

Supporting Information

***Meso enyne substituted BODIPYs: synthesis, structure
and properties***

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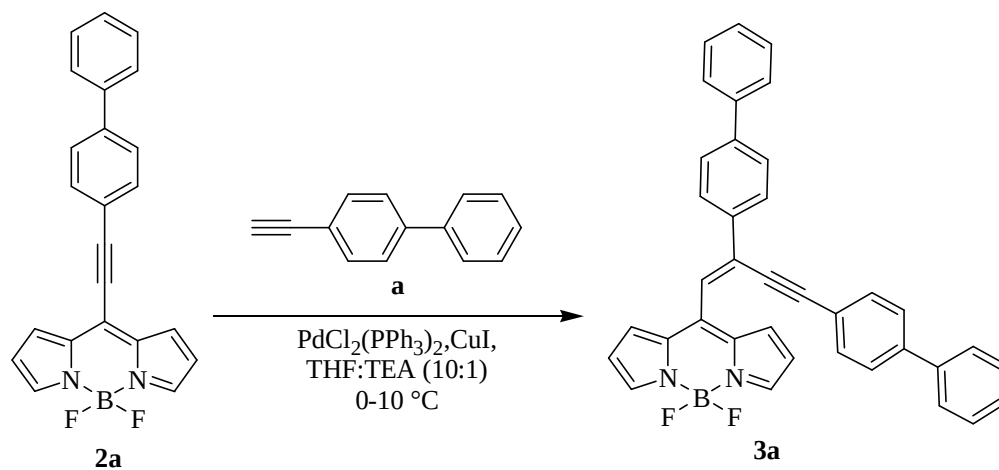
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Table S1. Optimization of reaction conditions for synthesis of BODIPY **3a** (Method B)^a.



Sr. No.	Solvent	Base	$\text{Pd}(\text{PPh}_3)_2\text{Cl}_2$	CuI	Yield
1	Tetrahydrofuran	TEA	5 mol %	10 mol %	60 % (89 mg)
2	Toluene	TEA	5 mol %	10 mol %	57 % (84 mg)
3	Dichloromethane	TEA	5 mol %	10 mol %	57 % (84 mg)
4	Tetrahydrofuran	TEA	-	10 mol %	No expected product
5	Tetrahydrofuran	TEA	5 mol %	-	No expected product

[a] Pd-Cu catalyzed hydroalkynylation reaction across $\text{--C}\equiv\text{C--}$ bond; all reactions were performed in inert atmosphere.

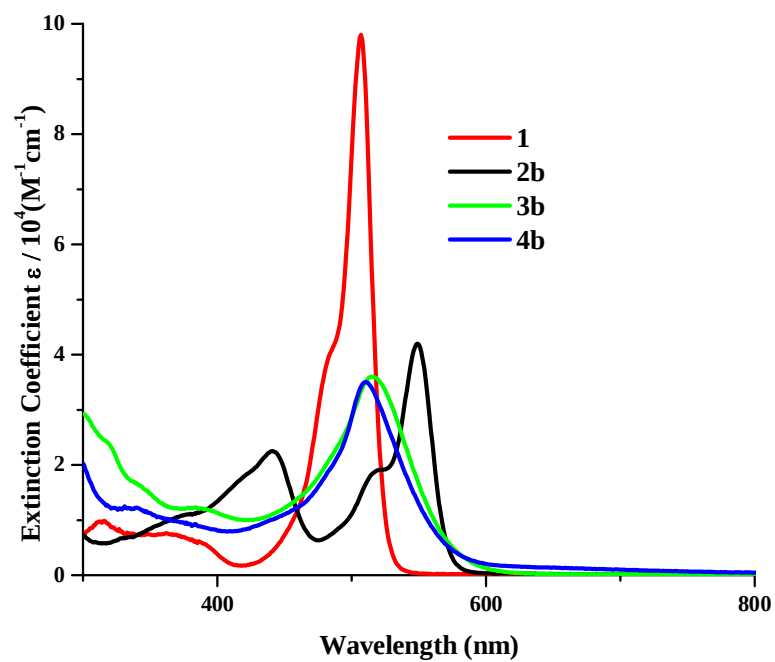


Figure S1. Electronic absorption spectra of BODIPYs **1**, **2b**, **3b** and **4b** recorded in toluene.

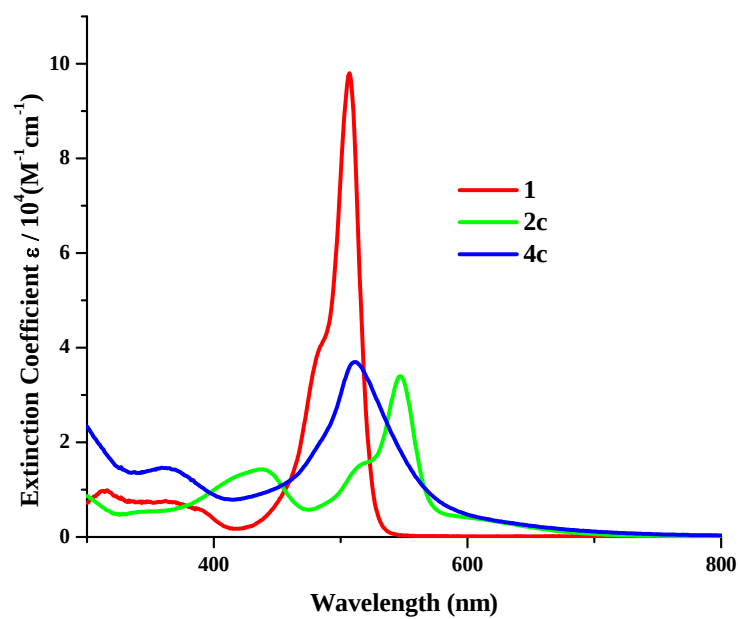


Figure S2. Electronic absorption spectra of BODIPYs **1**, **2c** and **4c** recorded in toluene.

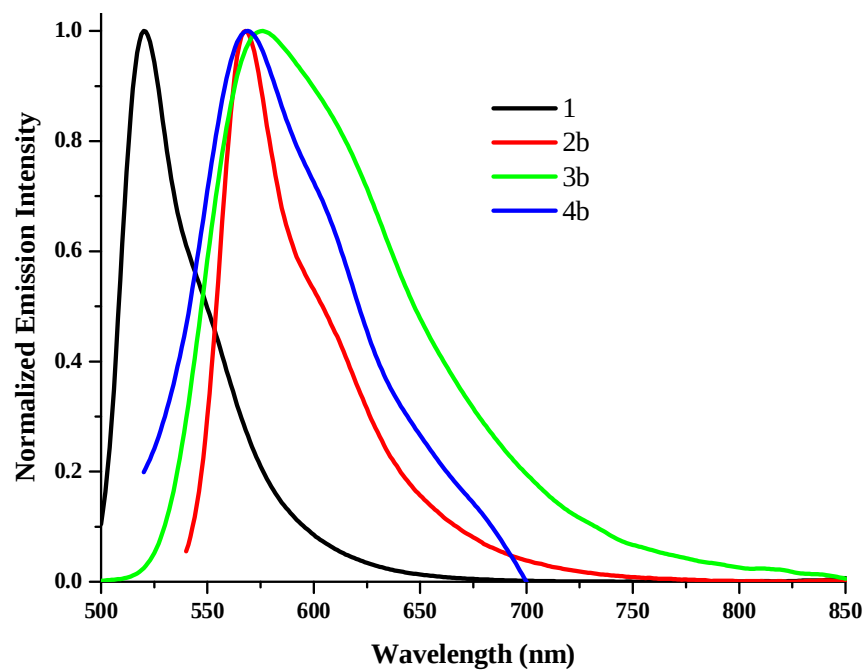


Figure S3. Normalized emission spectra of BODIPYs **1**, **2b**, **3b** and **4b** recorded in toluene.

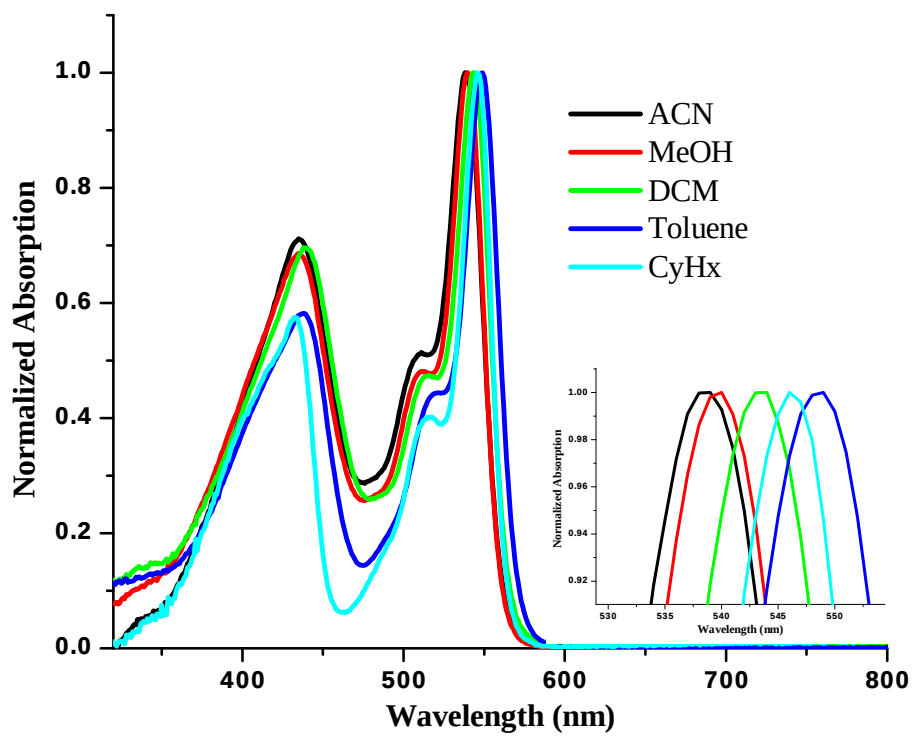


Figure S4. Normalized electronic absorption spectra of BODIPY **2a** in different solvents (Insec shows enlarged view).

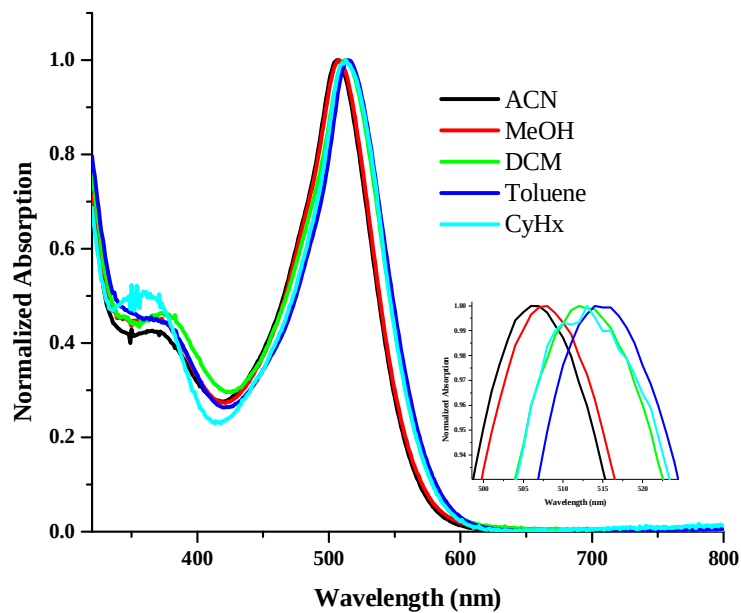


Figure S5. Normalized electronic absorption spectra of BODIPY **3a** in different solvents (Insec shows enlarged view).

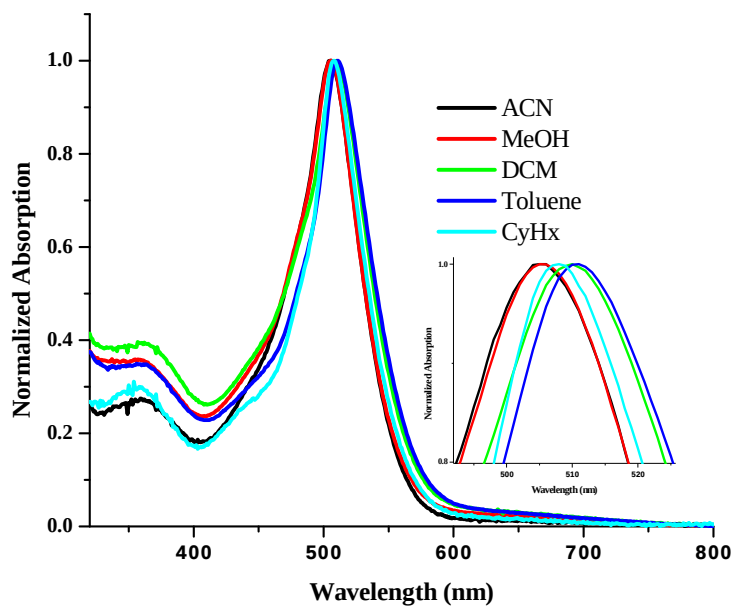


Figure S6. Normalized electronic absorption spectra of BODIPY **4a** in different solvents (Insec shows enlarged view).

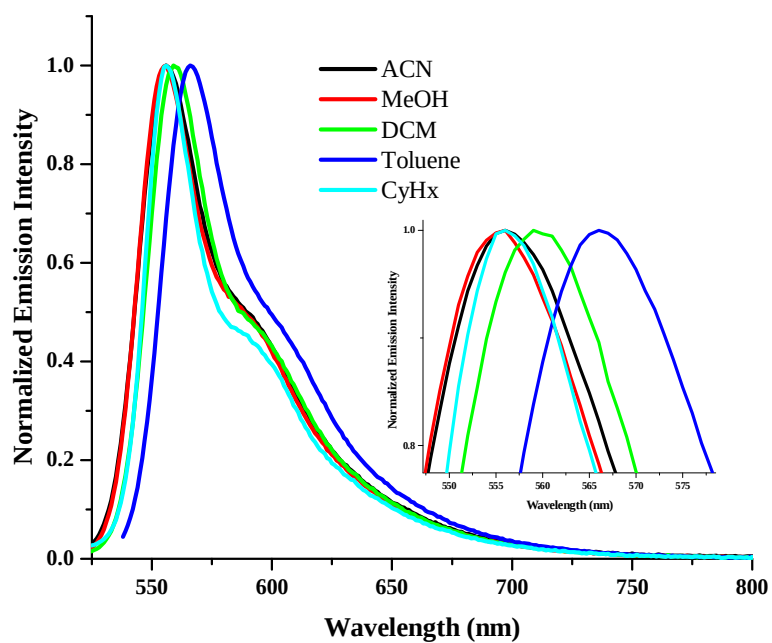


Figure S7. Normalized emission spectra of BODIPY **2a** in different solvents.

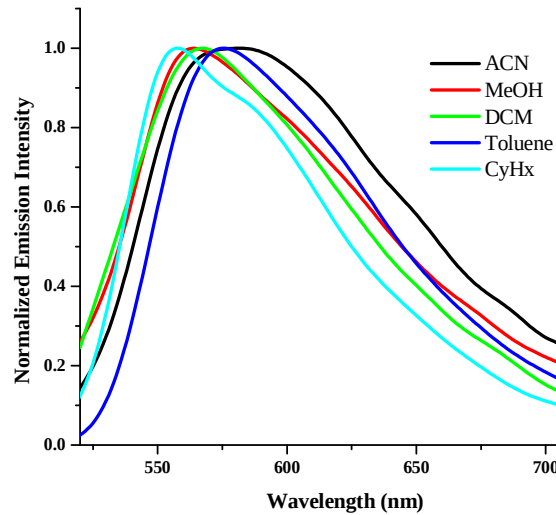


Figure S8. Normalized emission spectra of BODIPY **3a** in different solvents.

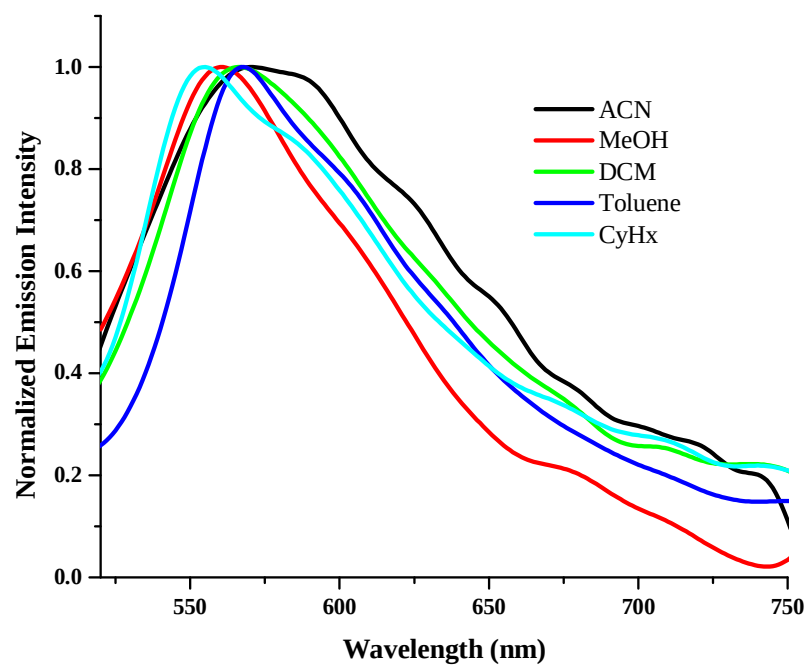


Figure S9. Normalized emission spectra of BODIPY **4a** in different solvents.

Electrochemical Data

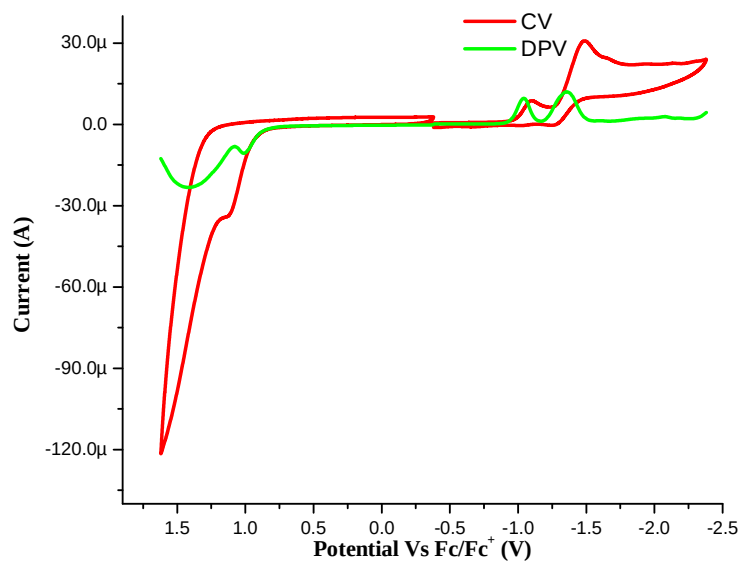


Figure S10. CV and DPV plots of BODIPY 3a.

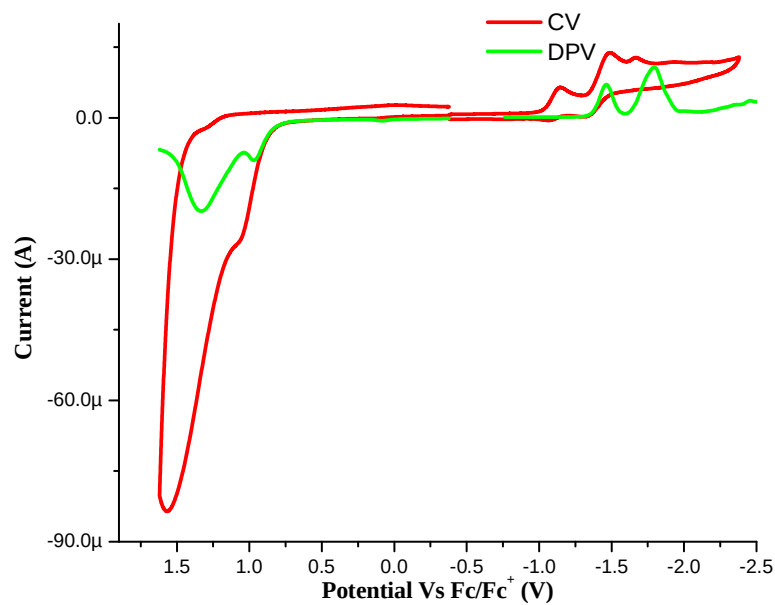


Figure S11. CV and DPV plots of BODIPY 3b.

