

## ***Supporting Information***

### **An Efficient Approach to The Construction of Trifluoromethylated All-carbon Quaternary Stereocenters: Enantioselective Ni(II)-Catalyzed Michael Addition of 2-Acetyl Azaarene to $\beta$ , $\beta$ -Disubstituted Nitroalkenes**

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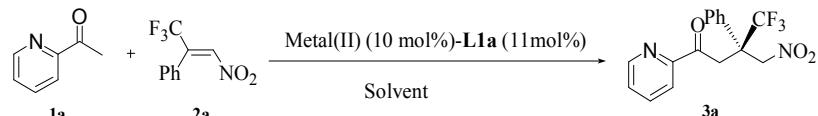
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## Experimental Section

<sup>1</sup>H NMR, <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectra were recorded with a Bruker Avance DPX300 spectrometer with tetramethylsilane as the internal standard. Mass spectra were obtained on Bruker APEX II FT-ICRMS mass spectrometer. Optical rotations were measured on a Perkin–Elmer 341 LC polarimeter. The enantiomeric ratios were determined by HPLC analysis over a chiral column (Daicel Chiralcel OD-H, AD-H, OJ-H or AS-H; eluted with hexane-*iso*-propanol; UV detector). The absolute configuration of the major enantiomer was assigned by comparison with literatures. Solvents were purified and dried by standard procedures.

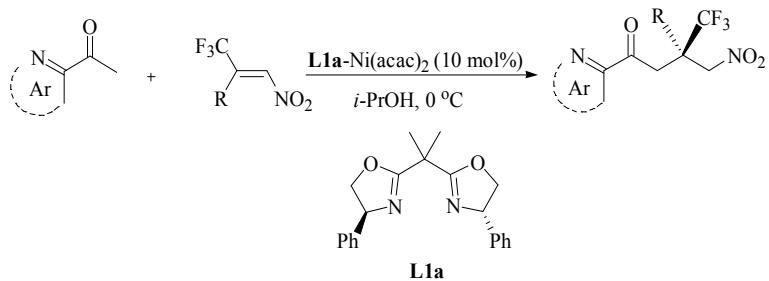
**Table S1.** The screening for the reaction of 2-acetyl pyridine with β-trifluoromethyl nitroalkene<sup>a</sup>



Entry	Ligand	Metal	Solvent	T(°C)	Time(h)	Yield (%) <sup>b</sup>	Ee (%) <sup>c</sup>
1	<b>L1a</b>	Fe(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	EtOH	25	72	n.d	-
2	<b>L1a</b>	Fe(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	DCM	25	72	n.d	-
3	<b>L1a</b>	Fe(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	THF	25	72	n.d	
4	<b>L1a</b>	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	EtOH	25	72	n.d	
5	<b>L1a</b>	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	DCM	25	72	n.d	
6	<b>L1a</b>	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	THF	25	72	n.d	
7	<b>L1a</b>	Cu(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	EtOH	25	72	28	24
8	<b>L1a</b>	Cu(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	DCM	25	72	12	15
9	<b>L1a</b>	Cu(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	THF	25	72	26	17
10	<b>L1a</b>	Cu(OTf) <sub>2</sub>	EtOH	25	72	18	21
11	<b>L1a</b>	Cu(OTf) <sub>2</sub>	DCM	25	72	n.d	-
13	<b>L1a</b>	Ni(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	EtOH	25	24	43	89
14	<b>L1a</b>	Ni(acac) <sub>2</sub>	i-PrOH	25	24	95	97
14	<b>L1a</b>	Ni(acac) <sub>2</sub>	i-PrOH	0	24	95	99
15	<b>L1a</b>	Ni(acac) <sub>2</sub>	i-PrOH	35	12	96	90
16	<b>L1a</b> (5.5mol%)	Ni(acac) <sub>2</sub> (5mol%)	i-PrOH	0	24	76	98
17	<b>L1a</b> ((2.75mol%))	Ni(acac) <sub>2</sub> (2.5 mol%)	i-PrOH	0	24	52	94

<sup>a</sup>All reactions were performed in different solvent at room temperature under N<sub>2</sub> atmosphere using the complex of 10mol% metal salt and 11mol% **L1a**, and the reaction process was monitored by TLC; <sup>b</sup> The isolated yield; <sup>c</sup> Determined by HPLC.

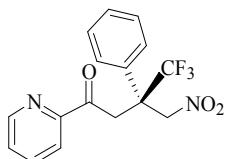
### General procedure for the optimal conditions:



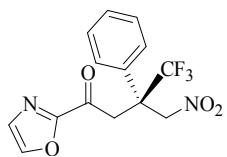
To a Schlenk tube were added Ni(acac)<sub>2</sub> (6.5mg, 0.025mmol) and ligand **L1a**(9.2mg, 0.0275mmol) under N<sub>2</sub>, 1.0 mL 2-Propanol was then added through syringe. The resulting mixture was stirred at room temperature for 30 min, after which a solution of 2-acetylazaarene (0.25mmol) in 2-propanol (0.4mL) was added and stirred at 0°C for 30 min, then a solution of nitroalkene in 2-propanol (0.6mL) was added. The mixture was stirred at 0 °C until the reaction was completed (monitored by TLC). The solvent was removed under vacuum and the residue was purified by chromatography on silica gel (eluting with ethyl acetate/petroleum ether [1:10~1:4 (v/v)] to afford the product.

### Products

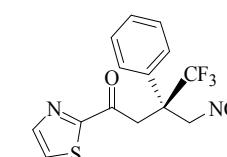
(S)-4, 4, 4-trifluoro-3-(nitromethyl)-3-phenyl-1-(pyridin-2-yl)butan-1-one  
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 White solid; 95% yield; m.p.:148-149°C; [α] = -76.7 (c 0.46, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>); 99% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm; t<sub>R</sub> (minor) = 19.92 min, t<sub>R</sub> (major) = 24.18 min];<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 8.80–8.67 (m, 1H), 7.98 (dd, J = 7.8, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 7.84 (td, J = 7.7, 1.7 Hz, 1H), 7.53 (ddd, J = 7.5, 4.8, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 7.37 (d, J = 4.9 Hz, 5H), 5.67 (dd, J = 33.5, 12.3 Hz, 2H), 4.49 (dd, J = 89.1, 19.5 Hz, 2H);<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 196.81, 152.58, 148.86, 136.85, 133.27, 128.76, 127.57, 126.55, 125.66 (q, J = 282.75 Hz), 121.65, 74.59, 49.85 (q, J = 25.5 Hz), 35.26; <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ -72.84. ESI-HRMS Calcd. for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>14</sub>F<sub>3</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>([M+H]<sup>+</sup>): 339.0951, Found 339.0953.

(S)-4, 4, 4-trifluoro-3-(nitromethyl)-1-(oxazol-2-yl)-3-phenylbutan-1-one  
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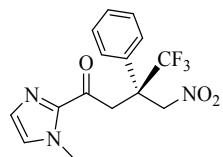
 White solid; 59% yield; m.p.:143-145°C; [α] = -58.9 (c 0.47, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>); 97% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm; t<sub>R</sub> (major) = 26.82 min, t<sub>R</sub> (minor) = 28.50 min];<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 7.90 (d, J = 0.6 Hz, 1H), 7.42 (dd, J = 2.1, 1.3 Hz, 5H), 7.28 (s, 1H), 5.71–5.58 (m, 2H), 4.45–4.24 (m, 2H);<sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 182.79, 157.28, 142.13, 132.51, 129.12, 129.05, 128.95, 126.37, 125.33(q, J = 282.75Hz), 74.11, 49.66 (q, J = 25.8 Hz), 36.72; <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ -72.86(s, 3F); ESI-HRMS Calcd. for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>12</sub>F<sub>3</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub>([M+H]<sup>+</sup>): 329.0744, Found 329.0742 .

(S)-4, 4, 4-trifluoro-3-(nitromethyl)-3-phenyl-1-(thiazol-2-yl)butan-1-one  
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 White solid; 99% yield; m.p.:168-170°C; [α] = -47.4(c 0.53, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>);

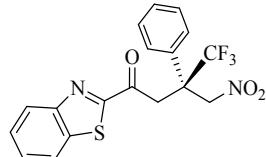
99% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel OD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm; *t<sub>R</sub>* (major) = 21.13 min, *t<sub>R</sub>* (minor) = 32.48 min]; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 8.07 (d, *J* = 3.0 Hz, 1H), 7.74 (d, *J* = 3.0 Hz, 1H), 7.39 (s, 5H), 5.64 (s, 2H), 4.41 (q, *J* = 19.0 Hz, 2H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 188.74, 165.92, 144.71, 132.83, 128.95, 128.89, 126.90, 126.43, 125.43 (*q*, *J* = 283.5 Hz), 74.34, 49.76 (*q*, *J* = 25.6 Hz), 36.19 (*d*, *J* = 1.5 Hz); <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ -72.80 (s, 3F); ESI-HRMS Calcd. for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>12</sub>F<sub>3</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>S([M+H]<sup>+</sup>): 345.0515, Found 345.0514.

(*S*)-4, 4, 4-trifluoro-1-(1-methyl-1*H*-imidazol-2-yl)-3-(nitromethyl)-3-phenylbutan-1-one  
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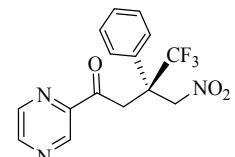
White solid; 81% yield; m.p.: 174–177°C; [α] = -75.5 (c 0.49, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>); 96% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 80:20, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm; *t<sub>R</sub>* (minor) = 10.87 min, *t<sub>R</sub>* (major) = 15.45 min]; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 7.50–7.33 (m, 5H), 7.22 (d, *J* = 0.9 Hz, 1H), 7.09 (s, 1H), 5.68 (*q*, *J* = 12.6 Hz, 2H), 4.40 (dd, *J* = 76.3, 18.8 Hz, 2H), 3.93 (s, 3H) ppm; <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 187.28, 142.43, 133.22, 129.23, 128.76, 127.44, 126.55, 125.52 (*q*, *J* = 282.75 Hz), 123.63, 119.86, 49.84 (*q*, *J* = 25.5 Hz) 36.12, 35.85; <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ -72.78 (s, 3F). ESI-HRMS Calcd. for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>15</sub>F<sub>3</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O<sub>3</sub> ([M+H]<sup>+</sup>): 342.1060, Found 342.1061.

(*S*)-1-(benzo[d]thiazol-2-yl)-4, 4, 4-trifluoro-3-(nitromethyl)-3-phenylbutan-1-one  
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White solid; 71% yield; m.p.: 95–96°C; [α] = -144.9 (c 0.47, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>); 97% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm; *t<sub>R</sub>* (major) = 18.38 min, *t<sub>R</sub>* (minor) = 24.88 min]; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 8.37–8.20 (m, 1H), 8.08–7.95 (m, 1H), 7.63 (tdd, *J* = 14.9, 7.2, 1.4 Hz, 2H), 7.51–7.37 (m, 5H), 5.68 (s, 2H), 4.56 (dd, *J* = 44.5, 19.2 Hz, 2H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 190.32, 165.10, 153.13, 137.30, 132.72, 129.04, 128.97, 127.94, 127.10, 126.46, 125.50, 125.44 (*q*, *J* = 282.75 Hz), 122.27, 74.38, 49.78 (*q*, *J* = 25.7 Hz), 36.33; <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ -72.75 (s, 3F); ESI-HRMS Calcd. for C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>13</sub>F<sub>3</sub>N<sub>2</sub>NaO<sub>3</sub>S([M+Na]<sup>+</sup>): 417.0491, Found 417.0495.

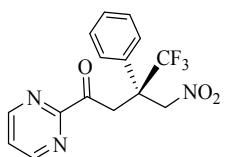
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White solid; 92% yield; m.p.: 74–77°C; [α] = -59.3 (c 0.57, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>); 99% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AS-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm; *t<sub>R</sub>* (minor) = 18.30 min, *t<sub>R</sub>* (major) = 24.42 min]; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 9.18 (d, *J* = 1.4 Hz, 1H), 8.81 (d, *J* = 2.5 Hz, 1H), 8.70 (dd, *J* = 2.5, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 7.44–7.32 (m, 5H), 5.63 (p, *J* = 12.6 Hz, 2H), 4.42 (dd, *J* = 49.2, 19.5 Hz, 2H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 196.16, 148.30, 146.76, 143.45, 143.34, 132.91, 128.93, 128.88, 126.40, 125.57 (*q*, *J* = 282.75 Hz), 74.37, 49.69 (*q*, *J* = 25.6 Hz), 35.50; <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ -72.93 (s, 3F); ESI-HRMS Calcd. for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>13</sub>F<sub>3</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O<sub>3</sub> ([M+H]<sup>+</sup>): 340.0904, Found 340.0904.

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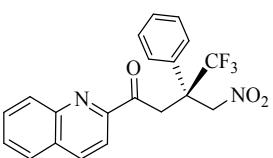
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Pale yellow oil; 67% yield;  $[\alpha]_D = -38.9$  (c 0.47,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ); 85% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel OD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 85:15, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm;  $t_R$  (major) = 50.51 min,  $t_R$  (minor) = 112.78 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.96 (d,  $J = 4.9$  Hz, 1H), 7.52 (t,  $J = 4.9$  Hz, 1H), 7.38 (s, 3H), 5.66 (q,  $J = 12.5$  Hz, 1H), 4.47 (dd,  $J = 47.8, 19.6$  Hz, 1H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  194.16, 159.21, 157.57, 132.84, 128.83, 126.49, 125.60 (q,  $J = 282.75$  Hz), 123.27, 74.25, 49.80 (q,  $J = 25.5$  Hz), 36.73;  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR (282 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  -72.85 (s, 3F); ESI-HRMS Calcd. for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{13}\text{F}_3\text{N}_3\text{O}_3$  ( $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ): 340.0904, Found 340.0906.

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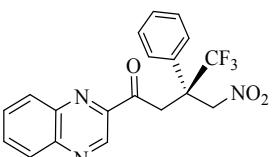
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White solid; 71% yield; m.p.: 132–133°C;  $[\alpha]_D = -174.6$  (c 0.46,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ); 97% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm;  $t_R$  (major) = 18.19 min,  $t_R$  (minor) = 27.38 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.32 (dd,  $J = 8.5, 1.9$  Hz, 2H), 8.08 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz, 1H), 7.97–7.80 (m, 2H), 7.72 (ddd,  $J = 8.1, 6.9, 1.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.56–7.34 (m, 5H), 5.85–5.61 (m, 2H), 4.96–4.44 (m, 2H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  197.18, 152.14, 146.90, 136.98, 133.33, 130.51, 130.05, 129.71, 128.78, 128.76, 127.46, 126.62, 126.61, 125.76 (q,  $J = 282.75$  Hz), 117.68, 74.68, 49.99 (q,  $J = 25.4$  Hz), 35.01 (d,  $J = 1.5$  Hz);  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR (282 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  -72.75 (s, 3F). ESI-HRMS Calcd. for  $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{16}\text{F}_3\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$  ( $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ): 389.1108, Found 389.1109.

(S)-4, 4, 4-trifluoro-3-(nitromethyl)-3-phenyl-1-(quinoxalin-2-yl)butan-1-one

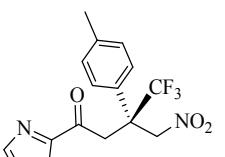
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Pale yellow oil; 72% yield;  $[\alpha]_D = -148.5$  (c 0.39,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ); 97% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm;  $t_R$  (major) = 20.65 min,  $t_R$  (minor) = 34.17 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  9.43 (s, 1H), 8.35–8.12 (m, 2H), 8.05–7.84 (m, 2H), 7.41 (s, 5H), 5.68 (dd,  $J = 28.4, 12.4$  Hz, 2H), 4.60 (dd,  $J = 67.3, 19.5$  Hz, 2H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  196.44, 145.55, 144.12, 142.62, 140.64, 132.99, 132.47, 130.83, 130.37, 129.31, 128.94, 128.90, 126.46, 125.63 (q,  $J = 282.75$  Hz), 74.50, 49.79 (q,  $J = 25.5$  Hz), 35.23;  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR (282 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  -72.83 (s, 3F); ESI-HRMS Calcd. for  $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{15}\text{F}_3\text{N}_3\text{O}_3$  ( $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ): 390.1060, Found 390.1063.

(S)-4, 4, 4-trifluoro-3-(4-methylphenyl)-3-(nitromethyl)-1-(thiazol-2-yl)butan-1-one

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White solid; 97% yield; m.p.: 110–112°C;  $[\alpha]_D = -50.2$  (c 0.46,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ); 99% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 95:5, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm;  $t_R$  (major) = 19.12 min,  $t_R$  (minor) = 20.98 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.09 (d,  $J = 3.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.76 (d,  $J = 3.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.26 (dd,  $J = 23.8, 8.5$  Hz, 4H), 5.65 (s, 2H), 4.43 (q,  $J = 19.0$  Hz, 2H), 2.36 (s, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  188.84, 165.97, 144.71,

138.99, 129.78, 129.61, 126.92, 126.30, 125.52(q,  $J = 282.75\text{Hz}$ ), 74.42, 49.54 (q,  $J = 25.6\text{ Hz}$ ), 36.16 (d,  $J = 1.5\text{ Hz}$ ), 20.63;  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR (282 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  -72.96(s, 3F); ESI-HRMS Calcd. for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{14}\text{F}_3\text{N}_2\text{O}_3\text{S}([\text{M}+\text{H}]^+)$ : 359.0672, Found 359.0672.

(*S*)-4, 4, 4-trifluoro-3-(4-methoxyphenyl)-3-(nitromethyl)-1-(thiazol-2-yl)butan-1-one  
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White solid; 81% yield; m.p.: 74–76°C;  $[\alpha]_D = -48.5$  (c 0.48,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ); 99% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm;  $t_R$  (minor) = 23.26 min,  $t_R$  (major) = 30.07 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.09 (d,  $J = 3.0\text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 7.76 (d,  $J = 3.0\text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 7.38–7.24 (m, 2H), 6.98–6.87 (m, 2H), 5.63 (s, 2H), 4.40 (q,  $J = 19.0\text{ Hz}$ , 2H), 3.81 (s, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  188.84, 165.99, 159.70, 144.70, 127.72, 126.92, 125.51(q,  $J = 282.75\text{ Hz}$ ), 124.46, 114.24, 74.40, 55.02, 49.32 (q,  $J = 25.7\text{ Hz}$ ), 36.12;  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR (282 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  -73.13(s, 3F); ESI-HRMS Calcd. for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{14}\text{F}_3\text{N}_2\text{O}_4\text{S}([\text{M}+\text{H}]^+)$ : 375.0621, Found 375.0624.

(*S*)-4, 4, 4-trifluoro-3-(nitromethyl)-1-(thiazol-2-yl)-3-(*m*-tolyl)butan-1-one  
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Colourless oil; 85% yield;  $[\alpha]_D = -53.6$  (c 0.52,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ); 96% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm;  $t_R$  (minor) = 11.69 min,  $t_R$  (major) = 12.30 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.10 (d,  $J = 3.0\text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 7.76 (d,  $J = 3.0\text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 7.40–7.14 (m, 4H), 5.66 (s, 2H), 4.43 (q,  $J = 19.0\text{ Hz}$ , 2H), 2.36 (d,  $J = 5.8\text{ Hz}$ , 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  188.83, 166.00, 144.69, 138.62, 132.77, 129.73, 128.71, 127.09, 126.89, 125.47 (q,  $J = 282.75\text{ Hz}$ ), 123.51, 74.37, 49.68 (q,  $J = 25.6\text{ Hz}$ ), 36.20 (d,  $J = 1.5\text{ Hz}$ ), 21.41;  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR (282 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  -72.75(s, 3F); ESI-HRMS Calcd. for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{14}\text{F}_3\text{N}_2\text{O}_3\text{S}([\text{M}+\text{H}]^+)$ : 359.0672, Found 359.0672.

(*S*)-4, 4, 4-trifluoro-3-(3-methoxyphenyl)-3-(nitromethyl)-1-(thiazol-2-yl)butan-1-one  
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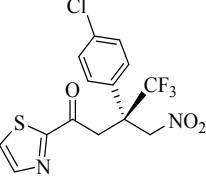
White solid; 91% yield; m.p.: 83–84°C;  $[\alpha]_D = -41.7$  (c 0.52,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ); 99% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm;  $t_R$  (minor) = 16.60 min,  $t_R$  (major) = 20.02 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.08 (t,  $J = 3.6\text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 7.75 (t,  $J = 2.7\text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 7.34 (dd,  $J = 12.2, 4.3\text{ Hz}$ , 1H), 7.03–6.87 (m, 3H), 5.65 (q,  $J = 12.8\text{ Hz}$ , 2H), 4.42 (dd,  $J = 45.6, 19.0\text{ Hz}$ , 2H), 3.78 (s, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  188.74, 165.92, 159.71, 144.70, 134.31, 129.85, 126.94, 125.40 (d,  $J = 282.75\text{ Hz}$ ), 118.63, 113.75, 113.40, 74.37, 55.06, 49.73(q,  $J = 25.7\text{ Hz}$ ), 36.23 (d,  $J = 1.5\text{ Hz}$ );  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR (282 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  -72.72(s, 3F); ESI-HRMS Calcd. for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{14}\text{F}_3\text{N}_2\text{O}_4\text{S}([\text{M}+\text{H}]^+)$ : 375.0621, Found 375.0619.

(*S*)-4, 4, 4-trifluoro-3-(4-fluorophenyl)-3-(nitromethyl)-1-(thiazol-2-yl)butan-1-one  
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White solid; 71% yield; m.p.: 129–131°C;  $[\alpha]_D = -59.1$  (c 0.54,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ );

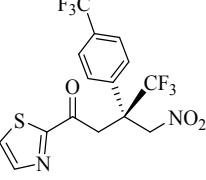
97% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm;  $t_R$  (minor) = 20.04 min,  $t_R$  (major) = 21.59 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  8.09 (d,  $J$  = 3.0 Hz, 1H), 7.78 (d,  $J$  = 3.0 Hz, 1H), 7.41 (dd,  $J$  = 8.5, 4.9 Hz, 2H), 7.17–7.06 (m, 2H), 5.69–5.56 (m, 2H), 4.49–4.34 (m, 2H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  188.60, 165.76, 164.27, 160.95, 144.76, 128.65 (d,  $J$  = 2.7 Hz), 128.45 (d,  $J$  = 8.3 Hz), 127.16, 127.08, 125.47 (q,  $J$  = 282.75 Hz), 115.97 (d,  $J$  = 21.7 Hz), 74.22, 49.32 (q,  $J$  = 25.8 Hz), 36.27;  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  -72.97 (s, 3F), -111.91 (s, 1F); ESI-HRMS Calcd. for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>11</sub>F<sub>4</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>S([M+H]<sup>+</sup>): 363.0421, Found 363.0421.

(*S*)-3-(4-chlorophenyl)-4,4-trifluoro-3-(nitromethyl)-1-(thiazol-2-yl)butan-1-one  
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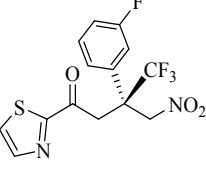
White solid; 86% yield; m.p.: 111–113°C;  $[\alpha]$  = -47.8 (c 0.46, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>); 94% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm;  $t_R$  (minor) = 20.22 min,  $t_R$  (major) = 28.67 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  8.10 (d,  $J$  = 3.0 Hz, 1H), 7.79 (d,  $J$  = 3.0 Hz, 1H), 7.47–7.31 (m, 4H), 5.74–5.52 (m, 2H), 4.53–4.29 (m, 2H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  188.53, 165.70, 144.77, 135.31, 131.41, 129.13, 127.89 (d,  $J$  = 0.8 Hz), 127.11, 125.21 (q,  $J$  = 282.75 Hz), 74.10, 49.53 (q,  $J$  = 25.8 Hz), 36.21;  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  -72.83 (s, 3F); ESI-HRMS Calcd. for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>11</sub>F<sub>3</sub>ClN<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>S([M+H]<sup>+</sup>): 379.0126, Found 379.0128.

(*S*)-4,4-trifluoro-3-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)-3-(nitromethyl)-1-(thiazol-2-yl)butan-1-one  
**12**



White solid; 80% yield; m.p.: 76–78°C;  $[\alpha]$  = -50.6 (c 0.65, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>); 98% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm;  $t_R$  (major) = 23.00 min,  $t_R$  (minor) = 24.25 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  8.11 (d,  $J$  = 3.0 Hz, 1H), 7.80 (d,  $J$  = 3.0 Hz, 1H), 7.71 (d,  $J$  = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 7.57 (d,  $J$  = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 7.29 (s, 2H), 5.75–5.58 (m, 2H), 4.46 (s, 2H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  188.41, 165.52, 144.83, 136.91, 131.26 (q,  $J$  = 33.3 Hz), 127.23, 127.09, 128.87 (dd,  $J$  = 7.1, 3.5 Hz), 125.12 (q,  $J$  = 282.75 Hz), 123.27 (q,  $J$  = 270.75 Hz), 74.05, 49.32 (q,  $J$  = 25.7 Hz), 36.34;  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  -63.03 (s, 3F), -72.55 (s, 3F); ESI-HRMS Calcd. for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>11</sub>F<sub>6</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>S([M+H]<sup>+</sup>): 413.0389, Found 413.0388.

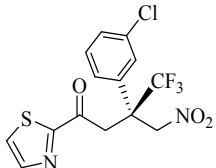
(*S*)-4,4-trifluoro-3-(3-fluorophenyl)-3-(nitromethyl)-1-(thiazol-2-yl)butan-1-one  
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White solid; 76% yield; m.p.: 131–133°C;  $[\alpha]$  = -49.6 (c 0.49, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>); 99% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm;  $t_R$  (minor) = 14.39 min,  $t_R$  (major) = 17.32 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  8.10 (d,  $J$  = 3.0 Hz, 1H), 7.79 (d,  $J$  = 3.0 Hz, 1H), 7.42 (td,  $J$  = 8.2, 6.1 Hz, 1H), 7.26–7.07 (m, 3H), 5.63 (s, 2H), 4.41 (s, 2H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  188.48, 165.66, 164.30, 161.02, 144.78, 135.33 (d,  $J$  = 7.0 Hz), 130.42 (d,  $J$  = 8.3 Hz), 127.07, 125.18 (q,  $J$  = 282.75 Hz), 122.15,

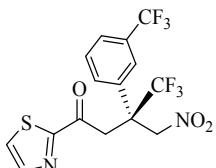
116.13 (d,  $J = 20.9$  Hz), 114.24 (d,  $J = 24.0$  Hz), 49.63 (qd,  $J = 25.9, 1.7$  Hz), 36.34 (d,  $J = 1.5$  Hz);  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR (282 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  -110.54 (s, 1F), -72.71(s, 3F); ESI-HRMS Calcd. for  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{11}\text{F}_4\text{N}_2\text{O}_3\text{S}([\text{M}+\text{H}]^+)$ : 363.0421, Found 363.0423.

(*S*)-3-(3-chlorophenyl)-4, 4, 4-trifluoro-3-(nitromethyl)-1-(thiazol-2-yl)butan-1-one  
**22**



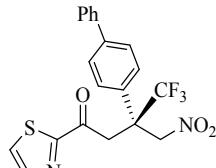
White solid; 65% yield; m.p.: 79–80°C;  $[\alpha] = -44.7$  (c 0.63,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ); >99% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm;  $t_R$  (minor) = 14.07 min,  $t_R$  (major) = 16.49 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.09 (d,  $J = 3.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.78 (d,  $J = 3.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.54–7.22 (m, 4H), 5.64 (d,  $J = 12.9$  Hz, 2H), 4.57–4.27 (m, 2H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  188.46, 165.64, 144.79, 135.06, 134.95, 130.05, 129.28, 127.13, 126.96, 125.18 (q,  $J = 282.75$  Hz), 124.68, 74.02, 49.65 (q,  $J = 25.8$  Hz), 36.26(d,  $J = 1.5$  Hz);  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR (282 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  -72.62(s, 3F); ESI-HRMS Calcd. for  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{11}\text{ClF}_3\text{N}_2\text{O}_3\text{S} ([\text{M}+\text{H}]^+)$ : 379.0126, Found 379.0128.

(*S*)-4, 4, 4-trifluoro-3-(3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)-3-(nitromethyl)-1-(thiazol-2-yl) butan-1-one  
**22**



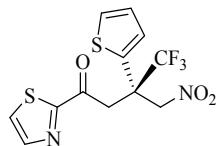
Colourless oil; 79% yield;  $[\alpha] = -42.2$  (c 0.52,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ); 98% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm;  $t_R$  (major) = 9.88 min,  $t_R$  (minor) = 10.48];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.10 (t,  $J = 3.1$  Hz, 1H), 7.79 (t,  $J = 2.3$  Hz, 1H), 7.73–7.50 (m, 4H), 5.76–5.54 (m, 2H), 4.46 (s, 2H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  188.45, 165.53, 144.84, 131.43 (dd,  $J = 65.4, 32.7$  Hz), 29.91, 128.53, 128.17 (dd,  $J = 232.7, 161.7$  Hz), 127.24, 125.97 (q,  $J = 3.7$  Hz), 125.12(q,  $J = 282.75$  Hz), 123.43(q,  $J = 3.0$  Hz), 123.33(q,  $J = 270.75$  Hz), 74.04, 49.83 (q,  $J = 25.9$  Hz), 36.18 (d,  $J = 1.5$  Hz);  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR (282 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  -73.67(s, 3F), -62.75 (s, 3F); ESI-HRMS Calcd. for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{10}\text{F}_6\text{N}_2\text{O}_3\text{S} ([\text{M}+\text{H}]^+)$ : 413.0389, Found 413.0391.

(*S*)-3-([1, 1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)-4, 4, 4-trifluoro-3-(nitromethyl)-1-(thiazol-2-yl)butan-1-one  
**22**



Colourless oil; 62% yield;  $[\alpha] = -36.7$  (c 0.64,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ); 99% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm;  $t_R$  (major) = 28.19 min,  $t_R$  (minor) = 39.79 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.11 (d,  $J = 3.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.78 (d,  $J = 3.0$  Hz, 1H), 7.69–7.55 (m, 4H), 7.53–7.34 (m, 5H), 5.80–5.62 (m, 2H), 4.49 (q,  $J = 19.0$  Hz, 2H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  188.80, 165.90, 144.76, 141.79, 139.39, 131.62, 128.66, 127.68, 127.48, 127.03, 126.87, 125.48(q,  $J = 282.75$  Hz), 123.59, 74.36, 49.67 (q,  $J = 25.7$  Hz), 36.23;  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR (282 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  -72.71(s, 3F); ESI-HRMS Calcd. for  $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{15}\text{F}_3\text{N}_2\text{NaO}_3\text{S} ([\text{M}+\text{H}]^+)$ : 443.0648, Found 443.0646.

