

Supporting Information

Double [3+2]-dimerisation cascade synthesis of bis(triazolyl)diphosphanes, a new scaffold for bidentate diphosphanes

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I. General information

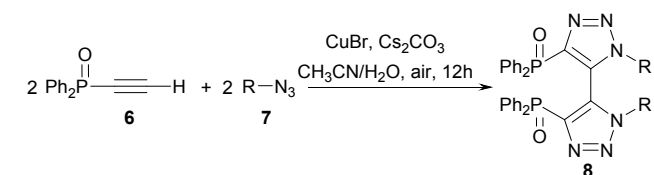
All reactions were carried out under an argon or nitrogen atmosphere using standard Schlenk techniques otherwise stated. Solvents were carefully dried by conventional or were purified with an MBRAUN Solvent Purification System. ^1H , ^{13}C and ^{31}P NMR spectra were recorded with a Bruker Avance 500 FT-NMR or a Bruker Avance 400 spectrometer. The resonances were calibrated relative to the residual solvent peaks and are reported with positive values downfield from TMS. NMR multiplicities are abbreviated as follows: s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, q = quartet, m = multiplet, br = broad signal. Chemical shifts (δ) and coupling constants (J) were expressed in ppm and Hz, respectively. For all characterized compounds, the peak assignments in the ^1H and ^{13}C NMR spectra were based on COSY, HSQC and HMBC 2D experiments. HRMS were obtained from dichloromethane solutions with a Xevo G2 Q TOF spectrometer by the electrospray method or with a LC-TOF spectrometer (Micromass).

II. Synthesis of bistriazolyl phosphane oxides 8.1-8.7

II.1. General procedure

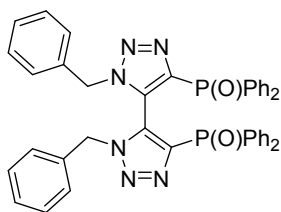
In a round bottom flask, ethynyldiphenylphosphane oxide (250 mg, 1.1 mmol) was dissolved in acetonitrile (3 mL). Then the corresponding azide (3.3 mmol) and aqueous cesium carbonate solution at 2 mol.L⁻¹ (1.65 mL) were added followed by copper bromide (158 mg, 1 mmol). The resulting mixture was stirred at room temperature in an open vessel for 12 hours. After complete reaction as monitored by TLC, the solvent was removed under reduced pressure and the residue was dissolved in dichloromethane, washed with aqueous ammonia solution (10%, 3 x 10mL), brine, then dried over magnesium sulfate and the solvent was evaporated under reduced pressure. The product was isolated as specified below.

Synthesis of bistriazolylphosphane dioxides 8.1-8.7



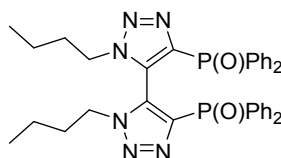
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		d			d
8.1	Bn	49	8.6	CH ₂ CO ₂ Me	20
8.2	<i>n</i> -Bu	42	8.7	CH ₂ OBn	12
8.3	<i>i</i> -Bu	23	8.8	CH ₂ C(O)Me	-
8.4	<i>c</i> -Hex	6	8.9	CH ₂ C(O)Ph	-
8.5	CH ₂ CO ₂ Bn	29			

II.2. 4,4'-bis(diphenylphosphinoxy)-1,1'-dibenzyl-5,5'-bis-1,2,3-triazole dioxide, 8.1



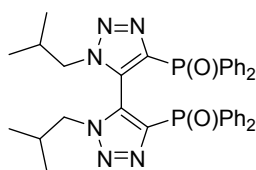
The compound was isolated as a white solid after recrystallization from ethanol; **Yield** : 49%; **¹H NMR** (400,13 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.13 - 7.97 (m, 4H), 7.65 - 7.41 (m, 10H), 7.39 - 7.08 (m, 12H), 6.91 - 6.77 (m, 4H), 5.51 (d, *J* = -14.7 Hz, 2H), 4.70 (d, *J* = -14.7 Hz, 2H); **¹³C NMR** (100,61 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 141.18 (d, *J* = 130.4 Hz), 132.88 (s), 132.36 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz), 132.04 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz), 131.65 (d, *J* = 10.0 Hz), 131.39 (dd, *J* = 55.3 Hz, *J* = 109.07 Hz), 131.23 (d, *J* = 10.9 Hz), 130.85 (d, *J* = 241.7 Hz), 128.92(s), 128.83 (s), 128.62 (d, *J* = 12.6 Hz), 128.54 (d, *J* = 12.8 Hz), 128.15 (s), 53.13 (s); **³¹P NMR** (161.97 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 16.80 (s); **HRMS (EI)**: *m/z* Calcd. for C₄₂H₃₄N₆O₂P₂ [M+H]⁺:717.22; Found: 717.2306; **mp** : 224.5-227.4°C.

II.3. 4,4'-bis(diphenylphosphinoxy)-1,1'-dibutyl-5,5'-bis-1,2,3-triazole dioxide, 8.2



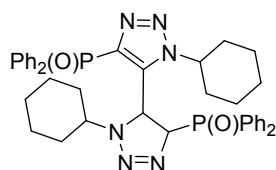
The compound was isolated as a white solid after purification by a chromatography column on silica gel with as eluent a mixture of dichloromethane-isopropanol (98/2); **Yield** : 42%; **¹H NMR** (400,13 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.96 (dd, *J* = 7.6 Hz, *J* = 12.1 Hz, 4H), 7.61 - 7.35(m, 10H), 7.33 - 7.21 (m, 2H), 7.20 - 7.08 (m, 4H), 4.23 - 4.40 (m, 2H), 4.13 - 4.01 (m, 2H), 1.92-1.78(m, 2H), 1.77 - 1.64 (m, 2H), 1.22 - 1.08 (m, 4H), 0.78 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 6H); **¹³C NMR** (100,61 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 140.82 (d, *J* = 130,0 Hz), 133.27 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz), 131.98 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz), 131.66 (d, *J* = 10,0 Hz), 131.57 (dd, *J* = 29 Hz, *J* = 110.3 Hz), 131.27 (d, *J* = 10.9 Hz), 130.42 (d, *J* = 21.9 Hz), 129.57 (d, *J* = 12.7 Hz), 129.47 (d, *J* = 13,0 Hz), 49.40 (s), 31.07 (s), 19.84 (s), 13.31 (s); **³¹P NMR** (161.97 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 16.52 (s); **HRMS (EI)**: *m/z* Calcd. for C₃₆H₃₈N₆O₂P₂ [M+H]⁺:649.25; Found: 649.2607; **mp** : 172.2-172.7 °C.

II.4. 4,4'-bis(diphenylphosphinoxy)-1,1'-diisobutyl-5,5'-bis-1,2,3-triazole dioxide, 8.3



The compound was isolated as a white solid after purification by a chromatography column on silica gel with as eluent a mixture of dichloromethane-isopropanol (98/2); **Yield** : 23%; **¹H NMR** (400,13 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.05 - 7.92 (m, 4H), 7.61 - 7.44 (m, 10H), 7.38 - 7.27 (m, 2H), 7.23 - 7.14 (m, 4H), 4.20 (dd, *J* = 7.5 Hz, *J* = -13.9 Hz, 2H), 3.88 (dd, *J* = 7.4 Hz, *J* = -13.9 Hz, 2H), 2.10 (ht, *J* = 6.87 Hz, *J* = 6.87 Hz, 2H), 0.81 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 6H), 0.73 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 6H); **¹³C NMR** (100,61 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 140.87 (d, *J* = 131.2 Hz), 133.26 (d, *J* = 41.9 Hz), 132.27 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz), 132.00 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz), 131.71 (d, *J* = 10.0 Hz), 131.22 (d, *J* = 10.8 Hz), 130.67 (d, *J* = 22 Hz), 128.58 (d, *J* = 12.6 Hz), 128.08 (d, *J* = 13.0 Hz), 56.97 (s), 28.02 (s), 20.16 (s), 20.03 (s); **³¹P NMR** (161.97 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 16.5 (s); **HRMS (EI)**: *m/z* Calcd. for C₃₆H₃₈N₆O₂P₂ [M+H]⁺:649.25; Found: 649.2618; **mp** : 237.1-238.0 °C.

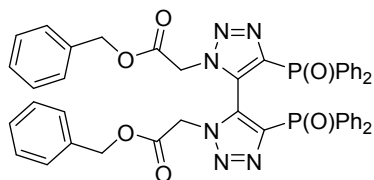
II.5. 4,4'-bis(diphenylphosphinoxy)-1,1'-dicyclohexyl-5,5'-bis-1,2,3-triazole dioxide, 8.4



The compound was isolated as a white solid after sublimation; **Yield** : 6%; **¹H NMR** (400,13 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.95 - 7.89 (qt, 3H), 7.51 - 7.38 (m, 11H), 7.27 - 7.21 (m, 6H), 3.70 (tt, *J* = 11.74 Hz, 3.70 Hz, 2H), 2.53 - 2.56 (m, 2H), 2.11 - 2.02 (m, 2H), 1.91 - 1.83 (m, 2H), 1.75 - 1.66 (m, 4H), 1.56 - 1.48 (m, 4H), 1.18 - 1.11 (m, 2H), 0.99 - 0.89 (m, 2H), 0.84 - 0.74 (m, 2H); **¹³C NMR** (100,61 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 140.47 (d, *J* = 132.1 Hz), 133.13 (d, *J* = 40.3 Hz), 132.23 (d, *J* = 2.9 Hz), 131.94 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz), 131.79 (d, *J* =

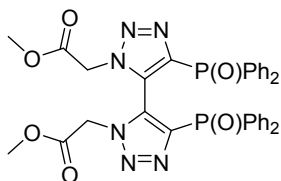
10 Hz), 131.56 (d, $J = 11$ Hz), 130.20 (d, $J = 21.9$ Hz), 128.62 (d, $J = 12.6$ Hz), 128.40 (d, $J = 13.0$ Hz), 34.27 (s), 59.71 (s), 32.35 (s), 25.39 (s), 25.22 (s), 24.89 (s); **^{31}P NMR** (161.97 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 17.07 (s); **HRMS (EI):** m/z Calcd. for $\text{C}_{40}\text{H}_{42}\text{N}_6\text{O}_2\text{P}_2$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$:701.28; Found: 701.2908; **mp** : 282.4-283.0 °C.

II.6. 4,4'-bis(diphenylphosphinoxy)-1,1'-bis(benzyloxyacetyl)-5,5'-bis-1,2,3-triazole dioxide, 8.5



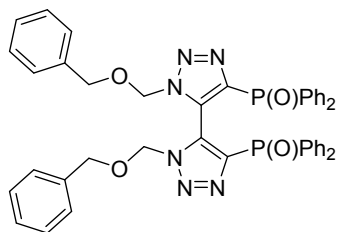
The compound was isolated as a white solid after purification by a chromatography column on silica gel with as eluent a mixture of dichloromethane-isopropanol (98/2); **Yield** : 28%; **^1H NMR** (400,13 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.97 - 7.89 (m, 4H), 7.59 - 7.52 (m, 2H), 7.51 - 7.39 (m, 8H), 7.34 - 7.28 (m, 8H), 7.25 - 7.19 (m, 4H), 7.17 - 7.09 (m, 4H), 5.40 (d, $J = -17.8$ Hz, 2H), 5.18 (d, $J = -17.8$ Hz, 2H), 5.05 (d, $J = -12.1$ Hz, 2H), 4.99 (d, $J = -12.1$ Hz, 2H); **^{13}C NMR** (100,61 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 165.89 (s), 141.10 (d, $J = 129.7$ Hz), 134.58 (s), 132.54 (d, $J = 2.7$ Hz), 132.3 (dd, $J = 20.8$ Hz, $J = 110.9$ Hz), 132.19 (d, $J = 2.7$ Hz), 131.83 (d, $J = 10.2$ Hz), 131.82 (d, $J = 21.7$ Hz), 131.21 (d, $J = 10.9$ Hz), 128.77 (d, $J = 12.6$ Hz), 128.75 (s), 128.72 (s), 128.55 (s), 128.5 (d, $J = 13.0$ Hz), 68.04 (s), 50.11 (s); **^{31}P NMR** (161.97 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 17.36 (s); **HRMS (EI):** m/z Calcd. for $\text{C}_{46}\text{H}_{38}\text{N}_6\text{O}_6\text{P}_2$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$:833.23; Found: 833.2400; **mp** : 157.4-157.9 °C.

II.7. 4,4'-bis(diphenylphosphinoxy)-1,1'-bis(methoxyacetyl)-5,5'-bis-1,2,3-triazole dioxide, 8.6



The compound was isolated as a white solid after purification by a chromatography column on silica gel with as eluent a mixture of dichloromethane-isopropanol (98/2); **Yield** : 20%; **^1H NMR** (400,13 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.92 - 7.84 (m, 4H), 7.50 - 7.32 (m, 10H), 7.24 - 7.18 (m, 2H), 7.09 - 7.03 (m, 4H), 5.29 (d, $J = -17.8$ Hz, 2H), 5.06 (d, $J = -17.8$ Hz, 2H), 3.58 (s, 6H); **^{13}C NMR** (100,61 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 166.45 (s), 147.07 (d, $J = 129.0$ Hz), 132.57 (d, $J = 2.78$ Hz), 132.19 (d, $J = 2.8$ Hz), 131.82 (d, $J = 10.9$ Hz), 131.6 (dd, $J = 23.4$ Hz, $J = 110.81$ Hz), 131.17 (d, $J = 10.9$ Hz), 130.93 (s), 128.78 (d, $J = 12.8$ Hz), 128.5 (d, $J = 13.0$ Hz), 52.99 (s), 49.89 (s); **^{31}P NMR** (161.97 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 17.22 (s); **HRMS (EI):** m/z Calcd. for $\text{C}_{34}\text{H}_{30}\text{N}_6\text{O}_6\text{P}_2$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$:681.17; Found: 681.1790; **mp** : 211.7-212.1 °C.

II.8. 4,4'-bis(diphenylphosphinoxy)-1,1'-bis(benzyloxymethyl)-5,5'-bis-1,2,3-triazole dioxide, 8.7

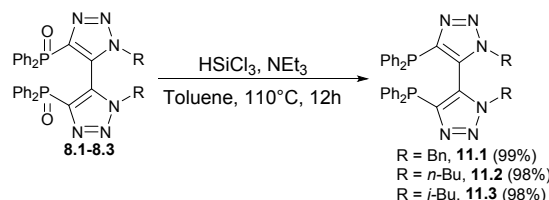


The compound was isolated as a white solid after purification by a chromatography column on silica gel with as eluent a mixture of dichloromethane-isopropanol (98/2); **Yield** : 12%; **^1H NMR** (400,13 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 8.04-7.89 (m, 4H), 7.64 - 7.40 (m, 10H), 7.37 - 7.11 (m, 16H), 5.87 (d, $J = -11.2$ Hz, 2H), 5.75 (d, $J = -11.2$ Hz, 2H), 4.42 (s, 4H); **^{13}C NMR** (100,61 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 141.51 (d, $J = 129.5$ Hz), 135.72 (s), 132.43 (d, $J = 2.6$ Hz), 132.07 (d, $J = 2.7$ Hz), 131.84 (dd, $J = 31.1$ Hz, $J = 111$ Hz), 131.78 (d, $J = 10.2$ Hz), 131.22 (d, $J = 10.9$ Hz), 130.84 (dd, $J = 21.3$ Hz), 128.64 (d, $J = 12.8$ Hz), 128.50 (s), 128.42 (d, $J = 12.9$ Hz), 128.36 (s), 128.26 (s), 76.79 (s), 71.29 (s); **^{31}P NMR** (161.97 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 17.34 (s); **HRMS (EI):** m/z Calcd. for $\text{C}_{36}\text{H}_{38}\text{N}_6\text{O}_2\text{P}_2$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$:777.24; Found: 777.25183; **mp** : 154.0-154.8 °C.

III. Reduction of bistriazolylphosphane oxides 8 into bisphosphanes 11

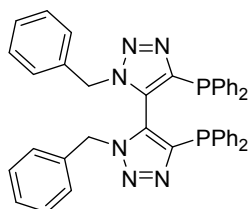
III.1. General procedure

To a mixture of bistriazole (1eq) and triethylamine (12 eq) in anhydrous toluene (0.15 mol.ml⁻¹) was added dropwise trichlorosilane (10 eq) at room temperature under a nitrogen atmosphere. The mixture was stirred at reflux for 12 h. After complete reduction, observed by ³¹P RMN, the reaction mixture was quenched with 2M NaOH aq and diluted with dichloromethane and water. The organic layer was separated, washed with water and dried over Na₂SO₄. After concentration under vacuum, the diphosphane was obtained.



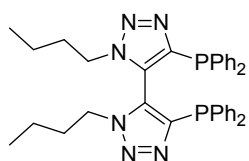
Scheme 1. Reduction of the bis(triazolylphosphane) oxides **8.1-8.3** to diphosphanes **11.1-11.3**.

III.2. 4,4'-bis(diphenylphosphino)-1,1'-dibenzyl-5,5'-bis-1,2,3-triazole, 11-Bn



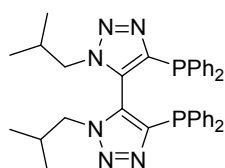
The compound was isolated as a white solid after precipitation with diethylether and pentane; **Yield** : 99%; **¹H NMR** (400,13 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.68 - 7.65 (m, 4H), 7.40 - 7.16 (m, 22H), 6.84 - 6.82 (m, 4H), 4.98 (d, *J* = -14.9 Hz, 2H), 4.55 (d, *J* = -14.9 Hz, 2H); **¹³C NMR** (100,61 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 145.74 - 145.72 (m (ABX)), 145.57 - 145.56 (m (ABX)), 13.49 - 135.44 (m (ABX)), 134.92 - 134.87 (m (ABX)), 134.48 (d, *J* = 21.7 Hz), 133.38 (s), 133.30 (d, *J* = 20.7 Hz), 130.56 (d, *J* = 44.4 Hz), 129.14 (d, *J* = 65 Hz), 128.93 (s), 128.67 (s), 128.67 - 128.59 (m (ABX)), 128.41-128.32 (m (ABX)), 128.22 (s), 52.49 - 52.45 (m (ABX)); **³¹P NMR** (161.97 MHz, CDCl₃) δ - 37.97 (s); **HRMS (EI)**: *m/z* Calcd. for C₄₂H₃₄N₆P₂ [M+H]⁺:685.23; Found: 685.2398; **mp** : 205.4-206.5 °C.

III.3. 4,4'-bis(diphenylphosphino)-1,1'-diethyl-5,5'-bis-1,2,3-triazole, 11-Bu



The compound was isolated as a white solid after precipitation with diethylether and pentane; **Yield** : 98%; **¹H NMR** (400,13 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.48 - 7.58 (m, 4H), 7.30 - 7.22 (m, 6H), 7.21 - 7.06 (m, 10H), 3.96 - 3.78 (m, 4H), 1.63 - 1.50 (m, 4H), 1.08 - 0.89 (m, 4H), 0.63 (t, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 6H); **¹³C NMR** (100,61 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 144.02 - 145.96 (m (ABX)), 144.88 - 144.82 (m (ABX)), 135.51 - 135.46 (m (ABX)), 135.08 - 135.04 (m (ABX)), 134.37 - 134.14 (m (ABX)), 133.48 - 133.24 (m (ABX)), 130.64 (d, *J* = 44.9 Hz), 129.11 (d, *J* = 53.3 Hz), 128.71 - 128.59 (m (ABX)), 128.44 - 128.32 (m (ABX)), 49.07 (m (ABX)), 31.72 (m (ABX)), 19.81 (s), 13.30 (s); **³¹P NMR** (161.97 MHz, CDCl₃) δ - 37.75 (s); **HRMS (EI)**: *m/z* Calcd. for C₃₆H₃₈N₆P₂ [M+H]⁺: 617.26; Found: 617.2715; **mp** : 154.1-155.0 °C.

III.4. 4,4'-bis(diphenylphosphino)-1,1'-diisobutyl-5,5'-bis-1,2,3-triazole, 11-iBu



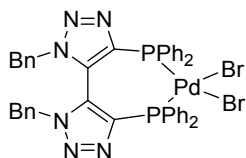
The compound was isolated as a white solid after precipitation with diethylether and pentane; **Yield** : 98%; **¹H NMR** (400,13 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.99 - 7.49 (m, 4H), 7.28 - 7.23 (m, 6H), 7.22 - 7.16 (m, 4H), 7.16 - 7.07 (m, 6H), 3.79 (dd, *J* = 7.6 Hz, *J* = 13.6 Hz, 2H), 3.67 (dd, *J* = 7.6 Hz, *J* = 13.6 Hz, 2H), 1.99 - 1.75 (m, 2H), 0.61 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 6H), 0.58 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 6H); **¹³C NMR** (100,61 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 145.15 - 145.06 (m (ABX)), 144.96 - 144.91 (m (ABX)), 135.71 - 135.67 (m (ABX)), 135.05 - 135.00 (m (ABX)), 133.56 - 133.29 (m

(ABX)), 133.13 - 133.14 (m (ABX)), 131.20 (d, $J = 1.20$ Hz), 130.74 (d, $J = 1.37$ Hz), 129.06 (d, $J = 66.8$ Hz), 128.68 - 128.50 (m (ABX)), 128.42 - 128.24 (m (ABX)), 56.45 - 56.6 (m (ABX)), 45.85 (s), 28.68 (s), 19.88 (s); ^{31}P NMR (161.97 MHz, CDCl_3) δ - 38.08 (s) ; HRMS (EI): m/z Calcd. for $\text{C}_{36}\text{H}_{38}\text{N}_6\text{P}_2$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$: 617.26 ; Found: 617.2714; mp : 154.2-154.8 °C.

IV. Synthesis of complexes 12-17

IV.1. Synthesis of the palladium complex 13

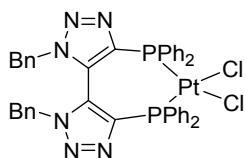
In a Schlenk tube under argon, a mixture of compound **11.1** (20 mg, 0.029 mmol) and bis(acetonitrile)dibromopalladium (10.1mg, 0.029 mmol) was dissolved in dry chloroform (2 ml). The reaction was carried out at room temperature for 2 hours. The solvent was evaporated and the resulting orange solid was washed by dry pentane. After evaporation of the solvent, 22.1 mg of **12.1** were obtained (yield = 80%).



$^1\text{H}\{^{31}\text{P}\}$ NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) : 7.98 (4H, m, PPh_2), 7.63 (4H, m, PPh_2), 7.52 (2H, m, PPh_2), 7.49 (2H, m, PPh_2), 7.46 (4H, m, PPh_2), 7.36 (4H, m, PPh_2), 7.32 (2H, m, Ph/Bn), 7.25 (4H, m, Ph/Bn), 6.77 (4H, m, Ph/Bn), 4.69 (2H, d, $J = 15.7$ Hz, NCH_2), 4.49 (2H, d, $J = 15.7$ Hz, NCH_2). $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) : 141.7 ($J_{\text{CP}} = 61.1$ Hz, quat, PCN), 135.8 ($J_{\text{CP}} = 6.5$ Hz, PPh_2), 133.9 ($J_{\text{CP}} = 5.0$ Hz, PPh_2), 132.9 (PPh_2), 132.1 (quat, Ph/Bn), 131.2 (PPh_2), 129.2 ($J_{\text{CP}} = 6.3$ Hz, PPh_2), 129.2 (Ph/Bn), 129.0 (Ph/Bn), 128.2 (quat, $J_{\text{CP}} = 19.9$ Hz, PPh_2), 127.7 ($J_{\text{CP}} = 6.0$ Hz, PPh_2), 127.6 (quat, PCCN), 127.1 (Ph/Bn), 125.8 (quat, $J_{\text{CP}} = 40.8$ Hz, PPh_2), 52.5 (NCPh). $^{31}\text{P}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm): 8.4. HR/MS (ES+) m/e : 871.0541 (M-Br, 100%) (calc. M: 871.0311).

IV.2. Synthesis of the platinum complex 14

In a Schlenk tube, under argon, a mixture of ligand **11.1** (20 mg, 0.029 mmol) and bis(benzonitrile)dichloroplatinum (13.7 mg, 0.029 mmol) was dissolved in dry chloroform (2 ml). The reaction was carried out at reflux for 2 hours. The solvent was evaporated and the resulting white solid was washed by dry pentane. After evaporation of the solvent, 19.3 mg of **14.1** were obtained (yield = 70%).

