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# Reactions of allyl alcohols and boronic acids with trifluoromethanesulfonyl hypervalent iodonium ylide under copper-catalysis

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#### 1. General information.

All reactions were performed in oven-dried glassware under a positive pressure of nitrogen. Solvents were transferred via syringe and were introduced into the reaction vessels through a rubber septum. All solvents were purified by standard method. All of the reactions were monitored by thin-layer chromatography (TLC) carried out on 0.25 mm Merck silica gel (60-F254). The TLC plates were visualized with UV light and 7% phosphomolybdic acid or KMnO<sub>4</sub> in water/heat. All of the reaction products were purified by preparative thin-layer plates (PLC) carried out on 2.0 mm Merck silica gel (60-F254) or Column chromatography. Column chromatography was carried out on a column packed with silica gel 60N spherical neutral size 63-210 mm. The <sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz) and <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz) spectra (with Hexafluorobenzene ( $\delta$  ppm -162.2) as an internal standard) as for solution in CDCl<sub>3</sub> were recorded on a Varian Mercury 300. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectra for solution in CDCl<sub>3</sub> was recorded on a BRUKER 500 UltraShield<sup>TR</sup> (125.8 MHz). Chemical shifts ( $\delta$ ) are expressed in ppm downfield from internal TMS or C<sub>6</sub>F<sub>6</sub>. Chemical shifts ( $\delta$ ) are reported in ppm, and coupling constants (*J*) are in Hertz (Hz). The following abbreviations were used to explain the multiplicities: s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, q = quartet, m = multiplet, br =broad. Mass spectra were recorded on a SHIMADZU GCMS-QP5050A (EI-MS) and SHIMAZU LCMS-2010EV (ESI-MS and APCI-MS). Infrared spectra were recorded on JASCO FT/IR-200 or a JASCO FT/IR-4100 spectrometer.

#### Preparation of the <sup>+</sup>SCF<sub>3</sub> reagent 1

The  ${}^{+}SCF_3$  reagent **1**<sup>1</sup> was prepared according to the referential procedure.



Reference: (1) Y. –D. Yang, A. Azuma, E. Tokunaga, M. Yamasaki, M. Shiro and N. Shibata, *J. Am. Chem. Soc.*, 2013, **135**, 8782.

#### 2. Experimental details

#### General procedure for synthesis of trifluoromethylsulfinyl derivatives.

A mixture of allyl alcohol **2a-n** (0.25 mmol),  ${}^{+}SCF_{3}$ -reagent **1** (0.50 mmol), CuF<sub>2</sub> (0.05 mmol) and DMAc (1.25 ml) was stirred under N<sub>2</sub> at room temperature for 24 h. Then, H<sub>2</sub>O was added, and then extracted with AcOEt three times. The organic layer was washed with brine and dried over MgSO<sub>4</sub>. Solvent was removed under reduced pressure and the crude product was purified by column chromatography on silica-gel to give the S(O)CF<sub>3</sub>-product **3a-n**.

#### General procedure for trifluoromethylthiolation of boronic acids.

To a mixture of boronic acid **4a-i** (0.25 mmol),  ${}^{+}SCF_{3}$ -reagent **1** (0.50 mmol) and DMAc (1.25 ml) under N<sub>2</sub> was added Cu(OAc)<sub>2</sub> (0.30 mmol). The reaction mixture was stirred at 80 °C for 10 h. After cooling at room temperature, H<sub>2</sub>O was added, and then extracted with AcOEt three times. The organic layer was washed with brine and dried over MgSO<sub>4</sub>. Solvent was removed under reduced pressure and the crude product was purified by column chromatography on silica-gel to give the SCF<sub>3</sub>-product **5a-i**.

# Table 1S Optimization of trifluoromethythiolation reaction of boronic acid4a with 1.<sup>a</sup>

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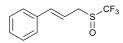
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run	1 (equiv.)	CuX (equiv.)	solvent	temp. (°C)	yield (%) <sup>b</sup>				
1	2.0	CuF <sub>2</sub> (0.2)	DMAc	rt	0				
2	2.0	CuF <sub>2</sub> (1.2)	DMAc	80	13				
3	1.0	Cu(OAc) <sub>2</sub> (0.2)	DMAc	80	10				
4	1.0	Cu(OAc) <sub>2</sub> (1.0)	DMAc	80	40				
5	2.0	Cu(OAc) <sub>2</sub> (2.0)	DMAc	80	47				

6	2.0	Cu(OAc) <sub>2</sub> (1.0)	DMAc	80	35
7	2.0	Cu(OAc) <sub>2</sub> (1.2)	DMAc	80	47
8	2.0	Cu(OAc) <sub>2</sub> (1.2)	DMAc	100	44
9	2.0	Cu(OAc) <sub>2</sub> (1.2)	DMAc	50	5
10	2.0	Cu(OAc) <sub>2</sub> (1.2)	NMP	80	0
11 <sup>c</sup>	2.0	Cu(OAc) <sub>2</sub> (1.2)	DMAc	80	0
12	2.0	Cu (1.2)	DMAc	80	26
13	2.0	Cu(OAc) (1.2)	DMAc	80	44
14	2.0	CuTc <sup>d</sup> (1.2)	DMAc	80	39
15	2.0	CuCl (1.2)	DMAc	80	2
16	2.0	CuCl <sub>2</sub> (1.2)	DMAc	80	0
17	2.0	Cu(OTf) <sub>2</sub> (1.2)	DMAc	80	11
18	2.0	Cu(OTFA)2 <sup>e</sup> -xH2	DMAc	80	1
		O (1.2)			
19 <sup>f</sup>	2.0	Cu(OAc) <sub>2</sub> (1.2)	DMAc	80	0
20 <sup><i>g</i></sup>	2.0	Cu(OAc) <sub>2</sub> (1.2)	DMAc	80	0

<sup>a</sup>The reaction were carried out with **4a** (0.25 mmol), **1** and CuX in each solvent (1.25 ml). <sup>b19</sup>F NMR yields with PhF (0.75 mmol) as an internal standard. <sup>c</sup>1,10-phenanthroline (0.25 mmol) was added. <sup>d</sup>CuTc: Cu-thiophene-2-carboxylate. <sup>e</sup>Cu(OTFA)<sub>2</sub>: Cu-bis- trifluoroacetate. <sup>f</sup>AcONa (0.25 mmol) was added. <sup>g</sup>PhCO<sub>2</sub>Na (0.25 mmol) was added.

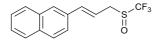
#### 3. Products Spectra data

#### (E)-(3-((trifluoromethyl)sulfinyl)prop-1-en-1yl)benzene (3a)



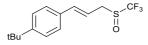
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 7.40-7.33 (m, 5H), 6.82 (d, *J* = 15.6 Hz, 1H), 6.27-6.16 (m, 1H), 3.93-3.89 (m, 2H). <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = -72.7 (s, 3F). HRMS (ESI<sup>+</sup>): m/z calcd. for [M+Na]; 257.0224 found 257.0230. White solid (41.6 mg, 71%). The product was identified by comparison of the spectral data with the reported data. Reference: M. Maeno, N. Shibata and D. Cahard, *Org. Lett.*, 2015, **17**, 1990.

2-((E)-3-(trifluoromethylsulfinyl)prop-1-enyl)naphthalene (3b)



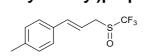
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 7.83-7.78 (m, 4H), 7.60 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H) 7.50 -7.49 (m, 2H), 6.96 (d, *J* = 15.6 Hz, 1H), 6.38-6.28 (m, 1H), 3.96 (br s, 2H). <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = - 72.6 (s, 3F). HRMS (ESI<sup>+</sup>): m/z calcd. for [M+Na]; 307.0380 found 307.0358. White solid (44.1 mg, 62%). The product was identified by comparison of the spectral data with the reported data. Reference: M. Maeno, N. Shibata and D. Cahard, *Org. Lett.*, 2015, **17**, 1990.

#### (E)-1-(tert-butyl)-4-(3-((trifleoromethyl)sulfinyl)prop-1-en-1yl)benzene (3c)



<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta = 7.36$  (br s, 4H), 6.79 (d, J = 15.6 Hz, 1H), 6.22-6.12 (m, 1H), 3.91 (d, J = 3.9 Hz, 2H), 1.32 (s, 9H). <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta = -72.7$  (s, 3F). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150.9 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta = 152.1$ , 140.2, 132.7, 126.1 (q, J = 338.0 Hz), 126.5, 125.7, 112.4, 53.5 (d, J = 3.0 Hz), 34.7, 31.2. HRMS (ESI<sup>+</sup>): m/z calcd. for [M+Na]; 313.0850 found 313.0847. ATR-FTIR: v= 3458, 2962, 2904, 2866, 1750, 1515, 1476, 1462, 1400, 1367, 1283, 1267, 1181, 1139, 1073, 968, 821, 570 cm<sup>-1</sup>. mp: 42.5 °C. White solid (61.7 mg, 85%)

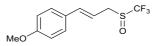
## 1-methyl-4-((*E*)-3-(trifluoromethylsulfinyl)prop-1-enyl)benzene (3d)



<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta = 7.30$  (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 7.15 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 6.76 (d, J = 16.2 Hz, 1H), 6.15 (dt, J = 15.9Hz, 8.1Hz, 1H), 3.86 (m, 2H), 2.32 (s, 3H). <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta = -72.7$  (s, 3F). HRMS (ESI<sup>+</sup>): m/z calcd. for [M+Na]; 271.0380 found 271.0377. White solid (37.9 mg, 61%). The product was identified by comparison of the spectral data with the reported data. Reference: M. Maeno, N. Shibata and D. Cahard, *Org. Lett.*, 2015, **17**, 1990.

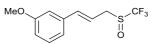
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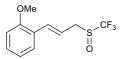
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta = 7.34$  (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 6.87 (d, J = 7.8 Hz, 2H), 6.74 (d, J = 15.6 Hz, 1H), 6.05 (dt, J = 15.4, 7.6 Hz, 1H), 3.89 (br s, 2H), 3.82 (s, 3H). <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta = -72.7$  (s, 3F). HRMS (ESI<sup>+</sup>): m/z calcd. for [M+Na]; 287.0330 found 287.0333. White solid (29.7 mg, 45%). The product was identified by comparison of the spectral data with the reported data. Reference: M. Maeno, N. Shibata and D. Cahard, *Org. Lett.*, 2015, **17**, 1990.

#### 1-methoxy-3-((E)-3-(trifluoromethylsulfinyl)prop-1-enyl)benzene (3f)



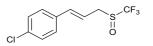
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#### (E)-1-methoxy-2-(3-((trifleoromethyl)sulfinyl)prop-1-en-1yl)benzene (3g)



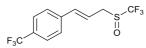
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 7.42 (d, *J* = 7.2Hz, 1H), 7.30-7.28 (m, 1H), 7.11 (d, *J* = 15.6Hz, 1H), 6.96-6.90 (m, 2H), 6.26 (dt, *J* = 15.6Hz, 7.5Hz, 1H), 3.93-3.92 (m, 2H), 3.86 (s, 3H). <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = -72.7 (s, 3F). HRMS (ESI<sup>+</sup>): m/z calcd. for [M+Na]; 287.0330 found 287.0332. White solid (39.7 mg, 60%). The product was identified by comparison of the spectral data with the reported data. Reference: M. Maeno, N. Shibata and D. Cahard, *Org. Lett.*, 2015, **17**, 1990.

