# Highly Enantioselective and Recyclable Organocatalytic Michael Addition of Malonates to $\alpha,\beta$ -Unsaturated Aldehydes in Aqueous Media

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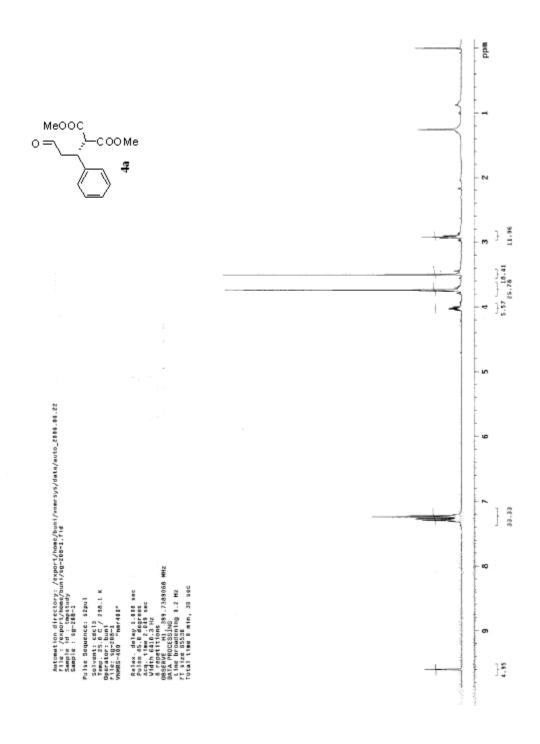
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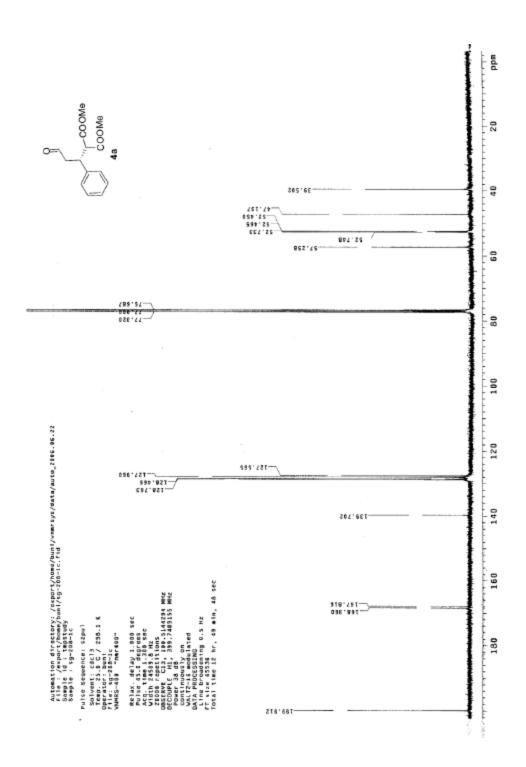
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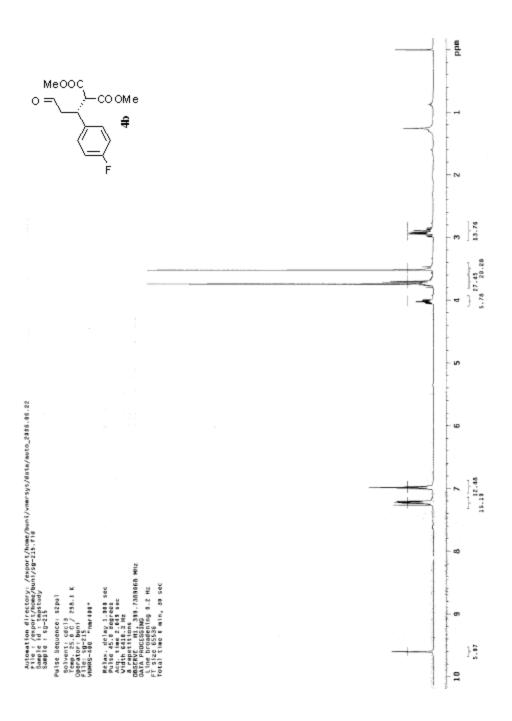
**Supporting Information** 

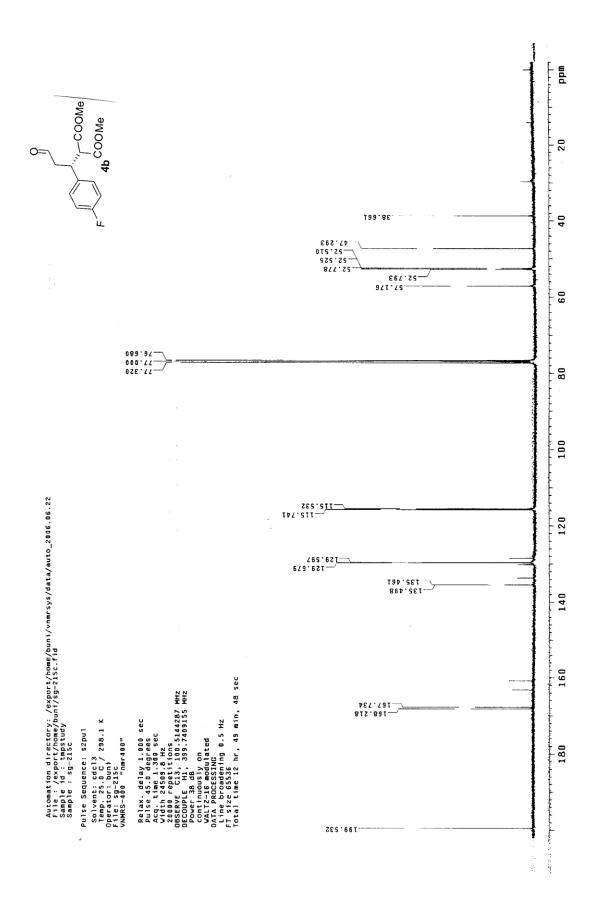
## Oxidation of the aldehydes to the carboxylic esters for HPLC analysis:

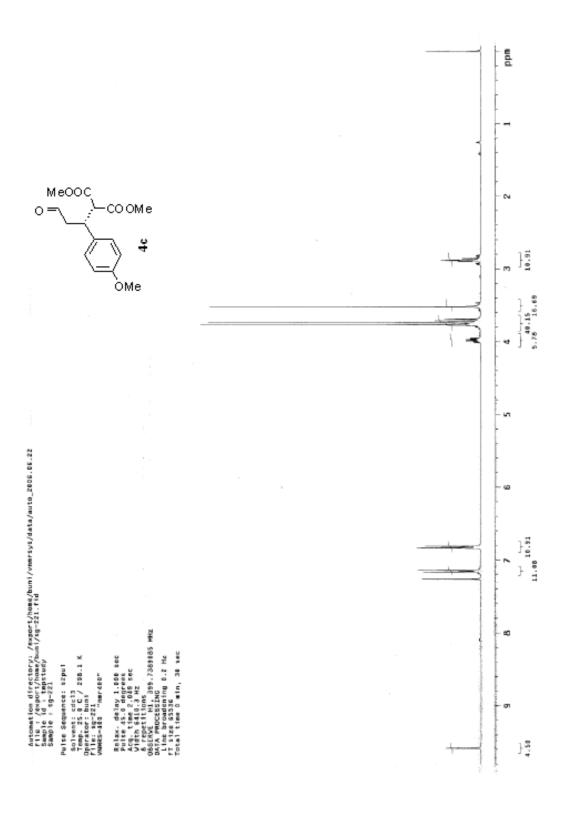
Representative procedure: 0.10 mmol of aldehydes (addition products) were diluted with 3.0 mL *t*-BuOH, and then 3.0 mL of 1 M NaH<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> (aq.) and 3.0 mL of 1 M KMnO<sub>4</sub> were added successively. After 5 min of vigorous stirring 5.0 mL saturated NaHSO<sub>3</sub> was added and the pH was adjusted to approximately 3 with 1 M HCl. The resulting mixture was extracted 3 times with 10 mL EtOAc, the combined organic layers were washed with 10 mL of water and 10 mL brine, and dried over MgSO<sub>4</sub>. The organic layer was concentrated in vacuum and the residual acid was dissolved in 2.0 mL toluene and 5.0 mL MeOH. TMSCHN<sub>2</sub> (2.0 M in *n*-hexane) was added dropwise until the yellow colour persisted. The solution was stirred for an additional 10 min and quenched with a drop of concentrated AcOH. The solvents were evaporated under vacuum. The crude product was was purified by column chromatography on silica gel to yield the corresponding carboxylic ester.