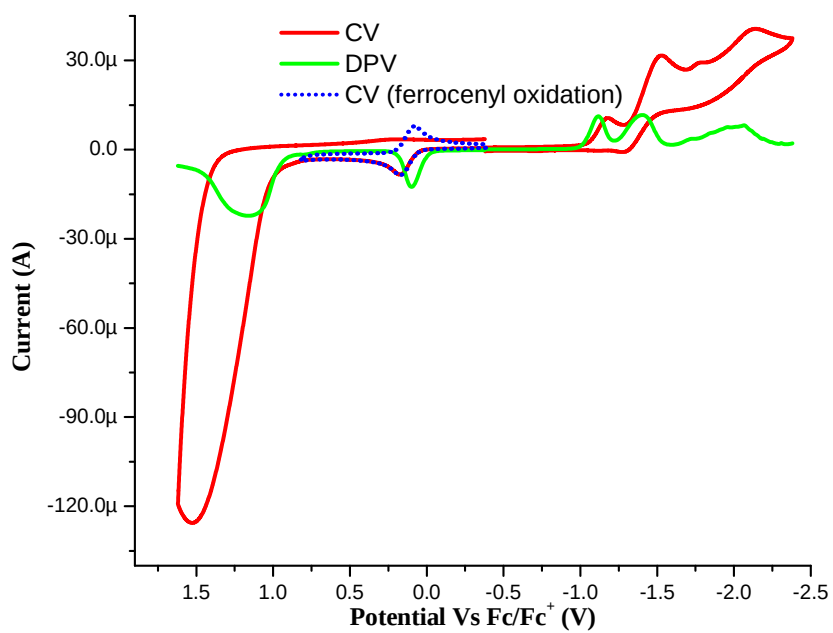


Figure S12. CV and DPV plots of BODIPY **4a**.

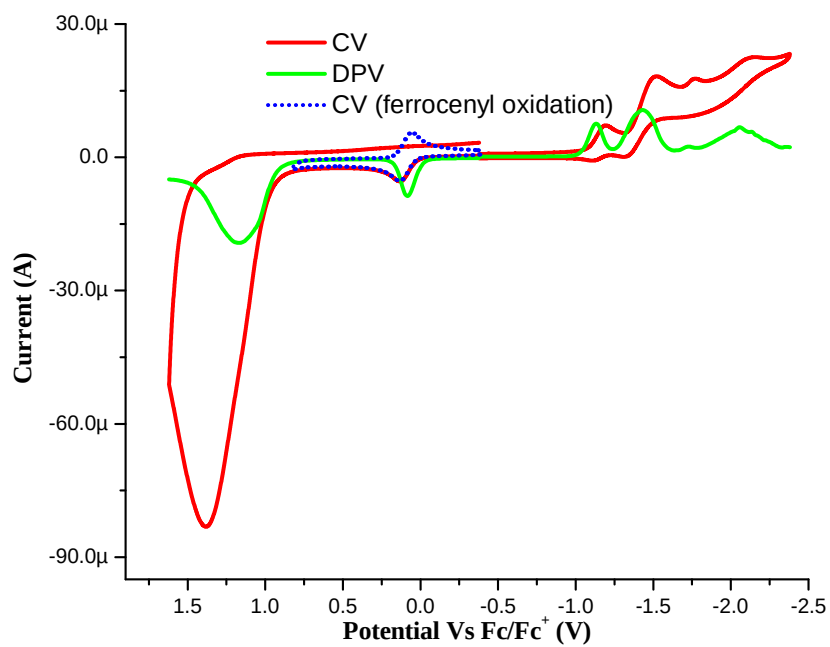


Figure S13. CV and DPV plots of BODIPY **4b**.

Single Crystal X-ray Diffraction Studies.

Single crystal X-ray structural studies of **2a**, **3b** and **3a** were performed on a CCD Agilent Technologies (Oxford Diffraction) SUPER NOVA diffractometer. Data were collected at 293(2) K using graphite-monochromated Mo K α radiation (λ_{α} = 0.71073 Å). The strategy for the Data collection was evaluated by using the CrysAlisPro CCD software. The data were collected by the standard 'phi-omega scan techniques, and were scaled and reduced using CrysAlisPro RED software. The structures were solved by direct methods using SHELXS-97, and refined by full matrix least-squares with SHELXL-97, refining on F^2 .¹ The positions of all the atoms were obtained by direct methods. All non-hydrogen atoms were refined anisotropically. The remaining hydrogen atoms were placed in geometrically constrained positions, and refined with isotropic temperature factors, generally 1.2 U_{eq} of their parent atoms. The crystal, and refinement data are summarized in Table 1. The CCDC numbers 1018403 – 1018405 for **2a**, **3b** and **4a** respectively and 1041639 for **2d** contain the supplementary crystallographic data. These data can be obtained free of charge via www.ccdc.cam.ac.uk/conts/retrieving.html (or from the Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre, 12 union Road, Cambridge CB21 EZ, UK; Fax: (+44) 1223-336-033; or deposit@ccdc.cam.ac.uk).

Table S2. Crystal structure and data refinement parameters

BODIPY	2a	3b	4a	2d
Empirical formula	C ₆₉ H ₄₅ B ₃ F ₆ N ₆	C ₃₃ H ₂₁ B F ₂ N ₂	C ₃₅ H ₂₅ B F ₂ Fe N ₂	C ₁₇ H ₁₁ B F ₂ N ₂
Formula weight	1104.54	494.33	578.23	292.09
Temperature/K	150(2) K	150(2) K	150(2) K	273(2)
Crystal system	Monoclinic	Triclinic	Triclinic	Monoclinic
Space group	<i>C2/c</i>	<i>P</i> -1	<i>P</i> -1	<i>P2₁/c</i>
Unit cell dimensions				
a/Å	a = 17.0474(6)	a = 9.3787(5)	a = 9.0180(3)	a = 8.9615(3)
α /°	90	97.430(5)	75.968(4)	90
b/Å	b = 13.3497(4)	b = 9.6798(8)	b = 9.7850(4)	b = 10.2059(2)
β /°	91.859 (3)	90.537(4)	86.559(3)	105.796(3)
c/Å	c = 49.6003(15)	c = 14.6648(8)	c = 17.3902(7)	c = 15.7879(4)
γ /°	90	107.816(6)	70.319(4)	90
Volume/ Å ³	11282.0(6)	1255.15(14)	1401.38(9)	1389.44(6)
Z	8	2	2	4
Calculated density/ Mg/m ³	1.301	1.308	1.370	1.396
Absorption coefficient/mm ⁻¹	0.090	0.086	0.579	0.840
<i>F</i> (000)	4560	512	596	600
Crystal size/mm	0.31 x 0.18 x 0.13	0.23 x 0.18 x 0.13	0.33 x 0.26 x 0.21	0.33 x 0.26 x 0.21
θ range from data collection/°	3.08 to 25.00	3.09 to 25.00	3.15 to 25.00	5.13 to 71.34
Reflections collected/unique	38792 / 9903	9380 / 4415	9666 / 4930	8592 / 2672
	[<i>R</i> (int) = 0.0571]	[<i>R</i> (int) = 0.0355]	[<i>R</i> (int) = 0.0227]	[<i>R</i> (int) = 0.0204]
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents	Semi-empirical from equivalents	Semi-empirical from equivalents	Semi-empirical from equivalents
Data/restraints/parameters	9903 / 0 / 758	4415 / 0 / 343	4930 / 0 / 370	2672 / 0 / 199
Goodness-of-fit on <i>F</i> ²	1.040	1.044	1.080	1.075
Final <i>R</i> indices [<i>I</i> > 2 σ (<i>I</i>)]	<i>R</i> ₁ = 0.0626, <i>wR</i> ₂ = 0.1305	<i>R</i> ₁ = 0.0500, <i>wR</i> ₂ = 0.1044	<i>R</i> ₁ = 0.0347, <i>wR</i> ₂ = 0.0911	<i>R</i> ₁ = 0.0363, <i>wR</i> ₂ = 0.0956
<i>R</i> indices (all data)	<i>R</i> ₁ = 0.0984, <i>wR</i> ₂ = 0.1526	<i>R</i> ₁ = 0.0938, <i>wR</i> ₂ = 0.1259	<i>R</i> ₁ = 0.0380, <i>wR</i> ₂ = 0.0942	<i>R</i> ₁ = 0.0377, <i>wR</i> ₂ = 0.0968
Largest diff. peak and hole/e Å ⁻³	0.195 and -0.164	0.139 and -0.169	0.275 and -0.340	0.220 and -0.231
CCDC number	1018403	1018404	1018405	1041639

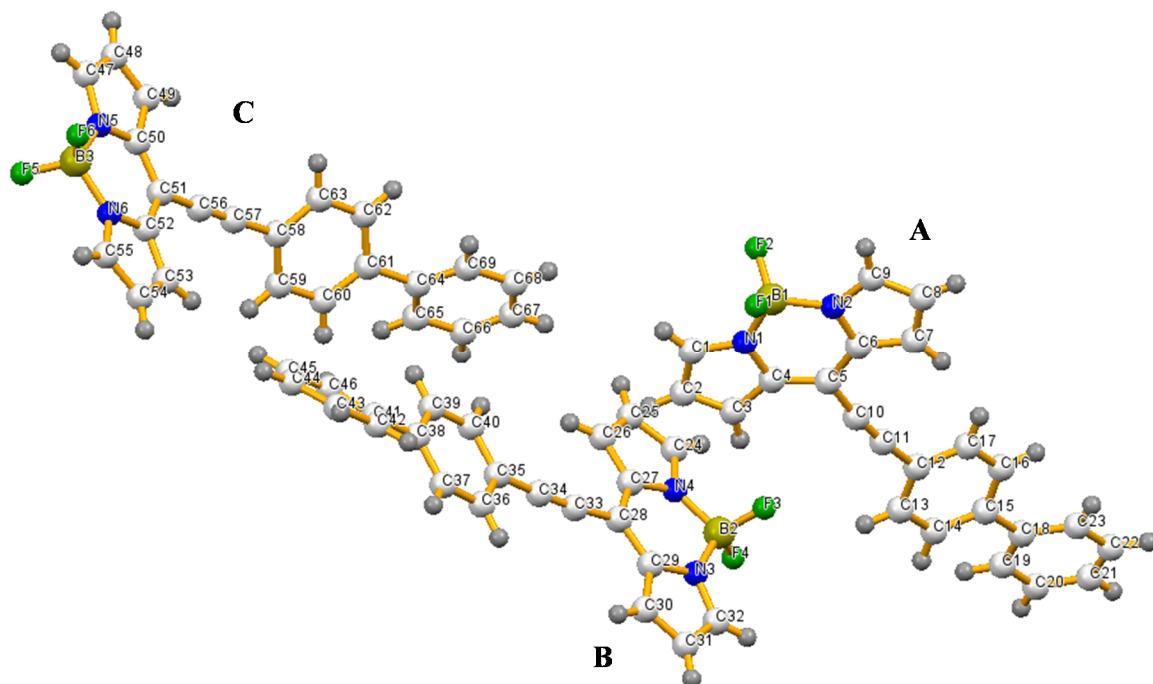


Figure S14. Crystal structure of BODIPY **2a** showing three molecules (**A**, **B**, **C**) in an asymmetric unit

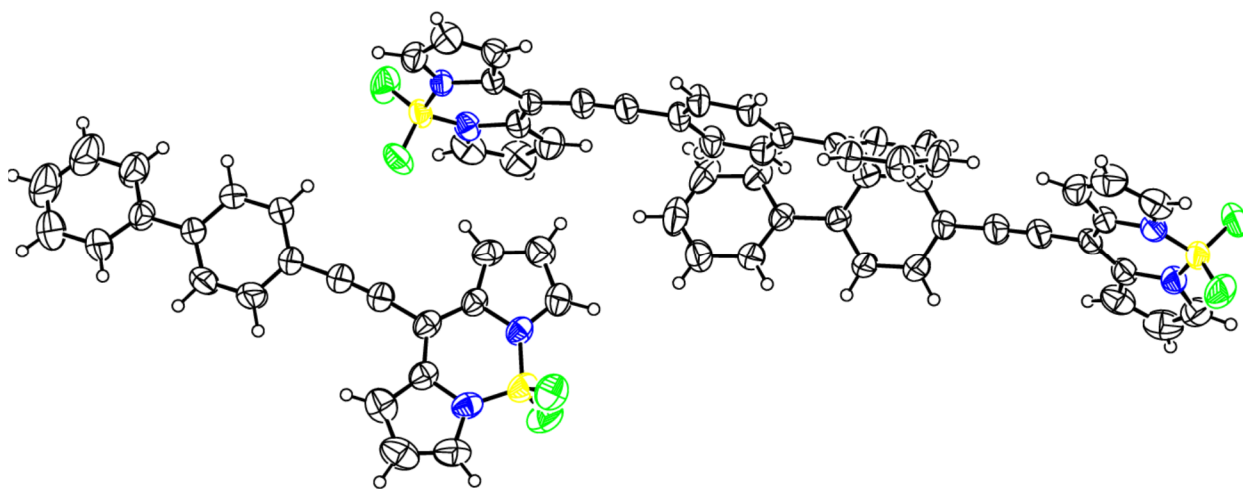


Figure S15. Crystal structure of BODIPY **2a**

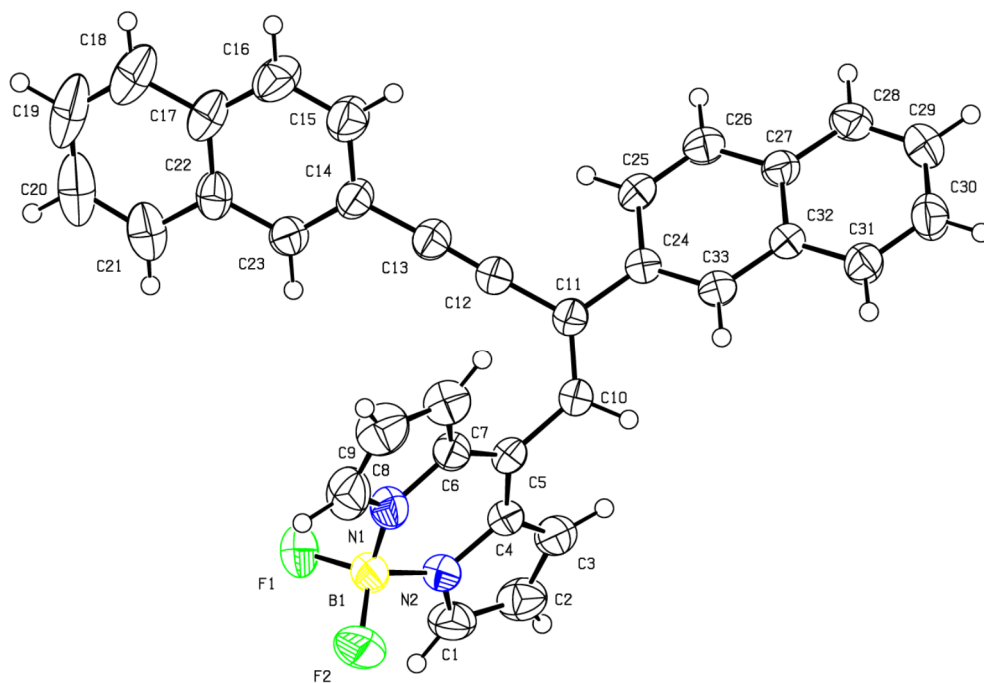


Figure S16. Crystal structure of BODIPY **3b**

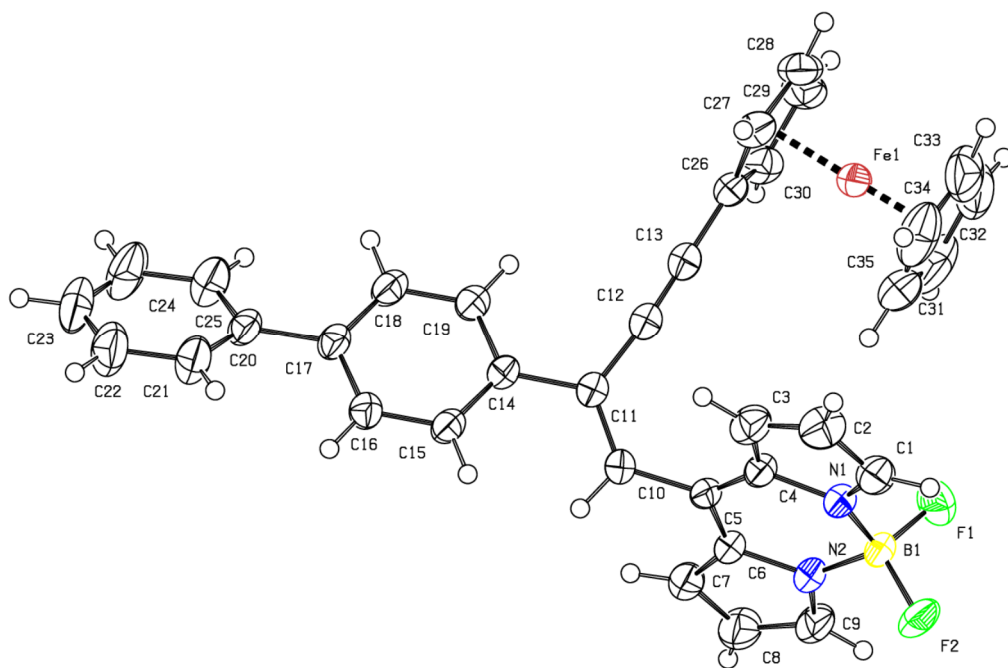


Figure S17. Crystal structure of BODIPY **4a**

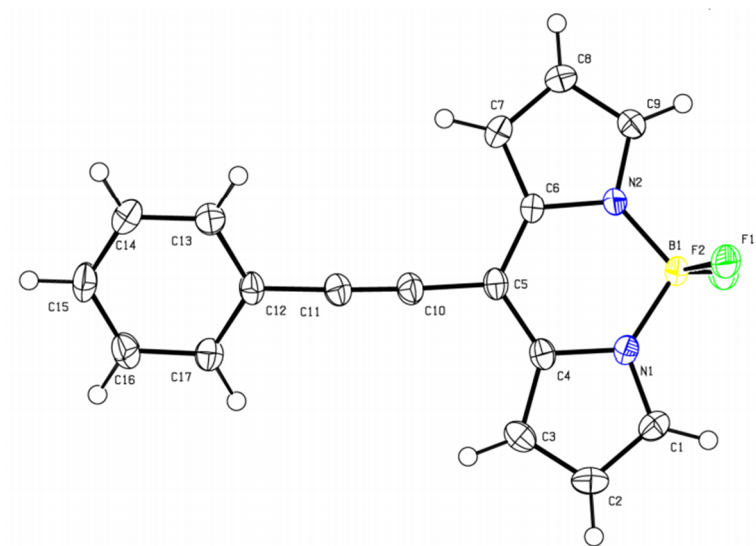


Figure S18. Crystal Structure of BODIPY 2d.

