

## Electronic Supplementary Information

### Synthesis of pyrrolidinone derivatives from aniline, an aldehyde and diethyl acetylenedicarboxylate in an ethanolic citric acid solution under ultrasound irradiation

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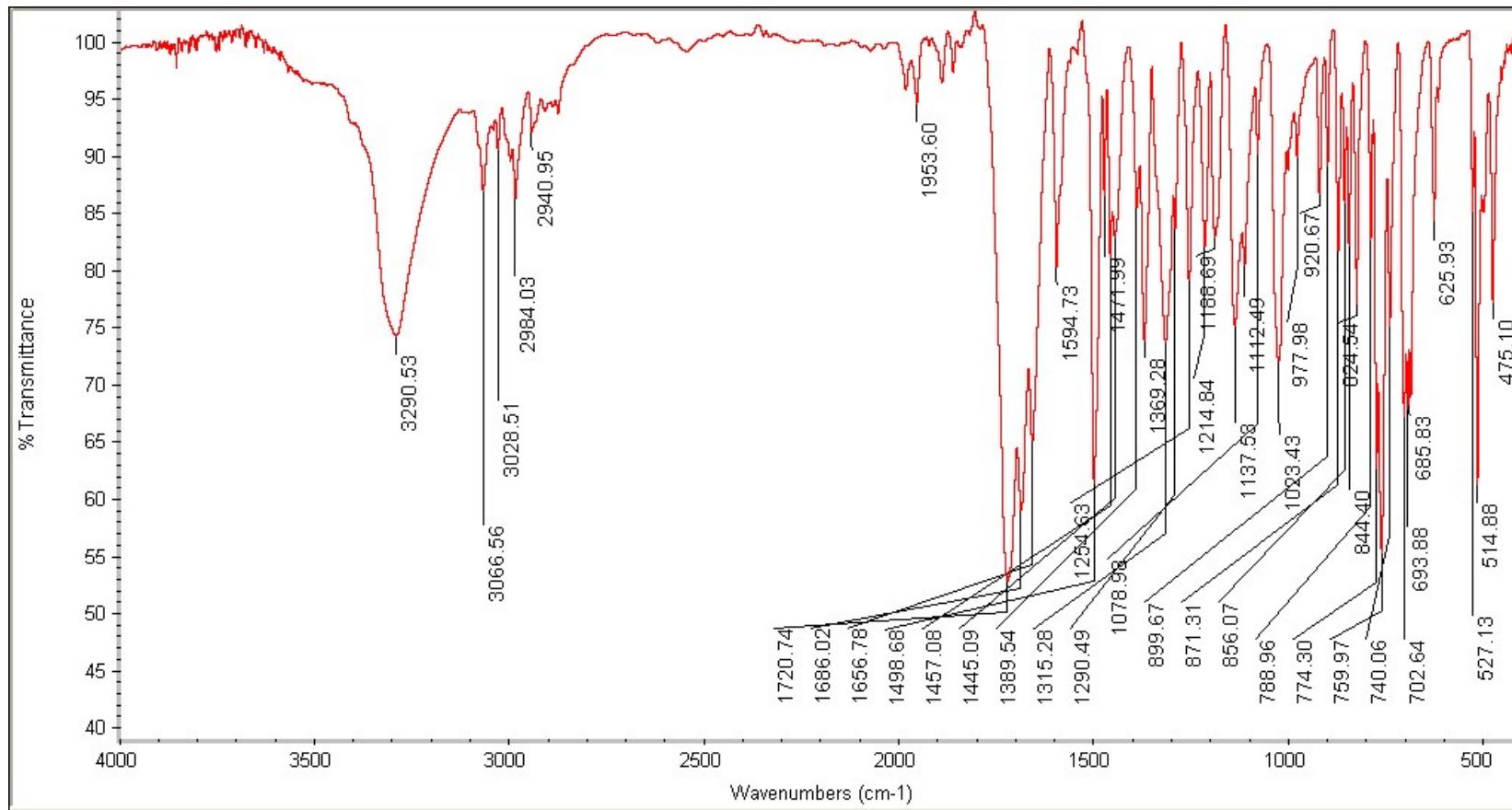
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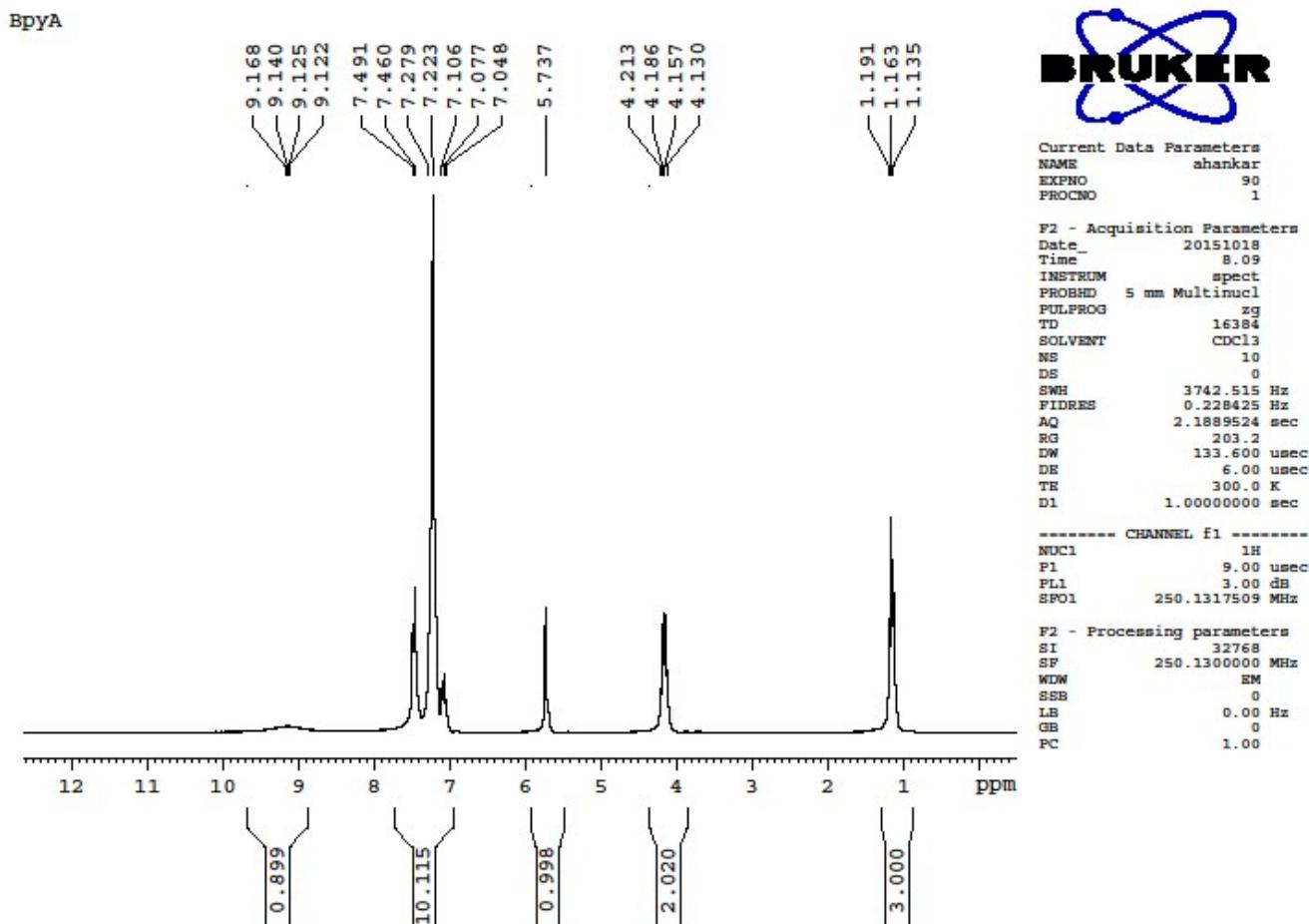
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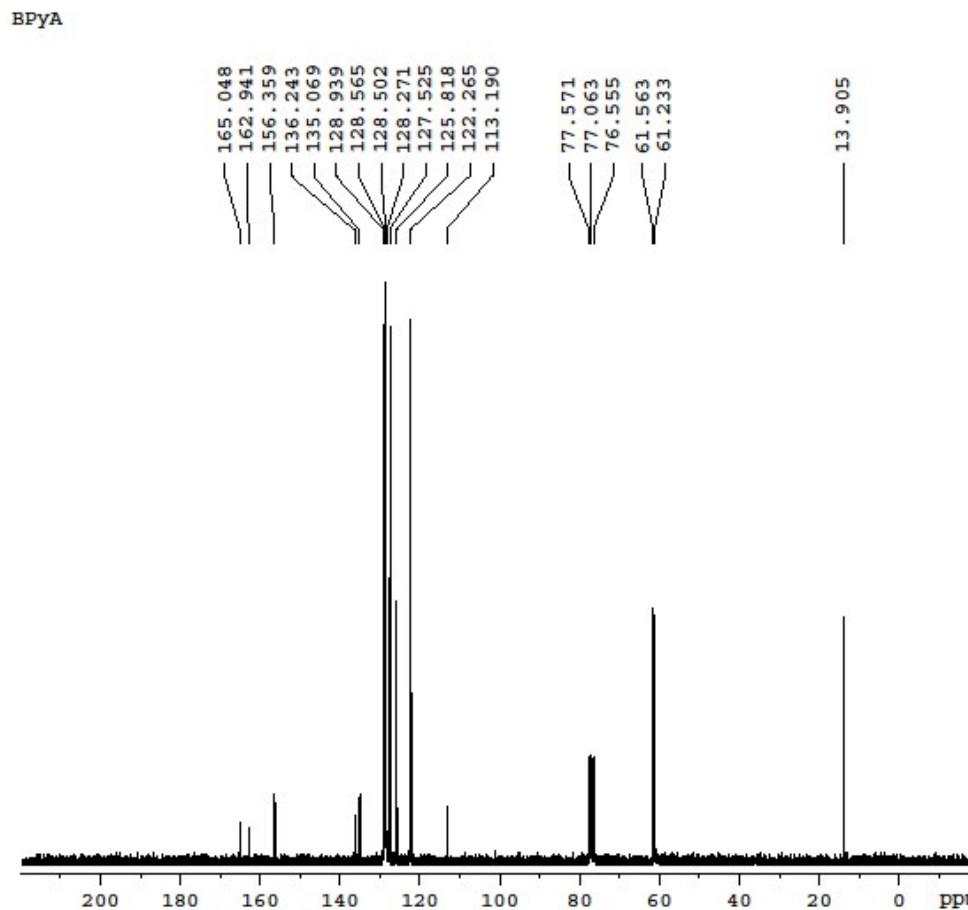
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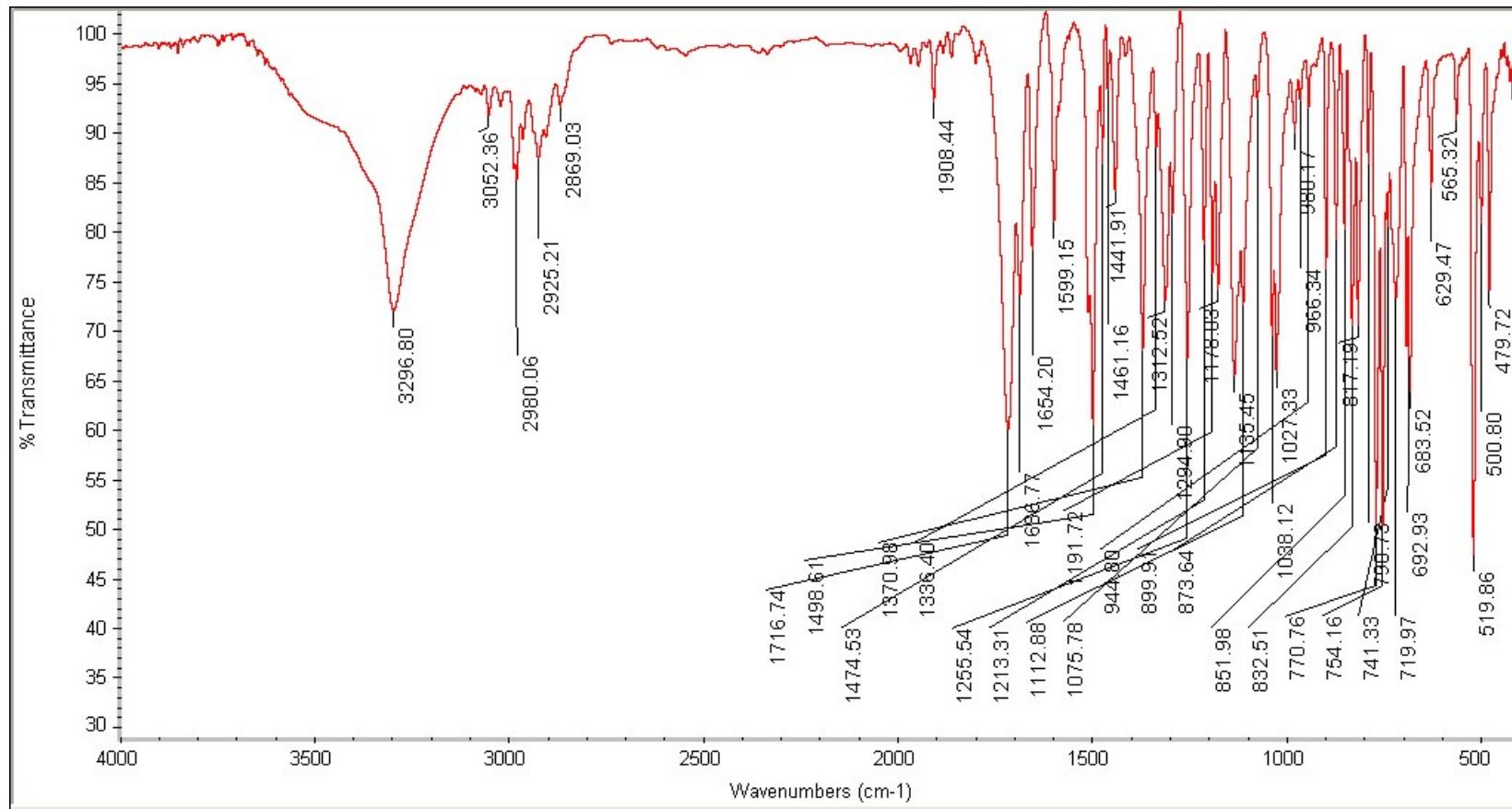
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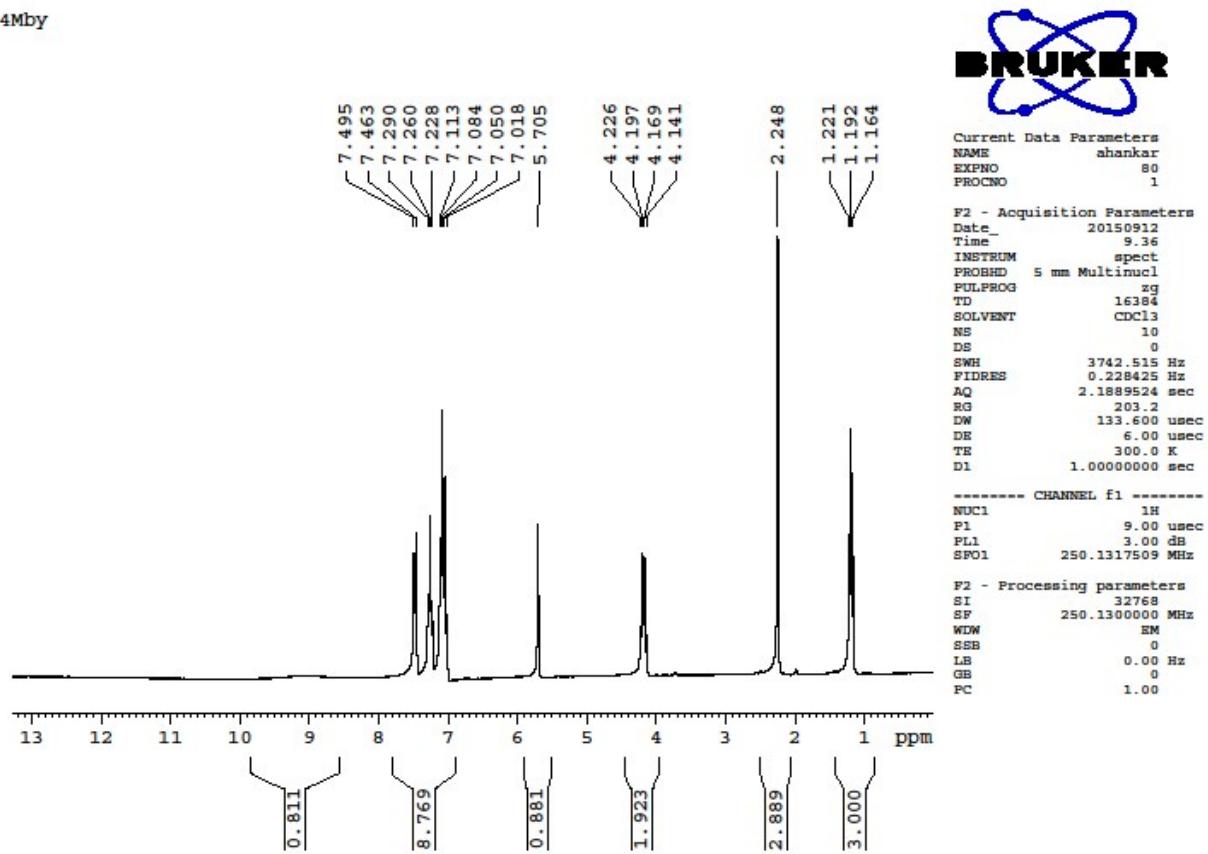
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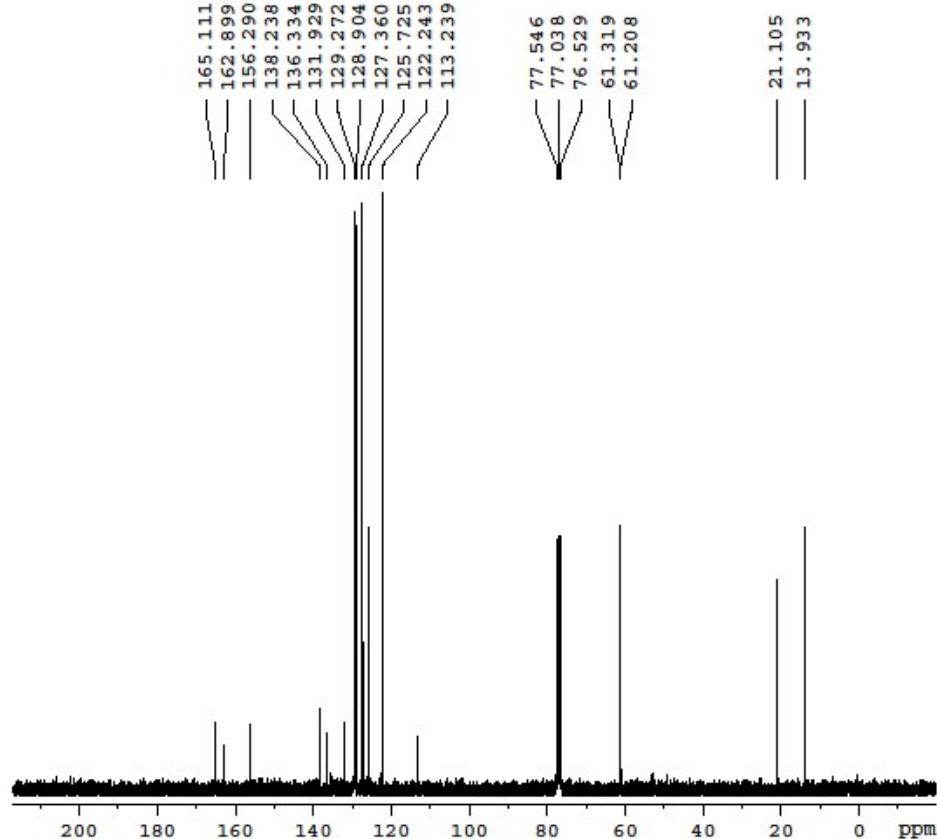
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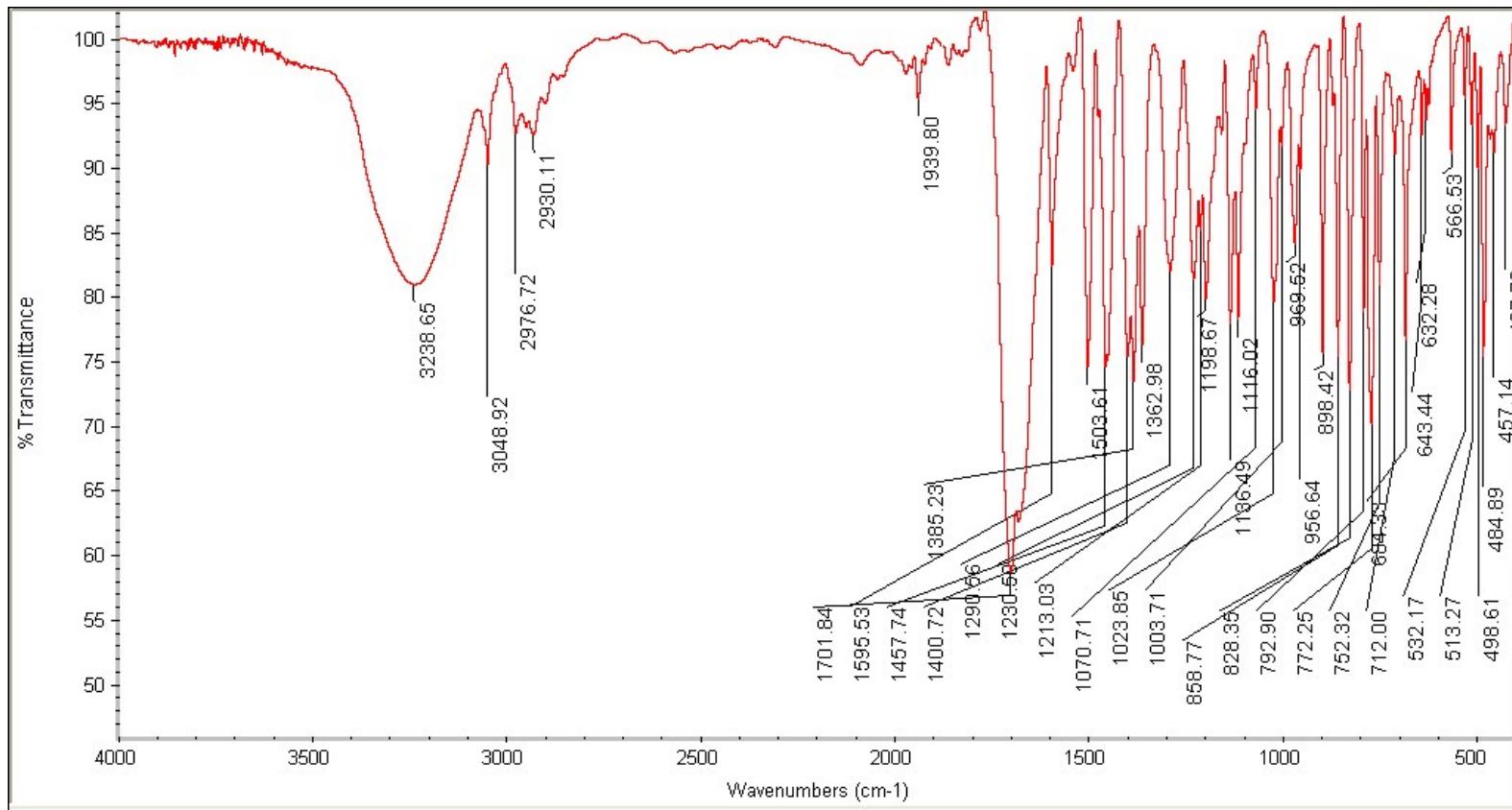
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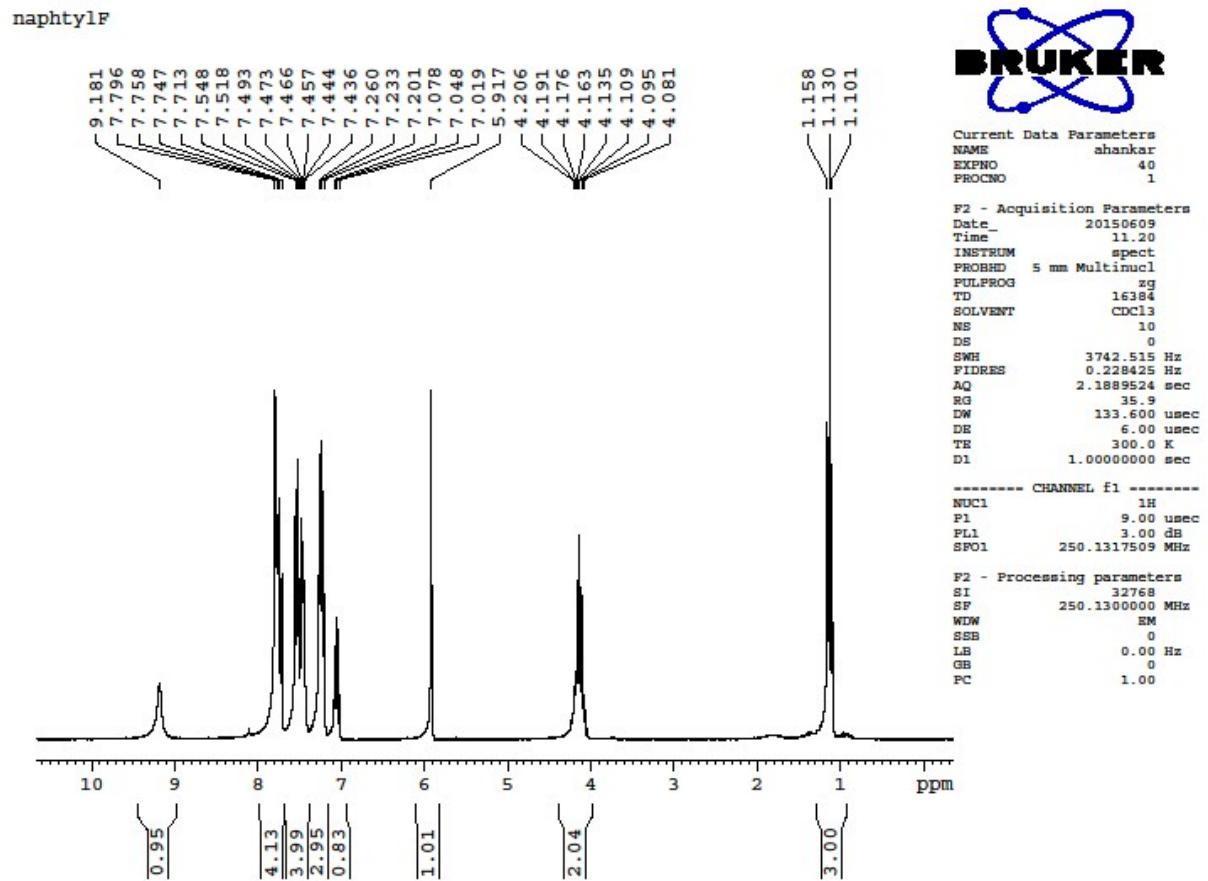
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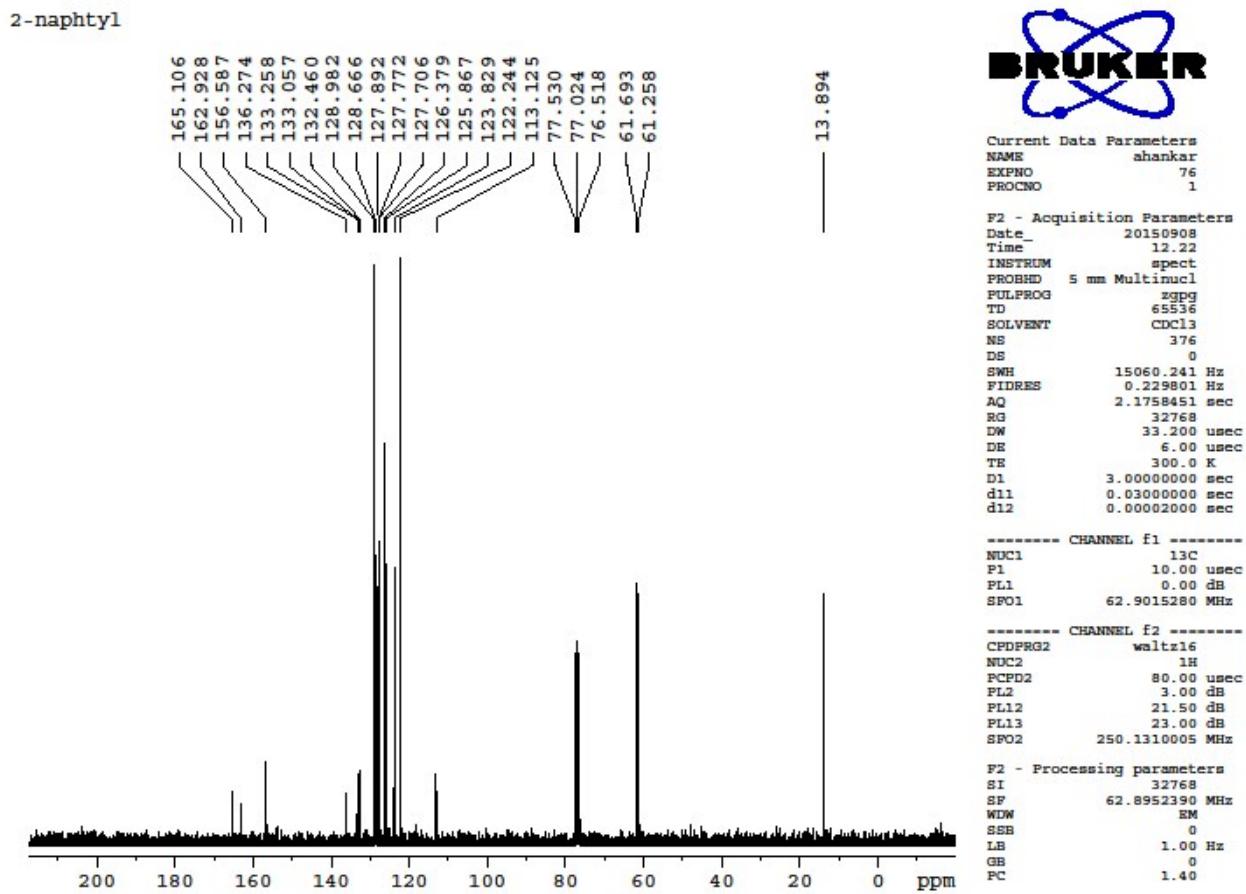
