

Dienaminodioate based multicomponent reactions with post-benzylic oxidative transformations mediated by DDQ

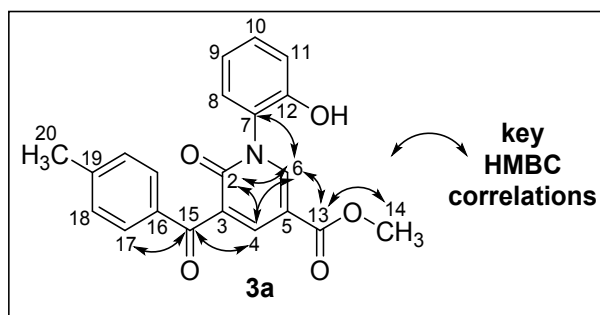
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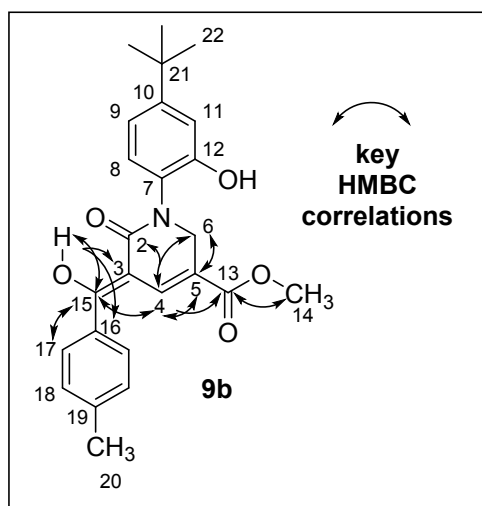
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1. Structural confirmation of compounds 3a, 9b and 9a



The molecular formula of compound **3a** determined as $C_{21}H_{17}NO_5$ by HR-ESI-MS (14 degrees of unsaturation) along with 1H and ^{13}C NMR data was in agreement with the desired 2-pyridone product. ^{13}C NMR showed the presence of ketone carbonyl at 192.5 ppm (C15), ester and amide carbonyls. 1H NMR spectra indicated the presence of a D_2O exchangeable proton (C12-OH) at 7.50 ppm. A loss of one methoxy group with concomitant loss of one ester carbonyl from 1,2-DHP in the 1H and ^{13}C NMRs of compound **3**, and appearance of one ketone, amide carbonyls in its ^{13}C NMR corroborate 2-pyridone formation. Presence of COSY correlations between H11 and H10; H9 and H8; and H17 and H18 indicate the role of both the phenyl units as mere substituents without undergoing any change in the synthetic transformation. Key HMBC correlations confirm the presence of 2-pyridone core unit and its connectivity with ester, ketone and two phenyl units, Table S1 contains the entire list of HMBC correlations. At the outset, presence of HMBC correlations from H14 (OCH_3) to ester carbonyl C13 (δ_H 163.8), H20 ($C-CH_3$) to C19 (4°), C18 confirms the positions of the two methyl groups. HMBC correlation from H18 to C16 confirm its 4° carbon position. The most shielded aromatic proton H11 (δ_H 6.85, ortho to OH) have HMBC correlations with C9, C7 (4°), C12 (4°); and HMBC correlations from H9 to C11, C7 (4°); H8 to C7 (4°), C12 (4°); and H10 to C12 (4°) confirm the annotation of phenolic ring with C12 as the most deshielded 4° carbon (δ_C 151.8) as it is directly attached to OH and the next 4° carbon C7 (δ_C 128.5) attached to N.

Turning on to the key HMBC correlations, firstly, correlation between H17 to C15, C19 point toward the connectivity of *p*-tolyl group to ketone carbonyl. Secondly, presence of HMBC correlations from H4 to C15, C2 (amide carbonyl δ_H 160.7), C6 confirms its position in 2-pyridone. H6 (δ_H 8.38) is the most downfield proton than H4 (δ_H 8.29), similar to its position in the corresponding 1,2-DHP, due to its presence ortho to N(CO) atom. HMBC correlation from H6 to C13, C2, C4 and C7 confirms the 2-pyridone core of compound **3**. Even though, no HMBC correlations exist for two 4° carbons (C3 and C5) but large difference in their chemical shifts helped in identifying C3 and C5 at δ_C 130.0 and 110.8 ppm, respectively.



The molecular formula of compound **9b** determined as $C_{25}H_{27}NO_5$ by HR-ESI-MS (14 degrees of unsaturation) along with 1H and ^{13}C NMR data was in agreement with the reduced 2-pyridone product. ^{13}C NMR showed the loss of ketone carbonyl peak and appearance of a new peak at δ_C 175.2 ppm (C15) along with ester and amide carbonyls. 1H NMR spectra indicated the presence of two D_2O exchangeable protons at 5.84 and 15.10 ppm. Presence of the most downfield proton at δ_H 15.10 ppm arises due to the presence of an enolic OH in strong hydrogen bond with the oxygen atom of amide carbonyl. Interestingly, a two proton signal at δ_H 4.72 ppm (C6), confirmed by DEPT as CH_2 , indicates a 1,4- or 1,6- reduction product. Hence, HMBC correlations play a key role in elucidation of this reduction product, Table S1 contains the entire list of HMBC correlations.

Presence of COSY correlation between H17 and H18 indicate that the phenyl unit is unaltered during reduction. In addition, HMBC correlations from H20 ($C-CH_3$) to C19 (4°), C18 and H17 to C19 (4°), C15 (4°) point toward the connectivity of *p*-tolyl group to C15 the enolic center bearing hydroxyl group and $C\alpha$. Further confirmation of enolic center includes HMBC correlations from enolic-OH to C15, C16 (4°), C3 ($C\alpha$). The upfield shift of C3 to 98.6 ppm clearly indicates the characteristic nucleophilic $C\alpha$ center of an enol. HMBC correlations from H14 (OCH_3) to ester carbonyl C13, and other correlations (Table S1) pertaining to the phenolic ring with *tert*-Bu substituent provides evidence that they are unaltered during reduction. The most downfield proton H4 (δ_H 7.59) corresponding to the pyridine core exhibited HMBC correlations with C2 (amide carbonyl), C13, C15, C5 (4° $C\alpha$ to ester carbonyl) and C6, thus, confirming the position of C4 in the reduced product of 2-pyridone. This and presence of HMBC correlation from H6 to C5 altogether indicates that compound **9b** is a formal 1,6-reduction product of its corresponding 2-pyridone.

2. Table S1: ^1H , ^{13}C and HMBC correlations of compounds 3a and 9b

	Compound 3a			Compound 9b		
Carbon	^{13}C ppm	^1H ppm	HMBC	^{13}C ppm	^1H ppm	HMBC
2	160.79			169.20		
3	130.06			98.62		
4	140.94	8.29, d (2.5)	15, 2, 6	134.30	7.59, s	6, 5, 13, 2, 15
5	110.86			114.58		
6	146.18	8.38, d (2.5)	13, 2, 4, 7	51.77	4.72, bs	5
7	128.58			128.65		
8	126.88	7.18, d (8)	12, 7	119.05	7.05, d (8)	7, 10
9	121.07	6.97, td (8,1)	7, 11	126.57	7.33, d (8)	21, 11
10	131.04	7.19, td (8,1)	12	145.18		
11	119.45	6.85, d (8)	9, 7, 12	122.29	7.29, m (1)	21, 9, 12
12	151.85			148.59		
13	163.88			165.31		
14	52.48	3.88, s	13	51.83	3.76, s	13
15	192.51			175.20		
16	133.91			130.75		
17	129.81	7.78, d (8)	15, 19, 17	129.01	7.51, d (8)	15, 19, 17
18	129.34	7.24, d (8)	20, 16, 18	129.27	7.32, d (8)	20
19	144.66			141.75		
20	21.75	2.38, s	18, 19	21.57	2.46, s	19, 18
21				34.36		
22				31.47	1.34, s	10, 21
C12-OH		7.50, bs			5.84, bs	
C15-OH					15.10, bs	15, 16, 3

