

Supporting Information

Thiazolobenzyne: A versatile intermediate for multisubstituted benzothiazoles

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General Remarks

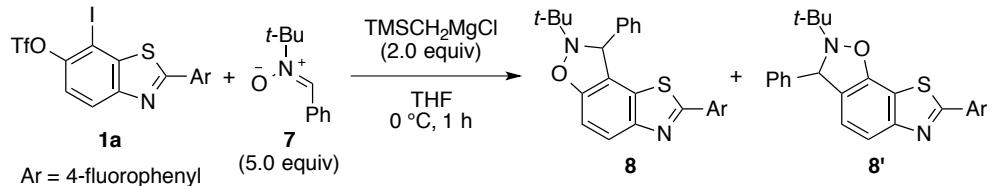
All reactions were performed in a dry glassware under atmosphere of argon otherwise noted. Analytical thin-layer chromatography (TLC) was performed on precoated (0.25 mm) silica-gel plates (Merck Chemicals, Silica Gel 60 F₂₅₄, Cat. No. 1.05715). Column chromatography was conducted using Biotage® ZIP Sphere cartridge [silica-gel] 30 g (Cat. No. 445-3000-FZ-20), 45 g (Cat. No. 445-4500-SZ-20), 80 g (Cat. No. 445-8000-JZ-20), or 120 g (Cat. No. 445-120G-UZ-20) or Biotage® SNAP Ultra 10 g (Cat. No. FSUL-0442-0010) with medium pressure liquid chromatography (Yamazen, W-Prep 2XY A-type). Preparative thin-layer chromatography (PTLC) was performed on silica-gel (Wako Pure Chemical Industries Ltd., Wakogel B5-F, Cat. No. 230-00043). Melting points (Mp) were measured on an OptiMelt MPA100 (Stanford Research Systems), and are uncorrected. ¹H NMR spectra were obtained with a Bruker AVANCE 400 spectrometer or a Bruker AVANCE 500 spectrometer at 400 or 500 MHz, respectively. ¹³C NMR spectra were obtained with a Bruker AVANCE 500 spectrometer at 126 MHz. ¹⁹F NMR spectra (¹H decoupled) were obtained with a Bruker AVANCE 400 spectrometer at 376 MHz. All NMR measurements were carried out at 23 °C unless otherwise noted. CDCl₃ (Acros Organics, Cat. No. 368651000) was used as a solvent for obtaining NMR spectra. Chemical shifts (δ) are given in parts per million (ppm) downfield from (CH₃)₄Si (δ 0.00 for ¹H NMR and ¹³C NMR in CDCl₃) as an internal reference, or α,α,α -trifluorotoluene (δ -63.0 ppm for ¹⁹F NMR in CDCl₃) as an external standard with coupling constants (J) in hertz (Hz). The abbreviations s, d, t, q, sept, m, and br signify singlet, doublet, triplet, quartet, septet, multiplet, and broad, respectively. IR spectra were measured by diffuse reflectance method on a Shimadzu IRPrestige-21 spectrometer attached with DRS-8000A with the absorption band given in cm⁻¹. High-resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were measured on a Bruker micrOTOF mass spectrometer under positive electrospray ionization (ESI⁺) conditions or a JEOL Mass Spectrometer Model JMS-AX505H under fast atom bombardment (FAB⁺) conditions. Elemental analyses were carried out at A Rabbit Science Japan Co. Ltd. X-ray crystallographic data was collected using a Rigaku R-AXIS RAPID diffractometer with Cu-K radiation (λ = 1.5418 Å) at 123 K.

(Trimethylsilylmethyl)magnesium chloride, *n*-butyllithium, isopropylmagnesium chloride, isopropylmagnesium chloride–lithium chloride complex, *tert*-butylmagnesium chloride, and phenylmagnesium bromide

were used after titrimetric determination of the concentration by the 1,10-phenanthroline method.⁵¹ All other chemical reagents used were commercial grade and used as received.

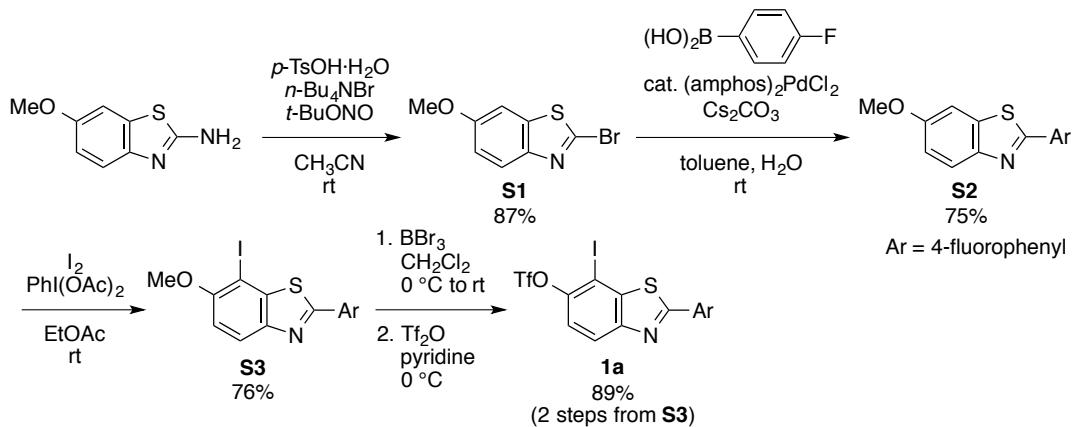
Experimental Procedures

A typical procedure for the cycloadditions between thiazolobenzynes and arynophiles



To a solution of 2-(4-fluorophenyl)-7-iodo-6-triflyloxybenzo[*d*]thiazole (**1a**) (255 mg, 0.507 mmol) and *N*-*tert*-butyl- α -phenylnitrone (451 mg, 2.54 mmol) dissolved in THF (17.0 mL) was added (trimethylsilylmethyl)magnesium chloride (1.0 M in Et₂O, 1.0 mL, 1.0 mmol) over 5 min at 0 °C. After stirring for 1 h at the same temperature, to the mixture was added saturated aqueous ammonium chloride (20 mL). The mixture was extracted with EtOAc (20 mL × 3), and the combined organic extract was washed with brine (30 mL), dried (Na₂SO₄), and after filtration, the filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash column chromatography (silica-gel, Biotage Zip® Sphere cartridge 30 g, *n*-hexane/EtOAc = 10/1 to 4/1) to afford a regioisomeric mixture of 7-(*tert*-butyl)-2-(4-fluorophenyl)-8-phenyl-7,8-dihydrothiazolo[4',5':5,6]benzo[1,2-*d*]isoxazole (**8**) and 2-(*tert*-butyl)-7-(4-fluorophenyl)-3-phenyl-2,3-dihydrothiazolo[5',4':3,4]benzo[1,2-*d*]isoxazole (**8'**) (196 mg, 0.485 mmol, 95.6%, **8:8'** = 80:20) as a pale brown solid. For characterization purpose, the mixture of isomers were separated by flash column chromatography (silica-gel, Biotage® SNAP Ultra cartridge 10 g, CH₂Cl₂) to afford **8** and **8'**.

Synthesis of 2-(4-fluorophenyl)-7-iodo-6-triflyloxybenzo[d]thiazole (**1a**)



To a solution of 2-amino-6-methoxybenzo[d]thiazole (2.00 g, 11.1 mmol; commercial) dissolved in CH₃CN (20.0 mL) were added CuBr₂ (30.7 mg, 0.137 mmol), *p*-TsOH·H₂O (2.73 g, 14.4 mmol), tetrabutylammonium bromide (7.17 g, 22.2 mmol), and *t*-BuONO (1.70 mL, 14.3 mmol) at room temperature.^{S2} After stirring for 1 h at the same temperature, to the mixture was added water (100 mL). The mixture was extracted with EtOAc (50 mL × 3), and the combined organic extract was washed with saturated aqueous NaHCO₃ (50 mL), brine (50 mL), dried (Na₂SO₄), and after filtration, the filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash column chromatography (silica-gel, Biotage Zip® Sphere cartridge 80 g, *n*-hexane/EtOAc = 9/1 to 2/1) to afford 2-bromo-6-methoxybenzo[d]thiazole (**S1**) (2.36 g, 9.67 mmol, 87.1%) as a colorless solid.

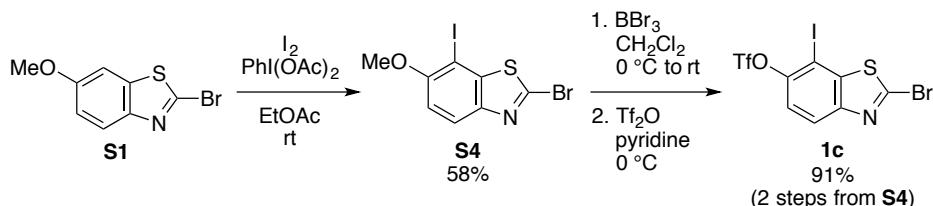
To a solution of 2-bromo-6-methoxybenzo[*d*]thiazole (**S1**) (2.35 g, 9.62 mmol) dissolved in toluene (24.0 mL) and H₂O (6.0 mL) were added cesium carbonate (9.40 g, 28.8 mmol), bis(*di-tert*-butyl(4-dimethylaminophenyl)phosphine)dichloropalladium(II) ((amphos)₂PdCl₂) (356 mg, 0.502 mmol), and 4-fluorophenylboronic acid (1.74 g, 12.4 mmol) at room temperature.⁵³ After stirring for 12 h at the same temperature, to the mixture was added water (50 mL). The mixture was extracted with EtOAc (50 mL × 3), and the combined organic extract was washed with saturated aqueous ammonium chloride (50 mL), brine (50 mL), dried (Na₂SO₄), and after filtration, the filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was

purified by flash column chromatography (silica-gel, Biotage Zip® Sphere cartridge 45 g, *n*-hexane/EtOAc = 9/1 to 4/1) to afford 2-(4-fluorophenyl)-6-methoxybenzo[*d*]thiazole (**S2**) (1.87 g, 7.21 mmol, 74.9%) as a colorless solid.

To a solution of 2-(4-fluorophenyl)-6-methoxybenzo[*d*]thiazole (**S2**) (1.11 g, 4.29 mmol) dissolved in EtOAc (12.0 mL) was added iodine (1.18 g, 4.66 mmol) and iodobenzene diacetate (2.77 g, 8.58 mmol) at room temperature.⁸⁴ After stirring for 5 h at the same temperature, to the mixture was added saturated aqueous sodium thiosulfate (30 mL) at 0 °C. The mixture was extracted with EtOAc (30 mL × 3), and the combined organic extract was washed with saturated aqueous NaHCO₃ (50 mL), brine (50 mL), dried (Na₂SO₄), and after filtration, the filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash column chromatography (silica-gel, Biotage Zip® Sphere 45 g, *n*-hexane/EtOAc = 19/1 to 4/1) to afford 2-(4-fluorophenyl)-7-iodo-6-methoxybenzo[*d*]thiazole (**S3**) (1.26 g, 3.27 mmol, 76.2%) as a colorless solid.

