

**Supporting Information for  
α-Arylation of Alkylamines with Sulfonylarenes  
through a Radical Chain Mechanism**

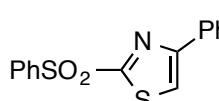
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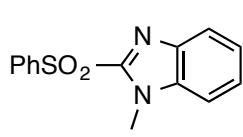
**General Remarks.** All manipulations of oxygen- and moisture-sensitive materials were conducted in a glove box under a nitrogen atmosphere. Nuclear magnetic resonance spectra were taken on a JEOL JNM ECZ500R spectrometer ( $^1\text{H}$ , 500 MHz and  $^{13}\text{C}$ , 125 MHz) or a JEOL ECA300 spectrometer ( $^1\text{H}$ , 300 MHz). High-resolution mass spectra were obtained with a Bruker Daltonics micrOTOF-Q spectrometer (ESI). GC spectra were taken on Shimadzu GC-2014. GC-MS spectra were taken on Shimadzu GCMS-QP2010 SE. GC and GC-MS were equipped with capillary column SGE BPX5. Preparative recycling gel permeation chromatography (GPC) was performed with JAI LC-908 equipped with JAIGEL-1H and -2H using chloroform as an eluent. Medium pressure liquid chromatography (MPLC) was performed with YAMAZEN EPCLC-W-Prep 2XY using silica gel 60 N (spherical neutral, 40–50  $\mu\text{m}$ ). Unless otherwise noted, reagents were commercially available and used without further purification. *tert*-Butyl(dimethyl)amine (**2b**),<sup>1</sup> 2-methoxyethyl(dimethyl)amine (**2g**),<sup>2</sup> [2-(methoxycarbonyl)ethyl](dimethyl)amine (**2i**),<sup>3</sup> butyl(*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)amine (**4o**),<sup>4</sup> (*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)isobutylamine (**4p**),<sup>4</sup> (*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)-(2-methoxyethyl)amine (**4q**),<sup>4</sup> (*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)[2-(*tert*-butyldimethylsilyloxy)-ethyl]amine (**4r**),<sup>4</sup> *N,N'*-bis(*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)ethylenediamine (**4s**),<sup>4</sup> (*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)[2-(ethoxycarbonyl)ethyl]amine (**4t**),<sup>4</sup> and di-*tert*-butyl hyponitrite (*t*-BuON=NO*t*-Bu)<sup>5</sup> were prepared according to literature procedures.

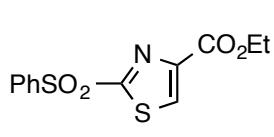
**Synthesis of Sulfonylarenes.** 2-(Benzenesulfonyl)benzothiazoles (**2a**, **2h**, **2i**), 2-(benzenesulfonyl)thiazoles (**2b**, **2c**, **2g**), 2- and 4-(benzenesulfonyl)benzonitrile (**2j**, **2k**), methyl 4-(benzenesulfonyl)benzoate (**2l**), 2-(benzenesulfonyl)pyrimidine (**2n**), 2-(benzenesulfonyl)pyridine (**2o**), and 1-(benzenesulfonyl)isoquinoline (**2p**) were prepared by the reaction of the corresponding haloheteroarenes or aryl fluorides with sodium benzenesulfinate.<sup>6</sup> 2-(Benzenesulfonyl)-5-phenyloxazole (**2d**) was prepared through deprotonation from 5-phenyloxazole by butyllithium, phenylthiolation with

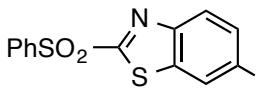
diphenyl disulfide, and oxidation by ammonium molybdate.<sup>7</sup> 2-(Benzenesulfonyl)benzimidazole and 2-(benzenesulfonyl)-1-methylbenzimidazole (**2e**, **2f**) were prepared according to the literature procedure.<sup>8</sup> 1-(Benzenesulfonyl)naphthalene (**2m**) was prepared according to the literature procedure.<sup>9</sup> 2-[3,3-Bis(ethoxycarbonyl)-5-hexenesulfonyl]benzothiazole (**2”a**) was prepared through successive allylation and bromoethylation of diethyl malonate, nucleophilic substitution of the resulting alkyl bromide with 2-mercaptopbenzothiazole, and oxidation by ammonium molybdate.

### **Spectrum Data of Sulfonylarenes**

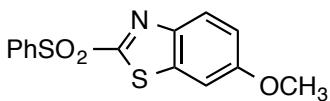
 **2-(Benzenesulfonyl)-4-phenylthiazole (2c).** A pale orange solid. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.37 (t, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 1 H), 7.42 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2 H), 7.58 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2 H), 7.66 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.76 (s, 1 H), 7.86 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2 H), 8.16 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 2 H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 119.1, 126.8, 128.9, 129.0, 129.3, 129.6, 133.0, 134.4, 139.1, 158.5, 166.7. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>11</sub>NO<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>: [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>, 324.0123. Found: m/z 324.0124.

 **2-(Benzenesulfonyl)-1-methylbenzimidazole (2f).** A white solid. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 4.13 (s, 3 H), 7.35 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 1 H), 7.38–7.49 (m, 2 H), 7.59 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2 H), 7.68 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.85 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 8.13 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2 H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 31.9, 110.6, 122.2, 124.1, 126.1, 128.8, 129.6, 134.6, 136.4, 139.2, 141.3, 148.6. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>12</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>S: [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>, 295.0512. Found: m/z 295.0513.

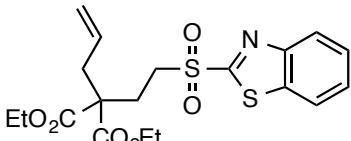
 **2-(Benzenesulfonyl)-4-(ethoxycarbonyl)thiazole (2g).** A white solid. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 1.37 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3 H), 4.40 (q, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2 H), 7.59 (t, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2 H), 7.68 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1 H), 8.14 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2 H), 8.39 (s, 1 H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 14.4, 62.2, 129.1, 129.7, 132.6, 134.8, 138.3, 149.6, 160.3, 167.9. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>11</sub>NO<sub>4</sub>S<sub>2</sub>: [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>, 320.0022. Found: m/z 320.0025.



**2-(Benzenesulfonyl)-6-chlorobenzothiazole (**2h**).** A white solid.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.54 (dd,  $J = 8.9, 2.0$  Hz, 1 H), 7.60 (t,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2 H), 7.69 (t,  $J = 8.6$  Hz, 1 H), 7.95 (d,  $J = 2.0$  Hz, 1 H), 8.06 (d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz, 1 H), 8.16 (d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz, 2 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  121.9, 126.5, 128.8, 129.2, 129.8, 134.4, 134.9, 138.2, 138.3, 151.5, 168.0. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_8\text{NO}_2\text{S}_2\text{Cl}$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ , 331.9577. Found: m/z 331.9577.



**2-(Benzenesulfonyl)-6-methoxybenzothiazole (**2i**).** A pale pink solid.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  3.89 (s, 3 H), 7.16 (dd,  $J = 9.2, 2.3$  Hz, 1 H), 7.34 (d,  $J = 2.3$  Hz, 1 H), 7.57 (t,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2 H), 7.65 (t,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H), 8.02 (d,  $J = 9.2$  Hz, 1 H), 8.15 (d,  $J = 8.3$  Hz, 2 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  56.1, 103.5, 118.2, 126.4, 128.9, 129.6, 134.5, 139.0, 139.2, 147.6, 159.8, 164.0. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{11}\text{NO}_3\text{S}_2$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ , 328.0073. Found: m/z 328.0066.

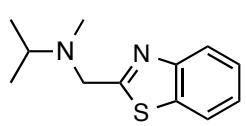


**2-[3,3-Bis(ethoxycarbonyl)-5-hexenesulfonyl]benzothiazole (**2'a**).** A white solid.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  1.22 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 6 H), 2.32–2.41 (m, 2 H), 2.64 (d,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 2 H), 3.55–3.63 (m, 2 H), 4.11–4.23 (m, 4 H), 5.05 (d,  $J = 10.3$  Hz, 1 H), 5.11 (dd,  $J = 17.2, 1.7$  Hz, 1 H), 5.57 (ddt,  $J = 17.2, 10.3, 7.5$  Hz, 1 H), 7.61 (t,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1 H), 7.65 (t,  $J = 7.8$  Hz, 1 H), 8.03 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H), 8.21 (d,  $J = 8.1$  Hz, 1 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  14.2, 25.7, 38.0, 50.7, 56.2, 62.0, 120.3, 122.5, 125.6, 127.9, 128.2, 131.3, 137.0, 152.8, 165.3, 170.0. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{23}\text{NO}_6\text{S}_2$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ , 448.0859. Found: m/z 448.0863.

**$\alpha$ -Arylation of Alkylamines with Sulfonylarenes: General Procedure (Tables 1–4).** To a 4 mL vial equipped with a stir bar in a glove box were added successively an amine (**1**: 0.45 mmol), a sulfonylarene (**2**: 0.25 mmol), methanol (0.50 mL) and *t*-BuON=NO*t*-Bu (8.7 mg, 0.050 mmol). The vial was taken out of the glove box and stirred at 50 °C for 8 h. The reaction mixture was poured into sat.  $\text{NaHCO}_3$  aq. (15 mL), extracted with ethyl acetate (3 x 15 mL), and dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ . After filtration and concentration, the crude mixture was subjected to silica gel chromatography to give the corresponding product (**3**).

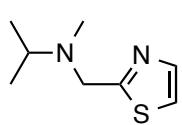
**Spectrum Data of the  $\alpha$ -Arylation Products**

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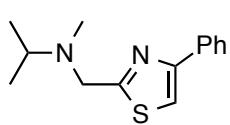


**(2-Benzothiazolylmethyl)(isopropyl)(methyl)amine (3aa).** A yellow oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  1.10 (d,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 6 H), 2.36 (s, 3 H), 3.00 (sept,  $J = 6.7$  Hz, 1 H), 3.95 (s, 2 H), 7.34 (t,  $J = 7.4$  Hz, 1 H), 7.44 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1 H), 7.86 (d,  $J = 7.9$  Hz, 1 H), 7.94 (d,  $J = 7.9$  Hz, 1 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  18.2, 38.0, 54.0, 55.7, 121.8, 122.7, 124.7, 125.8, 135.5, 153.7, 175.9. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_2\text{S}$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 221.1107. Found: m/z 221.1115.

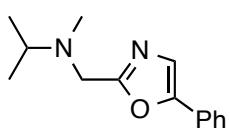
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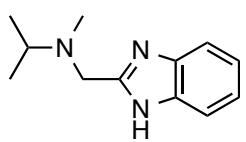
**Isopropyl(methyl)(2-thiazolylmethyl)amine (3ab).** A yellow oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  1.07 (d,  $J = 6.3$  Hz, 6 H), 2.30 (s, 3 H), 2.94 (sept,  $J = 6.3$  Hz, 1 H), 3.85 (s, 2 H), 7.25 (d,  $J = 2.9$  Hz, 1 H), 7.68 (d,  $J = 2.9$  Hz, 1 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  18.2, 37.8, 53.8, 55.0, 119.4, 142.4, 173.8. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_8\text{H}_{14}\text{N}_2\text{S}$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 171.0950. Found: m/z 171.0956.



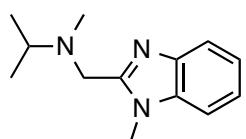
**Isopropyl(methyl)[2-(4-phenylthiazolyl)methyl]amine (3ac).** A pale yellow solid.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  1.10 (d,  $J = 6.3$  Hz, 6 H), 2.36 (s, 3 H), 3.00 (sept,  $J = 6.3$  Hz, 1 H), 3.91 (s, 2 H), 7.31 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1 H), 7.38–7.45 (m, 3 H), 7.88 (d,  $J = 8.1$  Hz, 2 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  18.2, 38.0, 53.9, 55.2, 113.2, 126.3, 128.0, 128.8, 134.9, 155.2, 174.4. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{18}\text{N}_2\text{S}$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 247.1263. Found: m/z 247.1272.



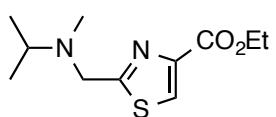
**Isopropyl(methyl)[2-(5-phenyloxazolyl)methyl]amine (3ad).** A yellow oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  1.10 (d,  $J = 6.3$  Hz, 6 H), 2.36 (s, 3 H), 2.90 (sept,  $J = 6.3$  Hz, 1 H), 3.79 (s, 2 H), 7.26 (1 H), 7.30 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1 H), 7.40 (t,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2 H), 7.64 (d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz, 2 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  18.6, 38.1, 50.4, 53.5, 122.0, 124.4, 128.2, 128.4, 129.0, 151.7, 162.2. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{18}\text{N}_2\text{O}$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 231.1492. Found: m/z 231.1500.



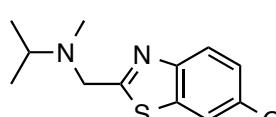
**(2-Benzimidazolylmethyl)(isopropyl)(methyl)amine (3ae).** A pale yellow solid.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz, DMSO- $d_6$ )  $\delta$  1.04 (d,  $J = 6.3$  Hz, 6 H), 2.18 (s, 3 H), 2.88 (sept,  $J = 6.3$  Hz, 1 H), 3.76 (s, 2 H), 7.07–7.16 (m, 2 H), 7.43–7.54 (m, 2 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz, DMSO- $d_6$ )  $\delta$  17.7, 37.0, 51.3, 52.9, 121.3, 153.3. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{17}\text{N}_3$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 204.1495. Found: m/z 204.1499.



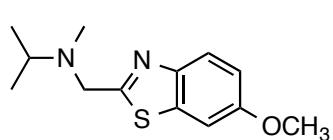
**Isopropyl(methyl)[2-(1-methylbenzimidazolyl)methyl]amine (3af).** A white solid.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  1.09 (d,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 6 H), 2.17 (s, 3 H), 2.90 (sept,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 1 H), 3.84 (s, 2 H), 3.86 (s, 3 H), 7.23 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1 H), 7.26 (t,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 1 H), 7.33 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H), 7.72 (d,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  17.7, 30.2, 36.4, 51.5, 53.5, 109.1, 119.6, 121.8, 122.4, 136.6, 142.4, 152.8. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{19}\text{N}_3$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 218.1652. Found: m/z 218.1660.



**[2-(4-Ethoxycarbonylthiazolyl)methyl](isopropyl)(methyl)amine (3ag).** A pale yellow solid.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  1.05 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 6 H), 1.39 (t,  $J = 6.9$  Hz 3 H), 2.30 (s, 3 H), 2.94 (sept,  $J = 6.5$  Hz, 1 H), 3.85 (s, 2 H), 4.40 (q,  $J = 6.9$  Hz 2 H), 8.11 (s, 1 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  14.5, 18.2, 37.9, 54.0, 54.9, 61.4, 128.3, 147.0, 161.8, 176.3. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{18}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 243.1162. Found: m/z 243.1162.



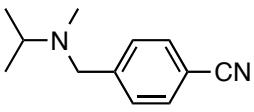
**[2-(6-Chlorobenzothiazolyl)methyl](isopropyl)(methyl)amine (3ah).** A pale orange solid.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  1.10 (d,  $J = 6.3$  Hz, 6 H), 2.35 (s, 3 H), 2.99 (sept,  $J = 6.3$  Hz, 1 H), 3.92 (s, 2 H), 7.39 (dd,  $J = 8.6$ , 1.7 Hz, 1 H), 7.83 (s, 1 H), 7.83 (d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz, 1 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  18.2, 38.0, 54.1, 55.6, 121.5, 123.4, 126.5, 130.6, 136.8, 152.3, 177.0. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{15}\text{N}_2\text{SCl}$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 255.0717. Found: m/z 255.0721.

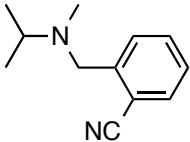


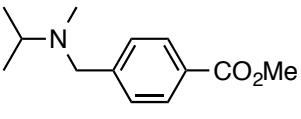
**Isopropyl[2-(6-Methoxybenzothiazolyl)methyl](methyl)amine (3ai).** A yellow oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$

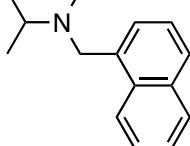
1.10 (d,  $J = 6.3$  Hz, 6 H), 2.35 (s, 3 H), 3.00 (sept,  $J = 6.3$  Hz, 1 H), 3.87 (s, 3 H), 3.91 (s, 2 H), 7.03 (dd,  $J = 8.6, 2.3$  Hz, 1 H), 7.31 (d,  $J = 2.3$  Hz, 1 H), 7.81 (d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz, 1 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  18.1, 37.9, 53.9, 55.6, 55.9, 104.5, 115.0, 123.2, 136.9, 148.1, 157.4, 172.9. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{18}\text{N}_2\text{OS}$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 251.1213. Found: m/z 251.1220.

*Table 3*

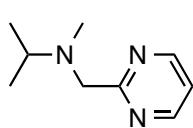
 **[(4-Cyanophenyl)methyl](methyl)(isopropyl)amine (3aj).** A yellow oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  1.06 (d,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 6 H), 2.13 (s, 3 H), 2.87 (sept,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 1 H), 3.54 (s, 2 H), 7.45 (d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz, 2 H), 7.59 (d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz, 2 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  18.0, 37.1, 53.6, 57.3, 110.6, 119.3, 129.3, 132.2, 146.5. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_2$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 189.1386. Found: m/z 189.1388.

 **[(2-Cyanophenyl)methyl](isopropyl)(methyl)amine (3ak).** A pale yellow oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  1.09 (d,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 6 H), 2.15 (s, 3 H), 2.95 (sept,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 1 H), 3.71 (s, 2 H), 7.32 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1 H), 7.53 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1 H), 7.58 (d,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1 H), 7.62 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  18.0, 36.6, 54.0, 55.8, 112.7, 118.1, 127.3, 129.9, 132.7, 133.0, 144.6. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_2$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 189.1386. Found: m/z 189.1393.

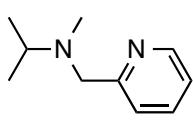
 **Isopropyl[4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenylmethyl](methyl)amine (3al).** A pale yellow oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  1.07 (d,  $J = 6.3$  Hz, 6 H), 2.14 (s, 3 H), 2.88 (sept,  $J = 6.3$  Hz, 1 H), 3.55 (s, 2 H), 3.90 (s, 3 H), 7.41 (d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz, 2 H), 7.97 (d,  $J = 8.6$  Hz, 2 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  18.0, 37.1, 52.1, 53.5, 57.4, 128.7, 128.8, 129.7, 146.1, 167.3. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{19}\text{NO}_2$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 222.1489. Found: m/z 222.1482.

 **Isopropyl(methyl)[(1-Naphthyl)methyl]amine (3am).** A yellow oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  1.15 (d,  $J = 6.3$  Hz, 6 H), 2.17 (s, 3 H), 3.02 (sept,  $J = 6.3$  Hz, 1 H), 3.96 (s, 2 H), 7.41 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1 H)

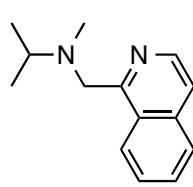
7.44–7.55 (m, 3 H), 7.76 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.85 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 8.31 (d,  $J$  = 8.6 Hz, 1 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  17.9, 36.5, 53.7, 56.4, 124.6, 125.3, 125.6, 125.9, 127.3, 127.8, 128.6, 132.7, 134.0, 135.7. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{19}\text{N}$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 214.1590. Found: m/z 214.1599.



**Isopropyl(methyl)[(2-pyrimidyl)methyl]amine (3an).** A yellow oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  1.08 (d,  $J$  = 6.9 Hz, 6 H), 2.28 (s, 3 H), 2.94 (sept,  $J$  = 6.9 Hz, 1 H), 3.81 (s, 2 H), 7.14 (t,  $J$  = 5.2 Hz, 1 H), 8.70 (d,  $J$  = 5.2 Hz, 2 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  18.1, 38.1, 54.1, 59.9, 119.2, 157.3, 169.4. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_9\text{H}_{15}\text{N}_3$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 166.1339. Found: m/z 166.1335.

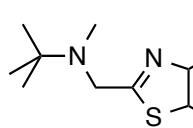


**Isopropyl(methyl)[(2-pyridyl)methyl]amine (3ao).** A yellow oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  1.07 (d,  $J$  = 6.3 Hz, 6 H), 2.19 (s, 3 H), 2.90 (sept,  $J$  = 6.3 Hz, 1 H), 3.66 (s, 2 H), 7.12 (dd,  $J$  = 7.5, 4.6 Hz, 1 H), 7.44 (d,  $J$  = 7.5 Hz, 1 H), 7.63 (t,  $J$  = 7.5 Hz, 1 H), 8.51 (d,  $J$  = 4.6 Hz, 1 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  18.1, 37.4, 53.8, 59.4, 121.9, 123.0, 136.5, 149.1, 160.7. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_2$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 165.1386. Found: m/z 165.1382.



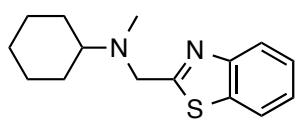
**Isopropyl[(2-isoquinolyl)methyl](methyl)amine (3ap).** A yellow oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  1.15 (d,  $J$  = 6.3 Hz, 6 H), 2.17 (s, 3 H), 3.02 (sept,  $J$  = 6.3 Hz, 1 H), 4.13 (s, 2 H), 7.55 (d,  $J$  = 5.7 Hz, 1 H), 7.57 (t,  $J$  = 7.5 Hz, 1 H), 7.64 (t,  $J$  = 6.9 Hz, 1 H), 7.79 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 8.43 (d,  $J$  = 5.7 Hz, 1 H), 8.52 (d,  $J$  = 8.6 Hz, 1 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  17.8, 36.7, 54.2, 58.9, 120.5, 126.4, 127.0, 127.1, 127.9, 130.0, 136.5, 141.6, 159.4. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{18}\text{N}_2$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 215.1543. Found: m/z 215.1545.

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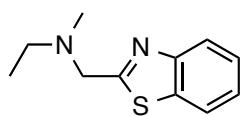
**(2-Benzothiazolylmethyl)(tert-butyl)(methyl)amine (3ba).** A white solid.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  1.18 (s, 9 H), 2.35 (s, 3 H), 3.96 (s, 2 H), 7.33 (t,  $J$  = 7.4 Hz, 1 H), 7.43 (t,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.85 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.92 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  26.4, 36.8, 54.0, 54.7, 121.8, 122.6, 124.5, 125.7, 135.5, 154.0, 178.1. HRMS (ESI)

Calcd for C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>18</sub>N<sub>2</sub>S: [M+H]<sup>+</sup>, 235.1263. Found: m/z 235.1262.



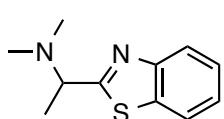
**(2-Benzothiazolylmethyl)(cyclohexyl)(methyl)amine (3ca).**

A pale yellow solid. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 1.05–1.17 (m, 1 H), 1.18–1.35 (m, 4 H), 1.63 (d, *J* = 13.2 Hz, 1 H), 1.81 (d, *J* = 12.0 Hz, 2 H), 1.91 (d, *J* = 10.3 Hz, 2 H), 2.41 (s, 3 H), 2.48–2.57 (m, 1 H), 4.00 (s, 2 H), 7.34 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 1 H), 7.43 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1 H), 7.86 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.94 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1 H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 26.0, 26.3, 29.0, 38.8, 56.0, 63.0, 121.9, 122.7, 124.7, 125.7, 135.5, 153.7, 176.4. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>20</sub>N<sub>2</sub>S: [M+H]<sup>+</sup>, 261.1420. Found: m/z 261.1420.



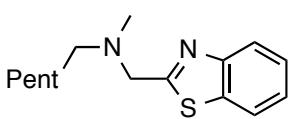
**(2-Benzothiazolylmethyl)(ethyl)(methyl)amine (3da).** A yellow

oil. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 1.14 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3 H), 2.39 (s, 3 H), 2.60 (q, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2 H), 3.95 (s, 2 H), 7.35 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1 H), 7.44 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 1 H), 7.87 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.96 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1 H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 12.7, 42.5, 51.8, 59.6, 121.8, 122.8, 124.9, 125.9, 135.5, 153.4, 173.6. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>11</sub>H<sub>14</sub>N<sub>2</sub>S: [M+H]<sup>+</sup>, 207.0950. Found: m/z 207.0953.



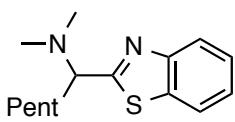
**[1-(2-Benzothiazolyl)ethyl](dimethyl)amine (3'da).** A yellow oil.

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 1.53 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 3 H), 2.37 (s, 6 H), 3.97 (q, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 1 H), 7.36 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1 H), 7.45 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 1 H), 7.87 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.98 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1 H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 16.4, 42.5, 63.5, 121.9, 123.0, 124.9, 125.8, 135.5, 153.2, 177.5. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>11</sub>H<sub>14</sub>N<sub>2</sub>S: [M+H]<sup>+</sup>, 207.0950. Found: m/z 207.0957.

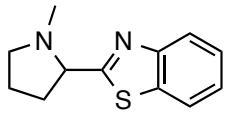


**(2-Benzothiazolylmethyl)(hexyl)(methyl)amine (3ea).** A pale

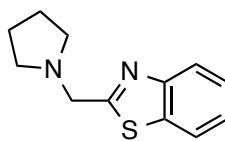
yellow oil. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 0.88 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3 H), 1.24–1.39 (m, 6 H), 1.53 (quint, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2 H), 2.38 (s, 3 H), 2.52 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2 H), 3.94 (s, 2 H), 7.35 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.45 (t, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1 H), 7.87 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.96 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1 H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 14.2, 22.8, 27.0, 27.6, 31.9, 43.0, 58.0, 60.1, 121.9, 122.8, 124.8, 125.9, 135.6, 153.4, 174.0. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>22</sub>N<sub>2</sub>S: [M+H]<sup>+</sup>, 263.1576. Found: m/z 263.1584.



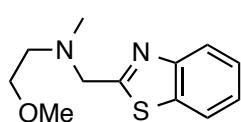
**[1-(2-Benzothiazolyl)pentyl](dimethyl)amine (3'ea).** A pale yellow oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  0.85 (t,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 3 H), 1.20–1.44 (m, 6 H), 1.84–2.03 (m, 2 H), 2.36 (s, 6 H), 3.83 (dd,  $J = 8.9, 5.4$  Hz, 1 H), 7.37 (t,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1 H), 7.46 (t,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1 H), 7.88 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H), 8.02 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  14.2, 22.6, 26.3, 32.0, 33.3, 42.6, 68.3, 121.8, 123.1, 125.0, 125.9, 135.2, 153.0, 173.8. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{22}\text{N}_2\text{S}$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 263.1576. Found: m/z 263.1579.



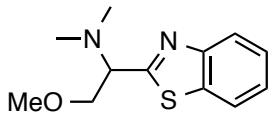
**2-(1-Methyl-2-pyrrolidinyl)benzothiazole (3fa).** A pale yellow solid.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  1.80–2.06 (m, 3 H), 2.37–2.49 (m, 2 H), 2.44 (s, 3 H), 3.27 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1 H), 3.80 (dd,  $J = 8.9, 6.6$  Hz, 1 H), 7.34 (t,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H), 7.44 (t,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1 H), 7.87 (d,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1 H), 7.95 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  23.7, 34.6, 41.4, 57.1, 68.4, 122.0, 122.7, 124.7, 125.8, 135.2, 153.8, 179.1. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{14}\text{N}_2\text{S}$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 219.0950. Found: m/z 219.0945.



**2-(1-Pyrrolidinylmethyl)benzothiazole (3'fa).** A pale yellow oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  1.79–1.92 (m, 4 H), 2.65–2.81 (m, 4 H), 4.10 (s, 2 H), 7.36 (t,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1 H), 7.45 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1 H), 7.87 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H), 7.98 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  24.0, 54.6, 58.2, 121.8, 122.9, 124.9, 125.9, 135.5, 153.3, 172.7. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{14}\text{N}_2\text{S}$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 219.0950. Found: m/z 219.0950.

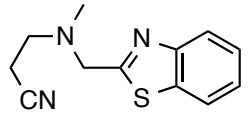


**(2-Benzothiazolylmethyl)(2-methoxyethyl)(methyl)amine (3ga).** A yellow oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  2.47 (s, 3 H), 2.78 (t,  $J = 5.7$  Hz, 2 H), 3.36 (s, 3 H), 3.57 (t,  $J = 5.7$  Hz, 2 H), 4.05 (s, 2 H), 7.36 (t,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1 H), 7.45 (t,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1 H), 7.87 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H), 7.96 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  43.5, 56.8, 59.0, 60.2, 71.1, 121.9, 122.9, 124.9, 125.9, 135.6, 153.4, 172.9. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_2\text{OS}$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 237.1056. Found: m/z 237.1054.

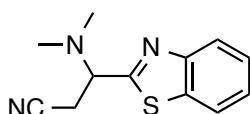


**2-[1-(Dimethylamino)-2-methoxyethyl]benzothiazole (3'ga).**

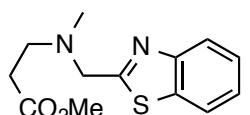
This product could not be isolated in a pure form. The following data were obtained from a spectrum of a mixture with **3ga** (**3'ga**: **3ga** = 40:60).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  2.46 (s, 6 H), 3.40 (s, 3 H), 3.89 (dd,  $J$  = 10.3, 6.3 Hz, 1 H), 3.99 (dd,  $J$  = 9.7, 4.9 Hz, 1 H), 4.12 (t,  $J$  = 5.7 Hz, 1 H), 7.37 (t,  $J$  = 6.6 Hz, 1 H), 7.46 (t,  $J$  = 7.2 Hz, 1 H), 7.88 (d,  $J$  = 6.3 Hz, 1 H), 8.00 (d,  $J$  = 8.6 Hz, 1 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  42.8, 59.3, 67.0, 70.7, 121.8, 123.2, 125.0, 125.1, 153.1. GC-MS m/z (% relative intensity, ion) 191 (100,  $M - \text{MeOCH}_2$ ), 150 (90), 42 (40).



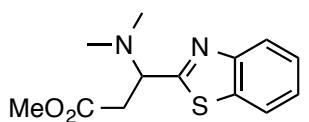
**(2-Benzothiazolylmethyl)(2-cyanoethyl)(methyl)amine (3ha).** A yellow oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  2.48 (s, 3 H), 2.58 (t,  $J$  = 6.9 Hz, 2 H), 2.90 (t,  $J$  = 6.9 Hz, 2 H), 4.05 (s, 2 H), 7.37 (t,  $J$  = 7.5 Hz, 1 H), 7.46 (t,  $J$  = 7.7 Hz, 1 H), 7.88 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.97 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  16.7, 42.4, 52.7, 59.6, 118.4, 122.0, 123.0, 125.2, 126.1, 135.5, 153.3, 171.5. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{13}\text{N}_3\text{S}$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 232.0903. Found: m/z 232.0910.



**2-[2-Cyano-1-(dimethylamino)ethyl]benzothiazole (3'ha).** A pale orange solid.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  2.49 (s, 6 H), 3.00 (dd,  $J$  = 16.9, 7.2 Hz, 1 H), 3.26 (dd,  $J$  = 16.9, 6.0 Hz, 1 H), 4.43 (t,  $J$  = 6.6 Hz, 1 H), 7.40 (t,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.48 (t,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.89 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 8.00 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  17.3, 41.5, 63.8, 118.4, 121.9, 123.5, 125.5, 126.2, 135.8, 153.0, 170.6. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{13}\text{N}_3\text{S}$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 232.0903. Found: m/z 232.0901.

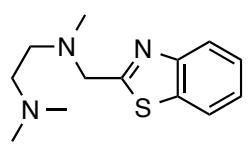


**(2-Benzothiazolylmethyl)(2-methoxycarbonylethyl)(methyl)amine (3ia).** A pale yellow oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  2.41 (s, 3 H), 2.58 (t,  $J$  = 6.9 Hz, 2 H), 2.91 (t,  $J$  = 6.9 Hz, 2 H), 3.70 (s, 3 H), 3.98 (s, 2 H), 7.36 (t,  $J$  = 7.5 Hz, 1 H), 7.45 (t,  $J$  = 7.5 Hz, 1 H), 7.86 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.96 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  33.0, 42.6, 51.8, 53.3, 59.8, 121.9, 122.9, 125.0, 125.9, 135.5, 153.4, 172.8, 172.9. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 265.1005. Found: m/z 265.0997.



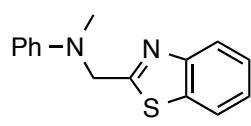
**Methyl 2-benzothiazolyl-2-(dimethylamino)propanoate (3'ia).**

**(3'ia).** A yellow oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  2.40 (bs, 6 H), 2.85–3.04 (m, 1 H), 3.10–3.22 (m, 1 H), 3.72 (s, 3 H), 4.53–4.71 (m, 1 H), 7.37 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1 H), 7.45 (t,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1 H), 7.87 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H), 7.97 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  33.6, 41.7, 52.1, 63.7, 121.8, 123.3, 125.1, 125.9, 135.8, 153.1, 172.4, 172.7. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 265.1005. Found: m/z 265.1003.



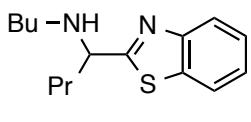
**N-(2-Benzothiazolylmethyl)-*N,N'*-trimethylethylenediamine (3ja).**

**(3ja).** An orange solid.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  2.28 (s, 6 H), 2.43 (s, 3 H), 2.54 (t,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 2 H), 2.69 (t,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 2 H), 4.00 (s, 2 H), 7.35 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1 H), 7.44 (t,  $J = 7.7$  Hz, 1 H), 7.86 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H), 7.96 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  43.3, 45.8, 55.5, 57.4, 60.4, 121.9, 122.9, 124.9, 125.9, 135.5, 153.4, 172.9. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{19}\text{N}_3\text{S}$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 250.1372. Found: m/z 250.1382.



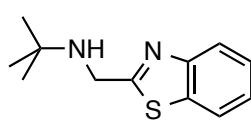
**N-(2-Benzothiazolylmethyl)-*N*-methylaniline (3ka).**

A pale yellow solid.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  3.16 (s, 3 H), 4.89 (s, 2 H), 6.81 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1 H), 6.85 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2 H), 7.26 (t,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2 H), 7.36 (t,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H), 7.47 (t,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H), 7.81 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H), 8.00 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  39.6, 56.5, 113.3, 118.3, 121.9, 122.8, 125.1, 126.1, 129.5, 135.2, 148.9, 153.7, 173.1. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{14}\text{N}_2\text{S}$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 255.0950. Found: m/z 255.0950.



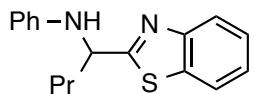
**[1-(2-Benzothiazolyl)butyl](butyl)amine (3la).**<sup>10</sup>

A yellow oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  0.89 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 3 H), 0.94 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 3 H), 1.27–1.53 (m, 6 H), 1.75–1.90 (m, 2 H), 2.57–2.68 (m, 2 H), 4.09 (t,  $J = 6.6$  Hz, 1 H), 7.35 (t,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H), 7.45 (t,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H), 7.88 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H), 7.97 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H).



**(2-Benzothiazolylmethyl)(tert-butyl)amine (3ma).** This product could not be isolated in a pure form. The following data were

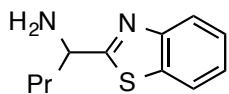
obtained from a spectrum of a mixture with **2a** (**3ma**:**2a** = 90:10). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 1.21 (s, 9 H), 4.21 (s, 2 H), 7.35 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 1 H), 7.44 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.86 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.95 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1 H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 28.9, 45.2, 52.3, 121.9, 122.8, 124.9, 126.0, 135.3, 153.4. GC-MS m/z (% relative intensity, ion) 220 (10, M), 205 (100), 148 (92), 136 (15). HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>16</sub>N<sub>2</sub>S: [M+H]<sup>+</sup>, 221.1107. Found: m/z 221.1109.



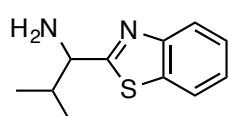
**N-[1-(2-Benzothiazolyl)butyl]aniline (3na).** A white solid. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 0.99 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3 H), 1.47–1.66 (m, 2 H), 1.92–2.02 (m, 1 H), 2.05–2.15 (m, 1 H), 4.27 (d, *J* = 5.2 Hz, 1 H), 4.81 (dt, *J* = 8.0, 5.4 Hz, 1 H), 6.65 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2 H), 6.73 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1 H), 7.14 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2 H), 7.34 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.46 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1 H), 7.81 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 8.00 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 1 H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 14.0, 19.4, 39.6, 57.4, 113.5, 118.7, 122.0, 122.9, 124.9, 126.0, 129.4, 135.1, 146.8, 153.8, 178.7. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>18</sub>N<sub>2</sub>S: [M+H]<sup>+</sup>, 283.1263. Found: m/z 283.1264.