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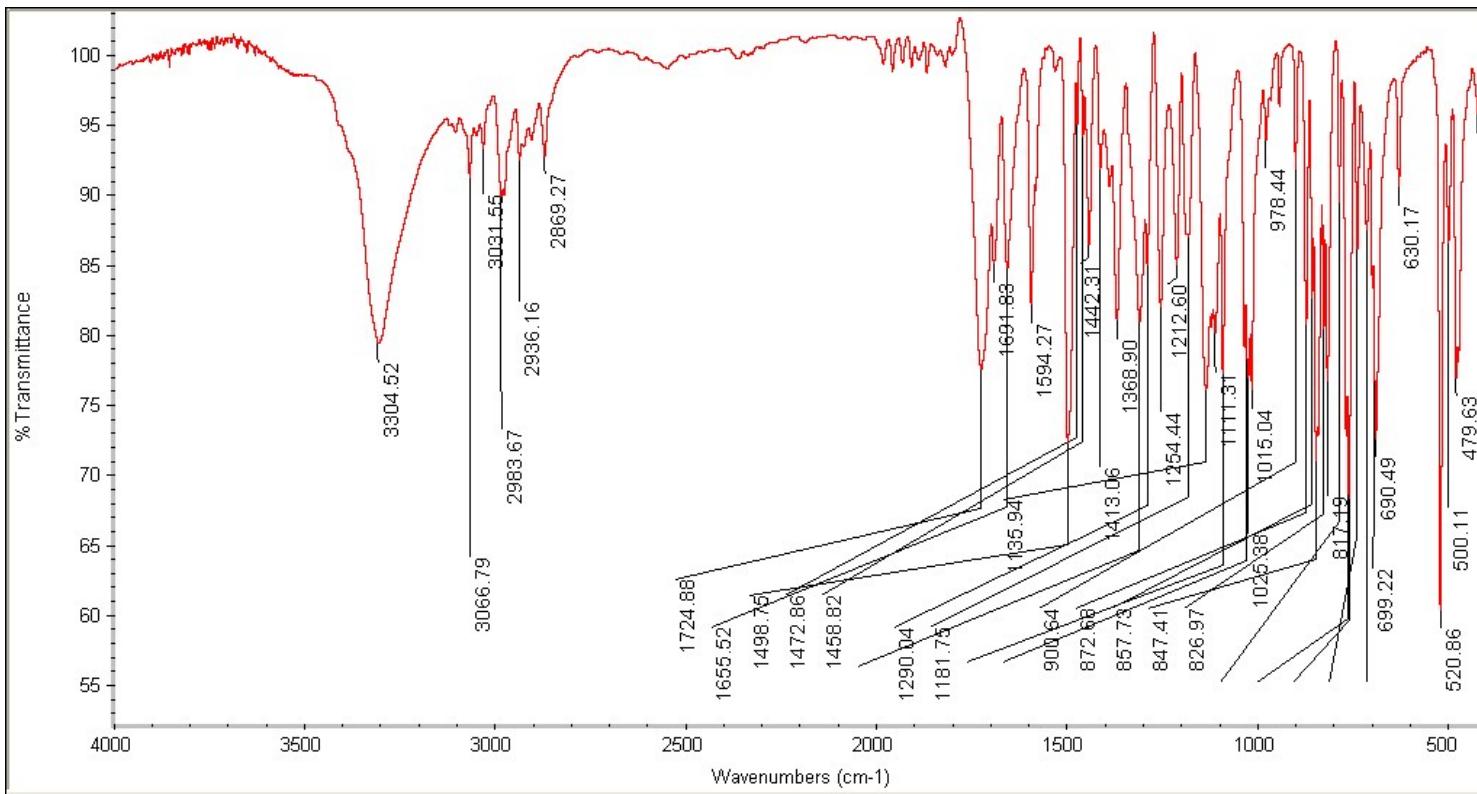
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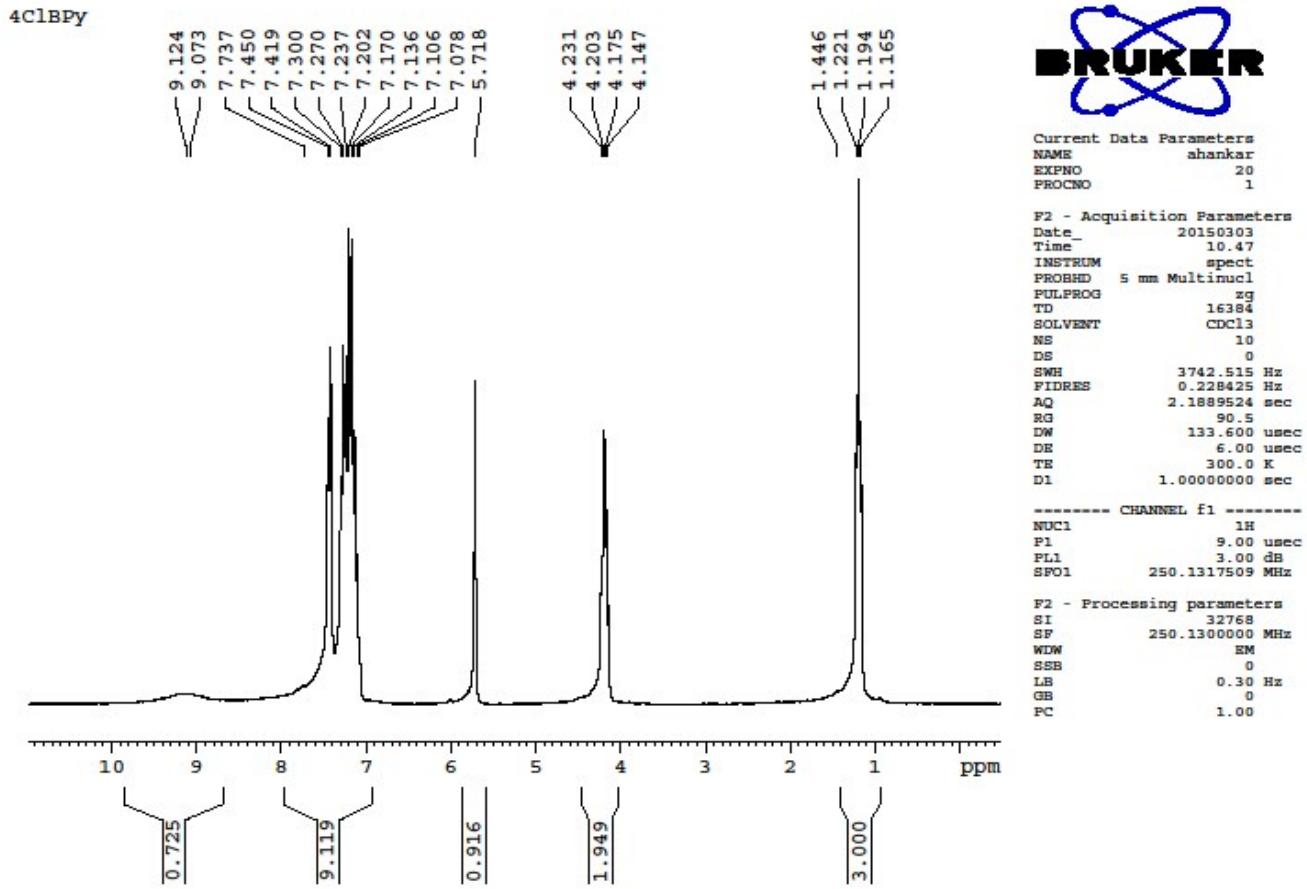
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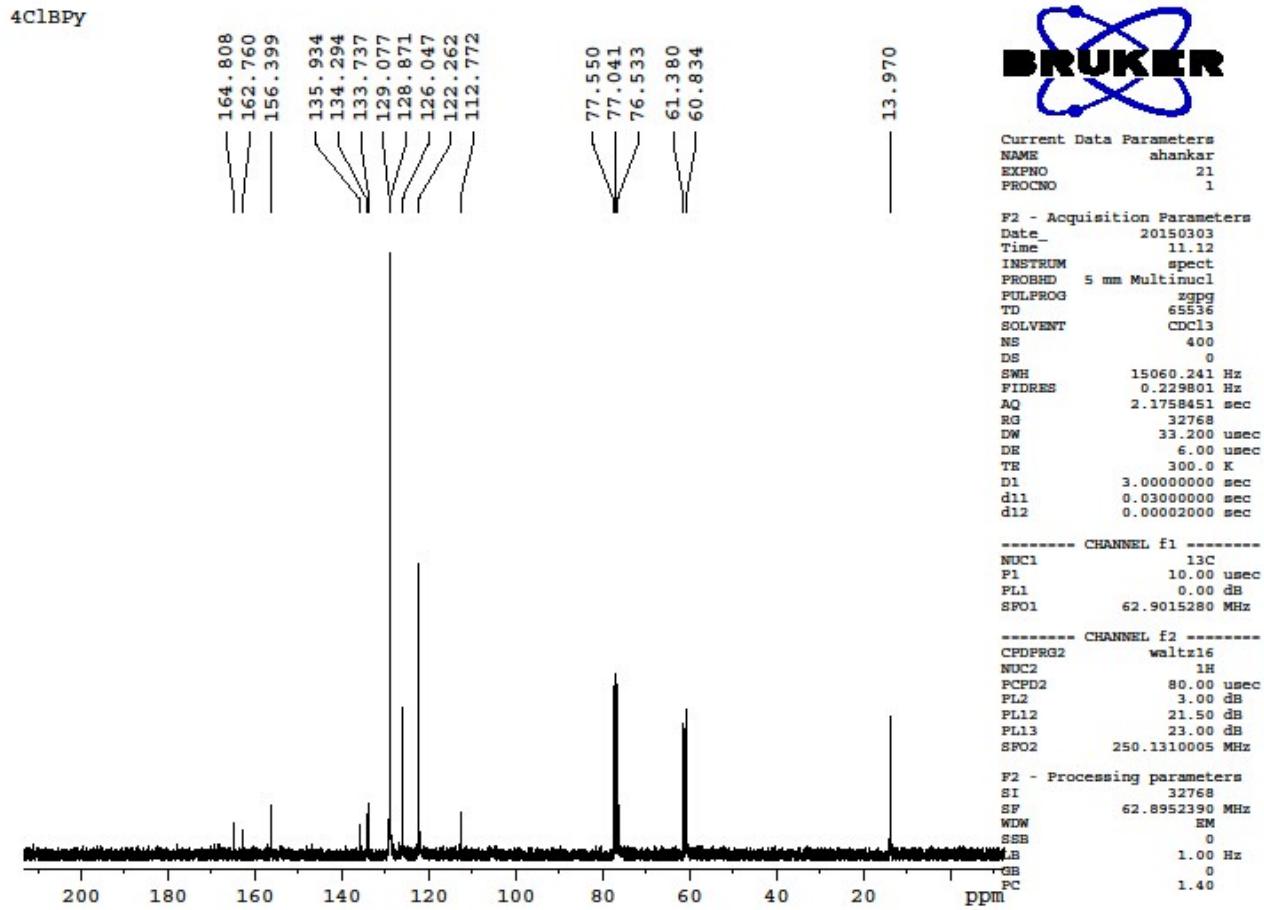
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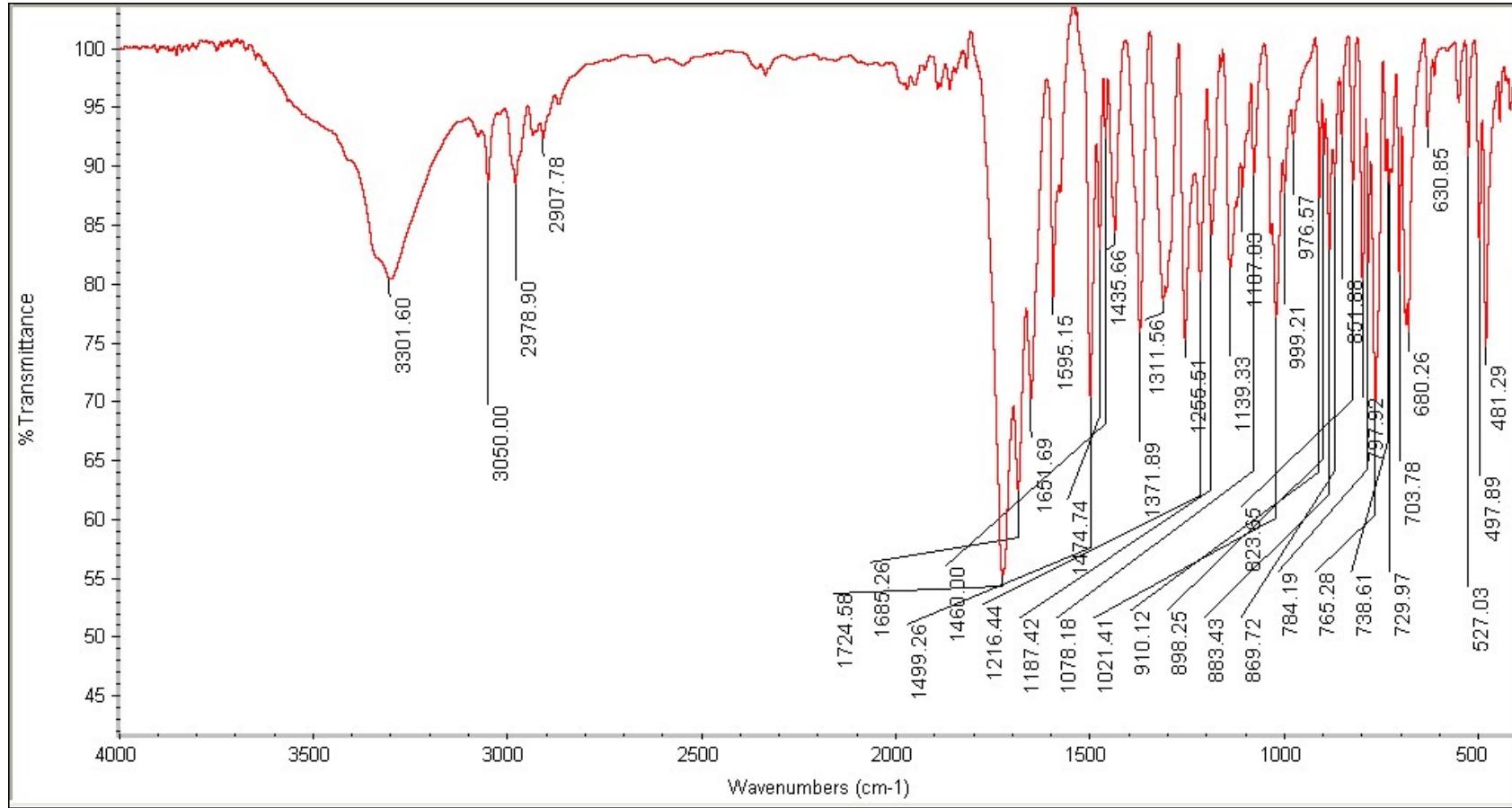
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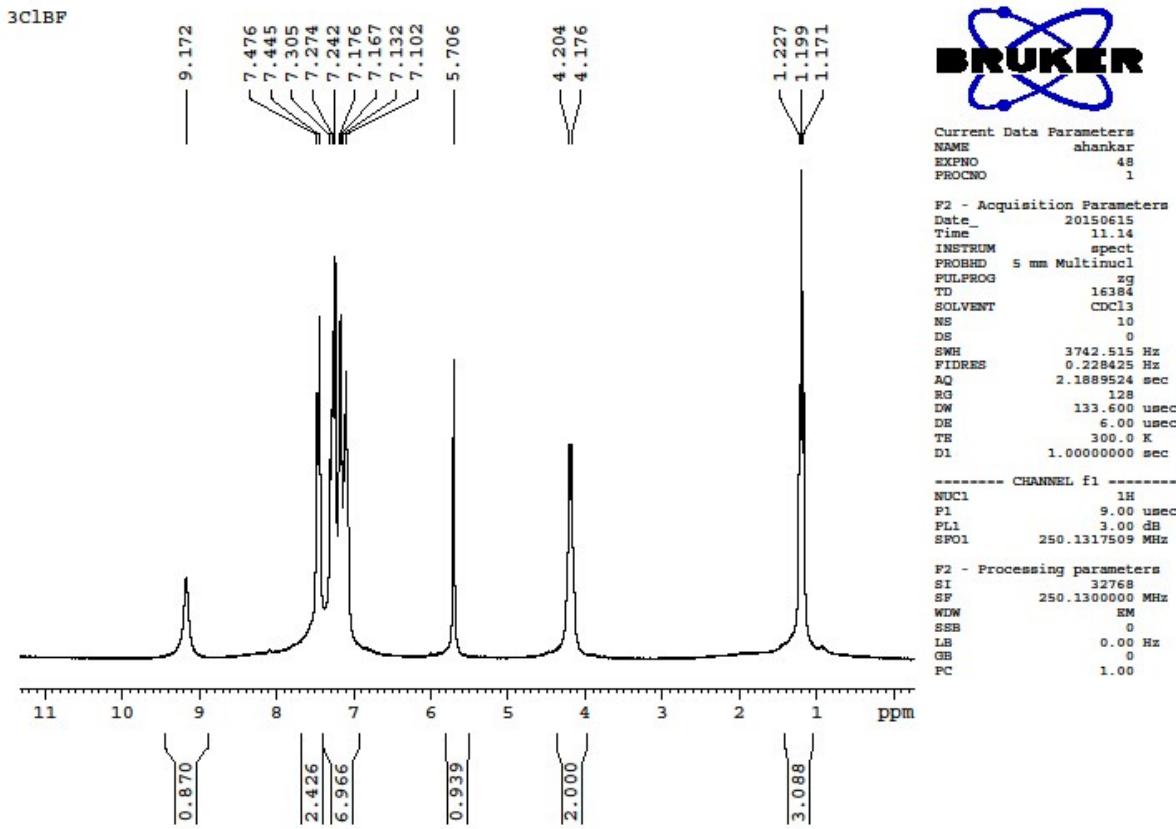
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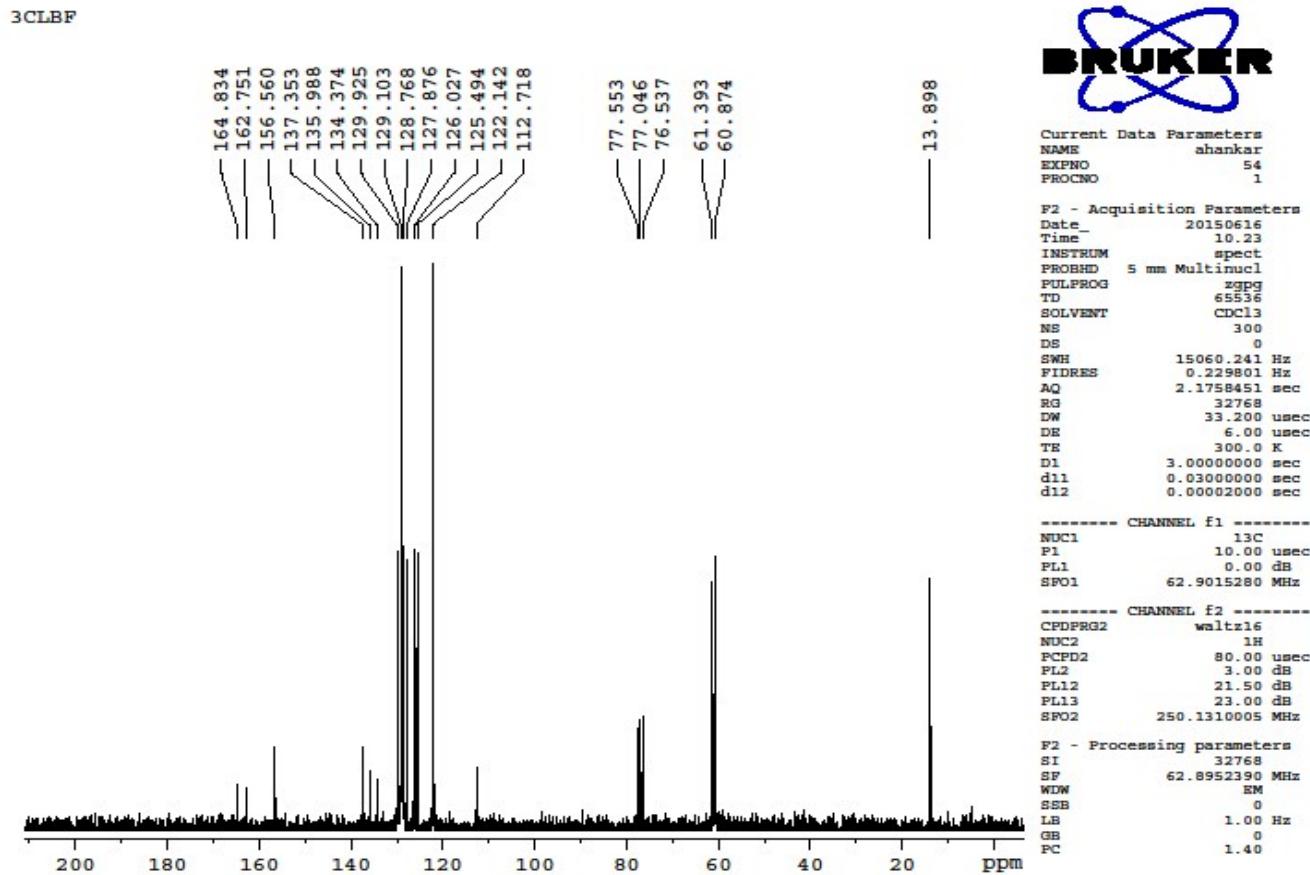
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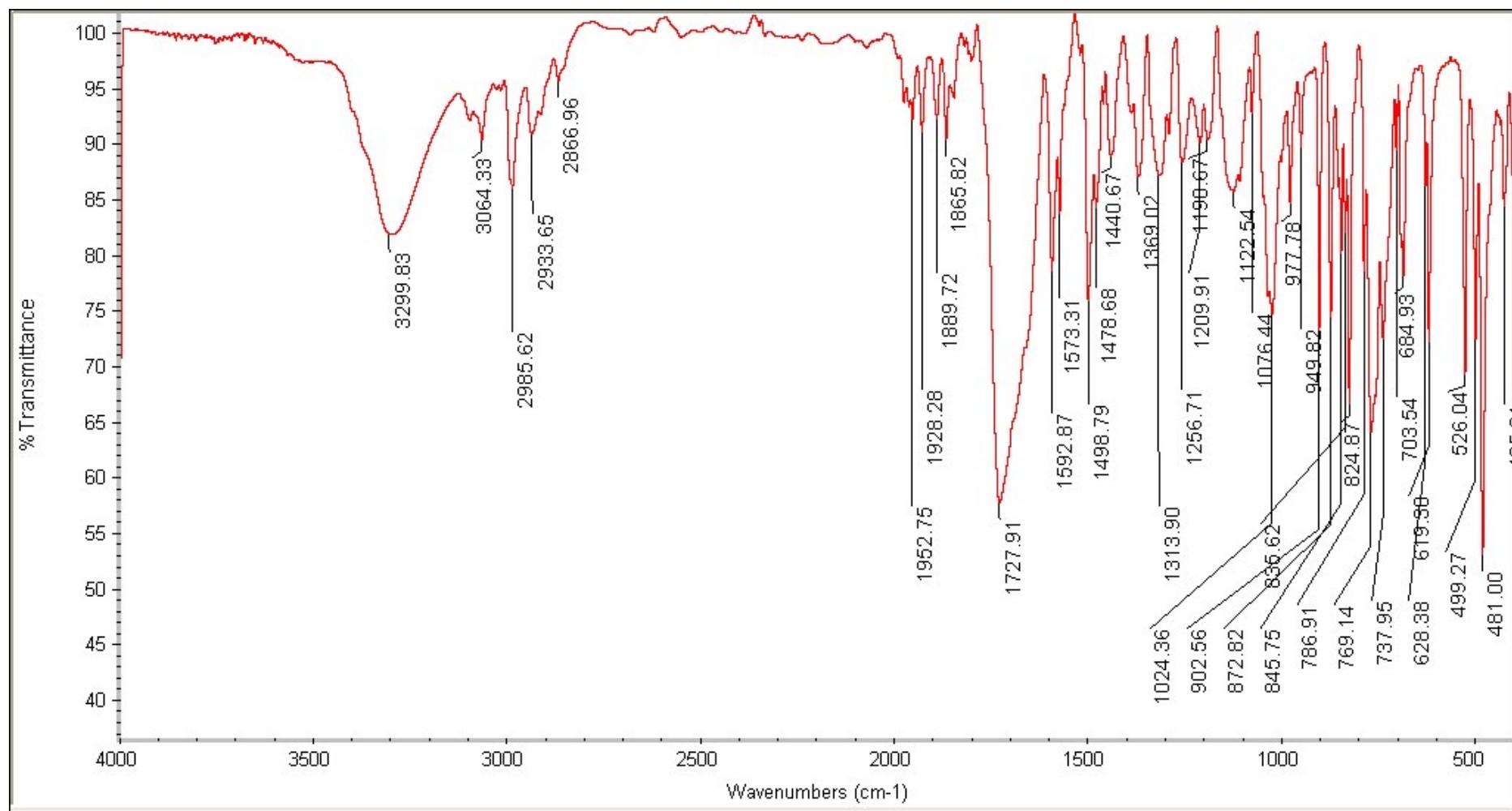
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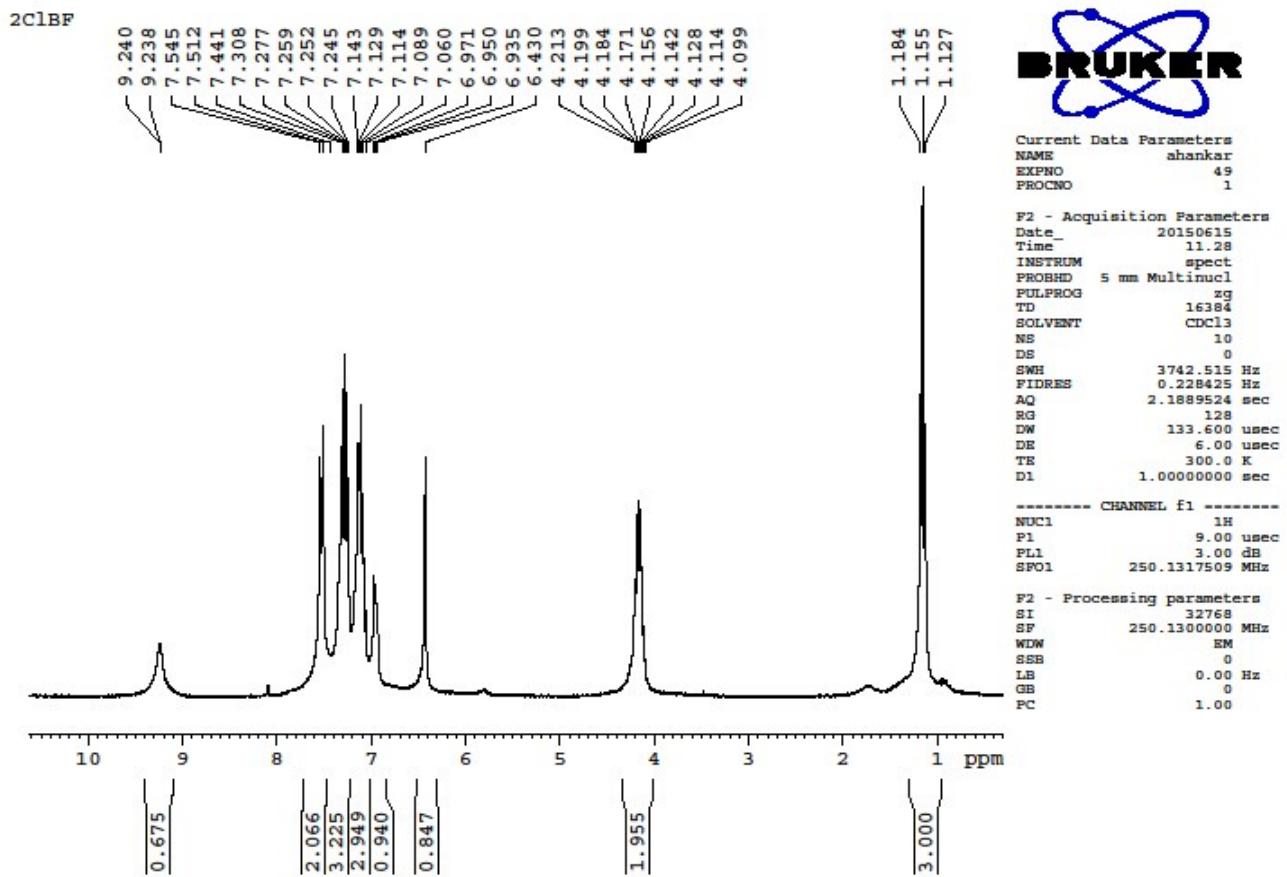
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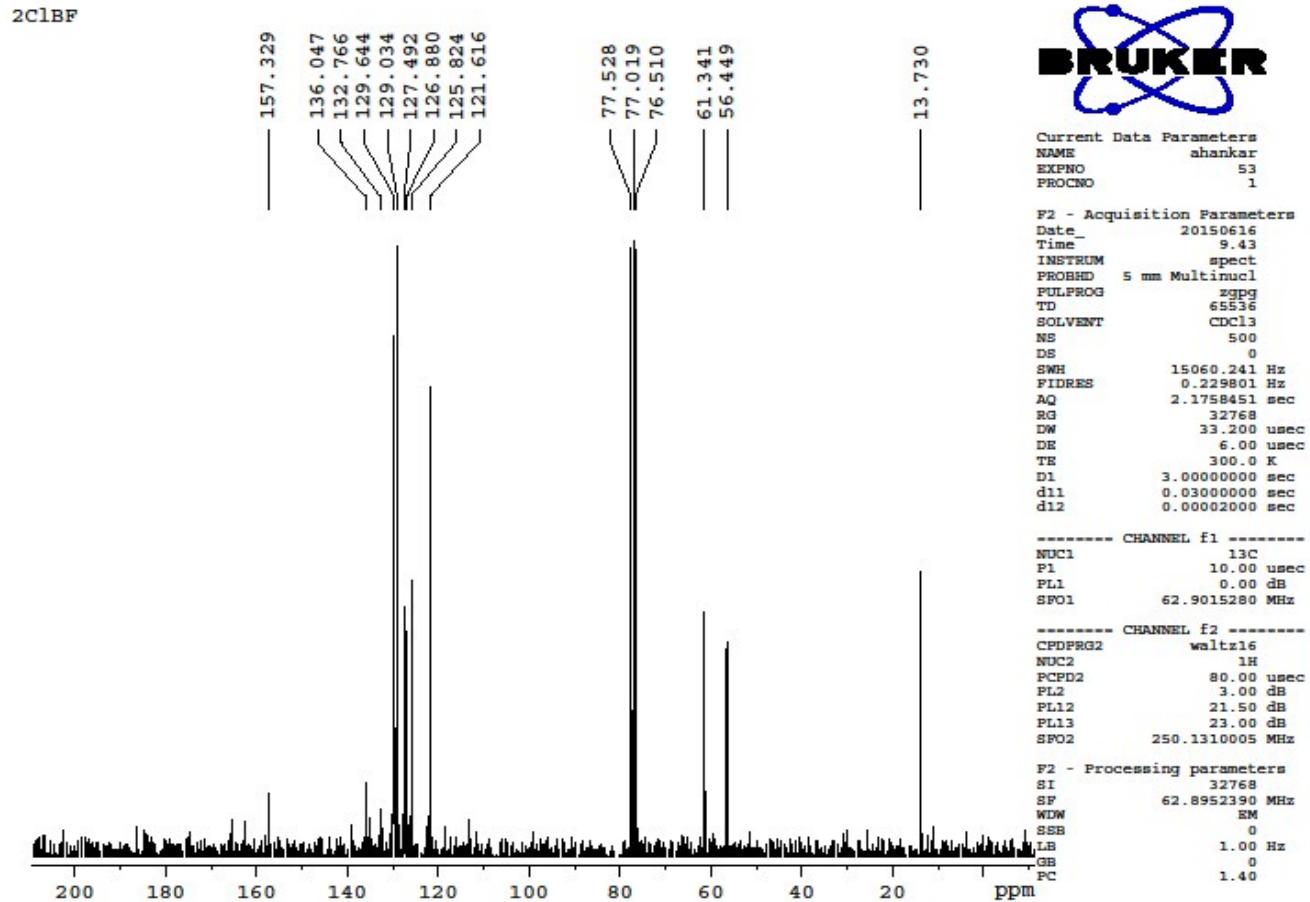
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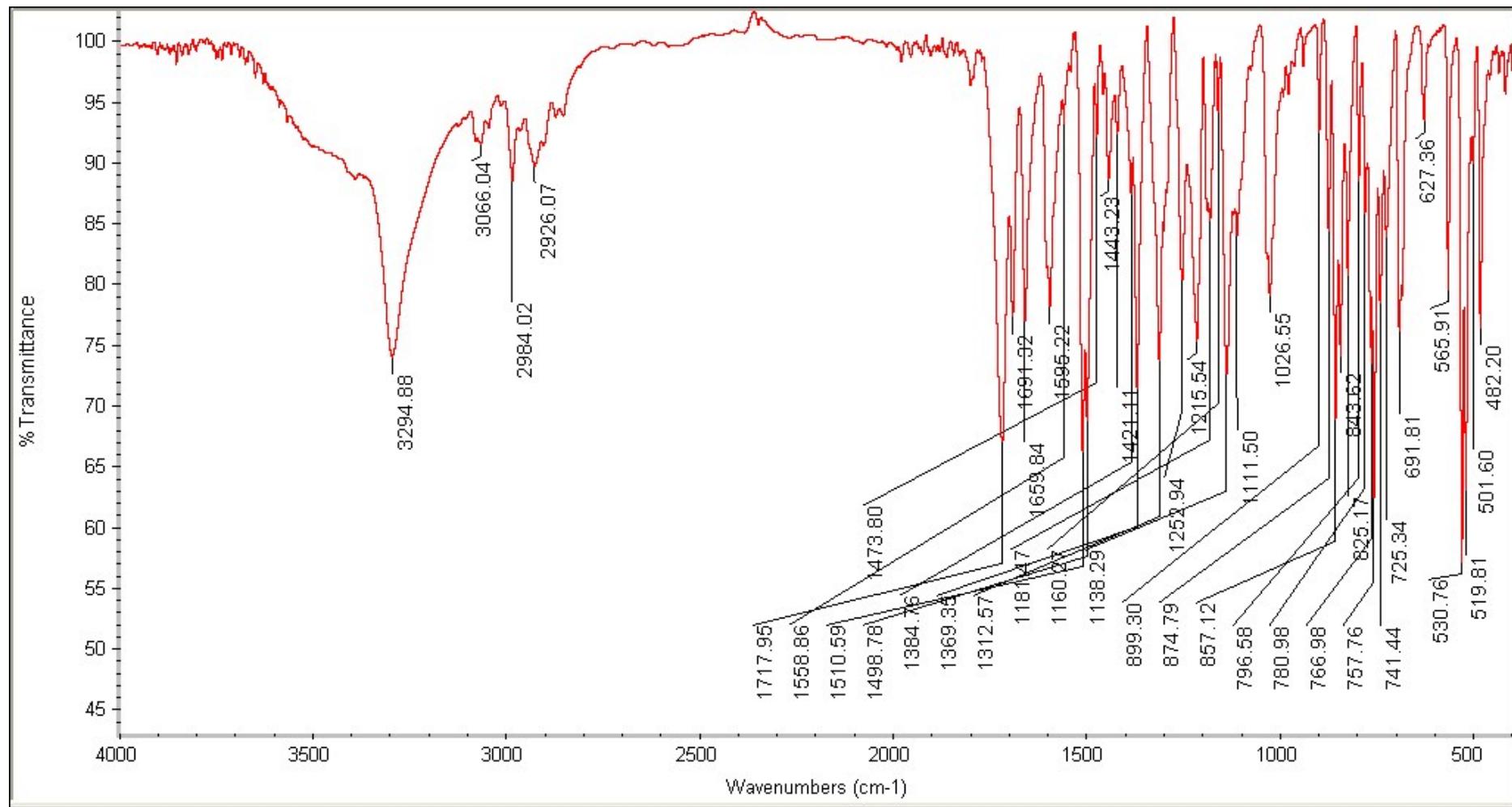
**Fig. 16** FT-IR spectrum of Ethyl 2-(2-chlorophenyl)-4-hydroxy-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4f**).