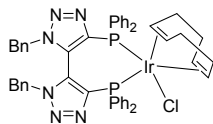


$^1\text{H}\{^{31}\text{P}\}$ NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) : 7.93 (4H, m, PPh_2), 7.63 (4H, m, PPh_2), 7.50 (2H, m, PPh_2), 7.48 (2H, m, PPh_2), 7.45 (4H, m, PPh_2), 7.34 (4H, m, PPh_2), 7.33 (2H, m, Ph/Bn), 7.25 (4H, m, Ph/Bn), 6.77 (4H, m, Ph/Bn), 4.74 (2H, d, $J = 15.3$ Hz, NCH_2), 4.60 (2H, d, $J = 15.3$ Hz, NCH_2). $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) : 140.4 ($J_{\text{CP}} = 82$ Hz, quat, PCN), 135.4 ($J_{\text{CP}} = 6.5$ Hz, PPh_2), 134.2 ($J_{\text{CP}} = 4.9$ Hz, PPh_2), 132.8 (PPh_2), 132.2 (quat, Ph/Bn), 131.4 (PPh_2), 129.2 (Ph/Bn), 129.0 (PPh_2), 129.0 (Ph/Bn), 127.7 ($J_{\text{CP}} = 6.0$ Hz, PPh_2), 127.6 ($J_{\text{CP}} = 6.4$ Hz, quat, PCCN), 127.0 (Ph/Bn), 125.5 (quat, $J_{\text{CP}} = 29.8$ Hz, PPh_2), 125.1 (quat, $J_{\text{CP}} = 41.2$ Hz PPh_2), 52.6 (NCPh). $^{31}\text{P}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm): -5.1. HR/MS (ES+) m/e : 915.1645 (M-Cl, 100%) (calc. M: 915.2381).

A single crystal of **14** suitable for X-ray diffraction analysis was obtained by slow diffusion of pentane in a dichloromethane solution.

IV.3. Synthesis of the iridium complex **16**

In a Schlenk tube under argon, a mixture of compound **11.1** (20 mg, 0.029 mmol) and $[\text{Ir}(\text{cod})\text{Cl}]_2$ (9.8 mg, 0.015 mmol) was dissolved in dry dichloromethane (2 ml). The reaction was carried out at room temperature for 45 minutes. The solvent was evaporated and the resulting yellow solid was washed by dry pentane. After evaporation of the solvent, 29.3 mg of **16** were obtained (yield = 99%).

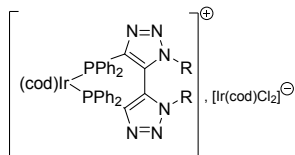


$^1\text{H}\{^{31}\text{P}\}$ NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) : 7.75 (4H, m, PPh_2), 7.57 (4H, m, PPh_2), 7.44 (6H, m, PPh_2), 7.33 (2H, m, PPh_2), 7.25 (4H, m, PPh_2), 7.17 (2H, m, Ph/Bn), 7.07 (4H, m, Ph/Bn), 6.77 (4H, m, Ph/Bn), 4.65 (2H, d, $J = 15.3$ Hz, NCH_2), 4.58 (2H, d, $J = 15.3$ Hz, NCH_2), 3.67 (2H, m, COD), 3.13 (2H, m, COD), 2.00 (2H, m, COD), 1.74 (2H, m, COD), 1.69 (2H, m, COD), 1.53 (2H, m, COD). $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) : 144.9 (quat, $J_{\text{CP}} = 49.1$ Hz, PCN), 135.3 ($J_{\text{CP}} = 11.7$ Hz, PPh_2), 133.1 ($J_{\text{CP}} = 9.4$ Hz, PPh_2), 132.8 (quat, Ph/Bn), 132.6 (quat, PPh_2), 132.0 (quat, PPh_2), 130.3 (PPh_2), 129.4 (PPh_2), 128.8 (Ph/Bn), 128.4 (Ph/Bn), 128.3 (quat, $J_{\text{CP}} = 26$ Hz, PCN), 128.0 (PPh_2), 127.6 (PPh_2), 127.4 (Ph/Bn), 68.7 ($J_{\text{CP}} = 7.9$ Hz, COD), 67.0 ($J_{\text{CP}} = 6.8$ Hz, COD), 52.5 (NCPh), 32.9 (COD), 32.1 (COD). $^{31}\text{P}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm): -17.8. HR/MS (ES+) m/e: 985.2919 (M-Cl, 80%) (calc. M: 985.2888).

A single crystal of **16** suitable for X-ray diffraction analysis has been obtained by slow diffusion of pentane in a dichloromethane solution.

IV.4. Synthesis of the iridium complex **17**

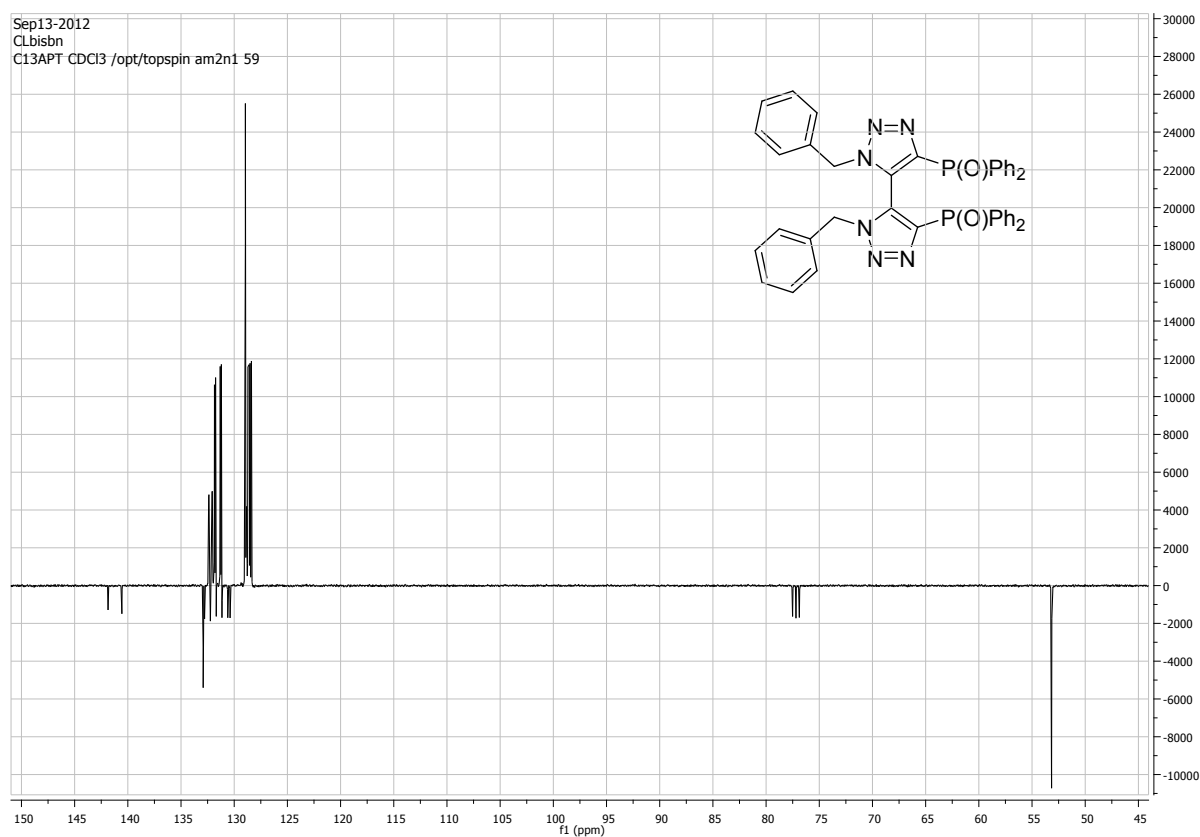
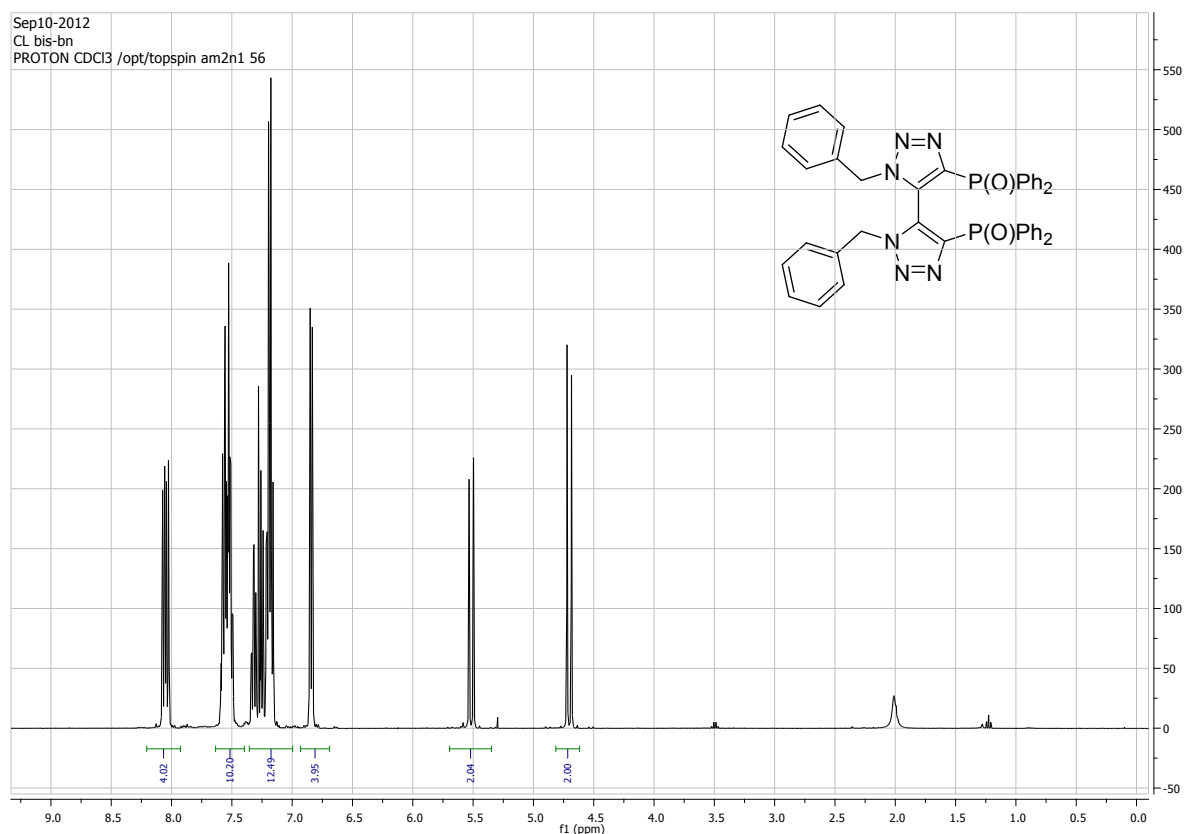
In a Schlenk tube under argon, a mixture of compound **11.1** (20 mg, 0.029 mmol) and $\text{Ir}(\text{COD})\text{Cl}_2$ (19.6 mg, 0.029 mmol) was dissolved in dry dichloromethane (4 ml). The mixture was stirred at room temperature for 45 minutes. The solvent was then evaporated and the resulting yellow solid was washed by dry pentane. After evaporation of the solvent, 35.4 mg of **17.1** were obtained (yield = 90%).



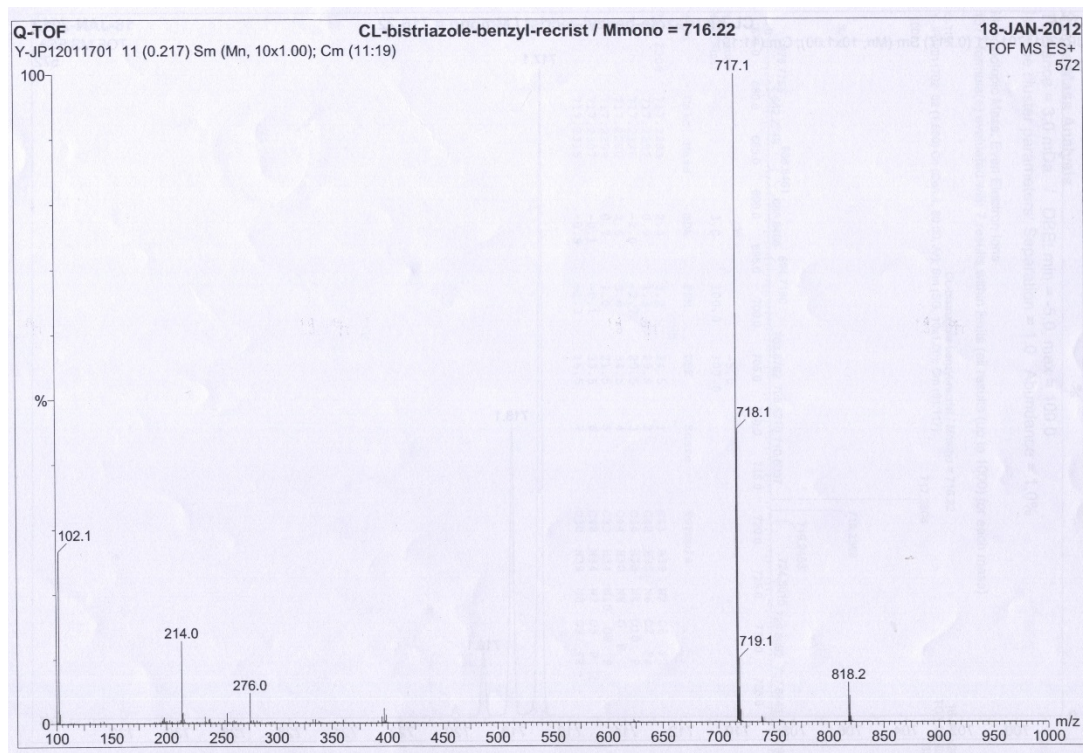
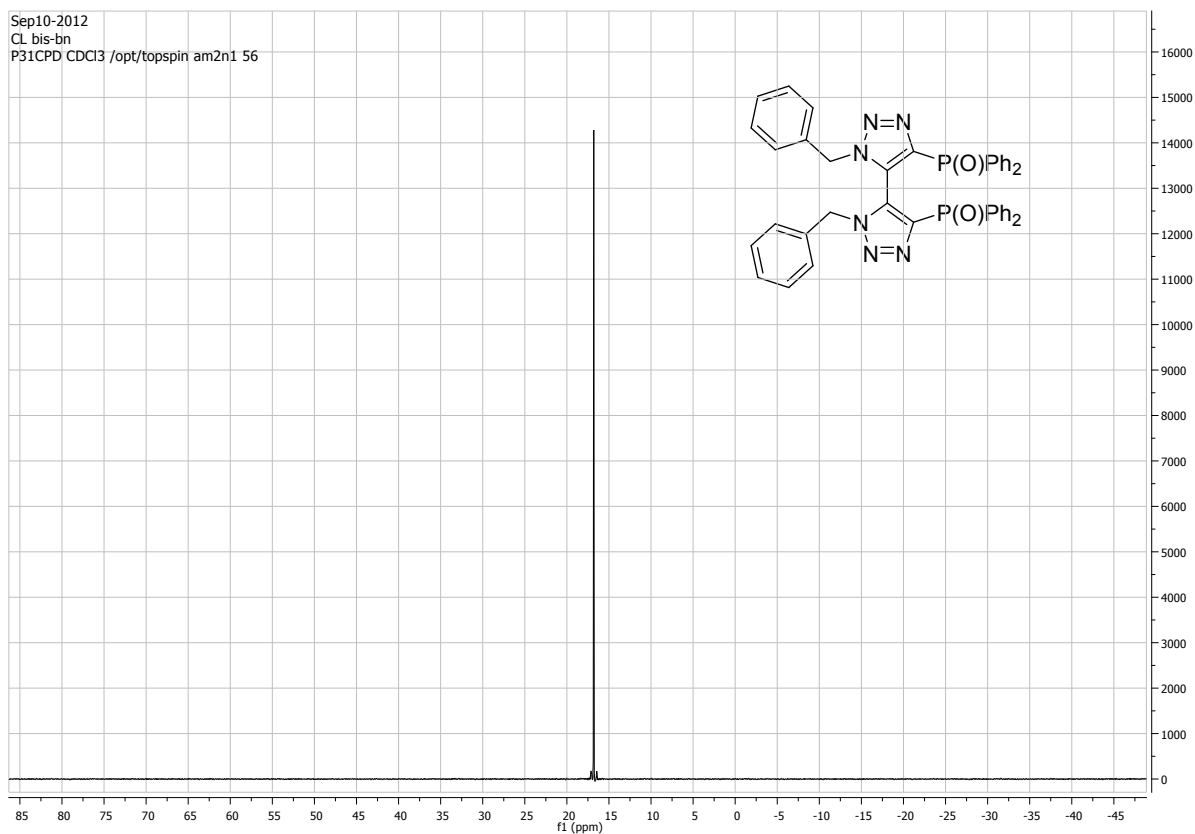
$^1\text{H}\{^{31}\text{P}\}$ NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) : 7.67 (4H, m, PPh_2), 7.50 (4H, m, PPh_2), 7.50 (2H, m, PPh_2), 7.31 (2H, m, PPh_2), 7.30 (4H, m, PPh_2), 7.24 (4H, m, PPh_2), 6.97 (2H, m, Ph/Bn), 6.91 (4H, m, Ph/Bn), 6.63 (4H, m, Ph/Bn), 5.26 (2H, m, COD), 5.17 (2H, m, COD), 4.92 (2H, d, $J = 15.6$ Hz, NCH_2), 4.26 (2H, d, $J = 15.6$ Hz, NCH_2), 2.68 (2H, m, COD), 2.48 (2H, m, COD), 2.37 (2H, m, COD), 2.15 (4H, m, COD), 2.14 (2H, m, COD), 1.98 (2H, m, COD), 1.76 (2H, m, COD), 1.67 (2H, m, COD), 1.45 (2H, m, COD). $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm) : 140.5 (quat, $J_{\text{CP}} = 70.2$ Hz, PCN), 137.4 ($J_{\text{CP}} = 13.6$ Hz, PPh_2), 133.5 (quat, Ph/Bn), 132.6 ($J_{\text{CP}} = 9.0$ Hz, PPh_2), 132.0 (PPh_2), 130.1 (PPh_2), 128.3 (Ph/Bn), 128.2 ($J_{\text{CP}} = 11.2$ Hz, PPh_2), 127.7 ($J_{\text{CP}} = 10.8$ Hz, PPh_2), 127.6 (Ph/Bn), 127.3 (Ph/Bn), 127.1 (quat, $J_{\text{CP}} = 11.0$ Hz, PCN), 125.3 (quat, $J_{\text{CP}} = 53.9$ Hz, PPh_2), 94.8 ($J_{\text{CP}} = 13.4$ Hz, COD), 94.3 ($J_{\text{CP}} = 16.1$ Hz, COD), 55.4 (COD), 53.2 (COD), 51.7 (NCPh), 34.3 (COD), 32.1 (COD), 29.9 (COD), 29.1 (COD). $^{31}\text{P}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ (ppm): 8.7. HR/MS (ES+) m/e: 985.2916 (M of cation, 100%) (calc. M: 985.2888).

V. Copies of spectra for phosphane oxides 8.1-8.7

V.1. 4,4'-bis(diphenylphosphinoxy)-1,1'-dibenzyl-5,5'-bis-1,2,3-triazole 8.1



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Single Mass Analysis

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Monoisotopic Mass, Even Electron Ions

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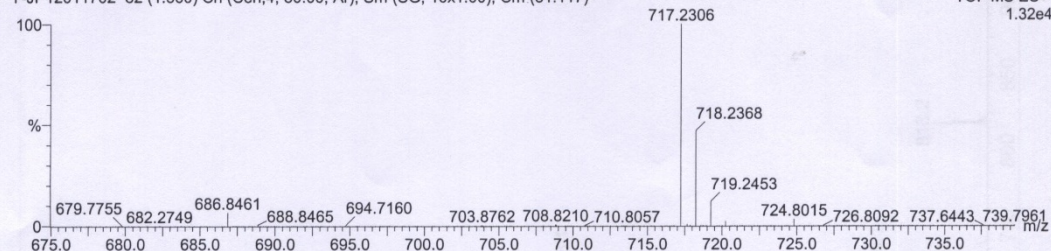
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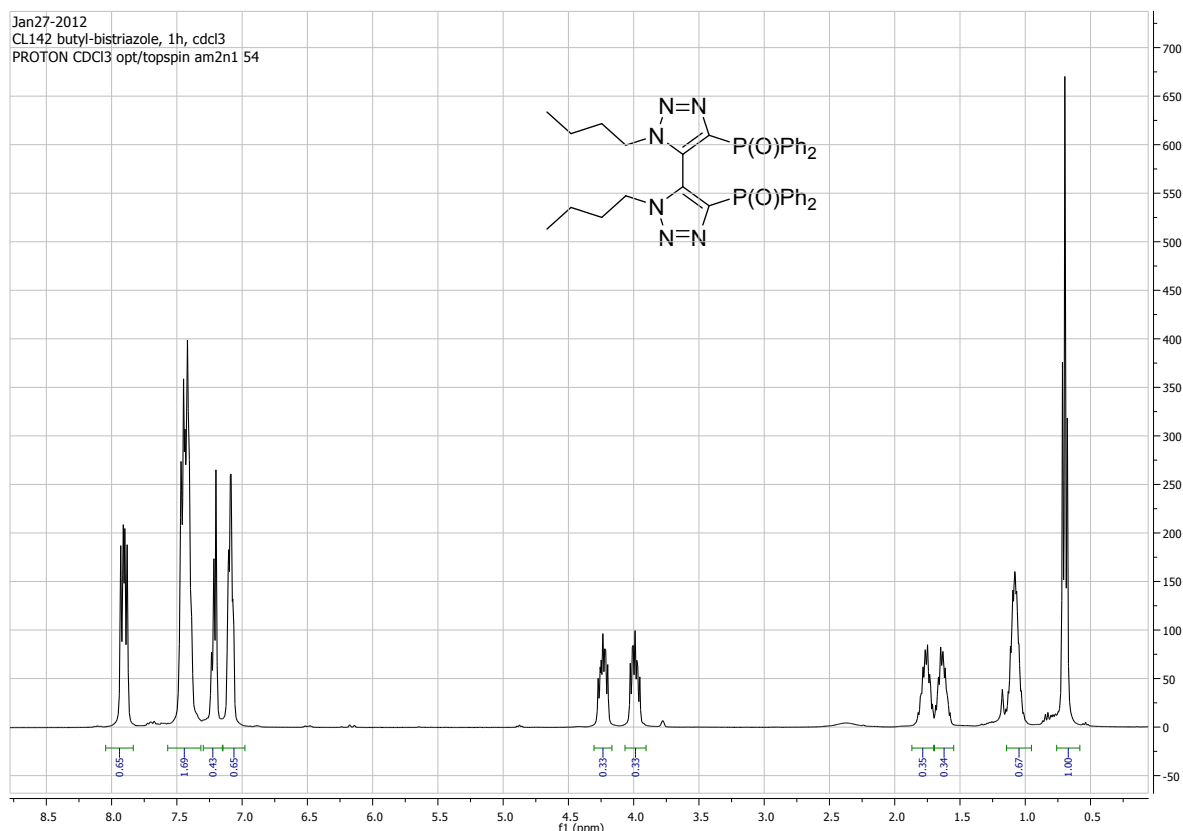


