

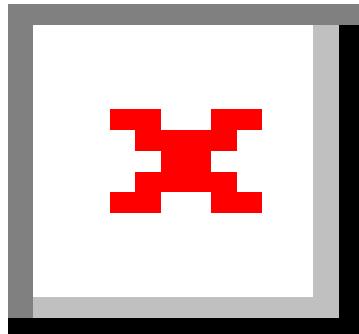
## Supporting information

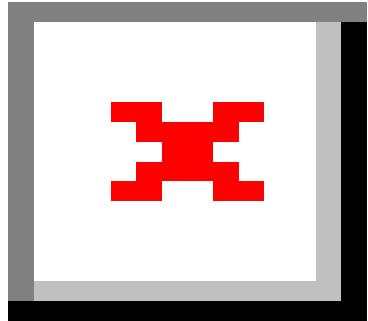
### Phosphinite-Functionalized Silica and Hexagonal Mesoporous Silica Containing Palladium Nanoparticles in Heck Coupling Reaction: Synthesis, Characterization, and Catalytic Activity

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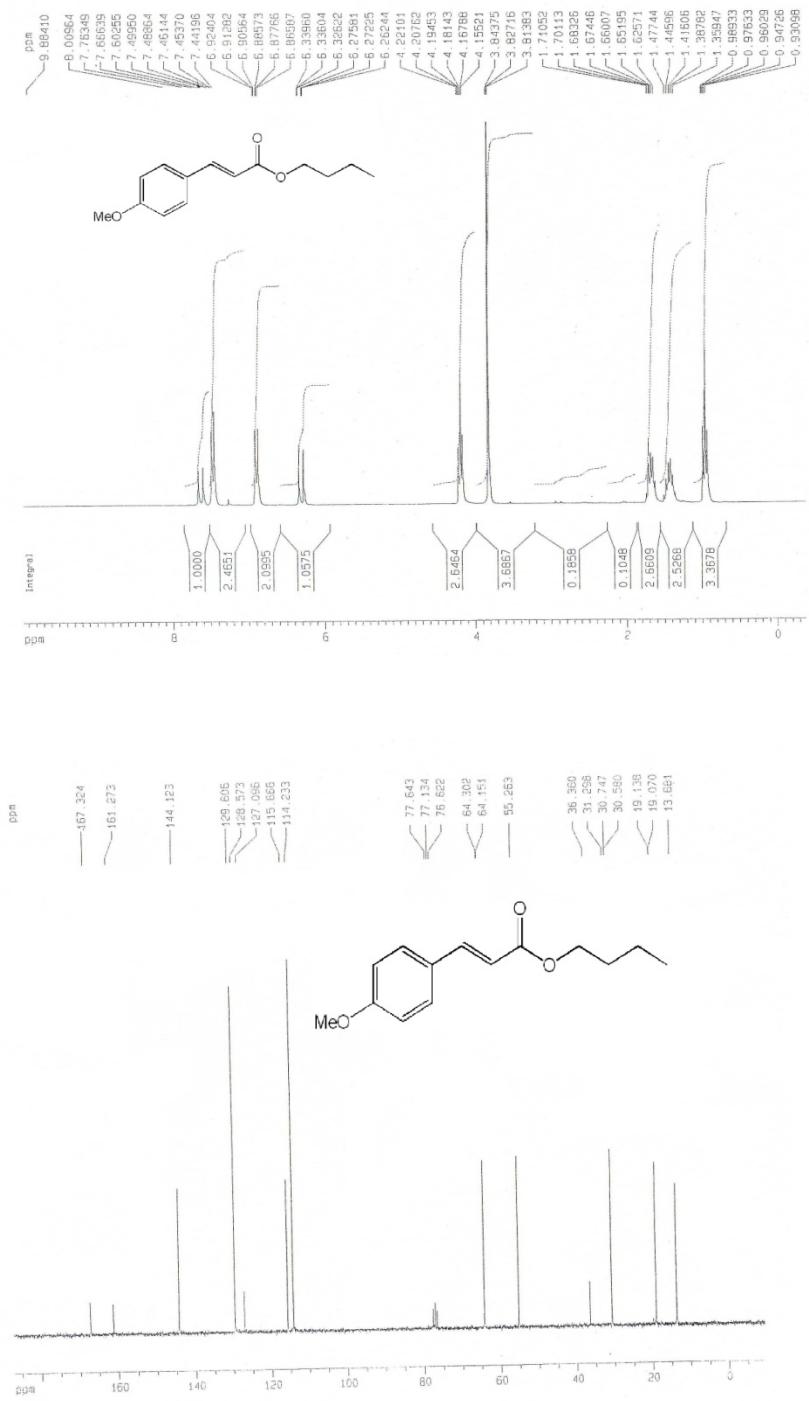
Representative <sup>1</sup>H-NMR, <sup>13</sup>C-NMR data and physical data.

