

Supporting Information

Green synthesis of *N*-sulfonyl amidine using CuI incorporated CoFe₂O₄ nano-catalyst in aqueous medium

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1. General information:

The reagents were obtained from commercial suppliers and used without further purification with the exception of *N*-sulfonyl azide, which were prepared by following the corresponding methods reported in the literature.¹ Commercially available terminal alkynes, ammonium chloride, were directly employed without any previous purification technique (distillation/use of molecular sieves). FT-IR spectra was recorded using Affinity-1 SHIMADZU. Powder X-ray diffraction (XRD) was recorded using a Rigaku X-ray diffractometer with Cu-K α radiation at a wavelength of 1.5418 Å. FESEM and EDAX analyses was recorded using a ZEISS sigma 300 scanning along with energy dispersive X-ray spectrometer (EDX). TEM analysis was performed using a JEOL JEM-2100 electron microscope. Thermogravimetric analysis (TGA) was performed on a Mettler Toledo TGA/DSC 1, STAR system analyzer. Vibrating sample magnetometer (Lakeshore 7410) was used to determine the magnetic property of the prepared nanocatalyst. X-Ray Photoelectron Spectroscopy (XPS) data was determined using PHI 5000 VersaProbe III. ¹H and ¹³C spectra were recorded on a Bruker Ultrashield 400/600 MHz spectrometer. Chemical shift are given in δ units relative to tetramethylsilane (TMS) signal as an internal reference in CDCl₃. ¹H NMR coupling constants were reported in Hz and multiplicity was indicated as follows: s (singlet); d (doublet); t (triplet); q (quartet); m (multiplet); br (broad); dd (doublet of doublets). Chromatographic purification was performed using column chromatography over a manually packed column containing silica gel (230-400 mesh). Melting points were measured in Relitech melting point apparatus. The NMR spectra for all the prepared compounds are included in the following sections of this supporting information.

2. Experimental procedures and characterization details:

2.1. General procedure for the synthesis of *N*-sulfonyl amidine compounds

To a stirred mixture of prepared catalyst (10 wt%), NH₄Cl (27 mg, 0.5 mmol), and phenylacetylene (51 mg, 0.5 mmol), in H₂O (2 ml), triethylamine (0.14 ml, 0.75 mmol) was

added slowly at room temperature. After 2-3 min, *p*-toluenesulfonyl azide (99 mg, 0.5 mmol) was added portionwise. The reaction was stirred at room temperature for 20 min. After the completion of the reaction (TLC), the catalyst was recovered with the help of an external magnet. The organic parts were separated out by adding ethyl acetate (15 ml). The combined organic layer was dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated in vacuo. The crude residue was then purified by column chromatography on silica gel (ethyl acetate: petroleum ether, 3:7) to afford the desired product.

3. Green Chemistry Metrics Calculations:

$$\text{E-factor (Environmental factor)} = \frac{\text{Mass of product}}{\text{Mass of waste}}$$

$$\text{Atom economy (\%)} = (\text{AE}) = \frac{\text{Molecular mass of desired product}}{\text{Molecular mass of all reactants}} \times 100$$

$$\text{Atom efficiency (\%)} = \frac{\text{Yield of the product (\%)}}{\text{Atom economy (\%)}} \times 100$$

$$\text{Carbon efficiency (\%)} = \frac{\text{Total no. of C in reactants}}{\text{Total no. of C in products}} \times 100$$

$$\text{Reaction mass efficiency (\%)} = (\text{RME}) = \frac{\text{Mass of desired product}}{\text{Mass of all reactants}} \times 100$$

Table S1. Evaluation of green chemistry metrics for the synthesis of **4i** from hex-1-yne.

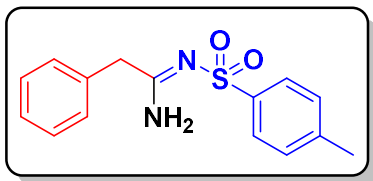
Reactant 1	Hex-1-yne	0.029g	0.5 mmol	FW 82.14
Reactant 2	4-methyl benzenesulfonylazide	0.088g	0.5 mmol	FW 197.21
Reactant 3	Ammonium chloride	0.026g	0.5 mmol	FW 53.49
Solvent	Water	1.994g (2 mL)	-----	
Product	<i>N'</i> -tosyl hexanimidamide	0.122g	0.45 mmol	FW 268.37
Product yield = 92%				
E-factor = (0.029+0.088+0.026+1.994-0.122)/0.122 = 16.51 Kg waste/1Kg product.				
Atom economy = (268.37/332.84) x100 = 80.63%				
Atom efficiency = 92% x 80.63% /100 = 74.17%				
Carbon efficiency = 13/13 x100 = 100%				
Reaction mass efficiency = 0.122/(0.029+0.088+0.026)g x100 = 85.31%				

Table S2. Evaluation of green chemistry metrics for the synthesis of **4i** by a known procedure.²⁵⁻²⁶

Reactant 1	Hex-1-yne	0.029g	0.5 mmol	FW 82.14
Reactant 2	4-methyl benzenesulfonylazide	0.088g	0.5 mmol	FW 197.21
Reactant 3	Ammonium chloride	0.026g	0.5 mmol	FW 53.49
Solvent	Dichloromethane	1.33g (1 mL)	-----	
Product	<i>N'</i> -tosyl hexanimidamide	0.107g	0.39 mmol	FW 268.37
Product yield = 81%				
E-factor = (0.029+0.088+0.026+1.994-0.107)/0.107 = 18.97 Kg waste/1Kg product.				
Atom economy = (268.37/332.84) x100 = 80.63%				
Atom efficiency = 81% x 80.63% /100 = 65.31%				
Carbon efficiency = 13/13 x100 = 100%				
Reaction mass efficiency = 0.107/(0.029+0.088+0.026)g x100 = 74.82%				

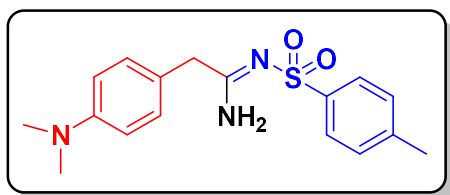
4. Spectroscopic data:

1. **2-phenyl-*N'*-tosylacetimidamide (4a)¹** : White solid; m.p. 114-115 °C; ¹H NMR (500



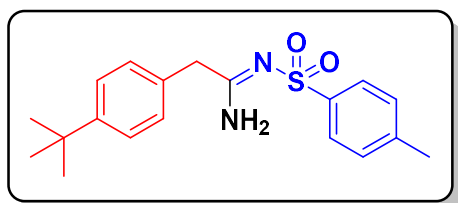
MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) = 8.09 (br, 1H), 7.81 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.37-7.32 (m, 3H), 7.28 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.22 (d, J = 6.6 Hz, 2H), 5.69 (br, 1H), 3.65 (s, 2H), 2.43 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) = 167.21, 143.02, 139.12, 133.27, 129.62, 129.35, 129.27, 128.10, 126.41, 43.71, 21.49; IR (KBr) ν 3366, 3234, 3065, 3024, 2967, 2912, 2856, 1656, 1550, 1488, 1446, 1417, 1271, 1271, 1138, 1082, 1082, 957, 810, 705 cm⁻¹.

2. **2-(4-(dimethylamino)phenyl)-*N'*-tosylacetimidamide (4b)** : Brown solid; m.p. 100-101



°C; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) = 8.79 (d, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 8.41 (d, J = 9 Hz, 1H), 8.20 (br, 1H), 7.92 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.82 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.53-7.50 (m, 1H), 7.46 (br, 1H), 7.33-7.30 (m, 2H), 7.17 (t, J = 6.9 Hz, 1H), 2.42 (s, 2H), 1.60 (br, 6H), 1.26 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) = 155.74, 143.02, 139.54, 129.72, 129.43, 126.41, 125.74, 120.69, 116.81, 31.91, 29.68, 21.51; IR (KBr) ν 3315, 3022, 2983, 2845, 1625, 1589, 1448, 1340, 815, 765 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd. for [M+H]⁺: 332.1427, found: 332.1421.

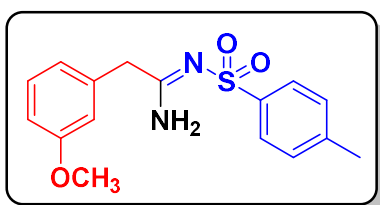
3. **2-(4-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-*N'*-tosylacetimidamide (4c)** : White solid; m.p. 89-90 °C; ¹H



NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) = 8.10 (br, 1H), 7.84 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.38 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.30 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.15 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 5.59 (br, 1H), 3.64 (s, 2H), 2.43 (s, 3H), 1.32 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) =

167.43, 151.34, 142.98, 139.24, 129.97, 129.46, 129.35, 126.47, 126.29, 43.23, 34.59, 31.25, 21.52; **IR (KBr)** ν 3366, 3226, 3073, 3017, 2961, 2905, 2864, 1669, 1564, 1508, 1467, 1397, 1355, 1250, 1194, 1079, 1013, 957, 845, 810, 768 cm^{-1} ; **HRMS (ESI) m/z** calcd. for $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 345.1631, found: 345.1638.

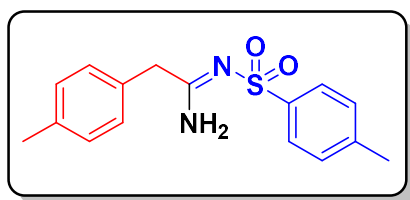
4. **2-(3-methoxyphenyl)-N'-tosylacetimidamide (4d)** : White solid; m.p. 100-101 °C; **¹H**



NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) = 8.13 (br, 1H), 7.84 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.32-7.28 (m, 3H), 6.88 (dd, J = 2.2 Hz, 8.2 Hz, 1H), 6.81 (d, J = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 6.76 (s, 1H), 5.69 (br, 1H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 3.64 (s, 2H), 2.44 (s, 3H); **¹³C**

NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) = 167.02, 160.20, 143.06, 139.08, 134.58, 130.38, 129.36, 126.44, 121.82, 115.12, 113.72, 55.23, 43.74, 21.51; **IR (KBr)** ν 3436, 3324, 3051, 3010, 2968, 2919, 2842, 1613, 1586, 1536, 1494, 1257, 1187, 1076, 943, 908, 873, 810, 754 cm^{-1} ; **HRMS (ESI) m/z** calcd. for $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 319.1111, found: 319.1095.

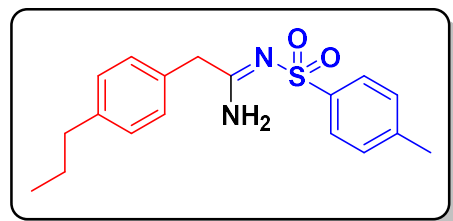
5. **2-(p-tolyl)-N'-tosylacetimidamide (4e)¹** : White solid; m.p. 123-124 °C; **¹H NMR (400**



MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) = 8.10 (br, 1H), 7.83 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.30 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.18-7.09 (m, 4H), 5.76 (br, 1H), 3.59 (s, 2H), 2.41 (s, 3H), 2.33 (s, 3H); **¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm)** = 167.68, 142.88, 139.10, 137.72, 130.22, 129.78, 129.39,

129.25, 126.29, 43.15, 21.42, 20.98; **IR (KBr)** ν 3436, 3366, 3234, 3065, 3024, 2912, 2856, 1732, 1655, 1550, 1488, 1411, 1180, 1082, 894, 859, 796 cm^{-1} .

6. **2-(4-propylphenyl)-N'-tosylacetimidamide (4f)** : White solid; m.p. 79-80 °C; **¹H NMR**

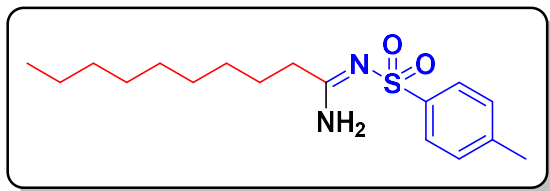


(400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) = 8.00 (br, 1H), 7.73 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.23-7.19 (m, 2H), 7.08-7.02 (m, 4H), 5.65 (br, 1H), 3.54 (s, 2H), 2.49 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 2.34 (s, 3H), 1.59-1.50 (m, 9H), 0.86 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 3H); **¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ**

(ppm) = 167.62, 142.97, 142.71, 139.10, 130.26, 129.53, 129.32, 128.39, 126.38, 43.26,

37.57, 24.41, 24.38, 21.49, 13.79, 13.75; **IR (KBr)** ν 3359, 3234, 2968, 2927, 2870, 1648, 1544, 1502, 1417, 1271, 1146, 1082, 943, 810, 761 cm^{-1} ; **HRMS (ESI)** m/z calcd. for $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 331.1475, found: 331.1468.

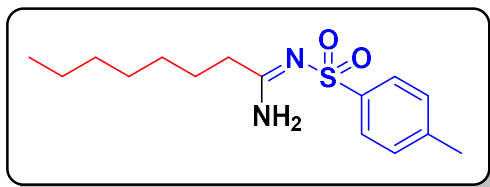
7. ***N'*-tosyldecanimidamide (4g)** : White solid; m.p. 60-61 °C; **^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3)**



δ (ppm) = 8.05 (br, 1H), 7.82 (d, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.28-7.27 (m, 3H), 5.78 (br, 1H), 2.41 (s, 3H), 2.25 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 1.29-1.22 (m, 14H), 0.88 (t, J = 7.0 Hz, 3H); **^{13}C**

NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) = 169.02, 142.87, 139.23, 129.28, 126.36, 37.97, 31.81, 29.34, 29.17, 28.80, 26.52, 22.63, 21.49, 14.08; **IR (KBr)** ν 3394, 3317, 3248, 2961, 2919, 2842, 1641, 1544, 1453, 1271, 1132, 1082, 915, 796, 712 cm^{-1} ; **HRMS (ESI)** m/z calcd. for $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 325.1944, found: 325.1945.

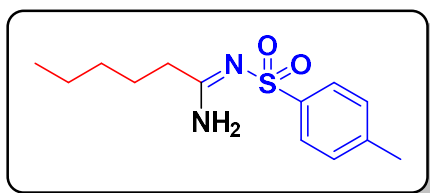
8. ***N'*-tosyloctanimidamide (4h)** : White solid; m.p. 70-71 °C; **^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3)**



δ (ppm) = 8.05 (br, 1H), 7.83 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.3 (d, J = 7 Hz, 2H), 5.96 (br, 1H), 2.43 (s, 3H), 2.27 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 1.69 (s, 2H), 1.62-1.60 (m, 2H), 1.28-1.20 (m, 6H), 0.88 (t, J

= 7.2 Hz, 3H); **^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm)** = 169.19, 142.87, 139.22, 129.28, 126.33, 37.91, 31.56, 28.82, 28.73, 26.53, 22.50, 21.48, 14.01; **IR (KBr)** ν 3388, 3322, 3243, 2913, 2848, 1642, 1541, 1455, 1416, 1271, 1145, 1079, 928, 875, 810 cm^{-1} ; **HRMS (ESI)** m/z calcd. for $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 297.1631, found: 297.1628.

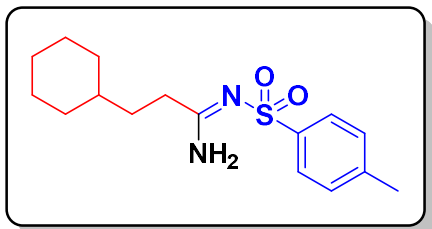
9. ***N'*-tosylhexanimidamide (4i)¹** : Yellow solid; m.p. 70-71 °C; **^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3)**



δ (ppm) = 8.05 (br, 1H), 7.82 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.29 (d, J = 6.9 Hz, 2H), 6.02 (br, 1H), 2.43 (s, 3H), 2.26 (t, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 1.65-1.57 (m, 2H), 1.30-1.20 (m, 4H), 0.84 (t, J = 6.9 Hz, 3H); **^{13}C**

NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) = 169.28, 142.90, 139.16, 129.27, 126.33, 37.81, 30.91, 26.22, 22.21, 21.48, 13.79; **IR (KBr)** ν 3372, 3310, 3225, 2910, 2908, 2867, 1640, 1535, 1442, 1138, 1089, 805.

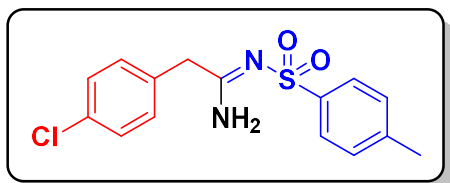
10. 3-cyclohexyl-*N'*-tosylpropanimidamide (4j) : White solid; m.p. 98-99 °C; ¹H NMR



(400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) = 8.02 (br, 1H), 7.81 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 7.28 (d, J = 5.6, 2H), 6.14 (br, 1H), 2.42 (s, 3H), 2.29-2.25 (m, 2H), 1.80 (br, 1H), 1.65-1.60 (m, 4H), 1.50-1.45 (m, 2H), 1.16-1.06 (m, 4H), 0.86-0.80 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz,

CDCl₃) δ (ppm) = 169.75, 142.88, 139.17, 129.28, 126.30, 36.97, 35.39, 33.89, 32.85, 26.35, 26.07, 21.47; IR (KBr) ν 3443, 3338, 3248, 2912, 2842, 1627, 1530, 1453, 1403, 1264, 1138, 935, 817, 782, 706 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd. for [M+H]⁺: 309.1631, found: 309.1637.

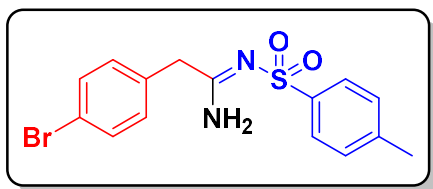
11. 2-(4-chlorophenyl)-*N'*-tosylacetimidamide (4k) : White solid; m.p. 123-124 °C; ¹H



NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) = 8.07 (br, 1H), 7.78 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.31-7.26 (m, 4H), 7.15 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 5.75 (br, 1H), 3.59 (s, 2H), 2.42 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) =

166.56, 143.17, 138.88, 134.06, 131.89, 130.80, 129.37, 129.31, 126.37, 43.09, 21.51; IR (KBr) ν 3365, 3235, 1648, 1559, 1445, 1370, 1269, 1145, 1137, 860, 769, 550, 525 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd. for [M+H]⁺: 323.0616, found: 323.0612.

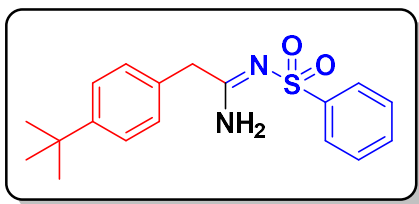
12. 2-(4-bromophenyl)-*N'*-tosylacetimidamide (4l)¹ : White solid; m.p. 176-177 °C; ¹H



NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) = 8.09 (br, 1H), 7.8 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.48 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.29 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.1 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 5.63 (br, 1H), 3.59 (s, 2H), 2.43 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100

MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) = 166.28, 143.18, 138.90, 132.36, 132.33, 131.17, 129.38, 126.43, 122.24, 43.23, 21.53; IR (KBr) ν 3370, 3215, 1654, 1578, 1425, 1350, 1289, 1151, 1127, 854, 780, 550, 514 cm⁻¹.