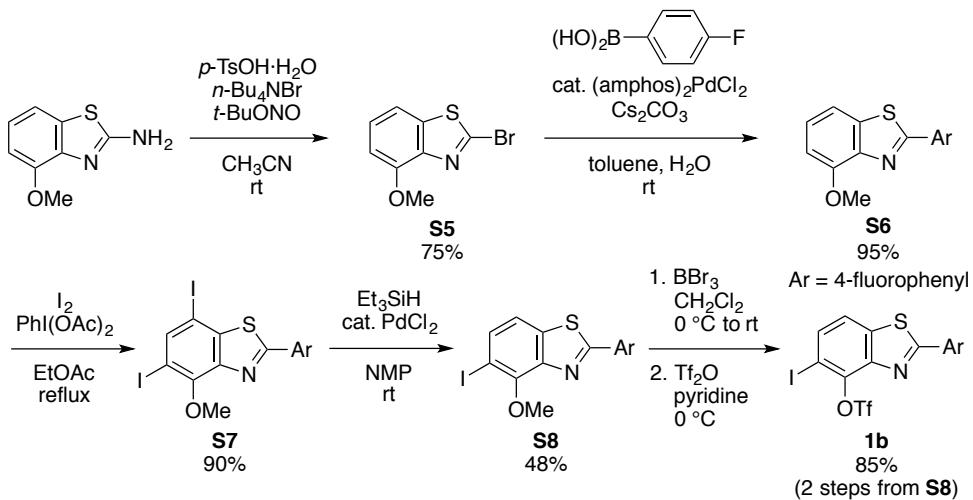
To a solution of 2-(4-fluorophenyl)-7-iodo-6-methoxybenzo[*d*]thiazole (**S3**) (1.15 g, 2.99 mmol) dissolved in CH₂Cl₂ (25.0 mL) was slowly added boron tribromide (1.0 M in CH₂Cl₂, 10.0 mL, 10 mmol) at 0 °C. After stirring for 3.5 h at room temperature, to the mixture was slowly added saturated aqueous NaHCO₃ (40 mL) at 0 °C. The mixture was extracted with CH₂Cl₂ (30 mL × 3), and the combined organic extract was dried with MgSO₄, and after filtration, the filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was dissolved in pyridine (8.0 mL) and to the solution was added trifluoromethanesulfonic anhydride (Tf₂O) (754 µL, 4.48 mmol) at 0 °C. After stirring for 5 h at the same temperature, to the mixture was slowly added water (20 mL) and saturated aqueous NaHCO₃ (20 mL) at 0 °C. The mixture was extracted with EtOAc (20 mL × 3), and the combined organic extract was washed with brine (50 mL), dried (Na₂SO₄), and after filtration, the filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. Recrystallization from EtOAc provided 2-(4-fluorophenyl)-7-iodo-6-triflyloxybenzo[*d*]thiazole (**1a**) (1.16 g, 2.31 mmol, 77.1%) as a colorless solid. The mother liquor was concentrated under reduced pressure and the residue was purified by flash column chromatography (silica-gel, Biotage Zip® Sphere cartridge 45 g, *n*-hexane only to *n*-hexane/EtOAc = 6/1) to afford **1a** (185 mg, 0.368 mmol, 12.3%; total yield 89.4%) as a colorless solid.

*Synthesis of 2-bromo-7-iodo-6-triflyloxybenzo[*d*]thiazole (**1c**)*



According to the procedure for the synthesis of **1a** from **S2**, 2-bromo-7-iodo-6-triflyloxybenzo[*d*]thiazole (**1c**) was prepared from 2-bromo-6-methoxybenzo[*d*]thiazole (**S1**) via 2-bromo-7-iodo-6-methoxybenzo[*d*]thiazole (**S4**).

*Synthesis of 2-(4-fluorophenyl)-5-iodo-4-triflyloxybenzo[d]thiazole (**1b**)*



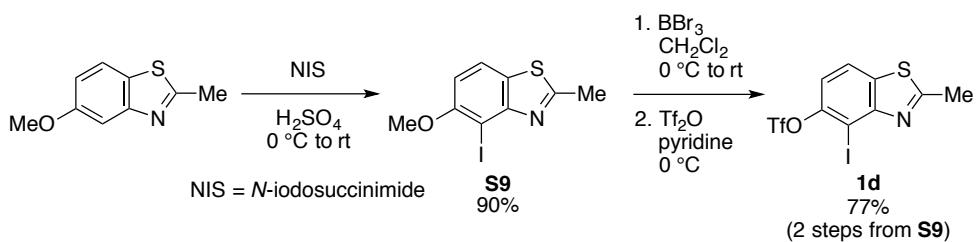
According to the procedure for the synthesis of **S2**, 2-(4-fluorophenyl)-4-methoxybenzo[d]thiazole (**S6**) was prepared from 2-amino-4-methoxybenzo[d]thiazole (commercial).

To a solution of 2-(4-fluorophenyl)-4-methoxybenzo[d]thiazole (**S6**) (9.43 g, 24.5 mmol) in EtOAc (200 mL) was added iodine (13.5 g, 53.0 mmol) and iodo benzene diacetate (19.4 g, 60.1 mmol) at room temperature. After stirring for 3 h at 85 °C, the mixture was cooled to room temperature and to this was added saturated aqueous sodium thiosulfate (100 mL) at the same temperature. The mixture was extracted with EtOAc (100 mL × 3), and the combined organic extract was washed with brine (200 mL), dried (Na₂SO₄), and after filtration, the filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by recrystallization from EtOAc to afford 2-(4-fluorophenyl)-5,7-diiodobenzo[d]thiazole (**S7**) (1st crop: 8.26 g, 2nd crop: 3.02 g; total 11.3 g, 22.1 mmol, 90.1%) as a colorless solid.

To a solution of 2-(4-fluorophenyl)-5,7-diiodobenzo[d]thiazole (**S7**) (2.15 g, 4.20 mmol) in *N*-methylpyrrolidone (NMP) (15 mL) was added triethylsilane (1.0 mL, 6.3 mmol) and palladium(II) dichloride (112 mg, 0.635 mmol) at room temperature.⁵⁵ After stirring the mixture for 2.5 h at the same temperature, the resulting suspension was filtered through a Celite® pad (washed with EtOAc), and the filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. To the mixture was added water (50 mL), and the mixture was extracted with EtOAc (50 mL × 3). The combined organic extract was washed with brine (30 mL), dried (Na₂SO₄), and after filtration, the filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash column chromatography (silica-gel, Biotage Zip® Sphere cartridge 120 g, *n*-hexane/CH₂Cl₂ = 5/1 to 4/1) to afford 2-(4-fluorophenyl)-5-iodo-4-methoxybenzo[d]thiazole (**S8**) (778 mg, 2.02 mmol, 48.0%) as a colorless solid. The starting material 2-(4-fluorophenyl)-5,7-diiodo-4-methoxybenzo[d]thiazole (**S7**) was also recovered (987 mg, 1.91 mmol, 45.4%).

According to the procedure for the synthesis of **1a** from **S3**, 2-(4-fluorophenyl)-5-iodo-4-triflyloxybenzo[d]thiazole (**1b**) was prepared from 2-(4-fluorophenyl)-5-iodo-4-methoxybenzo[d]thiazole (**S8**).

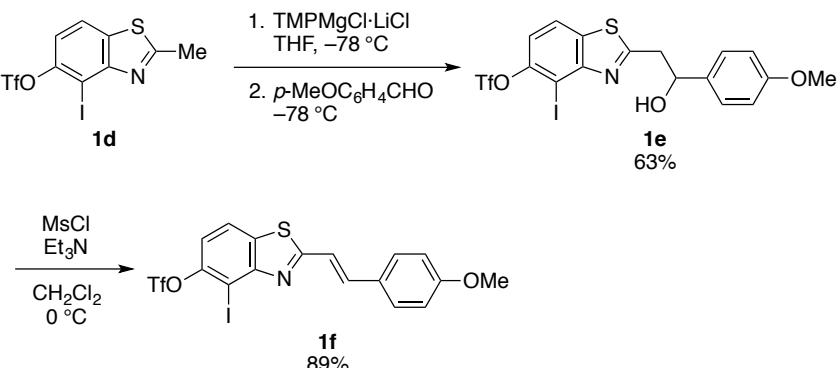
*Synthesis of 4-iodo-2-methyl-5-triflyloxybenzo[d]thiazole (**1d**)*



To a solution of 5-methoxy-2-methylbenzo[d]thiazole (1.03 g, 5.75 mmol; commercial in concentrated sulfuric acid (5.0 mL) was added *N*-iodosuccinimide (1.36 g, 6.06 mmol) at 0 °C.⁵⁶ After stirring for 2 h at room temperature, the resulting mixture was slowly added to water (100 mL) at 0 °C. The mixture was extracted with EtOAc (30 mL × 3), and the combined organic extract was washed with saturated aqueous NaHCO₃ (50 mL), brine (50 mL), dried (Na₂SO₄), and after filtration, the filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash column chromatography (silica-gel, Biotage Zip® Sphere cartridge 45 g, *n*-hexane/EtOAc = 9/1 to 4/1) to afford 4-iodo-5-methoxy-2-methylbenzo[d]thiazole (**S9**) (1.58 g, 5.18 mmol, 90.1%) as a colorless solid.

According to the procedure for the synthesis of **1a** from **S3**, 4-iodo-2-methyl-5-triflyloxybenzo[d]thiazole (**1d**) was prepared from 4-iodo-5-methoxy-2-methylbenzo[d]thiazole (**S9**).

*Synthesis of C2-alkyl and C2-alkenyl group-substituted thiazolobenzene precursors **1e** and **1f***

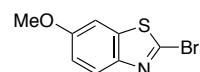


To a solution of 4-iodo-2-methyl-5-triflyloxybenzo[d]thiazole (**1d**) (2.12 g, 5.01 mmol) in THF (50 mL) was added 2,2,6,6-tetramethylpiperidinylmagnesium chloride–lithium chloride complex (1.0 M in THF/toluene, 6.0 mL, 6.0 mmol) at -78 °C. After stirring for 5 min at the same temperature, *p*-methoxybenzaldehyde (0.91 mL, 7.5 mmol) was added to the reaction mixture. After stirring for 10 min at the same temperature, to the mixture was added saturated aqueous ammonium chloride (100 mL). The mixture was extracted with EtOAc (50 mL × 3), and the combined organic extract was dried (Na₂SO₄) and after filtration, the filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash column chromatography (silica-gel, Biotage SNAP® Sphere cartridge 100 g, *n*-hexane/EtOAc = 4/1 to 2/1) to afford 2-(4-iodo-5-triflyloxybenzo[d]thiazol-2-yl)-1-(4-methoxyphenyl)ethan-1-ol (**1e**) (1.77 g, 3.16 mmol, 63.2%) as a colorless oil.

To a solution of 2-(4-iodo-5-triflyloxybenzo[d]thiazol-2-yl)-1-(4-methoxyphenyl)ethan-1-ol (**1e**) (449 mg, 0.803 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (4.0 mL) were added triethylamine (0.22 mL, 1.6 mmol) and methanesulfonyl chloride (93 μL, 1.2 mmol) at 0 °C. After stirring for 5 min at the same temperature, to the mixture was added saturated aqueous ammonium chloride (10 mL). The mixture was extracted with CH₂Cl₂ (5 mL × 3), and the combined organic extract was dried (Na₂SO₄) and after filtration, the filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash column chromatography (silica-gel, Biotage ZIP® Sphere cartridge 45 g, *n*-hexane/EtOAc = 1/0 to 4/1) to afford (*E*)-4-iodo-5-triflyloxy-2-(4-methoxystyryl)benzo[d]thiazole (**1f**) (385 mg, 0.711 mmol, 88.6%) as a pale yellow solid.

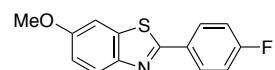
Characterization Data of New Compounds

2-Bromo-6-methoxybenzo[d]thiazole (**S1**)



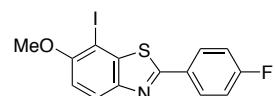
Colorless solid; Mp 51–53 °C; TLC R_f 0.75 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 1/1); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 3.86 (s, 3H), 7.05 (dd, 1H, *J* = 9.0, 2.6 Hz), 7.24 (d, 1H, *J* = 2.6 Hz), 7.85 (d, 1H, *J* = 9.0 Hz); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 55.8 (1C), 103.6 (1C), 115.7 (1C), 123.3 (1C), 135.4 (1C), 138.6 (1C), 146.8 (1C), 158.1 (1C); IR (KBr, cm^{−1}) 978, 1026, 1220, 1256, 1432, 1455, 1484, 1601, 2832, 3003; Anal. calcd for C₈H₆BrNOS: C, 39.36; H, 2.48; N, 5.74%; Found: C, 39.28; H, 2.40; N, 5.63%.