- 1) 3-phenyl acrylic acid butyl ester: <sup>1</sup>H-NMR (250 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 7.80 (d, 1H, J = 16 Hz), 7.41-7.62 (m, 2H), 7.17-7.29 (m, 3H), 6.32 (d, 1H, J = 16 Hz), 4.12 (t, 2H, J = 6.8 Hz), 1.54-1.69 (m, 2H, J = 7.3 Hz), 1.17-1.42 (m, 2H, J = 7.3 Hz), 0.87 (t, 3H, J = 7.3 Hz) ppm; <sup>13</sup>C-NMR (60 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 167.1, 144.5, 134.4, 130.2, 129.8, 128.1, 118.2, 64.3, 30.7, 19.1 13.7 ppm, Yellow solid m.p. 44-45 °C <sup>1-3</sup>.



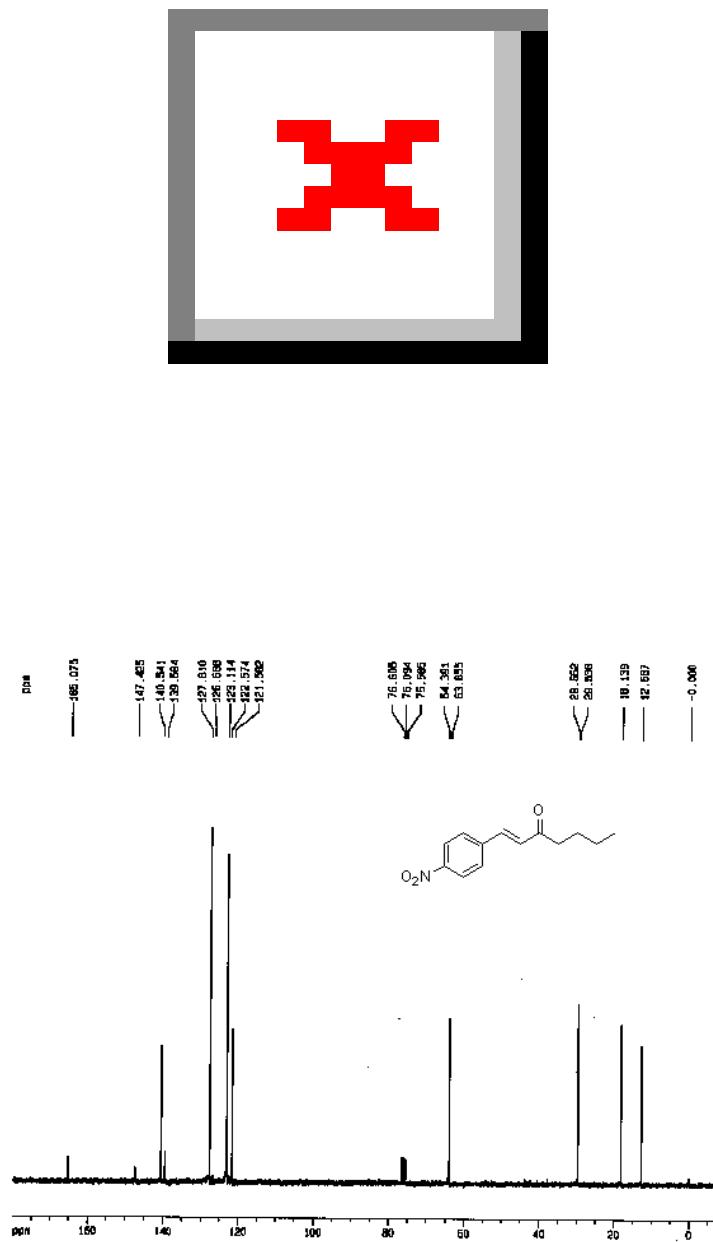


2) 3-(4-methoxy-phenyl)-acrylic acid butyl ester:  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  (250 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  0.93-0.98 (t,  $J= 7.5$  Hz, 3H), 1.38-1.47 (m, 2H), 1.62-1.71 (m, 2H), 3.82 (s, 3H), 4.21 (t,  $J= 6.7$  Hz, 2H), 6.32 (d,  $J=16.0$ , 1H), 6.68-6.92 (m, 2H), 7.45-7.49 (m, 2H), 7.76 (d,  $J= 16.0$ , 1H) ppm;  $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$  (60 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  167.3, 162.4, 144.1, 129.6, 127.0, 115.6, 114.2, 64.2, 55.2, 30.7, 19.1, 13.6 ppm <sup>1-3</sup>.