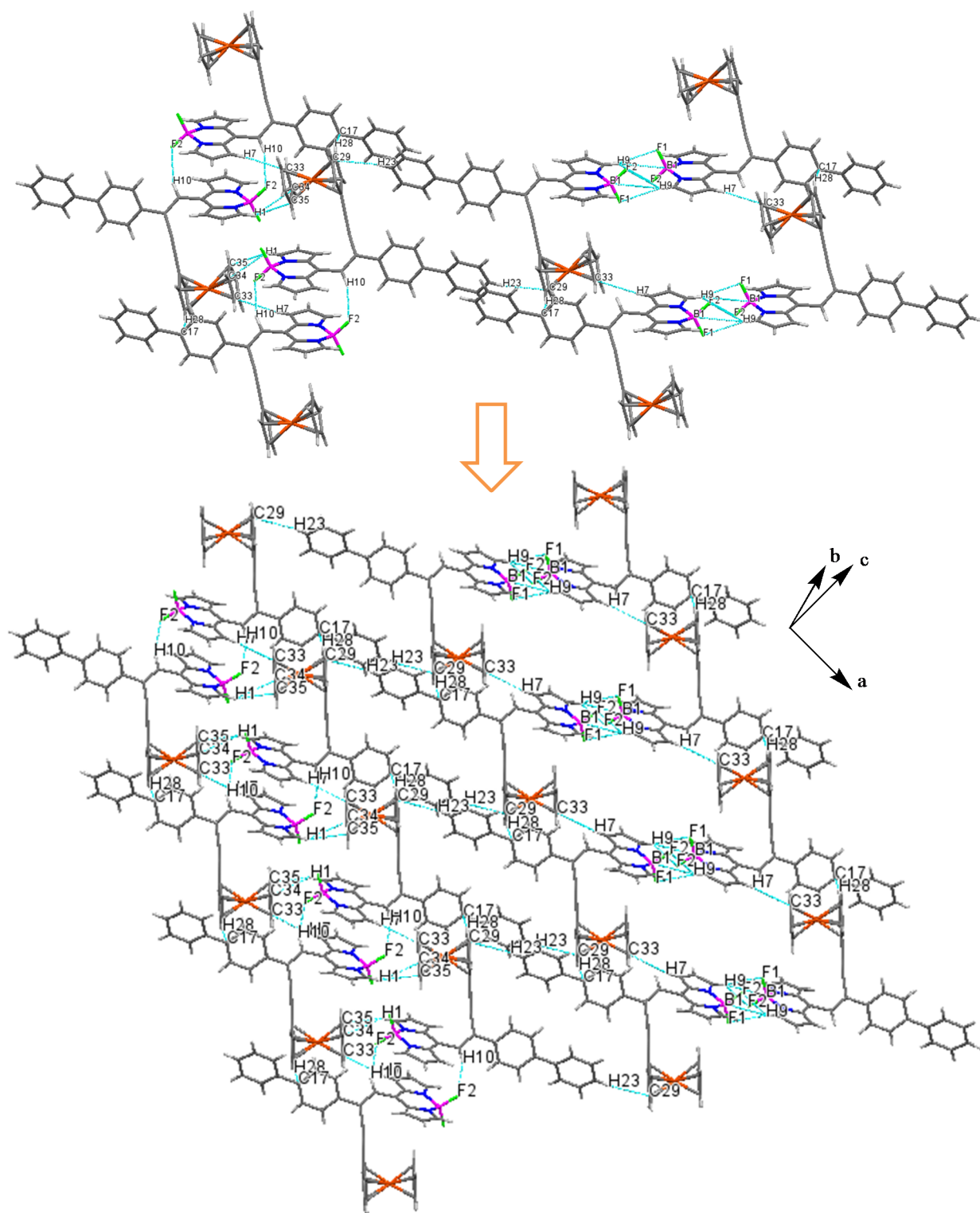


Figure S19. Crystal structure packing of BODIPY 4a.

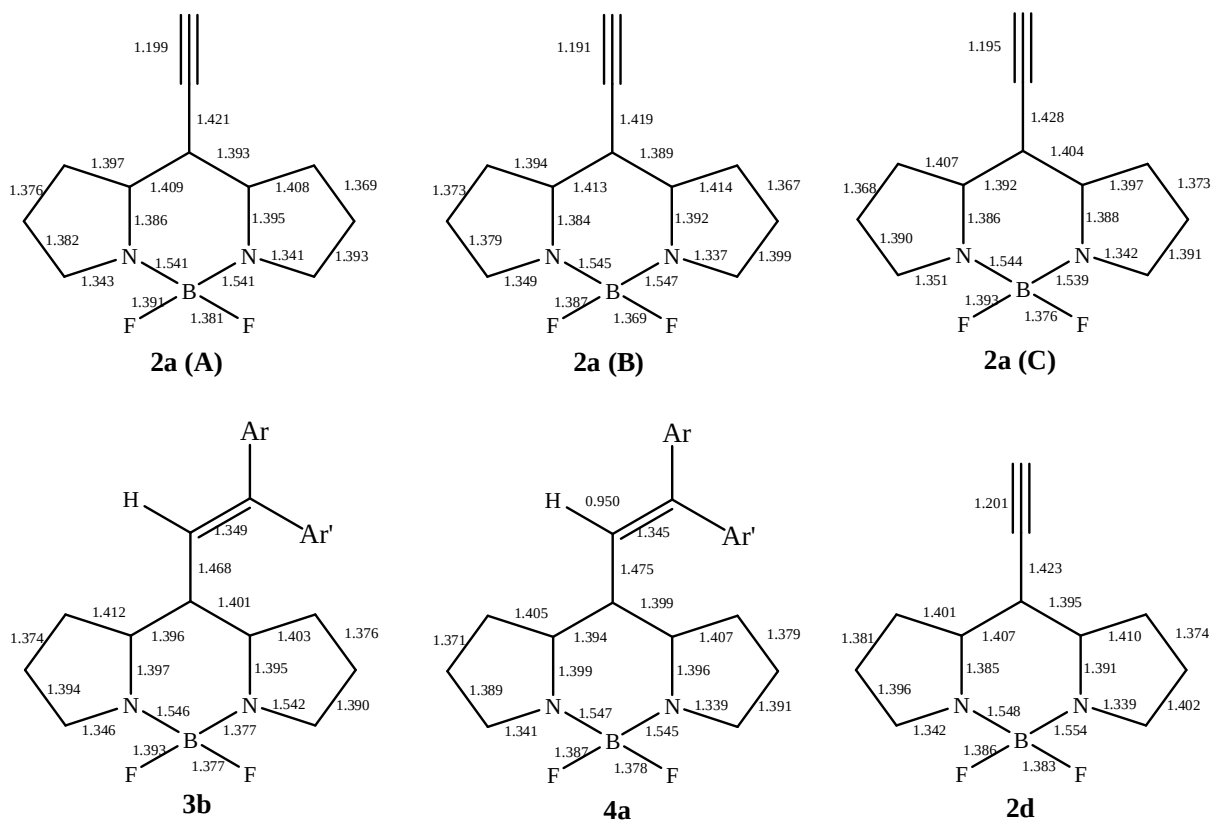


Figure S20. Comparison of selected bond lengths of the crystal structures of BODIPYs **2a**, **3b**, **4a** and **2d** (A, B and C represent three different molecules in an asymmetric unit of **2a**).

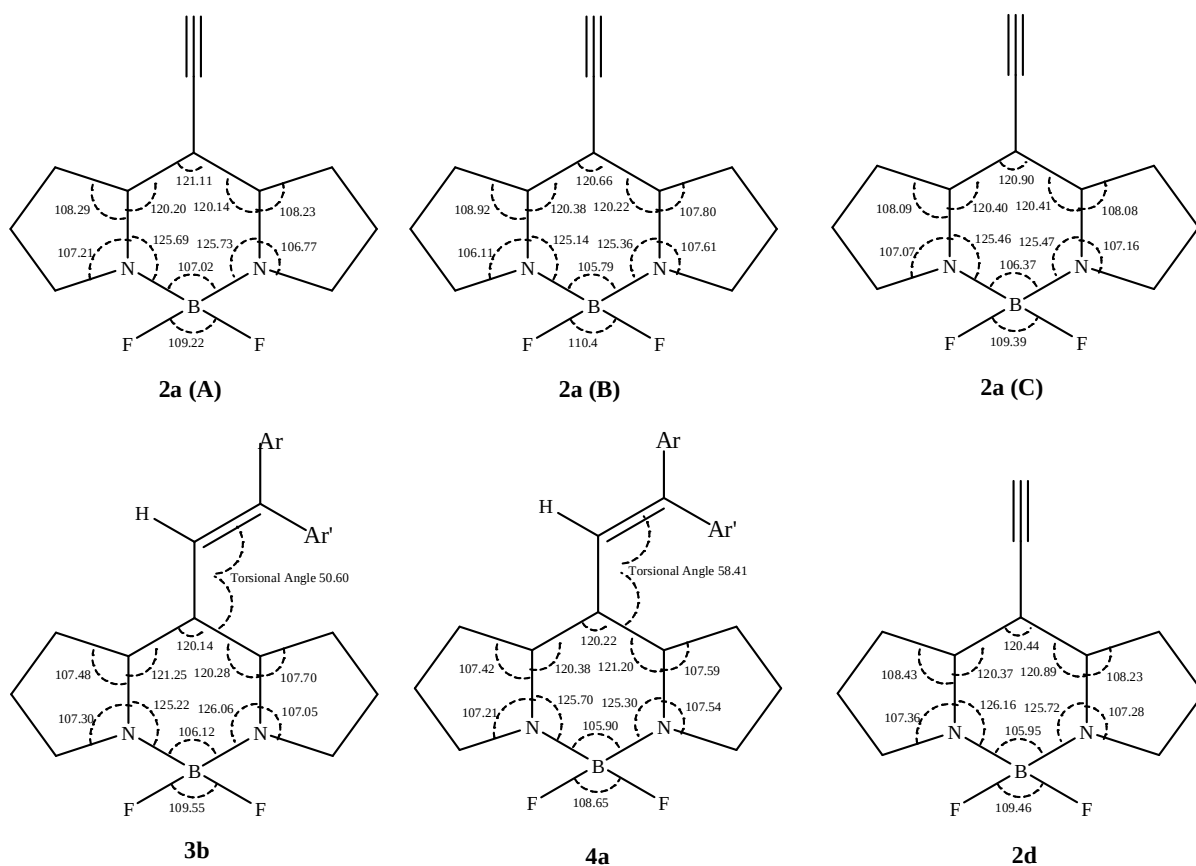


Figure S21. Comparison of selected bond angles of the crystal structures of BODIPYs **2a**, **3b**, **4a** and **2d** (A, B and C represent three different molecules in an asymmetric unit of **2a**).

Table S3. Selected bond lengths [Å] and angles [deg] for the crystal structure of **2a**.

B(1)-F(1)	1.380(4)	F(1)-B(1)-F(2)	109.2(3)	N(5)-C(47)-C(48)	110.5(3)
B(1)-F(2)	1.391(4)	F(1)-B(1)-N(2)	110.1(3)	C(49)-C(48)-C(47)	106.9(3)
B(1)-N(2)	1.540(5)	F(2)-B(1)-N(2)	110.2(3)	C(48)-C(49)-C(50)	107.4(3)
B(1)-N(1)	1.541(4)	F(1)-B(1)-N(1)	110.5(3)	N(5)-C(50)-C(51)	120.4(3)
B(2)-F(4)	1.369(3)	F(2)-B(1)-N(1)	109.8(3)	N(5)-C(50)-C(49)	108.1(3)
B(2)-F(3)	1.388(4)	N(2)-B(1)-N(1)	107.0(2)	C(51)-C(50)-C(49)	131.5(3)
B(2)-N(4)	1.545(4)	F(4)-B(2)-F(3)	110.0(2)	C(52)-C(51)-C(50)	120.9(3)
B(2)-N(3)	1.546(4)	F(4)-B(2)-N(4)	111.0(3)	C(52)-C(51)-C(56)	119.9(3)
B(3)-F(6)	1.376(4)	F(3)-B(2)-N(4)	109.2(3)	C(50)-C(51)-C(56)	119.2(3)
B(3)-F(5)	1.393(4)	F(4)-B(2)-N(3)	110.9(3)	N(6)-C(52)-C(51)	120.4(3)
B(3)-N(5)	1.538(4)	F(3)-B(2)-N(3)	109.7(2)	N(6)-C(52)-C(53)	108.1(3)
B(3)-N(6)	1.544(4)	N(4)-B(2)-N(3)	105.8(2)	C(51)-C(52)-C(53)	131.4(3)
N(1)-C(1)	1.341(4)	F(6)-B(3)-F(5)	109.4(3)	C(54)-C(53)-C(52)	107.4(3)
N(1)-C(4)	1.395(3)	F(6)-B(3)-N(5)	110.7(3)	C(53)-C(54)-C(55)	107.2(3)
N(2)-C(9)	1.343(4)	F(5)-B(3)-N(5)	109.6(3)	N(6)-C(55)-C(54)	110.2(3)
N(2)-C(6)	1.386(4)	F(6)-B(3)-N(6)	111.2(3)	C(57)-C(56)-C(51)	177.6(3)
N(3)-C(32)	1.337(4)	F(5)-B(3)-N(6)	109.6(3)	N(4)-C(24)-C(25)	111.0(3)
N(3)-C(29)	1.392(3)	N(5)-B(3)-N(6)	106.4(2)	C(26)-C(25)-C(24)	106.8(3)
N(4)-C(24)	1.349(4)	C(1)-N(1)-C(4)	106.8(2)	C(25)-C(26)-C(27)	107.2(3)

N(4)-C(27)	1.384(3)	C(1)-N(1)-B(1)	127.5(3)	N(4)-C(27)-C(26)	108.9(3)
N(5)-C(47)	1.342(4)	C(4)-N(1)-B(1)	125.7(3)	N(4)-C(27)-C(28)	120.4(3)
N(5)-C(50)	1.389(3)	C(9)-N(2)-C(6)	107.2(3)	C(26)-C(27)-C(28)	130.7(3)
N(6)-C(55)	1.351(4)	C(9)-N(2)-B(1)	127.1(3)	C(29)-C(28)-C(27)	120.6(2)
N(6)-C(52)	1.386(3)	C(6)-N(2)-B(1)	125.7(3)	C(29)-C(28)-C(33)	121.1(3)
C(1)-C(2)	1.393(4)	C(32)-N(3)-C(29)	107.6(2)	C(27)-C(28)-C(33)	118.3(3)
C(2)-C(3)	1.369(4)	C(32)-N(3)-B(2)	126.8(3)	C(28)-C(29)-N(3)	120.2(2)
C(3)-C(4)	1.408(4)	C(29)-N(3)-B(2)	125.4(2)	C(28)-C(29)-C(30)	131.8(3)
C(3)-H(3)	0.9500	C(24)-N(4)-C(27)	106.1(3)	N(3)-C(29)-C(30)	107.8(2)
C(4)-C(5)	1.394(4)	C(24)-N(4)-B(2)	128.3(3)	C(31)-C(30)-C(29)	107.1(3)
C(5)-C(6)	1.409(4)	C(27)-N(4)-B(2)	125.1(2)	C(30)-C(31)-C(32)	107.5(3)
C(5)-C(10)	1.421(4)	C(47)-N(5)-C(50)	107.1(3)	N(3)-C(32)-C(31)	110.0(3)
C(6)-C(7)	1.397(4)	C(6)-N(5)-B(3)	127.3(3)	C(34)-C(33)-C(28)	174.2(3)
C(7)-C(8)	1.375(5)	C(50)-N(5)-B(3)	125.5(3)	C(33)-C(34)-C(35)	178.1(3)
C(8)-C(9)	1.382(5)	C(55)-N(6)-C(52)	107.1(3)		
C(25)-C(26)	1.373(5)	C(55)-N(6)-B(3)	127.3(3)		
C(26)-C(27)	1.394(4)	C(52)-N(6)-B(3)	125.5(3)		
C(27)-C(28)	1.413(4)	N(1)-C(1)-C(2)	110.6(3)		
C(28)-C(29)	1.389(4)	C(3)-C(2)-C(1)	107.2(3)		
C(28)-C(33)	1.419(4)	C(2)-C(3)-C(4)	107.2(3)		
C(47)-C(48)	1.391(5)	C(5)-C(4)-N(1)	120.1(3)		
C(48)-C(49)	1.373(5)	C(5)-C(4)-C(3)	131.6(3)		
C(49)-C(50)	1.403(4)	N(1)-C(4)-C(3)	108.2(3)		
C(50)-C(51)	1.397(4)	C(4)-C(5)-C(6)	121.1(3)		
C(51)-C(52)	1.392(4)	C(4)-C(5)-C(10)	121.0(3)		
C(51)-C(56)	1.428(4)	C(6)-C(5)-C(10)	117.9(3)		
		N(2)-C(6)-C(7)	108.3(3)		
		N(2)-C(6)-C(5)	120.2(3)		
		C(7)-C(6)-C(5)	131.4(3)		
		C(8)-C(7)-C(6)	107.0(3)		
		C(7)-C(8)-C(9)	107.5(4)		
		N(2)-C(9)-C(8)	110.1(3)		
		C(11)-C(10)-C(5)	172.0(3)		
		C(10)-C(11)-C(12)	174.9(3)		

Table S4. Selected bond lengths [Å] and angles [deg] for the crystal structure of **3b**.

F(1)-B(1)	1.393(3)	F(2)-B(1)-F(1)	109.52(19)
F(2)-B(1)	1.377(3)	F(2)-B(1)-N(1)	110.8(2)
B(1)-N(1)	1.541(4)	F(1)-B(1)-N(1)	109.8(2)
B(1)-N(2)	1.546(4)	F(2)-B(1)-N(2)	110.9(2)
N(1)-C(9)	1.341(3)	F(1)-B(1)-N(2)	109.6(2)
N(1)-C(6)	1.396(3)	N(1)-B(1)-N(2)	106.14(18)
N(2)-C(1)	1.346(3)	C(9)-N(1)-C(6)	107.1(2)
N(2)-C(4)	1.396(3)	C(9)-N(1)-B(1)	126.9(2)
C(1)-C(2)	1.394(3)	C(6)-N(1)-B(1)	126.0(2)
C(2)-C(3)	1.373(3)	C(1)-N(2)-C(4)	107.3(2)
C(3)-C(4)	1.405(3)	C(1)-N(2)-B(1)	127.3(2)
C(4)-C(5)	1.395(3)	C(4)-N(2)-B(1)	125.2(2)
C(5)-C(6)	1.401(3)	N(2)-C(1)-C(2)	110.5(2)
C(5)-C(10)	1.468(3)	C(3)-C(2)-C(1)	106.6(2)
C(6)-C(7)	1.403(3)	C(2)-C(3)-C(4)	108.1(2)
C(7)-C(8)	1.377(3)	C(5)-C(4)-N(2)	121.3(2)
C(8)-C(9)	1.390(4)	C(5)-C(4)-C(3)	131.1(2)
C(10)-C(11)	1.349(3)	N(2)-C(4)-C(3)	107.5(2)

C(11)-C(12)	1.435(3)	C(4)-C(5)-C(6)	120.1(2)
		C(4)-C(5)-C(10)	117.3(2)
		C(6)-C(5)-C(10)	122.5(2)
		N(1)-C(6)-C(5)	120.3(2)
		N(1)-C(6)-C(7)	107.7(2)
		C(5)-C(6)-C(7)	131.7(2)
		C(8)-C(7)-C(6)	107.9(2)
		C(7)-C(8)-C(9)	106.4(3)
		N(1)-C(9)-C(8)	110.9(2)
		C(11)-C(10)-C(5)	126.98(19)
		C(10)-C(11)-C(12)	122.62(19)
		C(13)-C(12)-C(11)	177.0(3)

Table S5. Selected bond lengths [Å] and angles [deg] for the crystal structure of **4a**.

B(1)-F(1)	1.378(3)	F(1)-B(1)-F(2)	108.66(16)
B(1)-F(2)	1.387(3)	F(1)-B(1)-N(2)	111.25(18)
B(1)-N(2)	1.544(3)	F(2)-B(1)-N(2)	110.34(18)
B(1)-N(1)	1.547(3)	F(1)-B(1)-N(1)	110.22(17)
Fe(1)-C(34)	2.013(3)	F(2)-B(1)-N(1)	110.46(18)
Fe(1)-C(35)	2.016(3)	N(2)-B(1)-N(1)	105.89(15)
Fe(1)-C(33)	2.023(3)	C(1)-N(1)-C(4)	107.21(17)
Fe(1)-C(31)	2.028(3)	C(1)-N(1)-B(1)	126.95(17)
Fe(1)-C(30)	2.032(2)	C(4)-N(1)-B(1)	125.71(17)
Fe(1)-C(26)	2.0326(19)	C(9)-N(2)-C(6)	107.52(18)
Fe(1)-C(27)	2.035(2)	C(9)-N(2)-B(1)	127.05(17)
Fe(1)-C(32)	2.033(3)	C(6)-N(2)-B(1)	125.34(17)
Fe(1)-C(29)	2.036(2)	N(1)-C(1)-C(2)	110.59(19)
Fe(1)-C(28)	2.038(2)	C(3)-C(2)-C(1)	106.9(2)
N(1)-C(1)	1.341(3)	C(2)-C(3)-C(4)	107.87(19)
N(1)-C(4)	1.399(2)	C(5)-C(4)-N(1)	120.37(18)
N(2)-C(9)	1.339(3)	C(5)-C(4)-C(3)	131.87(18)
N(2)-C(6)	1.396(2)	N(1)-C(4)-C(3)	107.45(18)
C(1)-C(2)	1.389(3)	C(4)-C(5)-C(6)	120.20(17)
C(1)-H(1)	0.9500	C(4)-C(5)-C(10)	121.90(18)
C(2)-C(3)	1.371(3)	C(6)-C(5)-C(10)	117.80(18)
C(2)-H(2)	0.9500	N(2)-C(6)-C(5)	121.19(18)
C(3)-C(4)	1.404(3)	N(2)-C(6)-C(7)	107.66(18)
C(3)-H(3)	0.9500	C(5)-C(6)-C(7)	131.14(18)
C(4)-C(5)	1.394(3)	C(8)-C(7)-C(6)	107.40(19)
C(5)-C(6)	1.399(3)	C(7)-C(8)-C(9)	107.0(2)
C(5)-C(10)	1.475(2)	N(2)-C(9)-C(8)	110.43(19)
C(6)-C(7)	1.406(3)	C(11)-C(10)-C(5)	127.06(18)
C(7)-C(8)	1.379(3)	C(10)-C(11)-C(12)	122.32(17)
C(7)-H(7)	0.9500	C(10)-C(11)-C(14)	120.86(17)
C(8)-C(9)	1.390(3)	C(12)-C(11)-C(14)	16.58(17)
C(8)-H(8)	0.9500	C(13)-C(12)-C(11)	173.6(2)
C(9)-H(9)	0.9500	C(12)-C(13)-C(26)	178.5(3)
C(10)-C(11)	1.344(3)		
C(10)-H(10)	0.9500		
C(11)-C(12)	1.437(3)		
C(11)-C(14)	1.493(2)		
C(12)-C(13)	1.193(3)		

Table S6. Selected bond lengths [Å] and angles [deg] for the crystal structure of **2d**.