(*S*)-4, 4, 4-trifluoro-3-(nitromethyl)-1-(thiazol-2-yl)-3-(thiophen-2-yl)butan-1-one  
**22**



Pale yellow solid; 72% yield; m.p.: 172–174°C;  $[\alpha] = -33.2$  (c = 0.5,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ); 93% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel OD-H

column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm; *t<sub>R</sub>* (minor) = 27.38 min, *t<sub>R</sub>* (major) = 28.90 min]; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 8.09 (d, *J* = 3.0 Hz, 1H), 7.78 (d, *J* = 3.0 Hz, 1H), 7.46–7.30 (m, 2H), 7.13 (d, *J* = 5.1 Hz, 1H), 5.60 (dd, *J* = 43.7, 12.7 Hz, 2H), 4.38 (s, 2H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 188.74, 165.91, 144.72, 133.46, 126.96, 126.66, 125.51 (d, *J* = 0.75 Hz), 125.13 (q, *J* = 282.75 Hz), 123.99 (d, *J* = 0.75 Hz), 74.09, 48.41 (q, *J* = 26.5 Hz), 37.04 (d, *J* = 1.5 Hz); <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ -73.42 (s, 3F); ESI-HRMS Calcd. for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>10</sub>F<sub>3</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>S<sub>2</sub>([M+H]<sup>+</sup>): 351.0079, Found 351.0078.

(S)-3-cyclohexyl-4, 4, 4-trifluoro-3-(nitromethyl)-1-(thiazol-2-yl)butan-1-one



White solid; 72% yield; m.p.: 80–84°C; [α] = -17.8 (*c* 0.49, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>); 99% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 95:5, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm; *t<sub>R</sub>* (minor) = 9.80 min, *t<sub>R</sub>* (major) = 10.34 min], <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 8.05 (d, *J* = 3.0 Hz, 1H), 7.76 (d, *J* = 3.0 Hz, 1H), 5.15 (dd, *J* = 63.2, 12.5 Hz, 2H), 3.86 (q, *J* = 18.9 Hz, 2H), 2.07 (t, *J* = 11.5 Hz, 1H), 1.84 (t, *J* = 10.8 Hz, 4H), 1.70 (d, *J* = 8.1 Hz, 1H), 1.25 (dt, *J* = 17.3, 9.7 Hz, 5H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 189.62, 166.11, 144.67, 126.78, 126.71 (q, *J* = 285.75 Hz), 74.52, 74.49, 49.94 (q, *J* = 23.4 Hz), 41.28, 34.86, 34.83, 27.99 (dd, *J* = 3.7, 1.8 Hz), 26.91 (d, *J* = 26.91 Hz), 25.77; <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ -67.42 (s, 3F); ESI-HRMS Calcd. for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>18</sub>F<sub>3</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>S ([M+H]<sup>+</sup>): 351.0985, Found 351.0981.

(R)-3-(trifluoromethyl)-3-(nitromethyl)-1-(thiazol-2-yl)-undecan-1-one



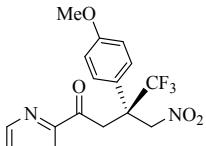
Colourless oil; 79% yield; [α] = -3.39 (*c* 0.56, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>); 96% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel OJ-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm; *t<sub>R</sub>* (major) = 9.41 min, *t<sub>R</sub>* (minor) = 10.98 min]; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 8.02 (d, *J* = 3.0 Hz, 1H), 7.73 (d, *J* = 3.0 Hz, 1H), 4.99 (dd, *J* = 72.5, 12.6 Hz, 2H), 3.76 (dd, *J* = 85.1, 18.7 Hz, 2H), 1.85 (t, *J* = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 1.45–1.17 (m, 12H), 0.85 (t, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 189.53, 165.99, 144.69, 126.84, 126.55 (q, *J* = 283.5 Hz), 74.63, 46.86 (q, *J* = 24.5 Hz), 35.68, 31.60, 31.45, 31.01, 29.43 (d, *J* = 25.3 Hz), 28.79, 23.21, 22.24 (d, *J* = 10.7 Hz), 13.68 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz); <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ -72.72 (s, 3F); ESI-HRMS Calcd. for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>24</sub>F<sub>3</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>S ([M+H]<sup>+</sup>): 381.1454, Found 381.1458.

(S)-4, 4, 4-trifluoro-3-(nitromethyl)-1-(pyridin-2-yl)-3-(*p*-tolyl)butan-1-one

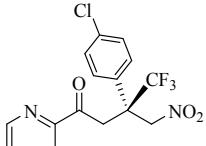


White solid; 94% yield; m.p.: 75–77°C; [α] = -76.6 (*c* 0.47, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>); 97% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm; *t<sub>R</sub>* (minor) = 15.97 min, *t<sub>R</sub>* (major) = 17.20 min]; <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 8.77 (d, *J* = 4.7 Hz, 1H), 7.91 (ddd, *J* = 22.4, 9.4, 4.8 Hz, 2H), 7.56 (ddd, *J* = 7.4, 4.8, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 7.25 (dd, *J* = 24.7, 8.3 Hz, 4H), 5.67 (dd, *J* = 36.4, 12.3 Hz, 2H), 4.49 (dd, *J* = 91.7, 19.5 Hz, 2H), 2.35 (s, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 196.95, 152.68, 148.89, 138.75, 136.87, 130.26, 129.53, 127.57, 126.43, 125.77 (q, *J* = 284.4 Hz), 121.69, 74.67 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz), 49.64 (q, *J* = 25.5 Hz), 35.25 (d, *J* = 1.4

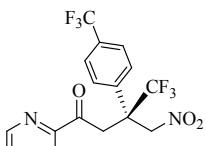
Hz), 20.70;  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR (282 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  -73.04 (s, 3F); ESI-HRMS Calcd. for  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{16}\text{F}_3\text{N}_2\text{O}_3([\text{M}+\text{H}]^+)$ : 353.1108, Found 353.1103.

(S)-4, 4, 4-trifluoro-3-(4-methoxyphenyl)-3-(nitromethyl)-1-(pyridin-2-yl)butan-1-one  


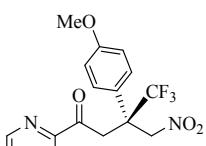
Colourless oil; 95% yield;  $[\alpha]_D = -71.1$  (c 0.46,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ); 96% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 95:5, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm;  $t_R$  (minor) = 38.97min,  $t_R$  (major) = 40.77 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.73 (d,  $J$  = 4.7 Hz, 1H), 7.99 (d,  $J$  = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 7.85 (t,  $J$  = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.57–7.49 (m, 1H), 7.35 – 7.22 (m, 2H), 6.89 (d,  $J$  = 8.9 Hz, 2H), 5.63 (dd,  $J$  = 37.5, 12.3 Hz, 2H), 4.44 (dd,  $J$  = 91.3, 19.4 Hz, 2H), 3.77 (d,  $J$  = 5.7 Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  196.97, 159.59, 152.69, 148.88, 136.88, 127.84, 125.78 (q,  $J$  = 284.0 Hz), 127.56, 125.00, 121.69, 114.16, 74.65, 55.04, 49.43 (q,  $J$  = 25.6 Hz), 35.19;  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR (282 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  -73.21(s, 3F); ESI-HRMS Calcd. for  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{16}\text{F}_3\text{N}_2\text{O}_4([\text{M}+\text{H}]^+)$ : 369.1057, Found 369.1062.

(S)-3-(4-chlorophenyl)-4, 4, 4-trifluoro-3-(nitromethyl)-1-(pyridin-2-yl)butan-1-one  


White solid; 93% yield; m.p.: 79–80°C;  $[\alpha]_D = -72.0$  (c 0.5,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ); 91% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm;  $t_R$  (minor) = 22.14min,  $t_R$  (major) = 25.21min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.79–8.67 (m, 1H), 7.97 (d,  $J$  = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.85 (td,  $J$  = 7.7, 1.7 Hz, 1H), 7.53 (ddd,  $J$  = 7.5, 4.8, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 7.44–7.27 (m, 4H), 5.61 (dd,  $J$  = 29.4, 12.4 Hz, 2H), 4.45 (dd,  $J$  = 65.6, 19.5 Hz, 2H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  196.70, 152.48, 148.93, 136.95, 135.09, 131.92, 129.04, 128.05, 127.73, 125.49 (q,  $J$  = 284.6 Hz), 121.72, 74.40, 49.65 (q,  $J$  = 25.7 Hz), 35.34;  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR (282 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  -72.90 (s, 3F); ESI-HRMS Calcd. for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{13}\text{ClF}_3\text{N}_2\text{O}_3([\text{M}+\text{H}]^+)$ : 373.0561, Found 373.0564.

(S)-4, 4, 4-trifluoro-3-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)-3-(nitromethyl)-1-(pyridin-2-yl) butan-1-one  


White solid; 86% yield; m.p.: 97–99°C;  $[\alpha]_D = -64.9$  (c 0.47,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ); 94% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm;  $t_R$  (minor) = 14.31min,  $t_R$  (major) = 16.56 min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.74 (d,  $J$  = 4.6 Hz, 1H), 7.97 (d,  $J$  = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.85 (td,  $J$  = 7.7, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 7.65 (d,  $J$  = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 7.54 (t,  $J$  = 6.4 Hz, 3H), 5.66 (q,  $J$  = 12.4 Hz, 2H), 4.51 (dd,  $J$  = 62.1, 19.5 Hz, 2H) ppm;  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  196.60, 152.38, 148.96, 137.44, 136.98, 131.07 (q,  $J$  = 33.0 Hz), 127.81, 127.23, 125.76 (q,  $J$  = 3.7 Hz), 125.39 (q,  $J$  = 284.7 Hz), 123.38 (q,  $J$  = 272.2 Hz), 121.75, 74.34, -49.98 (q,  $J$  = 25.6 Hz), 35.52 (d,  $J$  = 1.3 Hz);  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR (282 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  -72.63 (s, 3F), -62.99 (s, 3F); ESI-HRMS Calcd. for  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{13}\text{F}_6\text{N}_2\text{O}_3([\text{M}+\text{H}]^+)$ : 407.0825, Found 407.0828.

(S)-4, 4, 4-trifluoro-3-(4-methoxyphenyl)-3-(nitromethyl)-1-(pyrazin-2-yl)butan-1-one  


White solid; 78% yield; m.p.: 69–72°C;  $[\alpha]_D = -79.4$  (c 0.49,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ); 99%

ee; determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AS-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm;  $t_R$ (minor) = 19.80 min,  $t_R$  (major) = 42.99min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  9.21 (d,  $J$  = 1.4 Hz, 1H), 8.84 (d,  $J$  = 2.5 Hz, 1H), 8.72 (dd,  $J$  = 2.3, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 7.36–7.24 (m, 2H), 6.99–6.85 (m, 2H), 5.62 (q,  $J$  = 12.5 Hz, 2H), 4.57–4.23 (m, 2H), 3.80 (d,  $J$  = 7.1 Hz, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  196.30, 159.82, 148.31, 146.85, 143.51, 143.37, 127.71, 125.66 (q,  $J$  = 282.0Hz), 124.59, 114.27, 74.44, 55.07, 49.27 (q,  $J$  = 25.7 Hz), 35.45;  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  -73.30(s, 3F); ESI-HRMS Calcd. for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>14</sub>F<sub>3</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O<sub>4</sub>([M+H]<sup>+</sup>): 370.1009, Found 370.0999.

*(S)*-4, 4, 4-trifluoro-3-(4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl)-3-(nitromethyl)-1-(pyrazin-2-yl) butan-1-one  
**22**

White solid; 90% yield; m.p.: 72–75°C;  $[\alpha]_D$  = -67.11(c = 0.52, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>); 98% ee; determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AS-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm;  $t_R$ (major) = 16.25min,  $t_R$  (minor) = 37.08 min].  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  9.21 (d,  $J$  = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 8.87 (d,  $J$  = 2.5 Hz, 1H), 8.74 (dd,  $J$  = 2.5, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 7.71 (d,  $J$  = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.55 (d,  $J$  = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 5.66 (s, 2H), 4.67–4.26 (m, 2H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  195.89, 148.50, 146.54, 143.47, 143.38, 137.02, 131.24 (q,  $J$  = 33.2 Hz), 127.05, 125.84 (q,  $J$  = 3.7 Hz), 125.23 (q,  $J$  = 285.0 Hz), 123.26 (q,  $J$  = 272.4 Hz), 74.04, 49.76 (q,  $J$  = 25.8 Hz), 35.68;  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  -63.02(s, 3F), -72.71(s, 3F); ESI-HRMS Calcd. for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>12</sub>F<sub>6</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O<sub>3</sub>([M+H]<sup>+</sup>): 408.0777, Found 408.0775.

*(S)*-2-(3-phenyl-3-(trifluoromethyl)-3, 4-dihydro-2H-pyrrol-5-yl)thiazole  
**23**

To a solution of **5a** (103.2mg, 0.3mmol) in 3 mL of MeOH/THF (MeOH/THF(V/V)=1:2), iron (753mg, 13.4mmol) and Acetic acid (270 $\mu$ L, 4.8mmol) was added under N<sub>2</sub>, The mixture was stirred for 3h at 65°C, then poured into ethyl acetate(10mL) and filtered, the filtrate was washed with saturated NaHCO<sub>3</sub> and brine, dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>. The solvent was removed under vacuum and the residue was purified with flash chromatography using a mixture of petroleum ether and ethyl acetate (5:1, V/V) to afford white solid **13** (70.7mg, 80%yield). m.p.: 116–118°C;  $[\alpha]_D$  = -18.78 (c 0.49, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>); 99% ee, determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel OD-H column, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm;  $t_R$  (major) = 9.05min,  $t_R$  (minor) = 9.83min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.96 (d,  $J$  = 3.2 Hz, 1H), 7.50 (d,  $J$  = 3.2 Hz, 1H), 7.38 (m, 5H), 5.00(d,  $J$  = 18.0Hz, 1H), 4.56(d,  $J$  = 15.0Hz, 1H), 4.07(d,  $J$  = 18.0Hz, 1H), 3.70 (d,  $J$  = 21.0 Hz, 1H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  166.87, 162.53, 143.86, 137.55(d,  $J$  = 1.4 Hz), 128.49, 128.24, 128.10, 122.58, 127.39 (q,  $J$  = 282.2 Hz), 68.52, 55.38 (q,  $J$  = 25.4 Hz), 43.53;  $^{19}\text{F}$  NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  -76.41(s,3F) ppm; ESI-HRMS Calcd. for C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>12</sub>F<sub>3</sub>N<sub>2</sub>S([M+H]<sup>+</sup>): 297.0688, Found 297.0672.

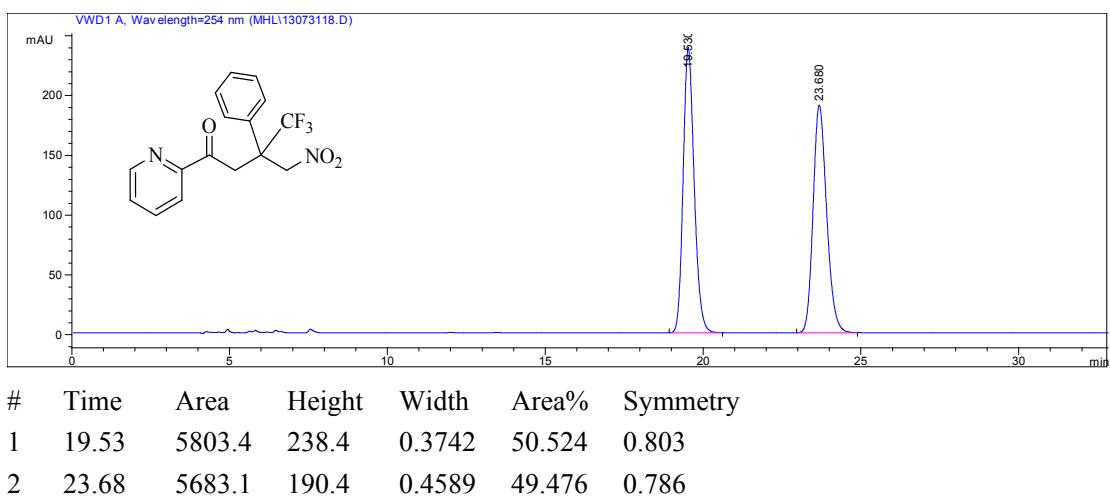
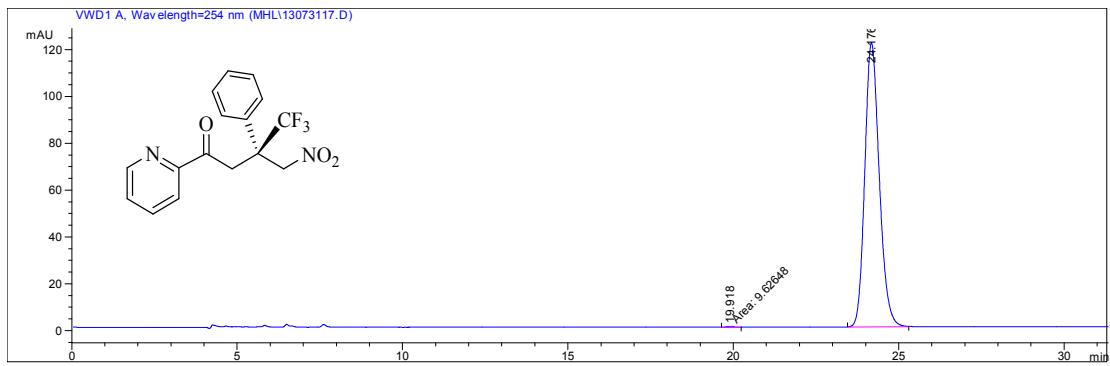
*(S)*-2-(3-phenyl-3-(trifluoromethyl)-3, 4-dihydro-2H-pyrrol-5-yl)pyridine  
Only using **3a** instead of **5a**, the other experimental procedure was the same as **5a**.

White solid; 66% yield; m.p.: 44–45°C;  $[\alpha]_D$  = -74.0 (c 0.5 CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>); 98%ee; determined by HPLC analysis [Daicel Chiralcel AD-H column, *n*-

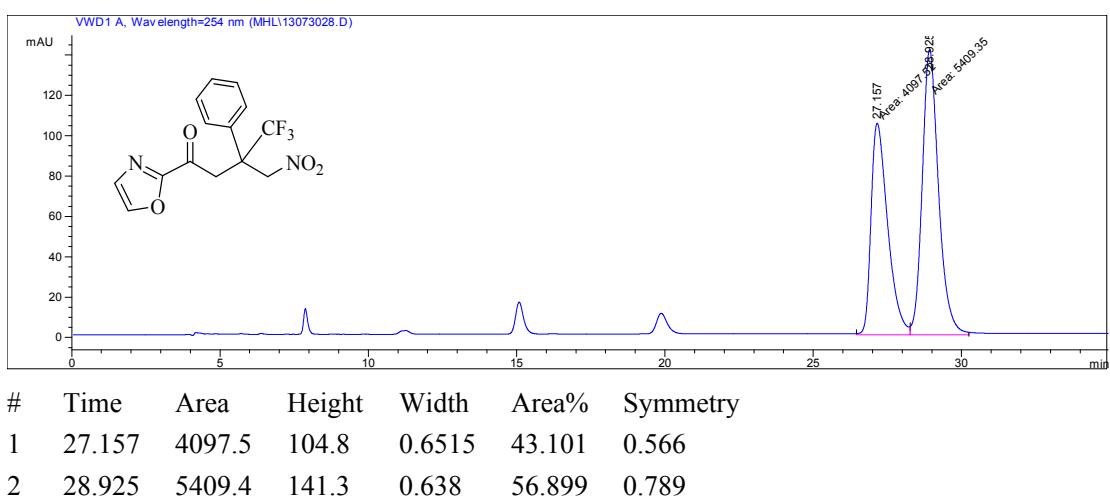
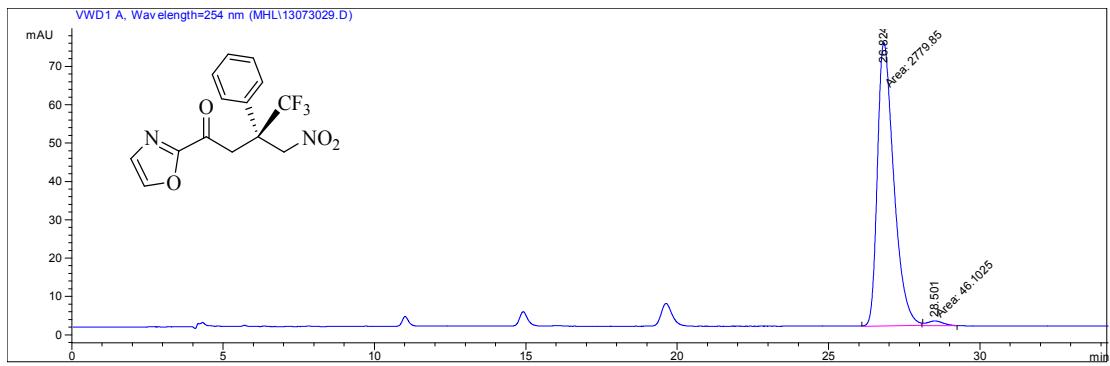
hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.80 mL/min, 254 nm;  $t_R$  (minor) = 11.2min,  $t_R$  (major) = 12.24min];  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  8.67 (d,  $J$  = 4.8 Hz, 1H), 8.16 (d,  $J$  = 7.9 Hz, 1H), 7.77 (td,  $J$  = 7.7, 1.7 Hz, 1H), 7.48–7.30 (m, 6H), 5.01(dd,  $J$  = 15.0, 3.0 Hz, 1H), 4.59 (d,  $J$  = 75.0 Hz, 1H), 4.09 (dd,  $J$  = 15.0, 3.0Hz, 1H), 3.70 (d,  $J$  = 21.0Hz, 1H);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (75 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  172.72, 152.00, 148.93, 138.10, 136.28, 128.37, 127.90, 127.62 (q,  $J$ =281.3 Hz), 124.93, 121.67, 68.80, 55.07(q,  $J$ =25.1Hz), 43.31; ESI-HRMS Calcd. for C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>14</sub>F<sub>3</sub>N<sub>2</sub>([M+H]<sup>+</sup>): 291.1104, Found 291.1104

#### **HPLC chromatograms for Michael addition adducts**

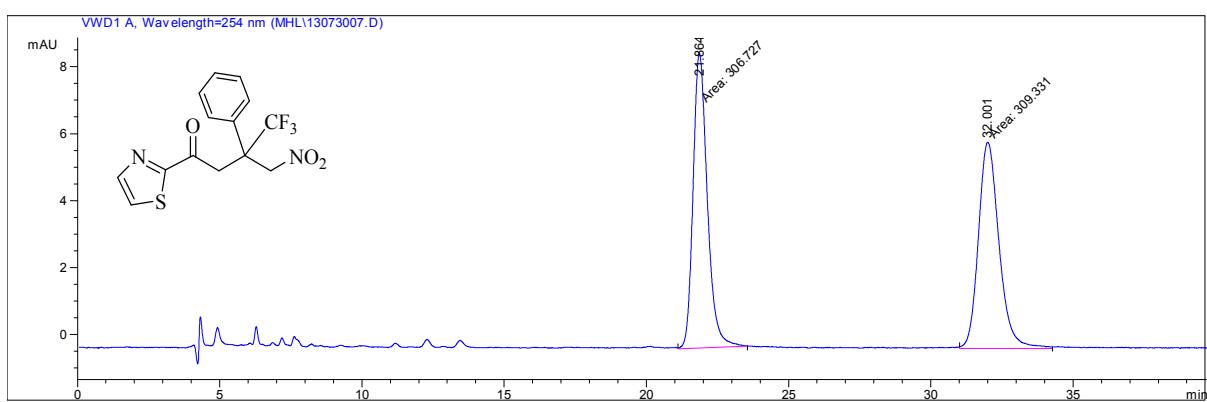
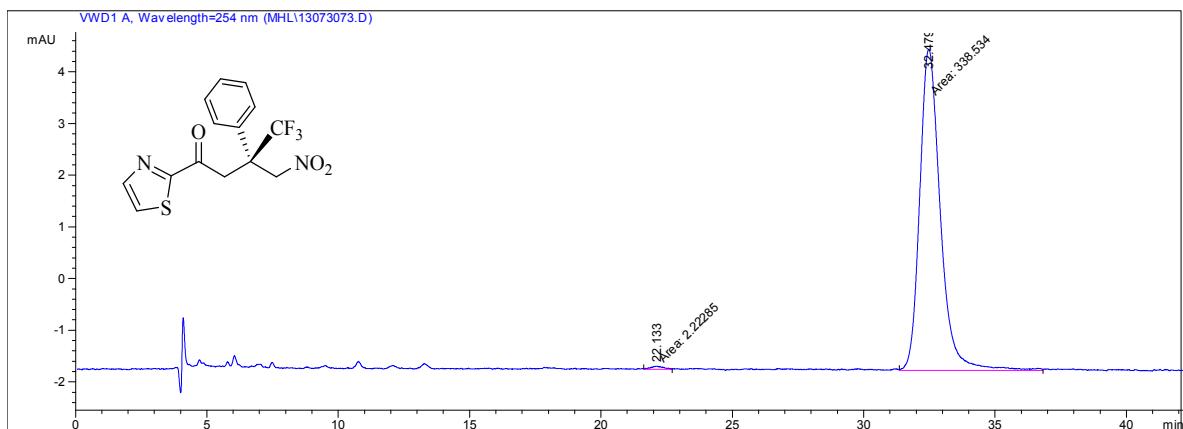
Daicel Chiralcel AS-H, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm;  $t_R$  (minor) = 19.92 min,  $t_R$  (major) = 24.18 min; 99% ee.



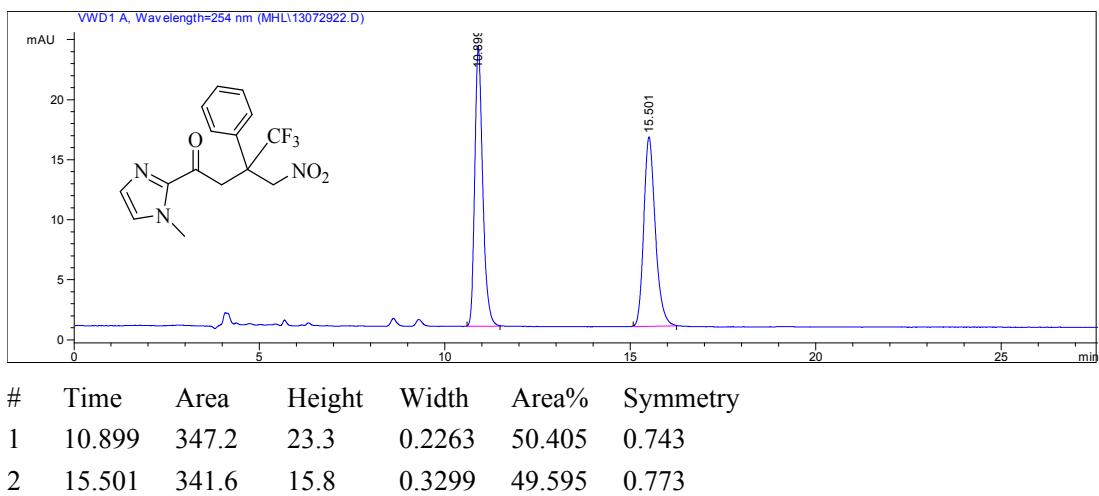
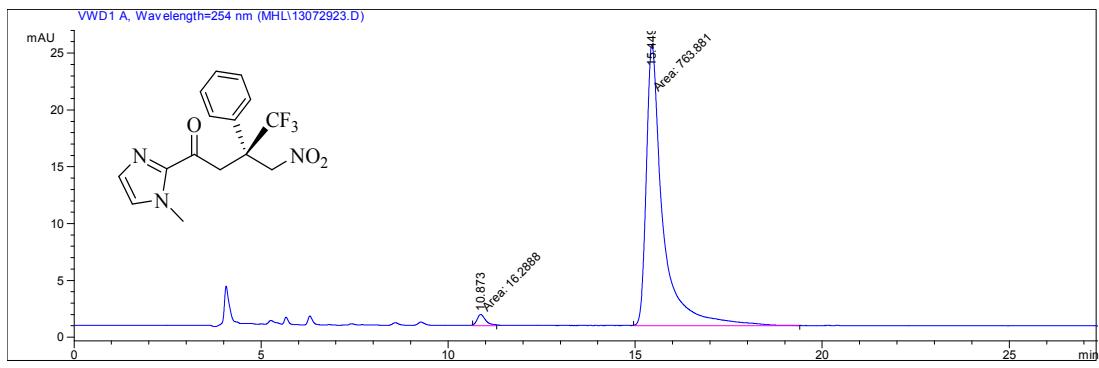
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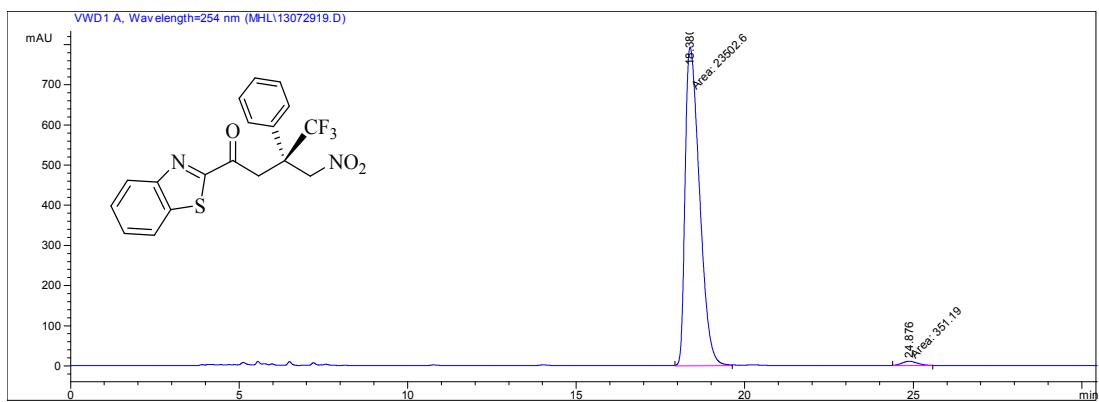
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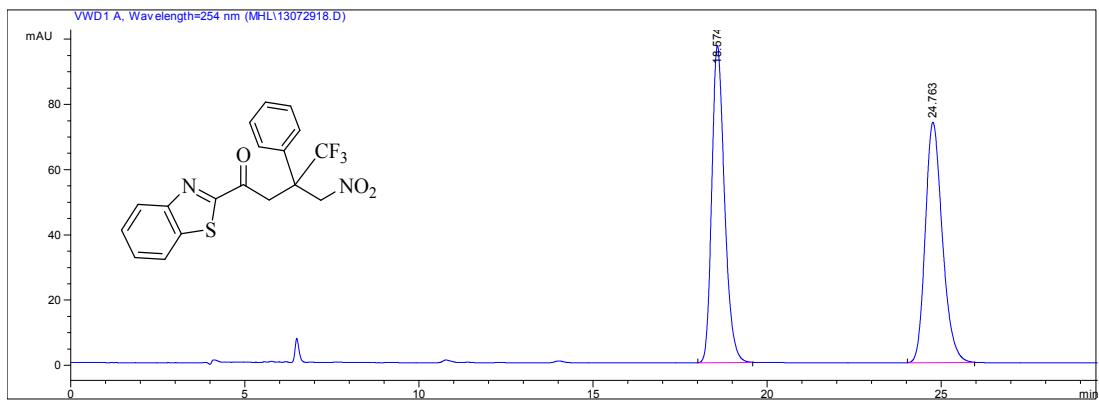
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Daicel Chiralcel AD-H, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm; *t<sub>R</sub>* (major) = 18.38min, *t<sub>R</sub>* (minor) = 24.88 min; 97% ee.