3. HMBC correlations of **3a**

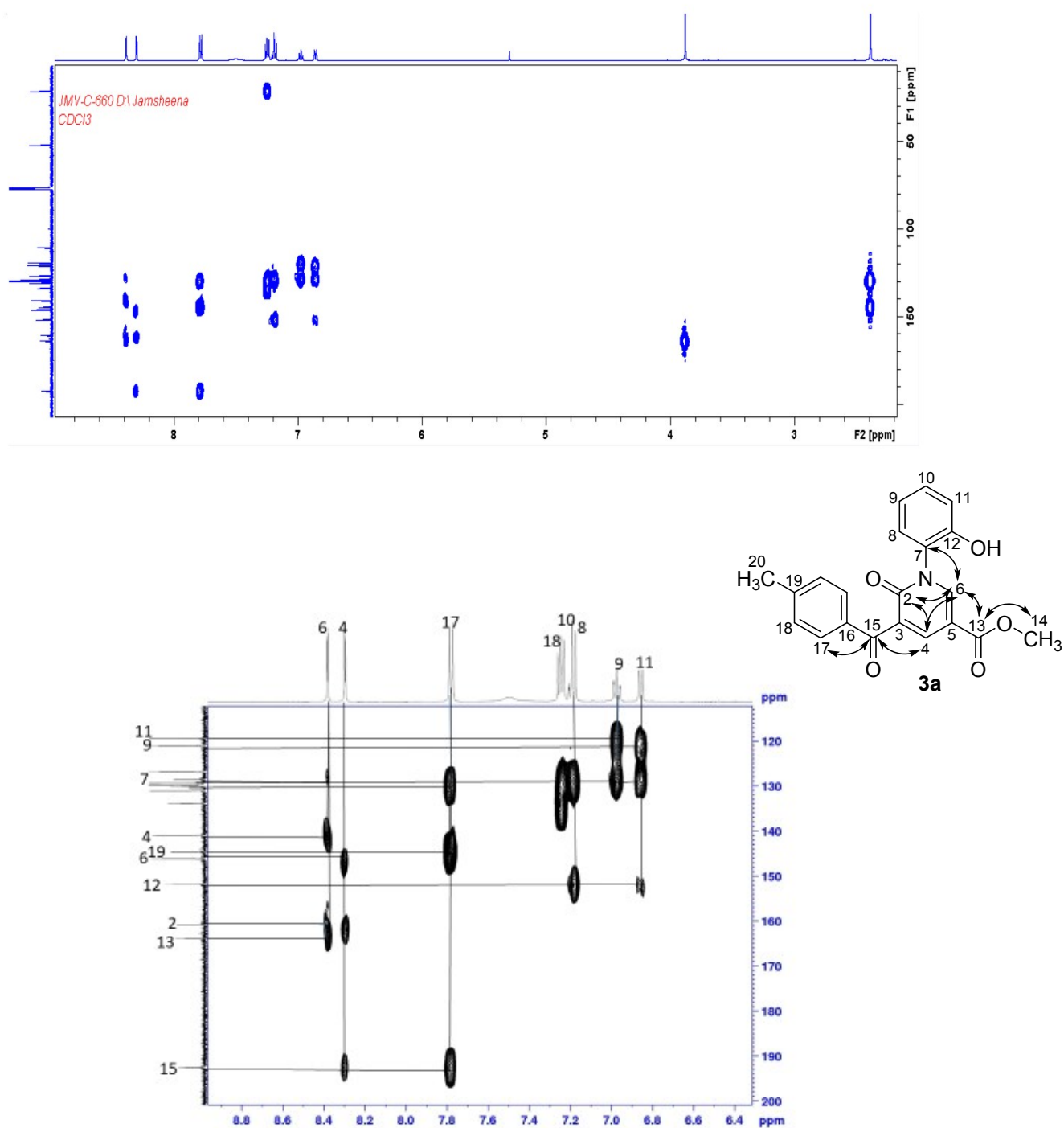


Figure S3a: Key HMBC correlations

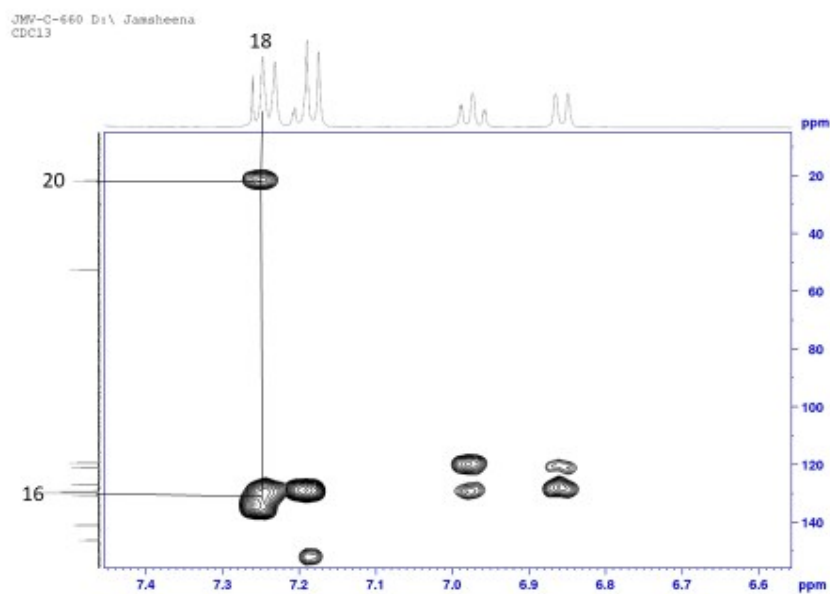


Figure S3b: Expanded HMBC spectra of 3a showing correlations of H18 with C16

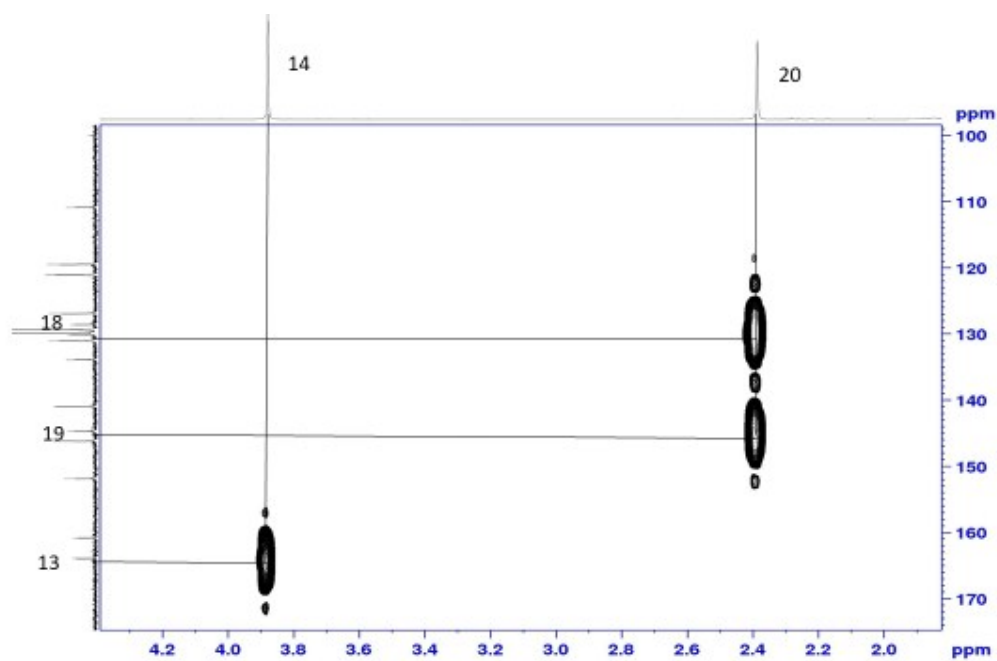


Figure S3c: Expanded HMBC spectra of 3a showing correlations of H14 and H20

4. HMBC correlations of **9b**

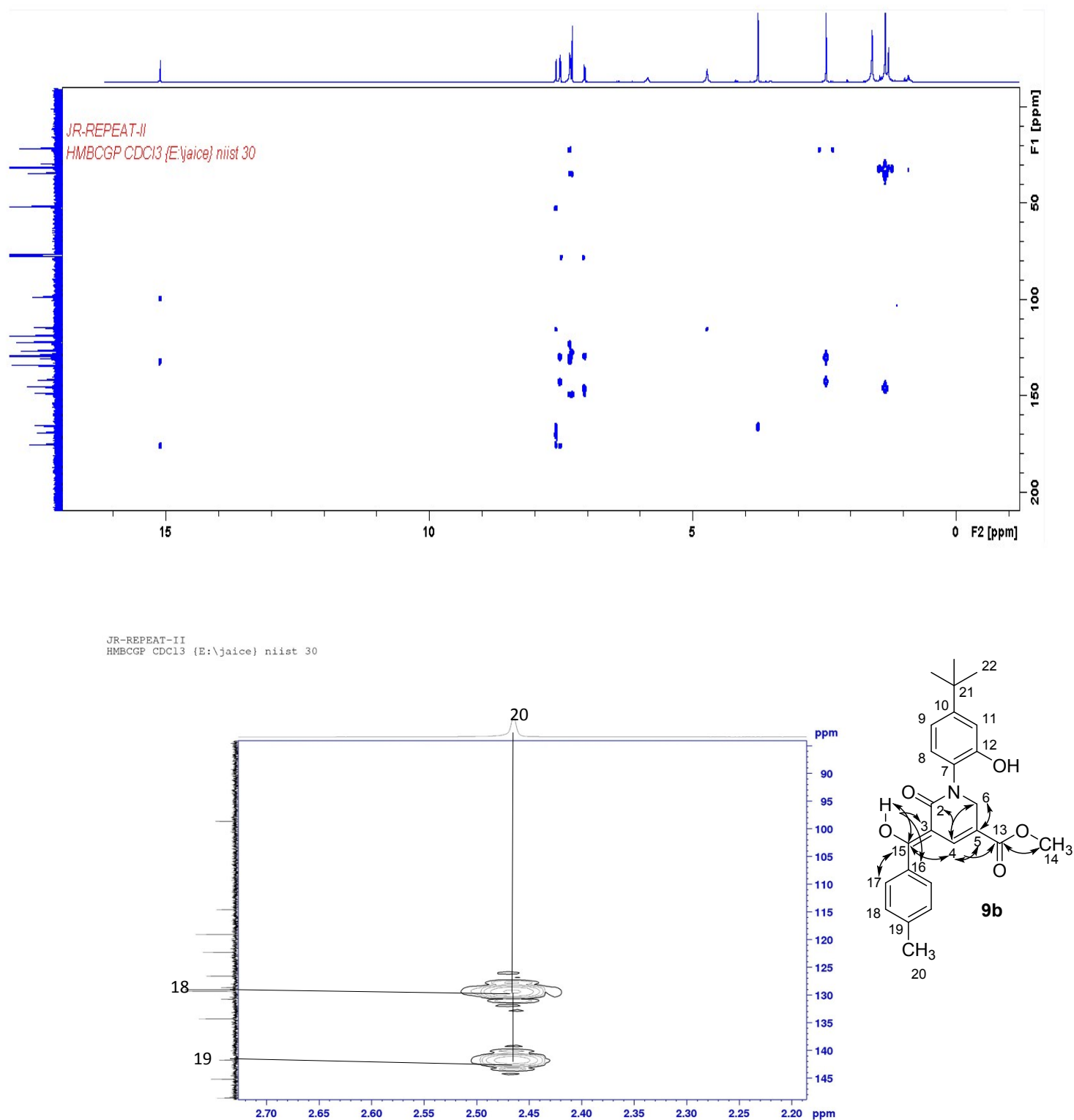


Figure S4a: Expanded HMBC spectra of **9b showing correlations of H20 with C18 and C19**

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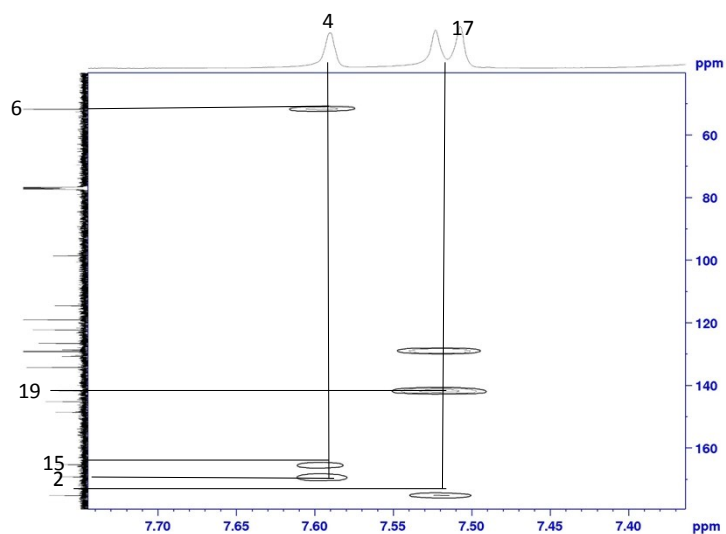


Figure S4b: Expanded HMBC spectra of 9b showing correlations of H4 and H17

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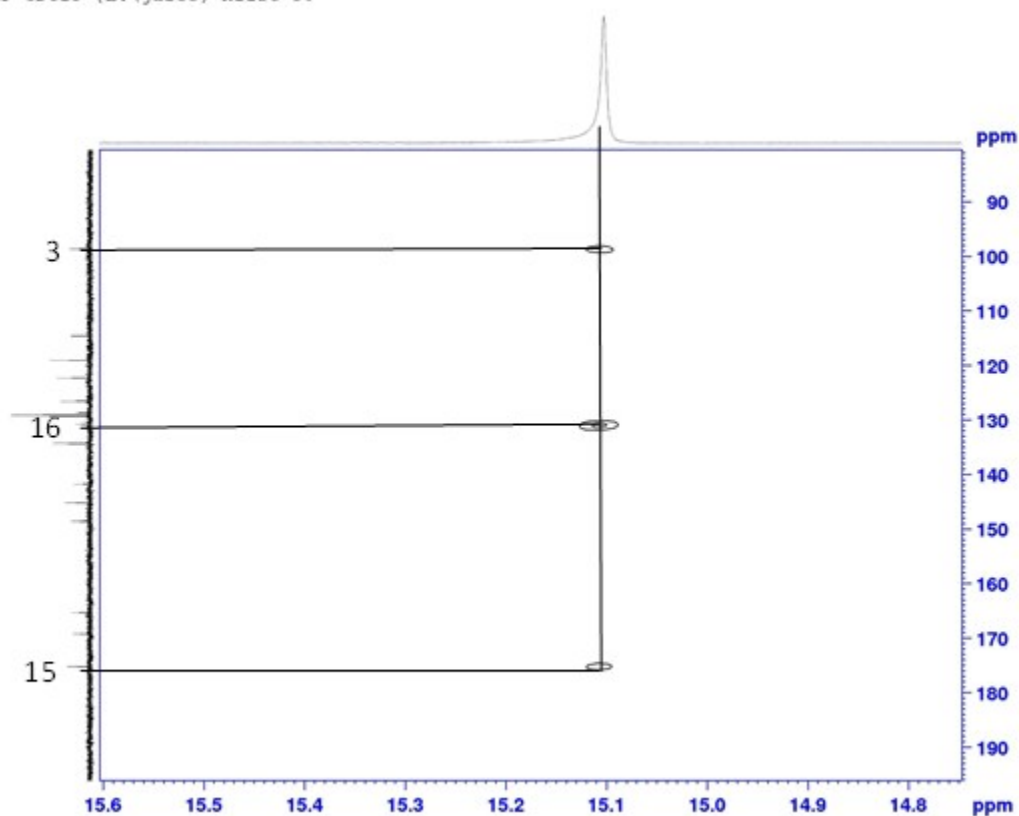
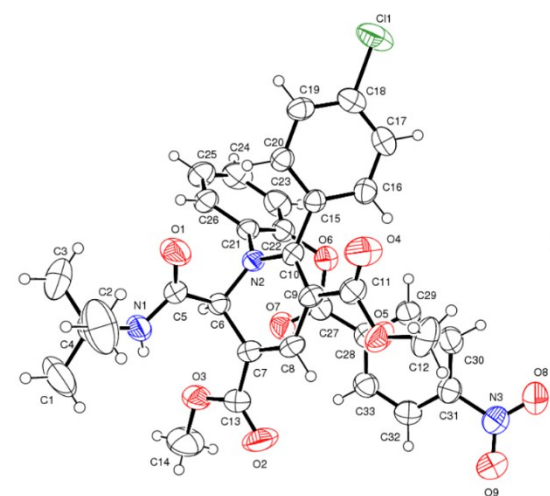


Figure S4c: Expanded HMBC spectra of 9b showing correlations of enolic-OH

5. Crystal information of para-nitroester derivative of 1,2-DHP 4c and benzo[d]oxazole appended biaryl 8b

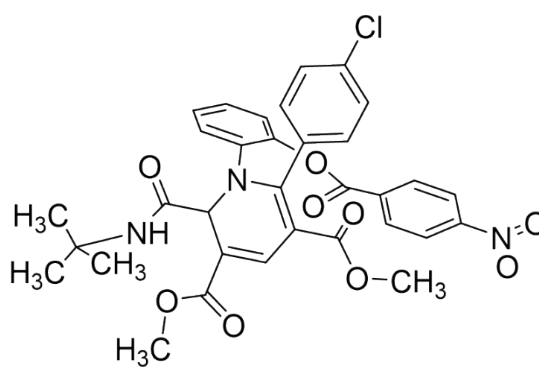
CCDC 1884531 (**para-nitroester derivative of 4c** (JR637)) and 1884529 (**8b** (JR749)) contain the crystallographic data for this manuscript. These data are available free of charge from the Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre. Both the crystals were obtained from slow evaporation of the solvent system that was used for column purification i.e. 30:70 (EtOAc/Hexane).

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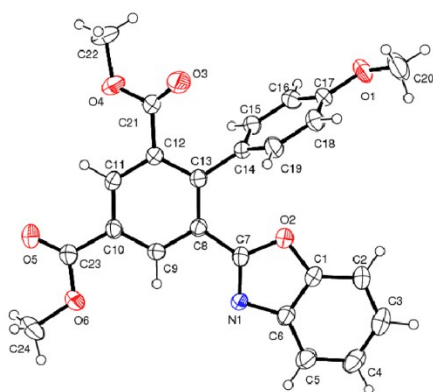


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Chemical Formula: $C_{33}H_{30}ClN_3O_9$



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Chemical Formula: $C_{24}H_{19}NO_6$

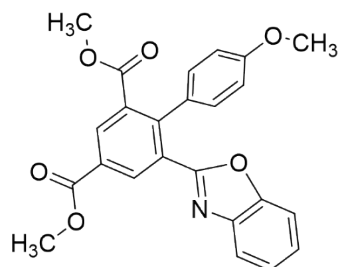


Table 1. Crystal data and structure refinement for jr637.

Identification code	JR637	
Empirical formula	C ₃₃ H ₃₀ Cl N ₃ O ₉	
Formula weight	648.05	
Temperature	296(2) K	
Wavelength	0.71073 Å	
Crystal system	Triclinic	
Space group	P-1	
Unit cell dimensions	a = 9.3935(6) Å	α = 102.592(3)°.
	b = 10.3136(7) Å	β = 95.138(4)°.
	c = 17.8351(12) Å	γ = 101.978(3)°.
Volume	1633.08(19) Å ³	
Z	2	
Density (calculated)	1.318 Mg/m ³	
Absorption coefficient	0.175 mm ⁻¹	
F(000)	676	
Crystal size	0.150 x 0.100 x 0.100 mm ³	
Theta range for data collection	3.018 to 24.999°.	
Index ranges	-11 ≤ h ≤ 11, -12 ≤ k ≤ 12, -21 ≤ l ≤ 21	
Reflections collected	46502	
Independent reflections	5738 [R(int) = 0.0555]	
Completeness to theta = 24.999°	99.7 %	
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents	
Max. and min. transmission	0.7457 and 0.7151	
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²	
Data / restraints / parameters	5738 / 0 / 420	
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.080	
Final R indices [I > 2σ(I)]	R1 = 0.0498, wR2 = 0.1267	
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0758, wR2 = 0.1504	
Extinction coefficient	0.032(3)	
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.349 and -0.232 e.Å ⁻³	

Table 1. Crystal data and structure refinement for jr749.

Identification code	JR749	
Empirical formula	C ₂₄ H ₁₉ N O ₆	
Formula weight	417.40	
Temperature	296(2) K	
Wavelength	0.71073 Å	
Crystal system	Triclinic	
Space group	P-1	
Unit cell dimensions	a = 8.2622(7) Å	$\alpha = 83.258(4)^\circ$.
	b = 10.8562(10) Å	$\beta = 82.820(4)^\circ$.
	c = 11.4554(8) Å	$\gamma = 84.193(4)^\circ$.
Volume	1008.49(15) Å ³	
Z	2	
Density (calculated)	1.375 Mg/m ³	
Absorption coefficient	0.100 mm ⁻¹	
F(000)	436	
Crystal size	0.200 x 0.150 x 0.150 mm ³	
Theta range for data collection	2.474 to 24.997°.	
Index ranges	-9 ≤ h ≤ 9, -12 ≤ k ≤ 12, -13 ≤ l ≤ 13	
Reflections collected	15132	
Independent reflections	3551 [R(int) = 0.0343]	
Completeness to theta = 24.997°	99.9 %	
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents	
Max. and min. transmission	0.7453 and 0.6961	
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²	
Data / restraints / parameters	3551 / 1 / 284	
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.051	
Final R indices [I > 2σ(I)]	R1 = 0.0433, wR2 = 0.1025	
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0828, wR2 = 0.1287	
Extinction coefficient	0.008(2)	
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.242 and -0.195 e.Å ⁻³	

6. Characterization data of 1,2-DHPs (1a-1za, 1f'')

Dimethyl-1-(2-hydroxyphenyl)-2-(*p*-tolyl)-1,2-dihydropyridine-3,5-dicarboxylate (1a):

Yield (146.2 mg, 87%). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃): δ 2.31 (s, 3H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 5.92 (s, 1H), 6.81 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 6.87 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 6.92 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 7.05 (d, *J* = 1.0 Hz, 2H), 7.16 (m, 3H), 7.73 (s, 1H), 7.88 (d, *J* = 1.0 Hz, 1H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (CDCl₃): δ 14.2, 21.2, 51.3, 51.7, 60.5, 62.2, 99.1, 113.7, 117.3, 120.9, 127.2, 128.1, 129.2, 129.4, 131.3, 132.2, 137.9, 138.5, 150.1, 150.7, 166.5, 166.6; HR-ESI-MS *m/z*: [M+H]⁺ Calcd for C₂₂H₂₂NO₅ 380.1498; Found 380.1503.