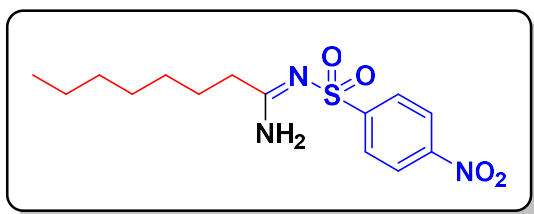
13. 2-(4-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-*N'*-(phenylsulfonyl)acetimidamide (**4m**) : White solid; m.p.



82-83 °C; $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) = 8.14 (br, 1H), 7.96 (d, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.60-7.56 (m, 1H), 7.53-7.50 (m, 2H), 7.39 (d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.17 (d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, 2H), 5.75 (br, 1H), 3.66 (s, 2H),

1.33 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) = 167.81, 151.27, 142.00, 132.28, 129.90, 129.40, 128.73, 126.37, 126.25, 43.18, 34.56, 31.23; IR (KBr) ν 3352, 3206, 2954, 2326, 2172, 1655, 1550, 1278, 1138, 1090, 943, 810 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd. for $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 331.1475, found: 331.1477.

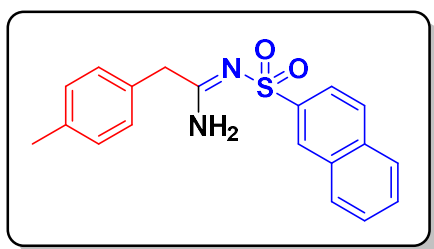
14. *N'*-((4-nitrophenyl)sulfonyl)octanimidamide (**4n**) : White solid; m.p. 60-61 °C; ^1H



NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) = 8.34 (d, $J = 8.6$ Hz, 2H), 8.12 (d, $J = 9$ Hz, 2H), 6.31 (br, 1H), 2.31 (t, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 2H), 1.85 (br, 1H), 1.62-1.59 (m, 2H), 1.25-1.20 (m, 8H), 0.85 (t, $J = 6.9$ Hz, 3H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100

MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) = 170.55, 149.73, 147.73, 127.60, 123.98, 37.83, 31.51, 28.74, 28.71, 26.43, 22.45, 13.94; IR (KBr) ν 3352, 3206, 2954, 2326, 2172, 1655, 1550, 1278, 1138, 1090, 943, 810 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd. for $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 328.1326, found: 328.1322.

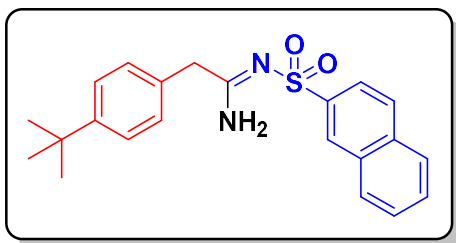
15. *N'*-(naphthalen-2-ylsulfonyl)-2-(*p*-tolyl)acetimidamide (**4o**) : Light Brown solid; m.p.



110-111 °C; $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) = 8.48 (s, 1H), 8.18 (br, 1H), 7.96-7.92 (m, 4H), 7.65-7.60 (m, 2H), 7.15-7.09 (m, 4H), 5.76 (br, 1H), 3.64 (s, 2H), 2.33 (s, 3H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100

MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) = 167.89, 138.87, 138.00, 129.97, 129.56, 129.25, 129.04, 128.45, 127.81, 127.81, 127.23, 127.12, 122.30, 43.23, 21.05; IR (KBr) ν 3369, 3324, 3247, 2965, 2984, 2845, 1658, 1524, 1306, 1287, 1108, 813 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd. for $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 339.1162, found: 339.1160.

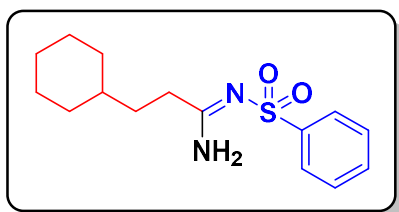
16. 2-(4-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-*N'*-(naphthalen-2-ylsulfonyl)acetimidamide (4p) : Light



Brown solid; m.p. 115-116 °C; $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) = 8.49 (s, 1H), 8.19 (br, 1H), 7.96-7.90 (m, 4H), 7.65-7.58 (m, 2H), 7.36 (d, $J = 7.7$ Hz, 2H), 7.15 (d, $J = 7.7$ Hz, 2H), 5.73 (br, 1H), 3.66 (s, 2H), 1.31 (s, 9H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100

MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) = 167.83, 151.29, 138.90, 134.74, 132.08, 129.89, 129.43, 129.40, 129.27, 129.05, 128.46, 127.83, 127.24, 127.15, 126.26, 122.33, 43.20, 34.56, 31.23; IR (KBr) ν 3408, 3303, 3254, 2954, 2926, 2870, 1641, 1544, 1502, 1389, 1250, 1166, 1118, 1068, 1013, 935, 817 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd. for $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 381.1631, found: 381.1624.

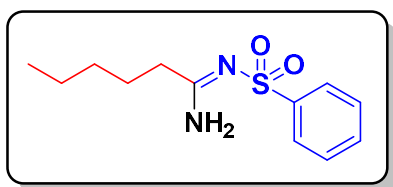
17. 3-cyclohexyl-*N'*-(phenylsulfonyl)propanimidamide (4q) : White solid; m.p. 80-81 °C;



$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) = 8.07 (br, 1H), 7.93 (d, $J = 6.9$ Hz, 2H), 7.57-7.47 (m, 3H), 6.04 (br, 1H), 2.34-2.27 (m, 2H), 1.77 (br, 1H), 1.65-1.60 (m, 4H), 1.52-1.46 (m, 2H), 1.14-1.09 (m, 4H), 0.89-0.79 (m, 2H); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) =

169.89, 142.05, 132.22, 128.69, 126.29, 36.98, 35.47, 33.86, 32.67, 26.35, 26.07; IR (KBr) ν 3436, 3324, 2912, 2836, 1613, 1522, 1439, 1411, 1271, 1138, 1082, 929, 789 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd. for $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 295.1475, found: 295.1471.

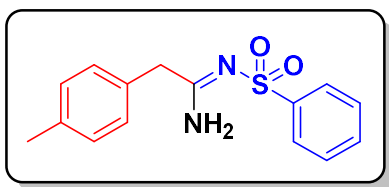
18. *N'*-(phenylsulfonyl)hexanimidamide (4r) : Yellow solid; m.p. 52-53 °C; $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400



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30.86, 26.21, 22.16, 13.78; IR (KBr) ν 3443, 3324, 3234, 3059, 2954, 2918, 2864, 1613, 1530, 1417, 1264, 1146, 1090, 929, 789, 754 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd. for $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 255.1162, found: 255.1158.

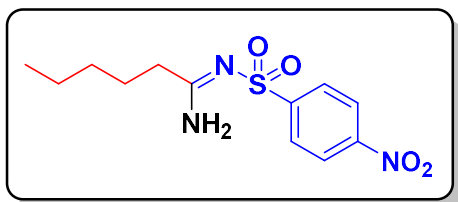
19. *N'*-(phenylsulfonyl)-2-(*p*-tolyl)acetimidamide (**4s**) : White solid; m.p. 76-77 °C; ¹H



NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) = 8.11 (br, 1H), 7.94 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.59-7.48 (m, 3H), 7.17-7.09 (m, 4H), 5.71 (br, 1H), 3.63 (s, 2H), 2.35 (s, 3H); ¹³C

NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) = 167.81, 141.99, 138.01, 132.29, 129.98, 129.92, 129.56, 128.73, 126.37, 43.27, 21.06; IR (KBr) ν 3443, 3324, 2912, 2856, 1606, 1522, 1439, 1375, 1264, 1146, 1068, 908, 852, 789, 754, 712 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calcd. for [M+H]⁺: 289.1005, found: 289.1001.

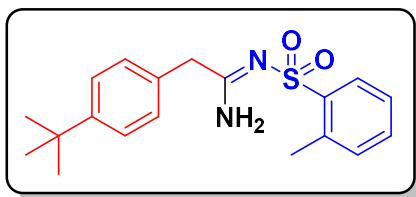
20. *N'*-((4-nitrophenyl)sulfonyl)hexanimidamide (**4t**) : Yellow solid; m.p. 55-56 °C; ¹H



NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) = 8.33 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 8.11 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 6.27 (br, 1H), 2.3 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 1.85 (br, 1H), 1.65-1.57 (m, 2H), 1.27-1.22 (m, 4H), 0.83 (t, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) =

170.49, 149.75, 147.72, 127.62, 123.98, 37.83, 30.88, 26.09, 22.14, 13.78; IR (KBr) ν 3388, 3322, 3243, 3104, 2933, 2854, 1641, 1528, 1436, 1344, 1271, 1140, 1079, 961, 855, 803, 684; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calcd. for [M+H]⁺: 300.1013, found: 300.1009.

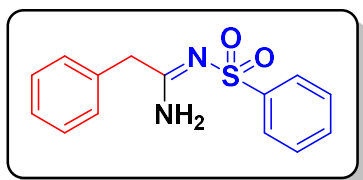
21. 2-(4-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-*N'*-(*o*-tolylsulfonyl)acetimidamide (**4u**) : White solid; m.p. 82-



83 °C; ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) = 8.07 (br, 1H), 8.03 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.46-7.43 (m, 1H), 7.38 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.30 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.15 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 5.73 (br, 1H), 3.65 (s, 2H), 2.67 (s,

3H), 1.32 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) = 167.73, 151.29, 139.75, 137.64, 132.78, 132.24, 129.42, 127.79, 126.25, 125.79, 42.95, 34.56, 31.23, 20.29; IR (KBr) ν 3394, 3317, 3248, 2961, 2891, 2864, 1655, 1558, 1453, 1411, 1250, 1110, 1054, 971, 817, 740 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calcd. for [M+H]⁺: 345.1631, found: 345.1628.

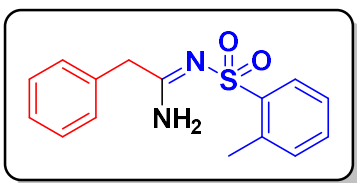
22. 2-phenyl-*N'*-(phenylsulfonyl)acetimidamide (**4v**) : White solid; m.p. 86-87 °C; ¹H



NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ (ppm) = 8.11 (br, 1H), 7.93

(d, $J = 7.7$ Hz, 2H), 7.57-7.55 (m, 1H), 7.50-7.48 (m, 2H), 7.36-7.32 (m, 3H), 7.22 (d, $J = 7$ Hz, 2H), 5.79 (br, 1H), 3.66 (s, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) = 167.56, 141.90, 133.18, 132.32, 129.59, 129.26, 128.74, 128.10, 126.34; IR (KBr) ν 3436, 3324, 1627, 1530, 1389, 1264, 1138, 1082, 929, 775, 740 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd. for $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 275.0849, found: 275.0843.

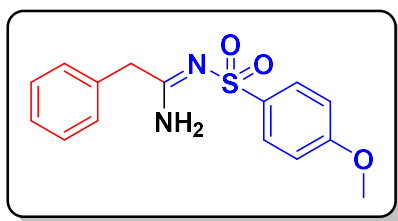
23. 2-phenyl- N' -(*o*-tolylsulfonyl)acetimidamide (4w) : White solid; m.p. 70-71 $^\circ\text{C}$; ^1H



NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) = 7.92 (d, $J = 7.7$ Hz, 1H), 7.37-7.33 (m, 1H), 7.28-7.19 (m, 5H), 7.14-7.12 (m, 2H), 5.77 (br, 1H), 3.57 (s, 2H), 2.56 (s, 3H), 1.65 (br, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) = 167.38, 139.86, 137.50, 133.36, 133.33, 132.32, 132.16, 129.53,

129.14, 129.12, 127.96, 127.94, 127.59, 125.69, 43.69, 20.21; IR (KBr) ν 3450, 3380, 3338, 2933, 1620, 1550, 1446, 1257, 1187, 1124, 817 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd. for $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 289.1005, found: 289.1002.

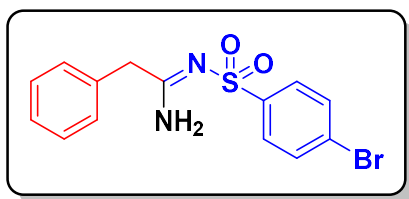
24. N' -((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-2-phenylacetimidamide (4x) : White solid; m.p. 100-



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129.50, 129.14, 128.39, 127.94, 113.87, 55.52, 43.61; IR (KBr) ν 3401, 3324, 3248, 2933, 1634, 1592, 1488, 1124, 1076, 817 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI) m/z calcd. for $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 305.0954, found: 305.0948.

25. N' -((4-bromophenyl)sulfonyl)-2-phenylacetimidamide (4y) : White solid; m.p. 76-77

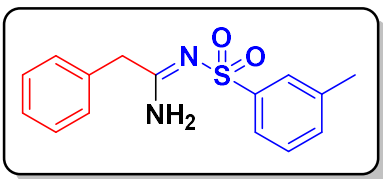


$^\circ\text{C}$; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) = 8.12 (br, 1H), 7.8 (d, $J = 8.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.63 (d, $J = 8.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.38-7.35 (m, 3H), 7.24-7.22 (m, 2H), 5.65 (br, 1H), 3.67 (s, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) =

167.62, 141.04, 132.90, 131.99, 129.67, 129.40, 128.30, 128.05, 127.21, 43.75; IR (KBr)

ν 3401, 3303, 3240, 2905, 2850, 1648, 1550, 1425, 1348, 1257, 1160, 1068, 957, 796, 601 cm^{-1} ; **HRMS (ESI) m/z** calcd. for $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 352.9954, found: 352.9948.

26. 2-phenyl-*N'*-(*m*-tolylsulfonyl)acetimidamide (4z) : White solid; m.p. 85-86 °C; **^1H**



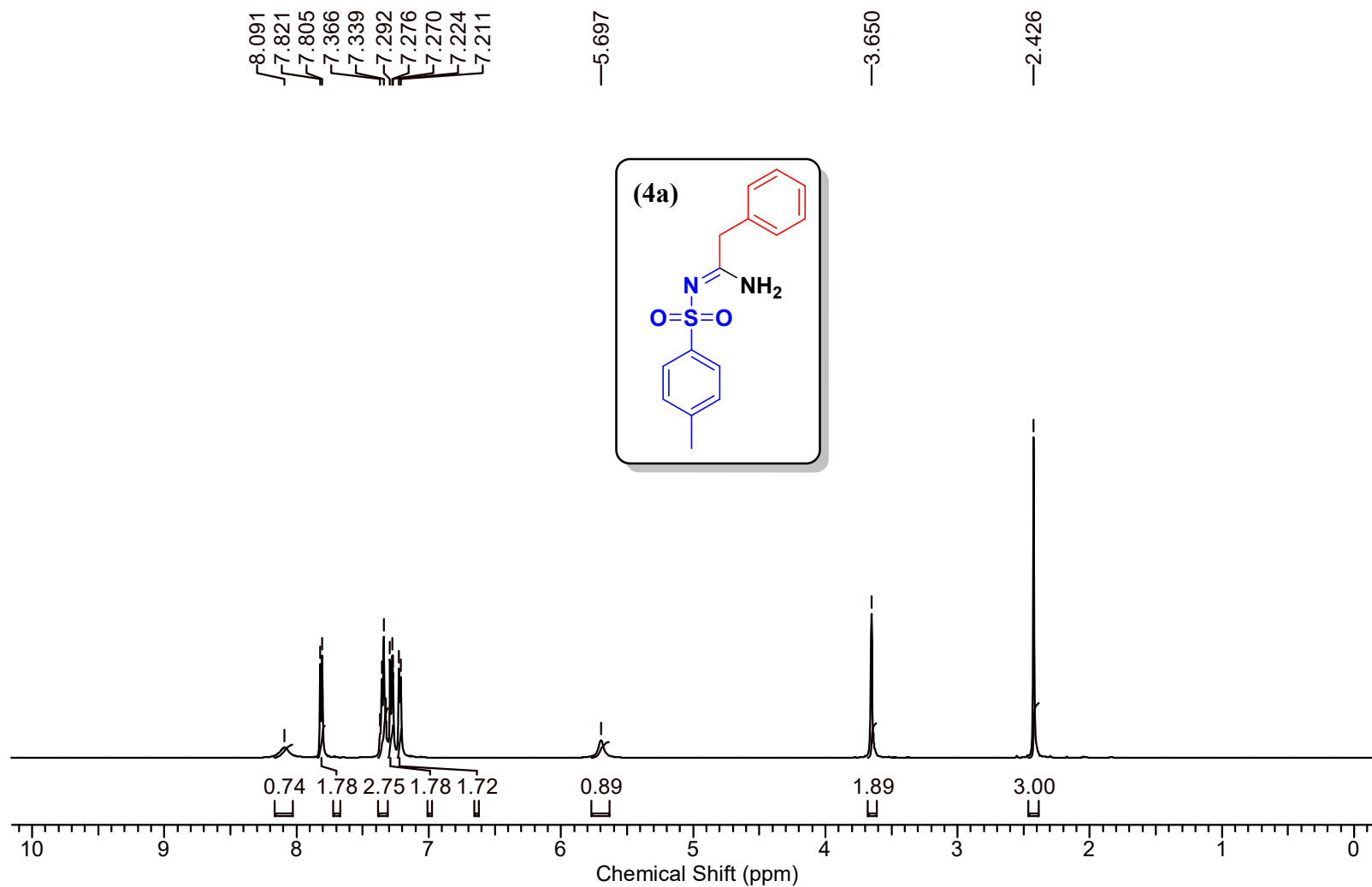
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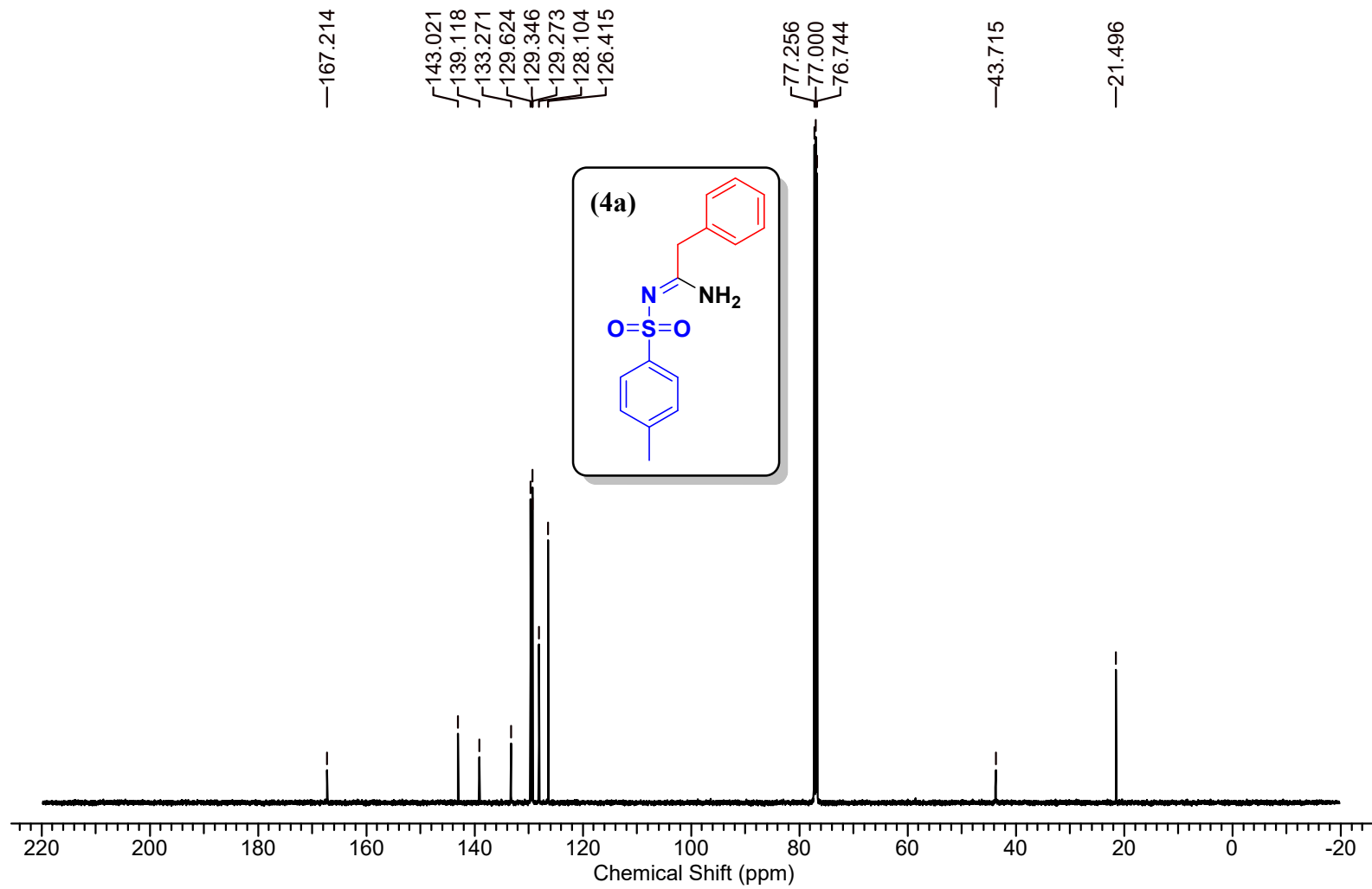
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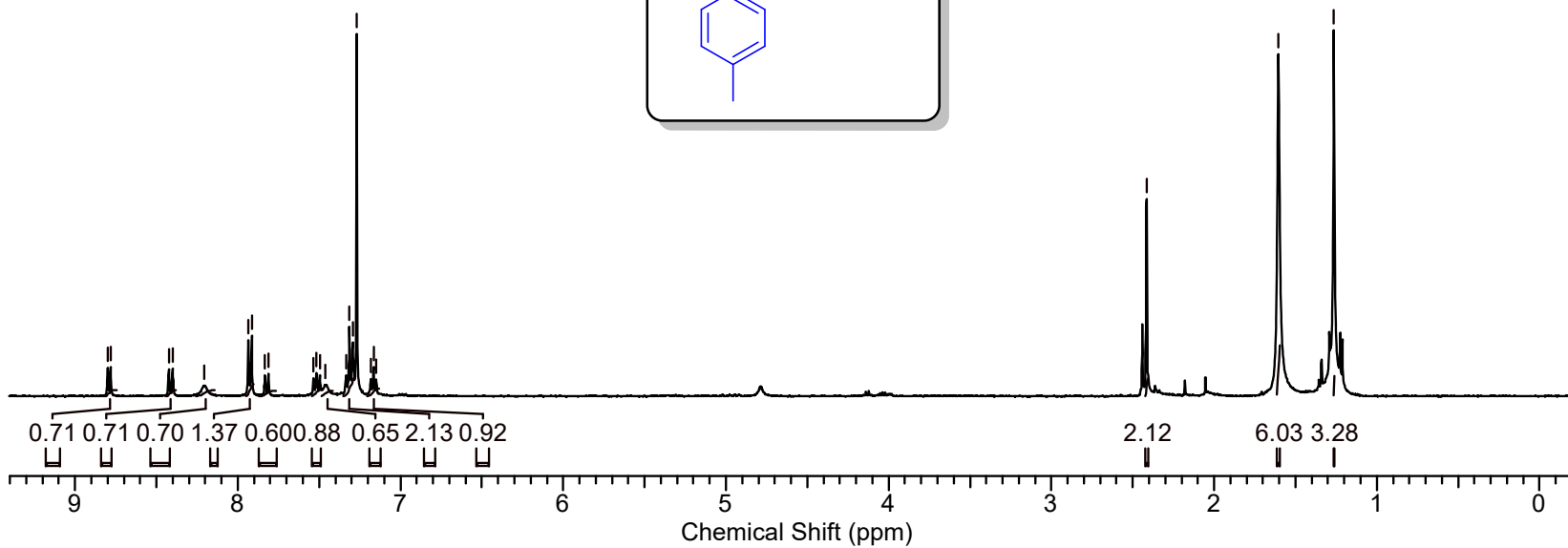
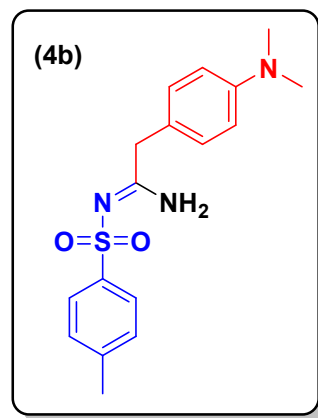