**Fig. 17** <sup>1</sup>H NMR (250.13 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of Ethyl 2-(2-chlorophenyl)-4-hydroxy-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4f**).

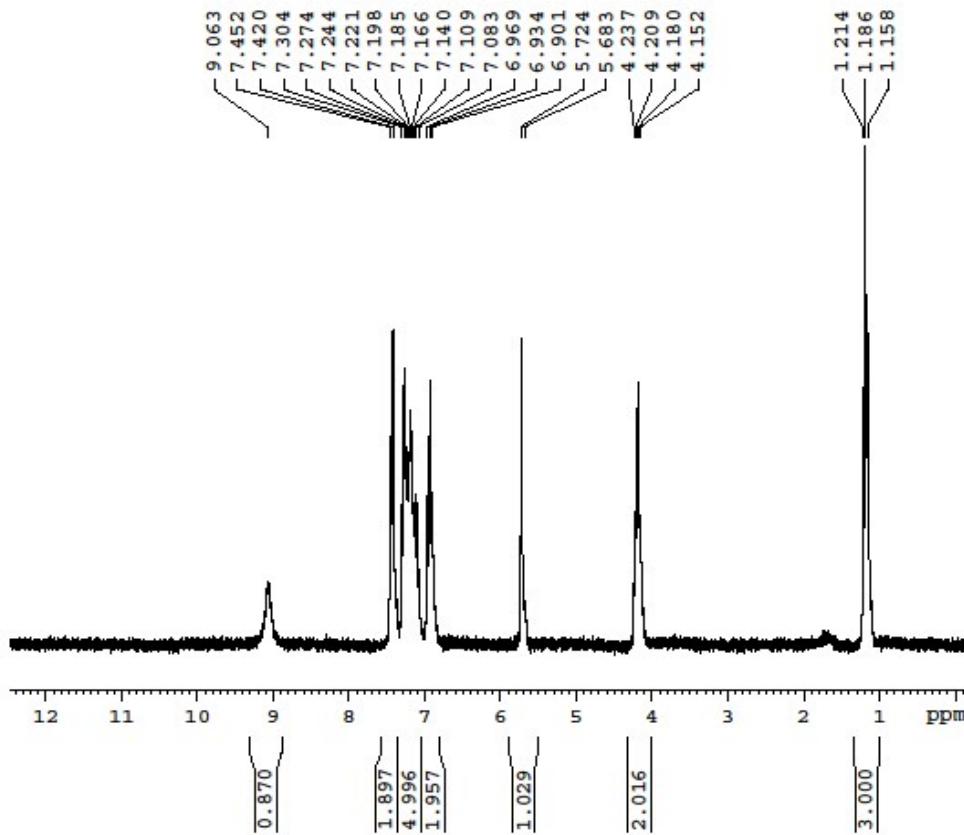


**Fig. 18** <sup>13</sup>C NMR (62.90 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of Ethyl 2-(2-chlorophenyl)-4-hydroxy-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4f**).



**Fig. 19** FT-IR spectrum of Ethyl 2-(4-fluorophenyl)-4-hydroxy-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4g**).

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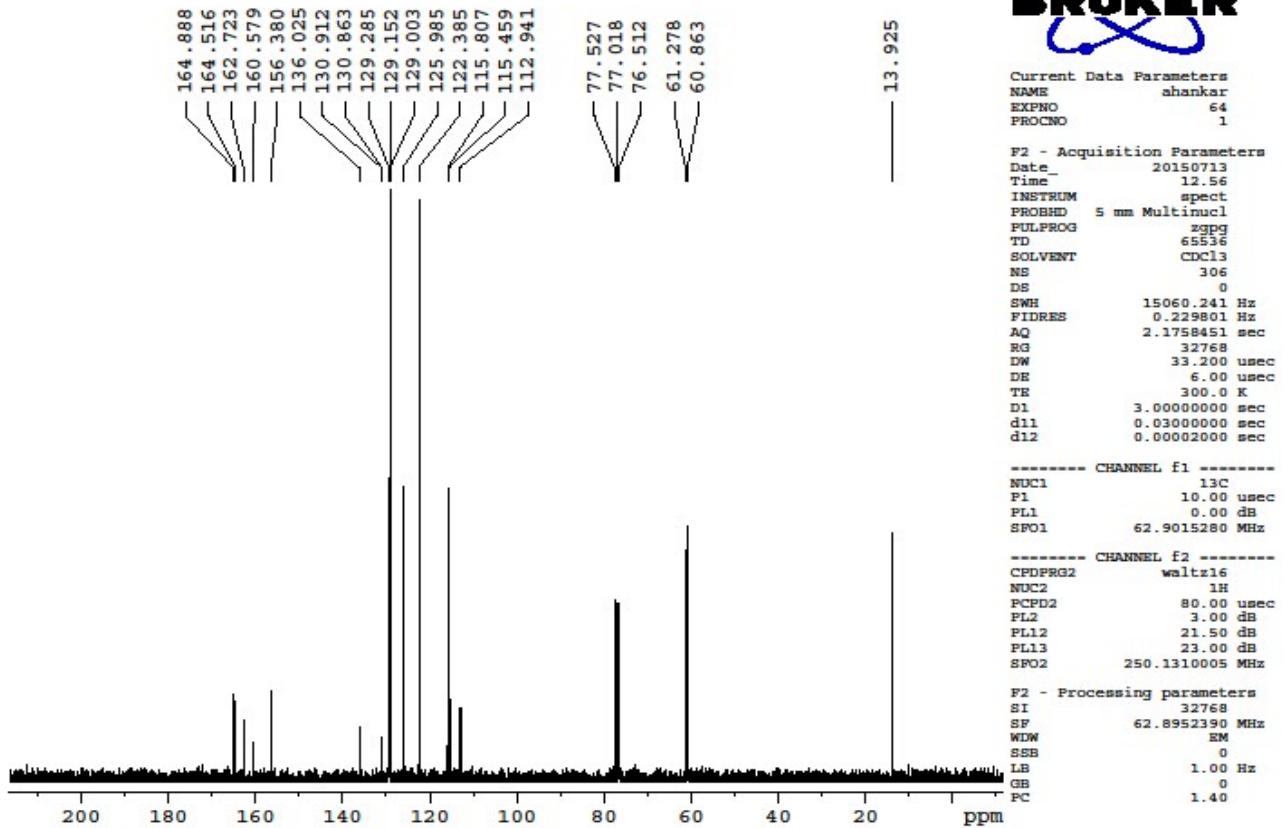
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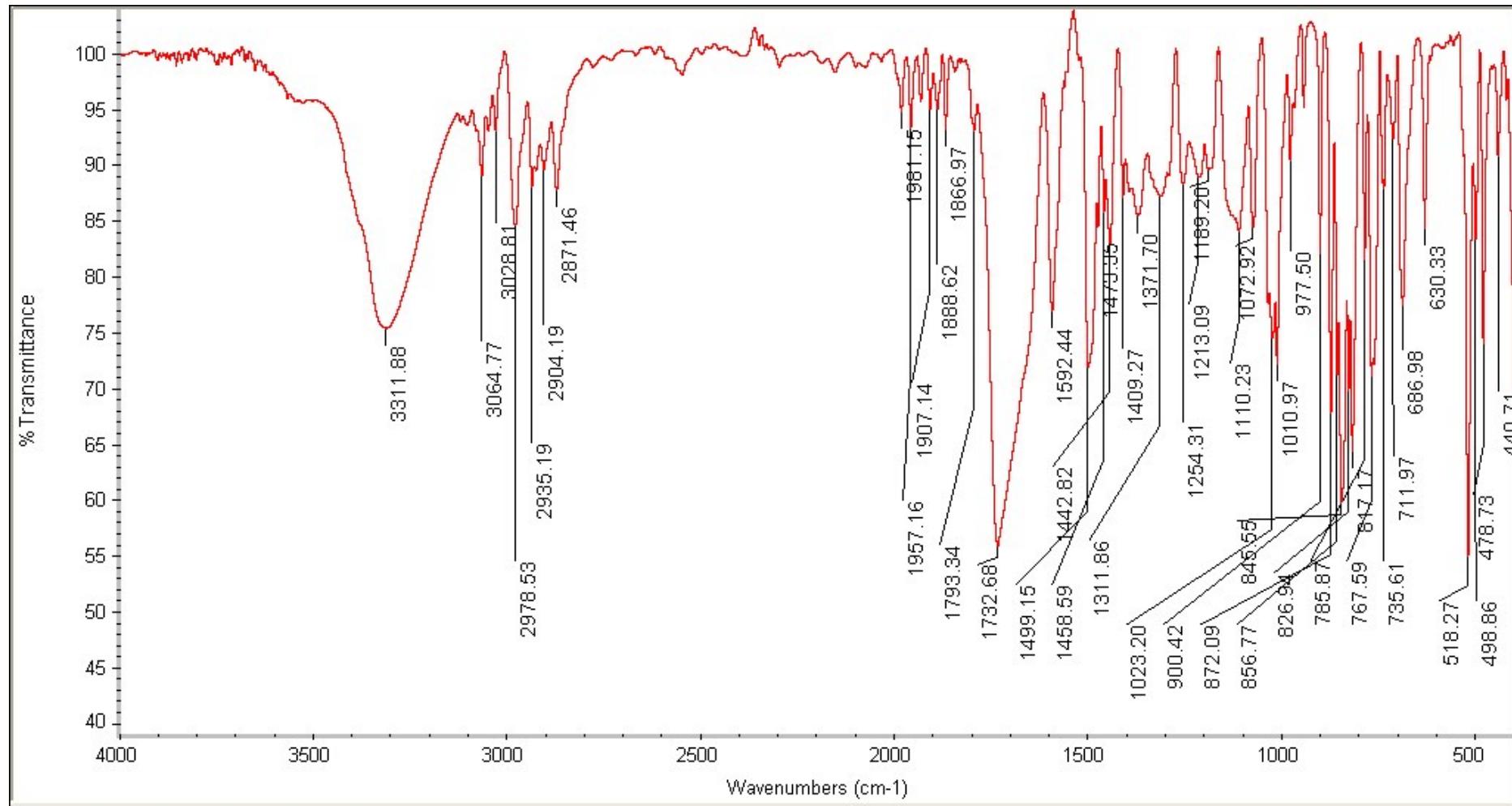
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**Fig. 20** <sup>1</sup>H NMR (250.13 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of Ethyl 2-(4-fluorophenyl)-4-hydroxy-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4g**).