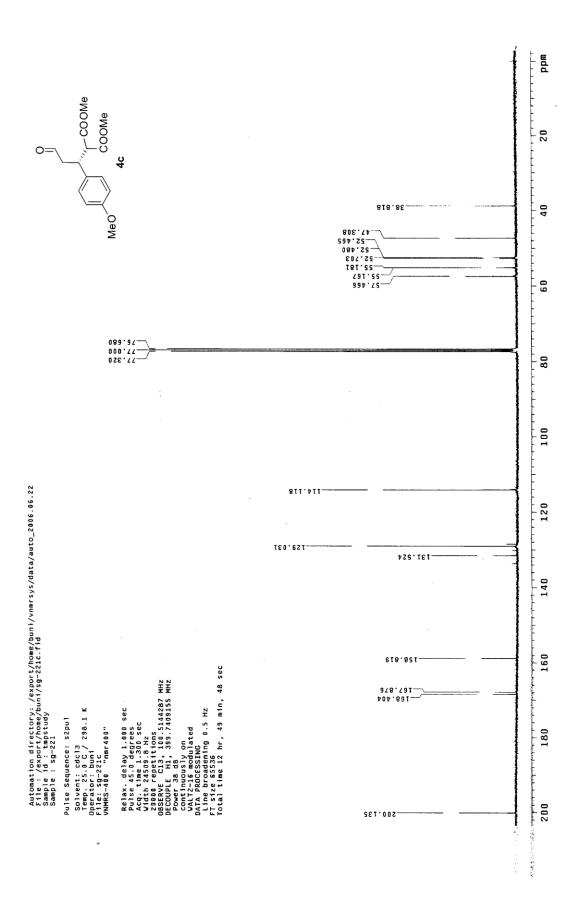


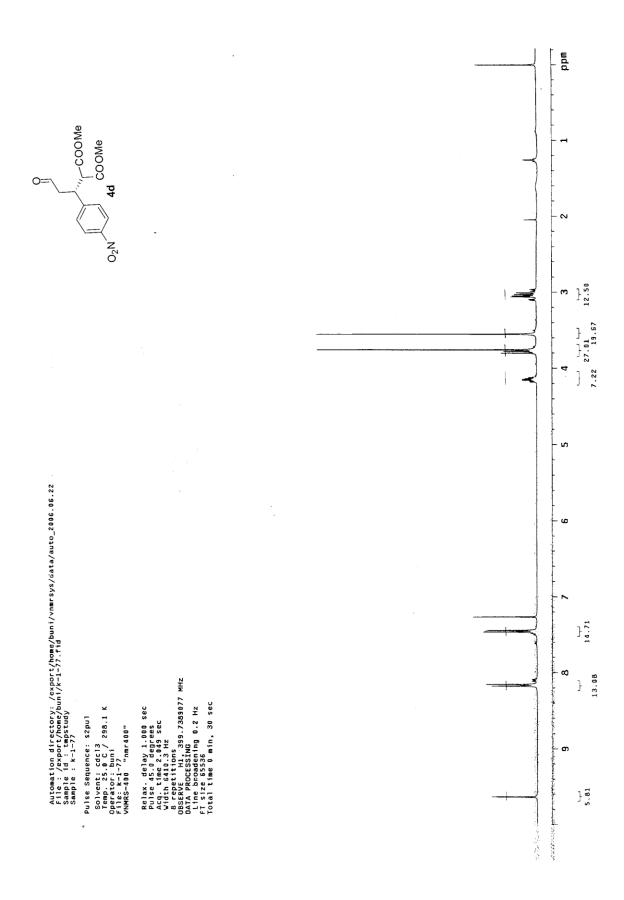


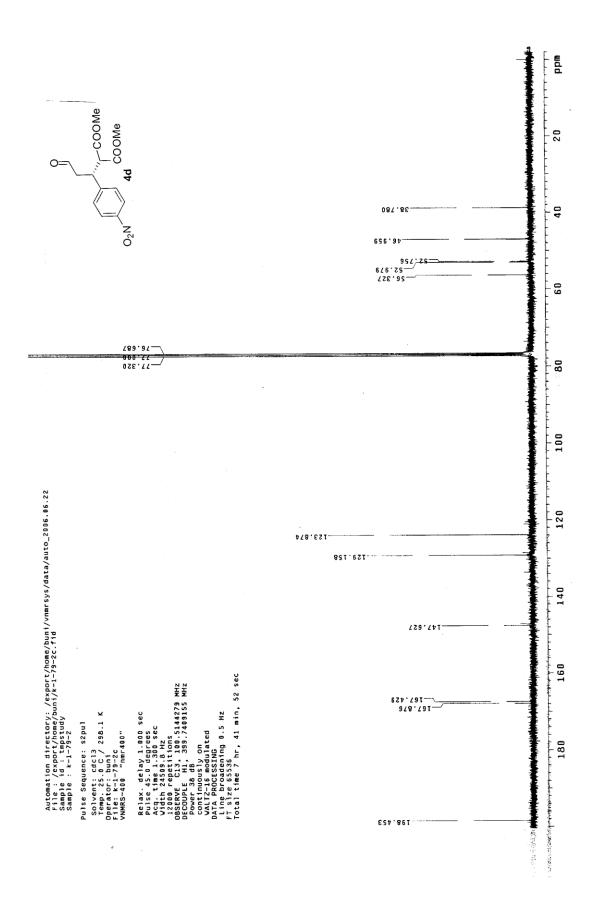


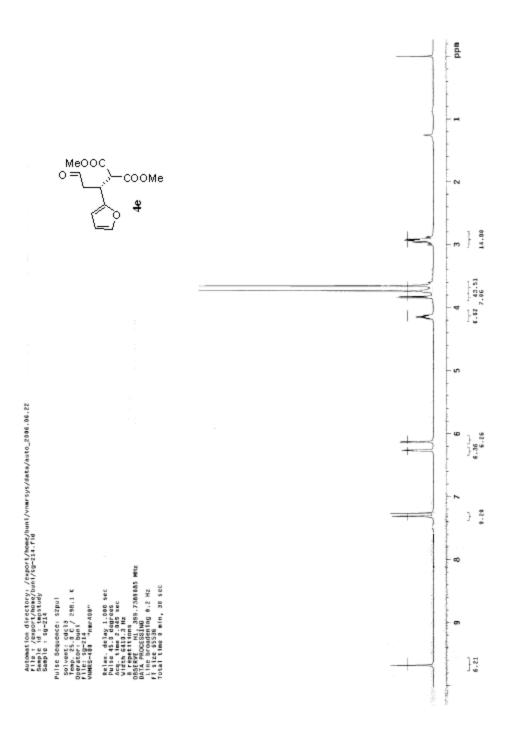


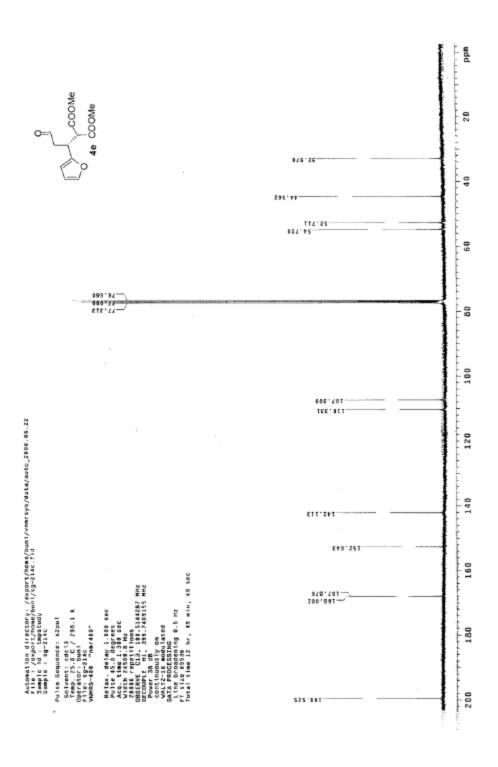


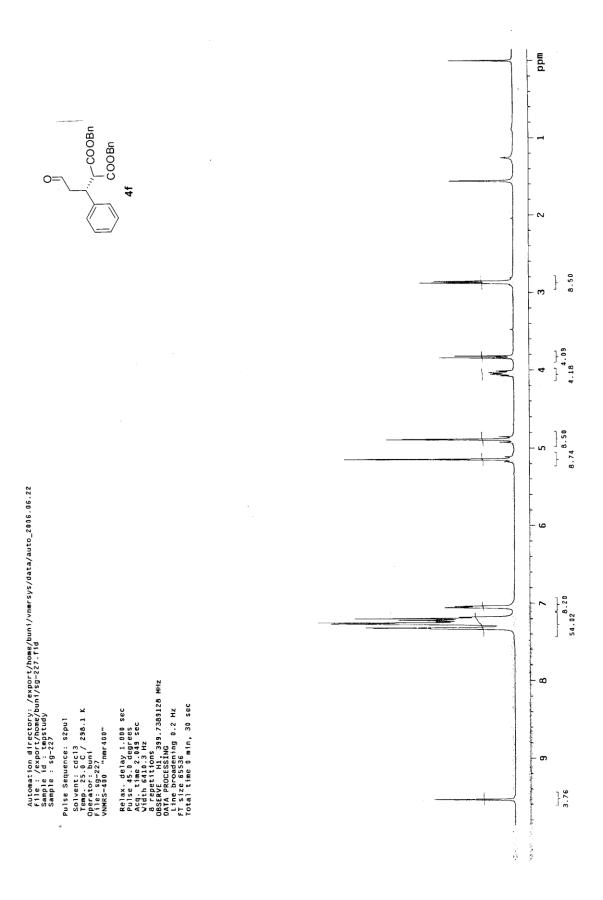