3) 3-(4-nitro-phenyl)-acrylic acid butyl ester:  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  (250 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.20 (d, 2H,  $J = 8.7$  Hz), 7.63-7.70 (m, 3H), 6.53 (d, 1H,  $J = 15.5$  Hz), 4.17 (t, 2H,  $J = 7$  Hz), 1.63-1.69 (m, 2H,  $J = 7.8$  Hz), 1.36-1.45 (m, 2H,  $J = 7.5$  Hz), 0.93 (t, 3H,  $J =$

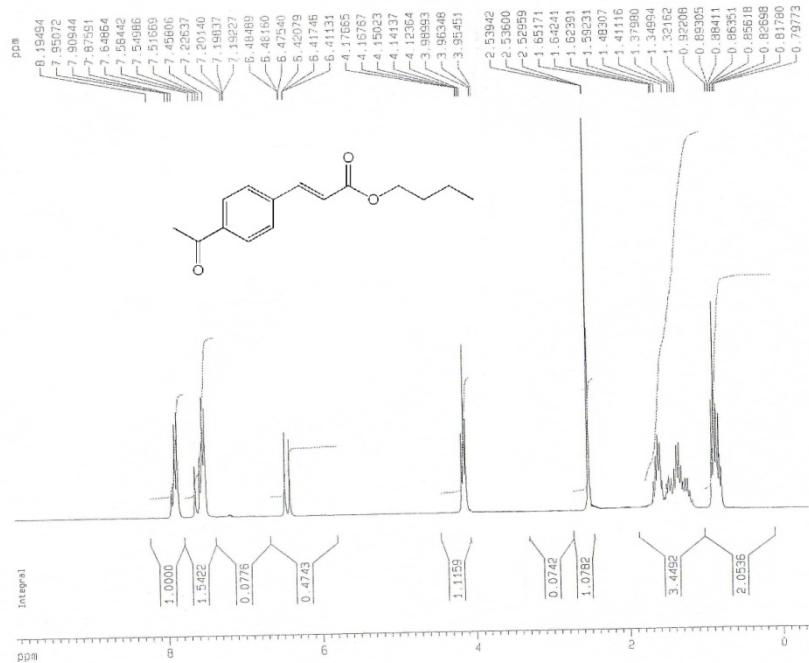
7.5 Hz) ppm;  $^{13}\text{C}$ -NMR (60 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  184.0, 166.5, 155.5, 138.7, 133.5, 129.5, 123.3, 87.7, 54.4, 28.8, 15.5 ppm, Yellow solid (mp: 62-64 °C)<sup>1-3</sup>.



4) 3-(4-cyano-phenyl)-acrylic acid butyl ester :<sup>1</sup>H-NMR (250 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 7.51–7.60 (m, 5H), 6.47 (d, 1H), 4.01 (t, 2H), 1.55–1.66 (m, 2H), 1.30–1.39 (m, 2H, J = 7.3 Hz), 0.84–0.90 (t, 3H, J = 7.3 Hz) ppm; <sup>13</sup>C-NMR (60 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 166.14, 142.0, 138.6, 132.5, 128.7, 121.8, 118.3, 113.2, 64.7, 30.6, 19.1, 13.6 ppm, white solid m.p. 43–44 °C <sup>1-3</sup>.