#### 1-Chloro-4-((E)-3-(trifluoromethylsulfinyl)prop-1-enyl)benzene (3h)



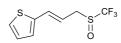
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 7.28 (br s, 4H), 6.72 (d, *J* = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 6.15 (dt, *J* = 15.3, 7.5 Hz, 1H), 3.85 (s, 2H). <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = -72.6 (s, 3F). HRMS (ESI<sup>-</sup>): m/z calcd. for [M-H]; 266.9858 found 266.9864. White solid (50.4 mg, 75%). The product was identified by comparison of the spectral data with the reported data. Reference: M. Maeno, N. Shibata and D. Cahard, *Org. Lett.*, 2015, **17**, 1990.

# 1-(Trifluoromethyl)-4-((*E*)-3-(trifluoromethylsulfinyl)prop-1-enyl)benzene (3i)



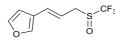
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta = 7.60$  (d, J = 6.9 Hz, 2H), 7.50 (d, J = 6.9 Hz, 2H), 6.84 (d, J = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 6.35-6.30 (m, 1H), 3.92 (br s, 2H). <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta = -63.2$  (s, 3F), -72.5 (s, 3F). HRMS (ESI<sup>-</sup>): m/z calcd. for [M-H]; 301.0122 found 301.0124. White solid (33.3 mg, 44%). The product was identified by comparison of the spectral data with the reported data. Reference: M. Maeno, N. Shibata and D. Cahard, *Org. Lett.*, 2015, **17**, 1990.

#### 2-((E)-3-(trifluoromethylsulfinyl)prop-1-enyl)thiophene (3j)



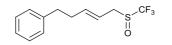
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 7.06-7.00 (m, 3H), 6.93 (d, *J* = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 6.08-6.00 (m, 1H), 3.88 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H). <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = -72.7 (s, 3F). HRMS (ESI<sup>-</sup>): m/z calcd. for [M-H]; 262.9788 found 262.9789. White solid (18.0 mg, 30%). The product was identified by comparison of the spectral data with the reported data. Reference: M. Maeno, N. Shibata and D. Cahard, *Org. Lett.*, 2015, **17**, 1990.

#### 3-((E)-3-(trifluoromethylsulfinyl)prop-1-enyl)furan (3k)



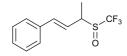
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 7.48 (s, 1H), 7.39 (s, 1H), 6.68 (d, *J* = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 6.54 (s, 1H), 5.92 (dt, *J* = 15.9Hz, 7.5Hz, 1H), 3.86-3.84 (m, 2H). <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = -72.7 (s, 3F). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (150.9 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 144.0, 141.7, 130.2, 125.3 (q, *J* = 402.9 Hz), 123.0, 112.8, 107.2, 53.3 (q, *J* = 4.5 Hz). HRMS (ESI<sup>-</sup>): m/z calcd. for [M-H]; 247.0017 found 247.0021. ATR-FTIR: v= 3140, 2924, 2320, 1746, 1654, 1511, 1402, 1367, 1189, 1139, 1023, 964, 872, 791, 736, 601 cm<sup>-1</sup>. Brown oil (39.2 mg, 70%).

#### 1-((E)-5-(trifluoromethylsulfinyl)pent-3-enyl)benzene (3l)



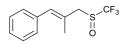
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 7.29-7.27 (m, 2H), 7.21-7.16 (m, 3H), 6.01-5.96 (m, 1H), 5.54-5.49 (m, 1H), 3.67 (br s, 2H), 2.76-2.71 (m, 2H), 2.47-2.45 (m, 2H). <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = -72.8 (s, 3F), -73.2 (s, 3F), 88% of *E* isomer, 12% of *Z* isomer. HRMS (ESI<sup>-</sup>): m/z calcd. for [M+Na]; 285.0537 found 285.0537. Colorless oil (27.5 mg, 42%). The product was identified by comparison of the spectral data with the reported data. Reference: M. Maeno, N. Shibata and D. Cahard, *Org. Lett.*, 2015, **17**, 1990.

#### 1-((*E*)-3-(trifluoromethylsulfinyl)but-1-enyl)benzene (3m)



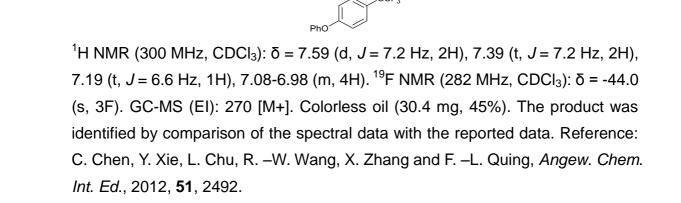
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 7.49-7.32 (m, 5H), 6.73 (d, *J* = 15.9 Hz, 1H), 6.26-6.21 (m, 0.4H), 6.12 (dd, 0.6H, *J* = 15.6, 8.7 Hz), 4.07-3.96 (1H, m), 1.66 (s, 1H), 1.64 (s, 2H). <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = -68.6 (s, 3F), -68.8 (s, 3F, maindiastereomer), d.r. = 3/2. HRMS (ESI<sup>+</sup>): m/z calcd. for [M-SOCF<sub>3</sub>]; 131.0861 found 131.0880. Colorless oil (21.7 mg, 35%). The product was identified by comparison of the spectral data with the reported data. Reference: M. Maeno, N. Shibata and D. Cahard, *Org. Lett.*, 2015, **17**, 1990.

#### 1-((E)-2-methyl-3-(trifluoromethylsulfinyl)prop-1-enyl)benzene (3n)



<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 7.35 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 2H), 7.30-7.27 (m, 3H), 6.68 (s, 1H), 3.82 (dd, *J* = 33.0, 12.3 Hz, 2H), 2.08 (s, 3H). <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = -73.4 (s, 3F,). HRMS (ESI<sup>+</sup>): m/z calcd. for [M+Na]; 271.0380 found 271.0377. White solid (9.3 mg, 15%). The product was identified by comparison of the spectral data with the reported data. Reference: M. Maeno, N. Shibata and D. Cahard, *Org. Lett.*, 2015, **17**, 1990.

#### 4-Phenoxy-1-(trifluoromethylthio)benzene (5a)



#### 4-(Trifluoromethylthio)biphenyl (5b)



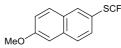
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 7.72 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 2H), 7.64-7.58 (m, 4H), 7.47-7.40 (m, 3H). <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = -43.2 (s, 3F). GC-MS (EI): 254 [M+]. White solid (15.9 mg, 25%). The product was identified by comparison of the spectral data with the reported data. Reference: Z. Wenig, W. He, C. Chen, R. Lee, D. Tan, Z. Lai, D. Kong, Y. Yuan and K. –W. Huang, *Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.*, 2013, **52**, 1548.

## 1-(Trifluoromethylthio)naphthalene (5c)



<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 8.54 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 8.03-7.86 (m, 3H), 7.66-7.49 (m, 3H). <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = -42.7 (s, 3F). GC-MS (EI): 228 [M+]. Colorless oil (16.6 mg, 29%). The product was identified by comparison of the spectral data with the reported data. Reference: Z. Wenig, W. He, C. Chen, R. Lee, D. Tan, Z. Lai, D. Kong, Y. Yuan and K. –W. Huang, *Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.*, 2013, **52**, 1548.

#### (6-Methoxynaphthalene-2-yl)(trifluoromethyl)sulfane (5d)



<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 8.11 (s, 1H), 7.78-7.75 (m, 2H), 7.62 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 1H), 7.21 (dd, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 2.3Hz, 1H), 7.15-7.14 (m, 1H), 3.93 (s, 3H). <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = -43.4 (s, 3F). GC-MS (EI): 258 [M+]. Colorless oil (23.9 mg, 38%). The product was identified by comparison of the spectral data with the reported data. Reference: X. Shao, X. Wang, T. Yang, L. Lu and Q. Shen, *Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.*, 2013, **52**, 3457.

#### 4-Nitro-1-(trifluoromethylthio)benzene (5e)



<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta = 8.28$  (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.83 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H). <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta = -41.8$  (s, 3F). GC-MS (EI): 223 [M+]. Colorless oil (15.1 mg, 27%). The product was identified by comparison of the spectral data with the reported data. Reference: Z. Wenig, W. He, C. Chen, R. Lee, D. Tan, Z. Lai, D. Kong, Y. Yuan and K. –W. Huang, *Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.*, 2013, **52**, 1548.

#### 2-(Trifluoromethylthio)benzo[b]thiophene (5f)



<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 7.82 (br s, 2H), 7.68 (s, 1H), 7.41 (br s, 2H). <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = -44.3 (s, 3F). GC-MS (EI): 234 [M+]. Colorless oil (7.1 mg, 12%). The product was identified by comparison of the spectral data

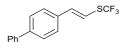
with the reported data. Reference: S, Alazet, L. Zimmer and T. Billard, J. Fluorine Chem., 2015, **171**, 78.

## 3-(Trifluoromethylthio)benzo[b]furan (5g)



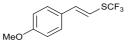
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## (E)-(4-phenylstyryl)(trifluoromethyl)sulfane (5h)

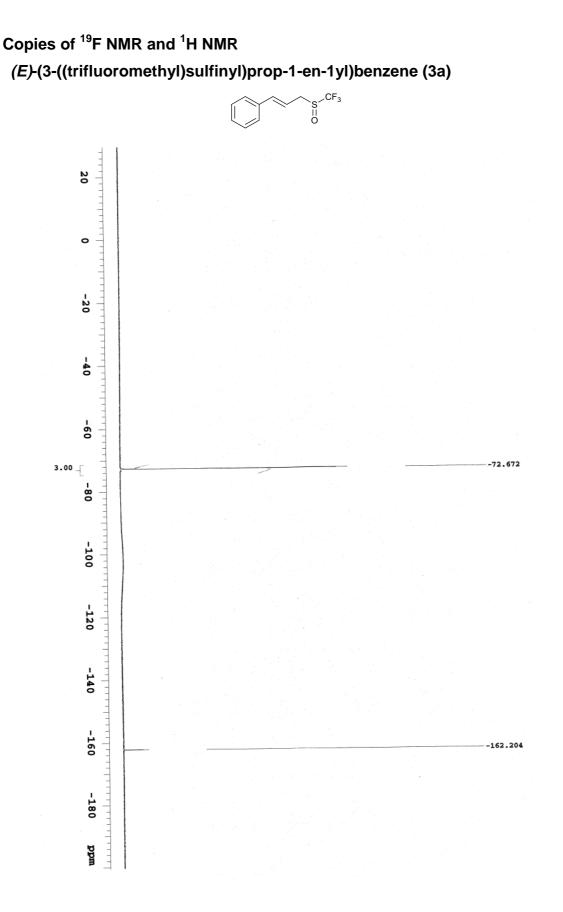


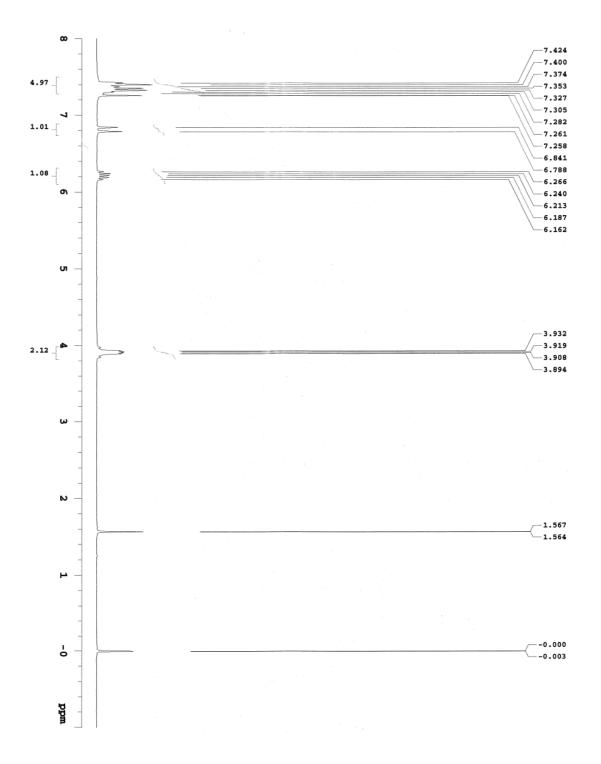
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = 7.61-7.56 (m, 4H), 7.48-7.34 (m, 5H), 7.04 (d, *J* = 15.3 Hz, 1H), 6.77 (d, *J* = 15.3 Hz, 1H). <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  = -43.2 (s, 3F). GC-MS (EI): 280 [M+]. White solid (31.5 mg, 45%). The product was identified by comparison of the spectral data with the reported data. Reference: M. Rueping, N. Tolstoluzhsky and P. Nikolaienko, *Chem. Eur. J.*, 2013, **19**, 14043.