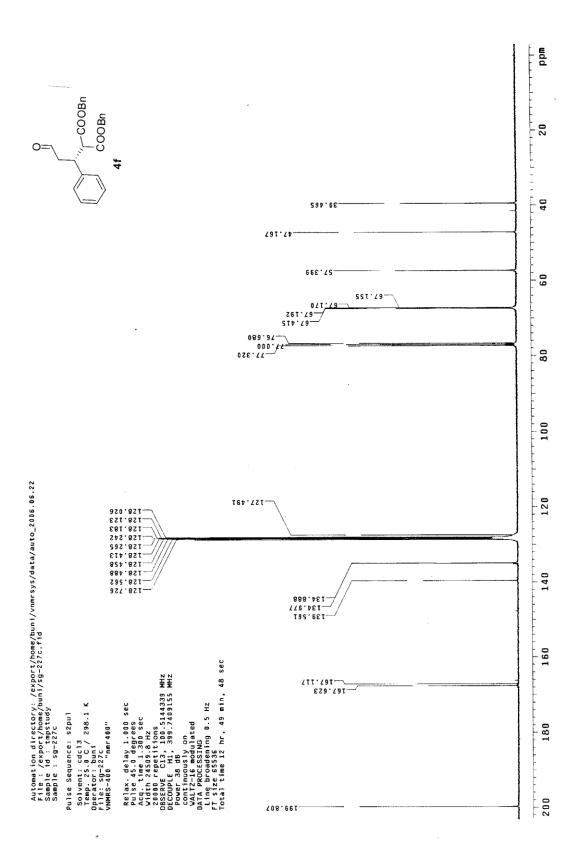


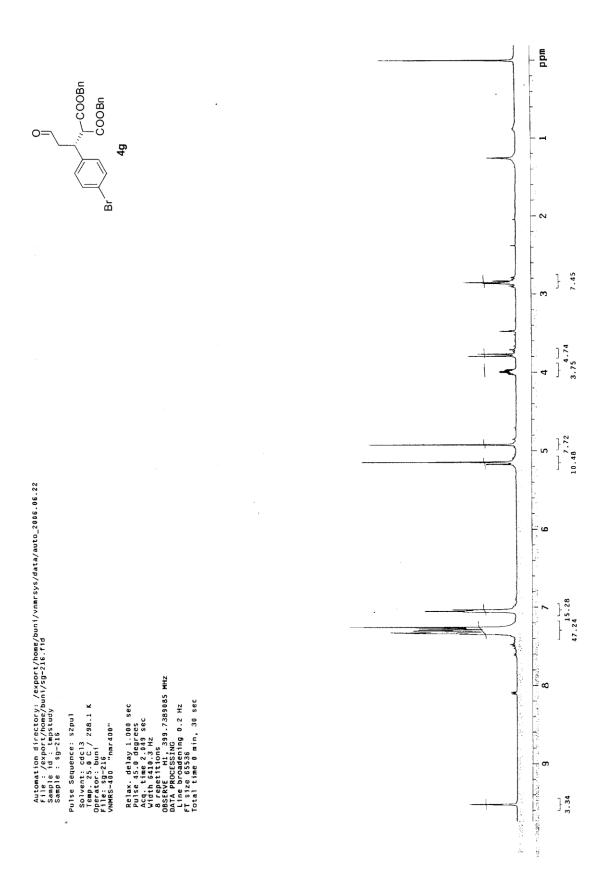


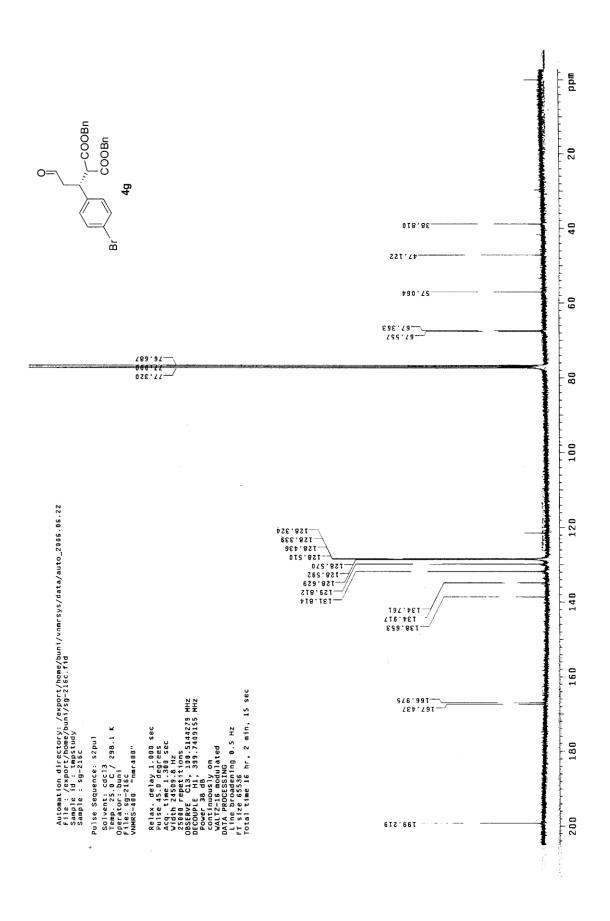


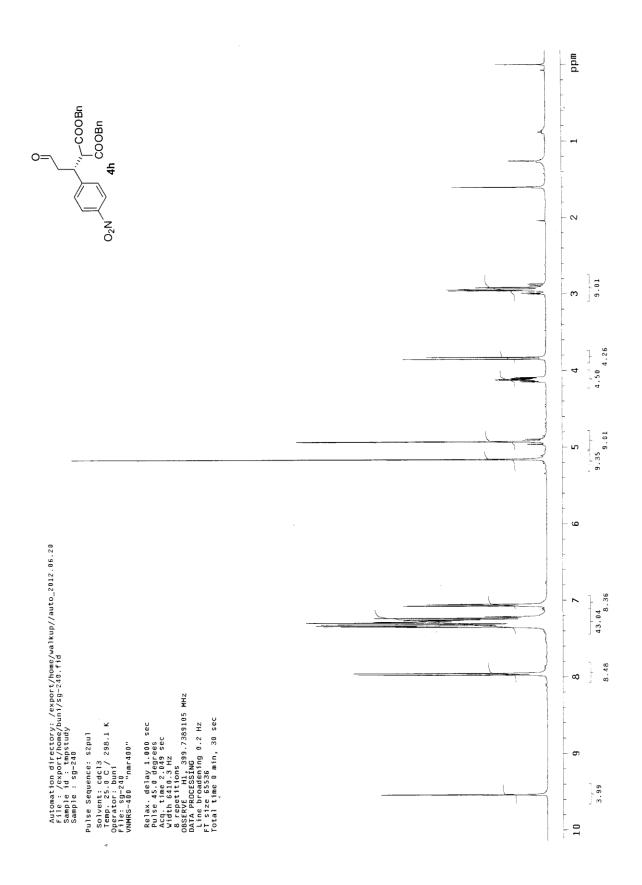


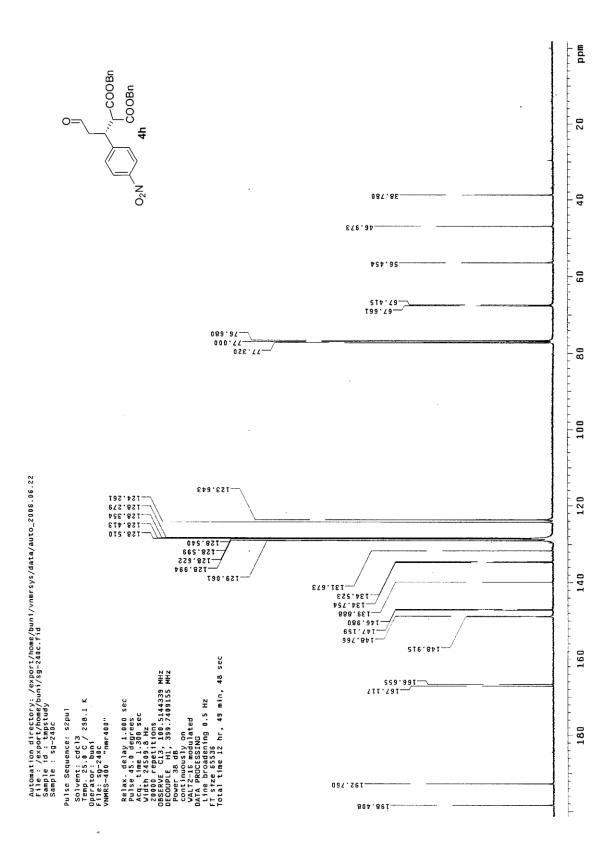


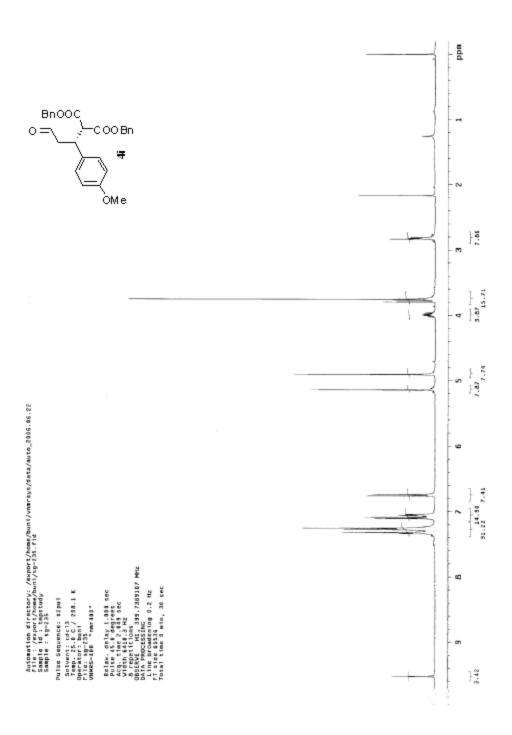


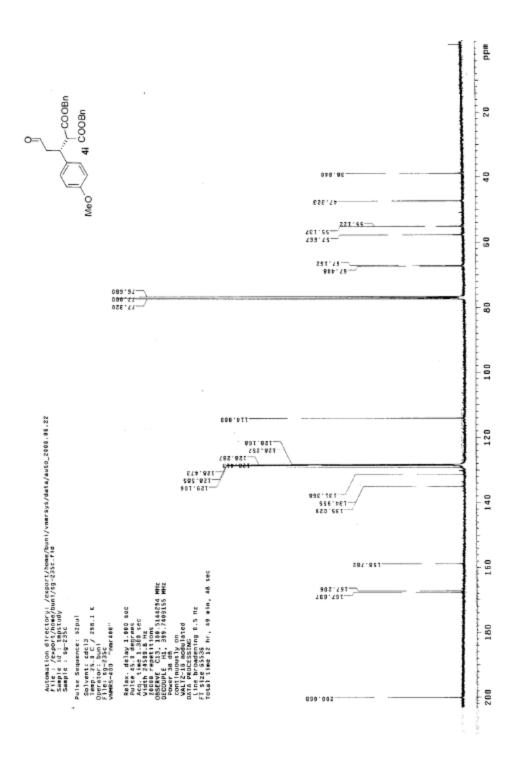