F(1)-B(1)	1.3831(15)	F(1)-B(1)-F(2)	109.47(10)
F(2)-B(1)	1.3858(15)	F(1)-B(1)-N(2)	110.26(10)
B(1)-N(2)	1.5476(16)	F(2)-B(1)-N(2)	109.91(10)
B(1)-N(1)	1.5538(16)	F(1)-B(1)-N(1)	110.87(10)
N(2)-C(9)	1.3420(16)	F(2)-B(1)-N(1)	110.34(10)
N(2)-C(6)	1.3854(14)	N(2)-B(1)-N(1)	105.94(9)
N(1)-C(1)	1.3394(16)	C(9)-N(2)-C(6)	107.35(10)
N(1)-C(4)	1.3913(14)	C(9)-N(2)-B(1)	126.45(10)
C(1)-C(2)	1.4024(18)	C(6)-N(2)-B(1)	126.17(10)
C(2)-C(3)	1.3735(18)	C(1)-N(1)-C(4)	107.28(10)
C(3)-C(4)	1.4095(17)	C(1)-N(1)-B(1)	126.97(10)
C(4)-C(5)	1.3947(17)	C(4)-N(1)-B(1)	125.72(9)
C(5)-C(6)	1.4070(17)	N(1)-C(1)-C(2)	110.33(11)
C(5)-C(10)	1.4226(16)	C(3)-C(2)-C(1)	106.97(11)
C(6)-C(7)	1.4013(17)	C(2)-C(3)-C(4)	107.19(11)
C(7)-C(8)	1.3810(19)	N(1)-C(4)-C(5)	120.89(10)
C(8)-C(9)	1.3964(18)	N(1)-C(4)-C(3)	108.23(10)
C(10)-C(11)	1.2007(18)	C(5)-C(4)-C(3)	130.88(11)
		C(4)-C(5)-C(6)	120.44(10)
		C(4)-C(5)-C(10)	120.56(11)
		C(6)-C(5)-C(10)	118.91(11)
		N(2)-C(6)-C(7)	108.43(10)
		N(2)-C(6)-C(5)	120.37(10)
		C(7)-C(6)-C(5)	130.94(11)
		C(8)-C(7)-C(6)	107.17(11)
		C(7)-C(8)-C(9)	106.77(11)
		N(2)-C(9)-C(8)	110.27(11)
		C(11)-C(10)-C(5)	175.46(13)

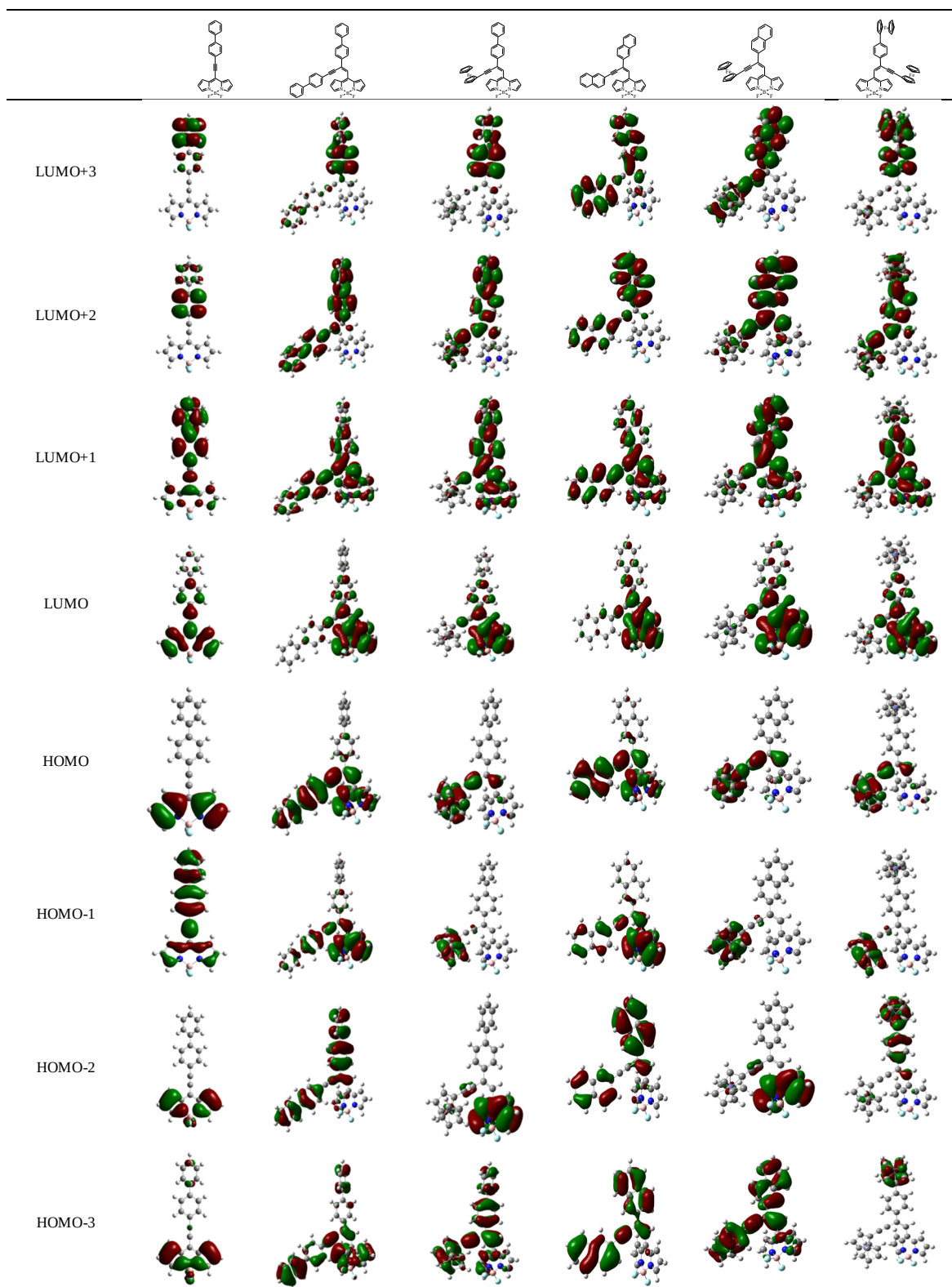


Figure S22. Frontier molecular orbital plots of BODIPYs **2a**, **3a**, **4a**, **2b**, **3b**, **4b**, **2c** and **4c** calculated at B3LYP/6-31G* level for C, N, B, F, H, and Lanl2DZ level for Fe¹

BODIPY 3a

Standard orientation:

Center Number	Atomic Number	Atomic Type	Coordinates (Angstroms)		
			X	Y	Z
1	5	0	-2.489139	3.954147	-0.064316
2	9	0	-3.232064	2.954298	-0.692262
3	9	0	-3.264221	5.048936	0.251381
4	7	0	-1.816524	3.360293	1.212754
5	7	0	-1.288014	4.363032	-0.980079
6	6	0	-2.366753	3.193190	2.424065
7	1	0	-3.347816	3.595426	2.638774
8	6	0	-1.492293	2.466583	3.258384
9	1	0	-1.674420	2.205716	4.291819
10	6	0	-0.364096	2.179120	2.500890
11	1	0	0.525949	1.654313	2.817365
12	6	0	-0.569608	2.740611	1.213474
13	6	0	0.297413	2.866899	0.110044
14	6	0	-0.044373	3.736992	-0.946616
15	6	0	0.691966	4.166873	-2.078903
16	1	0	1.698154	3.859610	-2.329816
17	6	0	-0.113295	5.062417	-2.775337
18	1	0	0.132761	5.601420	-3.679881
19	6	0	-1.330069	5.144883	-2.070541
20	1	0	-2.221048	5.713498	-2.301155
21	6	0	1.568480	2.139778	0.063286
22	1	0	2.455862	2.721777	-0.168005
23	6	0	1.688774	0.780629	0.159332
24	6	0	0.526012	-0.041109	0.181560
25	6	0	-0.497629	-0.697752	0.125612
26	6	0	3.016420	0.113494	0.125504
27	6	0	4.178800	0.770055	0.564653
28	1	0	4.110741	1.774735	0.971741
29	6	0	5.418717	0.144697	0.508977
30	1	0	6.301401	0.686013	0.837090
31	6	0	5.553058	-1.166970	0.020181
32	6	0	4.386282	-1.826149	-0.402463
33	1	0	4.449735	-2.851241	-0.755898
34	6	0	3.144657	-1.202839	-0.346761
35	1	0	2.257098	-1.736616	-0.671956
36	6	0	6.877300	-1.833452	-0.038184
37	6	0	7.835343	-1.629035	0.969802
38	1	0	7.591940	-0.995920	1.818529
39	6	0	9.079378	-2.255172	0.913324
40	1	0	9.801163	-2.089145	1.708711
41	6	0	9.393991	-3.099800	-0.152849
42	1	0	10.363831	-3.587719	-0.197004
43	6	0	8.452788	-3.312623	-1.161777
44	1	0	8.690179	-3.961234	-2.000886
45	6	0	7.208612	-2.686883	-1.104784
46	1	0	6.494508	-2.838848	-1.909361
47	6	0	-1.743861	-1.378636	0.056657

48	6	0	-1.828173	-2.770851	0.255359
49	6	0	-2.926801	-0.659009	-0.217747
50	6	0	-3.053308	-3.420358	0.183000
51	1	0	-0.925373	-3.331671	0.478020
52	6	0	-4.145116	-1.322624	-0.287488
53	1	0	-2.882882	0.413939	-0.382603
54	6	0	-4.238191	-2.712672	-0.090420
55	1	0	-3.099756	-4.489671	0.367693
56	1	0	-5.039625	-0.755351	-0.526973
57	6	0	-5.544486	-3.411383	-0.168508
58	6	0	-5.643628	-4.698415	-0.725162
59	6	0	-6.718167	-2.804685	0.311690
60	6	0	-6.870829	-5.355024	-0.798925
61	1	0	-4.755177	-5.175530	-1.129331
62	6	0	-7.945333	-3.461453	0.238662
63	1	0	-6.662390	-1.821087	0.769454
64	6	0	-8.027580	-4.739724	-0.316823
65	1	0	-6.924541	-6.345884	-1.242314
66	1	0	-8.838160	-2.975985	0.623846
67	1	0	-8.984529	-5.251280	-0.374071

Total energy (Sum of electronic and zero-point energies): -1759.1599841
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BODIPY 3b

Standard orientation:

Center Number	Atomic Number	Atomic Type	Coordinates (Angstroms)		
			X	Y	Z
1	5	0	3.305221	-2.938519	-0.067081
2	9	0	3.742837	-1.811028	-0.761545
3	9	0	4.347077	-3.782310	0.251595
4	7	0	2.545618	-2.481985	1.217829
5	7	0	2.220428	-3.682662	-0.914741
6	6	0	3.075798	-2.123568	2.396032
7	1	0	4.135463	-2.244029	2.577615
8	6	0	2.071150	-1.617684	3.246833
9	1	0	2.215560	-1.273524	4.261665
10	6	0	0.880265	-1.670416	2.534154
11	1	0	-0.104781	-1.385753	2.875207
12	6	0	1.179964	-2.212910	1.256953
13	6	0	0.337995	-2.607946	0.198969
14	6	0	0.858303	-3.400673	-0.845436
15	6	0	0.220734	-4.054225	-1.929580
16	1	0	-0.838916	-4.029455	-2.144848
17	6	0	1.207230	-4.738244	-2.632704
18	1	0	1.079174	-5.360099	-3.508008
19	6	0	2.427101	-4.472301	-1.980435
20	1	0	3.426967	-4.799753	-2.232192
21	6	0	-1.082172	-2.246109	0.192679
22	1	0	-1.788172	-3.055284	0.030872
23	6	0	-1.557506	-0.965032	0.247278

24	6	0	-0.653178	0.134219	0.186158
25	6	0	0.154968	1.036262	0.064153
26	6	0	-3.015239	-0.674592	0.254302
27	6	0	-3.491509	0.544638	-0.198925
28	6	0	-3.952994	-1.640359	0.727200
29	6	0	-4.877503	0.839890	-0.227688
30	1	0	-2.788850	1.293820	-0.552497
31	6	0	-5.301154	-1.382445	0.714649
32	1	0	-3.593183	-2.580658	1.133199
33	6	0	-5.372940	2.084349	-0.703650
34	6	0	-5.809612	-0.144457	0.234656
35	1	0	-6.000640	-2.126065	1.089105
36	6	0	-6.724971	2.343274	-0.720615
37	1	0	-4.663639	2.829343	-1.055986
38	6	0	-7.196474	0.153484	0.206560
39	6	0	-7.645198	1.369297	-0.261059
40	1	0	-7.092244	3.297807	-1.087340
41	1	0	-7.901208	-0.595498	0.560064
42	1	0	-8.709779	1.585981	-0.279527
43	6	0	1.177314	2.014203	-0.087168
44	6	0	0.907534	3.367785	0.074643
45	6	0	2.506603	1.592612	-0.414914
46	6	0	1.923311	4.341453	-0.079176
47	1	0	-0.099987	3.688116	0.325829
48	6	0	3.503378	2.522802	-0.568513
49	1	0	2.717949	0.534550	-0.538624
50	6	0	1.668293	5.731174	0.083298
51	6	0	3.251661	3.913865	-0.409291
52	1	0	4.510619	2.198044	-0.817569
53	6	0	2.676335	6.654865	-0.073753
54	1	0	0.660026	6.051938	0.334621
55	6	0	4.267387	4.892606	-0.564711
56	6	0	3.988318	6.231698	-0.401255
57	1	0	2.469443	7.714025	0.052870
58	1	0	5.273719	4.566028	-0.815805
59	1	0	4.775686	6.970557	-0.523188

Total energy (Sum of electronic and zero-point energies): -1604.333007
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BODIPY 4a

Standard orientation:

Center Number	Atomic Number	Atomic Type	Coordinates (Angstroms)		
			X	Y	Z
1	5	0	-3.718796	2.882950	0.019948
2	26	0	-2.814565	-2.931940	-0.266684
3	9	0	-4.296953	1.792286	-0.632094
4	9	0	-4.668114	3.820597	0.370440
5	7	0	-2.942440	2.389816	1.279288
6	7	0	-2.620280	3.515344	-0.892902
7	6	0	-3.462877	2.099635	2.481527
8	1	0	-4.512375	2.272956	2.678394

9	6	0	-2.459678	1.596008	3.335096
10	1	0	-2.593282	1.304934	4.367970
11	6	0	-1.279182	1.585220	2.600053
12	1	0	-0.298146	1.286223	2.939136
13	6	0	-1.584958	2.077901	1.305485
14	6	0	-0.747930	2.404228	0.216076
15	6	0	-1.270101	3.179029	-0.846409
16	6	0	-0.637907	3.761195	-1.974324
17	1	0	0.412251	3.684221	-2.220438
18	6	0	-1.615307	4.455909	-2.680808
19	1	0	-1.485983	5.034280	-3.585203
20	6	0	-2.825191	4.270027	-1.985292
21	1	0	-3.817090	4.631195	-2.221554
22	6	0	0.658257	2.019092	0.169550
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25	6	0	0.351065	-0.357325	0.642397
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27	6	0	2.643705	0.529218	0.278357
28	6	0	3.578481	1.548121	0.532889
29	1	0	3.236520	2.528268	0.851881
30	6	0	4.943522	1.315780	0.409496
31	1	0	5.638900	2.128944	0.596465
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35	6	0	3.135922	-0.736786	-0.080880
36	1	0	2.434640	-1.546131	-0.257852
37	6	0	6.895314	-0.192605	-0.096996
38	6	0	7.810983	0.403704	0.787688
39	1	0	7.443704	1.032905	1.593689
40	6	0	9.180059	0.169952	0.666711
41	1	0	9.868573	0.634277	1.367770
42	6	0	9.664755	-0.665031	-0.342217
43	1	0	10.731752	-0.847159	-0.436635
44	6	0	8.767503	-1.264415	-1.228697
45	1	0	9.134398	-1.909294	-2.022830
46	6	0	7.398416	-1.031153	-1.107063
47	1	0	6.711940	-1.481608	-1.818503
48	6	0	-1.296502	-2.369472	1.037303
49	6	0	-2.587983	-2.214374	1.663822
50	1	0	-2.991325	-1.279124	2.026399
51	6	0	-3.211543	-3.491224	1.703918
52	1	0	-4.199297	-3.699953	2.092942
53	6	0	-2.333938	-4.440423	1.095024
54	1	0	-2.542829	-5.490898	0.941938
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58	1	0	-1.903104	-3.888846	-2.770012
59	6	0	-3.927309	-3.762945	-1.811982
60	1	0	-4.269255	-4.789659	-1.826981
61	6	0	-4.626539	-2.651946	-1.248888
62	1	0	-5.591438	-2.691990	-0.760491

63	6	0	-3.812070	-1.488242	-1.396633
64	1	0	-4.045825	-0.489006	-1.051870
65	6	0	-2.607461	-1.884243	-2.052701
66	1	0	-1.766232	-1.238796	-2.269464

Total energy (Sum of electronic and zero-point energies): -1806.3436029
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BODIPY 4b

Standard orientation:

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			X	Y	Z
1	5	0	-2.419238	3.357416	0.162518
2	26	0	-2.986511	-2.513793	-0.238216
3	9	0	-3.124343	2.516568	-0.700249
4	9	0	-3.225938	4.344662	0.686978
5	7	0	-1.776058	2.503494	1.299444
6	7	0	-1.198468	3.976108	-0.596387
7	6	0	-2.364277	2.065630	2.423488
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12	1	0	0.568142	0.558493	2.599186
13	6	0	-0.509964	1.931926	1.221075
14	6	0	0.398810	2.324404	0.216535
15	6	0	0.064863	3.389045	-0.642799
16	6	0	0.827608	4.069375	-1.625982
17	1	0	1.851550	3.844995	-1.892206
18	6	0	0.018365	5.071064	-2.151310
19	1	0	0.277783	5.795654	-2.910802
20	6	0	-1.226476	4.970280	-1.497234
21	1	0	-2.126989	5.552285	-1.641257
22	6	0	1.703616	1.663519	0.092537
23	1	0	2.585160	2.297999	0.114957
24	6	0	1.860964	0.330892	-0.169989
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26	6	0	-0.261263	-1.061026	-0.885232
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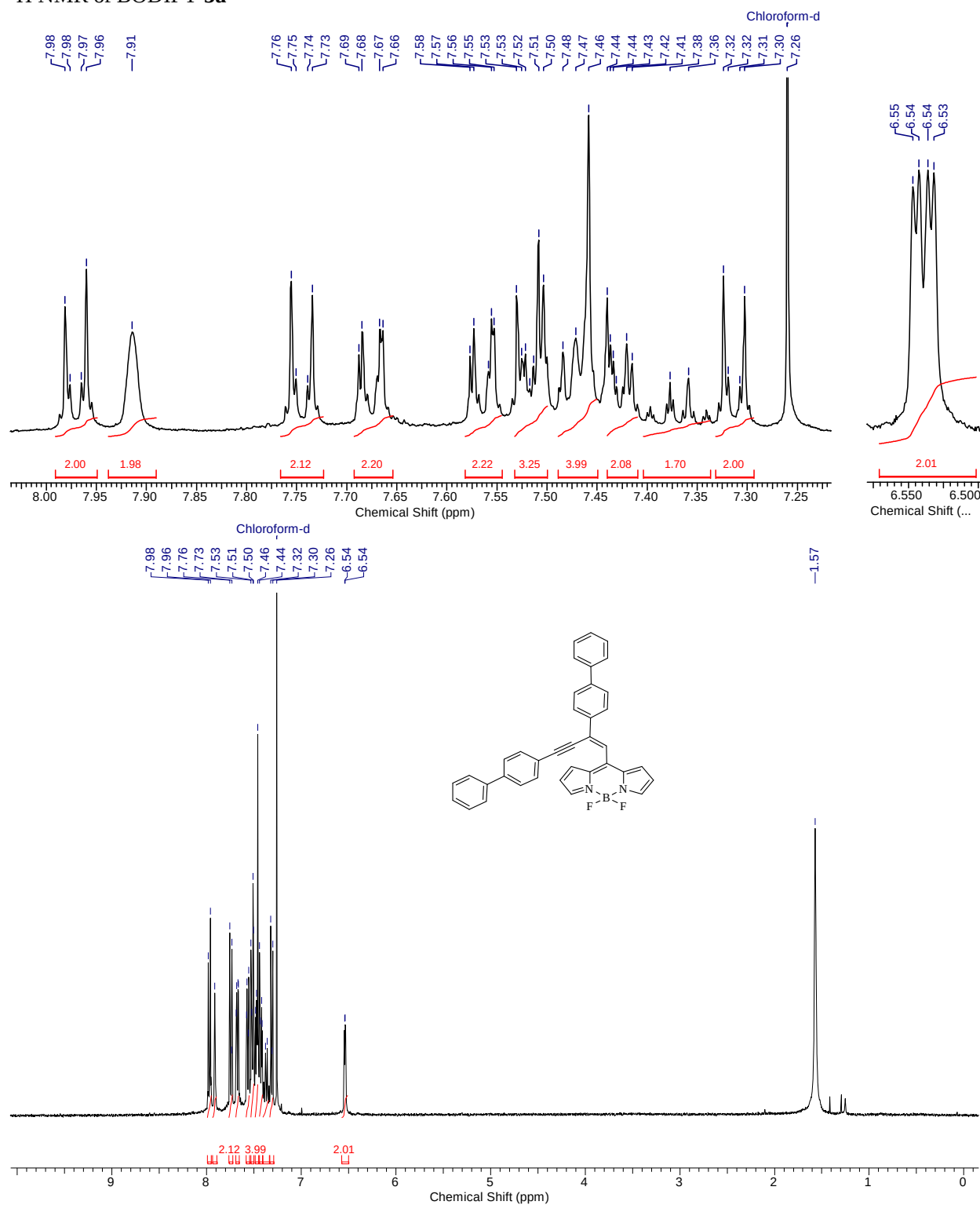
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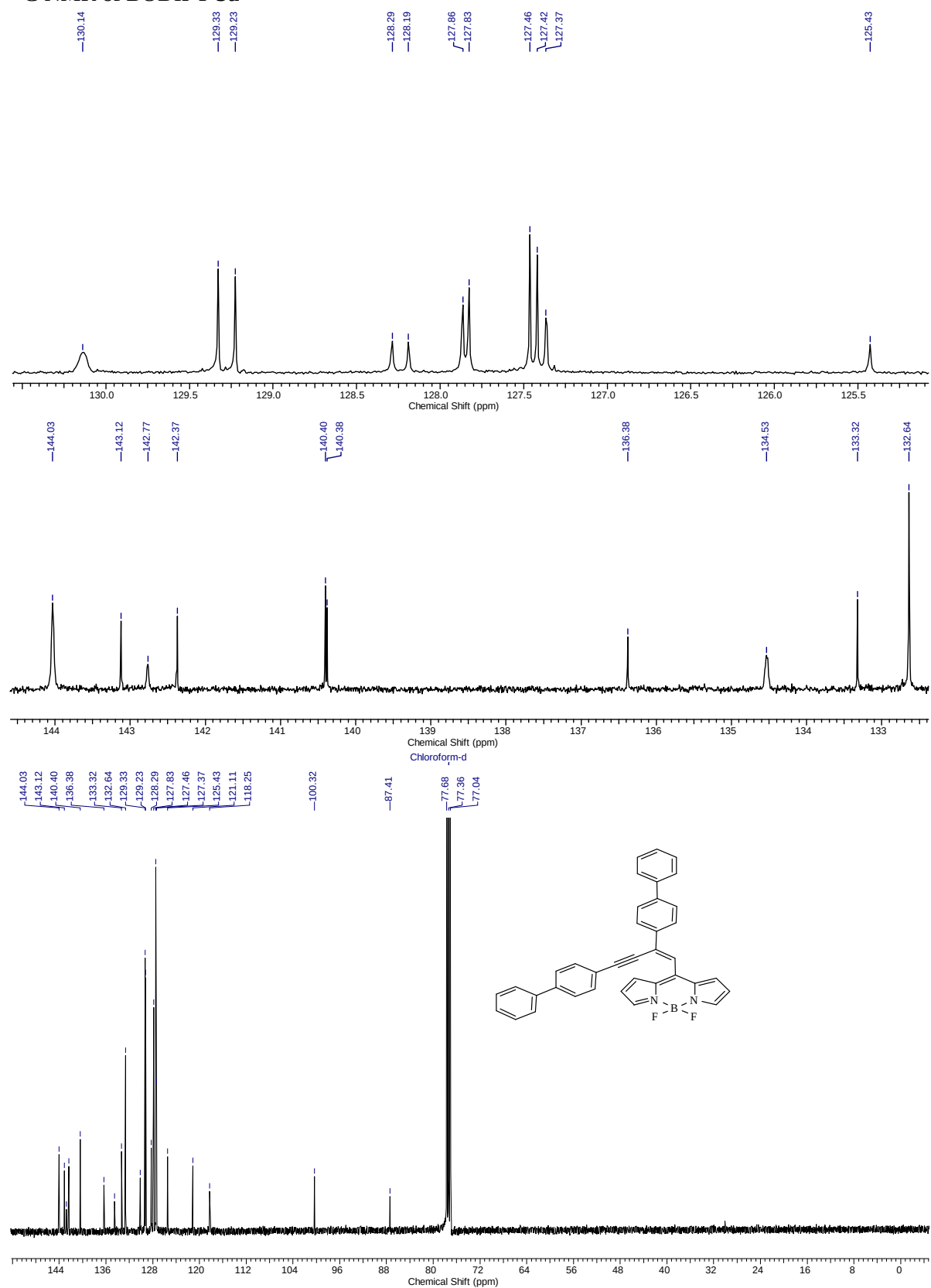
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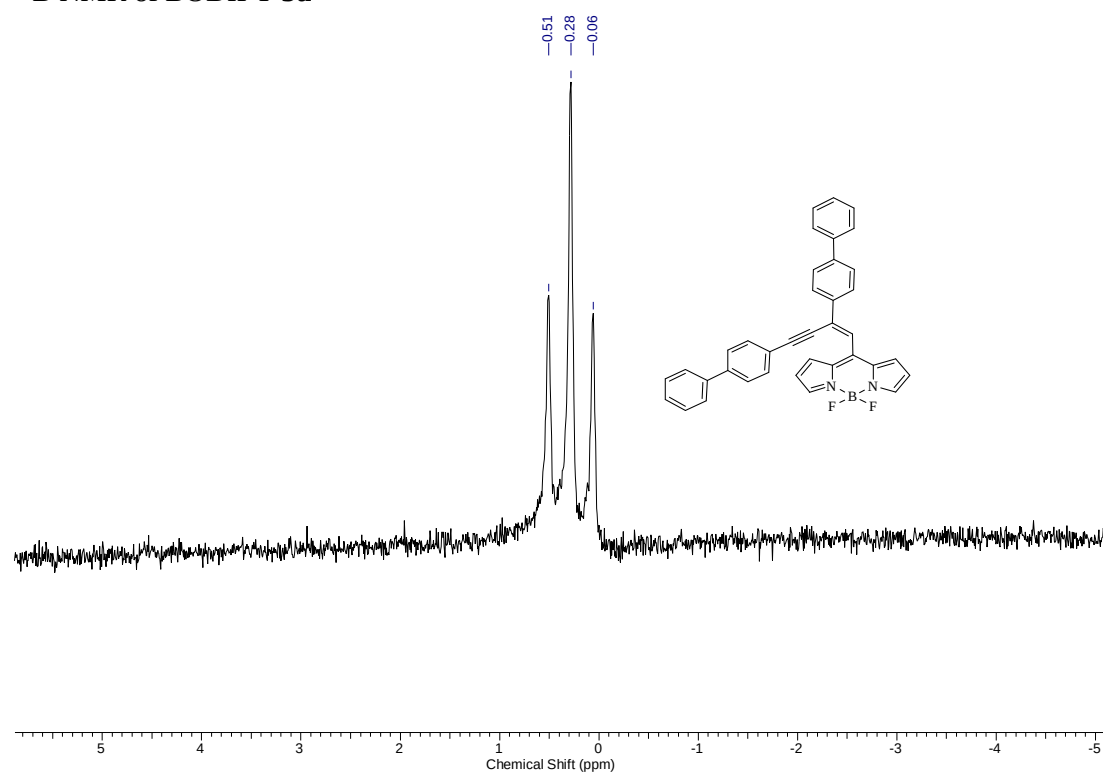
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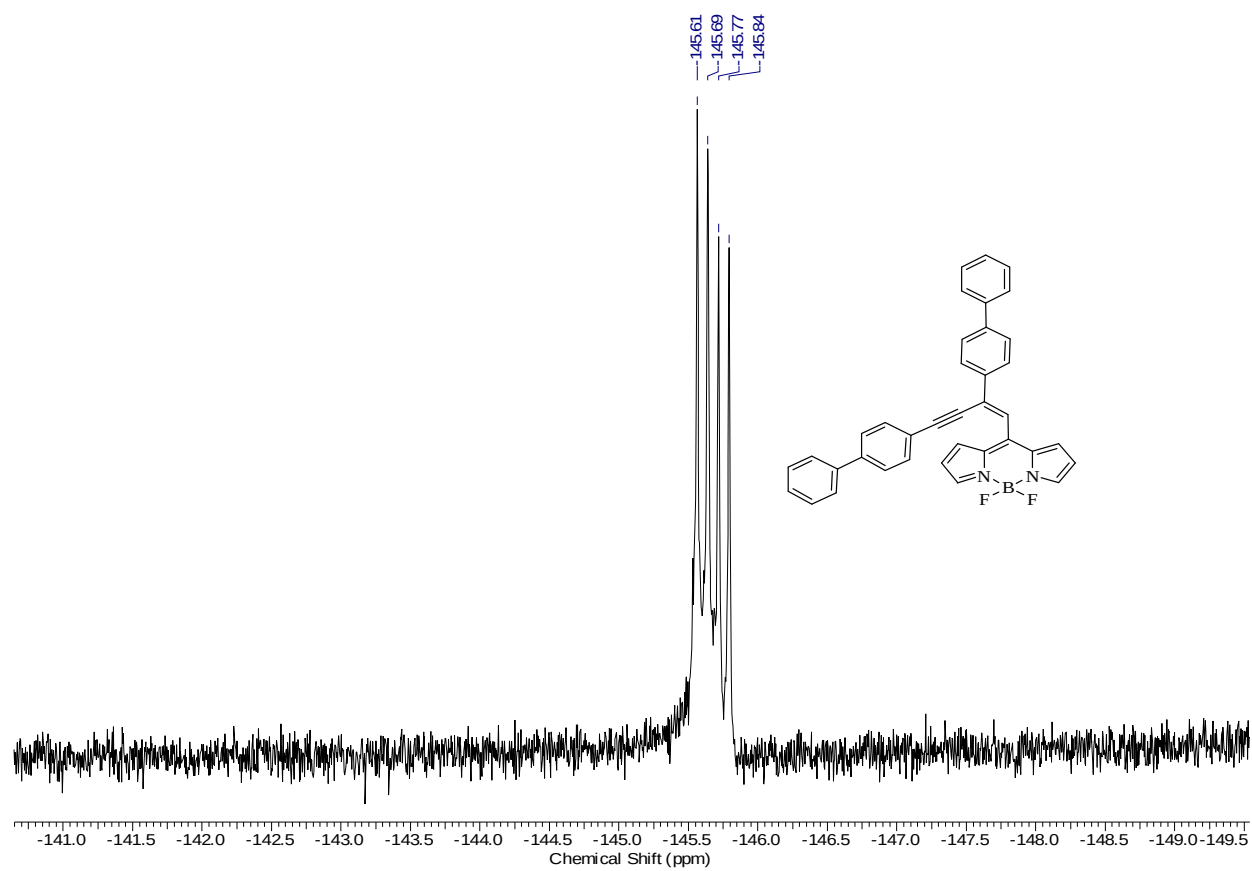
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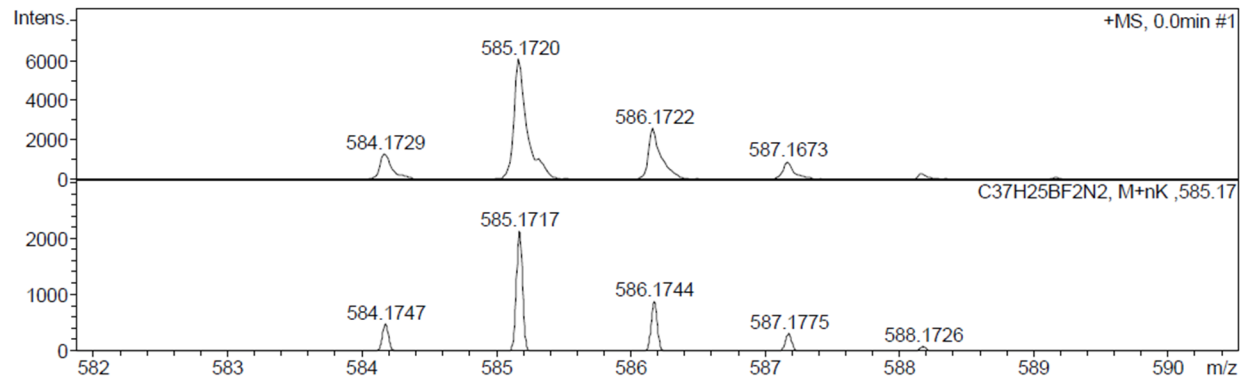
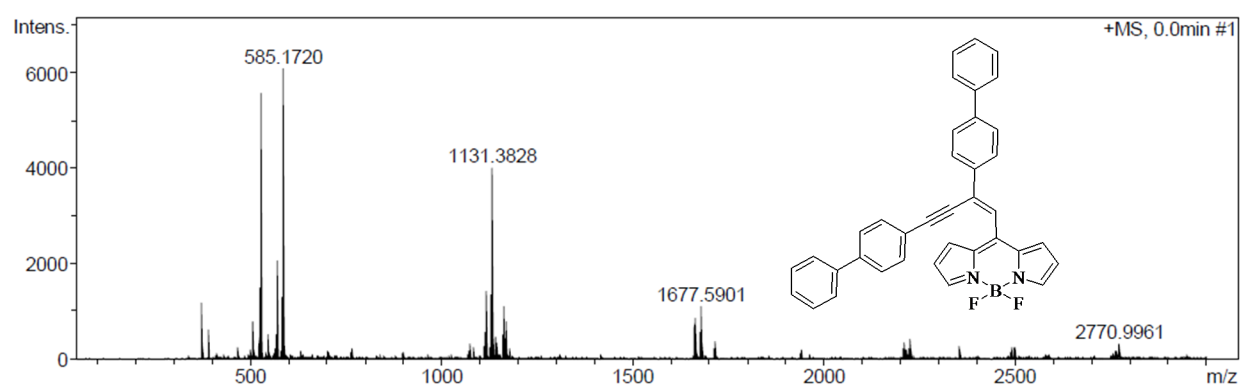
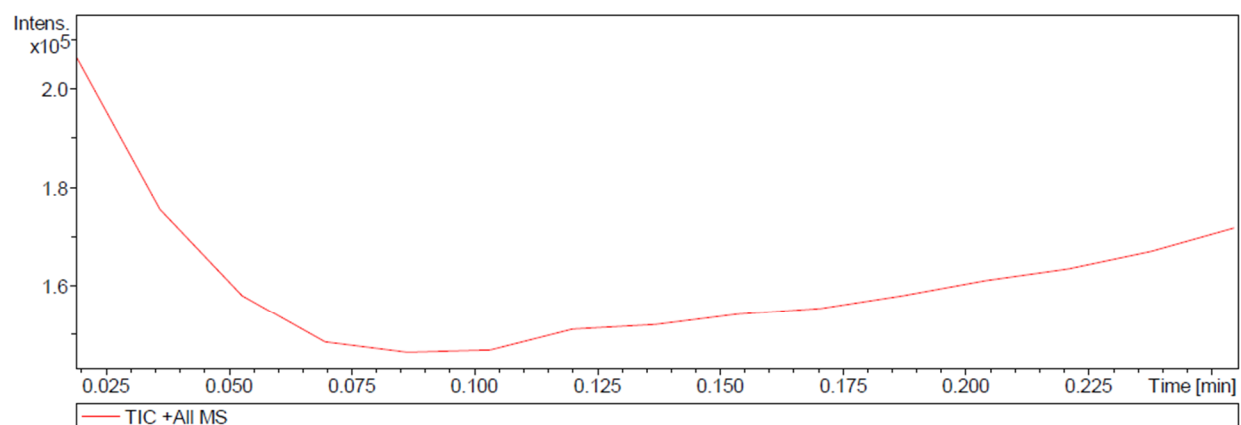
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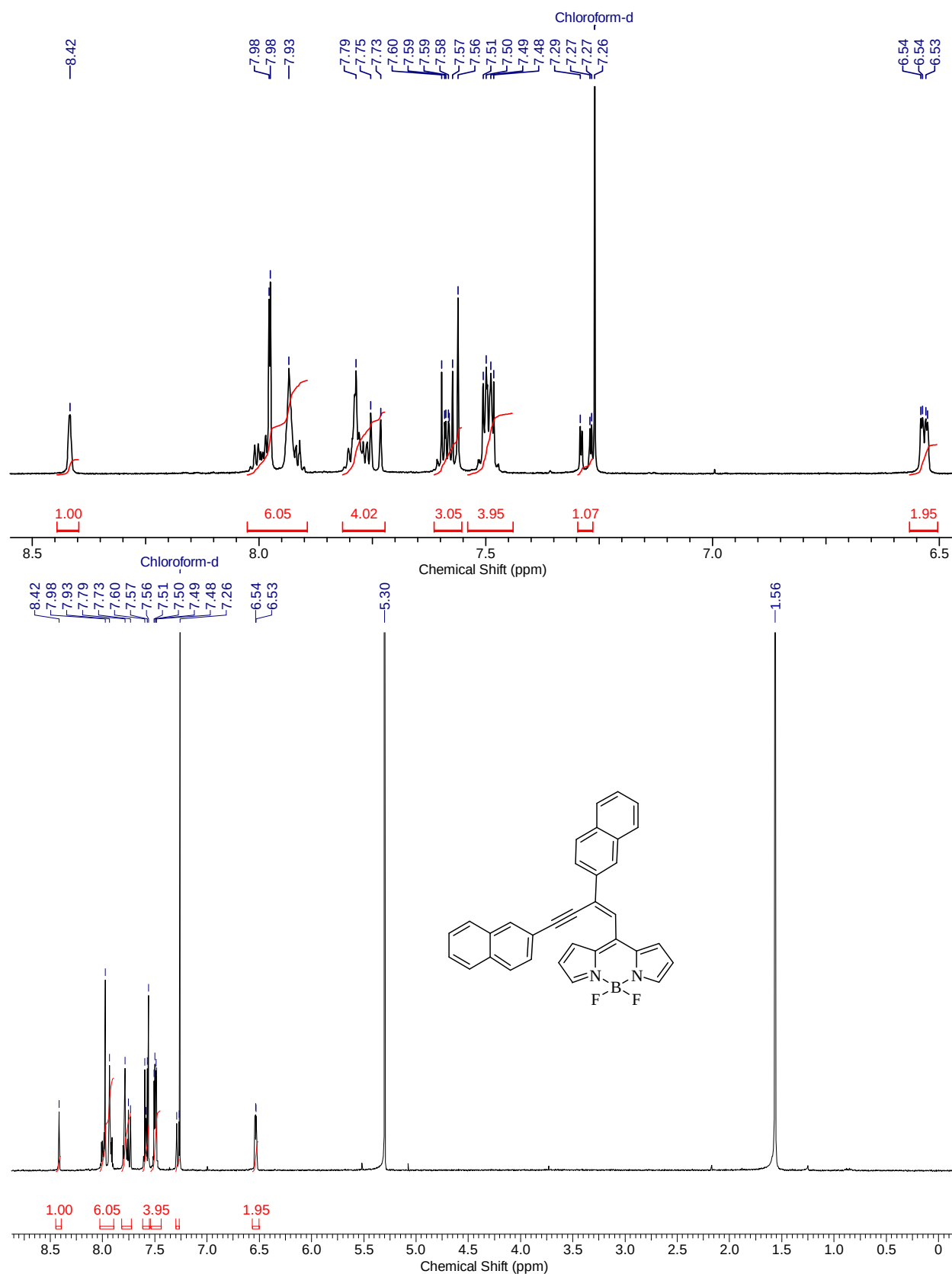
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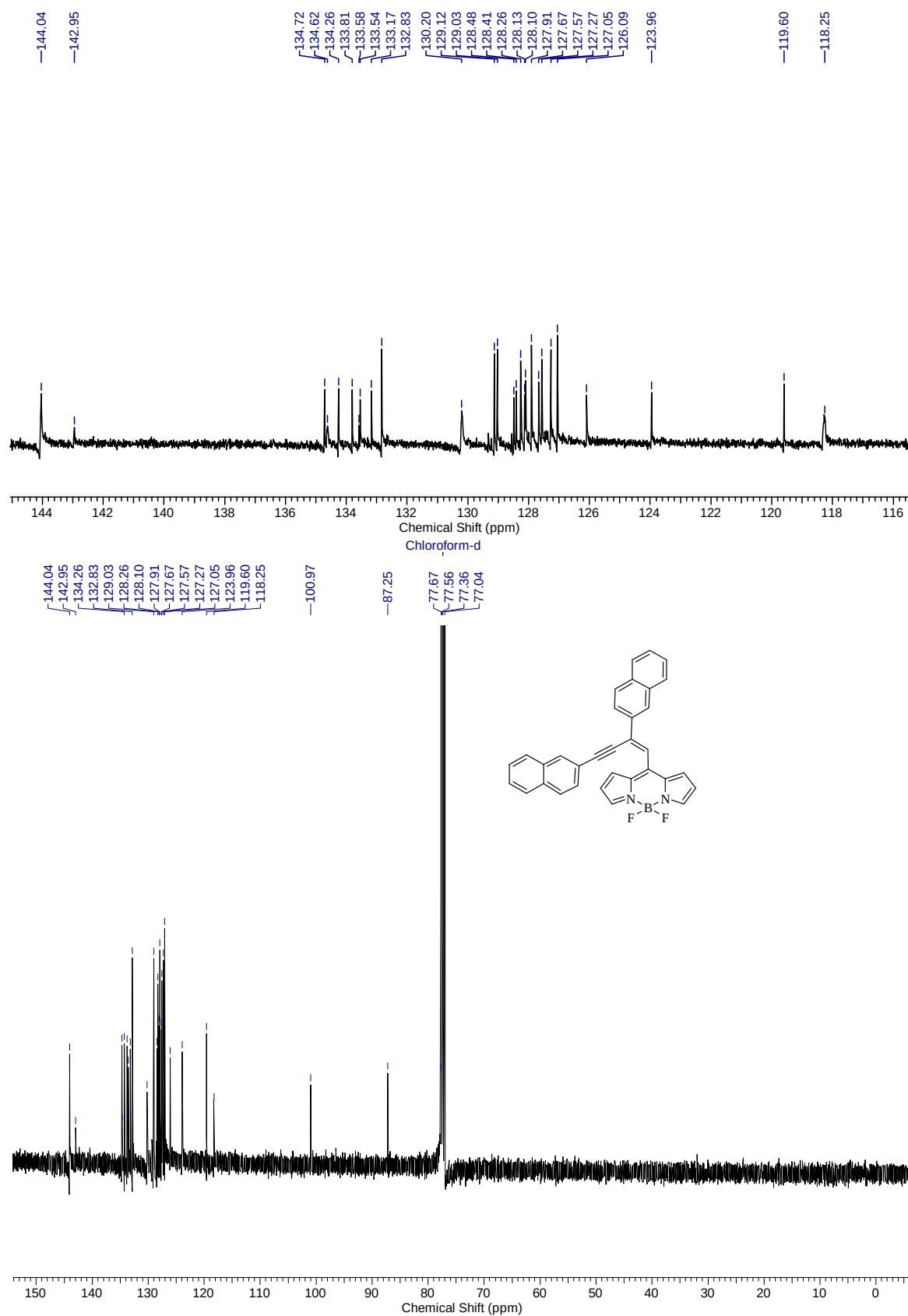
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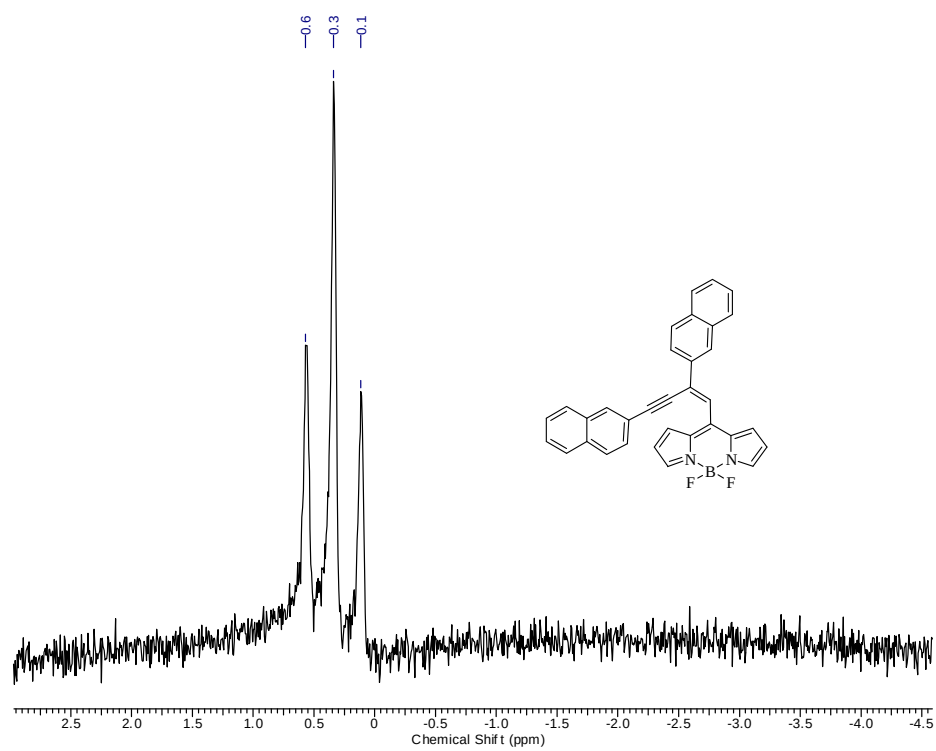
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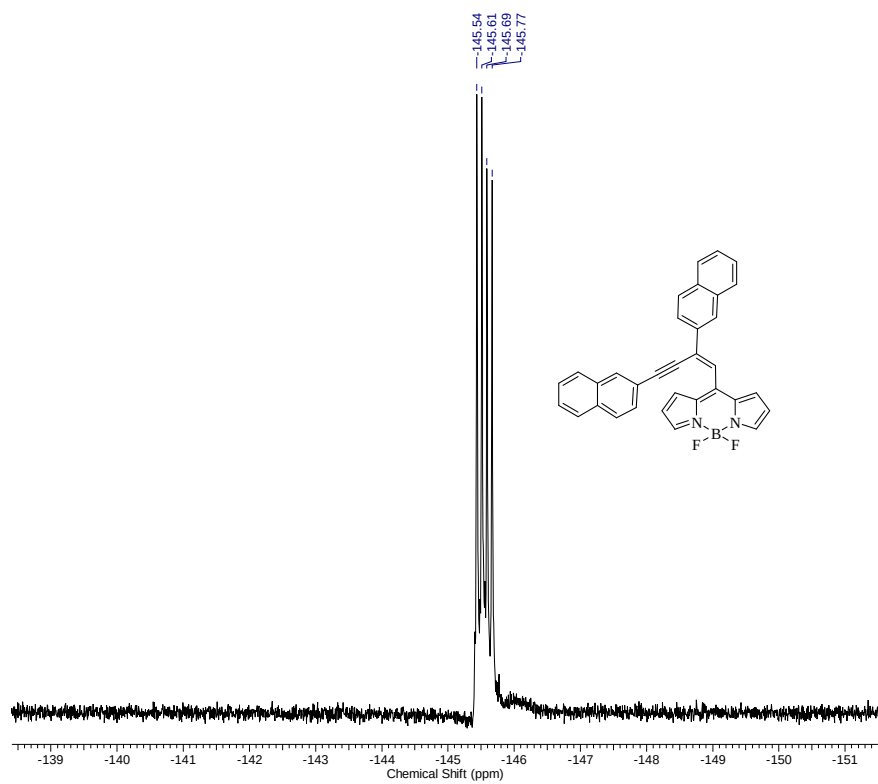
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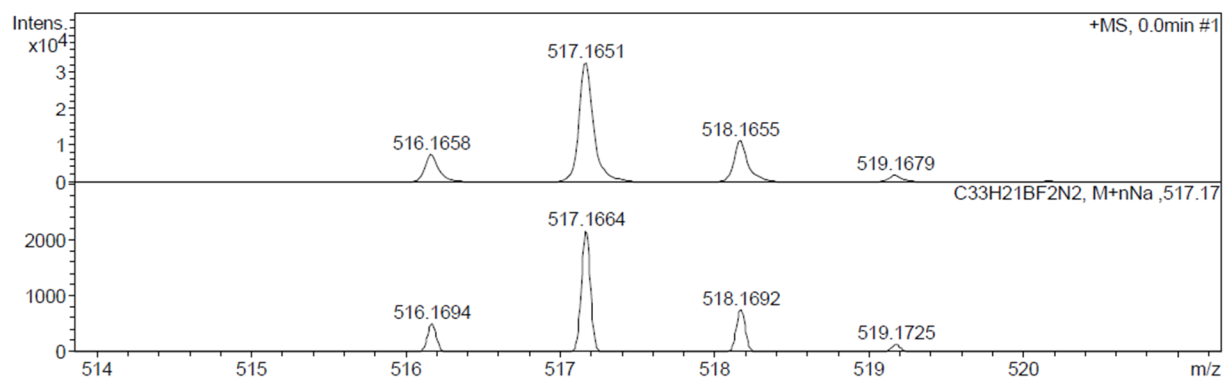
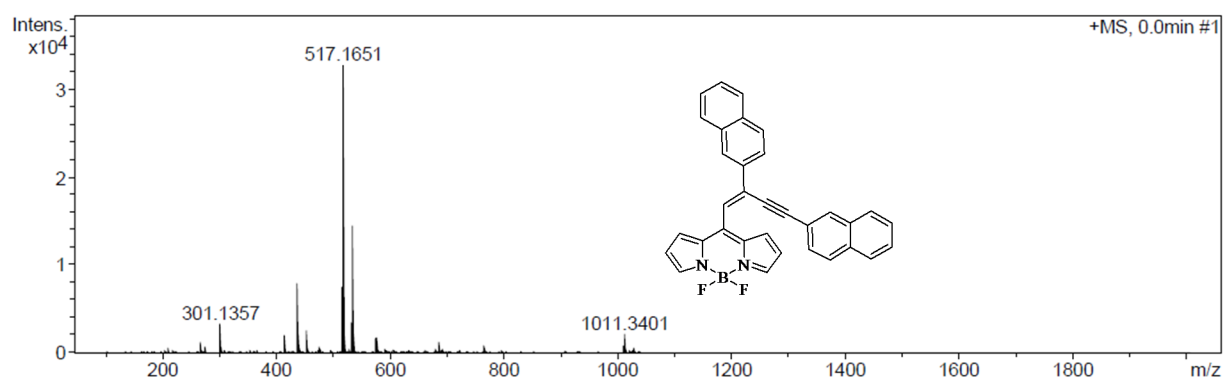
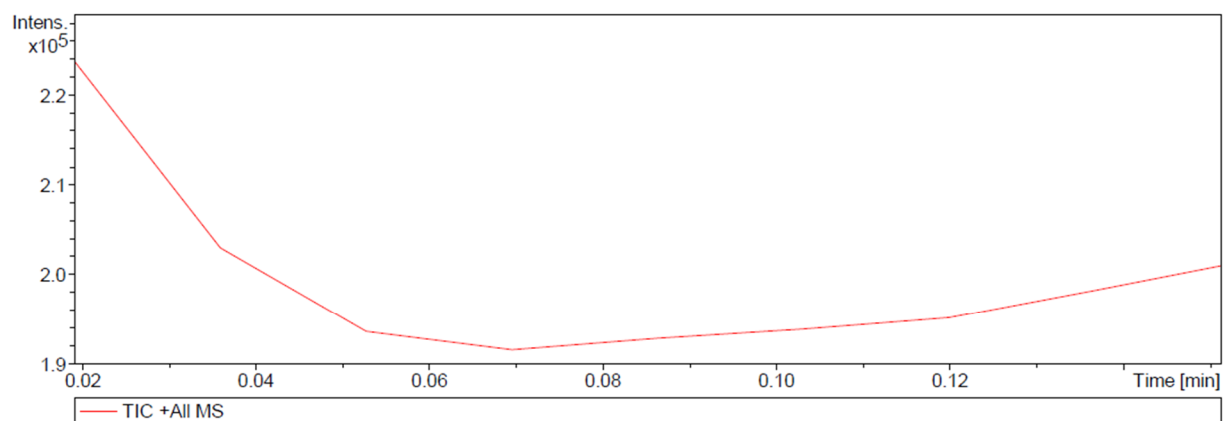
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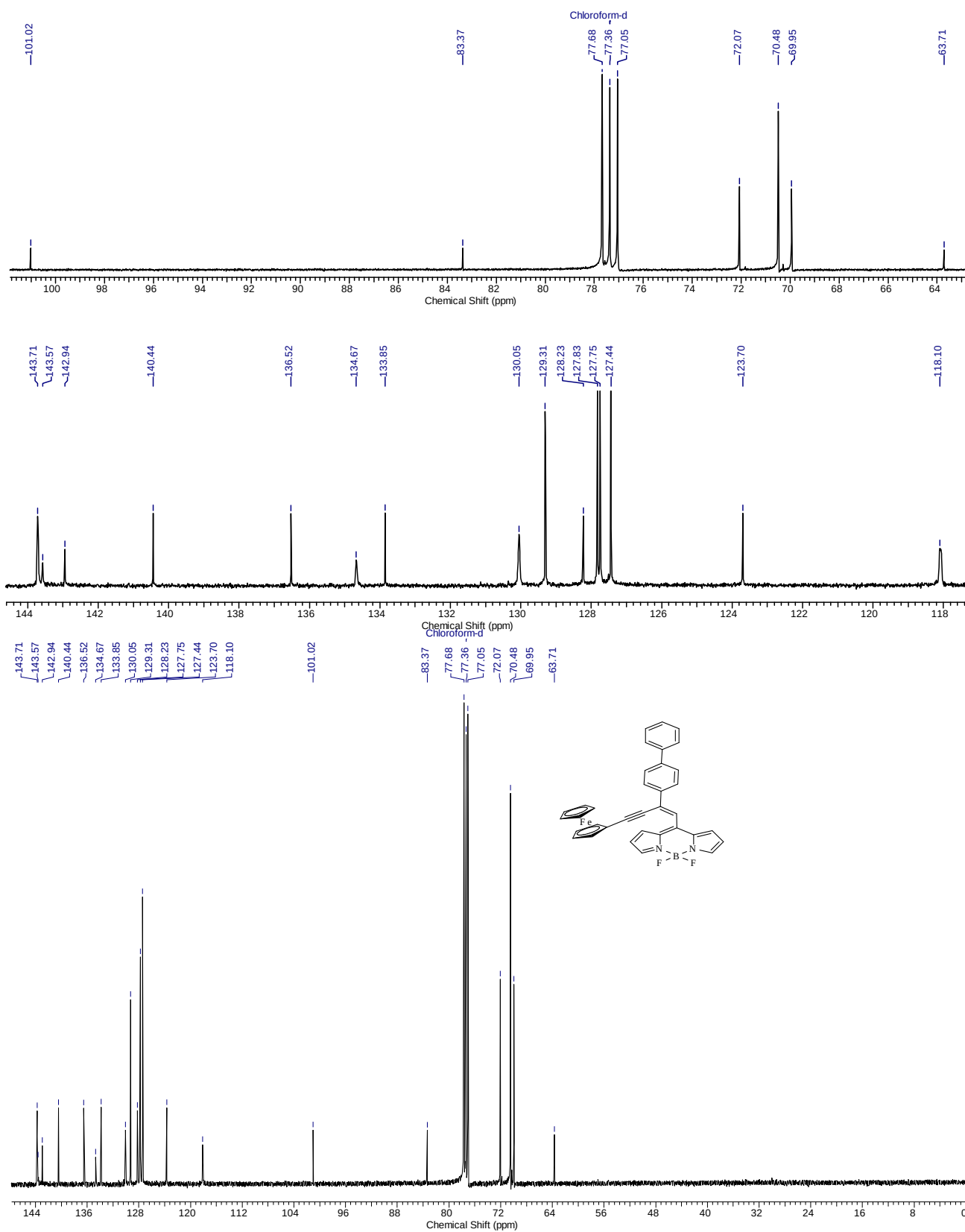


