

Supporting Information

Enantioselective Conjugate Addition of Hydroxylamines to α,β -Unsaturated 2-Acyl Imidazoles Catalyzed by Chiral-at-Metal Rh(III) Complex

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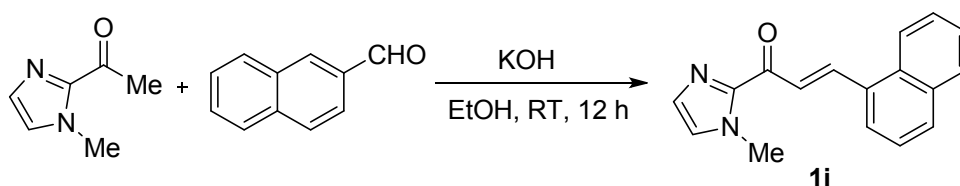
I General Information

Chemicals and solvents were obtained from various commercial sources. Unless otherwise stated, all reactions were carried out under N₂ atmosphere. THF and Toluene were distilled freshly before use over sodium and bezophenone, CH₂Cl₂ and DCE were distilled from CaH₂. Chloroform was distilled over P₂O₅ and stored over 3 Å molecular sieves. ¹H and ¹³C spectra were recorded on a Bruker Ascend 400 (400 MHz) spectrometer using solution in CDCl₃ with tetramethylsilane (TMS) as internal standard. IR spectra were recorded on a VERTEX70 IR spectrometer as KBr pellets with absorption in cm⁻¹. For TLC, silica gel plates were used and the spots were visualized by UV light and/or by heating the plate treated with PMA solution. HPLC analyses of the compounds were done using chirapak IA-IF columns on (Daicel Chemical Industries, LTD) on Shimadzu LC-20AD using hexanes and isopropanol as eluent. Optical rotations were measured using a 1 mL cell with a 1 dm path length on a Starna scientific polarimeter (SGW-1) and are reported as follows: $[\alpha]_D^{RT}$ (*c* in g per 100 mL solvent). HRMS data were obtained on a Thermo Fisher Scientific LTQ FT Ultrasystem.

II Experimental Section

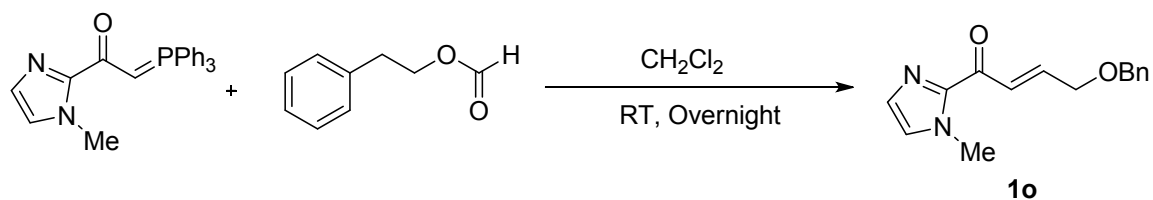
Starting materials (**1a**, **1b**, ¹ **1c**, ³ **1d**, ⁴ **1e-1k**, ² **1l-1o**, ¹) were prepared according to literature procedures. N-Boc as well as N-Cbz hydroxyl amines were purchased from “Energy Chemical” company, China. Chiral Ir(III) and Rh(III) complexes, Δ -Ir1, Δ -Ir2 and Δ -Rh were prepared according to literature procedures.^{5,6}

(*E*)-3-(1-naphthyl)-1-(1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl) prop-2-en-1-one (**1i**)



To a stirred solution of 2-acetyl-1-methylimidazole² (5 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) in EtOH (10 mL) were added 1-naphthaldehyde (5.0 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and KOH (1.0 mmol, 0.2 equiv.). The reaction mixture was allowed to stir at RT. After completion of the reaction, brine solution (30 mL) was added to the reaction mixture then it was extracted with EtOAc (4 x 30 mL). The combined organic extracts were dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄ then concentrated in a rotovap. The resulting crude mixture was purified by a flash column chromatography on silica gel using EtOAc/petroleum ether as eluents to get pure product. Yellow solid; Yield = 56%; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 8.72 (d, J = 15.8 Hz, 1H), 8.32 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 8.18 (d, J = 15.7 Hz, 1H), 8.03 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.91 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.88 (d, J = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 7.59 (ddd, J = 6.9, 8.4, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 7.54 (d, J = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.50 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.24 (s, 1H), 7.10 (s, 1H), 4.13 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 180.4, 144.1, 140.0, 133.8, 132.1, 131.9, 130.8, 129.4, 128.8, 127.3, 126.9, 126.1, 125.5, 125.5, 125.1, 123.4, 36.4; IR (KBr): ν 3076, 3042, 2963, 1661, 1598, 1408, 1471, 1346, 1020, 968, 802, 778, 759, 601 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI): calcd for C₁₇H₁₄N₂O (M+H)⁺ 263.1184; found 263.1178.

(*E*)-4-(benzyloxy)-1-(1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)but-2-en-1-one (**1o**)



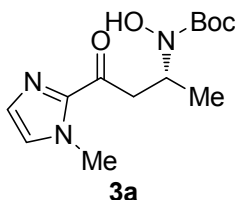
To a stirred solution of phenethyl formate (2.6 mmol, 1.0 equiv) in CH_2Cl_2 (15 mL) was added 3-phenyl-1-propanal (3.12 mmol, 1.2 equiv) at RT. The reaction mixture was allowed to stir at RT. After completion of the reaction, solvent was removed in a rotovap. The residue was loaded on a silica gel column. It was eluted with ethyl acetate/ petroleum ether mixture to get the product. The purified material was diluted in dichloromethane (5 mL) and then DMAP (3.902 mmol, 1.5 equiv) was added to the flask. The flask was sealed with a septum and kept at $-23\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ for 3 d. Then the reaction mixture was diluted with EtOAc (50 mL), washed with saturated NH_4Cl solution (2x30 mL) and brine solution. The combined organic extracts were dried over anhydrous Na_2SO_4 then concentrated in a rotovap. **1o** was obtained as Yellow oil, Yield = 72%; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.50 (dt, $J = 106.8, 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.35-7.27 (m, 5H), 7.18 (d, $J = 0.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.14 (dt, $J = 15.6, 4.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.05 (s, 1H), 4.59 (s, 2H), 4.28 (dd, $J = 4.4, 1.6$ Hz, 2H), 4.03 (s, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 180.2, 143.3, 137.7, 129.3, 128.3, 127.7, 127.7, 127.2, 126.1, 72.6, 69.2, 36.2; IR (KBr): ν 3109, 3031, 2860, 1722, 1670, 1625, 1454, 1407, 1362, 1276, 1157, 1119, 1027, 917, 842, 738, 699 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI): calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_2\text{NaO}_2$ ($\text{M}+\text{Na}$) $^+$ 279.1104; found 279.1102.

General procedure for catalytic enantioselective addition of N-protected hydroxylamine to α,β -unsaturated 2-acyl imidazoles

To a solution of α,β -unsaturated 2-acyl imidazole substartes (0.2-0.3 mmol) in CHCl_3 (1.0 M), 0.5-2 mol% of chiral metal complex was added under N_2 atmosphere. The reaction mixture was allowed to stir at room temperature for 20 minutes before adding amine nucleophile (1.2 equiv.). Then the reaction mixture was allowed to stir at room temperature or $50\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ under N_2 atmosphere. After reaction was completed monitored by TLC, the reaction mixture was directly loaded onto a silica gel column. It was eluted with

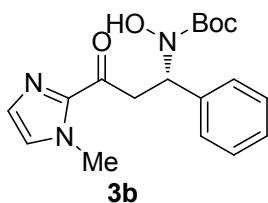
ethyl acetate/ petroleum ether mixture to get the corresponding conjugated addition product.

(*R*)-tert-Butyl hydroxy(4-(1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)-4-oxobutan-2-yl)carbamate (3a)



According to the general procedure, **3a** was obtained as light yellow viscous liquid, 51.5 mg, 91% yield, 92% ee, $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -24.0$ ($c = 0.5$, CHCl_3); The ee was determined by HPLC (Chiralpak column IA, $\lambda = 254$ nm, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90/10, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, $t_{\text{major}} = 15.93$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 14.79$ min); $R_f = 0.12$ in 1:3 EtOAc/petroleum ether. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 9.47 (brs, 1H), 7.08 (s, 1H), 7.00 (s, 1H), 4.64-4.56 (m, 1H), 3.92 (s, 3H), 3.72 (t, $J = 12.0$ Hz, 1H), 2.31 (dd, $J = 12.4, 2.8$ Hz, 1H), 1.25 (d, $J = 6.9$ Hz, 3H), 1.23 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 191.2, 155.7, 143.3, 128.6, 127.1, 80.3, 53.8, 43.6, 36.2, 28.0, 18.3; IR (KBr): ν 3344, 3111, 2977, 2974, 2850, 1709, 1681, 1479, 1406, 1362, 1174, 1106, 1011, 930, 801, 739, 689 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI): calcd for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{21}\text{N}_3\text{NaO}_4$ ($\text{M}+\text{Na}$) $^+$ 306.1430; found 306.1424.

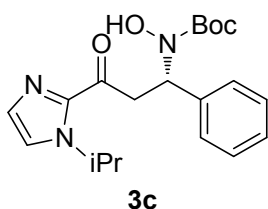
(*S*)-tert-Butyl hydroxy(3-(1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)-3-oxo-1-phenylpropyl)-carbamate (3b)



According to the general procedure, **3b** was obtained as a white solid, 34.5 mg, 50% yield, 95% ee, mp = 132.3-134.2 $^{\circ}\text{C}$, $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -121.2$ ($c = 0.5$, CHCl_3); The ee was determined by HPLC (Chiralpak column IA, $\lambda = 254$ nm, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 85/15, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, $t_{\text{major}} = 13.52$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 17.47$ min); $R_f = 0.11$ in 1:3 EtOAc/petroleum ether. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 10.10 (brs, 1H), 7.53-7.51 (m, 2H), 7.36-7.27 (m,

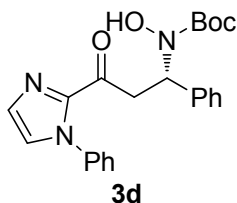
3H), 7.16 (s, 1H), 7.07 (s, 1H), 5.63 (d, $J = 11.6$ Hz, 1H), 4.33 (t, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.00 (s, 3H), 2.80 (dd, $J = 12.8, 2.4$ Hz, 1H), 1.30 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 190.8, 156.0, 143.4, 139.7, 128.8, 128.3, 127.6, 127.3, 127.2, 80.8, 61.0, 42.7, 36.3, 28.1. IR (KBr): ν 3421, 3133, 3116, 2972, 2982, 2918, 1700, 1685, 1416, 1387, 1222, 989, 927, 779, 713, 696 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI): calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{23}\text{N}_3\text{NaO}_4$ ($\text{M}+\text{Na}$) $^+$ 368.1586; found 368.1582.

(S)-tert-Butyl hydroxy(3-(1-isopropyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)-3-oxo-1-phenylpropyl)-carbamate (3c)



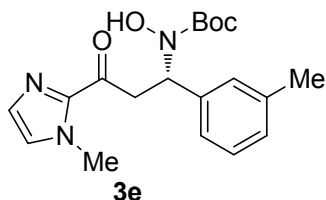
According to the general procedure, **3c** was obtained as yellow viscous liquid, 64.0 mg, 86% yield, 91% ee, $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25} = -55.6$ ($c = 0.5$, CHCl_3); The ee was determined by HPLC (Chiralpak column IC, $\lambda = 254$ nm, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, $t_{\text{major}} = 11.07$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 8.02$ min); $R_f = 0.17$ in 1:3 EtOAc/petroleum ether. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 10.07 (brs, 1H), 7.53-7.51 (m, 2H), 7.36-7.26 (m, 3H), 7.22 (s, 1H), 7.14 (s, 1H), 5.67 (d, $J = 10.0$ Hz, 1H), 5.53 (m, 1H), 4.31 (t, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.83 (dd, $J = 12.4, 3.2$ Hz, 1H), 1.46 (d, $J = 6.9$ Hz, 6H), 1.29 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 190.8, 158.6, 155.9, 142.6, 139.6, 129.2, 128.3, 127.5, 127.2, 121.6, 81.9, 80.8, 60.7, 49.5, 43.1, 28.1, 28.0, 23.6, 23.4; IR (KBr): ν 3311, 2980, 2933, 1684, 1455, 1396, 1368, 1254, 1167, 1107, 931, 777, 701 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI): calcd for $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{27}\text{N}_3\text{NaO}_4$ ($\text{M}+\text{Na}$) $^+$ 396.1899; found 396.1896.

(S)-tert-Butyl hydroxy(3-oxo-1-phenyl-3-(1-phenyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)propyl)-carbamate (3d)



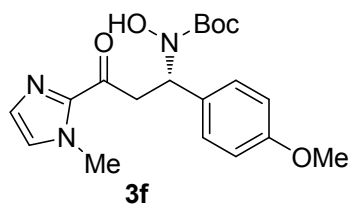
According to the general procedure, **3c** was obtained as a white solid, 57.8 mg, 71% yield, 96% ee, mp = 124.4-126.3 °C, $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -121.0$ (c = 0.5, CHCl₃); The ee was determined by HPLC (Chiralpak column IC, $\lambda = 254$ nm, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, $t_{\text{major}} = 14.10$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 9.08$ min); $R_f = 0.20$ in 1:3 EtOAc/petroleum ether. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 9.79 (brs, 1H), 7.51-7.49 (m, 5H), 7.35-7.23 (m, 7H), 5.60 (d, $J = 11.6$ Hz, 1H), 4.33 (t, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.79 (dd, $J = 12.0, 0.8$ Hz, 1H), 1.30 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 189.2, 156.0, 143.2, 139.6, 137.7, 129.2, 129.1, 129.0, 128.4, 127.6, 127.4, 127.2, 125.7, 81.0, 60.9, 42.7, 28.1; IR (KBr): ν 3439, 3117, 3064, 2974, 1687, 1594, 1496, 1401, 1308, 1255, 1160, 1095, 907, 762, 697 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI): calcd for C₂₃H₂₅N₃NaO₄ (M+Na)⁺ 430.1743; found 430.1739.

(S)-tert-Butyl hydroxy(3-(1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)-3-oxo-1-p-tolylpropyl)-carbamate (3e)



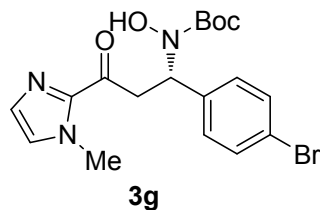
According to the general procedure, **3e** was obtained as a white solid, 51.0 mg, 71% yield, 90% ee, mp = 85.0-87.0 °C, $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -93.5$ (c = 0.5, CHCl₃); The ee was determined by HPLC (Chiralpak column IC, $\lambda = 254$ nm, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, $t_{\text{major}} = 11.16$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 9.28$ min); $R_f = 0.12$ in 1:3 EtOAc/petroleum ether. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 10.06 (brs, 1H), 7.34-7.30 (m, 2H), 7.22 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 1H), 7.17 (s, 1H), 7.10-7.08 (m, 2H), 5.60 (d, $J = 10.2$ Hz, 1H), 4.31 (t, $J = 12.5$ Hz, 1H), 4.00 (s, 3H), 2.78 (dd, $J = 12.8, 3.2$ Hz, 1H), 2.35 (s, 3H), 1.30 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 190.8, 156.0, 143.3, 139.5, 137.9, 128.7, 128.3, 128.2, 127.9, 127.3, 124.2, 80.7, 60.8, 42.6, 36.2, 28.0, 21.4; IR (KBr): ν 3421, 3117, 2975, 2923, 2868, 1689, 1510, 1476, 1413, 1367, 1319, 1255, 1164, 1103, 989, 931, 785 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI): calcd for C₁₉H₂₅N₃NaO₄ (M+Na)⁺ 382.1737; found 382.1735.

(S)-tert-Butyl hydroxy(1-(4-methoxyphenyl)-3-(1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)-3-oxopropyl)carbamate (3f)



According to the general procedure, **3f** was obtained as a yellow solid, 38.3 mg, 51% yield, 91% ee, mp = 120.3-122.2 °C, $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -95.9$ (c = 0.5, CHCl₃); The ee was determined by HPLC (Chiralpak column IA, $\lambda = 254$ nm, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, $t_{\text{major}} = 8.94$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 11.79$ min); $R_f = 0.10$ in 1:3 EtOAc/petroleum ether. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 9.99 (brs, 1H), 7.45 (d, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.17 (s, 1H), 6.86 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 5.57 (d, $J = 11.6$ Hz, 1H), 4.31 (t, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.01 (s, 3H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 2.74 (d, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H), 1.30 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 190.8, 158.9, 156.0, 143.4, 131.8, 128.7, 128.5, 127.2, 113.6, 80.8, 60.5, 55.2, 42.7, 36.3, 28.1; IR (KBr): ν 3446, 3112, 2979, 2920, 1703, 1687, 1616, 1519, 1416, 1324, 1162, 1092, 1032, 931, 831, 743 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI): calcd for C₁₉H₂₅N₃NaO₅ (M+Na)⁺ 398.1692; found 398.1688.

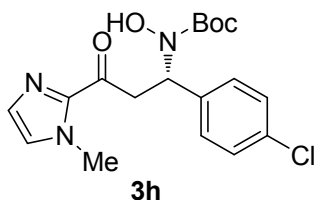
(S)-tert-Butyl 1-(4-bromophenyl)-3-(1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)-3-oxopropylhydroxycarbamate (3g)



According to the general procedure, **3g** was obtained as a white solid, 65.1 mg, 77% yield, 93% ee, mp = 113.4-115.1 °C, $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -119.7$ (c = 0.5, CHCl₃); The ee was determined by HPLC (Chiralpak column IC, $\lambda = 254$ nm, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 75/25, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, $t_{\text{major}} = 8.47$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 7.12$ min); $R_f = 0.08$ in 1:3 EtOAc/petroleum ether. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 10.25 (brs, 1H), 7.47-7.40 (m, 4H), 7.16 (s, 1H), 7.08 (s, 1H), 5.59 (d, $J = 11.2$ Hz, 1H), 4.27 (t, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.99 (s, 3H), 2.79 (dd, $J = 13.2$ Hz, 1H), 1.32 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 190.01, 155.9, 143.0, 138.6, 131.4, 129.0, 128.7, 127.3, 121.5, 81.0, 60.0, 42.4, 36.2, 28.0; IR (KBr): ν 3446, 3125,

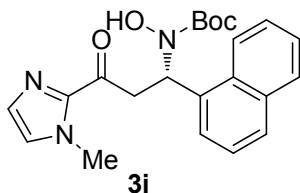
3106, 2973, 2929, 1718, 1671, 1457, 1409, 1367, 1321, 1162, 1102, 1012, 933, 802, 536 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI): calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{22}\text{BrN}_3\text{NaO}_4$ ($\text{M}+\text{Na}$) $^{+}$ 446.0691; found 446.0683.

(S)-tert-Butyl 1-(4-chlorophenyl)-3-(1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)-3-oxopropylhydroxycarbamate (3h)



According to the general procedure, **3h** was obtained as a white solid, 64.4 mg, 85% yield, 92% ee, mp = 108.6-110.5 °C, $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25} = -73.2$ ($c = 0.5$, CHCl_3); The ee was determined by HPLC (Chiralpak column IC, $\lambda = 254$ nm, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 80/20, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, $t_{\text{major}} = 11.09$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 9.21$ min); $R_f = 0.10$ in 1:3 EtOAc/petroleum ether. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 10.18 (brs, 1H), 7.54-7.53 (m, 1H), 7.41-7.40 (m, 1H), 7.29-7.27 (m, 2H), 7.18 (s, 1H), 7.09 (s, 1H), 5.58 (d, $J = 11.2$ Hz, 1H), 4.29 (t, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.02 (s, 3H), 2.75 (dd, $J = 12.8, 3.2$ Hz, 1H), 1.31 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 190.2, 155.8, 143.2, 141.6, 134.1, 129.6, 128.8, 127.8, 127.5, 127.4, 125.5, 81.1, 60.4, 42.5, 36.3, 28.0; IR (KBr): ν 3422, 3129, 2969, 2927, 1708, 1685, 1574, 1478, 1416, 1366, 1221, 1161, 1096, 992, 929, 724 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI): calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{22}\text{ClN}_3\text{NaO}_4$ ($\text{M}+\text{Na}$) $^{+}$ 402.1197; found 402.1192.

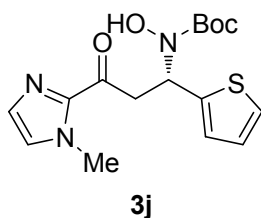
(S)-tert-Butyl hydroxy(3-(1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)-1-(naphthalen-1-yl)-3-oxopropyl)carbamate (3i)



According to the general procedure, **3i** was obtained as yellow viscous liquid, 49.0 mg, 62% yield, 94% ee, $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25} = -19.0$ ($c = 0.5$, CHCl_3); The ee was determined by HPLC (Chiralpak column IC, $\lambda = 254$ nm, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, $t_{\text{major}} = 13.86$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 12.73$ min); $R_f = 0.11$ in 1:3 EtOAc/petroleum ether. ^1H NMR (400

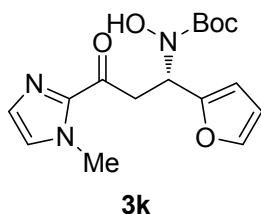
MHz, CDCl₃): δ 10.14 (brs, 1H), 8.29 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.93 (d, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.86 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.80 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.59-7.55 (m, 1H), 7.51-7.45 (m, 2H), 7.20 (s, 1H), 7.09 (s, 1H), 6.43 (d, J = 11.2 Hz, 1H), 4.43 (t, J = 12.4 Hz, 1H), 4.03 (s, 3H), 2.91 (dd, J = 12.8, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 1.21 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 191.2, 155.7, 143.4, 136.1, 133.8, 130.5, 128.9, 128.9, 128.3, 127.5, 126.5, 125.5, 125.4, 124.4, 123.0, 80.8, 57.4, 42.4, 36.3, 28.0; IR (KBr): ν 3421, 3119, 2975, 2927, 1687, 1509, 1474, 1416, 1165, 1105, 931, 802, 725 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI): calcd for C₂₂H₂₅N₃NaO₄ (M+Na)⁺ 418.1743; found 418.1740.

(S)-tert-Butyl hydroxy(3-(1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)-3-oxo-1-(thiophen-2-yl)propyl)carbamate (3j)



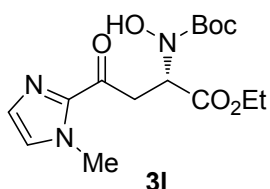
According to the general procedure, **3j** was obtained as a yellow solid, 35.1 mg, 50% yield, 94% ee, mp = 125.0-127.0 °C, $[\alpha]_D^{25}$ = -189.1 (c = 0.5, CHCl₃); The ee was determined by HPLC (Chiralpak column IA, λ = 254 nm, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 80/20, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, t_{major} = 11.54 min, t_{minor} = 15.72 min); R_f = 0.11 in 1:3 EtOAc/petroleum ether. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 10.00 (brs, 1H), 7.16-7.15 (m, 1H), 7.09 (s, 1H), 7.05-7.01 (m, 2H), 6.89-6.87 (m, 1H), 5.79 (d, J = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 4.23 (t, J = 12.4 Hz, 1H), 3.93 (s, 3H), 2.77 (dd, J = 12.8, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 1.28 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 189.8, 155.9, 143.3, 141.4, 128.8, 127.3, 126.2, 125.3, 124.8, 81.2, 57.3, 43.6, 36.2, 28.0; IR (KBr): ν 3421, 3136, 3115, 2973, 2926, 1708, 1683, 1458, 1318, 1161, 1091, 988, 930, 808, 695 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI): calcd for C₁₆H₂₁N₃NaO₄S (M+Na)⁺ 374.1150; found 374.1145.

(S)-tert-Butyl 1-(furan-2-yl)-3-(1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)-3-oxopropylhydroxycarbamate (3k)



According to the general procedure, **3k** was obtained as a white solid, 10.7 mg, 16% yield, 99.5% ee, mp = 116.4-118.4 °C, $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25} = -71.6$ (c = 0.5, CHCl₃); The ee was determined by HPLC (Chiralpak column IF, $\lambda = 254$ nm, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 75/25, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, $t_{\text{major}} = 10.41$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 14.30$ min); $R_f = 0.10$ in 1:6 EtOAc/petroleum ether. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 9.71 (brs, 1H), 7.37-7.36 (m, 1H), 7.17 (s, 1H), 7.08 (s, 1H), 6.34-6.32 (m, 2H), 5.70 (d, $J = 11.6$ Hz, 1H), 4.20 (t, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.01 (s, 3H), 2.91 (d, $J = 12.8$ Hz, 1H), 1.35 (s, 9H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 190.1, 156.1, 152.4, 143.4, 141.8, 128.9, 127.3, 110.3, 107.1, 81.2, 55.6, 40.3, 36.3, 28.1; IR (KBr): ν 3422, 3134, 3114, 2979, 2926, 1706, 1678, 1477, 1418, 1362, 1163, 1106, 1090, 1006, 989, 927, 734 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI): calcd for C₁₆H₂₁N₃NaO₅ (M+Na)⁺ 358.1379; found 358.1373.

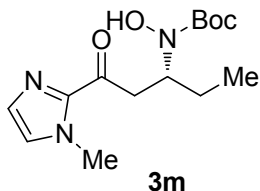
(S)-Ethyl 2-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)-4-(1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)-4-oxobutanoate (3l)



According to the general procedure, **3l** was obtained as a white solid, 59.3 mg, 87% yield, 91% ee, mp = 81.7-83.0 °C, $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25} = -85.8$ (c = 0.5, CHCl₃); The ee was determined by HPLC (Chiralpak column IC, $\lambda = 254$ nm, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, $t_{\text{major}} = 19.36$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 28.86$ min); $R_f = 0.05$ in 1:06 EtOAc/petroleum ether. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 9.56 (brs, 1H), 7.16 (s, 1H), 7.07 (s, 1H), 5.28-5.21 (m, 1H), 4.27-4.19 (m, 2H), 3.99 (s, 3H), 3.89 (dd, $J = 14.4, 10.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.29 (d, $J = 10.8$ Hz, 1H), 1.44 (s, 9H), 1.28 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 189.4, 169.7, 156.8, 142.9, 128.8, 127.1, 81.5, 61.7, 59.9, 38.4, 36.2, 28.0, 14.0; IR (KBr): ν 3492, 3124,

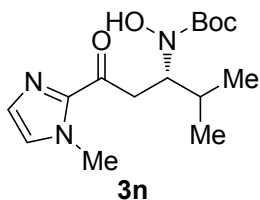
2980, 2926, 1733, 1685, 1420, 1370, 1272, 1164, 1025, 925, 859, 671 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI): calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{23}\text{N}_3\text{NaO}_6$ ($\text{M}+\text{Na}$) $^{+}$ 364.1485; found 364.1481.

(R)-tert-Butyl hydroxy(1-(1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)-1-oxopentan-3-yl)carbamate (3m)



According to the general procedure, **3m** was obtained as colorless viscous liquid, 54.0 mg, 91% yield, 95% ee, $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25} = -50.4$ ($c = 0.5$, CHCl_3); The ee was determined by HPLC (Chiralpak column IF, $\lambda = 254$ nm, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 85/15, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, $t_{\text{major}} = 11.28$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 10.22$ min); $R_f = 0.08$ in 1:06 EtOAc/petroleum ether. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 9.42 (brs, 1H), 7.15 (s, 1H), 7.06 (s, 1H), 4.49-4.42 (m, 1H), 3.99 (s, 3H), 3.75 (t, $J = 12.0$ Hz, 1H), 2.44 (dd, $J = 12.0, 3.2$ Hz, 1H), 1.88-1.79 (m, 1H), 1.62-1.52 (m, 1H), 1.28 (s, 9H), 0.96 (t, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 191.4, 155.8, 143.5, 128.7, 127.2, 80.2, 59.1, 42.2, 36.3, 28.0, 26.0, 10.8; IR (KBr): ν 3462, 3108, 2971, 2875, 1709, 1678, 1418, 1367, 1249, 1157, 1165, 1087, 980, 792 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI): calcd for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{23}\text{N}_3\text{NaO}_4$ ($\text{M}+\text{Na}$) $^{+}$ 320.1586; found 320.1584.

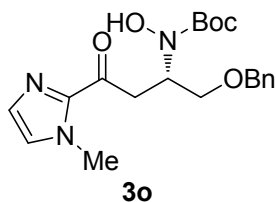
(S)-tert-butyl hydroxy(4-methyl-1-(1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)-1-oxopentan-3-yl)carbamate (3n)



According to the general procedure, **3n** was obtained as yellow viscous liquid, 47.9 mg, 77% yield, 92% ee, $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25} = -25.0$ ($c = 0.5$, CHCl_3); The ee was determined by HPLC (Chiralpak column IC, $\lambda = 254$ nm, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90/10, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, $t_{\text{major}} = 19.51$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 15.41$ min); $R_f = 0.11$ in 1:3 EtOAc/petroleum ether. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 9.63 (brs, 1H), 7.15 (s, 1H), 7.07 (s, 1H), 4.26-4.18 (m, 1H), 3.98 (s, 3H),

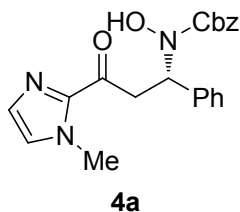
3.74 (t, J = 12.4 Hz, 1H), 2.58 (dd, J = 12.0, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 2.09-2.00 (m, 1H), 1.27 (s, 9H), 1.03-0.99 (m, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 191.8, 155.5, 143.3, 128.5, 127.1, 80.0, **60.3**, 39.8, 36.1, 31.3, 27.9, 19.8, 19.5; IR (KBr): ν 3134, 3114, 2970, 2929, 2874, 1705, 1684, 1474, 1410, 1366, 1304, 1256, 1174, 1132, 1094, 966, 930, 790, 750, 695 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI): calcd for $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{25}\text{N}_3\text{NaO}_4$ ($\text{M}+\text{Na}$) $^+$ 334.1737; found 334.1740.

