

Supporting Information

Radical Alkylation of C(sp³)–H Bonds with Diacyl Peroxides under Catalyst-Free Conditions

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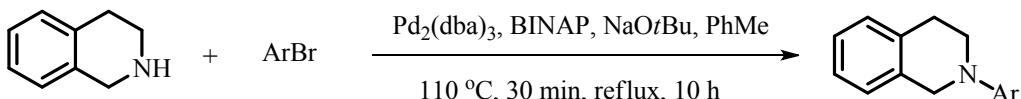
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1. General Information

All commercially available reagents were used without further purification unless otherwise stated. ^1H and ^{13}C Nuclear Magnetic Resonance (NMR) spectra were recorded on Bruker Avance 400 Ultrashield NMR spectrometers. Chemical shifts (δ) were given in parts per million (ppm) and were measured downfield from internal tetramethylsilane. High-resolution mass spectrometry (HRMs) data were obtained on an LC-MS instrument (ESI-HRMS, Agilent 6520 Q-TOF LC/MS). The melting points were determined on an X-4 microscope melting point apparatus and are uncorrected. Conversion was monitored by thin layer chromatography (TLC). Flash column chromatography was performed over silica gel (100-200 mesh).

2. Preparation of Substrates.

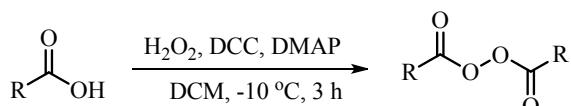
2.1 Preparation of *N*-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (**1a-1g**).



According to literature reports,^[1] The **1a-1g** can be synthesized by the methods below:

An oven-dried round bottom flask (50 mL) was cooled down to room temperature under Ar, $\text{Pd}_2(\text{dba})_3$ (115 mg, 0.2 mmol), BINAP (249 mg, 0.4 mmol) were introduced into the flask and degassed three time with Ar, then fresh distilled toluene (15 mL) was added into the flask through a syringe. The suspension was subsequently stirred at 110 °C for 30 min. After cooled down to room temperature, NaOtBu (912 mg, 9.5 mmol), bromobenzene (5 mmol) and 1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (1.33 g, 10 mmol) were added into the solution. The mixture was then degassed three times with Ar and stirred under reflux for 10 h. The mixture was then cooled down to the room temperature and filtered through celite. The celite was washed with CH_2Cl_2 (5 x 3 mL), the combined organic layer was evaporated to remove the solvent and the crude product was then purified by column. The pure product was obtained as solid or liquid.

2.2 Preparation of diacyl peroxides.



According to literature reports,^[2] the diacyl peroxides **2b-2v** can be synthesized by the methods below:

A solution of DMAP (0.6 mmol), 30% hydrogen peroxide (8 mmol), and acid (6 mmol) in DCM (8 mL) was cooled to -10 °C for about 10 min, then DCC (6.72 mmol) was added. After stirring at -10 °C for 3 h, the solution was filtered through a short pad of silica gel. Then washed the pad of silica gel by additional 20 mL of DCM. The combined solution was concentrated on a rotary evaporator under vacuum at 20 °C and then purified by flash column chromatography on silica gel to give the alkyl diacyl peroxide.

1a, white solid, 89% yield.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.37 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.29 – 7.20 (m, 4H), 7.06 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 6.92 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 4.48 (s, 2H), 3.63 (t, *J* = 5.4 Hz, 2H), 3.06 (t, *J* = 5.4 Hz, 2H).

1b, white solid, 72% yield.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.24 – 7.31 (m, 2H), 6.95 – 7.02 (m, 2H), 6.83 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 6.65 (d, *J* = 4.3 Hz, 1H), 4.33 (s, 2H), 3.87 (s, 3H), 3.86 (s, 3H), 3.55 (t, *J* = 5.8 Hz, 2H), 2.90 (t, *J* = 5.7 Hz, 2H).

1c, white solid, 74% yield.

¹H NMR (400MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.23-7.13 (m, 4H), 7.11-6.83 (m, 4H), 4.34 (s, 2H), 3.49 (t, *J* = 5.9 Hz, 2H), 2.99 (t, *J* = 5.9 Hz, 2H).

1d, yellow solid, 70% yield.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.34 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 7.10 – 7.22 (m, 4H), 6.82 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 2H), 4.36 (s, 2H), 3.52 (t, *J* = 5.9 Hz, 2H), 2.96 (t, *J* = 5.8 Hz, 2H).

1e, white solid, 54% yield.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.12 – 7.20 (m, 4H), 7.10 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.91 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 4.35 (s, 2H), 3.50 (t, *J* = 5.9 Hz, 2H), 2.98 (t, *J* = 5.8 Hz, 2H), 2.28 (s, 3H).

1f, white solid, 74% yield.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.34 – 7.28 (m, 2H), 7.20 – 7.12 (m, 4H), 6.97 – 6.92 (m, 2H), 4.38 (s, 2H), 3.53 (t, *J* = 5.8 Hz, 2H), 2.98 (t, *J* = 5.8 Hz, 2H), 1.30 (s, 9H).

1g, white solid, 77% yield.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.24 – 7.12 (m, 4H), 7.05 – 6.97 (m, 2H), 6.94 – 6.85 (m, 2H), 4.33 (s, 2H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 3.48 (t, *J* = 5.9 Hz, 2H), 3.02 (t, *J* = 5.9 Hz, 2H).

1h, colorless oil, 67% yield.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.23 – 7.12 (m, 5H), 6.60 (dd, *J* = 8.3, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.51 (t, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.39 (dd, *J* = 8.1, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 4.41 (s, 2H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 3.56 (t, *J* = 5.8 Hz, 2H), 2.98 (t, *J* = 5.8 Hz, 2H).

1i, colorless oil, 64% yield.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.18 – 7.08 (m, 4H), 7.01 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 6.94 – 6.88 (m, 2H), 4.29 (s, 2H), 3.89 (s, 3H), 3.41 (t, *J* = 5.9 Hz, 2H), 2.98 (t, *J* = 5.9 Hz, 2H).

1j, white solid, 88% yield.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.75 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 1H), 7.71 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.37 – 7.43 (m, 1H), 7.35 (dd, *J* = 9.0, 2.5 Hz, 1H), 7.14 – 7.30 (m, 6H), 4.51 (s, 2H), 3.67 (t, *J* = 5.9 Hz, 2H), 3.04 (t, *J* = 5.8 Hz, 2H).

1k, white solid, 64% yield.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.52 – 7.60 (m, 4H), 7.37 – 7.48 (m, 2H), 7.23 – 7.32 (m, 1H), 7.14 – 7.23 (m, 4H), 7.01 – 7.07 (m, 2H), 4.46 (s, 2H), 3.61 (t, *J* = 5.9 Hz, 2H), 3.01 (t, *J* = 5.8 Hz, 2H).

2b, colorless oil, 56% yield.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.26(t, *J* = 7.6Hz, 6H), 2.47(q, *J* = 7.6Hz, 4H).

2c, colorless oil, 63% yield.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.35 (t, *J* = 7.44 Hz, 4H), 1.72-1.60 (m, 4H), 1.36-1.20 (m, 8H), 0.83 (t, *J* = 7.72 Hz, 6H).

2d, colorless oil, 77% yield.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.43 (t, *J* = 7.40 Hz, 4H), 1.80-1.66 (m, 4H), 1.41-1.20 (m, 16H), 0.88 (t, *J* = 6.40 Hz, 6H).

2e, colorless oil, 87% yield.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.45 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 4H), 1.78 – 1.66 (m, 12H), 1.44 – 1.17 (m, 20H), 0.95 – 0.81 (m, 6H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.3, 37.4, 36.9, 33.3, 30.1, 26.7, 26.4, 26.2, 25.1.

2f, colorless oil, 84% yield.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.44 (t, *J* = 7.60 Hz, 4H), 1.86-1.69 (m, 10H), 1.65-1.49 (m, 8H), 1.12-1.09 (m, 4H).

2g, colorless oil, 77% yield.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.32 (s, 4H), 1.10 (s, 18H).

2h, colorless oil, 67% yield.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.85 (t, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 4H), 2.69 (t, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 4H), 2.21 (d, *J* = 3.7 Hz, 6H).

2i, white solid, 58% yield.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 3.72 (s, 6H), 2.81 – 2.69 (m, 8H).

2j, white solid, 68% yield.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.31 (t, *J* = 7.04 Hz, 4H), 7.2m 7-7.17 (m, 6H), 3.03 (t, *J* = 7.64 Hz, 4H), 2.74 (t, *J* = 8.20 Hz, 4H).

2k, white solid, 73% yield.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.22 – 7.12 (m, 2H), 7.05 – 6.94 (m, 2H), 3.00 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 2.72 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.21, 161.72 (d, *J* = 244.7 Hz), 134.9, 129.8 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz), 115.5 (d, *J* = 21.7 Hz), 31.8, 29.9.

2l, white solid, 58% yield.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.27 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.14 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 3.00 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 2.72 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.8, 138.3, 133.3, 130.3, 129.5, 32.2, 30.7.

2m, white solid, 62% yield.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.99 – 7.94 (m, 4H), 7.59 – 7.53 (m, 2H), 7.49 – 7.43 (m, 4H), 3.14 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 4H), 2.60 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 4H), 2.18 (p, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 4H).

2n, colorless oil, 41% yield.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.89-5.79 (m, 2H), 5.14-5.06 (m, 4H), 2.56 (dd, *J* = 1.84 Hz, J2 = 8.52 Hz, 4H), 2.49 (dd, J1 = 6.32 Hz, J2 = 13.48 Hz, 4H).

2o, colorless oil, 53% yield.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.17 (d, *J* = 5.1 Hz, 1H), 7.00 – 6.93 (m, 1H), 6.86 (d, *J* = 3.4 Hz, 1H), 2.98 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 2.52 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 2.23 – 2.02 (m, 2H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 168.8, 143.2, 126.9, 125.0, 123.5, 29.0, 28.8, 26.7.

2p, white solid, 52% yield.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.76-1.70 (m, 2H), 1.18-1.14 (m, 4H), 1.08-1.03 (m, 4H).

2q, colorless oil, 47% yield.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 3.40 – 3.21 (m, 2H), 2.55 – 2.37 (m, 4H), 2.37 – 2.22 (m, 4H), 2.15 – 1.92 (m, 4H).

2r, colorless oil, 53% yield.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.94 – 2.80 (m, 2H), 2.06 – 1.87 (m, 8H), 1.84 – 1.70 (m, 4H), 1.69 – 1.56 (m, 4H).

2s, colorless oil, 62% yield.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 2.56 – 2.47 (m, 2H), 2.03 – 1.92 (m, 4H), 1.85 – 1.75 (m, 4H), 1.70 – 1.60 (m, 4H), 1.35 – 1.26 (m, 8H).

2t, colorless oil, 62% yield.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 2.64 – 2.48 (m, 2H), 1.81 – 1.72 (m, 2H), 1.63 – 1.54 (m, 2H), 1.30 – 1.25 (m, 6H), 1.03 – 0.96 (m, 6H).

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 172.4, 110.0, 38.0, 27.0, 27.0, 16.9, 16.9, 11.5.

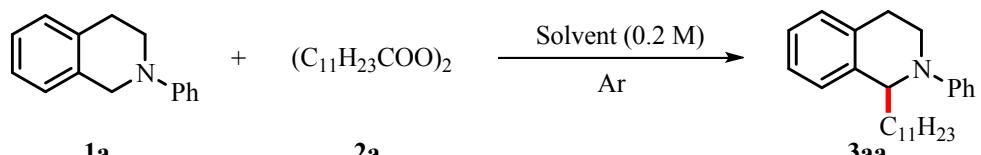
2u, colorless oil, 76% yield.

^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 2.37 (m, 2H), 1.76 – 1.58 (m, 4H), 0.99 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 6H).

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 171.9, 45.8, 25.4, 11.7.

3. Investigation of the Key Reaction Parameters.

Table S1. Screening of solvent.^a



entry	solvent	yield ^b (%)
1	DMF	trace
2	DMSO	trace
3	DMA	trace
4	ether	trace
5	1,4-dioxane	trace
6	acetone	trace
7	DCM	37%
8	EtOH	36%
9	PhMe	trace
10	DCE	67%
11	IPA	trace
12	<i>n</i> -BuOH	trace
13	1,2-PG	40%
14	EG	trace
15	MeOH	76%
16	MeCN	84%
17	MeCN with 10 mol % CuI	81%
18	MeCN with air condition	none

^aReaction conditions: **1a** (0.2 mmol) and **2a** (0.2 mmol) in solvent (1 mL) were stirred in an 8 mL bottle at rt under Ar for 24 h. ^bIsolated yields are given.

Table S2. Screening of concentration.^a

1a	2a	MeCN Ar	3aa
entry	concentration		yield ^b (%)
1	0.05M		47%
2	0.1M		74%
3	0.2M		91%
4	0.4M		90%

^aReaction conditions: **1a** (0.2 mmol) and **2a** (0.2 mmol) in MeCN were stirred in an 8 mL bottle at rt under Ar for 24 h. ^bIsolated yields are given.

Table S3. Screening of ratio of **1a** to **2a**.^a

1a	2a	MeCN (0.2 M) Ar	3aa
entry	ratio (1a : 2a)		yield ^b (%)
1	1:1		89%
2	1:1.1		92%
3	1:1.5		89%

^aReaction conditions: **1a** (0.2 mmol) and **2a** in MeCN (1 ml) were stirred in an 8 mL bottle at rt under Ar for 24 h. ^bIsolated yields are given.

Table S4. Screening of oxidant.^a

If we uses 0.5 equivalent of diacyl peroxides, we assumed there should be an oxidant in the reaction system. The results are as follows.

1a	2a	MeCN (0.2 M) Ar, r.t., 24 h	3aa
entry	oxidant		yield
1	<i>t</i> -BPA		31%
2	<i>t</i> -BHP		none

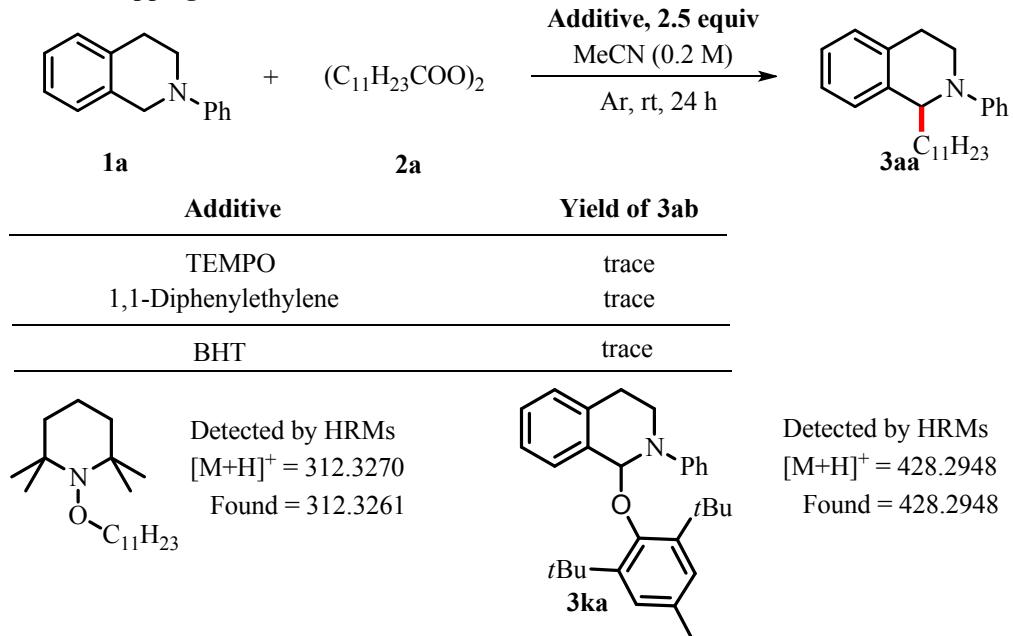
3	<i>t</i> -BPB	24%
4	H ₂ O ₂	none
5	Na ₂ S ₂ O ₈	45%
6	K ₂ S ₂ O ₈	57%
7	(NH ₄) ₂ S ₂ O ₈	42%
8	DDQ	none
9	NaClO ₂	none
10	DCP	trace

Reaction conditions: 1a (0.2 mmol), 2a (0.1 mmol) and oxidant (0.1 mmol) in MeCN (1 mL) were stirred in an 8 mL bottle at rt under Ar for 24 h. Isolated yields are given.

4. Investigation of the mechanism.

4.1 Radical trapping experiment

Radical trapping

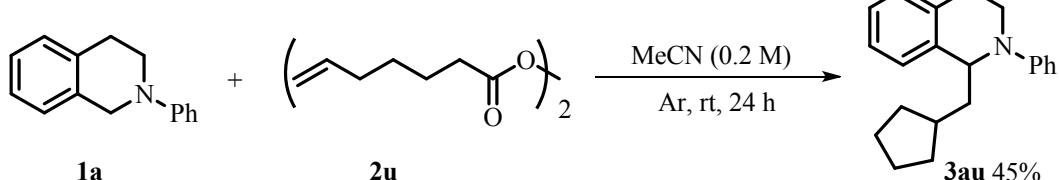


Scheme S1

To a 8 mL glass vial was added **1a** (0.2 mmol), **2a** (0.22 mmol), MeCN (1 ml) and additive (TEMPO (0.5 mmol), 1,1-diphenylethylene (0.5 mmol) or BHT (0.5 mmol)). The reaction mixture was degassed by bubbling with argon for 15-20 s with an outlet needle and the vial was sealed with PTFE cap. The mixture was then stirred at room temperature for 24 h.

4.2 Radical clock experiment

Radical clock

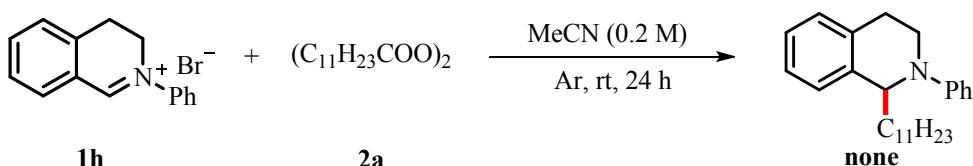


Scheme S2

To a 8 mL glass vial was added **1a** (0.2 mmol), **2u** (0.22 mmol) and MeCN (1 ml). The reaction mixture was degassed by bubbling with argon for 15-20 s with an outlet needle and the vial was sealed with PTFE cap. The mixture was then stirred at room temperature for 24 h. Isolated yield is given.

4.3 Radical addition exclusion experiment

Radical addition exclusion experiment



Scheme S3

To a 8 mL glass vial was added **1h** (0.2 mmol)^[3], **2a** (0.22 mmol) and MeCN (1 ml). The reaction mixture was degassed by bubbling with argon for 15-20 s with an outlet needle and the vial was sealed with PTFE cap. The mixture was then stirred at room temperature for 24 h. No target product was obtained.

5. Experimental Procedures and Product Characterization.

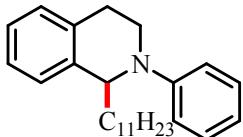
General Procedure for the α -aminoalkylation of *N*-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline:

To a 8 mL glass vial was added **1h** (0.2 mmol), **2a** (0.22 mmol) and MeCN (1 ml). The reaction mixtures were degassed by bubbling with argon for 15-20 s with an outlet needle and the vials were sealed with PTFE caps. The mixtures were then stirred at room temperature for 24 h. The reaction mixture was concentrated in vacuum to remove the solvent. Purification of the crude product by flash chromatography on silica gel using the indicated solvent system afforded the desired product ((Petroleum ether/EtOAc from 4/1 to 100/1).

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2-phenyl-1-undecyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3aa)



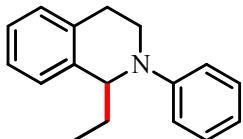
Yield (66 mg, 91%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.26-7.19 (m, 2H), 7.17-7.07 (m, 4H), 6.86 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 6.70 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 4.63 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 3.66-3.51 (m, 1H), 3.06-2.93 (m, 1H), 2.90-2.77 (m, 1H), 2.01-1.86 (m, 1H), 1.75-1.62 (m, 1H), 1.53-1.35 (m, 2H), 1.35-1.18 (m, 16H), 0.88 (t, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 149.7, 139.3, 135.0, 129.2, 128.5, 127.3, 126.4, 125.7, 116.9, 113.7, 59.2, 41.8, 36.8, 32.0, 29.7, 29.7, 29.4, 27.1, 26.9, 22.7, 14.2.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₆H₃₇N [M + H]⁺ 364.2999, found 364.3006.

1-ethyl-2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3ab)



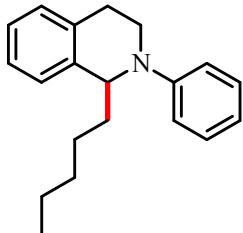
Yield (32 mg, 68%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.27 – 7.19 (m, 2H), 7.20 – 7.07 (m, 4H), 6.87 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 6.71 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 4.55 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 3.68 – 3.49 (m, 2H), 3.10 – 2.96 (m, 1H), 2.91 – 2.79 (m, 1H), 2.05 – 1.89 (m, 1H), 1.82 – 1.67 (m, 1H), 1.00 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 149.8, 138.9, 135.1, 129.3, 128.5, 127.5, 126.5, 125.7, 116.9, 113.6, 60.7, 42.0, 29.6, 27.3, 11.5.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₁₇H₁₉N [M + H]⁺ 238.1590, found 238.1597.

1-pentyl-2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3ac)



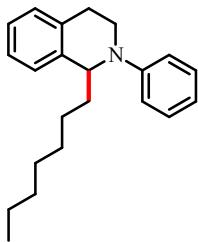
Yield (41 mg, 74%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.23 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.18-7.04 (m, 4H), 6.86 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 6.70 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 4.63 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 3.68-3.36 (m, 2H), 3.09-2.92 (m, 1H), 2.91-2.73 (m, 1H), 2.07-1.84 (m, 1H), 1.77-1.58 (m, 1H), 1.57-1.34 (m, 2H), 1.34-1.15 (m, 4H), 0.97-0.76 (m, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 149.7, 139.3, 135.0, 129.2, 128.5, 127.3, 126.4, 125.7, 116.9, 113.7, 59.3, 41.8, 36.8, 31.9, 27.1, 26.6, 22.7, 14.1.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₀H₂₅N [M + H]⁺ 280.2060, found 280.2064.

(1-octyl-2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3ad)



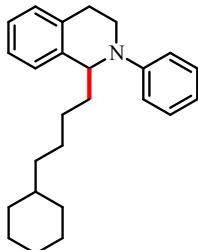
Yield (42 mg, 69%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.26-7.18 (m, 2H), 7.17-7.05 (m, 4H), 6.85 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 6.70 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 4.62 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 3.68-3.49 (m, 2H), 3.06-2.94 (m, 1H), 2.89-2.77 (m, 1H), 2.01-1.87 (m, 1H), 1.75-1.61 (m, 1H), 1.54-1.33 (m, 2H), 1.33-1.14 (m, 8H), 0.86 (t, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 149.7, 139.3, 135.0, 129.3, 128.5, 127.4, 126.4, 125.7, 116.9, 113.7, 59.8, 41.8, 36.9, 31.9, 29.7, 29.4, 27.1, 27.0, 22.7, 14.16.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₂H₂₉N [M + H]⁺ 308.2373, found 308.2380.

1-(4-cyclohexylbutyl)-2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3ae)



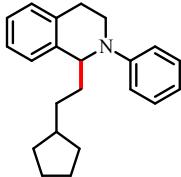
Yield (64 mg, 92%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.23 (t, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.19-7.05 (m, 4H), 6.86 (t, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 6.71 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 4.63 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 3.68-3.51 (m, 2H), 3.10-2.94 (m, 1H), 2.89-2.75 (m, 1H), 2.07-1.85 (m, 1H), 1.82-1.52 (m, 6H), 1.51-1.05 (m, 10H), 0.94-0.73 (m, 2H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 149.7, 139.3, 135.0, 129.3, 128.5, 127.4, 126.4, 125.8, 116.9, 113.6, 59.3, 41.8, 37.7, 37.6, 36.9, 33.5, 27.3, 27.1, 27.0, 26.8, 26.5.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₅H₃₃N [M + H]⁺ 348.2686, found 348.2698.

1-(2-cyclopentylethyl)-2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3af)



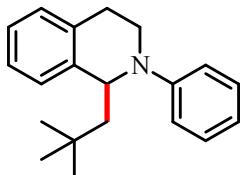
Yield (54 mg, 88%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.22 (t, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.17-7.05 (m, 4H), 6.86 (t, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 6.70 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 4.61 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 3.71-3.46 (m, 2H), 3.10-2.92 (m, 1H), 2.89-2.76 (m, 1H), 2.11-1.85 (m, 1H), 1.82-1.65 (m, 4H), 1.63-1.37 (m, 6H), 1.18-0.94 (m, 2H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 149.7, 139.3, 134.9, 129.2, 128.5, 127.3, 126.3, 125.7, 116.9, 113.7, 59.5, 41.7, 40.2, 36.1, 33.4, 32.8, 32.7, 27.0, 25.3.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₂H₂₇N [M + H]⁺ 306.2216, found 306.2221.

1-neopentyl-2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3ag)



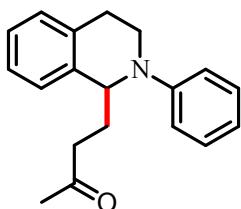
Yield (46 mg, 82%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.23-7.16 (m, 2H), 7.16-7.05 (m, 3H), 7.01 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 6.92 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.72 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 4.83 (d, *J* = 9.9 Hz, 1H), 3.84-3.73 (m, 1H), 3.73-3.60 (m, 1H), 3.00-2.85 (m, 1H), 2.61-2.47 (m, 1H), 2.10-1.98 (m, 1H), 1.60-1.48 (m, 1H), 1.06-0.95 (m, 9H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 149.7, 140.3, 135.0, 129.2, 129.1, 127.5, 126.0, 125.8, 117.9, 116.1, 55.5, 50.3, 41.3, 31.3, 30.0, 25.0.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₀H₂₅N [M + H]⁺ 280.2060, found 280.2060.

4-(2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinolin-1-yl)butan-2-one (3ah)



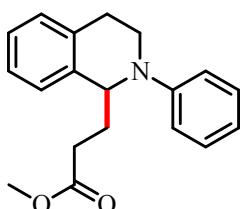
Yield (35 mg, 62%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.28 – 7.22 (m, 2H), 7.21 – 7.08 (m, 4H), 6.91 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 6.76 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 4.82 – 4.70 (m, 1H), 3.75 – 3.51 (m, 2H), 3.10 – 2.94 (m, 1H), 2.85 – 2.71 (m, 1H), 2.60 (t, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 2H), 2.30 – 2.19 (m, 1H), 2.17 – 2.00 (m, 5H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 208.6, 149.9, 138.4, 134.9, 129.4, 128.8, 127.3, 126.6, 126.0, 117.7, 114.6, 58.0, 41.5, 40.4, 30.4, 30.4, 30.3, 26.4.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₁₉H₂₁NO [M + H]⁺ 280.1696, found 280.1701.

methyl 3-(2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinolin-1-yl)propanoate (3ai)



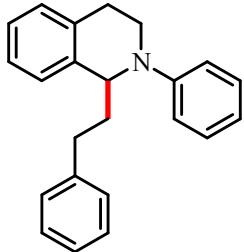
Yield (46 mg, 78%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.22 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 2H), 7.18-7.07 (m, 4H), 6.88 (d, *J* = 9.1 Hz, 2H), 6.73 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 4.73 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 3.64 (s, 3H), 3.62-3.56(m, 2H), 3.05-2.92 (m, 1H), 2.82-2.72 (m, 1H), 2.45 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 2.34-2.22 (m, 1H), 2.14-2.00 (m, 1H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 174.0, 149.8, 138.1, 135.0, 129.3, 128.8, 127.3, 126.6, 126.0, 117.8, 114.6, 58.2, 51.6, 41.8, 31.5, 31.2, 26.5.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₁₉H₂₁NO₂ [M + H]⁺ 296.1645, found 296.1649.

1-phenethyl-2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3aj)



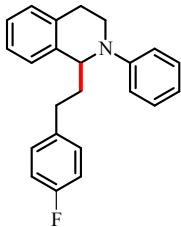
Yield (46 mg, 74%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.31-7.07 (m, 10H), 6.83 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 6.72 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 4.67 (d, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 3.63 (d, *J* = 6.1 Hz, 1H), 3.10-2.91 (m, 1H), 2.87-2.63 (m, 3H), 2.36-2.19 (m, 1H), 2.11-1.96 (m, 1H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 149.7, 142.0, 138.8, 135.1, 129.3, 128.7, 128.5, 128.5, 128.4, 127.3, 126.5, 125.9, 117.4, 114.2, 58.5, 41.9, 38.4, 33.0, 26.9.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₃H₂₃N [M + H]⁺ 314.1903, found 314.1900.