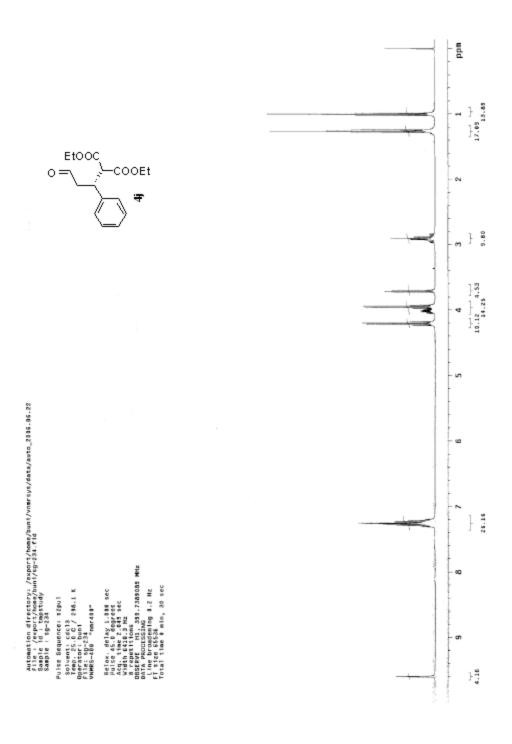


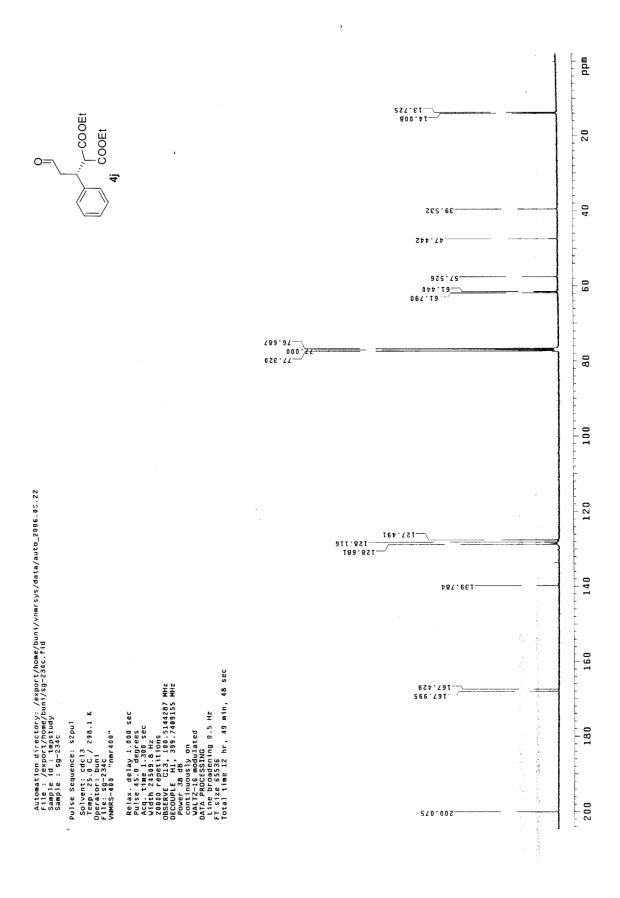


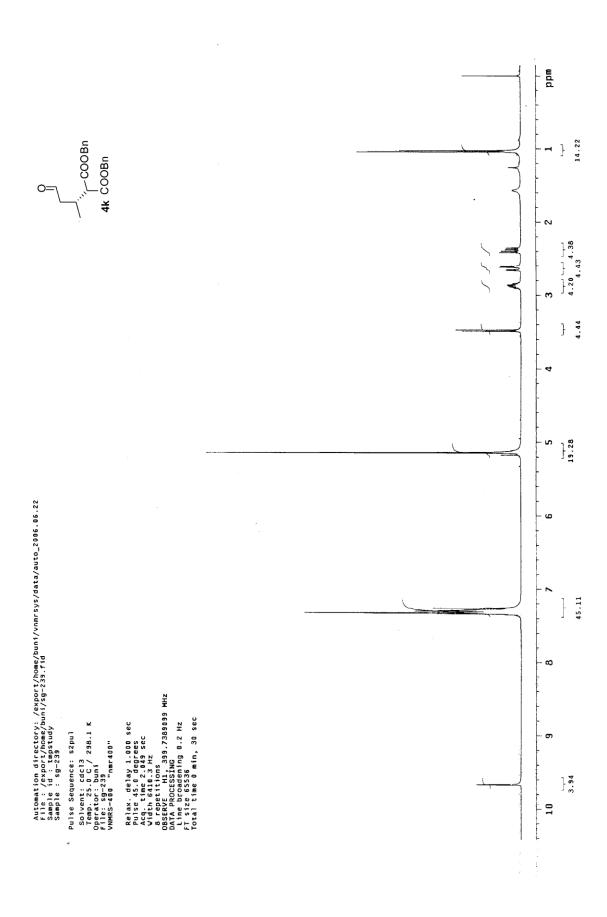


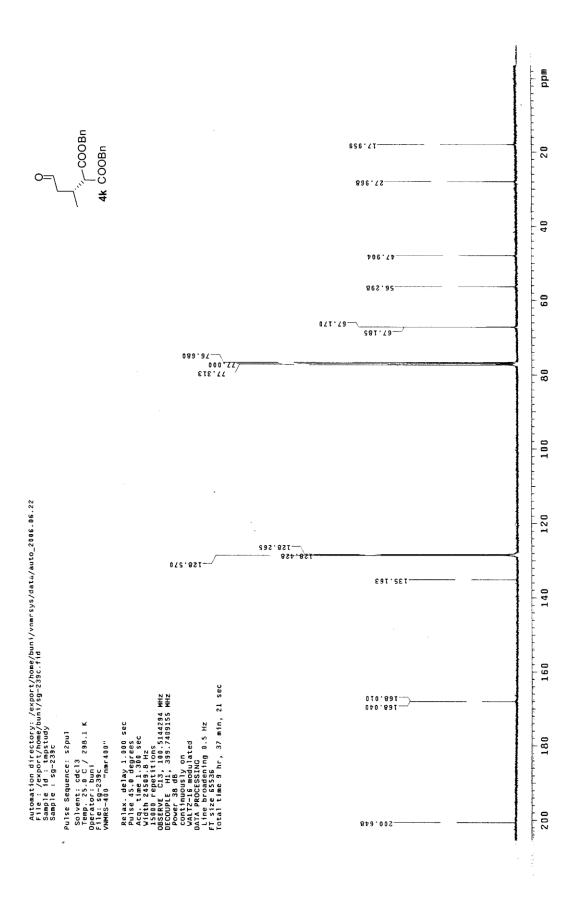












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**Batch File Name** Report File Name

