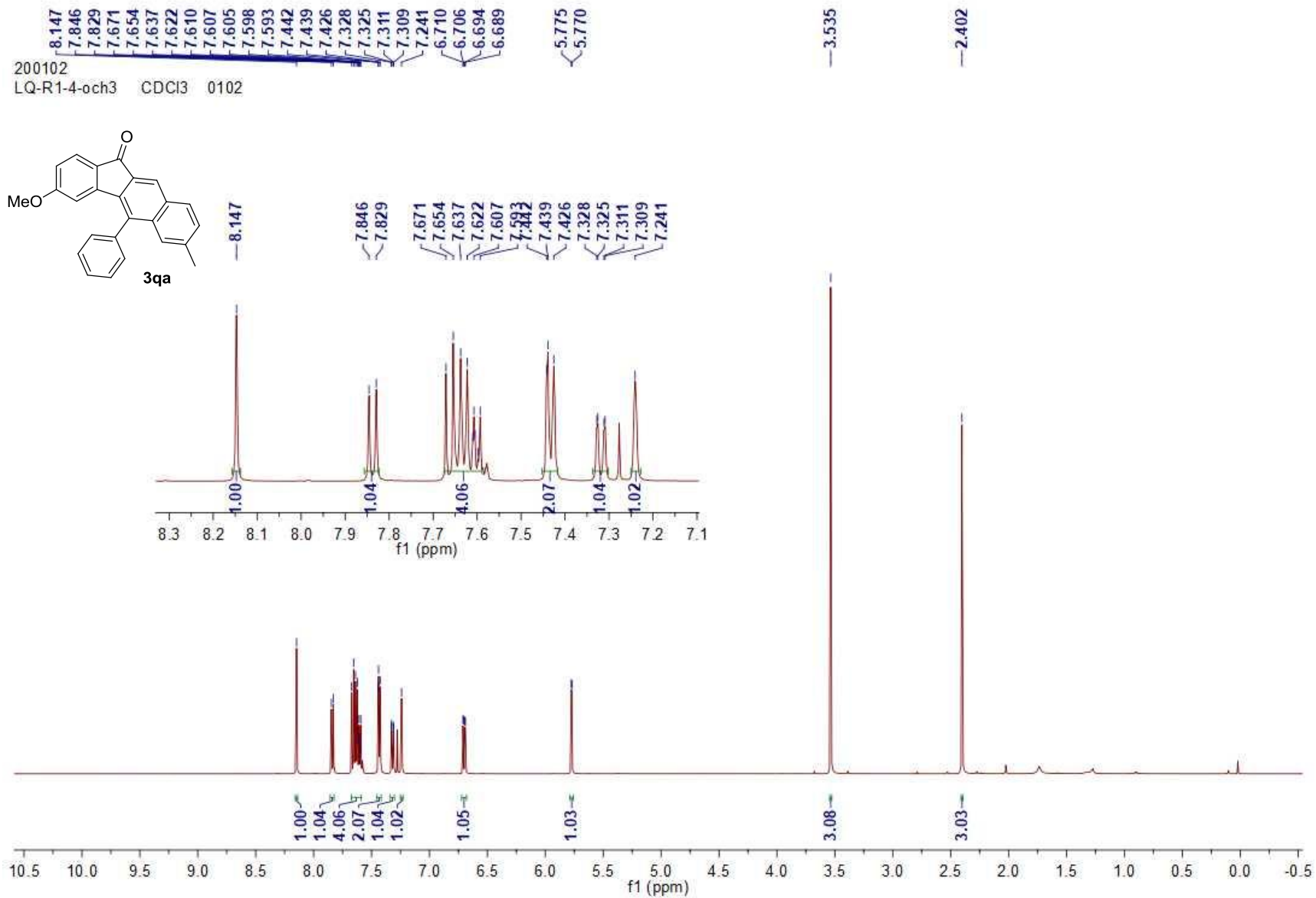
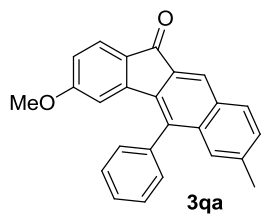


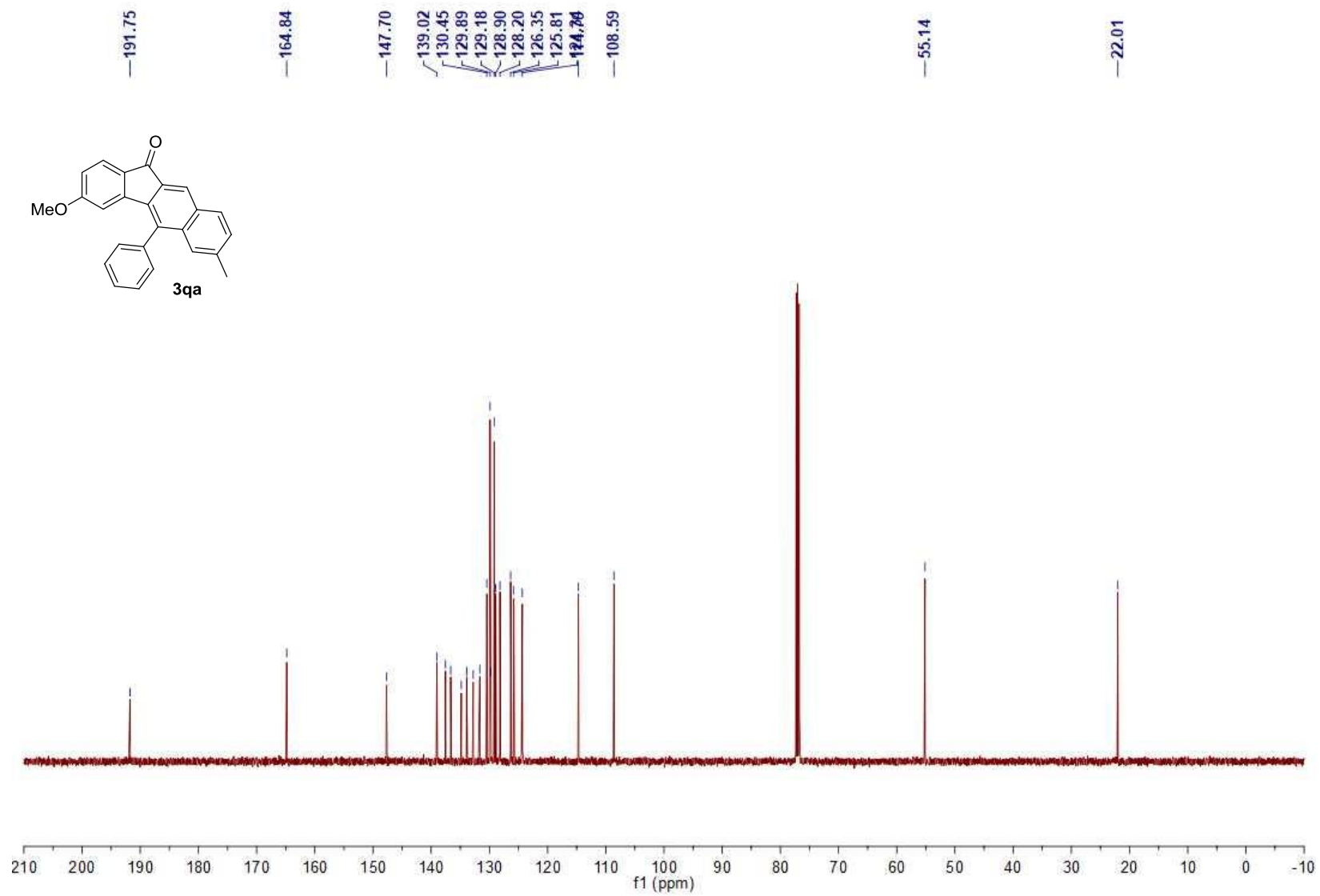
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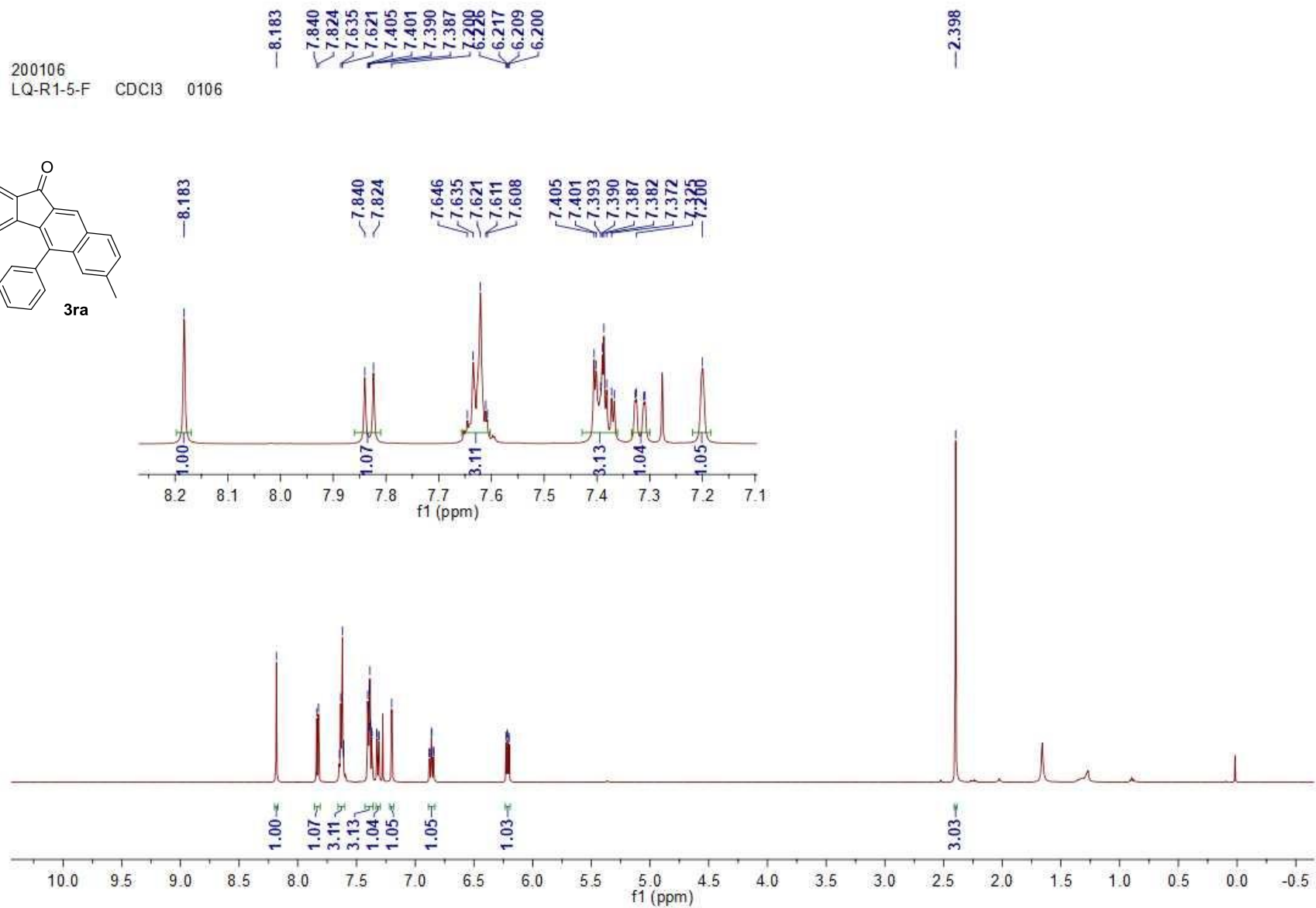
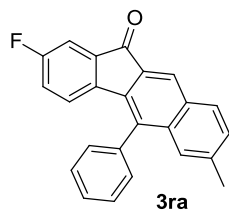


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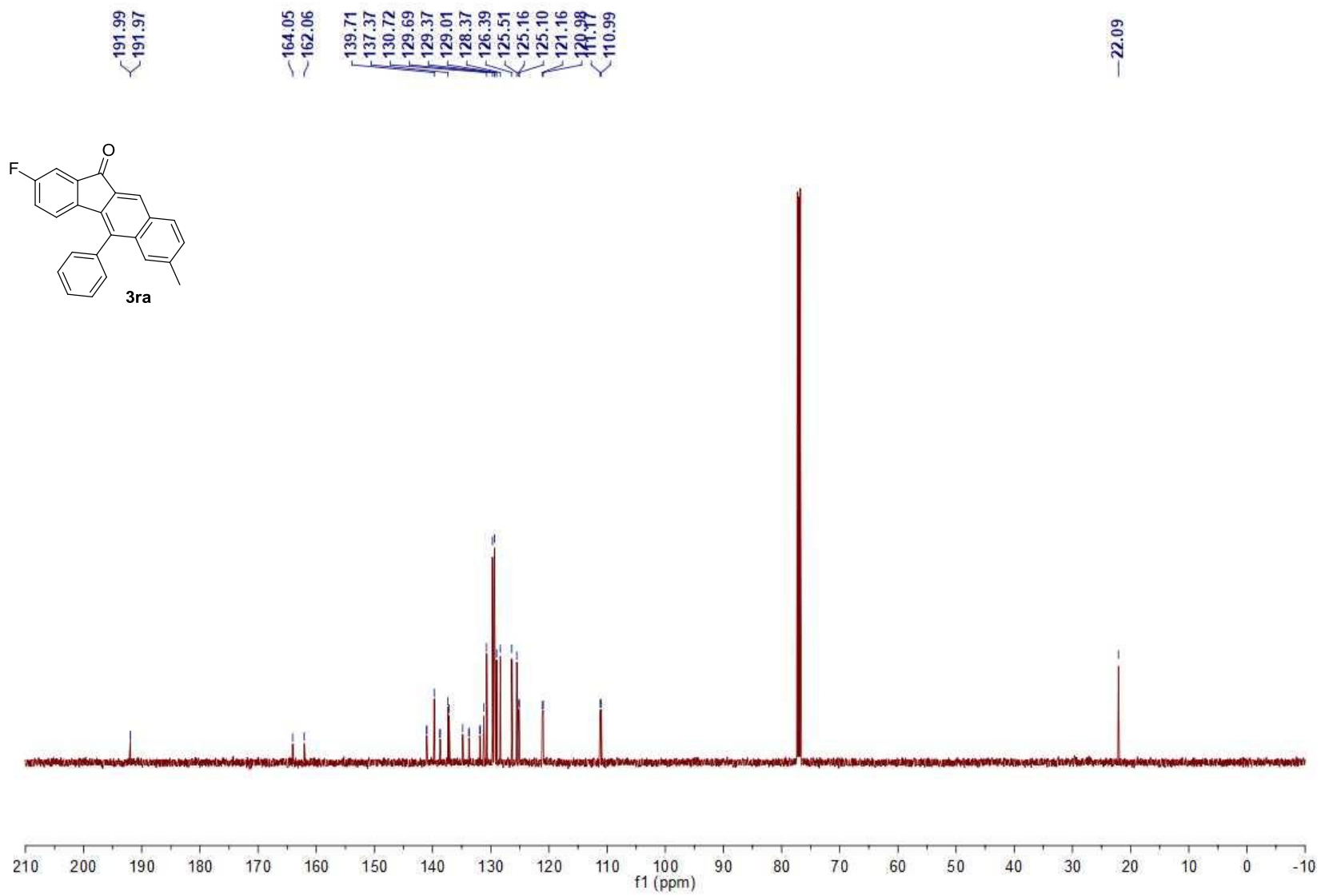