1-(4-fluorophenethyl)-2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3ak)



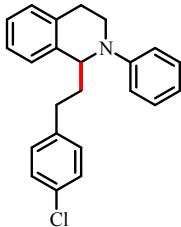
Yield (47 mg, 71%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.26 (d, *J* = 2.5 Hz, 2H), 7.25-7.18 (m, 2H), 7.18-7.07 (m, 4H), 6.94 (td, *J* = 8.7, 2.5 Hz, 2H), 6.84 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 6.74 (t, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 1H), 4.66 (t, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 1H), 3.65 (t, *J* = 6.1 Hz, 1H), 3.10-2.91 (m, 1H), 2.87-2.65 (m, 3H), 2.32-2.19 (m, 1H), 2.13-1.96 (m, 1H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 161.3 (d, *J* = 243.0 Hz), 149.73, 138.73, 137.6 (d, *J* = 3.8 Hz), 135.05, 129.9 (d, *J* = 7.7 Hz), 129.30, 128.78, 127.26, 126.58, 125.92, 117.54, 115.22, 115.00, 114.41, 58.30, 41.91, 38.57, 32.15, 26.78.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₃H₂₂FN [M + H]⁺ 332.1809, found 332.1816.

1-(4-chlorophenethyl)-2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3al)



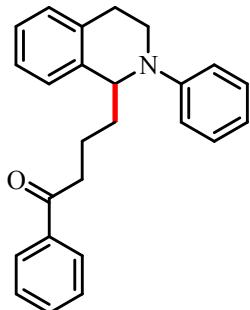
Yield (46 mg, 67%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.25-7.05 (m, 10H), 6.84 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 6.74 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 4.66 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 3.71-3.57 (m, 2H), 3.10-2.96 (m, 1H), 2.85-2.63 (m, 3H), 2.33-2.19 (m, 1H), 2.12-1.96 (m, 1H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 149.7, 140.4, 138.6, 135.0, 131.5, 129.9, 129.3, 128.8, 128.5, 127.2, 126.6, 125.9, 117.6, 114.5, 58.3, 41.9, 38.3, 32.3, 26.7.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₃H₂₂ClN [M + H]⁺ 348.1514, found 348.1515.

1-phenyl-4-(2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinolin-1-yl)butan-1-one (3am)



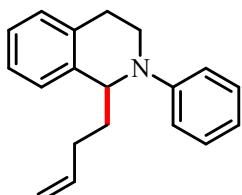
Yield (36 mg, 50%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.90 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 7.52 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 7.42 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.27-7.18 (m, 2H), 7.18-1.06 (m, 4H), 6.98 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 6.88 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 6.72 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 4.70 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 3.66-3.55 (m, 2H), 3.05-2.90 (m, 3H), 2.88-2.74 (m, 1H), 2.11-1.72 (m, 4H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 200.1, 149.7, 138.8, 137.0, 134.9, 133.0, 129.3, 128.6, 128.6, 128.0, 127.3, 126.5, 125.9, 117.3, 114.2, 59.0, 41.9, 38.3, 36.3, 26.9, 21.7.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₅H₂₅NO [M + H]⁺ 356.2009, found 356.2016.

1-(but-3-en-1-yl)-2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3an)



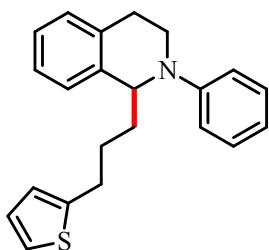
Yield (32 mg, 60%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.27-7.18 (m, 2H), 7.18-7.08 (m, 4H), 6.87 (d, *J* = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 6.71 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 5.93-5.77 (m, 1H), 5.09-5.01 (m, 1H), 5.01-4.95 (m, 1H), 4.68 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 3.64-3.55 (m, 2H), 3.08-2.94 (m, 1H), 2.88-2.76 (m, 1H), 2.30-2.11 (m, 2H), 2.11-1.98 (m, 1H), 1.87-1.74 (m, 1H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 149.7, 138.9, 138.3, 135.1, 129.3, 128.6, 127.3, 126.5, 125.8, 117.2, 115.0, 114.0, 58.5, 41.8, 35.8, 30.9, 26.9.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₁₉H₂₁N [M + H]⁺ 264.1747, found 264.1746.

2-phenyl-1-(3-(thiophen-2-yl)propyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3ao)



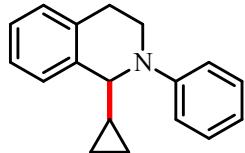
Yield (49 mg, 74%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.26–7.18 (m, 4H), 7.17–7.11 (m, 2H), 7.11–7.06 (m, 2H), 6.84 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 6.74 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 4.66 (t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 1H), 3.71–3.55 (m, 2H), 3.10–2.94 (m, 1H), 2.90–2.64 (m, 3H), 2.36–2.13 (m, 1H), 2.11–1.91 (m, 1H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 149.7, 140.4, 138.6, 135.0, 131.5, 129.8, 129.3, 128.8, 128.5, 127.2, 126.6, 125.9, 117.6, 114.4, 58.3, 41.9, 38.3, 32.3, 26.7.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₂H₂₃NS [M + H]⁺ 334.1624, found 334.1626.

1-cyclopropyl-2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3ap)



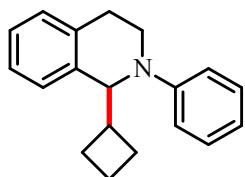
Yield (23 mg, 47%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.27–7.19 (m, 2H), 7.19–7.05 (m, 4H), 6.93 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 6.75 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 4.42 (d, *J* = 6.3 Hz, 1H), 3.82–3.70 (m, 1H), 3.66–3.55 (m, 1H), 3.08–2.95 (m, 1H), 2.95–2.80 (m, 1H), 1.39–1.16 (m, 2H), 0.60–0.38 (m, 2H), 0.35–0.17 (m, 2H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 150.0, 137.4, 135.1, 129.2, 128.5, 127.4, 126.7, 125.6, 117.7, 114.9, 61.9, 42.3, 27.4, 16.5, 3.8, 2.9.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₁₈H₁₉N [M + H]⁺ 250.1590, found 250.1596.

1-cyclobutyl-2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3aq)



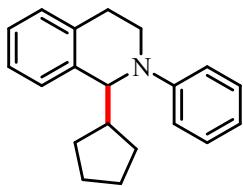
Yield (46 mg, 88%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.28 (t, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.23–7.13 (m, 4H), 6.98 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 6.78 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 4.60 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 3.75–3.55 (m, 2H), 3.15–3.00 (m, 1H), 2.95–2.72 (m, 2H), 2.08–1.87 (m, 4H), 1.87–1.68 (m, 2H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 150.3, 137.6, 134.8, 129.2, 128.7, 127.2, 126.5, 125.6, 117.3, 114.5, 63.3, 42.0, 41.7, 27.5, 27.0, 26.7, 18.1.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₁₉H₂₁N [M + H]⁺ 264.1747, found 264.1749.

1-cyclopentyl-2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3ar)



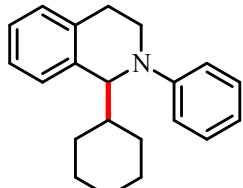
Yield (24 mg, 43%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.23-7.03 (m, 6H), 6.88 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 6.68 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 4.53 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 3.80-3.55 (m, 2H), 3.01-2.94 (m, 1H), 2.95-2.79 (m, 1H), 2.42-2.21 (m, 1H), 1.89-1.77 (m, 1H), 1.75-1.57 (m, 3H), 1.54-1.33 (m, 4H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 150.0, 138.9, 134.9, 129.1, 128.6, 127.7, 126.5, 125.3, 116.8, 113.8, 62.8, 47.2, 42.0, 31.1, 30.6, 26.7, 25.2, 24.4.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₀H₂₃N [M + H]⁺ 278.1903, found 278.1912.

1-cyclohexyl-2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3as)



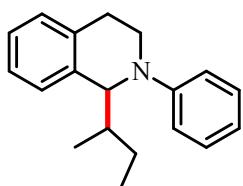
Yield (46 mg, 79%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.24-7.18 (m, 2H), 7.17-7.03 (m, 4H), 6.85 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.67 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 4.41 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 3.77-3.66 (m, 1H), 3.51-3.39 (m, 1H), 3.09-2.91 (m, 2H), 1.97 (d, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 1.86-1.65 (m, 5H), 1.20-0.96 (m, 5H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 150.0, 137.9, 135.3, 129.1, 128.4, 128.2, 126.6, 125.2, 116.3, 112.9, 63.8, 44.1, 43.0, 30.9, 30.7, 27.4, 26.7, 26.5, 26.4.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₁H₂₅N [M + H]⁺ 292.2060, found 292.2060.

1-(sec-butyl)-2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3at)



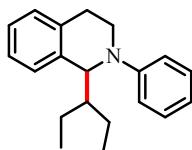
Yield (33 mg, 62%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.21 (t, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.17-7.04 (m, 4H), 6.85 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 6.67 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 4.45 (t, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 1H), 3.78-3.64 (m, 1H), 3.53-3.37 (m, 1H), 3.09-2.86 (m, 2H), 1.94-1.80 (m, 1H), 1.80-1.50 (m, 1H), 1.23-1.07 (m, 1H), 1.06-0.90 (m, 3H), 0.90-0.82 (m, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 150.2, 150.1, 138.3, 138.0, 135.4, 129.1, 128.3, 128.2, 128.2, 126.6, 125.3, 125.3, 116.5, 116.5, 113.2, 113.2, 63.8, 63.3, 43.3, 43.2, 41.3, 41.2, 27.5, 26.7, 26.3, 16.5, 16.4, 12.2, 11.8.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₁₉H₂₃N [M + H]⁺ 266.1903, found 266.1909.

1-(pentan-3-yl)-2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3au)



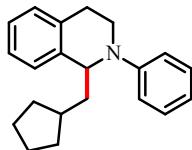
Yield (42 mg, 77%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.23-7.16 (m, 1H), 7.16-7.07 (m, 4H), 6.86 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 6.67 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 4.60 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 1H), 3.75-3.65 (m, 2H), 3.56-3.47 (m, 1H), 2.97 (t, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 2H), 1.78-1.68 (m, 1H), 1.65-1.53 (m, 1H), 1.53-1.40 (m, 2H), 1.38-1.23 (m, 1H), 0.92-0.82 (m, 6H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 150.3, 138.6, 135.3, 129.1, 128.4, 128.0, 126.5, 125.3, 116.6, 113.6, 60.3, 46.2, 43.1, 26.9, 21.9, 21.9, 11.4, 10.5.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₀H₂₅N [M + H]⁺ 280.2060, found 280.2064.

1-(cyclopentylmethyl)-2-phenyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3av)



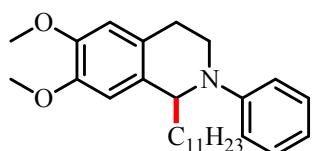
Yield (26 mg, 45%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.29 – 7.23 (m, 2H), 7.22 – 7.09 (m, 4H), 6.93 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 6.74 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 4.76 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 3.66 (t, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 2H), 3.15 – 2.97 (m, 1H), 2.93 – 2.79 (m, 1H), 2.15 – 1.87 (m, 3H), 1.88 – 1.61 (m, 4H), 1.59 – 1.49 (m, 2H), 1.36 – 1.15 (m, 2H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 149.7, 139.3, 134.9, 129.3, 128.6, 127.3, 126.4, 125.7, 116.9, 113.8, 58.2, 43.0, 41.5, 37.1, 33.2, 32.8, 26.7, 25.4, 25.0.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₁H₂₅N [M + H]⁺ 292.2060, found 292.2062.

6,7-dimethoxy-2-phenyl-1-undecyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3ba)



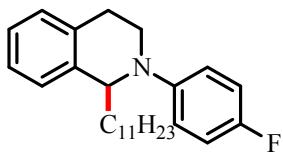
Yield (74 mg, 88%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.28-7.17 (m, 2H), 6.87 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 6.70 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 6.60 (d, *J* = 5.5 Hz, 2H), 4.56 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 3.86 (s, 3H), 3.83 (s, 3H), 3.68-3.52 (m, 2H), 3.00-2.85 (m, 1H), 2.74-2.64 (m, 1H), 2.00-1.85 (m, 1H), 1.77-1.55 (m, 2H), 1.55-1.37 (m, 1H), 1.37-1.25 (m, 1H), 0.88-0.85 (m, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 150.0, 131.3, 129.2, 126.9, 117.1, 114.2, 111.5, 110.6, 58.9, 41.6, 36.9, 31.9, 29.8, 29.7, 29.6, 29.5, 29.4, 29.3, 29.1, 27.0, 26.3, 24.7, 22.7, 14.2.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₈H₄₁NO₂ [M + H]⁺ 424.3210, found 424.3221.

2-(4-fluorophenyl)-1-undecyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3ca)



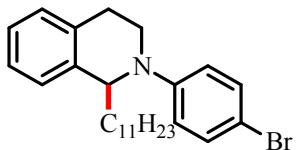
Yield (68 mg, 90%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.19-7.05 (m, 4H), 6.96-6.87 (m, 2H), 6.83-6.75 (m, 2H), 4.50 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 3.66-3.45 (m, 2H), 3.02-2.88 (m, 1H), 2.83-2.72 (m, 1H), 2.01-1.80 (m, 1H), 1.75-1.60 (m, 1H), 1.55-1.34 (m, 2H), 1.34-1.18 (m, 16H), 0.88 (t, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 155.75 (d, *J* = 236.2 Hz), 146.66, 139.10, 134.74, 128.64, 127.30, 126.36, 125.77, 115.83, 115.75, 115.62, 115.39, 59.79, 42.52, 36.82, 31.94, 29.68, 29.64, 29.37, 26.92, 26.70, 22.72, 14.14.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₆H₃₆FN [M + H]⁺ 382.2905, found 382.2911.

2-(4-bromophenyl)-1-undecyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3da)



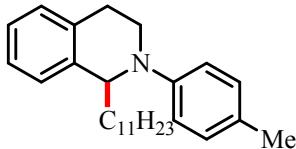
Yield (80 mg, 91%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.32-7.26 (m, 2H), 7.19-7.05 (m, 4H), 6.75-6.68 (m, 2H), 4.56 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 3.66-3.45 (m, 2H), 3.06-2.93 (m, 1H), 2.91-2.80 (m, 1H), 1.98-1.84 (m, 1H), 1.73-1.60 (m, 1H), 1.50-1.34 (m, 2H), 1.34-1.18 (m, 16H), 0.88 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 148.61, 138.77, 134.68, 131.86, 128.48, 127.28, 126.54, 125.84, 115.16, 108.60, 59.24, 41.99, 36.66, 31.93, 29.65, 29.62, 29.35, 27.02, 26.83, 22.70, 14.14.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₆H₃₆BrN [M + H]⁺ 442.2104, found 442.2090.

2-(*p*-tolyl)-1-undecyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3ea)



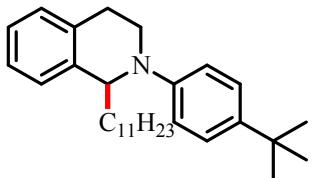
Yield (67 mg, 89%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.16-7.06 (m, 4H), 7.03 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.79 (d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 4.57 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 3.63-3.52 (m, 2H), 3.05-2.93 (m, 1H), 2.84-2.73 (m, 1H), 2.23 (s, 3H), 1.96-1.85 (m, 1H), 1.73-1.62 (m, 1H), 1.47-1.25 (m, 2H), 1.33-1.15 (m, 16H), 0.88 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 147.8, 139.4, 135.0, 129.7, 128.6, 127.3, 126.4, 126.2, 125.6, 114.4, 59.4, 42.0, 36.8, 32.0, 29.7, 29.7, 29.7, 29.4, 26.9, 26.8, 22.7, 20.3, 14.2.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₇H₃₉N [M + H]⁺ 378.3155, found 378.3169.

2-(4-(tert-butyl)phenyl)-1-undecyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3fa)



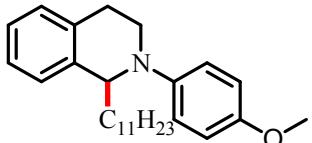
Yield (77 mg, 92%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.37 – 7.28 (m, 2H), 7.24 – 7.11 (m, 4H), 6.93 – 6.84 (m, 2H), 4.67 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 3.74 – 3.57 (m, 2H), 3.14 – 3.02 (m, 1H), 2.93 – 2.81 (m, 1H), 2.08 – 1.94 (m, 1H), 1.82 – 1.68 (m, 1H), 1.63 – 1.41 (m, 2H), 1.40 – 1.28 (m, 25H), 0.95 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 147.5, 139.5, 139.4, 135.1, 128.5, 127.3, 126.3, 126.0, 125.7, 113.4, 59.5, 41.8, 37.0, 33.8, 32.0, 31.6, 29.8, 29.7, 29.7, 29.4, 27.0, 27.0, 22.8, 14.2.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₃₀H₄₅N [M + H]⁺ 420.3625, found 420.3625.

2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-1-undecyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3ga)



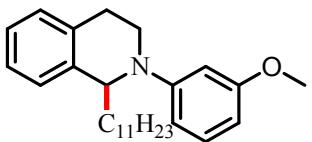
Yield (71 mg, 92%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.23 – 7.11 (m, 4H), 6.95 – 6.81 (m, 4H), 4.53 (t, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 1H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 3.67 – 3.52 (m, 2H), 3.07 – 2.94 (m, 1H), 2.84 – 2.72 (m, 1H), 2.02 – 1.87 (m, 1H), 1.79 – 1.67 (m, 1H), 1.58 – 1.41 (m, 2H), 1.40 – 1.24 (m, 16H), 0.93 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 152.3, 144.8, 139.5, 134.9, 128.7, 127.3, 126.2, 125.7, 117.0, 114.7, 59.9, 55.7, 36.8, 32.0, 29.8, 29.7, 29.4, 27.0, 26.6, 22.8, 14.2.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₇H₃₉NO [M + H]⁺ 394.3104, found 394.3104.

2-(3-methoxyphenyl)-1-undecyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3ha)



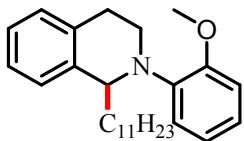
Yield (68 mg, 88%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.18 – 7.06 (m, 5H), 6.48 (dd, *J* = 8.3, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.40 (t, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.28 (dd, *J* = 8.1, 2.3 Hz, 1H), 4.61 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.65 – 3.49 (m, 2H), 3.08 – 2.95 (m, 1H), 2.91 – 2.77 (m, 1H), 2.04 – 1.87 (m, 1H), 1.77 – 1.58 (m, 1H), 1.53 – 1.35 (m, 2H), 1.34 – 1.19 (m, 16H), 0.88 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 160.8, 151.0, 139.1, 135.0, 129.9, 128.5, 127.3, 126.4, 125.7, 106.6, 101.4, 100.1, 59.4, 55.1, 41.9, 36.8, 31.9, 29.7, 29.7, 29.7, 29.6, 29.4, 27.2, 26.9, 22.7, 14.2.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₇H₃₉NO [M + H]⁺ 394.3104, found 394.3107.

2-(2-methoxyphenyl)-1-undecyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3ia)



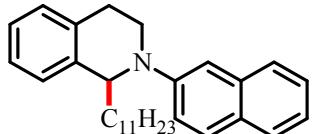
Yield (70 mg, 91%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.20 – 7.03 (m, 4H), 6.97 – 6.90 (m, 1H), 6.89 – 6.75 (m, 3H), 4.46 (dd, *J* = 7.8, 5.4 Hz, 1H), 3.86 (s, 3H), 3.63 – 3.47 (m, 2H), 2.92 – 2.77 (m, 1H), 2.68 – 2.56 (m, 1H), 1.90 – 1.78 (m, 1H), 1.72 – 1.58 (m, 1H), 1.49 – 1.33 (m, 2H), 1.29 – 1.15 (m, 16H), 0.87 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 152.9, 141.0, 140.1, 134.8, 129.0, 127.1, 125.9, 125.5, 122.3, 121.6, 120.9, 112.2, 59.5, 55.7, 42.3, 36.4, 31.9, 29.7, 29.7, 29.6, 29.6, 29.4, 27.1, 26.8, 22.7, 14.2.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₇H₃₉NO [M + H]⁺ 94.3104, found 394.3107.

2-(4-fluorophenyl)-1-undecyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3ja)



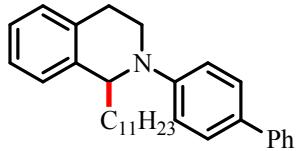
Yield (45 mg, 55%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.70 (d, *J* = 9.1 Hz, 1H), 7.66 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 7.61 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 1H), 7.34 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.27 (dd, *J* = 9.1, 2.6 Hz, 1H), 7.23-7.09 (m, 5H), 7.05 (d, *J* = 2.5 Hz, 1H), 4.79 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 3.83-3.60 (m, 2H), 3.14-2.99 (m, 1H), 2.94-2.75 (m, 1H), 2.06-1.91 (m, 1H), 1.81-1.67 (m, 1H), 1.55-1.36 (m, 2H), 1.31-1.20 (m, 16H), 0.87 (t, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 147.63, 139.15, 135.03, 134.81, 128.81, 128.61, 127.34, 127.15, 126.40, 126.22, 126.13, 125.77, 122.19, 117.57, 107.91, 59.21, 41.95, 36.84, 31.93, 29.70, 29.66, 29.62, 29.35, 27.07, 26.95, 22.70, 14.14.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₃₀H₃₉N [M + H]⁺ 414.3155, found 414.3154.

2-([1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)-1-undecyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (3ka)



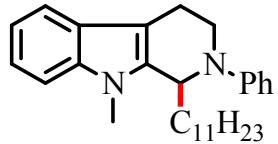
Yield (60 mg, 67%). Colorless oil.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.58 – 7.52 (m, 3H), 7.50 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.38 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 3H), 7.24 (d, *J* = 4.7 Hz, 1H), 7.19 – 7.07 (m, 4H), 6.92 (d, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 2H), 4.68 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 3.71 – 3.55 (m, 2H), 3.10 – 2.98 (m, 1H), 2.94 – 2.82 (m, 1H), 2.05 – 1.89 (m, 1H), 1.78 – 1.65 (m, 1H), 1.52 – 1.37 (m, 1H), 1.35 – 1.19 (m, 17H), 0.87 (t, *J* = 6.5 Hz, 3H).

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 149.0, 141.2, 139.1, 134.9, 129.5, 128.7, 128.5, 127.9, 127.4, 126.5, 126.3, 126.0, 125.8, 113.6, 59.3, 41.9, 36.8, 32.0, 29.7, 29.7, 29.4, 27.2, 26.9, 22.7, 14.2.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₃₂H₃₄N [M + H]⁺ 440.3312, found 440.3302.

9-methyl-2-phenyl-1-undecyl-2,3,4,9-tetrahydro-1H-pyrido[3,4-b]indole (3na)



Yield (52 mg, 63%). Colorless oil.

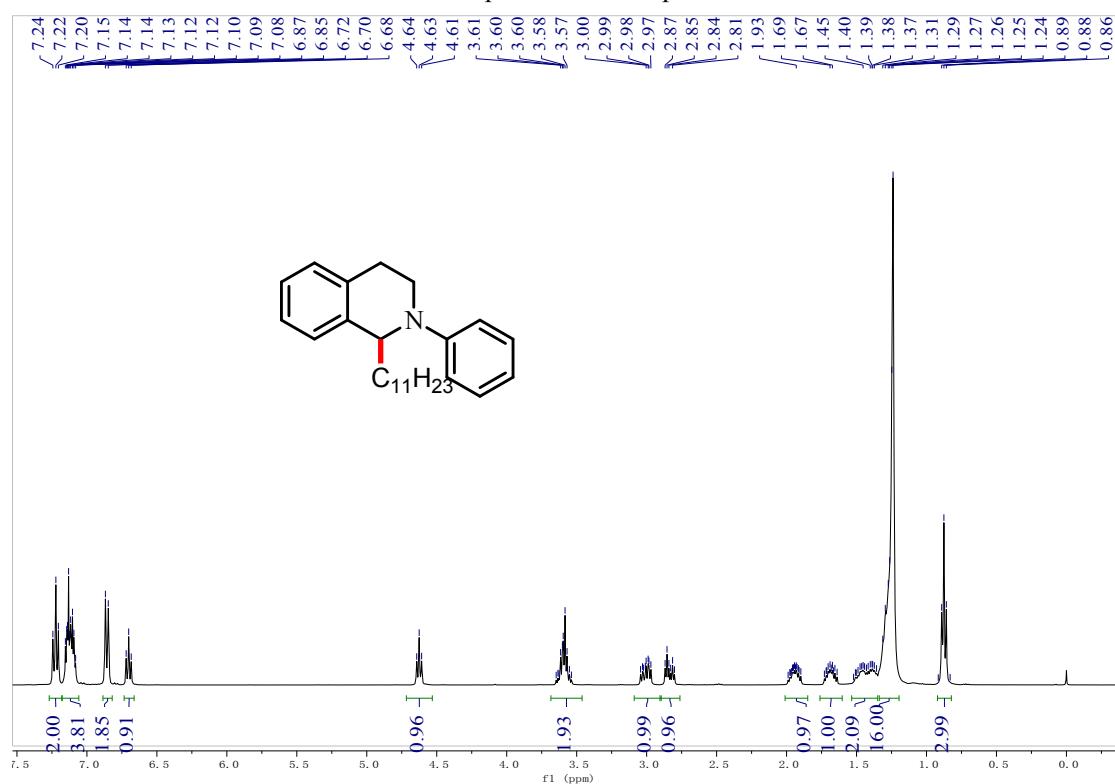
¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.44 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.24 (d, *J* = 8.7 Hz, 1H), 6.22-7.13 (m, 3H), 7.06 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 6.96 (t, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 2H), 6.73 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 4.70 (d, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 1H), 3.99-3.85 (m, 1H), 3.72-3.55 (m, 4H), 3.04-2.92 (m, 1H), 2.68-2.52 (m, 1H), 2.05-1.87 (m, 1H), 1.85-1.72 (m, 1H), 1.72-1.60 (m, 1H), 1.60-1.47 (m, 1H), 1.35-1.18(m, 16H), 0.88 (t, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H),

¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 151.1, 137.3, 137.1, 129.2, 126.9, 121.1, 119.0, 118.4, 118.0, 116.3, 108.7, 107.6, 55.2, 42.0, 34.6, 32.0, 29.8, 29.7, 29.4, 27.1, 22.7, 19.1, 14.2.

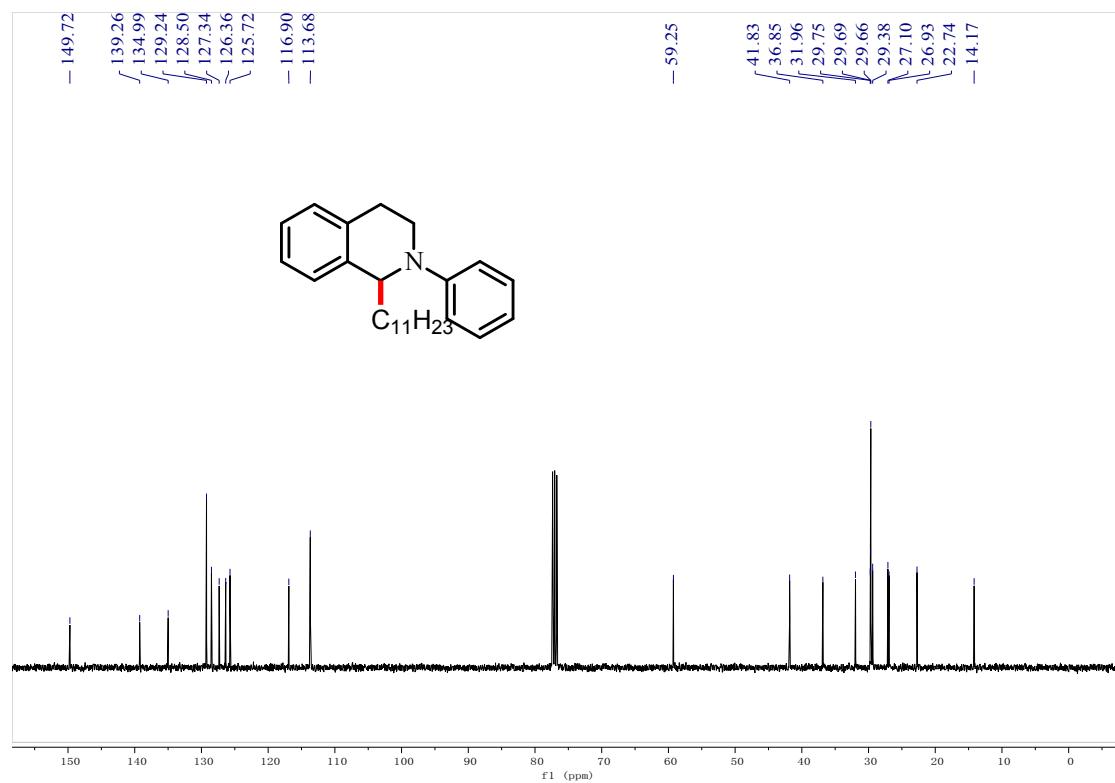
HRMS (ESI) calcd for C₂₉H₄₀N₂ [M + H]⁺ 417.3264, found 417.3266.

