

# Supporting Information

## Catalytic Asymmetric Construction of Bridged Bicyclo[m.3.1] Rings by Intramolecular Diels-Alder Reaction

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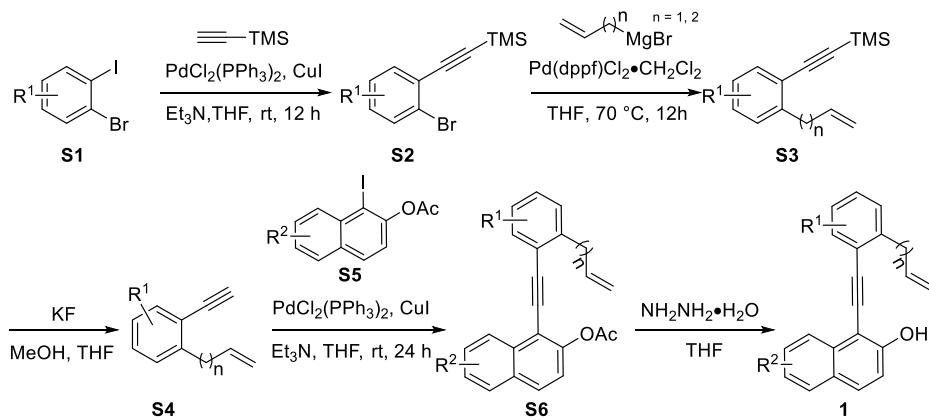
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## I. General information

<sup>1</sup>H and <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectra were recorded on Agilent 400MR DD2 (400 MHz) spectrometer and Agilent 600MR DD2 (600 MHz) spectrometer. Chemical shifts were reported in parts per million (ppm), and tetramethylsilane or the residual solvent peak was used as an internal reference: CDCl<sub>3</sub> (<sup>1</sup>H NMR tetramethylsilane δ 0.00, <sup>13</sup>C NMR δ 77.00), data are reported as follows: chemical shift, multiplicity (s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, q = quartet, m = multiplet, br = broad or as a combination of them), coupling constants (Hz) and integration. Enantiomeric excesses (ee) were determined by HPLC analysis on Hitachi Chromaster using DAICEL CHIRALCEL AD-H, 4.6mmΦ×250mm, DAICEL CHIRALCEL AS-H, 4.6mmΦ×250mm, DAICEL CHIRALCEL OD-H, 4.6mmΦ×250mm, DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA-H, 4.6mmΦ×250mm, DAICEL CHIRALCEL IB-H, 4.6mmΦ×250mm. High resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were performed on Bruker Solarix 7.0 T and ThermoFisher Q Exactive Plus. X-ray crystallography analysis of single crystal was performed on an Agilent SuperNova-CCD X-Ray diffractometer. Optical rotations were measured on a Rudolph Autopol I polarimeter and are reported as follows: [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>25</sup> (c in g per 100 mL solvent). Unless otherwise stated, all reagents were purchased from commercial suppliers (Adamas, J&K, Sigma-Aldrich, TCI) and used without further purification.

## II. General procedure for the synthesis of the substrates

### Method A: (1a-1n, 1s-1v)



### General procedure for the synthesis of S2:

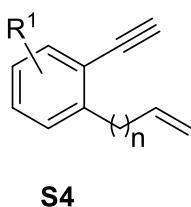
**S2** This step was carried out according to a literature method<sup>[1]</sup> with some modifications. To a solution of **S1** (8.0 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) in THF (20 mL) were added PdCl<sub>2</sub>(PPh<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub> (112 mg, 0.16 mmol, 0.02 equiv.), CuI (76 mg, 0.40 mmol, 0.05 equiv.), trimethylsilylacetylene (1.4 mL, 8.8 mmol, 1.1 equiv.) and Et<sub>3</sub>N (20 mL) under a nitrogen atmosphere at room temperature. After being stirred for 12 h, the mixture was quenched by addition of saturated aqueous NH<sub>4</sub>Cl and extracted with hexane. The extract was washed with water and brine, dried and concentrated to dryness. Purification by flash chromatography eluting with hexane to give **S2** (70-90% yield).

### General procedure for the synthesis of S3:

**S3** This step was carried out according to a literature method<sup>[2]</sup> with some modifications. **S2** (8 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) was dissolved in dry THF (20 mL) and placed in a pressure vessel. Alkenyl magnesium bromide (16 mL, 1.0 M in THF, 2.0 equiv) was added dropwise under a nitrogen atmosphere. After completion of the addition, Pd-catalyst (2 mol%) was added. The flask was sealed and heated at 70 °C for 12 h. The reaction was carefully quenched with water. The mixture is extracted

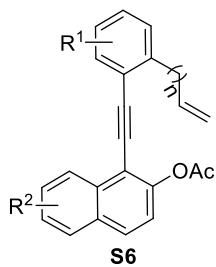
with EA and the combined organic layers were passed through  $\text{MgSO}_4$  plug to remove residual water. After evaporation of solvents the crude product was purified by flash chromatography eluting with hexane to give **S3** (65-87% yield).

#### General procedure for the synthesis of S4:



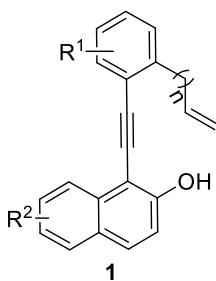
This step was carried out according to a literature method<sup>[3]</sup> with some modifications. To a stirred solution of **S3** (6.0 mmol, 1.0 equiv) in MeOH (15 mL) and THF (15 mL) was added KF (1.04 g, 18.0 mmol, 3.0 equiv). The reaction mixture was stirred for 4 hours at room temperature. The reaction mixture was quenched by addition of saturated aqueous  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$  and extracted with EA. The organic phase was dried ( $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ ) and concentrated. Purification by flash chromatography eluting with hexane to give **S4** (68-83% yield).

#### General procedure for the synthesis of S6:



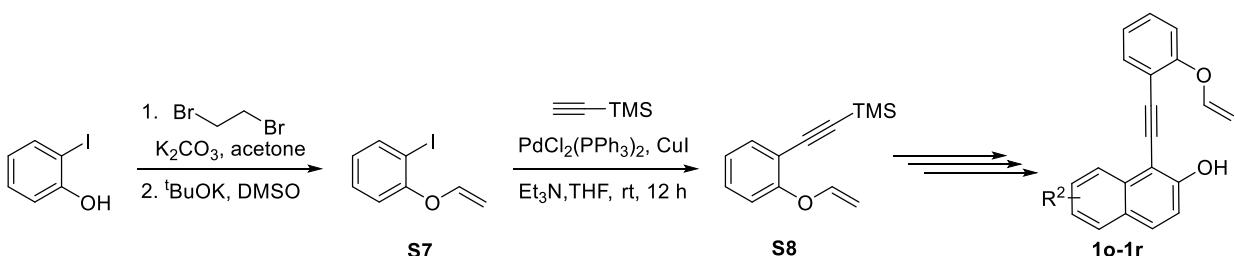
This step was carried out according to a literature method<sup>[4]</sup> with some modifications. **S5** (2 mmol, 1.0 equiv),  $\text{PdCl}_2(\text{PPh}_3)_2$  (28 mg, 0.04 mmol, 0.02 equiv) and  $\text{CuI}$  (19.1 mg, 0.1 mmol, 0.05 equiv) were weighed and added into an oven dried flask, evacuated and backfilled with nitrogen (3 times).  $\text{Et}_3\text{N}$  (4 mL) and THF (4 mL) was injected into the flask. Then **S4** (310 mg, 2.2 mmol, 1.1 equiv) was added. The resulting mixture kept stirring for 24 h. Then the mixture was filtered through a pad of celite and washed with EA. Removal of solvent under reduced pressure, purified by column chromatography on silica gel (PE/EA = 20:1) to afford **S6** (60-78% yield).

#### General procedure for the synthesis of 1:

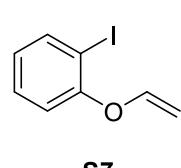


This step was carried out according to a literature method<sup>[3]</sup> with some modifications. To a stirred solution of **S6** (1.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv) in THF (10 mL) was added hydrazine monohydrate (0.73 mL, 7.5 mmol, 5.0 equiv, 50%) dropwise at rt. Then, the resulting solution was kept stirring until **S6** was consumed. Quenched with sat. aq.  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$ , extracted with EA, washed with brine, dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$  and filtered, concentrated under reduced pressure and purified by column chromatography on silica gel (PE/EA = 20:1) to afford the desired product **1** (70-88% yield).

#### Method B: (1a-3(1o), 1p-1r)



#### General procedure for the synthesis of S7:



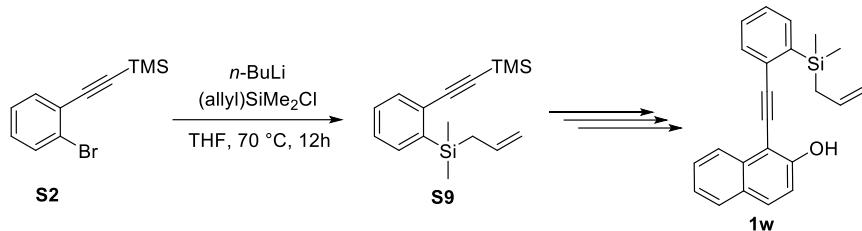
This step was carried out according to a literature method<sup>[5]</sup> with some modifications. O-iodophenol (2.2 g, 10 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) was weighed and added into a round bottom flask. Acetone (50ml) was sequentially added. Slowly add 1, 2-dibromoethane (4.3 ml, 50 mmol, 5.0 equiv.). Finally, add potassium carbonate (2.76 g, 20 mmol, 2.0 equiv.), stir at room temperature for 14 hours, then the reaction was stirred at reflux for 6 hours. Quenched with sat. aq.  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$ , the organic phase is extracted with EA, concentrated and passed through the column to obtain the product. Dissolve the obtained product in dimethyl

sulfoxide, add potassium tert-butoxide (15 mL, 1.0 M in THF, 1.5 equiv.). React at room temperature for 24 hours, add water to quench the reaction at the end of the reaction. The organic phase is extracted with hexane, concentrated and passed through a column for separation to obtain **S7**(1.89 g, 7.7 mmol, 77% yield) as a orange oil.

Compound **S8** was prepared according to the general procedure as described for **S3**.

Compound **1a-3(1o), 1p-1r** was prepared according to the general procedure as described for **1**.

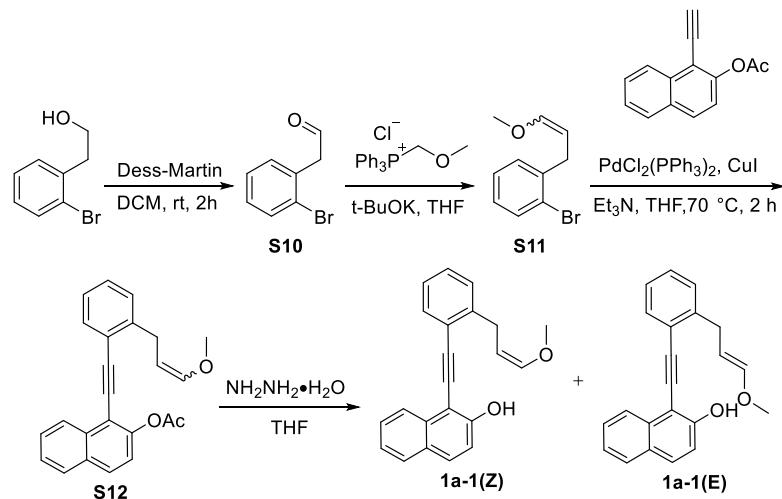
#### Method C: (**1w**)



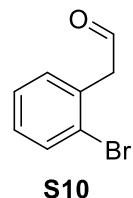
This step was carried out according to a literature method<sup>[6]</sup> with some modifications. To a solution of **S2** (2.53 g, 10 mmol) in THF (20 mL) was added dropwise *n*-BuLi (2.5 M in hexane, 12 mmol, 1.2 equiv.) at -78 °C. After stirring at -78 °C for 1 h, allylchlorodimethylsilane (2.03 g, 15 mmol, 1.5 equiv.) was added dropwise to the mixture. The reaction mixture was stirred at -78 °C for 1 h, and then allowed to warm to room temperature. The volatile materials were removed in vacuo, and the residue was subjected to column chromatography on silica gel (PE/EA = 100:1) to give **S9**(1.77 g, 6.5 mmol, 65% yield) as a pale yellow oil.

Compound **1w** was prepared according to the general procedure as described for **1**.

#### Method D: (**1a-1 (Z)**)

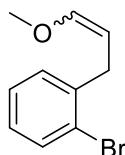


#### 2-(2-bromophenyl)acetaldehyde(**S10**)



This step was carried out according to a literature method<sup>[7]</sup> with some modifications. A mixture of 2-(2-bromophenyl)ethanol(6.0 g, 29.8 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and Dess-Martin periodinane (13.9 g, 32.8mmol, 1.1 equiv.) in DCM (60 mL) was stirred at room temperature for 2 hours. Solvent was removed in vacuo, and the residue was purified by silica gel column (PE/EA = 10:1) to give **S10** (4.5g, 22.6 mmol, 76% yield) as a colorless oil.

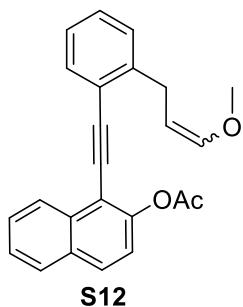
### **1-bromo-2-(3-methoxyallyl)benzene(S11)**



**S11**

This step was carried out according to a literature method<sup>[8]</sup> with some modifications. (Methoxymethyl)triphenylphosphonium chloride (5.70 g, 16.6 mmol, 1.1 equiv.) was weighed and added into a round bottom flask, evacuated and backfilled with nitrogen (3 times). THF (20 mL) was injected into the flask. Potassium tert-butoxide (2.02 g, 18.1 mmol, 1.2 equiv.) was added in portions at 0 °C. The color of the mixture turned from dark orange to red. After stirring for 40 min at 0 °C the reaction was allowed to warm up to room temperature. Then a solution of **S8**(3.0 g, 15.1 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) in THF (10 mL) was added dropwise and the mixture was stirred overnight. The reaction was quenched by addition of sat. aq. NH<sub>4</sub>Cl solution and the aqueous phase was extracted with EA. The combined organic layers were dried over MgSO<sub>4</sub> and the solvents were evaporated. Chromatographic purification (PE/EA = 10:1) of the crude material to give **S11** (2.50 g, 11 mmol, 73% yield) as a yellow oil.

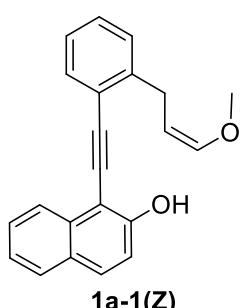
### **1-((2-(3-methoxyallyl)phenyl)ethynyl)naphthalen-2-yl acetate (S12)**



**S12**

This step was carried out according to a literature method<sup>[4]</sup> with some modifications. PdCl<sub>2</sub>(PPh<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub> (140 mg, 0.2 mmol, 0.02 equiv) and CuI (95 mg, 0.5 mmol, 0.05 equiv) were weighed and added into an oven dried flask, evacuated and backfilled with nitrogen (3 times). Triethylamine (15 mL) was injected into the flask. **S11** (2.26 g, 10 mmol, 1.0 equiv) dissolved in THF (15 mL) was added. The mixture was stirred for 30 min at 70 °C. After that, the alkyne (2.31 g, 11 mmol, 1.1 equiv) dissolved in THF (10 mL) was added slowly. The resulting mixture kept stirring for 2 h at 70 °C. Then the mixture was filtered through a pad of celite and washed with EA. Removal of solvent under reduced pressure, purified by flash chromatography on silica gel (PE/EA = 15:1) to afford **S12** (2.56 g, 7.2 mmol, 72% yield) as a yellow oil.

### **(Z)-1-((2-(3-methoxyallyl)phenyl)ethynyl)naphthalen-2-ol (1a-1(Z))**



**1a-1(Z)**

This step was carried out according to a literature method<sup>[3]</sup> with some modifications. To a stirred solution of **S12** (2.56 g, 7.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv) in THF (20 mL) was added hydrazine monohydrate (3.5 mL, 36 mmol, 5.0 equiv, 50%) dropwise at rt. Then, the resulting solution was kept stirring until **S12** was consumed. Quenched with sat. aq. NH<sub>4</sub>Cl, extracted with EA, washed with brine, dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> and filtered, concentrated under reduced pressure and purified by column chromatography on silica gel (PE/EA = 30:1 to 15:1) to afford the desired product **1a-Z** (815 mg, 2.59 mmol, 36% yield) as an orange oil.

### III. Optimization of the reaction conditions (Table S1<sup>a</sup>)

**Catalyst**

**C1**: A complex polycyclic catalyst featuring a tricyclic core with a methoxy group (MeO) and a quaternary ammonium-like side chain containing a carbonyl group and a trifluoromethylphenyl group.

**C2**: Similar to C1, but the carbonyl group is replaced by a thioether linkage (-S-).

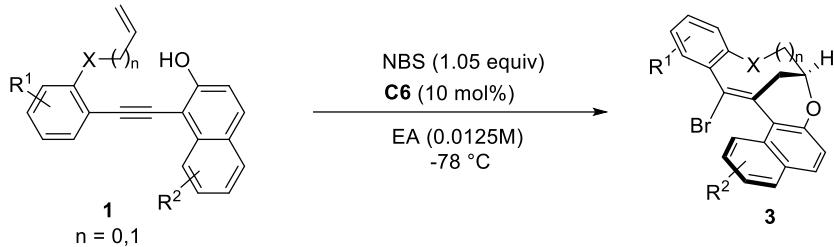
**C3**: Similar to C1, but the carbonyl group is replaced by a carbamate linkage (-NH-CO-NH-).

**C4-C7**: Variants of C1-C3 where the aryl group on the quaternary center is substituted: **C4** (Ar = C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>5</sub>), **C5** (Ar = 2-CF<sub>3</sub>C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>5</sub>), **C6** (Ar = 4-CF<sub>3</sub>C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>5</sub>), and **C7** (Ar = 3,5-(CF<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>5</sub>).

Entry	Catalyst	Solvent	T (°C)	Br <sup>+</sup>	Yield <sup>b</sup> of 3a (%)	ee <sup>c</sup> (%) of 3a	ee <sup>d</sup> (%) of 4a	3a/4a <sup>e</sup>
1	<b>C1</b>	DCM	-40	NBS	30	92	90	57/43
2	<b>C2</b>	DCM	-40	NBS	28	-73	-65	60/40
3	<b>C3</b>	DCM	-40	NBS	30	-10	-7	58/42
4	<b>C4</b>	DCM	-40	NBS	29	72	58	60/40
5	<b>C5</b>	DCM	-40	NBS	33	85	2	58/42
6	<b>C6</b>	DCM	-40	NBS	34	92	93	64/36
7	<b>C7</b>	DCM	-40	NBS	30	89	80	62/38
8	<b>C6</b>	toluene	-40	NBS	31	95	90	62/38
9	<b>C6</b>	acetone	-40	NBS	40	52	45	80/20
10	<b>C6</b>	THF	-40	NBS	45	41	25	80/20
11	<b>C6</b>	CHCl <sub>3</sub>	-40	NBS	35	60	88	67/33
12	<b>C6</b>	EA	-40	NBS	55	90	69	87/13
13	<b>C6</b>	EA	-60	NBS	60	93	91	88/12
14	<b>C6</b>	EA	-78	NBS	62	95	93	90/10
15	<b>C6</b>	EA	-78	NBP	63	85	83	88/12
16	<b>C6</b>	EA	-78	DBDMH	57	65	75	88/12
17 <sup>f</sup>	<b>C6</b>	EA	-78	NBS	60	93	96	90/10
18 <sup>g</sup>	<b>C6</b>	EA	-78	NBS	65	97	92	91/9
19 <sup>h</sup>	<b>C6</b>	EA	-78	NBS	65	92	91	91/9

<sup>a</sup>Reaction conditions: **1a-2** (0.025 mmol, 1.0 equiv), catalyst (0.0025 mmol, 10 mol%) in solvent (1 mL) at corresponding temperature for 30 min, then brominating reagents (1.05 equiv) at corresponding temperature, 0.5–6 h. <sup>b</sup>Isolated yield of **3a**. <sup>c</sup>Enantiomeric excess (ee) of **3a** determined by HPLC. <sup>d</sup>Enantiomeric excess (ee) of **4a** determined by HPLC. <sup>e</sup>The ratio of (**3a**:**4a**) were determined by the <sup>1</sup>H NMR analysis. <sup>f</sup>Reaction in EA (0.5 mL). <sup>g</sup>Reaction in EA (2 mL). <sup>h</sup>Reaction in EA (3.0 mL).

#### IV. General procedure for asymmetric reaction



##### Condition[A]:

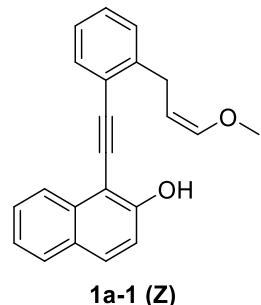
A solution of **1** (1.0 equiv) and **catalyst-6** (10 mol%) in EA (0.0125M) was stirred at  $-78^{\circ}\text{C}$  for 30 min, then NBS (1.05 equiv) was added. After stirring at  $-78^{\circ}\text{C}$  for 6-24 h, the reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure. The resulting residue was purified by silica gel flash column chromatography using PE/EA eluent (60:1 to 50:1) to afford the annulation product **3**.

#### V. General procedure for initial experimental

##### Condition[B]:

A solution of **1** (1.0 equiv.) and **catalyst-6** (10 mol%) in DCM (0.025M) was stirred at  $-40^{\circ}\text{C}$  for 30 min, then NBS (1.05 equiv) was added. After stirring at  $-40^{\circ}\text{C}$  for 6 h, the reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure. The resulting residue was purified by silica gel flash column chromatography using PE/EA eluent (60:1 to 50:1) to afford the annulation product **2**, **3**, **4**.

#### VI. $^1\text{H}$ , $^{13}\text{C}$ NMR and HRMS data of compounds (1a-1x)



##### (Z)-1-((2-(3-methoxyallyl)phenyl)ethynyl)naphthalen-2-ol (**1a-1 (Z)**)

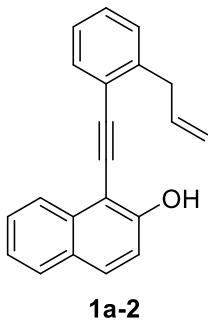
Compound **1a-1 (Z)** is an unknown compound. The compound was synthesized in 36% yield (815 mg, 2.59 mmol) following the general procedure (**Method D**) and was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (30:1 to 15:1) as eluent.

Yellow oil. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE/EA= 5:1)

**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.24 (d,  $J = 8.3$  Hz, 1H), 7.77 (t,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 2H), 7.65 (d,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 7.56 (t,  $J = 7.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.40 – 7.30 (m, 3H), 7.27 – 7.21 (m, 2H), 6.58 (s, 1H), 6.02 (d,  $J = 6.1$  Hz, 1H), 4.61 (q,  $J = 7.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.73 (d,  $J = 6.6$  Hz, 2H), 3.61 (s, 3H).

**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  155.97, 146.80, 142.96, 133.63, 132.39, 130.51, 128.92, 128.88, 128.43, 128.22, 127.31, 126.05, 124.94, 123.97, 122.19, 116.65, 104.65, 103.22, 99.85, 85.52, 59.80, 29.60.

**HRMS (ESI)**  $m/z$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{17}\text{O}_2^-[\text{M} - \text{H}]^-$ : 313.1234, Found: 313.1219.



### 1-((2-allylphenyl)ethynyl)naphthalen-2-ol (**1a-2**)

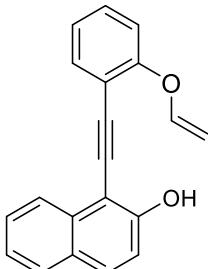
Compound **1a-2** is an unknown compound. The compound was synthesized in 85% yield (363 mg, 1.28 mmol) following the general procedure (**Method A**) and was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (30:1 to 15:1) as eluent.

White solid. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE/EA = 5:1)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.18 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 7.68 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.65 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 1H), 7.57 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.49 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.30 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.24 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.22 – 7.14 (m, 3H), 6.31 (s, 1H), 6.07 (ddt, *J* = 16.4, 10.1, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 5.20 – 5.10 (m, 1H), 5.10 – 4.98 (m, 1H), 3.64 (m, 2H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 155.99, 141.06, 136.26, 133.40, 132.24, 130.58, 129.25, 128.92, 128.32, 128.19, 127.28, 126.30, 124.75, 123.92, 122.33, 116.36, 116.31, 102.89, 99.66, 85.38, 38.72.

**HRMS (ESI)** *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>15</sub>O<sup>+</sup>[M - H]<sup>-</sup>: 283.1128, Found: 283.1115.



### 1-((2-(vinyloxy)phenyl)ethynyl)naphthalen-2-ol (**1a-3 (1o)**)

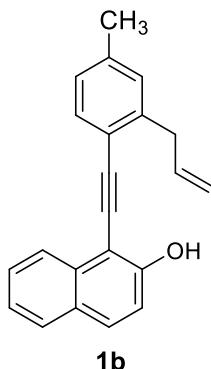
Compound **1a-3 (1o)** is an unknown compound. The compound was synthesized in 88% yield (378 mg, 1.32 mmol) following the general procedure (**Method B**) and was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (30:1 to 15:1) as eluent.

White solid. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE/EA = 5:1)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.22 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 7.77 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.62 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.55 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.39 – 7.33 (m, 2H), 7.24 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 7.14 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.08 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 6.84 (s, 1H), 6.76 (dd, *J* = 13.7, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 4.97 (dd, *J* = 13.7, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 4.61 (dd, *J* = 6.0, 2.0 Hz, 1H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 156.80, 156.58, 147.65, 133.05, 132.03, 130.71, 129.82, 128.33, 128.22, 127.31, 124.98, 123.98, 123.38, 116.46, 116.04, 113.93, 102.96, 96.95, 96.40, 87.81.

**HRMS (ESI)** *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>15</sub>O<sub>2</sub><sup>+</sup>[M - H]<sup>-</sup>: 285.0921, Found: 285.0909.



**1-((2-allyl-4-methylphenyl)ethynyl)naphthalen-2-ol (1b)**

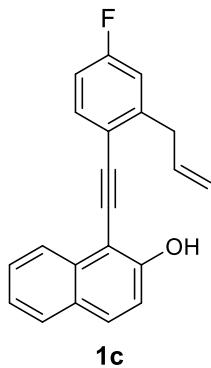
Compound **1b** is an unknown compound. The compound was synthesized in 78% yield (349 mg, 1.17 mmol) following the general procedure (**Method A**) and was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (30:1 to 15:1) as eluent.

Yellow solid. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE:EA = 5:1)

**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.19 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.77 (t,  $J = 8.7$  Hz, 2H), 7.58 – 7.51 (m, 2H), 7.42 – 7.34 (m, 1H), 7.22 (d,  $J = 8.9$  Hz, 1H), 7.12 – 7.07 (m, 2H), 6.26 (s, 1H), 6.12 (ddt,  $J = 16.5, 9.8, 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.17 (dd,  $J = 10.1, 1.9$  Hz, 1H), 5.08 (dd,  $J = 17.1, 2.0$  Hz, 1H), 3.67 (d,  $J = 5.8$  Hz, 2H), 2.39 (s, 3H).

**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  155.95, 141.13, 139.37, 136.47, 133.47, 132.28, 130.48, 130.19, 128.43, 128.26, 127.33, 127.26, 124.91, 124.00, 119.40, 116.36, 103.15, 99.99, 84.59, 38.83, 21.54.

**HRMS (ESI)**  $m/z$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{17}\text{O}^-[\text{M} - \text{H}]^-$ : 297.1285, Found: 297.1276.



**1-((2-allyl-4-fluorophenyl)ethynyl)naphthalen-2-ol (1c)**

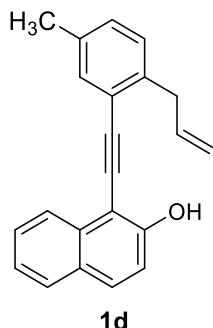
Compound **1c** is an unknown compound. The compound was synthesized in 79% yield (358 mg, 1.19 mmol) following the general procedure (**Method A**) and was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (30:1 to 15:1) as eluent.

White solid. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE:EA = 5:1)

**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.16 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.78 (t,  $J = 7.1$  Hz, 2H), 7.68 – 7.47 (m, 2H), 7.38 (t,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.26 – 7.19 (m, 1H), 7.12 – 6.86 (m, 2H), 6.20 (s, 1H), 6.08 (ddt,  $J = 16.6, 11.3, 6.2$  Hz, 1H), 5.21 (d,  $J = 10.2$  Hz, 1H), 5.10 (d,  $J = 17.1$  Hz, 1H), 3.69 (d,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 2H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 162.83 (d, *J* = 250.7 Hz), 156.07, 144.14 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz), 135.43, 134.12 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz), 133.45, 130.78, 128.43, 128.32, 127.43, 124.78, 124.09, 118.51 (d, *J* = 3.0 Hz), 117.13, 116.45 (d, *J* = 22.2 Hz), 116.41, 113.76 (d, *J* = 21.9 Hz), 102.76, 98.64, 85.07, 38.76.

**HRMS (ESI)** *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>14</sub>FO[M - H]<sup>-</sup>: 301.1034, Found: 301.1027.



#### 1-((2-allyl-5-methylphenyl)ethynyl)naphthalen-2-ol (**1d**)

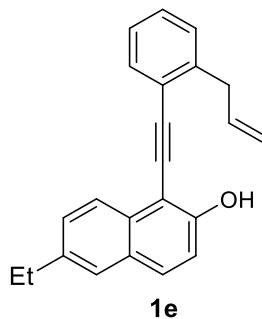
Compound **1d** is an unknown compound. The compound was synthesized in 82% yield (367 mg, 1.23 mmol) following the general procedure (**Method A**) and was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (30:1 to 15:1) as eluent.

White solid. (R<sub>f</sub> = 0.5, PE/EA = 5:1)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.19 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.76 (t, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 7.54 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.46 (s, 1H), 7.37 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.24 – 7.12 (m, 3H), 6.18 – 6.01 (m, 1H), 5.22 – 5.11 (m, 1H), 5.11 – 4.99 (m, 1H), 3.66 (d, *J* = 5.8 Hz, 2H), 2.36 (s, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 156.00, 138.10, 136.57, 135.94, 133.42, 132.71, 130.52, 129.91, 129.24, 128.35, 128.21, 127.28, 124.82, 123.94, 122.14, 116.32, 116.17, 102.99, 99.96, 84.93, 38.36, 20.75.

**HRMS (ESI)** *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>17</sub>O[M - H]<sup>-</sup>: 297.1285, Found: 297.1274.



#### 1-((2-allylphenyl)ethynyl)-6-ethylnaphthalen-2-ol (**1e**)

Compound **1e** is an unknown compound. The compound was synthesized in 80% yield (375 mg, 1.2 mmol) following the general procedure (**Method A**) and was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (30:1 to 15:1) as eluent.

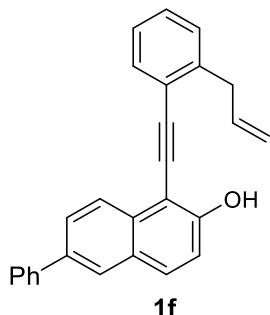
Pale yellow solid. (R<sub>f</sub> = 0.5, PE/EA = 5:1)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.11 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 1H), 7.69 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 1H), 7.63 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.55 (s, 1H), 7.41 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 1H), 7.36 – 7.30 (m, 1H), 7.30 – 7.23 (m, 2H), 7.18 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 1H), 6.18 (s, 1H), 6.16 – 6.04 (m,

1H), 5.17 (d,  $J = 10.2$  Hz, 1H), 5.07 (d,  $J = 17.1$  Hz, 1H), 3.70 (d,  $J = 5.9$  Hz, 2H), 2.78 (q,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 2H), 1.31 (t,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 3H).

**$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR** (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  155.52, 141.23, 139.91, 136.33, 132.34, 131.81, 130.22, 129.37, 129.01, 128.63, 128.54, 126.41, 126.07, 124.82, 122.51, 116.44, 116.27, 102.76, 99.50, 85.57, 38.85, 28.69, 15.57.

**HRMS (ESI)**  $m/z$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{19}\text{O}^+[\text{M} - \text{H}]^-$ : 311.1441, Found: 311.1432.



#### 1-((2-allylphenyl)ethynyl)-6-phenylnaphthalen-2-ol (1f)

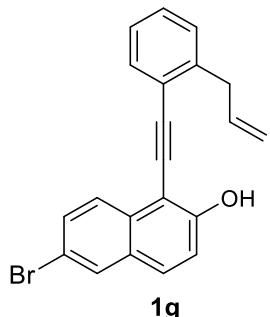
Compound **1f** is an unknown compound. The compound was synthesized in 88% yield (476 mg, 1.32 mmol) following the general procedure (**Method A**) and was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (30:1 to 15:1) as eluent.

White solid. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE:EA = 5:1)

**$^1\text{H}$  NMR** (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.24 (d,  $J = 8.1$  Hz, 1H), 7.98 (s, 1H), 7.81 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz, 2H), 7.70 (d,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 2H), 7.66 (d,  $J = 6.7$  Hz, 1H), 7.51 – 7.43 (m, 2H), 7.41 – 7.33 (m, 2H), 7.33 – 7.26 (m, 2H), 7.24 (d,  $J = 8.7$  Hz, 1H), 6.20 – 6.07 (m, 1H), 5.18 (d,  $J = 10.3$  Hz, 1H), 5.09 (d,  $J = 17.1$  Hz, 1H), 3.73 (d,  $J = 9.1$  Hz, 2H).

**$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR** (150 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  156.17, 141.33, 140.82, 136.88, 136.35, 132.70, 132.42, 130.94, 129.43, 129.14, 128.85, 128.72, 127.24, 127.22, 127.01, 126.46, 126.19, 125.45, 122.44, 116.86, 116.49, 102.93, 99.78, 85.34, 38.89.

**HRMS (ESI)**  $m/z$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{19}\text{O}^+[\text{M} - \text{H}]^-$ : 359.1441, Found: 359.1434.



#### 1-((2-allylphenyl)ethynyl)-6-bromonaphthalen-2-ol (1g)

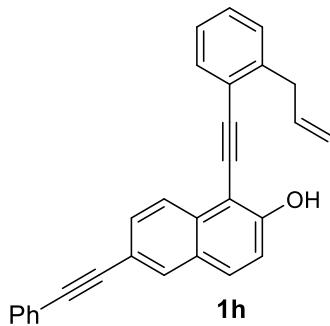
Compound **1g** is an unknown compound. The compound was synthesized in 81% yield (441 mg, 1.22 mmol) following the general procedure (**Method A**) and was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (30:1 to 15:1) as eluent.

White solid. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE:EA = 5:1)

**$^1\text{H}$  NMR** (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.04 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.92 (s, 1H), 7.71 – 7.55 (m, 3H), 7.40 – 7.33 (m, 1H), 7.33 – 7.26 (m, 2H), 7.25 – 7.20 (m, 1H), 6.28 (s, 1H), 6.11 (ddt,  $J = 16.4, 10.1, 5.9$  Hz, 1H), 5.23 – 5.12 (m, 1H), 5.12 – 5.00 (m, 1H), 3.69 (d,  $J = 5.8$  Hz, 2H).

**$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR** (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  156.24, 141.28, 136.28, 132.41, 132.02, 130.54, 130.18, 129.58, 129.49, 129.30, 126.69, 126.49, 122.16, 117.73, 117.54, 116.52, 103.25, 100.09, 84.69, 38.83.

**HRMS (ESI)  $m/z$**  Calcd for  $C_{21}H_{14}BrO^-[M - H]^-$ : 361.0234, Found: 361.0225.



**1-((2-allylphenyl)ethynyl)-6-(phenylethylnyl)naphthalen-2-ol (1h)**

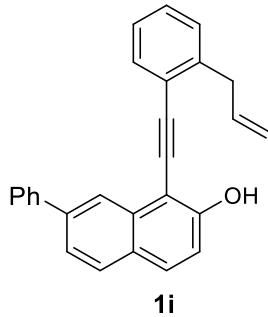
Compound **1h** is an unknown compound. The compound was synthesized in 83% yield (479 mg, 1.25 mmol) following the general procedure (**Method A**) and was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (30:1 to 15:1) as eluent.

Pale yellow solid. ( $R_f = 0.4$ , PE:EA = 5:1)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.13 (d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.98 (s, 1H), 7.72 (d,  $J = 8.9$  Hz, 1H), 7.68 – 7.61 (m, 2H), 7.61 – 7.53 (m, 2H), 7.41 – 7.31 (m, 4H), 7.29 (d,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 2H), 7.21 (s, 1H), 6.30 (s, 1H), 6.12 (ddt,  $J = 16.2, 10.1, 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.22 – 5.13 (m, 1H), 5.12 – 5.01 (m, 1H), 3.70 (d,  $J = 5.7$  Hz, 2H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 156.66, 141.27, 136.30, 132.97, 132.42, 131.73, 131.58, 130.49, 129.98, 129.45, 129.22, 128.34, 128.22, 128.05, 126.47, 125.01, 123.26, 122.26, 118.76, 117.11, 116.50, 103.24, 99.98, 89.59, 89.47, 84.91, 38.84.

**HRMS (ESI)  $m/z$**  Calcd for  $C_{29}H_{19}O^-[M - H]^-$ : 383.1441, Found: 383.1436.



**1-((2-allylphenyl)ethynyl)-7-phenylnaphthalen-2-ol (1i)**

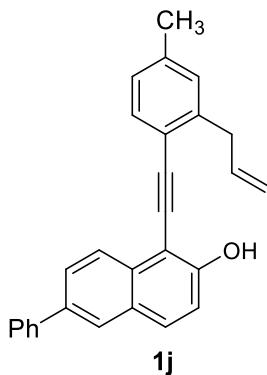
Compound **1i** is an unknown compound. The compound was synthesized in 80% yield (433 mg, 1.20 mmol) following the general procedure (**Method A**) and was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (30:1 to 15:1) as eluent.

White solid. ( $R_f = 0.4$ , PE:EA = 5:1)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.39 (s, 1H), 7.88 – 7.69 (m, 4H), 7.63 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 2H), 7.47 (t,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 2H), 7.41 – 7.23 (m, 4H), 7.20 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 6.28 (s, 1H), 6.20 – 6.02 (m, 1H), 5.23 – 4.95 (m, 2H), 3.73 (d,  $J = 6.0$  Hz, 2H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 156.44, 141.35, 141.03, 140.12, 136.27, 133.79, 132.32, 130.38, 129.32, 129.08, 128.84, 128.81, 127.63, 127.49, 126.43, 123.74, 122.91, 122.43, 116.54, 116.39, 103.25, 100.11, 85.40, 38.88.

**HRMS (ESI)  $m/z$**  Calcd for  $C_{27}H_{19}O^-[M - H]^-$ : 359.1441, Found: 359.1437.



**1-((2-allyl-4-methylphenyl)ethynyl)-6-phenylnaphthalen-2-ol (1j)**

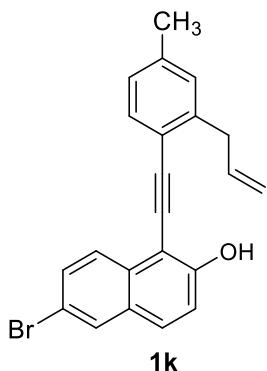
Compound **1j** is an unknown compound. The compound was synthesized in 82% yield (461 mg, 1.23 mmol) following the general procedure (**Method A**) and was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (30:1 to 15:1) as eluent.

White solid. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE:EA = 5:1)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.25 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 1H), 7.98 (s, 1H), 7.81 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.71 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.55 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.48 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.37 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.26 – 7.22 (m, 1H), 7.11 (d, *J* = 9.9 Hz, 2H), 6.29 (s, 1H), 6.13 (ddt, *J* = 16.5, 10.7, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 5.23 – 5.14 (m, 1H), 5.13 – 5.03 (m, 1H), 3.69 (d, *J* = 5.8 Hz, 2H), 2.39 (s, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 156.01, 141.16, 140.83, 139.42, 136.79, 136.49, 132.67, 132.30, 130.73, 130.20, 128.84, 128.69, 127.27, 127.21, 126.94, 126.16, 125.49, 119.37, 116.81, 116.38, 100.01, 84.57, 38.86, 21.55.

**HRMS (ESI)** *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>28</sub>H<sub>21</sub>O<sup>-</sup>[M - H]<sup>+</sup>: 373.1598, Found: 373.1589.



**1-((2-allyl-4-methylphenyl)ethynyl)-6-bromonaphthalen-2-ol (1k)**

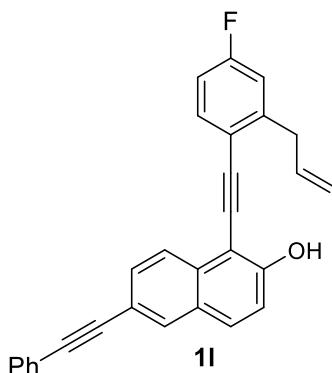
Compound **1k** is an unknown compound. The compound was synthesized in 75% yield (424 mg, 1.13 mmol) following the general procedure (**Method A**) and was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (30:1 to 15:1) as eluent.

White solid. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE:EA = 5:1)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.03 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 7.90 (s, 1H), 7.63 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.58 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 7.52 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.21 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 7.14 – 7.02 (m, 2H), 6.27 (s, 1H), 6.18 – 6.01 (m, 1H), 5.17 (d, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 5.06 (d, *J* = 17.1 Hz, 1H), 3.64 (d, *J* = 4.5 Hz, 2H), 2.38 (s, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 156.09, 141.13, 139.59, 136.41, 132.29, 132.00, 130.45, 130.24, 130.14, 129.50, 129.35, 127.29, 126.72, 119.11, 117.68, 117.48, 116.40, 103.46, 100.36, 83.98, 38.80, 21.55.

**HRMS (ESI) *m/z*** Calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>16</sub>BrO<sup>-</sup>[M - H]<sup>-</sup>: 375.0390, Found: 375.0382.



**1-((2-allyl-4-fluorophenyl)ethynyl)-6-(phenylethynyl)naphthalen-2-ol (1l)**

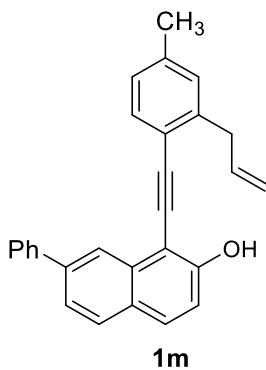
Compound **1l** is an unknown compound. The compound was synthesized in 77% yield (465 mg, 1.16 mmol) following the general procedure (**Method A**) and was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (30:1 to 15:1) as eluent.

Pale yellow solid. (R<sub>f</sub> = 0.5, PE/EA = 5:1)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.11 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 1H), 8.00 (s, 1H), 7.75 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 1H), 7.69 – 7.60 (m, 2H), 7.60 – 7.52 (m, 2H), 7.42 – 7.29 (m, 3H), 7.24 – 7.17 (m, 1H), 7.08 – 6.93 (m, 2H), 6.25 (s, 1H), 6.08 (ddt, *J* = 16.4, 11.8, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 5.22 (dd, *J* = 10.2, 1.9 Hz, 1H), 5.15 – 5.04 (m, 1H), 3.69 (d, *J* = 5.8 Hz, 2H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 162.90 (d, *J* = 250.9 Hz), 156.65, 144.19 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz), 135.41, 134.19 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz), 132.95, 131.76, 131.58, 130.58, 130.03, 128.36, 128.26, 128.06, 124.94, 123.22, 118.82, 118.34, 117.15 (d, *J* = 4.0 Hz), 116.52 (d, *J* = 22.1 Hz), 113.81 (d, *J* = 22.1 Hz), 103.07, 98.87, 89.52, 84.63, 38.74.

**HRMS (ESI) *m/z*** Calcd for C<sub>29</sub>H<sub>18</sub>FO<sup>-</sup>[M - H]<sup>-</sup>: 401.1347, Found: 401.1329.



**1-((2-allyl-4-methylphenyl)ethynyl)-7-phenylnaphthalen-2-ol (1m)**

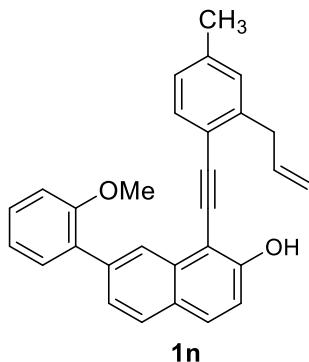
Compound **1m** is an unknown compound. The compound was synthesized in 79% yield (444 mg, 1.19 mmol) following the general procedure (**Method A**) and was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (30:1 to 15:1) as eluent.

White solid. (R<sub>f</sub> = 0.5, PE/EA = 5:1)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.39 (s, 1H), 7.84 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.81 – 7.71 (m, 3H), 7.67 – 7.61 (m, 1H), 7.53 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.48 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.38 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.21 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 1H), 7.15 – 7.04 (m, 2H), 6.29 (s, 1H), 6.12 (m, 1H), 5.20 – 5.11 (m, 1H), 5.12 – 5.03 (m, 1H), 3.70 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 2.38 (s, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 156.28, 141.22, 141.04, 140.03, 139.39, 136.41, 133.76, 132.22, 130.18, 130.11, 128.83, 128.79, 127.62, 127.49, 127.25, 123.70, 122.96, 119.36, 116.43, 116.36, 103.44, 100.32, 84.62, 38.87, 21.55.

**HRMS (ESI)** *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>28</sub>H<sub>21</sub>O<sup>+</sup>[M - H]<sup>-</sup>: 373.1598, Found: 373.1588.



#### **1-((2-allyl-4-methylphenyl)ethynyl)-7-(2-methoxyphenyl)naphthalen-2-ol (1n)**

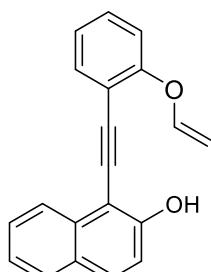
Compound **1n** is an unknown compound. The compound was synthesized in 70% yield (425 mg, 1.05 mmol) following the general procedure (**Method A**) and was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (30:1 to 15:1) as eluent.

colorless oil. (R<sub>f</sub> = 0.4, PE/EA = 5:1)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.32 (s, 1H), 7.81 – 7.70 (m, 2H), 7.60 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.48 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.45 (d, *J* = 5.7 Hz, 1H), 7.34 (t, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.20 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 1H), 7.10 – 7.01 (m, 3H), 6.99 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 6.27 (s, 1H), 6.06 (ddt, *J* = 16.5, 9.9, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 5.12 – 4.97 (m, 2H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 3.64 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 2.34 (s, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 156.60, 156.02, 141.13, 139.22, 137.83, 136.40, 133.51, 132.18, 131.15, 130.61, 130.14, 130.06, 128.83, 127.52, 127.40, 127.17, 126.26, 125.24, 120.90, 119.43, 116.30, 116.17, 111.19, 103.33, 100.04, 84.80, 55.53, 38.79, 21.50.

**HRMS (ESI)** *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>29</sub>H<sub>23</sub>O<sub>2</sub><sup>+</sup>[M - H]<sup>-</sup>: 403.1704, Found: 403.1700.



#### **1-((2-(vinyloxy)phenyl)ethynyl)naphthalen-2-ol (1o (1a-3))**

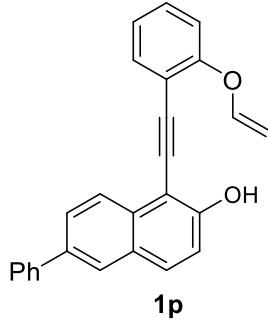
Compound **1a-3 (1o)** is an unknown compound. The compound was synthesized in 88% yield (378 mg, 1.32 mmol) following the general procedure (**Method B**) and was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (30:1 to 15:1) as eluent.

White solid. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE/EA= 5:1)

**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.22 (d,  $J = 8.3$  Hz, 1H), 7.77 (t,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 2H), 7.62 (d,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.55 (t,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1H), 7.39 – 7.33 (m, 2H), 7.24 (d,  $J = 8.7$  Hz, 1H), 7.14 (t,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.08 (d,  $J = 8.3$  Hz, 1H), 6.84 (s, 1H), 6.76 (dd,  $J = 13.7, 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.97 (dd,  $J = 13.7, 2.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.61 (dd,  $J = 6.0, 2.0$  Hz, 1H).

**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (150 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  156.80, 156.58, 147.65, 133.05, 132.03, 130.71, 129.82, 128.33, 128.22, 127.31, 124.98, 123.98, 123.38, 116.46, 116.04, 113.93, 102.96, 96.95, 96.40, 87.81.

**HRMS (ESI)  $m/z$**  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{13}\text{O}_2^-[\text{M} - \text{H}]^-$ : 285.0921, Found: 285.0909.



**6-phenyl-1-((2-(vinyloxy)phenyl)ethynyl)naphthalen-2-ol (1p)**

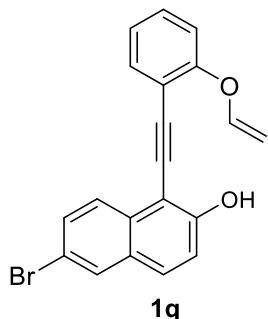
Compound **1p** is an unknown compound. The compound was synthesized in 85% yield (462 mg, 1.28 mmol) following the general procedure (**Method B**) and was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (30:1 to 15:1) as eluent.

White solid. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE/EA= 5:1)

**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.28 (d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.97 (s, 1H), 7.81 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 2H), 7.71 (d,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 2H), 7.63 (d,  $J = 7.1$  Hz, 1H), 7.48 (t,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 2H), 7.42 – 7.30 (m, 2H), 7.26 (d,  $J = 8.9$  Hz, 1H), 7.15 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 7.09 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 6.86 (s, 1H), 6.77 (dd,  $J = 13.7, 6.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.99 (dd,  $J = 13.7, 2.0$  Hz, 1H), 4.62 (dd,  $J = 6.0, 2.1$  Hz, 1H).

**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  156.87, 156.62, 147.64, 140.90, 136.81, 132.23, 132.05, 130.96, 129.87, 128.84, 128.59, 127.22, 126.93, 126.14, 125.55, 123.39, 116.89, 116.03, 113.88, 102.92, 96.99, 96.45, 87.77.

**HRMS (ESI)  $m/z$**  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{17}\text{O}_2^-[\text{M} - \text{H}]^-$ : 361.1234, Found: 361.1231.



**6-bromo-1-((2-(vinyloxy)phenyl)ethynyl)naphthalen-2-ol (1q)**

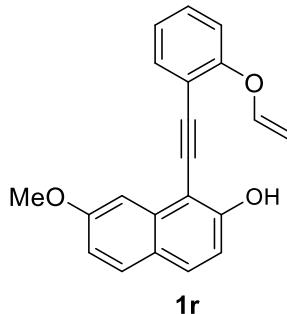
Compound **1q** is an unknown compound. The compound was synthesized in 86% yield (471 mg, 1.29 mmol) following the general procedure (**Method B**) and was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (30:1 to 15:1) as eluent.

Gray solid. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE/EA = 5:1)

**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.07 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.91 (d,  $J = 2.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.65 (d,  $J = 8.9$  Hz, 1H), 7.63 – 7.56 (m, 2H), 7.36 (td,  $J = 7.9$ , 1.7 Hz, 1H), 7.24 (d,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1H), 7.14 (td,  $J = 7.6$ , 1.1 Hz, 1H), 7.11 – 7.04 (m, 1H), 6.84 (s, 1H), 6.76 (dd,  $J = 13.7$ , 6.0 Hz, 1H), 4.97 (dd,  $J = 13.6$ , 2.0 Hz, 1H), 4.62 (dd,  $J = 6.0$ , 2.0 Hz, 1H).

**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  156.93, 156.67, 147.54, 132.02, 131.57, 130.47, 130.15, 130.06, 129.59, 129.44, 126.81, 123.40, 117.67, 117.58, 115.97, 113.59, 103.29, 97.37, 96.58, 87.17.

**HRMS (ESI)**  $m/z$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{12}\text{BrO}_2^-[\text{M} - \text{H}]^-$ : 363.0026, Found: 363.0012.



**1r**

**7-methoxy-1-((2-(vinyloxy)phenyl)ethynyl)naphthalen-2-ol (1r)**

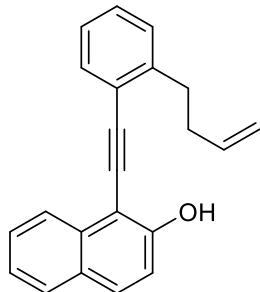
Compound **1r** is an unknown compound. The compound was synthesized in 83% yield (394 mg, 1.25 mmol) following the general procedure (**Method B**) and was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (30:1 to 15:1) as eluent.

Gray solid. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE/EA = 5:1)

**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.71 – 7.64 (m, 2H), 7.61 (d,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.51 (d,  $J = 2.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.36 (t,  $J = 7.9$  Hz, 1H), 7.14 (t,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.09 (d,  $J = 2.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.07 (d,  $J = 2.1$  Hz, 1H), 7.03 (dd,  $J = 8.9$ , 2.5 Hz, 1H), 6.80 (s, 1H), 6.76 (dd,  $J = 13.7$ , 6.0 Hz, 1H), 4.96 (dd,  $J = 13.7$ , 2.0 Hz, 1H), 4.62 (dd,  $J = 6.0$ , 2.0 Hz, 1H), 3.98 (s, 3H).

**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  159.14, 157.29, 156.50, 147.60, 134.61, 132.01, 130.53, 129.81, 129.77, 123.58, 123.33, 116.21, 116.01, 113.86, 113.80, 103.89, 102.14, 97.03, 96.65, 87.84, 55.35.

**HRMS (ESI)**  $m/z$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{15}\text{O}_3^-[\text{M} - \text{H}]^-$ : 315.1027, Found: 315.1014.



**1s**

**1-((2-(but-3-en-1-yl)phenyl)ethynyl)naphthalen-2-ol (1s)**

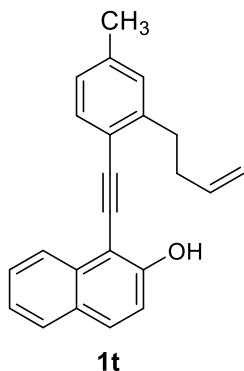
Compound **1s** is an unknown compound. The compound was synthesized in 80% yield (358 mg, 1.2 mmol) following the general procedure (**Method A**) and was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (30:1 to 15:1) as eluent.

Pale yellow solid. ( $R_f = 0.6$ , PE/EA = 5:1)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.19 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 7.78 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.63 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.54 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.39 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.35 – 7.28 (m, 2H), 7.26 – 7.21 (m, 2H), 6.18 (s, 1H), 5.94 (ddt, *J* = 13.2, 10.2, 6.5 Hz, 1H), 5.07 (dd, *J* = 29.5, 13.7 Hz, 2H), 3.06 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 2.52 (q, *J* = 7.2, 6.6 Hz, 2H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 155.83, 143.43, 137.70, 133.50, 132.37, 130.65, 129.07, 128.94, 128.47, 128.31, 127.43, 126.13, 124.87, 124.08, 122.09, 116.38, 115.31, 103.07, 100.02, 85.04, 34.83, 34.45.

**HRMS (ESI)** *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>17</sub>O<sup>+</sup>[M - H]<sup>-</sup>: 297.1285, Found: 297.1276.



#### 1-((2-(but-3-en-1-yl)-4-methylphenyl)ethynyl)naphthalen-2-ol (**1t**)

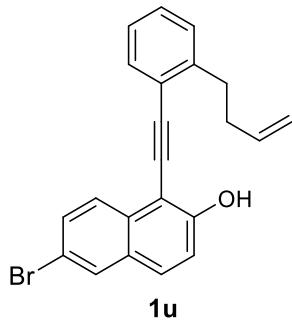
Compound **1t** is an unknown compound. The compound was synthesized in 79% yield (370 mg, 1.19 mmol) following the general procedure (**Method A**) and was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (30:1 to 15:1) as eluent.

Pale yellow solid. (R<sub>f</sub> = 0.6, PE:EA = 5:1)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.30 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 7.87 – 7.78 (m, 2H), 7.65 – 7.56 (m, 2H), 7.45 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.32 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 1H), 7.16 (s, 1H), 7.11 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 6.34 (s, 1H), 6.12 – 5.97 (m, 1H), 5.19 (dd, *J* = 30.7, 13.7 Hz, 2H), 3.09 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 2.60 (q, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 2.44 (s, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 155.63, 143.22, 139.03, 137.76, 133.45, 132.17, 130.35, 129.76, 128.41, 128.22, 127.28, 126.89, 124.86, 123.94, 119.00, 116.29, 115.13, 103.26, 100.23, 84.35, 34.86, 34.34, 21.48.

**HRMS (ESI)** *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>19</sub>O<sup>+</sup>[M - H]<sup>-</sup>: 311.1441, Found: 311.1432.



#### 6-bromo-1-((2-(but-3-en-1-yl)phenyl)ethynyl)naphthalen-2-ol (**1u**)

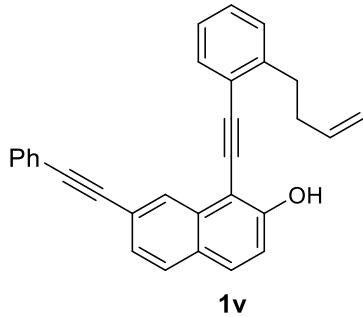
Compound **1u** is an unknown compound. The compound was synthesized in 71% yield (402 mg, 1.07 mmol) following the general procedure (**Method A**) and was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (30:1 to 15:1) as eluent.

Pale yellow solid. (R<sub>f</sub> = 0.5, PE:EA = 5:1)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.05 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.94 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 7.68 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 1H), 7.66 – 7.54 (m, 2H), 7.39 – 7.26 (m, 3H), 7.26 – 7.22 (m, 1H), 6.19 (s, 1H), 5.93 (ddt, *J* = 16.8, 10.0, 6.5 Hz, 1H), 5.16 – 5.00 (m, 2H), 3.09 – 3.00 (m, 2H), 2.51 (q, *J* = 7.6, 7.2 Hz, 2H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 155.92, 143.43, 137.60, 132.35, 131.98, 130.53, 130.18, 129.50, 129.11, 129.05, 126.63, 126.14, 121.75, 117.74, 117.46, 115.33, 103.34, 100.36, 84.39, 34.78, 34.35.

**HRMS (ESI)** *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>16</sub>BrO[M - H]<sup>-</sup>: 375.0390, Found: 375.0372.



#### 1-((2-(but-3-en-1-yl)phenyl)ethynyl)-7-(phenylethynyl)naphthalen-2-ol (1v)

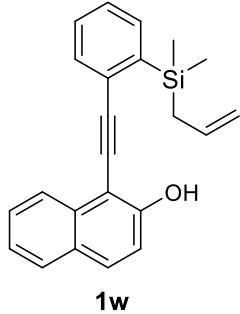
Compound **1v** is an unknown compound. The compound was synthesized in 76% yield (454 mg, 1.14 mmol) following the general procedure (**Method A**) and was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (30:1 to 15:1) as eluent.

Pale yellow solid. (R<sub>f</sub> = 0.6, PE/EA = 5:1)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.37 (s, 1H), 7.76 (dd, *J* = 8.7, 3.4 Hz, 2H), 7.66 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.58 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 7.50 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 7.38 – 7.33 (m, 4H), 7.31 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.28 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.24 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 1H), 6.21 (s, 1H), 6.01 – 5.92 (m, 1H), 5.10 (d, *J* = 17.0 Hz, 1H), 4.99 (d, *J* = 10.2 Hz, 1H), 3.08 (t, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 2.56 (q, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 156.31, 143.52, 137.55, 133.24, 132.47, 131.67, 130.32, 129.09, 129.04, 128.33, 127.85, 126.79, 126.12, 123.21, 122.22, 121.95, 117.02, 115.53, 103.02, 100.50, 90.46, 89.92, 84.67, 34.85, 34.50.

**HRMS (ESI)** *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>30</sub>H<sub>21</sub>O[M - H]<sup>-</sup>: 397.1598, Found: 397.1584.



#### 1-((2-(allyldimethylsilyl)phenyl)ethynyl)-7-(phenylethynyl)naphthalen-2-ol (1w)

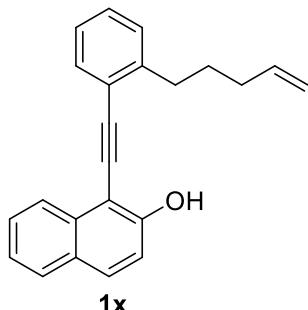
Compound **1w** is an unknown compound. The compound was synthesized in 74% yield (380 mg, 1.11 mmol) following the general procedure (**Method C**) and was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (30:1 to 15:1) as eluent.

Orange oil. (R<sub>f</sub> = 0.4, PE/EA = 5:1)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.20 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.78 (dd, *J* = 8.6, 5.2 Hz, 2H), 7.69 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 7.59 – 7.51 (m, 2H), 7.44 – 7.34 (m, 3H), 7.26 – 7.20 (m, 1H), 6.19 (s, 1H), 5.79 (td, *J* = 17.7, 8.1 Hz, 1H), 4.91 – 4.79 (m, 2H), 2.00 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 0.44 (s, 6H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 156.12, 140.66, 134.54, 134.36, 133.64, 133.47, 130.77, 129.09, 128.50, 128.33, 128.07, 127.69, 127.40, 124.83, 124.06, 116.45, 113.76, 102.80, 102.27, 84.49, 23.14, -2.92.

**HRMS (ESI)** *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>21</sub>OSi<sup>+</sup>[M - H]<sup>-</sup>: 341.1367, Found: 341.1354.



#### 1-((2-(pent-4-en-1-yl)phenyl)ethynyl)naphthalen-2-ol (**1x**)

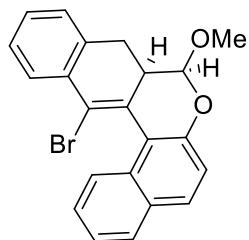
Compound **1x** is an unknown compound. The compound was synthesized in 70% yield (718 mg, 2.3 mmol) following the general procedure (**Method A**) and was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (30:1 to 15:1) as eluent. Pale yellow oil. (R<sub>f</sub> = 0.6, PE:EA = 5:1)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.18 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 7.74 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 7.58 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.52 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.35 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.31 – 7.10 (m, 4H), 6.20 (s, 1H), 5.83 (ddt, *J* = 16.9, 10.2, 6.6 Hz, 1H), 5.04 (d, *J* = 17.1 Hz, 1H), 4.96 (d, *J* = 10.1 Hz, 1H), 3.00 – 2.83 (m, 2H), 2.17 (q, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 1.85 (p, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 155.82, 144.07, 138.25, 133.53, 132.41, 130.60, 128.98, 128.90, 128.49, 128.31, 127.36, 125.97, 124.81, 124.04, 122.03, 116.36, 115.03, 103.13, 100.11, 84.94, 34.45, 33.50, 29.88.

**HRMS (ESI)** *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>19</sub>O<sup>+</sup>[M - H]<sup>-</sup>: 311.1441, Found: 311.1434.

#### VII. <sup>1</sup>H, <sup>13</sup>C NMR and HRMS data of compounds (2a-4a)



#### 14-bromo-8-methoxy-8a,9-dihydro-8H-benzo[f]naphtho[2,3-c] chromene (**2a**)

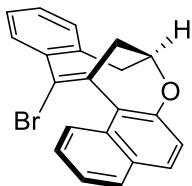
Compound **2a** was synthesized in 49% yield (116 mg, 0.6 mmol scale) under condition [B]. **2a** was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (60:1 to 50:1) as eluent.

White solid. (R<sub>f</sub> = 0.5, PE:EA = 20:1)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.92 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 1H), 7.85 – 7.74 (m, 3H), 7.49 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 7.37 (t, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 1H), 7.30 – 7.17 (m, 2H), 7.18 – 7.11 (m, 2H), 4.97 (d, *J* = 3.8 Hz, 1H), 3.54 (s, 3H), 3.37 (dd, *J* = 16.3, 8.8 Hz, 1H), 3.27 – 3.20 (m, 1H), 3.14 (dd, *J* = 16.3, 6.3 Hz, 1H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 152.26, 133.99, 133.53, 130.25, 129.34, 129.11, 128.16, 128.10, 127.78, 127.66, 127.08, 126.53, 125.48, 123.73, 120.57, 120.08, 117.83, 104.09, 57.12, 42.15, 26.94.

**HRMS (ESI)** *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>17</sub>BrNaO<sub>2</sub><sup>+</sup>[M + Na]<sup>+</sup>: 415.0304, Found: 415.0305



**3a**

**(S)-14-bromo-8,9-dihydro-8,15-methanobenzo[f]naphtho[2,1-b]oxonine (3a)**

Compound **3a** was synthesized in 65% yield (142 mg, 0.6 mmol scale) under condition [A]. **3a** was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (60:1 to 50:1) as eluent.

Yellow solid. (R<sub>f</sub> = 0.5, PE:EA = 30:1)

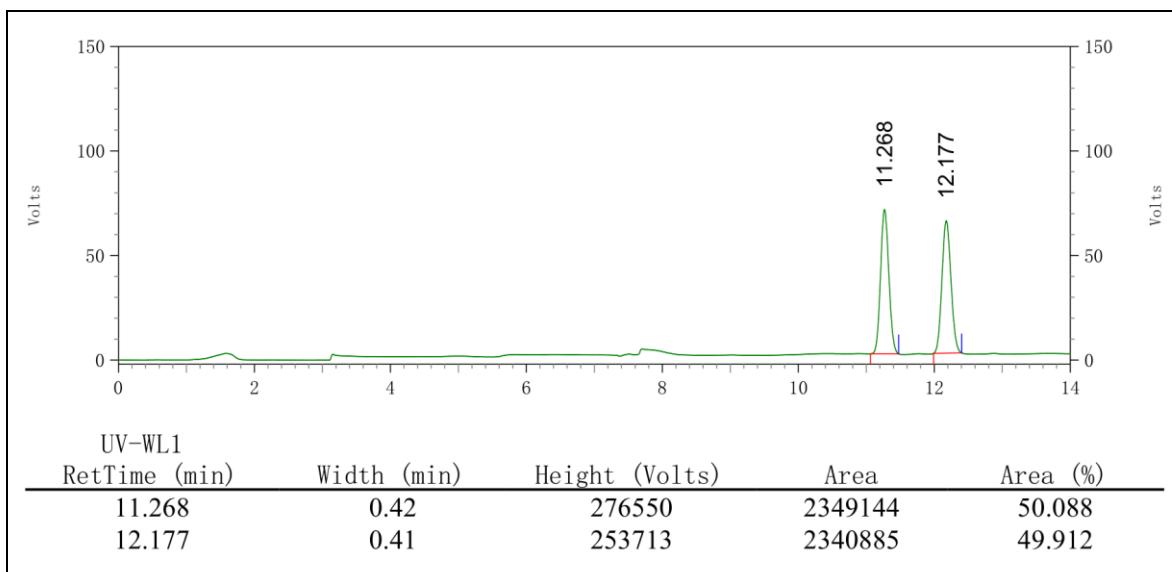
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.00 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.77 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 7.71 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 1H), 7.57 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.52 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.41 – 7.32 (m, 2H), 7.27 – 7.20 (m, 1H), 7.14 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.09 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 1H), 5.34 – 5.25 (m, 1H), 3.26 – 3.11 (m, 2H), 2.81 (d, *J* = 12.1 Hz, 1H), 2.54 (dd, *J* = 12.2, 3.7 Hz, 1H).

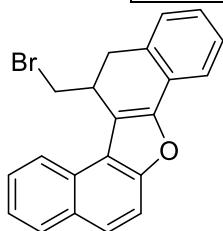
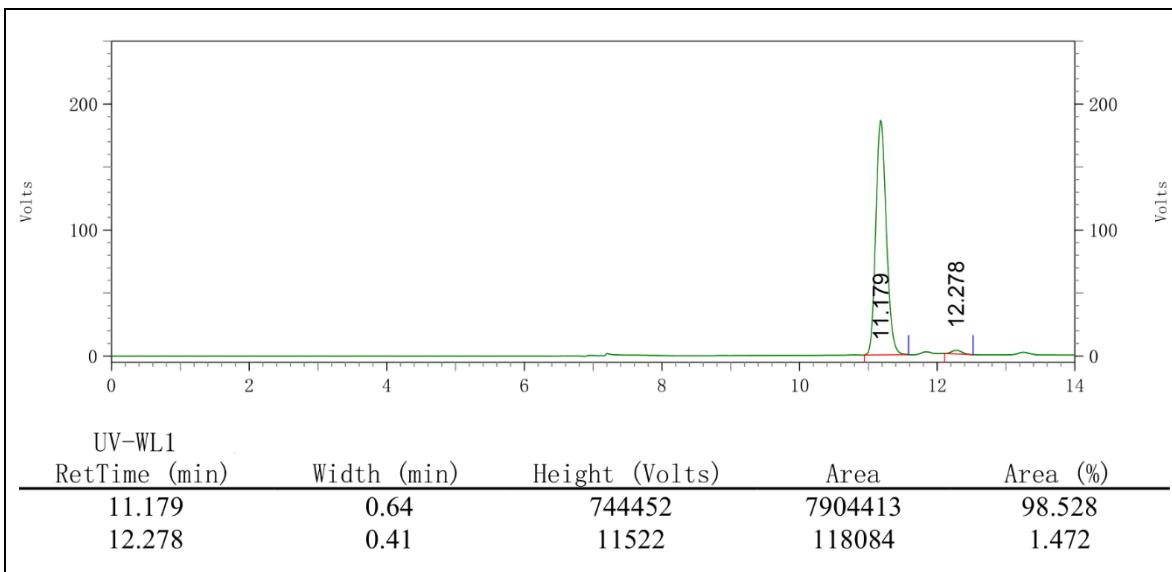
**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 151.65, 141.39, 136.09, 135.20, 130.13, 129.40, 129.24, 128.95, 128.64, 128.42, 127.92, 127.79, 126.70, 125.74, 123.46, 121.41, 118.12, 115.01, 84.01, 40.58, 35.24.

**HRMS (APCI)** *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>16</sub>BrO<sup>+</sup>[M + H]<sup>+</sup>: 363.0379, Found: 363.0366.

**Optical Rotation:** [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>25</sup> = -360.4° (*c* = 0.9, DCM).

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel ADAD-H (Hexane/*i*-PrOH = 95:5, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm), *t*<sub>R</sub> = 11.179 min (major), *t*<sub>R</sub> = 12.278 min (minor), 97% ee.





**4a**

**13-(bromomethyl)-12,13-dihydrodinaphtho[1,2-b:1',2'-d] furan (4a)**

Compound **4a** was synthesized in 19% yield (41 mg, 0.6 mmol scale) under condition [B]. **4a** was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (60:1 to 50:1) as eluent.

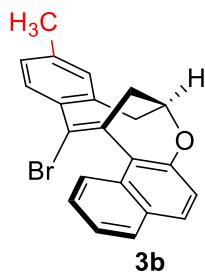
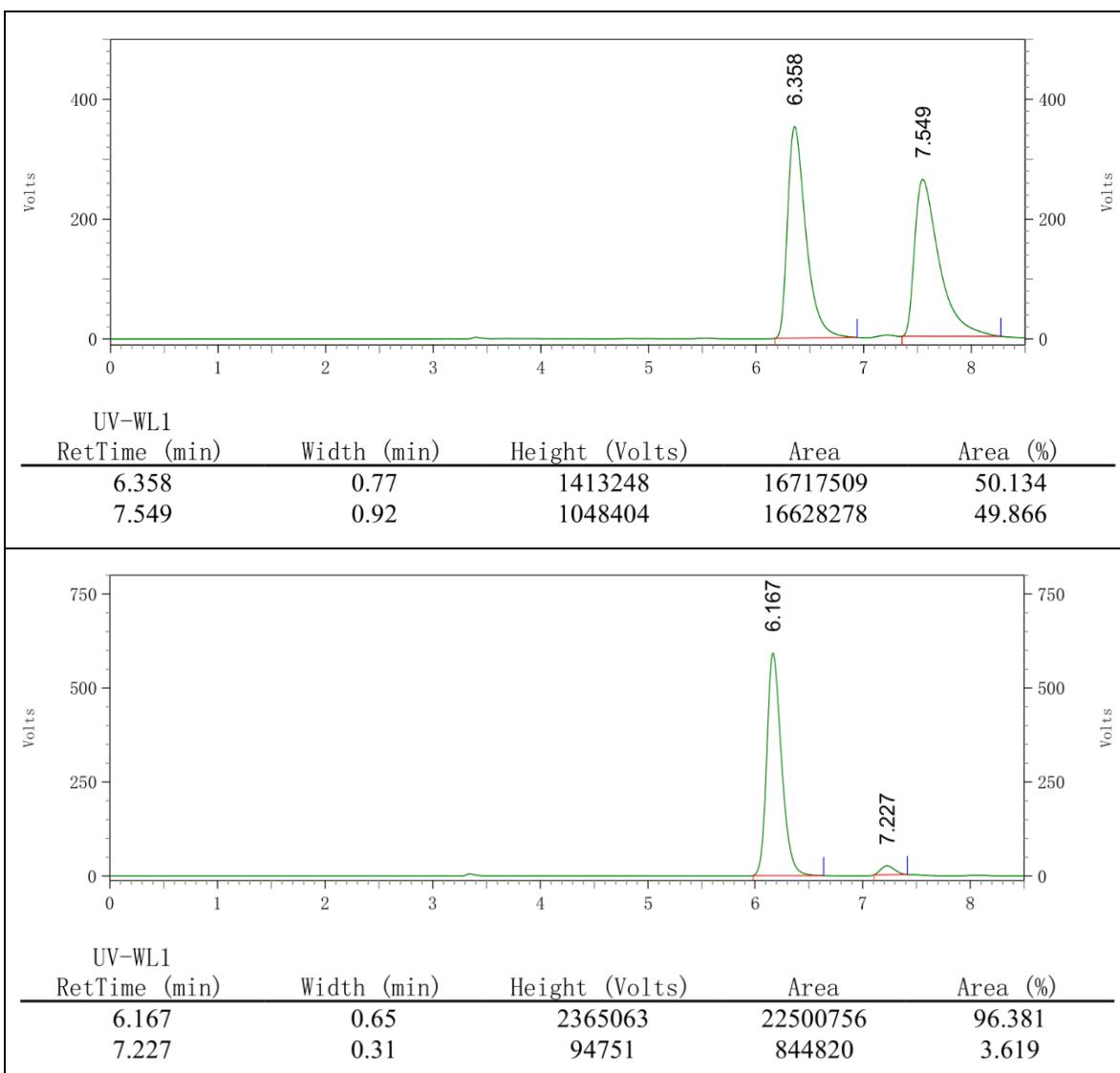
Yellow solid. ( $R_f = 0.6$ , PE:EA = 30:1)

**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.21 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.98 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.79 – 7.68 (m, 3H), 7.68 – 7.61 (m, 1H), 7.52 (td,  $J = 7.4, 6.9, 1.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.41 – 7.32 (m, 2H), 7.31 – 7.26 (m, 1H), 4.07 – 3.97 (m, 1H), 3.76 – 3.68 (m, 1H), 3.55 (dd,  $J = 16.3, 1.5$  Hz, 1H), 3.39 (dd,  $J = 16.2, 6.9$  Hz, 1H), 3.24 (t,  $J = 10.9$  Hz, 1H).