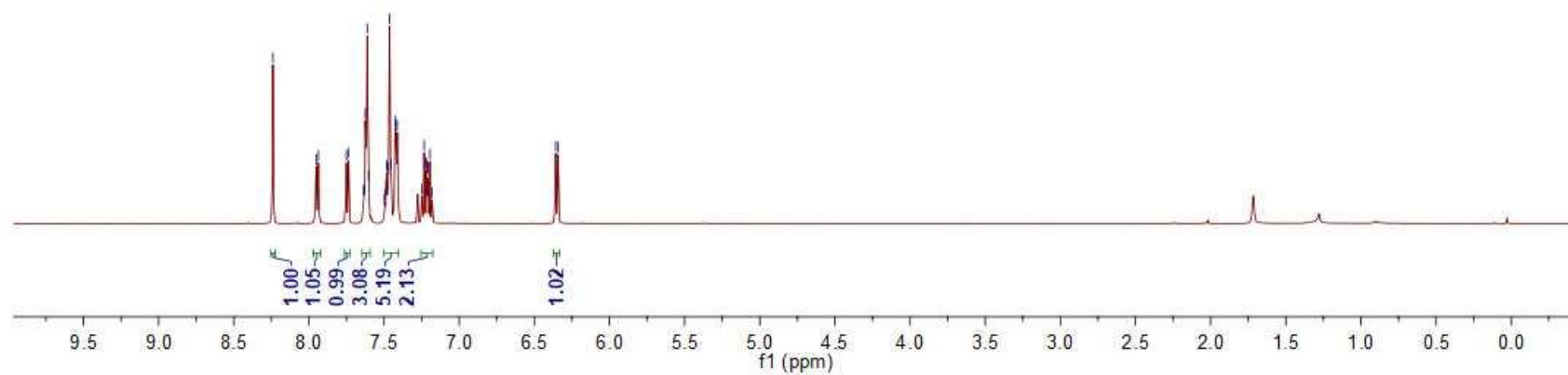
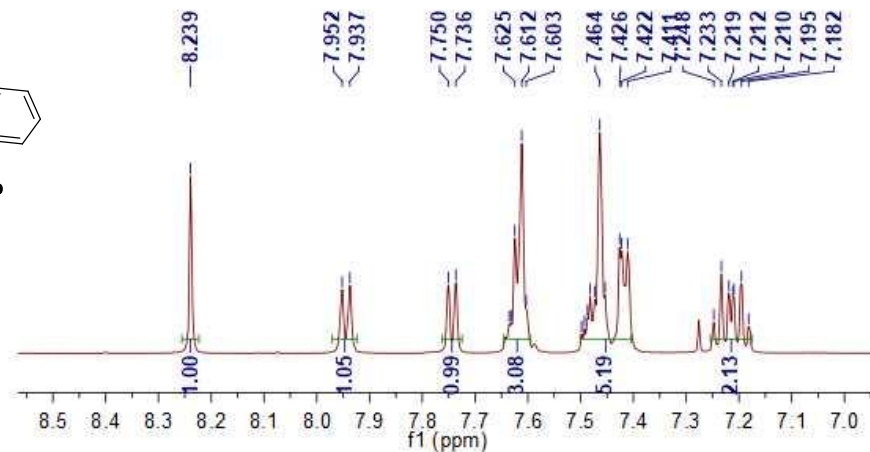
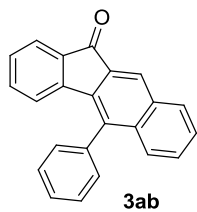
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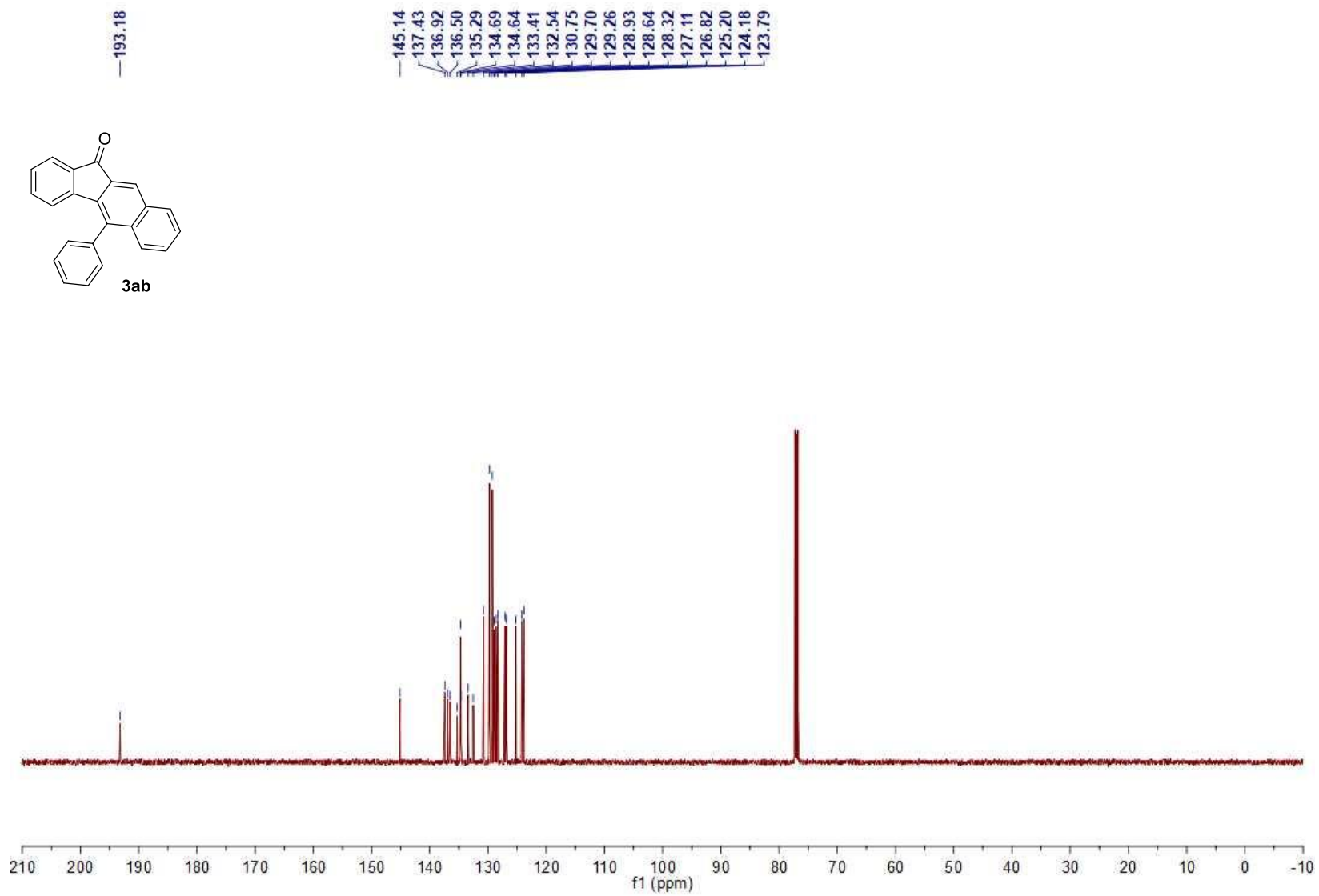
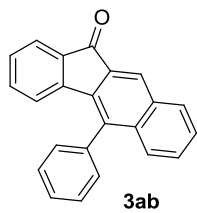


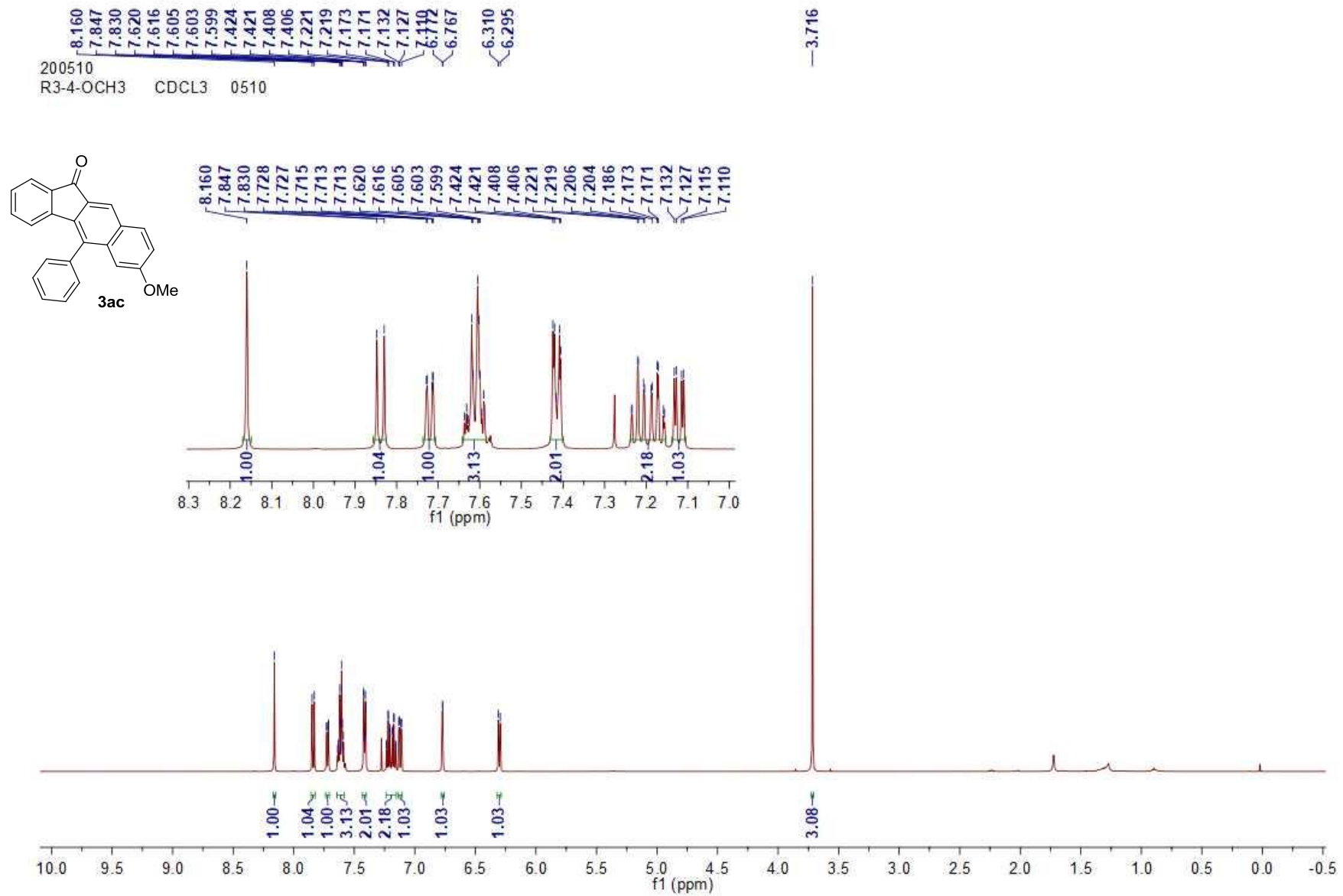