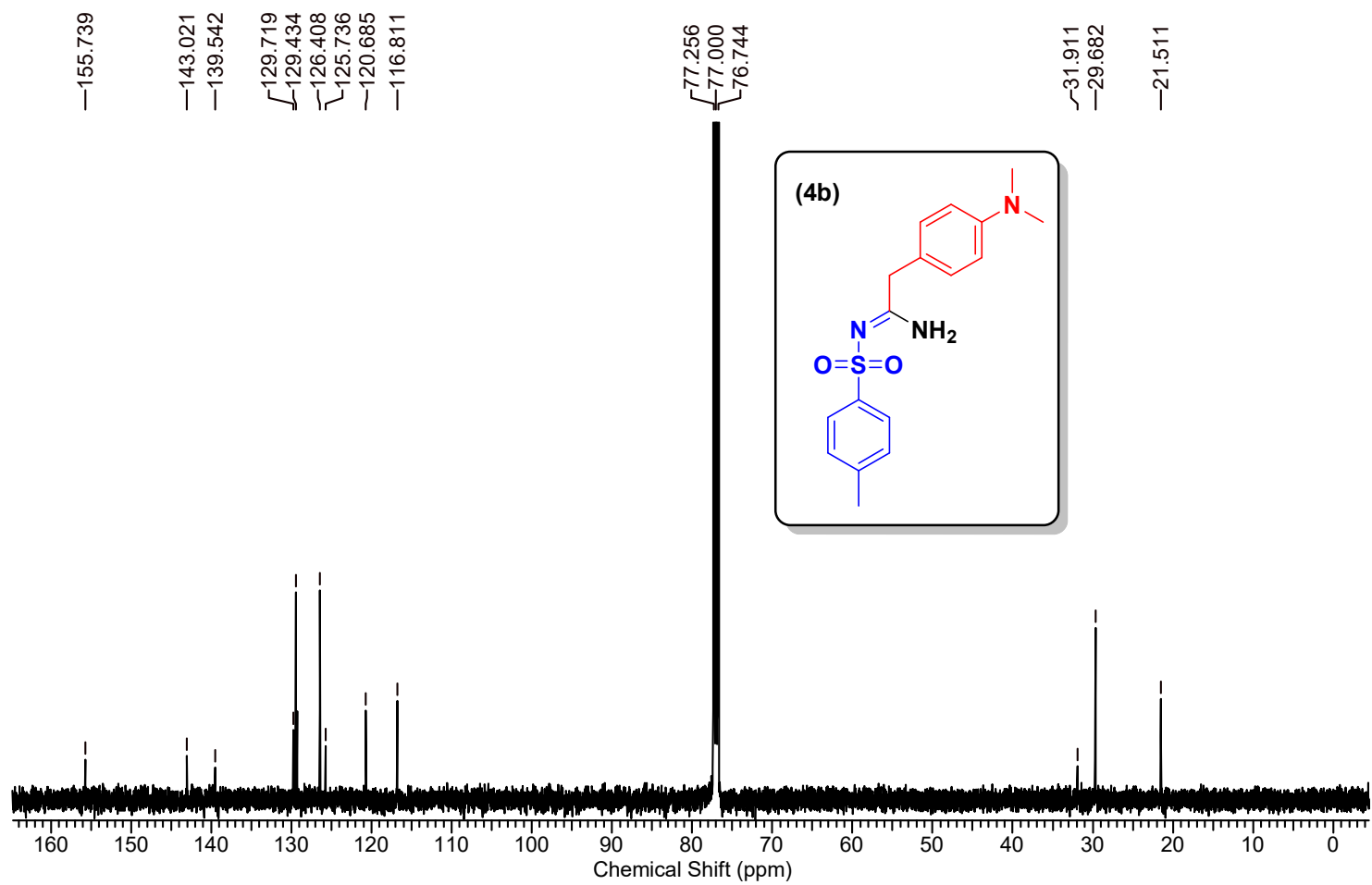
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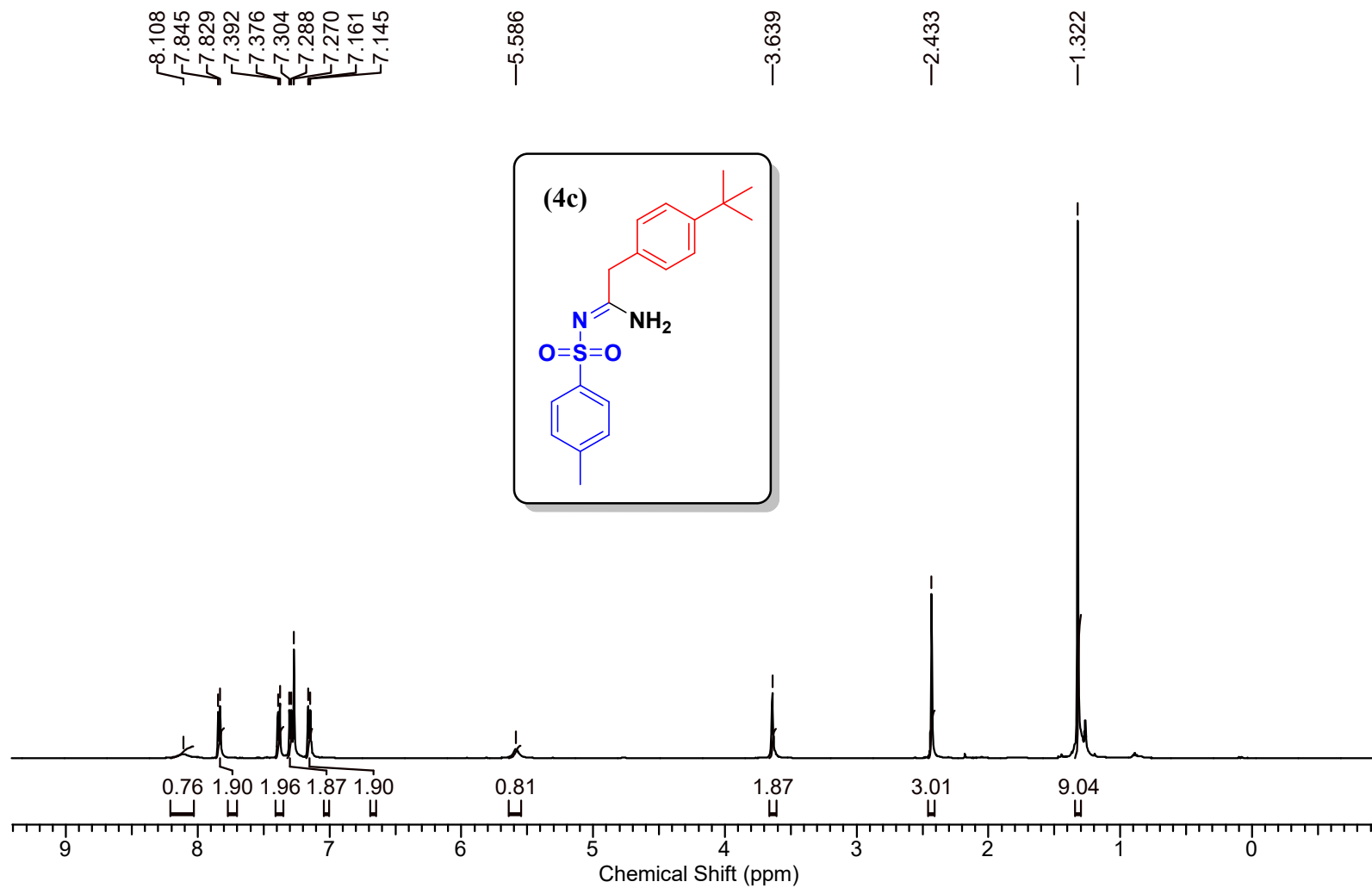
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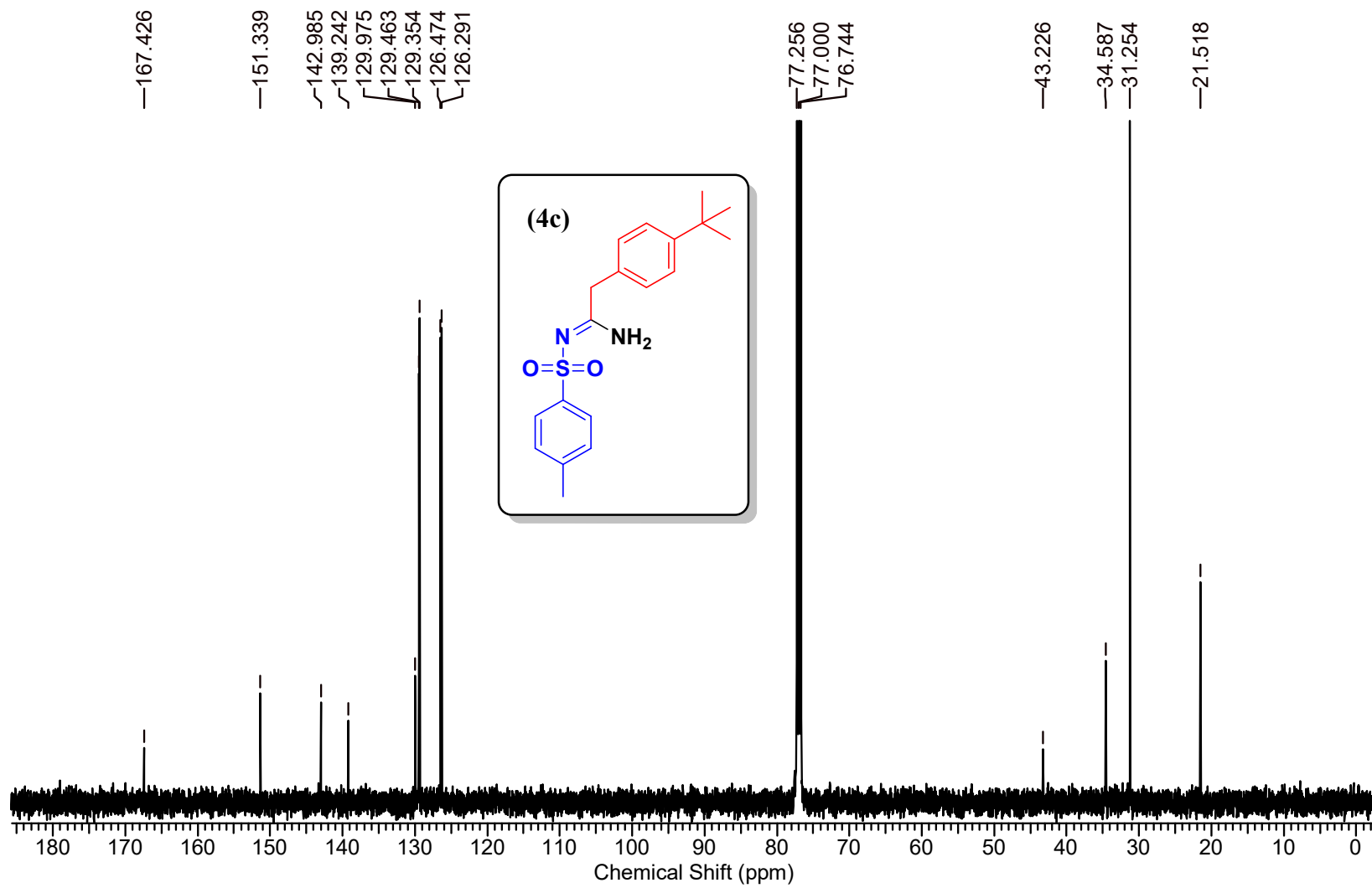
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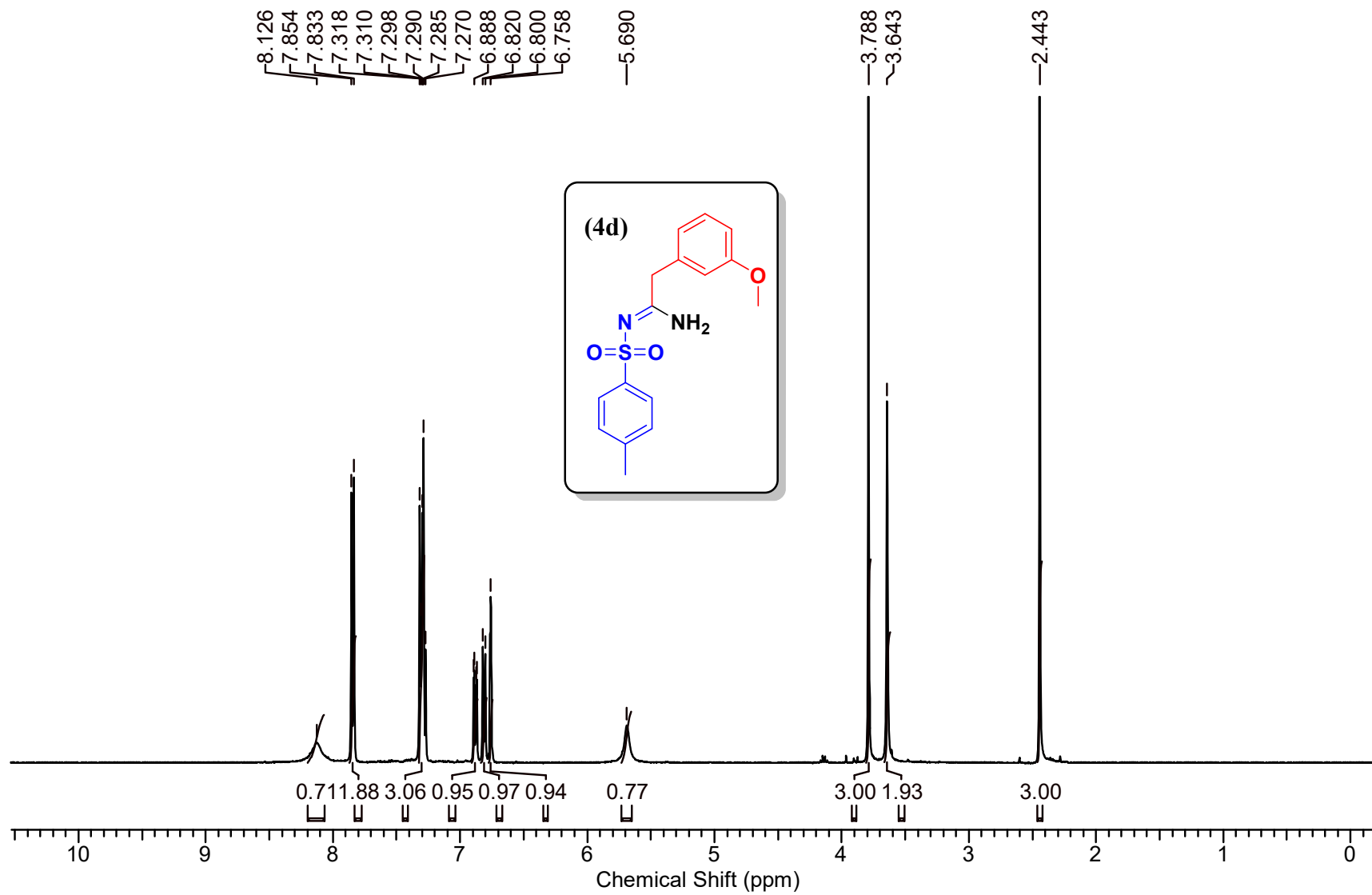
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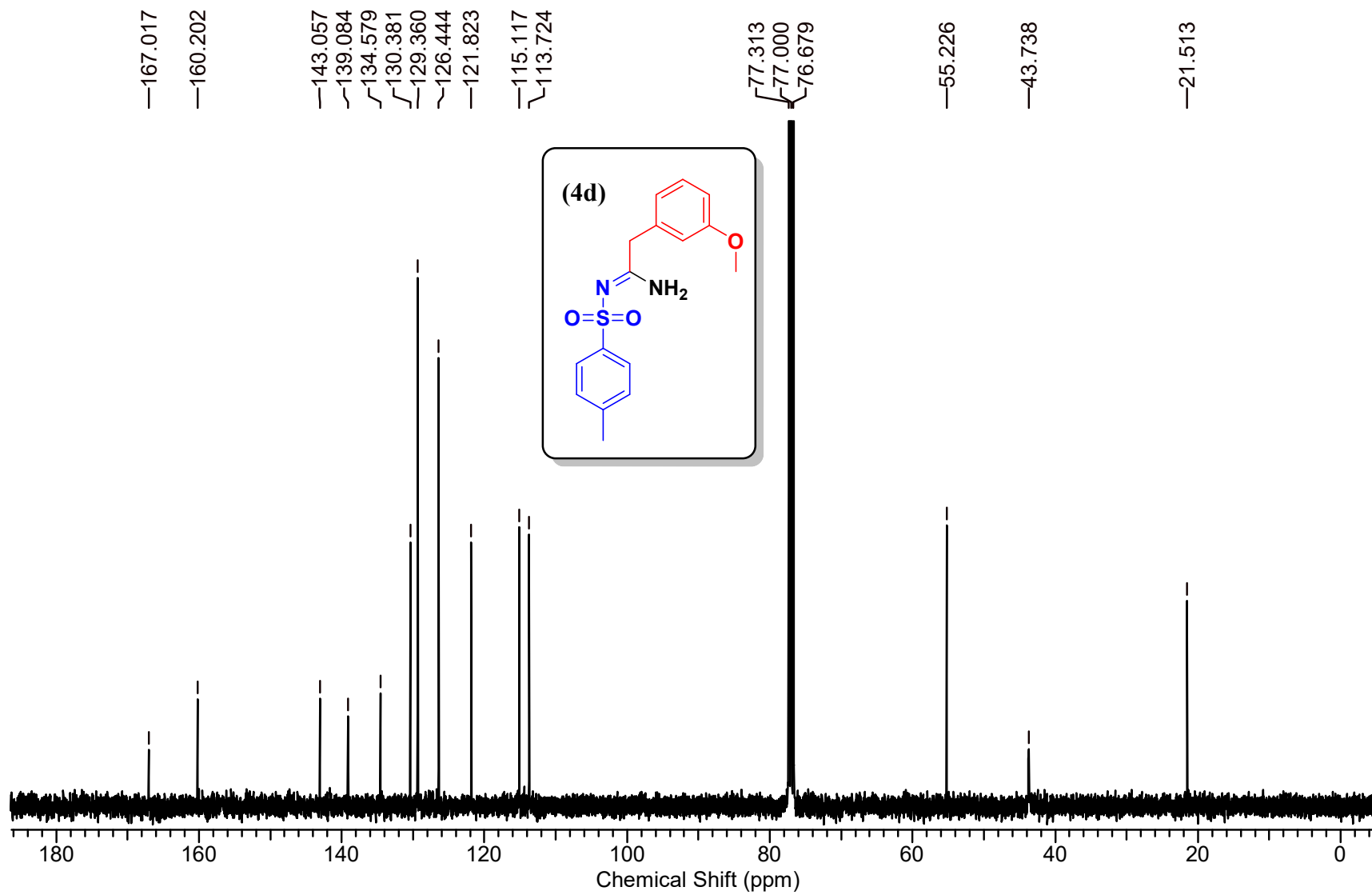