**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  152.83, 151.33, 132.40, 130.80, 129.32, 129.18, 128.14, 127.79, 127.27, 126.76, 126.65, 125.62, 124.62, 122.79, 120.97, 120.48, 115.96, 112.54, 35.48, 33.63, 31.67.

**HRMS (APCI)**  $m/z$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{16}\text{BrO}^+[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ : 363.0379, Found: 363.0366.

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel AD-H (Hexane/*i*-PrOH = 99:1, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm),  $t_R = 6.167$  min (major),  $t_R = 7.227$  min (minor), 93% ee.



**(S)-14-bromo-11-methyl-8,9-dihydro-8,15-methanobenzo[f]naphtho[2,1-b]oxonine (3b)**

Compound **3b** was synthesized in 65% yield (147 mg, 0.6 mmol scale) under condition [A]. **3b** was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (60:1 to 50:1) as eluent.

Yellow solid. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE:EA = 30:1)

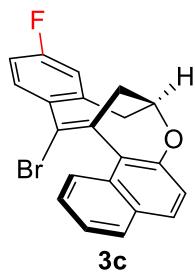
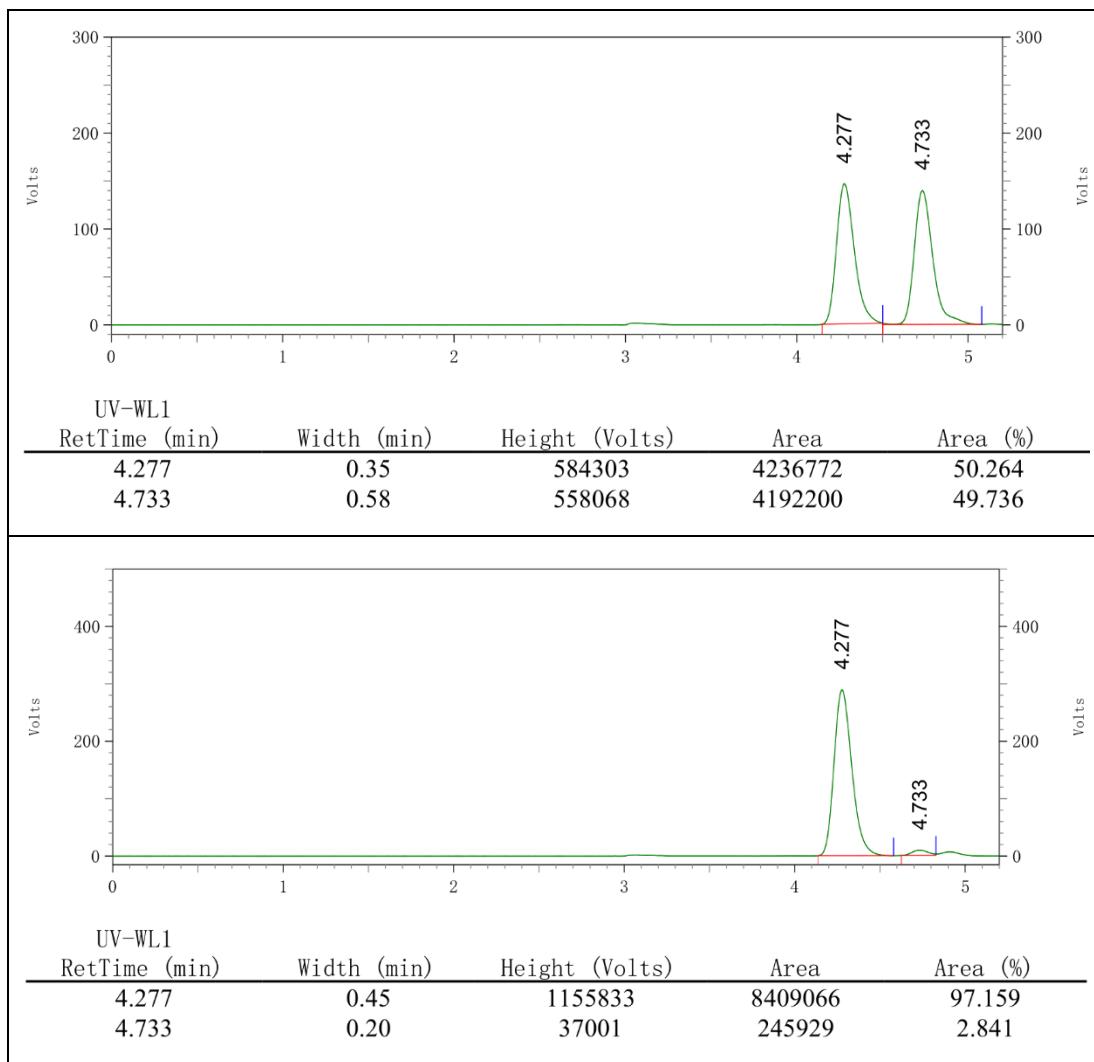
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.00 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 7.76 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.71 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.51 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.46 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.35 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.19 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.08 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 1H), 6.97 (s, 1H), 5.35 – 5.24 (m, 1H), 3.19 – 3.12 (m, 2H), 2.82 (d, *J* = 12.1 Hz, 1H), 2.53 (dd, *J* = 12.2, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 2.36 (s, 3H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 151.62, 139.03, 138.56, 135.95, 134.76, 130.07, 129.99, 129.31, 128.74, 128.47, 128.36, 127.90, 126.78, 125.69, 123.44, 121.54, 118.11, 115.34, 84.03, 40.62, 35.33, 21.39.

**HRMS (APCI)  $m/z$**  Calcd for  $C_{22}H_{18}BrO^+[M + H]^+$ : 377.0536, Found: 377.0525.

**Optical Rotation:**  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -290.4^\circ$  ( $c = 0.5$ , acetone).

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel AD-H (Hexane/*i*-PrOH = 95:5, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm),  $t_R = 4.277$  min (major),  $t_R = 4.733$  min (minor), 94% ee.



#### (*S*)-14-bromo-11-fluoro-8,9-dihydro-8,15-methanobenzo[f]naphtho[2,1-b]oxonine (3c)

Compound **3c** was synthesized in 66% yield (151 mg, 0.6 mmol scale) under condition [A]. **3c** was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (60:1 to 50:1) as eluent.

Pale yellow solid. ( $R_f = 0.4$ , PE:EA = 30:1)

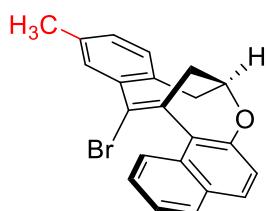
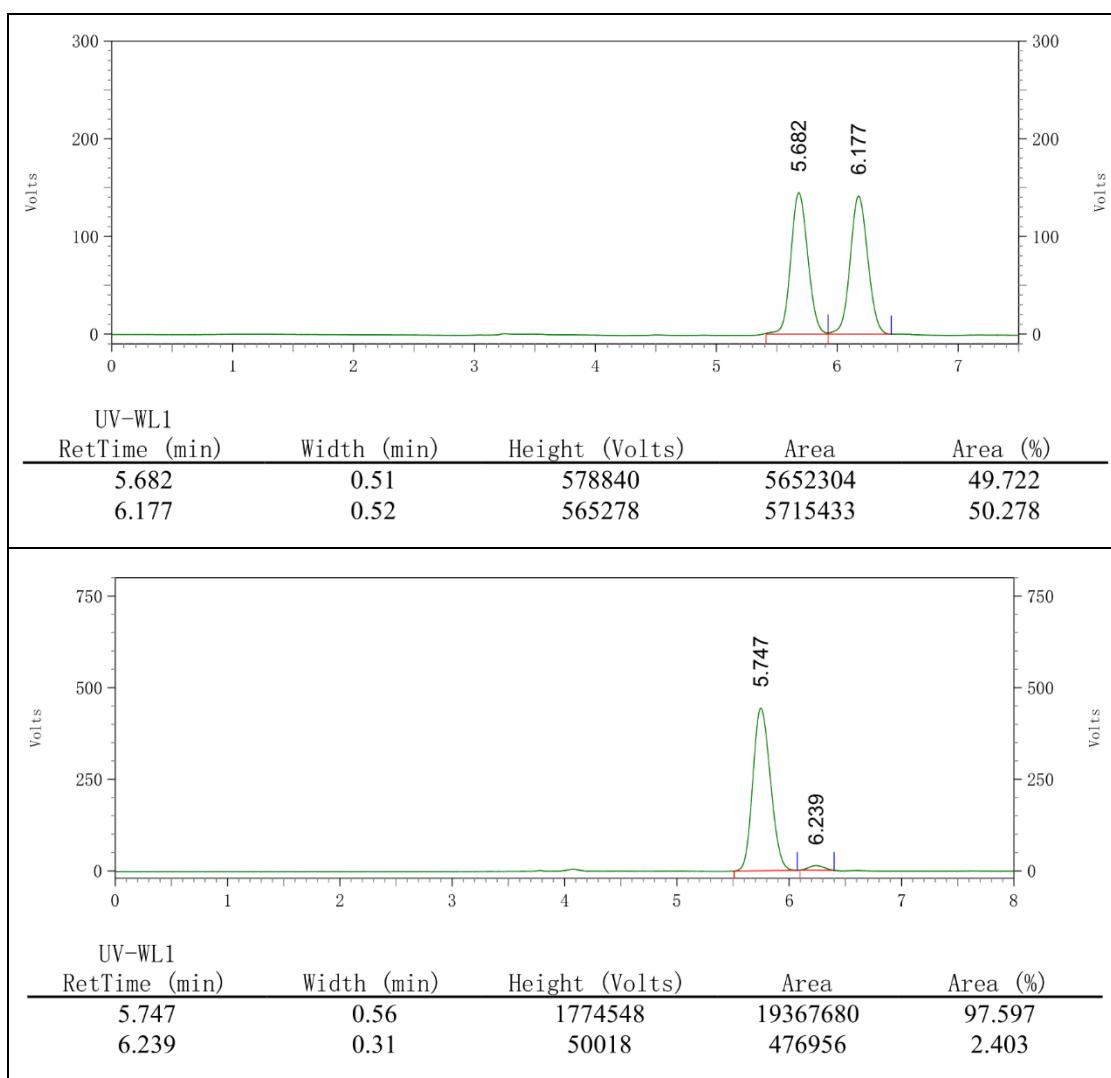
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.98 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 7.85 – 7.63 (m, 2H), 7.64 – 7.43 (m, 2H), 7.36 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.08 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 2H), 6.89 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 1H), 5.36 – 5.23 (m, 1H), 3.26 – 3.06 (m, 2H), 2.78 (d, *J* = 12.1 Hz, 1H), 2.56 (d, *J* = 12.1 Hz, 1H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 162.17 (d, *J* = 249.6 Hz), 151.50, 138.71 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz), 137.37 (d, *J* = 3.1 Hz), 135.50, 131.96 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz), 129.52, 128.59, 128.47, 127.95, 126.64, 125.80, 123.54, 121.26, 118.07, 116.40 (d, *J* = 21.9 Hz), 114.55 (d, *J* = 21.7 Hz), 114.10, 83.54, 40.64, 35.26.

**HRMS (APCI)** *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>15</sub>BrFO<sup>+</sup>[M + H]<sup>+</sup>: 381.0285, Found: 381.0276.

**Optical Rotation:** [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>25</sup> = -335.8° (*c* = 0.5, acetone).

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel IA-H (Hexane/*i*-PrOH = 98:2, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm), *t*<sub>R</sub> = 5.747 min (major), *t*<sub>R</sub> = 6.239 min (minor), 95% ee.



**3d**

**(S)-14-bromo-12-methyl-8,9-dihydro-8,15-methanobenzo[f]naphtho[2,1-b]oxonine (3d)**

Compound **3d** was synthesized in 62% yield (140 mg, 0.6 mmol scale) under condition [A]. **3d** was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (60:1 to 50:1) as eluent.

Yellow solid. ( $R_f = 0.6$ , PE/EA = 20:1)

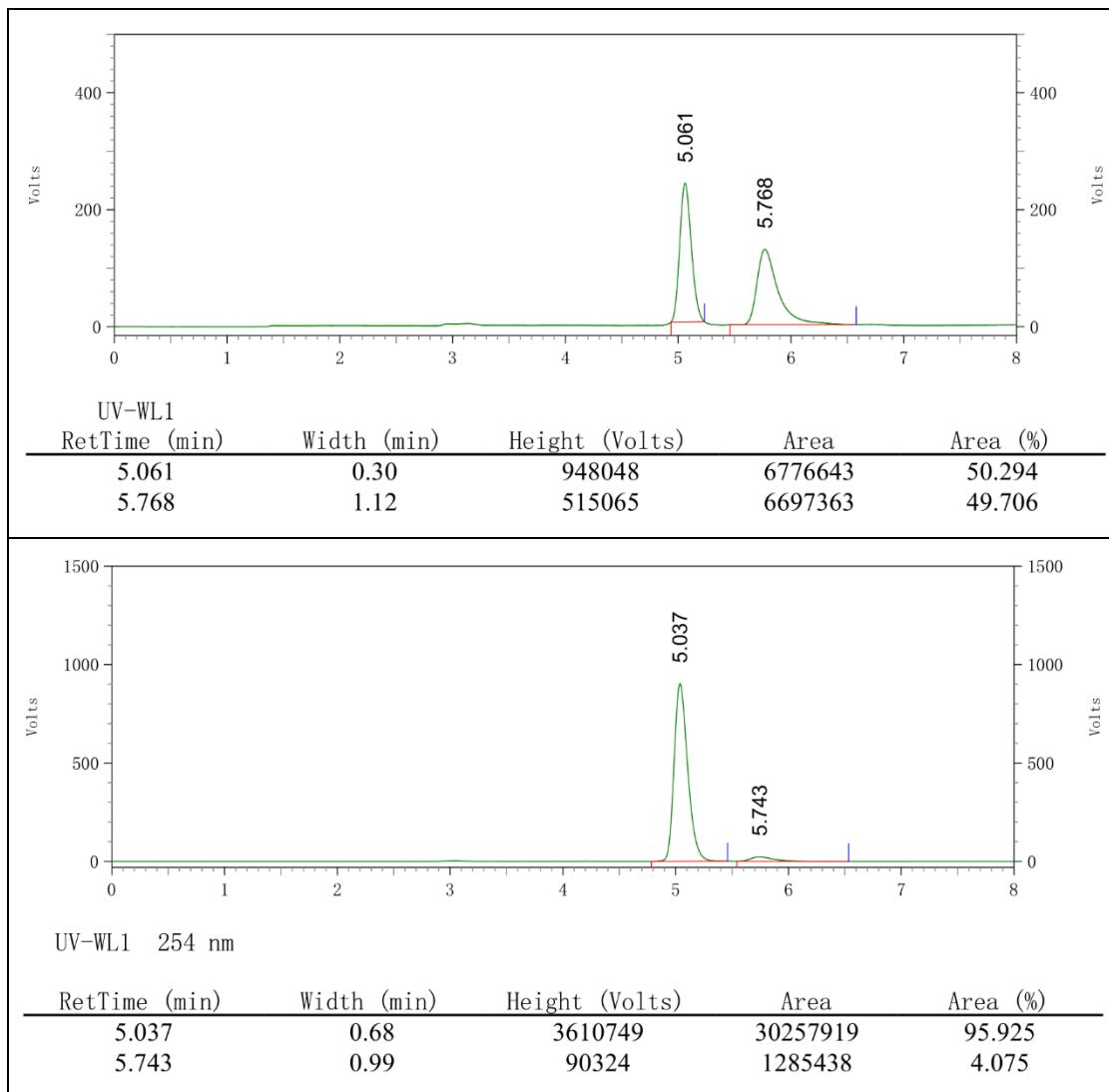
**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ) $\delta$  7.99 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.77 (d,  $J = 8.1$  Hz, 1H), 7.71 (d,  $J = 8.9$  Hz, 1H), 7.52 (ddd,  $J = 8.4, 6.8, 1.3$  Hz, 1H), 7.40 (s, 1H), 7.38 – 7.33 (m, 1H), 7.15 – 6.97 (m, 3H), 5.34 – 5.23 (m, 1H), 3.16 (qd,  $J = 14.5, 7.2$  Hz, 2H), 2.82 (dd,  $J = 12.1, 1.8$  Hz, 1H), 2.54 (dd,  $J = 12.1, 3.7$  Hz, 1H), 2.40 (s, 3H).

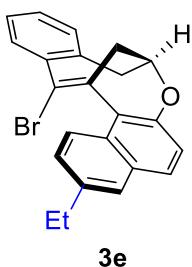
**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  151.69, 141.21, 137.55, 135.04, 133.06, 130.77, 129.67, 129.35, 129.08, 128.71, 128.47, 127.92, 126.73, 125.71, 123.44, 121.53, 118.14, 115.29, 84.05, 40.18, 35.31, 21.12.

**HRMS (APCI)**  $m/z$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{18}\text{BrO}^+[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ : 377.0536, Found: 377.0523.

**Optical Rotation:**  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -271.4^\circ$  ( $c = 0.5$ , acetone).

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel OD-H (Hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm,  $t_R = 5.037$  min (major),  $t_R = 5.743$  min (minor), 92% ee.





**(S)-14-bromo-3-ethyl-8,9-dihydro-8,15-methanobenzo[f]naphtho[2,1-b]oxonine(3e)**

Compound **3e** was synthesized in 63% yield (148 mg, 0.6 mmol scale) under condition [A]. **3e** was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (60:1 to 50:1) as eluent.

White solid. ( $R_f = 0.4$ , PE/EA = 20:1)

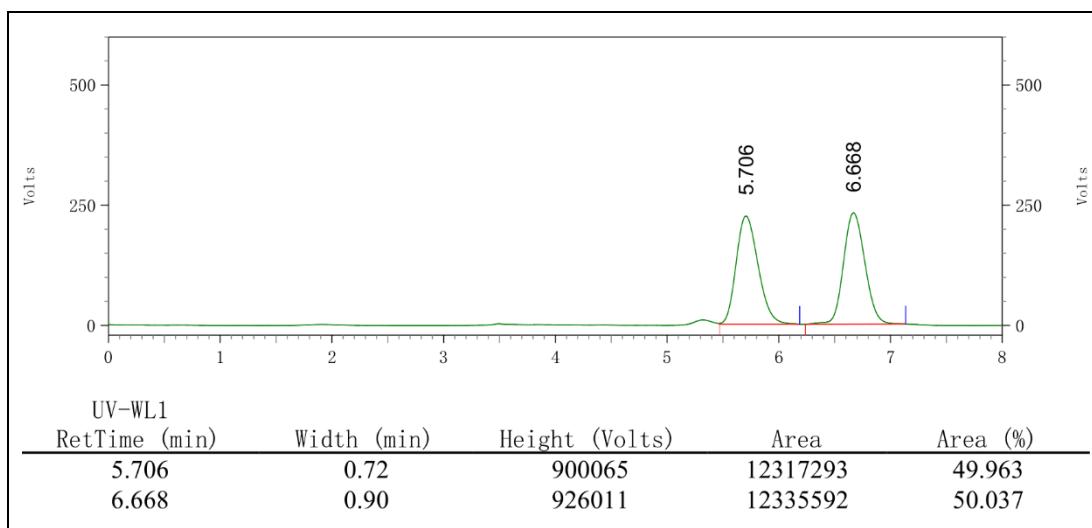
**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.93 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz, 1H), 7.66 (d,  $J = 8.9$  Hz, 1H), 7.60 – 7.54 (m, 2H), 7.43 – 7.35 (m, 2H), 7.27 – 7.23 (m, 1H), 7.15 (d,  $J = 7.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.06 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 5.33 – 5.27 (m, 1H), 3.24 – 3.15 (m, 2H), 2.84 – 2.78 (m, 3H), 2.54 (dd,  $J = 12.6, 2.9$  Hz, 1H), 1.34 (t,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 3H).

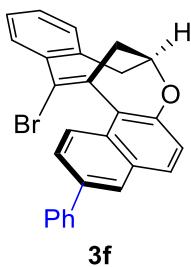
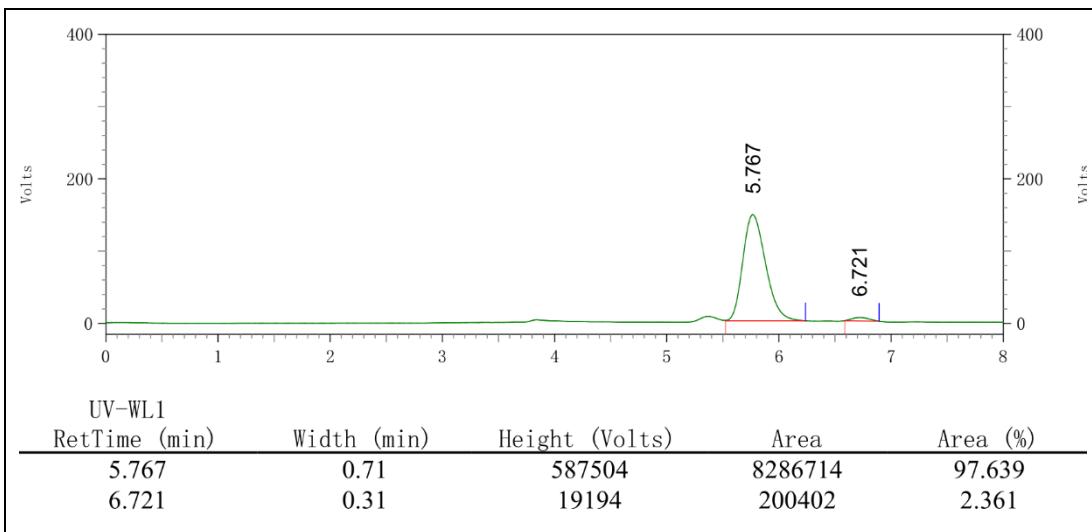
**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (150 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  151.11, 141.50, 139.27, 136.23, 135.46, 130.16, 129.24, 128.93, 128.72, 127.78, 127.06, 127.01, 126.67, 125.64, 121.39, 118.03, 114.84, 83.94, 40.65, 35.34, 28.76, 15.45.

**HRMS (APCI)**  $m/z$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{20}\text{BrO}^+[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ : 391.0692, Found: 391.0678.

**Optical Rotation:**  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -299.8^\circ$  ( $c = 0.5$ , acetone).

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel IA-H (Hexane/*i*-PrOH = 98:2, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm,  $t_R = 5.767$  min (major),  $t_R = 6.721$  min (minor), 95% ee.





**(S)-14-bromo-3-phenyl-8,9-dihydro-8,15-methanobenzo[f]naphtho[2,1-b]oxonine (3f)**

Compound **3f** was synthesized in 55% yield (145 mg, 0.6 mmol scale) under condition [A]. **3f** was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (60:1 to 50:1) as eluent.

White solid. ( $R_f = 0.6$ , PE:EA = 20:1)

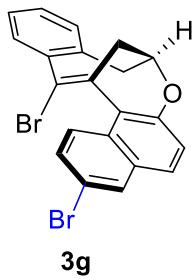
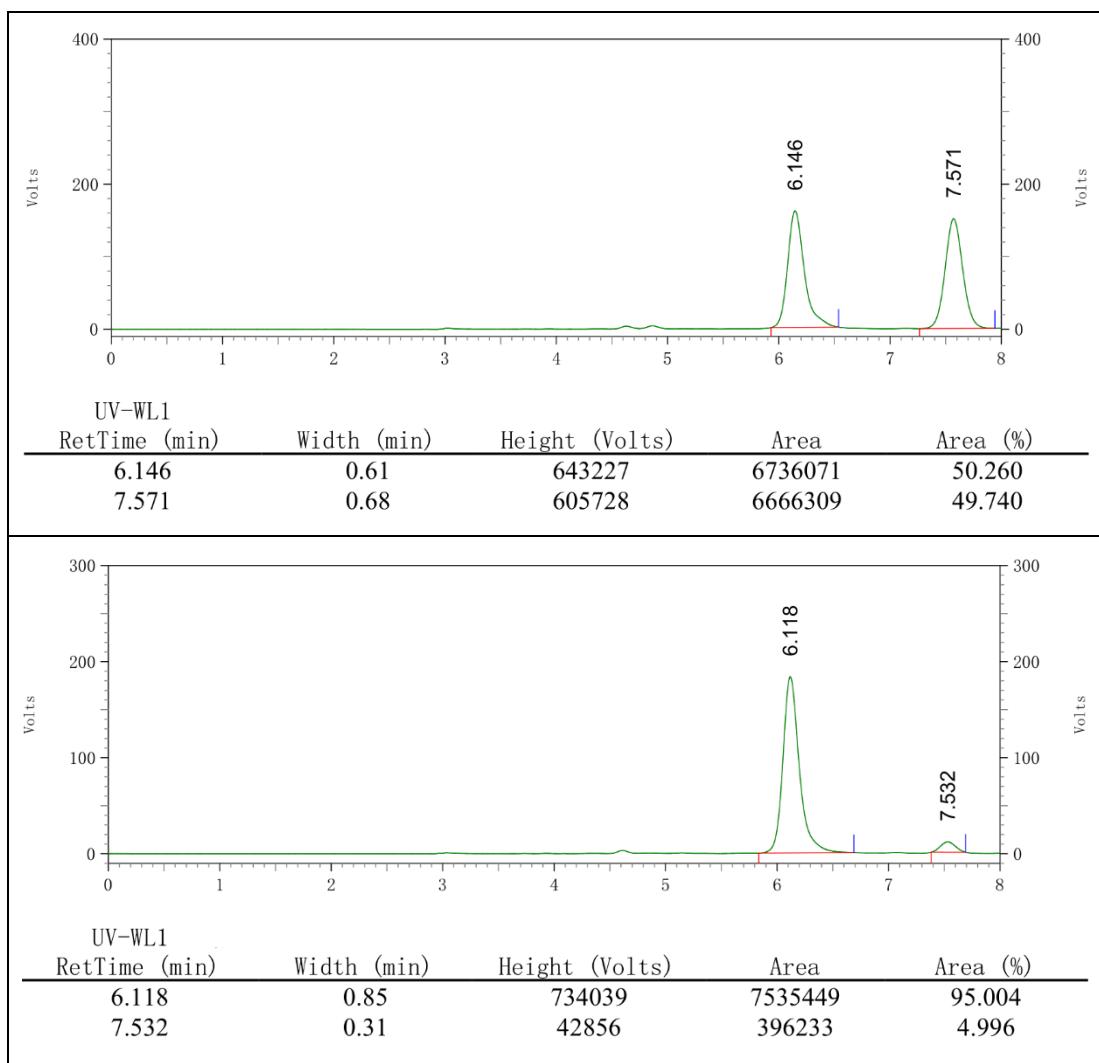
**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.08 (d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.98 (s, 1H), 7.83 – 7.77 (m, 2H), 7.74 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2H), 7.60 (d,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.48 (t,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 2H), 7.43 – 7.33 (m, 2H), 7.29 – 7.25 (m, 1H), 7.17 (d,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 7.12 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 5.39 – 5.29 (m, 1H), 3.27 – 3.17 (m, 2H), 2.84 (d,  $J = 12.2$  Hz, 1H), 2.58 (dd,  $J = 12.2, 3.5$  Hz, 1H).

**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  151.84, 141.43, 141.15, 136.21, 136.16, 135.19, 130.20, 129.74, 129.28, 129.02, 128.80, 128.75, 127.91, 127.85, 127.27, 127.24, 127.23, 127.06, 125.84, 125.47, 121.40, 118.59, 115.19, 84.14, 40.63, 35.32.

**HRMS (APCI)**  $m/z$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{20}\text{BrO}^+[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ : 439.0692, Found: 439.0690.

**Optical Rotation:**  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -131.4^\circ$  ( $c = 0.5$ , acetone).

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel IA-H (Hexane/*i*-PrOH = 95:5, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm),  $t_R = 6.118$  min (major),  $t_R = 7.532$  min (minor), 90% ee.



**(S)-3,14-dibromo-8,9-dihydro-8,15-methanobenzo[*f*]naphtho[2,1-*b*]oxonine (3g)**

Compound **3g** was synthesized in 59% yield (157 mg, 0.6 mmol scale) under condition [A]. **3g** was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (60:1 to 50:1) as eluent.

Yellow solid. ( $R_f = 0.4$ , PE:EA = 20:1)

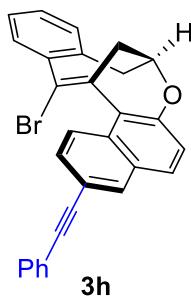
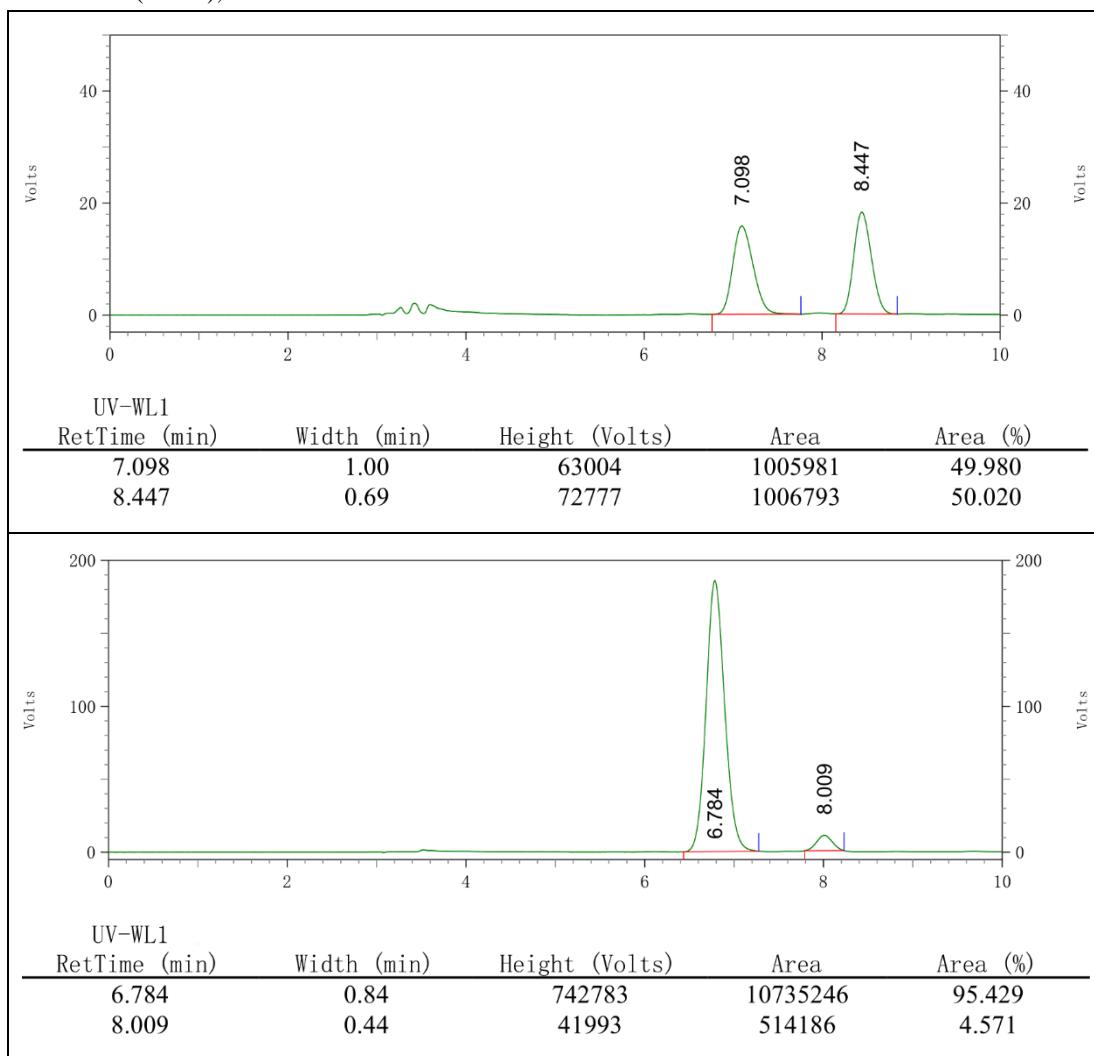
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.93 (s, 1H), 7.87 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 1H), 7.63 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 1H), 7.60 – 7.52 (m, 2H), 7.40 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.29 – 7.25 (m, 1H), 7.16 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.11 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 1H), 5.37 – 5.27 (m, 1H), 3.23 (dd, *J* = 14.6, 8.3 Hz, 1H), 3.16 (dd, *J* = 14.7, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 2.83 (d, *J* = 12.2 Hz, 1H), 2.55 (dd, *J* = 12.2, 3.2 Hz, 1H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 151.98, 141.22, 135.99, 134.66, 130.18, 129.83, 129.58, 129.29, 129.12, 129.04, 128.48, 128.43, 127.89, 127.24, 121.60, 119.26, 117.12, 115.59, 84.23, 40.55, 35.17.

**HRMS (APCI)** *m/z* Calcd for Chemical Formula: C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>15</sub>Br<sub>2</sub>O<sup>+</sup> [M + H]<sup>+</sup>: 442.9464, Found: 442.9456.

**Optical Rotation:**  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -320.4^\circ$  ( $c = 0.5$ , acetone).

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel AD-H (Hexane/*i*-PrOH = 98:2, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm),  $t_R$  = 6.784 min (major),  $t_R$  = 8.009 min (minor), 91% ee.



#### (S)-14-bromo-3-(phenylethynyl)-8,9-dihydro-8,15-methanobenzo[f]naphtho[2,1-b]oxonine (3h)

Compound **3h** was synthesized in 61% yield (170 mg, 0.6 mmol scale) under condition [A]. **3h** was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE : EA (60:1 to 50:1) as eluent.

White solid. ( $R_f = 0.4$ , PE/EA = 20:1)

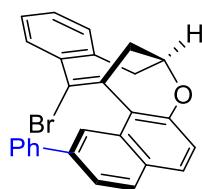
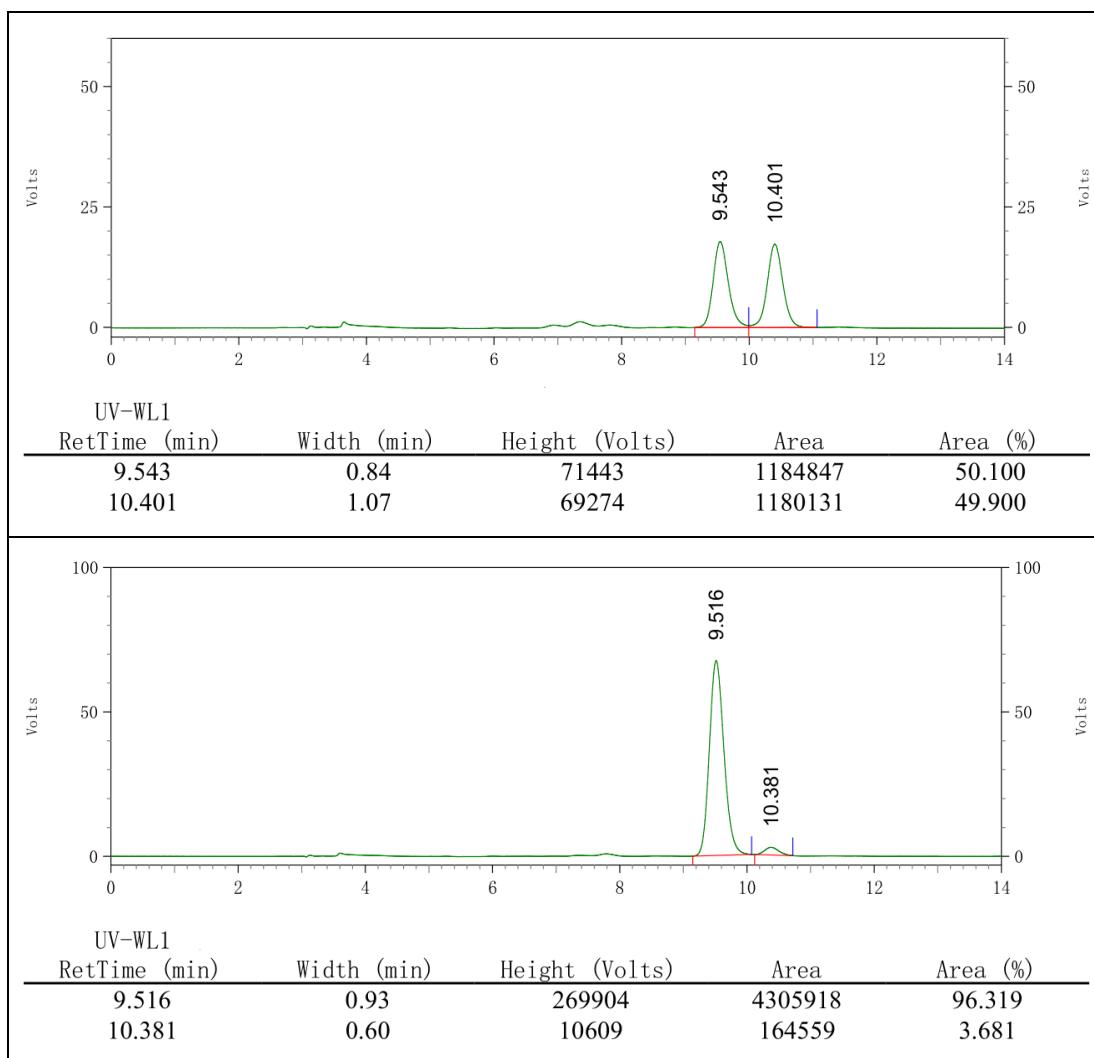
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.03 – 7.92 (m, 2H), 7.68 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 1H), 7.63 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.61 – 7.52 (m, 3H), 7.42 – 7.30 (m, 4H), 7.25 (t, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 7.14 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.10 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 5.36 – 5.27 (m, 1H), 3.24 – 3.13 (m, 2H), 2.81 (d, *J* = 12.3 Hz, 1H), 2.55 (dd, *J* = 12.3, 3.6 Hz, 1H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 152.45, 141.25, 135.98, 134.78, 131.57, 131.50, 130.16, 129.30, 129.26, 129.04, 128.36, 128.33, 128.16, 128.09, 128.03, 127.85, 126.83, 123.45, 121.57, 118.85, 118.00, 115.44, 90.04, 89.16, 84.24, 40.53, 35.16.

**HRMS (APCI)** *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>29</sub>H<sub>20</sub>BrO<sup>+</sup> [M + H]<sup>+</sup>: 463.0692, Found: 463.0683.

**Optical Rotation:** [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>25</sup> = -431.0° (*c* = 0.5, acetone).

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel AD-H (Hexane/*i*-PrOH = 98:2, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm), *t*<sub>R</sub> = 9.516 min (major), *t*<sub>R</sub> = 10.381 min (minor), 93% ee.



**3i**

**(S)-14-bromo-2-phenyl-8,9-dihydro-8,15-methanobenzo[f]naphtho[2,1-b]oxonine (3i)**

Compound **3i** was synthesized in 57% yield (150 mg, 0.6 mmol scale) under condition [A]. **3i** was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (60:1 to 50:1) as eluent.

White solid. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE/DCM = 1:1)

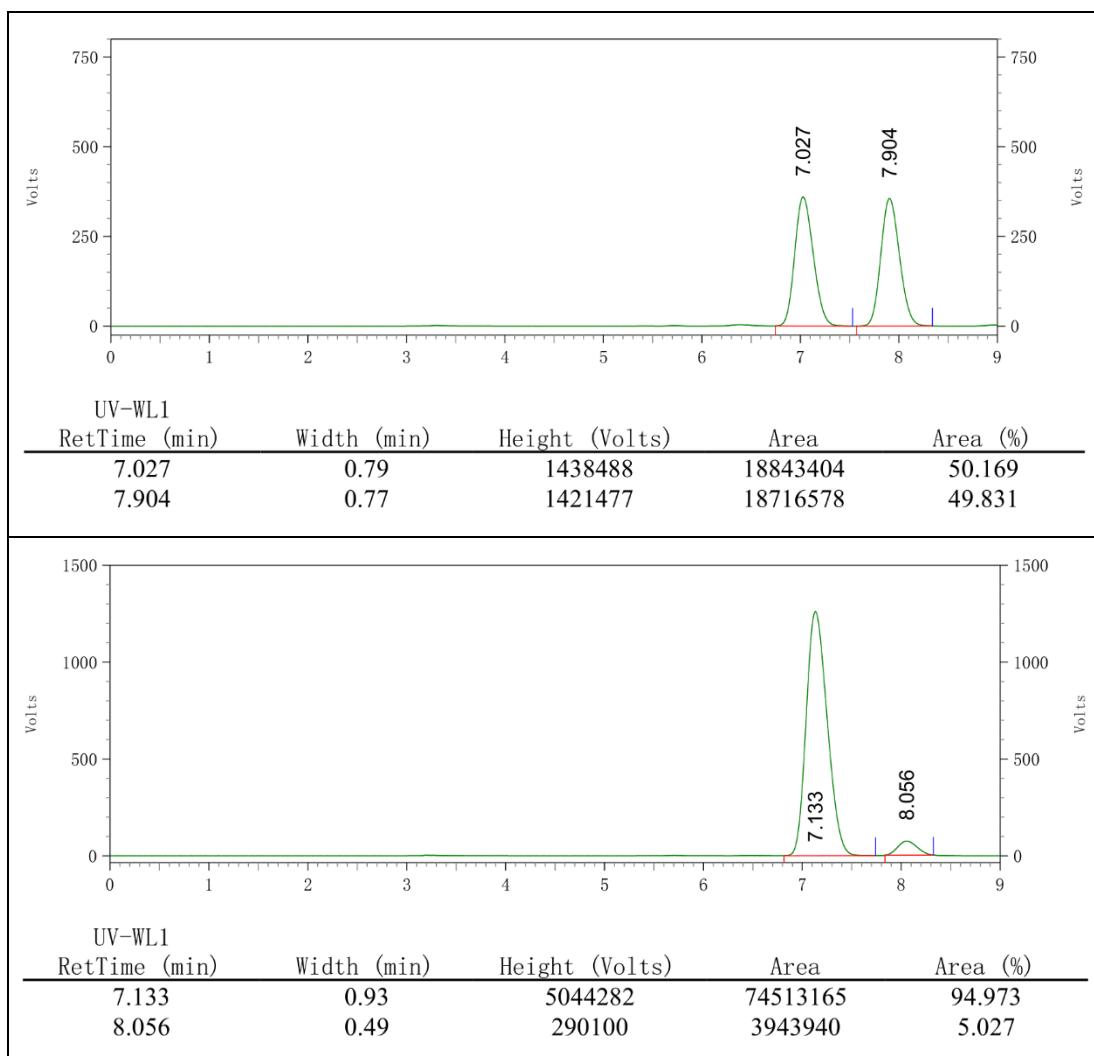
**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.21 (s, 1H), 7.88 – 7.80 (m, 3H), 7.74 (d,  $J = 8.9$  Hz, 1H), 7.63 (t,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 2H), 7.51 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 2H), 7.40 (t,  $J = 6.4$  Hz, 2H), 7.25 (d,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1H), 7.17 (d,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 7.09 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 5.35 – 5.30 (m, 1H), 3.24 – 3.20 (m, 2H), 2.84 (d,  $J = 12.2$  Hz, 1H), 2.58 (dd,  $J = 12.2, 3.6$  Hz, 1H).

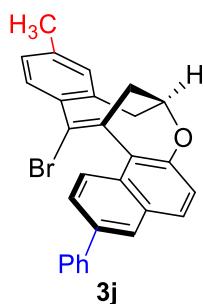
**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (150 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  152.07, 141.46, 141.44, 138.54, 136.17, 135.24, 130.29, 129.26, 129.15, 129.01, 128.90, 128.78, 128.43, 127.83, 127.67, 127.58, 127.29, 124.90, 123.25, 121.69, 118.19, 115.23, 84.12, 40.63, 35.35.

**HRMS (APCI)**  $m/z$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{20}\text{BrO}^+[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ : 439.0692, Found: 439.0683.

**Optical Rotation:**  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -276.2^\circ$  ( $c = 0.5$ , acetone).

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel AD-H (Hexane/*i*-PrOH = 98:2, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm),  $t_R = 7.133$  min (major),  $t_R = 8.056$  min (minor), 90% ee.





**(S)-14-bromo-11-methyl-3-phenyl-8,9-dihydro-8,15-methanobenzo[f]naphtho[2,1-b]oxonine (3j)**

Compound **3j** was synthesized in 64% yield (174 mg, 0.6 mmol scale) under condition [A]. **3j** was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (60:1 to 50:1) as eluent.

Yellow solid. ( $R_f = 0.6$ , PE/EA = 15:1)

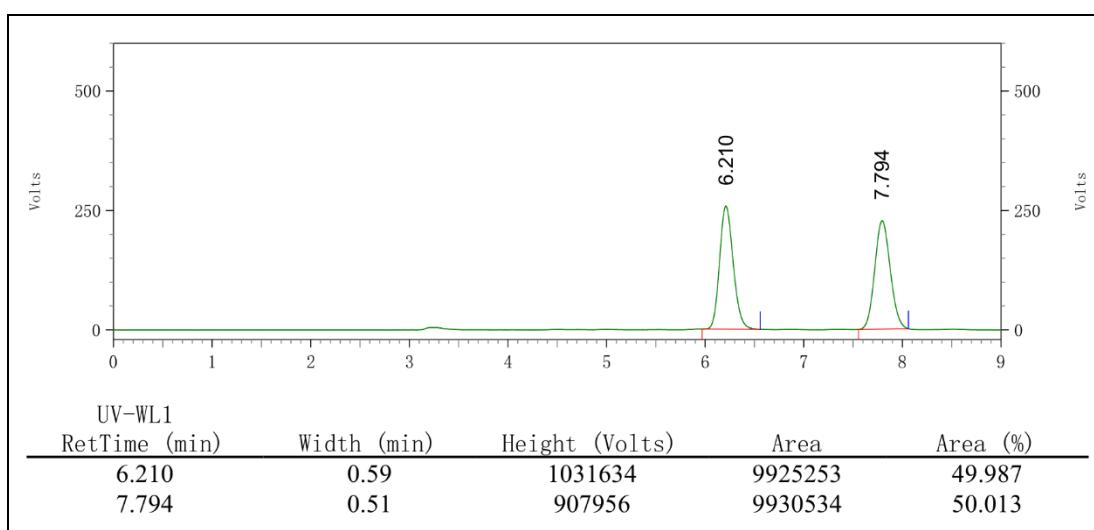
**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.07 (d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.97 (s, 1H), 7.80 – 7.76 (m, 2H), 7.73 (d,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 2H), 7.50 – 7.44 (m, 3H), 7.36 (t,  $J = 7.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.20 (d,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1H), 7.11 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 6.98 (s, 1H), 5.33 – 5.29 (m, 1H), 3.18 – 3.16 (m, 2H), 2.83 (d,  $J = 12.1$  Hz, 1H), 2.55 (dd,  $J = 12.1, 3.2$  Hz, 1H), 2.36 (s, 3H).

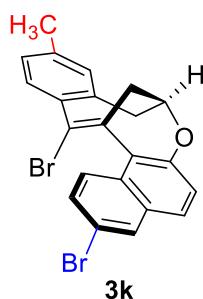
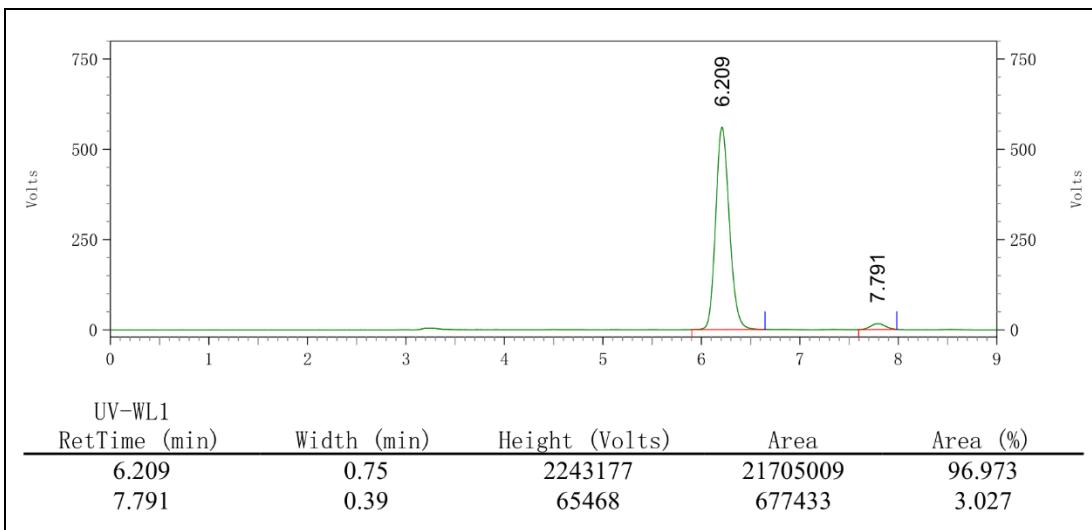
**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (150 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  151.76, 141.15, 139.07, 138.52, 136.14, 135.95, 134.69, 130.09, 130.02, 129.64, 128.77, 128.72, 128.38, 127.95, 127.32, 127.29, 127.21, 127.03, 125.80, 125.39, 121.46, 118.56, 115.46, 84.11, 40.61, 35.34, 21.39.

**HRMS (APCI)**  $m/z$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{22}\text{BrO}^+[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ : 453.0849, Found: 453.0837.

**Optical Rotation:**  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -298.8^\circ$  ( $c = 0.5$ , acetone).

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel AD-H (Hexane/*i*-PrOH = 95:5, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm),  $t_R = 6.209$  min (major),  $t_R = 7.791$  min (minor), 94% ee.





**(S)-3,14-dibromo-11-methyl-8,9-dihydro-8,15-methanobenzo[*f*]naphtho[2,1-*b*]oxonine (3k)**

Compound **3k** was synthesized in 52% yield (142 mg, 0.6 mmol scale) under condition [A]. **3k** was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (60:1 to 50:1) as eluent.

White solid. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE/EA = 20:1)

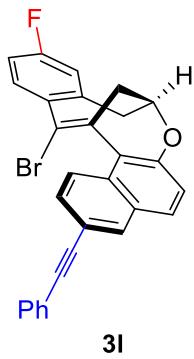
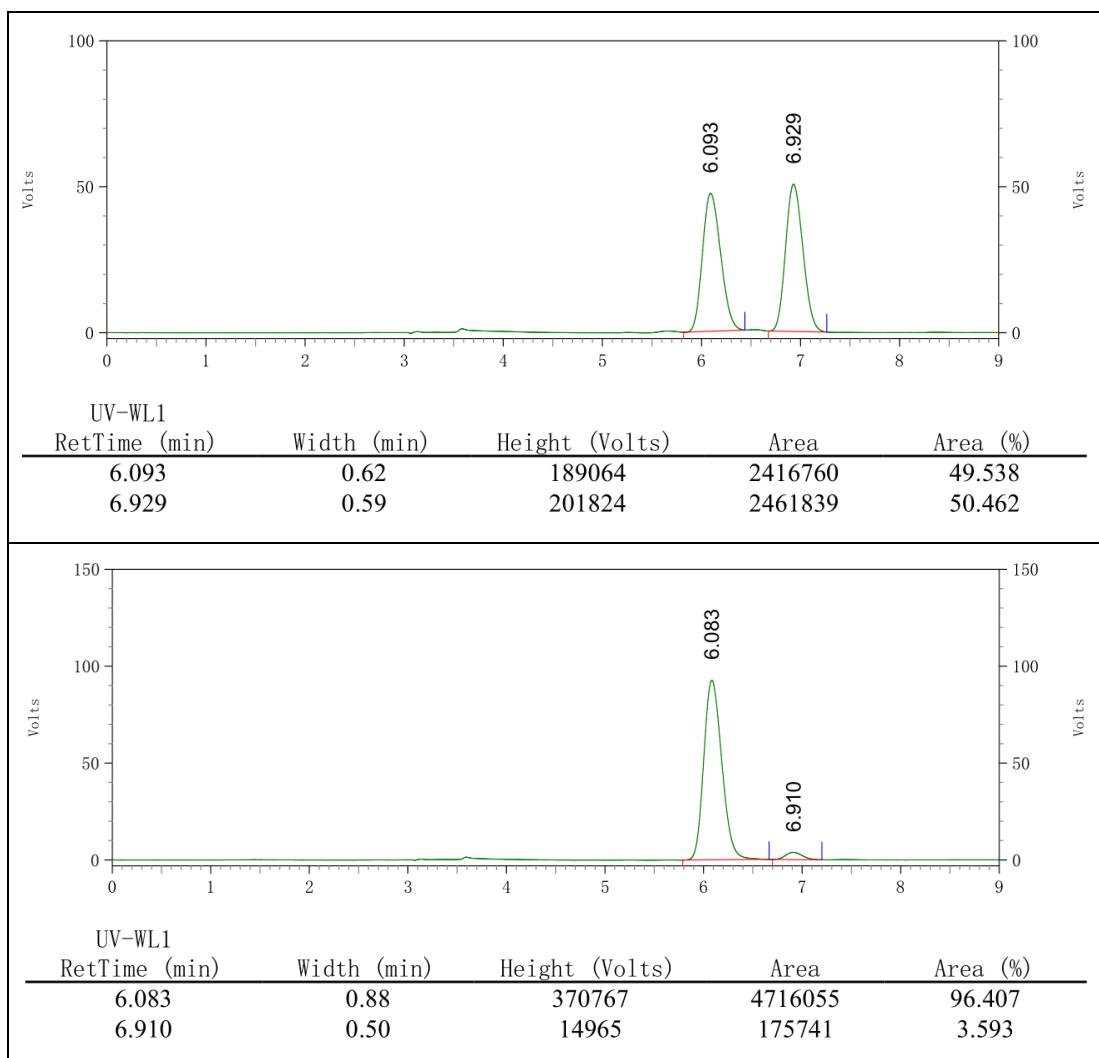
**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.91 (s, 1H), 7.87 (d,  $J = 8.9$  Hz, 1H), 7.61 (d,  $J = 8.9$  Hz, 1H), 7.57 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.45 (d,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1H), 7.19 (d,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.09 (d,  $J = 8.9$  Hz, 1H), 6.98 (s, 1H), 5.34 – 5.27 (m, 1H), 3.20 – 3.08 (m, 2H), 2.82 (d,  $J = 12.3$  Hz, 1H), 2.52 (d,  $J = 12.1$  Hz, 1H), 2.36 (s, 3H).

**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  151.92, 139.23, 138.33, 135.81, 134.18, 130.12, 130.11, 130.02, 129.80, 129.57, 128.97, 128.55, 128.45, 128.34, 127.29, 121.69, 119.24, 117.09, 115.88, 84.21, 40.53, 35.20, 21.39.

**HRMS (APCI)** *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>17</sub>Br<sub>2</sub>O<sup>+</sup>[M + H]<sup>+</sup>: 456.9620, Found: 456.9612.

**Optical Rotation:**  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -221^\circ$  ( $c = 0.5$ , acetone).

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel AD-H (Hexane/*i*-PrOH = 98:2, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm),  $t_R = 6.083$  min (major),  $t_R = 6.910$  min (minor), 93% ee.



**(S)-14-bromo-11-fluoro-3-(phenylethynyl)-8,9-dihydro-8,15-methanobenzo[f]naphtho[2,1-b]oxonine (3l)**

Compound **3l** was synthesized in 66% yield (191 mg, 0.6 mmol scale) under condition [A]. **3l** was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (60:1 to 50:1) as eluent.

Yellow solid. ( $R_f = 0.6$ , PE:EA = 20:1)

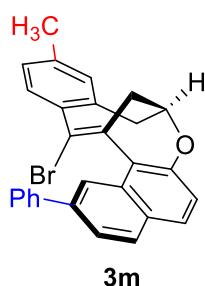
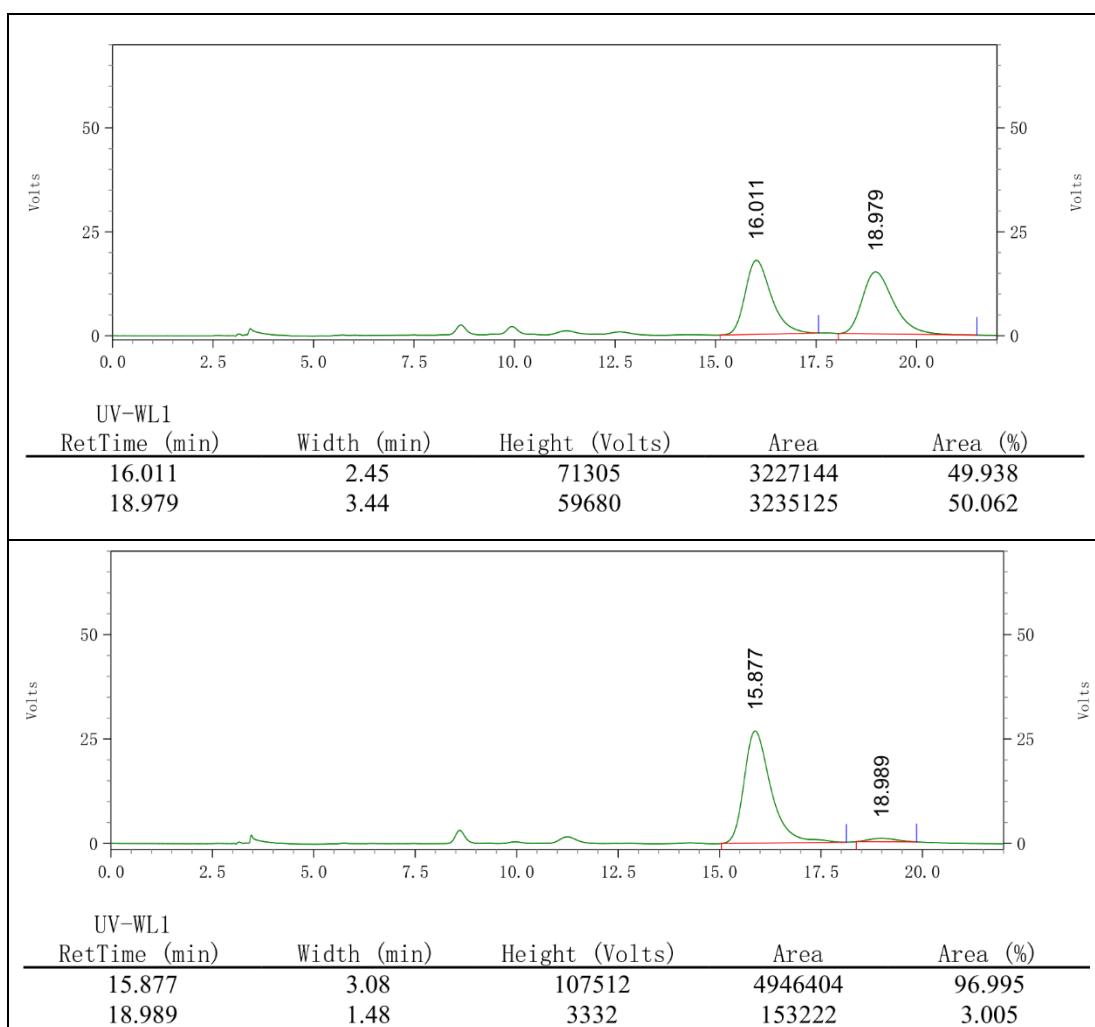
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.99 (s, 1H), 7.94 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 1H), 7.70 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 1H), 7.63 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 7.61 – 7.52 (m, 3H), 7.44 – 7.28 (m, 3H), 7.15 – 7.04 (m, 2H), 6.90 (dd, *J* = 9.1, 2.6 Hz, 1H), 5.36 – 5.29 (m, 1H), 3.23 – 3.12 (m, 2H), 2.80 (d, *J* = 12.3 Hz, 1H), 2.58 (dd, *J* = 12.3, 3.6 Hz, 1H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 162.26 (d, *J* = 250.2 Hz), 152.30, 138.64 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz), 137.28 (d, *J* = 3.2 Hz), 135.10, 132.02 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz), 131.59, 131.52, 129.44, 128.45, 128.35, 128.13, 126.78, 123.47, 121.46, 118.82, 118.15, 116.45 (d, *J* = 21.9 Hz), 114.65 (d, *J* = 21.8 Hz), 114.55, 89.97, 89.23, 83.79, 40.62, 35.20.

**HRMS (APCI)** *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>29</sub>H<sub>19</sub>BrFO<sup>+</sup>[M + H]<sup>+</sup>: 481.0598, Found: 481.0587.

**Optical Rotation:** [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>25</sup> = -223.8° (*c* = 0.5, acetone).

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel OD-H (Hexane/*i*-PrOH = 98:2, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm), *t*<sub>R</sub> = 15.877 min (major), *t*<sub>R</sub> = 18.989 min (minor), 94% ee.



(S)-14-bromo-11-methyl-2-phenyl-8,9-dihydro-8,15-methanobenzo[*f*]naphtho[2,1-*b*]oxonine (3m)

Compound **3m** was synthesized in 65% yield (177 mg, 0.6 mmol scale) under condition [A]. **3m** was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (60:1 to 50:1) as eluent.

Yellow solid. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE:EA = 20:1)

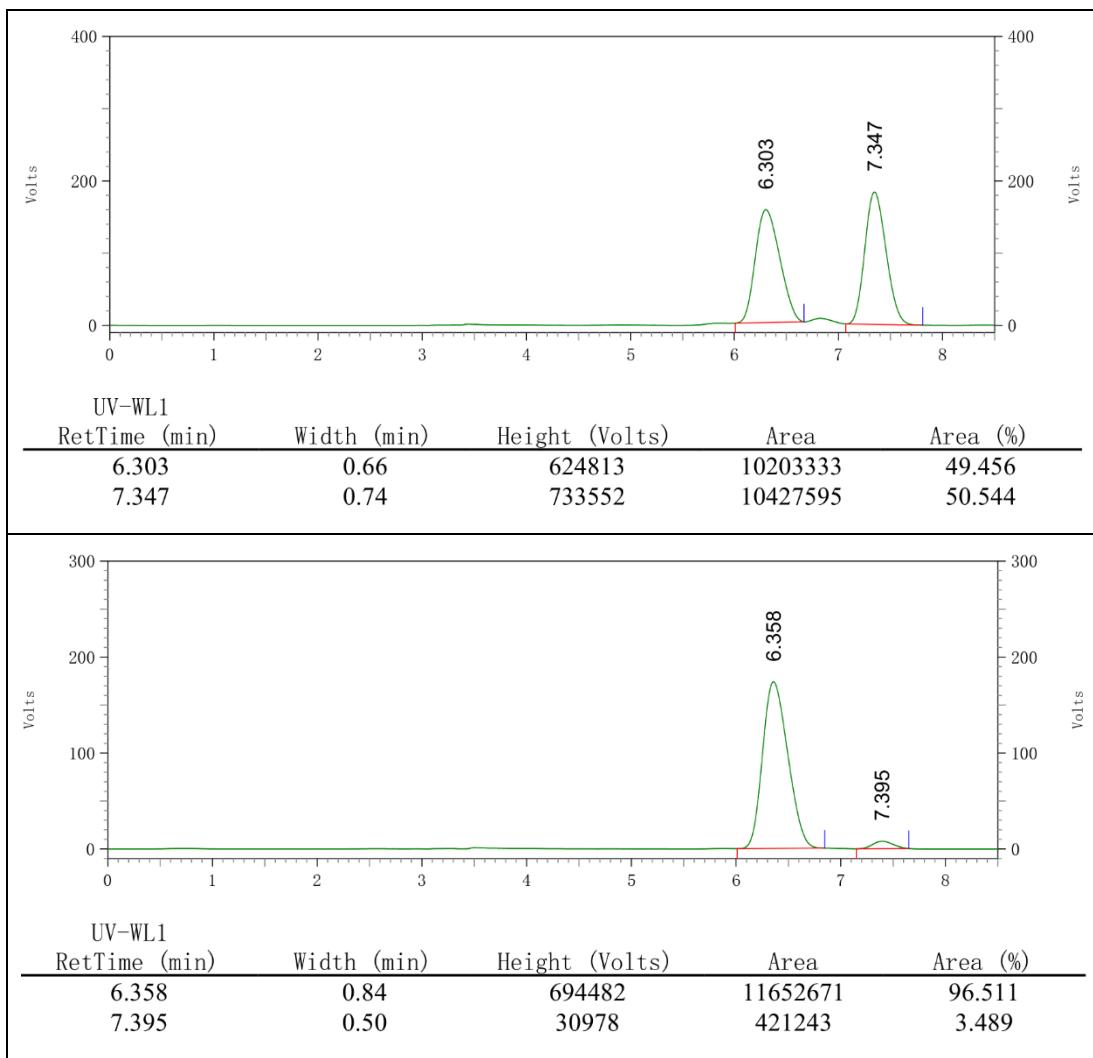
**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.21 (d,  $J = 1.7$  Hz, 1H), 7.85 – 7.82 (m, 3H), 7.73 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.62 (dd,  $J = 8.4$ , 1.8 Hz, 1H), 7.53 – 7.49 (m, 3H), 7.41 – 7.37 (m, 1H), 7.21 (dd,  $J = 7.8$ , 1.7 Hz, 1H), 7.08 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 6.99 (d,  $J = 1.7$  Hz, 1H), 5.33 – 5.30 (m, 1H), 3.18 (d,  $J = 7.3$  Hz, 2H), 2.84 (dd,  $J = 12.2$ , 1.7 Hz, 1H), 2.57 – 2.55 (m, 1H), 2.37 (s, 3H).

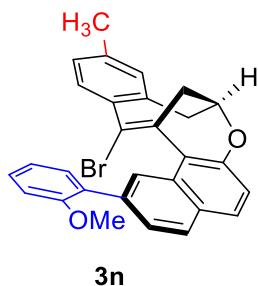
**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (150 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  152.00, 141.46, 139.09, 138.55, 138.45, 135.98, 134.74, 130.11, 130.09, 129.06, 128.94, 128.77, 128.39, 127.66, 127.57, 127.27, 124.97, 123.20, 121.76, 118.16, 115.51, 84.10, 40.61, 35.38, 21.39.

**HRMS (APCI)**  $m/z$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{22}\text{BrO}^+ [\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ : 453.0849, Found: 453.0839.

**Optical Rotation:**  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -457.4^\circ$  ( $c = 0.5$ , acetone).

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel AD-H (Hexane/ $i\text{-PrOH}$  = 98:2, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm),  $t_R = 6.358$  min (major),  $t_R = 7.395$  min (minor), 93% ee.





**3n**

**(S)-14-bromo-2-(2-methoxyphenyl)-11-methyl-8,9-dihydro-8,15-methanobenzo[f]naphtho[2,1-b]oxonine (3n)**

Compound **3n** synthesized in 62% yield (180 mg, 0.6 mmol scale) under condition [A]. **3n** was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (60:1 to 50:1) as eluent.

Yellow solid. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE/EA = 20:1)

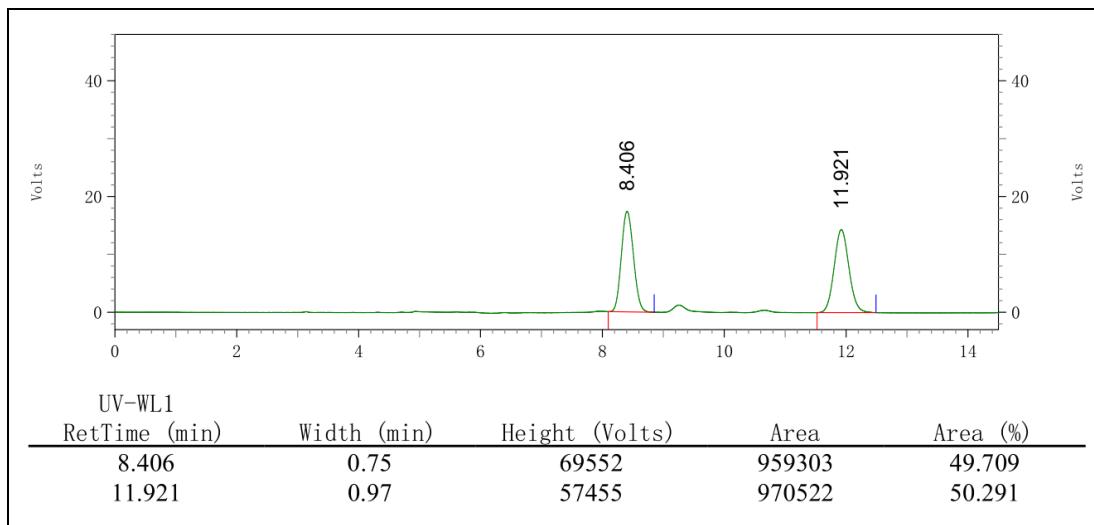
**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.08 (s, 1H), 7.78 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.72 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.58 (d,  $J = 7.9$  Hz, 2H), 7.46 (d,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1H), 7.37 (t,  $J = 7.9$  Hz, 1H), 7.18 (d,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.11 (t,  $J = 7.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.07 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.03 (d,  $J = 8.3$  Hz, 1H), 6.98 (s, 1H), 5.33 – 5.27 (m, 1H), 3.85 (s, 3H), 3.17 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2H), 2.80 (d,  $J = 12.1$  Hz, 1H), 2.52 (dd,  $J = 12.2, 3.5$  Hz, 1H), 2.36 (s, 3H).

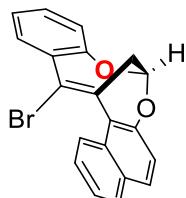
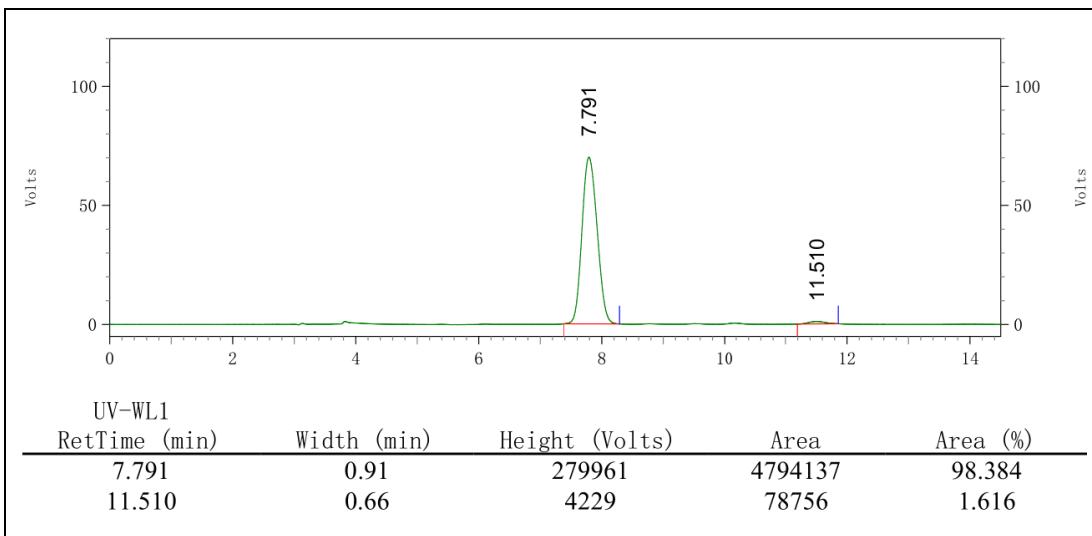
**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (150 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  156.76, 151.68, 138.99, 138.59, 136.41, 136.00, 134.88, 131.47, 131.11, 130.06, 130.02, 129.02, 128.84, 128.67, 128.33, 127.48, 127.08, 126.93, 125.81, 121.77, 120.89, 117.96, 115.31, 111.24, 84.03, 55.59, 40.66, 35.32, 21.38.

**HRMS (APCI)**  $m/z$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{29}\text{H}_{24}\text{BrO}_2^+[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ : 483.0954, Found: 483.0941.

**Optical Rotation:**  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -343.8^\circ$  ( $c = 0.5$ , acetone).

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel AD-H (Hexane/*i*-PrOH = 98:2, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm),  $t_R = 7.791$  min (major),  $t_R = 11.510$  min (minor), 97% ee.





**3o (3a-3)**

**(S)-14-bromo-8,15-methanobenzo[d]naphtho[1,2-h][1,3]dioxonine (3o (3a-3))**

Compound **3o (3a-3)** was synthesized in 85% yield (186 mg, 0.6 mmol scale) under condition [A]. **3o (3a-3)** was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (60:1 to 50:1) as eluent.