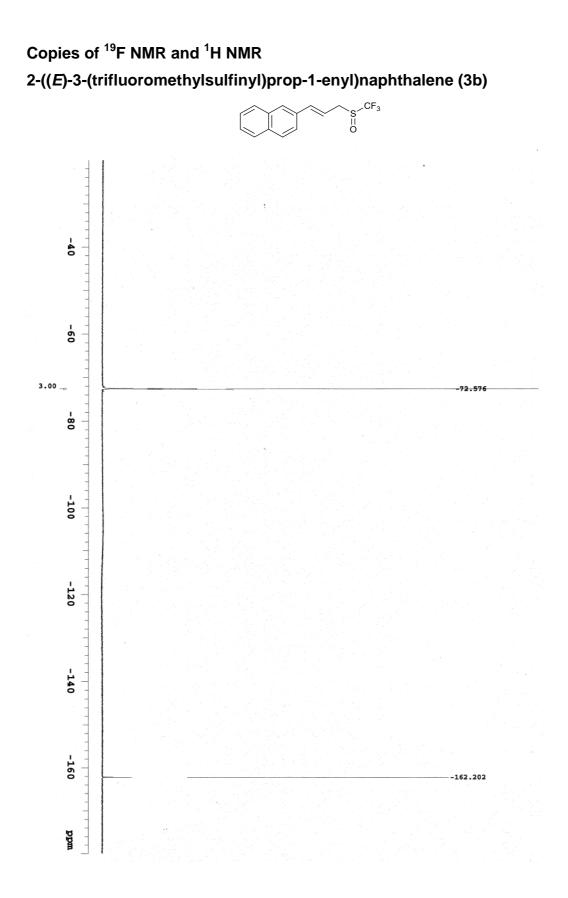
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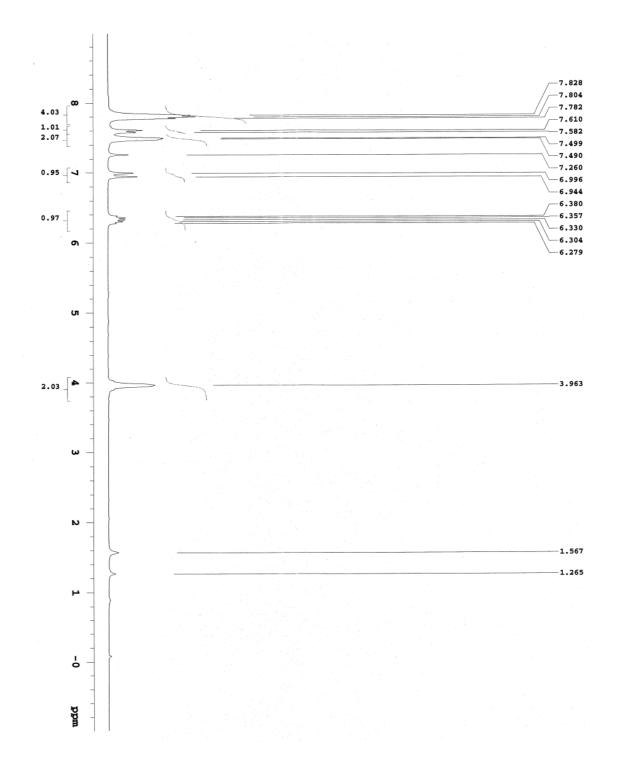


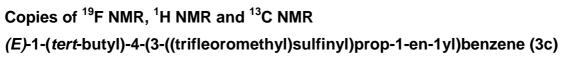
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta = 7.35$  (d, J = 6.6 Hz, 2H), 6.98 (d, J = 14.7 Hz, 1H), 6.88 (d, J = 6.6 Hz, 2H), 6.57 (d, J = 14.7 Hz, 1H), 3.83 (s, 3H). <sup>19</sup>F NMR (282 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta = -43.6$  (s, 3F). GC-MS (EI): 234 [M+]. Colorless oil (32.2 mg, 55%). The product was identified by comparison of the spectral data with the reported data. Reference: X. Shao, X. Wang, T. Yang, L. Lu and Q. Shen, *Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.*, 2013, **52**, 3457.

