

Conformational cooperativity between helical domains of differing geometry in oligoamide-oligourea foldamer chimeras

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General Information

All solvents were purchased from Sigma-Aldrich and used without purification except THF and CH₂Cl₂ which were obtained by distillation from sodium/benzophenone and calcium hydride respectively.

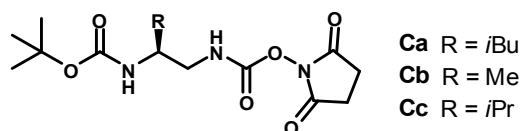
¹H NMR and ¹³C NMR spectra were recorded on a Bruker Ultrashield 400 or 500 MHz spectrometer. ¹H and ¹³C spectra were referenced relative to the solvent residual peaks and chemical shifts (δ) reported in ppm downfield of tetramethylsilane (CDCl₃ δ H: 7.26 ppm, δ C: 77.16 ppm; CD₃OD δ H: 3.31 ppm, δ C: 49.00 ppm). ¹H NMR splitting patterns with observed first-order coupling are designated as singlet (s), doublet (d), triplet (t), or quartet (q). Coupling constants (*J*) are reported in hertz (Hz). In ¹H NMR spectra, amide NH signals that exchange with deuterated solvent are not reported.

Electrospray (ES) spectra were recorded on a Waters Platform II and high resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were recorded on a Thermo Finnigan MAT95XP and are accurate to ± 0.001 Da. Infrared spectra were recorded on a Thermo Scientific Nicolet iS5 FTIR spectrometer. Melting points were determined on a Gallenkamp apparatus and are uncorrected.

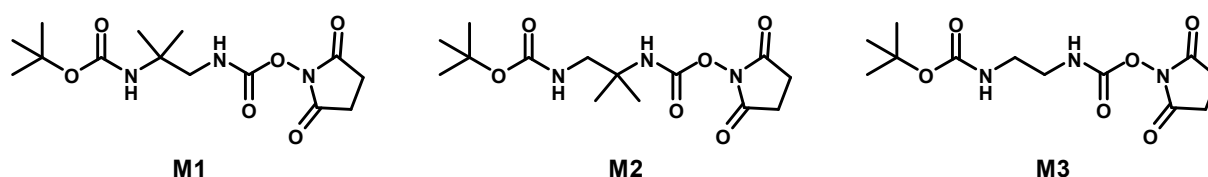
Thin layer chromatography (TLC) was performed using commercially available pre-coated plates (Macherey-Nagel alugram. Sil G/UV254) and visualized under UV light at 254 nm and/or by staining with phosphomolybdic acid solution. Flash column chromatography was carried out on Fluorochem Davisil 40-63 μm 60 Å silica with the eluent quoted. Optical rotation measurements were taken on an AA-100 polarimeter using a cell with a path length of 0.25 dm at 24 °C with the solvent and concentration (g/100 mL) stated. Circular dichroism (CD) spectra were recorded on a Jasco J-815 spectrometer using a 1 mm cell at 20 °C with the solvent and concentration stated.

General Procedures

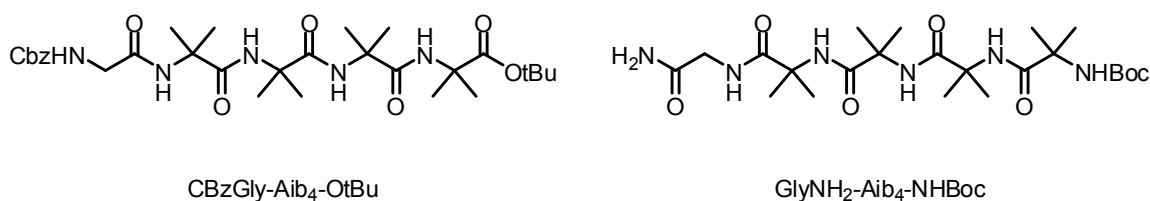
Activated chiral monomers **C** (**a** R = *i*Bu; **b** R = Me; **c** R = *i*Pr), activated achiral monomers **M1** and **M2**, CbzGly-Aib₄-OtBu and GlyNH₂-Aib₄-NHBoc and azlactone **A1**, L-ValNH^tBu and H-PheNH^tBu were prepared using a previously described procedure.¹



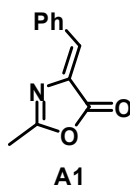
Scheme 1: Activated chiral monomers **Ca**, **Cb** and **Cc**



Scheme 2: Activated achiral monomers **M1**, **M2** and **M3**



Scheme 3: Peptides CbzGly-Aib₄-OtBu and GlyNH₂-Aib₄-NHBoc



Scheme 4: Azlactone **A1**

General Procedure A : CbzGly-Aib₄-OH (1.00 eq.) and 1-hydroxybenzotriazole hydrate (1.30 eq.) were dissolved in CH₂Cl₂ (60 mL/mmol) and the suspension cooled to 0 °C. *N*-(3-Dimethylaminopropyl)-*N*-ethylcarbodiimide (1.1 eq.) was added and the reaction was allowed to warm to room temperature

¹ Activated chiral and achiral monomers: (a) G. Guichard, V. Semetey, C. Didierjean, A. Aubry, J. - P. Briand, M. Rodriguez, *J. Org. Chem.*, 1999, **64**, 8702; (b) J. Fremaux, C. Dolain, B. Kauffmann, J. Clayden and G. Guichard, *Chem. Commun.*, 2013, **49**, 7415. (c) J. Fremaux, L. Fischer, T. Arbogast, B. Kauffmann and G. Guichard, *Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.*, 2011, **50**, 1382. Peptides: J. Solà, M. Helliwell and J. Clayden, *J. Am. Chem. Soc.*, 2010, **132**, 4548. M. De Poli, L. Byrne, R. A. Brown, J. Solà, A. Castellanos, T. Boddaert, R. Wechsel, J. D. Beadle and J. Clayden, *J. Org. Chem.*, 2014, **79**, 4659. Azlactone: B. S. Jursic, S. Sagiraju, D. K. Ancalade, T. Clark and E. D. Stevens, *Synth. Commun.*, 2007, **37**, 1709. Synthesis of L-ValNH^tBu and H-PheNH^tBu: B. A. F. Le Bailly and J. Clayden, *Chem. Commun.*, 2014, **50**, 7949.

and stirred until it was homogenous. The amine² (1.5 or 2.5 eq.) and trimethylamine or DIPEA (1.5 or 2 eq.) were added and the reaction mixture was stirred for 72 hours. The solvent was removed *in vacuo* and EtOAc was added. The organic phase was washed with KHSO₄ (5%), NaHCO₃, brine, dried (MgSO₄), filtered and concentrated. The pure oligomer was isolated by column chromatography (CH₂Cl₂:MeOH, 90:10).

General Procedure B : Boc-protected oligomers (1.00 eq) were dissolved in a mixture CH₂Cl₂/TFA (3/1) and stirred for 2 hours. The reaction mixture was then concentrated under reduced pressure and the resulting residue was coevaporated 3 times with cyclohexane. The crude product was then dissolved in DMF. DIPEA (3.00 eq) was then added and the mixture was cooled to 0 °C prior to the dropwise addition of carbamate (1.00 eq) in DMF (0.3 M). The reaction mixture was left to stir at 0 °C for 30 minutes then was allowed to warm to room temperature and stirred for another 18 hours. The reaction mixture was then concentrated and purified by flash chromatography (CH₂Cl₂-MeOH, 90:10) to give the desired compound (If DIPEA remained after column chromatography, the mixture was dissolved in EtOH. CuSO₄.5H₂O was added and the reaction mixture was stirred for 3 hours. A filtration (CH₂Cl₂/MeOH, 90:10) over a short pad of silica gel gave the desired compound).

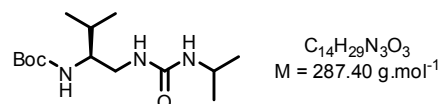
General Procedure C : The Boc-protected oligomer (1.00 eq) was dissolved in a mixture CH₂Cl₂/TFA (3/1) and stirred for 2 hours. The reaction mixture was then concentrated under reduced pressure and the resulting residue was coevaporated 3 times with cyclohexane. The crude product was then dissolved in DMF. DIPEA (3.00 eq) was then added and the mixture was cooled to 0 °C prior to the dropwise addition of Isopropyl isocyanate (2.00 eq) dissolved in DMF. The reaction mixture was left to stir at 0 °C for 30 minutes, then was allowed to warm to room temperature and stirred for another 18 hours. The reaction mixture was then concentrated and purified by flash chromatography (CH₂Cl₂-MeOH, 90:10) to give the desired compound (If DIPEA remained after column chromatography, the mixture was dissolved in EtOH. CuSO₄.5H₂O was added and the reaction mixture was stirred for 3 hours. A filtration (CH₂Cl₂/MeOH, 90:10) over a short pad of silica gel gave the desired compound).

General Procedure D : Boc-protected oligourea (1.00 eq) and DiPEA (1.00 eq) were added to a solution of isopropyl amine (1.30 eq) in DMF (0.26 M) . The reaction was stirred for 30 min, quenched with NaHCO₃ aqueous solution and EtOAc was added. The organic phase was washed with KHSO₄ (5%), NaHCO₃ (sat?), brine, dried (MgSO₄), filtered and concentrated.

² From deprotection of Boc protected amine [CH₂Cl₂/TFA (3/1), 2h, r.t.]

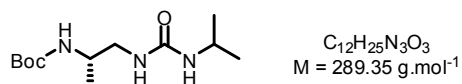
Experimental Procedures and Characterisation Data

BocVal^u-NH(CO)NH*i*Pr **U1**



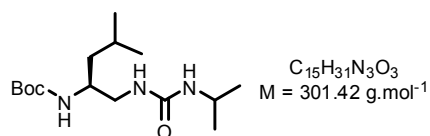
U1 was prepared from **Cc** (1.00 g, 2.91 mmol), isopropylamine (310 μ L, 3.78 mmol) and DIPEA (537 μ L, 2.91 mmol) as described in the general procedure D. The pure oligomer **U1** (794 mg, 95%) was isolated as a white solid. $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 5.00\text{-}4.80$ (1H, m, NH), 4.79-4.64 (1H, m, NH), 4.54-4.35 (1H, m, NH), 3.81 (1H, oct, $J = 6.9$, NCH_{iPr}), 3.51-3.38 (1H, m, NCH_{Val}), 3.36-3.23 (1H, m, $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{BVal}$), 3.22-3.12 (1H, m, $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{BVal}$), 1.85-1.68 (1H, m, CH_{Val}), 1.43 (9H, s, $\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3$), 1.13 (6H, d, $J = 6.5$, 2 x CH_{3iPr}), 0.94 (3H, d, $J = 6.8$, CH_{3Val}), 0.92 (3H, d, $J = 6.9$, CH_{3Val}). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 158.2$ (C=O), 157.3 (C=O), 79.6 ($\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3$), 56.6 ($\text{NC}_{\beta}\text{H}_{Val}$), 43.4 (NCH_{iPr}), 42.5 ($\text{NC}_{\alpha}\text{H}_{2Val}$), 30.7 ($\text{C}_{\gamma}\text{H}_{Val}$), 28.5 ($\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3$), 23.6 (CH_{iPr}), 23.5 (CH_{iPr}), 19.5 ($\text{C}_{\delta}\text{H}_{3Val}$), 18.1 ($\text{C}_{\delta}\text{H}_{3Val}$). IR (film, cm^{-1}): $\nu_{\text{max}} = 3311, 2965, 2928, 2871, 1636, 1534$; HRMS (ESI⁺): m/z calcd for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{30}\text{N}_3\text{O}_3$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 288.2287, found 288.2285.

BocAla^u-NH(CO)NH*i*Pr **U2**^{1a}



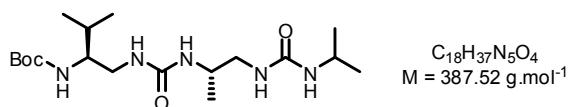
U2 was prepared from **Cb** (1.50 g, 4.76 mmol), isopropylamine (506 μ L, 6.18 mmol) and DIPEA (880 μ L, 4.76 mmol) as described in the general procedure D. The pure oligomer **U2** (1.16 g, 94.0%) was isolated as a white solid. $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 5.17$ (1H, t, $J = 4.5$, NH), 4.94 (1H, d, $J = 7.5$, NH), 4.74 (1H, brs, NH), 3.82 (1H, oct, $J = 6.7$, NCH_{Ala}), 3.66 (1H, oct, $J = 7.3$, NCH_{iPr}), 3.32-3.17 (1H, m, $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{BAla}$), 3.17-3.03 (1H, m, $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{BAla}$), 1.42 (9H, s, $\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3$), 1.13 (9H, d, $J = 6.5$, 2 x CH_{3iPr} and CH_{3Ala}). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 158.3$ (C=O), 156.5 (C=O), 79.6 ($\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3$), 47.6 ($\text{NC}_{\beta}\text{H}_{Ala}$), 46.7 ($\text{NC}_{\alpha}\text{H}_{2Ala}$), 42.4 (NCH_{iPr}), 28.5 ($\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3$), 23.6 (CH_{iPr}), 23.5 (CH_{iPr}), 18.8 ($\text{C}_{\delta}\text{H}_{3Ala}$). IR (film, cm^{-1}): $\nu_{\text{max}} = 3341, 2973, 2932, 2873, 1637, 1563$; HRMS (ESI⁺): m/z calcd for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{26}\text{N}_3\text{O}_3$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 260.1974, found 260.1986.

BocLeu^u-NH(CO)NH*i*Pr **U3**



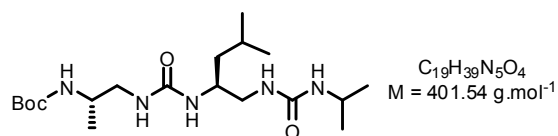
U3 was prepared from **Ca** (2.00 g, 5.60 mmol), isopropylamine (600 μ L, 7.27 mmol) and DIPEA (1.03 mL, 5.60 mmol) as described in the general procedure D. The pure oligomer **U3** (1.58 g, 92.7%) was isolated as a white solid. $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 5.16\text{-}4.94$ (1H, m, NH), 4.81-4.48 (2H, m, NH), 3.90-3.75 (1H, m, NCH_{Leu}), 3.70-3.59 (1H, m, NCH_{iPr}), 3.33-3.16 (1H, m, $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{\text{BLeu}}$), 3.16-3.02 (1H, m, $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{\text{BLeu}}$), 1.67 (1H, non, $J = 6.9$, CH_{Leu}), 1.42 (9H, s, $\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3$), 1.28 (2H, t, $J = 7.3$, $\text{CH}_{2\text{Leu}}$), 1.13 (6H, d, $J = 6.5$, $\text{CH}_{3\text{iPr}}$), 0.91 (3H, d, $J = 6.5$, $\text{CH}_{3\text{Leu}}$), 0.90 (3H, d, $J = 6.5$, $\text{CH}_{3\text{Leu}}$). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 158.2$ (C=O), 156.9 (C=O), 79.6 ($\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3$), 49.8 ($\text{NC}_{\beta}\text{H}_{\text{Leu}}$), 46.2 ($\text{NC}_{\square}\text{H}_{2\text{Leu}}$), 42.4 ($\text{C}_{\square}\text{H}_{2\text{Leu}}$), 42.2 (NCH_{iPr}), 28.5 ($\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3$), 25.0 ($\text{C}_{\delta}\text{H}_{\text{Leu}}$), 23.6 (CH_{iPr}), 23.5 (CH_{iPr}), 23.2 ($\text{C}_\gamma\text{H}_{3\text{Leu}}$), 22.2 ($\text{C}_\delta\text{H}_{3\text{Leu}}$). IR (film, cm^{-1}): $\nu_{\text{max}} = 3341, 2964, 2931, 2870, 1636, 1526$;

BocVal^u-Ala^u-NH(CO)NH*i*Pr **U4**



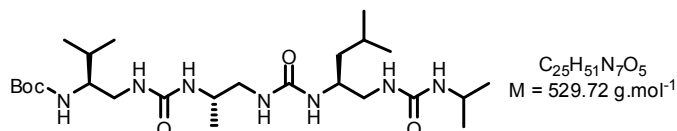
U4 was prepared from **U2** (900 mg, 3.86 mmol), **Cc** (1.33 g, 3.86 mmol) and DIPEA (1.97 mL, 11.58 mmol) as described in the general procedure B2. The pure oligomer **U4** (933 mg, 62.4% in two steps) was isolated as a white solid. $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CD_3OH) $\delta = 6.39$ (1H, d, $J = 6.7$, NH), 6.04-5.73 (4H, m, NH), 4.88-3.67 (2H, m, NCH_{Ala} and NCH_{iPr}), 3.52-3.38 (1H, m, NCH_{Val}), 3.37-3.15 (2H, m, $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{\text{BVal}}$ and $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{\text{BAla}}$), 3.01-2.82 (2H, m, $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{\text{BVal}}$ and $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{\text{BAla}}$), 1.70 (1H, oct, $J = 6.6$, CH_{Val}), 1.43 (9H, s, $\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3$), 1.11 (3H, d, $J = 6.5$, $\text{CH}_{3\text{iPr}}$), 1.10 (3H, d, $J = 6.5$, $\text{CH}_{3\text{iPr}}$), 1.07 (3H, d, $J = 6.7$, $\text{CH}_{3\text{Ala}}$), 0.93 (3H, d, $J = 6.8$, $\text{CH}_{3\text{Val}}$), 0.89 (3H, d, $J = 6.8$, $\text{CH}_{3\text{Val}}$). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CD_3OH) $\delta = 160.8$ (C=O), 160.6 (C=O), 158.8 (C=O), 79.8 ($\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3$), 57.6 ($\text{NC}_{\beta}\text{H}_{\text{Val}}$), 47.6 ($\text{NC}_{\beta}\text{H}_{\text{Ala}}$), 46.9 ($\text{NC}_{\square}\text{H}_{2\text{Ala}}$), 43.2 ($\text{NC}_{\square}\text{H}_{2\text{Val}}$), 42.9 (NCH_{iPr}), 31.7 ($\text{C}_{\gamma}\text{H}_{\text{Val}}$), 28.7 ($\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3$), 23.5 (CH_{iPr}), 23.4 (CH_{iPr}), 19.8 ($\text{C}_{\delta}\text{H}_{3\text{Val}}$), 19.0 ($\text{C}_{\delta}\text{H}_{3\text{Ala}}$), 18.3 ($\text{C}_{\delta}\text{H}_{3\text{Val}}$). IR (film, cm^{-1}): $\nu_{\text{max}} = 3321, 2969, 2932, 2873, 1630, 1529$; HRMS (ESI⁺): m/z calcd for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{38}\text{N}_5\text{O}_4$ [$\text{M}+\text{H}$]⁺ 388.2924, found 388.2911.

BocAla^u-Leu^u-NH(CO)NH*i*Pr **U5**



U5 was prepared from **U3** (1.30 g, 4.98 mmol), **Cb** (1.60 g, 4.98 mmol) and DIPEA (2.54 mL, 14.94 mmol) as described in the general procedure B2. The pure oligomer **U5** (860 mg, 38.4% in two steps) was isolated as a white solid. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 6.61-6.42 (1H, m, NH), 5.91-5.72 (4H, m, NH), 3.85-3.59 (1H, m, NCH_{Ala}, NCH_{Leu} and NCH_{*i*Pr}), 3.28-3.10 (2H, m, NCH_AH_{BLeu} and NCH_AH_{BAla}), 3.02-2.81 (2H, m, NCH_AH_{BLeu} and NCH_AH_{BAla}), 1.68 (1H, non, *J* = 6.9, CH_{Leu}), 1.43 (9H, s, C(CH₃)₃), 1.32-1.20 (2H, m, CH_{2Leu}), 1.11 (3H, d, *J* = 6.5, CH_{3*i*Pr}), 1.10 (3H, d, *J* = 6.5, CH_{3*i*Pr}), 1.07 (3H, d, *J* = 6.7, CH_{3Ala}), 0.92 (3H, d, *J* = 6.7, CH_{3Leu}), 0.90 (3H, d, *J* = 6.6, CH_{3Leu}). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 161.1 (C=O), 160.6 (C=O), 158.2 (C=O), 79.9 (C(CH₃)₃), 49.3 (NC_βH_{Leu}), 47.1 (NC_βH_{Ala}), 46.5 (NC_αH_{2Ala}), 46.3 (NC_αH_{2Leu}), 43.1 (C_αH_{2Leu}), 42.9 (NCH_{*i*Pr}), 28.7 (C(CH₃)₃), 25.9 (C_δH_{Leu}), 23.6 (CH_{*i*Pr}), 23.5 (CH_{*i*Pr}), 23.4 (CH_{3Leu}), 22.3 (CH_{3Leu}), 18.5 (C_δH_{3Ala}). IR (film, cm⁻¹): ν_{max} = 3331, 2968, 2932, 2872, 1636, 1536; HRMS (ESI⁺): *m/z* calcd for C₁₉H₃₉N₅O₄Na[M+Na]⁺ 424.2900, found 424.2887.

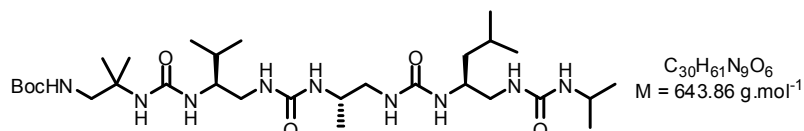
BocVal^u-Ala^u-Leu^u-NH(CO)NH*i*Pr **U6**



U6 was prepared from **U5** (850 mg, 2.12 mmol), **Cc** (727 mg, 2.12 mmol) and DIPEA (1.08 mL, 6.35 mmol) as described in the general procedure B2. The pure oligomer **U6** (728 mg, 64.9% in two steps) was isolated as a white solid. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 6.53 (1H, d, *J* = 10.0, NH), 6.25 (1H, dd, *J* = 7.2 and 1.7, NH), 6.05 (1H, d, *J* = 7.9, NH), 5.96-5.86 (2H, m, NH), 5.83 (1H, d, *J* = 9.3, NH), 5.81-5.74 (1H, m, NH), 4.04-3.85 (2H, m, NCH_{Ala} and NCH_{Leu}), 3.77-3.68 (1H, oct, *J* = 7.6, NCH_{*i*Pr}), 3.59-3.39 (4H, m, NCH_{Val}, NCH_AH_{BVal}, NCH_AH_{BLeu} and NCH_AH_{BAla}), 2.74-2.34 (3H, m, NCH_AH_{BLeu}, NCH_AH_{BVal} and NCH_AH_{BAla}), 1.76-1.58 (2H, m, CH_{Leu} and CH_{Val}), 1.45 (9H, s, C(CH₃)₃), 1.22 (2H, t, *J* = 7.1, CH_{2Leu}), 1.11 (3H, d, *J* = 6.5, CH_{3*i*Pr}), 1.10 (3H, d, *J* = 6.5, CH_{3*i*Pr}), 1.04 (3H, d, *J* = 6.8, CH_{3Ala}), 0.97-0.85 (12H, m, 2 x CH_{3Val} and 2 x CH_{3Leu}). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 161.2 (C=O), 160.8 (C=O), 160.6 (C=O), 159.4 (C=O), 80.1 (C(CH₃)₃), 57.5 (NC_βH_{Val}), 49.1 (NC_βH_{Leu}), 48.1 (NC_αH_{2Ala}), 46.5 (NC_βH_{Ala}), 46.1 (NC_αH_{2Leu}), 43.9 (NC_αH_{2Val}), 43.7 (C_αH_{2Leu}), 42.8 (NCH_{*i*Pr}), 31.9 (C_γH_{Val}), 28.7 (C(CH₃)₃), 25.9 (C_δH_{Leu}), 23.6 (2 x CH_{*i*Pr}),

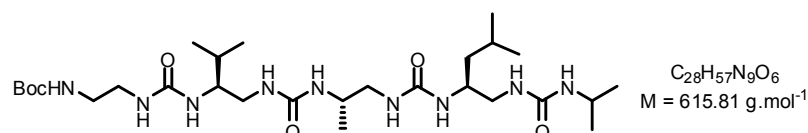
23.5 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Leu}$), 22.4 ($C_{\gamma}H_{3Leu}$), 20.0 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Val}$), 18.6 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Ala}$), 18.4 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Val}$). IR (film, cm^{-1}): ν_{max} = 3319, 2963, 2931, 2872, 1628, 1567, 1530; HRMS (ESI⁺): m/z calcd for $C_{25}H_{52}N_7O_5$ [M+H]⁺ 530.4030, found 530.4006.

BocAib^u-Val^u-Ala^u-Leu^u-NH(CO)NH*i*Pr **U7**



U7 was prepared from **U6** (150 mg, 0.28 mmol), **M2** (93 mg, 0.28 mmol) and DIPEA (145 μ L, 0.85 mmol) as described in the general procedure B2. The pure oligomer **U7** (50 mg, 27.4% in two steps) was isolated as a white solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CD₃OD) δ = 6.87 (1H, t, J = 6.9, NH), 6.40 (1H, d, J = 9.4, NH), 6.13 (1H, d, J = 9.4, NH), 5.93 (1H, d, J = 9.0, NH), 5.79 (1H, s, NH), 5.77 (1H, d, J = 10.0, NH), 5.61 (1H, d, J = 9.8, NH), 4.09-3.96 (1H, m, NCH_{Ala}), 3.94-3.85 (1H, m, NCH_{Leu}), 3.77-3.68 (1H, m, NCH_{Val} and NCH_{iPr}), 3.67-3.44 (4H, m, NCH_AH_{BAib^u}, NCH_AH_{BVal}, NCH_AH_{BLeu} and NCH_AH_{BAla}), 2.87-2.76 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BAib^u}), 2.70-2.57 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BLeu}), 2.53-2.32 (2H, m, NCH_AH_{BVal} and NCH_AH_{BAla}), 1.69 (1H, non, J = 6.8, CH_{Leu}), 1.62 (1H, oct, J = 6.7, CH_{Val}), 1.46 (9H, s, C(CH₃)₃), 1.37 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.22 (2H, t, J = 7.2, CH_{2Leu}), 1.14 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.13 (3H, d, J = 6.5, CH_{3iPr}), 1.12 (3H, d, J = 6.5, CH_{3iPr}), 1.04 (3H, d, J = 6.8, CH_{3Ala}), 0.95-0.86 (12H, m, 2 x CH_{3Val} and 2 x CH_{3Leu}). ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CD₃OD) δ = 161.6 (C=O), 161.5 (C=O), 160.7 (C=O), 160.5 (C=O), 159.1 (C=O), 80.1 (C(CH₃)₃), 56.0 (NC β H_{Val}), 54.8 (C), 49.3 (NC β H_{Leu}), 47.9 (NCH_{2Aib^u}), 47.5 (NC α H_{2Ala}), 46.5 (NC β H_{Ala}), 46.0 (NC α H_{2Leu}), 44.5 (NC α H_{2Val}), 43.8 (C α H_{2Leu}), 42.8 (NCH_{iPr}), 31.8 (C γ H_{Val}), 28.9 (C(CH₃)₃), 26.6 (CH₃), 26.0 (CH₃), 25.9 (C δ H_{3Leu}), 23.7 (CH_{iPr}), 23.7 (CH_{iPr}), 23.6 (C γ H_{3Leu}), 22.6 (C γ H_{3Leu}), 20.3 (C δ H_{3Val}), 18.8 (C δ H_{3Ala}), 18.6 (C δ H_{3Val}). IR (film, cm^{-1}): ν_{max} = 3300, 2970, 1656, 1527; Mp: >200 °C; HRMS (ESI⁺): m/z calcd for $C_{30}H_{62}N_9O_6$ [M+H]⁺ 644.4823, found 644.4826.

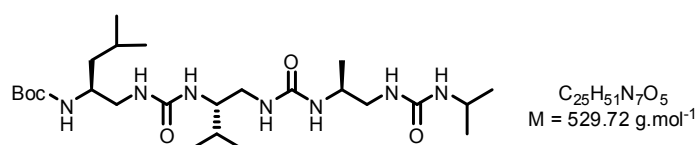
BocEDA-Val^u-Ala^u-Leu^u-NH(CO)NH*i*Pr **U8**



U8 was prepared from **U6** (100mg, 0.16 mmol), **M3** (47 mg, 0.16 mmol) and DIPEA (79 μ L, 0.46 mmol) as described in the general procedure B2. The pure oligomer **U8** (50 mg, 52.4% in two steps)

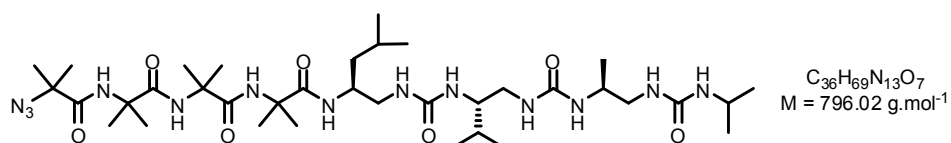
was isolated as a white solid. $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CD_3OH) δ = 6.78-6.66 (1H, m, NH), 6.34-6.20 (2H, m, NH), 6.17-6.04 (2H, m, NH), 5.97 (1H, d, J = 9.3, NH), 5.91-5.78 (3H, m, NH), 4.06-3.94 (1H, m, NCH_{Ala}), 3.93-3.85 (1H, m, NCH_{Leu}), 3.84-3.73 (1H, m, NCH_{IPr}), 3.66-3.42 (4H, m, NCH_{Val} , $\text{NCH}_\text{A}\text{H}_{\text{BVal}}$, $\text{NCH}_\text{A}\text{H}_{\text{BLeu}}$ and $\text{NCH}_\text{A}\text{H}_{\text{BAla}}$), 3.41-3.26 (2H, m, 2 x $\text{NCH}_\text{A}\text{H}_{\text{BEDA}}$), 3.07-2.89 (2H, m, 2 x $\text{NCH}_\text{A}\text{H}_{\text{BEDA}}$), 2.75-2.37 (3H, m, $\text{NCH}_\text{A}\text{H}_{\text{BLeu}}$, $\text{NCH}_\text{A}\text{H}_{\text{BVal}}$ and $\text{NCH}_\text{A}\text{H}_{\text{BAla}}$), 1.75-1.57 (2H, m, CH_{Leu} and CH_{Val}), 1.45 (9H, s, $\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3$), 1.33-1.16 (2H, m, $\text{CH}_{2\text{Leu}}$), 1.12 (3H, d, J = 6.5, $\text{CH}_{3\text{IPr}}$), 1.11 (3H, d, J = 6.5, $\text{CH}_{3\text{IPr}}$), 1.04 (3H, d, J = 6.7, $\text{CH}_{3\text{Ala}}$), 0.97-0.85 (12H, m, 2 x $\text{CH}_{3\text{Leu}}$ and 2 x $\text{CH}_{3\text{Val}}$). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CD_3OH) δ = 161.5 (C=O), 161.4 (C=O), 160.6 (C=O), 160.6 (C=O), 159.0 (C=O), 80.2 ($\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3$), 56.5 ($\text{NC}_\beta\text{H}_{\text{Val}}$), 49.4 ($\text{NC}_\beta\text{H}_{\text{Leu}}$), 48.0 ($\text{NC}_\square\text{H}_{2\text{Ala}}$), 46.4 ($\text{NC}_\beta\text{H}_{\text{Ala}}$), 46.1 ($\text{NC}_\square\text{H}_{2\text{Leu}}$), 44.5 ($\text{NC}_\square\text{H}_{2\text{Val}}$), 43.8 ($\text{C}_\square\text{H}_{2\text{Leu}}$), 42.8 (NCH_{IPr}), 41.6 (NCH_2), 41.5 (NCH_2), 31.8 ($\text{C}_\gamma\text{H}_{\text{Val}}$), 28.7 ($\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3$), 25.8 ($\text{C}_\delta\text{H}_{\text{Leu}}$), 23.7 ($\text{CH}_{3\text{IPr}}$), 23.6 ($\text{CH}_{3\text{IPr}}$), 23.5 ($\text{C}_\text{H}_{3\text{Leu}}$), 22.5 ($\text{C}_\text{H}_{3\text{Leu}}$), 20.2 ($\text{C}_\delta\text{H}_{3\text{Val}}$), 18.7 ($\text{C}_\delta\text{H}_{3\text{Ala}}$), 18.6 ($\text{C}_\delta\text{H}_{3\text{Val}}$). IR (film, cm^{-1}): ν_{max} = 3310, 2936, 1651, 1538; **Mp**: >200 °C; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): m/z calcd for $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{57}\text{N}_9\text{O}_6\text{Na}$ [$\text{M}+\text{Na}$]⁺ 638.4330, found 638.4324.

BocLeu^u-Val^u-Ala^u-NH(CO)NH*i*Pr **U9**



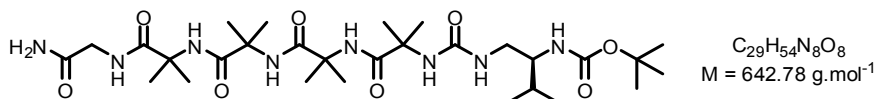
U9 was prepared from **U4** (583 mg, 0.99 mmol), **Ca** (355 mg, 0.99 mmol) and DIPEA (506 μL , 2.98 mmol) as described in the general procedure B2. The pure oligomer **U9** (450 mg, 85.8% in two steps) was isolated as a white solid. $^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, CD_3OH) δ = 6.59 (1H, d, J = 9.6, NH), 6.23-6.14 (1H, m, NH), 6.12-6.02 (1H, m, NH), 6.02-5.87 (2H, m, NH), 5.83 (2H, d, J = 9.1, NH), 3.95-3.76 (3H, m, NCH_{Ala} , NCH_{Leu} and NCH_{IPr}), 3.62-3.55 (2H, m, NCH_{Val} and $\text{NCH}_\text{A}\text{H}_{\text{BVal}}$), 3.55-3.45 (1H, m, $\text{NCH}_\text{A}\text{H}_{\text{BLeu}}$), 3.45-3.36 (1H, m, $\text{NCH}_\text{A}\text{H}_{\text{BAla}}$), 2.80-2.68 (1H, m, $\text{NCH}_\text{A}\text{H}_{\text{BLeu}}$), 2.67-2.58 (1H, m, $\text{NCH}_\text{A}\text{H}_{\text{BAla}}$), 2.57-2.44 (1H, m, $\text{NCH}_\text{A}\text{H}_{\text{BVal}}$), 1.79-1.60 (2H, m, CH_{Leu} and CH_{Val}), 1.48 (9H, s, $\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3$), 1.34-1.18 (2H, m, $\text{CH}_{2\text{Leu}}$), 1.14 (6H, d, J = 6.5, 2 x $\text{CH}_{3\text{IPr}}$), 1.07 (3H, d, J = 6.7, $\text{CH}_{3\text{Ala}}$), 1.01-0.87 (12H, m, 2 x $\text{CH}_{3\text{Val}}$ and 2 x $\text{CH}_{3\text{Leu}}$). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, CD_3OH) δ = 161.4 (C=O), 161.1 (C=O), 160.6 (C=O), 159.1 (C=O), 80.1 ($\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3$), 56.4 ($\text{NC}_\beta\text{H}_{\text{Val}}$), 50.0 ($\text{NC}_\beta\text{H}_{\text{Leu}}$), 47.1 ($\text{NC}_\beta\text{H}_{\text{Ala}}$), 46.7 ($\text{NC}_\square\text{H}_{2\text{Ala}}$), 46.5 ($\text{NC}_\square\text{H}_{2\text{Leu}}$), 44.5 ($\text{NC}_\square\text{H}_{2\text{Val}}$), 42.8 (NCH_{IPr}), 42.4 ($\text{C}_\square\text{H}_{2\text{Leu}}$), 31.9 ($\text{C}_\gamma\text{H}_{\text{Val}}$), 28.9 ($\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3$), 26.2 ($\text{C}_\delta\text{H}_{\text{Leu}}$), 23.8 ($\text{C}_\text{H}_{3\text{Leu}}$), 23.7 (2 x CH_{IPr}), 22.5 ($\text{C}_\text{H}_{3\text{Leu}}$), 20.1 ($\text{C}_\delta\text{H}_{3\text{Val}}$), 19.4 ($\text{C}_\delta\text{H}_{3\text{Ala}}$), 18.5 ($\text{C}_\delta\text{H}_{3\text{Val}}$). IR (film, cm^{-1}): ν_{max} = 3339, 2963, 2931, 2871, 1636, 1567; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20}$ = +58.8 (c = 1.00; MeOH); **Mp**: 194-196°C; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): m/z calcd for $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{52}\text{N}_7\text{O}_5$ [$\text{M}+\text{H}$]⁺ 530.4030, found 530.4006.

N₃-Aib₄-Leu^u-Val^u-Ala^u-NH(CO)NH*i*Pr **U10**



Boc-protected oligourea **U10** (87 mg, 0.16 mmol) was dissolved in TFA (870 μ L) and stirred for 45 min. The reaction mixture was then concentrated under reduced. Triethylamine (36 μ L, 0.26 mmol) and an azlactone (85 mg, 0.23 mmol)¹ were added to the crude product in acetonitrile (0.58 mL). The reaction stirred at reflux for 3 d. The solvents were removed under reduced pressure and purification by column chromatography (SiO₂; CH₂Cl₂:MeOH; 99:1→90:10) gave the title compound as a white solid (34 mg, 36.8%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 7.73 (1H, s, NH), 7.27 (1H, d, J = 9.8, NH), 6.10 (1H, d, J = 9.3, NH), 5.97 (1H, d, J = 9.8, NH), 5.79-5.68 (1H, m, NH), 5.60 (1H, d, J = 10.0, NH), 4.28-4.10 (1H, m, NCH_{Leu}), 3.99-3.87 (1H, m, NCH_{Ala}), 3.86-3.77 (1H, m, NCH_{iPr}), 3.74-3.48 (4H, m, NCH_{Val}, NCH_{AH^BVal}, NCH_{AH^BLeu} and NCH_{AH^BAla}), 2.77-2.60 (1H, m, NCH_{AH^BAla} and NCH_{AH^BLeu}), 2.46 (1H, dd, J = 13.8 and 11.8, NCH_{AH^BVal}), 1.73-1.58 (2H, m, CH_{Leu} and CH_{Val}), 1.48-1.37 (1H, m, CH_{AH^BLeu}), 1.56 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.53 (9H, s, 3 x CH₃), 1.47 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.45 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.43 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.39 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.27-1.17 (1H, m, CH_{AH^BLeu}), 1.14 (6H, d, J = 6.5, 2 x CH_{3*iPr*}), 1.06 (3H, d, J = 6.7, CH_{3Ala}), 0.99-0.83 (12H, m, 2 x CH_{3Val} and 2 x CH_{3Leu}). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 178.2 (C=O), 176.7 (C=O), 175.0 (C=O), 161.7 (C=O), 161.3 (C=O), 161.3 (C=O), 160.7 (C=O), 64.8 (CN₃), 58.4 (C), 57.9 (C), 57.8 (C), 57.8 (C), 56.4 (NC _{β} H_{Val}), 48.7 (NC _{β} H_{Leu}), 47.0 (NC _{β} H_{Ala}), 46.7 (NC \square H_{2Ala}), 46.0 (NC \square H_{2Leu}), 44.4 (NC \square H_{2Val}), 42.8 (NCH_{iPr}), 42.3 (C \square H_{2Leu}), 32.2 (C γ H_{Val}), 28.1 (CH₃), 27.4 (CH₃), 26.3 (CH₃), 25.9 (CH₃), 24.6 (C δ H_{Leu}), 24.5 (CH₃), 23.8 (CH_{iPr}), 23.8 (CH_{iPr}), 23.7 (C_{H₃Leu}), 23.6 (CH₃), 23.4 (CH₃), 23.1 (CH₃), 22.4 (C_{H₃Leu}), 20.1 (C δ H_{3Val}), 19.5 (C δ H_{3Ala}), 18.5 (C δ H_{3Val}).

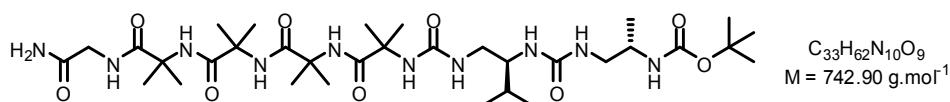
GlyNH₂-Aib₄-(Val^u)_{rev}-NH(Boc) **2a**



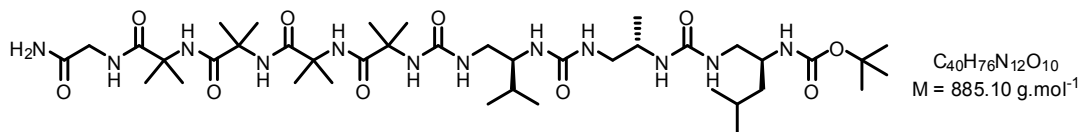
2a was prepared from GlyNH₂-Aib₄-NH₂ (547 mg, 1.32 mmol), **Cc** (453 mg, 1.32 mmol) and DIPEA (673 μ L, 3.96 mmol) as described in the general procedure B. The pure oligomer **2a** (500 mg, 58.9%) was isolated as a white solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 8.60 (1H, s, NH), 8.14 (1H, t, J = 6.3, NH_{Gly}), 8.07 (1H, s, NH), 7.95 (1H, s, NH), 7.43 (1H, s, NH_{Val}), 7.22 (1H, s, NH), 6.38 (1H, s, NH), 6.32

(1H, d, $J = 9.5$, NH_{Val}), 5.99 (1H, t, $J = 7.0$, NH_{Val}), 3.94 (1H, dd, $J = 17.5$ and 7.0 , NCH_ACH_{BGly}), 3.72 (1H, dd, $J = 17.5$ and 5.7 , NCH_ACH_{BGly}), 3.57-3.36 (2H, m, NCH_AH_{BVal} and NCH_{Val}), 2.82-2.75 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BVal}), 1.69 (1H, oct, $J = 6.9$, CH_{Val}), 1.50 (3H, s, CH_3), 1.50 (3H, s, CH_3), 1.47-1.40 (24H, m, $C(CH_3)_3$ and $5 \times CH_3$), 1.34 (3H, s, CH_3), 0.94 (3H, d, $J = 6.9$, CH_{3Val}), 0.91 (3H, d, $J = 6.9$, CH_{3Val}). ^{13}C NMR (125 MHz, CD_3OH) $\delta = 178.3$ (C=O), 178.1 (C=O), 178.1 (C=O), 178.0 (C=O), 175.4 (C=O), 160.2 (C=O), 158.5 (C=O), 79.7 (C-O), 58.1 (C), 58.0 (C), 57.8 (C), 57.6 (C), 57.0 ($NC_{\beta}H_{Val}$), 43.7 (NCH_2Gly), 43.4 ($NC_{\alpha}H_{2Val}$), 31.5 ($NC_{\gamma}H_{Val}$), 28.8 ($C(CH_3)_3$), 26.7 (CH_3), 26.5 (CH_3), 26.5 (CH_3), 24.8 (CH_3), 24.6 (CH_3), 24.3 (CH_3), 19.9 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Val}$), 18.8 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Val}$). IR (film, cm^{-1}): $\nu_{max} = 3306, 2981, 2935, 1651, 1543$; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +24.8$ ($c = 1.00$; MeOH); **Mp**: 88-90 °C; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): m/z calcd for $C_{29}H_{55}N_8O_8$ $[M+H]^+$ 643.4137, found 643.4118.

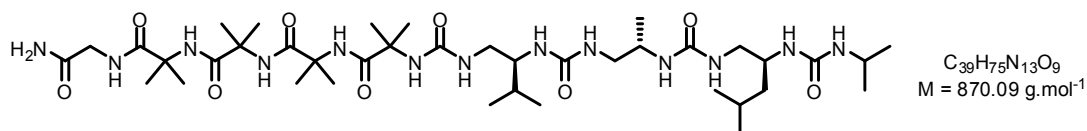
GlyNH₂-Aib₄-(Val^H)_{rev}-(Ala^H)_{rev}-NHBoc **2b**



2b was prepared from **2a** (400 mg, 0.62 mmol), **Cb** (196 mg, 0.62 mmol) and DIPEA (318 μ L, 1.87 mmol) as described in the general procedure B. The pure oligomer **2b** (100 mg, 21.6%) was isolated as a white solid. 1H NMR (500 MHz, CD_3OH) $\delta = 8.57$ (1H, s, NH), 8.48 (1H, s, NH), 8.15 (1H, t, $J = 6.2$, NH_{Gly}), 7.96 (1H, s, NH), 6.60 (1H, s, NH_{Ala}), 6.59 (1H, s, NH), 6.04 (1H, t, $J = 5.9$, NH_{Ala}), 5.95 (1H, d, $J = 5.9$, NH_{Val}), 5.78 (1H, d, $J = 9.1$, NH_{Val}), 3.97 (1H, dd, $J = 17.6$ and 7.1 , NCH_AH_{BGly}), 3.94-3.83 (1H, m, NCH_{Val}), 3.69 (2H, dd, $J = 17.6$ and 5.7 , NCH_AH_{BGly}), 3.66-3.53 (2H, m, NCH_{Ala} and NCH_AH_{BVal}), 2.77-2.65 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BVal}), 2.59-2.44 (1H, m, NCH_2Ala), 1.65 (1H, oct, $J = 6.7$, CH_{Val}), 1.51 (3H, s, CH_3), 1.50 (3H, s, CH_3), 1.47-1.40 (24H, m, $C(CH_3)_3$ and $5 \times CH_3$), 1.34 (3H, s, CH_3), 1.08 (3H, d, $J = 6.9$, CH_{3Ala}), 0.94 (3H, d, $J = 6.9$, CH_{3Val}), 0.91 (3H, d, $J = 6.9$, CH_{3Val}). ^{13}C NMR (125 MHz, CD_3OH) $\delta = 178.5$ (C=O), 178.2 (C=O), 178.1 (C=O), 178.1 (C=O), 175.4 (C=O), 160.8 (C=O), 160.4 (C=O), 158.7 (C=O), 80.1 (C-O), 58.1 (C), 57.9 (C), 57.8 (C), 56.9 (C), 56.5 ($NC_{\beta}H_{Val}$), 47.6 ($NC_{\alpha}H_{2Ala}$), 47.3 ($NC_{\beta}H_{Ala}$), 44.7 (NCH_2Gly), 43.8 ($NC_{\alpha}H_{2Val}$), 31.6 ($NC_{\gamma}H_{Val}$), 28.7 ($C(CH_3)_3$), 27.1 (CH_3), 27.0 (CH_3), 26.9 (CH_3), 26.7 (CH_3), 24.7 (CH_3), 24.3 (CH_3), 23.9 (CH_3), 23.8 (CH_3), 20.1 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Val}$), 18.8 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Val}$), 18.4 ($C_{\gamma}H_{3Ala}$). IR (film, cm^{-1}): $\nu_{max} = 3282, 2981, 2935, 1649, 1544$; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +8.0$ ($c = 1.00$; MeOH); **Mp**: 103-105 °C; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): m/z calcd for $C_{33}H_{62}N_{10}O_9Na$ $[M+H]^+$ 765.4599, found 765.4586.

GlyNH₂-Aib₄-(Val^u)_{rev}-(Ala^u)_{rev}-(Leu^u)_{rev}-NHBoc 2c

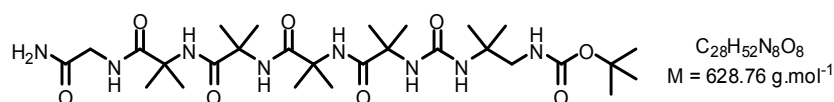
2c was prepared from **2b** (90 mg, 0.12 mmol), **Ca** (43 mg, 0.12 mmol) and DIPEA (21 μ L, 0.36 mmol) as described in the general procedure B. The pure oligomer **2c** (80 mg, 74.7%) was isolated as a white solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 8.57 (1H, s, NH), 8.46 (1H, s, NH), 8.16 (1H, t, J = 6.7, NH_{Gly}), 7.94 (1H, s, NH), 7.43 (1H, s, NH), 7.22 (1H, s, NH), 6.88 (1H, s, NH), 6.60 (1H, d, J = 10.0, NH_{Leu}), 6.44 (1H, brd, J = 9.5, NH_{Val}), 6.08 (1H, t, J = 6.7, NH_{Leu}), 5.88 (1H, dd, J = 9.4 and 3.4, NH_{Ala}), 5.84 (1H, d, J = 9.9, NH_{Ala}), 5.76 (1H, d, J = 10.4, NH_{Val}), 4.13-4.02 (1H, m, NCH_{Ala}), 3.98 (1H, dd, J = 17.5 and 7.2, NCH_{AH_BGly}), 3.89-3.76 (1H, m, NCH_{Leu}), 3.68 (1H, dd, J = 17.5 and 5.5, NCH_{AH_BGly}), 3.74-3.54 (3H, m, NCH_{AH_BAla}, NCH_{Val} and NCH_{AH_BVal}), 3.44 (1H, ddd, J = 14.1, 7.3 and 3.5, NCH_{AH_BLeu}), 2.56-2.41 (2H, m, NCH_{AH_BLeu} and NCH_{AH_BVal}), 2.39-2.25 (1H, m, NCH_{AH_BAla}), 1.76-1.55 (2H, m, CH_{Val} and CH_{Leu}), 1.51 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.50 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.48-1.42 (24H, m, 5 x CH₃ and C(CH₃)₃), 1.34 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.31-1.14 (2H, m, CH_{2Leu}), 1.06 (3H, d, J = 7.0, CH_{3Ala}), 0.94 (3H, d, J = 6.7, CH_{3Val}), 0.93 (3H, d, J = 6.9, CH_{3Val}), 0.90 (3H, d, J = 6.6, CH_{3Leu}), 0.89 (3H, d, J = 6.8, CH_{3Leu}). ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 178.6 (C=O), 178.3 (C=O), 178.2 (C=O), 178.1 (C=O), 175.4 (C=O), 161.4 (C=O), 160.9 (C=O), 160.7 (C=O), 159.2 (C=O), 80.1 (C-O), 58.1 (C), 57.9 (C), 57.9 (C), 56.9 (C), 55.8 (NC β H_{Val}), 50.0 (NC β H_{Leu}), 48.5 (NC α H_{2Ala}), 46.8 (NC α H_{2Leu}), 46.6 (NC β H_{Ala}), 44.5 (NC α H_{2Val}), 43.8 (NCH_{2Gly}), 42.3 (C α H_{2Leu}), 31.9 (C γ H_{Val}), 28.8 (C(CH₃)₃), 27.4 (CH₃), 27.2 (CH₃), 27.1 (CH₃), 26.8 (CH₃), 26.2 (C δ H_{Leu}), 24.5 (CH₃), 24.3 (CH₃), 23.8 (CH₃), 23.7 (CH₃), 23.5 (C δ H_{3Leu}), 22.6 (C δ H_{3Leu}), 20.0 (C δ H_{3Val}), 18.6 (C δ H_{3Val}), 18.4 (C γ H_{3Ala}). IR (film, cm⁻¹): ν_{\max} = 3297, 2975, 1659, 1537; [α]_D²⁰ = + 30.0 (c = 1.00; MeOH); **mp**: 138-140 °C; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): m/z calcd for C₄₀H₇₇O₁₀N₁₂ [M+H]⁺ 885.5880, found 885.5880.

GlyNH₂-Aib₄-(Val^u)_{rev}-(Ala^u)_{rev}-(Leu^u)_{rev}-NH(CO)NH*i*Pr 2d

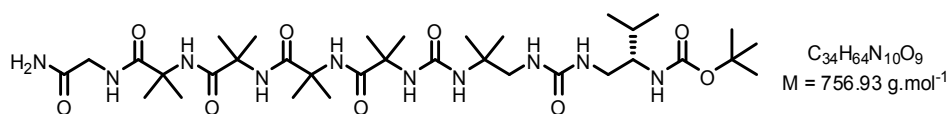
2d was prepared from **2c** (60 mg, 0.07 mmol), isopropyl isocyanate (13.3 μ L, 0.14 mmol) and DIPEA (28 μ L, 0.20 mmol) as described in the general procedure C. The pure oligomer **2d** (56 mg, 94.9%) was isolated as a white solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 8.58 (1H, s, NH), 8.44 (1H, s, NH), 8.18

(1H, t, $J =$, NH_{Gly}), 7.96 (1H, s, NH), 7.47 (1H, s, NH), 7.26 (1H, s, NH), 6.98 (1H, s, NH), 6.39 (1H, dd, $J =$, NH_{Val}), 6.28 (1H, dd, $J =$, NH_{Ala}), 6.12 (1H, d, $J =$, NH_{Val}), 6.06 (1H, t, $J = 6.7$, NH_{Leu}), 5.95 (1H, d, $J =$, NH_{Ala}), 5.73 (1H, d, $J =$, NH_{iPr}), 5.57 (1H, d, $J =$, NH_{Leu}), 4.09-3.90 (2H, m, NCH_{Ala} and NCH_{Leu}), 3.96 (1H, dd, $J =$ and, NCH_AH_{BGly}), 3.80 (1H, oct, $J =$, NH_{iPr}), 3.70 (1H, dd, $J =$ and, NCH_AH_{BGly}), 3.67-3.58 (2H, m, NCH_AH_{BVal} and NCH_{Val}), 3.57-3.47 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BAla}), 3.44-3.35 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BLeu}), 2.64-2.48 (2H, m, NCH_AH_{BLeu} and NCH_AH_{BVal}), 2.47-2.38 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BAla}), 1.76-1.55 (2H, m, CH_{Val} and CH_{Leu}), 1.51 (3H, s, CH_3), 1.50 (3H, s, CH_3), 1.48-1.42 (24H, m, 5 x CH_3 and $C(CH_3)_3$), 1.34 (3H, s, CH_3), 1.26-1.18 (2H, m, CH_{2Leu}), 1.13 (6H, d, $J =$, CH_3), 1.06 (3H, d, $J =$, CH_{3Ala}), 0.93 (6H, d, $J =$, CH_{3Val}), 0.89 (6H, d, $J = 6.9$, CH_{3Leu}). ^{13}C NMR (125 MHz, CD_3OH) $\delta = 178.6$ (C=O), 178.4 (C=O), 178.2 (C=O), 175.5 (C=O), 163.1 (C=O), 162.8 (C=O), 161.8 (C=O), 161.0 (C=O), 160.7 (C=O), 160.5 (C=O), 58.1 (C), 57.9 (C), 57.8 (C), 56.9 (C), 56.0 ($NC_{\beta}H_{Val}$), 48.7 ($NC_{\beta}H_{Leu}$), 48.2 ($NC_{\square}H_{2Ala}$), 47.2 ($NC_{\square}H_{2Leu}$), 46.8 ($NC_{\beta}H_{Ala}$), 44.3 ($NC_{\square}H_{2Val}$), 43.7 (NCH_{2Gly}), 43.0 (NCH_{iPr}), 43.0 ($C_{\square}H_{2Leu}$), 31.9 ($C_{\gamma}H_{Val}$), 27.2 (CH_3), 27.0 (CH_3), 26.9 (CH_3), 26.7 (CH_3), 26.2 ($C_{\delta}H_{Leu}$), 24.6 (CH_3), 24.4 (CH_3), 23.9 (CH_3), 23.8 (CH_3), 23.6 (CH_{3Leu}), 23.5 (CH_{3iPr}), 23.4 (CH_{3iPr}), 22.5 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Leu}$), 20.0 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Val}$), 18.8 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Val}$), 18.5 ($C_{\gamma}H_{3Ala}$). IR (film, cm^{-1}): $\nu_{max} = 3325, 2965, 1648, 1555$; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +28$ ($c = 1.00$; MeOH); **Mp**: > 200 °C; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): m/z calcd for $C_{39}H_{76}O_9N_{13}$ $[M+H]^+$ 870.5883, found 870.5873.

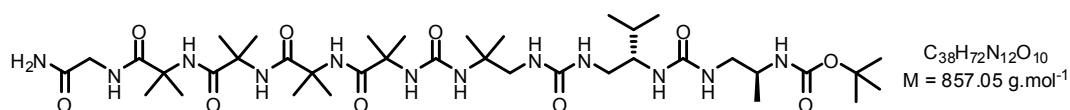
GlyNH₂-Aib₄-Aib^u-NHoc 3



3 was prepared from GlyNH₂AiB₄NHoc (650 mg, 1.57 mmol), **M2** (517 mg, 1.57 mmol) and DIPEA (800 μ L, 4.70 mmol) as described in the general procedure B. The pure oligomer **3** (200 mg, 20.3%) was isolated as a white solid. 1H NMR (500 MHz, CD_3OH) $\delta = 8.81$ (1H, s, NH), 8.20 (1H, s, NH), 8.15 (1H, t, $J = 5.8$, NH_{Gly}), 7.98 (1H, s, NH), 7.44 (1H, s, NH), 7.27 (1H, s, NH), 6.65 (1H, t, $J = 5.9$, NH_{Aibu}), 6.06 (1H, s, NH), 5.75 (1H, s, NH), 3.83 (2H, brd, $J = 17.5$ and 7.0, NCH_{2Gly}), 3.25 (2H, brd, $J = 4.5$, NCH_{2Aibu}), 1.50 (6H, s, CH_3), 1.45 (15H, m, $C(CH_3)_3$ and 2 x CH_3), 1.43 (6H, s, CH_3), 1.35 (6H, s, CH_3), 1.25 (6H, s, CH_3). ^{13}C NMR (125 MHz, CD_3OH) $\delta = 178.4$ (C=O), 178.2 (2 x C=O), 178.1 (C=O), 175.4 (C=O), 159.2 (C=O), 158.3 (C=O), 79.7 (C-O), 58.1 (C), 58.1 (C), 57.8 (C), 56.8 (C), 54.6 (C), 48.8 (NCH_{2Aibu}), 43.7 (NCH_{2Gly}), 28.7 ($C(CH_3)_3$), 26.0 (2 x CH_3), 25.8 (2 x CH_3), 25.5 (6 x CH_3). IR (film, cm^{-1}): $\nu_{max} = 3343, 2982, 29341, 1650, 1542$; **Mp**: 103-105 °C; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): m/z calcd for $C_{28}H_{53}O_8N_8$ $[M+H]^+$ 629.3981, found 629.3974.

GlyNH₂-Aib₄-Aib^u-(Val^u)_{rev}-NH₂Boc 3a

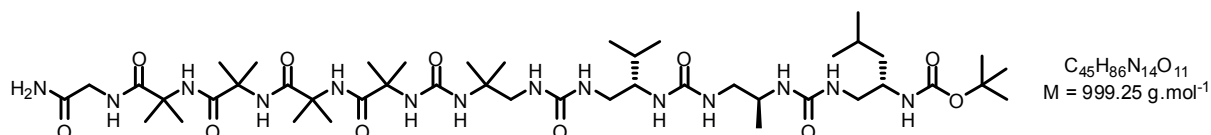
3a was prepared from **3** (200 mg, 0.32 mmol), **Cc** (109 mg, 0.32 mmol) and DIPEA (162 μ L, 0.95 mmol) as described in the general procedure B. The pure oligomer **3a** (150 mg, 62.3%) was isolated as a white solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 8.74 (1H, s, NH), 8.46 (1H, s, NH), 8.15 (1H, t, J = 6.1, NH_{Gly}), 7.91 (1H, s, NH), 7.45 (1H, s, NH), 7.23 (1H, s, NH), 6.45 (1H, d, J = 9.8, NH_{Val}), 6.38 (1H, s, NH), 6.13 (1H, t, J = 6.0, NH_{Aib^u}), 6.00 (1H, t, J = 5.9, NH_{Val}), 5.58 (1H, s, NH), 3.91 (1H, dd, J = 17.4 and 6.6, NCH_ACH_{BGly}), 3.75 (1H, dd, J = 17.3 and 5.7, NCH_ACH_{BGly}), 3.71-3.59 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BAib^u}), 3.58-3.50 (1H, m, NCH_{Val}), 3.49-3.39 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BVal}), 2.95-2.88 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BAib^u}), 2.79 (1H, ddd, J = 6.9, NCH_AH_{BVal}), 1.68 (1H, oct, J = 6.8, CH_{Val}), 1.50 (6H, s, 2 x CH₃), 1.46 (6H, s, 2 x CH₃), 1.45 (9H, s, C(CH₃)₃), 1.42 (6H, s, 2 x CH₃), 1.40 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.35 (6H, s, 2 x CH₃), 1.15 (3H, s, CH₃), 0.97 (3H, d, J = 6.7, CH_{3Val}), 0.92 (3H, d, J = 6.8, CH_{3Val}). ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 178.6 (C=O), 178.5 (C=O), 178.2 (C=O), 178.1 (C=O), 175.4 (C=O), 160.7 (C=O), 159.3 (C=O), 159.1 (C=O), 79.9 (C-O), 58.1 (C), 58.0 (C), 57.8 (C), 57.5 (NC β H_{Val}), 56.8 (C), 55.0 (C), 48.5 (NCH₂Aib^u), 43.8 (NCH₂Gly), 43.4 (NC α H_{2Val}), 32.0 (NC γ H_{Val}), 28.8 (C(CH₃)₃), 26.8 (CH₃), 26.3 (3 x CH₃), 26.2 (CH₃), 25.5 (CH₃), 25.0 (CH₃), 24.9 (CH₃), 24.6 (2 x CH₃), 19.9 (C δ H_{3Val}), 18.8 (C δ H_{3Val}). IR (film, cm⁻¹): ν_{max} = 3295, 2976, 2941, 1654, 1555; $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ = +29.0 (c = 1.00; MeOH); **Mp**: 115-117 °C; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): m/z calcd for C₃₄H₆₄O₉N₁₀Na [M+Na]⁺ 779.4755, found 779.4684.

GlyNH₂-Aib₄-Aib^u-(Val^u)_{rev}-(Ala^u)_{rev}-NH₂Boc 3b

3b was prepared from **3a** (115 mg, 0.15 mmol), **Cb** (48 mg, 0.15 mmol) and DIPEA (78 μ L, 0.46 mmol) as described in the general procedure B. The pure oligomer **3b** (58 mg, 44.5%) was isolated as a white solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 8.74 (1H, s, NH), 8.45 (1H, s, NH), 8.16 (1H, t, J = 6.3, NH_{Gly}), 7.98 (1H, s, NH), 7.47 (1H, s, NH), 7.25 (1H, s, NH), 6.56 (1H, d, J = 8.8, NH_{Ala}), 6.47 (1H, s, NH), 6.15-6.05 (2H, m, NH_{Ala} and NH_{Aib^u}), 6.04-5.97 (1H, m, NH_{Val}), 5.87 (1H, d, J = 9.4, NH_{Val}), 5.78 (1H, s, NH), 3.92 (1H, dd, J = 17.5 and 6.8, NCH_ACH_{BGly}), 3.75 (1H, dd, J = 17.2 and 5.7, NCH_ACH_{BGly}), 3.83-3.64 (3H, m, NCH_AH_{BAib^u}, NCH_{Ala} and NCH_{Val}), 3.61-3.48 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BVal}), 3.29-3.22 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BAla}),

2.95-2.78 (2H, m, NCH_AH_{BAIa} and NCH_AH_{BAIb}), 2.69-2.55 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BVal}), 1.67 (1H, oct, *J* = 6.9, CH_{Val}), 1.50 (6H, s, 2 x CH₃), 1.46 (6H, s, 2 x CH₃), 1.44 (9H, s, C(CH₃)₃), 1.43 (6H, s, 2 x CH₃), 1.40 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.35 (6H, s, 2 x CH₃), 1.17 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.07 (3H, d, *J* = 6.8, CH_{3Ala}), 0.97 (3H, d, *J* = 6.9, CH_{3Val}), 0.93 (3H, d, *J* = 6.9, CH_{3Val}). ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 178.6 (2 x C=O), 178.2 (C=O), 178.2 (C=O), 175.5 (C=O), 161.5 (C=O), 160.9 (C=O), 159.4 (C=O), 158.4 (C=O), 80.0 (C-O), 58.1 (C), 58.0 (C), 57.8 (C), 56.8 (NC_βH_{Val}), 56.4 (C), 54.8 (C), 48.5 (NCH_{2Aib}), 48.0 (NC_□H_{2Ala}), 46.8 (NC_βH_{Ala}), 44.3 (NC_□H_{2Val}), 43.8 (NCH_{2Gly}), 31.9 (NC_γH_{Val}), 28.7 (C(CH₃)₃), 26.9 (CH₃), 26.4 (2 x CH₃), 26.3 (CH₃), 26.2 (CH₃), 25.6 (CH₃), 24.9 (2 x CH₃), 24.5 (2 x CH₃), 20.0 (C_δH_{3Val}), 18.7 (C_δH_{3Val}), 18.5 (C_γH_{3Ala}). IR (film, cm⁻¹): ν_{max} = 3325, 2963, 1648, 1572; [α]_D²⁰ = +25.0 (c = 1.00; MeOH); Mp: 130-132 °C; HRMS (ESI⁺): *m/z* calcd for C₃₈H₇₃O₁₀N₁₂ [M+H]⁺ 857.5567, found 857.5566.

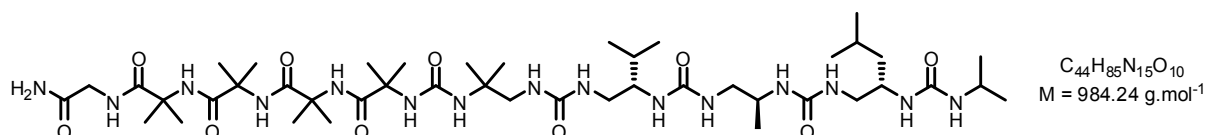
GlyNH₂-Aib₄-Aib^u-(Val^u)_{rev}-(Ala^u)_{rev}-(Leu^u)_{rev}-NHBoc **3c**



3c was prepared from **3b** (50 mg, 0.06 mmol), **Ca** (21 mg, 0.06 mmol) and DIPEA (32 μL, 0.18 mmol) as described in the general procedure B. The pure oligomer **3c** (44 mg, 76%) was isolated as a white solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 8.77 (1H, s, NH), 8.43 (1H, s, NH), 8.17 (1H, t, *J* = 6.3, NH_{Gly}), 8.01 (1H, s, NH), 7.46 (1H, s, NH), 7.24 (1H, s, NH), 6.61 (1H, d, *J* = 10.0, NH_{Leu}), 6.54 (1H, s, NH), 6.44 (1H, d, *J* = 8.7, NH_{Val}), 6.37 (1H, dd, *J* = 8.7 and 3.9, NH_{Aib^u}), 6.07 (1H, t, *J* = 6.4, NH_{Leu}), 5.93 (1H, s, NH_{Ala}), 5.91 (1H, s, NH_{Val}), 5.82 (1H, d, *J* = 9.8, NH_{Ala}), 5.75 (1H, s, NH), 4.09-4.00 (1H, m, NCH_{Ala}), 3.96 (1H, dd, *J* = 17.5 and 7.0, NCH_ACH_{BGly}), 3.92-3.82 (1H, m, NCH_{Leu}), 3.81-3.65 (3H, m, NCH_AH_{BAib^u}, NCH_AH_{BVal} and NCH_{Val}), 3.75 (1H, dd, *J* = 17.5 and 5.9, NCH_ACH_{BGly}), 3.64-3.54 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BAIa}), 3.42 (1H, ddd, *J* = 14.0, 7.1 and 3.6, NCH_AH_{BLeu}), 2.89 (1H, dd, *J* = 14.4 and 3.3, NCH_AH_{BAib^u}), 2.63-2.55 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BVal}), 2.53-2.44 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BLeu}), 2.40-2.30 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BAIa}), 1.75-1.59 (2H, m, CH_{Leu} and CH_{Val}), 1.52 (6H, s, 2 x CH₃), 1.48 (15H, s, 2 x CH₃ and C(CH₃)₃), 1.45 (6H, s, 2 x CH₃), 1.42 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.39 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.36 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.32-1.09 (2H, m, CH_{2Leu}), 1.21 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.05 (3H, d, *J* = 6.9, CH_{3Ala}), 0.97 (3H, d, *J* = 6.9, CH_{3Val}), 0.94 (3H, d, *J* = 7.1, CH_{3Leu}), 0.93 (3H, d, *J* = 7.3, CH_{3Val}), 0.90 (3H, d, *J* = 6.7, CH_{3Leu}). ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 178.6 (2 x C=O), 178.2 (C=O), 178.1 (C=O), 175.4 (C=O), 161.8 (C=O), 161.1 (C=O), 160.6 (C=O), 159.4 (C=O), 159.2 (C=O), 80.1 (C-O), 58.1 (C), 58.0 (C), 57.7 (C), 56.8 (C), 55.9 (NC_βH_{Val}), 54.7 (C), 49.8 (NC_βH_{Leu}), 48.5 (NCH_{2Aib}), 48.0 (NC_□H_{2Ala}), 46.9 (NC_αH_{2Leu}), 46.5 (NC_βH_{Ala}), 43.9 (NC_□H_{2Val}), 43.8 (NCH_{2Gly}), 42.2 (C_□H_{2Leu}), 32.4 (NC_γH_{Val}), 28.8 (C(CH₃)₃), 27.0 (CH₃), 26.7 (2 x CH₃), 26.5 (C_δH_{Leu}), 26.2 (CH₃), 26.2 (CH₃), 25.7 (CH₃), 24.7 (2 x CH₃), 24.4 (CH₃), 24.3 (CH₃), 23.5

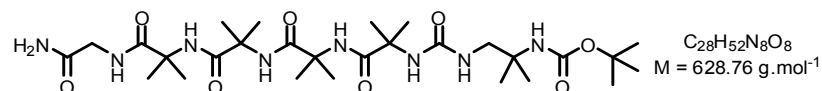
($C_{\delta}H_{3Leu}$), 22.5 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Leu}$), 19.8 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Val}$), 18.7 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Val}$), 18.5 ($C_{\gamma}H_{3Ala}$ IR (film, cm^{-1}): ν_{max} = 3287, 2970, 1636, 1549; $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ = + 34.0 (c = 1.00; MeOH); **Mp**: 154-156 °C; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): m/z calcd for $C_{45}H_{87}O_{11}N_{14}$ $[M+H]^+$ 999.6673, found 999.6655.