White solid. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE/EA = 20:1)

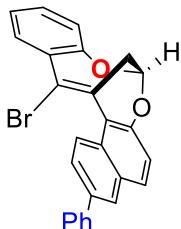
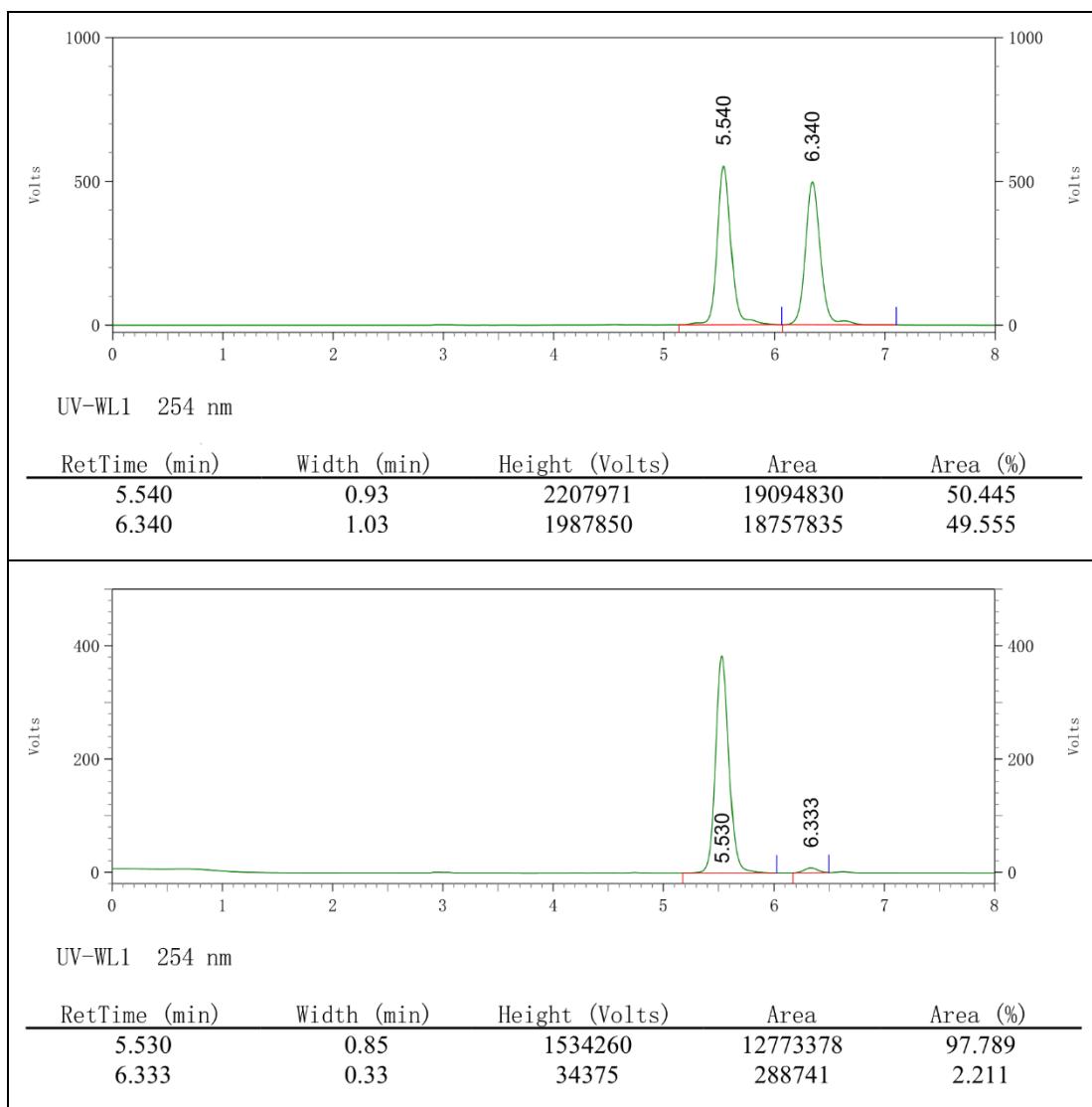
**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.03 (d,  $J = 8.3$  Hz, 1H), 7.82 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.78 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.62 (d,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1H), 7.55 (t,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.41 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 7.34 (t,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1H), 7.26 – 7.22 (m, 2H), 7.12 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 6.62 (s, 1H), 3.08 (d,  $J = 13.3$  Hz, 1H), 2.53 (d,  $J = 13.3$  Hz, 1H).

**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (150 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  151.42, 148.35, 133.63, 131.82, 131.35, 130.75, 129.36, 129.17, 128.42, 128.04, 126.65, 126.05, 124.58, 124.14, 123.77, 122.00, 117.40, 115.75, 110.81, 34.94.

**HRMS (APCI)**  $m/z$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{14}\text{BrO}_2^+[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ : 365.0172, Found: 365.0160.

**Optical Rotation:**  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -388^\circ$  ( $c = 0.5$ , acetone).

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel IA-H (Hexane/*i*-PrOH = 95:5, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm),  $t_R = 5.530$  min (major),  $t_R = 6.333$  min (minor), 96% ee.



**3p**

**(S)-14-bromo-3-phenyl-8,15-methanobenzo[d]naphtho[1,2-h][1,3]dioxonine (3p)**

Compound **3p** was synthesized in 85% yield (225 mg, 0.6 mmol scale) under condition [A]. **3p** was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (60:1 to 50:1) as eluent.

Pale yellow solid. ( $R_f = 0.4$ , PE/DCM = 1:1)

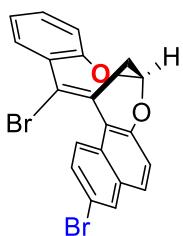
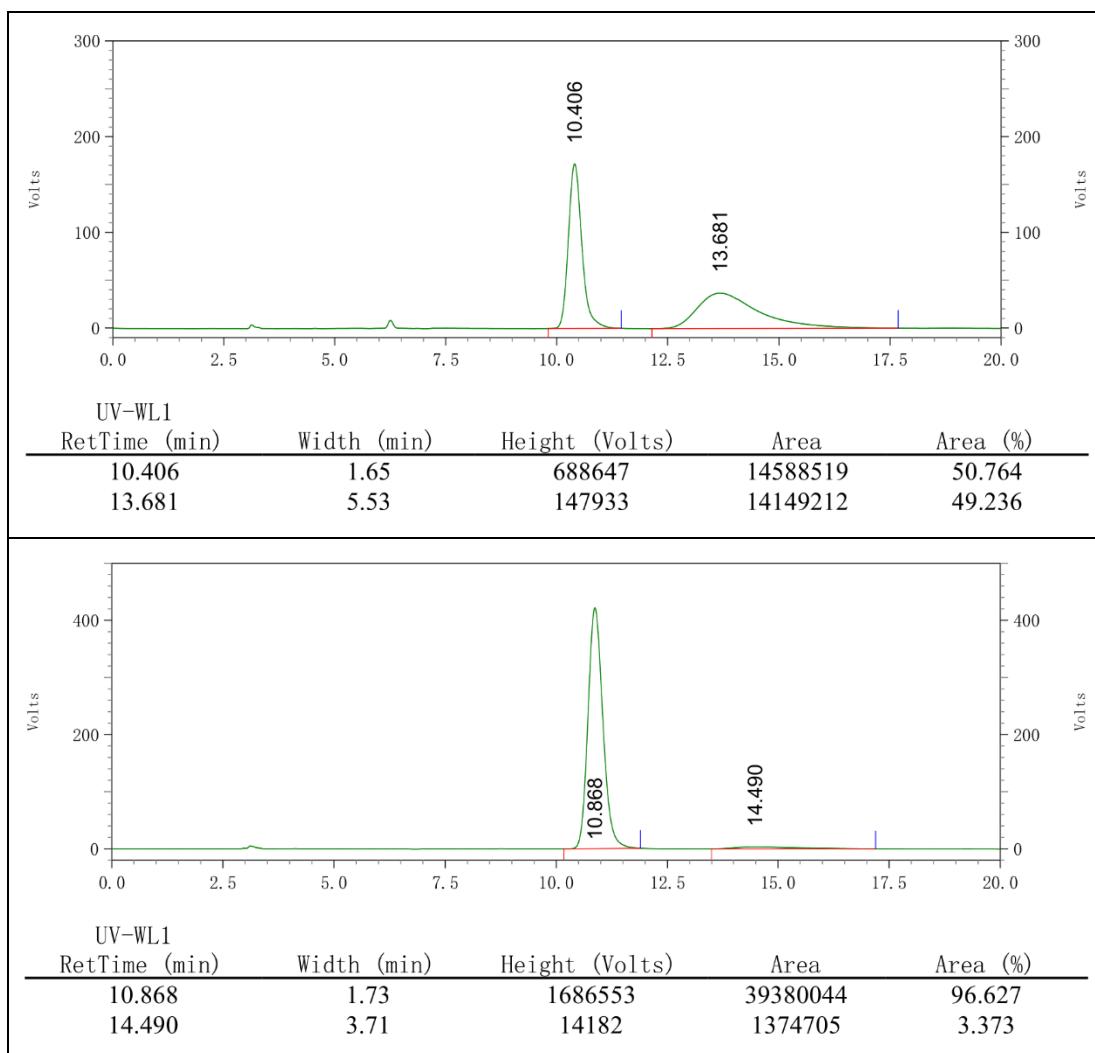
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  8.09 (d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz, 1H), 8.01 (s, 1H), 7.83 (d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz, 2H), 7.73 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 7.63 (d,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.48 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 2H), 7.41 – 7.30 (m, 2H), 7.29 – 7.24 (m, 2H), 7.12 (d,  $J = 8.1$  Hz, 1H), 6.62 (s, 1H), 3.08 (d,  $J = 13.2$  Hz, 1H), 2.53 (d,  $J = 13.2$  Hz, 1H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 151.41, 148.45, 140.99, 136.89, 133.59, 131.75, 131.35, 130.78, 129.65, 129.42, 128.82, 127.59, 127.27, 127.21, 127.17, 125.91, 125.80, 124.60, 123.68, 122.01, 117.83, 115.86, 110.85, 34.93.

**HRMS (APCI)** *m/z* Calcd for C<sub>26</sub>H<sub>18</sub>BrO<sub>2</sub><sup>+</sup>[M + H]<sup>+</sup>: 441.0485, Found: 441.0478.

**Optical Rotation:** [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>25</sup> = -265.4° (*c* = 0.5, acetone).

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel AS-H (Hexane/*i*-PrOH = 94:6, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm), *t*<sub>R</sub> = 10.868 min (major), *t*<sub>R</sub> = 14.490 min (minor), 93% ee.



**3q**

#### (S)-3,14-dibromo-8,15-methanobenzo[d]naphtho[1,2-h][1,3]dioxonine (3q)

Compound **3q** was synthesized in 79% yield (211 mg, 0.6 mmol scale) under condition [A]. **3q** was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (60:1 to 50:1) as eluent.

Gray solid. ( $R_f = 0.6$ , PE/EA = 20:1)

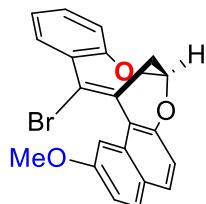
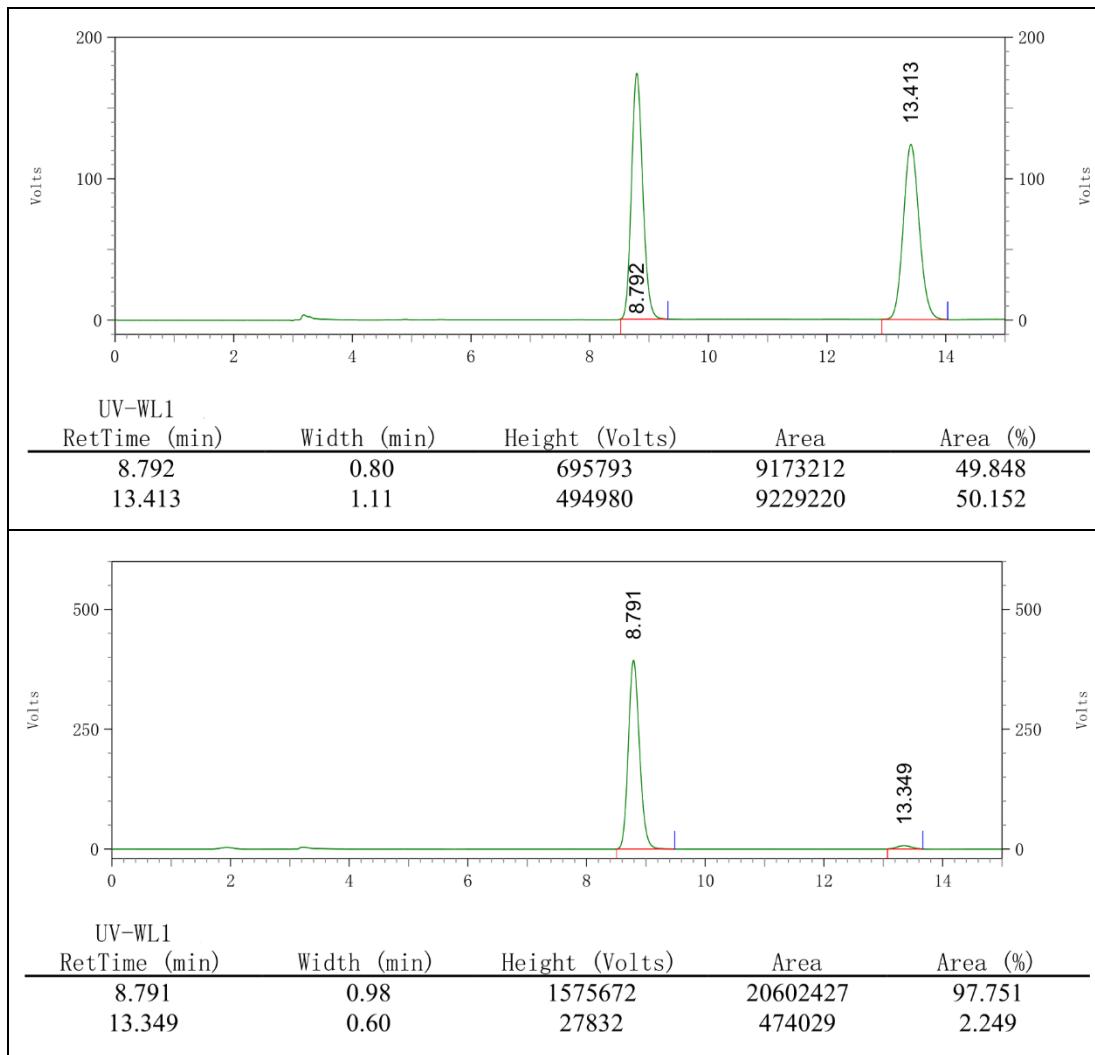
**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.97 (s, 1H), 7.89 (d,  $J = 8.9$  Hz, 1H), 7.68 (d,  $J = 8.9$  Hz, 1H), 7.61 (d,  $J = 7.9$  Hz, 2H), 7.34 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.28 – 7.21 (m, 2H), 7.12 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 6.61 (s, 1H), 3.07 (d,  $J = 13.2$  Hz, 1H), 2.51 (d,  $J = 13.2$  Hz, 1H).

**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  151.31, 148.61, 133.42, 131.35, 131.19, 130.91, 130.21, 129.96, 129.38, 128.38, 126.95, 124.69, 123.89, 122.02, 118.51, 117.90, 116.28, 110.83, 34.79.

**HRMS (APCI)**  $m/z$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{13}\text{Br}_2\text{O}_2^+[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ : 444.9256, Found: 444.9247

**Optical Rotation:**  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -345.4^\circ$  ( $c = 0.5$ , acetone).

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel AD-H (Hexane/*i*-PrOH = 98:2, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm),  $t_R = 8.791$  min (major),  $t_R = 13.349$  min (minor), 96% ee.



**3r**

**(S)-14-bromo-2-methoxy-8,15-methanobenzo[d]naphtho[1,2-h][1,3]dioxonine (3r)**

Compound **3r** was synthesized in 84% yield (199 mg, 0.6 mmol scale) under condition [A]. **3r** was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (60:1 to 50:1) as eluent.

White solid. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE/EA = 20:1)

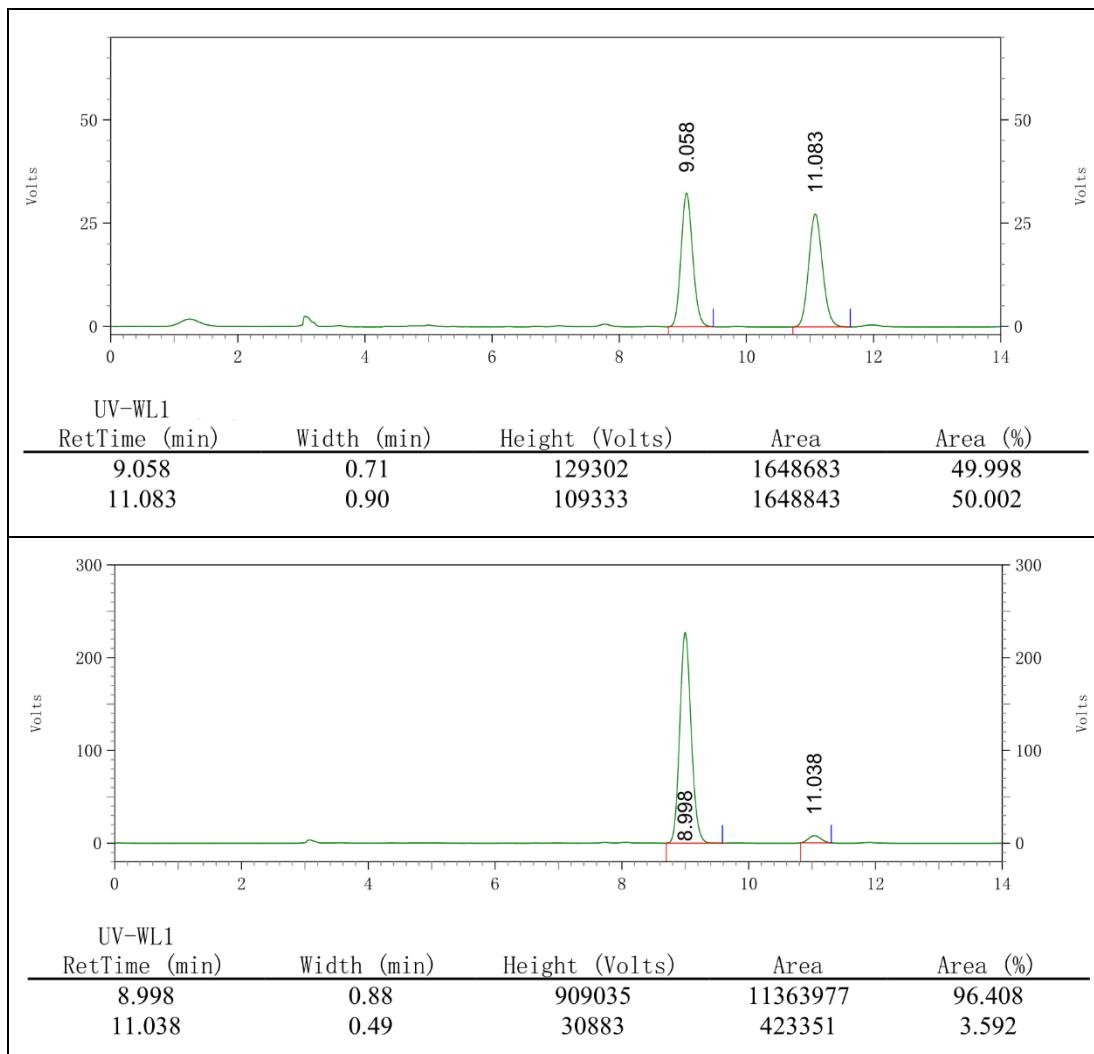
**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.70 (d,  $J = 8.9$  Hz, 2H), 7.64 (dd,  $J = 7.6, 1.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.37 – 7.30 (m, 1H), 7.30 – 7.26 (m, 1H), 7.25 (s, 1H), 7.12 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.10 – 7.02 (m, 2H), 6.61 (d,  $J = 1.9$  Hz, 1H), 4.00 (s, 3H), 3.07 (d,  $J = 13.2$  Hz, 1H), 2.53 (dd,  $J = 13.2, 2.1$  Hz, 1H).

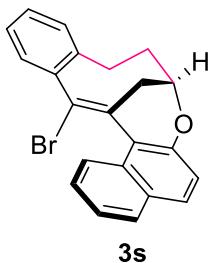
**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  157.97, 151.51, 148.98, 133.67, 132.04, 131.29, 130.74, 129.66, 129.47, 129.07, 124.61, 124.53, 122.91, 122.02, 116.99, 115.57, 114.83, 110.75, 105.20, 55.47, 35.14.

**HRMS (APCI)**  $m/z$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{16}\text{BrO}_3^+[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ : 395.0277, Found: 395.0265.

**Optical Rotation:**  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -199.6^\circ$  ( $c = 0.5$ , acetone).

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel AD-H (Hexane/*i*-PrOH = 95:5, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm),  $t_R = 8.998$  min (major),  $t_R = 11.038$  min (minor), 93% ee.





**(*S, Z*)-15-bromo-9,10-dihydro-8H-8,16-methanobenzo[f]naphtho[2,1-b]oxecine (3s)**

Compound **3s** was synthesized in 33% yield (75 mg, 0.6 mmol scale) under condition [A]. **3s** was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (60:1 to 50:1) as eluent.

Yellow solid. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE:EA = 20:1)

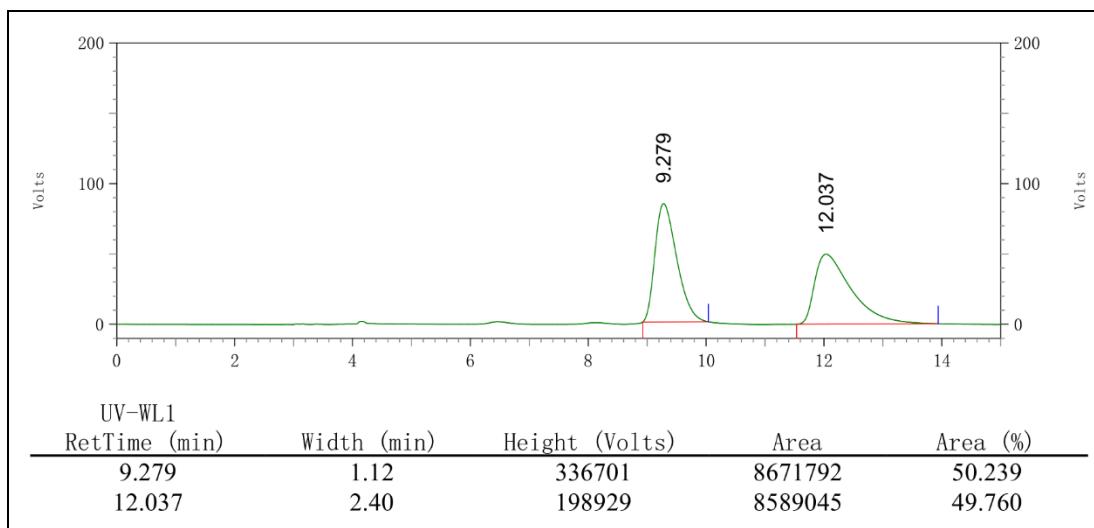
**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.08 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.81 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.77 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.61 – 7.52 (m, 2H), 7.38 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 7.35 – 7.29 (m, 3H), 7.18 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 4.73 – 4.70 (m, 1H), 3.07 (t,  $J = 13.5$  Hz, 1H), 2.72 – 2.67 (m, 1H), 2.63 (d,  $J = 12.6$  Hz, 1H), 2.52 – 2.43 (m, 2H), 1.81 – 1.74 (m, 1H).

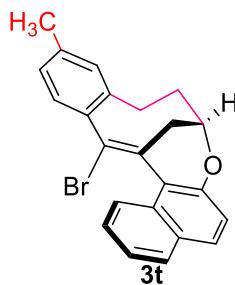
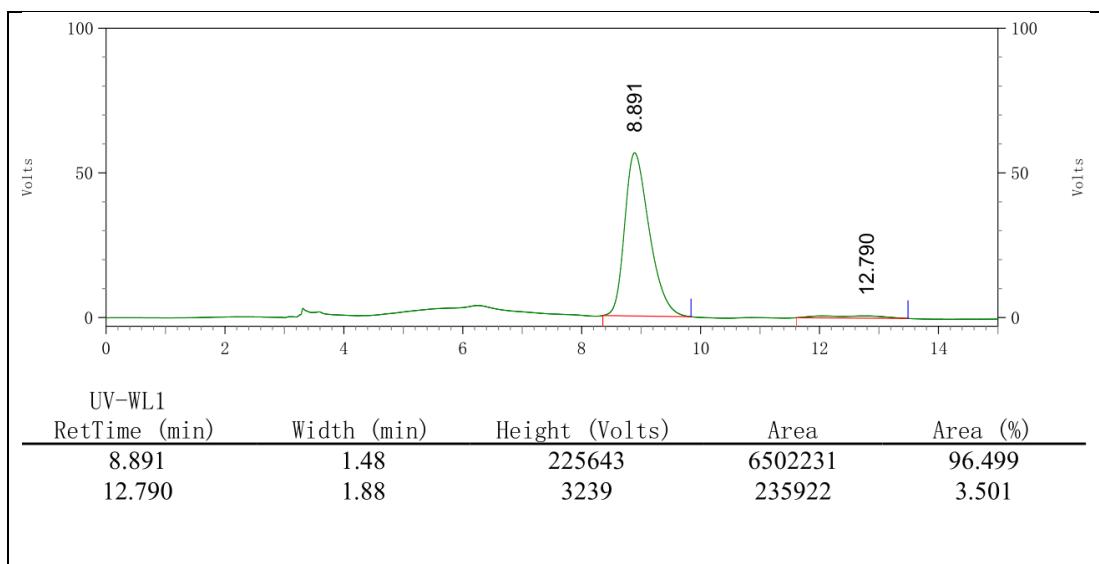
**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (150 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  152.97, 141.81, 140.15, 130.40, 129.49, 129.45, 129.18, 128.92, 128.59, 128.38, 128.15, 126.50, 126.48, 125.73, 123.54, 122.59, 118.64, 118.43, 73.90, 36.14, 35.34, 27.53.

**HRMS (APCI)**  $m/z$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{18}\text{BrO}^+[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ : 377.0536, Found: 377.0521.

**Optical Rotation:**  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -442.4^\circ$  ( $c = 0.55$ , DCM).

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel OD-H (Hexane/*i*-PrOH = 99:1, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm),  $t_R = 8.891$  min (major),  $t_R = 12.790$  min (minor), 93% ee.





**(S, Z)-15-bromo-12-methyl-9,10-dihydro-8H-8,16-methanobenzo[f]naphtho[2,1-b]oxecine (3t)**

Compound **3t** was synthesized in 35% yield (82 mg, 0.6 mmol scale) under condition [A]. **3t** was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (60:1 to 50:1) as eluent.

Yellow solid. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE:EA = 20:1)

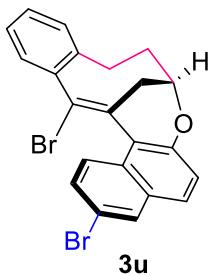
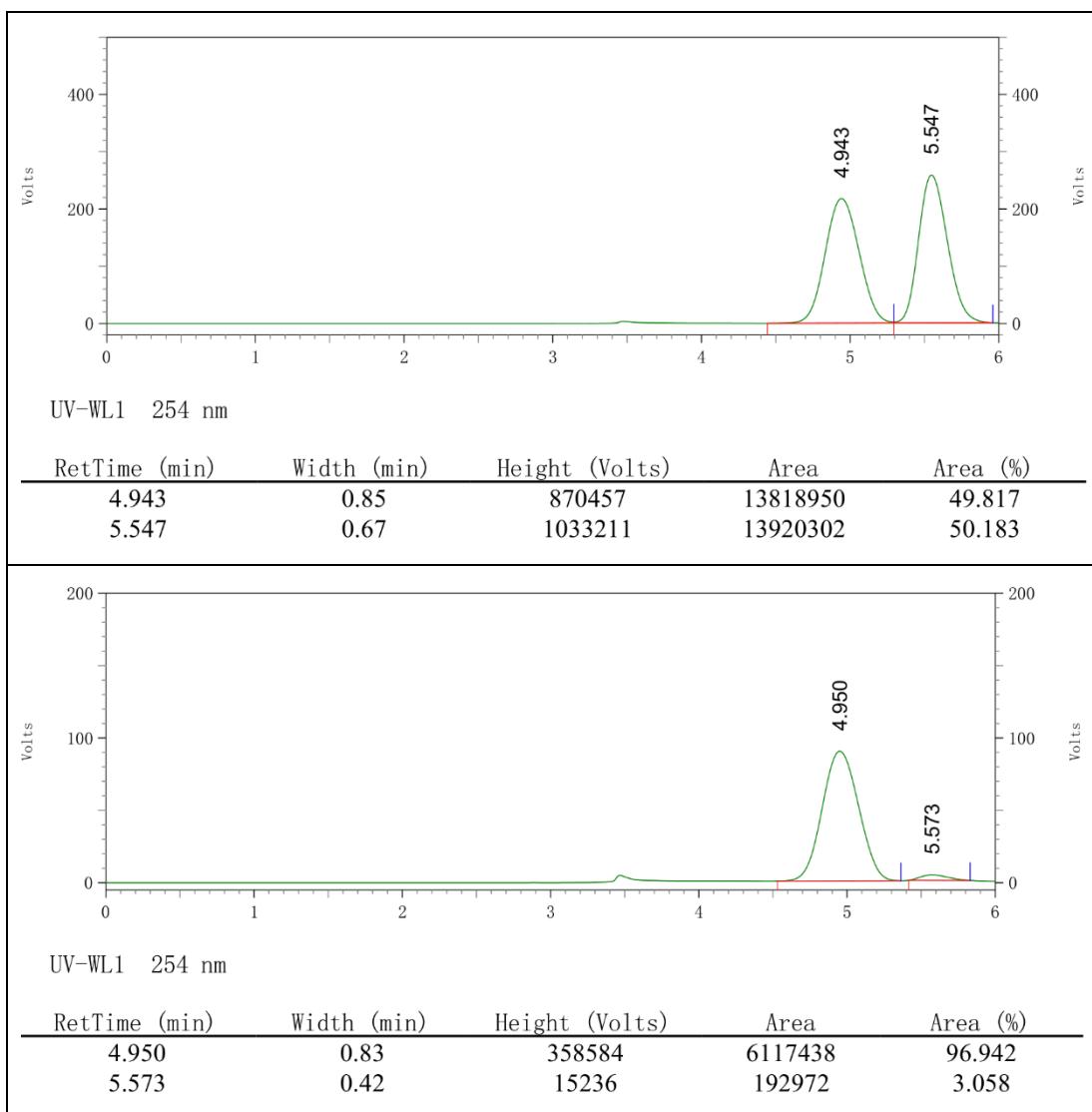
**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.08 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.81 (d,  $J = 8.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.76 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.55 (t,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.44 (d,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1H), 7.38 (t, 1H), 7.18 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.16 – 7.09 (m, 2H), 4.73 – 4.69 (m, 1H), 3.03 (t,  $J = 13.5$  Hz, 1H), 2.67 – 2.62 (m, 2H), 2.50 – 2.42 (m, 2H), 2.38 (s, 3H), 1.76 (t,  $J = 14.0$  Hz, 1H).

**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (150 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  152.99, 141.67, 139.08, 137.42, 130.17, 130.13, 129.41, 128.91, 128.44, 128.41, 128.12, 127.29, 126.54, 125.67, 123.50, 122.70, 118.91, 118.43, 74.02, 36.12, 35.39, 27.50, 21.34.

**HRMS (APCI)**  $m/z$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{20}\text{BrO}^+[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ : 391.0692, Found: 391.0683.

**Optical Rotation:**  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -266.6^\circ$  ( $c = 0.5$ , DCM).

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel AD-H (Hexane/*i*-PrOH = 98:2, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm),  $t_R = 4.950$  min (major),  $t_R = 5.573$  min (minor), 94% ee.



**(*S,Z*)-3,15-dibromo-9,10-dihydro-8*H*-8,16-methanobenzo[*f*]naphtho[2,1-*b*]oxecine (3u)**

Compound **3u** was synthesized in 32% yield (88 mg, 0.6 mmol scale) under condition [A]. **3u** was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (60:1 to 50:1) as eluent.

White solid. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE:EA = 20:1)

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  8.02 – 7.86 (m, 2H), 7.67 (d,  $J$  = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.61 (dd,  $J$  = 8.8, 1.9 Hz, 1H), 7.58 – 7.51 (m, 1H), 7.37 – 7.28 (m, 3H), 7.19 (d,  $J$  = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 4.75 – 4.70 (m, 1H), 3.03 (t,  $J$  = 13.5 Hz, 1H), 2.69 (dd,  $J$  = 14.1,

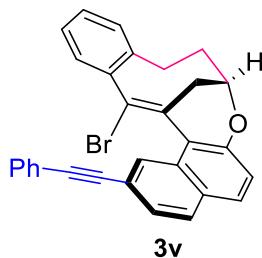
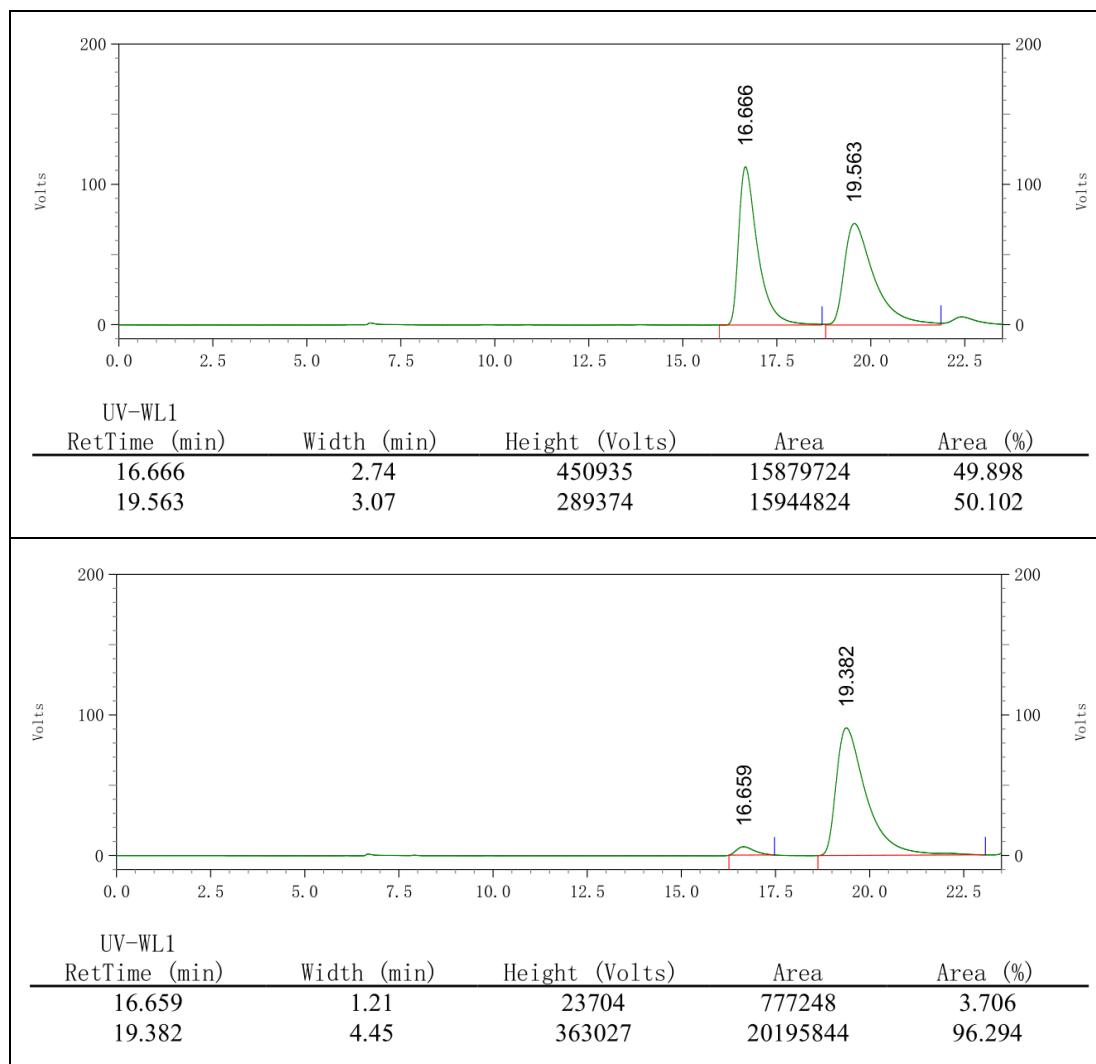
7.0 Hz, 1H), 2.63 (d,  $J$  = 12.7 Hz, 1H), 2.49 (dd,  $J$  = 15.2, 6.9 Hz, 1H), 2.44 (dd,  $J$  = 12.7, 8.7 Hz, 1H), 1.78 (t,  $J$  = 14.1 Hz, 1H).

**$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR** (150 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  153.29, 141.71, 139.93, 130.04, 130.01, 129.92, 129.48, 129.31, 129.01, 128.55, 128.53, 128.27, 126.93, 126.56, 122.66, 119.56, 119.13, 117.23, 74.09, 36.08, 35.18, 27.49.

**HRMS (APCI)**  $m/z$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{17}\text{Br}_2\text{O}^+[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ : 456.9620, Found: 456.9609.

**Optical Rotation:**  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -388^\circ$  ( $c = 0.3$ , DCM).

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel ADAD-H (Hexane/*i*-PrOH = 99:1, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm),  $t_R$  = 16.659 min (minor),  $t_R$  = 19.382 min (major), 93% ee.



(*S,Z*)-15-bromo-2-(phenylethynyl)-9,10-dihydro-8*H*-8,16-methanobenzo[*f*]naphtho[2,1-*b*]oxecine (3v)

Compound **3v** was synthesized in 33% yield (95 mg, 0.6 mmol scale) under condition [A]. **3v** was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (60:1 to 50:1) as eluent.

White solid. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE/EA = 20:1)

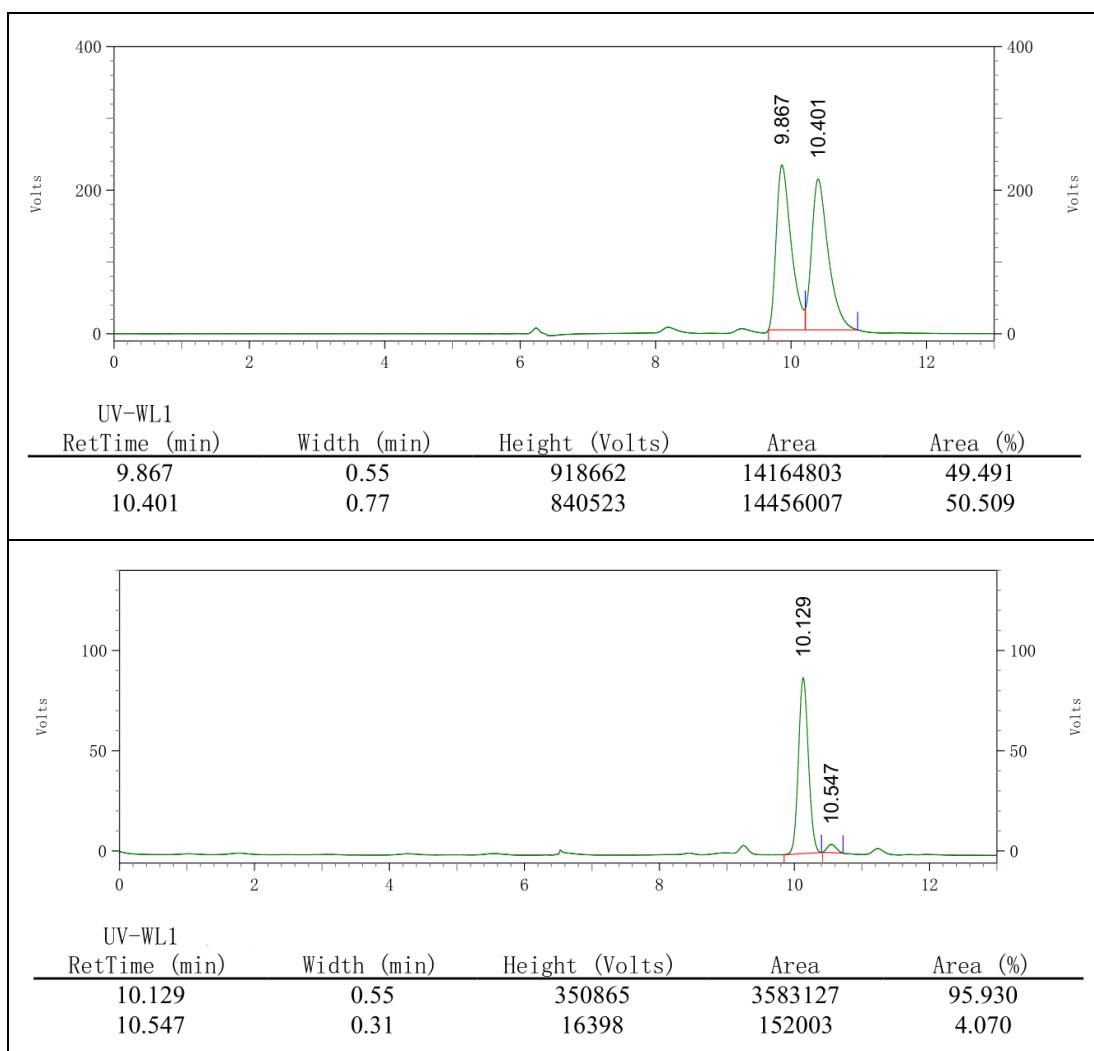
**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.27 (s, 1H), 7.76 (dd,  $J = 16.8, 8.6$  Hz, 2H), 7.63 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 3H), 7.49 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.41 – 7.35 (m, 3H), 7.33 (d,  $J = 5.7$  Hz, 3H), 7.19 (d,  $J = 8.7$  Hz, 1H), 4.74 – 4.72 (m, 1H), 3.05 (s, 1H), 2.70 (d,  $J = 7.1$  Hz, 1H), 2.64 (s, 1H), 2.51 – 2.45 (m, 2H), 1.79 (d,  $J = 14.2$  Hz, 1H).

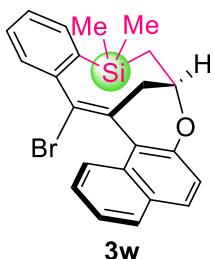
**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (150 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  153.56, 141.71, 140.05, 131.75, 129.98, 129.93, 129.44, 129.29, 129.24, 128.73, 128.35, 128.29, 128.24, 128.13, 126.54, 126.24, 123.47, 122.45, 120.55, 119.18, 119.08, 90.39, 89.63, 74.07, 36.14, 35.21, 27.50.

**HRMS (APCI)**  $m/z$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{30}\text{H}_{22}\text{BrO}^+[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ : 477.0849, Found: 477.0841.

**Optical Rotation:**  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -411.4^\circ$  ( $c = 0.5$ , DCM).

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel ADAD-H (Hexane/*i*-PrOH = 95:5, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm),  $t_R = 10.129$  min (major),  $t_R = 10.547$  min (minor), 92% ee.





**(R, Z)-16-bromo-5,5-dimethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-7,15-methanobenzo[e]naphtho[1,2-i][1,4]oxasilecine (3w)**

Compound **3w** was synthesized in 52% yield (131 mg, 0.6 mmol scale) under condition [A]. **3w** was purified by silica gel column chromatography using PE:EA (60:1 to 50:1) as eluent.

White solid. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE/EA = 20:1)

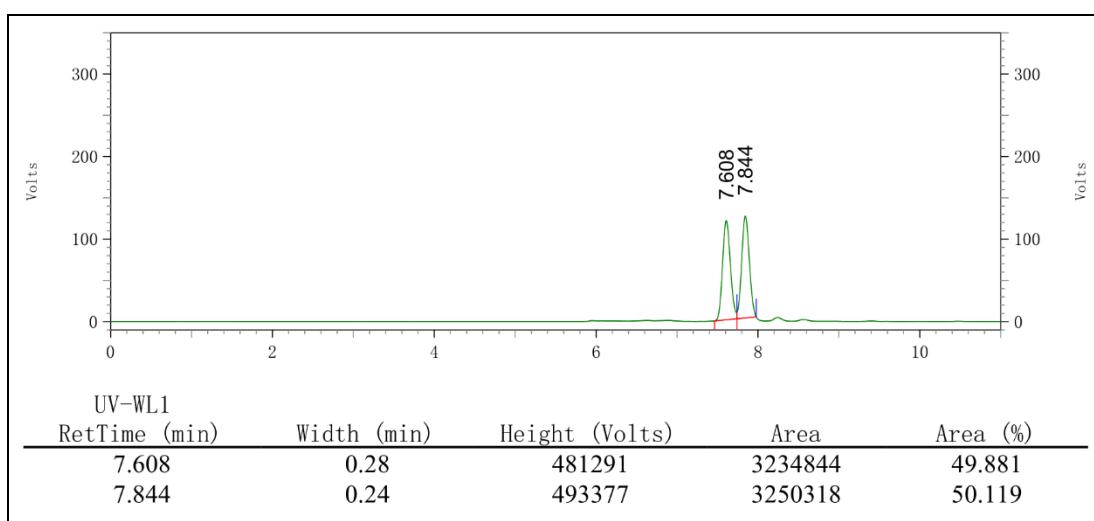
**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.12 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.88 – 7.70 (m, 2H), 7.65 (d,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.56 (t,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1H), 7.52 (d,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 7.48 (t,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.41 – 7.28 (m, 2H), 7.10 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 4.99 – 4.90 (m, 1H), 2.88 (d,  $J = 12.6$  Hz, 1H), 2.54 (dd,  $J = 12.6, 5.9$  Hz, 1H), 1.51 (dd,  $J = 14.7, 7.4$  Hz, 1H), 1.29 (dd,  $J = 14.7, 4.9$  Hz, 1H), 0.39 (s, 3H), 0.24 (s, 3H).

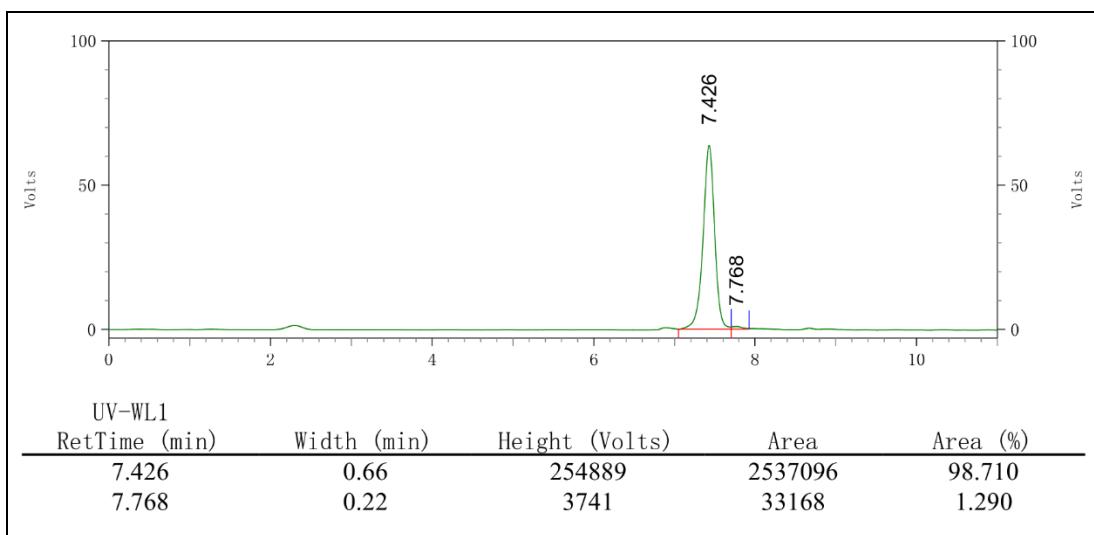
**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (150 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  152.28, 145.87, 138.59, 133.85, 130.36, 130.33, 129.36, 129.03, 128.82, 128.71, 128.18, 127.77, 126.60, 125.66, 123.32, 121.63, 119.10, 118.58, 75.09, 35.96, 23.81, -0.93, -1.74.

**HRMS (APCI)**  $m/z$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{22}\text{BrOSi}^+[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ : 421.0618, Found: 421.0607.

**Optical Rotation:**  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -323.3^\circ$  ( $c = 0.75$ , DCM).

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel ADAD-H (Hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm),  $t_R = 7.426$  min (major),  $t_R = 7.768$  min (minor), 97% ee.



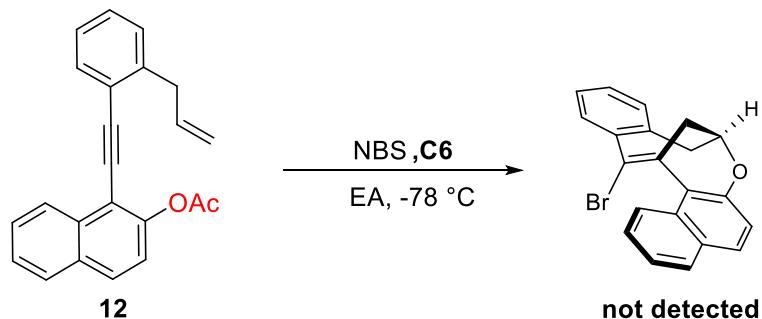


### Unsuccessful attempt for the construction of the [6.3.1] ring system

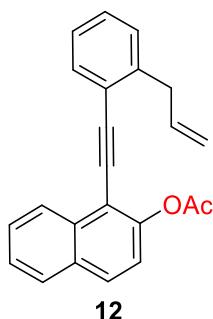
We synthesized substrate **1x** and evaluated the construction of the [6.3.1] ring system under the standard reaction conditions. Unfortunately, we did not observe the trace of the generation of the [6.3.1] ring system.

## VIII. Mechanistic studies

### 1) Control experiments



Compound **12** was prepared according to the general procedure. The control experiment was carried out following the general procedure (Condition [A]).



### 1-((2-allylphenyl)ethynyl)naphthalen-2-yl acetate (**12**)

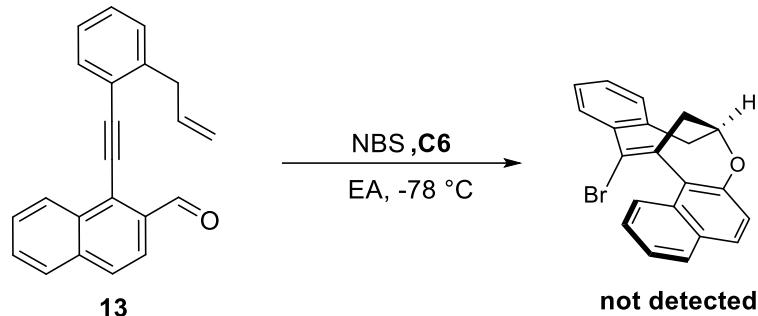
Compound **12** is an unknown compound, and was synthesized in 43% yield (280 mg, 2 mmol scale) following the general procedure (**Method A**).

yellow solid. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE/EA = 5:1)

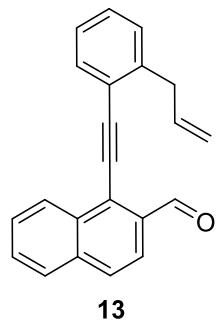
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.39 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.76 – 7.66 (m, 2H), 7.60 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.51 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.39 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.27 – 7.12 (m, 4H), 6.06 (ddt, *J* = 16.8, 10.1, 6.6 Hz, 1H), 5.19 – 5.03 (m, 2H), 3.70 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 2H), 2.33 (s, 3H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 168.66, 149.94, 141.54, 136.14, 133.53, 132.18, 131.00, 129.45, 128.74, 128.69, 128.01, 127.14, 126.04, 125.93, 125.83, 122.39, 121.00, 116.20, 113.07, 97.85, 86.26, 38.57, 20.75.

**HRMS (ESI)  $m/z$**  Calcd for  $C_{23}H_{16}NaO_2^+ [M + Na]^+$ : 349.1199, Found: 349.1186.



Compound **13** was prepared according to the general procedure as described for **S6**. The control experiment was carried out following the general procedure (Condition [A]).



### 1-((2-allylphenyl)ethynyl)-2-naphthaldehyde (13)

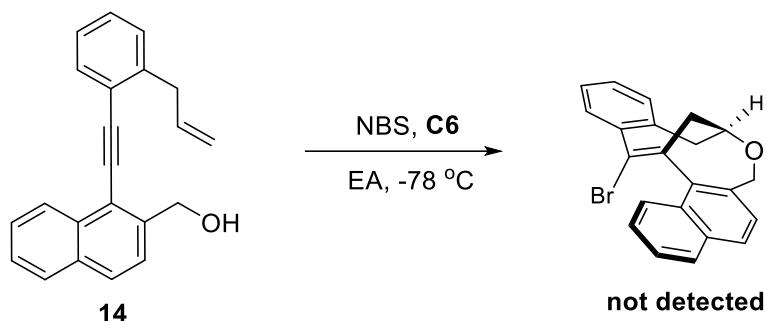
Compound **13** was synthesized following the general procedure (**Method A**).

Pale yellow solid. ( $R_f = 0.6$ , PE/EA = 10:1)

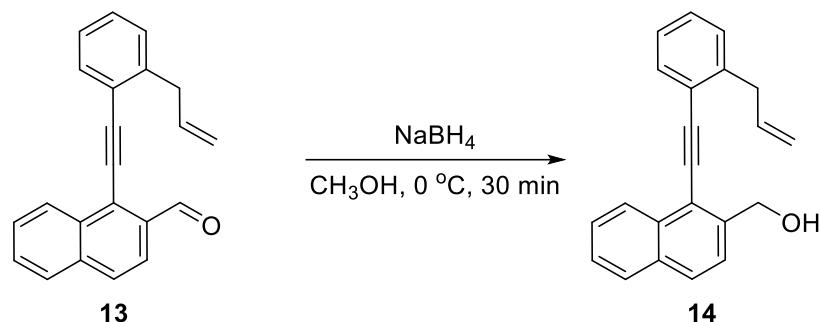
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 10.88 (s, 1H), 8.61 (dd, *J* = 6.3, 3.4 Hz, 1H), 7.99 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 1H), 7.93 – 7.82 (m, 2H), 7.74 – 7.62 (m, 3H), 7.39 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.31 (dd, *J* = 13.9, 7.1 Hz, 2H), 6.16 – 6.03 (m, 1H), 5.20 – 5.01 (m, 2H), 3.75 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 192.09, 142.12, 136.16, 135.79, 134.19, 133.14, 132.71, 129.59, 129.34, 129.31, 128.86, 128.47, 127.67, 127.56, 127.27, 126.43, 122.08, 121.99, 116.56, 101.05, 86.57, 38.89.

**HRMS (ESI)**  $m/z$  Calcd for  $C_{22}H_{16}NaO^+[M + Na]^+$ : 319.1093, Found: 319.1105.

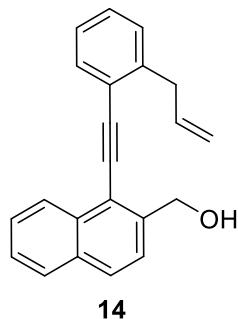


Compound **14** was prepared according to the general procedure as following. The control experiment was carried out following the general procedure (Condition [A]).



General procedure for the synthesis of **14**:

To a solution of the **13** (1.48 g, 5.0 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) in methanol (0.5 M) was added  $\text{NaBH}_4$  (190 mg, 5 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) under a nitrogen atmosphere at  $0\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ . After 30 min, the mixture was quenched with saturated aqueous  $\text{NHCl}_4$  solution, extracted with EA, and then washed 3 times with brine, dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , and concentrated in vacuo. The crude product was purified by column chromatography on silica gel ( $\text{PE}/\text{EA} = 10:1$ ) to afford compound **14** (90% yield).



**(1-((2-allylphenyl)ethynyl)naphthalen-2-yl)methanol (14)**

Pale yellow solid. ( $R_f = 0.4$ ,  $\text{PE}/\text{EA} = 5:1$ )

**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.43 (d,  $J = 8.3\text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 7.82 (d,  $J = 8.5\text{ Hz}$ , 2H), 7.71 – 7.44 (m, 4H), 7.36 – 7.19 (m, 3H), 6.18 – 6.02 (m, 1H), 5.26 – 4.96 (m, 4H), 3.73 (d,  $J = 6.3\text{ Hz}$ , 2H), 2.28 (s, 1H).

**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  141.59, 141.19, 136.44, 133.27, 132.54, 132.48, 129.12, 128.90, 128.80, 128.18, 126.97, 126.27, 126.14, 125.11, 122.69, 118.40, 116.28, 98.30, 88.55, 64.32, 38.82.

**HRMS (ESI)**  $m/z$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{17}\text{O}[\text{M} - \text{H}]^+$ : 297.1285, Found: 297.1279.

## 2) Density Functional Theory (DFT) Experiments

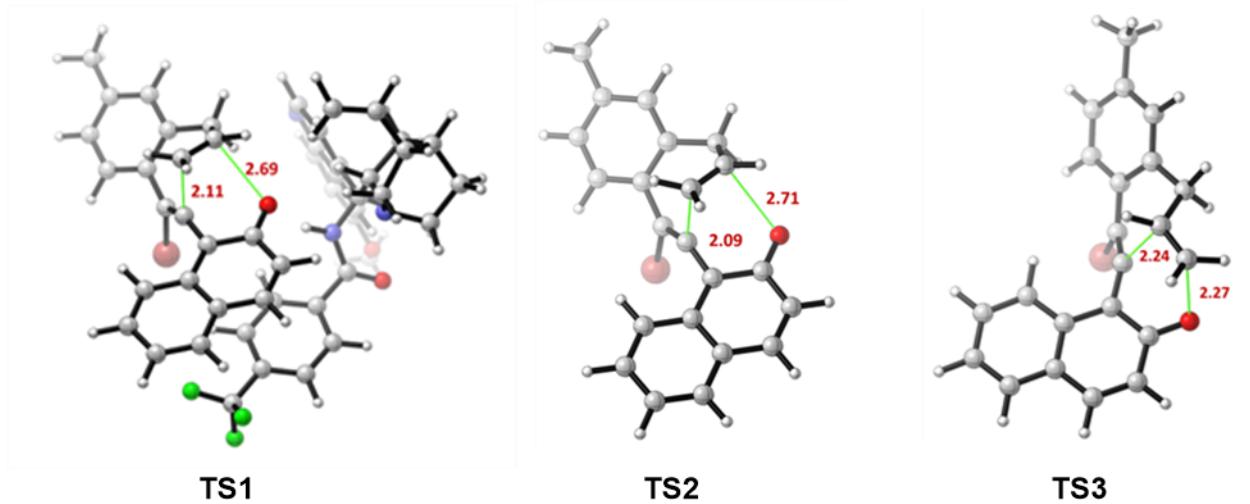
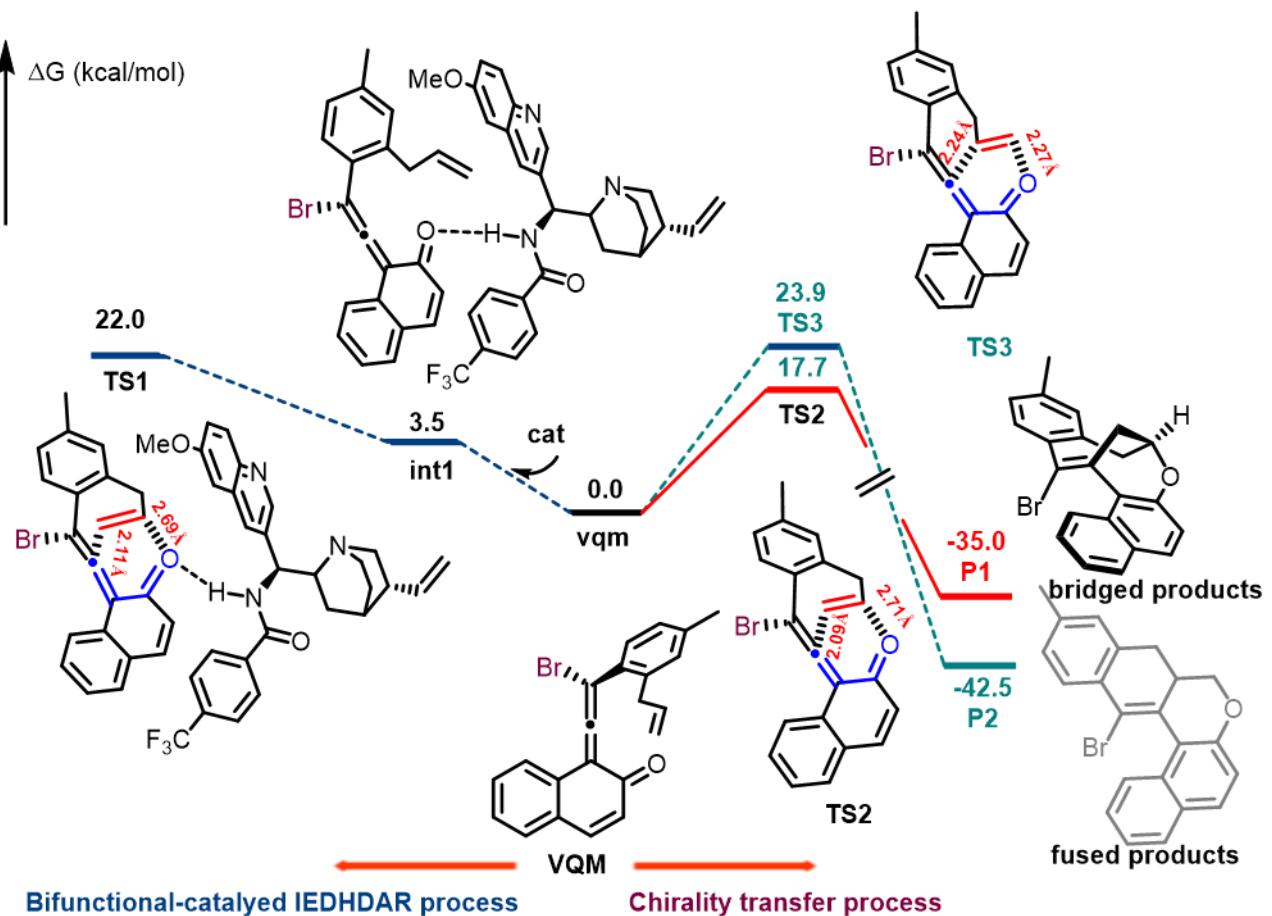
### Computational Methods.

All density functional theory (DFT) calculations were performed with the Gaussian 09<sup>1</sup> software package. Geometries were optimized in toluene with the SMD solvation model<sup>2</sup> using the B3-LYP-D3<sup>3</sup> functional and a basis set of 6-31G(d)<sup>4</sup>. Vibrational frequencies were computed at the same level to evaluate its zero-point vibrational energy and thermal corrections at 298 K, and to check whether each optimized structure is a transition state or not. The single-point energies and solvent effects in ethylethanoate were computed at the M06-2X level of theory with the 6-311+G(d,p)<sup>5</sup> basis set, using the solvent-phase optimized structures. Intrinsic reaction coordinate (IRC) calculations have demonstrated that the transition state connects two corresponding intermediates along the reaction coordinate.

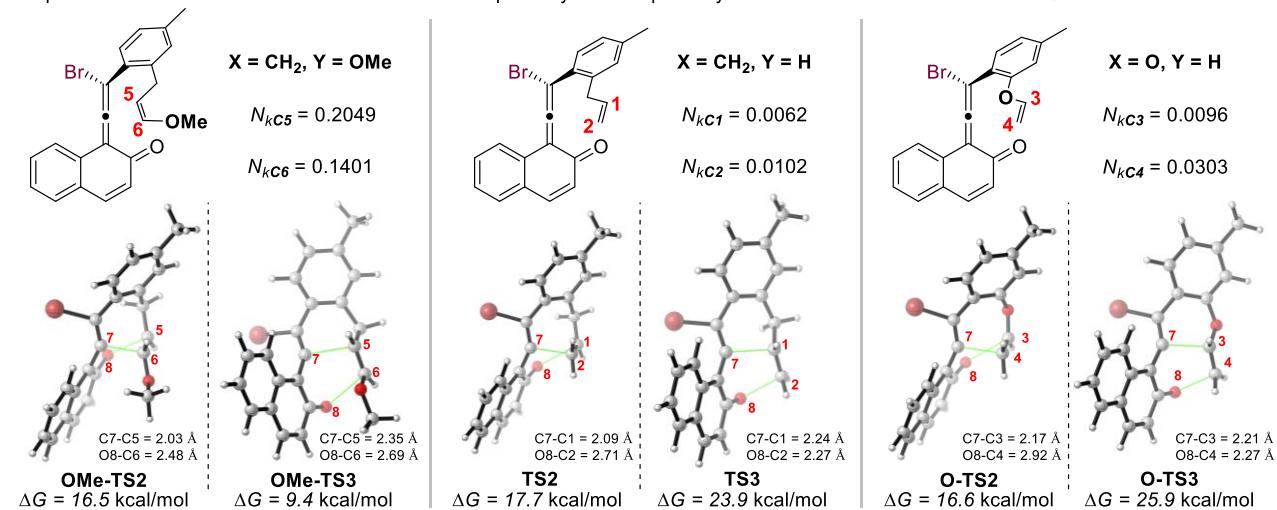
### B3-LYP-D3 and M06-2X calculated absolute energies, and free energies of all structures

Geometry	$E_{(\text{elec-B3-LYP-D3})}$ <sup>1</sup>	$G_{(\text{corr-B3-LYP-D3})}$ <sup>2</sup>	$H_{(\text{corr-B3-LYP-D3})}$ <sup>3</sup>	$E_{(\text{solv-M06-2X})}$ <sup>4</sup>	IF <sup>5</sup>
VQM	-3495.19	0.2686	0.3444	-3497.78	
TS1	-5193.34	0.7559	0.8985	-5195.68	-326.12 <i>i</i>
TS2	-3495.17	0.2717	0.3429	-3497.75	-382.09 <i>i</i>
TS3	-3495.17	0.2733	0.3431	-3497.74	-388.57 <i>i</i>
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<sup>1</sup>The electronic energy calculated by B3-LYP-D3 in ethylethanoate solvent. <sup>2</sup>The thermal correction to Gibbs free energy calculated by B3-LYP-D3 in ethylethanoate solvent. <sup>3</sup>The thermal correction to enthalpy calculated by B3-LYP-D3 in ethylethanoate solvent. <sup>4</sup>The electronic energy calculated by M06-2X in ethylethanoate solvent. <sup>5</sup>The B3-LYP-D3 calculated imaginary frequencies for the transition states.



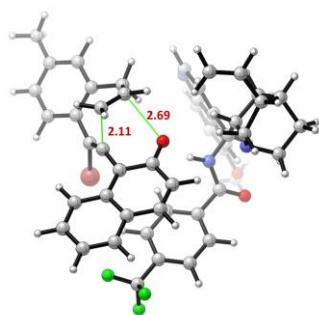
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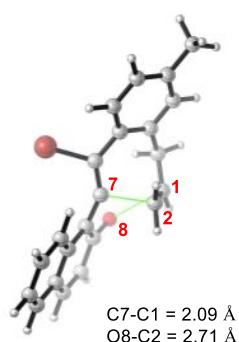


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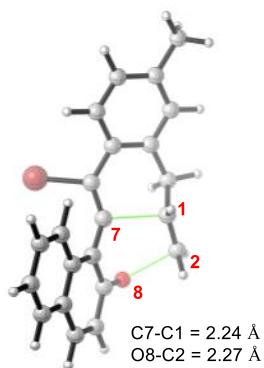
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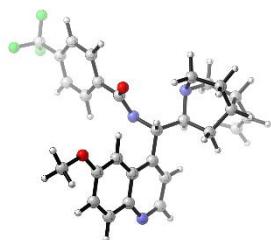
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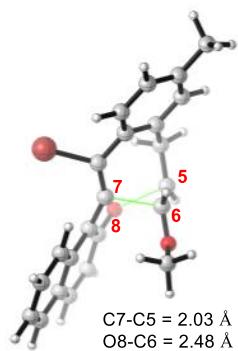


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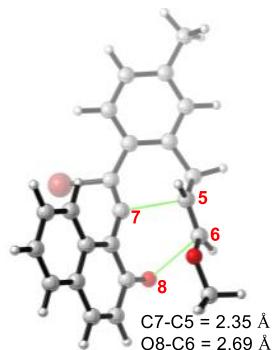
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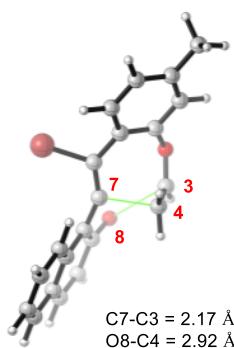
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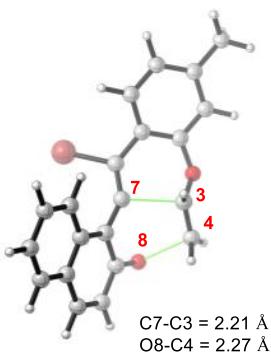
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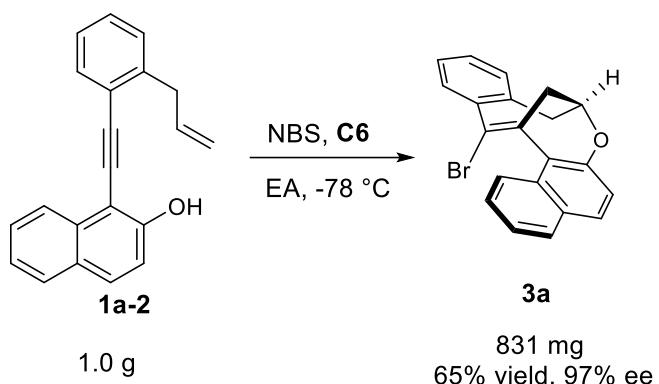


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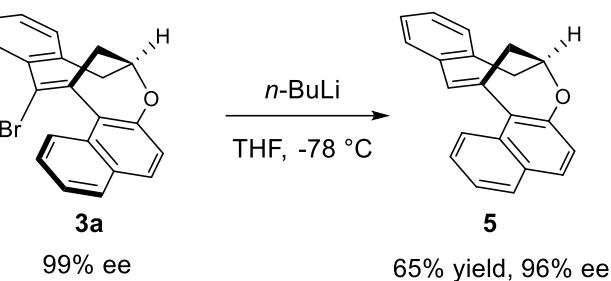
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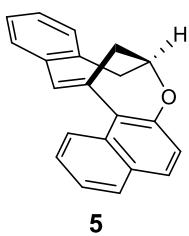
## **IX. Gram-scale preparation and transformations**



A solution of **1a-2** (1.0 g, 3.52 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and **C6** (10 mol%) in EA (0.0125M) was stirred at -78 °C for 30 min, then NBS (660 mg, 3.70 mmol, 1.05 equiv.) was added in 10 portions. After stirring at -78 °C for 12 h, the reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure. The resulting residue was purified by silica gel flash column chromatography using PE/EA eluent (30:1 to 15:1) to afford the product **3a** (831 mg, 65% yield) as a pale yellow solid.



**3a** (73 mg, 0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) was dissolved in freshly distilled THF (2mL) at room temperature under nitrogen atmosphere. The solution was cooled to -78 °C. Titrated *n*-BuLi (0.25 mmol, 1.25 equiv.) was added dropwise. After stirred for 30 min at -78°C, the reaction was allowed to warm to room temperature. Solvent was removed under reduced pressure. The product was then dried under vacuum and flash chromatography on a silica column (PE: EA = 20:1) to afforded compound **5** as a yellow oil in 65% yield.



### **8,9-dihydro-8,15-methanobenzo[f]naphtho[2,1-b]oxonine(5)**

Yellow oil. ( $R_f = 0.6$ , PE/EA = 20:1)

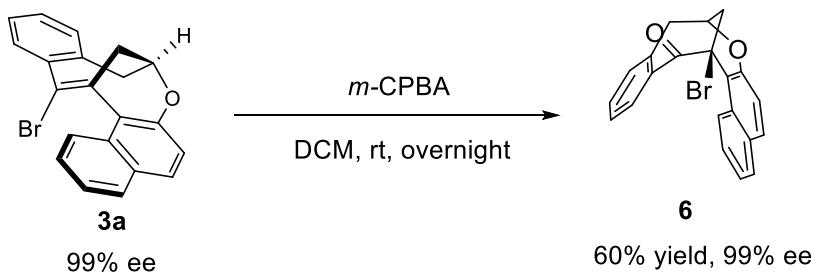
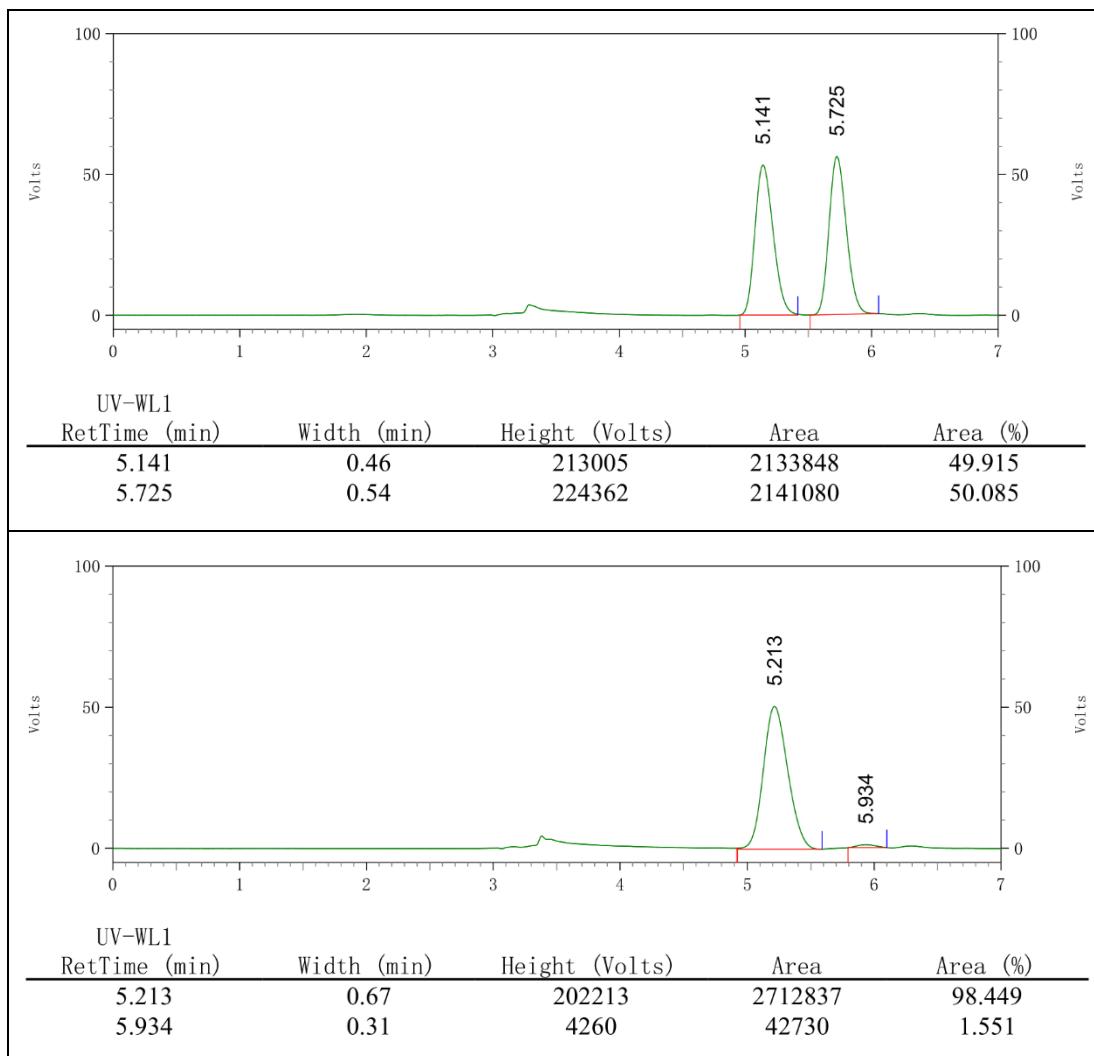
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.19 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.79 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.64 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.52 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 7.39 – 7.33 (m, 2H), 7.31 (t, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 1H), 7.20 – 7.16 (m, 2H), 7.09 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 6.76 (s, 1H), 5.54 – 5.40 (m, 1H), 3.18 (dd, *J* = 14.2, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 3.10 (dd, *J* = 14.1, 8.3 Hz, 1H), 2.97 (d, *J* = 11.5 Hz, 1H), 2.47 (d, *J* = 11.6 Hz, 1H).