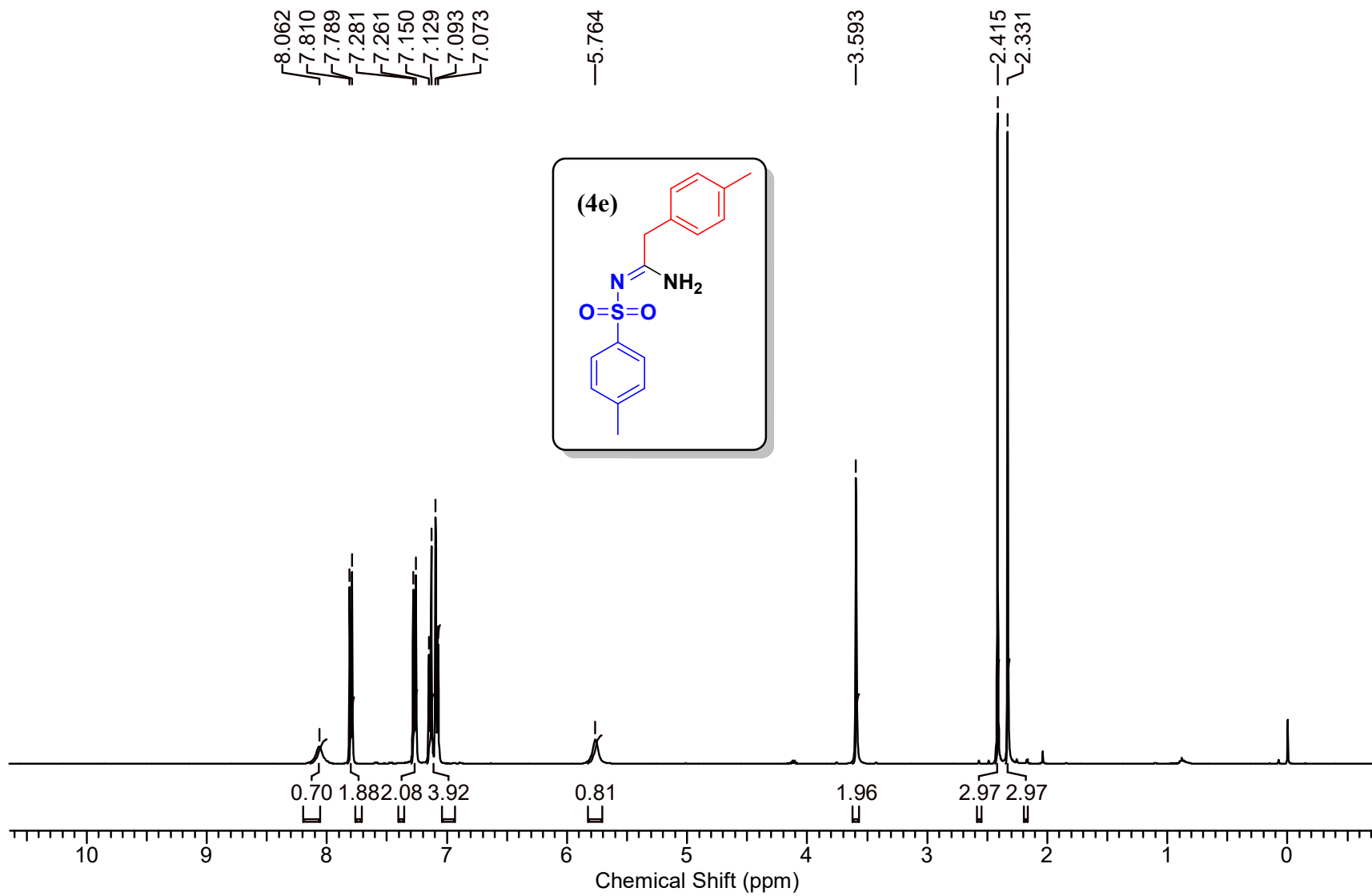


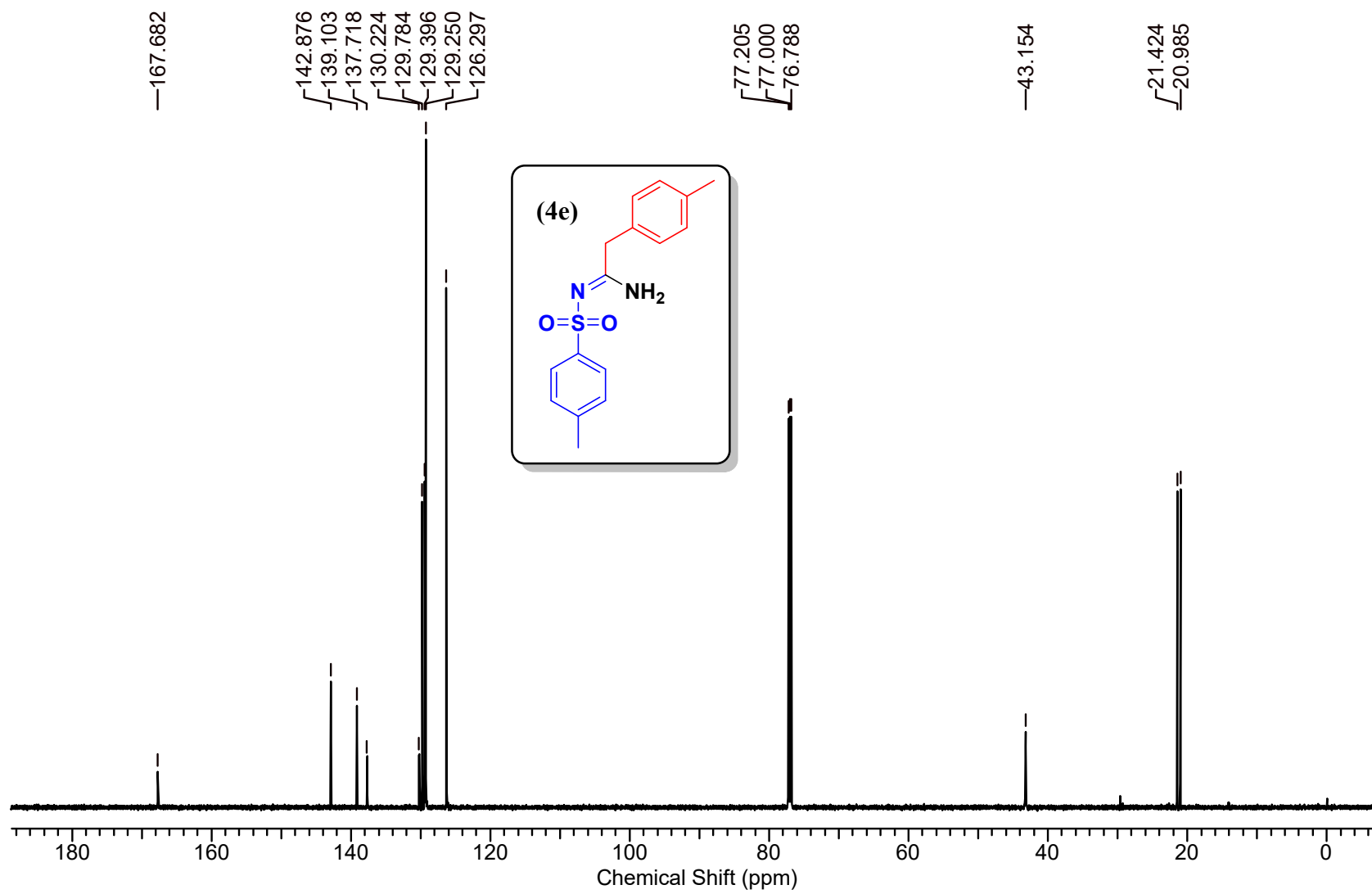


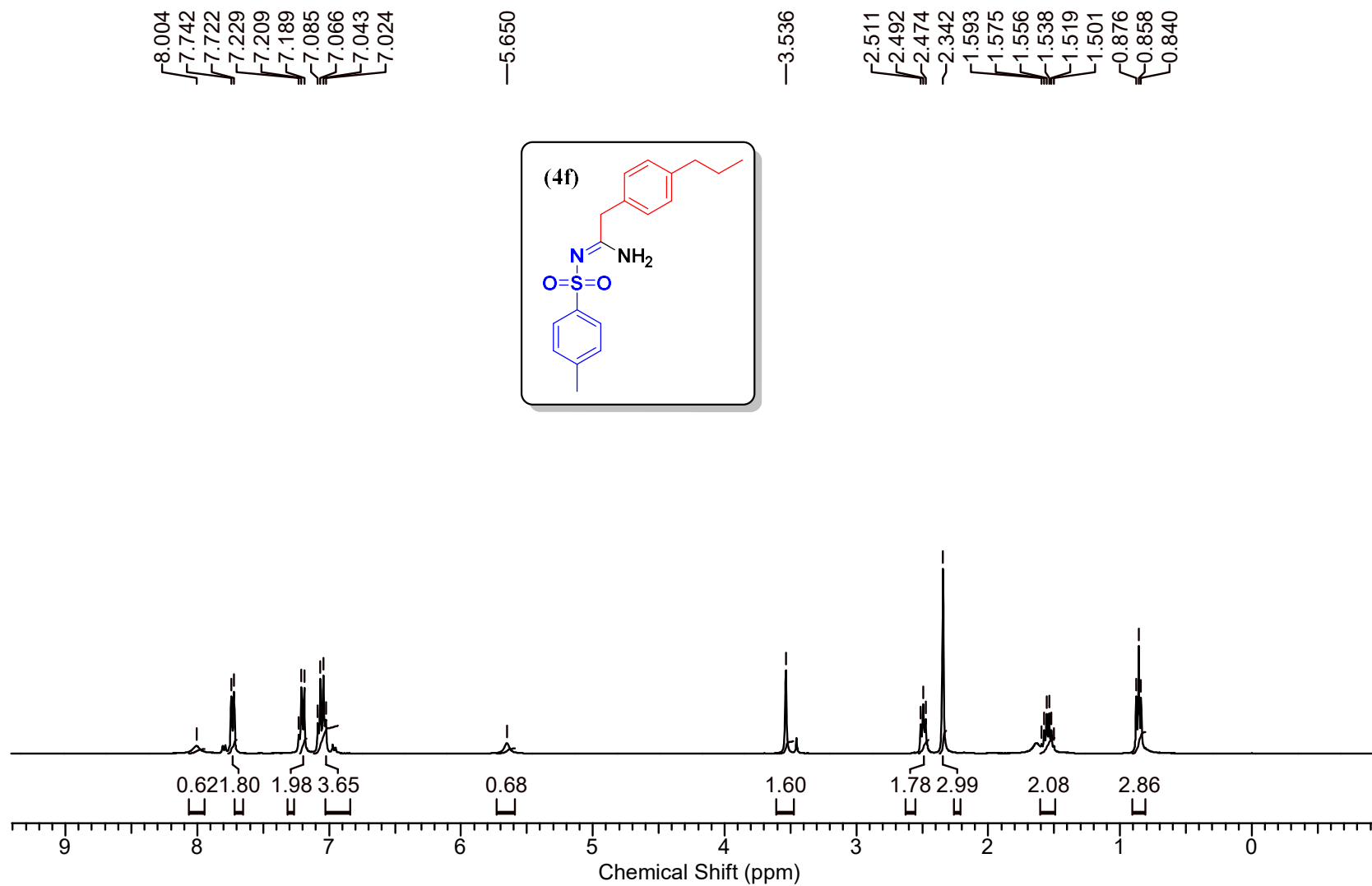


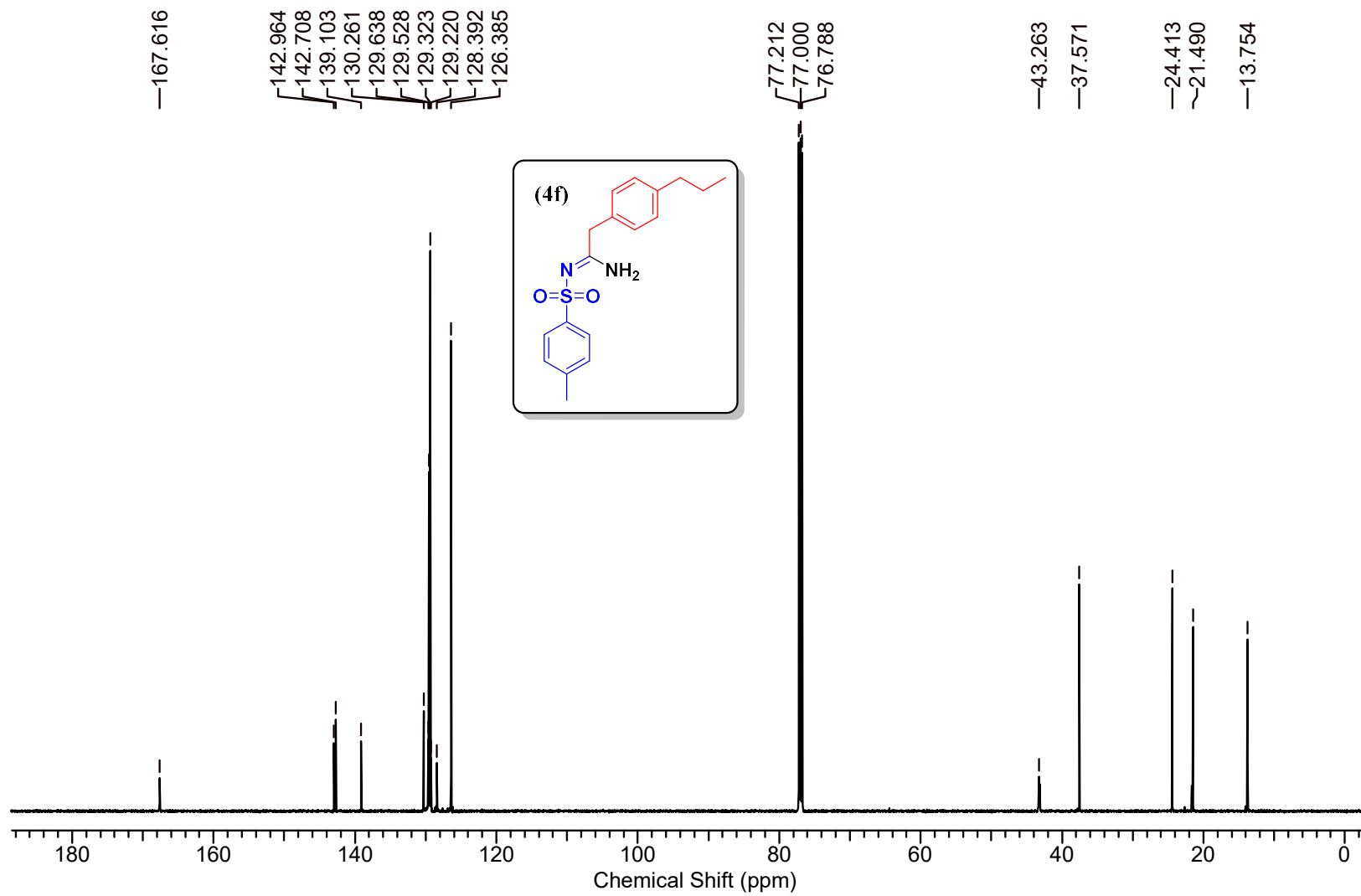


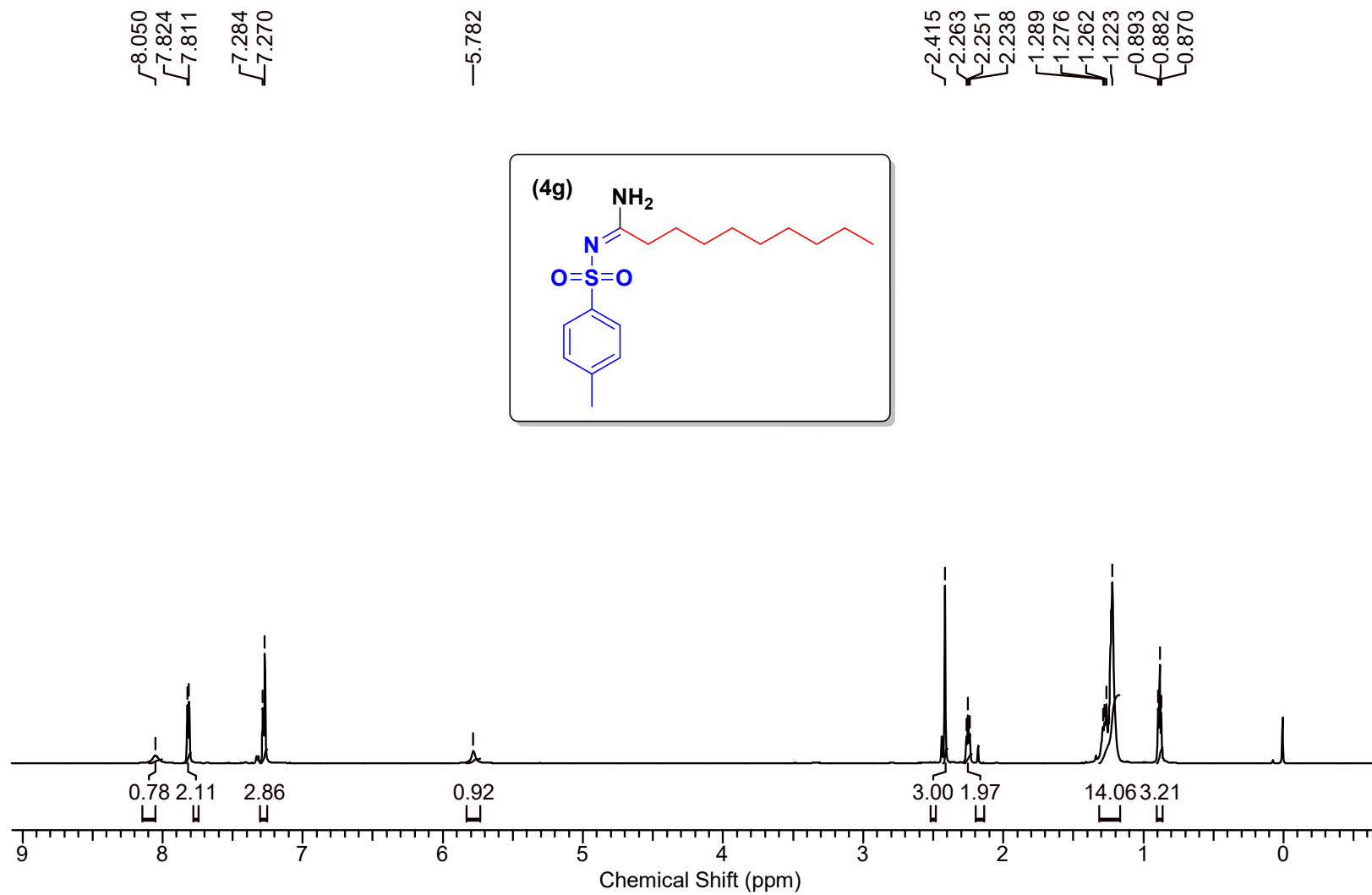


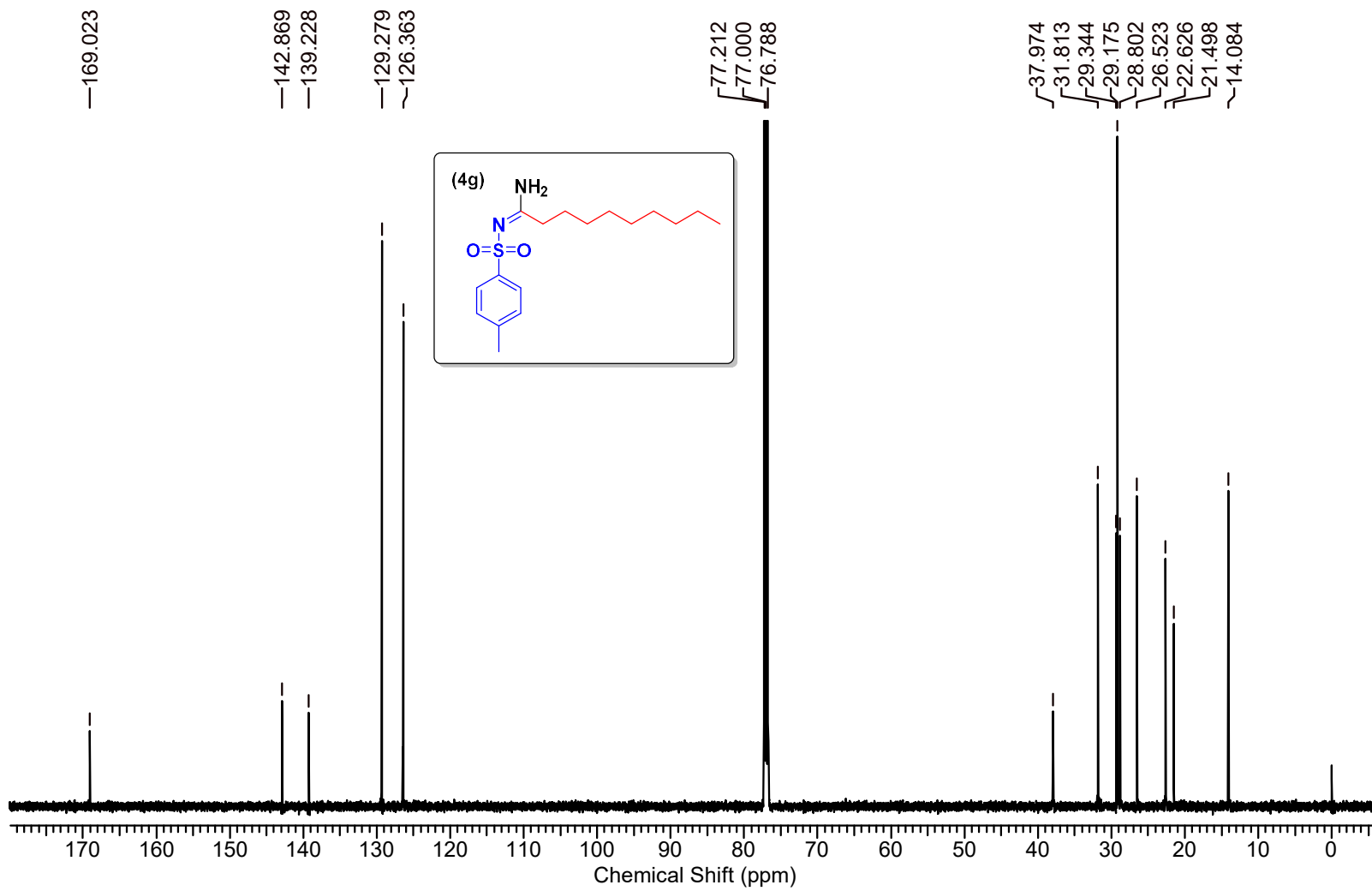








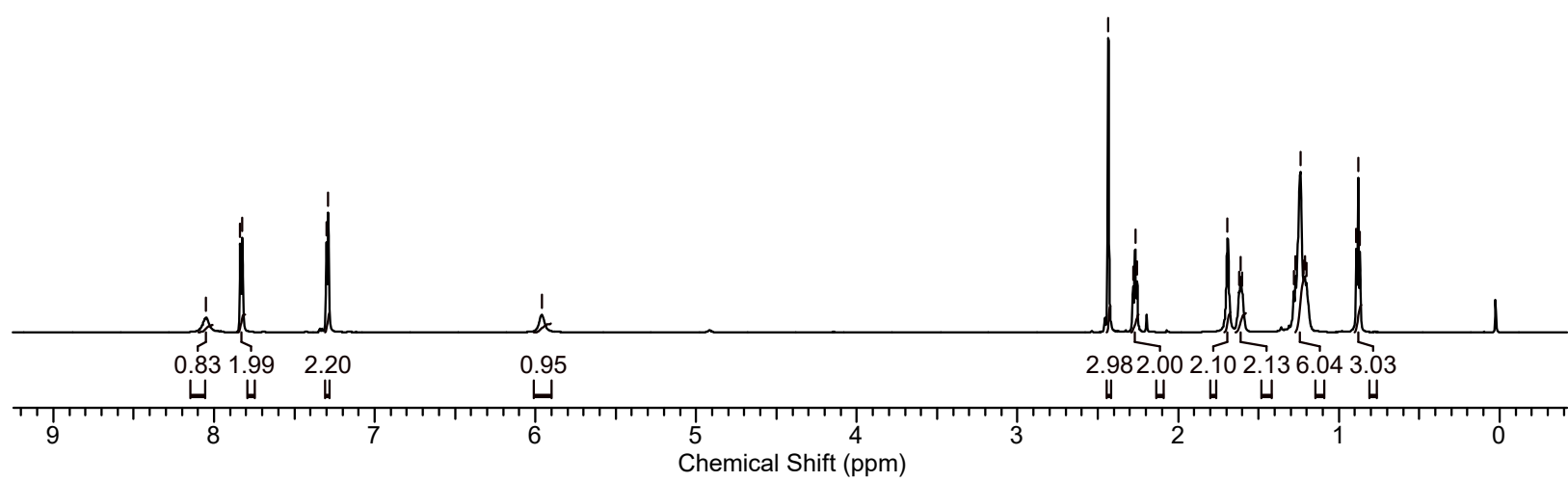
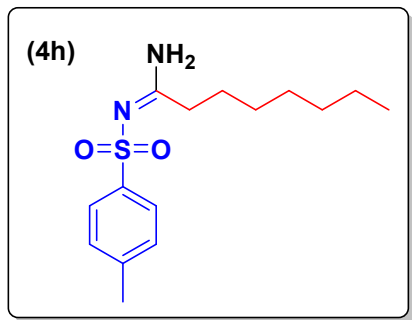