***α*-Arylation of Primary Alkylamines through *tert*-Butyldimethylsilyl Protection–Deprotection (Table 5): Representative Procedure (Table 5, Entry 4).**

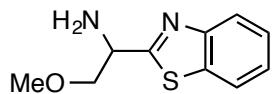
To a 4 mL vial equipped with a stir bar in a glove box were added successively (*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl)[2-(*tert*-butyldimethylsilyloxy)ethyl]amine (**4r**: 130.3 mg, 0.450 mmol),<sup>4</sup> 2-(benzenesulfonyl)benzothiazole (**2a**: 68.8 mg, 0.250 mmol), acetonitrile (0.50 mL) and *t*-BuON=NO*t*-Bu (21.8 mg, 0.125 mmol). The vial was taken out of the glove box and stirred at 50 °C for 24 h. The reaction mixture was poured into sat. NaHCO<sub>3</sub> aq. (15 mL), extracted with ethyl acetate (3 x 15 mL), and dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>. After filtration and concentration, the crude mixture was subjected to silica gel chromatography (hexane/ethyl acetate = 82:18 to 61:39, MPLC) to give 1-(2-Benzothiazolyl)-2-(*tert*-butyldimethylsilyloxy)ethylamine (**3ra**: 61.6 mg, 80% yield).



**1-(2-Benzothiazolyl)butylamine (3oa).** A white solid. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 0.97 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 3 H), 1.39–1.59 (m, 2 H), 1.75–1.85 (m, 1 H), 1.86 (bs, 2 H), 1.93–2.03 (m, 1 H), 4.37 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 5.7 Hz, 1 H), 7.36 (t, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1 H), 7.46 (t, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1 H), 7.88 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.97 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1 H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 14.0, 19.3, 40.8, 54.8, 121.9, 122.9, 124.9, 126.0, 134.9, 153.5, 179.1. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>11</sub>H<sub>14</sub>N<sub>2</sub>S: [M+H]<sup>+</sup>, 207.0950. Found: m/z 207.0945.

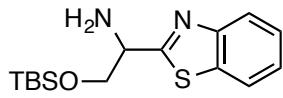


**1-(2-Benzothiazolyl)-2-methylpropylamine (3pa).** A pale yellow oil. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 0.97 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 3 H), 1.03 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 3 H), 1.80 (bs, 2 H), 2.24–2.35 (m, 1 H), 4.18 (d, *J* = 5.2 Hz, 1 H), 7.35 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1 H), 7.45 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1 H), 7.87 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.97 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1 H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 17.2, 19.8, 34.9, 60.3, 121.8, 122.9, 124.8, 126.0, 135.0, 153.4, 178.2. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>11</sub>H<sub>14</sub>N<sub>2</sub>S: [M+H]<sup>+</sup>, 207.0950. Found: m/z 207.0950.

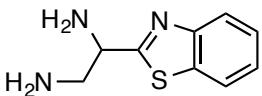


**1-(2-Benzothiazolyl)-2-methoxyethylamine (3qa).** An orange oil. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 2.05 (bs, 2 H), 3.42 (s, 3 H), 3.67 (dd, *J* = 9.2, 7.5 Hz, 1 H), 3.86 (dd, *J* = 9.2, 4.0 Hz, 1 H), 4.58 (dd, *J* = 7.5, 4.2 Hz, 1 H), 7.36 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.45 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.88 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.97

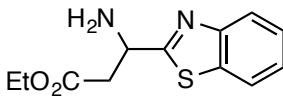
(d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  54.5, 59.2, 76.8, 121.9, 122.9, 124.9, 126.1, 135.1, 153.5, 175.5. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{12}\text{N}_2\text{OS}$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 209.0743. Found: m/z 209.0749.



**1-(2-Benzothiazolyl)-2-(*tert*-butyldimethylsilyloxy)ethylamine (**3ra**).** An orange oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  0.03 (s, 3 H), 0.07 (s, 3 H), 0.88 (s, 9 H), 2.07 (bs, 2 H), 3.85 (dd,  $J = 9.2, 7.5$  Hz, 1 H), 4.07 (dd,  $J = 9.7, 4.0$  Hz, 1 H), 4.40–4.54 (m, 1 H), 7.36 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1 H), 7.45 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1 H), 7.89 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H), 7.97 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  –5.32, –5.27, 18.4, 26.0, 56.5, 67.6, 121.9, 122.8, 124.8, 126.0, 135.1, 153.5, 175.9. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{24}\text{N}_2\text{OSSi}$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 309.1451. Found: m/z 309.1447.

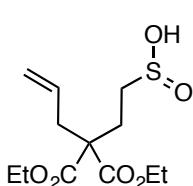


**1-(2-Benzothiazolyl)ethylenediamine (**3sa**).** A yellow oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  1.88 (bs, 4 H), 3.11 (dd,  $J = 13.2, 6.3$  Hz, 1 H), 3.19 (dd,  $J = 12.6, 3.4$  Hz, 1 H), 4.25–4.39 (m, 1 H), 7.35 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1 H), 7.45 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1 H), 7.87 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H), 7.96 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  48.8, 56.9, 121.9, 122.9, 124.9, 126.1, 135.0, 153.5, 176.8. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_9\text{H}_{11}\text{N}_3\text{S}$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 194.0746. Found: m/z 194.0751.

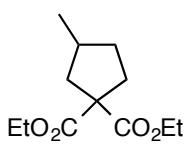


**1-(2-Benzothiazolyl)-2-(ethoxycarbonyl)ethylamine (**3ta**).** An orange oil.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  1.25 (t,  $J = 6.9$  Hz, 3 H), 2.03 (bs, 2 H), 2.86 (dd,  $J = 16.0, 8.6$  Hz, 1 H), 3.15 (dd,  $J = 16.0, 4.0$  Hz, 1 H), 4.12–4.23 (m, 2 H), 4.74 (dd,  $J = 8.6, 4.0$  Hz, 1 H), 7.36 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1 H), 7.46 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz, 1 H), 7.88 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H), 7.96 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1 H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  14.3, 42.5, 51.7, 61.0, 121.9, 123.0, 125.0, 126.1, 135.2, 153.5, 171.4, 176.7. HRMS (ESI) Calcd for  $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{14}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}$ :  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ , 251.0849. Found: m/z 251.0850.

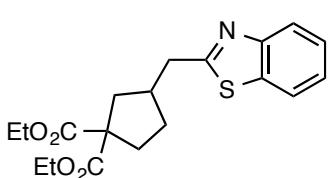
**Involvement of Sulfonyl Radicals as Leaving Groups (Scheme 2).** To a 4 mL vial equipped with a stir bar in a glove box were added successively isopropyl(dimethyl)amine (**1a**: 39.2 mg, 0.450 mmol), 2-[3,3-bis(ethoxycarbonyl)-5-hexenesulfonyl]benzothiazole (**2'a**: 106.4 mg, 0.250 mmol), methanol (0.50 mL) and *t*-BuON=NO*t*-Bu (8.7 mg, 0.050 mmol). The vial was taken out of the glove box and stirred under 50 °C for 8 h. The reaction mixture was poured into sat. NaHCO<sub>3</sub> aq. (15 mL), extracted with ethyl acetate (3 x 15 mL), dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered and concentrated. An aliquot of the crude mixture was subjected to GC analysis using nonane to determine the yield of (2-benzothiazolylmethyl)(isopropyl)(methyl)amine (**3aa**: the same compound as obtained in Table 1) to be 61%. The rest of the crude mixture was subjected to silica gel chromatography (hexane/ethyl acetate = 96:4 to 75:25, MPLC) to give diethyl 3-methylcyclopentane-1,1-dicarboxylate (**6**), contaminated with 2-methoxybenzothiazole (**6**: 2-methoxybenzothiazole = 40:60), and 2-[3,3-bis(ethoxycarbonyl)cyclopentylmethyl]benzothiazole (**7**), contaminated with **3aa** (**7:3aa** = 90:10). The yields of **6** and **7** were estimated to be 5% and 4%, respectively. The yield of 3,3-bis(ethoxycarbonyl)-5-hexenesulfinic acid (**5**) was determined by the following procedure: the aqueous layer, which was obtained by the above extraction process, was acidified with HCl aq., extracted with ethyl acetate (3 x 15 mL), dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, filtered and concentrated to give **5** but not in a pure form, contaminated with ethyl acetate and a compound similar to **5**. Due to instability of **5**, further purification was not performed and the yield of **5** was estimated to be *ca.* 70%, assuming that the unknown compound has the same molecular weight as **5**.



**3,3-Bis(ethoxycarbonyl)-5-hexenesulfinic acid (5).** This product could not be isolated in a pure form. The following data were obtained from a spectrum of a mixture with ethyl acetate and a compound similar to **5**. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 1.26 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 6 H), 2.20–2.25 (m, 2 H), 2.66 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 2 H), 2.79–2.84 (m, 2 H), 4.15–4.24 (m, 4 H), 5.14 (d, *J* = 10.6 Hz, 1 H), 5.15 (d, *J* = 17.2, 1 H), 5.57 (ddt, *J* = 16.9, 10.3, 7.5 Hz, 1 H).



**Diethyl 3-methylcyclopentane-1,1-dicarboxylate (6).**<sup>11</sup> This product could not be isolated in a pure form. The following data were obtained from a spectrum of a mixture with 2-methoxybenzothiazole (**6**: 2-methoxybenzothiazole = 40:60). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 1.01 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 3 H), 1.20–1.30 (m, 1 H), 1.24 (t, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 6 H), 1.66 (dd, *J* = 13.5, 10.0 Hz, 1 H), 1.81–1.89 (m, 1 H), 2.00–2.09 (m, 1 H), 2.10–2.18 (m, 1 H), 2.28–2.35 (m, 1 H), 2.44 (dd, *J* = 13.2, 6.9 Hz, 1 H), 4.17 (q, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 4 H).

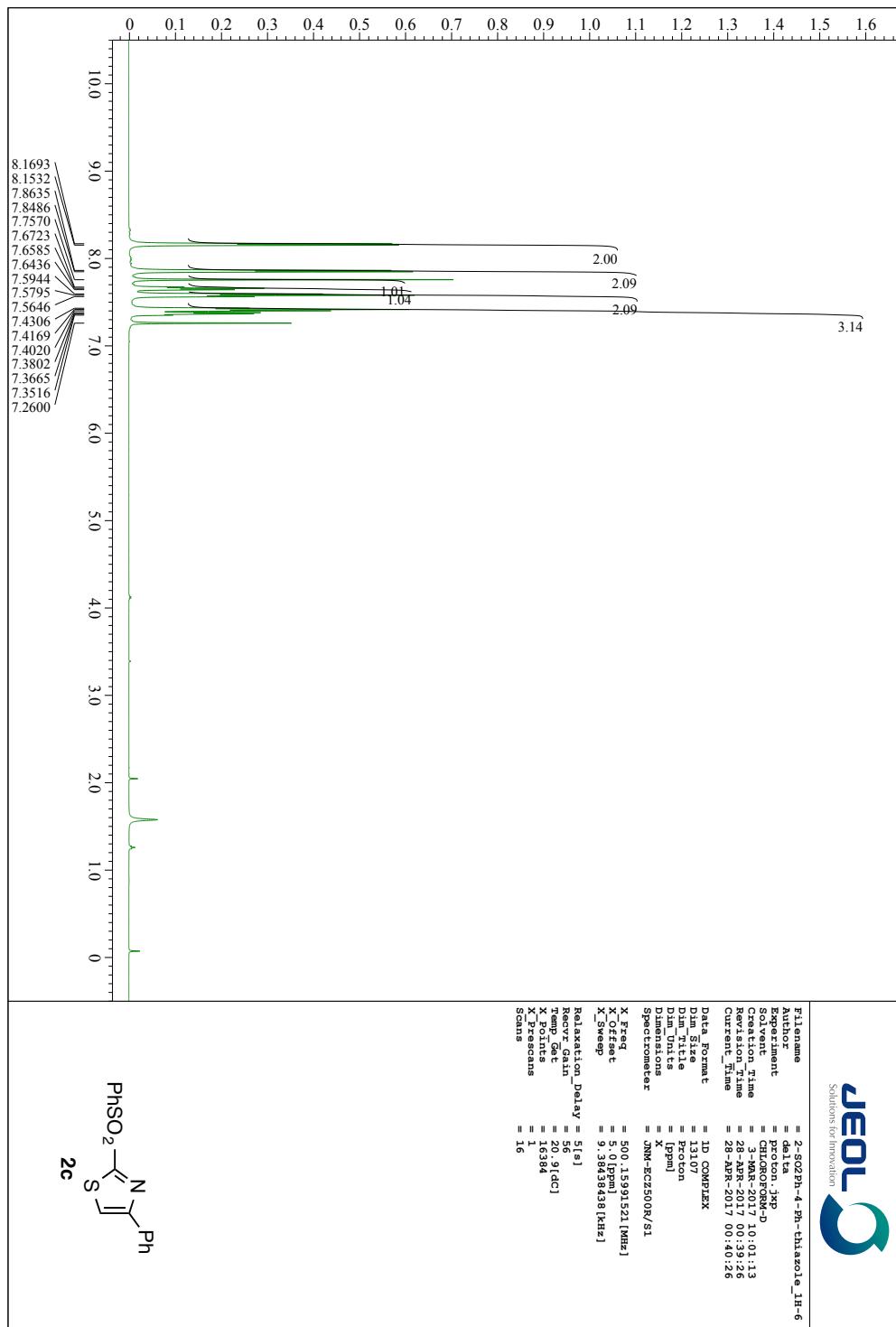


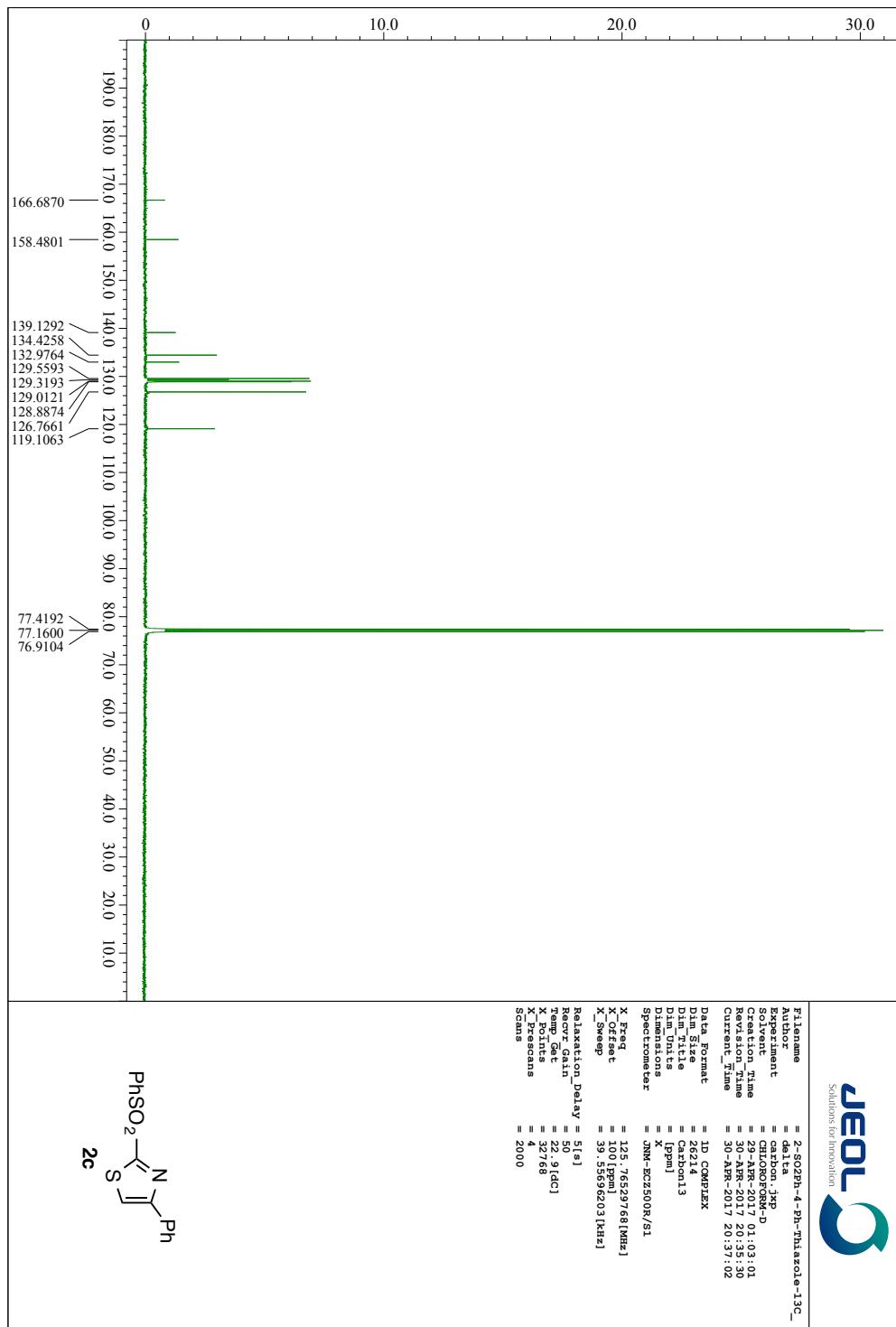
**2-[3,3-Bis(ethoxycarbonyl)cyclopentylmethyl]-benzothiazole (7).** This product could not be isolated in a pure form. The following data were obtained from a spectrum of a mixture with **3aa** (**7:3aa** = 90:10). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 1.21–1.27 (m, 6 H), 1.45–1.55 (m, 1 H), 1.91–2.03 (m, 2 H), 2.16–2.25 (m, 1 H), 2.33–2.40 (m, 1 H), 2.52–2.65 (m, 2 H), 3.11–3.24 (m, 2 H), 4.14–4.21 (m, 4 H), 7.35 (t, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1 H), 7.45 (t, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 1 H), 7.84 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.96 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1 H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 14.2, 32.1, 33.8, 39.6, 40.1, 40.4, 60.1, 61.56, 61.61, 121.6, 122.8, 124.9, 126.1, 135.3, 153.4, 170.6, 172.5, 172.6. GC-MS m/z (% relative intensity, ion) 361 (31, M), 316 (14), 288 (11), 214 (14), 149 (100). HRMS (ESI) Calcd for C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>23</sub>NO<sub>4</sub>S: [M+Na]<sup>+</sup>, 384.1240. Found: m/z 384.1255.

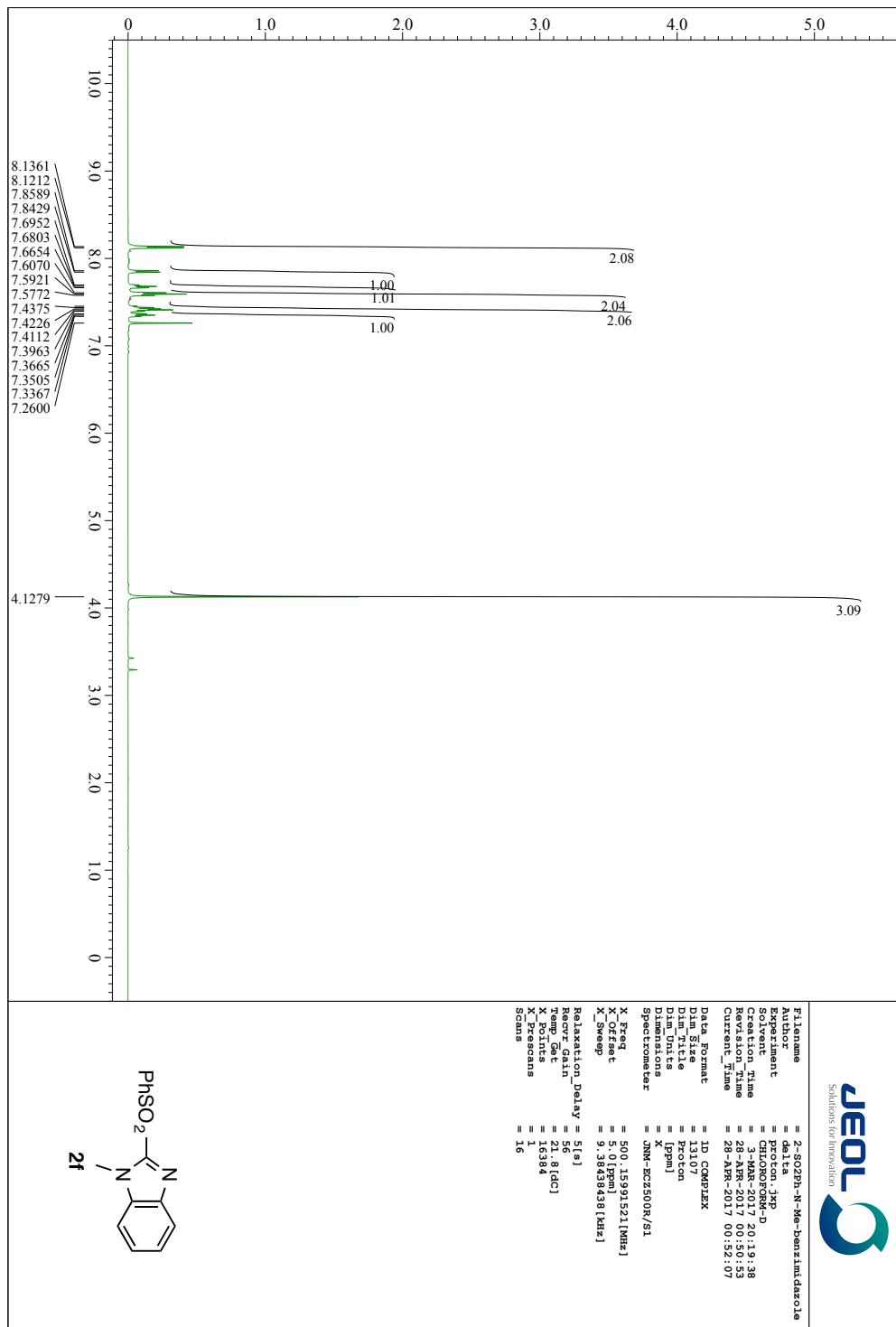
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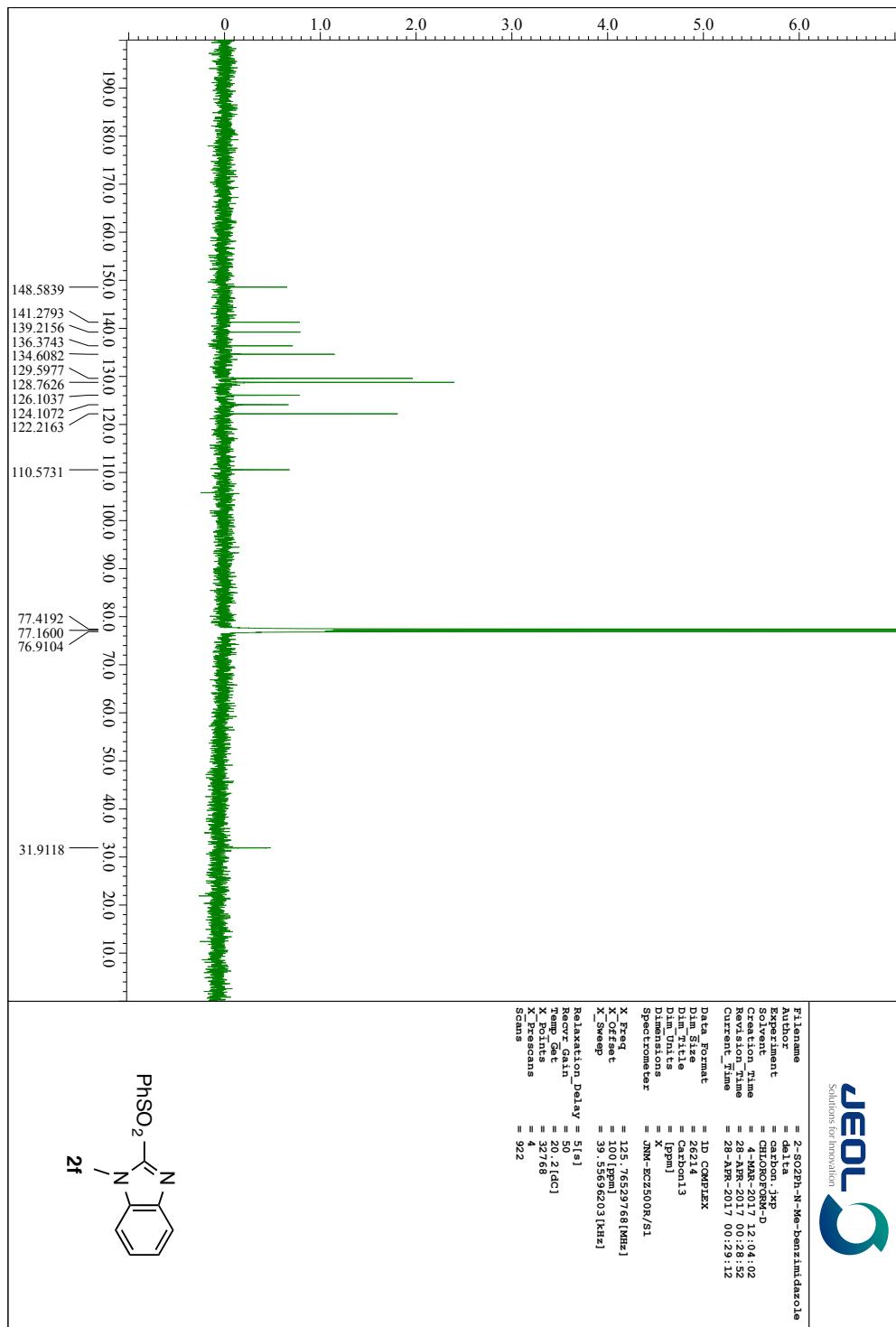
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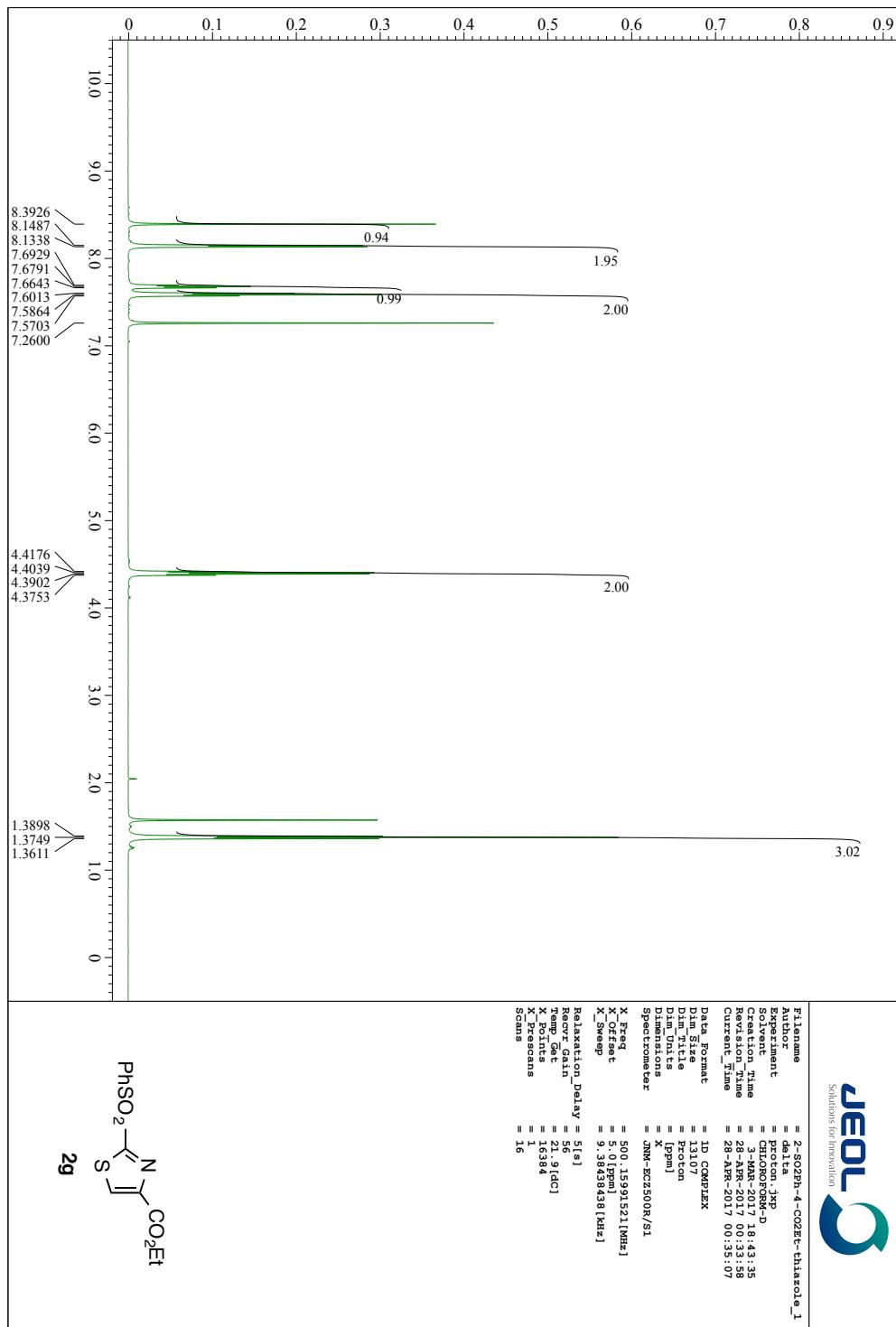
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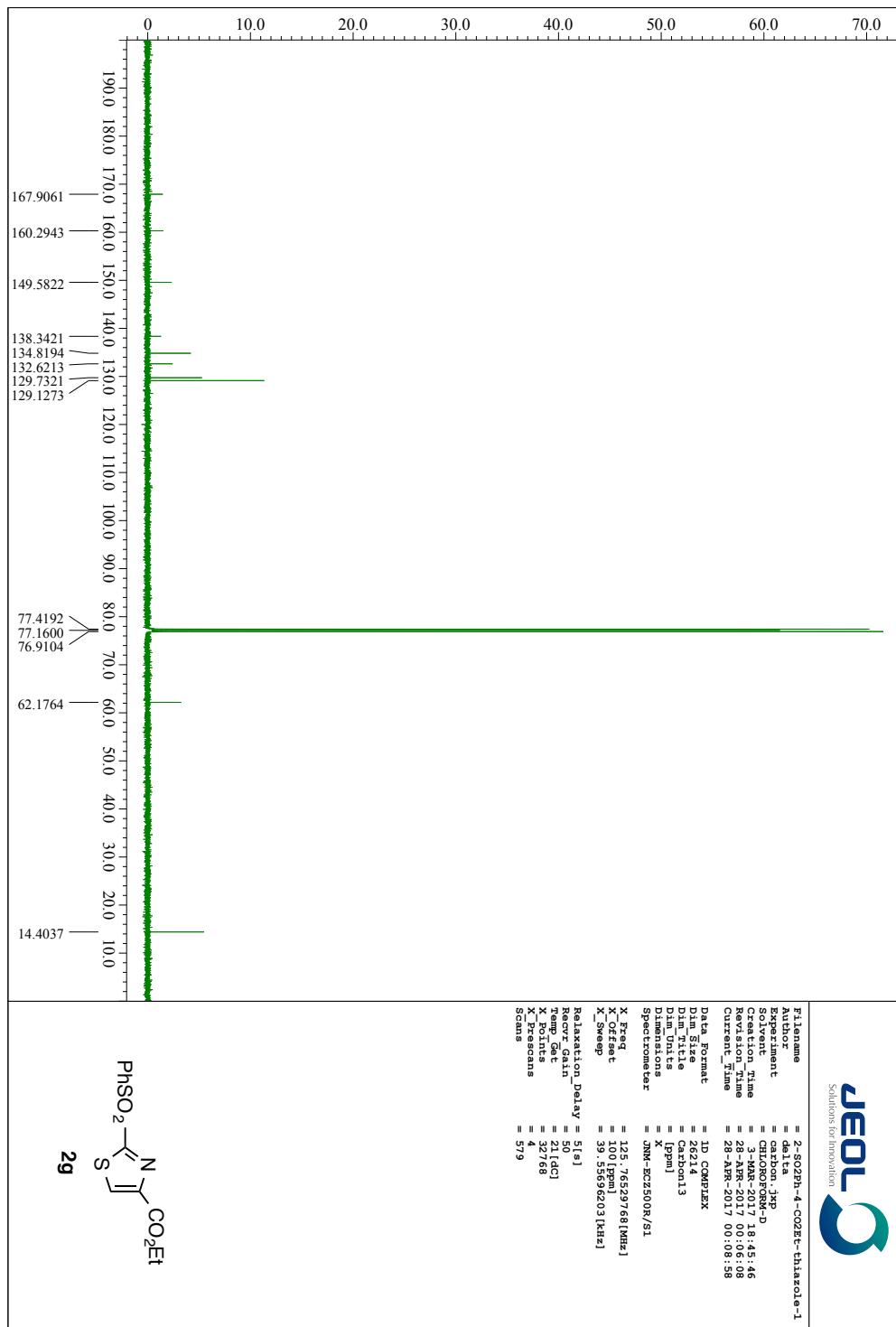