**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 151.28, 139.53, 137.72, 137.49, 129.81, 129.63, 128.63, 128.28, 128.20, 127.82, 127.33, 127.26, 126.44, 125.69, 123.68, 123.43, 121.86, 118.41, 85.99, 40.97, 32.66.

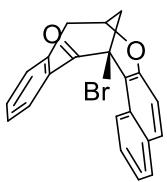
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**Optical Rotation:**  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -126.4^\circ$  ( $c = 0.5$ , acetone).

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel AD-H (Hexane/*i*-PrOH = 98:2, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm),  $t_R$  = 5.213 min (major),  $t_R$  = 5.934 min (minor), 96% ee.



**3a** (73 mg, 0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and *m*-CPBA (138 mg, 0.8 mmol, 4 equiv.) was dissolved in DCM (4 mL). The mixture was stirred overnight at room temperature. Removal of solvent under reduced pressure, purified by flash chromatography on silica gel (PE/EA = 5:1) to afford the product **6** (45.5 mg, 0.12 mmol, 60% yield) as a white solid.



**6**

White solid. ( $R_f = 0.4$ , PE/EA = 5:1)

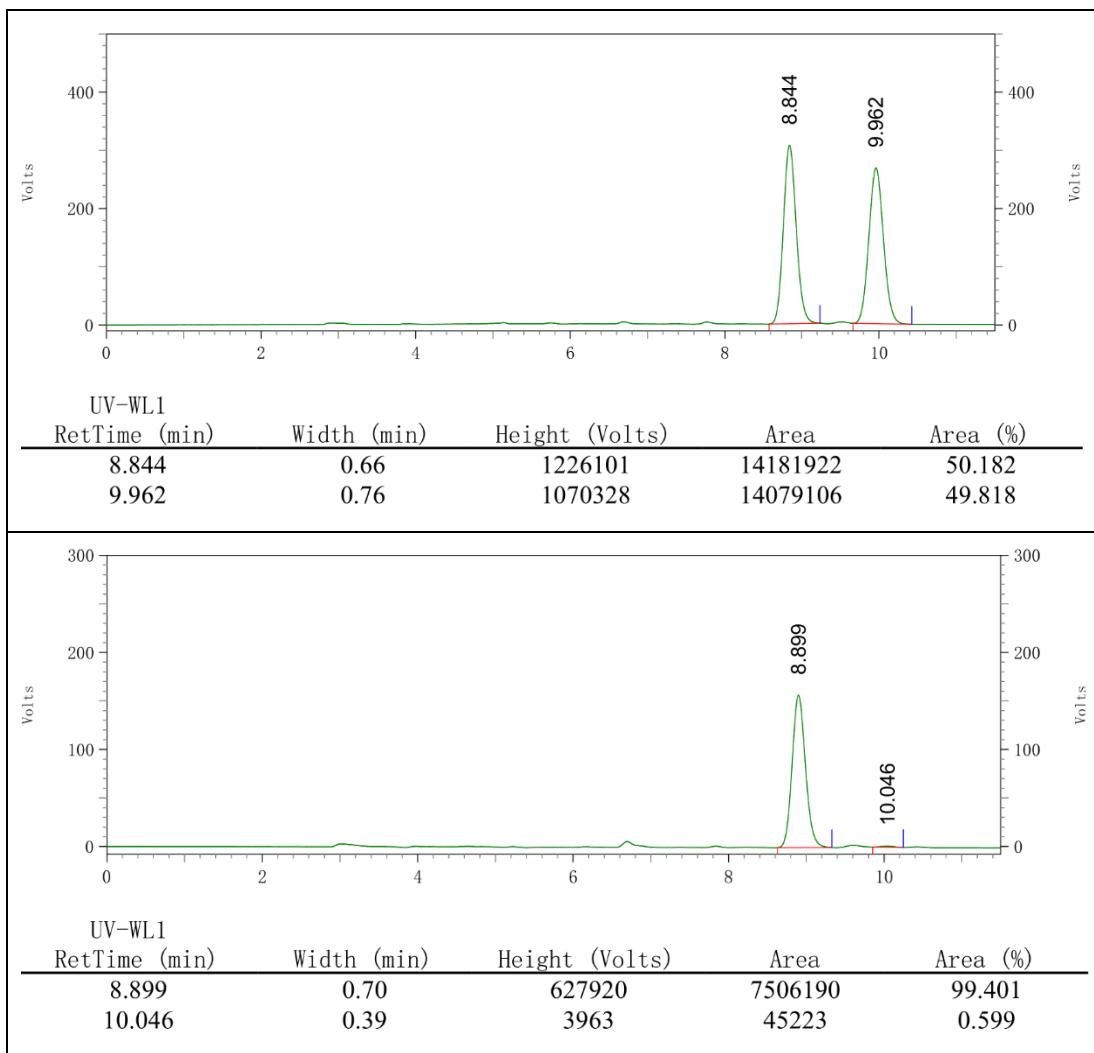
**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.16 (d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.60 (dd,  $J = 8.0, 1.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.55 (d,  $J = 9.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.52 – 7.47 (m, 1H), 7.32 – 7.27 (m, 1H), 7.21 (dd,  $J = 7.6, 1.5$  Hz, 1H), 7.07 (td,  $J = 7.5, 1.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.00 (d,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1H), 6.95 – 6.84 (m, 2H), 4.87 – 4.81 (m, 1H), 3.65 – 3.57 (m, 1H), 3.36 – 3.29 (m, 1H), 3.27 – 3.18 (m, 2H).

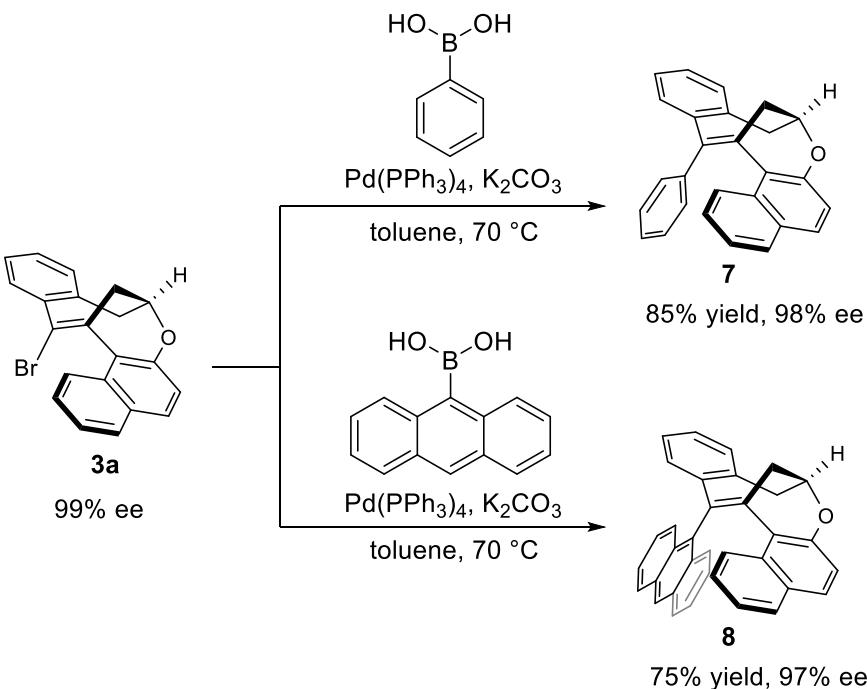
**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (101 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  199.59, 151.79, 136.97, 132.59, 131.99, 131.58, 131.10, 130.05, 129.37, 128.81, 128.41, 126.90, 126.03, 125.29, 123.72, 118.84, 114.02, 71.42, 65.39, 43.45, 40.98.

**HRMS (ESI)  $m/z$**  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{15}\text{BrNaO}_2^+[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ : 401.0148, Found: 401.0148.

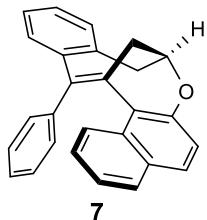
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**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel AD-H (Hexane/i-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm),  $t_R = 8.899$  min (major),  $t_R = 10.046$  min (minor), 99% ee.





$\text{Pd}(\text{PPh}_3)_4$  (12 mg, 0.01 mmol, 0.05 equiv.),  $\text{K}_2\text{CO}_3$  (138 mg, 1 mmol, 5.0 equiv.), **3a** (73 mg, 0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and the boronic acid (0.24 mmol, 1.2 equiv.) was dissolved in THF (2 mL) and  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (0.5 mL) under nitrogen atmosphere. The mixture was stirred for 4 hours at 70 °C. Then the mixture was filtered through a pad of celite and washed with EA. Removal of solvent under reduced pressure, purified by flash chromatography on silica gel (PE/EA = 20:1) to afford the product.



**(S)-14-phenyl-8,9-dihydro-8,15-methanobenzo[f]naphtho[2,1-b]oxonine(7)**

White solid. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE/EA = 15:1)

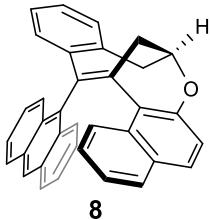
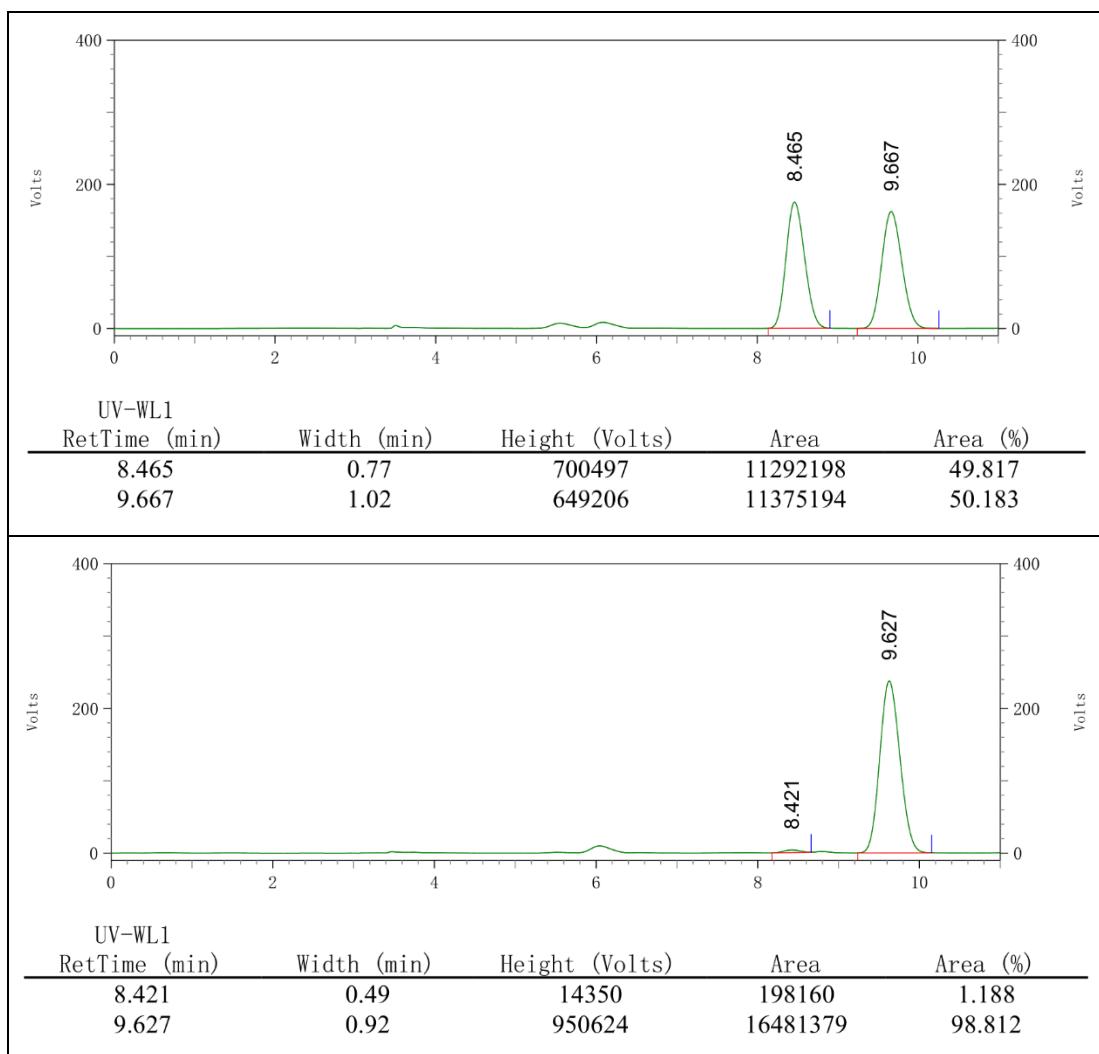
**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.69 – 7.54 (m, 3H), 7.51 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.29 (t,  $J = 7.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.22 – 7.13 (m, 4H), 7.09 (t,  $J = 10.2$  Hz, 2H), 7.05 – 6.90 (m, 4H), 5.51 – 5.42 (m, 1H), 3.38 (dd,  $J = 14.4, 6.3$  Hz, 1H), 3.25 (dd,  $J = 14.4, 8.1$  Hz, 1H), 2.94 (d,  $J = 11.9$  Hz, 1H), 2.49 (d,  $J = 11.5$  Hz, 1H).

**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  152.19, 142.50, 141.10, 136.68, 134.75, 132.04, 129.55, 128.85, 128.76, 128.41, 128.13, 127.99, 127.79, 127.48, 127.29, 126.49, 125.41, 125.08, 122.86, 121.23, 118.11, 84.83, 41.53, 34.27.

**HRMS (ESI)**  $m/z$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{21}\text{O}^+[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ : 361.1587, Found: 361.1595.

**Optical Rotation:**  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -176.6^\circ$  ( $c = 0.5$ , acetone).

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel AD-H (Hexane/*i*-PrOH = 98:2, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm),  $t_R = 8.421$  min (minor),  $t_R = 9.627$  min (major), 98% ee.



**(S)-14-(anthracen-9-yl)-8,9-dihydro-8,15-methanobenzo[f]naphtho[2,1-b]oxonine(8)**

White solid. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE/EA = 15:1)

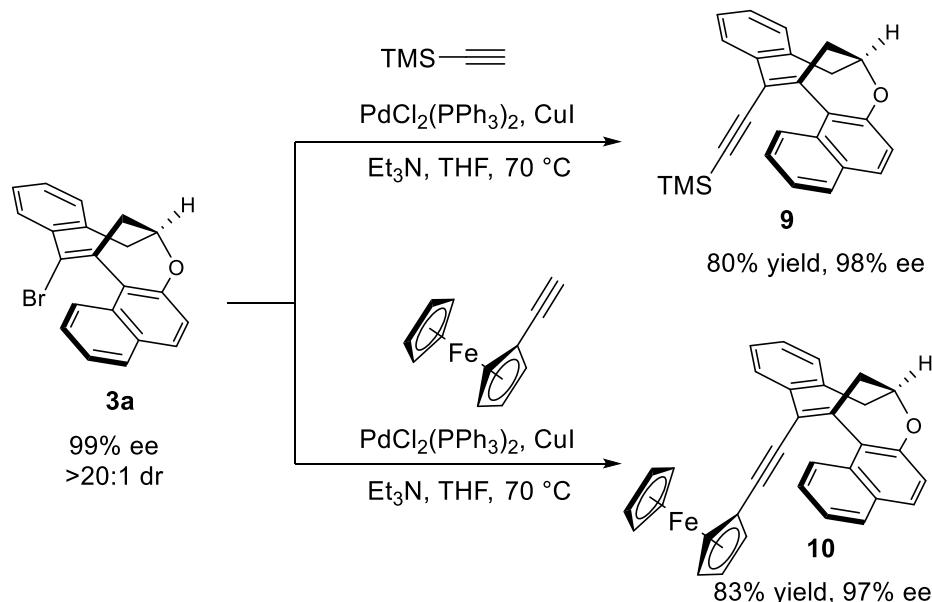
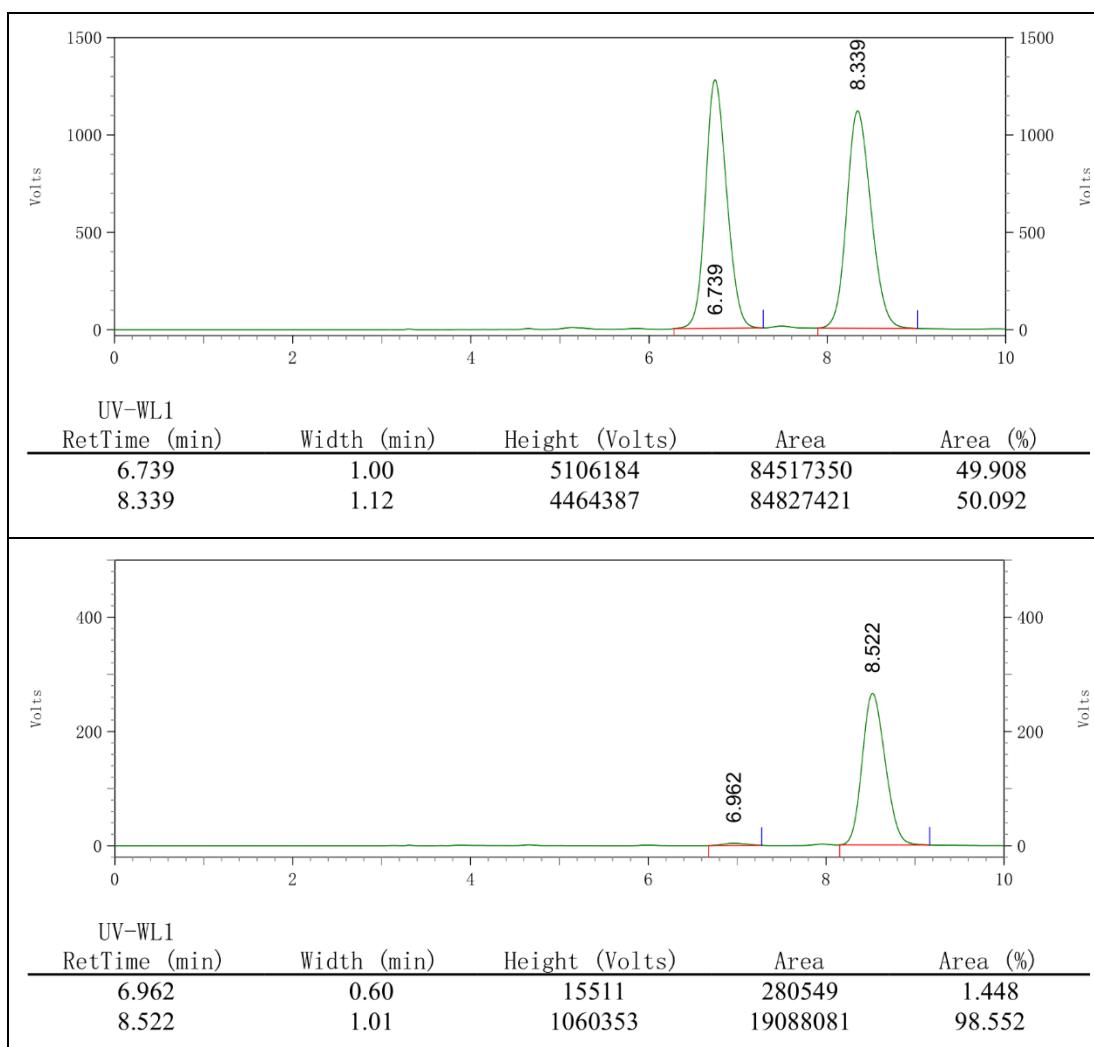
**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.88 (d,  $J = 8.7$  Hz, 1H), 8.19 (s, 1H), 8.01 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz, 1H), 7.79 – 7.71 (m, 1H), 7.70 – 7.49 (m, 3H), 7.42 – 7.29 (m, 2H), 7.23 (t, 2H), 7.19 – 6.88 (m, 6H), 6.71 (t,  $J = 7.4$  Hz, 1H), 6.20 (t,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 5.80 – 5.70 (m, 1H), 3.96 (dd,  $J = 15.8, 4.8$  Hz, 1H), 3.61 (dd,  $J = 15.9, 8.9$  Hz, 1H), 3.45 (d,  $J = 11.3$  Hz, 1H), 2.81 (dd,  $J = 11.5, 4.6$  Hz, 1H).

**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  152.40, 141.76, 138.16, 136.31, 135.94, 134.02, 131.72, 131.62, 131.27, 130.64, 129.85, 128.89, 128.80, 128.67, 128.24, 128.13, 127.82, 127.52, 127.10, 126.88, 126.68, 126.00, 125.70, 125.35, 125.01, 124.79, 124.65, 124.00, 123.66, 122.50, 117.82, 86.68, 44.06, 35.39.

**HRMS (ESI)  $m/z$**  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{35}\text{H}_{24}\text{NaO}^+$  [M + Na] $^+$ : 483.1719, Found: 483.1743.

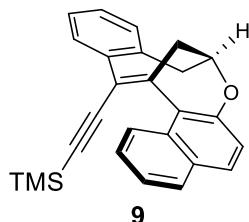
**Optical Rotation:**  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -307.3^\circ$  ( $c = 0.3$ , DCM).

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel IA-H (Hexane/*i*-PrOH = 98:2, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm),  $t_R$  = 6.962 min (minor),  $t_R$  = 8.522 min (major), 97% ee.



$\text{PdCl}_2(\text{PPh}_3)_2$  (7 mg, 0.01 mmol, 0.05 equiv.), CuI (4 mg, 0.02 mmol, 0.1 equiv.), and **3a** (73 mg, 0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) were weighed and added into a schlenk tube, evacuated and backfilled with nitrogen (3 times). THF (1.0 mL) and  $\text{Et}_3\text{N}$

(1.0 mL) were injected into the flask. Then, the mixture was stirred for 2 h at 70 °C. After that, the alkyne (0.22 mmol, 1.1 equiv.) dissolved in THF (1.0 mL) was added. The resulting mixture kept stirring for 4 h at 70 °C. Then the mixture was filtered through a pad of celite. Removal of the solvent under reduced pressure afforded a residue which is purified by chromatography on silica gel (PE/EA = 20:1) to afford the product.



**(*S*)-((8,9-dihydro-8,15-methanobenzo[f]naphtho[2,1-b]oxonin-14-yl)ethynyl)trimethylsilane (9)**

Yellow solid. ( $R_f$  = 0.6, PE/EA = 15:1)

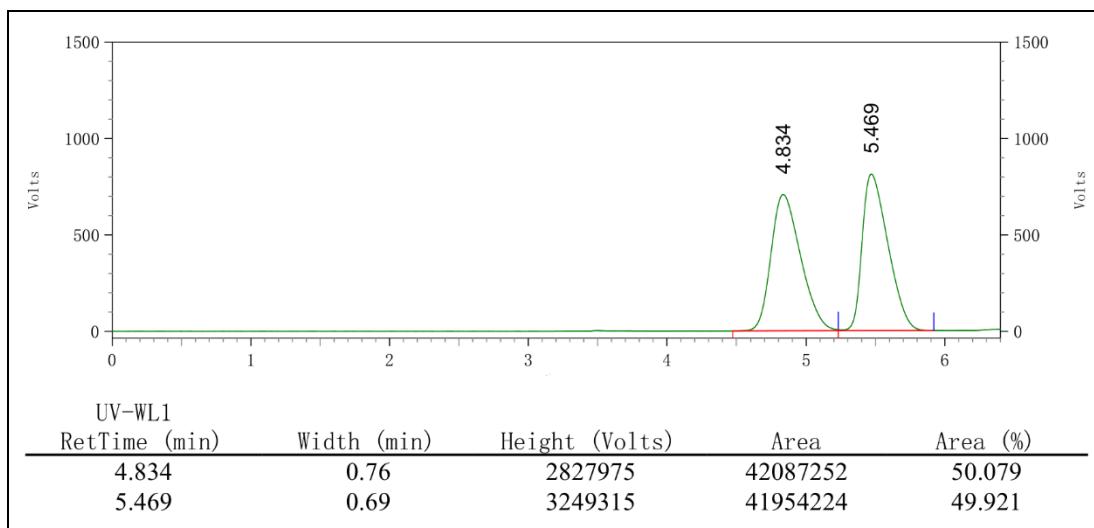
**<sup>1</sup>H NMR** (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 8.11 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.76 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 7.70 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 1H), 7.59 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.48 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.42 – 7.31 (m, 2H), 7.27 – 7.22 (m, 1H), 7.17 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.09 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 1H), 5.45 – 5.37 (m, 1H), 3.23 (dd, *J* = 14.6, 6.5 Hz, 1H), 3.15 (dd, *J* = 14.5, 8.3 Hz, 1H), 2.87 (d, *J* = 11.8 Hz, 1H), 2.57 (dd, *J* = 11.9, 3.7 Hz, 1H), -0.13 (s, 9H).

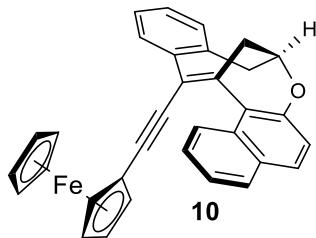
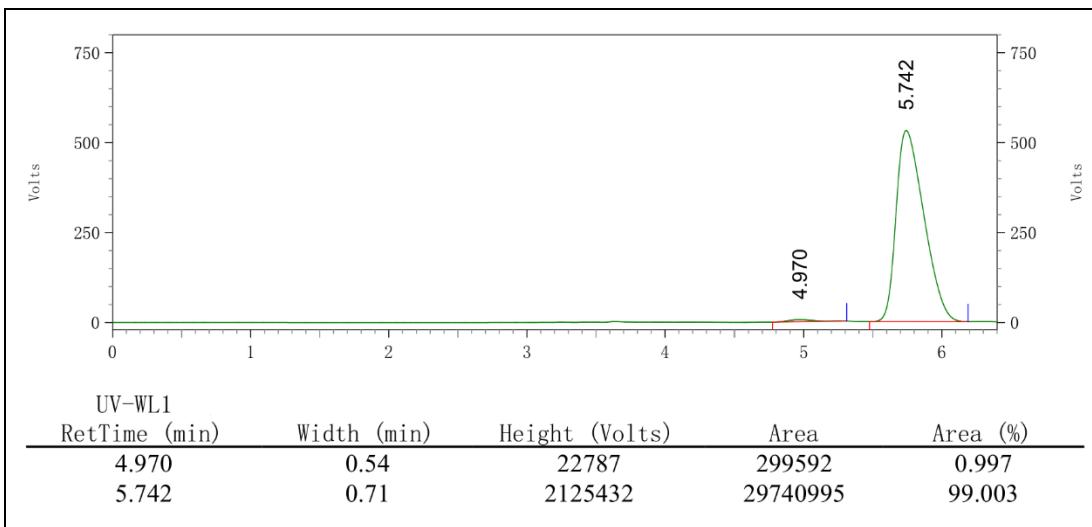
**<sup>13</sup>C NMR** (150 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 151.80, 142.24, 140.16, 137.00, 129.40, 129.36, 129.00, 128.93, 128.41, 128.03, 127.66, 127.60, 127.28, 125.26, 123.27, 122.10, 118.37, 117.97, 103.93, 100.57, 84.67, 40.46, 34.10, -0.37.

**HRMS (ESI) *m/z*** Calcd for C<sub>26</sub>H<sub>25</sub>OSi<sup>+</sup>[M + H]<sup>+</sup>: 381.1669, Found: 381.1676.

**Optical Rotation:**  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -146.0^\circ$  (*c* = 1.0, acetone).

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel IB-H (Hexane/i-PrOH = 98:2, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm), *t*<sub>R</sub> = 4.970 min (minor), *t*<sub>R</sub> = 5.742 min (major), 98% ee.





**(*S*)-((8,9-dihydro-8,15-methanobenzo[f]naphtho[2,1-b]oxonin-14-yl)ethynyl)ferrocene (10)**

Red solid. ( $R_f = 0.6$ , PE/EA = 15:1)

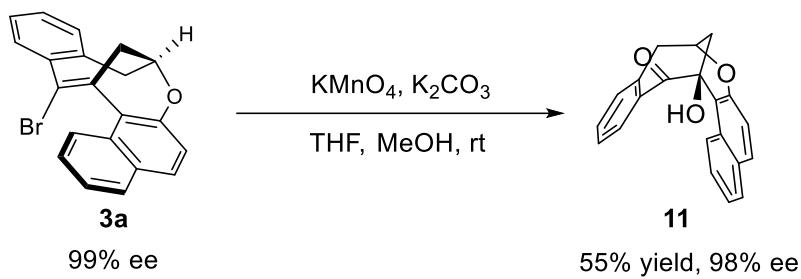
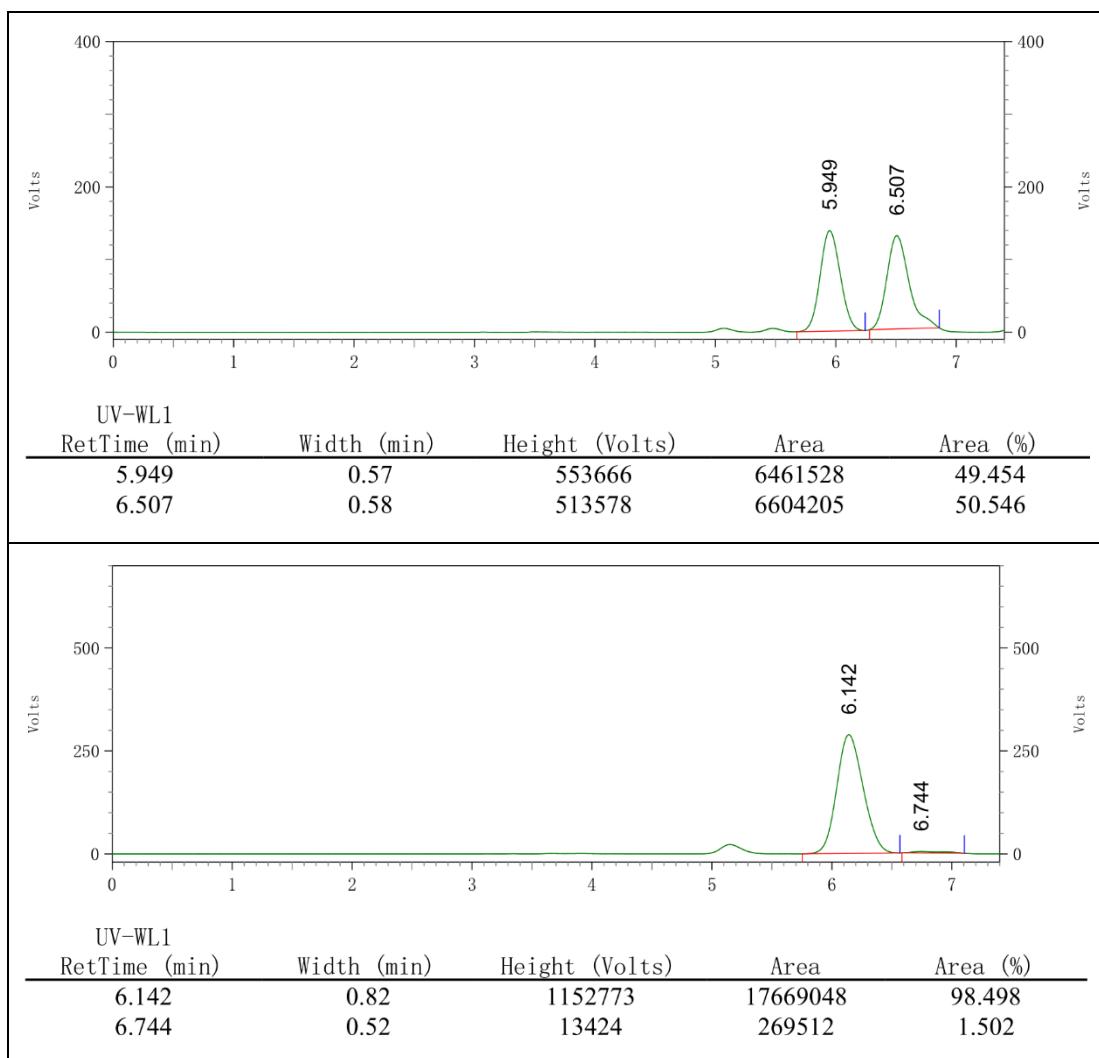
**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.25 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.84 (d,  $J = 8.1$  Hz, 1H), 7.70 (d,  $J = 8.9$  Hz, 1H), 7.64 (t,  $J = 7.6$  Hz, 1H), 7.59 (d,  $J = 7.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.46 (t,  $J = 7.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.38 (t,  $J = 7.4$  Hz, 1H), 7.29 – 7.23 (m, 1H), 7.20 (d,  $J = 7.3$  Hz, 1H), 7.11 (d,  $J = 8.9$  Hz, 1H), 5.46 – 5.39 (m, 1H), 4.06 – 3.99 (m, 4H), 3.70 (s, 5H), 3.30 – 3.15 (m, 2H), 2.90 (d,  $J = 13.1$  Hz, 1H), 2.57 (dd,  $J = 11.8, 3.7$  Hz, 1H).

**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  151.55, 140.41, 139.10, 136.97, 129.48, 129.40, 129.23, 128.81, 128.56, 128.01, 127.87, 127.66, 127.27, 125.29, 123.38, 122.37, 118.95, 118.31, 94.17, 85.50, 84.77, 71.61, 70.71, 69.91, 68.70, 40.53, 33.81.

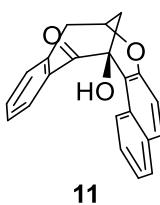
**HRMS (ESI)**  $m/z$  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{33}\text{H}_{24}\text{FeNaO}^+$  [M + Na] $^+$ : 515.1069, Found: 515.1085.

**Optical Rotation:**  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -171.0^\circ$  ( $c = 0.2$ , acetone).

**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel IA-H (Hexane/*i*-PrOH = 98:2, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm),  $t_R = 6.142$  min (major),  $t_R = 6.744$  min (minor), 97% ee.



**3a** (73 mg, 0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.)  $\text{KMnO}_4$  (126 mg, 0.8 mmol, 4 equiv.) and  $\text{K}_2\text{CO}_3$  (110 mg, 0.8 mmol, 4 equiv.) was dissolved in THF (2 mL) and MeOH (2 mL). The mixture was stirred overnight at room temperature. Removal of solvent under reduced pressure, purified by flash chromatography on silica gel (PE/EA = 5:1) to afford the product **11** (34.8 mg, 0.11 mmol, 55% yield) as a white solid.



**(15S)-15-hydroxy-8,9-dihydro-8,15-methanobenzo[f]naphtho[2,1-b]oxonin-14(15H)-one (11)**

Yellow solid. ( $R_f = 0.5$ , PE/EA = 3:1)

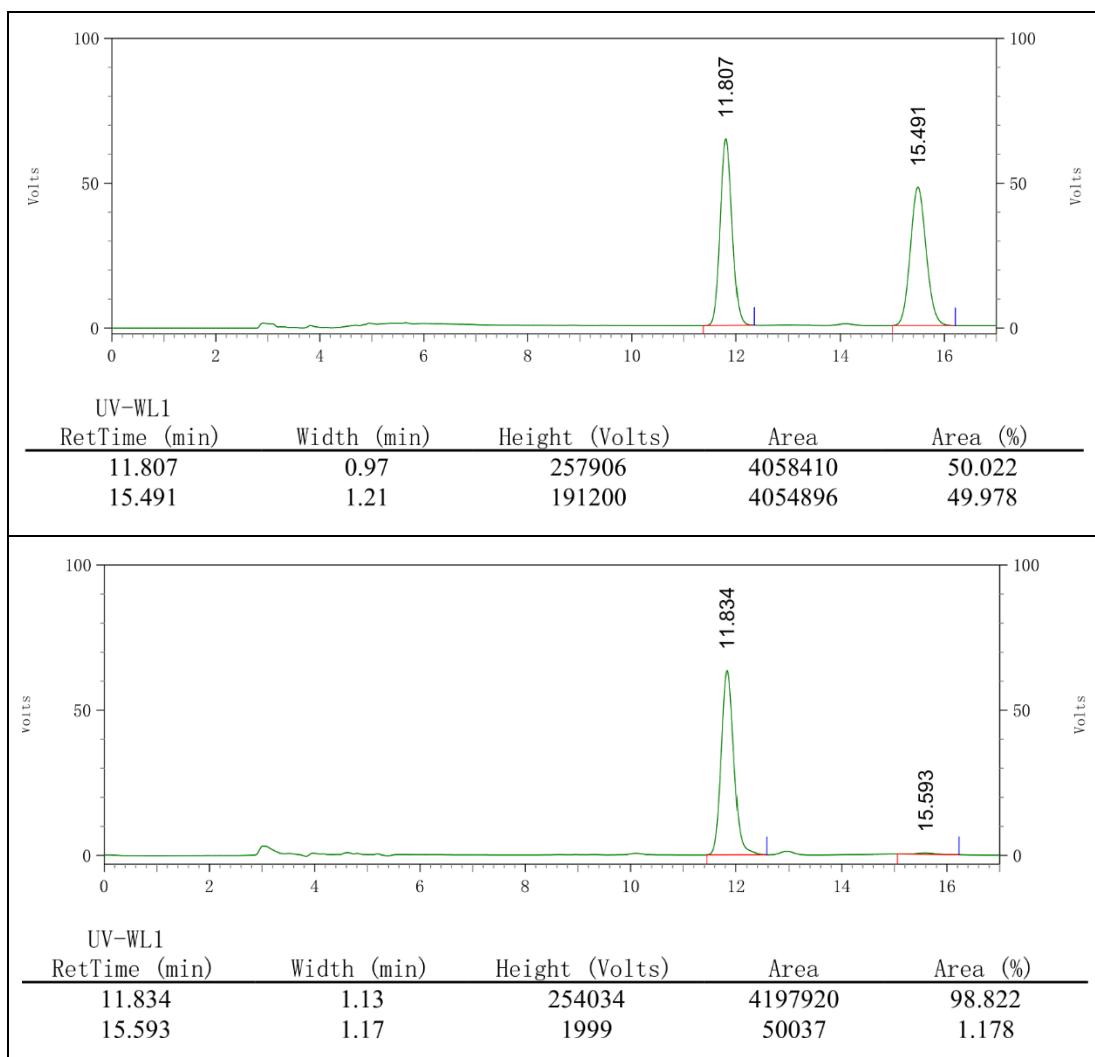
**$^1\text{H NMR}$**  (600 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.86 (d,  $J = 8.7$  Hz, 1H), 7.52 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.43 (d,  $J = 8.9$  Hz, 1H), 7.35 (t,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.18 (t,  $J = 8.5$  Hz, 2H), 7.10 – 6.99 (m, 2H), 6.92 – 6.81 (m, 2H), 4.96 (s, 1H), 4.91 – 4.85 (m, 1H), 3.39 (dd,  $J = 16.2, 5.6$  Hz, 1H), 3.15 (d,  $J = 16.2$  Hz, 1H), 3.04 (dd,  $J = 14.0, 5.7$  Hz, 1H), 2.58 (d,  $J = 14.0$  Hz, 1H).

**$^{13}\text{C NMR}$**  (150 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  206.62, 153.22, 136.41, 133.73, 131.52, 131.14, 130.90, 130.84, 129.14, 128.64, 128.37, 127.00, 126.47, 123.92, 123.01, 118.34, 114.36, 74.51, 71.82, 42.34, 39.75.

**HRMS (ESI)  $m/z$**  Calcd for  $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{16}\text{NaO}_3^+$  [M + Na] $^+$ : 339.0992, Found: 339.0990.

**Optical Rotation:**  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = +44.8^\circ$  ( $c = 0.5$ , acetone).

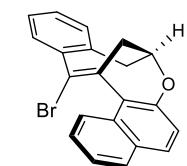
**HPLC analysis:** Chiralcel AD-H (Hexane/*i*-PrOH = 80:20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, wave length = 254 nm),  $t_R = 11.834$  min (major),  $t_R = 15.593$  min (minor), 98% ee.



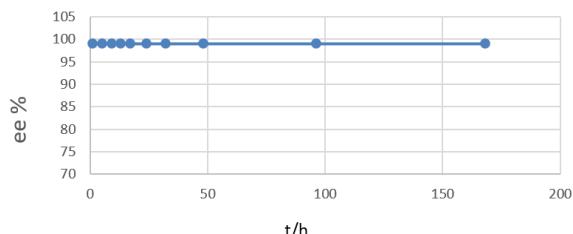
## X. Thermal stability experiments

### Thermal stability of 3a:

A solution of **3a** (5 mg, 99% ee after recrystallization) in DMF (1 mL) was heated at 120 °C. At intervals, the enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC.

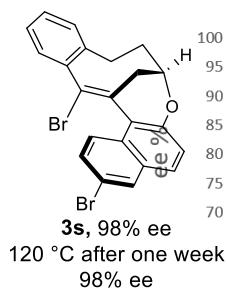


**3a**, 99% ee  
120 °C after one week  
99% ee

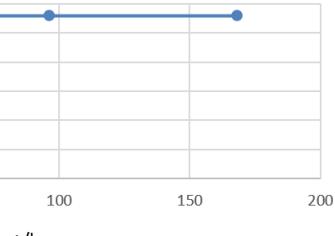


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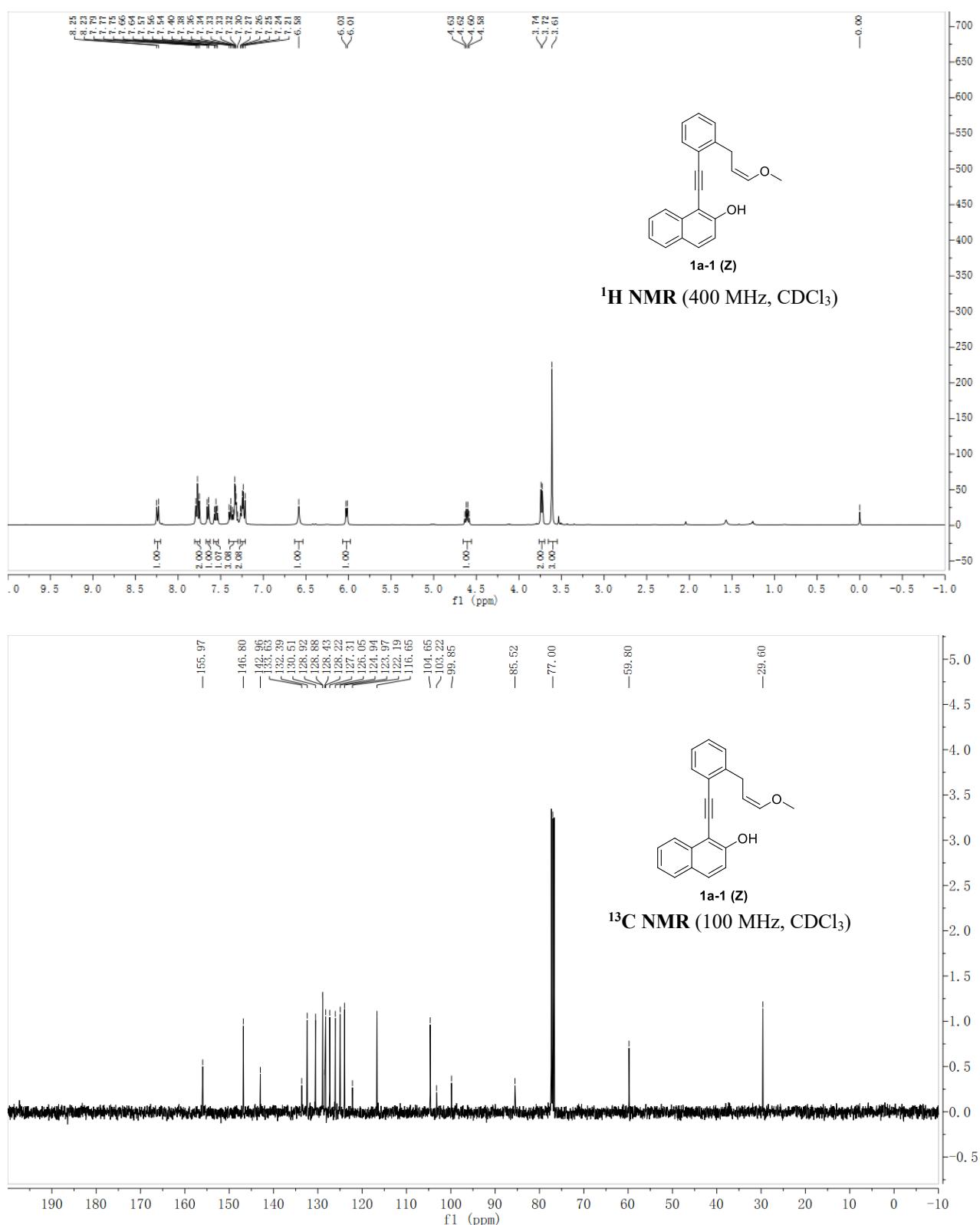
A solution of **3s** (5 mg, 98% ee, after recrystallization) in DMF (1 mL) was heated at 120 °C. At intervals, the enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC.

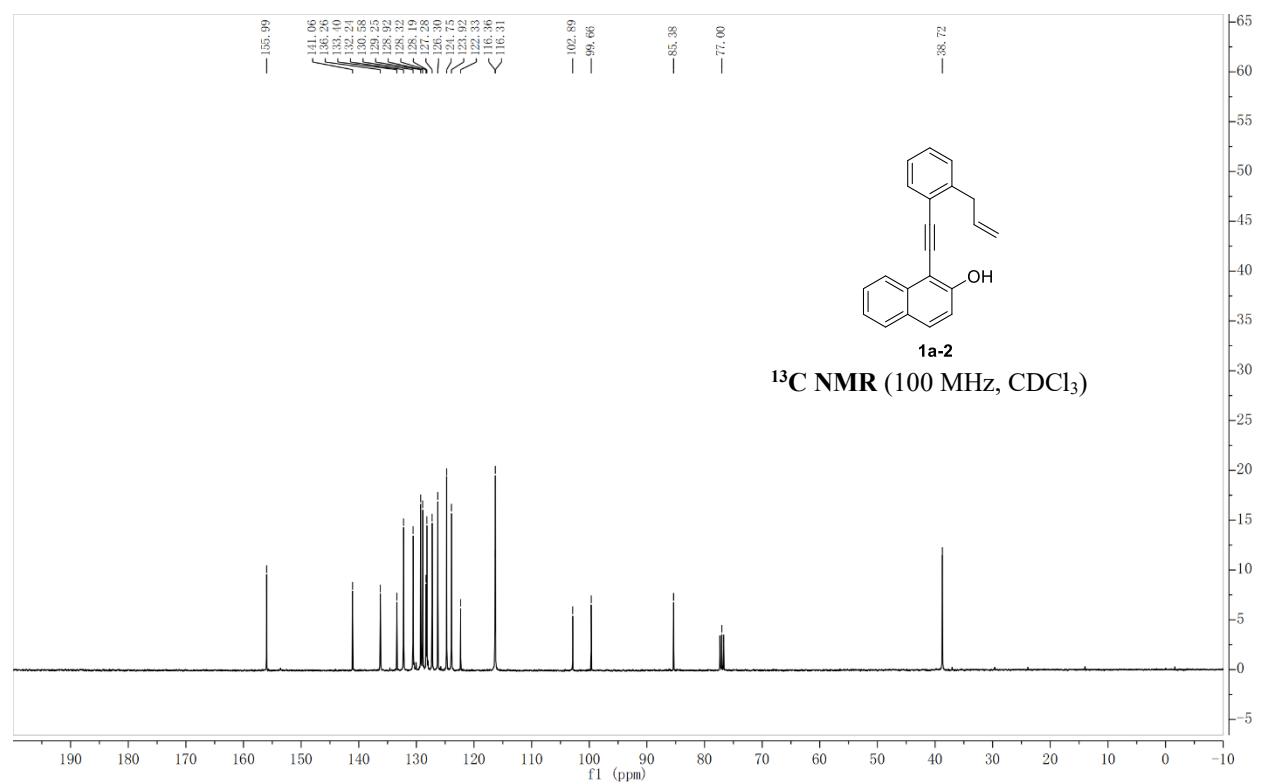
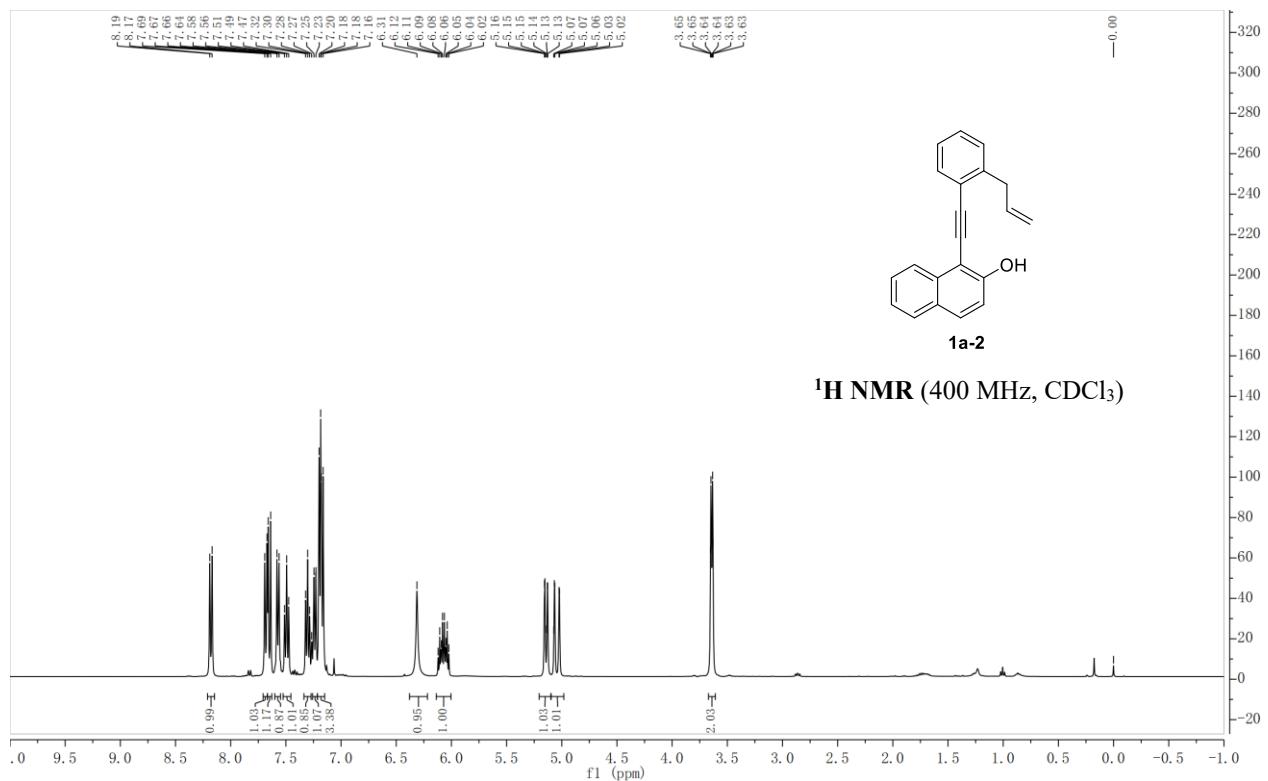


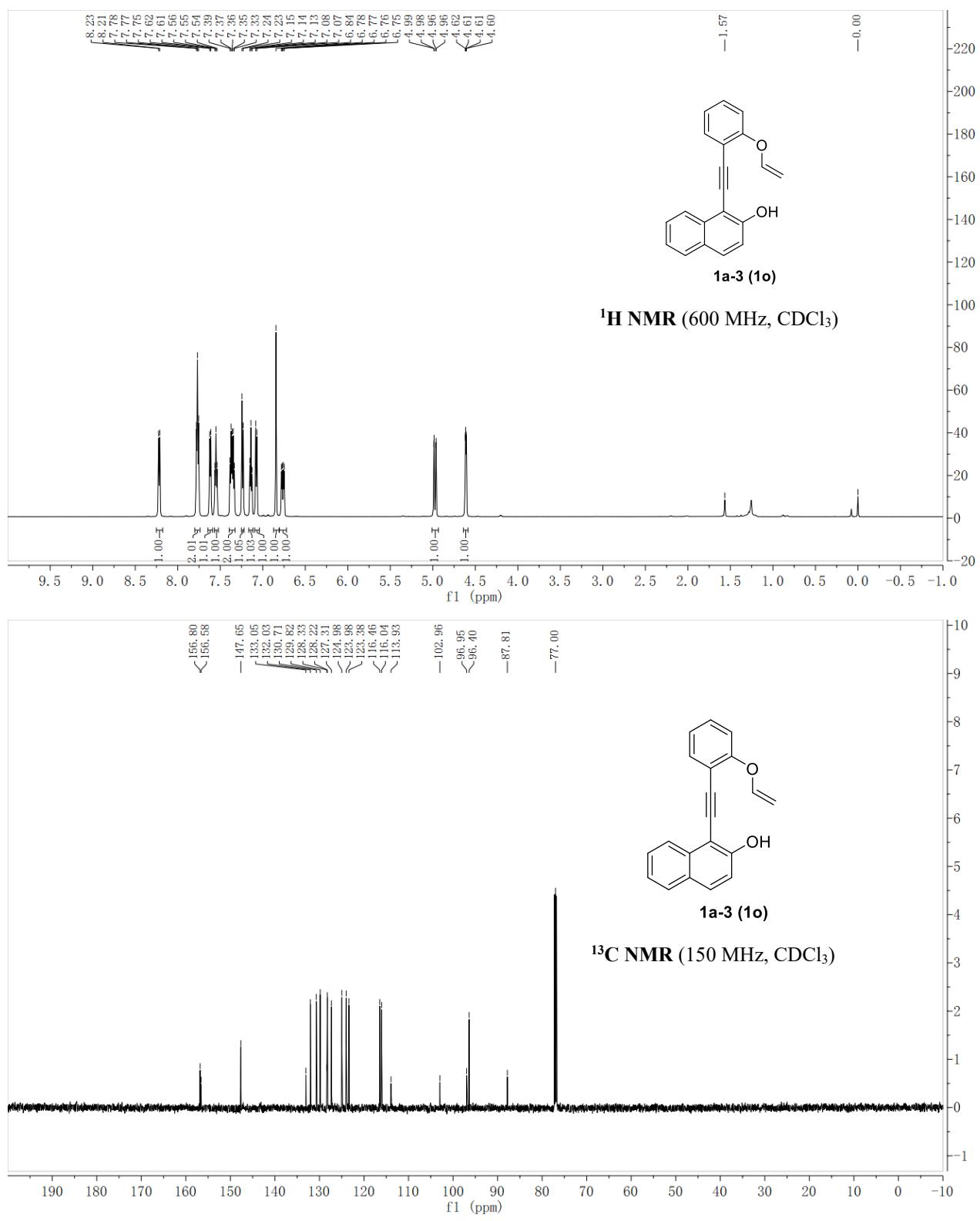
**3s**, 98% ee  
120 °C after one week  
98% ee

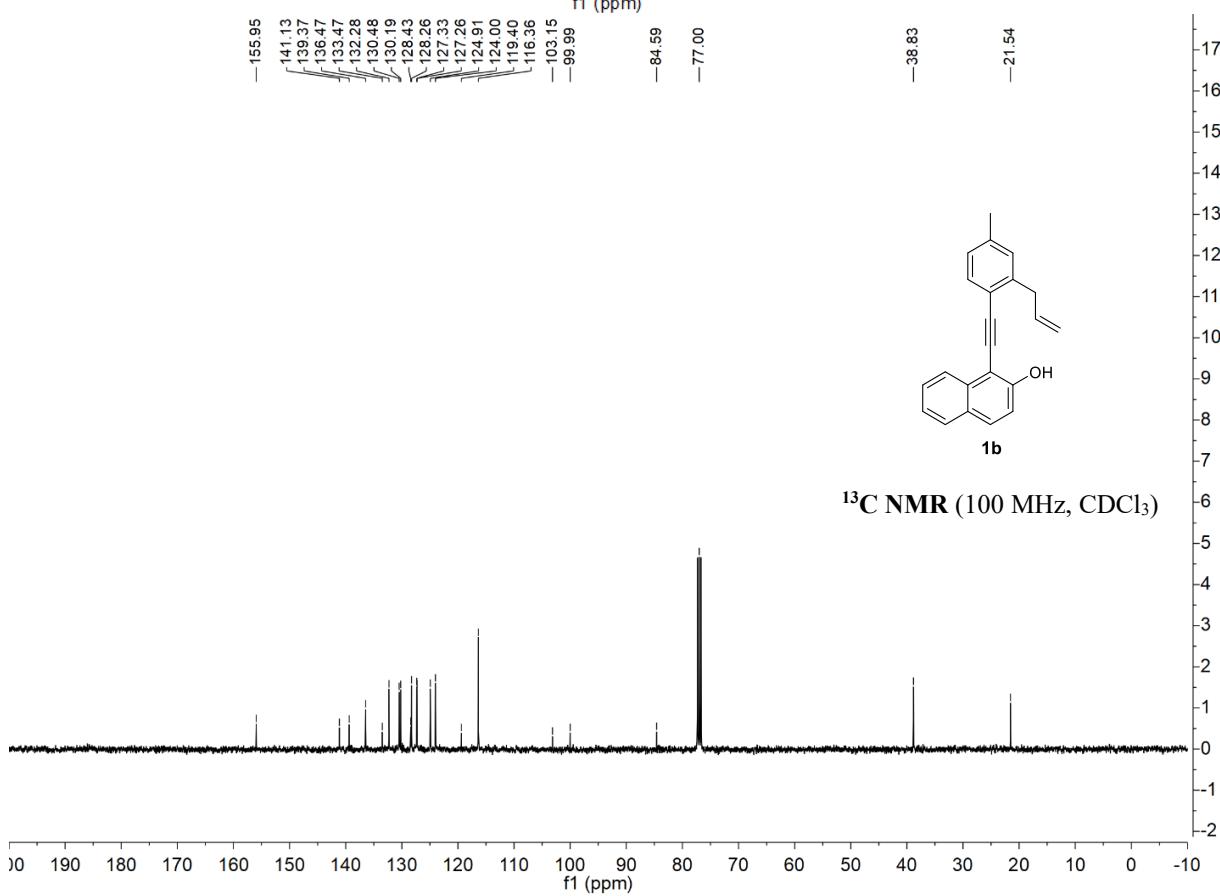
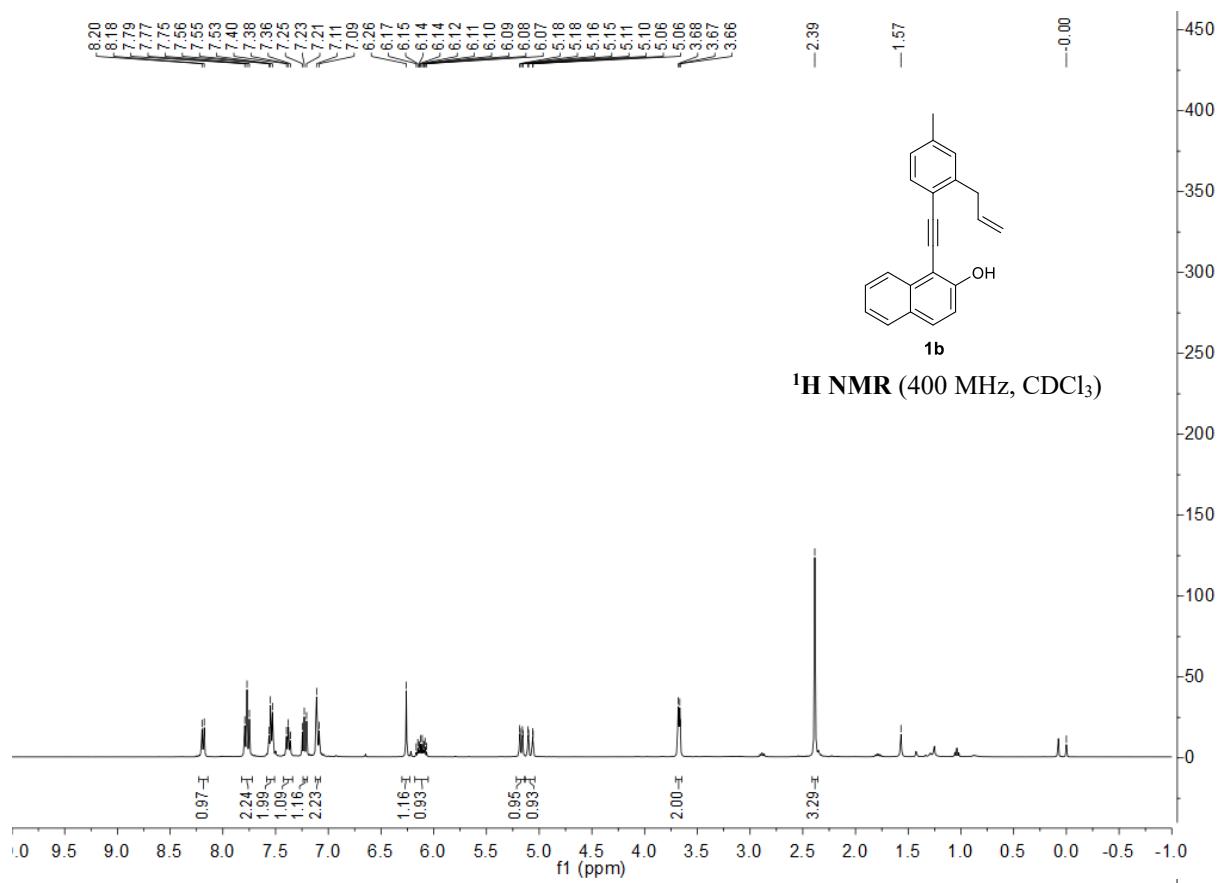


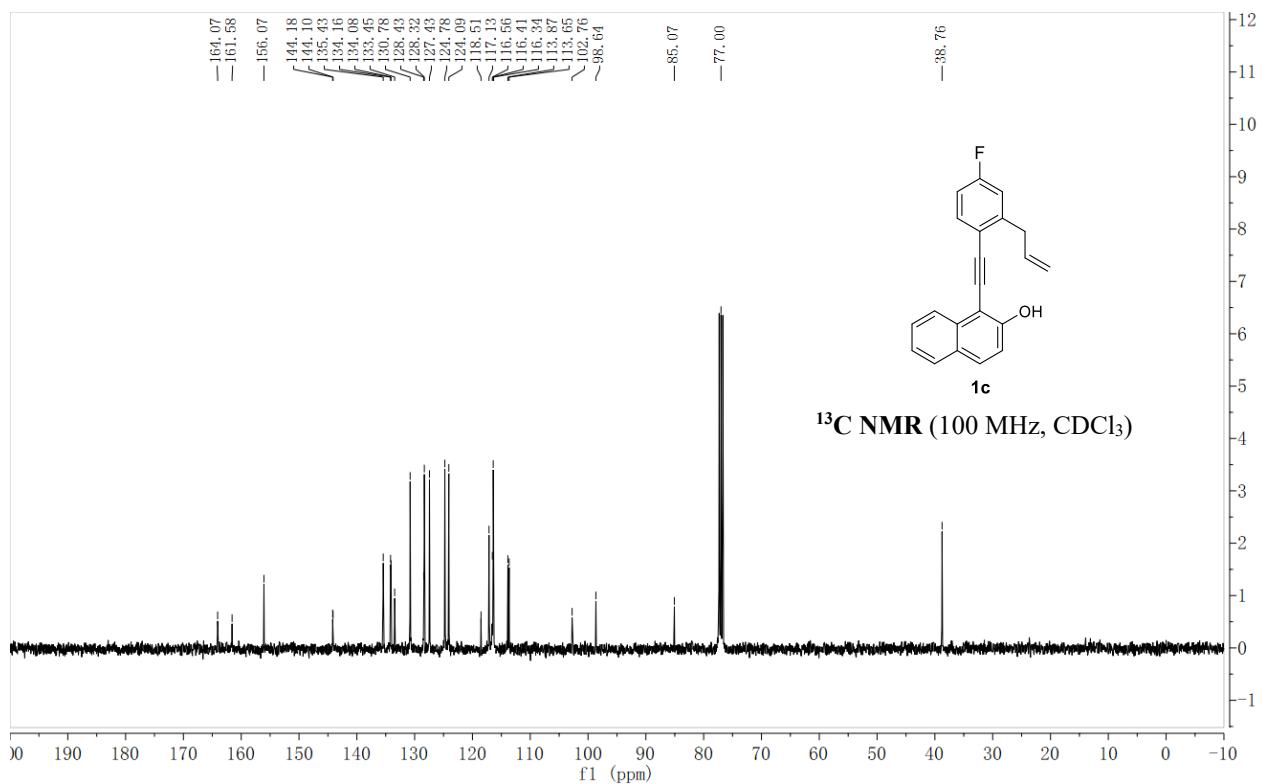
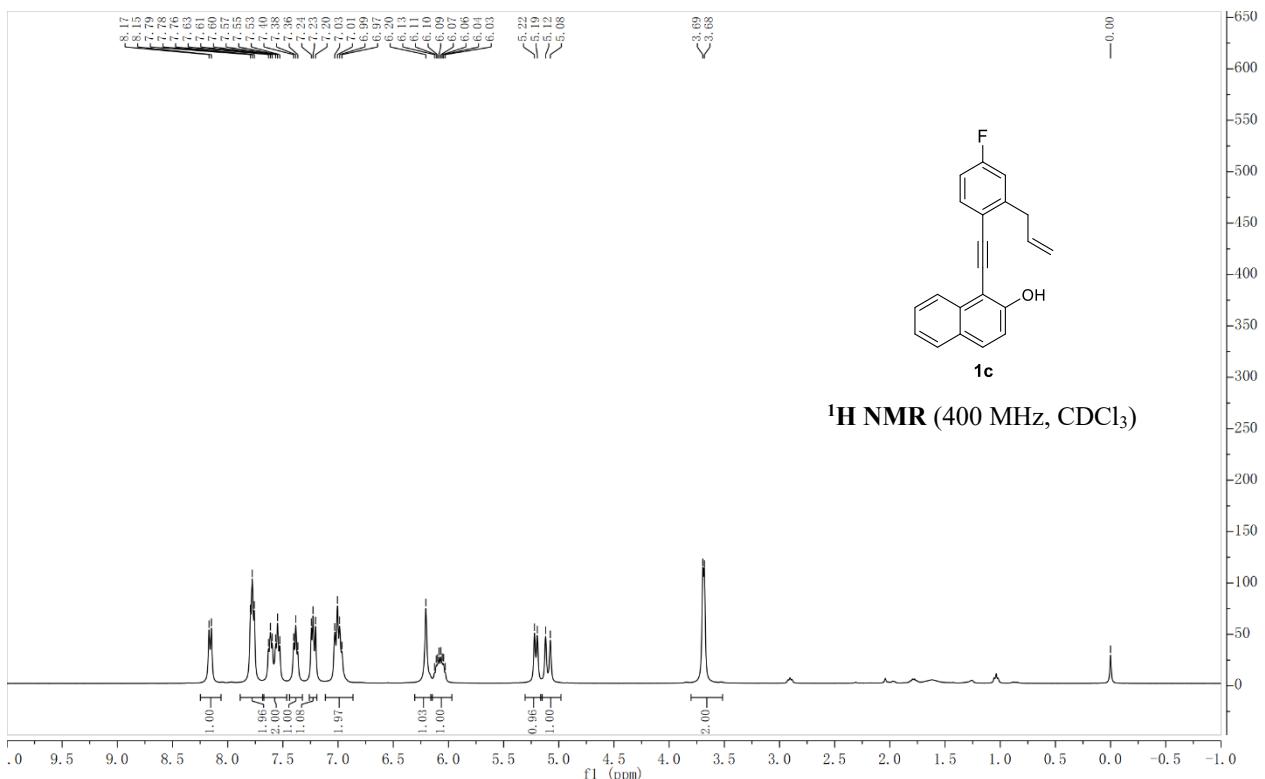
## XI. $^1\text{H}$ and $^{13}\text{C}$ NMR spectra