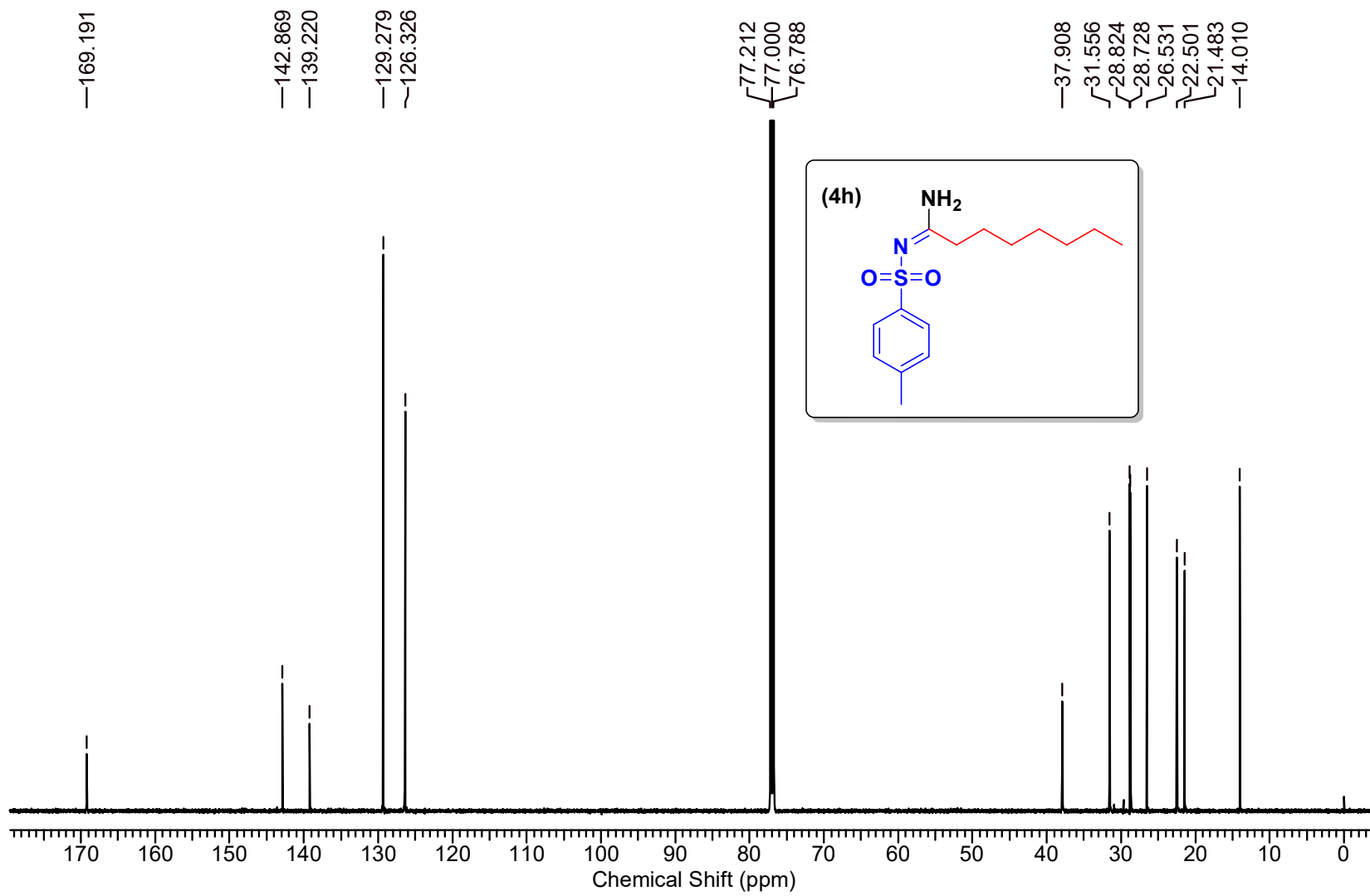


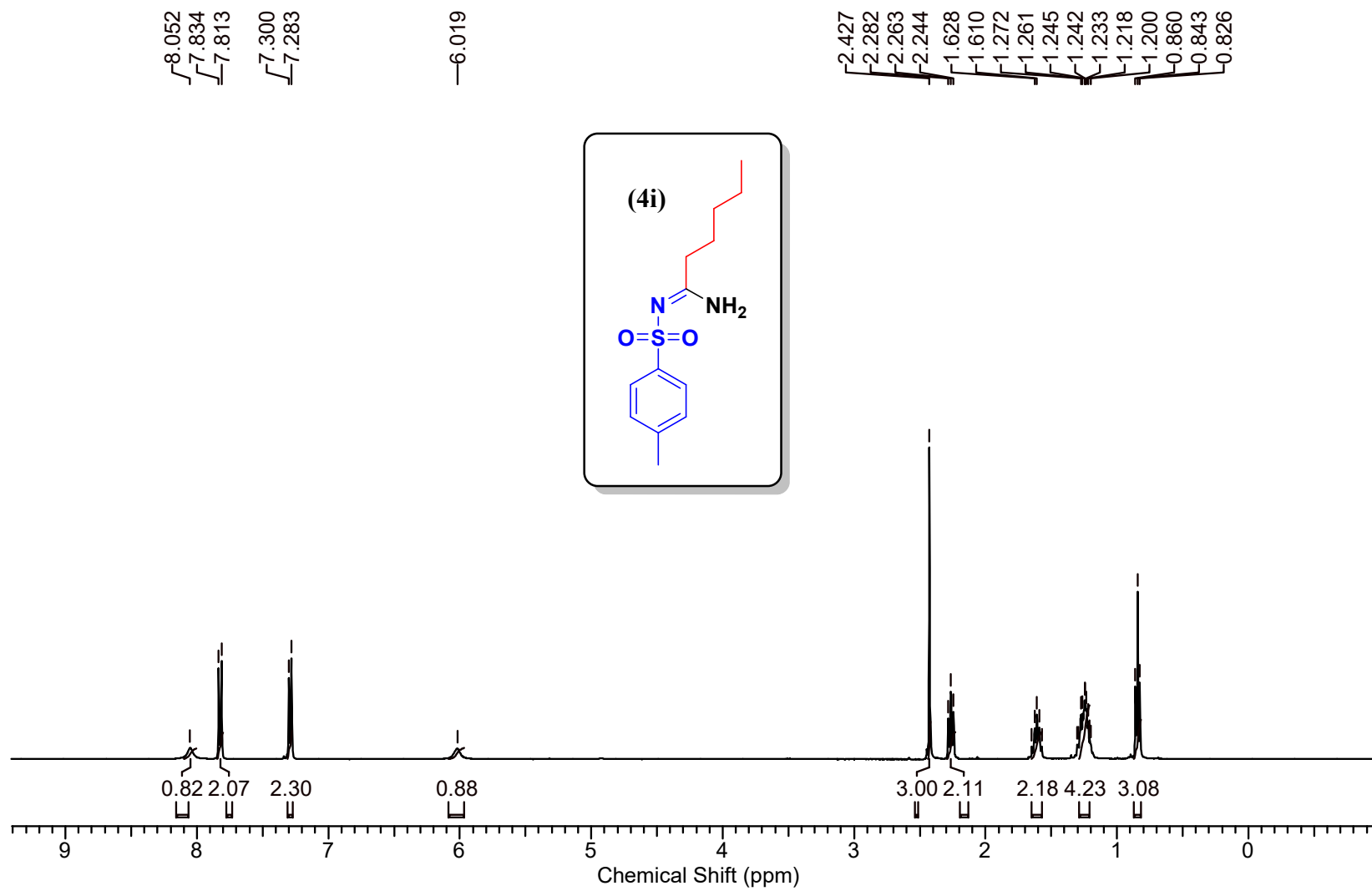
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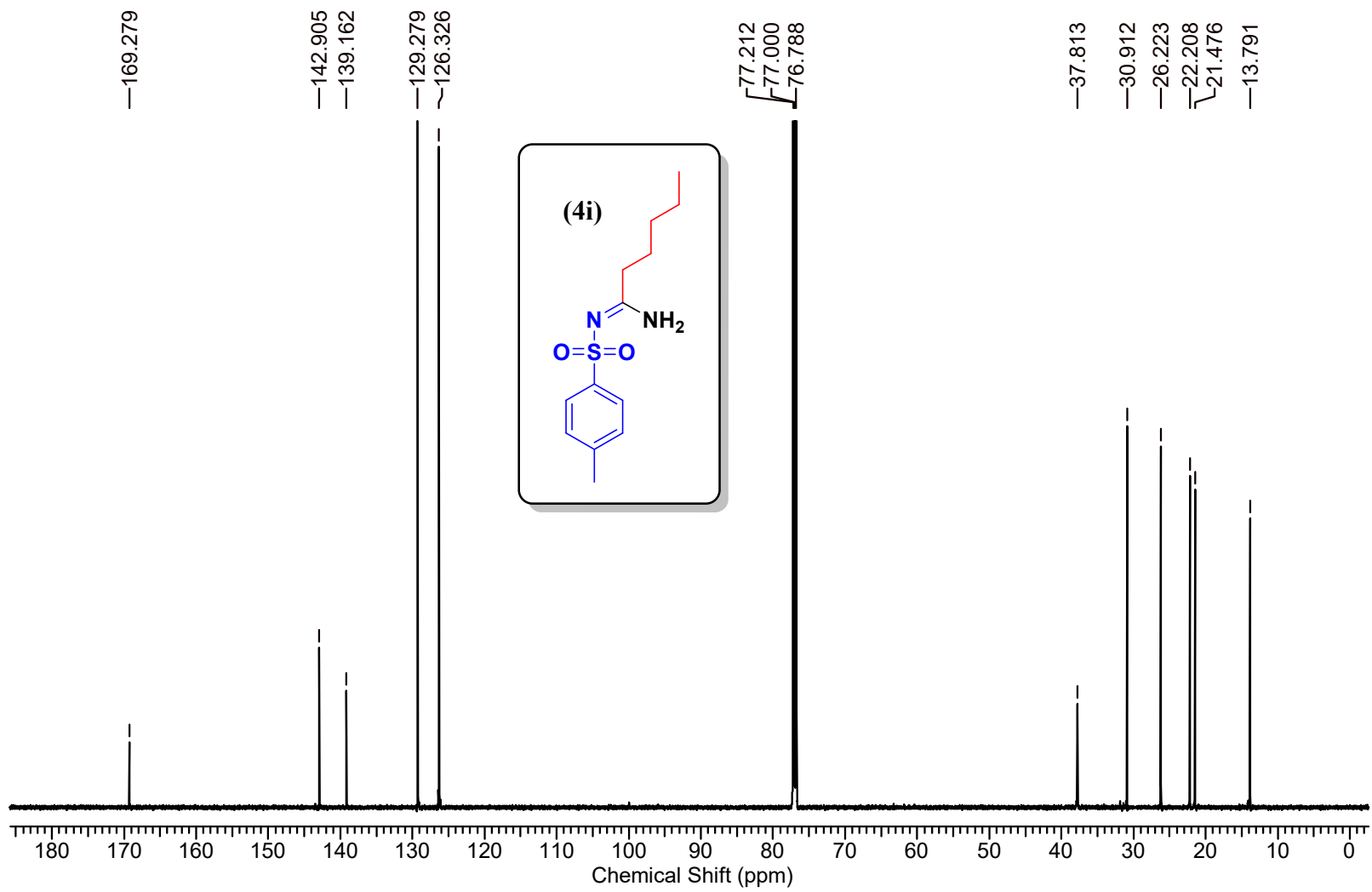
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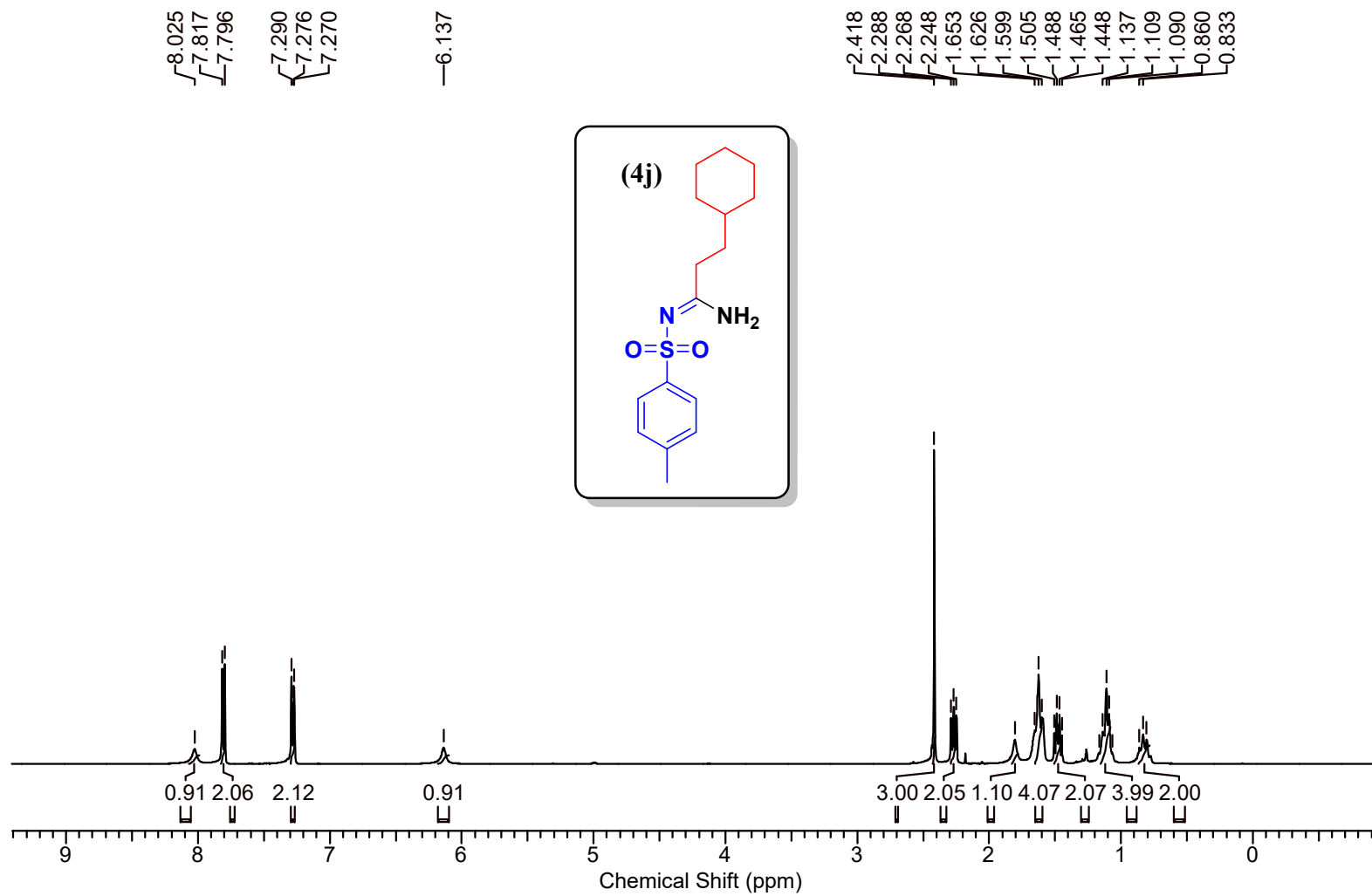
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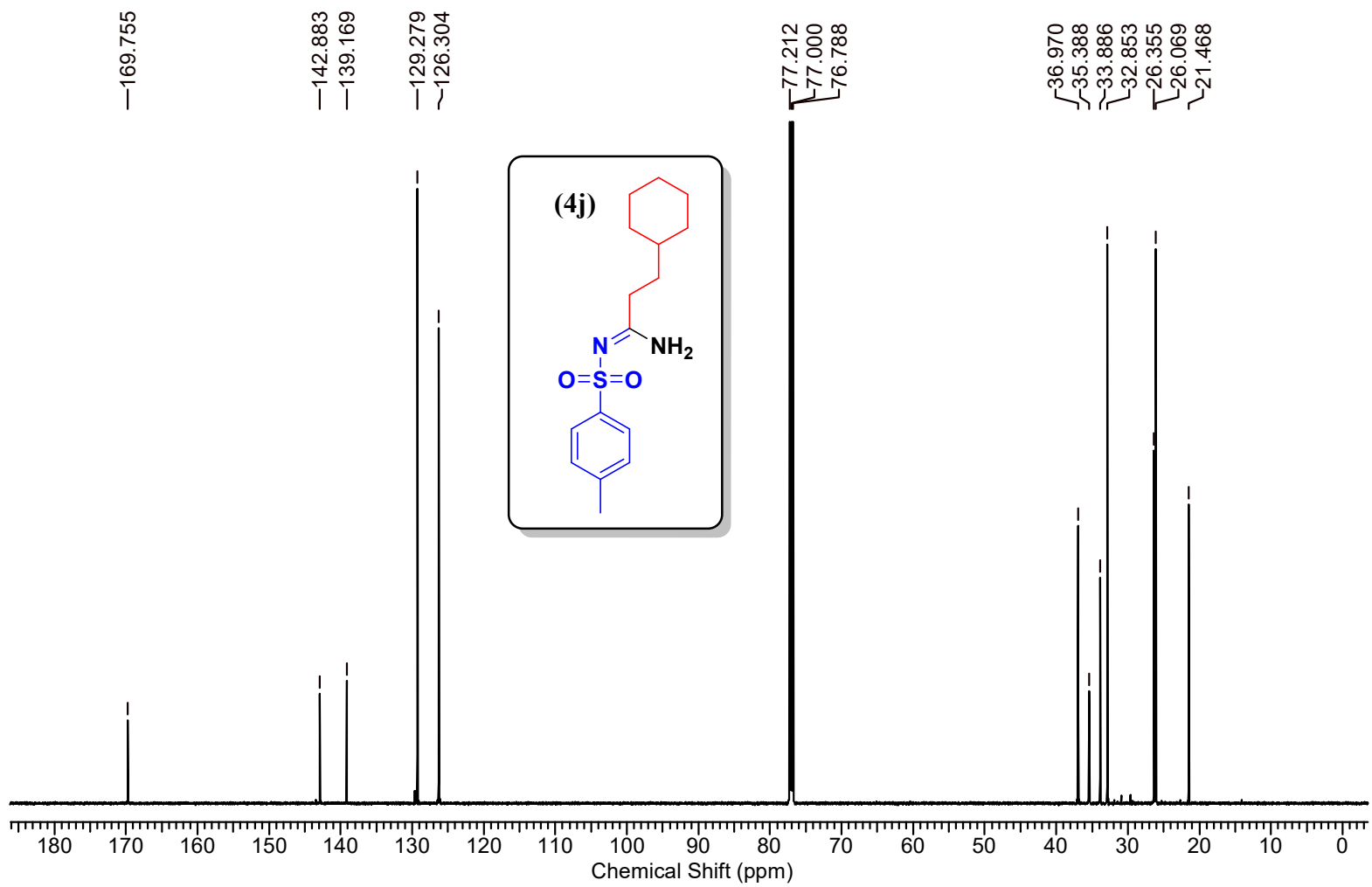