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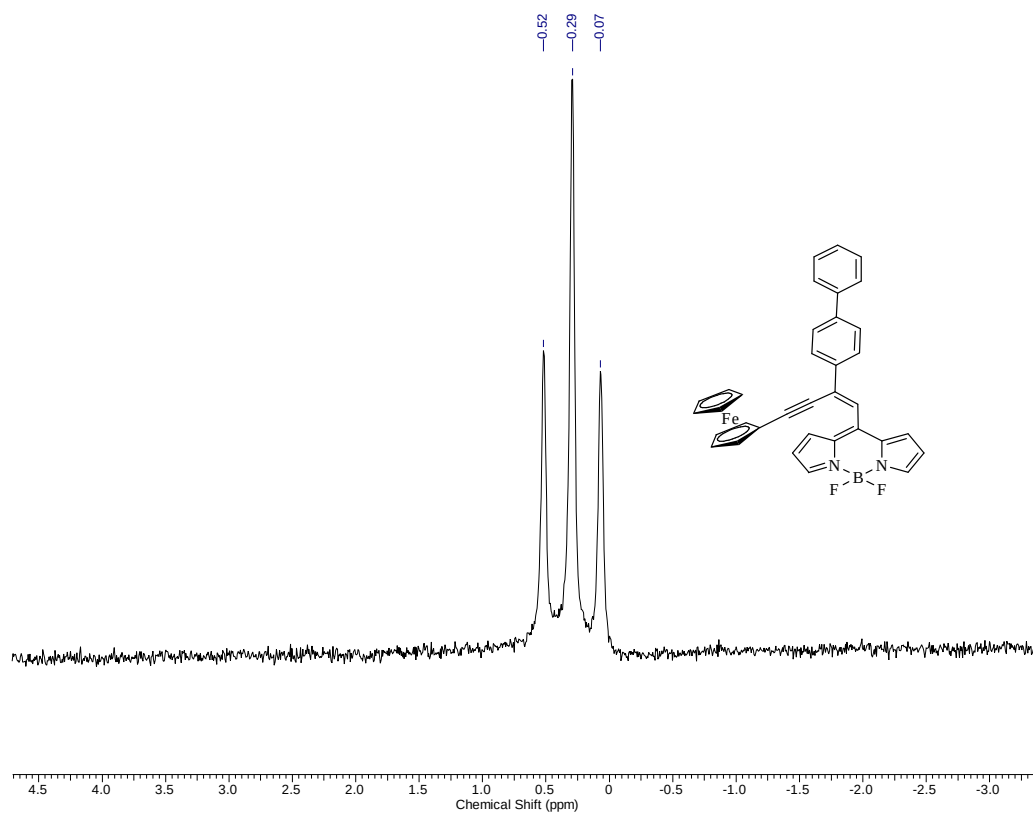


The figure displays two ^1H NMR spectra of compound **10** in CDCl_3 . The top spectrum shows the aromatic region (4.05–4.30 ppm) with peaks at 4.28, 4.27, 4.23, 4.22, and 4.08 ppm. The bottom spectrum shows the aromatic region (6.56–7.92 ppm) with peaks at 7.92, 7.90, 7.73, 7.71, 7.67, 7.66, 7.65, 7.51, 7.50, 7.48, 7.43, 7.42, 7.41, 7.39, 7.26, 6.57, 6.56, and 6.56 ppm. The chemical structure of compound **10** is shown in the bottom right, featuring a ferrocene core with a biphenyl group and a pyridine ring.