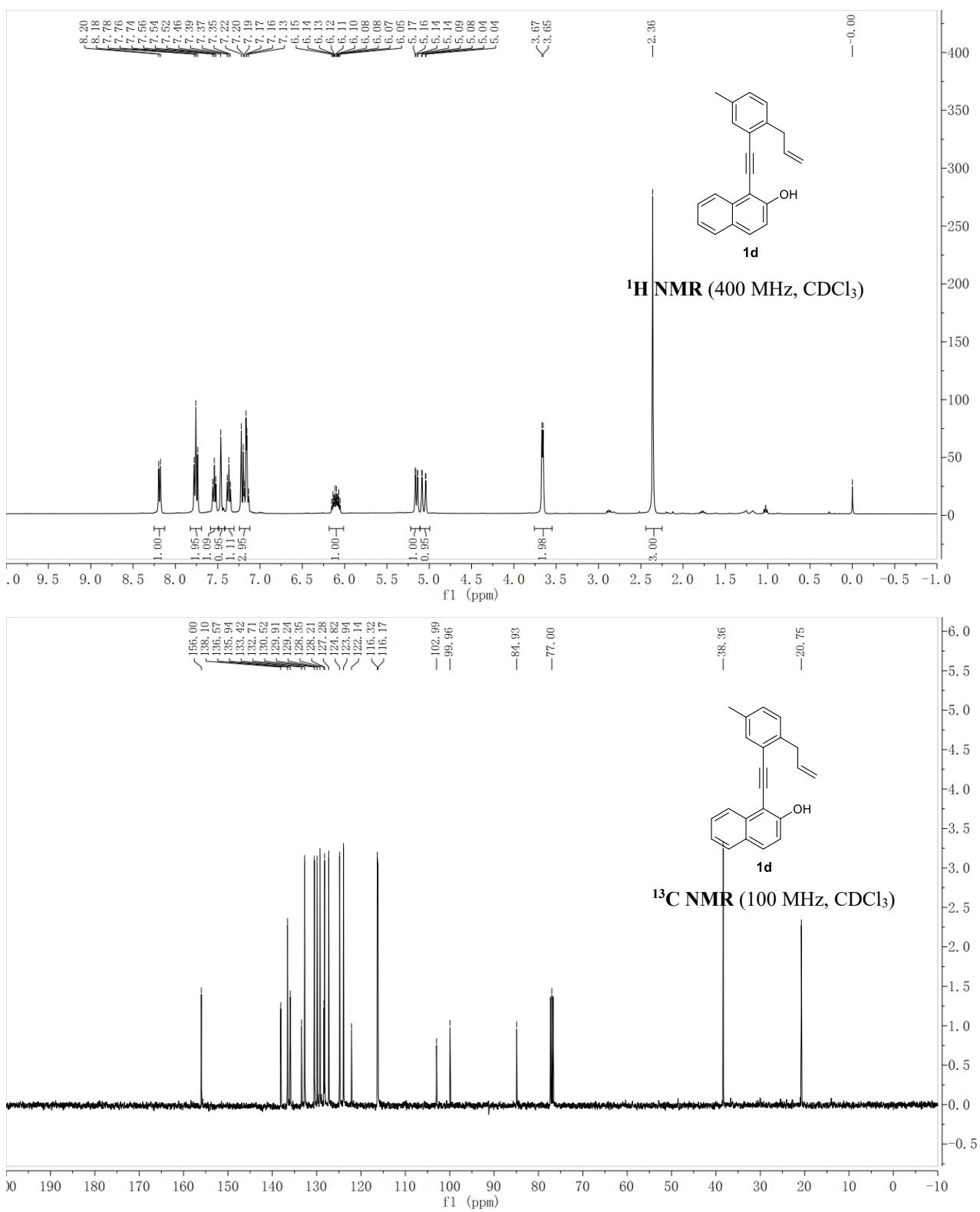


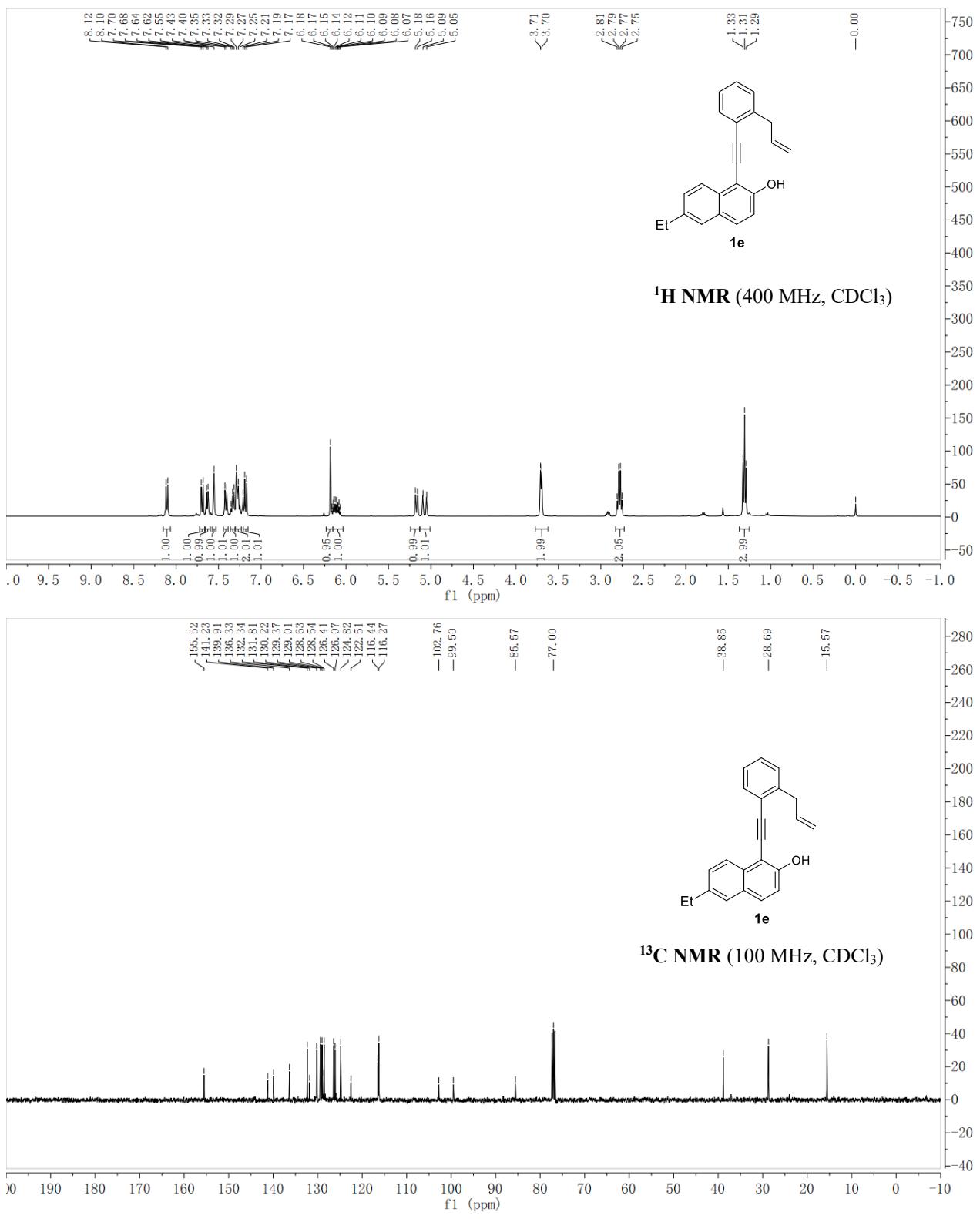


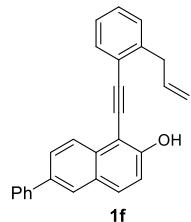
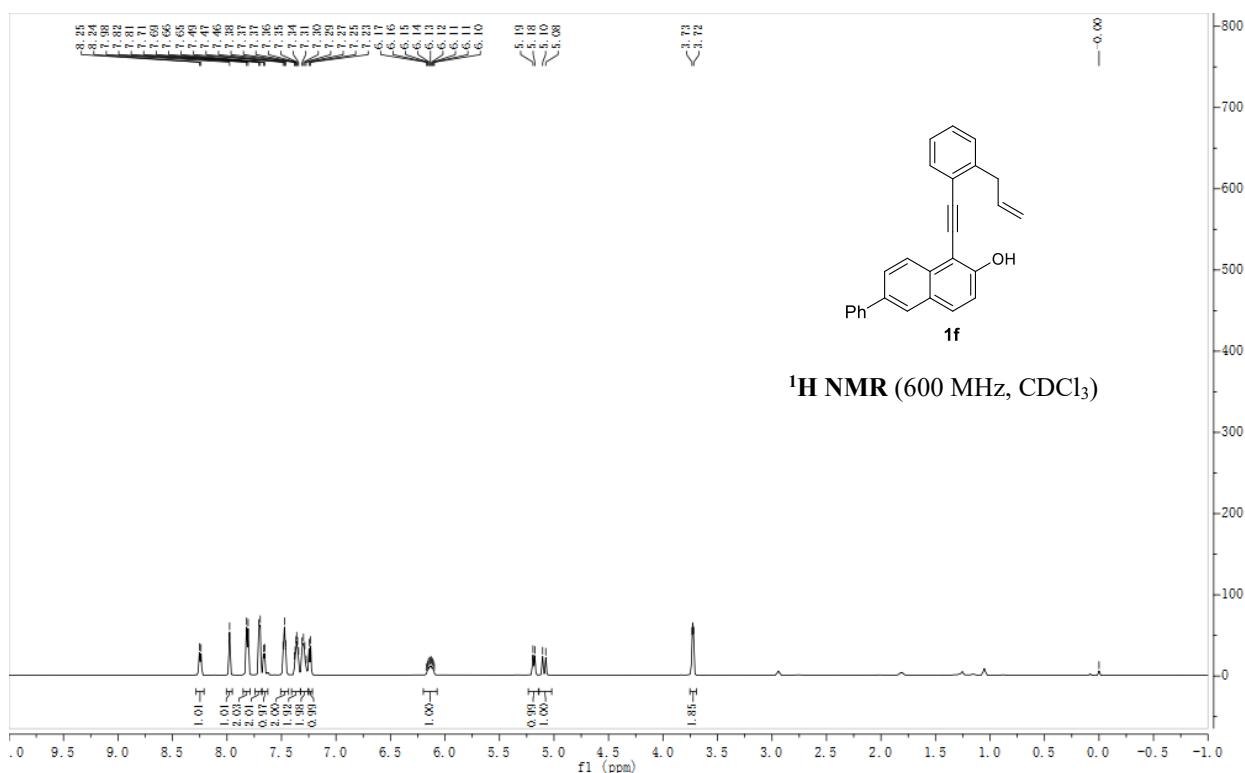




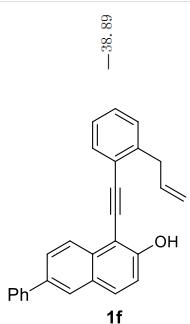
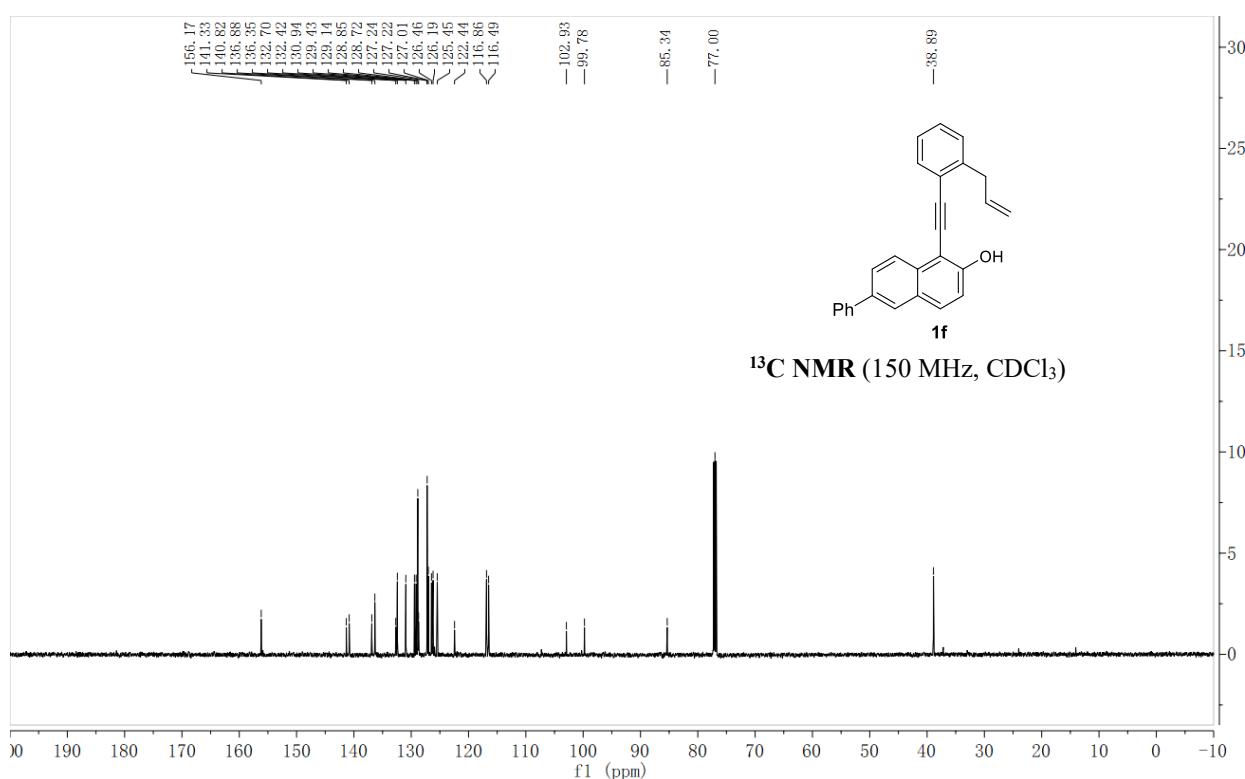




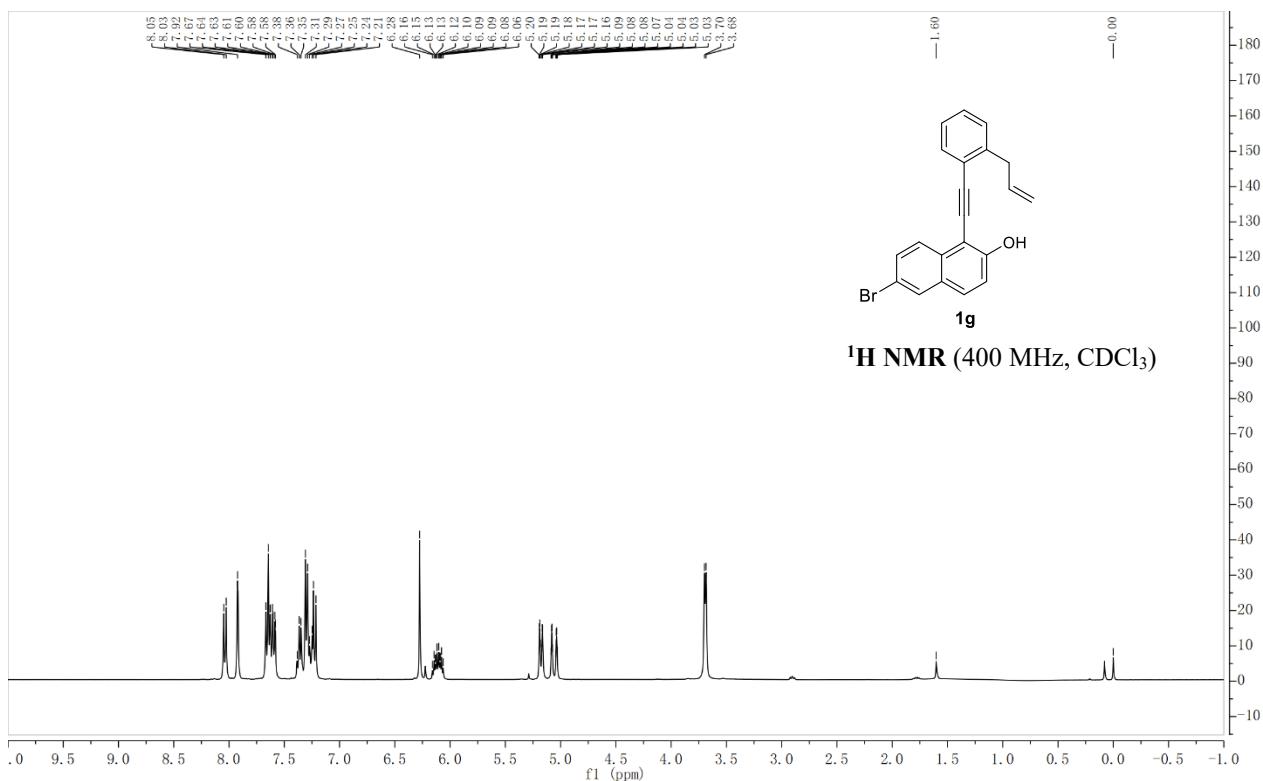


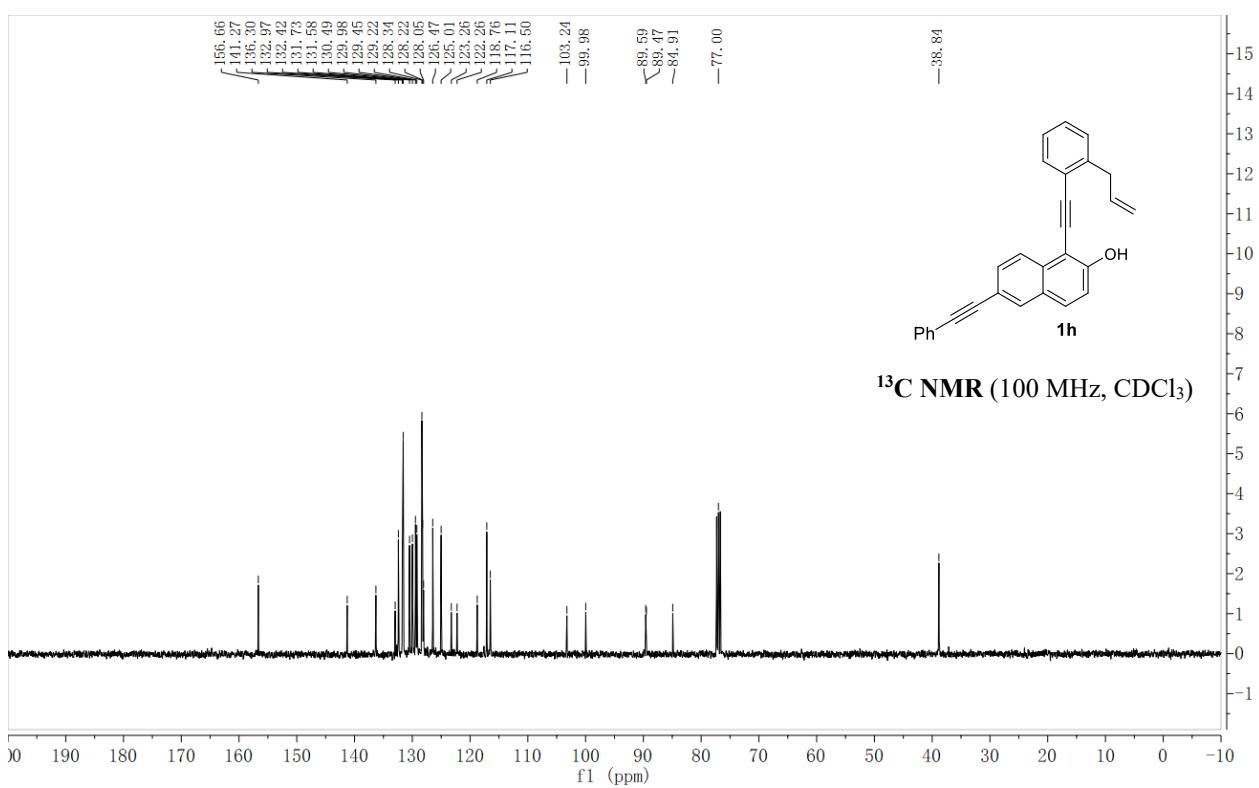
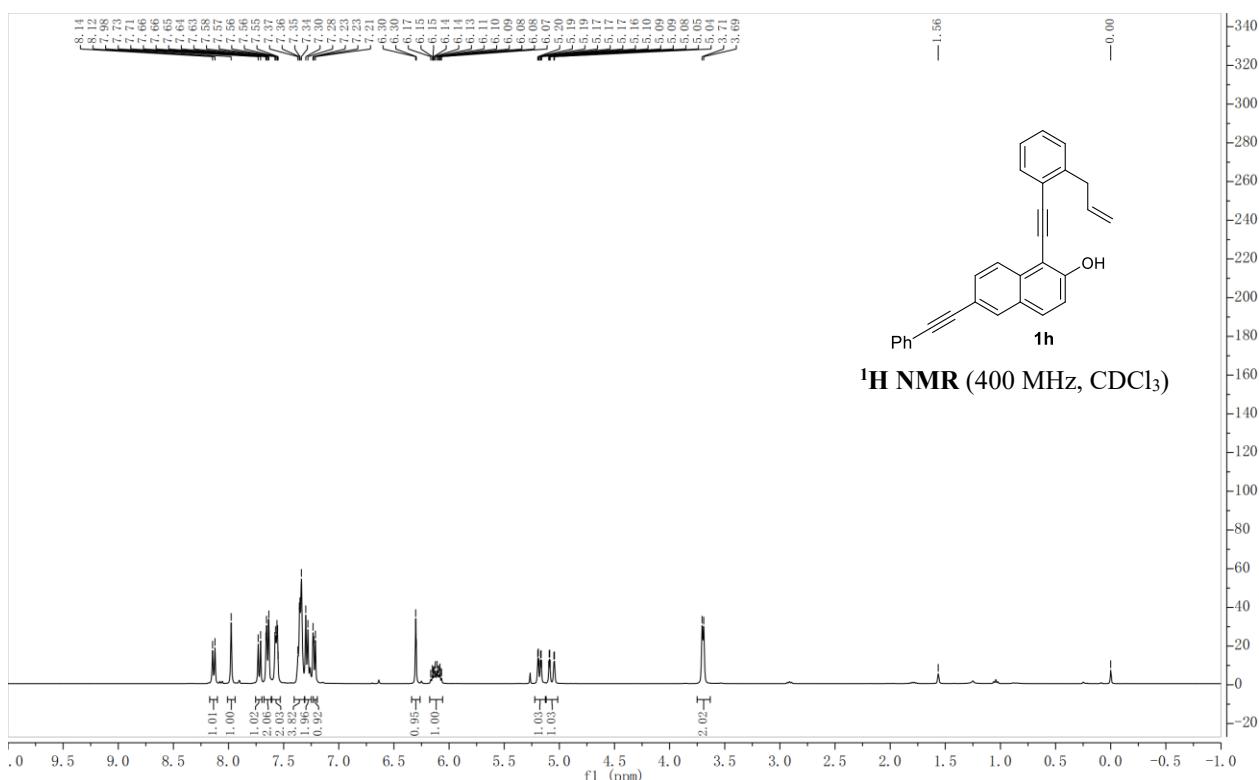


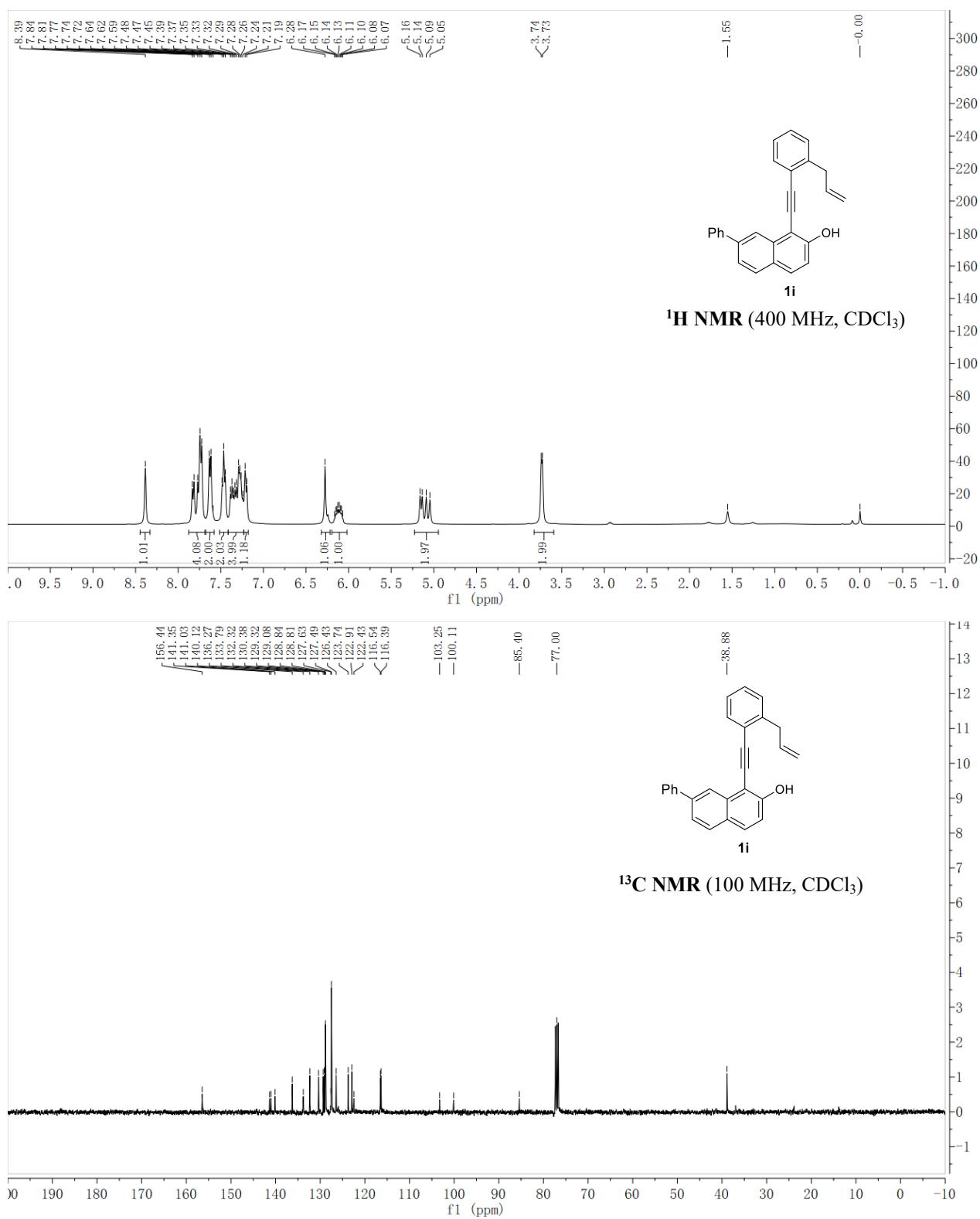
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)

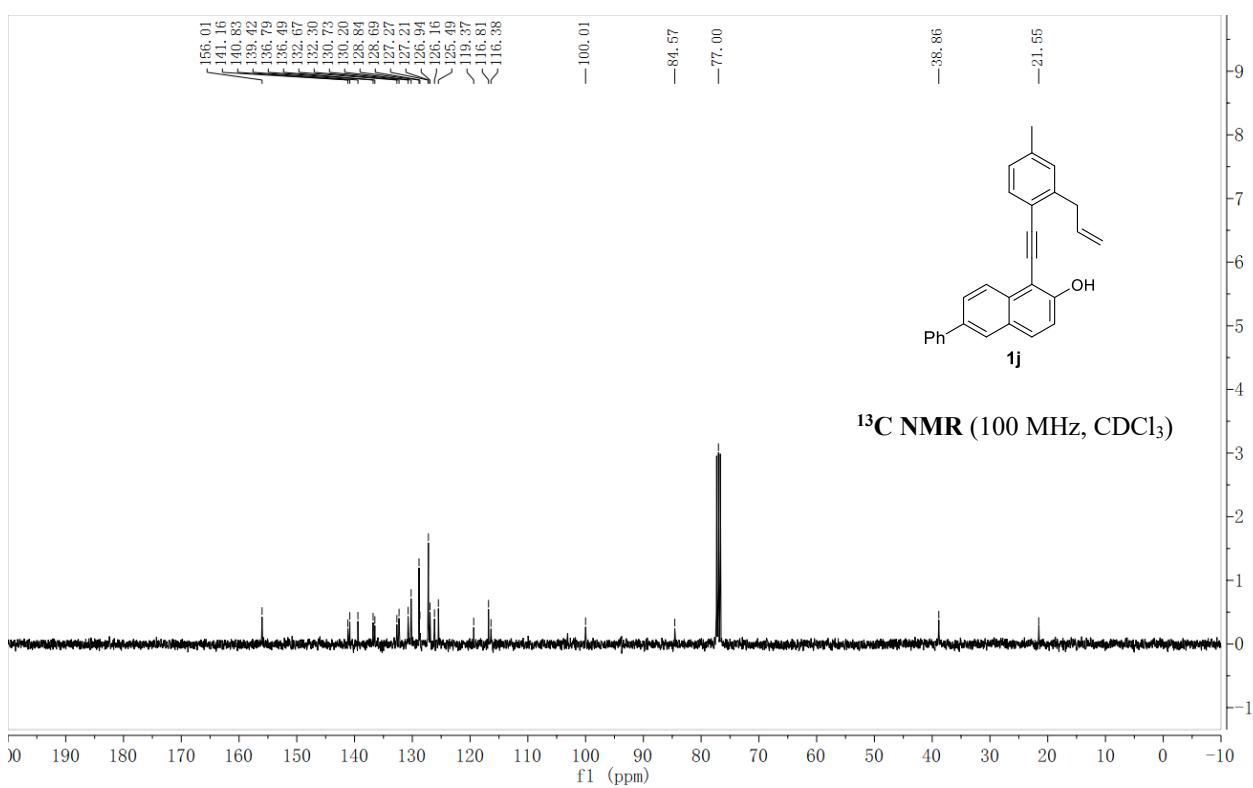
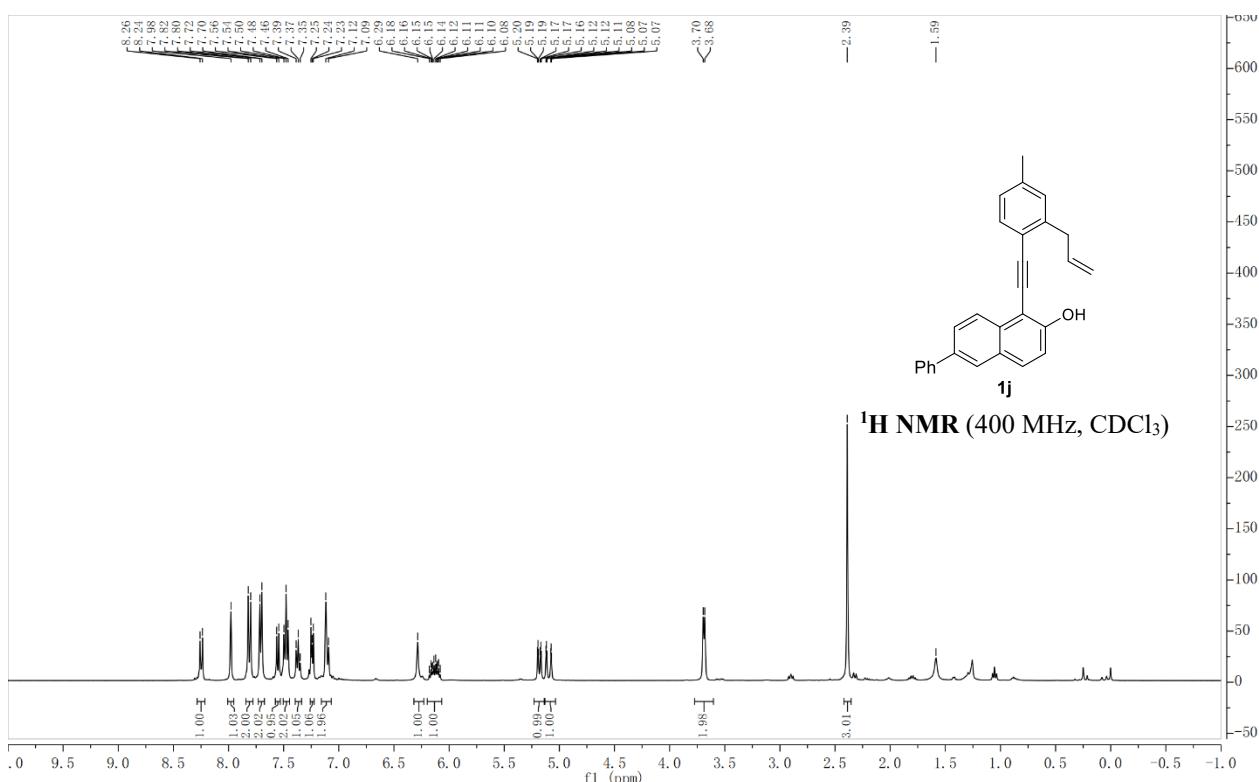


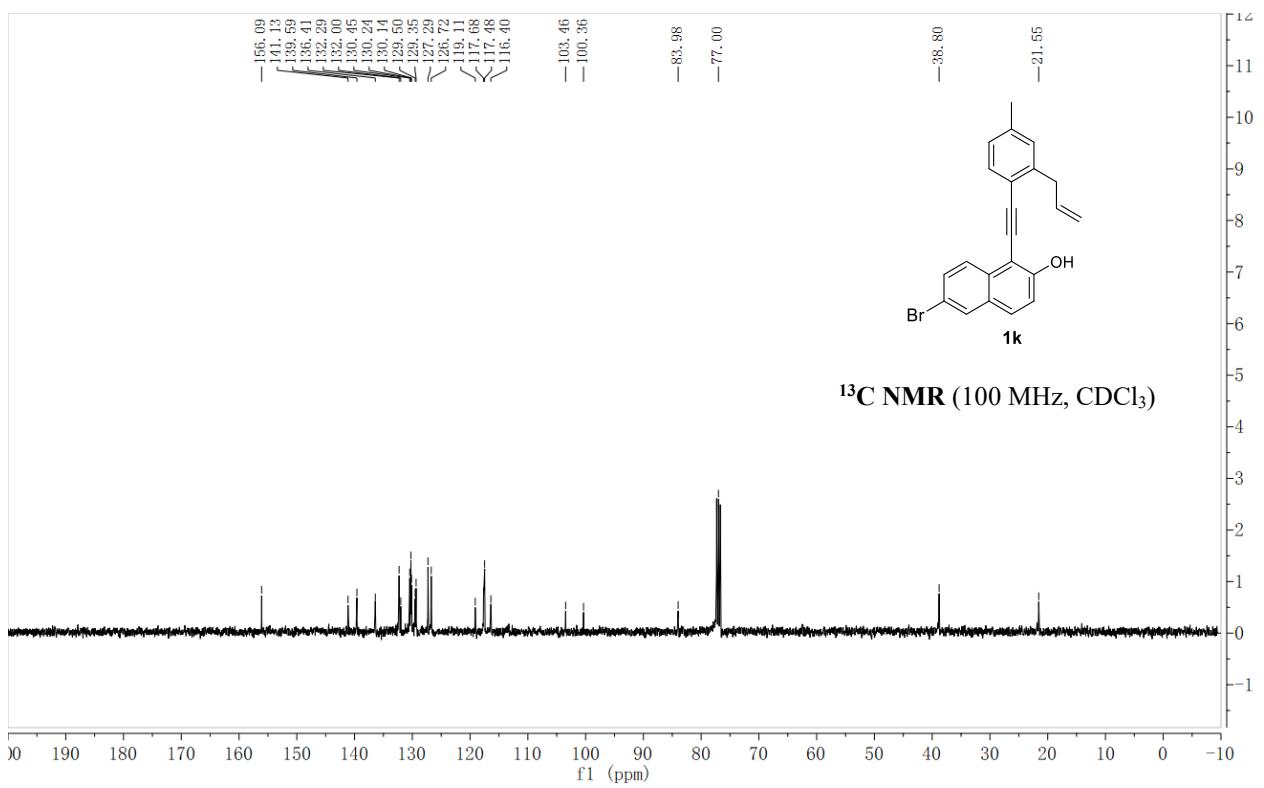
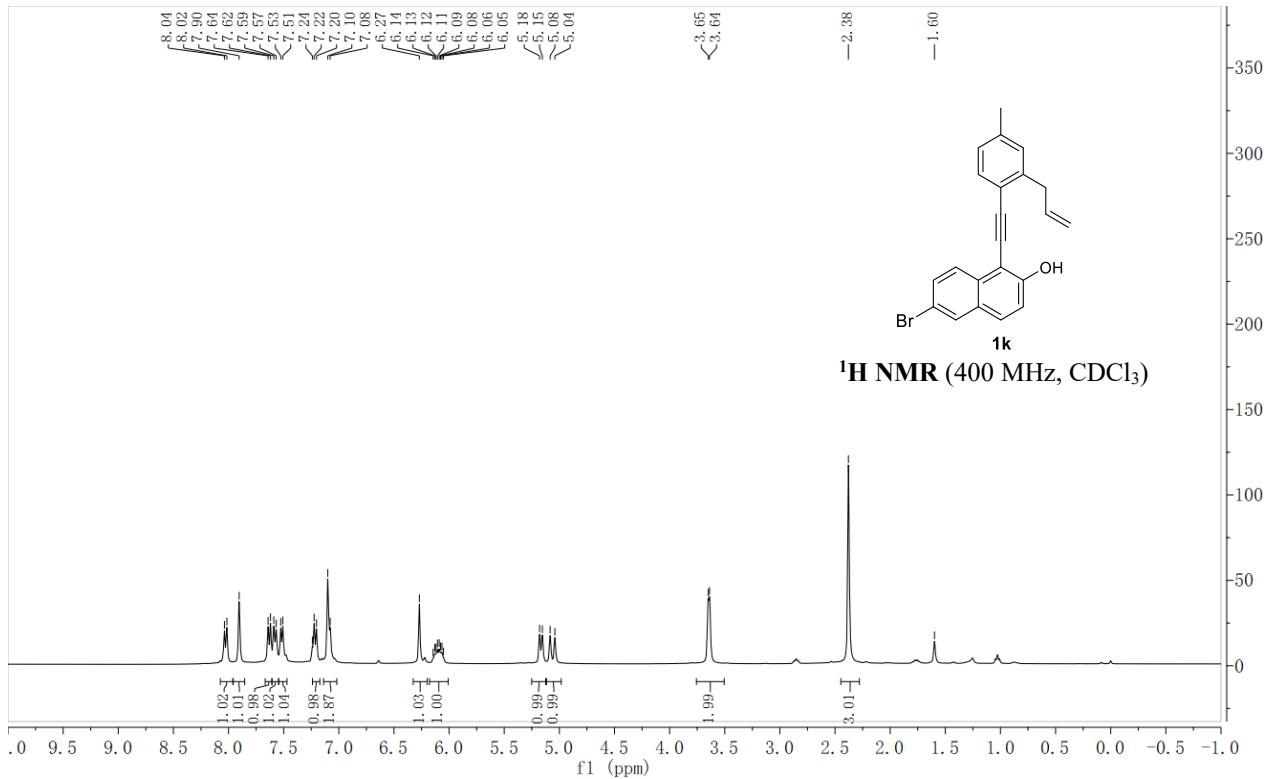
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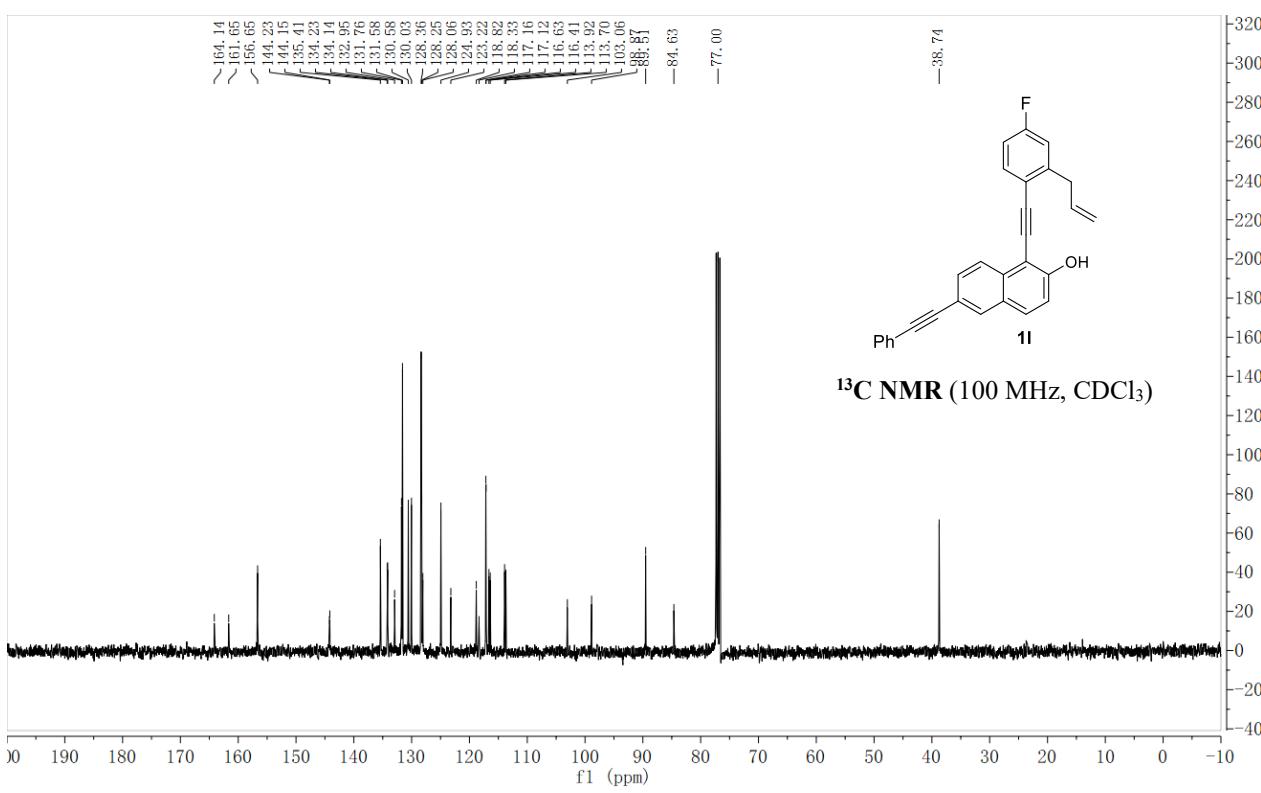
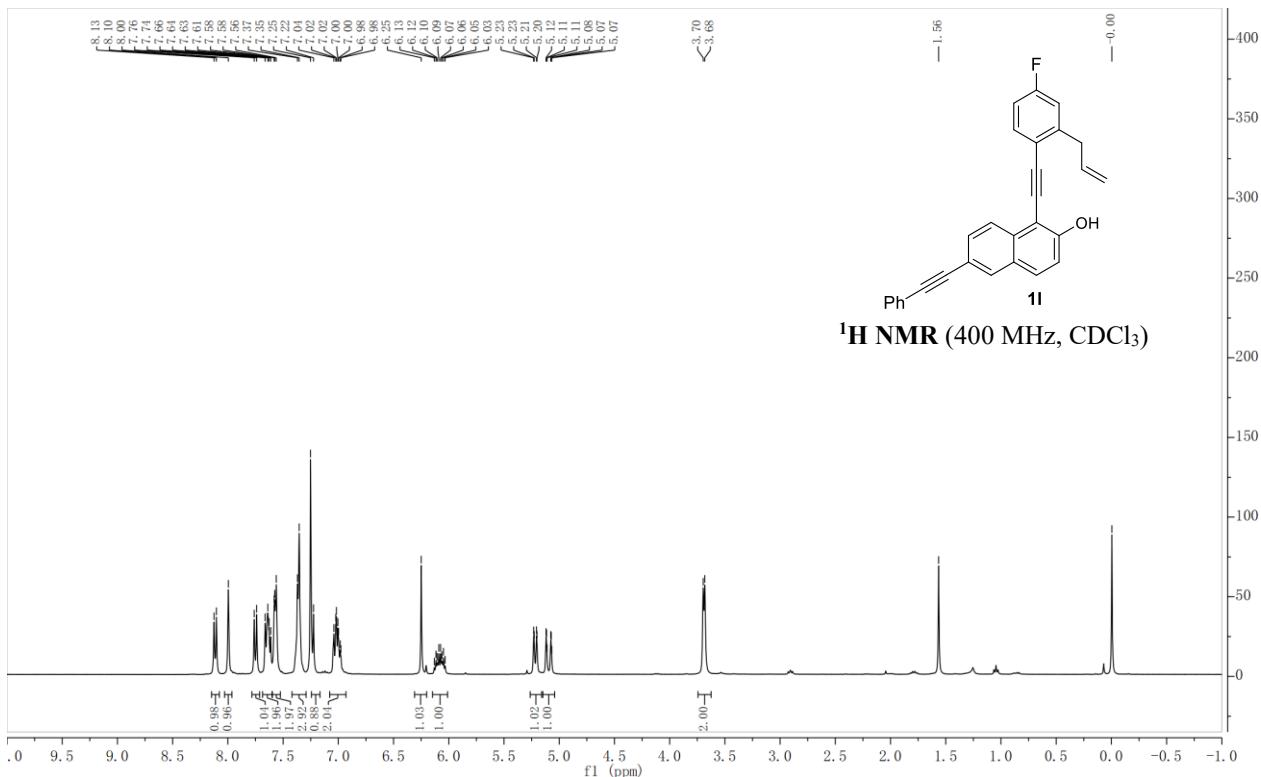


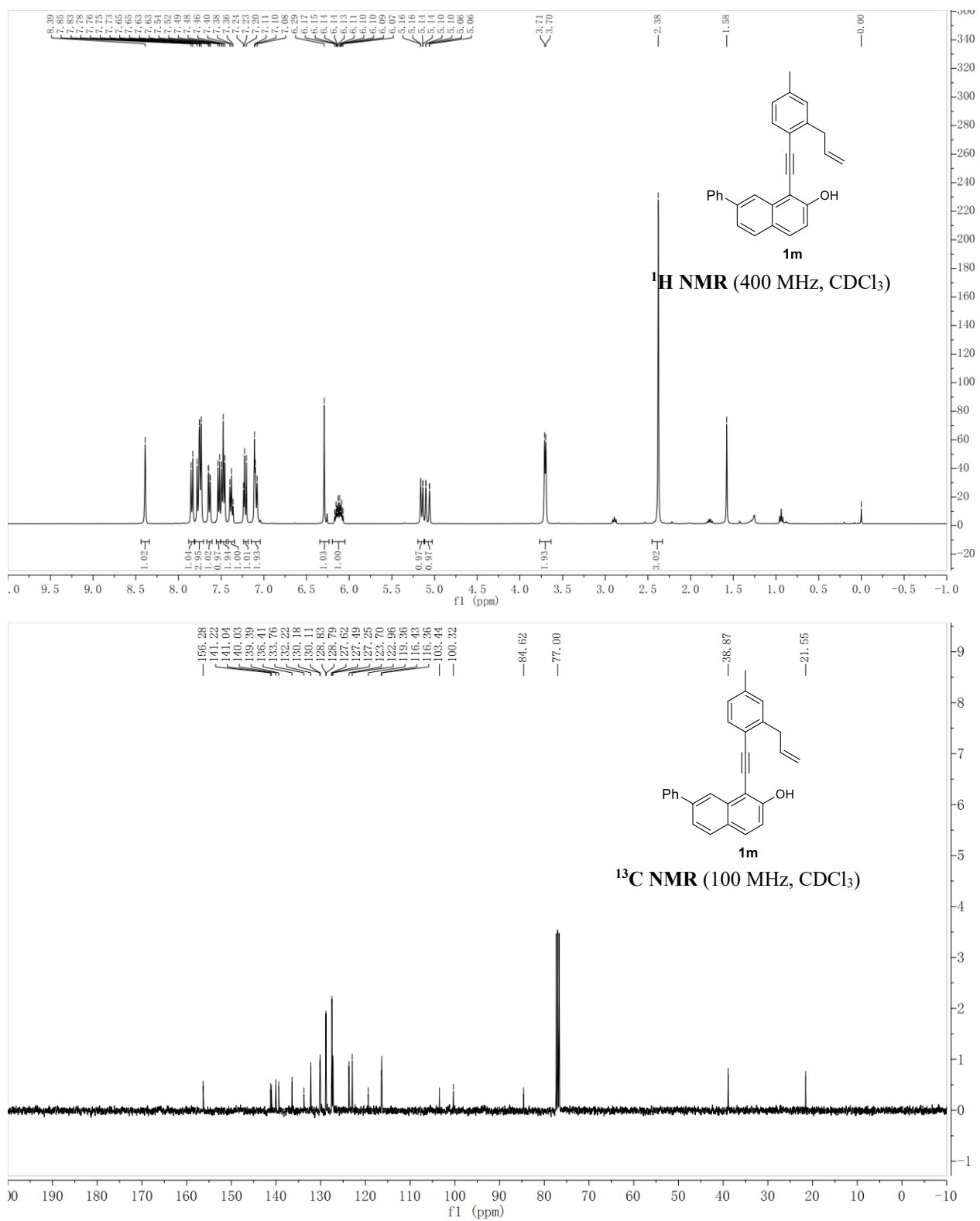


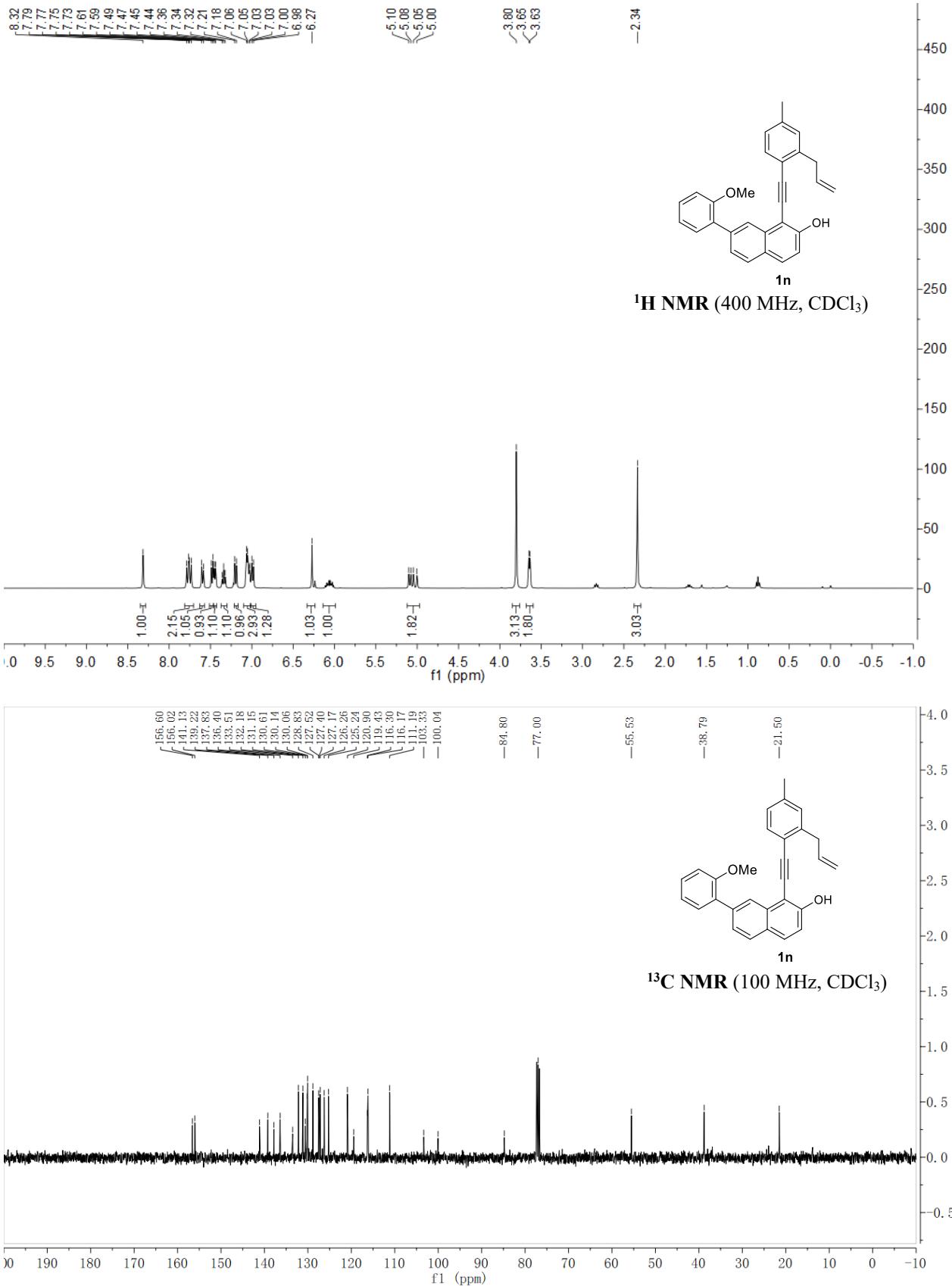


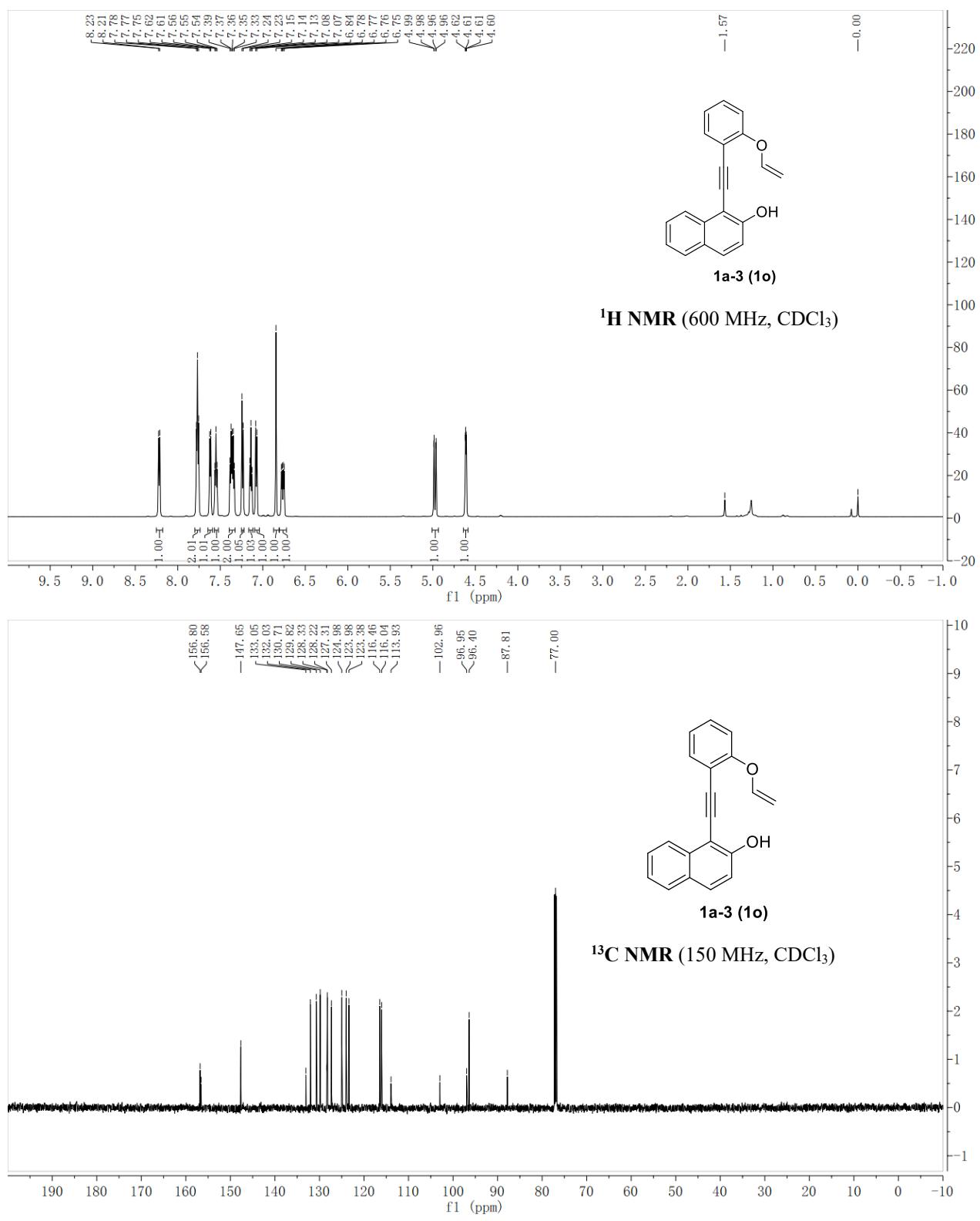


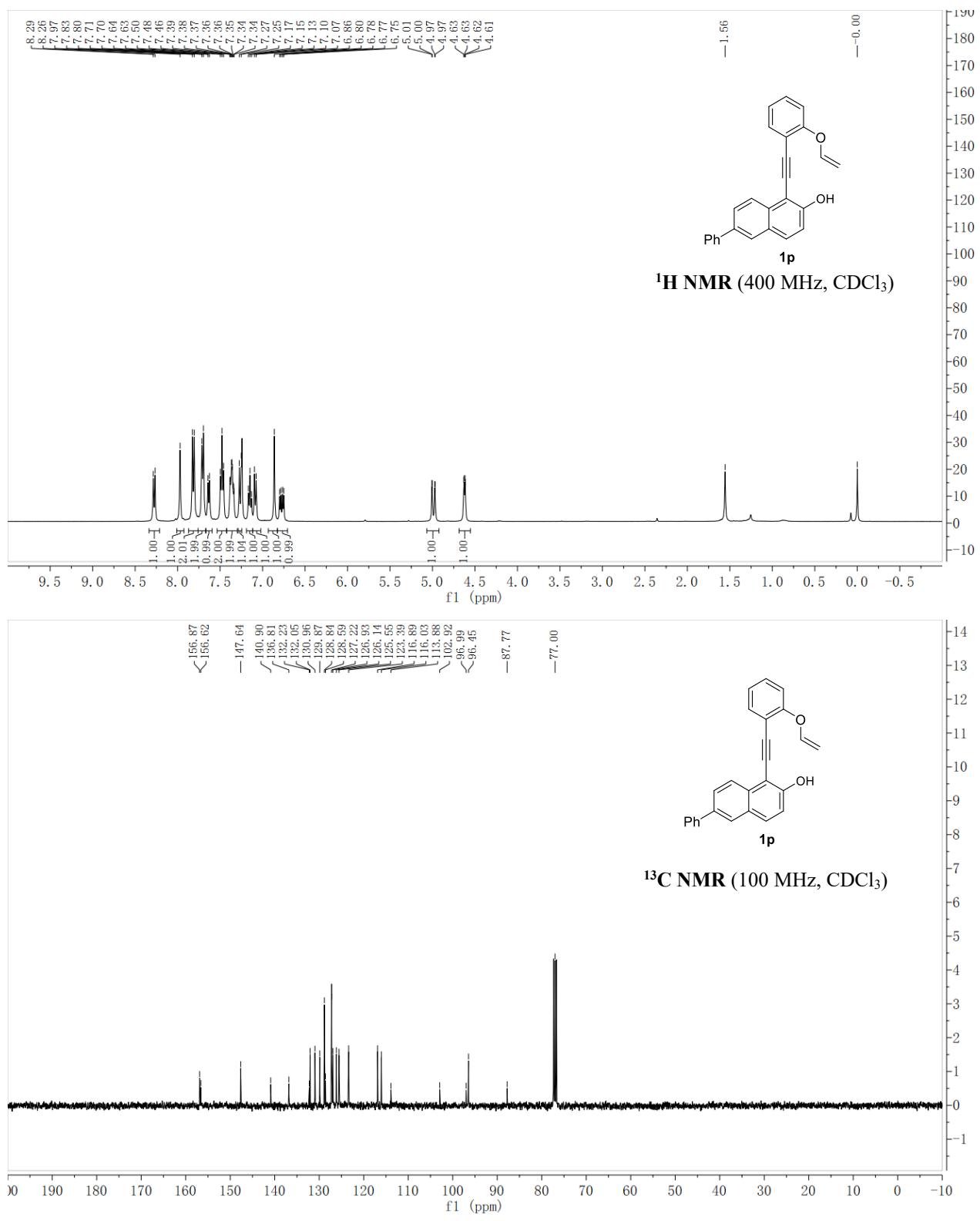


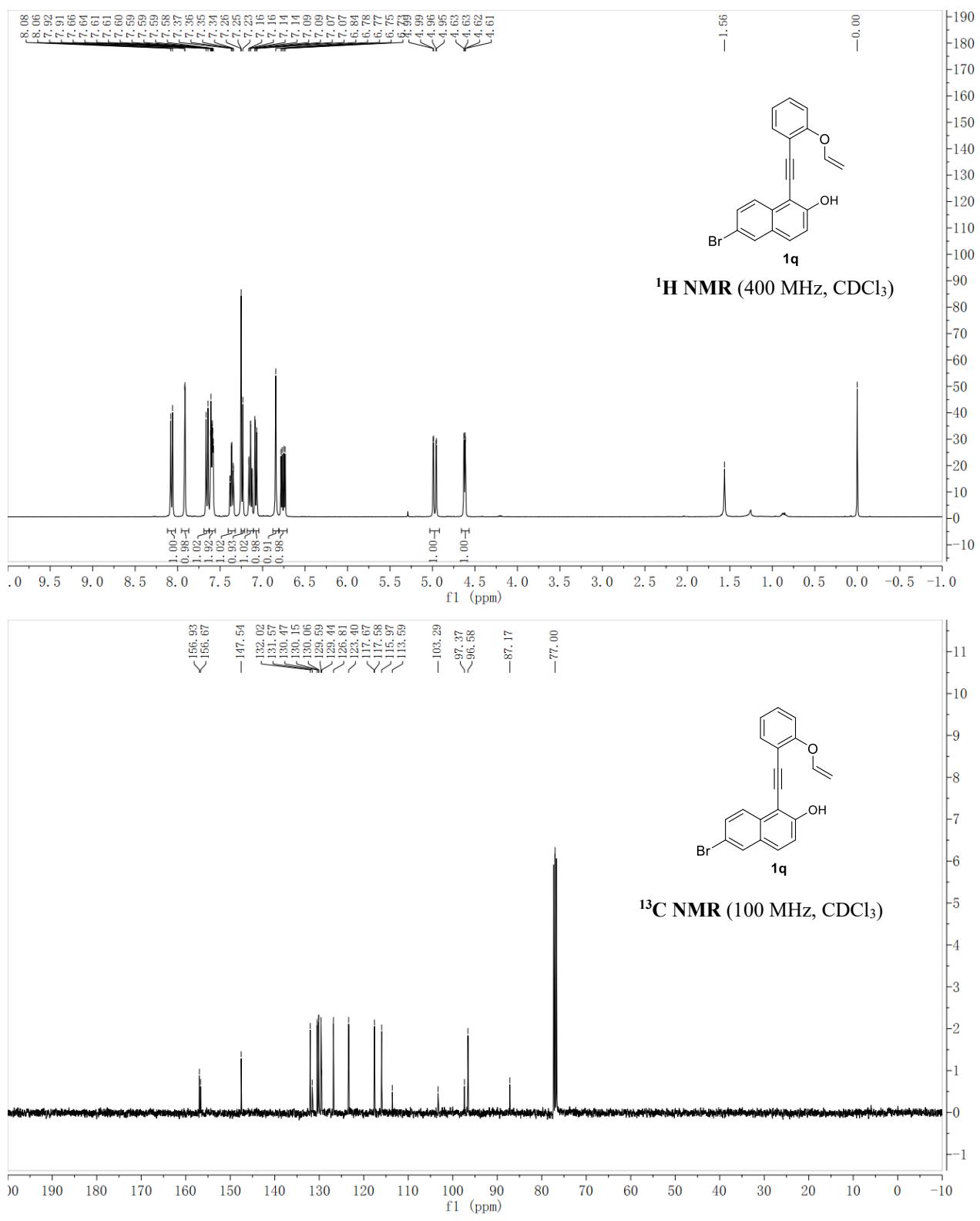


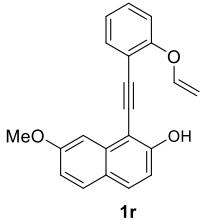
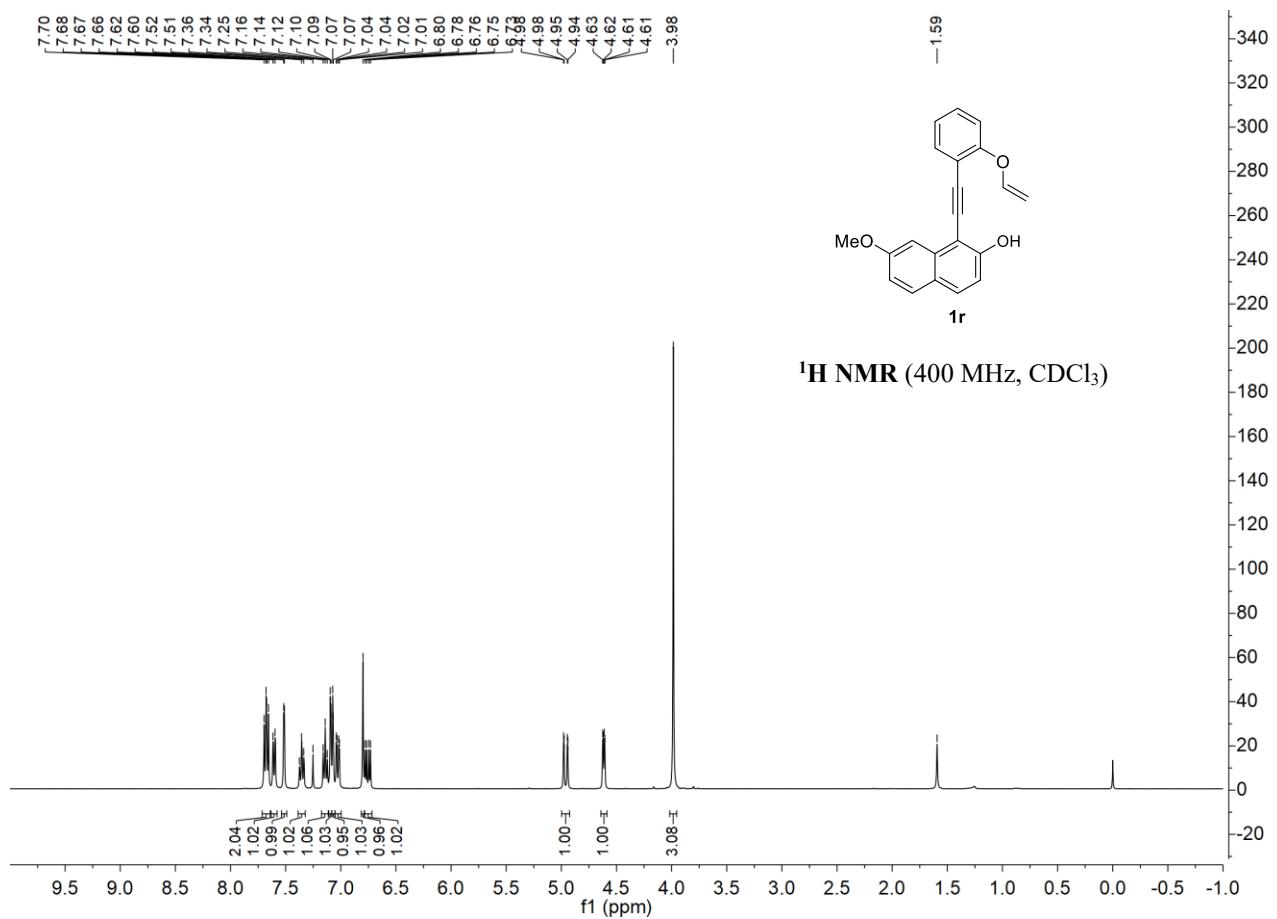




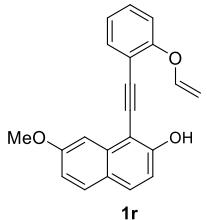
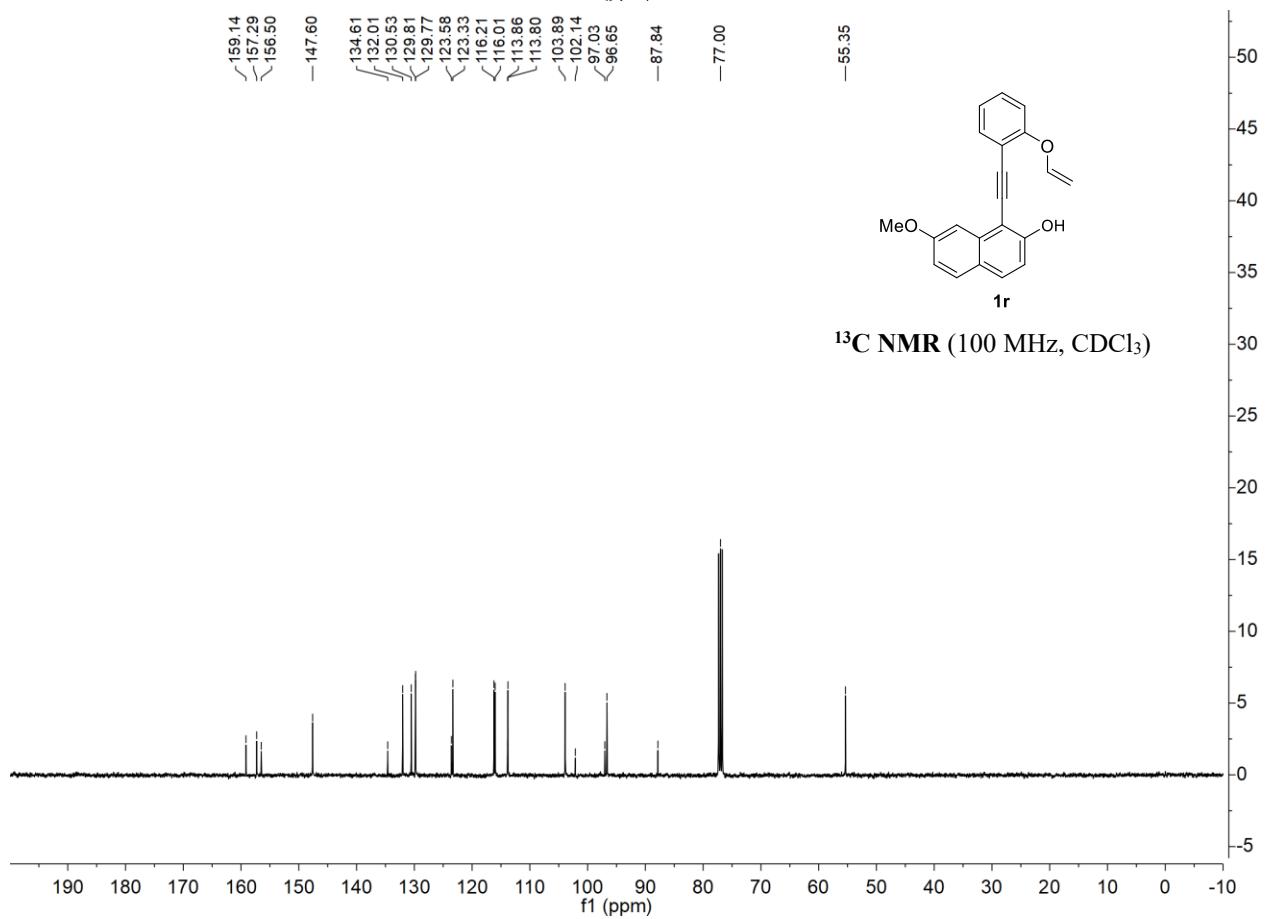




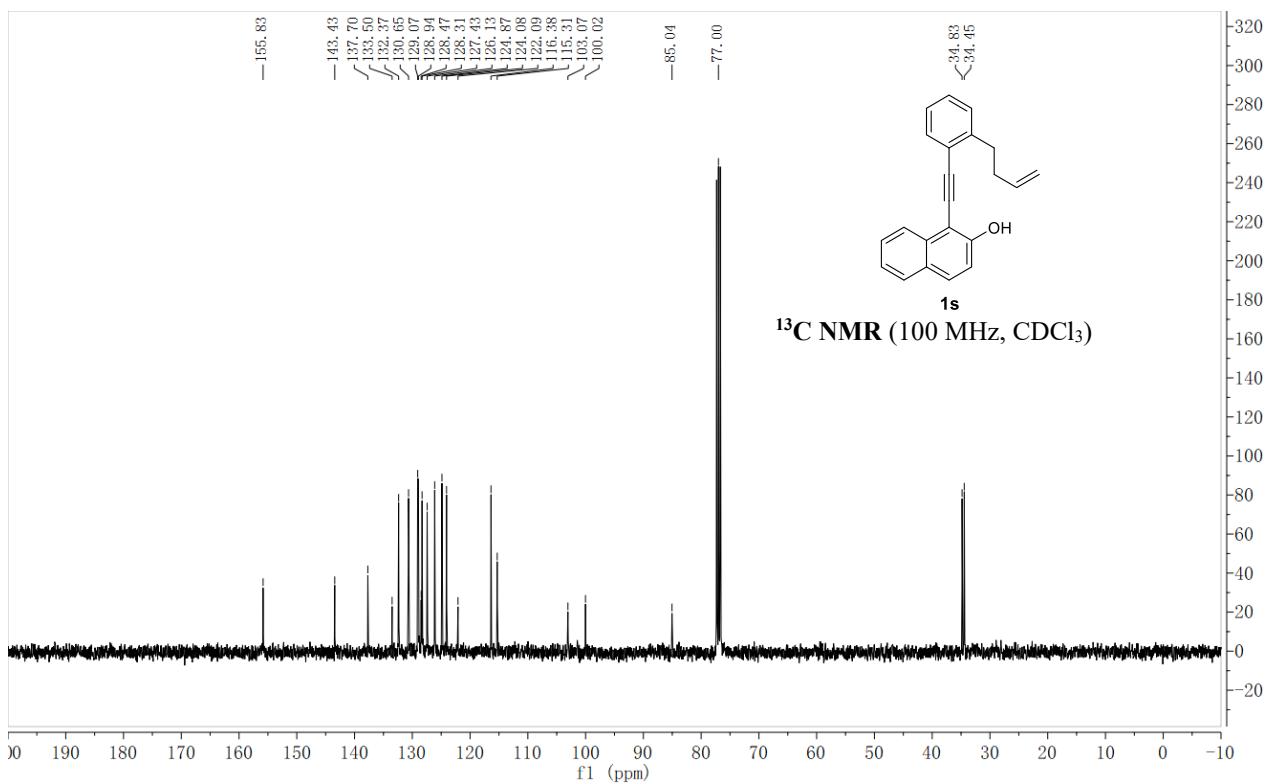
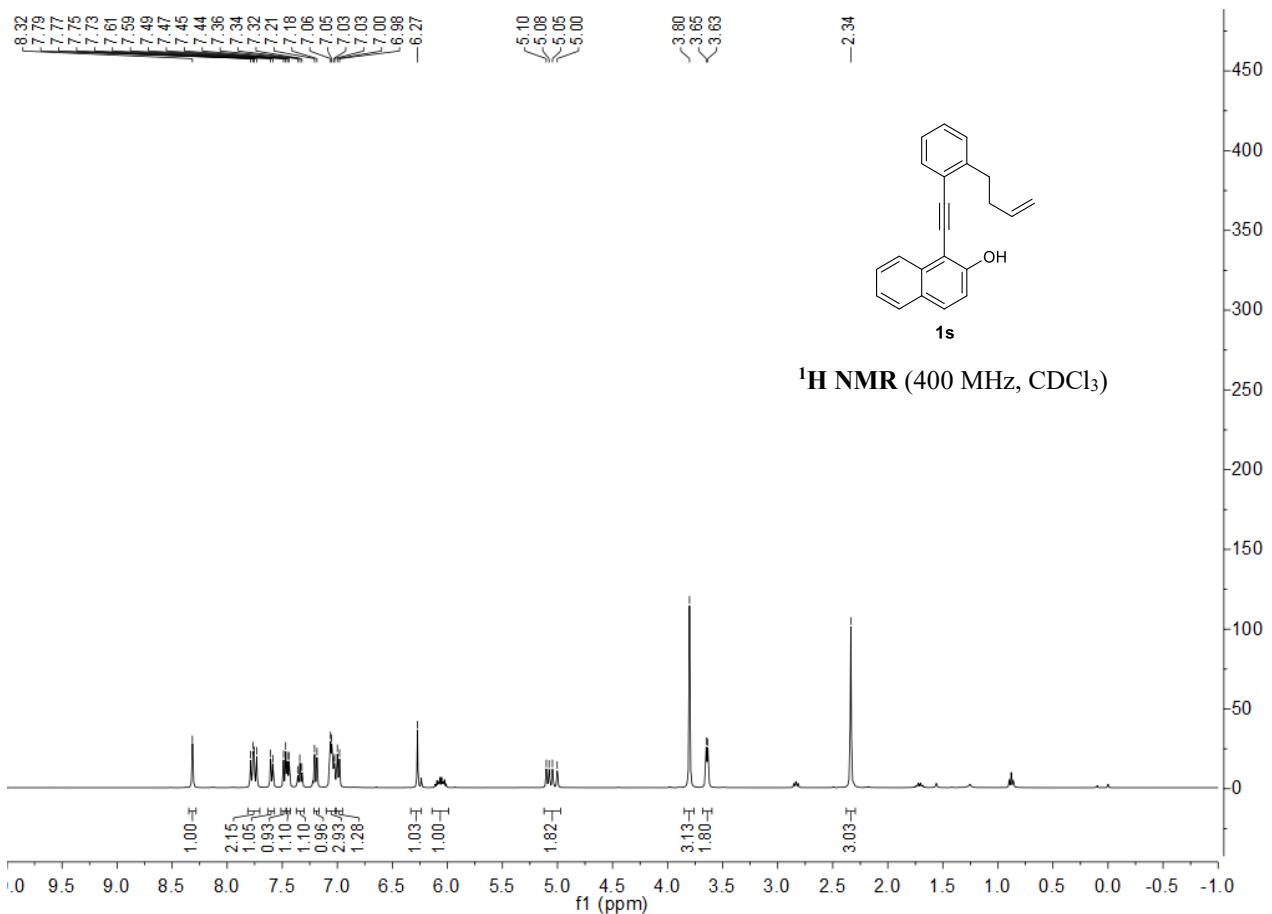