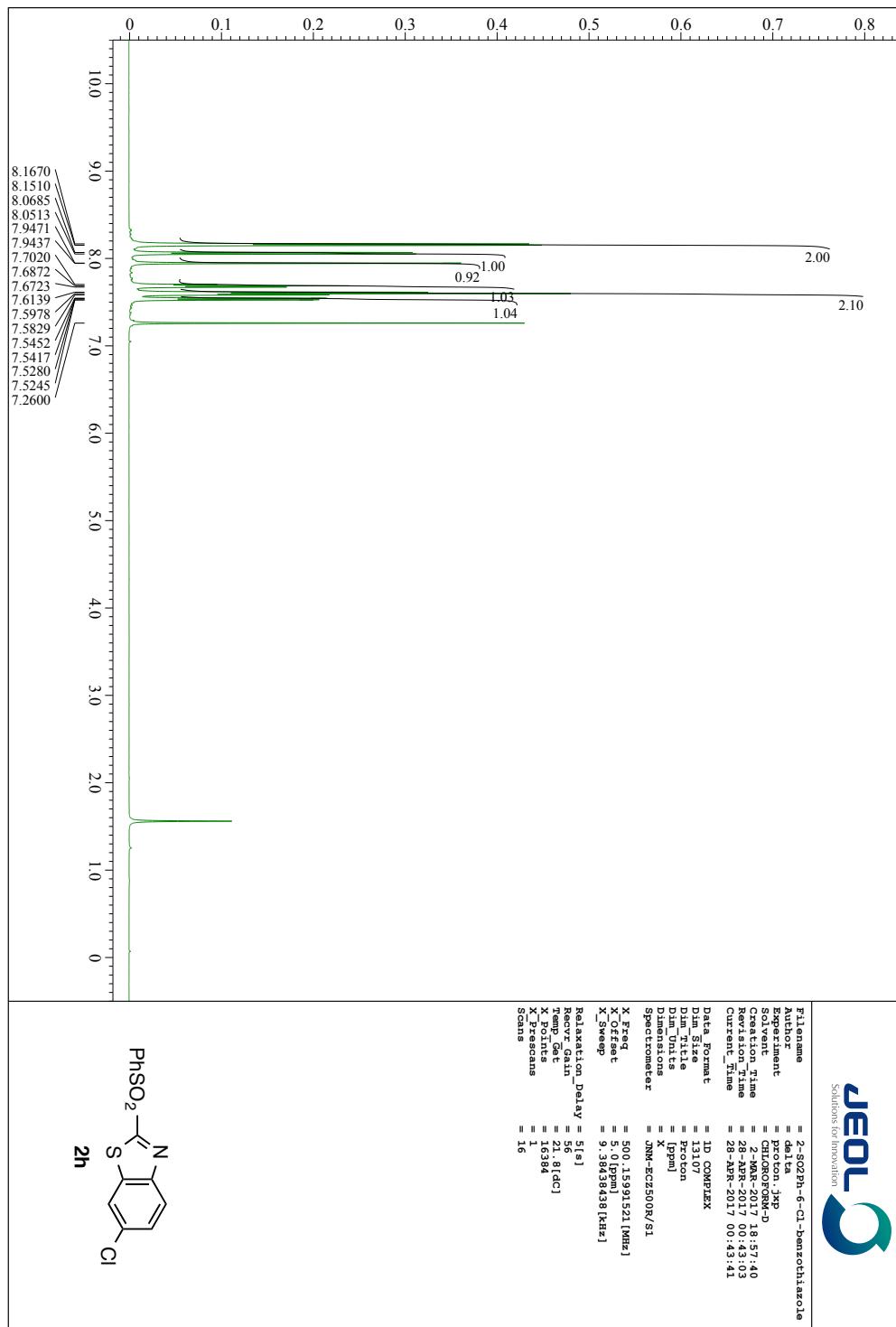


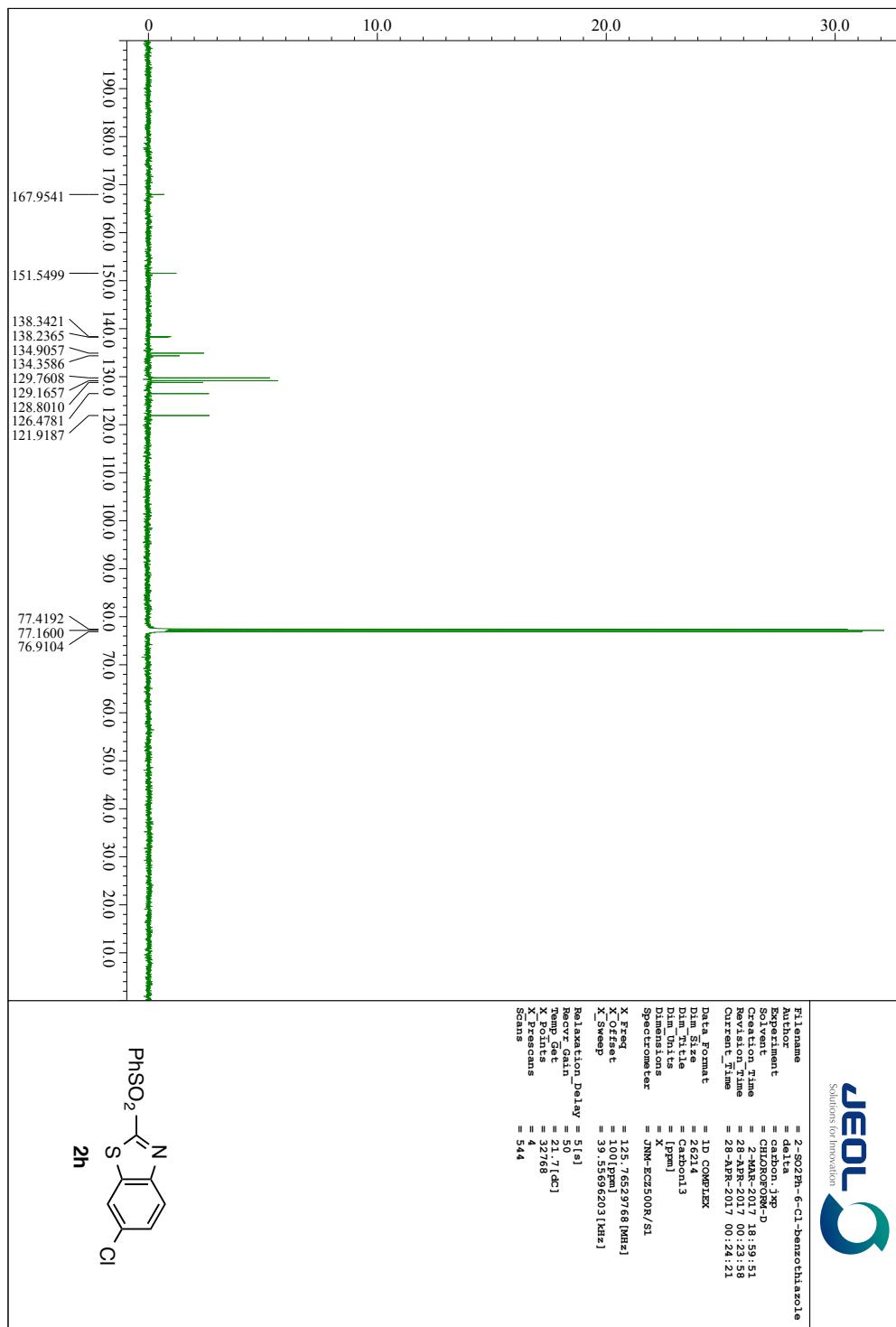


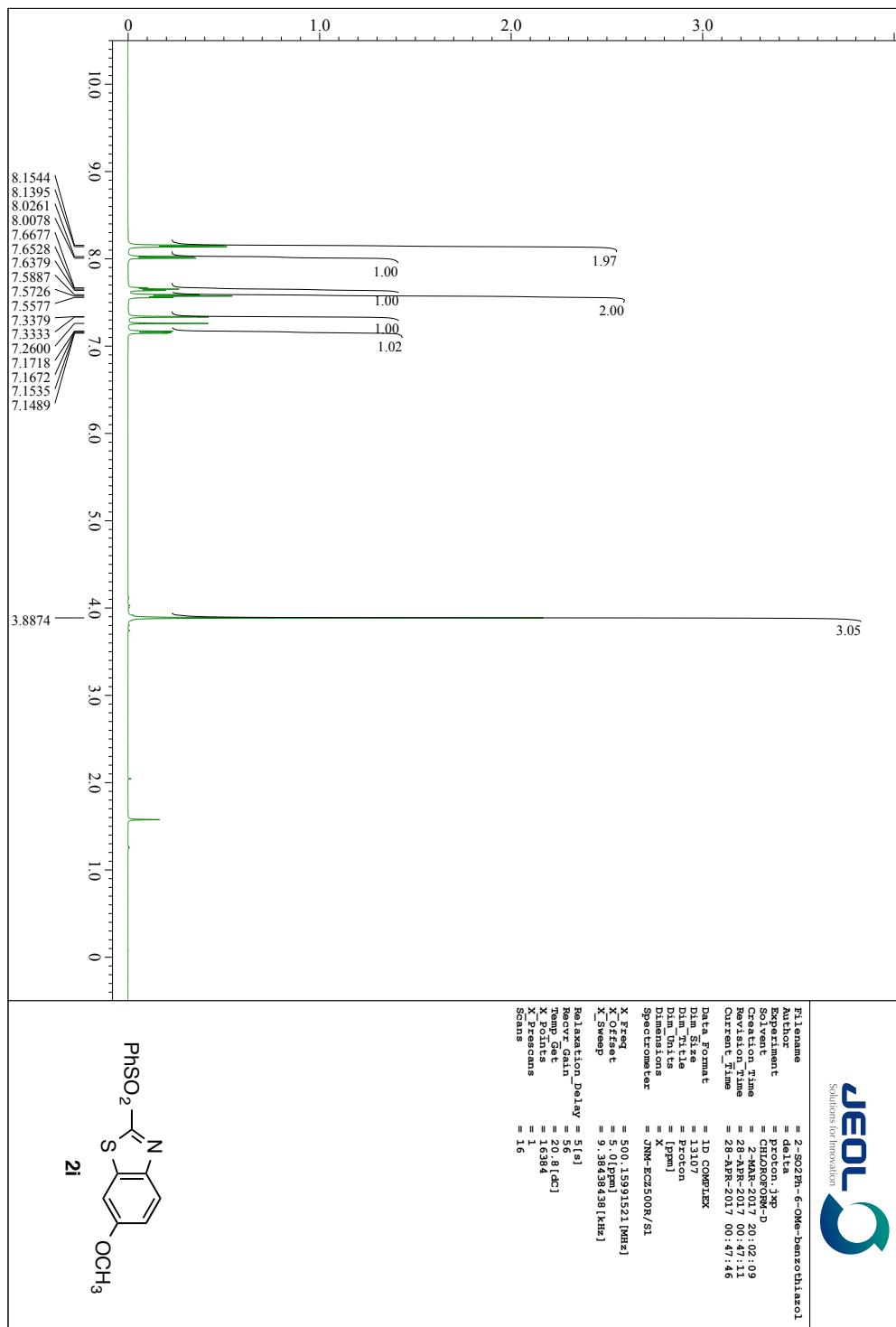


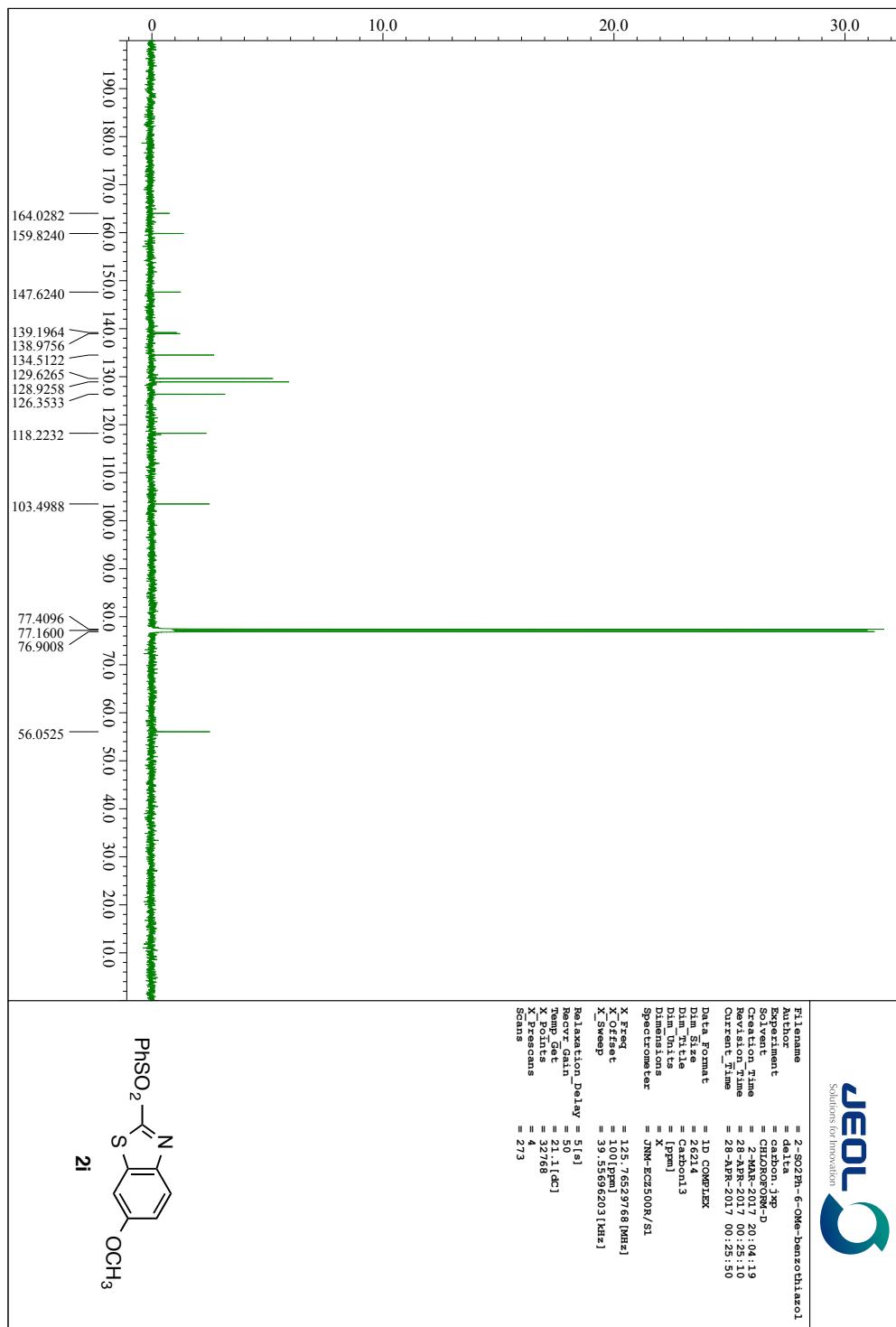


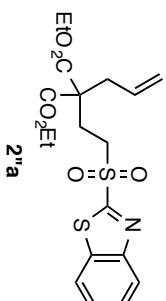
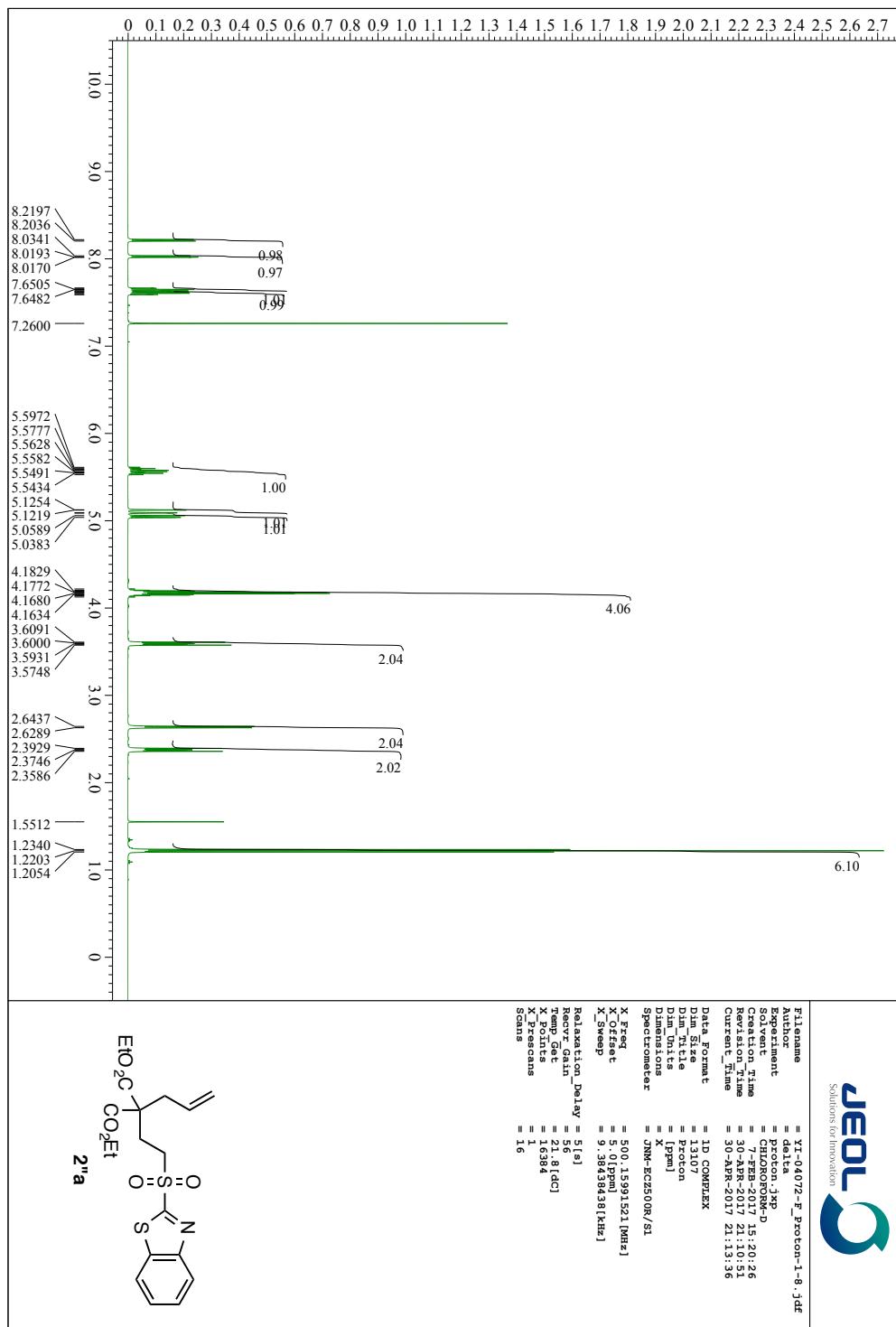


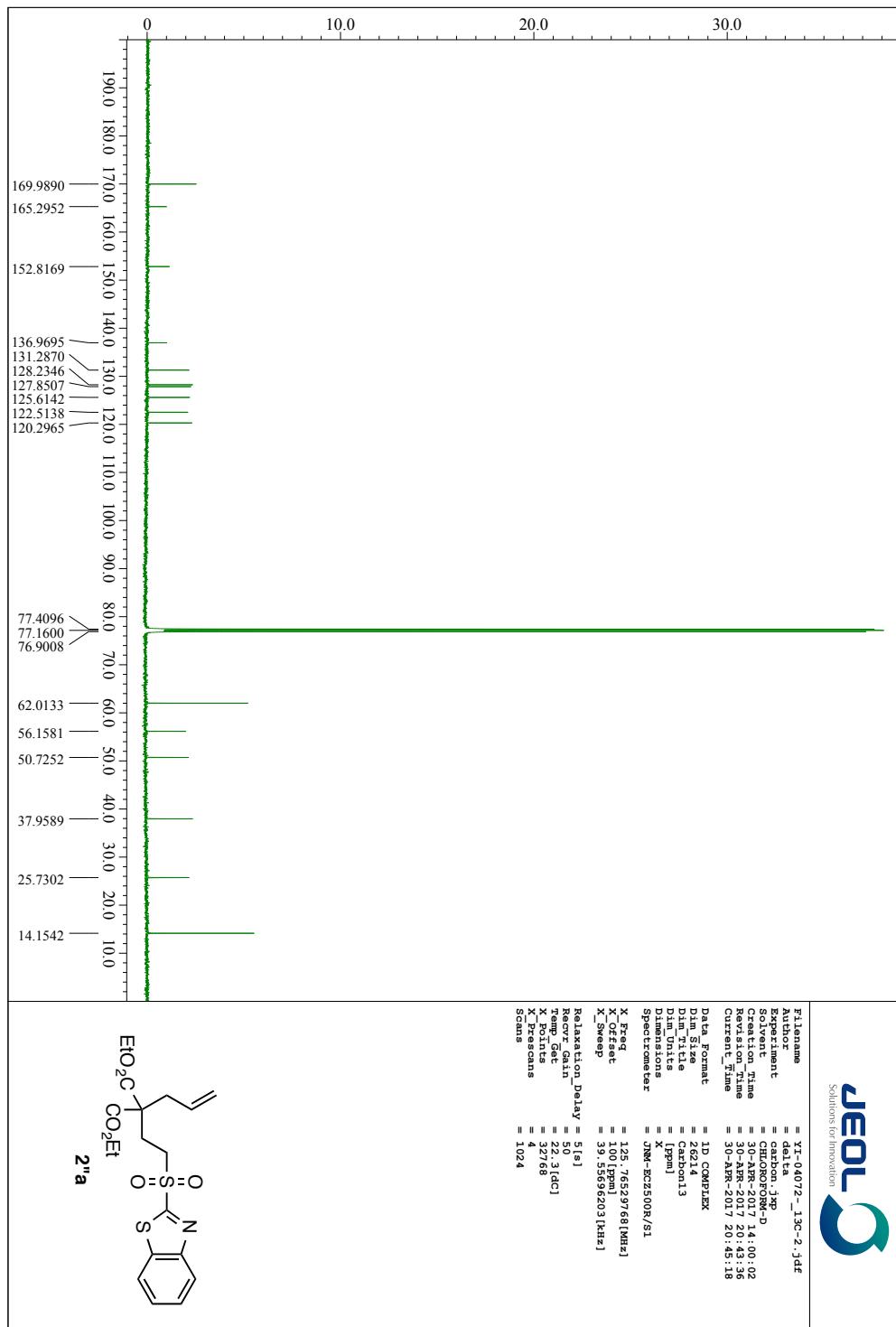


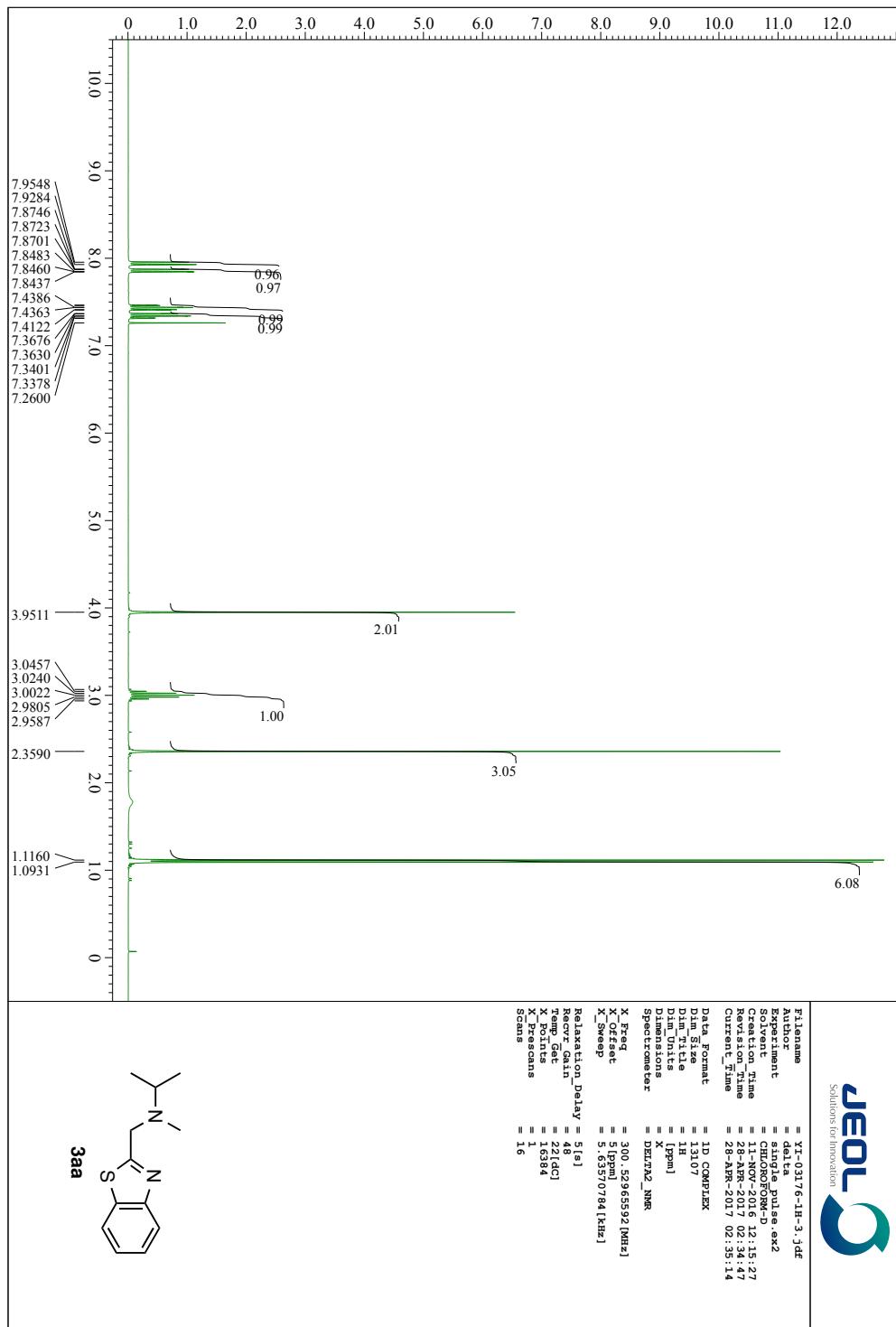


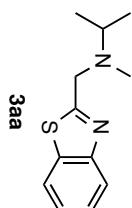
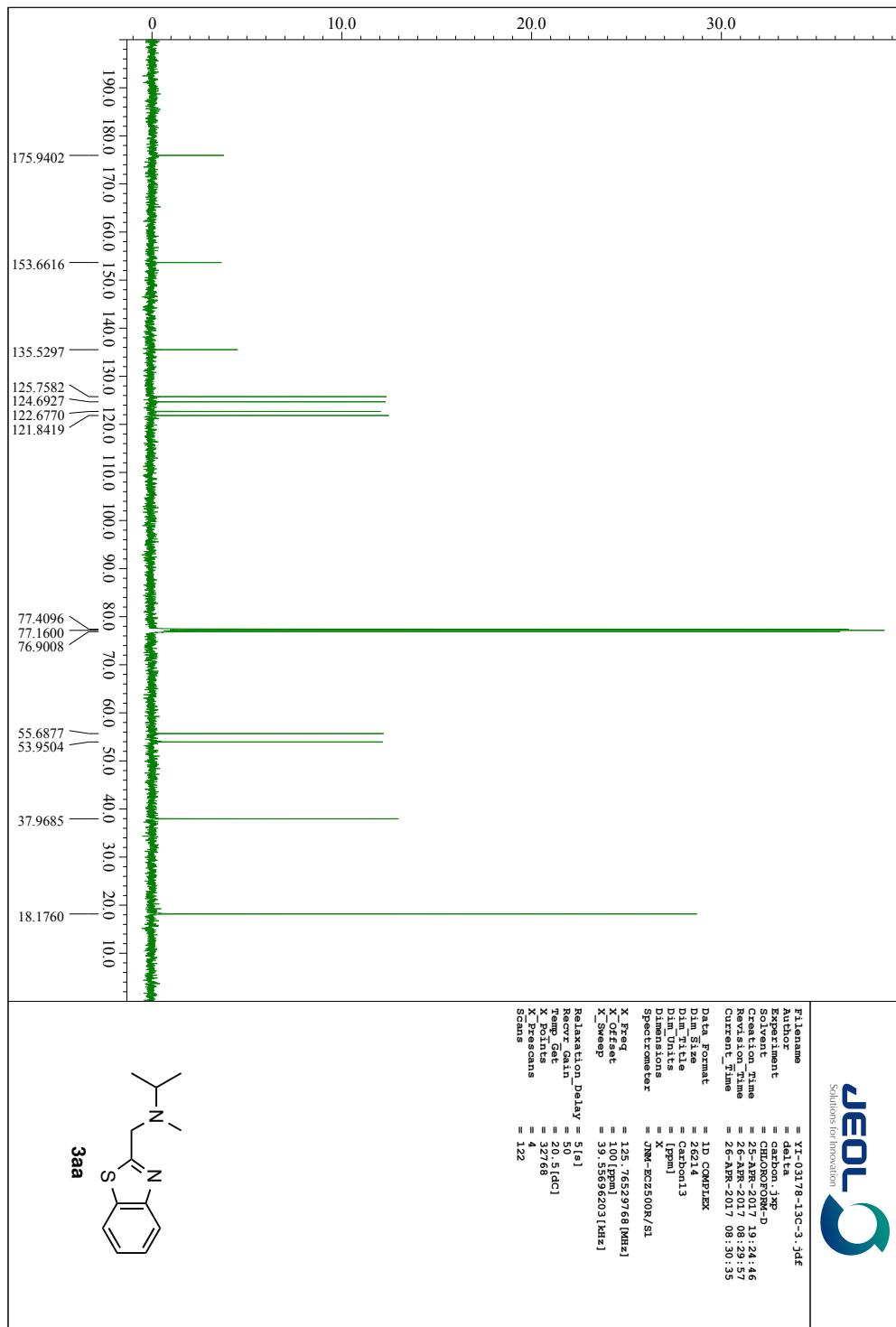