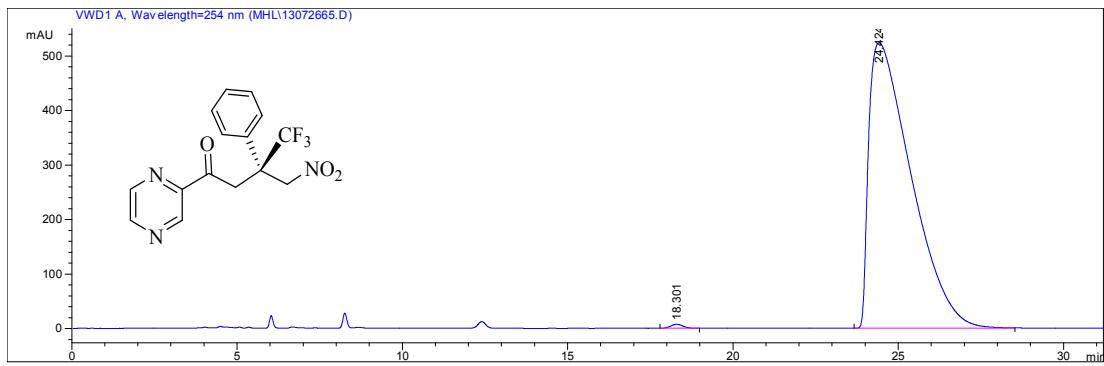


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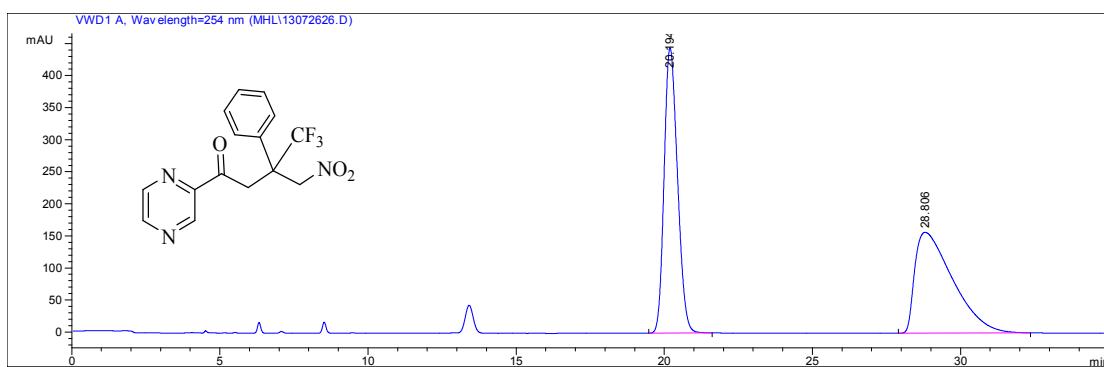


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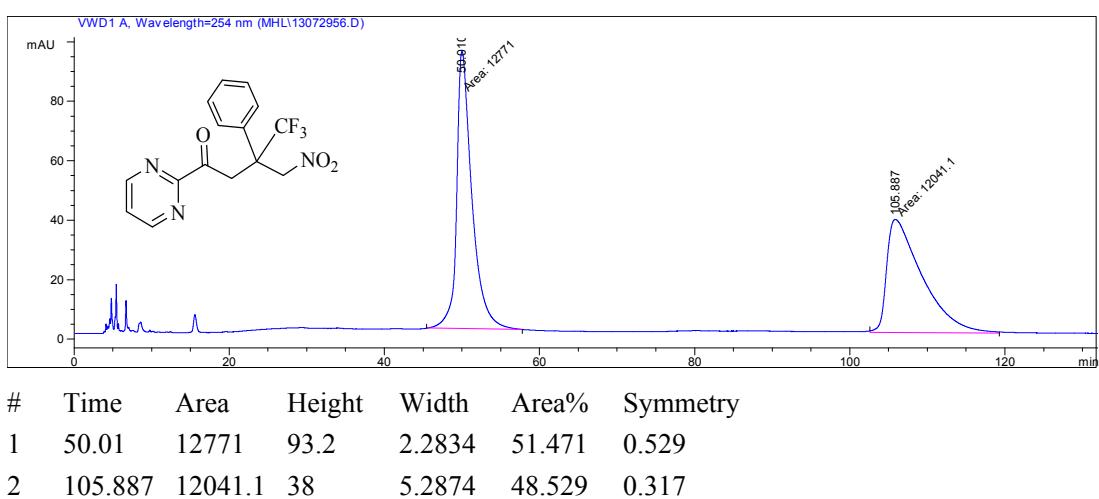
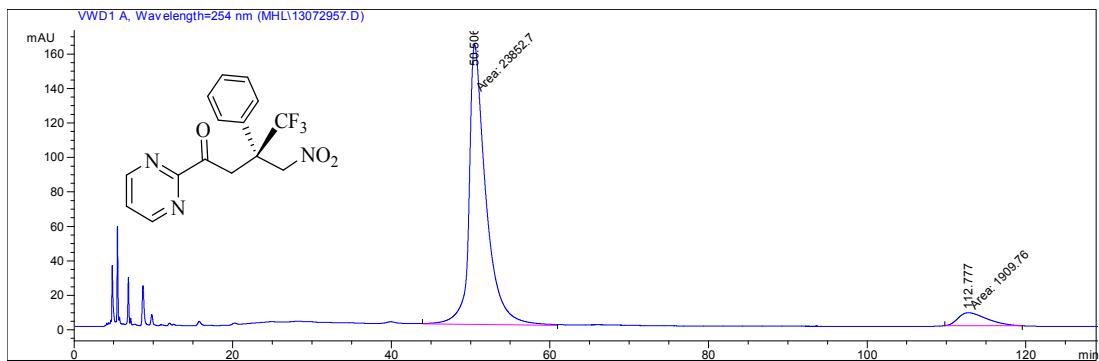


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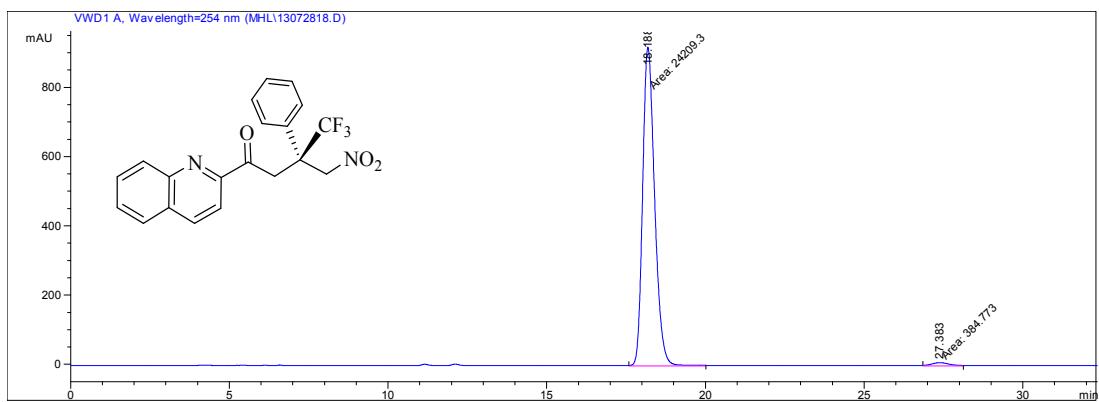


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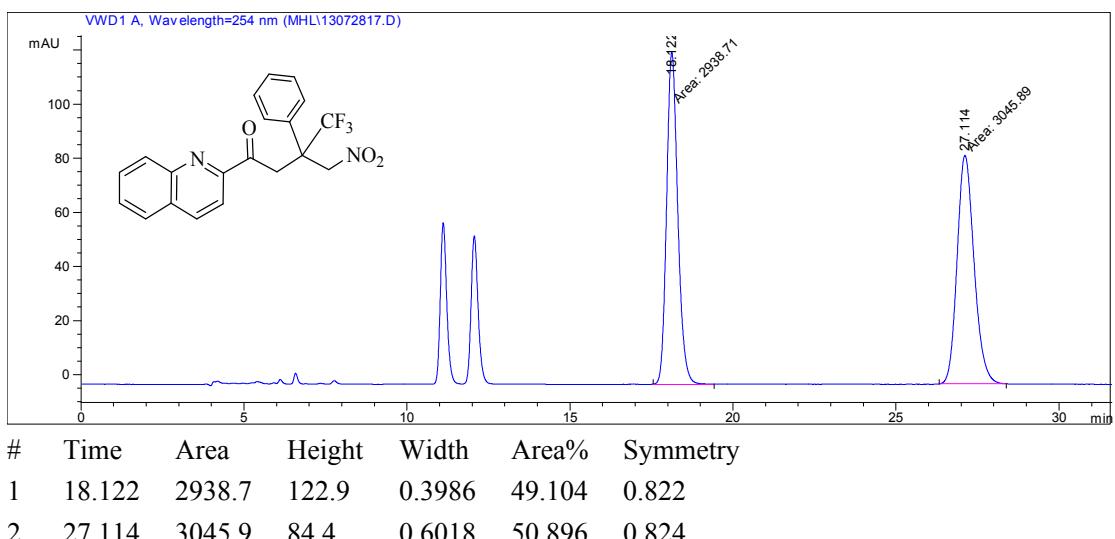
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Daicel Chiralcel AD-H, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm; *t<sub>R</sub>* (major) = 18.19min, *t<sub>R</sub>* (minor) = 27.38 min; 97% ee.

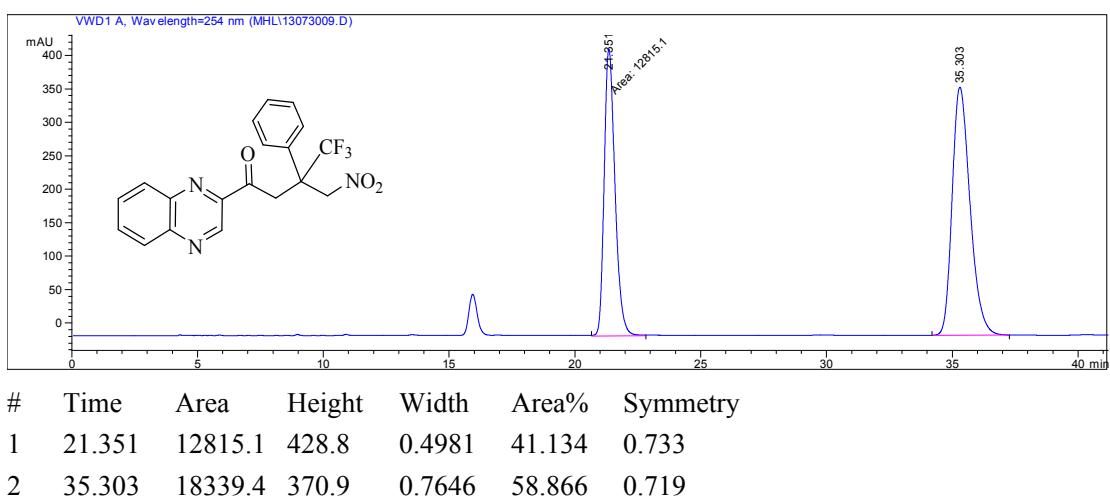
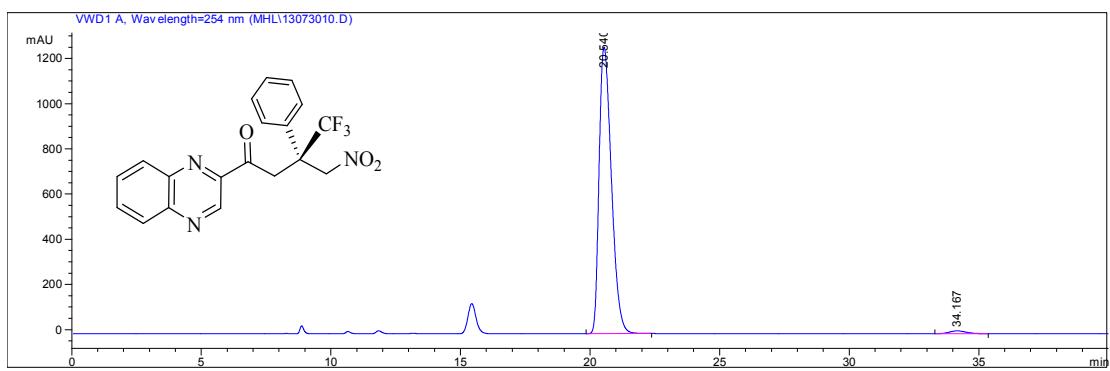


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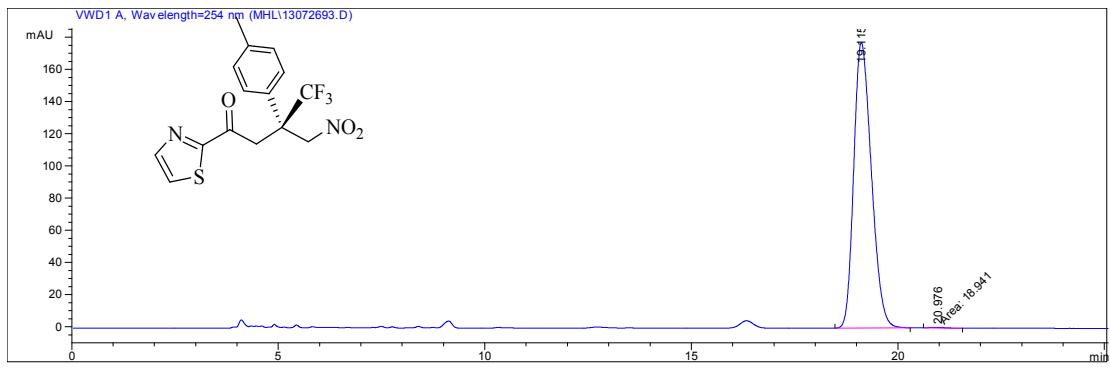


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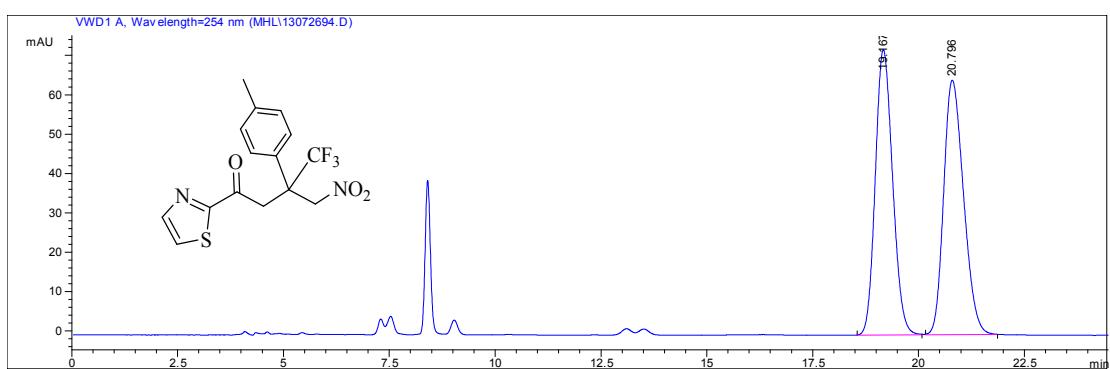
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Daicel Chiralcel AD-H, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 95:5, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm;  $t_R$  (major) = 19.12 min,  $t_R$  (minor) = 20.98 min; 99% ee.

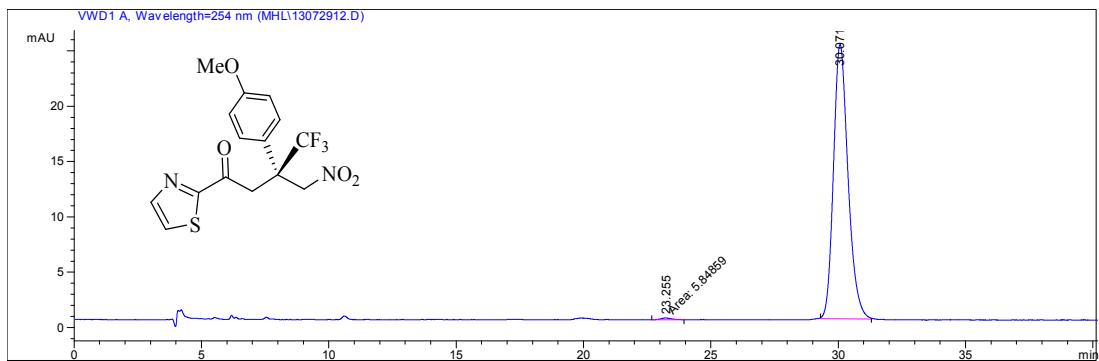


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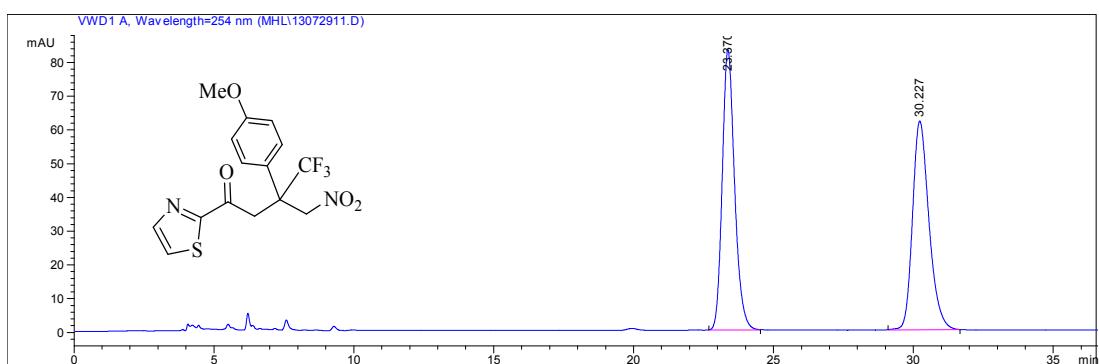


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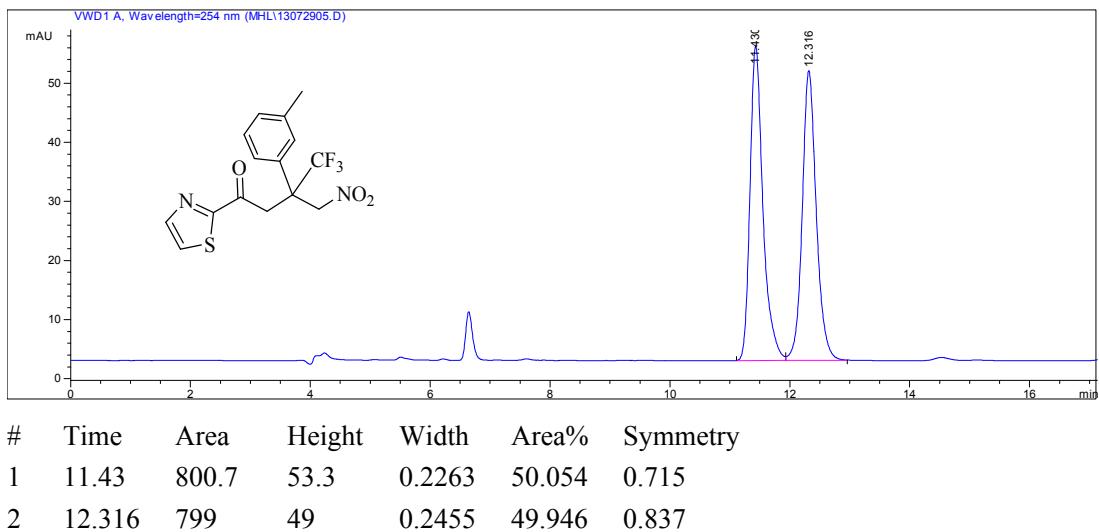
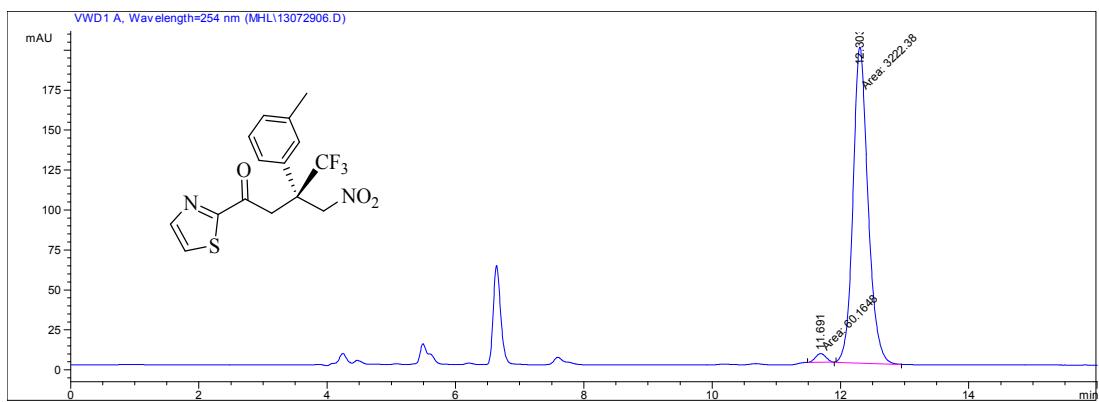


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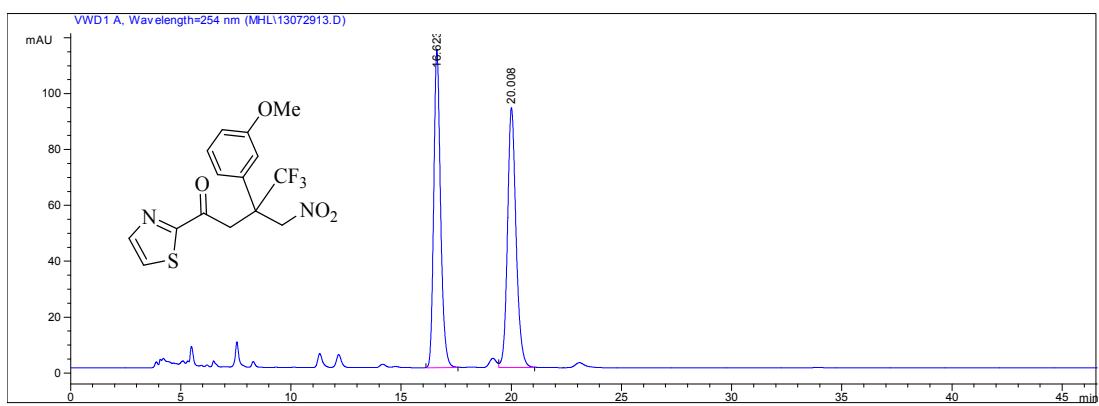
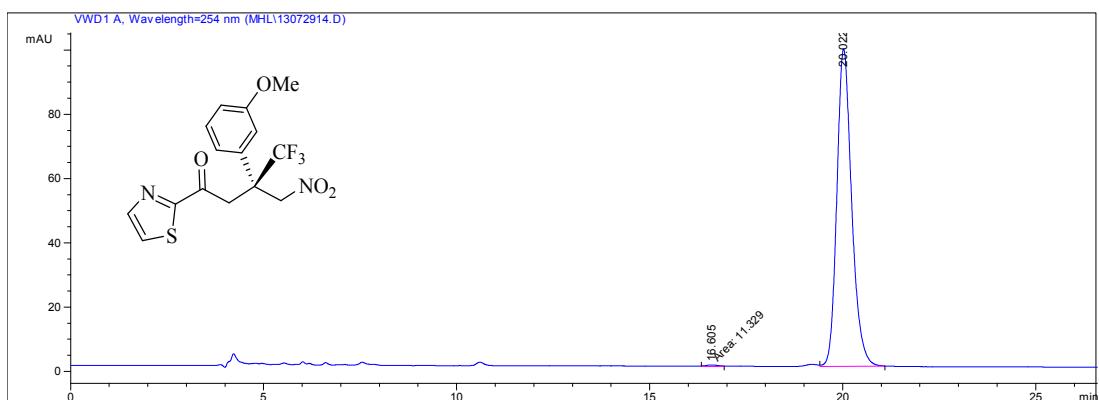


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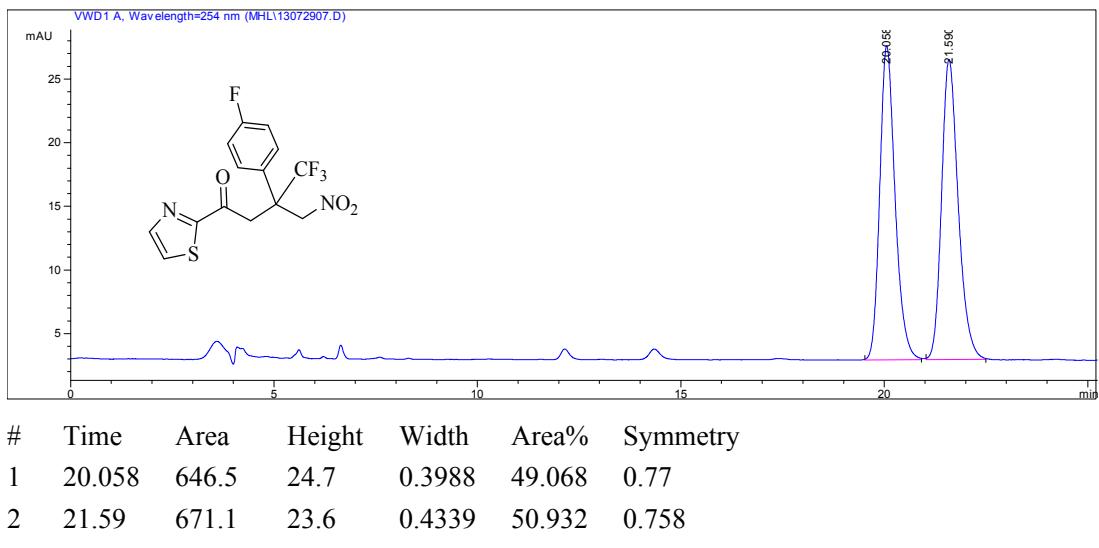
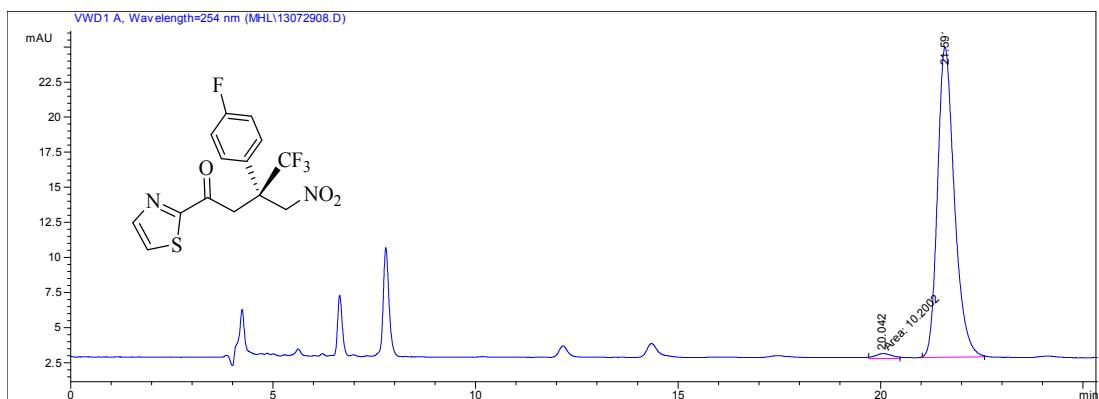
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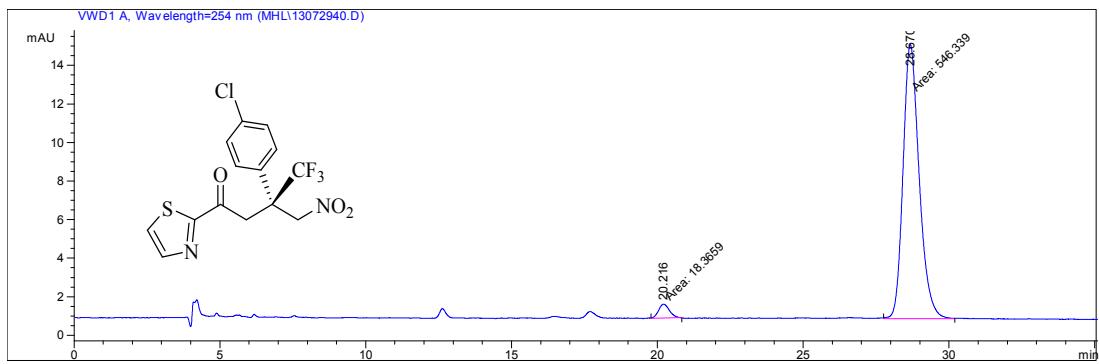
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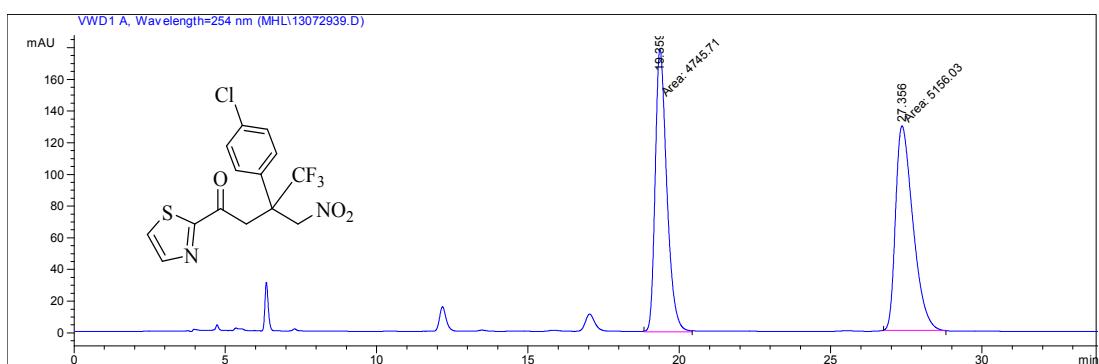
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Daicel Chiralcel AD-H, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm; *t<sub>R</sub>* (minor) = 20.22 min, *t<sub>R</sub>* (major) = 28.67 min; 94% ee.