GlyNH₂-Aib₄-Aib^u-(Val^u)_{rev}-(Ala^u)_{rev}-(Leu^u)_{rev}-NH(CO)NH*i*Pr **3d**



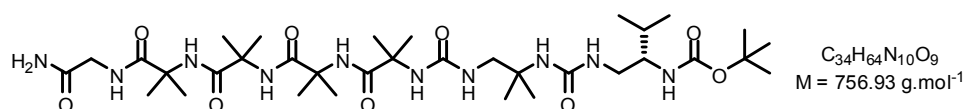
3d was prepared from **3c** (40 mg, 0.04 mmol), isopropyl isocyanate (7.9 μ L, 0.08 mmol) and DIPEA (17 μ L, 0.12 mmol) as described in the general procedure C. The pure oligomer **3d** (35 mg, 88.9%) was isolated as a white solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 8.75 (1H, s, NH), 8.40 (1H, s, NH), 8.16 (1H, t, J = 6.3, NH_{Gly}), 7.99 (1H, s, NH), 7.45 (1H, s, NH), 7.23 (1H, s, NH), 6.52 (1H, s, NH), 6.45-6.34 (2H, m, NH_{Val} and NH_{Aibu}), 6.28 (1H, dd, J = 9.4 and 3.2, NH_{Ala}), 6.24 (1H, d, J = 10.3, NH_{Val}), 5.95 (1H, t, J = 7.1, NH_{Leu}), 5.85 (1H, d, J = 9.7, NH_{Ala}), 5.75 (1H, s, NH), 5.68 (1H, d, J = 7.9, NH_{ipr}), 5.50 (1H, d, J = 9.5, NH_{Leu}), 4.08-3.96 (2H, m, NCH_{Leu} and NCH_{Ala}), 3.93 (1H, dd, J = 17.6 and 7.0, NCH_ACH_{BGly}), 3.80 (1H, oct, J = 6.7, NCH_{ipr}), 3.77-3.68 (2H, m, NCH_AH_{BAibu} and NCH_{Val}), 3.74 (1H, dd, J = 17.8 and 6.0, NCH_ACH_{BGly}), 3.67-3.59 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BVal}), 3.58-3.47 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BAla}), 3.43-3.35 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BLeu}), 2.94-2.83 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BAibu}), 2.63-2.54 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BVal}), 2.53-2.47 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BLeu}), 2.46-2.37 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BAla}), 1.72-1.57 (2H, m, CH_{Leu} and CH_{Val}), 1.50 (6H, s, 2 x CH₃), 1.47 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.46 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.43 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.42 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.40 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.37 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.34 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.32-1.09 (2H, m, CH_{2Leu}), 1.19 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.13 (6H, d, J = 6.6, CH_{3ipr}), 1.03 (3H, d, J = 6.9, CH_{3Ala}), 0.95 (3H, d, J = 6.9, CH_{3Val}), 0.92 (3H, d, J = 6.7, CH_{3Leu}), 0.91 (3H, d, J = 6.9, CH_{3Val}), 0.88 (3H, d, J = 6.7, CH_{3Leu}). ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 178.6 (2 x C=O), 178.2 (C=O), 178.1 (C=O), 175.4 (C=O), 162.1 (C=O), 161.1 (C=O), 160.8 (C=O), 160.5 (C=O), 159.4 (C=O), 58.1 (C), 58.0 (C), 57.7 (C), 56.8 (C), 56.1 (NC β H_{Val}), 54.7 (C), 48.7 (NC β H_{Leu}), 48.5 (NCH_{2Aibu}), 48.1 (NC \square H_{2Ala}), 47.4 (NC α H_{2Leu}), 46.6 (NC β H_{Ala}), 43.9 (NC \square H_{2Val}), 43.8 (C \square H_{2Leu}), 43.0 (NCH_{2Gly}), 43.0 (NCH_{ipr}), 32.3 (NC γ H_{Val}), 26.9 (CH₃), 26.6 (2 x CH₃), 26.4 (C δ H_{Leu}), 26.2 (2 x CH₃), 25.7 (CH₃), 24.8 (2 x CH₃), 24.5 (CH₃), 24.4 (CH₃), 23.6 (C δ H_{3Leu}), 23.5 (C δ H_{3Leu}), 23.5 (C δ H_{3Leu}), 22.5 (C δ H_{3Leu}), 19.8 (C δ H_{3Val}), 18.8 (C δ H_{3Val}), 18.7 (C γ H_{3Ala}). IR (film, cm^{-1}): ν_{max} = 3297, 2966, 2930, 2872, 1638, 1546; $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ = +64.8 (c = 1.00; MeOH). **Mp**: 166-168 °C; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): m/z calcd for $C_{44}H_{86}O_{10}N_{15}$ $[M+H]^+$ 984.6677, found 984.6677.

GlyNH₂-Aib₄-(Aib^U)_{rev}-NH₂Boc **4**



4 was prepared from GlyNH₂-Aib₄-NH₂Boc (518 mg, 1.25 mmol), **M1** (4.12 mg, 1.25 mmol) and DIPEA (638 μL, 3.75 mmol) as described in the general procedure B. The pure oligomer **4** (521 mg, 82.9%) was isolated as a white solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 8.56 (1H, s, NH), 8.15 (1H, t, J = 6.2, NH_{Gly}), 8.03 (1H, s, NH), 8.01 (1H, s, NH), 7.44 (1H, s, NH), 7.27 (1H, s, NH), 6.48 (2H, s, NH), 6.26 (1H, t, J = 6.3, NH_{Aibu}), 3.83 (2H, brd, J = 6.2, NCH_{2Gly}), 3.28 (2H, brd, J = 6.2, NCH_{2Aibu}), 1.49 (6H, s, 2 x CH₃), 1.46 (6H, s, 2 x CH₃), 1.40 (9H, s, C(CH₃)₃), 1.39 (6H, s, 2 x CH₃), 1.39 (6H, s, 2 x CH₃), 1.23 (6H, s, 2 x CH₃). ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 178.2 (C=O), 178.1 (C=O), 178.1 (C=O), 177.9 (C=O), 175.4 (C=O), 160.5 (C=O), 156.8 (C=O), 79.8 (C-O), 58.1 (C), 58.0 (C), 57.5 (C), 57.1 (C), 54.8 (C), 49.5 (NCH_{2Aibu}), 43.7 (NCH_{2Gly}), 28.7 (C(CH₃)₃), 25.6 (4 x CH₃), 25.4 (2 x CH₃), 25.2 (2 x CH₃), 25.2 (2 x CH₃). IR (film, cm⁻¹): ν_{max} = 3304, 2982, 2934, 1642, 1539; HRMS (ESI⁺): m/z calcd for C₂₈H₅₃O₈N₈ [M+H]⁺ 629.3981, found 629.3971.

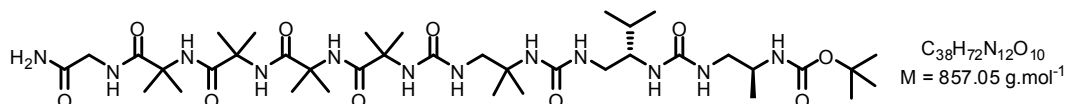
GlyNH₂-Aib₄-(Aib^U)_{rev}-(Val^U)_{rev}-NH₂Boc **4a**



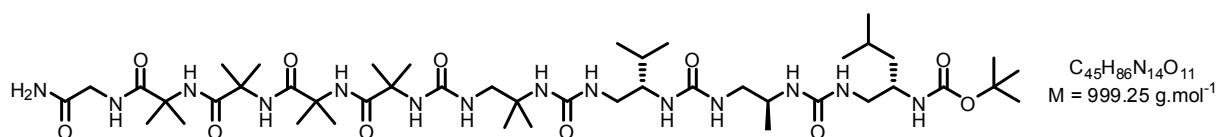
4a was prepared from **4** (474 mg, 0.75 mmol), **Cc** (259 mg, 0.75 mmol) and DIPEA (418 μL, 2.26 mmol) as described in the general procedure B. The pure oligomer **4a** (281 mg, 49.2%) was isolated as a white solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 8.50 (1H, s, NH), 8.14 (1H, t, J = 6.3, NH_{Gly}), 7.97 (2H, s, NH), 7.46 (1H, s, NH), 7.24 (1H, s, NH), 6.41 (1H, s, NH), 6.36 (1H, d, J = 9.8, NH_{Val}), 6.15 (1H, t, J = 6.4, NH_{Aibu}), 5.84 (1H, s, NH), 5.75 (1H, t, J = 5.7, NH_{Val}), 3.85 (1H, dd, J = 17.5 and 6.4, NCH_ACH_{BGly}), 3.80 (1H, dd, J = 17.4 and 6.2, NCH_ACH_{BGly}), 3.49 (1H, dd, J = 13.5 and 5.8, NCH_AH_{BAibu}), 3.45-3.39 (1H, m, NCH_{Val}), 3.39-3.33 (2H, m, NCH_AH_{BVal} and NCH_AH_{BAibu}), 2.88 (1H, ddd, J = 14.8, 9.9 and 5.7, NCH_AH_{BVal}), 1.70 (1H, oct, J = 6.8, CH_{Val}), 1.50 (6H, s, 2 x CH₃), 1.45 (15H, s, C(CH₃)₃ and 2 x CH₃), 1.39 (12H, s, 4 x CH₃), 1.25 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.19 (3H, s, CH₃), 0.94 (3H, d, J = 6.9, CH_{3Val}), 0.90 (3H, d, J = 6.9, CH_{3Val}). ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 178.2 (C=O), 178.1 (C=O), 178.1 (C=O), 178.0 (C=O), 175.5 (C=O), 160.4 (C=O), 160.1 (C=O), 158.8 (C=O), 79.8 (C-O), 58.1 (C), 58.0 (C), 57.6 (C), 57.5 (NC_βH_{Val}), 57.0 (C), 54.4 (C), 49.2 (NCH_{2Aibu}), 43.7 (NCH_{2Gly}), 42.7 (NC_αH_{2Val}), 31.9 (NC_γH_{Val}), 28.8 (C(CH₃)₃), 26.5

(CH₃), 25.9 (CH₃), 25.7 (CH₃), 25.5 (2 x CH₃), 25.4 (2 x CH₃), 25.1 (2 x CH₃), 25.0 (CH₃), 19.8 (C_δH_{3Val}), 18.4 (C_δH_{3Val}). IR (film, cm⁻¹): ν_{max} = 3283, 2962, 2938, 1648, 1537; [α]_D²⁰ = + 26.0 (c = 1.00; MeOH); **Mp**: 116-118 °C ; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): *m/z* calcd for C₃₄H₆₅O₉N₁₀ [M+H]⁺ 757.4930, found 757.4928.

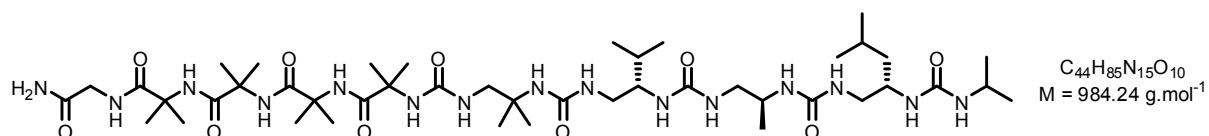
GlyNH₂-Aib₄-(Aib^u)_{rev}-(Val^u)_{rev}-(Ala^u)_{rev}-NHBoc **4b**



4b was prepared from **4a** (280 mg, 0.37 mmol), **Cb** (117 mg, 0.37 mmol) and DIPEA (205 μL, 1.11 mmol) as described in the general procedure B. The pure oligomer **4b** (260 mg, 82.0%) was isolated as a white solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 8.43 (1H, s, NH), 8.14 (1H, t, *J* = 6.3, NH_{Gly}), 8.00 (1H, s, NH), 7.96 (1H, s, NH), 7.43 (1H, s, NH), 7.22 (1H, s, NH), 6.65 (1H, d, *J* = 9.3, NH_{Ala}), 6.54 (1H, s, NH), 6.38-6.33 (1H, dd, *J* = 7.4 and 2.2, NH_{Aibu}), 6.13 (1H, t, *J* = 6.0, NH_{Ala}), 6.00 (1H, s, NH), 5.83 (1H, d, *J* = 10.1, NH_{Val}), 5.78 (1H, dd, *J* = 8.6 and 3.6, NH_{Val}), 3.95-3.71 (1H, m, NCH_{Ala}), 3.88 (1H, dd, *J* = 17.4 and 6.7, NCH_ACH_{BGly}), 3.77 (1H, dd, *J* = 17.4 and 6.0, NCH_ACH_{BGly}), 3.71-3.50 (3H, m, NCH_AH_{BAibu}, NCH_AH_{BVal} and NCH_{Val}), 3.42-3.33 (2H, m, NCH_AH_{BAIla} and NCH_AH_{BAibu}), 2.78-2.68 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BAIla}), 2.54-2.43 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BVal}), 1.76-1.59 (1H, m, CH_{Val}), 1.50 (6H, s, 2 x CH₃), 1.46 (18H, s, 3 x CH₃ and C(CH₃)₃), 1.40 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.39 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.38 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.29 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.10 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.10 (3H, d, *J* = 7.0, CH_{3Ala}), 0.96 (3H, d, *J* = 6.9, CH_{3Val}), 0.92 (3H, d, *J* = 6.9, CH_{3Val}). ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 178.1 (C=O), 178.1 (C=O), 178.1 (C=O), 178.0 (C=O), 175.4 (C=O), 161.6 (C=O), 160.3 (C=O), 160.2 (C=O), 158.6 (C=O), 80.2 (C-O), 58.1 (C), 58.0 (C), 57.5 (C), 57.0 (NC_βH_{Val}), 56.2 (C), 54.7 (C), 48.0 (NCH_{2Aibu}), 47.7 (NC_βH_{Ala}), 47.5 (NC_αH_{2Ala}), 44.2 (NC_αH_{2Val}), 43.7 (NCH_{2Gly}), 31.8 (NC_γH_{Val}), 28.7 (C(CH₃)₃), 26.9 (CH₃), 26.4 (2 x CH₃), 26.0 (CH₃), 25.9 (CH₃), 25.8 (CH₃), 25.5 (CH₃), 25.0 (CH₃), 24.6 (CH₃), 24.5 (CH₃), 19.9 (C_δH_{3Val}), 18.7 (C_δH_{3Val}), 18.5 (C_γH_{3Ala}). IR (film, cm⁻¹): ν_{max} = 3312, 2974, 2944, 1649, 1540; [α]_D²⁰ = + 33.0 (c = 1.00; MeOH); **Mp**: 128-130 °C; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): *m/z* calcd for C₃₈H₇₃O₁₀N₁₂ [M+H]⁺ 857.5567, found 857.5559.

GlyNH₂-Aib₄-(Aib^u)_{rev}-(Val^u)_{rev}-(Ala^u)_{rev}-(Leu^u)_{rev}-NH₂Boc 4c

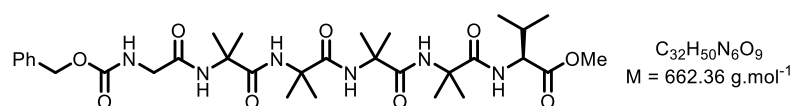
4c was prepared from **4b** (240 mg, 0.28 mmol), **Ca** (100 mg, 0.28 mmol) and DIPEA (109 μ L, 0.84 mmol) as described in the general procedure B. The pure oligomer **4c** (215 mg, 76.8%) was isolated as a white solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 8.38 (1H, s, NH), 8.14 (1H, t, J = 5.2, NH_{Gly}), 8.04 (1H, s, NH), 7.96 (1H, s, NH), 7.46 (1H, s, NH), 7.24 (1H, s, NH), 6.65 (1H, s, NH), 6.62 (1H, d, J = 10.0, NH_{Leu}), 6.43-6.21 (3H, m, NH, NH_{Aib^u} and NH_{Val}), 6.11 (1H, brs, NH_{Leu}), 6.03 (1H, d, J = 8.5, NH_{Ala}), 5.89 (1H, s, NH_{Val}), 5.87 (1H, s, NH_{Ala}), 4.03-3.94 (1H, m, NCH_{Ala}), 3.92-3.69 (2H, m, NCH_{Val} and NCH_{Leu}), 3.89 (1H, dd, J = 17.6 and 6.4, NCH_ACH_{BGly}), 3.75 (1H, dd, J = 16.6 and 4.5, NCH_ACH_{BGly}), 3.69-3.62 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BAib^u}), 3.62-3.50 (2H, m, NCH_AH_{BVal} and NCH_AH_{BAla}), 3.49-3.37 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BLeu}), 2.30-3.21 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BAib^u}), 2.50-2.43 (2H, m, NCH_AH_{BLeu} and NCH_AH_{BVal}), 2.42-2.33 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BAla}), 1.73-1.57 (2H, m, CH_{Leu} and CH_{Val}), 1.50 (6H, s, 2 x CH₃), 1.46 (12H, s, 1 x CH₃ and C(CH₃)₃), 1.44 (6H, s, 2 x CH₃), 1.39 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.38 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.37 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.30 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.28-1.15 (2H, m, CH_{2Leu}), 1.08 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.06 (3H, d, J = 7.0, CH_{3Ala}), 0.94 (3H, d, J = 10.3, CH_{3Val}), 0.93 (3H, d, J = 6.8, CH_{3Leu}), 0.89 (3H, d, J = 6.6, CH_{3Val}), 0.88 (3H, d, J = 7.0, CH_{3Leu}). ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 178.1 (3 x C=O), 178.0 (2 x C=O), 162.3 (C=O), 160.6 (C=O), 160.5 (C=O), 160.2 (C=O), 159.3 (C=O), 80.1 (C-O), 58.1 (C), 58.0 (C), 57.5 (C), 56.9 (C), 55.5 (NC β H_{Val}), 53.8 (C), 49.7 (NC β H_{Leu}), 48.5 (NC β H_{2Ala}), 47.9 (NCH₂Aib^u), 46.8 (NC β H_{2Leu}), 46.8 (NC β H_{Ala}), 43.9 (NCH₂Gly), 43.8 (NC β H_{2Val}), 42.1 (C β H_{2Leu}), 31.8 (NC γ H_{Val}), 28.8 (C(CH₃)₃), 27.0 (CH₃), 26.6 (C δ H_{Leu}), 26.2 (3 x CH₃), 26.2 (CH₃), 25.7 (CH₃), 25.4 (CH₃), 24.8 (CH₃), 24.4 (CH₃), 24.2 (CH₃), 23.5 (C δ H_{3Leu}), 22.6 (C δ H_{3Leu}), 19.9 (C δ H_{3Val}), 18.6 (C γ H_{3Ala}), 18.2 (C δ H_{3Val}). IR (film, cm⁻¹): ν_{max} = 3290, 2961, 2938, 1635, 1571; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20}$ = + 38.0 (c = 1.00; MeOH); Mp: 144-146 °C; HRMS (ESI⁺): m/z calcd for C₄₅H₈₇O₁₁N₁₄ [M+H]⁺ 999.6673, found 999.6657.

GlyNH₂-Aib₄-(Aib^u)_{rev}-(Val^u)_{rev}-(Ala^u)_{rev}-(Leu^u)_{rev}-NH(CO)NH₂Pr 4d

4d was prepared from **4c** (107 mg, 0.11 mmol), isopropyl isocyanate (21 μ L, 0.21 mmol) and DIPEA (44.8 μ L, 0.32 mmol) as described in the general procedure C. The pure oligomer **4d** (71 mg, 67.4%)

was isolated as a white solid. $^1\text{H NMR}$ (500 MHz, CD_3OH) δ = 8.38 (1H, s, NH), 8.14 (1H, t, J = 6.2, NH_{Gly}), 8.05 (1H, s, NH), 7.96 (1H, s, NH), 7.43 (1H, s, NH), 7.23 (1H, brs, NH), 6.69 (1H, s, NH), 6.50-6.40 (2H, m, NH_{Val} and NH_{Aibu}), 6.35 (1H, dd, J = 9.2 and 2.0, NH_{Ala}), 6.32-6.22 (2H, m, NH_{Val}), 5.96 (1H, t, J = 6.7, NH_{Leu}), 5.86 (1H, d, J = 9.9, NH_{Ala}), 5.69 (1H, d, J = 7.8, NH_{Ipr}), 5.49 (1H, d, J = 9.5, NH_{Leu}), 4.10-3.94 (2H, m, NCH_{Leu} and NCH_{Ala}), 3.91 (1H, dd, J = 17.5 and 6.7, $\text{NCH}_A\text{CH}_{\text{BGly}}$), 3.78 (1H, oct, J = 6.9, NCH_{Ipr}), 3.77-3.72 (1H, m, NCH_{Val}), 3.74 (1H, dd, J = 17.2 and 5.5, $\text{NCH}_A\text{CH}_{\text{BGly}}$), 3.70-3.64 (1H, m, $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{\text{BAibu}}$), 3.63-3.52 (2H, m, $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{\text{BVal}}$ and $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{\text{BAla}}$), 3.45 (1H, ddd, J = 13.6, 7.4 and 3.4, $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{\text{BLEu}}$), 3.30-3.25 (1H, m, $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{\text{BAibu}}$), 2.56-2.33 (3H, m, $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{\text{BVal}}$, $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{\text{BLEu}}$ and $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{\text{BAla}}$), 1.68 (1H, non, J = 6.9, CH_{Leu}), 1.61 (1H, oct, J = 6.7, CH_{Val}), 1.50 (6H, s, 2 x CH_3), 1.46 (3H, s, CH_3), 1.45 (6H, s, 2 x CH_3), 1.41 (3H, s, CH_3), 1.39 (3H, s, CH_3), 1.38 (3H, s, CH_3), 1.32 (3H, s, CH_3), 1.21 (2H, t, J = 7.4, $\text{CH}_{2\text{Leu}}$), 1.13 (6H, d, J = 6.6, $\text{CH}_{3\text{Ipr}}$), 1.09 (3H, s, CH_3), 1.06 (3H, d, J = 6.9, $\text{CH}_{3\text{Ala}}$), 0.95 (3H, d, J = 8.1, $\text{CH}_{3\text{Val}}$), 0.93 (3H, d, J = 7.2, $\text{CH}_{3\text{Leu}}$), 0.89 (6H, d, J = 6.8, $\text{CH}_{3\text{Val}}$ and $\text{CH}_{3\text{Leu}}$). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (125 MHz, CD_3OH) δ = 178.2 (C=O), 178.1 (C=O), 178.1 (C=O), 178.0 (C=O), 175.4 (C=O), 162.8 (C=O), 160.8 (C=O), 160.5 (C=O), 160.5 (C=O), 160.2 (C=O), 58.1 (C), 58.0 (C), 57.5 (C), 56.9 (C), 55.6 ($\text{NC}_{\beta}\text{H}_{\text{Val}}$), 53.8 (C), 48.5 ($\text{NC}_{\beta}\text{H}_{\text{Leu}}$), 48.5 ($\text{NC}_{\square}\text{H}_{2\text{Ala}}$), 47.8 ($\text{NCH}_{2\text{Aibu}}$), 47.4 ($\text{NC}_{\square}\text{H}_{2\text{Leu}}$), 46.9 ($\text{NC}_{\beta}\text{H}_{\text{Ala}}$), 43.8 ($\text{NC}_{\square}\text{H}_{2\text{Val}}$), 43.8 ($\text{NCH}_{2\text{Gly}}$), 43.1 (NCH_{Ipr}), 42.9 ($\text{C}_{\square}\text{H}_{2\text{Leu}}$), 31.9 ($\text{NC}_{\gamma}\text{H}_{\text{Val}}$), 27.0 (CH_3), 26.7 (2 x CH_3), 26.3 ($\text{C}_{\delta}\text{H}_{\text{Leu}}$), 26.2 (2 x CH_3), 25.7 (CH_3), 25.4 (CH_3), 24.8 (CH_3), 24.3 (CH_3), 24.1 (CH_3), 23.6 ($\text{C}_{\delta}\text{H}_{3\text{Leu}}$), 23.5 ($\text{C}_{\delta}\text{H}_{3\text{Leu}}$), 23.5 ($\text{C}_{\delta}\text{H}_{3\text{Leu}}$), 22.5 ($\text{C}_{\delta}\text{H}_{3\text{Leu}}$), 19.9 ($\text{C}_{\delta}\text{H}_{3\text{Val}}$), 18.9 ($\text{C}_{\gamma}\text{H}_{3\text{Ala}}$), 18.4 ($\text{C}_{\delta}\text{H}_{3\text{Val}}$). IR (film, cm^{-1}): ν_{max} = 3310, 2972, 1640, 1563; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20}$ = + 28 (c = 1.00; MeOH); **Mp**: >200 °C; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): m/z calcd for $\text{C}_{44}\text{H}_{86}\text{O}_{10}\text{N}_{15}$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 984.6677, found 984.6661.

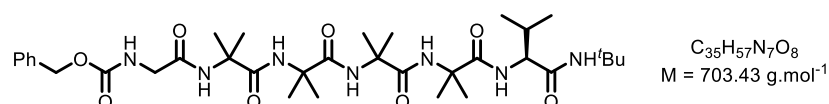
Cbz-GlyAib₄ValOMe 6a



Cbz-GlyAib₄OH (71 mg, 0.13 mmol) and HOBT hydrate (27 mg, 0.16 mmol) were dissolved in CH_2Cl_2 (6 mL) and the solution cooled to 0 °C. EDC (22 μL , 0.13 mmol) was added and the reaction mixture was allowed to warm to room temperature and stirred for 2 h. L-Valine methyl ester hydrochloride (169 mg, 1.01 mmol) and NEt_3 (0.20 mL, 1.46 mmol) were added and the solution stirred for 48 h. The solution was then diluted with CH_2Cl_2 (15 mL) and the organic phase washed with HCl (1 M, 2 x 10 mL), NaHCO_3 (sat., 2 x 10 mL) and brine (1 x 10 mL). The organic phase was then dried (MgSO_4), filtered and concentrated to give a white solid, which was purified by column chromatography (1-5% MeOH in CH_2Cl_2) to give the pure peptide (56 mg, 73%) as a white solid. $^1\text{H-NMR}$ (500 MHz, CD_3OD) δ_{H} 7.83 (1H, br s, NH), 7.75 (1H, br s, NH), 7.74 (1H, br s, NH), 7.73 (1H, br s, NH), 7.72 (1H, br s, NH), 7.36 (5H, m, ArCH x5), 5.13 (1H, d, J =12.5, CH_2O , H^{A} of AB system),

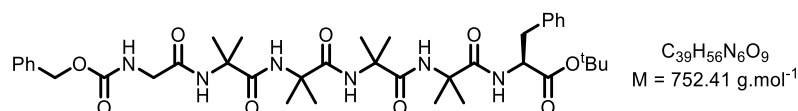
5.10 (1H, d, $J=12.5$, CH₂O, H^B of AB system), 4.22 (1H, m, CH), 3.77 (1H, d, $J=17.0$ Hz, CH₂-NH, H^A of AB system), 3.70 (1H, d, $J=18.0$, CH₂-NH, H^B of AB system), 3.68 (3H, s, OCH₃), 2.26 (1H, dq, $J=7.0, 7.0, 7.0$ Hz, CH-(CH₃)₂), 1.50 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.48 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.43 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.42 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.42 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.40 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.40 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.39 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.02 (3H, d, $J=7.0$, CH₃-CH), 0.97 (3H, d, $J=7.0$, CH₃-CH). ¹³C-NMR (126 MHz, CD₃OD) δ_C 178.0 (CO), 177.1 (CO), 176.8 (CO), 176.6 (CO), 173.7 (CO), 172.3 (CO), 159.5 (CO (Cbz)), 138.2 (ArC) 129.7 (ArCH), 129.5 (ArCH), 128.9 (ArCH), 67.9 (CH₂O), 60.3 (CH-NH), 58.2 (°C), 57.97 (°C), 58.02 (°C), 57.7 (°C), 52.4 (OCH₃), 45.4 (CH₂-NH), 31.6 (CH), 27.0 (CH₃), 26.5 (CH₃), 26.1 (CH₃), 25.8 (CH₃), 25.1 (CH₃), 24.9 (CH₃), 24.8 (CH₃), 19.8 (CH₃-CH), 19.4 (CH₃-CH). IR (neat) ν_{max}/cm⁻¹ = 3324, 2985, 2476, 1658. [α]_D²⁰ -23.6 (c 1.0, MeOH). Mp 209-210 °C. HRMS (ES⁺, MeOH) Calc. for C₃₂H₅₁N₆O₉ ([M+H]⁺) = 663.3718, found 663.3701.

Cbz-GlyAib₄ValNH^tBu 6b



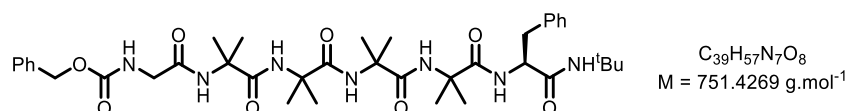
Cbz-Gly-Aib₄-OH (43 mg, 0.078 mmol) and HOBT hydrate (18 mg, 0.104 mmol) were dissolved in CH₂Cl₂ (4 mL) and the solution cooled to 0 °C. EDC (14 μL, 0.08 mmol) was added and the reaction mixture was allowed to warm to room temperature and stirred for 1.5 h. L-ValNH^tBu (35 mg, 0.2 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (1 mL) and NEt₃ (42 μL, 0.3 mmol) were added and the solution stirred for 48 h. The solution was then diluted with CH₂Cl₂ (15 mL) and the organic phase washed with KHSO₄ (5%, 2 x 10 mL), NaHCO₃ (sat., 2 x 10 mL) and brine (1 x 10 mL). The organic phase was then dried (MgSO₄), filtered and concentrated and the crude residue was purified by column chromatography (5% MeOH in CH₂Cl₂) to give the pure peptide (18 mg, 33%) as a white solid. ¹H-NMR (500 MHz, CD₃OD) δ_H 7.29-7.37 (5H, m, ArCH x5), 7.08 (1H, br s, NH), 5.14 (1H, d, $J=12.5$, CH₂O, H^A of AB system), 5.09 (1H, d, $J=12.5$, CH₂O, H^B of AB system), 3.99 (1H, d, $J=6.0$, CH), 3.80 (1H, d, $J=18.0$, CH₂-NH, H^A of AB system), 3.68 (1H, d, $J=17.0$, CH₂-NH, H^B of AB system), 2.33 (1H, dq, $J=7.0, 7.0, 6.5$, CH-(CH₃)₂), 1.49 (6H, s, AibCH₃ x2), 1.44 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.41 (9H, m, CH₃ x3), 1.39 (6H, s, AibCH₃ x2), 1.37 (9H, s, C(CH₃)₃). ¹³C-NMR (126 MHz, CD₃OD) δ_C 178.1 (CO), 177.2 (CO), 177.1 (CO), 176.7 (CO), 173.5 (CO), 172.3 (CO), 159.6 (CO (Cbz)), 138.3 (ArC), 129.7 (ArCH), 129.3 (ArCH), 128.9 (ArCH), 68.0 (CH₂O), 62.0 (CH-NH), 58.1 (°C), 57.92 (°C), 57.88 (°C) 57.7 (°C), 52.6 (CMe₃), 45.5 (CH₂-NH), 31.0 (CH-(CH₃)₂), 29.2 (C(CH₃)₃), 28.0 (CH₃), 27.2 (CH₃), 26.9 (CH₃), 26.4 (CH₃), 24.3 (CH₃), 24.2 (CH₃), 24.1 (CH₃), 19.9 (CH₃-CH), 18.5 (CH₃-CH). IR (neat) ν_{max}/cm⁻¹ = 3305, 2976, 2474, 1644. [α]_D²⁰ +14.1 (c 0.5, MeOH). Mp 124-126 °C. HRMS (ES⁺, MeOH) Calc. for C₃₅H₅₇N₇NaO₈ ([M+Na]⁺) = 726.4166, found 726.4164.

Cbz-GlyAib₄PheO^tBu 6c



Cbz-Gly-Aib₄-OH (62 mg, 0.113 mmol) and HOBt hydrate (26 mg, 0.147 mmol) were dissolved in CH₂Cl₂ (5 mL) and the solution cooled to 0 °C. EDC (20 μL, 0.113 mmol) was added and the reaction mixture was allowed to warm to room temperature and stirred for 1.5 h. L-PheO^tBu.HCl (117 mg, 0.45 mmol) and NEt₃ (95 μL, 0.88 mmol) were added and the solution stirred for 48 h. The solution was diluted with CH₂Cl₂ (15 mL) and the organic phase washed with KHSO₄ (5%, 2 x 10 mL), NaHCO₃ (sat., 2 x 10 mL), brine (1 x 10 mL). The organic phase was then dried (MgSO₄), filtered and concentrated and the crude residue purified by column chromatography (5% MeOH in CH₂Cl₂) to give the pure peptide (58 mg, 68%) as a white solid. ¹H-NMR (500 MHz, CD₃OD) δ_H 7.29 (10H, m, ArCH x10), 5.13 (1H, d, *J*=12.5, CH₂O, H^A of AB system), 5.10 (1H, d, *J*=12.5, CH₂O, H^B of AB system), 4.44 (1H, dd, *J*=7.5, 7.5 Hz, CH), 3.77 (1H, d, *J*=16.5, CH₂-NH, H^A of AB system), 3.70 (1H, d, *J*=16.5, CH₂-NH, H^B of AB system), 3.15 (1H, dd, *J*=14.0, 7.5, CH₂-Ph), 3.09 (1H, dd, *J*=14.0, 7.0, CH₂-Ph) 1.50 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.46 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.44 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.43 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.42 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.41 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.41 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.40 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.35 (9H, s, C(CH₃)₃). ¹³C-NMR (126 MHz, CD₃OD) δ_C 177.6 (CO), 177.2 (CO), 176.9 (CO), 176.5 (CO), 172.4 (CO), 172.3 (CO), 159.5 (CO (Cbz)), 139.0 (ArC), 138.3 (ArC), 130.7 (ArCH), 129.7 (ArCH), 129.4 (ArCH), 129.3 (ArCH), 128.9 (ArCH), 127.7 (ArCH), 82.5 (CMe₃), 67.9 (CH₂O), 58.14 (°C), 58.10 (°C), 57.9 (°C), 57.7 (°C), 56.9 (°C), 45.4 (CH₂-NH), 38.6 (CH₂-Ph), 28.3 (C(CH₃)₃), 27.0 (CH₃), 26.6 (CH₃), 26.1 (CH₃), 25.8 (CH₃), 25.0 (CH₃), 24.9 (CH₃), 24.8 (CH₃). IR (neat) ν_{max}/cm⁻¹ = 3306, 2982, 2934, 1709, 1651. [α]_D²⁰ -12.0 (c 1.0, MeOH). Mp 200-202 °C. HRMS (ES⁺, MeOH) Calc. for C₃₉H₅₇N₆O₉Na ([M+Na]⁺) = 753.4182, found 753.4178.

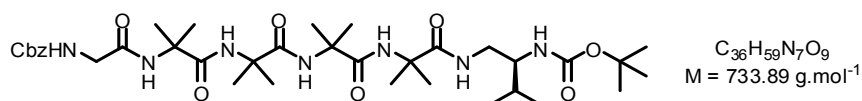
Cbz-GlyAib₄PheNH^tBu 6d



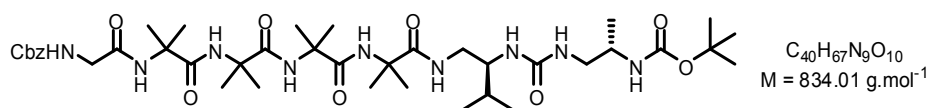
Cbz-Gly-Aib₄-OH (75 mg, 0.136 mmol) and HOBt hydrate (31 mg, 0.177 mmol) were dissolved in CH₂Cl₂ (5 mL) and the solution cooled to 0 °C. EDC (24 μL, 0.136 mmol) was added and the reaction mixture was allowed to warm to room temperature and stirred for 1.5 h. H-PheNH^tBu (75 mg, 0.34 mmol) and NEt₃ (71 μL, 0.51 mmol) were added and the solution stirred for 48 h. The solution was diluted with CH₂Cl₂ (15 mL) and the organic phase washed with KHSO₄ (5%, 2 x 10 mL), NaHCO₃ (sat., 2 x 10 mL), brine (1 x 10 mL). The organic phase was then dried (MgSO₄), filtered and concentrated.

The crude residue was purified by column chromatography (2-5% MeOH in CH₂Cl₂) to give the pure peptide (89 mg, 87%) as a white solid. ¹H-NMR (500 MHz, CD₃OD) δ_H 7.13-7.38 (10H, m, ArCH x10), 5.14 (1H, d, *J*=12.5, CH₂O, H^A of AB system), 5.09 (1H, d, *J*=12.5, CH₂O, H^B of AB system), 4.37 (1H, dd, *J*=11.5, 3.0, CH-NH), 3.80 (1H, d, *J*=16.5, CH₂-NH, H^A of AB system), 3.69 (1H, d, *J*=16.5, CH₂-NH, H^B of AB system), 3.41 (1H, m, CH₂-Ph), 2.92 (1H, m, CH₂-Ph), 1.37-1.46 (30H, m, CH₃ x7 and C(CH₃)₃), 1.18 (3H, s, CH₃). ¹³C-NMR (126 MHz, CD₃OD) δ_C 177.8 (CO), 177.6 (CO), 177.4 (CO), 176.6 (CO), 173.4 (CO), 172.3 (CO), 159.6 (CO (Cbz)), 140.0 (ArC), 138.8 (ArC), 130.3 (ArCH), 129.7 (ArCH), 129.4 (ArCH), 129.3 (ArCH), 128.9 (ArCH), 127.6 (ArCH), 68.0 (CH₂O), 58.1 (°C), 57.9 (°C), 57.6 (°C), 57.5 (CH-NH), 52.8 (CMe₃), 45.4 (CH₂-NH), 38.2 (CH₂-Ph), 29.2 (C(CH₃)₃), 27.4 (CH₃), 27.2 (CH₃), 26.9 (CH₃), 26.4 (CH₃), 24.3 (CH₃), 23.9 (CH₃). IR (neat) ν_{max}/cm⁻¹ = 3303, 2983, 2936, 1729, 1651, 1530, 1455. [α]_D²⁰ +12.0 (c 1.0, MeOH). Mp 122-124 °C. HRMS (ES⁺, MeOH) Calc. for C₃₉H₅₇N₆O₉Na ([M+Na]⁺) = 751.4269, found 751.4277.

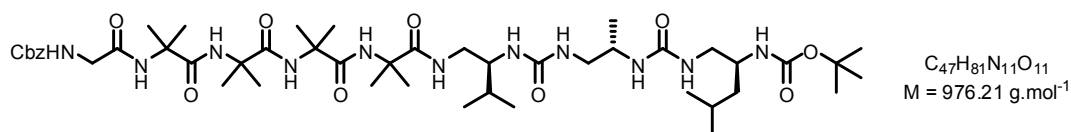
CbzGly-Aib₄-(Val^u)_{rev}-NHBoc 7a



7a was prepared from CbzGly-Aib-OH (480 mg, 0.87 mmol), HOBt (173 mg, 1.13 mmol), EDC (169 μL, 0.96 mmol), DIPEA (223 μL, 1.31 mmol) and an amine (265 mg, 1.31 mmol)¹ as described in the general procedure A. The pure oligomer **7a** (422 mg, 70%) was isolated as a white solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 7.86 (1H, s, NH), 7.76 (1H, s, NH), 7.70 (1H, s, NH), 7.61 (1H, s, NH), 7.50 (1H, s, NH_{Val}), 7.38-7.24 (5H, m, 5 x =CH_{Ar}), 6.62 (1H, d, *J* = 10.1, NH_{Val}), 6.05 (1H, d, *J* = 8.2, NH), 5.11 (2H, s, OCH₂), 3.75 (1H, d, *J* = 17.8, A part of AB pattern, NCH_AH_{BGly}), 3.72 (1H, d, *J* = 17.1, B part of AB pattern, NCH_AH_{BVal}), 3.63-3.52 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BVal}), 3.48-3.39 (1H, m, NCH_{Val}), 3.17-3.06 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BVal}), 1.85 (1H, oct, *J* = 7.5, CH_{Val}), 1.51-1.31 (33H, m, 8 x CH₃ and C(CH₃)₃), 0.90 (3H, d, *J* = 7.0, CH_{3Val}), 0.89 (3H, d, *J* = 7.1, CH_{3Val}). ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 177.8 (C=O), 177.6 (C=O), 176.6 (C=O), 176.4 (C=O), 172.1 (C=O), 159.3 (C=O), 158.1 (C=O), 138.1 (=C_{Ar}), 129.4 (2 x =CH_{Ar}), 129.0 (=CH_{Ar}), 128.6 (2 x =CH_{Ar}), 79.7 (C-O), 67.7 (OCH₂), 58.3 (C), 58.0 (C), 57.8 (C), 57.5 (C), 57.1 (NC_βH_{Val}), 45.2 (NCH_{2Gly}), 42.5 (NC_αH_{2Val}), 30.4 (NC_γH_{Val}), 28.7 (C(CH₃)₃), 26.2 (CH₃), 25.6 (CH₃), 25.5 (CH₃), 25.2 (2 x CH₃), 24.9 (CH₃), 19.9 (C_δH_{3Val}), 19.2 (C_δH_{3Val}). IR (film, cm⁻¹): ν_{max} = 3344, 2965, 2930, 2907, 1632, 1571; [α]_D²⁰ = -76 (c = 1.00; MeOH); Mp: 89-91 °C; HRMS (ESI⁺): *m/z* calcd for C₃₆H₆₀N₇O₉ [M+H]⁺ 734.4447, found 734.4446.

CbzGly-Aib₄-(Val^u)_{rev}-(Ala^u)_{rev}-NH₂Boc **7b**

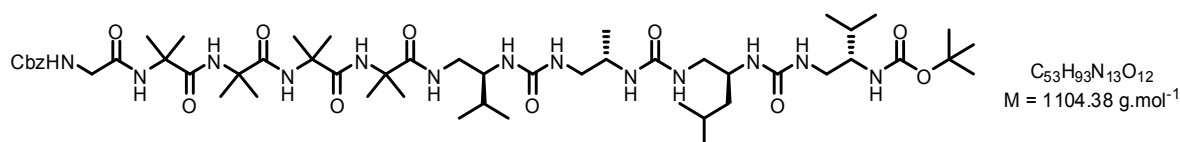
7b was prepared from **7a** (385 mg, 0.52 mmol), **Cb** (164 mg, 0.52 mmol) and DIPEA (172 μ L, 1.57 mmol) as described in the general procedure B. The pure oligomer **7b** (300 mg, 69.2%) was isolated as a white solid. $^1\text{H NMR}$ (500 MHz, CD_3OH) $\delta = 7.79$ (1H, s, NH), 7.74 (1H, s, NH), 7.72 (1H, s, NH), 7.47 (1H, t, $J = 5.4$, NH_{Val}), 7.38-7.26 (5H, m, $5 \times =\text{CH}_{\text{Ar}}$), 6.46 (1H, d, $J = 7.0$, NH_{Ala}), 5.94-5.87 (2H, m, NH_{Val} and NH_{Ala}), 5.10 (2H, s, OCH_2), 3.75 (1H, d, $J = 17.0$, A part of AB pattern, $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{\text{BGly}}$), 3.72 (1H, d, $J = 17.3$, B part of AB pattern, $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{\text{BGly}}$), 3.67-3.52 (2H, m, NCH_{Val} and NCH_{Ala}), 3.41-3.33 (1H, m, $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{\text{BVal}}$), 3.32-3.23 (1H, m, $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{\text{BVal}}$), 3.17-3.05 (2H, m, NCH_2Ala), 1.88 (1H, oct, $J = 6.7$, CH_{Val}), 1.50-1.35 (33H, m, $8 \times \text{CH}_3$ and $\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3$), 1.07 (3H, d, $J = 6.7$, CH_3Ala), 0.93 (3H, d, $J = 6.8$, CH_3Val), 0.90 (3H, d, $J = 6.9$, CH_3Val). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (125 MHz, CD_3OH) $\delta = 177.8$ (C=O), 177.4 (C=O), 176.8 (C=O), 176.5 (C=O), 172.1 (C=O), 161.0 (C=O), 159.3 (C=O), 157.9 (C=O), 138.0 ($=\text{C}_{\text{Ar}}$), 129.4 ($2 \times =\text{CH}_{\text{Ar}}$), 129.0 ($=\text{CH}_{\text{Ar}}$), 128.6 ($2 \times =\text{CH}_{\text{Ar}}$), 79.8 (C-O), 67.7 (OCH_2), 58.2 (C), 57.9 (C), 57.8 (C), 57.6 (C), 56.2 ($\text{NC}_{\beta}\text{H}_{\text{Val}}$), 48.5 ($\text{NC}_{\beta}\text{H}_{\text{Ala}}$), 46.0 ($\text{NC}_{\alpha}\text{H}_2\text{Ala}$), 45.2 (NCH_2Gly), 42.4 ($\text{NC}_{\alpha}\text{H}_2\text{Val}$), 30.4 ($\text{NC}_{\gamma}\text{H}_{\text{Val}}$), 28.7 ($\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3$), 26.2 (CH_3), 25.6 (CH_3), 25.4 (CH_3), 25.2 ($2 \times \text{CH}_3$), 25.0 (CH_3), 20.1 ($\text{C}_{\delta}\text{H}_3\text{Val}$), 18.6 ($\text{C}_{\delta}\text{H}_3\text{Val}$), 18.5 ($\text{C}_{\delta}\text{H}_3\text{Ala}$). IR (film, cm^{-1}): $\nu_{\text{max}} = 3309, 2977, 2938, 1656, 1537$; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = -124$ ($c = 1.00$; MeOH); **Mp**: 129-131 $^{\circ}\text{C}$; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): m/z calcd for $\text{C}_{40}\text{H}_{68}\text{N}_9\text{O}_{10}$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 834.5084, found 834.5083.

CbzGly-Aib₄-(Val^u)_{rev}-(Ala^u)_{rev}-(Leu^u)_{rev}-NH₂Boc **7c**

7c was prepared from **7b** (250 mg, 0.30 mmol), **Ca** (107 mg, 0.30 mmol) and DIPEA (153 μ L, 0.90 mmol) as described in the general procedure B. The pure oligomer **7c** (249 mg, 85.1%) was isolated as a white solid. $^1\text{H NMR}$ (500 MHz, CD_3OH) $\delta = 8.34$ (1H, s, NH), 7.77 (1H, s, NH), 7.74 (1H, s, NH), 7.52 (1H, t, $J = 5.4$, NH_{Val}), 7.42 (1H, s, NH), 7.37-7.26 (5H, m, $5 \times =\text{CH}_{\text{Ar}}$), 6.36 (1H, d, $J = 6.8$, NH_{Leu}), 5.98-5.87 (3H, m, NH_{Leu} , NH_{Ala} and NH_{Ala}), 5.81 (1H, d, $J = 6.8$, NH_{Val}), 5.10 (2H, s, OCH_2), 3.76 (1H, d, $J = 15.4$, A part of AB pattern, $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{\text{BGly}}$), 3.71 (1H, d, $J = 16.9$, B part of AB pattern, $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{\text{BGly}}$), 3.77-3.68 (1H, m, NCH_{Ala}), 3.66-3.52 (2H, m, NCH_{Val} and NCH_{Leu}), 3.51-3.39 (1H, m, $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{\text{BVal}}$), 3.32-3.22 (2H, m, $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{\text{BVal}}$ and $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{\text{BAla}}$), 3.20-3.16 (1H, m, $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{\text{BLeu}}$), 3.07-2.97 (2H, m, $\text{NCH}_A\text{H}_{\text{BLeu}}$ and

$NCH_{\alpha}H_{\beta}Ala$), 1.90 (1H, oct, $J = 7.0$, CH_{Val}), 1.65 (1H, non, $J = 7.1$, CH_{Leu}), 1.50-1.35 (33H, m, 8 x CH_3 and $C(CH_3)_3$), 1.34-1.28 (1H, m, $CH_{\alpha}H_{\beta}Leu$), 1.24-1.19 (1H, m, $CH_{\alpha}H_{\beta}Leu$), 1.08 (3H, d, $J = 6.8$, CH_{3Ala}), 0.93 (3H, d, $J = 6.8$, CH_{3Val}), 0.92 (3H, d, $J = 7.2$, CH_{3Leu}), 0.90 (3H, d, $J = 7.6$, CH_{3Leu}), 0.89 (3H, d, $J = 6.8$, CH_{3Val}). ^{13}C NMR (125 MHz, CD_3OH) $\delta = 177.9$ (C=O), 177.3 (C=O), 176.9 (C=O), 176.5 (C=O), 172.2 (C=O), 161.0 (C=O), 160.8 (C=O), 159.3 (C=O), 158.2 (C=O), 138.0 (=C_{Ar}), 129.4 (2 x =CH_{Ar}), 129.0 (=CH_{Ar}), 128.6 (2 x =CH_{Ar}), 79.7 (C-O), 67.7 (OCH₂), 58.2 (C), 57.9 (C), 57.8 (C), 57.6 (C), 56.3 (NC β H_{Val}), 50.5 (NC β H_{Leu}), 47.5 (NC β H_{Ala}), 46.3 (NC \square H_{2Ala}), 45.5 (NC \square H_{2Leu}), 45.3 (NCH_{2Gly}), 42.6 (C \square H_{2Leu}), 41.9 (NC \square H_{2Val}), 30.0 (C γ H_{Val}), 28.7 (C(CH₃)₃), 26.5 (CH₃), 25.9 (C δ H_{Leu}), 25.6 (CH₃), 25.4 (CH₃), 25.0 (CH₃), 24.9 (2 x CH₃), 23.5 (C δ H_{3Leu}), 22.4 (C δ H_{3Leu}), 20.2 (C δ H_{3Val}), 19.0 (C δ H_{3Ala}), 18.6 (C δ H_{3Val}). IR (film, cm^{-1}): $\nu_{max} = 3304, 2932, 2873, 1655, 1536$; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -14$ (c = 1.00; MeOH); **mp**: 135-136 °C; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): m/z calcd for $C_{47}H_{82}N_{11}O_{11}$ [M+H]⁺ 976.6190, found 976.6189.

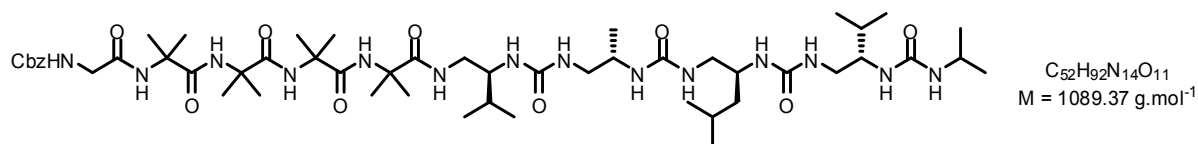
CbzGly-(Val^u)_{rev}-(Ala^u)_{rev}-(Leu^u)_{rev}-(Val^u)_{rev}-NH_{Boc} **7d**



7d was prepared from **7c** (150 mg, 0.15 mmol), **Cc** (53 mg, 0.15 mmol) and DIPEA (79 μ L, 0.46 mmol) as described in the general procedure B. The pure oligomer **7d** (40 mg, 21.6%) was isolated as a white solid. 1H NMR (500 MHz, CD_3OH) $\delta = 8.35$ (1H, s, NH), 7.80-7.70 (3H, m, NH), 7.62 (1H, t, $J = 5.4$, NH_{Val}), 7.52 (1H, s, NH), 7.43 (1H, t, $J = 5.4$, NH_{Gly}), 7.42 (1H, s, NH), 7.39-7.28 (5H, m, 5 x =CH_{Ar}), 6.44 (1H, d, $J = 6.8$, NH_{Leu}), 6.27 (1H, s, NH_{Ala}), 6.10-5.75 (4H, m, NH_{Val} , NH_{Leu} , NH_{Val} and NH_{Ala}), 5.12 (2H, s, OCH₂), 3.96-3.37 (8H, m, NCH_{Val} , NCH_{Leu} , NCH_{Ala} , $NCH_{\alpha}H_{\beta}Val$, $NCH_{\alpha}H_{\beta}Val$, $NCH_{\alpha}H_{\beta}Ala$ and $NCH_{\alpha}H_{\beta}Leu$), 3.78 (1H, d, $J = 19.4$, A part of AB pattern, $NCH_{\alpha}H_{\beta}Gly$), 3.78 (1H, d, $J = 19.8$, B part of AB pattern, $NCH_{\alpha}H_{\beta}Gly$), 3.28-3.11 (1H, m, $NCH_{\alpha}H_{\beta}Val$), 2.99-2.47 (3H, m, $NCH_{\alpha}H_{\beta}Val$, $NCH_{\alpha}H_{\beta}Ala$ and $NCH_{\alpha}H_{\beta}Leu$), 1.95 (1H, oct, $J = 7.0$, CH_{Val}), 1.75-1.62 (2H, m, CH_{Val} and CH_{Leu}), 1.52-1.35 (35H, m, 8 x CH_3 and $C(CH_3)_3$ and CH_{2Leu}), 1.09 (3H, d, $J = 6.8$, CH_{3Ala}), 0.98-0.86 (18H, m, 4 x CH_{3Val} and 2 x CH_{3Leu}). ^{13}C NMR (125 MHz, CD_3OH) $\delta = 178.0$ (C=O), 177.3 (C=O), 177.0 (C=O), 176.6 (C=O), 175.0 (C=O), 172.3 (C=O), 161.1 (C=O), 161.0 (C=O), 159.4 (C=O), 159.1 (C=O), 138.2 (=C_{Ar}), 129.6 (2 x =CH_{Ar}), 129.1 (=CH_{Ar}), 128.8 (2 x =CH_{Ar}), 80.0 (C-O), 67.8 (OCH₂), 58.3 (C), 58.0 (C), 57.9 (C), 57.7 (C and NC β H_{Val}), 56.1 (NC β H_{Val}), 49.5 (NC β H_{Leu}), 47.4 (NC β H_{Ala}), 46.6 (NC \square H_{2Leu}), 46.5 (NC \square H_{2Ala}), 45.4 (NCH_{2Gly}), 43.4 (NC \square H_{2Val}), 43.0 (C \square H_{2Leu}), 42.3 (NC \square H_{2Val}), 31.9 (C γ H_{Val}), 29.7 (C γ H_{Val}), 28.9 (C(CH₃)₃), 26.6 (CH₃), 26.1 (C δ H_{Leu}), 26.0 (CH₃), 25.6 (CH₃), 25.5 (CH₃), 25.1 (2 x CH₃), 23.8 (C δ H_{3Leu}), 22.6 (C δ H_{3Leu}), 20.6 (C δ H_{3Val}), 20.1 (C δ H_{3Val}),

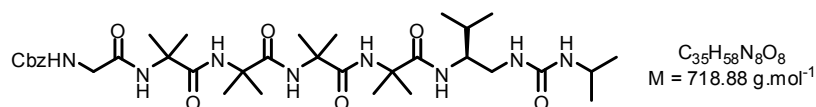
19.2 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Ala}$), 18.8 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Val}$), 18.1 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Val}$). IR (film, cm^{-1}): ν_{max} = 3312, 2945, 1649, 1528; $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ = -16 (c = 1.00; MeOH); **Mp**: 159-161 °C; **HRMS** (ES^+): m/z calcd for $C_{53}H_{93}N_{13}O_{12}Na$ $[M+Na]^+$ 1126.99.

CbzGly-Aib₄-(Val^u)_{rev}-(Ala^u)_{rev}-(Leu^u)_{rev}-(Val^u)_{rev}-NH(CO)NH*i*Pr **7e**



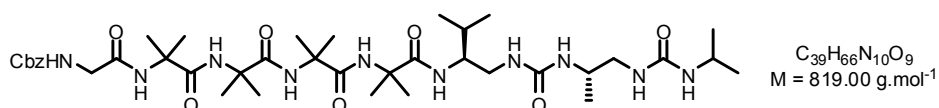
7e was prepared from **7d** (36 mg, 0.03 mmol), isopropyl isocyanate (6.4 μ L, 0.07 mmol) and DIPEA (13.6 μ L, 0.10 mmol) as described in the general procedure C. The pure oligomer **7e** (32 mg, 89.8%) was isolated as a white solid. **¹H NMR** (500 MHz, CD_3OH) δ = 8.34 (1H, s, NH), 7.80-7.70 (3H, m, NH), 7.57 (1H, t, J = 6.5, NH_{Val}), 7.40-7.24 (5H, m, 5 x = CH_{Ar}), 6.16 (1H, s, NH_{Leu}), 6.07 (1H, d, J = 8.8, NH_{Leu}), 6.03-5.96 (1H, d, J = 3.9, NH_{iPr}), 5.96-5.78 (4H, m, NH_{Val} , NH_{Ala} , NH_{Val} and NH_{Ala}), 5.69 (1H, d, J = 9.7, NH_{Val}), 5.11 (2H, s, OCH_2), 3.90-3.66 (3H, m, NCH_{Val} , NCH_{Leu} , NCH_{Val}) 3.76 (1H, d, J = 16.6, A part of AB pattern, NCH_AH_{BGly}), 3.71 (1H, d, J = 16.6, B part of AB pattern, NCH_AH_{BGly}), 3.64-3.38 (6H, m, NCH_AH_{BVal} , NCH_AH_{BVal} , NCH_AH_{BAla} , NCH_AH_{BLeu} , NCH_{Val} , NCH_{iPr}), 3.22-3.11 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BVal}), 2.99-2.88 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BVal}), 2.87-2.77 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BLeu}), 2.76-2.65 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BAla}), 1.93 (1H, oct, J = 6.9, CH_{Val}), 1.77-1.59 (2H, m, CH_{Val} and CH_{Leu}), 1.49 (3H, s, CH_3), 1.48 (3H, s, CH_3), 1.47-1.33 (18H, m, 6 x CH_3 and $C(CH_3)_3$), 1.33-1.14 (2H, m, CH_{2Leu}), 1.11 (6H, d, J =, $NCH(CH_3)_2$), 1.07 (3H, d, J = 6.9, CH_{3Ala}), 0.7-0.86 (18H, m, 4 x CH_{3Val} and 2 x CH_{3Leu}). **¹³C NMR** (125 MHz, CD_3OH) δ = 177.9 (C=O), 177.1 (C=O), 176.9 (C=O), 176.5 (C=O), 175.9 (C=O), 175.7 (C=O), 172.2 (C=O), 161.1 (C=O), 161.0 (C=O), 160.7 (C=O), 159.3 (C=O), 138.1 (=C_{Ar}), 129.4 (2 x =C_{Ar}), 129.0 (=C_{Ar}), 128.6 (2 x =C_{Ar}), 67.7 (OCH_2), 58.2 (C), 57.9 (C), 57.8 (C), 57.6 (C), 56.3 ($NC_{\beta}H_{Val}$), 49.9 ($NC_{\beta}H_{Leu}$), 47.3 ($NC_{\beta}H_{Ala}$), 45.9 ($NC_{\alpha}H_{2Leu}$), 45.7 (NCH_{iPr}), 45.3 ($NC_{\alpha}H_{2Ala}$), 43.3 (NCH_{2Gly}), 42.8 ($NC_{\alpha}H_{2Val}$), 42.7 ($C_{\alpha}H_{2Leu}$), 41.9 ($NC_{\alpha}H_{2Val}$), 31.7 ($C_{\gamma}H_{Val}$), 29.7 ($C_{\gamma}H_{Val}$), 26.6 (CH_3), 25.9 ($C_{\delta}H_{Leu}$), 25.6 (CH_3), 25.4 (CH_3), 25.3 (CH_3), 25.0 (CH_3), 24.8 (CH_3), 23.6 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Leu}$), 23.5 (2 x CH_{3iPr}), 23.5 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Leu}$), 20.4 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Val}$), 20.0 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Val}$), 18.9 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Ala}$), 18.6 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Val}$), 18.4 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Val}$). IR (film, cm^{-1}): ν_{max} = 3316, 2971, 2871, 1643, 1549; $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ = +49.6 (c = 1.00; MeOH); **Mp**: 190-192 °C; **HRMS** (ES^+): m/z calcd for $C_{52}H_{92}N_{14}O_{11}Na$ $[M+H]^+$ 1111.8.

CbzGly-Aib₄-(Val^u)-NH(CO)NH*i*Pr **8a**



8a was prepared from CbzGly-Aib-OH (200 mg, 0.36 mmol), HOBT (72 mg, 0.47 mmol), EDC.HCl (76 mg, 0.40 mmol), DIPEA (92 μ L, 0.55 mmol) and **U1** (250 mg, 0.55 mmol) as described in the general procedure A. The pure oligomer **8a** (176 mg, 68%) was isolated as a white solid. $^1\text{H NMR}$ (500 MHz, CD_3OH) δ = 7.82-7.59 (5H, m, NH), 7.40-7.26 (5H, m, 5 x =CH_{Ar}), 7.24 (1H, d, J = 9.7, CHNH_{Val}), 5.59 (1H, d, J = 8.0, NH_{*i*Pr}), 5.54 (1H, d, J = 6.5, CH₂NH_{Val}), 5.14 (1H, d, J = 12.6, A part of AB pattern, OCH_AH_B), 5.08 (1H, d, J = 12.6, B part of AB pattern, OCH_AH_B), 3.80 (1H, d, J = 16.5, A part of AB pattern, NCH_AH_{BGly}), 3.67 (1H, d, J = 16.8, B part of AB pattern, NCH_AH_{BGly}), 3.89-3.56 (3H, m, NCH_{*i*Pr}, NCH_AH_{BVal} and NCH_{Val}), 3.07-2.93 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BVal}), 1.75 (1H, oct, J = 6.94, CH_{Val}), 1.54-1.47 (6H, m, 2 x CH₃), 1.46-1.30 (18H, m, 6 x CH₃), 1.12 (3H, d, J = 6.7, CH_{3*i*Pr}), 1.10 (3H, d, J = 6.8, CH_{3*i*Pr}), 0.95 (3H, d, J = 6.9, CH_{3Val}), 0.92 (3H, d, J = 6.9, CH_{3Val}). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (125 MHz, CD_3OH) δ = 177.7 (C=O), 177.5 (C=O), 177.3 (C=O), 176.6 (C=O), 172.2 (C=O), 160.4 (C=O), 159.3 (C=O), 138.0 (=C_{Ar}), 129.4 (2 x =CH_{Ar}), 129.0 (=CH_{Ar}), 128.6 (2 x =CH_{Ar}), 67.7 (OCH₂), 58.4 (C), 57.8 (C), 57.7 (C), 57.6 (C), 56.7 (NC _{β} H_{Val}), 45.3 (NCH_{2Gly}), 42.9 (NCH_{*i*Pr}), 42.5 (NC _{α} H_{2Val}), 32.1 (NC _{γ} H_{Val}), 27.2 (CH₃), 26.9 (CH₃), 26.5 (CH₃), 26.2 (CH₃), 25.1 (CH₃), 24.0 (CH₃), 23.9 (CH₃), 23.7 (CH₃), 23.5 (CH_{*i*Pr}), 23.4 (CH_{*i*Pr}), 19.9 (C _{δ} H_{3Val}), 19.0 (C _{δ} H_{3Val}). IR (film, cm^{-1}): ν_{max} = 3304, 2975, 2937, 2873, 1645, 1530; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20}$ = +27.6 (c = 1.00; MeOH); **Mp**: 120-122 °C; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): m/z calcd for $C_{35}H_{59}N_8O_8$ [M+H]⁺ 719.4456, found 719.4427.

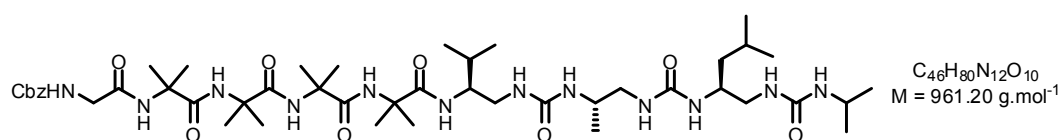
CbzGly-Aib₄-Val^u-Ala^u-NH(CO)NH*i*Pr **8b**



8b was prepared from CbzGly-Aib-OH (200 mg, 0.36 mmol), HOBT (72 mg, 0.47 mmol), EDC.HCl (76 mg, 0.40 mmol), DIPEA (92 μ L, 0.55 mmol) and **U4** (300 mg, 0.55 mmol) as described in the general procedure A. The pure oligomer **8b** (177 mg, 60%) was isolated as a white solid. $^1\text{H NMR}$ (500 MHz, CD_3OH) δ = 7.86 (2H, s, NH), 7.80 (2H, s, NH), 7.78 (1H, brs, NH), 7.42-7.25 (5H, m, 5 x =CH_{Ar}), 7.16 (1H, d, J = 10.1, NH_{Val}), 6.07 (1H, d, J = 7.9, NH_{*i*Pr}), 5.88 (1H, dd, J = 7.9 and 3.4, NH_{Ala}), 5.61 (1H, s, NH_{Ala}), 5.59 (1H, s, NH_{Val}), 5.15 (1H, d, J = 12.6, A part of AB pattern, OCH_AH_B), 5.08 (1H, d, J = 12.5, B part of AB pattern, OCH_AH_B), 3.98-3.76 (3H, m, NCH_{*i*Pr}, NCH_{Val} and NCH_{Ala}), 3.81 (1H, d, J = 16.7, A part

of AB pattern, NCH_AH_{BGly} , 3.67 (1H, d, $J = 16.3$, B part of AB pattern, NCH_AH_{BGly}), 3.72-3.59 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BVal}), 3.47 (1H, ddd, $J = 13.2$, 8.1 and 4.1, NCH_AH_{BAIa}), 2.84 (1H, ddd, $J = 14.2$, 11.3 and 3.2, NCH_AH_{BVal}), 2.70 (1H, ddd, $J = 13.4$, 9.4 and 3.6, NCH_AH_{BAIa}), 1.73 (1H, oct, $J = 6.9$, CH_{Val}), 1.52 (3H, m, CH_3), 1.50 (3H, m, CH_3), 1.47-1.32 (18H, m, 6 x CH_3), 1.13 (3H, d, $J = 6.6$, CH_{3iPr}), 1.11 (3H, d, $J = 6.6$, CH_{3iPr}), 1.07 (3H, d, $J = 6.8$, CH_{3Ala}), 0.96 (3H, d, $J = 6.9$, CH_{3Val}), 0.91 (3H, d, $J = 6.9$, CH_{3Val}). ^{13}C NMR (125 MHz, CD_3OH) $\delta = 178.1$ (C=O), 177.9 (C=O), 177.4 (C=O), 176.6 (C=O), 172.2 (C=O), 160.8 (C=O), 160.6 (C=O), 159.3 (C=O), 138.0 (=C_{Ar}), 129.4 (2 x =CH_{Ar}), 129.0 (=CH_{Ar}), 128.6 (2 x =CH_{Ar}), 67.7 (OCH₂), 58.3 (C), 57.7 (C), 57.6 (C), 57.5 (C), 56.2 (NC β H_{Val}), 47.2 (NC β H_{Ala}), 46.7 (NC \square H_{2Ala}), 45.2 (NCH_{2Gly}), 43.0 (NC \square H_{2Val}), 42.8 (NCH_{iPr}), 32.0 (NC γ H_{Val}), 28.1 (CH₃), 27.2 (CH₃), 26.8 (CH₃), 26.4 (CH₃), 25.0 (CH₃), 23.8 (CH₃), 23.6 (CH_{iPr}), 23.5 (CH_{iPr}), 23.4 (CH₃), 23.3 (CH₃), 20.0 (C δ H_{3Val}), 19.2 (C δ H_{3Ala}), 19.0 (C δ H_{3Val}). IR (film, cm^{-1}): $\nu_{max} = 3309$, 2961, 2871, 1640, 1538; $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +57.2$ ($c = 1.00$; MeOH); **Mp**: 135-137 °C; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): m/z calcd for C₃₉H₆₇N₁₀O₉ [M+H]⁺ 819.5092, found 819.5108.