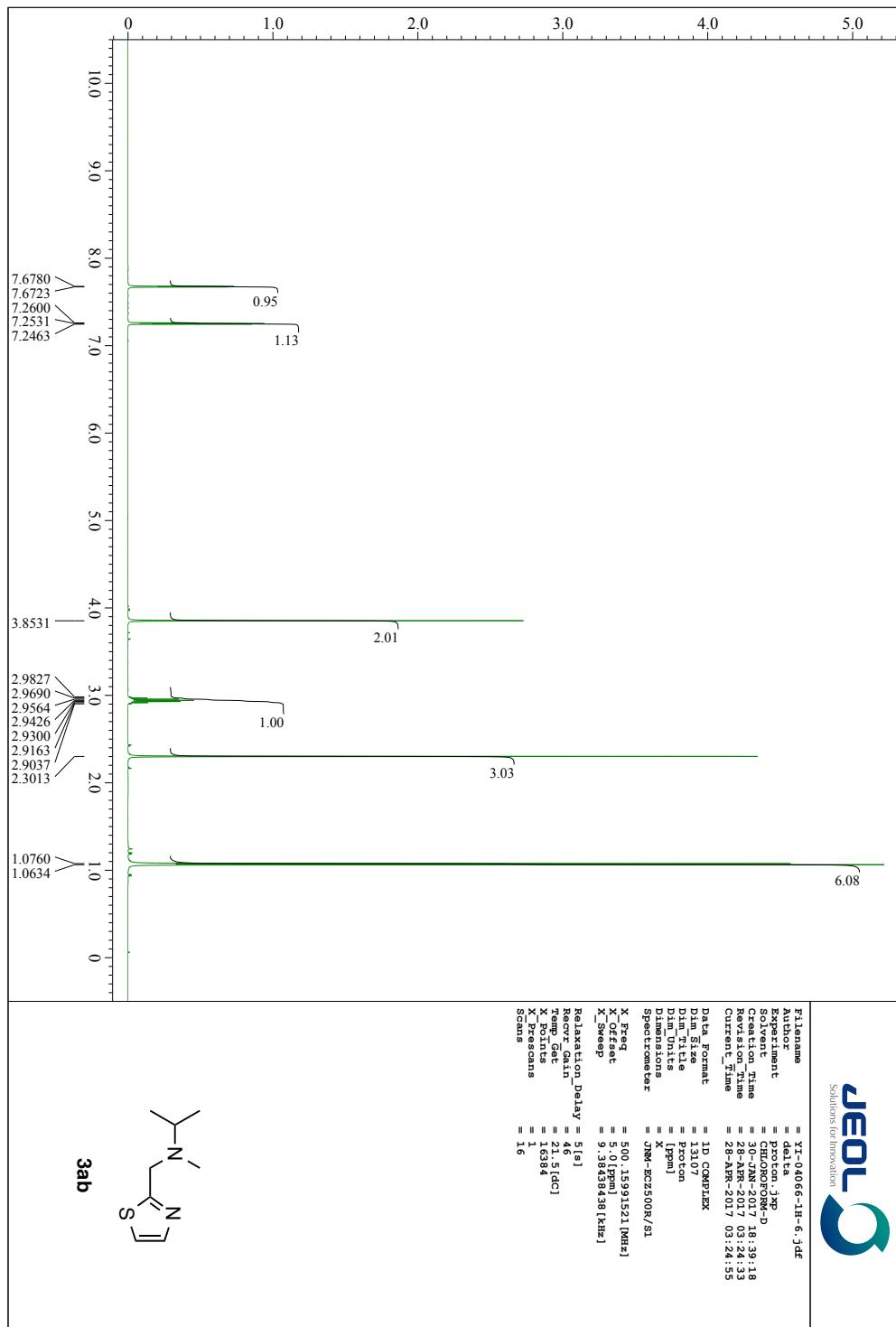


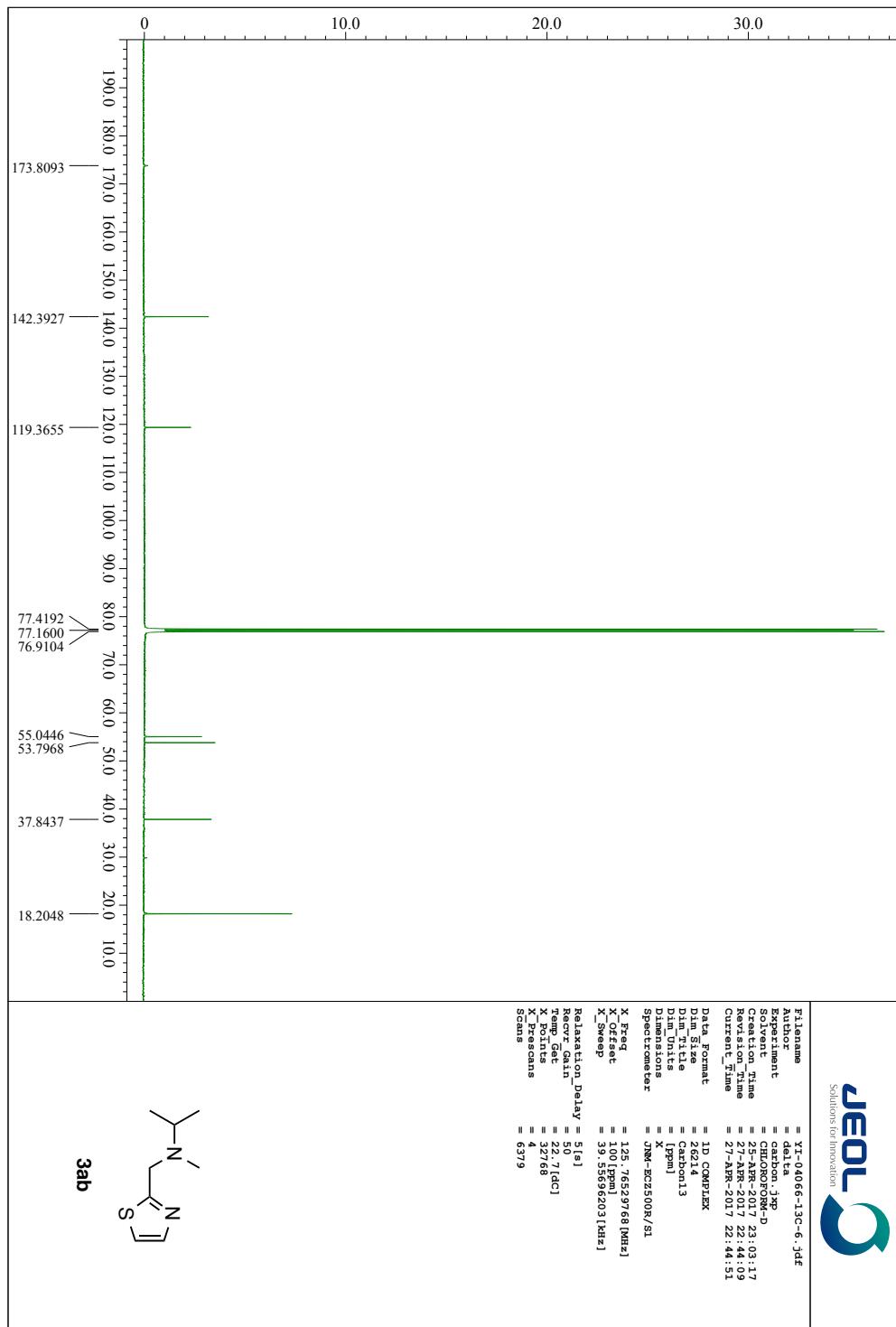


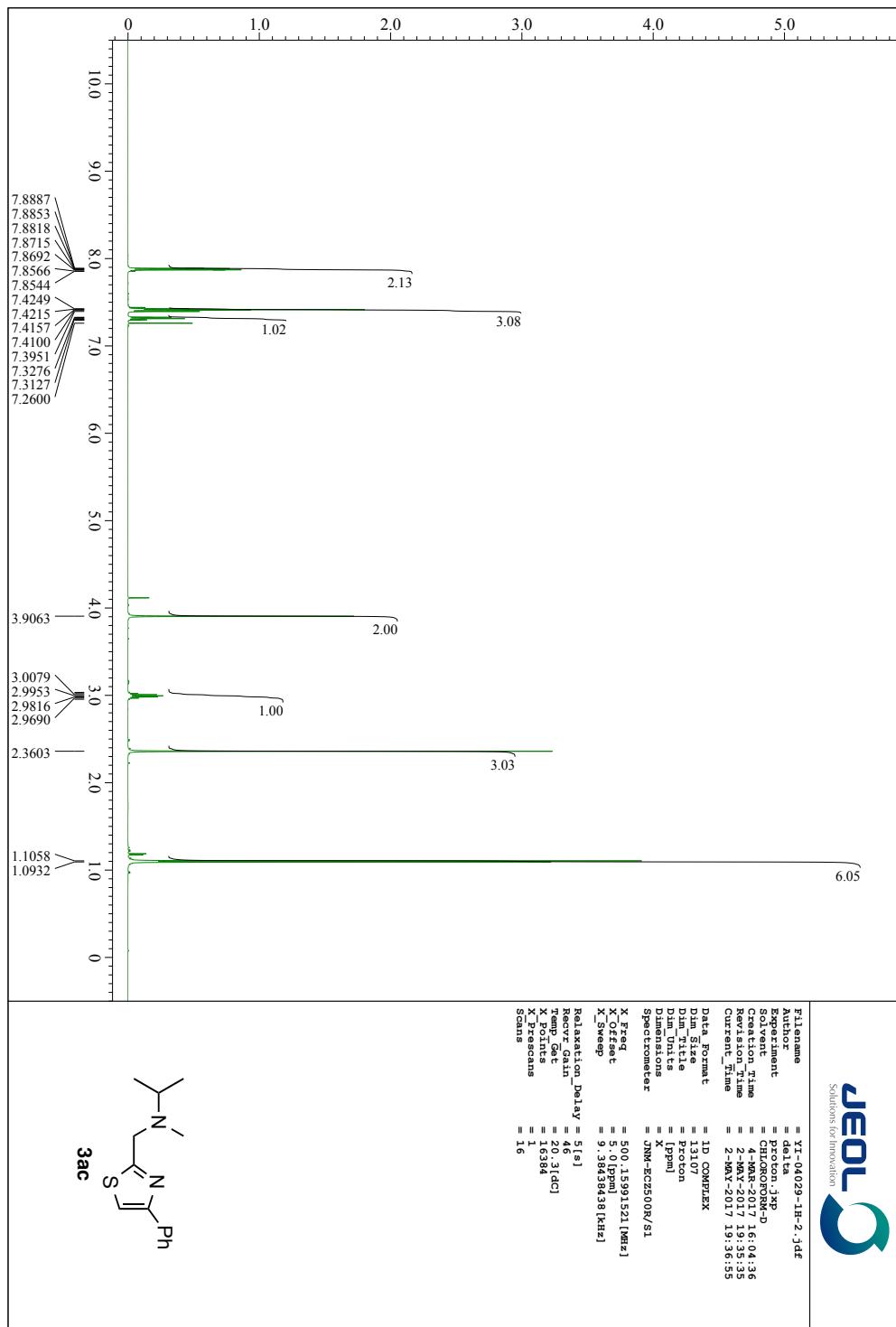


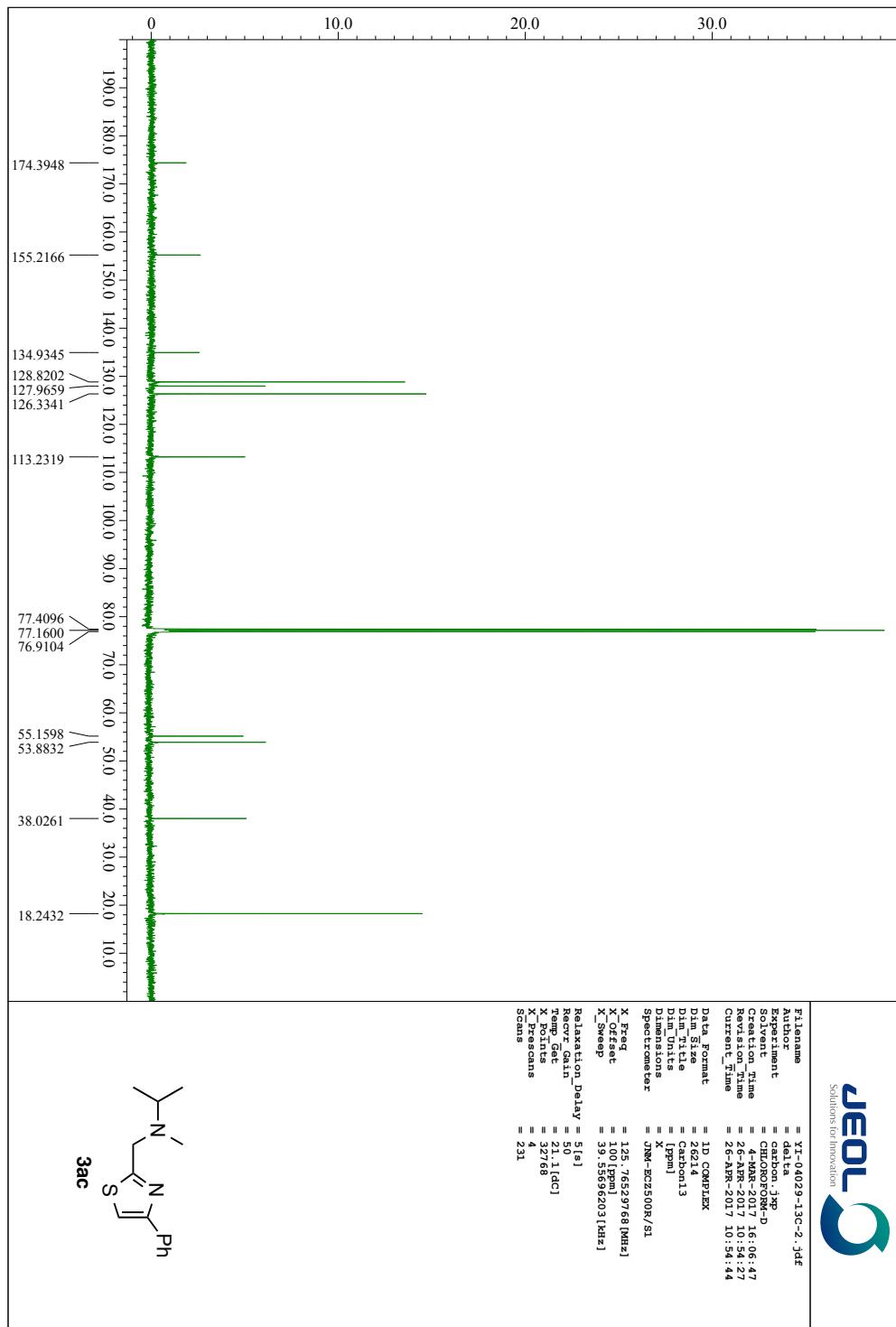


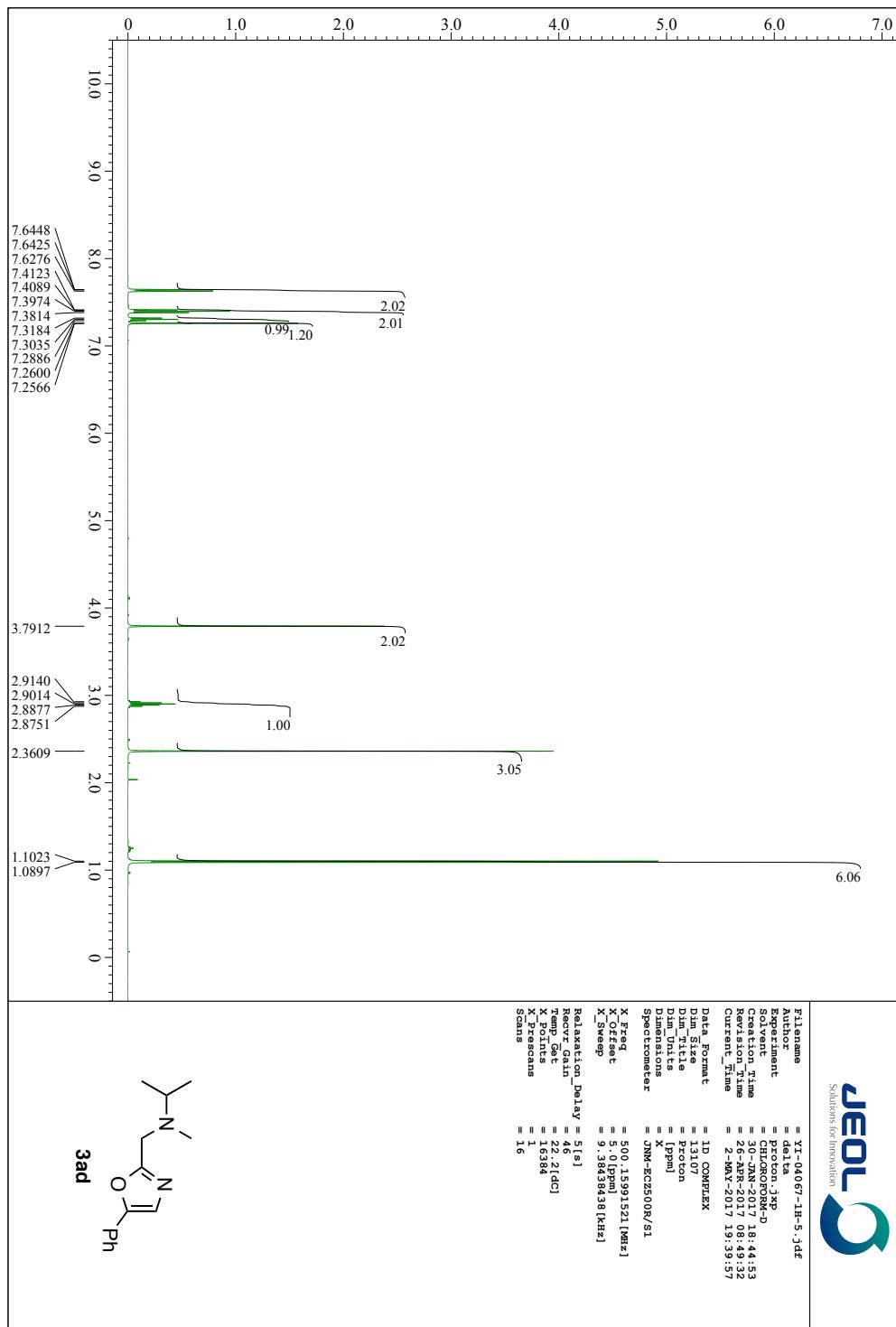


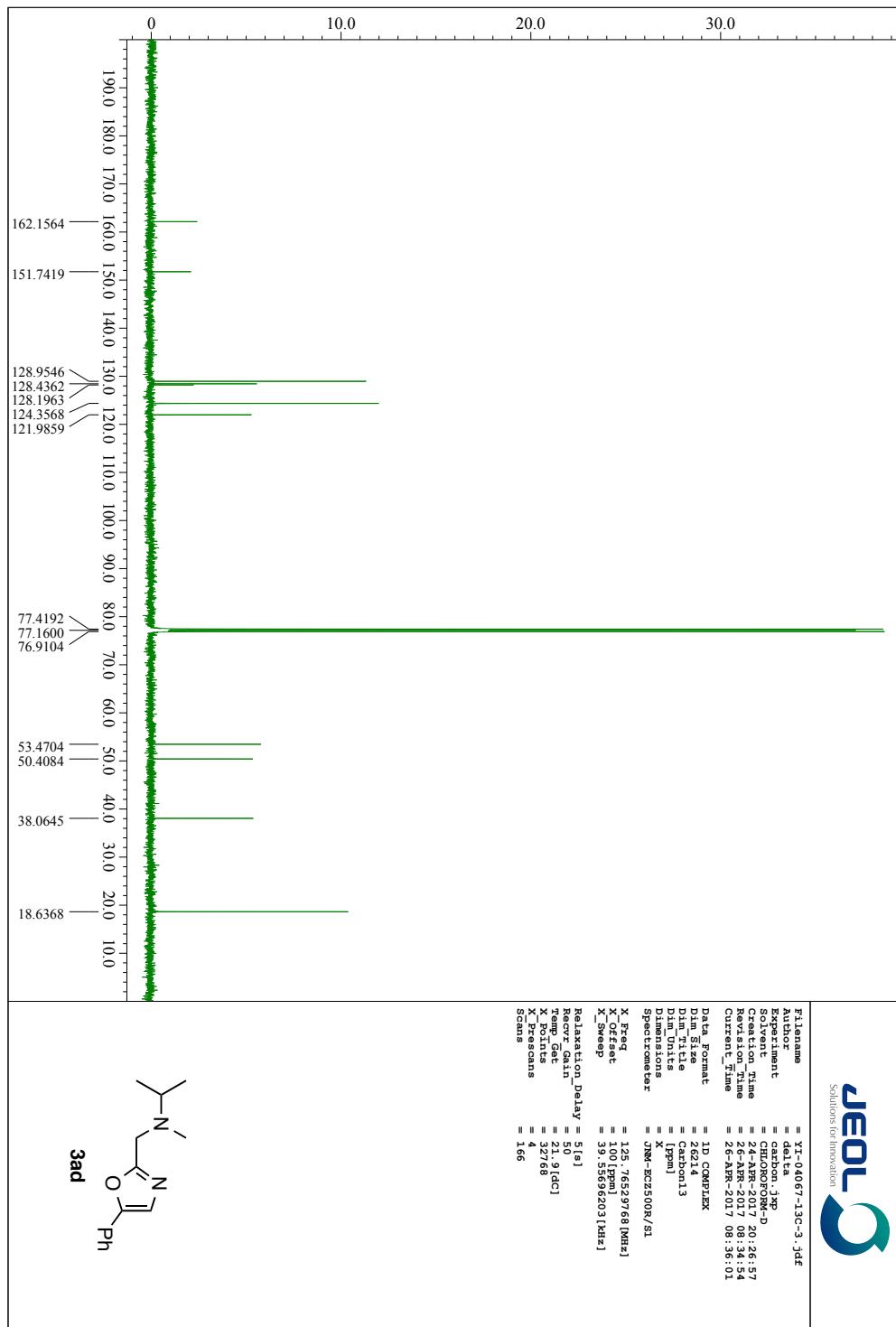


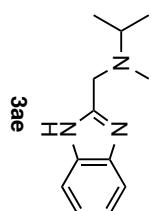
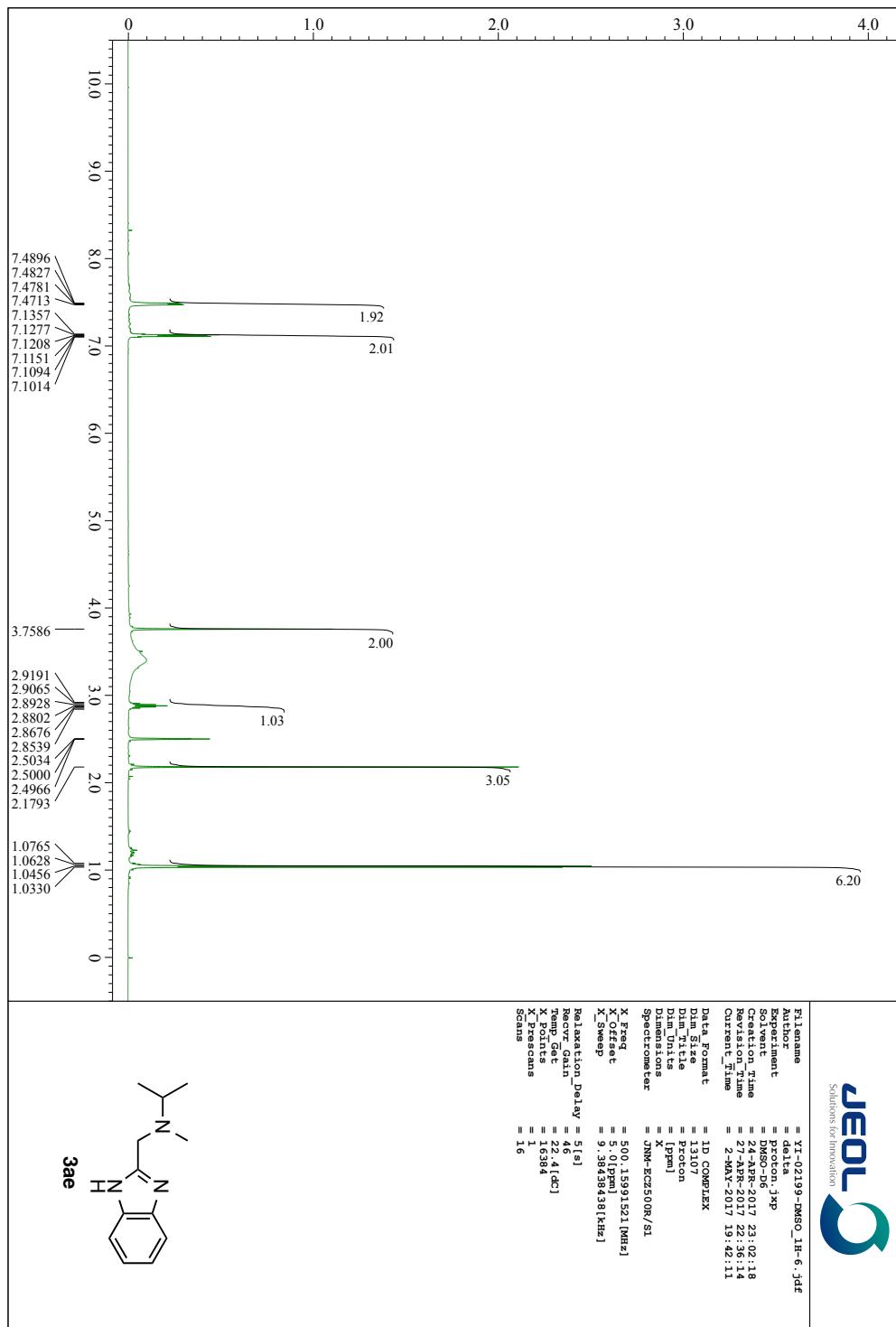


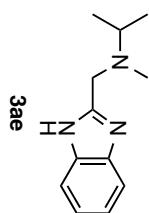
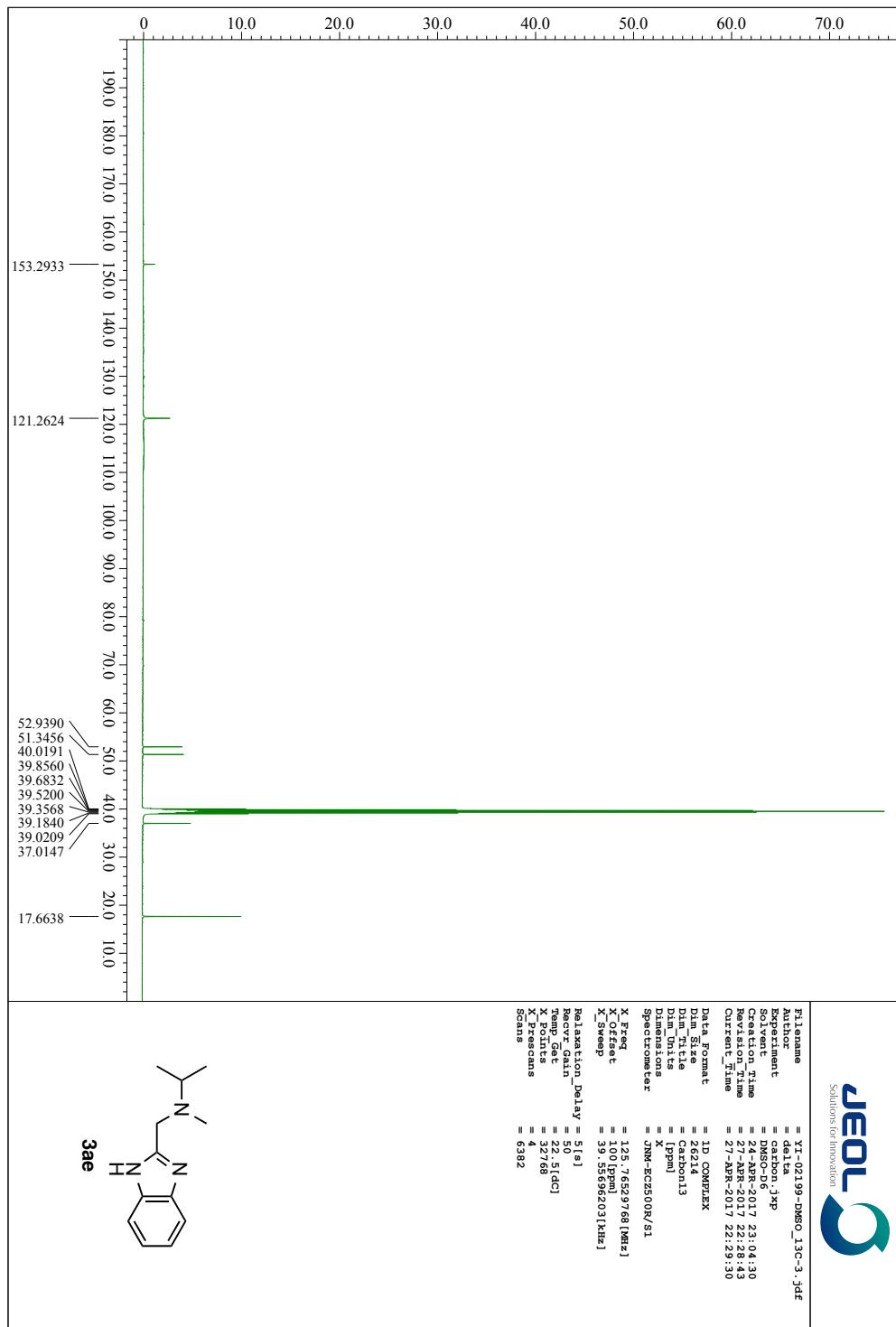