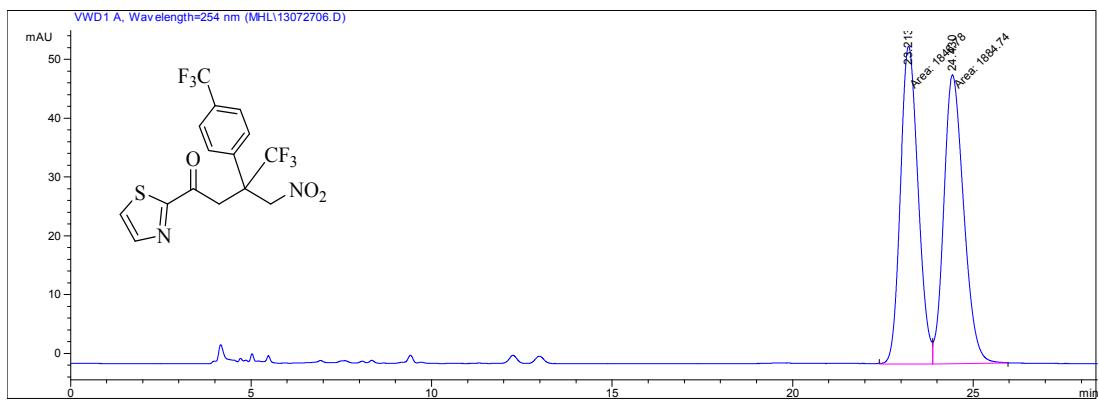
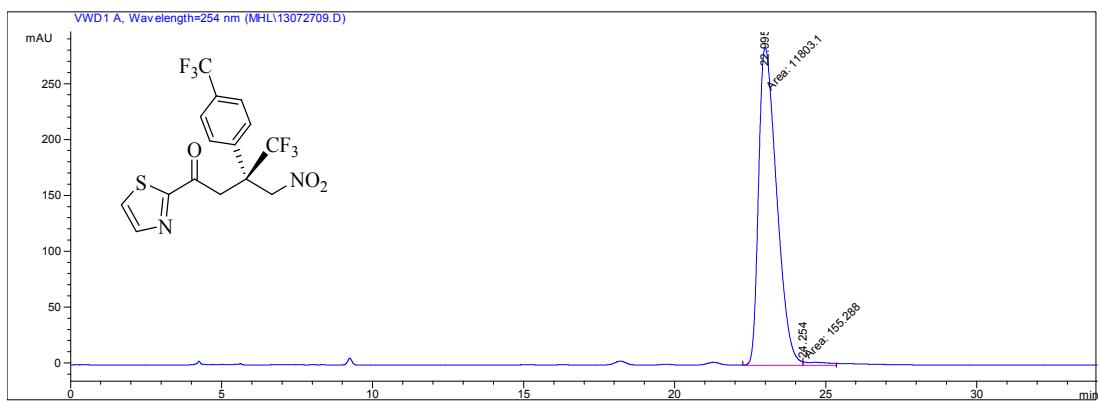


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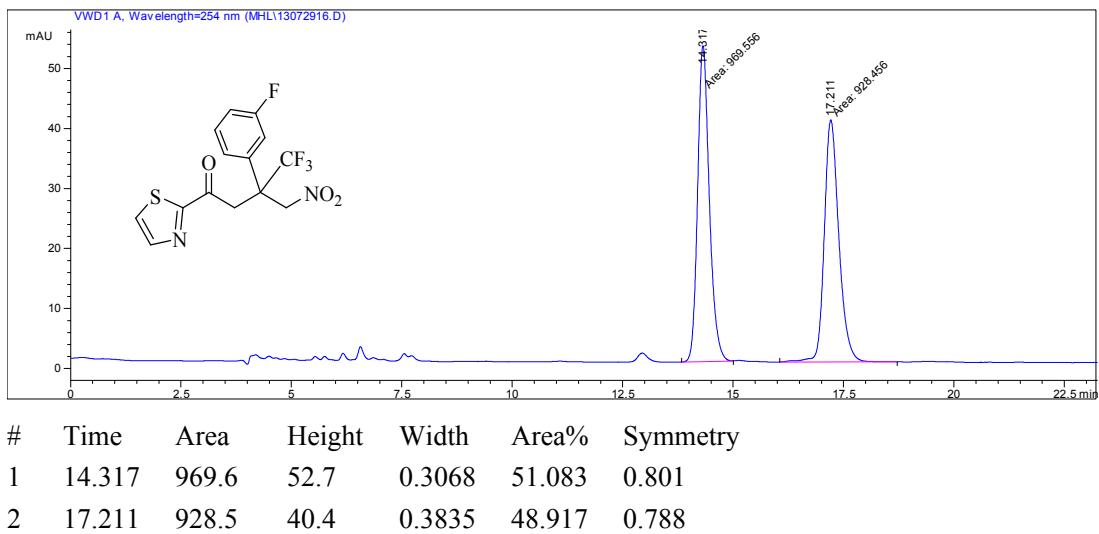
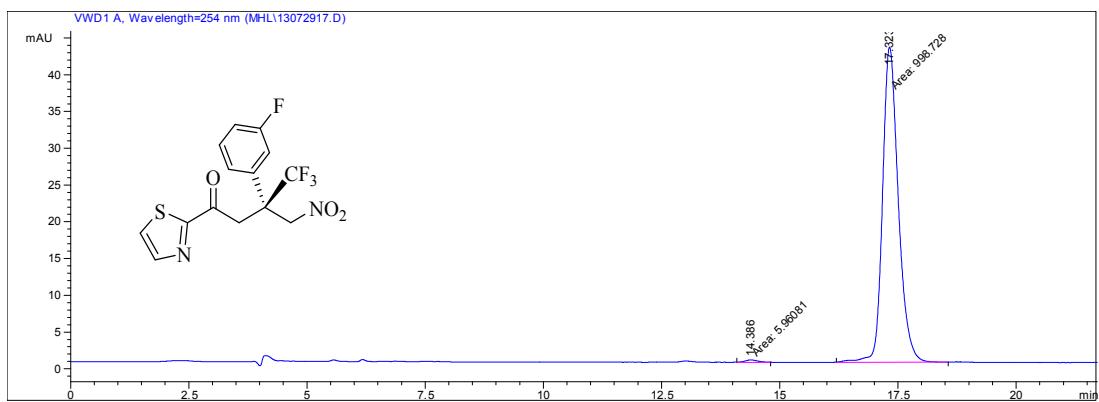


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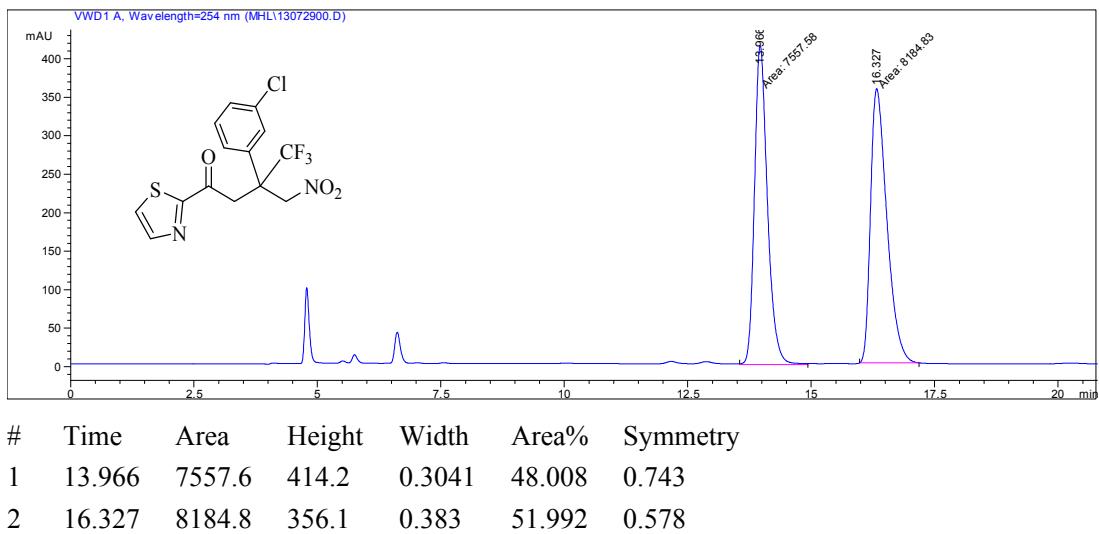
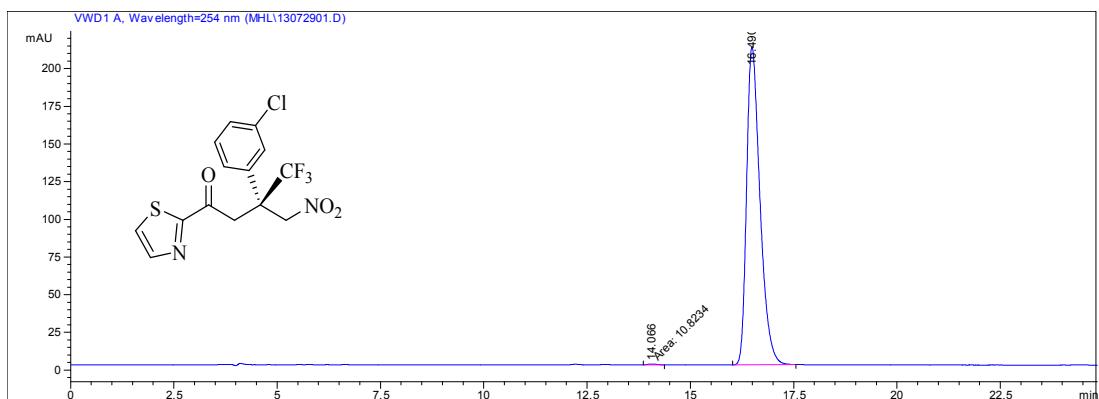
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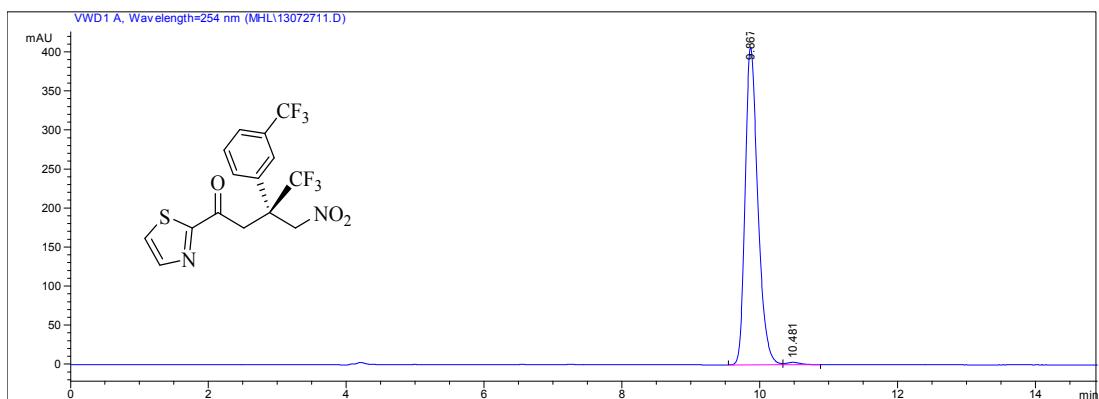
Daicel Chiralcel OD-H, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm; *t<sub>R</sub>* (minor) = 14.37 min, *t<sub>R</sub>* (major) = 17.32 min; 99% ee.



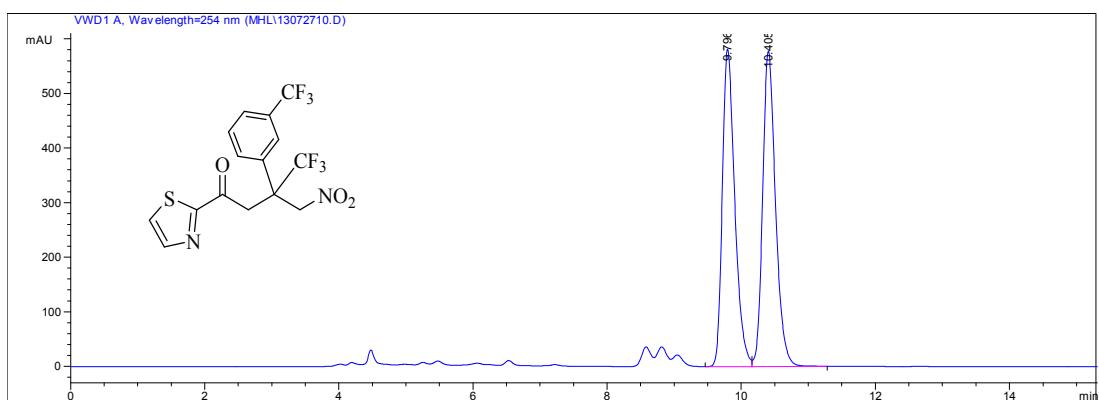
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Daicel Chiralcel AD-H, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm;  $t_R$  (major) = 9.87 min,  $t_R$  (minor) = 10.48 min; 98% ee.

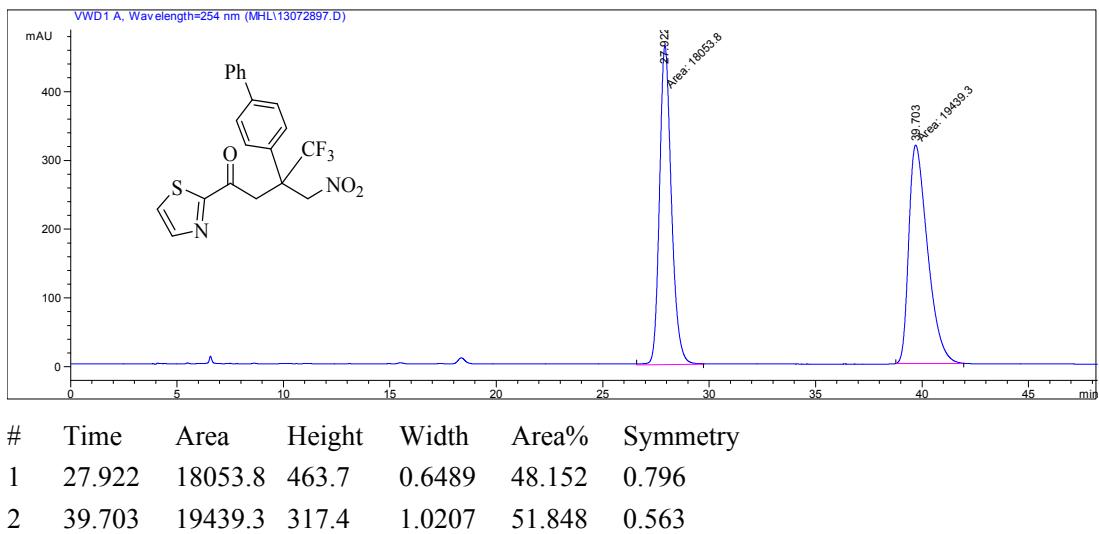
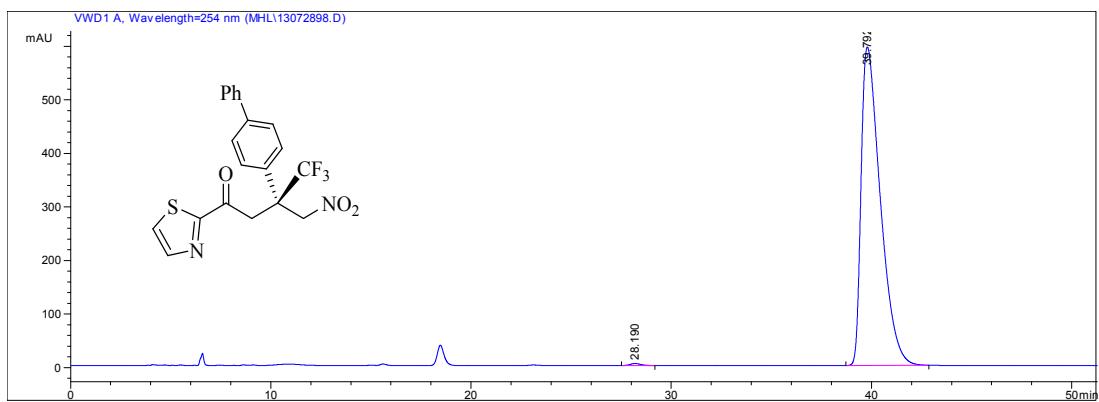


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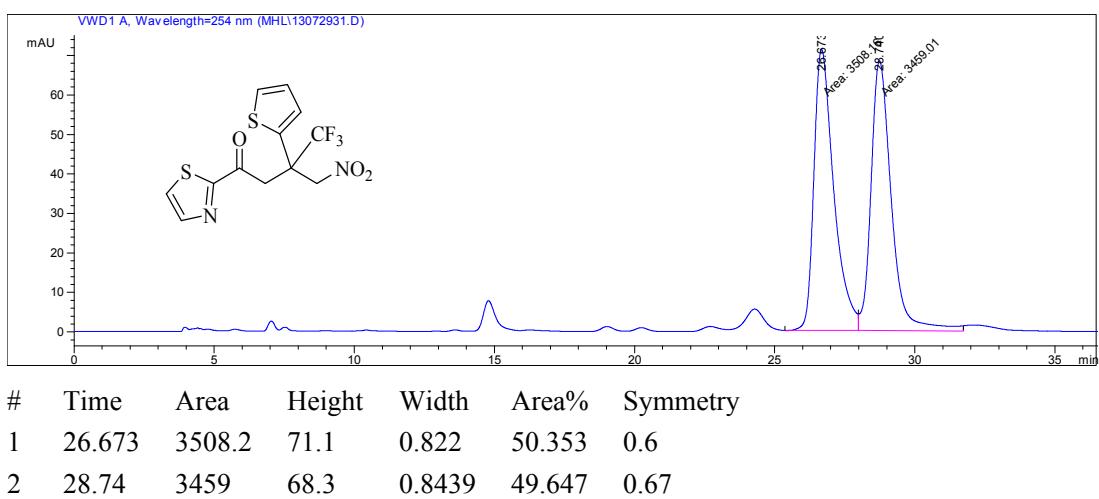
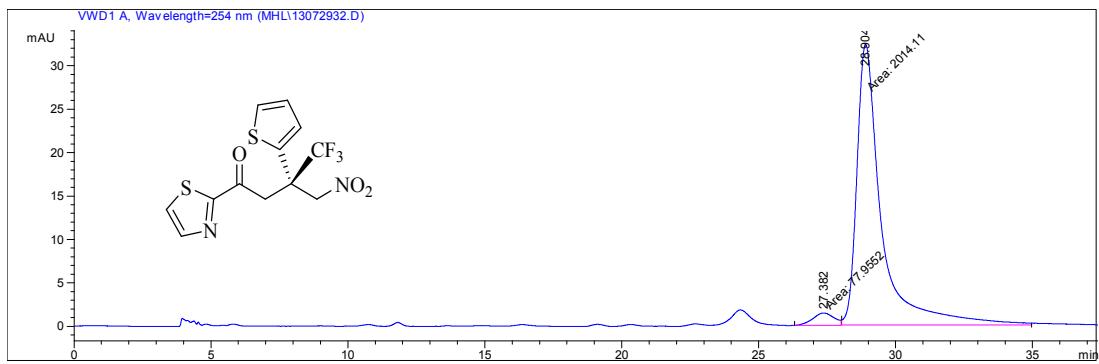


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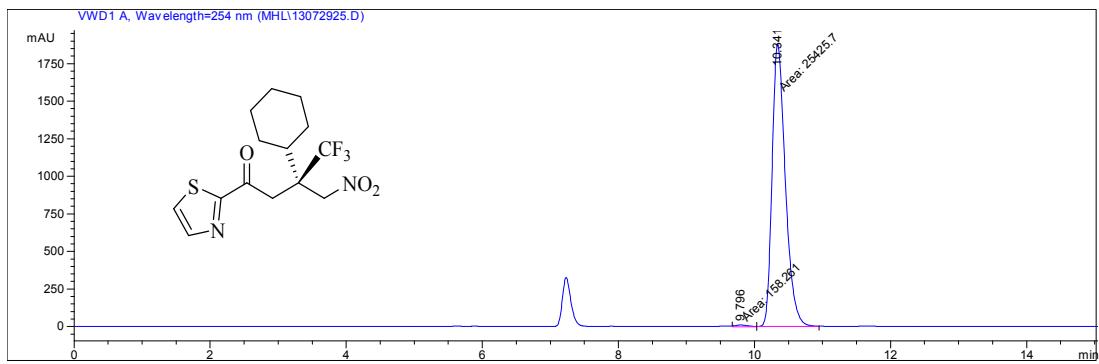
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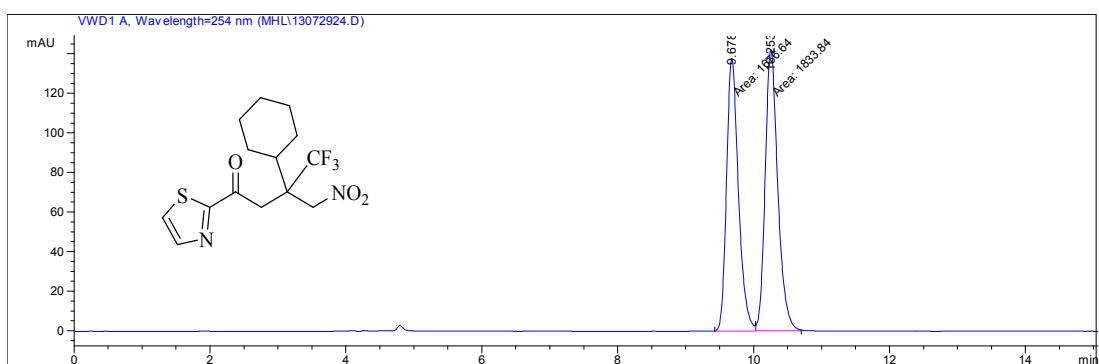
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Daicel Chiralcel AD-H, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 95:5, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm; *t<sub>R</sub>* (minor) = 9.80 min, *t<sub>R</sub>* (major) = 10.34 min; 99% ee.

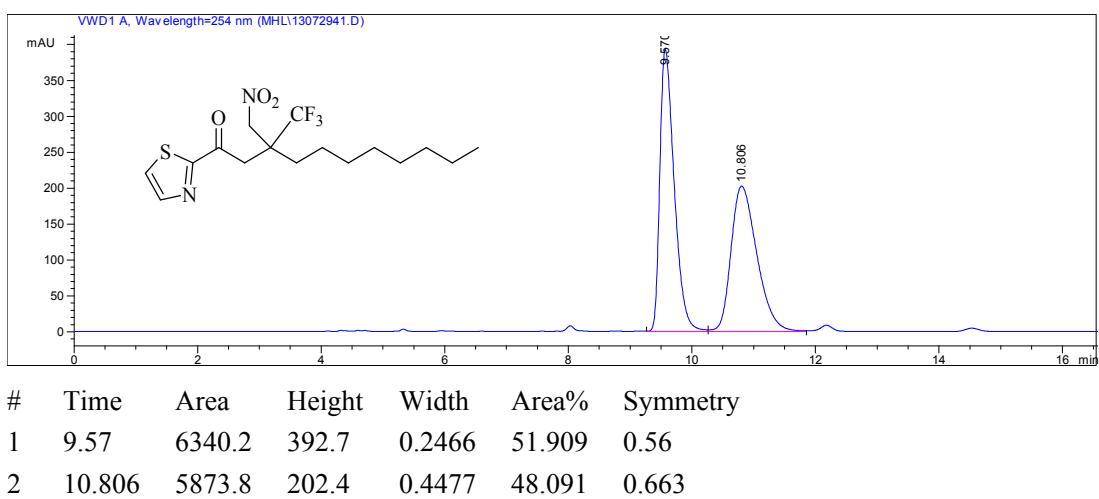
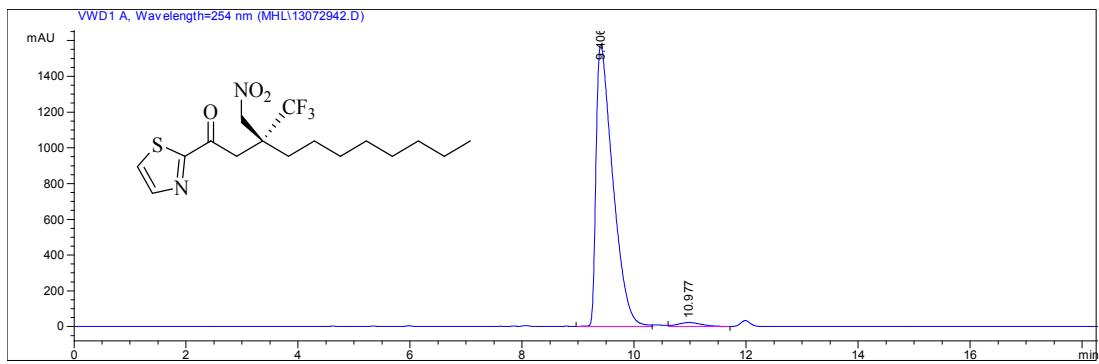


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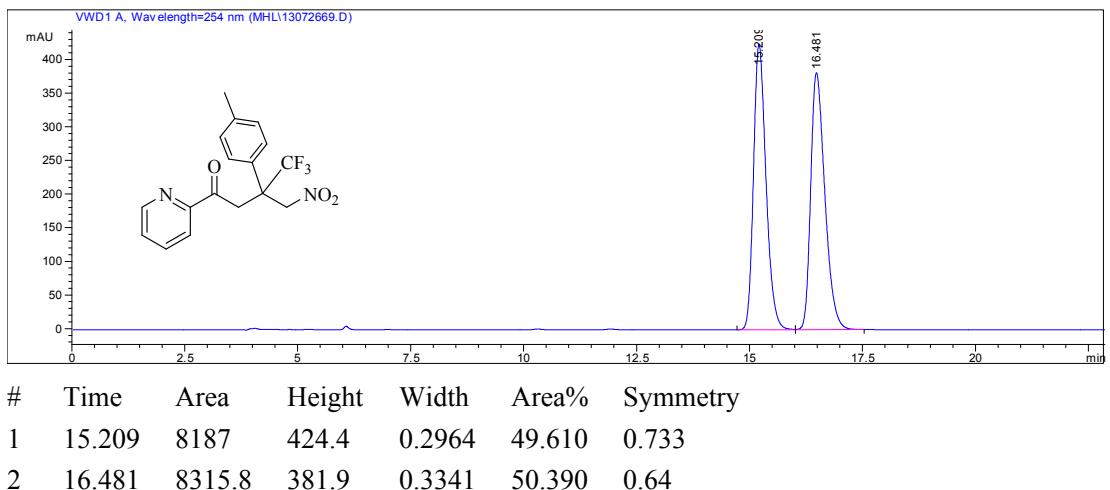
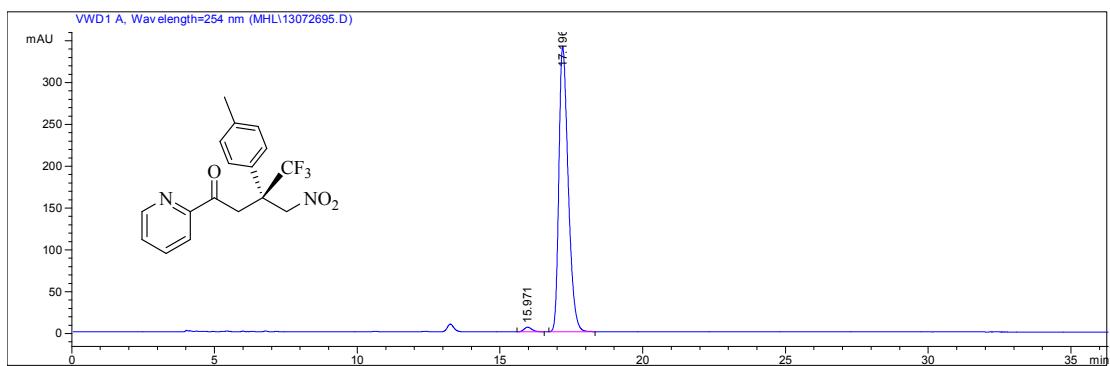


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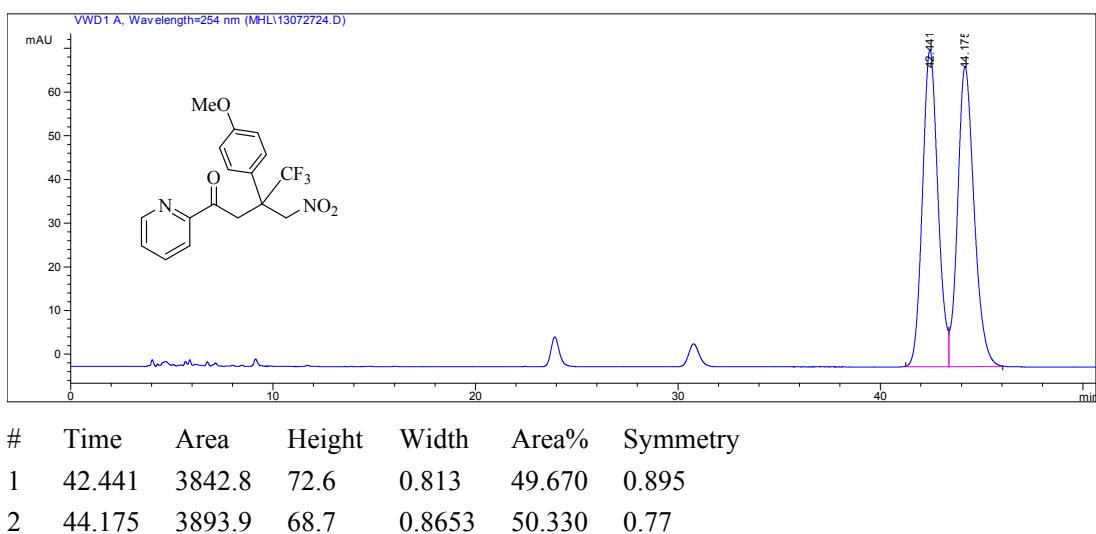
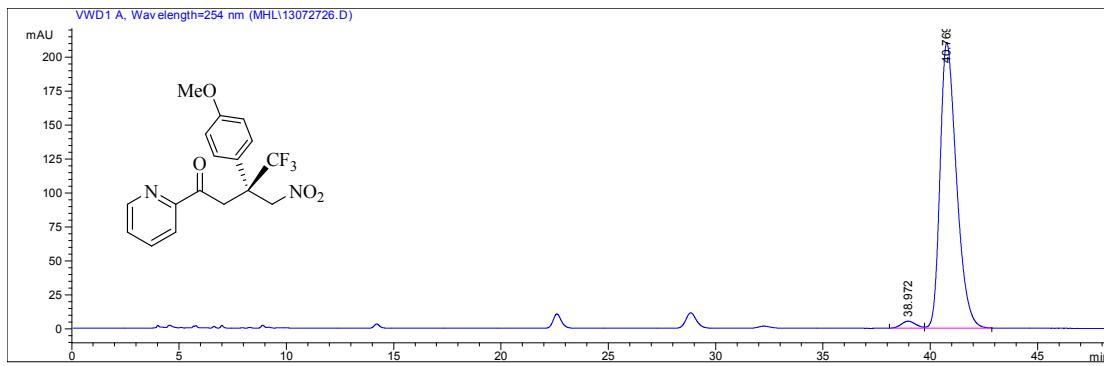
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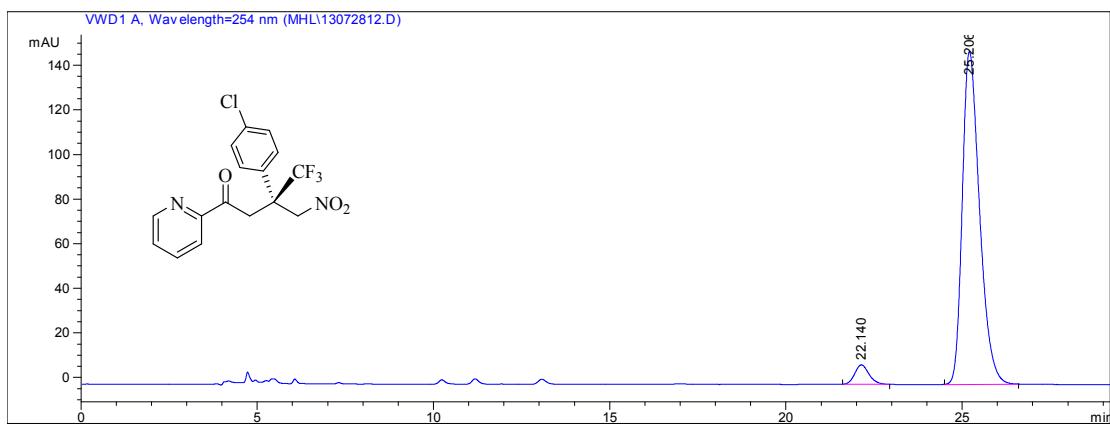
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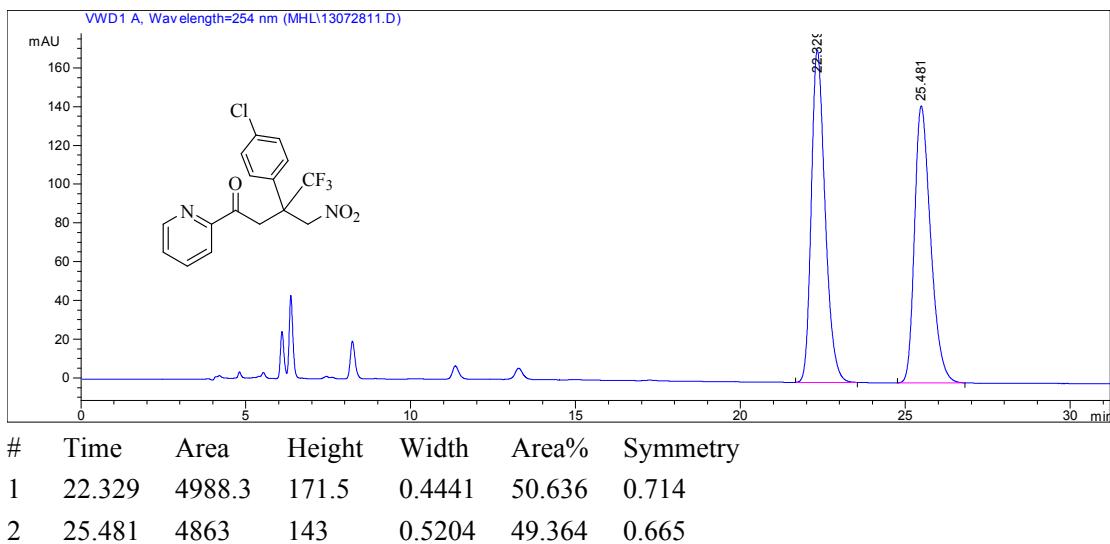
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Daicel Chiralcel AD-H, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm; *t*<sub>R</sub> (minor) = 22.14min, *t*<sub>R</sub> (major) = 25.21min; 91% ee.