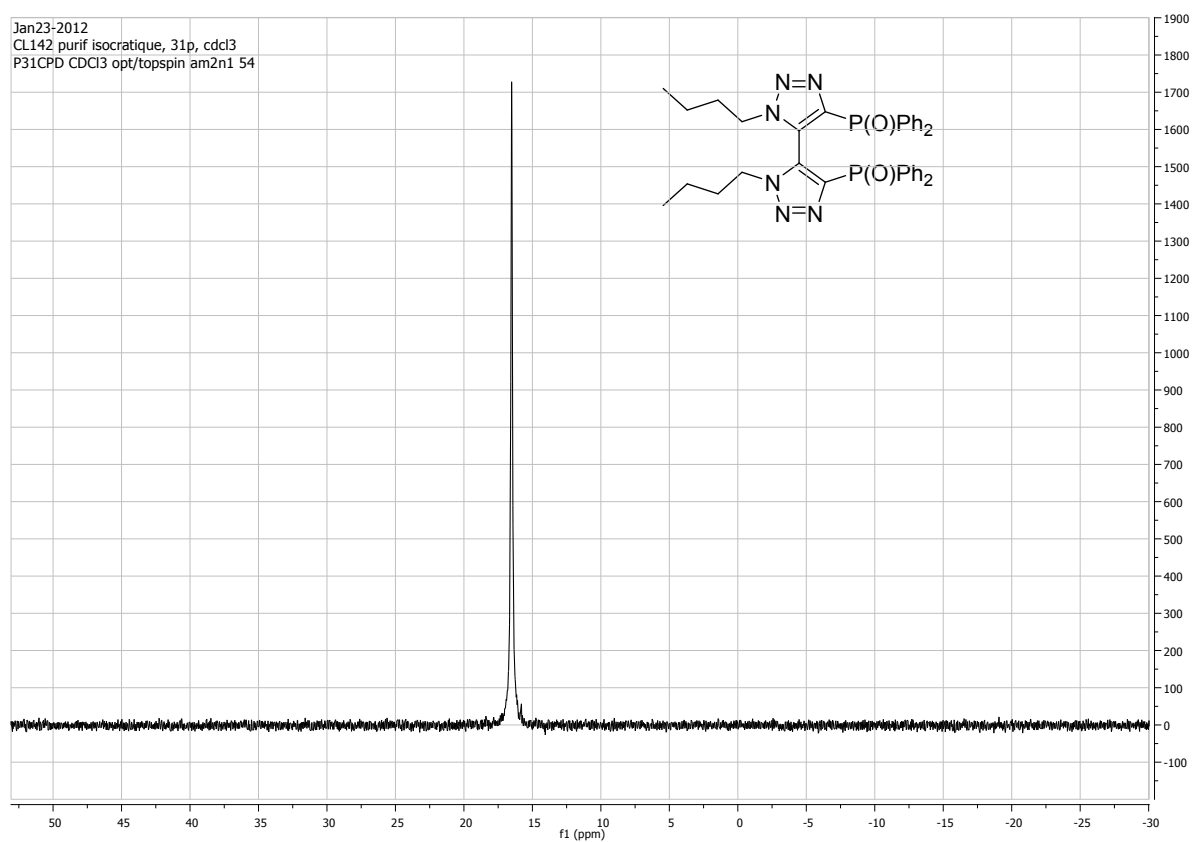
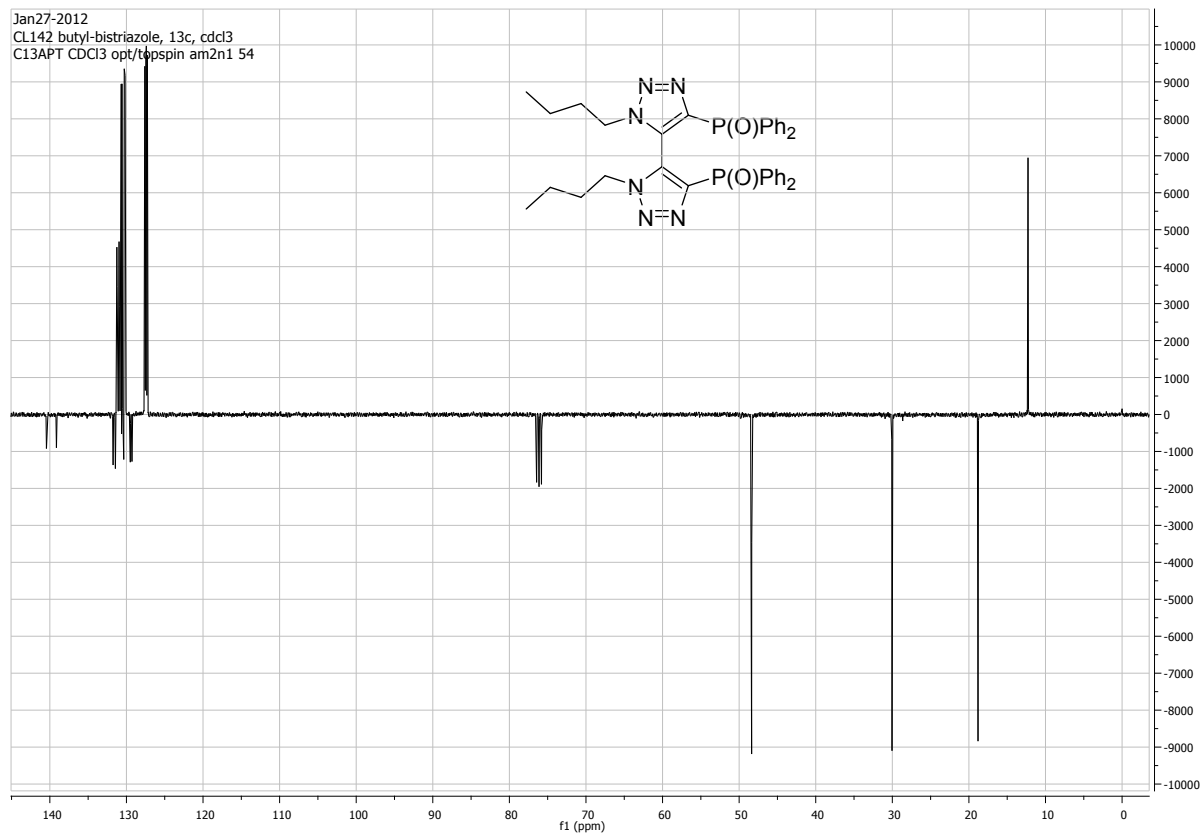
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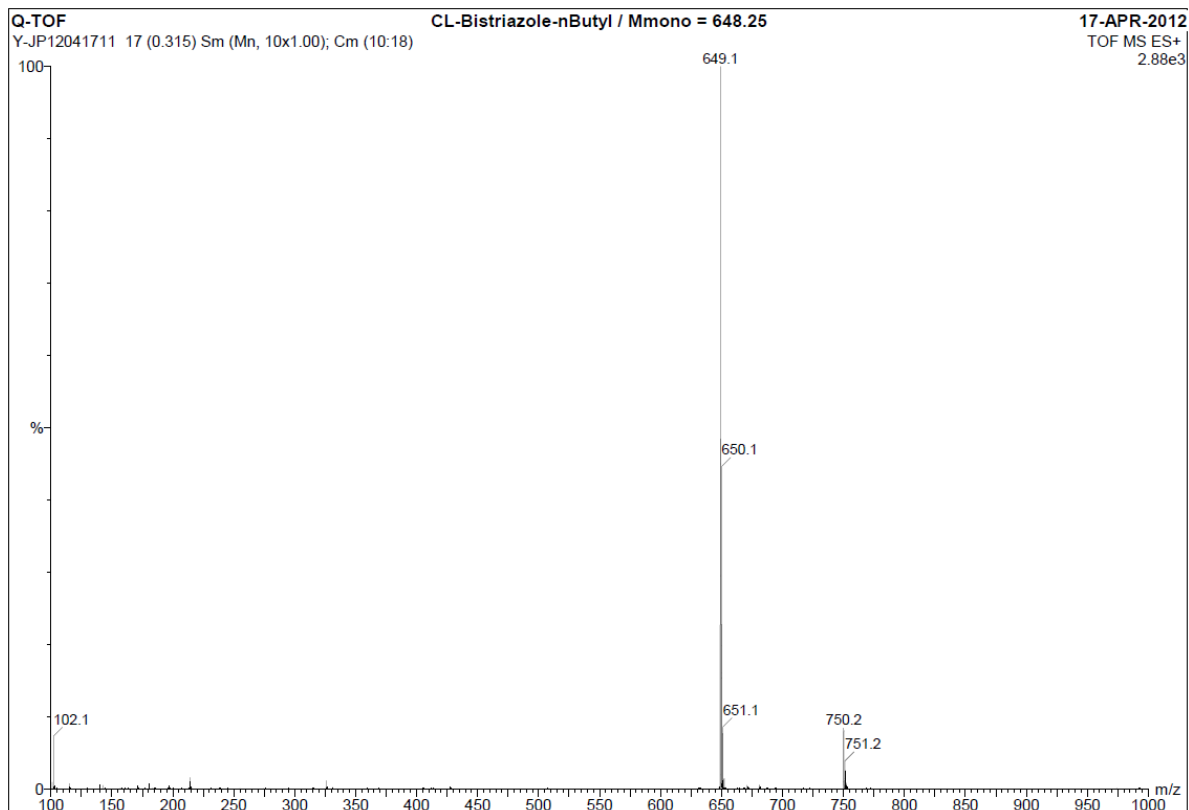
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V.2. 4,4'-bis(diphenylphosphinoxy)-1,1-dibutyl-5,5'-bis-1,2,3-triazole 8.2

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Single Mass Analysis

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Monoisotopic Mass, Even Electron Ions

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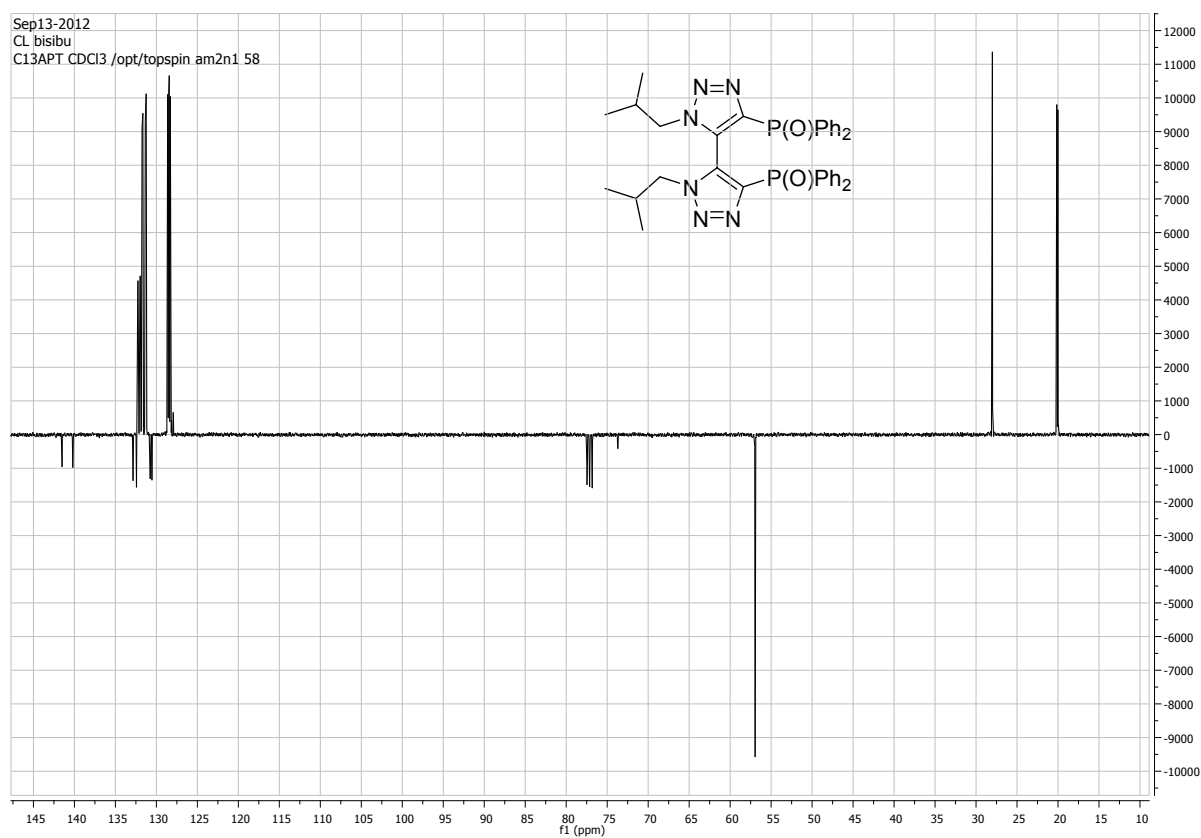
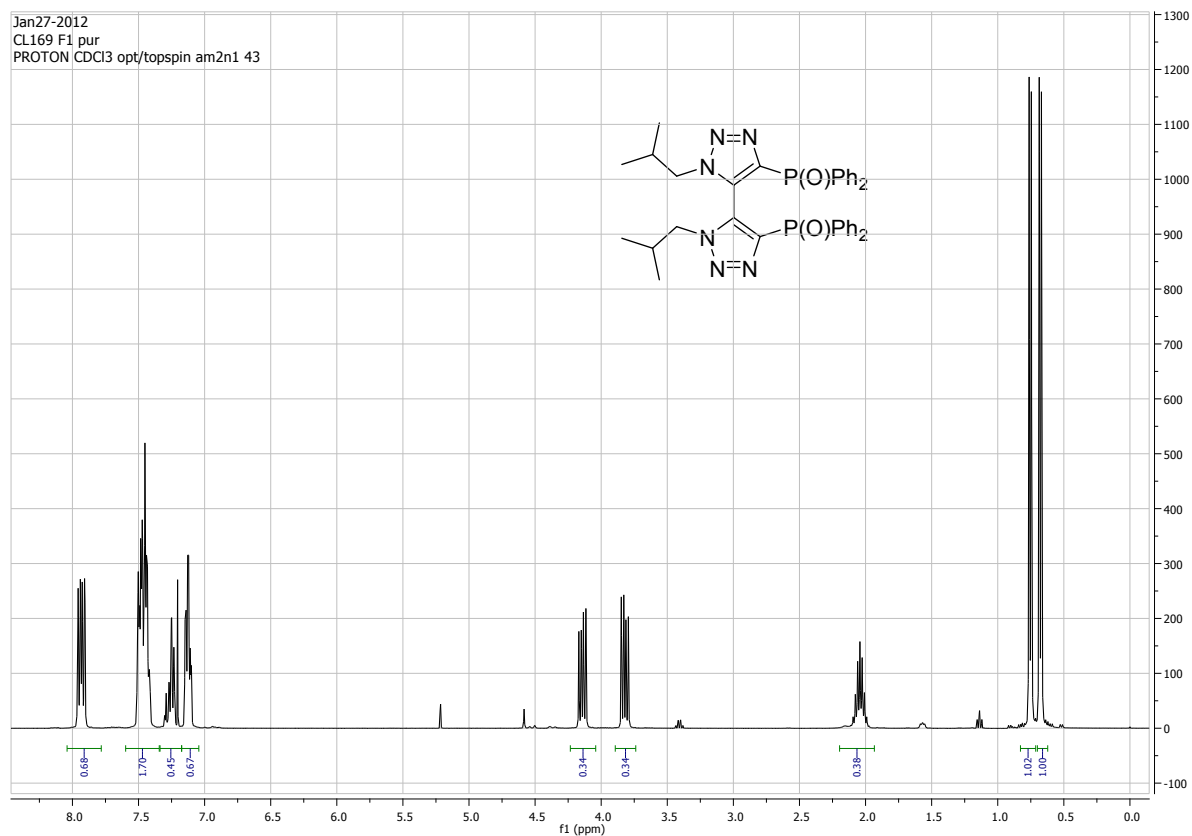
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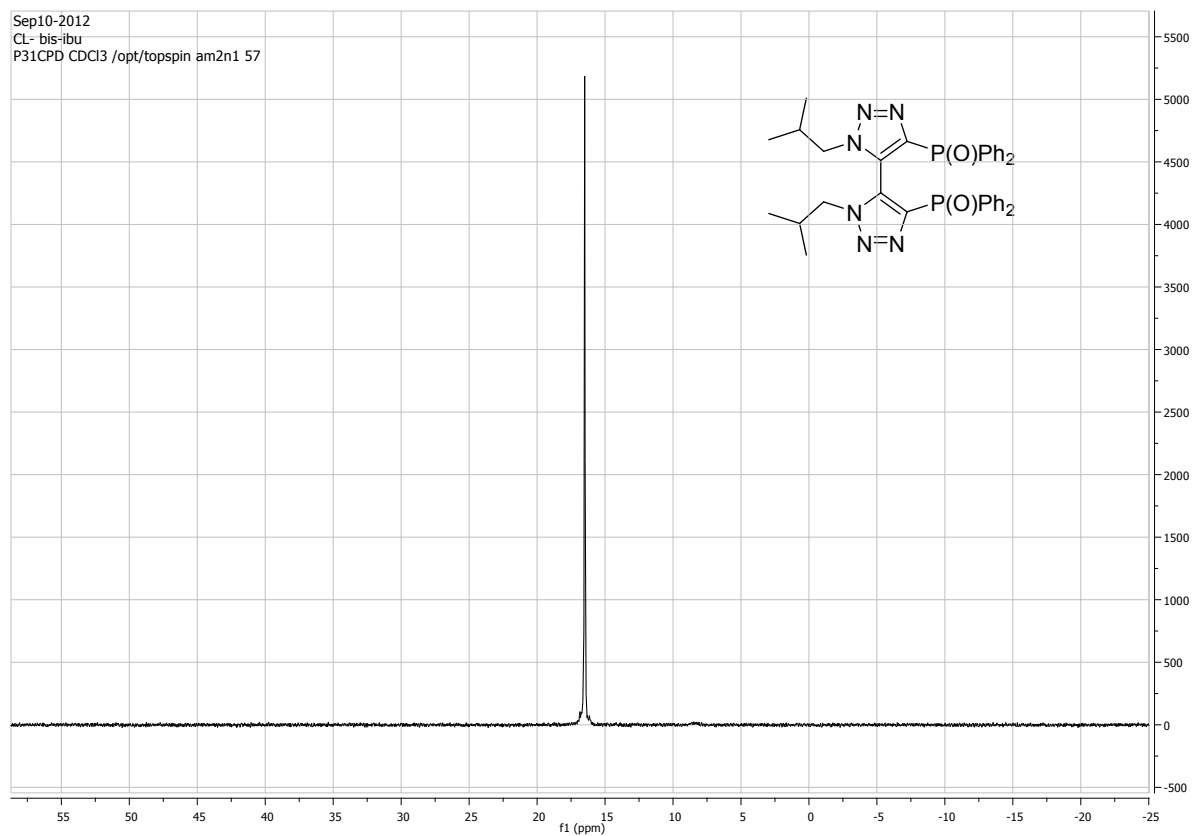
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V.3. 4,4'-bis(diphenylphosphinoxy)-1,1'-diisobutyl-5,5'-bis-1,2,3-triazole 8.3