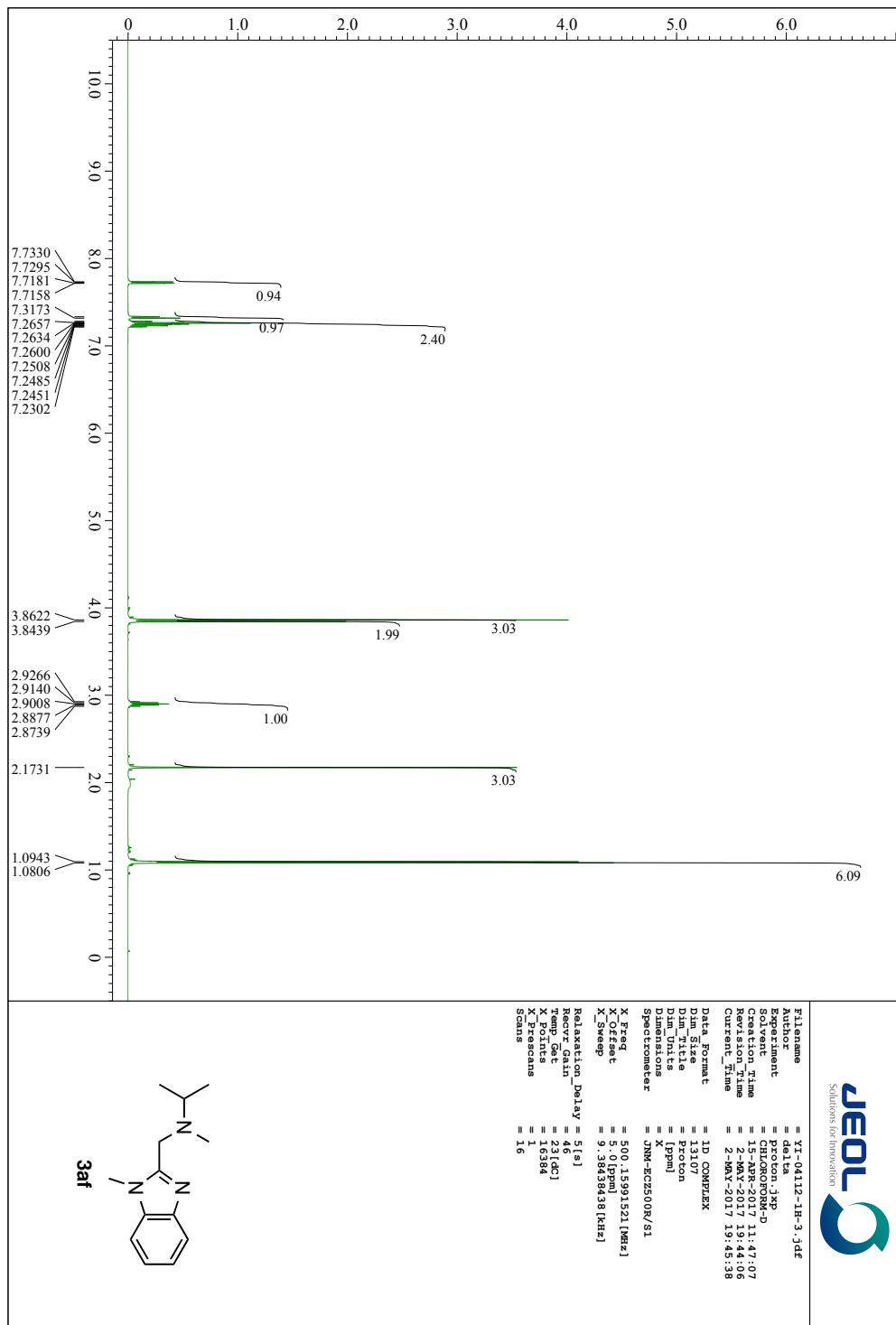


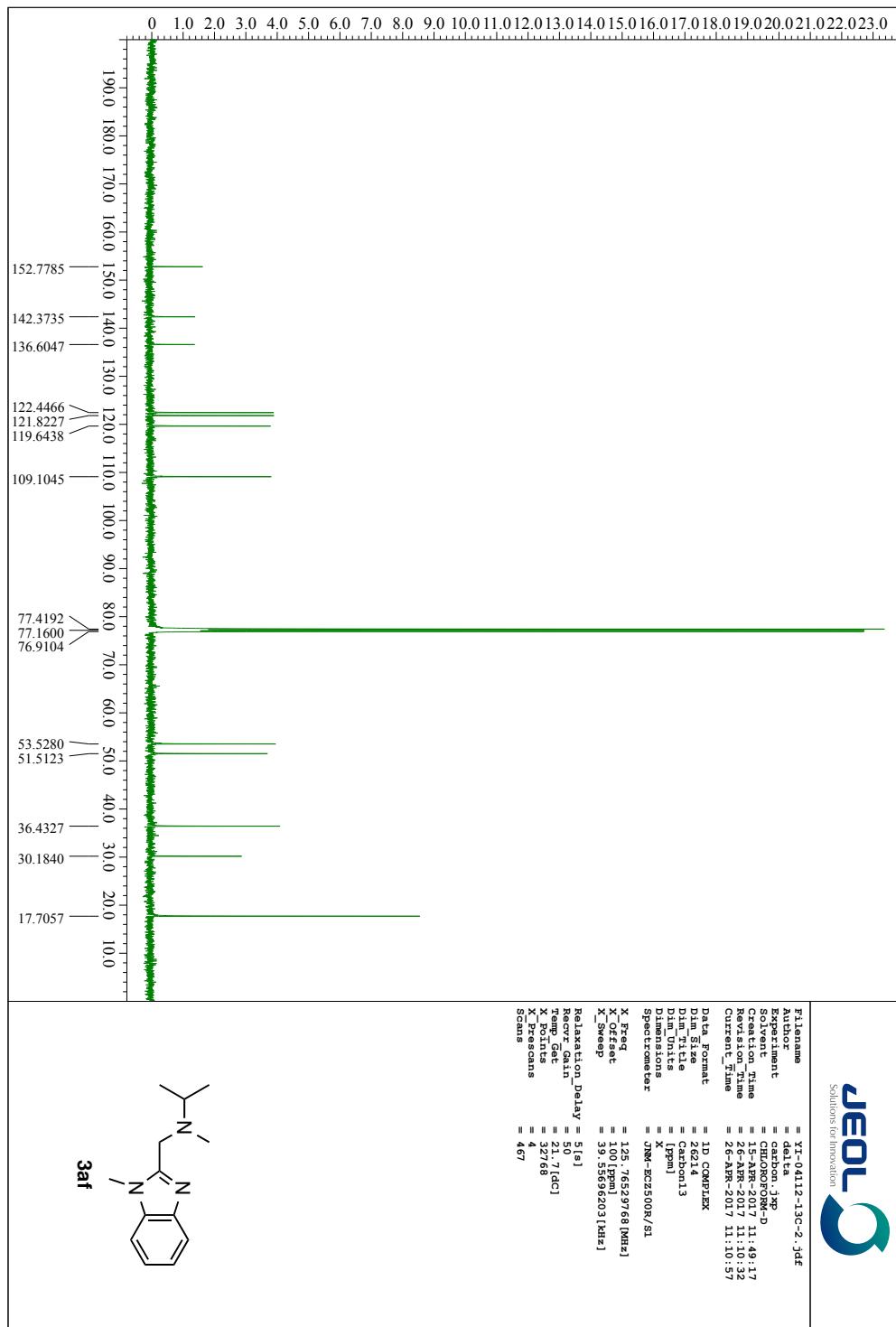


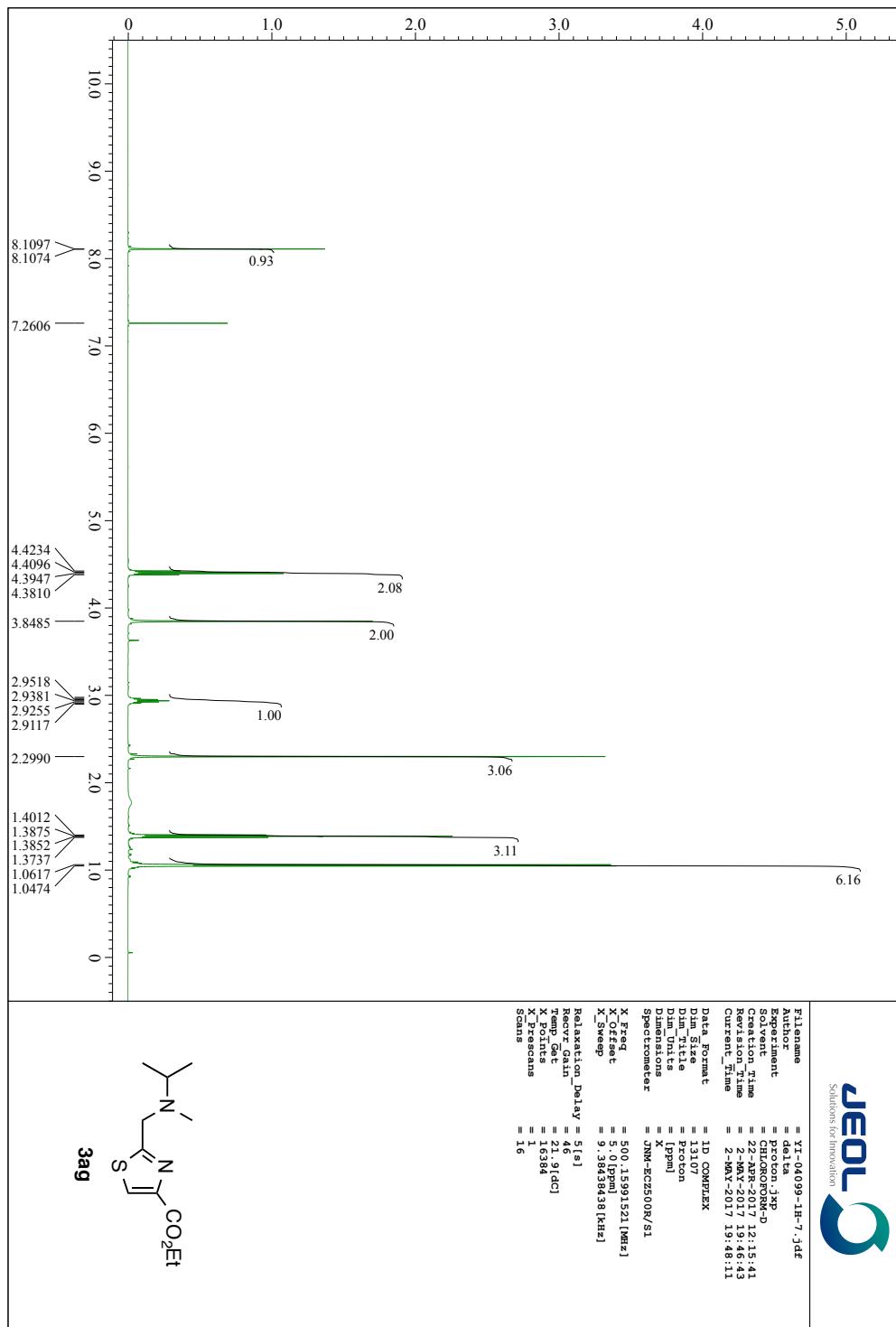


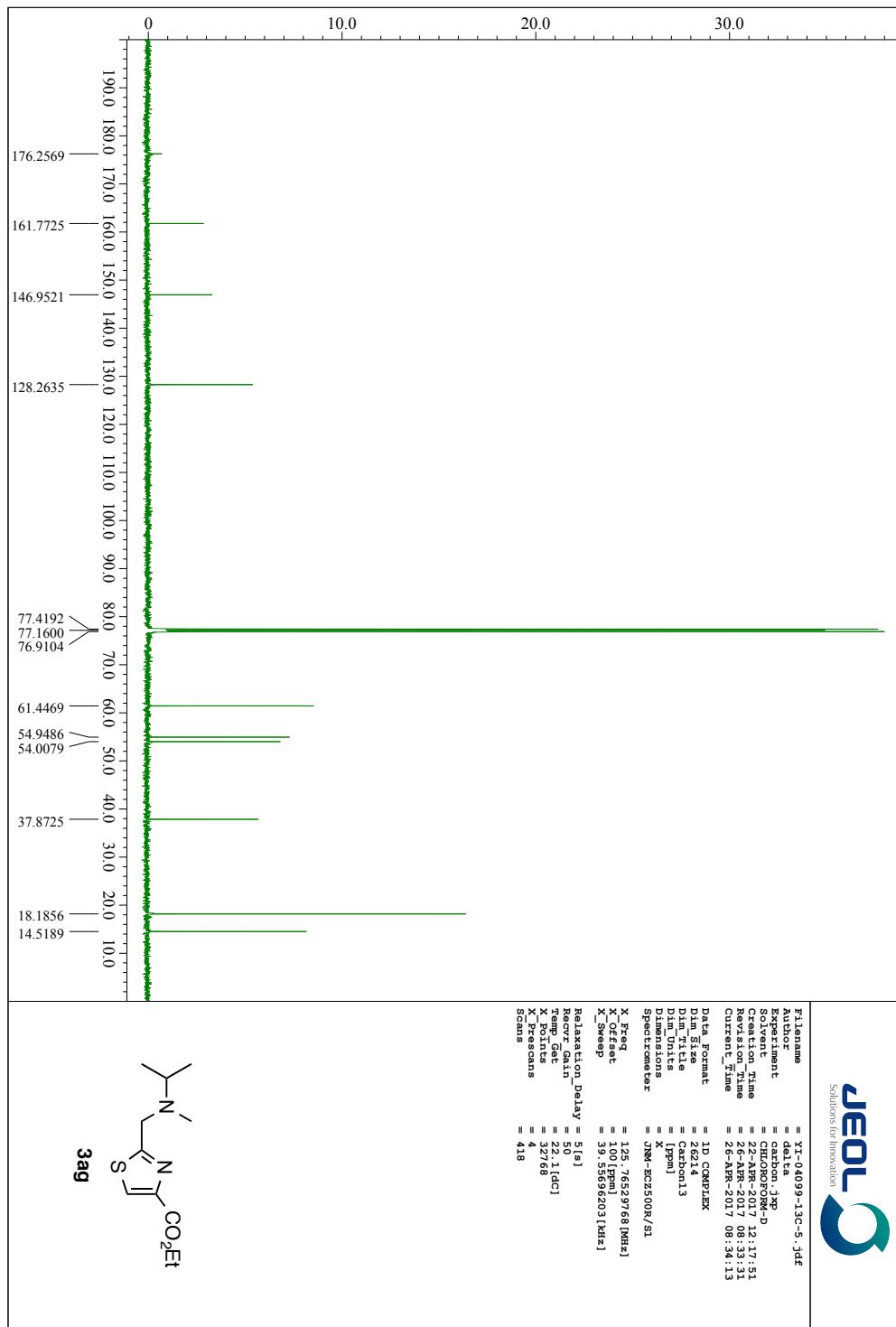


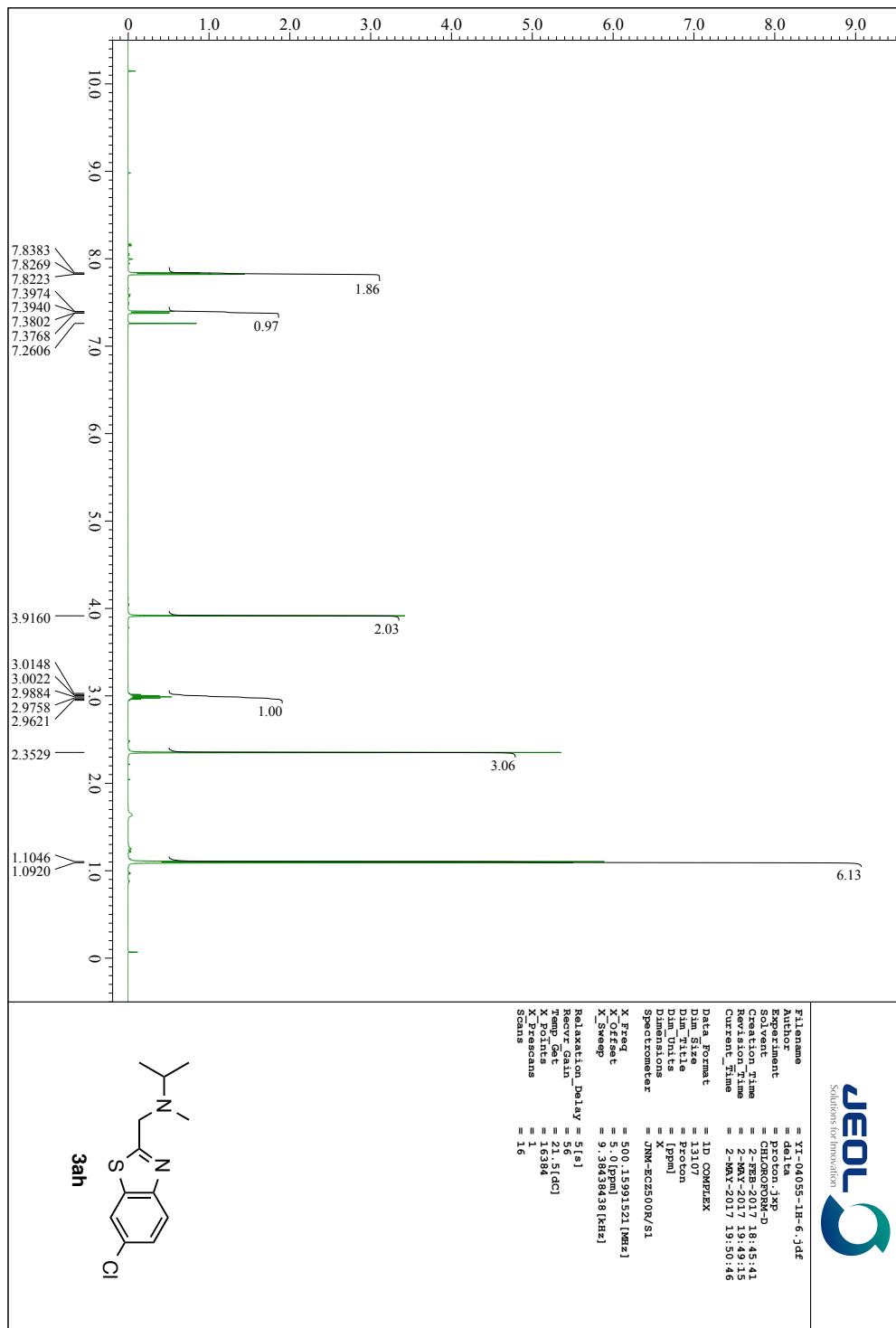


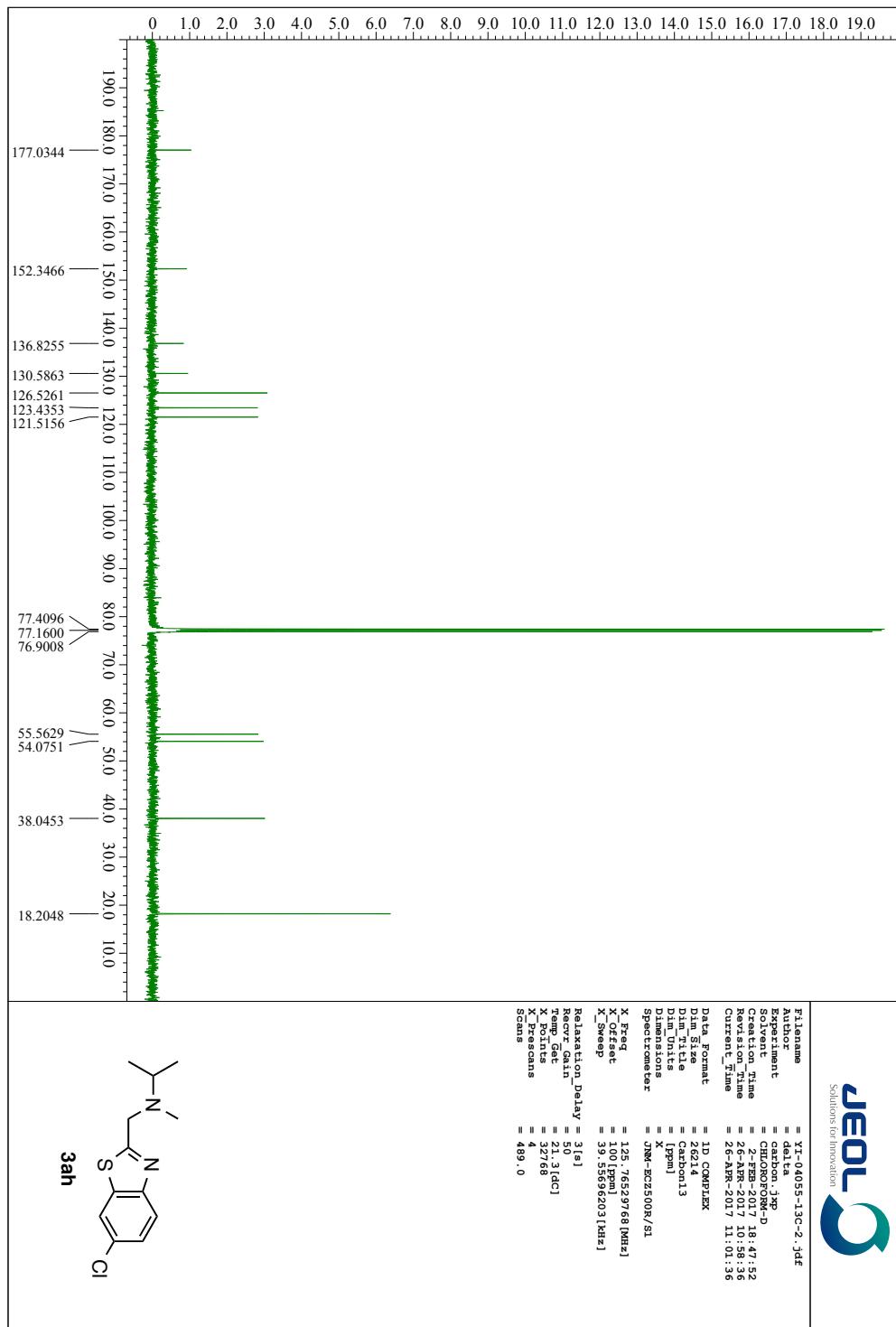


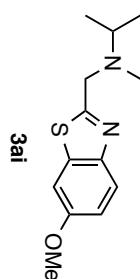
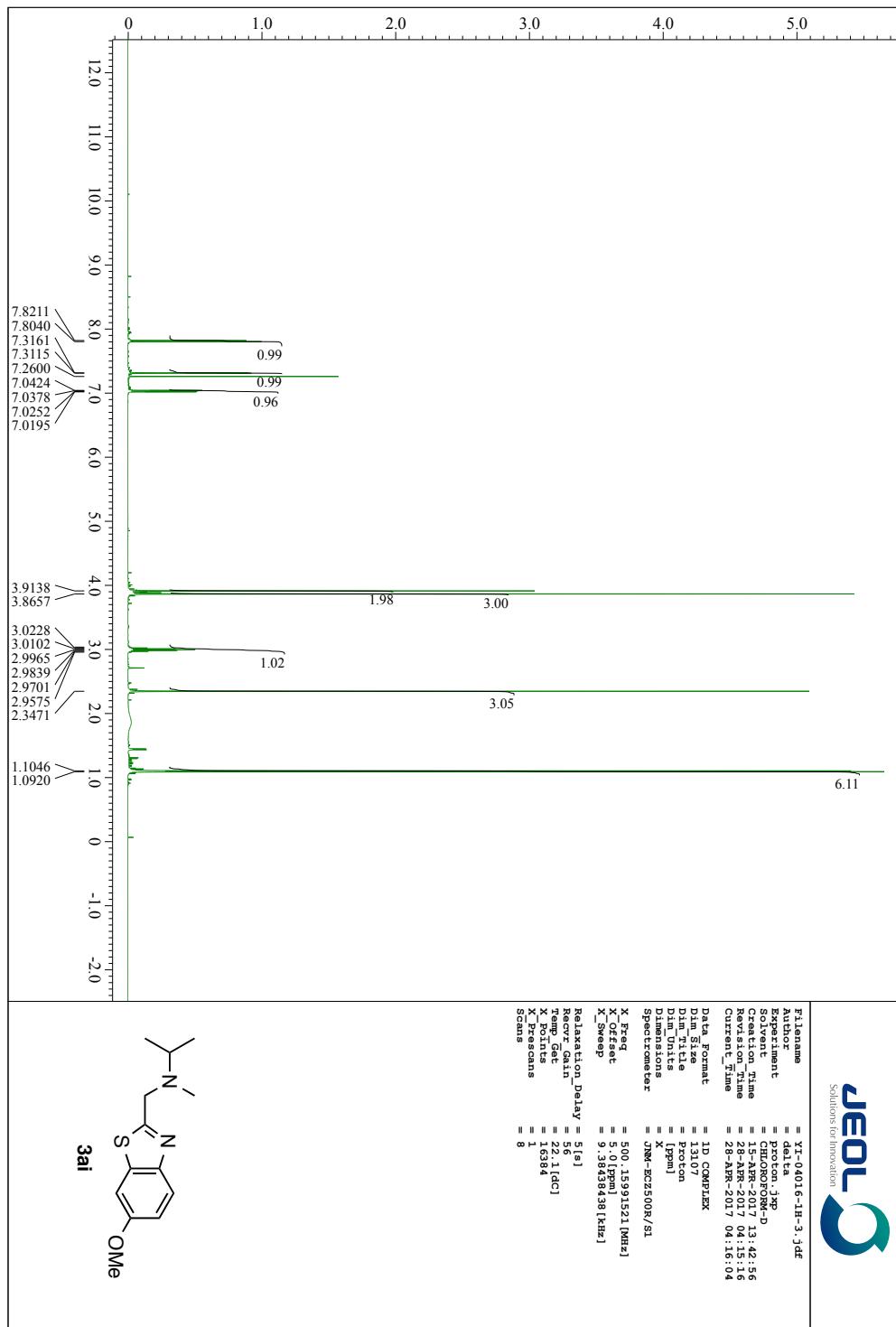