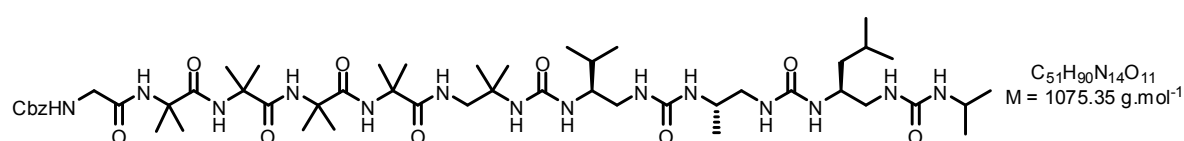
CbzGly-Aib^u-Val^u-Ala^u-Leu^u-NH(CO)NH*iPr* **8c**



8c was prepared from CbzGly-Aib-OH (200 mg, 0.36 mmol), HOBT (72 mg, 0.47 mmol), EDC.HCl (76 mg, 0.40 mmol), DIPEA (92 μ L, 0.55 mmol) and **U6** (350 mg, 0.55 mmol) as described in the general procedure A. The pure oligomer **8c** (170 mg, 49.1%) was isolated as a white solid. 1H NMR (500 MHz, CD_3OH) $\delta = 7.80$ -7.48 (5H, m, NH), 7.46-7.25 (5H, m, 5 x =CH_{Ar}), 7.15 (1H, d, $J = 10.1$, NH_{Val}), 6.31 (1H, d, $J = 8.2$, NH_{Leu}), 6.21 (1H, d, $J = 7.9$, NH_{iPr}), 6.04 (1H, d, $J = 9.7$, NH_{Leu}), 5.95 (1H, dd, $J = 9.0$ and 3.6, NH_{Ala}), 5.72 (1H, dd, $J = 9.1$ and 2.9, NH_{Val}), 5.45 (1H, d, $J = 10.2$, NH_{Ala}), 5.15 (1H, d, $J = 12.6$, A part of AB pattern, OCH_AH_B), 5.07 (1H, d, $J = 12.4$, B part of AB pattern, OCH_AH_B), 4.18-4.02 (1H, m, NCH_{Ala}), 4.01-3.89 (1H, m, NCH_{Leu}), 3.82 (1H, d, $J = 16.3$, A part of AB pattern, NCH_AH_{BGly}), 3.88-3.75 (2H, m, NCH_{iPr} and NCH_{Val}), 3.67 (1H, d, $J = 16.3$, B part of AB pattern, NCH_AH_{BGly}), 3.73-3.65 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BVal}), 3.60 (1H, ddd, $J = 13.3$, 9.5 and 3.7, NCH_AH_{BLeu}), 3.53 (1H, ddd, $J = 13.6$, 9.4 and 3.2, NCH_AH_{BAIa}), 2.80 (1H, ddd, $J = 14.8$, 12.4 and 3.4, NCH_AH_{BVal}), 2.64 (1H, ddd, $J = 12.6$, 10.4 and 1.5, NCH_AH_{BLeu}), 2.39 (1H, ddd, $J = 14.3$, 11.9 and 3.4, NCH_AH_{BAIa}), 1.78-1.61 (2H, m, CH_{Val} and CH_{Leu}), 1.54 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.50 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.44 (6H, s, 2 x CH₃), 1.41 (6H, s, 2 x CH₃), 1.39 (6H, s, 2 x CH₃), 1.31-1.16 (2H, m, CH_{2Leu}), 1.12 (3H, d, $J = 6.6$, CH_{3iPr}), 1.11 (3H, d, $J = 6.6$, CH_{3iPr}), 1.05 (3H, d, $J = 6.9$, CH_{3Ala}), 0.98-0.82 (12H, m, 2 x CH_{3Val} and 2 x CH_{3Leu}). ^{13}C NMR (125 MHz, CD_3OH) $\delta = 178.5$ (C=O), 178.0 (C=O), 177.6 (C=O), 176.6 (C=O), 172.2 (C=O), 161.1 (2 x C=O), 160.6 (C=O), 159.3 (C=O), 138.0 (=C_{Ar}), 129.4

(2 x =CH_{Ar}), 129.0 (=CH_{Ar}), 128.6 (2 x =CH_{Ar}), 67.7 (OCH₂), 58.2 (C), 57.7 (C), 57.6 (C), 57.5 (C), 56.2 (NC_βH_{Val}), 49.4 (NC_βH_{Leu}), 48.1 (NC_αH_{2Ala}), 47.5 (NC_βH_{Ala}), 46.1 (NC_αH_{2Leu}), 45.3 (NCH₂Gly), 44.0 (C_αH_{2Leu}), 42.9 (NC_αH_{2Val}), 42.7 (NCH_{iPr}), 32.2 (C_γH_{Val}), 28.3 (CH₃), 27.3 (CH₃), 26.9 (CH₃), 26.5 (CH₃), 25.9 (C_δH_{Leu}), 23.8 (CH₃), 23.7 (CH_{iPr}), 23.6 (C_{H3Leu}), 23.5 (CH_{iPr}), 23.3 (CH₃), 23.2 (CH₃), 23.1 (CH₃), 22.5 (C_{H3Leu}), 20.1 (C_δH_{3Val}), 19.1 (C_δH_{3Val}), 18.7 (C_δH_{3Ala}). IR (film, cm⁻¹): ν_{max} = 3309, 2962, 2932, 2871, 1641, 1544; [α]_D²⁰ = +64.4 (c = 1.00; MeOH); **Mp**: 151-153°C; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): *m/z* calcd for C₄₆H₈₀N₁₂O₁₀ [M+H]⁺ 960.6120, found 976.6189.

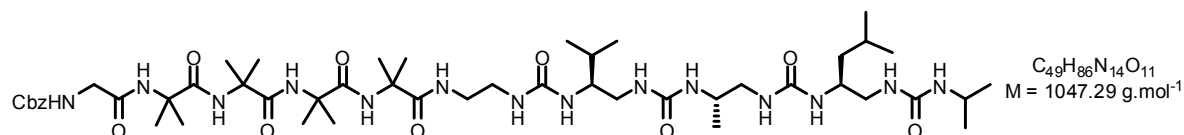
CbzGly-Aib₄-(Aib^U)_{rev}-Val^U-Ala^U-Leu^U-NH(CO)NH*iPr* 9c



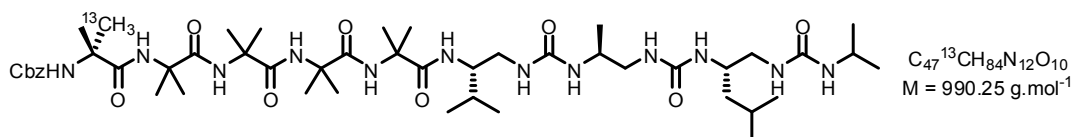
9c was prepared from CbzGly-Aib-OH (33 mg, 0.06 mmol), HOBT (12 mg, 0.08 mmol), EDC.HCl (13 mg, 0.07 mmol), DIPEA (16 μL, 0.09 mmol) and **U7** (50 mg, 0.08 mmol) as described in the general procedure A. The pure oligomer **9c** (50 mg, 77.9%) was isolated as a white solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 8.37 (1H, s, NH), 7.88-7.68 (3H, m, NH), 7.55-7.40 (2H, m, NH_{Gly} and NH_{Aib^U}), 7.40-7.24 (5H, m, 5 x =CH_{Ar}), 6.40 (1H, dd, *J* = 9.5 and 3.2, NH_{Ala}), 6.36 (1H, d, *J* = 9.7, NH_{Leu}), 6.32 (1H, dd, *J* = 9.4 and 2.2, NH_{Val}), 6.27 (1H, d, *J* = 8.4, NH_{Leu}), 6.20 (1H, d, *J* = 7.9, NH_{iPr}), 5.79 (1H, d, *J* = 10.1, NH_{Ala}), 5.61 (1H, d, *J* = 10.0, NH_{Val}), 5.56 (1H, s, NH), 5.13 (1H, d, *J* = 12.7, A part of AB pattern, OCH_AH_B), 5.09 (1H, d, *J* = 12.5, B part of AB pattern, OCH_AH_B), 4.14 (1H, dd, *J* = 13.7 and 7.6, NCH_AH_{BAib^U}), 4.09-3.97 (1H, m, NCH_{Ala}), 3.96-3.86 (1H, m, NCH_{Leu}), 3.86-3.63 (4H, m, NCH_AH_{BVal}, NCH_{iPr} and NCH₂Gly), 3.63-3.45 (3H, m, NCH_{Val} and NCH_AH_{BLeu} and NCH_AH_{BAla}), 2.72 (1H, dd, *J* = 13.5 and 3.6, NCH_AH_{BAib^U}), 2.54-2.51 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BLeu}), 2.51-2.31 (2H, m, NCH_AH_{BVal} and NCH_AH_{BAla}), 1.77-1.65 (1H, m, CH_{Leu}), 1.63-1.52 (1H, m, CH_{Val}), 1.52 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.50 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.45 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.42-1.35 (18H, m, 6 x CH₃), 1.25 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.24-1.17 (2H, m, CH_{2Leu}), 1.12 (3H, d, *J* = 6.6, CH_{3iPr}), 1.11 (3H, d, *J* = 6.6, CH_{3iPr}), 1.03 (3H, d, *J* = 6.9, CH_{3Ala}), 0.97-0.85 (12H, m, 2 x CH_{3Val} and 2 x CH_{3Leu}). ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 177.8 (C=O), 177.3 (C=O), 177.1 (C=O), 176.6 (C=O), 172.2 (C=O), 161.8 (C=O), 161.5 (C=O), 160.6 (C=O), 160.3 (C=O), 159.3 (C=O), 138.0 (=C_{Ar}), 129.4 (2 x =CH_{Ar}), 129.0 (=CH_{Ar}), 128.6 (2 x =CH_{Ar}), 67.7 (OCH₂), 58.2 (C), 57.8 (C), 57.7 (C), 57.5 (C), 55.9 (NC_βH_{Val}), 53.7 (C), 49.2 (NC_βH_{Leu}), 48.4 (NCH₂Aib^U), 47.8 (NC_αH_{2Ala}), 46.5 (NC_βH_{Ala}), 46.2 (NC_αH_{2Leu}), 45.2 (NCH₂Gly), 44.6 (NC_αH_{2Val}), 43.9 (C_αH_{2Leu}), 42.7 (NCH_{iPr}), 32.0 (C_γH_{Val}), 27.5 (CH₃), 27.2 (CH₃), 26.1 (CH₃), 25.9 (2 x CH₃), 25.6 (C_δH_{Leu}), 25.0 (CH₃), 24.8 (CH₃), 24.6 (CH₃), 23.6 (CH_{iPr}), 23.6 (CH_{iPr}), 23.5 (C_{H3Leu}), 22.5 (C_{H3Leu}), 20.1 (C_δH_{3Val}), 18.8 (C_δH_{3Ala}), 18.6 (C_δH_{3Val}).

IR (film, cm^{-1}): $\nu_{\text{max}} = 3326, 2970, 2871, 1642, 1551$; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = +50.4$ ($c = 1.00$; MeOH); **Mp**: $> 200^\circ\text{C}$; **MS** (ES^+): m/z calcd for $\text{C}_{51}\text{H}_{91}\text{N}_{14}\text{O}_{11}$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 1076.3.

CbzGly-Aib₄(Aib^U)_{rev}-Val^U-Ala^U-Leu^U-NH(CO)NH*i*Pr **10c**

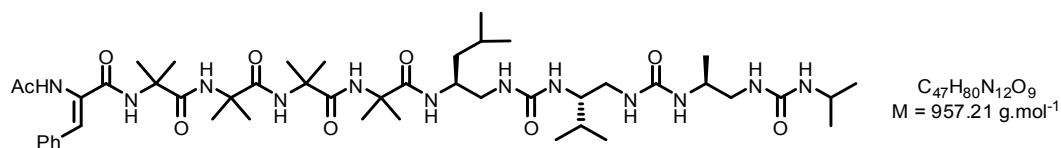


10c was prepared from CbzGly-Aib-OH (34 mg, 0.06 mmol), HOBT (12 mg, 0.08 mmol), EDC.HCl (13 mg, 0.07 mmol), DIPEA (16 μL , 0.09 mmol) and **U8** (50 mg, 0.08 mmol) as described in the general procedure A. The pure oligomer **10c** (53 mg, 81.0%) was isolated as a white solid. $^1\text{H NMR}$ (500 MHz, CD_3OH) $\delta = 8.41$ (1H, s, NH), 7.83 (1H, s, NH), 7.79 (1H, s, NH), 7.76 (1H, s, NH), 7.51-7.42 (1H, m, NH_{Gly}), 7.39-7.27 (6H, m, 5 x $=\text{CH}_{\text{Ar}}$ and NH_{EDA}), 6.37 (1H, d, $J = 8.3$, NH_{Leu}), 6.30 (1H, d, $J = 6.7$, NH_{Ala}), 6.18 (1H, d, $J = 7.9$, NH_{iPr}), 6.07 (1H, d, $J = 8.6$, NH_{Val}), 6.02 (1H, d, $J = 9.8$, NH_{Leu}), 5.99-5.88 (2H, m, NH_{EDA} and NH_{Ala}), 5.63 (1H, d, $J = 10.2$, NH_{Val}), 5.15 (1H, d, $J = 12.6$, A part of AB pattern, $\text{OCH}_\text{A}\text{H}_\text{B}$), 5.09 (1H, d, $J = 12.5$, B part of AB pattern, $\text{OCH}_\text{A}\text{H}_\text{B}$), 4.14-3.99 (1H, m, NCH_{Ala}), 3.98-3.86 (1H, m, NCH_{Leu}), 3.86-3.73 (3H, m, $\text{NCH}_\text{A}\text{H}_{\text{BEDA}}$, $\text{NCH}_\text{A}\text{H}_{\text{BGly}}$ and NCH_{iPr}), 3.72-3.43 (6H, m, NCH_{Val} , $\text{NCH}_\text{A}\text{H}_{\text{BVal}}$, $\text{NCH}_\text{A}\text{H}_{\text{BLeu}}$, $\text{NCH}_\text{A}\text{H}_{\text{BAla}}$, $\text{NCH}_\text{A}\text{H}_{\text{BEDA}}$ and $\text{NCH}_\text{A}\text{H}_{\text{BGly}}$), 3.11-2.98 (1H, m, $\text{NCH}_\text{A}\text{H}_{\text{BEDA}}$), 2.95-2.80 (1H, m, $\text{NCH}_\text{A}\text{H}_{\text{BEDA}}$), 2.70-2.56 (1H, m, $\text{NCH}_\text{A}\text{H}_{\text{BLeu}}$), 2.56-2.40 (2H, m, $\text{NCH}_\text{A}\text{H}_{\text{BVal}}$ and $\text{NCH}_\text{A}\text{H}_{\text{BAla}}$), 1.76-1.65 (1H, m, CH_{Leu}), 1.64-1.55 (1H, m, CH_{Val}), 1.51 (6H, m, 2 x CH_3), 1.47-1.36 (18H, m, 6 x CH_3), 1.28-1.17 (2H, m, $\text{CH}_{2\text{Leu}}$), 1.12 (3H, d, $J = 6.6$, $\text{CH}_{3\text{iPr}}$), 1.11 (3H, d, $J = 6.6$, $\text{CH}_{3\text{iPr}}$), 1.06 (3H, d, $J = 6.9$, $\text{CH}_{3\text{Ala}}$), 0.97-0.85 (12H, m, 2 x $\text{CH}_{3\text{Leu}}$ and 2 x $\text{CH}_{3\text{Val}}$). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (125 MHz, CD_3OH) $\delta = 178.4$ (C=O), 177.7 (C=O), 176.8 (C=O), 172.2 (C=O), 161.7 (C=O), 161.4 (C=O), 161.3 (C=O), 160.6 (C=O), 160.6 (C=O), 159.4 (C=O), 138.0 ($=\text{C}_{\text{Ar}}$), 129.5 (2 x $=\text{CH}_{\text{Ar}}$), 129.0 ($=\text{CH}_{\text{Ar}}$), 128.6 (2 x $=\text{CH}_{\text{Ar}}$), 67.7 (OCH_2), 58.0 (C), 57.8 (C), 57.6 (C), 57.6 (C), 56.4 ($\text{NC}_\beta\text{H}_{\text{Val}}$), 49.3 ($\text{NC}_\beta\text{H}_{\text{Leu}}$), 48.1 ($\text{NC}_\square\text{H}_{2\text{Ala}}$), 46.3 ($\text{NC}_\beta\text{H}_{\text{Ala}}$), 46.2 ($\text{NC}_\square\text{H}_{2\text{Leu}}$), 45.3 ($\text{NCH}_{2\text{Gly}}$), 44.6 ($\text{NC}_\square\text{H}_{2\text{Val}}$), 44.0 ($\text{C}_\square\text{H}_{2\text{Leu}}$), 42.8 (NCH_{iPr}), 40.3 (NCH_2), 40.2 (NCH_2), 32.0 ($\text{C}_\gamma\text{H}_{\text{Val}}$), 27.6 (CH_3), 27.0 (CH_3), 26.5 (CH_3), 26.1 (CH_3), 25.8 ($\text{C}_\delta\text{H}_{\text{Leu}}$), 24.2 (CH_3), 23.8 (CH_3), 23.7 (CH_3), 23.7 ($\text{CH}_{3\text{iPr}}$), 23.6 ($\text{CH}_{3\text{iPr}}$), 23.6 ($\text{C}_\delta\text{H}_{3\text{Leu}}$), 23.5 (CH_3), 22.5 ($\text{C}_\delta\text{H}_{3\text{Leu}}$), 20.2 ($\text{C}_\delta\text{H}_{3\text{Val}}$), 18.7 ($\text{C}_\delta\text{H}_{3\text{Ala}}$), 18.6 ($\text{C}_\delta\text{H}_{3\text{Val}}$). **IR** (film, cm^{-1}): $\nu_{\text{max}} = 3338, 2960, 2934, 2872, 1639, 1549$; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = +55.2$ ($c = 1.00$; MeOH); **Mp**: 162-164 $^\circ\text{C}$; **MS** (ES^+): m/z calcd for $\text{C}_{49}\text{H}_{87}\text{N}_{14}\text{O}_{11}$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 1047.9.

Cbz-Aib*-Aib₄-(Aib^U)_{rev}-Val^U-Ala^U-Leu^U-NH(CO)NH*i*Pr **11**

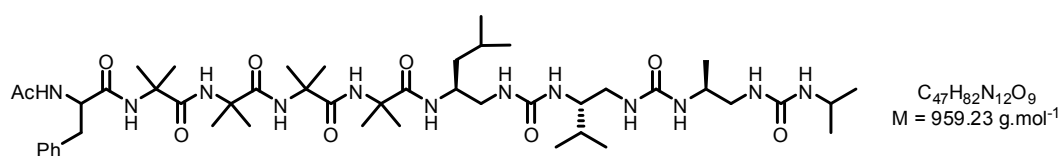
11 was prepared from CbzAib*-Aib-OH (50 mg, 0.09 mmol), HOBt (17 mg, 0.11 mmol), EDC.HCl (18 mg, 0.10 mmol), DIPEA (22 μ L, 0.13 mmol) and **U6** (75 mg, 0.11 mmol) as described in the general procedure A. The pure oligomer **11** (70 mg, 82.7%) was isolated as a white solid. $^1\text{H NMR}$ (500 MHz, CD_3OH) δ = 8.11 (1H, s, NH), 7.97 (1H, s, NH), 7.83 (1H, s, NH), 7.72 (1H, s, NH), 7.61 (1H, s, NH), 7.44-7.25 (5H, m, 5 x =CH_{Ar}), 7.15 (1H, d, J = 10.1, NH_{Val}), 6.31 (1H, d, J = 7.6, NH_{Leu}), 6.22 (1H, d, J = 7.9, NH_{iPr}), 6.04 (1H, d, J = 9.7, NH_{Leu}), 5.95 (1H, dd, J = 9.1 and 3.8, NH_{Ala}), 5.70 (1H, dd, J = 9.4 and 3.4, NH_{Val}), 5.46 (1H, d, J = 10.2, NH_{Ala}), 5.22 (1H, d, J = 12.9, A part of AB pattern, OCH_AH_B), 5.04 (1H, d, J = 12.7, B part of AB pattern, OCH_AH_B), 4.18-4.03 (1H, m, NCH_{Ala}), 4.01-3.88 (1H, m, NCH_{Leu}), 3.88-3.75 (2H, m, NCH_{iPr} and NCH_{Val}), 3.68 (1H, ddd, J = 13.9, 9.6 and 3.8, NCH_AH_{BVal}), 3.61 (1H, ddd, J = 13.2, 9.6 and 3.6, NCH_AH_{BLeu}), 3.53 (1H, ddd, J = 13.7, 9.5 and 3.3, NCH_AH_{BAla}), 2.80 (1H, ddd, J = 14.9, 12.4 and 3.6, NCH_AH_{BVal}), 2.64 (1H, ddd, J = 12.5, 10.0 and 1.3, NCH_AH_{BLeu}), 2.39 (1H, ddd, J = 14.4, 11.7 and 3.6, NCH_AH_{BAla}), 1.77-1.62 (2H, m, CH_{Val} and CH_{Leu}), 1.56-1.18 (32H, m, 10 x CH₃ and CH_{2Leu}), 1.12 (3H, d, J = 6.6, CH_{3iPr}), 1.11 (3H, d, J = 6.6, CH_{3iPr}), 1.05 (3H, d, J = 6.9, CH_{3Ala}), 0.96-0.86 (12H, m, 2 x CH_{3Val} and 2 x CH_{3Leu}). $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (125 MHz, CD_3OH) δ = 178.5 (C=O), 178.0 (C=O), 177.9 (C=O), 177.2 (C=O), 177.0 (C=O), 161.1 (2 x C=O), 160.6 (C=O), 157.9 (C=O), 138.6 (=C_{Ar}), 129.5 (2 x =CH_{Ar}), 128.9 (=CH_{Ar}), 128.4 (2 x =CH_{Ar}), 67.5 (OCH₂), 58.2 (C), 57.8 (d, $^1J_{\text{C-}^{13}\text{C}} = 39$, $^{13}\text{CH}_3\text{C}$), 57.7 (C), 57.6 (C), 57.5 (C), 56.2 (NC β H_{Val}), 49.4 (NC β H_{Leu}), 48.1 (NC \square H_{2Ala}), 46.2 (NC β H_{Ala}), 46.1 (NC \square H_{2Leu}), 44.0 (C \square H_{2Leu}), 43.0 (NC \square H_{2Val}), 42.7 (NCH_{iPr}), 32.2 (C γ H_{Val}), 28.3 (CH₃), 27.4 (CH₃), 27.0 (CH₃), 26.8 (CH₃), 26.2 ($^{13}\text{CH}_3$ _{minor}), 25.8 (C δ H_{Leu}), 24.4 (CH₃), 24.1 ($^{13}\text{CH}_3$ _{major}), 23.7 (CH_{iPr}), 23.6 (CH_{3Leu}), 23.5 (CH_{iPr}), 23.3 (CH₃), 23.2 (CH₃), 23.1 (CH₃), 22.5 (C δ H_{3Leu}), 20.1 (C δ H_{3Val}), 19.1 (C δ H_{3Val}), 18.7 (C δ H_{3Ala}). IR (film, cm^{-1}): ν_{max} = 3316, 2971, 2871, 1645, 1536; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = +62.4$ ($c = 1.00$; MeOH); **Mp**: 148-150 °C; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): m/z calcd for $C_{47}H_{85}N_{12}O_{10}$ $[M+H]^+$ 990.6545, found 990.6538.

Ac^APhe-Aib₄-Leu^U-Val^U-Ala^U-NH(CO)NH*i*Pr **12**



To a stirred solution of H-Aib₄-Leu^U-Val^U-Ala^U-NH(CO)NH*i*Pr (34 mg, 0.43 mmol; obtained in quantitative yield by hydrogenolysis of N₃-Aib₄-Leu^U-Val^U-Ala^U-NH(CO)NH*i*Pr) and Et₃N (9 μL, 0.06 mmol) in DMF (214 μL) was added **A1** (15 mg, 0.08 mmol) and the reaction stirred at reflux for 5 d. The solvents were removed under reduced pressure and purification by column chromatography (SiO₂; CH₂Cl₂:MeOH; 99:1→90:10) gave the title compound as a white solid (13 mg, 31.8%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 7.95-7.89 (1H, m, NH), 7.61-7.53 (2H, m, 2 x =CH_{Ar}), 7.50-7.43 (2H, m, 2 x =CH_{Ar}), 7.40-7.34 (1H, m, =CH_{Ar}), 7.33-7.22 (1H, m, NH), 6.90 (1H, s, =CH), 5.89-5.80 (1H, m, NH), 5.62 (1H, d, *J* = 10.1, NH), 4.32-4.15 (1H, m, NCH_{Leu}), 4.01-3.90 (1H, m, NCH_{Ala}), 3.89-3.81 (1H, m, NCH_{iPr}), 3.77-3.47 (4H, m, NCH_{Val}, NCH_AH_{BVal}, NCH_AH_{BLeu} and NCH_AH_{BAla}), 2.83-2.62 (2H, m, NCH_AH_{BAla} and NCH_AH_{BLeu}), 2.57-2.40 (1H, m, NCH_AH_{BVal}), 2.18 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.76-1.61 (2H, m, CH_{Leu} and CH_{Val}), 1.60-1.47 (24H, m, 8 x CH₃), 1.46-1.36 (1H, m, CH_AH_{BLeu}), 1.31-1.19 (1H, m, CH_AH_{BLeu}), 1.16 (6H, d, *J* = 6.5, 2 x CH_{3*iPr*}), 1.09 (3H, d, *J* = 6.7, CH_{3Ala}), 1.03-0.84 (12H, m, 2 x CH_{3Val} and 2 x CH_{3Leu}). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 178.2 (C=O), 178.1 (C=O), 176.8 (C=O), 176.9 (C=O), 173.1 (C=O), 161.7 (C=O), 161.3 (C=O), 161.3 (C=O), 160.7 (C=O), 135.1 (=C), 131.5 (=C), 130.6 (2 x =CH), 130.0 (=CH), 129.9 (2 x =CH), 127.3 (=CH), 58.4 (C), 58.2 (C), 58.0 (C), 57.7 (C), 56.3 (NC_βH_{Val}), 48.7 (NC_βH_{Leu}), 47.0 (NC_βH_{Ala}), 46.7 (NC_αH_{2Ala}), 45.8 (NC_αH_{2Leu}), 44.4 (NC_αH_{2Val}), 42.8 (NCH_{iPr}), 42.3 (C_αH_{2Leu}), 32.2 (C_γH_{Val}), 28.3 (CH₃), 27.5 (CH₃), 26.9 (CH₃), 26.8 (CH₃), 26.3 (CH₃), 23.9 (C_δH_{Leu}), 23.8 (CH_{iPr}), 23.7 (CH_{iPr}), 23.7 (CH_{3Leu}), 23.5 (CH₃), 23.2 (CH₃), 23.2 (CH₃), 22.8 (CH₃), 22.4 (CH_{3Leu}), 20.2 (C_δH_{3Val}), 19.6 (C_δH_{3Ala}), 18.5 (C_δH_{3Val}). 3435, 2972, 2949, 1625, 1493; [α]_D²⁰ = + 41.0 (c = 1.00; MeOH); **Mp**: >200 °C; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): *m/z* calcd for C₄₇H₈₀O₁₂N₉Na [M+Na]⁺ 979.6069, found 979.6024.

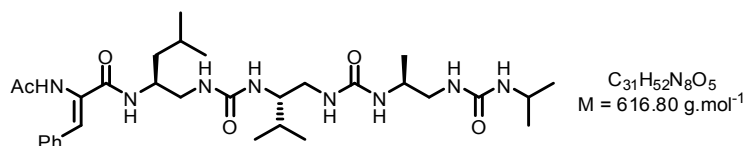
AcPhAla-Aib₄-Leu^U-Val^U-Ala^U-NH(CO)NH*i*Pr **13**



A round-bottomed flask was charged with a solution of **12** (12 mg, 0.013 mmol) in EtOH (200 μL) and 10% m. of Pd/C was added carefully. The mixture was stirred under H₂ atmosphere (balloon) for 48 h.

Upon completion, the mixture was filtered through a celite pad and washed with EtOH. The mixture was then concentrated under reduced pressure to give compounds **13a** and **13b** (11 mg, 91.5%, diastereoselective ratio 1/3). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 7.39-7.16 (5H, m, =CH_{Ar}), 4.45 (0.25H, t, J = 7.7, AcNCH), 4.35 (0.75H, t, J = 8.0, AcNCH), 4.27-4.10 (1H, m, NCH_{Leu}), 3.99-3.77 (2H, m, NCH_{Ala} and NCH_{iPr}), 3.75-3.48 (4H, m, NCH_{Val}, NCH_{AH_BVal}, NCH_{AH_BLeu}, NCH_{AH_BAla}), 3.18-2.90 (2H, m, CH₂), 2.76-2.38 (3H, m, NCH_{AH_BLeu}, NCH_{AH_BVal} and NCH_{AH_BAla}), 1.97 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.73-1.58 (2H, m, CH_{Leu} and CH_{Val}), 1.57-1.17 (26H, m, 8 x CH₃ and CH_{2Leu}), 1.13 (6H, d, J = 6.6, 2 x CH_{3iPr}), 1.06 (3H, d, J = 6.7, CH_{3Ala}), 1.0-0.81 (12H, m, 2 x CH_{3Val} and 2 x CH_{3Leu}). ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 178.1 (C=O), 178.1 (C=O), 177.7 (C=O), 176.8 (C=O), 174.3 (C=O), 173.8 (C=O), 173.6 (C=O), 161.7 (C=O), 161.3 (C=O), 160.7 (C=O), 138.1 (=C), 137.8 (=C), 130.5 (2 x =CH), 130.4 (=CH), 129.5 (2 x =CH), 128.0 (3 x =CH), 127.9 (2 x =CH), 58.3 (C), 58.2 (C), 57.8 (C), 57.7 (C), 57.7 (C), 57.6 (C), 57.5 (C), 57.3 (C), 57.1 (NC_βH_{Val}), 56.2 (NCH), 48.7 (NC_βH_{Leu}), 47.0 (NC_βH_{Ala}), 46.7 (NC_αH_{2Ala}), 45.8 (NC_αH_{2Leu}), 44.4 (NC_αH_{2Val}), 42.8 (NCH_{iPr}), 42.3 (C_αH_{2Leu}), 38.1 (NCH), 38.0 (NCH), 32.2 (C_γH_{Val}), 28.3 (CH₃), 27.7 (CH₃), 27.3 (CH₃), 26.8 (CH₃), 26.3 (CH₃), 24.2 (C_δH_{Leu}), 23.8 (CH_{iPr}), 23.8 (CH_{iPr}), 23.7 (CH_{3Leu}), 23.4 (CH₃), 23.2 (CH₃), 23.2 (CH₃), 22.4 (CH₃), 22.4 (CH_{3Leu}), 20.2 (C_δH_{3Val}), 19.5 (C_δH_{3Ala}), 18.5 (C_δH_{3Val}). IR (film, cm⁻¹): ν_{max} = 3334, 2693, 2930, 1632, 1574, 1472; HRMS (ESI⁺): m/z calcd for C₄₇H₈₂O₁₂N₉Na [M+Na]⁺ 981.6225, found 981.6191.

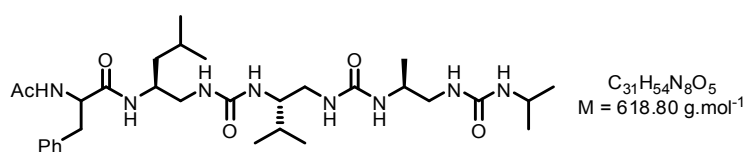
Ac^APhe-Leu^u-Val^u-Ala^u-NH(CO)NH*i*Pr **14**



Boc-protected oligourea U9 (80 mg, 0.15 mmol) was dissolved in TFA (800 μL) and stirred for 45 min. The reaction mixture was then concentrated under reduced. Triethylamine (14 μL, 0.14 mmol) and an **A1** (25 mg, 0.13 mmol) were added to the crude product was then dissolved in acetonitrile. The reaction stirred at reflux for 5 d. The solvents were removed under reduced pressure and purification by column chromatography (SiO₂; CH₂Cl₂:MeOH; 99:1→90:10) gave the title compound as a white solid (50 mg, 87%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃OH) δ = 7.60-7.51 (2H, m, =CH_{Ar}), 7.47-7.38 (2H, m, =CH_{Ar}), 7.38-7.29 (1H, m, =CH_{Ar}), 6.89 (1H, s, =CH), 4.37-4.23 (1H, m, NCH_{Leu}), 3.95-3.87 (1H, m, NCH_{Ala}), 3.86-3.70 (1H, m, NCH_{iPr}), 3.70-3.56 (3H, m, NCH_{Val}, NCH_{AH_BVal} and NCH_{AH_BAla}), 3.55-3.44 (1H, m, NCH_{AH_BLeu}), 2.70 (1H, dd, J = 13.2 and 9.5, NCH_{AH_BLeu}), 2.62 (1H, t, J = 12.2, NCH_{AH_BAla}), 2.50 (1H, t, J = 12.4, NCH_{AH_BVal}), 2.13 (3H, s, CH₃), 1.81-1.69 (1H, m, CH_{Leu}), 1.65 (1H, oct, J =, CH_{Val}), 1.44 (1H, ddd, J = 7.1, CH_{AH_BLeu}), 1.26 (1H, ddd, J = 7.1, CH_{AH_BLeu}), 1.14 (6H, d, J = 6.5, 2 x CH_{3iPr}), 1.04 (3H, d, J = 6.8,

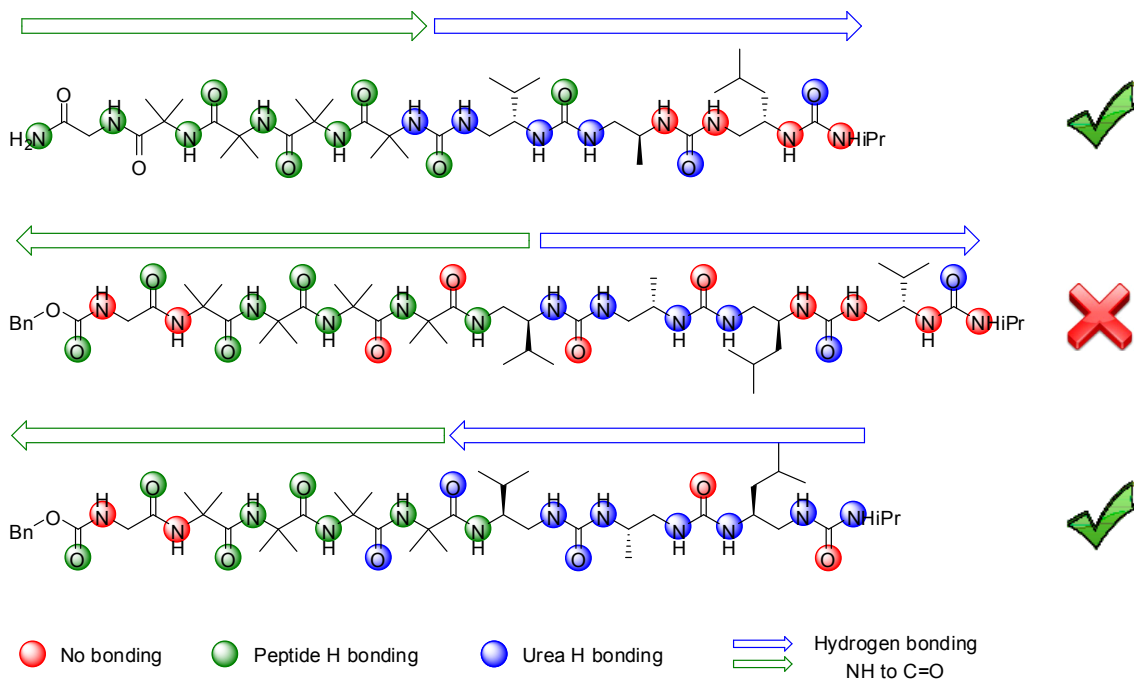
CH_{3Ala}), 1.01-0.86 (12H, m, 2 x CH_{3Val} and 2 x CH_{3Leu}). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CD_3OH) δ = 173.5 (C=O), 168.9 (C=O), 161.6 (C=O), 161.2 (C=O), 160.6 (C=O), 135.1 (=C), 131.7 (=C), 130.5 (2 x =CH), 130.0 (=CH), 129.9 (2 x =CH), 127.9 (=CH), 56.3 ($NC_{\beta}H_{Val}$), 49.7($NC_{\beta}H_{Leu}$), 47.0 ($NC_{\beta}H_{Ala}$), 46.7 ($NC_{\square}H_{2Ala}$), 46.3 ($NC_{\square}H_{2Leu}$), 44.1 ($NC_{\square}H_{2Val}$), 42.8 (NCH_{iPr}), 42.0 ($C_{\square}H_{2Leu}$), 32.1 ($C_{\gamma}H_{Val}$), 26.5 ($C_{\delta}H_{Leu}$), 23.8 (CH_{3Leu}), 23.7 (2 x CH_{iPr}), 22.7 (CH_3 and CH_{3Leu}), 20.1 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Val}$), 19.4 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Ala}$), 18.5 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Val}$). IR (film, cm^{-1}): ν_{max} = 3428, 2962, 2929, 2872, 1619, 1480; $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ = + 72 (c = 1.00; MeOH); **Mp**: 145-146 °C; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): m/z calcd for $C_{31}H_{52}O_5N_8Na$ [M+Na]⁺ 639.3958, found 639.3965.

AcPhAla-Leu^u-Val^u-Ala^u-NH(CO)NH*iPr* **15**

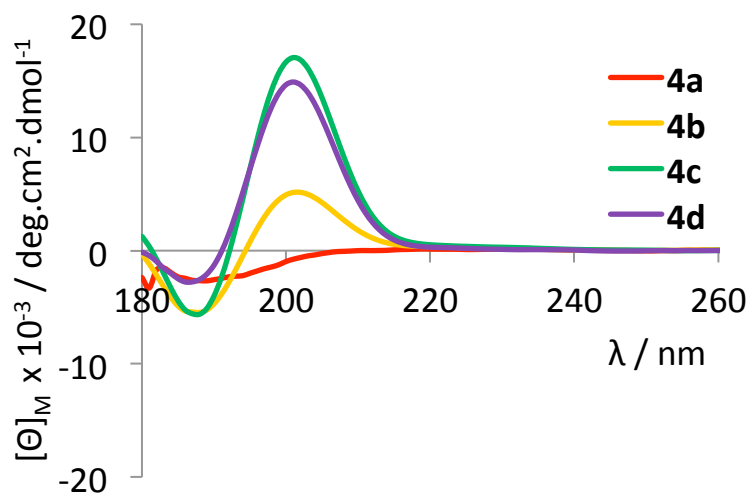
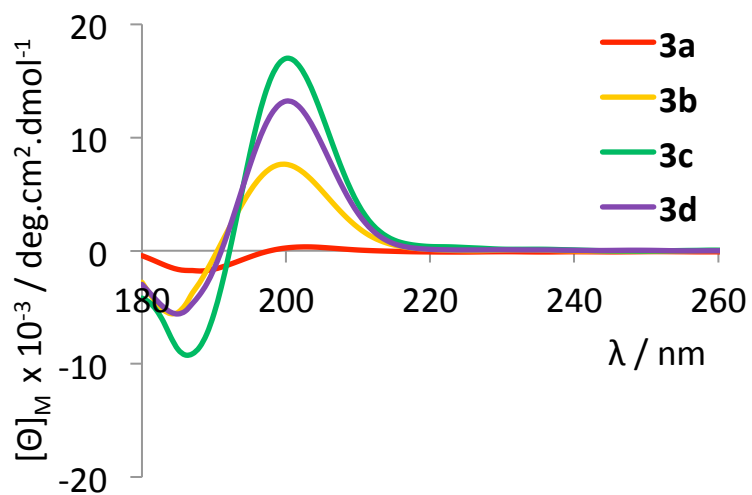
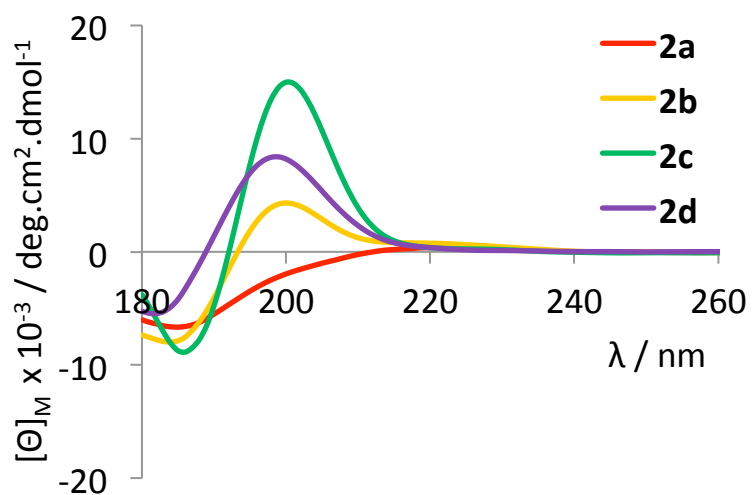


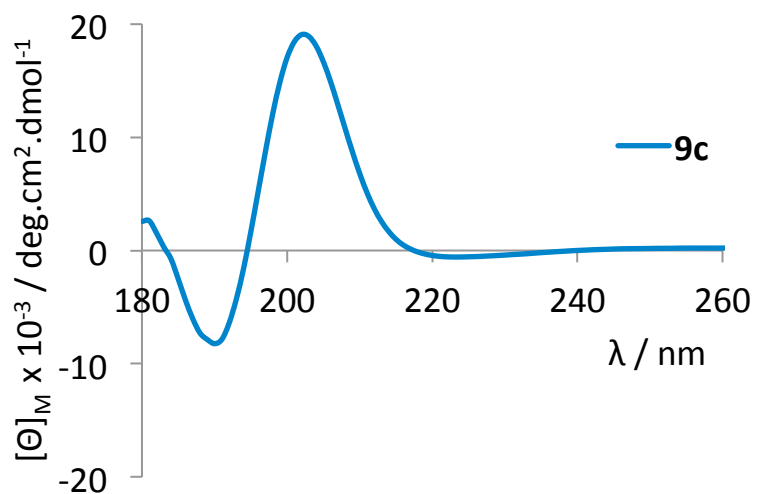
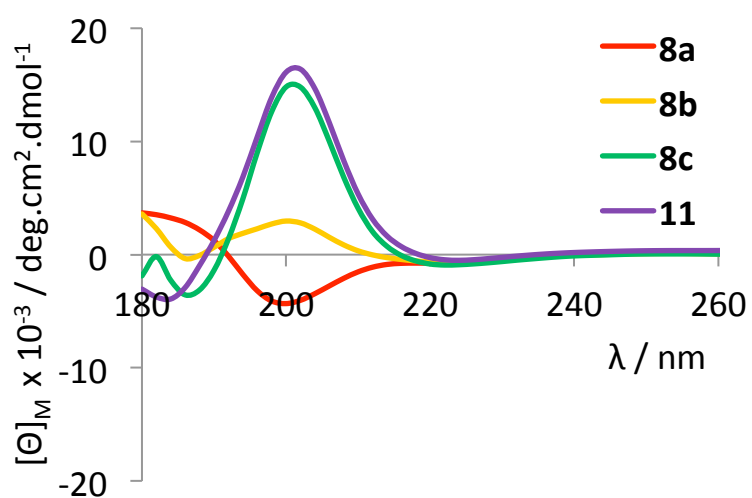
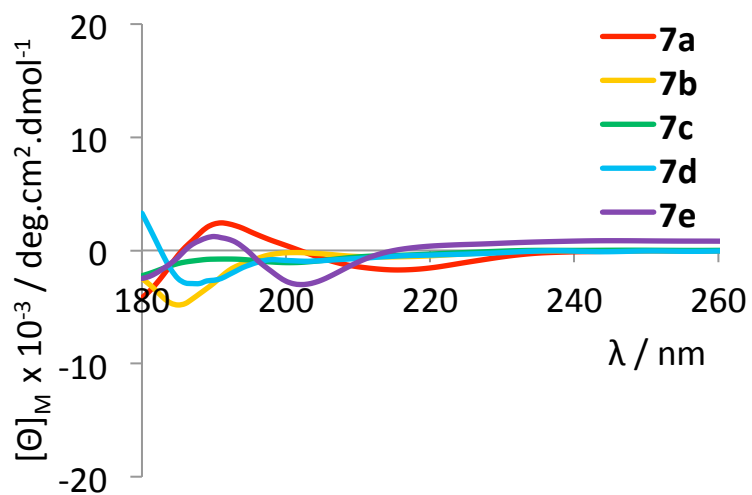
A round-bottomed flask was charged with a solution of **14** (6 mg, 0.01 mmol) in EtOH (200 μ L) and 10% m. of Pd/C was added carefully. The mixture was stirred under H_2 atmosphere (balloon) for 48 h. Upon completion, the mixture was filtered through a celite pad and washed with EtOH. The mixture was then concentrated under reduced pressure to give compounds **15a** and **15b** (5 mg, 83%, diastereoselective ratio 1/1.3). 1H NMR (400 MHz, CD_3OH) δ = 7.38-7.12 (5H, m, = CH_{Ar}), 4.56 (0.42H, dd, J = 9.5 and 5.5, AcNCH), 4.56 (0.58H, t, J = 7.9, AcNCH), 4.20-4.03 (1H, m, NCH_{Leu}), 3.94-3.75 (2H, m, NCH_{Ala} and NCH_{iPr}), 3.67-3.39 (4H, m, NCH_{Val} , NCH_AH_{BVal} , NCH_AH_{BLeu} , NCH_AH_{BAla}), 3.15 (0.43H, dd, J = 14.2 and 5.6, CH_ACH_B), 3.00 (1.18H, d, J = 7.9, CH_2), 2.94 (0.43H, dd, J = 14.1 and 9.5, CH_ACH_B), 2.76-2.36 (3H, m, NCH_AH_{BLeu} , NCH_AH_{BVal} and NCH_AH_{BAla}), 1.97 (1.65H, s, CH_3), 1.93 (1.27H, s, CH_3), 1.70-1.57 (2H, m, CH_{Leu} and CH_{Val}), 1.41-1.32 (1H, m, CH_AH_{BLeu}), 1.26-1.17 (1H, m, CH_AH_{BLeu}), 1.16-0.70 (21H, m, 2 x CH_{3iPr} , CH_{3Ala} , 2 x CH_{3Val} and 2 x CH_{3Leu}). ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CD_3OH) δ = 174.3 (C=O), 174.2 (C=O), 173.7 (C=O), 173.6 (C=O), 162.7 (C=O), 161.4 (C=O), 161.3 (C=O), 161.2 (C=O), 161.2 (C=O), 160.6 (C=O), 138.6 (=C), 137.9 (=C), 130.3 (2 x =CH), 130.2 (2 x =CH), 129.6 (2 x =CH), 129.5 (2 x =CH), 128.0 (=CH), 127.9 (=CH), 64.3 ($NC_{\beta}H_{Val}$), 57.7 (NCH), 56.9 ($NC_{\beta}H_{Val}$), 56.2 (NCH), 49.2 ($NC_{\beta}H_{Leu}$), 49.0 ($NC_{\beta}H_{Leu}$), 47.3 ($NC_{\beta}H_{Ala}$), 47.2 ($NC_{\beta}H_{Ala}$), 46.7 ($NC_{\square}H_{2Ala}$), 46.6 ($NC_{\square}H_{2Ala}$), 46.2 ($NC_{\square}H_{2Leu}$), 46.1 ($NC_{\square}H_{2Leu}$), 44.4 ($NC_{\square}H_{2Val}$), 42.8 (NCH_{iPr}), 42.8 (NCH_{iPr}), 41.9 ($C_{\square}H_{2Leu}$), 38.8 (CH_2), 38.7 (CH_2), 32.0 ($C_{\gamma}H_{Val}$), 31.9 ($C_{\gamma}H_{Val}$), 26.0 ($C_{\delta}H_{Leu}$), 25.5 ($C_{\delta}H_{Leu}$), 24.2 (CH_{3Leu}), 23.8 (CH_{3Leu}), 23.7 (CH_{iPr}), 23.6 (CH_{iPr}), 23.6 (2 x CH_{iPr}), 22.5 (CH_3), 22.5 (CH_3), 22.4 (CH_{3Leu}), 22.4 (CH_{3Leu}), 20.1 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Val}$), 20.1 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Val}$), 19.5 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Ala}$), 19.4 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Ala}$), 18.6 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Val}$), 18.4 ($C_{\delta}H_{3Val}$). IR (film, cm^{-1}): ν_{max} = 3350, 2962, 2929, 1625, 1574, 1480; **HRMS** (ESI⁺): m/z calcd for $C_{31}H_{54}O_5N_8Na$ [M+Na]⁺ 641.4115, found 641.4101.

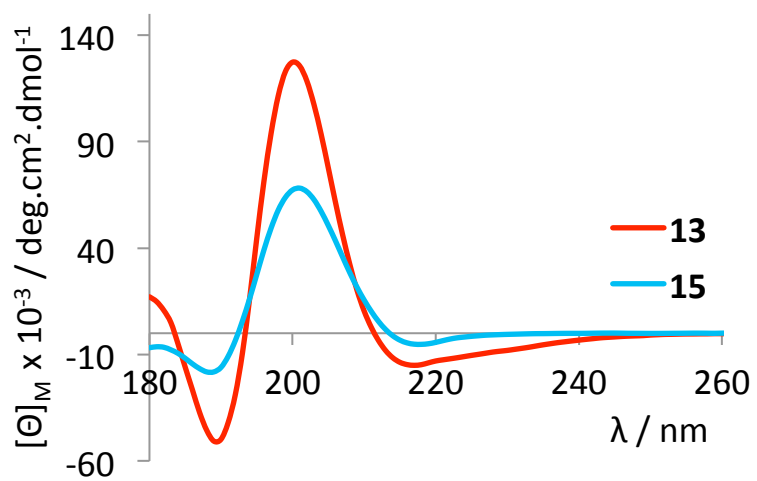
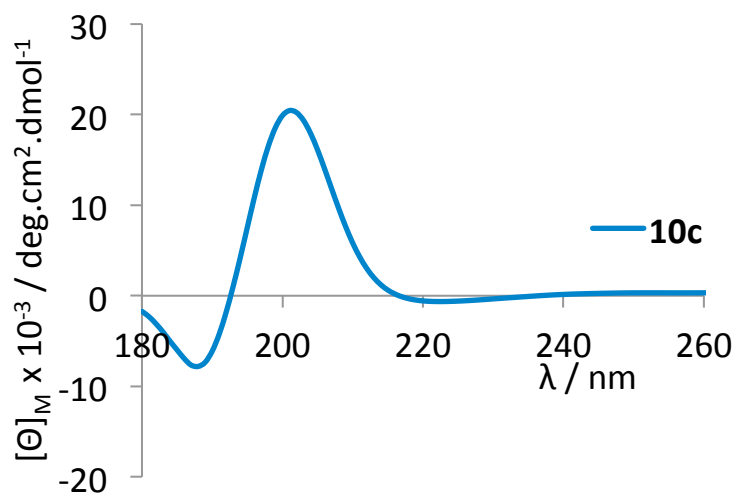
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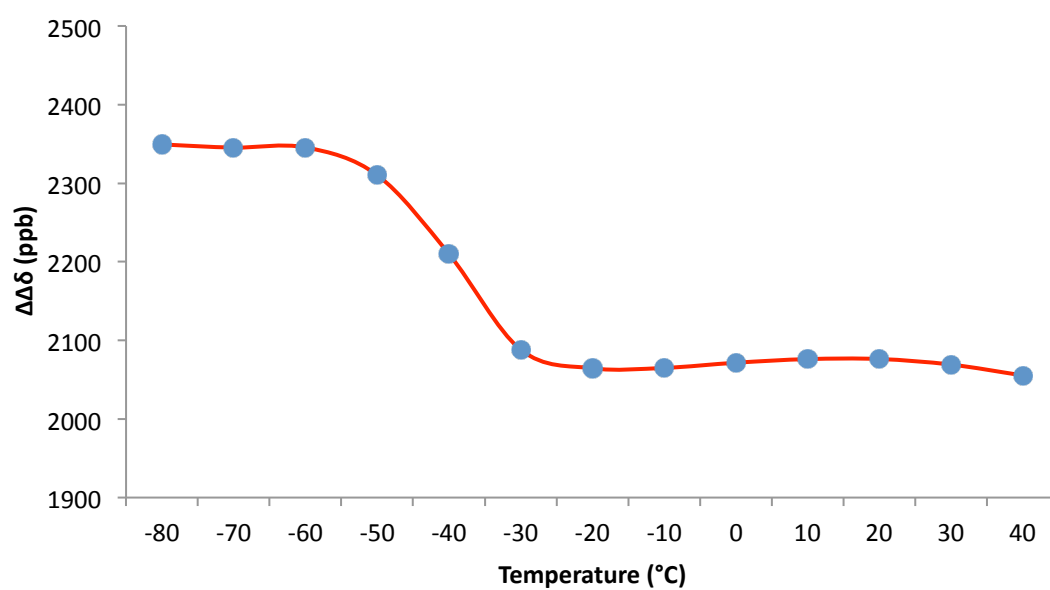
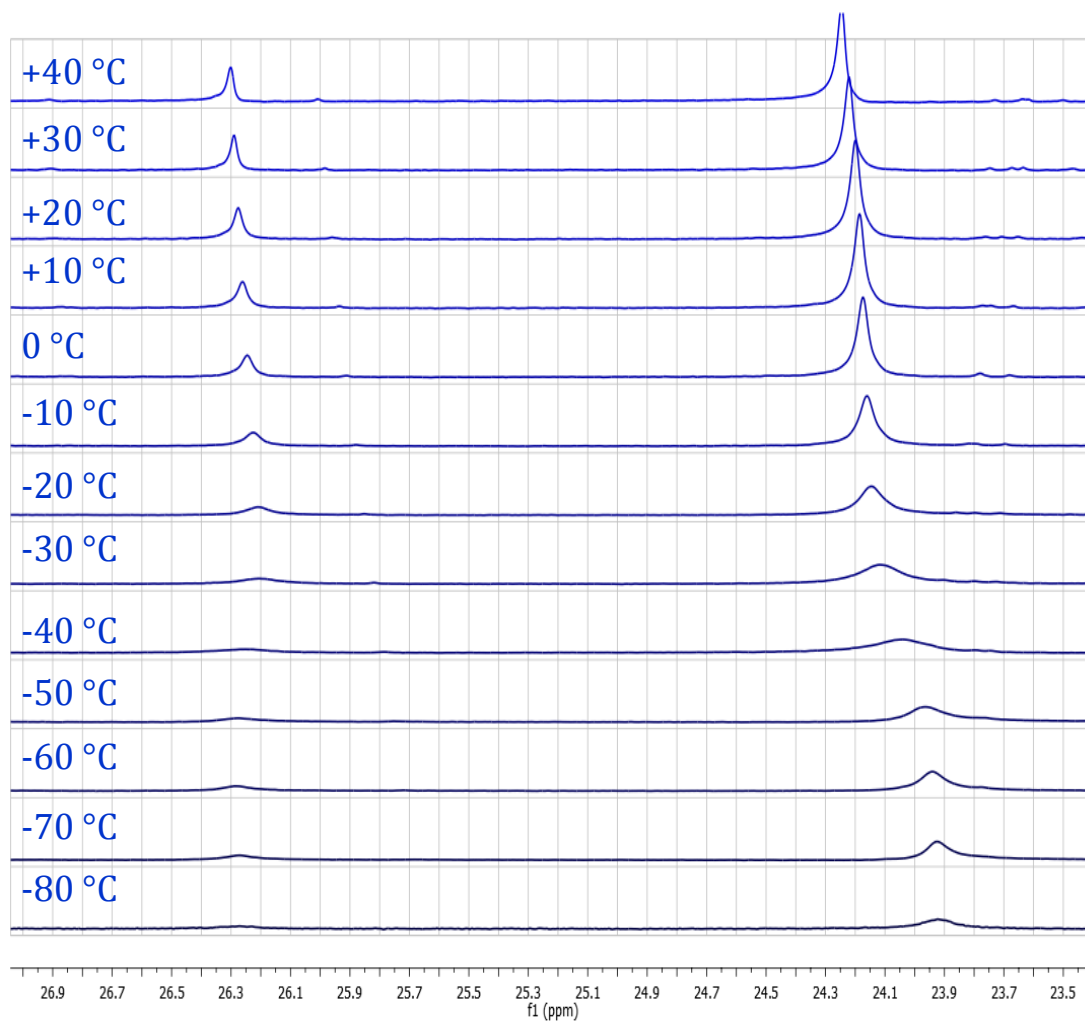
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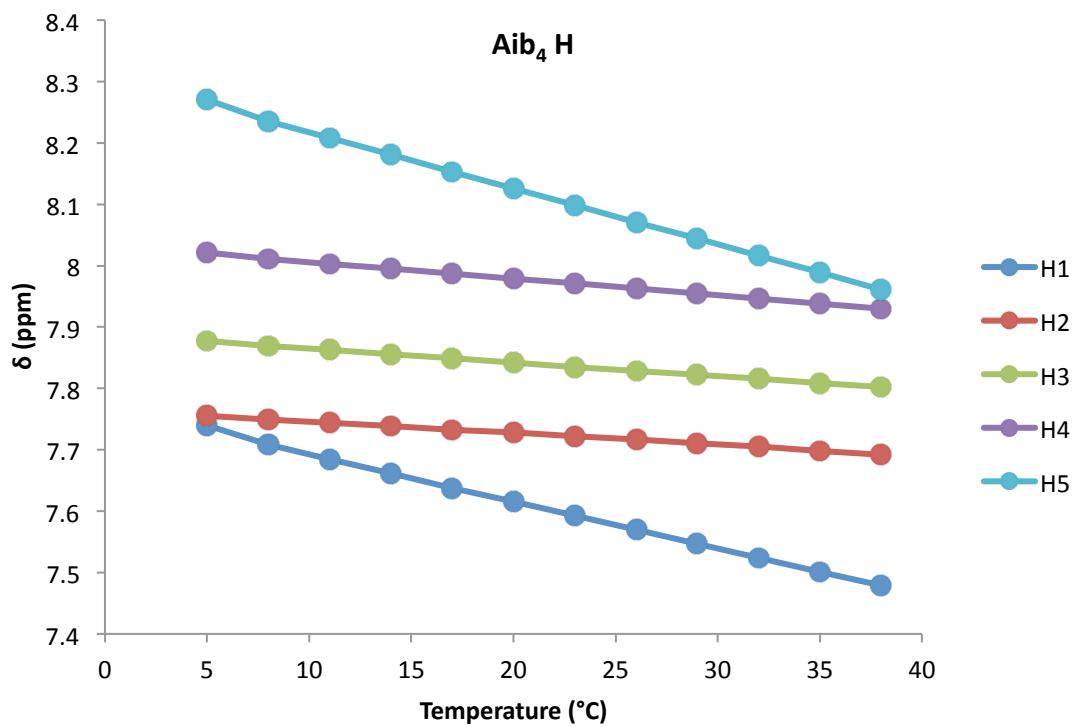
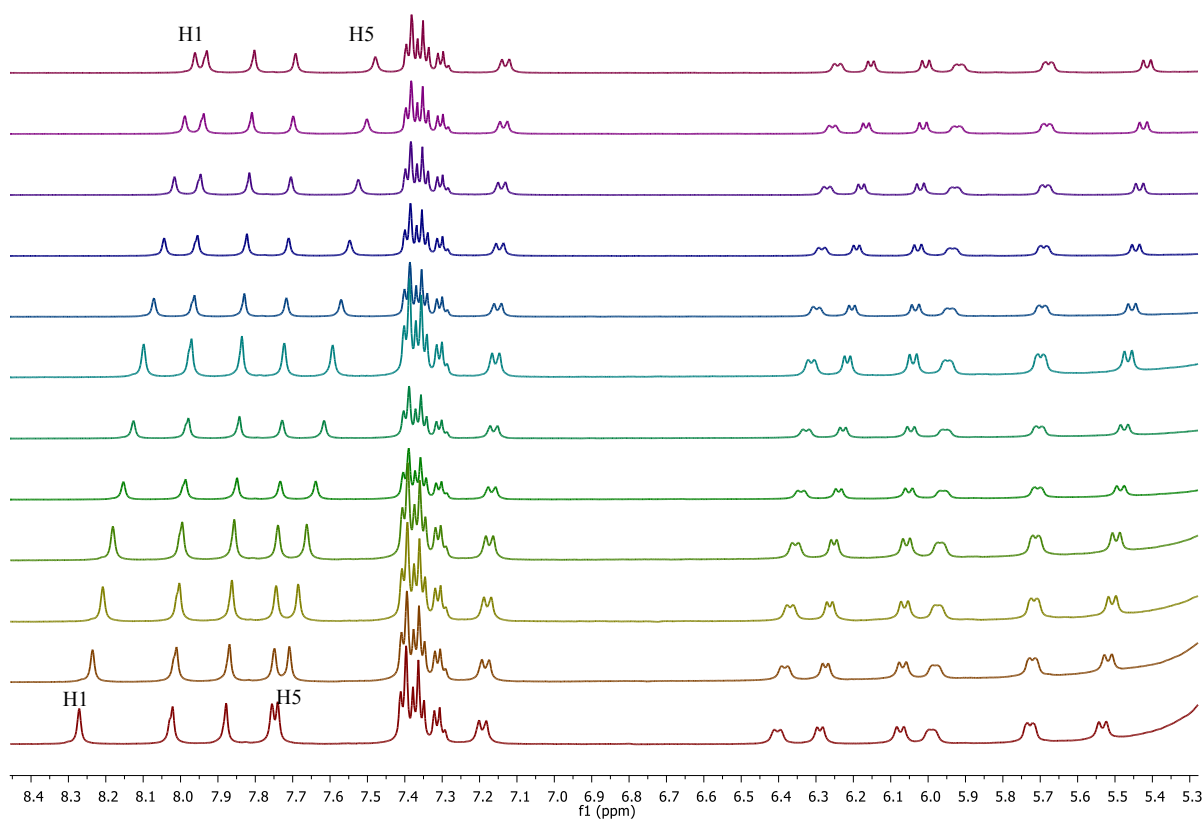


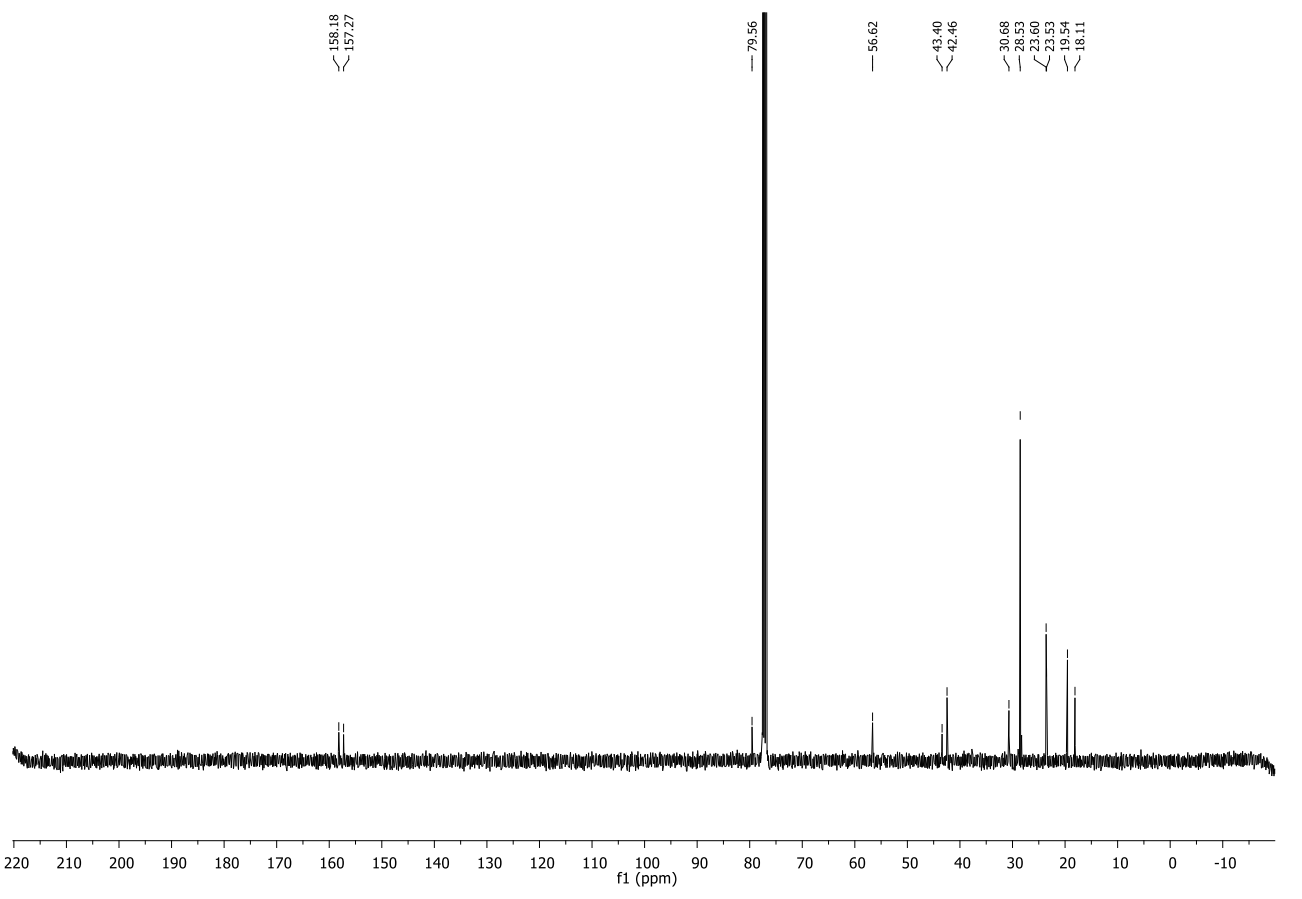
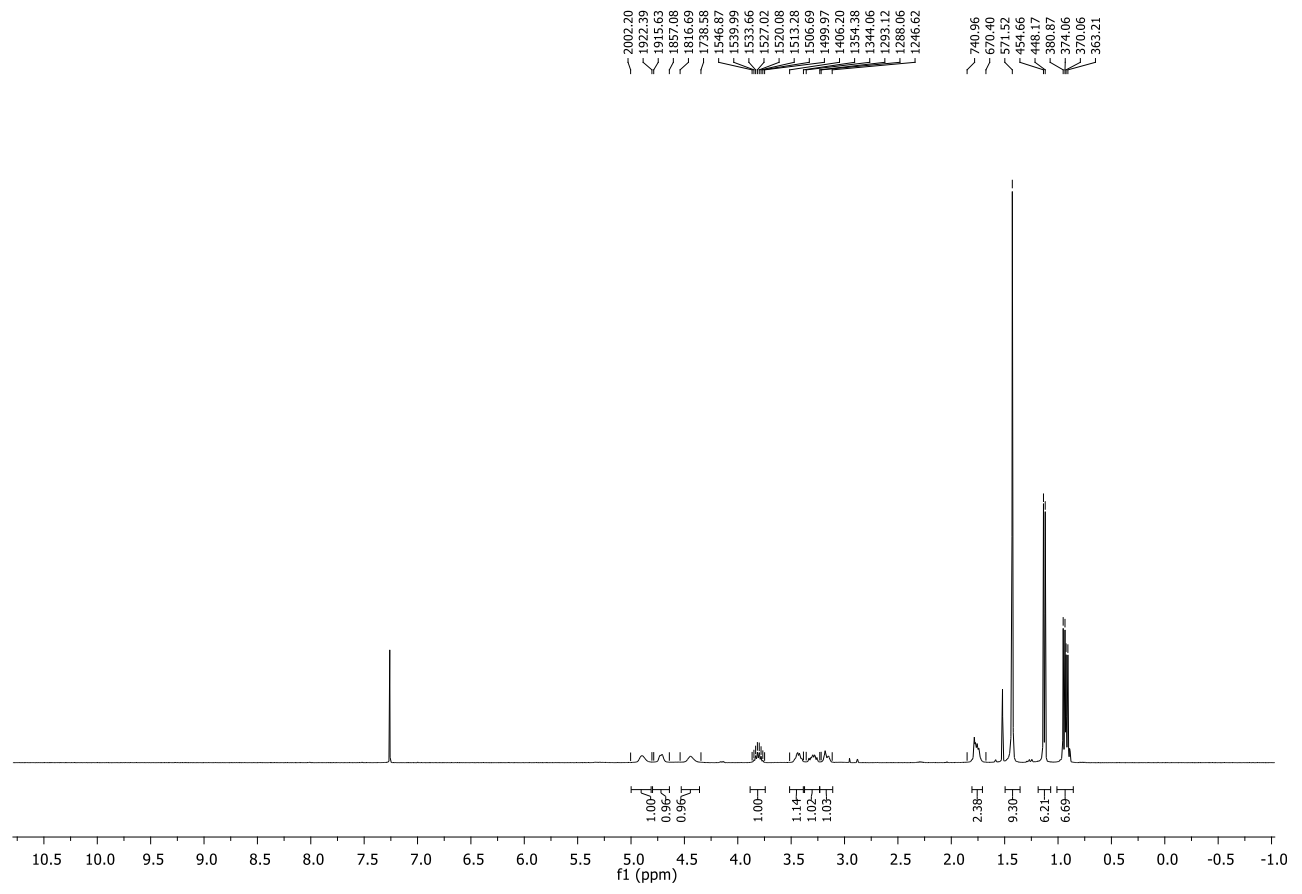
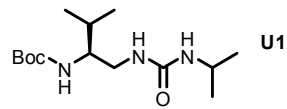