2-(4-Fluorophenyl)-6-methoxybenzo[d]thiazole (**S2**)



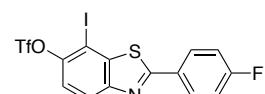
Colorless solid; Mp 107–108 °C; TLC R_f 0.74 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 2/1); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 3.89 (s, 3H), 7.09 (dd, 1H, *J* = 9.0, 2.6 Hz), 7.13–7.19 (AA'BB'X, 2H), 7.35 (d, 1H, *J* = 2.6 Hz), 7.93 (d, 1H, *J* = 9.0 Hz), 8.00–8.05 (AA'BB'X, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 55.8 (1C), 104.2 (1C), 115.7 (1C), 116.1 (d, 2C, $^2J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 22.1 Hz), 123.7 (1C), 129.1 (d, 2C, $^3J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 8.6 Hz), 130.1 (d, 1C, $^4J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 2.9 Hz), 136.4 (1C), 148.7 (1C), 157.8 (1C), 164.3 (1C), 164.3 (d, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 251.3 Hz); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ −110.1 (s); IR (KBr, cm^{−1}) 832, 913, 1224, 1265, 1436, 1464, 1518, 1608, 2836, 2959; Anal. calcd. for C₁₄H₁₀FNOS: C, 64.85; H, 3.89; N, 5.40%; Found: C, 64.71; H, 3.95; N, 5.39%.

2-(4-Fluorophenyl)-7-iodo-6-methoxybenzo[d]thiazole (**S3**)



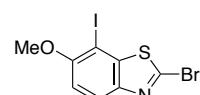
Colorless solid; Mp 167–169 °C; TLC R_f 0.30 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 5/1); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 3.98 (s, 3H), 7.02 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.8 Hz), 7.15–7.22 (AA'BB'X, 2H), 7.95 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.8 Hz), 8.01–8.07 (AA'BB'X, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 57.2 (1C), 74.3 (1C), 110.4 (1C), 116.2 (d, 2C, $^2J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 22.1 Hz), 123.4 (1C), 129.2 (d, 2C, $^3J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 8.6 Hz), 129.9 (d, 1C, $^4J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 3.1 Hz), 145.0 (1C), 146.3 (1C), 156.6 (1C), 163.5 (1C), 164.4 (d, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 251.9 Hz); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ −109.4 (s); IR (KBr, cm^{−1}) 990, 1047, 1260, 1376, 1456, 1472, 1589, 2841, 2938, 3028; HRMS (ESI⁺) *m/z* 385.9490 ([M+H]⁺, C₁₄H₁₀FINOS⁺ requires 385.9506).

2-(4-Fluorophenyl)-7-iodo-6-triflyloxybenzo[d]thiazole (**1a**)



Colorless solid; Mp 157–159 °C; TLC R_f 0.72 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 4/1); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.18–7.24 (AA'BB'X, 2H), 7.42 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.9 Hz), 8.03 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.9 Hz), 8.05–8.11 (AA'BB'X, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 79.7 (1C), 116.5 (d, 2C, $^2J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 22.1 Hz), 118.8 (q, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 321.6 Hz), 120.1 (1C), 123.8 (1C), 129.3 (d, 1C, $^4J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 3.5 Hz), 129.7 (d, 2C, $^3J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 8.6 Hz), 145.4 (1C), 147.8 (1C), 150.3 (1C), 165.0 (d, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 253.7 Hz), 167.9 (1C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ −73.4 (s, 3F), −107.5 (s, 1F); IR (KBr, cm^{−1}) 837, 913, 1146, 1222, 1420, 1434, 1593, 1603, 3034, 3077, 3082; Anal. calcd for C₁₄H₆F₄INO₃S₂: C, 33.42; H, 1.20; N, 2.78%; Found: C, 33.56; H, 1.22; N, 2.80%.

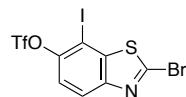
2-Bromo-7-iodo-6-methoxybenzo[d]thiazole (**S4**)



Colorless solid; Mp 160–162 °C; TLC R_f 0.37 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 9/1); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 3.96 (s, 3H), 6.98 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.8 Hz), 7.88 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.8 Hz); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 57.2 (1C), 73.2 (1C),

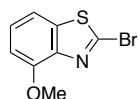
110.3 (1C), 123.0 (1C), 134.7 (1C), 144.8 (1C), 147.0 (1C), 156.8 (1C); IR (KBr, cm^{-1}) 797, 827, 991, 1047, 1249, 1261, 1376, 1429, 1457, 1473, 1545, 1589, 2939; HRMS (FAB $^+$) m/z 369.8394 ([M+H] $^+$, $\text{C}_8\text{H}_6\text{BrINOS}^+$ requires 369.8393).

2-Bromo-7-iodo-6-triflyloxybenzo[*d*]thiazole (**1c**)



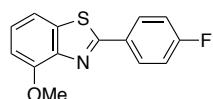
Colorless solid; Mp 169–171 °C; TLC R_f 0.43 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 9/1); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.43 (d, 1H, J = 8.9 Hz), 8.00 (d, 1H, J = 8.9 Hz); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 78.6 (1C), 118.7 (q, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 321.0$ Hz), 120.4 (1C), 123.6 (1C), 139.6 (1C), 147.5 (1C), 148.3 (1C), 148.9 (1C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ –73.1 (s); IR (KBr, cm^{-1}) 602, 830, 887, 917, 926, 993, 1134, 1142, 1186, 1211, 1233, 1254, 1431, 1463; HRMS (FAB $^+$) m/z 487.7739 ([M+H] $^+$, $\text{C}_8\text{H}_3\text{BrF}_3\text{INO}_3\text{S}_2^+$ requires 487.7729).

2-Bromo-4-methoxybenzo[*d*]thiazole (**S5**)



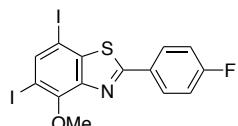
Pale brown solid; Mp 71–72 °C; TLC R_f 0.50 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 2/1); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 4.03 (s, 3H), 6.89 (dd, 1H, J = 6.3, 2.7 Hz), 7.32–7.37 (m, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 56.0 (1C), 107.2 (1C), 112.8 (1C), 126.8 (1C), 137.1 (1C), 138.9 (1C), 142.5 (1C), 152.8 (1C); IR (KBr, cm^{-1}) 988, 1048, 1272, 1326, 1407, 1467, 1572, 2835, 2935, 3076; Anal. calcd for $\text{C}_8\text{H}_6\text{BrNOS}$: C, 39.36; H, 2.48; N, 5.74%; Found: C, 39.41; H, 2.43; N, 5.65%.

2-(4-Fluorophenyl)-4-methoxybenzo[*d*]thiazole (**S6**)



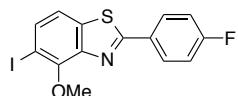
Colorless solid; Mp 89–90 °C; TLC R_f 0.35 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 4/1); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 4.07 (s, 3H), 6.91 (d, 1H, J = 8.0 Hz), 7.12–7.18 (AA'BB'X, 2H), 7.32 (dd, 1H, J = 8.0, 8.0 Hz), 7.46 (d, 1H, J = 8.0 Hz), 8.08–8.14 (AA'BB'X, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 56.1 (1C), 106.9 (1C), 113.6 (1C), 116.0 (d, 2C, $^2J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 22.1$ Hz), 126.2 (1C), 129.6 (d, 2C, $^3J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 8.8$ Hz), 129.9 (d, 1C, $^4J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 2.9$ Hz), 136.7 (1C), 144.2 (1C), 153.5 (1C), 164.4 (d, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 251.7$ Hz), 165.5 (1C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ –109.8 (s); IR (KBr, cm^{-1}) 839, 1047, 1156, 1226, 1262, 1475, 1600, 2836, 2958, 3074; Anal. calcd for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{10}\text{FNOS}$: C, 64.85; H, 3.89; N, 5.40%; Found: C, 64.85; H, 3.86; N, 5.36%.

2-(4-Fluorophenyl)-5,7-diiodo-4-methoxybenzo[*d*]thiazole (**S7**)



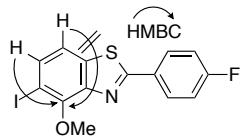
Colorless solid; Mp 163–165 °C; TLC R_f 0.65 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 3/1); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 4.36 (s, 3H), 7.15–7.22 (AA'BB'X, 2H), 7.99 (s, 1H), 8.04–8.09 (AA'BB'X, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 62.2 (1C), 75.7 (1C), 86.7 (1C), 116.3 (d, 2C, $^2J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 22.1$ Hz), 129.46 (d, 1C, $^4J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 2.7$ Hz), 129.52 (d, 2C, $^3J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 8.7$ Hz), 142.7 (1C), 143.0 (1C), 145.4 (1C), 153.6 (1C), 164.0 (1C), 164.7 (d, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 252.7$ Hz); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ –108.3 (s); IR (KBr, cm^{-1}) 835, 1015, 1154, 1231, 1417, 1479, 1604, 2945, 2978, 3033; Anal. calcd for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_8\text{FI}_2\text{NOS}$: C, 32.90; H, 1.58; N, 2.74%; Found: C, 32.93; H, 1.59; N, 2.65%.

2-(4-Fluorophenyl)-5-iodo-4-methoxybenzo[*d*]thiazole (S8**)**

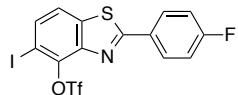


Colorless solid, Mp 119–121 °C; TLC R_f 0.55 (*n*-hexane/CH₂Cl₂ = 5/1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 4.36 (s, 3H), 7.15–7.21 (AA'BB'X, 2H), 7.32 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.5 Hz), 7.70 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.5 Hz), 8.04–8.10 (AA'BB'X, 2H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 62.1 (1C), 86.2 (1C), 116.2 (d, 2C, ²J_{C-F} = 22.2 Hz), 117.5 (1C), 129.58 (d, 1C, ⁴J_{C-F} = 3.6 Hz), 129.60 (d, 2C, ³J_{C-F} = 8.5 Hz), 135.3 (1C), 137.6 (1C), 146.2 (1C), 153.4 (1C), 164.6 (d, 1C, ¹J_{C-F} = 252.6 Hz), 165.5 (1C); ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -108.9 (s); IR (KBr, cm⁻¹) 834, 1156, 1223, 1233, 1296, 1421, 1483, 1601, 2829, 2943; Anal. calcd for C₁₄H₉FINOS: C, 43.65; H, 2.36; N, 3.64%; Found: C, 43.66; H, 2.26; N, 3.52%.

The structure was confirmed by the HMBC experiment.

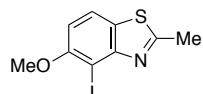


2-(4-Fluorophenyl)-5-iodo-4-triflyloxybenzo[*d*]thiazole (1b**)**



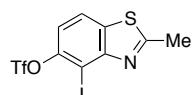
Colorless solid; Mp 114–116 °C; TLC R_f 0.50 (*n*-hexane/CH₂Cl₂ = 4/1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.14–7.21 (AA'BB'X, 2H), 7.56 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.4 Hz), 7.77 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.4 Hz), 8.03–8.10 (AA'BB'X, 2H); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 85.9 (1C), 116.4 (d, 2C, ²J_{C-F} = 22.3 Hz), 118.7 (q, 1C, ¹J_{C-F} = 321.1 Hz), 122.4 (1C), 128.8 (d, 1C, ⁴J_{C-F} = 3.2 Hz), 129.9 (d, 2C, ³J_{C-F} = 9.0 Hz), 135.5 (1C), 137.3 (1C), 143.8 (1C), 147.2 (1C), 164.9 (d, 1C, ¹J_{C-F} = 253.7 Hz), 168.9 (1C); ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -72.3 (s, 3F), -107.3 (s, 1F); IR (KBr, cm⁻¹) 828, 961, 1074, 1173, 1297, 1438, 1464, 1599, 3037, 3077; Anal. calcd for C₁₄H₆F₄INO₃S₂: C, 33.42; H, 1.20; N, 2.78%; Found: C, 33.61; H, 1.13; N, 2.92%.

