

Zn(II)-catalyzed asymmetric [3+2] cycloaddition of acyclic enones with azomethine ylides

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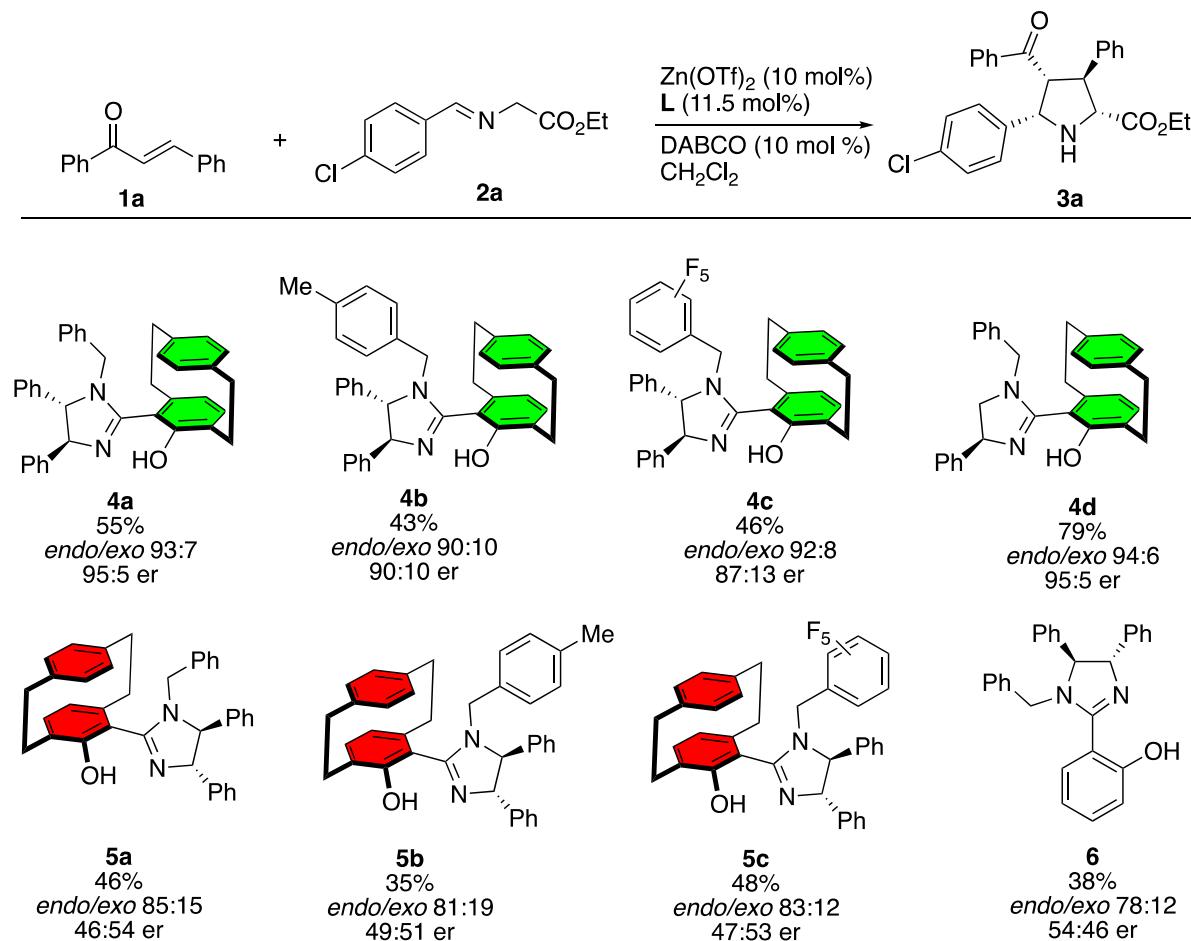
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1. General Information

Unless otherwise noted, all commercial reagents were used as received without further purification. Zn(OTf)₂ was purchased from sigma Aldrich and used as received. Dichloromethane (CH₂Cl₂) and tetrahydrofuran (THF) and were obtained from a PureSolv- 300-3-MD dry solvents dispenser. Standard Schlenk techniques were employed for moisture sensitive reactions. Column chromatography was performed on Davisil LC60A 40–63 micron silica gel. Thin-layer chromatography (TLC) was performed on aluminium-backed sheets purchased from Merck pre-coated with silica gel 60 F254. ¹H NMR spectra were recorded on Varian-Inova spectrometers (400/500 MHz) using tetramethylsilane as an internal standard. ¹³C NMR spectra were recorded on 400/500 MHz Varian-Inova spectrometers (101 MHz and 126 MHz) using tetramethylsilane as an internal standard. ¹⁹F NMR spectra were recorded on a 400/500 MHz Varian-Inova spectrometer (376 MHz). HRMS were measured on a Micromass/Waters LCT mass spectrometer. Infrared spectra were recorded on a FT-IR spectrometer and are reported in terms wavenumbers (vmax) with units of reciprocal centimetres (cm⁻¹). High performance liquid chromatography (HPLC) or Supercritical fluid chromatography (SFC) was performed on a Waters Acquity UPC2 ® or Shimadzu instrument with Chiralpak® IB3, IC3 and ID3 columns. Optical rotation measurements were recorded using a Schmidt-Haensch Unipol L2000 polarimeter at 589 nm and are quoted in units of deg dm⁻¹cm³ g⁻¹ (concentration c is given in g/100 mL).

2. Reaction Optimization

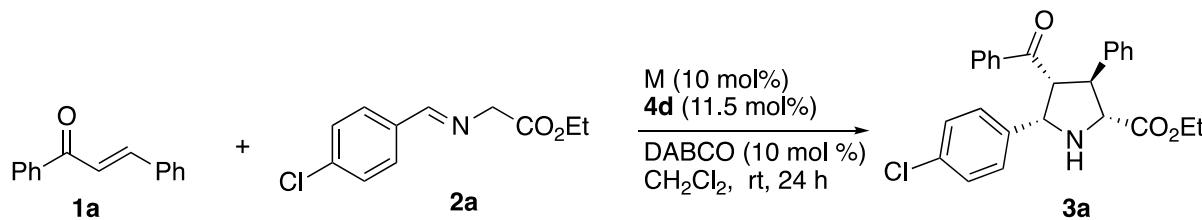
2.1 The Ligand Screen^{a,b,c,d}



^a All reactions were carried out with $\text{Zn}(\text{OTf})_2$ (10 mol %), **L** (11.5 mol %), **1a** (0.15 mmol), **2a** (0.225 mmol), DABCO (10 mol %) in CH_2Cl_2 (1.5 mL) for 24 h. ^b Isolated yield after purification.

^cThe *endo/exo* was determined by ¹H NMR spectra of the crude product. ^dDetermined by chiral HPLC analysis.

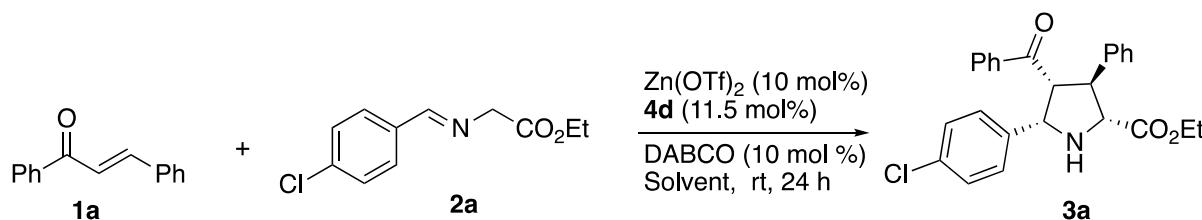
2.2 Metal Screen for **3a**^a



Entry	Catalyst (10 mol %)	Yield (%) ^b	<i>endo/exo</i> ^c	er ^d
1	AgOAc	58	99:1	55:45
2	Cu(OTf) ₂	trace	ND	ND
3	Zn(OTf) ₂	79	94:6	94.5:5.5

^a All reactions were carried out with metal salt (10 mol %), **4d** (11.5 mol %), **1a** (0.15 mmol), **2a** (0.225 mmol), DABCO (10 mol %) in CH₂Cl₂ (1.5 mL) for 24 h. ^b Isolated yield after purification. ^cThe *endo/exo* was determined by ¹H NMR spectra of the crude product. ^dDetermined by chiral HPLC analysis.

2.3 Solvent Screen for **3a**^a

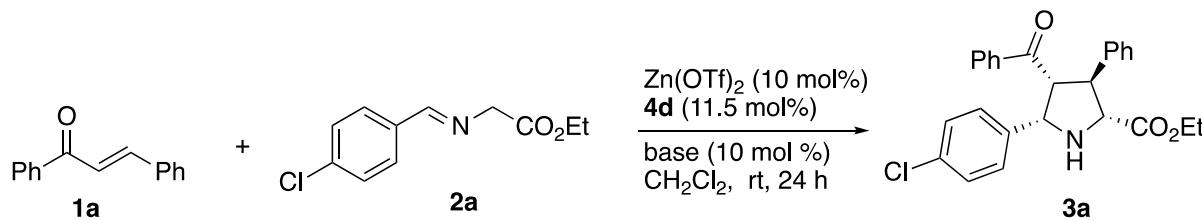


Entry	Solvent	Yield (%) ^b	<i>endo/exo</i> ^c	er ^d
1	Et ₂ O	19	83:17	95.5:4.5
2	THF	36	91:9	87:13
3	PhMe	63	89:11	93.5:6.5
4	CHCl ₃	73	97:3	94.5:5.5
5	CH ₂ Cl ₂	79	94:6	94.5:5.5

^a All reactions were carried out with Zn(OTf)₂ (10 mol %), **4d** (11.5 mol %), **1a** (0.15 mmol), **2a** (0.225 mmol), DABCO (10 mol %) in solvent (1.5 mL) for 24 h. ^b Isolated yield after purification. ^cThe *endo/exo* was determined by ¹H NMR spectra of the crude product. ^dDetermined by chiral HPLC analysis.

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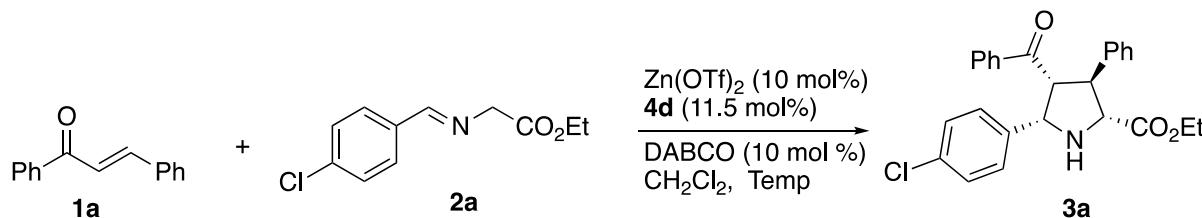
2.4 Base Screen for **3a**^a



Entry	Base	Yield (%) ^b	<i>endo/exo</i> ^c	er ^d
1	DABCO	79	94:6	94.5:5.5
2	DBU	48	91:9	84:16
3	DIPEA	63	72:18	85:15
4	Et ₃ N	45	97:3	94.5:5.5
5	K ₂ CO ₃	trace	ND	ND

^a All reactions were carried out with Zn(OTf)₂ (10 mol %), **4d** (11.5 mol %), **1a** (0.15 mmol), **2a** (0.225 mmol), base (10 mol%) in CH₂Cl₂ (1.5 mL) for 24 h. ^b Isolated yield after purification. ^cThe *endo/exo* was determined by ¹H NMR spectra of the crude product. ^dDetermined by chiral HPLC analysis.

2.5 Temperature Screen for **3a**^a



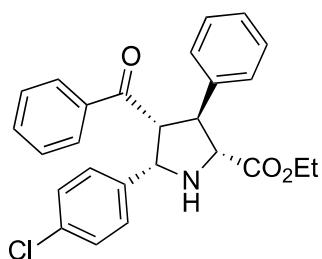
Entry	Temp. (°C)	Yield (%) ^b	<i>endo/exo</i> ^c	er ^d
1	rt	79	94:6	94.5:5.5
2 ^e	rt	90	97:3	94.5:5.5
3 ^{e,f}	0	95	99:1	96.5:3.5
4 ^g	0	86	99:1	96:4

^a All reactions were carried out with Zn(OTf)₂ (10 mol %), **4d** (11.5 mol %), **1a** (0.15 mmol), **2a** (0.225 mmol), base (10 mol%) in CH₂Cl₂ (1.5 mL) for 24 h. ^b Isolated yield after purification. ^cThe *endo/exo* was determined by ¹H NMR spectra of the crude product. ^dDetermined by chiral HPLC analysis. ^e 0.3 mmol of **2a** was used. ^f 48 h. ^g Zn(OTf)₂ (5 mol %) and **4d** (5.75 mol%) for 72h.

3. General Procedure for the Zn-Catalyzed [3+2] Azomethine Ylide Cycloaddition

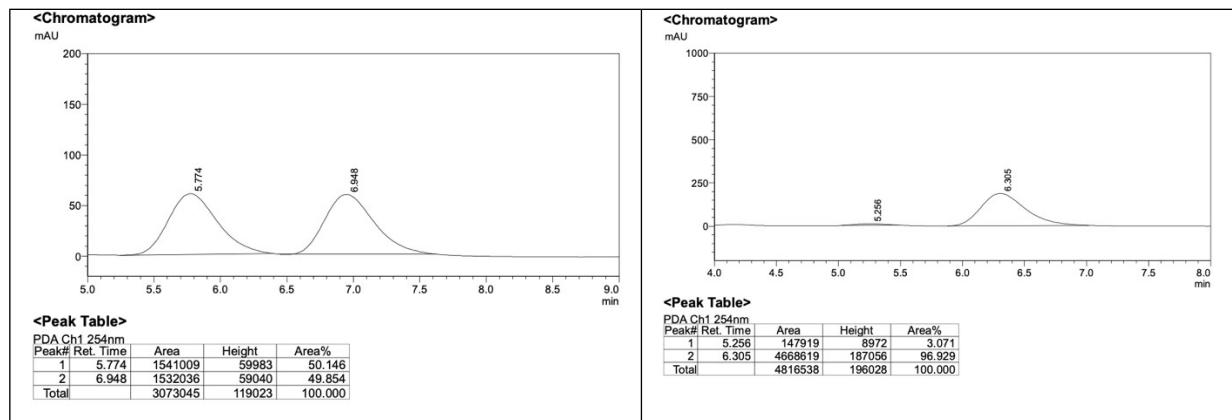
Under a nitrogen atmosphere, ligand (*S,S,S_P*)-**4d** (11.5 mol %) and Zn(OTf)₂ (10 mol %) was added to a flame-dried 10 mL Schlenk tube. Then dry CH₂Cl₂ (0.5 mL) was added and stirred for 60 minutes. After cooled at 0 °C, acyclic enone **1** (0.15 mmol, 1.0 equiv) in CH₂Cl₂ (0.4 mL), α -iminoester **2** (0.3 mmol, 2 equiv) in CH₂Cl₂, (0.4 mL) and DABCO (10 mol %) in CH₂Cl₂ (0.2 mL) were added sequentially. The reaction mixture was stirred at the same temperature for 48 h. After completion, the reaction mixture was directly purified by silica gel column chromatography (30% ethyl acetate in cyclohexane) to afford the desired product **3**. The *endo/exo* ratio was determined by ¹H-NMR before purification and the enantioselectivity was determined by HPLC analysis of the isolated product. The configuration of the products was assigned by comparison with the optical rotation values of prepared compounds and the reported optical rotation of the cycloadducts.^{1,2}

(2*R*,3*S*,4*R*,5*S*)-Ethyl-4-benzoyl-5-(4-chlorophenyl)-3-phenylpyrrolidine-2-carboxylate (3a)



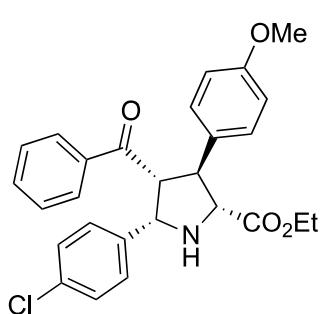
White solid, yield = 95% (62 mg); m.p.= 141 –143 °C, R_f = 0.49 (cyclohexane/ethyl acetate, 3:1), [α]_D²⁰ = +103.67 (c = 1, CHCl₃), (*endo/exo* = 99:1), 97:3 er; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.57 – 7.55 (m, 2H), 7.46 – 7.42 (m, 1H), 7.38 – 7.22 (m, 7H), 7.06 (s, 4H), 4.97 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 1H), 4.53 (dd, J = 8.8, 8.1 Hz, 1H), 4.26 (dq, J = 10.8, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 4.19 – 4.06 (m, 3H), 3.01 (s, 1H), 1.17 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 198.3, 173.0, 140.4, 138.2, 137.5, 133.5, 133.2, 128.95, 128.9, 128.6, 128.4, 128.2, 128.0, 127.3, 67.7, 65.9, 61.4, 60.5, 52.6, 14.3. FT-IR (neat, cm⁻¹): 2920.3, 2851.1, 1726.1, 1674.0, 1207.8, 1184.6, 688.4. HRMS: (ESI-TOF) calculated for C₂₆H₂₅ClNO₃ [M+H]⁺ 434.1517, found 434.1515.

HPLC analysis: CHIRALPAK IC, heptane/2-propanol (50/50, 0.5 mL/min), λ = 254 nm, t_R = 5.256 (minor), 6.305 (major).



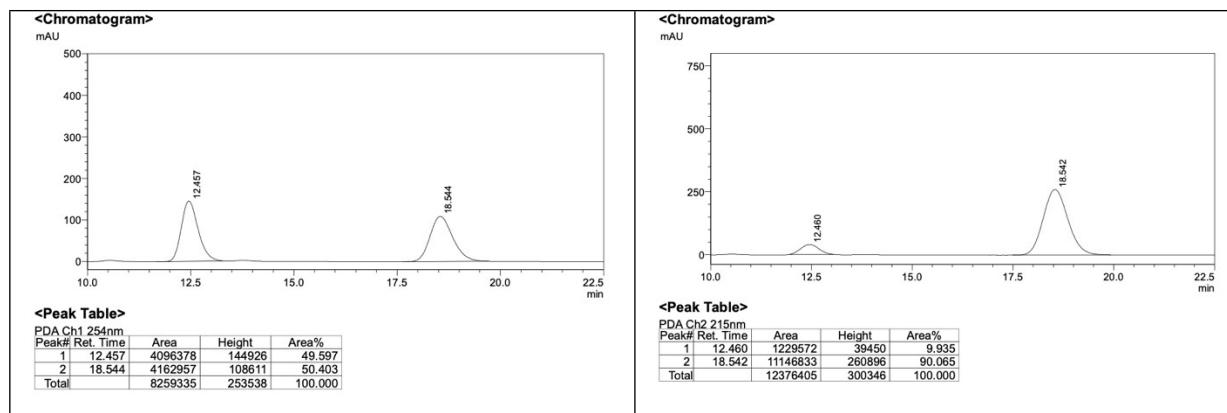
(2*R*,3*S*,4*R*,5*S*)-Ethyl-4-benzoyl-5-(4-chlorophenyl)-3-(4-methoxyphenyl)pyrrolidine-2-carboxylate (3b)

White solid, yield = 49% (34 mg); m.p.= 130 – 131 °C, R_f = 0.39 (cyclohexane/ethyl acetate, 3:1),



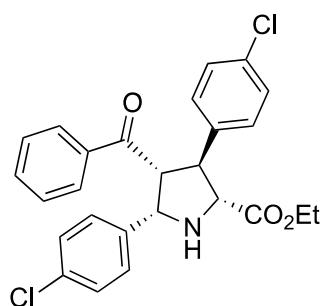
[α]_D²⁰ = +86.80 (c = 1, CHCl₃), (*endo/exo* = >99:1), 90:10 er; **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 7.58 – 7.56 (m, 2H), 7.44 (ddt, *J* = 7.8, 6.9, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 7.32 – 7.27 (m, 4H), 7.06 (s, 4H), 6.88 – 6.84 (m, 2H), 4.95 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 4.49 (t, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 1H), 4.26 (dq, *J* = 10.7, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 4.19 – 4.13 (m, 1H), 4.11 – 4.01 (m, 2H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 2.96 (s, 1H), 1.19 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 198.3, 173.1, 158.8, 138.4, 137.5, 133.5, 133.2, 132.3, 128.9, 128.6, 128.4, 128.2, 114.3, 67.8, 65.8, 61.4, 60.6, 55.4, 51.9, 14.3. **FT-IR (neat, cm⁻¹)**: 2922.7, 2852.7, 1729.7, 1675.4, 1513.8, 1248.9, 1178.4, 820.9. **HRMS: (ESI-TOF)** calculated for C₂₇H₂₇ClNO₄ [M+H]⁺ 464.1623, found 464.1623.

HPLC analysis: CHIRALPAK IC, heptane/2-propanol (90/10, 0.5 mL/min), λ = 254 nm, t_R = 12.460 min (minor), 18.542 min (major).