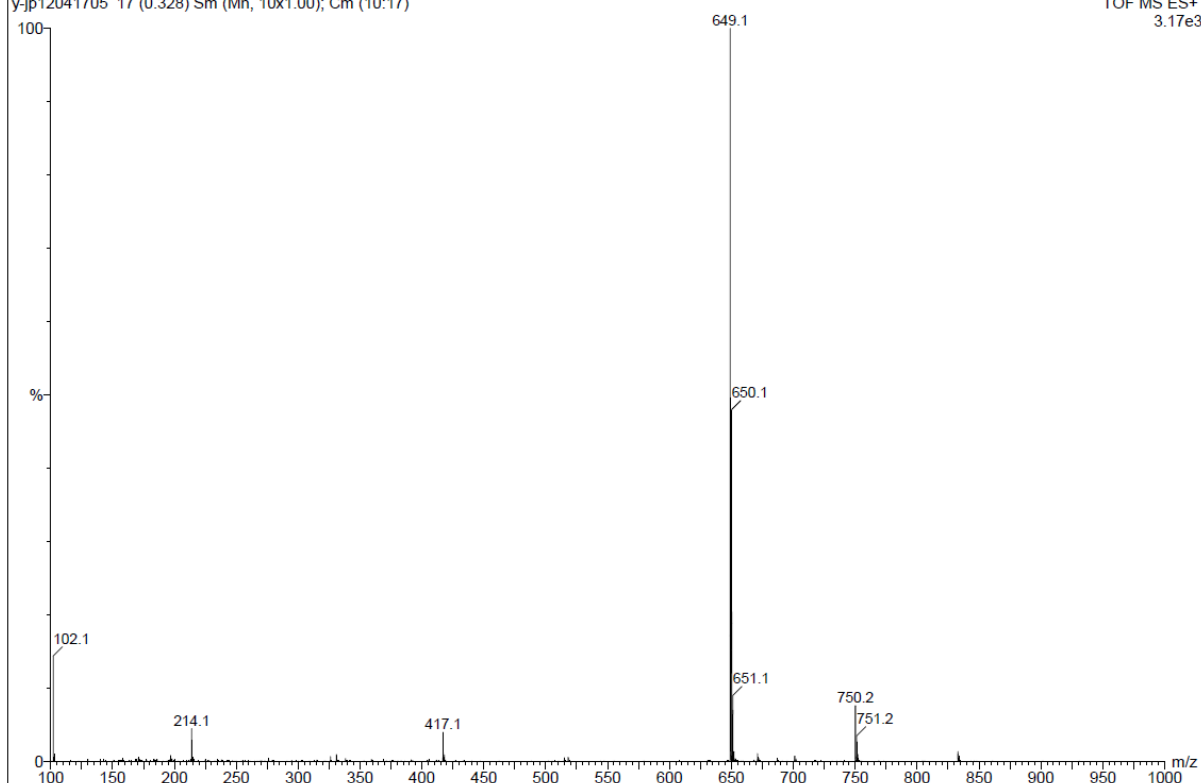
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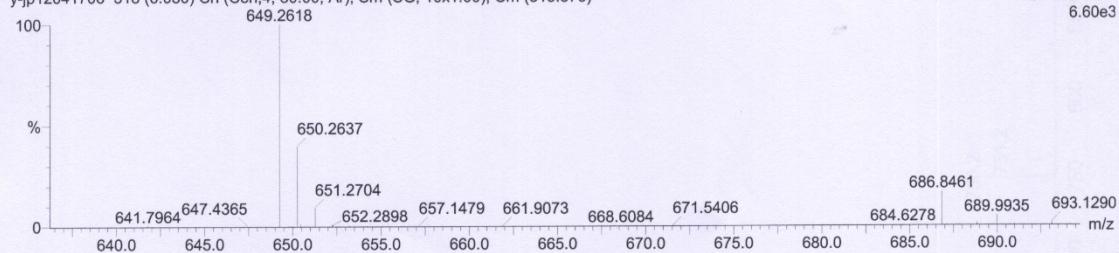
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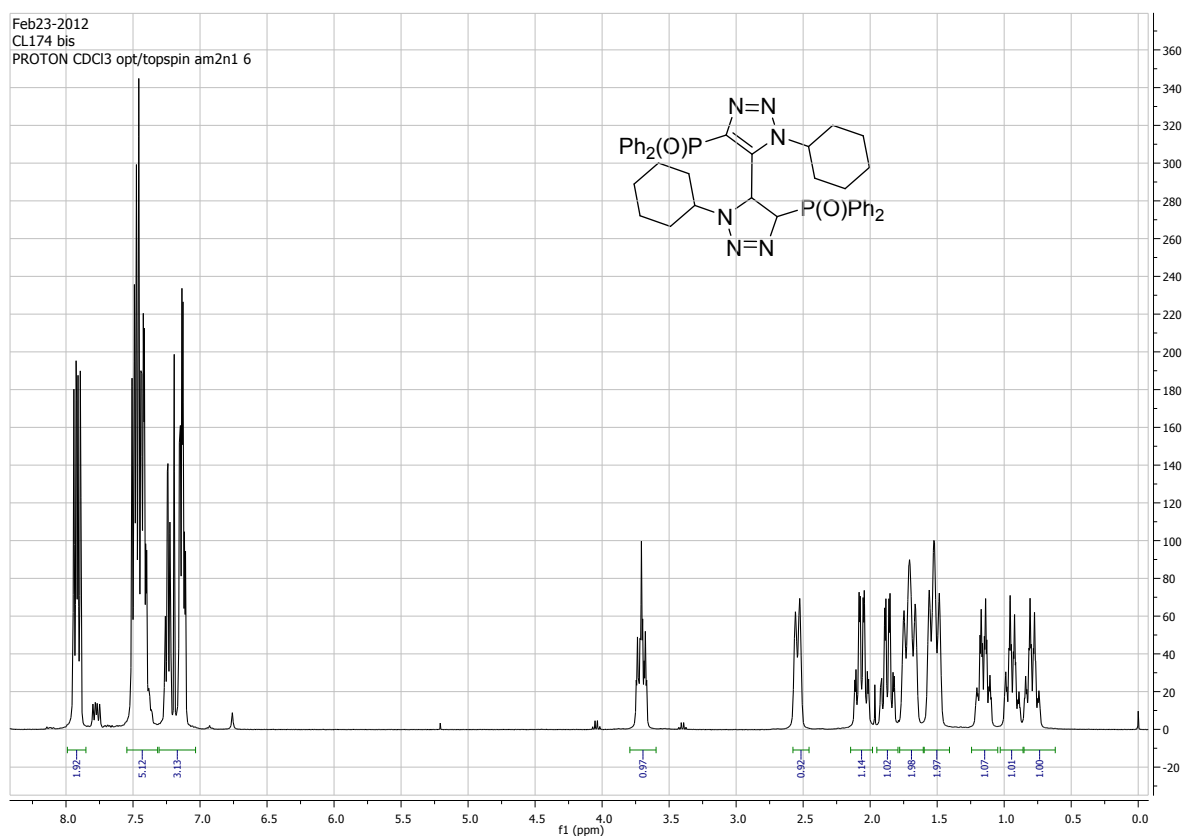
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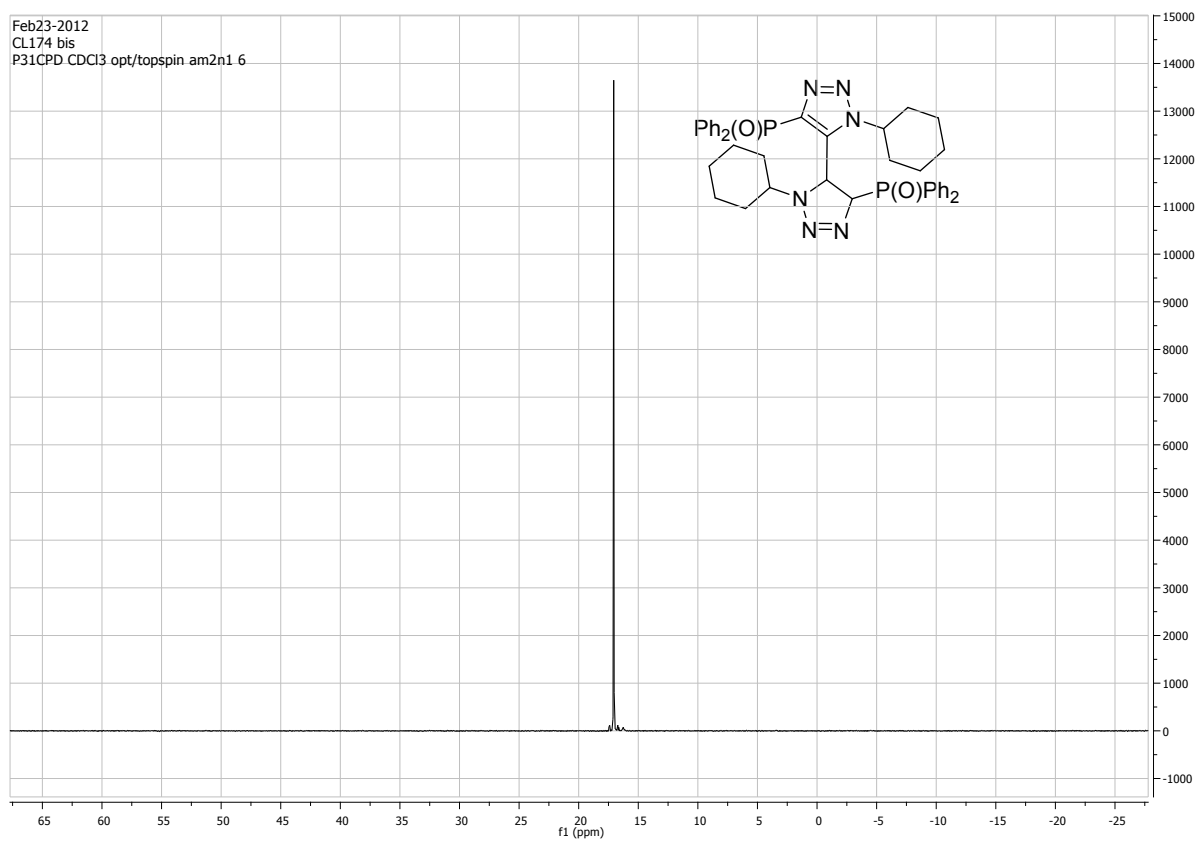
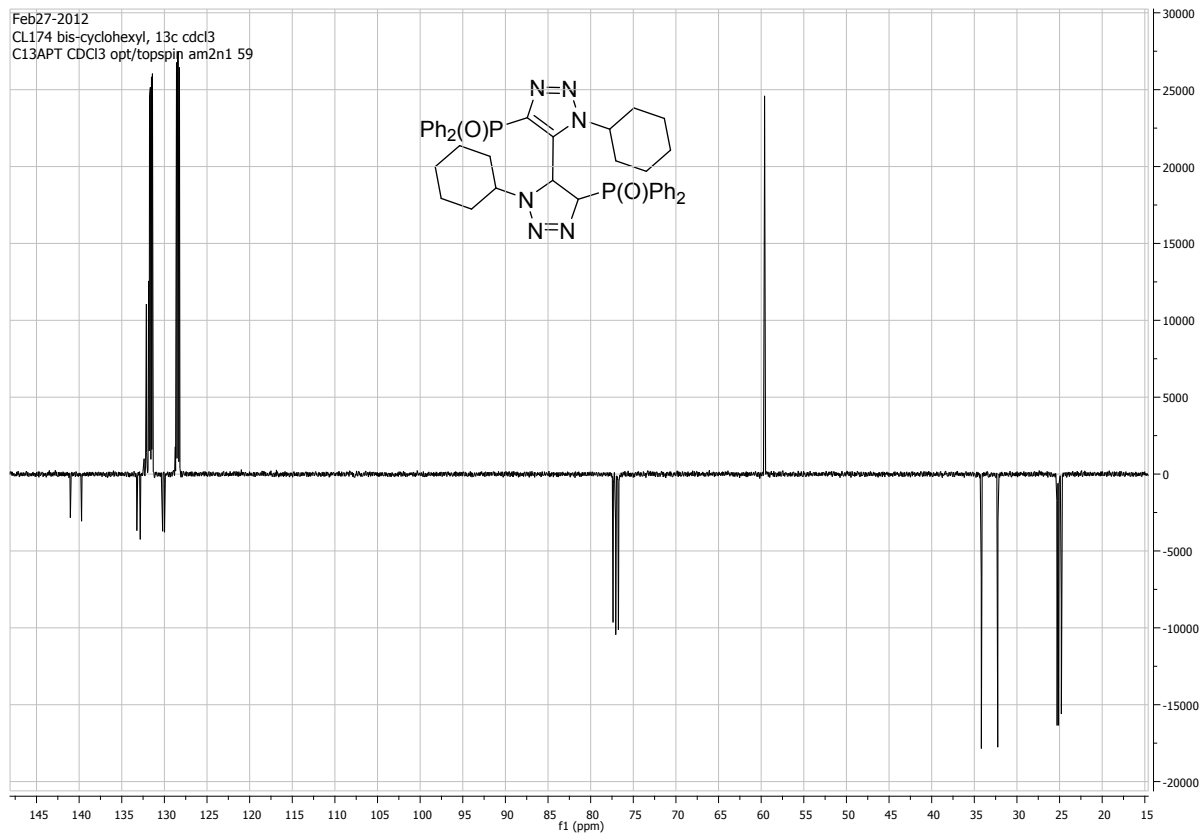
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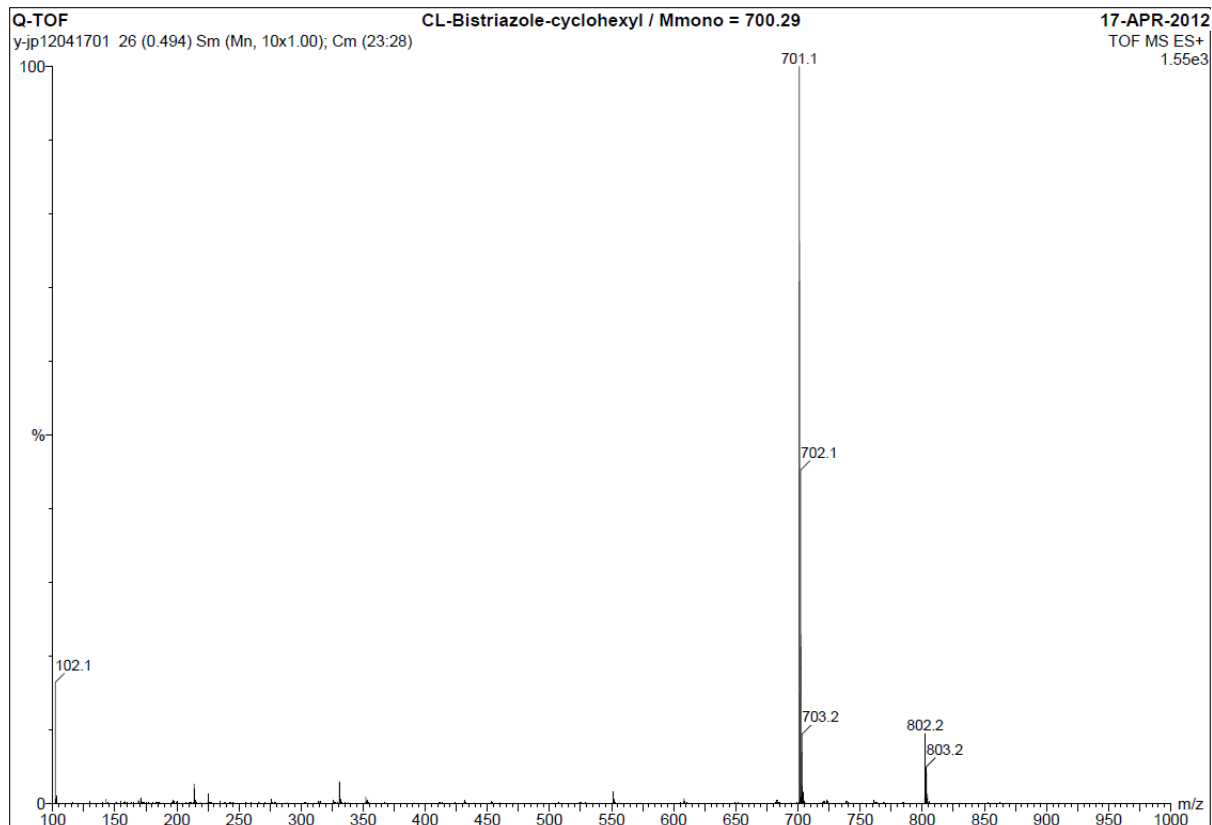
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	649.2628	-1.0	-1.6	8.5	3	C24 H43 N8 O9 P2

V.4. 4,4'-bis(diphenylphosphinoxy)-1,1'-dicyclohexyl-5,5'-bis-1,2,3-triazole 8.4

Feb23-2012
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Single Mass Analysis

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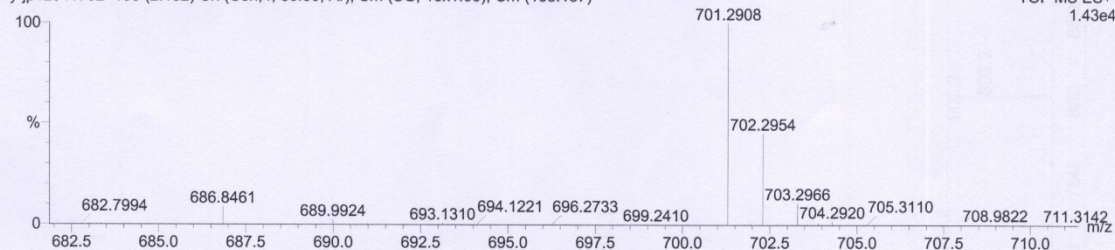
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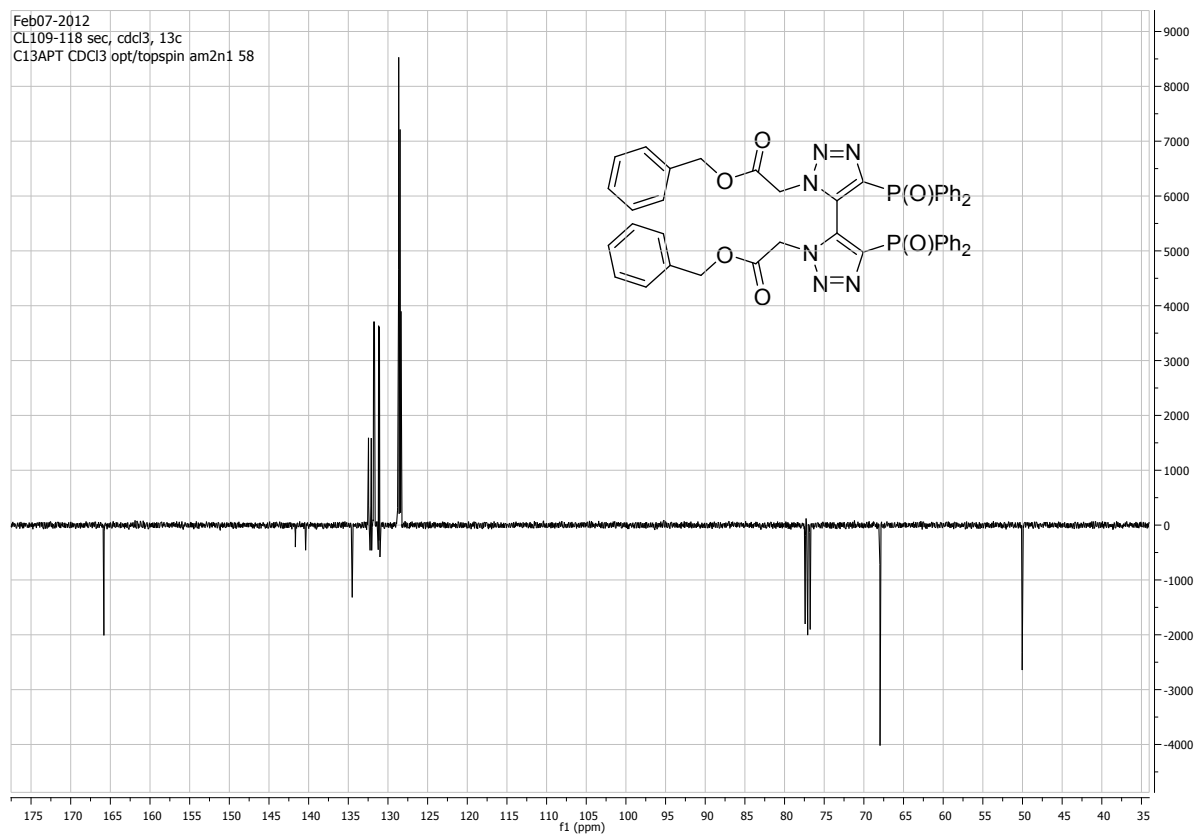
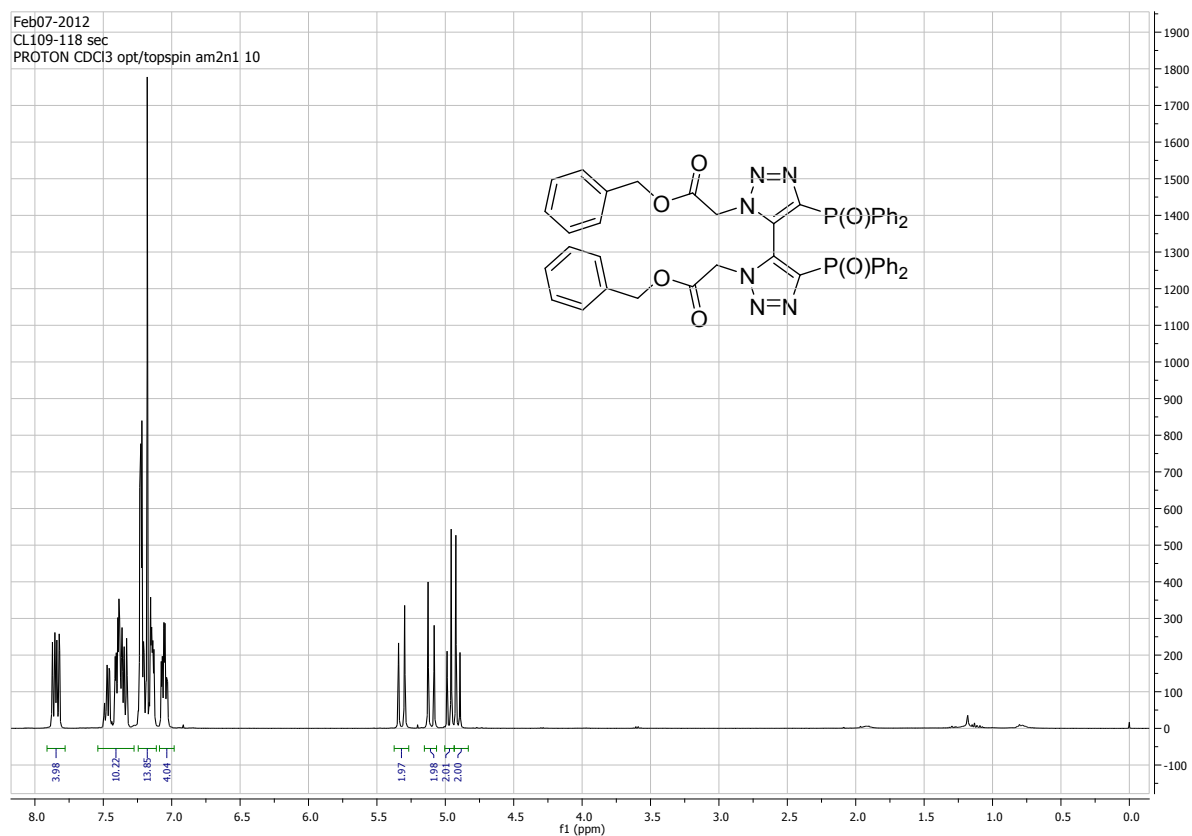
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TOF MS ES+
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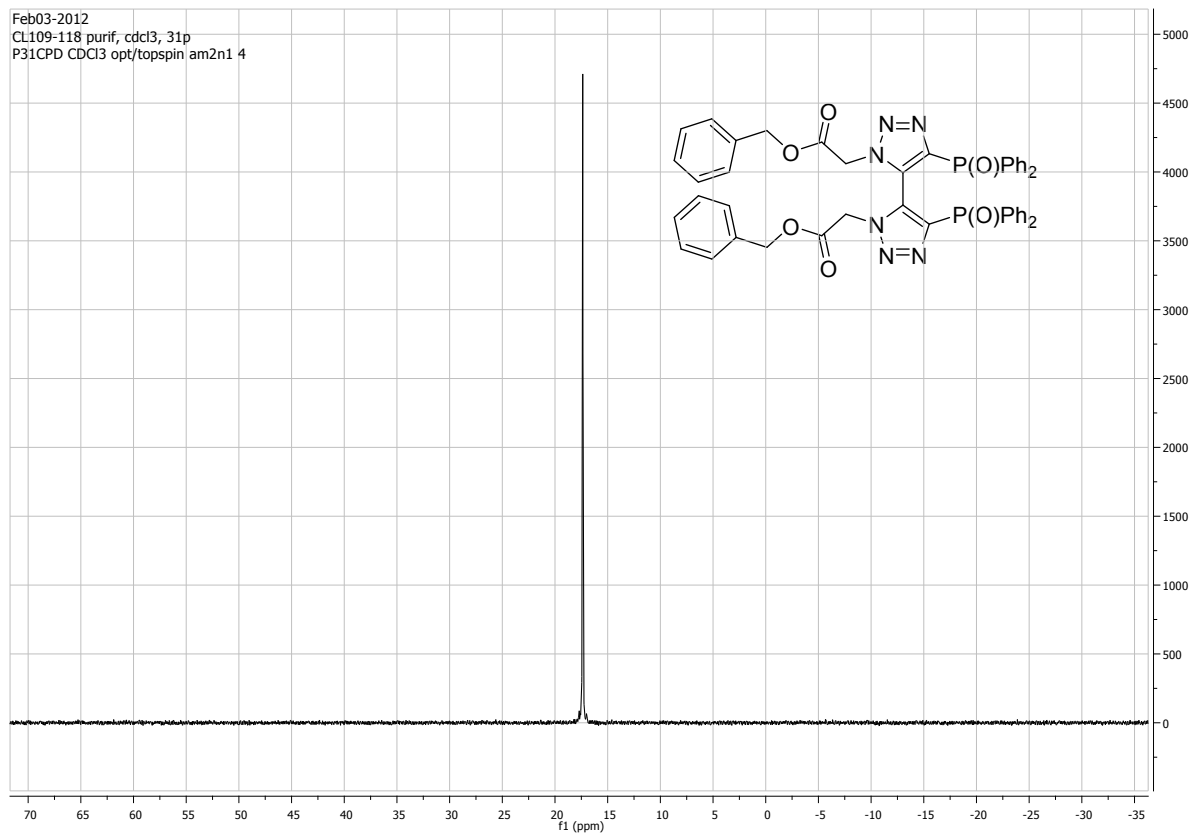
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Mass	Calc. Mass	mDa	PPM	DBE	Score	Formula				
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	701.2923	-1.5	-2.1	23.5	2	C40	H43	N6	O2	P2
	701.2883	2.5	3.6	19.5	3	C35	H43	N8	O4	P2

V.5. 4,4'-bis(diphenylphosphinoxy)-1,1'-bis(benzyloxyacetyl)-5,5'-bis-1,2,3-triazole 8.5



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P31CPD CDCl3 opt/topspin am2n1 4



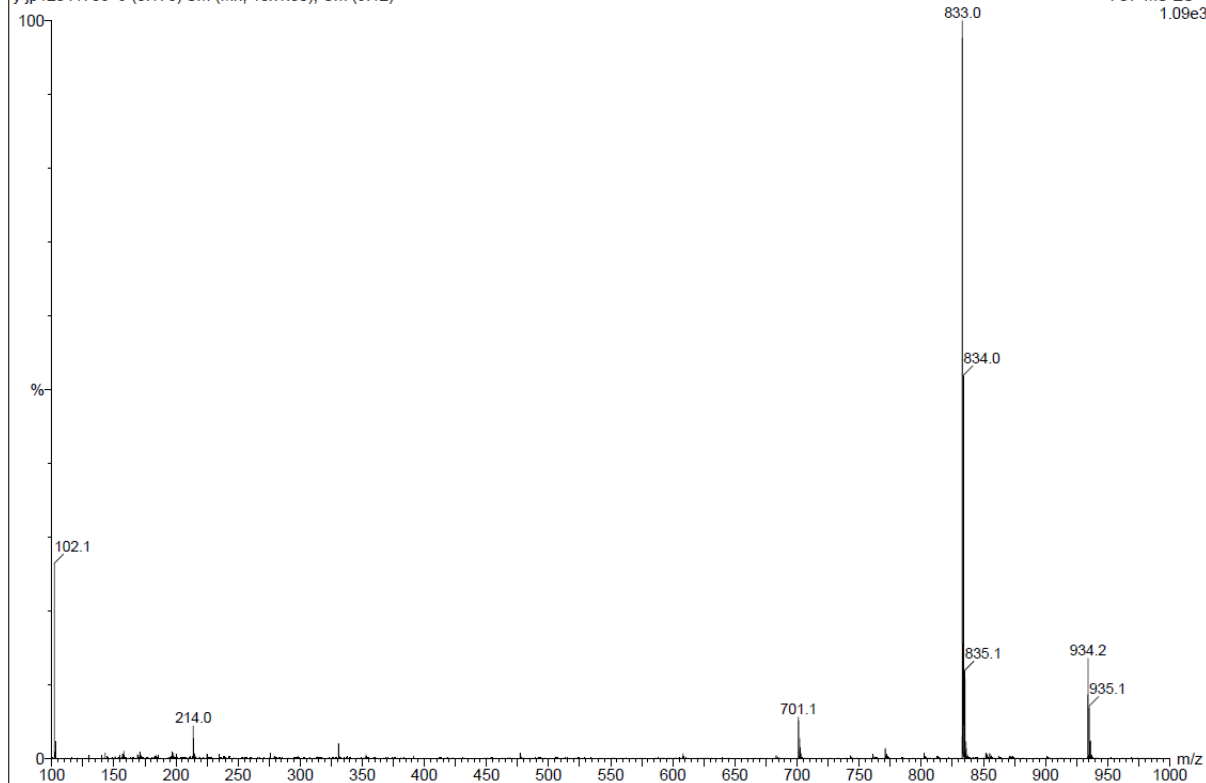
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CL-Bistriazole-benzylacetate / Mmono = 832.23

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y-jp12041703 9 (0.178) Sm (Mn, 10x1.00); Cm (9:12)

TOF MS ES+
1.09e3



Single Mass Analysis

Tolerance = 3.0 mDa / DBE: min = -10.0, max = 100.0

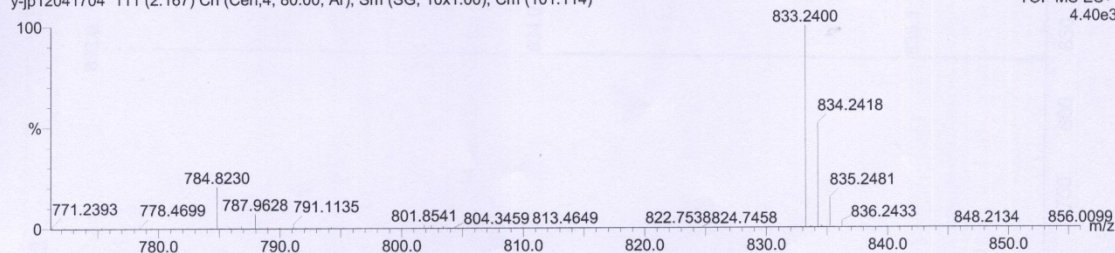
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Monoisotopic Mass, Even Electron Ions