4-Iodo-5-methoxy-2-methylbenzo[*d*]thiazole (S9**)**



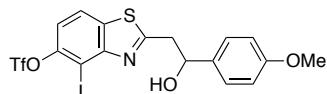
Colorless solid; Mp 86–87 °C; TLC R_f 0.44 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 3/1); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.85 (s, 3H), 3.95 (s, 3H), 6.91 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.7 Hz), 7.66 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.7 Hz); ¹³C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 20.4 (1C), 57.2 (1C), 80.4 (1C), 109.6 (1C), 121.4 (1C), 126.8 (1C), 155.8 (1C), 157.5 (1C), 168.7 (1C); IR (KBr, cm⁻¹) 999, 1175, 1274, 1394, 1455, 1518, 1588, 2835, 2935, 2961; Anal. calcd for C₉H₈INOS: C, 35.43; H, 2.64; N, 4.59%; Found: C, 35.33; H, 2.64; N, 4.56%.

4-Iodo-2-methyl-5-triflyloxybenzo[*d*]thiazole (1c**)**



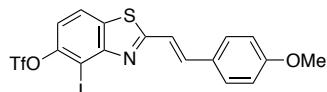
Colorless solid; Mp 157–159 °C; TLC R_f 0.23 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 5/1); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.90 (s, 3H), 7.30 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.7 Hz), 7.81 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.7 Hz); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 20.5 (1C), 85.9 (1C), 118.3 (1C), 118.8 (q, 1C, ¹J_{C-F} = 320.7 Hz), 122.1 (1C), 133.6 (1C), 149.2 (1C), 156.1 (1C), 170.4 (1C); ¹⁹F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -73.5 (s); IR (KBr, cm⁻¹) 852, 958, 1136, 1234, 1240, 1392, 1427, 1520, 2985, 3065, 3096; HRMS (ESI⁺) *m/z* 445.8616 ([M+Na]⁺, C₉H₅F₃INaO₃S₂⁺ requires 445.8600).

2-(4-Iodo-5-triflyloxybenzo[*d*]thiazol-2-yl)-1-(4-methoxyphenyl)ethan-1-ol (1e**)**



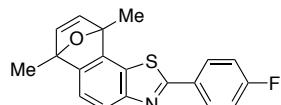
Colorless oil; TLC R_f 0.38 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 3/2); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 3.46–3.55 (m, 2H), 3.82 (s, 3H), 3.89 (d, 1H, J = 3.2 Hz), 5.28 (ddd, 1H, J = 7.4, 4.9, 3.2 Hz), 6.90–6.94 (AA'BB', 2H), 7.34 (d, 1H, J = 8.7 Hz), 7.38–7.41 (AA'BB', 2H), 7.85 (d, 1H, J = 8.7 Hz); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 43.2 (1C), 55.3 (1C), 72.2 (1C), 86.3 (1C), 114.0 (2C), 118.7 (1C), 118.8 (q, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 320.8 Hz), 122.3 (1C), 127.1 (2C), 132.8 (1C), 134.5 (1C), 149.4 (1C), 155.4 (1C), 159.4 (1C), 172.3 (1C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -73.2 (s); IR (KBr, cm⁻¹) 630, 737, 742, 809, 836, 976, 1036, 1136, 1183, 1215, 1251, 1303, 1391, 1427, 1514, 1610, 3422; HRMS (FAB⁺) *m/z* 559.9311 ([M+H]⁺, C₁₇H₁₄F₃INO₅S₂⁺ requires 559.9305).

(E)-4-Iodo-2-(4-methoxystyryl)-5-triflyloxybenzo[*d*]thiazole (**1f**)



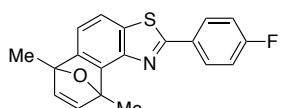
Pale yellow solid; Mp 155–157 °C; TLC R_f 0.49 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 4/1); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 3.86 (s, 3H), 6.93–6.96 (AA'BB', 2H), 7.28 (d, 1H, J = 8.6 Hz), 7.34 (d, 1H, J = 16.2 Hz), 7.49 (d, 1H, J = 16.2 Hz), 7.53–7.56 (AA'BB', 2H), 7.81 (d, 1H, J = 8.6 Hz); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 55.4 (1C), 86.2 (1C), 114.5 (2C), 118.4 (1C), 118.8 (q, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 320.8 Hz), 119.4 (1C), 122.0 (1C), 127.6 (1C), 129.3 (2C), 132.1 (1C), 139.6 (1C), 149.4 (1C), 156.6 (1C), 161.2 (1C), 170.4 (1C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -73.3 (s); IR (KBr, cm⁻¹) 586, 610, 855, 980, 1140, 1209, 1259, 1424, 1516, 1605, 3448; HRMS (FAB⁺) *m/z* 541.9209 ([M+H]⁺, C₁₇H₁₂F₃INO₄S₂⁺ requires 541.9199).

2-(4-Fluorophenyl)-6,9-dihydro-6,9-dimethyl-6,9-epoxynaphtho[2,1-*d*]thiazole (**3a**)



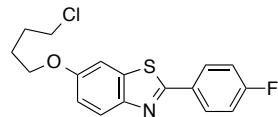
Colorless solid; Mp 161–163 °C; TLC R_f 0.33 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 4/1); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.96 (s, 3H), 2.07 (s, 3H), 6.87 (d, 1H, J = 5.3 Hz), 6.92 (d, 1H, J = 5.3 Hz), 7.10–7.17 (AA'BB'X, 2H), 7.28 (d, 1H, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.69 (d, 1H, J = 7.8 Hz), 8.00–8.07 (AA'BB'X, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 15.5 (1C), 15.9 (1C), 89.2 (1C), 89.5 (1C), 116.2 (d, 2C, $^2J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 22.1 Hz), 117.2 (1C), 119.4 (1C), 126.7 (1C), 129.6 (d, 2C, $^3J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 8.9 Hz), 129.8 (d, 1C, $^4J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 2.9 Hz), 146.7 (1C), 146.9 (1C), 148.0 (1C), 150.7 (1C), 153.6 (1C), 164.5 (d, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 252.1 Hz), 166.1 (1C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ -109.1 (s); IR (KBr, cm⁻¹) 871, 1304, 1381, 1489, 1524, 1604, 2866, 2930, 2975, 3072; HRMS (ESI⁺) *m/z* 324.0860 ([M+H]⁺, C₁₉H₁₅FNOS⁺ requires 324.0853).

2-(4-Fluorophenyl)-6,9-dihydro-6,9-dimethyl-6,9-epoxynaphtho[1,2-*d*]thiazole (**3b**)



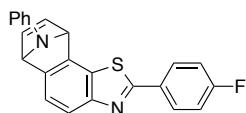
Yellow solid; Mp 139–141 °C; TLC R_f 0.45 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 4/1); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.99 (s, 3H), 2.34 (s, 3H), 6.89 (d, 1H, J = 5.3 Hz), 7.00 (d, 1H, J = 5.3 Hz), 7.14–7.20 (AA'BB'X, 2H), 7.21 (d, 1H, J = 7.6 Hz), 7.52 (d, 1H, J = 7.6 Hz), 8.07–8.12 (AA'BB'X, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 15.5 (1C), 17.1 (1C), 89.1 (1C), 90.1 (1C), 116.0 (1C), 116.1 (d, 2C, $^2J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 22.1 Hz), 117.8 (1C), 129.6 (d, 2C, $^3J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 8.9 Hz), 130.0 (d, 1C, $^4J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 2.9 Hz), 133.6 (1C), 146.2 (1C), 147.4 (1C), 147.87 (1C), 147.92 (1C), 153.1 (1C), 164.5 (d, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 251.9 Hz), 167.5 (1C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 109.0 (s); IR (KBr, cm⁻¹) 977, 1100, 1156, 1233, 1332, 1488, 1602, 2932, 2979, 3072; HRMS (ESI⁺) *m/z* 324.0854 ([M+H]⁺, C₁₉H₁₅FNOS⁺ requires 324.0853).

6-(4-Chlorobutyloxy)-2-(4-fluorophenyl)benzo[*d*]thiazole (4**)**



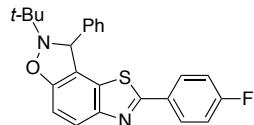
Colorless solid; Mp 94–95 °C; TLC R_f 0.37 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 6/1); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.97–2.06 (m, 4H), 3.65 (t, 2H, J = 6.1 Hz), 4.08 (t, 2H, J = 5.7 Hz), 7.08 (dd, 1H, J = 8.9, 2.5 Hz), 7.13–7.19 (AA'BB'X, 2H), 7.34 (d, 1H, J = 2.5 Hz), 7.92 (d, 1H, J = 8.9 Hz), 8.00–8.06 (AA'BB'X, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 26.7 (1C), 29.3 (1C), 44.7 (1C), 67.7 (1C), 104.9 (1C), 116.0 (1C), 116.1 (d, 2C, $^2J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 21.6 Hz), 123.7 (1C), 129.2 (d, 2C, $^3J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 8.6 Hz), 130.1 (d, 1C, $^4J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 3.4 Hz), 136.4 (1C), 148.7 (1C), 157.1 (1C), 164.2 (d, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 251.7 Hz), 164.3 (1C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ –110.1 (s); IR (KBr, cm^{–1}) 834, 1068, 1229, 1270, 1490, 1521, 1707, 2872, 2924, 2960; HRMS (ESI⁺) *m/z* 336.0611 ([M+H]⁺, C₁₇H₁₆ClFNOS⁺ requires 336.0620).

2-(4-Fluorophenyl)-10-phenyl-6,9-dihydro-6,9-iminonaphtho[2,1-*d*]thiazole (6**)**



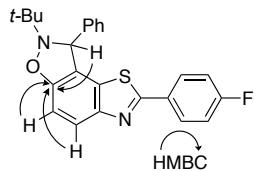
Pale brown solid; Mp 160–162 °C; TLC R_f 0.15 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 6/1); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.57–5.63 (m, 2H), 6.80–6.87 (m, 3H), 7.07 (ddd, 1H, J = 5.5, 2.9, 0.4 Hz), 7.10 (ddd, 1H, J = 5.5, 2.9, 0.4 Hz), 7.14–7.21 (m, 4H), 7.44 (d, 1H, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.66 (d, 1H, J = 7.8 Hz), 8.02–8.05 (AA'BB'X, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 69.5 (1C), 70.1 (1C), 116.2 (d, 2C, $^2J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 22.2 Hz), 118.0 (2C), 119.6 (1C), 120.2 (1C), 121.2 (1C), 129.0 (2C), 129.4 (1C), 129.6 (d, 2C, $^3J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 8.9 Hz), 129.9 (d, 1C, $^4J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 3.3 Hz), 141.1 (1C), 142.9 (1C), 143.5 (1C), 146.4 (1C), 146.6 (1C), 153.1 (1C), 164.5 (d, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 252.0 Hz), 165.6 (1C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ –109.2 (s); IR (KBr, cm^{–1}) 838, 909, 1156, 1233, 1297, 1491, 1599, 3036, 3061; HRMS (ESI⁺) *m/z* 371.1025 ([M+H]⁺, C₂₃H₁₆FN₂S⁺ requires 371.1013).