Dimethyl-1-(2-hydroxyphenyl)-2-phenyl-1,2-dihydropyridine-3,5-dicarboxylate (1b):

Yield (108.7 mg, 67%) yellow solid. Mp 170-172 °C. ¹H NMR (CDCl₃): δ 3.62 (s, 3H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 5.89 (s, 1H), 6.30 (bs, 1H), 6.70 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 6.76 (dd, *J* = 6.5, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 6.82 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.05 (td, *J* = 7.0, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 7.17 (m, 2H), 7.19 (m, 2H), 7.66 (s, 1H), 7.80 (s, 1H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (CDCl₃): δ 51.3, 51.7, 55.2, 61.9, 99.0, 113.7, 113.9, 117.3, 121.0, 128.2, 128.6, 129.2, 131.2, 132.1, 133.2, 150.0, 150.7, 159.8, 166.5, 166.6; HR-ESI-MS *m/z*: [M+H]⁺ Calcd for C₂₁H₂₀NO₅ 366.1341; Found 366.1340.

Dimethyl-2-(4-fluorophenyl)-1-(2-hydroxyphenyl)-1,2-dihydropyridine-3,5-dicarboxylate (1c): Yield (106.3 mg, 63%) yellow solid. Mp 192-195 °C. ¹H NMR (CDCl₃): δ 3.63 (s, 3H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 5.61 (bs, 1H), 5.82 (s, 1H), 6.75 (m, 2H), 6.84 (m, 3H), 7.10 (m, 1H), 7.11 (m, 2H), 7.62 (s, 1H), 7.80 (d, *J* = 1.0 Hz, 1H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (CDCl₃): δ 51.4, 51.8, 61.6, 98.8, 113.4, 115.3, 117.2, 117.3, 120.9, 121.3, 127.9, 129.1, 130.9, 132.5, 136.6, 150.3, 150.6, 162.8 (d, *J* = 247 Hz), 166.5, 166.7; ¹⁹F NMR (CDCl₃): δ -112.97; HR-ESI-MS *m/z*: [M+H]⁺ Calcd for C₂₁H₁₉FNO₅ 384.1247; Found 384.1255.

Dimethyl-2-(4-bromophenyl)-1-(2-hydroxyphenyl)-1,2-dihydropyridine-3,5-dicarboxylate (1d): Yield (121.2 mg, 62%). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃): δ 3.63 (s, 3H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 5.93 (s, 1H), 6.71 (m, 3H), 6.81 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.04 (t, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 7.10 (m, 4H), 7.69 (s, 1H), 7.79 (s, 1H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (CDCl₃): δ 51.5, 51.8, 61.6, 98.9, 113.2, 117.3, 121.0, 127.8, 128.72, 128.74, 129.2, 130.8, 132.6, 134.4, 139.1, 150.4, 150.5, 166.5, 166.7; HR-ESI-MS *m/z*: [M]⁺ Calcd for C₂₁H₁₈BrNNaO₅ 466.0266; Found 466.0268.

Dimethyl-2-(4-chlorophenyl)-1-(2-hydroxyphenyl)-1,2-dihydropyridine-3,5-dicarboxylate (1e): Yield (105.6mg, 60%) yellow solid. Mp 176-178 °C. ¹H NMR (CDCl₃): δ 3.63 (s, 3H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 5.86 (s, 1H), 6.74 (m, 2H), 6.82 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.07 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 7.27 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 7.65 (s, 1H), 7.78 (d, *J* = 1.0 Hz, 1H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (CDCl₃):

δ 51.4, 51.8, 61.8, 99.3, 113.4, 117.3, 121.2, 128.0, 128.7, 128.8, 129.3, 130.9, 132.4, 134.5, 139.1, 150.1, 150.4, 166.3, 166.5; HR-ESI-MS m/z : $[M+H]^+$ Calcd for $C_{21}H_{19}ClNO_5$ 400.0952; Found 400.0011.

Dimethyl-2-(4-cyanophenyl)-1-(2-hydroxyphenyl)-1,2-dihydropyridine-3,5-dicarboxylate (1f): Yield (135.2 mg, 78%) yellow solid. Mp 177-179 °C. 1H NMR ($CDCl_3$): δ 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 6.10 (s, 3H), 6.84 (m, 2H), 6.92 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.16 (td, J = 8.5, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 7.42 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.53 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.81 (s, 1H), 7.88 (s, 1H); $^{13}C\{^1H\}$ NMR ($CDCl_3$): δ 51.5, 51.9, 61.9, 99.1, 112.2, 112.7, 117.3, 118.5, 121.0, 127.4, 128.0, 129.3, 130.7, 132.4, 132.9, 145.3, 150.6, 166.2, 166.6; HR-ESI-MS m/z : $[M+H]^+$ Calcd for $C_{22}H_{19}N_2O_5$ 391.1294; Found 391.1308.

Dimethyl-1-(2-hydroxyphenyl)-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-1,2-dihydropyridine-3,5-dicarboxylate (1g): Yield (124.7 mg, 71%) yellow solid. Mp 169-171 °C. 1H NMR ($CDCl_3$): δ 3.71 (s, 3H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 5.85 (s, 1H), 6.78 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 1H), 6.85 (m, 2H), 6.92 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.19 (m, 3H), 7.69 (s, 1H), 7.88 (s, 1H); $^{13}C\{^1H\}$ NMR ($CDCl_3$): δ 51.2, 51.6, 55.2, 62.2, 99.4, 114.1, 117.3, 121.3, 128.4, 128.6, 129.4, 131.3, 131.9, 133.2, 149.6, 150.7, 160.0, 166.2, 166.3; HR-ESI-MS m/z : $[M-H]^+$ Calcd for $C_{22}H_{20}NO_6$ 394.1291; Found 394.1306.

Dimethyl-2-(4-(*tert*-butyl)phenyl)-1-(2-hydroxyphenyl)-1,2-dihydropyridine-3,5-dicarboxylate (1h): Yield (135.4 mg, 73%) yellow solid. Mp 186-189 °C. 1H NMR ($CDCl_3$): δ 1.19 (s, 9H), 3.63 (s, 3H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 5.79 (s, 1H), 6.74 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 6.82 (m, 2H), 7.08 (td, J = 8.5, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 7.12 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 7.18 (m, 3H), 7.63 (s, 1H), 7.79 (d, J = 1.0 Hz, 1H); $^{13}C\{^1H\}$ NMR ($CDCl_3$): δ 31.3, 34.6, 51.3, 51.6, 62.3, 99.9, 113.7, 117.3, 121.2, 125.7, 126.7, 128.2, 129.3, 131.6, 132.0, 137.6, 149.7, 150.7, 151.7, 166.3, 166.4; HR-ESI-MS m/z : $[M+H]^+$ Calcd for $C_{25}H_{28}NO_5$ 422.1967; Found 422.1987.

Dimethyl-2-(3-chlorophenyl)-1-(2-hydroxyphenyl)-1,2-dihydropyridine-3,5-dicarboxylate (1i): Yield (123.1 mg, 70%). 1H NMR ($CDCl_3$): δ 3.62 (s, 3H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 5.96 (s, 1H), 6.66 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 6.72 (dd, J = 7.5, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 6.82 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.04 (m, 3H), 7.12 (m, 1H), 7.70 (s, 1H), 7.77 (d, J = 1.0 Hz, 1H); $^{13}C\{^1H\}$ NMR ($CDCl_3$): δ 51.3, 51.7, 61.6, 98.7, 112.8, 117.1, 120.5, 125.5, 127.4, 127.8, 128.5, 129.1, 129.7, 131.0, 132.6, 134.4, 142.7, 150.5, 150.8, 166.4, 166.6; HR-ESI-MS m/z : $[M+H]^+$ Calcd for $C_{21}H_{19}ClNO_5$ 400.0952; Found 400.0962.

Dimethyl-2-(3-fluorophenyl)-1-(2-hydroxyphenyl)-1,2-dihydropyridine-3,5-dicarboxylate (1j): Yield (124.8 mg, 74%). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃): δ 3.64 (s, 3H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 5.90 (t, *J* = 9.5 Hz, 1H), 6.83 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 6.88 (t, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 1H), 6.95 (m, 2H), 7.10 (m, 2H), 7.19 (s, 1H), 7.67 (s, 1H), 7.80 (s, 1H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (CDCl₃): δ 51.4, 51.8, 61.8, 99.2, 113.1, 114.2, 114.3, 115.4, 115.6, 117.3, 121.0, 123.0, 127.8, 129.3, 130.1, 130.9, 132.6, 143.0, 150.3, 150.4, 162.95 (d, *J* = 247 Hz), 166.5, 166.6; ¹⁹F NMR (CDCl₃): δ -112.1; HR-ESI-MS *m/z*: [M+H]⁺ Calcd for C₂₁H₁₉FNO₅ 384.1247; Found 384.1255.

Dimethyl-2-(2-fluorophenyl)-1-(2-hydroxyphenyl)-1,2-dihydropyridine-3,5-dicarboxylate (1k): Yield (138.3 mg, 82%) yellow solid. Mp 173-175 °C. ¹H NMR (CDCl₃): δ 3.60 (s, 3H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 6.35 (s, 1H), 6.44 (bs, 1H), 6.70 (m, 2H), 6.77 (t, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 1H), 6.83 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.00 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.05 (td, *J* = 9.0, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 7.14 (m, 1H), 7.48 (td, *J* = 7.5, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 7.60 (s, 1H), 7.84 (d, *J* = 1.0 Hz, 1H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (CDCl₃): δ 51.3, 51.7, 55.3, 98.8, 112.8, 115.2, 115.3, 117.1, 121.0, 124.7, 128.0, 129.4, 130.0, 130.4, 130.8, 133.0, 150.3, 150.7, 158.1-160.0 (d, *J* = 249 Hz), 166.0, 166.5; ¹⁹F NMR (CDCl₃): δ -118.8; HR-ESI-MS *m/z*: [M+Na]⁺ Calcd for C₂₁H₁₈FNNaO₅ 406.1067; Found 406.1076.

Dimethyl-2-(2-bromophenyl)-1-(2-hydroxyphenyl)-1,2-dihydropyridine-3,5-dicarboxylate (1l): Yield (154.4 mg, 79%). ¹H NMR (CDCl₃): δ 3.59 (s, 3H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 6.44 (s, 1H), 6.59 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 6.67 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 6.85 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.02 (t, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.09 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.23 (d, *J* = 7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.26 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.52 (s, 1H), 7.72 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.84 (s, 1H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (CDCl₃): δ 51.4, 51.7, 60.6, 98.2, 114.4, 117.2, 120.9, 122.6, 128.5, 128.8, 129.8, 130.1, 130.4, 132.5, 132.8, 140.5, 150.5, 151.2, 166.0, 166.5; HR-ESI-MS *m/z*: [M+H]⁺ Calcd for C₂₁H₁₉BrNO₅ 444.0447; Found 444.0459.

Dimethyl-2-(4-chloro-2-fluorophenyl)-1-(2-hydroxyphenyl)-1,2-dihydropyridine-3,5-dicarboxylate (1n): Yield (161.8 mg, 88%) yellow solid. Mp 175-177 °C. ¹H NMR (CDCl₃): δ 3.60 (s, 3H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 6.37 (s, 1H), 6.70 (m, 3H), 6.79 (m, 2H), 6.97 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 1H), 7.03 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.39 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.61 (s, 1H), 7.83 (s, 1H); ¹³C{¹H} NMR (CDCl₃): δ 51.4, 51.8, 54.9, 98.4, 112.2, 115.9, 116.1, 117.1, 120.8, 125.0, 126.5, 127.6, 129.4, 130.5, 131.0, 133.4, 135.1, 135.2, 150.6, 150.8, 157.9-159.9 (d, *J* = 253 Hz), 166.2, 166.6; ¹⁹F NMR (CDCl₃): δ -115.9; HR-ESI-MS *m/z*: [M+H]⁺ Calcd for C₂₁H₁₈ClFNO₅ 418.0858; Found 418.0859.

Dimethyl-2-(4-fluoro-3-methoxyphenyl)-1-(2-hydroxyphenyl)-1,2-dihydropyridine-3,5-dicarboxylate (1o): Yield (71.0 mg, 39%) yellow solid. Mp 197-199 °C. ¹H NMR (CDCl₃): δ

3.61 (s, 3H), 3.64 (s, 3H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 5.84 (s, 1H), 6.04 (bs, 1H), 6.69 (dd, $J = 8.0, 1.5$ Hz, 1H), 6.76 (m, 3H), 6.85 (m, 2H), 7.09 (td, $J = 8.5, 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.63 (s, 1H), 7.81 (s, 1H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (CDCl_3): δ 51.4, 51.8, 61.8, 99.3, 113.0, 117.3, 121.1, 125.5, 127.4, 127.9, 128.8, 129.4, 129.8, 130.9, 132.7, 134.6, 142.4, 150.2, 150.4, 160.0 (d, $J = 204$ Hz), 166.4, 166.5; ^{19}F NMR (CDCl_3): δ -134.7; HR-ESI-MS m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{21}\text{FNO}_6$ 414.1353; Found 414.1358.

Dimethyl-2-(2,4-dimethoxyphenyl)-1-(2-hydroxyphenyl)-1,2-dihydropyridine-3,5-dicarboxylate (1p): Yield (92.5 mg, 50%). ^1H NMR (CDCl_3): δ 3.25 (s, 3H), 3.58 (s, 3H), 3.68 (d, $J = 1.5$ Hz, 6H), 5.23 (s, 1H), 6.18 (d, $J = 2.5$ Hz, 1H), 6.27 (s, 1H), 6.34 (dd, $J = 8.5, 2.5$ Hz, 1H), 6.69 (t, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 1H), 6.75 (dd, $J = 8.0, 1.5$ Hz, 1H), 6.83 (d, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.04 (td, $J = 8.0, 1.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.26 (d, $J = 8.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.47 (s, 1H), 7.81 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (CDCl_3): δ 51.2, 51.5, 55.2, 55.3, 98.6, 98.7, 105.0, 113.3, 116.9, 120.6, 121.9, 128.0, 129.1, 130.4, 132.7, 132.7, 149.8, 151.3, 157.6, 161.2, 166.2, 166.5; HR-ESI-MS m/z : $[\text{M}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{23}\text{NO}_7$ 425.1475; Found 425.1446.

Dimethyl-2-(2,5-dimethoxyphenyl)-1-(2-hydroxyphenyl)-1,2-dihydropyridine-3,5-dicarboxylate (1q): Yield (83.0 mg, 44%). ^1H NMR (CDCl_3): δ 3.26 (s, 3H), 3.59 (s, 3H), 3.64 (s, 3H), 3.68 (s, 3H), 6.33 (s, 1H), 6.59 (d, $J = 9.0$ Hz, 1H), 6.69 (m, 2H), 6.78 (dd, $J = 7.5, 1.0$ Hz, 1H), 6.82 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 6.94 (d, $J = 3.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.04 (td, $J = 8.0, 1.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.47 (s, 1H), 7.81 (d, $J = 1.0$ Hz, 1H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (CDCl_3): δ 51.2, 51.5, 55.7, 56.1, 56.5, 98.8, 112.6, 113.4, 114.3, 115.7, 117.0, 120.7, 127.9, 129.2, 130.0, 131.5, 132.8, 150.0, 150.7, 151.4, 154.0, 166.0, 166.4; HR-ESI-MS m/z : $[\text{M}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{23}\text{NO}_7$ 425.1475; Found 425.1438.