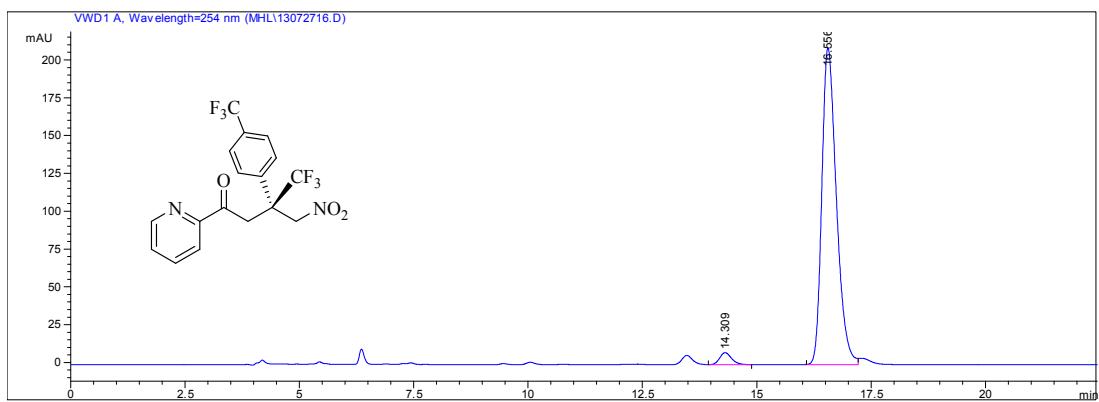


#	Time	Area	Height	Width	Area%	Symmetry
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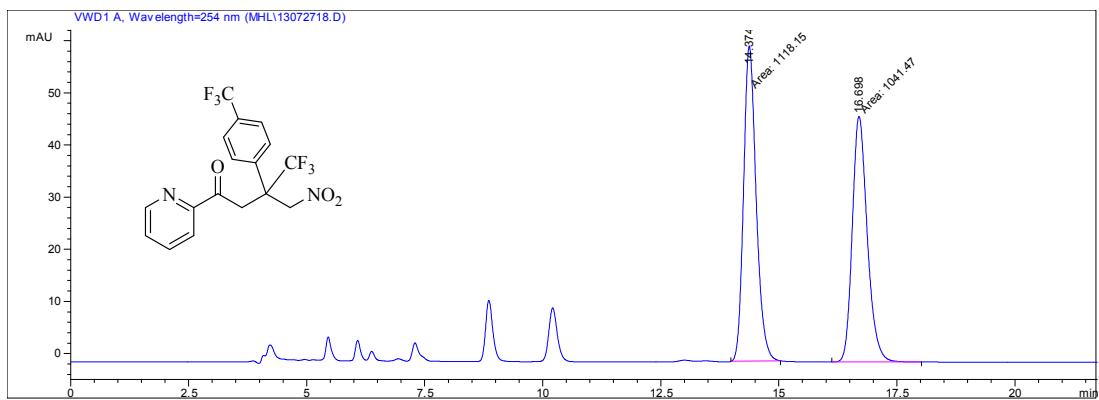


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2	25.481	4863	143	0.5204	49.364	0.665

Daicel Chiralcel AD-H, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm; *t*<sub>R</sub> (minor) = 14.31 min, *t*<sub>R</sub> (major) = 16.56 min; 94% ee.

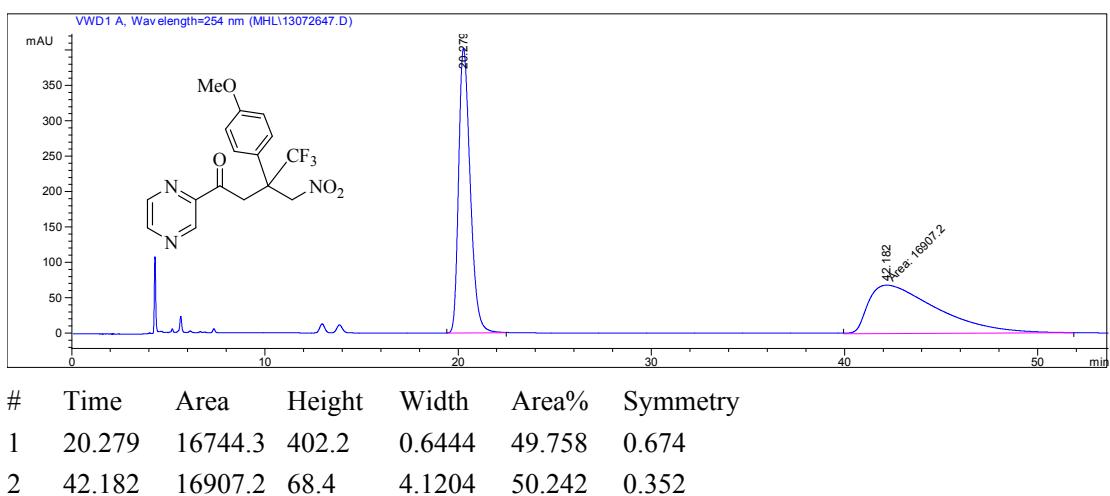
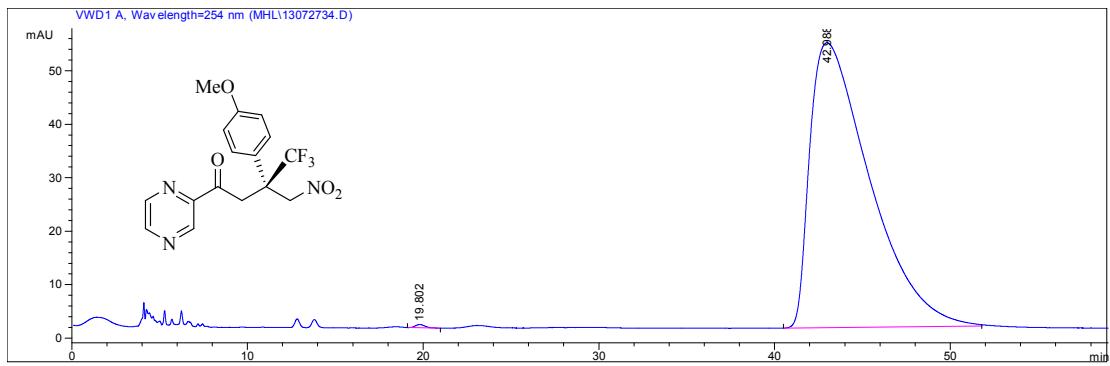


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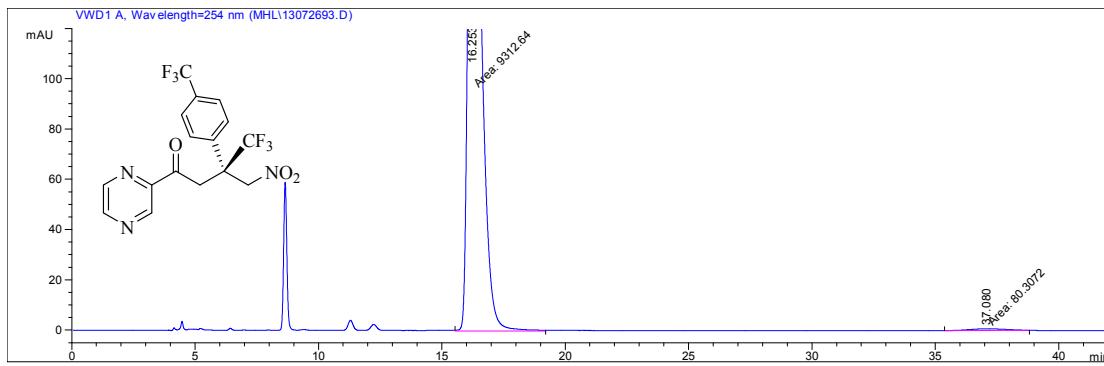


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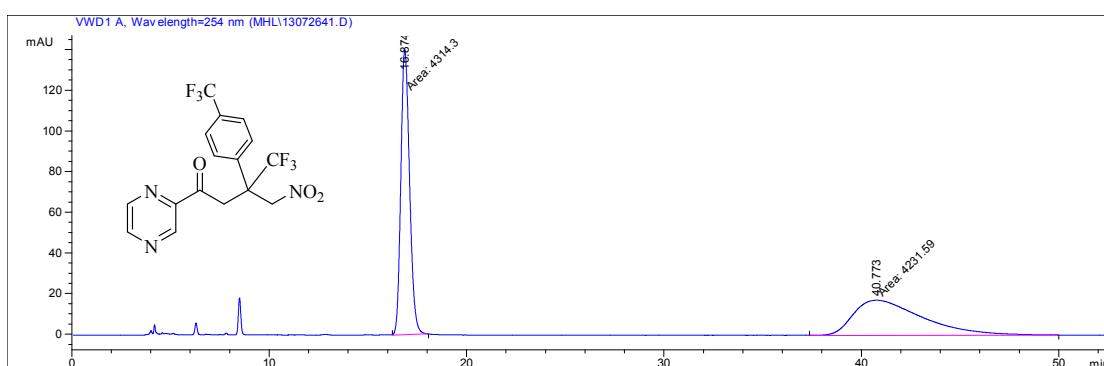
Daicel Chiralcel AS-H, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm; *t<sub>R</sub>* (minor) = 19.80min, *t<sub>R</sub>* (major) = 42.99min; 99% ee.



Daicel Chiralcel AS-H, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm; *t<sub>R</sub>* (major) = 16.25min, *t<sub>R</sub>* (minor) = 37.08min; 98% ee.

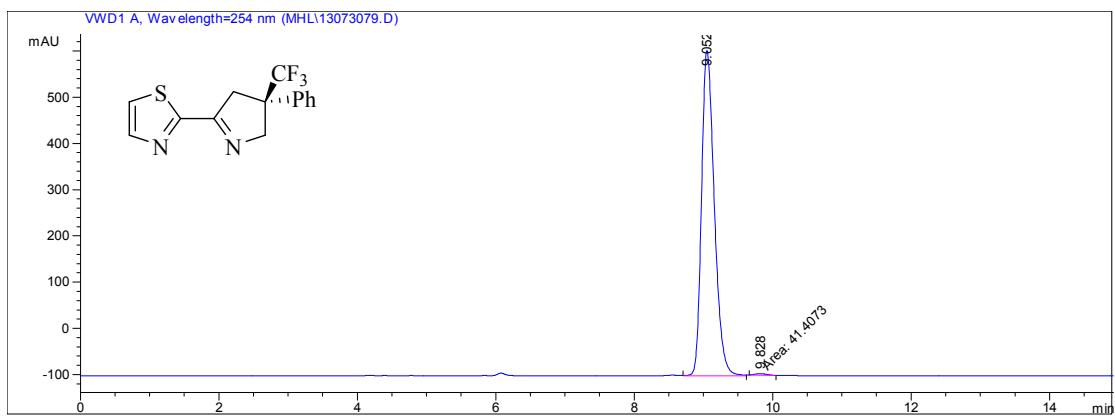


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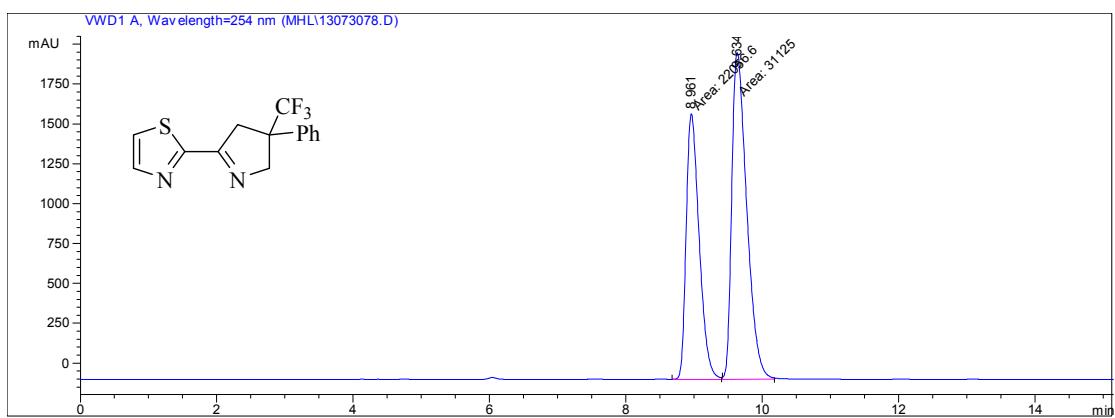


#	Time	Area	Height	Width	Area%	Symmetry
1	16.874	4314.3	140.2	0.5128	50.484	0.794
2	40.773	4231.6	17.3	4.0674	49.516	0.495

Daicel Chiralcel OD-H, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm;  $t_R$  (major) = 9.05min,  $t_R$  (minor) = 9.83min; 99% ee.

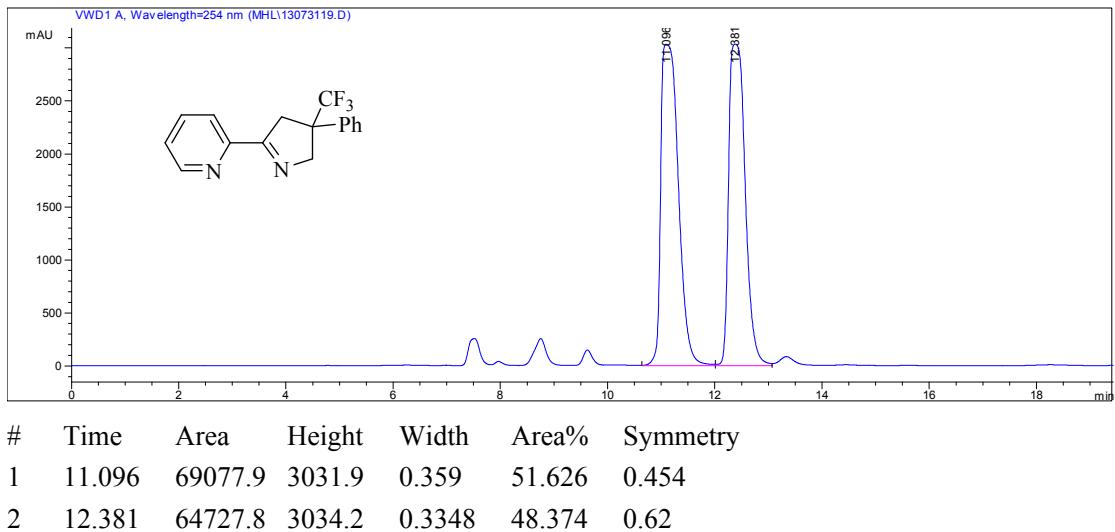
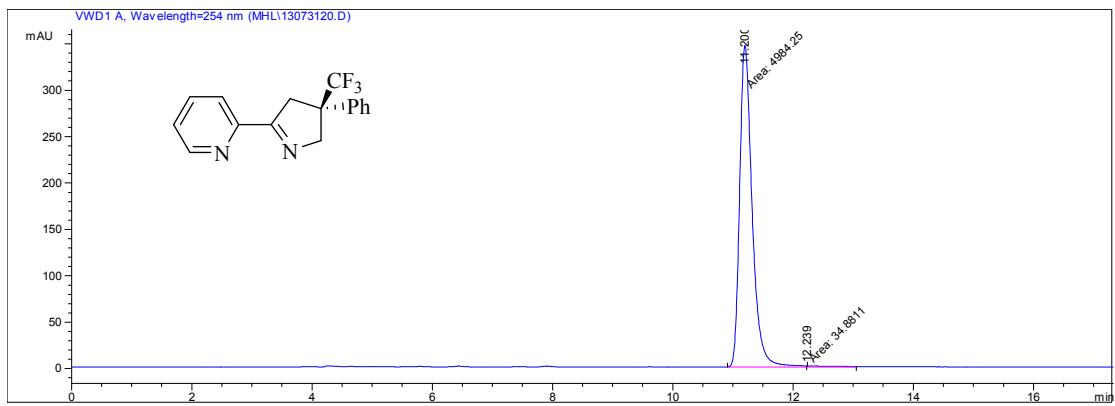


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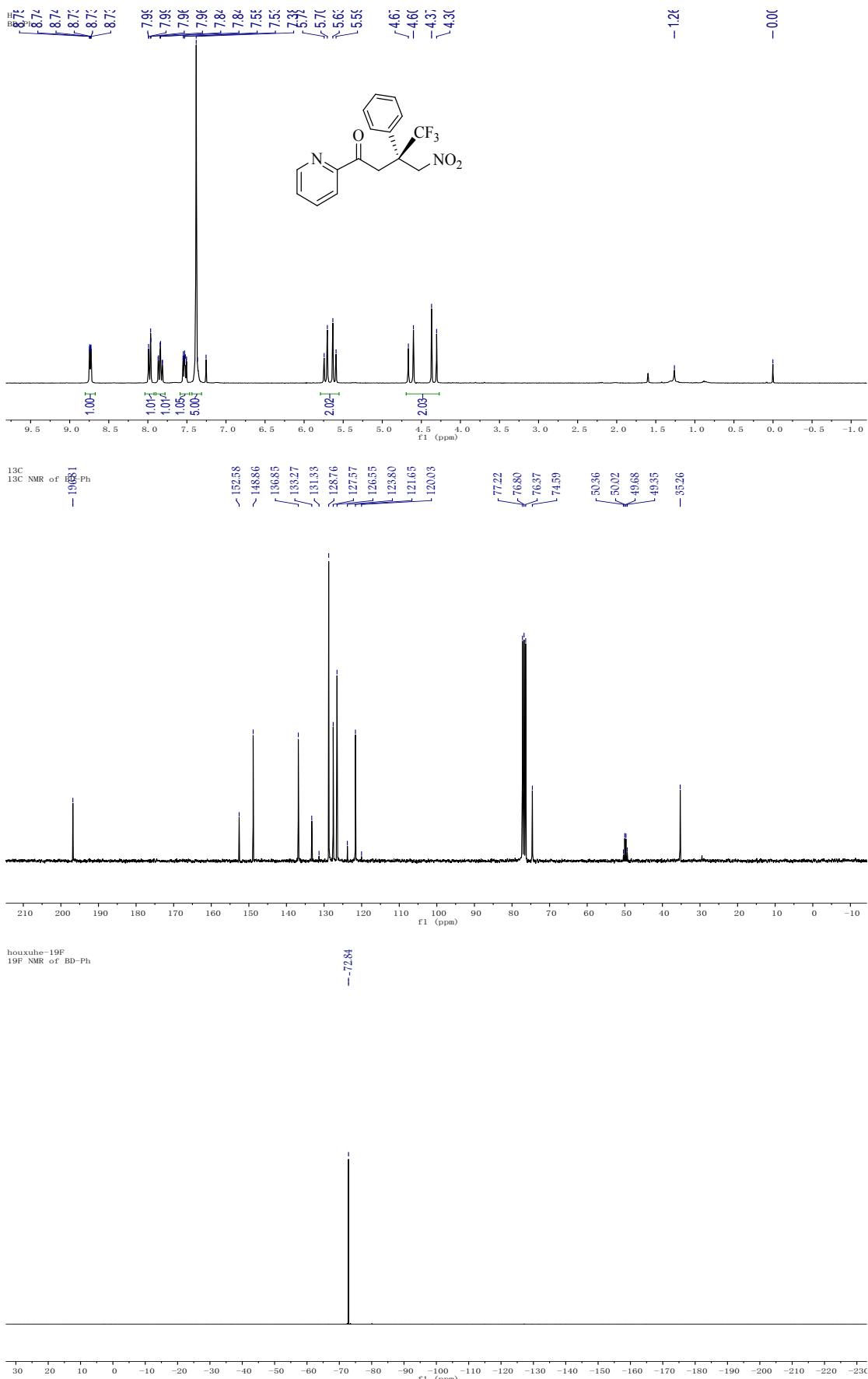


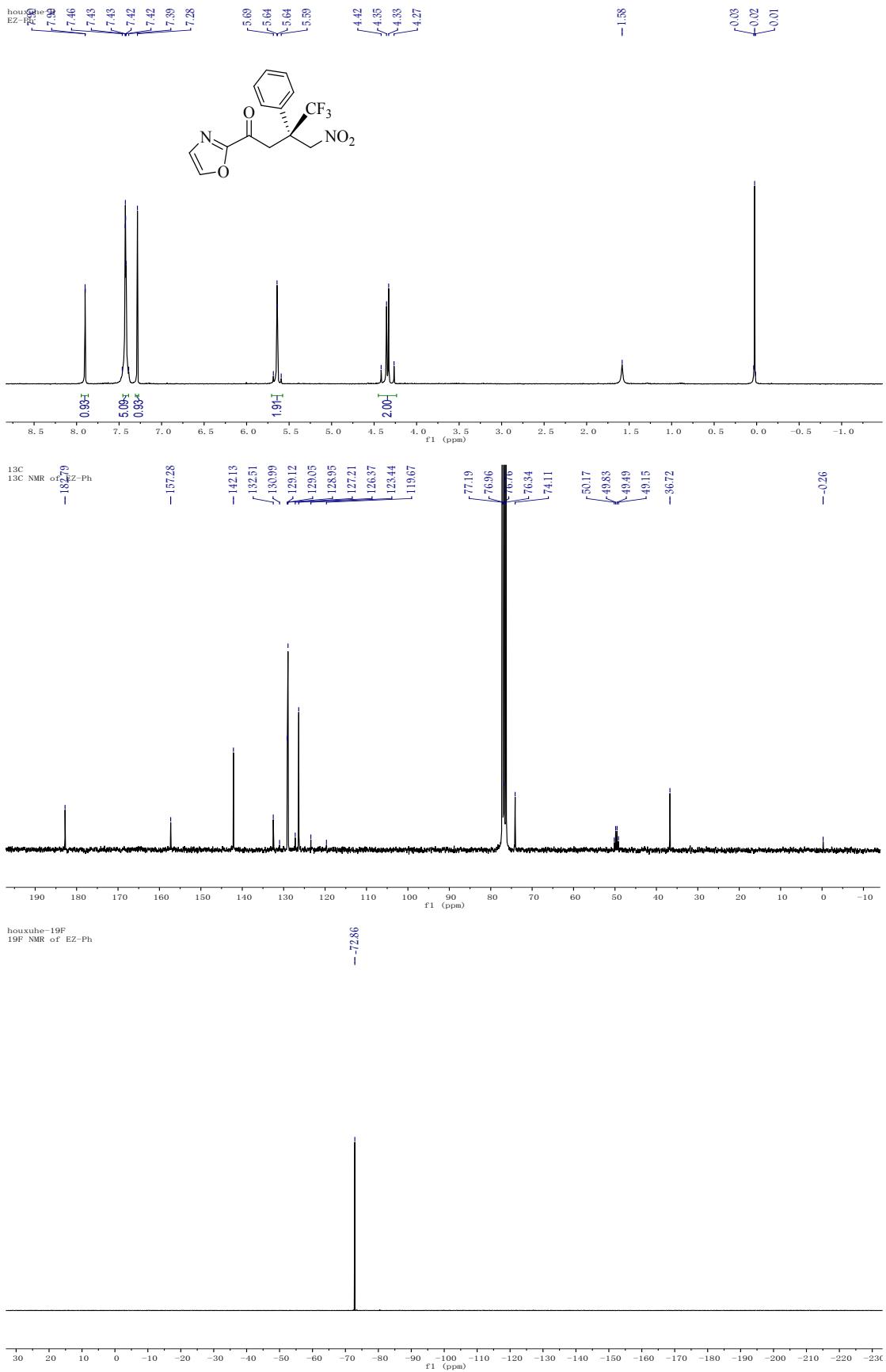
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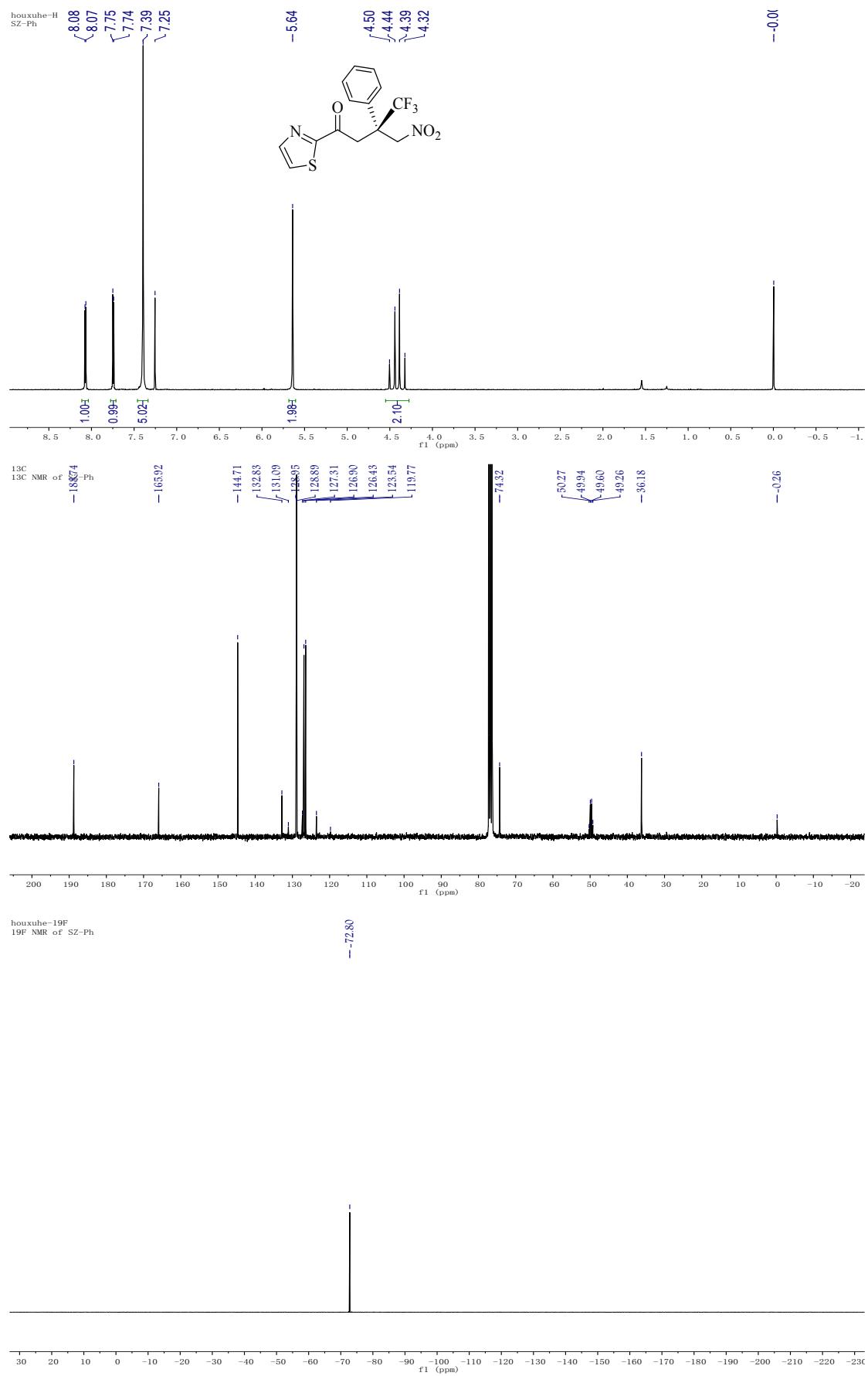
Daicel Chiralcel AD-H, *n*-hexane/*i*-PrOH = 90:10, 0.8 mL/min, 254 nm; t<sub>R</sub> (major) = 9.05min, t<sub>R</sub> (minor) = 9.83min; 99% ee.