(S)-tert-butyl (1-(benzyloxy)-4-(1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)-4-oxobutan-2-yl)(hydroxy)carbamate (3o)



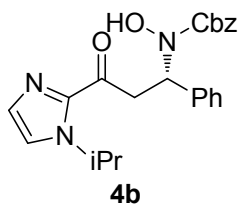
According to the general procedure, **3o** was obtained as yellow viscous liquid, 47.5 mg, 61% yield, 98% ee, $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25} = -9.9$ ($c = 0.5$, CHCl_3); The ee was determined by HPLC (Chiralpak column IA, $\lambda = 254$ nm, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 85/15, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, $t_{\text{major}} = 17.71$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 16.54$ min); $R_f = 0.11$ in 1:3 EtOAc/petroleum ether. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 9.55 (brs, 1H), 7.35-7.27 (m, 5H), 7.14 (s, 1H), 7.04 (s, 1H), 4.84-4.76 (m, 1H), 4.57 (q, J = 12.0, 6.8 Hz, 1H), 3.98 (s, 3H), 3.77-3.67 (m, 2H), 3.60-3.56 (m, 1H), 2.65 (dd, J = 12.4, 3.2 Hz, 1H), 1.29 (s, 9H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 190.8, 155.9, 143.4, 138.1, 128.6, 128.3, 127.7, 127.6, 127.5, 127.1, 80.6, 73.0, 69.5, 57.3, 38.9, 36.2, 28.0; IR (KBr): ν 3392, 3123, 2972, 2924, 2866, 1687, 1465, 1409, 1365, 1256, 1168, 1113, 1024, 929, 745, 701 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI): calcd for $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{27}\text{N}_3\text{NaO}_5$ ($\text{M}+\text{Na}$) $^+$ 412.1843; found 412.1840.

(S)-Benzyl hydroxy(3-(1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)-3-oxo-1-phenylpropyl)carbamate (4a)



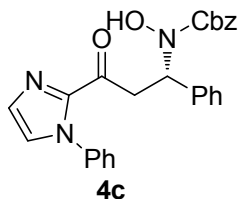
According to the general procedure, **4a** was obtained as yellow viscous liquid, 70.5 mg, 93% yield, 95% ee, $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25} = -68.2$ ($c = 0.5$, CHCl_3); The ee was determined by HPLC (Chiralpak column IE, $\lambda = 254$ nm, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, $t_{\text{major}} = 16.79$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 21.71$ min); $R_f = 0.16$ in 1:3 EtOAc/petroleum ether. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 10.70 (brs, 1H), 7.51-7.49 (m, 2H), 7.34-7.26 (m, 6H), 7.21-7.19 (m, 2H), 7.10 (s, 1H), 7.00 (s, 1H), 5.69 (d, $J = 11.2$ Hz, 1H), 5.08 (d, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.99 (d, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.36 (t, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.95 (s, 3H), 2.75 (dd, $J = 12.8, 3.2$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 190.4, 156.6, 143.2, 139.1, 136.2, 128.5, 128.4, 128.2, 127.8, 127.3, 127.2, 67.3, 60.9, 42.6, 36.3; IR (KBr): ν 3430, 3120, 3033, 2929, 2848, 1701, 1681, 1406, 1297, 1095, 930, 745, 697 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI): calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{22}\text{N}_3\text{O}_4$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}$) $^+$ 380.1610; found 380.1606.

(S)-benzyl hydroxy(3-(1-isopropyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)-3-oxo-1-phenylpropyl)carbamate (4b)



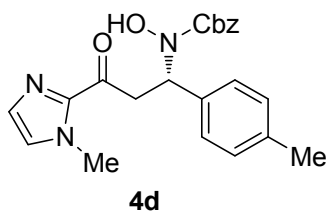
According to the general procedure, **4b** was obtained as yellow viscous liquid, 52.1 mg, 64% yield, 94% ee, $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25} = -64.4$ ($c = 0.5$, CHCl_3); The ee was determined by HPLC (Chiralpak column IA, $\lambda = 254$ nm, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, $t_{\text{major}} = 8.30$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 9.63$ min); $R_f = 0.15$ in 1:3 EtOAc/petroleum ether. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 10.70 (brs, 1H), 7.51-7.49 (m, 2H), 7.36-7.25 (m, 7H), 7.19-7.17 (m, 3H), 5.68(d, $J = 11.2$ Hz, 1H), 5.53-5.48 (m, 1H), 5.06(d, $J = 12.8$ Hz, 1H), 4.97(d, $J = 12.8$ Hz, 1H), 4.37 (t, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.73 (dd, $J = 12.4, 2.8$ Hz, 1H), 1.44 (t, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 6H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 190.7, 156.5, 142.7, 139.2, 136.3, 128.5, 128.3, 127.8, 127.7, 127.2, 121.6, 67.2, 61.2, 49.6, 43.2, 30.9, 23.5, 23.5; IR (KBr): ν 3295, 3065, 3033, 2930, 1687, 1498, 1454, 1398, 1307, 1257, 1108, 1030, 986, 746, 699 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI): calcd for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{26}\text{N}_3\text{O}_4$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}$) $^+$ 408.1919; found 408.1918.

(S)-benzyl hydroxy(3-oxo-1-phenyl-3-(1-phenyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)propyl)carbamate (4c)



According to the general procedure, **4c** was obtained as yellow viscous liquid, 75.8 mg, 86% yield, 97% ee, $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -72.8$ ($c = 0.5$, CHCl_3); The ee was determined by HPLC (Chiralpak column IA, $\lambda = 254$ nm, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 80/20, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, $t_{\text{major}} = 25.30$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 21.45$ min); $R_f = 0.15$ in 1:3 EtOAc/petroleum ether. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 10.37 (brs, 1H), 7.49-7.45 (m, 5H), 7.35-7.30 (m, 3H), 7.26-7.18 (m, 8H), 7.17 (s, 1H), 5.65 (d, $J = 10.4$ Hz, 1H), 5.10 (d, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.99 (d, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.37 (t, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.74 (dd, $J = 12.4, 3.2$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 188.8, 158.8, 156.6, 143.1, 139.0, 137.5, 136.1, 135.5, 129.1, 129.1, 128.5, 128.4, 128.3, 128.2, 127.9, 127.9, 127.8, 127.4, 127.2, 125.7, 67.6, 67.4, 60.8, 42.5; IR (KBr): ν 3453, 3065, 3032, 2955, 2857, 1693, 1501, 1453, 1406, 1262, 1105, 973, 760, 700 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI): calcd for $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{24}\text{N}_3\text{O}_4$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}$) $^+$ 442.1764; found 442.1760.

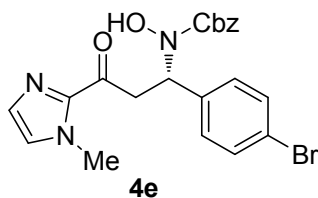
(S)-benzyl hydroxy(3-(1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)-3-oxo-1-(p-tolyl)propyl)carbamate (4d)



According to the general procedure, **4d** was obtained as colorless viscous liquid, 58.2 mg, 74% yield, 97% ee, $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -138.6$ ($c = 0.5$, CHCl_3); The ee was determined by HPLC (Chiralpak column IA, $\lambda = 254$ nm, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, $t_{\text{major}} = 13.50$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 15.94$ min); $R_f = 0.1$ in 1:3 EtOAc/petroleum ether. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 10.58 (brs, 1H), 7.39 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.27-7.26 (m, 3H), 7.21-7.18 (m, 2H), 7.14-7.10 (m, 3H), 7.0 (s, 1H), 5.65 (dd, $J = 12.3, 2.1$ Hz, 1H), 5.07 (d, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.98 (d, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.34 (t, $J = 12.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.96 (s, 3H), 2.73 (dd, $J =$

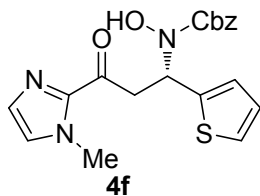
12.6, 3.1 Hz, 1H), 2.33 (s, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 190.6, 156.7, 143.3, 137.5, 136.3, 136.2, 129.1, 128.6, 128.2, 127.9, 127.8, 127.3, 127.1, 67.2, 60.8, 42.6, 36.3, 21.1; IR (KBr): ν 3132, 3029, 2919, 2860, 1689, 1508, 1464, 1409, 1300, 1219, 1163, 1099, 992, 932, 812, 743, 697 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI): calcd for $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{24}\text{N}_3\text{O}_4$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}$) $^+$ 394.1759; found 394.1761.

(S)-Benzyl 1-(4-bromophenyl)-3-(1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)-3-oxopropylhydroxycarbamate (4e)



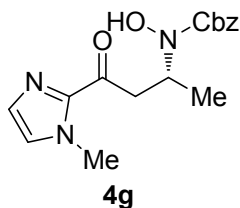
According to the general procedure, **4e** was obtained as a yellow solid, 71.3 mg, 78% yield, 94% ee, mp = 103.4-106.0 $^{\circ}\text{C}$, $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25} = -223.0$ ($c = 0.5$, CHCl_3); The ee was determined by HPLC (Chiralpak column IE, $\lambda = 254$ nm, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, $t_{\text{major}} = 15.27$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 19.05$ min); $R_f = 0.11$ in 1:3 EtOAc/petroleum ether. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 10.76 (brs, 1H), 7.44-7.36 (m, 4H), 7.27-7.20 (m, 5H), 7.08 (s, 1H), 7.00 (s, 1H), 5.63 (d, $J = 11.6$ Hz, 1H), 5.09 (d, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.99 (d, $J = 12.0$ Hz, 1H), 4.31 (t, $J = 12.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.95 (s, 3H), 2.72 (d, $J = 12.8$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 189.8, 156.6, 143.0, 138.1, 136.1, 131.5, 129.0, 128.3, 127.9, 127.3, 121.8, 67.4, 60.3, 42.4, 36.3; IR (KBr): ν 3446, 3129, 3104, 3030, 2921, 1715, 1684, 1671, 1458, 1407, 1301, 1160, 1099, 1012, 932, 796, 762, 700 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI): calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{21}\text{BrN}_3\text{O}_4$ ($\text{M}+\text{H}$) $^+$ 458.0715; found 458.0710.

(S)-Benzyl hydroxy(3-(1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)-3-oxo-1-(thiophen-2-yl)propyl)carbamate (4f)



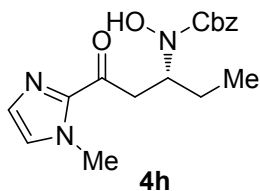
According to the general procedure, **4f** was obtained as yellow viscous liquid, 56.2 mg, 73% yield, 94% ee, $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -86.8$ ($c = 0.5$, CHCl_3); The ee was determined by HPLC (Chiralpak column IA, $\lambda = 254$ nm, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, $t_{\text{major}} = 13.07$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 15.71$ min); $R_f = 0.08$ in 1:3 EtOAc/petroleum ether. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 10.61 (brs, 1H), 7.29-7.22 (m, 6H), 7.11 (s, 1H), 7.09-7.08 (m, 1H), 7.01 (s, 1H), 6.95-6.93 (m, 1H), 5.93 (dd, $J = 12.4, 2.8$ Hz, 1H), 5.10 (d, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H), 5.02 (d, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.32 (t, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.96 (s, 3H), 2.81 (dd, $J = 12.4, 3.2$ Hz, 1H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 189.5, 156.6, 143.2, 140.9, 136.0, 128.6, 128.3, 127.9, 127.3, 126.3, 125.5, 125.1, 67.5, 57.4, 43.6, 36.3; IR (KBr): ν 3448, 3111, 2923, 2853, 1687, 1409, 1297, 1213, 1098, 986, 927, 694 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI): calcd for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{19}\text{N}_3\text{O}_4\text{NaS}$ ($\text{M}+\text{Na}$) $^+$ 408.0994; found 408.0987.

(*R*)-Benzyl hydroxy(4-(1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)-4-oxobutan-2-yl)carbamate (4g)



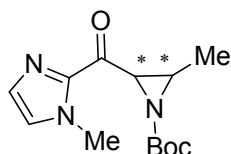
According to the general procedure, **4g** was obtained as yellow viscous liquid, 50.7 mg, 80% yield, 92% ee, $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -87.1$ ($c = 0.5$, CHCl_3); The ee was determined by HPLC (Chiralpak column IA, $\lambda = 254$ nm, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 80/20, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, $t_{\text{major}} = 14.43$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 11.51$ min); $R_f = 0.11$ in 1:3 EtOAc/petroleum ether. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 10.0 (s, 1H), 7.32-7.23 (m, 5 H), 7.09 (s, 1H), 6.97 (s, 1H), 5.04 (d, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.98 (d, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.76-4.68 (m, 1H), 3.93 (s, 3H), 3.82 (t, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.37 (dd, $J = 12.0, 2.8$ Hz, 1H), 1.33 (d, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 190.9, 156.3, 143.2, 136.3, 128.4, 128.3, 127.9, 127.8, 127.2, 67.1, 54.3, 43.6, 36.2, 18.2; IR (KBr): ν 3434, 3134, 2960, 2929, 1707, 1681, 1406, 1317, 1101, 930, 697 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI): calcd for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{19}\text{N}_3\text{NaO}_4$ ($\text{M}+\text{Na}$) $^+$ 340.1273; found 340.1269.

(*R*)-benzyl hydroxy(1-(1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)-1-oxopentan-3-yl)carbamate (4h)



According to the general procedure, **4h** was obtained as colorless viscous liquid, 50 mg, 30% yield, 90% ee, $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25} = -14.0$ ($c = 0.5$, CHCl_3); The ee was determined by HPLC (Chiralpak column IA, $\lambda = 254$ nm, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, $t_{\text{major}} = 10.44$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 7.39$ min); $R_f = 0.08$ in 1:3 EtOAc/petroleum ether. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 9.99 (brs, 1H), 7.30-7.22 (m, 3H), 7.22-7.20 (m, 2H), 7.08 (s, 1H), 6.95 (s, 1H), 5.02 (d, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.96 (d, $J = 12.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.54-4.47 (m, 1H), 3.91 (s, 3H), 3.76 (t, $J = 12.0$ Hz, 1H), 2.42 (dd, $J = 12.4, 3.2$ Hz, 1H), 1.92-1.81 (m, 1H), 1.64-1.54 (m, 1H), 0.94 (t, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 190.1, 156.5, 143.3, 136.5, 128.4, 128.2, 128.0, 127.8, 127.2, 67.0, 60.0, 42.2, 41.8, 36.3, 26.0, 10.6; IR (KBr): ν 3330, 3113, 3032, 2963, 2926, 2855, 1680, 1454, 1406, 1327, 1261, 1086, 1025, 775, 746, 696 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI): calcd for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{21}\text{N}_3\text{NaO}_4$ ($\text{M}+\text{Na}$) $^+$ 354.1424; found 354.1426.

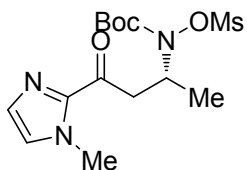
tert-butyl 2-methyl-3-(1-methyl-1H-imidazole-2-carbonyl)aziridine-1-carboxylate (6)



To an oven-dried 25 mL Schlenk tube equipped with a stir bar, **Δ -Rh** (2.0 mol%) was added along with α,β -unsaturated 2-acyl imidazole **1a** (0.1 mmol) and toluene (0.2 mL). After being stirred at room temperature for 5 min, sulfonyl hydroxycarbamate **5** (1.2 equiv) was added at room temperature followed by Na_2HPO_4 (1.2 equiv). The reaction was stirring at 50 $^\circ\text{C}$ for 24 hours. The solution directly purified by silica gel column chromatography (EtOAc/Petroleum ether = 1:6) to afford aziridine **6** as yellow oil, 19.5 mg, 37% yield, 81% ee, $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25} = +19.4$ ($c = 0.5$, CHCl_3); The ee was determined by HPLC (Chiralpak column IE, $\lambda = 254$ nm, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, $t_{\text{major}} = 8.20$ min, $t_{\text{minor}} = 12.25$ min); $R_f = 0.38$ in 1:3 EtOAc/petroleum ether. ^1H NMR

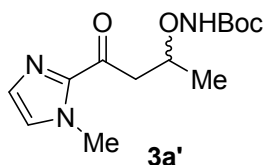
(400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.23 (s, 1H), 7.11(s, 1H), 4.34 (d, J = 2.6 Hz, 1H), 4.01 (s, 3H), 2.87-2.83 (m, 1H), 1.46 (s, 9H), 1.41 (d, J = 5.5 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 184.5, 159.5, 143.0, 130.0, 127.5, 81.3, 44.4, 41.7, 36.0, 28.0, 16.9; IR (KBr): ν 3111, 2976, 2932, 1723, 1672, 1458, 1402, 1368, 1307, 1156, 1015, 912, 823, 780, 695 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI): calcd for C₁₃H₁₉N₃NaO₃ (M+Na)⁺ 288.1319; found 288.1317.

(R)-tert-butyl (4-(1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)-4-oxobutan-2-yl)((methylsulfonyl)oxy)carbamate (7)



To an oven-dried 25 mL Schlenk tube equipped with a stir bar, **Δ -Rh** (2.0 mol%) was added along with α,β -unsaturated 2-acyl imidazole **1a** (0.1 mmol) and toluene (0.2 mL). After being stirred at room temperature for 5 min, sulfonyl hydroxycarbamate **5** (1.2 equiv or 2.0 equiv) was added at room temperature followed by Na₂HPO₄ (1.2 equiv). The reaction was stirring at 50 °C for 24 hours. The solution directly purified by silica gel column chromatography (EtOAc/Petroleum ether = 1:6) to afford aziridine **7** as yellow oil, 6.3 mg, 9% yield, 47% ee, [α]_D²⁵ = -10.8 (c = 0.5, CHCl₃); The ee was determined by HPLC (Chiralpak column ID, λ = 254 nm, hexane/*i*-PrOH = 70/30, flow rate 1.0 mL/min, t_{major} = 9.53 min, t_{minor} = 8.61 min); R_f = 0.15 in 1:3 EtOAc/petroleum ether. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.14 (s, 1H), 7.03(s, 1H), 4.08-4.75 (m, 1H), 3.99 (s, 3H), 3.50-3.44 (m, 1H), 3.17 (s, 1H), 1.53 (s, 9H), 1.36 (d, J = 5.6 Hz, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃): δ 189.4, 155.8, 142.7, 129.1, 127.0, 84.3, 55.8, 42.6, 37.9, 36.0, 28.0; IR (KBr): ν 3111, 2963, 2928, 1717, 1702, 1684, 1507, 1519, 1457, 1402, 1367, 1239, 1192, 1054, 963, 783, 758 cm⁻¹; HRMS (ESI): calcd for C₁₄H₂₃N₃NaO₆S (M+Na)⁺ 384.1200; found 384.1198.

tert-Butyl 4-(1-methyl-1H-imidazol-2-yl)-4-oxobutan-2-yloxycarbamate (3a')



Prepared by following general procedure. **3a'** was obtained as a colorless viscous liquid; Yield = 86%; R_f = 0.1 in 1:3 EtOAc/petroleum ether; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 8.12 (brs, 1H), 7.14 (s, 1H), 7.04 (s, 1H), 4.53-4.49 (m, 1H), 4.00 (s, 3H), 3.36 (dd, J = 14.8, 6.8 Hz, 1H), 3.26 (dd, J = 14.8, 5.2 Hz, 1H), 1.46 (s, 9H), 1.35 (d, J = 6.4 Hz, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3): δ 190.7, 156.8, 143.3, 129.0, 127.2, 81.2, 78.5, 44.0, 36.2, 28.2, 18.6; IR (KBr): ν 3341, 2979, 2934, 1734, 1681, 1412, 1370, 1252, 1163, 1104, 997, 913, 784 cm^{-1} ; HRMS (ESI): calcd for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{21}\text{N}_3\text{NaO}_4$ ($\text{M}+\text{Na}$) $^+$ 306.1430; found 306.1425

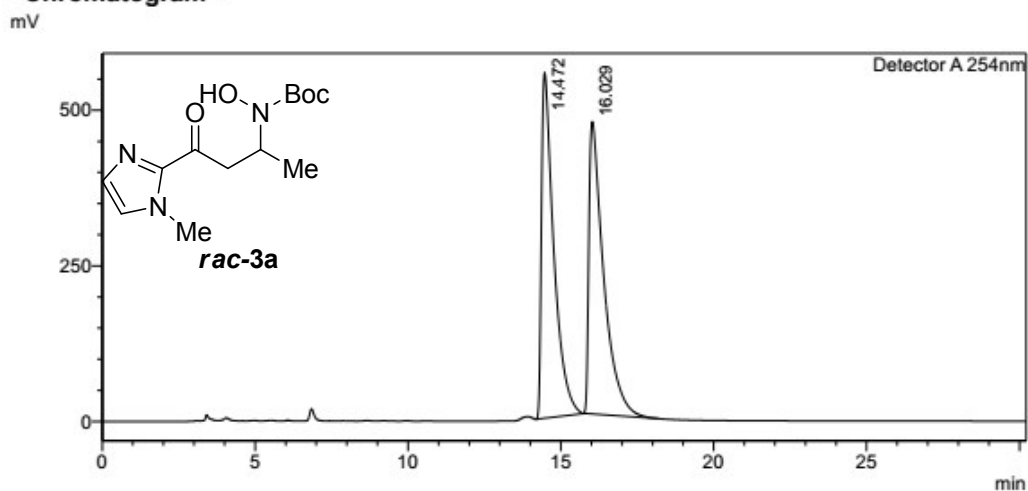
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IV. Chiral HPLC analysis trace

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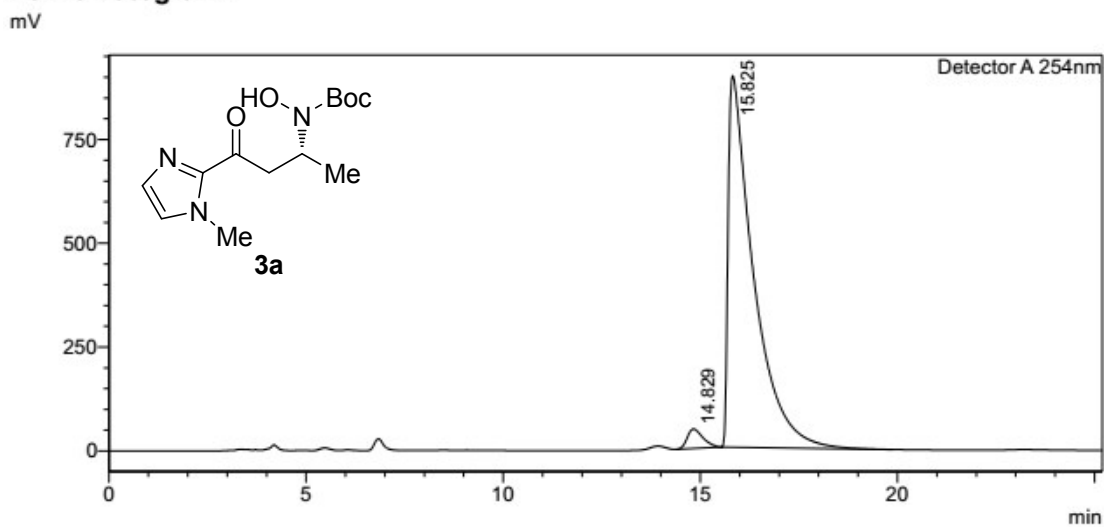
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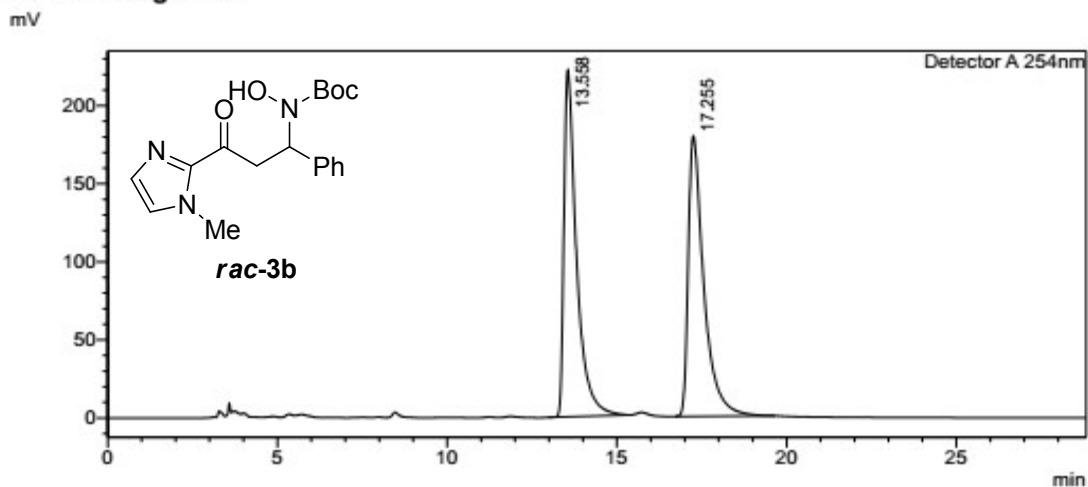
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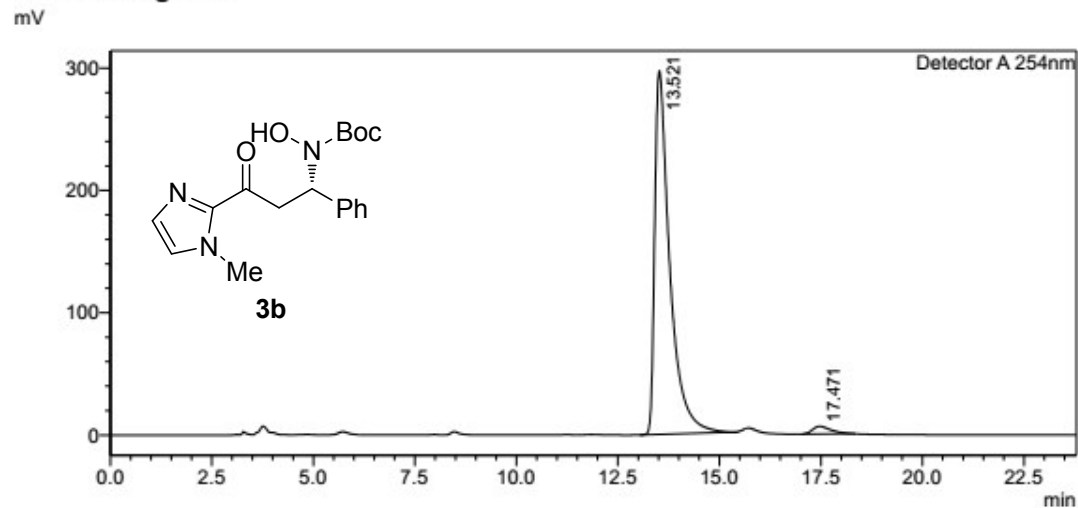


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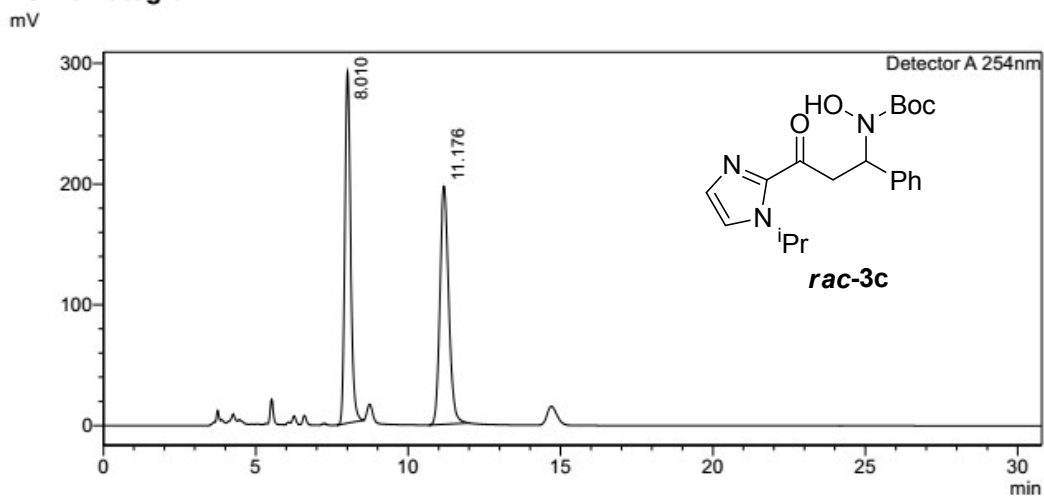


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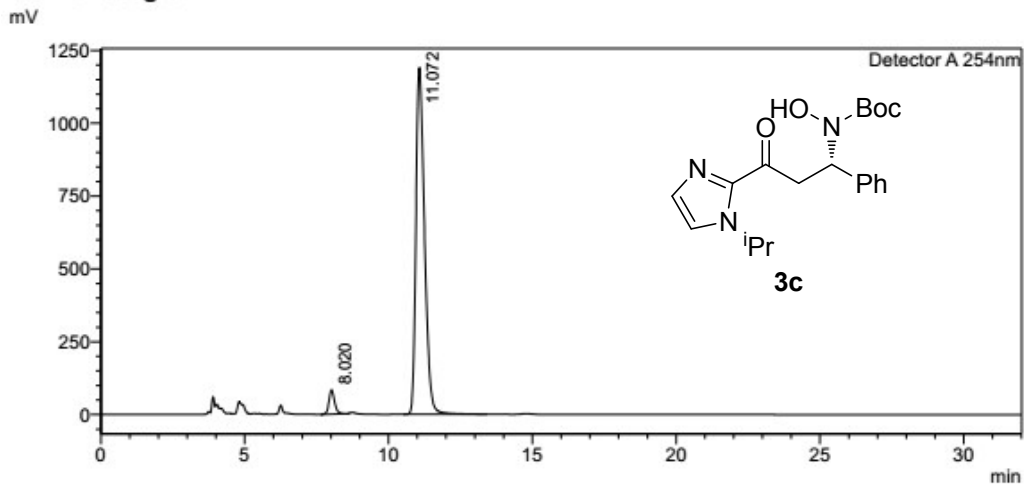
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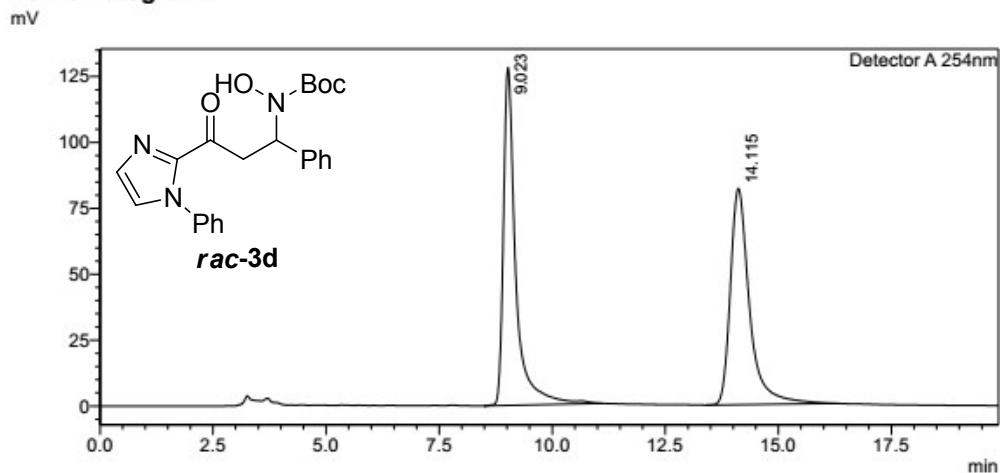
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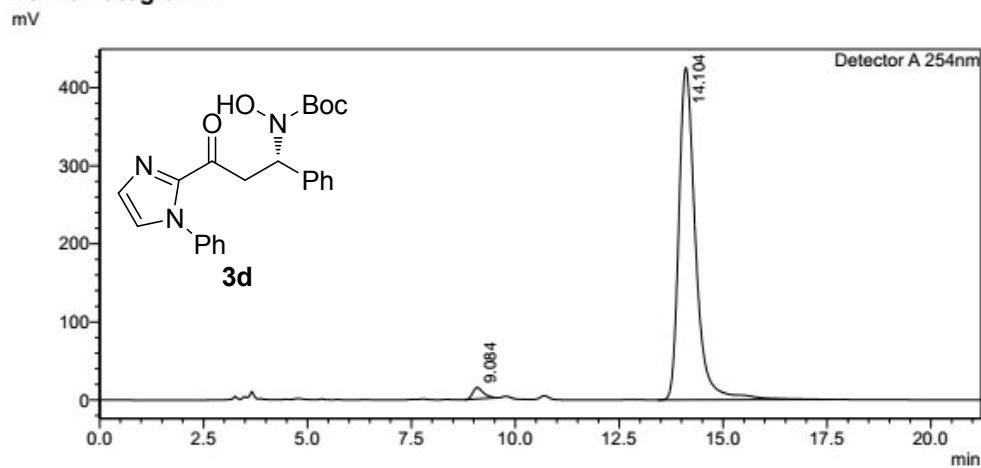