NMR Spectra

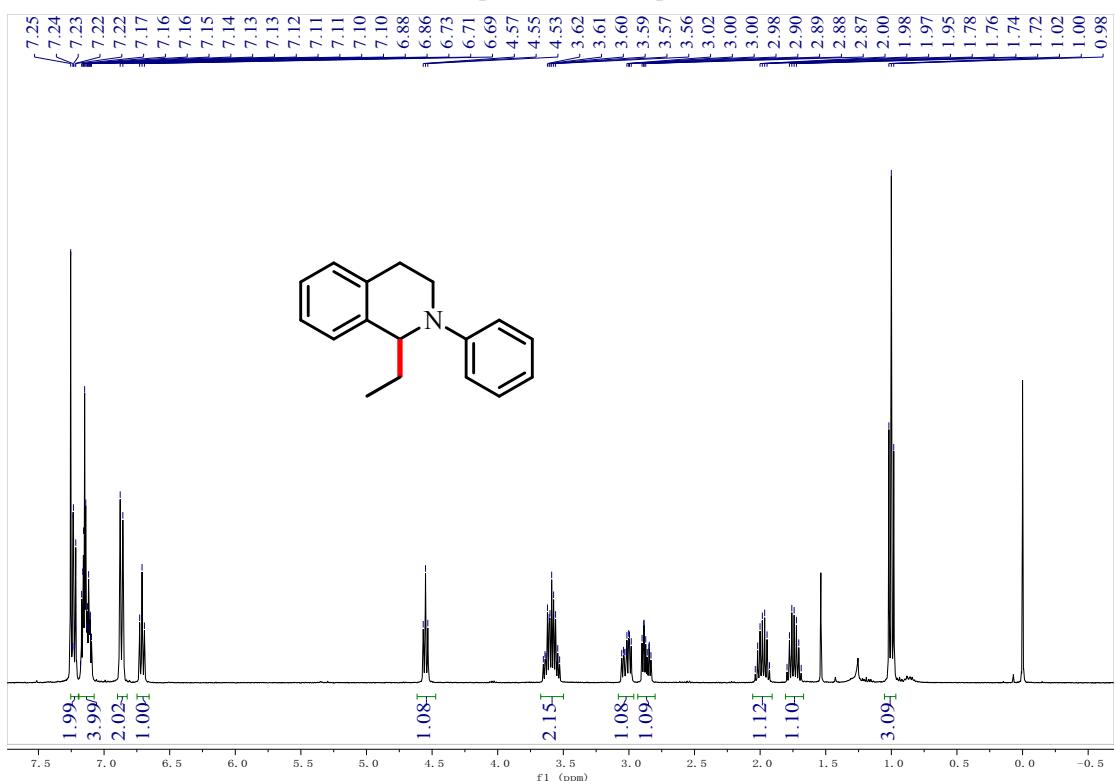
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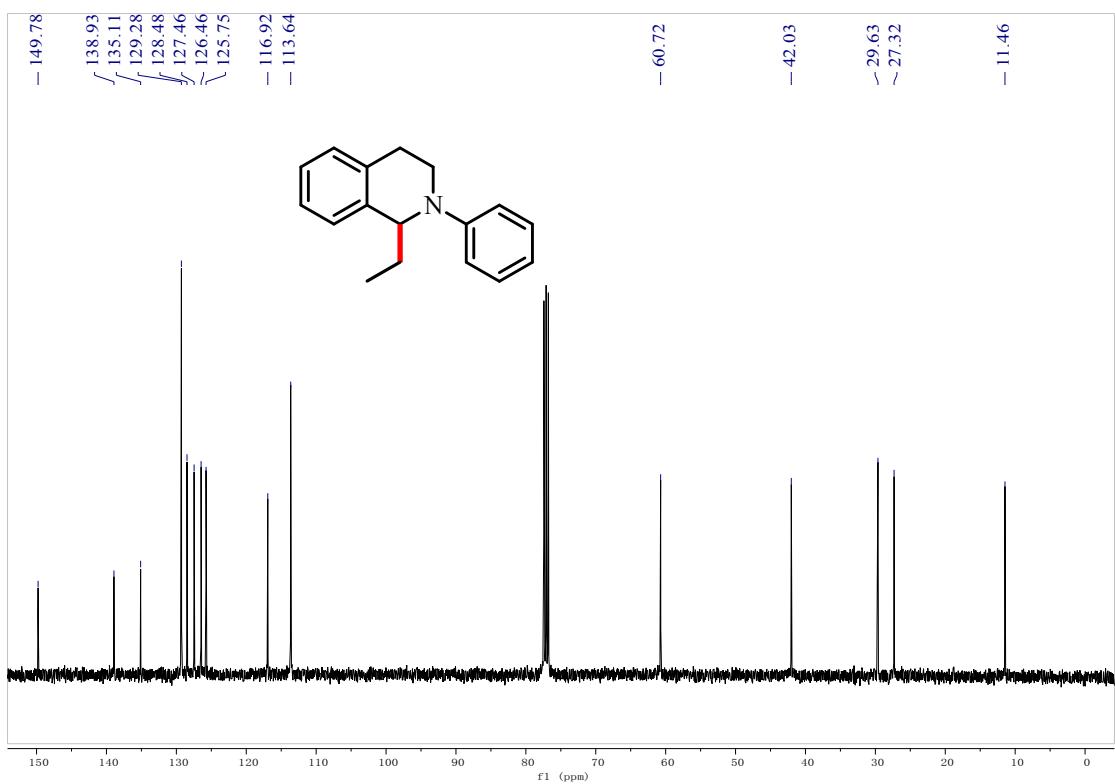
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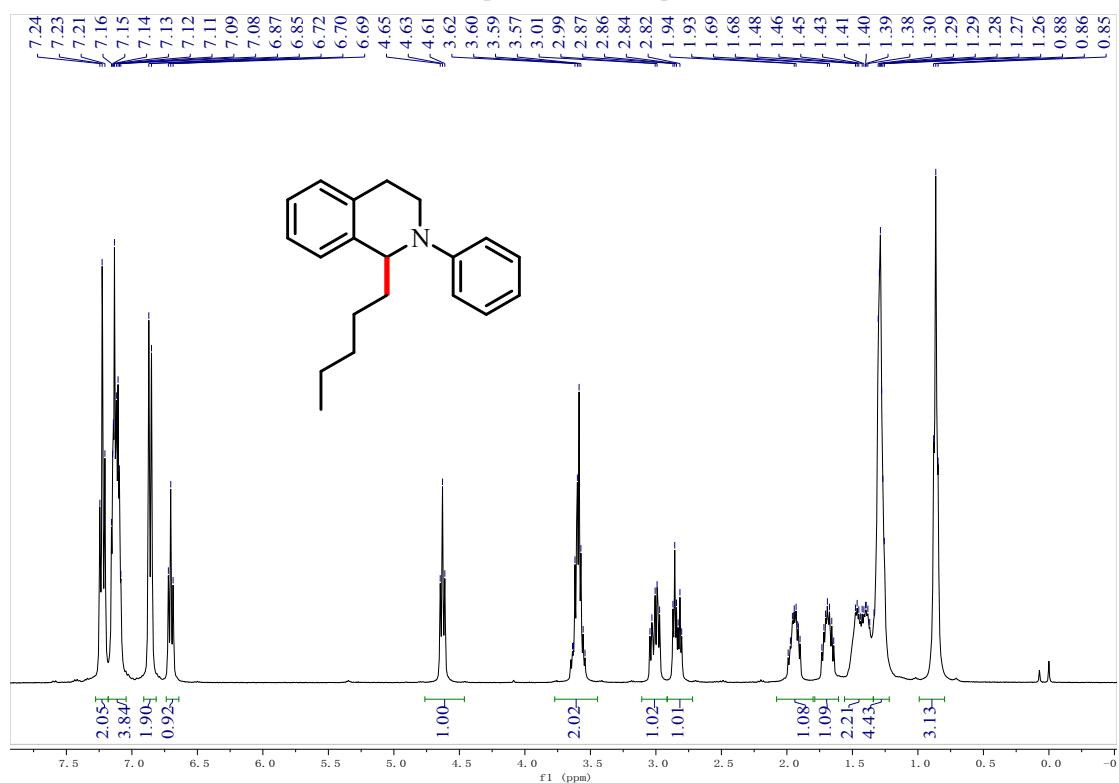
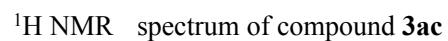


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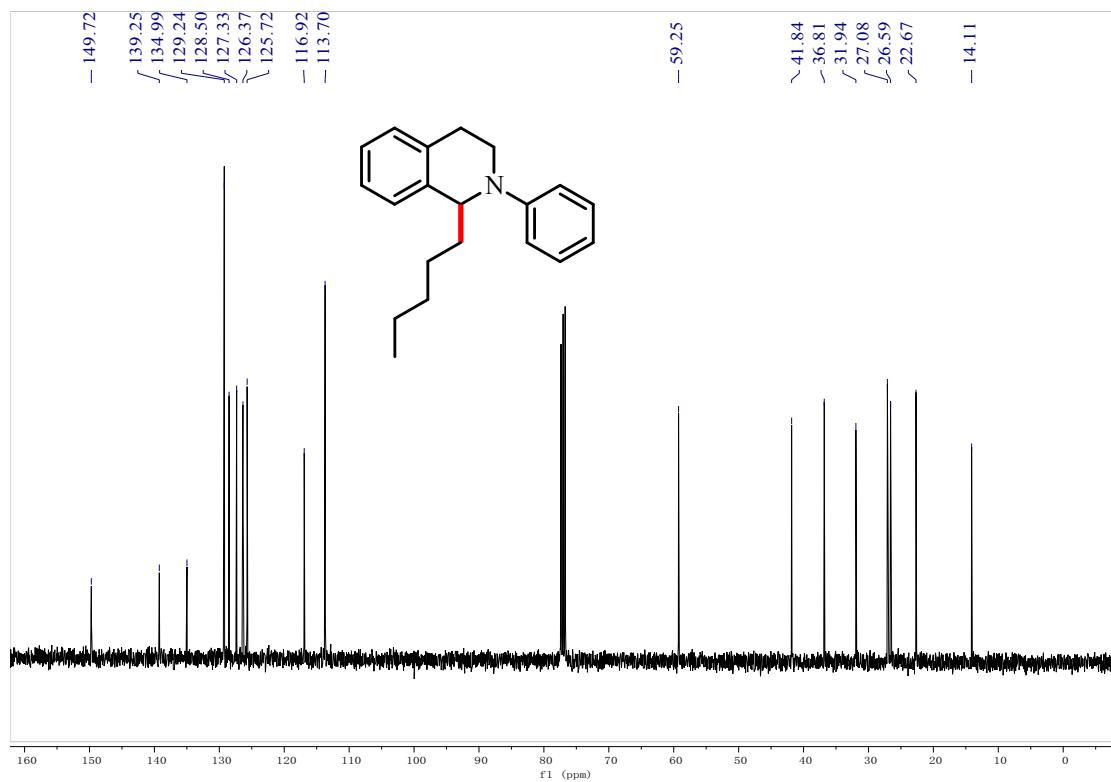


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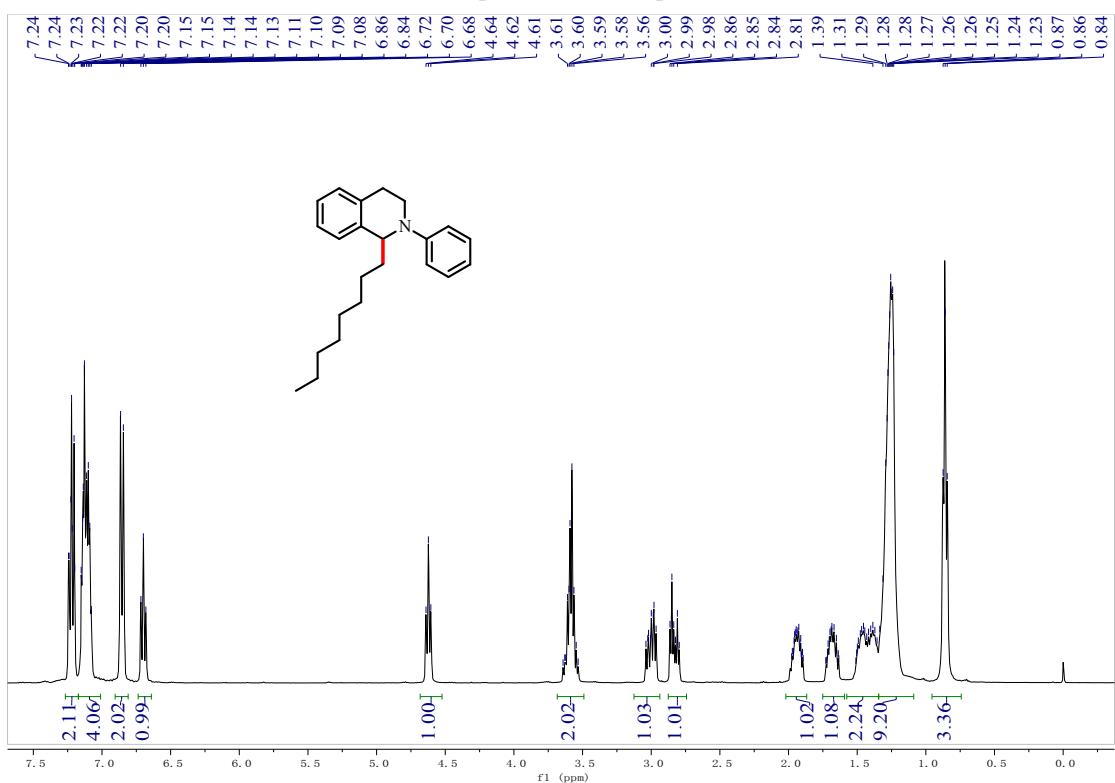