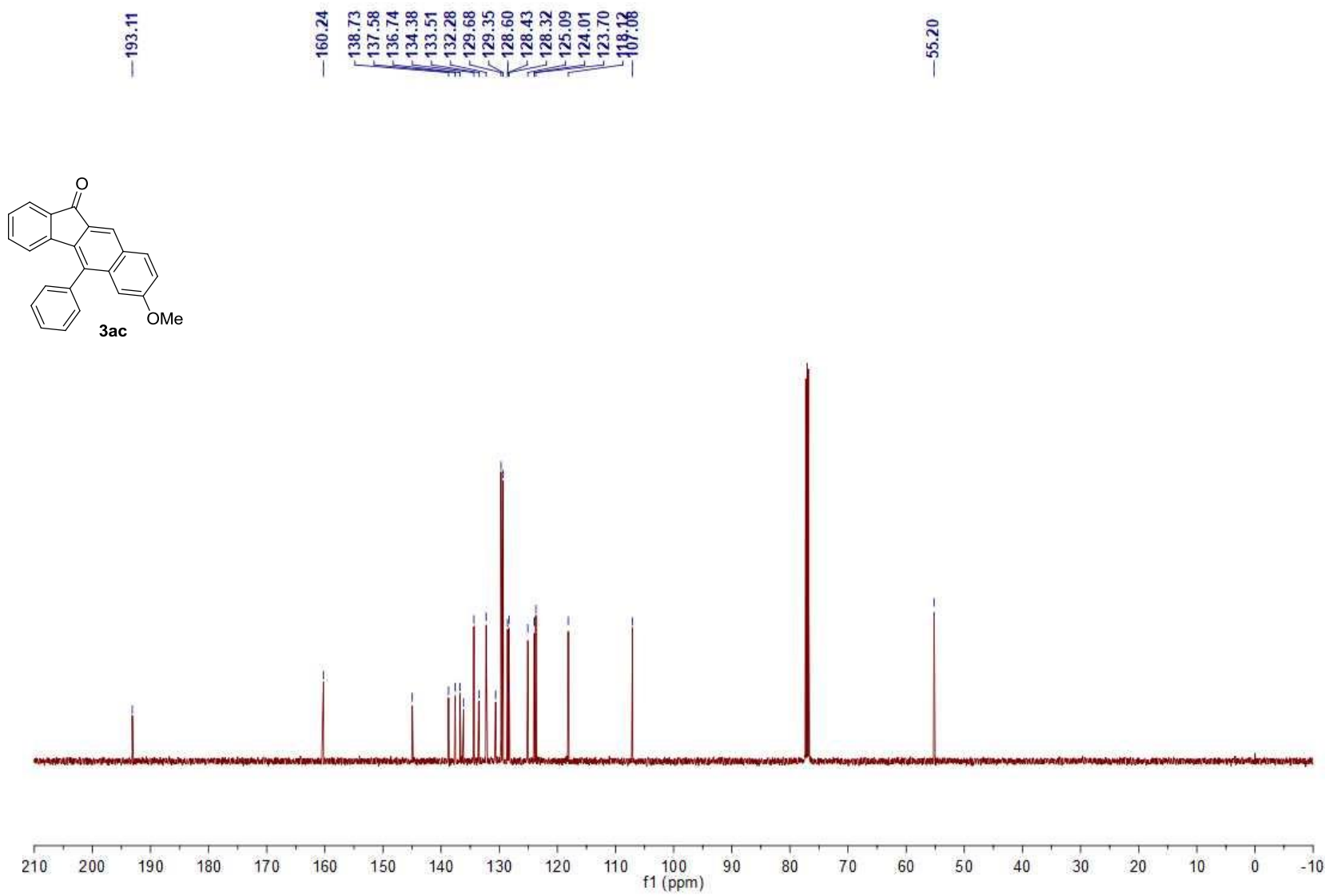


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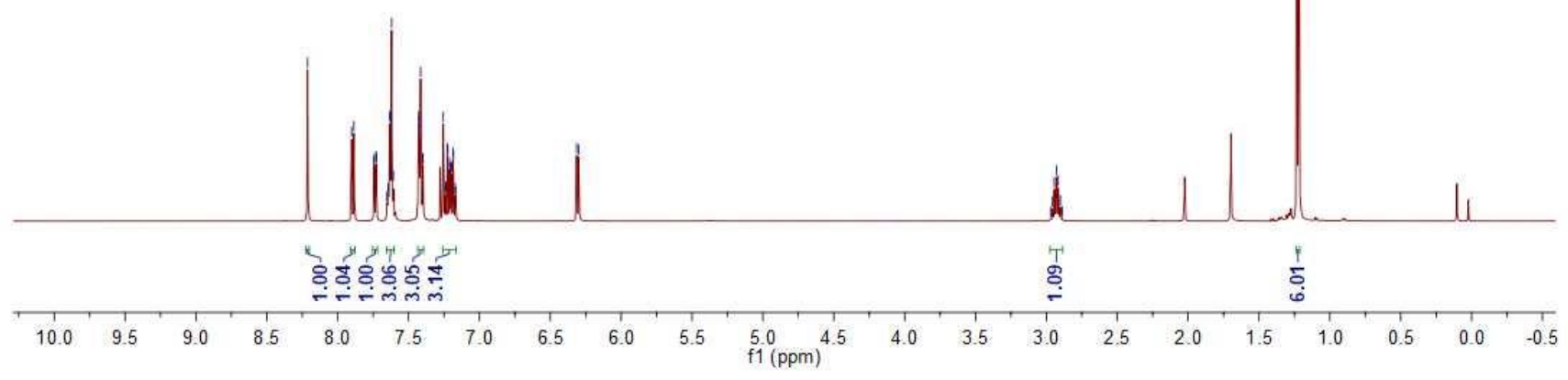
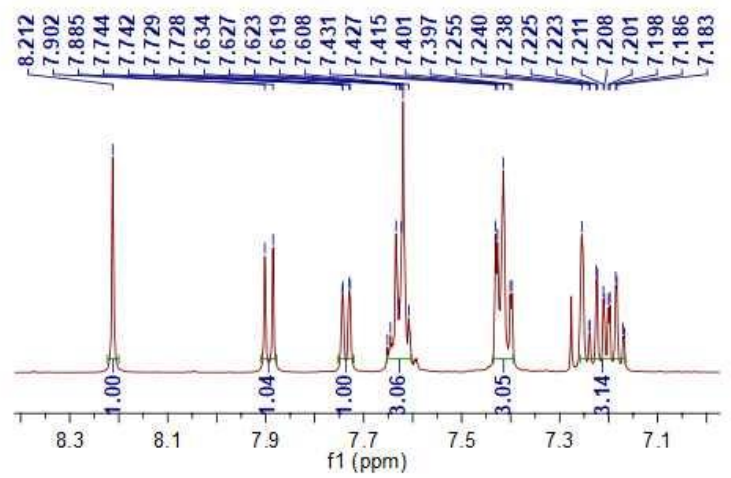
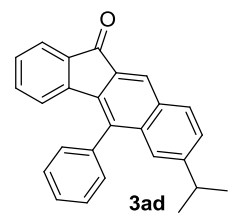


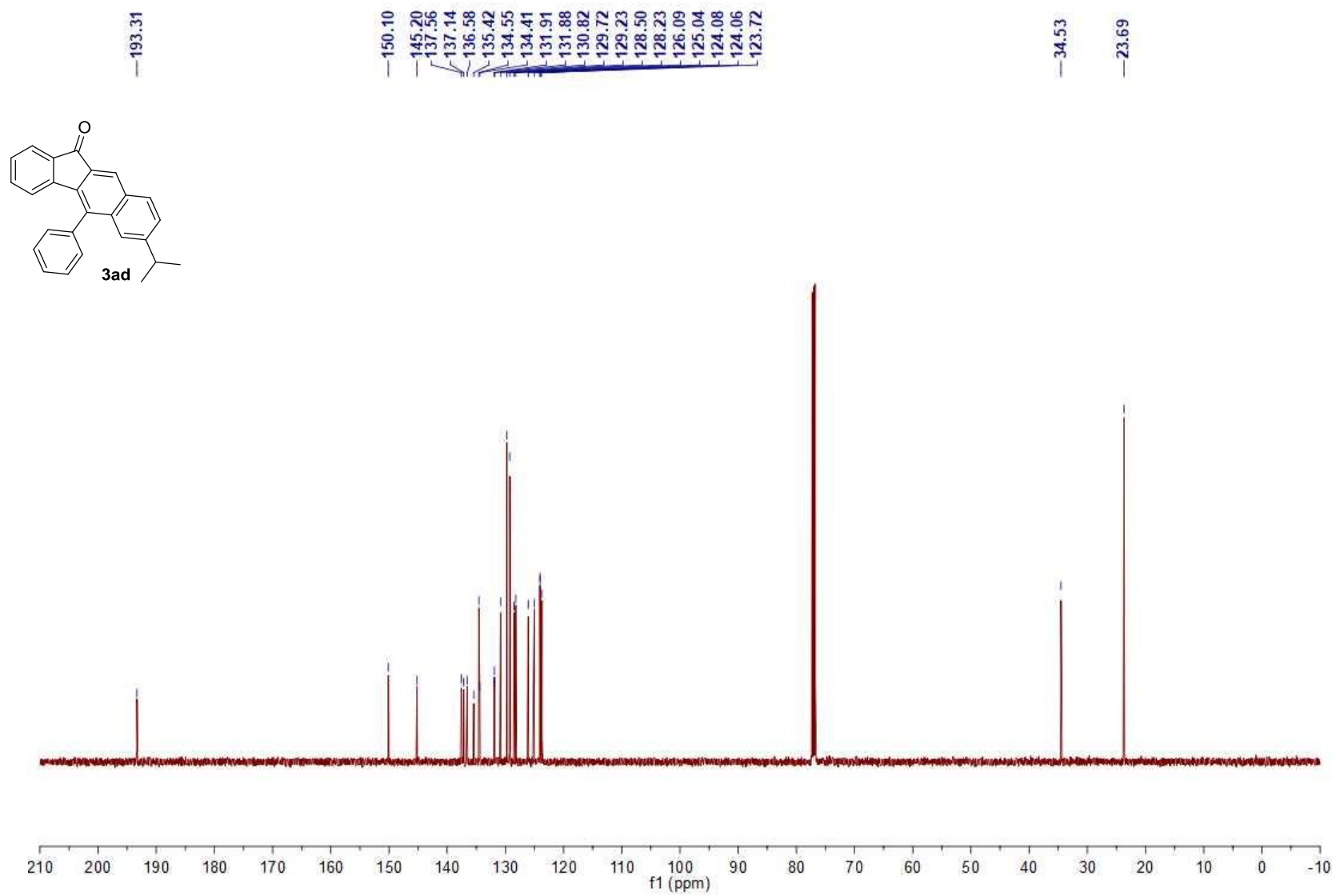
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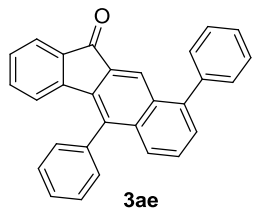