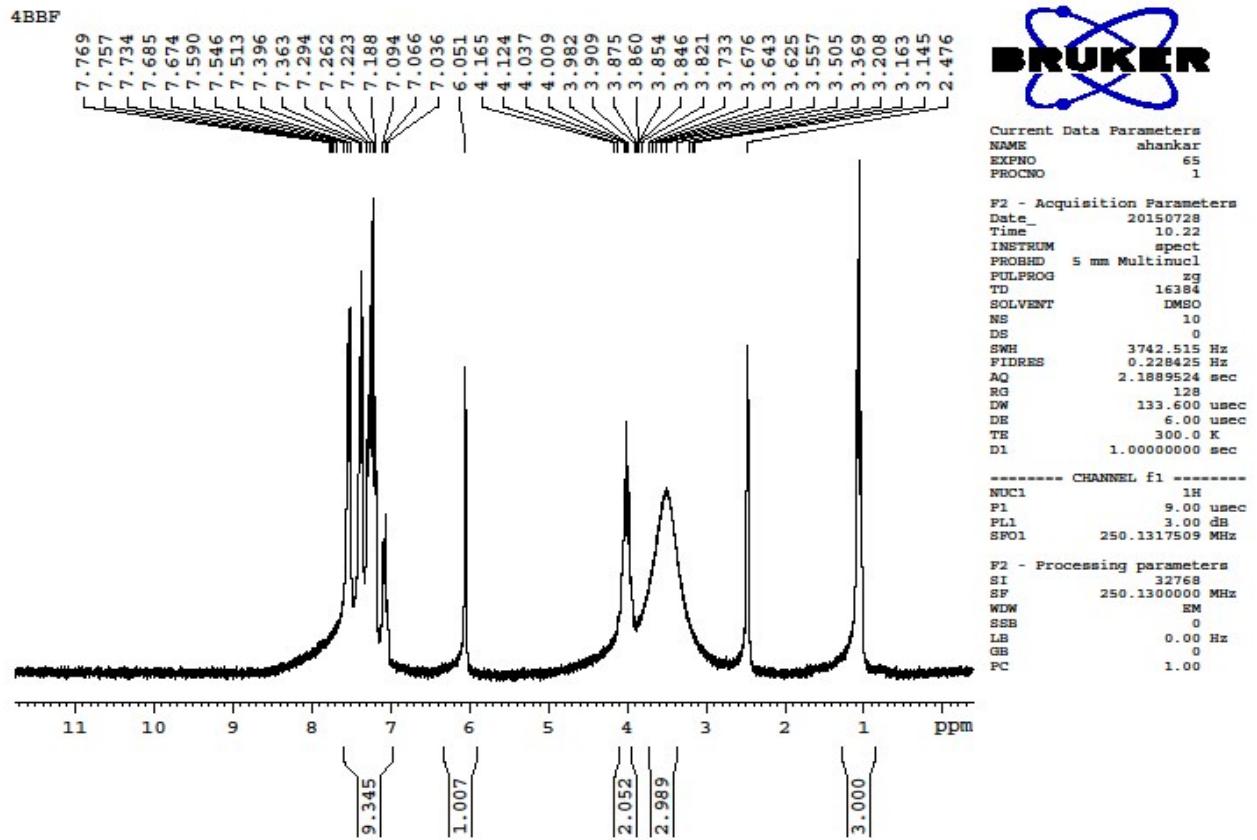
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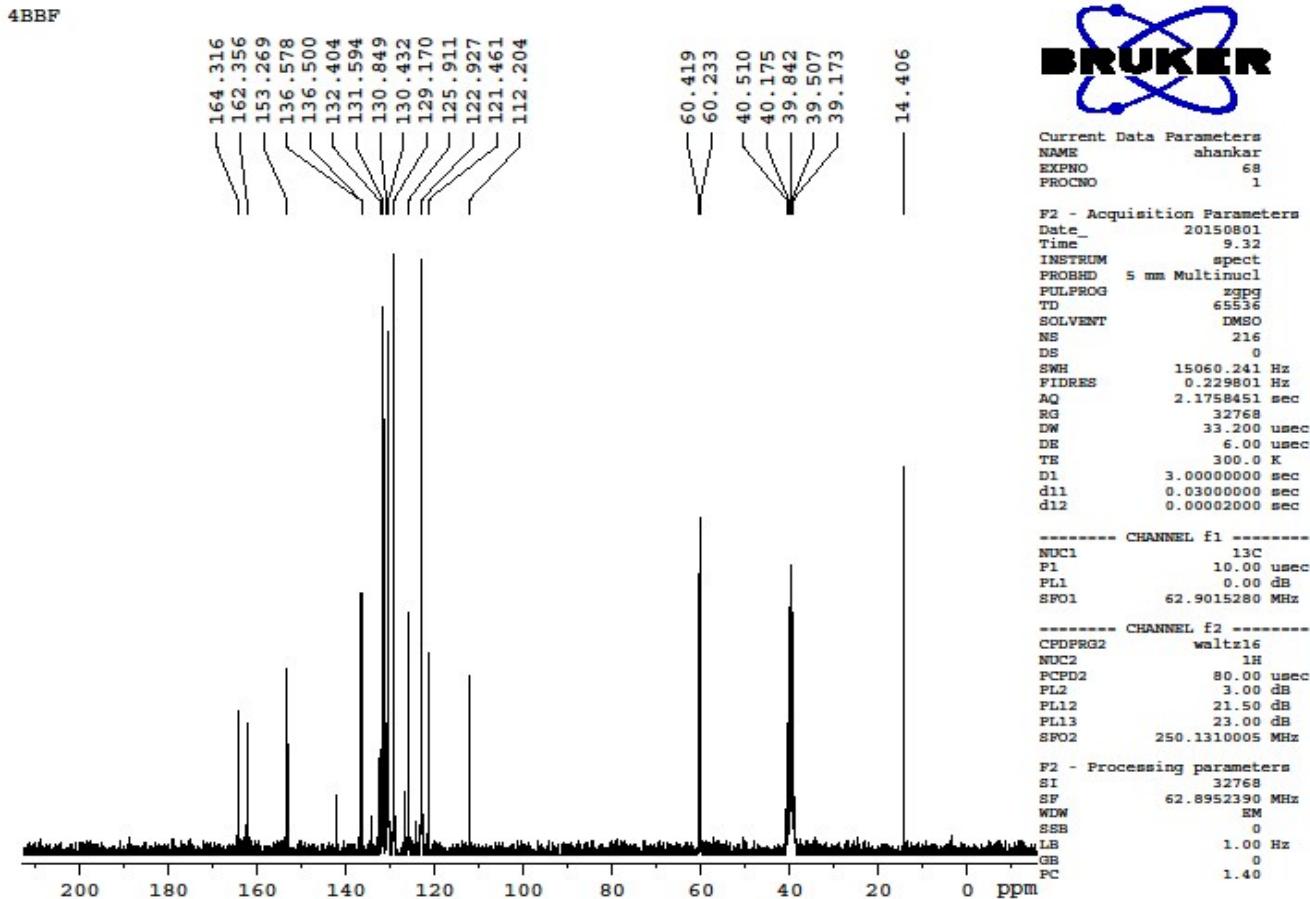
**Fig. 21** <sup>13</sup>C NMR (62.90 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of Ethyl 2-(4-fluorophenyl)-4-hydroxy-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4g**).



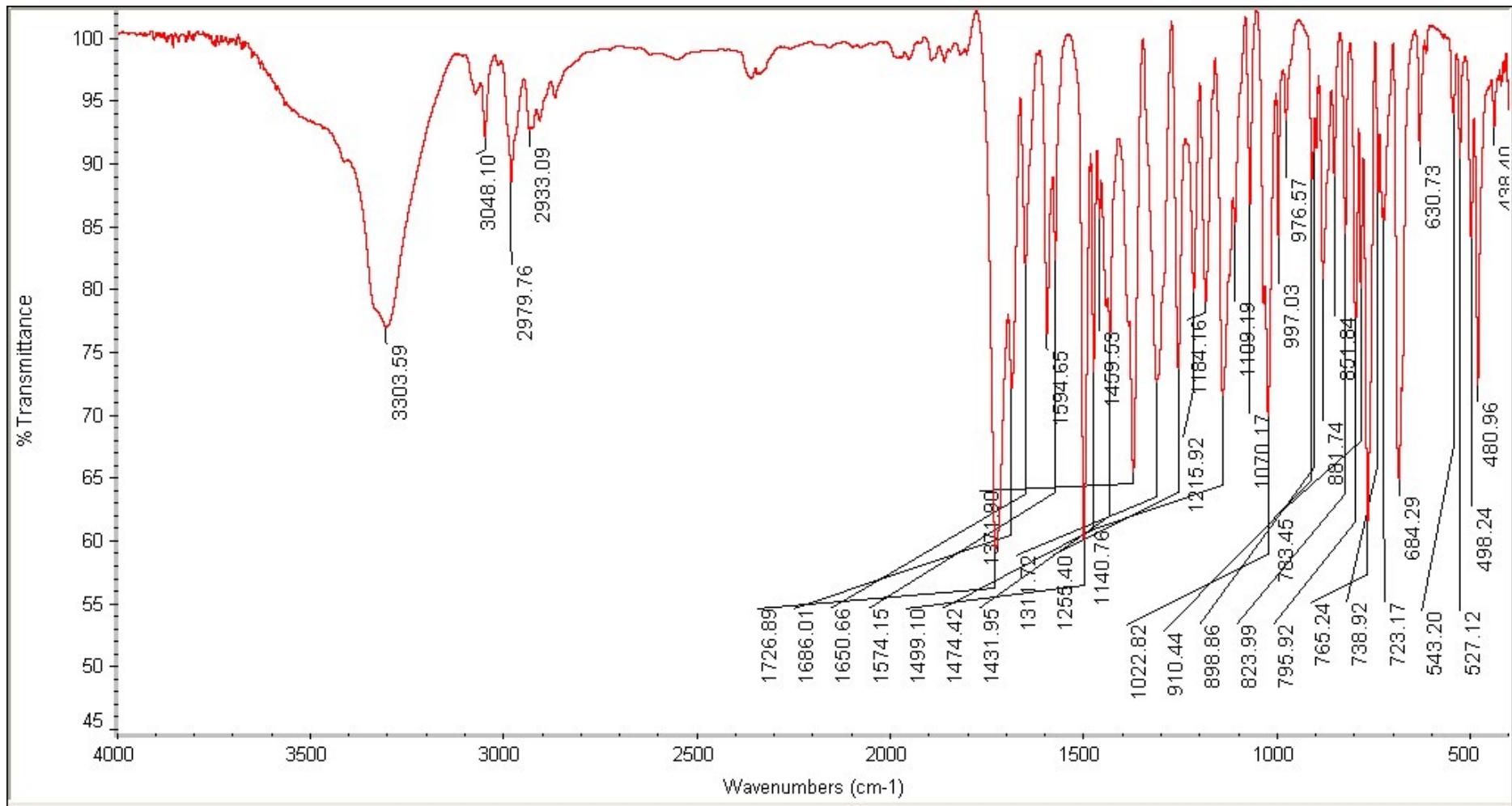
**Fig. 22** FT-IR spectrum of Ethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-4-hydroxy-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4h**).



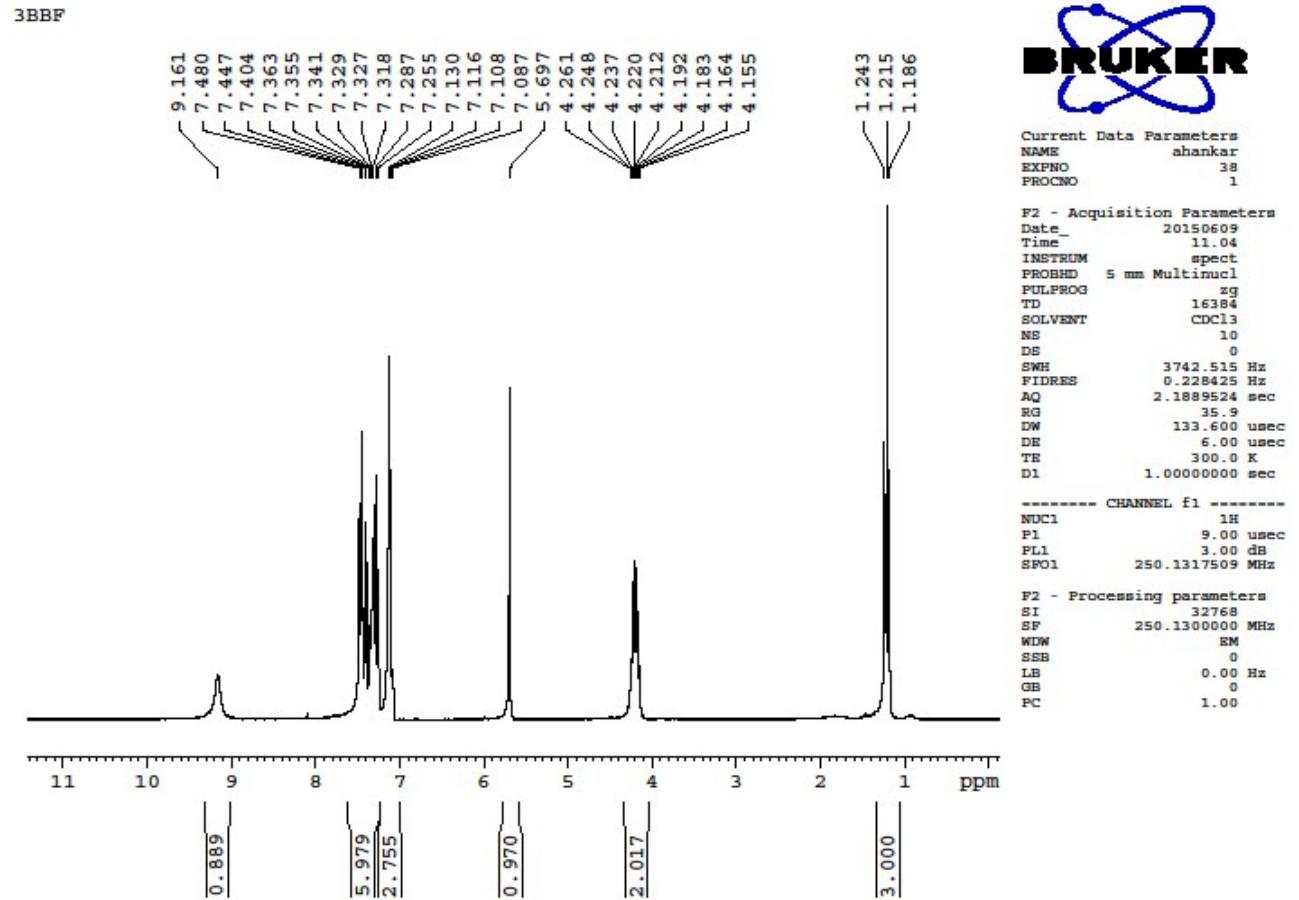
**Fig. 23**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (250.13 MHz,  $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ) spectrum of Ethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-4-hydroxy-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1*H*-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4h**).



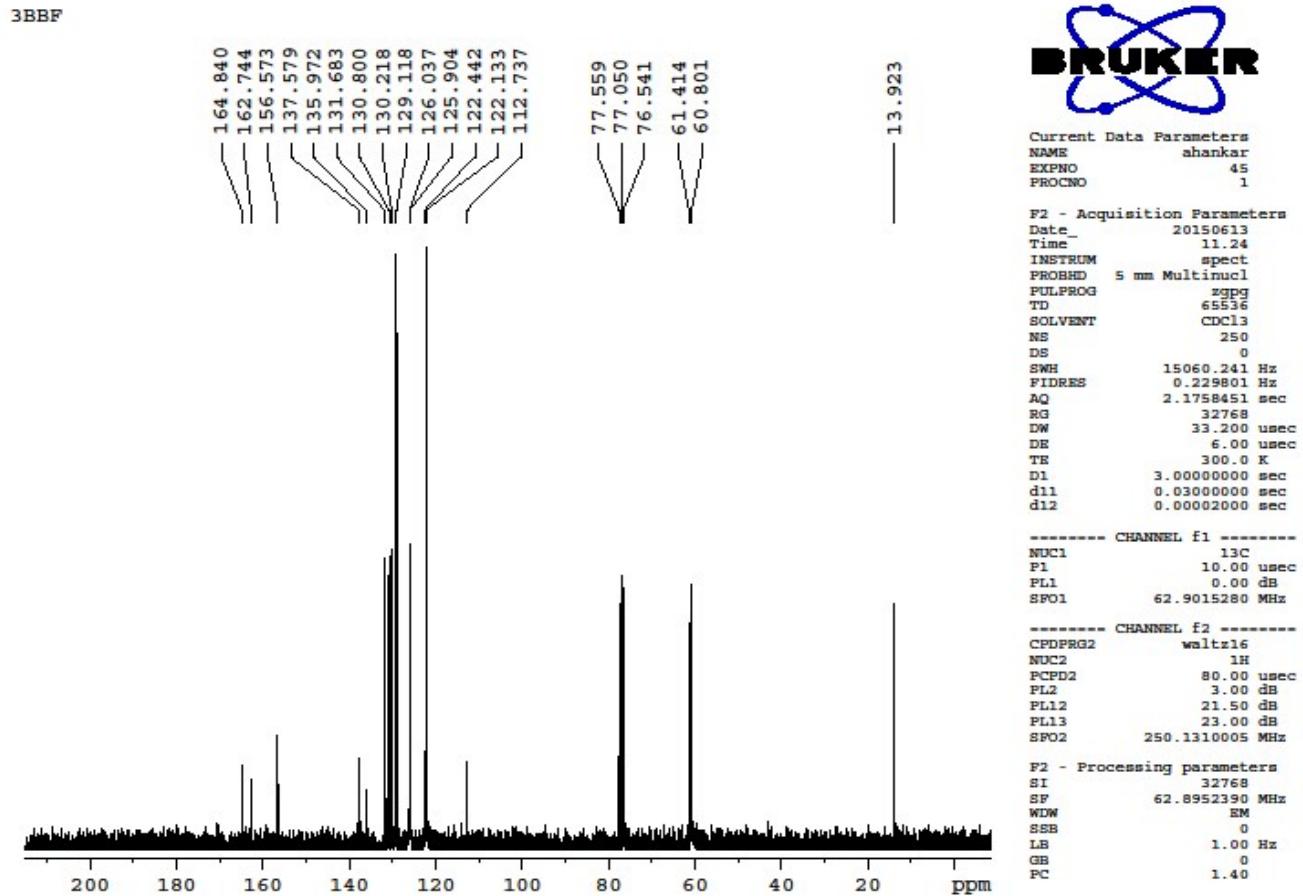
**Fig. 24**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (62.90 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) spectrum of Ethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-4-hydroxy-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4h**).



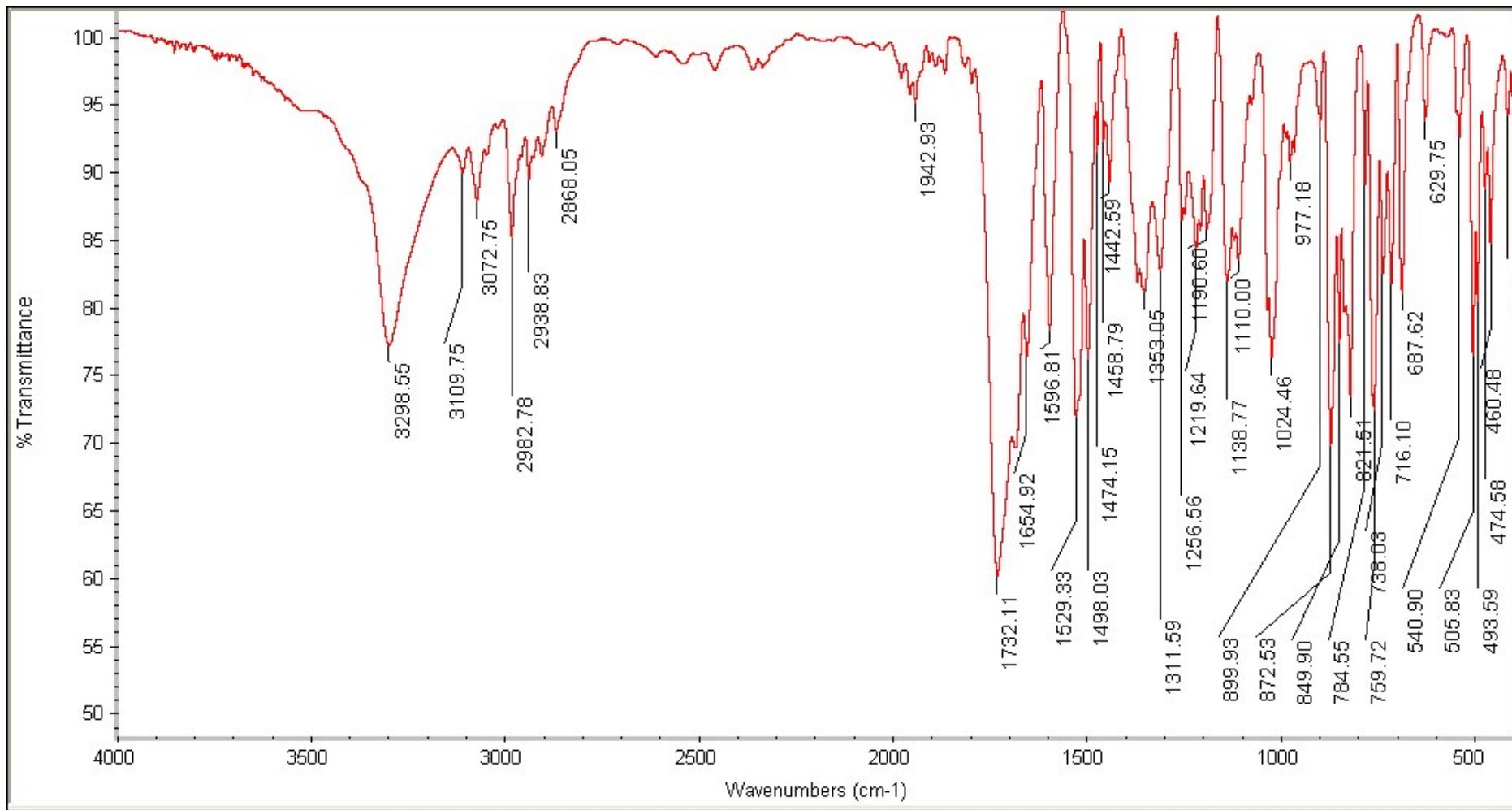
**Fig. 25** FT-IR spectrum of Ethyl 2-(3-bromophenyl)-4-hydroxy-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4i**).



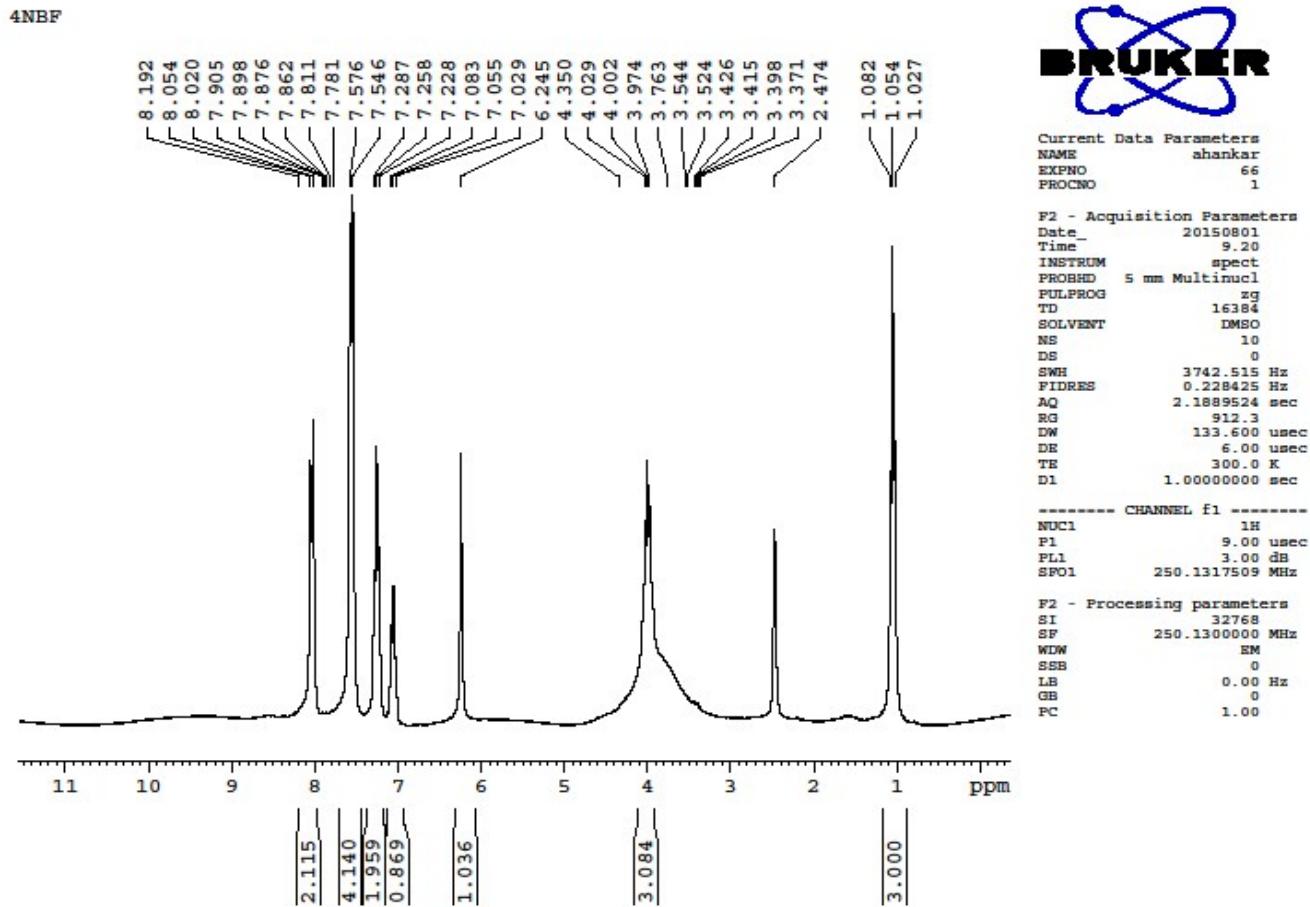
**Fig. 26** <sup>1</sup>H NMR (250.13 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of Ethyl 2-(3-bromophenyl)-4-hydroxy-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4i**).



**Fig. 27** <sup>13</sup>C NMR (62.90 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of Ethyl 2-(4-bromophenyl)-4-hydroxy-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4i**).

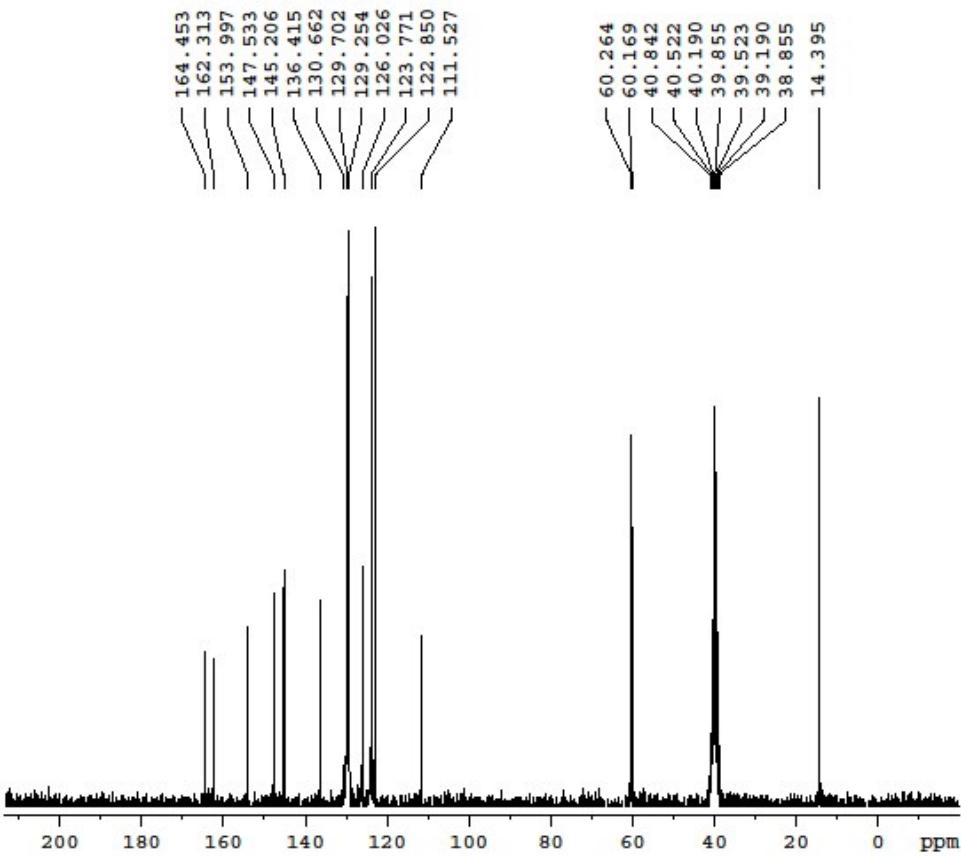


**Fig. 28** FT-IR spectrum of Ethyl 2-(4-nitrophenyl)-4-hydroxy-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4j**).



**Fig. 29**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (250.13 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) spectrum of Ethyl 2-(4-nitrophenyl)-4-hydroxy-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4j**).