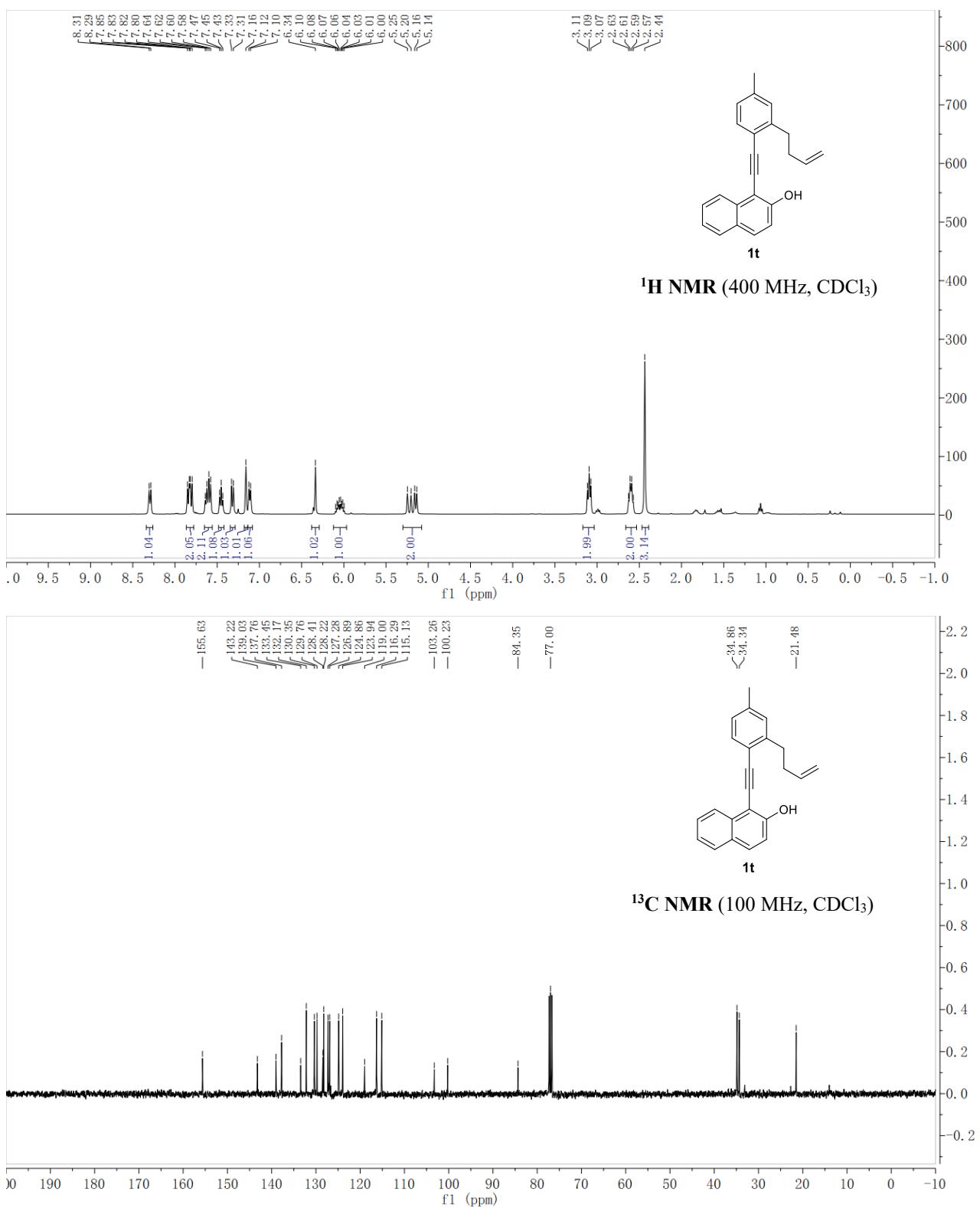


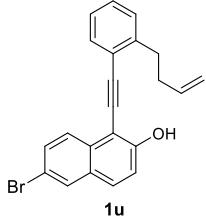
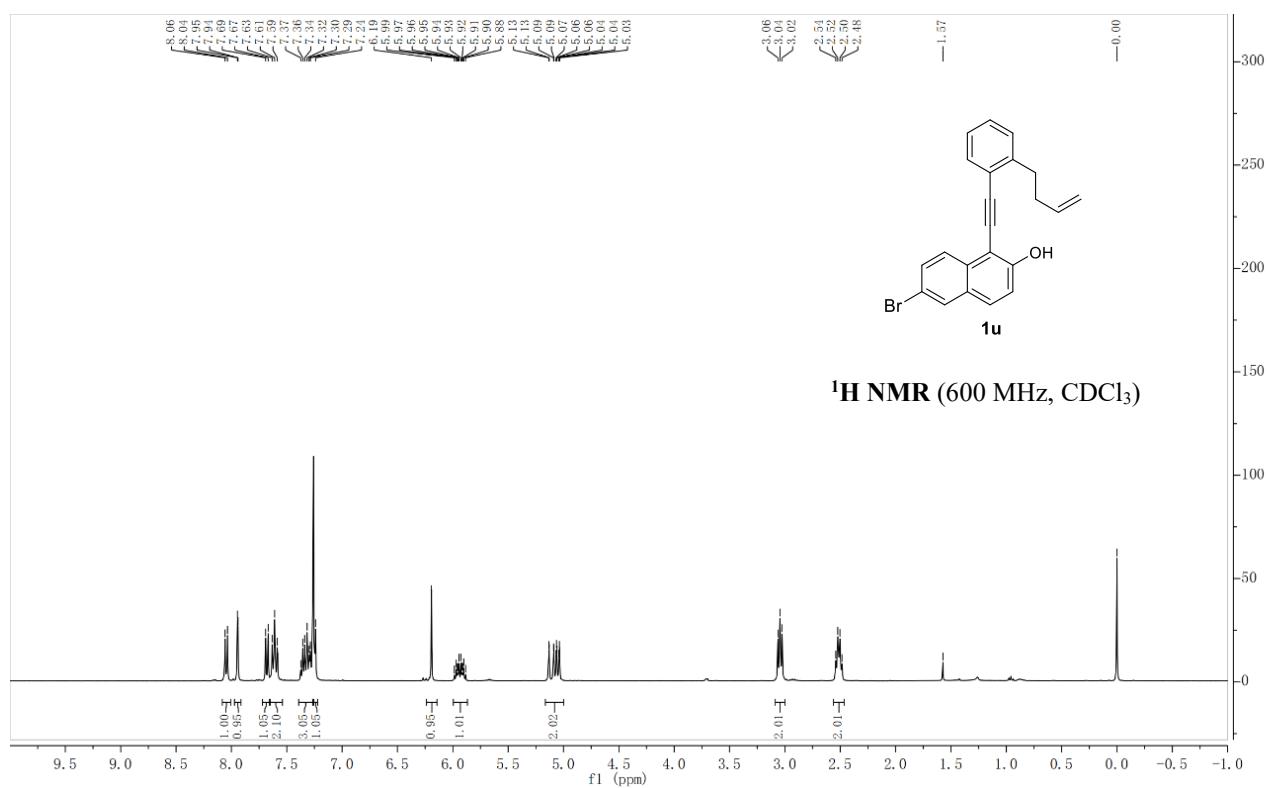
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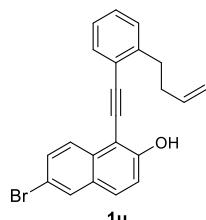
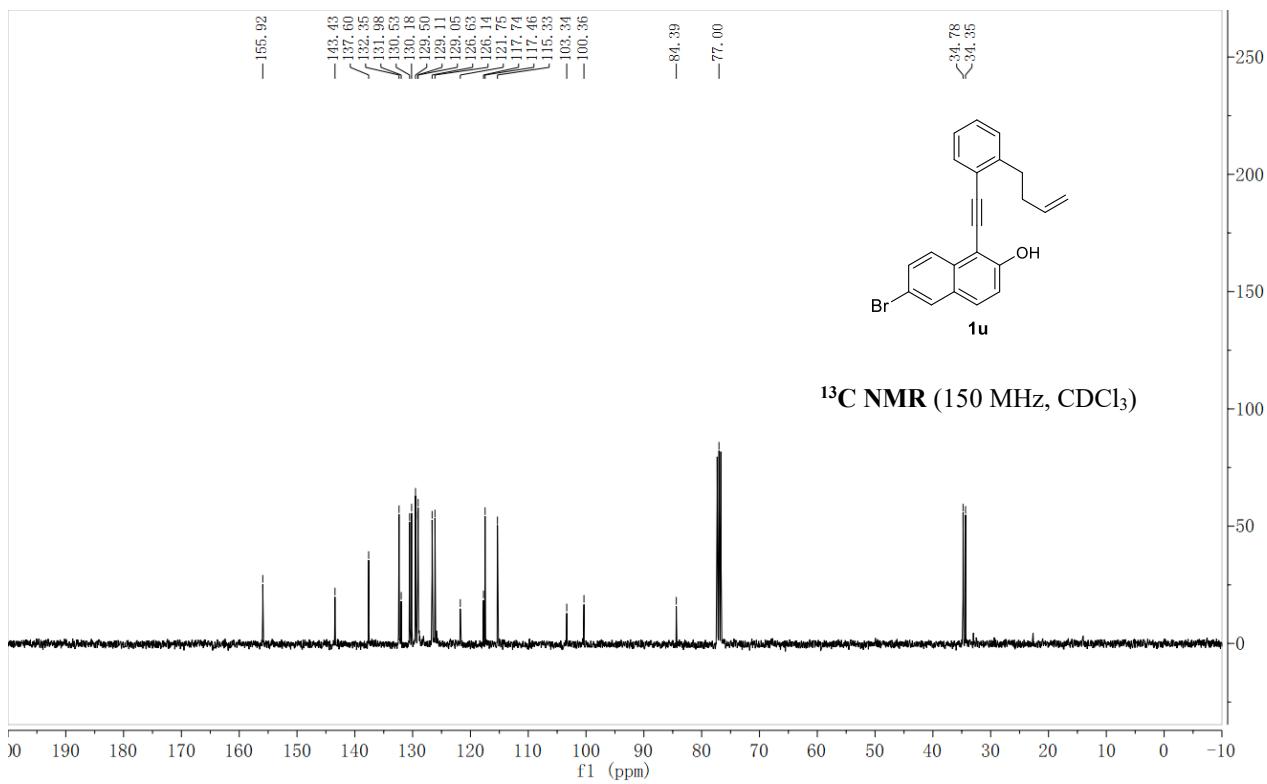
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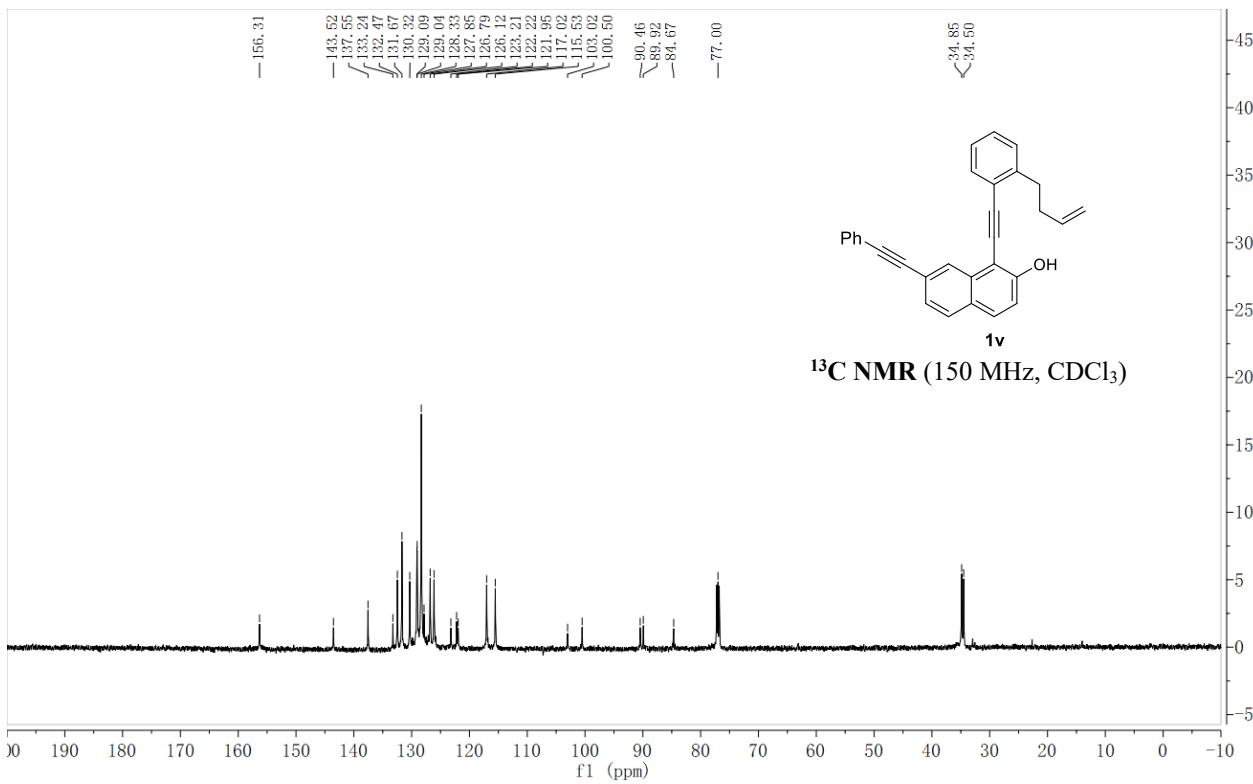
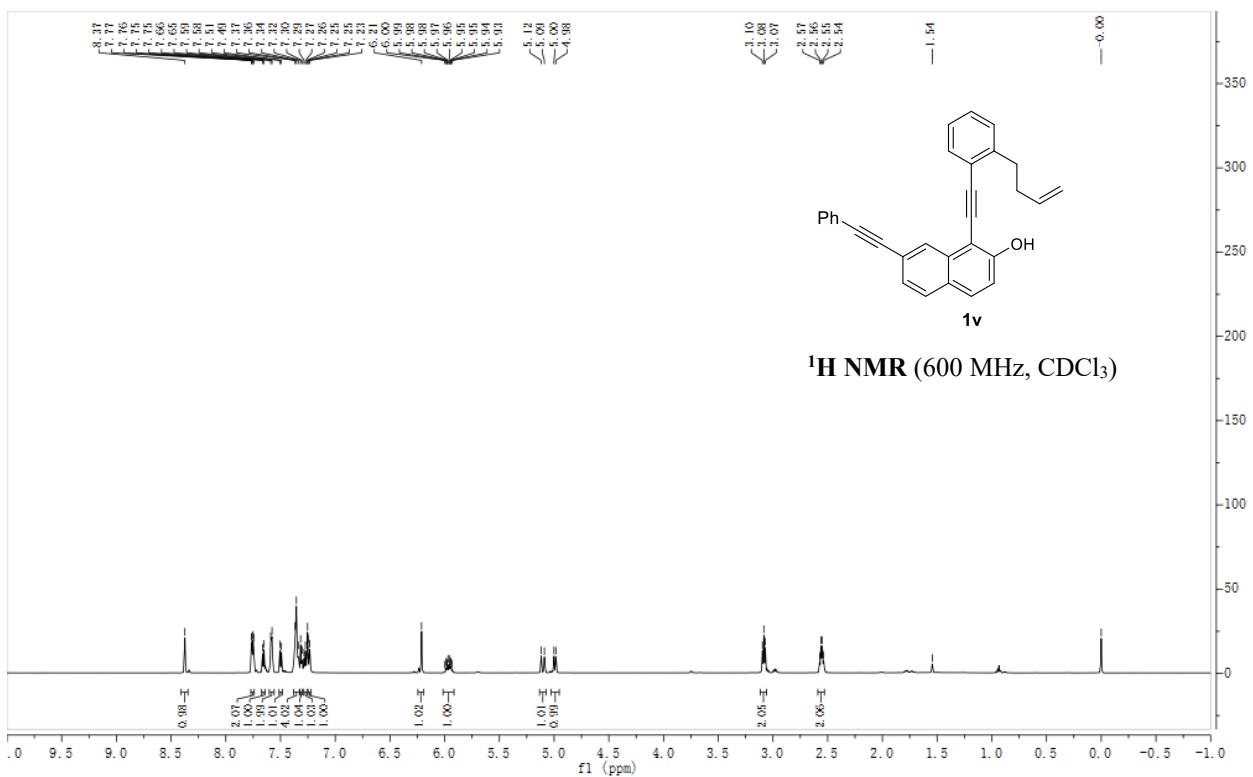


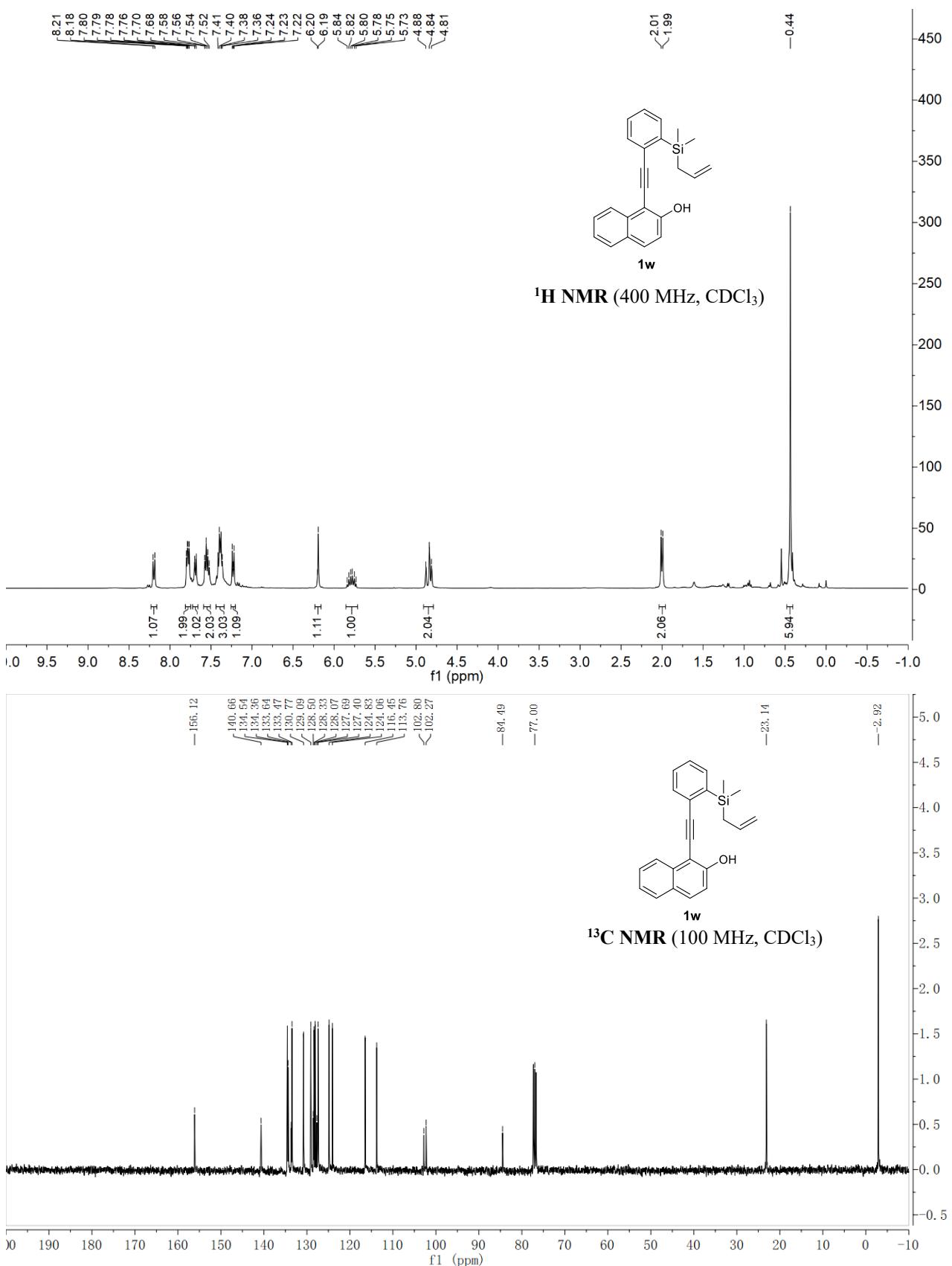


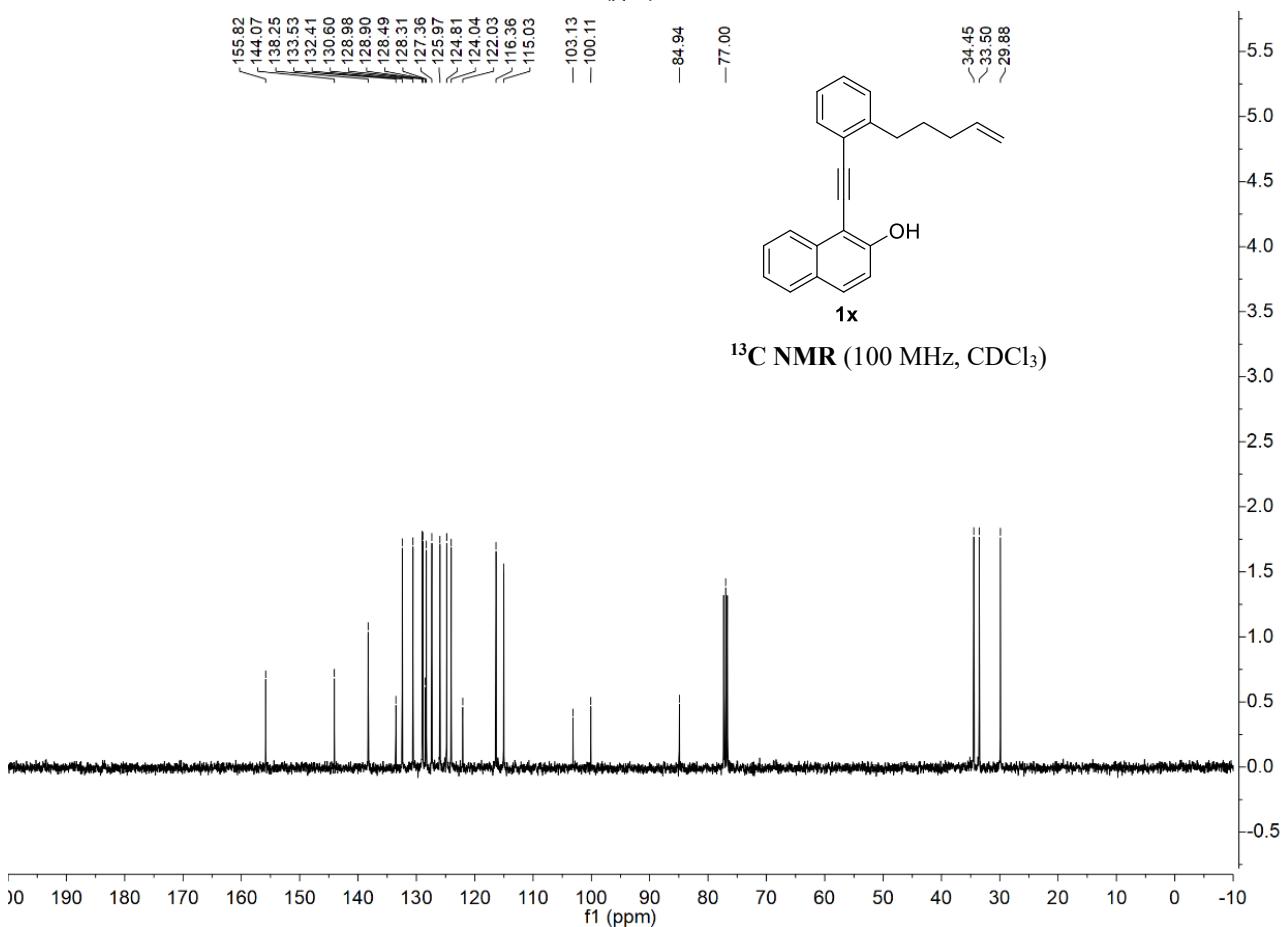
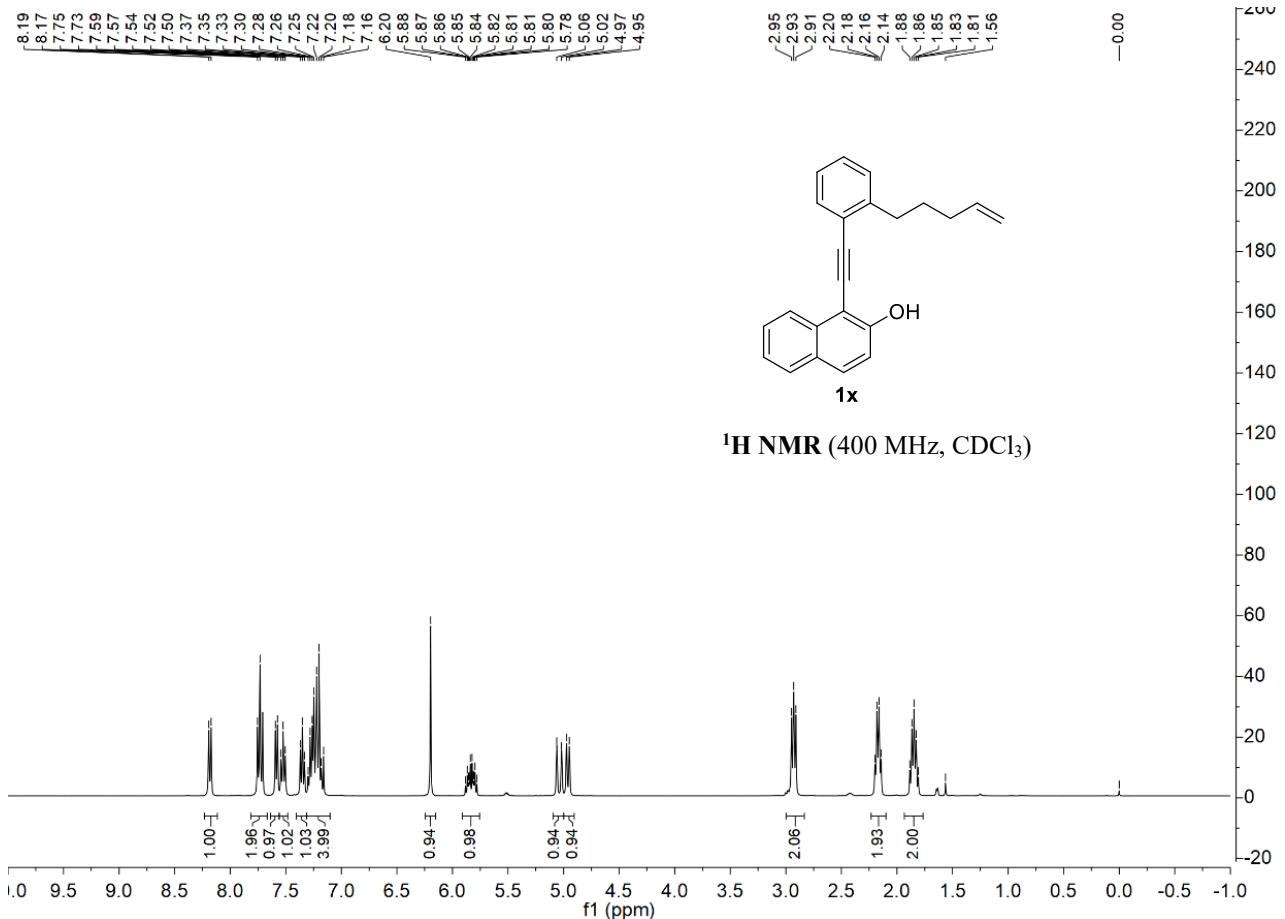
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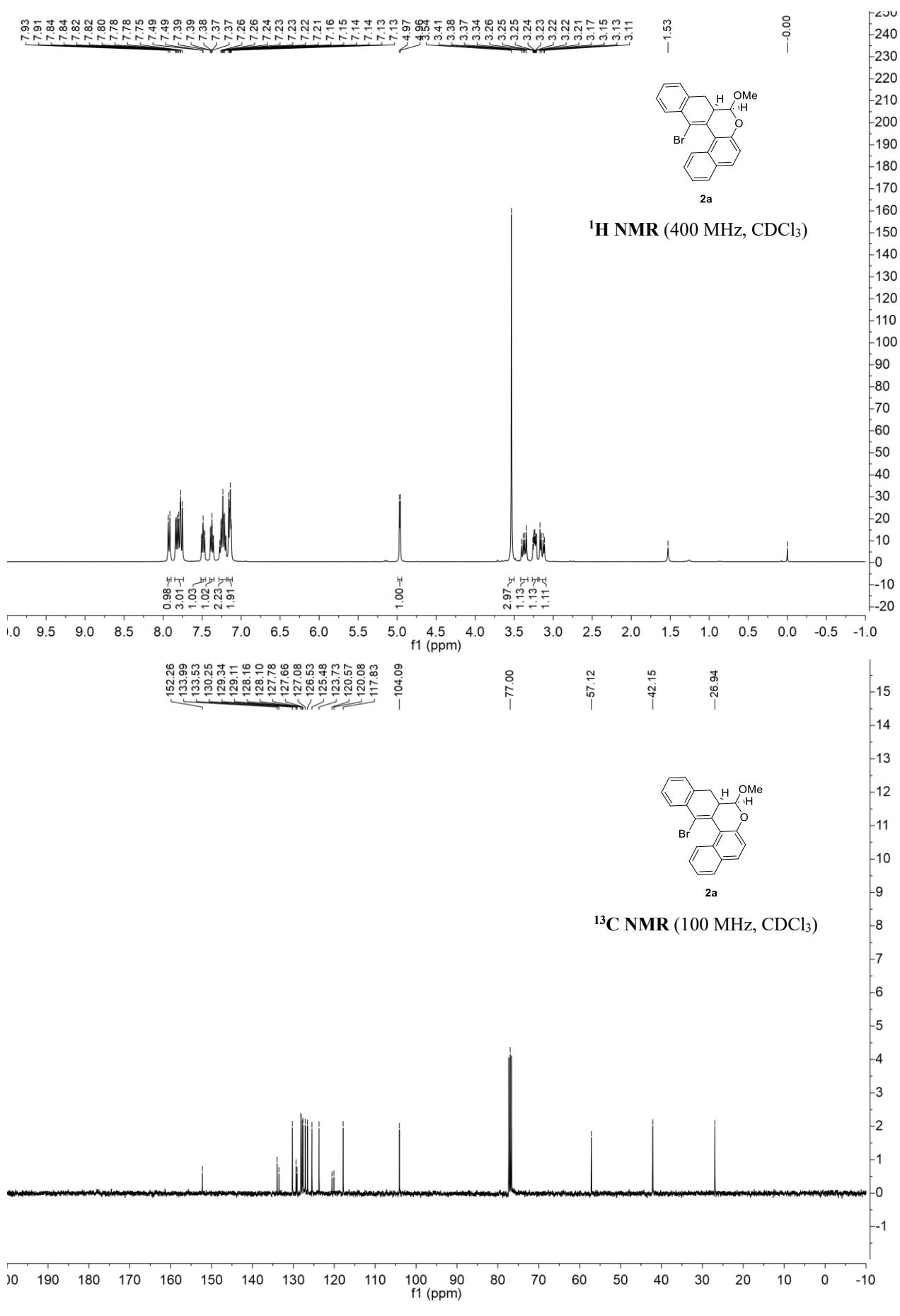


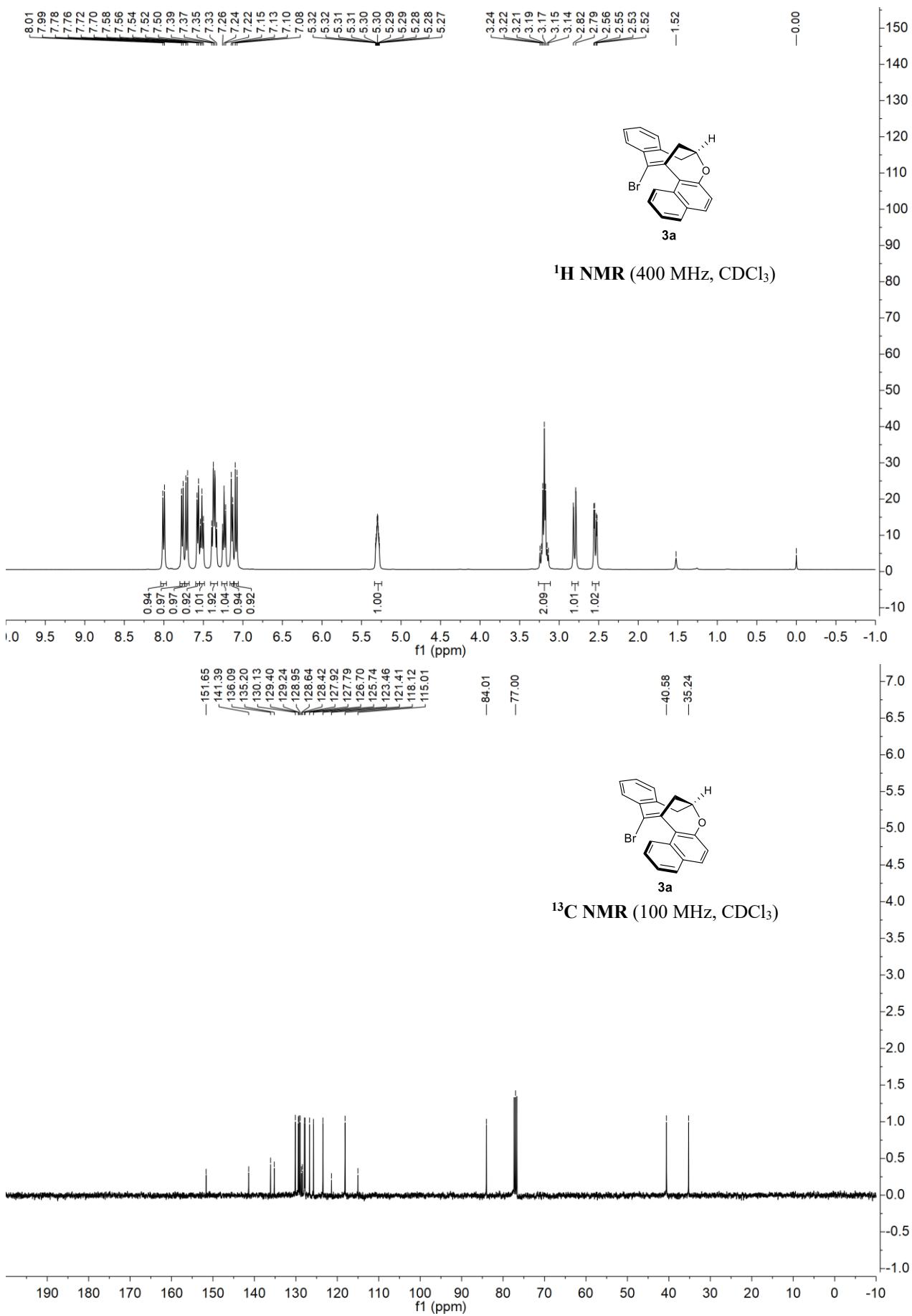
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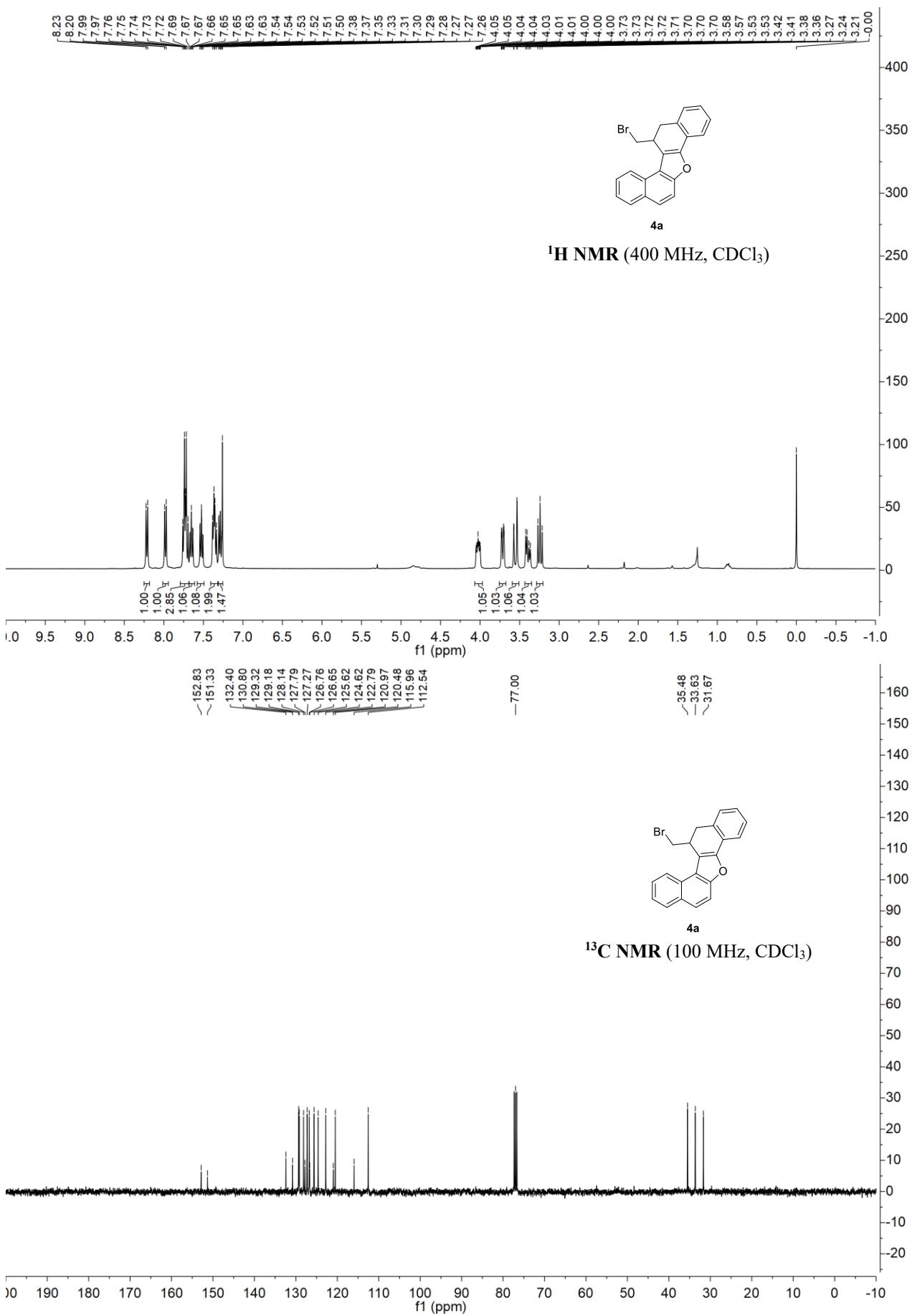


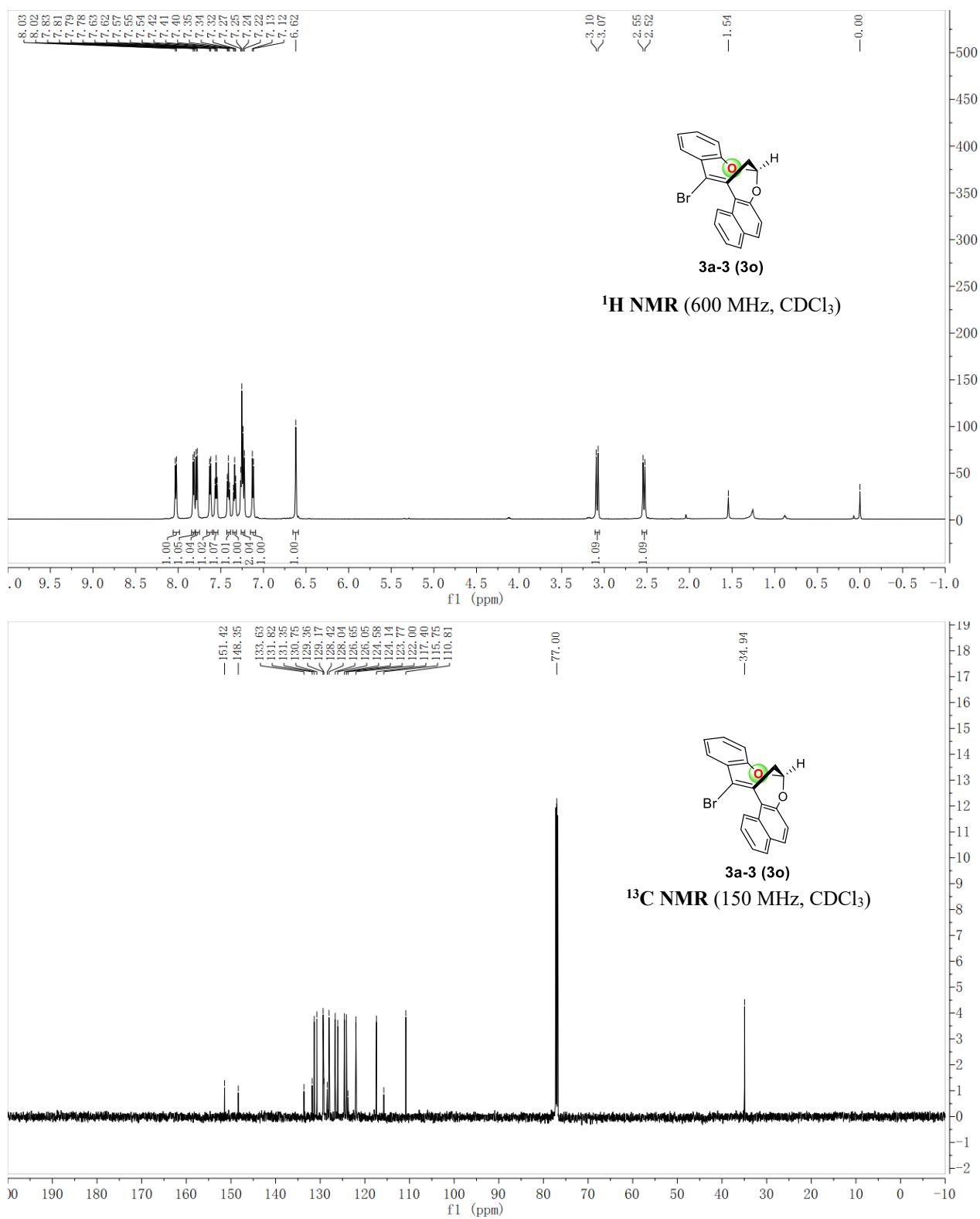


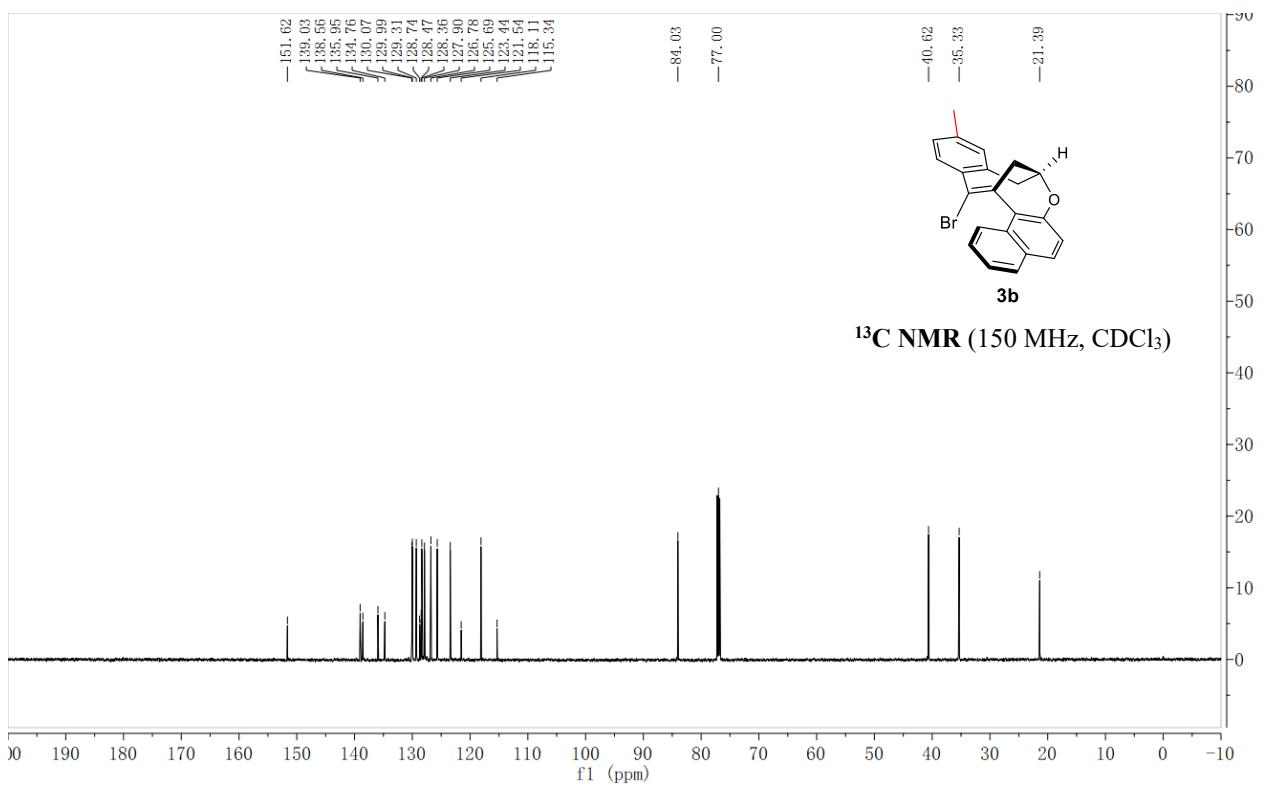
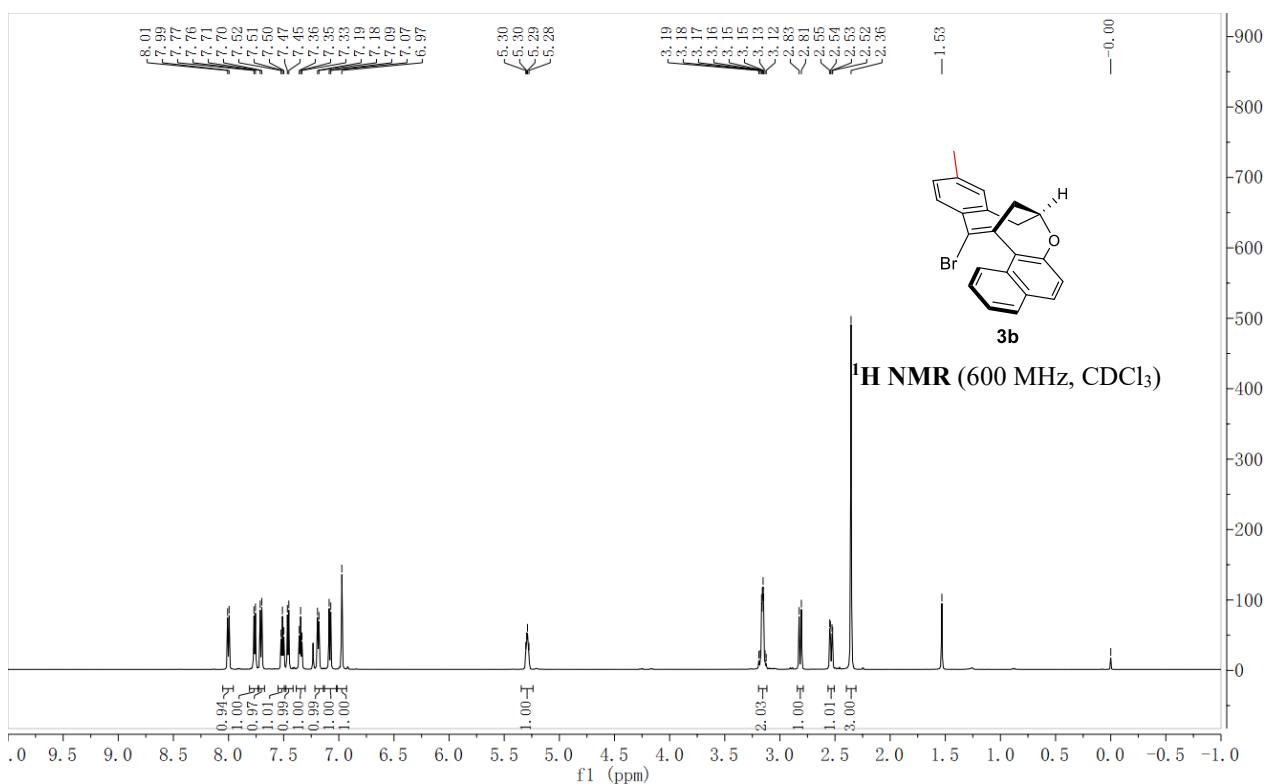


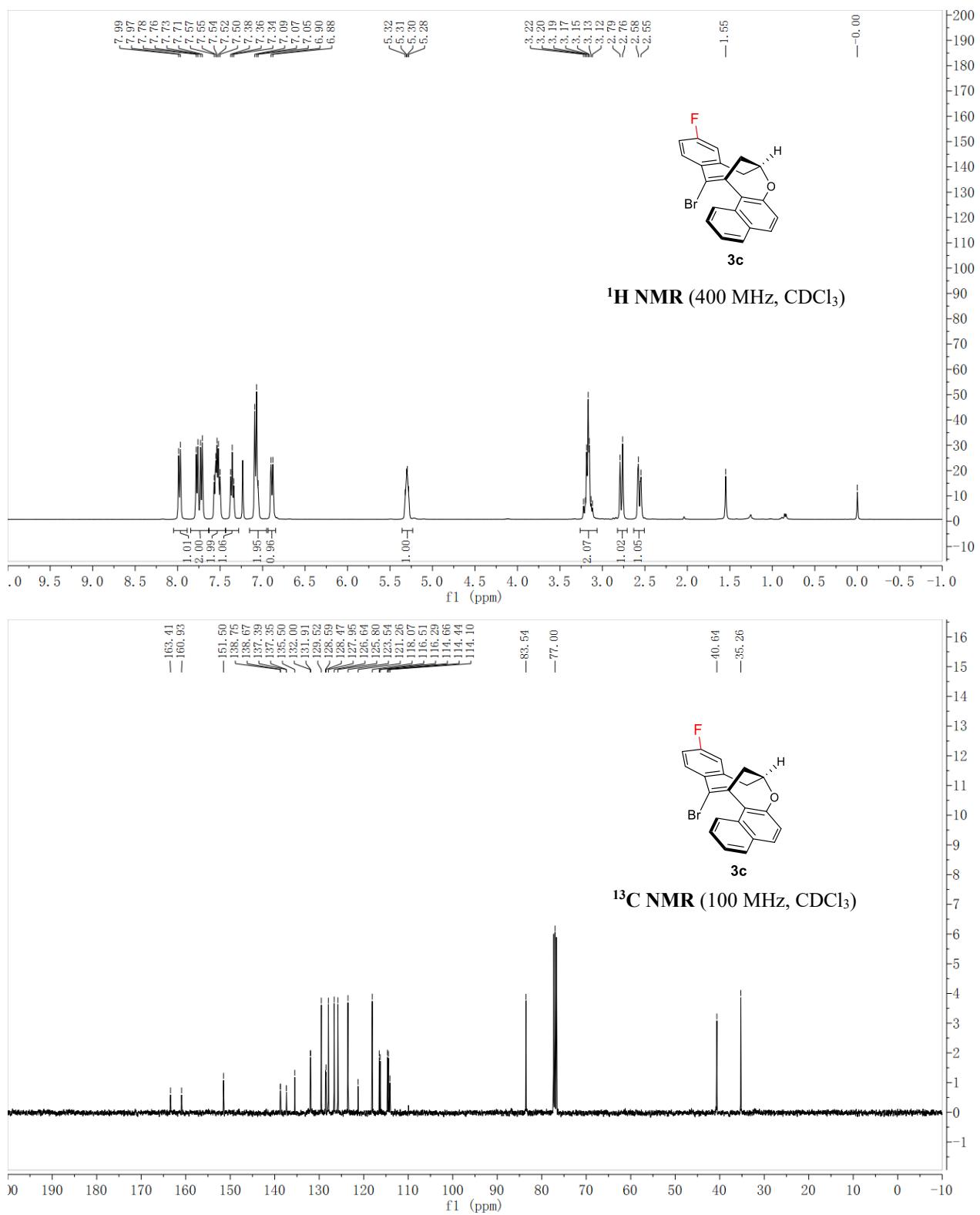


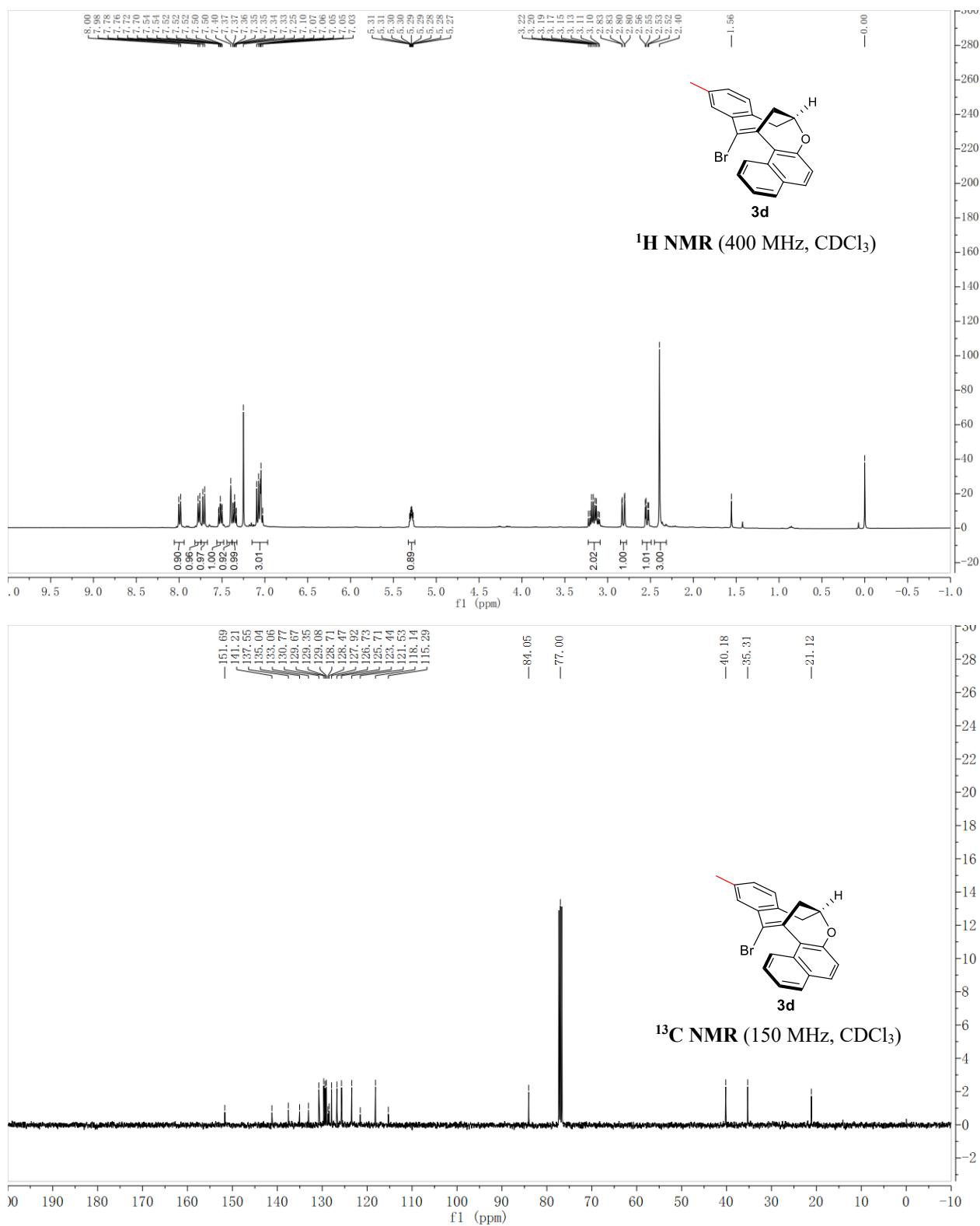


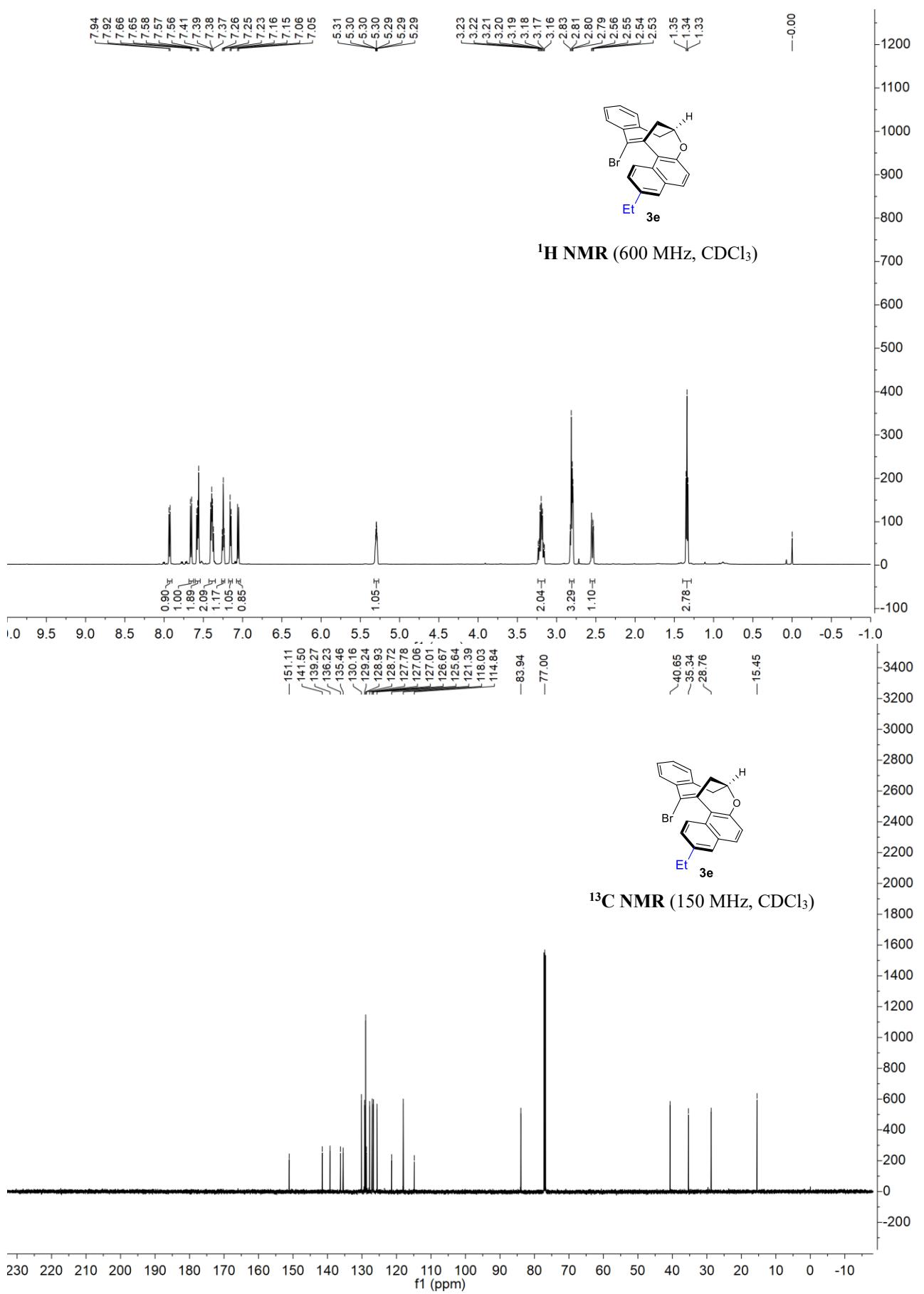


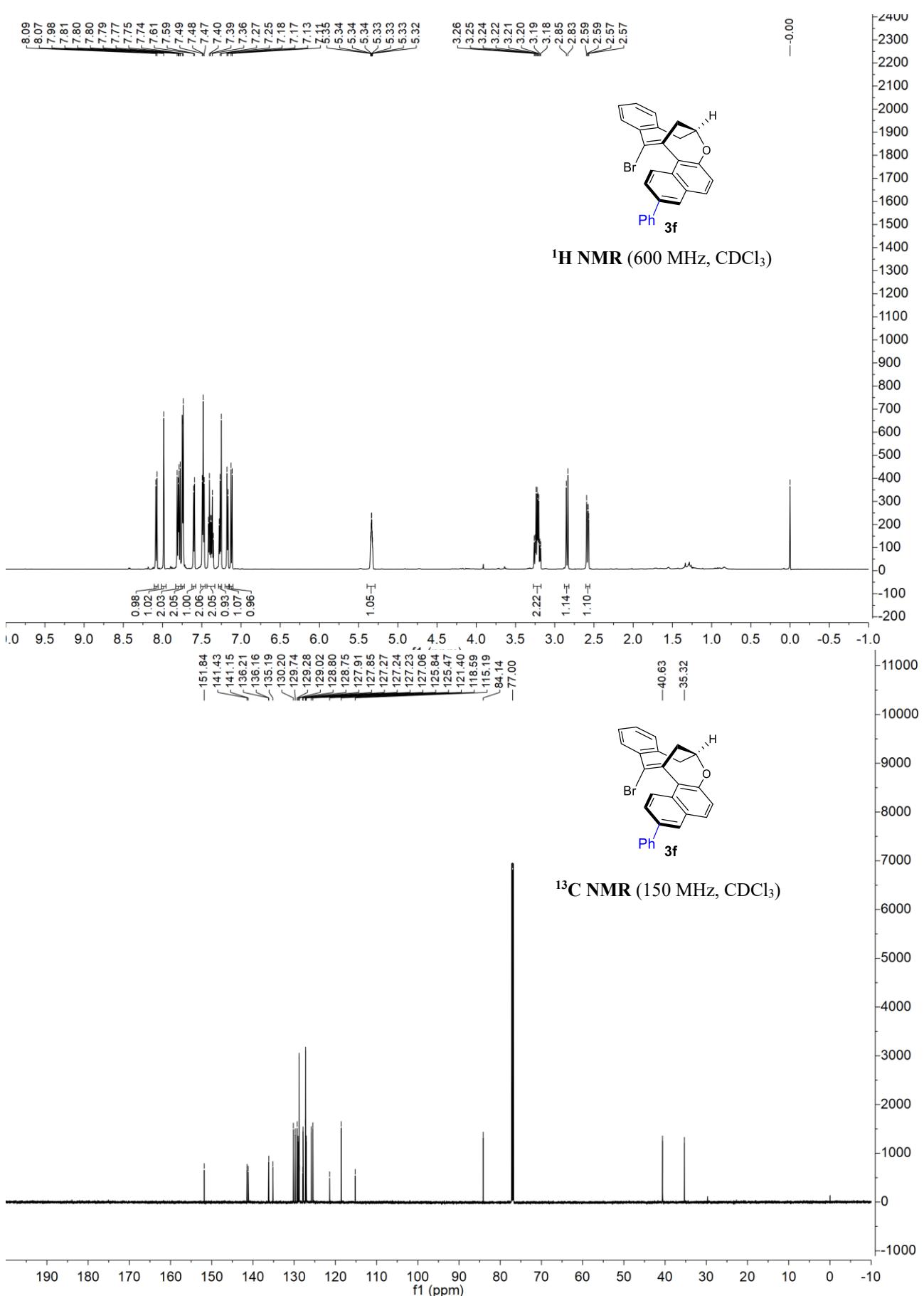


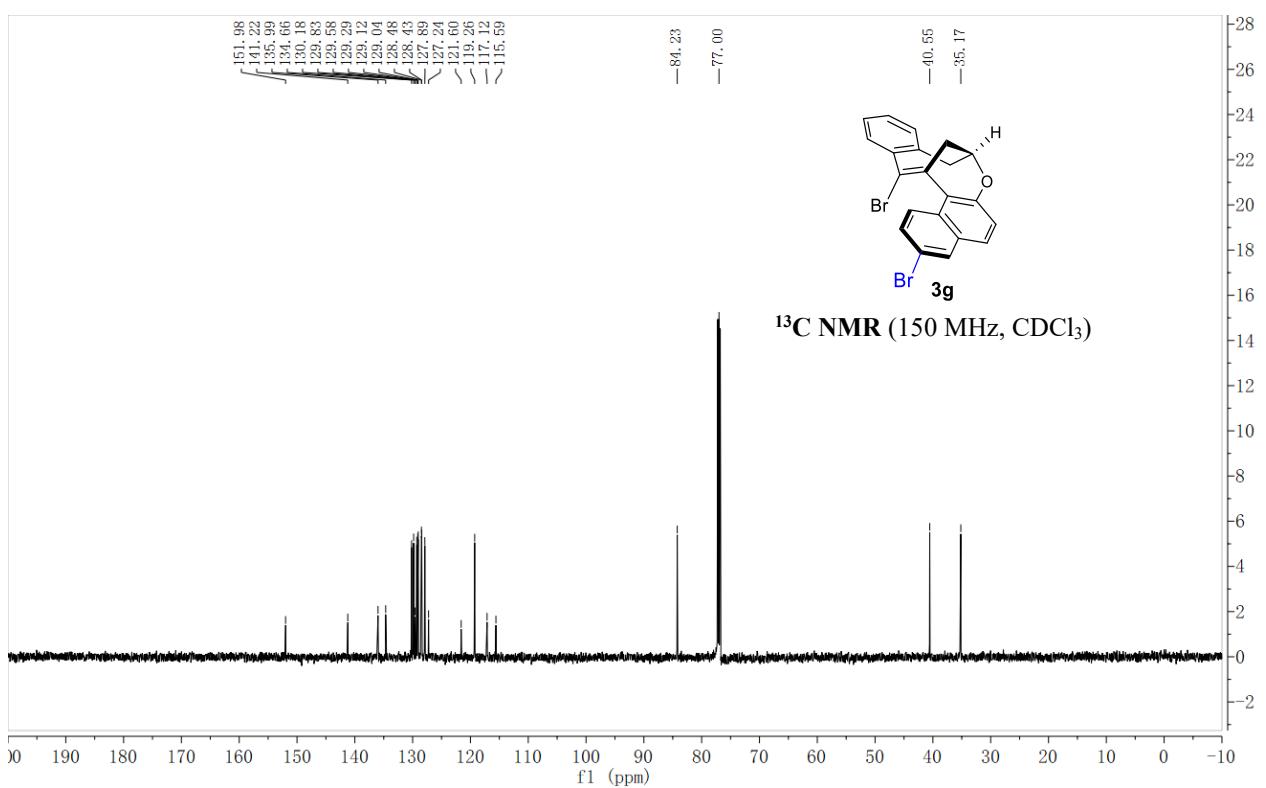
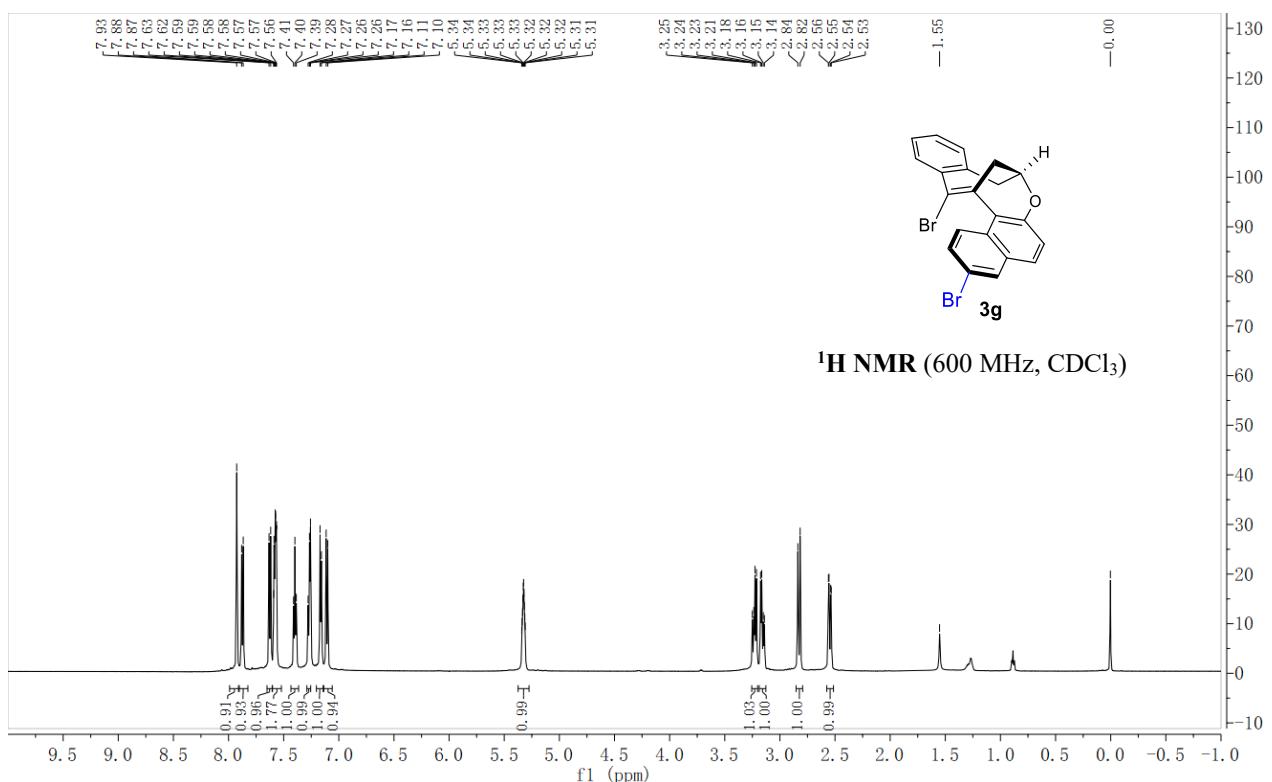


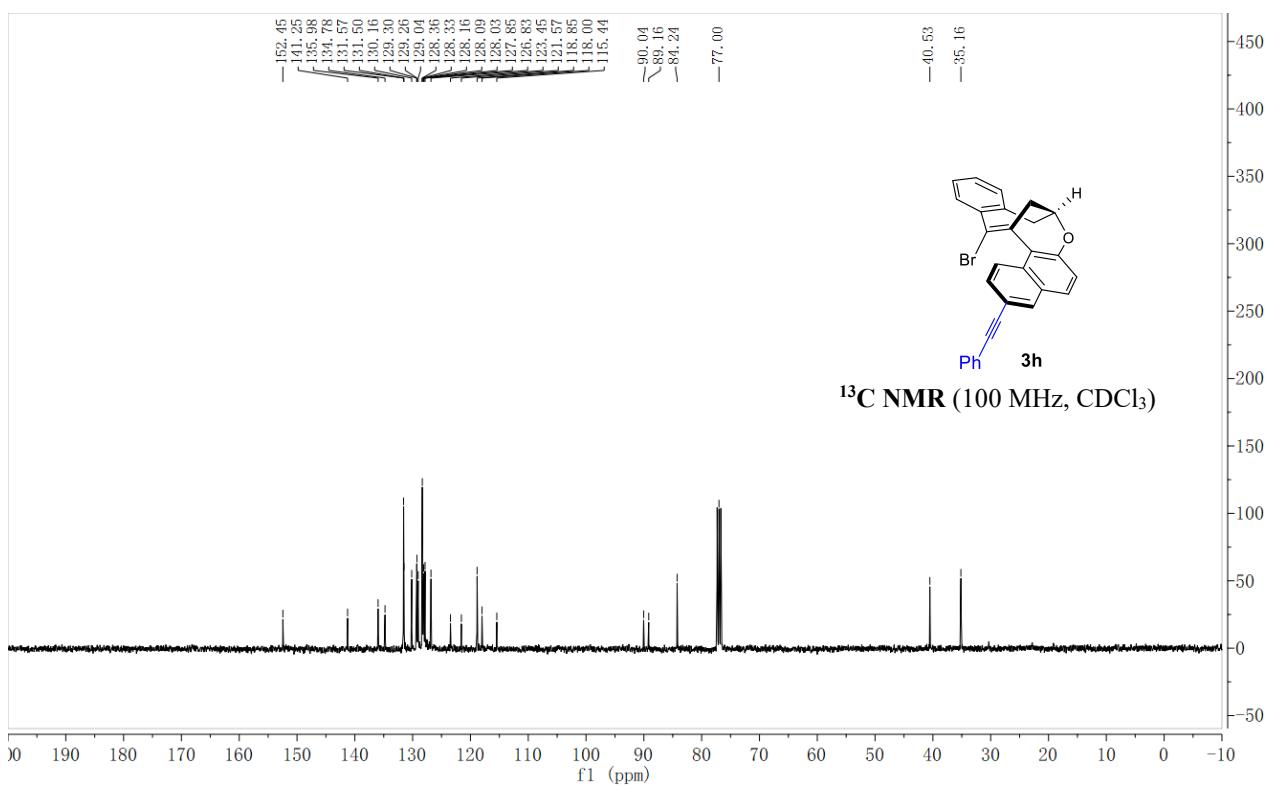
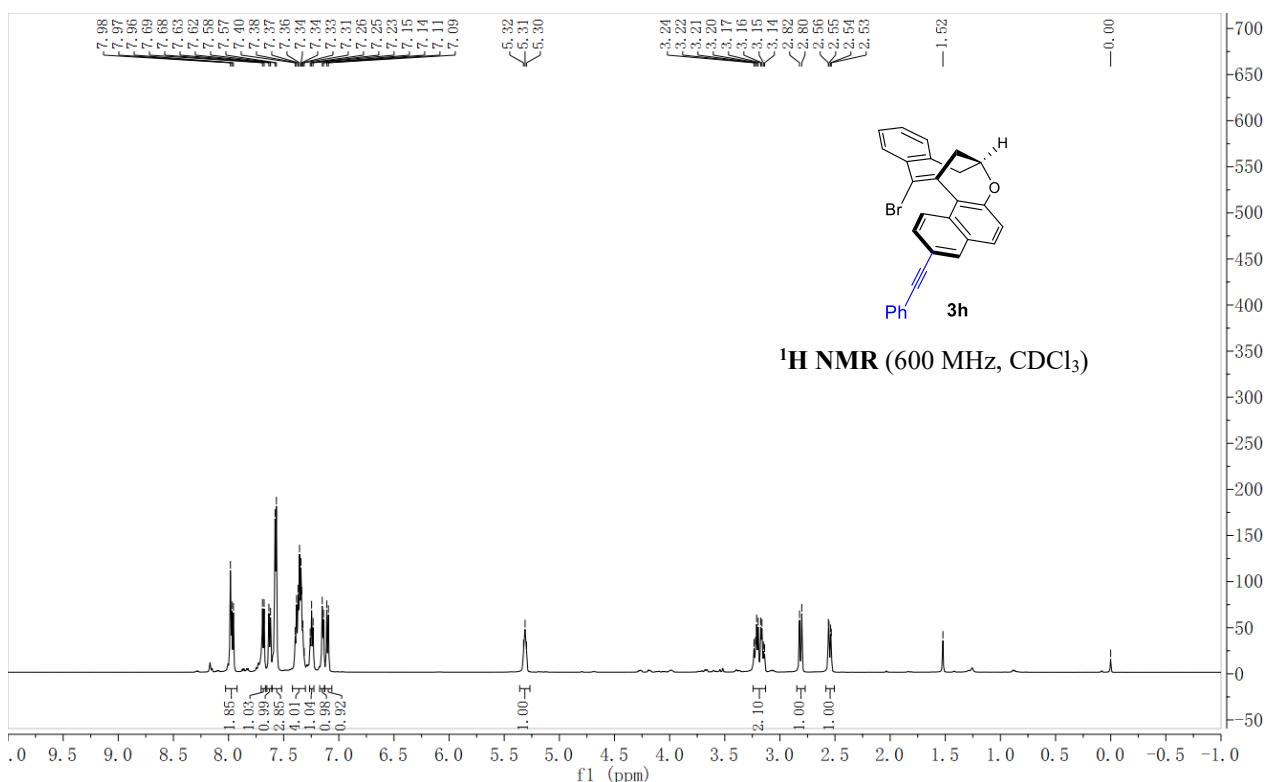