(2*R*,3*S*,4*R*,5*S*)-Ethyl-4-benzoyl-3,5-bis(4-chlorophenyl)pyrrolidine-2-carboxylate (3c)

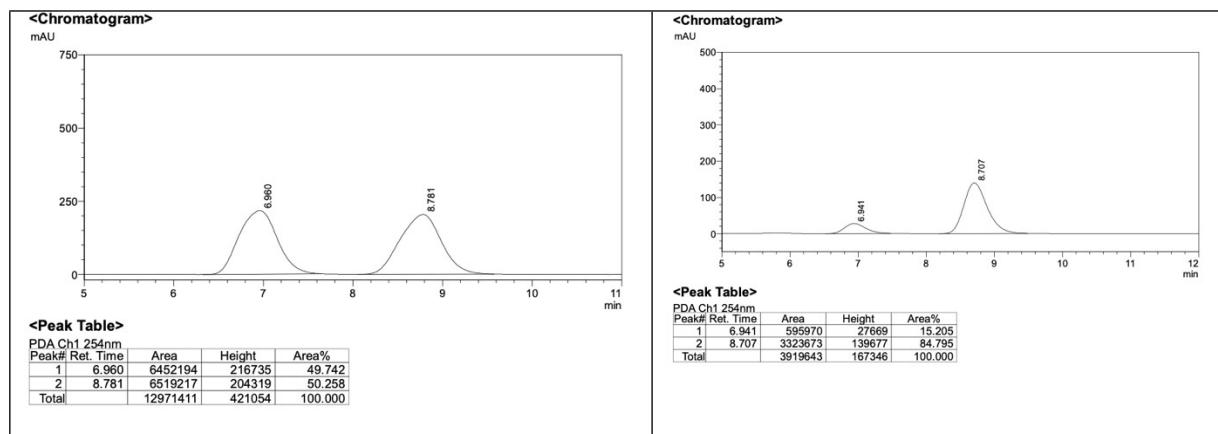
White solid, Yield = 74% (52 mg); m.p.= 164 – 165 °C, R_f = 0.46 (cyclohexane/ethyl acetate, 3:1), [α]_D²⁰ = +74.92 (c = 0.47, CHCl₃), (*endo/exo* = >99:1), 85:15 er; **¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 7.57 – 7.56 (m, 2H), 7.47 – 7.44 (m, 1H), 7.32 – 7.28 (m, 6H), 7.04 – 7.02 (m, 4H), 4.97 (d, *J* = 8.9



Hz, 1H), 4.48 (t, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 1H), 4.25 (dq, *J* = 10.7, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 4.18 – 4.12 (m, 1H), 4.11 – 4.05 (m, 2H), 2.95 (s, 1H), 1.18 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H). **¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 197.6, 172.6, 138.5, 138.1, 137.2, 133.5, 133.2, 132.9, 129.2, 128.9, 128.8, 128.5, 128.3, 128.0, 67.2, 65.5, 60.5, 51.4, 14.1. **FT-IR (neat, cm⁻¹)**: 2930.3, 1738.9, 1672.0, 1488.3,

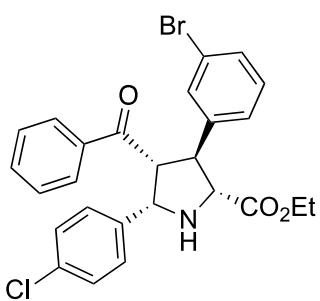
1255.6, 1178.3, 756.4. **HRMS: (ESI-TOF)** calculated for C₂₆H₂₄Cl₂NO₃ [M+H]⁺ 468.1128, found 468.1124.

HPLC analysis: CHIRALPAK IC, heptane/2-propanol (90/10, 0.5 mL/min), $\lambda = 254$ nm, $t_R = 6.941$ min (minor), 8.707 min (minor).



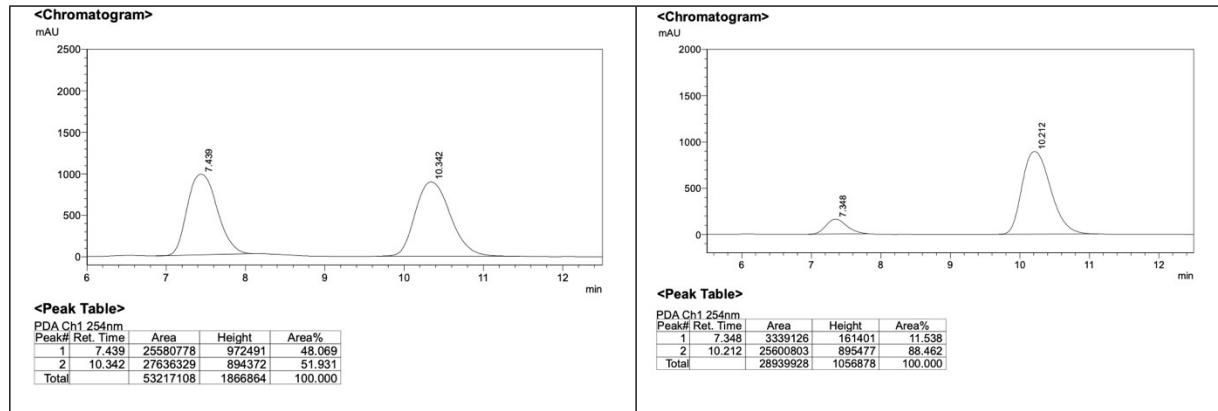
(2*R*,3*S*,4*R*,5*S*)-carboxylate (3e)

White solid, yield = 74% (57 mg); m.p.= 116 – 117 °C, Rf = 0.30 (cyclohexane/ethyl acetate, 3:1),



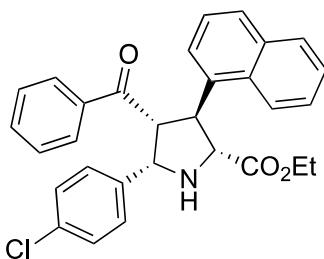
[α]_D²⁰ = +89.65 (c = 0.47, CHCl₃), (*endo/exo* = >99:1), 88:12 er; **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 8.19 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.59 – 7.55 (m, 4H), 7.50 – 7.46 (m, 1H), 7.35 – 7.31 (m, 2H), 7.08 – 7.01 (m, 4H), 5.03 (d, *J* = 9.4 Hz, 1H), 4.54 (t, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 1H), 4.28 – 4.11 (m, 4H), 1.16 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 197.7, 172.7, 142.7, 138.1, 137.3, 133.6, 133.3, 131.1, 130.5, 130.4, 129.0, 128.6, 128.4, 128.2, 126.8, 122.9, 67.4, 65.7, 61.5, 60.4, 51.7, 14.3. **FT-IR (neat, cm⁻¹)**: 2951.9, 2920.8, 1733.8, 1675.0, 1210.9, 1188.5, 785.0. **HRMS: (ESI-TOF)** calculated for C₂₆H₂₄BrClNO₃ [M+H]⁺ 514.0603, found 514.0600.

HPLC analysis: CHIRALPAK IC, heptane/2-propanol (90/10, 0.5 mL/min), $\lambda = 254$ nm, $t_R = 7.348$ min (minor), 10.212 min (major).



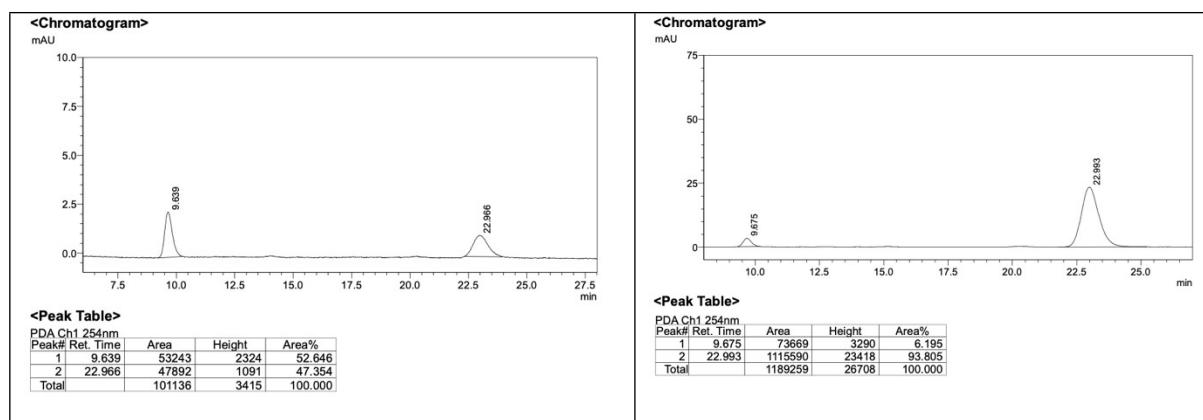
(2*R*,3*S*,4*R*,5*S*)-Ethyl-4-benzoyl-5-(4-chlorophenyl)-3-(naphthalen-1-yl)pyrrolidine-2-carboxylate (3f)

White solid, yield = 94% (68.1 mg); mp.= 120 – 121 °C, R_f = 0.46 (cyclohexane/ethyl acetate, 3:1),



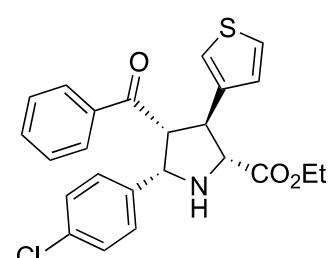
[α]_D²⁰ = +3.27 (c = 1, CHCl₃), (*endo/exo* = >99:1), 94:6 er; **1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 8.19 – 8.16 (m, 1H), 7.87 – 7.85 (m, 1H), 7.79 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.68 (dd, *J* = 7.2, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 7.53 – 7.45 (m, 4H), 7.41 – 7.36 (m, 1H), 7.23 – 7.20 (m, 2H), 7.10 – 7.13 (m, 2H), 7.07 – 7.03 (m, 2H), 5.04 – 5.00 (m, 2H), 4.59 (dd, *J* = 8.5, 6.7 Hz, 1H), 4.31 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 4.16 – 4.04 (m, 2H), 0.93 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H). **13C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 199.4, 173.5, 137.6, 137.4, 134.1, 133.5, 133.1, 132.2, 129.0, 128.9, 128.44, 128.42, 128.2, 127.9, 126.5, 125.9, 125.6, 123.4, 67.9, 66.3, 61.5, 60.5, 13.9. **FT-IR (neat, cm⁻¹)**: 2974.1, 2957.7, 1727.9, 1672.7, 1212.9, 1190.6, 776.8. **HRMS: (ESI-TOF)** calculated for C₃₀H₂₆ClNO₃ [M+H]⁺ 484.1674, found 484.1673.

HPLC analysis: CHIRALPAK IC, heptane/2-propanol (90/10, 0.5 mL/min), λ = 254 nm, t_R = 9.675 min (minor), 22.993 min (major).



(2*R*,3*S*,4*R*,5*S*)-Ethyl-4-benzoyl-5-(4-chlorophenyl)-3-(thiophen-3-yl)pyrrolidine-2-carboxylate (3g)

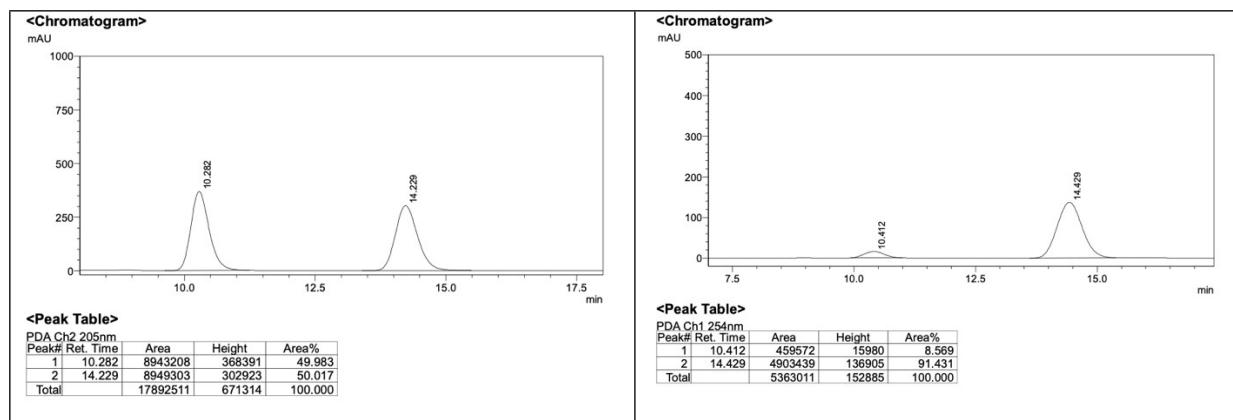
White solid, yield = 50% (33 mg); m.p.= 105 – 106 °C, R_f = 0.46 (cyclohexane/ethyl acetate, 3:1),



[α]_D²⁰ = +3.27 (c = 1, CHCl₃), (*endo/exo* = >99:1), 91:9 er; **1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 7.59 (dd, *J* = 8.4, 1.4 Hz, 2H), 7.48 – 7.43 (m, 1H), 7.33 – 7.28 (m, 3H), 7.18 (ddd, *J* = 3.0, 1.4, 0.6 Hz, 1H), 7.09 (dd, *J* = 5.0, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 7.05 (s, 4H), 4.92 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 4.46 (t, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 1H), 4.32 – 4.18 (m, 3H), 4.14 (d, *J* = 9.1 Hz, 1H), 1.23 (t, *J* = 7.1, 3H). **13C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 198.3, 172.9, 140.9, 138.1, 137.4, 133.5, 133.2, 128.9, 128.6, 128.4,

128.2, 126.7, 126.3, 121.7, 67.0, 65.5, 61.5, 60.0, 47.6, 14.3. **FT-IR (neat, cm⁻¹)**: 2362.9, 1733.4, 1674.8, 1210.3, 1188.6, 722.2. **HRMS: (ESI-TOF)** calculated for C₂₄H₂₃ClNO₃S [M+H]⁺ 440.1082, found 440.1080

HPLC analysis: CHIRALPAK IC, heptane/2-propanol (90/10, 0.5 mL/min), $\lambda = 254$ nm, $t_R = 10.412$ min (minor), 14.429 min (major).

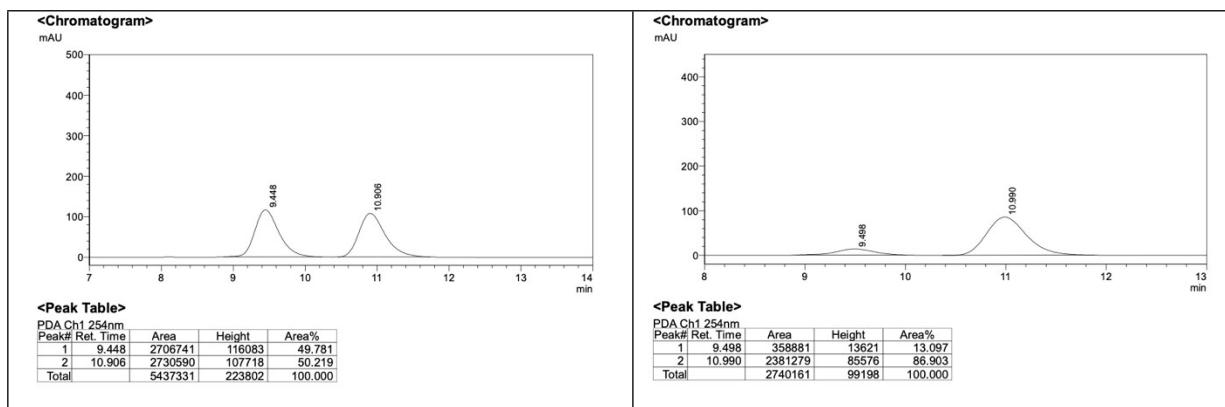


(2*R*,3*R*,4*R*,5*S*)-Ethyl-4-benzoyl-5-(4-chlorophenyl)-3-methylpyrrolidine-2-carboxylate (3h)

White solid, yield = 35% (19.5 mg); m.p.= 85 – 86 °C, R_f = 0.40 (cyclohexane/ethyl acetate, 3:1),

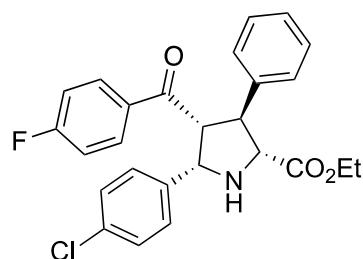
[α]_D²⁰ = +108.70 (c = 0.65, CHCl₃), (*endo/exo* = >99:1), 87:13 er; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.69 – 7.66 (m, 2H), 7.50 (ddt, J = 7.8, 6.8, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 7.39 – 7.35 (m, 2H), 7.04 – 7.01 (m, 2H), 6.97 – 6.94 (m, 2H), 4.77 (d, J = 8.9 Hz, 1H), 4.38 – 4.25 (m, 2H), 3.99 (t, J = 8.9 Hz, 1H), 3.62 (d, J = 9.4 Hz, 1H), 2.98 – 2.88 (m, 1H), 2.81 (s, 1H), 1.36 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 1.25 (d, J = 6.6 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 198.4, 173.7, 139.0, 137.7, 133.3, 133.2, 128.8, 128.7, 128.3, 128.2, 67.1, 65.0, 61.4, 60.3, 41.1, 17.5, 14.4. **FT-IR (neat, cm⁻¹)**: 2986.1, 2956.9, 1736.8, 1671.7, 1252.7, 1196.5, 686.5. **HRMS: (ESI-TOF)** calculated for C₂₁H₂₃ClNO₃ [M+H]⁺ 372.1361, found 372.1366.

HPLC analysis: CHIRALPAK IC, heptane/2-propanol (90/10, 0.5 mL/min), $\lambda = 254$ nm, $t_R = 9.498$ min (minor), 10.990 min (major).



(2*R*,3*S*,4*R*,5*S*)-Ethyl-5-(4-chlorophenyl)-4-(4-fluorobenzoyl)-3-phenylpyrrolidine-2-carboxylate (3i)

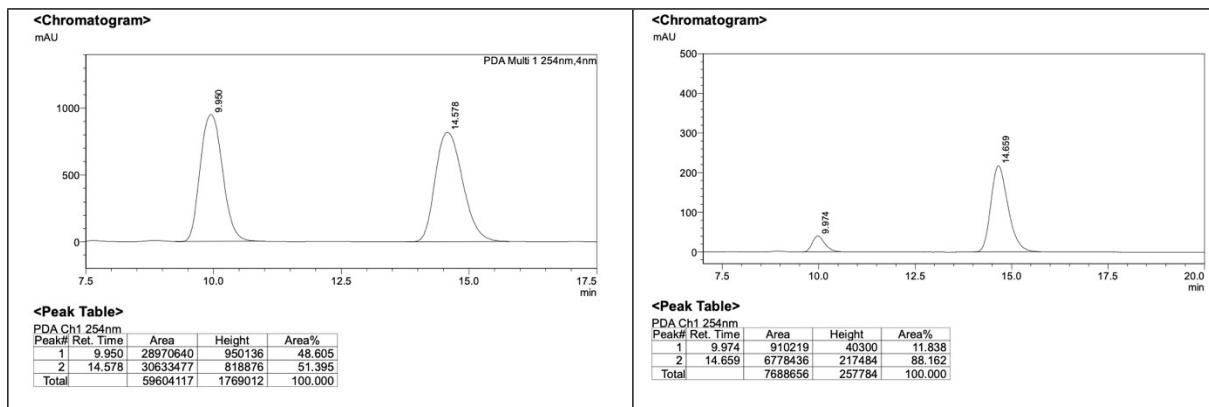
White solid, yield = 60% (37.8 mg); m.p.= 125 – 126 °C, R_f = 0.50 (cyclohexane/ethyl acetate, 3:1),



[α]_D²⁰ = +0.58 (c = 1, CHCl₃), (*endo/exo* =>99:1), 88:12 er; **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 7.61 – 7.56 (m, 2H), 7.38 – 7.31 (m, 4H), 7.27 – 7.22 (m, 1H), 7.05 – 7.10 (m, 4H), 6.99 – 6.93 (m, 2H), 4.96 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 4.46 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 7.9 Hz, 1H), 4.26 (dq, *J* = 10.8, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 4.19 – 4.05 (m, 3H), 3.00 (s, 1H), 1.17 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 196.8, 172.9, 165.7 (d, *J* = 255.6 Hz),

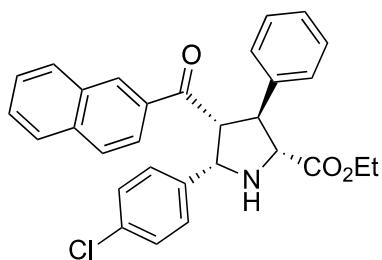
140.4, 138.0, 133.9 (d, *J* = 3.1 Hz), 133.6, 130.8 (d, *J* = 9.5 Hz), 128.93, 128.92, 128.5, 127.9, 127.4, 115.7 (d, *J* = 21.7 Hz), 67.7, 65.9, 61.4, 60.5, 52.7, 14.3. **¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ -104.8. **FT-IR (neat, cm⁻¹):** 2925.0, 2907.3, 1718.7, 1675.8, 1224.8, 1172.6, 755.0. **HRMS: (ESI-TOF)** calculated for C₂₆H₂₄ClFNO₃ [M+H]⁺ 452.1423, found 452.1424.

HPLC analysis: CHIRALPAK IC, heptane/2-propanol (90/10, 0.5 mL/min), λ = 254 nm, t_R = 9.974 min (minor), 14.659 min (major).