Dimethyl-2-(3,5-dimethylphenyl)-1-(2-hydroxyphenyl)-1,2-dihydropyridine-3,5-dicarboxylate (1r): Yield (90 mg, 52%) yellow solid. Mp 216-219 °C. ^1H NMR (CDCl_3): δ 2.05 (s, 6H), 3.64 (s, 3H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 5.96 (s, 1H), 6.66 (t, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 1H), 6.71 (d, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 1H), 6.75 (s, 2H), 6.79 (d, $J = 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 6.98 (t, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.15 (bs, 1H), 7.66 (s, 1H), 7.82 (s, 1H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (CDCl_3): δ 21.2, 51.3, 51.8, 62.1, 98.7, 113.2, 117.2, 120.7, 125.1, 128.3, 129.1, 130.5, 131.1, 132.7, 138.2, 140.6, 150.4, 150.7, 166.6, 166.9; HR-ESI-MS m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{23}\text{NNaO}_5$ 416.1474; Found 416.1488.

Dimethyl-1-(2-hydroxyphenyl)-2-(3,4,5-trimethoxyphenyl)-1,2-dihydropyridine-3,5-dicarboxylate (1s): Yield (92.2 mg, 46%). ^1H NMR (CDCl_3): δ 3.66 (s, 6H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 5.98 (s, 1H), 6.44 (s, 2H), 6.80 (t, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 6.88 (dd, $J = 7.5, 1.5$ Hz, 1H), 6.93 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.12 (td, $J = 8.0, 1.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.77 (s, 1H), 7.89 (d, $J = 1.0$

Hz, 1H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (CDCl_3): δ 51.4, 51.8, 56.0, 60.8, 62.4, 98.6, 104.4, 113.0, 117.3, 120.8, 127.9, 129.1, 131.2, 132.5, 135.8, 138.1, 150.2, 150.8, 153.2, 166.6, 166.7; HR-ESI-MS m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{25}\text{NNaO}_8$ 478.1478; Found 478.1482.

Dimethyl-2-(4-bromophenyl)-1-(4-(*tert*-butyl)-2-hydroxyphenyl)-1,2-dihydropyridine-3,5-dicarboxylate (1t): Yield (182.0 mg, 83%). ^1H NMR (CDCl_3): δ 1.06 (s, 9H), 3.61 (s, 3H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 5.79 (s, 1H), 6.49 (bs, 1H), 6.59 (d, $J = 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 6.74 (d, $J = 8.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.04 (m, 3H), 7.26 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.65 (s, 1H), 7.79 (s, 1H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (CDCl_3): δ 31.2, 34.0, 51.4, 51.7, 62.2, 98.8, 113.1, 116.7, 122.7, 125.3, 126.2, 129.2, 130.1, 131.6, 132.6, 139.7, 144.2, 148.0, 150.3, 166.3, 166.6; HR-ESI-MS m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{26}\text{BrNNaO}_5$ 522.0892; Found 522.0906.

Dimethyl-1-(4-(*tert*-butyl)-2-hydroxyphenyl)-2-(*p*-tolyl)-1,2-dihydropyridine-3,5-dicarboxylate (1u): Yield (162.0 mg, 85%). ^1H NMR (CDCl_3): δ 1.07 (s, 9H), 2.22 (s, 3H), 3.60 (s, 3H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 4.98 (bs, 1H), 5.64 (s, 1H), 6.65 (d, $J = 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 6.76 (d, $J = 3.5$ Hz, 1H), 6.97 (d, $J = 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.07 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.11 (dd, $J = 8.5, 2.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.55 (s, 1H), 7.80 (d, $J = 1.0$ Hz, 1H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (CDCl_3): δ 21.2, 31.2, 34.1, 51.2, 51.6, 62.9, 99.1, 113.8, 116.7, 125.7, 126.4, 127.3, 129.4, 130.6, 132.1, 138.0, 138.7, 144.3, 148.2, 149.9, 166.2, 166.4; HR-ESI-MS m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{29}\text{NNaO}_5$ 458.1943; Found 458.1955.

Dimethyl-1-(5-chloro-2-hydroxyphenyl)-2-(4-chlorophenyl)-1,2-dihydropyridine-3,5-dicarboxylate (1v): Yield (168.5 mg, 88%). ^1H NMR (CDCl_3): δ 3.63 (s, 3H), 3.72 (s, 3H), 5.94 (s, 1H), 6.76 (d, $J = 8.5$ Hz, 1H), 6.81 (d, $J = 2.5$ Hz, 1H), 6.99 (dd, $J = 9.0, 2.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.11 (m, 4H), 7.65 (s, 1H), 7.76 (s, 1H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (CDCl_3): δ 51.6, 51.9, 61.5, 99.6, 113.8, 118.3, 125.3, 127.3, 128.6, 128.9, 129.0, 131.6, 132.3, 134.7, 138.6, 149.4, 149.7, 166.4, 166.6; HR-ESI-MS m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{17}\text{Cl}_2\text{NNaO}_5$ 456.0381; Found 456.0390.

Dimethyl-1-(5-chloro-2-hydroxyphenyl)-2-(*p*-tolyl)-1,2-dihydropyridine-3,5-dicarboxylate (1w): Yield (148.0 mg, 81%). ^1H NMR (CDCl_3): δ 2.23 (s, 3H), 3.62 (s, 3H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 5.84 (s, 1H), 6.58 (bs, 1H), 6.75 (d, $J = 9.0$ Hz, 1H), 6.82 (d, $J = 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 6.97 (d, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 2H), 7.00 (dd, $J = 9.0, 2.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.06 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.59 (s, 1H), 7.76 (s, 1H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (CDCl_3): δ 21.2, 29.7, 51.4, 51.7, 62.2, 100.0, 114.3, 118.4, 125.4, 127.0, 127.8, 129.1, 129.6, 131.9, 132.1, 137.5, 138.9, 149.2, 149.6, 166.32, 166.38; HR-ESI-MS m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{21}\text{ClNO}_5$ 414.1108; Found 414.1118.

Dimethyl-2-(2-bromophenyl)-1-(5-chloro-2-hydroxyphenyl)-1,2-dihydropyridine-3,5-dicarboxylate (1x): Yield (129.5 mg, 62%). ^1H NMR (CDCl_3): δ 3.59 (s, 3H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 5.23

(s, 1H), 6.43 (s, 1H), 6.49 (bs, 1H), 6.65 (d, $J = 2.5$ Hz, 1H), 6.80 (d, $J = 8.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.05 (m, 2H), 7.25 (t, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.30 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.47 (s, 1H), 7.68 (dd, $J = 7.5, 1.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.82 (d, $J = 0.5$ Hz, 1H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (CDCl_3): δ 51.4, 51.8, 60.5, 98.9, 114.9, 118.3, 122.6, 125.2, 128.5, 128.7, 129.6, 130.30, 130.32, 131.2, 132.5, 132.7, 140.0, 149.7, 150.1, 165.9, 166.3; HR-ESI-MS m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{18}\text{BrClNO}_5$ 478.0057; Found 478.0066.

Dimethyl-2-(2-bromophenyl)-1-(4-chloro-2-hydroxyphenyl)-1,2-dihydropyridine-3,5-dicarboxylate (1y): Yield (178.0 mg, 86%). ^1H NMR (CDCl_3): δ 3.59 (s, 3H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 6.39 (s, 1H), 6.51 (d, $J = 8.5$ Hz, 1H), 6.65 (dd, $J = 8.5, 2.0$ Hz, 1H), 6.89 (d, $J = 2.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.03 (td, $J = 8.0, 1.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.24 (t, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.29 (d, $J = 8$ Hz, 1H), 7.46 (s, 1H), 7.69 (dd, $J = 8.0, 1.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.82 (d, $J = 1.0$ Hz, 1H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (CDCl_3): δ 51.4, 51.8, 60.5, 98.6, 114.7, 117.5, 121.1, 122.7, 128.6, 129.5, 130.2, 130.4, 132.6, 132.7, 134.8, 140.2, 150.1, 152.1, 166.0, 166.4; HR-ESI-MS m/z : $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{17}\text{BrClNNaO}_5$ 499.9876; Found 499.9887.

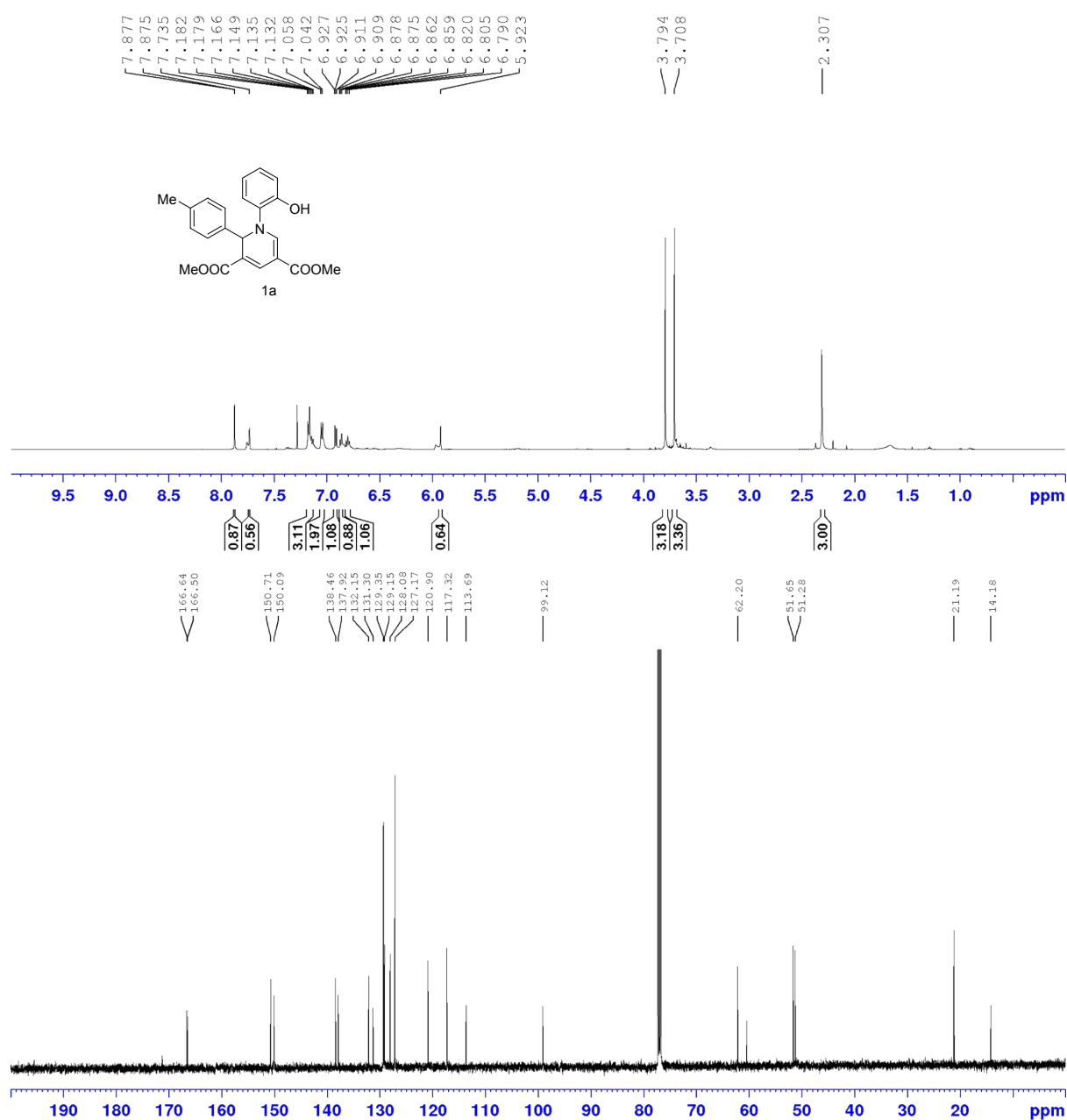
Dimethyl-2-(furan-2-yl)-1-(2-hydroxyphenyl)-1,2-dihydropyridine-3,5-dicarboxylate (1z): Yield (143.0 mg, 92%) yellow solid. Mp 177-179 °C. ^1H NMR (CDCl_3): δ 3.67 (s, 3H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 5.98 (s, 1H), 6.08 (d, $J = 3.0$ Hz, 1H), 6.18 (m, 1H), 6.80 (t, $J = 7.5$ Hz, 1H), 6.87 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 1H), 6.94 (dd, $J = 8.0, 1.5$ Hz, 1H), 7.11 (td, $J = 8.0, 1.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.22 (d, $J = 1.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.61 (s, 1H), 7.80 (d, $J = 0.5$ Hz, 1H); $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (CDCl_3): δ 51.3, 51.8, 55.5, 100.9, 108.7, 110.6, 110.7, 117.3, 121.2, 127.9, 129.4, 131.4, 133.1, 142.7, 149.2, 150.7, 152.8, 166.0, 166.3; HR-ESI-MS m/z : $[\text{M}]^+$ Calcd for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{17}\text{NO}_6$ 355.1056; Found 355.1033.