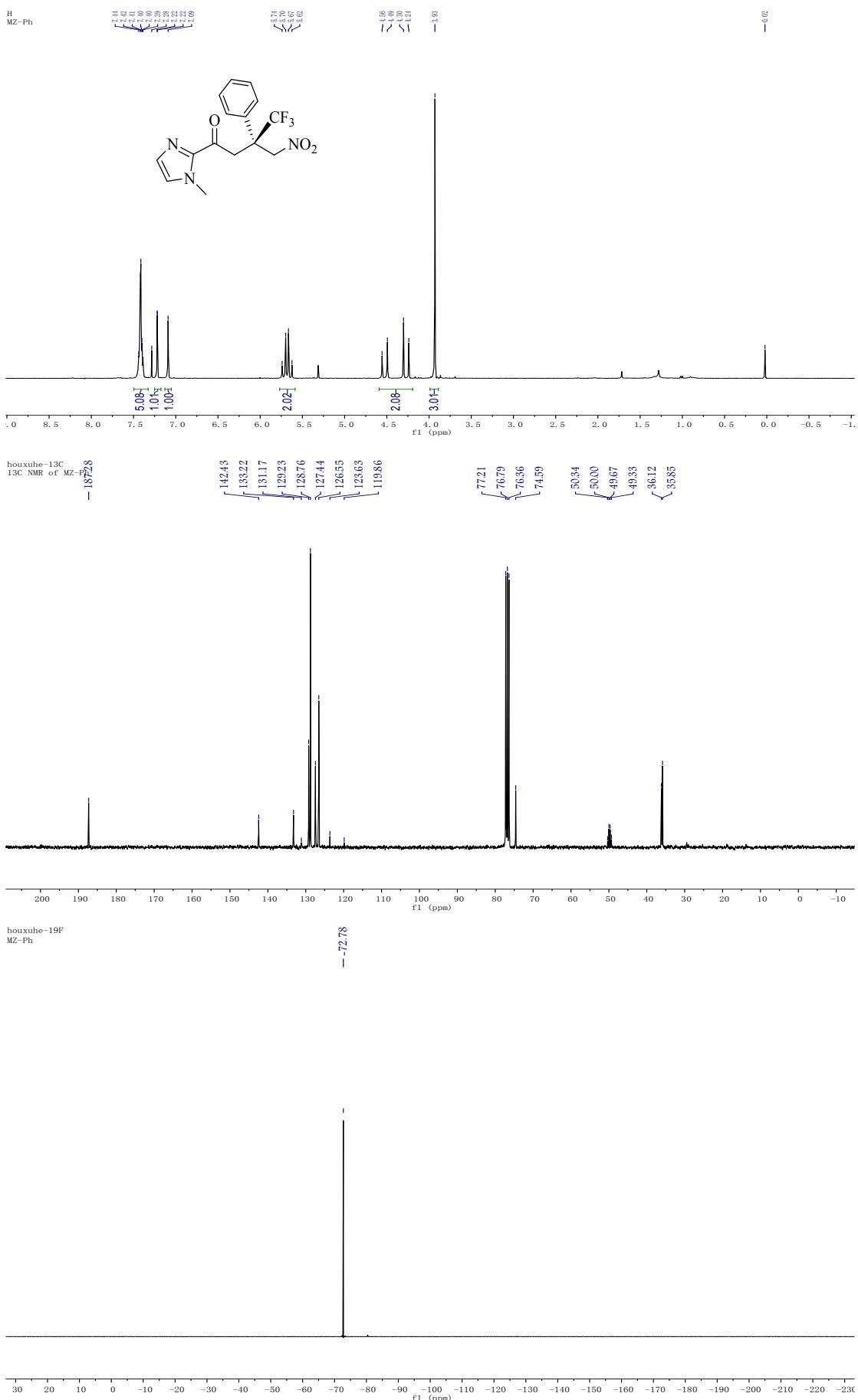


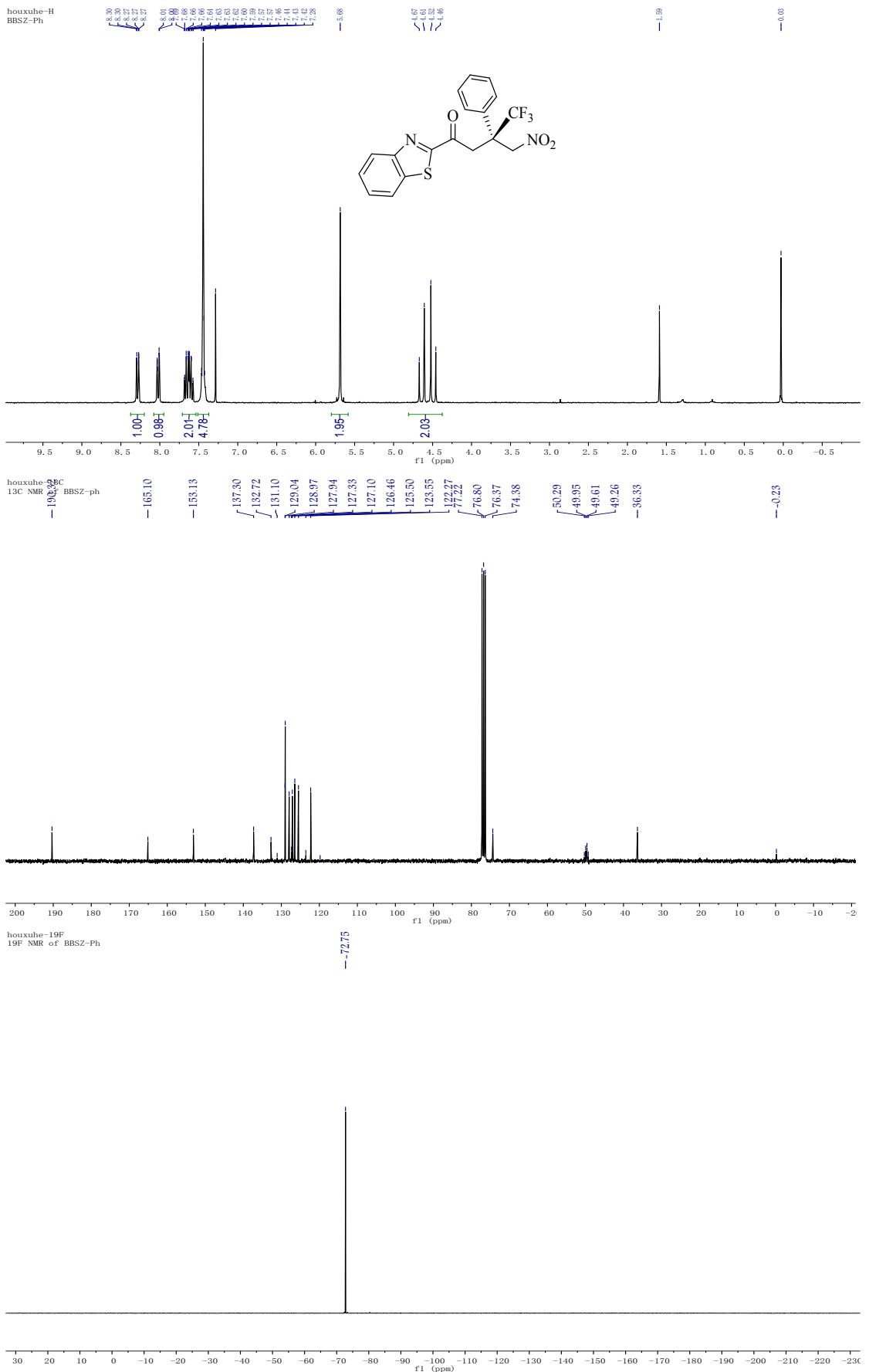
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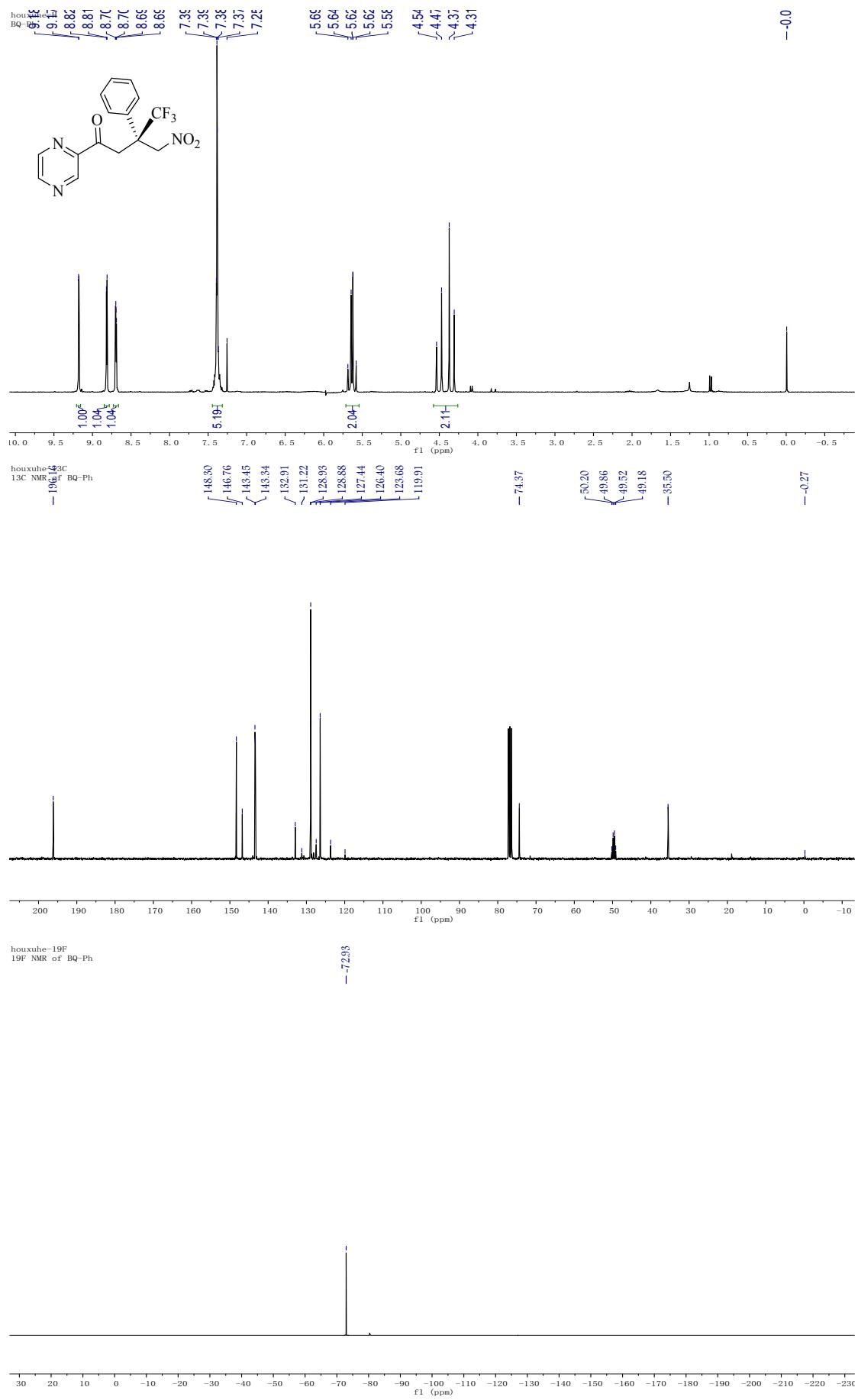