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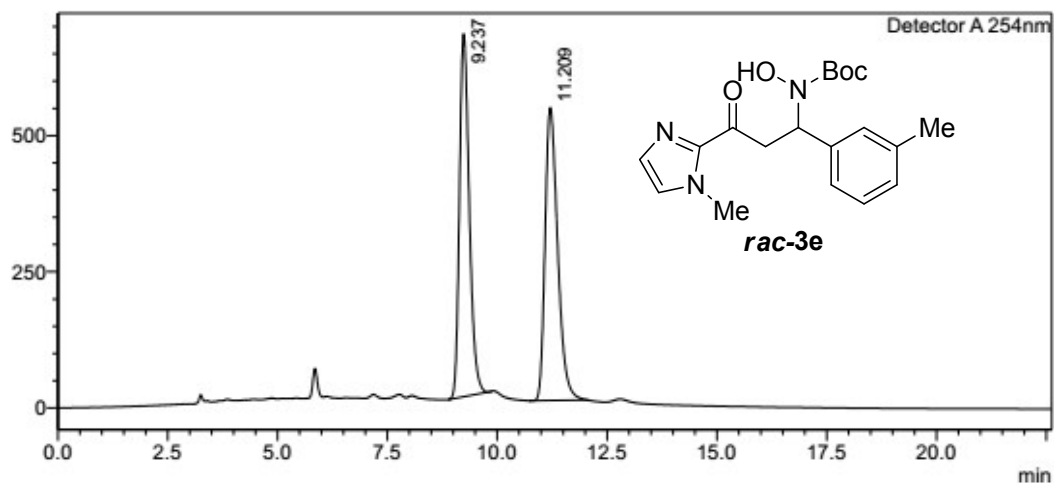
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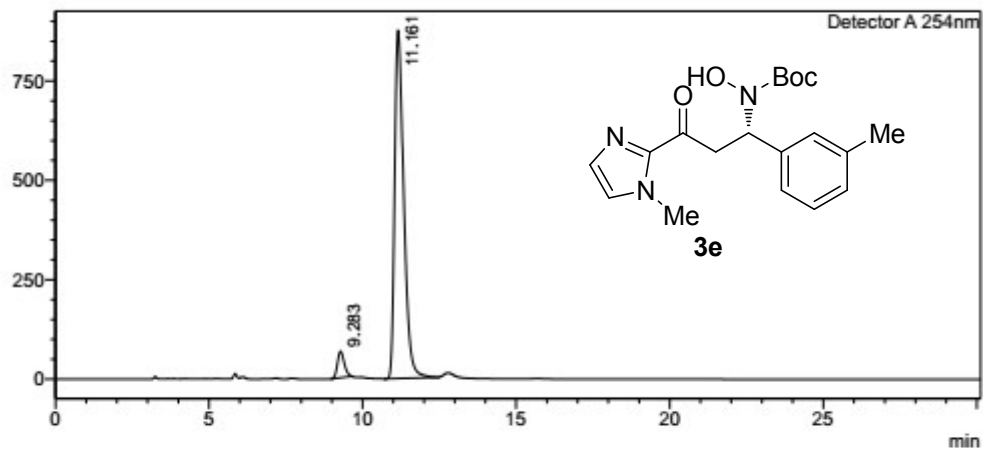
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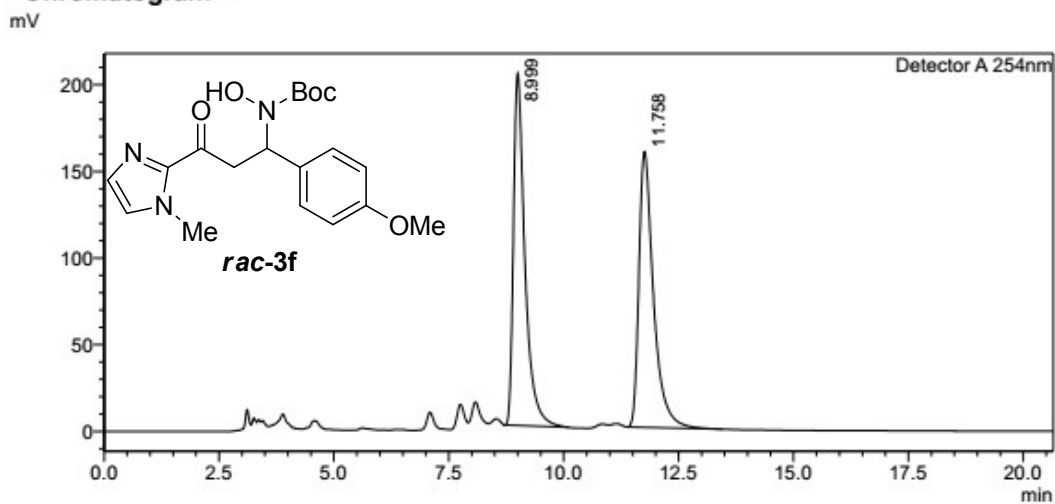
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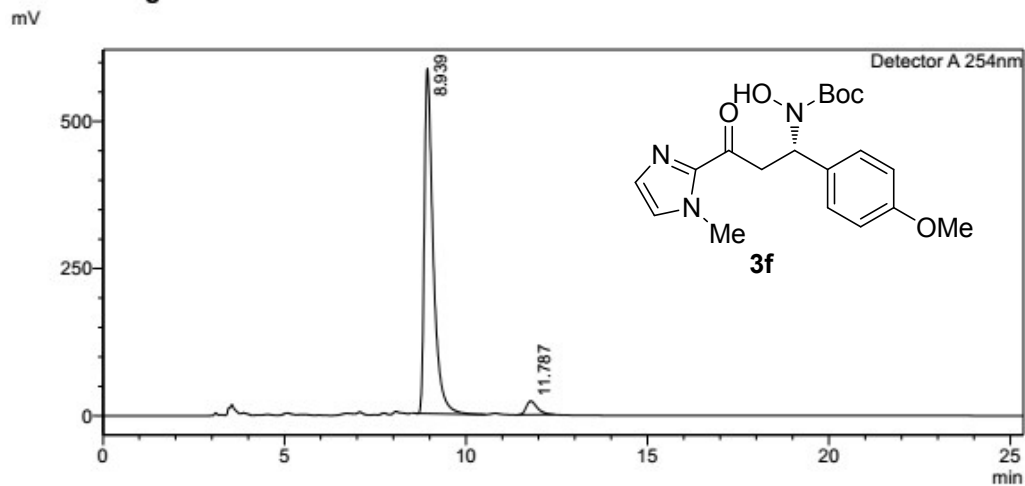
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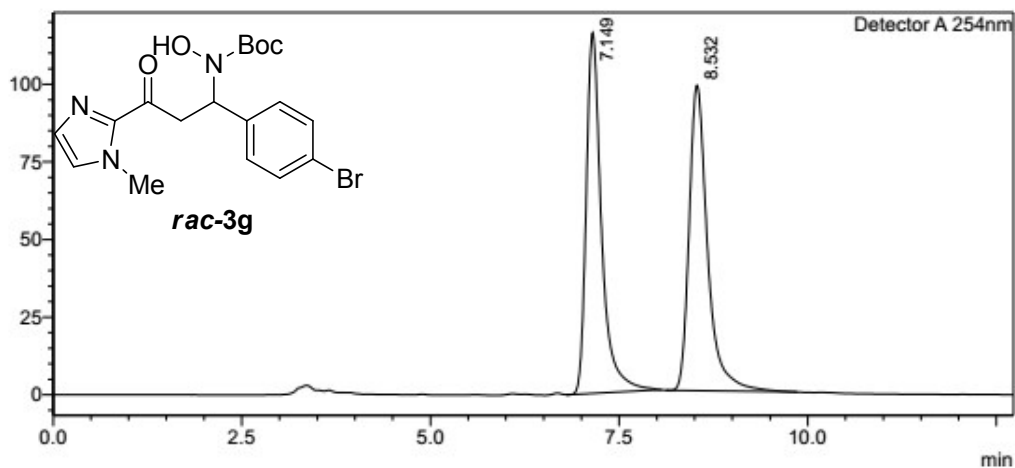
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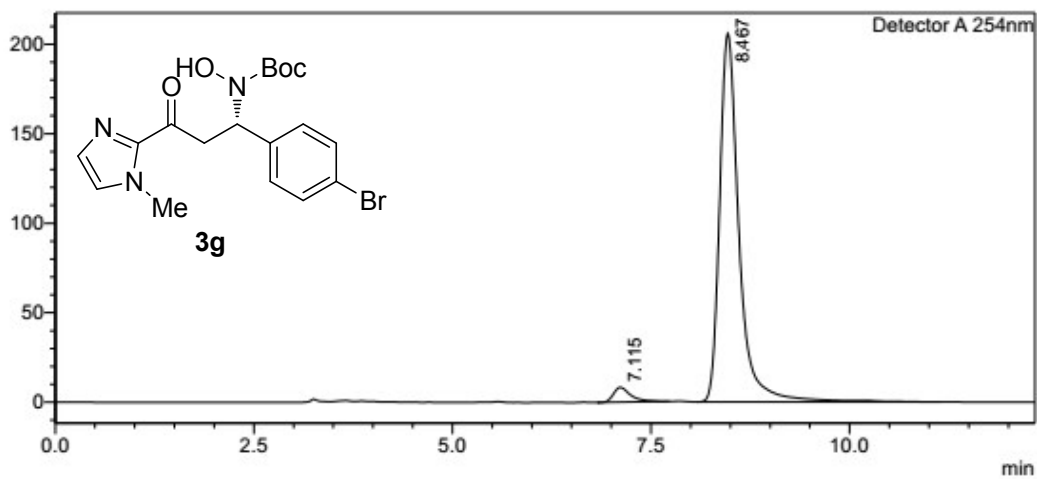
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Chiral-**3g**

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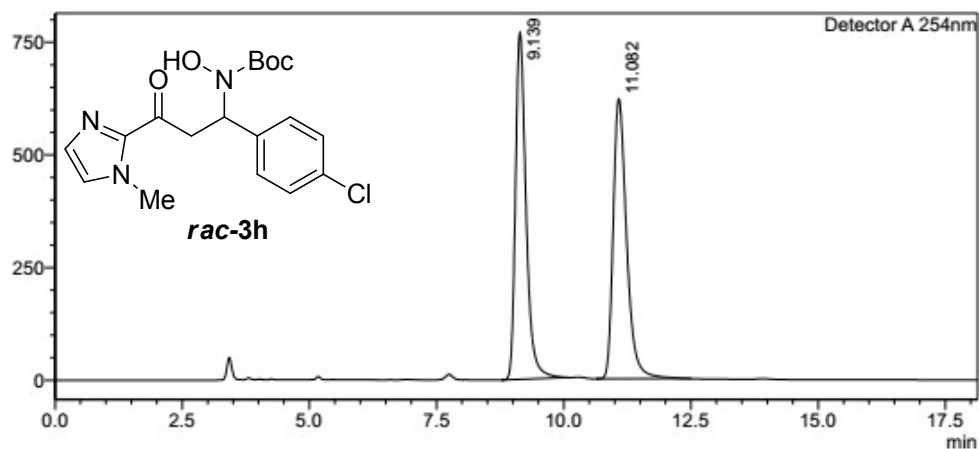
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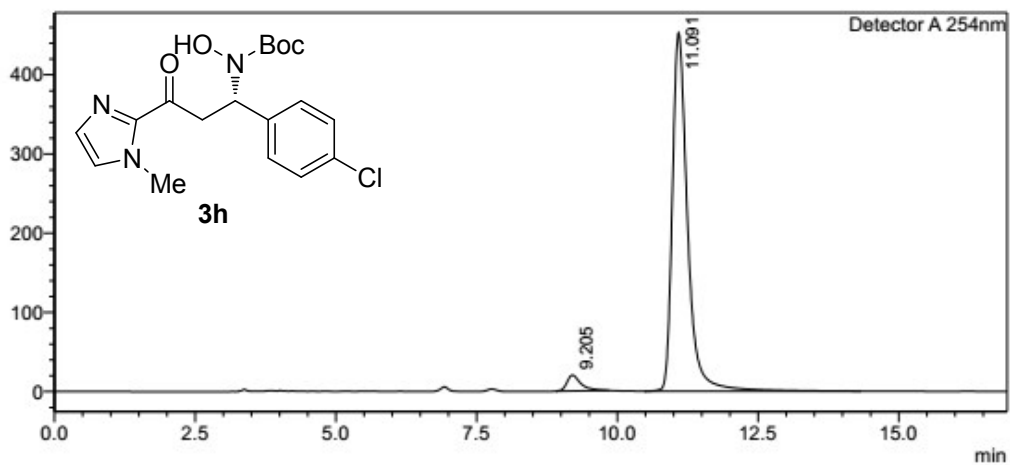
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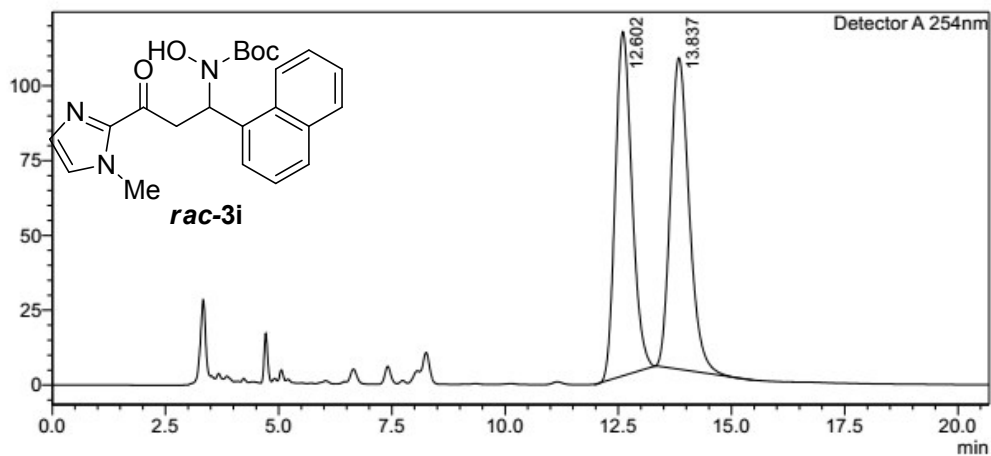
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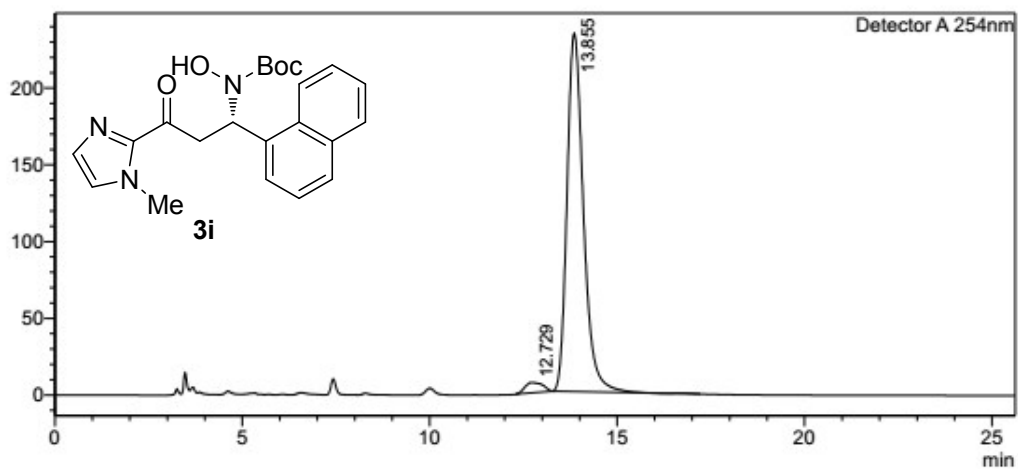
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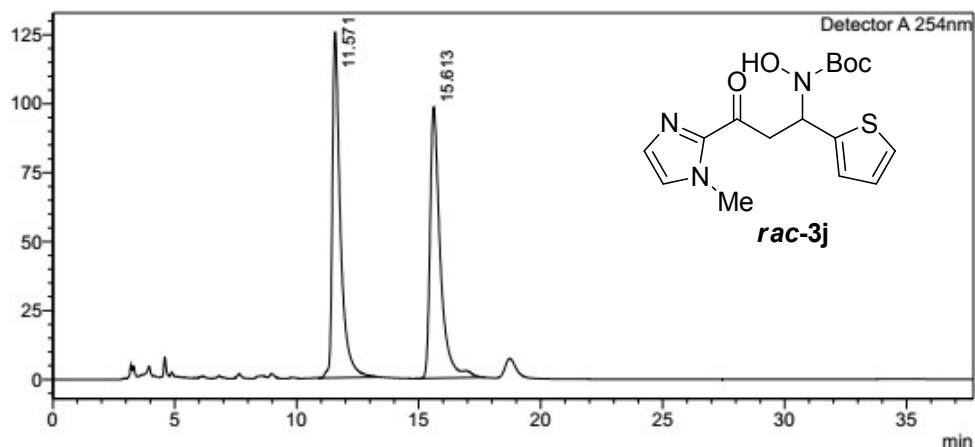
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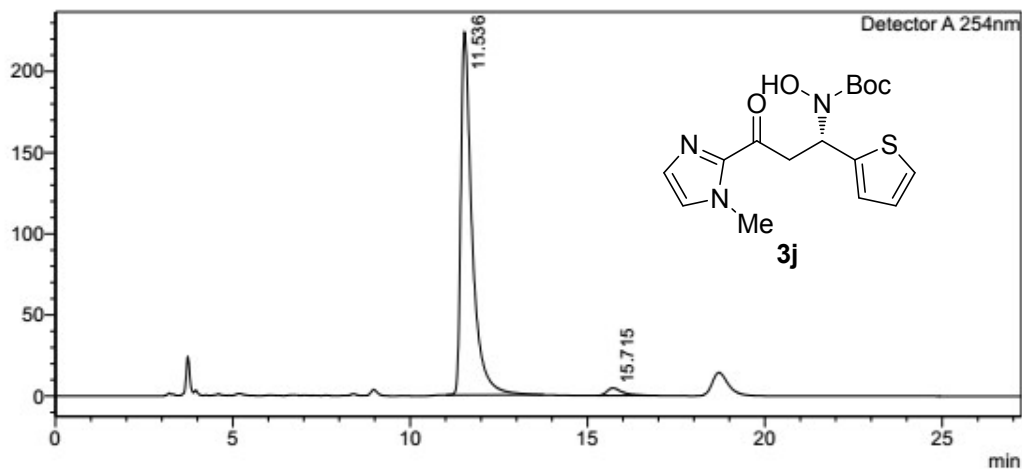
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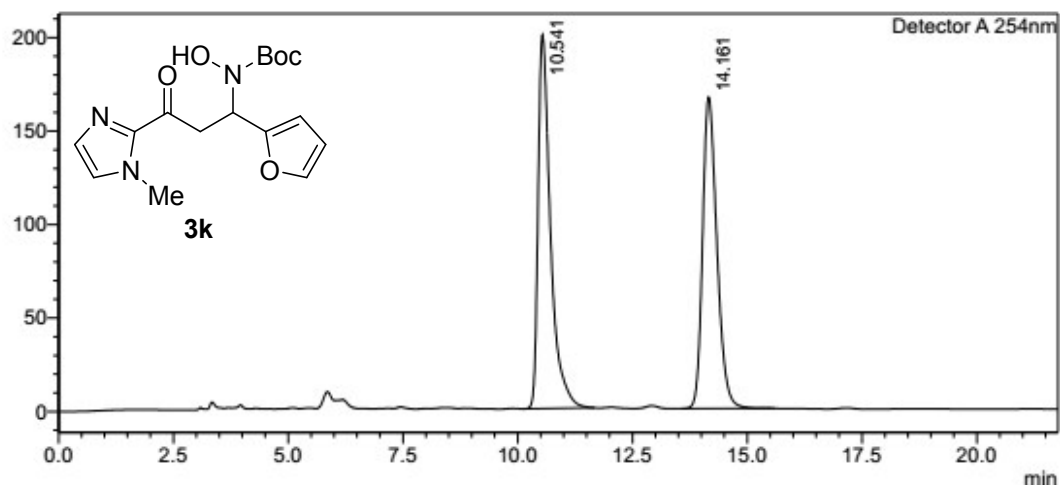
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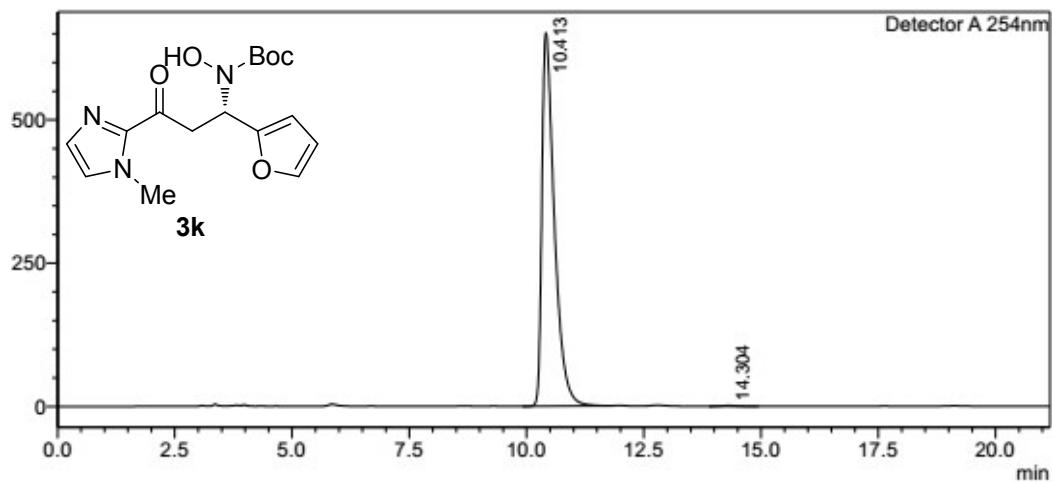
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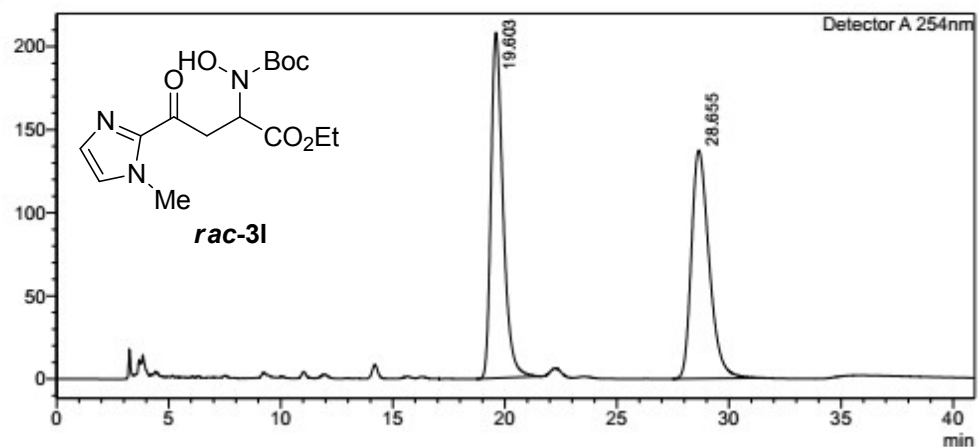
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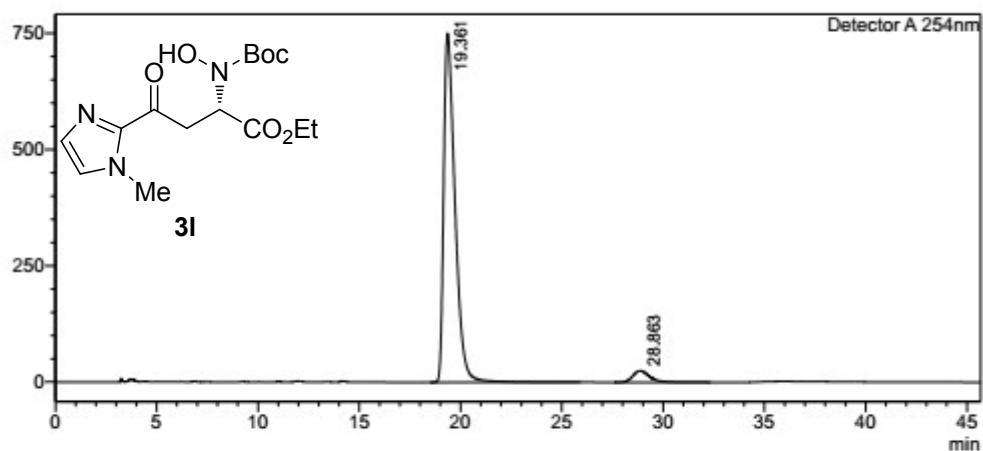
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Chiral-3I