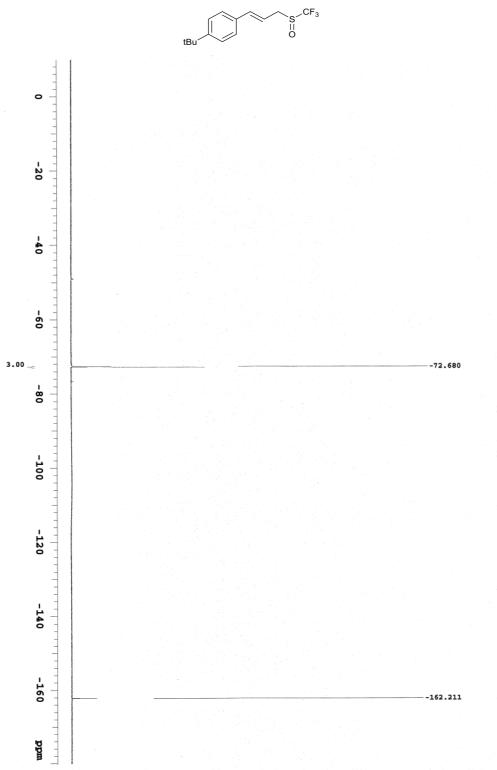


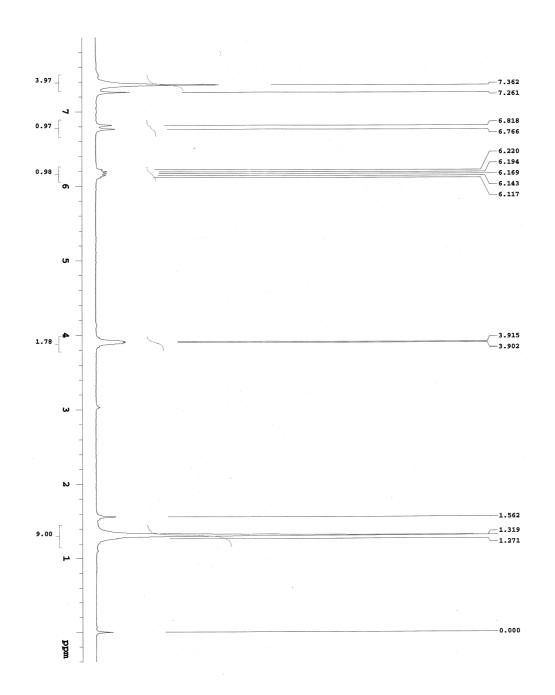


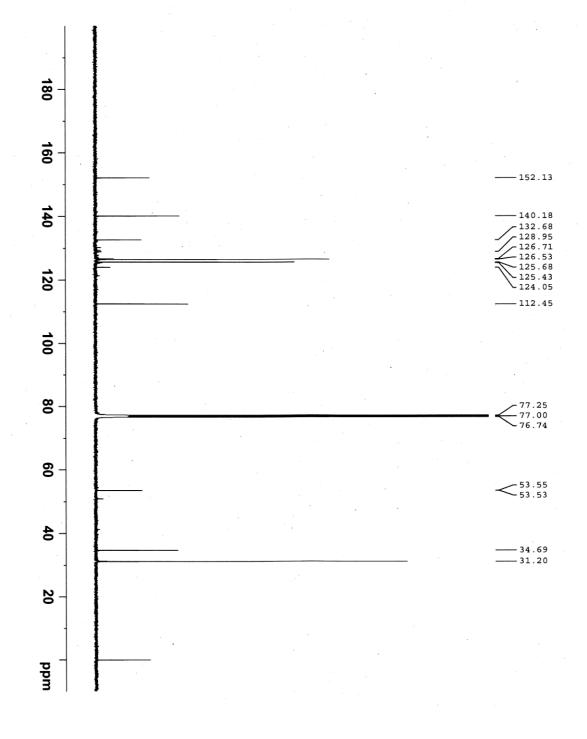






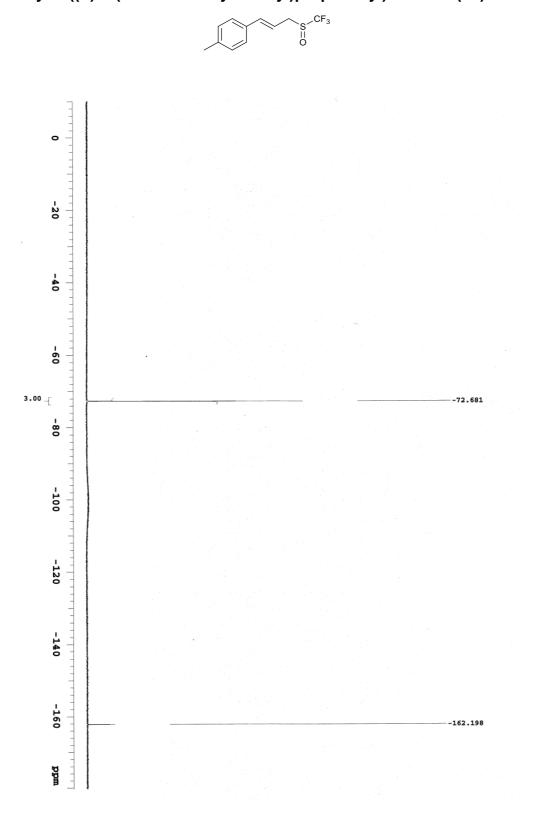


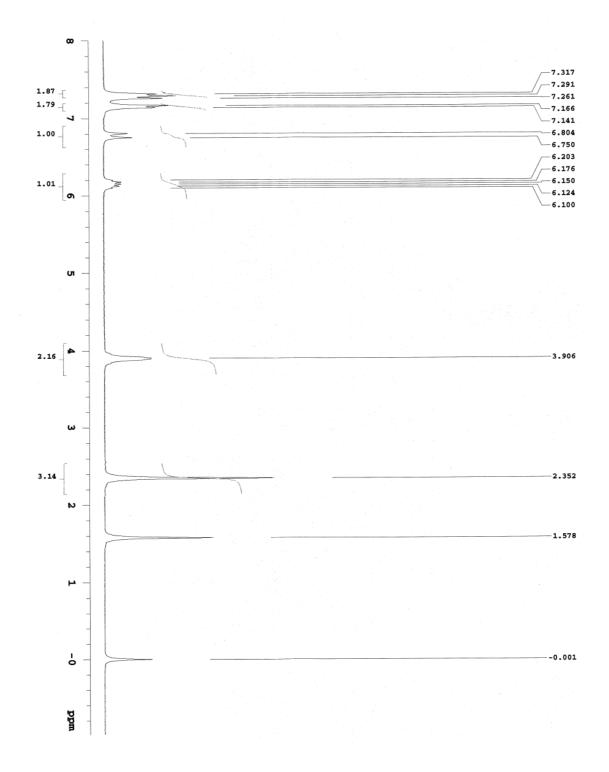






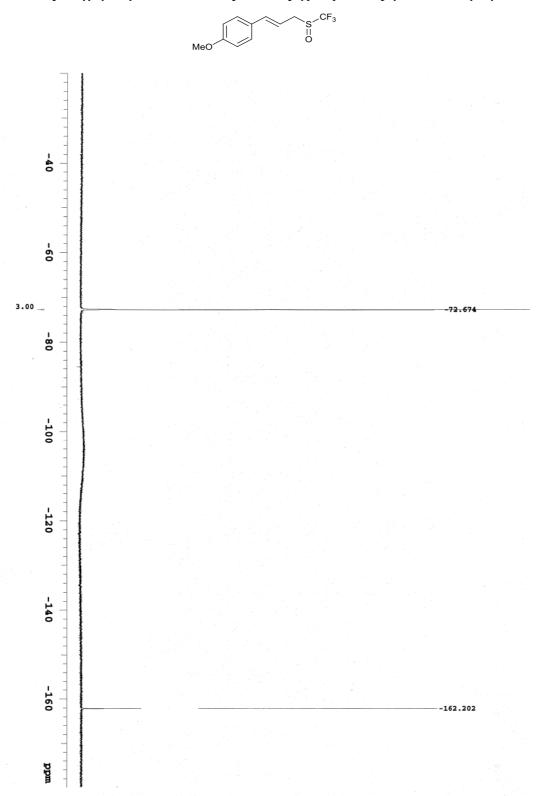
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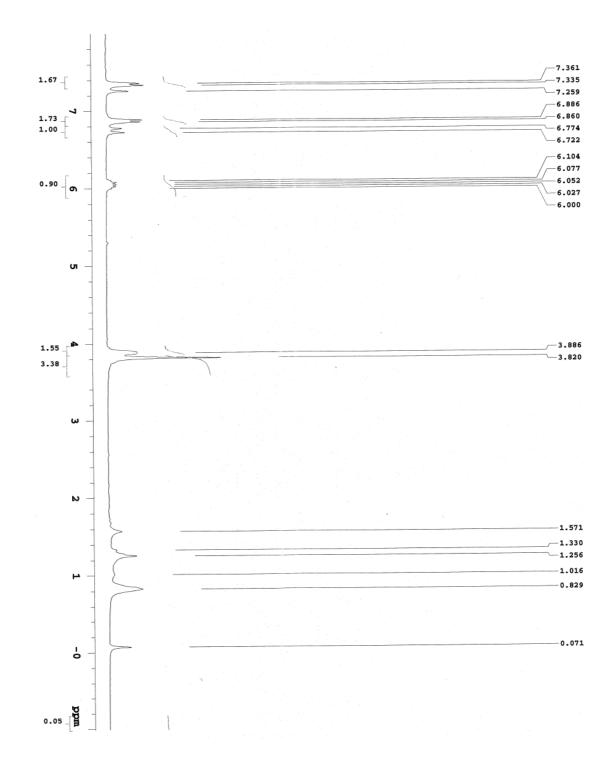


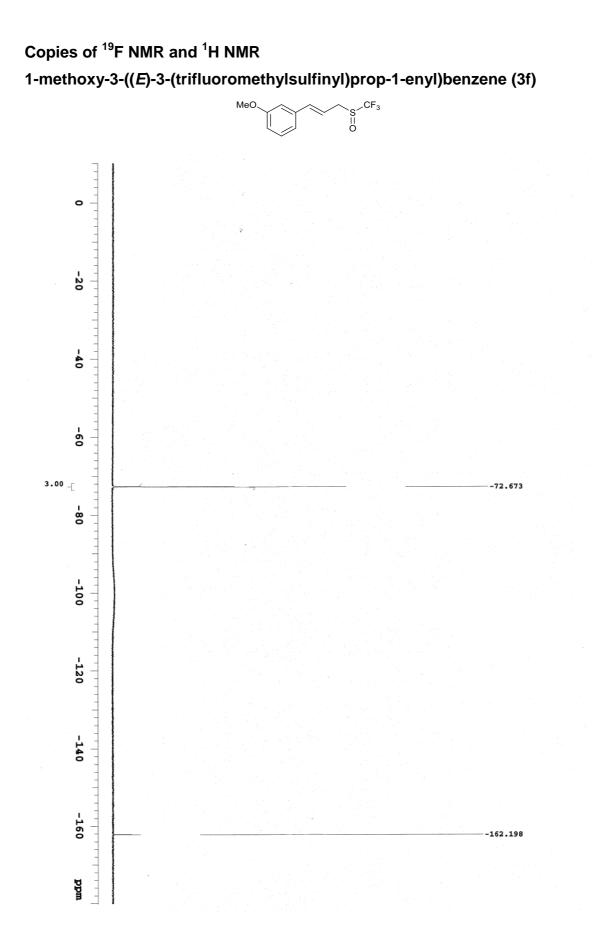


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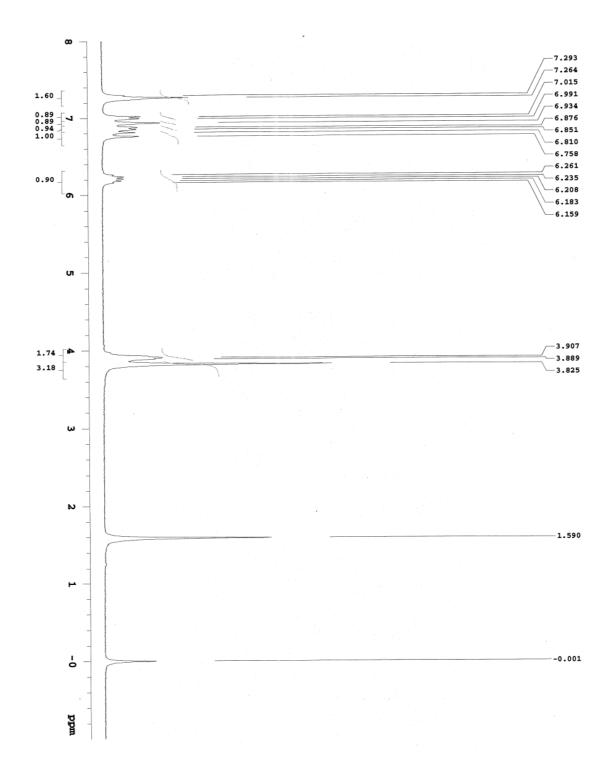
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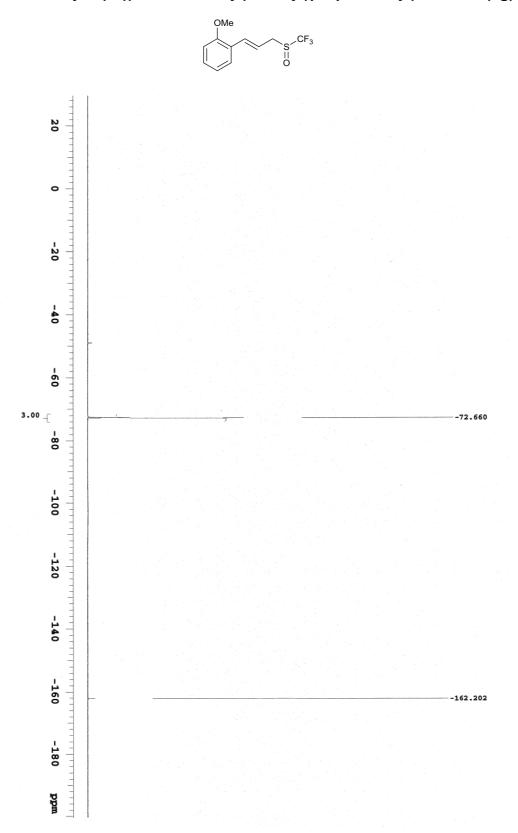


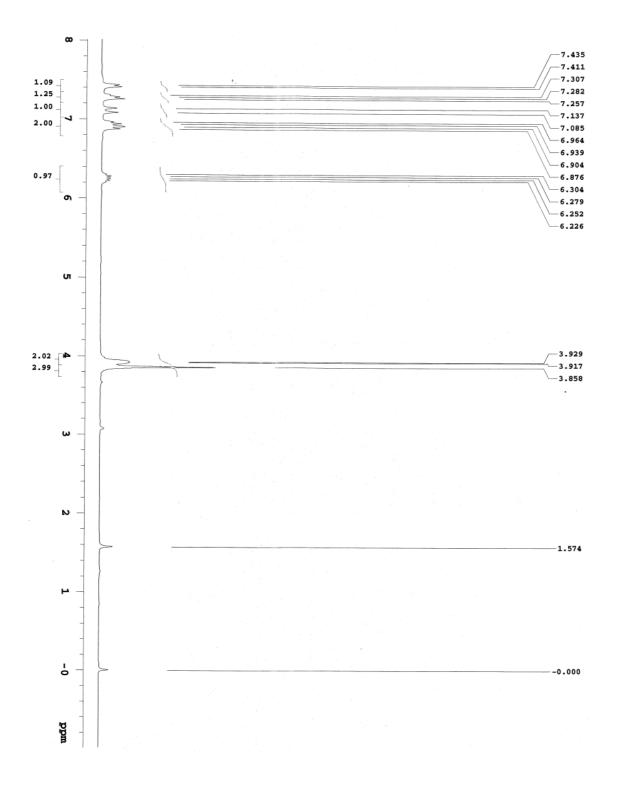
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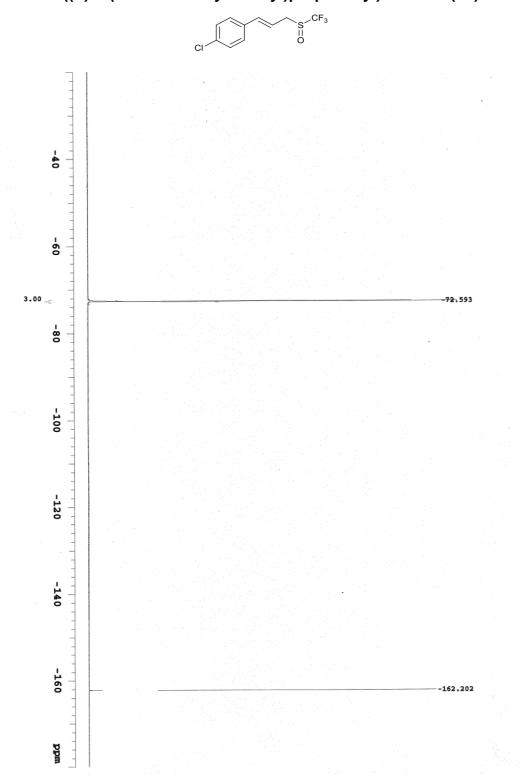
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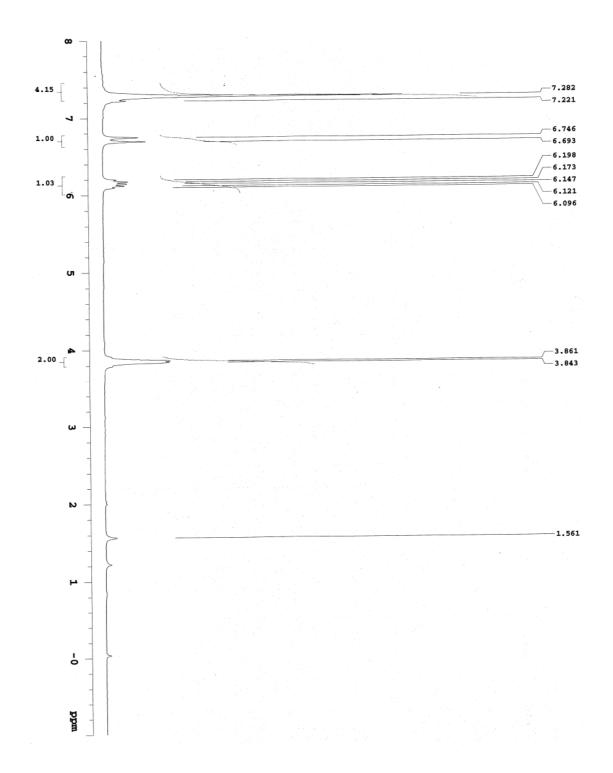