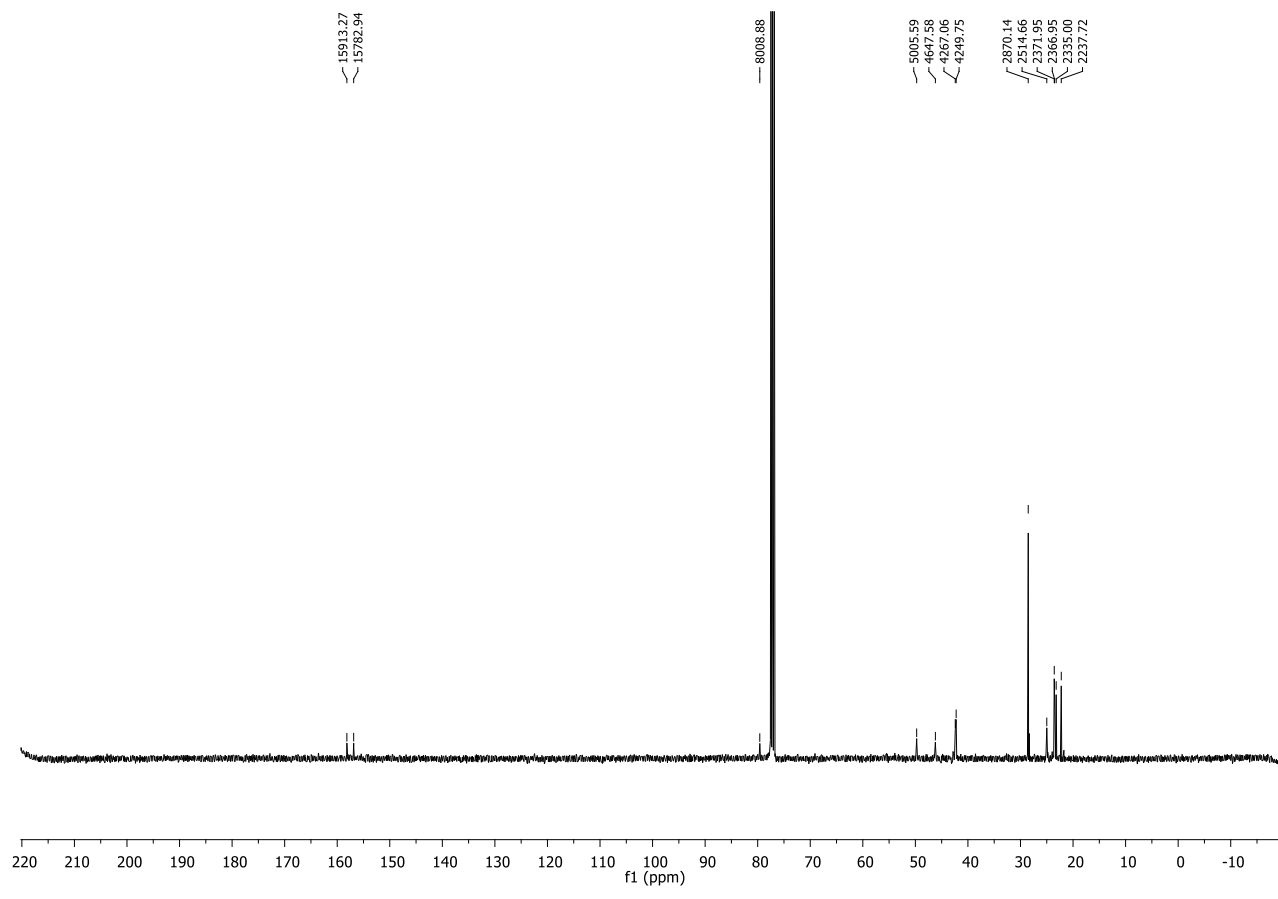
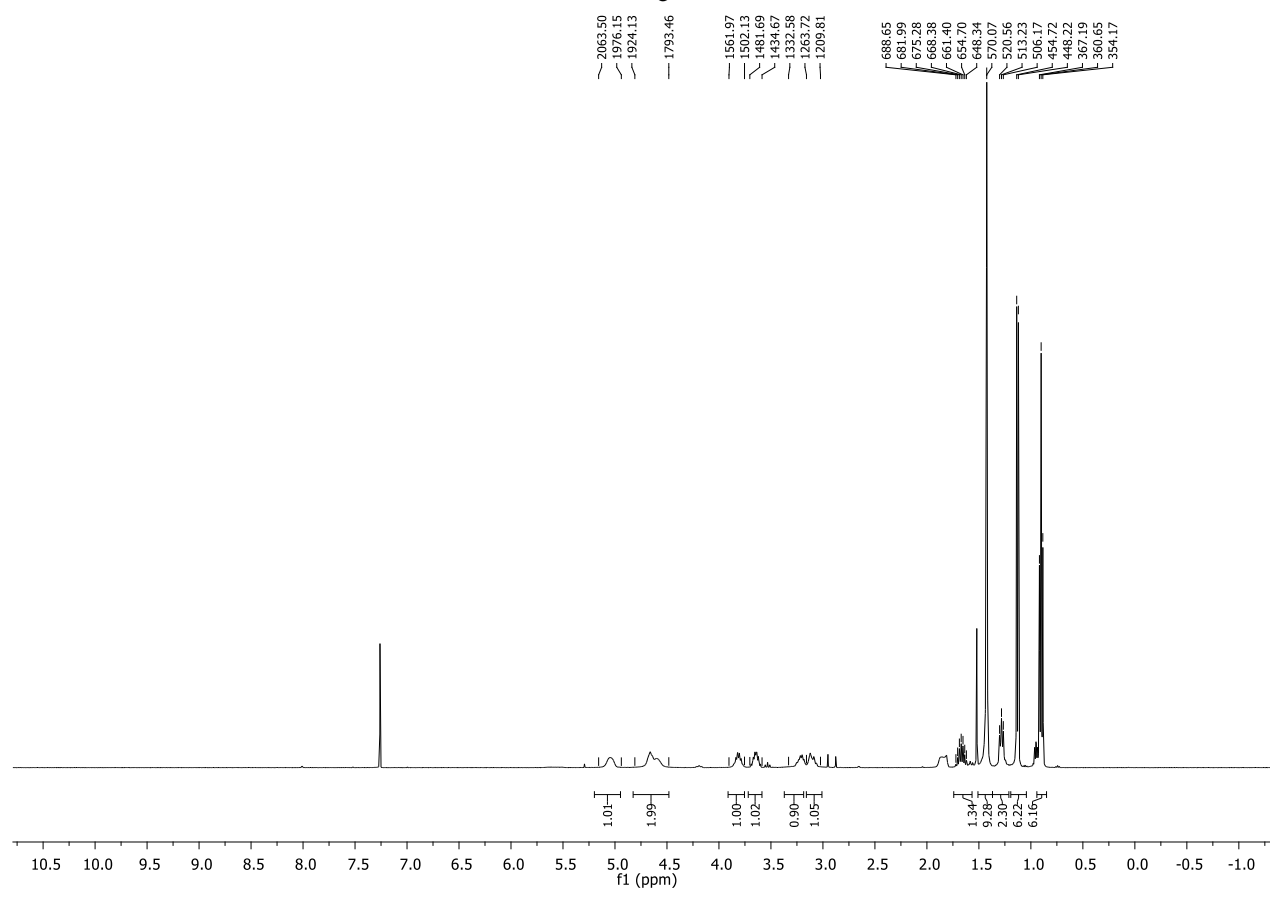
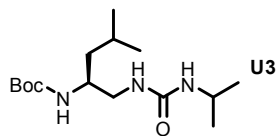
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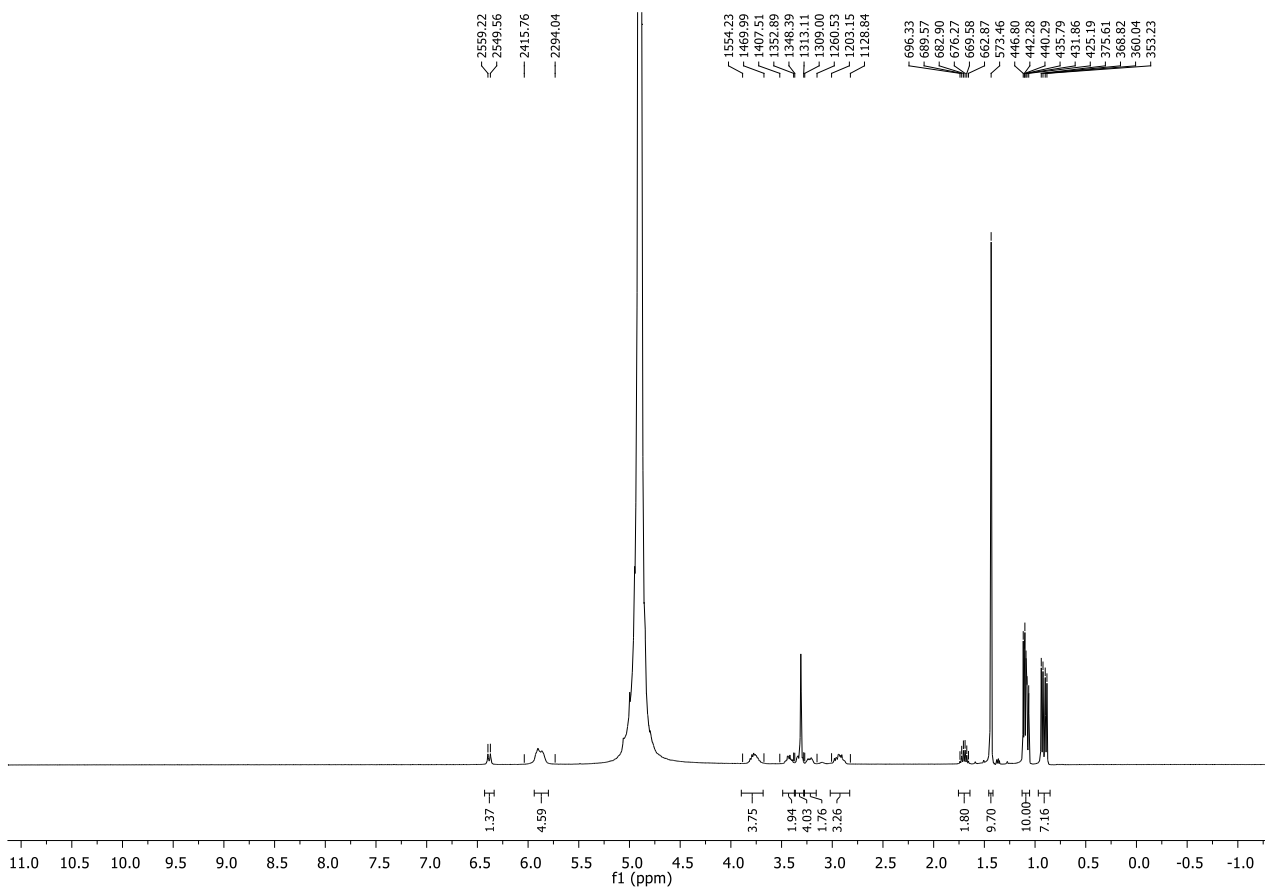
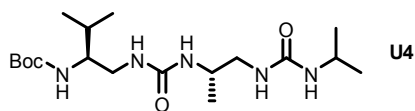


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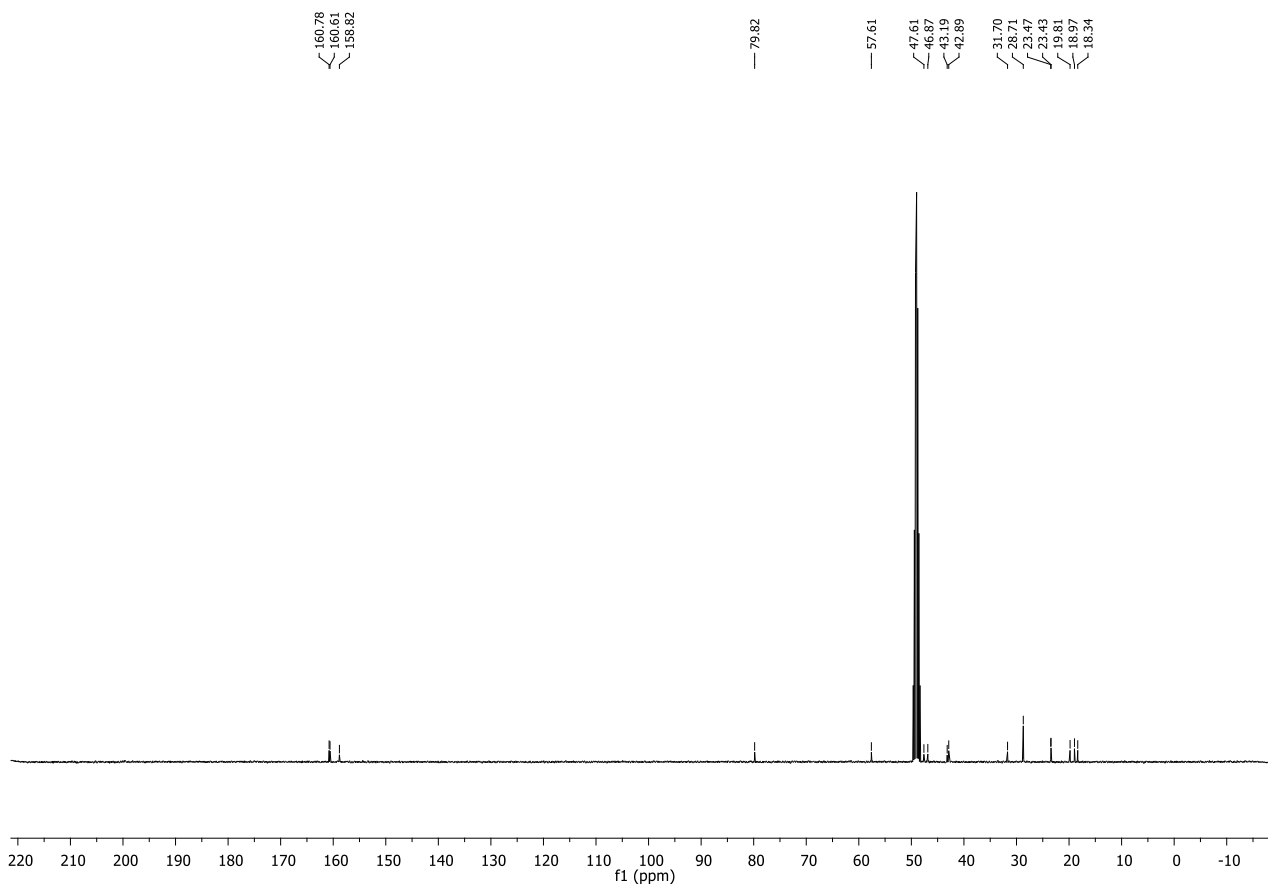
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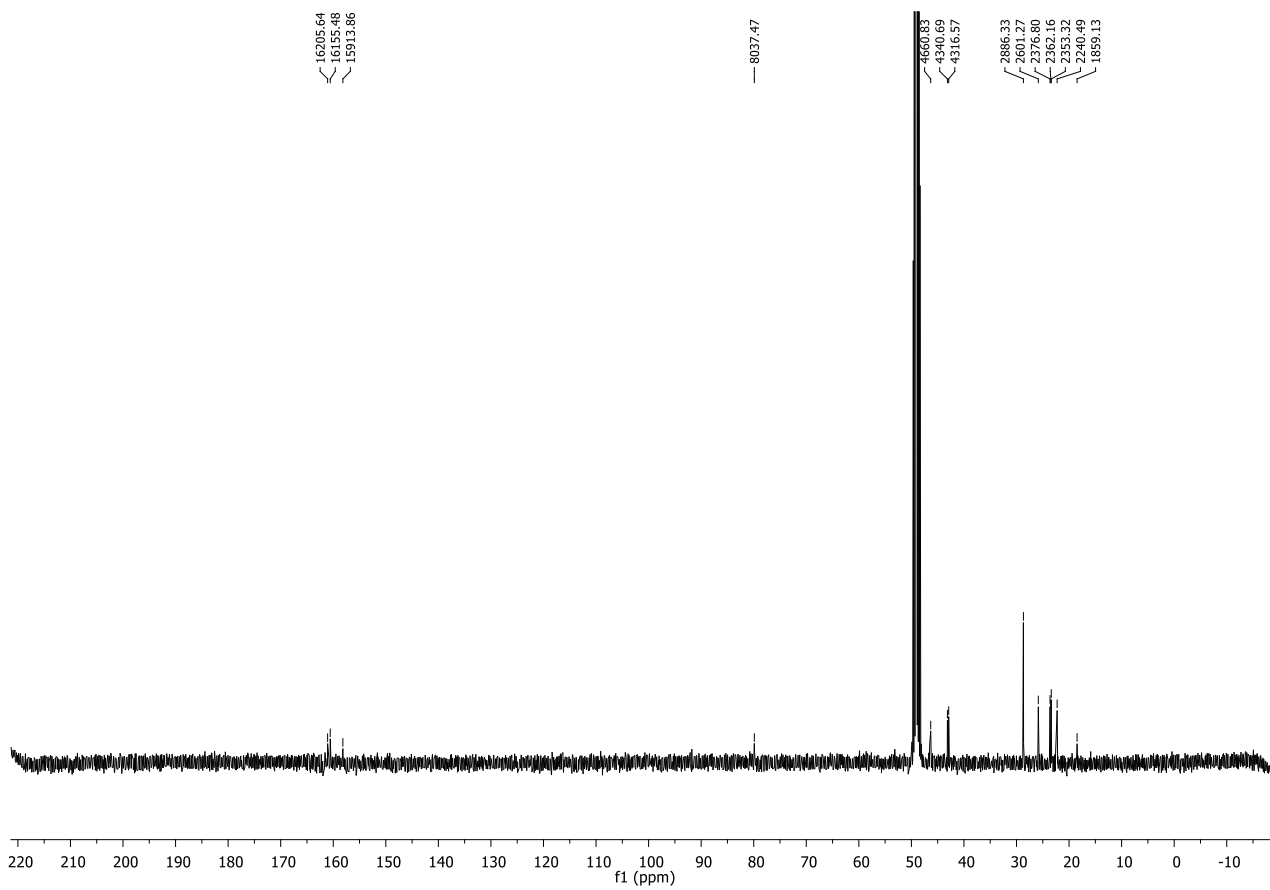
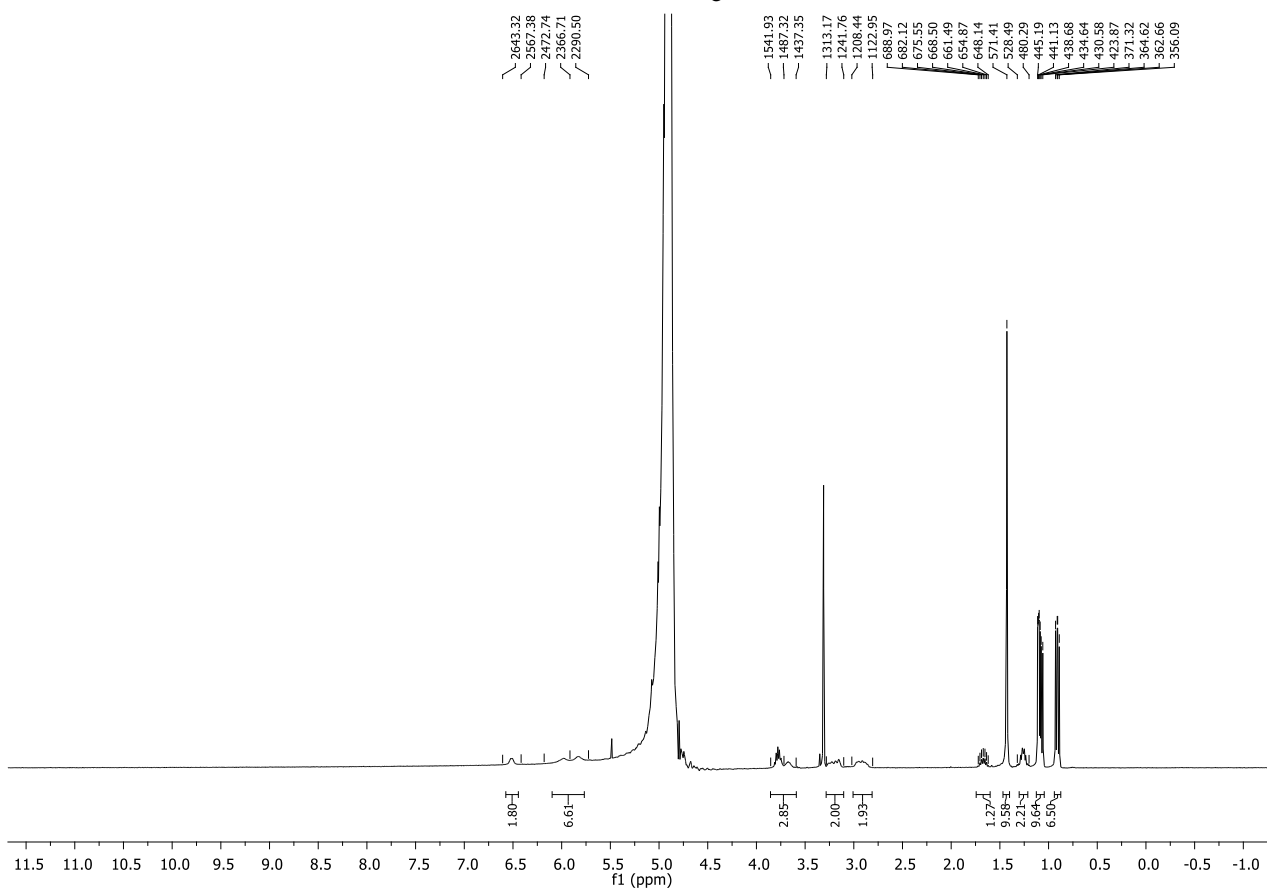
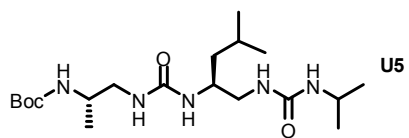
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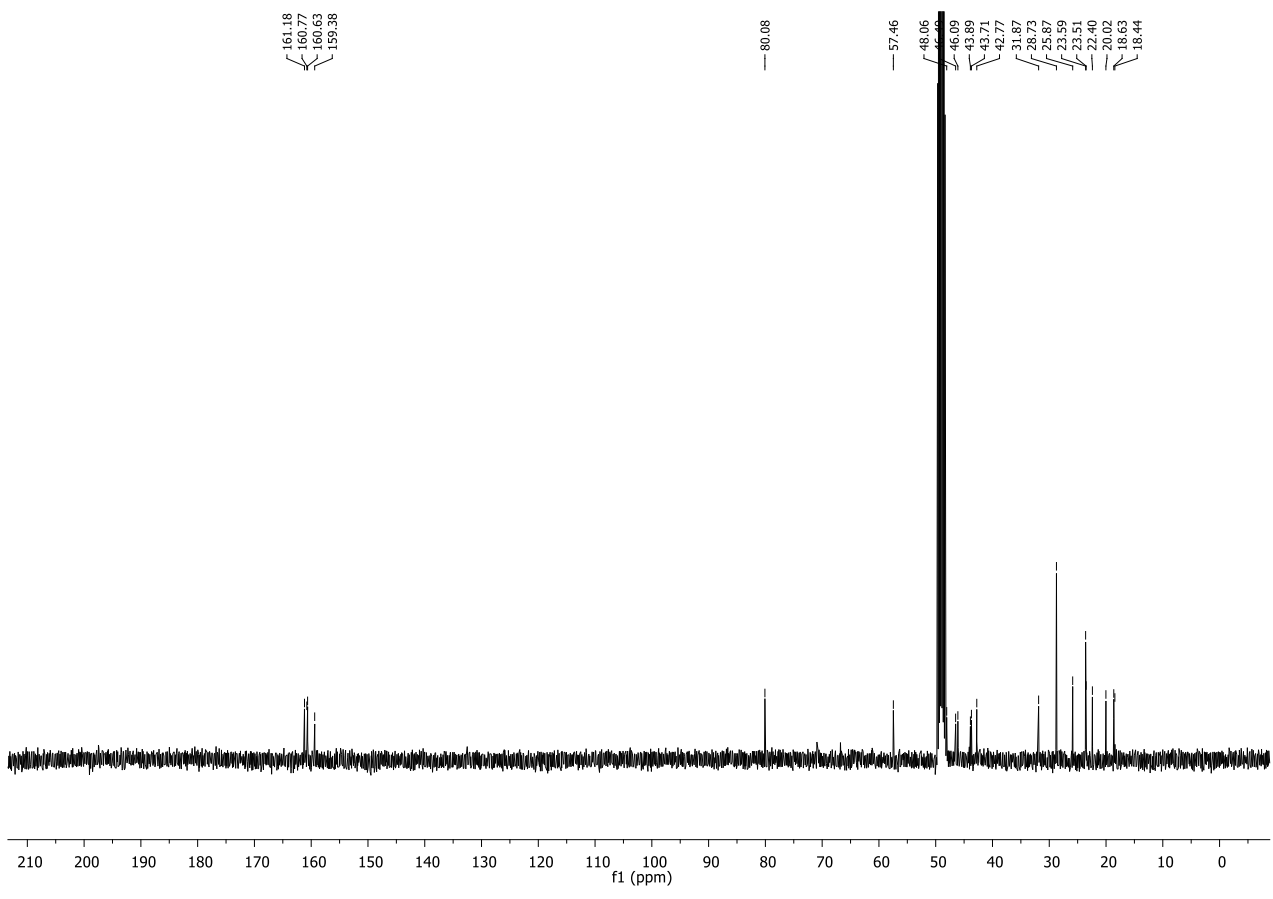
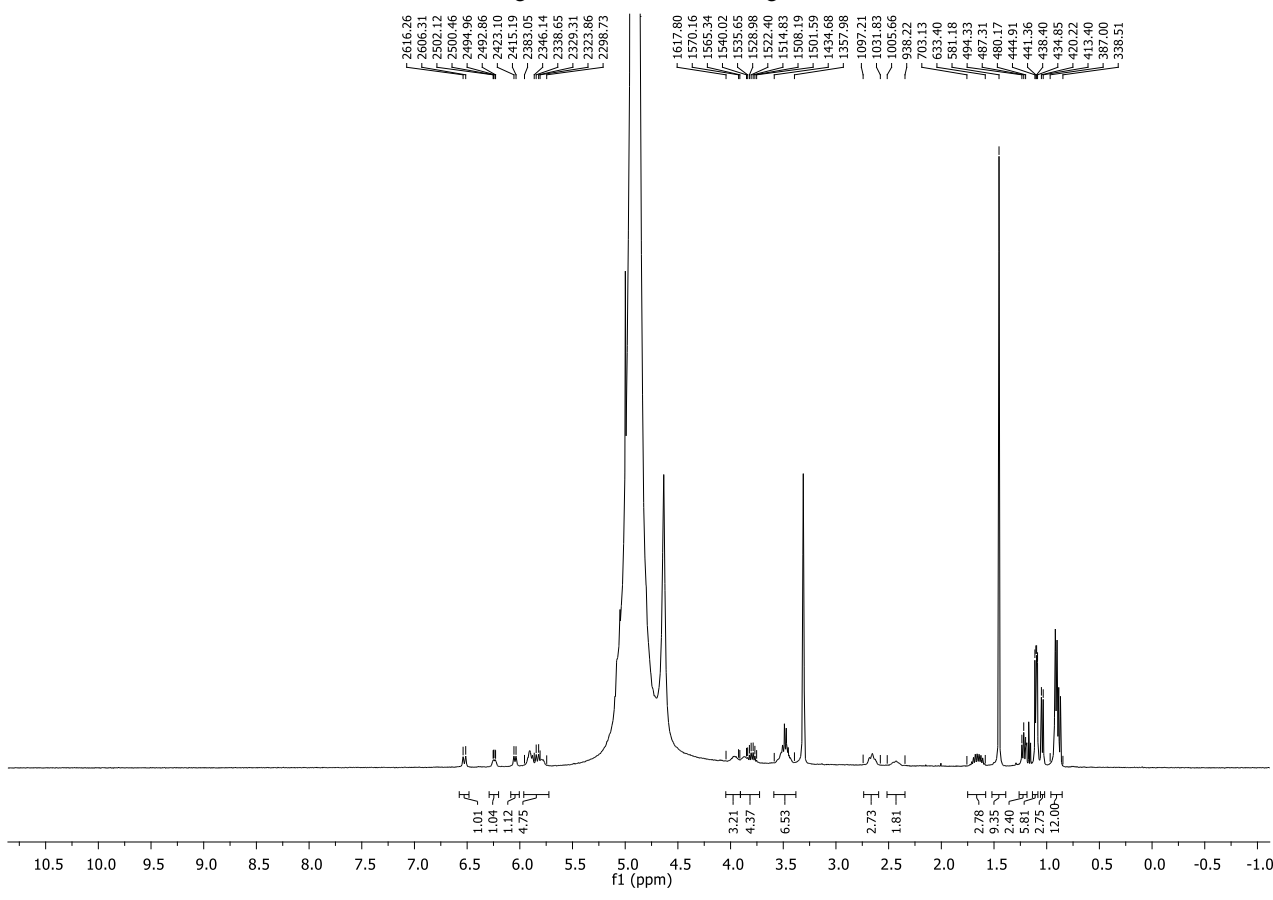
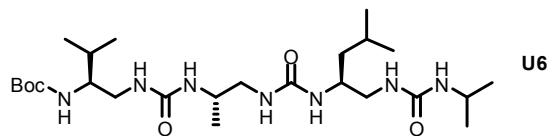
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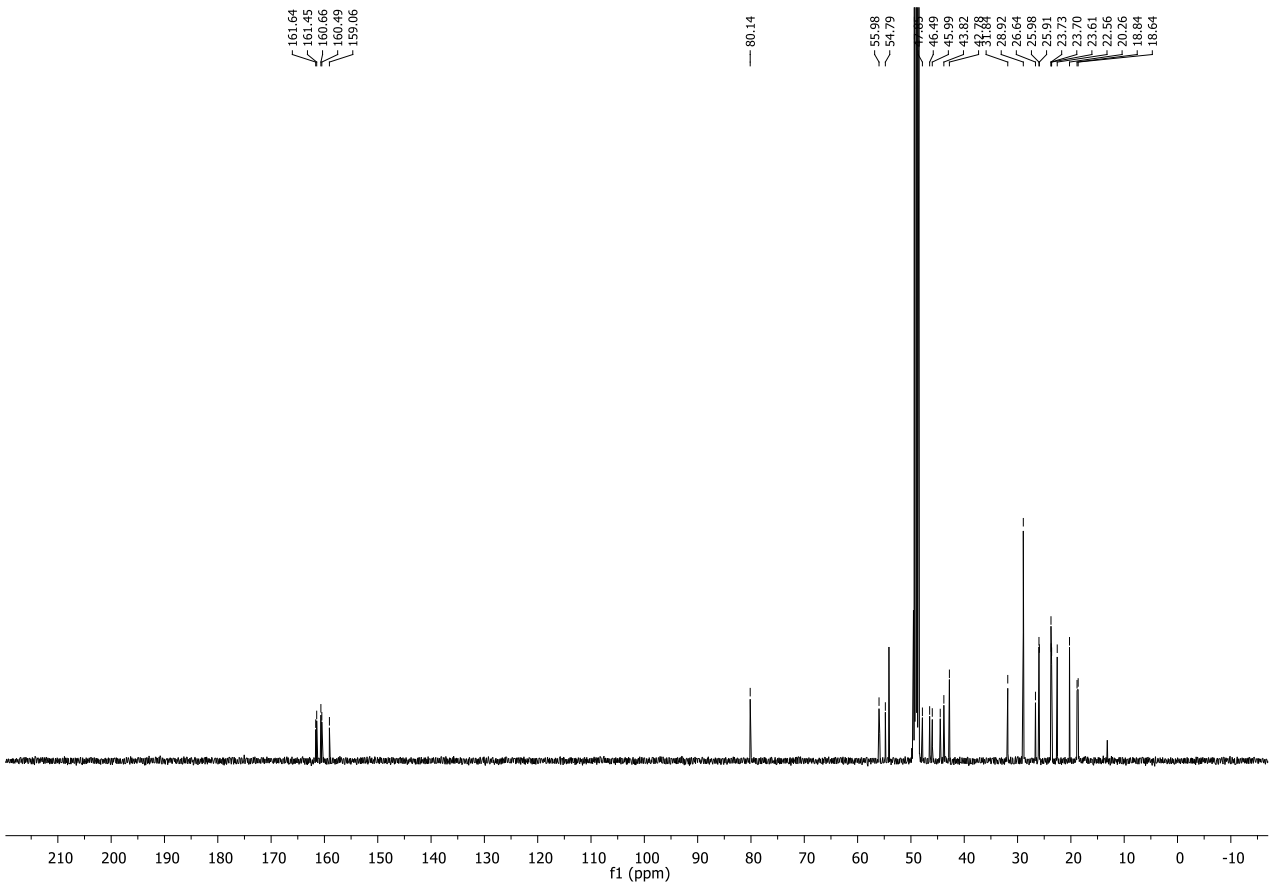
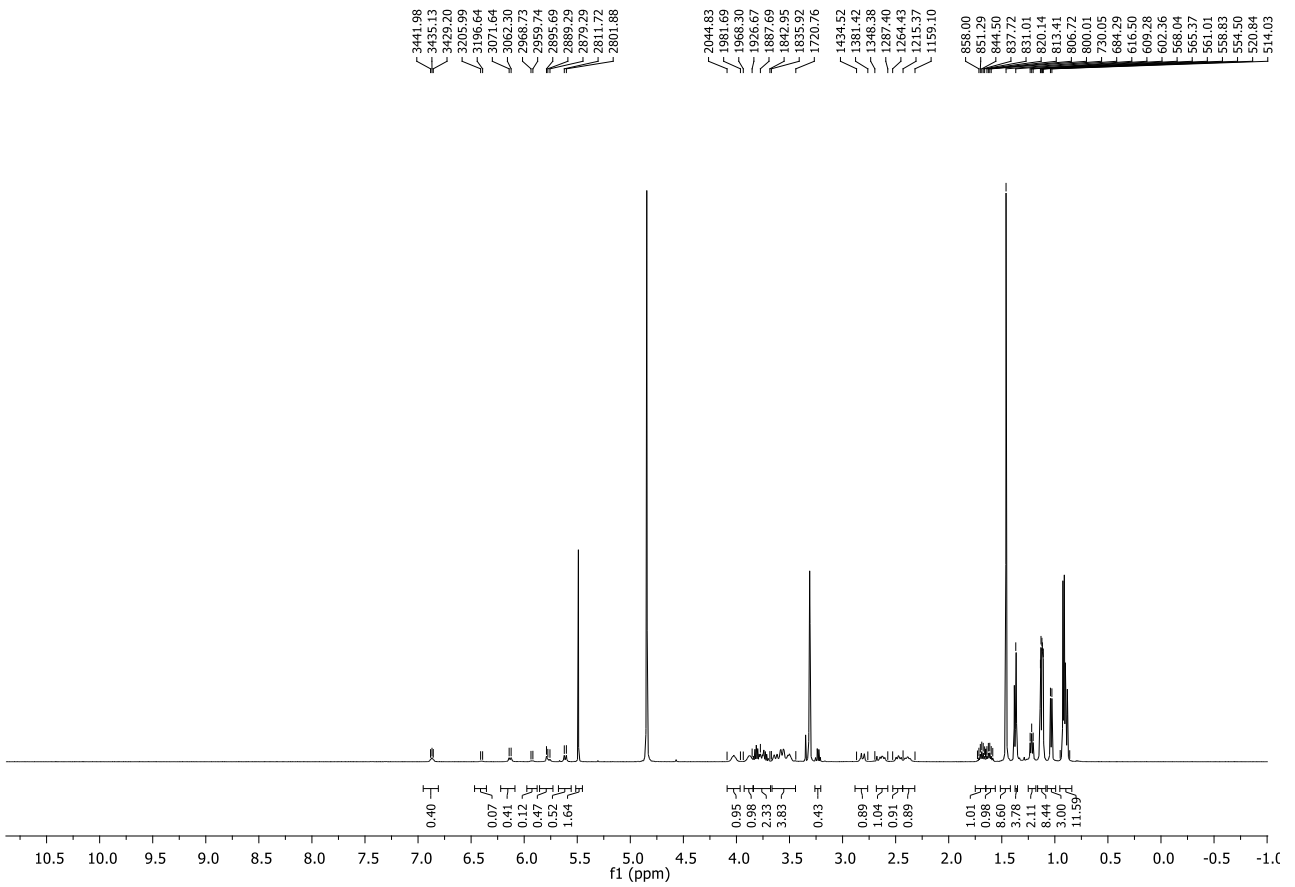
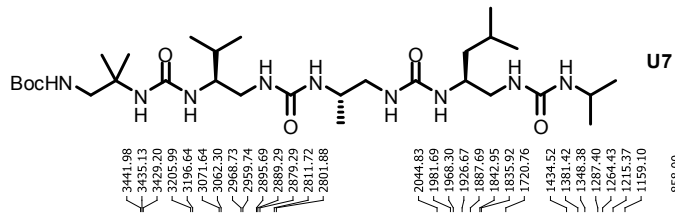
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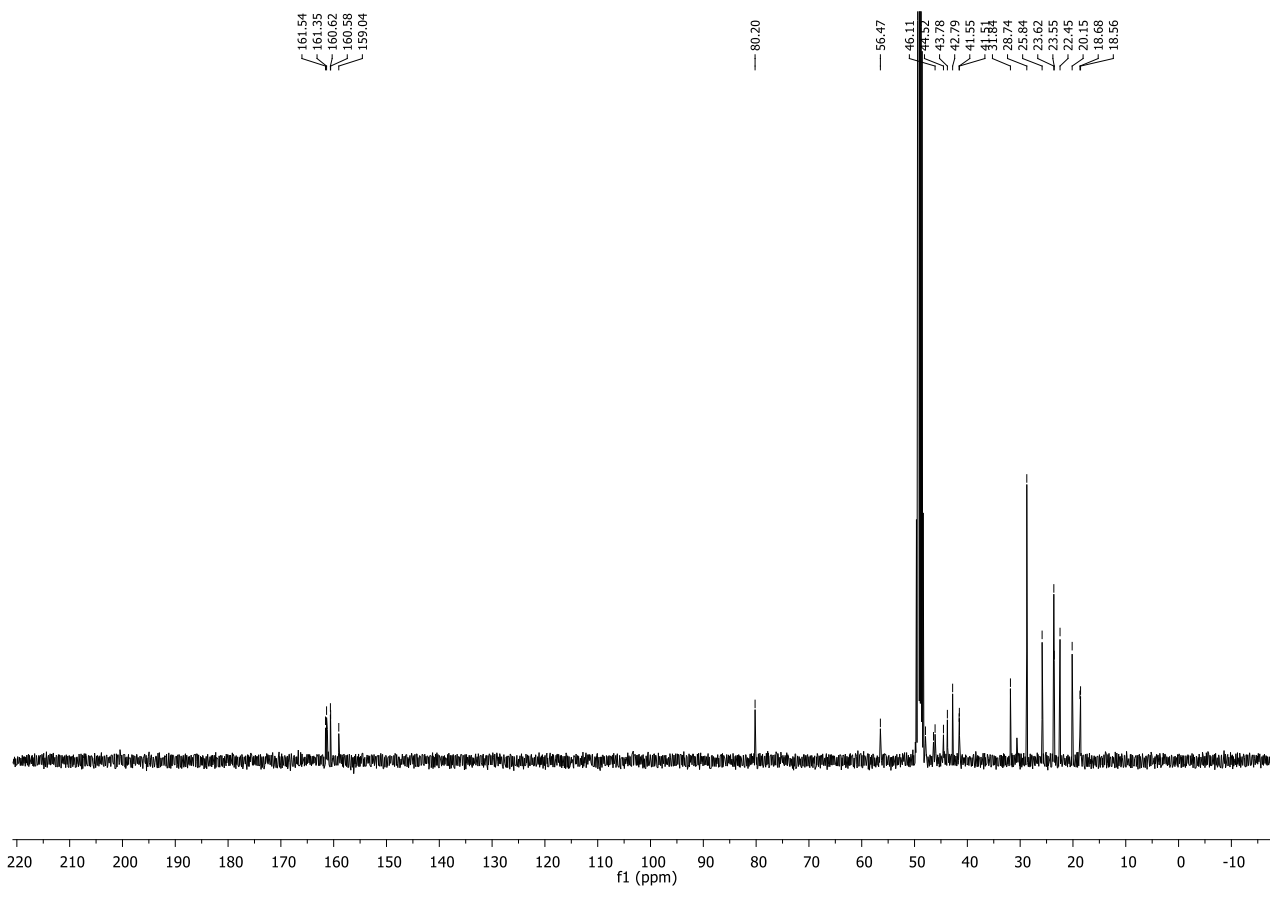
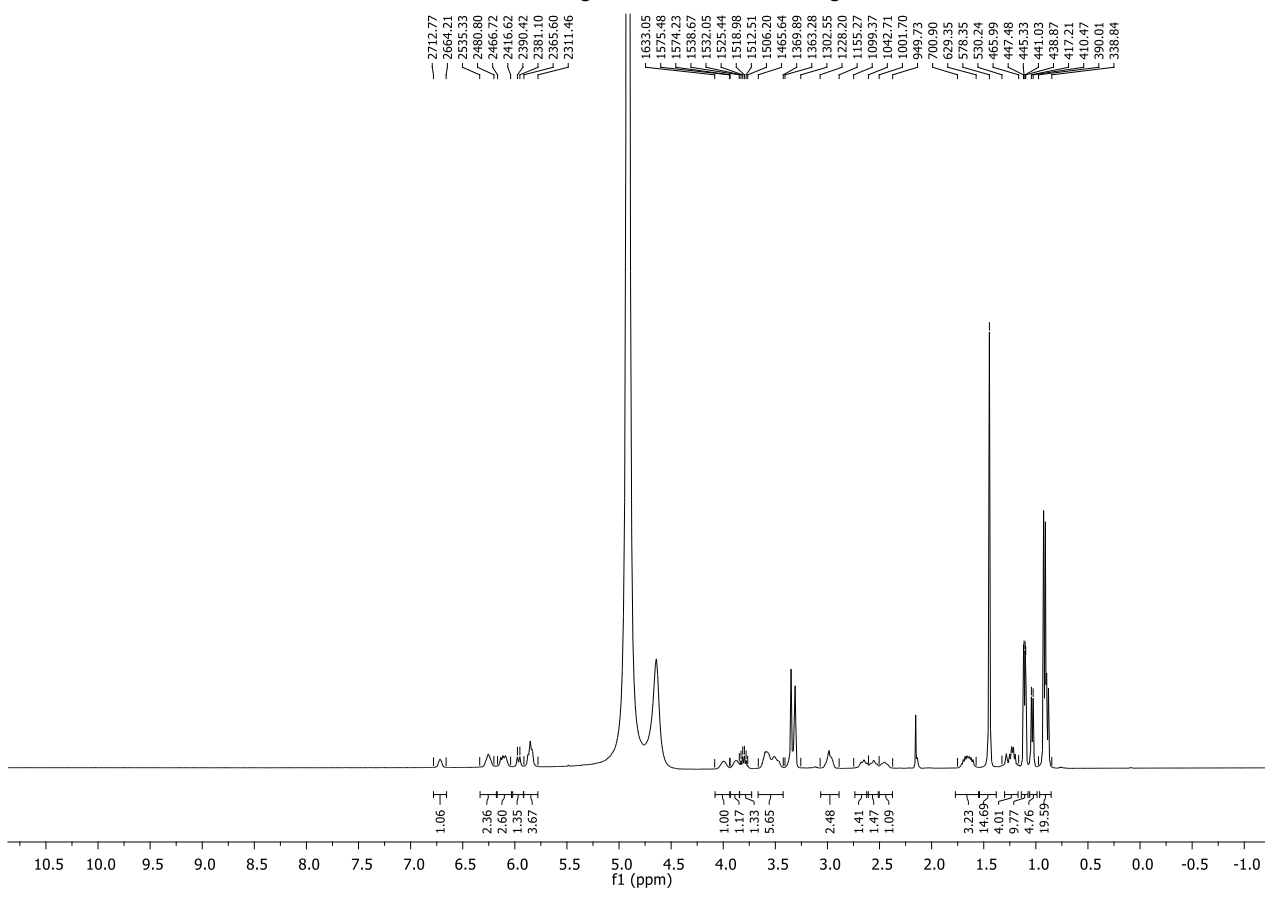
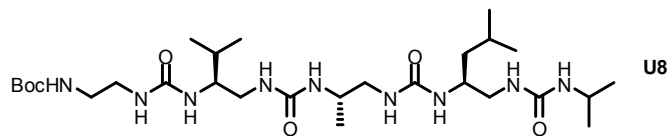
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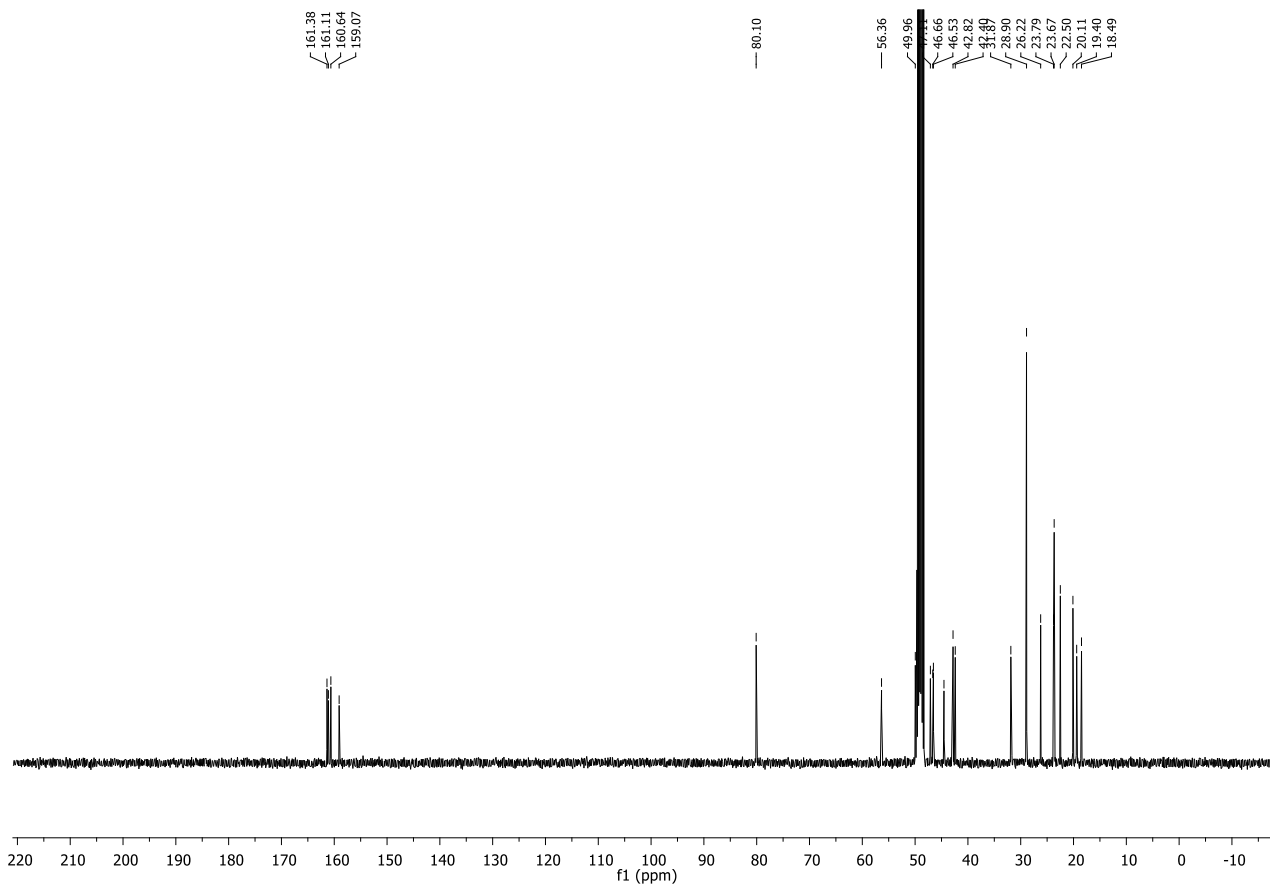
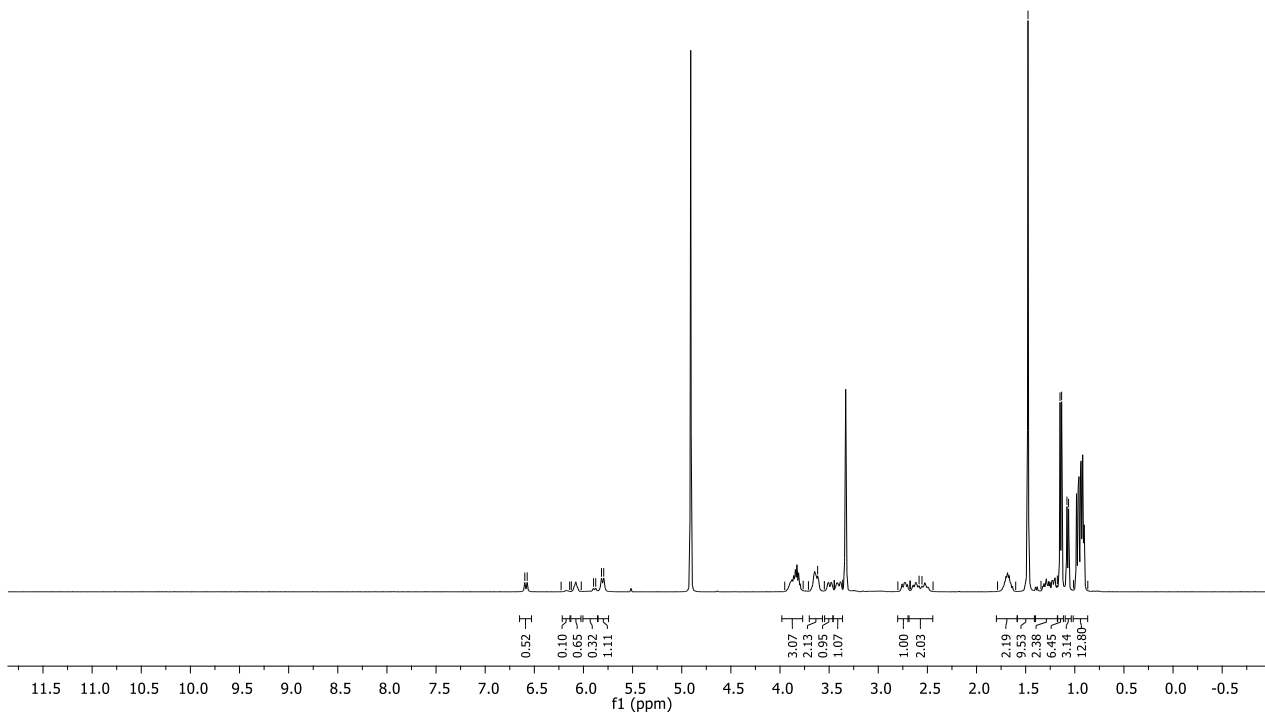
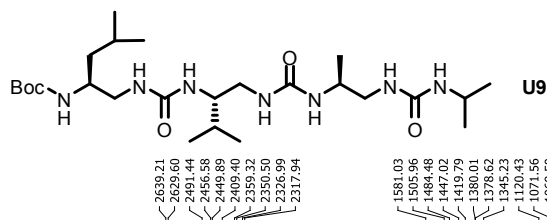


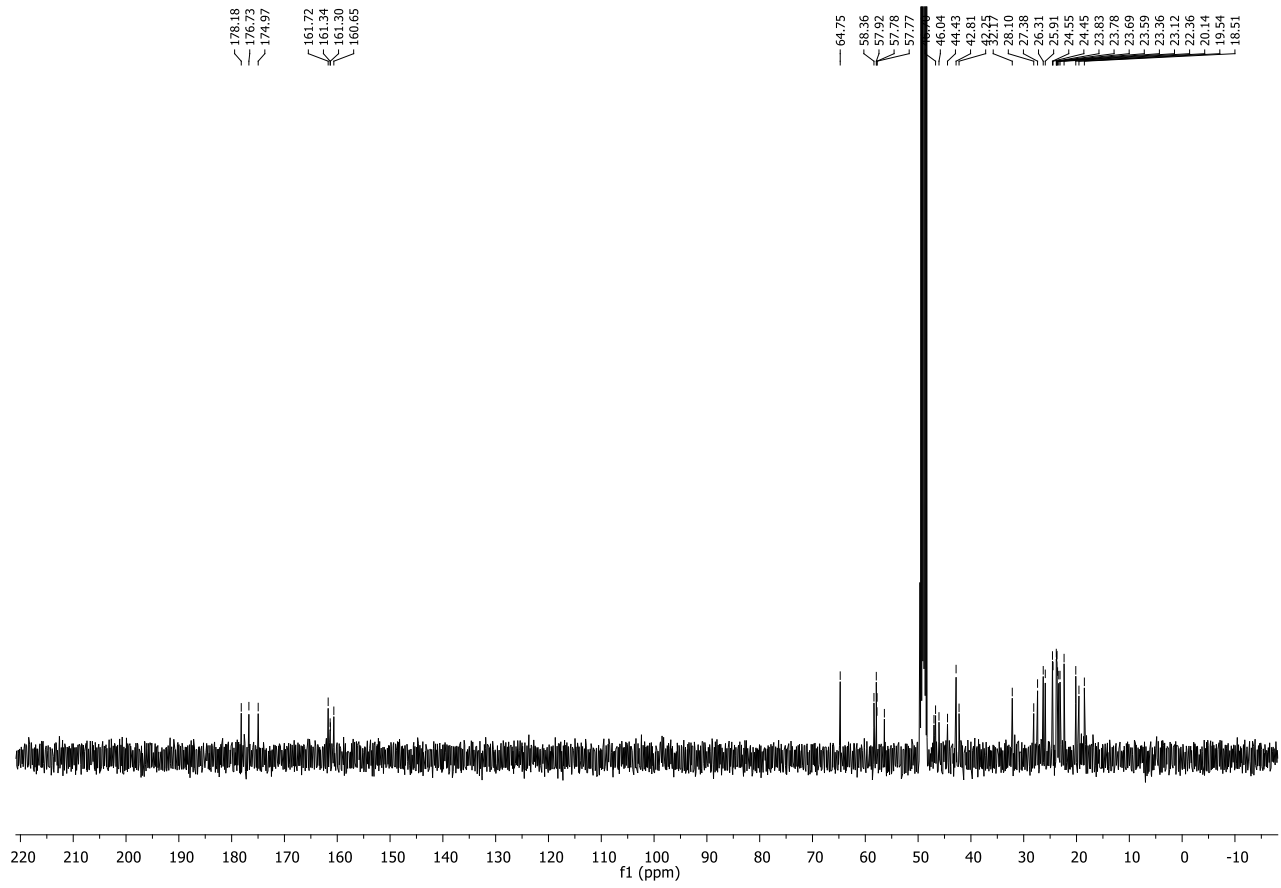
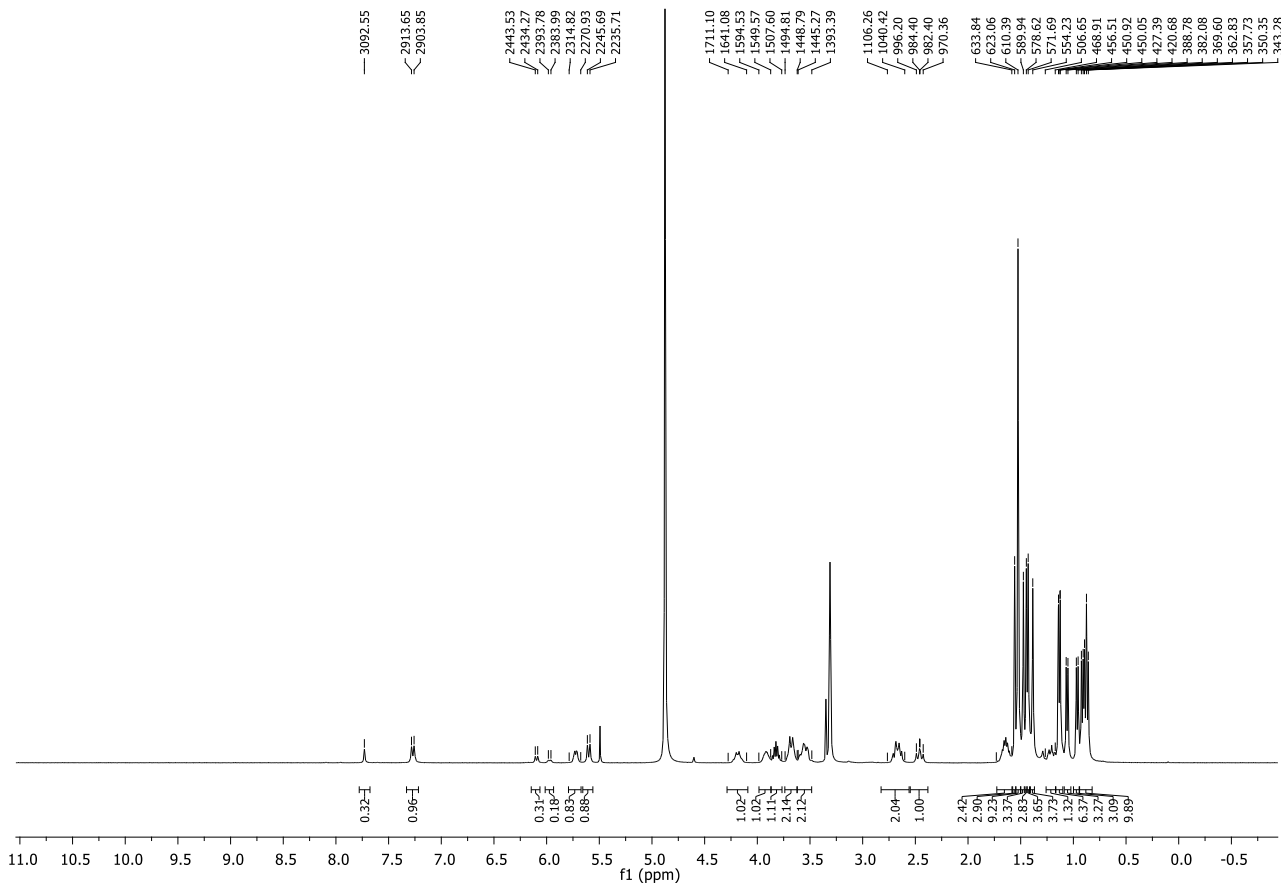
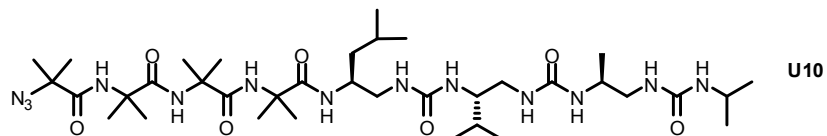


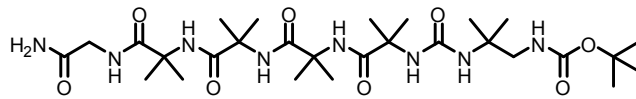




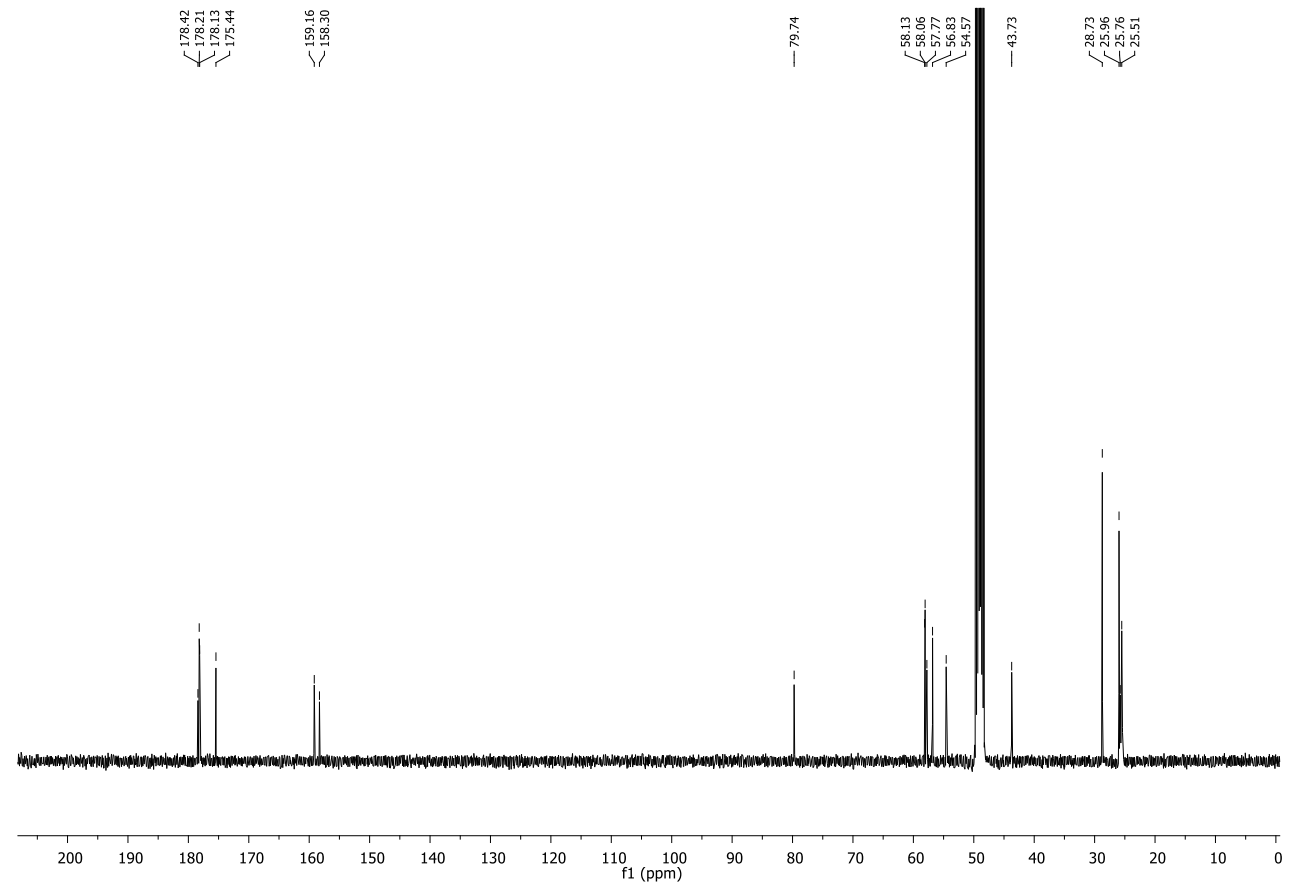
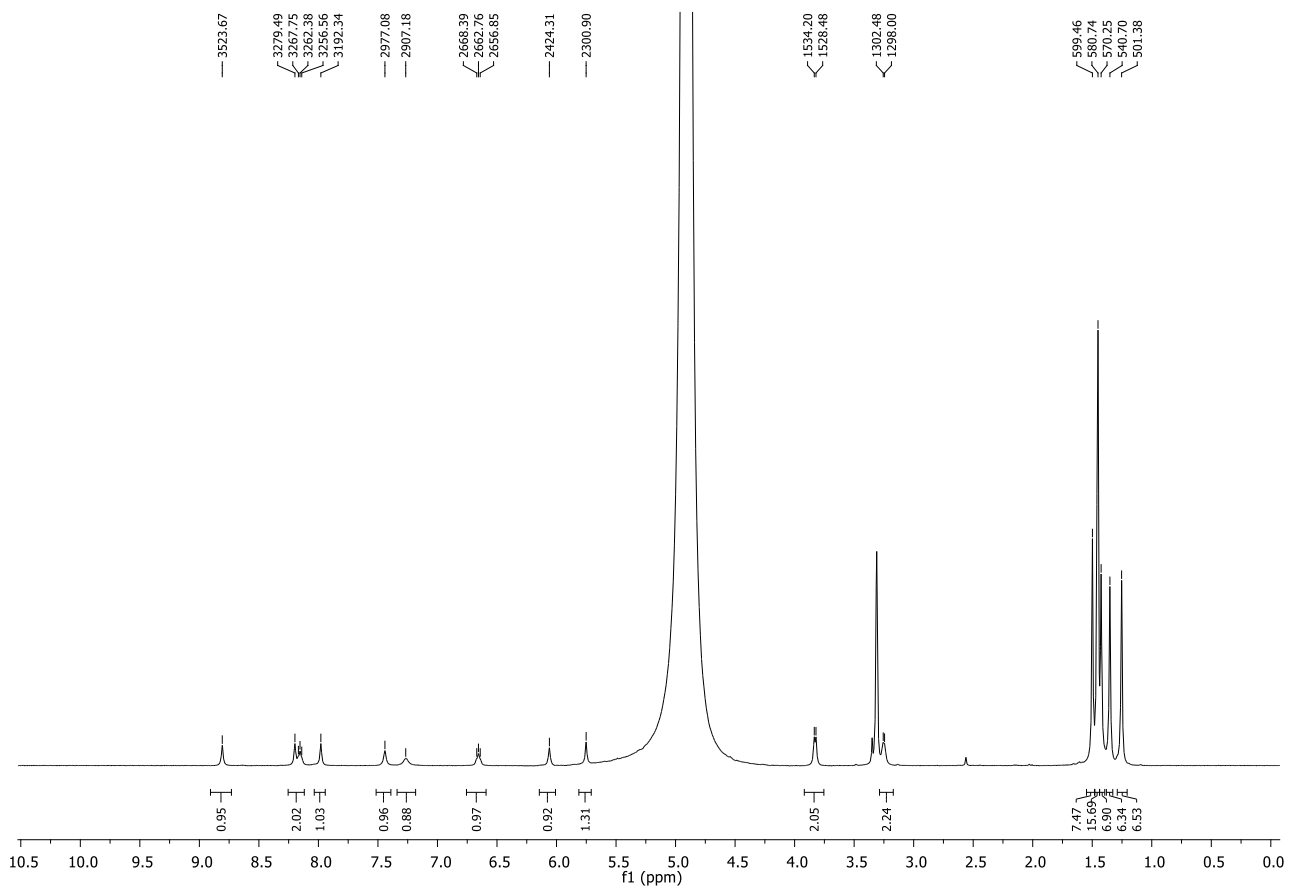