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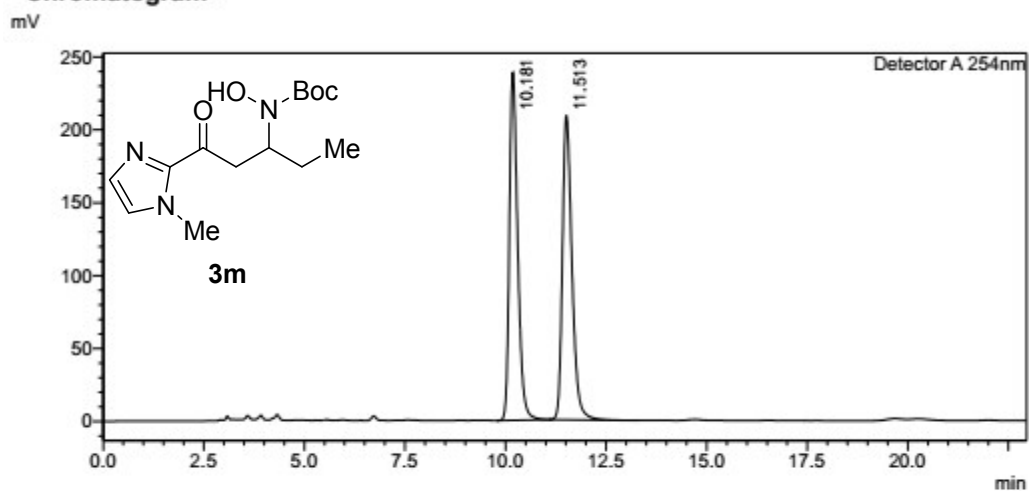
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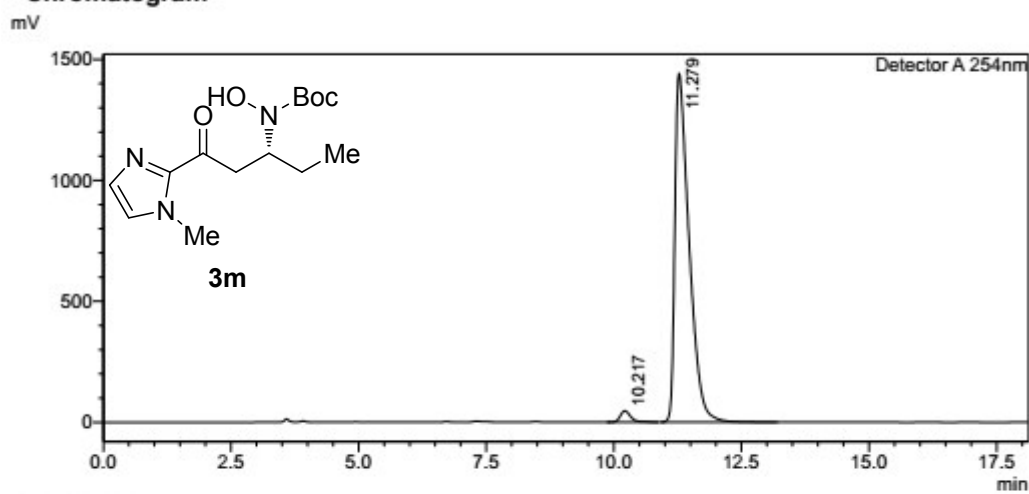
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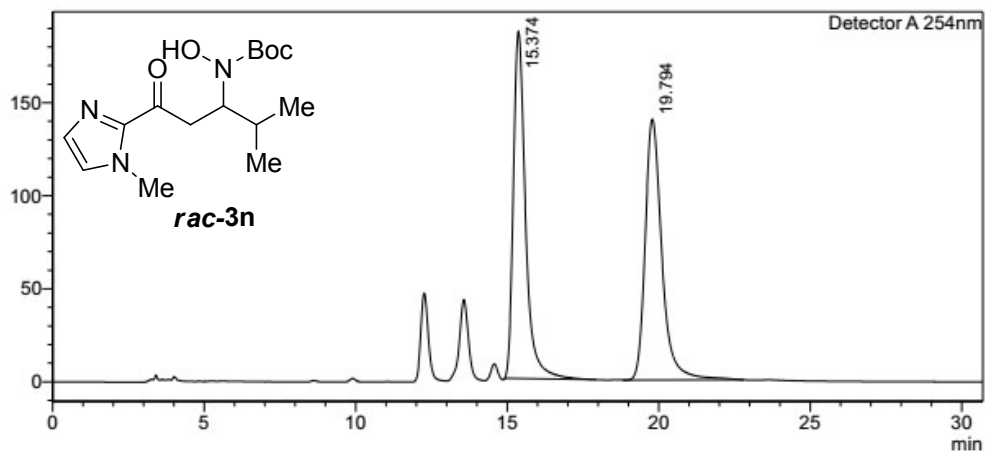
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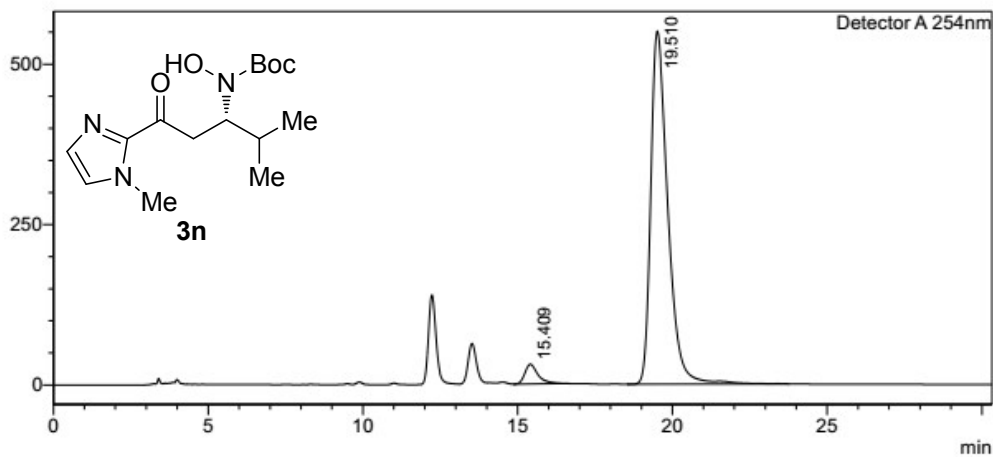
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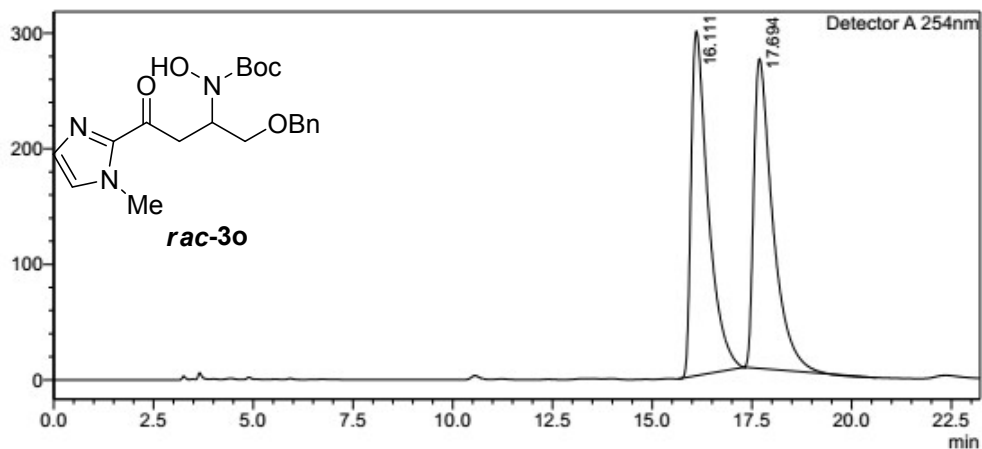
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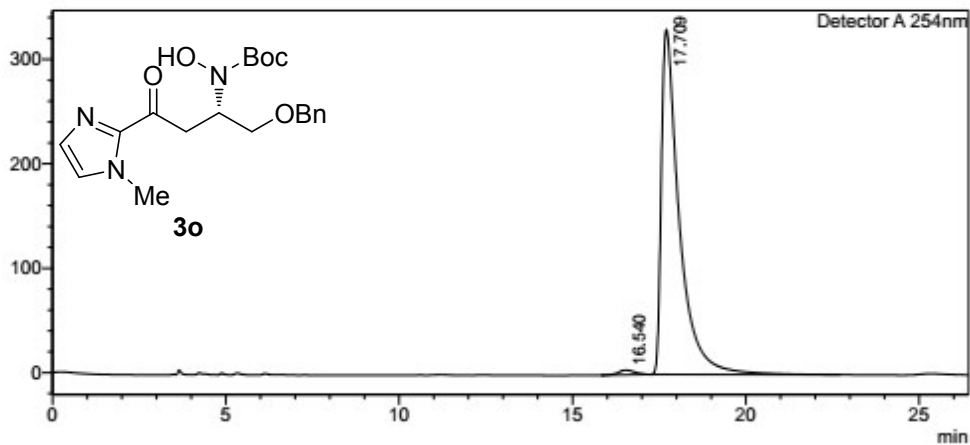
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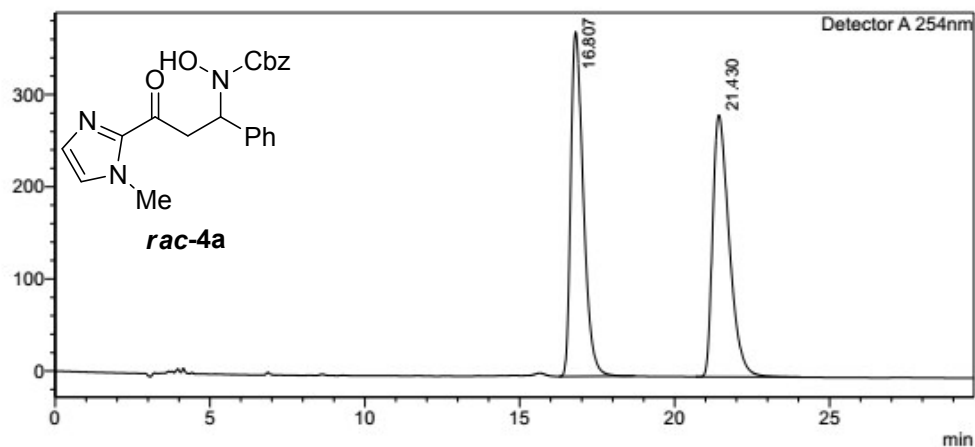
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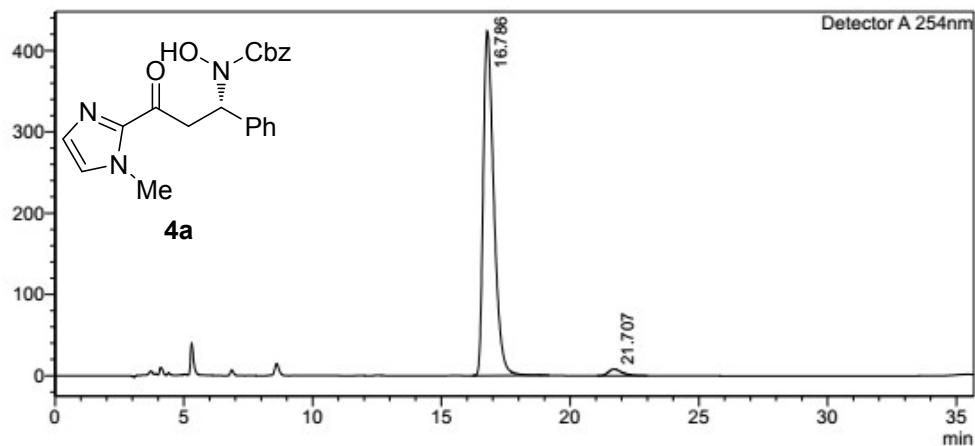
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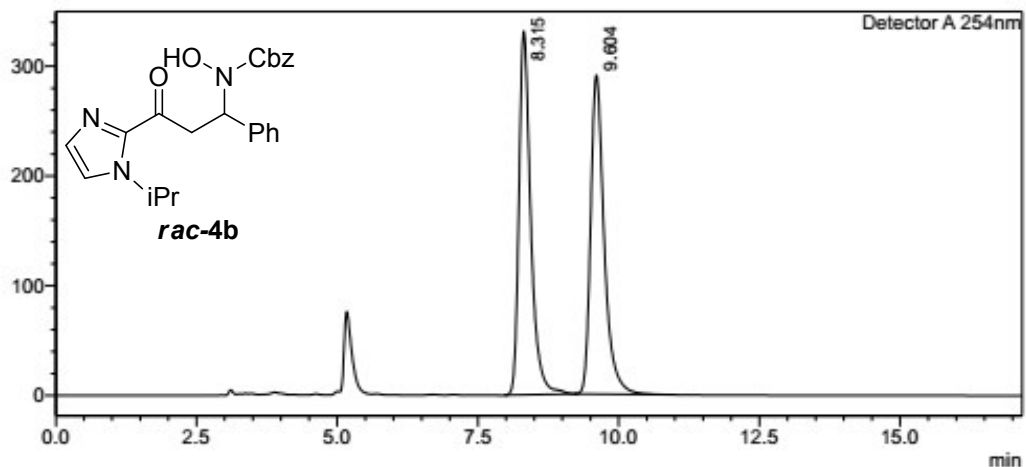
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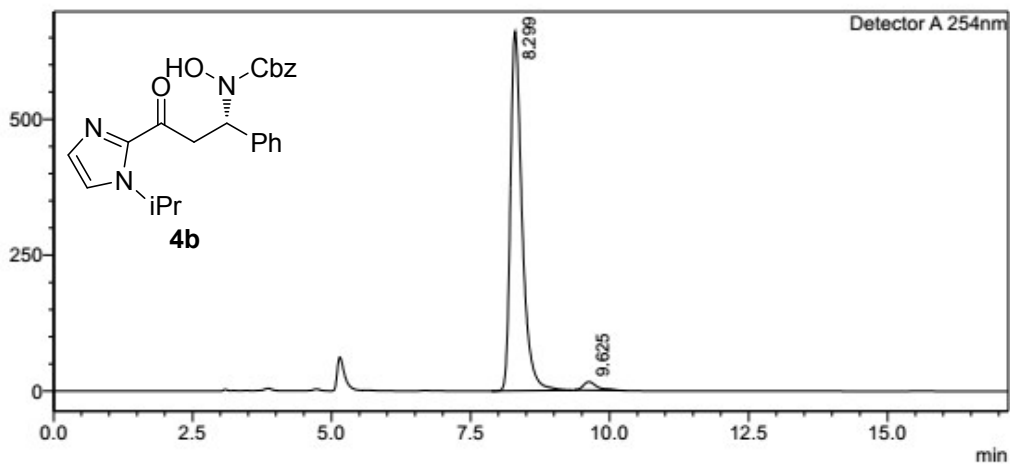
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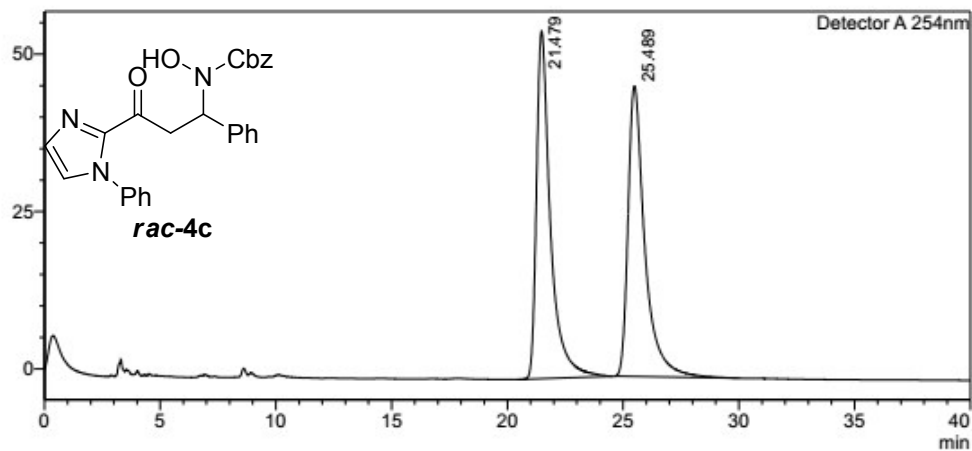
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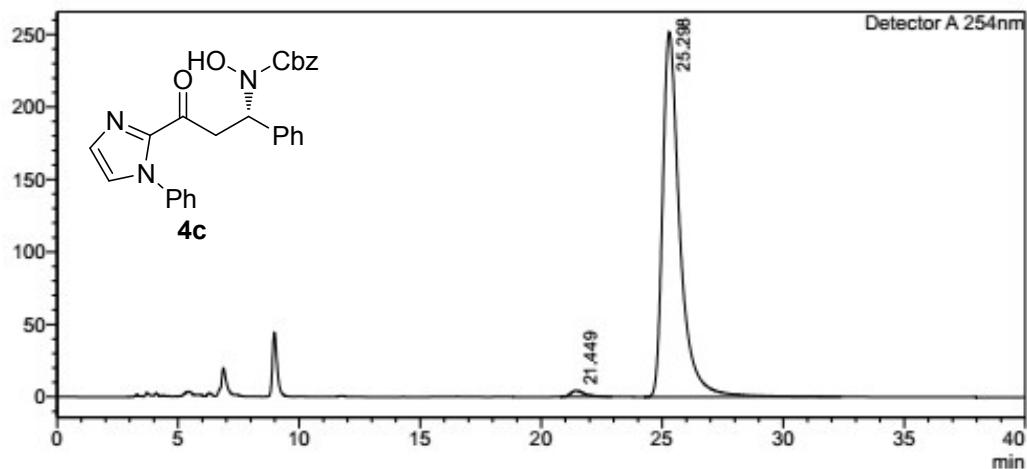
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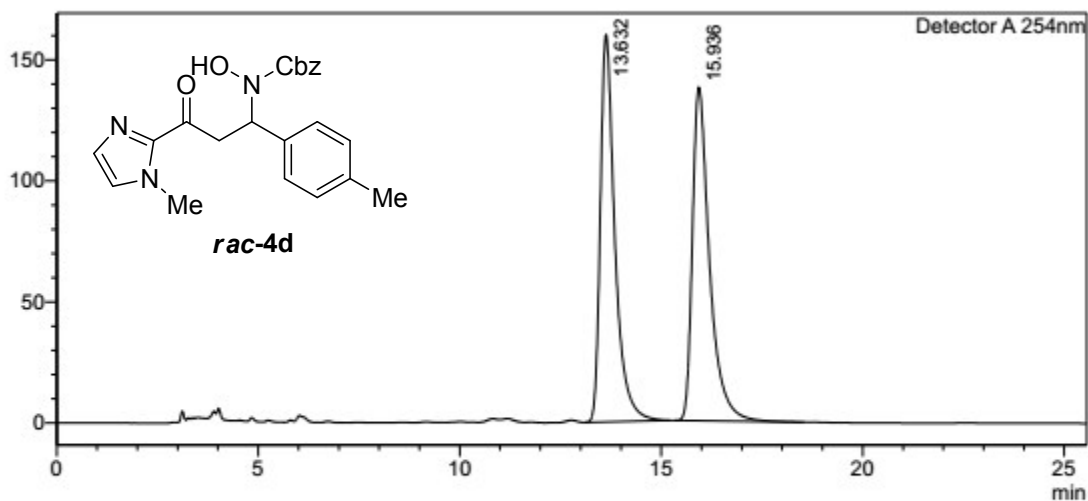
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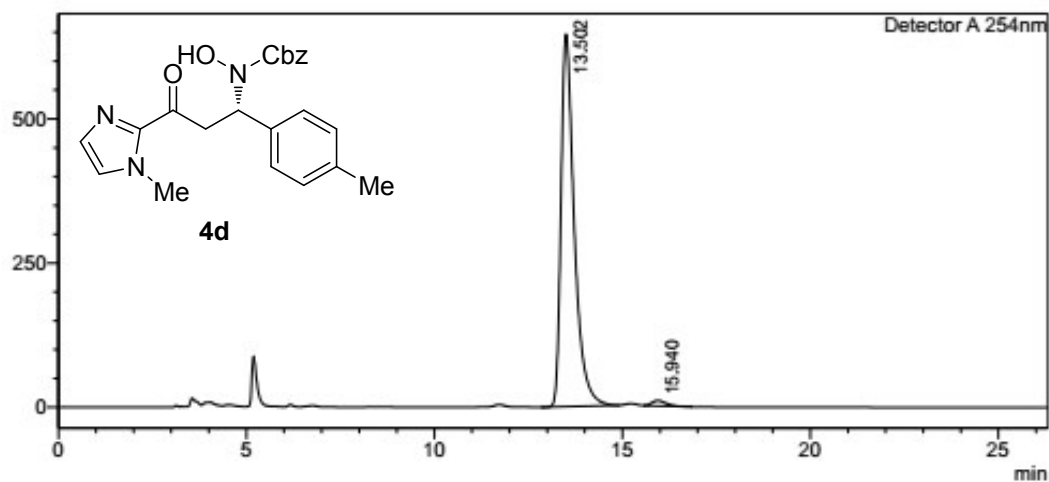
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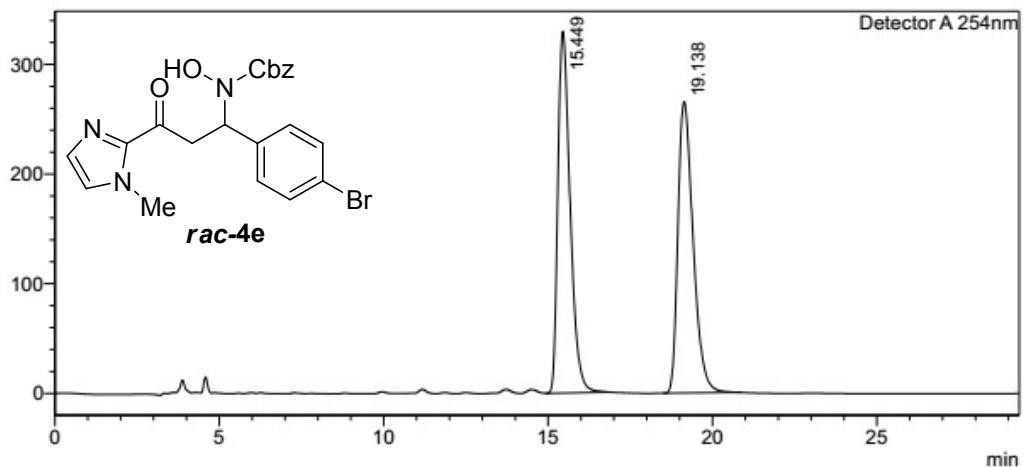
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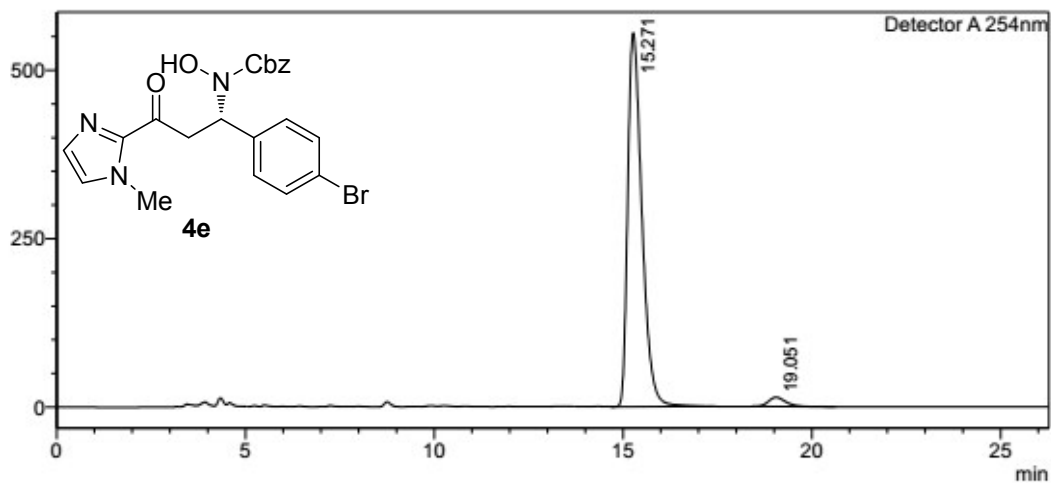
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Peak#	Ret. Time	Area	Height	Conc.	Unit	Mark	Name
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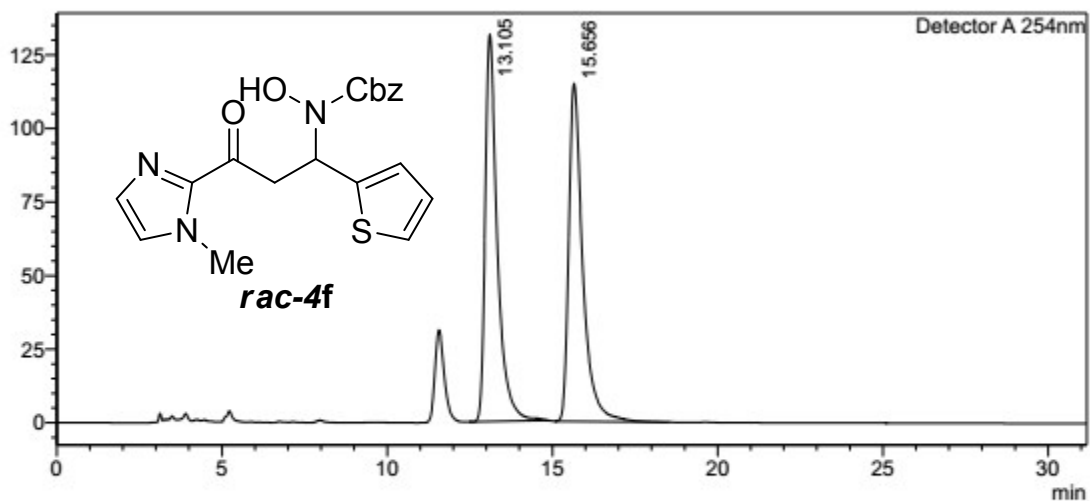
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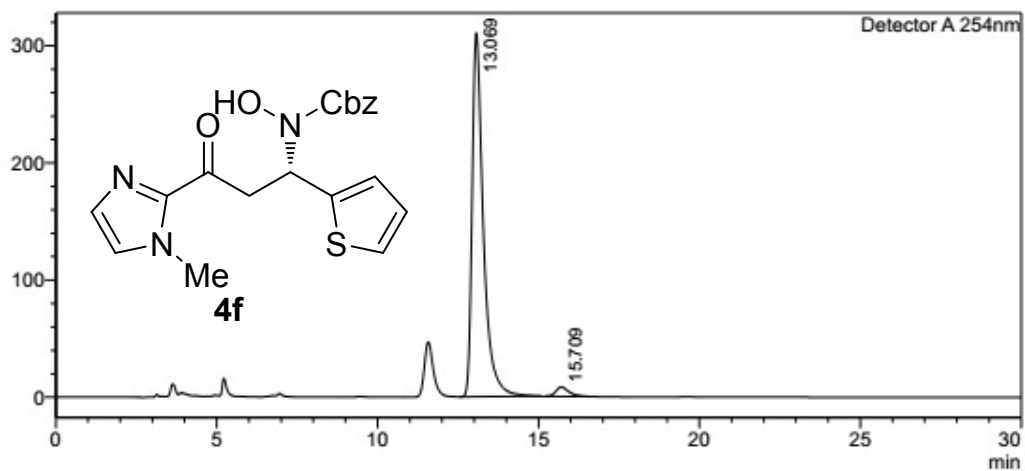
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Chiral-4f

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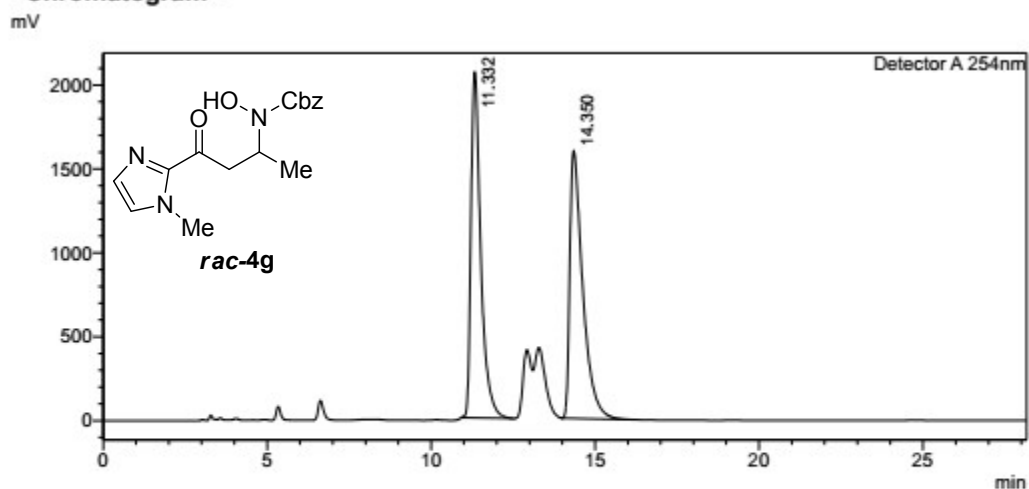
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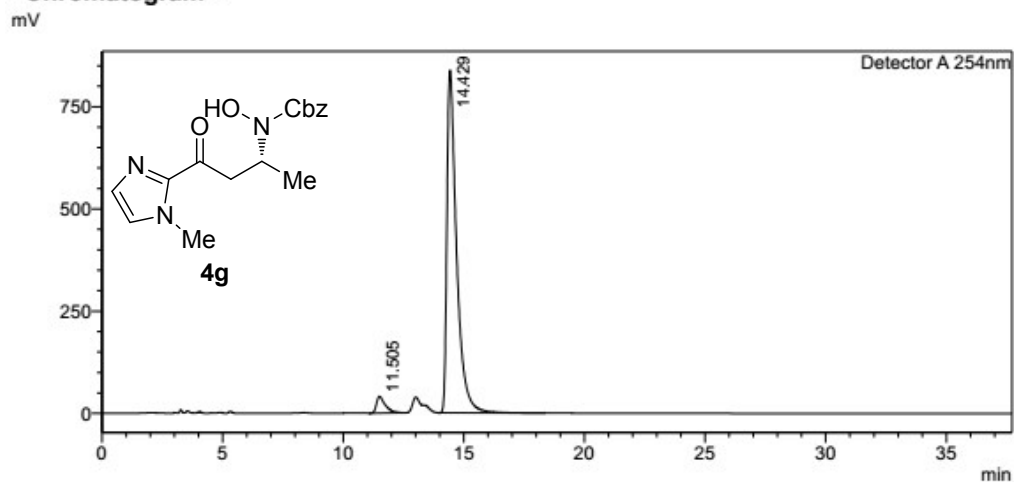


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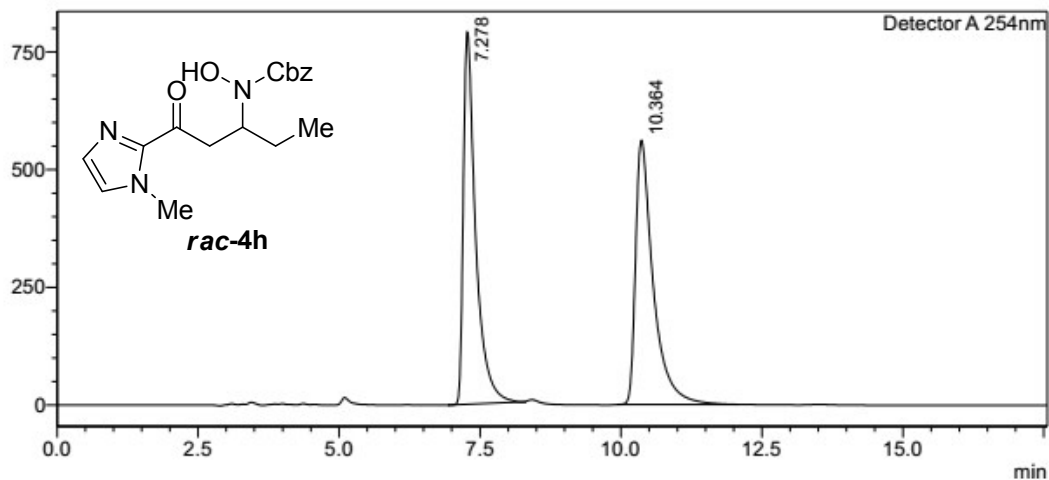
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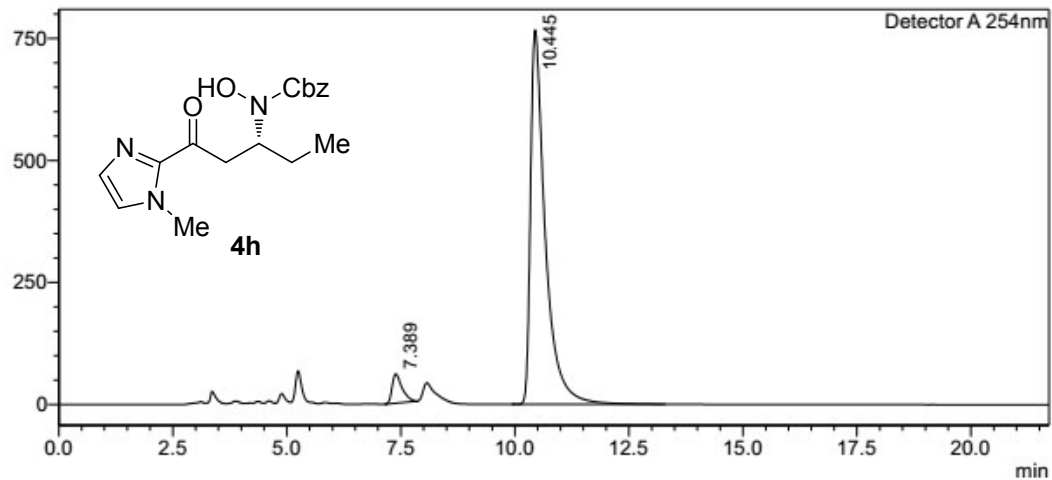
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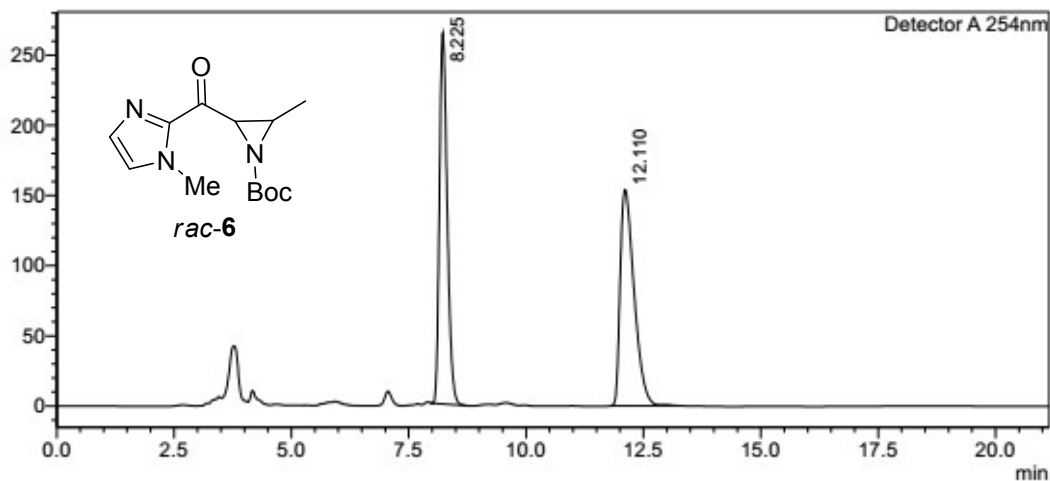
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mV