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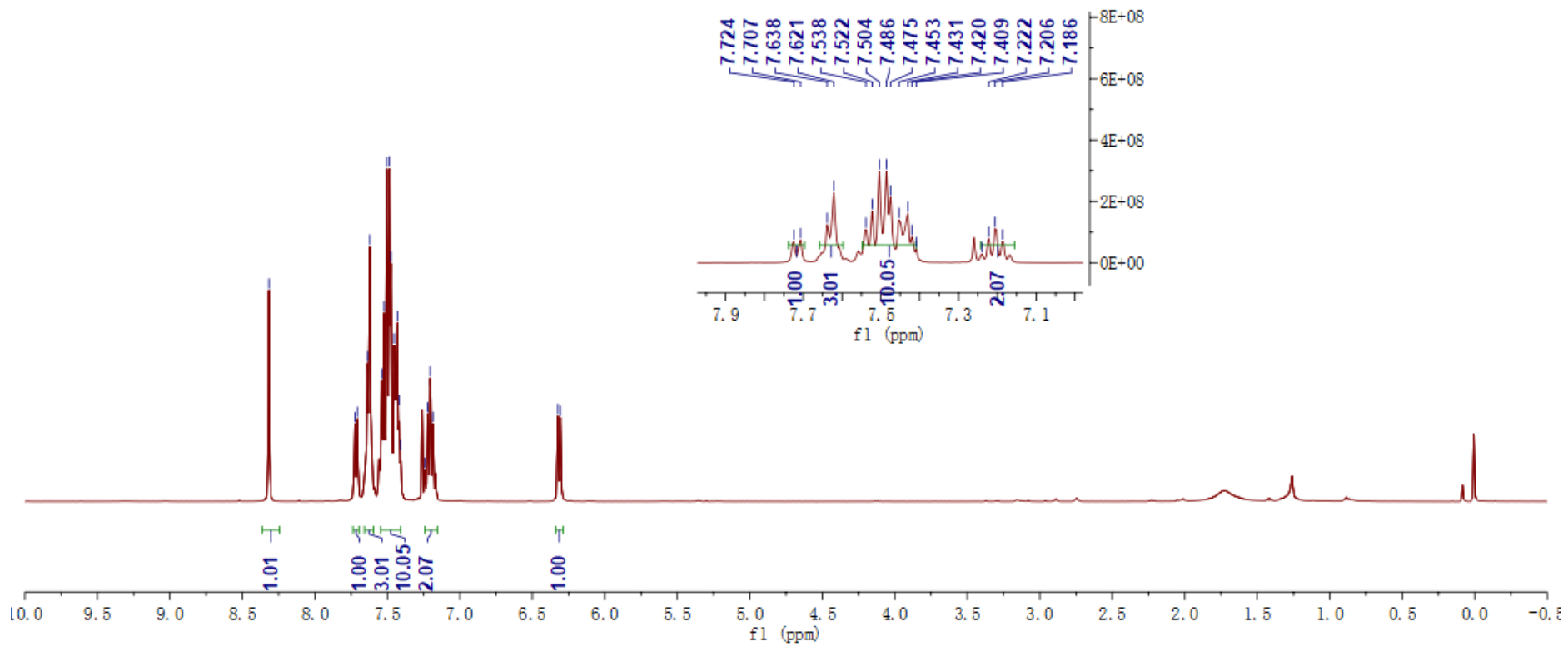
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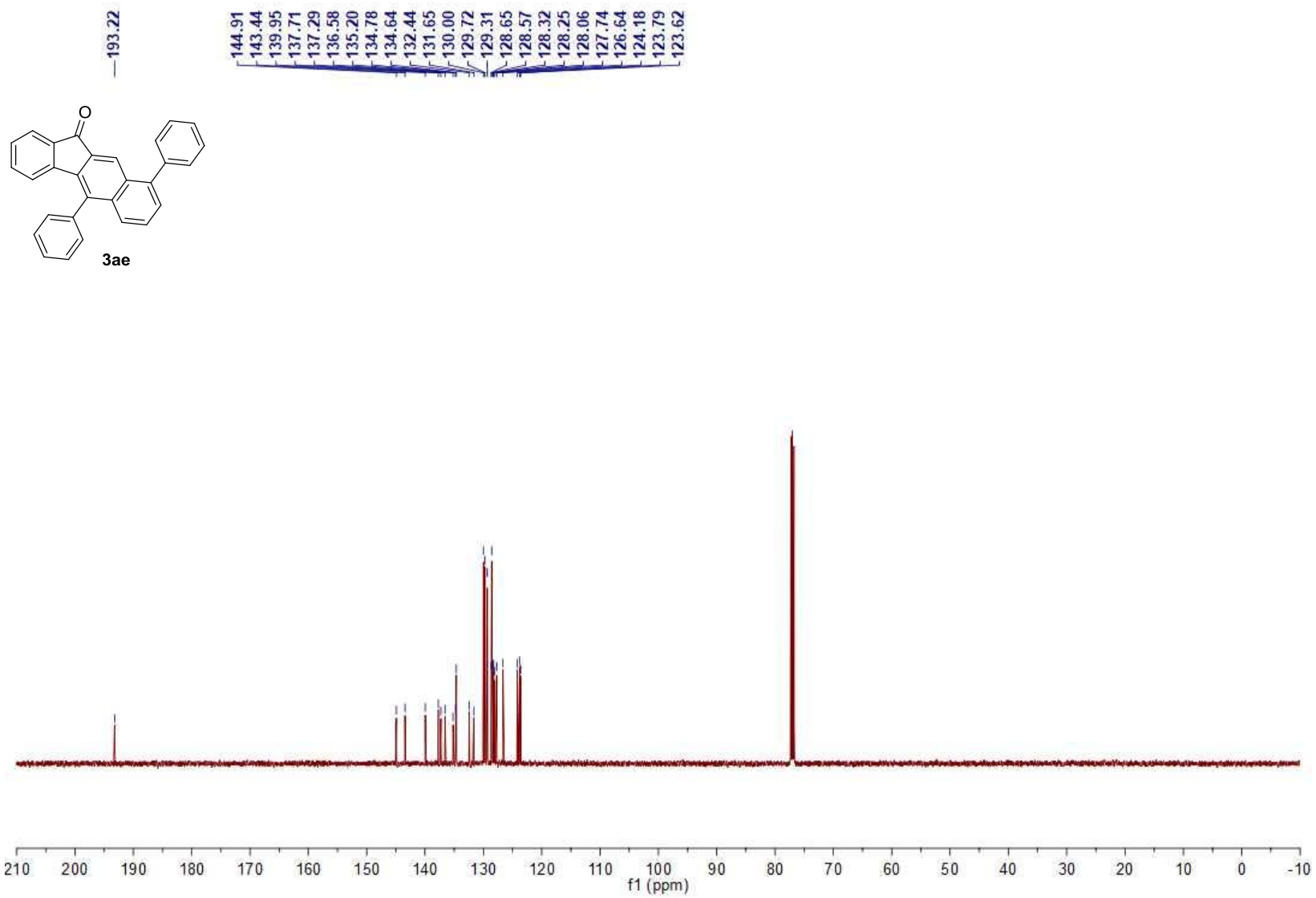




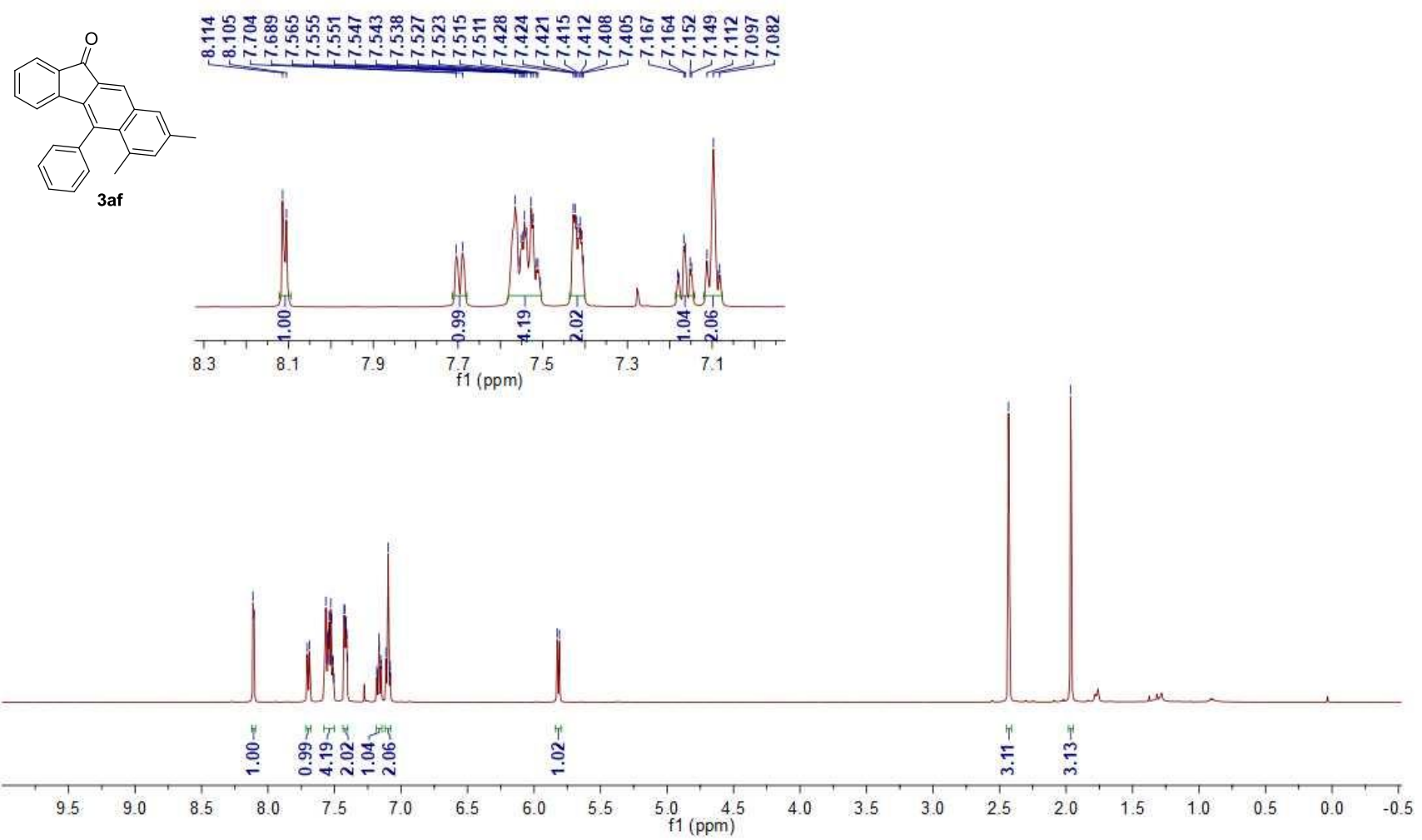
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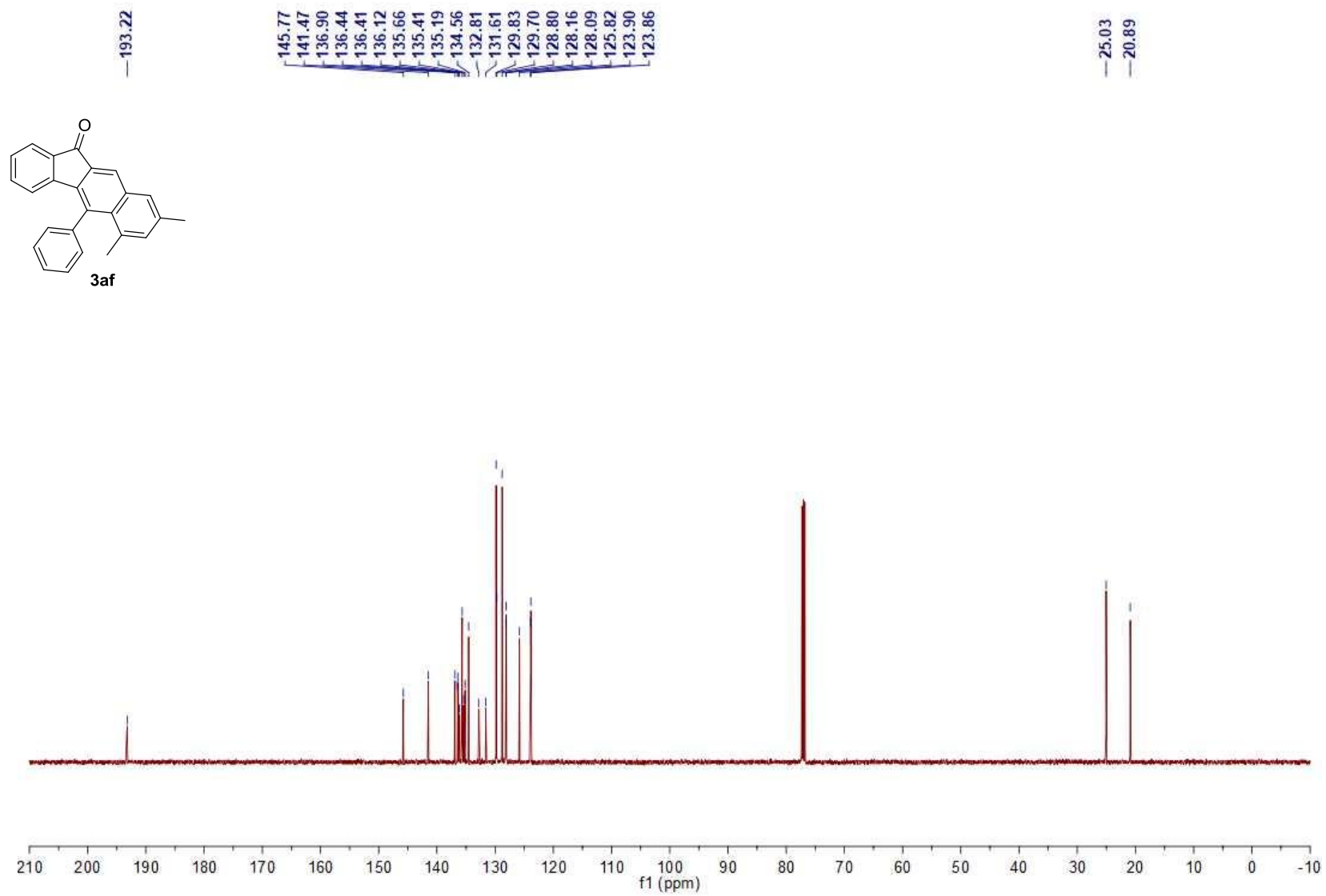