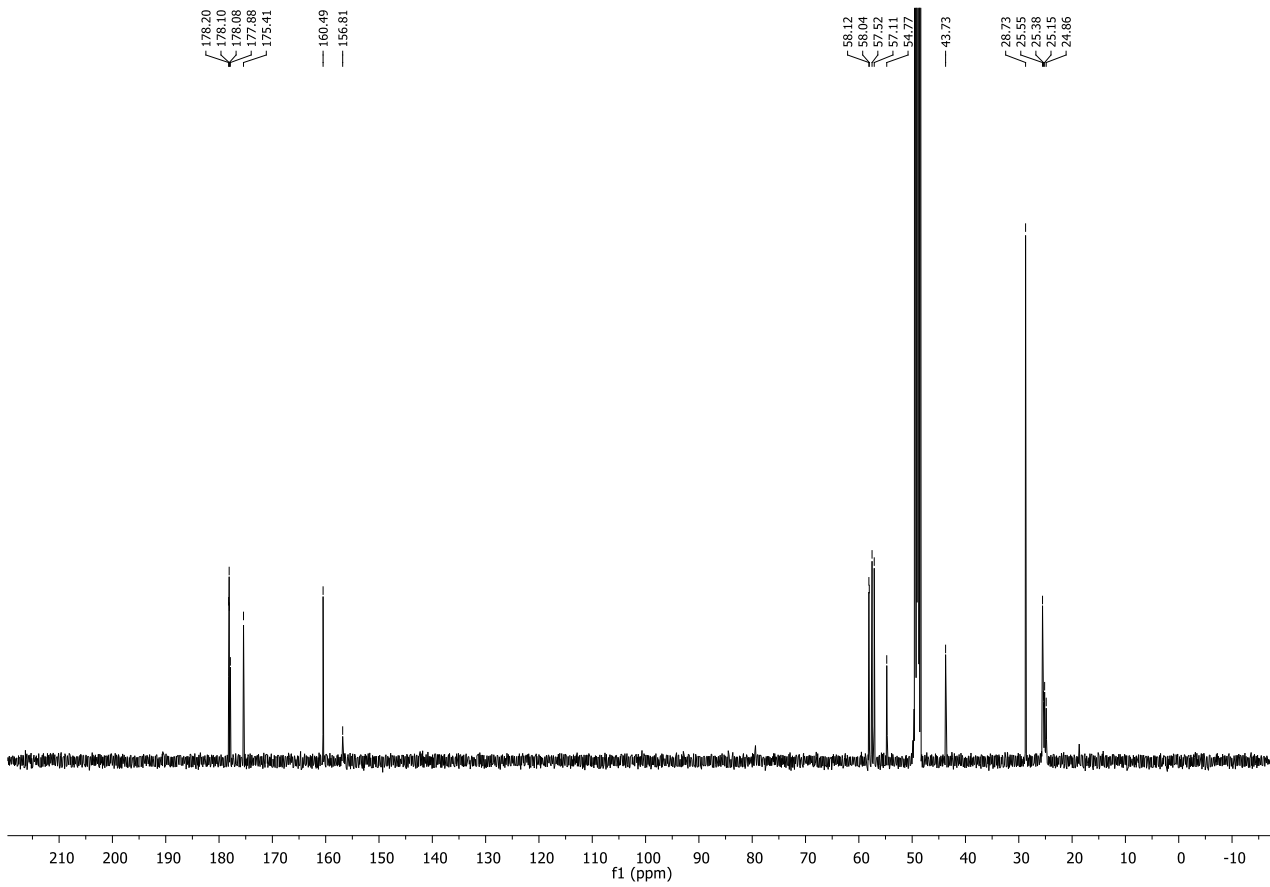
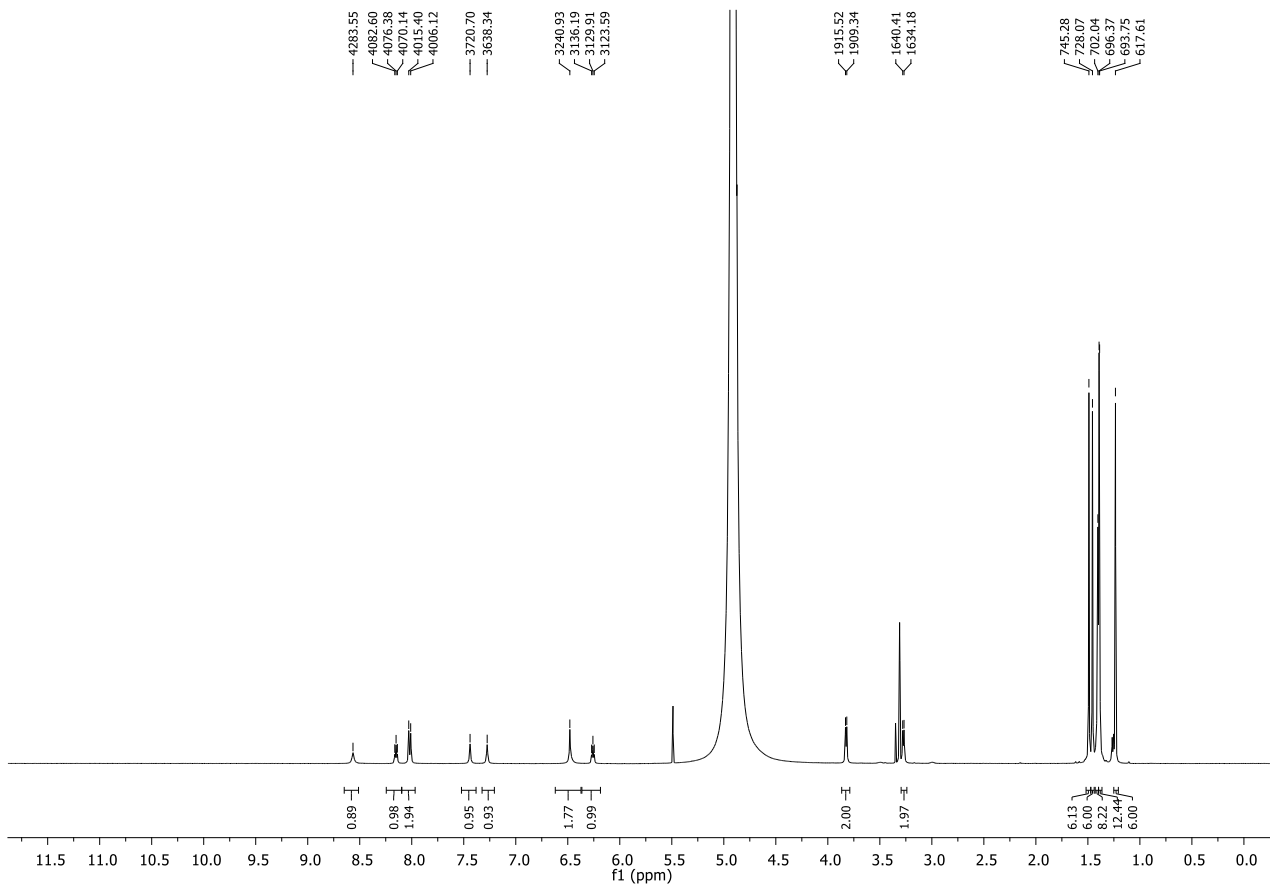
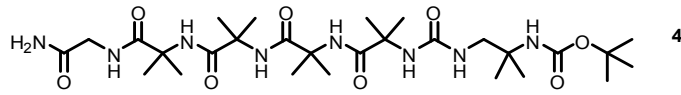


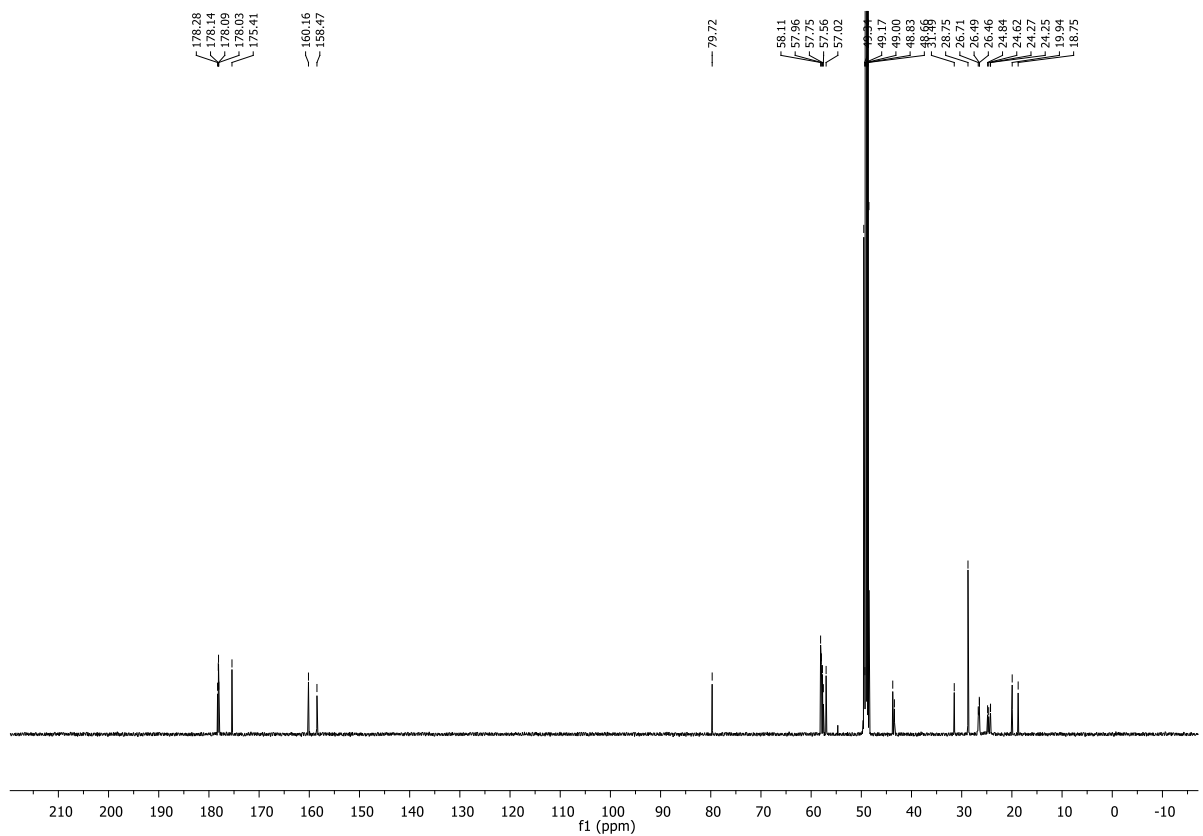
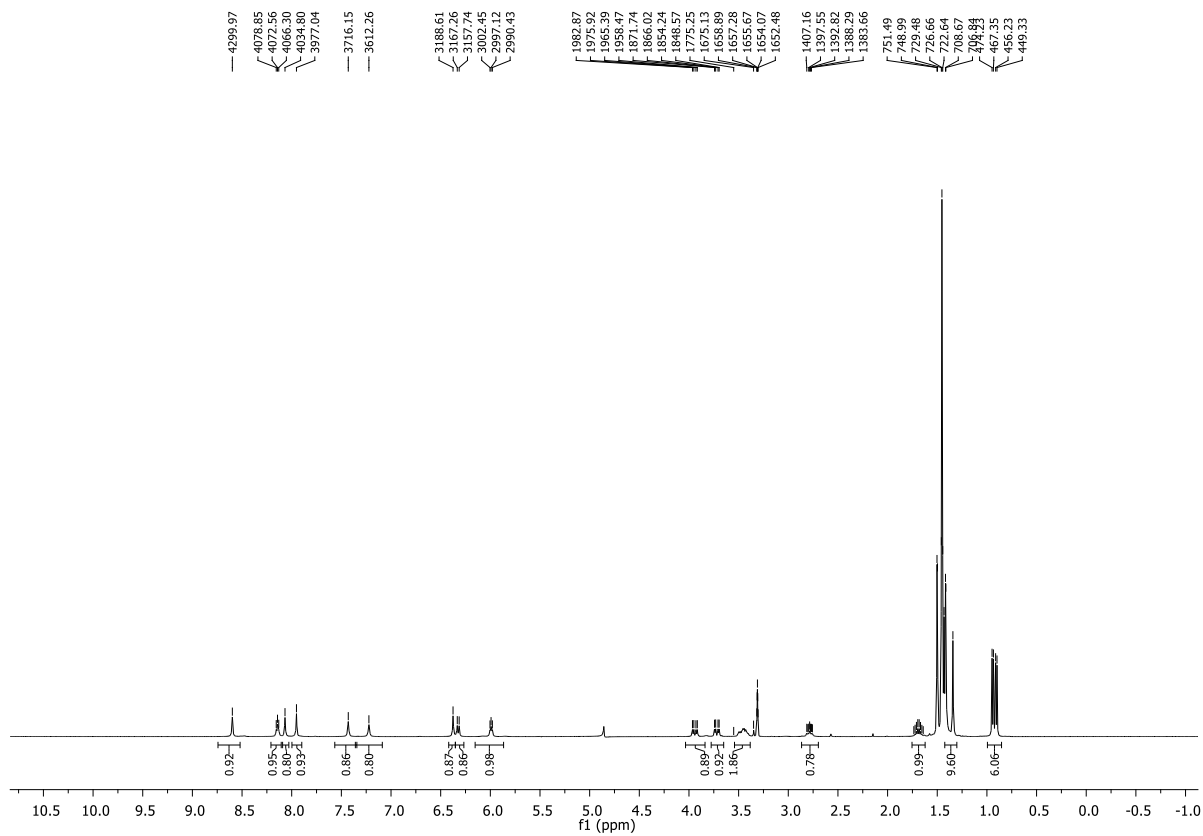
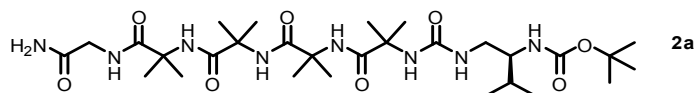


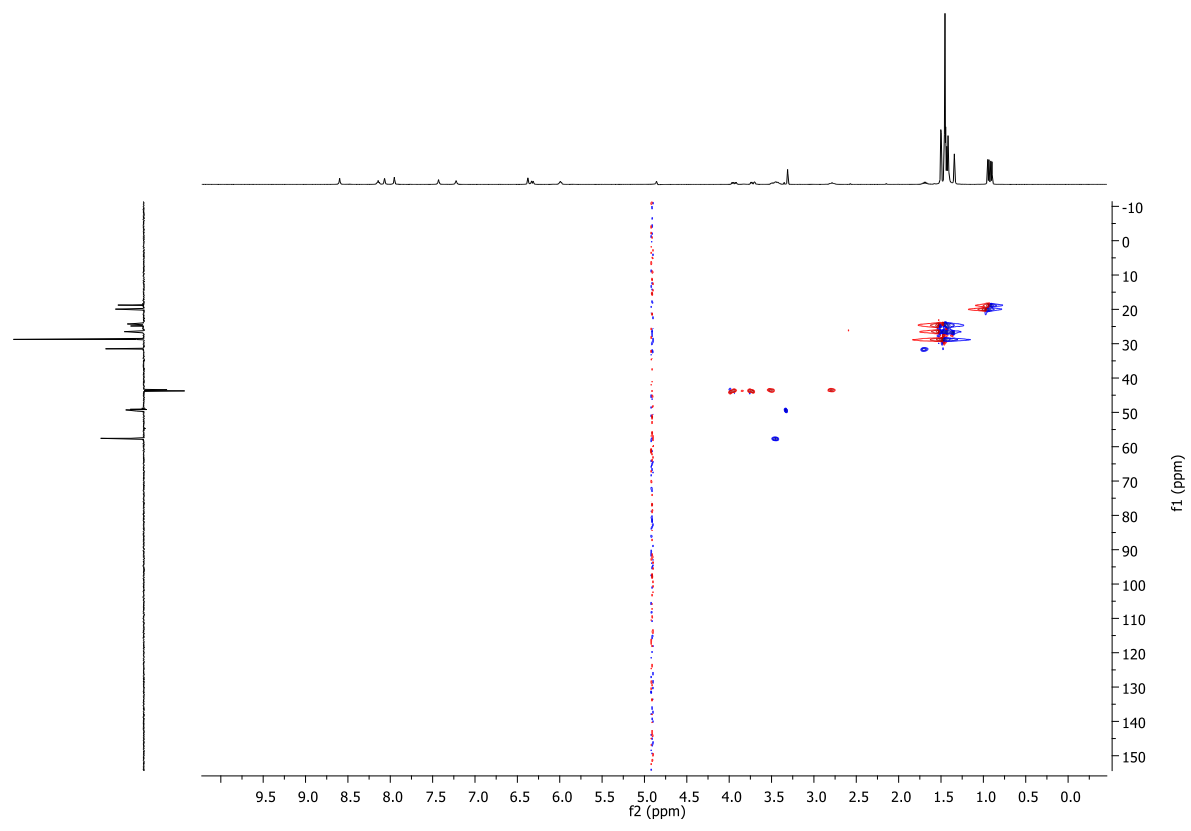
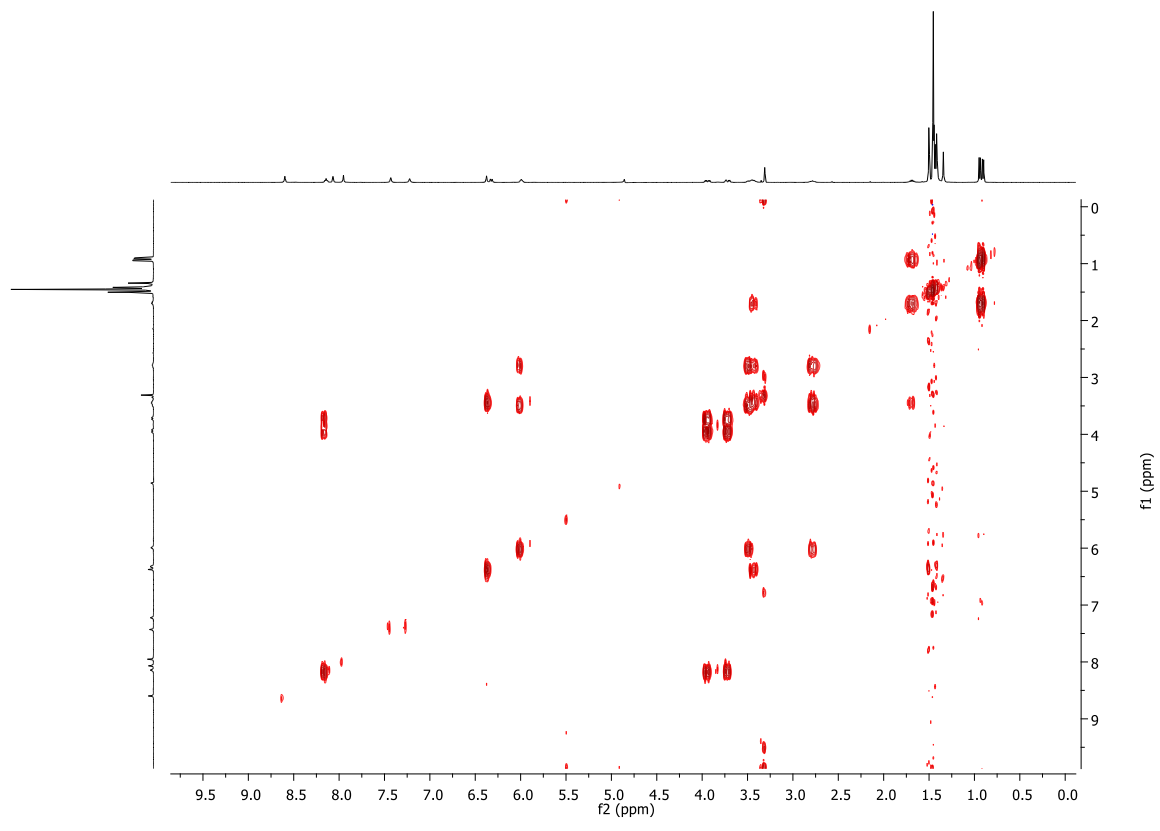


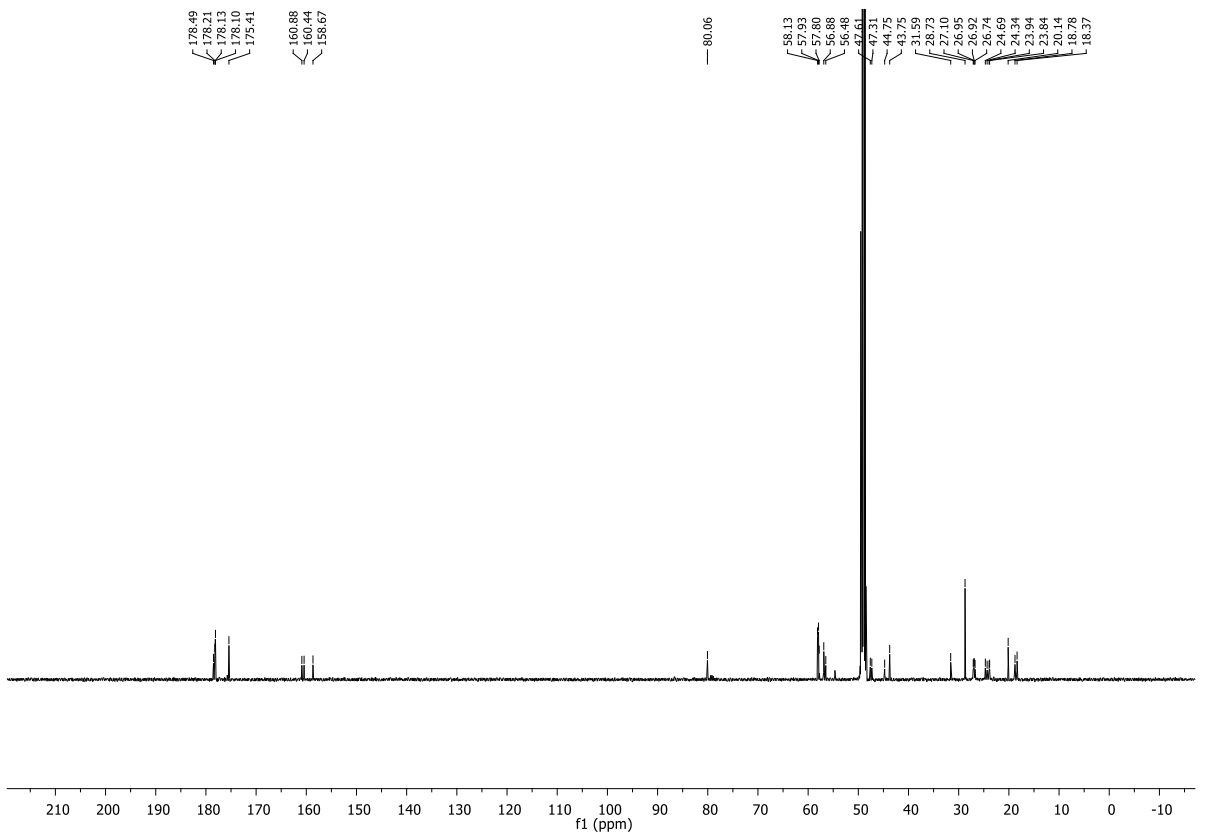
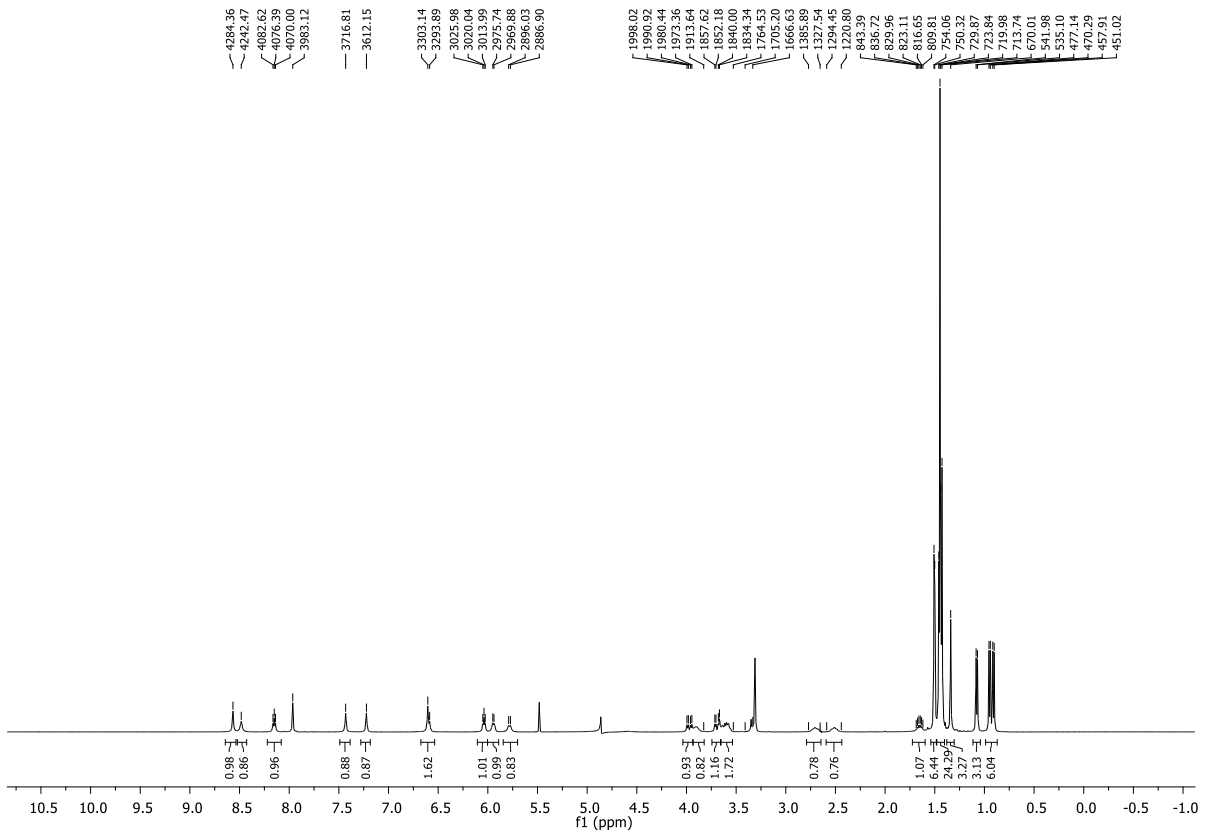
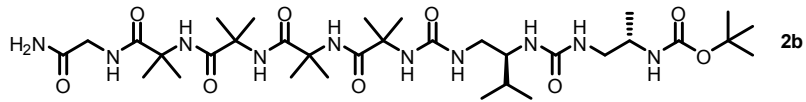
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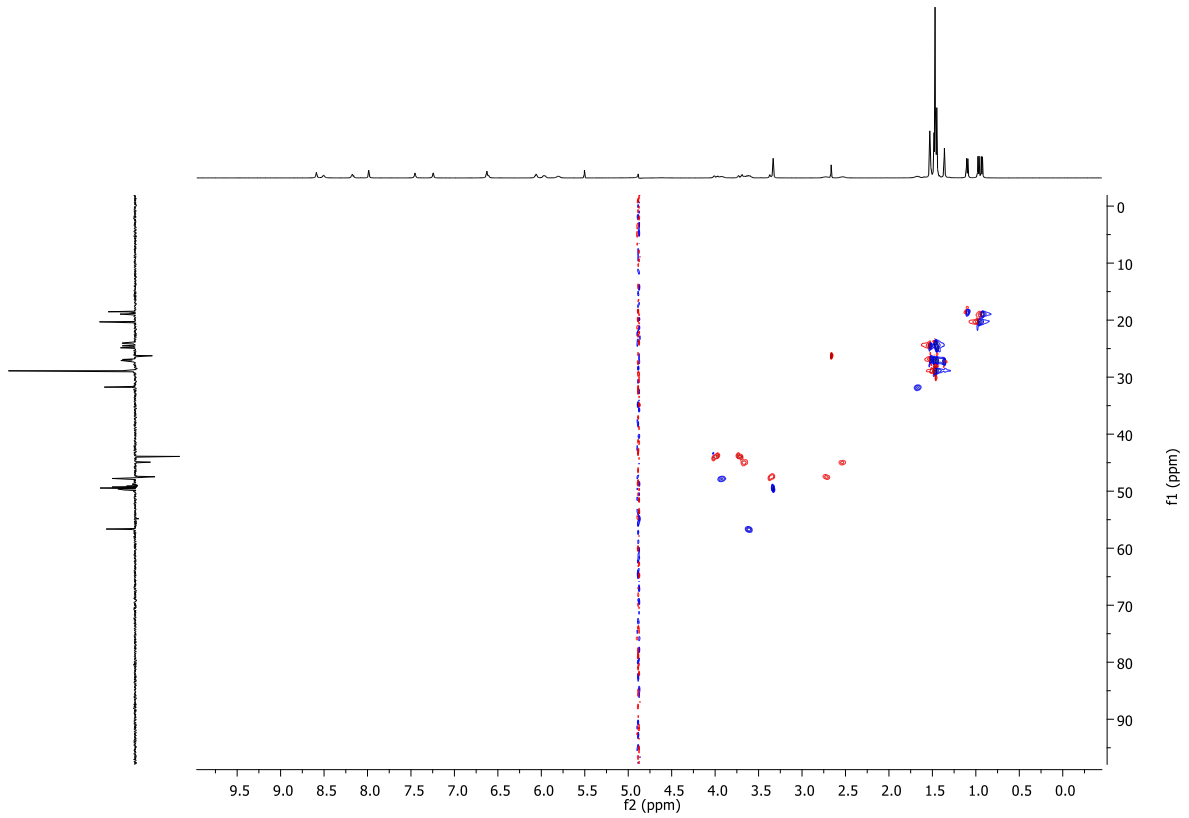
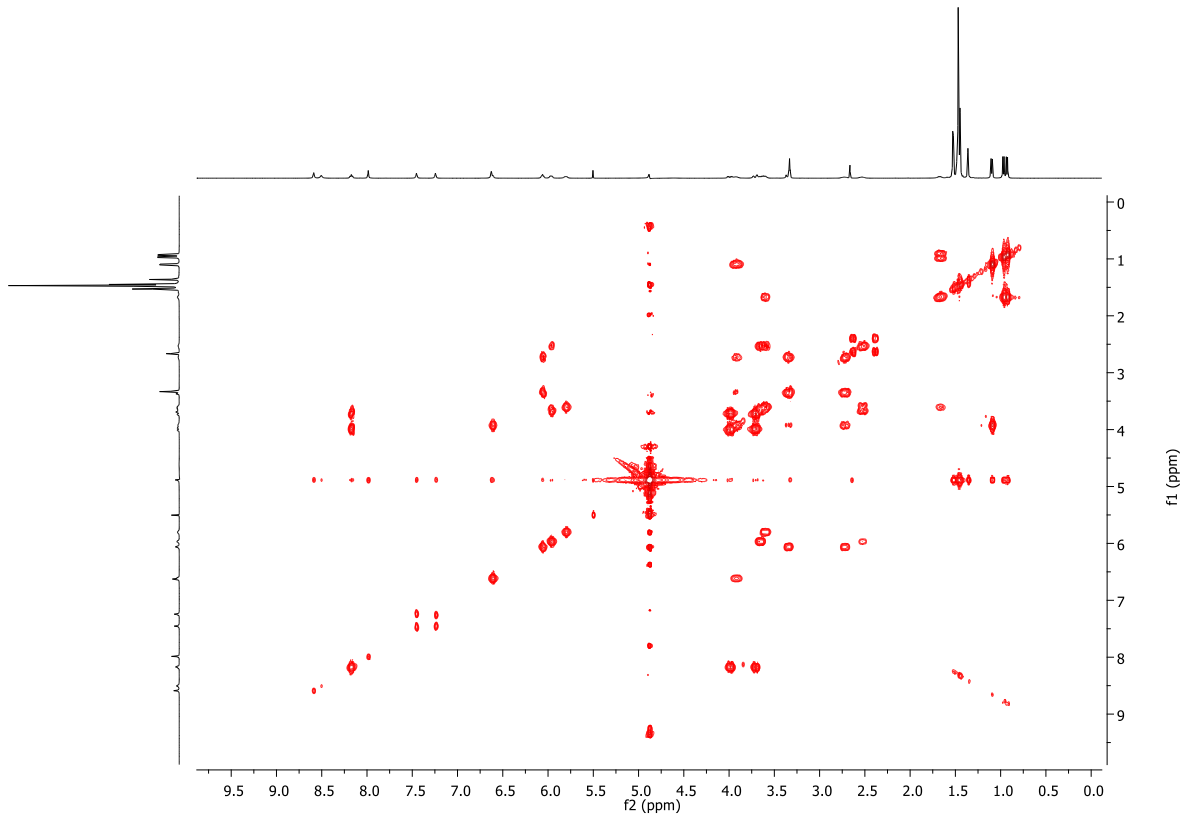


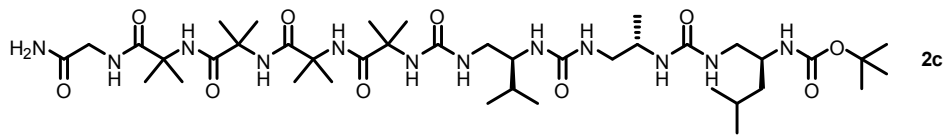






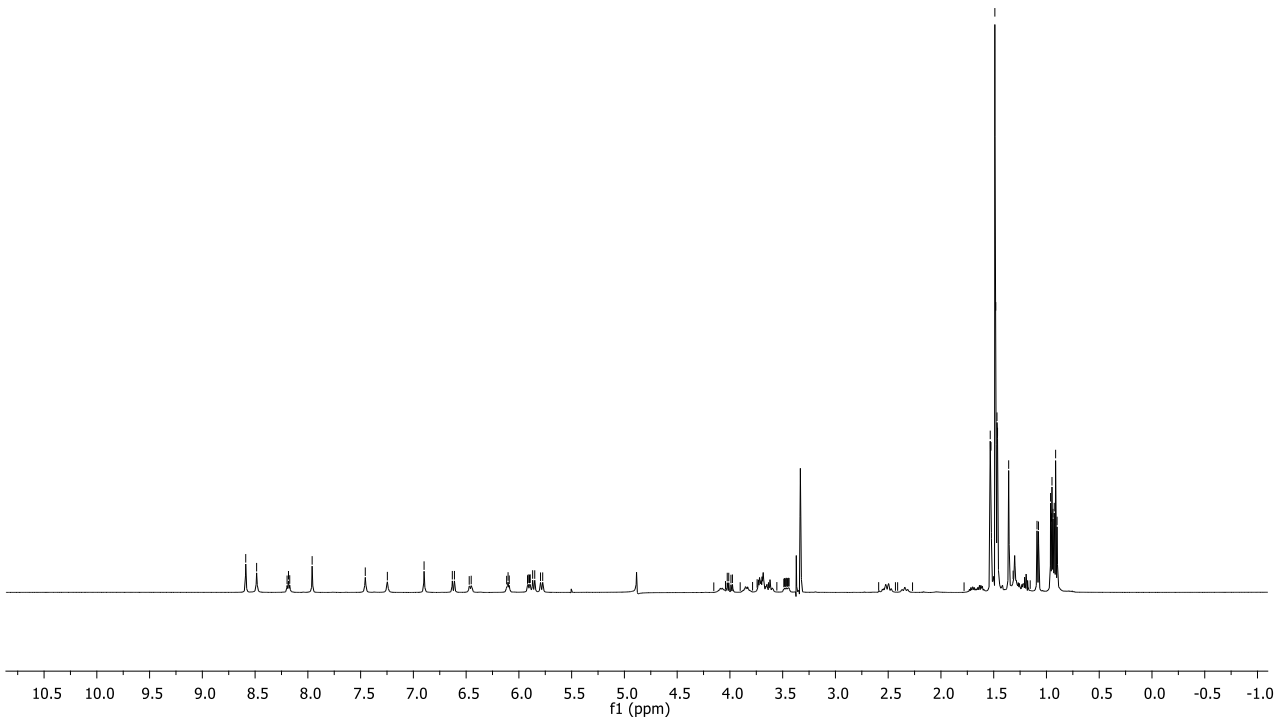






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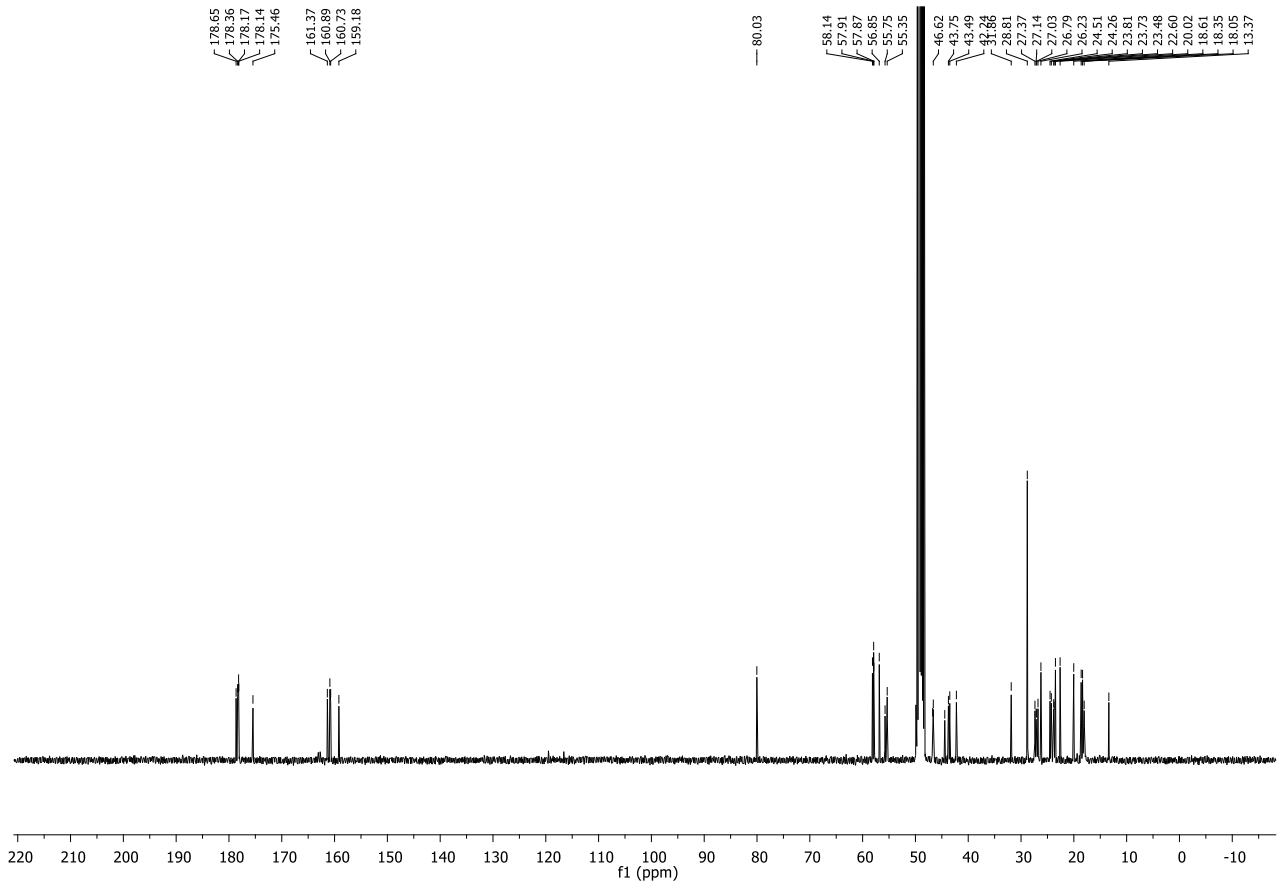


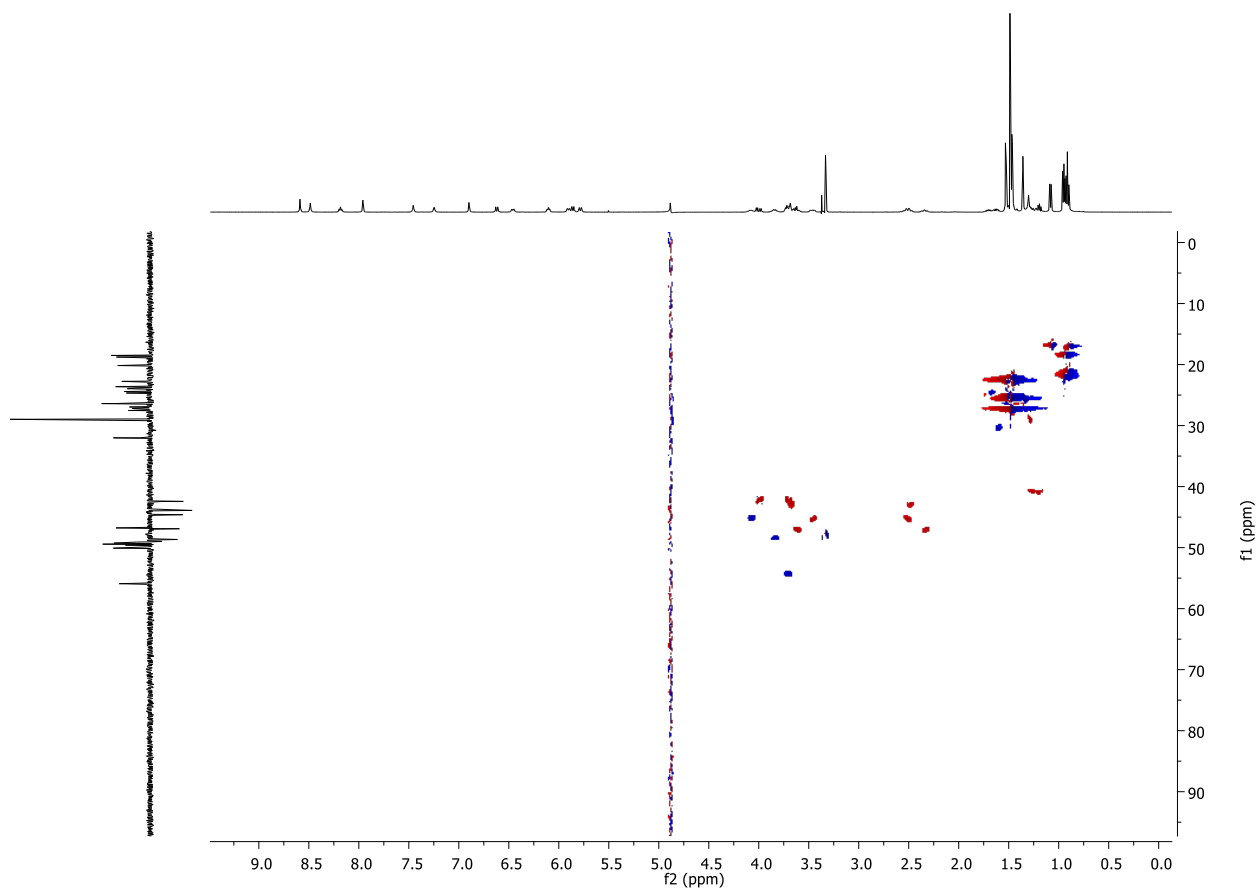
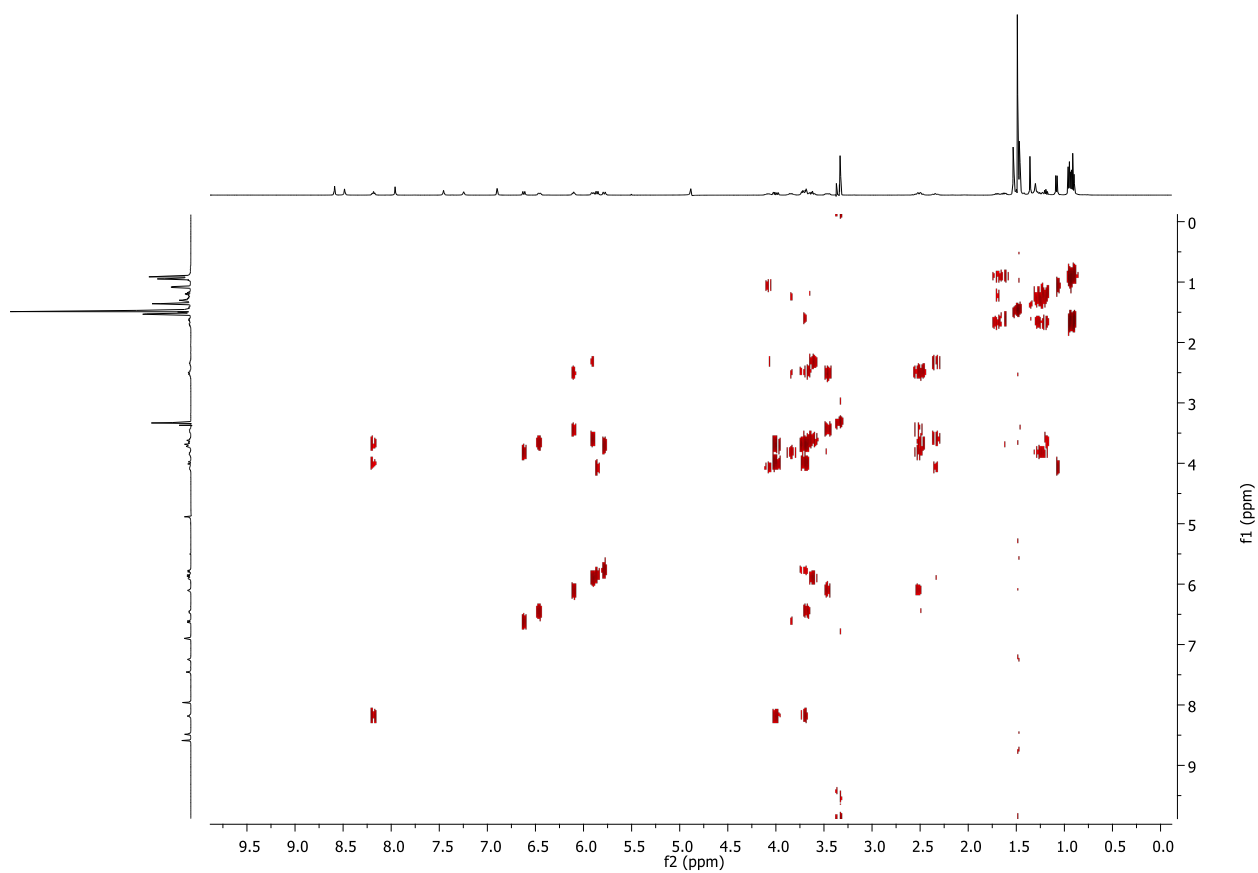
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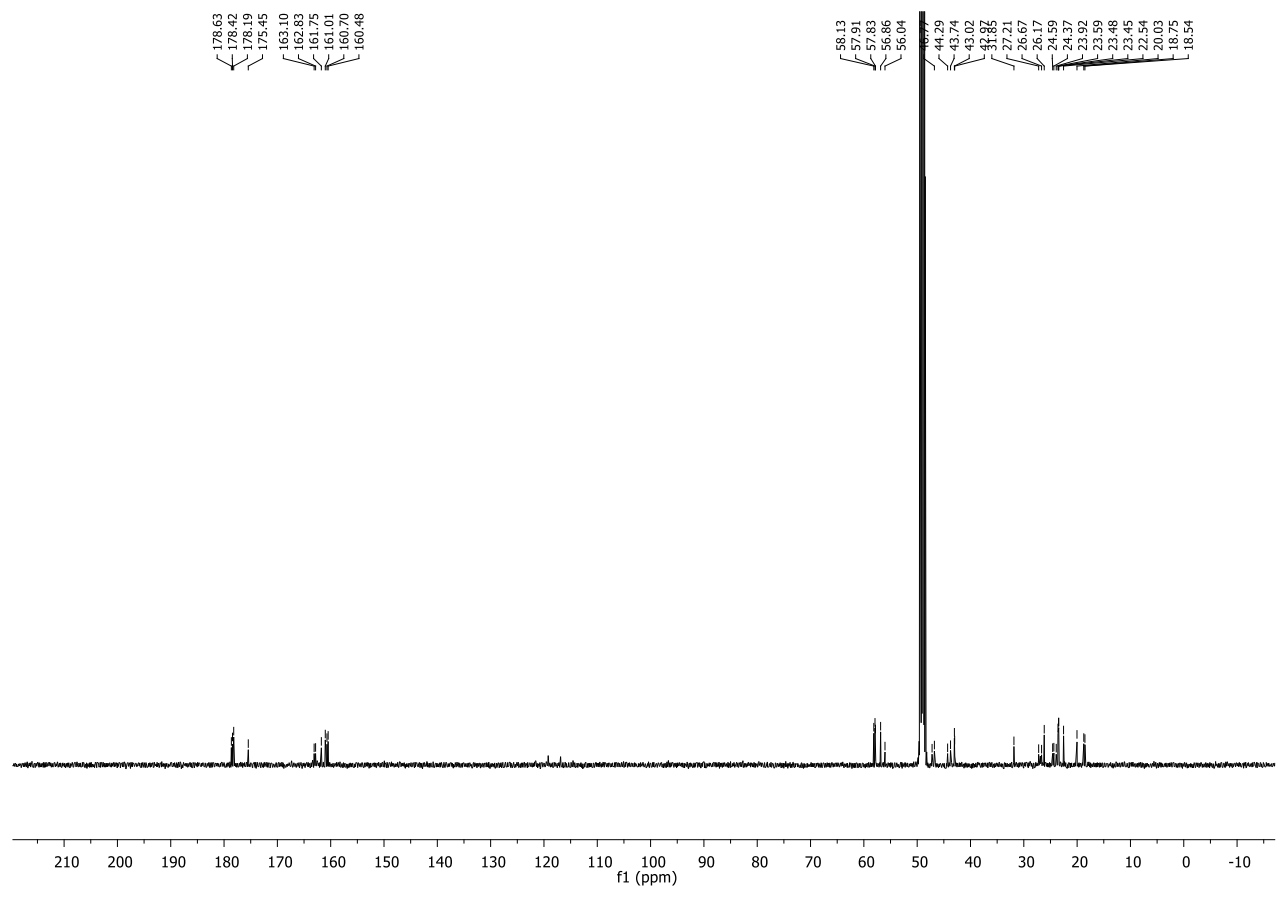
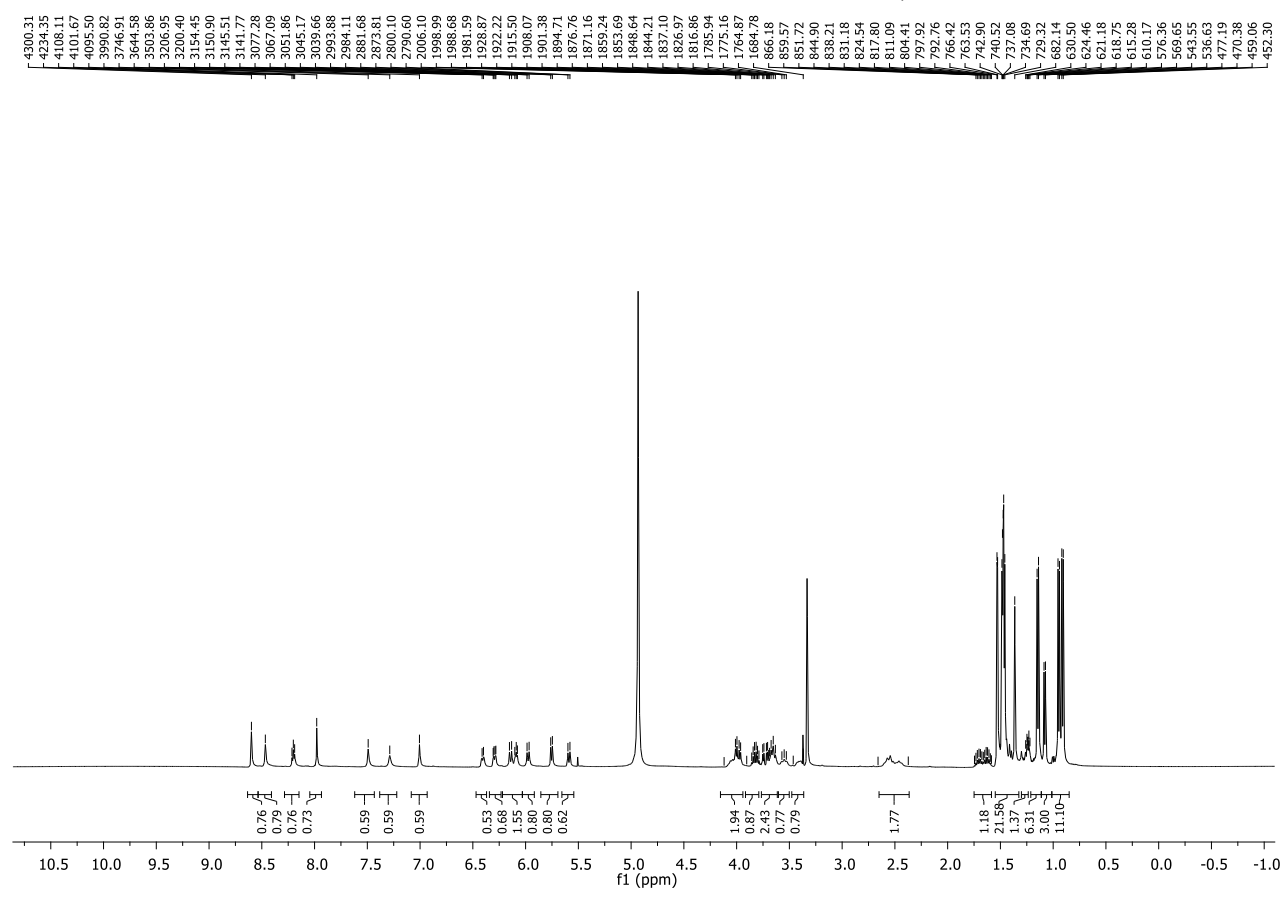
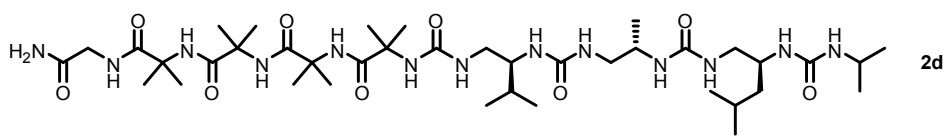
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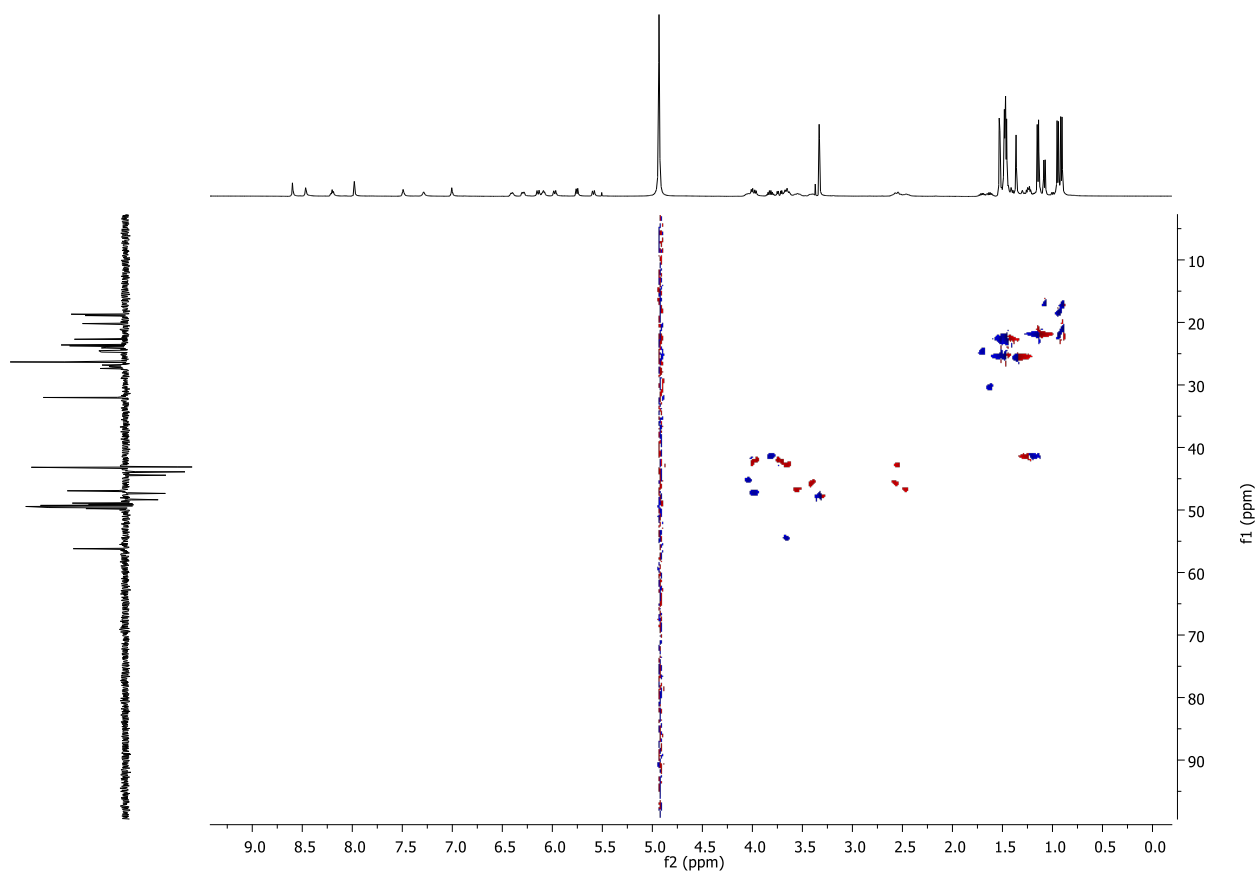
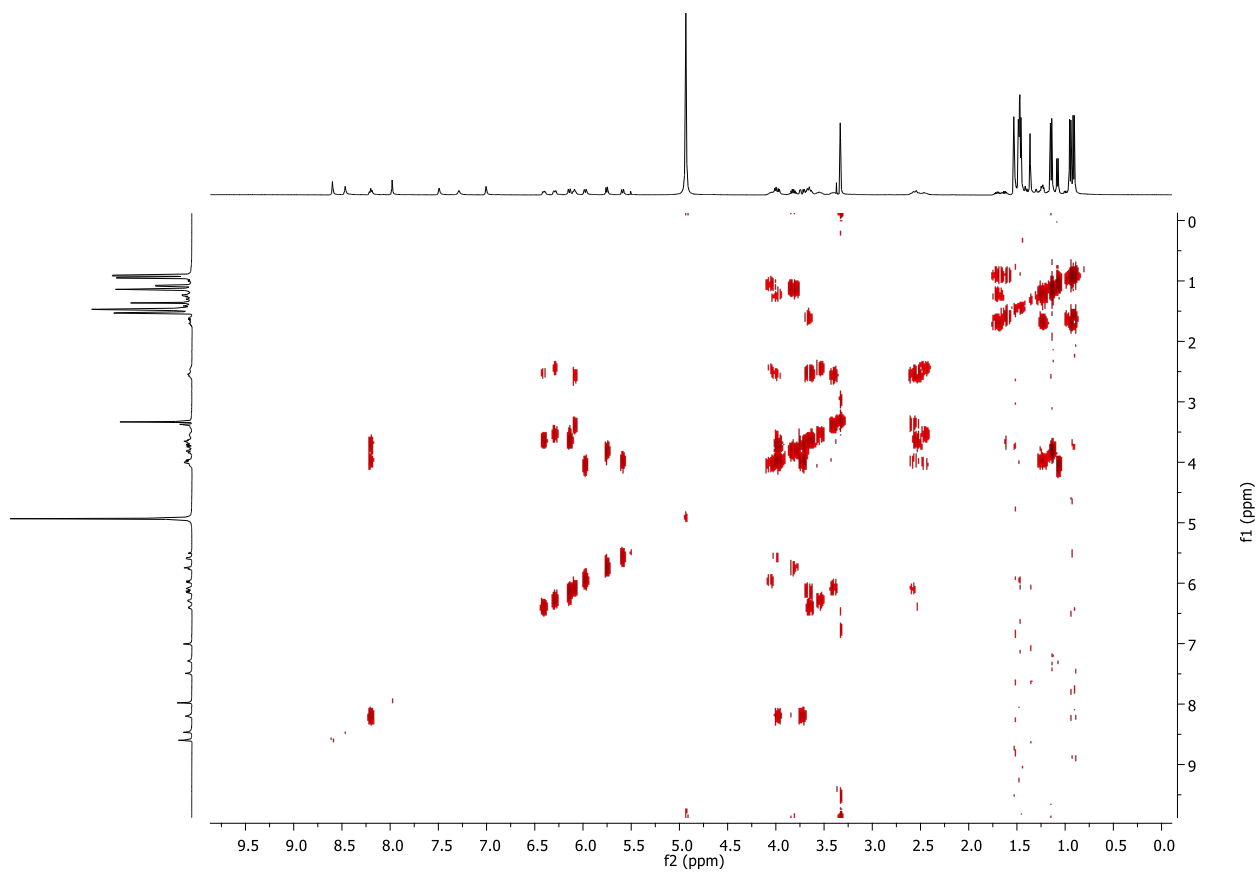
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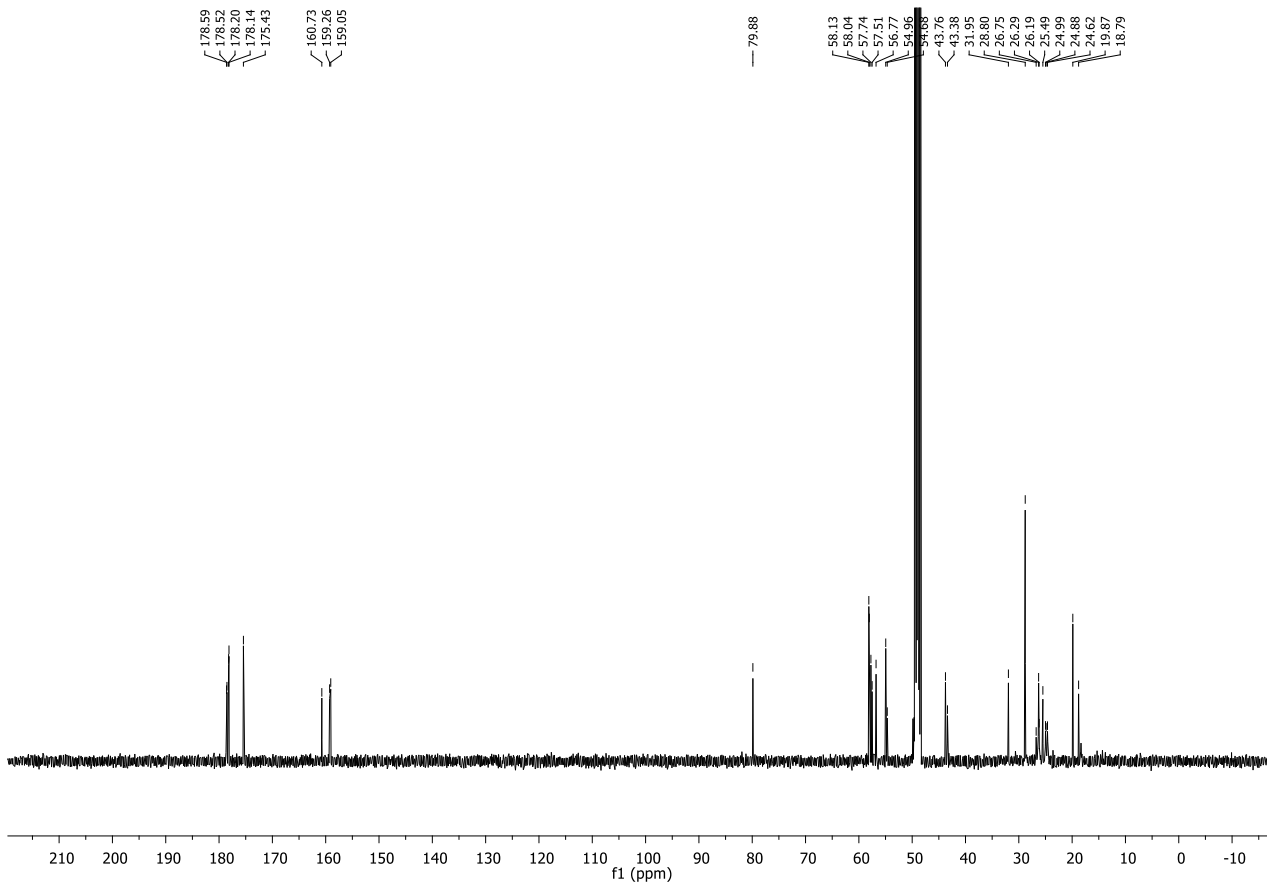
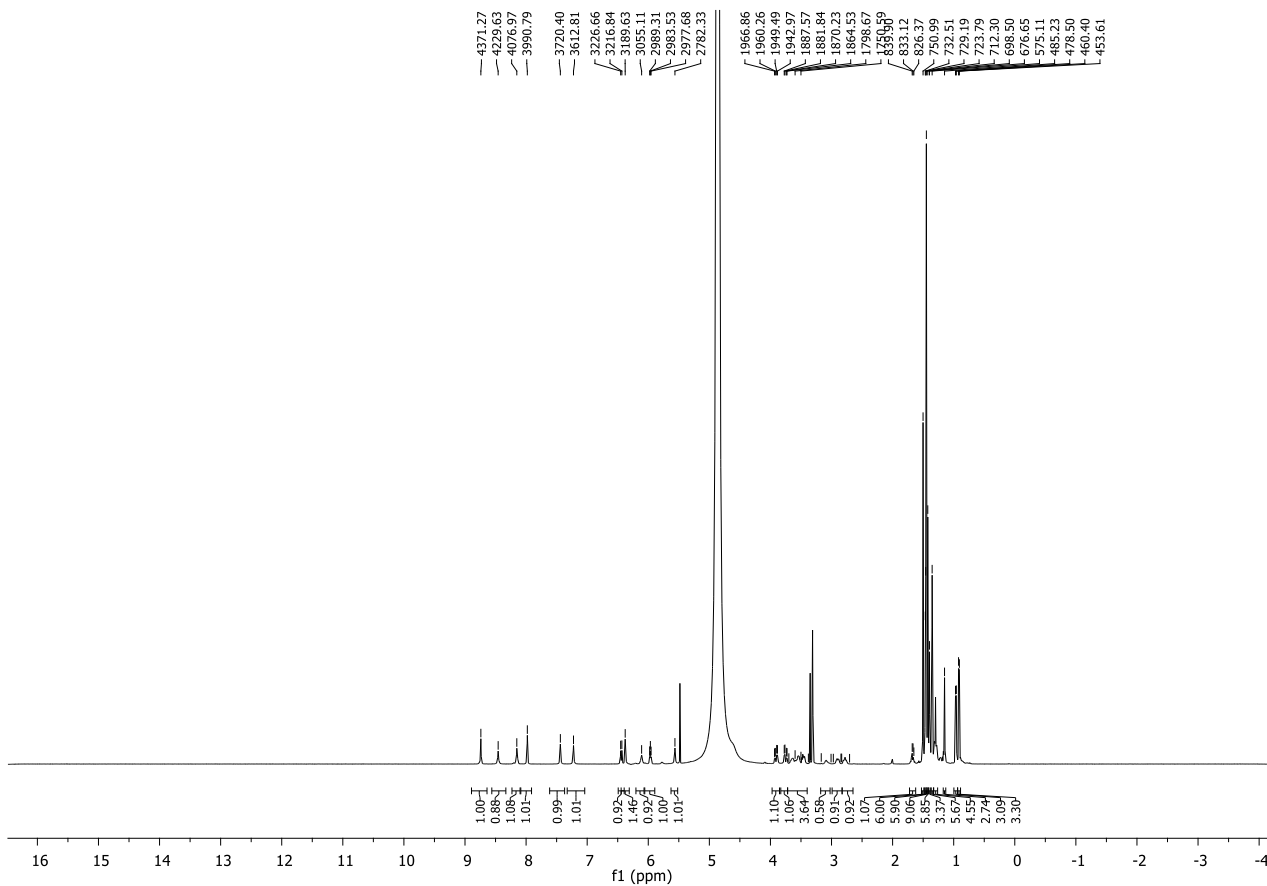
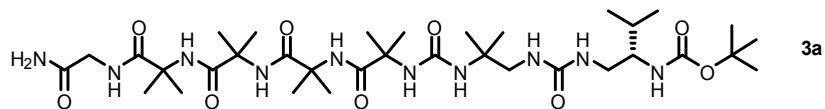
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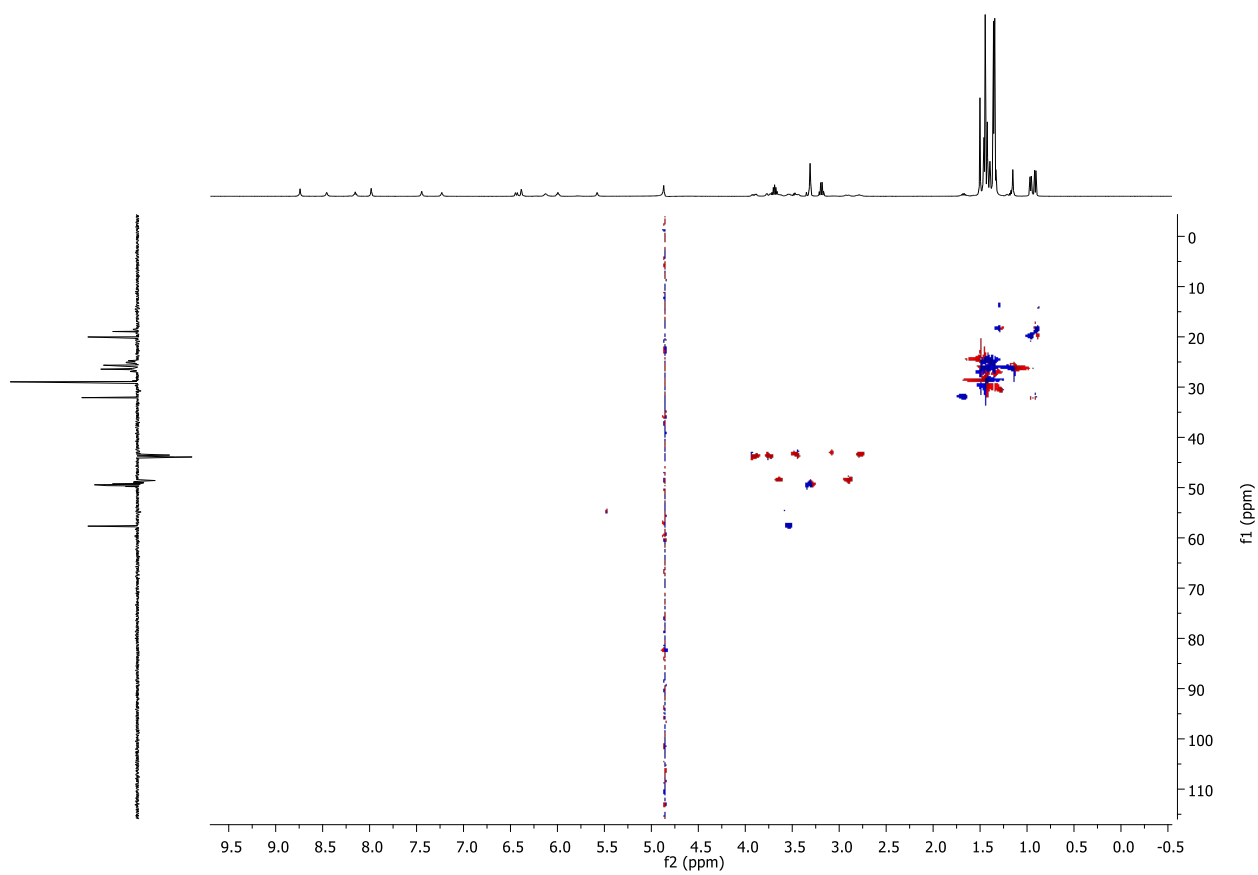
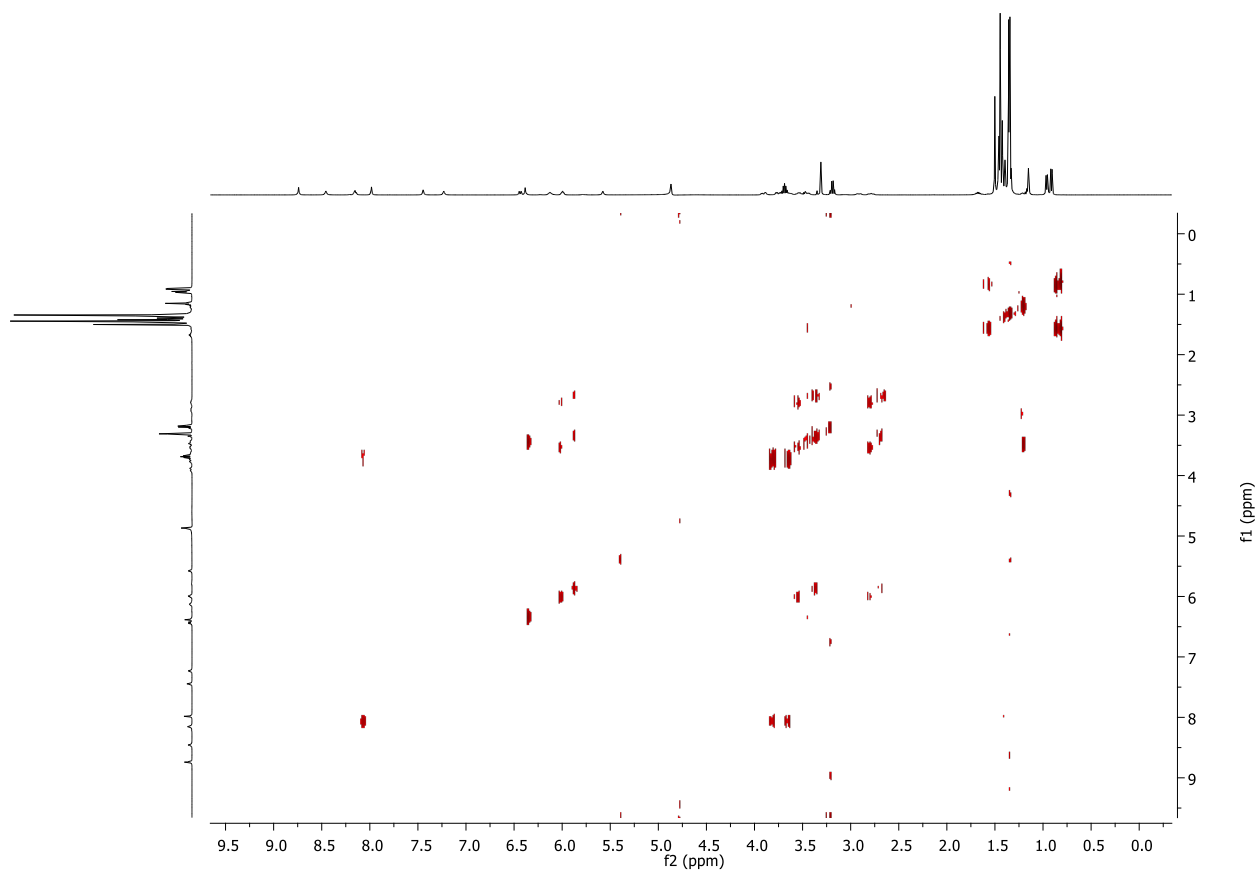