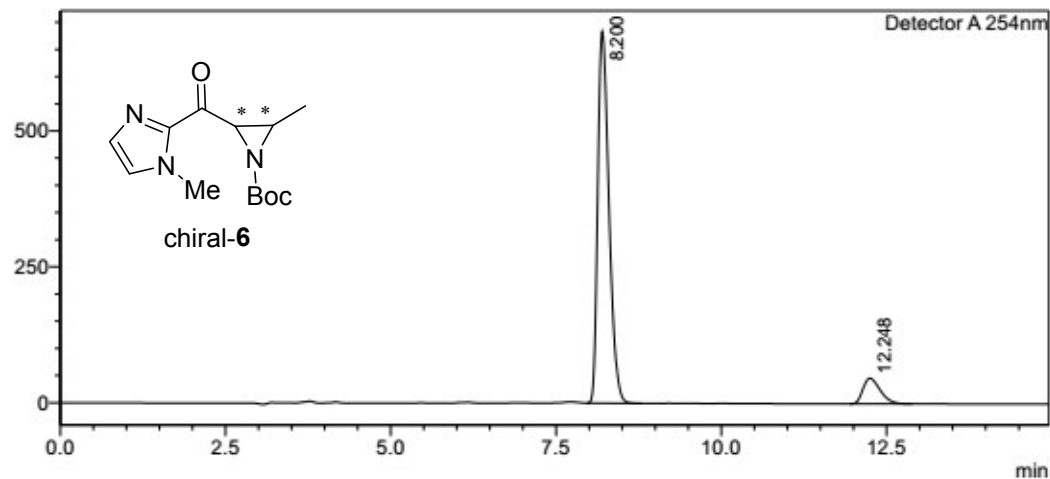
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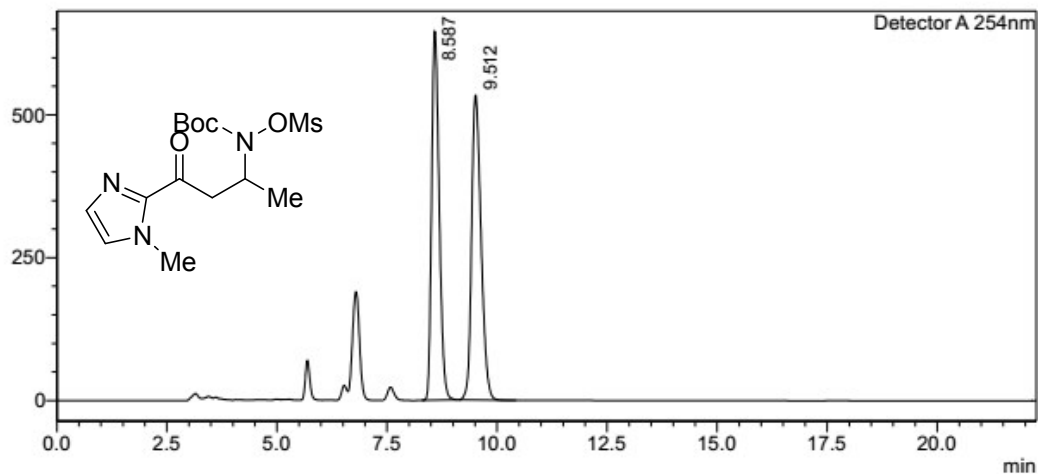
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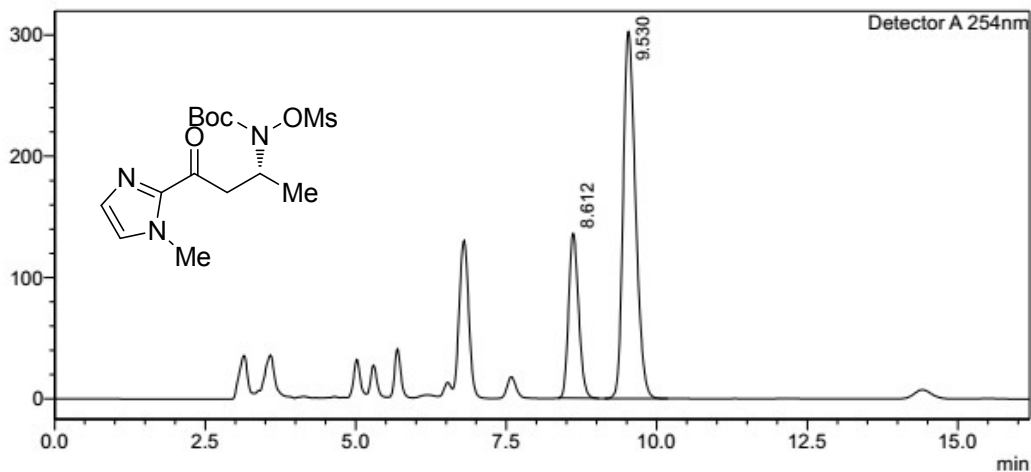
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Chiral-7

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mV

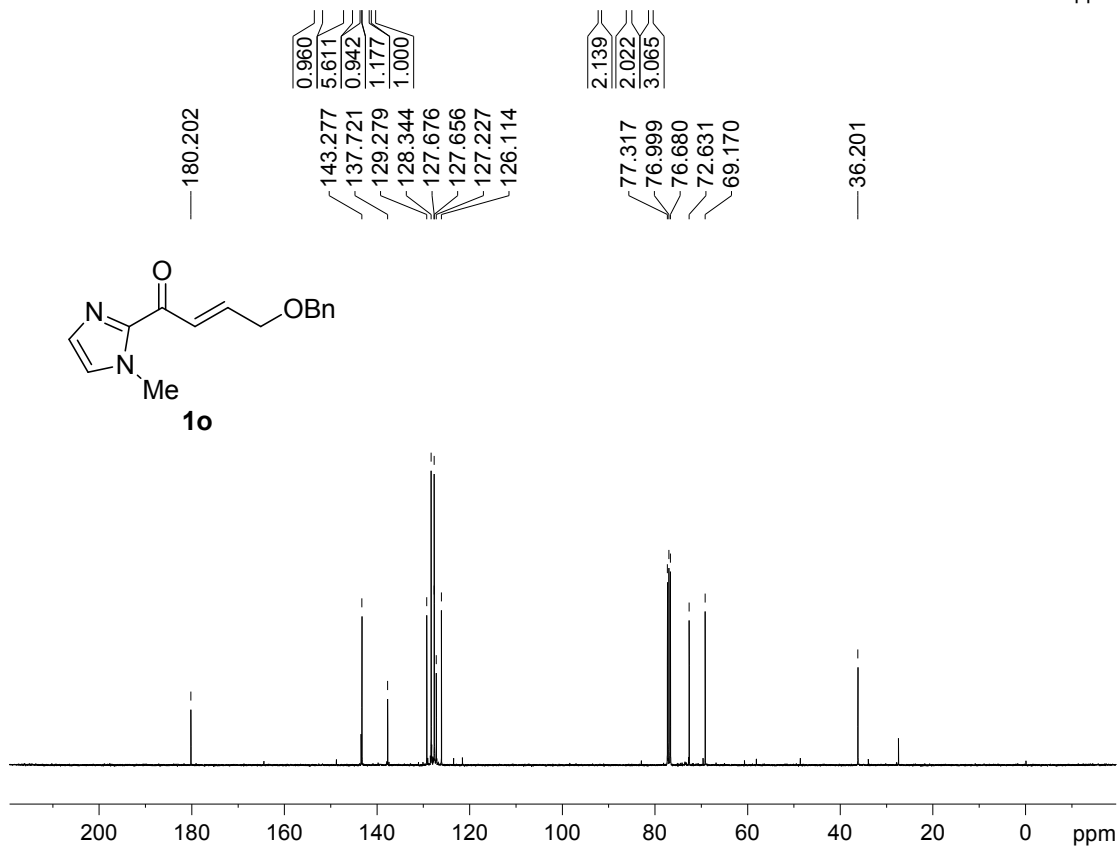
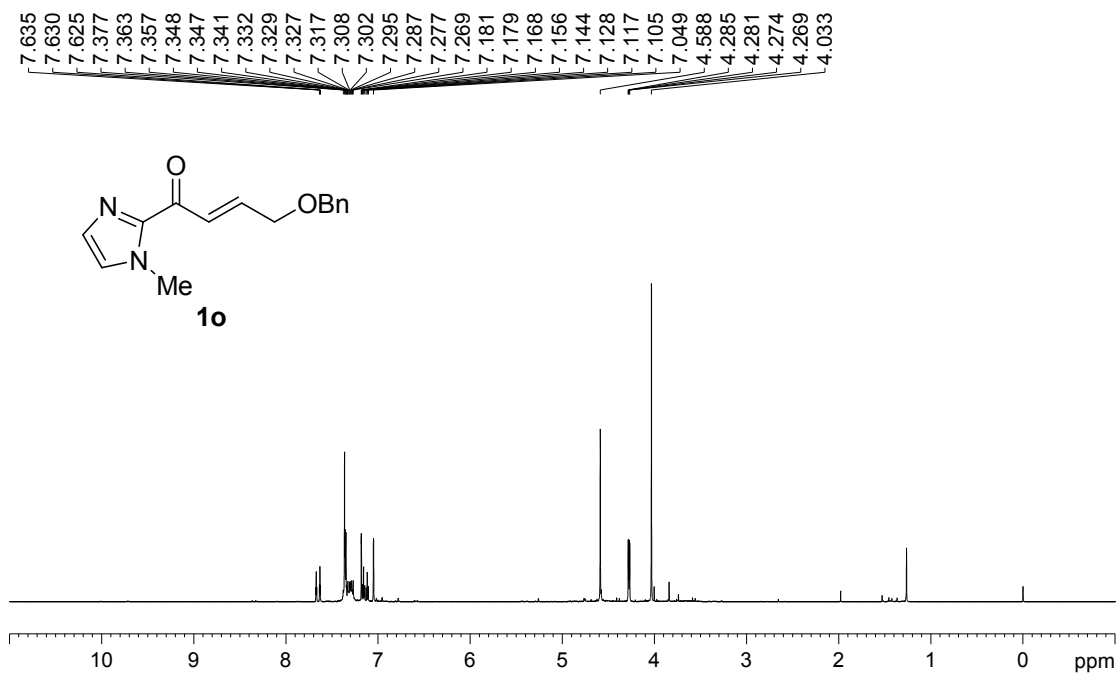


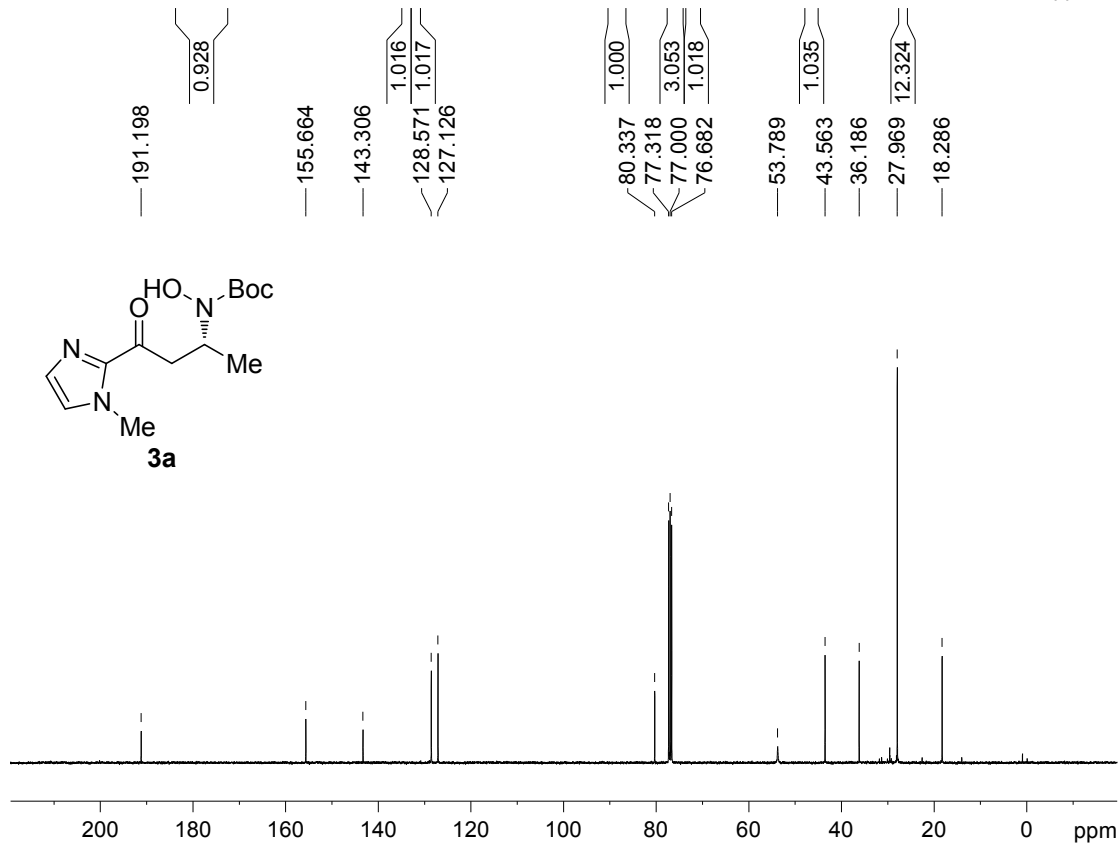
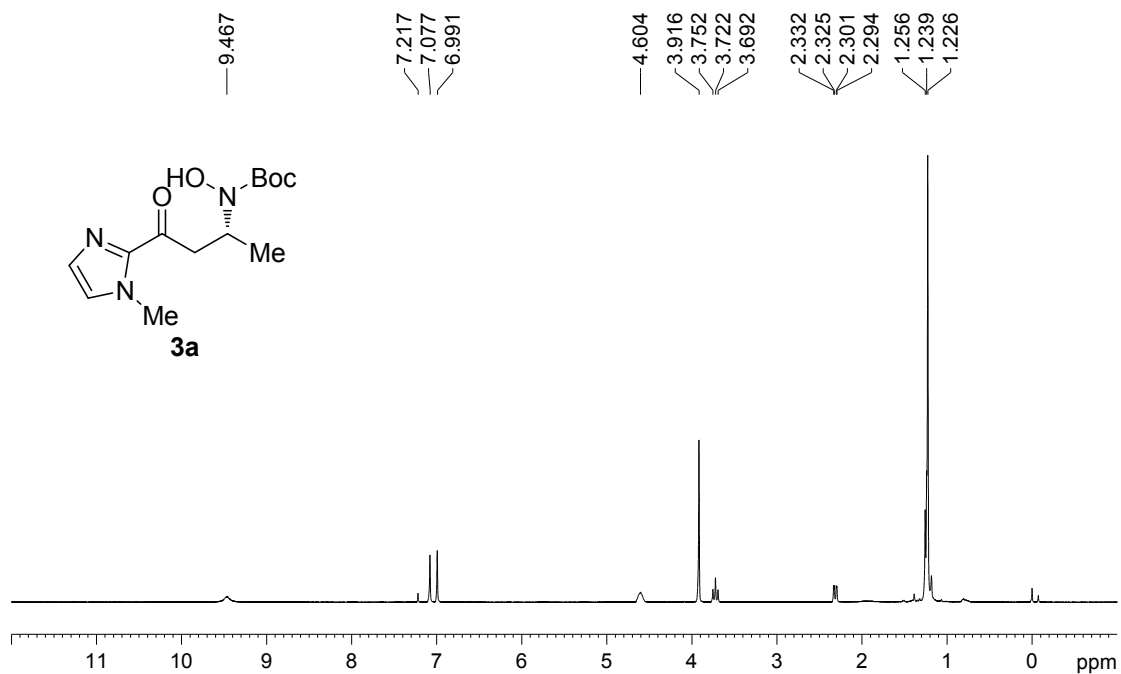
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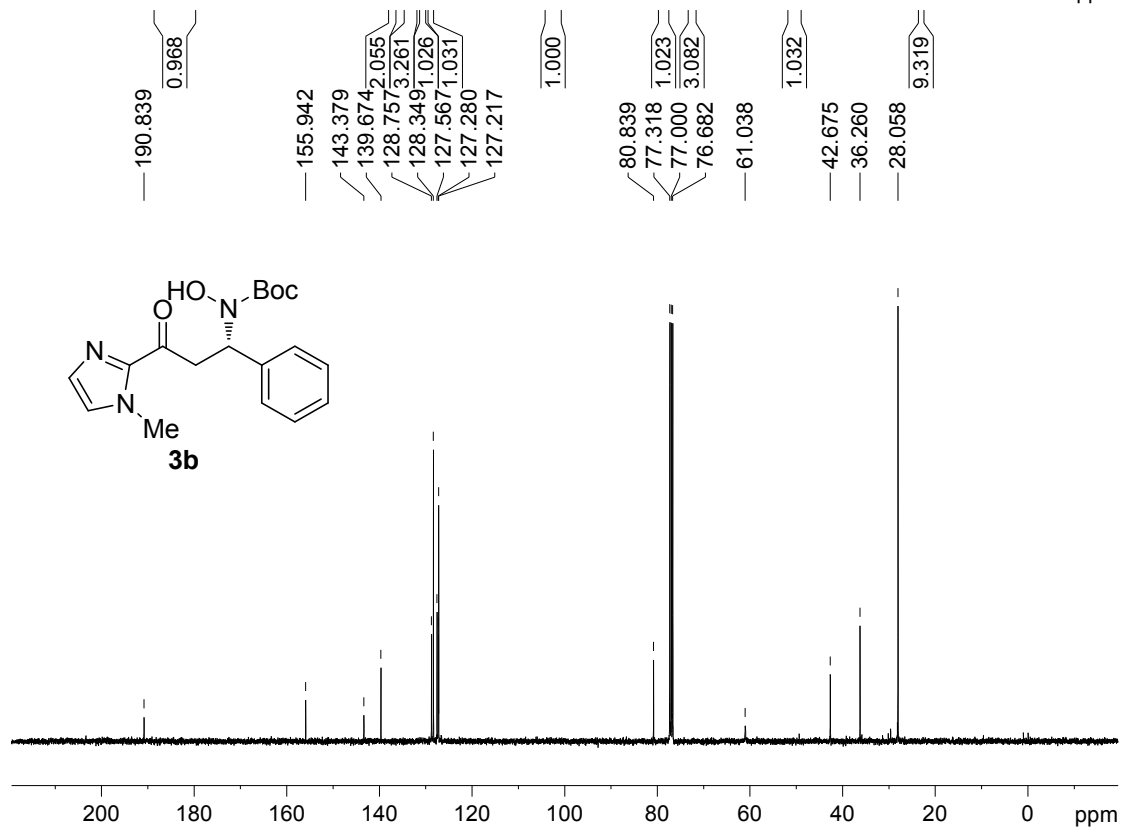
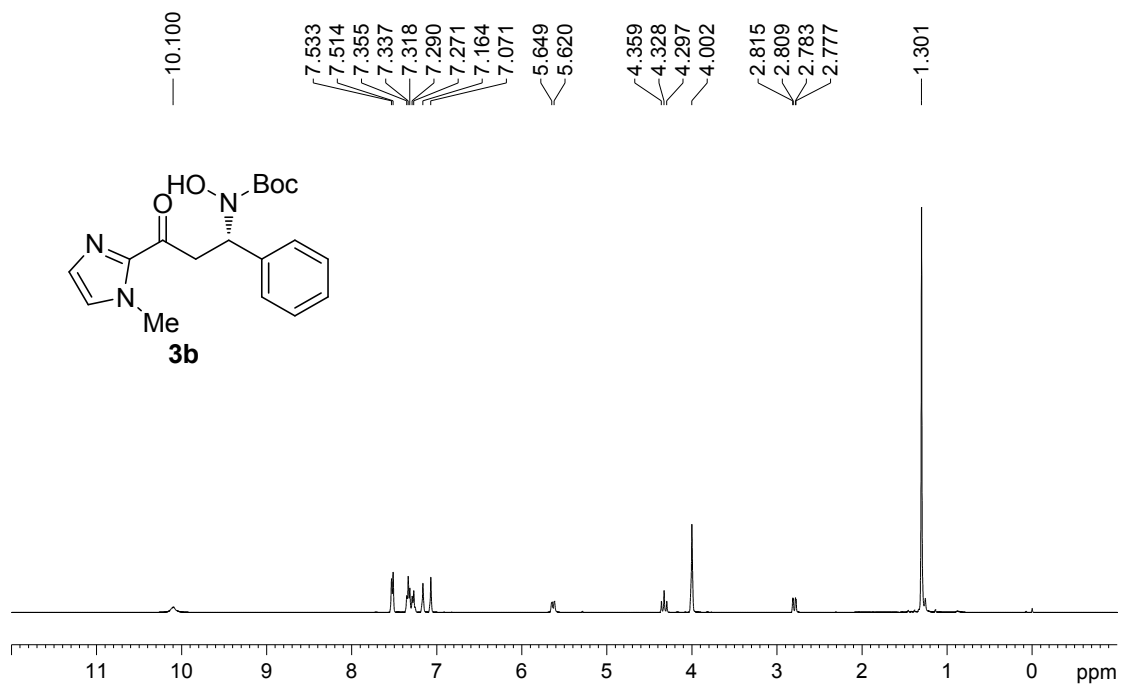
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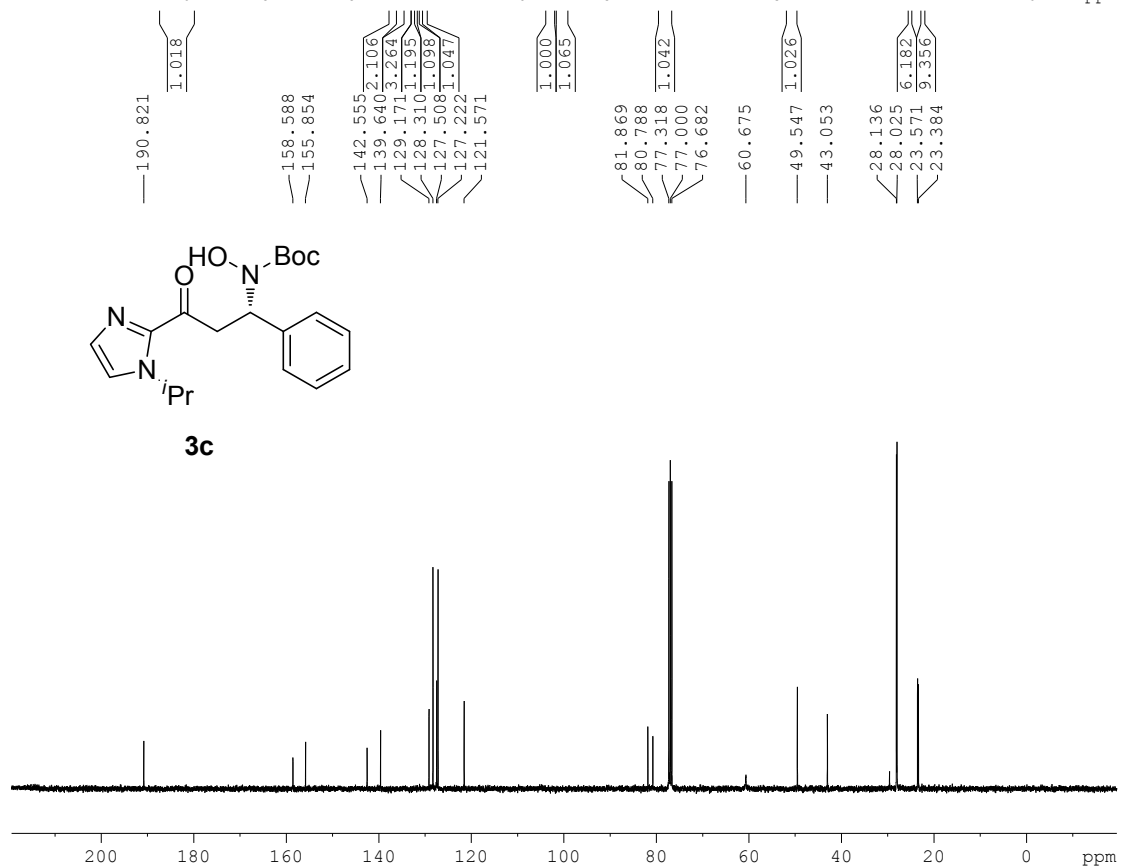
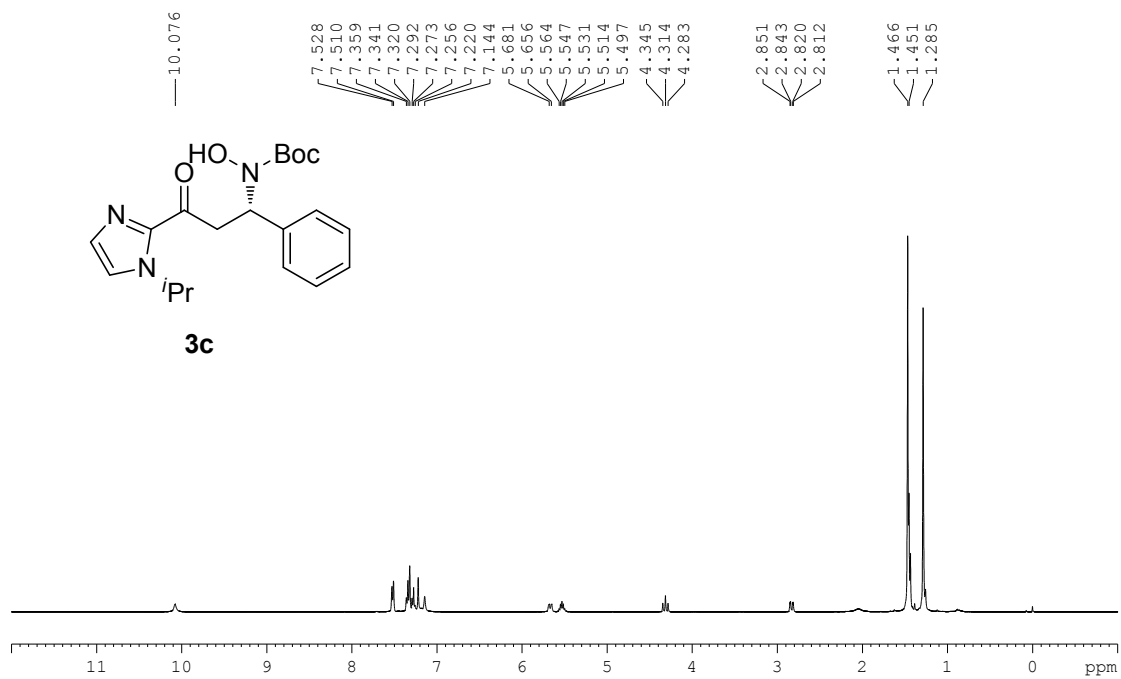
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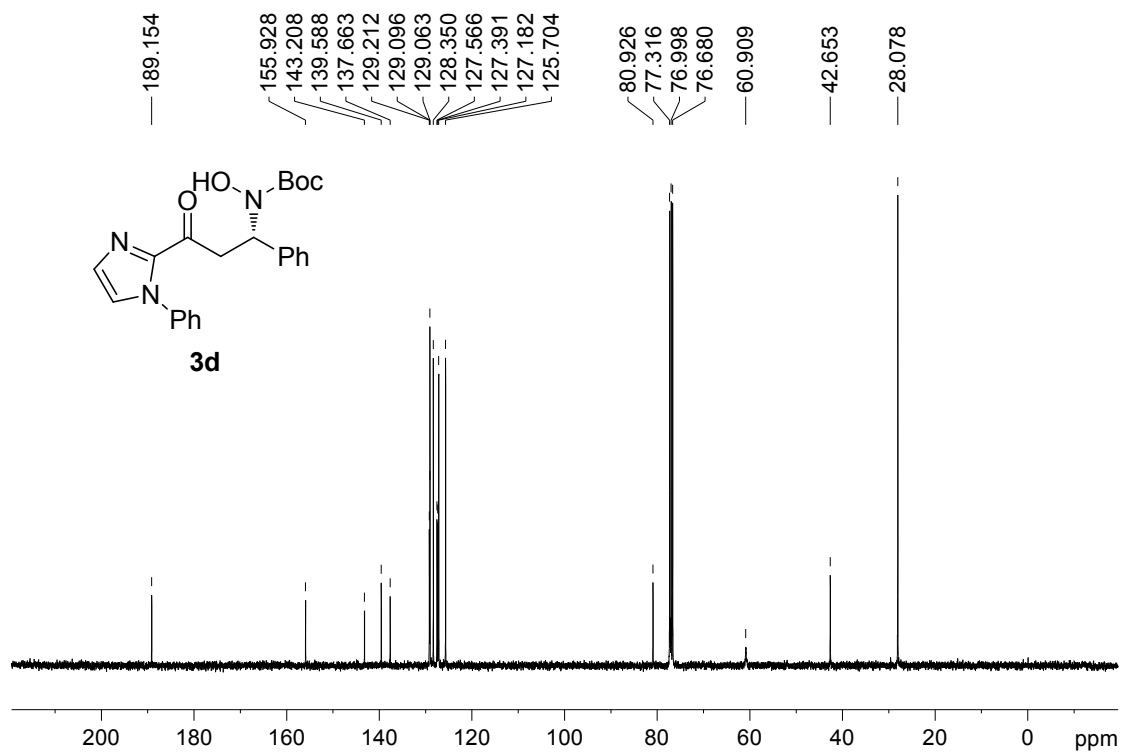
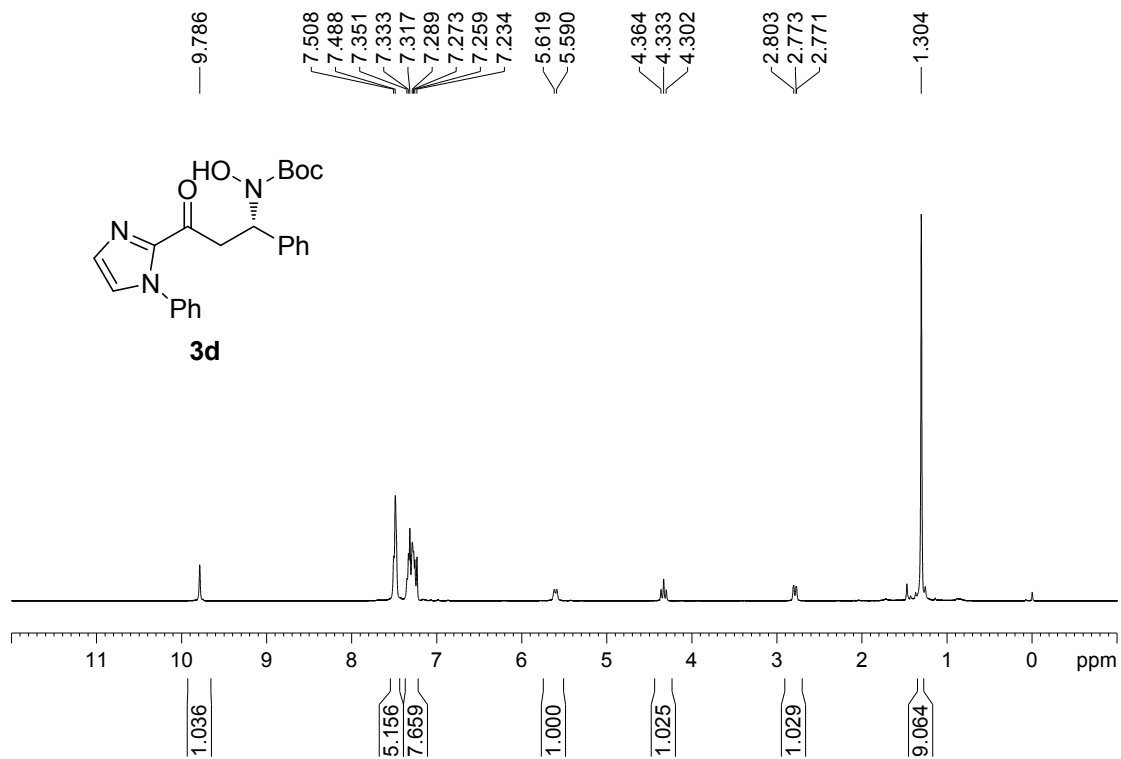
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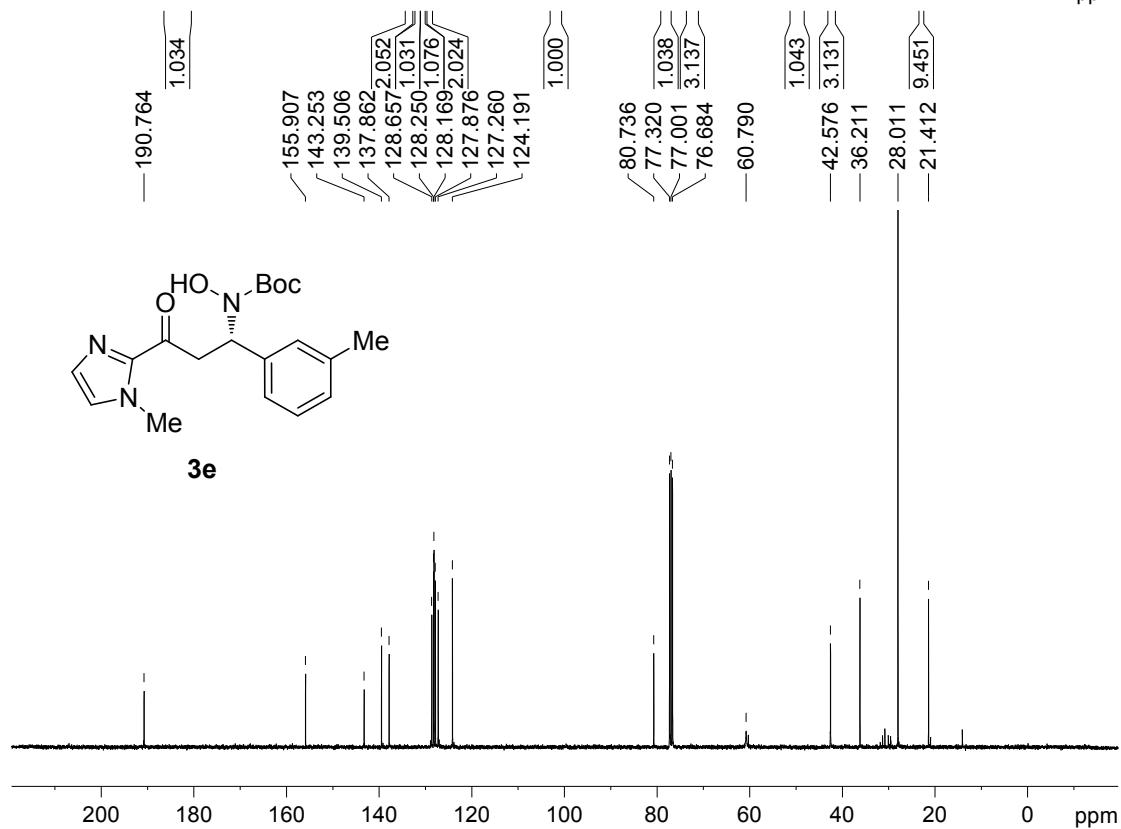
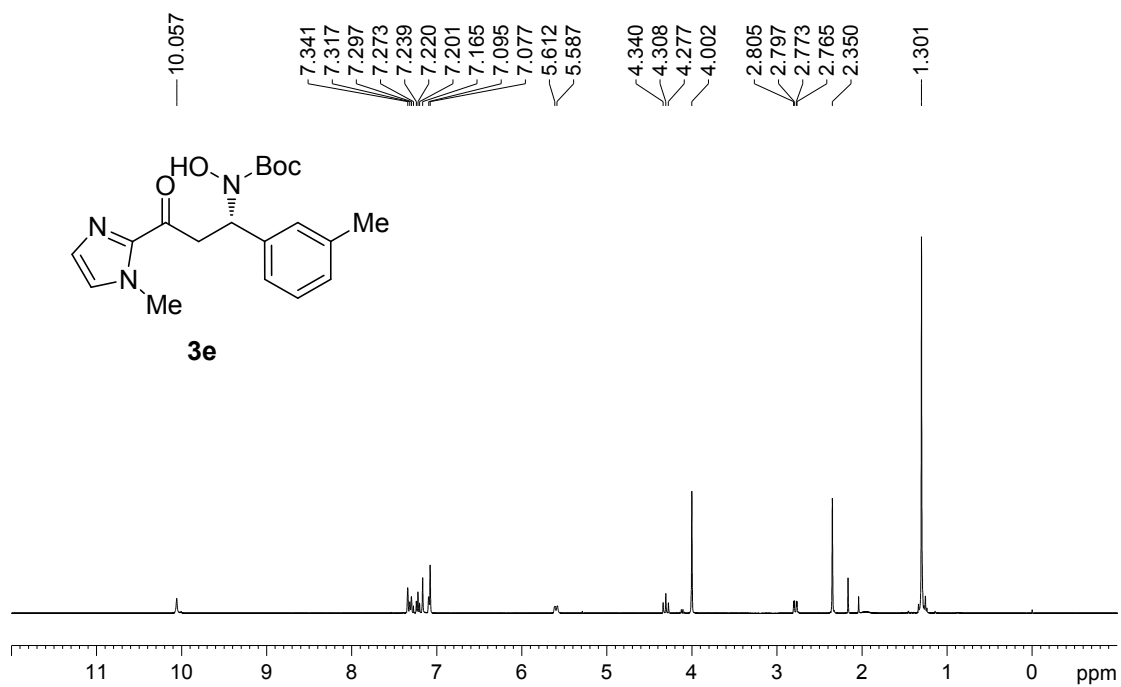