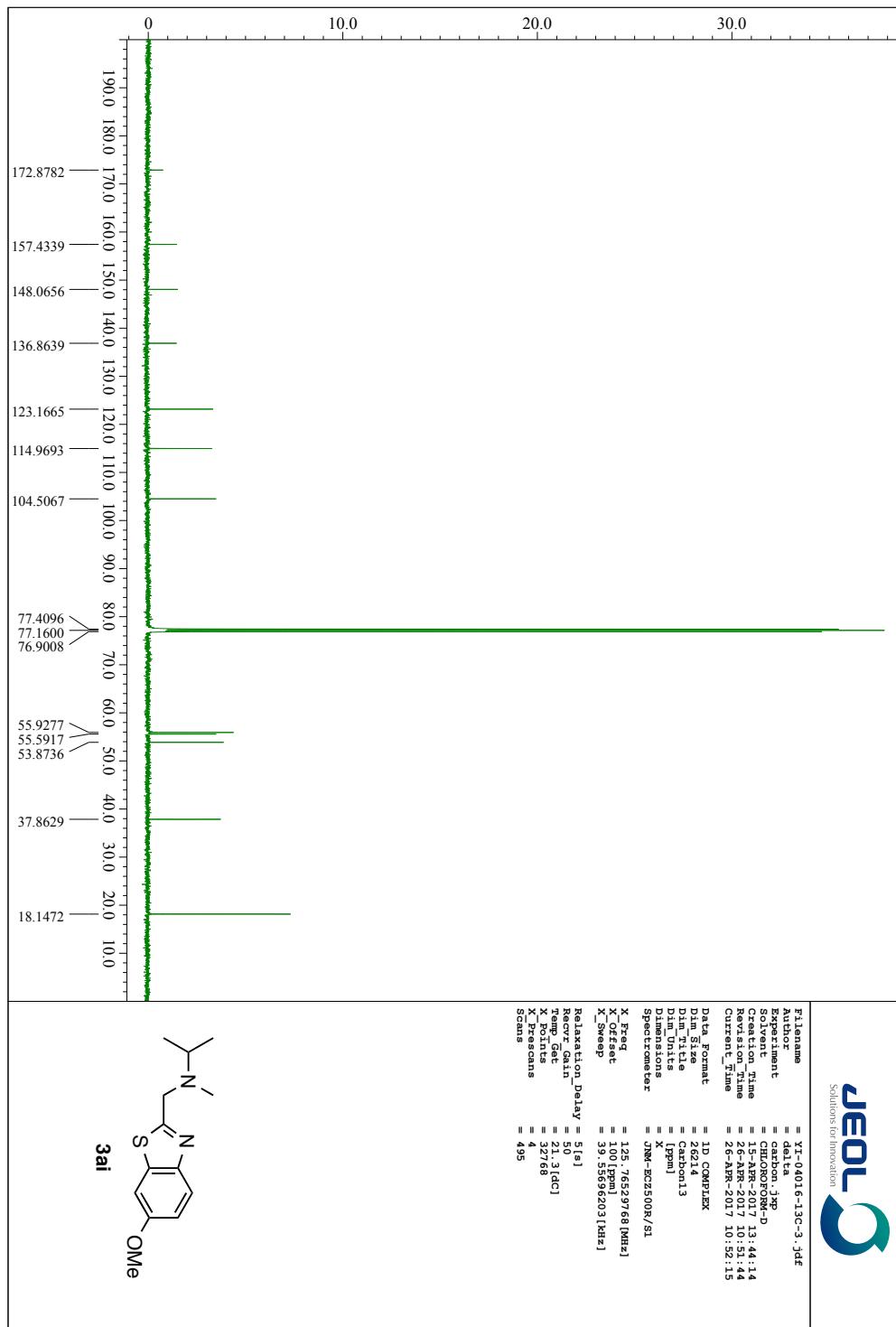


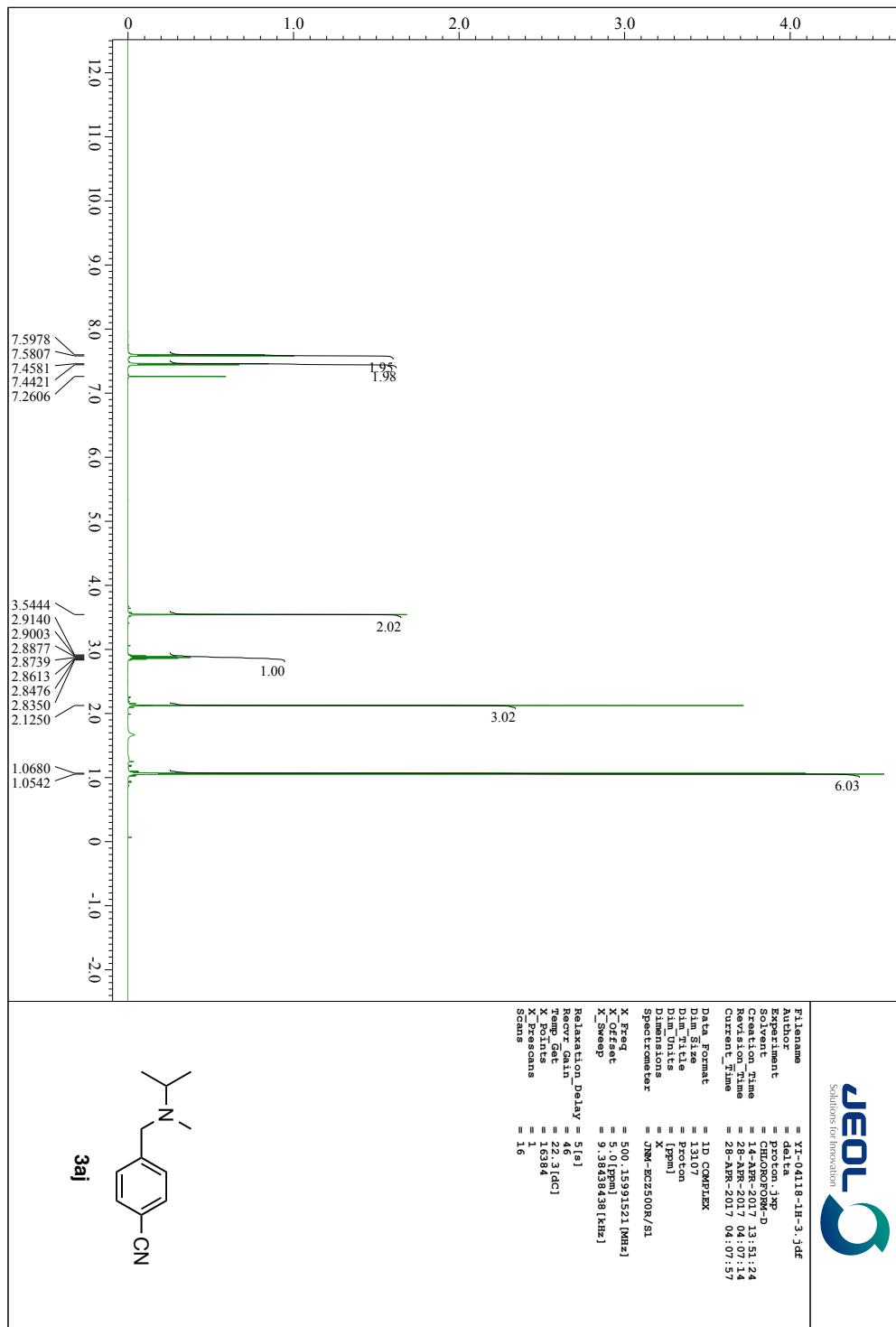


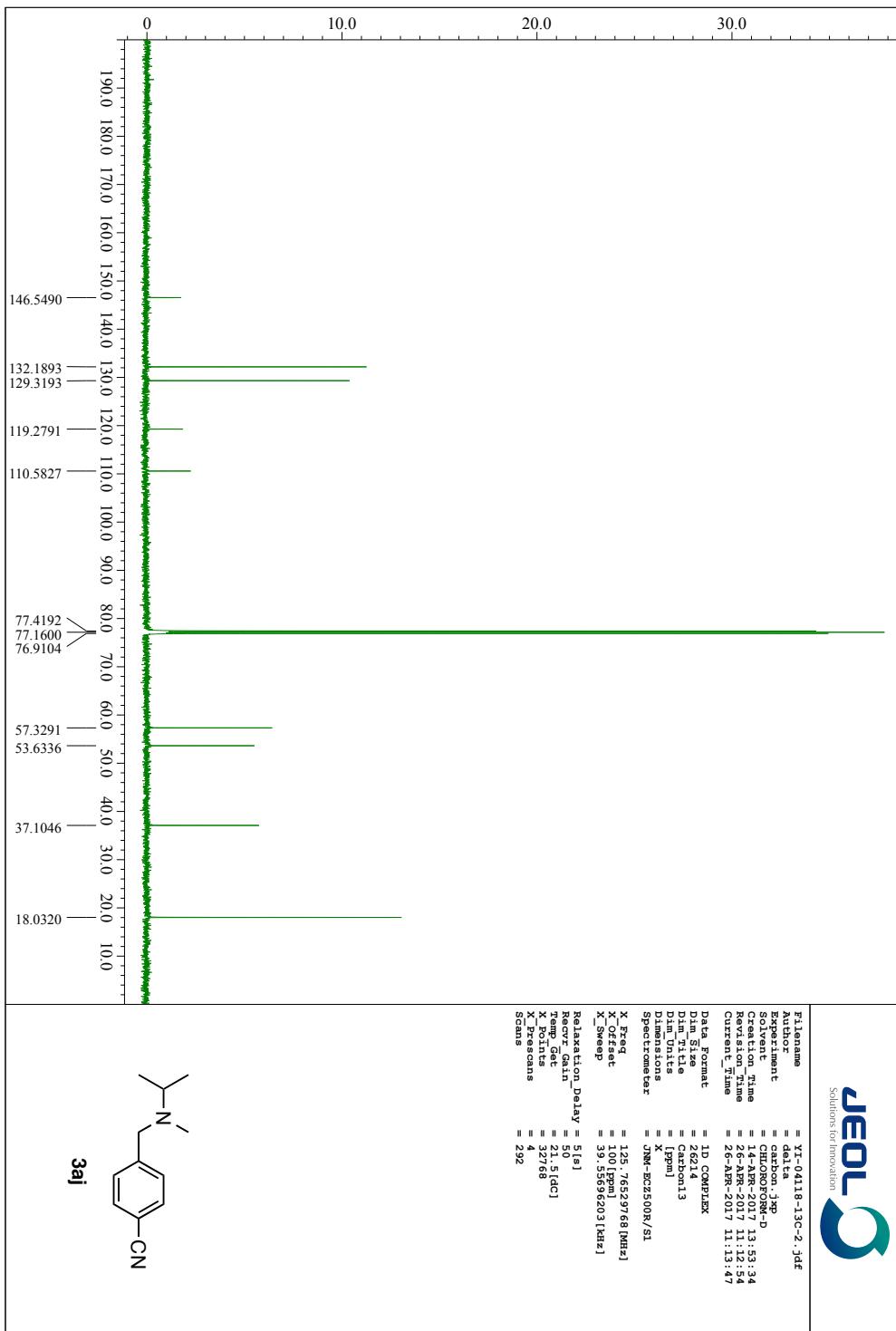


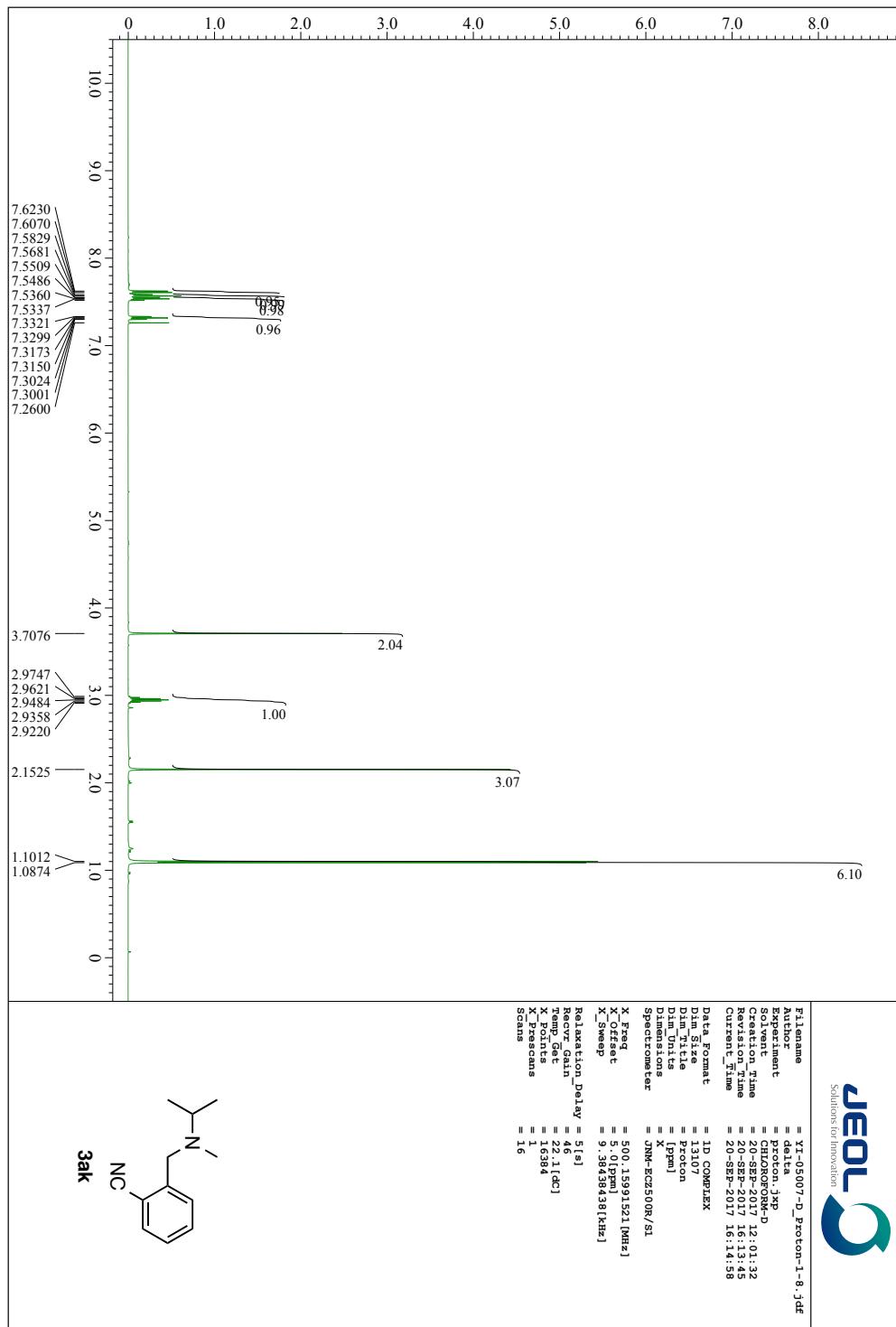


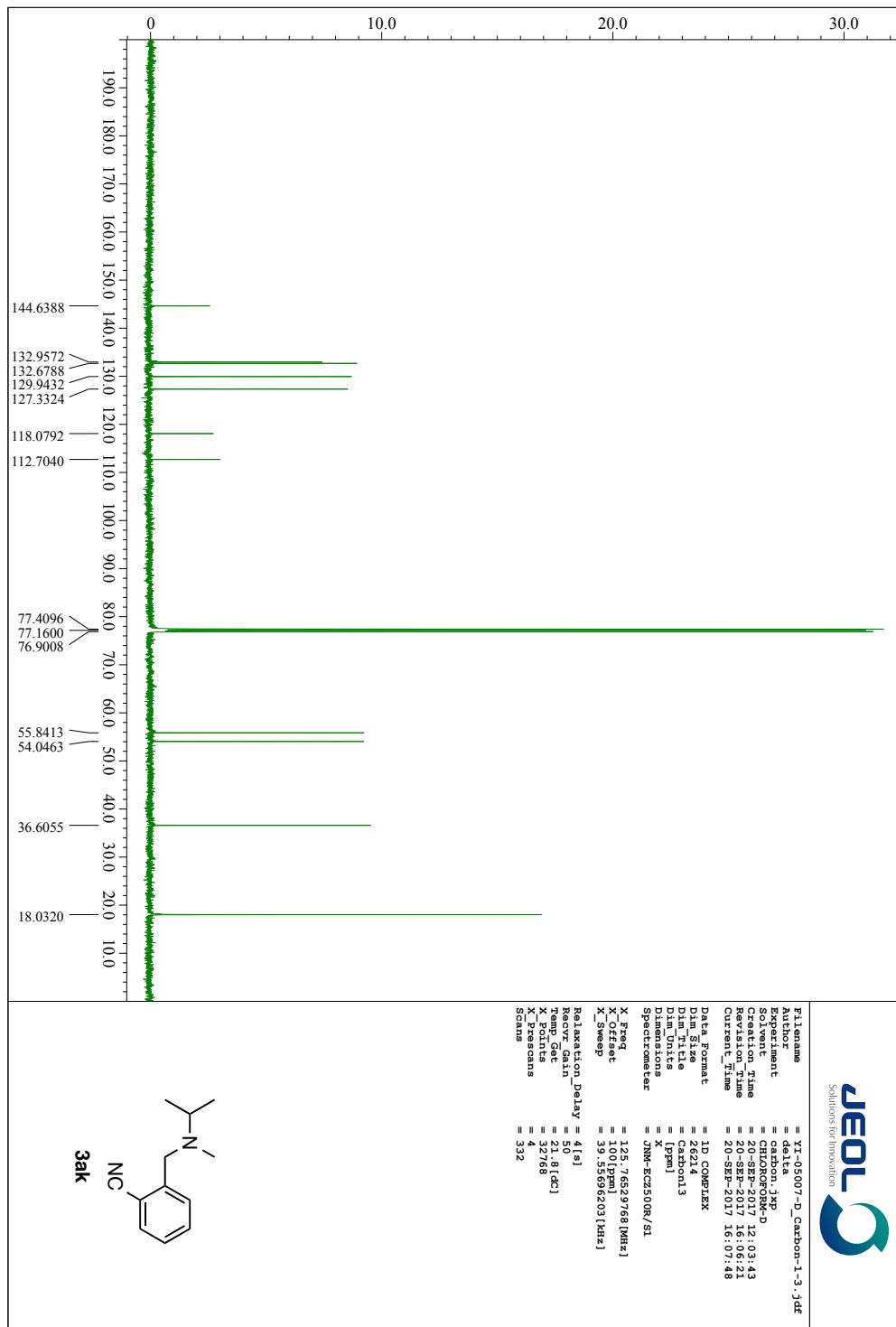


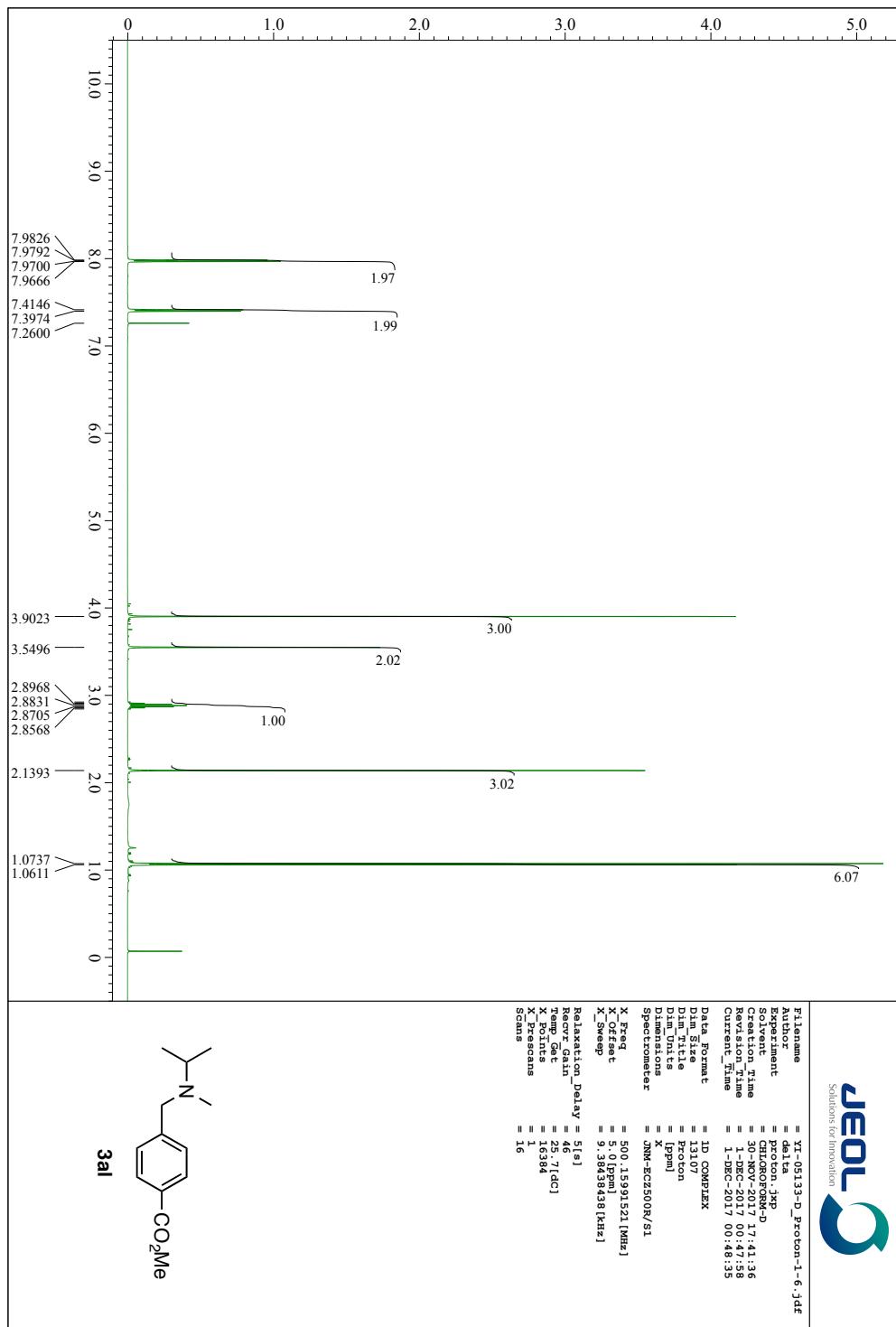


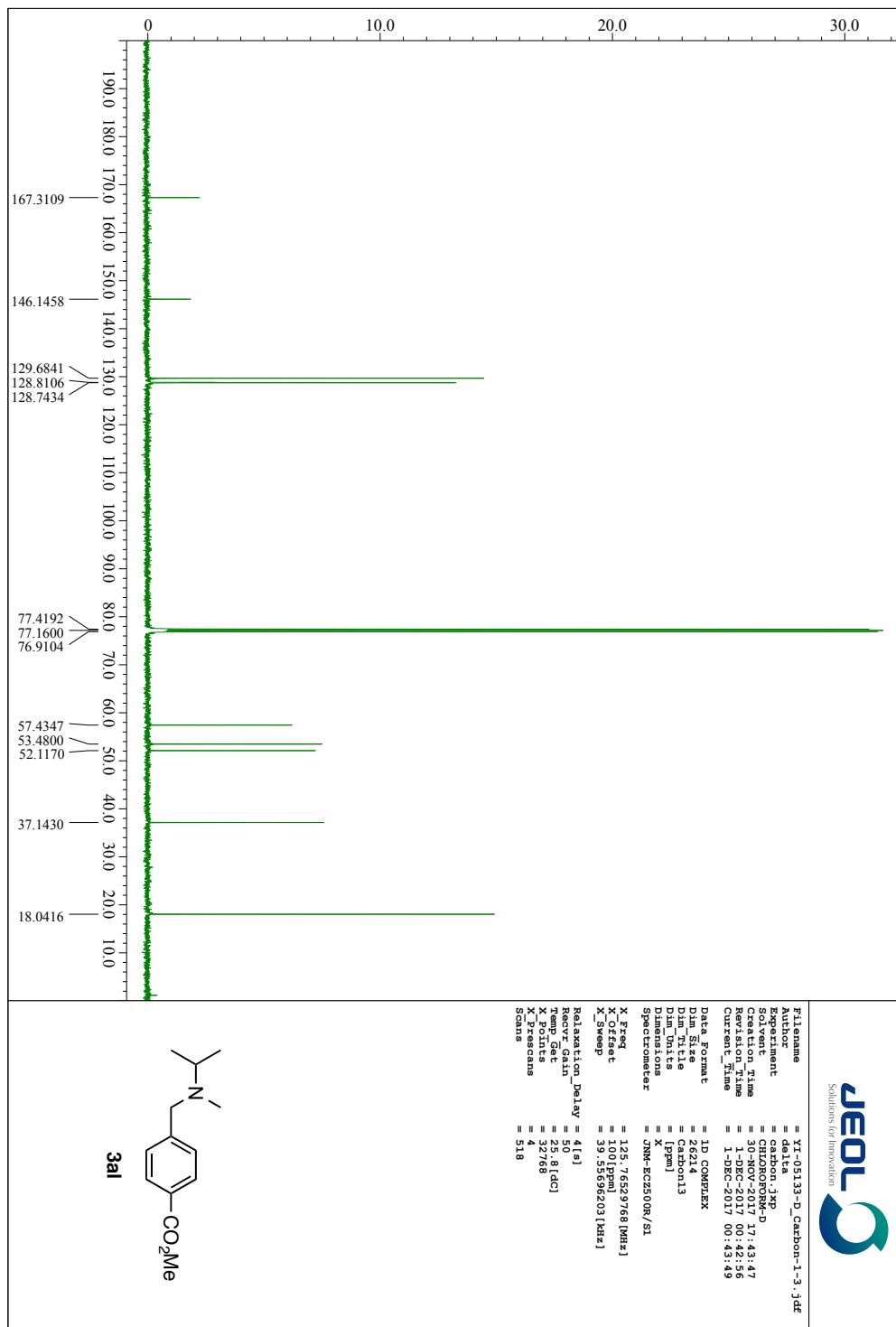


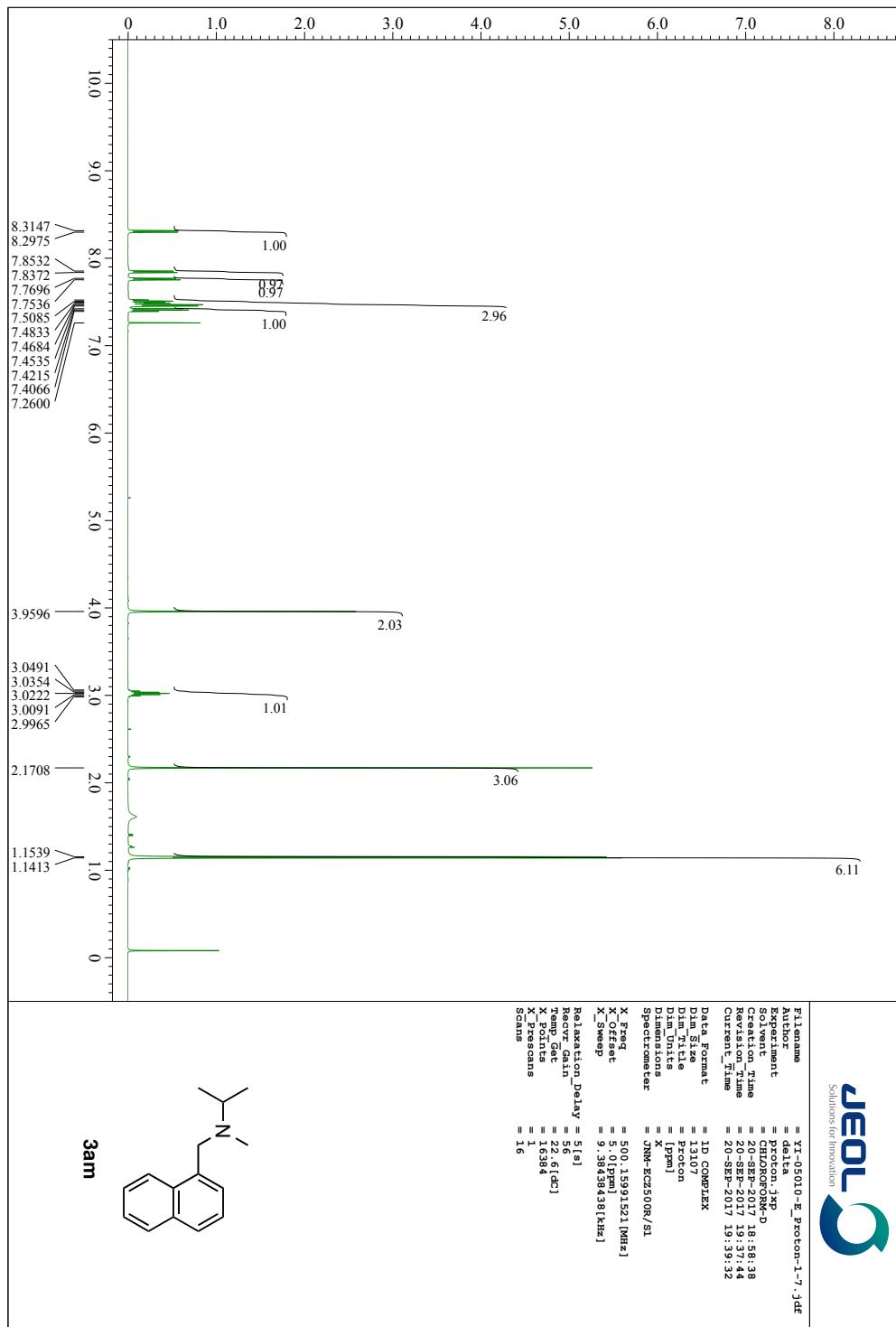


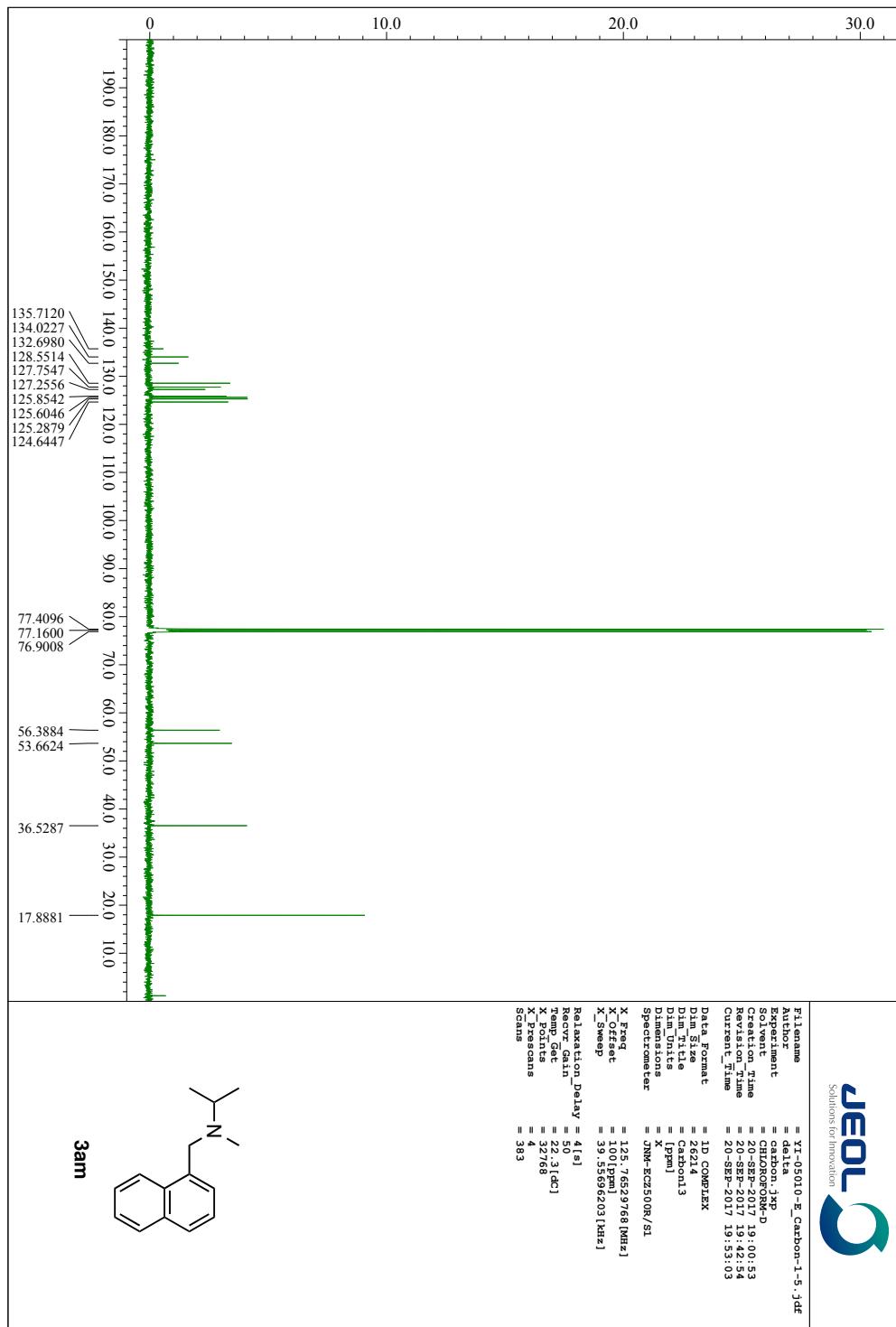


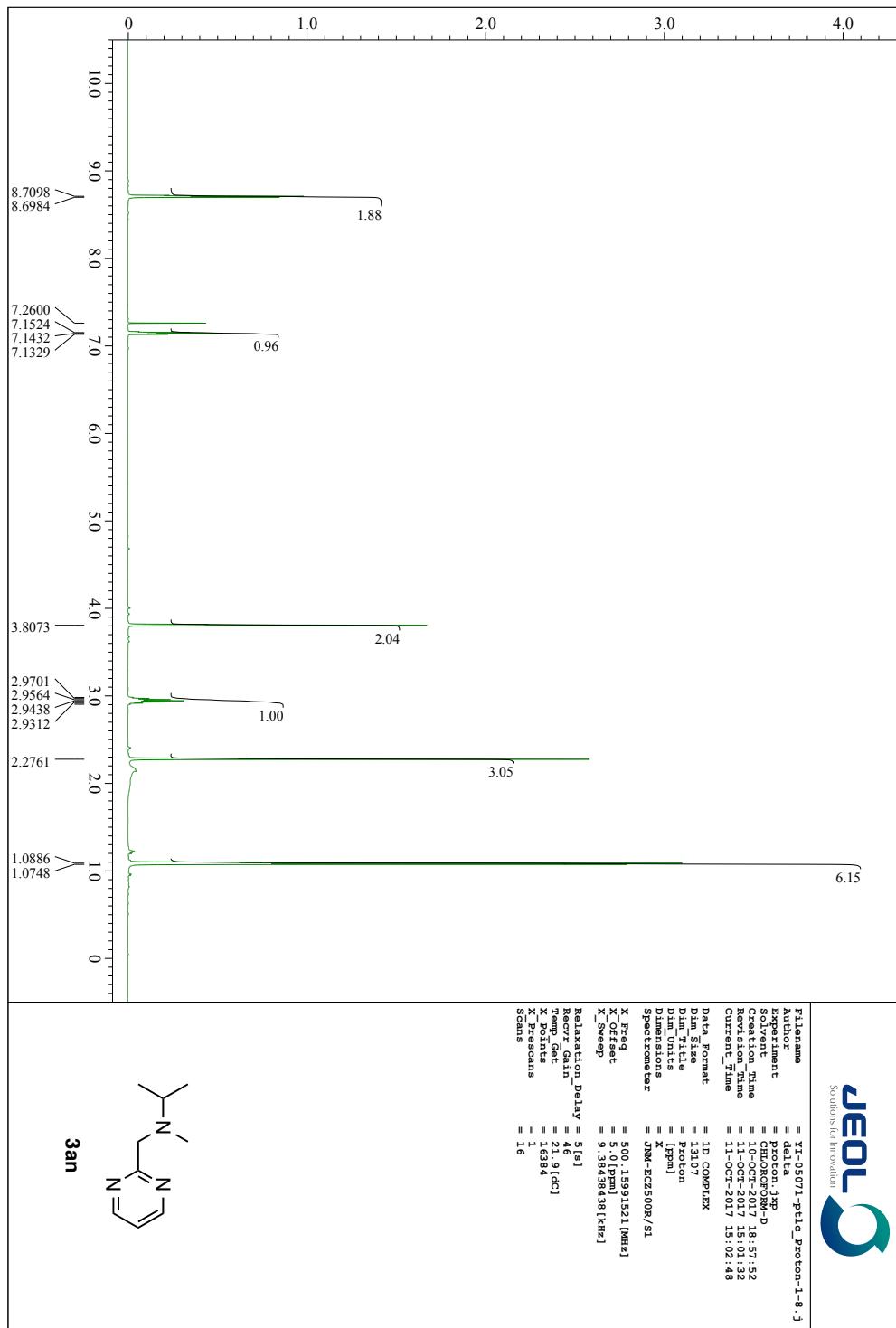


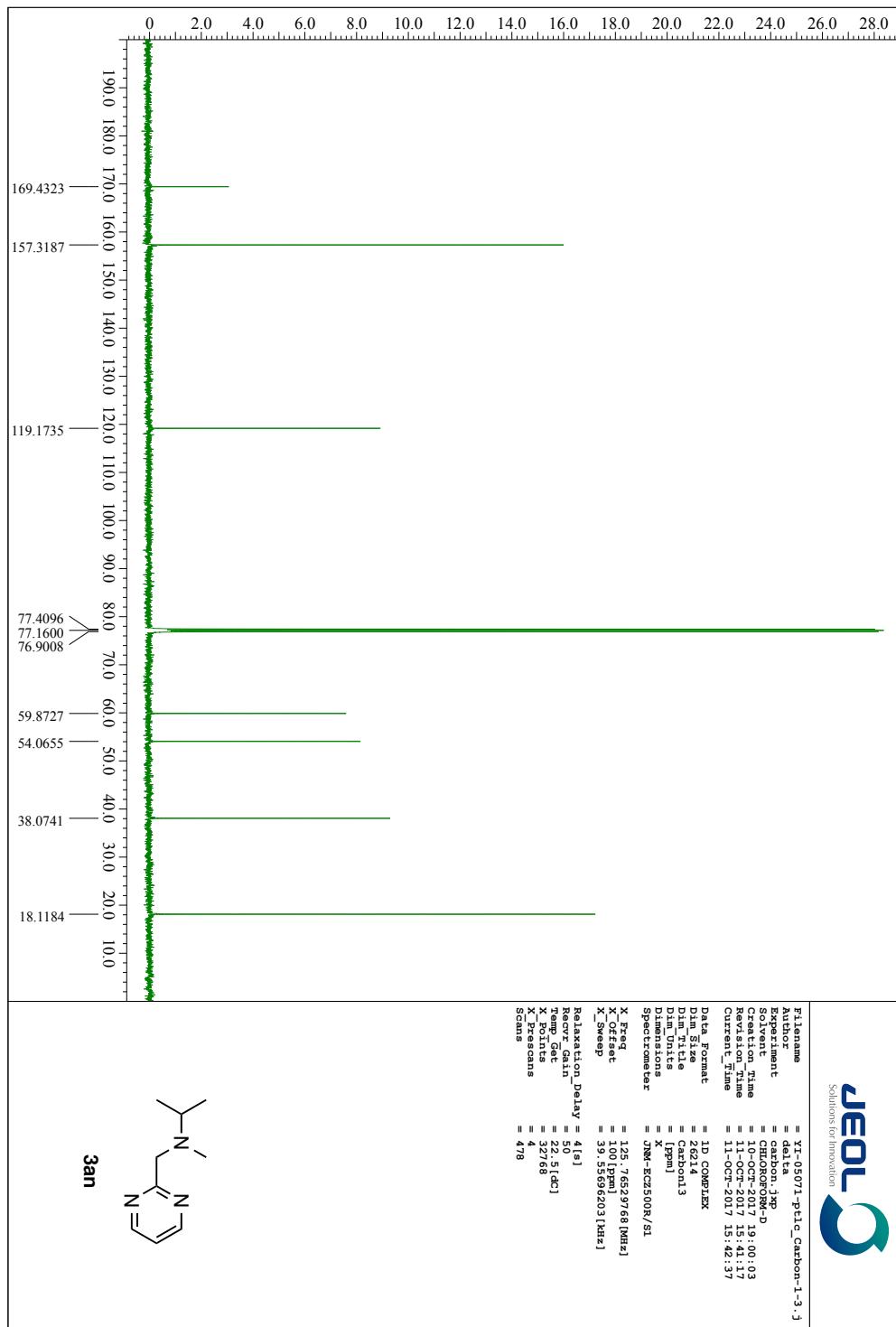


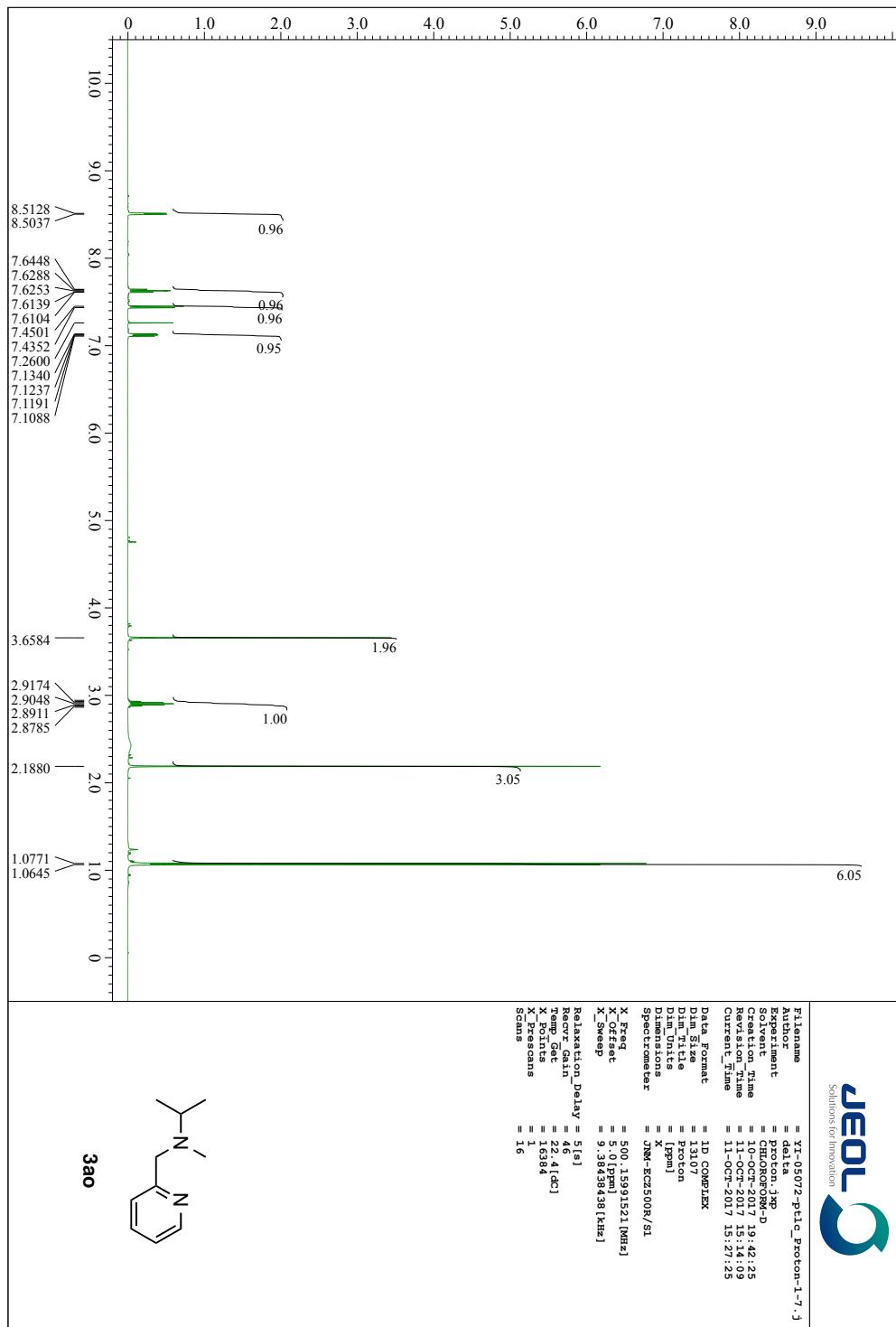


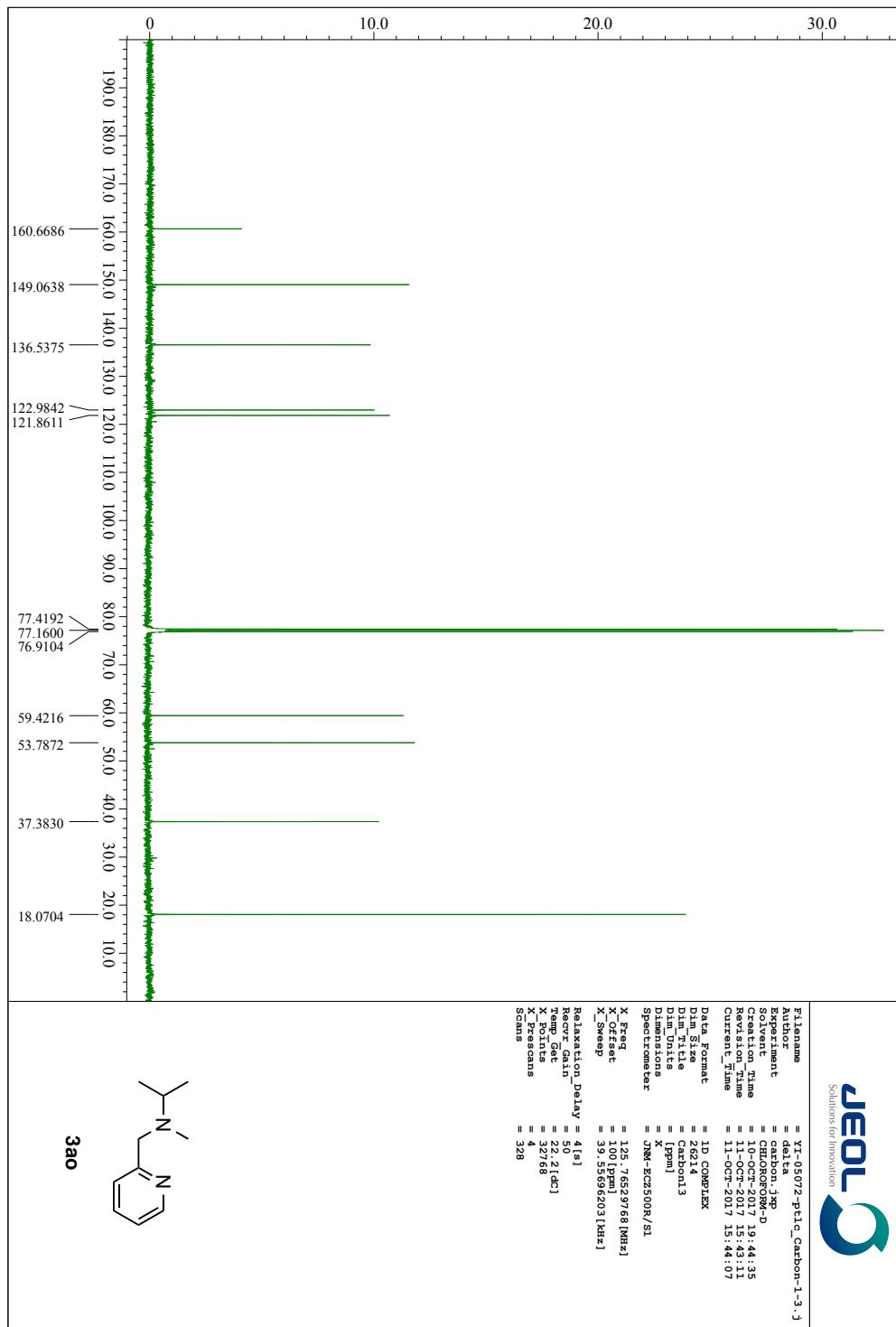




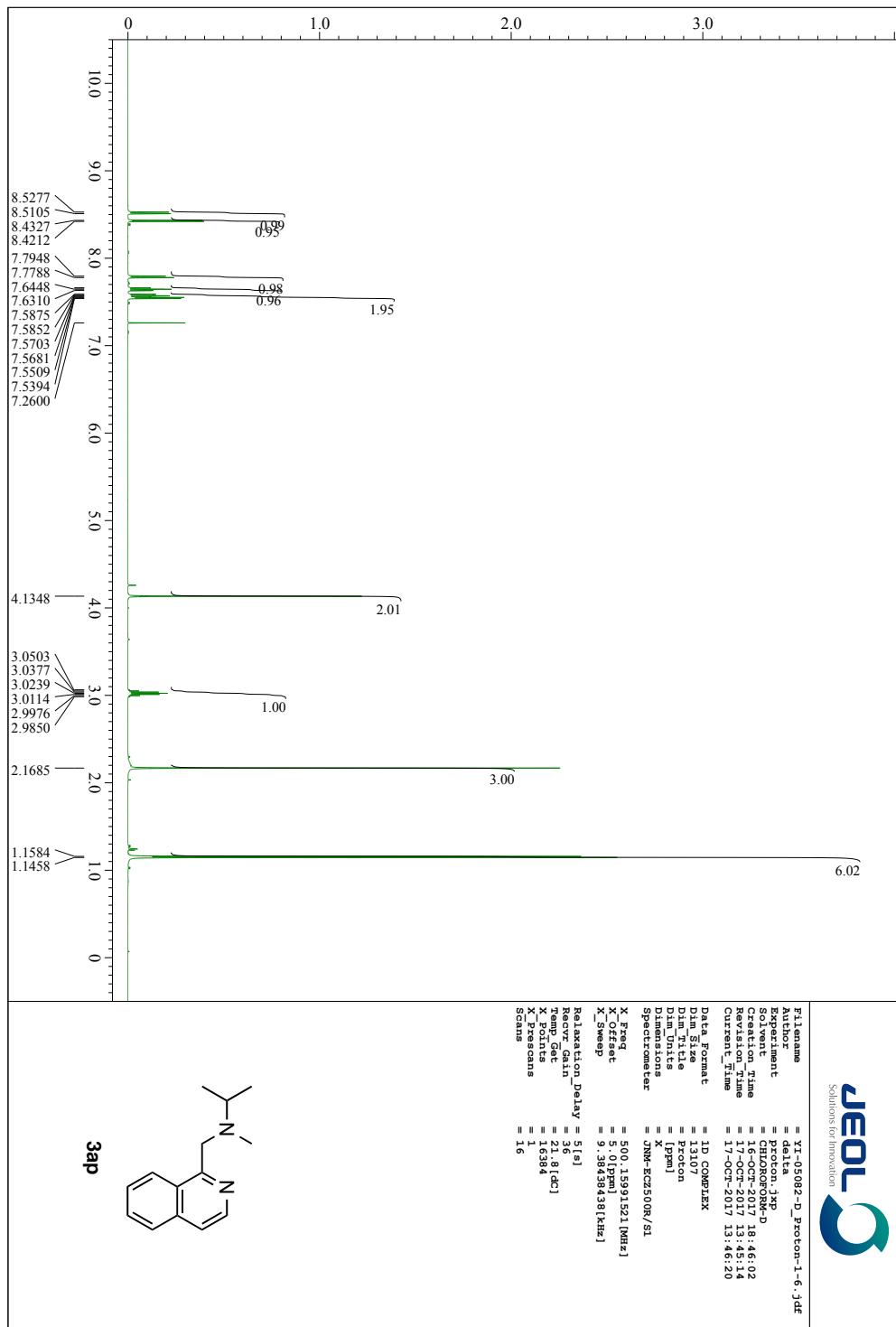


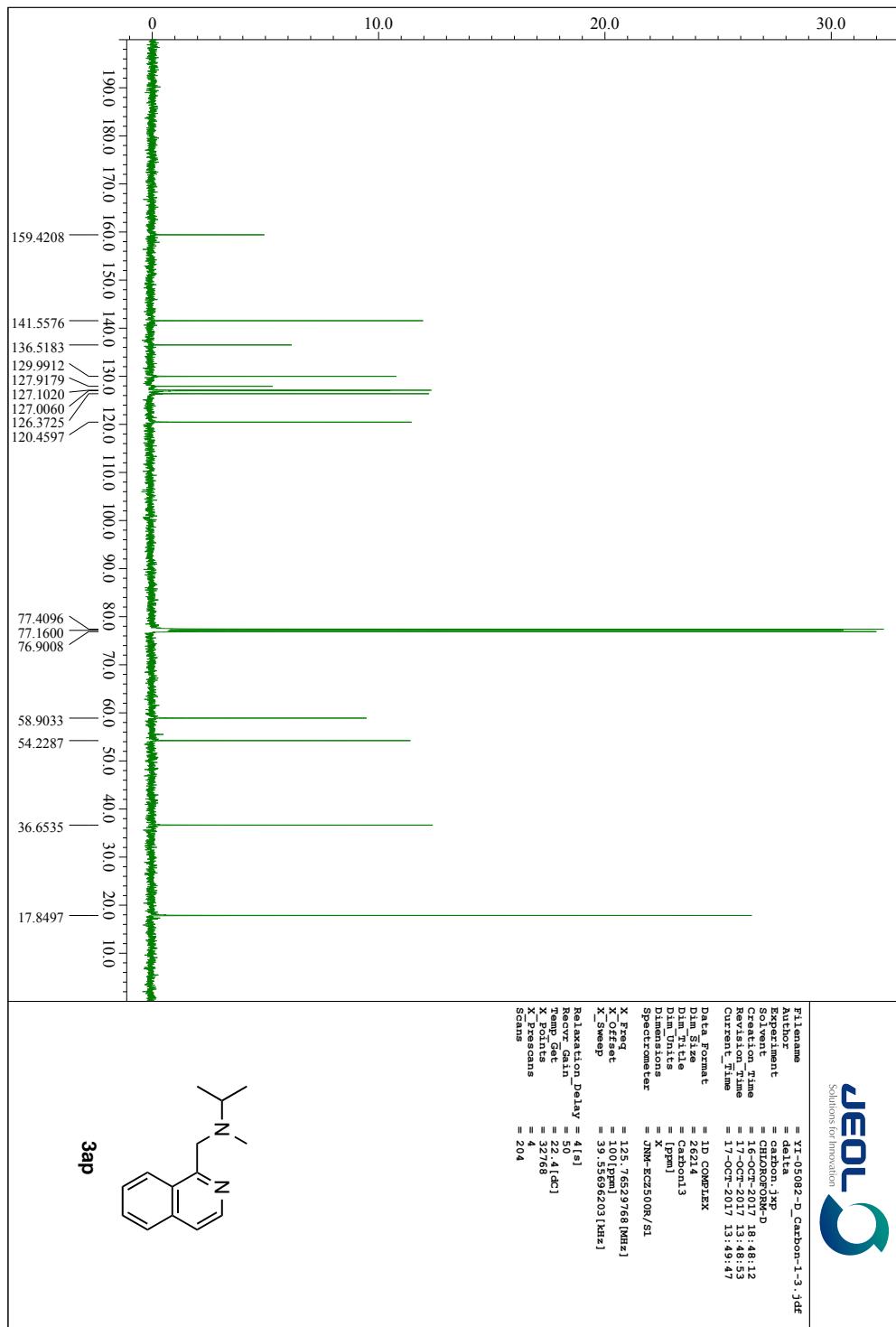


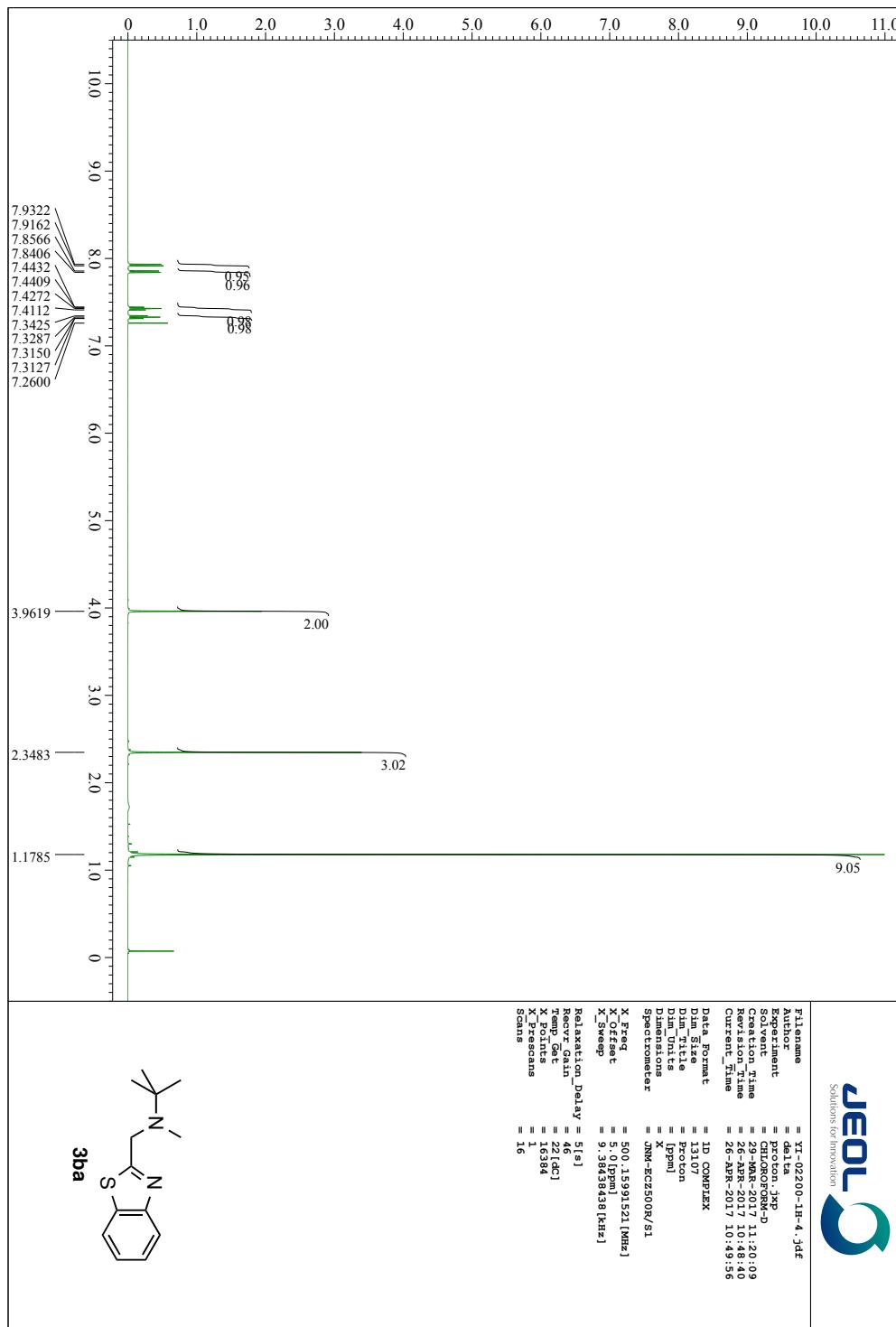


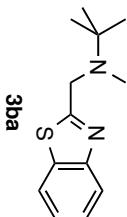
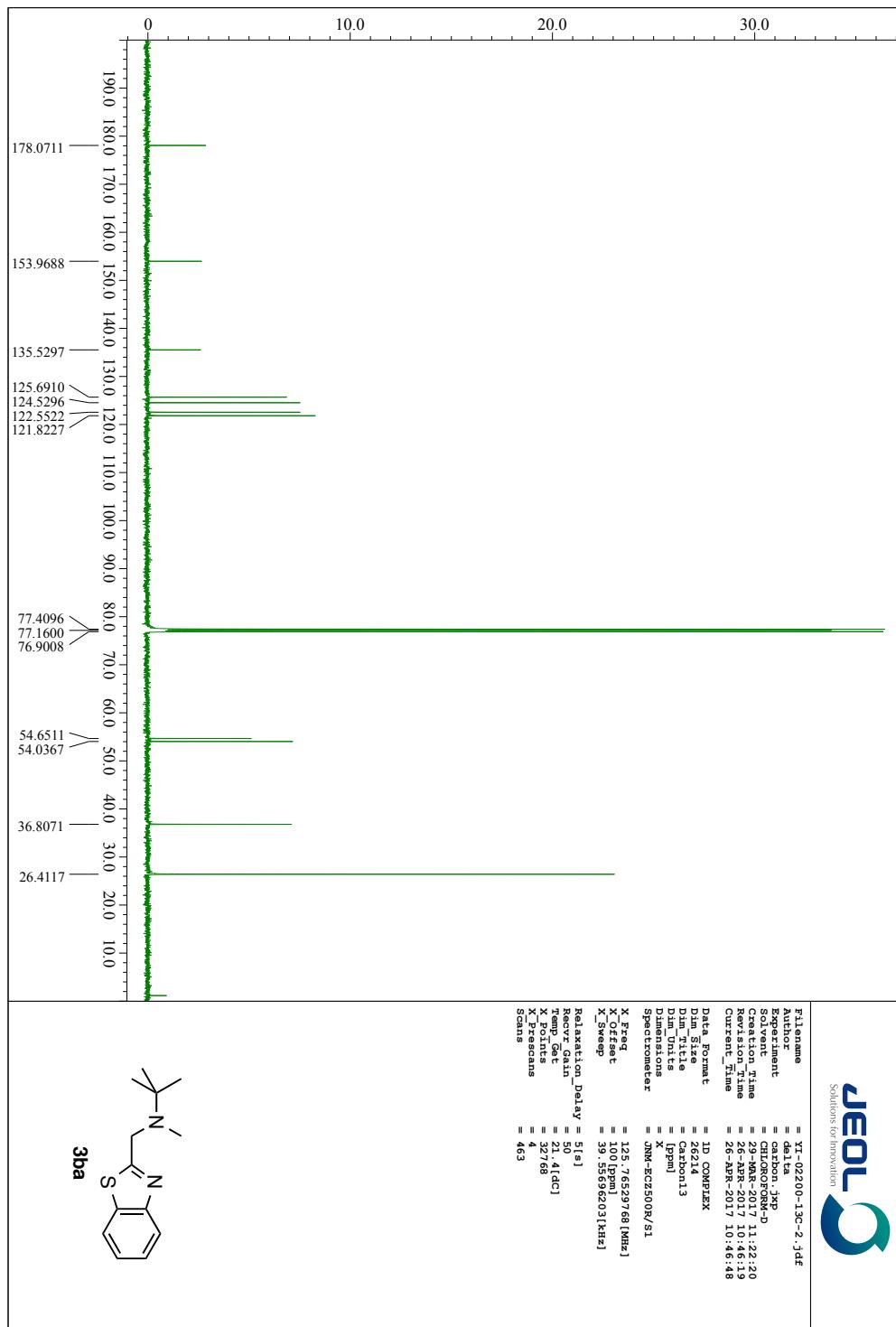


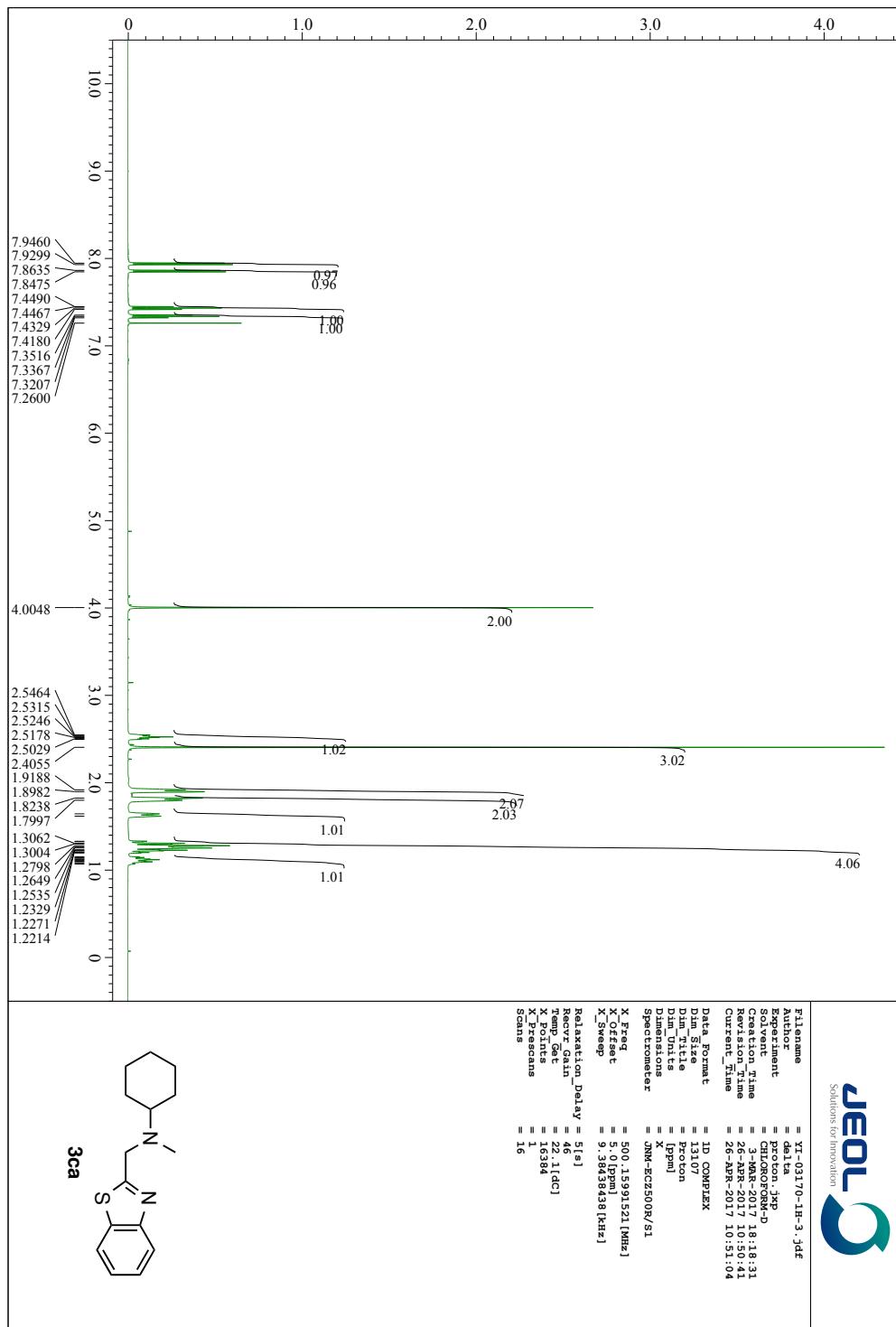
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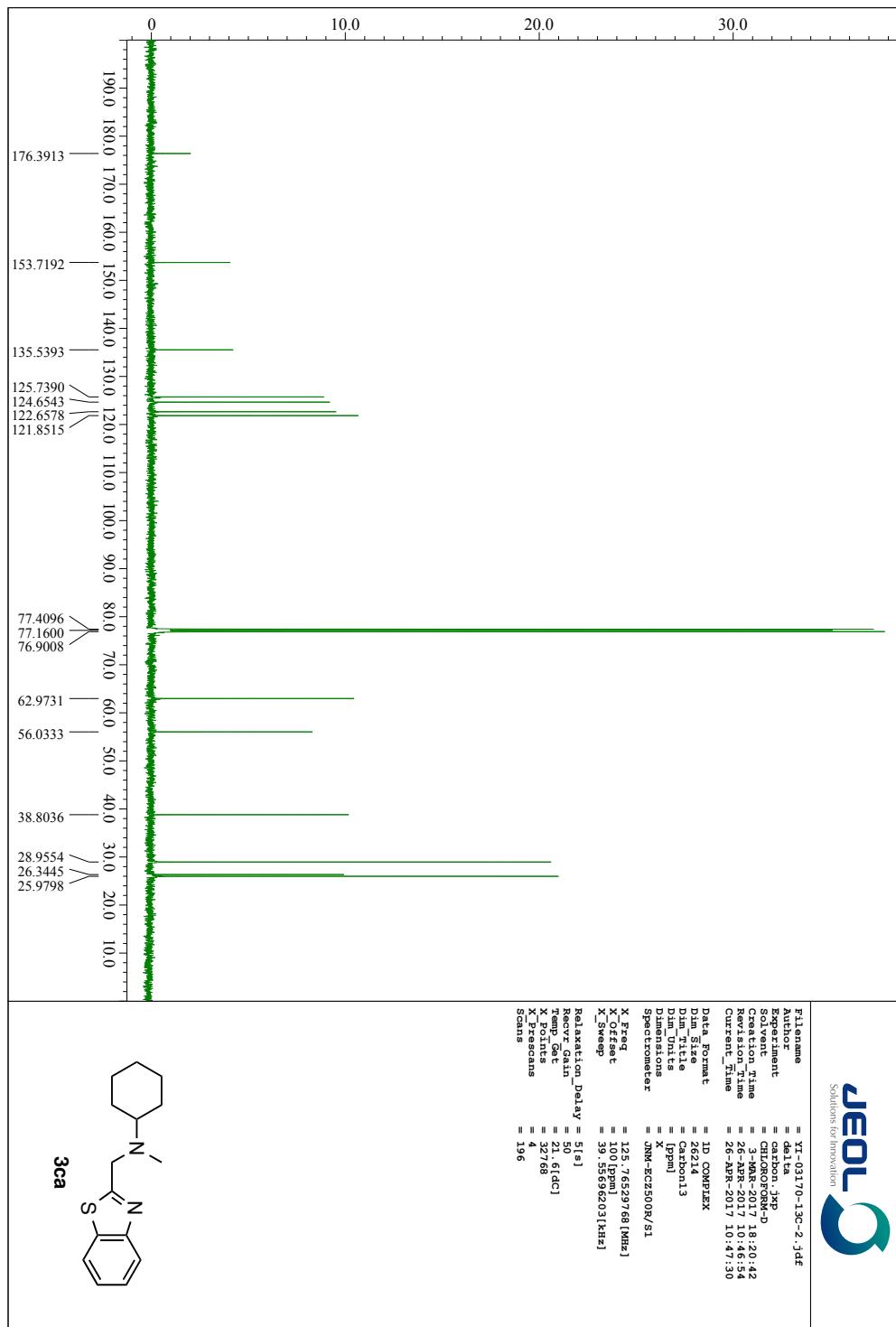