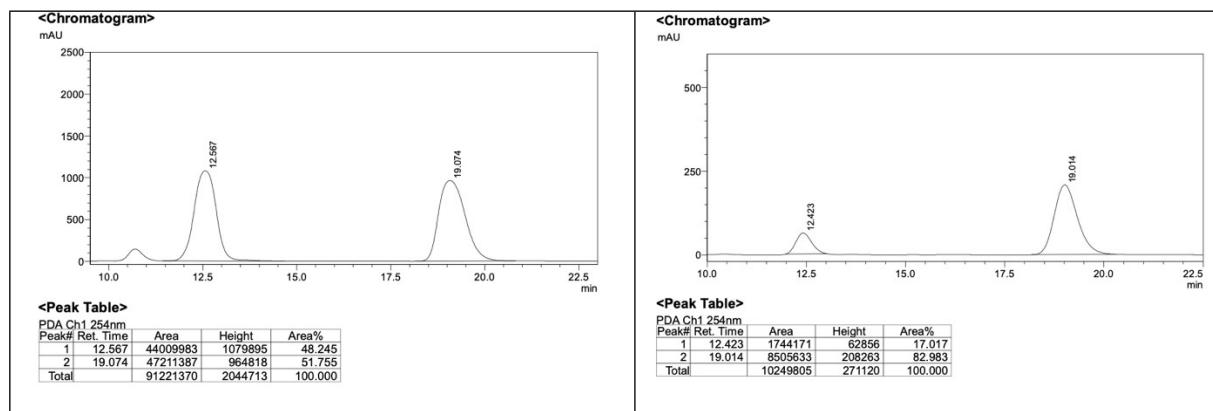
(2*R*,3*S*,4*R*,5*S*)-Ethyl-4-(2-naphthoyl)-5-(4-chlorophenyl)-3-phenylpyrrolidine-2-carboxylate (3j)

White solid, yield = 92% (68.1 mg); m.p.= 166 – 167 °C, R_f = 0.47 (cyclohexane/ethyl acetate, 3:1),



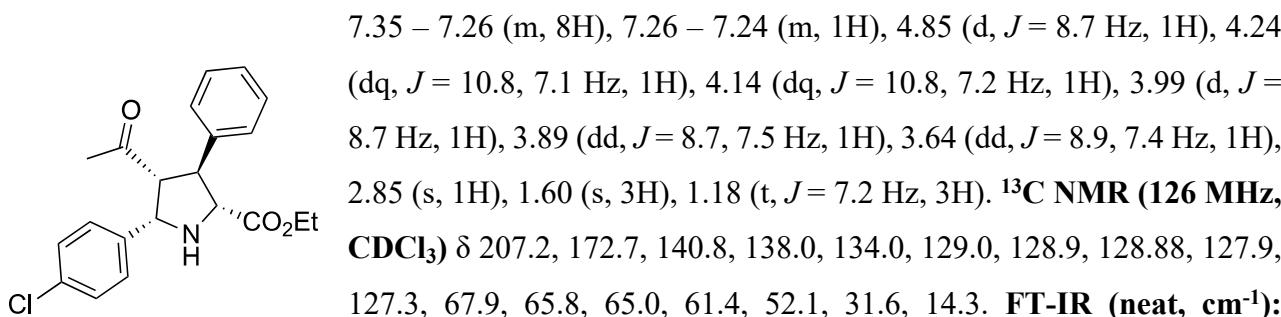
[α]_D²⁰ = +122.35 (c = 1, CHCl₃), (*endo/exo* = >99:1), 83:17 er; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.14 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 7.86 (dd, *J* = 8.3, 1.1 Hz, 1H), 7.80 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.72 (d, *J* = 9.1 Hz, 1H), 7.61 – 7.50 (m, 3H), 7.42 – 7.39 (m, 2H), 7.34 (ddd, *J* = 7.8, 6.9, 1.2 Hz, 2H), 7.25 – 7.22 (m, 1H), 7.09 – 7.06 (m, 2H), 7.03 – 6.99 (m, 2H), 5.06 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 1H), 4.71 (t, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 1H), 4.27 (dq, *J* = 10.7, 7.2 Hz, 1H), 4.20 – 4.11 (m, 3H), 3.04 (brs, 1H), 1.18 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 198.1, 173.1, 140.4, 138.4, 135.6, 134.9, 133.5, 132.4, 129.9, 129.6, 128.91, 128.90, 128.7, 128.5, 128.4, 128.0, 127.9, 127.4, 126.9, 123.9, 67.7, 66.0, 61.4, 60.6, 52.6, 14.3. FT-IR (neat, cm⁻¹): 2968.2, 2952.5, 1729.6, 1669.1, 1177.8, 1158.8, 745.3. HRMS: (ESI-TOF) calculated for C₃₀H₂₇ClNO₃ [M+H]⁺ 484.1674, found 484.1673.

HPLC analysis: CHIRALPAK IC, heptane/2-propanol (90/10, 0.5 mL/min), λ = 254 nm, t_R = 12.423 min (minor), 19.014 min (major).



(2*R*,3*S*,4*R*,5*S*)-Ethyl-4-acetyl-5-(4-chlorophenyl)-3-phenylpyrrolidine-2-carboxylate (3k)

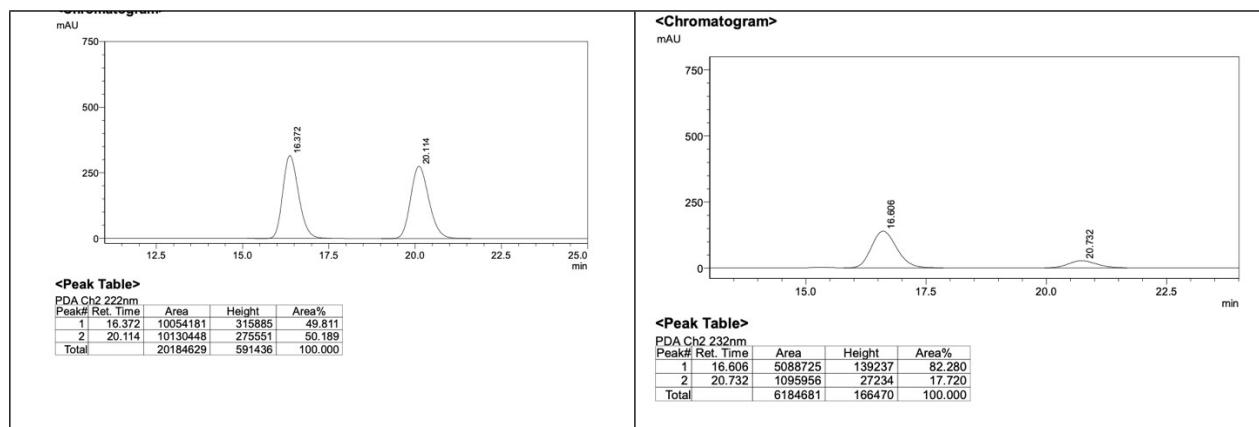
White solid, yield = 21 % (12 mg); m.p.= 104 – 105 °C, R_f = 0.48 (cyclohexane/ethyl acetate, 3:1), [α]_D²⁰ = +21.63 (c = 0.65, CHCl₃), (*endo/exo* = >99:1), 82:18 er; ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ



7.35 – 7.26 (m, 8H), 7.26 – 7.24 (m, 1H), 4.85 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 4.24 (dq, *J* = 10.8, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 4.14 (dq, *J* = 10.8, 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.99 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 3.89 (dd, *J* = 8.7, 7.5 Hz, 1H), 3.64 (dd, *J* = 8.9, 7.4 Hz, 1H), 2.85 (s, 1H), 1.60 (s, 3H), 1.18 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 207.2, 172.7, 140.8, 138.0, 134.0, 129.0, 128.9, 128.88, 127.9, 127.3, 67.9, 65.8, 65.0, 61.4, 52.1, 31.6, 14.3. FT-IR (neat, cm⁻¹): 2968.2, 2952.5, 1729.6, 1669.1, 1177.8, 1158.8, 745.3. HRMS: (ESI-TOF) calculated for C₂₉H₂₅ClNO₃ [M+H]⁺ 464.1674, found 464.1673.

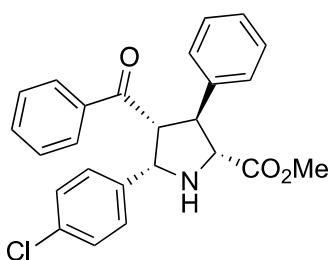
2975.0, 2915.3, 1729.8, 1162.5, 1120.3, 765.6. **HRMS: (ESI-TOF)** calculated for C₂₁H₂₃ClNO₃ [M+H]⁺ 372.1361, found 372.1365.

HPLC analysis: CHIRALPAK IC, heptane/2-propanol (90/10, 0.5 mL/min), $\lambda = 254$ nm, $t_R = 16.606$ min (major), 20.732 min (minor).



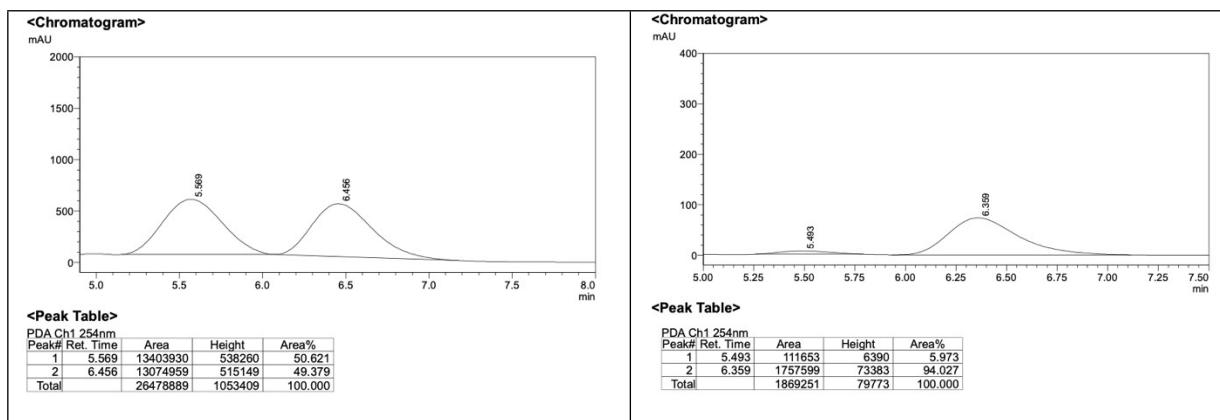
(2*R*,3*S*,4*R*,5*S*)-Methyl-4-benzoyl-5-(4-chlorophenyl)-3-phenylpyrrolidine-2-carboxylate (3l)¹

White solid, yield = 91% (57.5 mg); m.p.= 164 – 166 °C, R_f = 0.46 (cyclohexane/ethyl acetate, 3:1), [α]_D²⁰ = +84.14 (c = 1, CHCl₃), (*endo/exo* = >99:1), 94:6 er; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.60 – 7.54 (m, 2H), 7.43 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.38 – 7.33 (m, 4H), 7.32 – 7.28 (m, 2H), 7.24 – 7.23 (m, 1H),



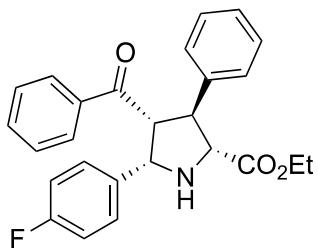
7.06 (s, 4H), 4.97 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 4.51 (t, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 4.18 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 1H), 4.10 (t, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 198.5, 173.5, 140.5, 138.0, 137.5, 133.5, 133.2, 129.6, 130.0, 128.9, 128.5, 128.4, 128.2, 127.9, 127.4, 67.7, 65.9, 60.5, 52.5. FT-IR (neat, cm⁻¹): 2921.2, 2851.8, 1732.0, 1673.9, 1211.9, 1179.8, 757.1. **HRMS: (ESI-TOF)** calculated for C₂₅H₂₃ClNO₃ [M+H]⁺ 420.1361, found 420.1361.

HPLC analysis: CHIRALPAK IC, heptane/2-propanol (50/50, 0.5 mL/min), $\lambda = 254$ nm, $t_R = 5.493$ (minor), 6.359 (major).



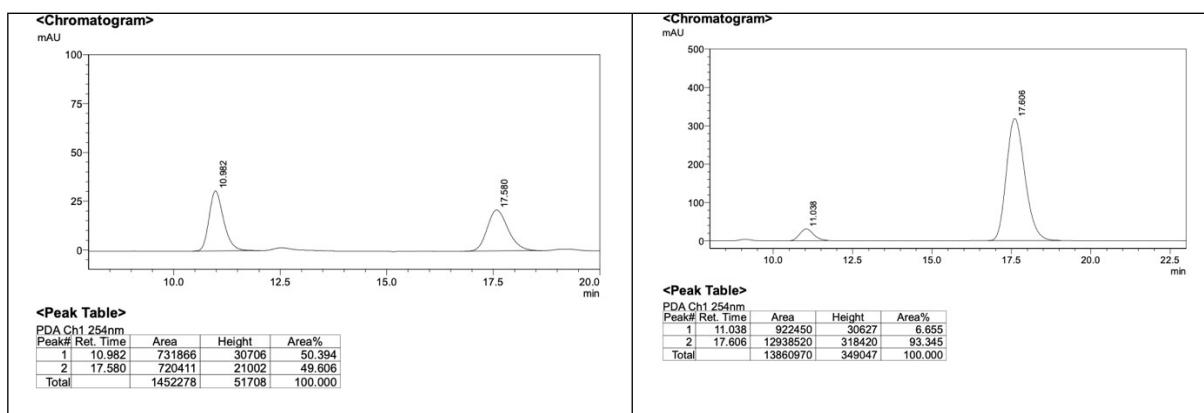
(2*R*,3*S*,4*R*,5*S*)-Ethyl-4-benzoyl-5-(4-fluorophenyl)-3-phenylpyrrolidine-2-carboxylate (3m)²

White solid, yield = 77% (48.1 mg); m.p.= 149 – 150 °C, R_f = 0.33 (cyclohexane/ethyl acetate, 3:1), [α]_D²⁰ = +59.86 (c = 1, CHCl₃), (*endo/exo* = >99:1), 93:7 er; **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 7.57 –



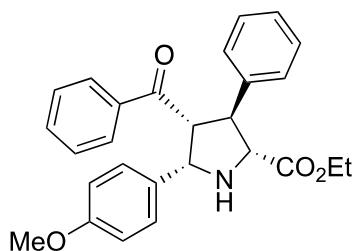
7.54 (m, 2H), 7.44 – 7.21 (m, 8H), 7.12 – 7.07 (m, 2H), 6.80 – 6.74 (m, 2H), 4.99 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 4.52 (dd, *J* = 9.1, 7.8 Hz, 1H), 4.26 (dq, *J* = 10.8, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 4.17 – 4.08 (m, 3H), 2.98 (s, 1H), 1.17 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 198.4, 173.1, 162.2 (d, ¹J_{C-F} = 246.4 Hz), 140.5, 137.5, 135.4 (d, ⁴J_{C-F} = 3.4 Hz), 133.1, 129.3 (d, ³J_{C-F} = 8.4 Hz), 128.9, 128.5, 128.2, 128.0, 127.3, 115.1 (d, ²J_{C-F} = 21.4 Hz), 67.7, 65.9, 61.4, 60.7, 52.6, 14.3. **¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ -114.7. **FT-IR (neat, cm⁻¹)**: 2934.1, 2909.5, 1733.3, 1673.0, 1177.4, 1157.6, 766.9. **HRMS: (ESI-TOF)** calculated for C₂₆H₂₅FNO₃ [M+H]⁺ 418.1813, found 418.1812.

HPLC analysis: CHIRALPAK IC, heptane/2-propanol (90/10, 0.5 mL/min), λ = 254 nm, t_R = 11.038 (minor), 3.683 (major).



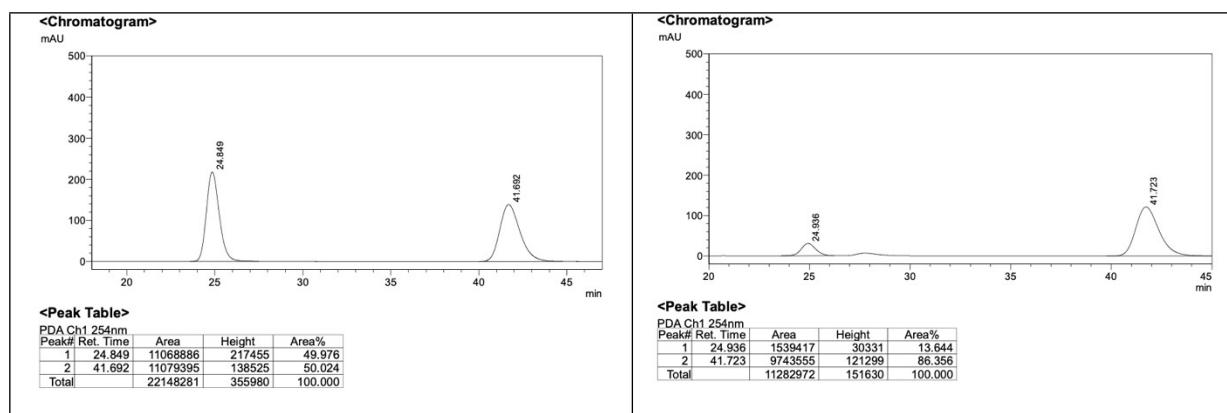
(2*R*,3*S*,4*R*,5*S*)-Ethyl-4-benzoyl-5-(4-methoxyphenyl)-3-phenylpyrrolidine-2-carboxylate (3n)²

White solid, yield = 79% (50.8 mg); m.p.= 142 – 143 °C, R_f = 0.28 (cyclohexane/ethyl acetate, 3:1), [α]_D²⁰ = +59.02 (c = 1.05, CHCl₃), (*endo/exo* = >99:1), 86:14 er; **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ**

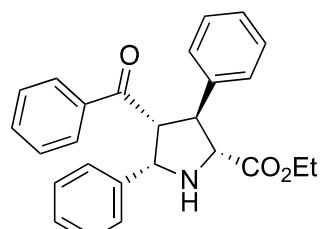


7.58 – 7.55 (m, 2H), 7.40 (ddt, *J* = 13.8, 6.8, 1.3 Hz, 3H), 7.34 – 7.21 (m, 5H), 7.50 – 7.00 (m, 2H), 6.64 – 6.60 (m, 2H), 4.97 (d, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 1H), 4.51 (ddd, *J* = 8.8, 6.6, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 4.26 (dq, *J* = 10.8, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 4.18 – 4.07 (m, 3H), 3.68 (s, 3H), 2.98 (s, 1H) 1.16 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ** 198.6, 173.1, 159.0, 140.7, 137.6, 132.9, 131.6, 128.82, 128.80, 128.76, 128.4, 128.2, 128.0, 127.2, 113.7, 67.8, 66.2, 61.3, 61.0, 55.3, 52.8, 14.3. **FT-IR (neat, cm⁻¹)**: 2924.1, 2906.4, 1729.1, 1670.1, 1261.9, 1205.9, 1177.1, 767.2. **HRMS: (ESI-TOF)** calculated for C₂₇H₂₈NO₄ [M+H]⁺ 430.2013, found 430.2015.

HPLC analysis: CHIRALPAK IC, heptane/2-propanol (90/10, 0.5 mL/min), λ = 254 nm, t_R = 24.936 (minor), 41.723 (major).

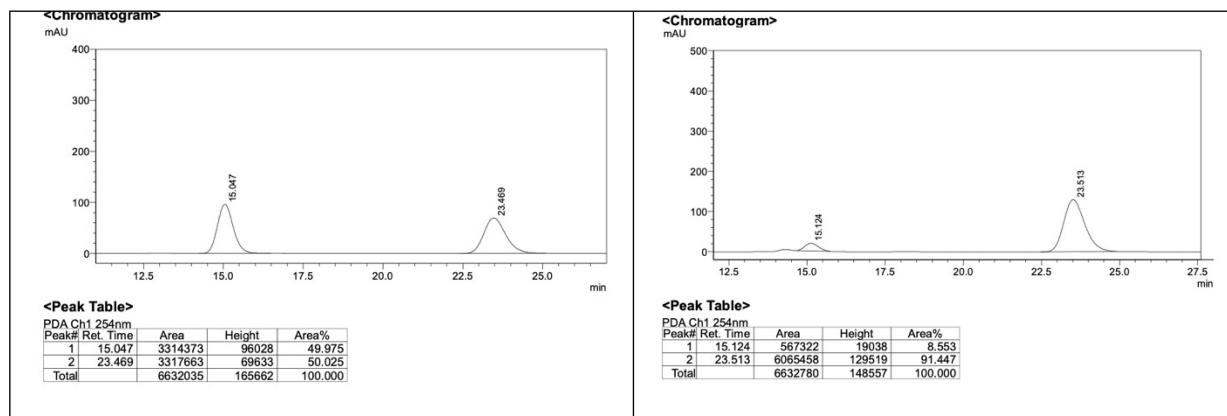
**(2*R*,3*S*,4*R*,5*S*)-Ethyl-4-benzoyl-3,5-diphenylpyrrolidine-2-carboxylate (3o)²**

White solid, yield = 71% (42.4 mg); m.p.= 144 – 145 °C, R_f = 0.40 (cyclohexane/ethyl acetate, 3:1), [α]_D²⁰ = +69.67 (c = 1.00, CHCl₃), (*endo/exo* = >99:1), 91:9 er; **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ**



7.52 (m, 2H), 7.42 – 7.37 (m, 3H), 7.33 (ddd, *J* = 8.0, 6.9, 1.3 Hz, 2H), 7.27 – 7.22 (m, 3H), 7.13 – 7.06 (m, 5H), 5.00 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 4.54 (dd, *J* = 8.9, 7.6 Hz, 1H), 4.27 (dq, *J* = 10.8, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 4.19 – 4.08 (m, 3H), 1.18 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ** 198.6, 173.0, 140.8, 139.3, 137.6, 132.9, 128.8, 128.4, 128.3, 128.2, 128.00, 127.8, 127.6, 127.2, 67.9, 66.8, 61.4, 60.8, 53.0, 14.3. **FT-IR (neat, cm⁻¹)**: 2973.6, 2913.9, 1723.6, 1669.4, 1210.6, 1179.9, 1160.7, 766.6. **HRMS: (ESI-TOF)** calculated for C₂₆H₂₆NO₃ [M+H]⁺ 400.1907, found 400.1907.