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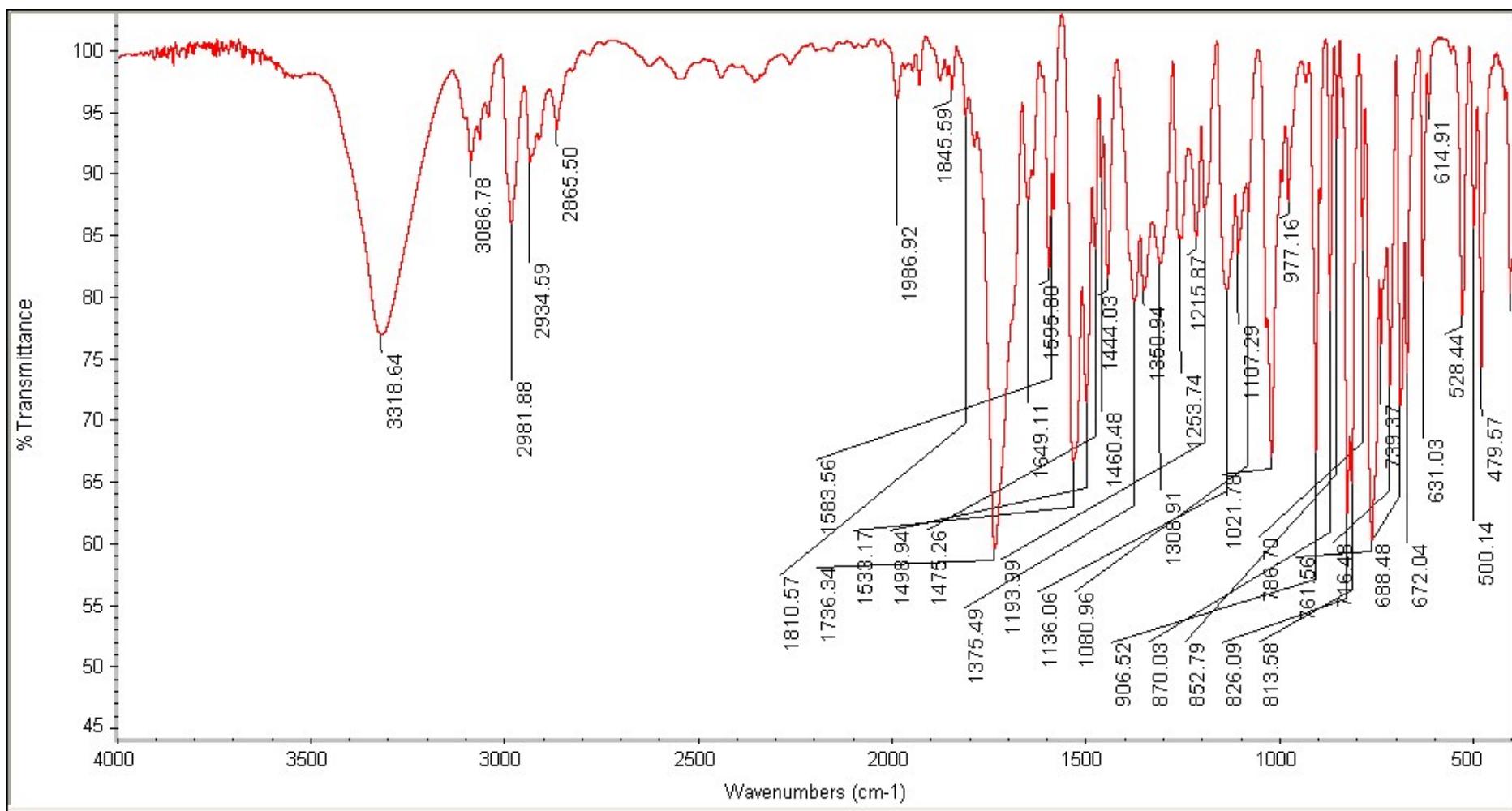
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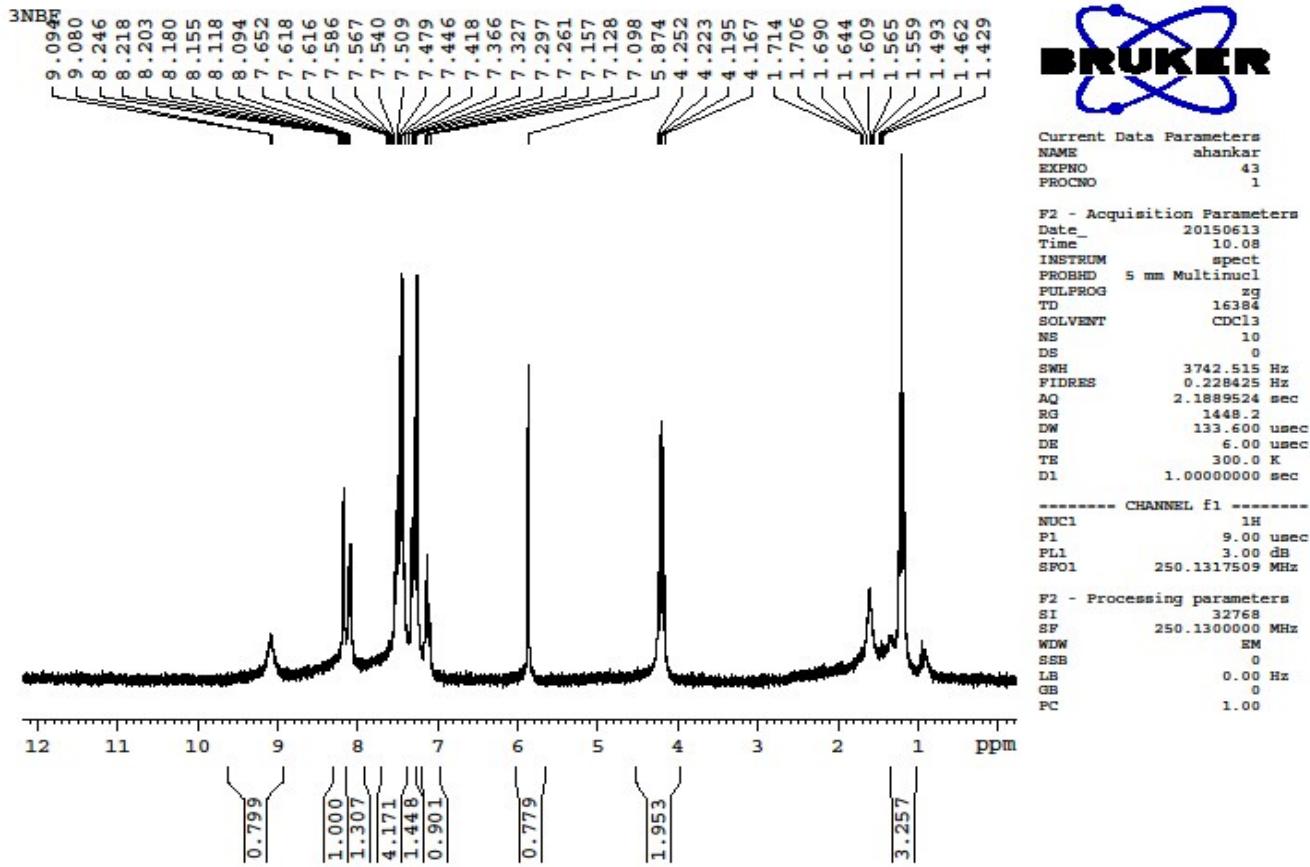
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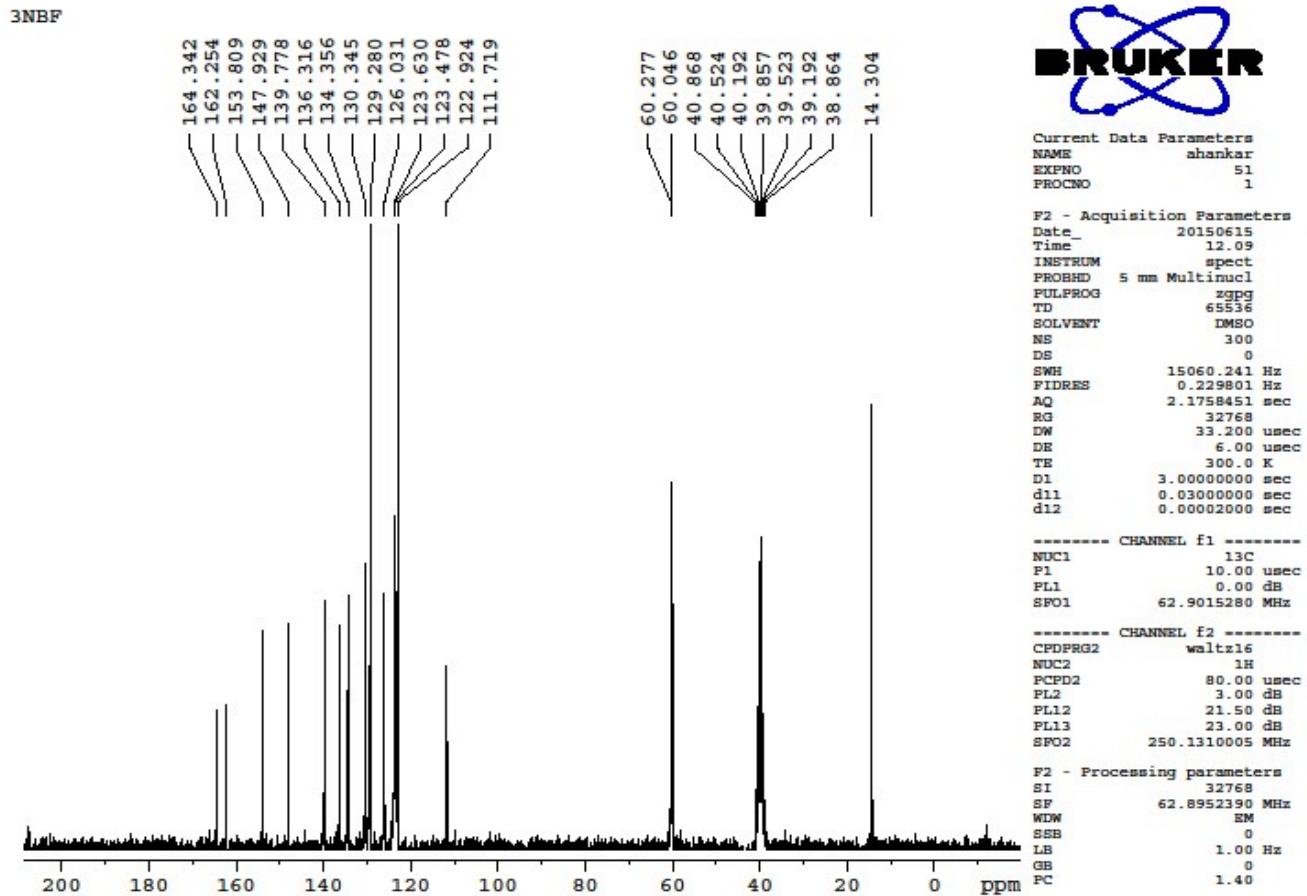
**Fig. 30**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (62.90 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) spectrum of Ethyl 2-(4-nitrophenyl)-4-hydroxy-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4j**).



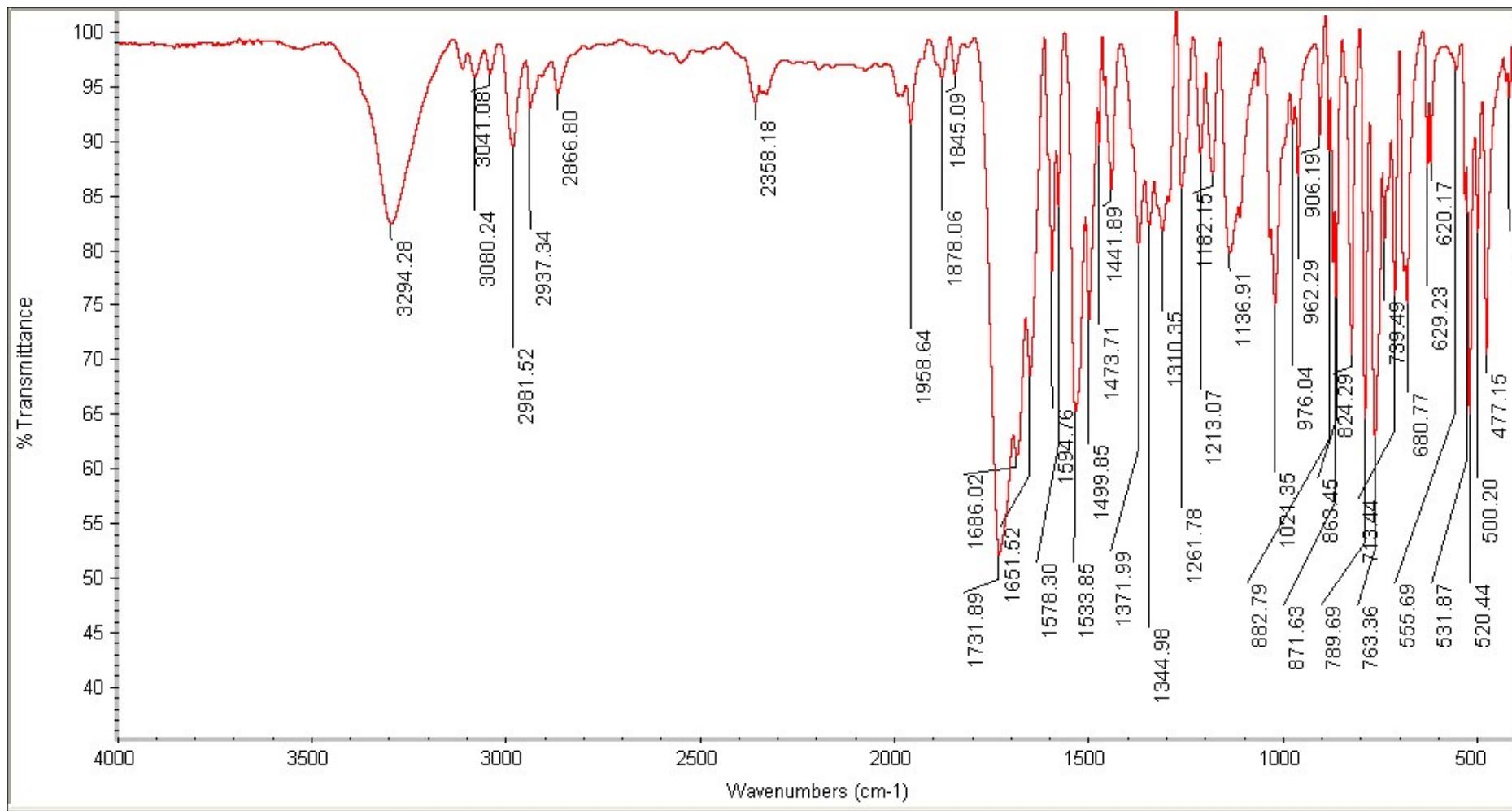
**Fig. 31** FT-IR spectrum of Ethyl 2-(3-nitrophenyl)-4-hydroxy-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4k**).



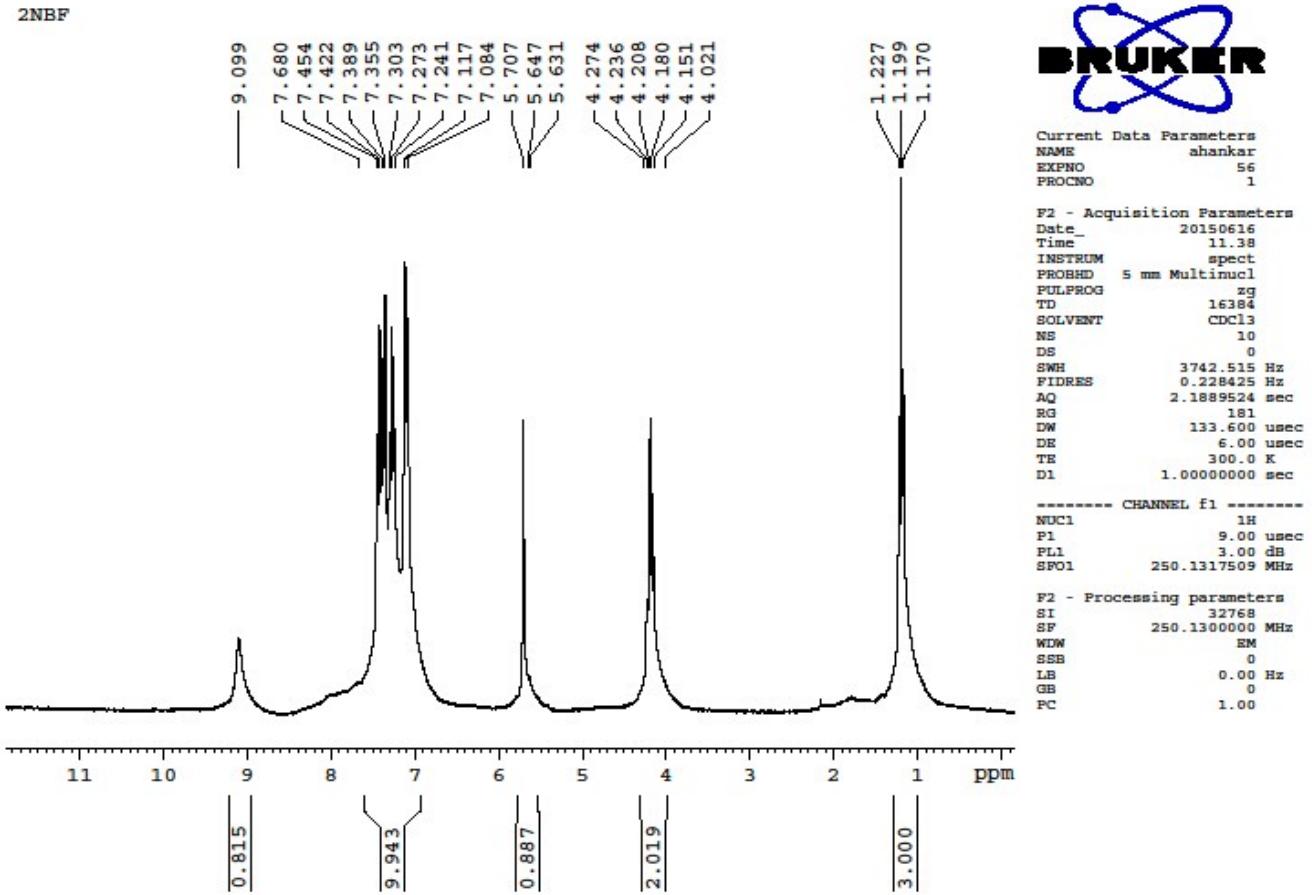
**Fig. 32** <sup>1</sup>H NMR (250.13 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of Ethyl 2-(3-nitrophenyl)-4-hydroxy-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4k**).



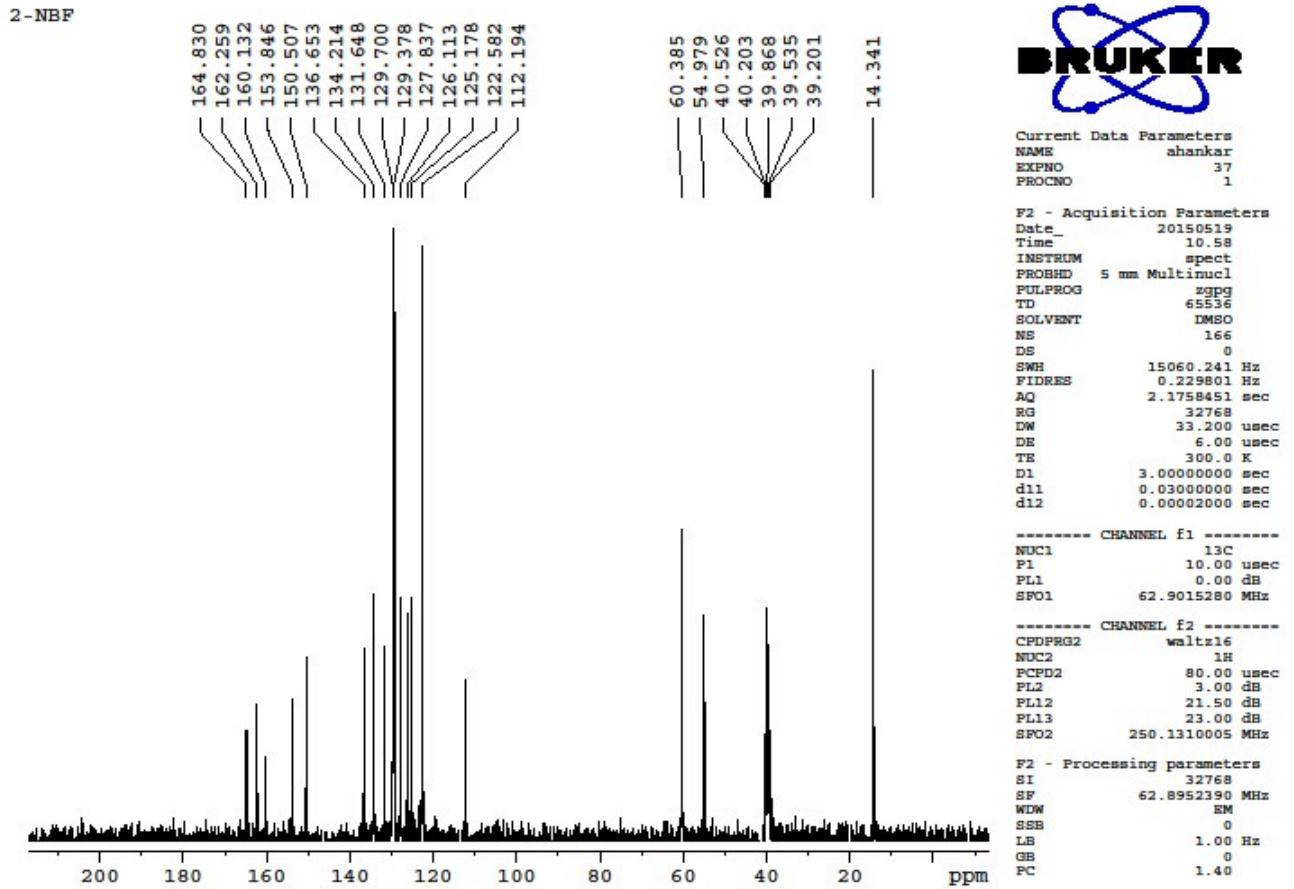
**Fig. 33** <sup>13</sup>C NMR (62.90 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) spectrum of Ethyl 2-(3-nitrophenyl)-4-hydroxy-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4k**).



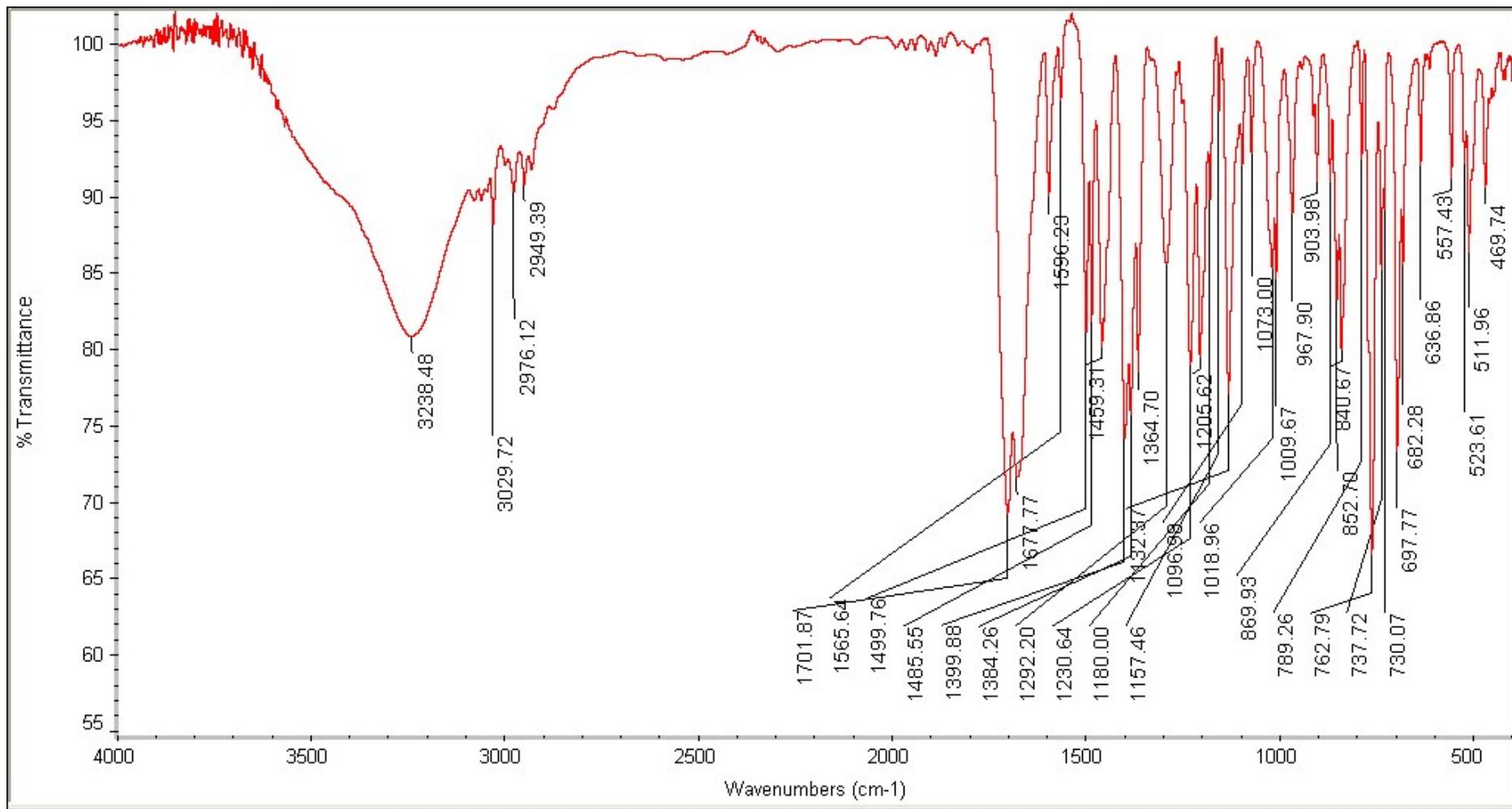
**Fig. 34** FT-IR spectrum of Ethyl 2-(2-nitrophenyl)-4-hydroxy-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4l**).



**Fig. 35** <sup>1</sup>H NMR (250.13 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of Ethyl 2-(2-nitrophenyl)-4-hydroxy-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4l**).