973 formula(e) evaluated with 3 results within limits (all results (up to 1000) for each mass)

Q-TOF CL-Bistriazole-benzylacetate / Mmono = 832.23
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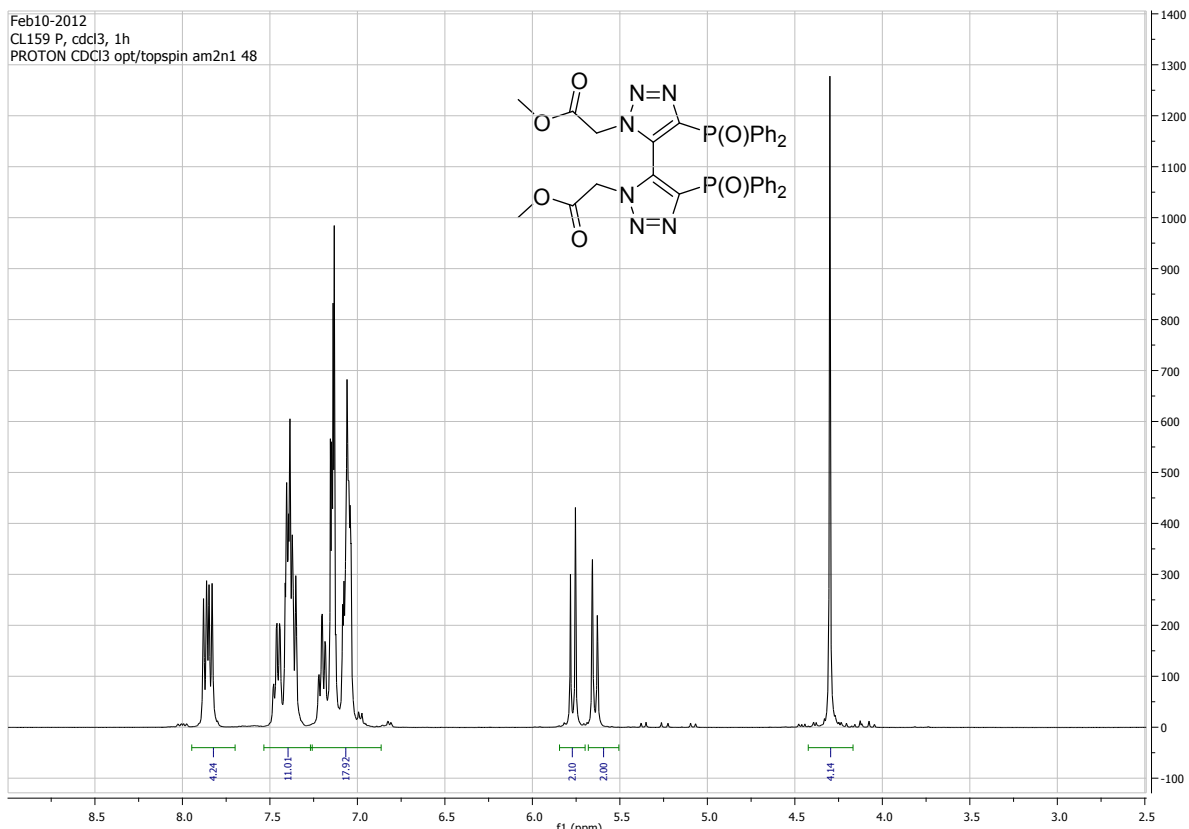
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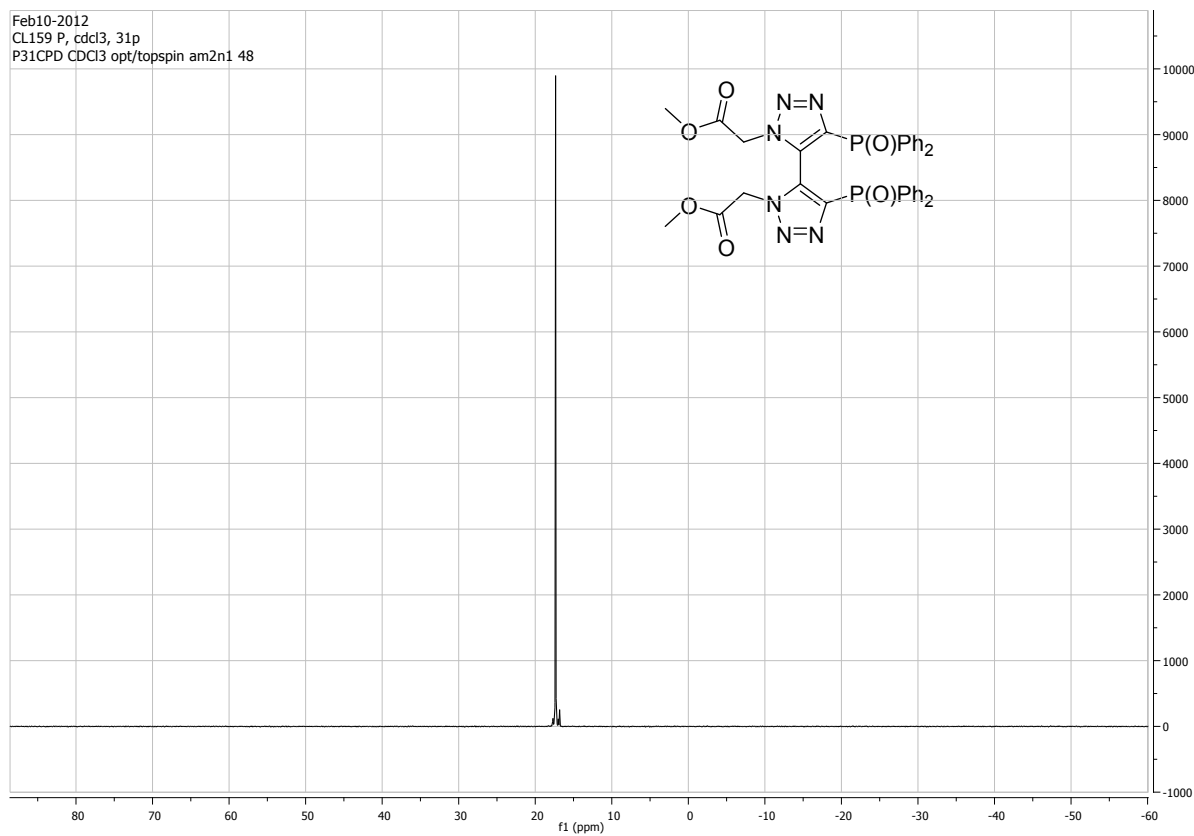
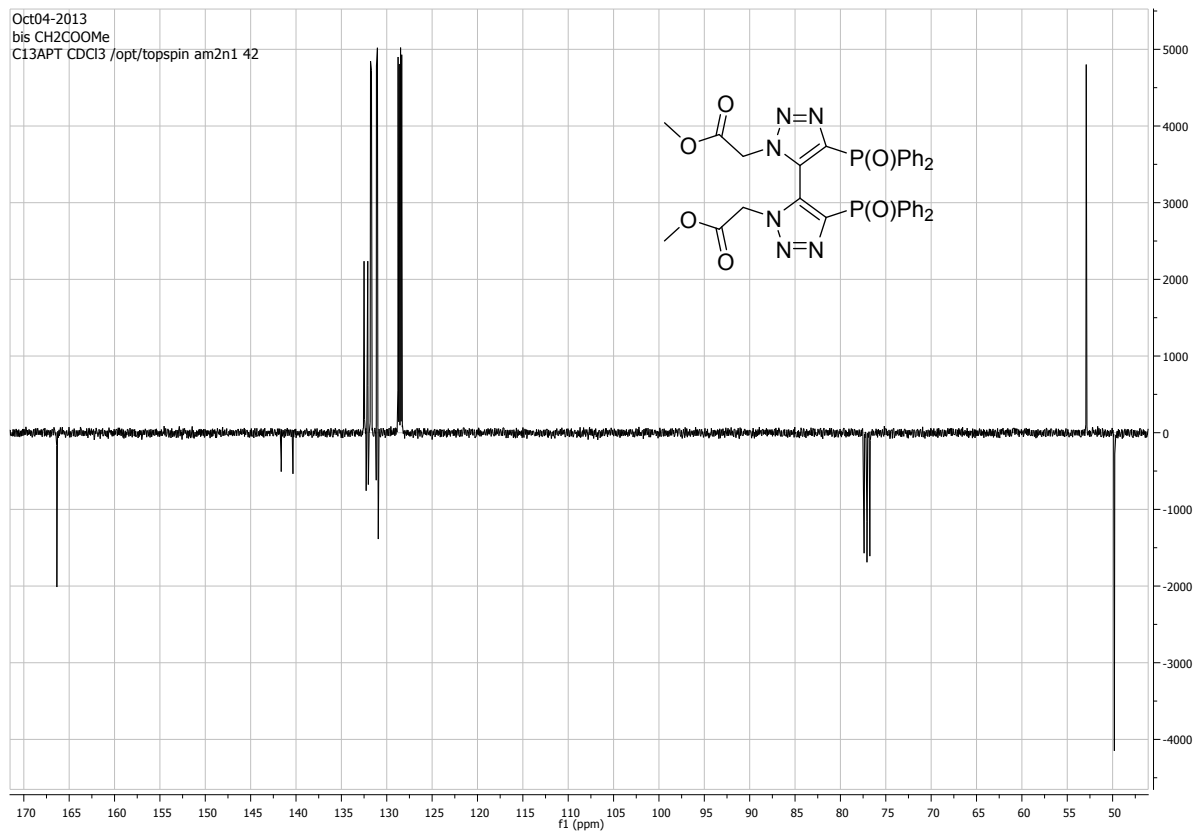


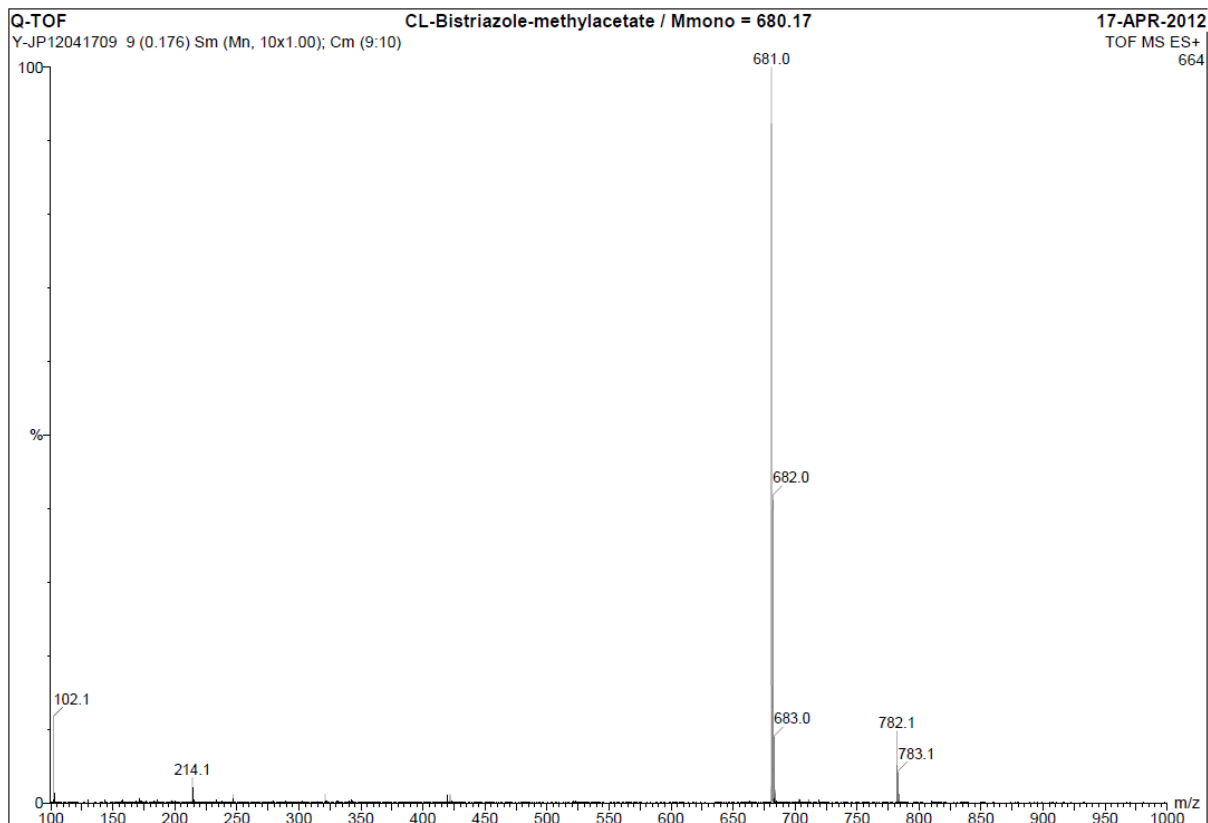
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Mass	Calc. Mass	mDa	PPM	DBE	Score	Formula
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	833.2406	-0.6	-0.8	31.5	2	C46 H39 N6 O6 P2
	833.2420	-2.0	-2.4	36.5	3	C47 H35 N10 O2 P2

V.6. 4,4'-bis(diphenylphosphinoxy)-1,1'-bis(methoxyacetyl) -5,5'-bis-1,2,3-triazole dioxide 8.6

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PROTON CDCl3 opt/topspin am2n1 48

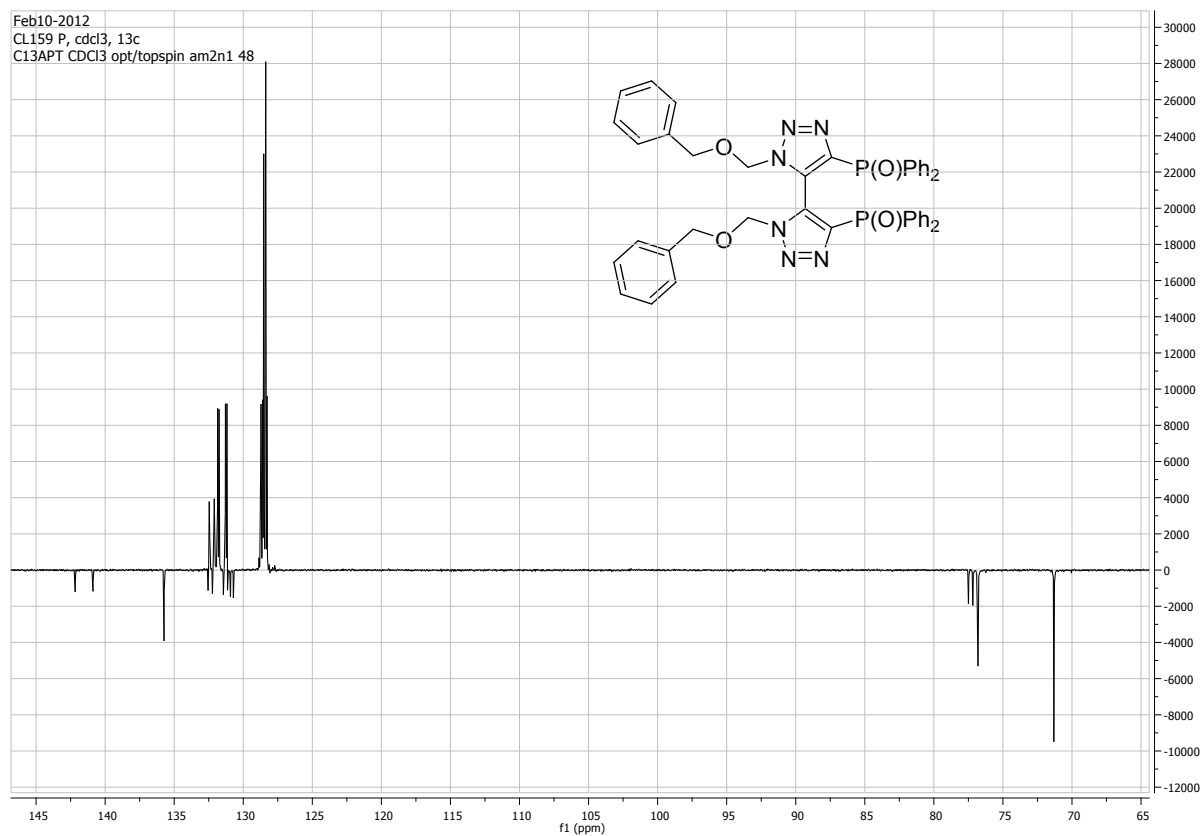
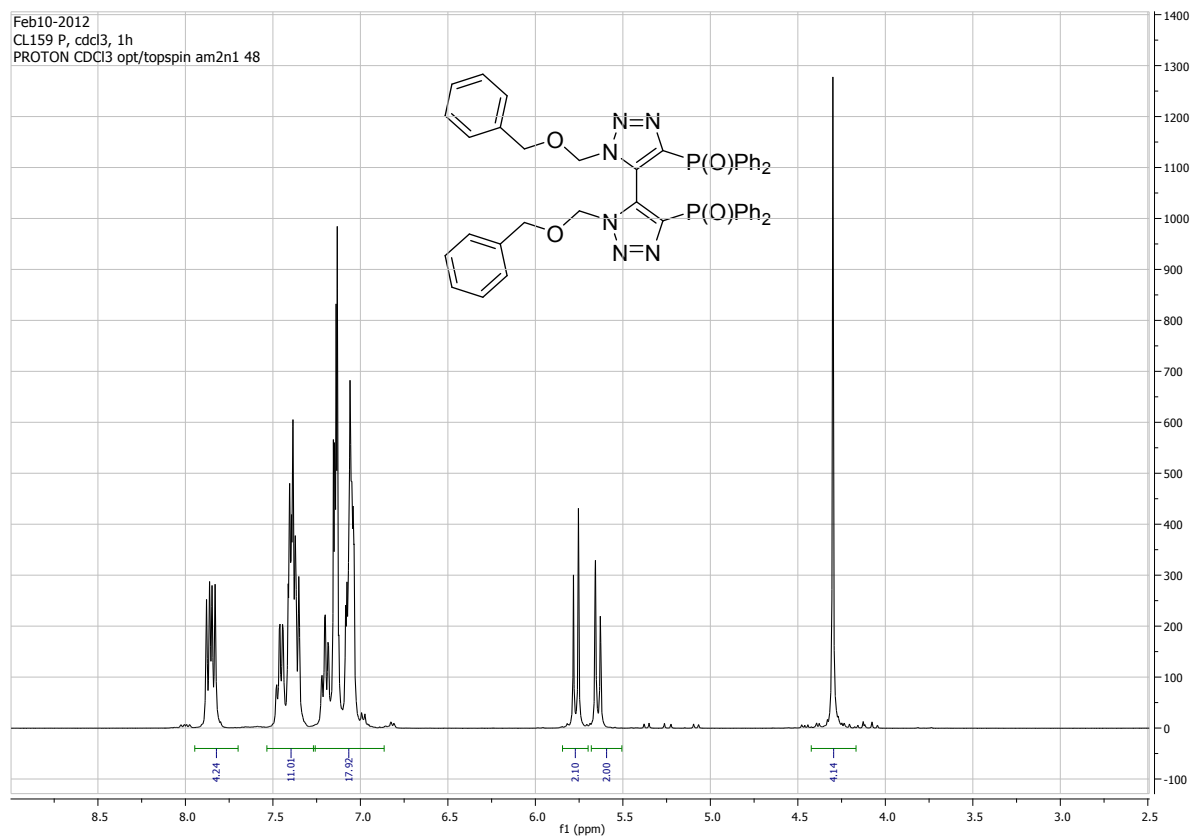




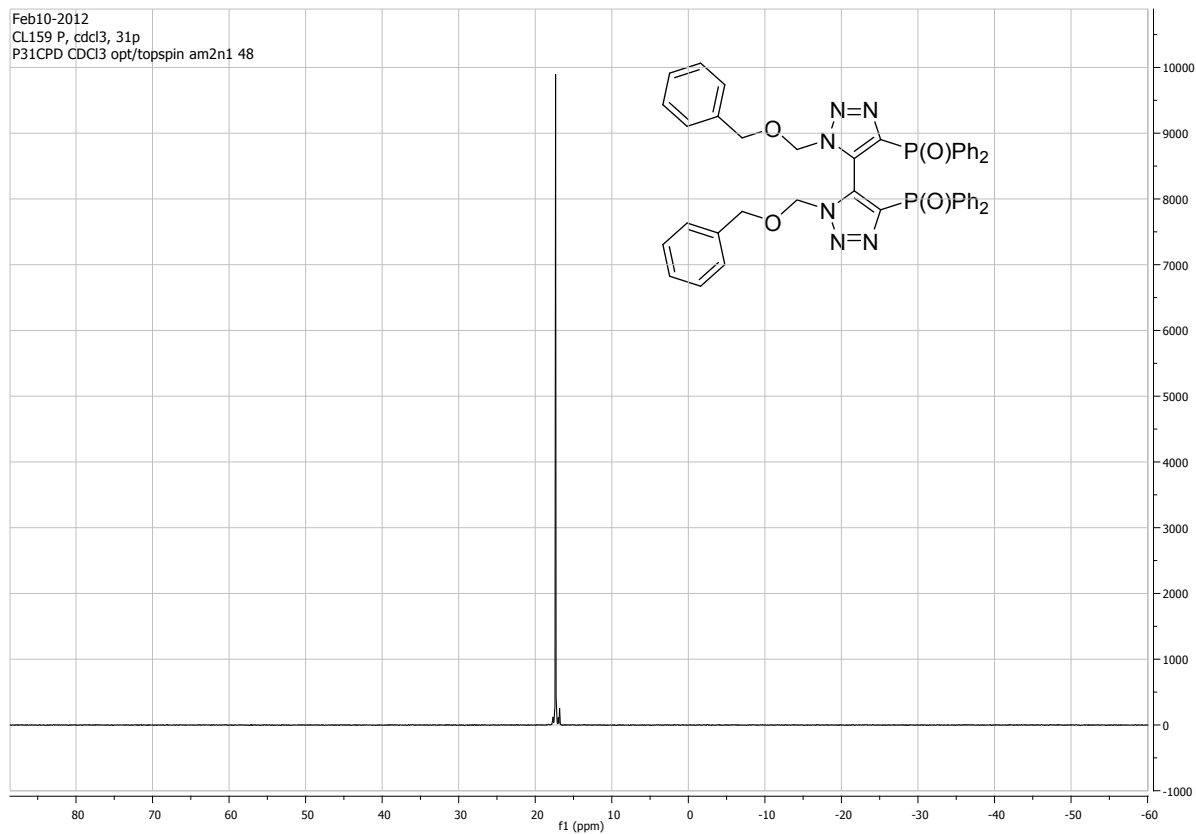


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Single Mass Analysis						
Tolerance = 3.0 mDa / DBE: min = -10.0, max = 100.0						
Isotope cluster parameters: Separation = 1.0 Abundance = 1.0%						
Monoisotopic Mass, Even Electron Ions						
802 formula(e) evaluated with 3 results within limits (all results (up to 1000) for each mass)						
Q-TOF CL-Bistriazole-methylacetate / Mmono = 680.17 Y-JP12041710 75 (1.430) Cn (Cen,4, 80.00, Ar); Sm (SG, 10x1.00); Cm (71:76)						17-APR-2012 TOF MS ES+ 6.23e3
Minimum:						
Maximum:		3.0	10.0	-10.0		
				100.0		
Mass	Calc. Mass	mDa	PPM	DBE	Score	Formula
681.1790	681.1794	-0.4	-0.5	28.5	1	C35 H27 N10 O2 P2
	681.1780	1.0	1.4	23.5	2	C34 H31 N6 O6 P2
	681.1767	2.3	3.4	18.5	3	C33 H35 N2 O10 P2

V.7. 4,4'-bis(diphenylphosphino)-1,1'-(dibenzyloxy)dimethyl-5,5'-bis-1,2,3-triazole dioxide 8.7



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P31CPD CDCl3 opt/topspin am2n1 48