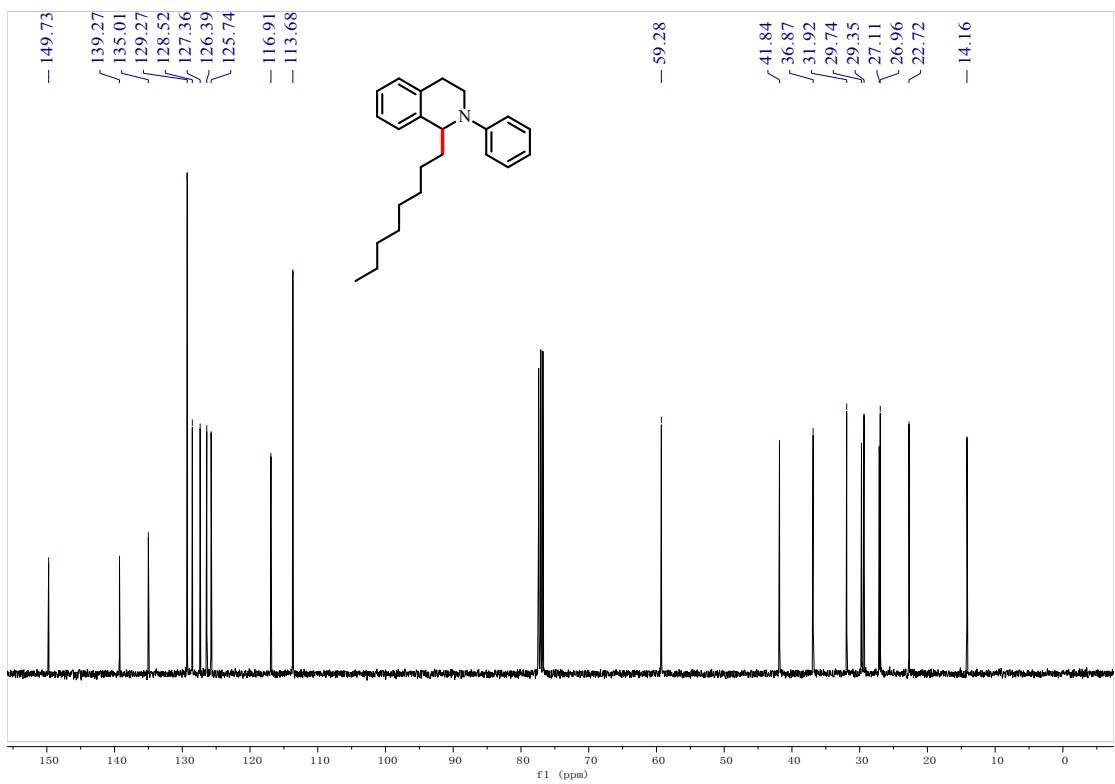
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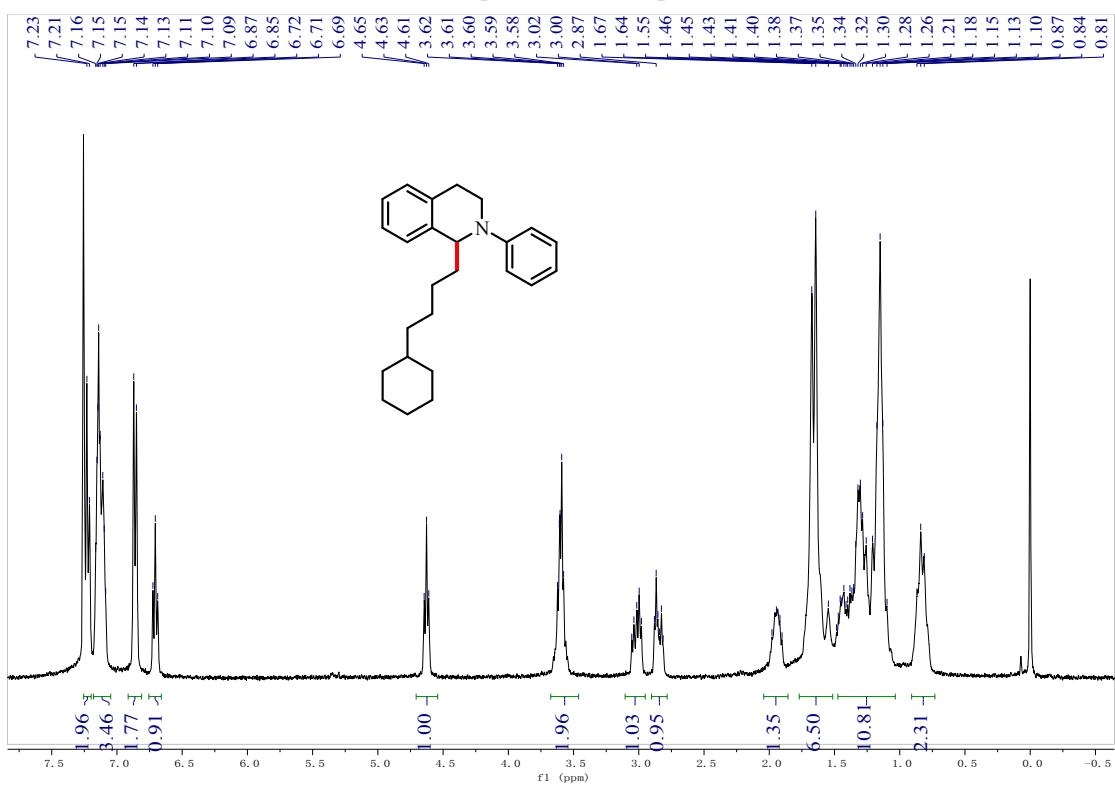
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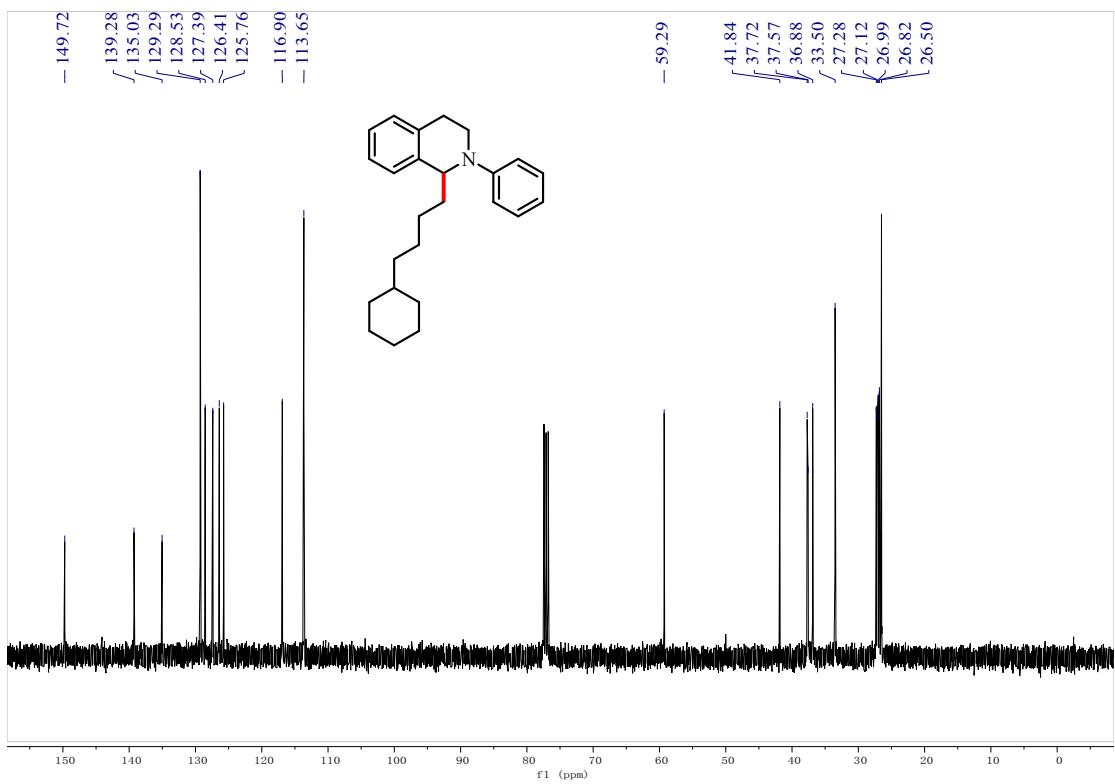
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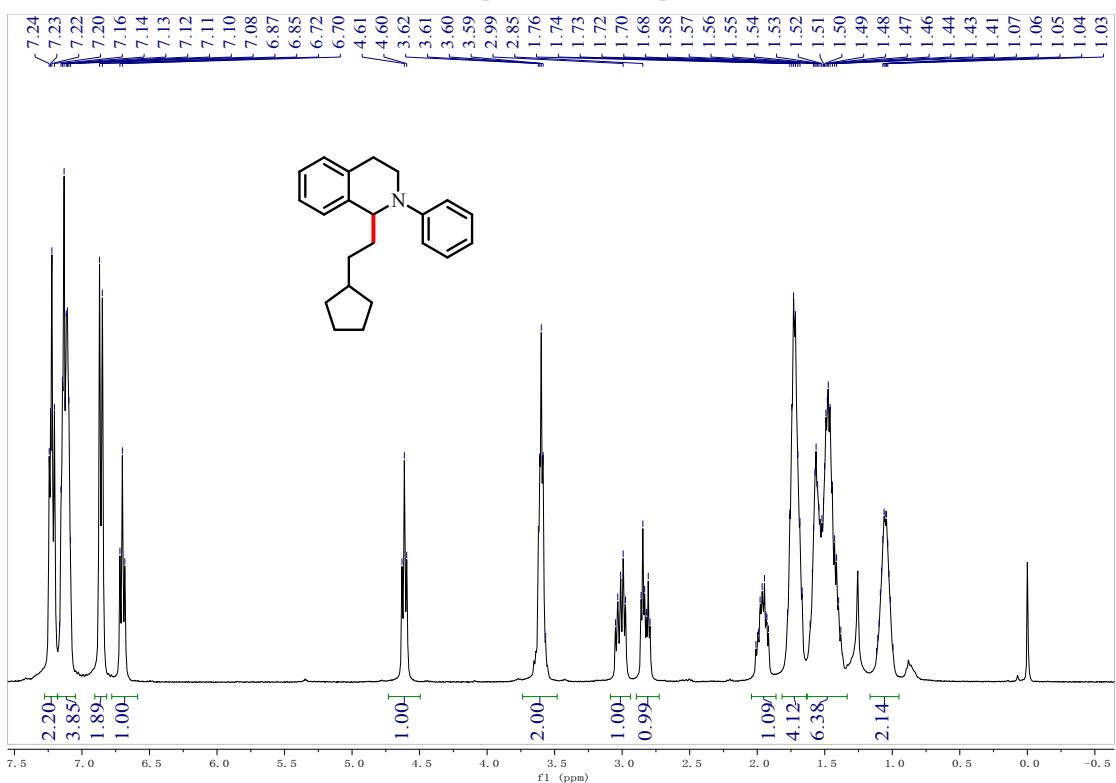
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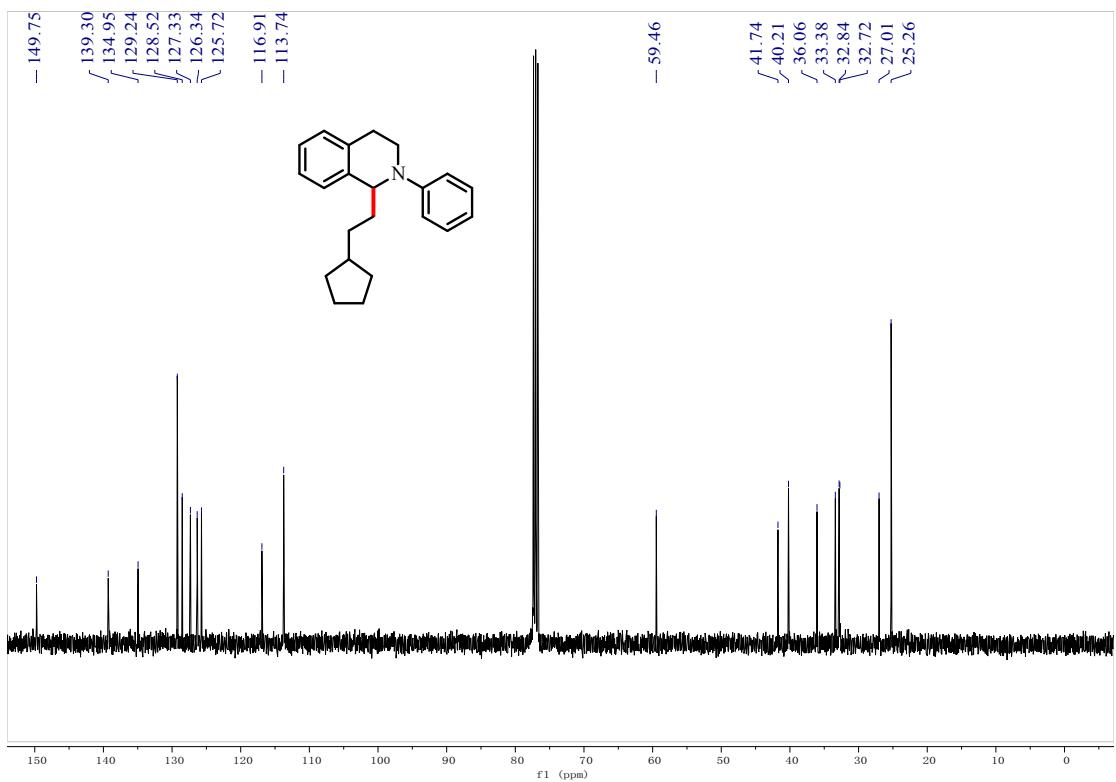
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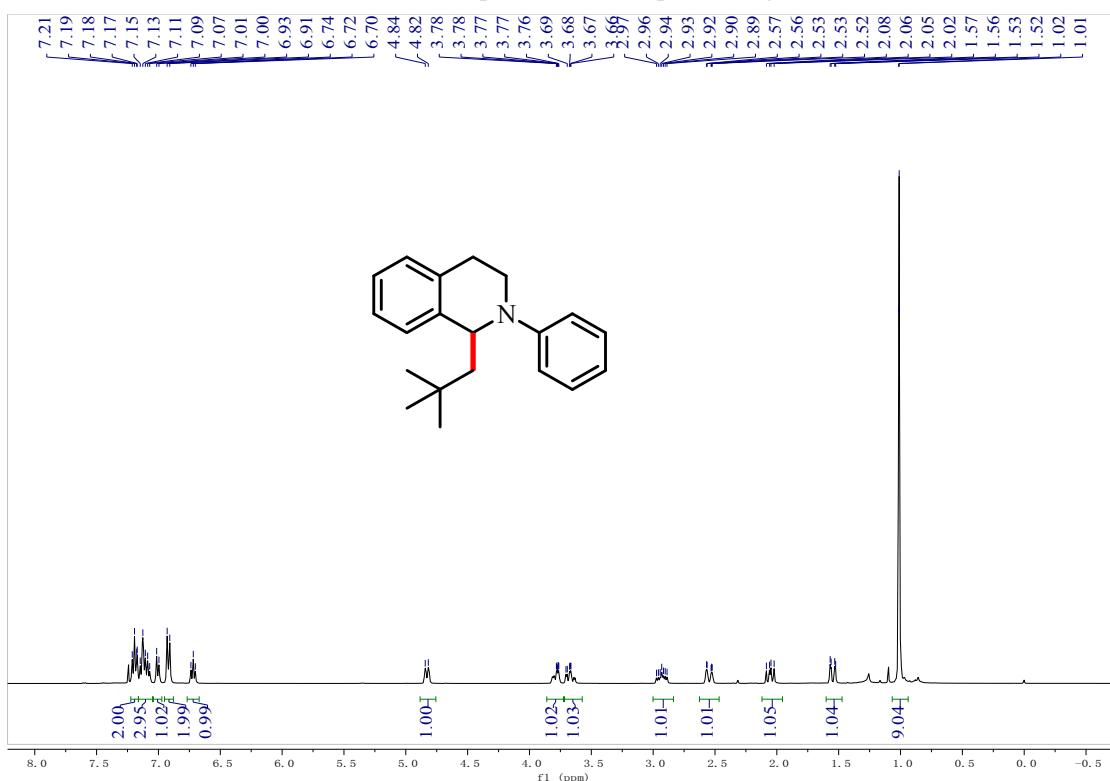
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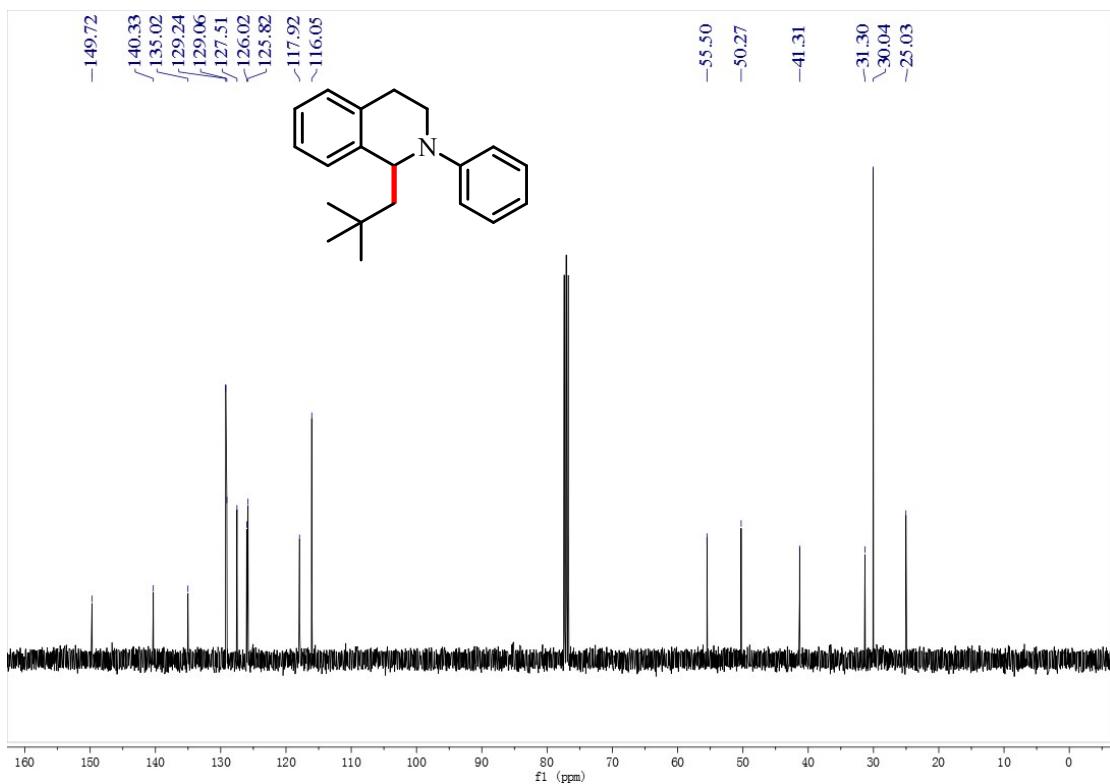
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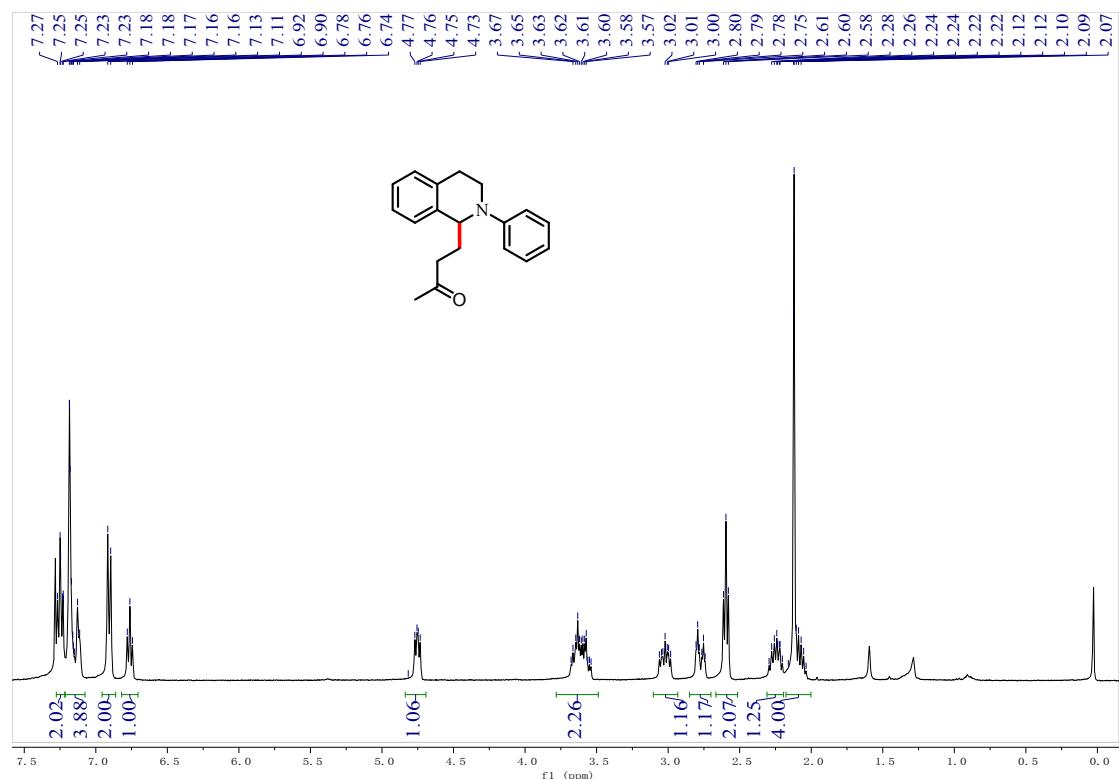
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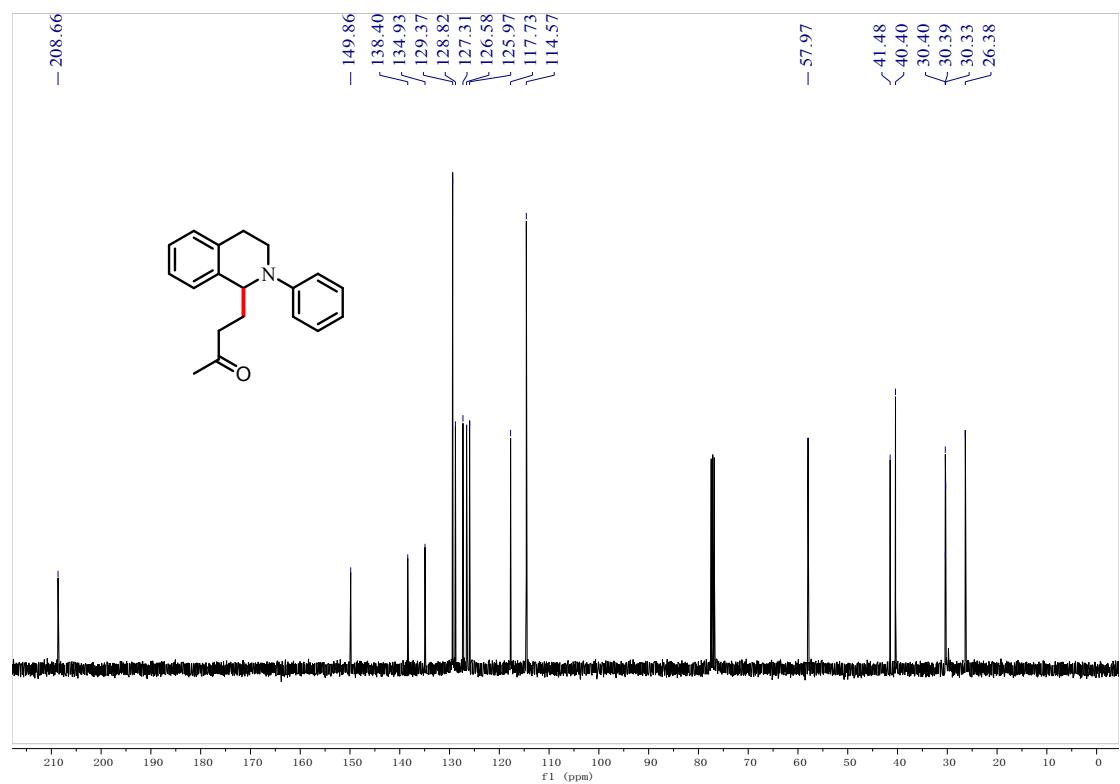
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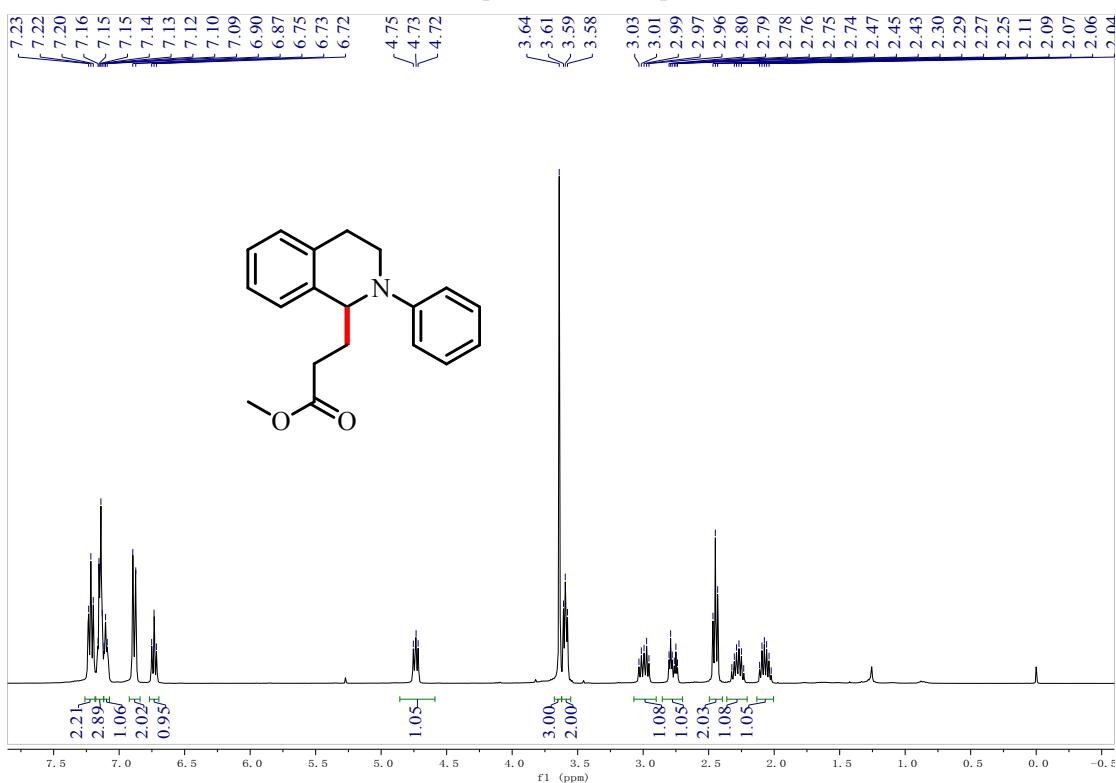
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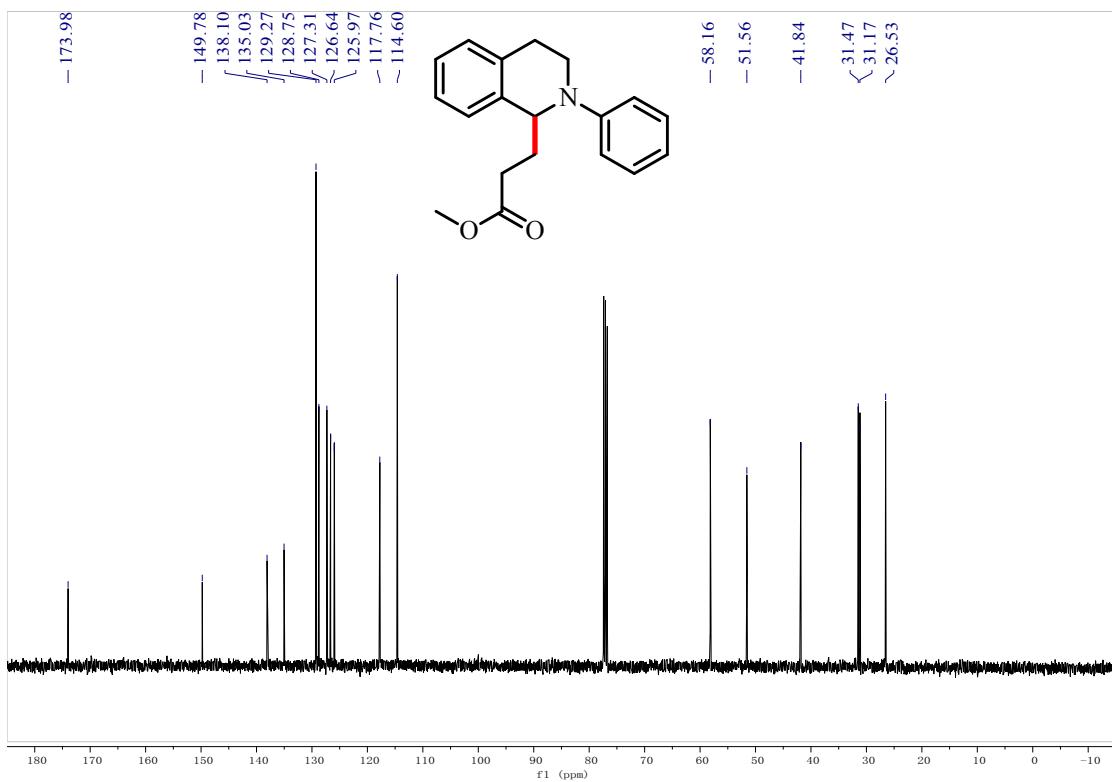
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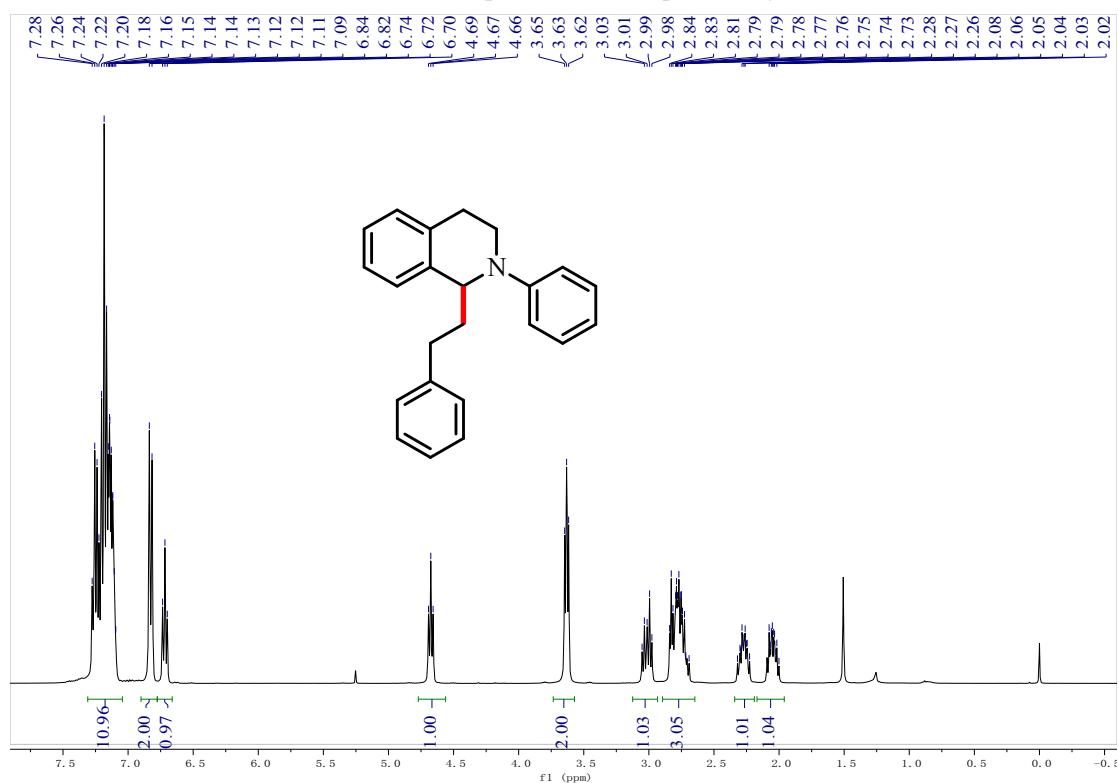