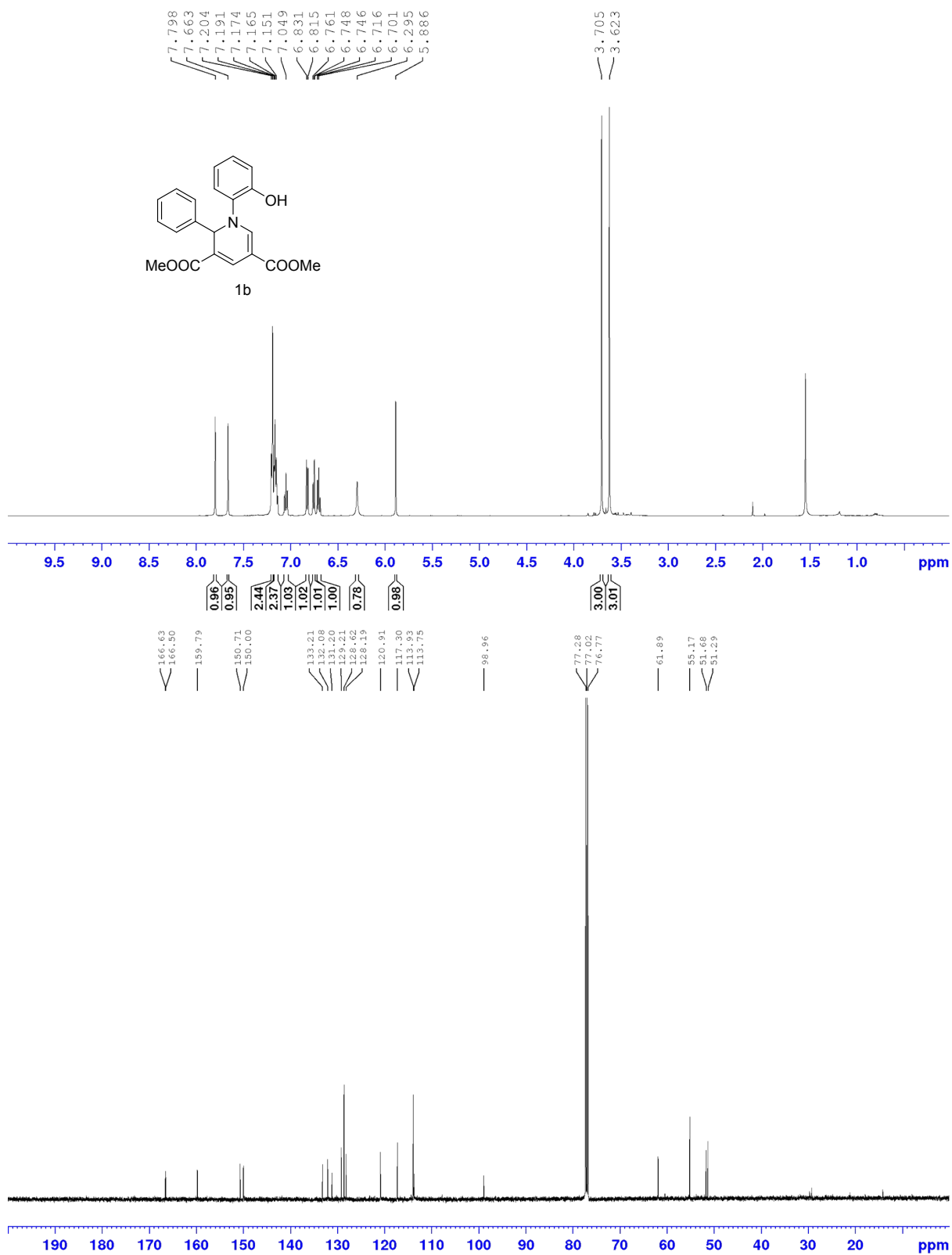
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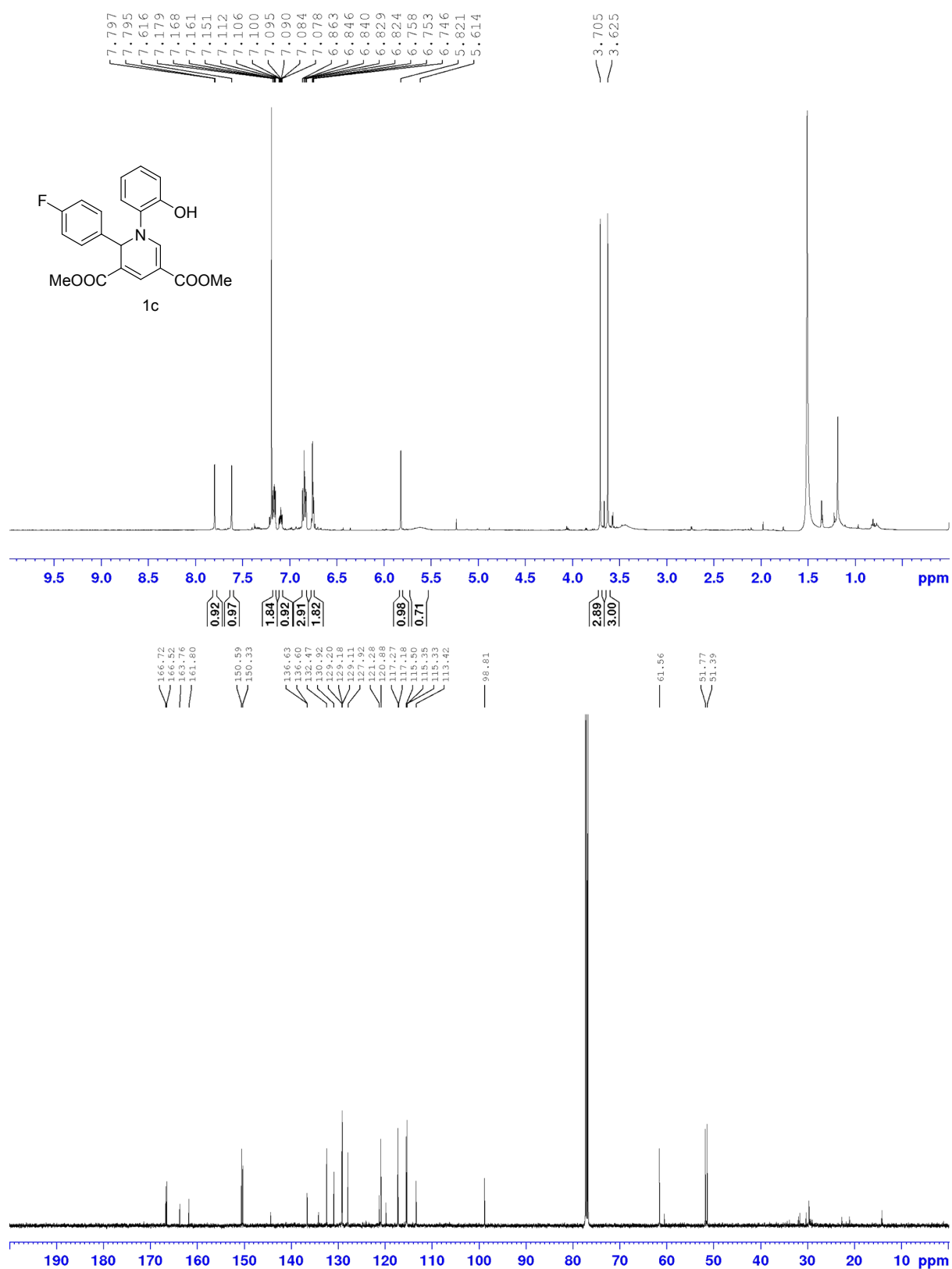
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132.8, 140.6, 142.8, 149.9, 150.1, 166.0, 167.1; HR-ESI-MS m/z : $[M+H]^+$ Calcd for $C_{21}H_{18}Cl_2NO_5$ 434.0562; Found 434.0573.

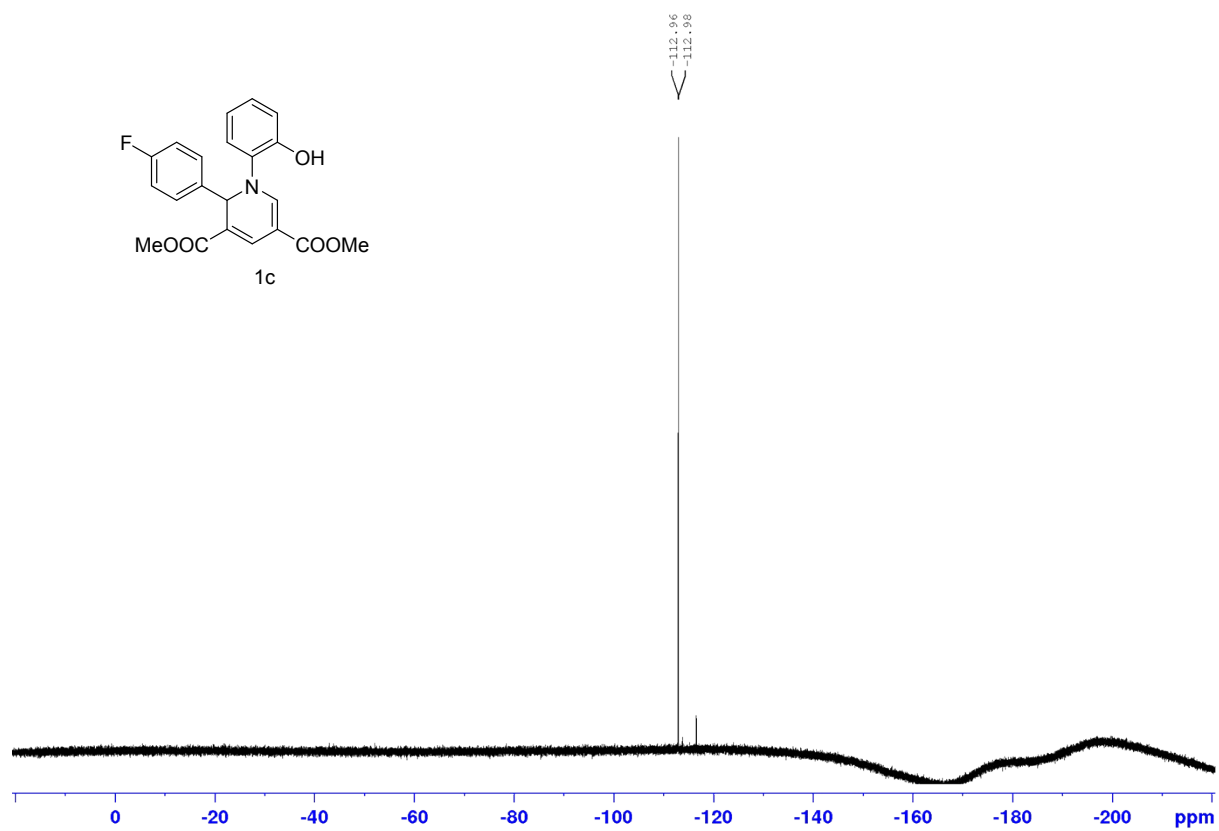
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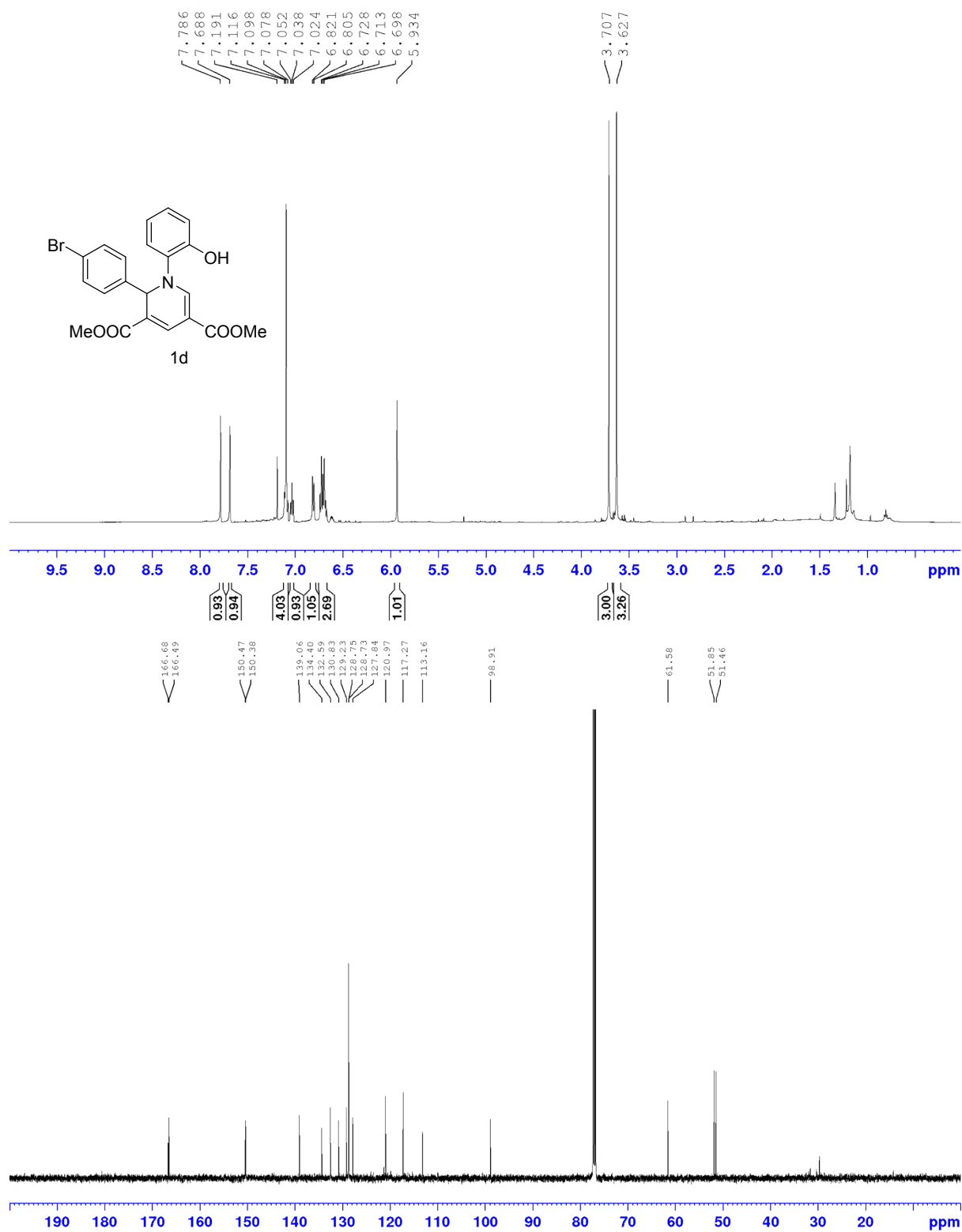