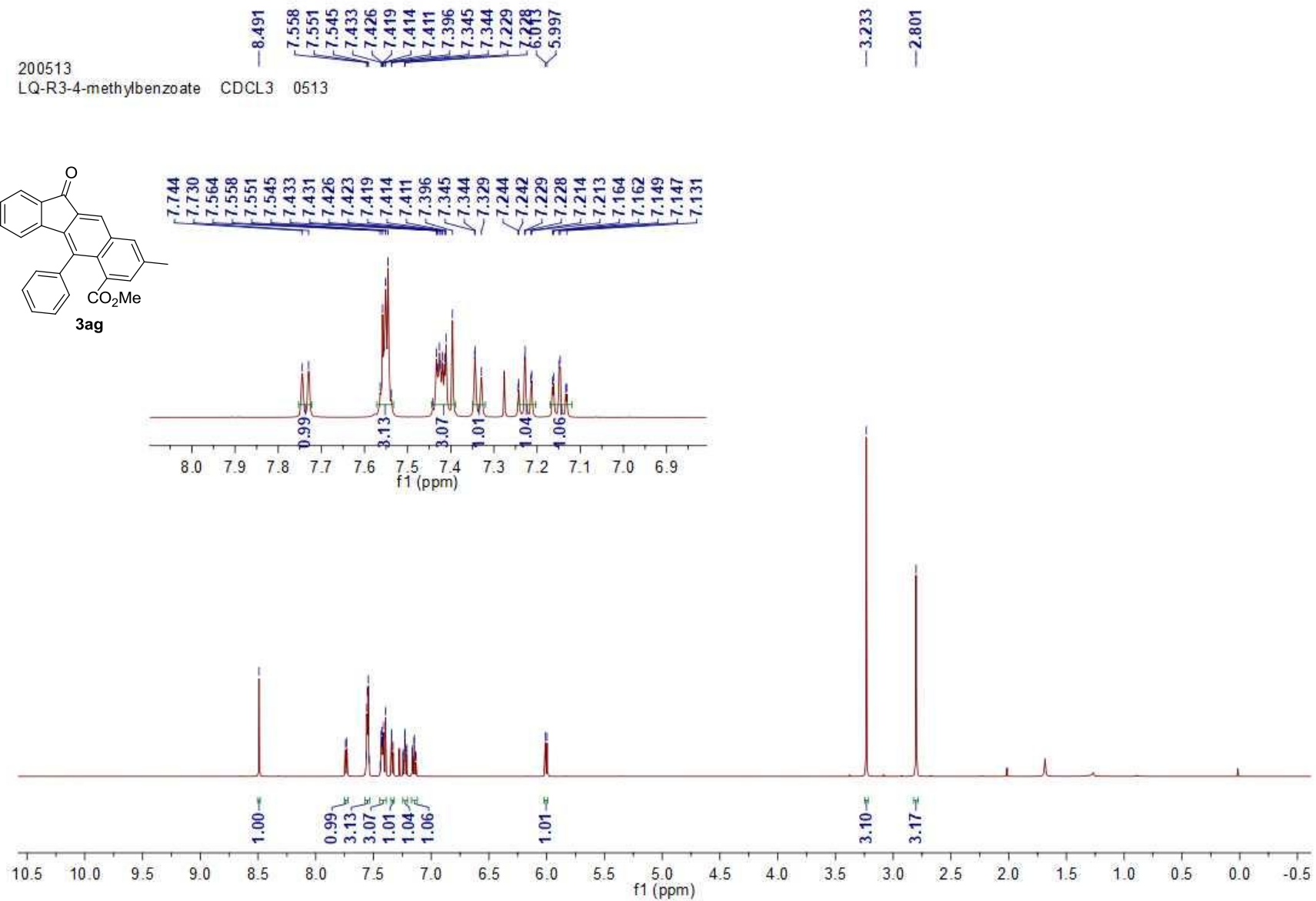
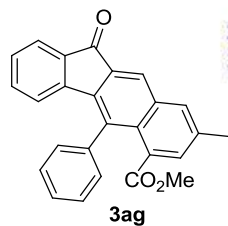


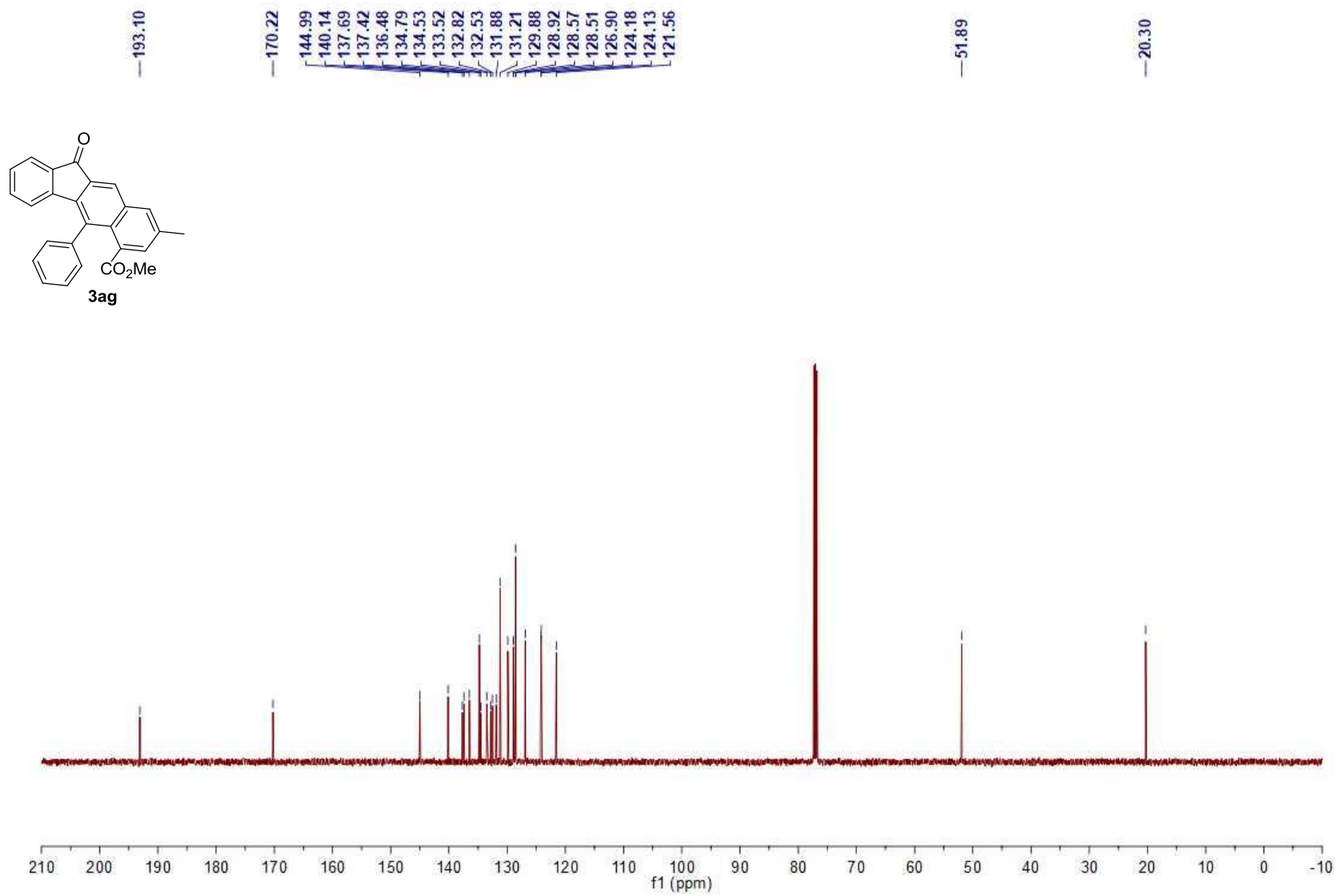
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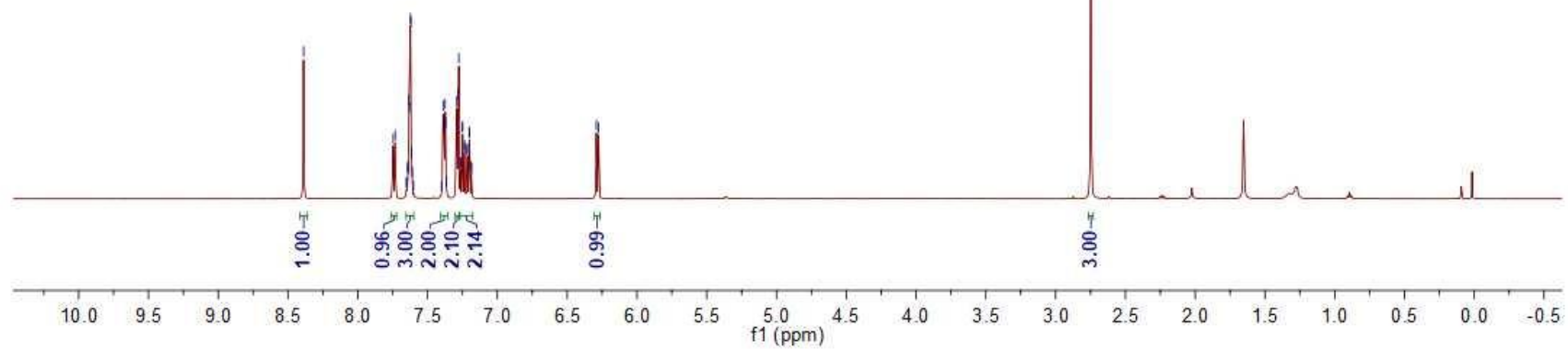
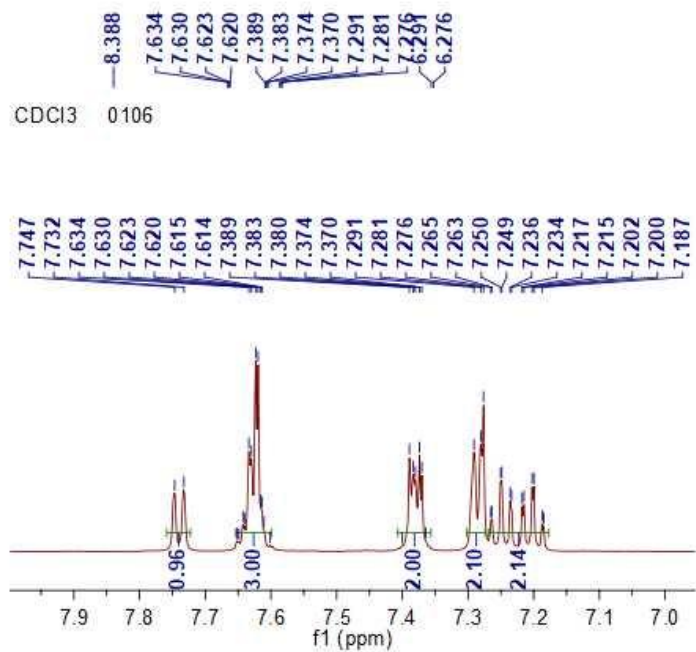
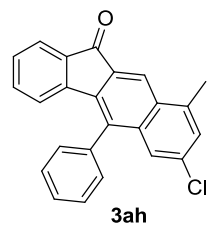