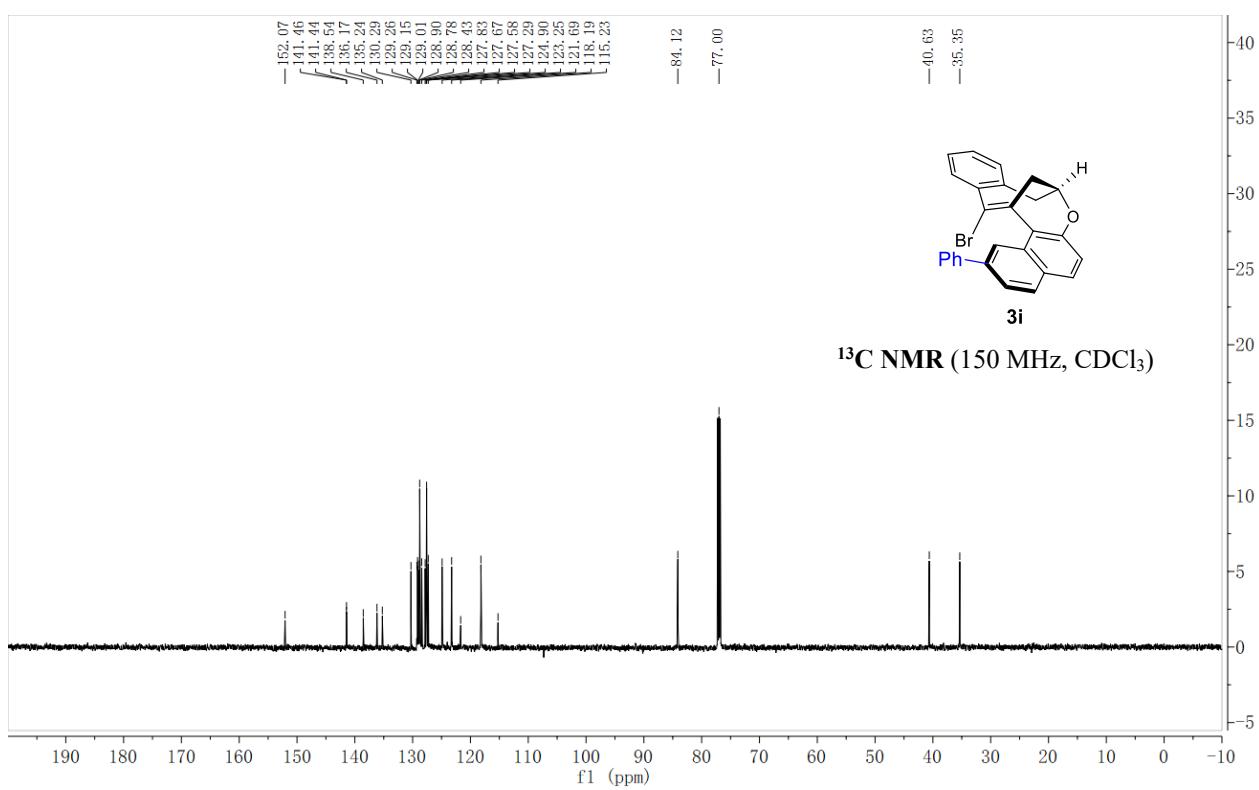
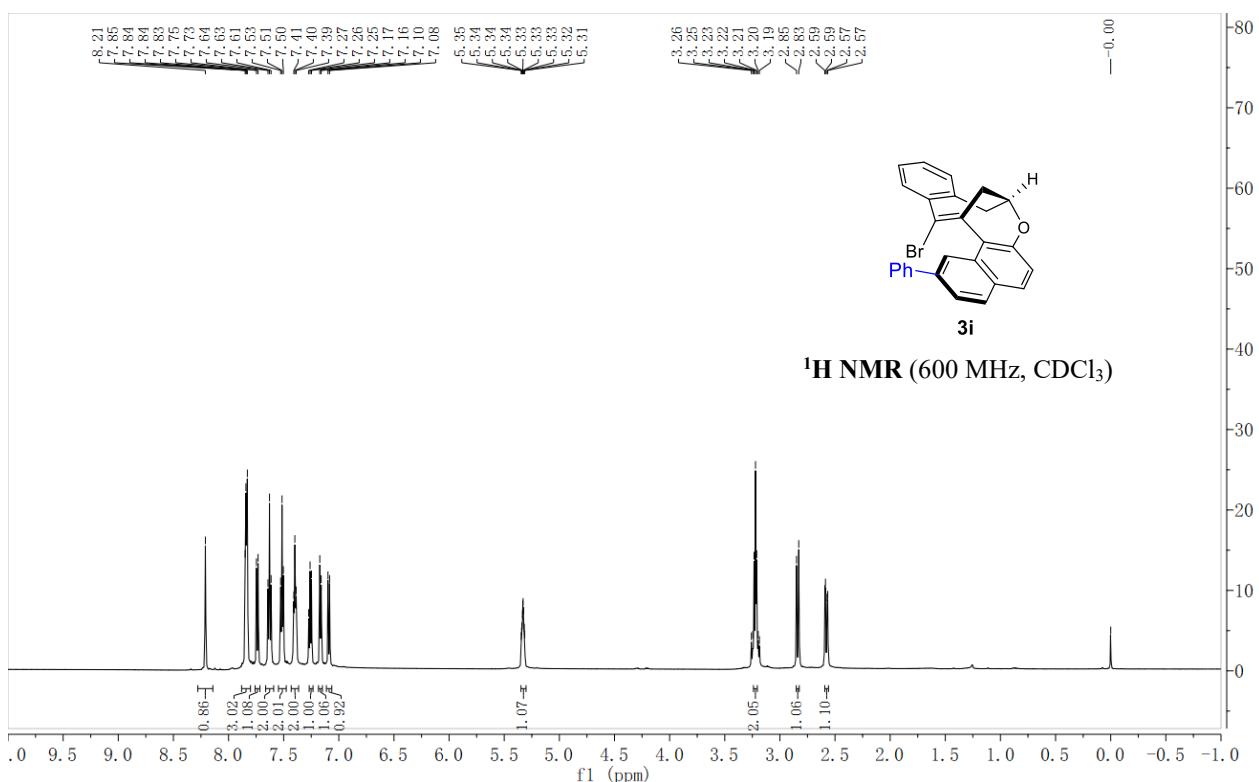


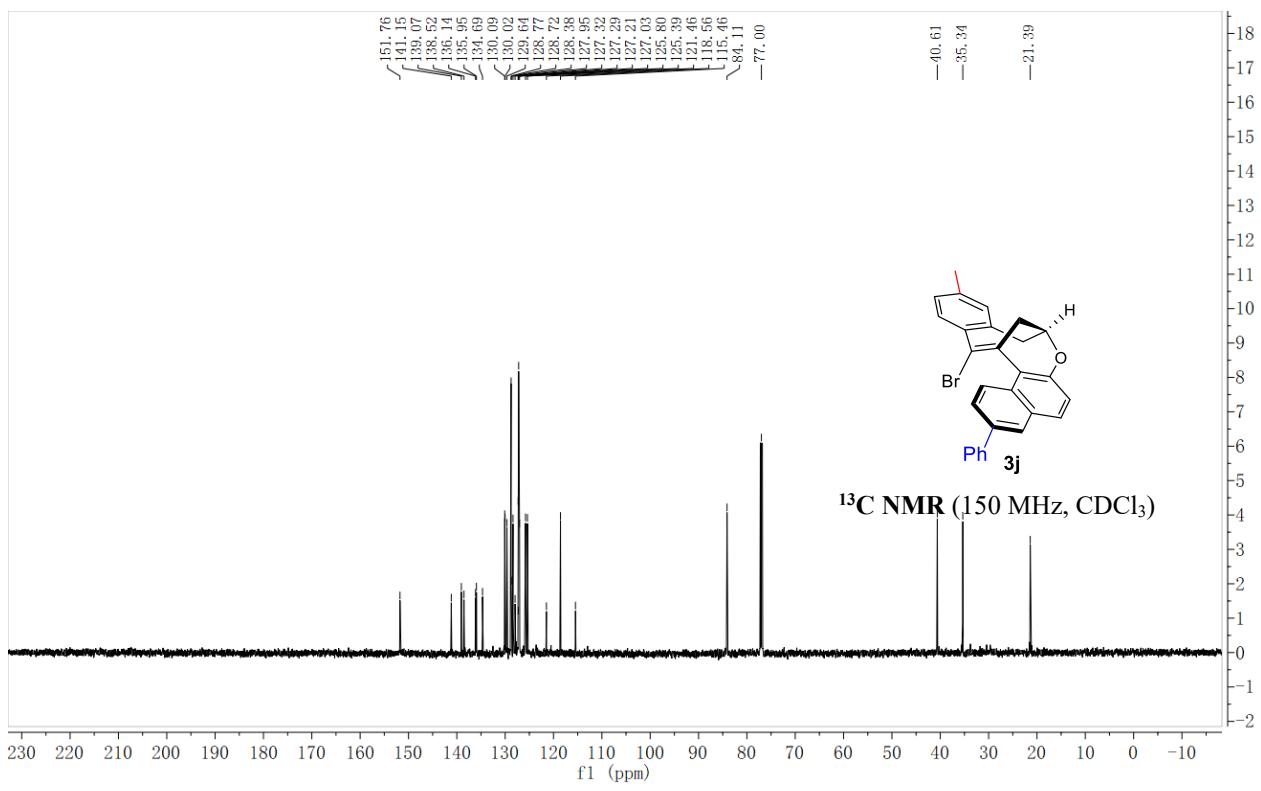
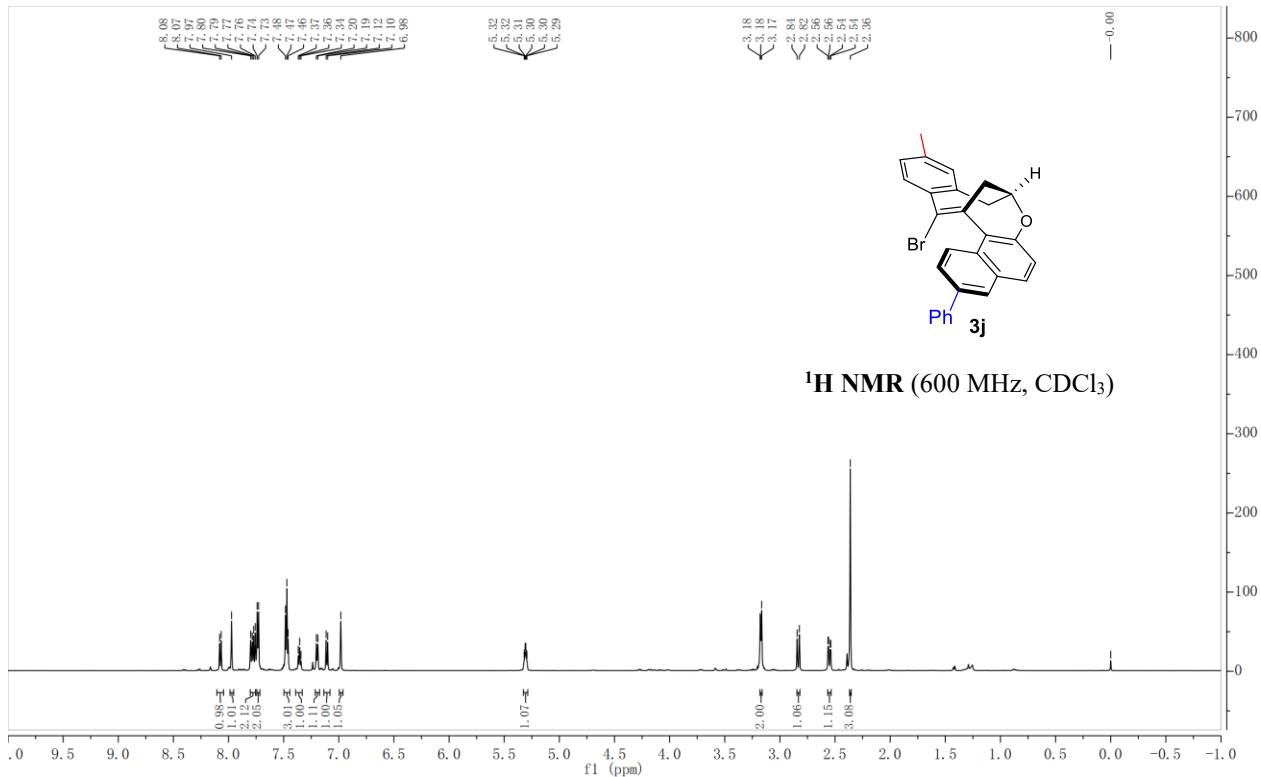


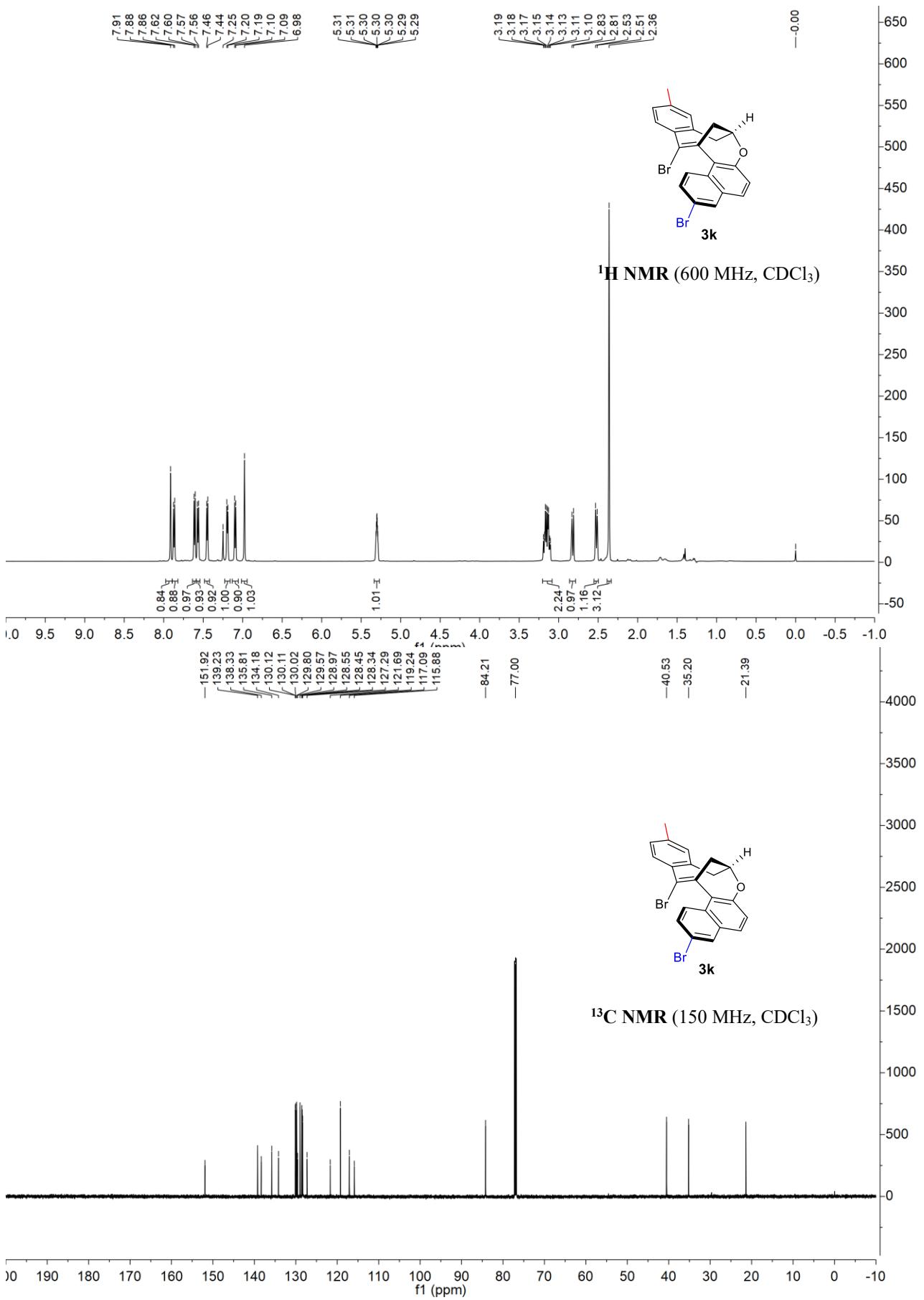


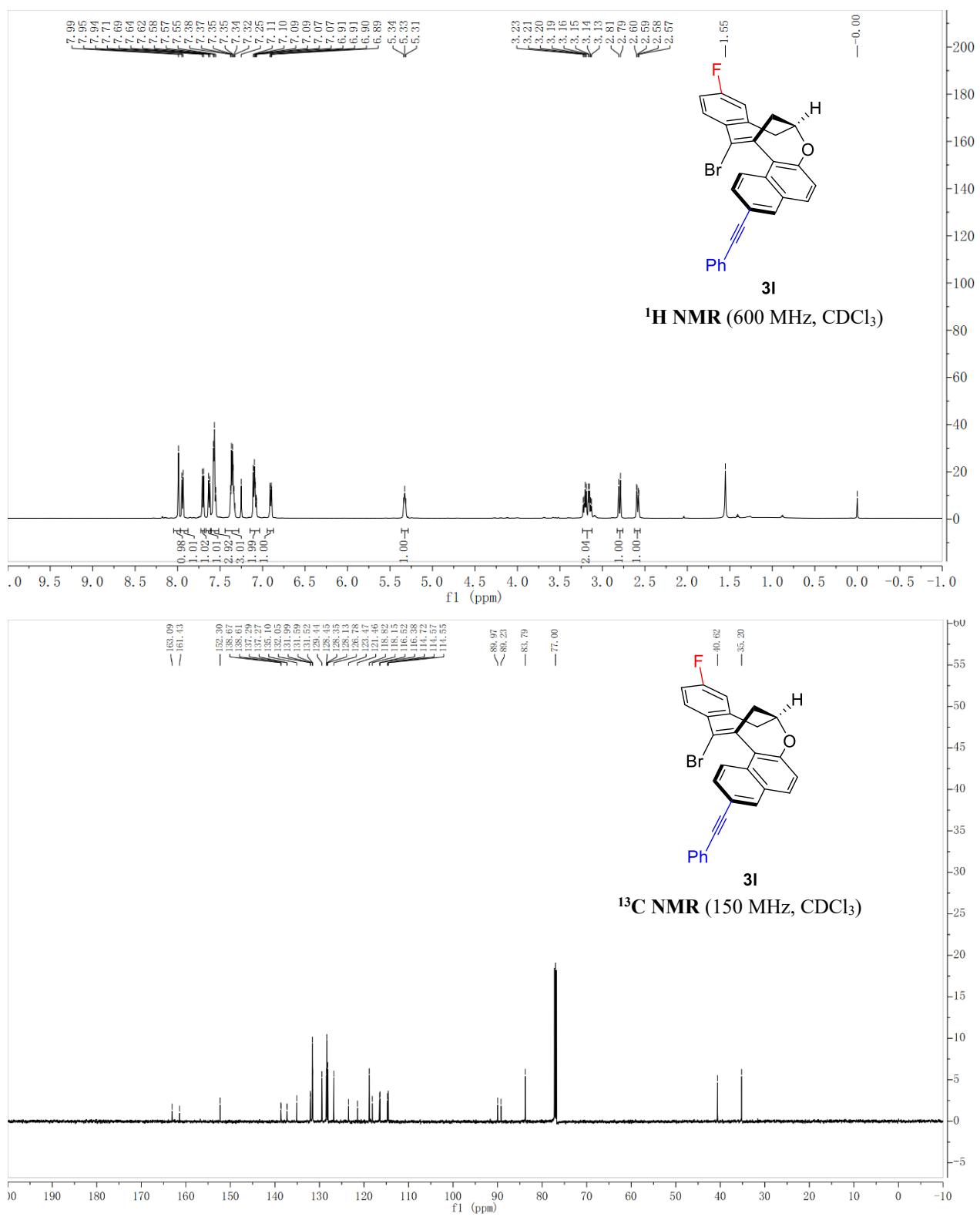


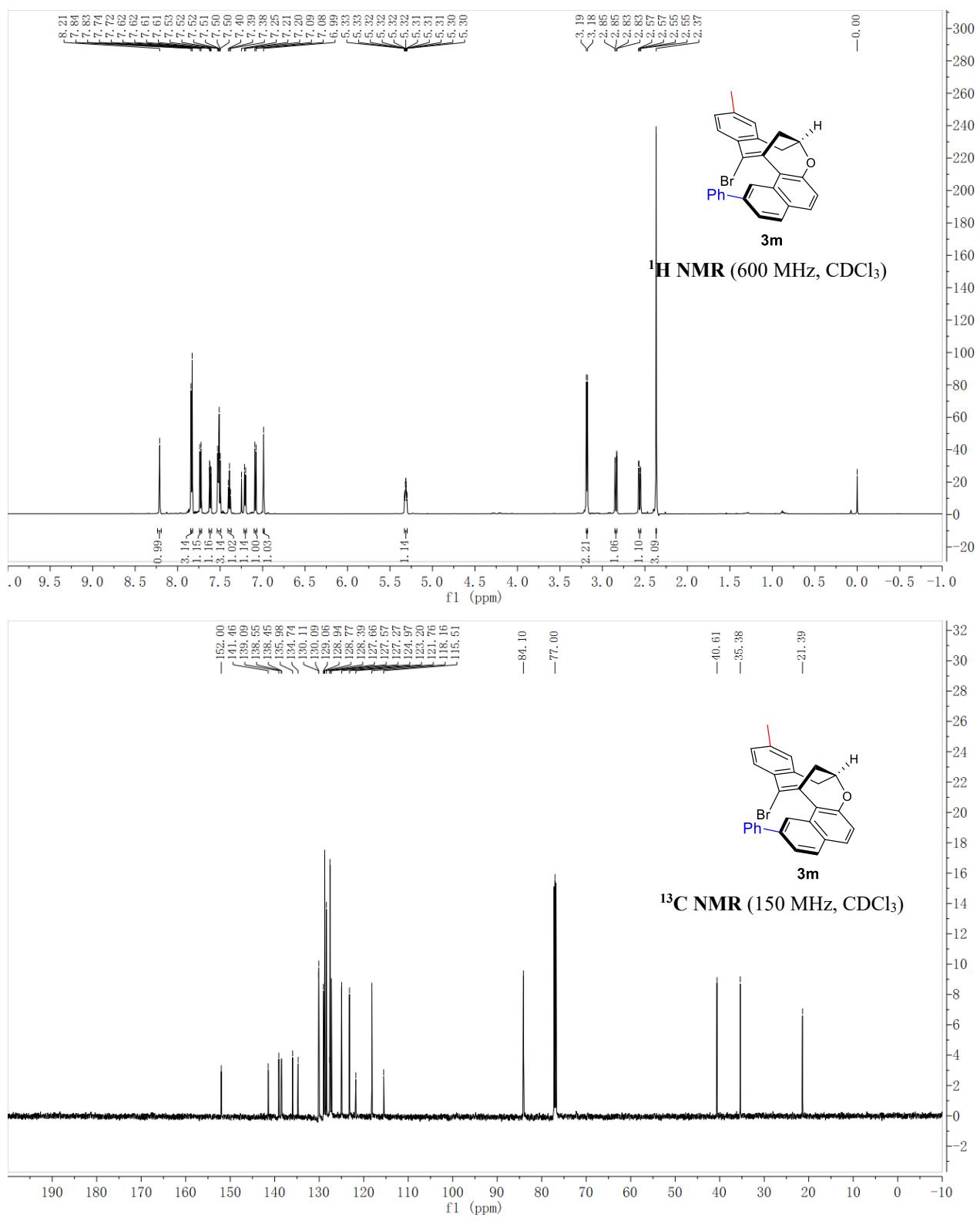


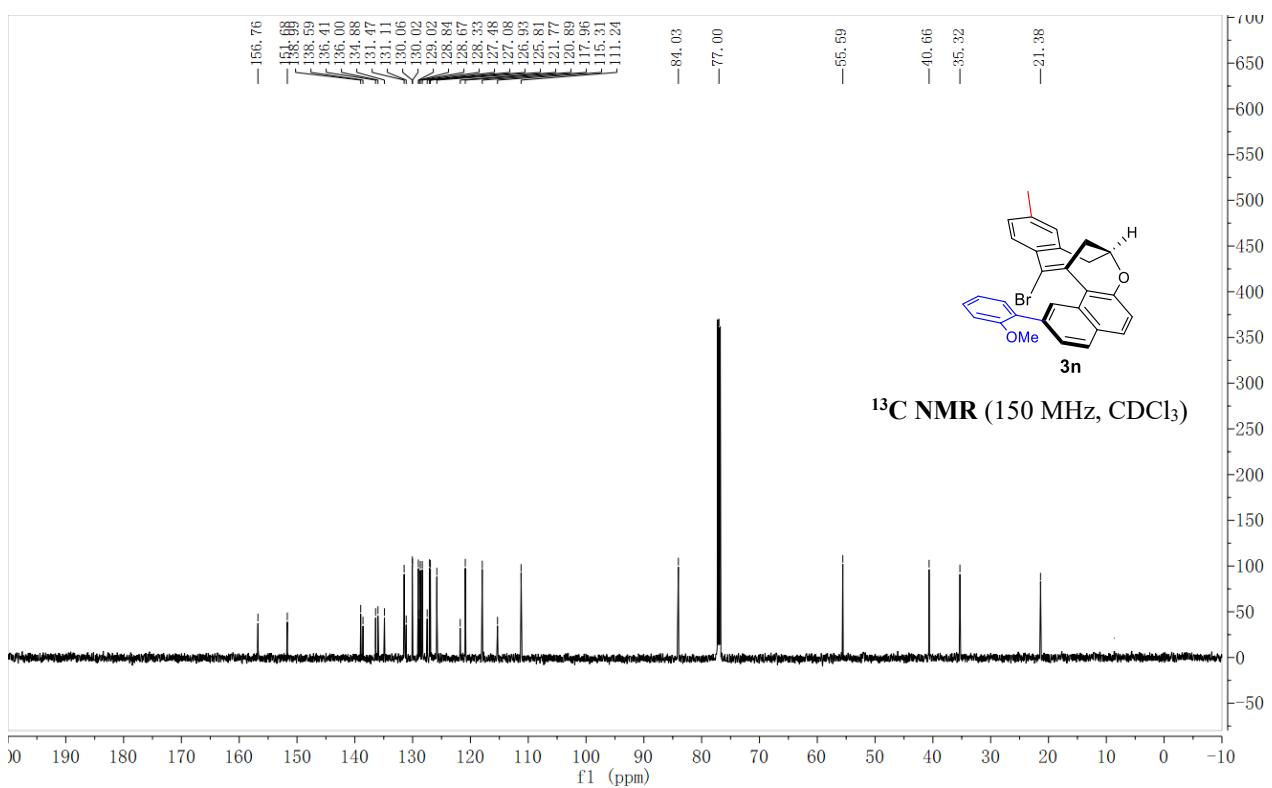
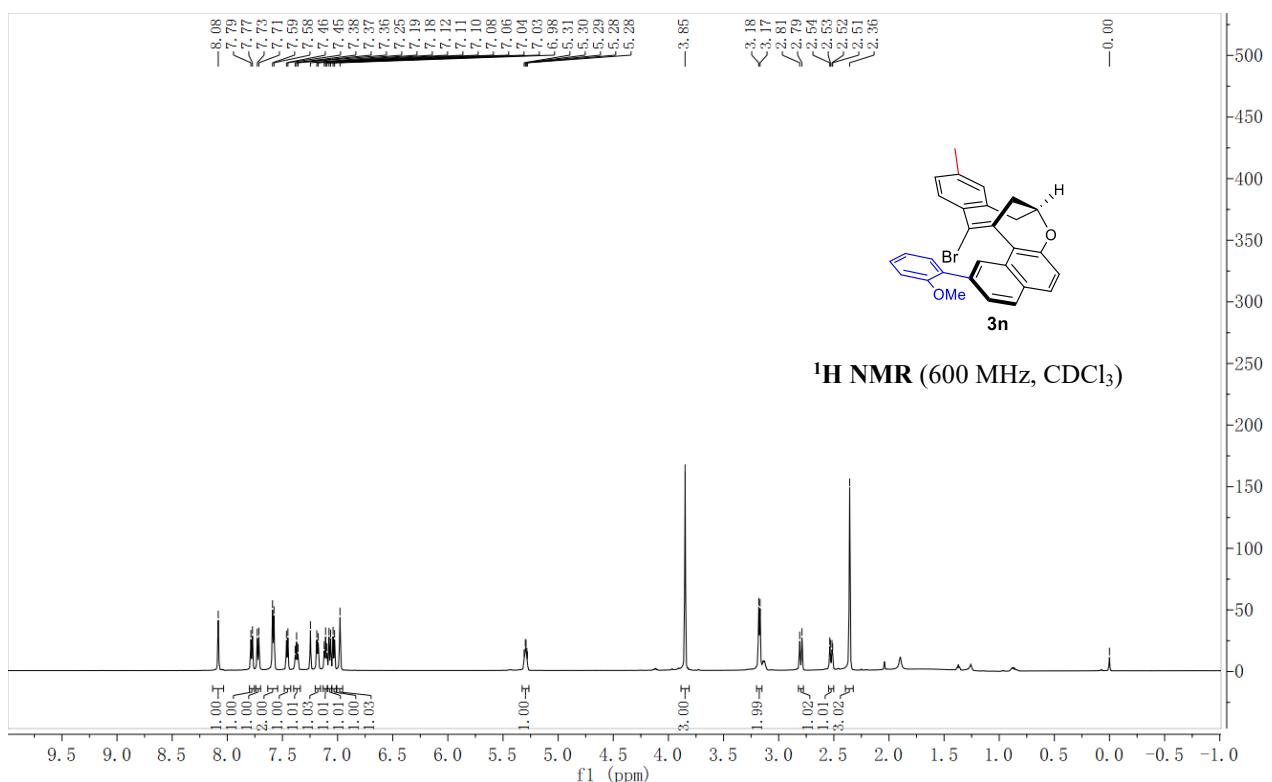


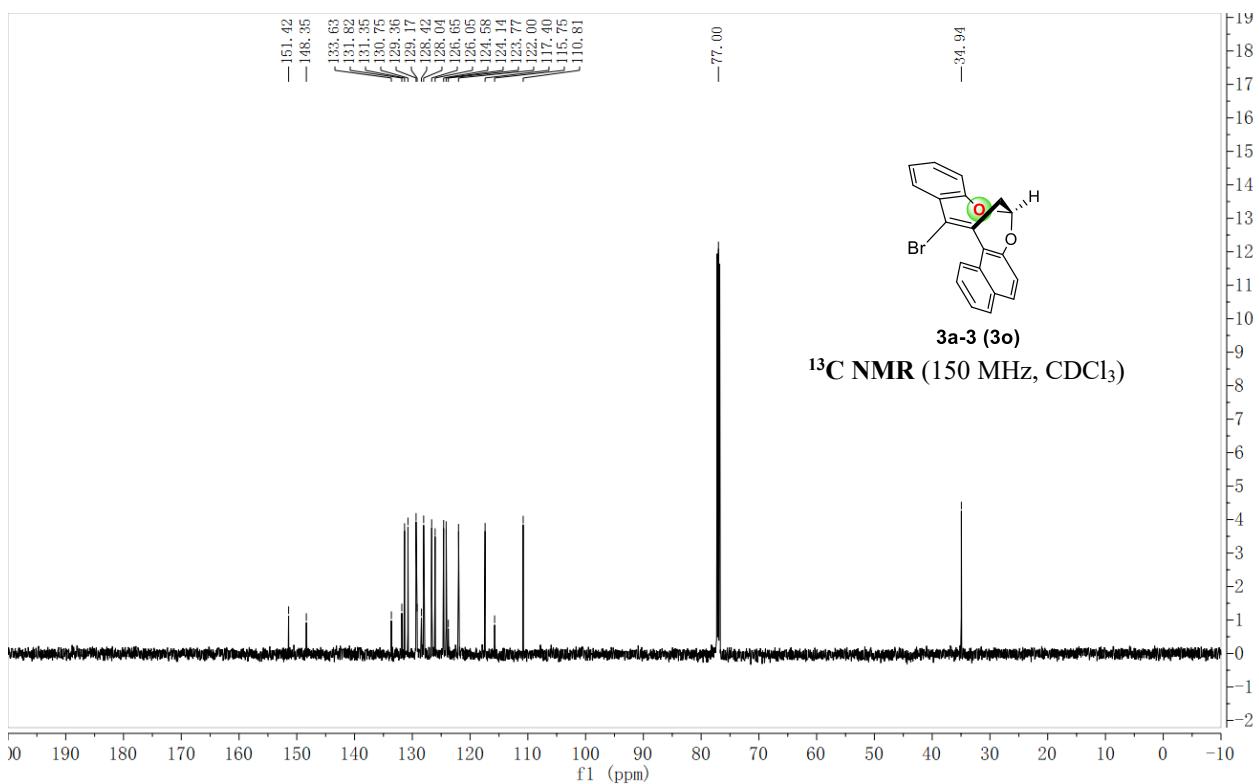
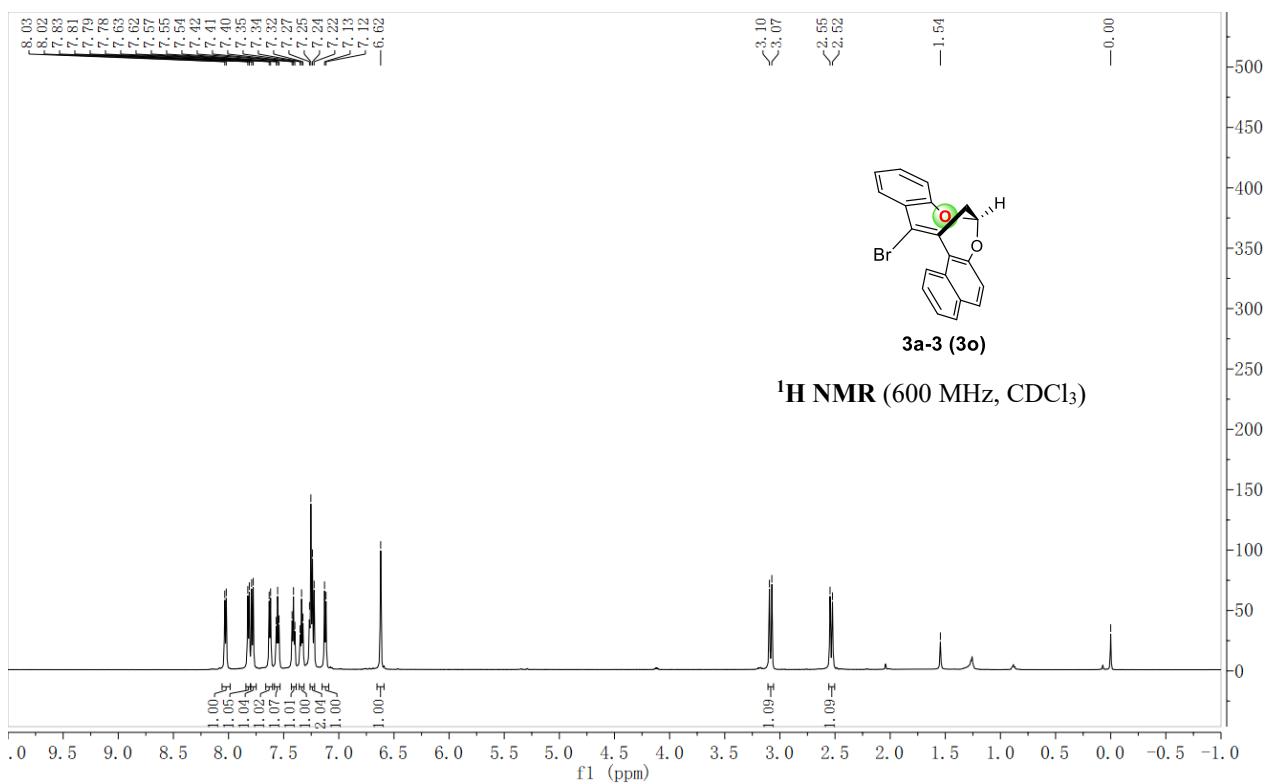


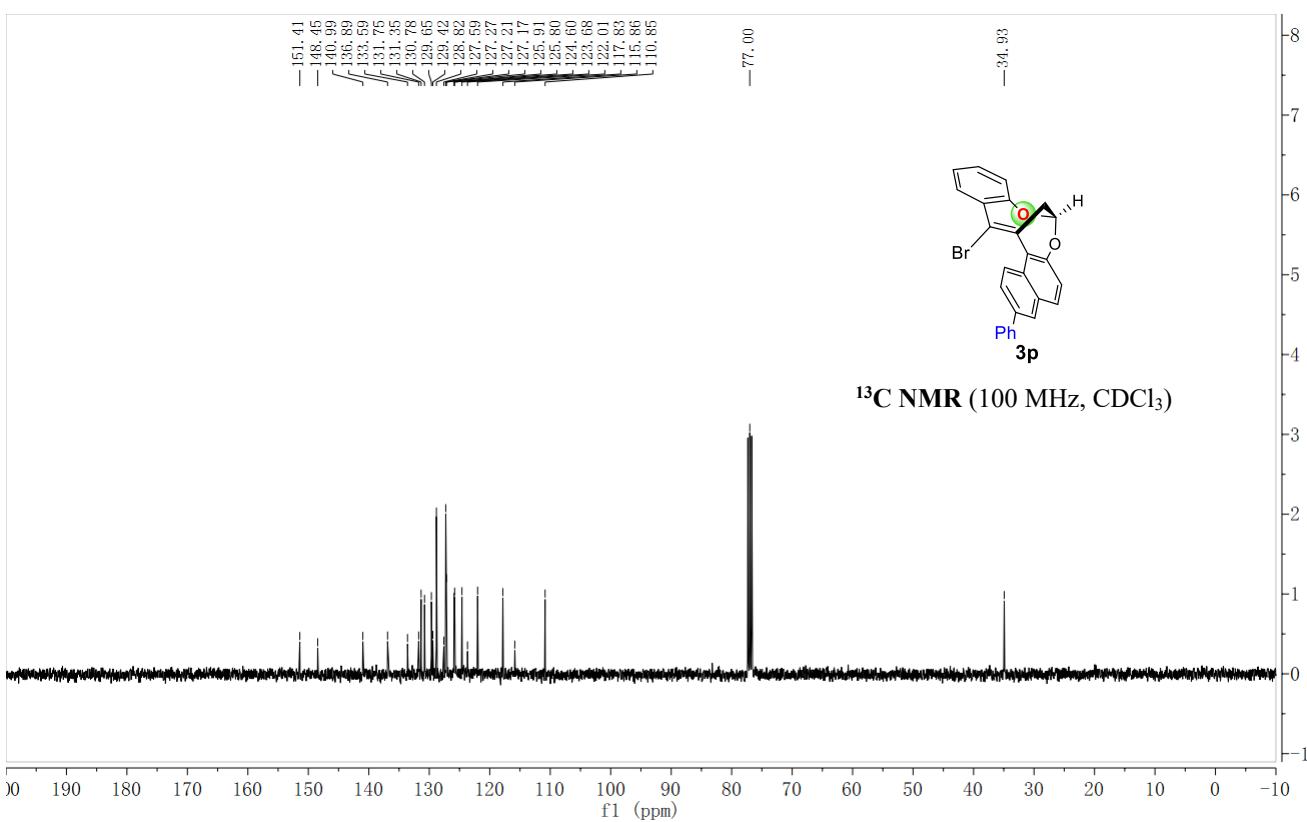
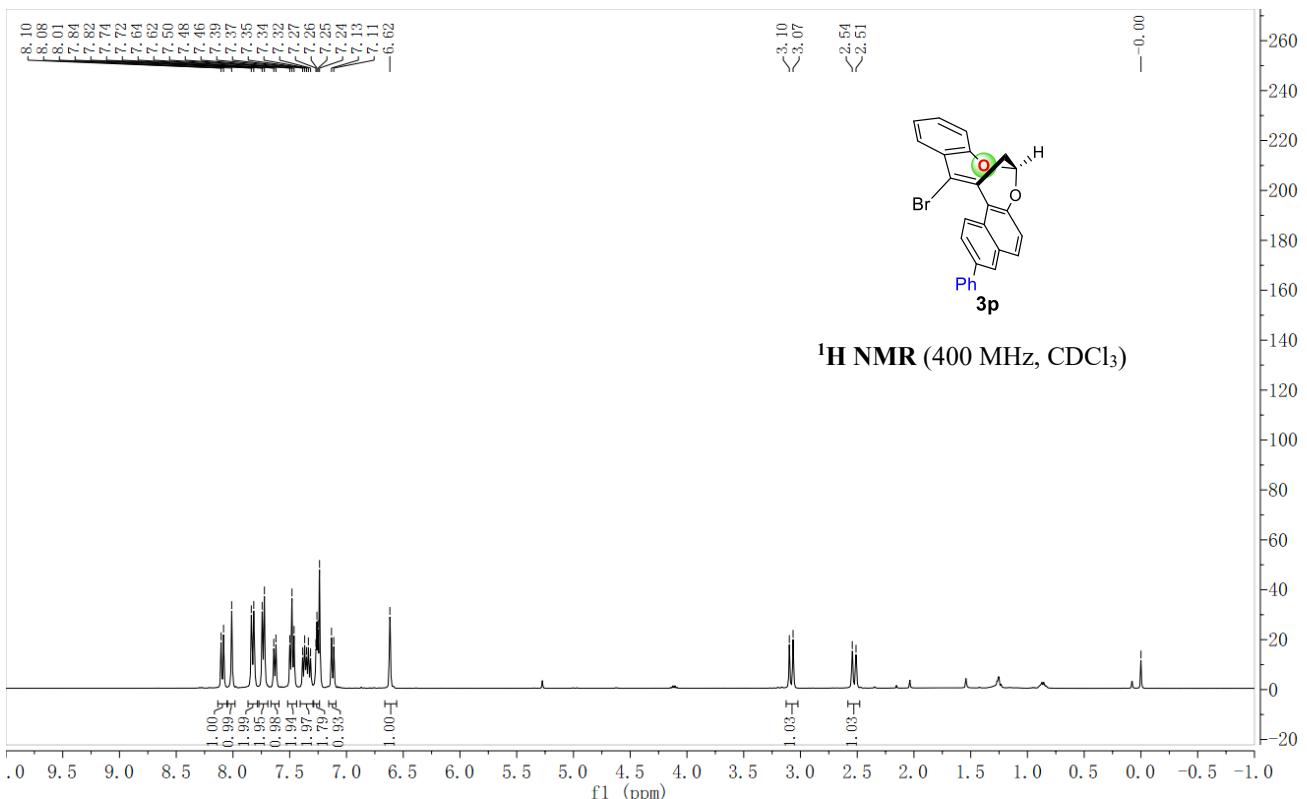


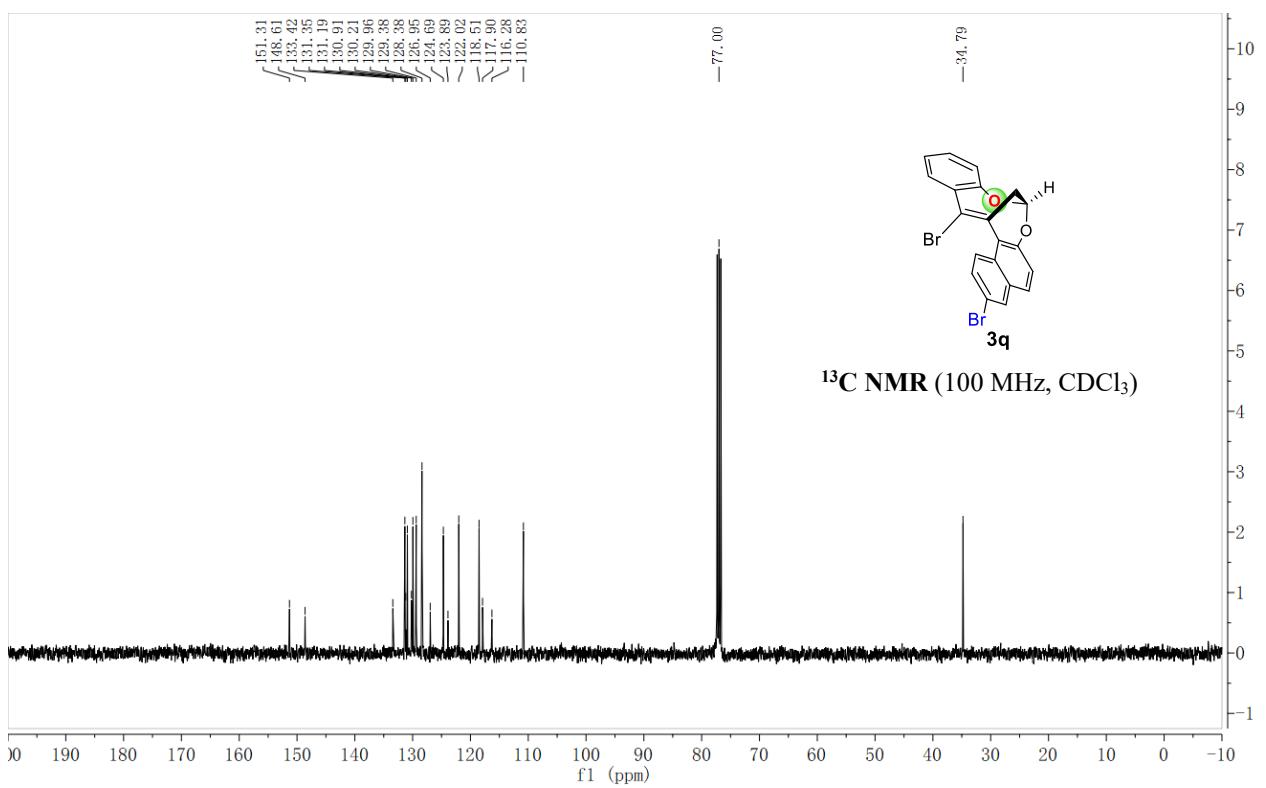
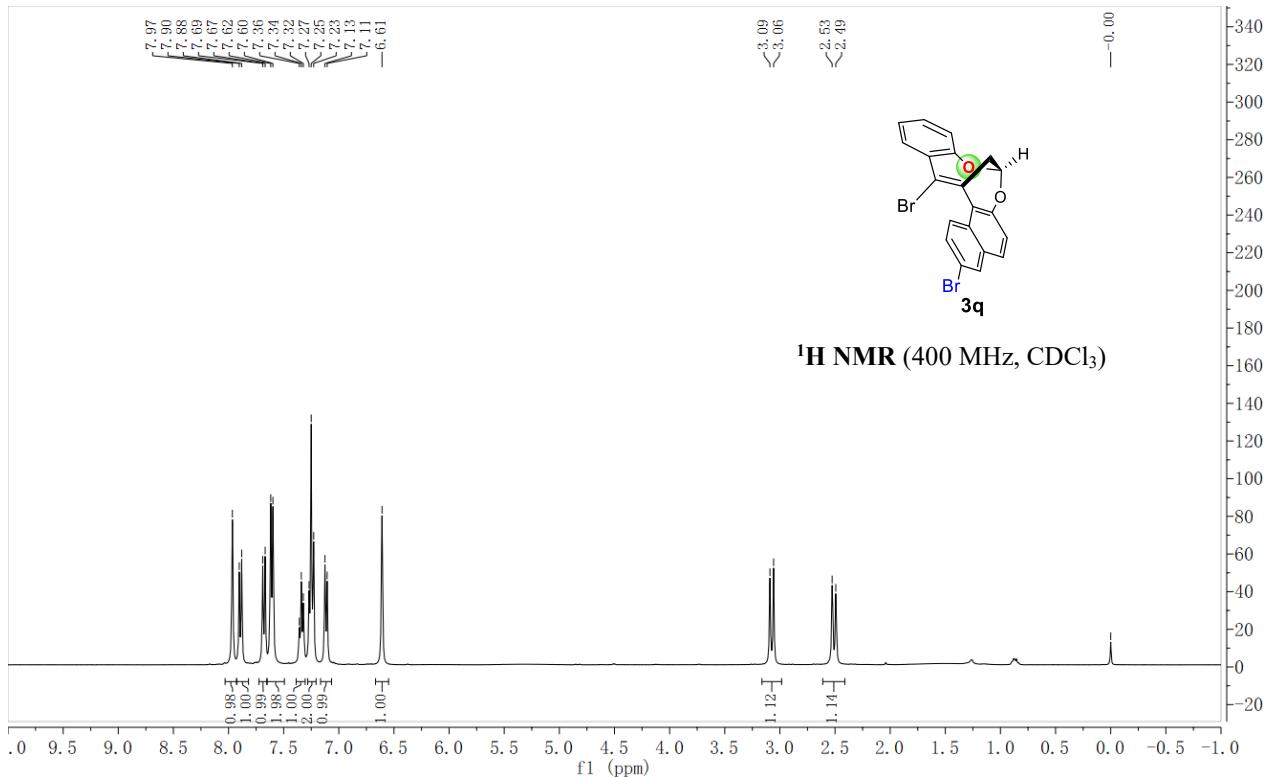


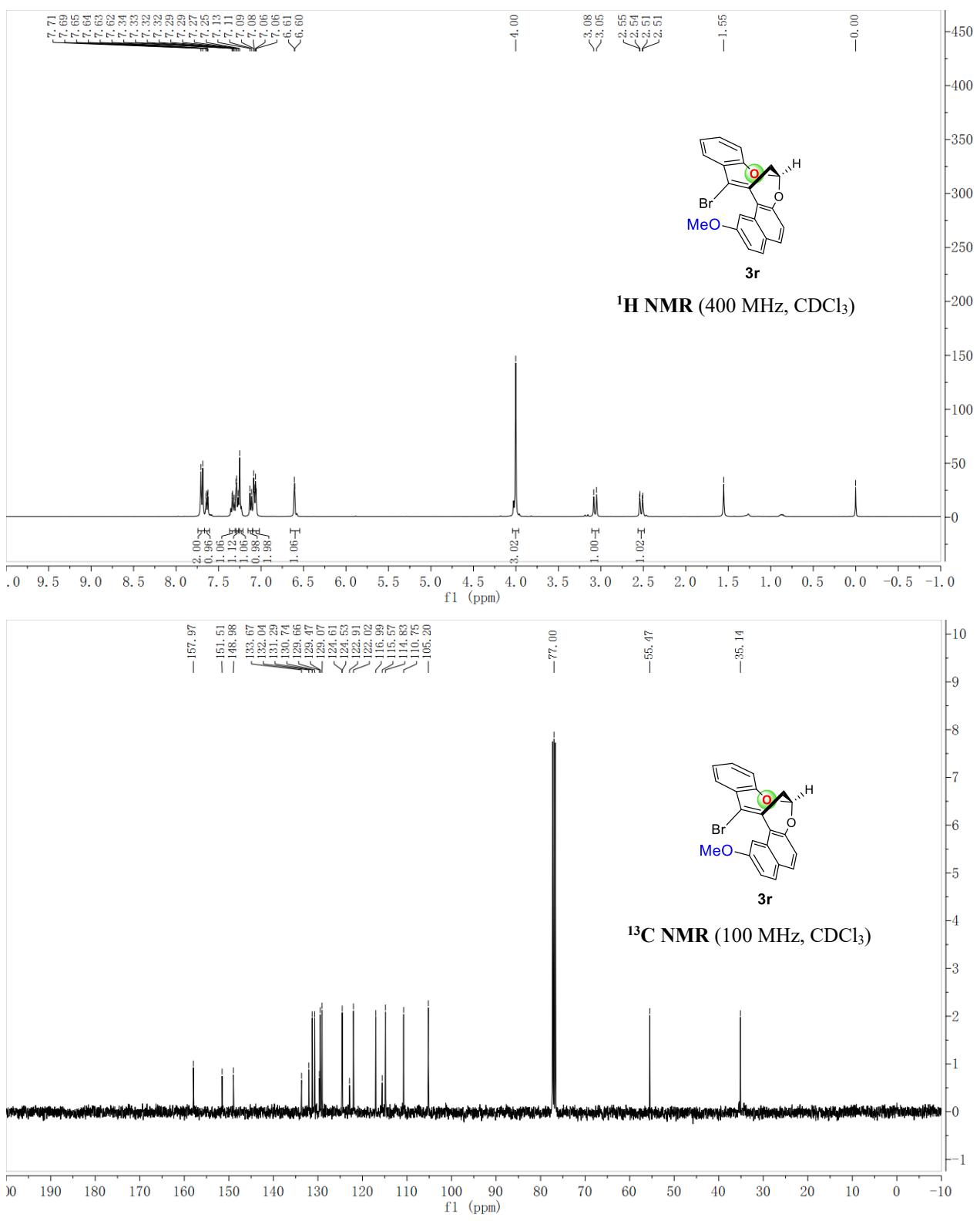


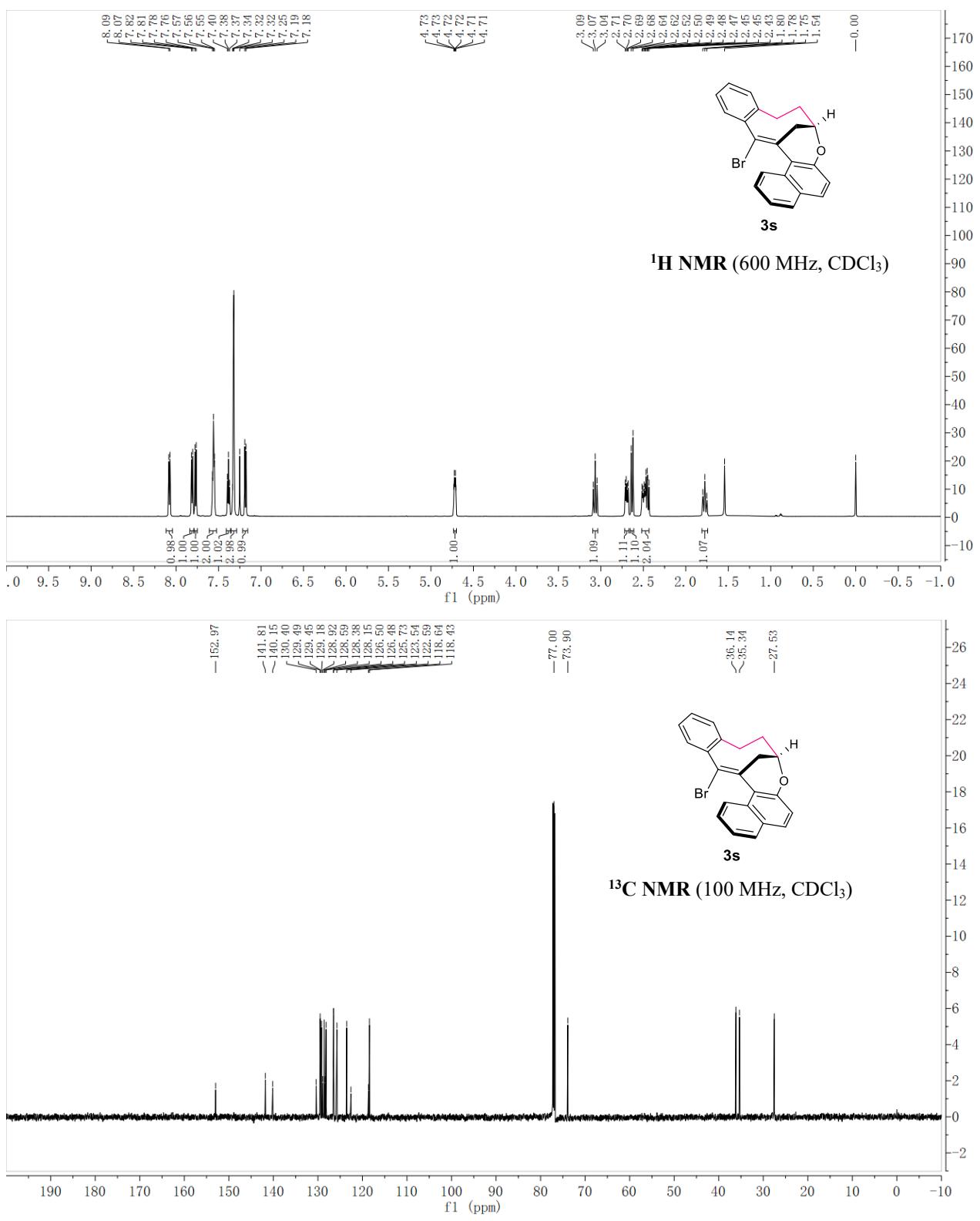


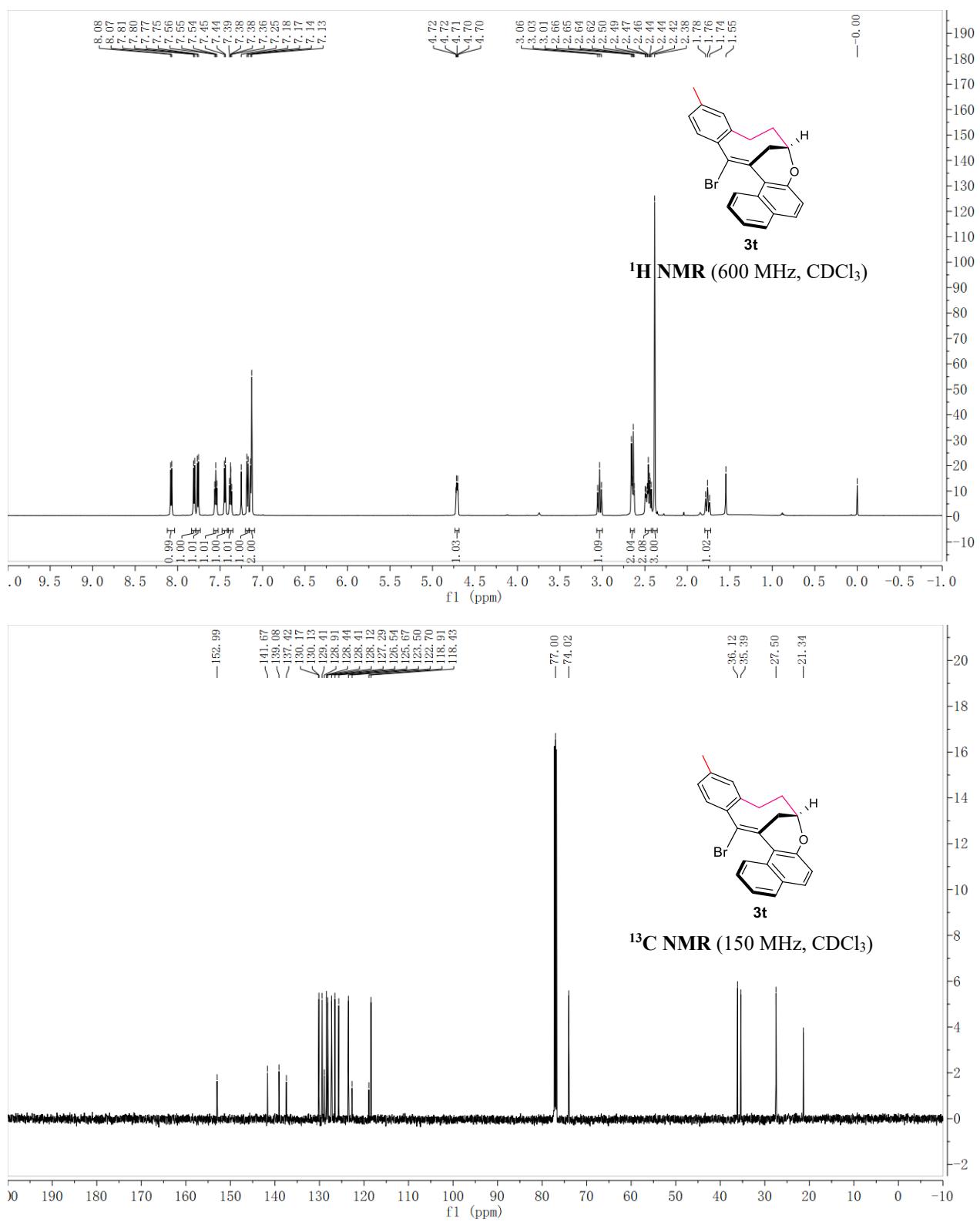


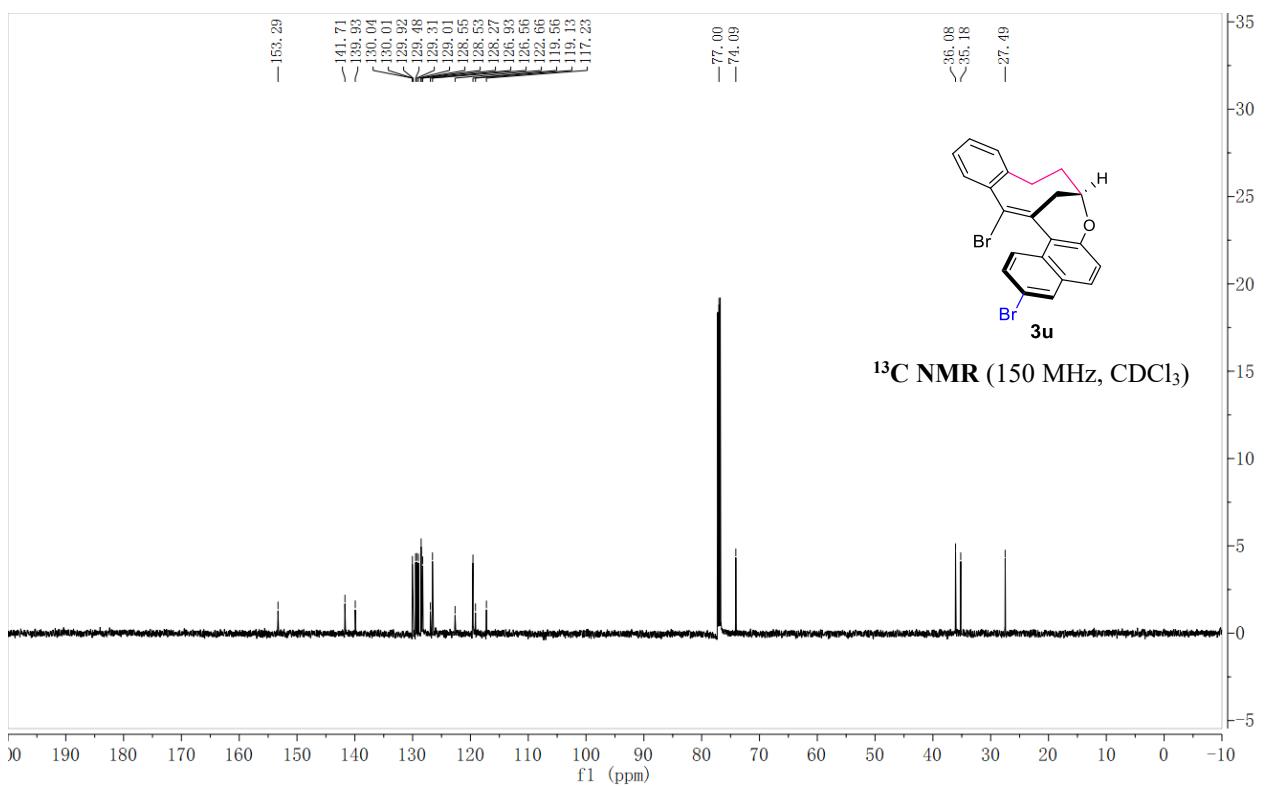
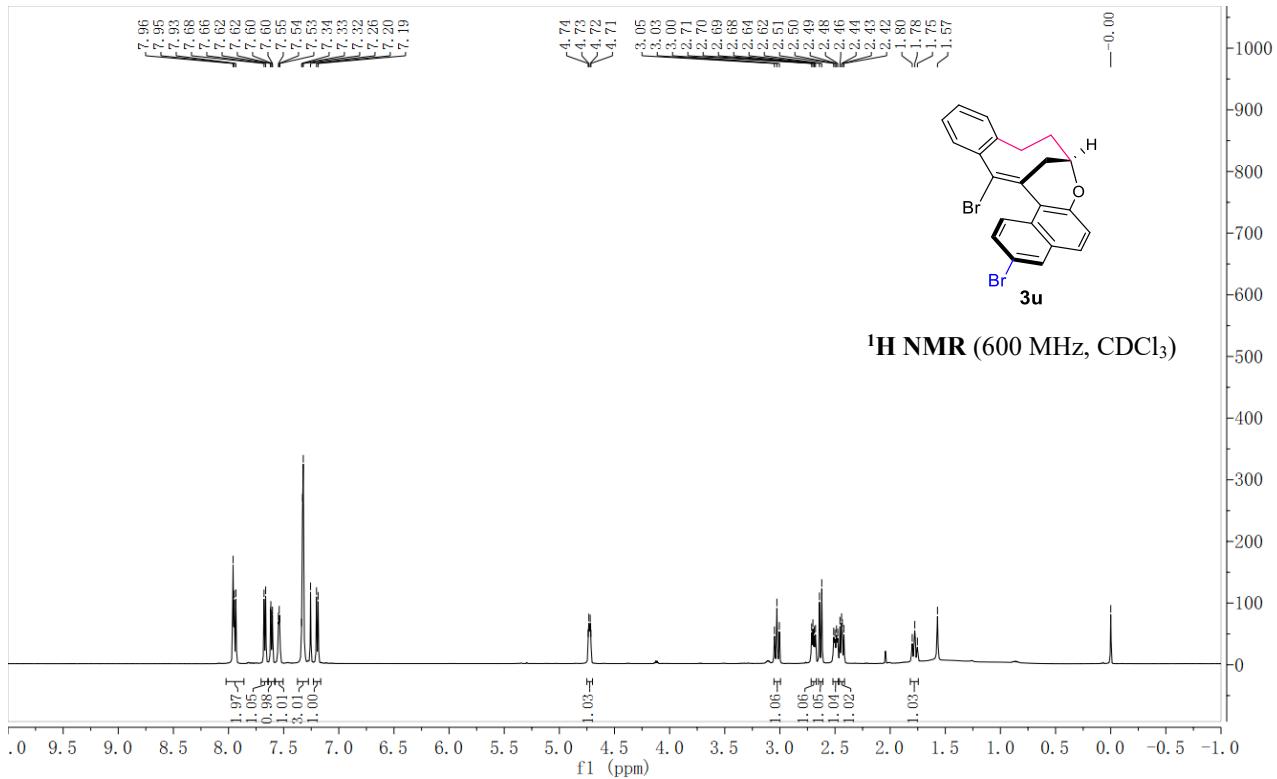


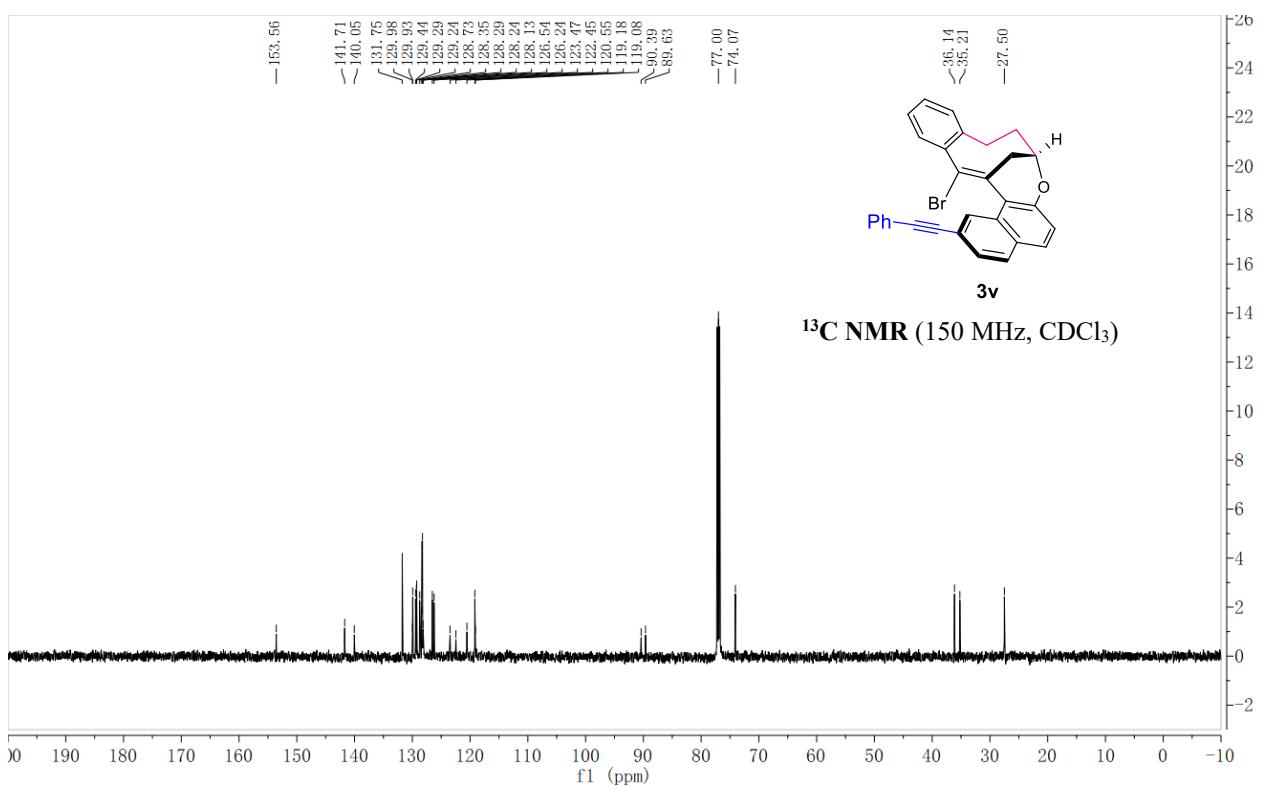
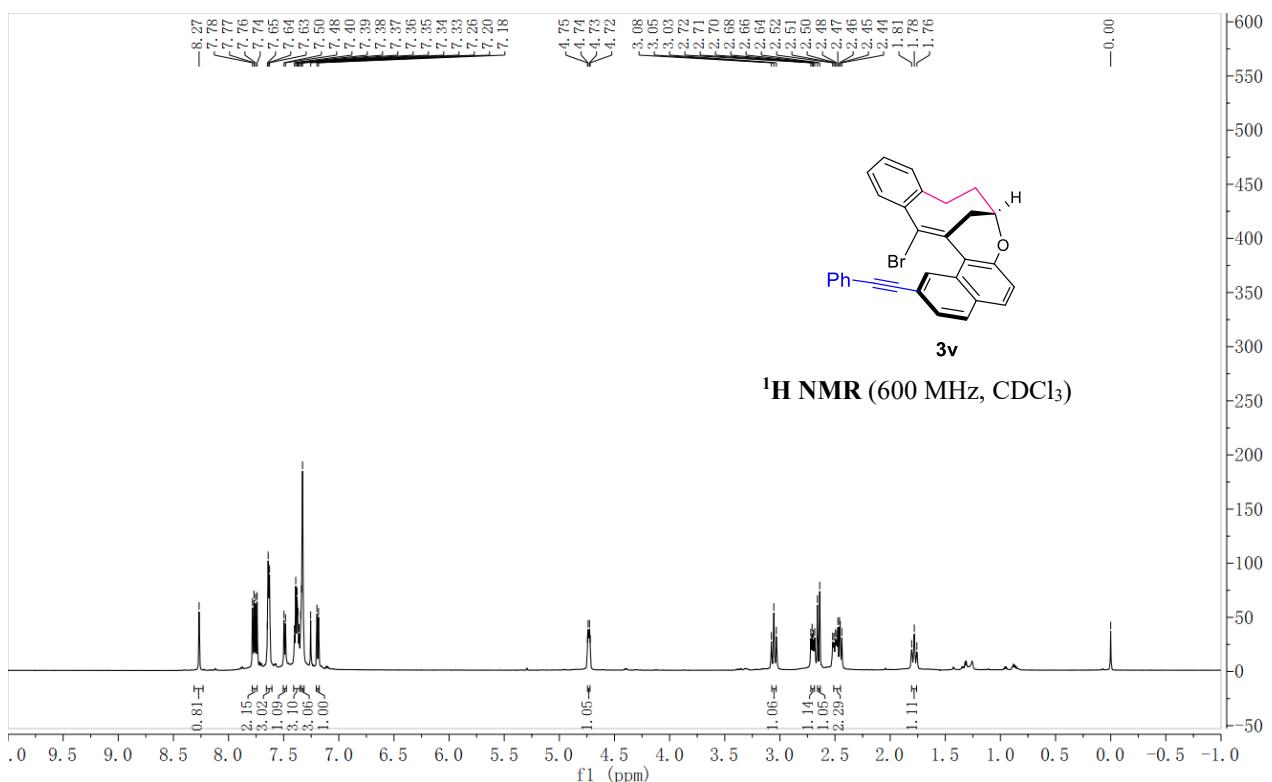