7-(*tert*-Butyl)-2-(4-fluorophenyl)-8-phenyl-7,8-dihydroisoxazolo[4',5':6,5]benzo[2,1-*d*]thiazole (8**)**

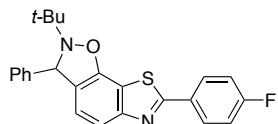


Pale brown solid; Mp 140–142 °C; TLC R_f 0.49 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 10/1), 0.58 (CH₂Cl₂); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.22 (s, 9H), 5.75 (s, 1H), 7.00 (d, 1H, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.06–7.12 (AA'BB'X, 2H), 7.28–7.32 (AA'BB'C, 1H), 7.33–7.39 (AA'BB'C, 2H), 7.46–7.52 (AA'BB'C, 2H), 7.85 (d, 1H, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.88–7.93 (AA'BB'X, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 25.5 (3C), 61.3 (1C), 67.9 (1C), 106.9 (1C), 116.0 (d, 2C, $^2J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 22.1 Hz), 123.4 (1C), 128.09 (1C), 128.12 (2C), 128.8 (2C), 129.17 (d, 2C, $^3J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 8.6 Hz), 129.20 (1C), 129.9 (d, 1C, $^4J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 3.4 Hz), 130.3 (1C), 141.1 (1C), 150.2 (1C), 154.1 (1C), 163.8 (1C), 164.1 (d, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 250.8 Hz); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ –110.1 (s); IR (KBr, cm^{–1}) 839, 942, 1156, 1233, 1365, 1464, 1491, 1609, 2934, 2975, 3030; HRMS (ESI⁺) *m/z* 427.1268 ([M+Na]⁺, C₂₄H₂₁FN₂NaOS⁺ requires 427.1251).

The regiochemistry was determined by the HMBC experiment.



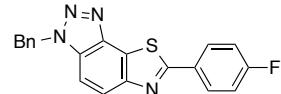
2-(*tert*-Butyl)-7-(4-fluorophenyl)-3-phenyl-2,3-dihydroisoxazolo[4',5':5,6]benzo[2,1-*d*]thiazole (8'**)**



Brown oil; TLC R_f 0.49 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 10/1), 0.62 (CH₂Cl₂); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.24 (s, 9H), 5.76 (s, 1H), 7.01 (d, 1H, J = 8.2 Hz), 7.15–7.21 (AA'BB'X, 2H), 7.24–7.30 (AA'BB'C, 1H), 7.31–7.38

(AA'BB'C, 2H), 7.41–7.45 (AA'BB'C, 2H), 7.56 (d, 1H, J = 8.2 Hz), 8.04–8.10 (AA'BB'X, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 25.5 (3C), 61.6 (1C), 67.8 (1C), 113.8 (1C), 115.9 (1C), 116.2 (d, 2C, $^2J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 22.1$ Hz), 121.7 (1C), 125.3 (1C), 127.4 (2C), 127.7 (1C), 128.7 (2C), 129.6 (d, 2C, $^3J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 8.5$ Hz), 129.8 (d, 1C, $^4J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 2.9$ Hz), 143.5 (1C), 150.0 (1C), 156.5 (1C), 164.5 (d, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 252.0$ Hz), 167.0 (1C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ –109.3 (s); IR (KBr, cm^{-1}) 838, 1048, 1157, 1175, 1232, 1461, 1490, 1572, 1600, 2934, 2976; HRMS (ESI $^+$) m/z 427.1252 ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$, $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{21}\text{FN}_2\text{NaOS}^+$ requires 427.1251).

3-Benzyl-7-(4-fluorophenyl)-3*H*-1,2,3-triazolo[3,4]benzo[1,2-*d*]thiazole (**10**)



Colorless solid; Mp 177–178 °C; TLC R_f 0.32 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 4/1); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 5.93 (s, 2H), 7.17–7.23 (AA'BB'X, 2H), 7.28–7.39 (m, 5H), 7.43 (d, 1H, J = 8.9 Hz), 8.06 (d, 1H, J = 8.9 Hz), 8.08–8.13 (AA'BB'X, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 52.8 (1C), 108.5 (1C), 116.3 (d, 2C, $^2J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 22.2$ Hz), 123.3 (1C), 124.7 (1C), 127.6 (2C), 128.7 (1C), 129.2 (2C), 129.4 (d, 2C, $^3J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 8.5$ Hz), 129.7 (d, 1C, $^4J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 2.9$ Hz), 131.2 (1C), 134.4 (1C), 141.0 (1C), 152.1 (1C), 164.4 (d, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 252.0$ Hz), 166.3 (1C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ –109.3 (s); IR (KBr, cm^{-1}) 946, 1048, 1222, 1298, 1431, 1455, 1492, 1596, 3037, 3068; HRMS (ESI $^+$) m/z 361.0913 ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$, $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{14}\text{FN}_4\text{S}^+$ requires 361.0918); Selected crystal data: triclinic, $P\bar{1}$ (No. 2), $a = 12.2528(5)$ Å, $b = 13.059(3)$ Å, $c = 13.682(3)$ Å, $\alpha = 69.528(14)^\circ$, $\beta = 89.026(17)^\circ$, $\gamma = 78.107(17)^\circ$, $V = 1623.1(6)$ Å 3 , $Z = 4$, $R_1 = 0.0741$, $wR_2 = 0.1402$. CCDC 1481578 contains the supplementary crystallographic data for this paper. These data can be obtained free of charge from The Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre via www.ccdc.cam.ac.uk/data_request/cif.

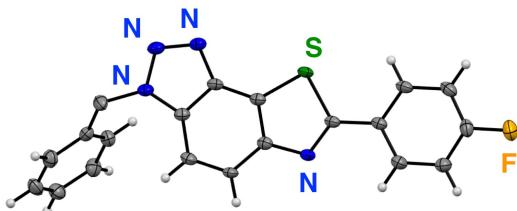
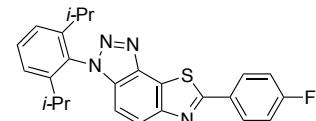


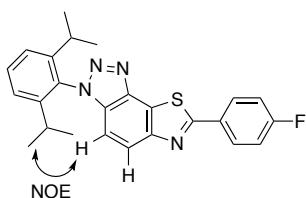
Fig. S1 X-ray structure of **10**.

3-(2,6-Diisopropylphenyl)-7-(4-fluorophenyl)-3*H*-1,2,3-triazolo[3,4]benzo[1,2-*d*]thiazole (**12**)

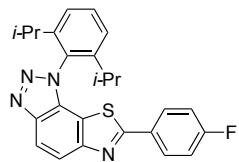


Colorless solid; Mp 163–164 °C; TLC R_f 0.27 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 10/1); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 1.04 (d, 6H, J = 6.9 Hz), 1.14 (d, 6H, J = 6.9 Hz), 2.10 (tt, 2H, J = 7.0, 7.0 Hz), 7.20–7.24 (AA'BB'X, 2H), 7.27 (d, 1H, J = 8.9 Hz), 7.40 (d, 2H, J = 8.0 Hz), 7.60 (t, 1H, J = 8.0 Hz), 8.14 (d, 1H, J = 8.9 Hz), 8.15–8.19 (AA'BB'X, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 23.8 (2C), 24.4 (2C), 28.6 (2C), 108.7 (1C), 116.4 (d, 2C, $^2J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 22.1$ Hz), 123.9 (1C), 124.3 (2C), 124.8 (1C), 129.5 (d, 2C, $^3J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 8.5$ Hz), 129.7 (d, 1C, $^4J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 3.2$ Hz), 131.2 (1C), 131.4 (2C), 133.7 (1C), 139.9 (1C), 147.2 (1C), 152.3 (1C), 164.5 (d, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}} = 252.0$ Hz), 166.4 (1C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl_3) δ –109.0 (s); IR (KBr, cm^{-1}) 840, 913, 1074, 1157, 1236, 1470, 1596, 1602, 2928, 2967; HRMS (ESI $^+$) m/z 453.1506 ($[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$, $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{23}\text{FN}_4\text{NaS}^+$ requires 453.1520).

The regiochemistry was determined by the NOESY experiment.

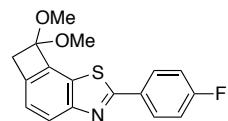


1-(2,6-Diisopropylphenyl)-7-(4-fluorophenyl)-1*H*-1,2,3-triazolo[3,4]benzo[1,2-*d*]thiazole (12'**)**



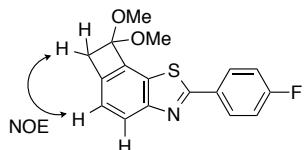
Colorless solid; Mp 181–184 °C; TLC R_f 0.27 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 10/1); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 0.98 (d, 6H, *J* = 6.9 Hz), 1.12 (d, 6H, *J* = 6.9 Hz), 2.10 (tt, 2H, *J* = 6.9, 6.9 Hz), 7.12–7.18 (AA'BB'X, 2H), 7.44 (d, 2H, *J* = 7.9 Hz), 7.69 (t, 1H, *J* = 7.9 Hz), 7.97–8.03 (AA'BB'X, 2H), 8.11 (d, 1H, *J* = 9.0 Hz), 8.23 (d, 1H, *J* = 9.0 Hz); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 23.1 (2C), 24.7 (2C), 28.6 (2C), 115.7 (1C), 116.3 (d, 2C, $^2J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 22.4 Hz), 118.5 (1C), 120.4 (1C), 124.4 (2C), 129.4 (d, 1C, $^4J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 3.5 Hz), 129.5 (d, 2C, $^3J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 8.6 Hz), 130.5 (1C), 131.1 (1C), 131.8 (2C), 143.0 (1C), 147.5 (1C), 154.9 (1C), 164.6 (d, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 252.7 Hz), 167.9 (1C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ –108.7 (s); IR (KBr, cm^{–1}) 809, 966, 1035, 1233, 1409, 1495, 1602, 2871, 2929, 3071; HRMS (ESI⁺) *m/z* 453.1518 ([M+Na]⁺, C₂₅H₂₃FN₄NaS⁺ requires 453.1520).

2-(4-Fluorophenyl)-7,7-dimethoxy-6,7-dihydrocyclobuta[3,4]benzo[1,2-*d*]thiazole (14**)**

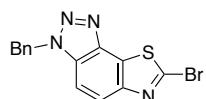


Colorless solid; Mp 155–157 °C; TLC R_f 0.72 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 4/1); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 3.48 (s, 2H), 3.55 (s, 6H), 7.14–7.21 (AA'BB'X, 2H), 7.35 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.1 Hz), 8.04 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.1 Hz), 8.04–8.10 (AA'BB'X, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 43.3 (1C), 52.0 (2C), 104.9 (1C), 116.2 (d, 2C, $^2J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 22.2 Hz), 121.9 (1C), 125.5 (1C), 127.6 (1C), 129.5 (d, 2C, $^3J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 8.2 Hz), 129.8 (d, 1C, $^4J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 3.4 Hz), 137.9 (1C), 139.1 (1C), 154.8 (1C), 164.5 (d, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 251.9 Hz), 165.6 (1C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ –109.3 (s); IR (KBr, cm^{–1}) 821, 1066, 1149, 1246, 1489, 1606, 2827, 2957; Anal. calcd for C₁₇H₁₄FNO₂S: C, 64.75; H, 4.47; N, 4.44%; Found: C, 64.86; H, 4.60; N, 4.31%.

The regiochemistry was determined by the NOESY experiment.

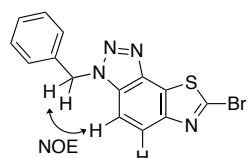


3-Benzyl-7-bromo-3*H*-1,2,3-triazolo[3,4]benzo[1,2-*d*]thiazole (15**)**

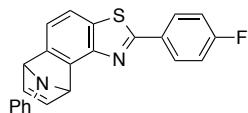


Pale yellow solid; Mp 179–181 °C; TLC R_f 0.35 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 4/1); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.92 (s, 2H), 7.27–7.37 (m, 5H), 7.41 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.9 Hz), 7.98 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.9 Hz); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 52.9 (1C), 108.8 (1C), 122.7 (1C), 127.2 (1C), 127.6 (2C), 128.8 (1C), 129.2 (2C), 131.2 (1C), 134.1 (1C), 137.3 (1C), 140.1 (1C), 150.2 (1C); IR (KBr, cm^{–1}) 719, 800, 910, 942, 958, 1043, 1070, 1095, 1168, 1208, 1243, 1428, 1443, 1456, 1482, 2927; HRMS (FAB⁺) *m/z* 344.9817 ([M+H]⁺, C₁₄H₁₀BrN₄S⁺ requires 344.9804).