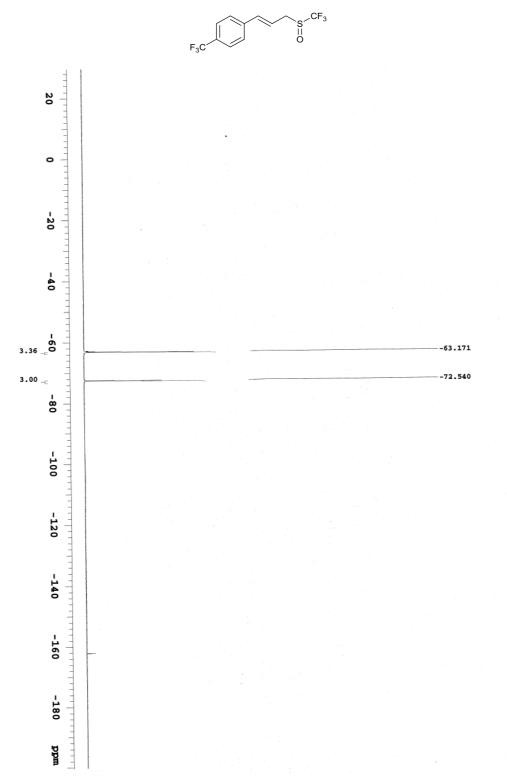
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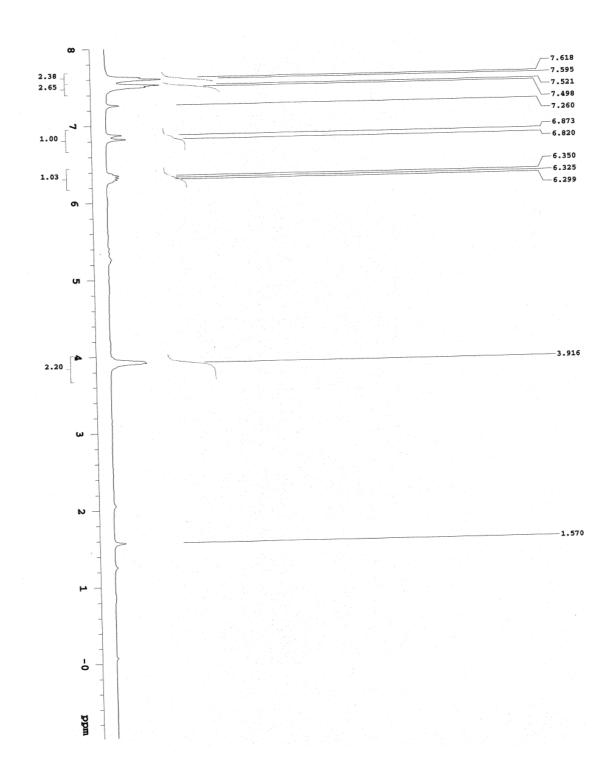


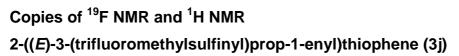


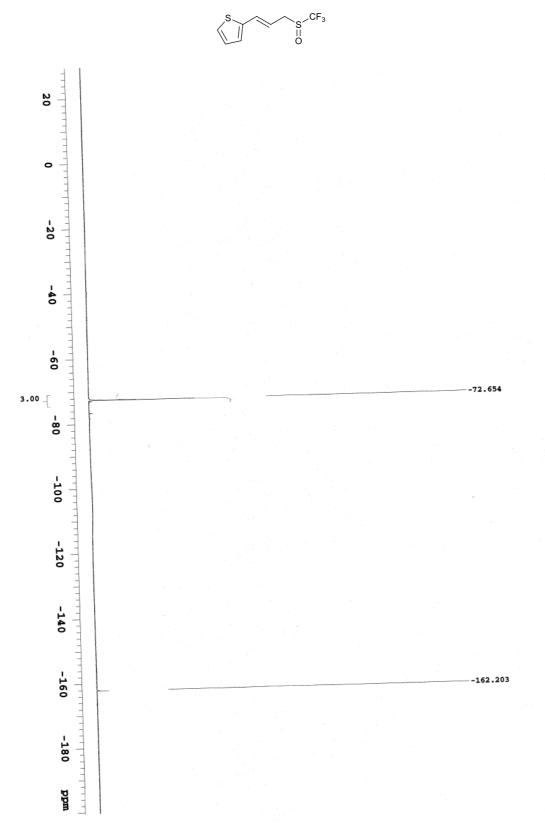
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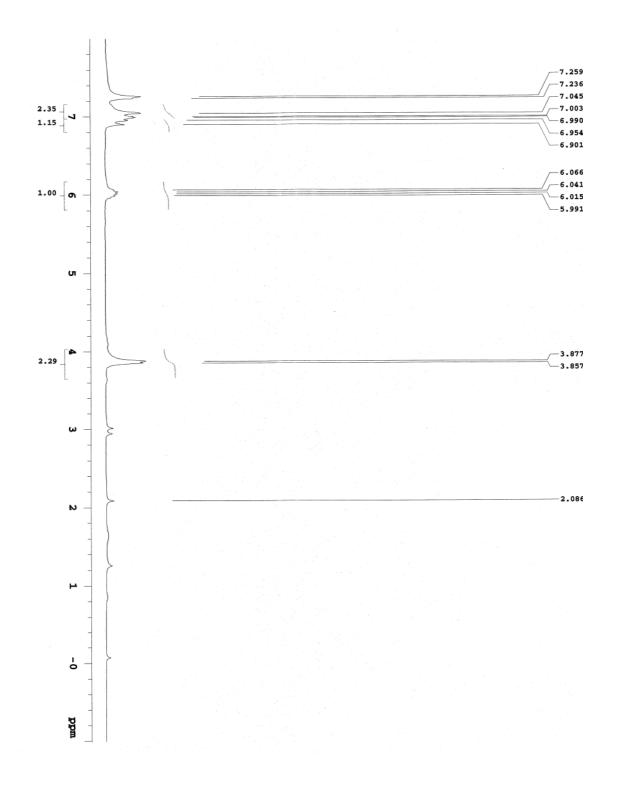
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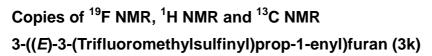