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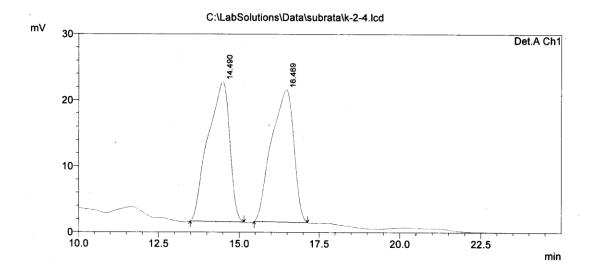
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racemic 4aa

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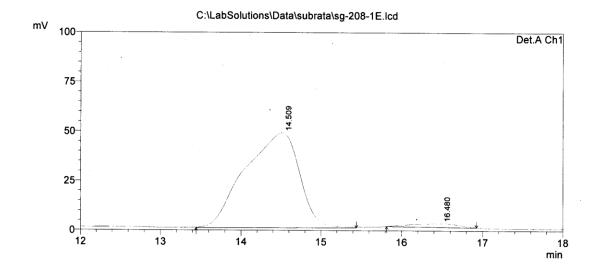
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|----------------------|-----------|---------|--------|---------|----------|--|--|--|
| Peak#                | Ret. Time | Area    | Height | Area %  | Height % |  |  |  |
| 1                    | 14.509    | 2275501 | 48098  | 96.831  | 96.216   |  |  |  |
| 2                    | 16.480    | 74461   | 1891   | 3.169   | 3.784    |  |  |  |
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Method File Name Batch File Name

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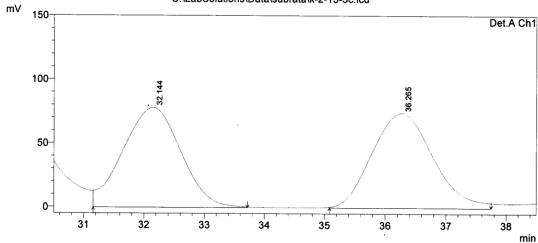
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|-------|-----------|----------|--------|---------|----------|
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| 2     | 36.265    | 5166438  | 74146  | 49.887  | 48.721   |
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Injection Volume Data File Name

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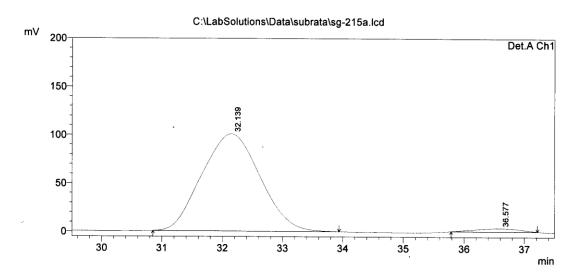
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### <Chromatogram>

#### PeakTable Detector A Ch1 220nm

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| 1     | 32.139    | 6750767 | 100576 | 97.561  | 96.781   |
| 2     | 36.577    | 168739  | 3345   | 2.439   | 3.219    |
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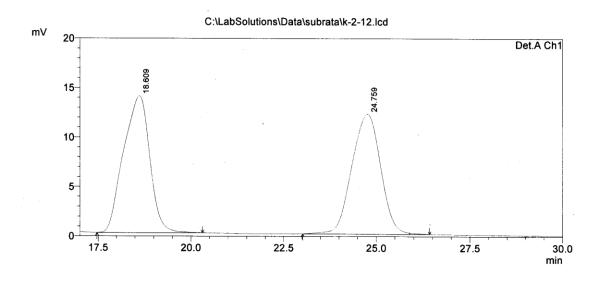
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|------------|---------------------|---------|--------|---------|----------|--|--|--|--|
| Peak#      | Ret. Time           | Area    | Height | Area %  | Height % |  |  |  |  |
| 1          | 18.609              | 679119  | 13826  | 51.006  | 53.289   |  |  |  |  |
| 2          | 24.759              | 652329  | 12119  | 48.994  | 46.711   |  |  |  |  |
| Total      |                     | 1331448 | 25946  | 100.000 | 100.000  |  |  |  |  |



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Injection Volume

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Batch File Name

Report File Name

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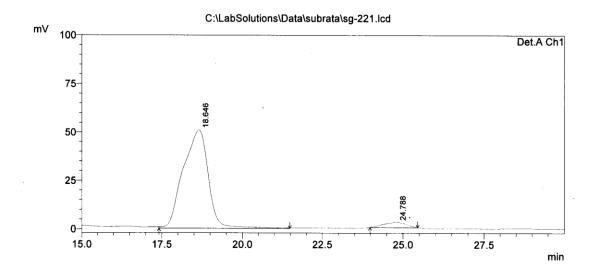
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|-------|-----------|---------|--------|---------|----------|
| 1     | 18.646    | 2750045 | 50757  | 95.473  | 95.150   |
| 2     | 24.788    | 130391  | 2587   | 4.527   | 4.850    |
| Total |           | 2880436 | 53344  | 100.000 | 100.000  |



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Method File Name

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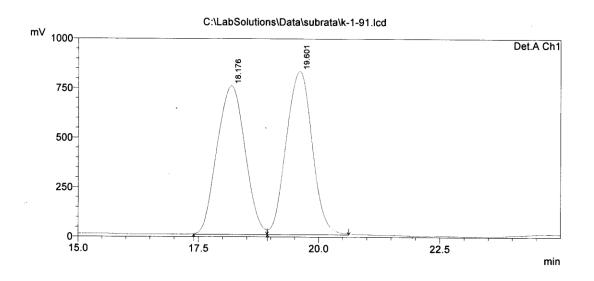
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#### PeakTable

: hexane-isopropanol(70-30)-30min (254nm, 0.7 mL).lcm

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|----------------------|-----------|----------|-----------|---------|----------|--|--|--|
| Detector A Ch1 254nm |           |          |           |         |          |  |  |  |
| Peak#                | Ret. Time | Area     | Height    | Area %  | Height % |  |  |  |
| 1                    | 18.176    | 30371976 | 749794    | 49.400  | 47.645   |  |  |  |
| 2                    | 19.601    | 31109325 | 823925    | 50.600  | 52.355   |  |  |  |
| Total                |           | 61481301 | 1573719   | 100.000 | 100.000  |  |  |  |



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Method File Name

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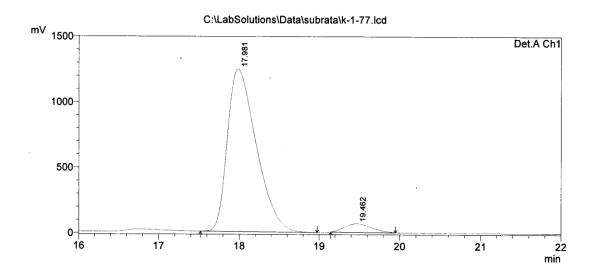
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|--------------|---------------------|----------|---------|---------|----------|--|--|--|
| Peak#        | Ret. Time           | Area     | Height  | Area %  | Height % |  |  |  |
| 1            | 17.981              | 31109016 | 1242069 | 95.418  | 95.024   |  |  |  |
| 2            | 19.462              | 1493921  | 65037   | 4.582   | 4.976    |  |  |  |
| Total        |                     | 32602937 | 1307106 | 100.000 | 100,000  |  |  |  |