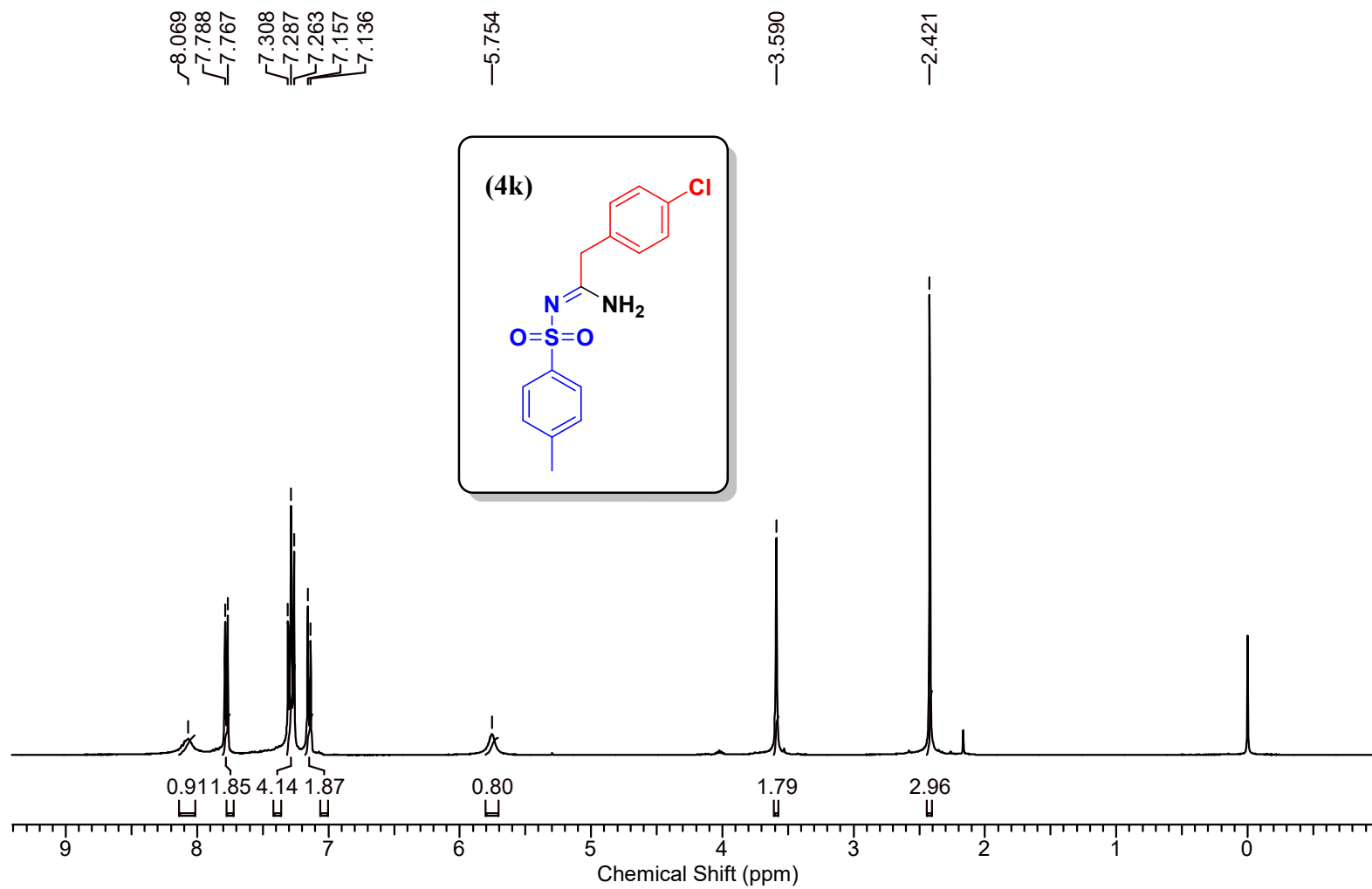


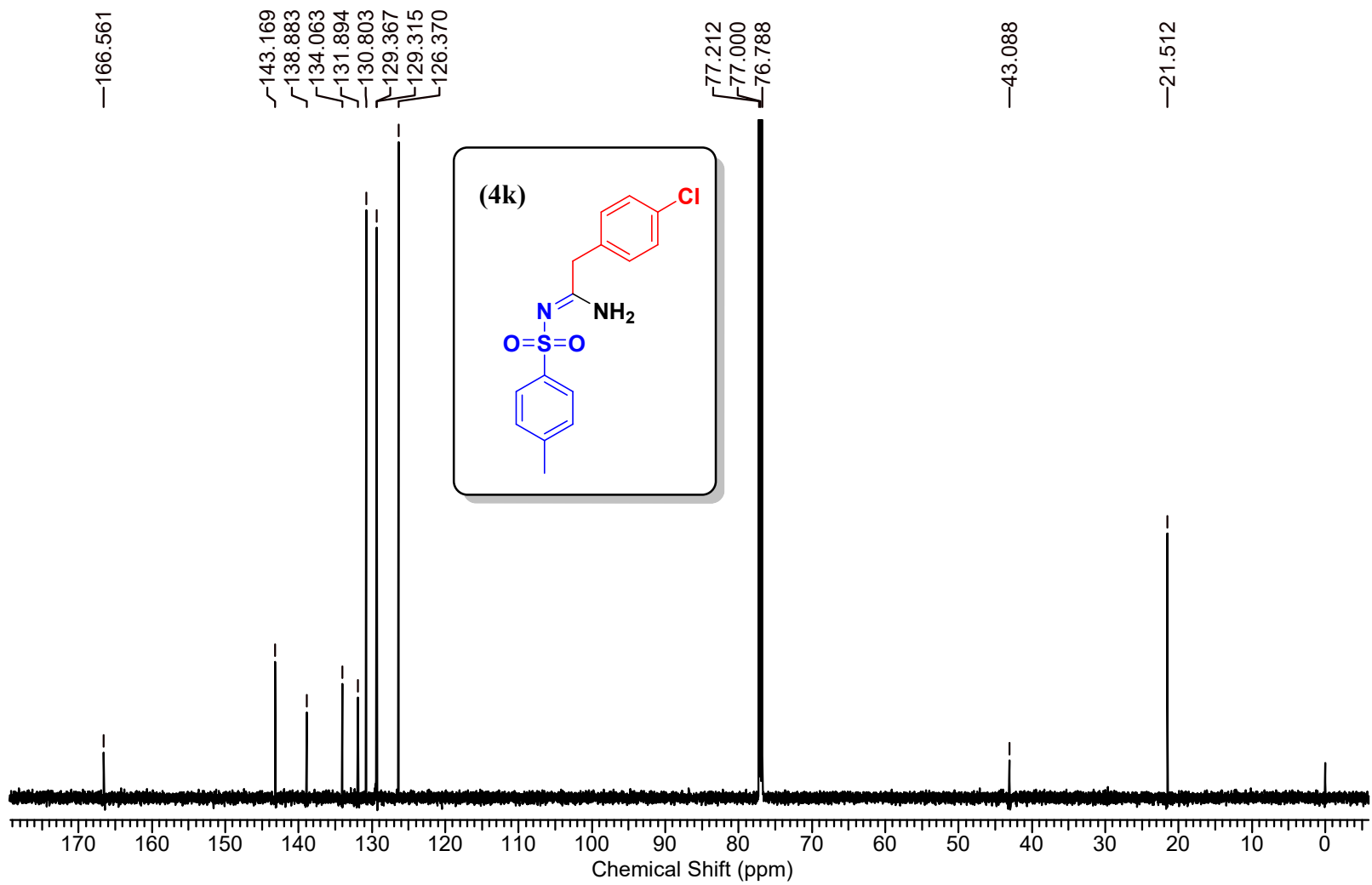


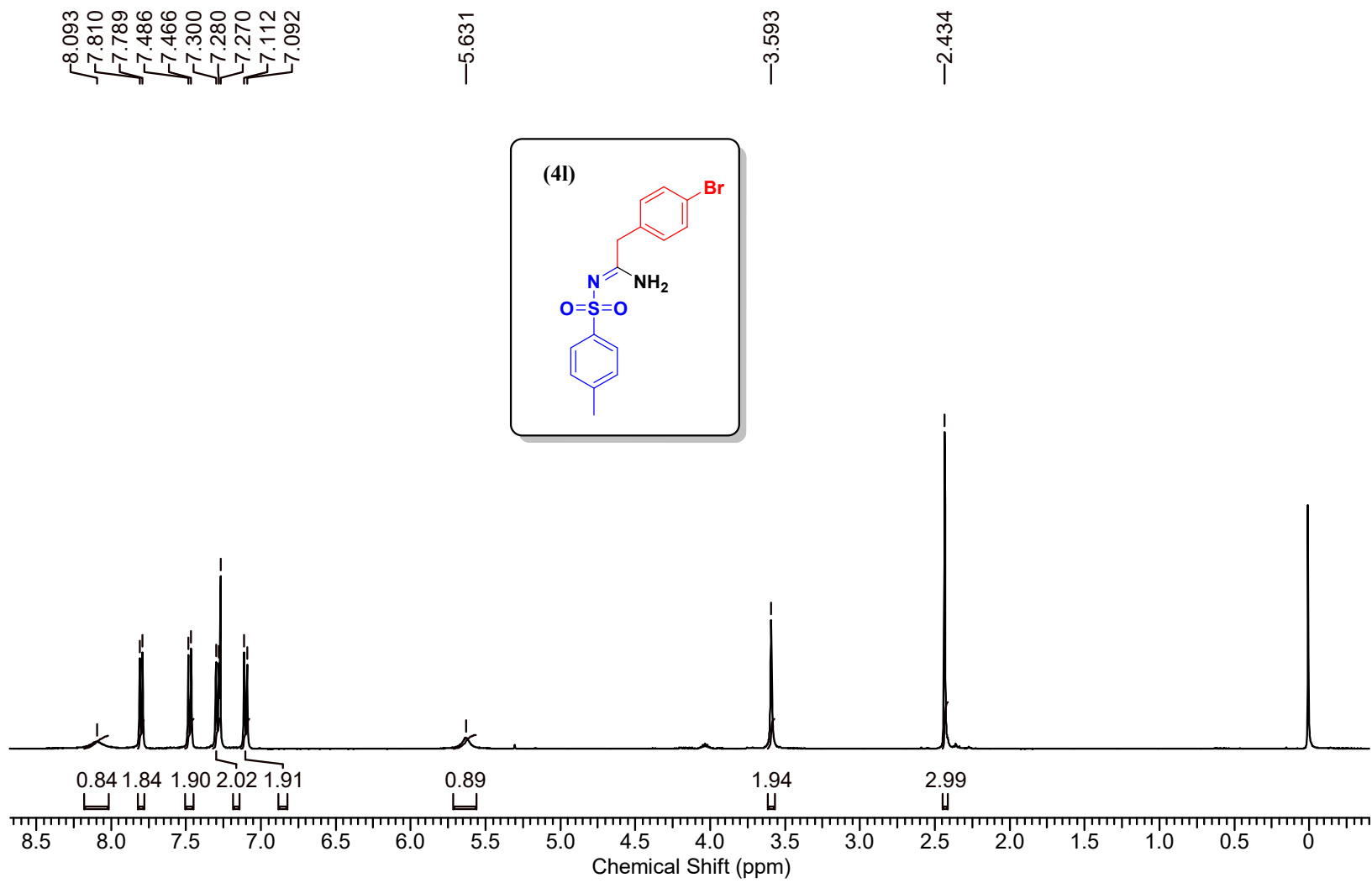


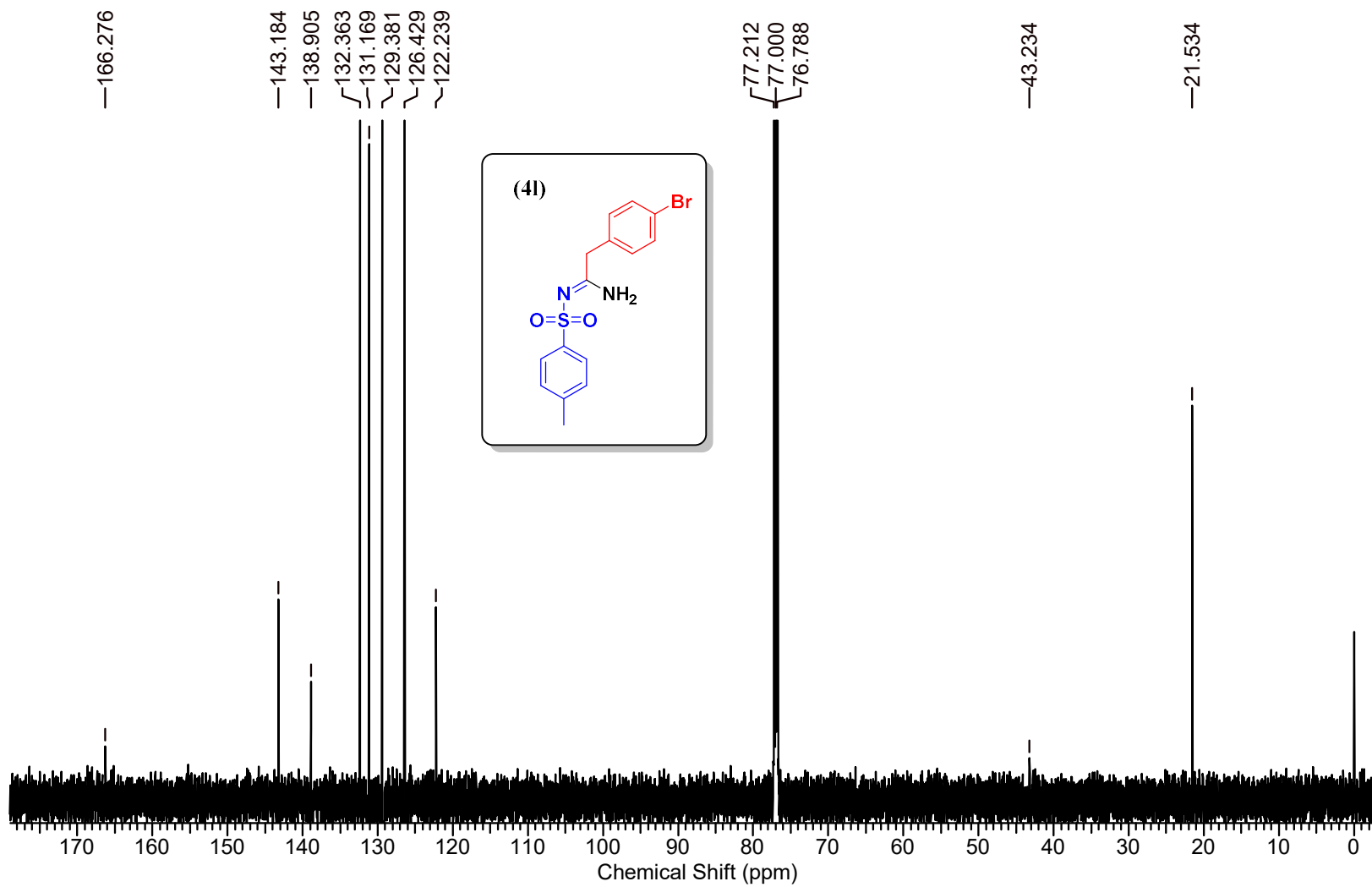