HPLC analysis: CHIRALPAK IC, heptane/2-propanol (90/10, 0.5 mL/min), $\lambda = 254$ nm, $t_R = 15.124$ (minor), 23.513 (major).



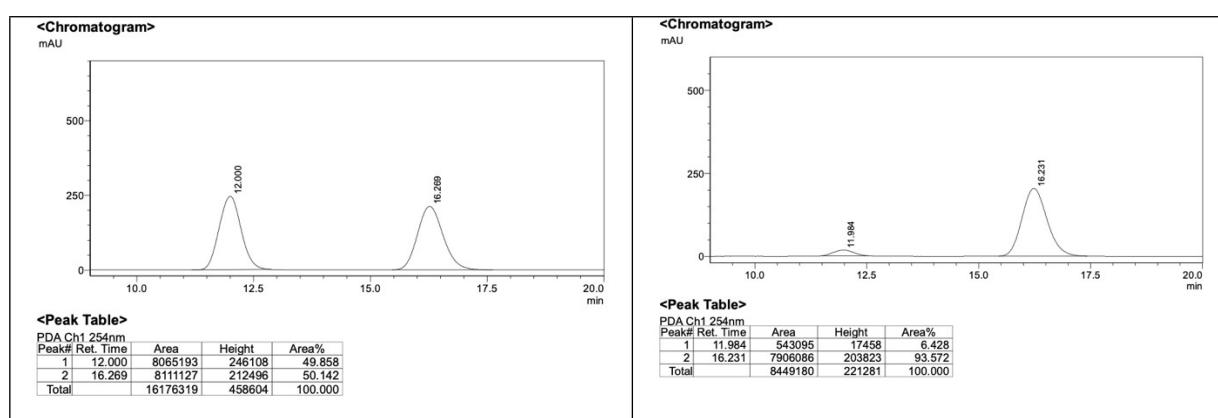
(2*R*,3*S*,4*R*,5*S*)-Ethyl-4-benzoyl-5-(3-bromophenyl)-3-phenylpyrrolidine-2-carboxylate (3p)

White solid, yield = 84% (60.2 mg); m.p.= 130 –131 °C, $R_f = 0.44$ (cyclohexane/ethyl acetate, 3:1),

$[\alpha]_D^{20} = +44.48$ ($c = 1.00$, CHCl_3), (*endo/exo* = >99:1), 94:6 er; $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.57

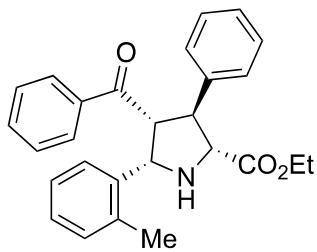
– 7.54 (m, 2H), 7.44 (ddt, $J = 8.7, 6.9, 1.3$ Hz, 1H), 7.39 – 7.30 (m, 5H),
7.29 – 7.22 (m, 2H), 7.20 – 7.18 (m, 2H), 7.11 (dt, $J = 7.5, 1.7$ Hz, 1H),
7.00 – 6.96 (m, 1H), 4.94 (d, $J = 9.1$ Hz, 1H), 4.52 (dd, $J = 8.8, 7.7$ Hz,
1H), 4.27 (dq, $J = 10.8, 7.1$ Hz, 1H), 4.21 – 4.06 (m, 3H), 1.20 (t, $J = 7.1$
Hz, 3H). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 198.4, 172.9, 141.8, 140.6,
137.6, 133.2, 130.9, 130.8, 129.8, 128.92, 128.90, 128.6, 128.1, 128.0,
127.3, 125.9, 122.3, 67.8, 66.0, 61.4, 60.4, 52.4, 14.3. **FT-IR (neat, cm⁻¹):** 1731.4, 1672.5, 1210.2,
1178.8, 1157.6, 770.9. **HRMS: (ESI-TOF)** calculated for $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{24}\text{BrNO}_3\text{Na}$ [M+Na]⁺ 500.0832,
found 500.0832.

HPLC analysis: CHIRALPAK IC, heptane/2-propanol (90/10, 0.5 mL/min), $\lambda = 254$ nm, $t_R = 11.984$ (minor), 16.231 (major).



(2*R*,3*S*,4*R*,5*S*)-Ethyl-4-benzoyl-3-phenyl-5-(*o*-tolyl)pyrrolidine-2-carboxylate (3q)

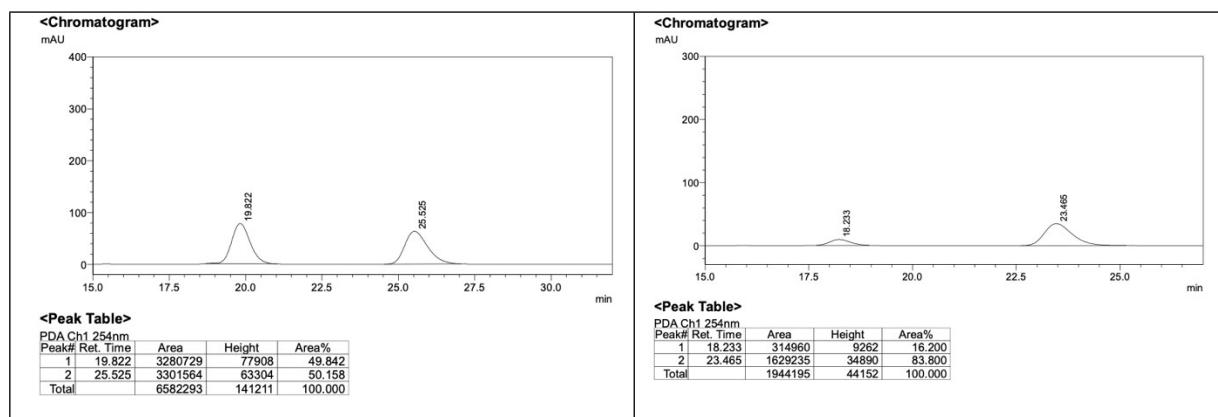
White solid, yield = 54% (33.7 mg); m.p.= 156 – 157 °C, Rf = 0.44 (cyclohexane/ethyl acetate, 3:1), [α]D²⁰ = +26.89 (c = 1.00, CHCl₃), (*endo/exo* = >99:1), 84:16 er; **1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ



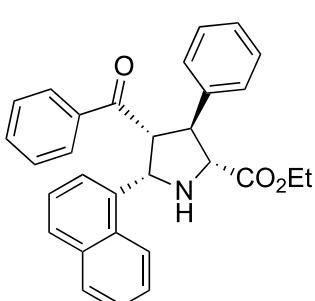
7.39 – 7.30 (m, 6H), 7.28 – 7.24 (m, 3H), 7.16 – 7.11 (m, 2H), 7.07 (tdd, J = 7.9, 1.5, 0.7 Hz, 1H), 6.92 (td, J = 7.4, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 6.74 (ddt, J = 7.5, 1.4, 0.6 Hz, 1H), 5.11 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 4.48 (dd, J = 8.5, 5.9 Hz, 1H), 4.28 (dq, J = 10.8, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 4.21 – 4.05 (m, 3H), 3.15 (s, 1H), 2.12 (s, 3H), 1.20 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 3H). **13C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 200.5,

172.5, 141.8, 137.9, 136.2, 135.0, 132.6, 130.0, 129.0, 128.1, 127.8, 127.6, 127.4, 127.2, 126.5, 126.3, 68.4, 62.9, 61.3, 59.7, 54.4, 19.7, 14.3. **FT-IR (neat, cm⁻¹)**: 2972.4, 2934.7, 1742.9, 1674.6, 1206.7, 1176.7, 763.9. **HRMS: (ESI-TOF)** calculated for C₂₇H₂₈NO₃ [M+H]⁺ 414.2064, found 414.2063.

HPLC analysis: CHIRALPAK IC, heptane/2-propanol (90/10, 0.5 mL/min), λ = 254 nm, t_R = 18.223 (minor), 23.465 (major).

**(2*R*,3*S*,4*R*,5*S*)-Ethyl-4-benzoyl-5-(naphthalen-1-yl)-3-phenylpyrrolidine-2-carboxylate (3r)²**

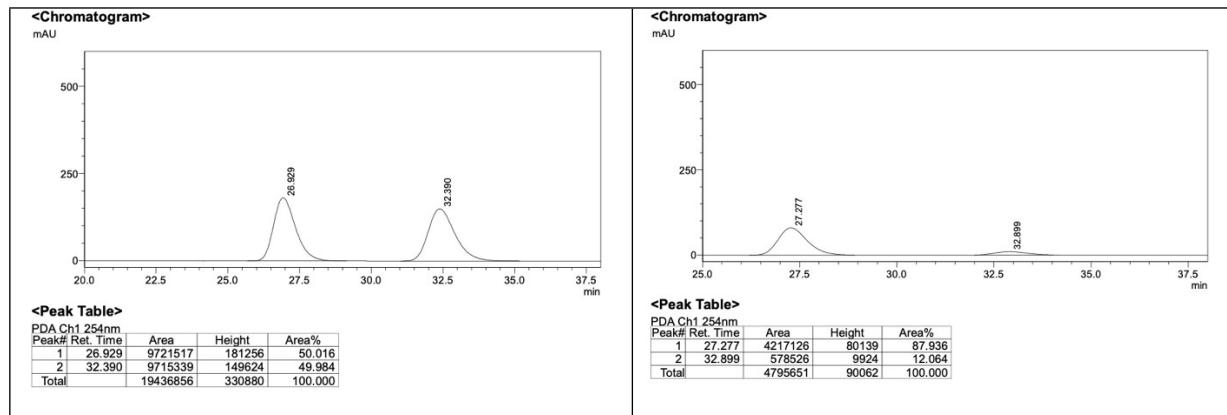
White solid, Yield = 72% (48.4 mg); m.p.= 147 – 148 °C, Rf = 0.48 (cyclohexane/ethyl acetate, 3:1), [α]D²⁰ = -51.48 (c = 1.00, CHCl₃), (*endo/exo* = >99:1), 12:88 er; **1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 7.96



(d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.61 – 7.58 (m, 1H), 7.52 – 7.38 (m, 7H), 7.34 – 7.28 (m, 3H), 7.12 – 7.09 (m, 2H), 7.05 – 6.99 (m, 1H), 6.80 – 6.77 (m, 2H), 5.73 (d, J = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 4.67 (dd, J = 7.8, 4.5 Hz, 1H), 4.35 (dq, J = 10.9, 7.2 Hz, 1H), 4.30 – 4.21 (m, 2H), 4.15 (dd, J = 7.7, 4.5 Hz, 1H), 3.48 (s, 1H), 1.28 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 3H). **13C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 200.8, 172.5, 142.8, 136.9, 133.4, 133.2, 132.2, 131.0, 129.2, 129.0, 128.0, 127.9, 127.5, 127.4, 127.3, 126.1, 125.32, 125.30, 124.0, 122.7, 68.6, 63.1, 61.4, 59.8, 54.3, 14.4.

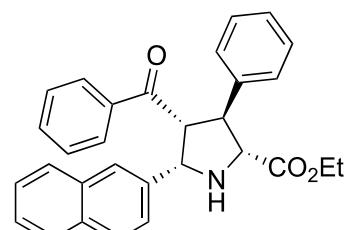
FT-IR (neat, cm^{-1}): 2921.7, 2851.9, 1741.8, 1670.7, 1210.4, 1193.6, 1173.1, 757.1. **HRMS: (ESI-TOF)** calculated for $\text{C}_{30}\text{H}_{28}\text{NO}_3$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 450.2064, found 450.2064.

HPLC analysis: CHIRALPAK IC, heptane/2-propanol (90/10, 0.5 mL/min), $\lambda = 254 \text{ nm}$, $t_R = 27.277 \text{ min}$ (major), 32.899 min (minor).

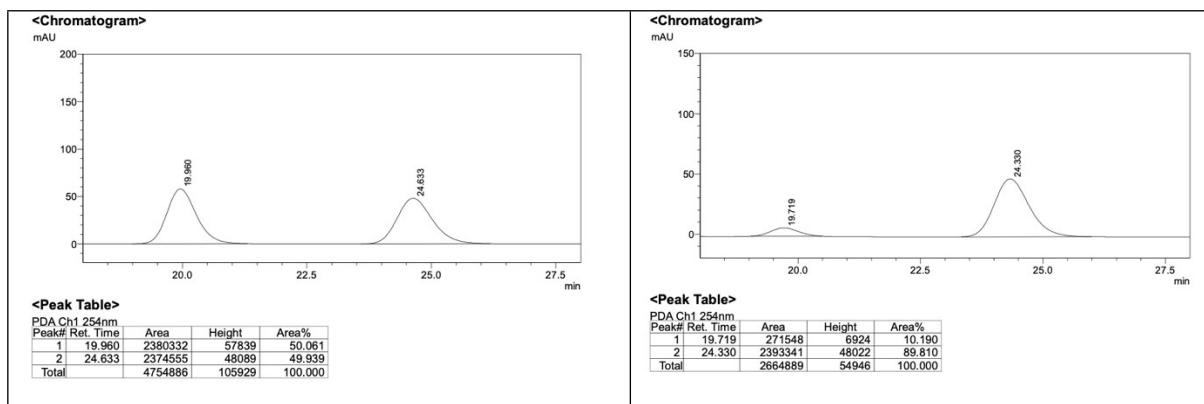


(2*S*,3*R*,4*S*,5*R*)- Ethyl-4-benzoyl-5-(naphthalen-2-yl)-3-phenylpyrrolidine-2-carboxylate (3s)

White solid, yield = 59% (40.0 mg); m.p.= 174 – 175 °C, $R_f = 0.47$ (cyclohexane/ethyl acetate, 3:1), $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +114.52$ ($c = 1.00$, CHCl_3), (*endo/exo* = >99:1), 90:10 er; **$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3)** δ 7.68 – 7.61 (m, 2H), 7.58 – 7.54 (m, 2H), 7.50 – 7.48 (m, 2H), 7.43 – 7.29 (m, 7H), 7.26 – 7.25 (m,

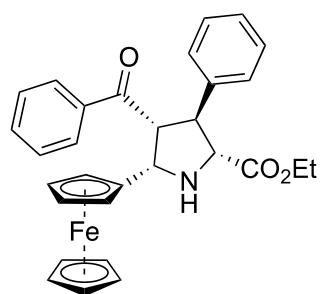
 1H), 7.24 – 7.22 (m, 1H), 7.18 – 7.13 (m, 2H), 5.17 (d, $J = 8.6$ Hz, 1H), 4.62 (dd, $J = 9.0, 7.3$ Hz, 1H), 4.29 (dq, $J = 10.8, 7.1$ Hz, 1H), 4.22 – 4.14 (m, 3H), 3.22 (s, 1H), 1.19 (t, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 3H). **$^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (101 MHz, CDCl_3)** δ 198.7, 173.0, 140.8, 137.6, 136.8, 133.0, 132.84, 132.82, 128.9, 128.3, 128.1, 128.0, 127.99, 127.98, 127.6, 127.2, 126.6, 126.1, 125.9, 125.4, 68.0, 66.9, 61.3, 60.8, 53.0, 14.3. **FT-IR (neat, cm^{-1}):** 2925.3, 1724.7, 1671.0, 1208.0, 1178.9, 1123.9, 767.3. **HRMS: (ESI-TOF)** calculated for $\text{C}_{30}\text{H}_{28}\text{NO}_3$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 450.2064, found 450.2066.

HPLC analysis: CHIRALPAK IC, heptane/2-propanol (90/10, 0.5 mL/min), $\lambda = 254 \text{ nm}$, $t_R = 19.719 \text{ min}$ (minor), 24.330 min (major).



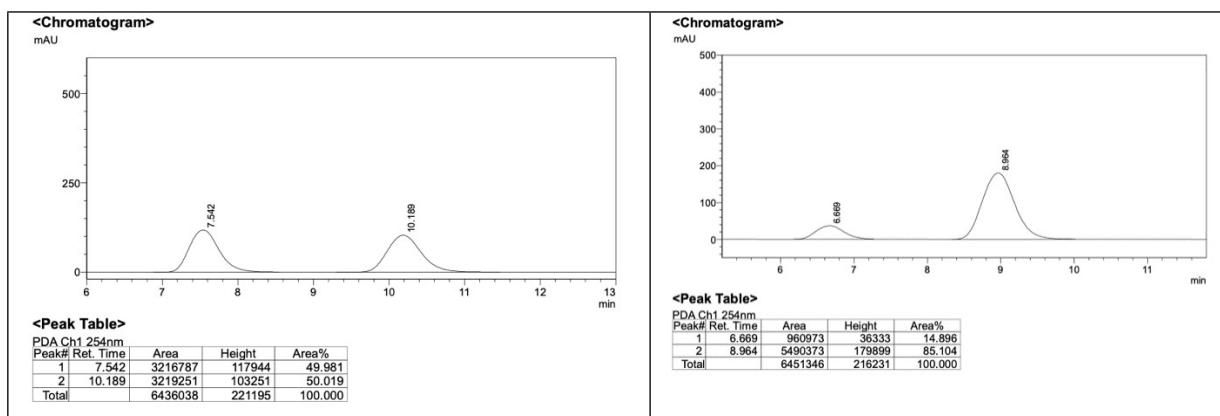
(2*S*,3*R*,4*S*,5*R*)- Ethyl-4-benzoyl-5-(ferrocenyl)-3-phenylpyrrolidine-2-carboxylate (3t)

Yellow solid, yield = 20% (15.2 mg); m.p.= 140 – 141 °C, R_f = 0.48 (cyclohexane/ethyl acetate, 3:1),



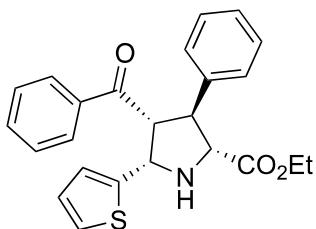
[α]_D²⁰ = +31.69 (c = 0.26, CHCl₃), (*endo/exo* =>99:1), 85:15 er; **¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 7.72 – 7.70 (m, 2H), 7.52 – 7.64 (m, 1H), 7.39 – 7.33 (m, 4H), 7.29 – 7.26 (m, 2H), 7.20 – 7.16 (m, 1H), 4.73 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 4.51 (dd, J = 10.7, 8.4 Hz, 1H), 4.39 (dd, J = 2.6, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 4.27 (dq, J = 10.8, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 4.19 (s, 5H), 4.13 – 4.04 (m, 3H), 3.91 (t, J = 10.4 Hz, 1H), 3.84 (td, J = 2.4, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 3.30 (dt, J = 2.6, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 3.13 (s, 1H), 1.13 (t, J = 7.1 Hz, 3H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃)** δ 196.2, 174.2, 139.7, 137.6, 133.0, 128.6, 128.6, 128.3, 128.2, 127.1, 88.6, 68.9, 68.7, 68.7, 67.8, 66.9, 65.8, 61.6, 61.4, 60.5, 50.7, 27.1, 14.3. **FT-IR (neat, cm⁻¹)**: 2980.1, 2927.1, 1728.1, 1673.3, 1219.6, 1197.8, 1184.5, 753.7. **HRMS: (ESI-TOF)** calculated for C₃₀H₃₀FeNO₃ [M+H]⁺ 508.1570, found 508.1568.

HPLC analysis: CHIRALPAK IC, heptane/2-propanol (90/10, 0.5 mL/min), λ = 254 nm, t_R = 6.669 min (minor), 8.964 min (minor).