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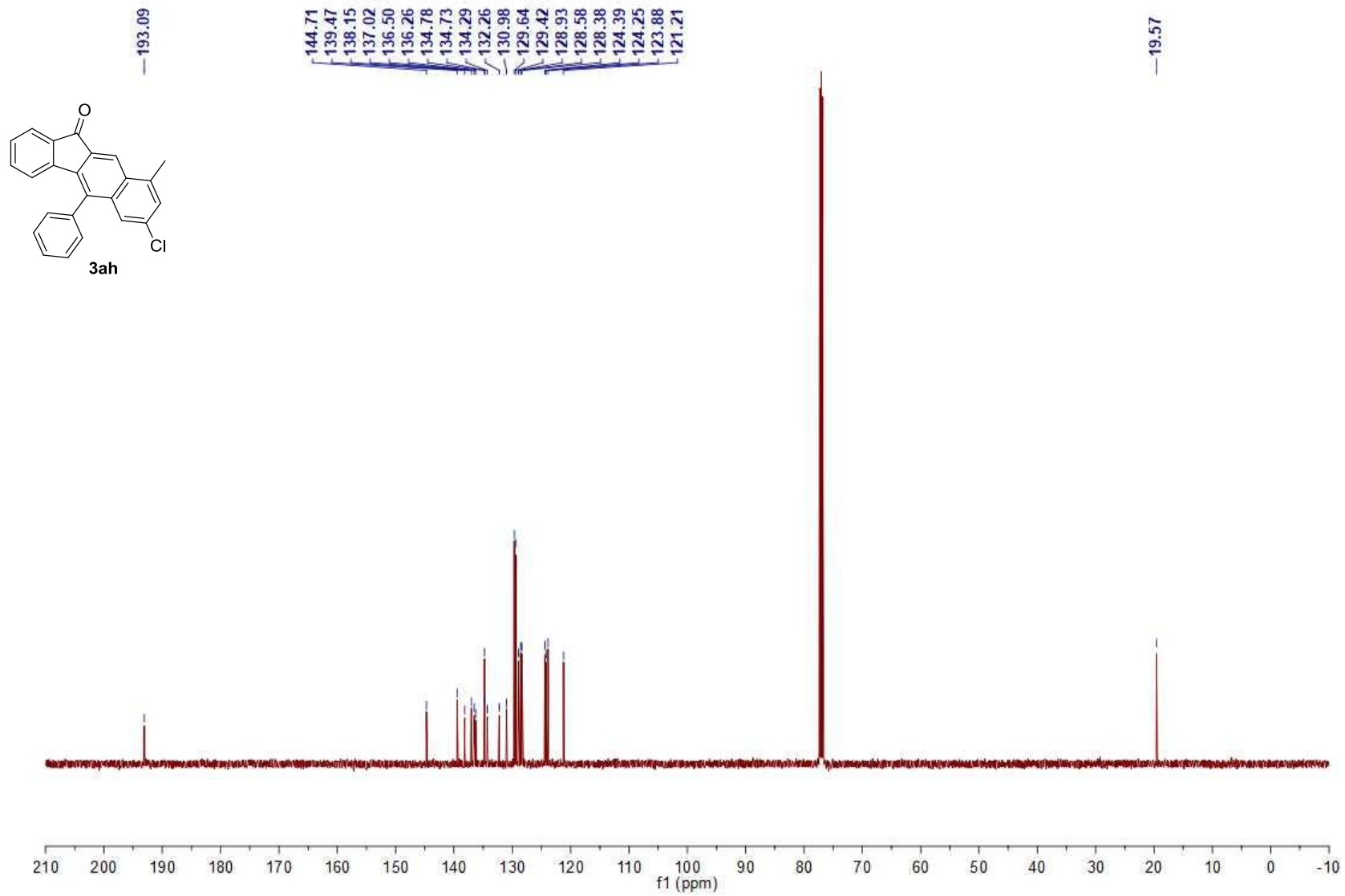


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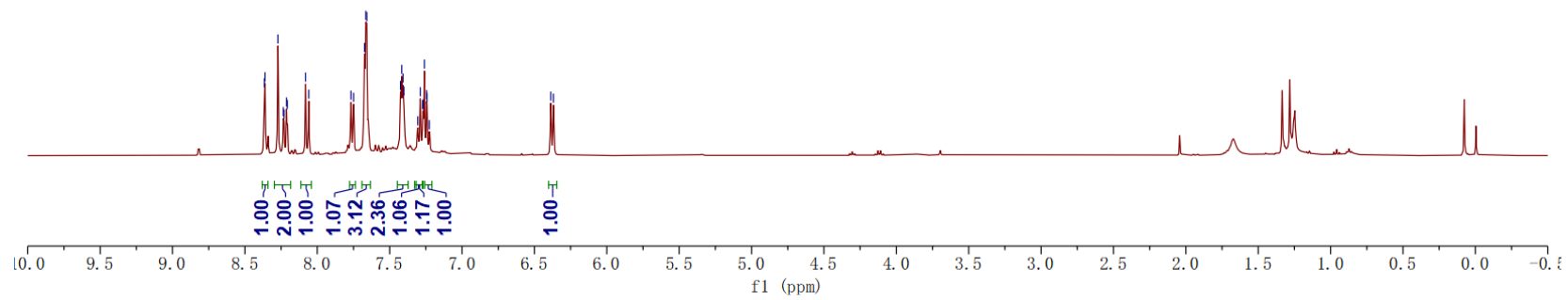
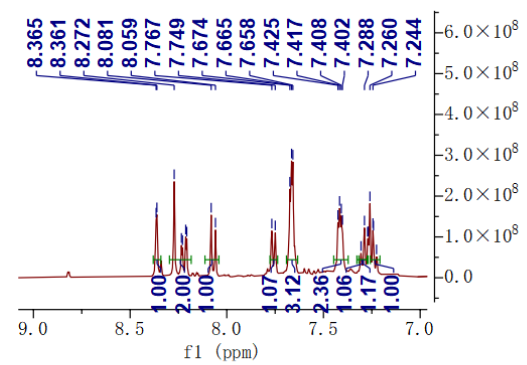
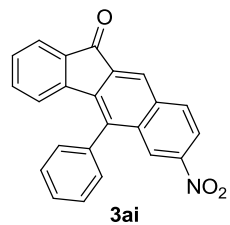