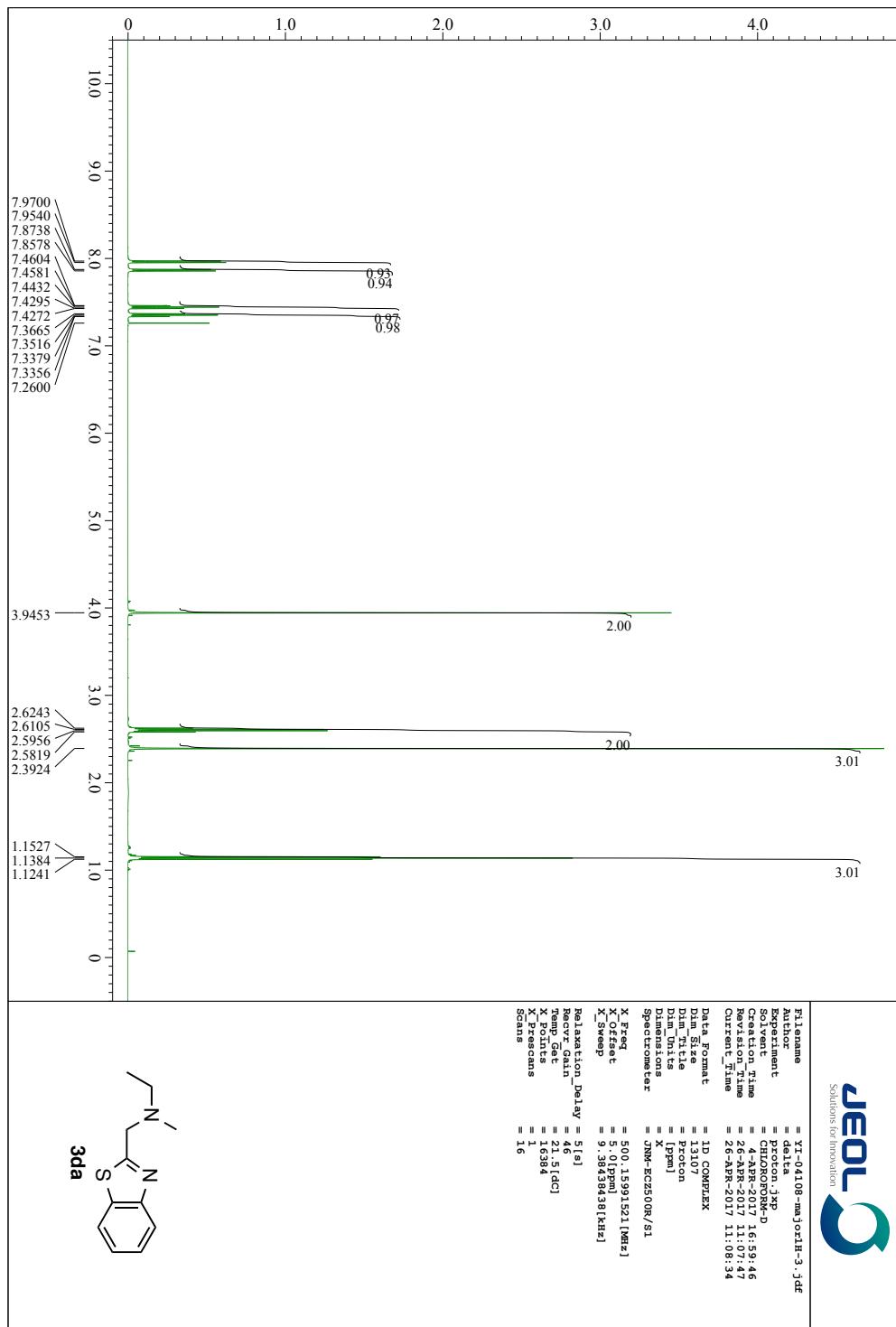


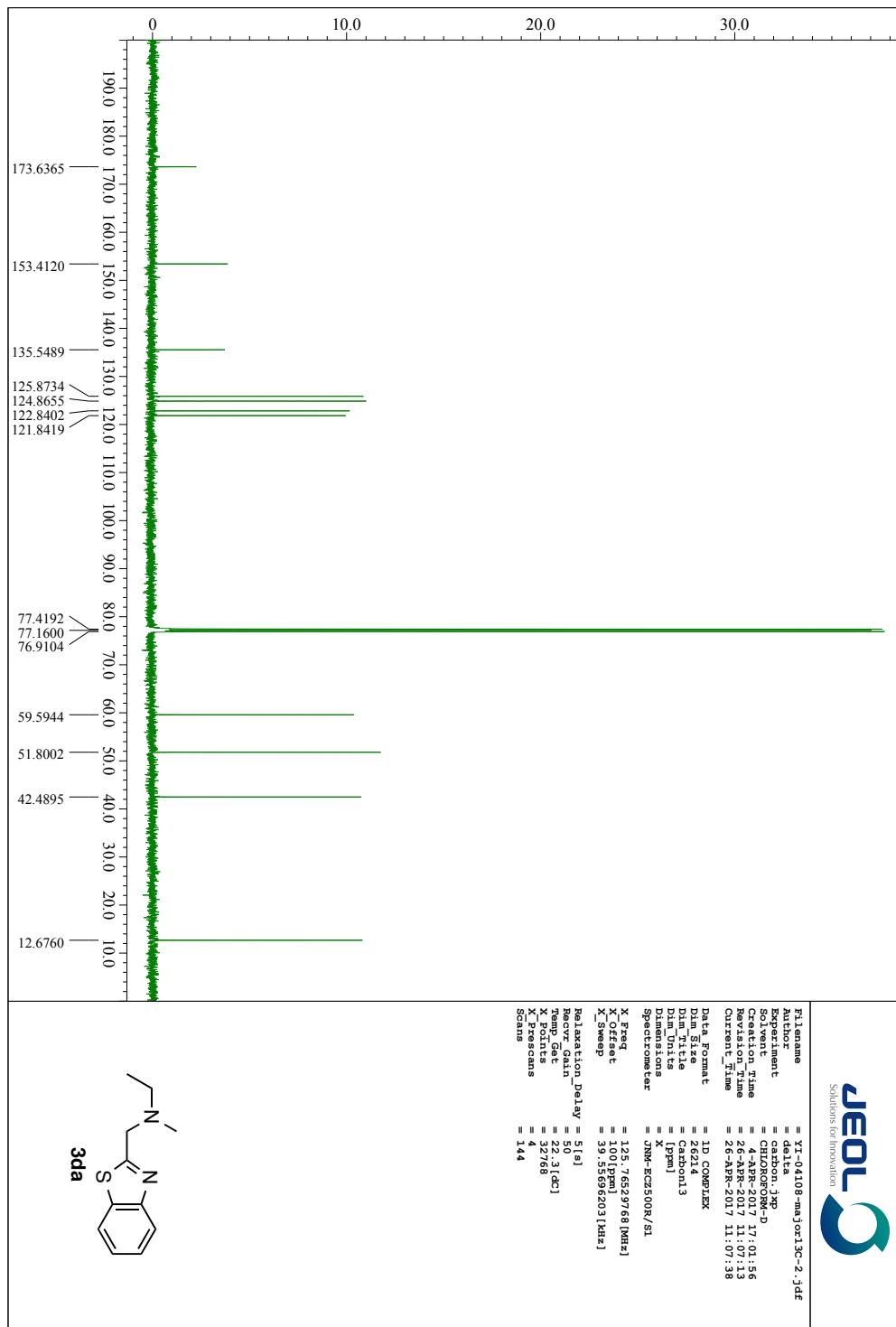


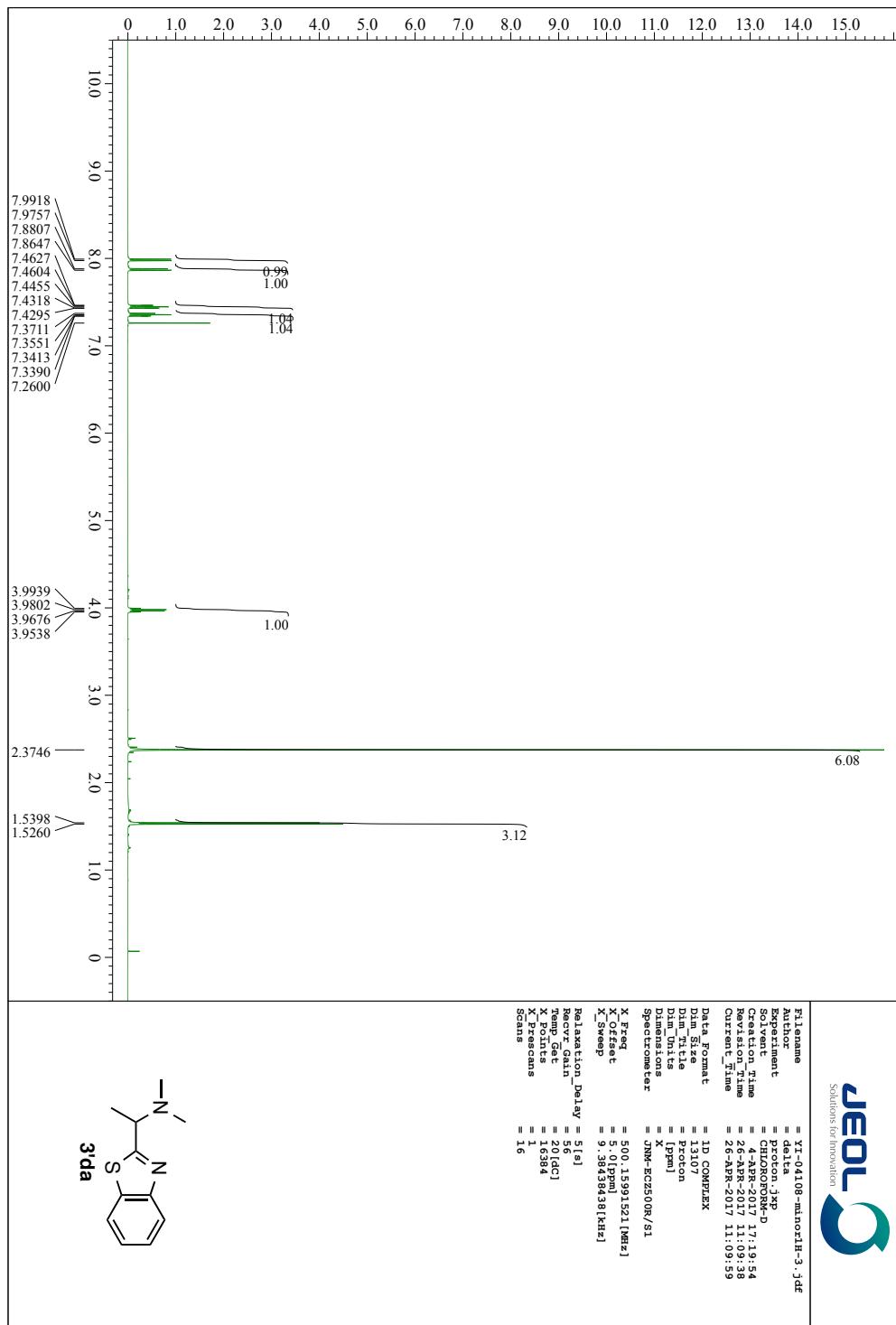


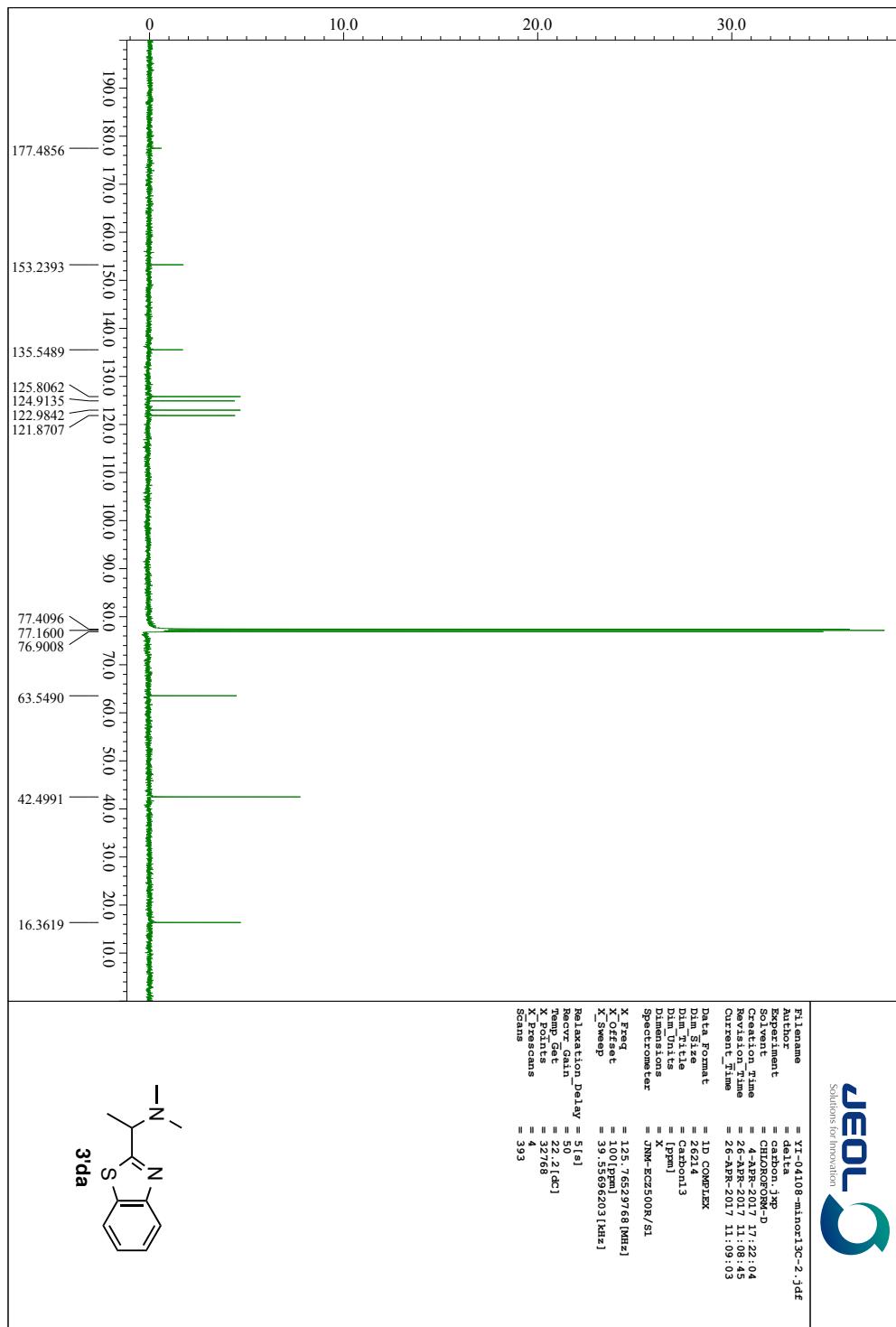


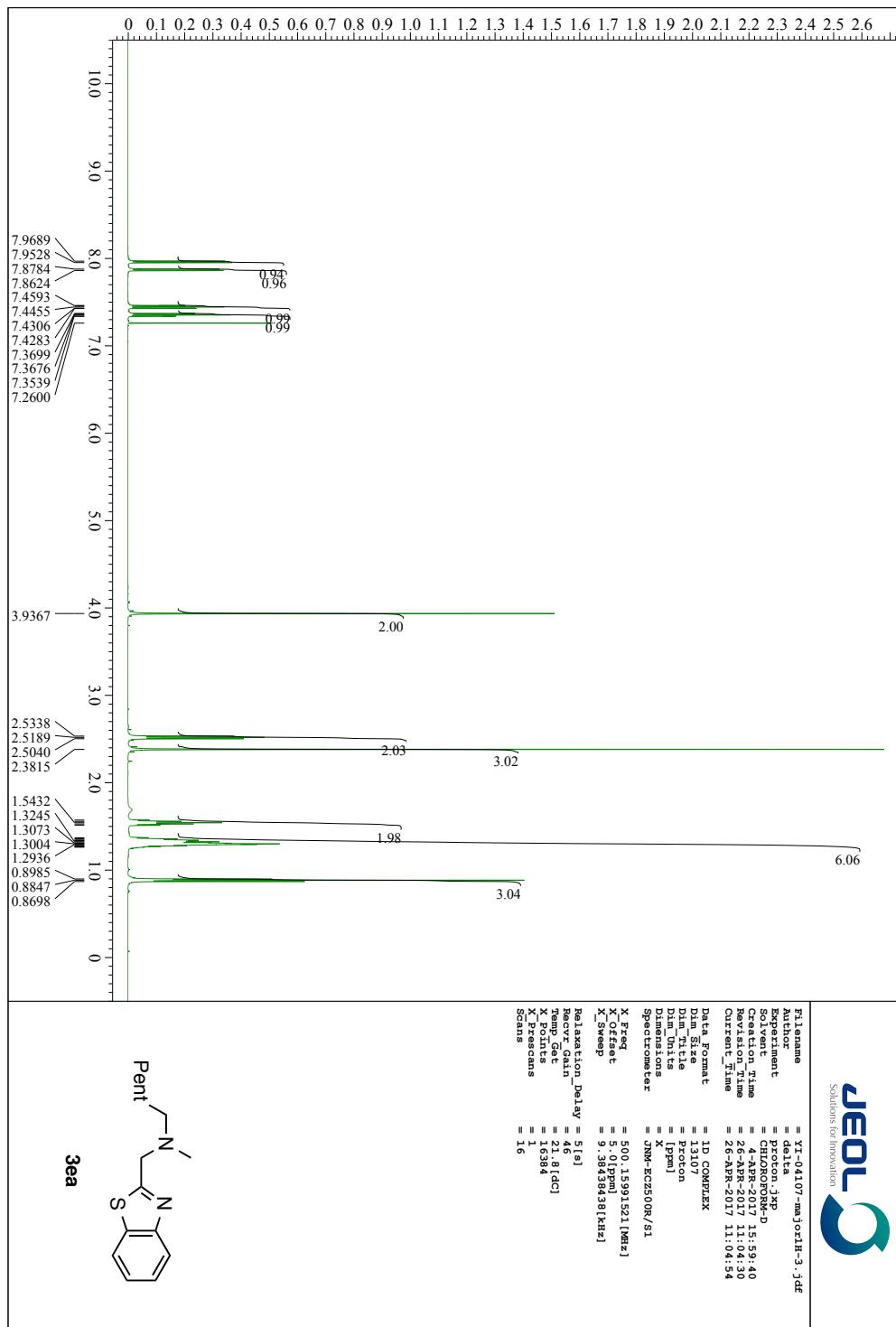


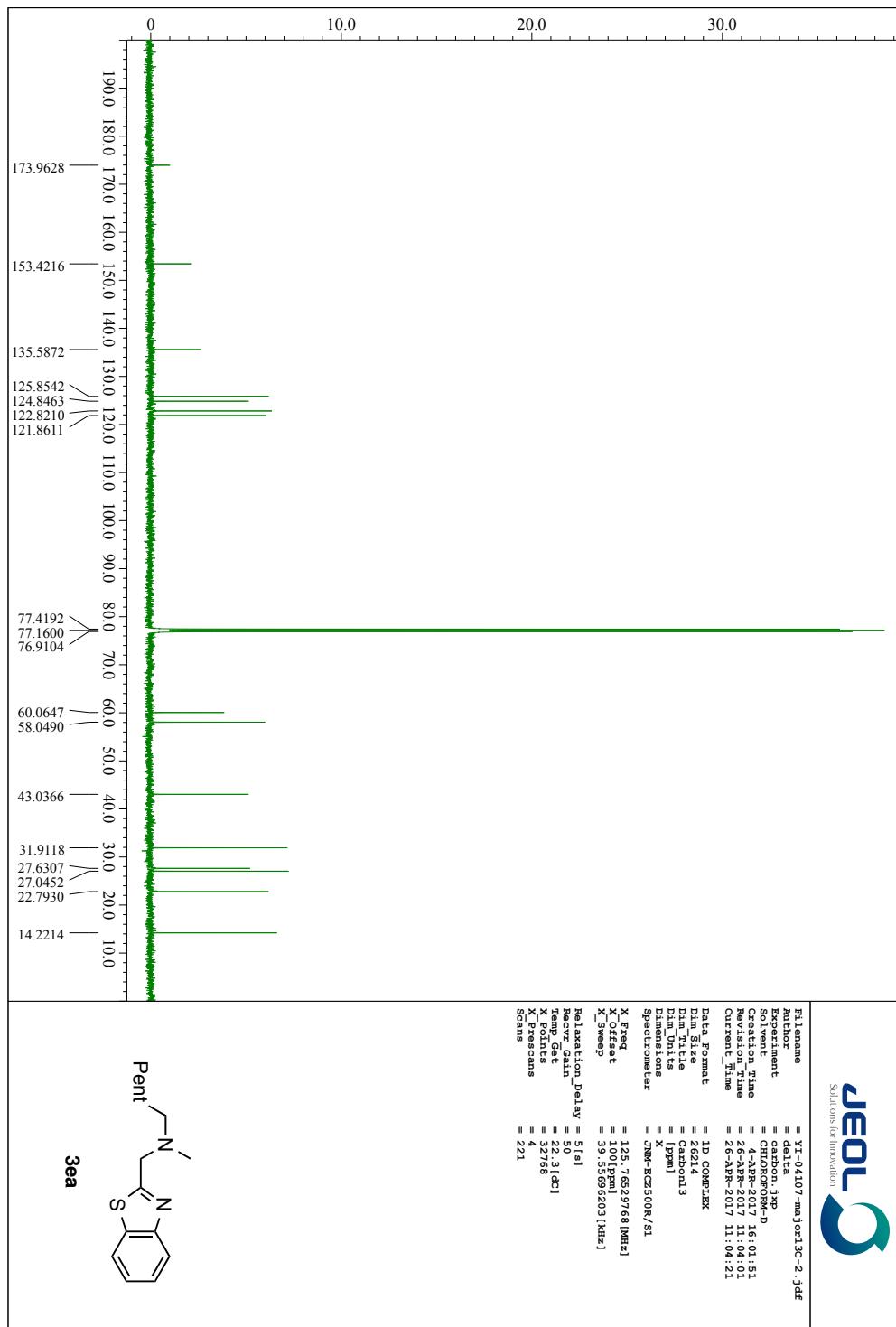


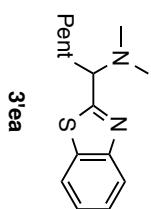
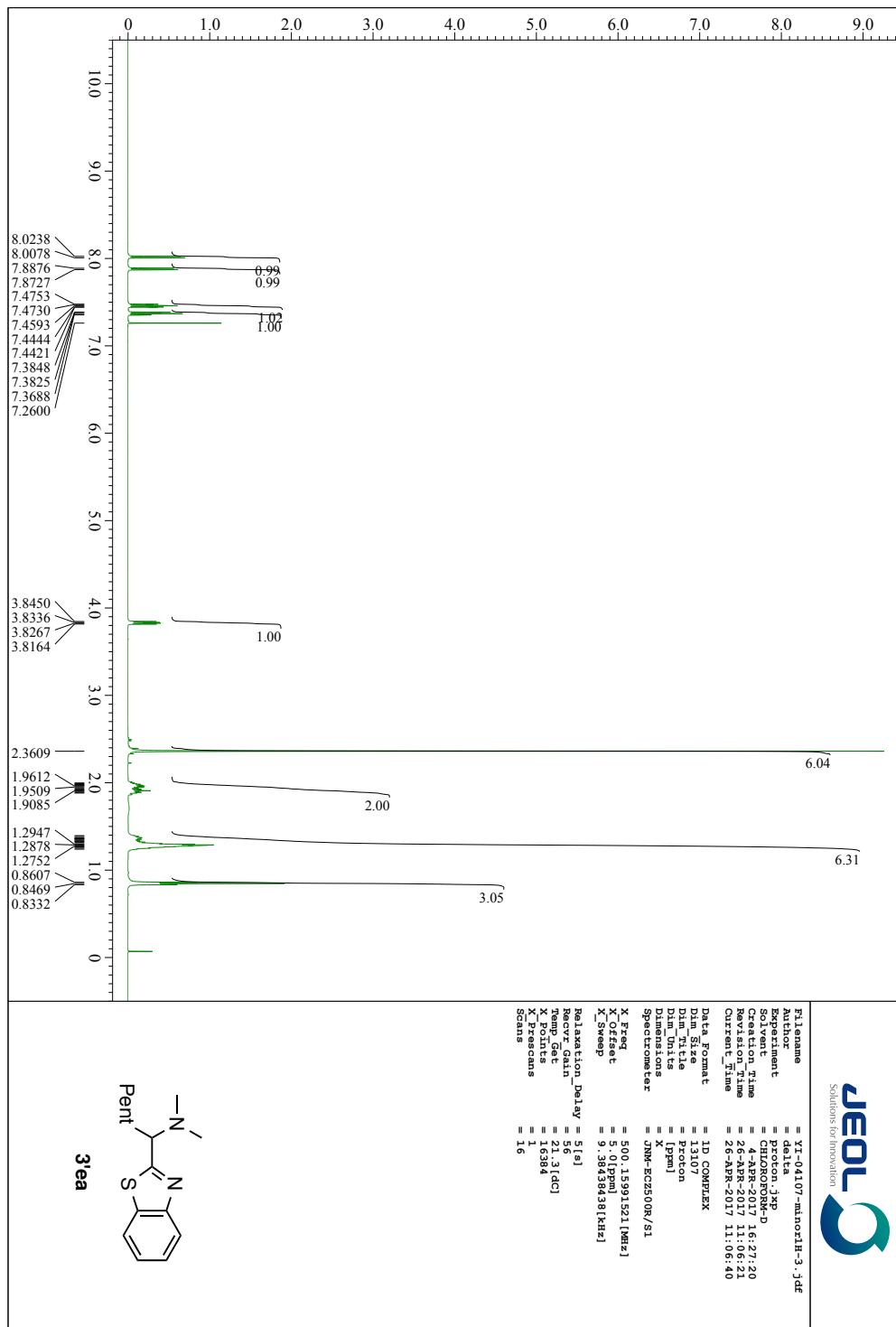