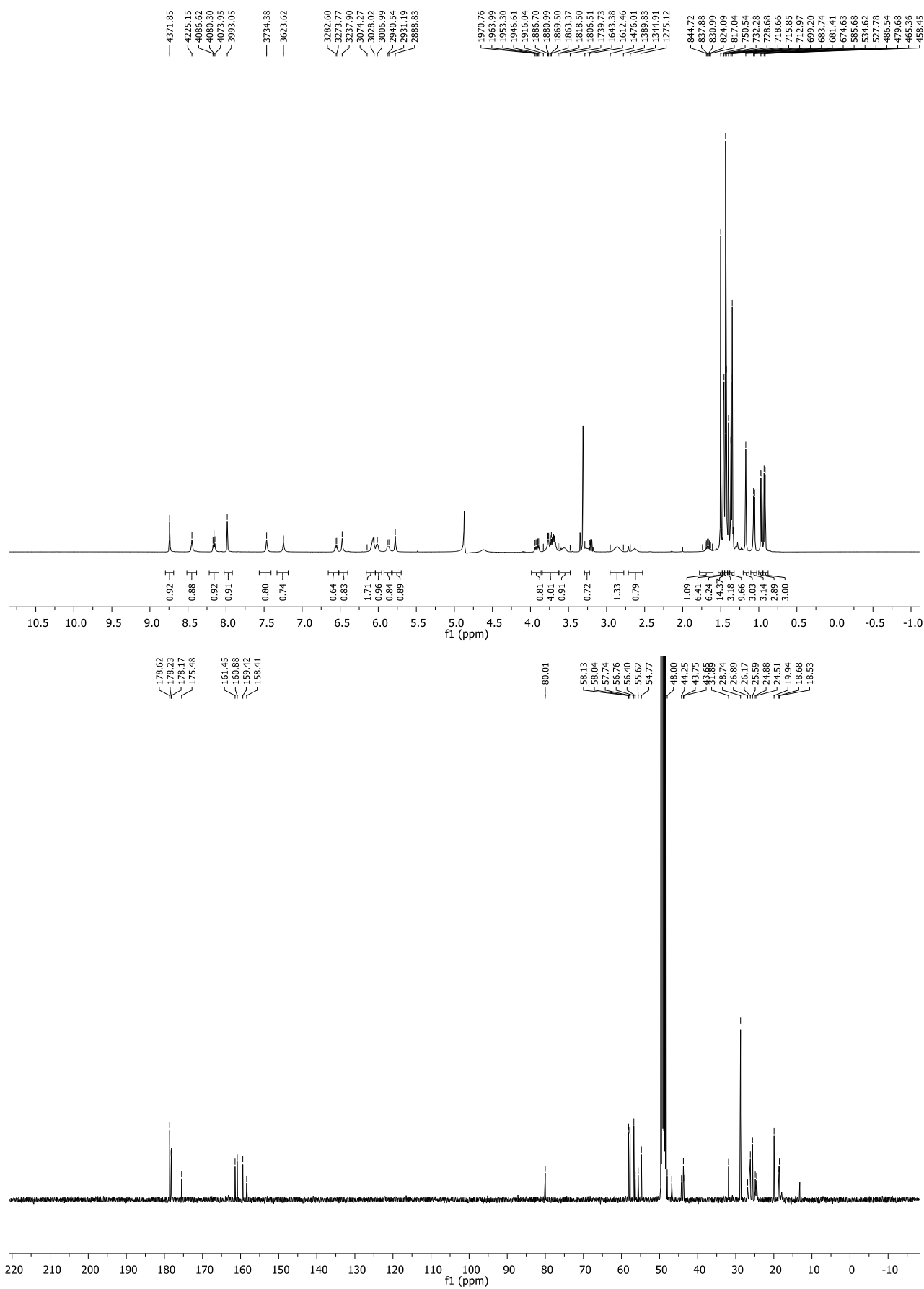
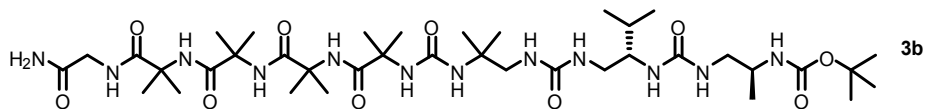


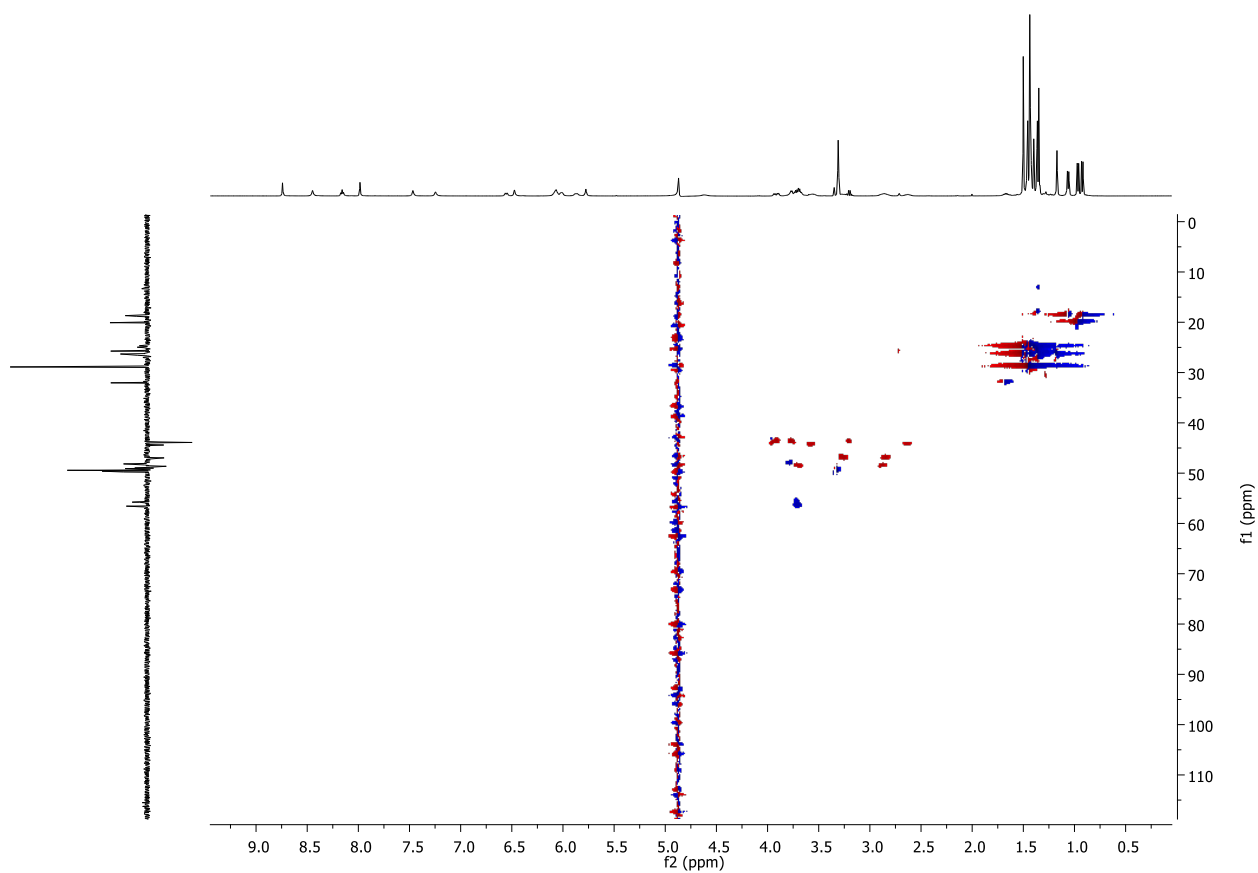
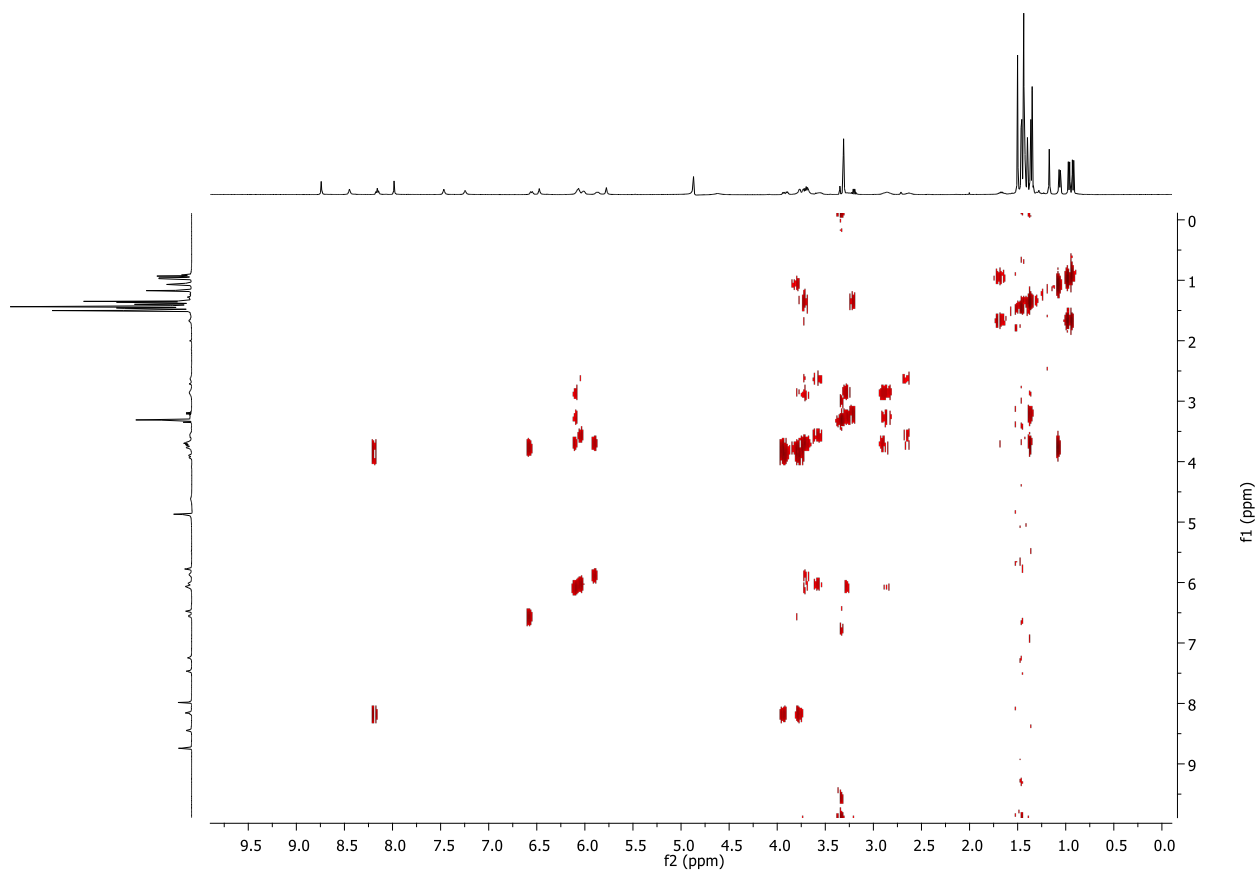


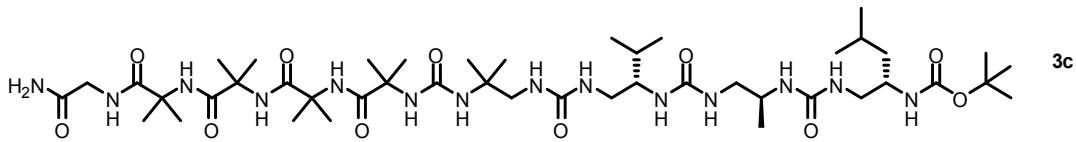




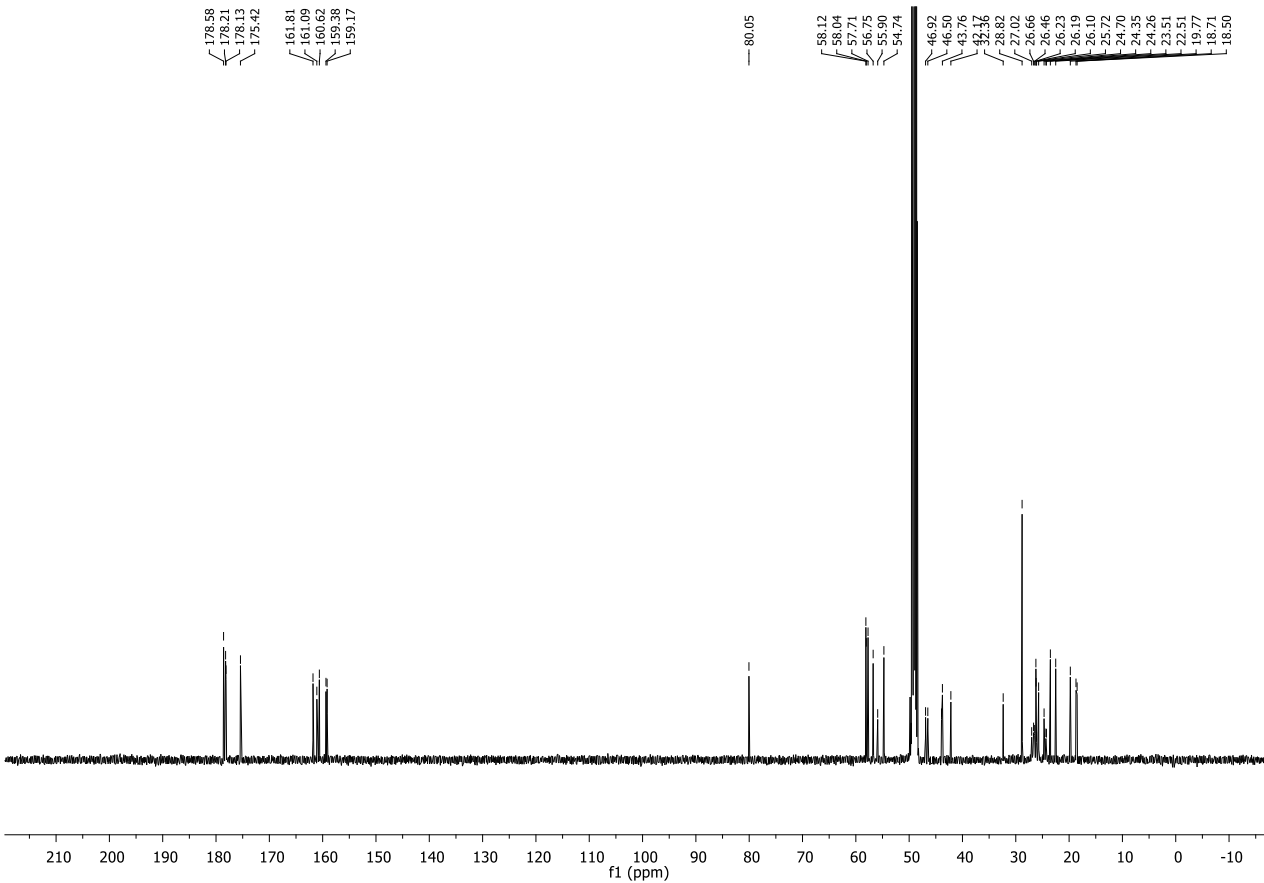
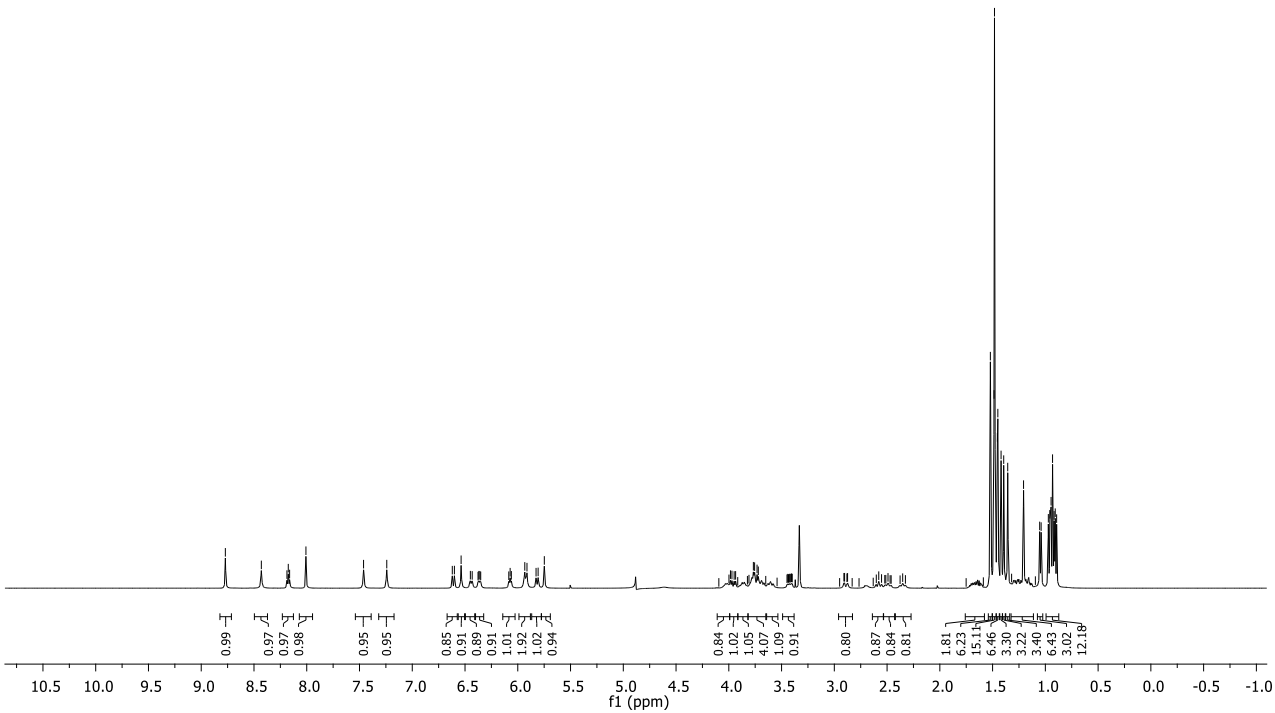


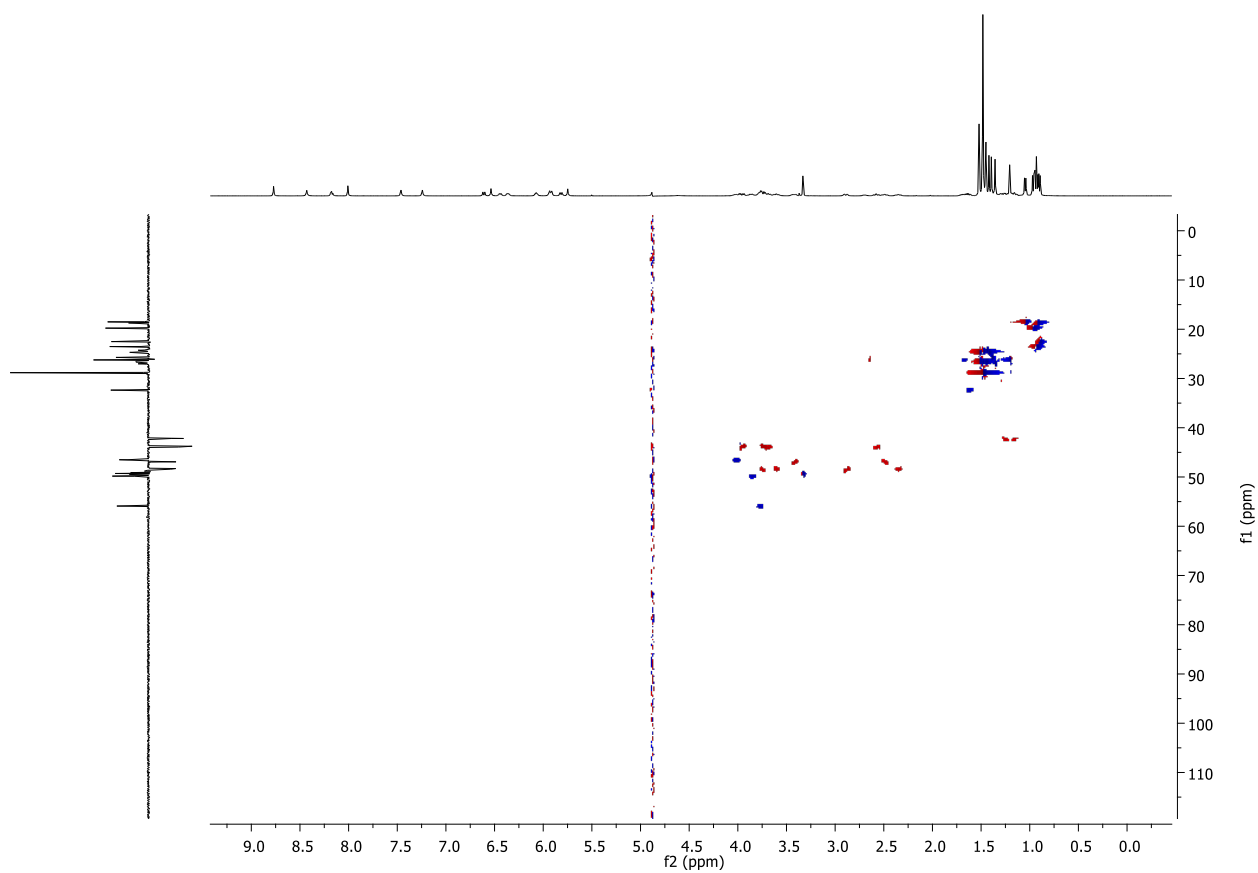
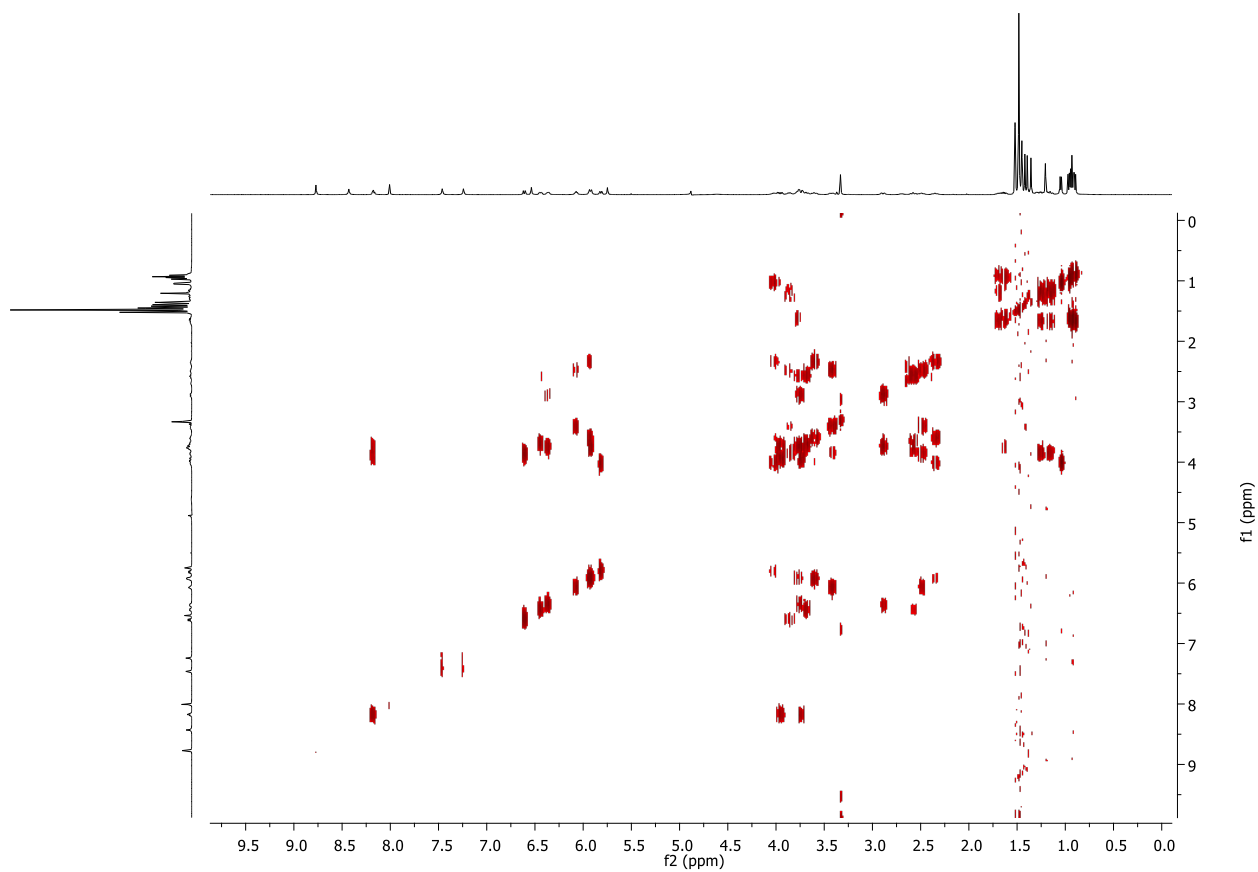


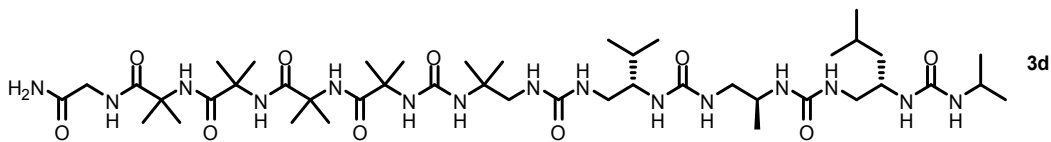




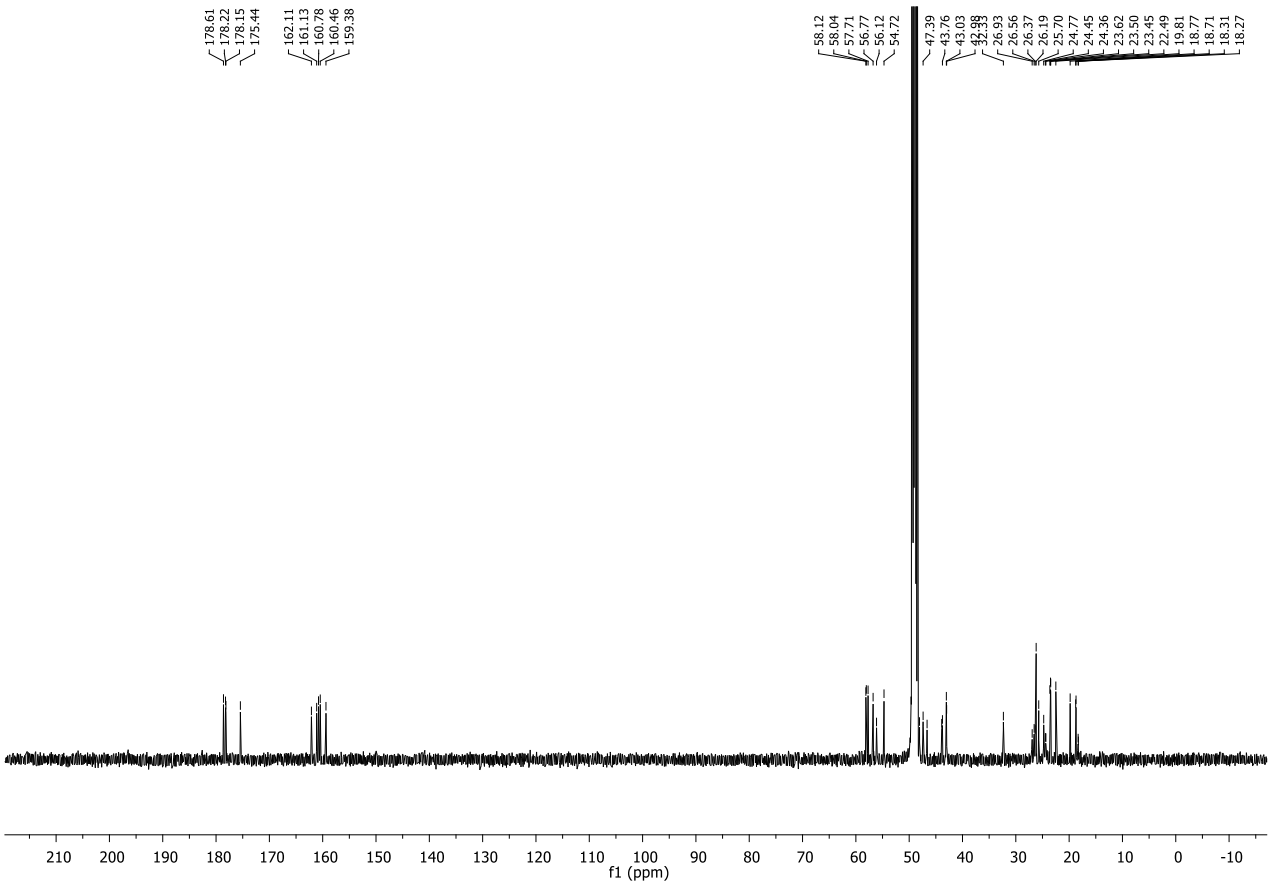
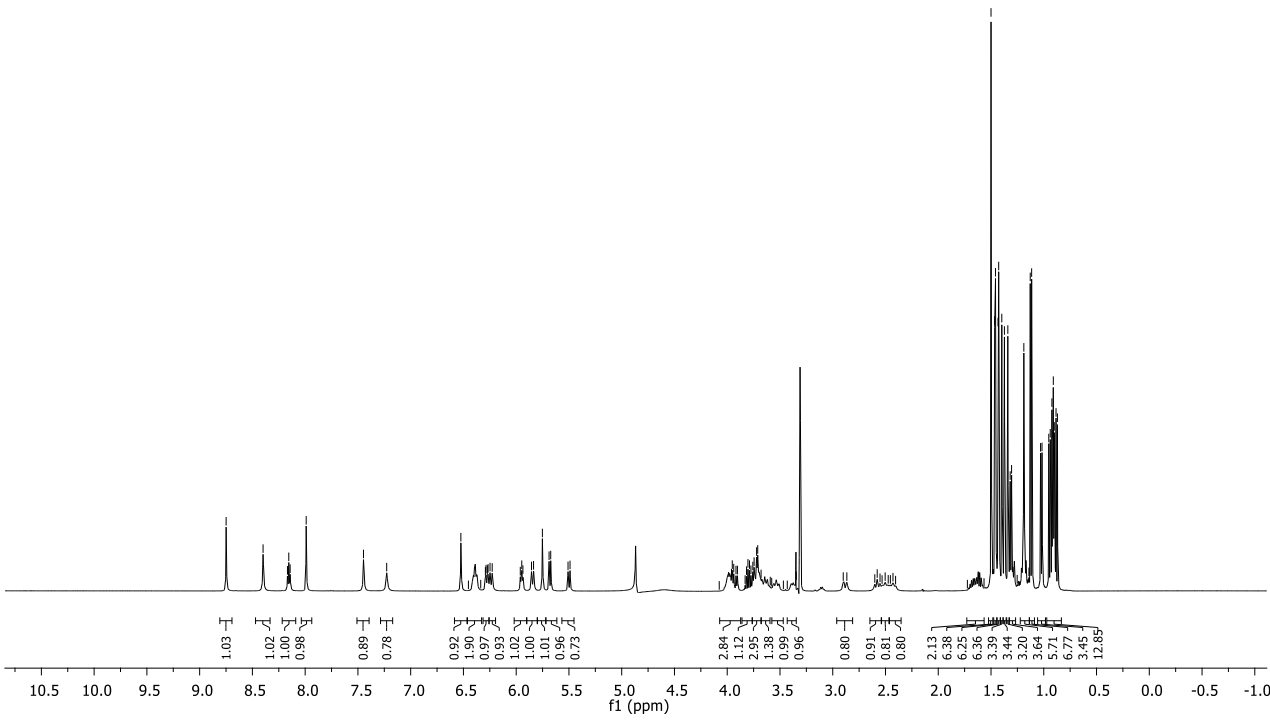
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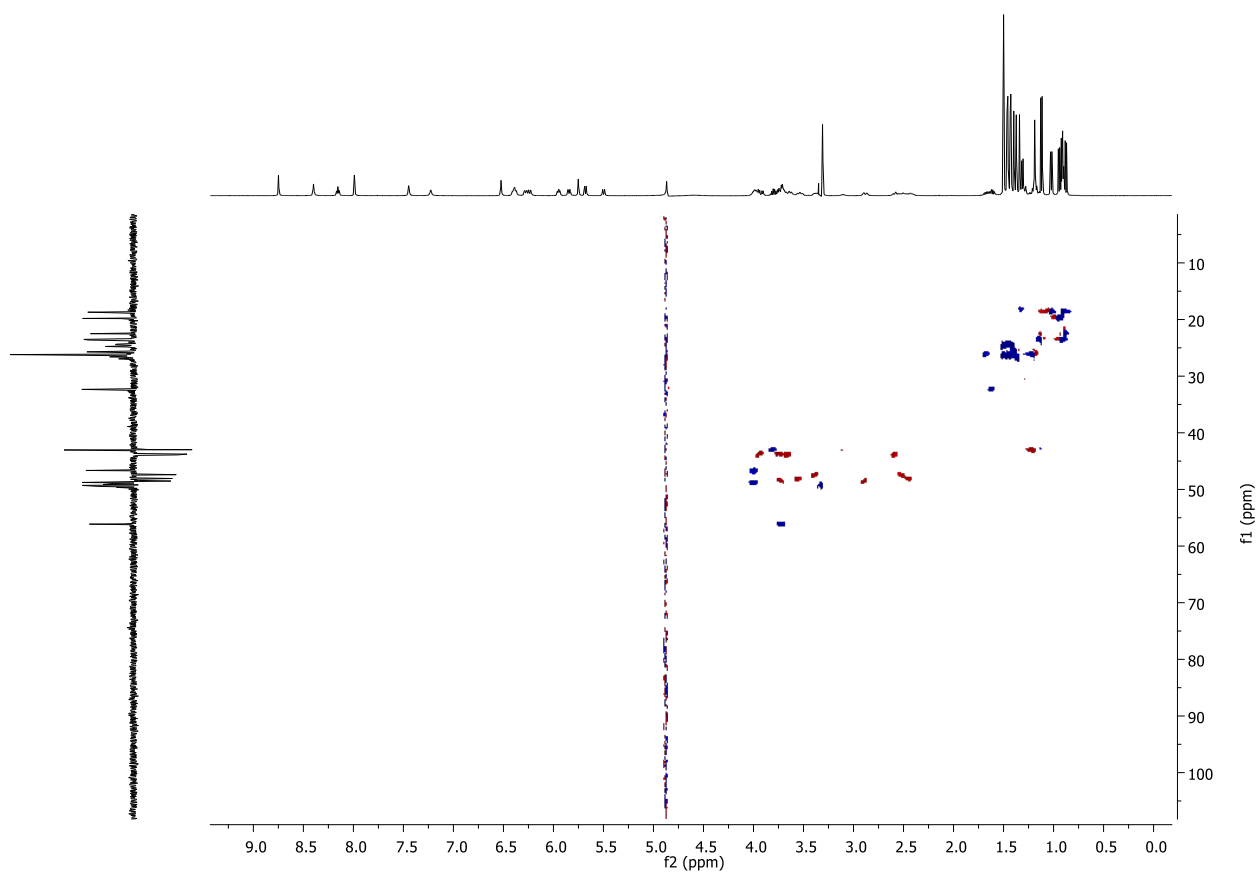
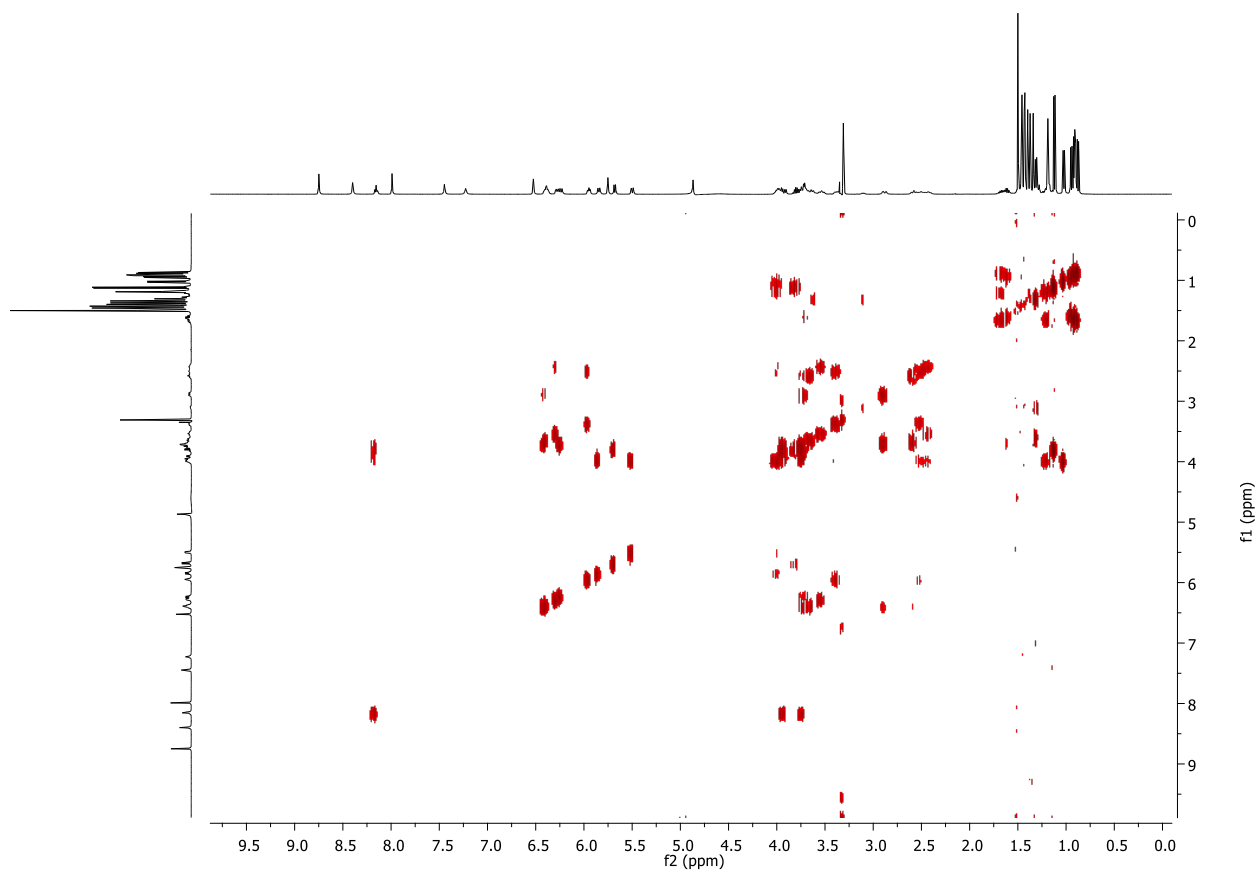


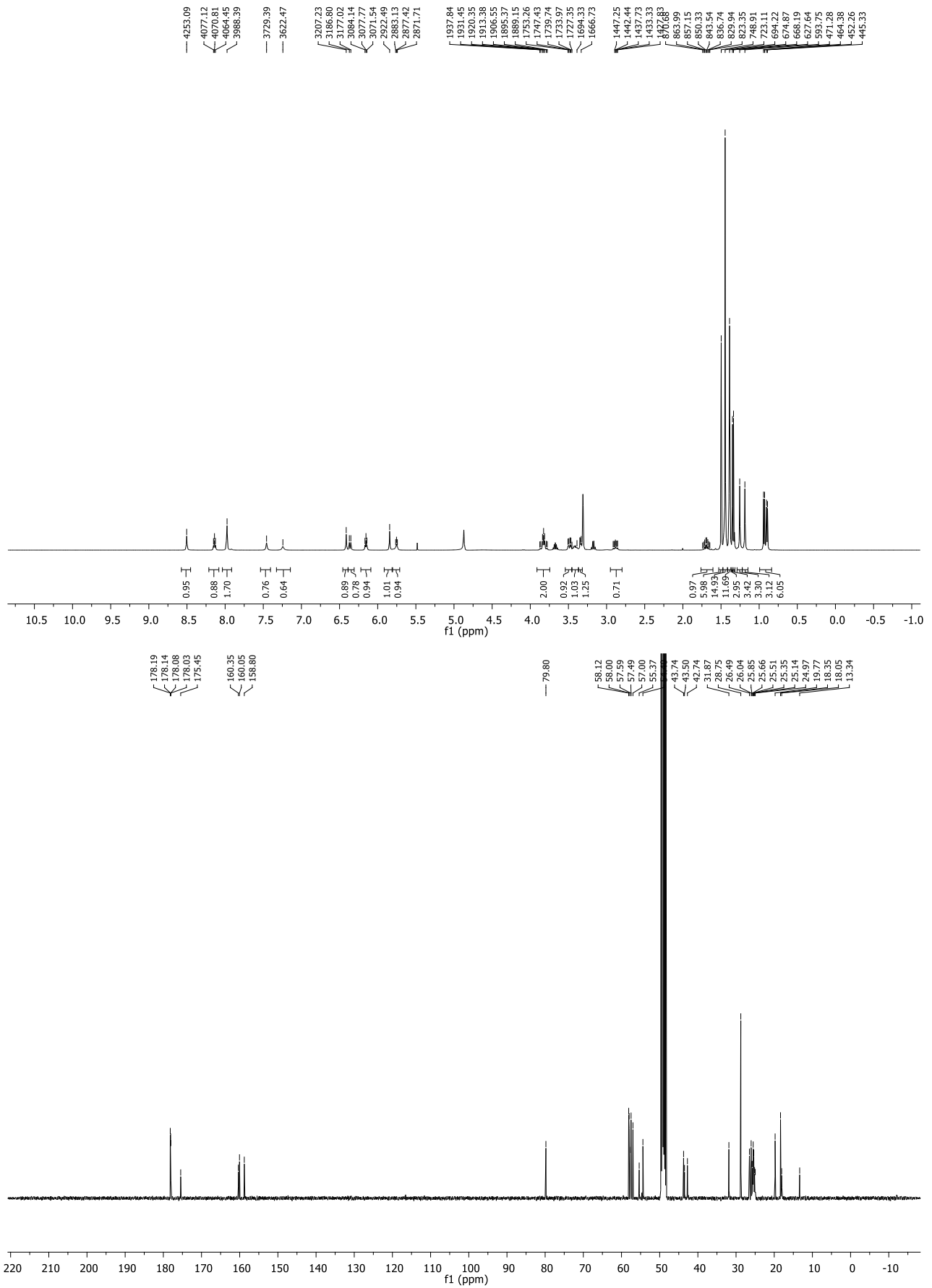
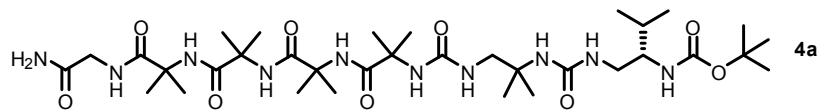


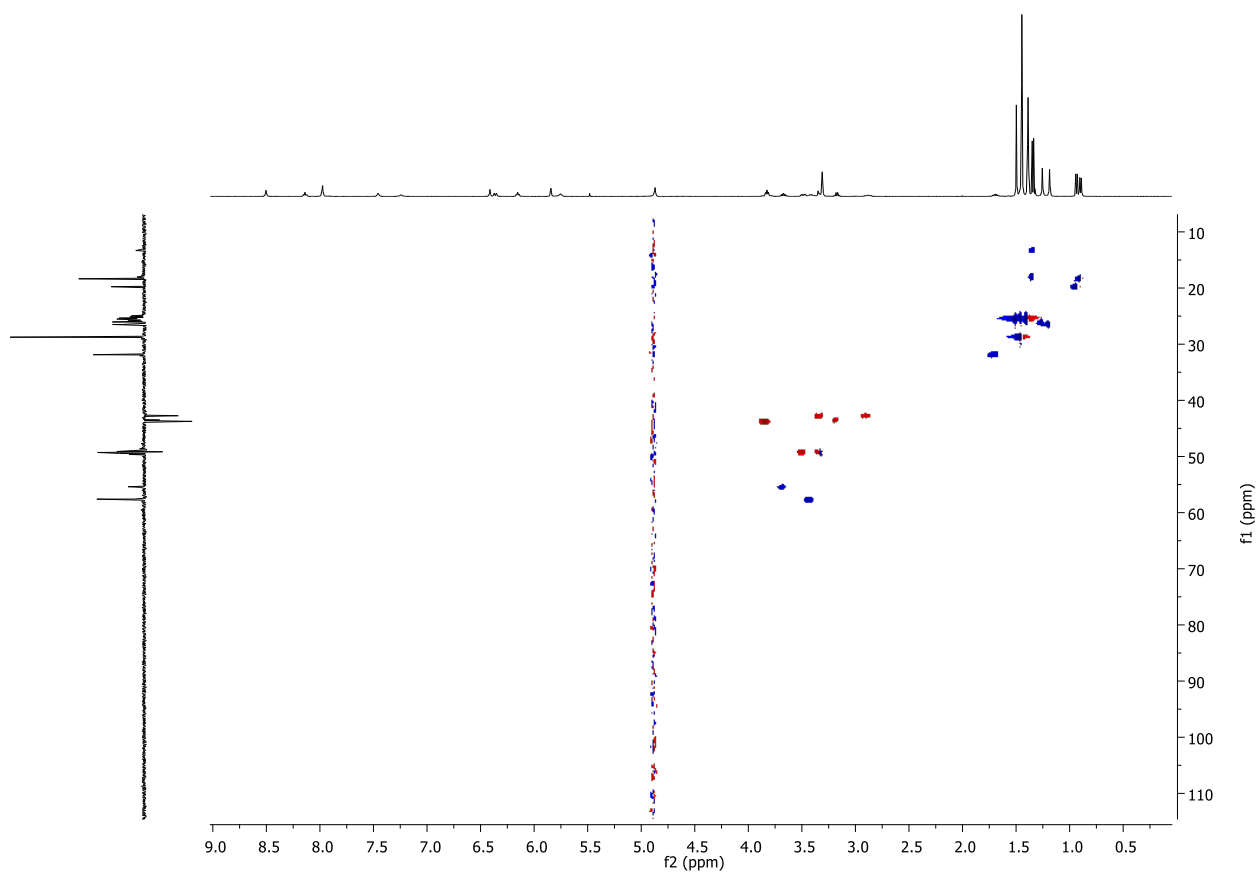
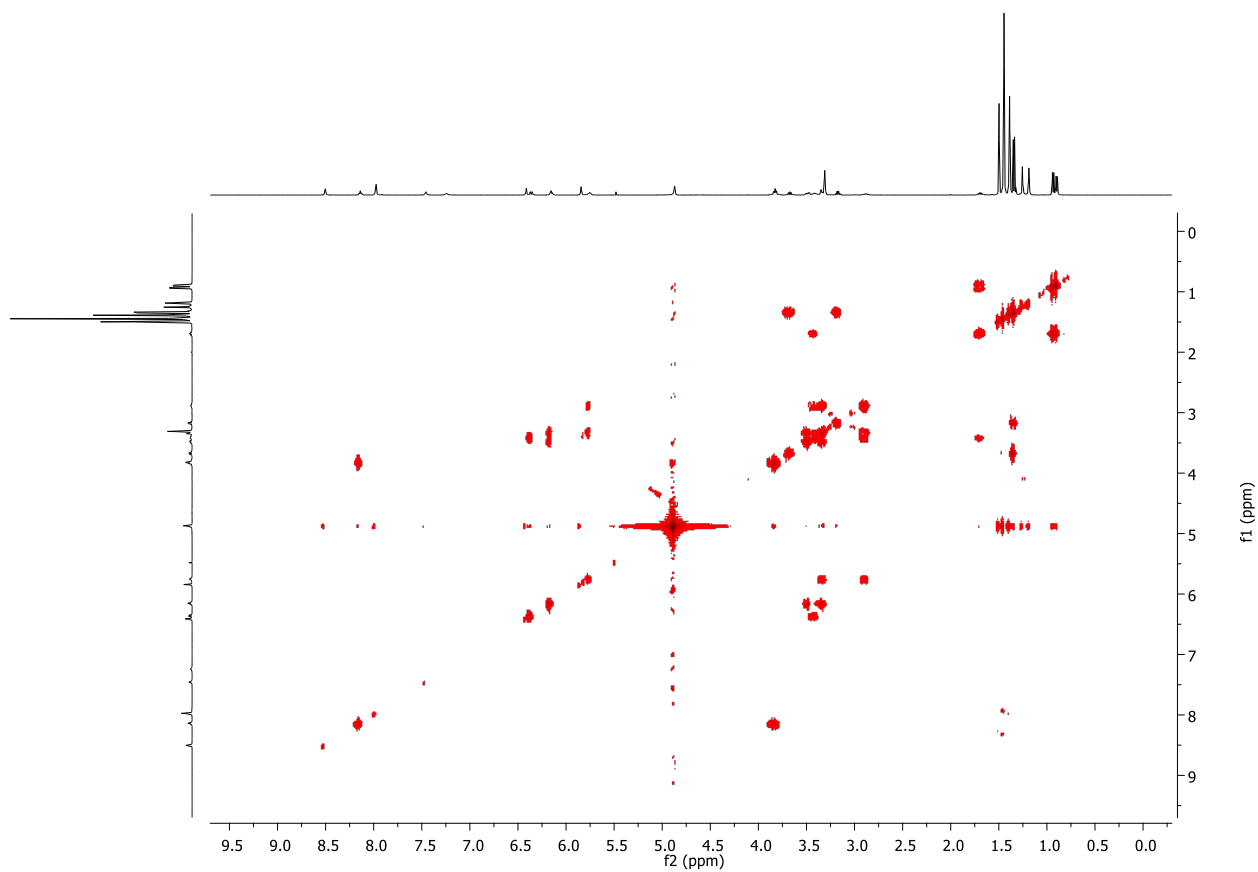


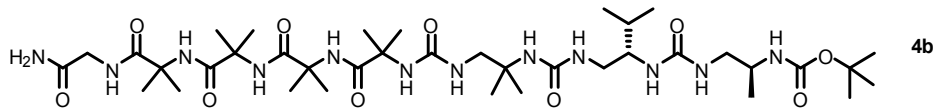
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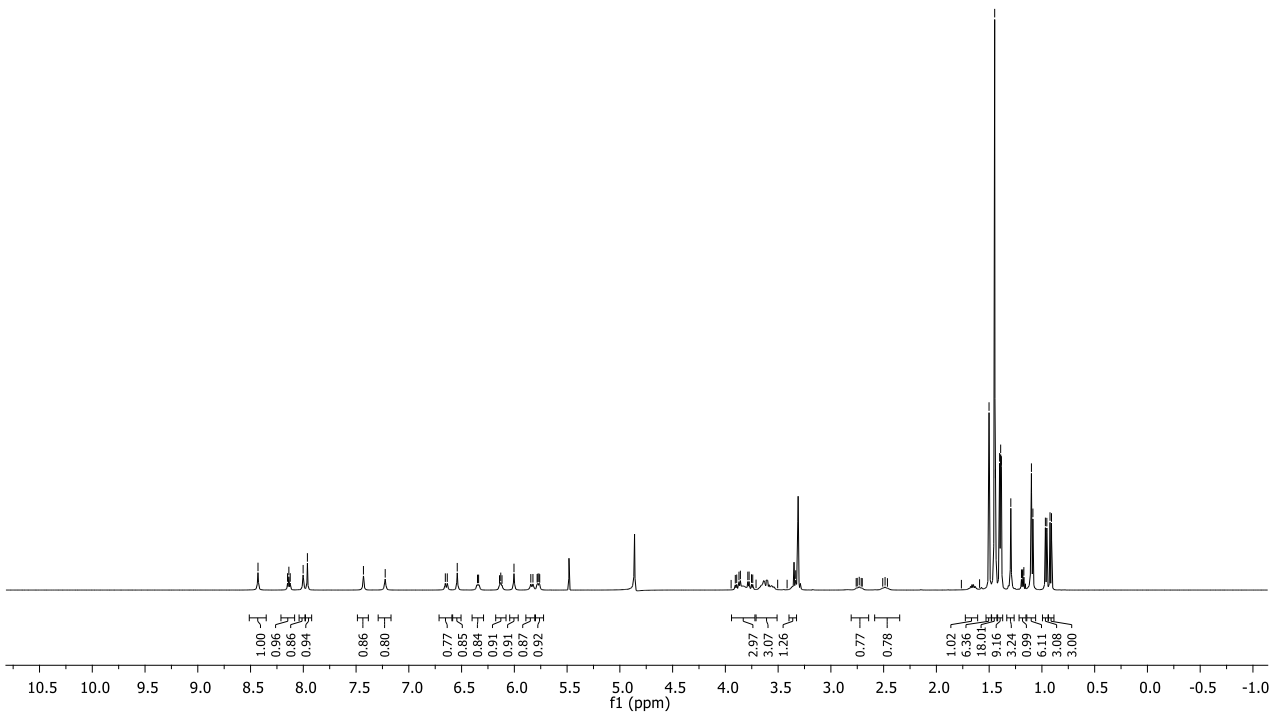




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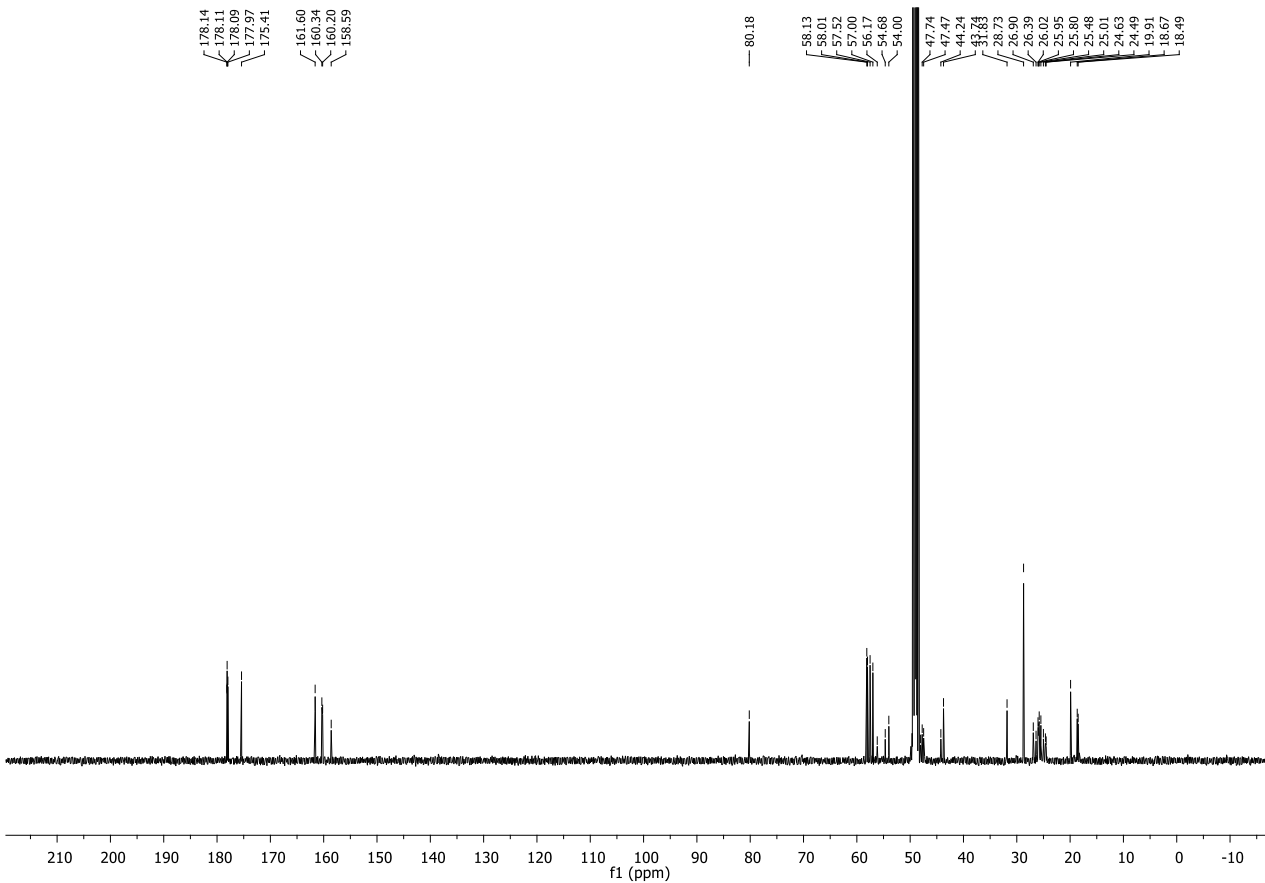
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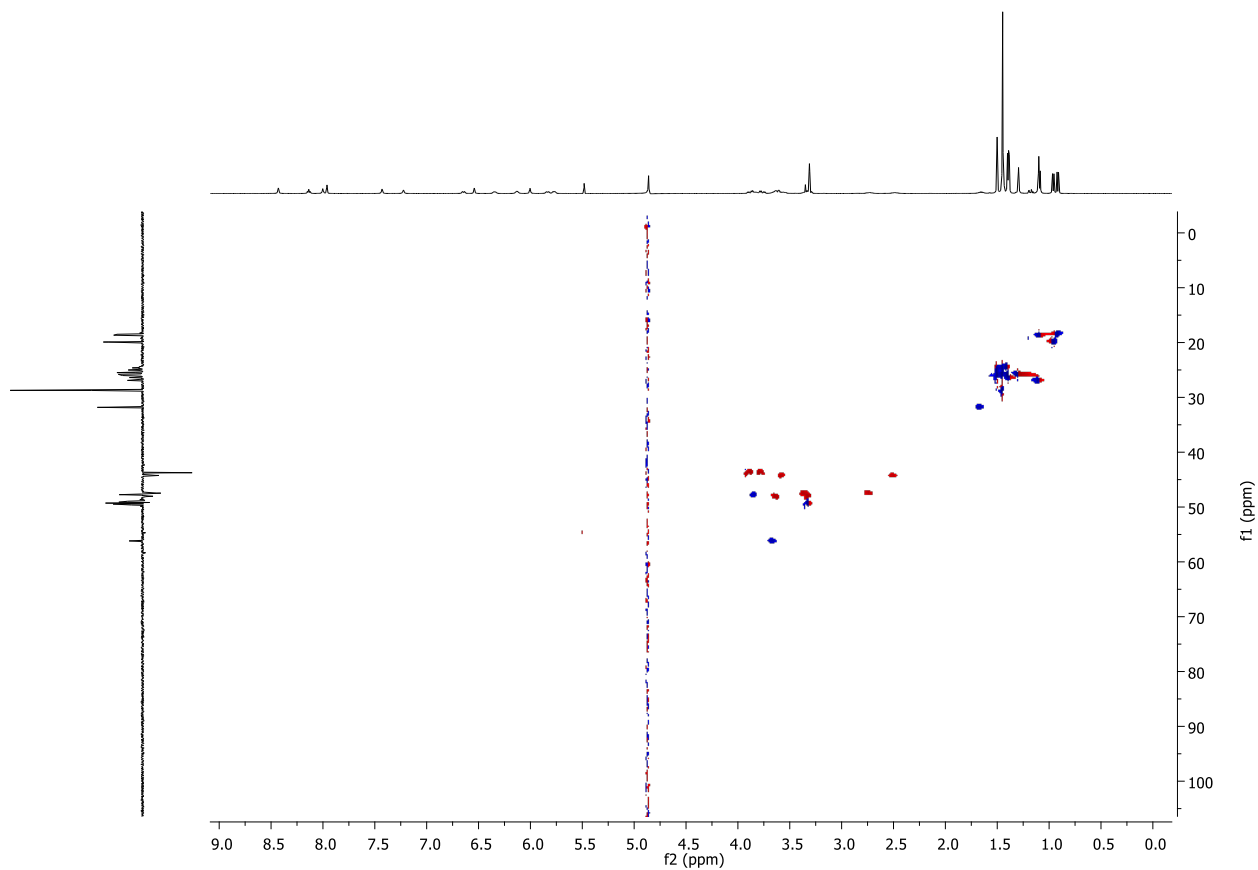
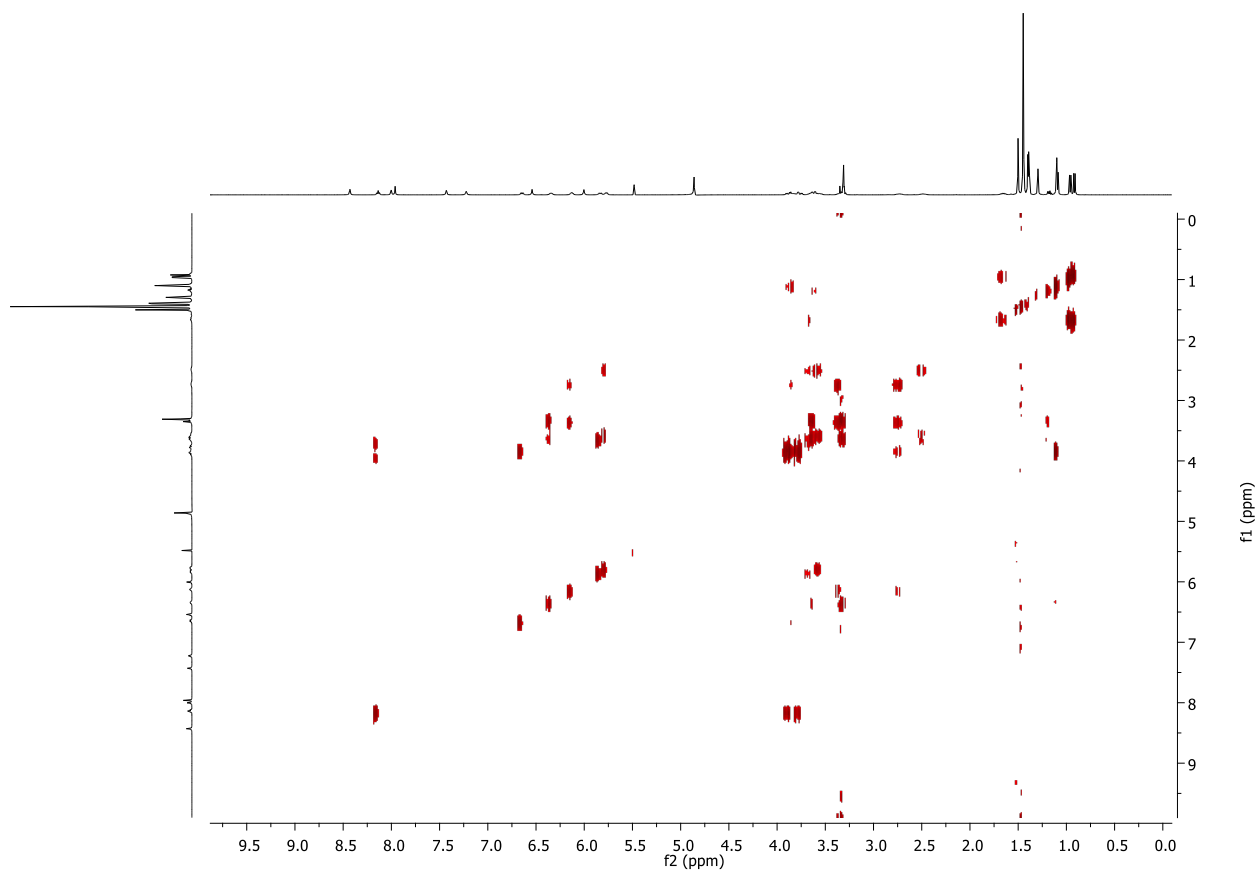
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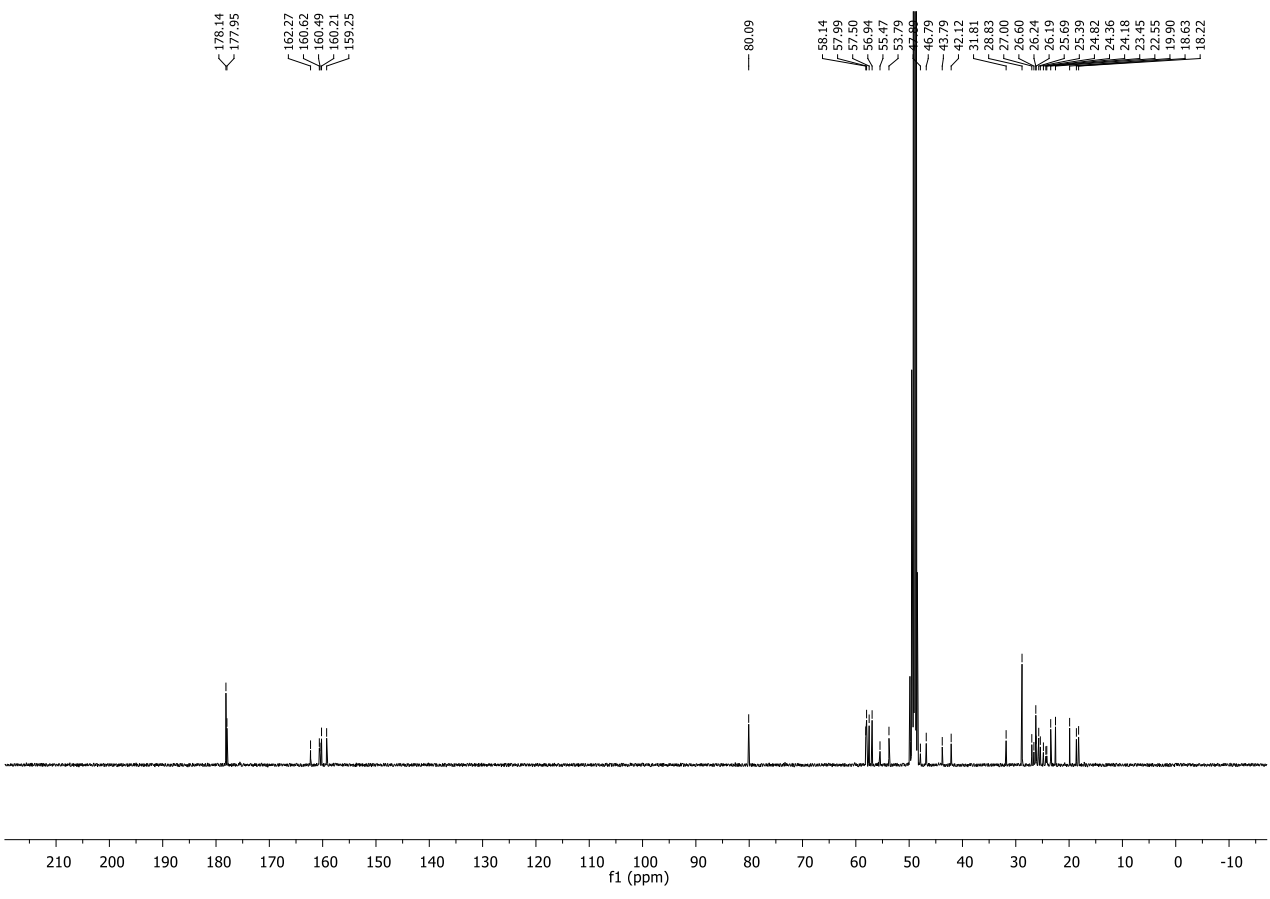
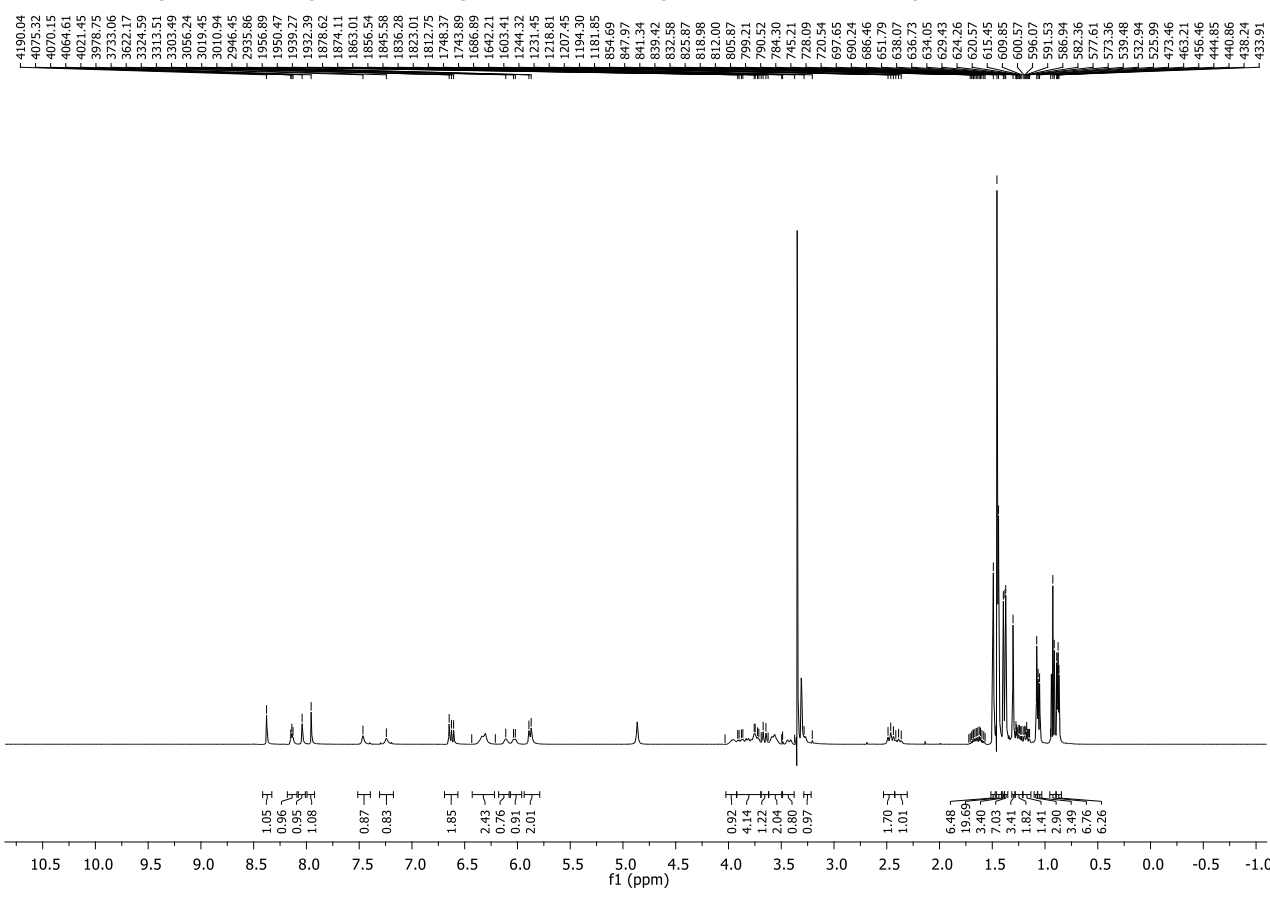
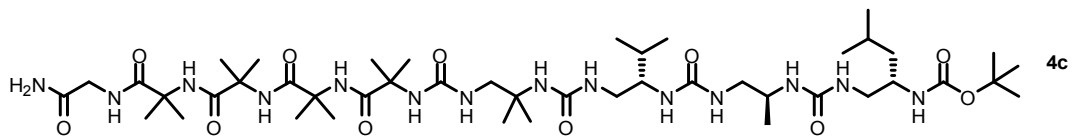