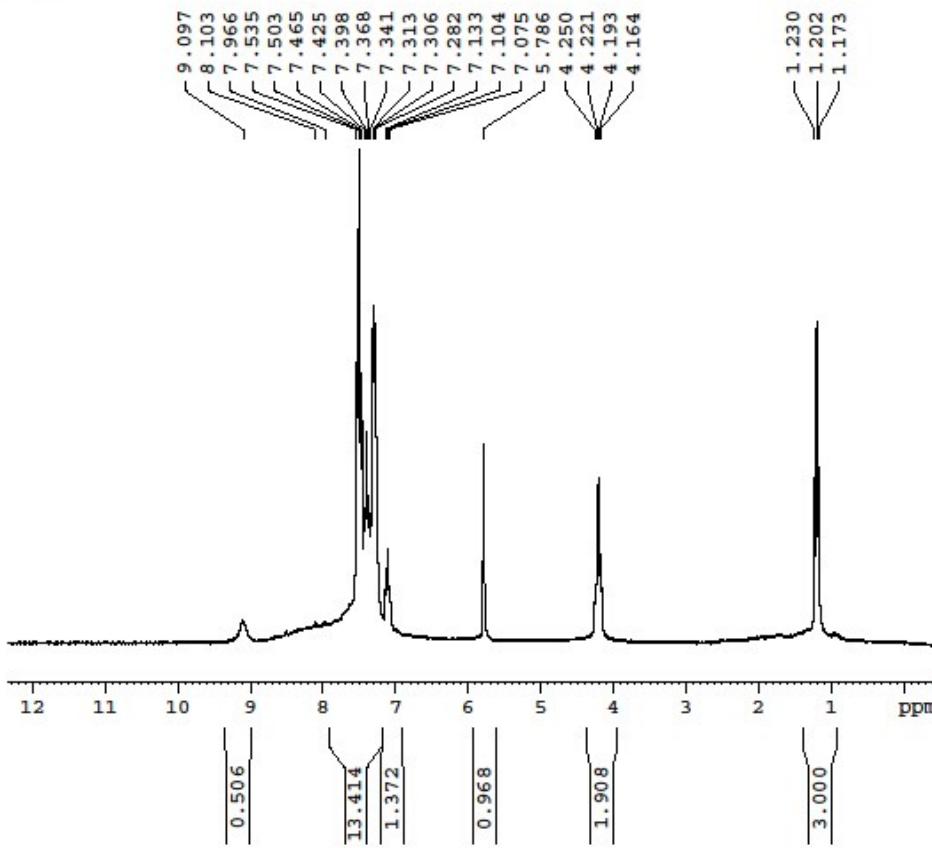


**Fig. 36**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (62.90 MHz, DMSO- $\text{d}_6$ ) spectrum of Ethyl 2-(2-nitrophenyl)-4-hydroxy-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4l**).



**Fig. 37** FT-IR spectrum of Ethyl 2-([1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)-4-hydroxy-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4m**).

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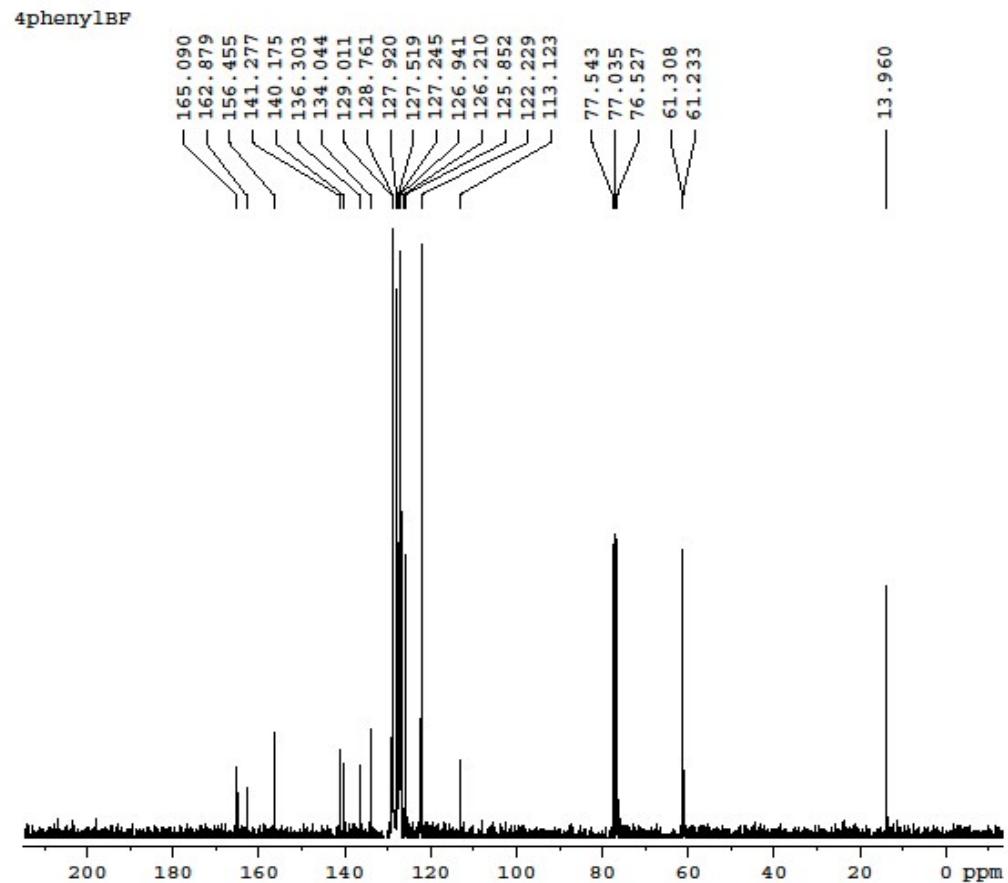
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Fig. 38  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (250.13 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ) spectrum of Ethyl 2-([1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)-4-hydroxy-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4m**).



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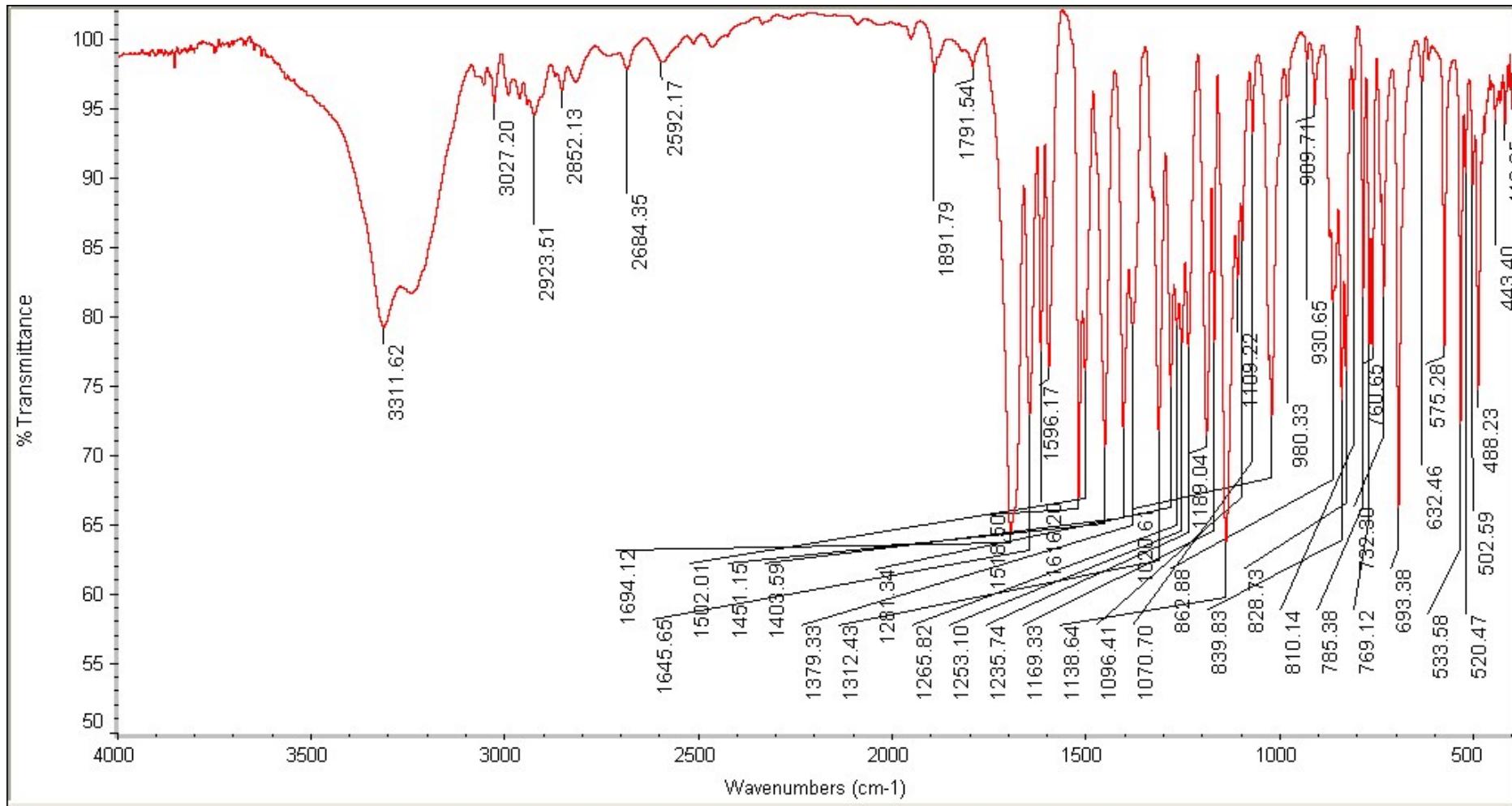
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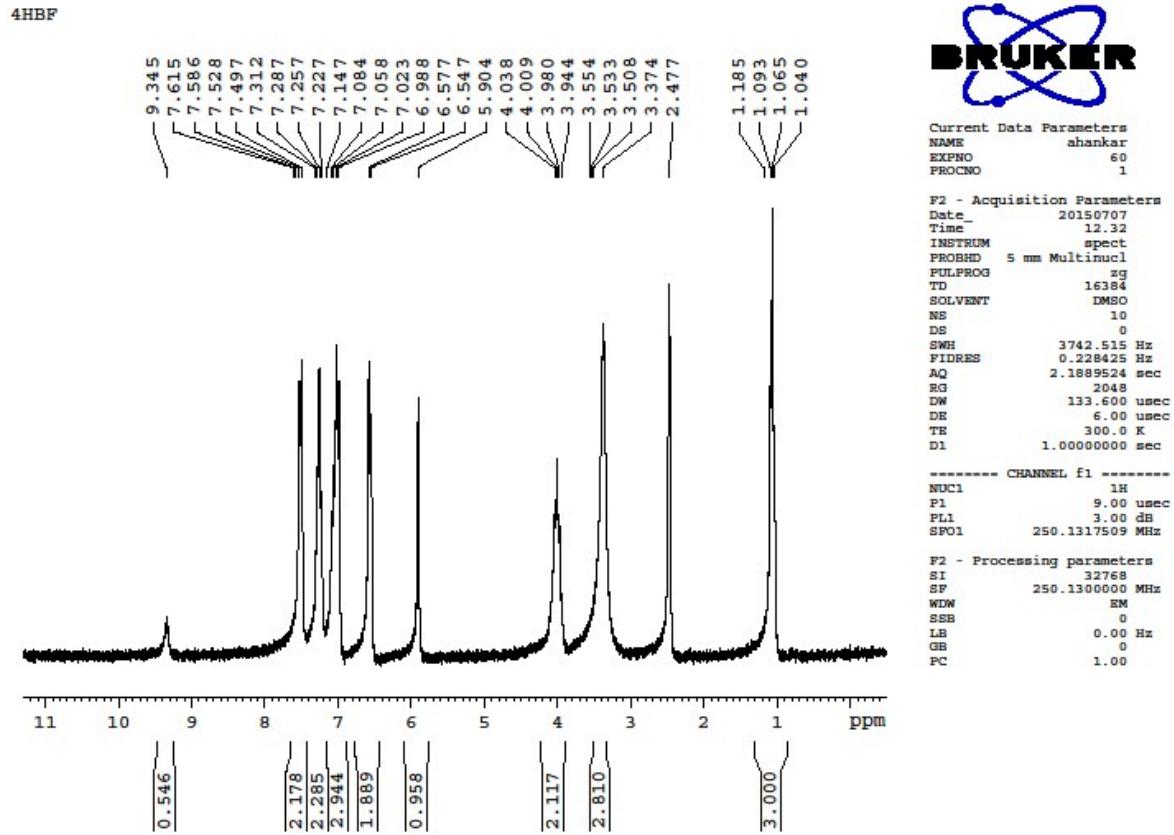
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**Fig. 39**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (62.90 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of Ethyl 2-([1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)-4-hydroxy-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4m**).

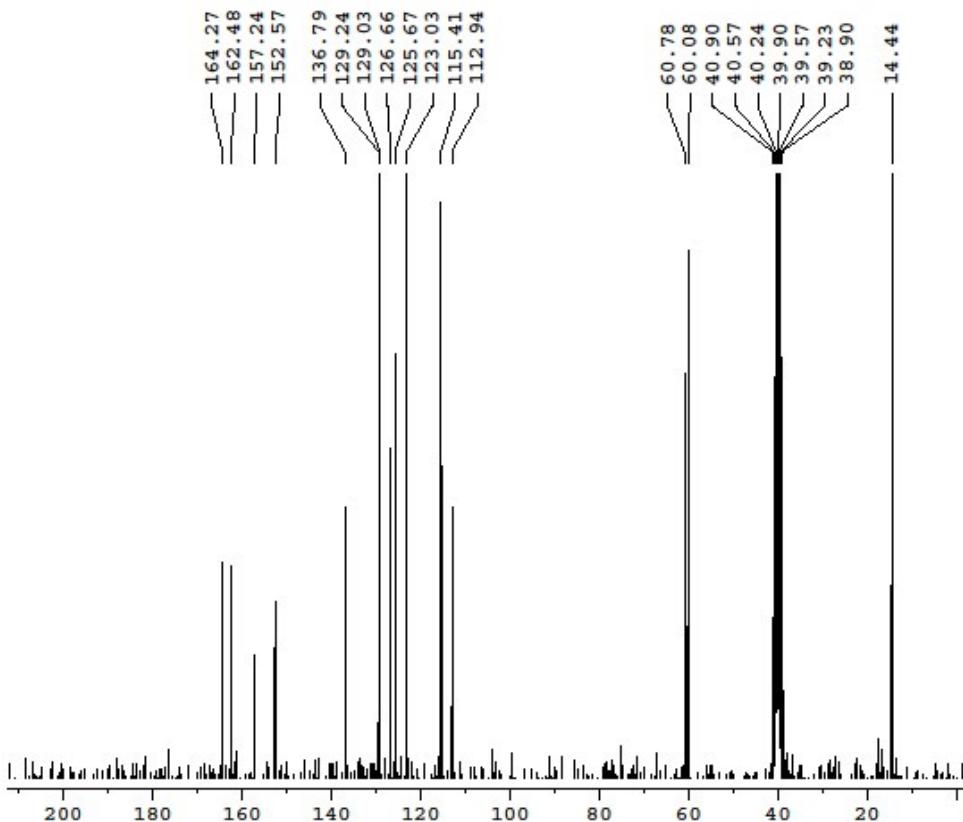


**Fig. 40** FT-IR spectrum of Ethyl 4-hydroxy-2-(4-hydroxyphenyl)-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4n**).



**Fig. 41**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (250.13 MHz,  $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ) spectrum of Ethyl 4-hydroxy-2-(4-hydroxyphenyl)-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1*H*-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4n**).

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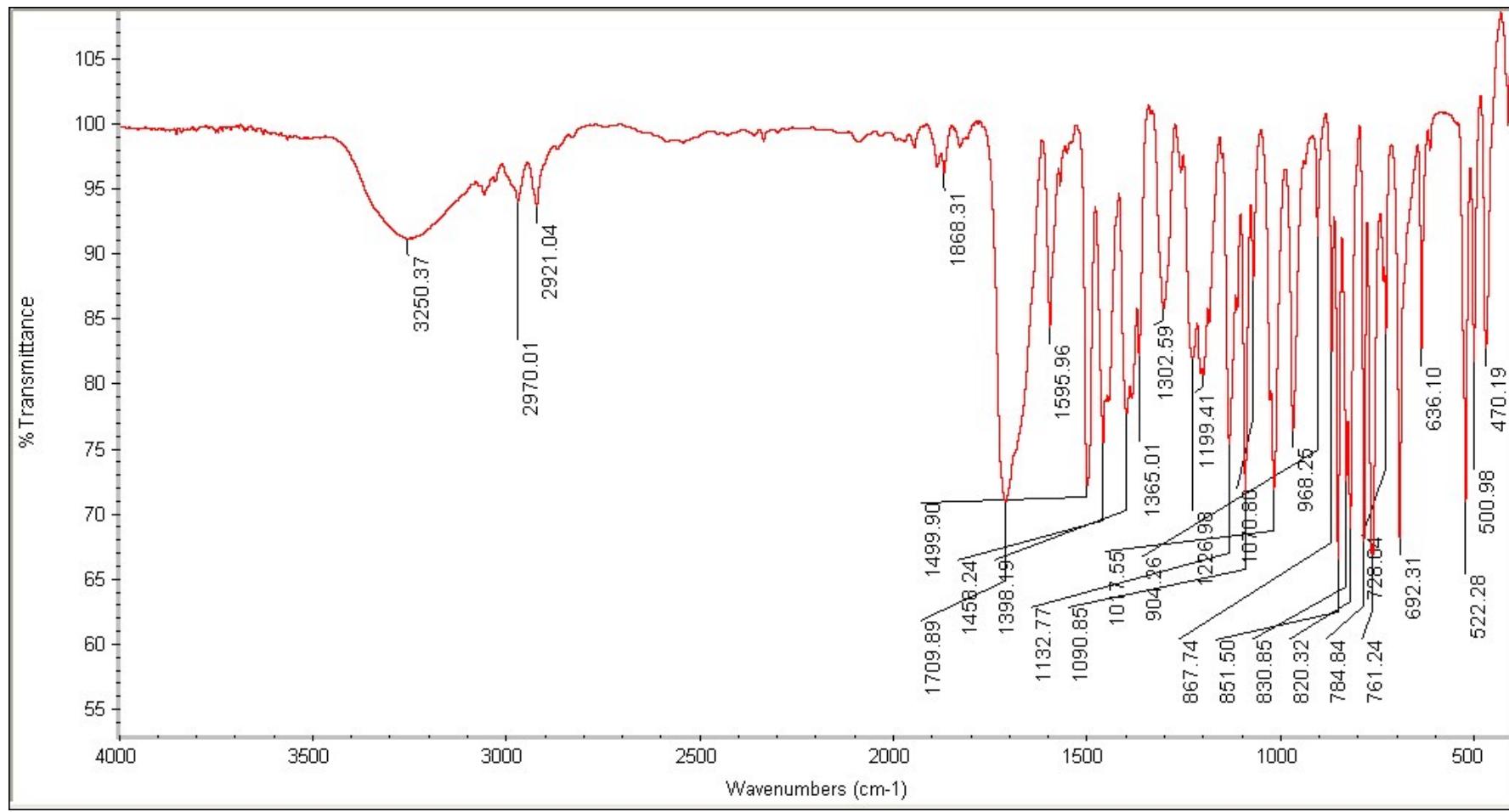
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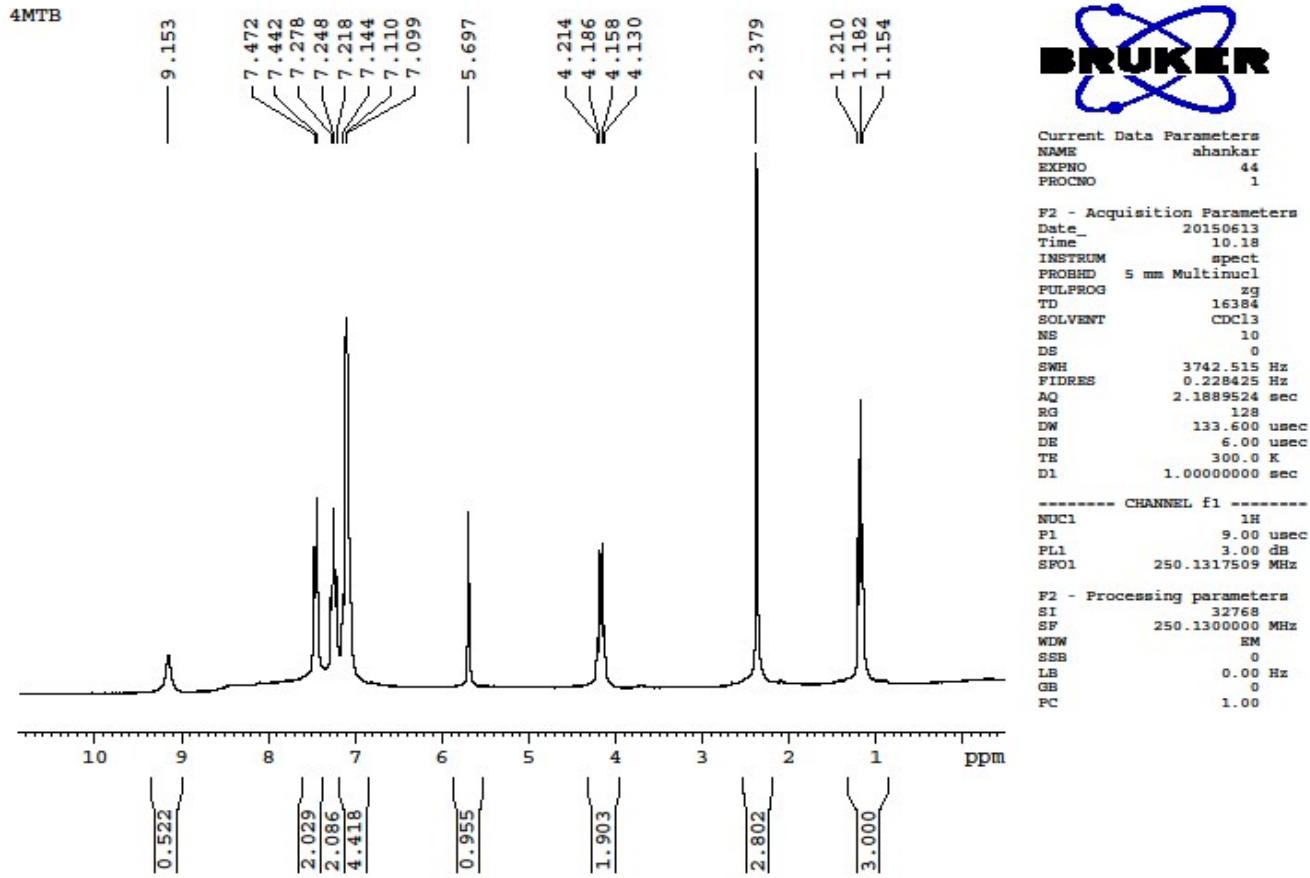
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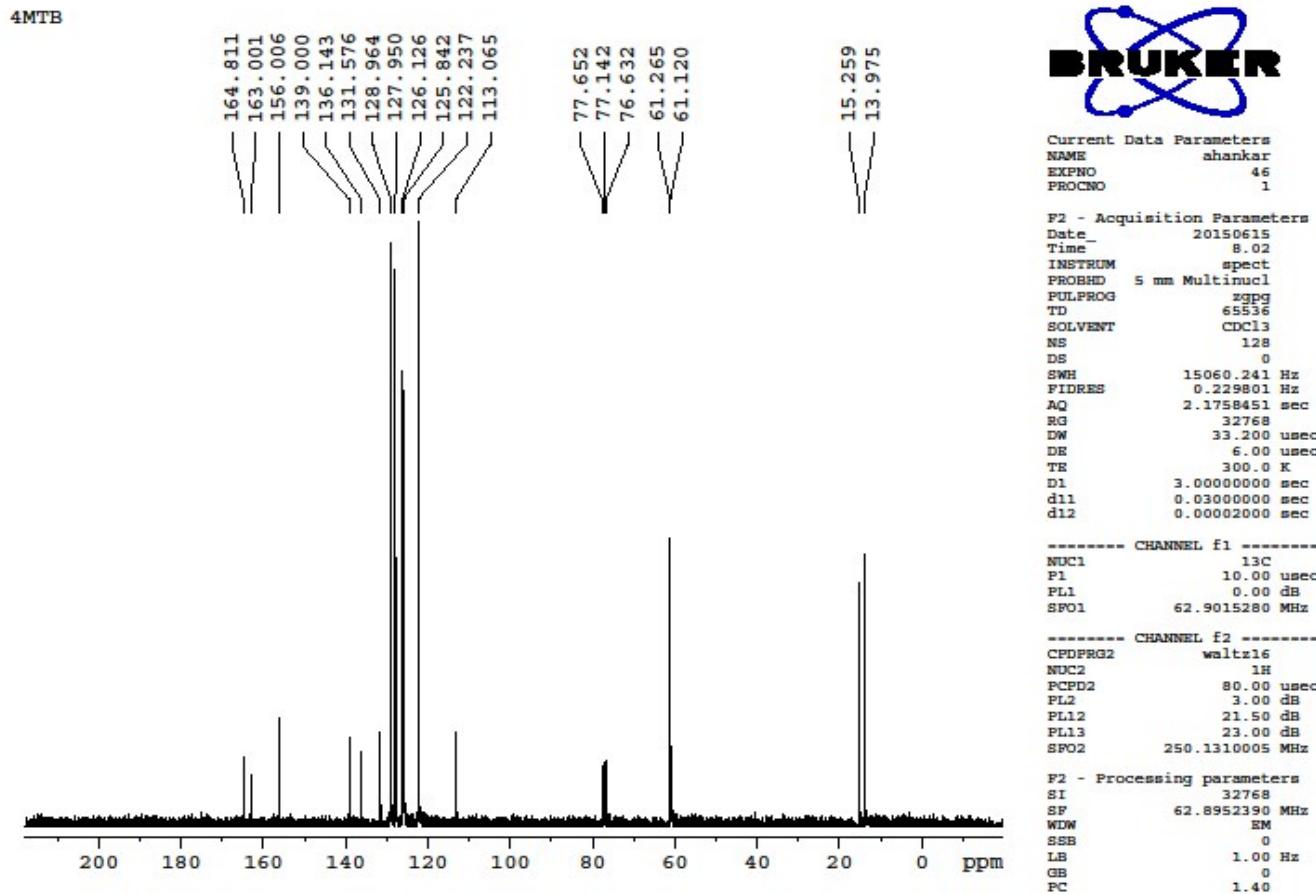
**Fig. 42**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (62.90 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>) spectrum of Ethyl 4-hydroxy-2-(4-hydroxyphenyl)-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4n**).