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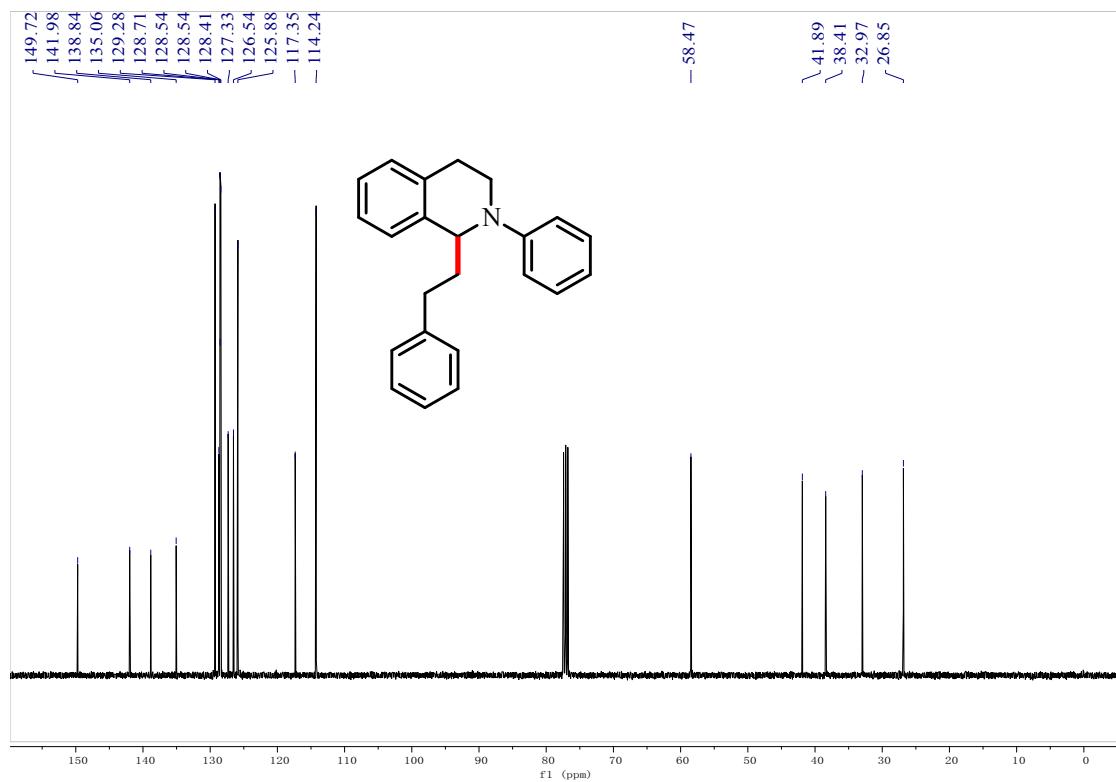
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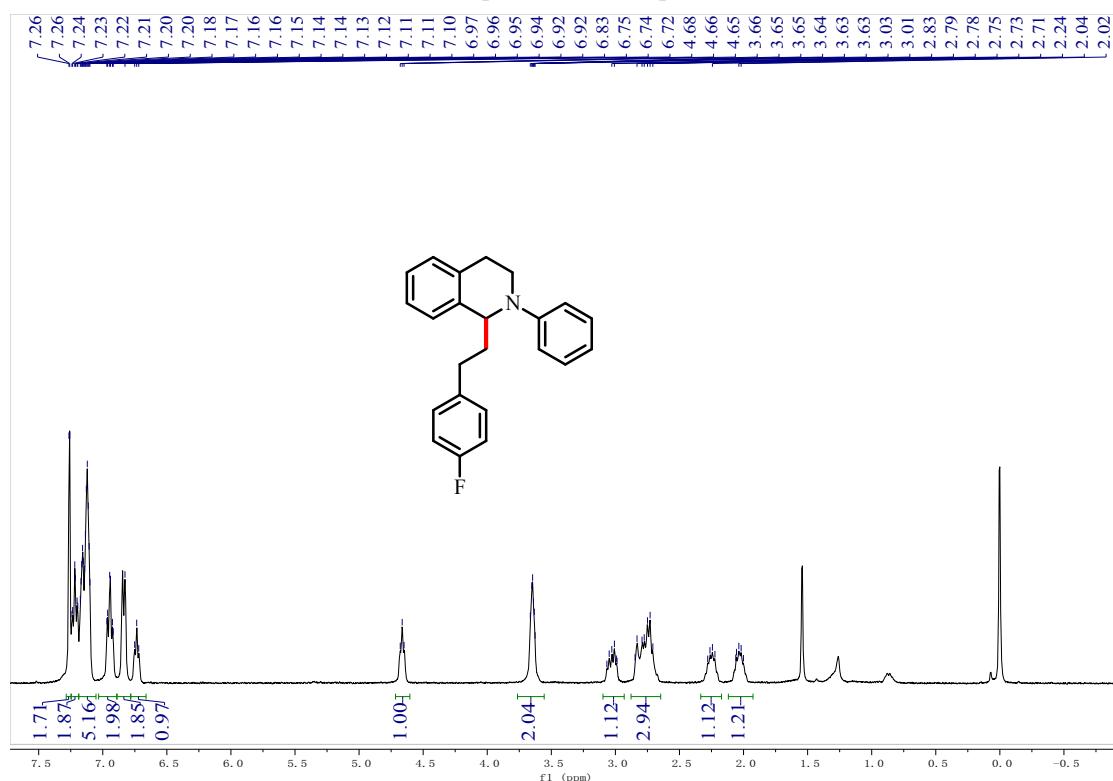
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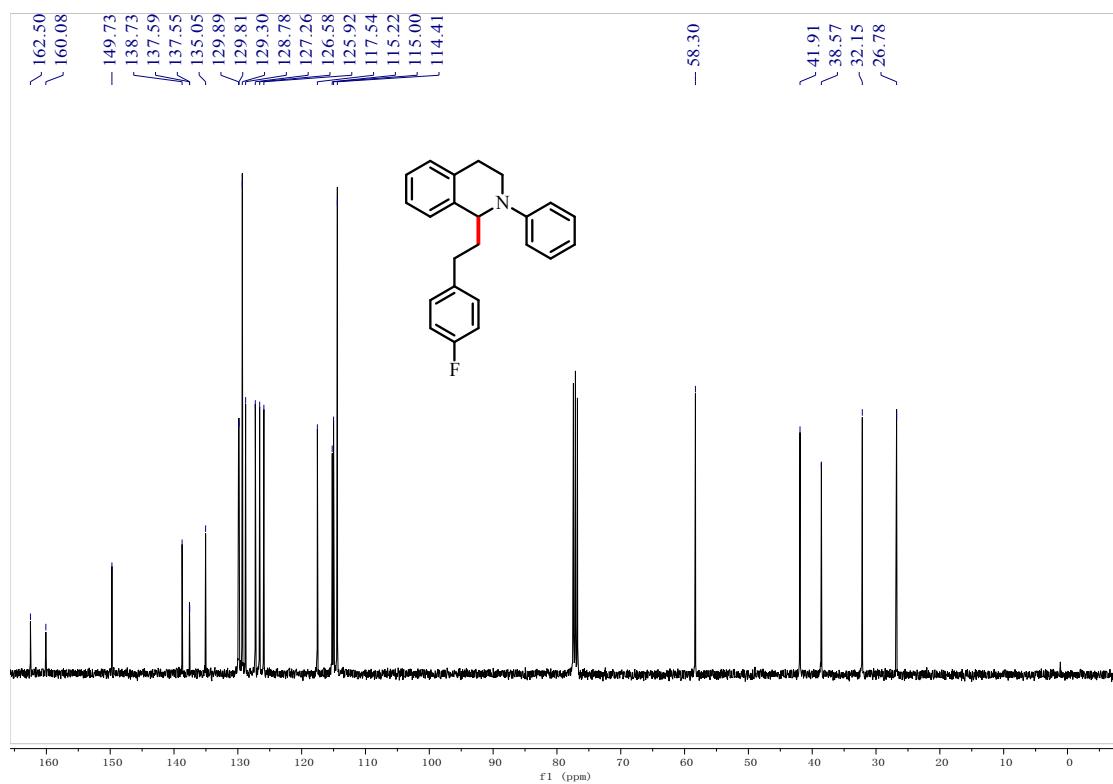
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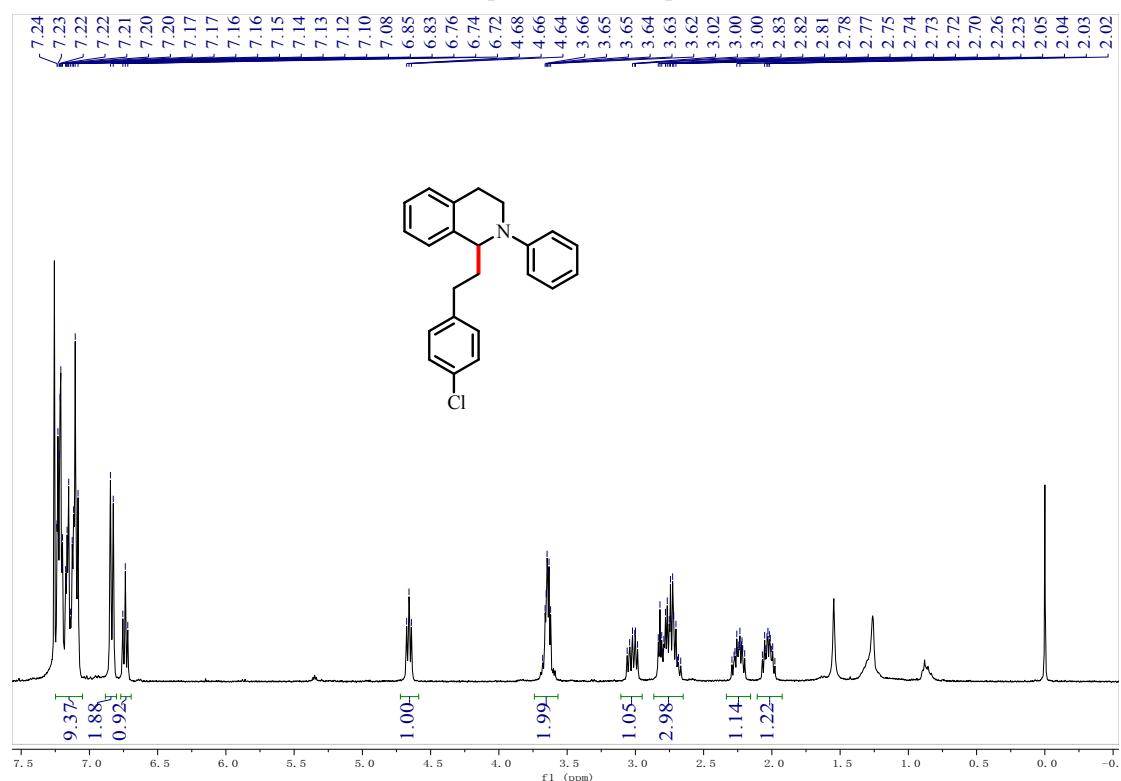
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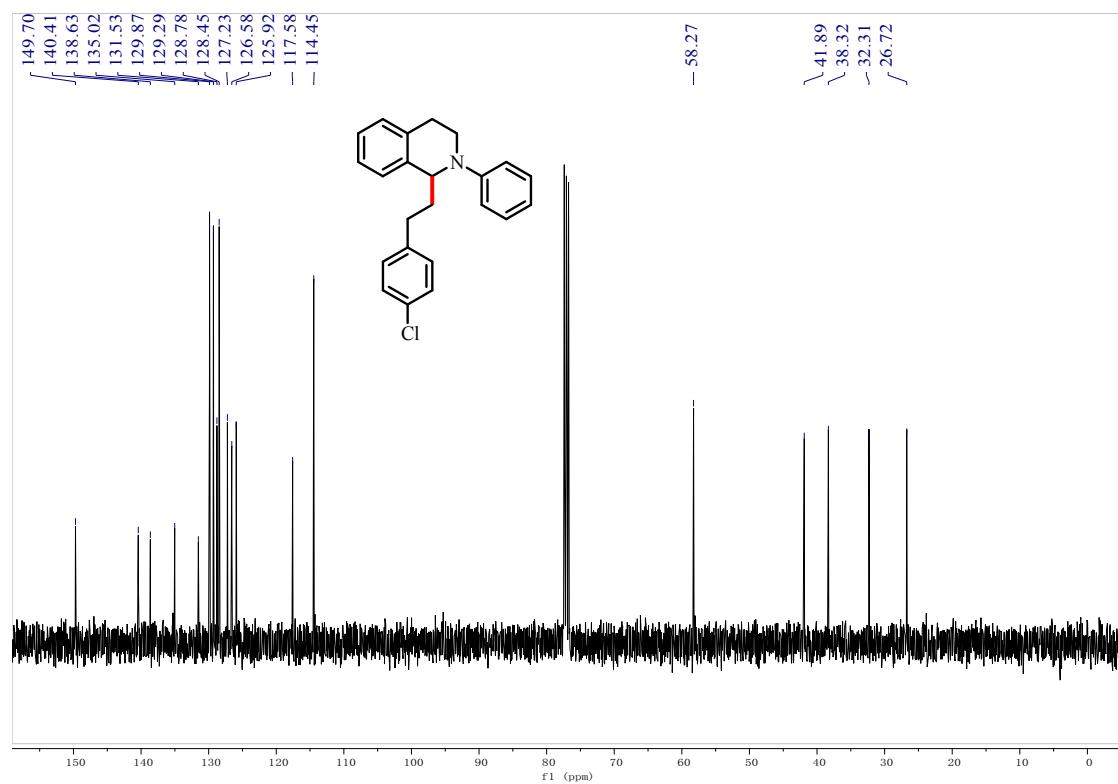
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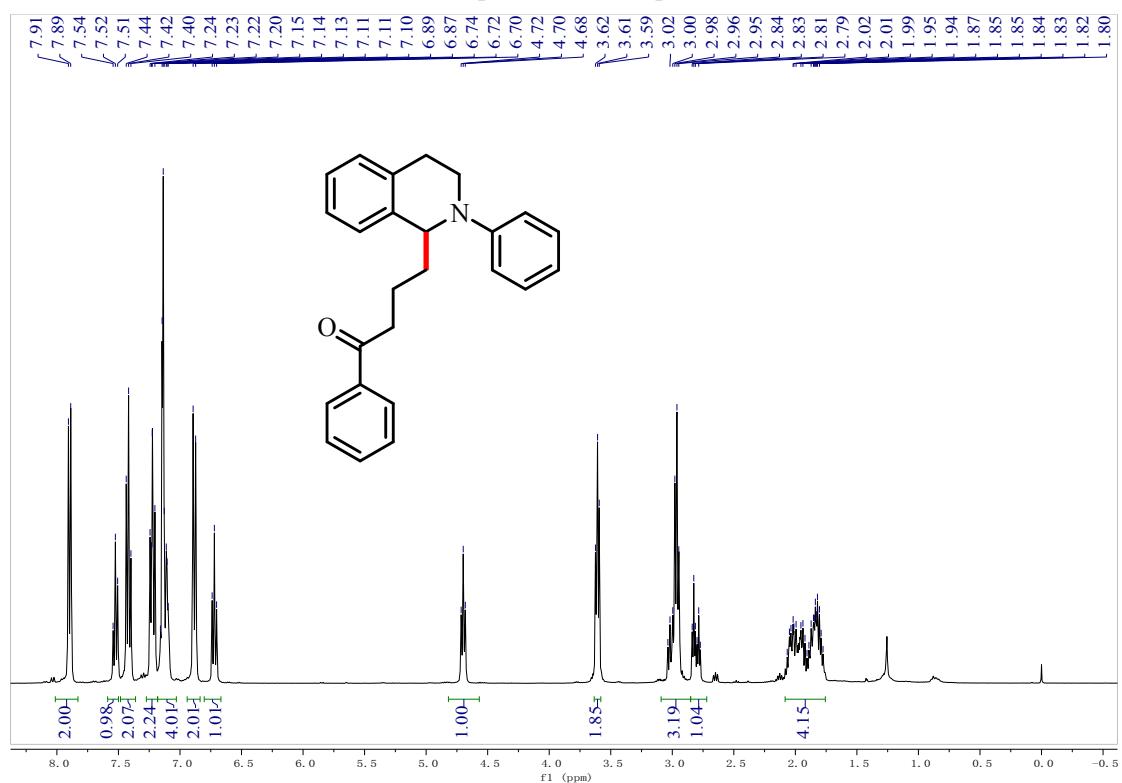
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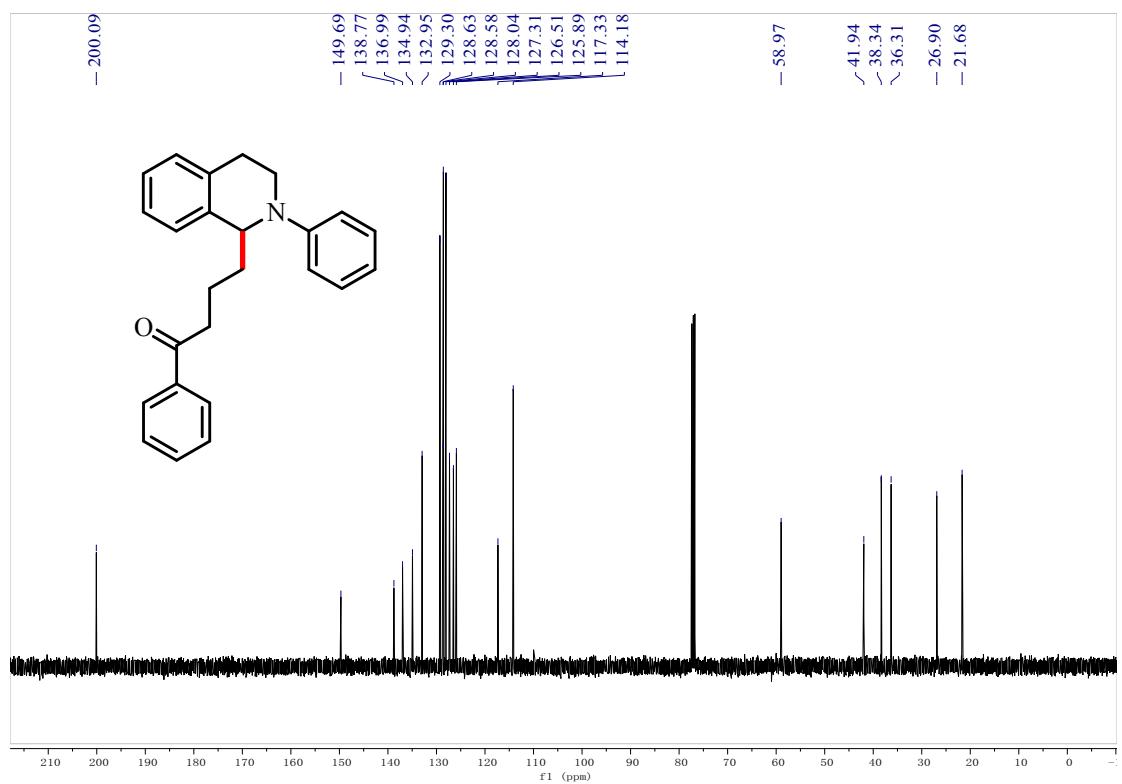
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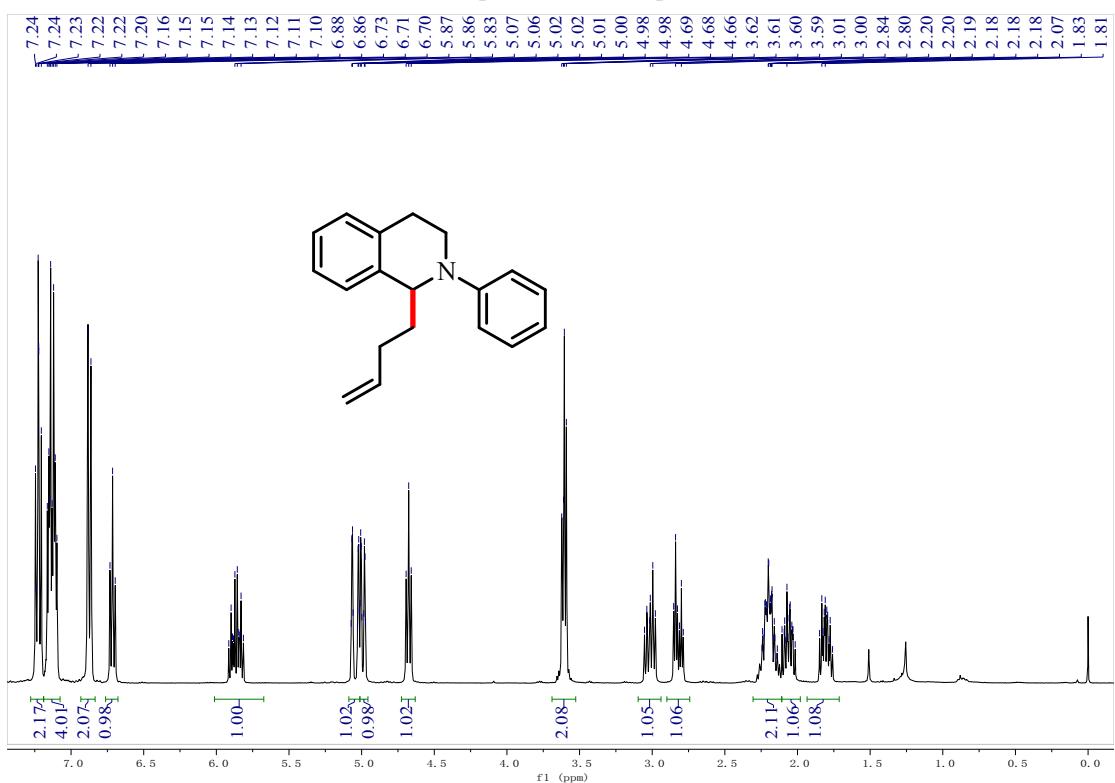
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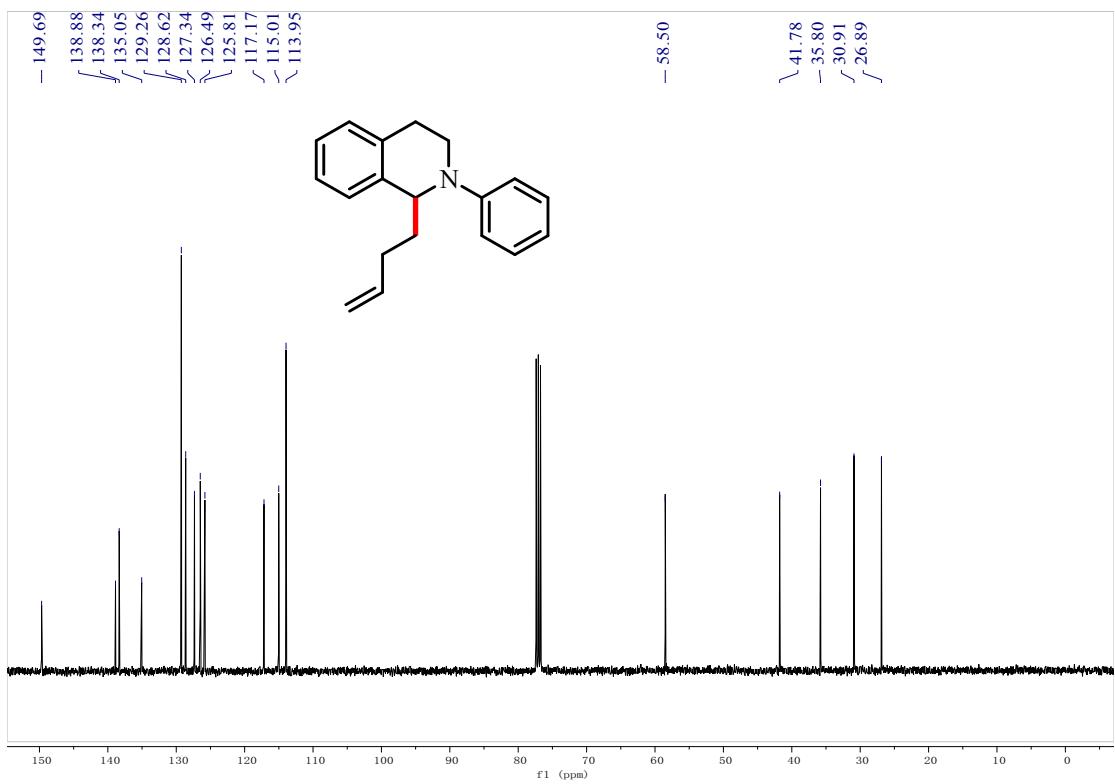
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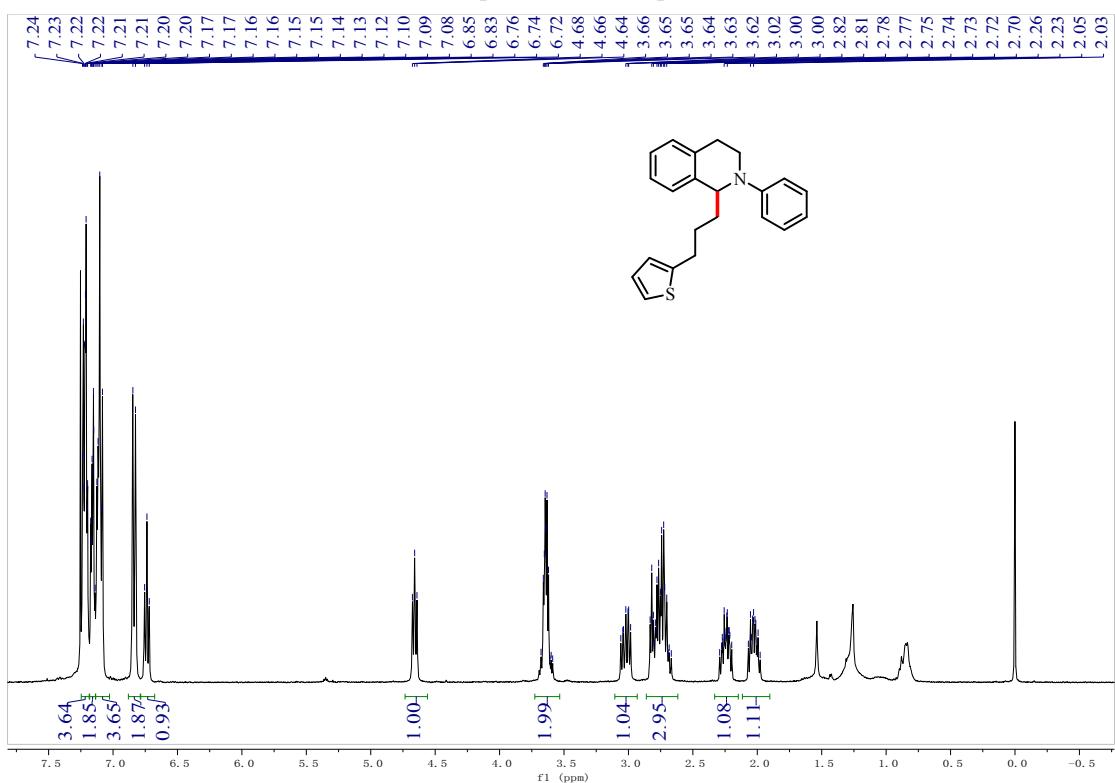
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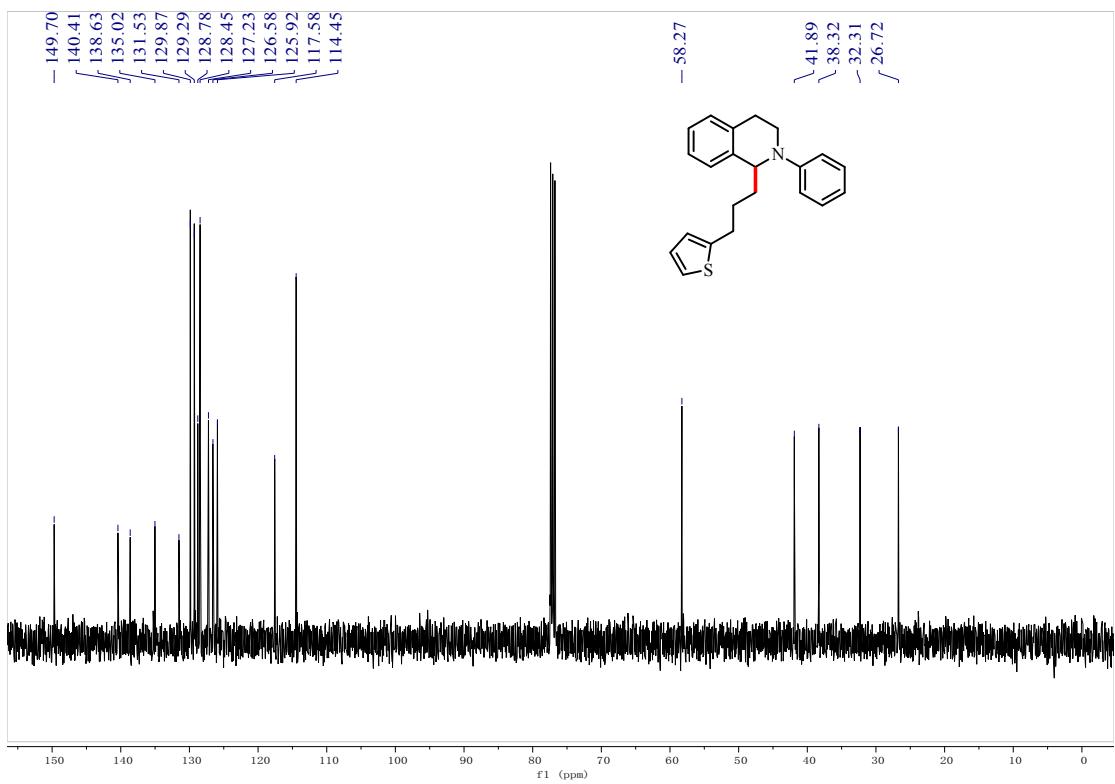
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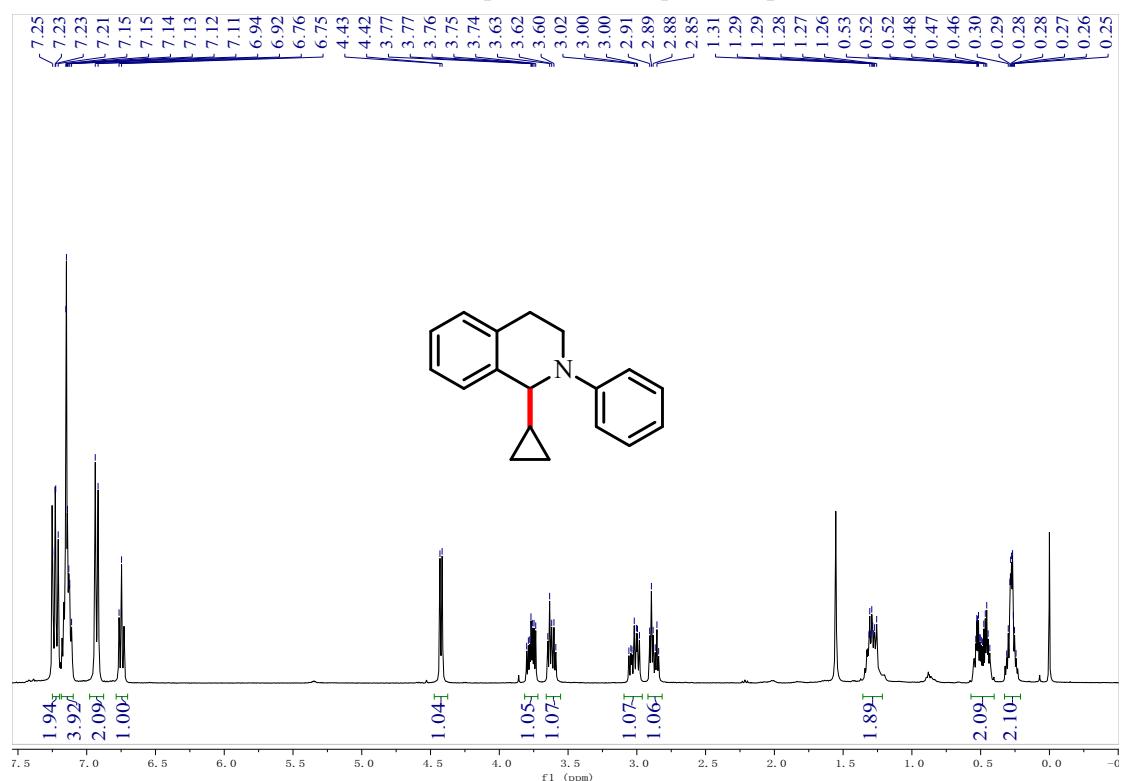