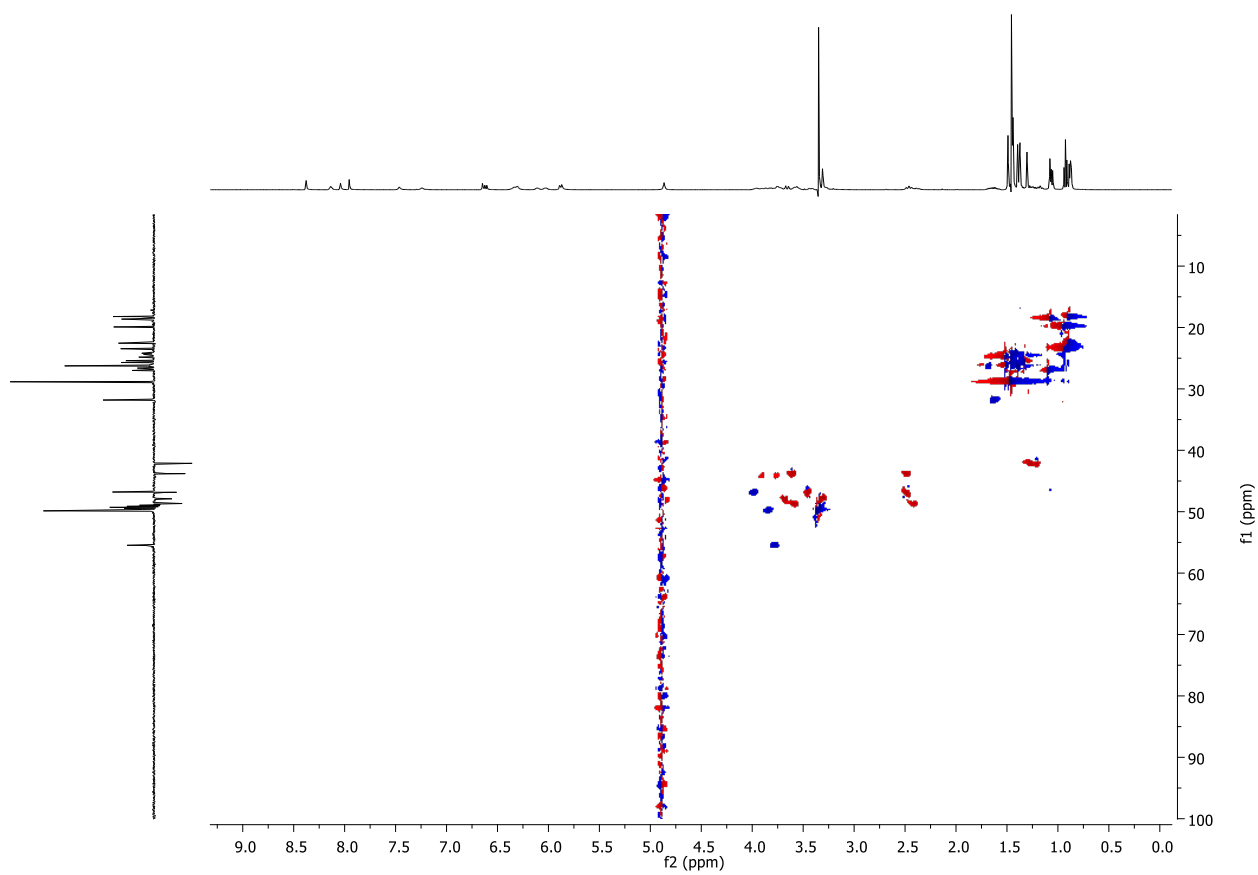
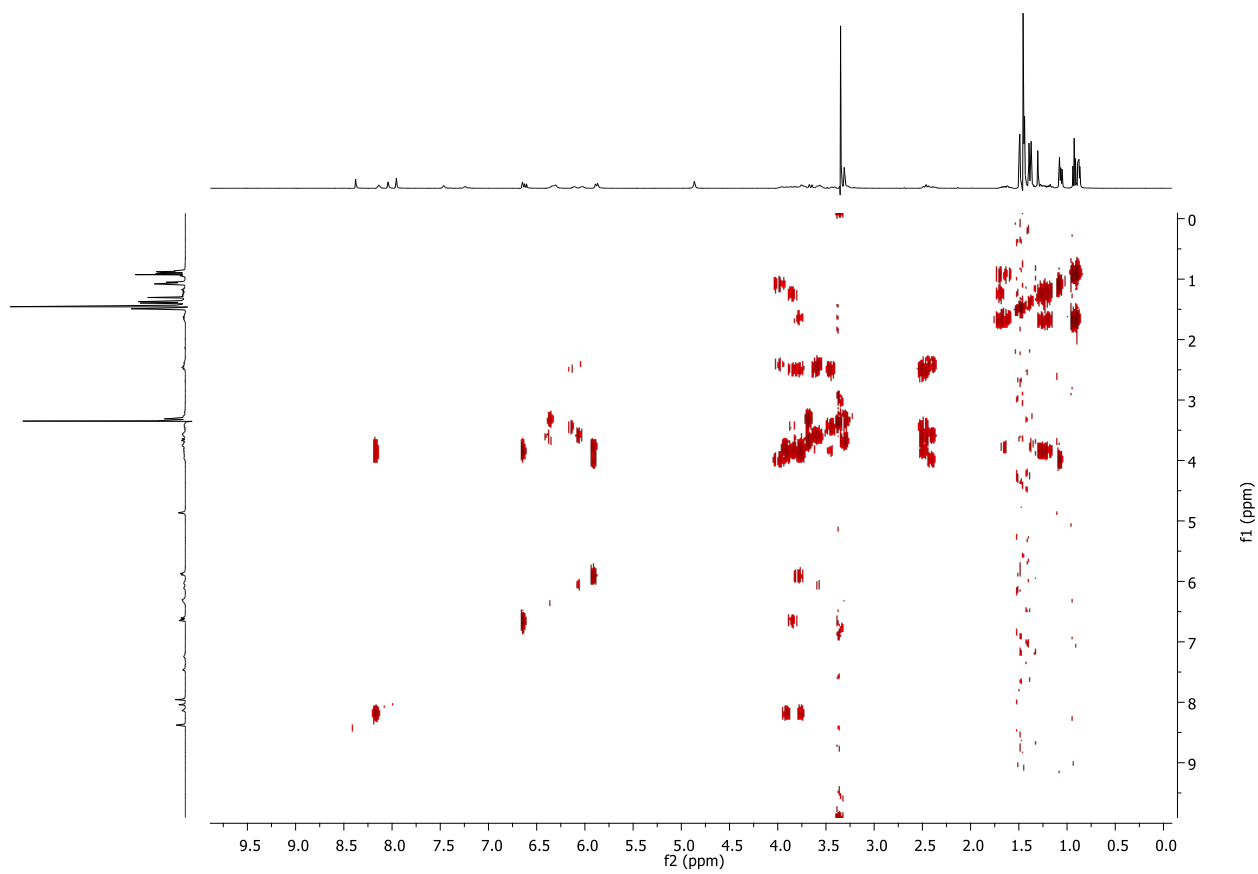
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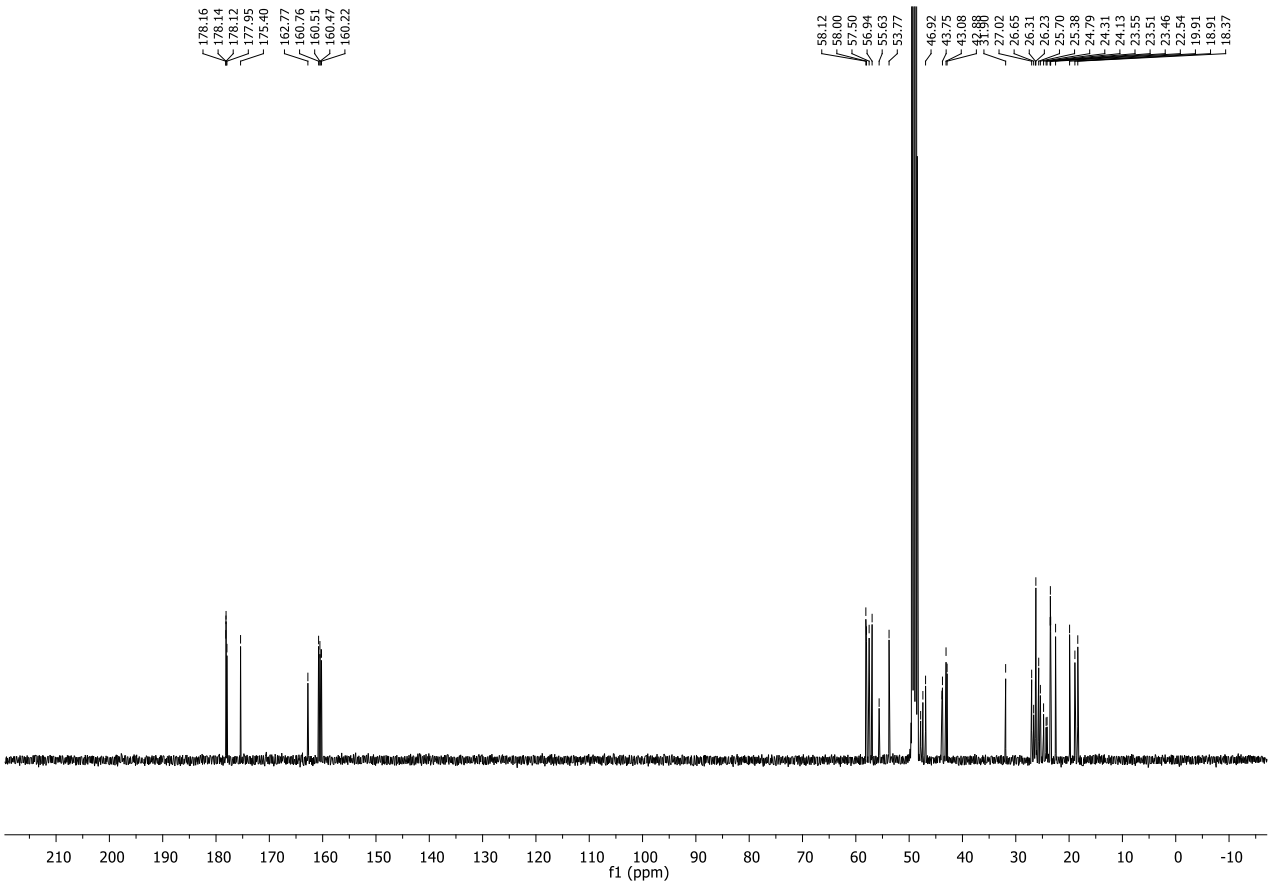
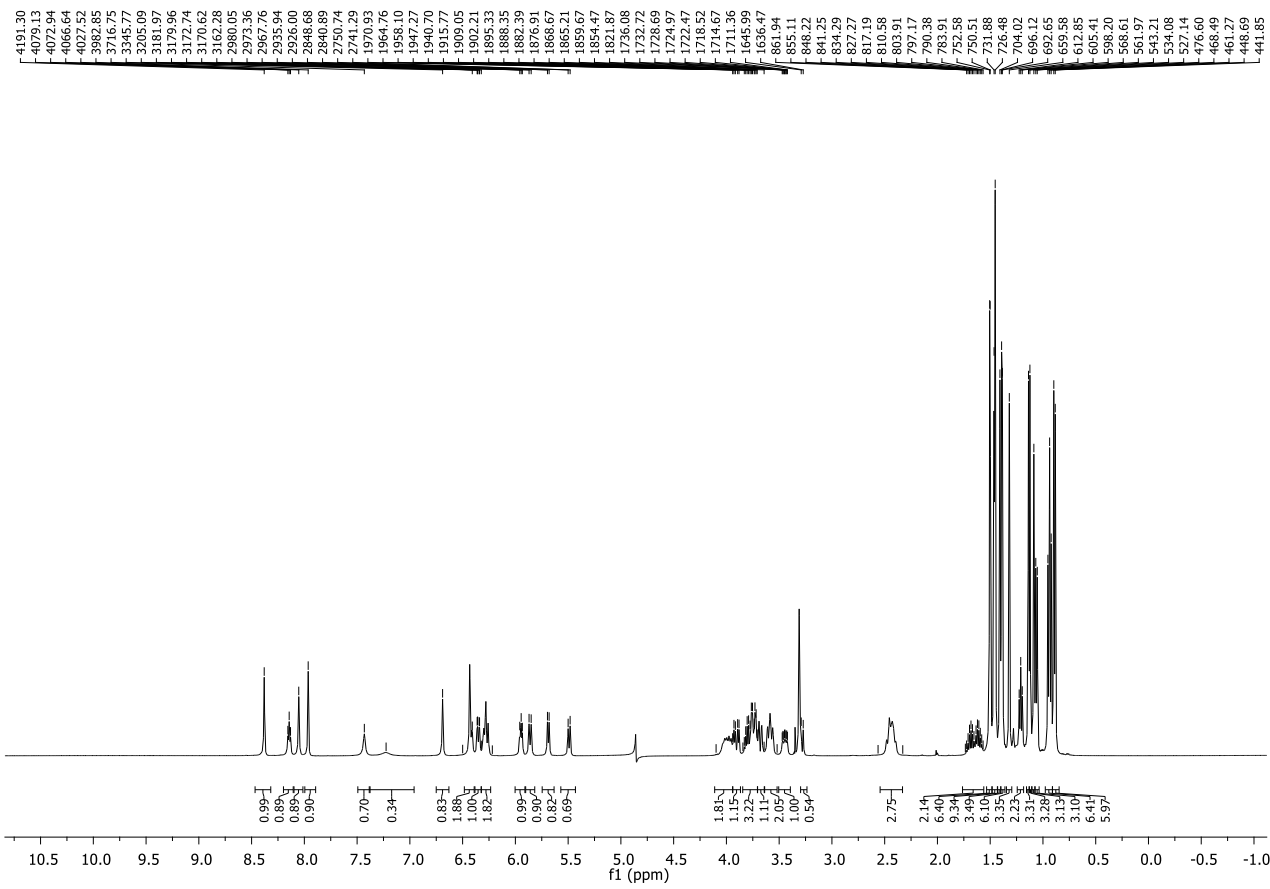
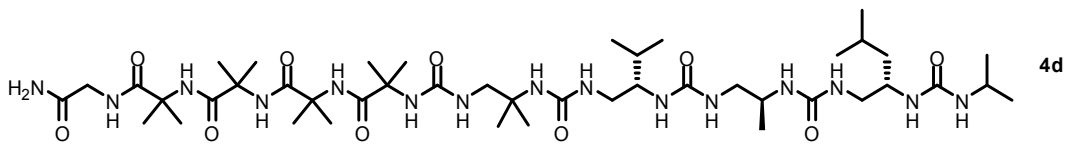
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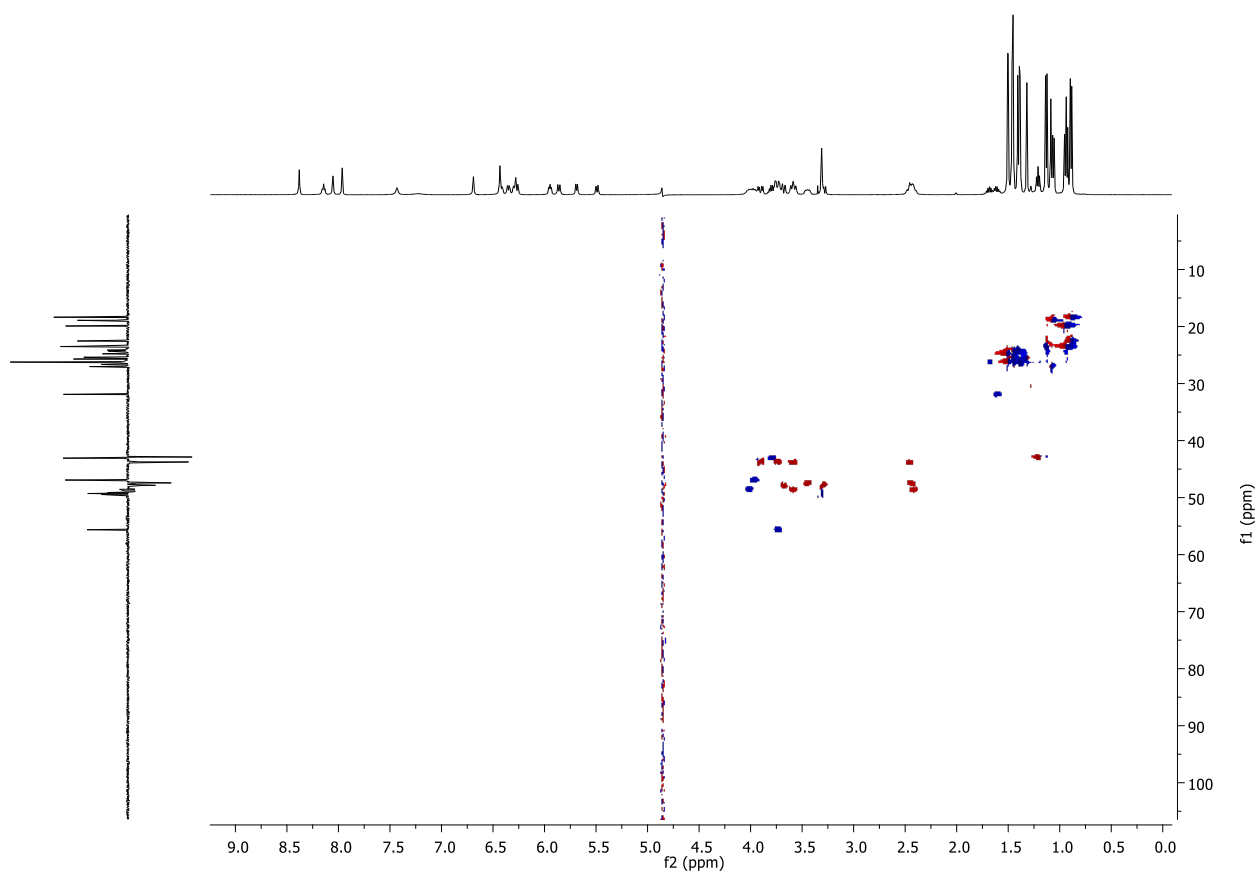
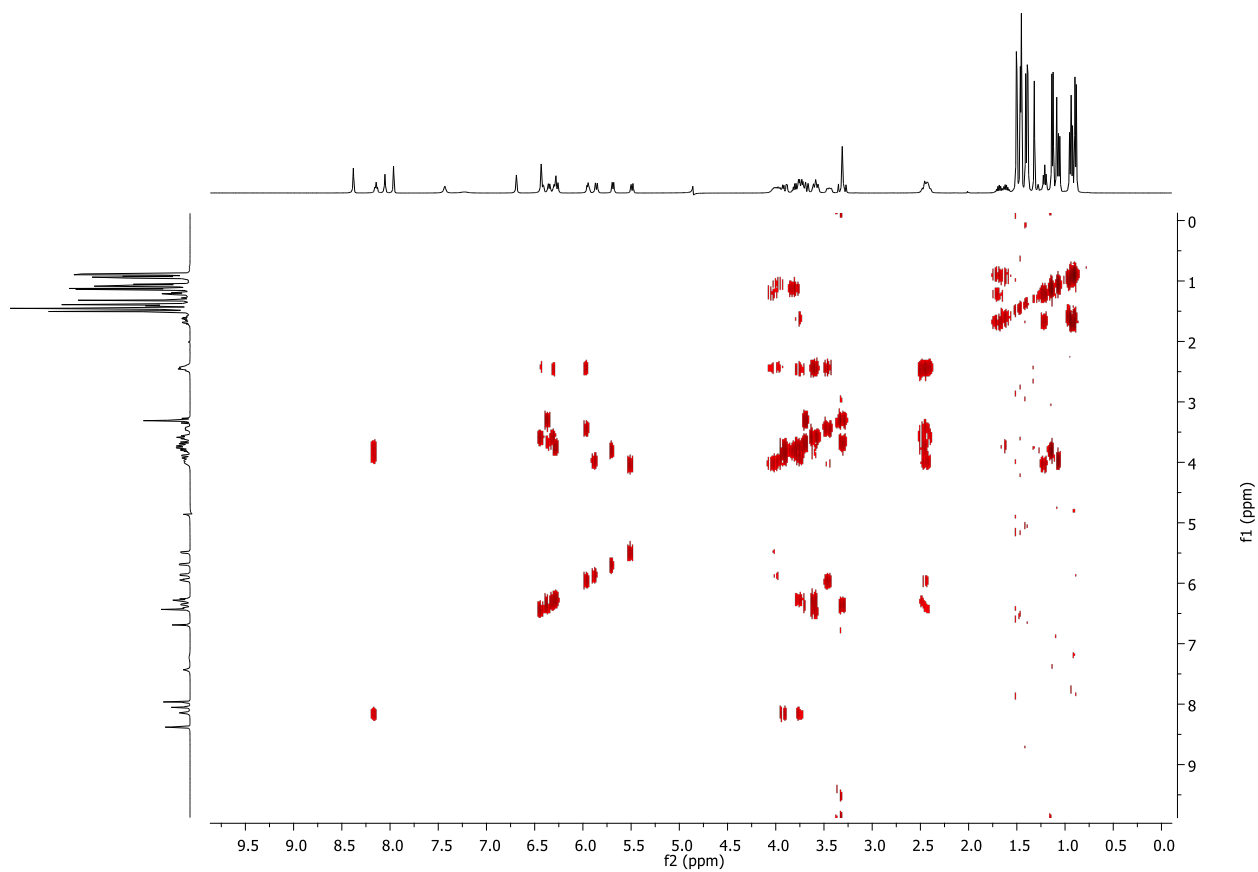


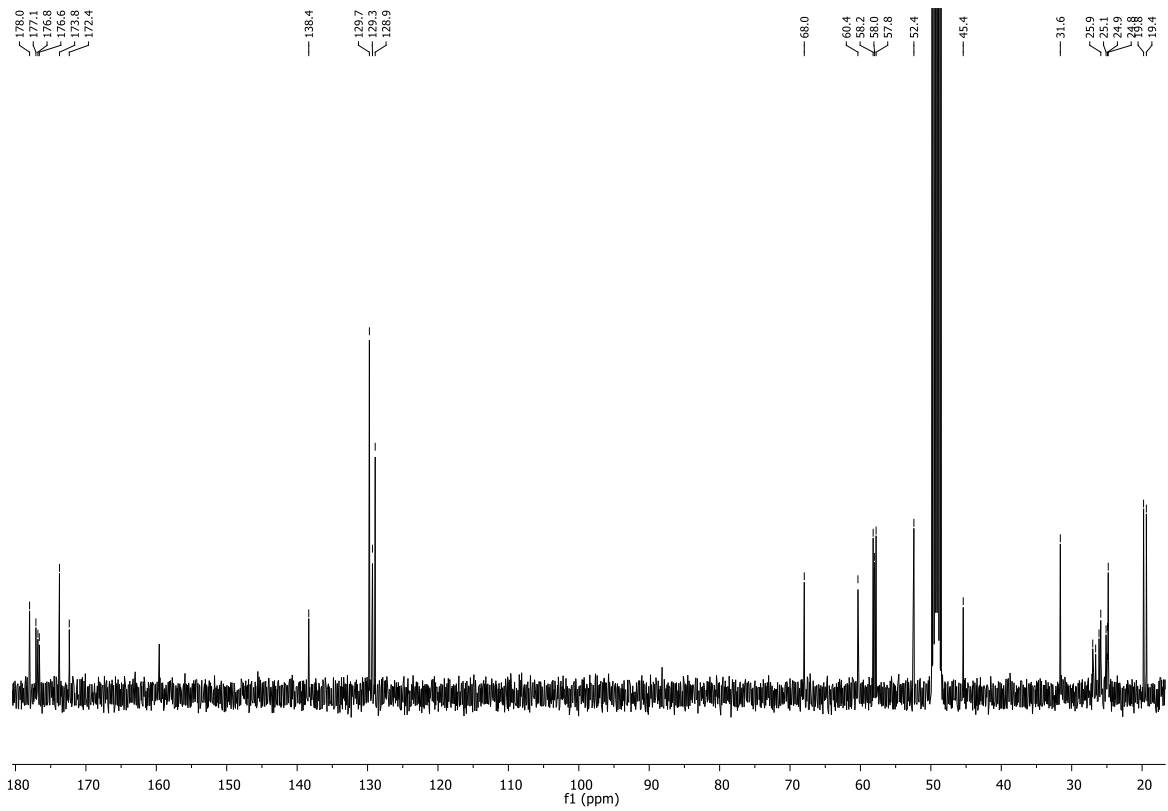
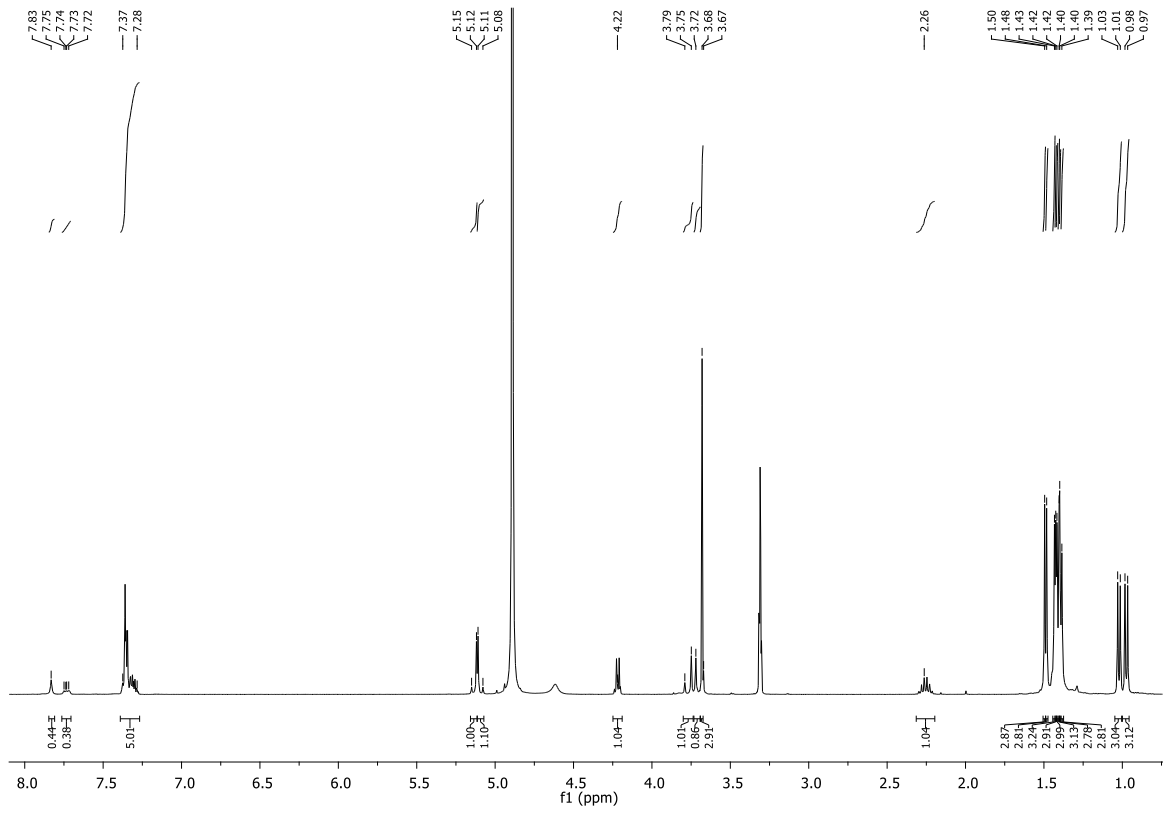
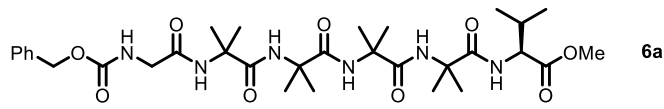


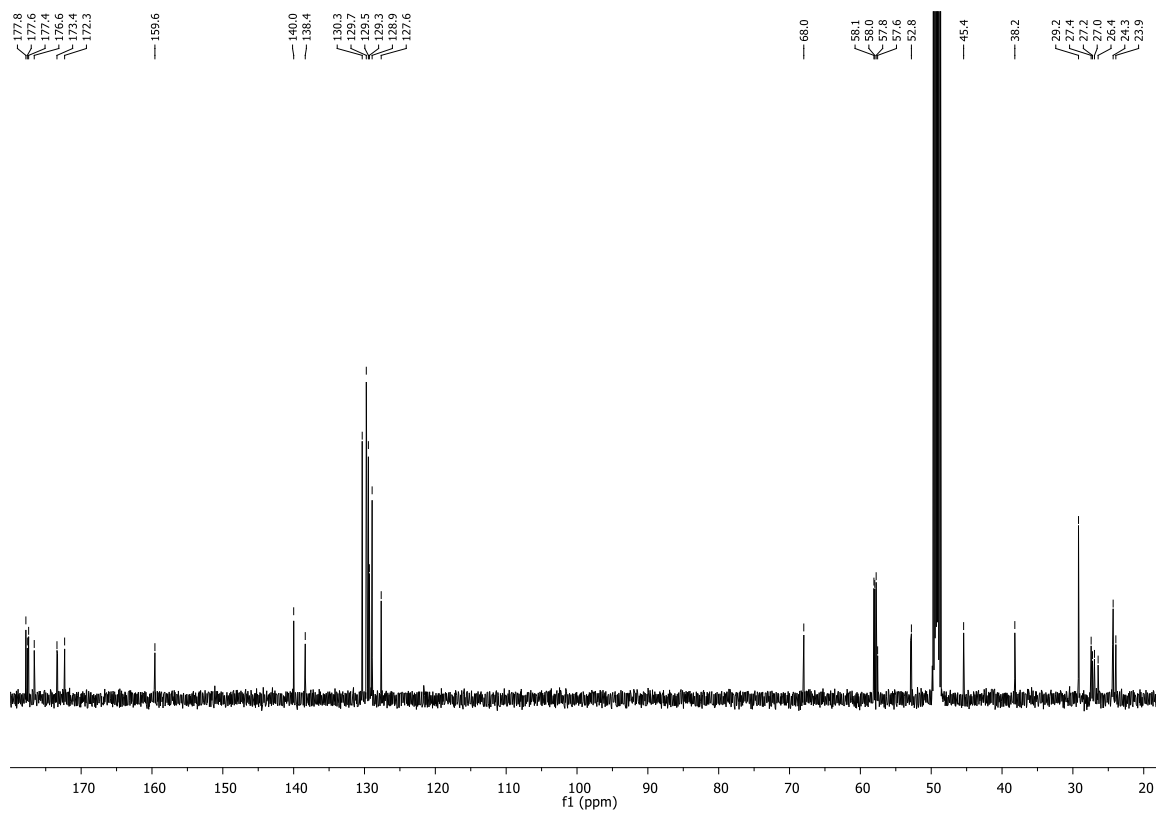
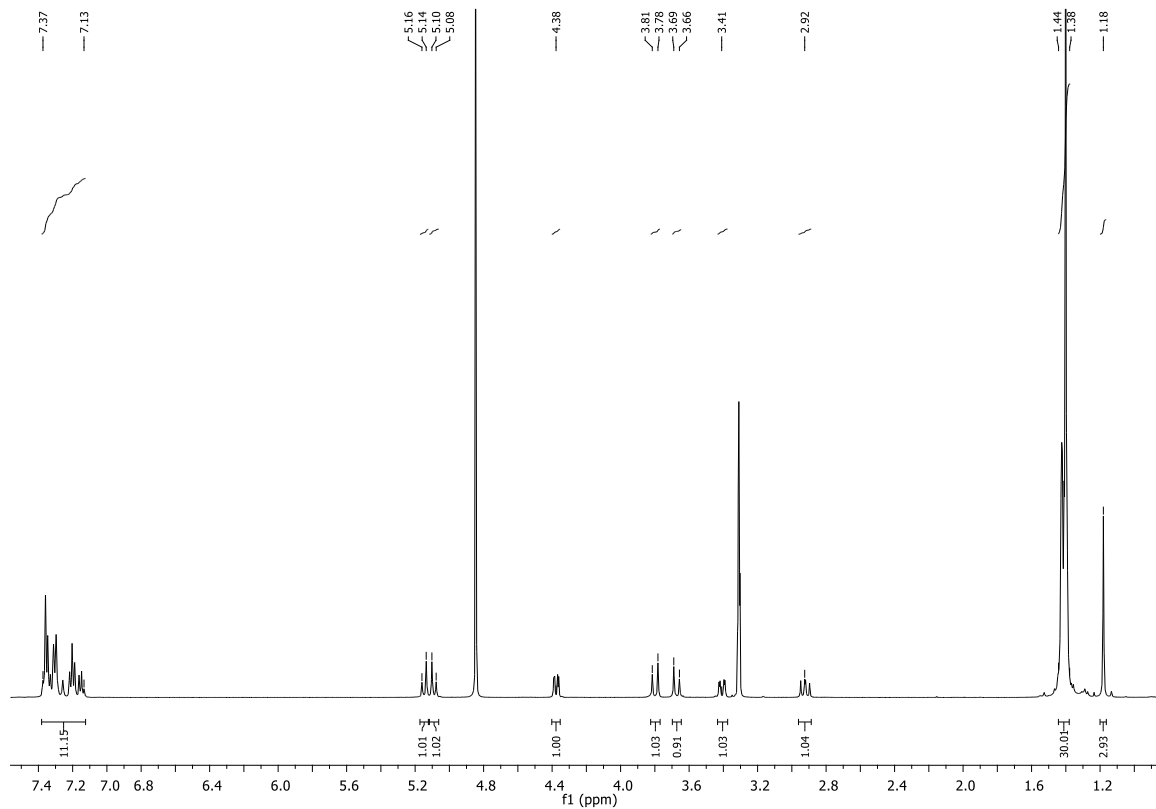
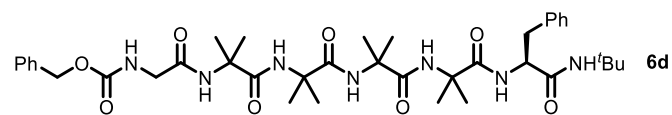


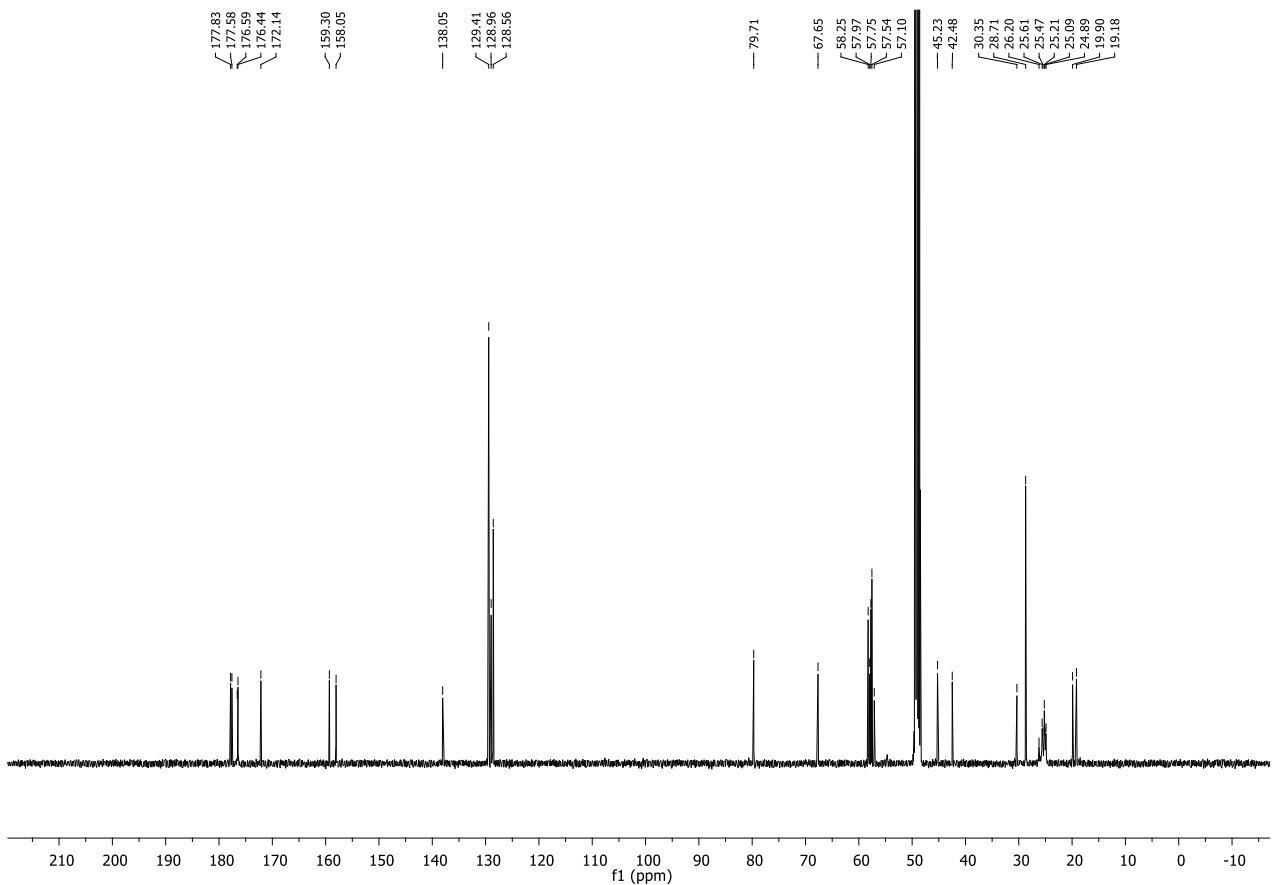
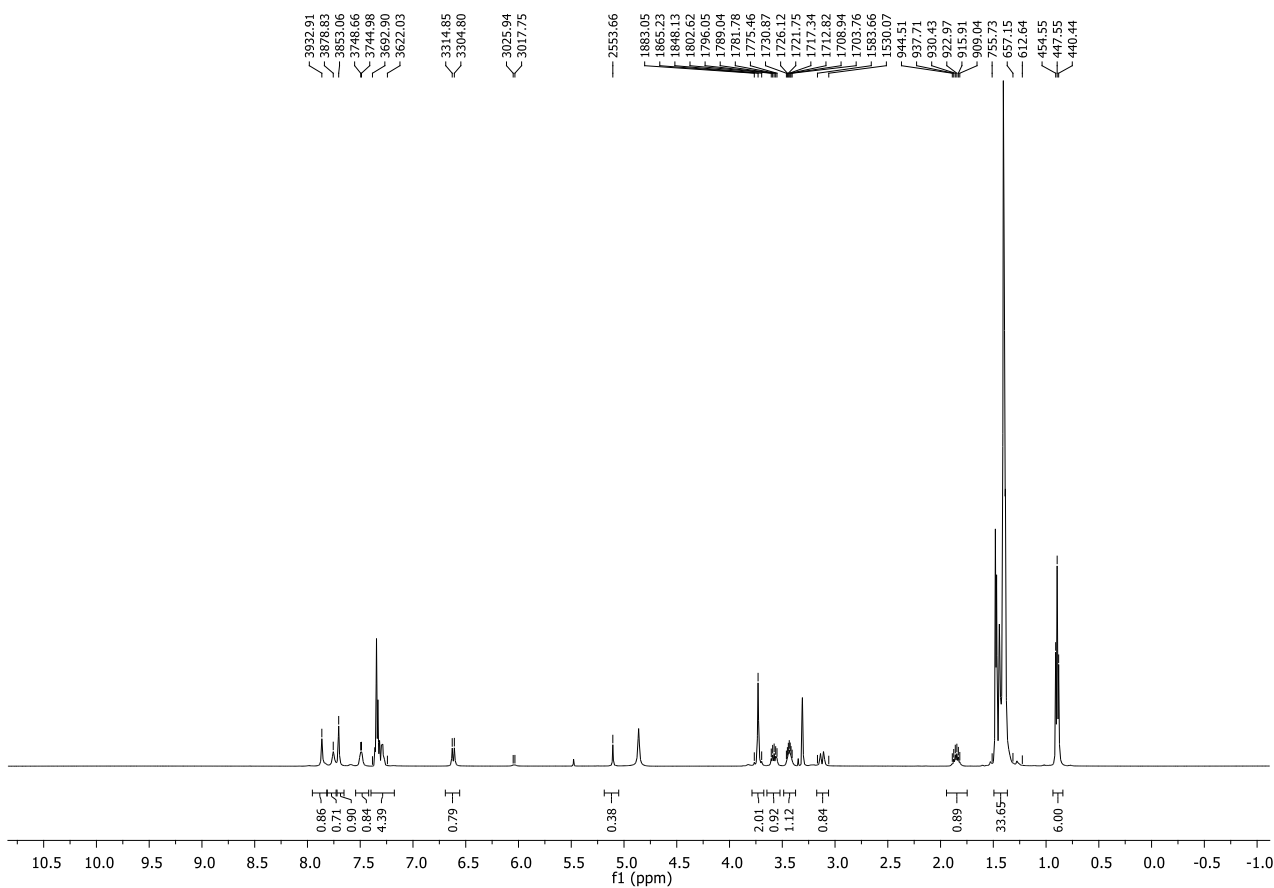
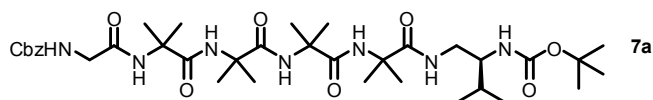


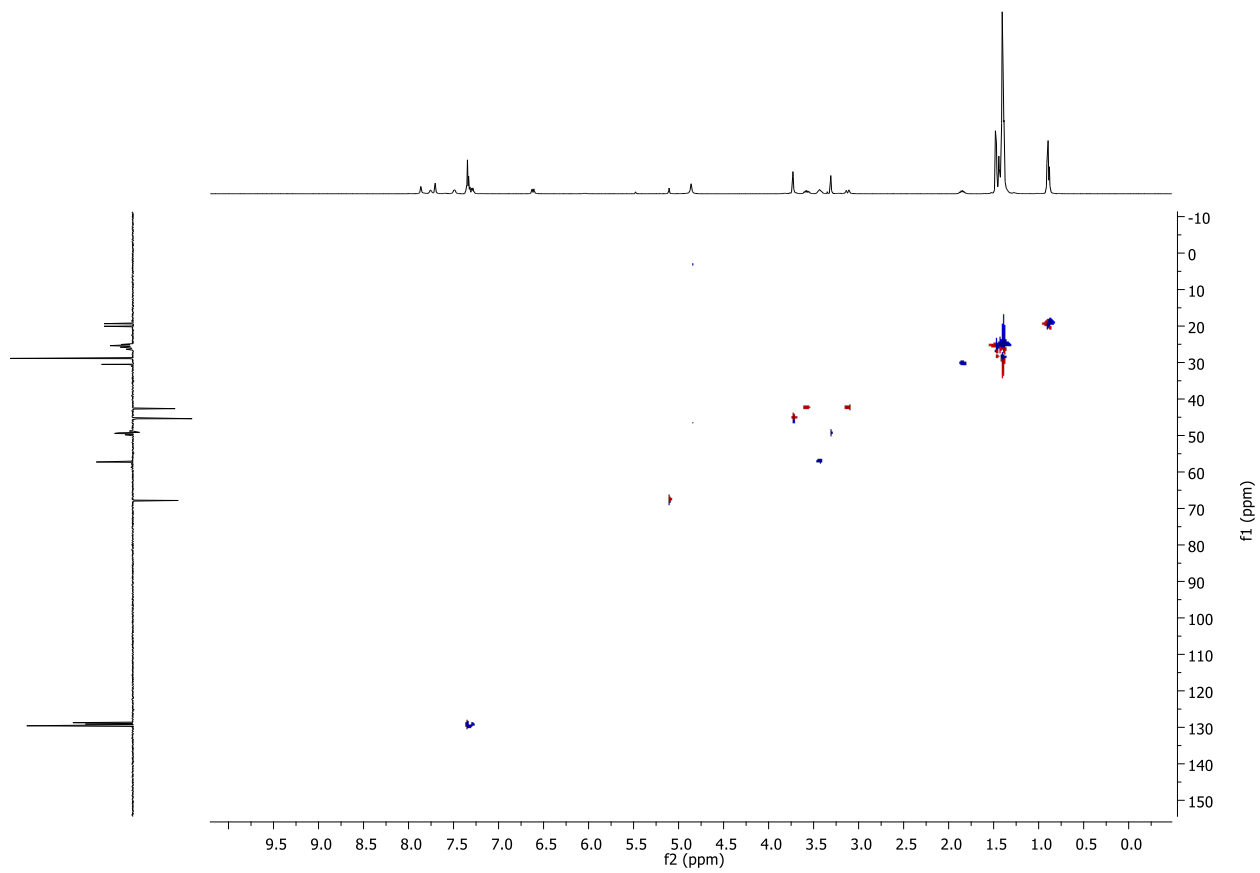
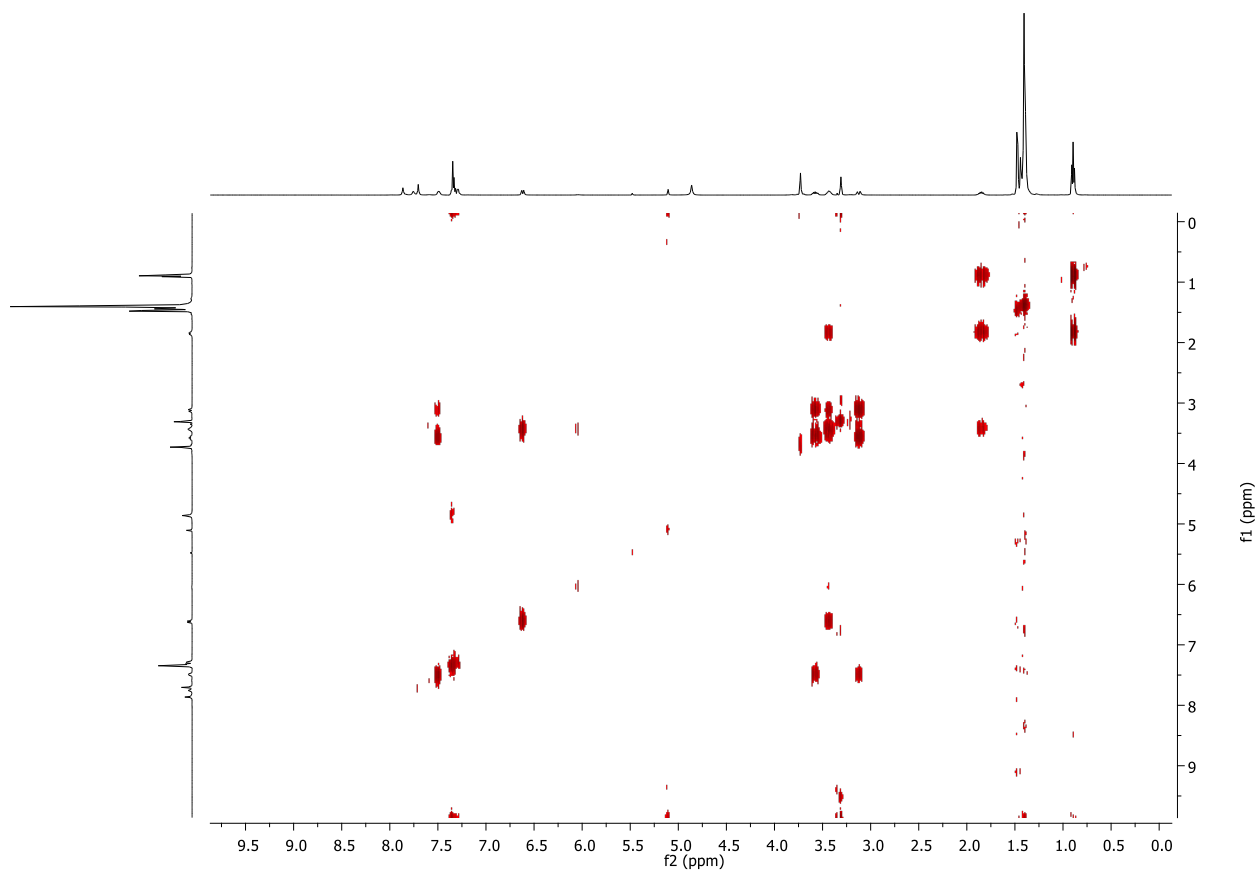


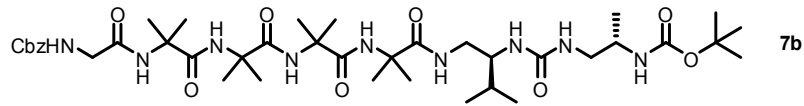




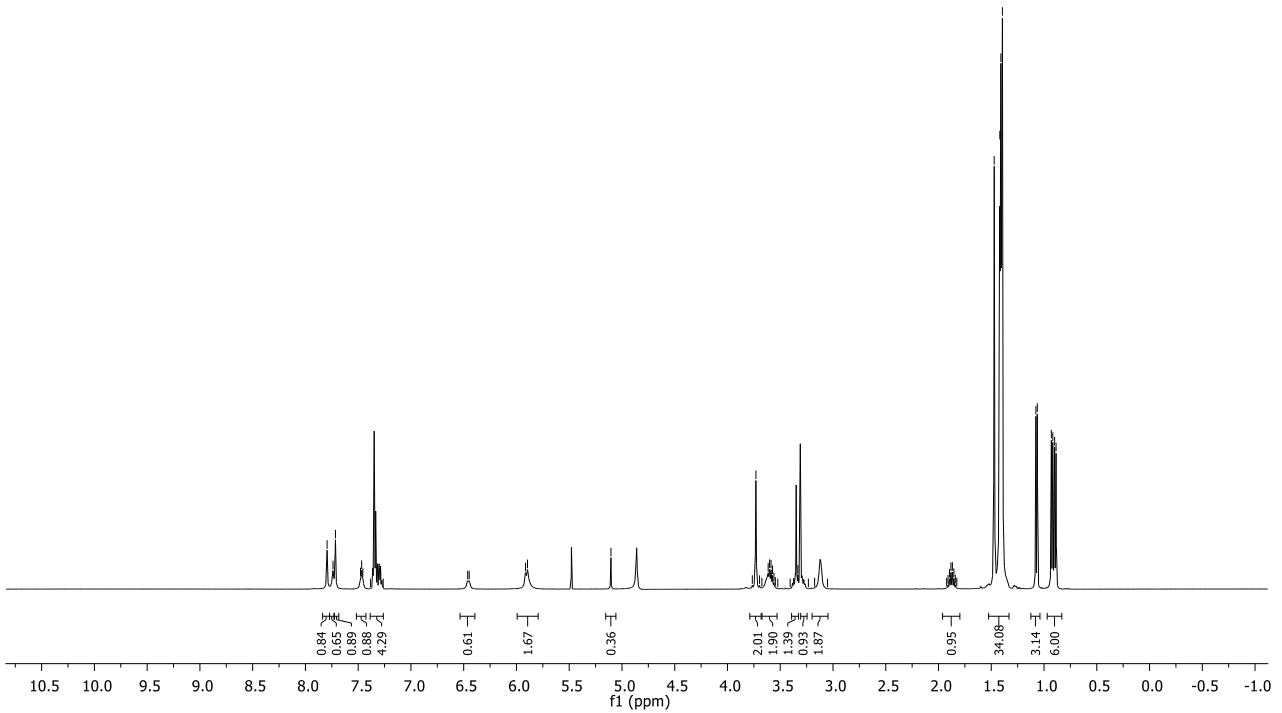




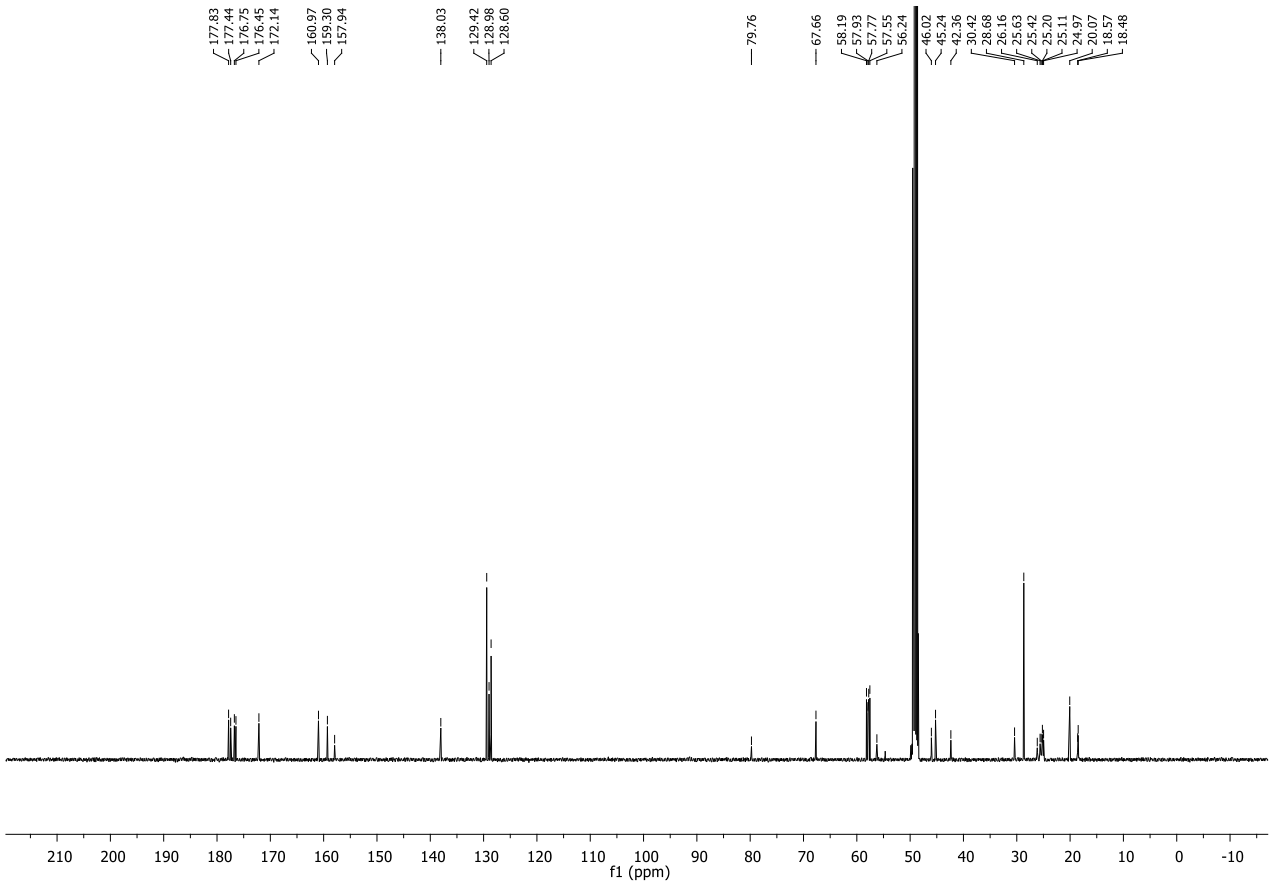


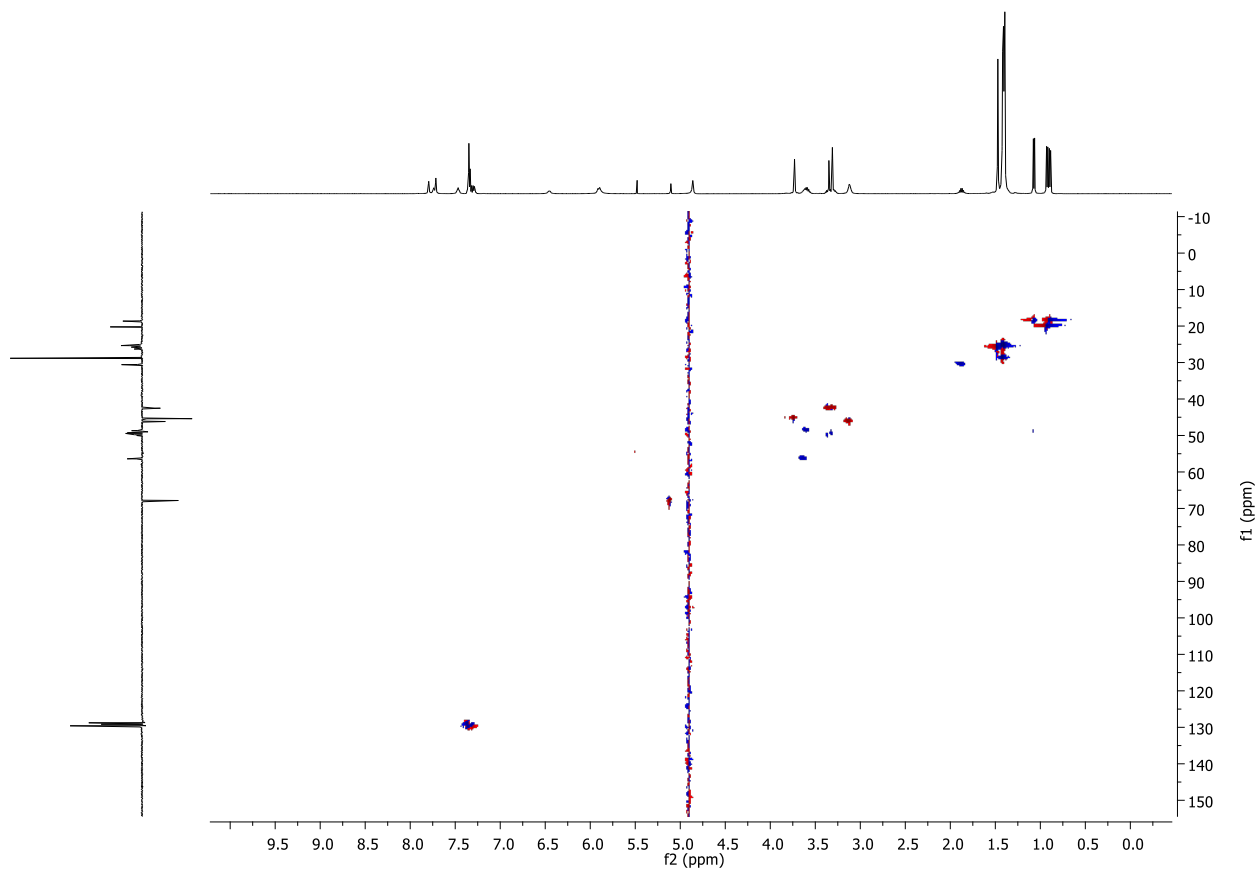
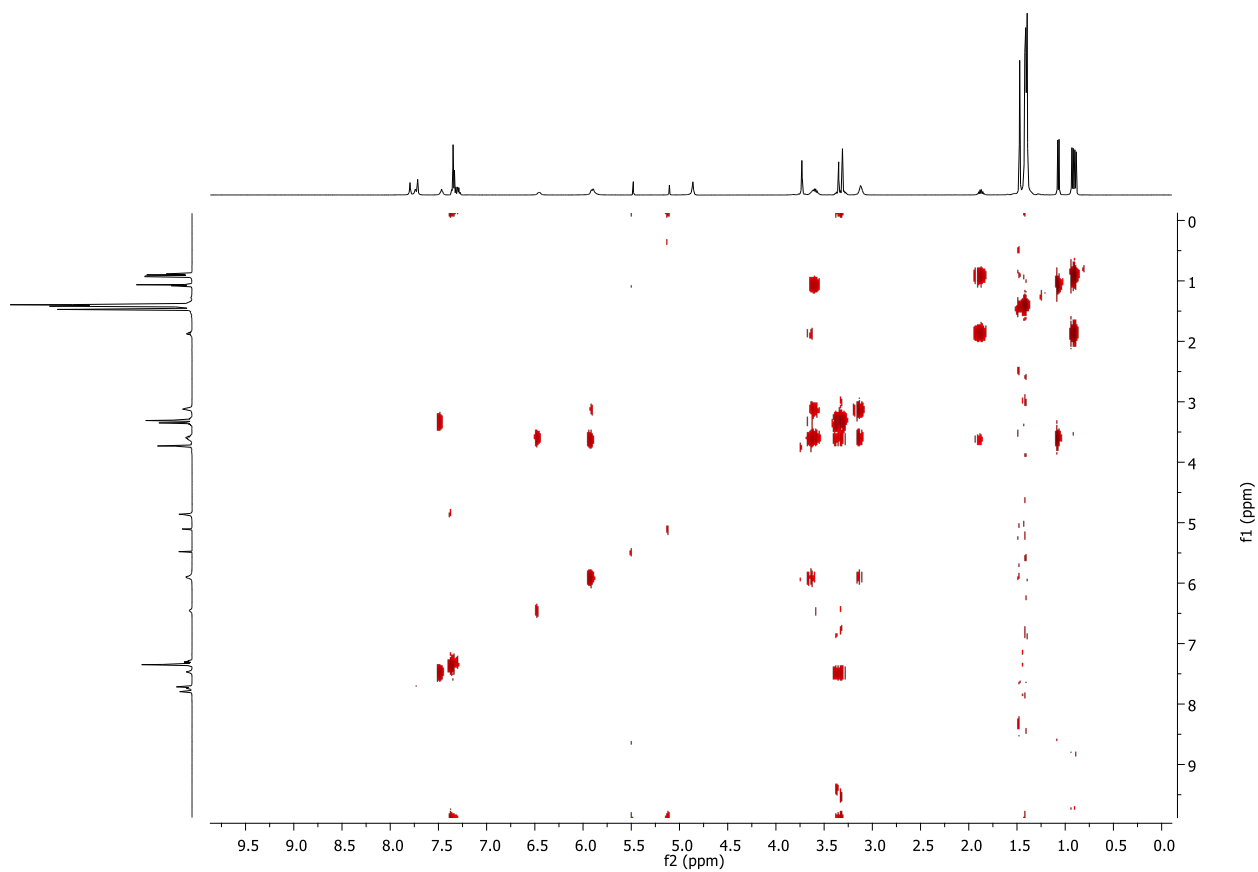