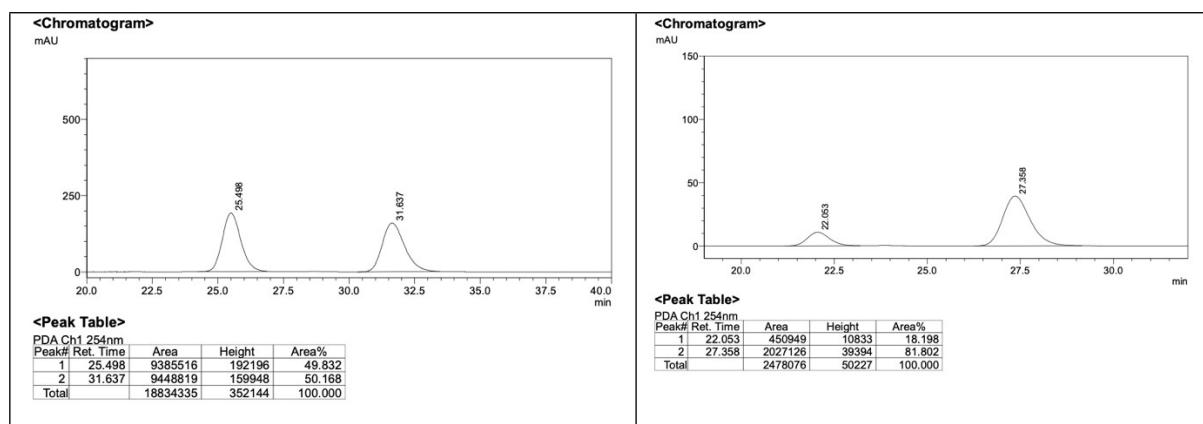
(2*R*,3*S*,4*R*,5*S*)-Ethyl-4-benzoyl-3-phenyl-5-(thiophen-2-yl)pyrrolidine-2-carboxylate (3u)²

White solid, Yield = 37% (22.8 mg); m.p.= 152 – 153 °C, R_f = 0.40 (cyclohexane/ethyl acetate, 3:1), [α]_D²⁰ = +37.75 (c = 0.5, CHCl₃), (*endo/exo* = >99:1), 82:18 er; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.71

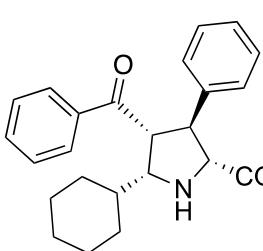


– 7.68 (m, 2H), 7.47 (ddt, *J* = 7.9, 6.9, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 7.40 – 7.30 (m, 6H), 7.24 – 7.20 (m, 1H), 7.04 (dd, *J* = 5.0, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 6.74 (dd, *J* = 5.0, 3.5 Hz, 1H), 6.71 (ddd, *J* = 3.6, 1.3, 0.7 Hz, 1H), 5.28 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 4.54 (t, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 1H), 4.26 (dq, *J* = 10.8, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 4.17 – 4.09 (m, 3H), 3.08 (s, 1H), 1.17 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 197.5, 172.9, 143.4, 140.4, 137.4, 133.1, 128.8, 128.6, 128.3, 128.1, 127.2, 126.7, 125.6, 124.8, 67.4, 61.8, 61.4, 60.4, 51.7, 14.3. FT-IR (neat, cm⁻¹): 2907.5, 1722.7, 1670.6, 1210.1, 1182.8, 1159.3, 706.6. HRMS: (ESI-TOF) calculated for C₂₄H₂₄NO₃S [M+H]⁺ 406.1471, found 406.1471.

HPLC analysis: CHIRALPAK IC, heptane/2-propanol (90/10, 0.5 mL/min), λ = 254 nm, t_R = 22.053 min (minor), 27.358 min (minor).

**(2*R*,3*S*,4*R*,5*R*)-Ethyl-4-benzoyl-5-cyclohexyl-3-phenylpyrrolidine-2-carboxylate (3v)**

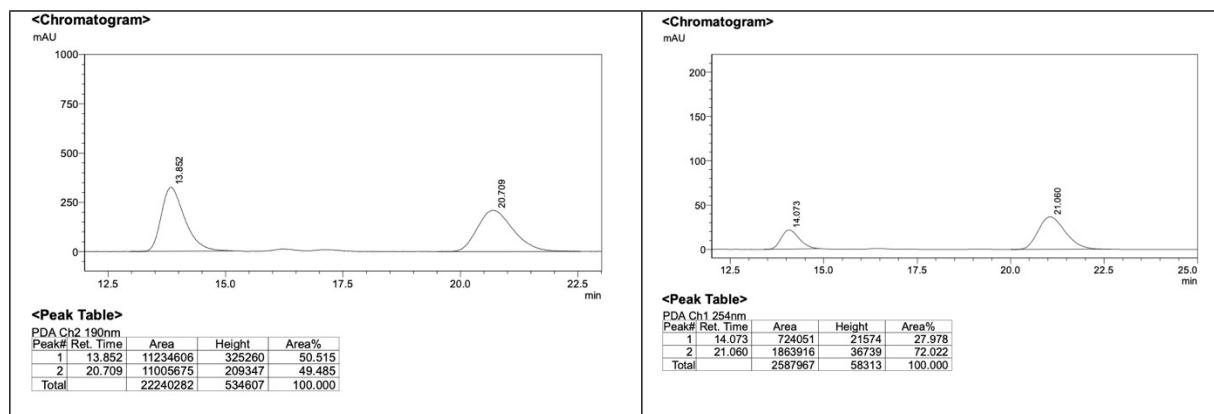
White solid, yield = 28% (17.2 mg); m.p.= 82 – 83 °C, R_f = 0.52 (cyclohexane/ethyl acetate, 3:1), [α]_D²⁰ = +9.73 (c = 0.31, CHCl₃), (*endo/exo* = >99:1), 72:28 er; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.77 (dd, *J* = 8.5, 1.3 Hz, 2H), 7.52 (ddt, *J* = 7.7, 6.7, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 7.41 – 7.33 (m, 4H), 7.29 – 7.26 (m, 3H), 4.25 – 4.13 (m, 2H), 4.09 (dd, *J* = 6.4, 4.1 Hz, 1H), 3.93 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 3.52 (dd, *J* = 7.3, 4.1 Hz, 1H), 3.38 (dd, *J* = 9.4, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 2.92 (s, 1H), 2.13 (d, *J* = 12.9 Hz, 1H), 1.71 (d, *J* = 12.4 Hz, 1H), 1.57 (d, *J* = 10.8 Hz, 2H), 1.44 (d, *J* = 4.2 Hz, 1H), 1.31 (d, *J* = 6.5 Hz, 1H), 1.19 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 3H), 1.12 – 1.07 (m, 3H), 0.96 – 0.90 (m, 2H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 202.7, 172.4, 142.9, 138.0, 133.3, 129.0, 128.9, 128.1, 127.6, 127.2, 71.7, 69.6, 61.2, 56.7, 56.7, 38.6, 31.9, 31.6, 26.4, 25.9, 25.8, 14.3. FT-IR (neat, cm⁻¹): 2927.8, 2851.0, 1731.8,



14.3. FT-IR (neat, cm⁻¹): 2927.8, 2851.0, 1731.8,

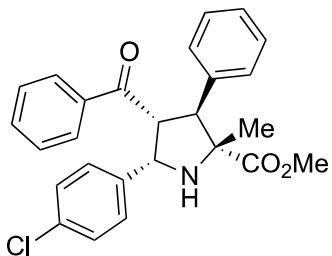
1665.4, 1197.9, 1181.4, 1161.6, 696.3. **HRMS: (ESI-TOF)** calculated for C₂₆H₃₂NO₃ [M+H]⁺ 406.2377, found 406.2379.

HPLC analysis: CHIRALPAK ID, heptane/2-propanol (90/10, 0.5 mL/min), $\lambda = 254$ nm, $t_R = 14.073$ min (minor), 21.060 min (minor).



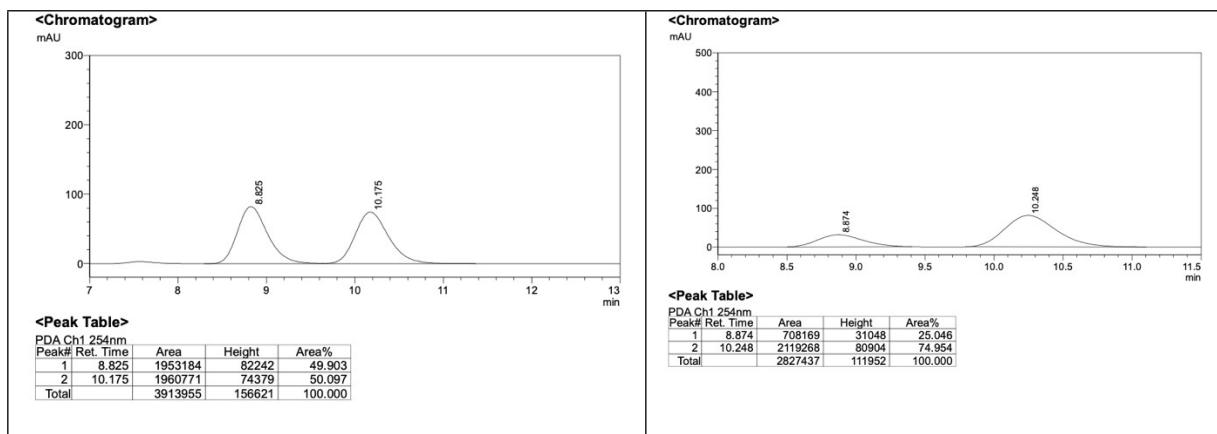
(2*R*,3*S*,4*R*,5*S*)-Ethyl-(2*R*,3*S*,4*R*,5*S*)-4-benzoyl-5-(4-chlorophenyl)-2-methyl-3-phenylpyrrolidine-2-carboxylate (3w)

White solid, yield = 48% (33.1 mg); m.p.= 198 – 199 °C, Rf = 0.41 (cyclohexane/ethyl acetate, 3:1),



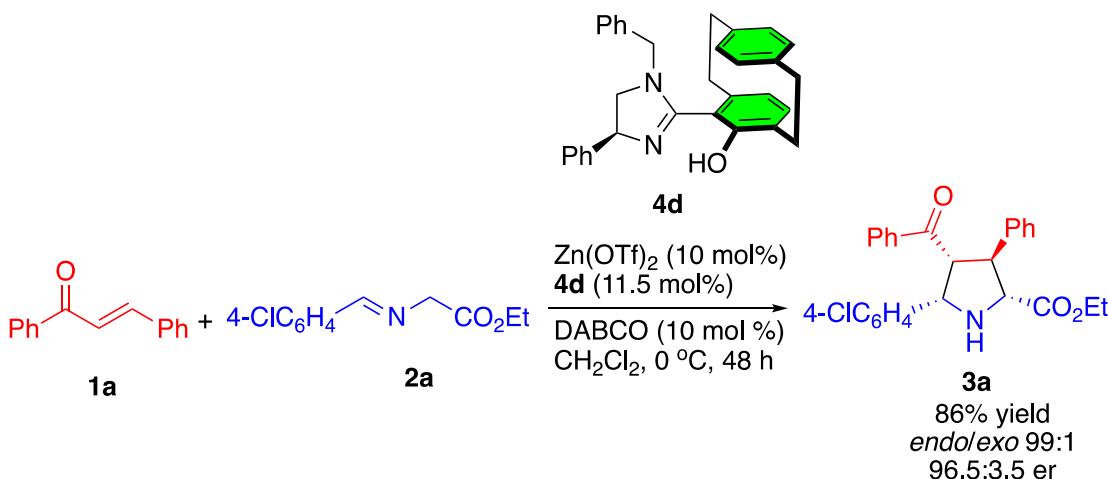
[α]_D²⁰ = +34.74 (c = 1.00, CHCl₃), (*endo/exo* = >99:1), 75:25 er; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.63 – 7.60 (m, 2H), 7.48 – 7.44 (m, 1H), 7.34 – 7.30 (m, 2H), 7.28 – 7.26 (m, 5H), 7.09 – 7.03 (m, 4H), 5.02 (d, *J* = 9.5 Hz, 1H), 4.89 (dd, *J* = 10.5, 9.4 Hz, 1H), 4.44 (d, *J* = 10.5 Hz, 1H), 3.83 (s, 3H), 3.13 (s, 1H), 1.29 (s, 3H). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 197.7, 175.9, 138.7, 137.7, 137.6, 133.5, 133.2, 129.3, 128.7, 128.6, 128.5, 128.3, 128.1, 127.4, 68.7, 63.5, 56.5, 54.7, 52.7, 21.8. FT-IR (neat, cm⁻¹): 2919.0, 2853.4, 1730.7, 1671.5, 1202.7, 1166.2, 1145.2, 699.2. HRMS: (ESI-TOF) calculated for C₂₆H₂₅ClNO₃ [M+H]⁺ 434.1517, found 434.1523.

HPLC analysis: CHIRALPAK IC, heptane/2-propanol (90/10, 0.5 mL/min), $\lambda = 254$ nm, $t_R = 8.874$ min (minor), 10.248 min (minor).



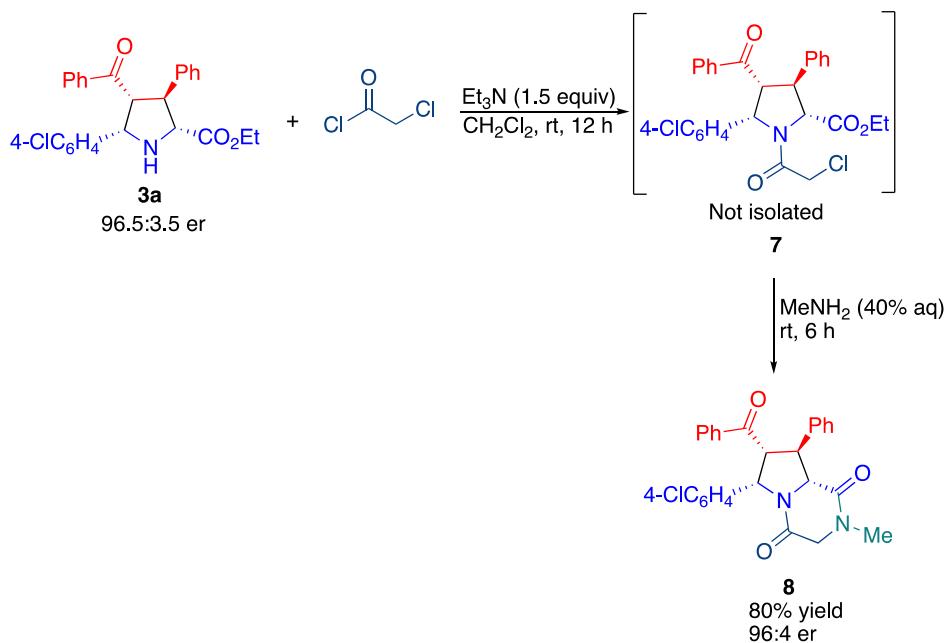
4. Scaled-up Synthesis of **3a** and its Derivatization

4.1 General Procedure for the Zn-Catalyzed [3+2] Azomethine Ylide Cycloaddition



Under nitrogen atmosphere, ligand (*S,S,S_P*)-**4d** (52.7 mg, 11.5 mol %) and $\text{Zn}(\text{OTf})_2$ (36.3 mg, 10 mol %) was added to a flame-dried 20 mL schlenk tube. Then dry CH_2Cl_2 (3 mL) was added and stirred for 60 minutes. After cooled at 0 °C, acyclic enone **1** (208.3 mg, 1 mmol, 1.0 equiv) in CH_2Cl_2 (3 mL), α -iminoester **2** (451.2 mg, 2 mmol, 2 equiv) in CH_2Cl_2 (3 mL) and DABCO (11.2 mg, 10 mol %) in CH_2Cl_2 (1 mL) were added sequentially. The reaction mixture was stirred at the same temperature for 48 h. After completion, the reaction mixture was directly purified by silica gel column chromatography (30% ethyl acetate in cyclohexane) to afford the desired product **3a** in 86% yield (376.5 mg) with 99:1 *endo/exo* and 96.5:3.5 er.

4.2 General procedure for the synthesis of diketopiperazine **8**³



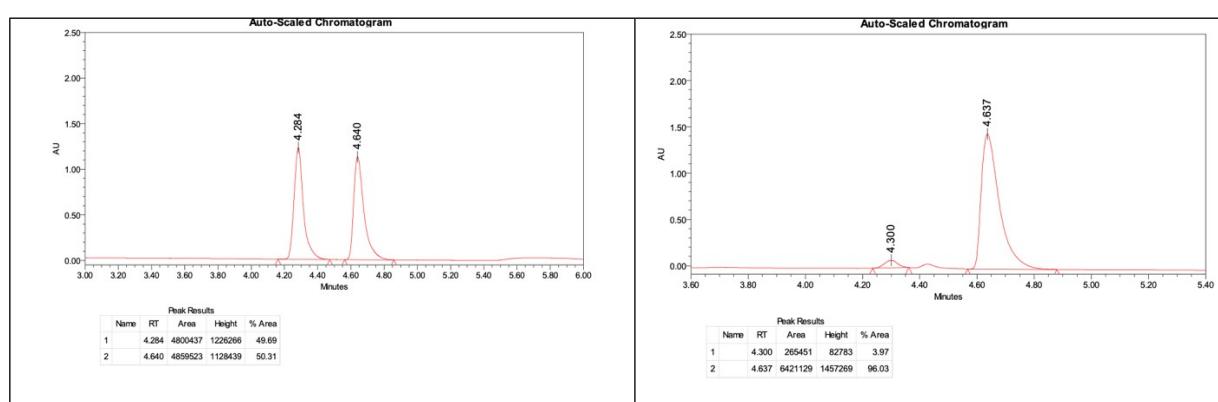
To a mixture of **3a** (1 equiv, 0.2 mmol, 86.8 mg) and triethylamine (1.5 equiv, 0.3 mmol, 41.8 μL) in CH_2Cl_2 (5 mL) at 0 °C was added chloroacetyl chloride (1.5 equiv, 0.3 mmol, 23.9 μL). The

reaction was stirred for 30 min. at 0 °C and warmed to room temperature. After being stirred for another 3 h, the reaction mixture was quenched with water (5 mL) and extracted three times with CH₂Cl₂. The combined organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated under vacuum, gave crude product 7. The crude product 7 was dissolved in CH₂Cl₂ (5 mL) follow by the addition of methylamine (40% aq. 1.6 mL). The mixture was stirred overnight. The resulting reaction mixture was quenched with water (5 mL) and extracted three times with CH₂Cl₂. The combined organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated under reduce pressure afforded the crude product which silica gel column chromatography (100% ethyl acetate) to deliver the desired product **8** in 80% (73.5 mg) yield.

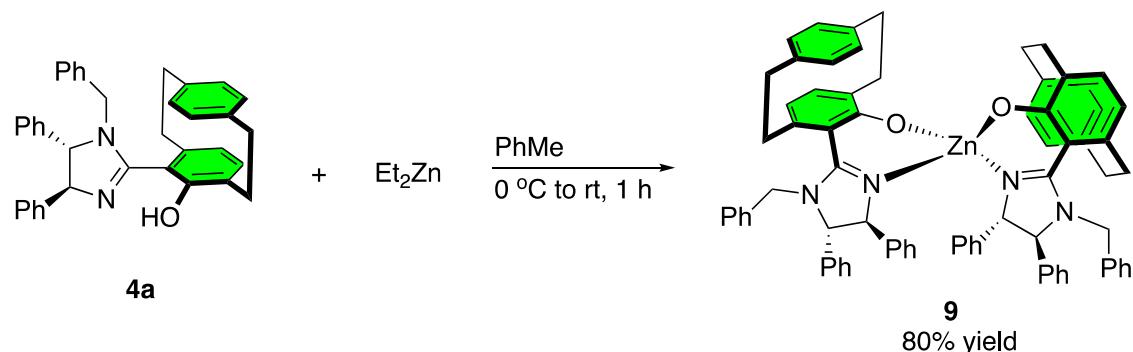
(6*S*,7*R*,8*S*,8a*R*)-7-benzoyl-6-(4-chlorophenyl)-2-methyl-8-phenyltetrahydropyrrolo[1,2-*a*]pyrazine-1,3(2*H*,4*H*)-dione (8**)**

White solid, yield = 80 % (73.5 mg); m.p.= 283 – 284 °C, R_f = 0.28 (ethyl acetate), [α]_D²⁰ = +72.23 (c = 1, CHCl₃), 96:4 er; **1H NMR** (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.70 (dd, *J* = 8.4, 1.3 Hz, 2H), 7.55 (ddt, *J* = 7.8, 6.9, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 7.51 – 7.48 (m, 2H), 7.43 – 7.39 (m, 2H), 7.33 – 7.29 (m, 2H), 7.22 – 7.18 (m, 1H), 7.09 – 7.05 (m, 2H), 6.74 – 6.71 (m, 2H), 5.68 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 1H), 4.69 – 4.56 (m, 3H), 4.22 (dd, *J* = 16.8, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 3.77 (d, *J* = 16.8 Hz, 1H), 3.02 (s, 3H). **13C NMR** (101 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 193.5, 167.3, 164.3, 138.0, 137.0, 135.1, 134.2, 133.9, 129.0, 128.9, 128.7, 128.5, 128.21, 128.19, 127.7, 64.0, 61.9, 57.1, 54.0, 45.5, 33.8. **FT-IR (neat, cm⁻¹)**: 1688.7, 1669.9, 1415.6, 1402.0, 1212.6, 692.6. **HRMS: (ESI-TOF)** calculated for C₂₇H₂₄ClN₂O₃ [M+H]⁺ 459.1470, found 459.1472.