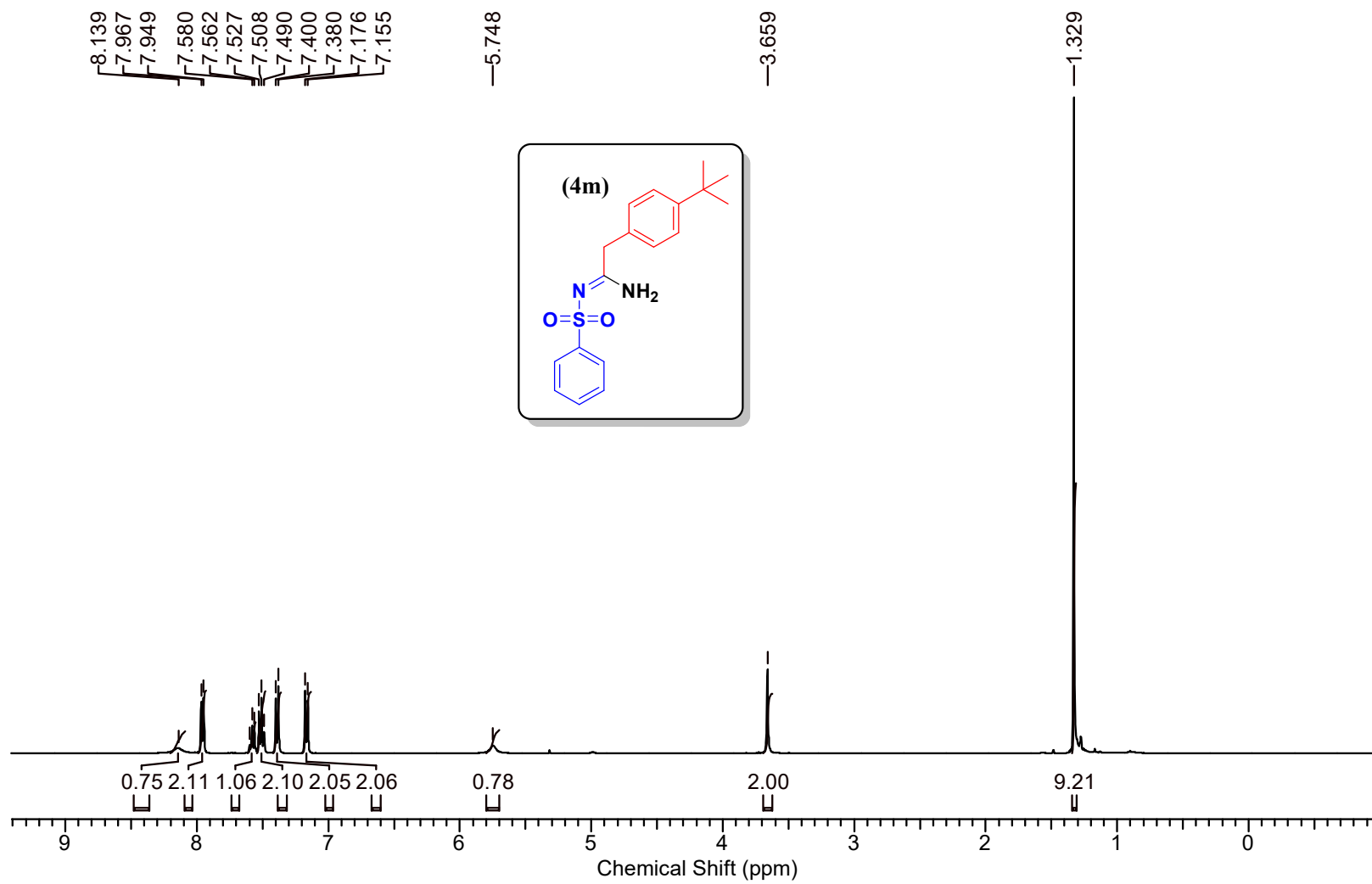


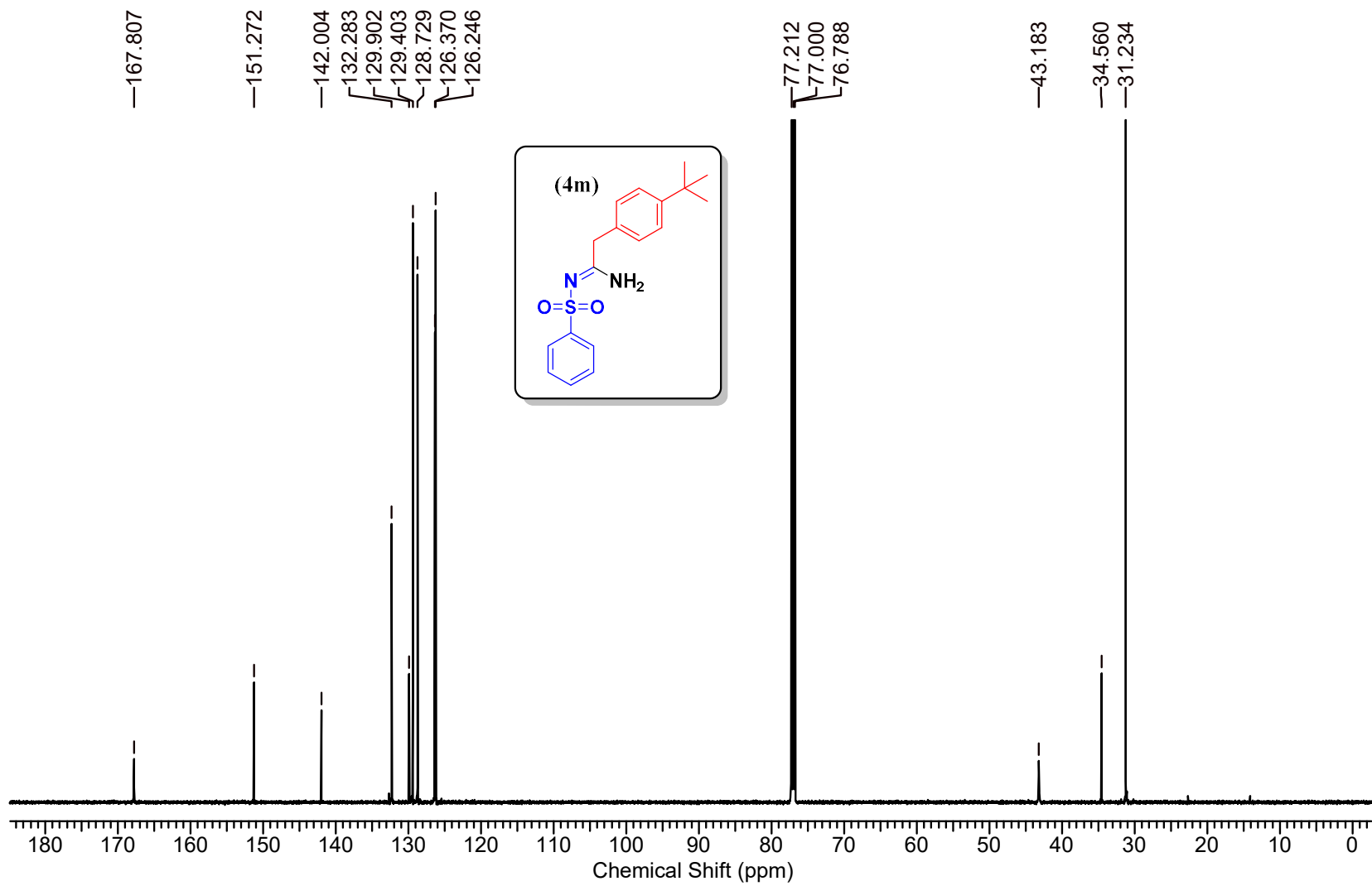


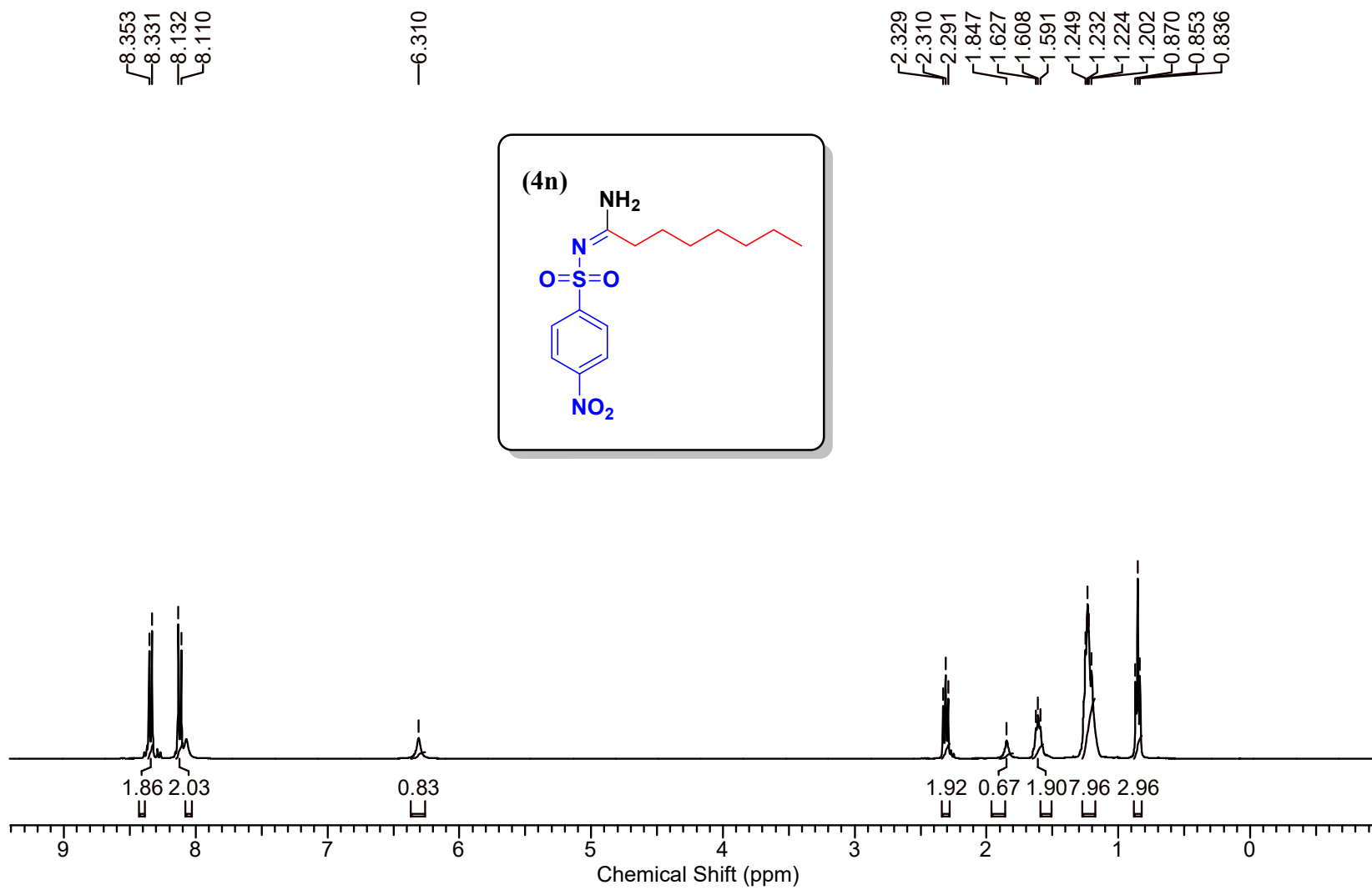


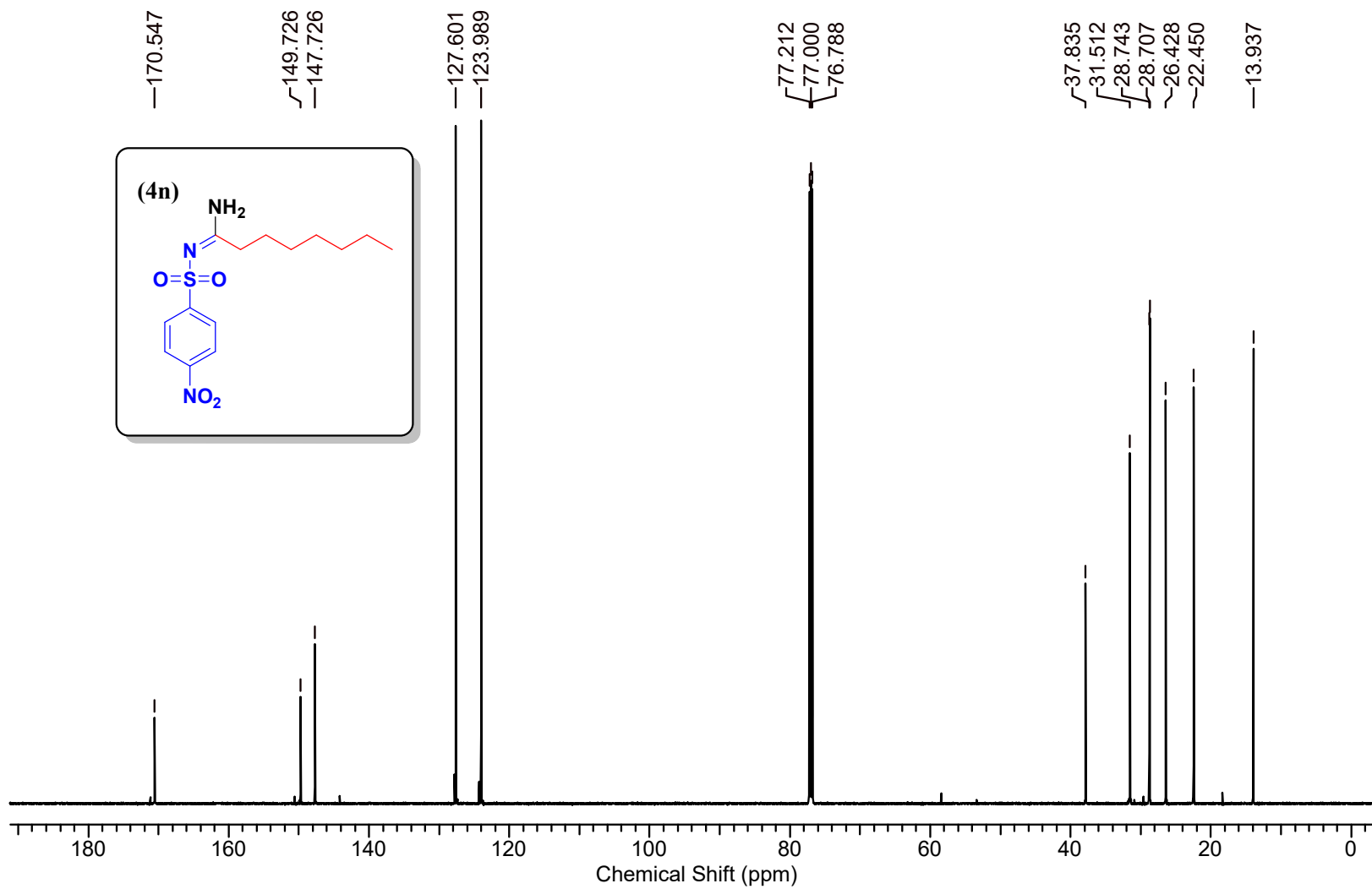


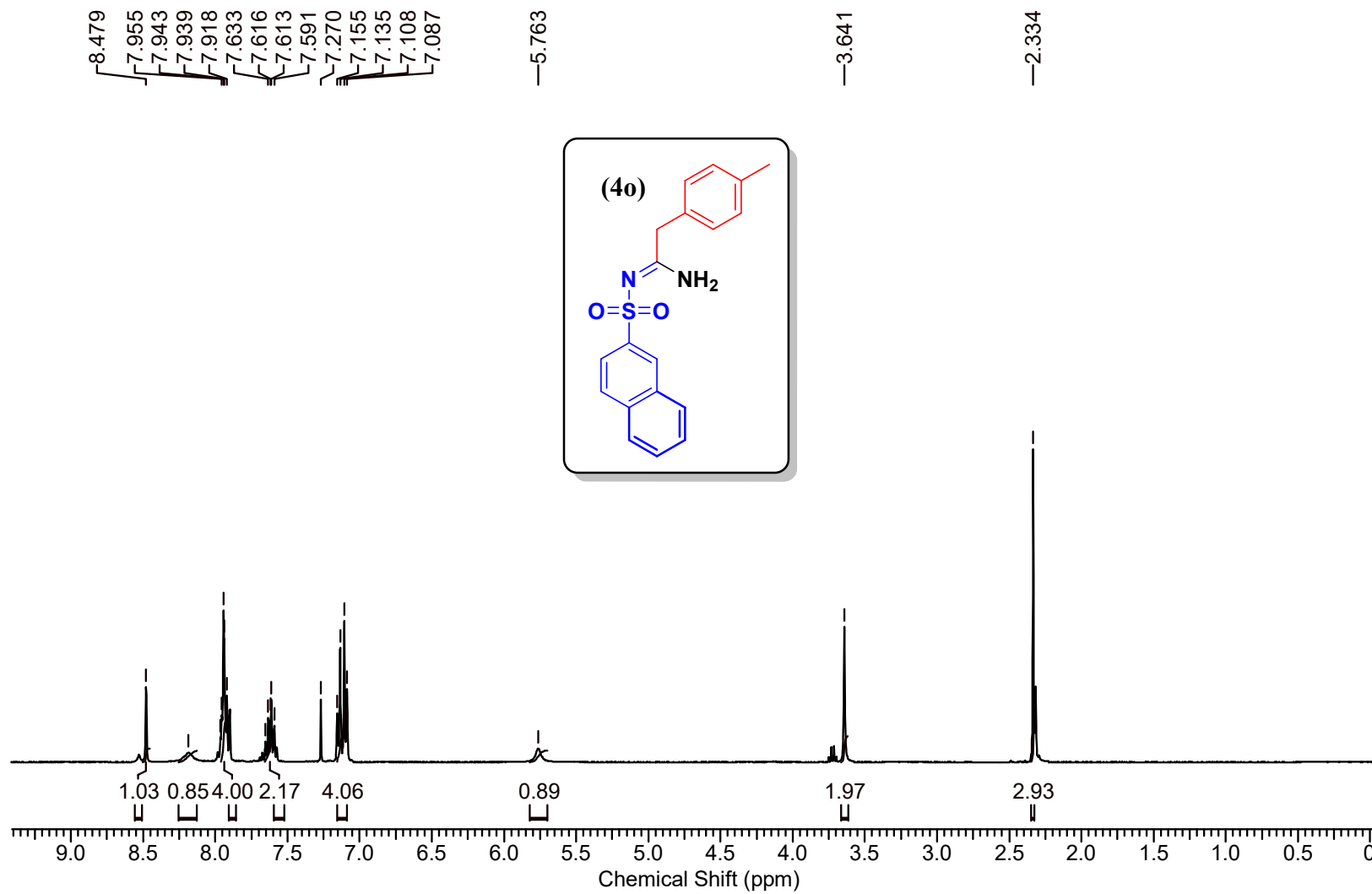