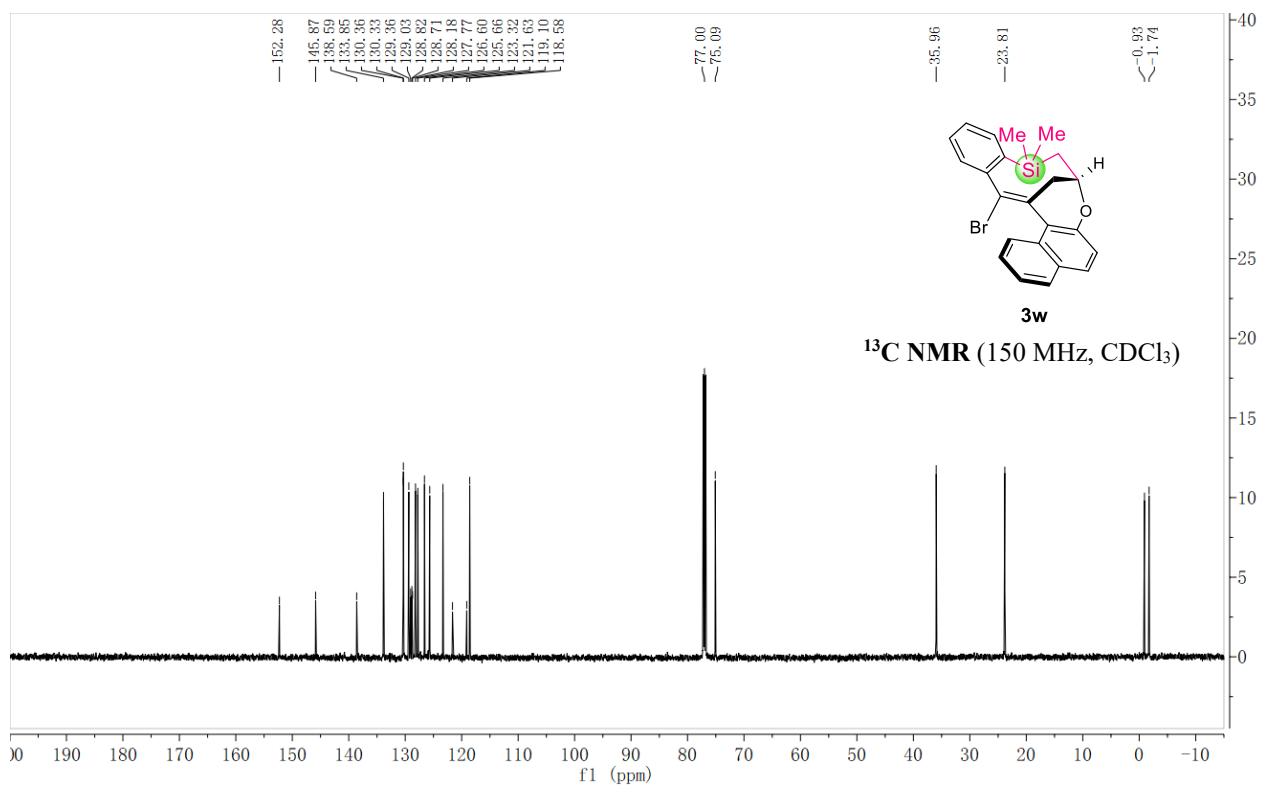
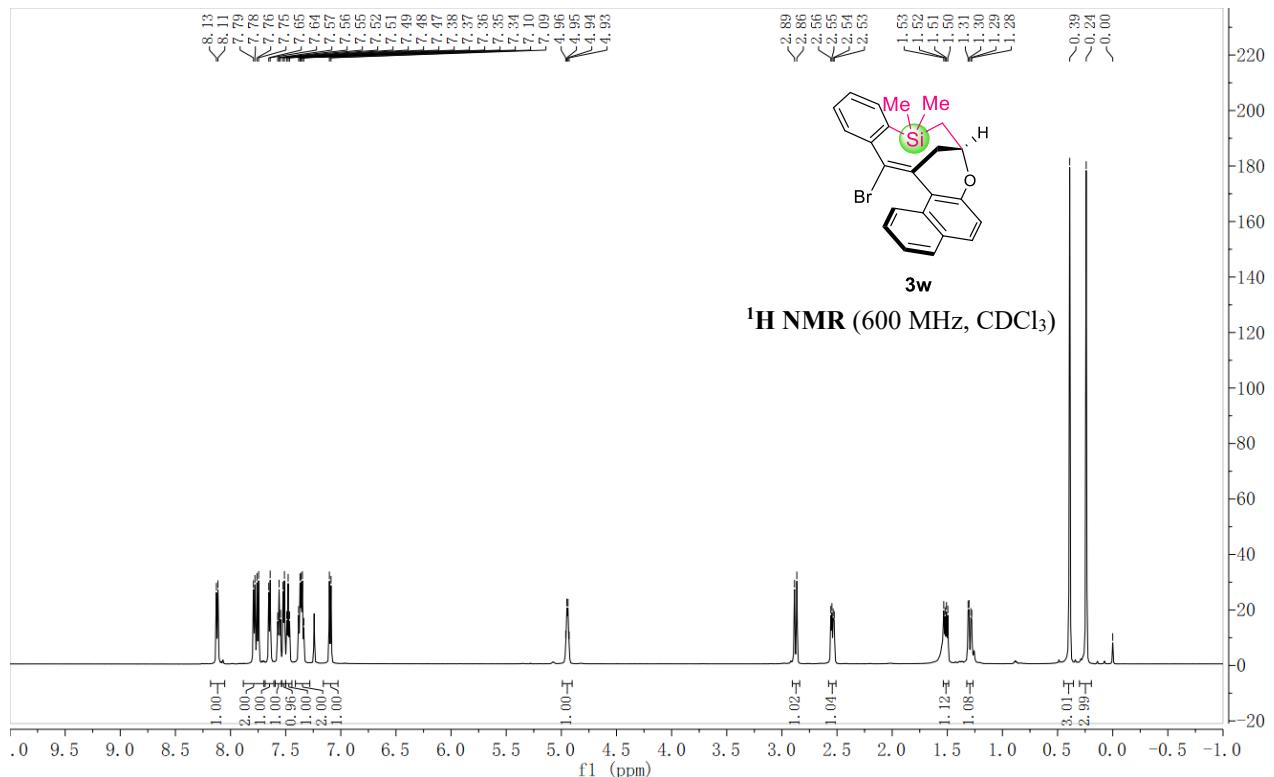


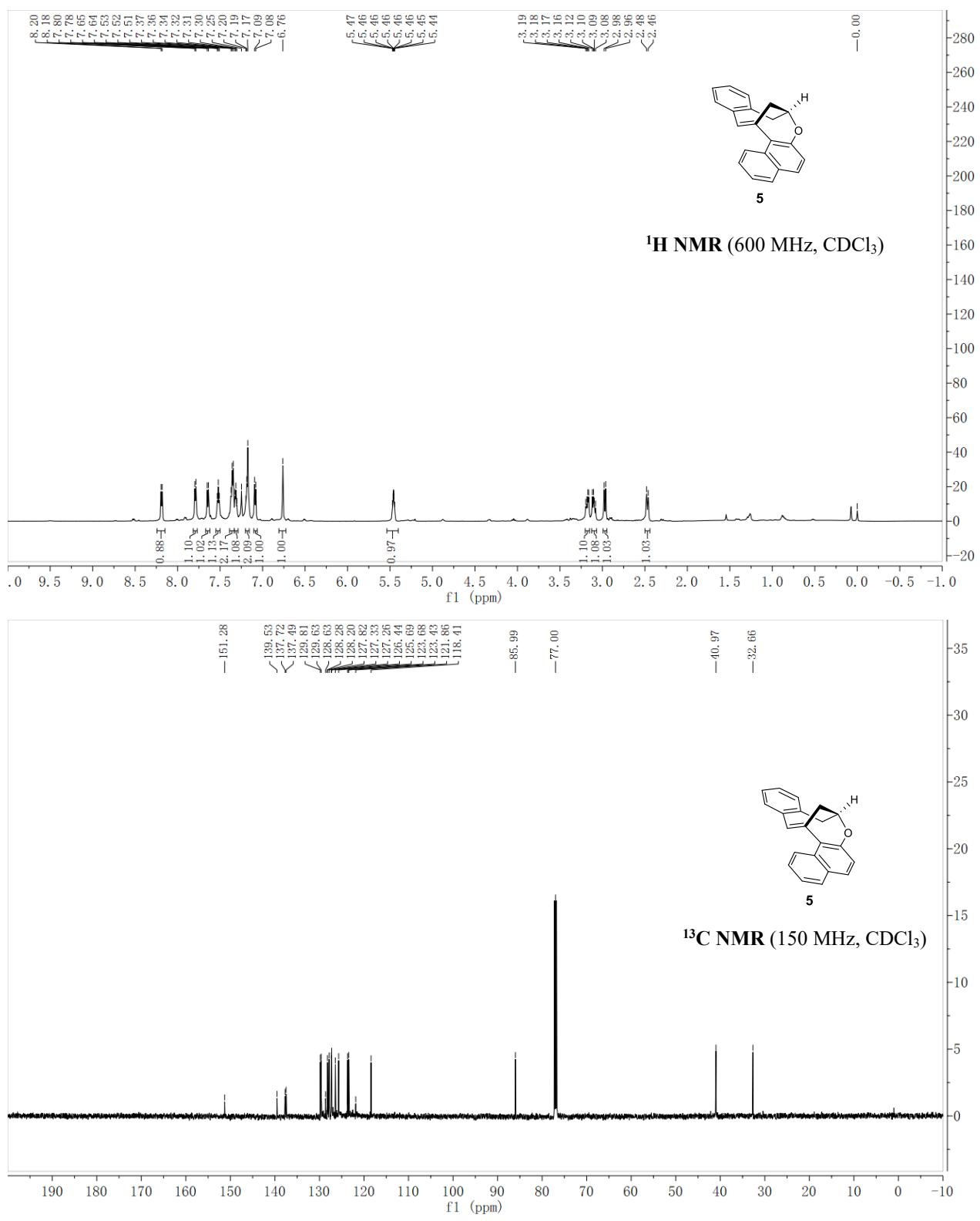


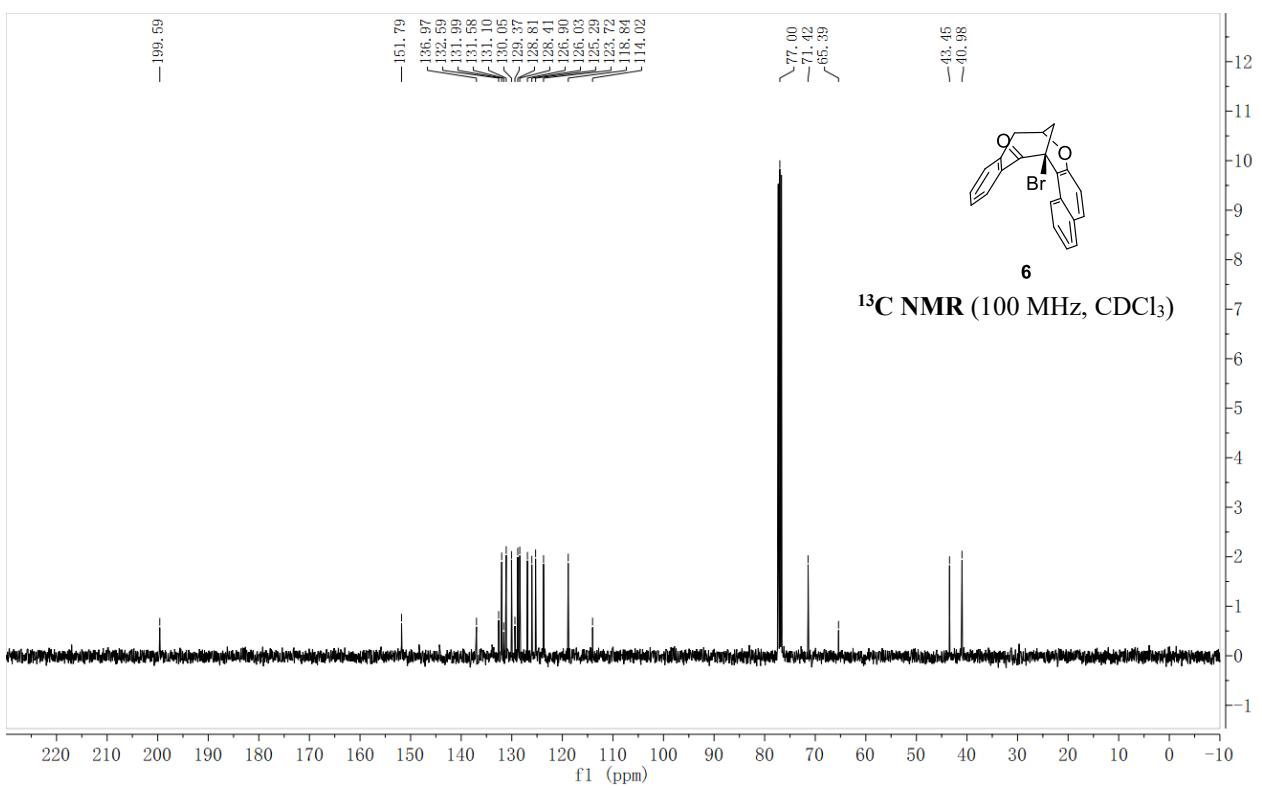
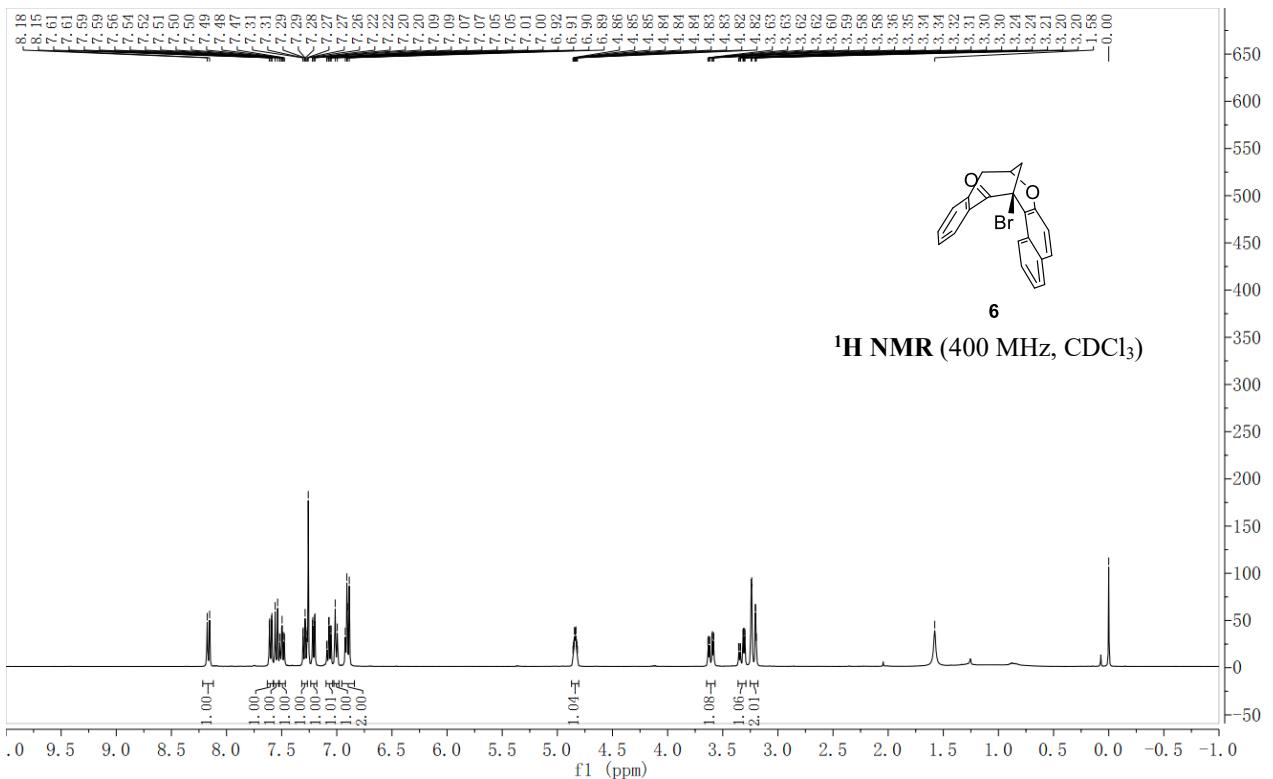


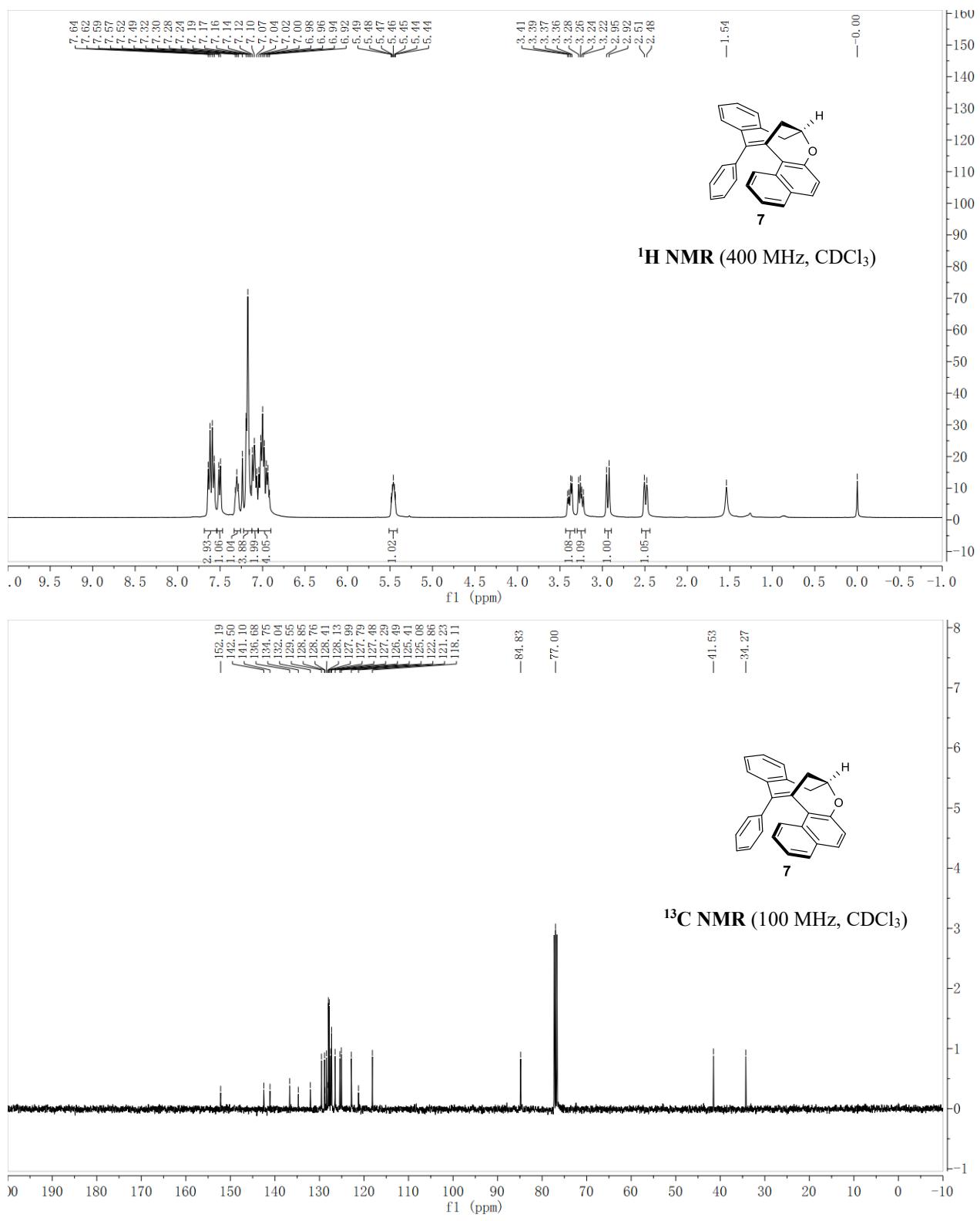


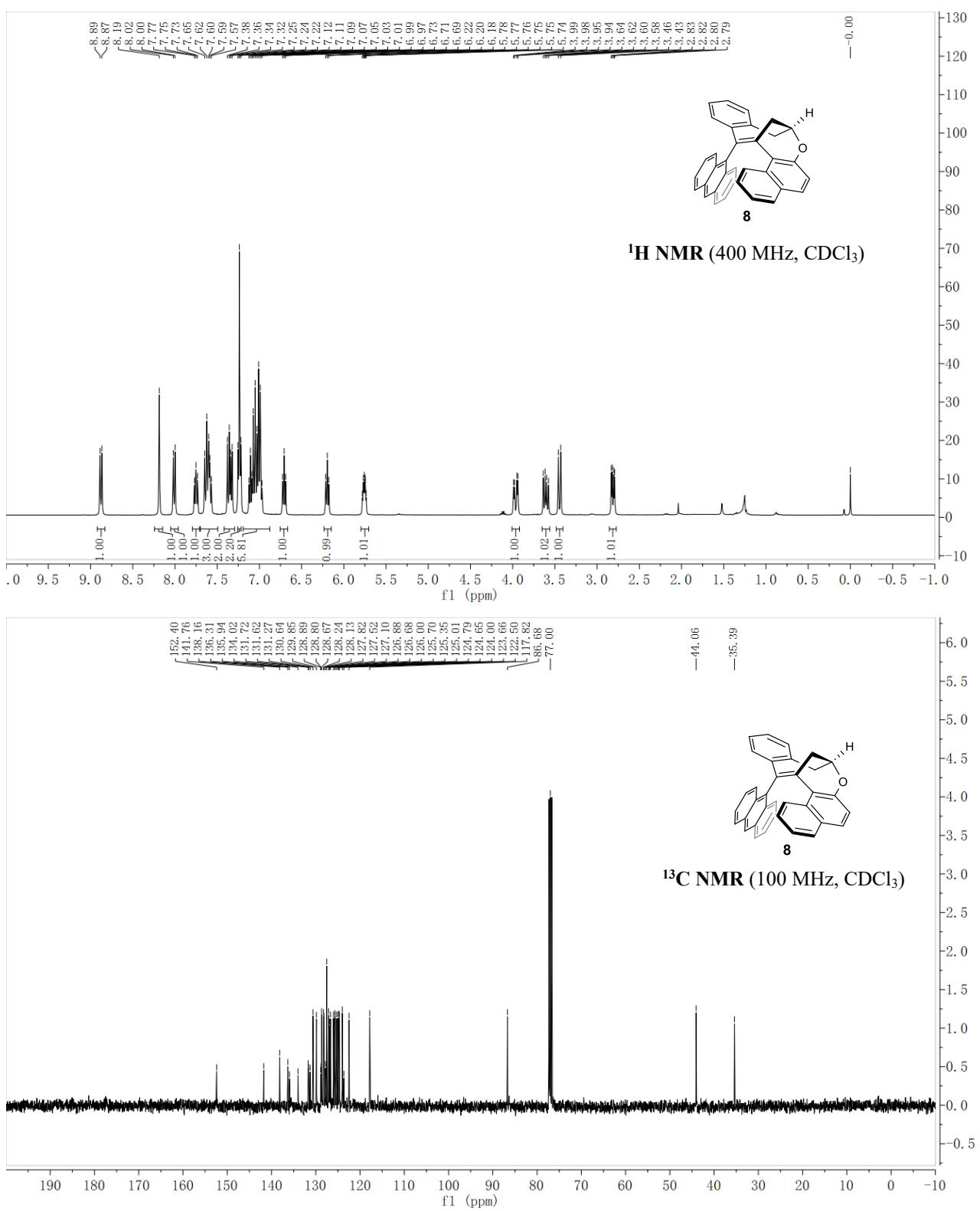


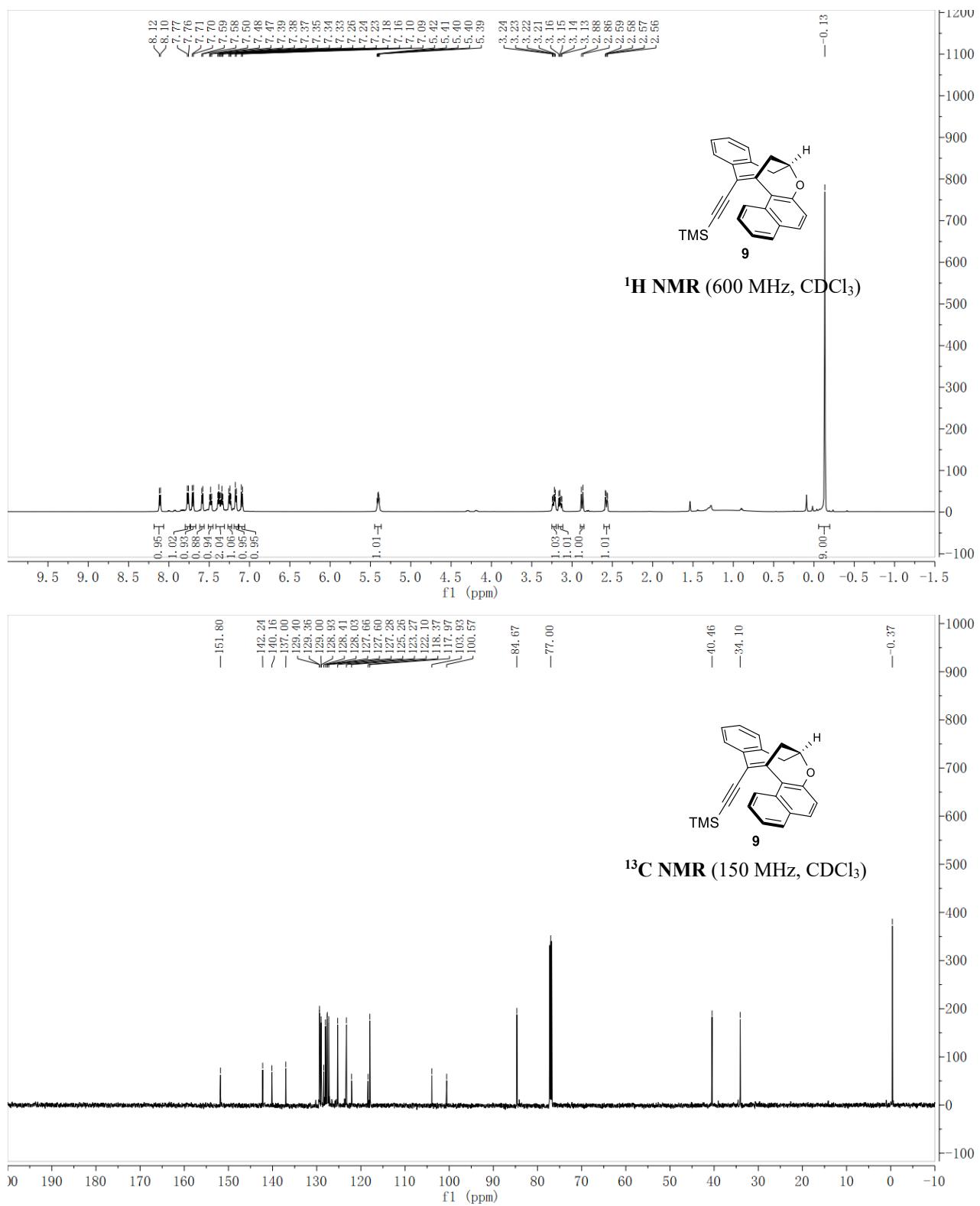


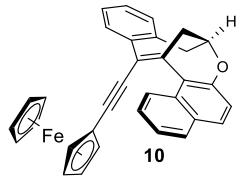
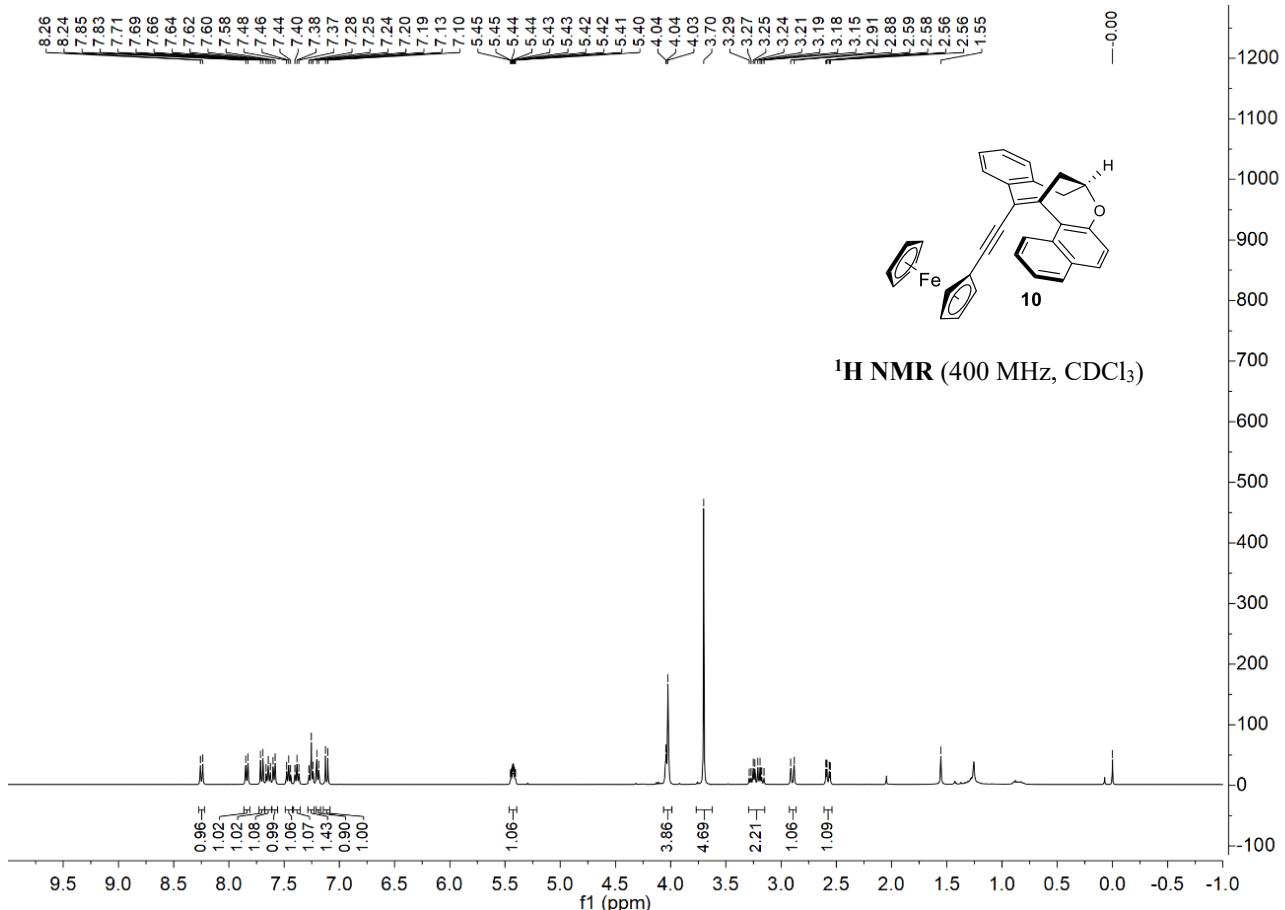




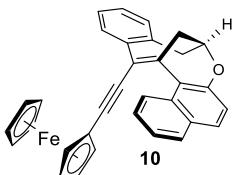
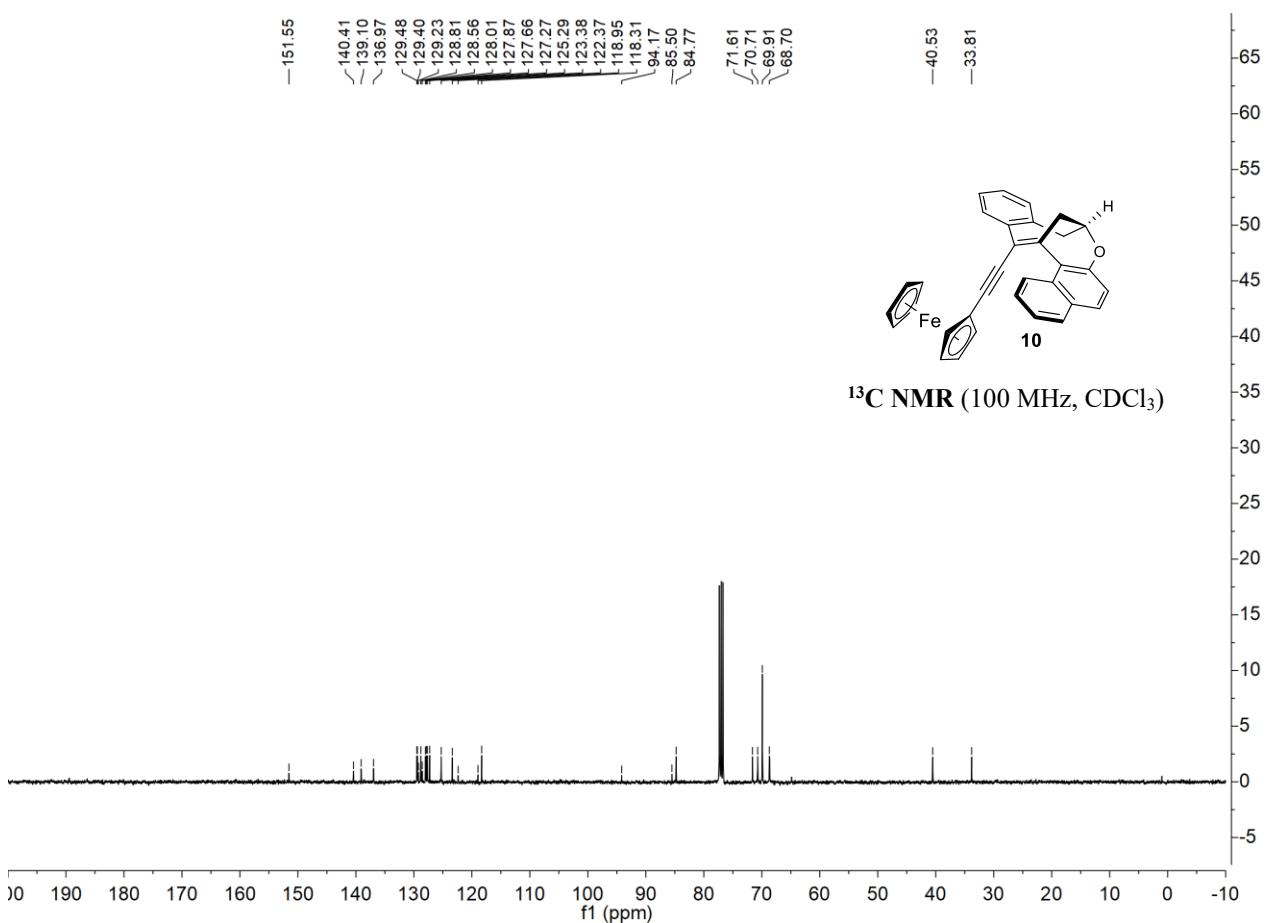




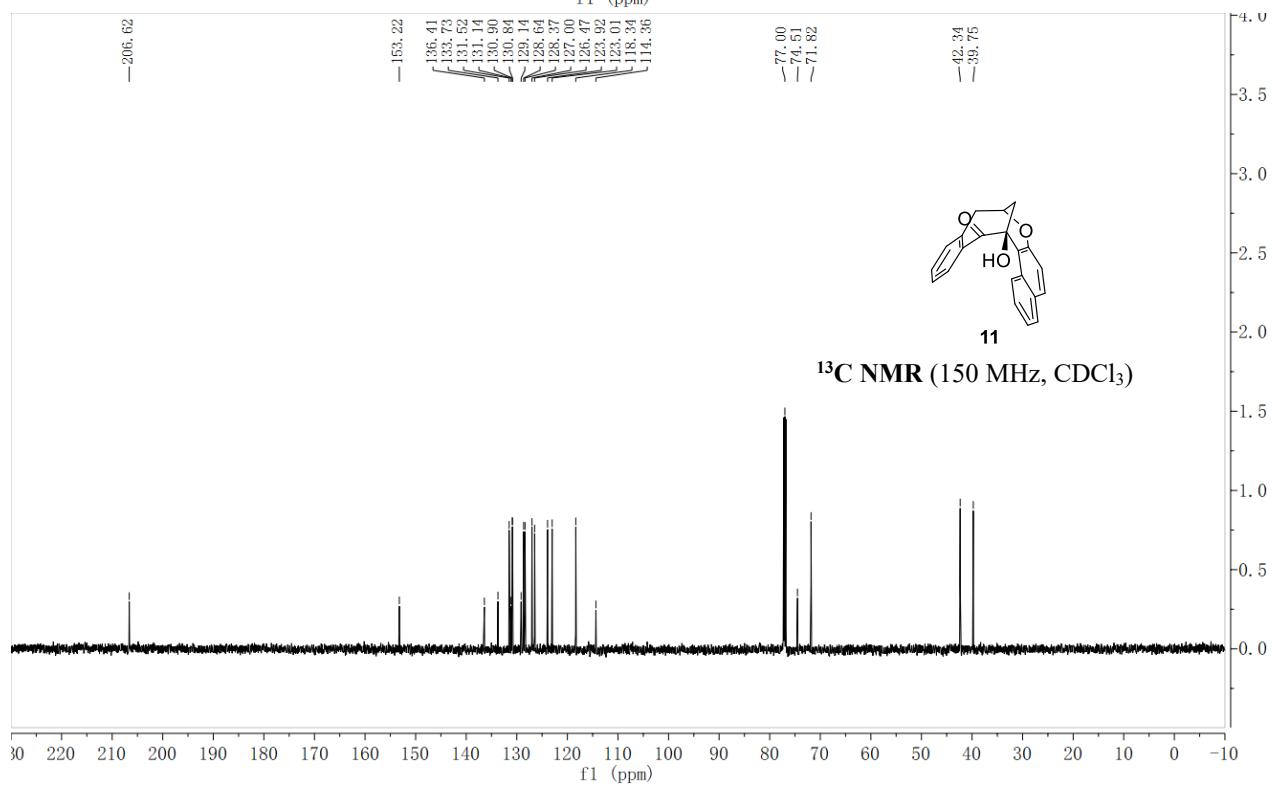
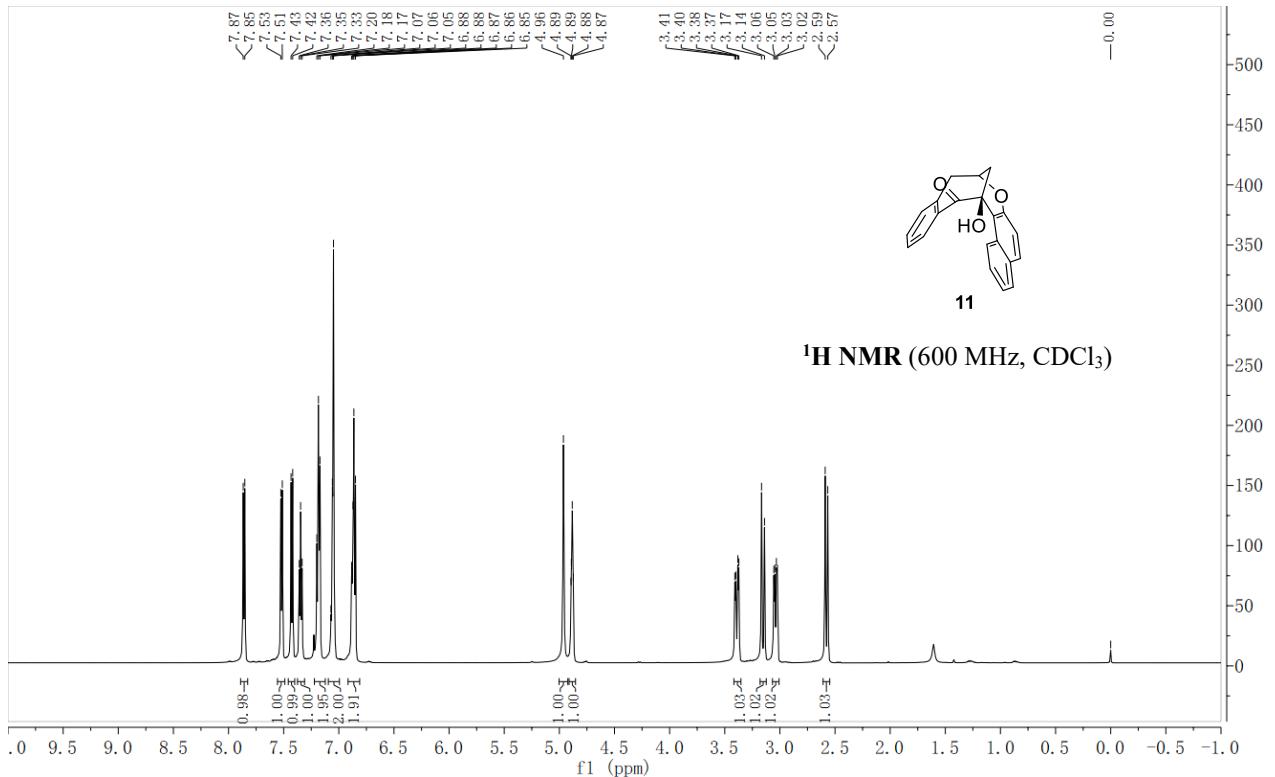


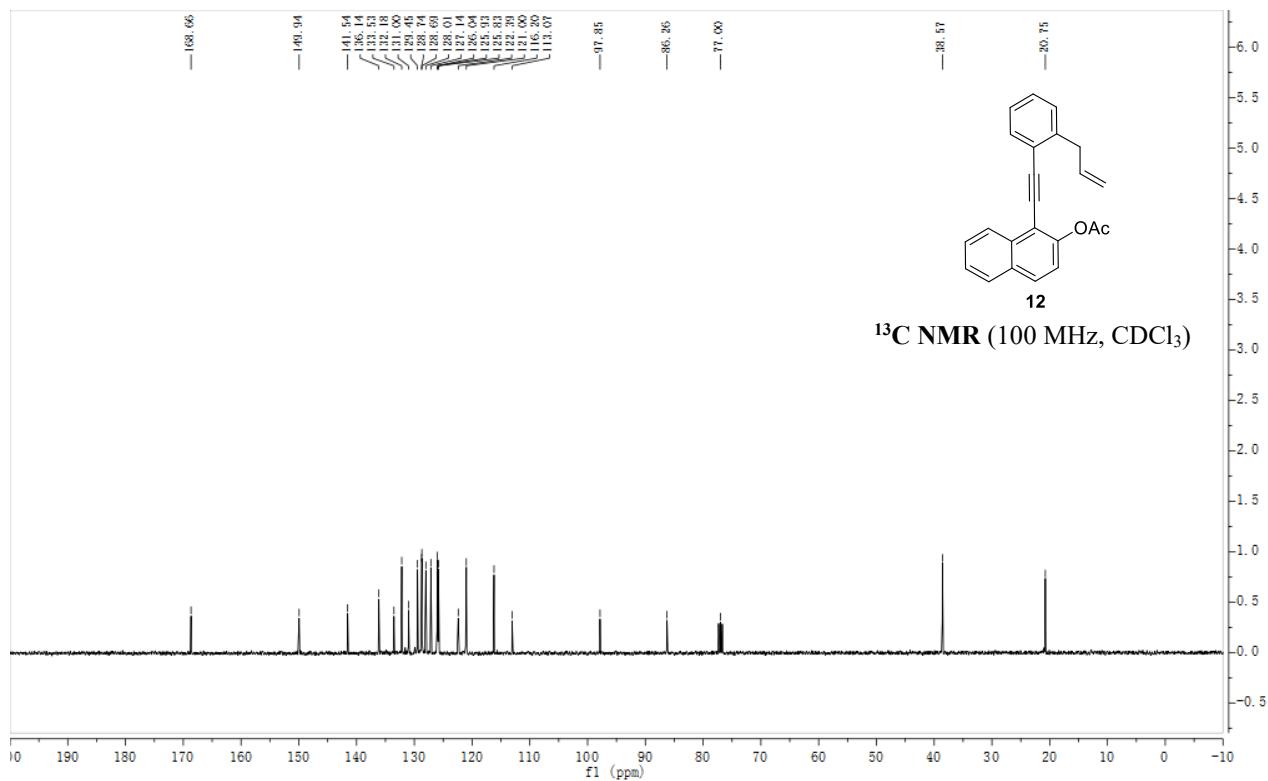
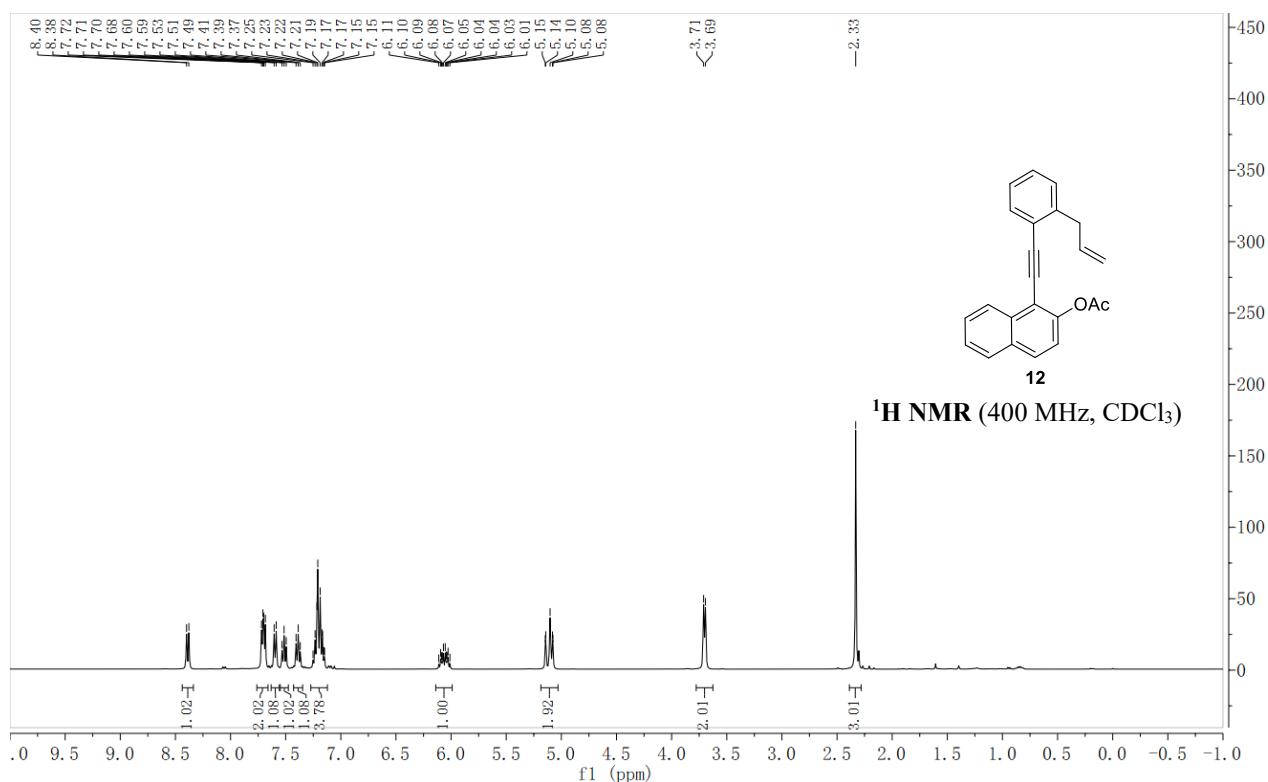


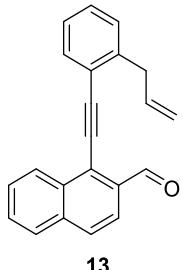
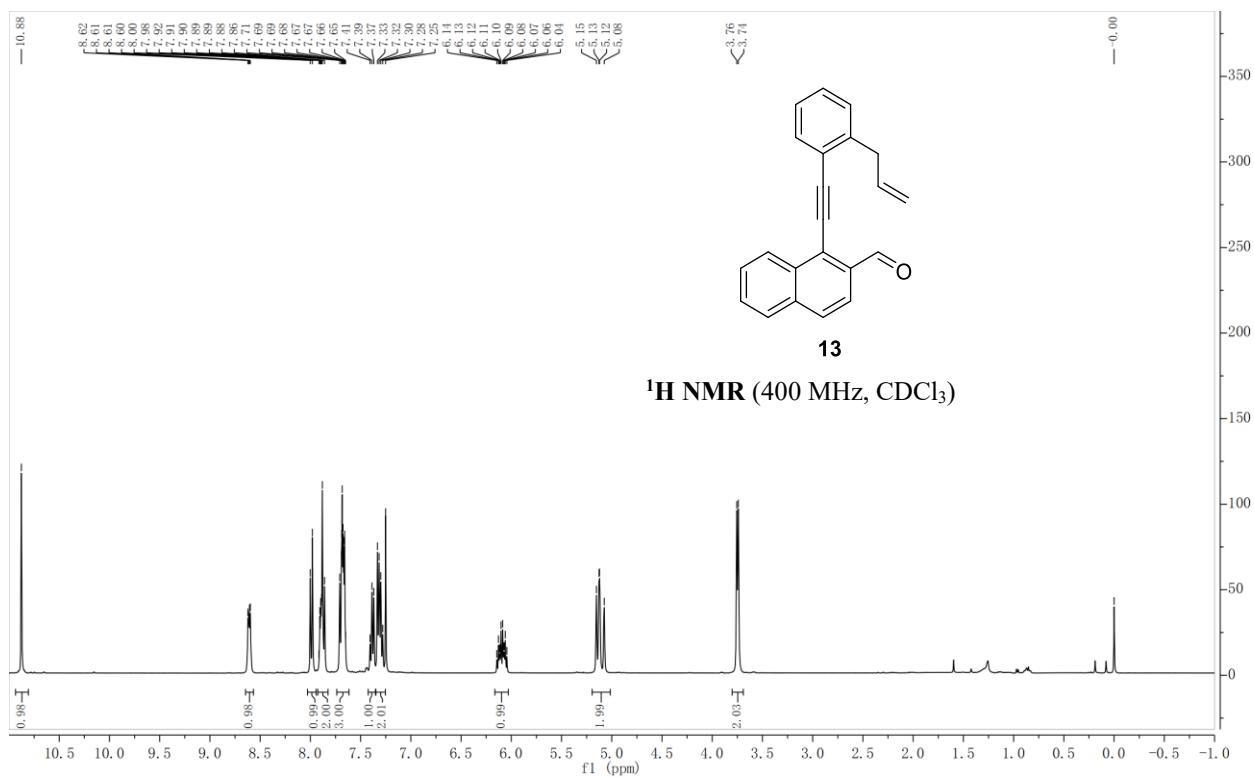
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)



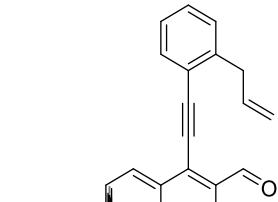
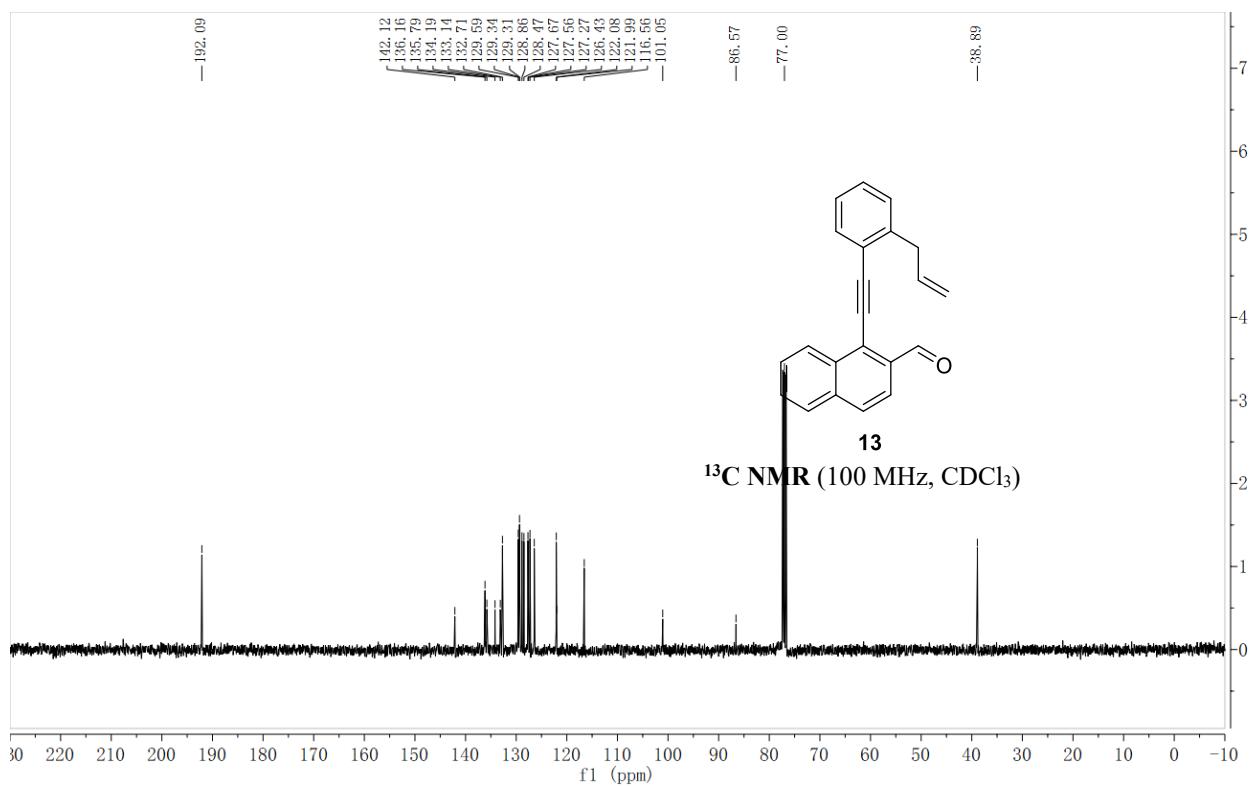
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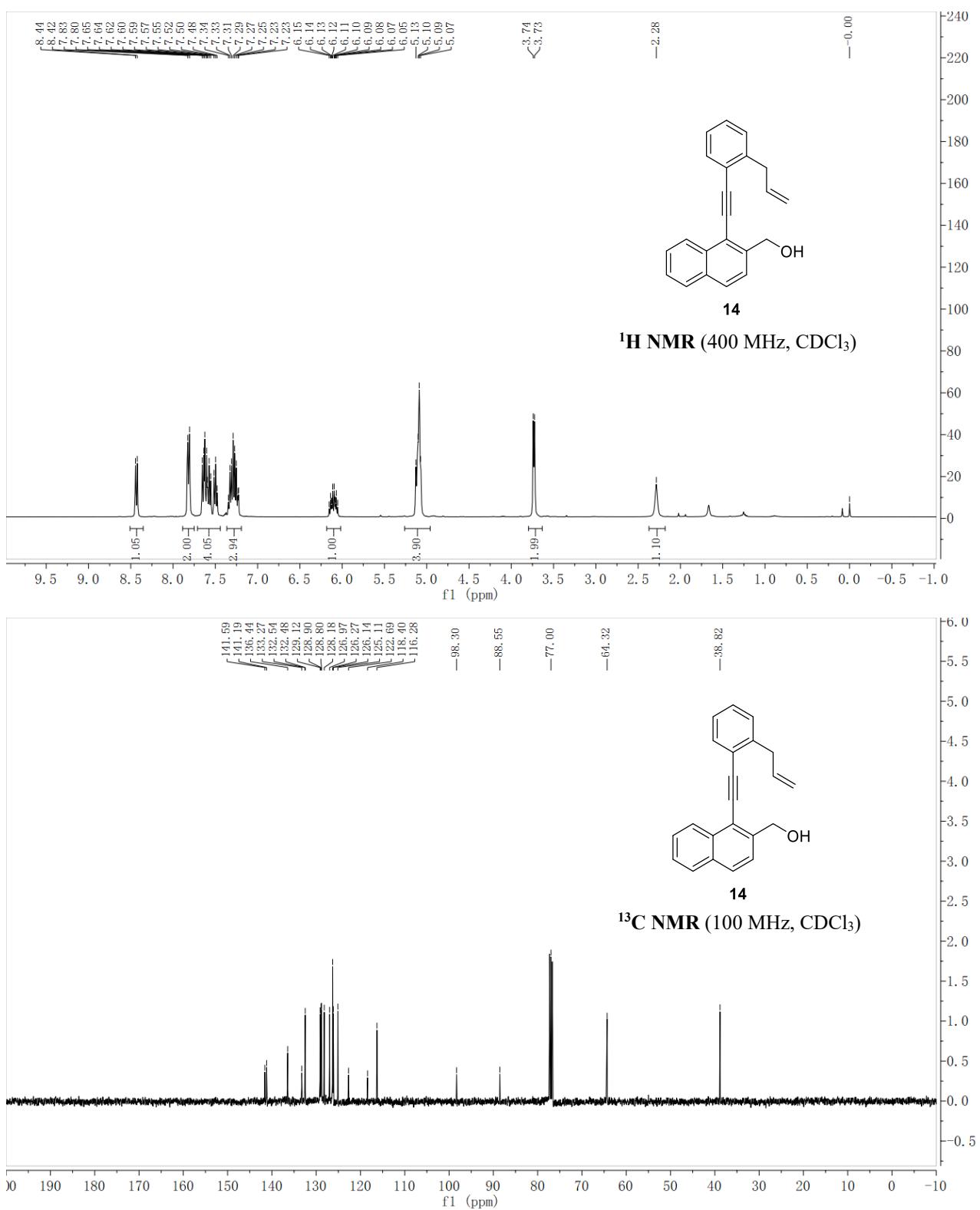




**$^1\text{H}$  NMR** (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )

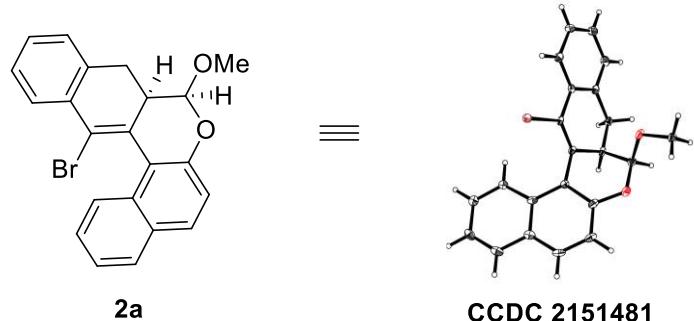


<sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)



## XII. X-ray crystallographic information

The authors thank Mr. Xiangnan Gong (Analytical and Testing Center of Chongqing University) for spectroscopic measurements.



Bond precision:

C-C = 0.0096 Å

Wavelength=0.71073

Cell:

a=28.1188(8)

b=7.6926(2)

c=15.6637(5)

alpha=90

beta=92.223(3)

gamma=90

Temperature:

200 K

Calculated

Reported

Volume

3385.61(17)

3385.61(17)

Space group

P 21/c

P 1 21/c 1

Hall group

-P 2ybc

-P 2ybc

Moiety formula

C22 H17 Br O2

2(C22 H17 Br O2)

Sum formula

C22 H17 Br O2

C44 H34 Br2 O4

Mr

393.26

786.53

Dx,g cm<sup>-3</sup>

1.543

1.543

Z

8

4

Mu (mm<sup>-1</sup>)

2.441

2.441

F000

1600.0

1600.0

F000'

1598.34

h,k,lmax

38,10,21

37,10,21

Nref

9036

8072

Tmin,Tmax

0.500,0.584

b 0.758,1.000

Tmin'

0.465

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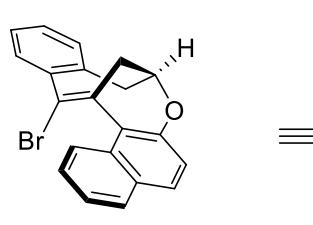
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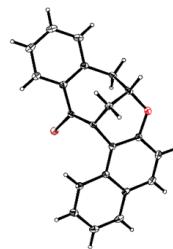
wR2(reflections)=0.1771( 8072)

S = 1.151

Npar= 453



**3a**



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Bond precision:

C-C = 0.0040 Å

Wavelength=0.71073

Cell:

a=15.1076(5)

b=10.0376(5)

c=20.6682(10)

alpha=90

beta=90

gamma=90

Temperature:

293 K

Calculated

Reported

Volume

3134.2(2)

3134.2(2)

Space group

P b c a

P b c a

Hall group

-P 2ac 2ab

-P 2ac 2ab

Moiety formula

C21 H15 Br O

C21 H15 Br O

Sum formula

C21 H15 Br O

C21 H15 Br O

Mr

363.23

363.24

Dx,g cm<sup>-3</sup>

1.540

1.540

Z

8

8

Mu (mm<sup>-1</sup>)

2.625

2.625

F000

1472.0

1472.0

F000'

1470.26

h,k,lmax

20,13,28

20,13,27

Nref

4202

3707

Tmin,Tmax

0.437,0.467

0.970,1.000

Tmin'

0.404

Correction method= # Reported T Limits: Tmin=0.970 Tmax=1.000

AbsCorr = MULTI-SCAN

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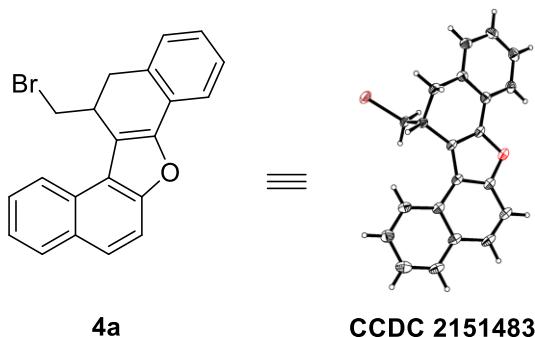
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S = 1.038

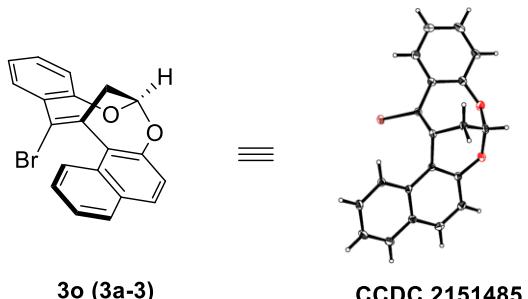
Npar= 208



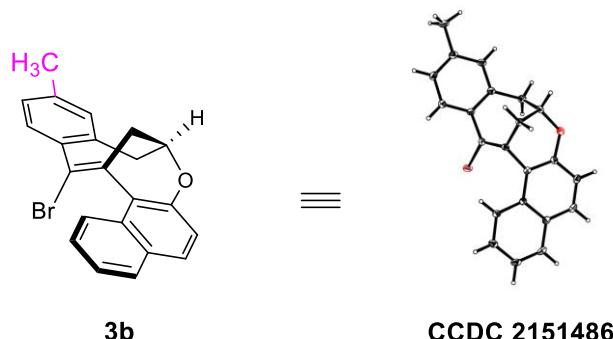
**4a**

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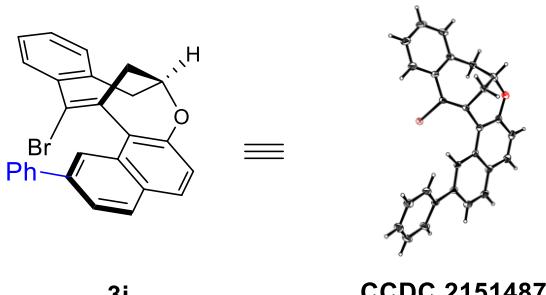
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alpha=90	beta=90	gamma=90
Temperature:	293 K	
	Calculated	Reported
Volume	1581.28(14)	1581.28(14)
Space group	P 21 21 21	P 21 21 21
Hall group	P 2ac 2ab	P 2ac 2ab
Moiety formula	C21 H15 Br O	C21 H15 Br O
Sum formula	C21 H15 Br O	C21 H15 Br O
Mr	363.23	363.24
Dx,g cm-3	1.526	1.526
Z	4	4
Mu (mm-1)	2.601	2.601
F000	736.0	736.0
F000'	735.13	
h,k,lmax	10,15,24	10,15,22
Nref	4242[ 2425]	3598
Tmin,Tmax	0.358,0.424	0.770,1.000
Tmin'	0.331	
Correction method=	# Reported T	Limits: Tmin=0.770 Tmax=1.000
AbsCorr =	MULTI-SCAN	
Data completeness=	1.48/0.85	Theta(max)= 29.096
R(reflections)=	0.0487( 2126)	wR2(reflections) = 0.1007( 3598)
S =	0.981	Npar= 208



Bond precision:	C-C = 0.0076 Å	Wavelength=0.71073
Cell:	a=8.0085(3)	b=8.9848(6)      c=21.0224(11)
alpha=90	beta=90	gamma=90
Temperature:	295 K	
	Calculated	Reported
Volume	1512.66(14)	1512.66(15)
Space group	P 21 21 21	P 21 21 21
Hall group	P 2ac 2ab	P 2ac 2ab
Moiety formula	C <sub>20</sub> H <sub>13</sub> BrO <sub>2</sub>	C <sub>20</sub> H <sub>13</sub> BrO <sub>2</sub>
Sum formula	C <sub>20</sub> H <sub>13</sub> BrO <sub>2</sub>	C <sub>20</sub> H <sub>13</sub> BrO <sub>2</sub>
Mr	365.20	365.21
Dx,g cm <sup>-3</sup>	1.604	1.604
Z	4	4
Mu (mm <sup>-1</sup> )	2.725	2.725
F000	736.0	736.0
F000'	735.16	
h,k,lmax	10,12,28	10,11,28
Nref	4032[ 2317]	3463
Tmin,Tmax	0.435,0.596	0.776,1.000
Tmin'	0.402	
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AbsCorr =	MULTI-SCAN	
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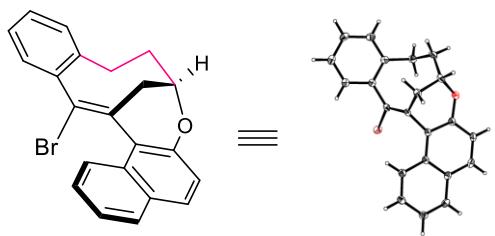
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alpha=90	beta=90	gamma=90
Temperature:	293 K	
	Calculated	Reported
Volume	1700.96(13)	1700.96(13)
Space group	P 21 21 21	P 21 21 21
Hall group	P 2ac 2ab	P 2ac 2ab
Moiety formula	C22 H17 Br O	C22 H17 Br O
Sum formula	C22 H17 Br O	C22 H17 Br O
Mr	377.26	377.26
Dx,g cm <sup>-3</sup>	1.473	1.473
Z	4	4
Mu (mm <sup>-1</sup> )	2.421	2.421
F000	768.0	768.0
F000'	767.13	
h,k,lmax	7,13,40	7,13,37
Nref	4531[ 2634]	3859
Tmin,Tmax	0.551,0.559	0.831,1.000
Tmin'	0.541	
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AbsCorr =	MULTI-SCAN	
Data completeness=	1.47/0.85	Theta(max)= 29.010
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**3i**

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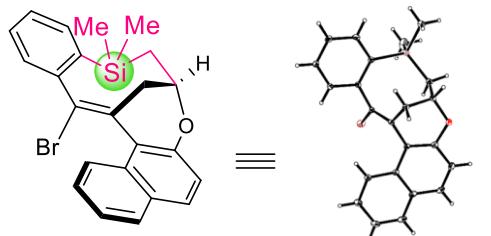
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Temperature:	293 K	
	Calculated	Reported
Volume	1018.73(7)	1018.72(7)
Space group	P 21	P 1 21 1
Hall group	P 2yb	P 2yb
Moiety formula	C27 H19 Br O	C27 H19 Br O
Sum formula	C27 H19 Br O	C27 H19 Br O
Mr	439.32	439.33
Dx,g cm-3	1.432	1.432
Z	2	2
Mu (mm-1)	2.033	2.033
F000	448.0	448.0
F000'	447.59	
h,k,lmax	11,12,18	11,12,17
Nref	5421[ 2878]	4625
Tmin,Tmax	0.443,0.462	0.981,1.000
Tmin'	0.409	
Correction method=	# Reported T	Limits: Tmin=0.981 Tmax=1.000
AbsCorr =	MULTI-SCAN	
Data completeness=	1.61/0.85	Theta(max)= 29.047
R(reflections)=	0.0420( 3735)	wR2(reflections) = 0.0842( 4625)
S =	1.053	Npar= 262



**3s**

**CCDC 2151488**

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Cell:	a=7.6693(2)	b=13.0042(5)
alpha=90	beta=90	gamma=90
Temperature:	293 K	
	Calculated	Reported
Volume	1704.11(11)	1704.11(11)
Space group	P 21 21 21	P 21 21 21
Hall group	P 2ac 2ab	P 2ac 2ab
Moiety formula	C22 H17 Br O	C22 H17 Br O
Sum formula	C22 H17 Br O	C22 H17 Br O
Mr	377.26	377.26
Dx,g cm-3	1.470	1.470
Z	4	4
Mu (mm-1)	2.417	2.417
F000	768.0	768.0
F000'	767.13	
h,k,lmax	10,17,23	10,17,23
Nref	4526[ 2582]	3886
Tmin,Tmax	0.386,0.440	0.824,1.000
Tmin'	0.357	
Correction method= # Reported T Limits: Tmin=0.824 Tmax=1.000		
AbsCorr = MULTI-SCAN		
Data completeness= 1.51/0.86 Theta(max)= 28.983		
R(reflections)= 0.0458( 2775)	wR2(reflections) = 0.0841( 3886)	
S = 1.040	Npar= 217	



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**CCDC 2151489**

Bond precision:

C-C = 0.0058 Å

Wavelength=0.71073

Cell:

a=8.6383(3)

b=12.6159(5)

c=17.6123(7)

alpha=90

beta=90

gamma=90

Temperature:

293 K

Calculated

Reported

Volume

1919.39(13)

1919.39(13)

Space group

P 21 21 21

P 21 21 21

Hall group

P 2ac 2ab

P 2ac 2ab

Moiety formula

C23 H21 Br O Si

C23 H21 Br O Si

Sum formula

C23 H21 Br O Si

C23 H21 Br O Si

Mr

421.39

421.40

Dx,g cm<sup>-3</sup>

1.458

1.458

Z

4

4

Mu (mm<sup>-1</sup>)

2.213

2.213

F000

864.0

864.0

F000'

863.46

h,k,lmax

11,17,24

11,16,23

Nref

5099[ 2887]

4349

Tmin,Tmax

0.449,0.482

0.806,1.000

Tmin'

0.415

Correction method= # Reported T Limits: Tmin=0.806 Tmax=1.000

AbsCorr = MULTI-SCAN

Data completeness= 1.51/0.85

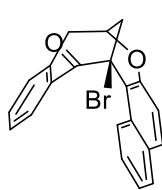
Theta(max)= 28.995

R(reflections)= 0.0398( 3532)

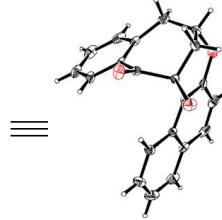
wR2(reflections) = 0.0805( 4349)

S = 1.039

Npar= 237

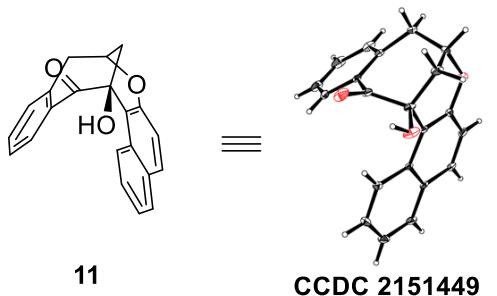


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**CCDC 2151482**

Bond precision:	C-C = 0.0104 Å	Wavelength=0.71073
Cell:	a=8.8697(4)	b=22.6968(7)
alpha=90	beta=114.336(6)	gamma=90
Temperature:	293 K	
	Calculated	Reported
Volume	1644.05(15)	1644.05(15)
Space group	P 21	P 1 21 1
Hall group	P 2yb	P 2yb
Moiety formula	C21 H15 Br O2	C21 H15 Br O2
Sum formula	C21 H15 Br O2	C21 H15 Br O2
Mr	379.23	379.24
Dx,g cm-3	1.532	1.532
Z	4	4
Mu (mm-1)	2.510	2.510
F000	768.0	768.0
F000'	767.16	
h,k,lmax	12,30,12	12,30,12
Nref	8758[ 4487]	7480
Tmin,Tmax	0.526,0.547	0.664,1.000
Tmin' 0.516		
Correction method= # Reported T Limits: Tmin=0.664 Tmax=1.000		
AbsCorr = MULTI-SCAN		
Data completeness= 1.67/0.85		Theta(max)= 29.012
R(reflections)= 0.0472( 5045)		wR2(reflections) = 0.0867( 7480)
S = 1.010		Npar= 433



Bond precision:	C-C = 0.0041 Å	Wavelength=1.54184
Cell:	a=7.48375(11)	b=23.7768(5)
alpha=90	beta=94.0554(14)	gamma=90
Temperature:	180 K	
	Calculated	Reported
Volume	1589.99(5)	1589.99(5)
Space group	P 21	P 1 21 1
Hall group	P 2yb	P 2yb
Moiety formula	C21 H16 O3 [+ solvent]	C21 H16 O3
Sum formula	C21 H16 O3 [+ solvent]	C21 H16 O3
Mr	316.34	316.34
Dx,g cm-3	1.321	1.321
Z	4	4
Mu (mm-1)	0.707	0.707
F000	664.0	664.0
F000'	666.03	
h,k,lmax	9,29,11	9,28,10
Nref	6209[ 3184]	5126
Tmin,Tmax	0.775,0.770	0.334,1.000
Tmin'	0.703	
Correction method= # Reported T Limits: Tmin=0.334 Tmax=1.000		
AbsCorr = MULTI-SCAN		
Data completeness= 1.61/0.83		Theta(max)= 71.700
R(reflections)= 0.0354( 5051)		wR2(reflections) = 0.0924( 5126)
S = 1.057		Npar= 435

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