HPLC analysis: CHIRALPAK IB, CO₂/MEOH (60 to 40, 3 mL/min), λ = 254 nm, t_R = 4.300 min (major), 4.637 min (minor).



5. General procedure for the synthesis of Zn-complex 9



Under a nitrogen atmosphere, ligand (*S,S,S_P*)-**4a** (0.25 mmol, 2 equiv.) and Et_2Zn (0.125 mmol, 1 equiv.) were added to a flame-dried 15 mL schlenk tube. Then dry toluene (2 mL) was added and stirred at 0 °C. Then Et_2Zn was added, and the reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for 2 h. After completion, the solvent was evaporated under vacuum, and the crude product was recrystallized using a $\text{CHCl}_3/\text{Et}_2\text{O}$ mixture, which gave the pure complex **9** in 80% yield (113.5 mg). Yellow solid, m.p. 170–171; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -304.66$ ($c = 1.0$, CHCl_3)

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.54 (d, $J = 1\text{ Hz}$, 2H), 7.50 – 7.46 (m, 6H), 7.40 – 7.36 (m, 3H), 7.24 – 7.20 (m, 5H), 7.12 – 7.07 (m, 4H), 7.04 – 7.02 (m, 2H), 6.96 – 6.92 (m, 4H), 6.81 – 6.77 (m, 4H), 6.72 (dd, $J = 8.0, 2.3$, 1H), 6.69 – 6.66 (m, 4H), 6.63 (dd, $J = 7.7, 2.0$, 1H), 6.59 – 6.55 (m, 3H), 6.50 (d, $J = 7.7$ Hz, 1H), 6.40 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 6.23 (d, $J = 7.8$ Hz, 1H), 5.83 (d, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 1H), 5.30 (d, $J = 4.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.98 (d, $J = 16.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.67 (d, $J = 16.1$ Hz, 1H), 4.60 (d, $J = 1$ Hz, 1H), 4.58 (d, $J = 1$ Hz, 1H), 3.85 (td, $J = 11.4, 4.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.74 (d, $J = 16.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.62 (d, $J = 16.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.49 (ddd, $J = 12.7, 10.0, 2.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.32 – 3.27 (m, 1H), 3.23 – 3.13 (m, 2H), 3.01 – 2.99 (m, 2H), 2.98 – 2.92 (m, 2H), 2.89 – 2.71 (m, 4H), 2.64 – 2.59 (m, 1H), 2.58 – 2.53 (m, 2H). **¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3)** δ 170.6, 169.6, 144.24, 142.20, 141.7, 140.6, 140.44, 140.42, 140.2, 138.2, 137.9, 137.8, 137.6, 137.0, 136.9, 136.4, 133.0, 132.9, 132.5, 132.2, 132.1, 132.0, 131.0, 129.2, 129.1, 129.0, 128.6, 128.45, 128.40, 128.0, 127.70, 127.66, 127.5, 127.14, 127.10, 127.0, 126.4, 126.3, 126.2, 125.5, 122.4, 110.7, 76.1, 71.7, 71.1, 70.1, 49.5, 48.4, 35.9, 35.5, 35.2, 35.0, 34.9, 34.2, 31.3, 29.4. **FT-IR (neat, cm^{-1})**: 2921.2, 2850.3, 1515.6, 1495.9, 1410.6, 1385.0, 802.4, 752.2, 696.8.

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7. X-Ray crystallographic structure and information for Zn-complex 9**SCXRD- REPORT**

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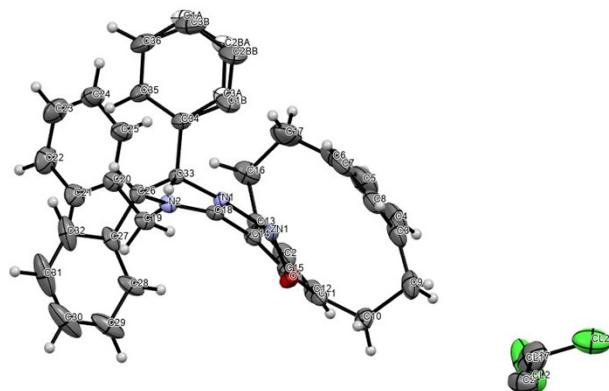


Figure 1. Asymmetric unit, showing the atom-labelling scheme. Displacement ellipsoids are drawn at the 50% probability level. Graphics were obtained using Mercury 3.0.

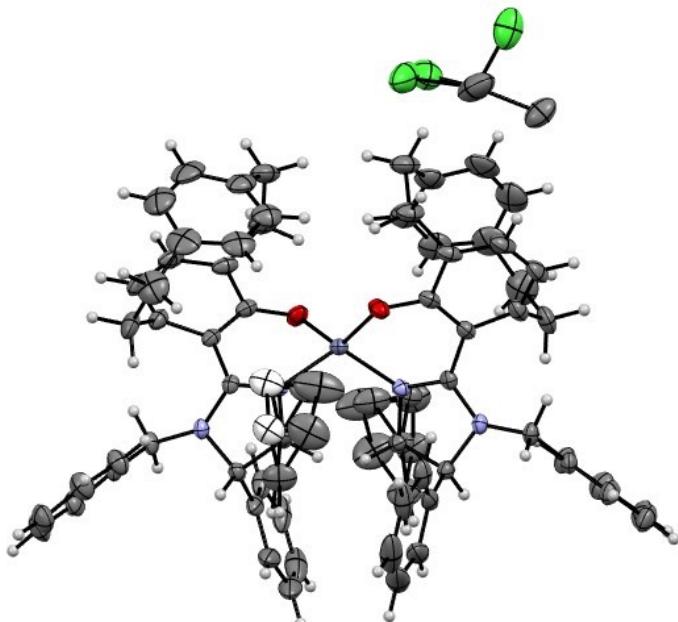


Figure 2. Crystal structure of V-464

Table 1. Crystal data and structure refinement for V-464

Empirical formula	C80.41H60Cl4N4O2Zn
Formula weight	1321.37
Temperature [K]	108(5)
Crystal system	trigonal
Space group (number)	$P\bar{3}_121$ (152)
a [Å]	14.39140(10)
b [Å]	14.39140(10)
c [Å]	27.12110(10)
α [°]	90
β [°]	90
γ [°]	120
Volume [Å ³]	4864.56(7)
Z	3
ρ_{calc} [gcm ⁻³]	1.353
μ [mm ⁻¹]	2.456
F(000)	2053
Crystal size [mm ³]	0.362×0.27×0.247
Crystal colour	translucent light colourless
Crystal shape	block
Radiation	Cu K α ($\lambda=1.54184$ Å)
2 θ range [°]	7.09 to 152.83 (0.79 Å)
Index ranges	$-18 \leq h \leq 17$ $-16 \leq k \leq 18$ $-34 \leq l \leq 34$
Reflections collected	66795
Independent reflections	6788 Rint = 0.0405 Rsigma = 0.0150
Completeness to $\theta = 67.684^\circ$	100.0 %
Data / Restraints / Parameters	6788/0/457
Goodness-of-fit on F2	1.058
Final R indexes [I $\geq 2\sigma(I)$]	R1 = 0.0351 wR2 = 0.0977
Final R indexes [all data]	R1 = 0.0354 wR2 = 0.0981
Largest peak/hole [eÅ ⁻³]	0.32/-0.50
Flack X parameter	-0.002(5)

Refinement details for V-464

Table 2. Atomic coordinates and Ueq [Å²] for V-464

Atom	x	y	z	Ueq
C2BA	1.0619(5)	0.6919(5)	0.5923(3)	0.055(3)
Cl1	0.1804(3)	0.4558(3)	0.45651(13)	0.0918(12)
Cl2	0.1488(4)	0.4770(5)	0.4580(2)	0.0709(11)
H36	1.295(4)	0.918(3)	0.6104(15)	0.051(10)
Zn1_1	0.79963(3)	0.79963(3)	0.500000	0.02126(12)
O1_1	0.73430(15)	0.74336(15)	0.43703(7)	0.0309(4)
N1_1	0.93698(16)	0.80749(16)	0.48177(7)	0.0208(4)
N2_1	1.05510(17)	0.82458(17)	0.42385(7)	0.0230(4)
C27_1	1.1261(2)	1.0212(2)	0.43128(10)	0.0325(6)
C32_1	1.2129(3)	1.1202(3)	0.44366(14)	0.0520(10)
H32_1	1.268342	1.124552	0.464301	0.062
C31_1	1.2180(4)	1.2147(3)	0.4251(2)	0.0741(16)
H31_1	1.276917	1.282805	0.433627	0.089
C30_1	1.1392(5)	1.2087(4)	0.39521(18)	0.0756(17)
H30_1	1.143322	1.272561	0.383093	0.091
C29_1	1.0544(4)	1.1115(3)	0.38259(12)	0.0569(11)
H29_1	1.000021	1.107906	0.361494	0.068
C28_1	1.0473(3)	1.0177(3)	0.40047(10)	0.0382(7)
H28_1	0.987747	0.950296	0.391518	0.046
C26_1	1.1154(2)	0.9205(2)	0.45471(9)	0.0246(5)
H26_1	1.187834	0.930987	0.462839	0.030
C33_1	1.04387(18)	0.88659(19)	0.50109(8)	0.0210(4)
H33_1	1.040890	0.950076	0.514090	0.025
C18_1	0.95027(19)	0.77324(19)	0.43868(8)	0.0207(4)
C34_1	1.0811(2)	0.8408(2)	0.54194(10)	0.0318(6)
C35_1	1.1851(2)	0.8986(3)	0.55955(11)	0.0349(6)
H35_1	1.234243	0.963244	0.543274	0.042
C36_1	1.2202(3)	0.8663(3)	0.59956(15)	0.0529(9)
C15_1	0.7602(2)	0.68767(19)	0.40788(9)	0.0256(5)
C11_1	0.6792(2)	0.6135(2)	0.37490(9)	0.0320(6)
C12_1	0.7058(3)	0.5587(2)	0.34148(10)	0.0378(7)
H12_1	0.658149	0.522038	0.314995	0.045
C2_1	0.8007(3)	0.5557(2)	0.34549(10)	0.0380(7)
H2_1	0.815296	0.514339	0.322792	0.046
C13_1	0.8741(2)	0.6127(2)	0.38242(9)	0.0308(6)
C14_1	0.8617(2)	0.69175(19)	0.40869(8)	0.0239(5)
C19_1	1.0991(2)	0.8236(2)	0.37548(8)	0.0264(5)
H19A_1	1.113769	0.889057	0.357173	0.032
H19B_1	1.045172	0.760729	0.356597	0.032
C20_1	1.2018(2)	0.8186(2)	0.37928(9)	0.0274(5)
C21_1	1.2745(2)	0.8571(3)	0.34025(10)	0.0363(6)
H21_1	1.260081	0.887332	0.312195	0.044
C22_1	1.3680(3)	0.8513(3)	0.34215(12)	0.0477(8)
H22_1	1.417438	0.878279	0.315499	0.057
C23_1	1.3897(3)	0.8065(3)	0.38273(13)	0.0473(7)

H23_1	1.452938	0.801354	0.383537	0.057
C24_1	1.3192(3)	0.7695(3)	0.42185(13)	0.0435(7)
H24_1	1.334177	0.739439	0.449802	0.052
C25_1	1.2258(3)	0.7762(3)	0.42046(11)	0.0365(6)
H25_1	1.178108	0.751596	0.447777	0.044
C10_1	0.5635(2)	0.5824(3)	0.38474(11)	0.0398(7)
H10A_1	0.526706	0.574910	0.352906	0.048
H10B_1	0.561870	0.640397	0.403643	0.048
C9_1	0.5004(3)	0.4732(3)	0.41460(13)	0.0501(9)
H9A_1	0.457782	0.481710	0.441030	0.060
H9B_1	0.450085	0.415768	0.392159	0.060
C3_1	0.5757(3)	0.4410(3)	0.43708(13)	0.0500(8)
C8_1	0.6410(3)	0.4968(3)	0.47793(12)	0.0490(8)
H8_1	0.617215	0.530682	0.500649	0.059
C7_1	0.7386(3)	0.5027(3)	0.48533(14)	0.0538(9)
H7_1	0.781614	0.541868	0.512683	0.065
C6_1	0.7750(4)	0.4525(3)	0.45352(17)	0.0606(11)
C5_1	0.7013(4)	0.3788(3)	0.42050(18)	0.0670(12)
H5_1	0.718221	0.331677	0.403266	0.080
C4_1	0.6020(4)	0.3727(3)	0.41216(17)	0.0653(12)
H4_1	0.552634	0.321816	0.389398	0.078
C16_1	0.9437(3)	0.5698(3)	0.40195(11)	0.0409(7)
H16A_1	1.015101	0.630935	0.410606	0.049
H16B_1	0.954085	0.528210	0.375623	0.049
C17_1	0.8944(4)	0.4959(4)	0.44874(18)	0.0663(11)
H17A_1	0.908155	0.435153	0.446600	0.080
H17B_1	0.930793	0.537711	0.478680	0.080
C1A_1	1.1637(6)	0.7587(6)	0.6128(3)	0.051(3)
C3A_1	1.0222(5)	0.7320(5)	0.5558(3)	0.035(2)
C1B_1	0.9994(8)	0.7699(10)	0.5764(4)	0.057(5)
C2BB_1	1.0277(10)	0.7429(12)	0.6214(5)	0.090(7)
C3B_1	1.1369(10)	0.7949(12)	0.6355(5)	0.079(6)
Cl2_2	0.04454(12)	0.43376(11)	0.54429(4)	0.0769(3)
C37_2	0.1532(4)	0.5239(4)	0.5069(2)	0.0827(15)
C2_3	0.1370(4)	0.6316(3)	0.53160(16)	0.0586(10)

Ueq is defined as 1/3 of the trace of the orthogonalized Uij tensor.

Table 3. Anisotropic displacement parameters [\AA^2] for V-464.

The anisotropic displacement factor exponent takes the form:

$$-2\pi^2 [h2(a^*)^2 U_{11} + k2(b^*)^2 U_{22} + \dots + 2hka^*b^* U_{12}]$$

Atom	U11	U22	U33	U23	U13	U12
C2BA	0.054(4)	0.052(4)	0.059(4)	0.025(3)	-0.002(3)	0.028(3)
C11	0.115(3)	0.0615(16)	0.0546(12)	-0.0107(11)	0.0286(17)	0.0110(16)
C12	0.071(2)	0.066(2)	0.069(2)	0.0131(17)	0.0152(16)	0.0290(16)
Zn1_1	0.01876(16)	0.01876(16)	0.0232(2)	-0.00052(8)	0.00052(8)	0.00708(17)
O1_1	0.0276(9)	0.0295(9)	0.0355(9)	-0.0102(7)	-0.0099(7)	0.0142(7)
N1_1	0.0203(9)	0.0219(9)	0.0186(8)	-0.0014(7)	-0.0023(7)	0.0093(8)
N2_1	0.0262(10)	0.0266(10)	0.0179(9)	-0.0021(8)	0.0016(8)	0.0144(9)
C27_1	0.0417(15)	0.0255(12)	0.0251(12)	0.0024(10)	0.0150(11)	0.0128(12)
C32_1	0.0500(19)	0.0310(15)	0.0525(19)	-0.0028(14)	0.0264(16)	0.0034(14)
C31_1	0.082(3)	0.0244(16)	0.093(3)	0.0048(18)	0.057(3)	0.0097(18)
C30_1	0.127(5)	0.050(2)	0.068(3)	0.032(2)	0.063(3)	0.058(3)
C29_1	0.105(3)	0.059(2)	0.0337(16)	0.0207(15)	0.0325(19)	0.061(2)
C28_1	0.063(2)	0.0403(15)	0.0232(12)	0.0098(11)	0.0144(13)	0.0350(15)
C26_1	0.0229(11)	0.0281(12)	0.0207(10)	-0.0018(9)	0.0020(9)	0.0111(10)
C33_1	0.0186(10)	0.0229(10)	0.0196(10)	-0.0006(8)	0.0002(8)	0.0090(9)
C18_1	0.0262(11)	0.0205(10)	0.0187(10)	0.0017(8)	0.0003(9)	0.0142(9)
C34_1	0.0302(13)	0.0341(13)	0.0282(12)	0.0045(10)	-0.0056(10)	0.0141(11)
C35_1	0.0310(14)	0.0428(16)	0.0326(13)	-0.0025(12)	-0.0088(11)	0.0196(12)
C36_1	0.0434(19)	0.061(2)	0.054(2)	0.0038(17)	-0.0209(16)	0.0257(17)
C15_1	0.0299(13)	0.0187(10)	0.0220(10)	-0.0001(8)	-0.0040(9)	0.0075(9)
C11_1	0.0341(14)	0.0238(12)	0.0228(11)	0.0014(9)	-0.0068(10)	0.0030(10)
C12_1	0.0440(15)	0.0268(13)	0.0221(11)	-0.0041(10)	-0.0047(11)	0.0024(11)
C2_1	0.0540(18)	0.0267(13)	0.0240(12)	-0.0073(10)	0.0013(12)	0.0132(13)
C13_1	0.0432(15)	0.0227(11)	0.0229(11)	-0.0010(9)	0.0037(10)	0.0139(11)
C14_1	0.0304(12)	0.0188(10)	0.0193(10)	-0.0004(8)	-0.0008(9)	0.0100(9)
C19_1	0.0332(13)	0.0328(13)	0.0183(10)	0.0015(9)	0.0050(9)	0.0205(11)
C20_1	0.0327(13)	0.0291(13)	0.0250(11)	-0.0017(10)	0.0046(10)	0.0190(11)
C21_1	0.0378(14)	0.0458(16)	0.0245(12)	0.0012(11)	0.0084(11)	0.0204(13)
C22_1	0.0381(16)	0.066(2)	0.0388(15)	-0.0028(15)	0.0118(13)	0.0254(16)
C23_1	0.0374(16)	0.063(2)	0.0516(17)	-0.0063(17)	0.0028(15)	0.0324(15)
C24_1	0.0411(16)	0.0526(19)	0.0458(17)	0.0060(14)	0.0001(13)	0.0302(15)
C25_1	0.0381(15)	0.0451(16)	0.0339(14)	0.0078(12)	0.0059(12)	0.0266(13)
C10_1	0.0316(14)	0.0359(15)	0.0341(14)	-0.0042(11)	-0.0112(11)	0.0036(12)
C9_1	0.0385(16)	0.0387(17)	0.0431(17)	-0.0021(14)	0.0000(13)	-0.0032(14)
C3_1	0.0520(19)	0.0274(14)	0.0478(18)	0.0098(13)	0.0097(15)	0.0027(13)
C8_1	0.0531(19)	0.0414(16)	0.0398(15)	0.0157(13)	0.0065(14)	0.0142(15)
C7_1	0.063(2)	0.0428(18)	0.0457(17)	0.0238(15)	0.0057(16)	0.0192(17)
C6_1	0.073(3)	0.0383(18)	0.070(2)	0.0297(18)	0.008(2)	0.0275(19)
C5_1	0.088(3)	0.0324(17)	0.079(3)	0.0144(18)	0.015(2)	0.029(2)
C4_1	0.078(3)	0.0209(14)	0.072(3)	0.0083(15)	0.009(2)	0.0062(16)
C16_1	0.061(2)	0.0335(14)	0.0372(14)	-0.0073(12)	0.0018(14)	0.0307(15)
C17_1	0.082(3)	0.063(2)	0.071(3)	0.019(2)	0.003(2)	0.050(2)
C1A_1	0.052(4)	0.061(4)	0.048(4)	0.017(3)	-0.005(3)	0.035(3)
C3A_1	0.039(3)	0.032(3)	0.033(3)	0.006(2)	-0.002(2)	0.016(2)
C1B_1	0.053(5)	0.061(7)	0.039(5)	0.023(5)	-0.008(4)	0.015(4)

C2BB_1	0.070(8)	0.101(10)	0.068(8)	0.046(7)	-0.023(6)	0.019(7)
C3B_1	0.069(6)	0.107(10)	0.063(8)	0.026(7)	-0.017(5)	0.046(6)
Cl2_2	0.1163(10)	0.0916(8)	0.0493(5)	-0.0053(5)	-0.0107(5)	0.0719(8)
C37_2	0.070(3)	0.052(2)	0.113(4)	-0.024(3)	-0.027(3)	0.021(2)
C2_3	0.080(3)	0.0419(19)	0.057(2)	-0.0033(16)	-0.017(2)	0.033(2)