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Injection Volume Data File Name

Method File Name Batch File Name

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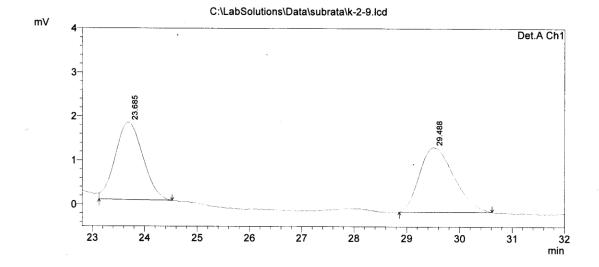
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## <Chromatogram>

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|------------|---------------------|--------|--------|---------|----------|--|--|--|
| Peak#      | Ret. Time           | Area   | Height | Area %  | Height % |  |  |  |
| 1          | 23.685              | 64548  | 1755   | 49.191  | 54.538   |  |  |  |
| 2          | 29.488              | 66672  | 1463   | 50.809  | 45.462   |  |  |  |
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Method File Name Batch File Name

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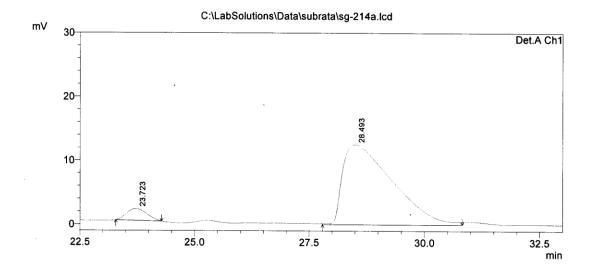
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|--------------|---------------------|--------|--------|---------|----------|--|--|--|
| Peak#        | Ret. Time           | Area   | Height | Area %  | Height % |  |  |  |
| 1            | 23.723              | 55264  | 1840   | 5.573   | 12.822   |  |  |  |
| 2            | 28.493              | 936326 | 12510  | 94.427  | 87.178   |  |  |  |
| Total        |                     | 991590 | 14350  | 100.000 | 100.000  |  |  |  |



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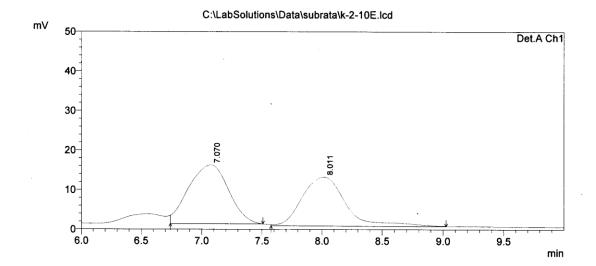
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| 2     | 8.011     | 310733 | 12300  | 47.719  | 45.352   |
| Total |           | 651167 | 27122  | 100.000 | 100.000  |



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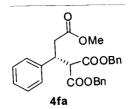
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Batch File Name

Report File Name

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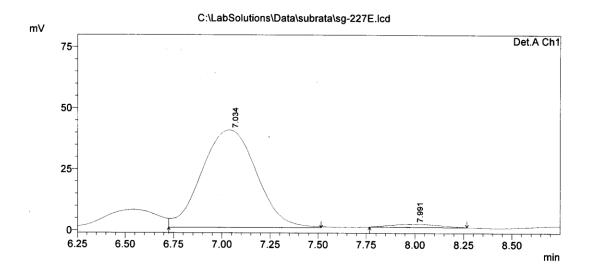
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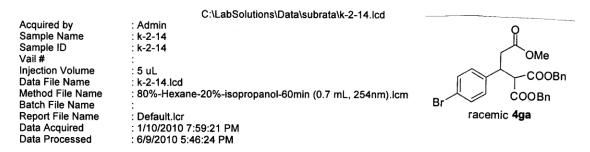
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| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area   | Height | Area %  | Height % |
|-------|-----------|--------|--------|---------|----------|
| 1     | 7.034     | 784186 | 39828  | 97.308  | 96.918   |
| 2     | 7.991     | 21692  | 1266   | 2.692   | 3.082    |
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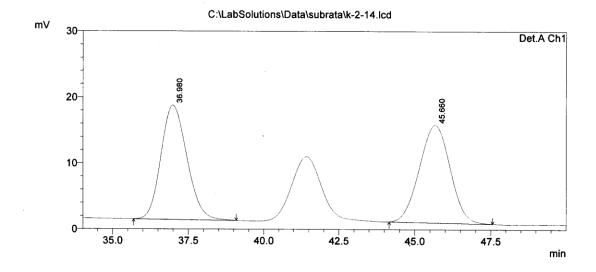
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| 1     | 36.980    | 1033883 | 17315  | 49.915  | 53.934   |
| 2     | 45.660    | 1037412 | 14789  | 50.085  | 46.066   |
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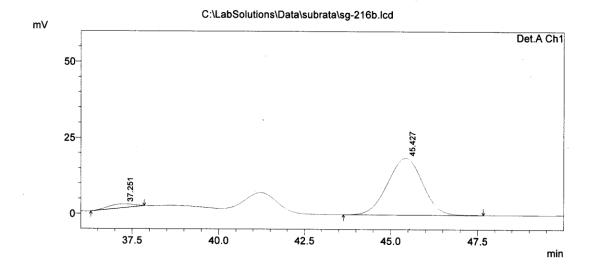
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|--------------|----------------------|---------|--------|---------|----------|--|--|
| Peak#        | Ret. Time            | Area    | Height | Area %  | Height % |  |  |
| 1            | 37.251               | 63050   | 1212   | 4.584   | 6.087    |  |  |
| 2            | 45.427               | 1312518 | 18700  | 95.416  | 93.913   |  |  |
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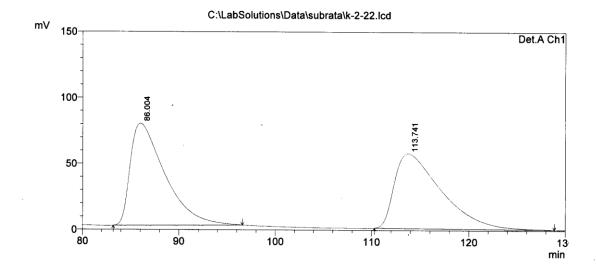
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|-------|-----------|----------|--------|---------|----------|
| 1     | 86.004    | 19214343 | 77300  | 50.374  | 57.740   |
| 2     | 113.741   | 18928807 | 56576  | 49.626  | 42.260   |
| Total |           | 38143150 | 133876 | 100.000 | 100.000  |

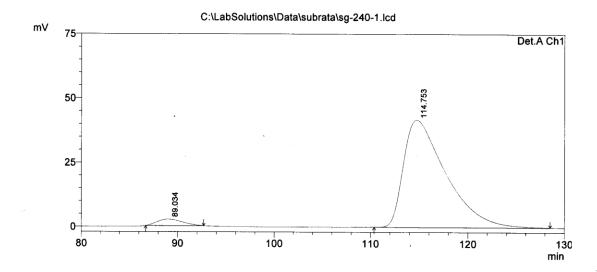


# ==== Shimadzu LCsolution Analysis Report ====

C:\LabSolutions\Data\subrata\sg-240-1.lcd Acquired by Sample Name : Admin : sg-240-1 : sg-240-1 Sample ID Vail # Injection Volume Data File Name : 5 uL sg-240-1.lcd 70%-Hexane-30%-isopropanol-120min (1.0mL, 220nm).lcm ĊOOBn Method File Name 4h Batch File Name Report File Name **Data Acquired** 2/3/2010 9:25:12 PM Data Processed : 2/4/2010 8:26:08 PM