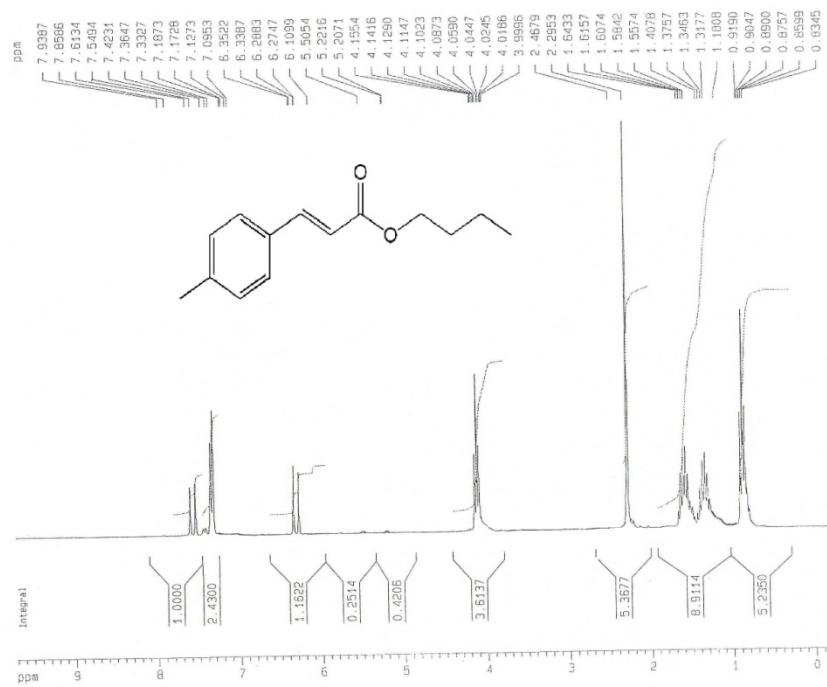
5) 3-(4-acetyl-phenyl)-acrylic acid butyl ester:  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  (250 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.87-7.95 (d, 1H), 7.45-7.87 (m, 4H), 6.47 (d, 2H), 4.15 (m, 2H), 2.53 (s, 3H), 1.59-1.65 (m, 2H), 1.32-1.48 (m, 2H), 0.86-0.92 (m, 3H) ppm;  $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$  (60 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  195.5, 172.5, 155.0, 146.5, 141.5, 132.6, 130.8, 125.5, 88.3, 45.0, 33.4, 23.4, 16.0 ppm, pale yellow liquid<sup>1</sup>.



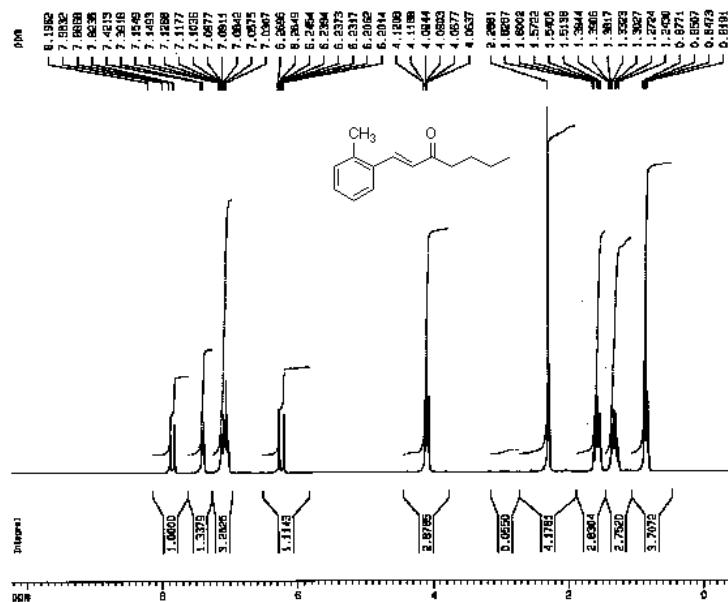
6) 3-(4-chloro-phenyl)-acrylic acid butyl ester:  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  (250 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ): 7.60 (d, 1H), 7.58-7.64 (m, 2H), 7.26-7.36 (m, 2H), 6.42 (d, 1H), 4.17 (t, 2H), 1.62-1.70 (m, 2H), 1.37-1.46 (m, 2H),  $\delta$  0.95 (t,  $J = 7.4$  Hz, 3H) ppm;  $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$  (60 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  166.7, 143.0, 136.0, 132.9, 129.1, 118.8, 64.4, 30.6, 19.1, 13.7 ppm<sup>1,3</sup>.