The regiochemistry was determined by the NOESY experiment.

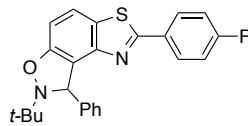


2-(4-Fluorophenyl)-10-phenyl-6,9-dihydro-6,9-iminonaphtho[1,2-*d*]thiazole (16)



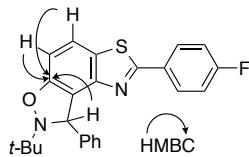
Brown solid; Mp 189–190 °C; TLC R_f 0.25 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 4/1); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.57–5.60 (m, 1H), 6.12–6.14 (m, 1H), 6.79–6.83 (AA'BB'C, 1H), 6.87–6.92 (AA'BB'C, 2H), 7.09 (dd, 1H, *J* = 5.4, 2.5 Hz), 7.13 (dd, 1H, *J* = 5.4, 2.5 Hz), 7.14–7.20 (m, 4H), 7.34 (d, 1H, *J* = 7.6 Hz), 7.45 (d, 1H, *J* = 7.6 Hz), 8.05–8.11 (AA'BB'X, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 67.9 (1C), 69.9 (1C), 116.1 (d, 2C, $^2J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 22.1 Hz), 117.8 (1C), 118.0 (2C), 119.0 (1C), 120.9 (1C), 128.8 (2C), 129.6 (d, 2C, $^3J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 8.6 Hz), 130.0 (d, 1C, $^4J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 3.0 Hz), 132.9 (1C), 142.1 (1C), 143.0 (1C), 143.3 (1C), 146.8 (1C), 148.5 (1C), 149.2 (1C), 164.5 (d, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 252.0 Hz), 167.7 (1C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ –109.2 (s); IR (KBr, cm^{–1}) 839, 988, 1157, 1233, 1397, 1409, 1599, 3011, 3036, 3061; Anal. calcd for C₂₃H₁₅FN₂S: C, 74.57; H, 4.08; N, 7.56%; Found: C, 74.54; H, 4.07; N, 7.40%.

7-(*tert*-Butyl)-2-(4-fluorophenyl)-8-phenyl-7,8-dihydroisoxazolo[4',5':6,5]benzo[1,2-*d*]thiazole (17)

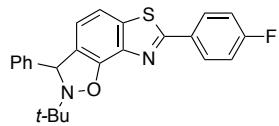


Pale yellow solid; Mp 167–168 °C; TLC R_f 0.45 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 10/1); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.22 (s, 9H), 6.15 (s, 1H), 6.95 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.5 Hz), 7.11–7.17 (AA'BB'X, 2H), 7.20–7.24 (AA'BB'C, 1H), 7.30–7.35 (AA'BB'C, 2H), 7.65 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.5 Hz), 7.68–7.71 (AA'BB'C, 2H), 7.94–8.00 (AA'BB'X, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 25.4 (3C), 61.4 (1C), 66.0 (1C), 106.1 (1C), 116.1 (d, 2C, $^2J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 22.1 Hz), 121.1 (1C), 121.6 (1C), 127.2 (1C), 127.6 (2C), 128.0 (1C), 128.3 (2C), 129.4 (d, 2C, $^3J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 8.6 Hz), 130.1 (d, 1C, $^4J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 3.0 Hz), 143.1 (1C), 149.6 (1C), 156.8 (1C), 164.4 (d, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 251.6 Hz), 168.5 (1C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ –109.4 (s); IR (KBr, cm^{–1}) 839, 1037, 1235, 1364, 1408, 1479, 1600, 2872, 2974, 3030; HRMS (ESI⁺) *m/z* 427.1253 ([M+Na]⁺, C₂₄H₂₁FN₂NaOS⁺ requires 427.1251).

The regiochemistry was determined by the HMBC experiment.

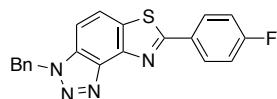


2-(*tert*-Butyl)-7-(4-fluorophenyl)-3-phenyl-2,3-dihydroisoxazolo[4',5':5,6]benzo[1,2-*d*]thiazole (17')



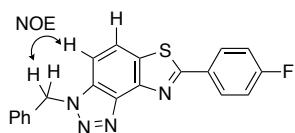
Pale yellow solid; Mp 177–178 °C; TLC R_f 0.34 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 10/1); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.27 (s, 9H), 5.77 (s, 1H), 6.90 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.0 Hz), 7.14–7.19 (AA'BB'X, 2H), 7.24–7.28 (AA'BB'C, 1H), 7.31 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.0 Hz), 7.32–7.36 (m, 2H), 7.44–7.48 (d, 2H, *J* = 7.3 Hz), 8.09–8.13 (AA'BB'X, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 25.5 (3C), 61.5 (1C), 67.7 (1C), 113.6 (1C), 116.0 (d, 2C, $^2J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 20.3 Hz), 120.6 (1C), 127.3 (2C), 127.5 (1C), 127.6 (1C), 128.7 (2C), 129.7 (d, 2C, $^3J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 8.6 Hz), 129.9 (d, 1C, $^4J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 3.4 Hz), 136.5 (1C), 137.2 (1C), 144.1 (1C), 149.0 (1C), 164.4 (d, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 251.3 Hz), 166.5 (1C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ –109.5 (s); IR (KBr, cm^{–1}) 836, 1157, 1228, 1274, 1365, 1482, 1522, 1575, 1600, 2973; HRMS (ESI⁺) *m/z* 427.1264 ([M+Na]⁺, C₂₄H₂₁FN₂NaOS⁺ requires 427.1251).

3-Benzyl-7-(4-fluorophenyl)-3*H*-1,2,3-triazolo[3,4]benzo[2,1-*d*]thiazole (18**)**

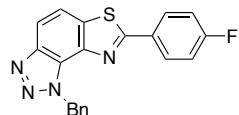


Colorless solid; Mp 206–207 °C; R_f 0.15 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 4/1); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.94 (s, 2H), 7.15–7.23 (AA'BB'X, 2H), 7.27–7.31 (m, 2H), 7.32–7.37 (m, 3H), 7.35 (d, 1H, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.84 (d, 1H, J = 8.3 Hz), 8.20–8.25 (AA'BB'X, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 52.7 (1C), 107.6 (1C), 116.2 (d, 2C, $^2J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 22.2 Hz), 120.7 (1C), 127.5 (2C), 128.6 (1C), 129.1 (2C), 129.7 (d, 2C, $^3J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 8.9 Hz), 129.8 (d, 1C, $^4J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 2.6 Hz), 130.9 (1C), 132.9 (1C), 134.6 (1C), 140.6 (1C), 144.8 (1C), 164.6 (d, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 252.1 Hz), 169.3 (1C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ –108.9 (s); IR (KBr, cm^{–1}) 835, 1098, 1236, 1408, 1596, 2926, 3033, 3065; Anal. calcd for C₂₀H₁₃FN₄S: C, 66.65; H, 3.64; N, 15.55%; Found: C, 66.84; H, 3.51; N, 15.63%.

The structure was confirmed by the NOESY experiment.

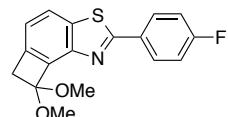


1-Benzyl-7-(4-fluorophenyl)-1*H*-1,2,3-triazolo[3,4]benzo[2,1-*d*]thiazole (18'**)**



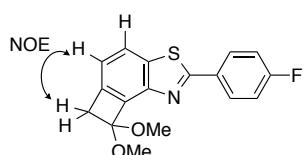
Colorless solid; Mp 196–197 °C; TLC R_f 0.25 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 4/1); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 6.35 (s, 2H), 7.20–7.33 (m, 5H), 7.57–7.61 (AA'BB'C, 2H), 7.78 (d, 1H, J = 8.8 Hz), 8.01 (d, 1H, J = 8.8 Hz), 8.10–8.15 (AA'BB'X, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 53.3 (1C), 116.4 (d, 2C, $^2J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 22.4 Hz), 117.1 (1C), 117.4 (1C), 127.3 (1C), 128.3 (1C), 128.4 (2C), 128.8 (2C), 129.2 (d, 2C, $^3J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 8.5 Hz), 129.7 (d, 1C, $^4J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 3.0 Hz), 134.4 (1C), 136.0 (1C), 138.7 (1C), 146.0 (1C), 164.6 (d, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 252.7 Hz), 167.8 (1C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ –108.8 (s); IR (KBr, cm^{–1}) 839, 1100, 1157, 1233, 1409, 1603, 2955, 3033, 3069; Anal. calcd for C₂₀H₁₃FN₄S: C, 66.65; H, 3.64; N, 15.55%; Found: C, 66.47; H, 3.53; N, 15.49%.

2-(4-Fluorophenyl)-7,7-dimethoxy-6,7-dihydrocyclobuta[5,6]benzo[1,2-*d*]thiazole (19**)**

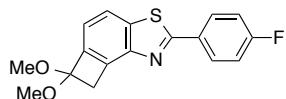


Colorless solid; Mp 111–112 °C; TLC R_f 0.63 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 4/1); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 3.50 (s, 2H), 3.67 (s, 6H), 7.12–7.19 (AA'BB'X, 2H), 7.25 (d, 1H, J = 7.5 Hz), 7.88 (d, 1H, J = 7.5 Hz), 8.08–8.14 (AA'BB'X, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 43.4 (1C), 52.3 (2C), 105.9 (1C), 115.9 (d, 2C, $^2J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 22.3 Hz), 120.4 (1C), 123.6 (1C), 129.7 (d, 2C, $^3J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 8.5 Hz), 129.9 (d, 1C, $^4J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 3.0 Hz), 134.8 (1C), 137.8 (1C), 140.5 (1C), 146.9 (1C), 164.5 (d, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 252.0 Hz), 168.3 (1C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ –109.2 (s); IR (KBr, cm^{–1}) 858, 964, 1063, 1109, 1207, 1404, 1599, 2832, 2933, 2988; Anal. calcd for C₁₇H₁₄FNO₂S: C, 64.75; H, 4.47; N, 4.44. Found: C, 64.61; H, 4.39; N, 4.41%.

The regiochemistry was determined by the NOESY experiment.

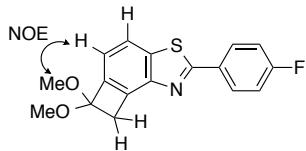


2-(4-Fluorophenyl)-6,6-dimethoxy-6,7-dihydrocyclobuta[5,6]benzo[1,2-*d*]thiazole (19'**)**

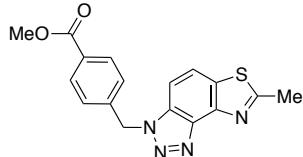


Colorless solid; Mp 90–93 °C; TLC R_f 0.55 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 4/1); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 3.51 (s, 6H), 3.74 (s, 2H), 7.17–7.21 (AA'BB'X, 2H), 7.33 (d, 1H, *J* = 7.9 Hz), 7.84 (d, 1H, *J* = 7.9 Hz), 8.06–8.11 (AA'BB'X, 2H, aromatic); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 42.9 (1C), 51.6 (2C), 105.3 (1C), 116.2 (d, 2C, $^2J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 22.3 Hz), 117.8 (1C), 121.2 (1C), 129.7 (d, 2C, $^3J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 8.9 Hz), 129.9 (d, 1C, $^4J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 3.6 Hz), 135.0 (1C), 137.3 (1C), 143.9 (1C), 149.4 (1C), 164.6 (d, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 252.3 Hz), 168.2 (1C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ –109.1 (s); IR (KBr, cm^{–1}) 838, 975, 1041, 1165, 1275, 1599, 2830, 2904, 2936, 2952; HRMS (ESI⁺) *m/z* 338.0608 ([M+Na]⁺, C₁₇H₁₄FNNaO₂S⁺ requires 338.0621).