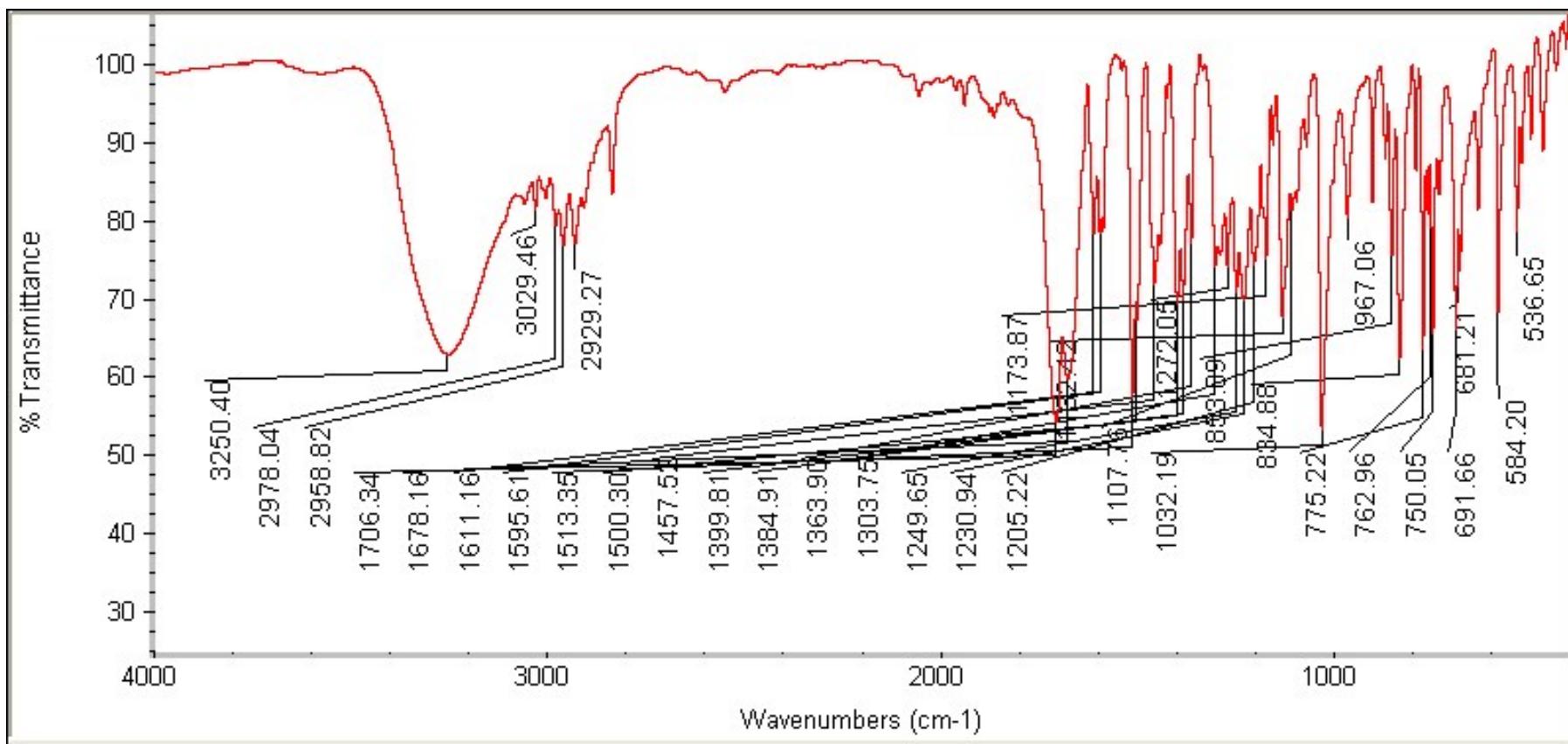
**Fig. 43** FT-IR spectrum of Ethyl 4-hydroxy-2-(4-(methylthio)phenyl)-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4o**).



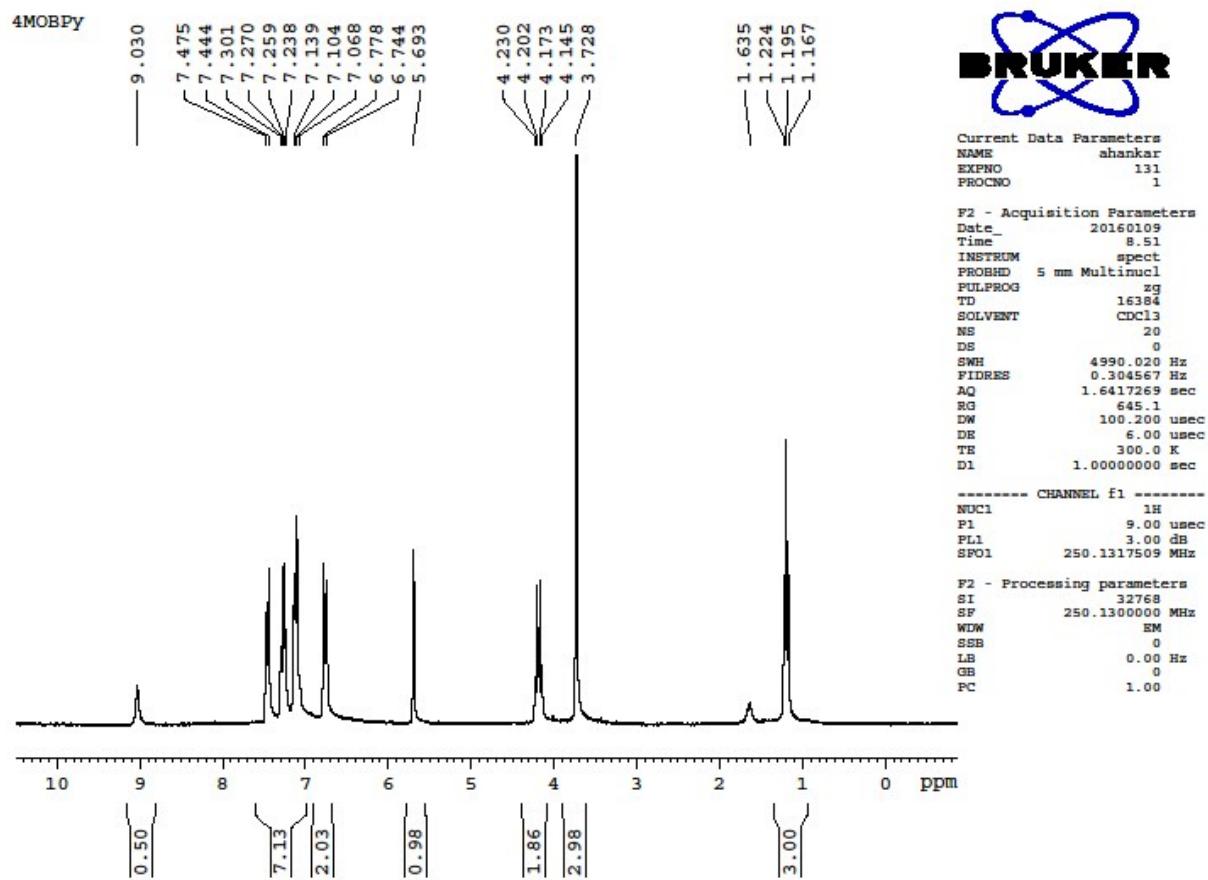
**Fig. 44** <sup>1</sup>H NMR (250.13 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of Ethyl 4-hydroxy-2-(4-(methylthio)phenyl)-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4o**).



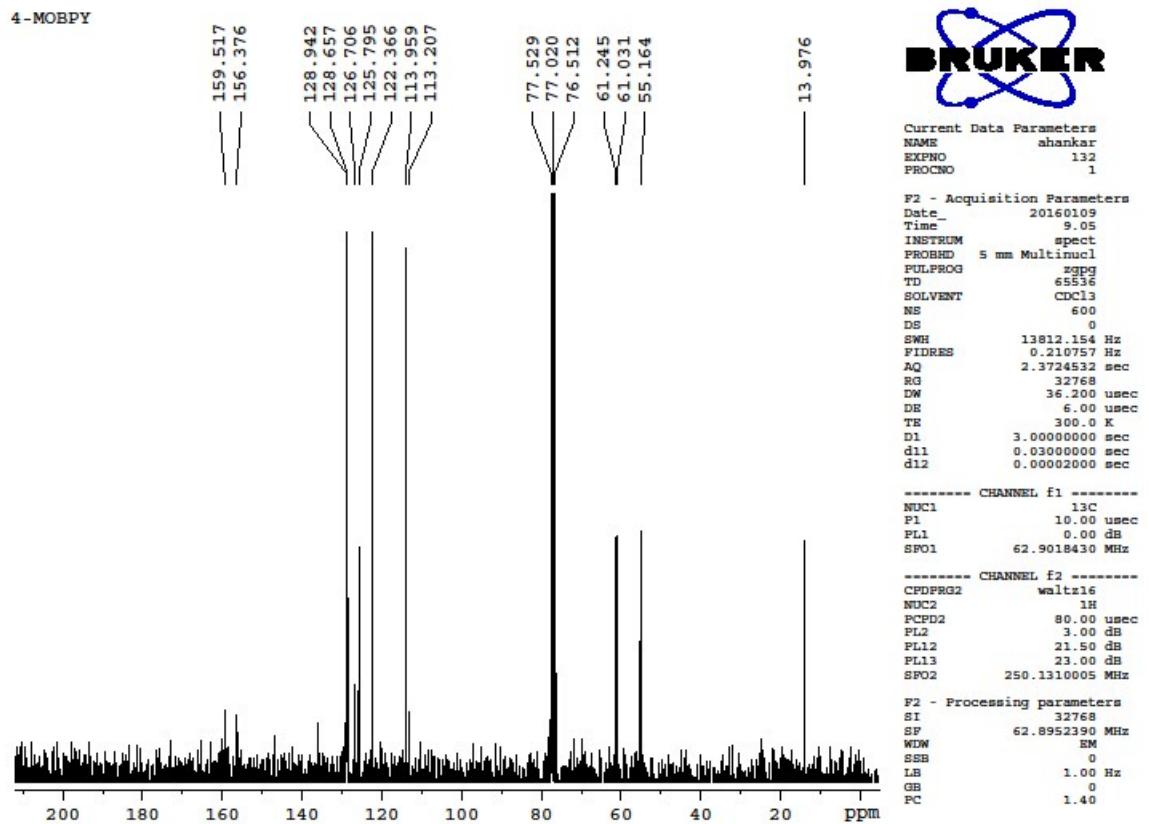
**Fig. 45**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (62.90 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of Ethyl 4-hydroxy-2-(4-(methylthio)phenyl)-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4o**)



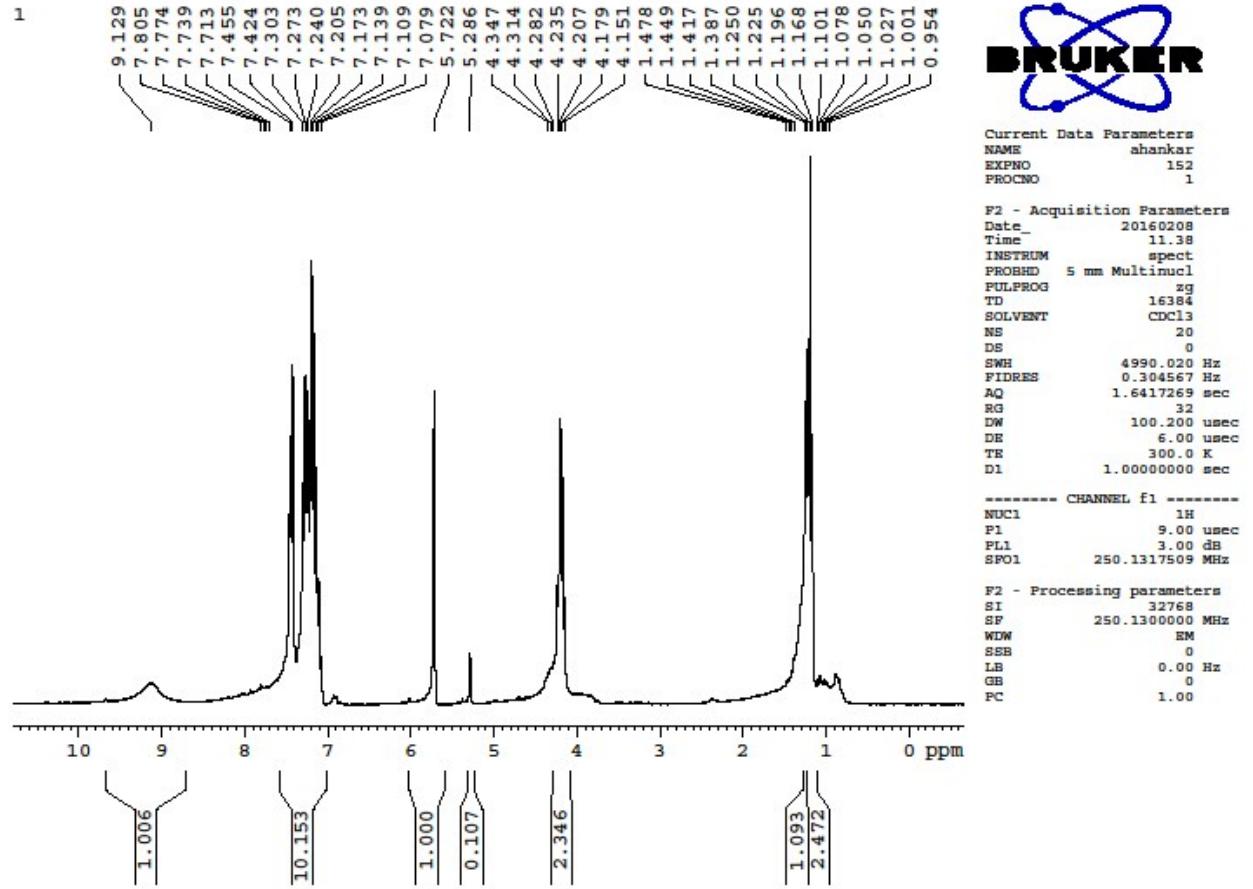
**Fig. 46** FT-IR spectrum of Ethyl 4-hydroxy-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4p**).



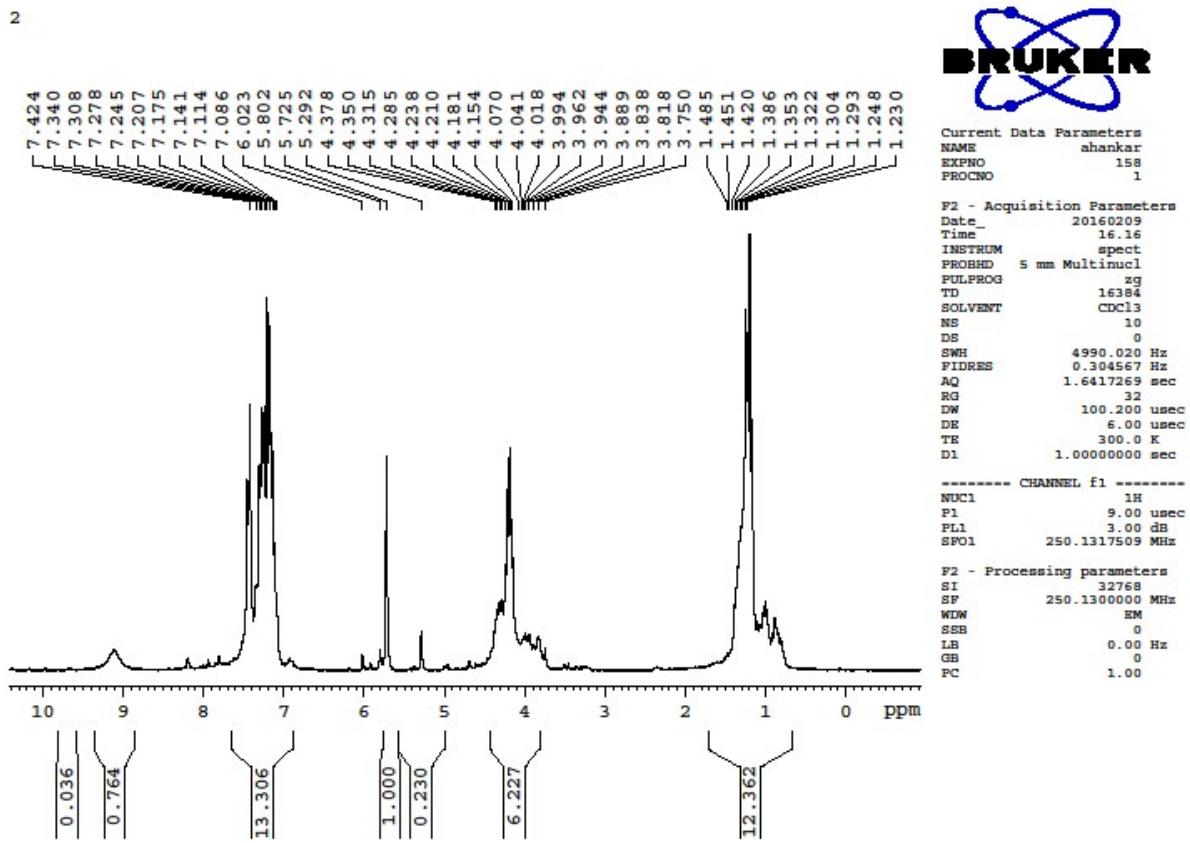
**Fig. 47** <sup>1</sup>H NMR (250.13 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of Ethyl 4-hydroxy-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4p**)



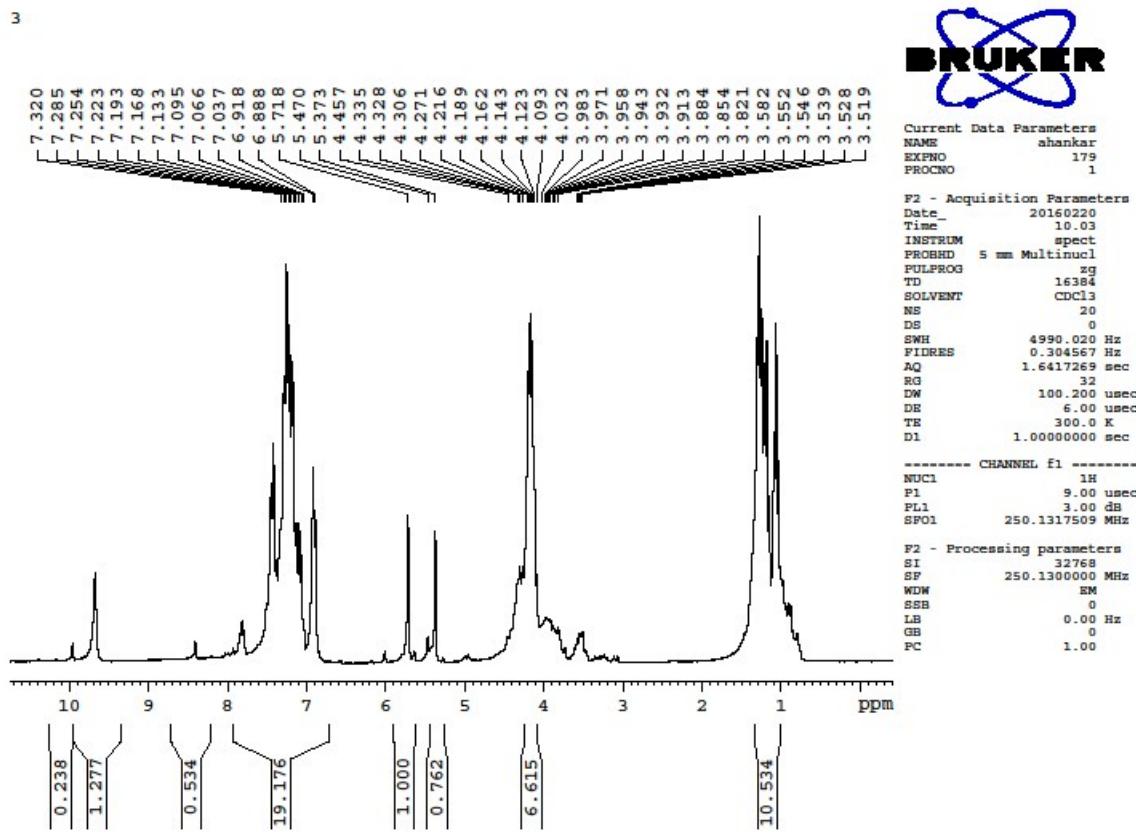
**Fig. 48** <sup>13</sup>C NMR (62.90 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) spectrum of Ethyl 4-hydroxy-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-5-oxo-1-phenyl-2,5-dihydro-1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylate (**4p**)



**Fig. 49** <sup>1</sup>H NMR (250.13 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) of the crude product **4d** that obtained under ultrasound irradiation conditions.

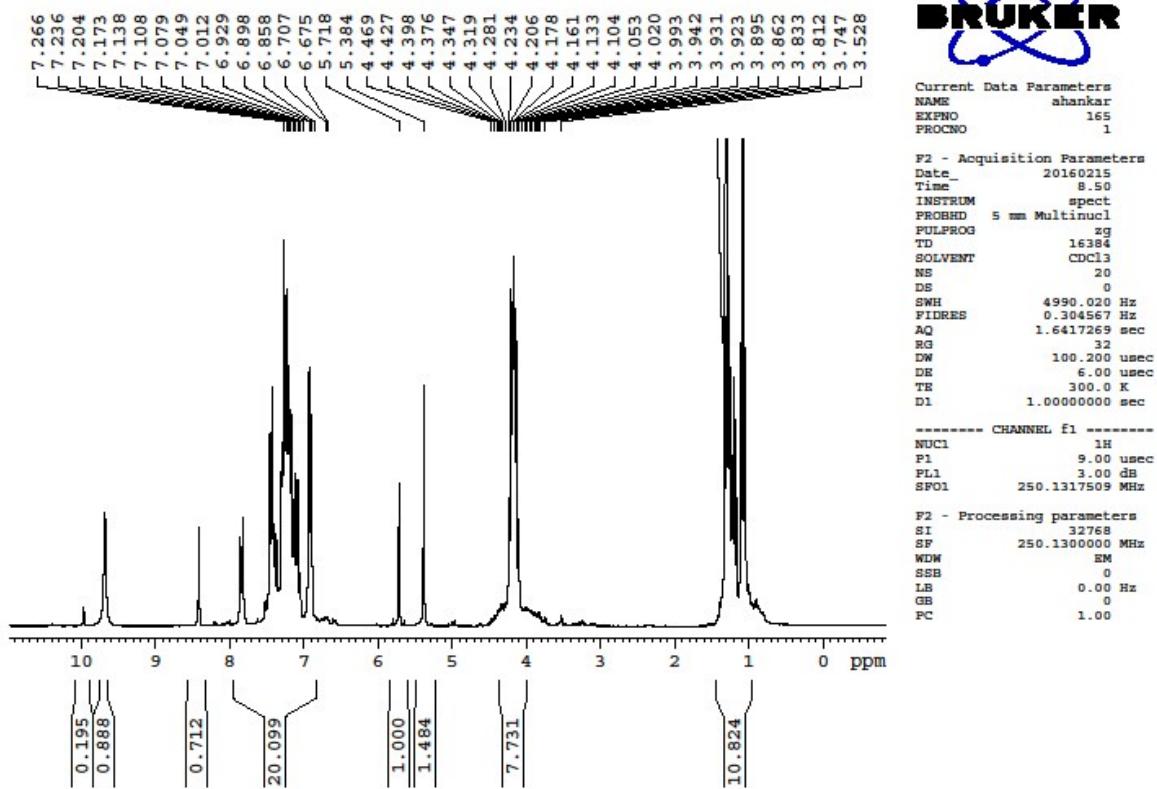


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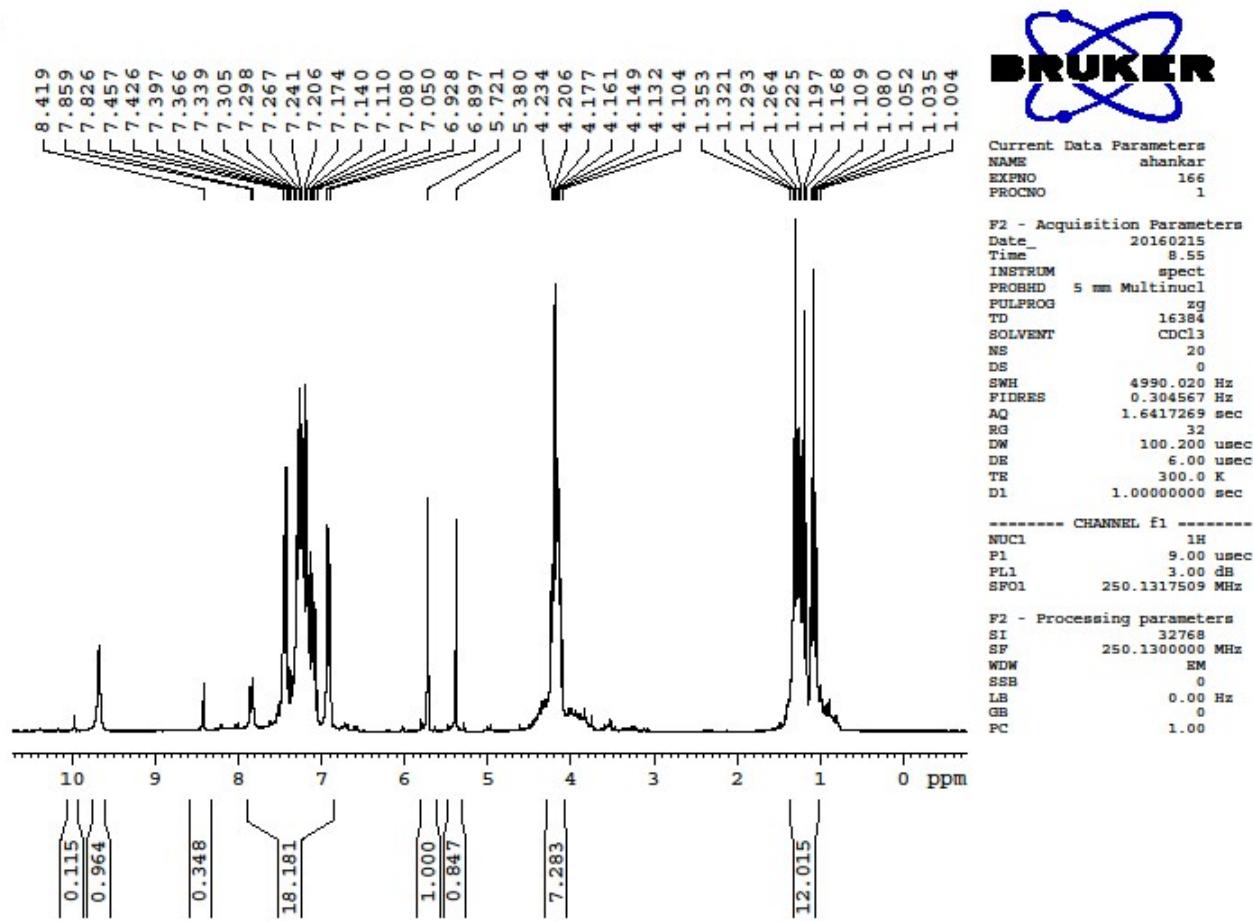