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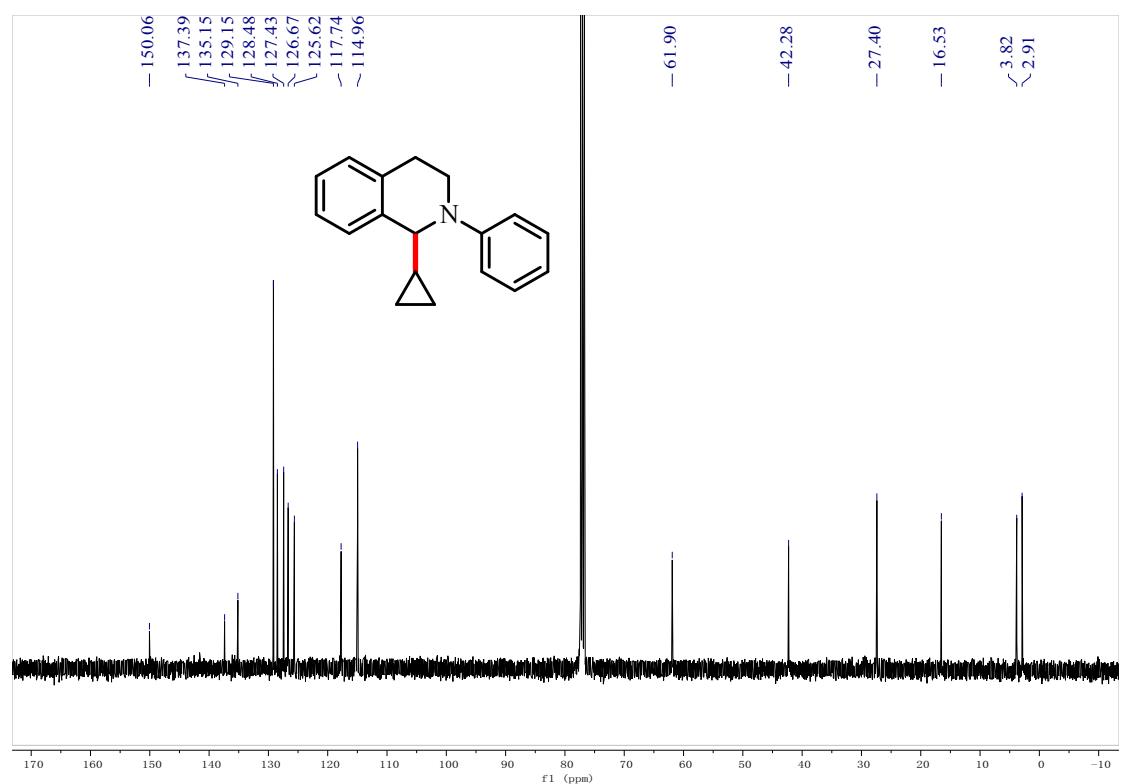
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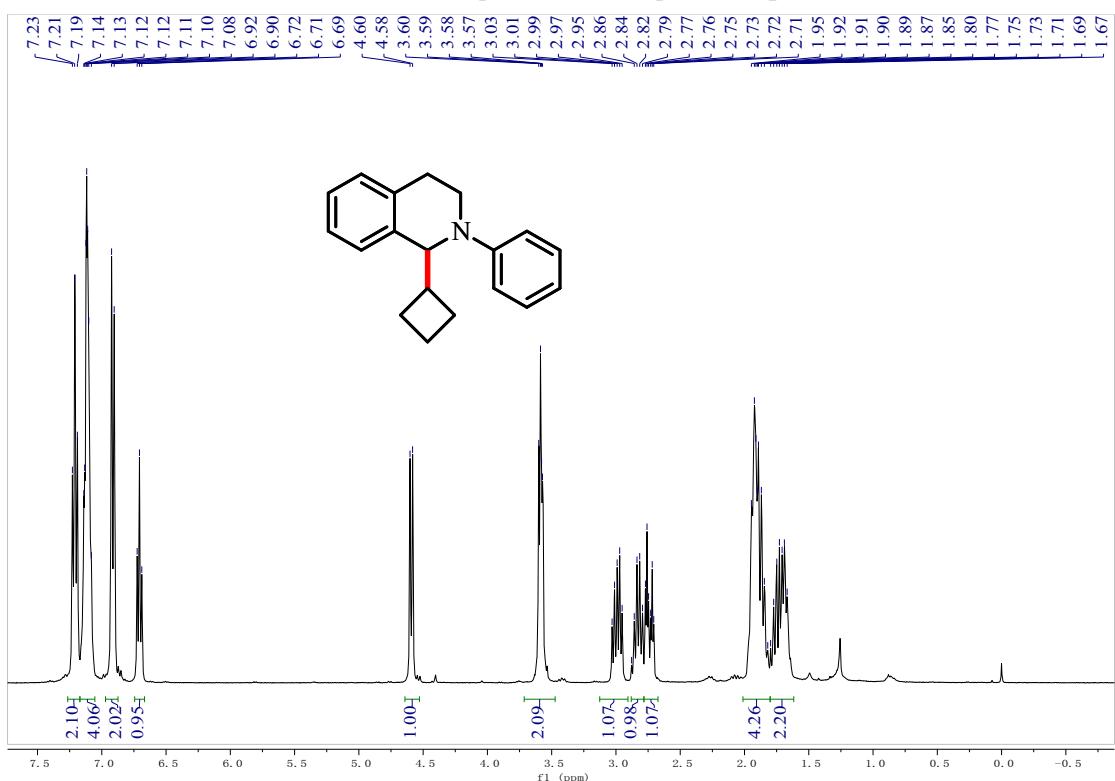
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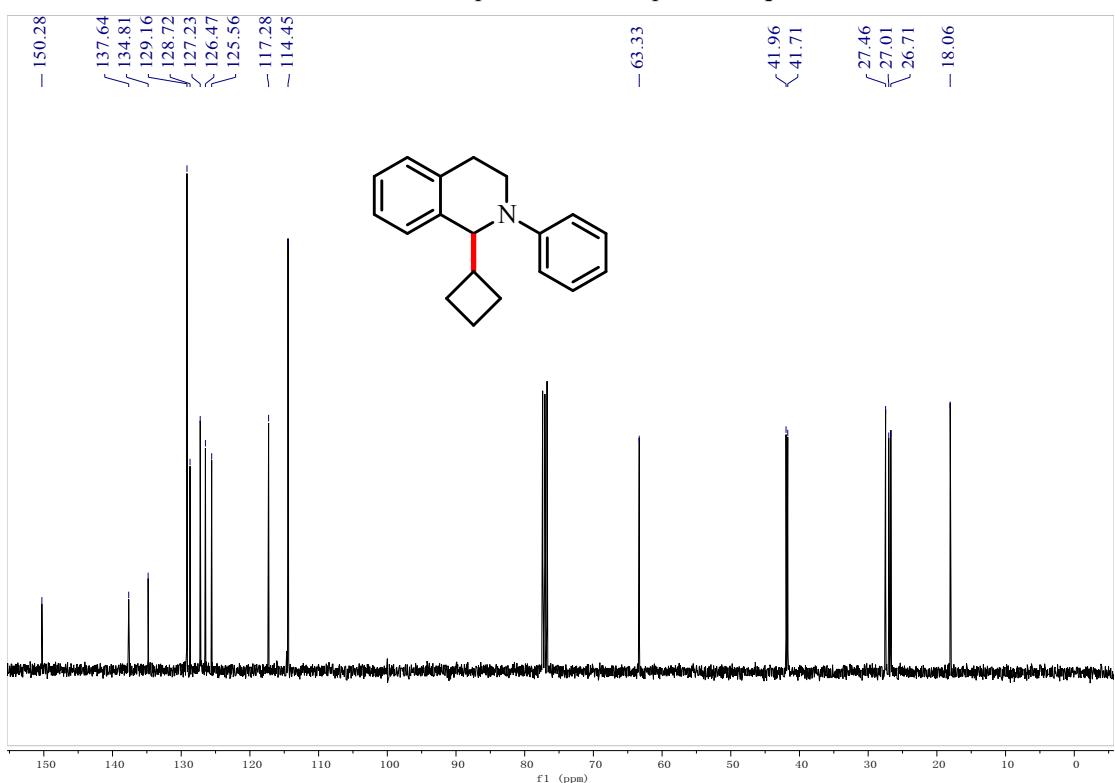
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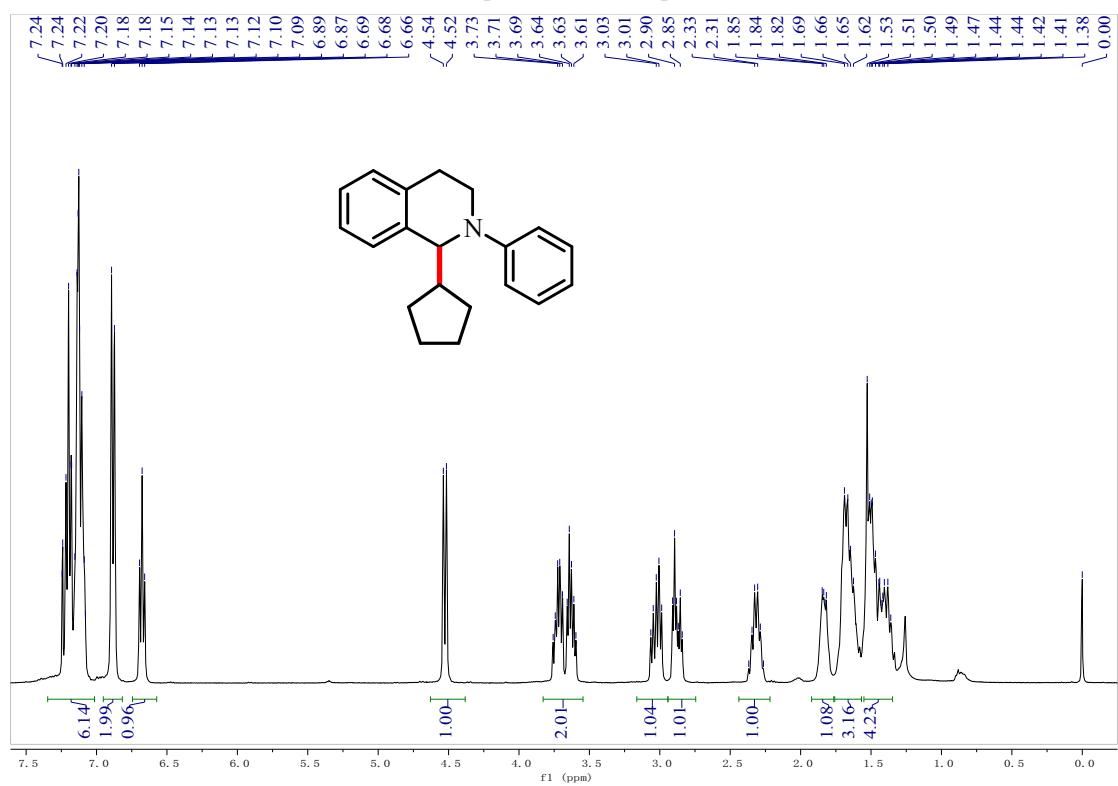
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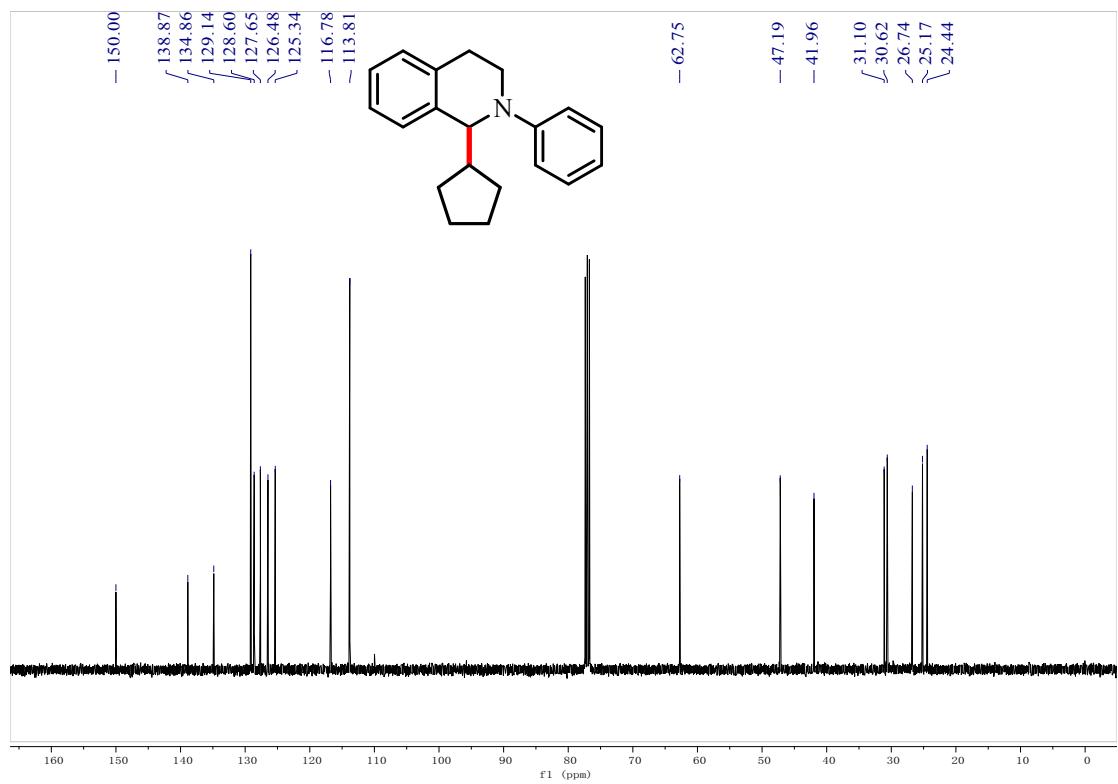
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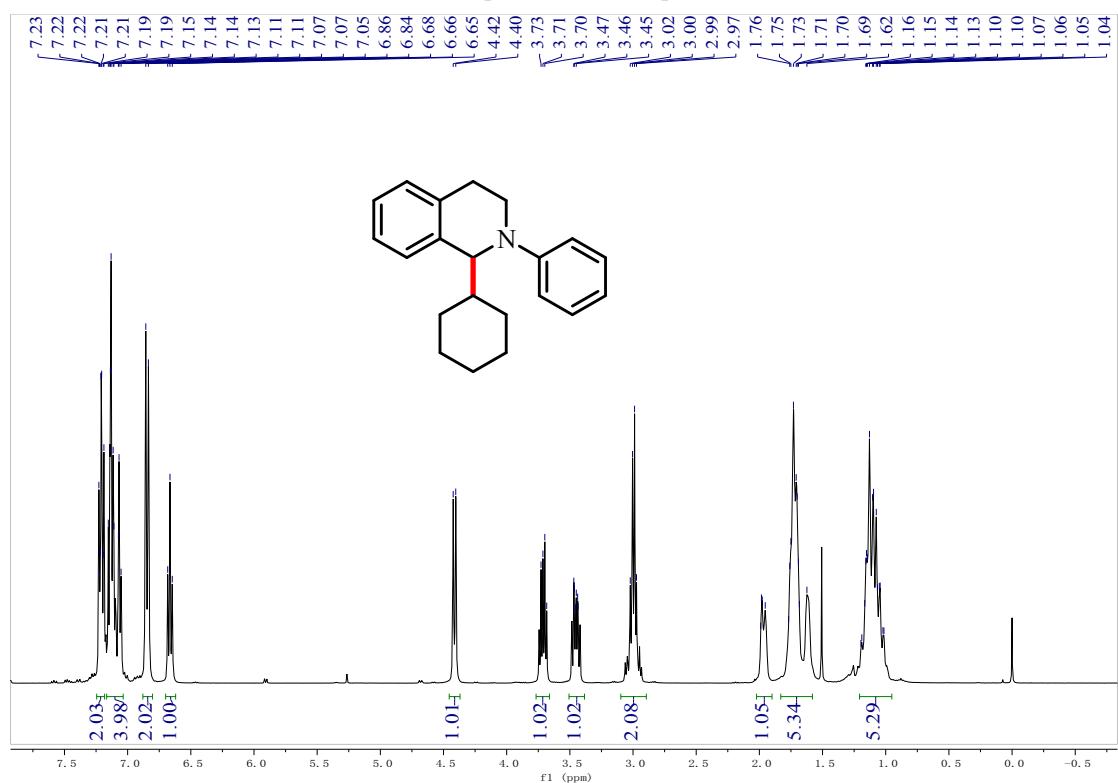
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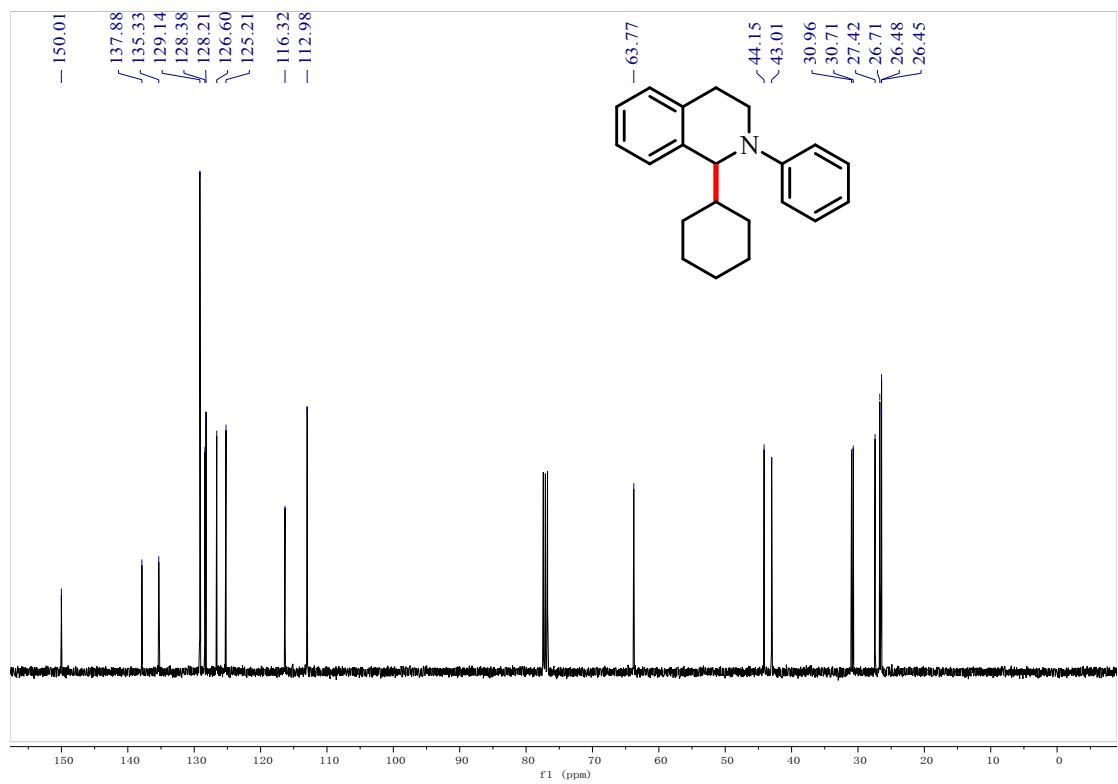
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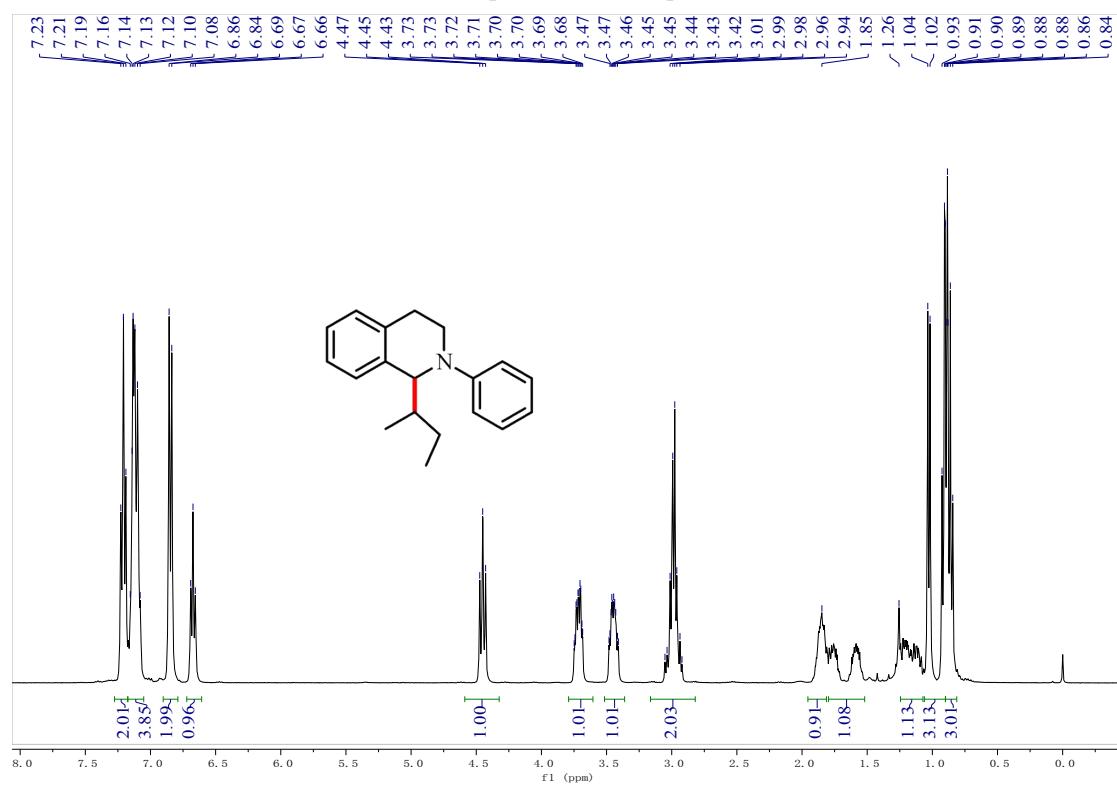
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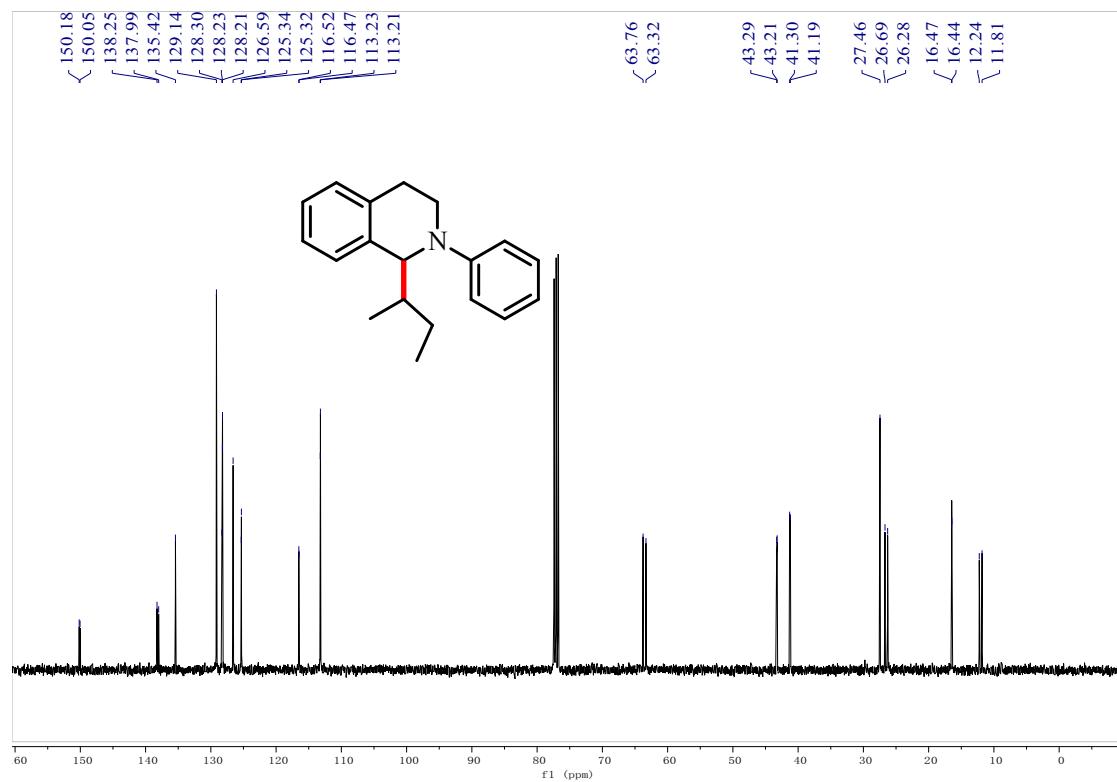
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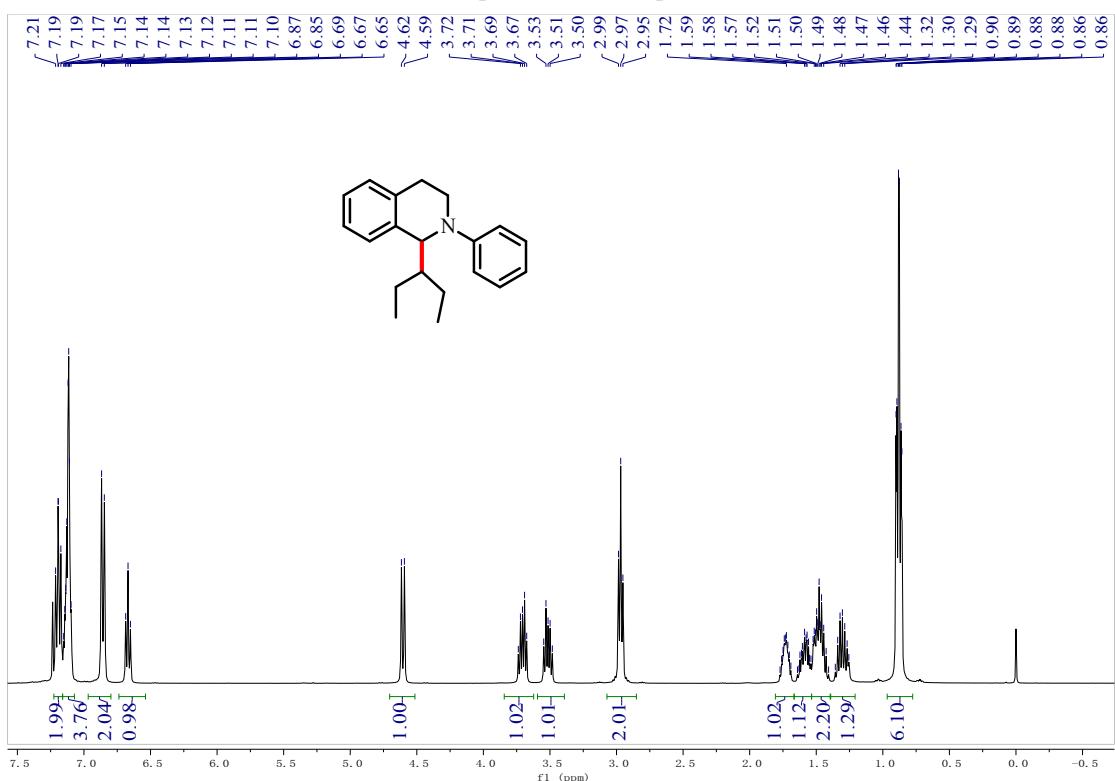
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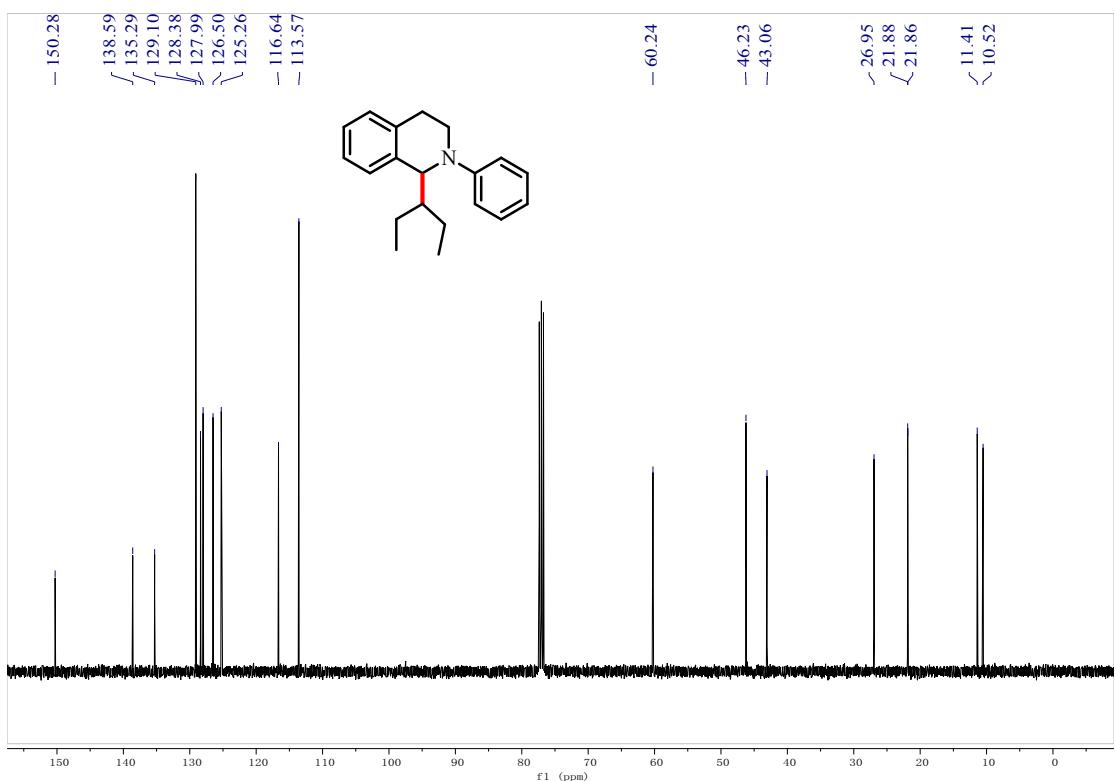
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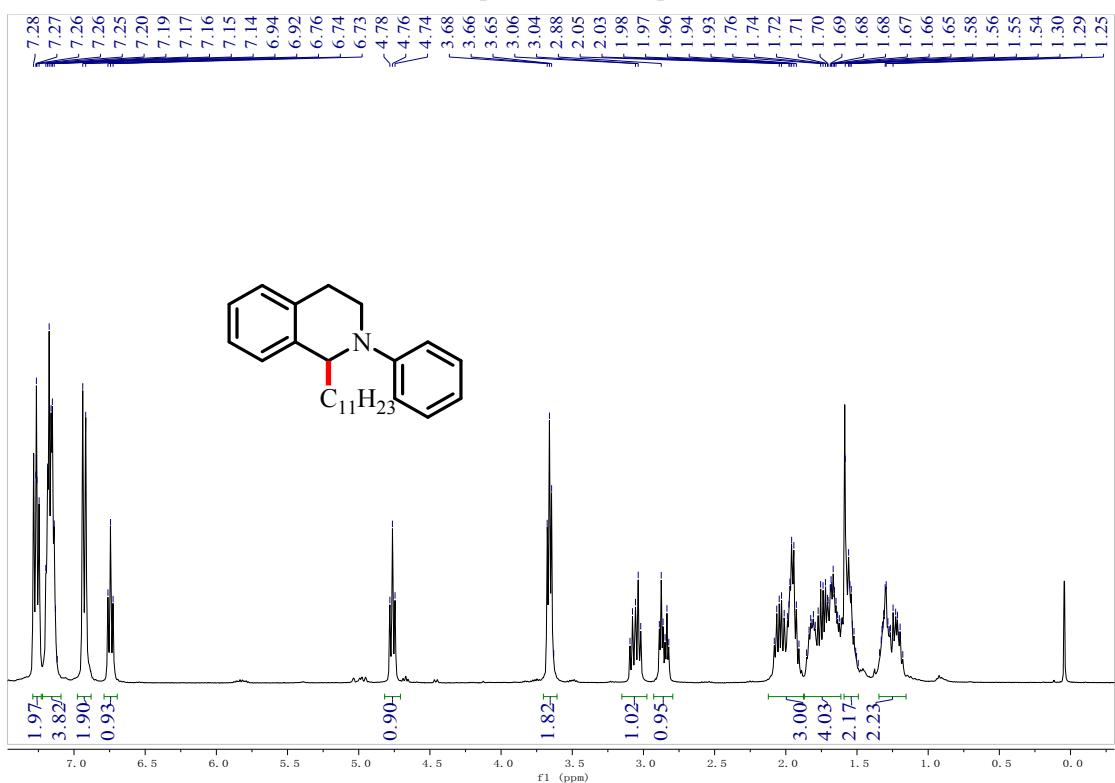