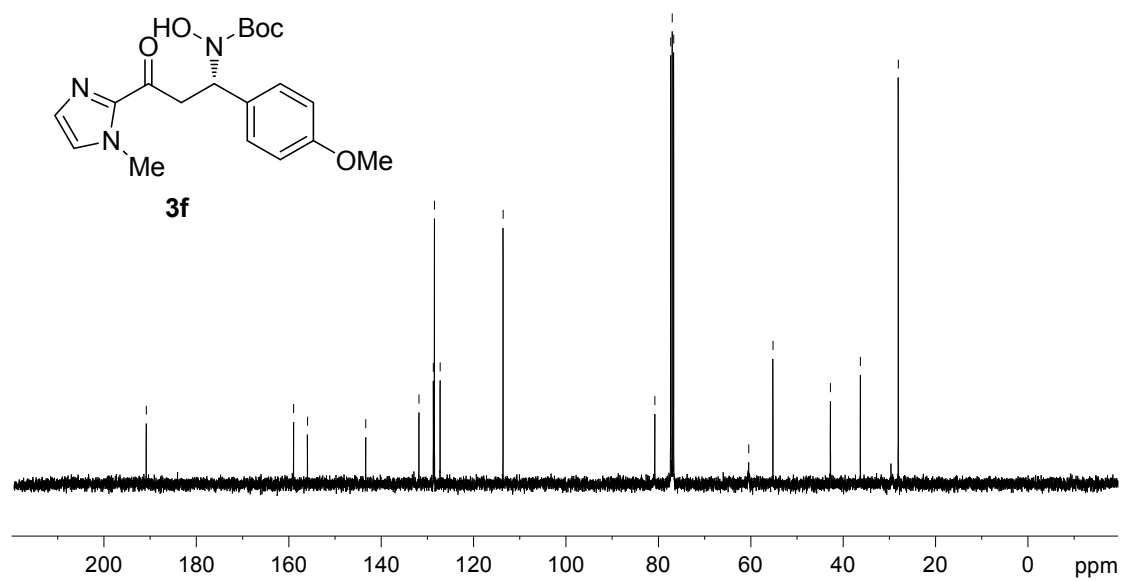
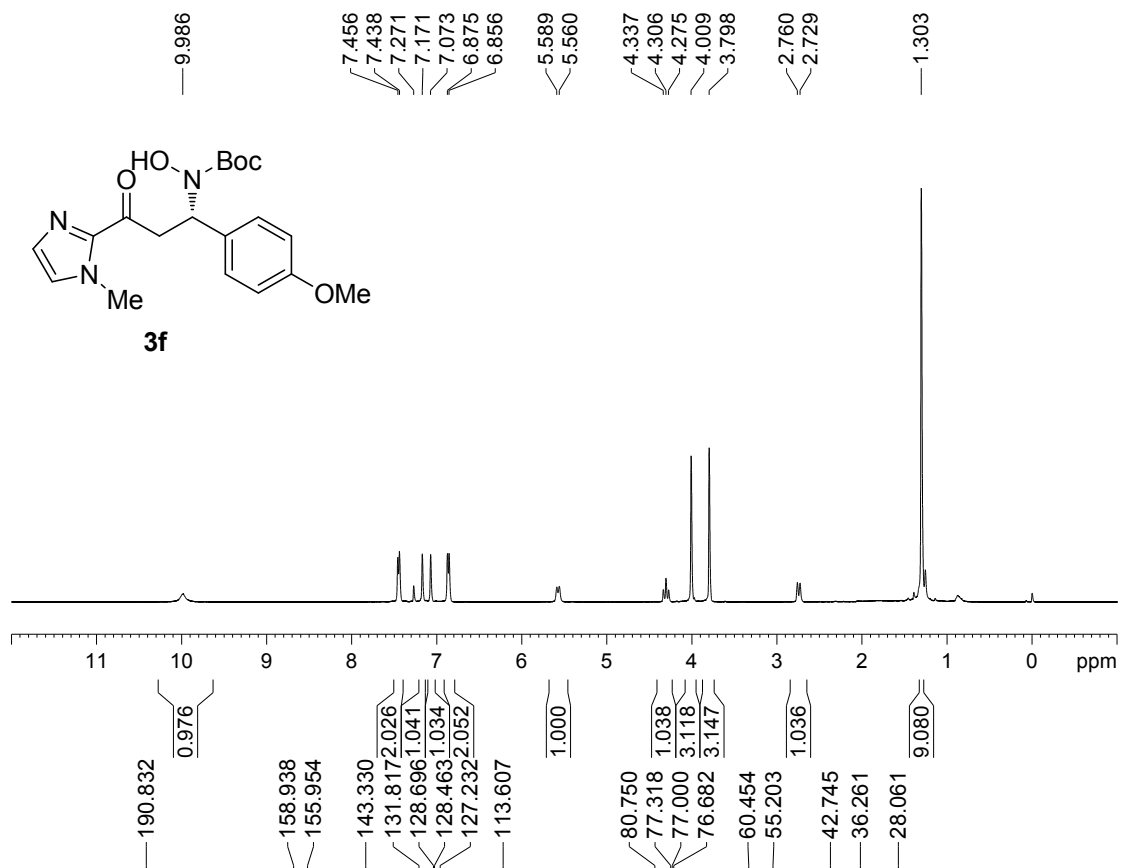


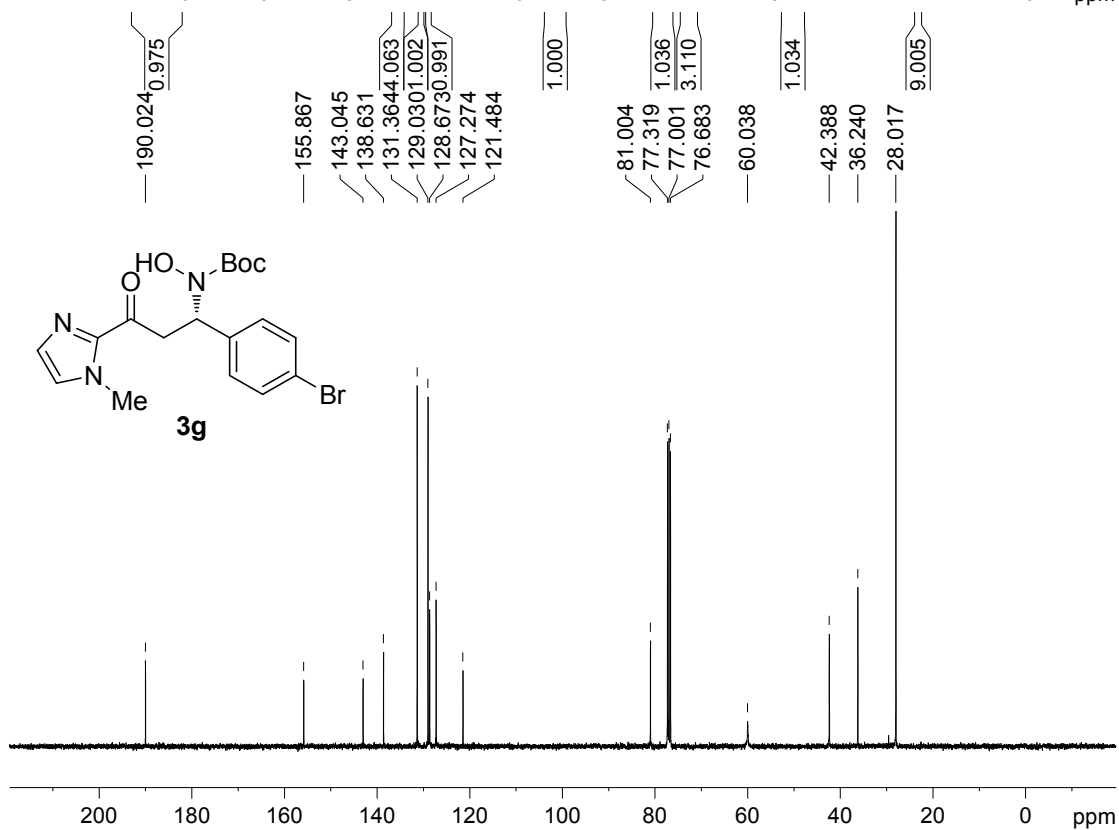
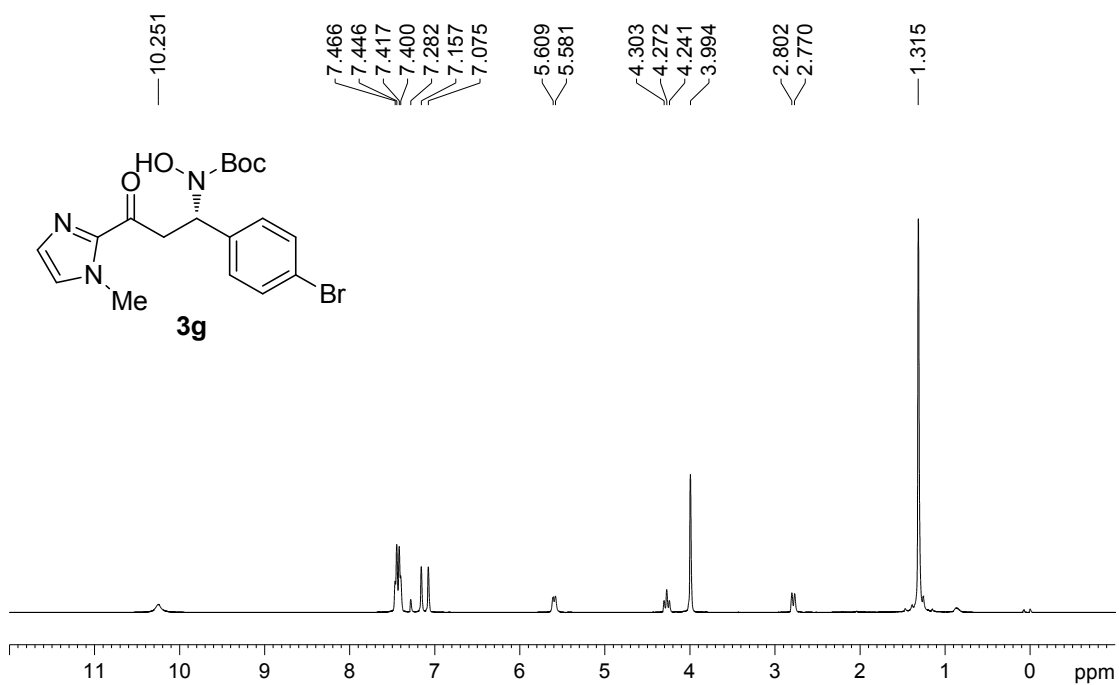


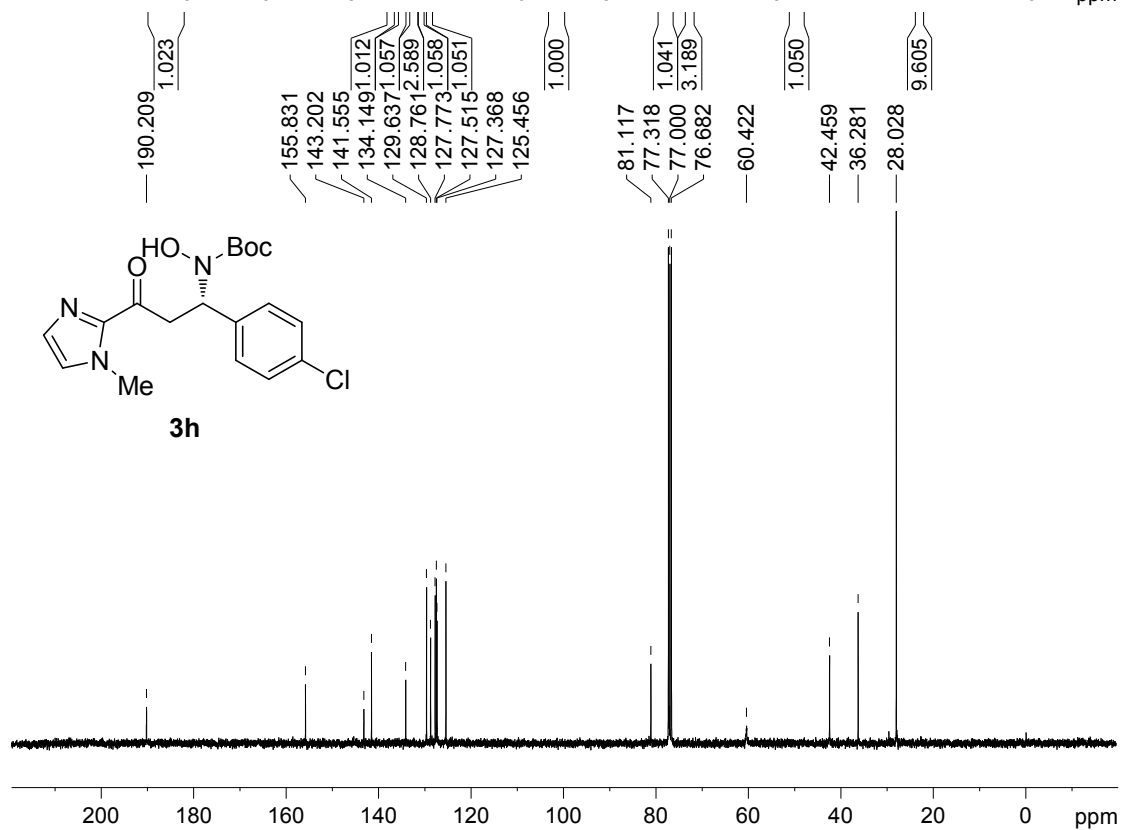
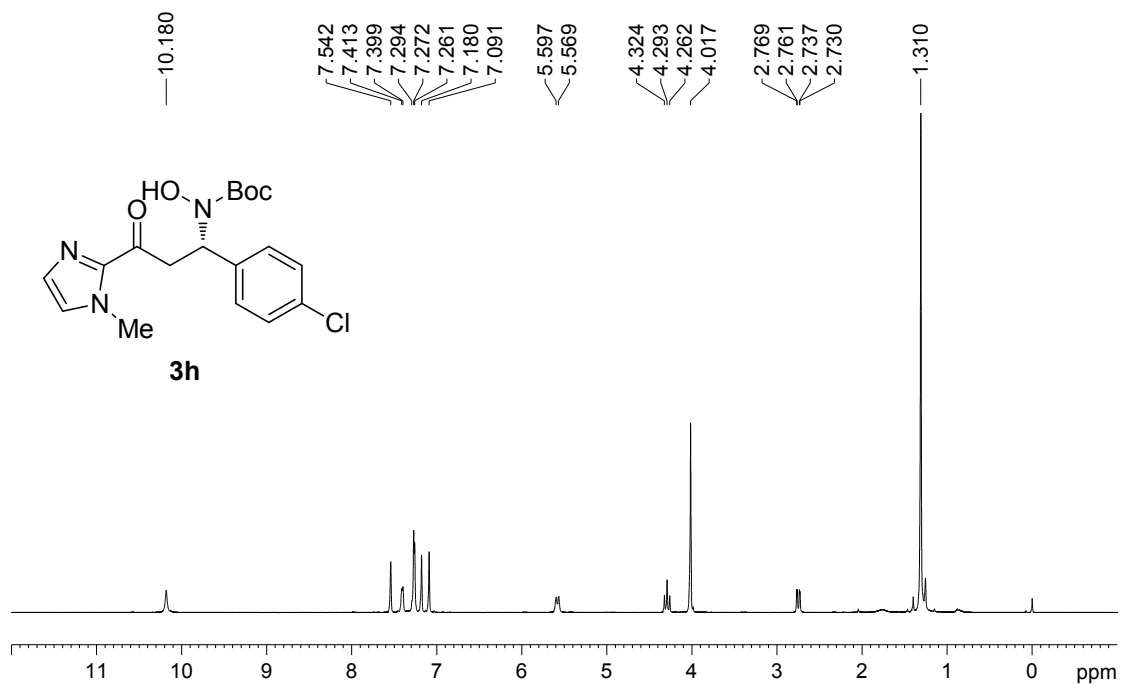


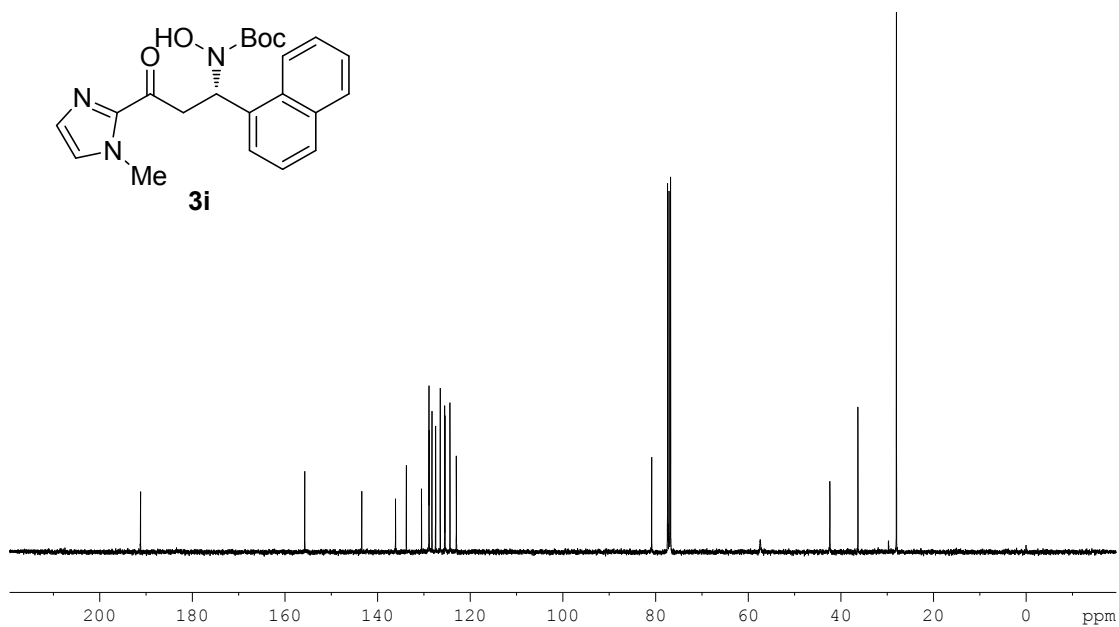
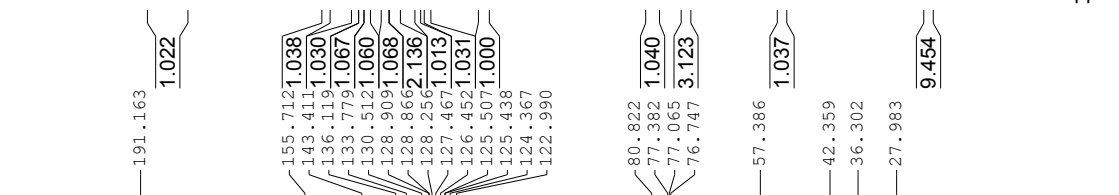
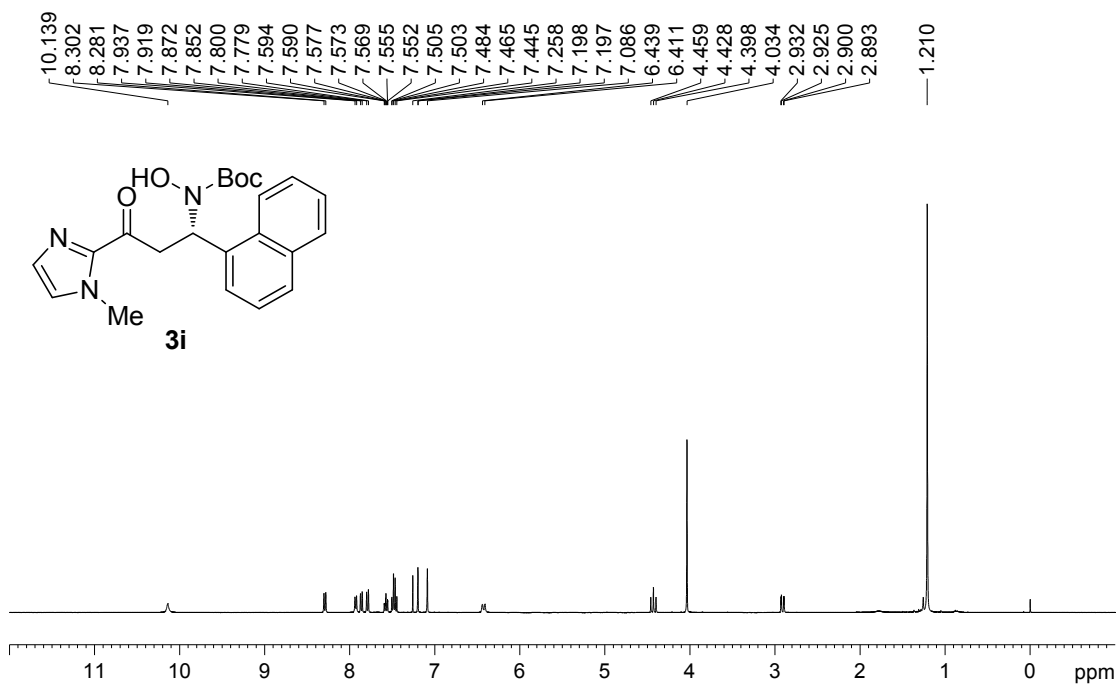