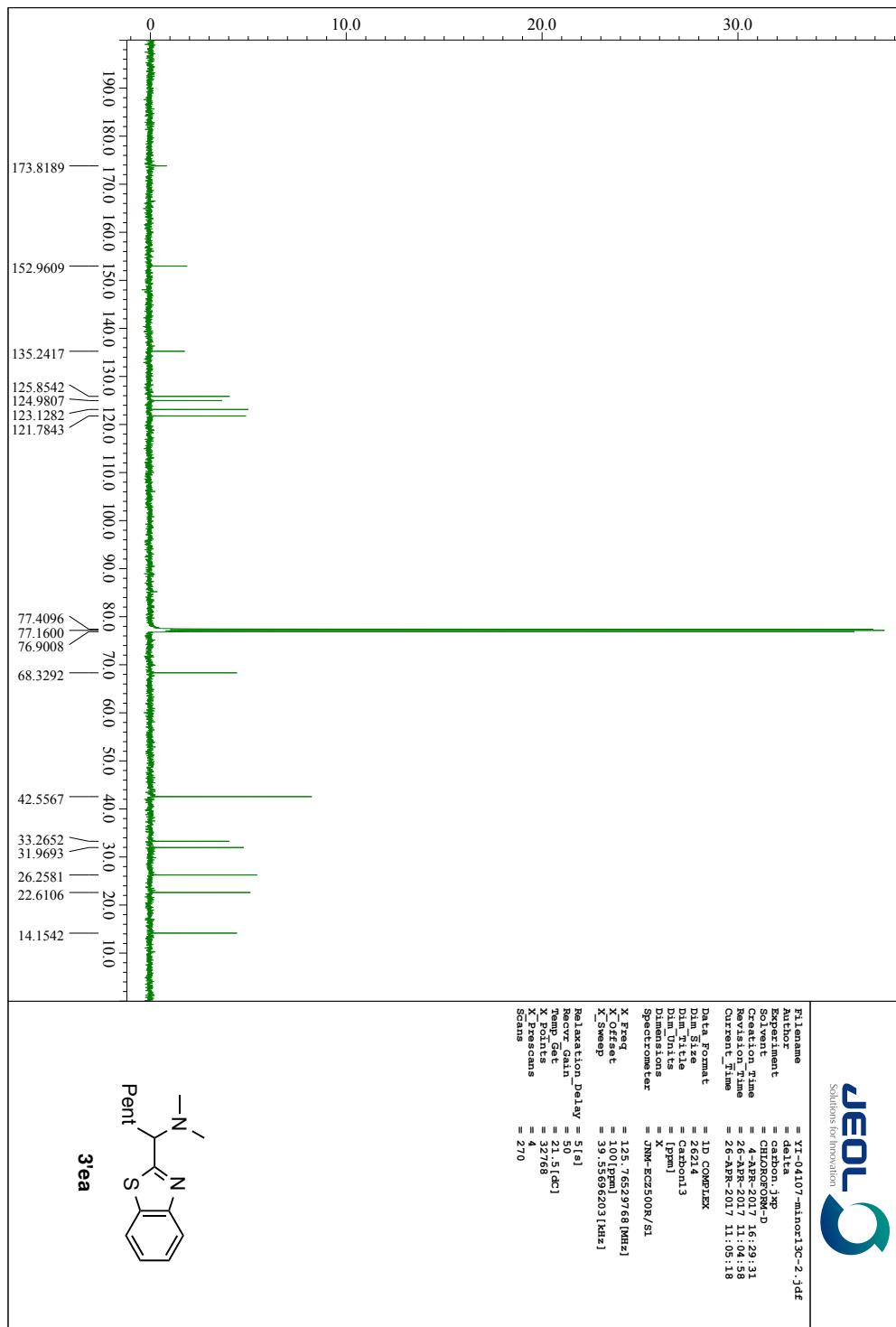


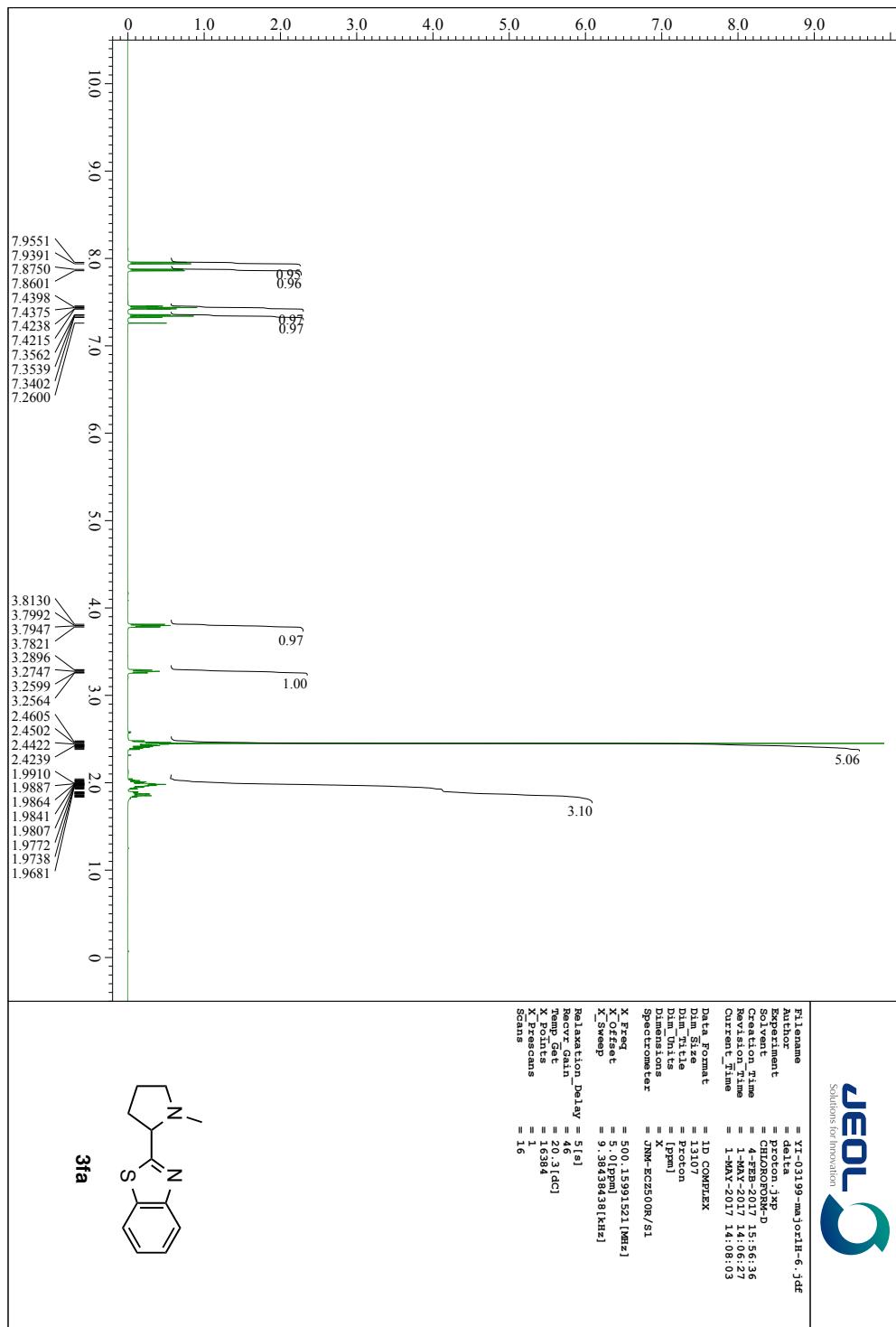


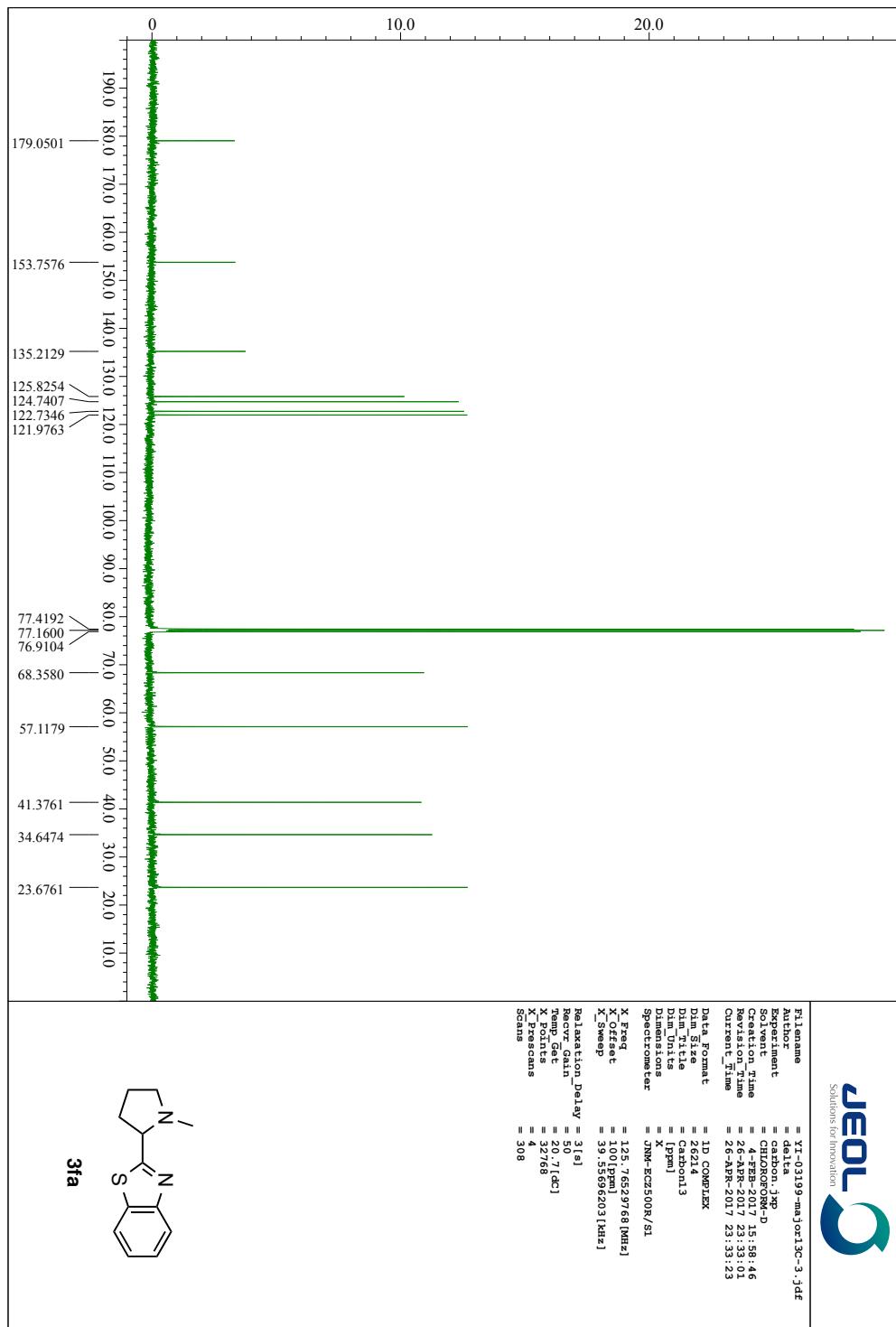


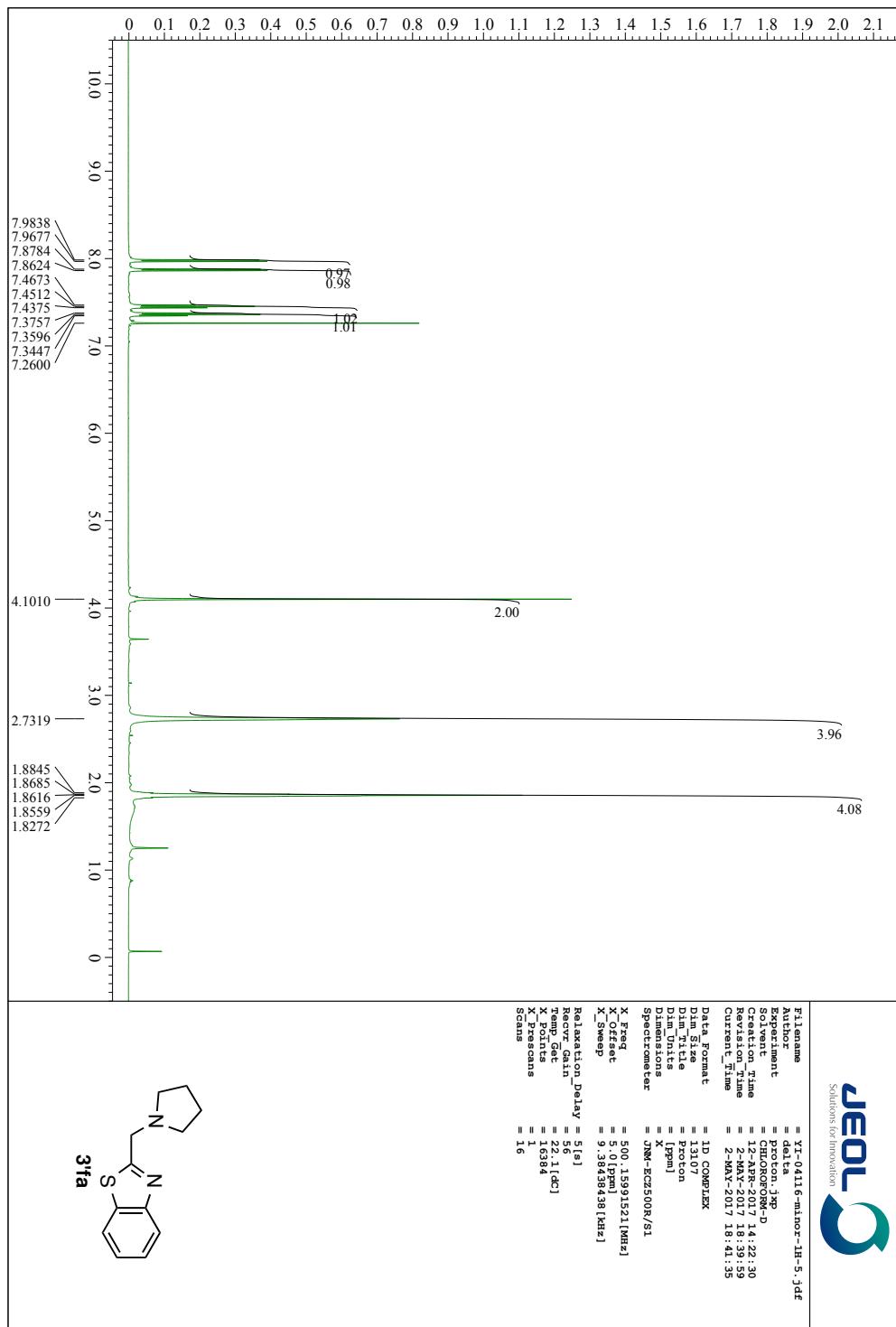


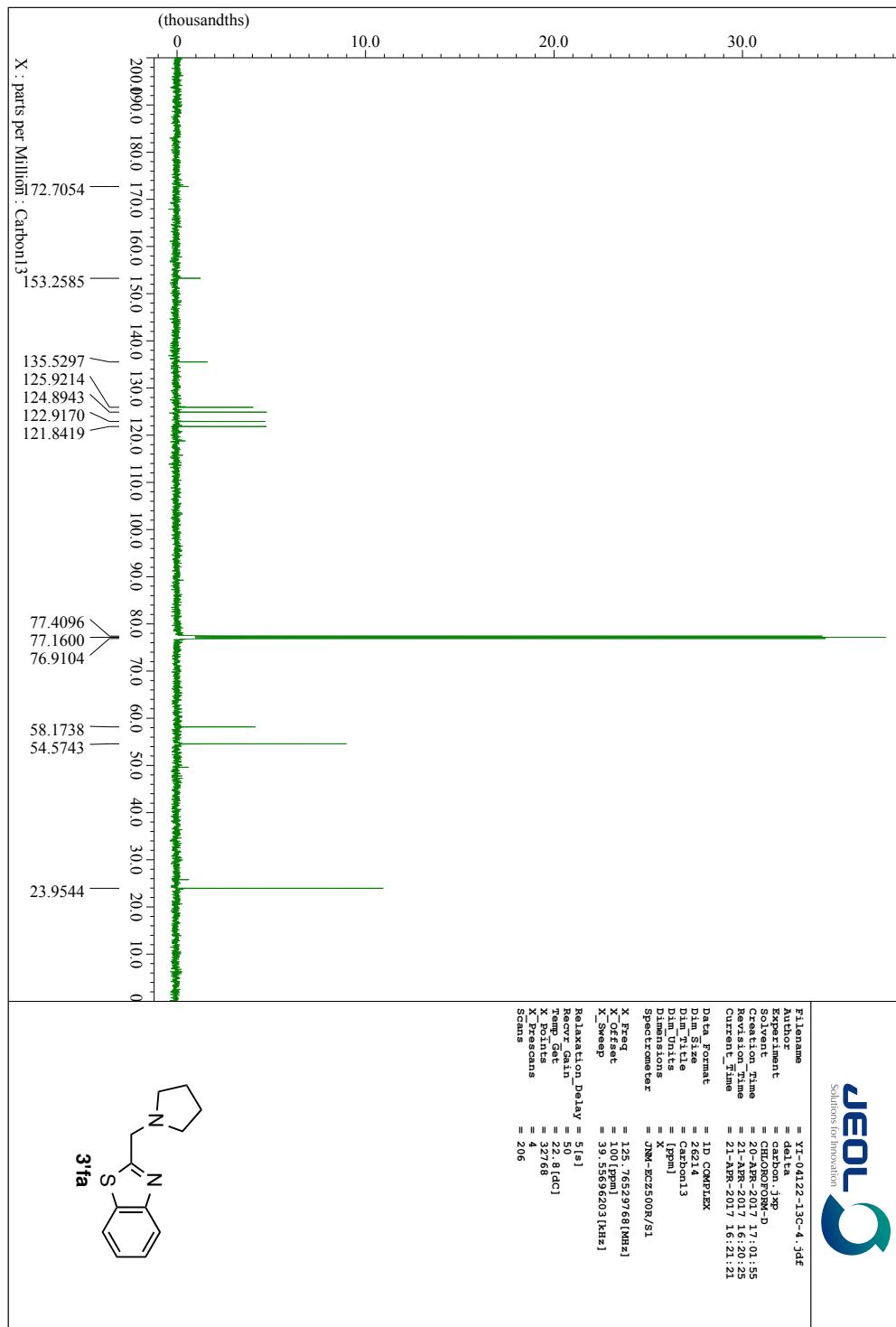


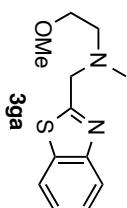
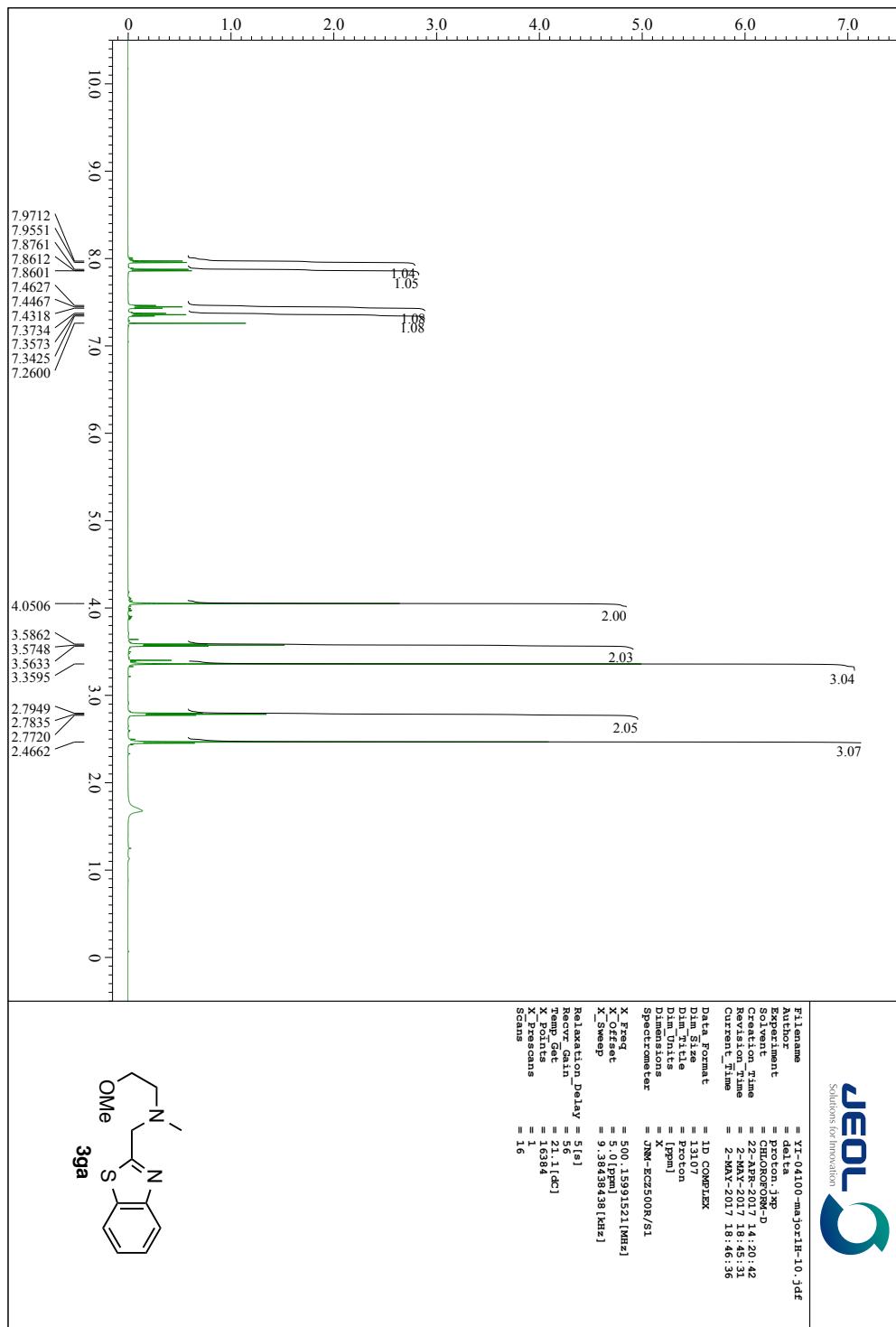


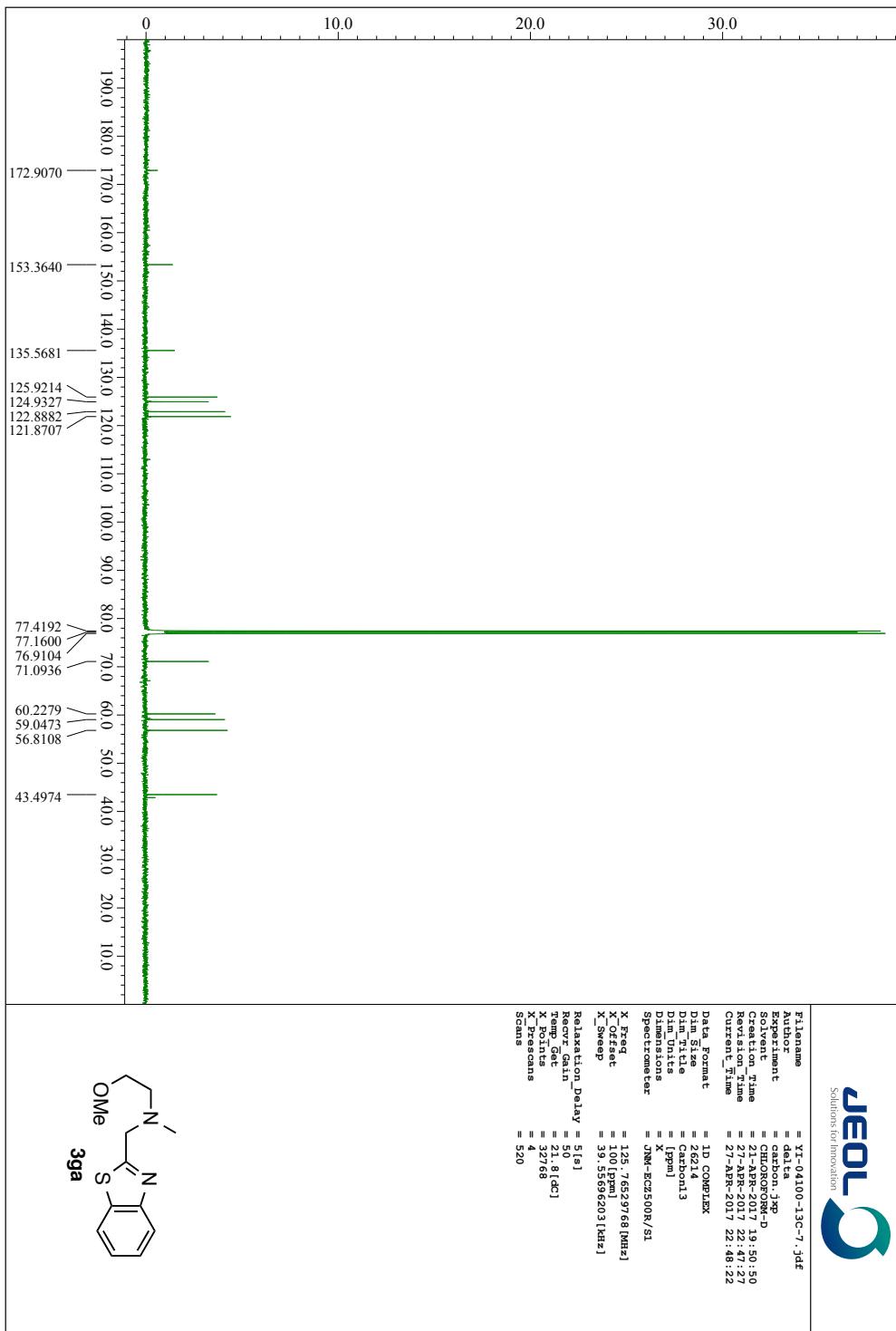


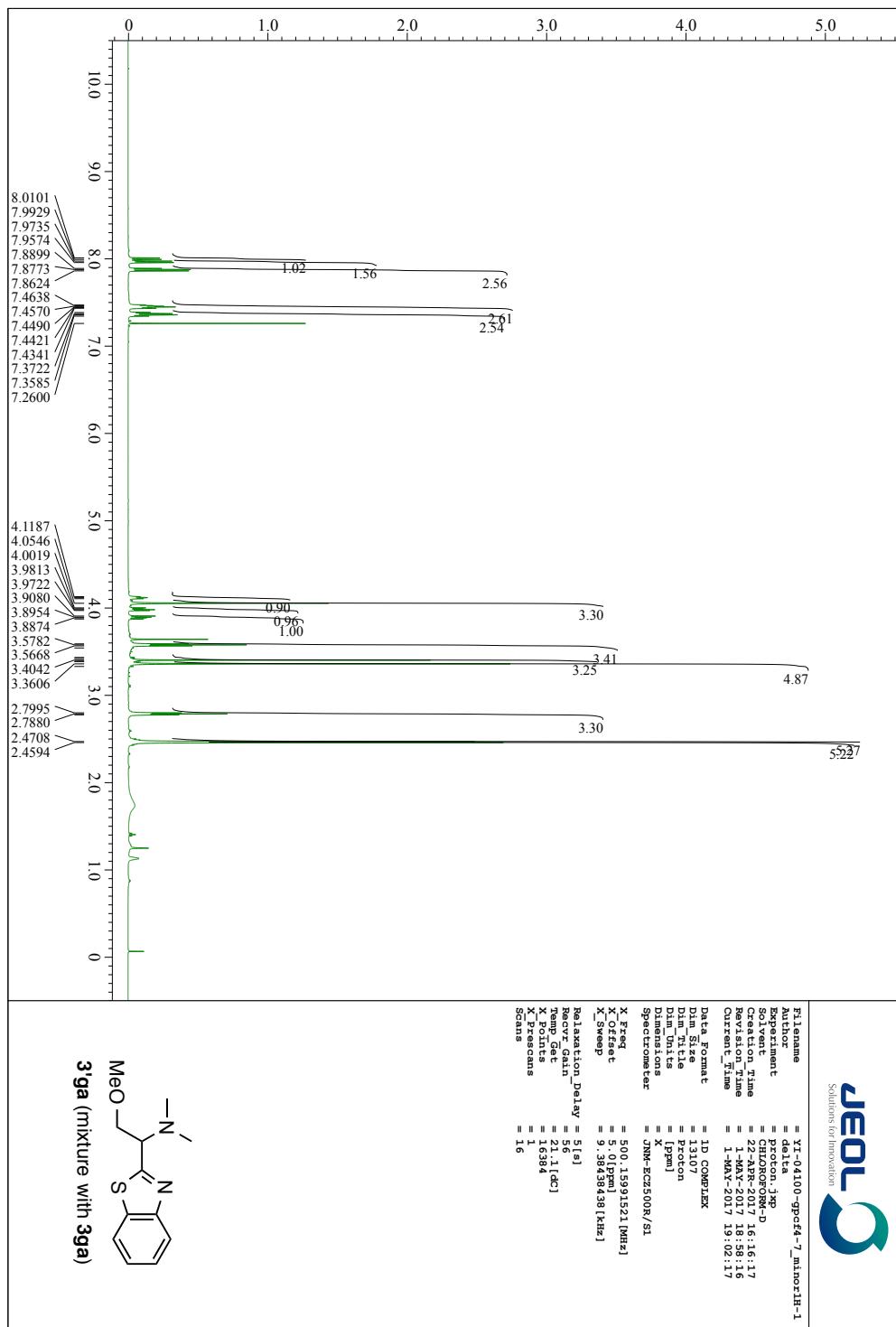


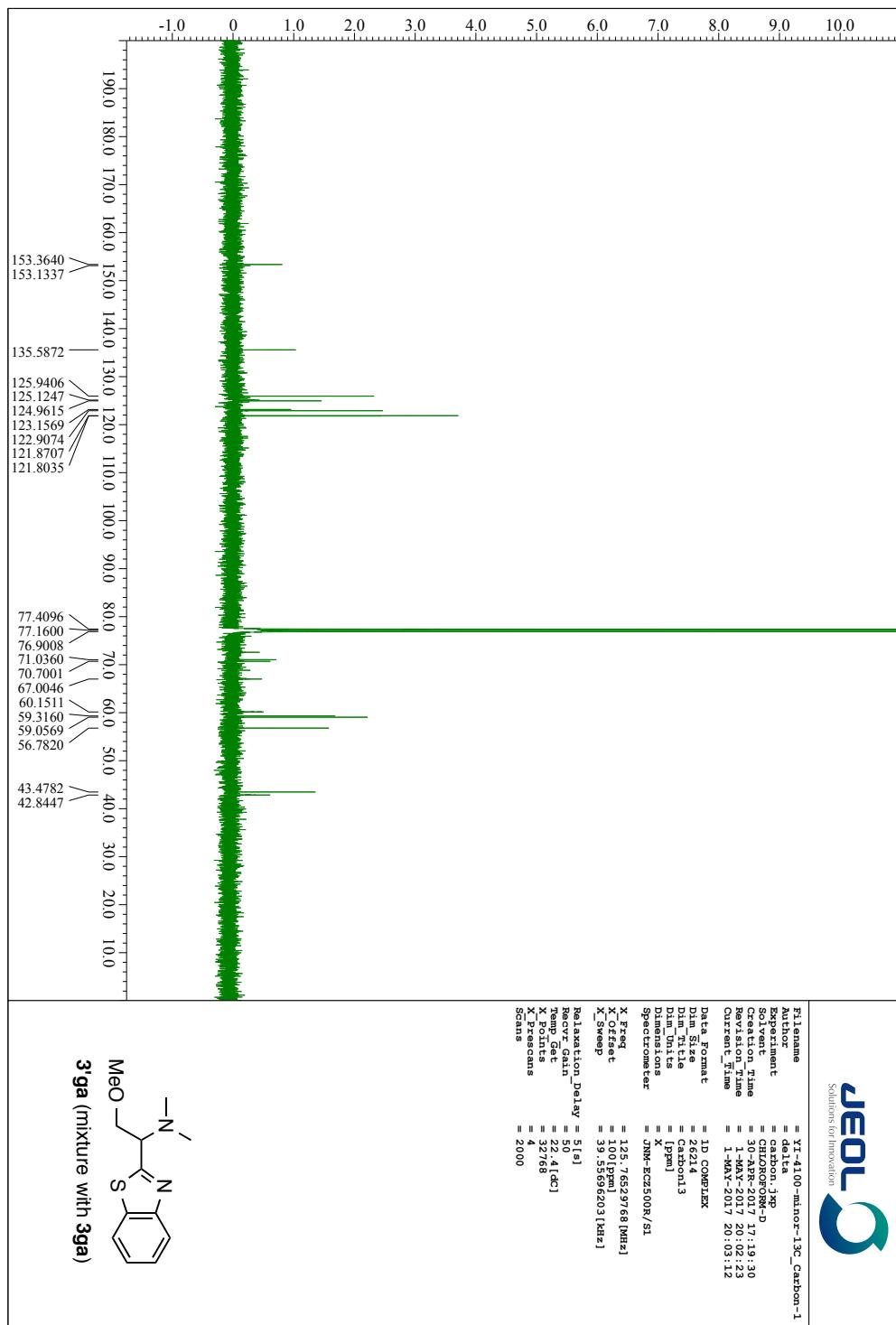


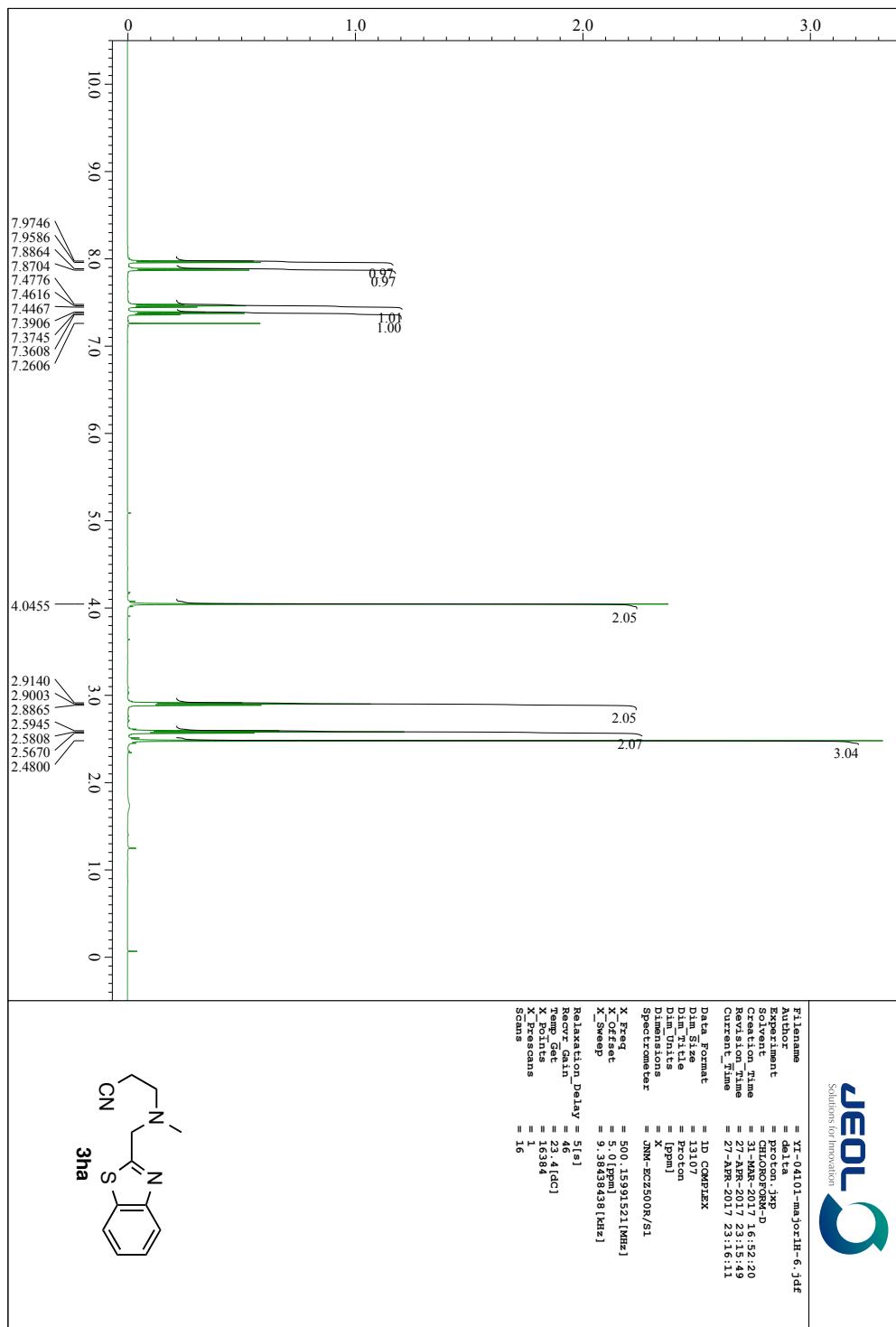


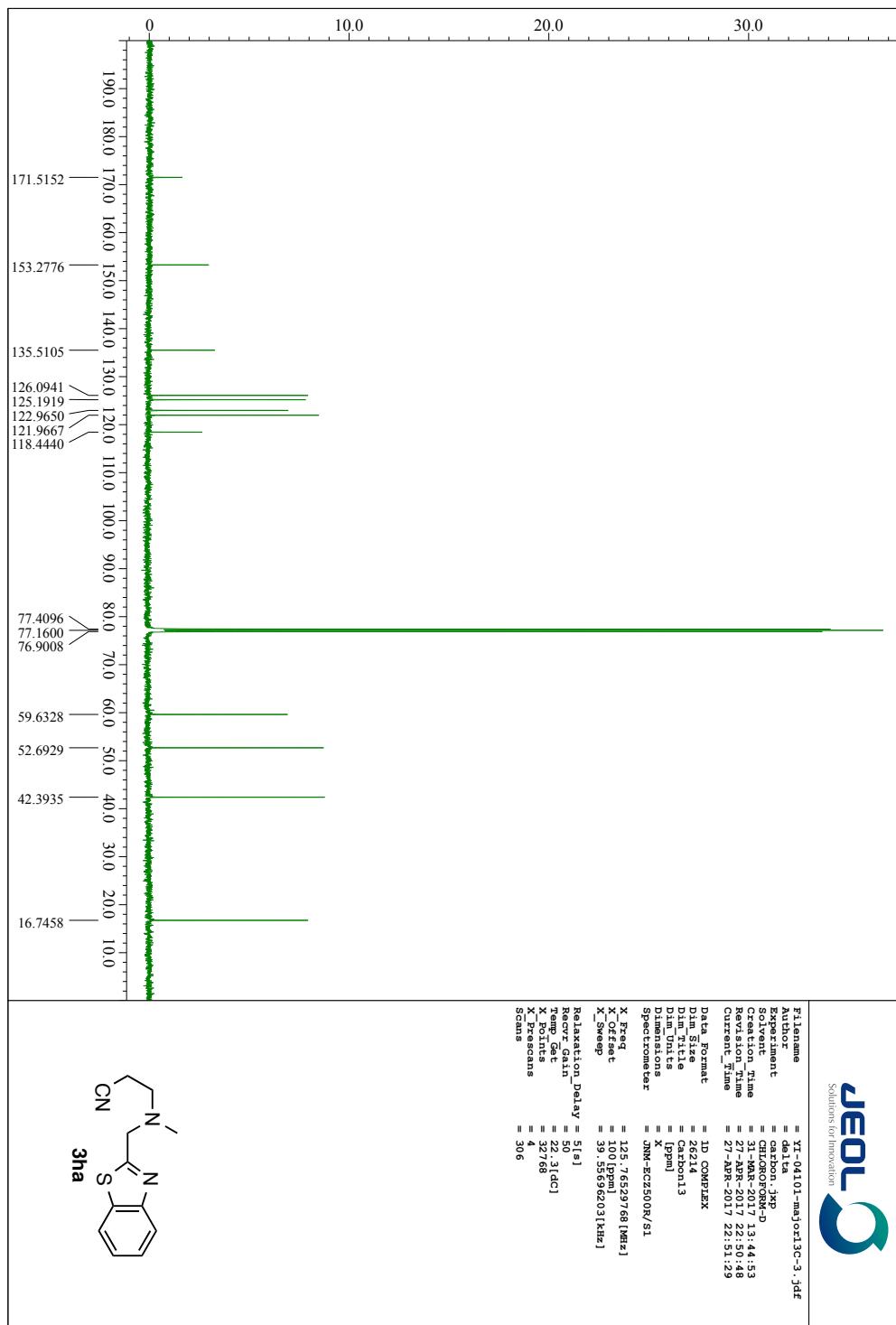


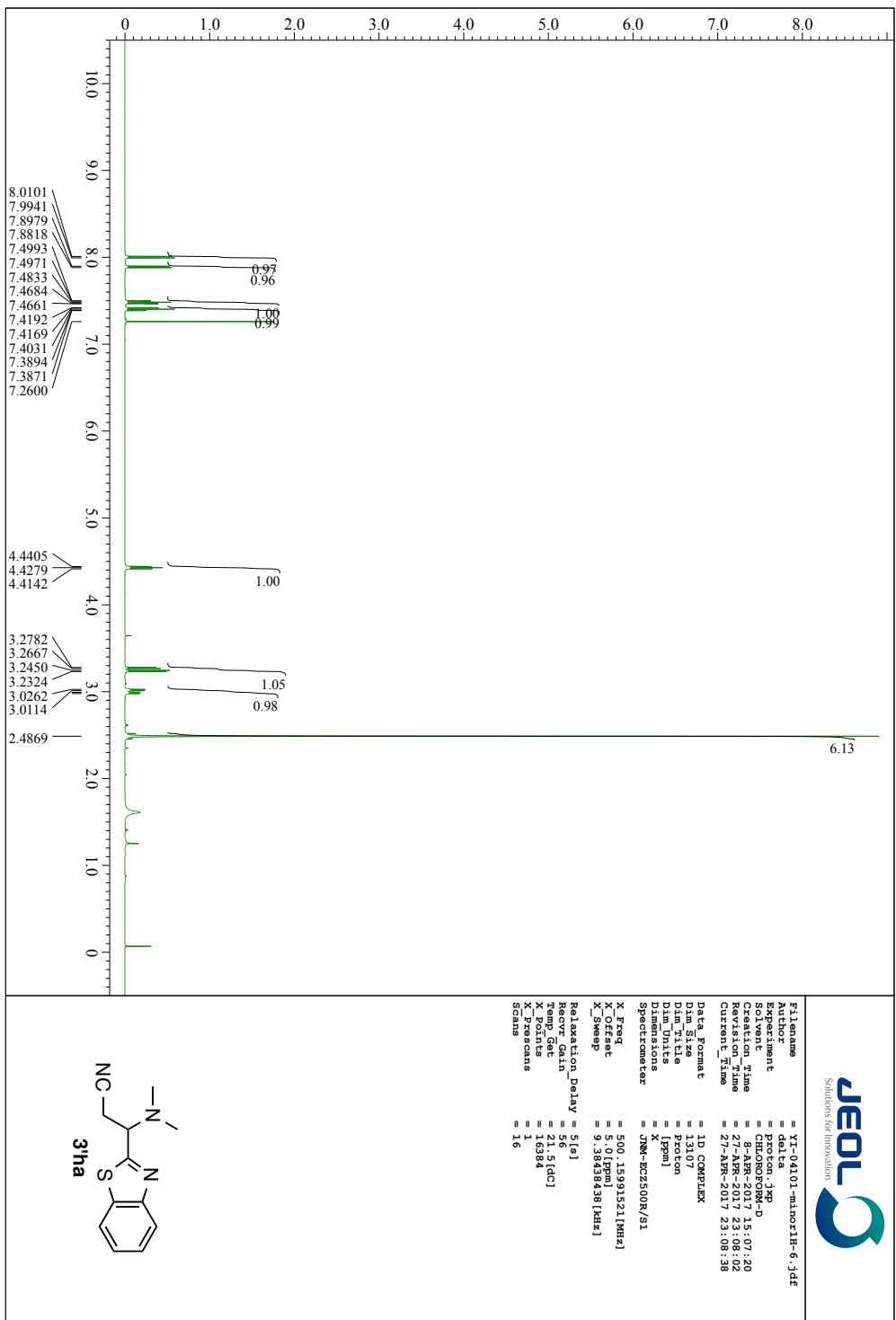














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