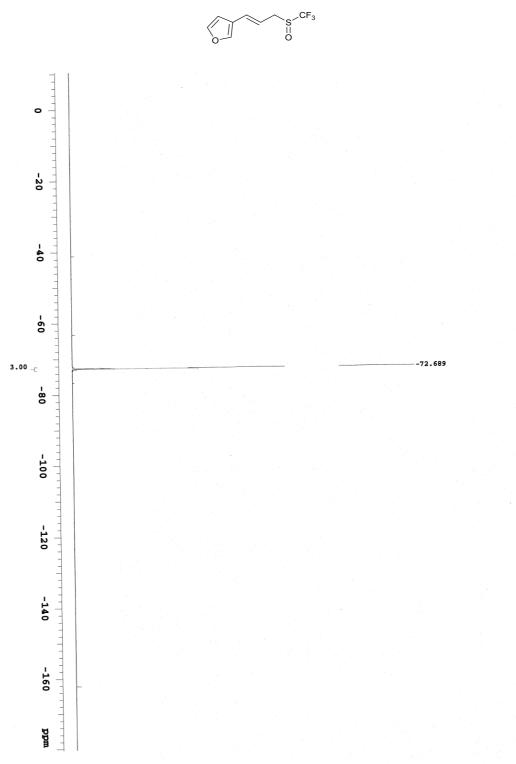


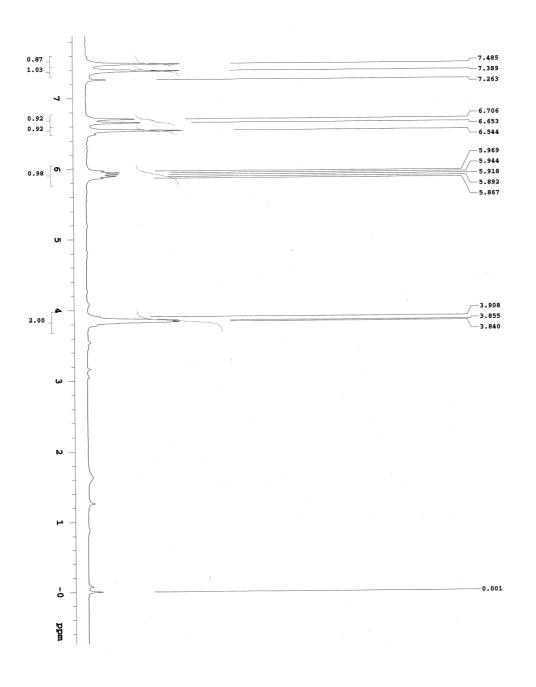


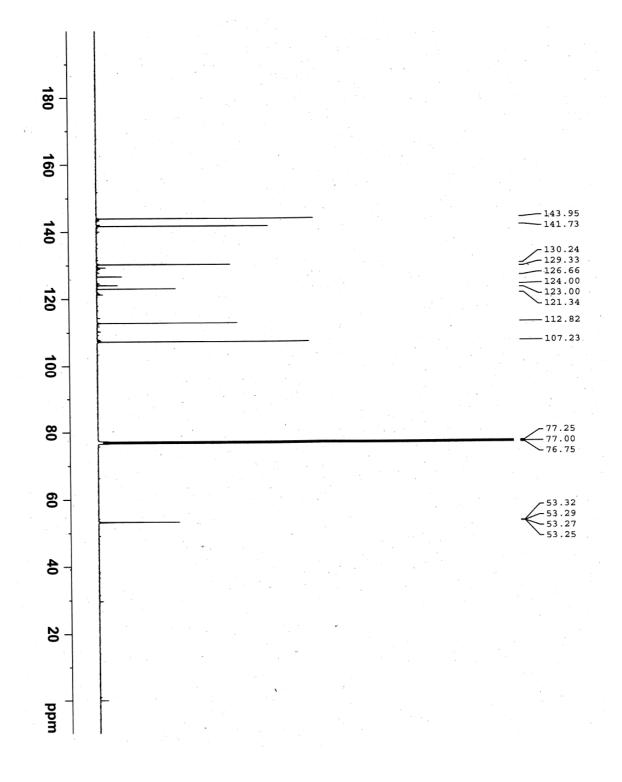


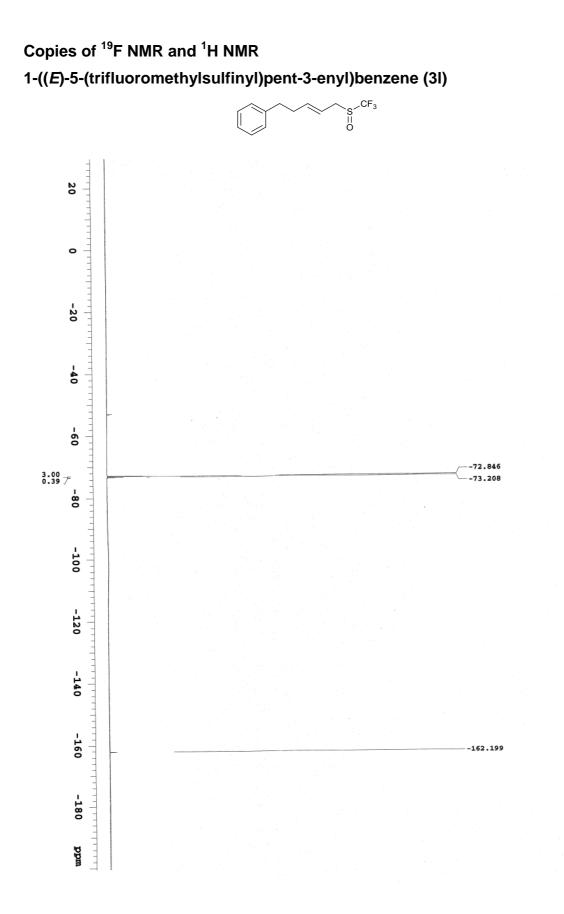


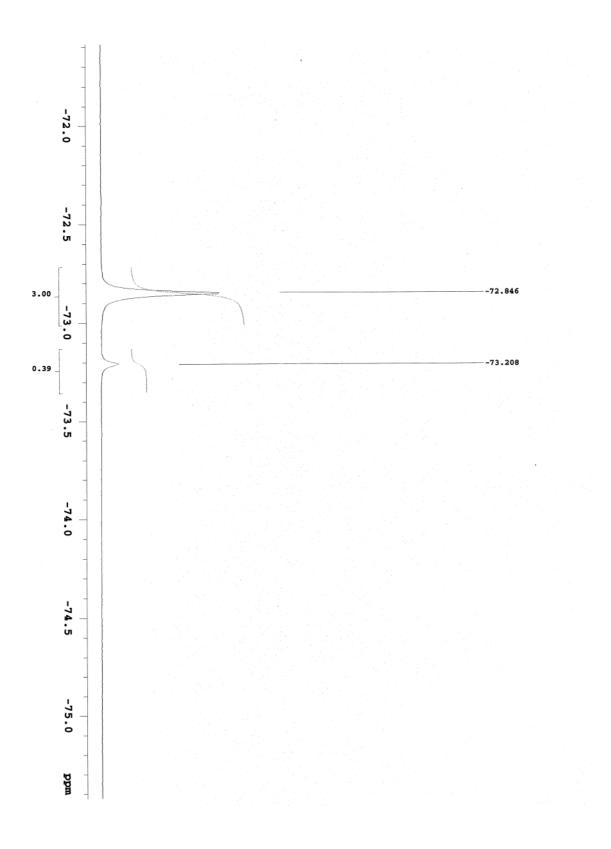


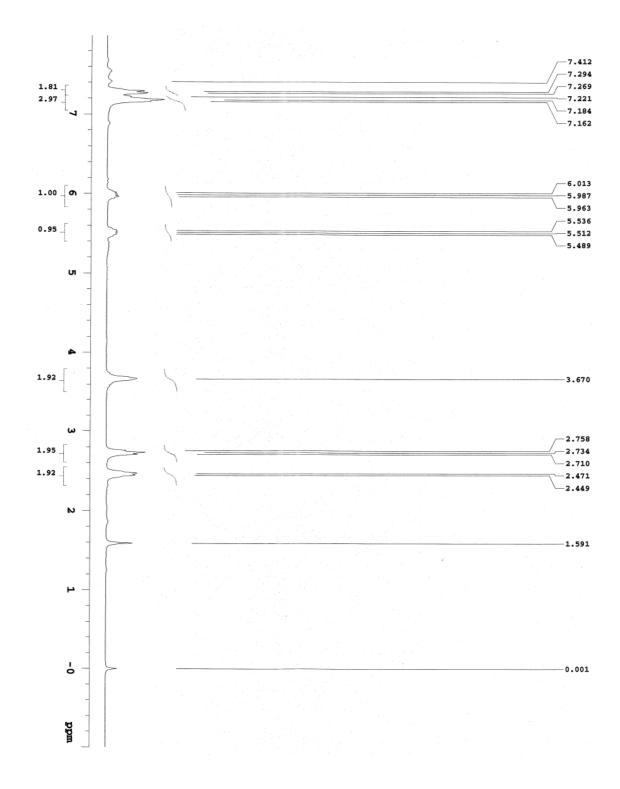




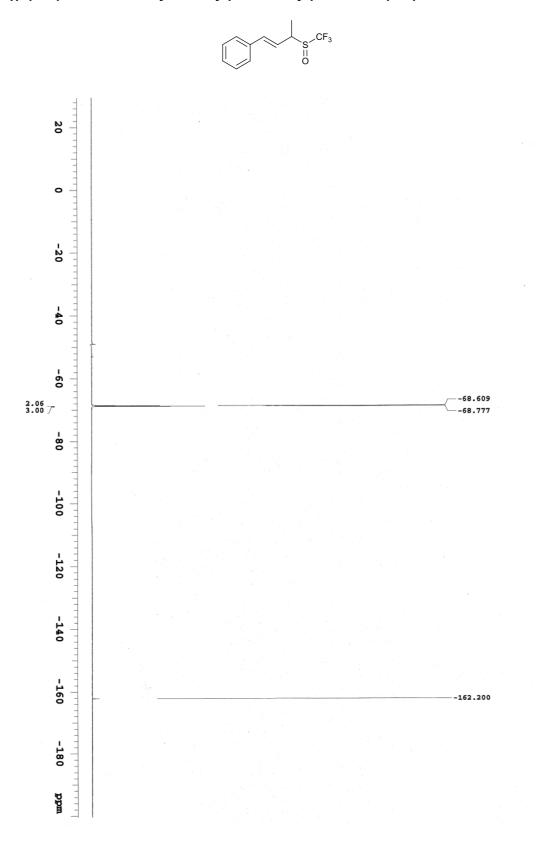


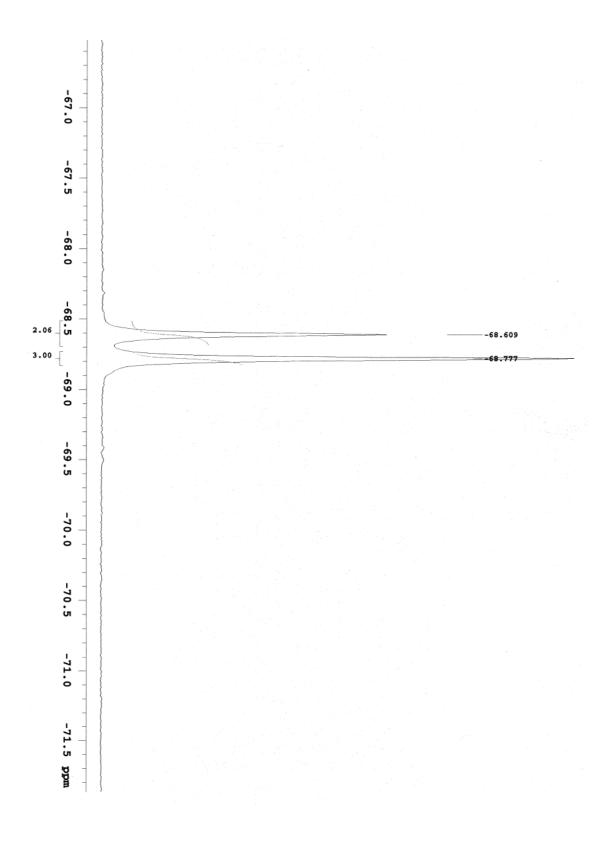


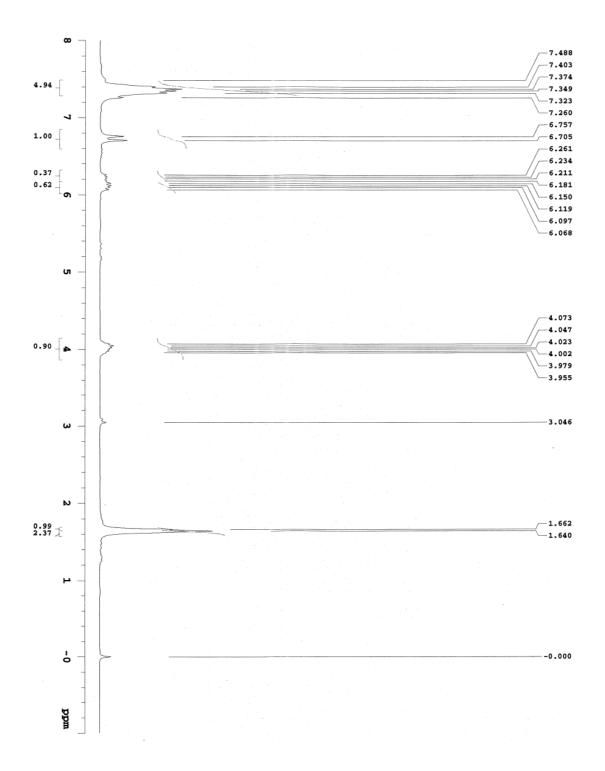




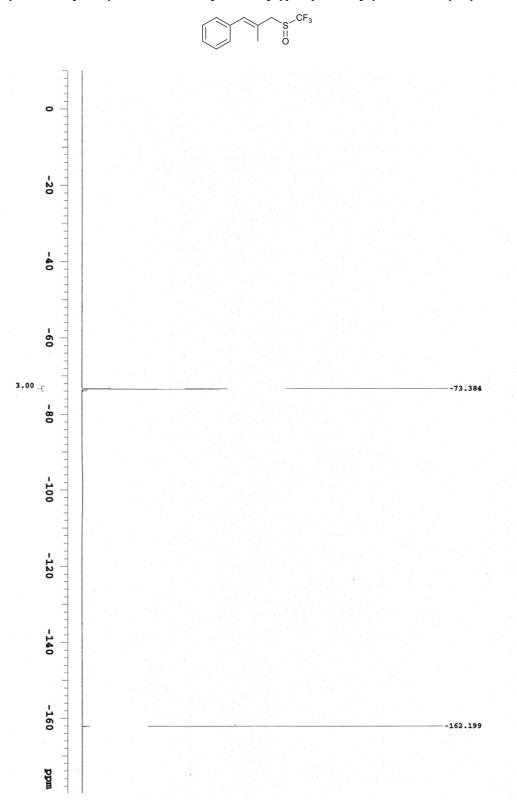
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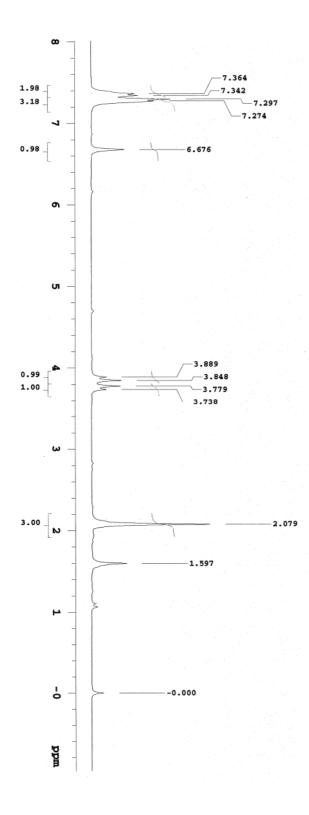