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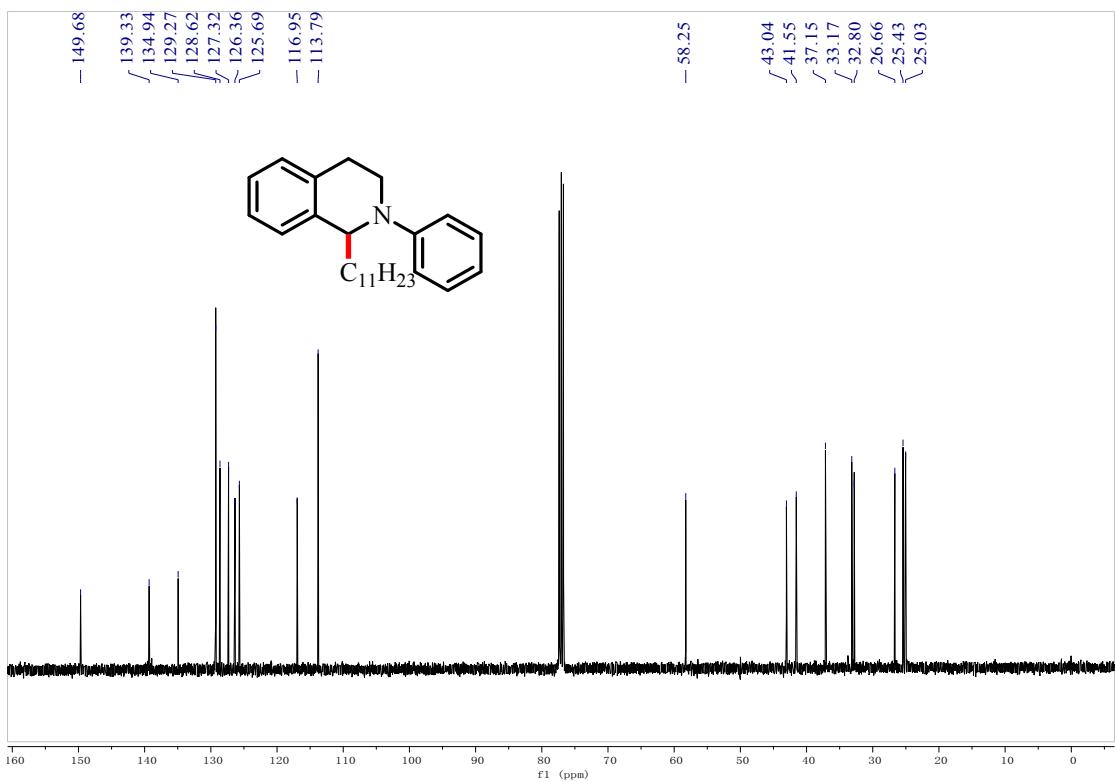
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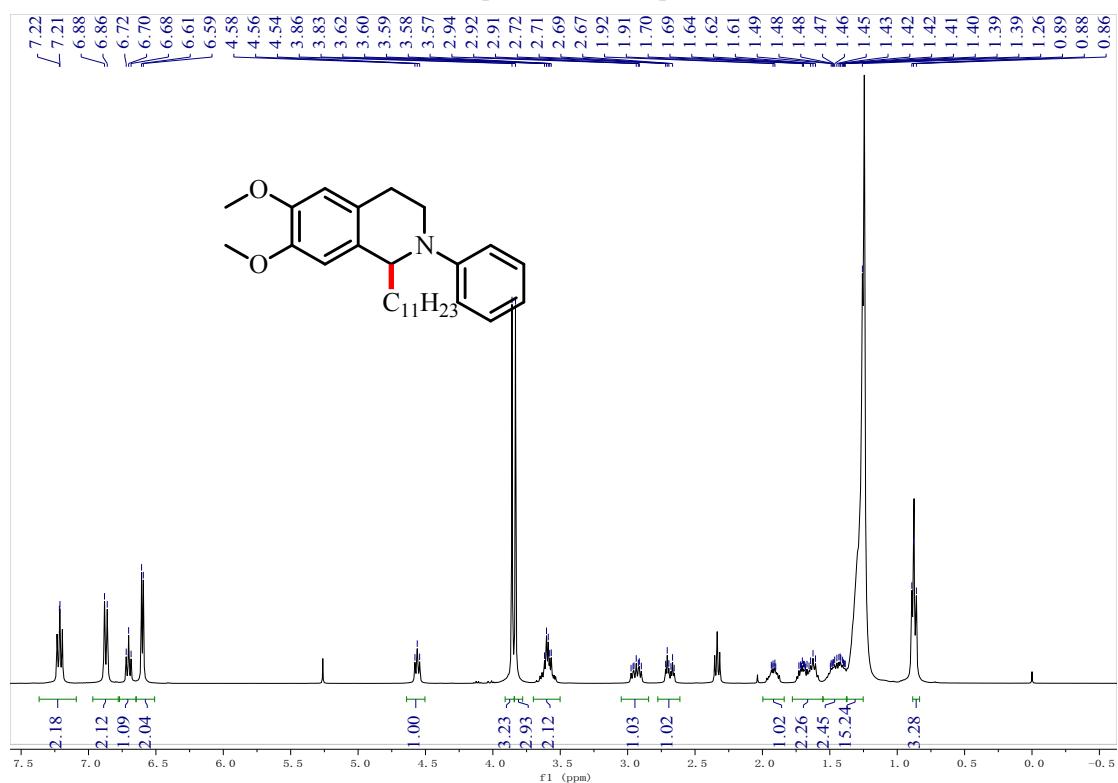
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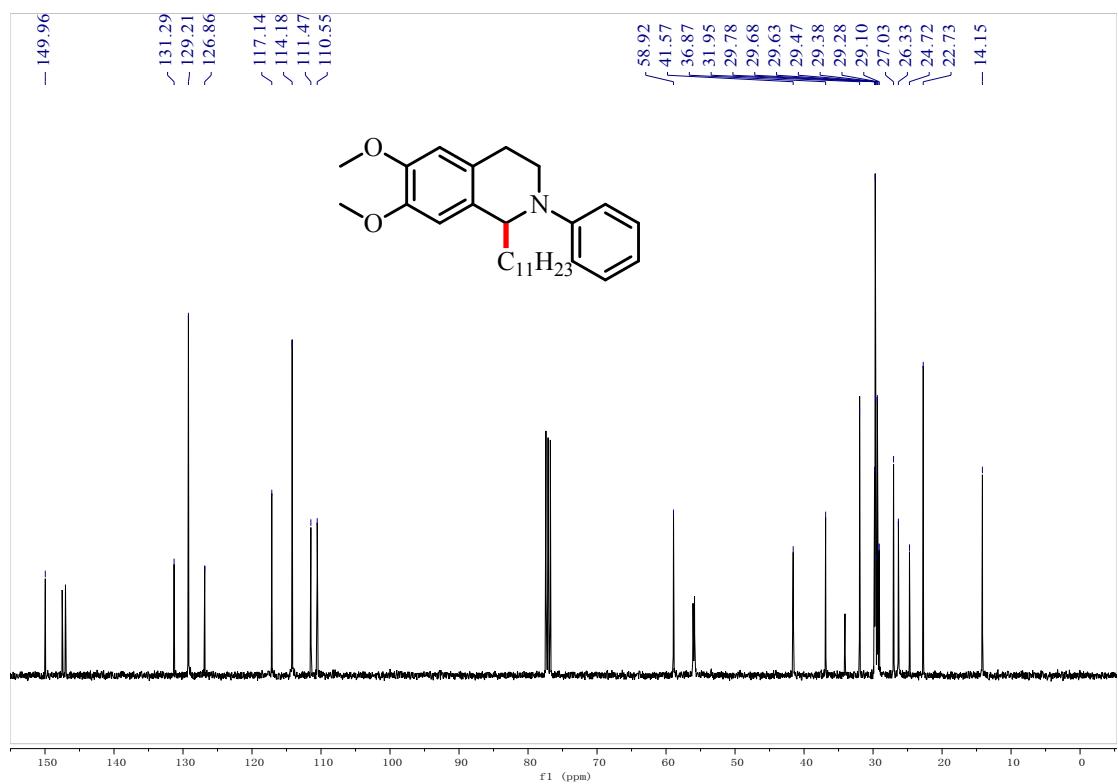
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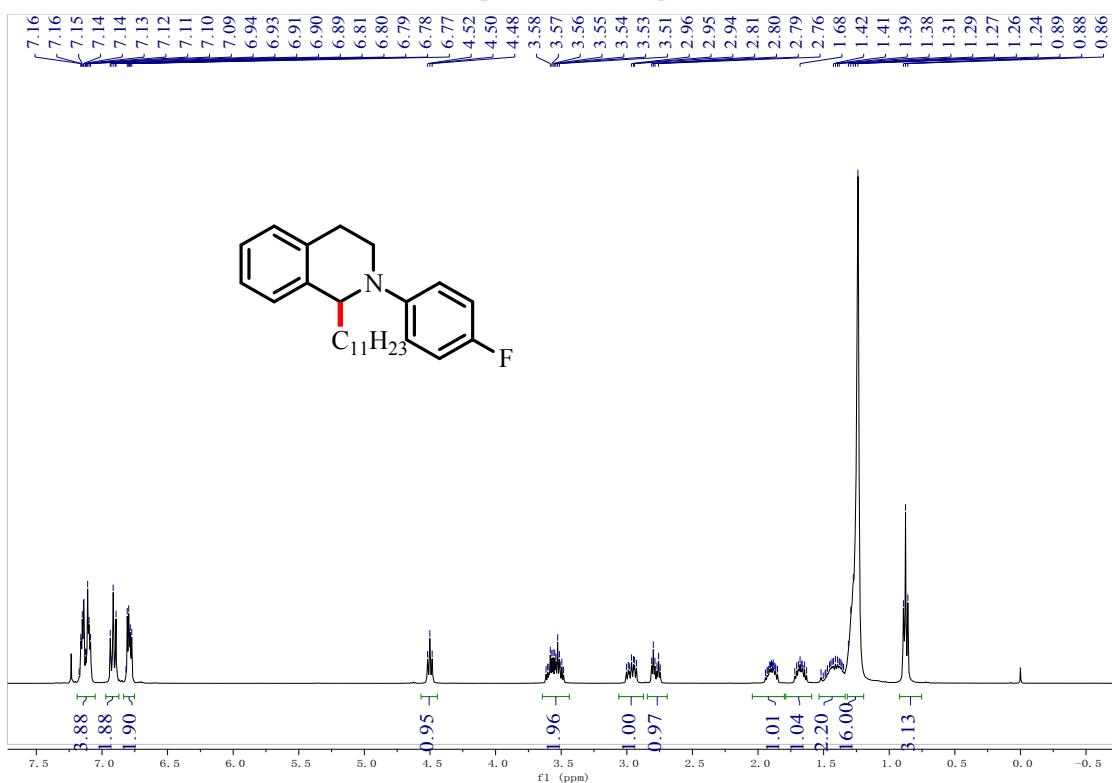
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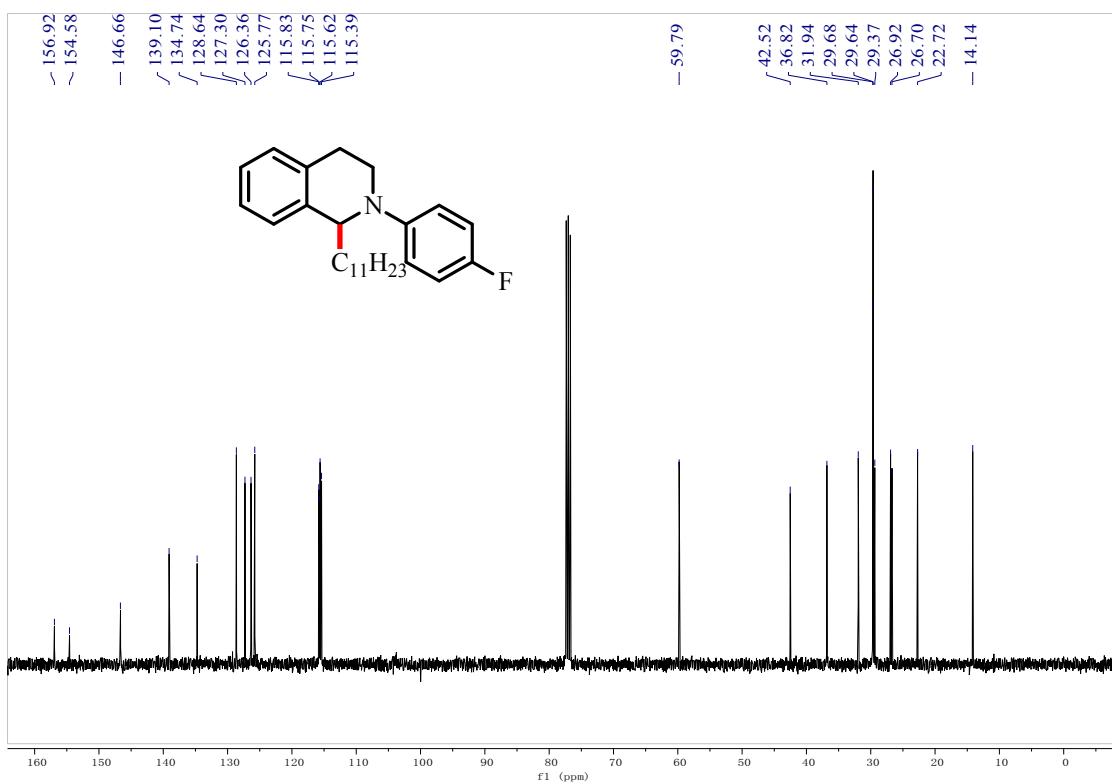
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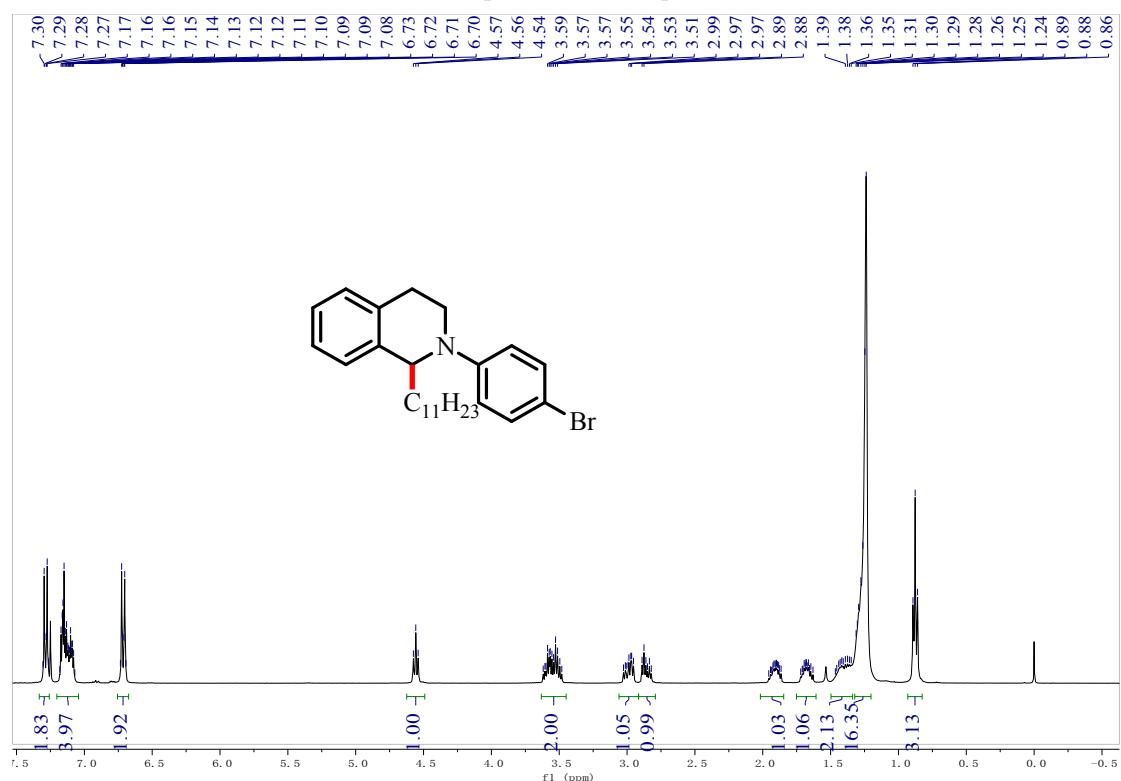
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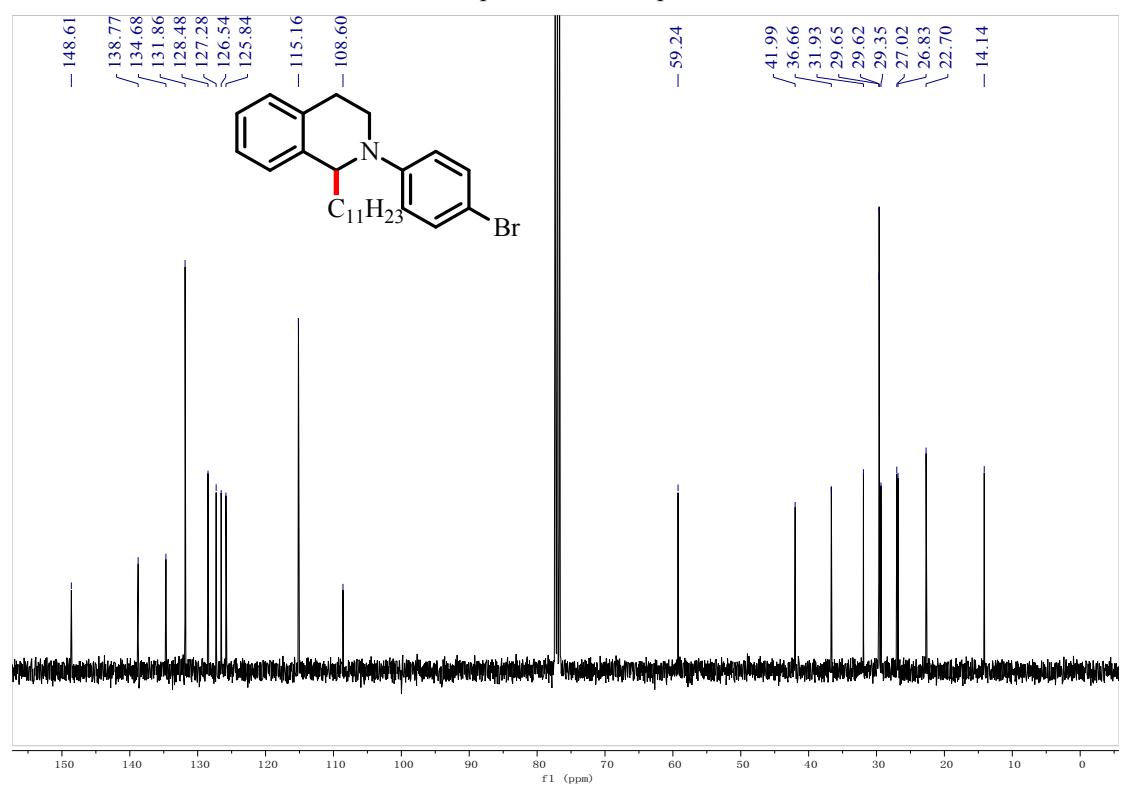
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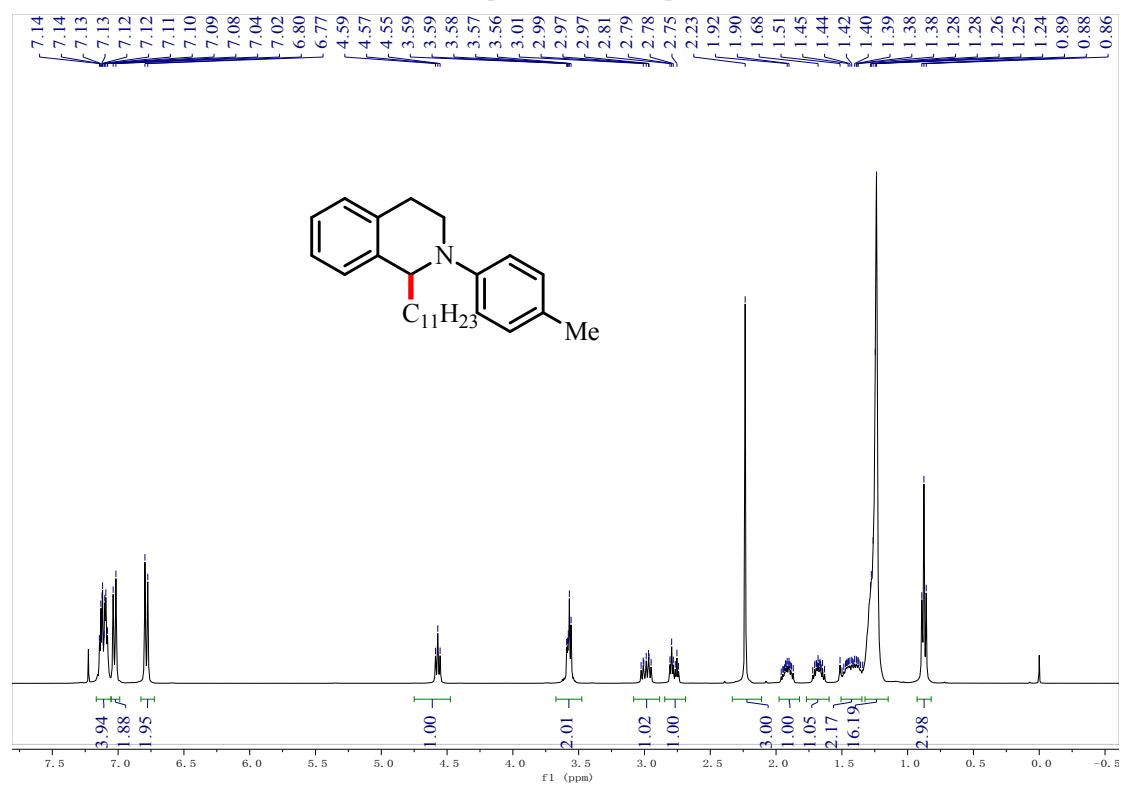
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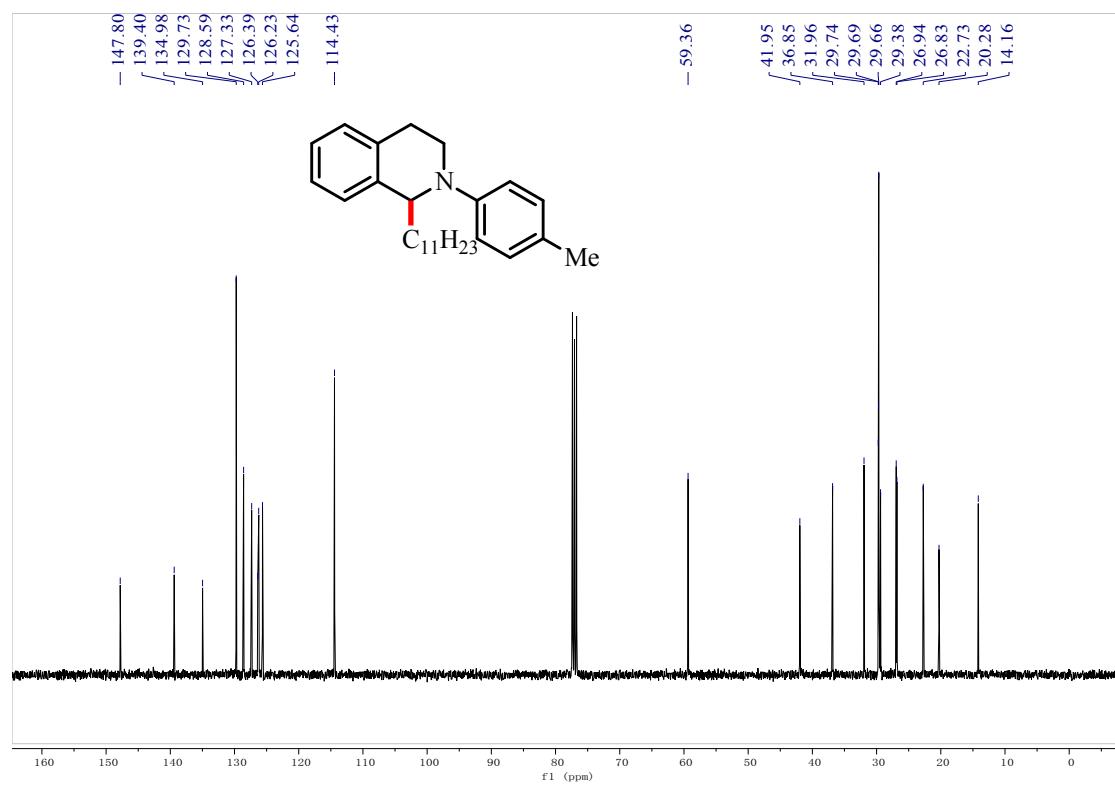
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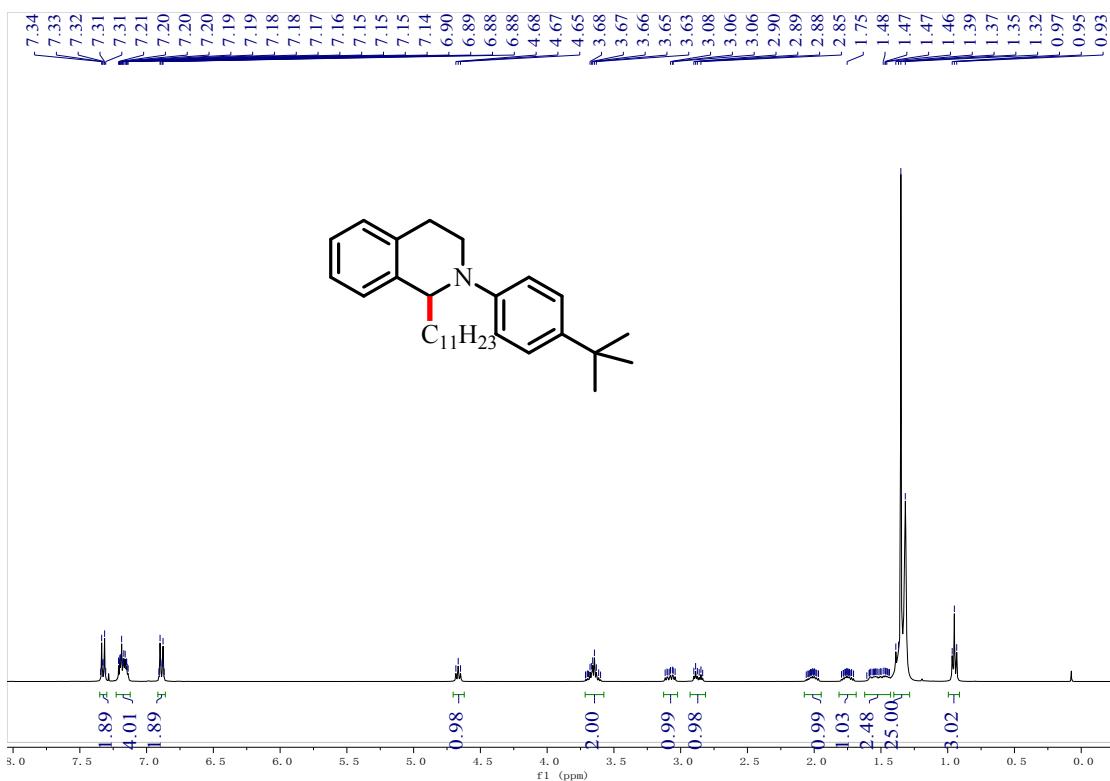
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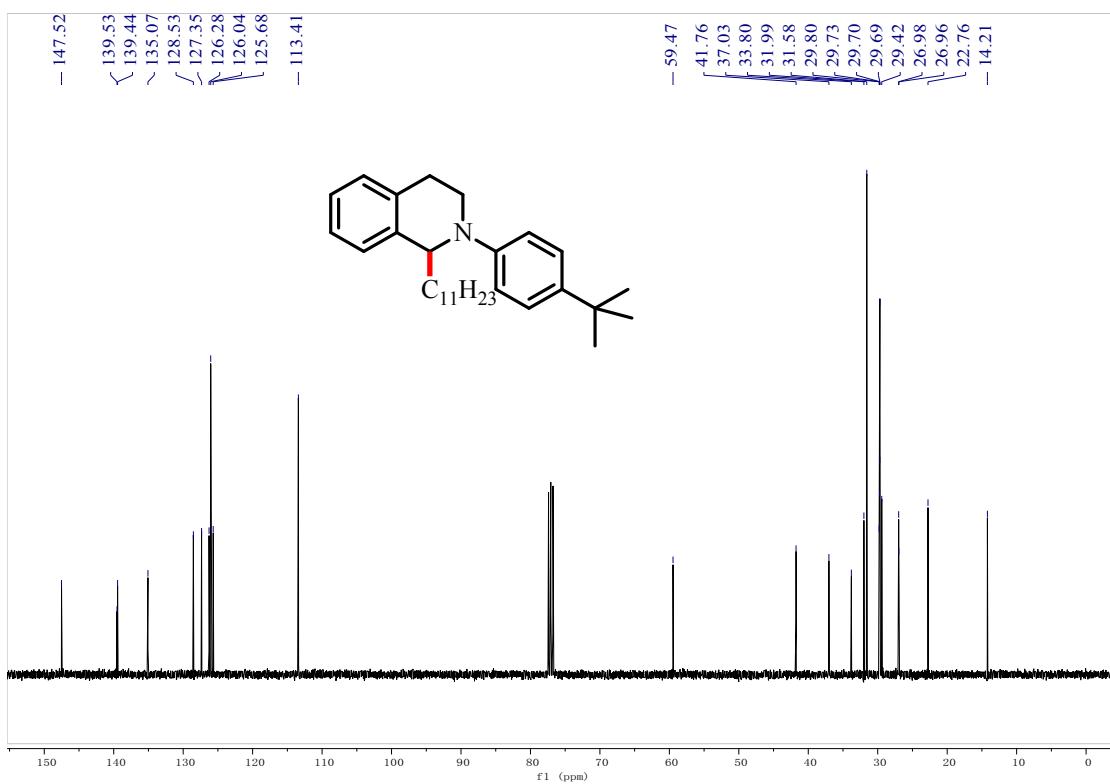
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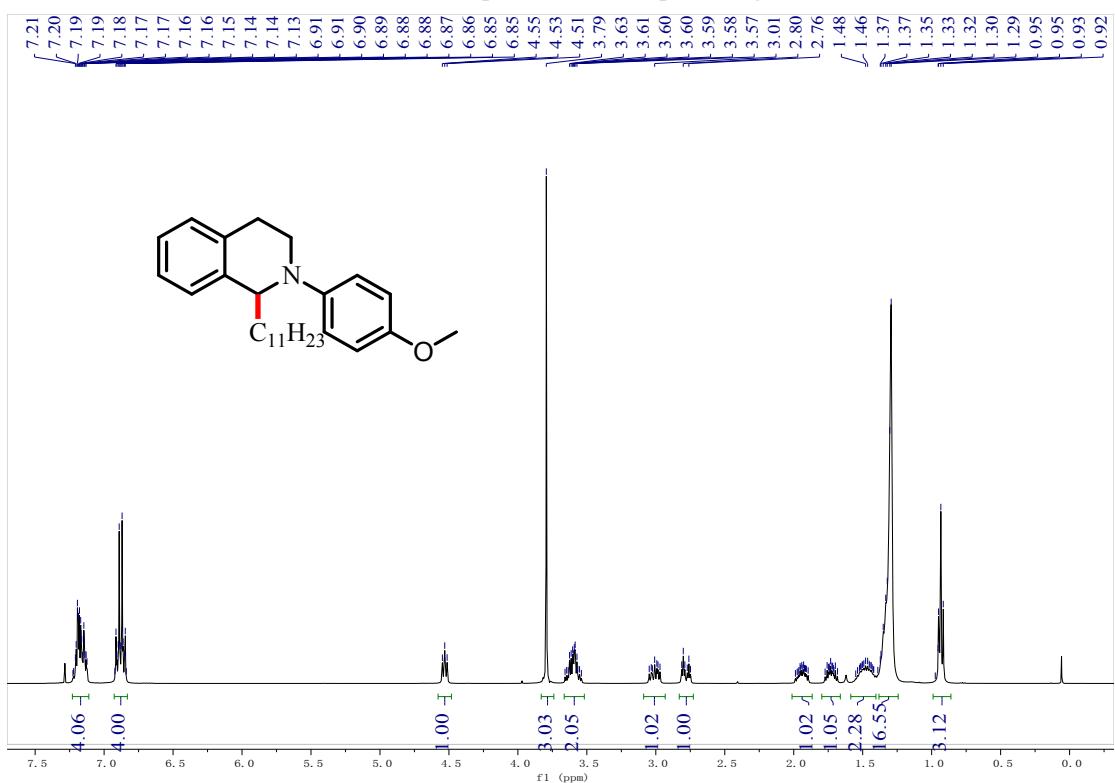