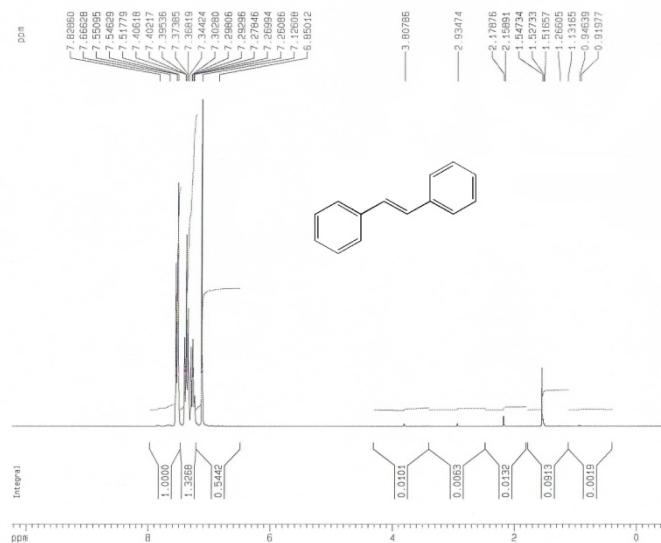
7) 3-(4-methyl-phenyl)-acrylic acid butyl ester: <sup>1</sup>H-NMR (250 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  7.87 (d, 1H), 7.55 (d, 2H), 7.25 (d, 2H), 6.30 (d, 1H), 4.90 (t, 2H), 2.29 (s, 3H), 1.60 (m, 2H), 1.34 (m, 2H), 0.88 (t, 3H) ppm; <sup>13</sup>C-NMR (60 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  175.5, 150.6, 144.5, 130.0, 129.0, 128.5, 119.0, 70.5, 41.3, 25.7, 17.5, 13.0 ppm, pale yellow liquid<sup>1-3</sup>.

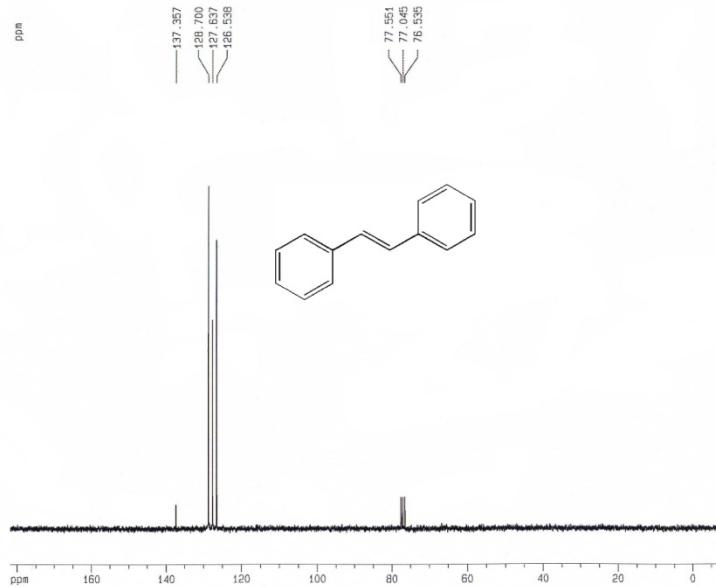
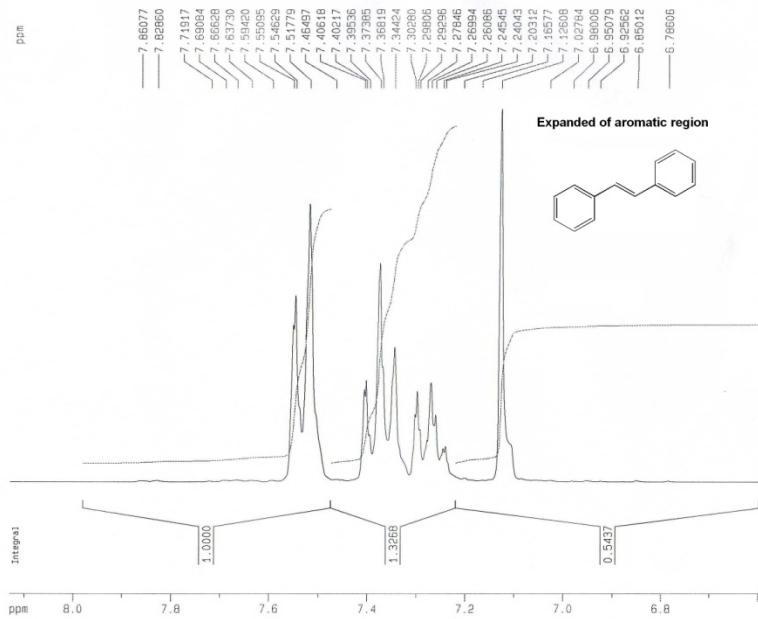