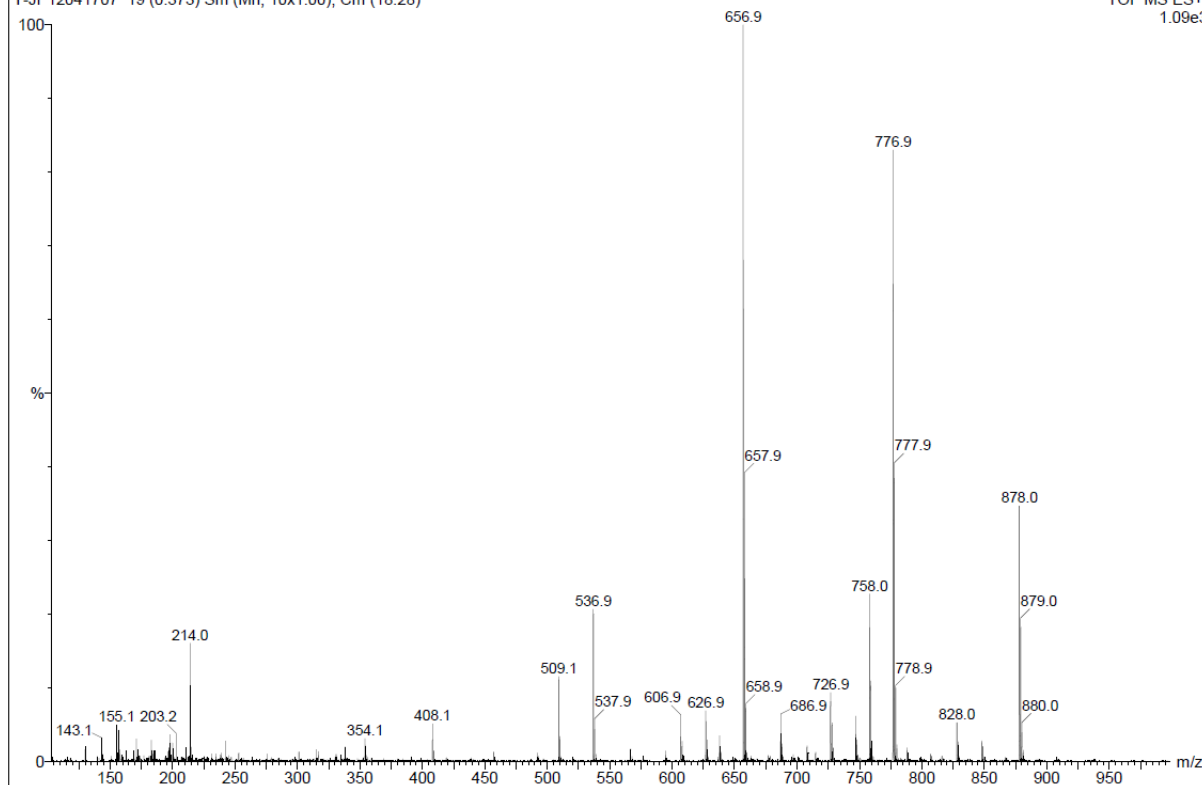
Q-TOF

CL-Bistriazole-benzylmethyl ether / Mmono = 776.24

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Y-JP12041707 19 (0.373) Sm (Mn, 10x1.00); Cm (18:28)

TOF MS ES+
1.09e3



Single Mass Analysis

Tolerance = 3.0 mDa / DBE: min = -10.0, max = 100.0

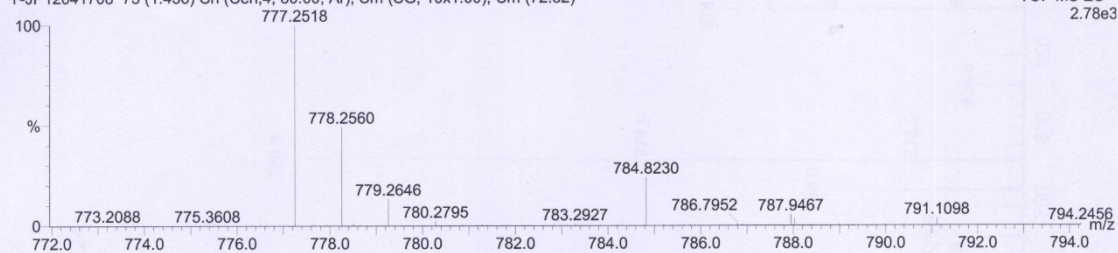
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Monoisotopic Mass, Even Electron Ions

917 formula(e) evaluated with 2 results within limits (all results (up to 1000) for each mass)

Q-TOF CL-Bistriazole-benzylmethyl ether / Mmono = 776.24
Y-JP12041708 75 (1.456) Cn (Cen,4, 80.00, Ar); Sm (SG, 10x1.00); Cm (72:82)

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TOF MS ES+
2.78e3

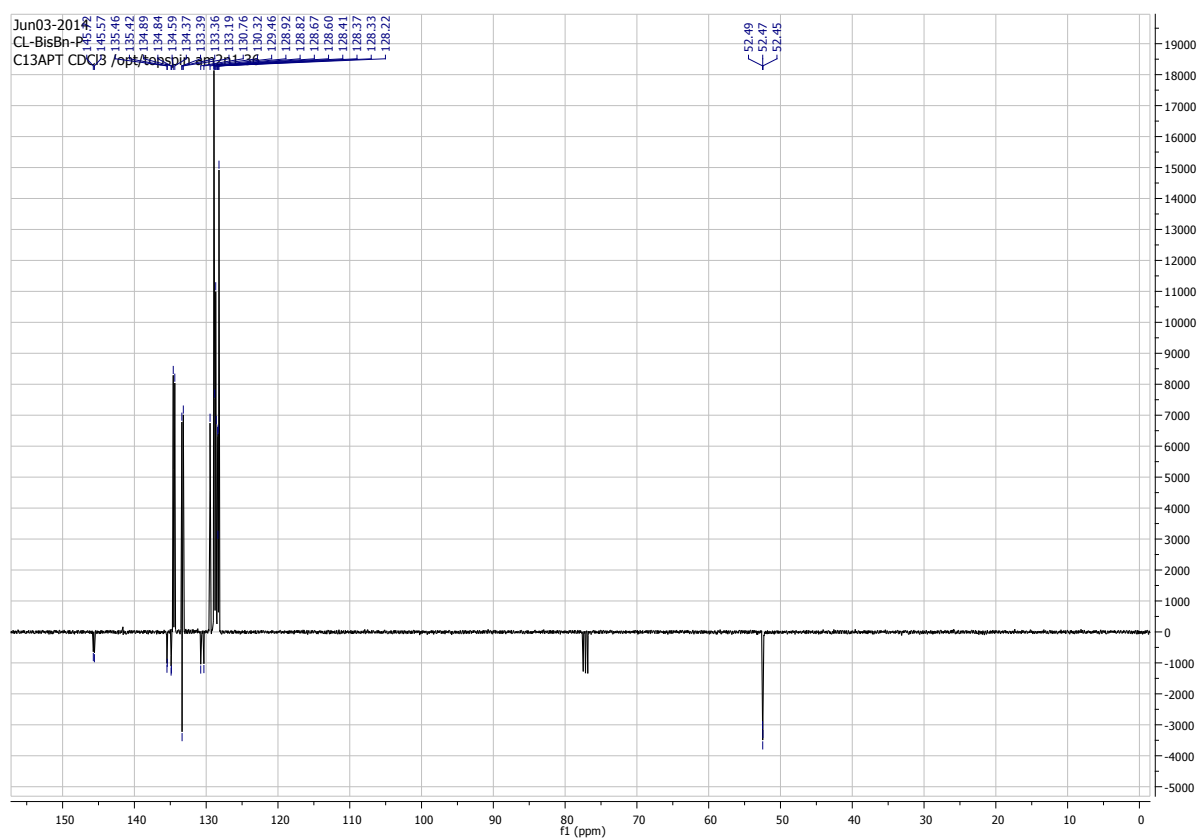
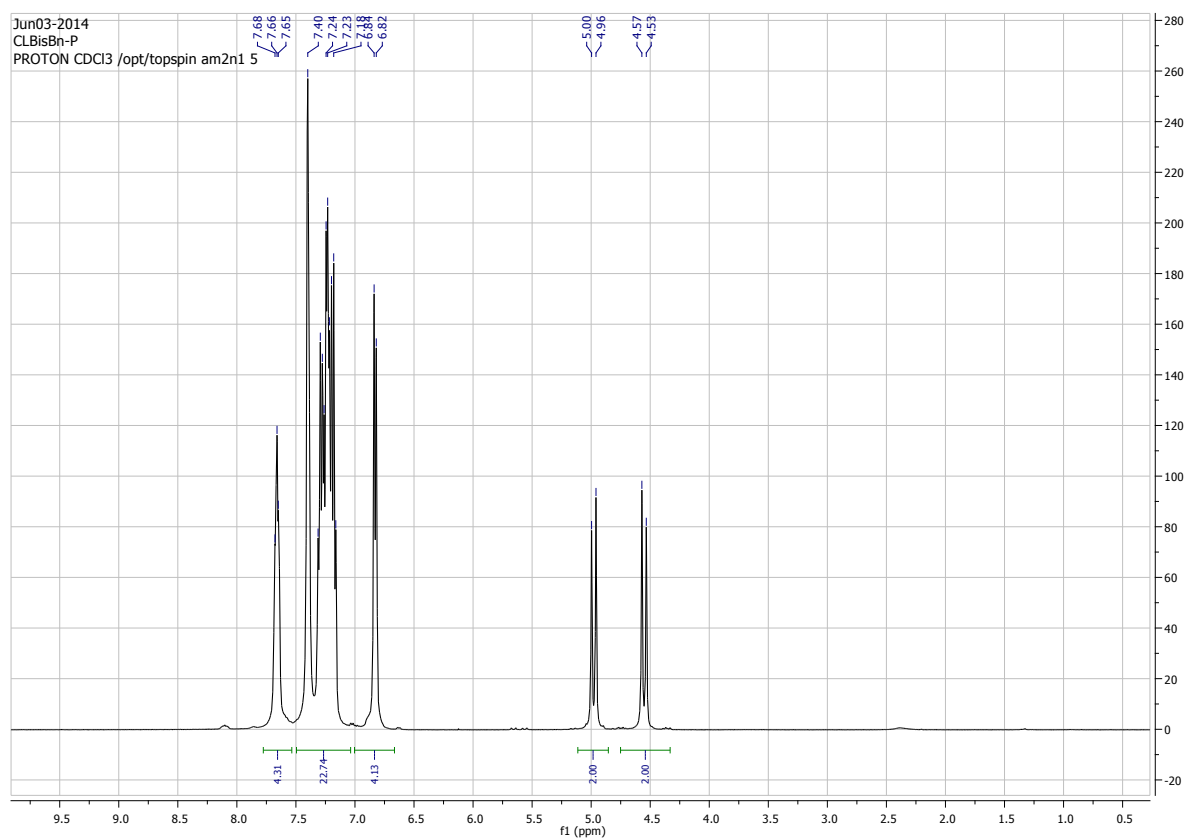


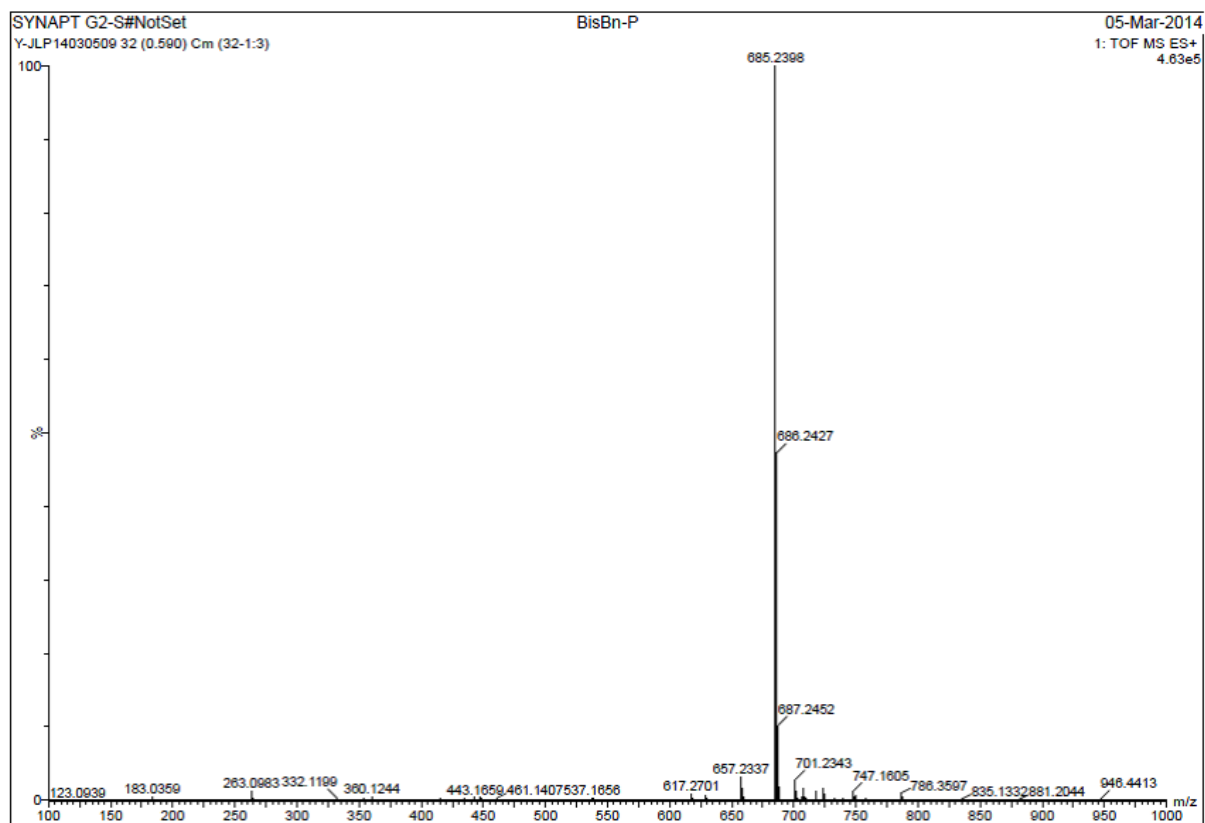
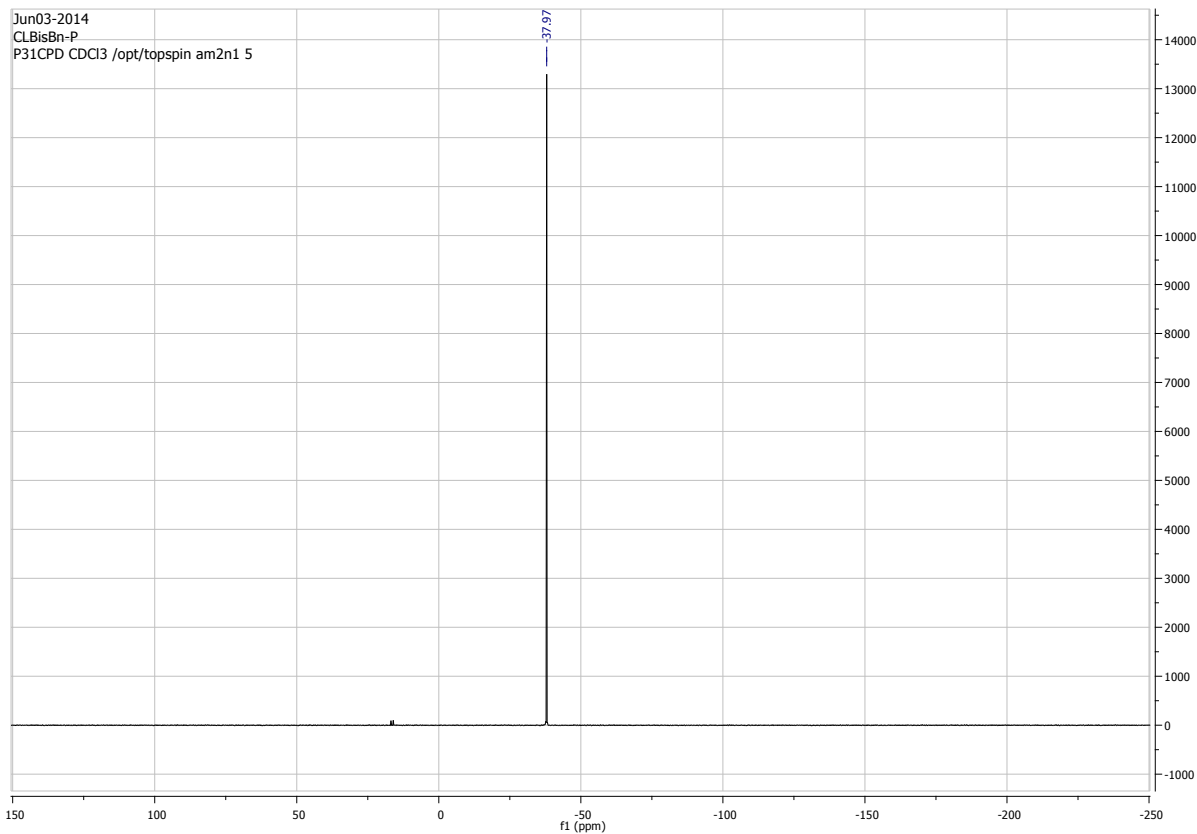
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Maximum: 3.0 10.0 100.0

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	777.2508	1.0	1.3	29.5	2	C44	H39	N6	O4	P2

VI. Copies of spectra for phosphanes 11.1 – 11.3

VI.1. 4,4'-bis(diphenylphosphino)-1,1'-dibenzyl-5,5'-bis-1,2,3-triazole 11.1





Single Mass Analysis

Tolerance = 1.0 PPM / DBE: min = -1.5, max = 50.0

Element prediction: Off

Number of isotope peaks used for i-FIT = 3

Monoisotopic Mass, Even Electron Ions

905 formula(e) evaluated with 3 results within limits (up to 20 best isotopic matches for each mass)

Elements Used:

C: 0-100 H: 0-150 N: 0-30 P: 0-3

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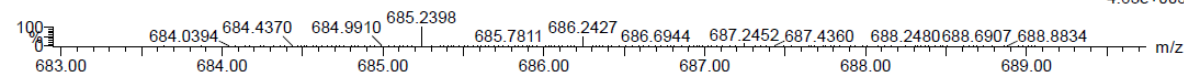
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BisBn-P

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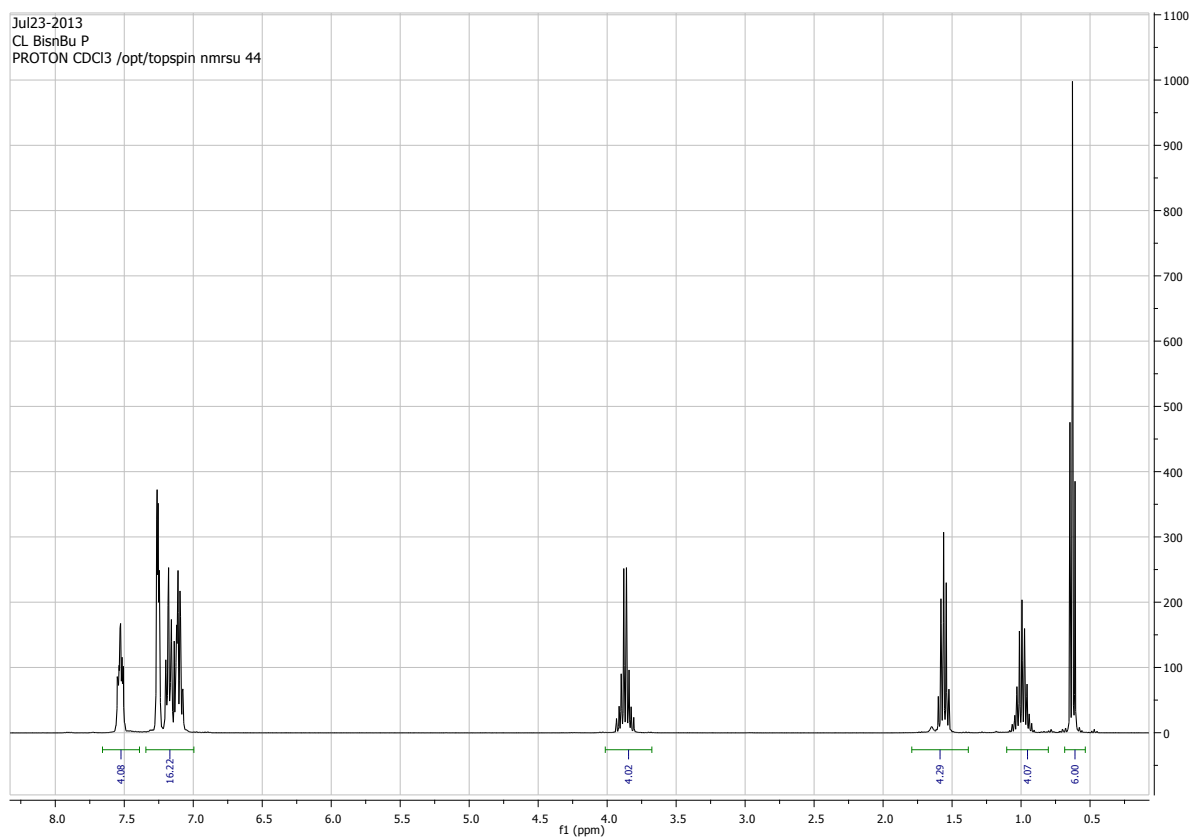
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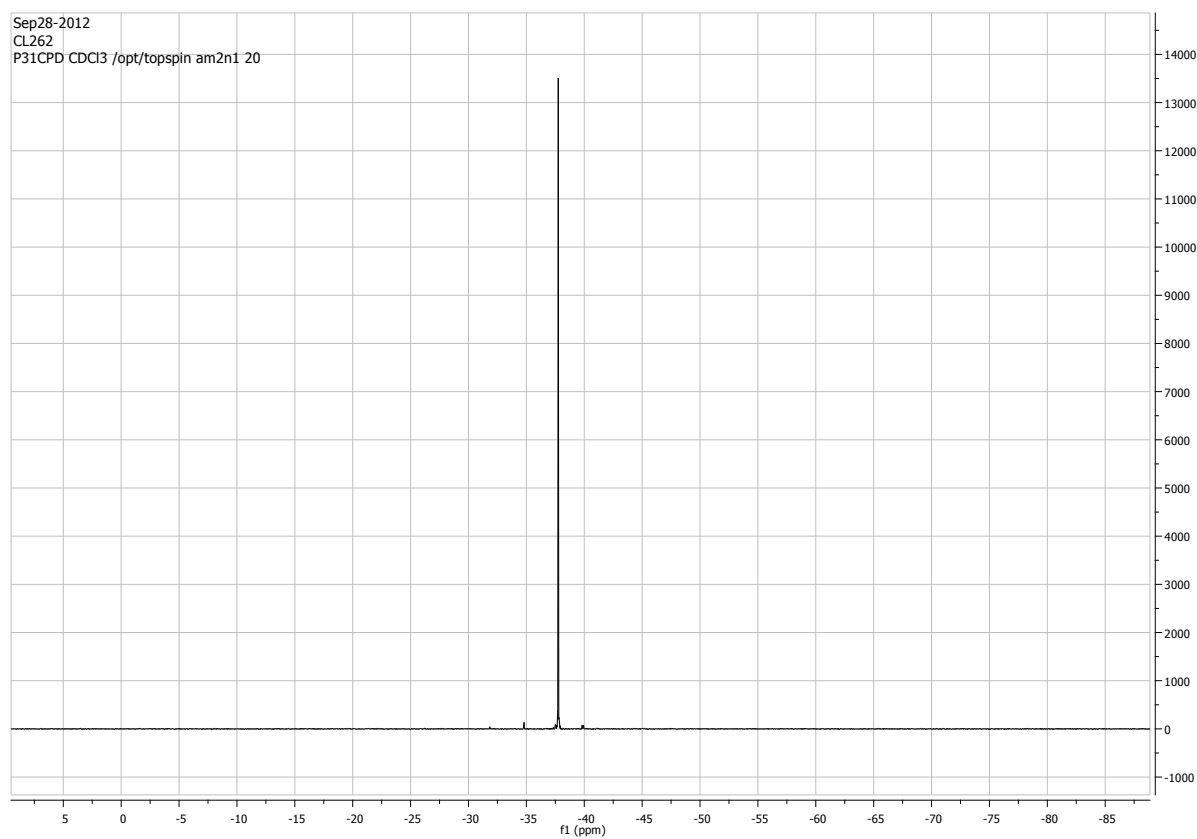
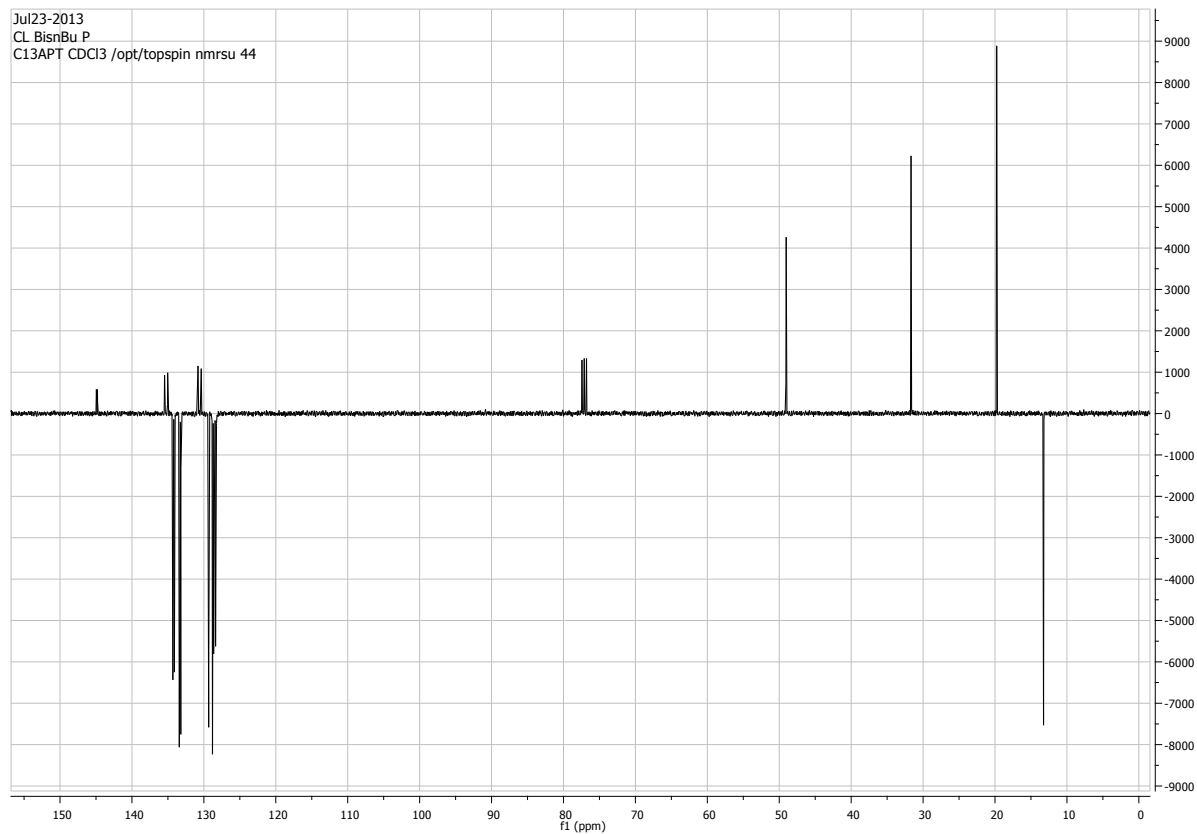