The regiochemistry was determined by the NOESY experiment.

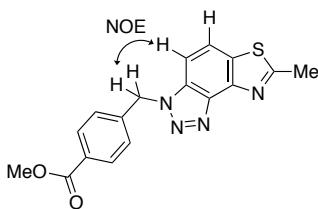


3*H*-3-(4-Methoxycarbonylbenzyl)-7-methyl-1,2,3-triazolo[3,4]benzo[2,1-*d*]thiazole (21**)**

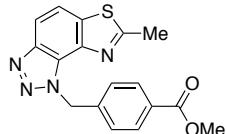


Colorless solid; Mp 233–234 °C; TLC R_f 0.32 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 1/2); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.98 (s, 3H), 3.89 (s, 3H), 5.98 (s, 2H), 7.29 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.8 Hz), 7.31–7.34 (AA'BB', 2H), 7.81 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.8 Hz), 7.97–8.02 (AA'BB', 2H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 20.3 (1C), 52.2 (1C), 52.3 (1C), 106.6 (1C), 120.9 (1C), 127.4 (2C), 130.35 (2C), 130.44 (1C), 131.4 (1C), 132.6 (1C), 139.5 (1C), 140.3 (1C), 144.0 (1C), 166.4 (1C), 170.0 (1C); IR (KBr, cm^{–1}) 835, 1089, 1109, 1176, 1240, 1432, 1613, 1722, 2956, 3010; HRMS (ESI⁺) *m/z* 361.0719 ([M+Na]⁺, C₁₇H₁₄N₄NaO₂S⁺ requires 361.0730).

The regiochemistry was determined by the NOESY experiment.

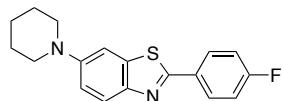


1*H*-1-(4-Methoxycarbonylbenzyl)-7-methyl-1,2,3-triazolo[3,4]benzo[2,1-*d*]thiazole (21'**)**



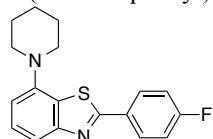
Colorless solid; Mp 175–176 °C; TLC R_f 0.64 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 1/2); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.94 (s, 3H), 3.89 (s, 3H), 6.35 (s, 2H), 7.58 (d, 2H, *J* = 8.3 Hz), 7.76 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.9 Hz), 7.99 (d, 2H, *J* = 8.3 Hz), 8.00 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.9 Hz); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 20.2 (1C), 52.2 (1C), 52.6 (1C), 116.4 (1C), 117.4 (1C), 127.0 (1C), 128.3 (2C), 130.0 (2C+1C, two signals overlapped), 135.1 (1C), 137.6 (1C), 140.8 (1C), 145.7 (1C), 166.7 (1C), 168.0 (1C); IR (KBr, cm^{–1}) 918, 1021, 1179, 1238, 1418, 1615, 1716, 2951, 2996; HRMS (ESI⁺) *m/z* 339.0898 ([M+H]⁺, C₁₇H₁₅N₄O₂S⁺ requires 339.0910).

2-(4-Fluorophenyl)-6-piperidinobenzo[*d*]thiazole (**23**)



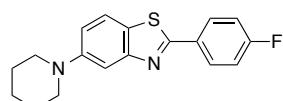
Pale yellow solid; Mp 162–164 °C; TLC R_f 0.48 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 4/1); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.58–1.64 (m, 2H), 1.71–1.78 (m, 4H), 3.21–3.25 (m, 4H), 7.12–7.18 (m, 3H), 7.32 (d, 1H, *J* = 2.4 Hz), 7.88 (d, 1H, *J* = 9.0 Hz), 7.98–8.03 (AA'BB'X, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 24.2 (1C), 25.9 (2C), 51.2 (2C), 107.0 (1C), 116.0 (d, 2C, $^2J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 22.1 Hz), 117.8 (1C), 123.1 (1C), 129.0 (d, 2C, $^3J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 8.5 Hz), 130.4 (d, 1C, $^4J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 3.4 Hz), 136.7 (1C), 147.6 (1C), 150.5 (1C), 163.2 (1C), 164.0 (d, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 250.5 Hz); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ –110.6 (s); IR (KBr, cm^{–1}) 838, 937, 1096, 1159, 1466, 1486, 1589, 1605, 2814, 2932; HRMS (ESI⁺) *m/z* 313.1162 ([M+H]⁺, C₁₈H₁₈FN₂S⁺ requires 313.1169).

2-(4-Fluorophenyl)-7-piperidinobenzo[*d*]thiazole (**23'**)



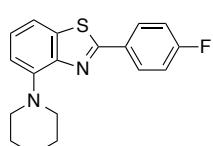
Pale yellow solid; Mp 105–108 °C; TLC R_f 0.63 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 4/1); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.62–1.68 (m, 2H), 1.76–1.83 (m, 4H), 3.14–3.19 (m, 4H), 6.94 (dd, 1H, *J* = 9.8, 1.0 Hz), 7.15–7.19 (AA'BB'X, 2H), 7.41 (dd, 1H, *J* = 9.8, 9.8 Hz), 7.71 (dd, 1H, *J* = 9.8, 1.0 Hz), 8.07–8.13 (AA'BB'X, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 24.5 (1C), 26.4 (2C), 52.3 (2C), 113.6 (1C), 116.1 (d, 2C, $^2J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 22.1 Hz), 117.1 (1C), 127.2 (1C), 128.8 (1C), 129.4 (d, 2C, $^3J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 8.5 Hz), 130.1 (d, 1C, $^4J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 2.9 Hz), 148.5 (1C), 155.3 (1C), 164.4 (d, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 251.3 Hz), 166.4 (1C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ –109.8 (s); IR (KBr, cm^{–1}) 838, 1155, 1220, 1380, 1465, 1519, 1602, 2807, 2853, 2935; HRMS (ESI⁺) *m/z* 335.0998 ([M+Na]⁺, C₁₈H₁₇FN₂NaS⁺ requires 335.0989).

2-(4-Fluorophenyl)-5-piperidinobenzo[*d*]thiazole (**24**)



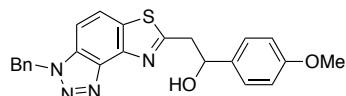
Pale yellow solid; Mp 110–111 °C; TLC R_f 0.65 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 3/1); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.57–1.64 (m, 2H), 1.72–1.79 (m, 4H), 3.20–3.25 (m, 4H), 7.09 (dd, 1H, *J* = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 7.10–7.26 (AA'BB'X, 2H), 7.54 (d, 1H, *J* = 2.4 Hz), 7.67 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.8 Hz), 8.00–8.05 (AA'BB'X, 2H, aromatic); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 24.3 (1C), 25.8 (2C), 51.3 (2C), 109.3 (1C), 116.1 (d, 2C, $^2J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 22.1 Hz), 117.5 (1C), 121.4 (1C), 125.6 (1C), 129.3 (d, 2C, $^3J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 8.7 Hz), 130.3 (d, 1C, $^4J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 3.4 Hz), 151.9 (1C), 155.6 (1C), 164.3 (1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 251.2 Hz), 167.2 (1C); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ –109.9 (s); IR (KBr, cm^{–1}) 810, 838, 910, 958, 970, 1026, 1097, 1127, 1155, 1188, 1231, 1339, 1385, 1464, 1519, 1544, 1599, 2807, 2852, 2933, 3071; Anal. calcd for C₁₈H₁₇FN₂S: C, 69.20; H, 5.49; N, 8.97%; Found: C, 69.20; H, 5.44; N, 8.89%.

2-(4-Fluorophenyl)-4-piperidinobenzo[*d*]thiazole (**24'**)



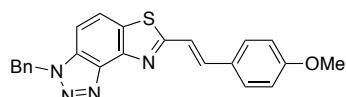
Yellow oil; TLC R_f 0.75 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 3/1); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 1.63–1.70 (m, 2H), 1.85–1.91 (m, 4H), 3.42–3.47 (m, 4H), 6.90 (dd, 1H, *J* = 8.0, 0.7 Hz), 7.13–7.18 (AA'BB'X, 2H), 7.27 (dd, 1H, *J* = 8.0, 8.0 Hz), 7.44 (dd, 1H, *J* = 8.0, 0.7 Hz), 8.05–8.10 (AA'BB'X, 2H); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 24.6 (1C), 26.2 (2C), 52.4 (2C), 113.0 (1C), 113.7 (1C), 116.0 (d, 2C, $^2J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 22.1 Hz), 126.1 (1C), 129.3 (d, 2C, $^3J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 8.7 Hz), 130.3 (d, 1C, $^4J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 2.9 Hz), 136.7 (1C), 146.4 (1C), 147.7 (1C), 163.1 (1C), 164.2 (d, 1C, $^1J_{\text{C}-\text{F}}$ = 251.0 Hz); ^{19}F NMR (376 MHz, CDCl₃) δ –110.3 (s); IR (KBr, cm^{–1}) 837, 947, 981, 1155, 1231, 1247, 1311, 1385, 1449, 1486, 1519, 1568, 1603, 2804, 2852, 2933, 3064; HRMS (ESI⁺) *m/z* 313.1165 ([M+H]⁺, C₁₈H₁₈FN₂S⁺ requires 313.1169).

3-Benzyl-7-(2-hydroxy-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)ethyl)-3*H*-1,2,3-triazolo[3,4]benzo[2,1-*d*]thiazole (25)



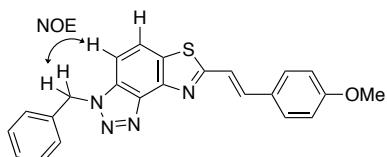
Pale yellow oil; TLC R_f 0.37 (*n*-hexane/EtOAc = 7/3); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 3.54–3.62 (m, 2H), 3.76 (br s, 1H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 5.34–5.39 (m, 1H), 5.93 (s, 2H), 6.88–6.91 (AA'BB', 2H), 7.27–7.37 (m, 6H), 7.37–7.40 (AA'BB', 2H), 7.77 (d, 1H, J = 8.8 Hz); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 43.4 (1C), 52.7 (1C), 55.3 (1C), 72.4 (1C), 107.3 (1C), 113.9 (2C), 120.6 (1C), 127.1 (2C), 127.5 (2C), 128.6 (1C), 129.1 (2C), 130.8 (1C), 132.7 (1C), 134.6 (1C), 135.0 (1C), 140.2 (1C), 143.5 (1C), 159.2 (1C), 171.3 (1C); IR (KBr, cm⁻¹) 703, 734, 833, 909, 1033, 1103, 1176, 1200, 1246, 1301, 1357, 1456, 1513, 1611, 3356; HRMS (FAB⁺) m/z 417.1390 ([M+H]⁺, C₂₃H₂₁N₄O₂S⁺ requires 417.1380).

(E)-3-Benzyl-7-(4-methoxystyryl)-3*H*-1,2,3-triazolo[3,4]benzo[2,1-*d*]thiazole (26)



Pale yellow solid; Mp 135–137 °C; TLC R_f 0.63 (CH₂Cl₂/EtOAc = 9/1); ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 3.86 (s, 3H), 5.93 (s, 2H), 6.93–6.97 (AA'BB', 2H), 7.27–7.36 (m, 6H), 7.38 (d, 1H, J = 16.1 Hz), 7.54–7.58 (AA'BB', 2H), 7.69 (d, 1H, J = 16.1 Hz), 7.80 (d, 1H, J = 8.8 Hz); ^{13}C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 52.7 (1C), 55.4 (1C), 107.1 (1C), 114.4 (2C), 119.4 (1C), 120.6 (1C), 127.5 (2C), 128.1 (1C), 128.5 (1C), 129.1 (2C+2C, two signals overlapped), 130.0 (1C), 132.8 (1C), 134.6 (1C), 137.4 (1C), 140.4 (1C), 144.7 (1C), 160.8 (1C), 169.9 (1C); IR (KBr, cm⁻¹) 704, 730, 910, 1034, 1099, 1179, 1249, 1288, 1306, 1447, 1456, 1513, 1610; HRMS (FAB⁺) m/z 399.1277 ([M+H]⁺, C₂₃H₁₉N₄OS⁺ requires 399.1274).