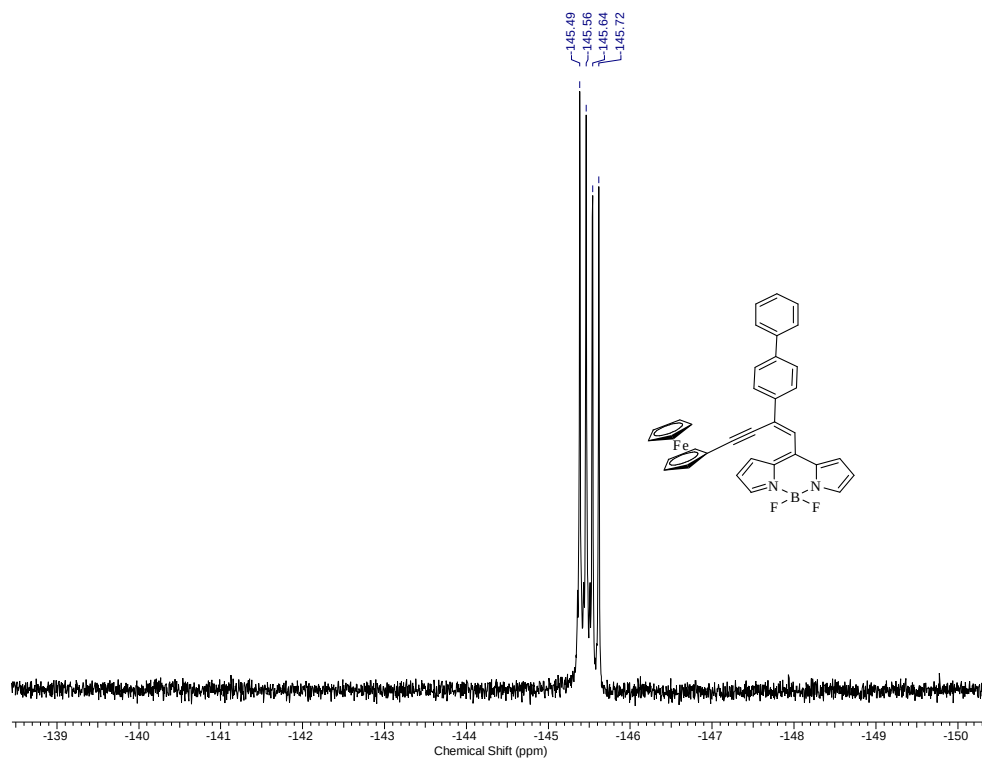
^{13}C NMR of BODIPY **4a**



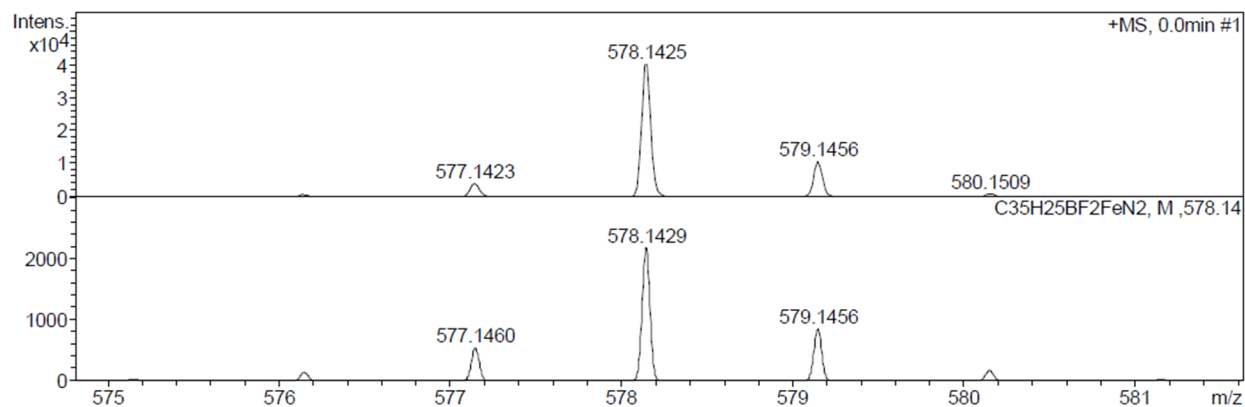
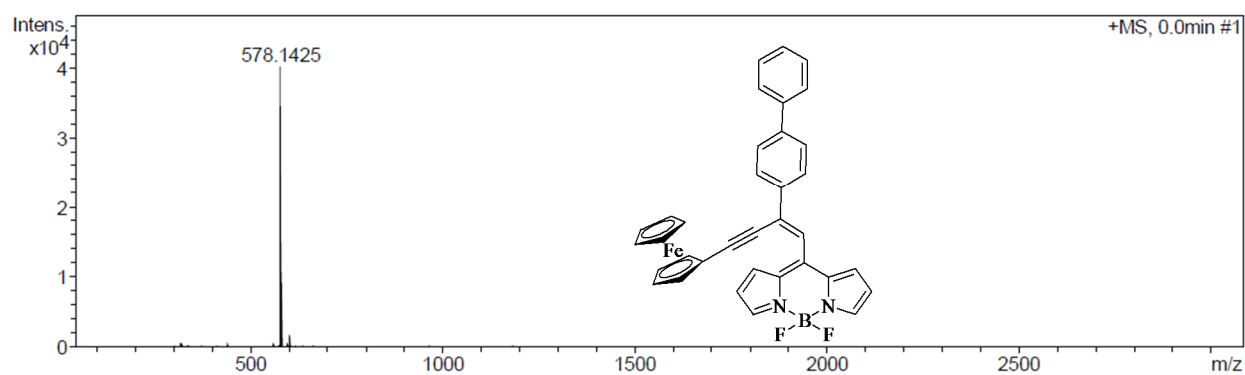
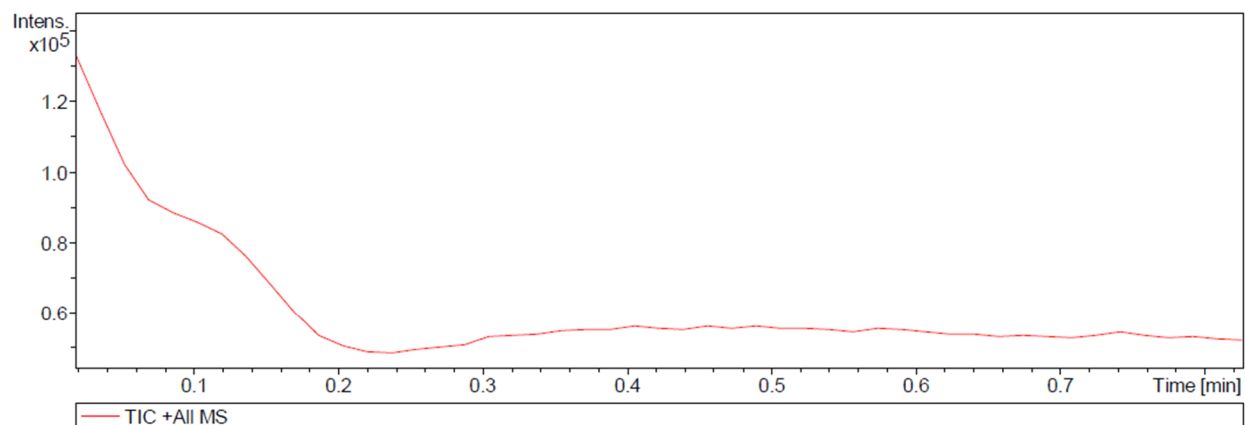
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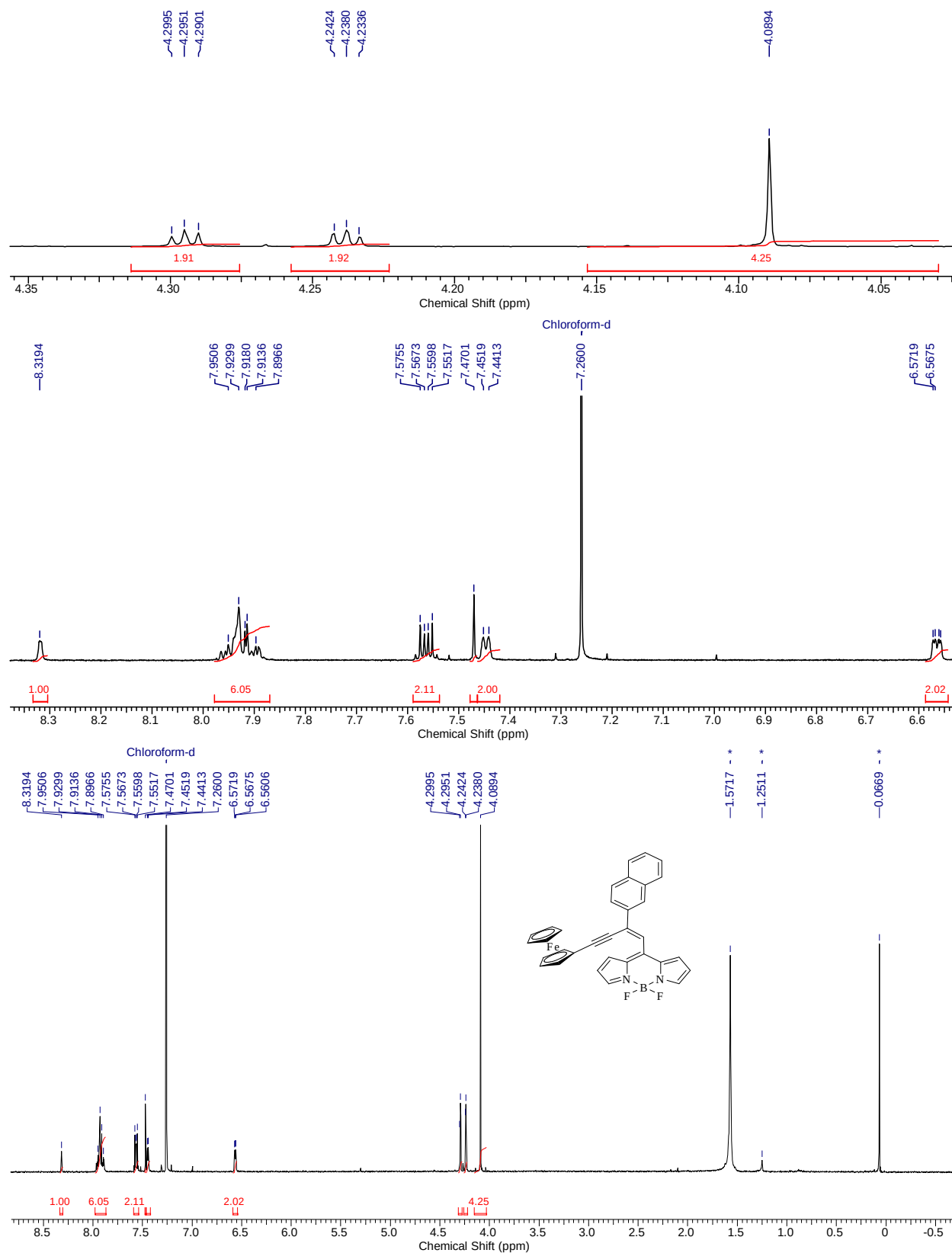
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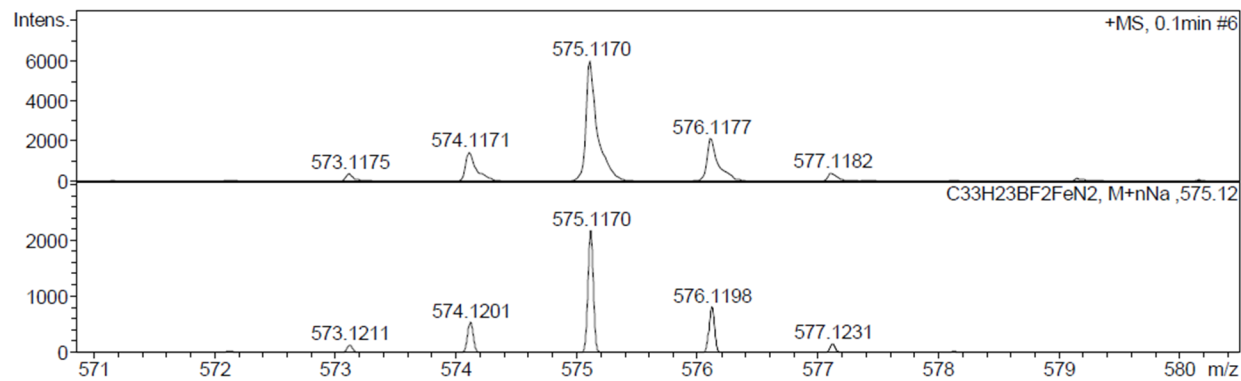
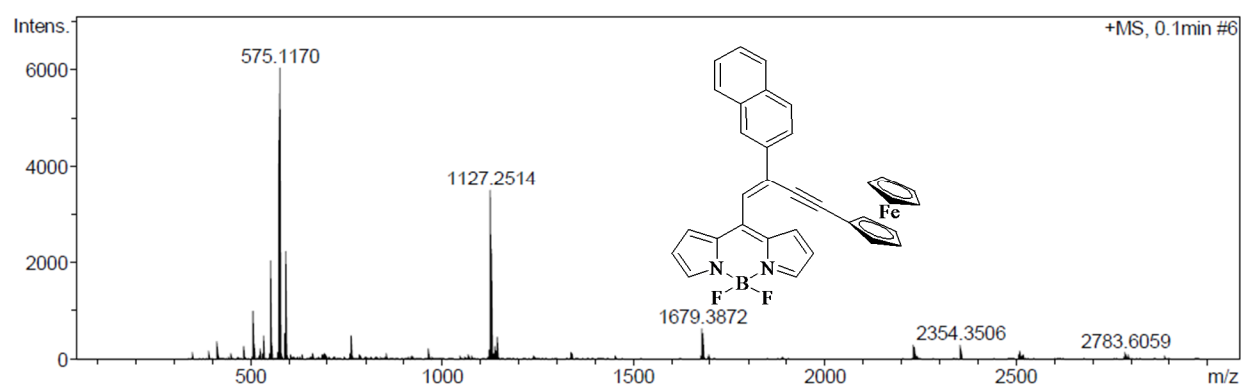
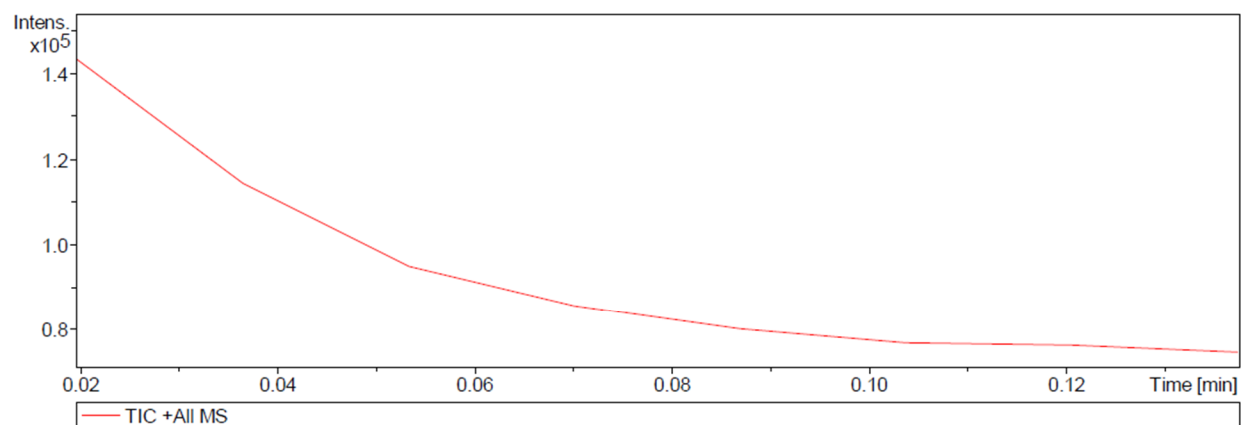


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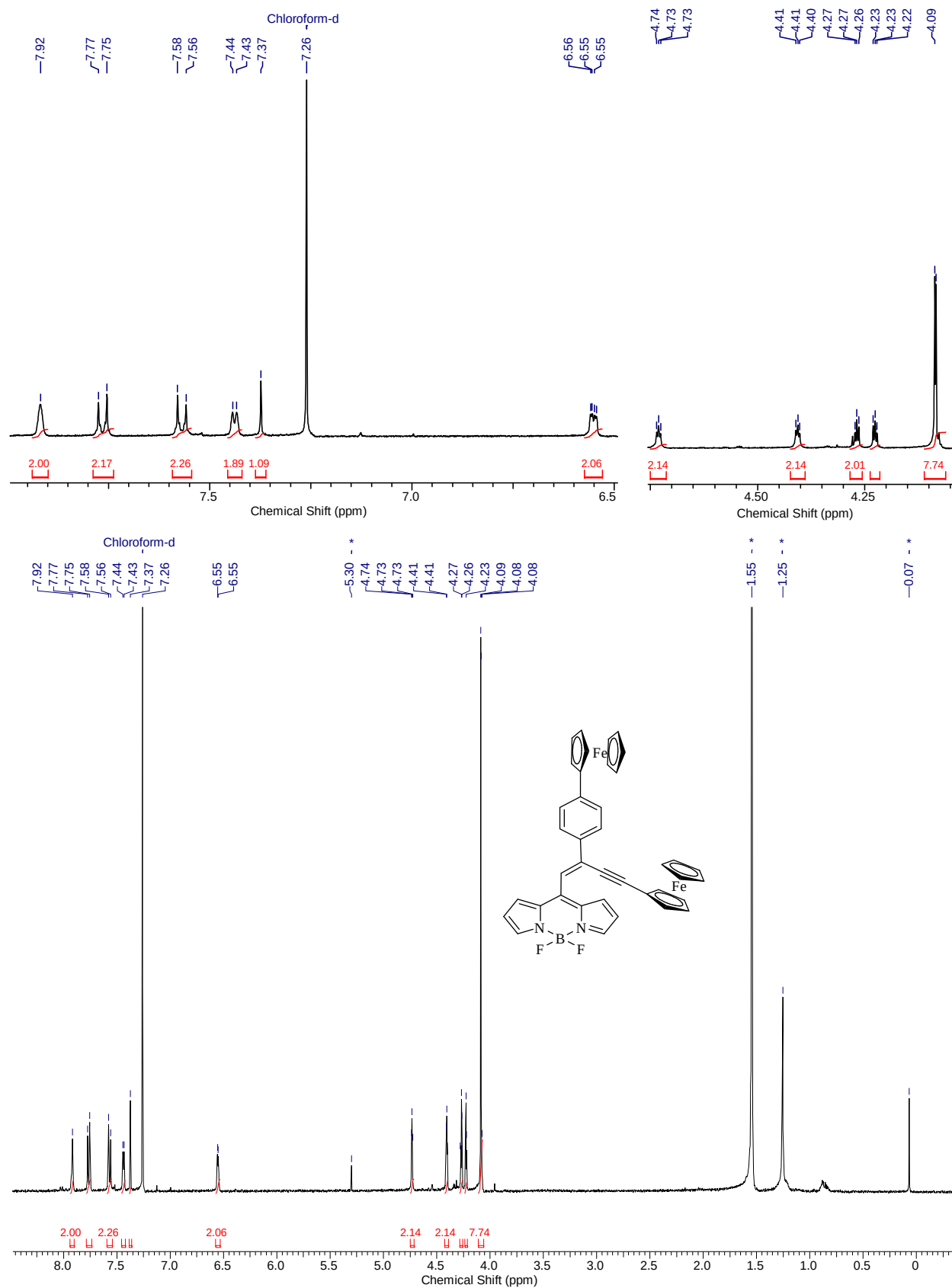
The top spectrum is the experimental ^{13}C NMR spectrum of compound 10 in CDCl_3 . The peaks are labeled with their chemical shifts (ppm): 143.77, 143.58, 134.90, 134.67, 134.21, 134.16, 133.47, 130.12, 129.07, 128.85, 128.08, 127.85, 127.55, 127.19, 124.28, 124.01, and 118.15.