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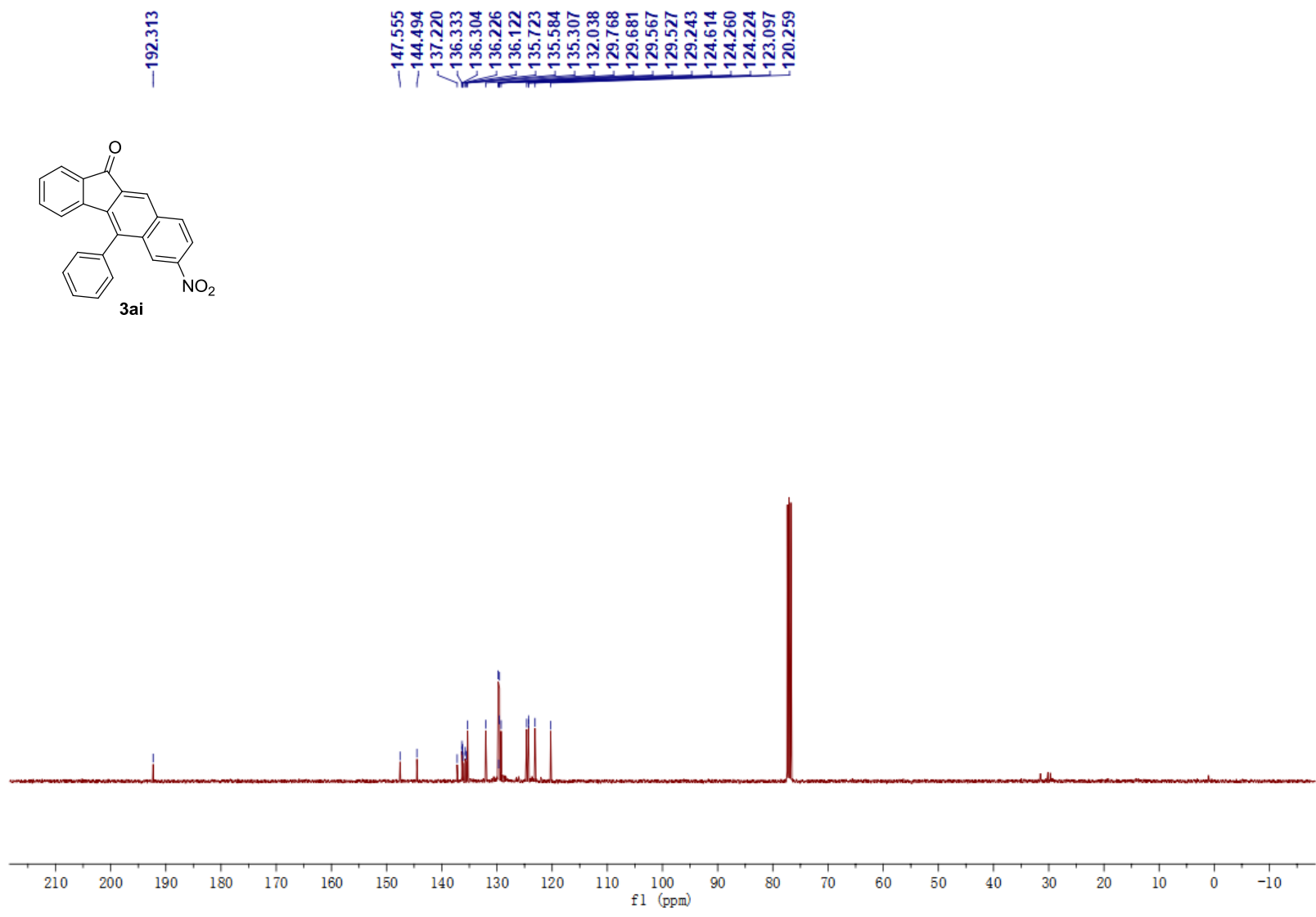
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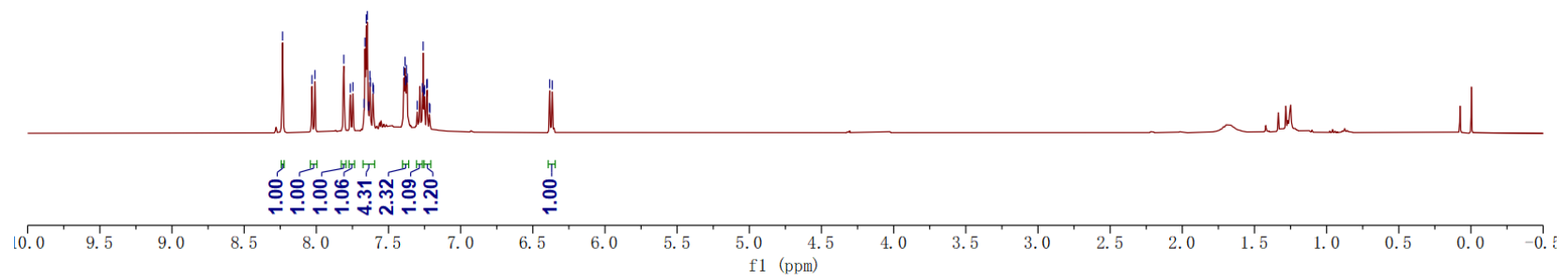
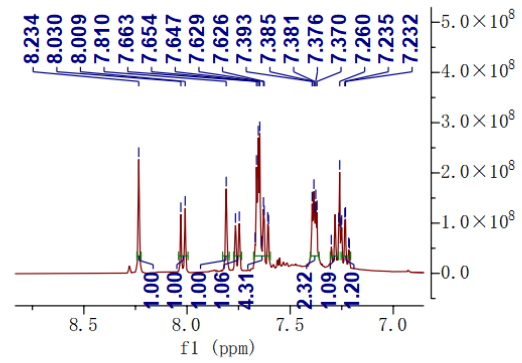
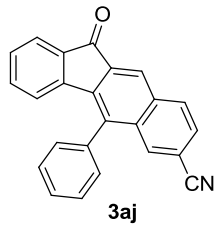
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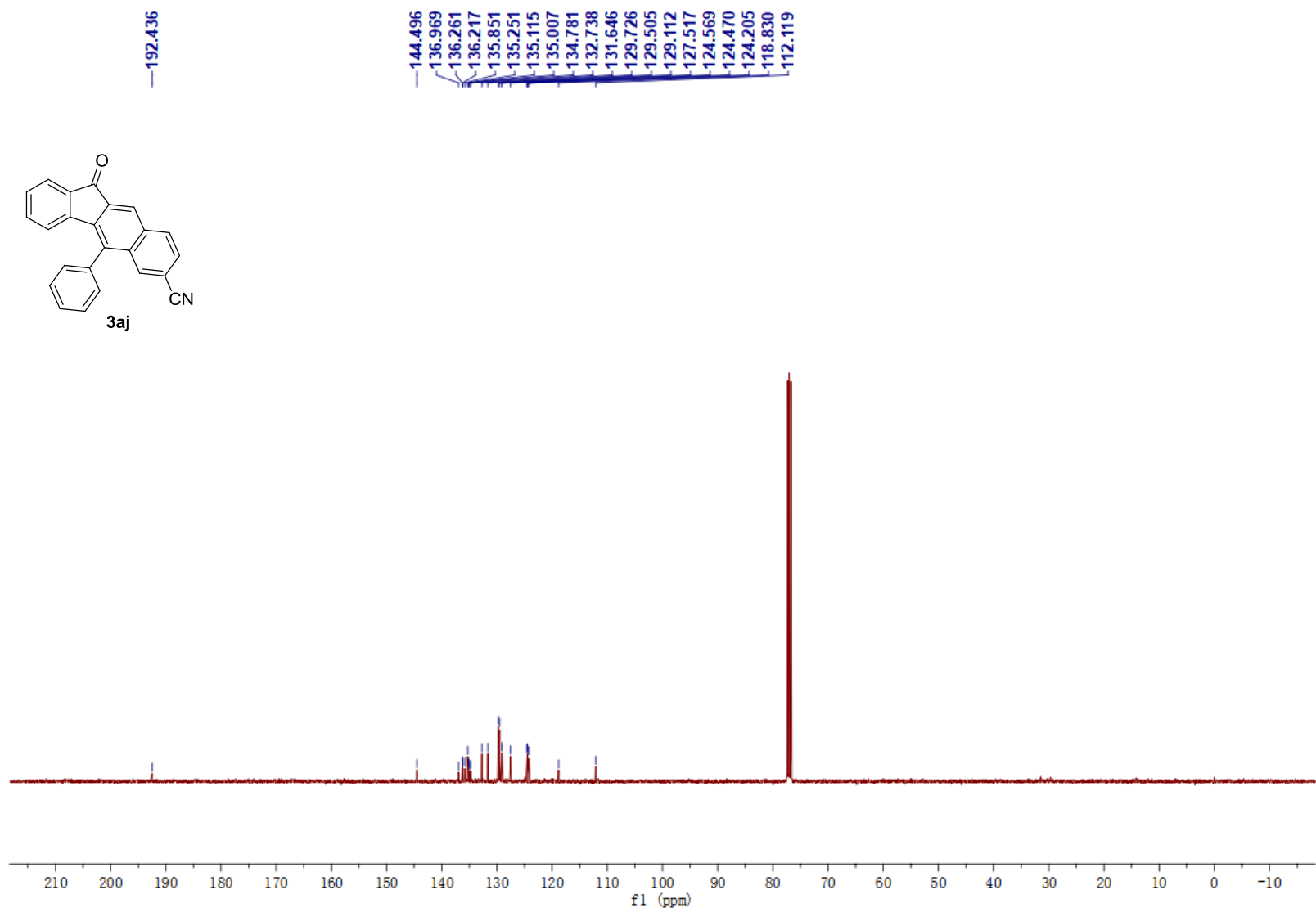


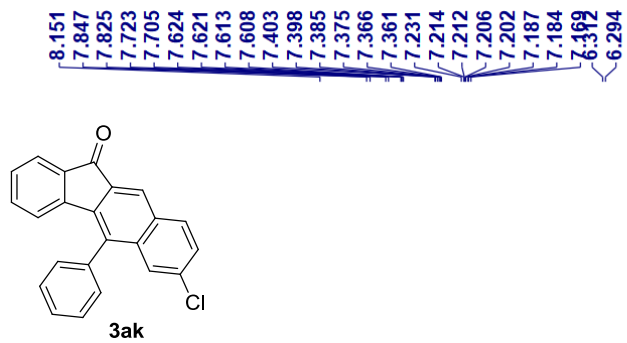




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Chemical shift values (ppm) for the aromatic region:

- 8.151
- 7.847
- 7.825
- 7.723
- 7.705
- 7.624
- 7.613
- 7.608
- 7.403
- 7.398
- 7.385
- 7.375
- 7.366
- 7.361
- 7.231
- 7.214
- 7.212
- 7.206
- 7.202
- 7.187
- 7.184
- 6.312
- 6.294