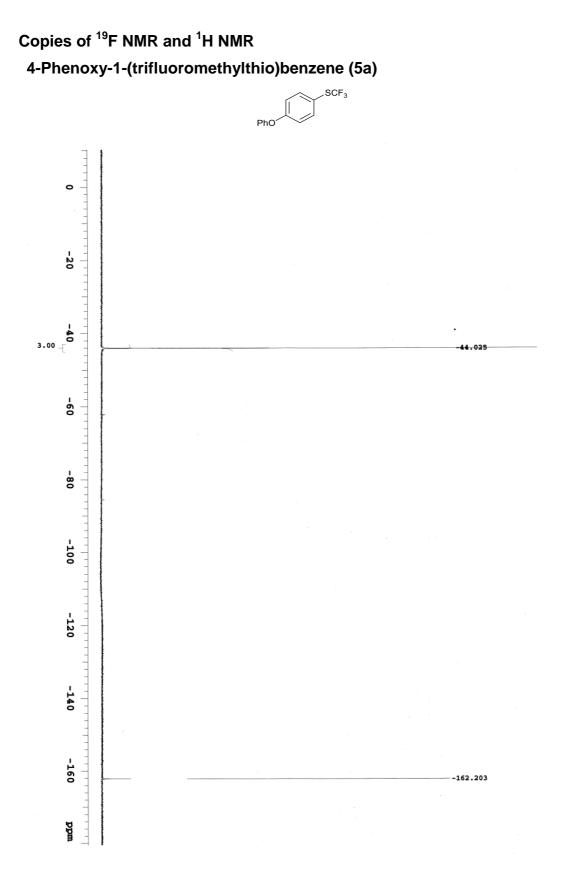


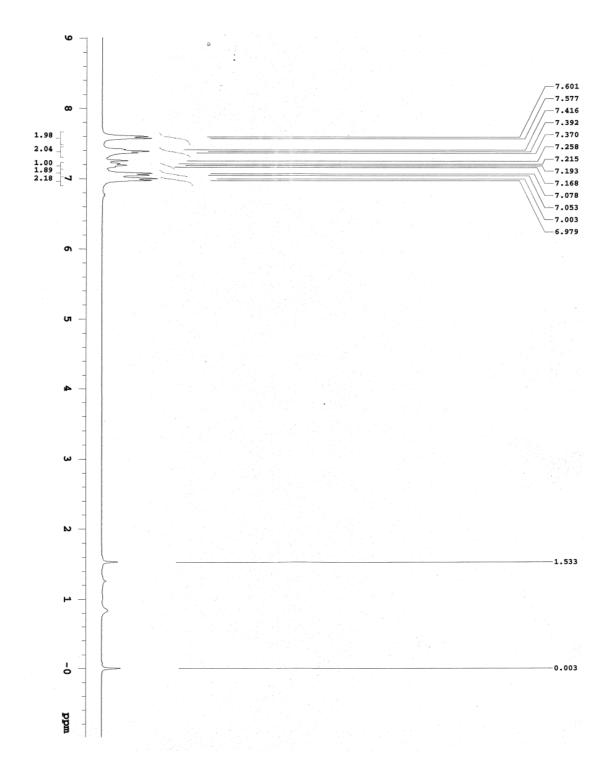


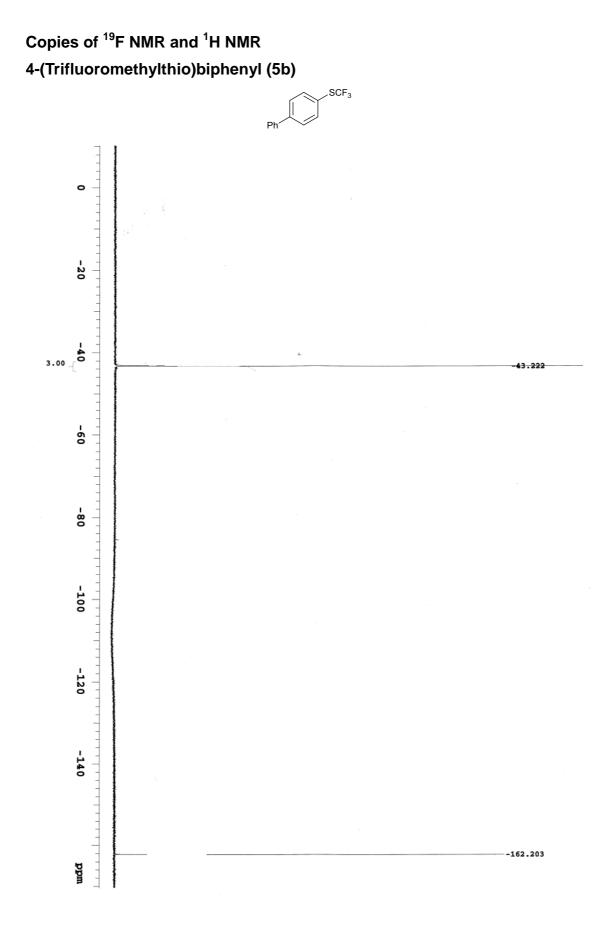




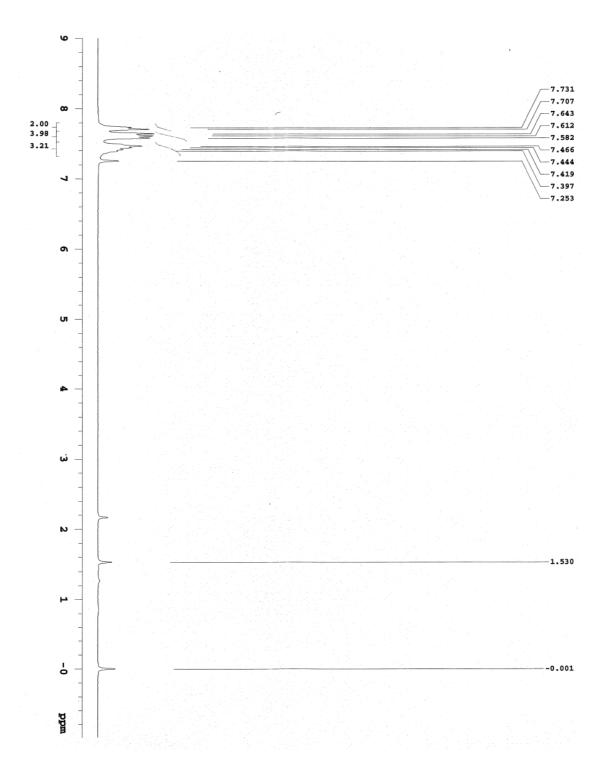


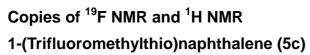


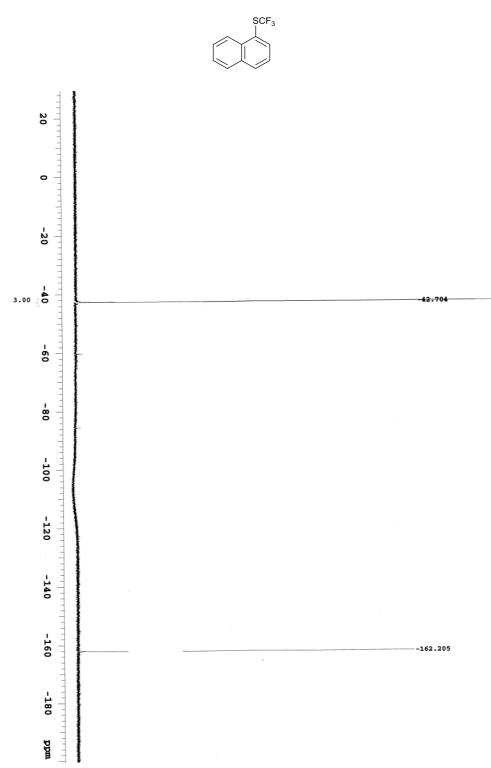


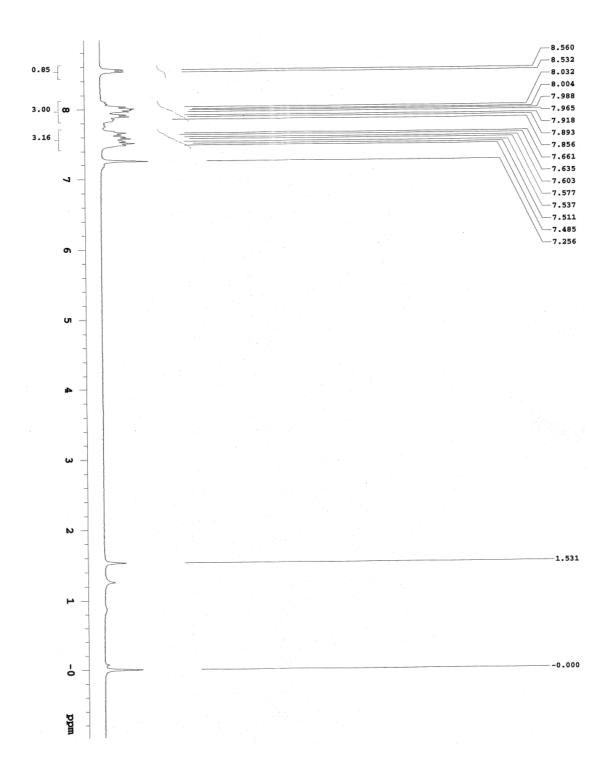


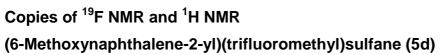
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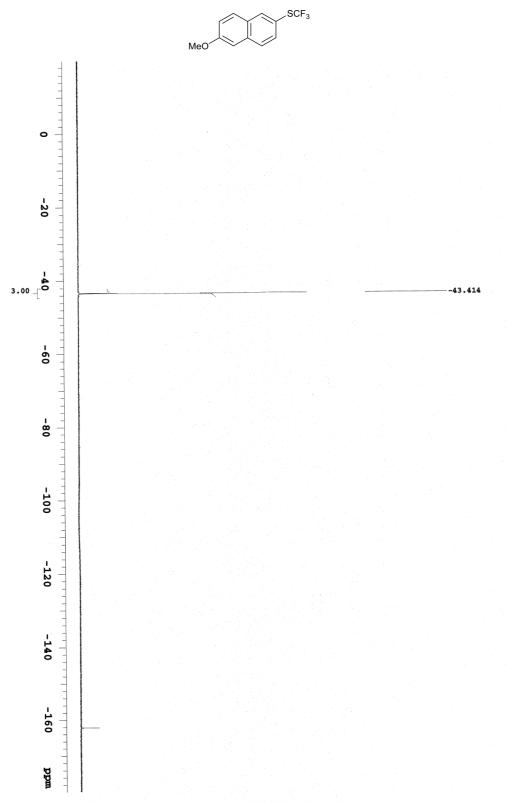