## <Chromatogram>

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height | Area %  | Height % |
|-------|-----------|----------|--------|---------|----------|
| 1     | 89.034    | 449563   | 2507   | 3.444   | 5.665    |
| 2     | 114.753   | 12604779 | 41747  | 96.556  | 94.335   |
| Total |           | 13054342 | 44253  | 100.000 | 100.000  |

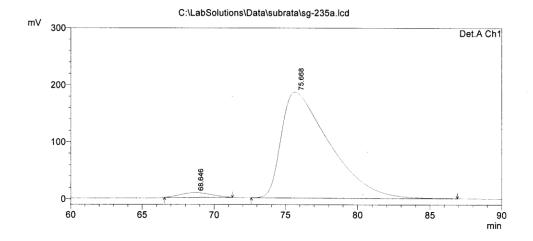


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# ==== Shimadzu LCsolution Analysis Report ====

### <Chromatogram>

| Detector A | Detector A Ch1 220nm |          |        |         |          |  |  |
|------------|----------------------|----------|--------|---------|----------|--|--|
| Peak#      | Ret. Time            | Area     | Height | Area %  | Height % |  |  |
| 1          | 68.646               | 1218553  | 8307   | 2.737   | 4.275    |  |  |
| 2          | 75.668               | 43306329 | 186002 | 97.263  | 95.725   |  |  |
| Total      |                      | 44524882 | 194309 | 100.000 | 100,000  |  |  |



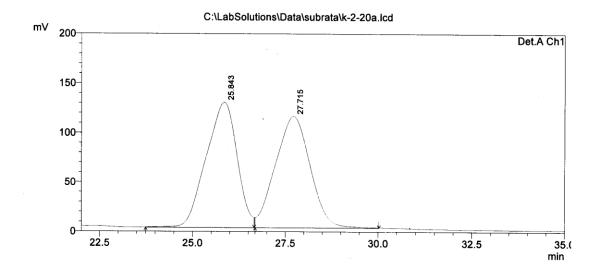
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# ==== Shimadzu LCsolution Analysis Report ====

C:\LabSolutions\Data\subrata\k-2-20a.lcd Acquired by Sample Name : Admin : k-2-20a Sample ID : k-2-20a OMe Vail# Injection Volume COOEt Data File Name k-2-20a.lcd Method File Name : 70%-Hexane-30%-isopropanol-45min (0.5mL, 220nm).lcm ĊOOEt Batch File Name racemic 4ja Report File Name **Data Acquired** : 2/9/2010 2:57:46 PM **Data Processed** : 4/5/2010 4:14:09 PM

## <Chromatogram>

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height | Area %  | Height % |
|-------|-----------|----------|--------|---------|----------|
| 1     | 25.843    | 7332105  | 126815 | 49.805  | 52.917   |
| 2     | 27.715    | 7389465  | 112836 | 50.195  | 47.083   |
| Total |           | 14721570 | 239651 | 100.000 | 100.000  |



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# ==== Shimadzu LCsolution Analysis Report ====

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Acquired by : Admin
Sample Name : sg-234a
Sample ID : sg-234a
Vail # :
Injection Volume : 5 uL

Injection Volume : 5 uL
Data File Name : sg-23
Method File Name : 70%-

Batch File Name Report File Name

Data Acquired
Data Processed

: sg-234a.lcd

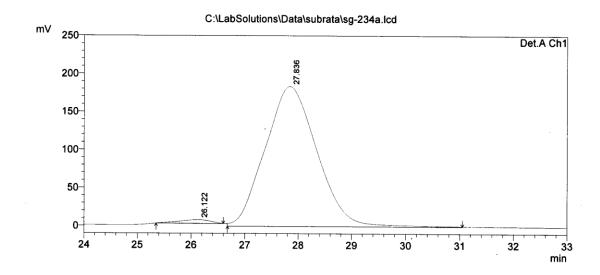
: 70%-Hexane-30%-isopropanol-45min (0.5mL, 220nm).lcm

: Default.lcr

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## <Chromatogram>

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area     | Height | Area %  | Height % |
|-------|-----------|----------|--------|---------|----------|
| 1     | 26.122    | 191730   | 4768   | 1.518   | 2.529    |
| 2     | 27.836    | 12441608 | 183763 | 98.482  | 97.471   |
| Total |           | 12633338 | 188531 | 100,000 | 100.000  |



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# ==== Shimadzu LCsolution Analysis Report ====

C:\LabSolutions\Data\subrata\k-2-15a.lcd

Acquired by Sample Name Sample ID Vail # : Admin : k-2-15a : k-2-15a

: 5 uL

Injection Volume

Data File Name : k-2-1 Method File Name : 95%-

Batch File Name

Report File Name Data Acquired Data Processed : : Default.lcr

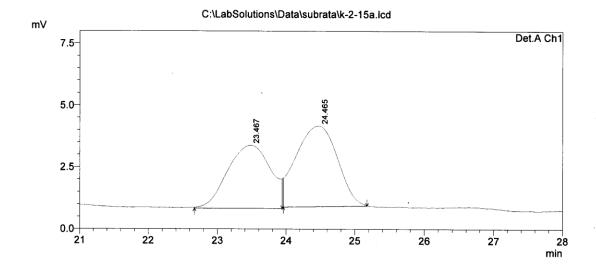
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: k-2-15a.lcd : 95%-Hexane-5%-isopropanol-50min (0.7mL, 254nm).lcm : COOBn COOBn

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## <Chromatogram>

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|---------------------|--------------|--------|--------|---------|----------|--|--|
| etector A Ch1 254nm |              |        |        |         |          |  |  |
| Peak#               | Ret. Time    | Area   | Height | Area %  | Height % |  |  |
| 1                   | 23.467       | 110264 | 2539   | 44.774  | 43.836   |  |  |
| 2                   | 24.465       | 136005 | 3253   | 55.226  | 56.164   |  |  |
| Total               |              | 246268 | 5791   | 100.000 | 100.000  |  |  |



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# ==== Shimadzu LCsolution Analysis Report ====

C:\LabSolutions\Data\subrata\sg-239.lcd

Acquired by Sample Name Sample ID Vail #

: Admin : sg-239 : sg-239

Injection Volume Data File Name Method File Name

Batch File Name Report File Name **Data Acquired** Data Processed

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sg-239.lcd 95%-Hexane-5%-isopropanol-50min (0.7mL, 254nm).lcm -COOBn 4k COOBn

## <Chromatogram>

| Peak# | Ret. Time | Area    | Height | Area %  | Height % |
|-------|-----------|---------|--------|---------|----------|
| 1     | 23.703    | 326960  | 10200  | 7.354   | 8.898    |
| 2     | 24.733    | 4119148 | 104431 | 92.646  | 91.102   |
| Total |           | 4446108 | 114630 | 100.000 | 100.000  |