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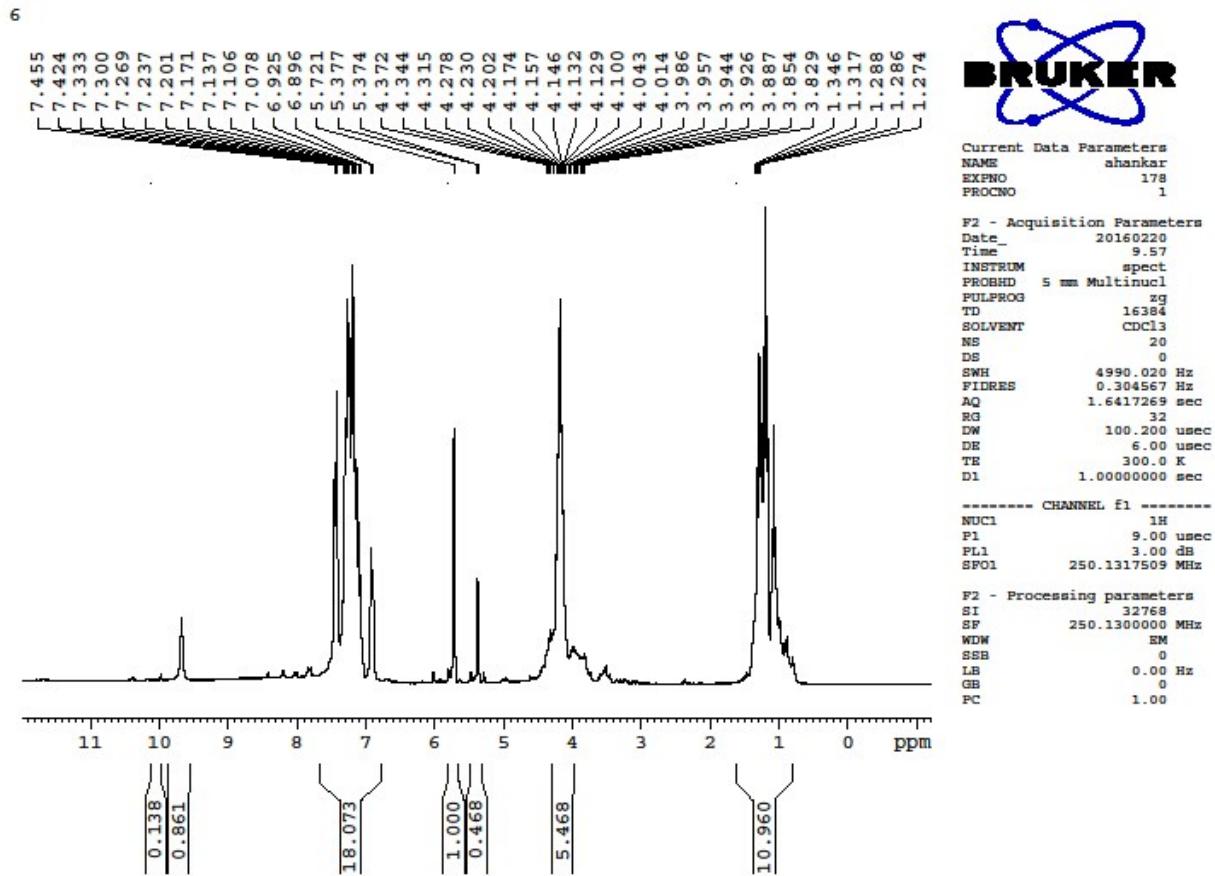
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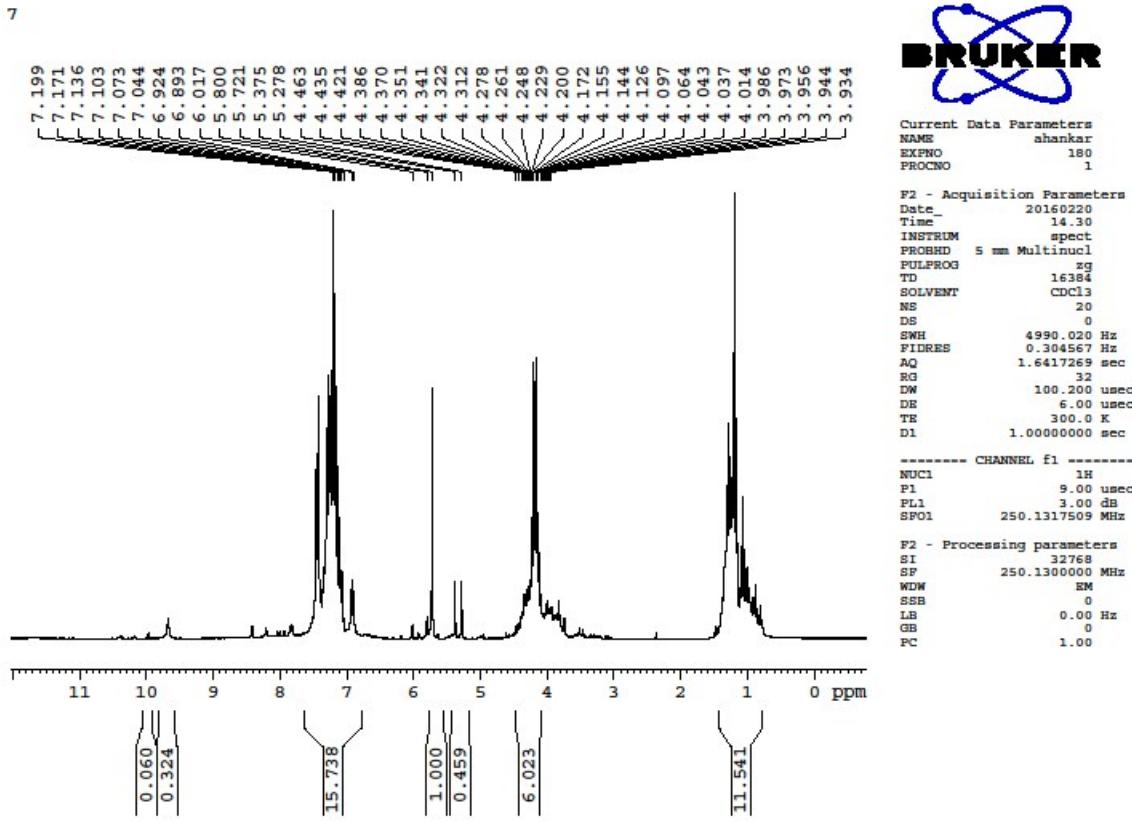
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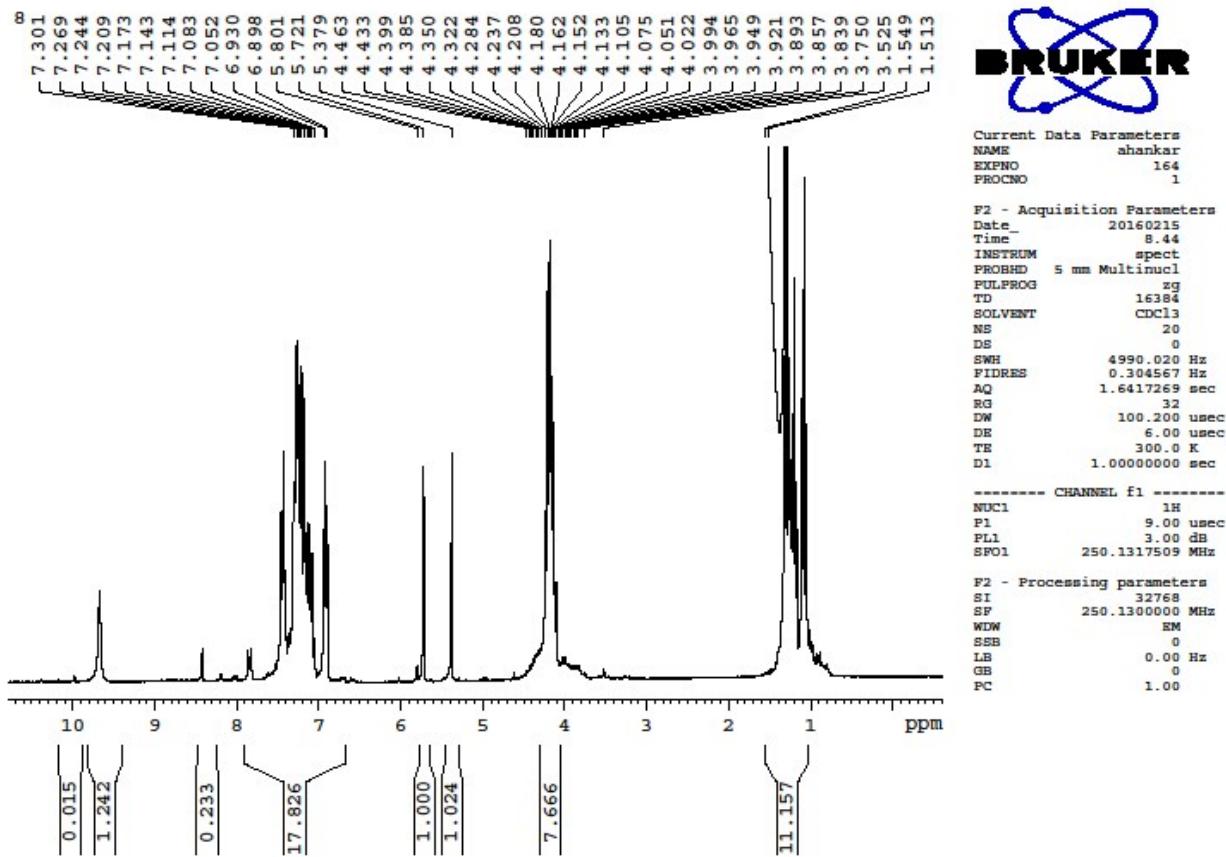
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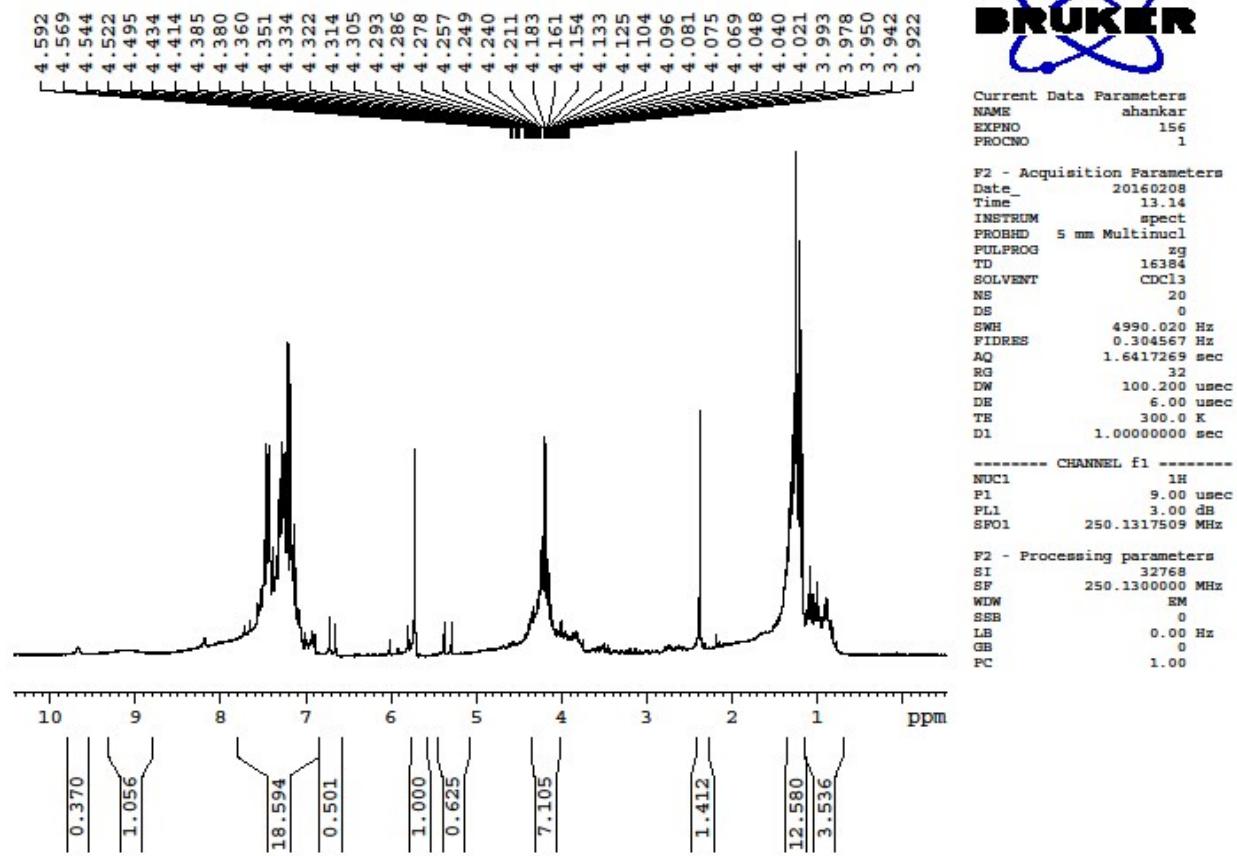
**Fig. 54**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (250.13 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ) of the crude product **4d** that obtained in reflux conditions for 15 min.



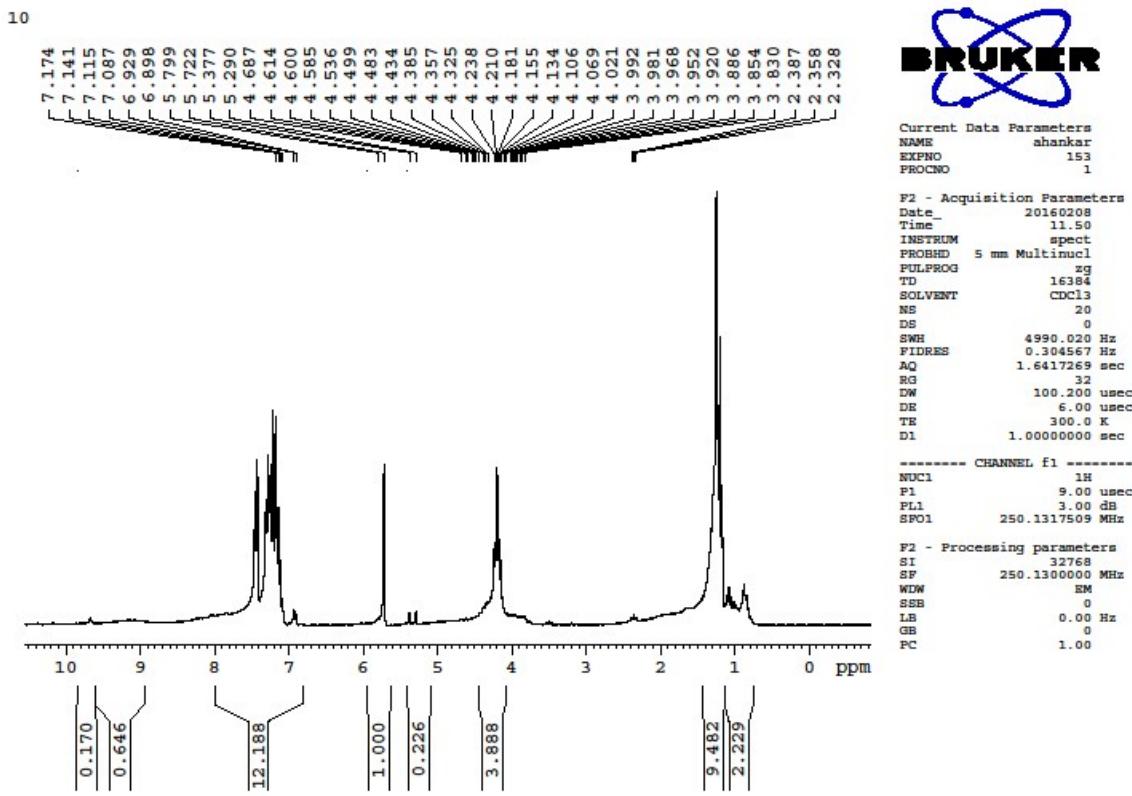
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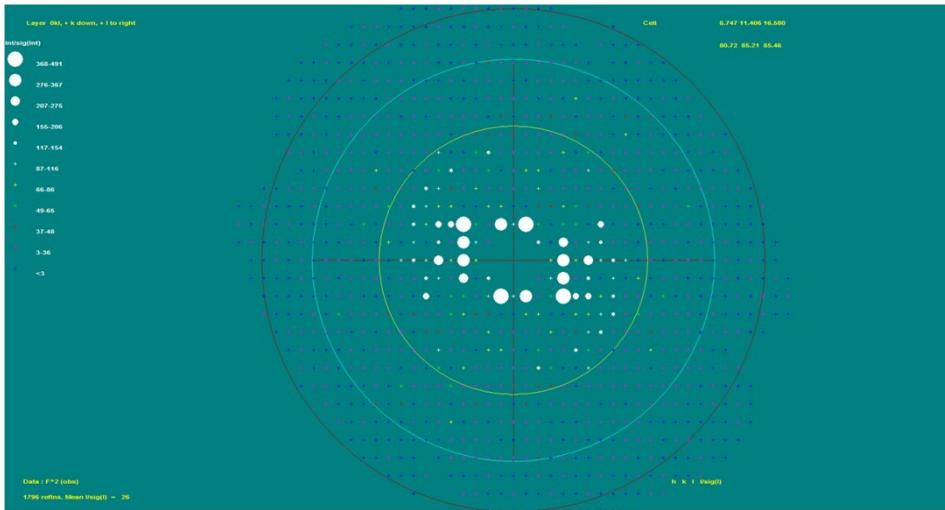
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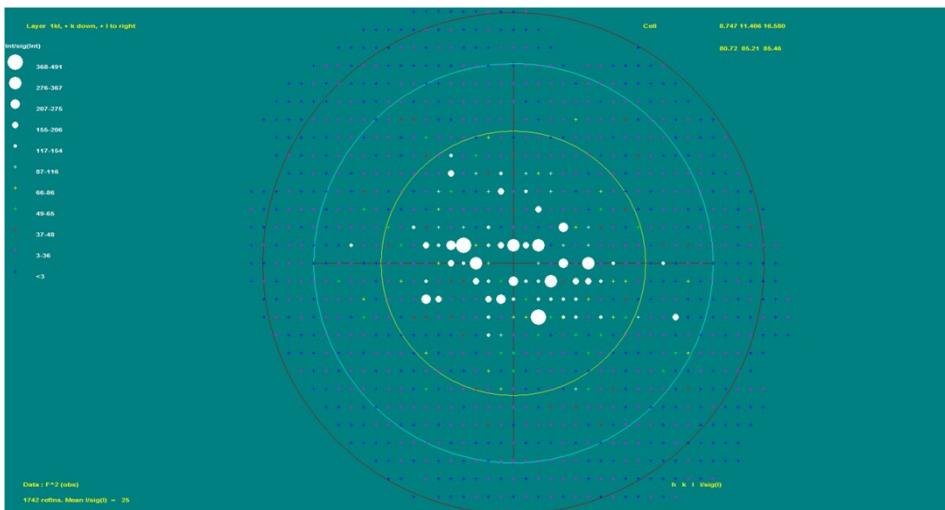
**Fig. 57** <sup>1</sup>H NMR (250.13 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) of the crude product **4d** that obtained in reflux conditions for 180 min.



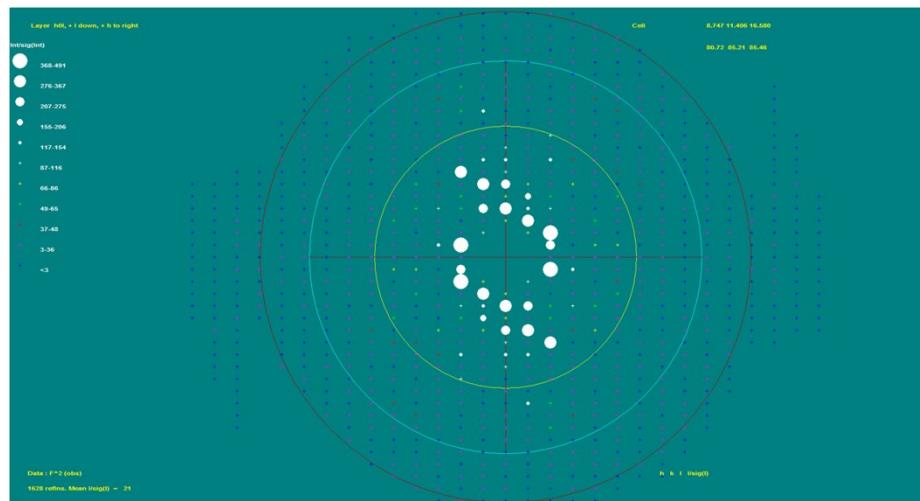
**Fig. 58** <sup>1</sup>H NMR (250.13 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) of the crude product **4d** that obtained in reflux conditions for 360 min.



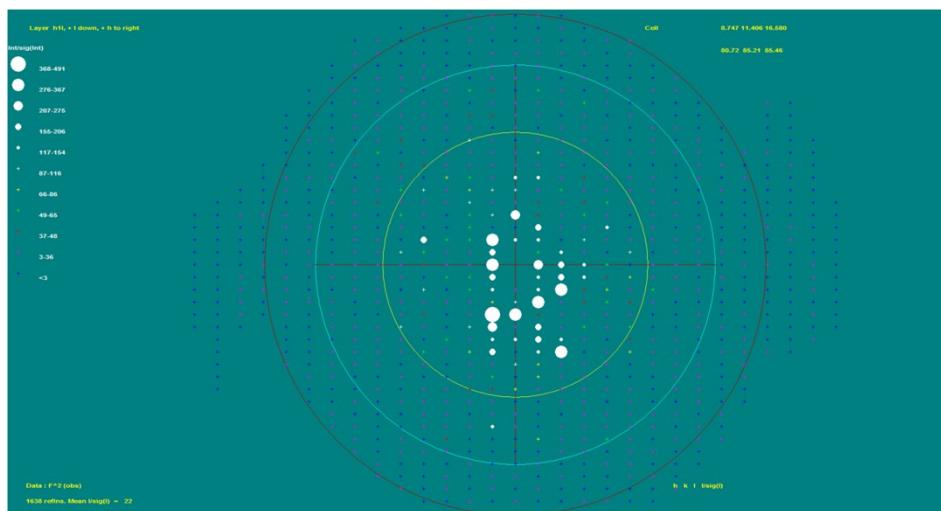
**Fig. 59** Symmetry of diffraction pattern  $0kl$ .



**Fig. 60** Symmetry of diffraction pattern  $1kl$ .



**Fig. 61** Symmetry of diffraction pattern  $h0l$ .



**Fig. 62** Symmetry of diffraction pattern  $h1l$ .

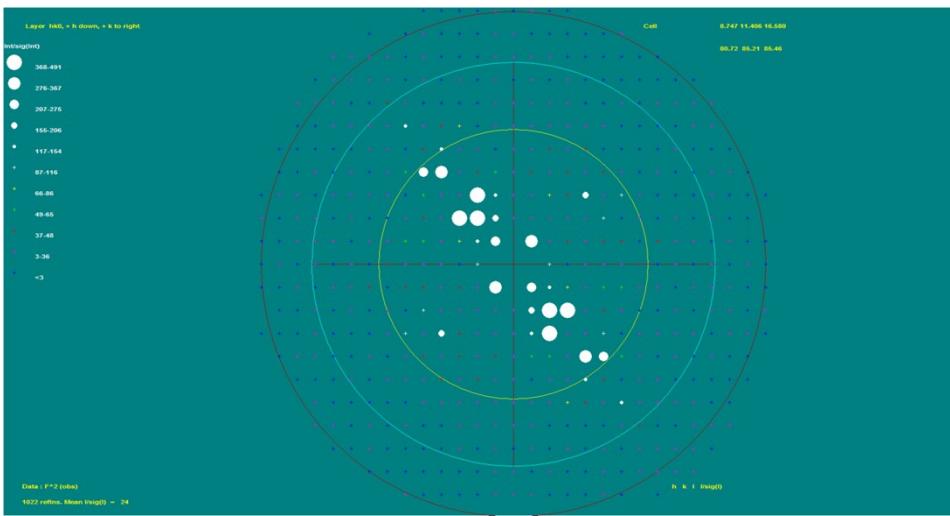


Fig. 63 Symmetry of diffraction pattern  $h\bar{k}0$ .

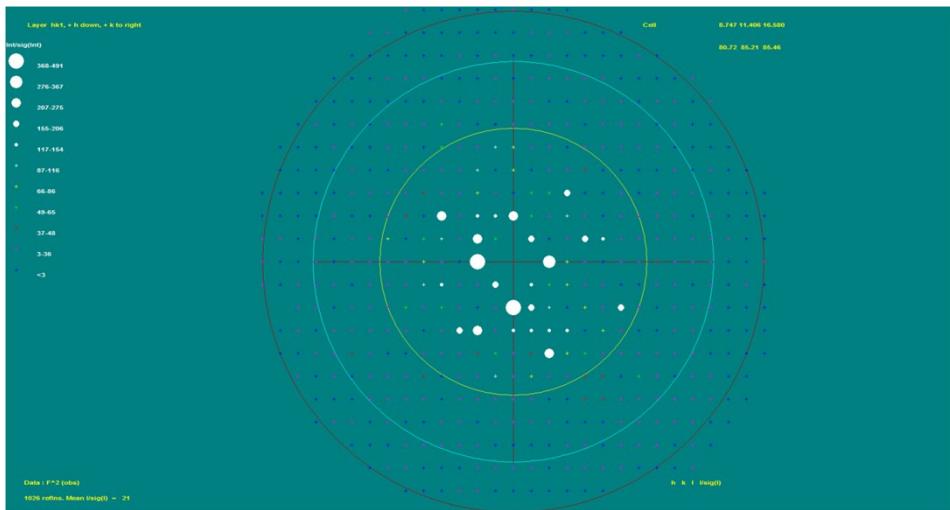


Fig. 64 Symmetry of diffraction pattern  $h\bar{k}1$ .

**Table S1** Selected geometric parameters ( $\text{\AA}$ ,  $^{\circ}$ ) for **4g**

Molecule A		Molecule B	
F1—C17	1.367(3)	F2—C36	1.370(3)
O1—C7	1.216(3)	O5—C26	1.218(3)
O2—C8	1.337(3)	O6—C27	1.331(3)
N1—C7	1.380(3)	N2—C26	1.375(3)
N1—C6	1.433(3)	N2—C25	1.421(3)
N1—C13	1.476(3)	N2—C32	1.484(3)
C7—N1—C6—C1	-16.0(4)	C26—N2—C25—C20	-19.4(4)
C11—O4—C10—C9	178.9(2)	C30—O8—C29—C28	-177.8(2)
C8—C9—C10—O4	-172.6(2)	C27—C28—C29—O8	-177.0 (2)
C10—O4—C11—C12	-173.5(2)	C29—O8—C30—C31	-175.9(2)
C7—N1—C13—C14	119.5(2)	C26—N2—C32—C33	124.4(2)
N1—C13—C14—C15	136.4(2)	N2—C32—C33—C38	137.7(2)
C9—C13—C14—C15	-108.1(2)	C28—C32—C33—C38	-105.8(3)