Table 4. Bond lengths and angles for V-464

Atom–Atom	Length [Å]	Atom–Atom	Length [Å]
C2BA–C1A_1	1.404(10)	C36_1–C3B_1	1.487(13)
C2BA–C3A_1	1.402(7)	C15_1–C11_1	1.433(3)
Cl1–C37_2	1.833(7)	C15_1–C14_1	1.431(4)
Cl2–C37_2	1.474(8)	C11_1–C12_1	1.375(4)
Zn1_1–O1_1	1.9223(18)	C11_1–C10_1	1.517(4)
Zn1_1–O1_1#1	1.9224(18)	C12_1–H12_1	0.9500
Zn1_1–N1_1	1.985(2)	C12_1–C2_1	1.393(5)
Zn1_1–N1_1#1	1.985(2)	C2_1–H2_1	0.9500
O1_1–C15_1	1.306(3)	C2_1–C13_1	1.388(4)
N1_1–C33_1	1.478(3)	C13_1–C14_1	1.427(3)
N1_1–C18_1	1.319(3)	C13_1–C16_1	1.511(4)
N2_1–C26_1	1.471(3)	C19_1–H19A_1	0.9900
N2_1–C18_1	1.367(3)	C19_1–H19B_1	0.9900
N2_1–C19_1	1.460(3)	C19_1–C20_1	1.519(4)
C27_1–C32_1	1.387(5)	C20_1–C21_1	1.394(4)
C27_1–C28_1	1.389(5)	C20_1–C25_1	1.397(4)
C27_1–C26_1	1.518(4)	C21_1–H21_1	0.9500
C32_1–H32_1	0.9500	C21_1–C22_1	1.390(4)
C32_1–C31_1	1.417(6)	C22_1–H22_1	0.9500
C31_1–H31_1	0.9500	C22_1–C23_1	1.388(5)
C31_1–C30_1	1.362(8)	C23_1–H23_1	0.9500
C30_1–H30_1	0.9500	C23_1–C24_1	1.378(5)
C30_1–C29_1	1.361(8)	C24_1–H24_1	0.9500
C29_1–H29_1	0.9500	C24_1–C25_1	1.394(4)
C29_1–C28_1	1.389(4)	C25_1–H25_1	0.9500
C28_1–H28_1	0.9500	C10_1–H10A_1	0.9900
C26_1–H26_1	1.0000	C10_1–H10B_1	0.9900
C26_1–C33_1	1.542(3)	C10_1–C9_1	1.588(4)
C33_1–H33_1	1.0000	C9_1–H9A_1	0.9900
C33_1–C34_1	1.517(3)	C9_1–H9B_1	0.9900
C18_1–C14_1	1.472(3)	C9_1–C3_1	1.504(6)
C34_1–C35_1	1.384(4)	C3_1–C8_1	1.414(5)
C34_1–C3A_1	1.408(6)	C3_1–C4_1	1.392(6)
C34_1–C1B_1	1.449(9)	C8_1–H8_1	0.9500
C35_1–H35_1	0.9500	C8_1–C7_1	1.379(6)
C35_1–C36_1	1.372(4)	C7_1–H7_1	0.9500
C36_1–H36	0.99(5)	C7_1–C6_1	1.385(6)
C36_1–C1A_1	1.388(8)	C6_1–C5_1	1.388(7)
		C6_1–C17_1	1.512(7)

C5_1-H5_1	0.9500
C5_1-C4_1	1.406(8)
C4_1-H4_1	0.9500
C16_1-H16A_1	0.9900
C16_1-H16B_1	0.9900
C16_1-C17_1	1.578(5)
C17_1-H17A_1	0.9900
C17_1-H17B_1	0.9900
C1B_1-C2BB_1	1.400(11)
C2BB_1-C3B_1	1.414(15)
Cl2_2-C37_2	1.769(7)
C37_2-C2_3	1.808(7)
Atom-Atom-Atom	Angle [°]
C3A_1-C2BA-C1A_1	119.8(5)
O1_1-Zn1_1-O1_1	125.85(13)
O1_1-Zn1_1-N1_1	114.40(8)
O1_1-Zn1_1-N1_1	93.79(8)
O1_1-Zn1_1-N1_1	93.79(8)
O1_1-Zn1_1-N1_1	114.40(8)
N1_1-Zn1_1-N1_1	116.48(12)
C15_1-O1_1-Zn1_1	124.52(16)
C33_1-N1_1-Zn1_1	125.36(15)
C18_1-N1_1-Zn1_1	121.72(16)
C18_1-N1_1-C33_1	108.20(19)
C18_1-N2_1-C26_1	108.30(18)
C18_1-N2_1-C19_1	128.7(2)
C19_1-N2_1-C26_1	117.7(2)
C32_1-C27_1-C28_1	118.9(3)
C32_1-C27_1-C26_1	119.2(3)
C28_1-C27_1-C26_1	121.7(3)
C27_1-C32_1-	120.4

H32_1	
C27_1-C32_1-C31_1	119.1(5)
C31_1-C32_1-H32_1	120.4
C32_1-C31_1-H31_1	119.7
C30_1-C31_1-C32_1	120.6(4)
C30_1-C31_1-H31_1	119.7
C31_1-C30_1-H30_1	119.8
C29_1-C30_1-C31_1	120.3(4)
C29_1-C30_1-H30_1	119.8
C30_1-C29_1-H29_1	119.9
C30_1-C29_1-C28_1	120.2(4)
C28_1-C29_1-H29_1	119.9
C27_1-C28_1-C29_1	120.8(4)
C27_1-C28_1-H28_1	119.6
C29_1-C28_1-H28_1	119.6
N2_1-C26_1-C27_1	112.9(2)
N2_1-C26_1-H26_1	110.4
N2_1-C26_1-C33_1	100.34(19)
C27_1-C26_1-H26_1	110.4
C27_1-C26_1-C33_1	112.1(2)
C33_1-C26_1-H26_1	110.4
N1_1-C33_1-C26_1	103.17(18)
N1_1-C33_1-H33_1	109.0
N1_1-C33_1-C34_1	112.4(2)
C26_1-C33_1-H33_1	109.0

C34_1-C33_1-	114.1(2)
C26_1	
C34_1-C33_1-	109.0
H33_1	
N1_1-C18_1-	112.7(2)
N2_1	
N1_1-C18_1-	123.9(2)
C14_1	
N2_1-C18_1-	123.4(2)
C14_1	
C35_1-C34_1-	120.1(2)
C33_1	
C35_1-C34_1-	116.4(3)
C3A_1	
C35_1-C34_1-	117.0(4)
C1B_1	
C3A_1-C34_1-	122.1(3)
C33_1	
C1B_1-C34_1-	116.0(4)
C33_1	
C34_1-C35_1-	118.7
H35_1	
C36_1-C35_1-	122.7(3)
C34_1	
C36_1-C35_1-	118.7
H35_1	
C35_1-C36_1-	115(2)
H36	
C35_1-C36_1-	118.2(4)
C1A_1	
C35_1-C36_1-	116.5(5)
C3B_1	
C1A_1-C36_1-	124(2)
H36	
C3B_1-C36_1-	121(2)
H36	
O1_1-C15_1-	117.3(2)
C11_1	
O1_1-C15_1-	124.3(2)
C14_1	
C14_1-C15_1-	118.3(2)
C11_1	
C15_1-C11_1-	118.3(2)
C10_1	
C12_1-C11_1-	118.9(3)
C15_1	
C12_1-C11_1-	121.7(2)
C10_1	
C11_1-C12_1-	119.2

H12_1	
C11_1-C12_1-	121.6(3)
C2_1	
C2_1-C12_1-	119.2
H12_1	
C12_1-C2_1-	119.8
H2_1	
C13_1-C2_1-	120.4(3)
C12_1	
C13_1-C2_1-	119.8
H2_1	
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H16A_1-C16_1-H16B_1	107.8
C17_1-C16_1-H16A_1	109.0
C17_1-C16_1-H16B_1	109.0
C6_1-C17_1-C16_1	112.5(3)
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H17A_1-C17_1-H17B_1	107.8
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C2_3-C37_2-Cl1	152.6(4)

Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:
#1: +Y, +X, 1-Z;

Table 5. Torsion angles for V-464

Atom–Atom–Atom–Atom	Torsion Angle [°]
Zn1_1-O1_1-C15_1-C11_1	153.04(18)
Zn1_1-O1_1-C15_1-C14_1	-23.4(3)
Zn1_1-N1_1-C33_1-C26_1	-136.66(17)
Zn1_1-N1_1-C33_1-C34_1	100.0(2)
Zn1_1-N1_1-C18_1-N2_1	153.04(16)
Zn1_1-N1_1-C18_1-C14_1	-24.6(3)
O1_1-C15_1-C11_1-C12_1	175.8(2)
O1_1-C15_1-C11_1-C10_1	-16.0(4)
O1_1-C15_1-C14_1-C18_1	-9.0(4)
O1_1-C15_1-C14_1-C13_1	167.6(2)
N1_1-C33_1-C34_1-C35_1	171.0(3)
N1_1-C33_1-C34_1-C3A_1	5.1(5)
N1_1-C33_1-C34_1-C1B_1	-38.9(8)
N1_1-C18_1-C14_1-C15_1	35.4(3)
N1_1-C18_1-C14_1-C13_1	-141.1(2)
N2_1-C26_1-C33_1-N1_1	-25.5(2)
N2_1-C26_1-C33_1-C34_1	96.7(2)
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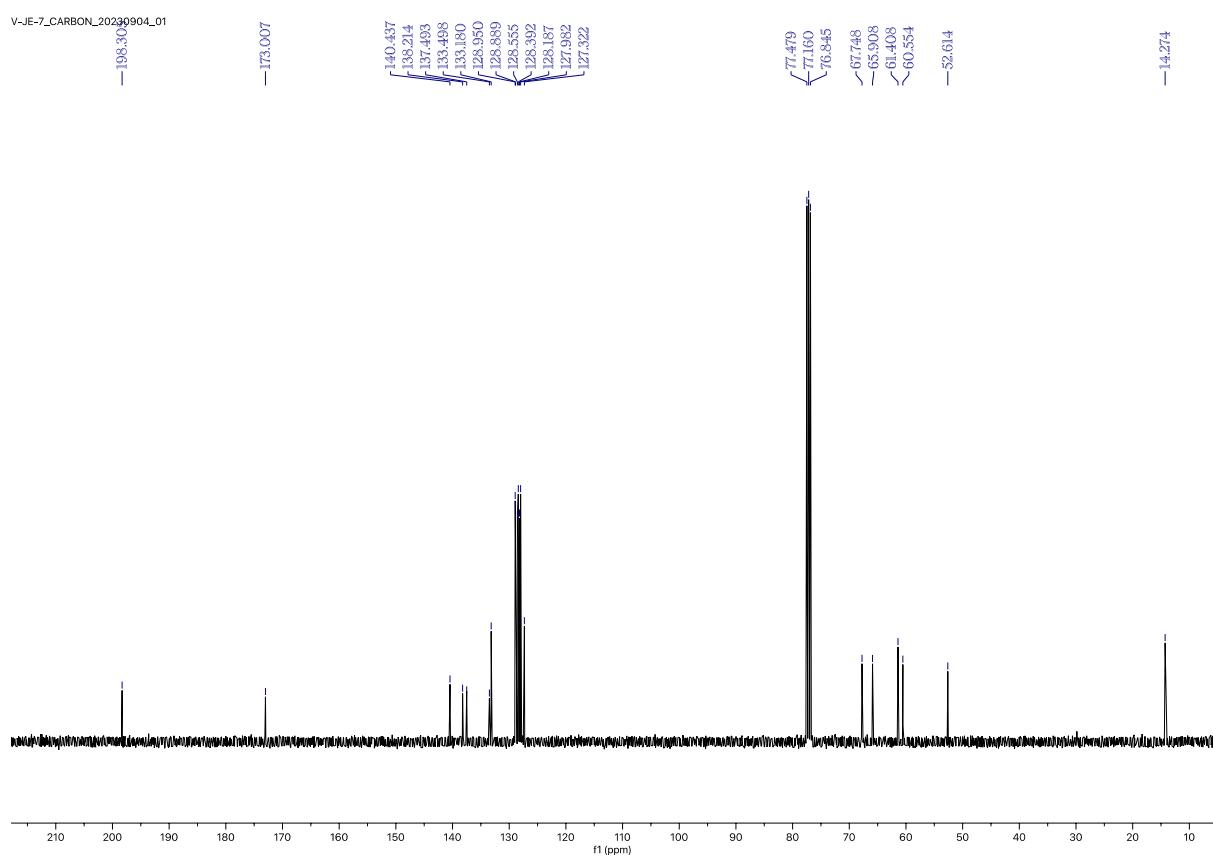
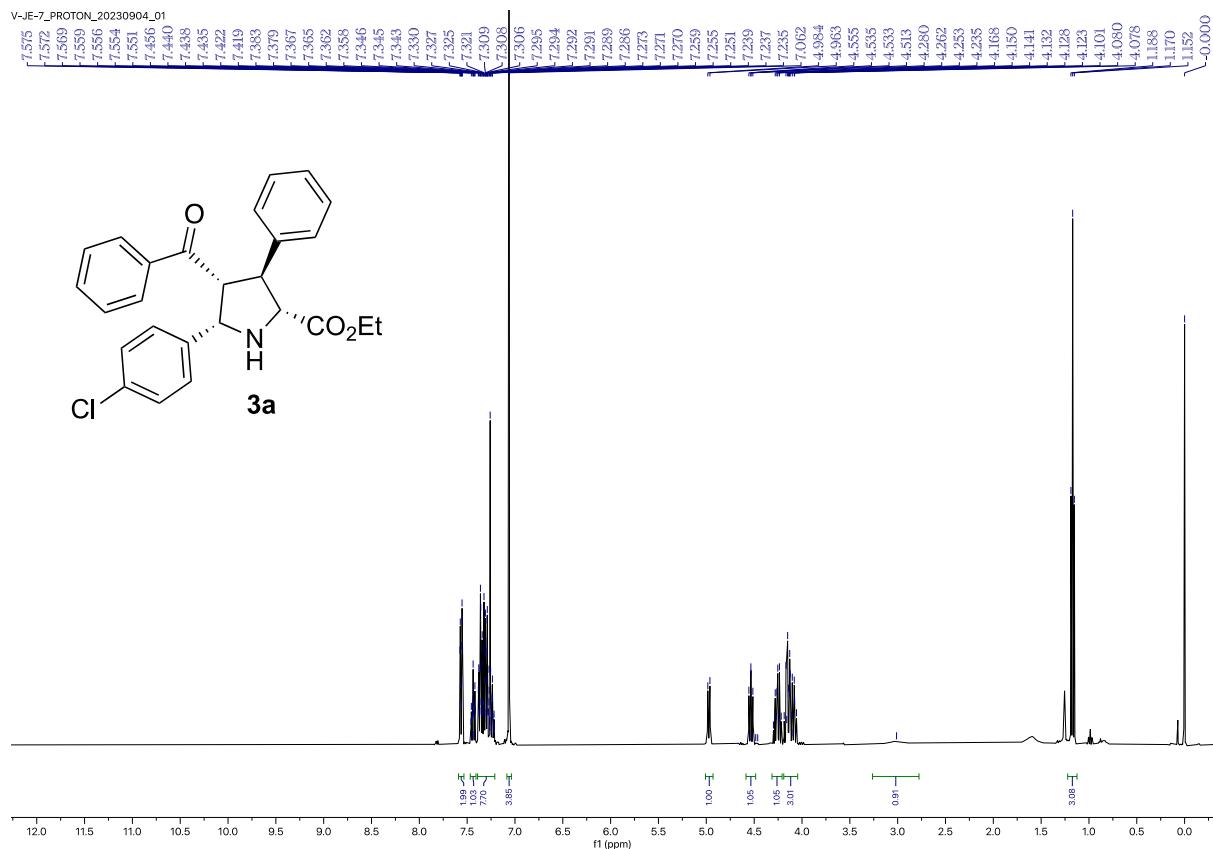
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C32_1-C27_1-C26_1-C33_1	94.3(3)
C32_1-C31_1-C30_1-C29_1	-0.2(6)
C31_1-C30_1-C29_1-C28_1	0.5(5)
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C28_1-C27_1-C32_1-C31_1	0.9(4)
C28_1-C27_1-C26_1-N2_1	31.4(3)
C28_1-C27_1-C26_1-C33_1	-81.0(3)
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C26_1-C27_1-C32_1-C31_1	68.4(3)
C26_1-C27_1-C28_1-C29_1	-174.6(3)
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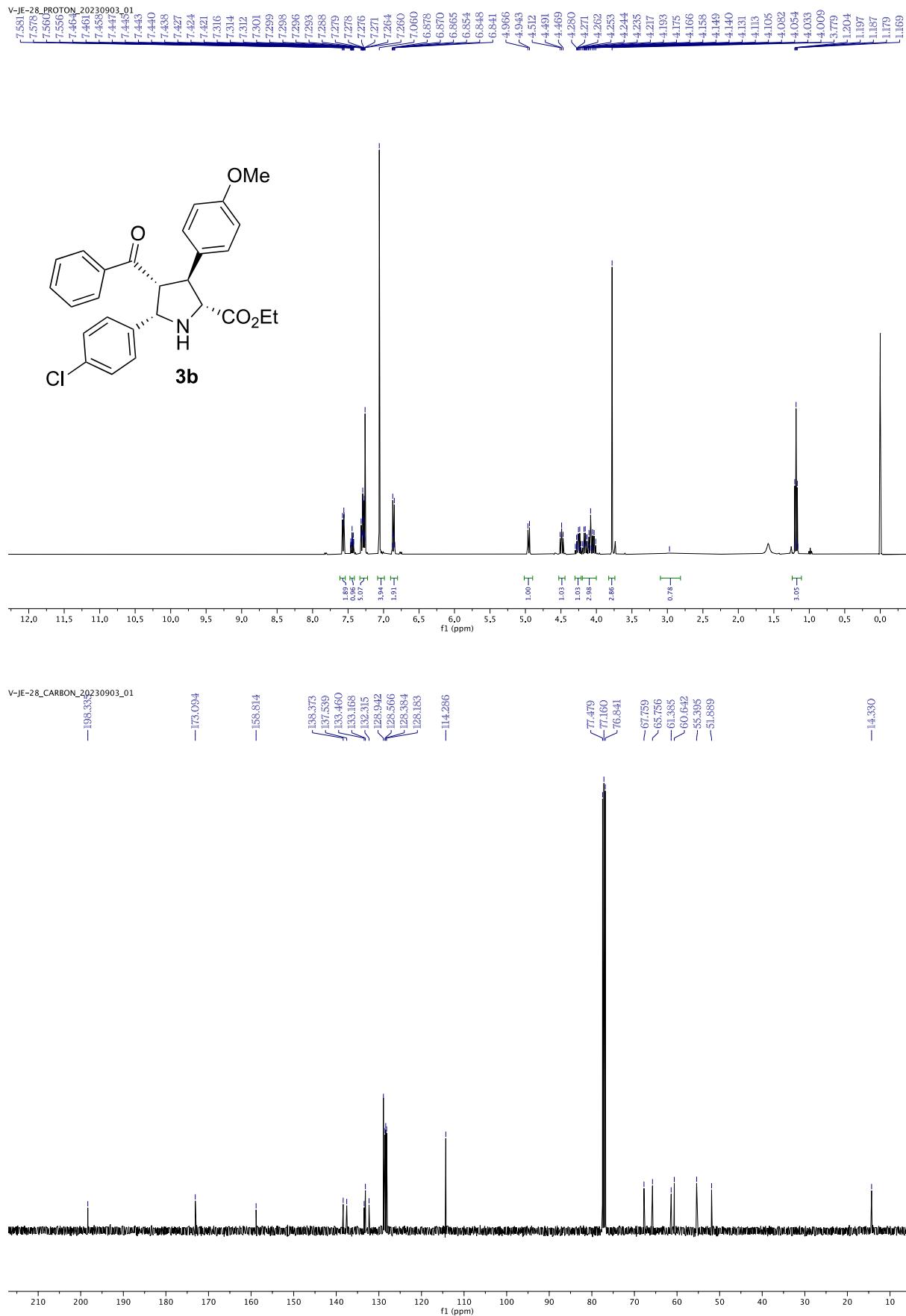
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C27_1	
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C3B_1	
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C3B_1	
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C2BA	
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C2_1	
C15_1-C11_1-C10_1-	-96.1(3)
C9_1	
C11_1-C15_1-C14_1-	174.6(2)
C18_1	
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C13_1	
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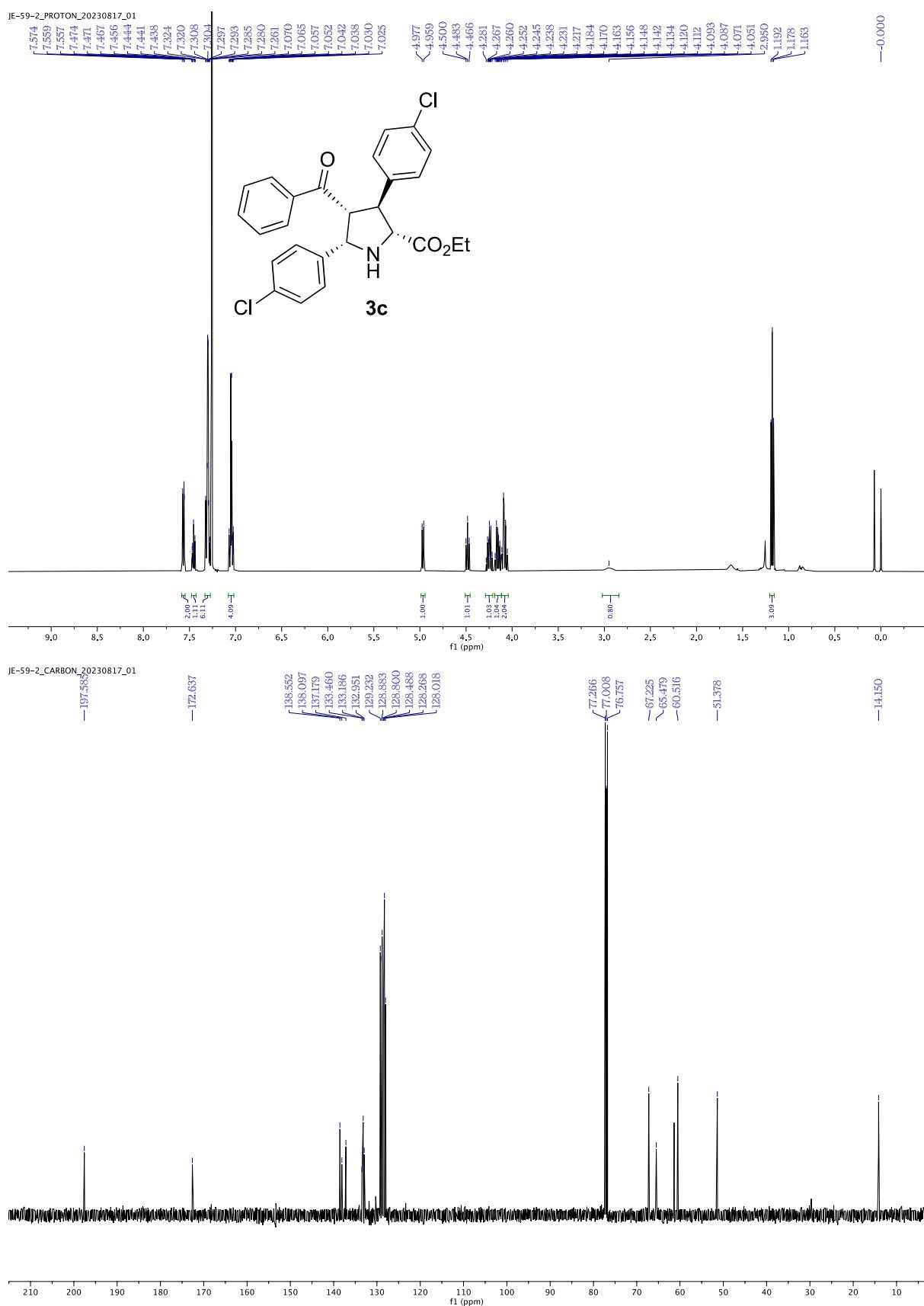
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N1_1	
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C14_1	
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C22_1	
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C24_1	
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C20_1	
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C22_1	
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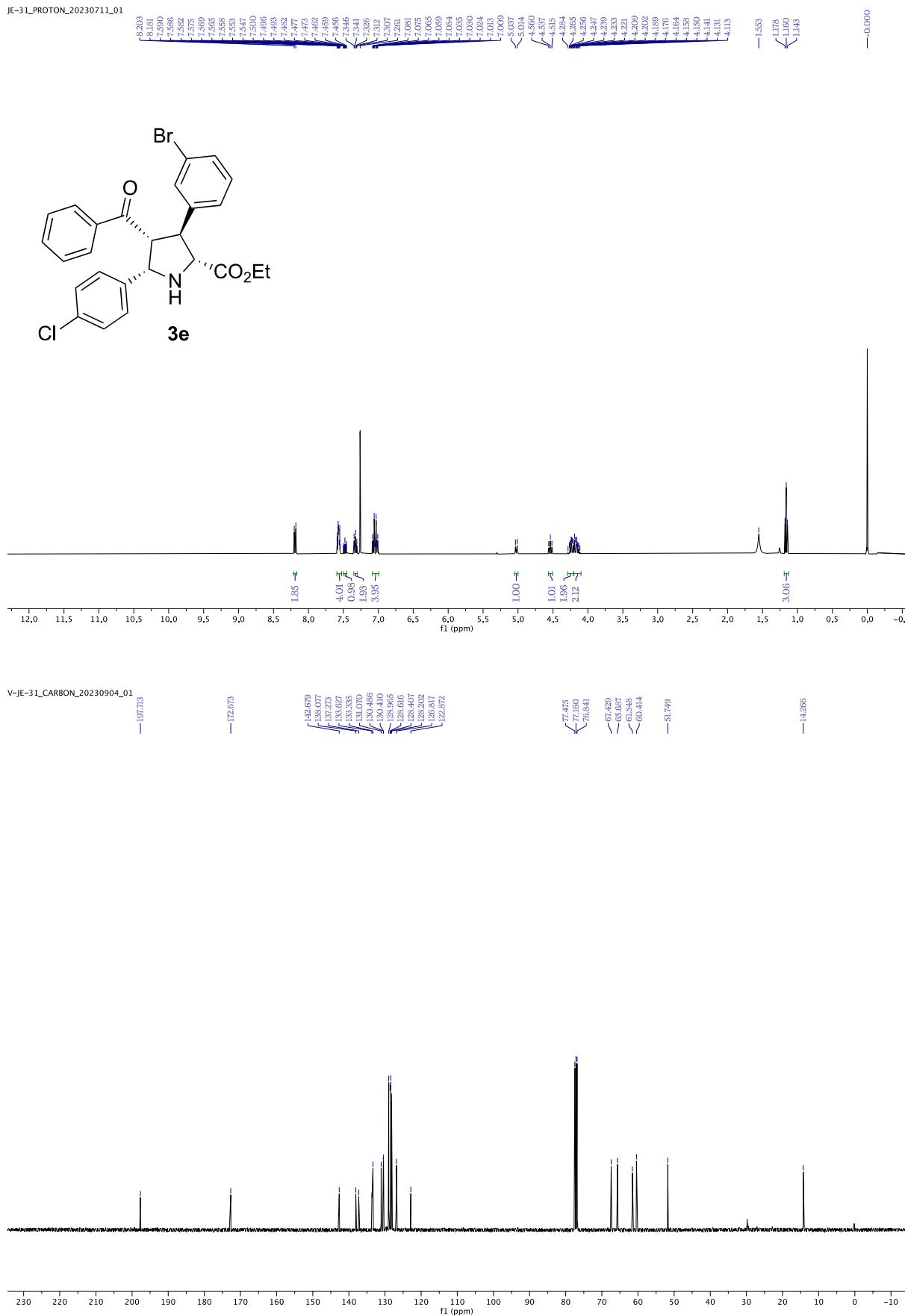
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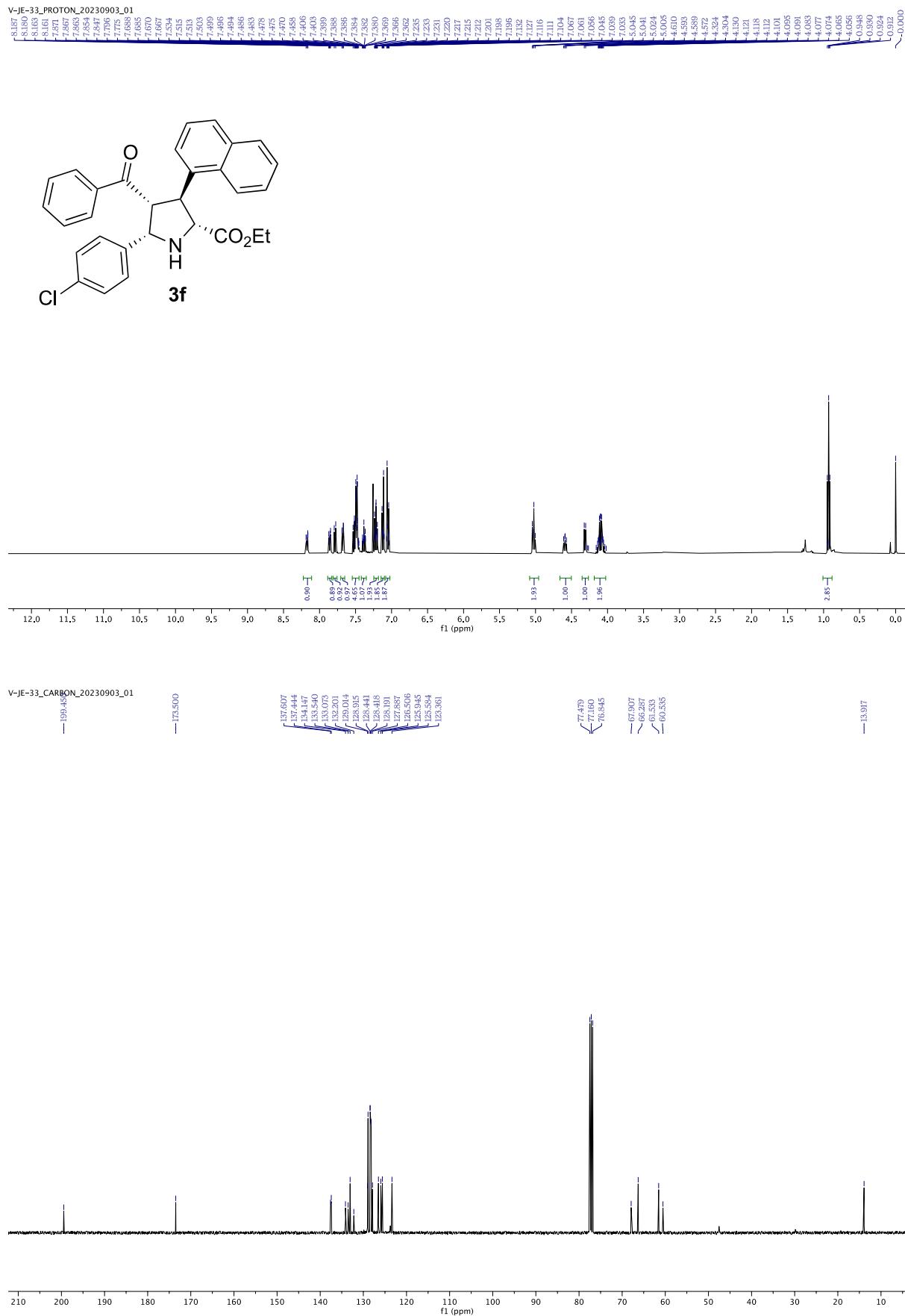
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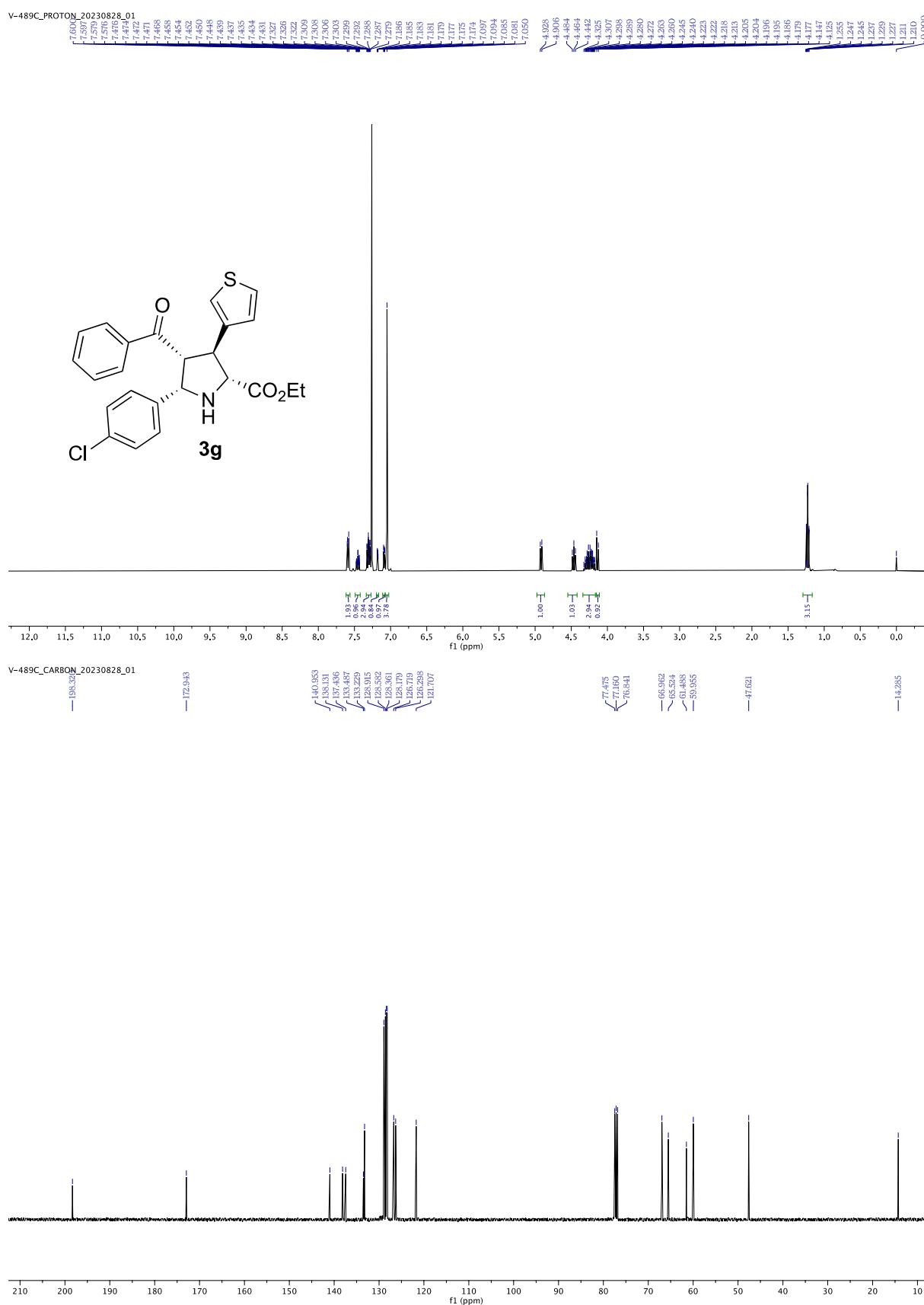