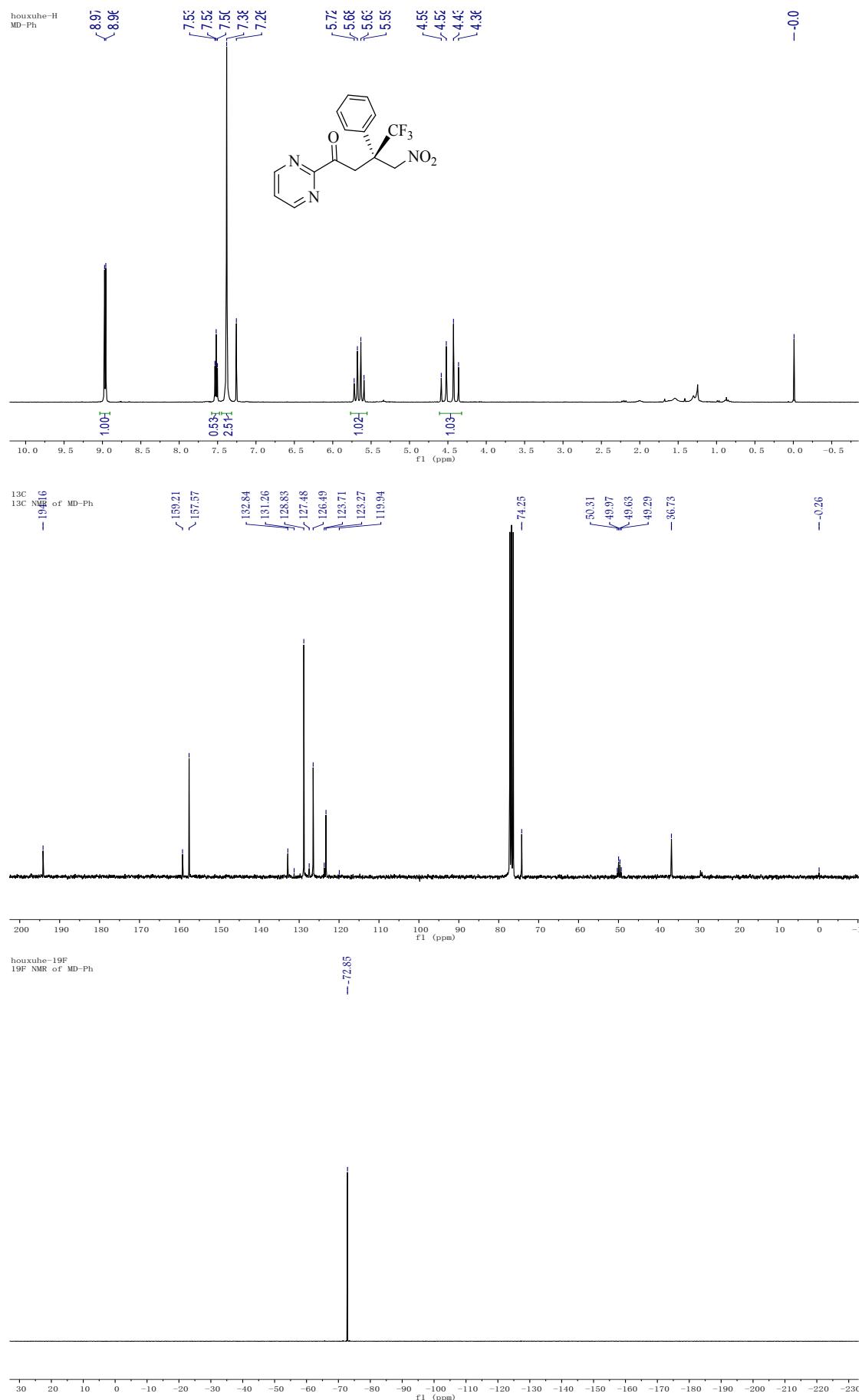


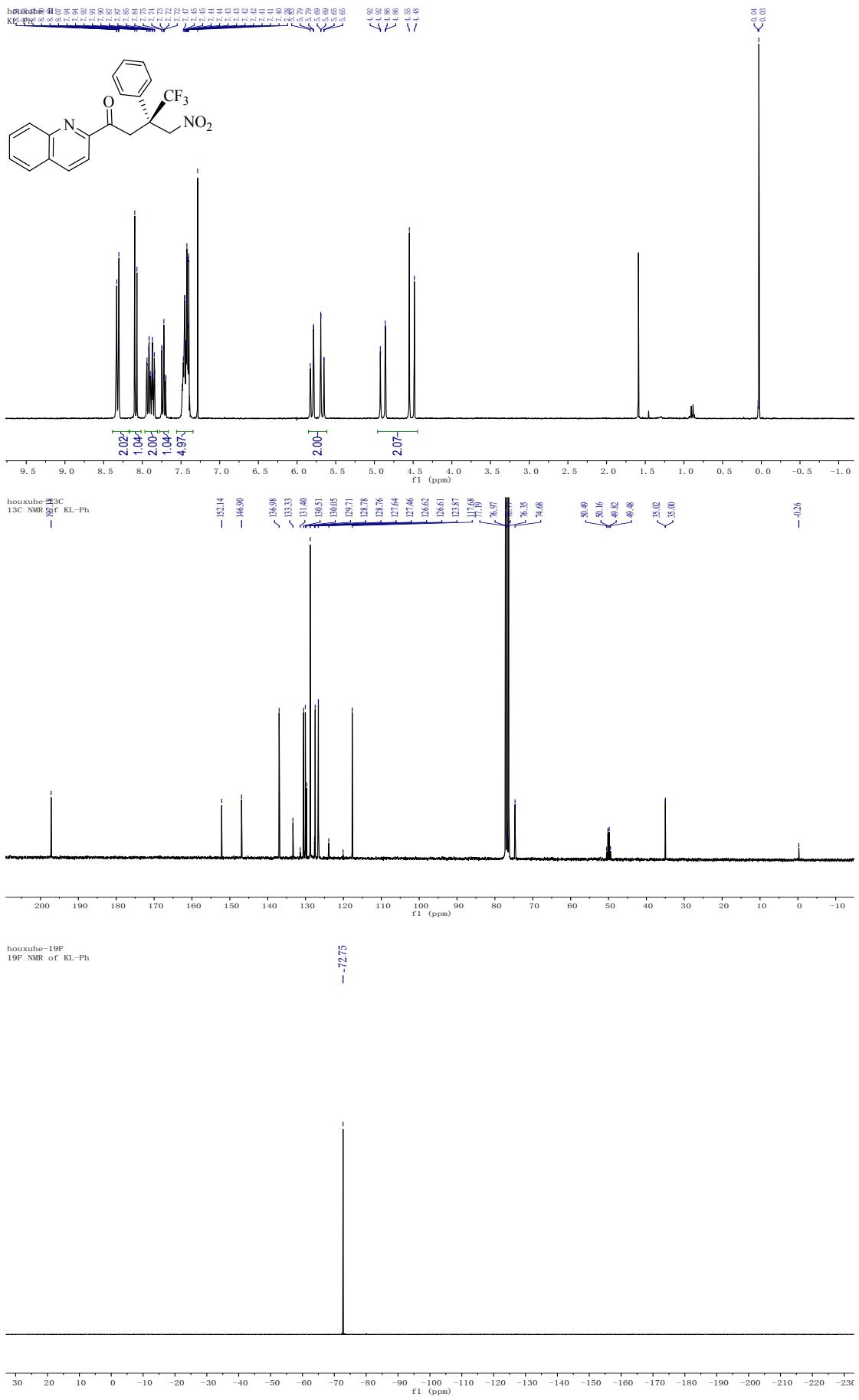


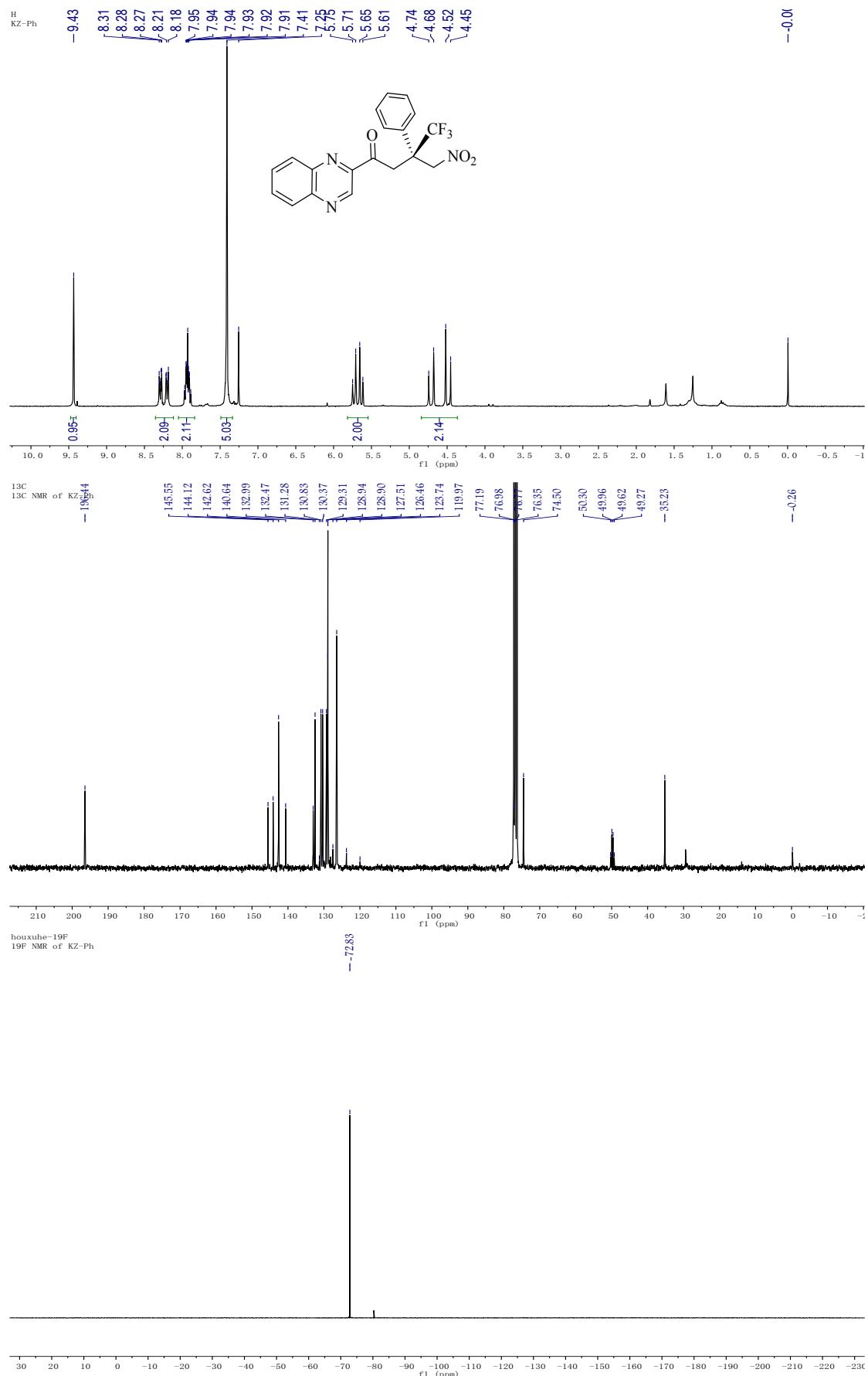


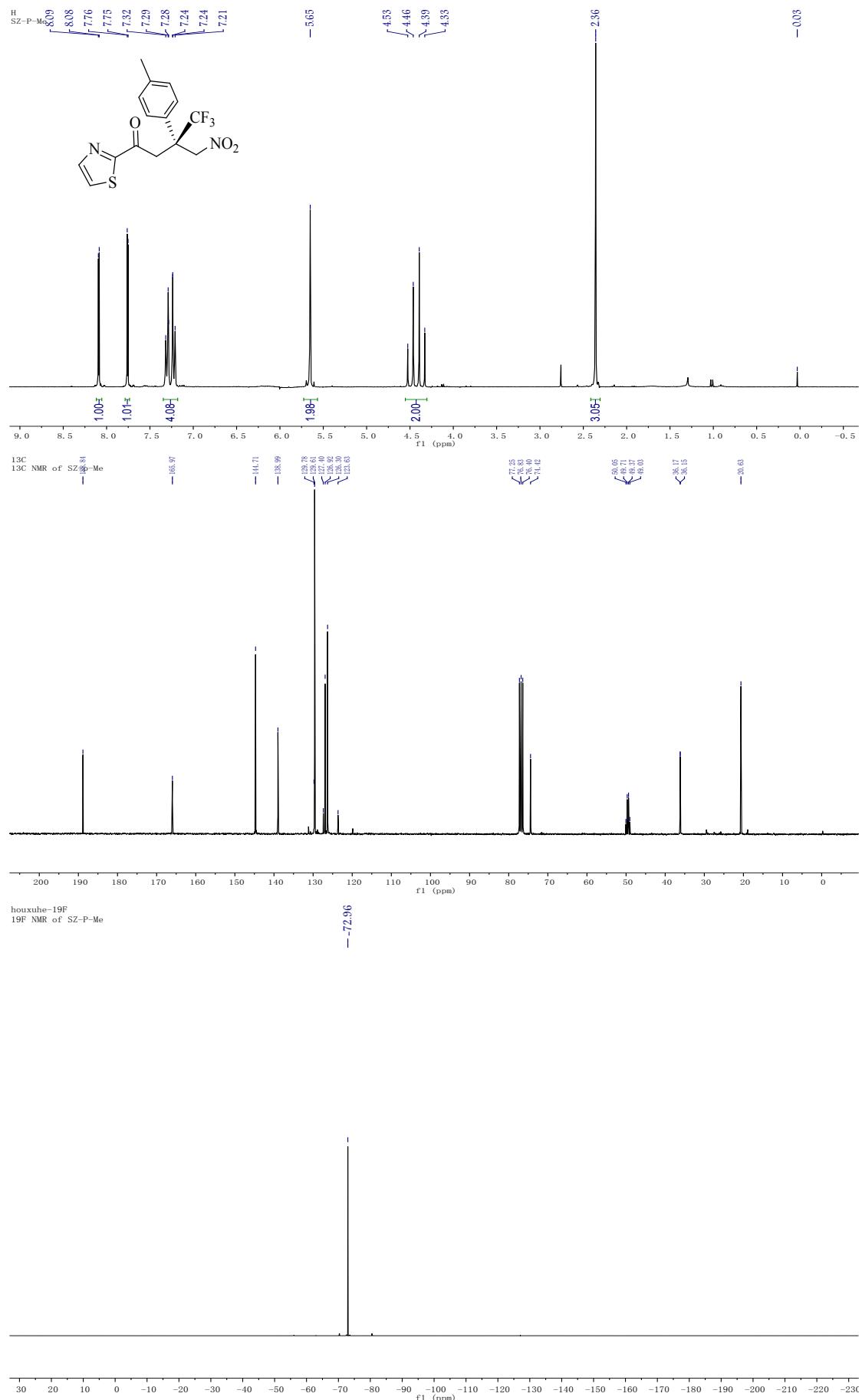


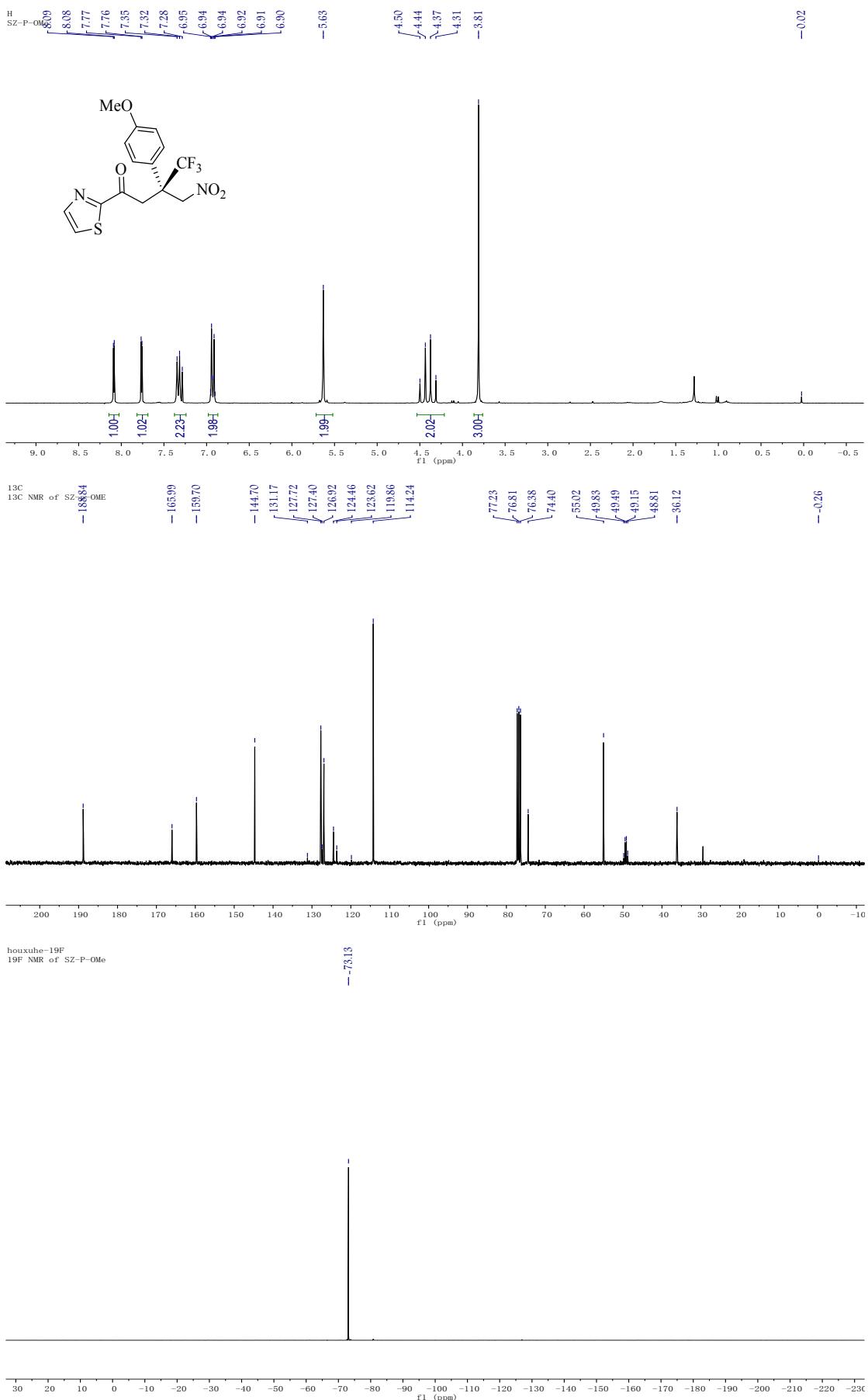


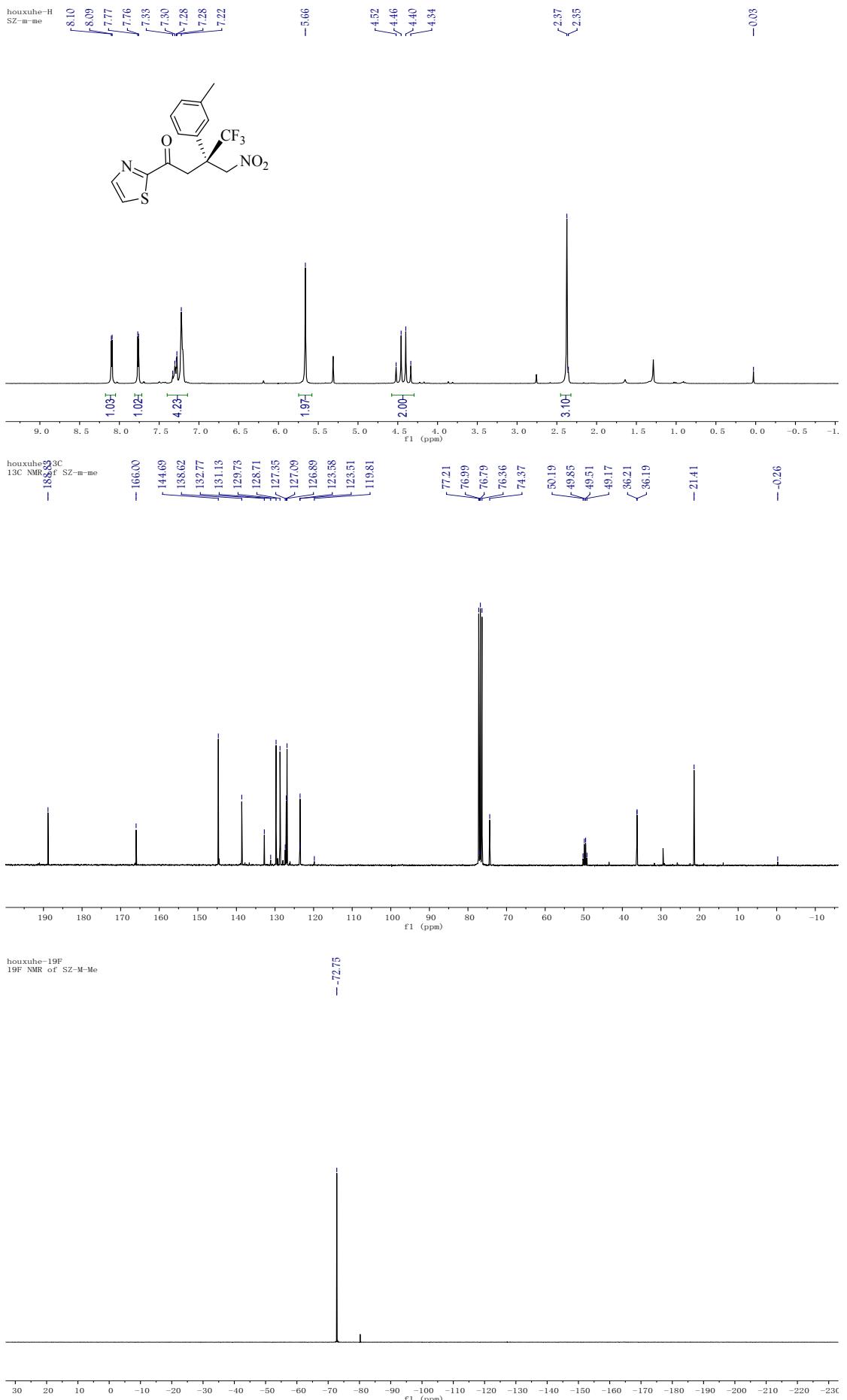


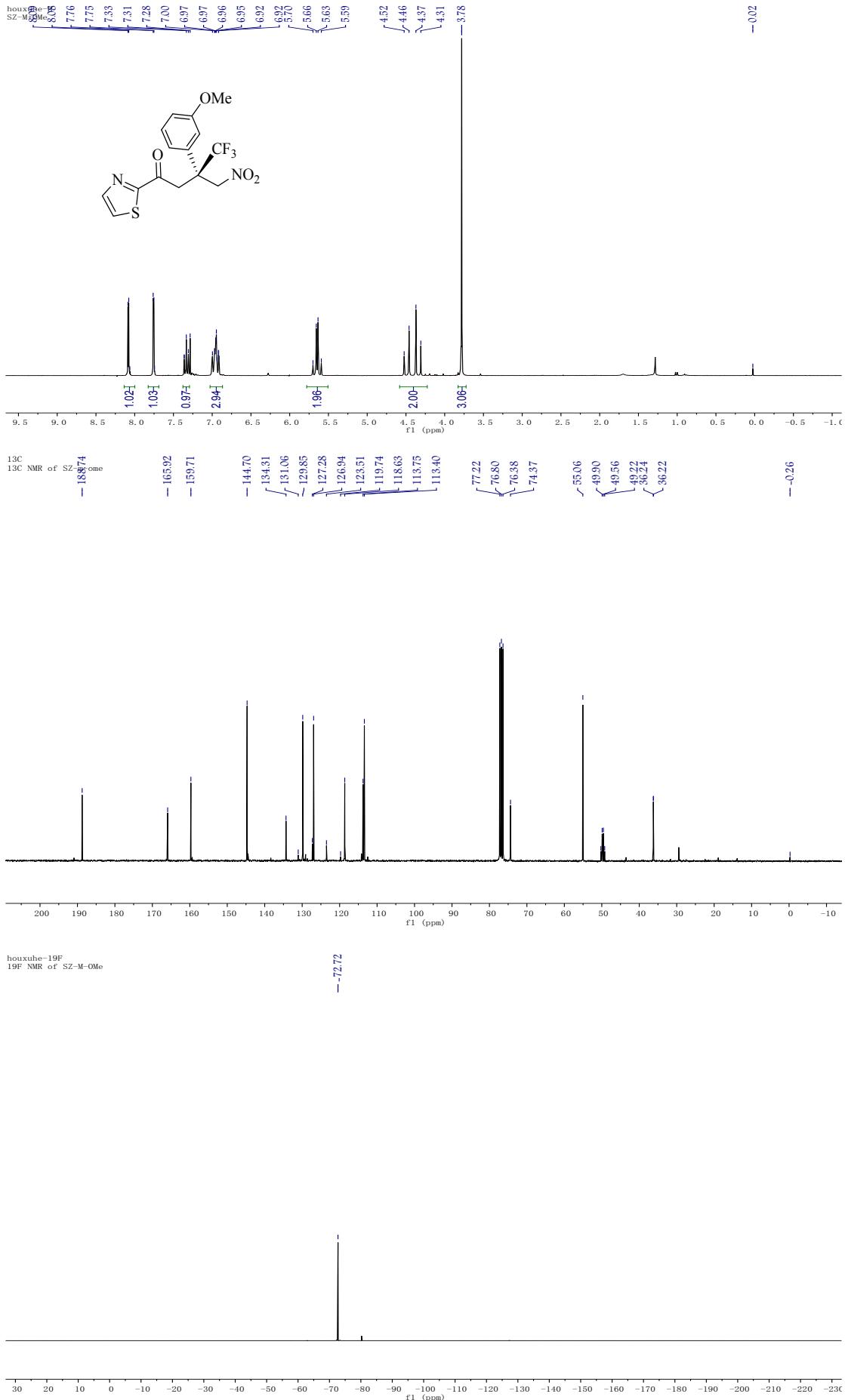


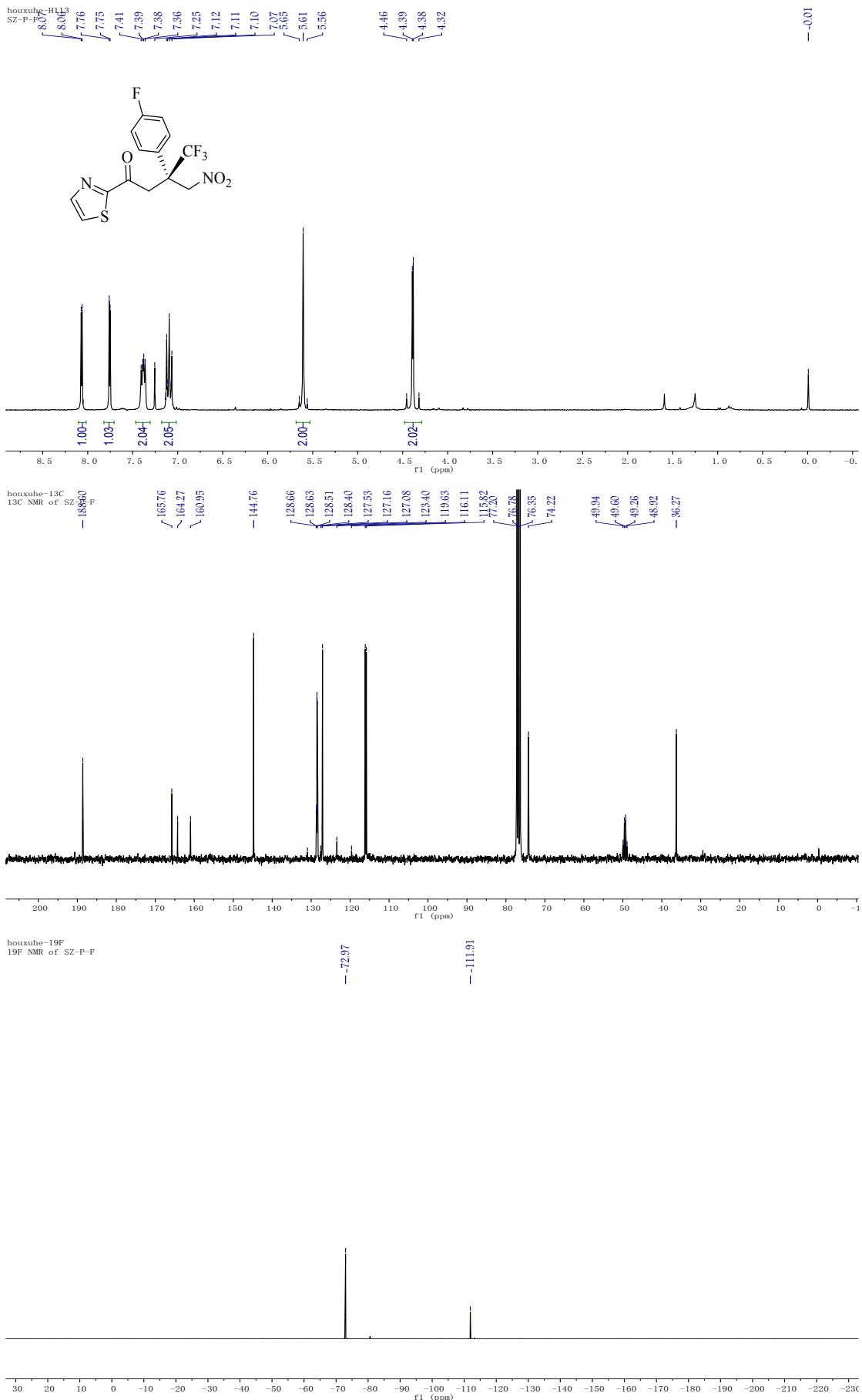


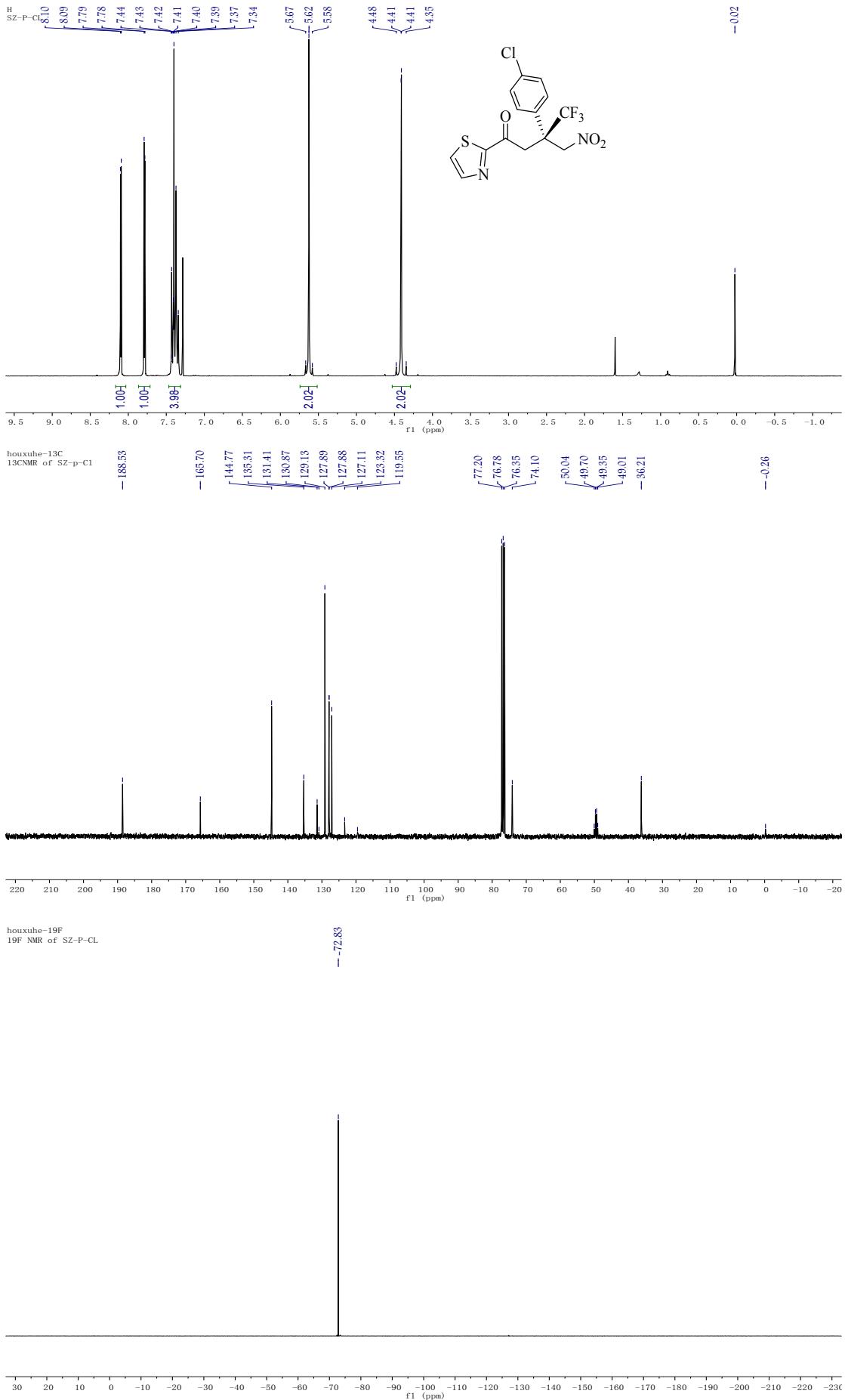


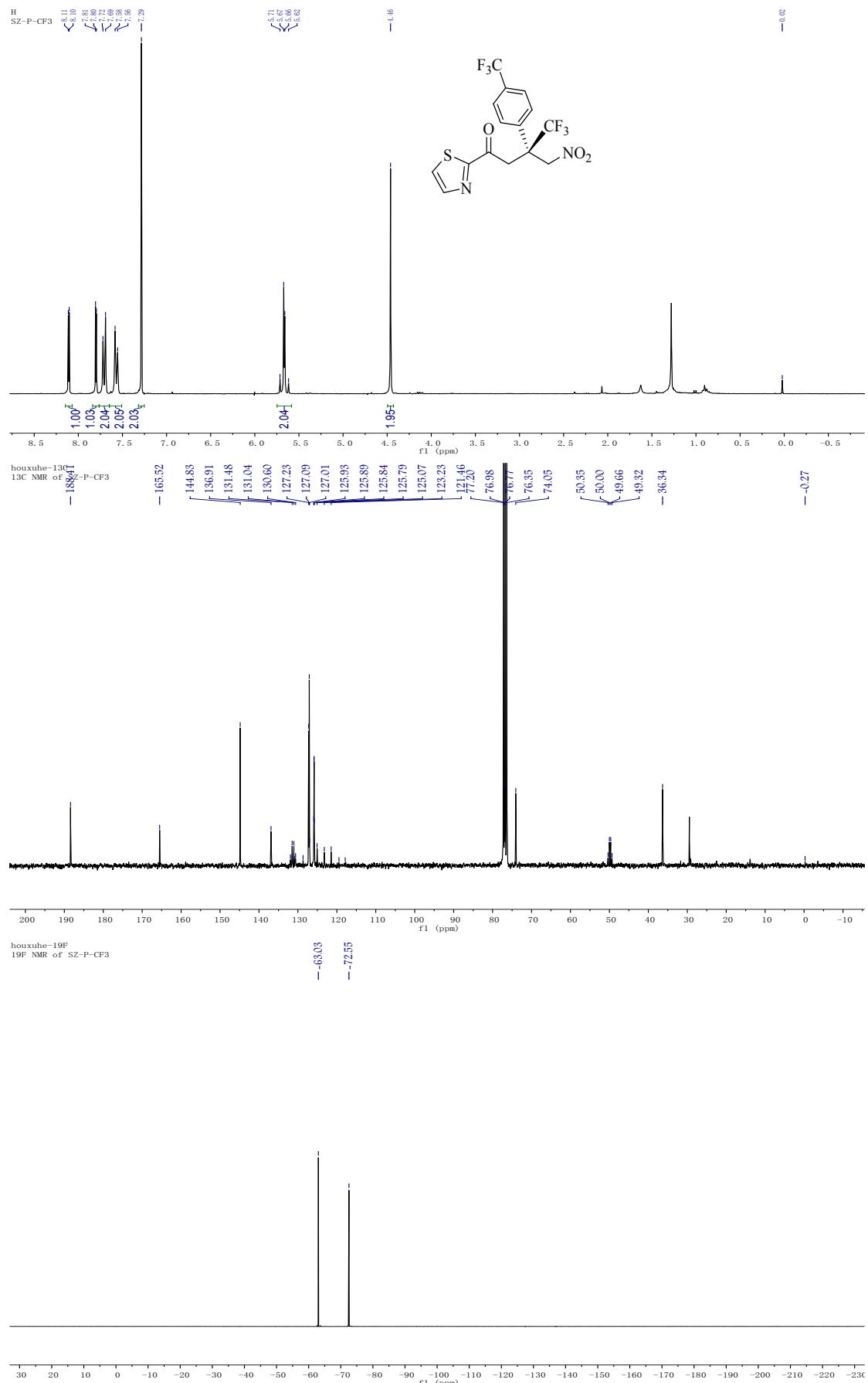


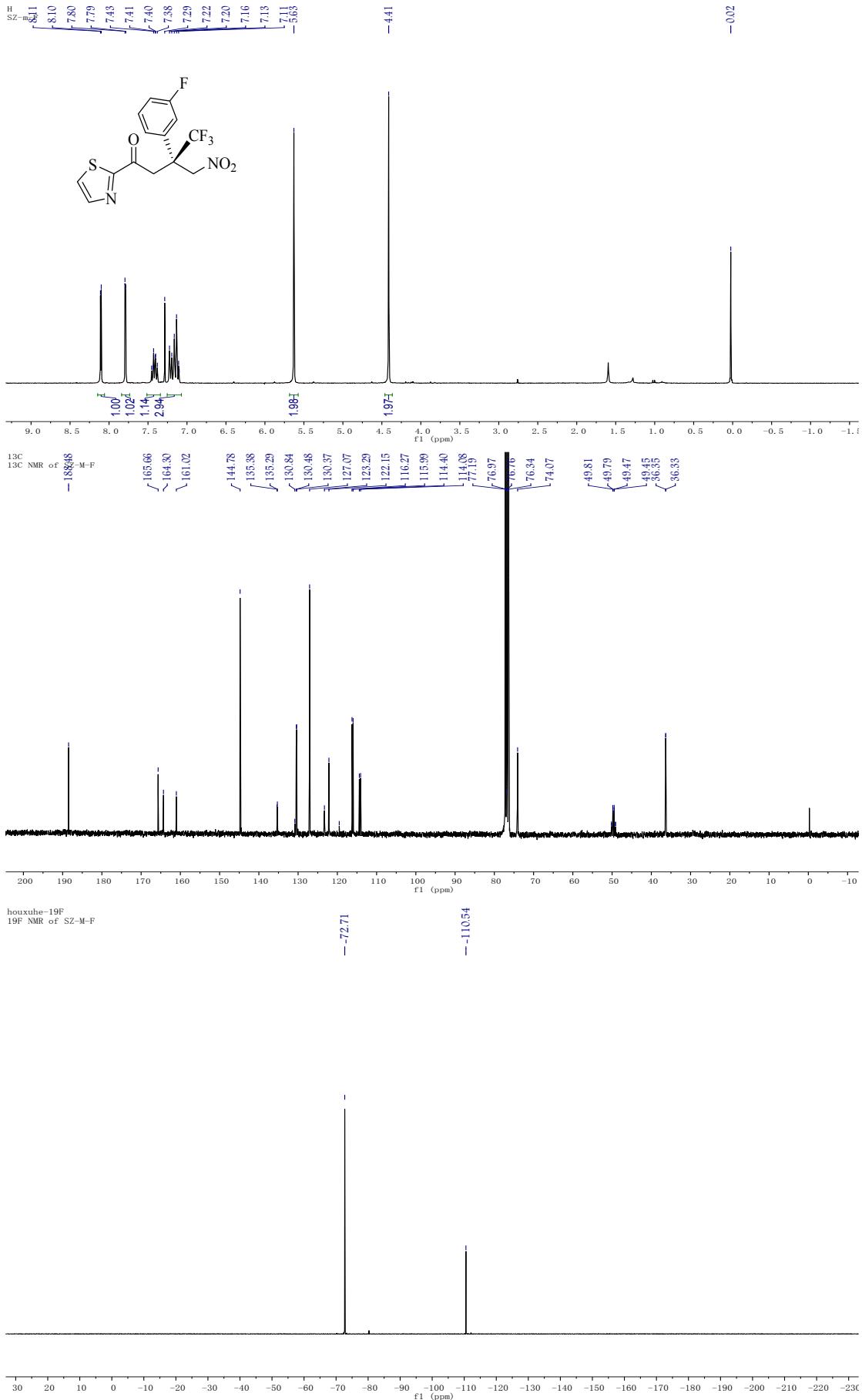


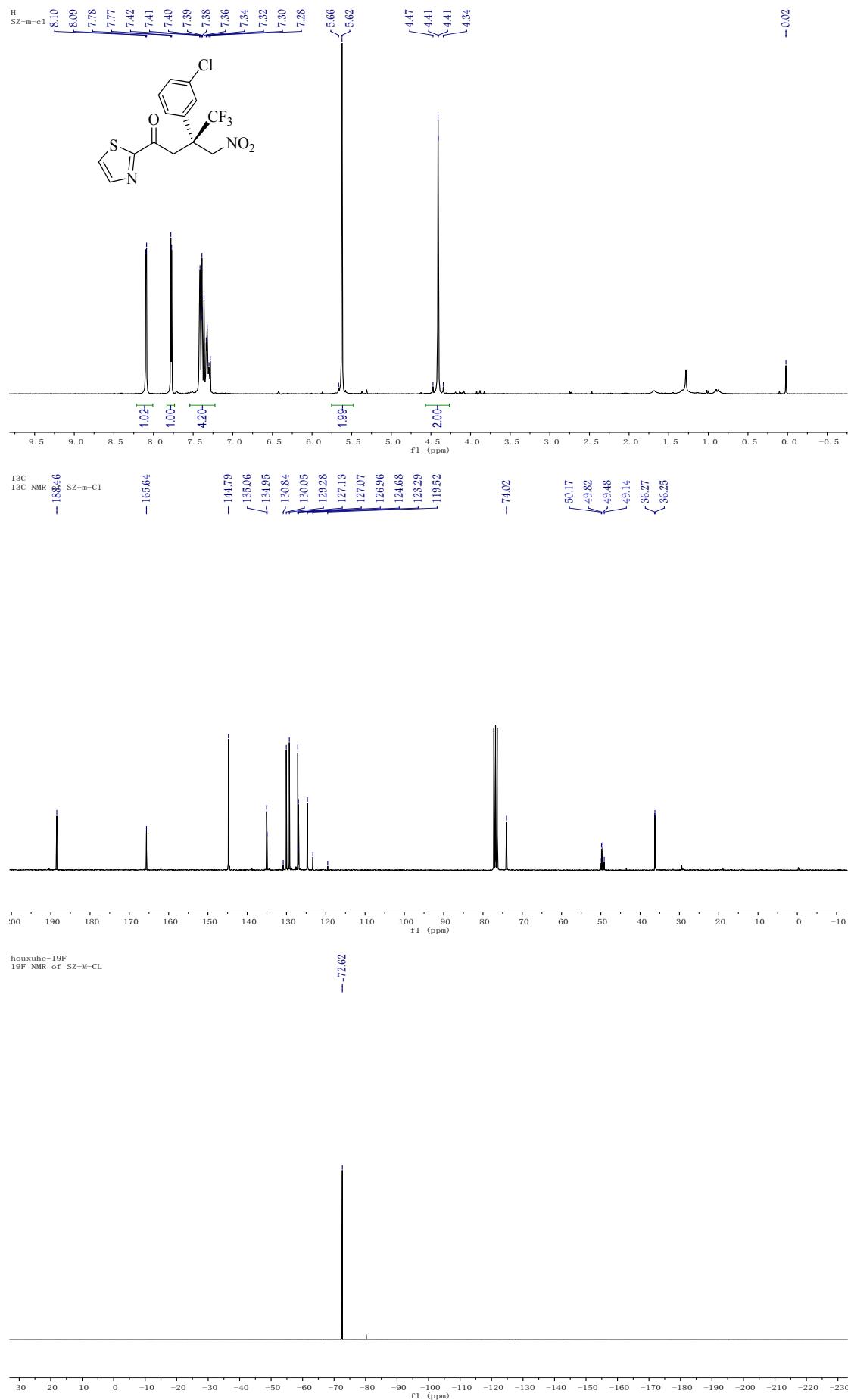


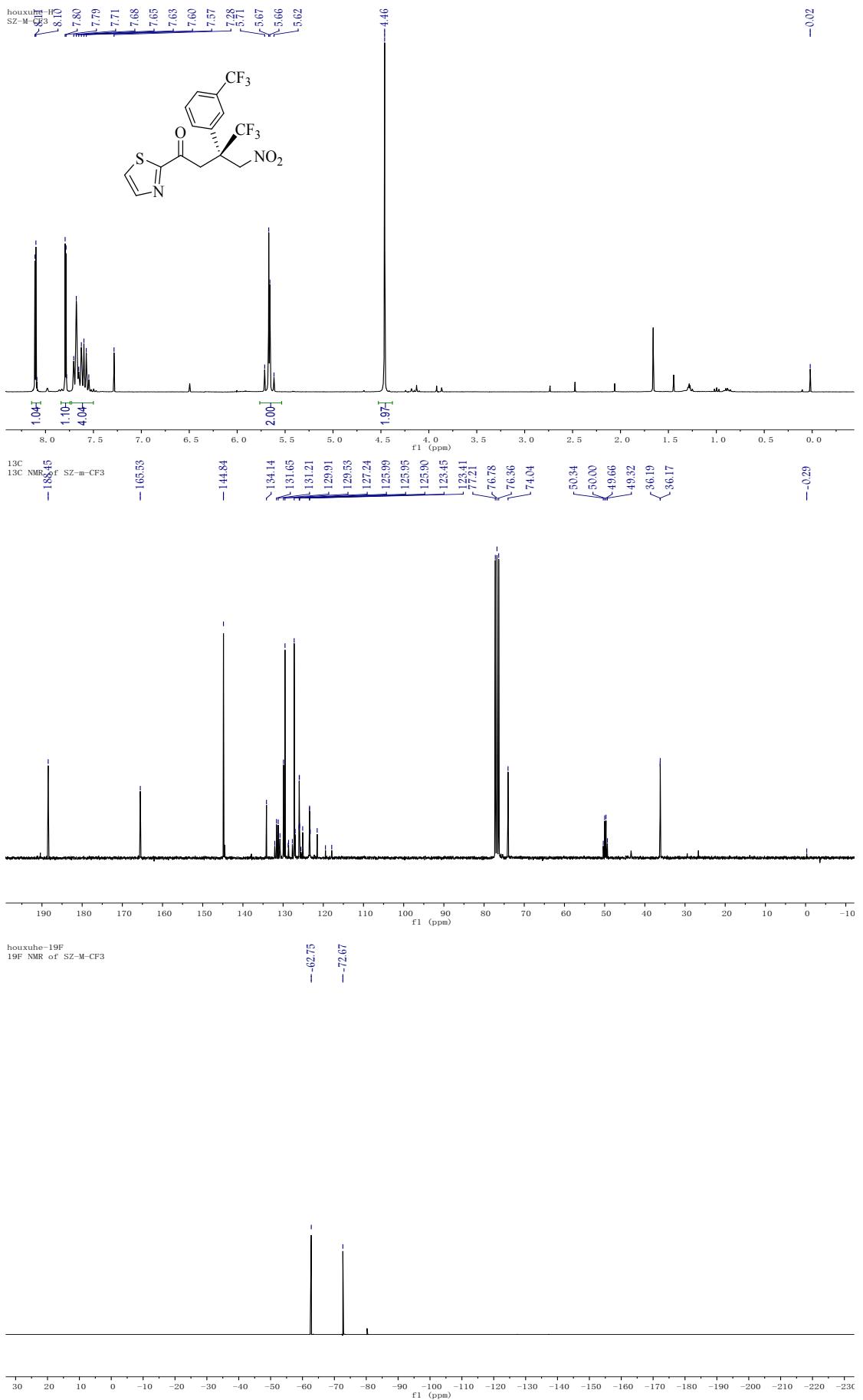