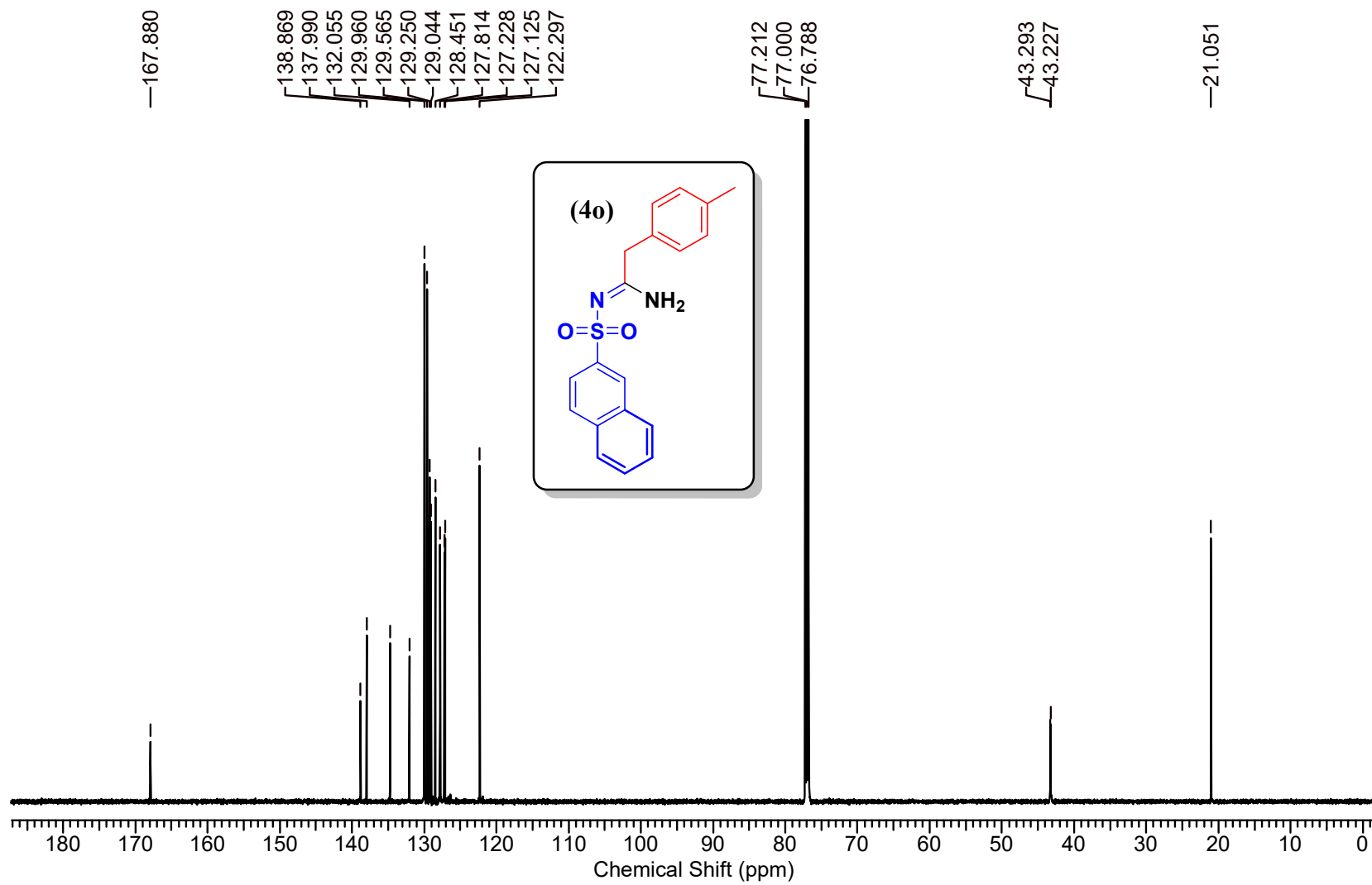


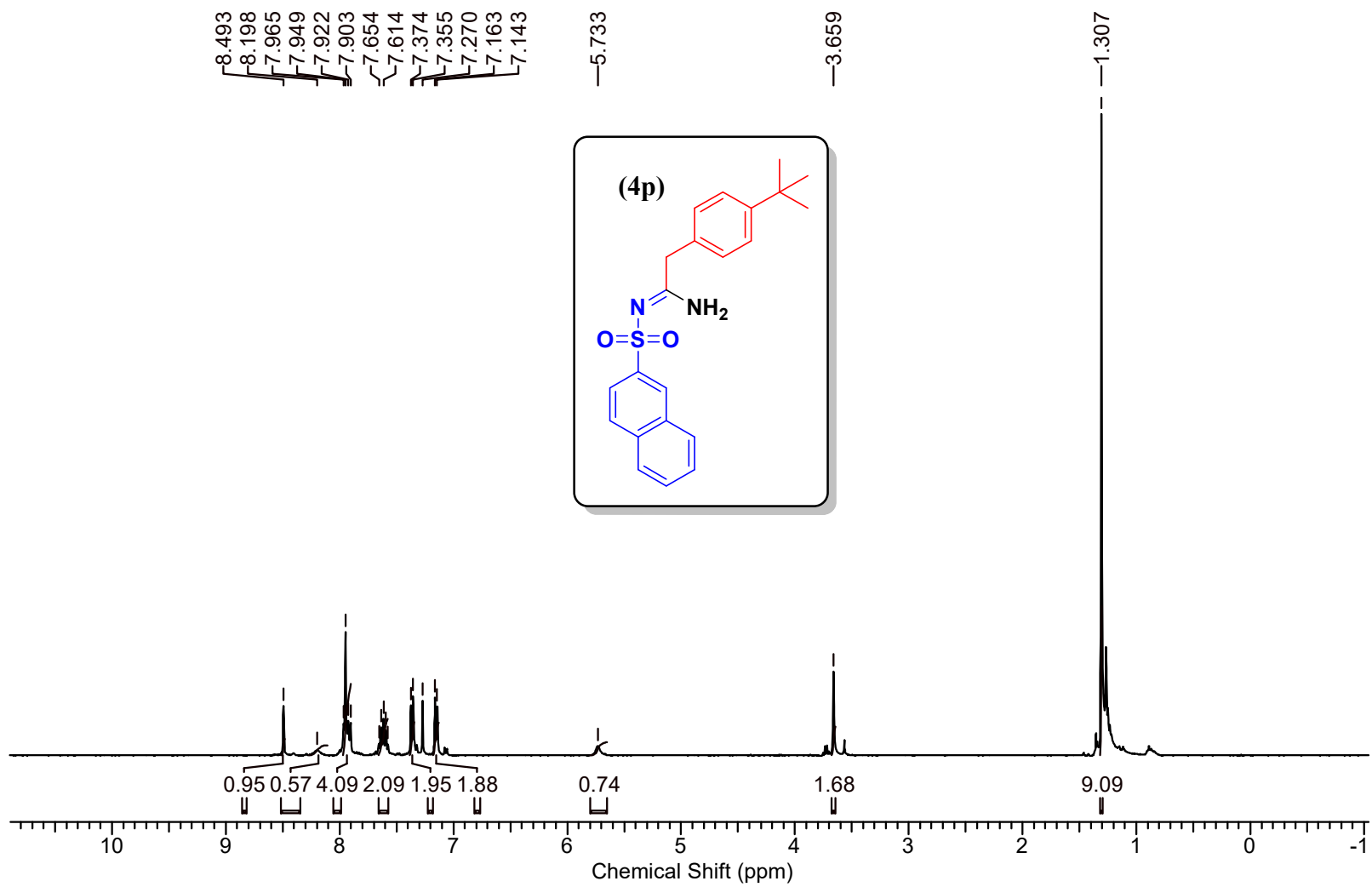


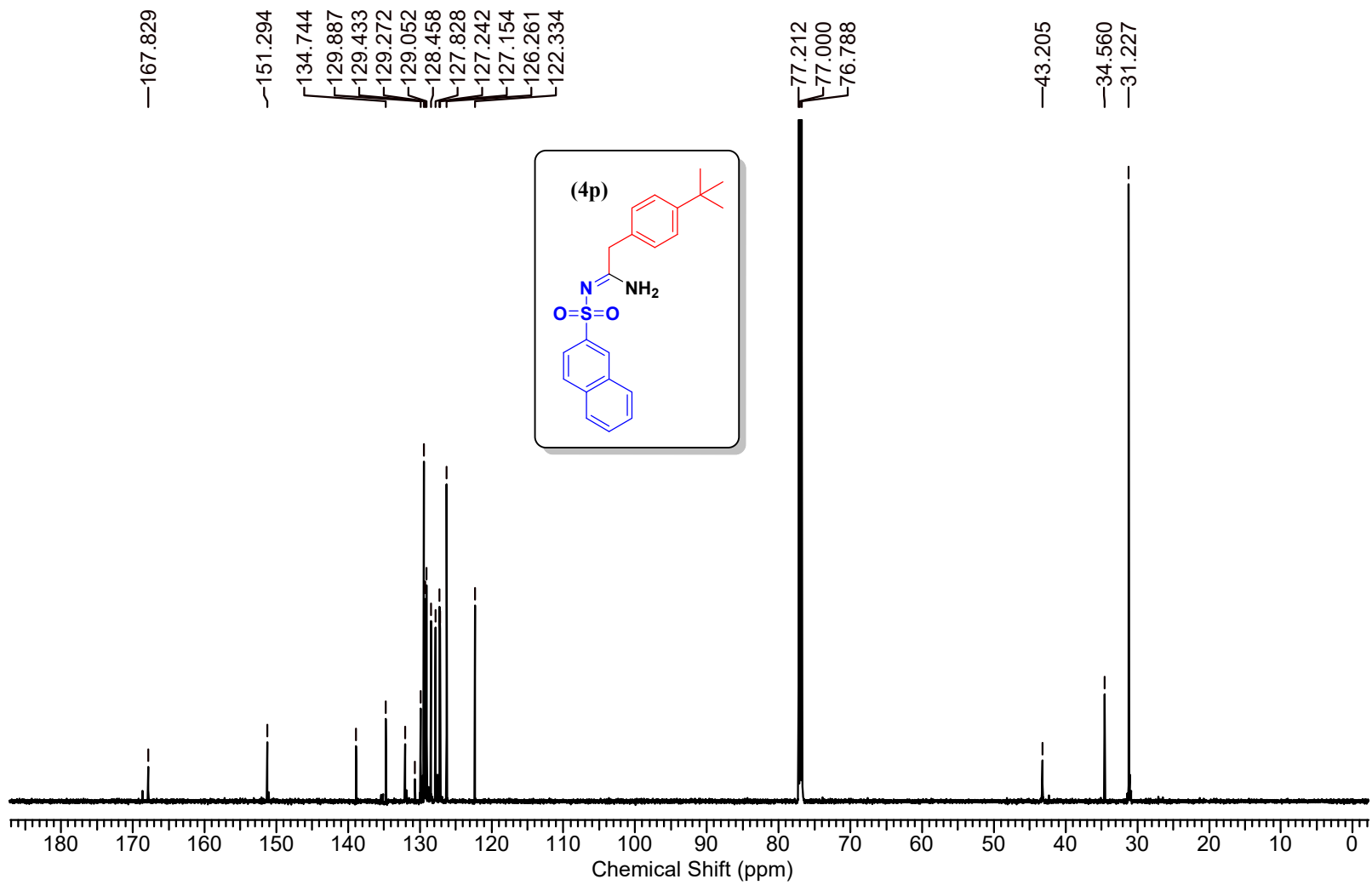












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