8) 3-(2-methyl-phenyl)-acrylic acid butyl ester:  $^1\text{H}$ -NMR (250 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.03 (d, 1H), 7.60 (d, 1H), 6.94-7.31 (m, 3H), 6.15 (d, 1H), 4.0 (t, 2H), 2.2 (s, 3H), 1.44-1.51 (m, 2H) 1.17-1.26 (m, 2H), 0.75-0.78 (t, 3H), ppm;  $^{13}\text{C}$ -NMR (60 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  167.1, 142.2, 137.5, 133.43, 130.7, 129.9, 126.7, 119, 64.4, 30.7, 19.7, 19.2, 13.7 ppm, pale yellow liquid<sup>1-3</sup>.

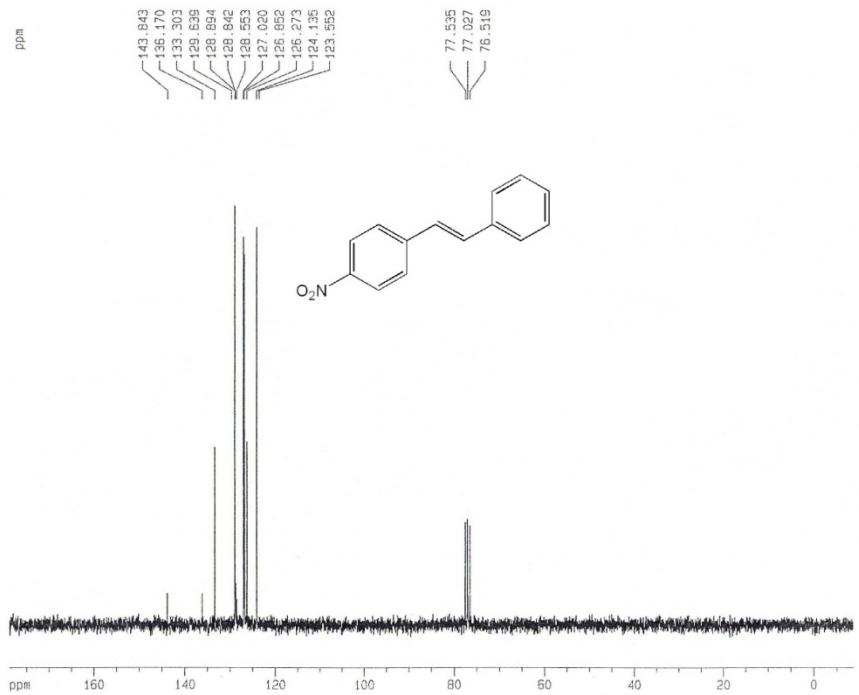
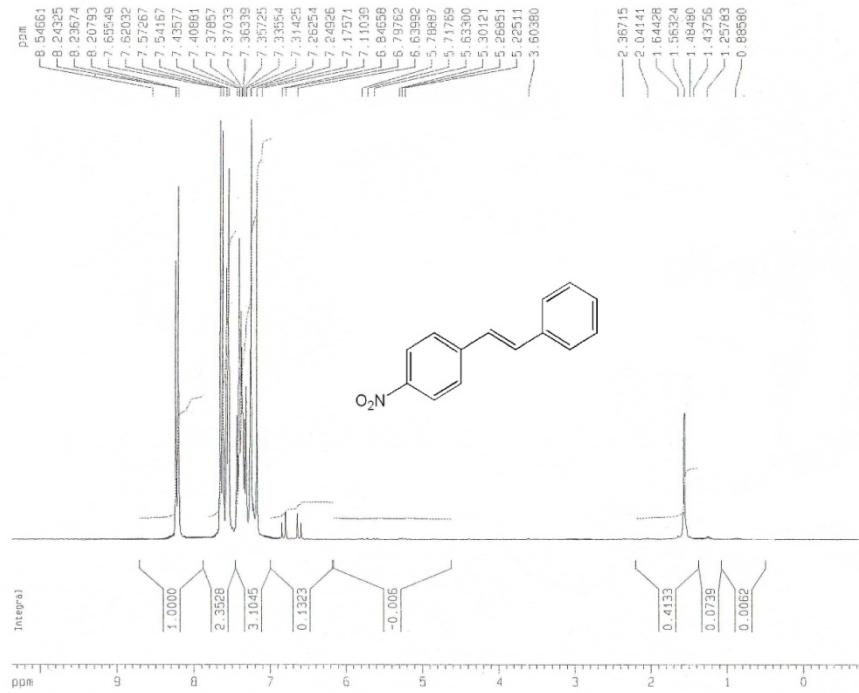