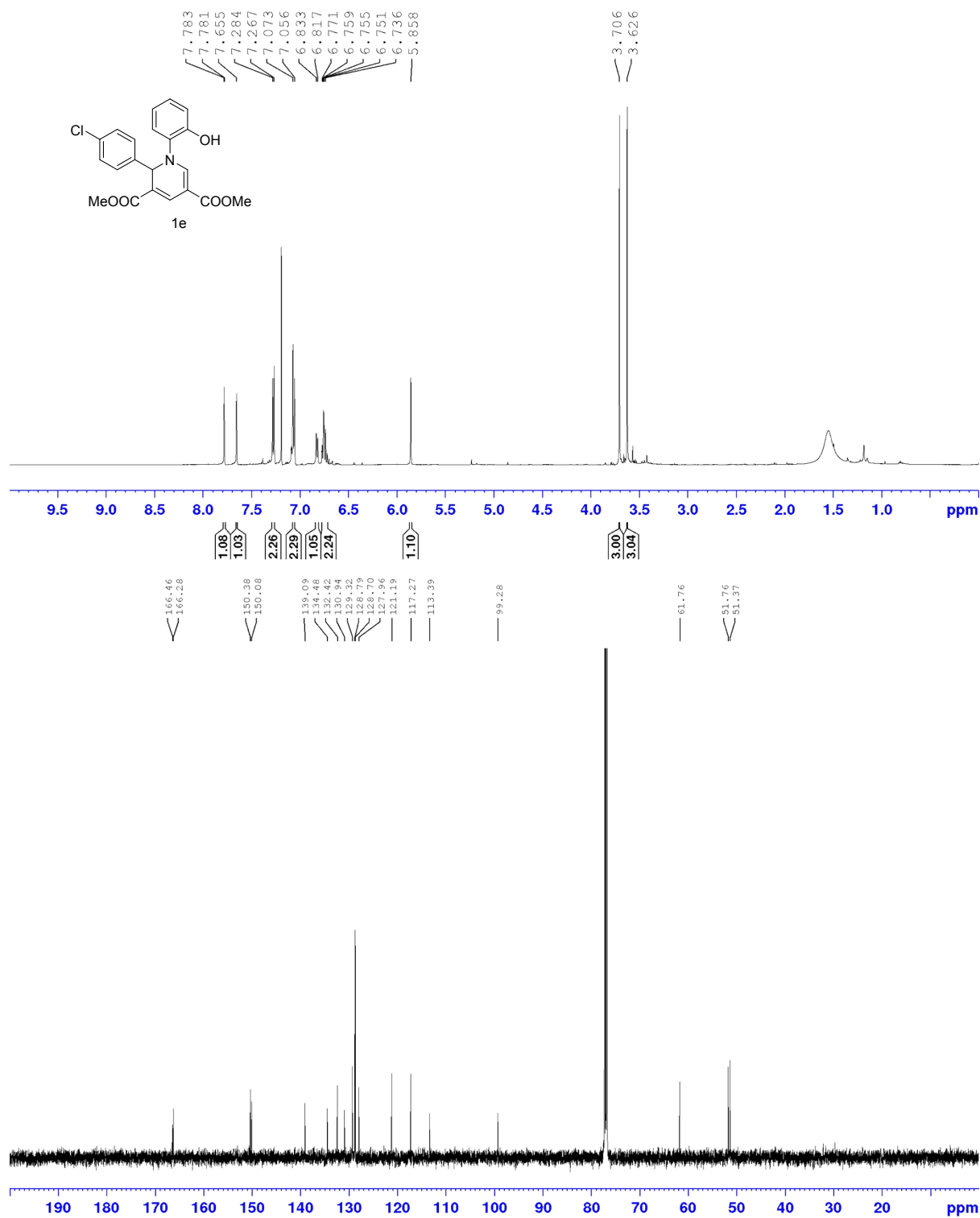


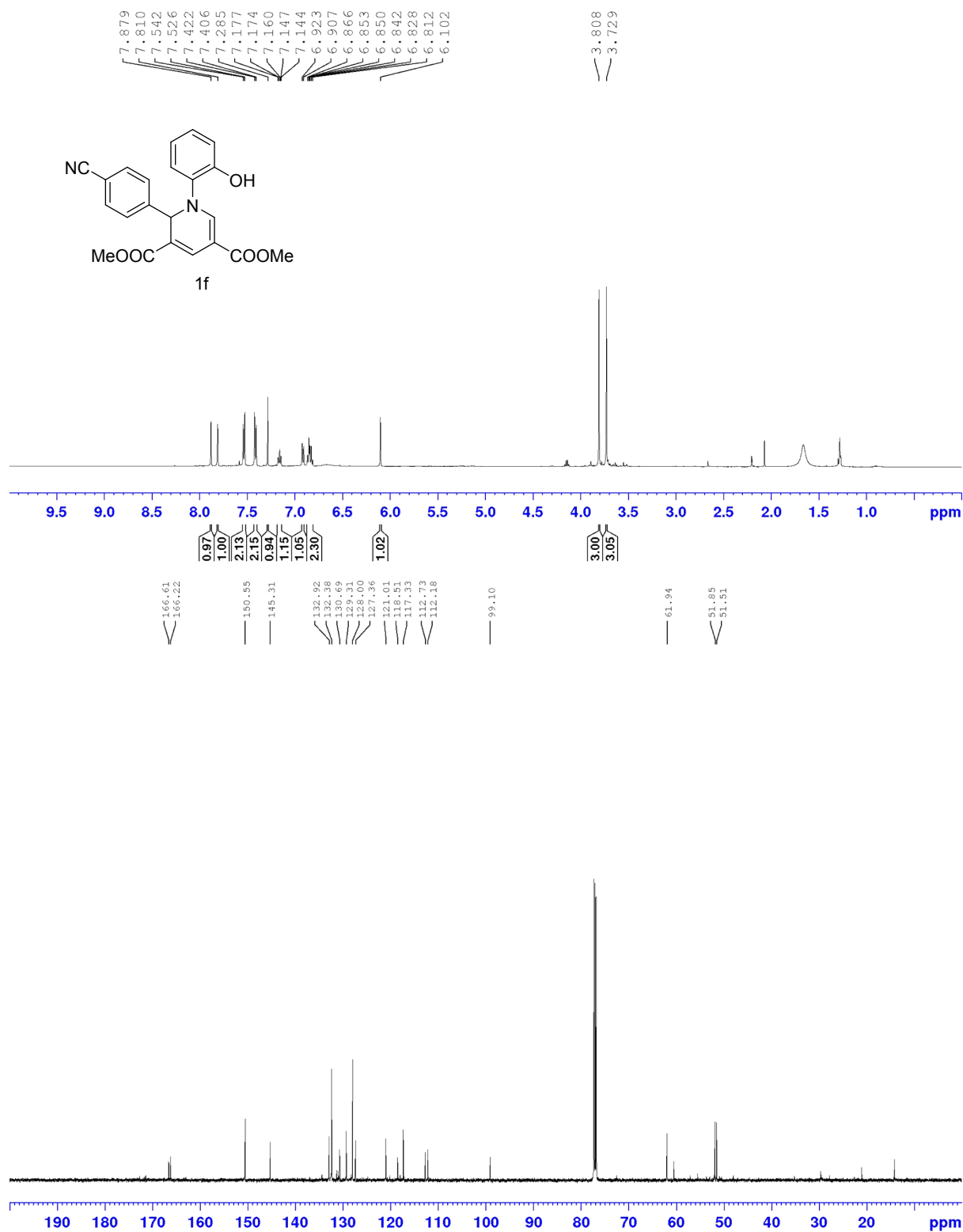


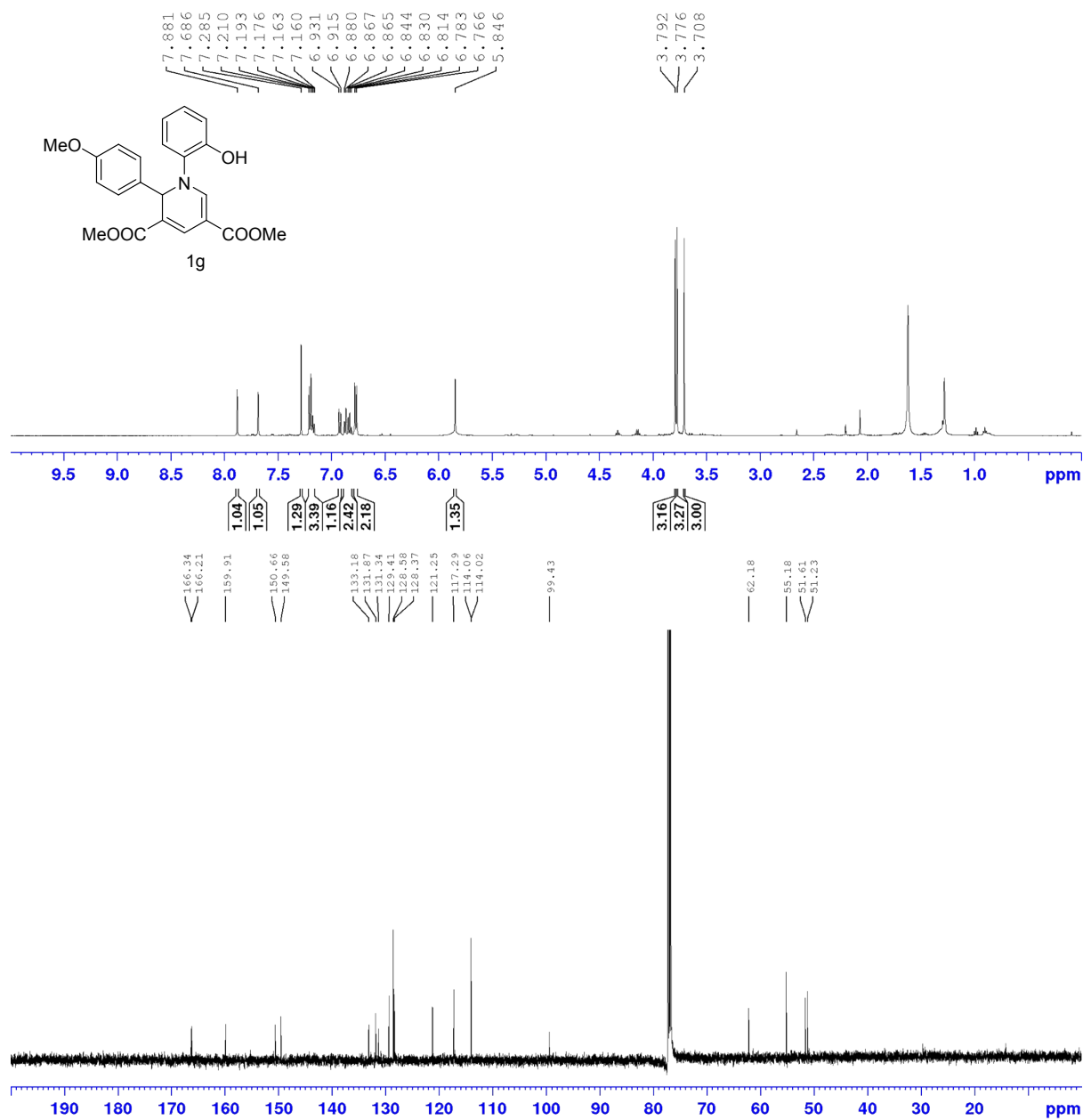
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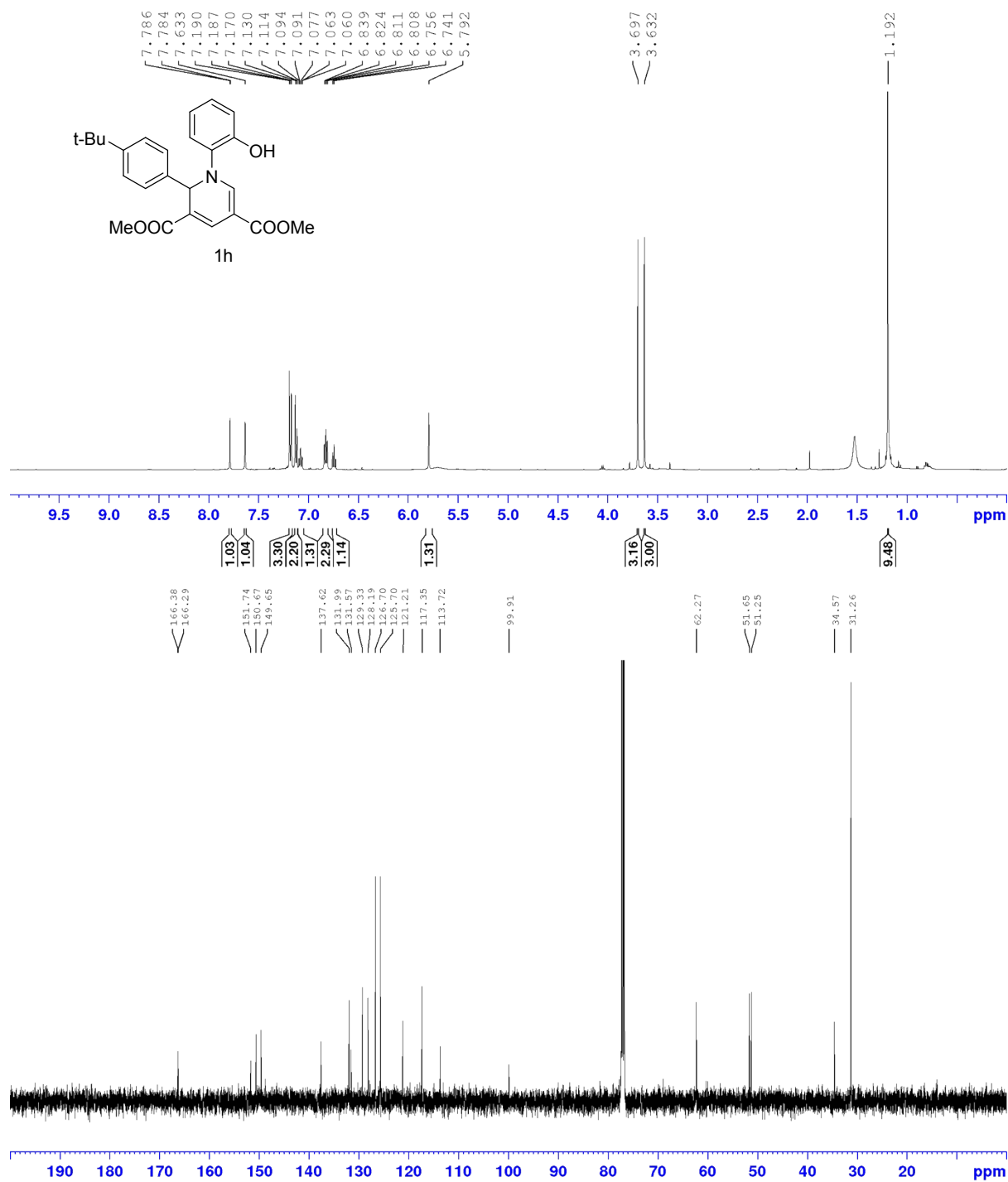