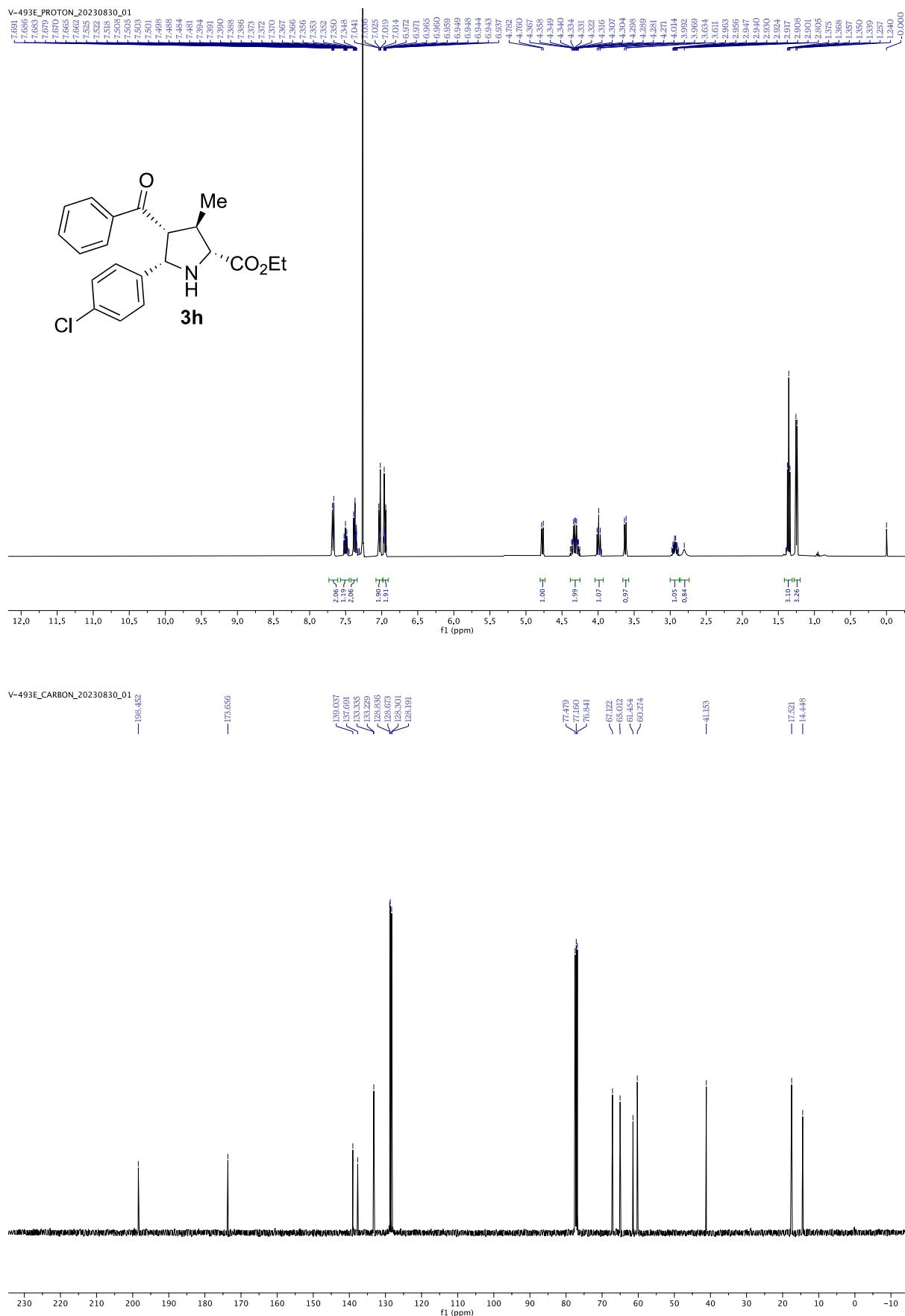


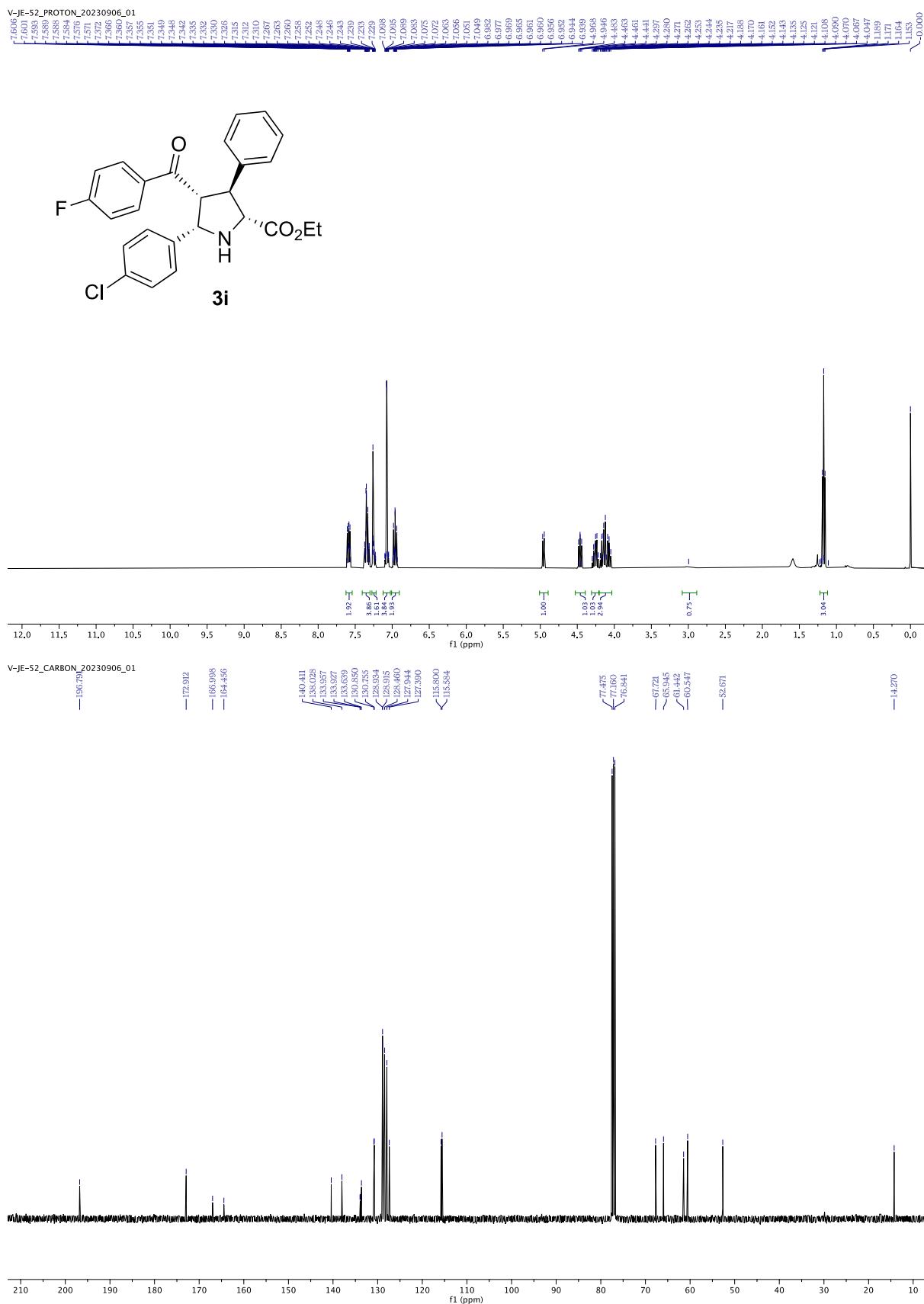












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