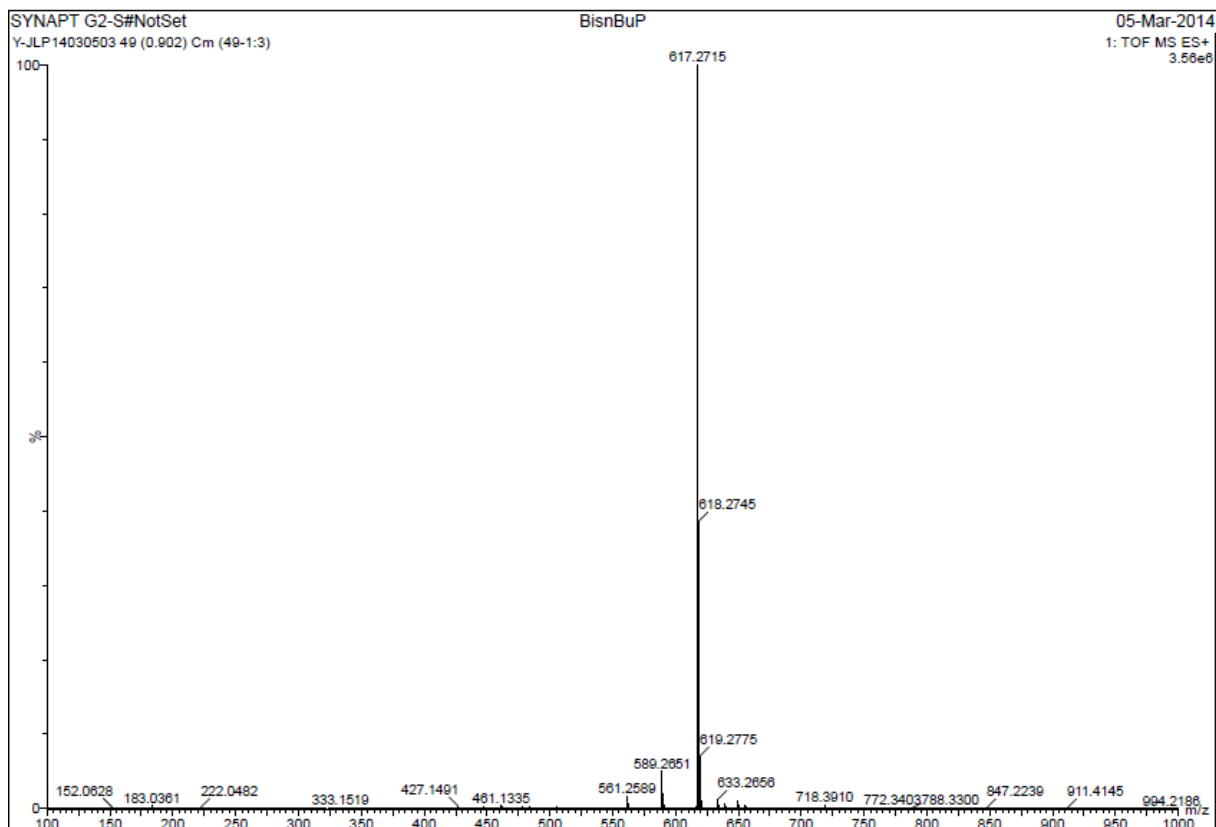
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Mass	Calc. Mass	mDa	PPM	DBE	i-FIT	Norm	Conf(%)	Formula
685.2398	685.2398	0.0	0.0	29.5	834.5	0.002	99.82	C42 H35 N6 P2
	685.2392	0.6	0.9	38.5	840.8	6.329	0.18	C50 H29 N4
	685.2393	0.5	0.7	18.5	845.6	11.137	0.00	C21 H32 N22 P3

VI.2. 4,4'-bis(diphenylphosphino)-1,1'-dibutyl-5,5'-bis-1,2,3-triazole 11.2







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Single Mass Analysis

Tolerance = 1.0 PPM / DBE: min = -1.5, max = 50.0

Element prediction: Off

Number of isotope peaks used for i-FIT = 3

Monoisotopic Mass, Even Electron Ions

803 formula(e) evaluated with 1 results within limits (up to 20 best isotopic matches for each mass)

Elements Used:

C: 0-100 H: 0-150 N: 0-30 P: 0-3

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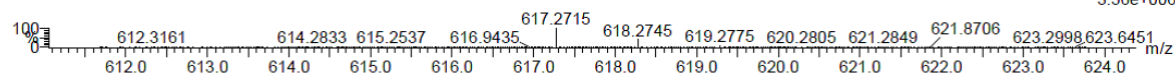
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BisnBuP

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1: TOF MS ES+

3.56e+006



Minimum:

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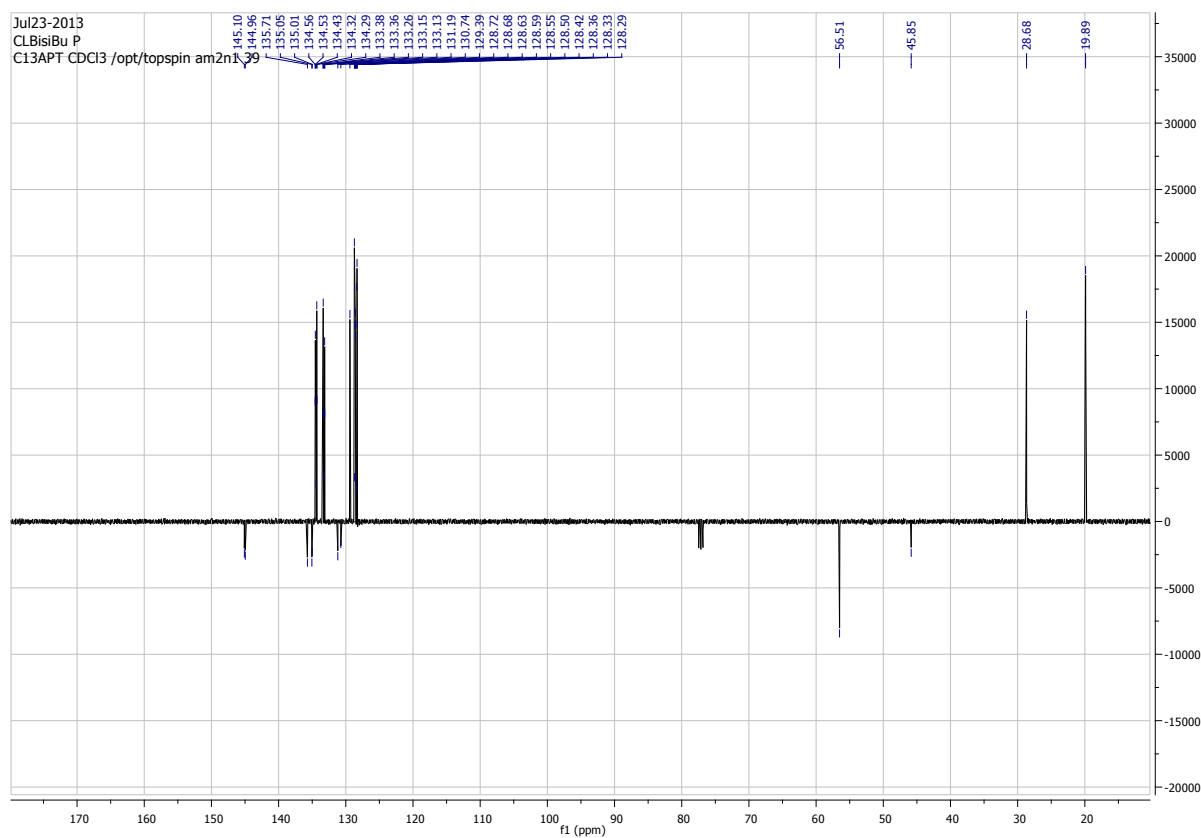
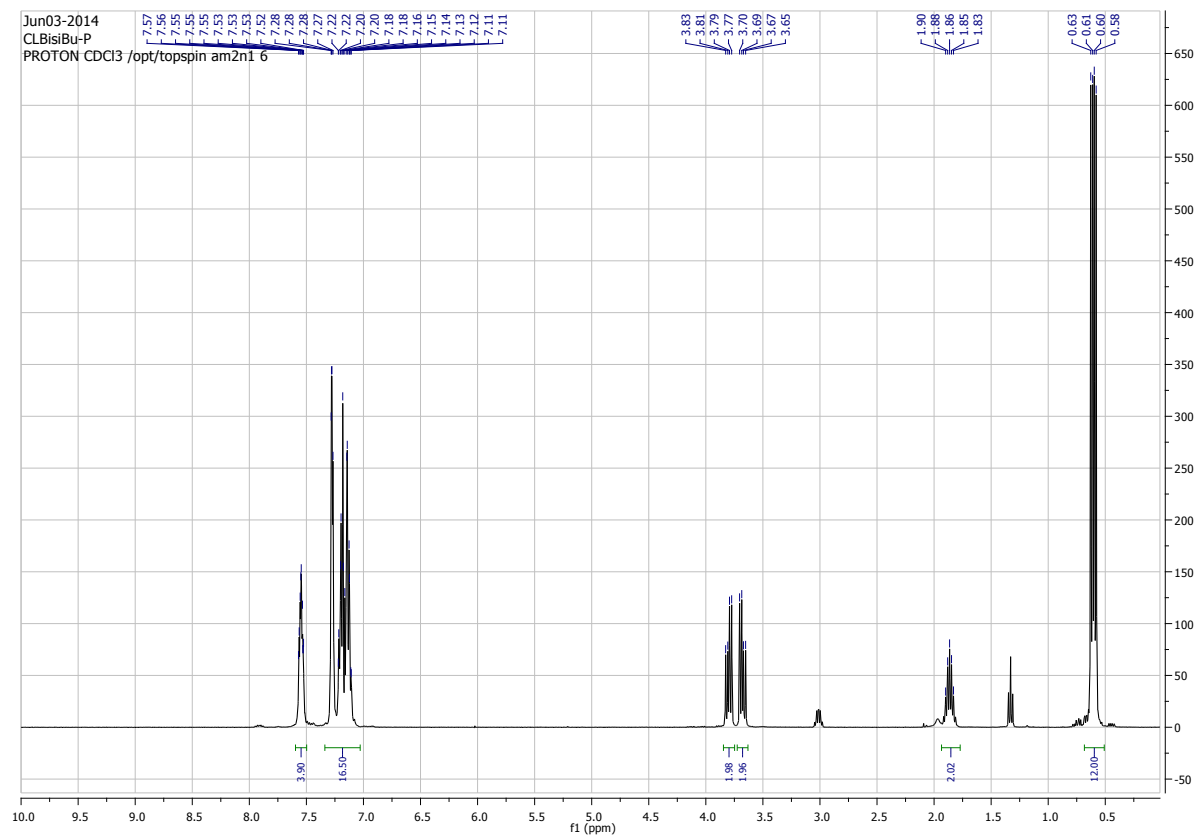
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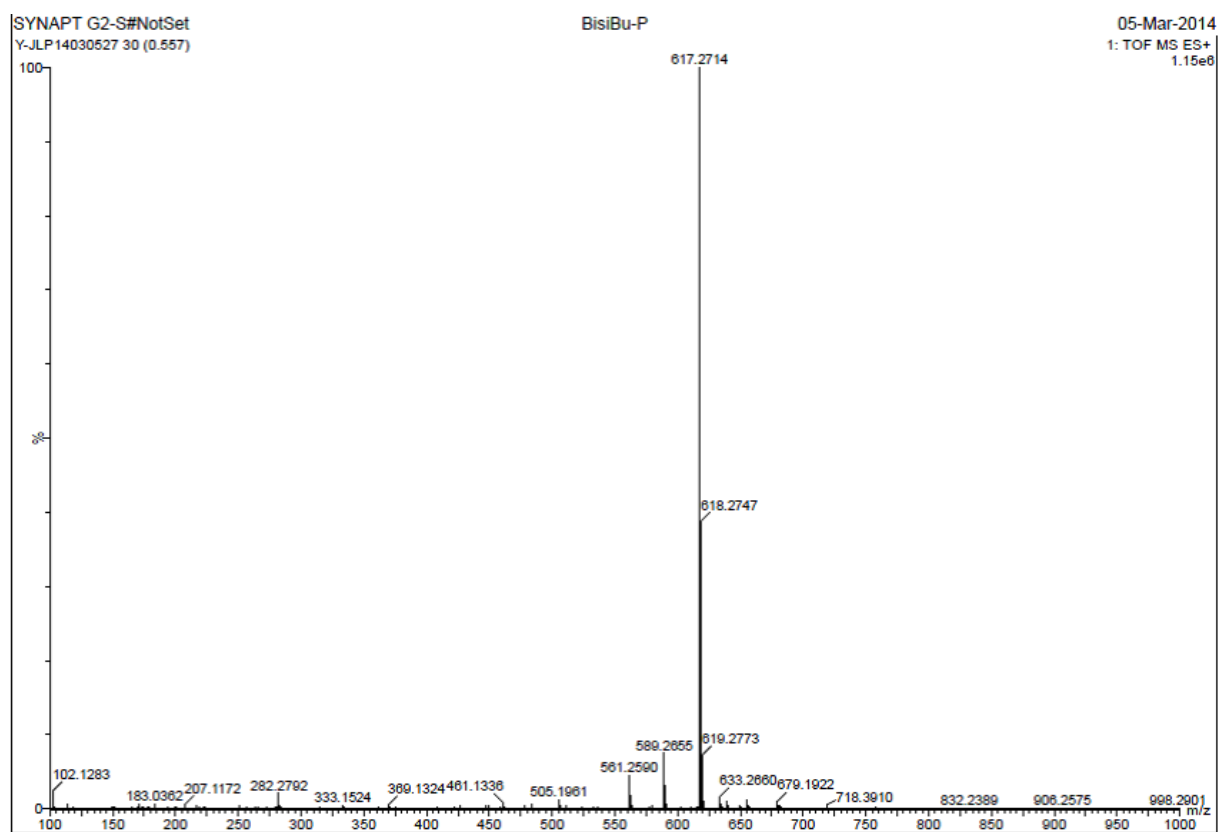
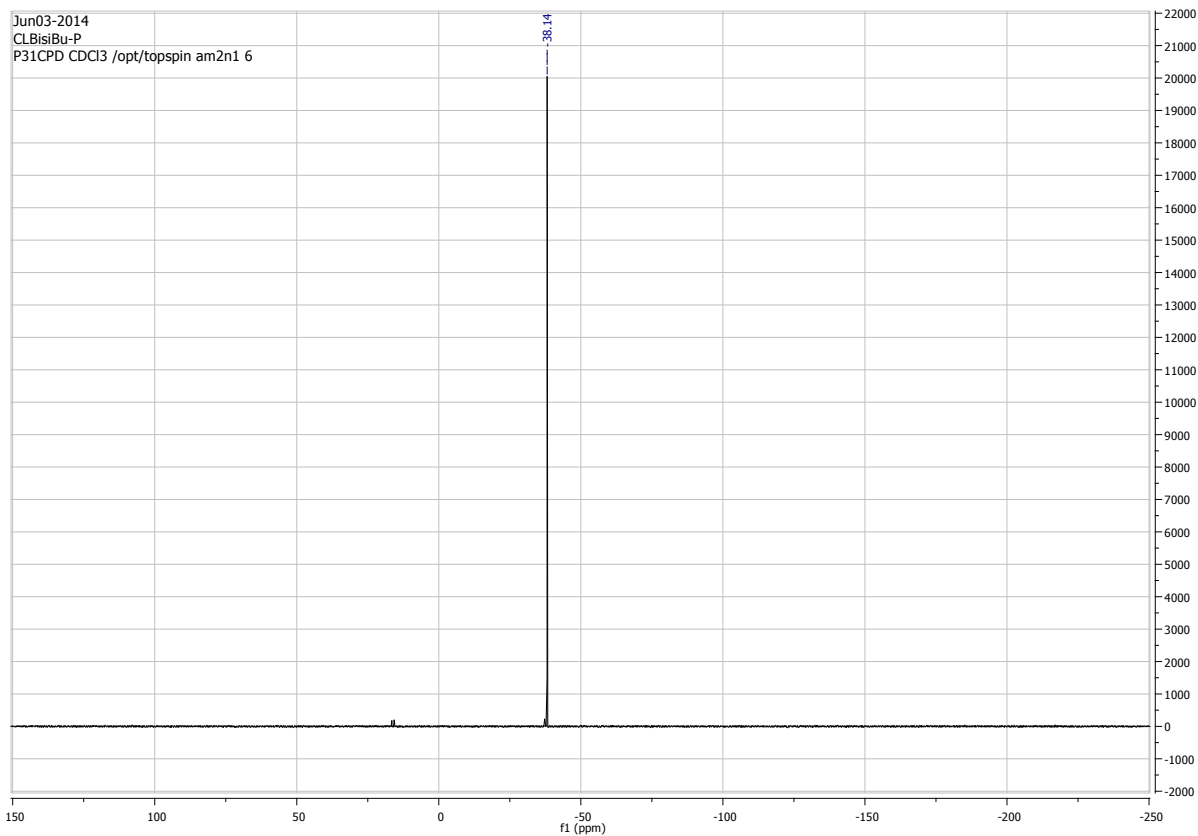
-1.5

50.0

Mass	Calc. Mass	mDa	PPM	DBE	i-FIT	Norm	Conf (%)	Formula
617.2715	617.2711	0.4	0.6	21.5	1329.7	n/a	n/a	C36 H39 N6 P2

VI.3. 4,4'-bis(diphenylphosphino)-1,1'-diisobutyl-5,5'-bis-1,2,3-triazole 11.3





Single Mass Analysis

Tolerance = 2.0 PPM / DBE: min = -1.5, max = 50.0

Element prediction: Off

Number of isotope peaks used for i-FIT = 3

Monoisotopic Mass, Even Electron Ions

565 formula(e) evaluated with 2 results within limits (up to 20 best isotopic matches for each mass)

Elements Used:

C: 0-100 H: 0-150 N: 1-30 P: 1-3

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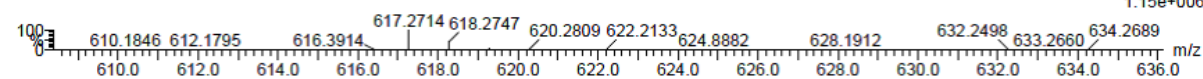
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BisiBu-P

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1.15e+006



Minimum: -1.5
Maximum: 1000.0 2.0 50.0

Mass	Calc. Mass	mDa	PPM	DBE	i-FIT	Norm	Conf (%)	Formula
617.2714	617.2711	0.3	0.5	21.5	1186.1	0.000	100.00	C36 H39 N6 P2
	617.2706	0.8	1.3	10.5	1198.1	11.955	0.00	C15 H36 N22 P3

VII. X-ray crystallography.

A single crystal of each compound was mounted under inert perfluoropolyether at the tip of a cryoloop and cooled in the cryostream of either an Oxford-Diffraction XCALIBUR SAPPHIRE-I CCD diffractometer or an Agilent Technologies GEMINI EOS CCD diffractometer. Data were collected using the monochromatic MoK α radiation ($\lambda = 0.71073$).

The structures were solved by direct methods (SIR97) [1] and refined by least-squares procedures on F² using SHELXL-97 [2]. All H atoms attached to carbon were introduced in idealised positions and treated as riding on their parent atoms in the calculations. The drawing of the molecules was realised with the help of ORTEP3. [3]

Crystallographic data (excluding structure factors) have been deposited with the Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre as supplementary publication no. CCDC 1031965-1031970. Copies of the data can be obtained free of charge on application to the Director, CCDC, 12 Union Road, Cambridge CB2 1EZ, UK (fax: (+44) 1223-336-033; e-mail: deposit@ccdc.cam.ac.uk).