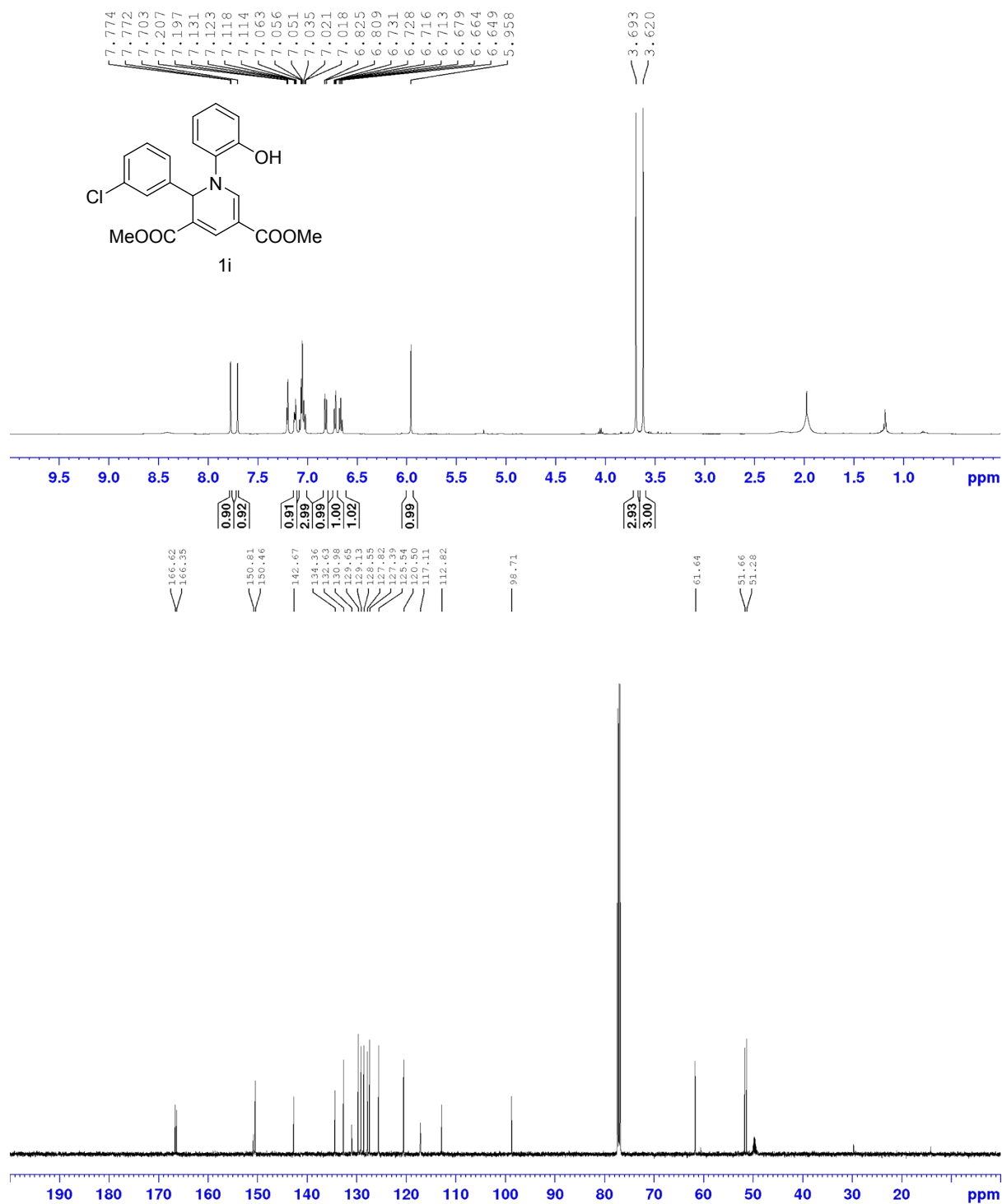


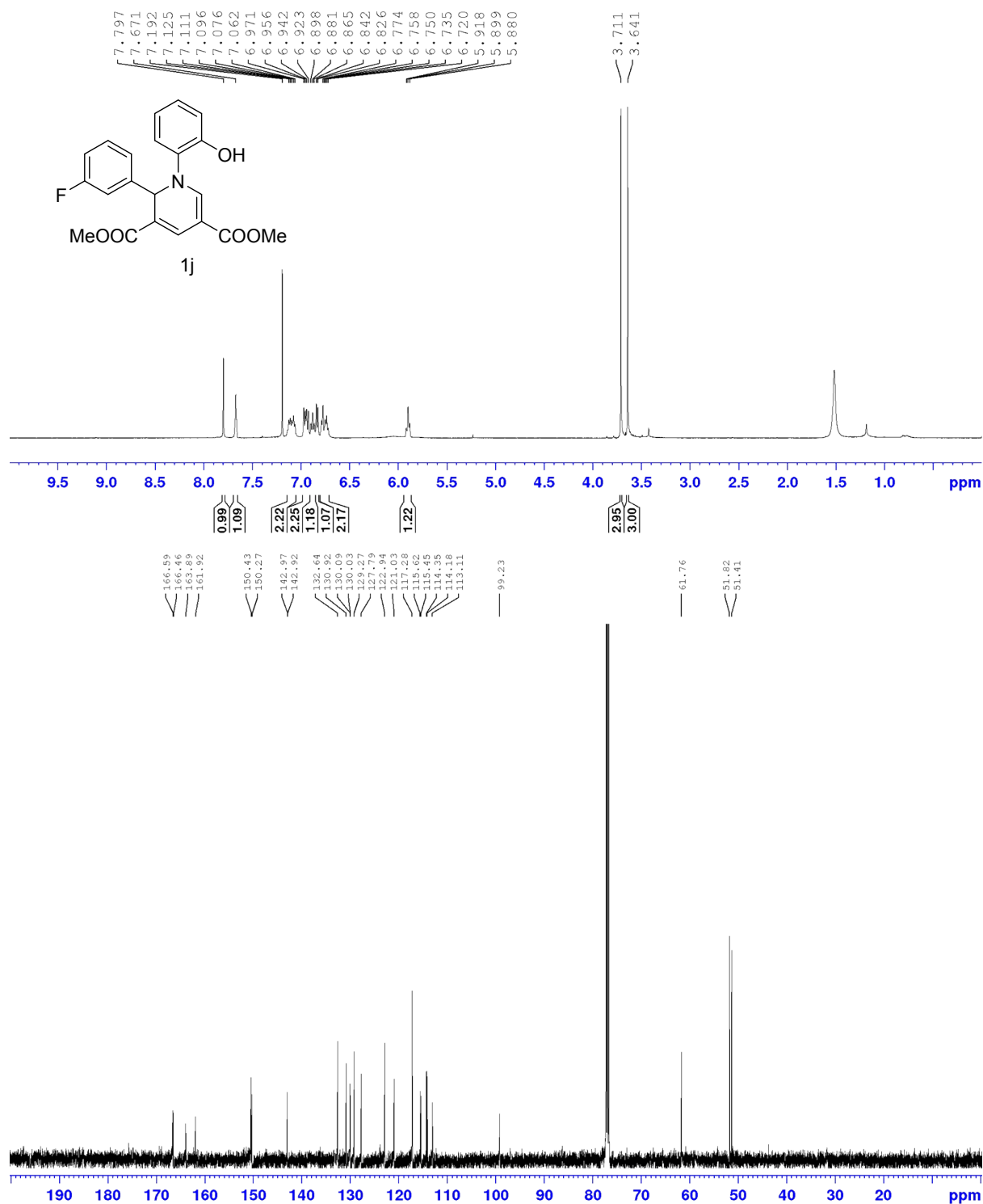




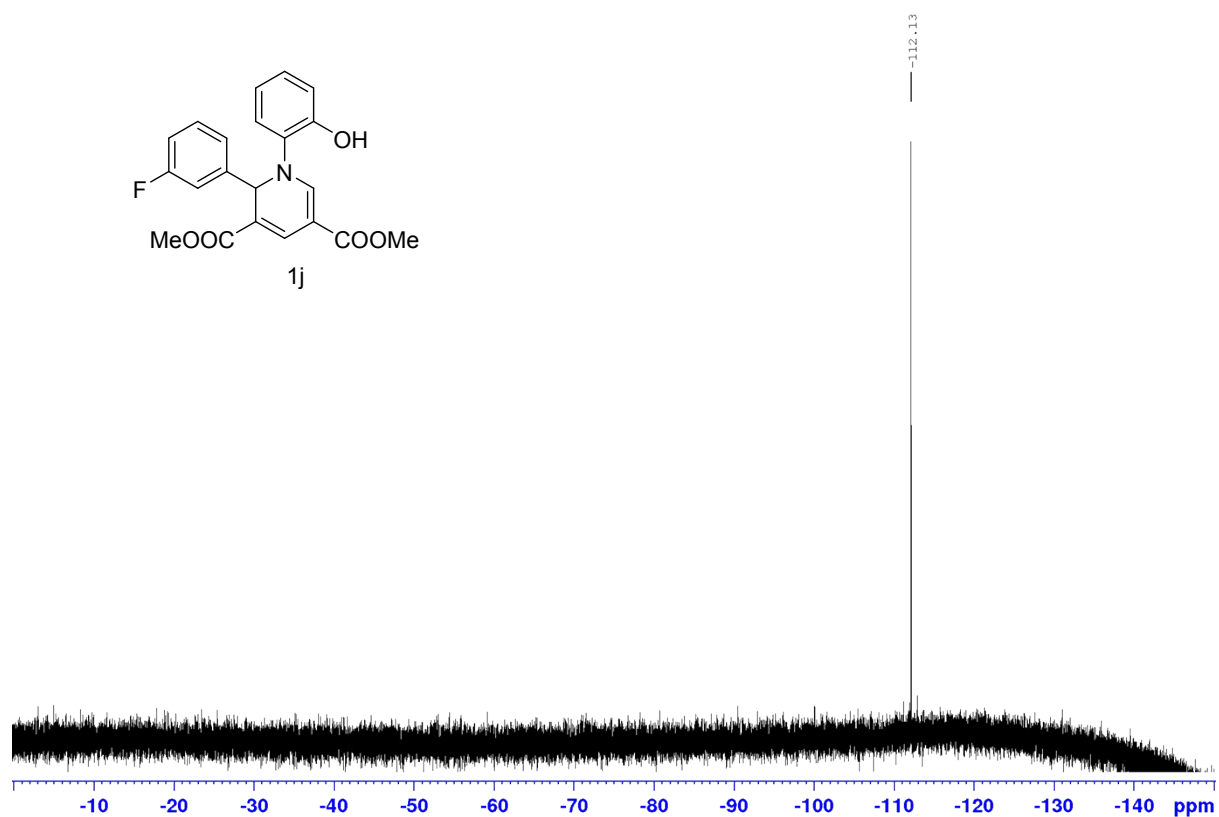


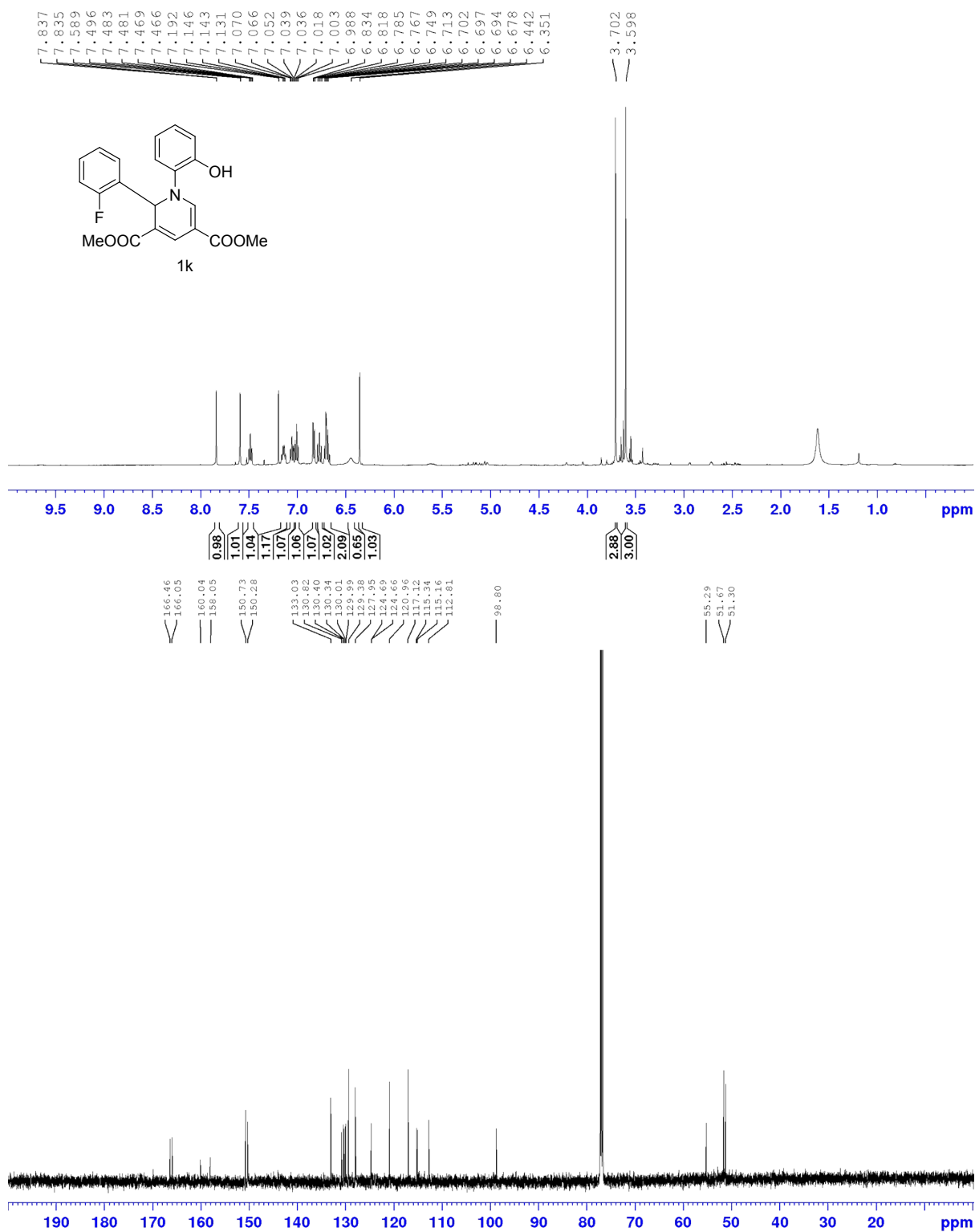




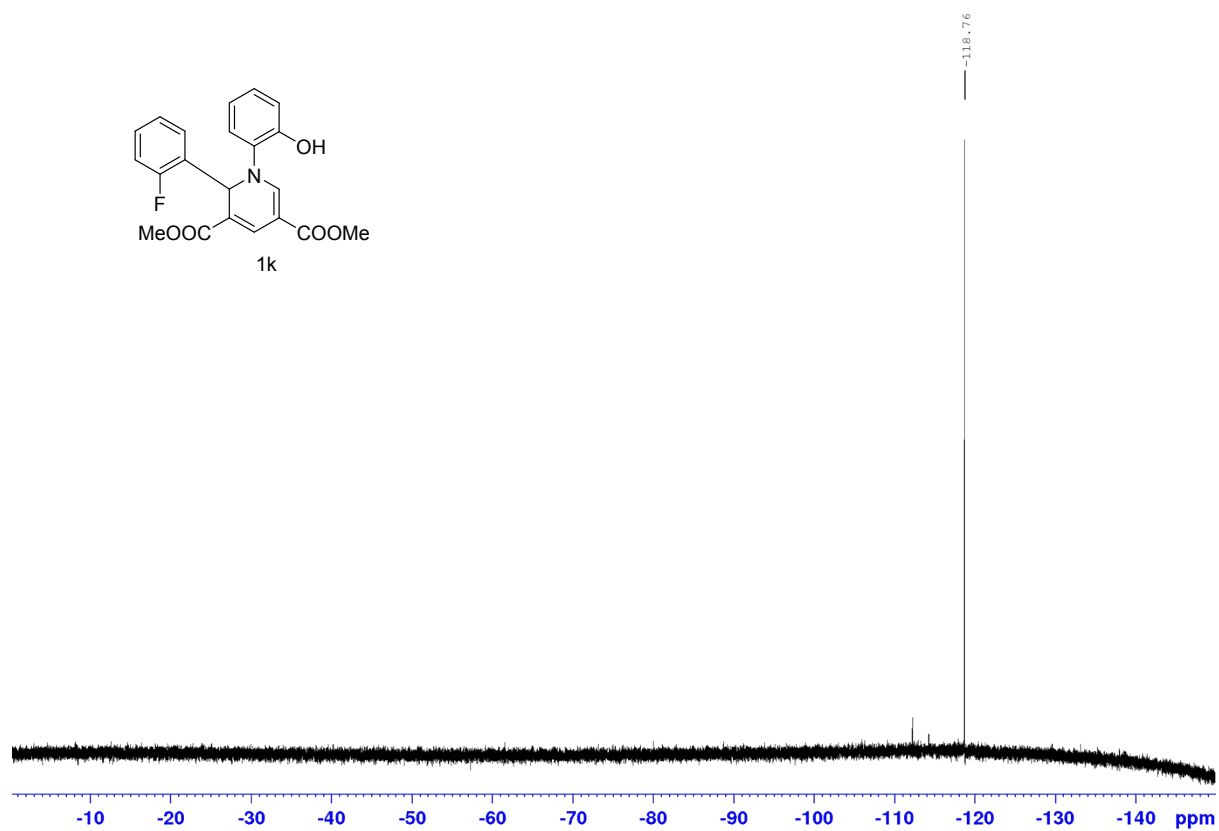


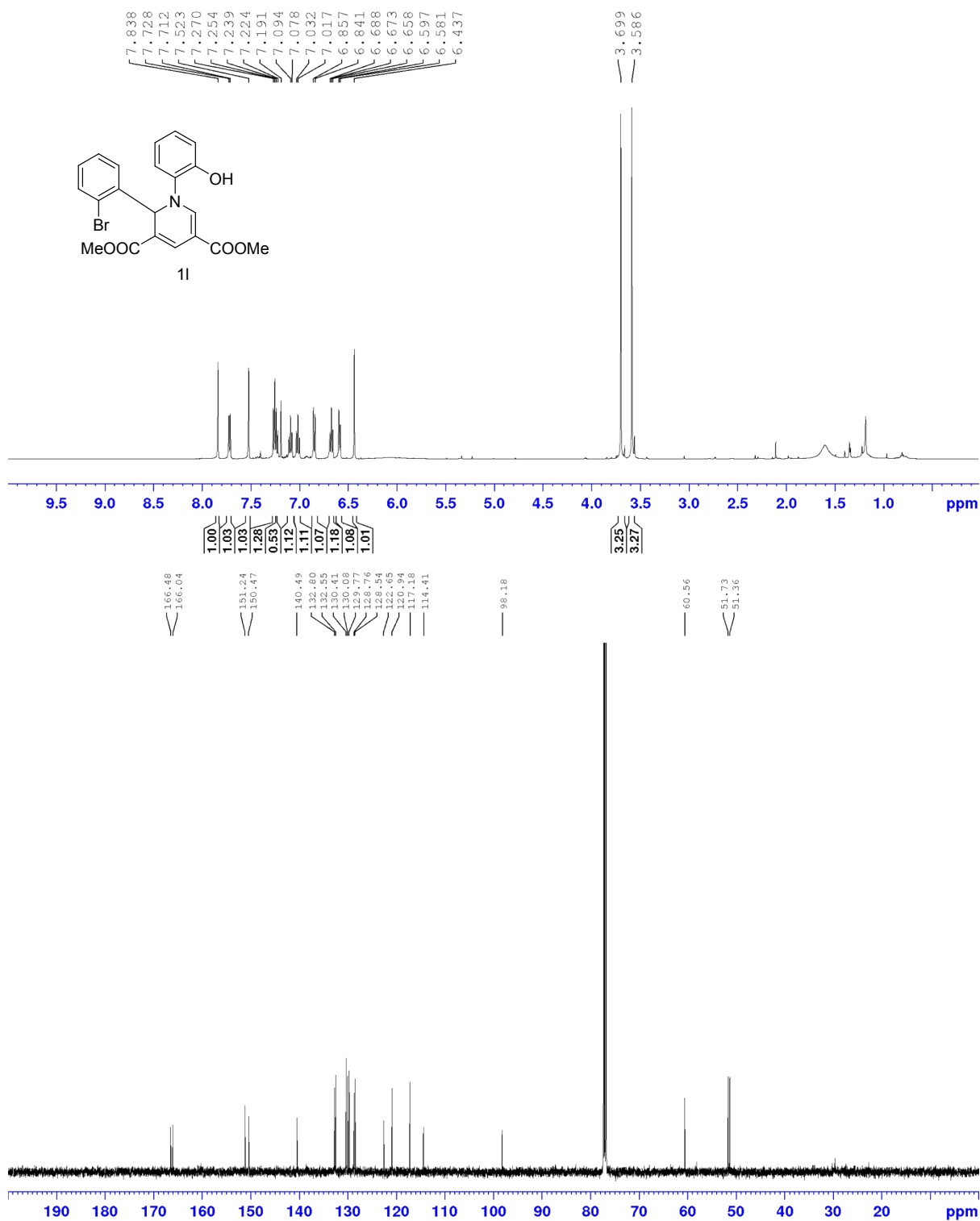