9) (E)-stilben:  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  (250 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.55 (d, 4H,  $J = 7.5$  Hz), 7.36 (t, 4H,  $J = 7.5$  Hz), 7.30 (t, 2H,  $J = 7.5$  Hz), 7.26 (s, 2H) ppm;  $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$  (60 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  137.3, 128.7, 127.6, 126.5 ppm, white solid, m.p 123-125 °C<sup>1-3</sup>.

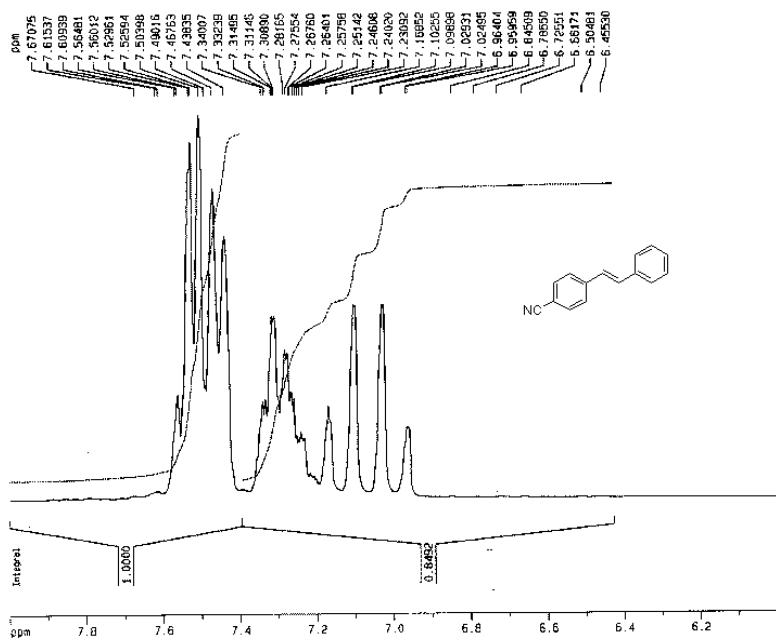
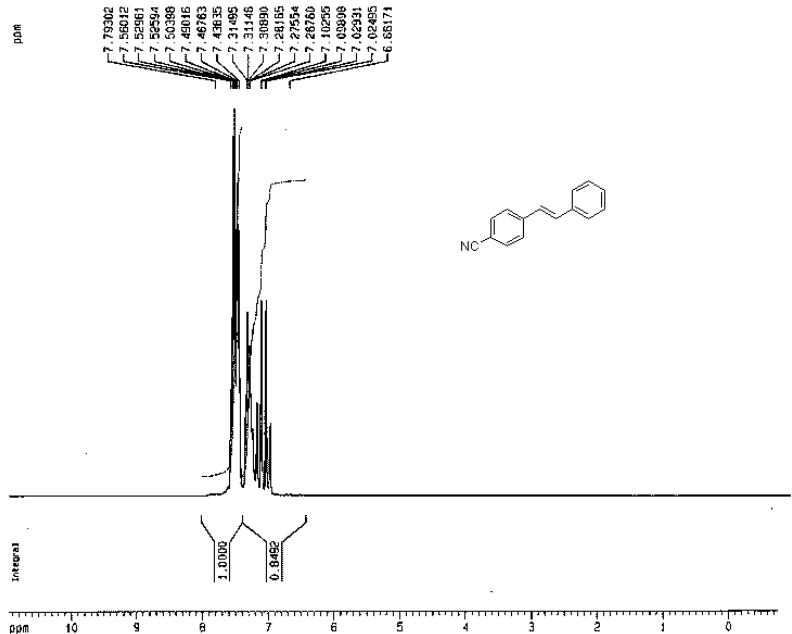