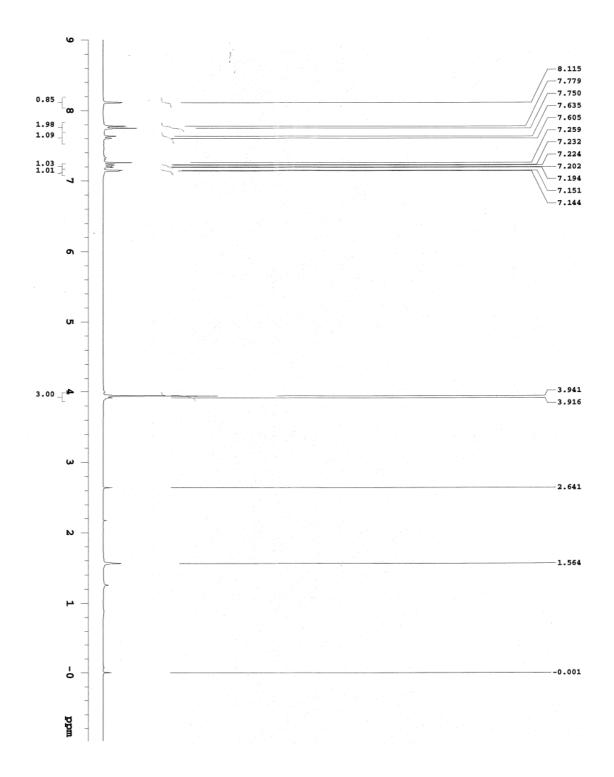


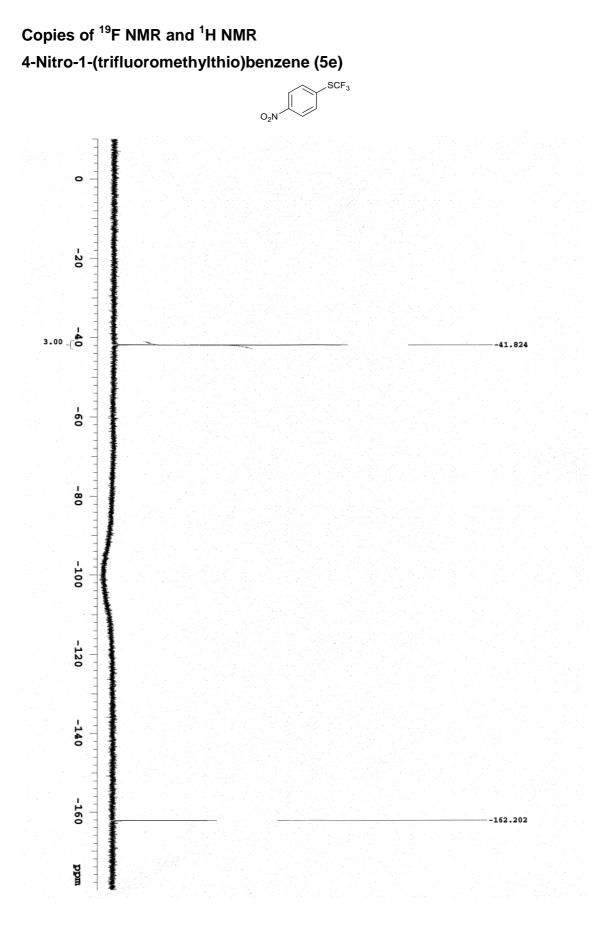




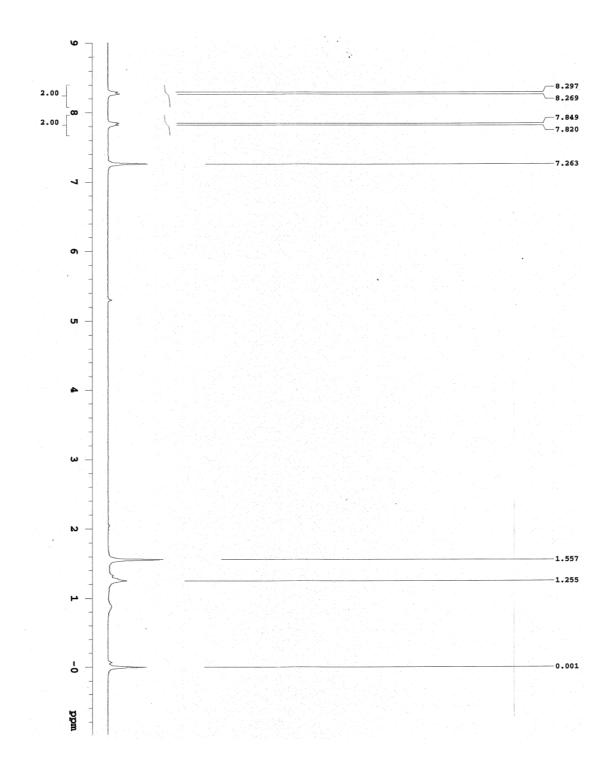




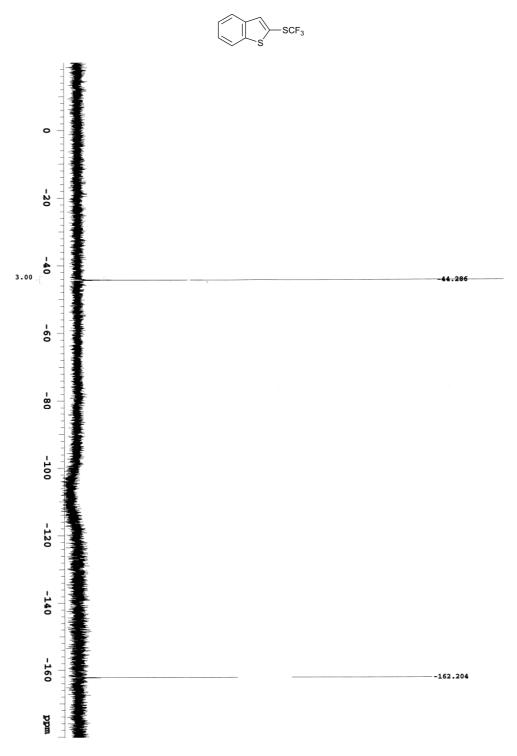


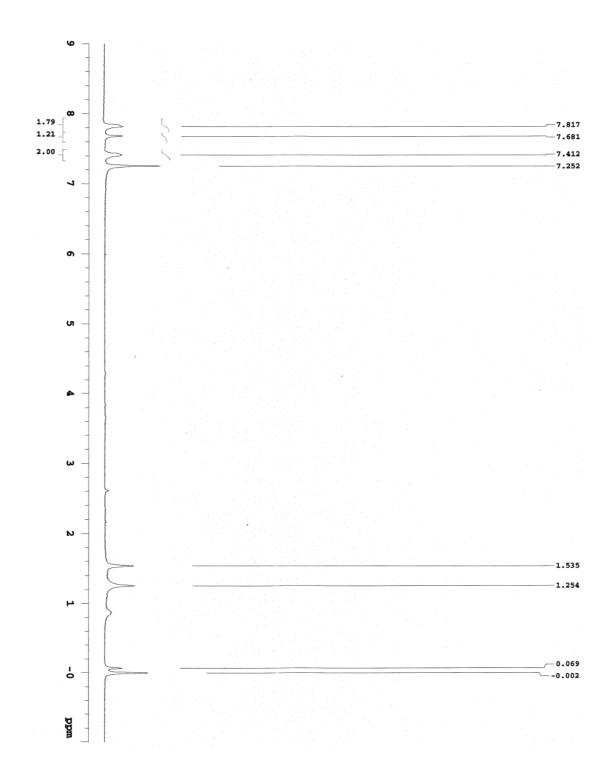


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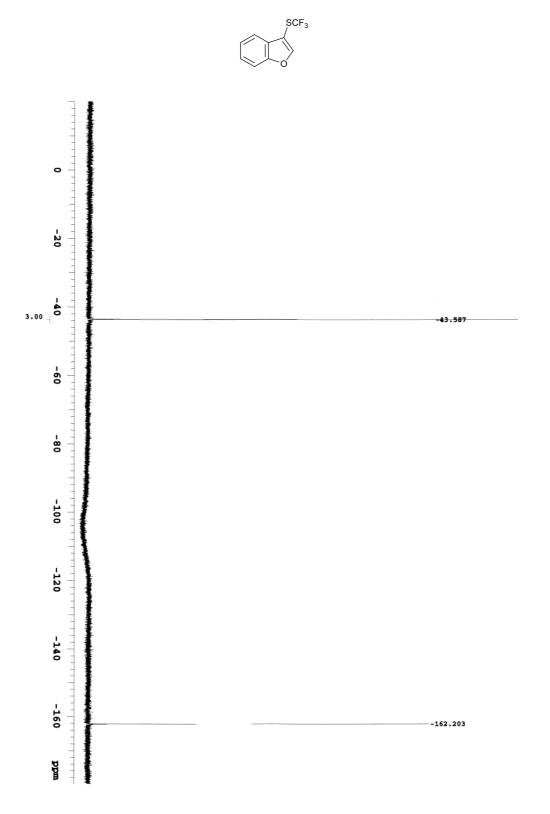


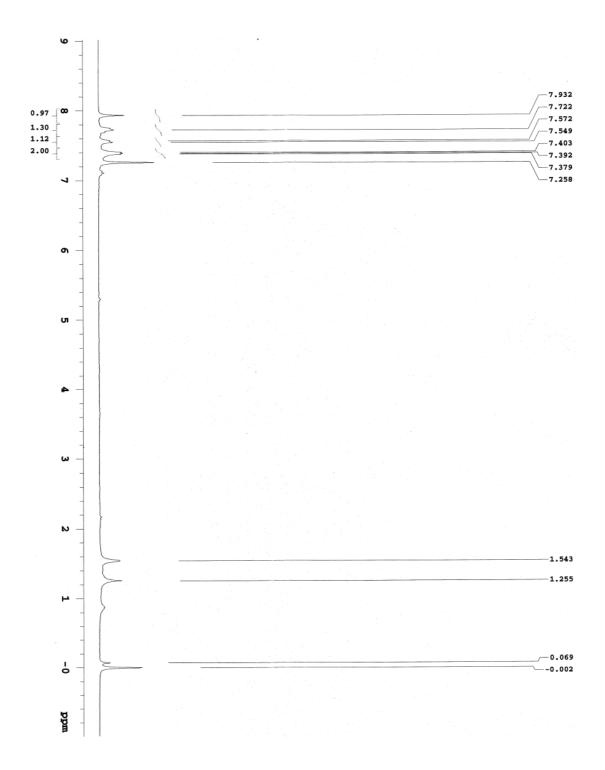
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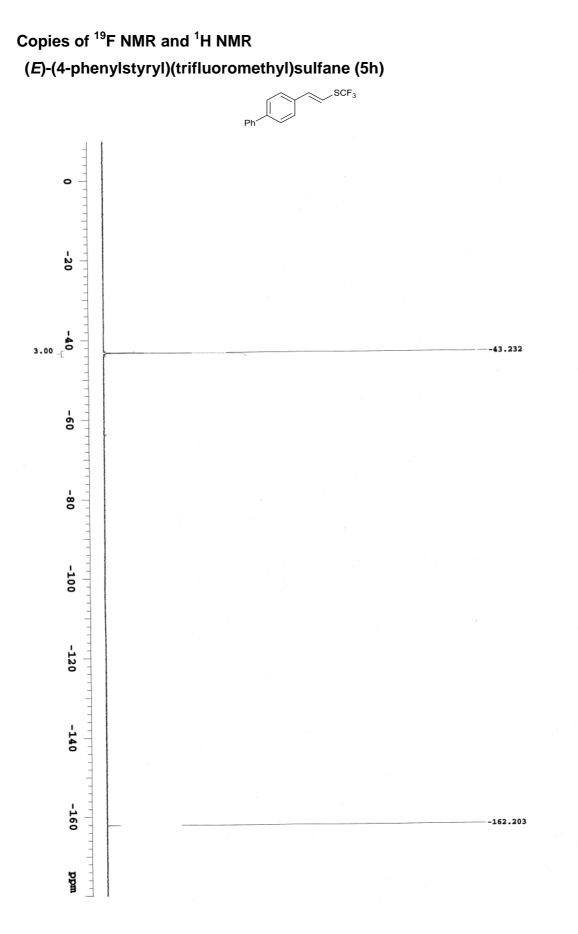




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