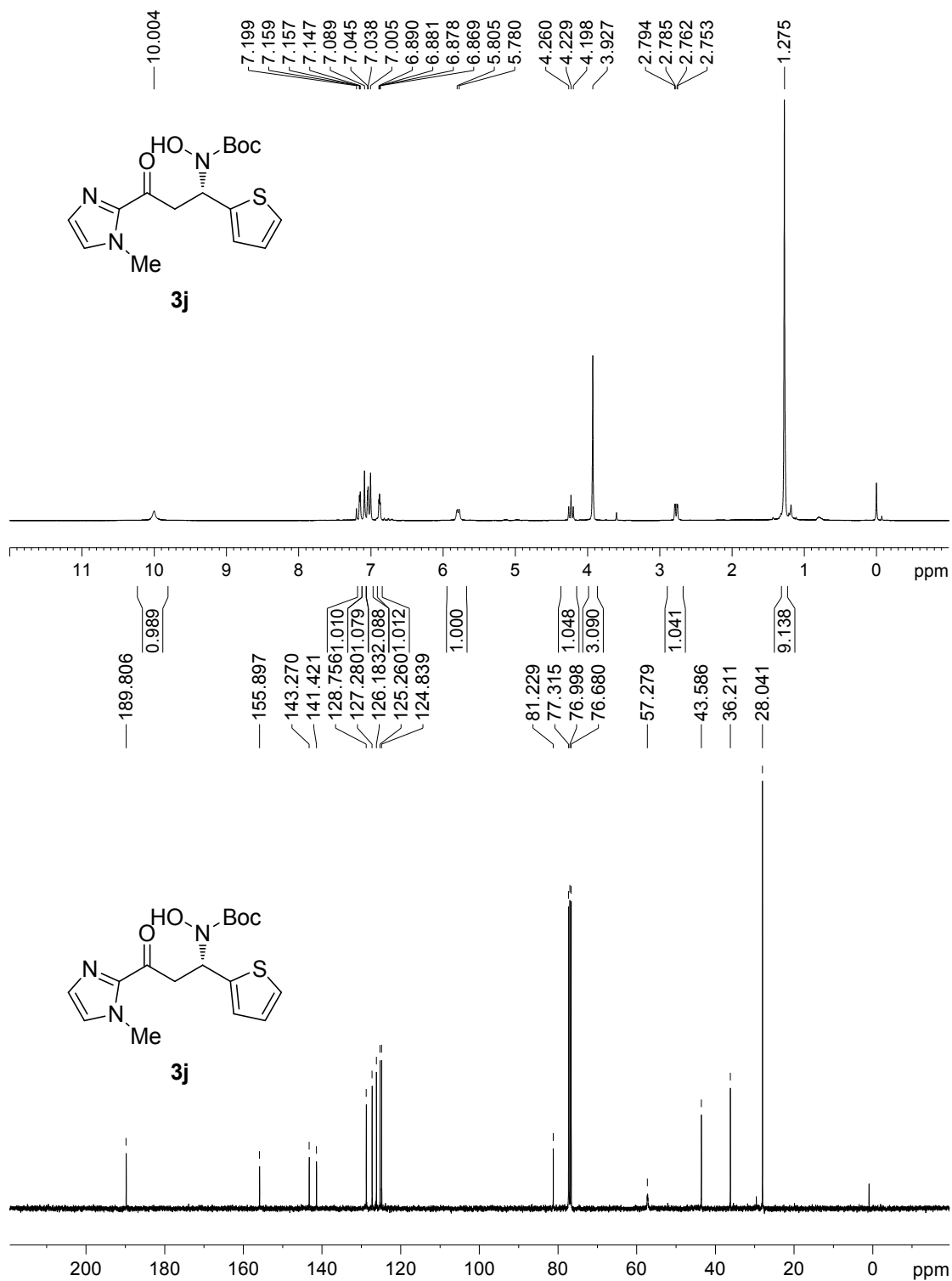


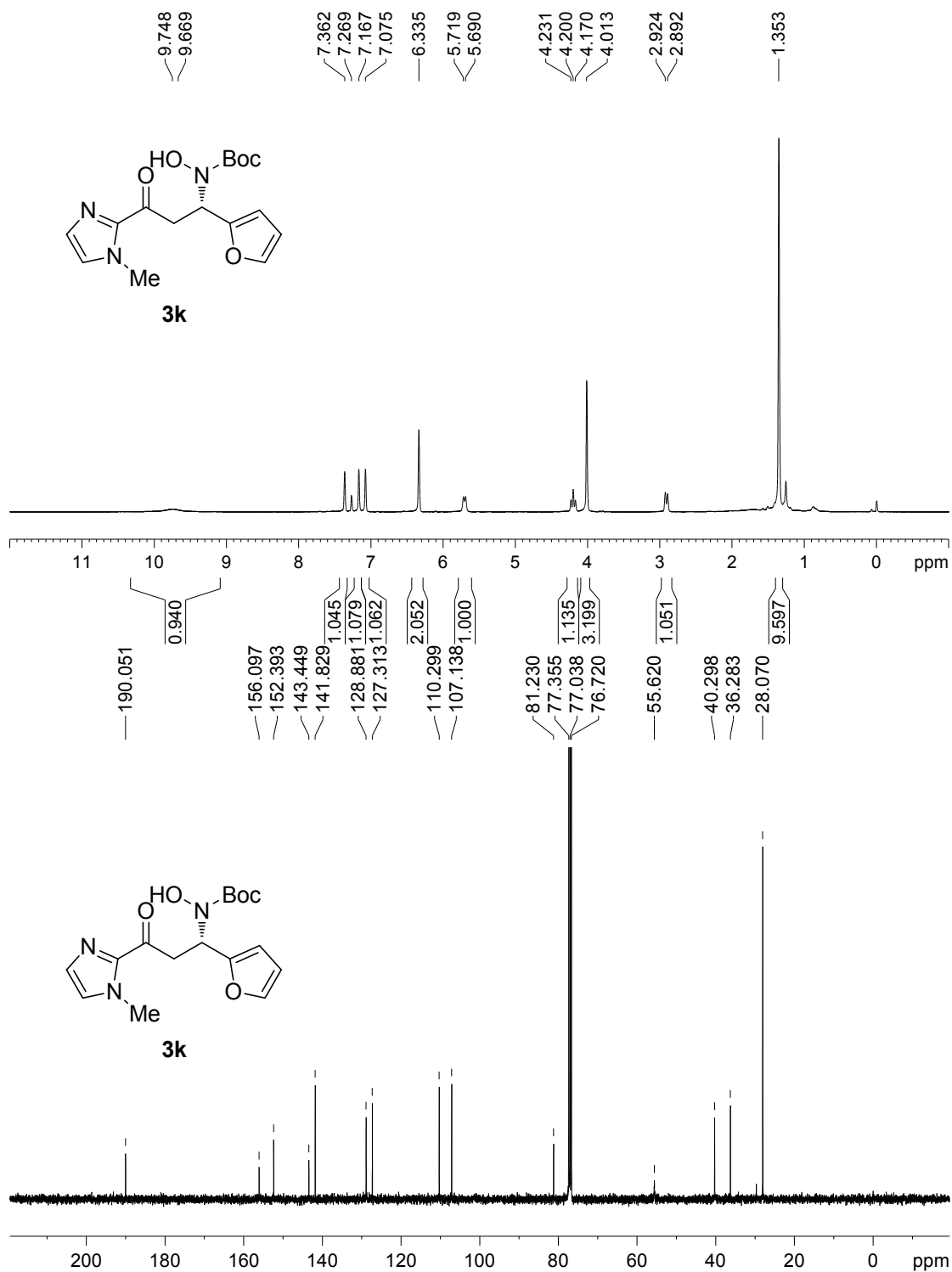


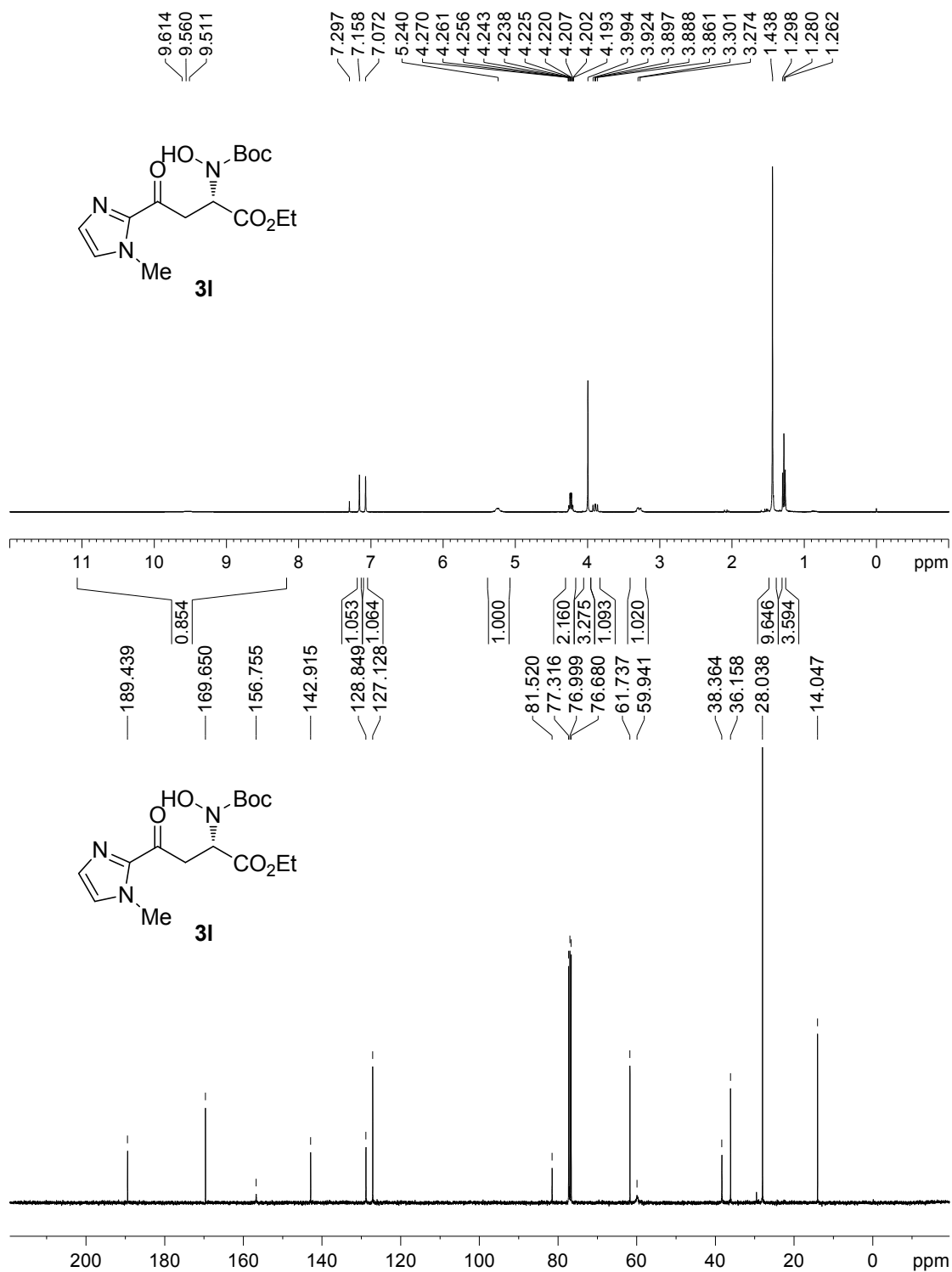


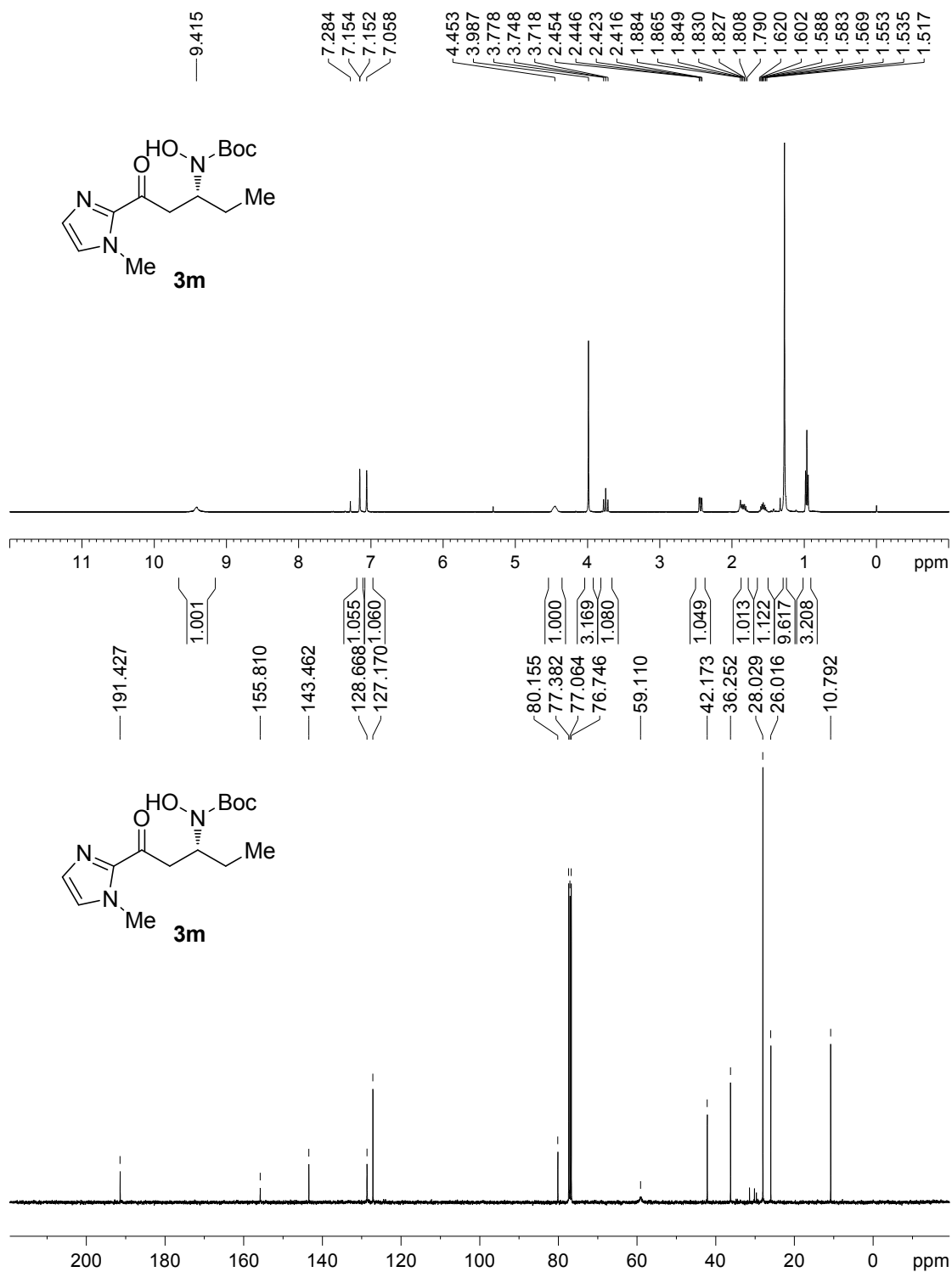


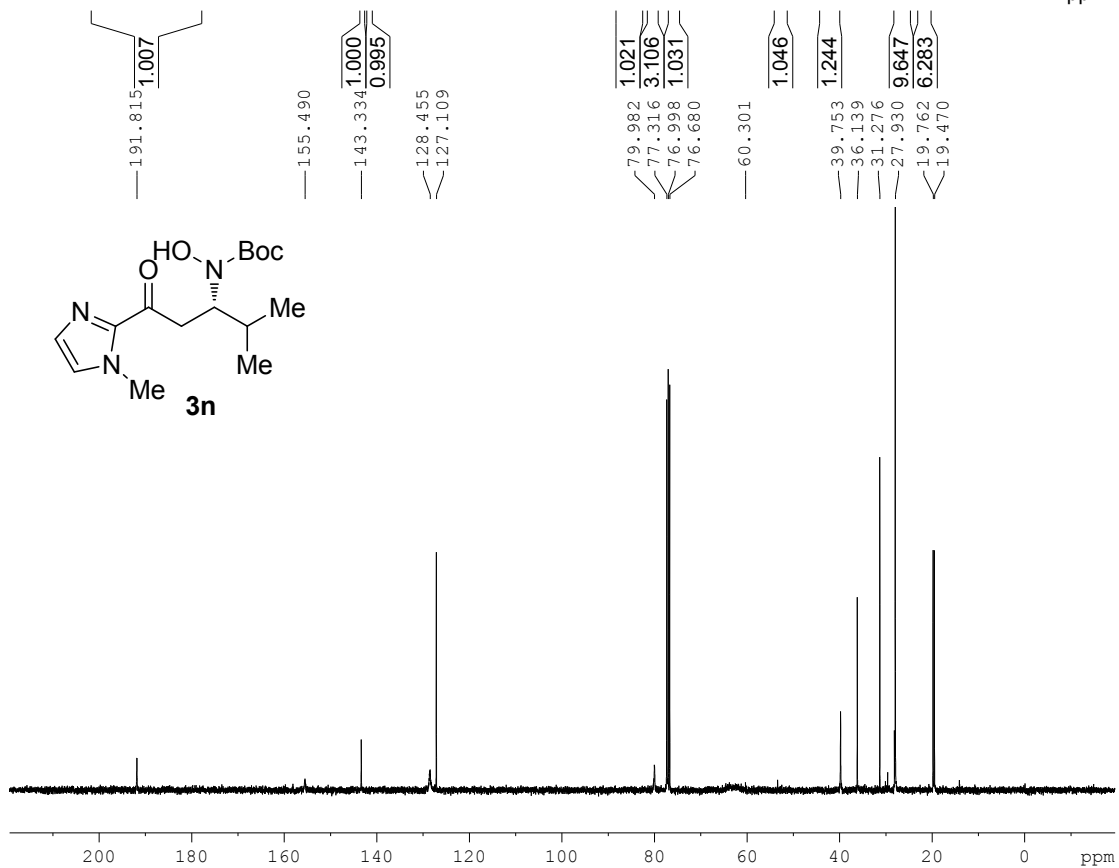
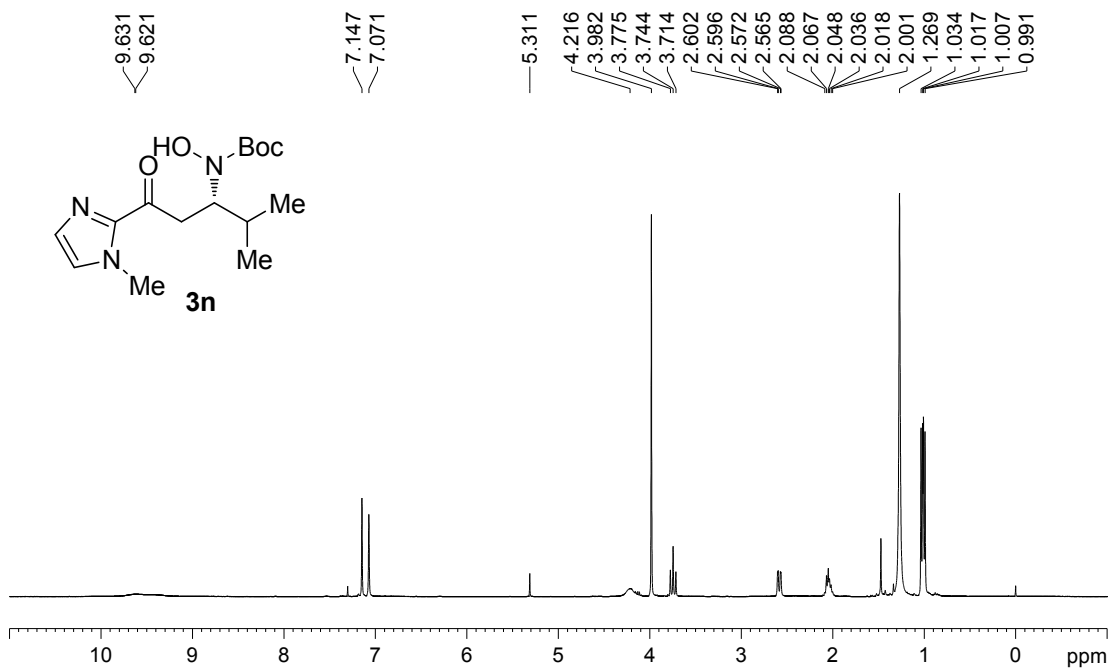


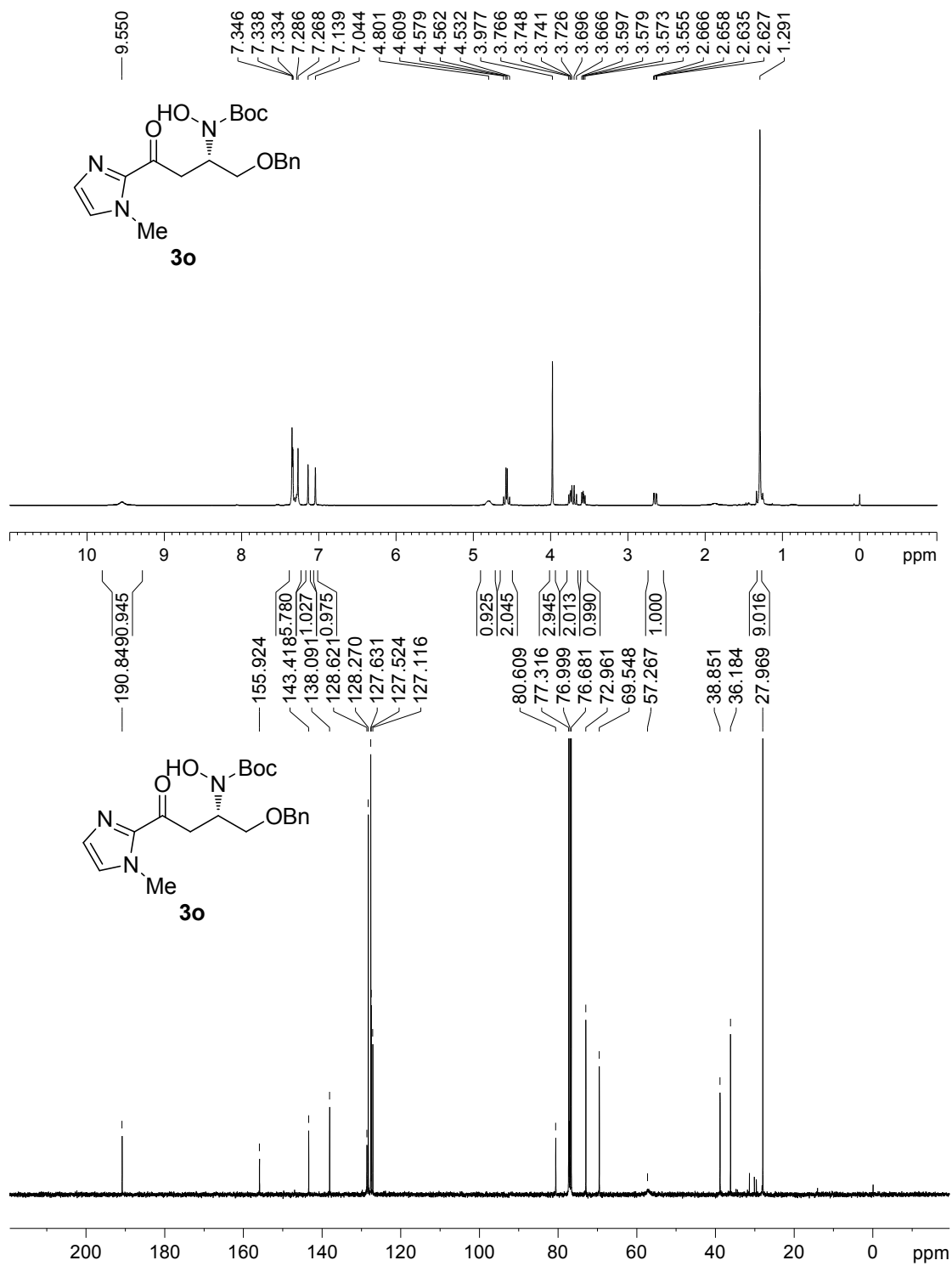


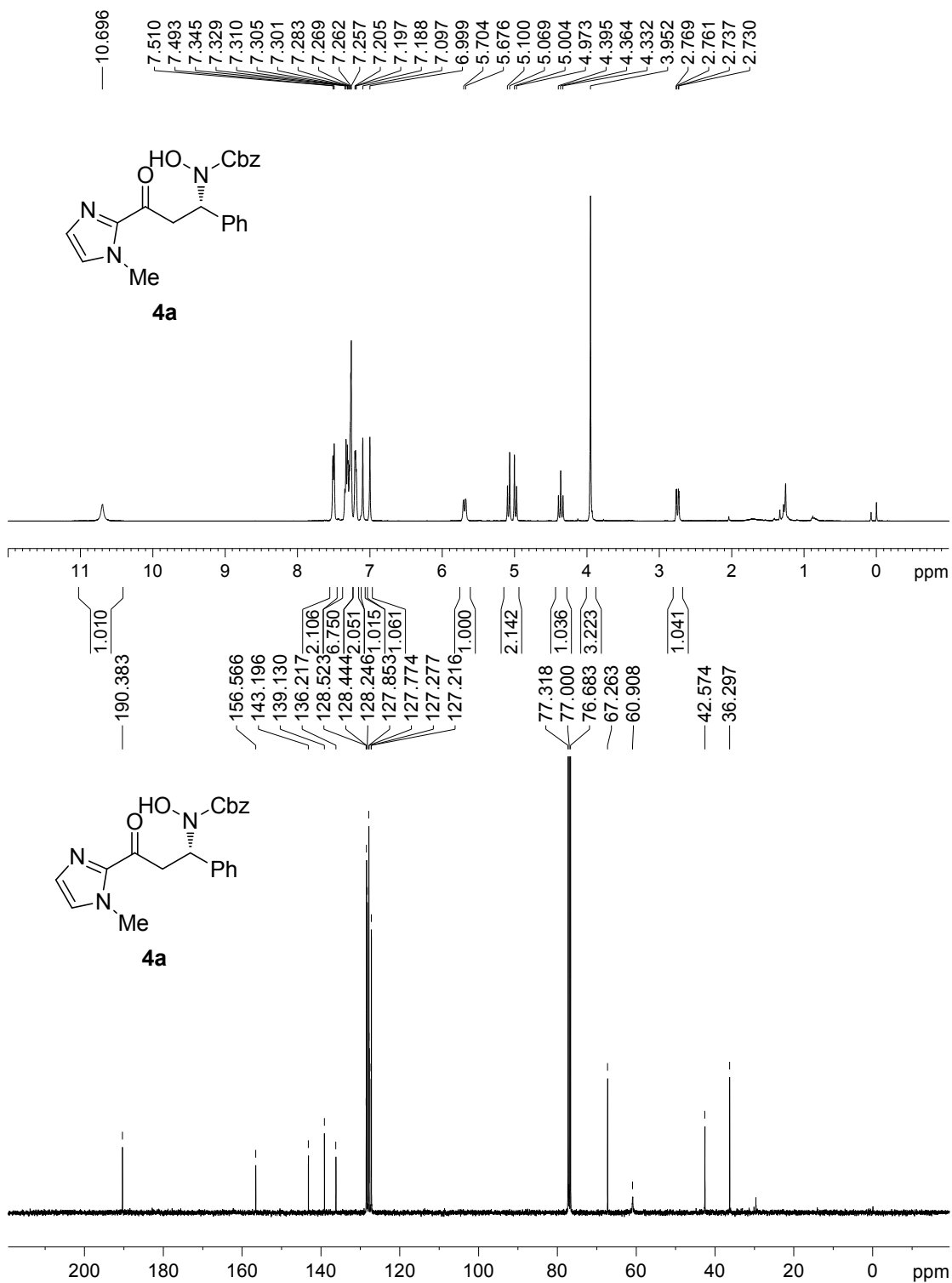


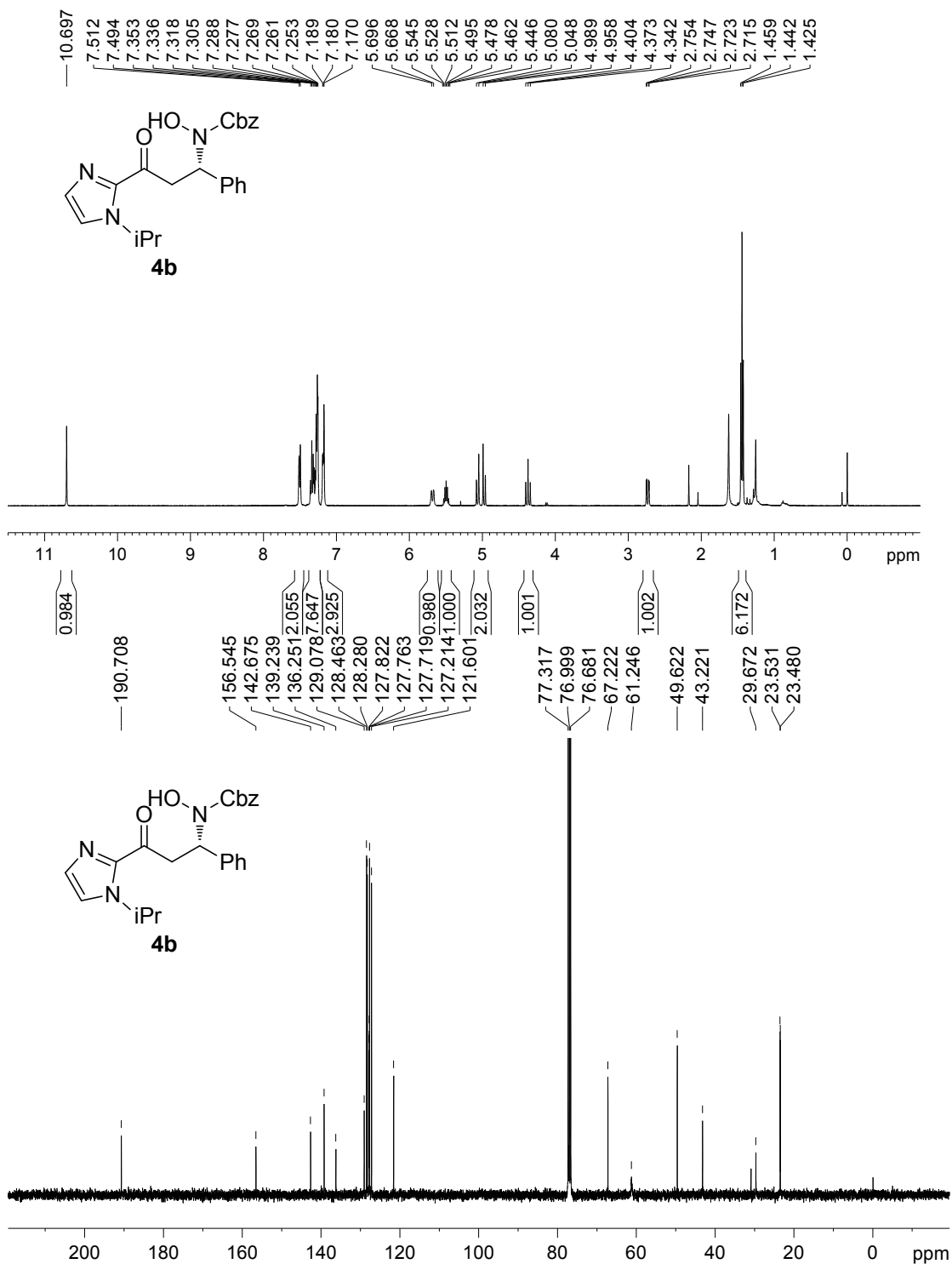


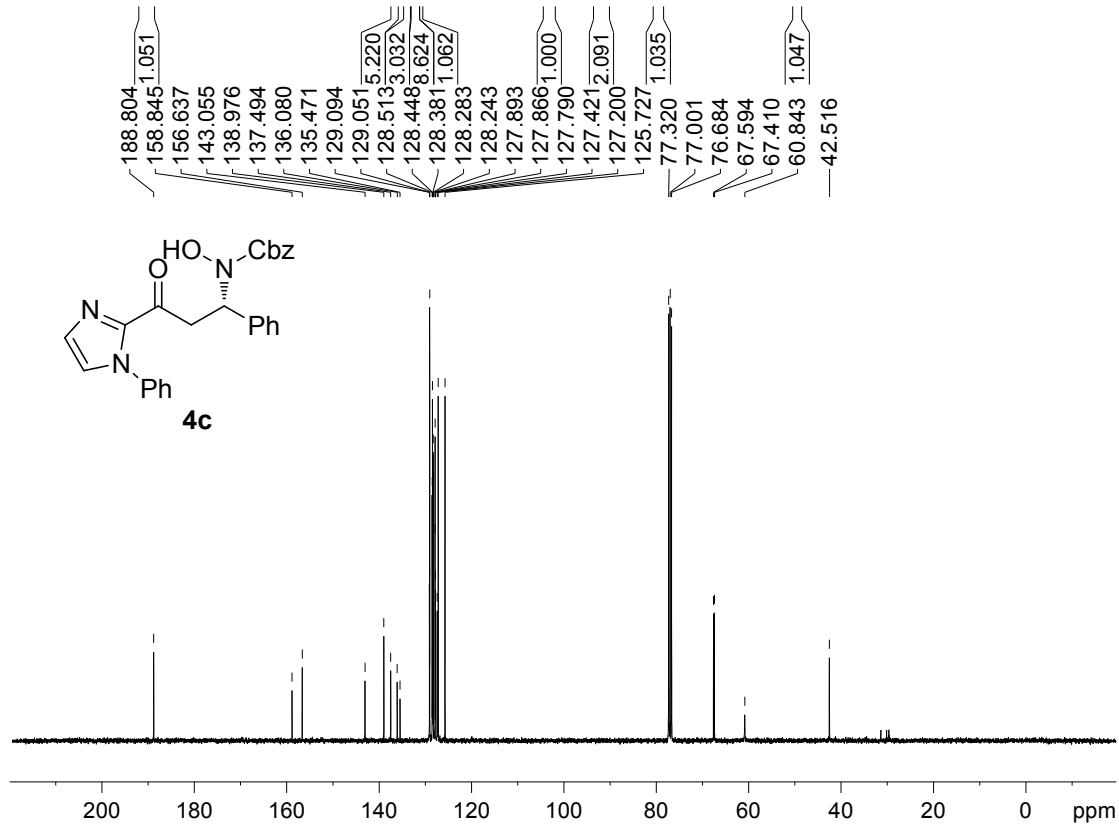
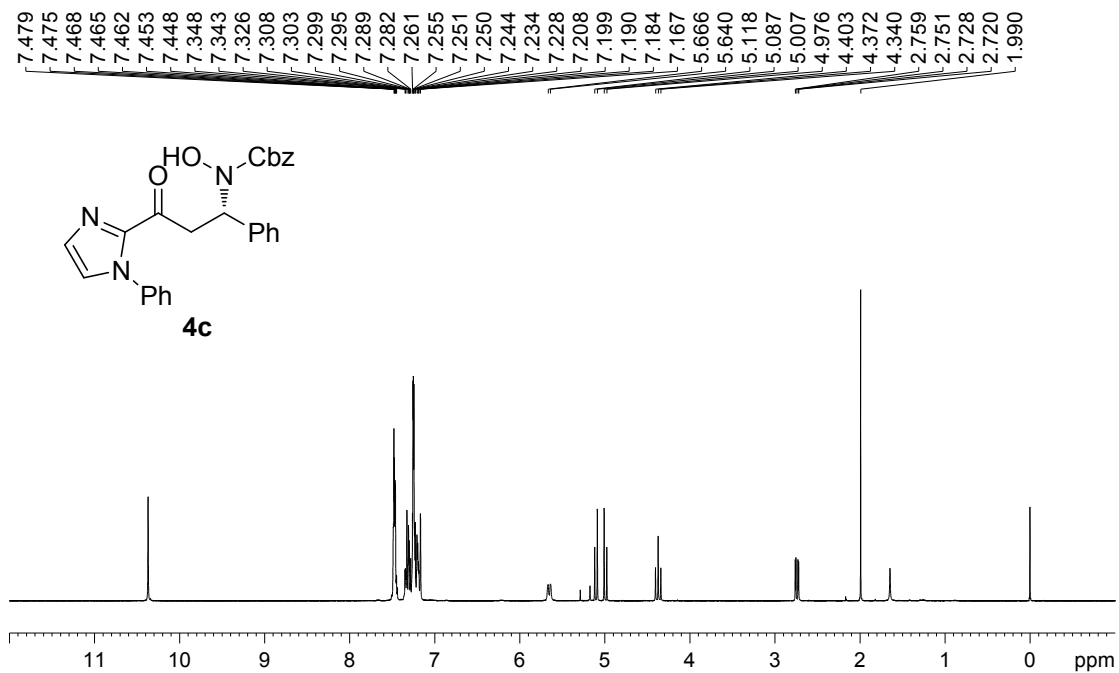