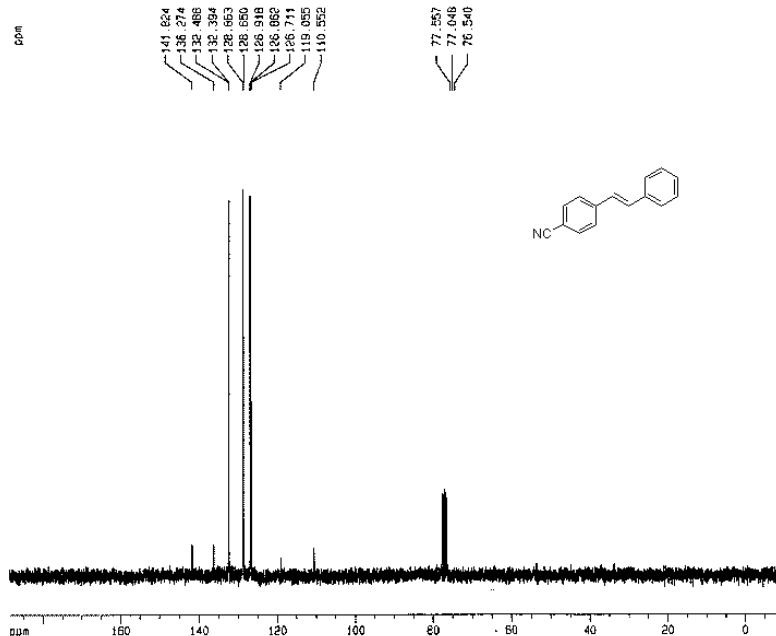


10)(E)-1-nitro-4-styryl-benzene:  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  (250 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  8.23 (d, 2H,  $J = 9.3$  Hz), 7.54 (d, 2H,  $J = 9.3$  Hz), 7.36 (d, 2H,  $J = 7.3$  Hz), 7.11-7.33 (m, 3H), 6.84 (d, 1H,  $J = 16$  Hz), 6.63 (d, 1H,  $J = 16.5$  Hz) ppm;  $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$  (60 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  143.8, 136.1, 133.3, 129.6, 127.0, 126.8, 126.2, 124.1 ppm, white solid, m.p. 155–157° C<sup>1-3</sup>.



11)(E)-1-cyano-4-styryl-benzene:  $^1\text{H}$ -NMR (250 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  7.51-7.67 (m, 4H), 7.12-7.39 (m, 4H), 6.99 (d, 1H,), 7.13 (d, 1H) ppm;  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (60 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  141.8, 136.2, 132.4, 132.3, 128.8, 128.6, 126.9, 126.8, 126.7, 119.0, 110.5 ppm, white solid, m.p.  $117^\circ\text{C}^{1-3}$ .





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