The bottom spectrum is the simulated ^{13}C NMR spectrum of compound 10 in CDCl_3 . The peaks are labeled with their chemical shifts (ppm): 143.77, 134.67, 134.16, 133.47, 129.07, 128.85, 128.08, 127.55, 127.19, 124.28, 124.01, 118.15, 101.01, 83.39, 77.68, 77.56, 77.36, 77.04, 72.37, 70.86, 70.32, and 53.78.

HRMS of BODIPY **4b**



¹H NMR of BODIPY 4c



¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃)

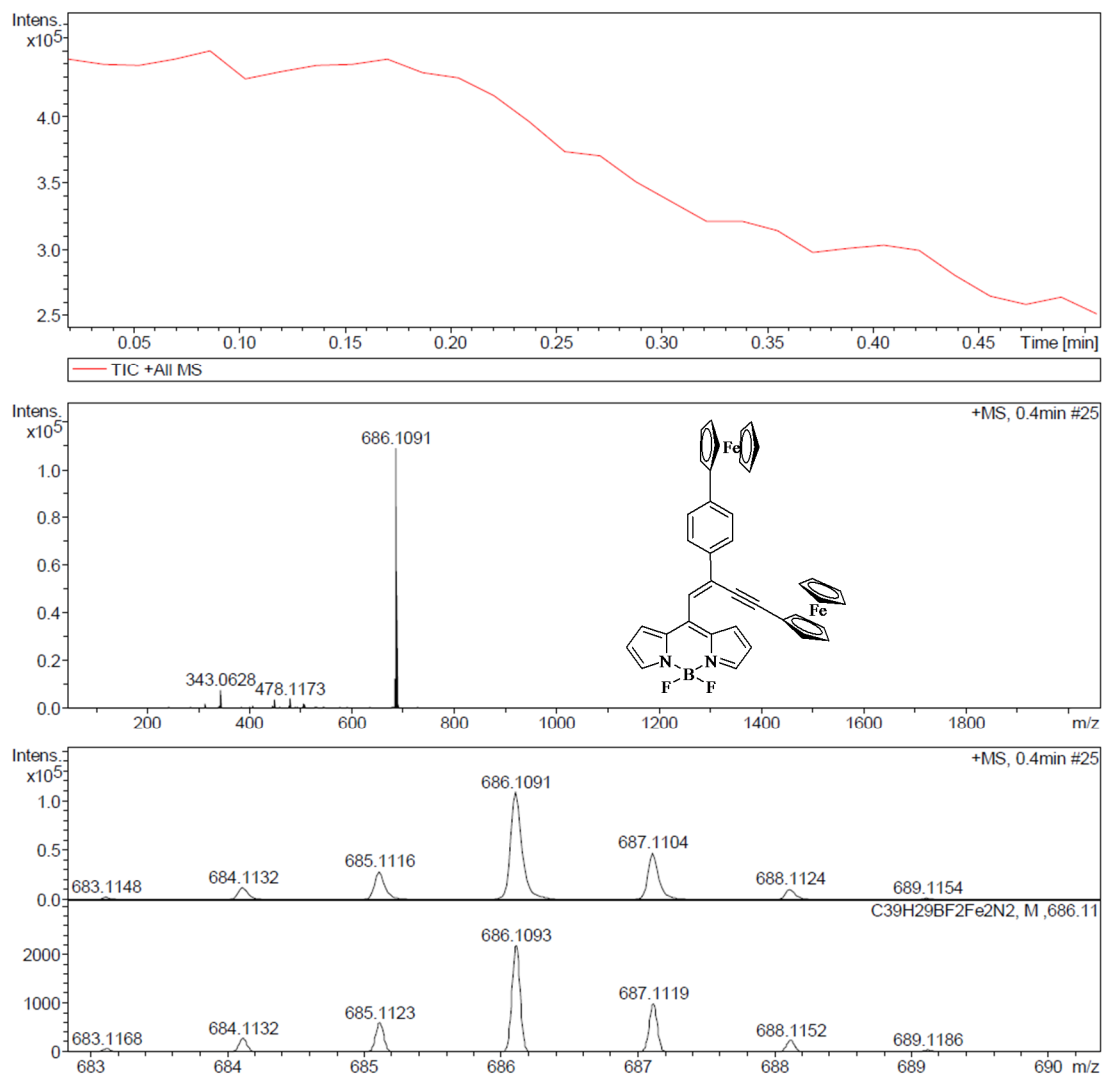
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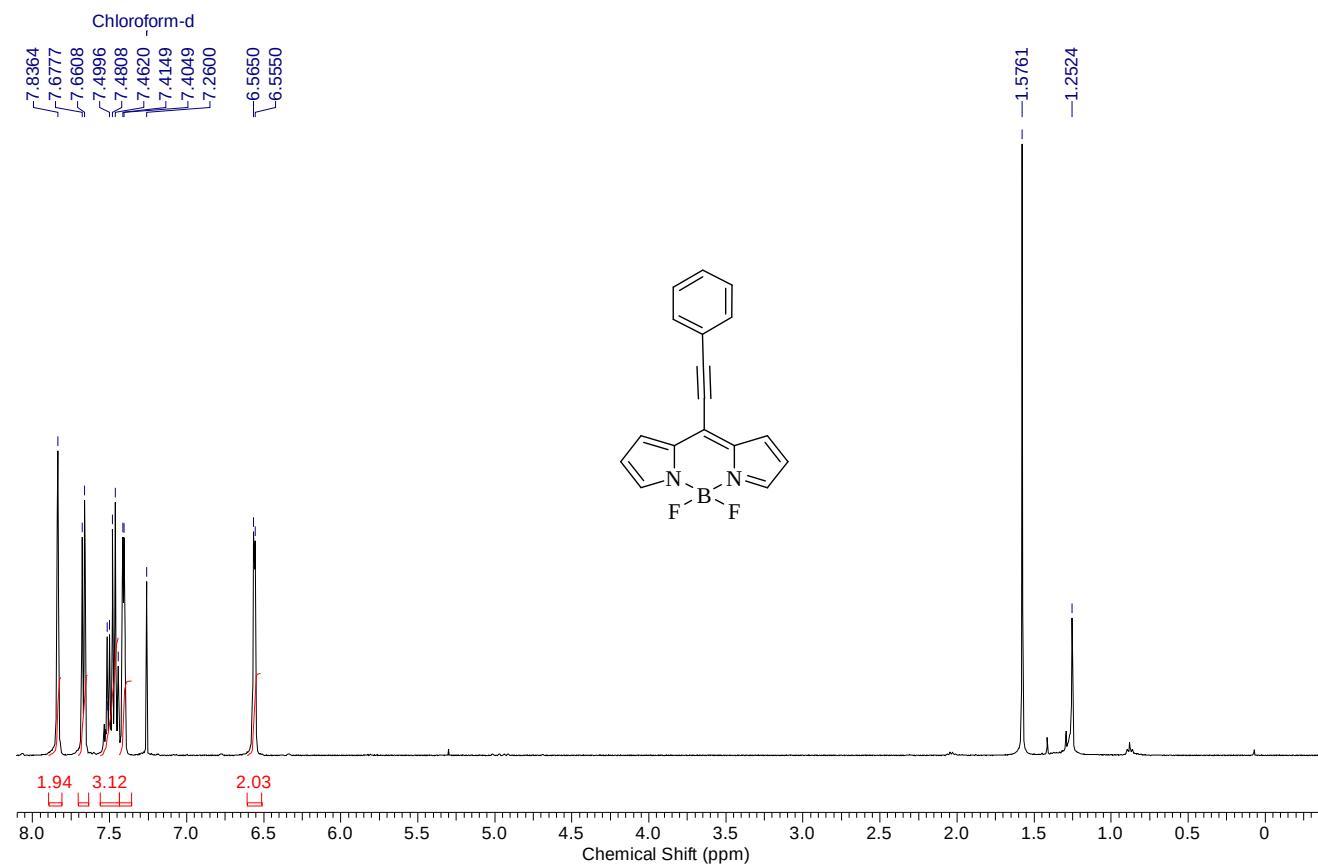
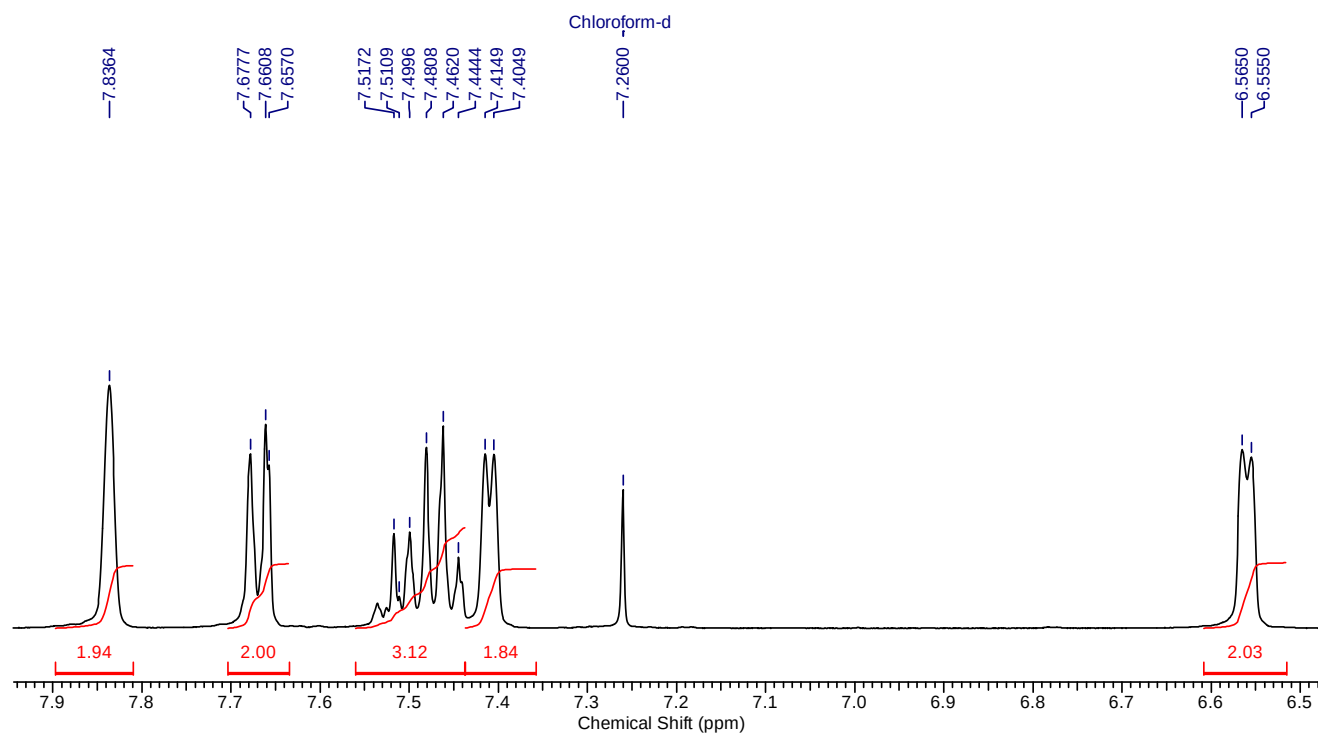
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Chemical structure of compound 10 is shown on the right.

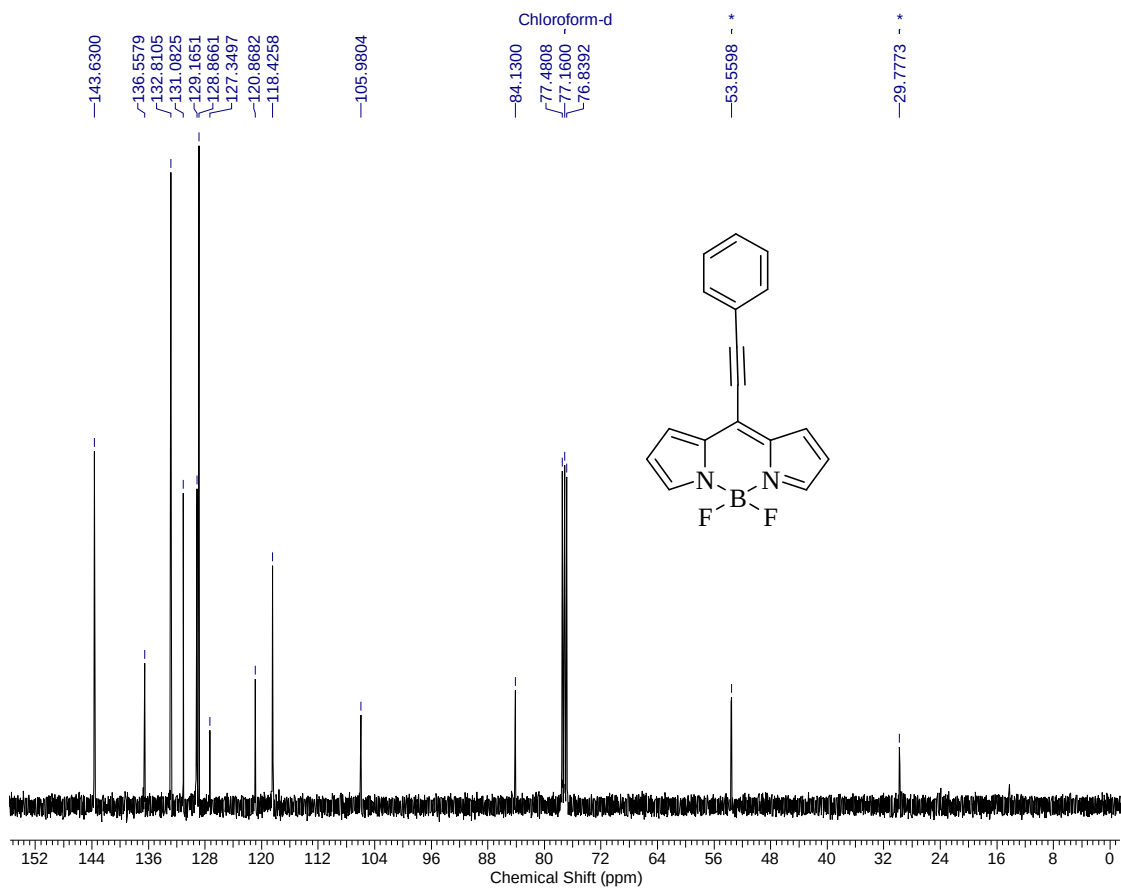
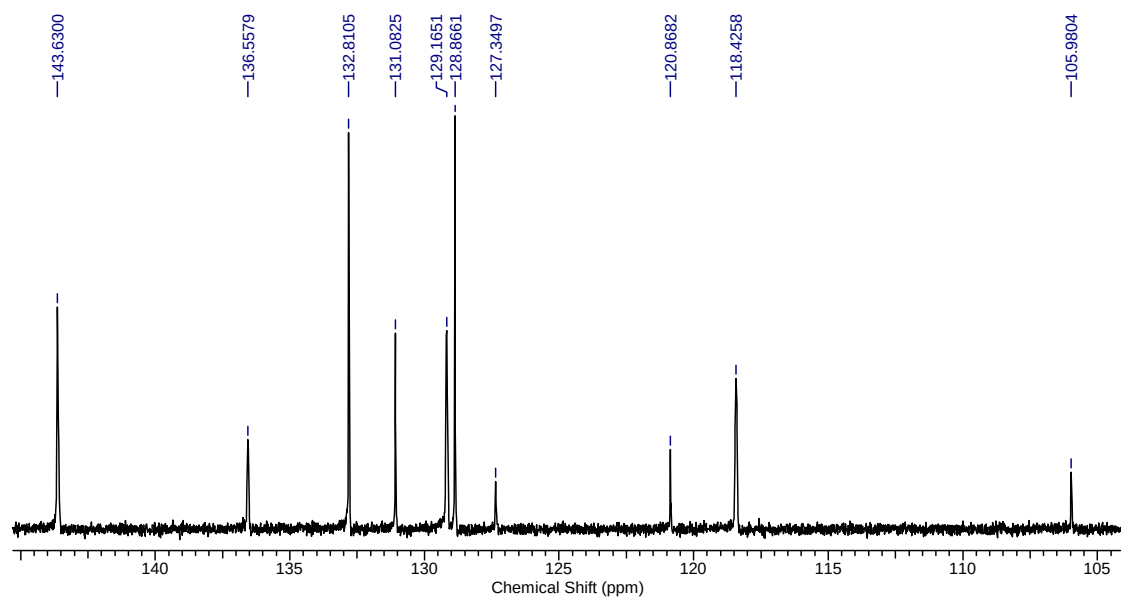
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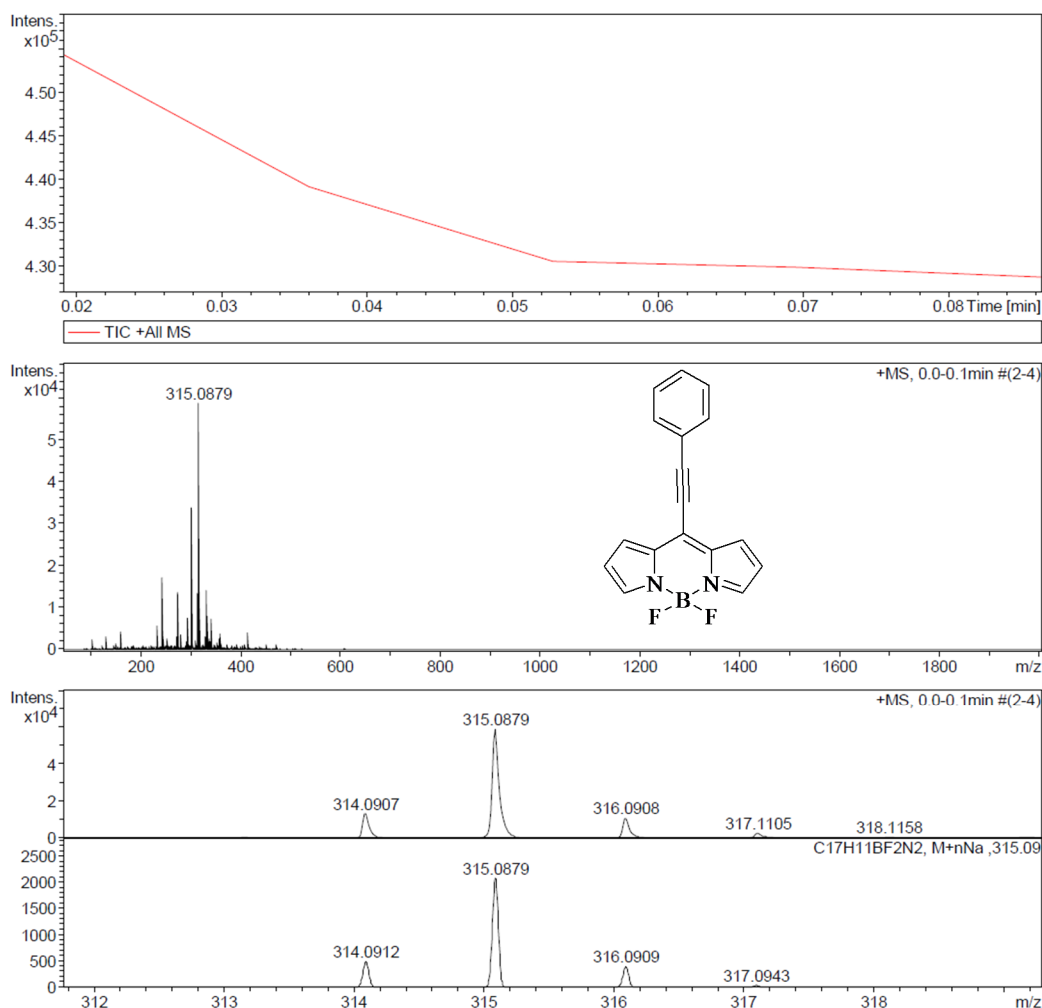
¹H NMR of BODIPY **2d**



¹³C NMR data of BODIPY **2d**



HRMS of BODIPY 2d



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