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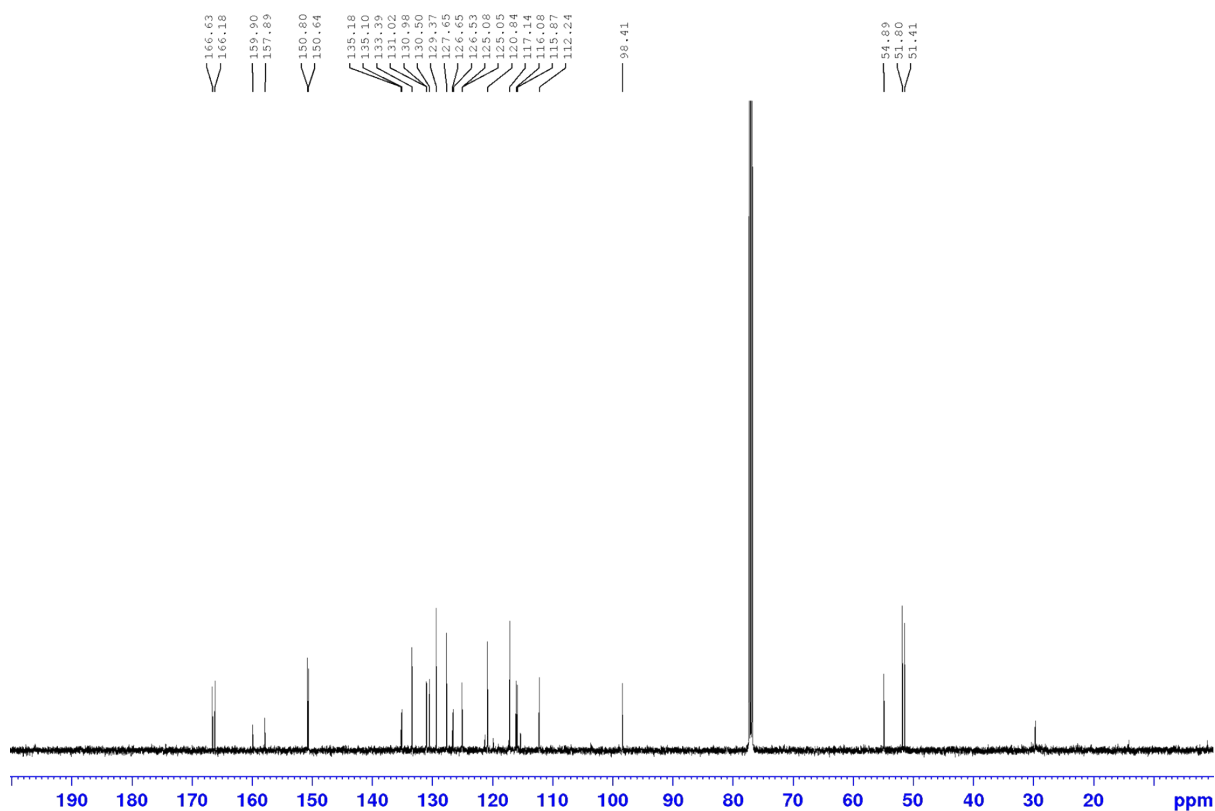
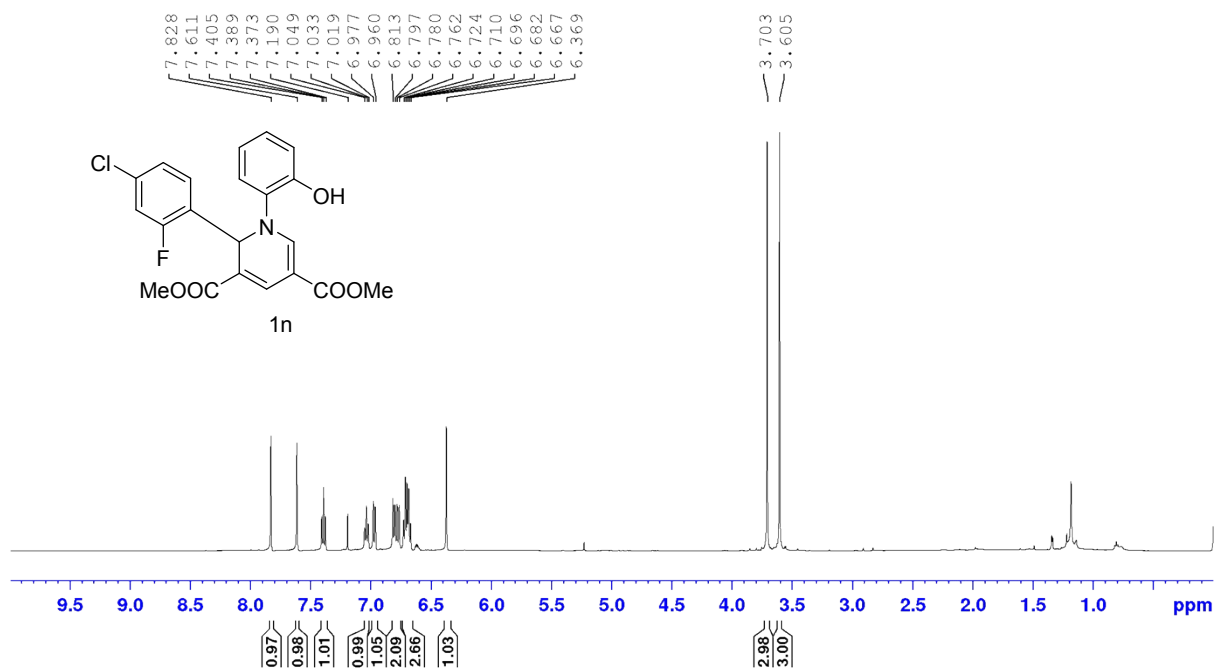




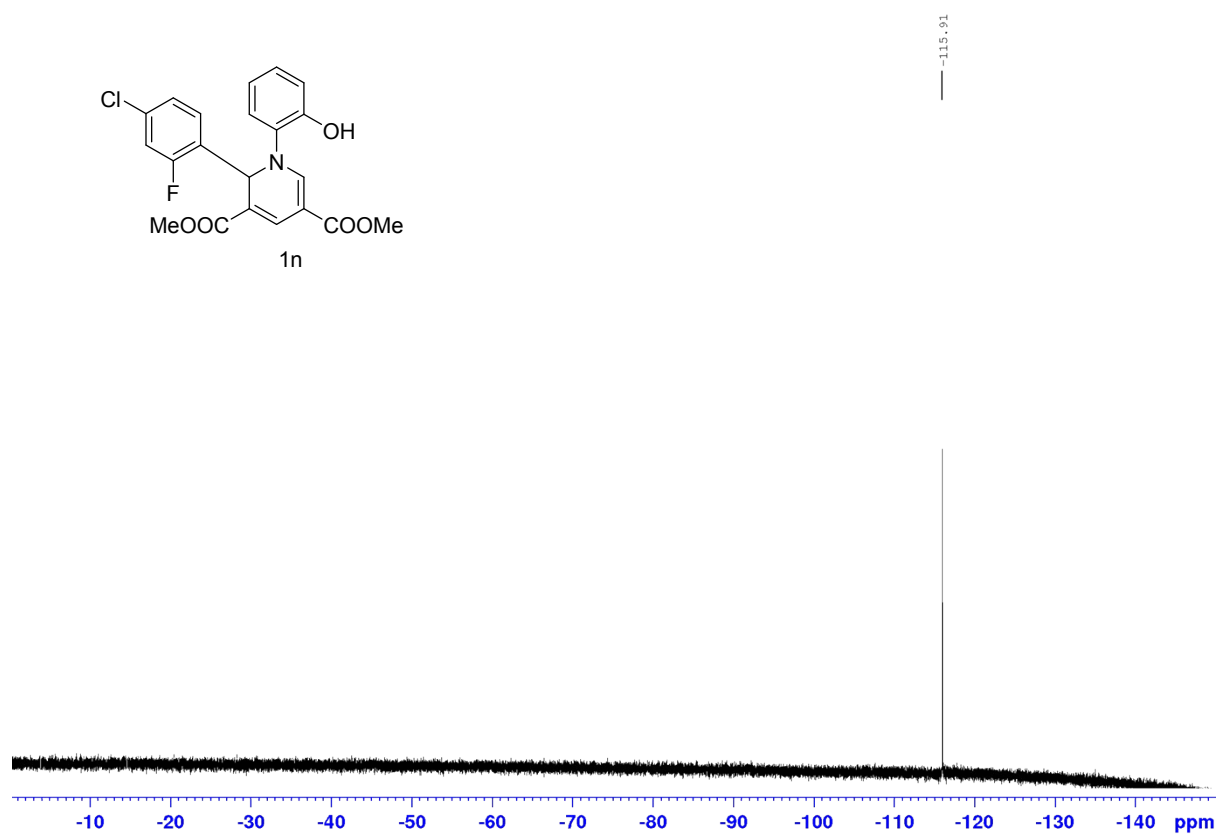
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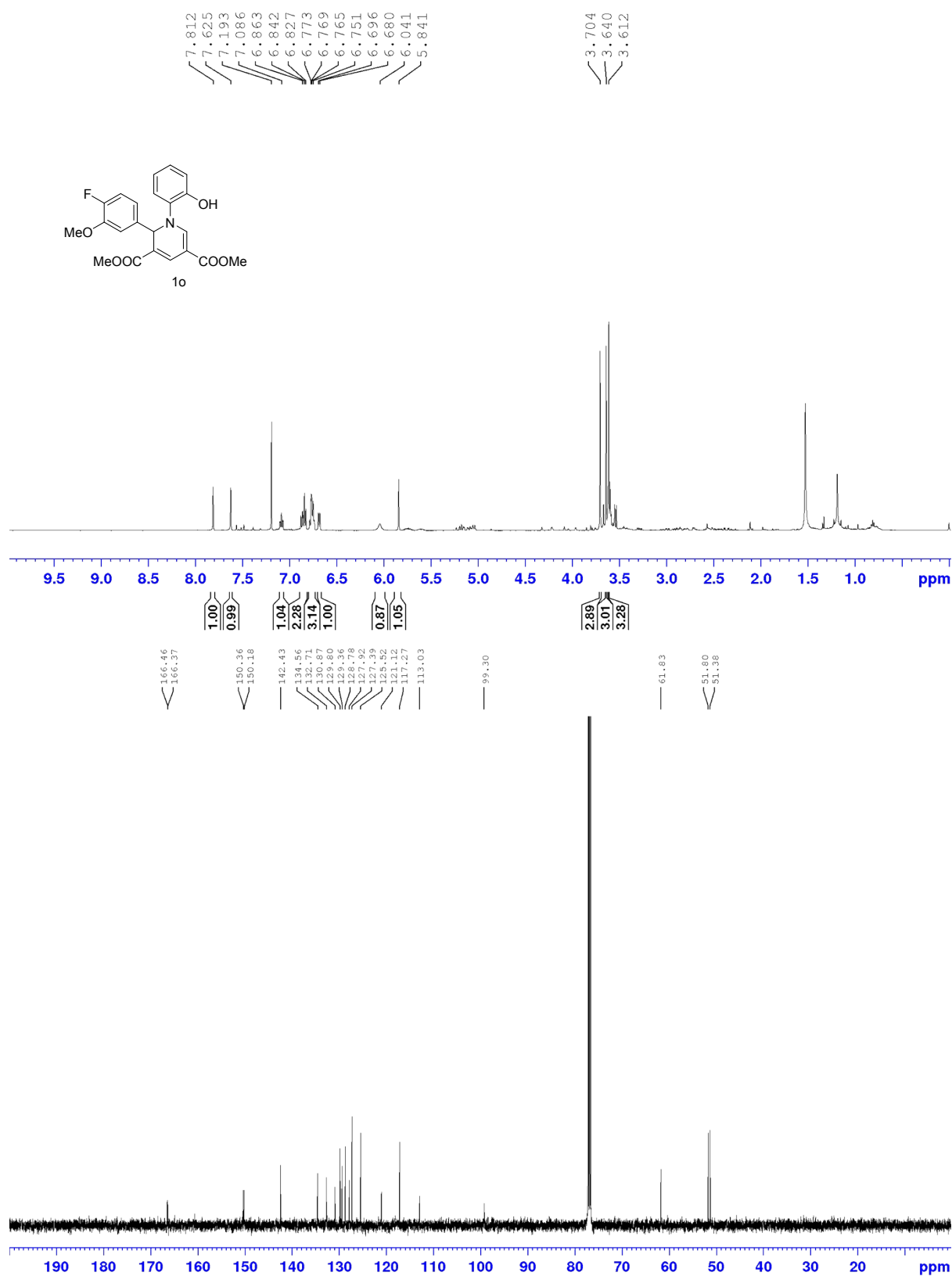






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