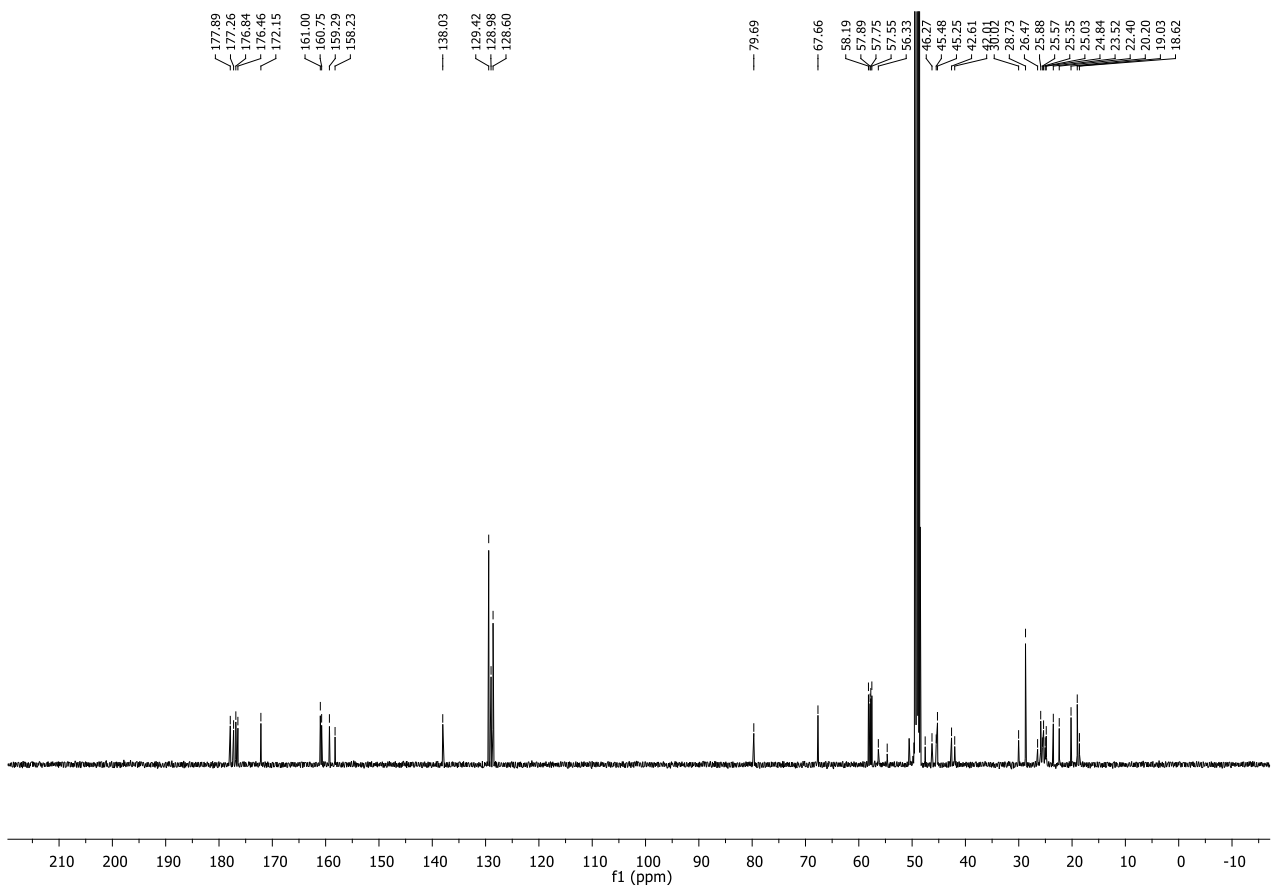
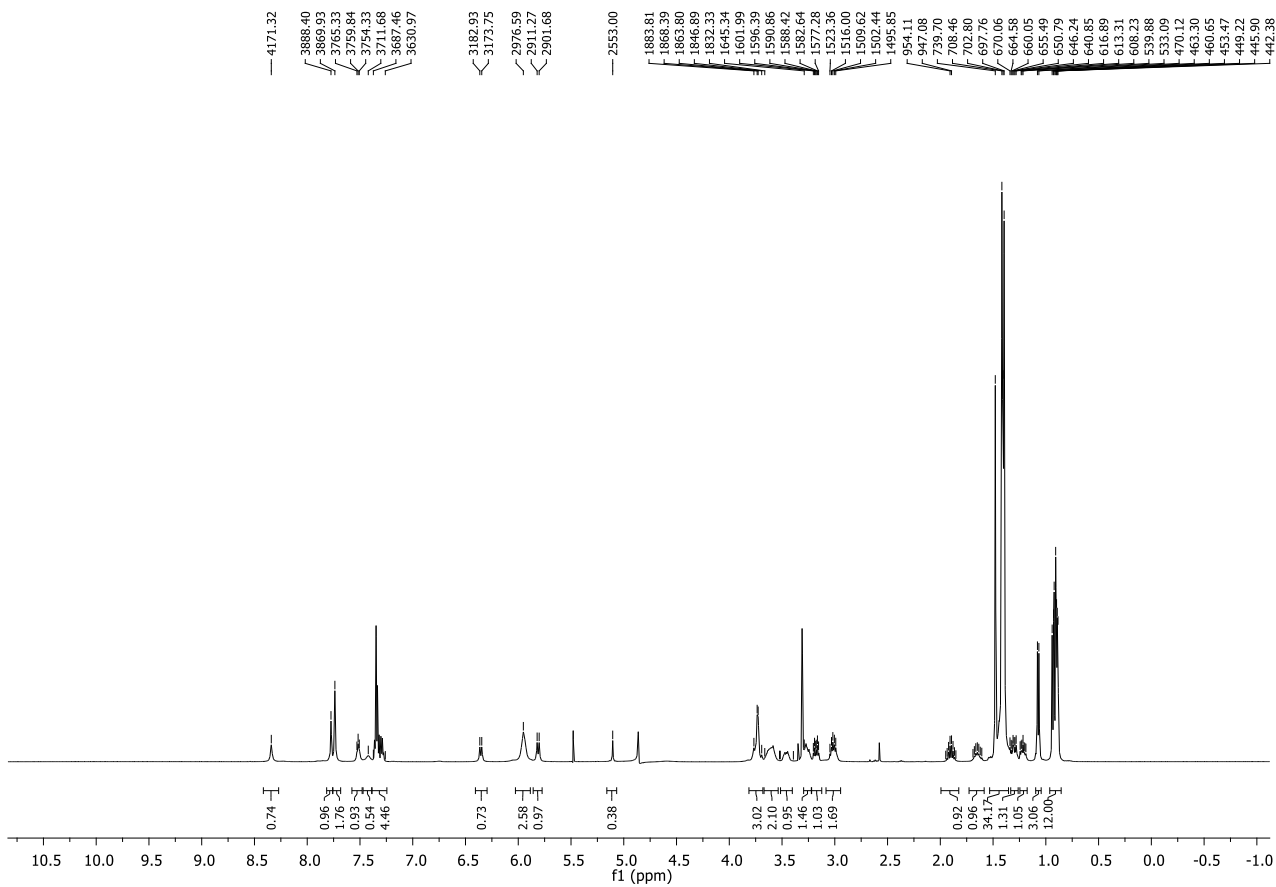
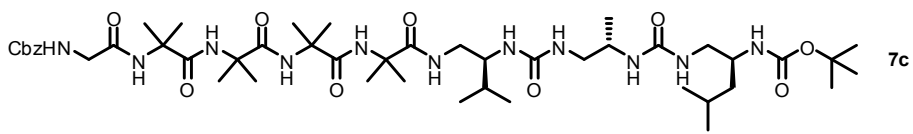
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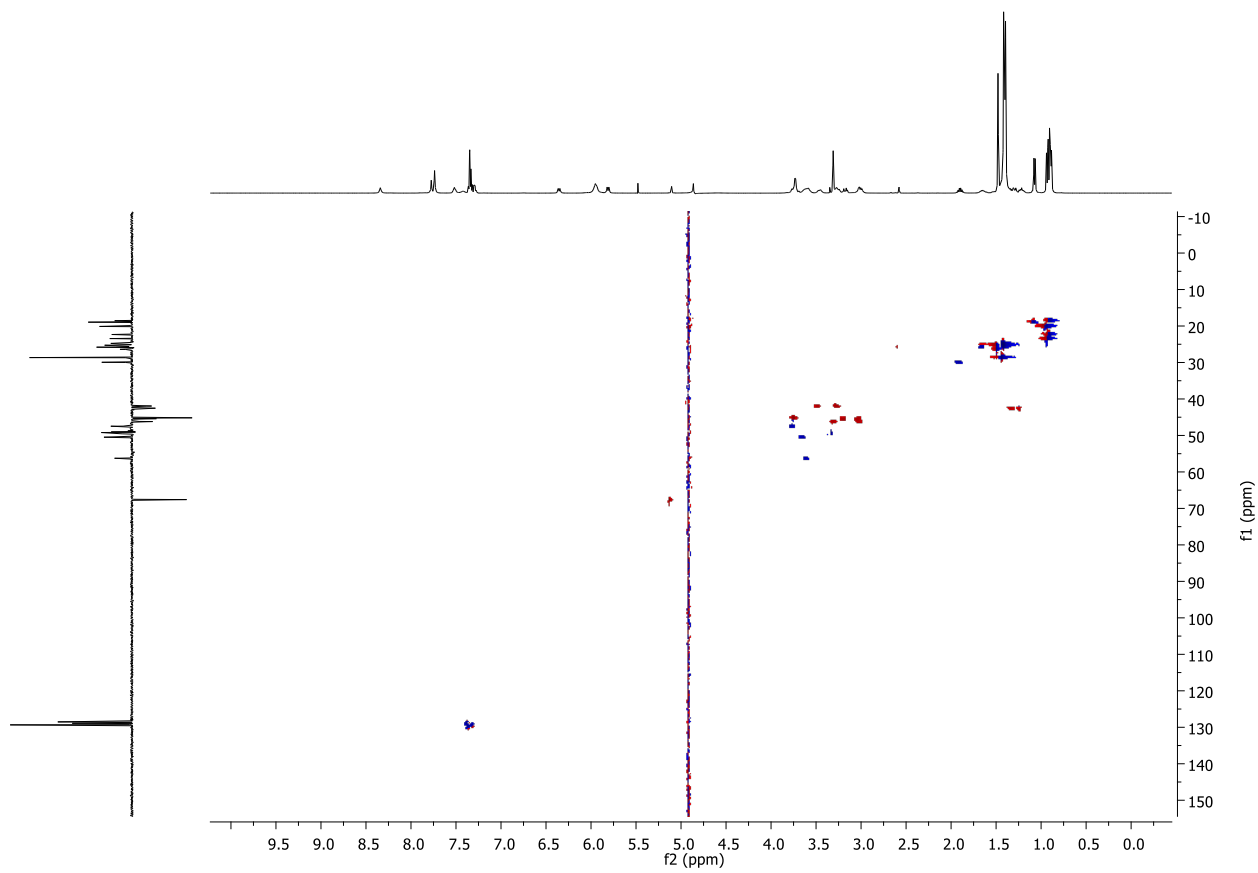
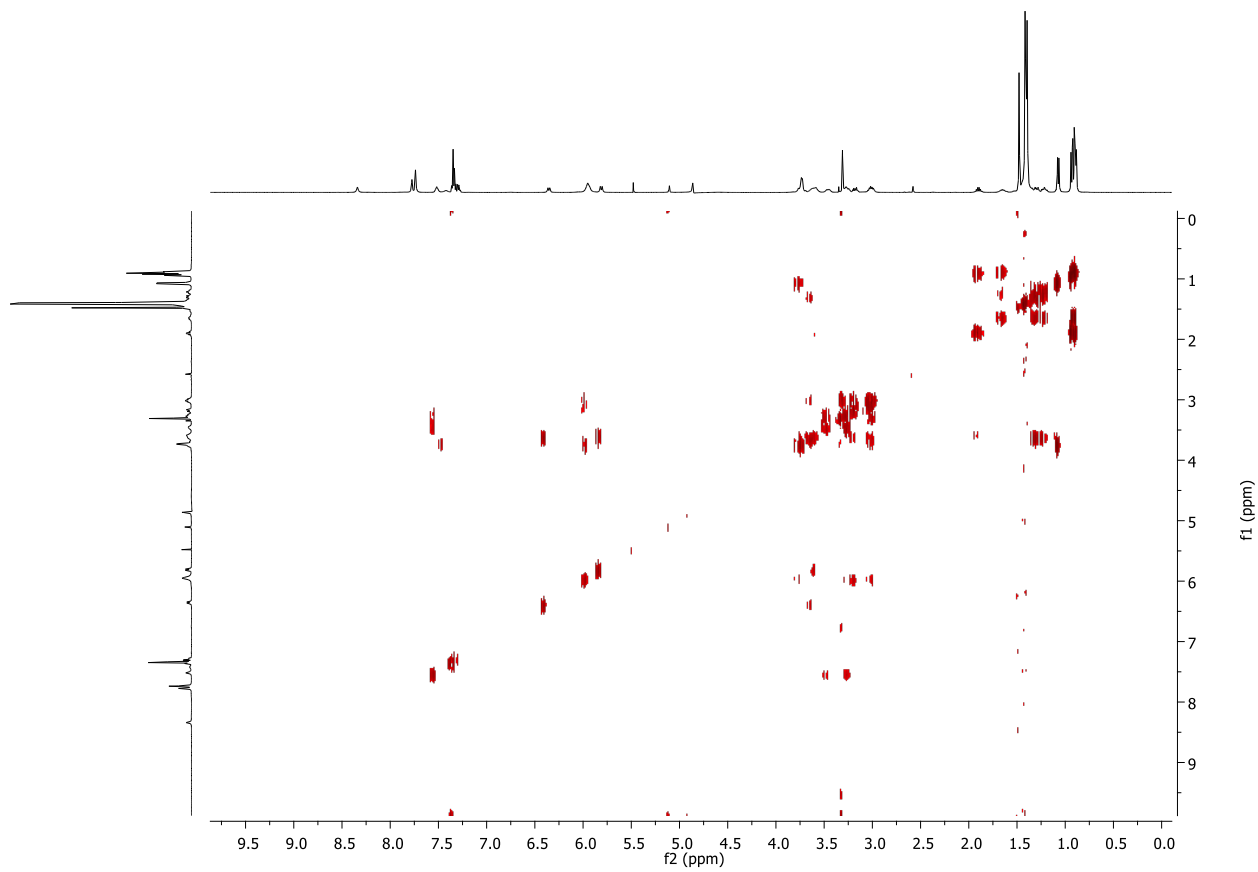


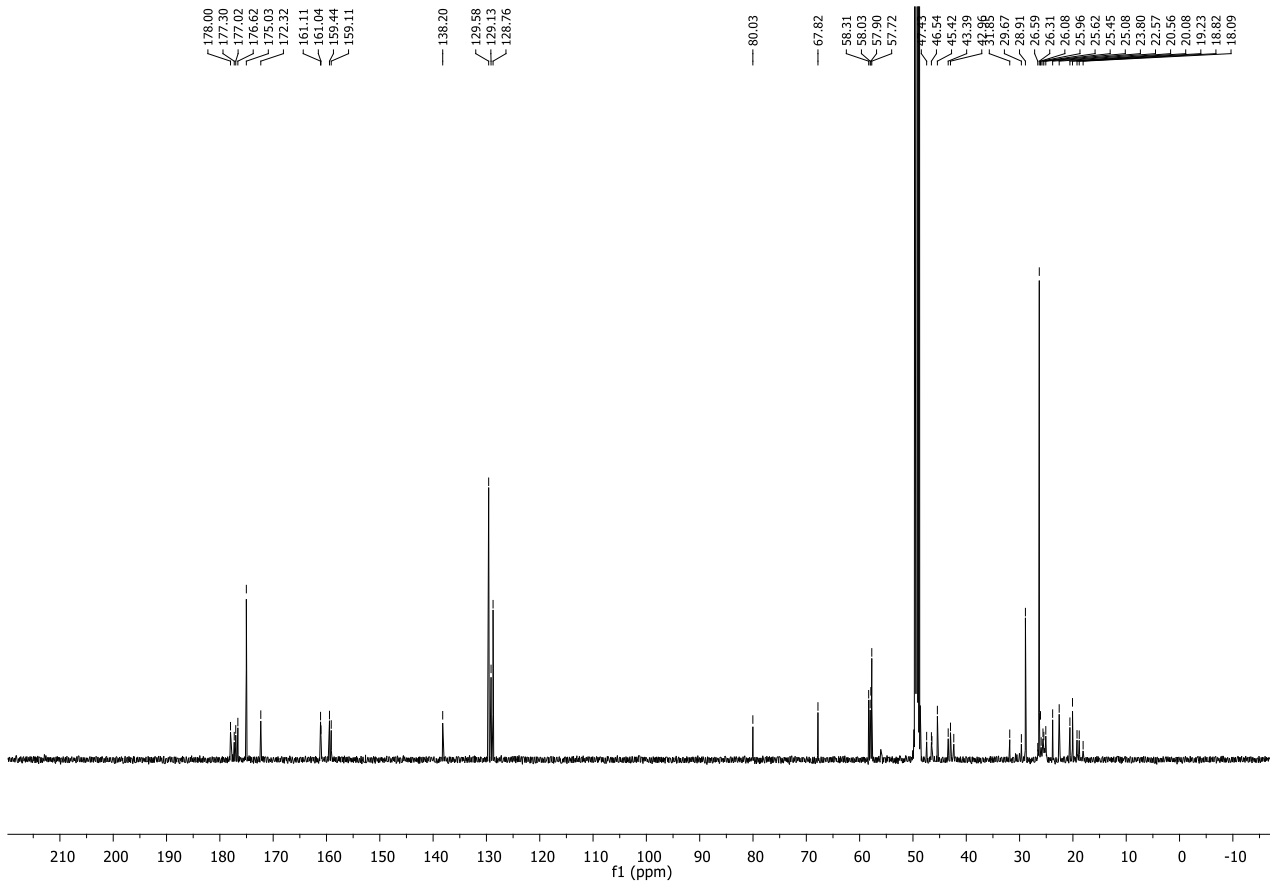
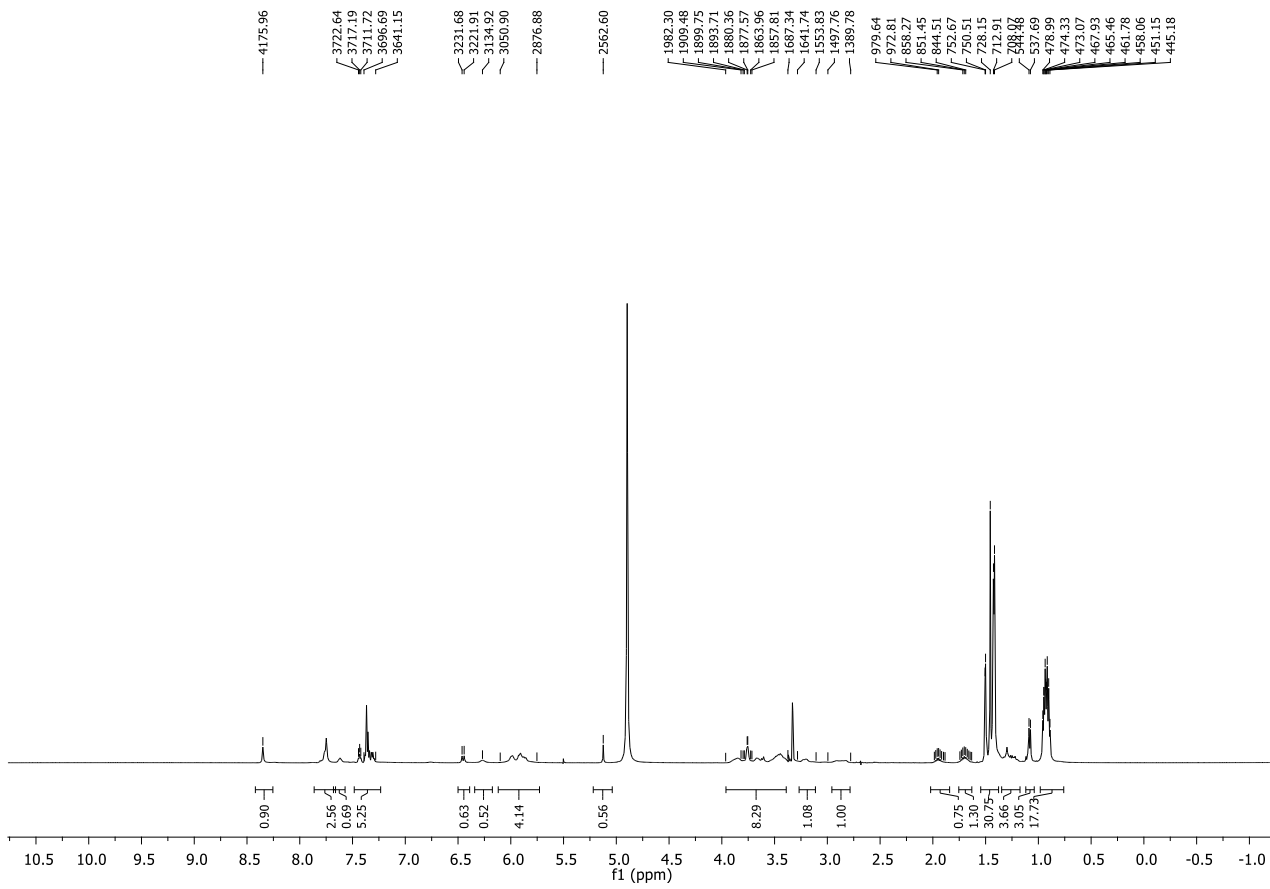
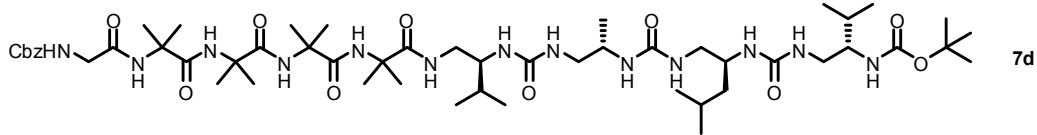
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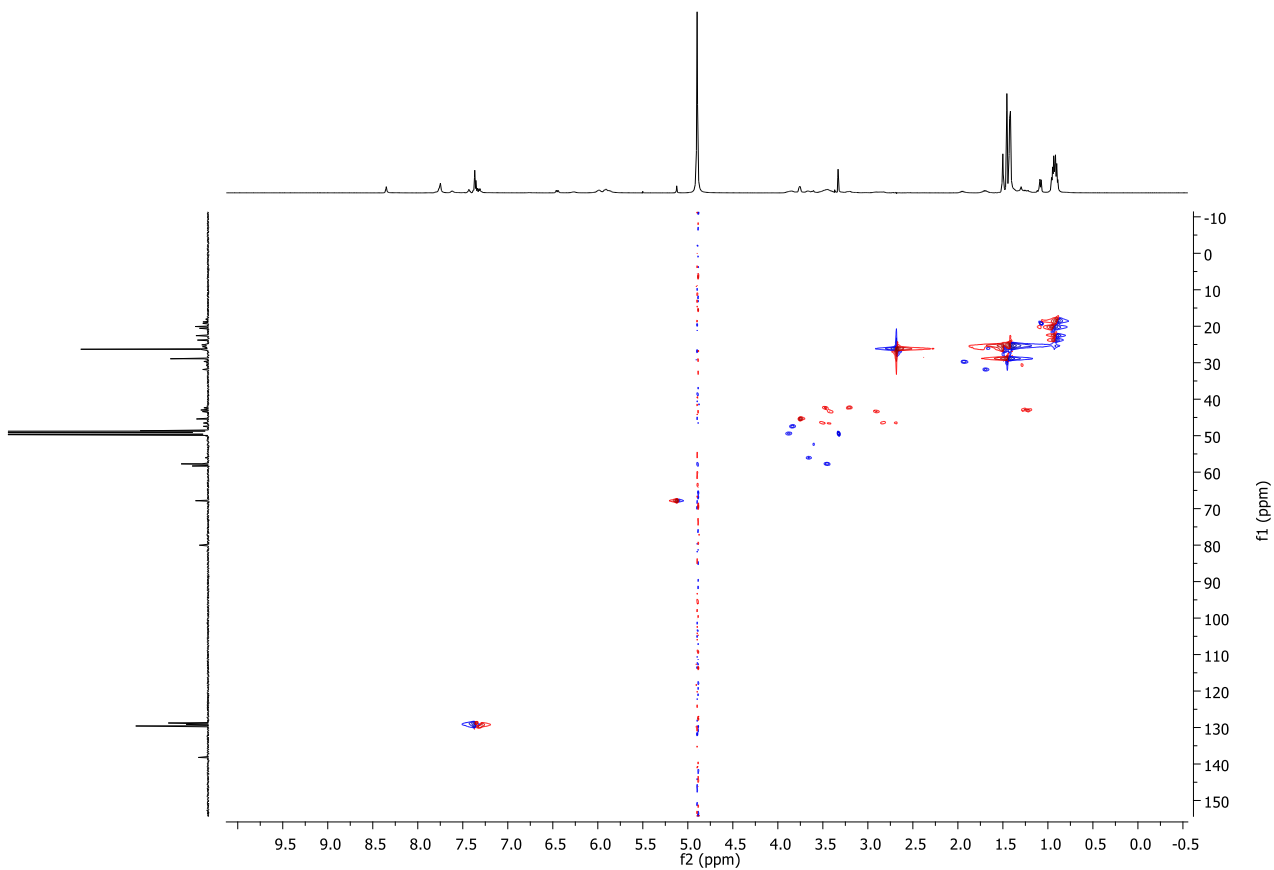
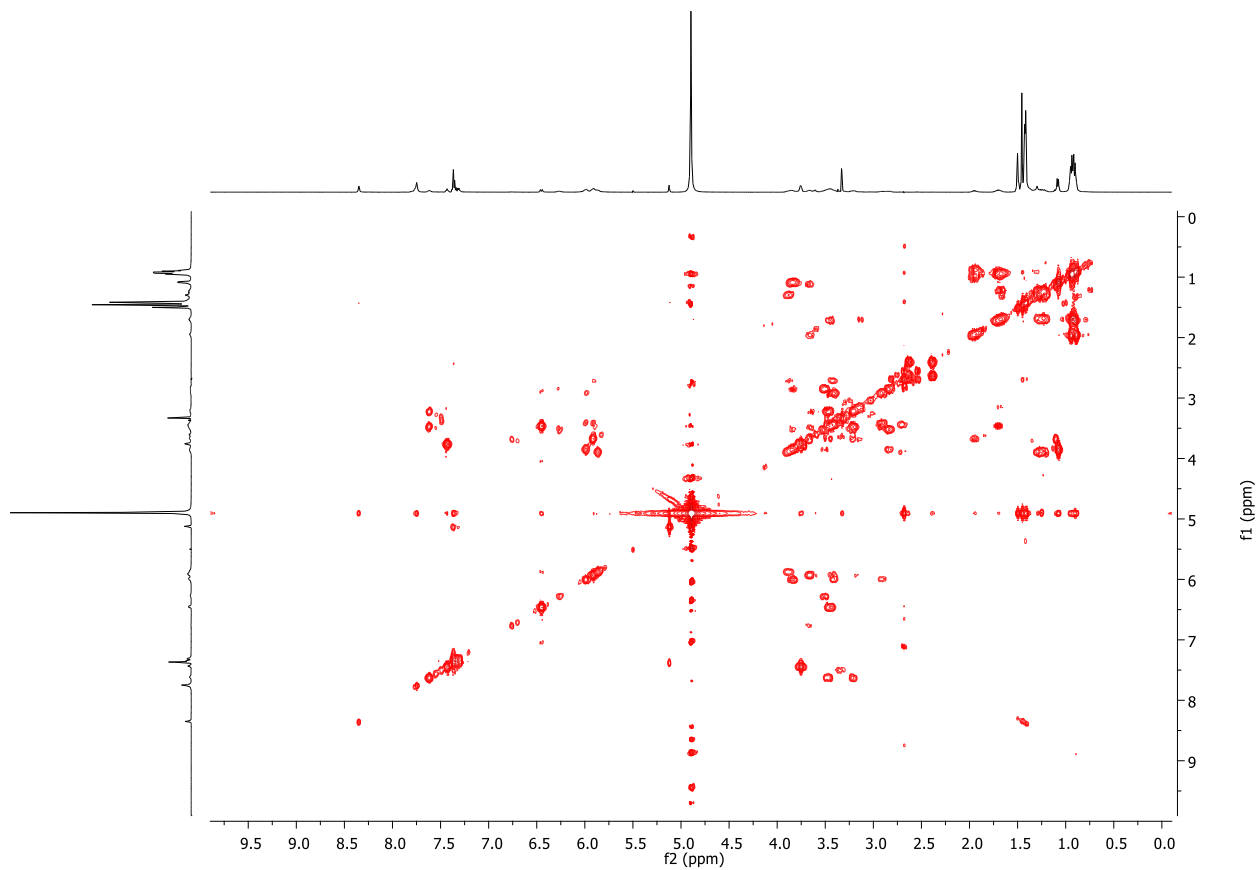


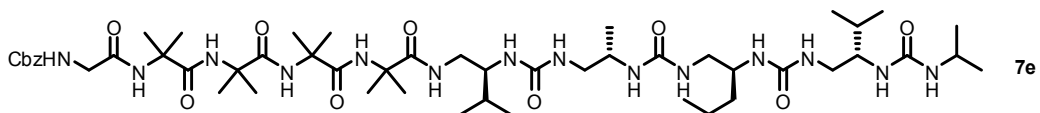






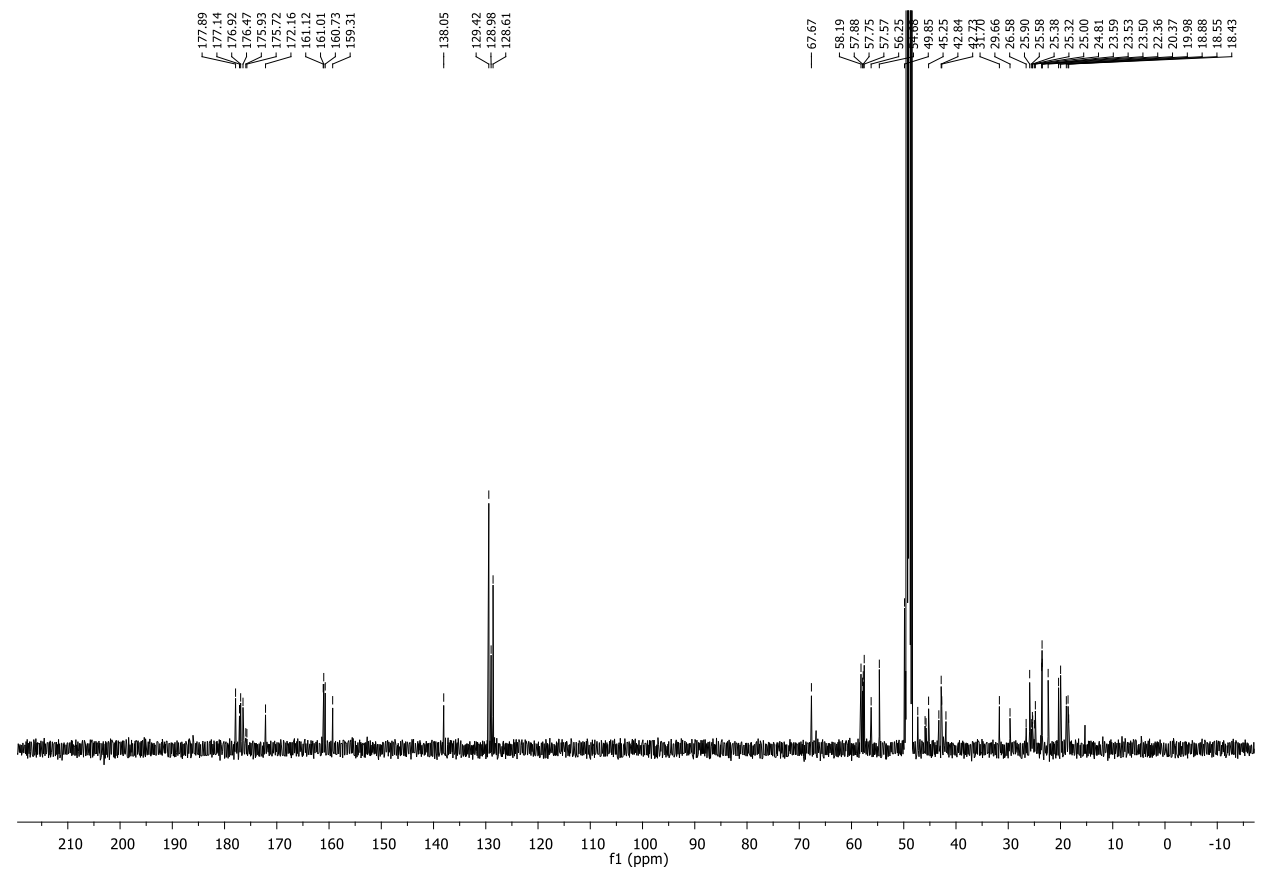
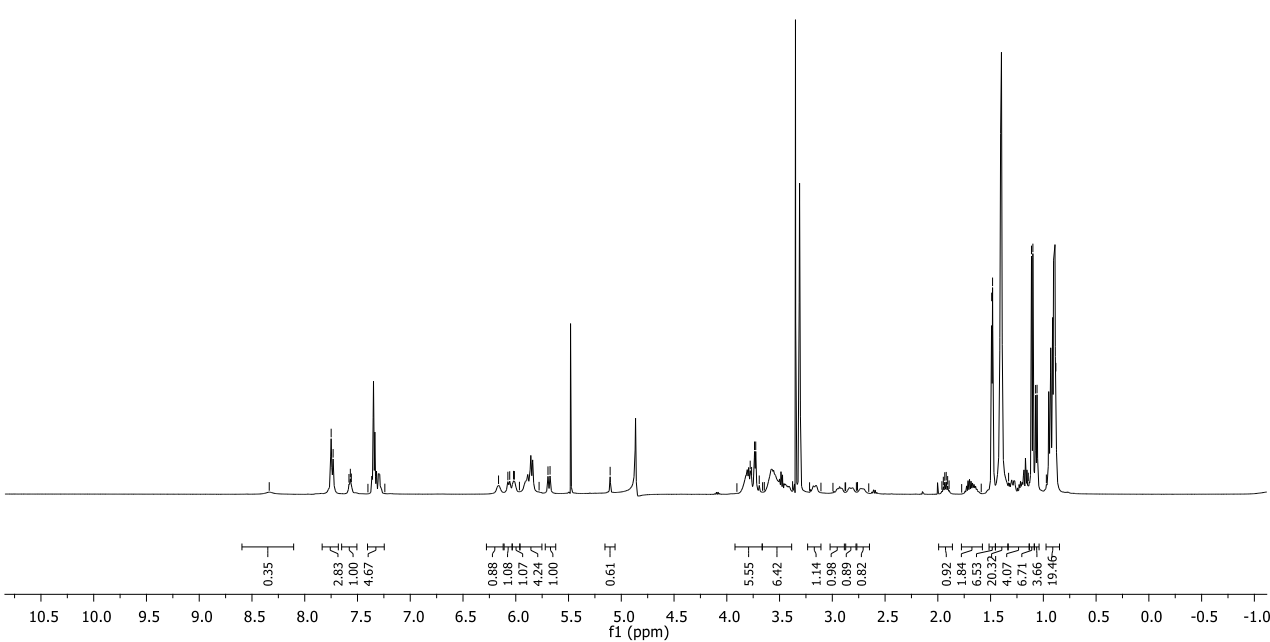


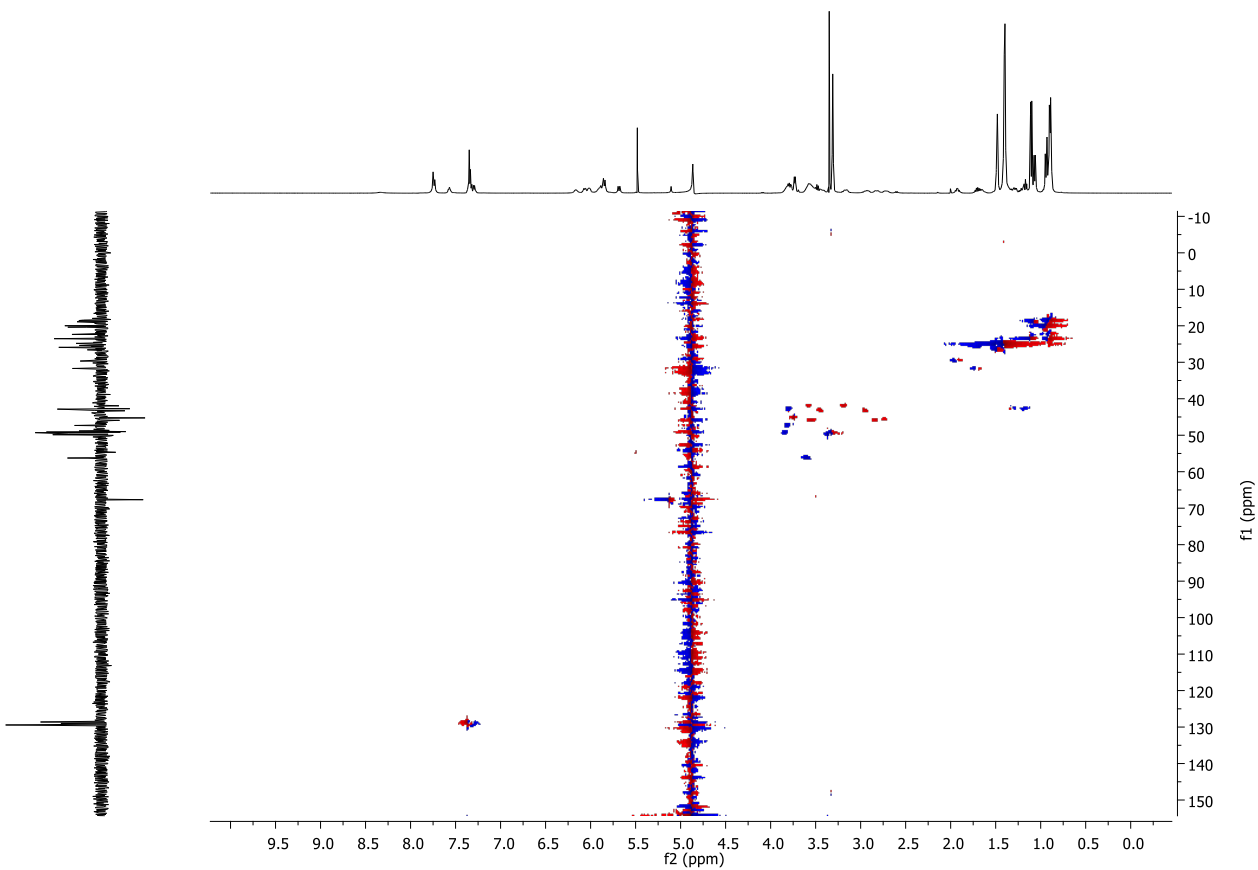
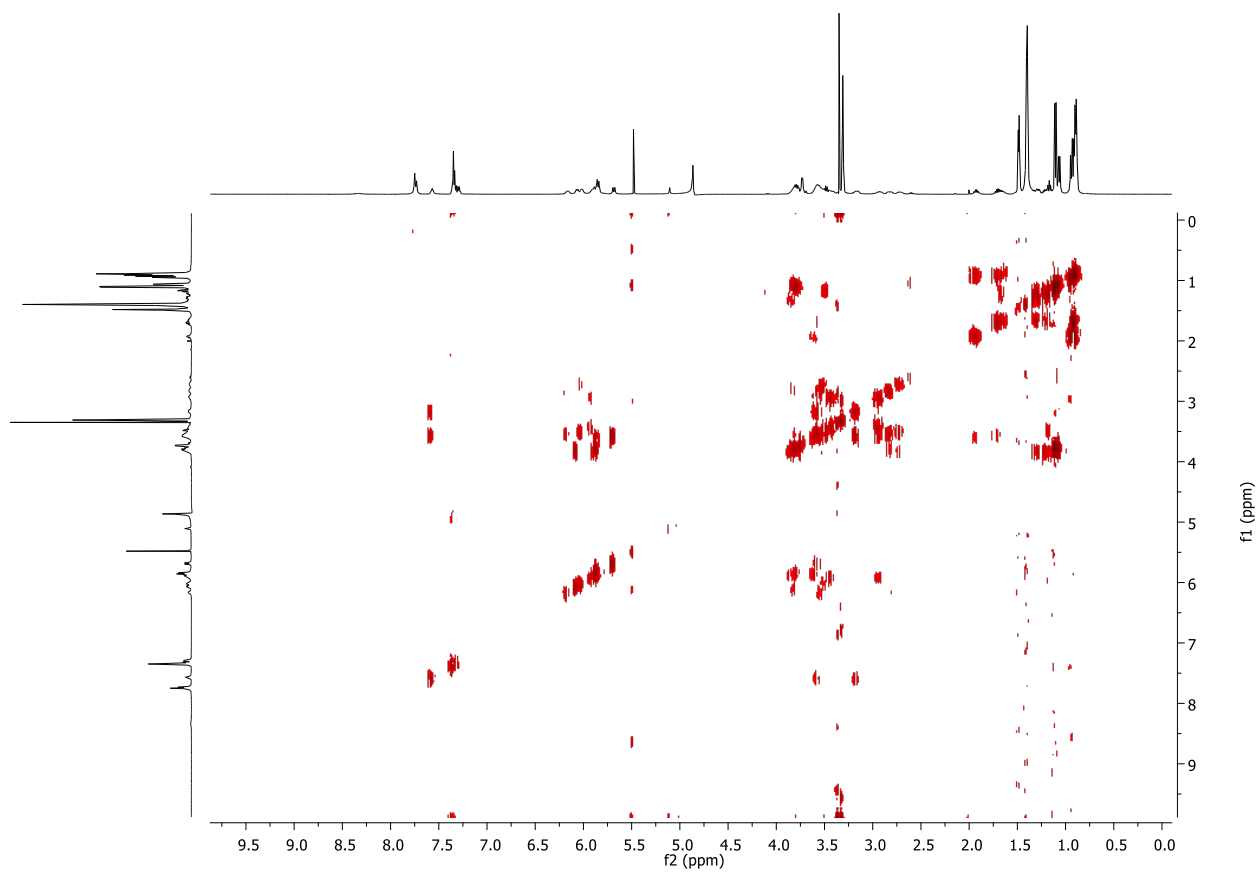


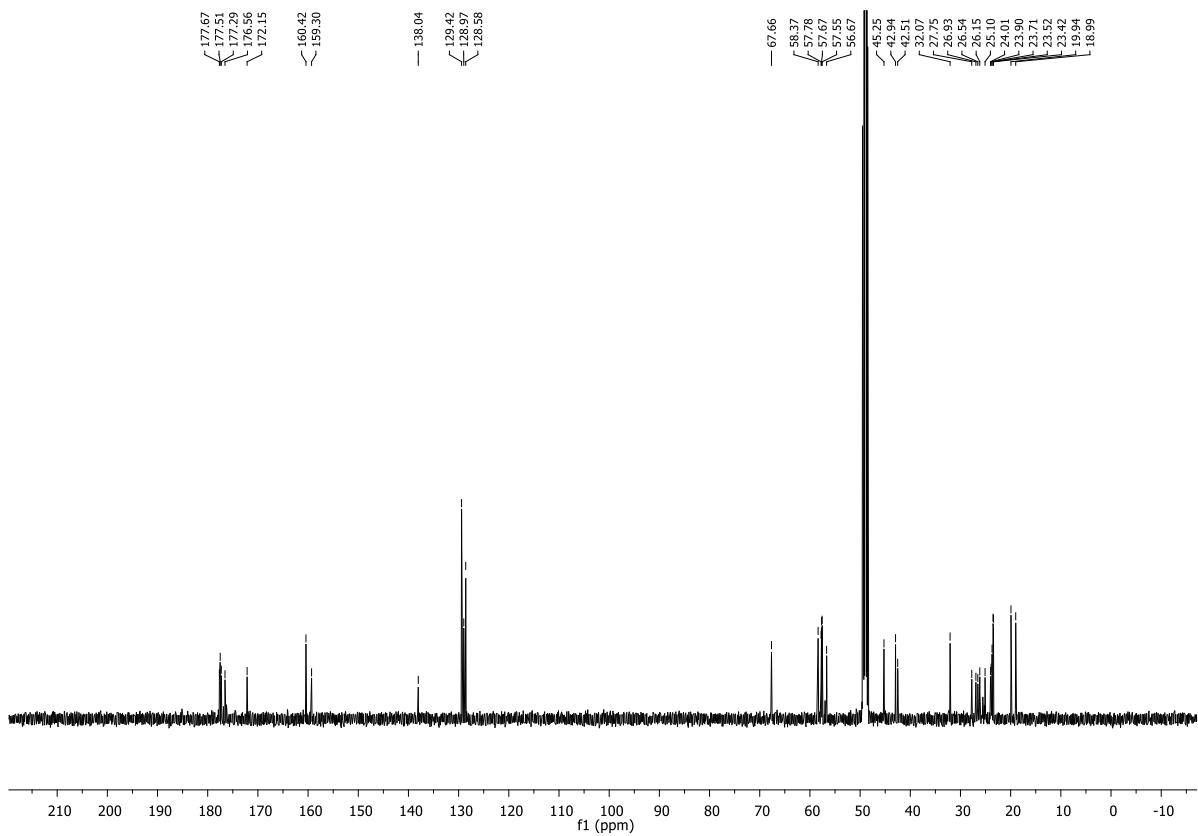
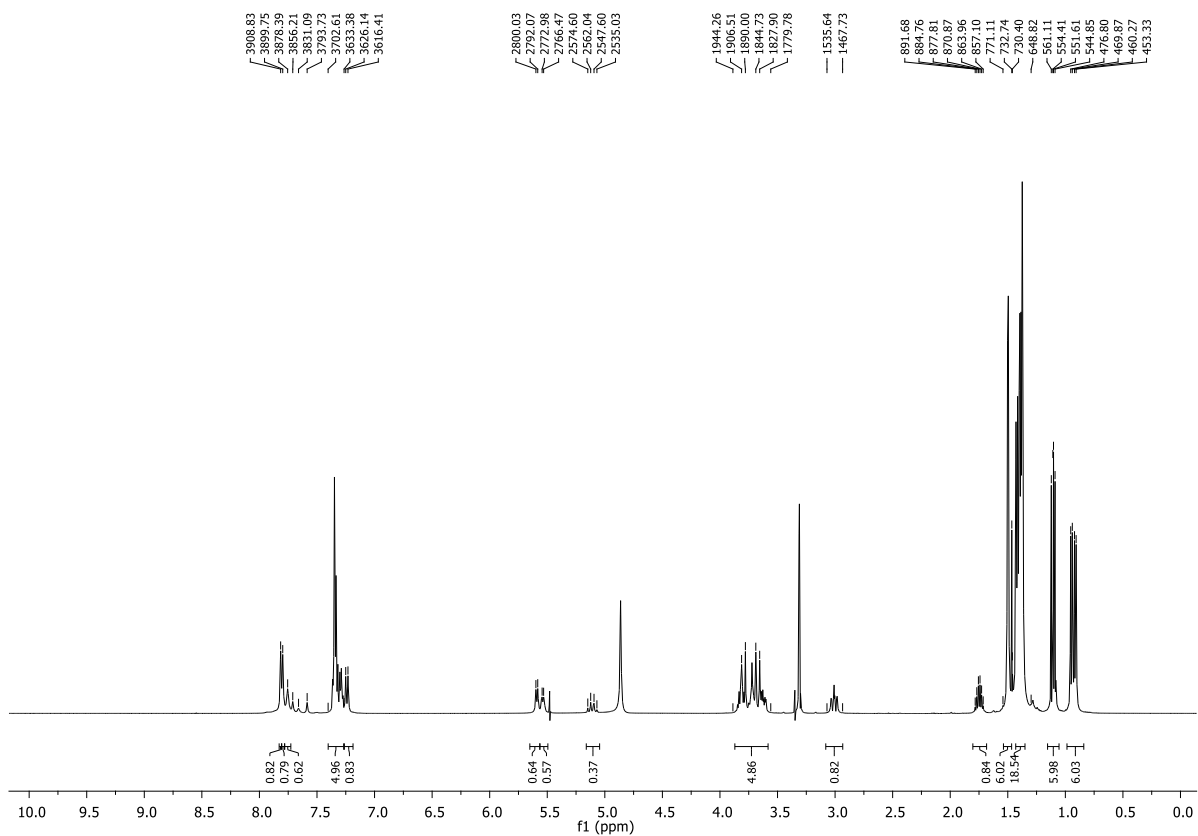
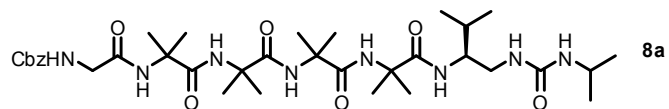


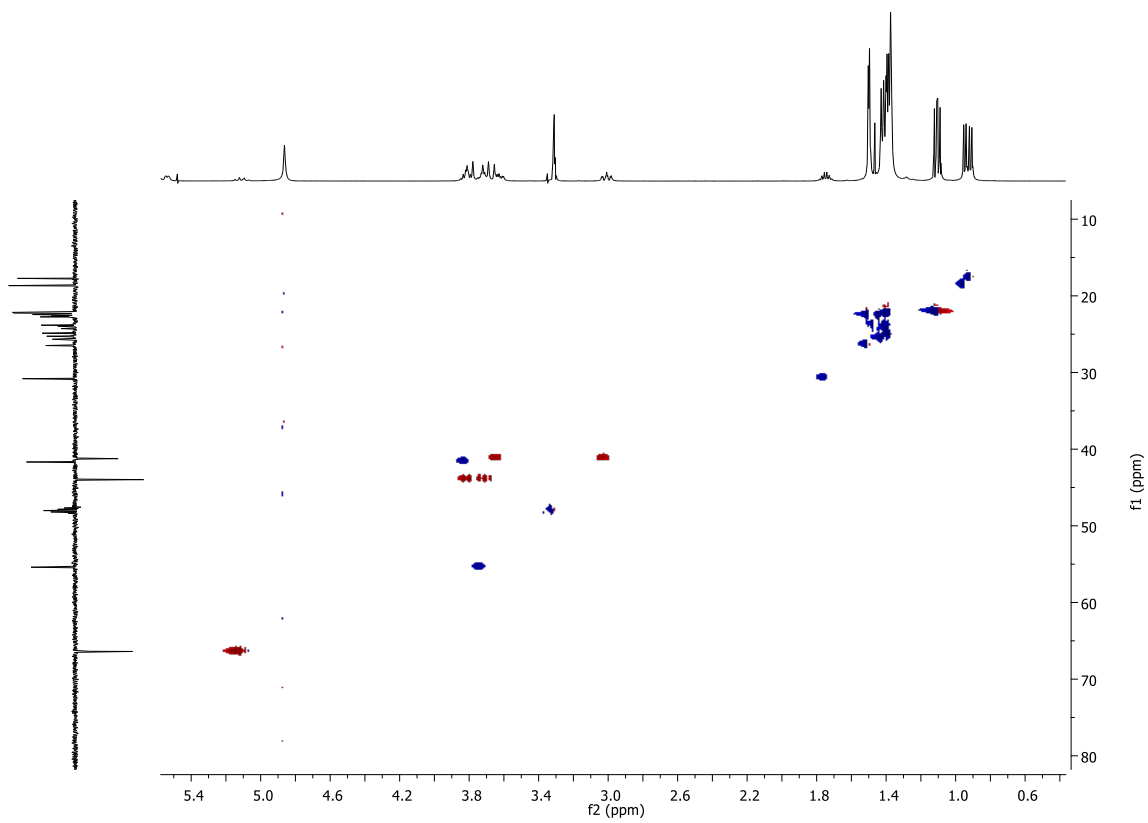
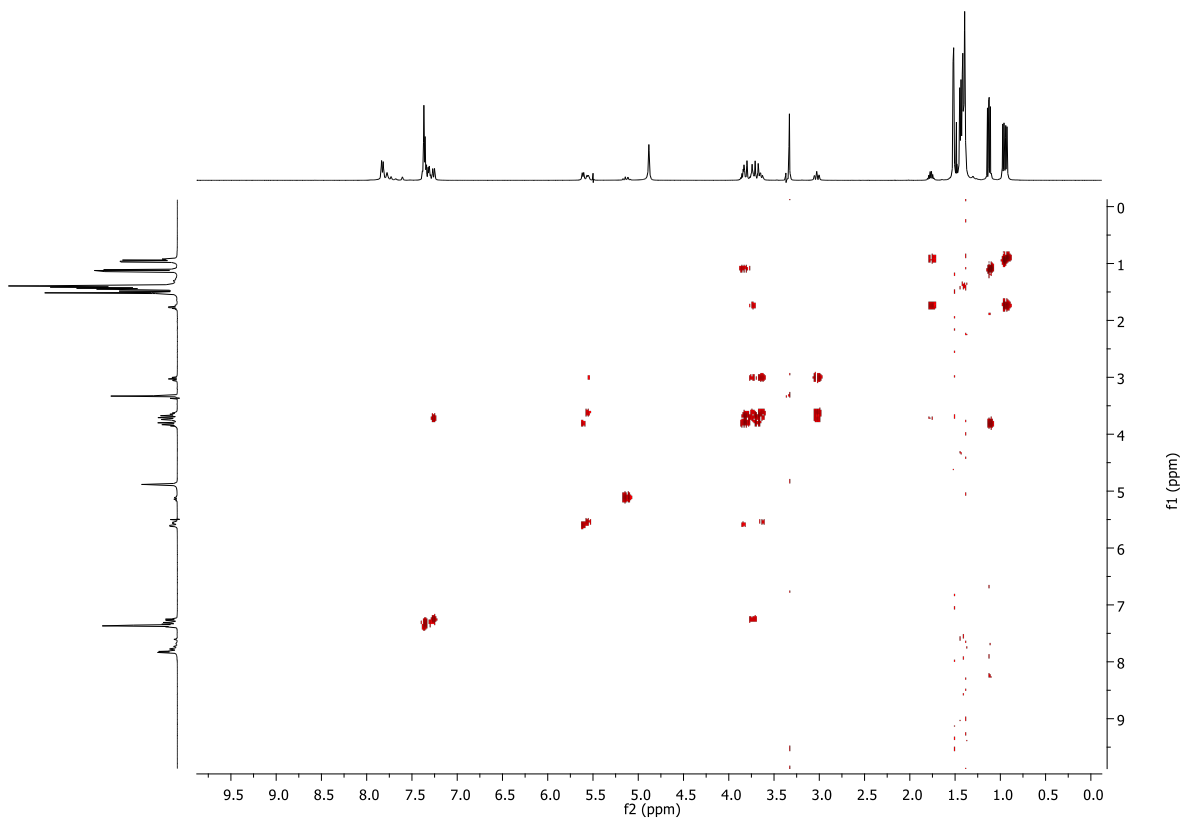
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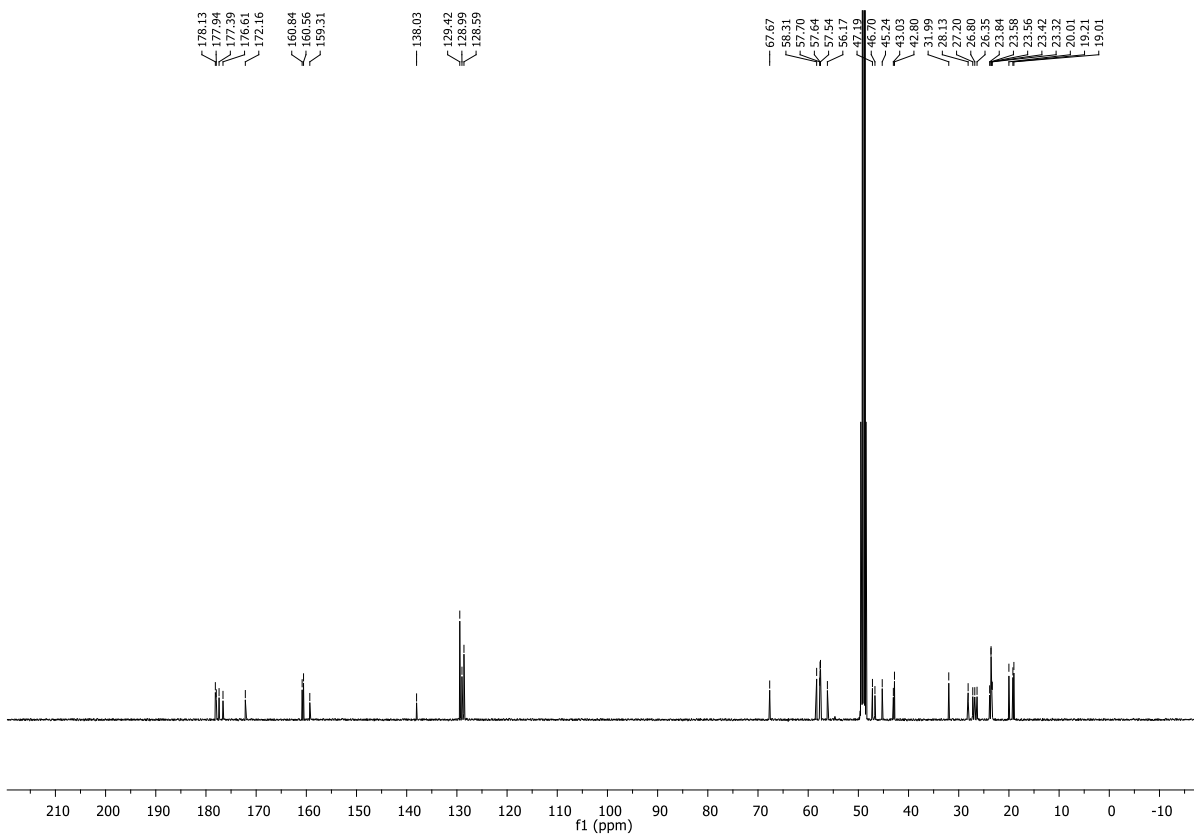
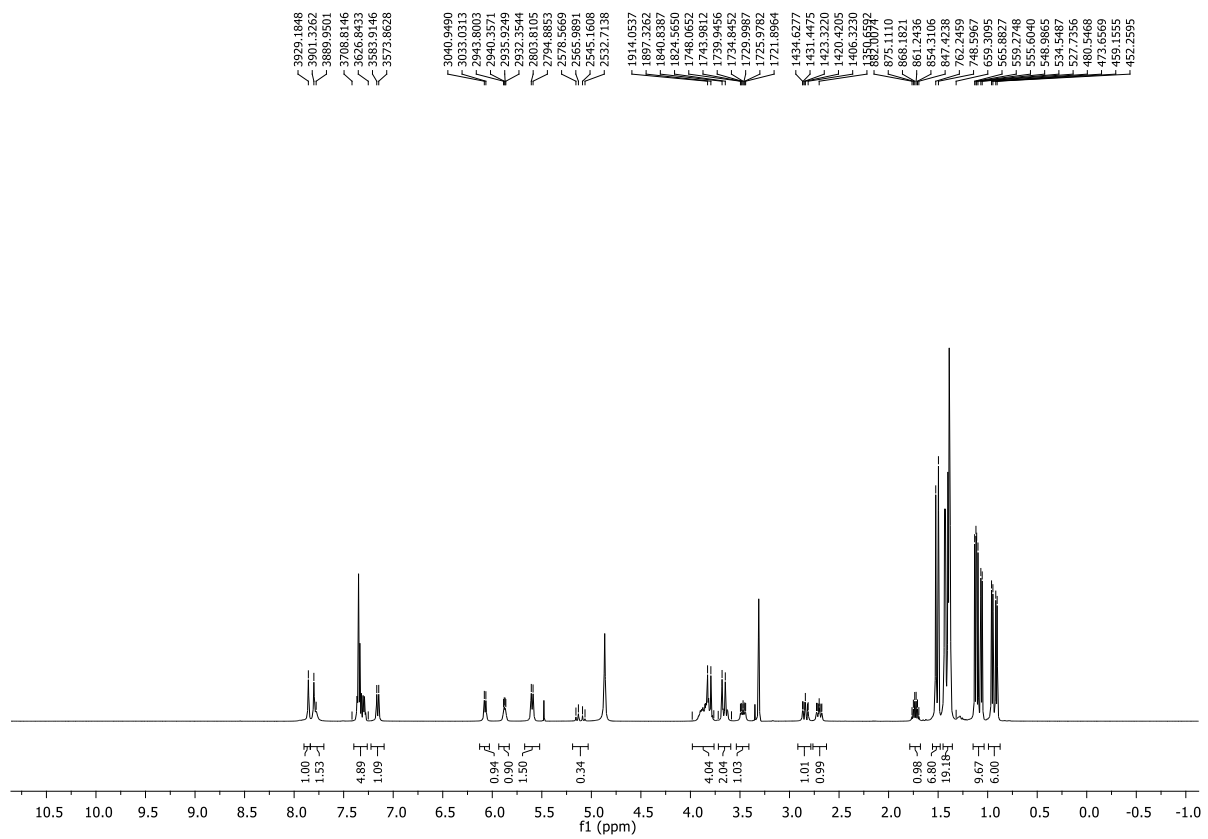
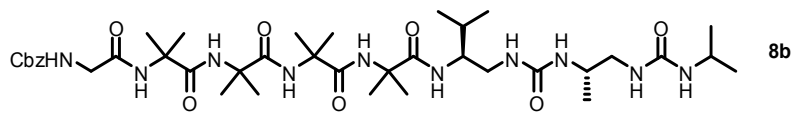
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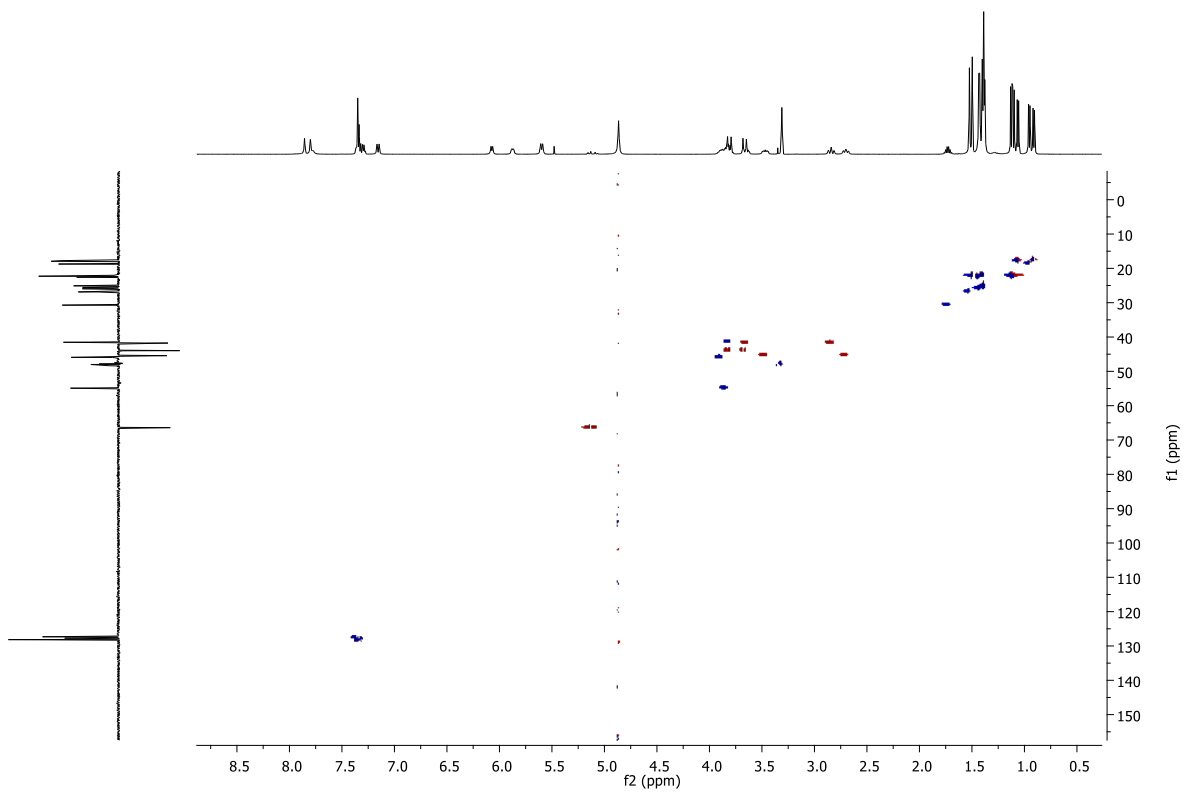
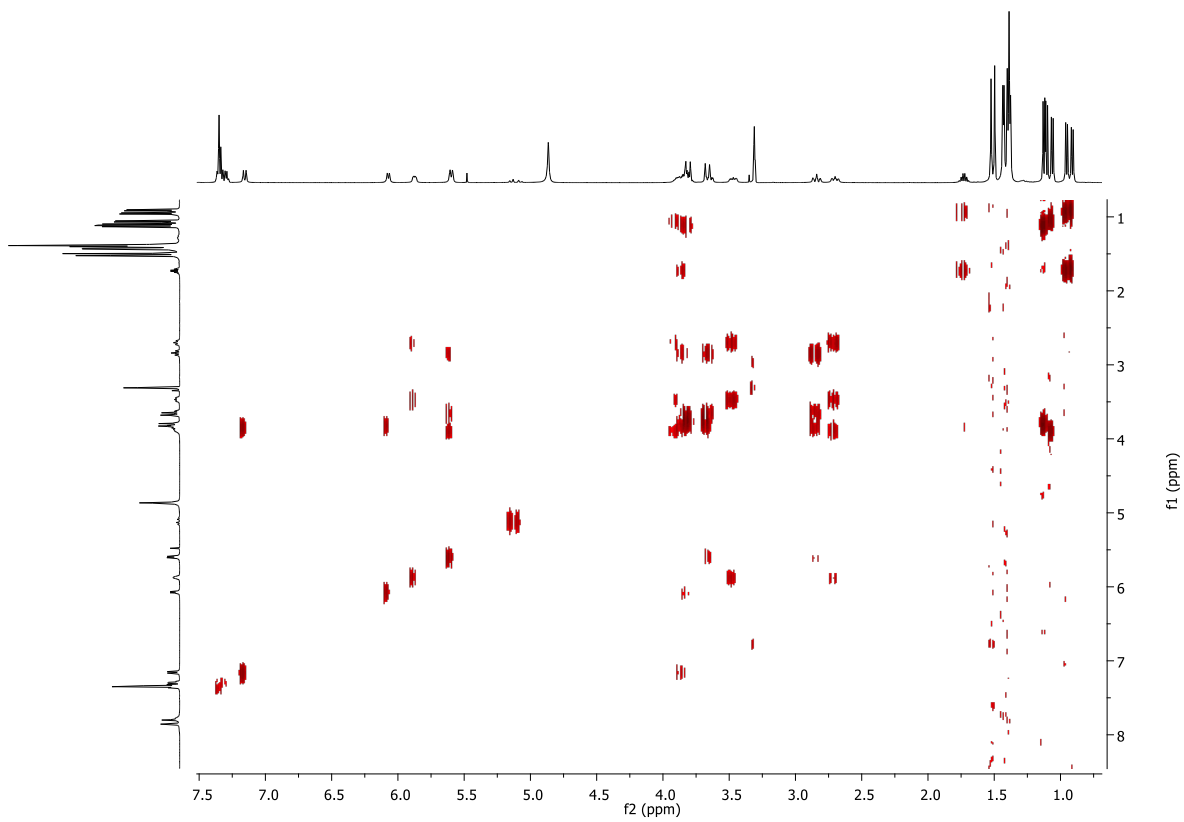


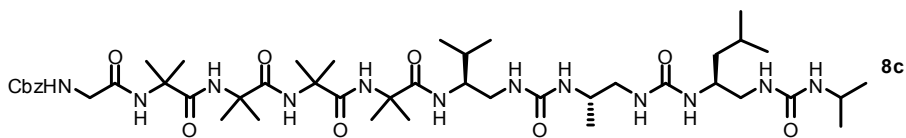








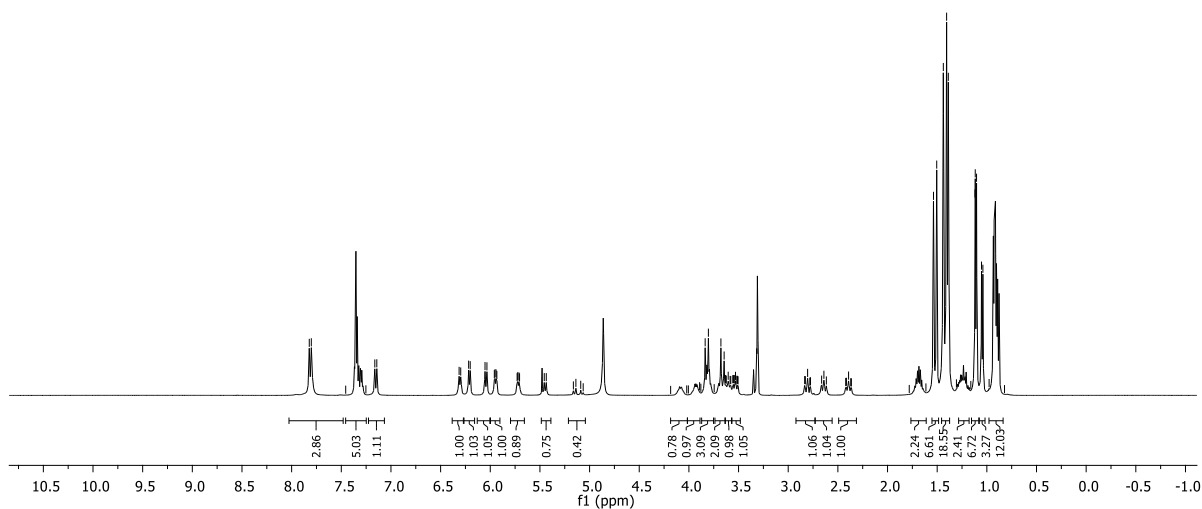




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