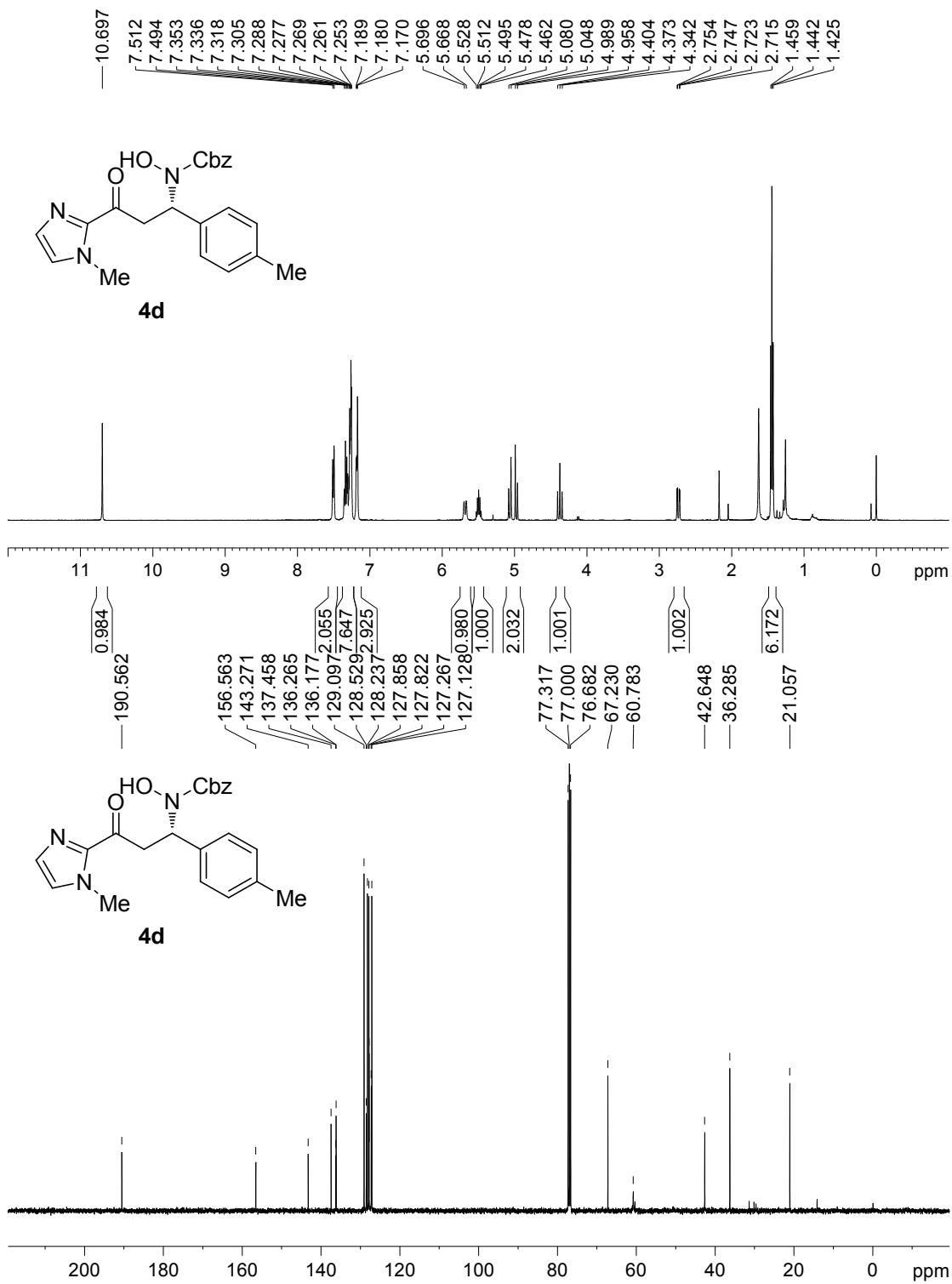


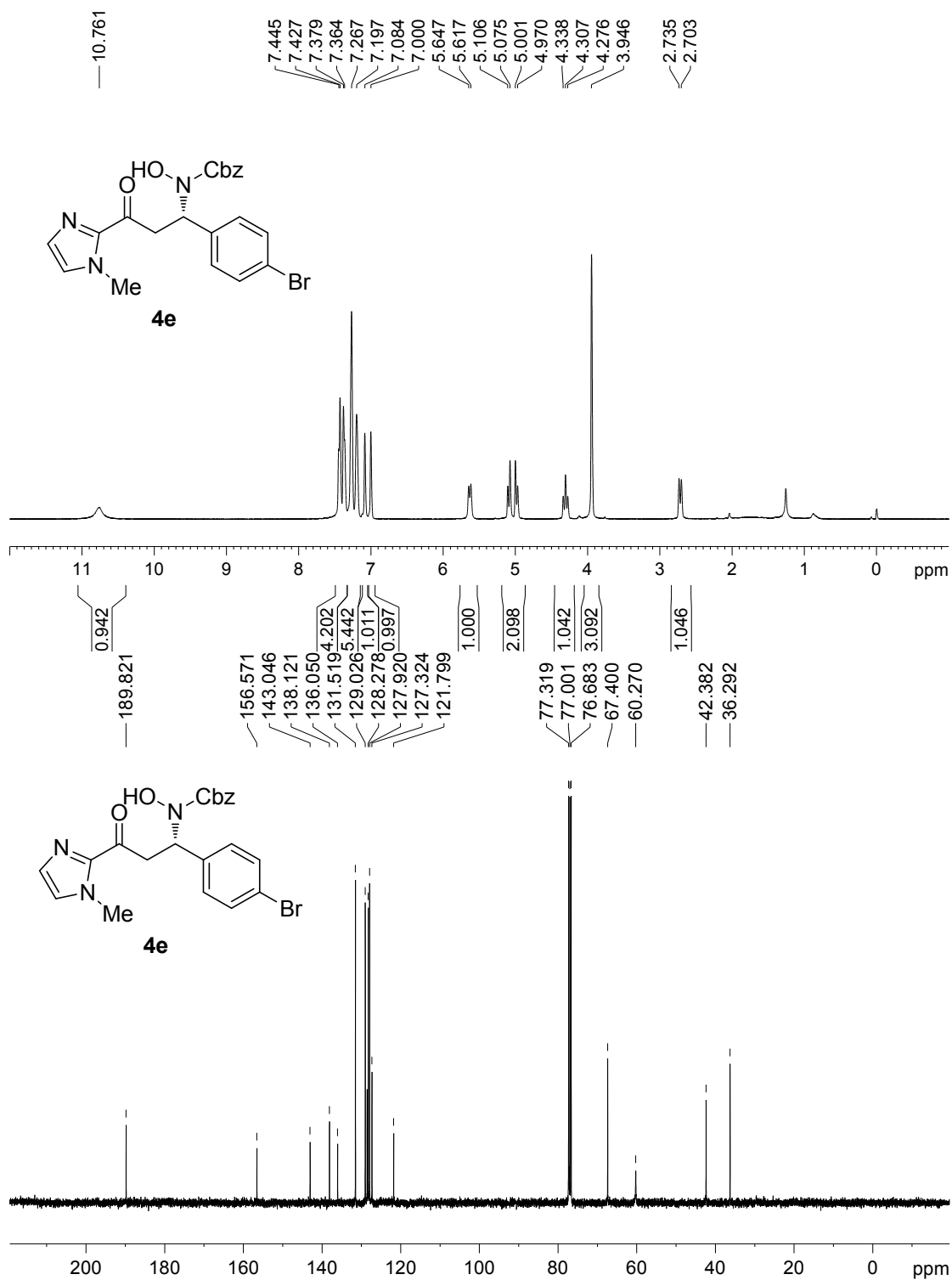


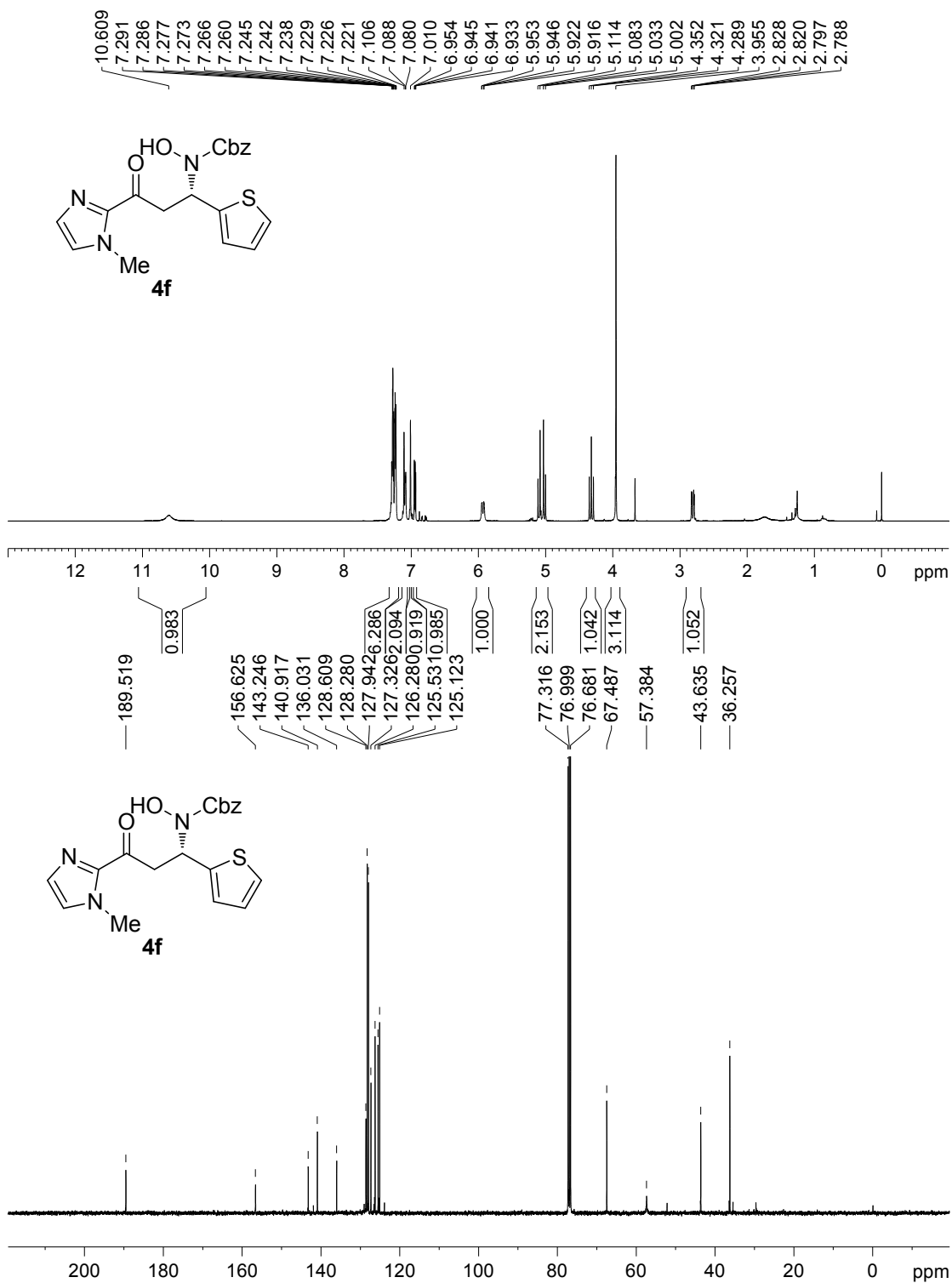


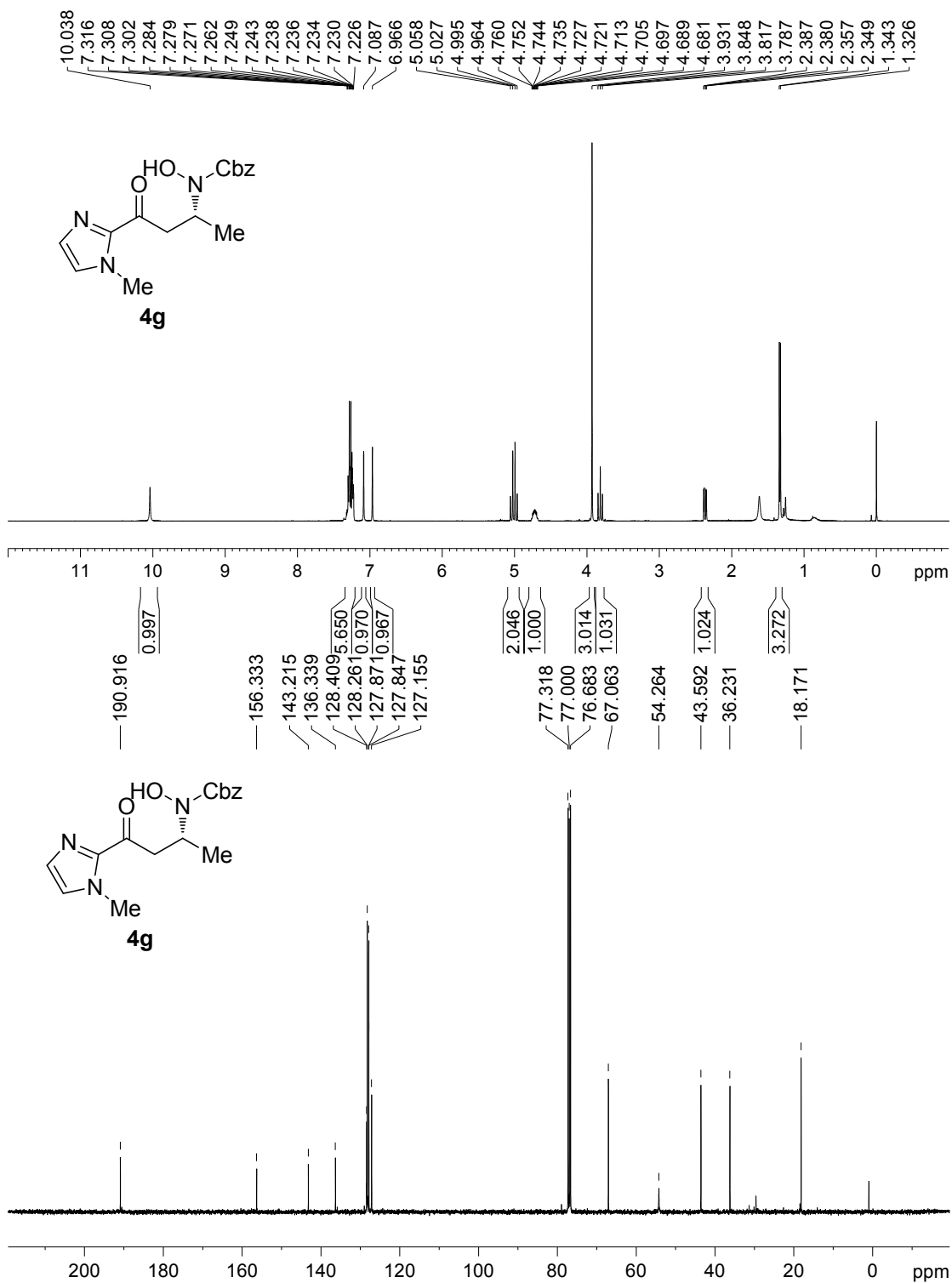




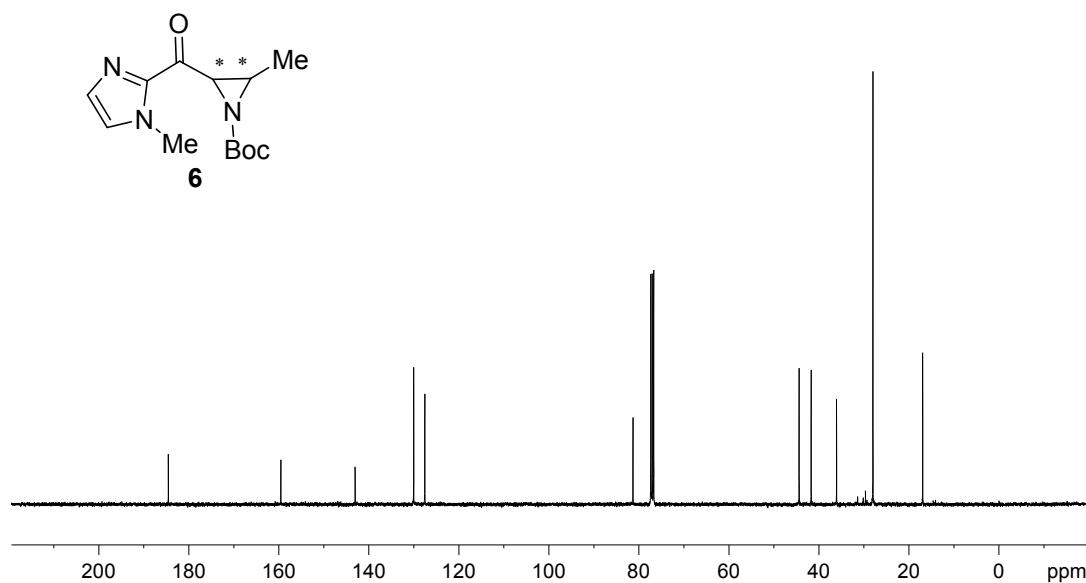
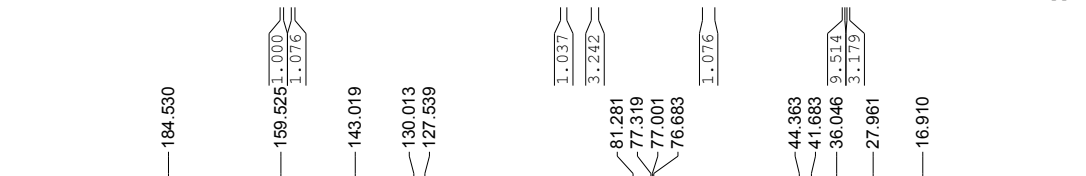
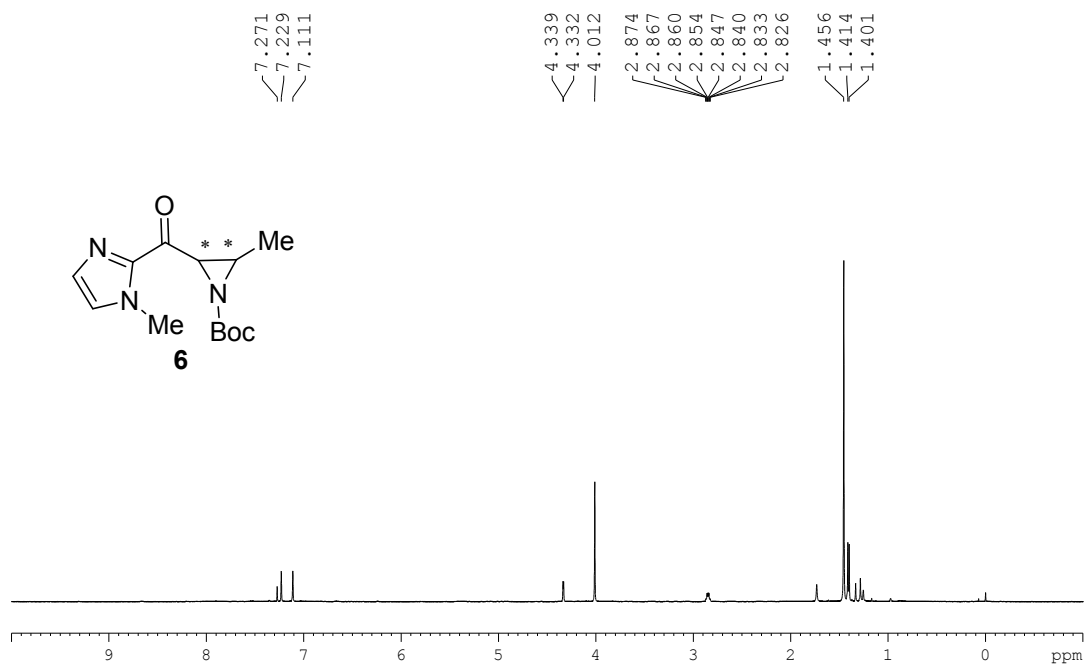


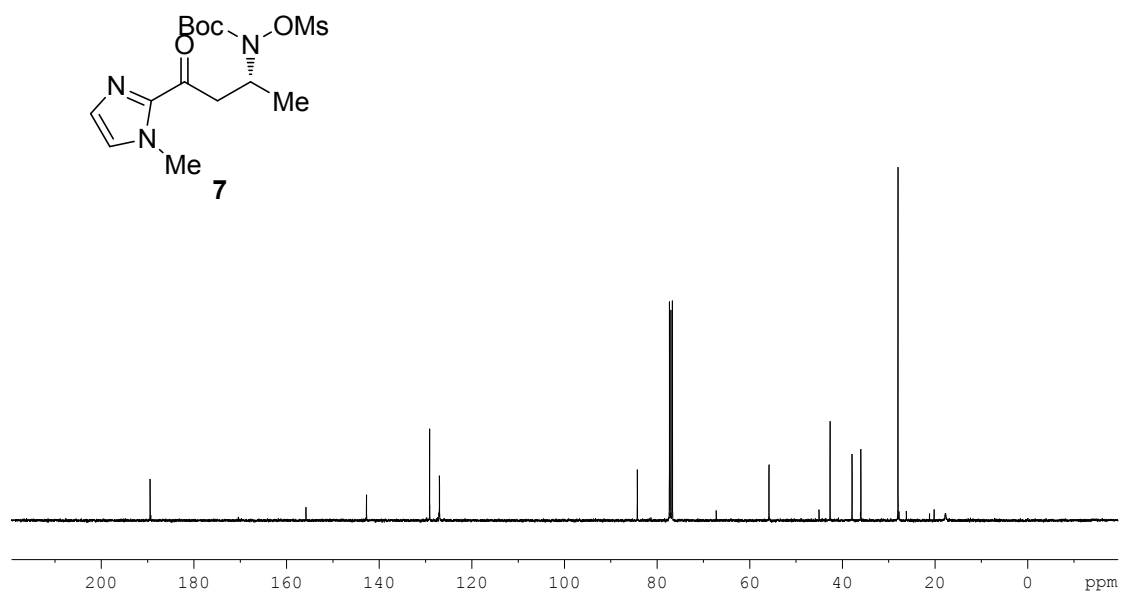
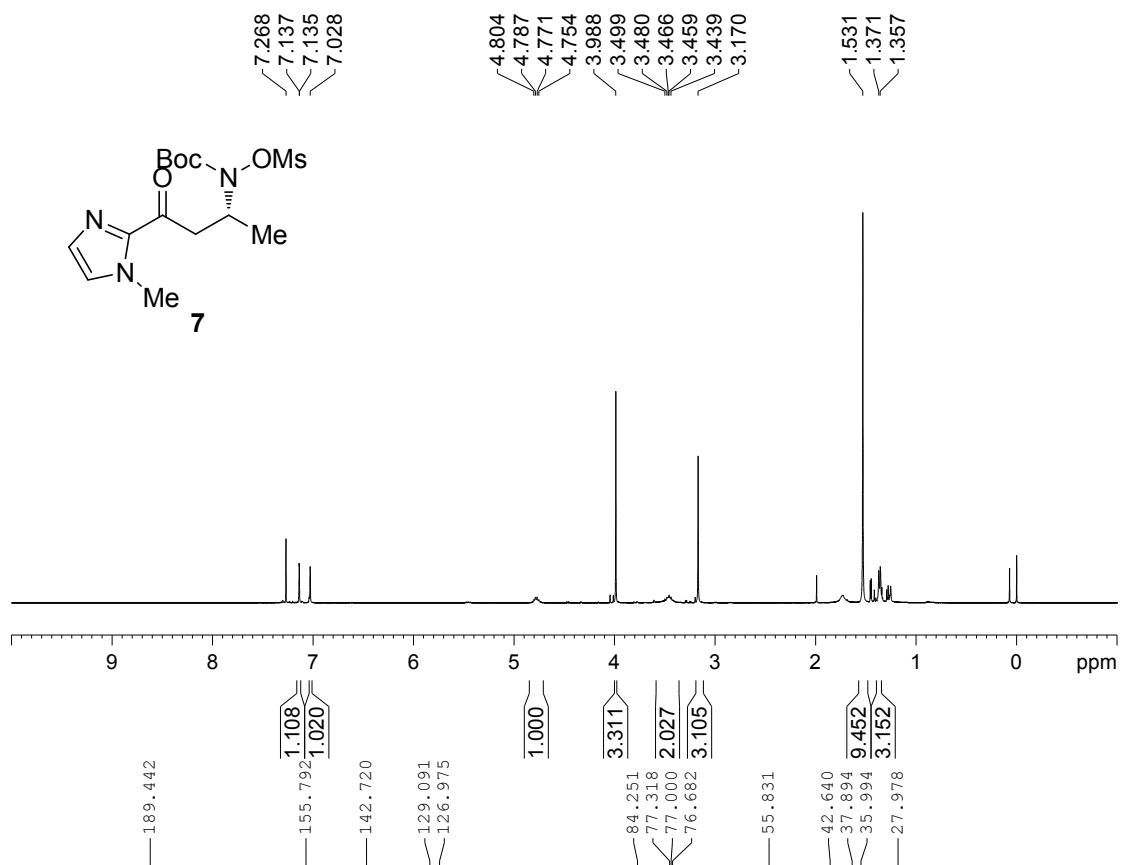












VI Single Crystal X-Ray Diffraction of *ent*-3k.

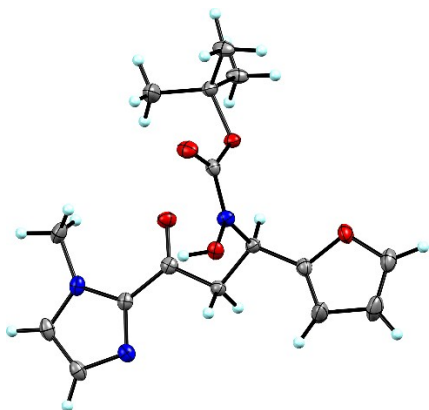


Figure S1 Crystal structure of *ent*-3k with thermal ellipsoids shown at the 40% probability level

Table S1. Crystal data and structure refinement for *ent*-3k.

Identification code	<i>ent</i> -3k	
Empirical formula	C ₁₆ H ₂₁ N ₃ O ₅	
Formula weight	335.36	
Temperature	100.0(2) K	
Wavelength	1.54184 Å	
Crystal system	Orthorhombic	
Space group	P 21 21 21	
Unit cell dimensions	a = 8.4855(4) Å	$\alpha = 90^\circ$.
	b = 15.8870(7) Å	$\beta = 90^\circ$.
	c = 25.5299(13) Å	$\gamma = 90^\circ$.
Volume	3441.7(3) Å ³	
Z	8	
Density (calculated)	1.294 Mg/m ³	
Absorption coefficient	0.812 mm ⁻¹	
F(000)	1424	
Crystal size	0.150 x 0.120 x 0.040 mm ³	
Theta range for data collection	3.276 to 73.374°.	
Index ranges	-10 ≤ h ≤ 3, -19 ≤ k ≤ 19, -31 ≤ l ≤ 30	
Reflections collected	8887	
Independent reflections	5845 [R(int) = 0.0365]	
Completeness to theta = 67.684°	99.8 %	

Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents
Max. and min. transmission	1.00000 and 0.74145
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²
Data / restraints / parameters	5845 / 0 / 443
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.003
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0384, wR2 = 0.0804
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0489, wR2 = 0.0857
Absolute structure parameter	-0.06(15)
Extinction coefficient	n/a
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.190 and -0.194 e.Å ⁻³