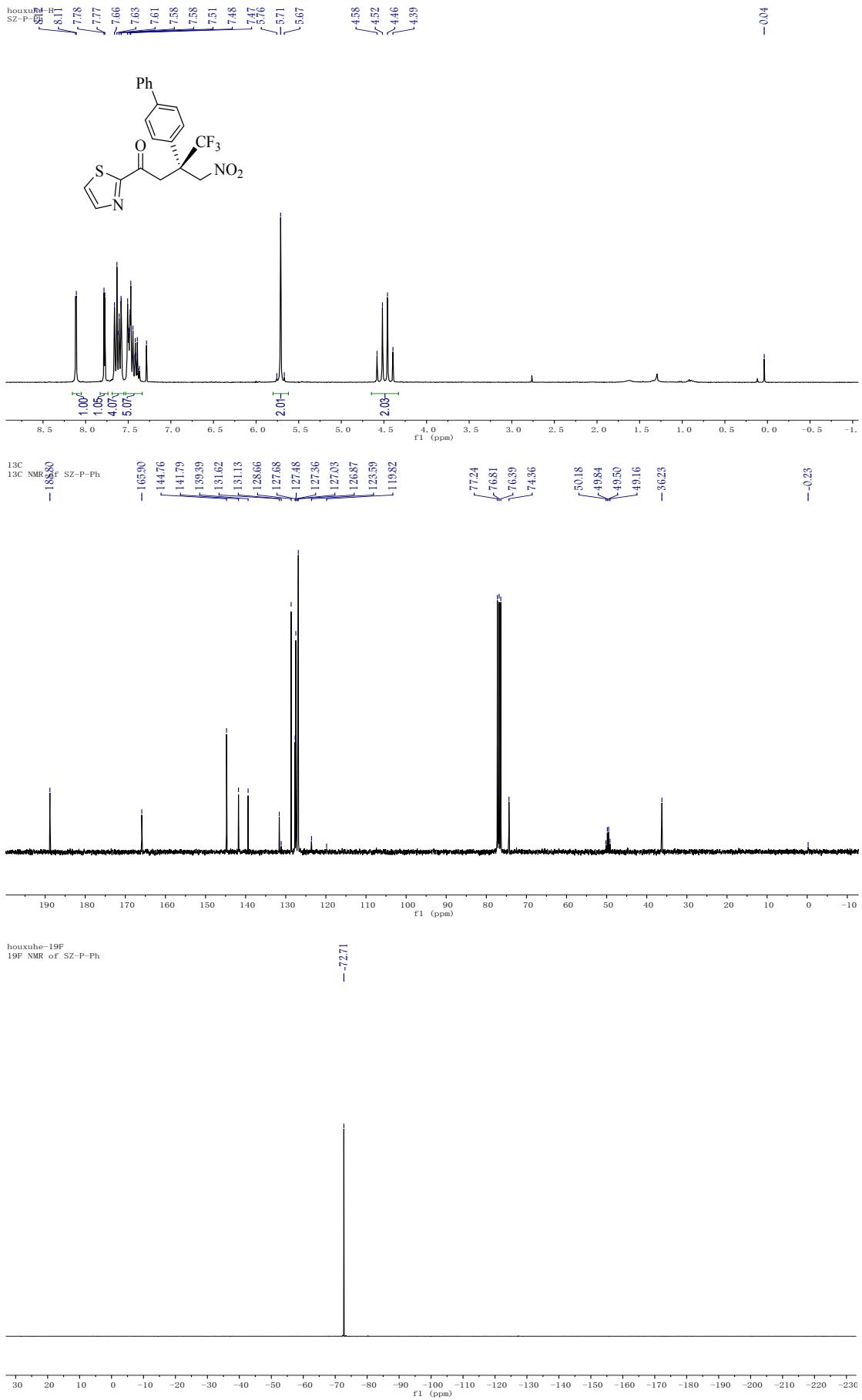


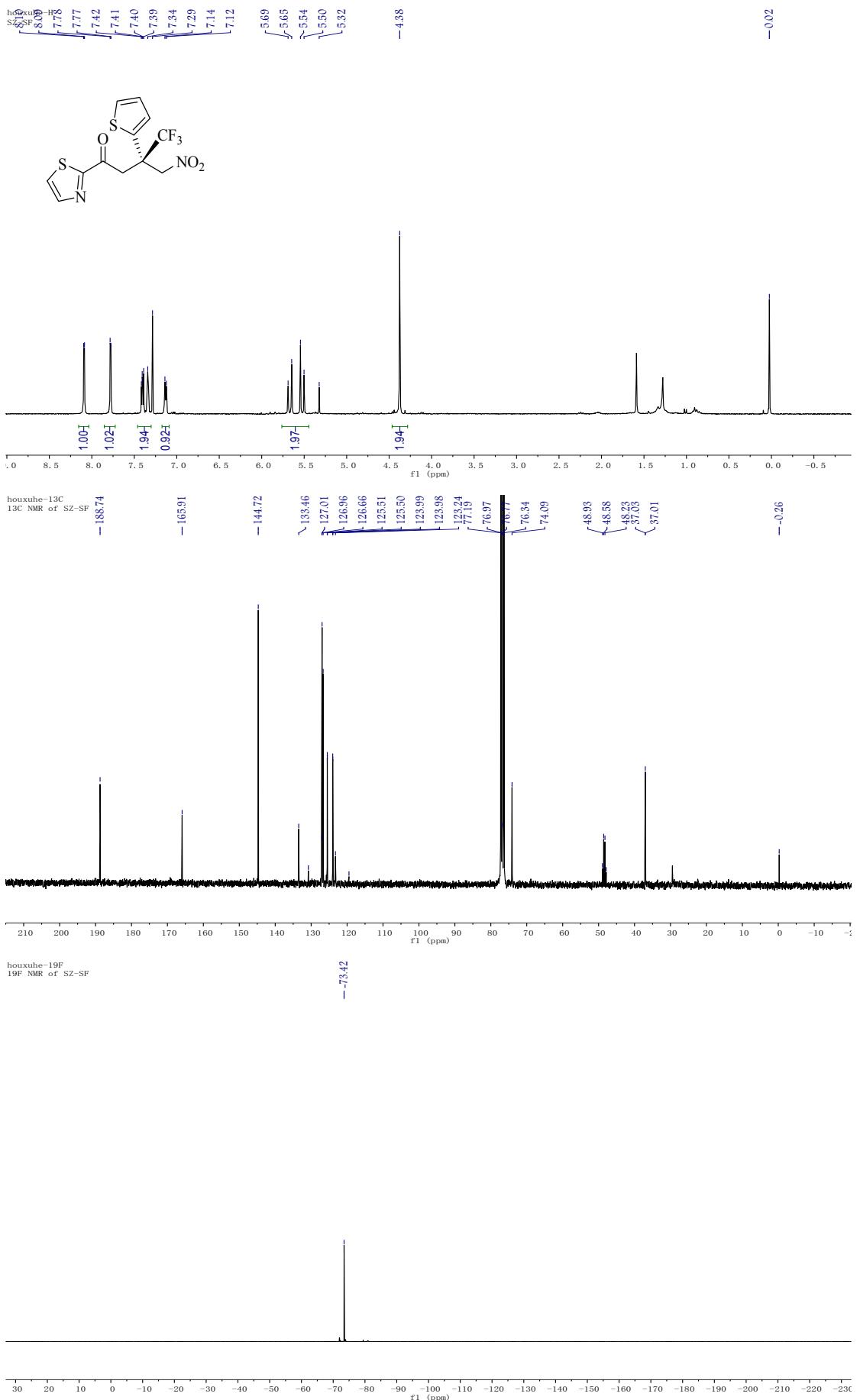


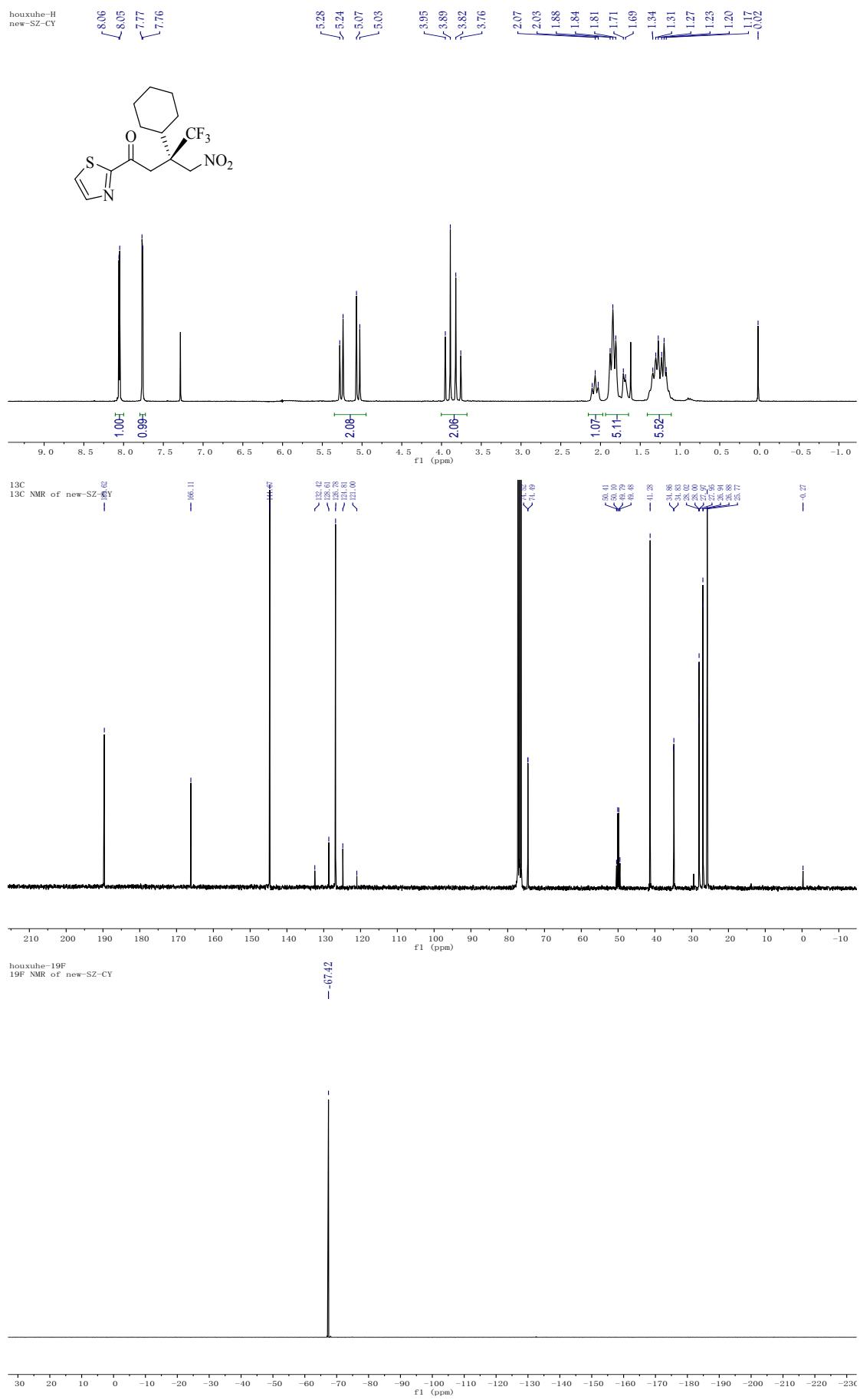


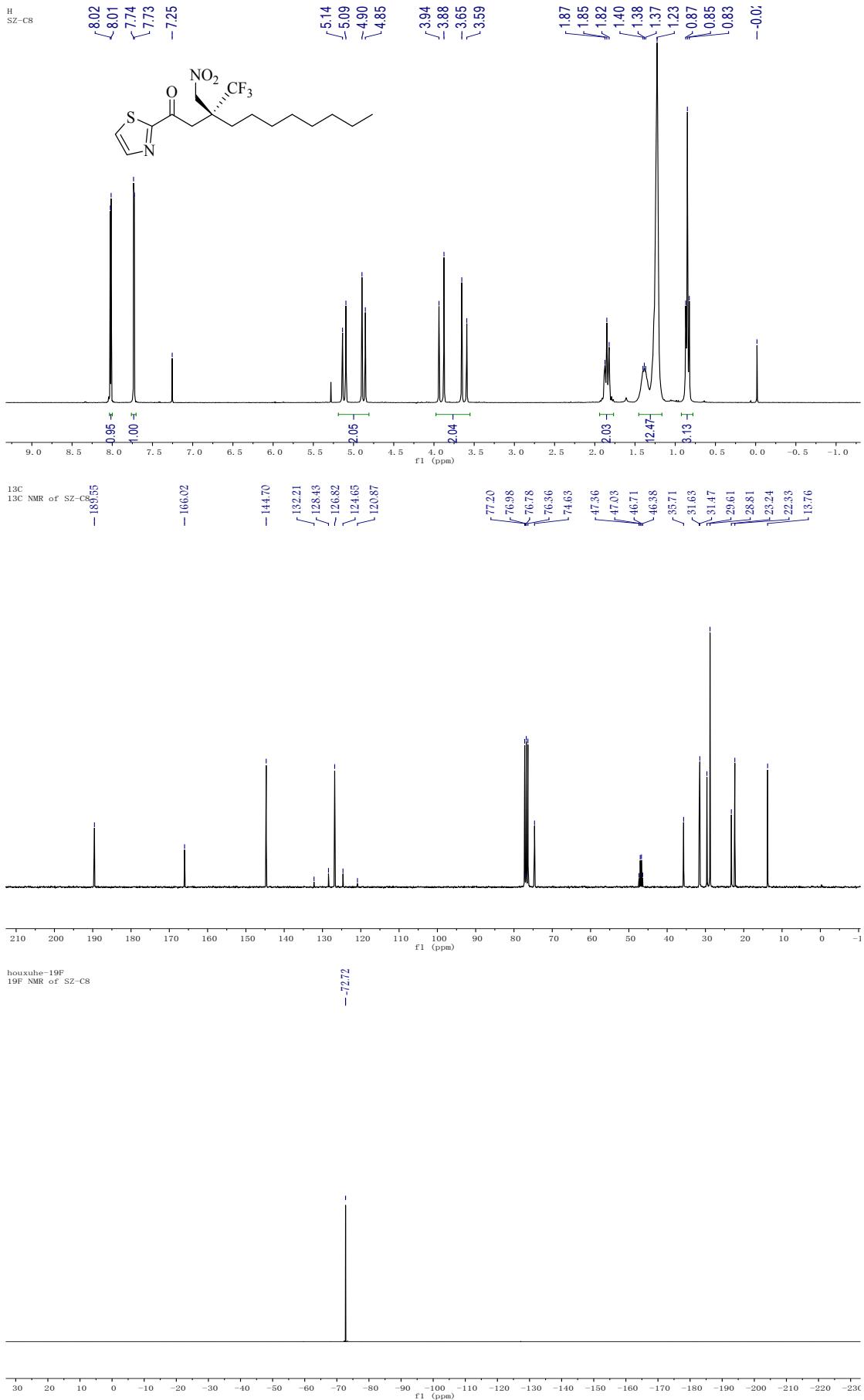


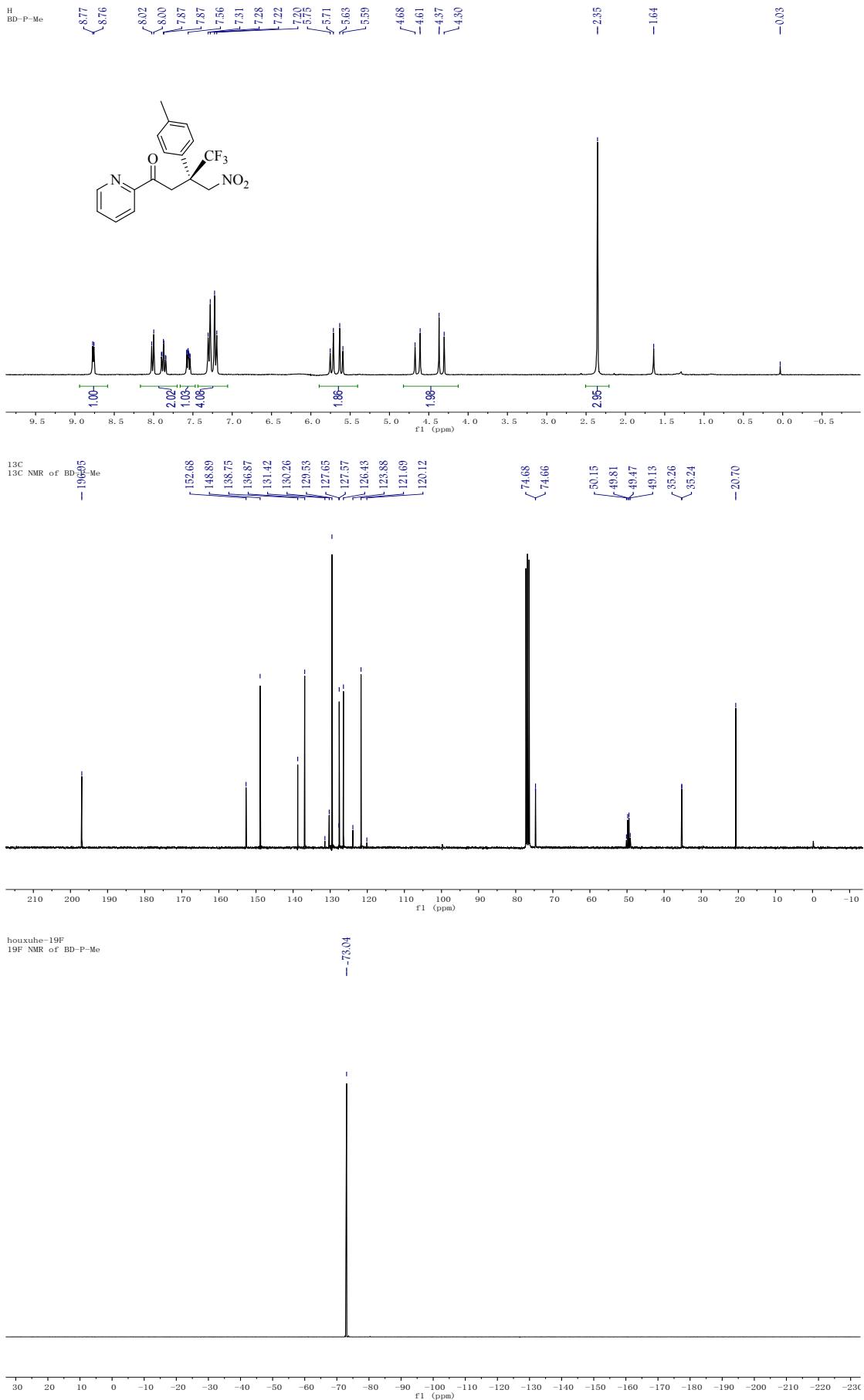


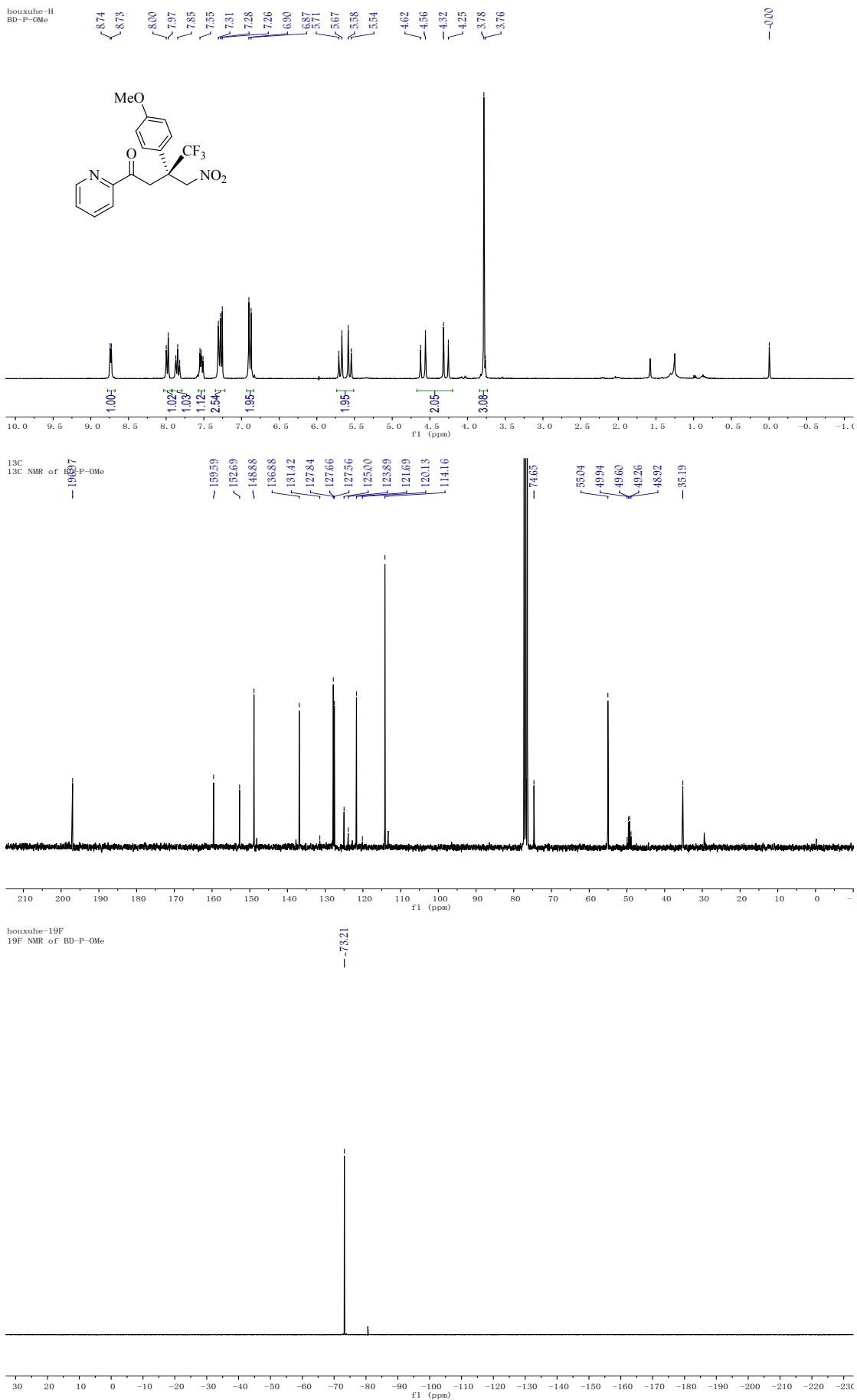


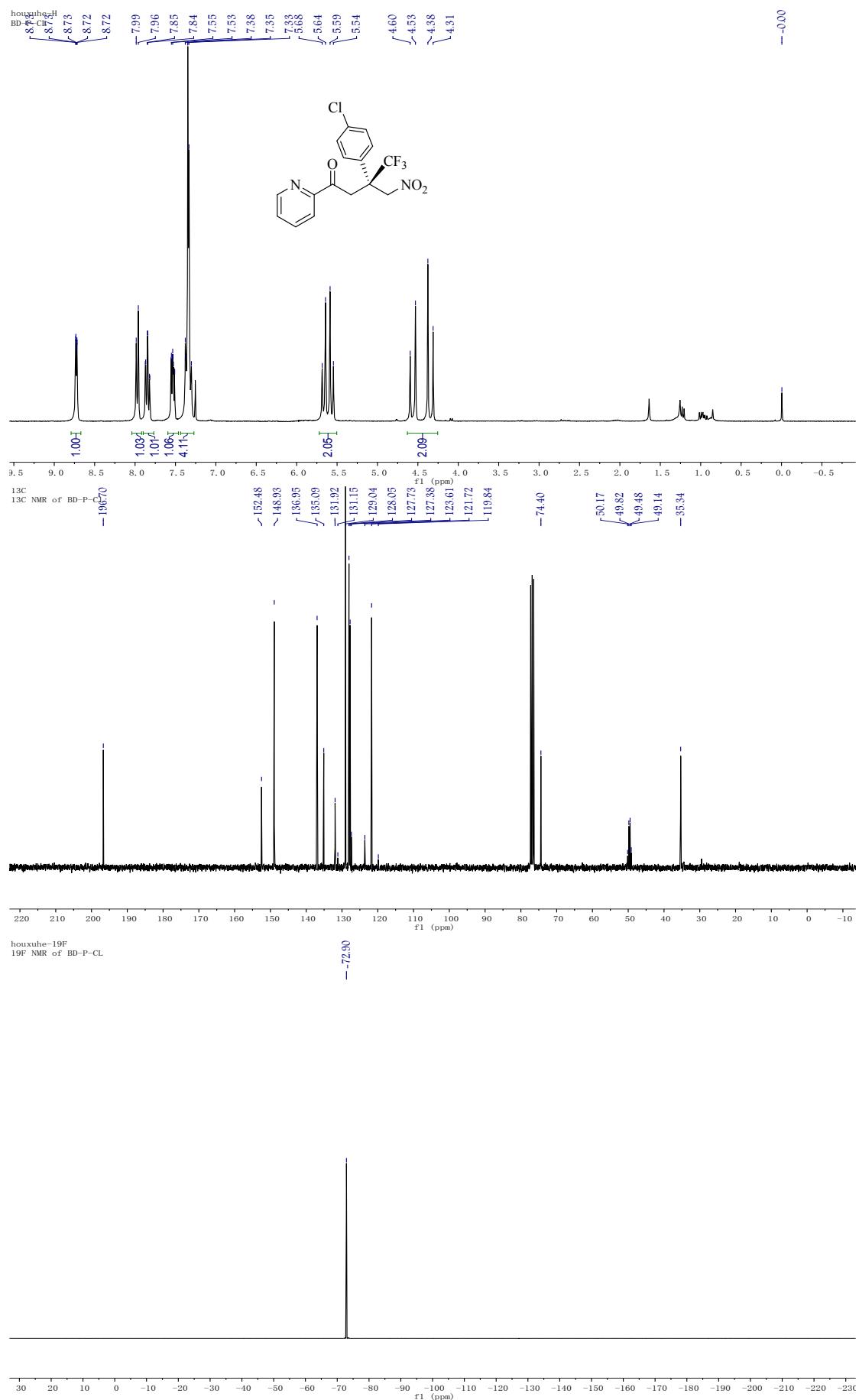


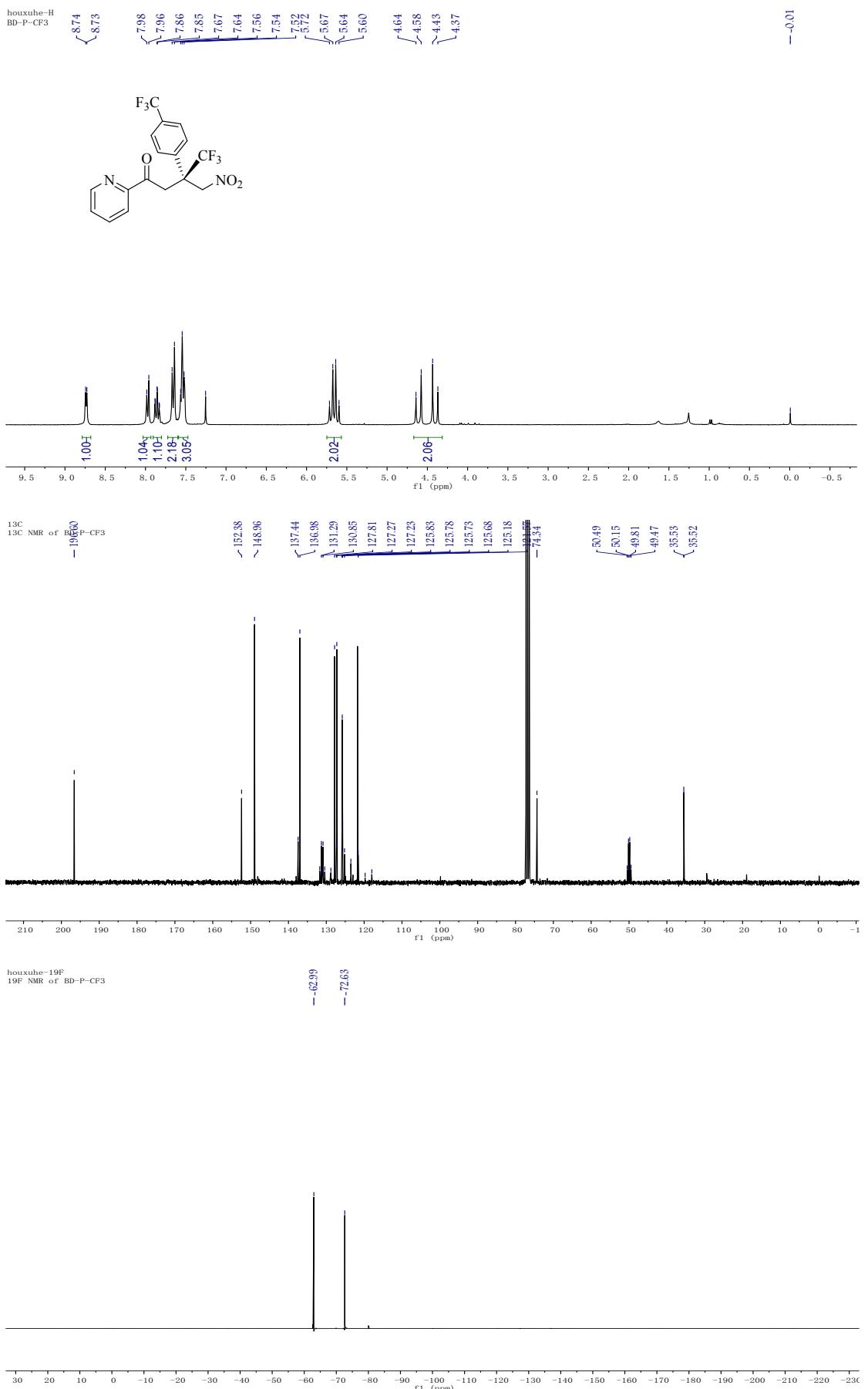








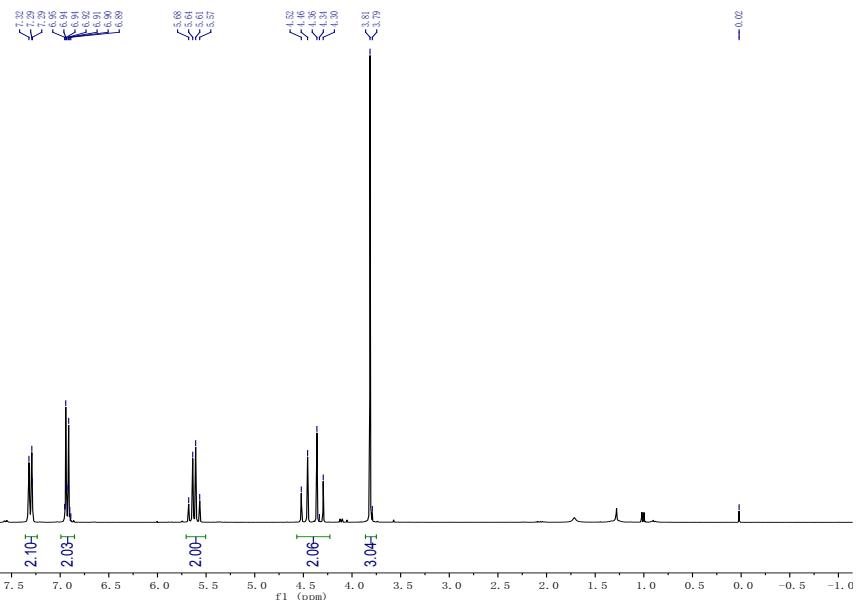




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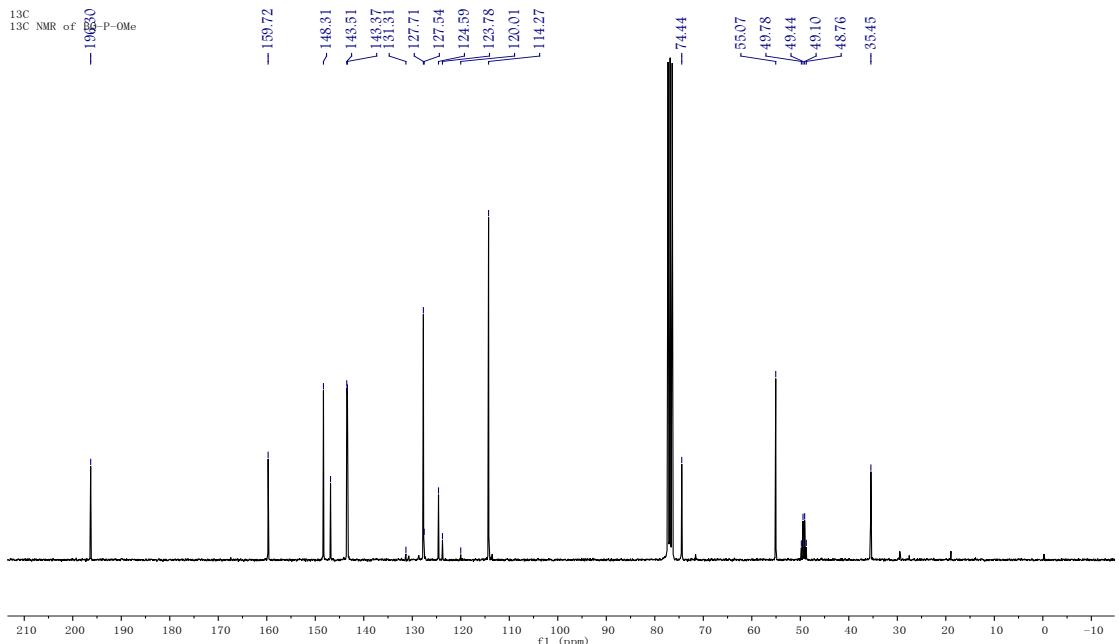
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