VII.1. 4,4'-bis(diphenylphosphinoxy)-1,1'-dibenzyl-5,5'-bis-1,2,3-triazole 8.1

Crystal data

<u>2(C₄₂H₃₄N₆O₂P₂)·C₂H₃N</u>	<u>V = 3756.64 (11) Å³</u>
<u>M_r = 1474.44</u>	<u>Z = 2</u>
<u>Monoclinic, P2₁/n</u>	<u>Mo Kα radiation</u>
<u>a = 12.8008 (2) Å</u>	<u>$\mu = 0.16$ mm⁻¹</u>
<u>b = 16.6628 (3) Å</u>	<u>T = 175 K</u>
<u>c = 17.8668 (3) Å</u>	<u>0.43 × 0.35 × 0.25 mm</u>
<u>$\beta = 99.6830$ (17)°</u>	

Data collection

<u>Xcalibur, Sapphire2, large Be window diffractometer</u>	<u>9225 independent reflections</u>
<u>Absorption correction: multi-scan CrysAlis PRO, Oxford Diffraction Ltd., Version 1.171.34.40 (release 27-08-2010 CrysAlis171 .NET) (compiled Aug 27 2010,11:50:40) Empirical absorption correction using spherical harmonics, implemented in SCALE3 ABSPACK scaling algorithm.</u>	<u>7926 reflections with $I > 2.0\sigma(I)$</u>
<u>T_{min} = 0.955, T_{max} = 1.000</u>	<u>R_{int} = 0.023</u>
<u>64742 measured reflections</u>	<u>$\theta_{\max} = 29.1^\circ$</u>

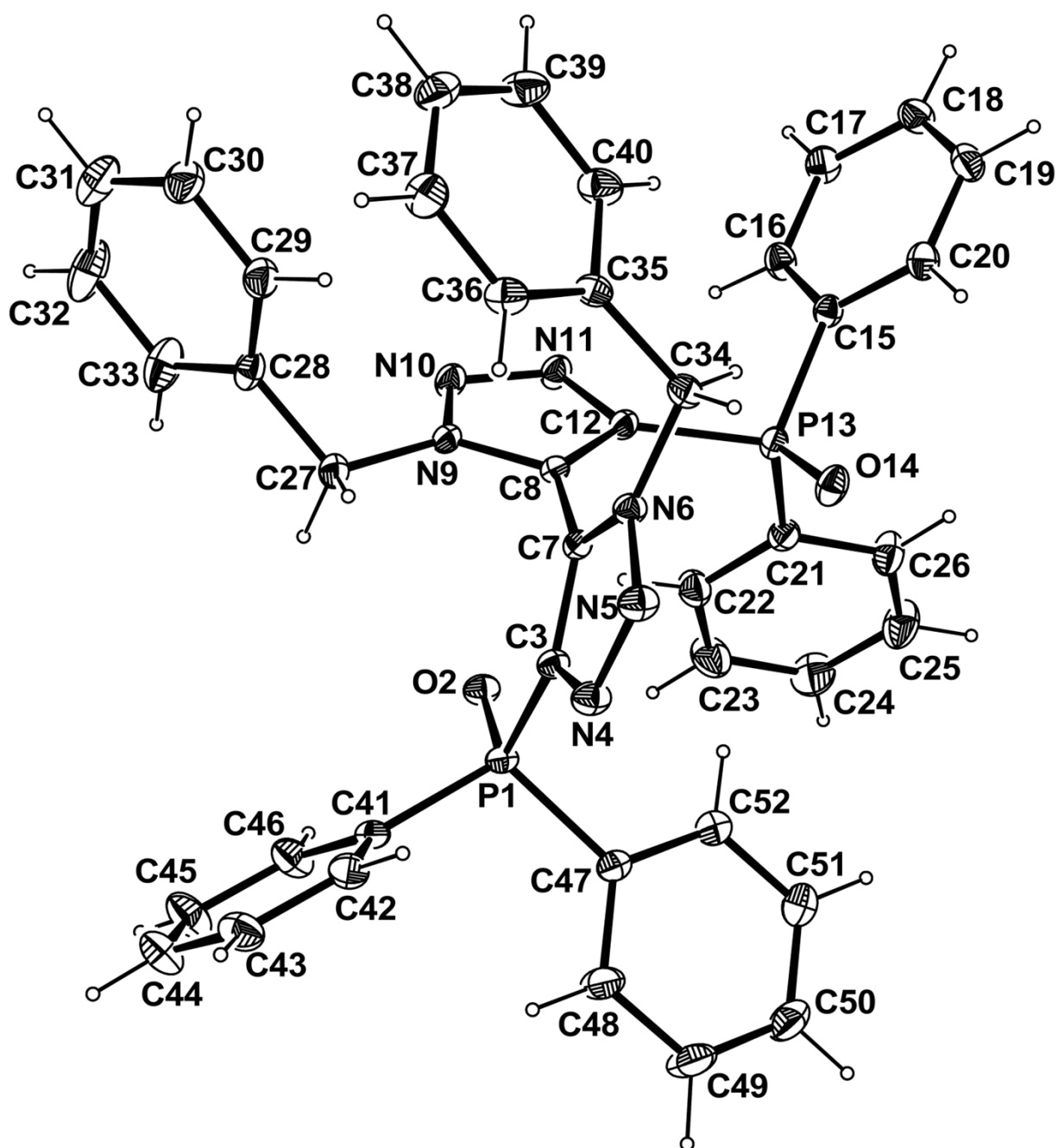
Refinement

<u>R[F² > 2σ(F²)] = 0.045</u>	<u>2 restraints</u>
<u>wR(F²) = 0.143</u>	<u>H-atom parameters constrained</u>
<u>S = 0.85</u>	<u>$\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.49$ e Å⁻³</u>

9225 reflections

$$\Delta\rho_{\min} = \underline{-0.67} \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$$

476 parameters



VII.2. 4,4'-bis(diphenylphosphinoxy)-1,1'-diisobutyl-5,5'-bis-1,2,3-triazole 8.3

Crystal data

	$V = 6752.5 (2) \text{ \AA}^3$
$M_r = 848.66$	$Z = 8$
<i>Monoclinic, C2/c</i>	<i>Mo Kα radiation</i>
$a = 23.4908 (5) \text{ \AA}$	$\mu = 0.17 \text{ mm}^{-1}$
$b = 11.0856 (2) \text{ \AA}$	$T = 175 \text{ K}$

$c = \underline{25.9333 (5) \text{ \AA}}$ $\underline{0.30} \times \underline{0.25} \times \underline{0.15} \text{ mm}$

$\beta = \underline{90.8818 (18)^\circ}$

Data collection

Xcalibur, Sapphire3, Gemini
diffractometer

8090 independent reflections

Absorption correction: multi-scan
CrysAlis PRO, Agilent Technologies, Version
1.171.36.24 (release 03-12-2012 CrysAlis171 .NET)
(compiled Dec 3 2012,18:21:49) Empirical
absorption correction using spherical harmonics,
implemented in SCALE3 ABSPACK scaling algorithm.

6655 reflections with $I > 2.0\sigma(I)$

$T_{min} = \underline{0.877}$, $T_{max} = \underline{1.000}$

$R_{int} = \underline{0.047}$

27328 measured reflections

$\vartheta_{max} = \underline{29.3^\circ}$

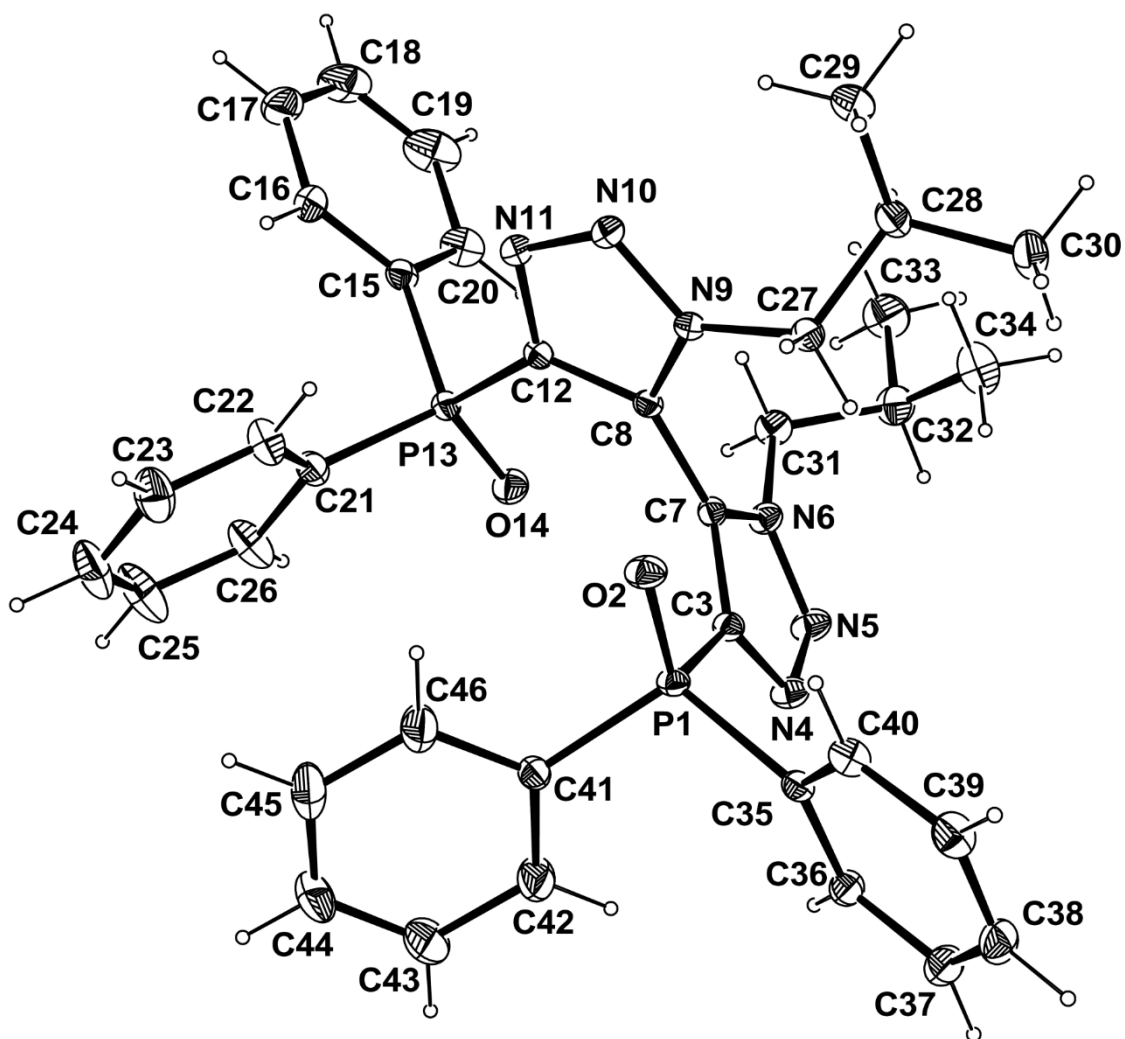
Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = \underline{0.049}$ 415 parameters

$wR(F^2) = \underline{0.055}$ 0 restraints

$S = \underline{1.09}$ $\Delta\rho_{max} = \underline{0.40} \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$

6655 reflections $\Delta\rho_{min} = \underline{-0.27} \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$



VII.3. dichloro(4,4'-bis(diphenylphosphinoxy)-1,1'-dibenzyl-5,5'-bis-1,2,3-triazole)palladium 12.1

Crystal data

$C_{42}H_{34}Cl_2N_6P_2Pd \cdot CHCl_3$	$V = 8524.8 (3) \text{ \AA}^3$
$M_r = 981.36$	$Z = 8$
Monoclinic, $P2_1/c$	Mo $K\alpha$ radiation
$a = 20.0222 (3) \text{ \AA}$	$\mu = 0.86 \text{ mm}^{-1}$
$b = 18.8861 (4) \text{ \AA}$	$T = 175 \text{ K}$
$c = 22.6056 (4) \text{ \AA}$	$0.25 \times 0.20 \times 0.15 \text{ mm}$
$\beta = 94.2374 (16)^\circ$	

Data collection

Xcalibur, diffractometer	Sapphire3,	Gemini	14409 independent reflections
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Absorption correction: multi-scan
CrysAlis PRO, Agilent Technologies, Version
1.171.36.24 (release 03-12-2012 CrysAlis171 .NET)
 (compiled Dec 3 2012,18:21:49) Empirical
 absorption correction using spherical harmonics,
 implemented in SCALE3 ABSPACK scaling
 algorithm.

10170 reflections with $I > 2.0\sigma(I)$

$T_{\min} = \underline{0.990}$, $T_{\max} = \underline{1.000}$

$R_{\text{int}} = \underline{0.032}$

32286 measured reflections

$\theta_{\max} = \underline{26.5^\circ}$

Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = \underline{0.044}$

0 restraints

$wR(F^2) = \underline{0.025}$

H-atom parameters constrained

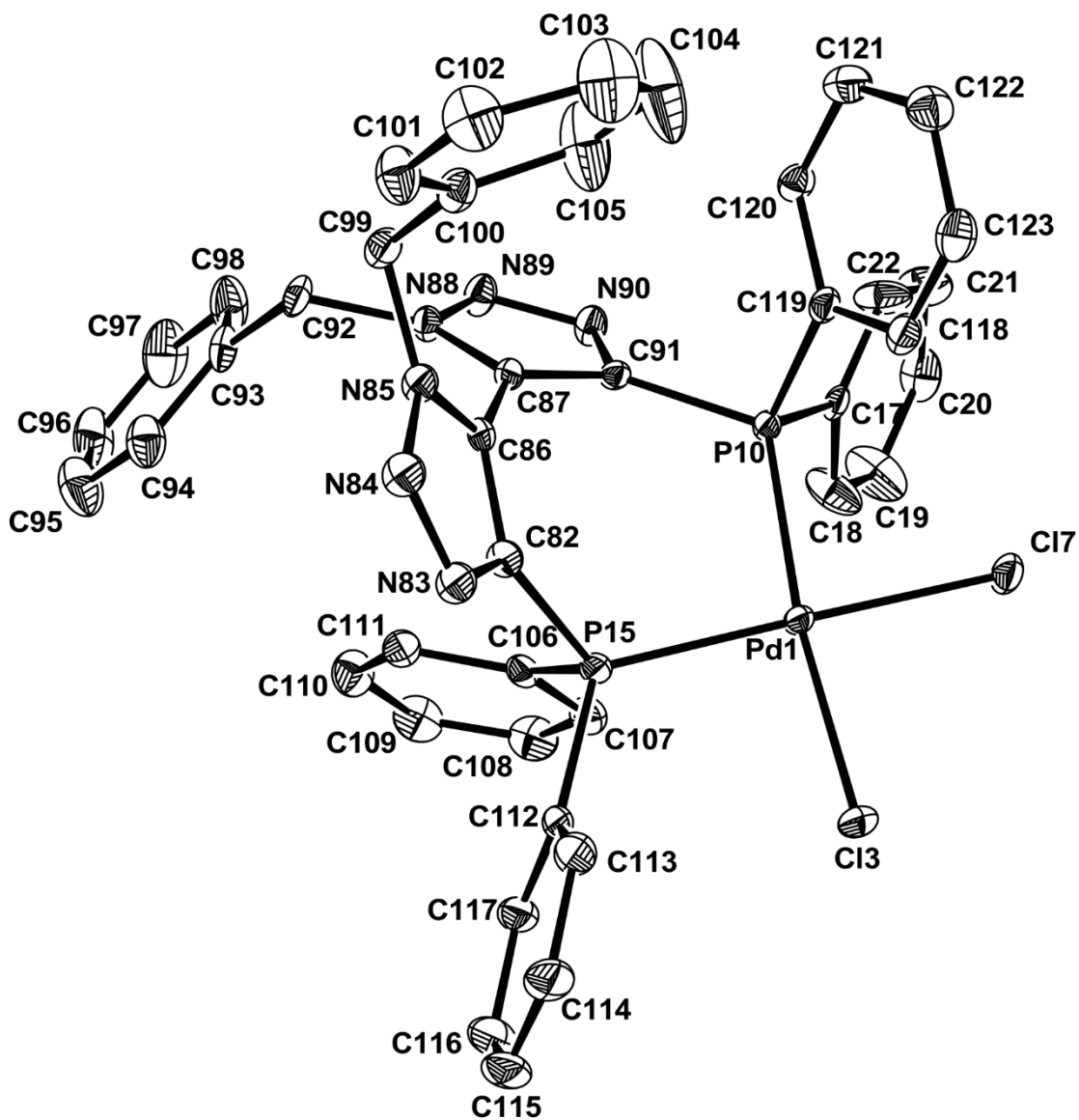
$S = \underline{1.12}$

$\Delta\rho_{\max} = \underline{1.64} \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$

10170 reflections

$\Delta\rho_{\min} = \underline{-1.63} \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$

1027 parameters



VII.4. dichloro(4,4'-bis(diphenylphosphinoxy)-1,1'-dibenzyl-5,5'-bis-1,2,3-triazole)platinum 14

Crystal data

$C_{84}H_{68}Cl_4N_{12}P_4Pt_2$	$V = 8678 (4) \text{ \AA}^3$
$M_r = 1901.36$	$Z = 4$
Monoclinic, $P2_1/c$	Mo $K\alpha$ radiation
$a = 25.778 (5) \text{ \AA}$	$\mu = 3.47 \text{ mm}^{-1}$
$b = 17.954 (5) \text{ \AA}$	$T = 180 \text{ K}$
$c = 19.364 (5) \text{ \AA}$	$0.18 \times 0.12 \times 0.05 \text{ mm}$
$\beta = 104.467 (5)^\circ$	

Data collection

Bruker	APEX-II	CCD	7804 independent reflections
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diffractometer

Absorption correction: multi-scan
SADABS (Sheldrick, 2008)

6507 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$

$T_{\min} = 0.540$, $T_{\max} = 0.744$

$R_{\text{int}} = 0.073$

70384 measured reflections

$\theta_{\max} = 19.8^\circ$

Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.032$

0 restraints

$wR(F^2) = 0.075$

H-atom parameters constrained

$S = 1.04$

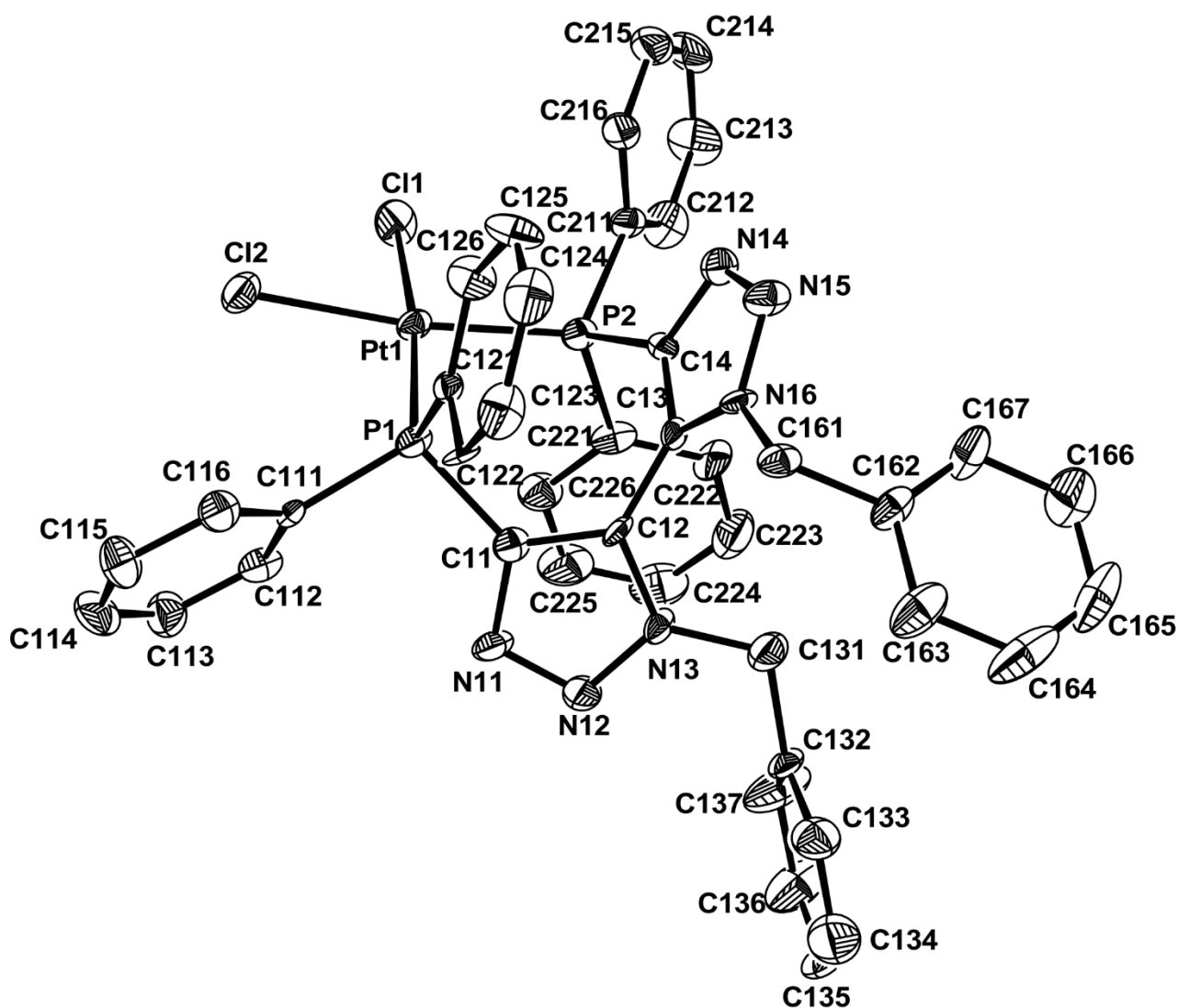
$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0405P)^2 + 11.5437P]$
where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$

7804 reflections

$\Delta\rho_{\max} = 0.72 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$

955 parameters

$\Delta\rho_{\min} = -0.46 \text{ e } \text{\AA}^{-3}$



VII.5. (4,4'-bis(diphenylphosphinoxy)-1,1'-dibenzyl-5,5'-bis-1,2,3-triazole)iridium(cyclooctadiene)chloride 16

Crystal data

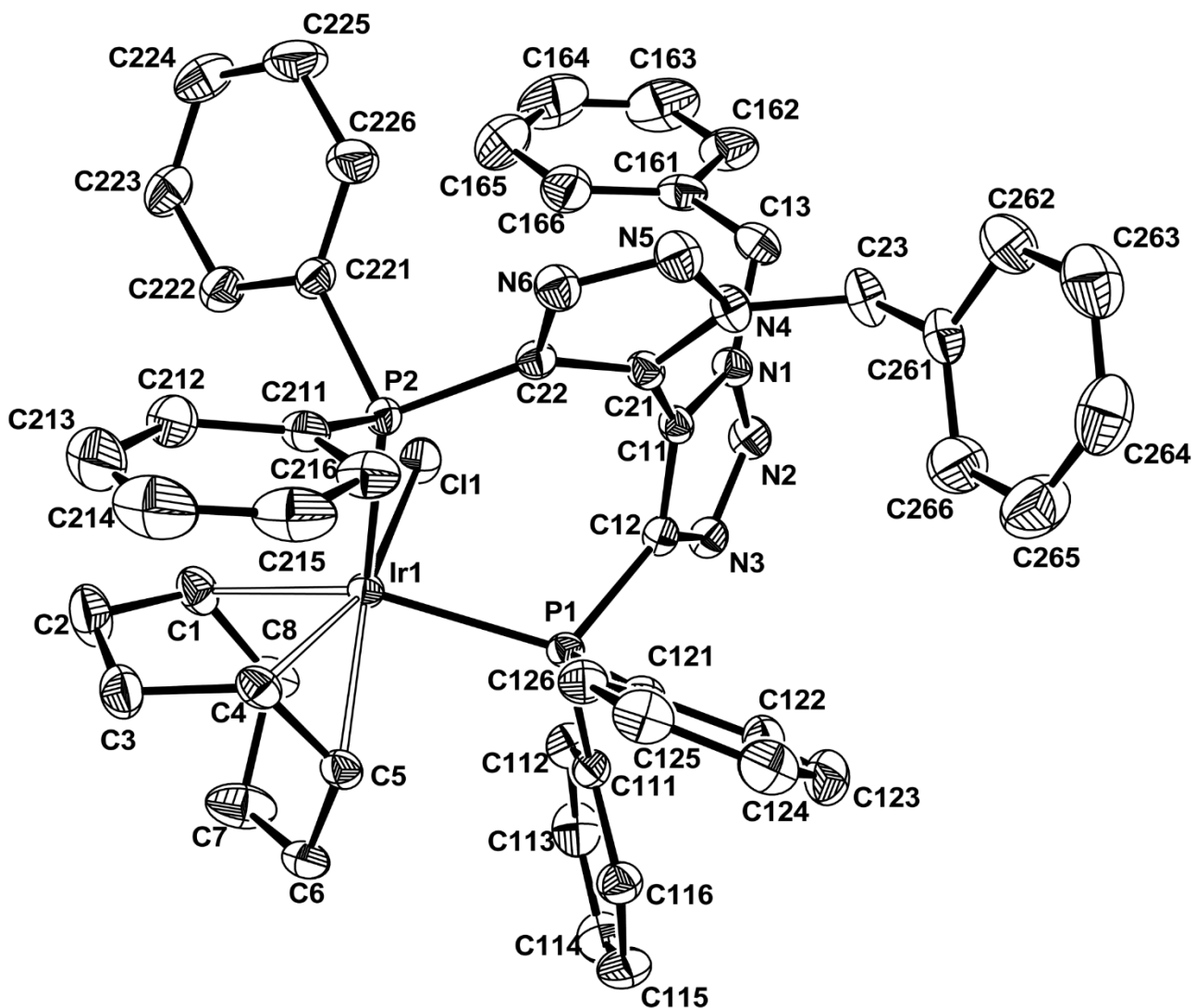
$C_{50}H_{46}ClIrN_6P_2 \cdot (CHCl_3)_3$	$\gamma = 111.798 (2)^\circ$
$M_r = 1378.62$	$V = 2767.68 (10) \text{ \AA}^3$
Triclinic, P	$Z = 2$
$a = 14.3765 (3) \text{ \AA}$	Mo $K\alpha$ radiation
$b = 14.3894 (3) \text{ \AA}$	$\mu = 3.00 \text{ mm}^{-1}$
$c = 16.3672 (3) \text{ \AA}$	$T = 180 \text{ K}$
$\alpha = 113.044 (2)^\circ$	$0.37 \times 0.27 \times 0.06 \text{ mm}$
$\beta = 95.930 (2)^\circ$	

Data collection

Xcalibur, diffractometer	Eos,	Gemini	ultra	<u>15709</u> independent reflections
Absorption	correction:	multi-scan		
Empirical absorption	correction using	spherical harmonics, implemented in	SCALE3 ABSPACK	<u>14139</u> reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
scaling algorithm.	CrysAlis	PRO	(Agilent Technologies, 2012)	
$T_{\min} = 0.825$, $T_{\max} = 1.000$				$R_{\text{int}} = 0.033$
<u>73416</u> measured reflections				$\theta_{\max} = 30.0^\circ$

Refinement

$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.026$	<u>0</u> restraints
$wR(F^2) = 0.063$	H-atom parameters constrained
$S = 1.04$	$\Delta\rho_{\max} = 1.27 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$
<u>15709</u> reflections	$\Delta\rho_{\min} = -1.21 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$
<u>649</u> parameters	



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