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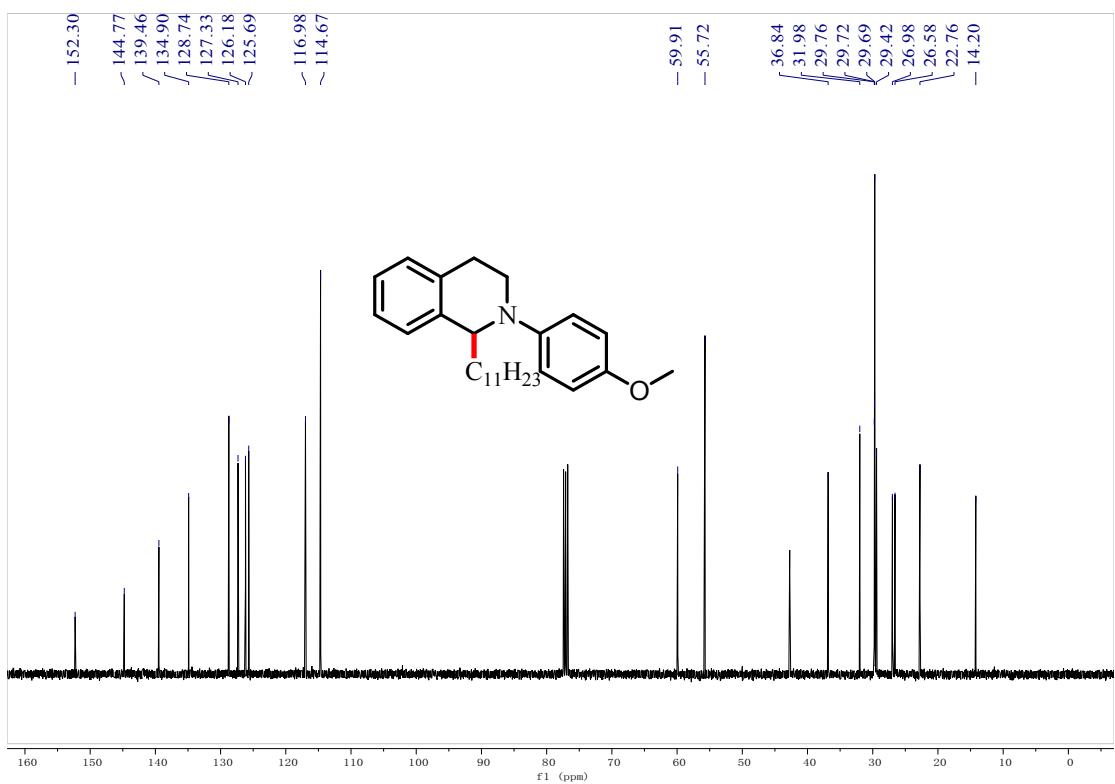
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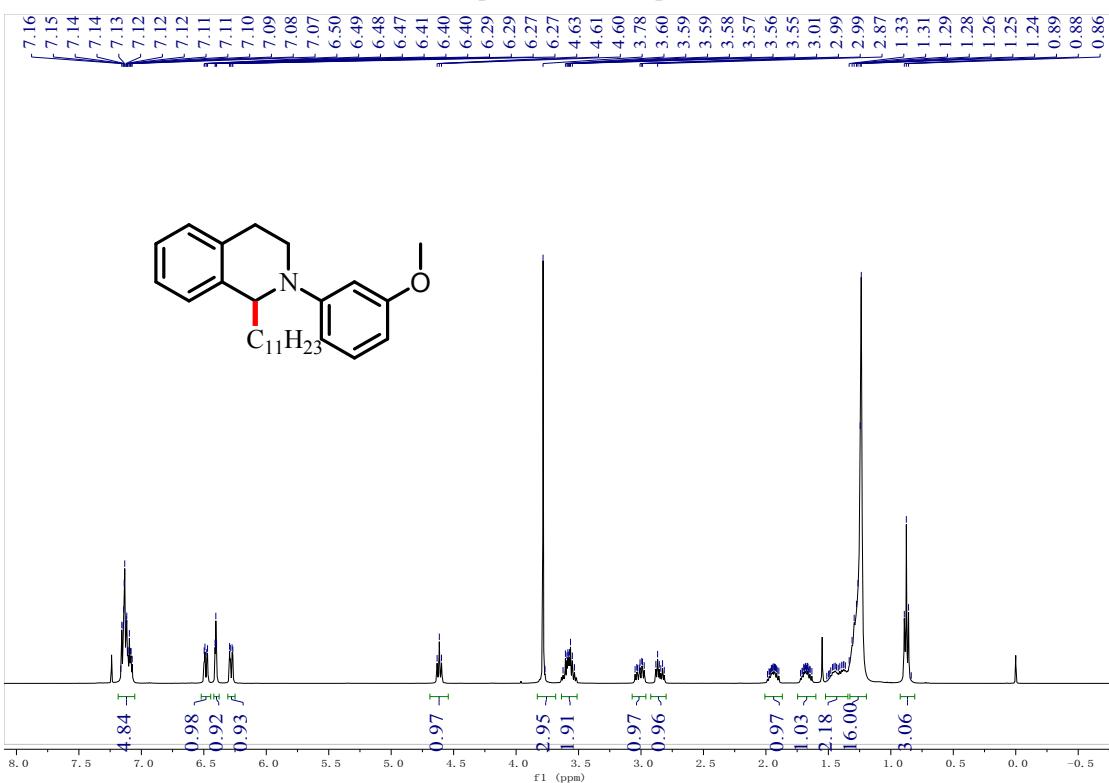
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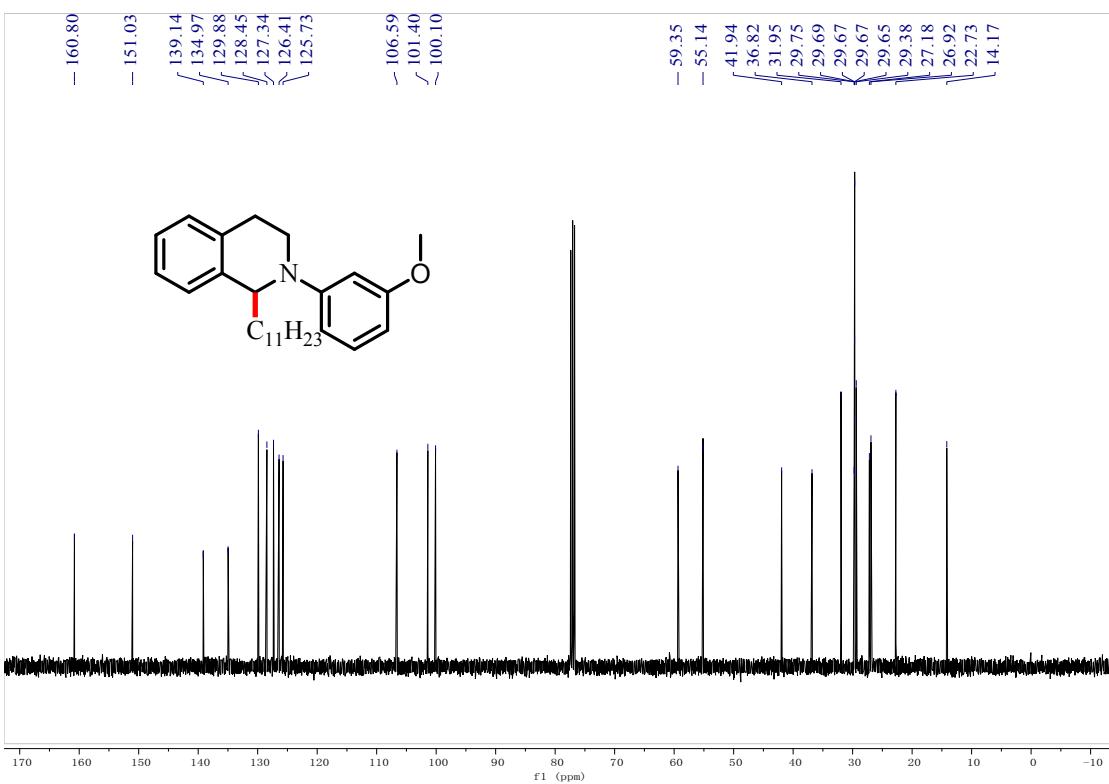
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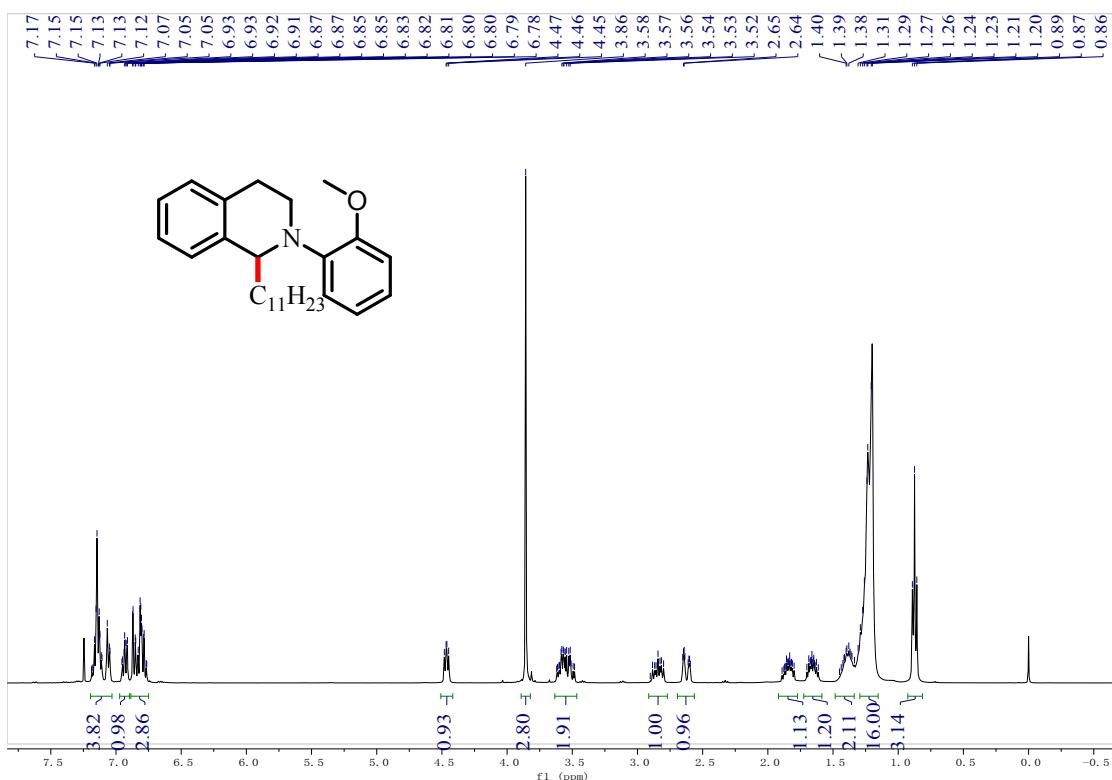
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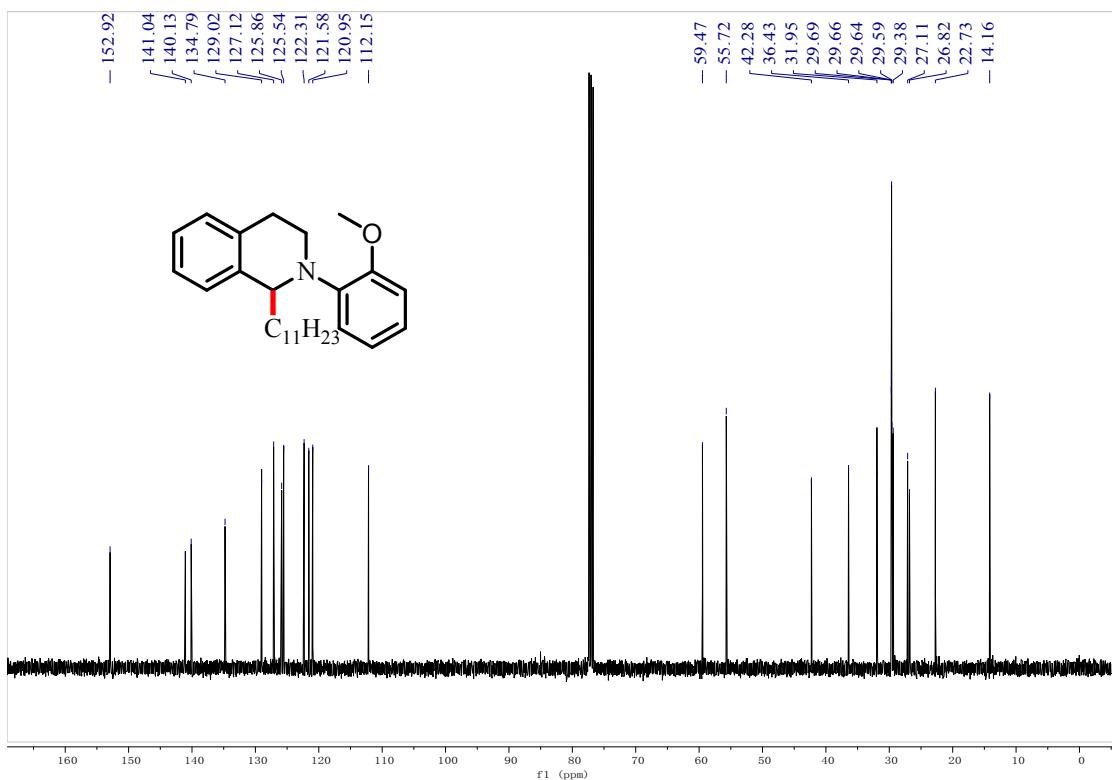
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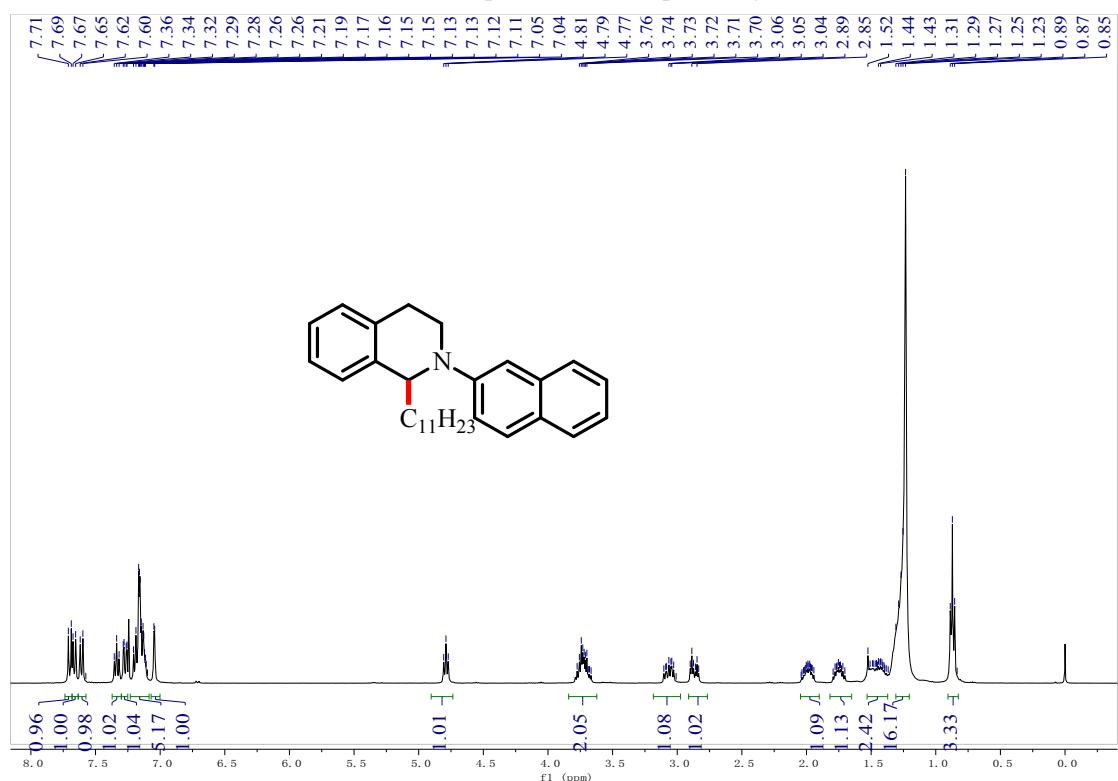
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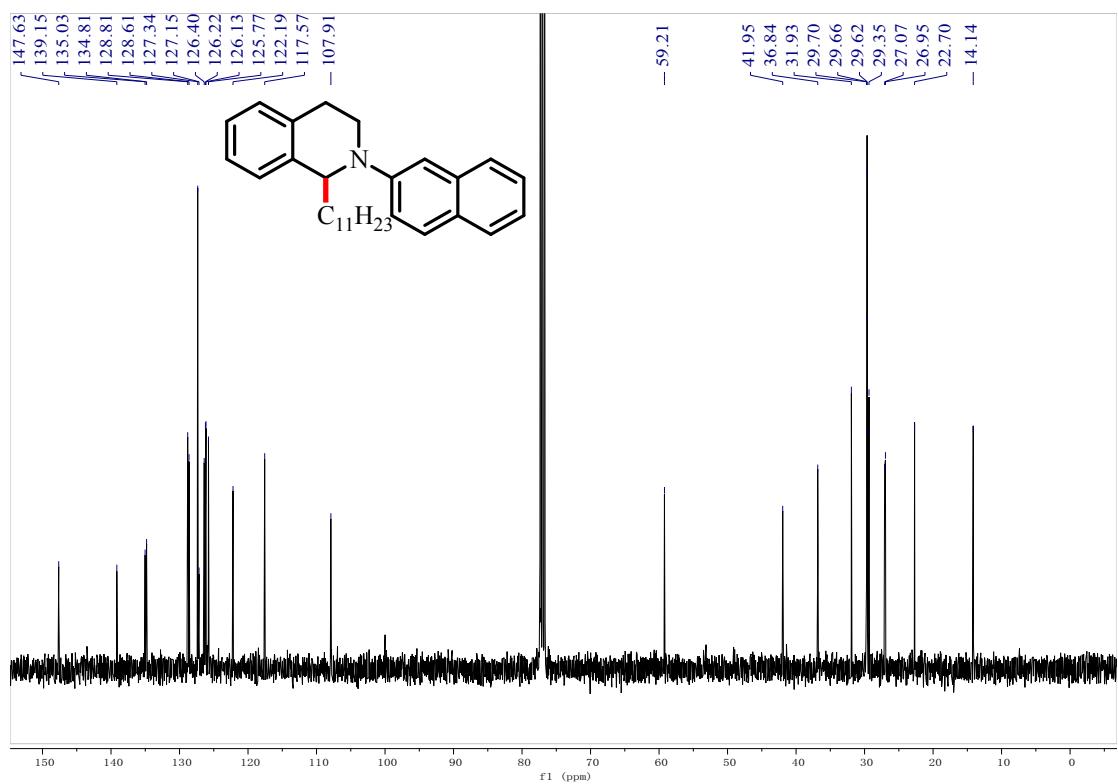
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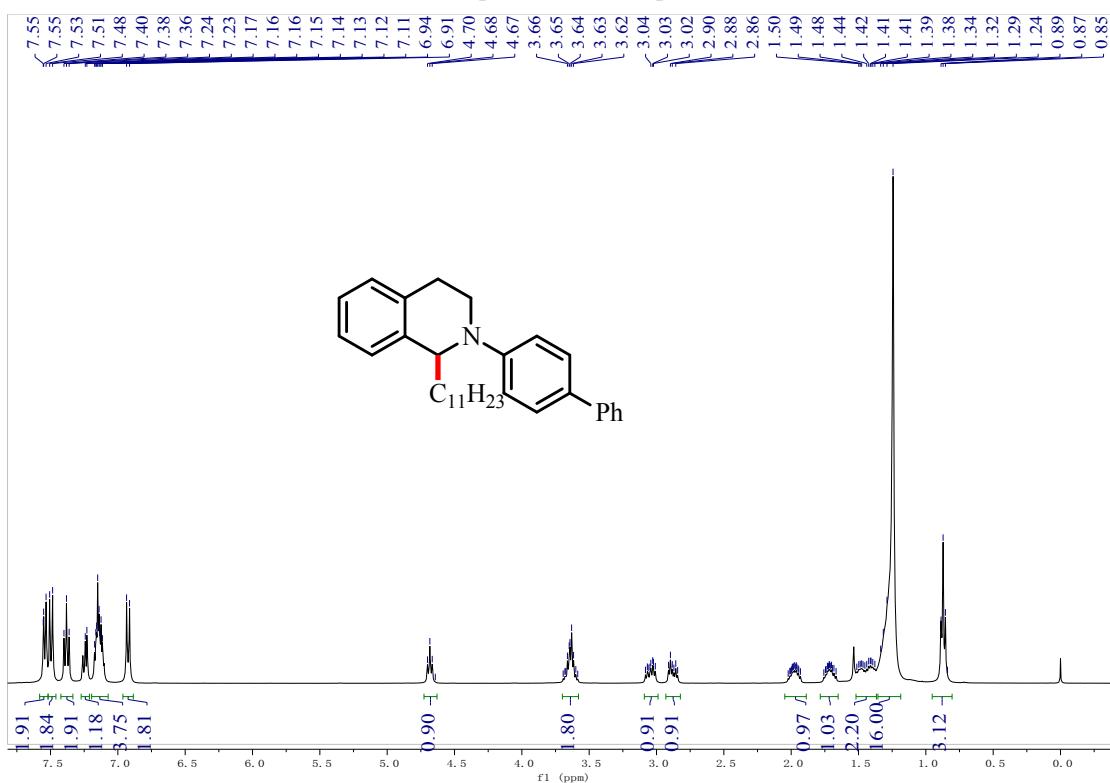
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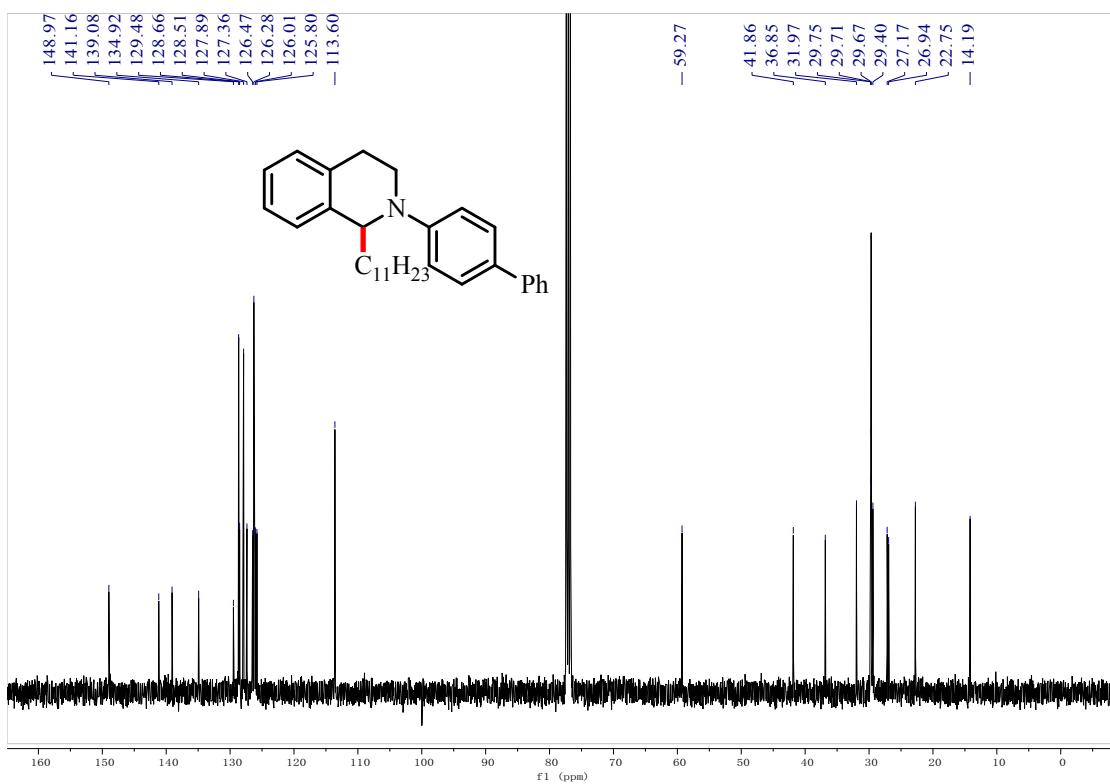
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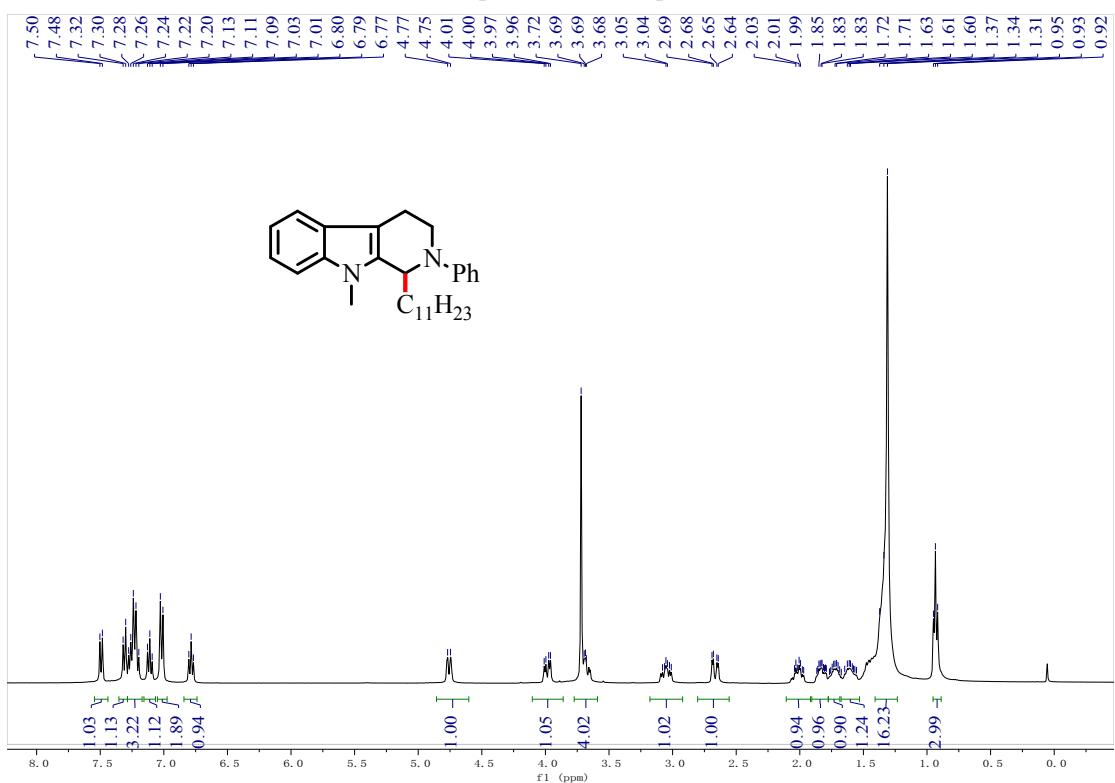
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¹³C NMR spectrum of compound **3ka**



¹H NMR spectrum of compound 3na



¹³C NMR spectrum of compound 3na