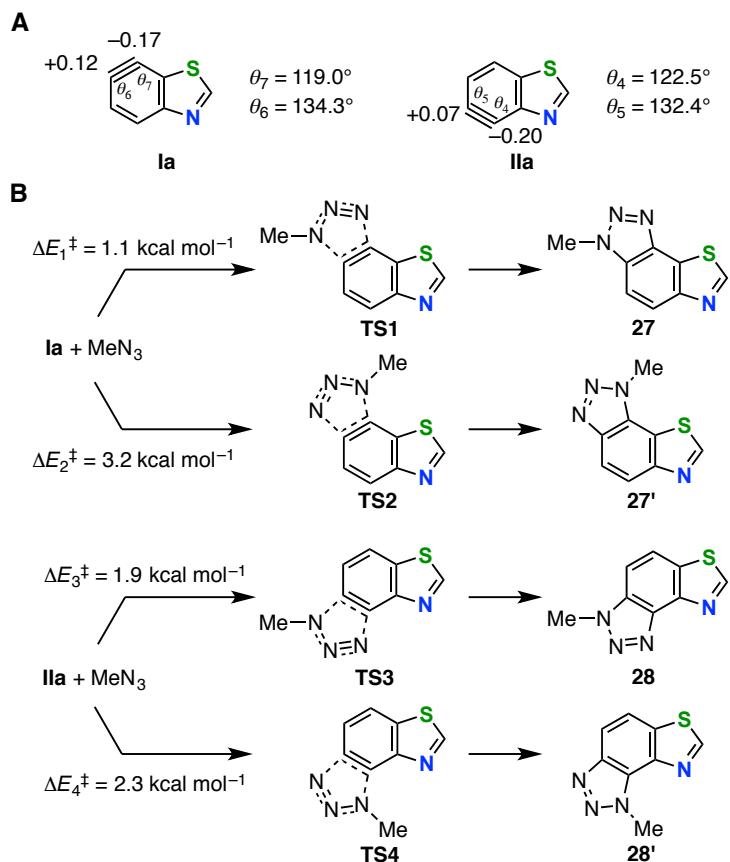
The regiochemistry was determined by the NOESY experiment.



Computational Methods

Cartesian Coordinates

In the following pages (S17–S25) are shown the optimized Cartesian coordinates of methyl azide, thiazolobenzynes (**Ia** and **IIa**), reactant complexes, transition states (**TS1–4**), and products (**27**, **27'**, **28**, and **28'**) obtained at the M11-L/6-31G(d) level of theory.^{S7,S8} The values are shown in units of Angstrom. Total energies and zero-point energies (ZPEs, with no scaling) are shown in units of Hartree. Imaginary vibrational frequencies (in cm^{-1}) at the transition states are also included. Atomic charges of thiazolobenzynes (**Ia** and **IIa**) were calculated using the CHELPG scheme.^{S9}



Methyl azide

Total Energy: -204.0219829942 [hartree]

ZPE: 0.050419 [hartree]

N	-3.5121383987	-2.0822188190	1.1151151143
N	-3.2373219760	-1.0880286709	0.6532866173
N	-2.7893046745	-0.0909458108	0.1181349115
C	-3.6884780119	1.0398283968	0.0985033278
H	-4.6170756999	0.8279510490	-0.4622061509
H	-3.9592936493	1.3782421811	1.1152112516
H	-3.1564395897	1.8546796738	-0.4076290715

6,7-Thiazolobenzyne (Ia)

Total Energy: -721.2480608773 [hartree]

ZPE: 0.076727 [hartree]

C	-0.0548463212	-1.3956235819	0.0000000000
C	-0.2738627715	1.3231500523	0.0000000000
C	1.0069890880	0.8308374556	0.0000000000
C	1.0976850694	-0.5935783717	0.0000000000
C	-1.2294793239	0.5224489577	0.0000000000
C	-1.3344712705	-0.8465275419	0.0000000000
H	-2.2466118836	-1.4471653881	0.0000000000
H	0.0718195266	-2.4838067192	0.0000000000
S	2.5870721506	1.5171482817	0.0000000000
N	2.3720819923	-1.0716709280	0.0000000000
C	3.2099433882	-0.1013962164	0.0000000000
H	4.2936803555	-0.2538160003	0.0000000000

4,5-Thiazolobenzyne (IIa)

Total Energy: -721.2485683007 [hartree]

ZPE: 0.076847 [hartree]

C	-0.0898356269	-1.2560099262	0.0000000000
C	-0.1745334046	1.4508882502	0.0000000000
C	1.0402687677	0.7628452218	0.0000000000
C	1.1578094348	-0.6637732207	0.0000000000
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C	-1.1438405569	-0.5936314956	0.0000000000
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C	3.2553693207	-0.1915646197	0.0000000000
H	4.3389971536	-0.3425385546	0.0000000000

Reactant Complex (Ia + methyl azide)

Total Energy: -925.2761816401 [hartree]

ZPE: 0.128158 [hartree]

C	-0.0978591362	-2.0129898015	0.2316618459
H	-0.5759990593	-2.9853637804	0.3721558123
C	-0.6642114384	-0.7737365620	0.3572753640
C	1.2455447124	-1.8543497724	-0.0996328762
C	1.8140738660	-0.5788836934	-0.2503701186
C	-0.2975741152	0.4207519747	0.2535175051
C	1.0300510442	0.5973211931	-0.0695438788
H	1.8851621010	-2.7321811771	-0.2415451102
S	2.0230415041	1.9899885450	-0.3161382486
C	3.3420429044	0.9098824068	-0.6270466643
N	3.1188559557	-0.3517437196	-0.5659148725
H	4.3262517037	1.3251985305	-0.8656245668
N	-3.2616234506	-0.9399678611	0.7313816716
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N	-3.2954975211	1.4001550191	0.7764155958
C	-3.7245679478	-1.6189254763	-0.4598504603
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ZPE: 0.128352 [hartree]

Imaginary frequency: i 190.2 [cm^{-1}]

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ZPE: 0.135573 [hartree]

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Reactant Complex (Ia + methyl azide)

Total Energy: -925.2756970761 [hartree]

ZPE: 0.128016 [hartree]

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Total Energy: -925.2708735637 [hartree]

ZPE: 0.128254 [hartree]

Imaginary frequency: *i* 244.2 [cm⁻¹]

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Total Energy: -925.4492135145 [hartree]

ZPE: 0.135514 [hartree]

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H	-2.4140371797	1.5811290632	-1.2641236176
H	-3.5834928433	1.5794457631	0.0945990894
H	-2.0176753189	2.4358793545	0.2641123017

Reactant Complex (IIa + methyl azide)

Total Energy: -925.2756412279 [hartree]

ZPE: 0.128106 [hartree]

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H	1.8280419898	-2.6060797589	0.2036407947
N	1.6662859919	1.9156449137	0.0132516718
C	2.9184745499	1.6487902051	-0.0440463815
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H	3.6905610563	2.4203491340	-0.1187749302
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Total Energy: -925.2728102346 [hartree]

ZPE: 0.128260 [hartree]

Imaginary frequency: *i* 218.0 [cm⁻¹]

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ZPE: 0.135465 [hartree]

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Reactant Complex (IIa + methyl azide)

Total Energy: -925.2765848614 [hartree]

ZPE: 0.128152 [hartree]

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Total Energy: -925.2735289432 [hartree]

ZPE: 0.128674 [hartree]

Imaginary frequency: i 217.3 [cm^{-1}]

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C	-0.3014708485	-3.1761804758	-0.7587503017
H	-0.4450241394	-4.2653881395	-0.6613752864
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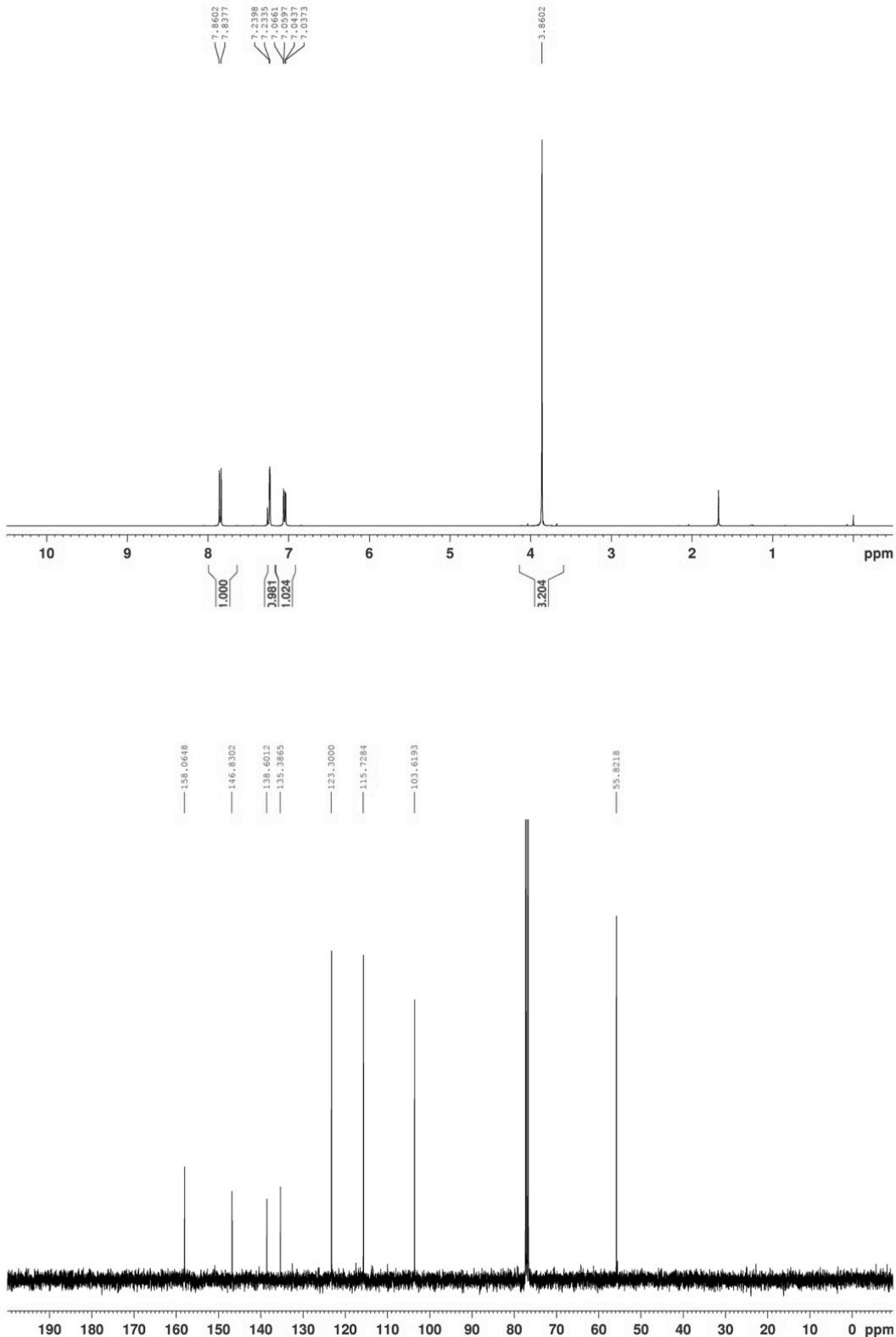
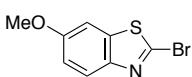
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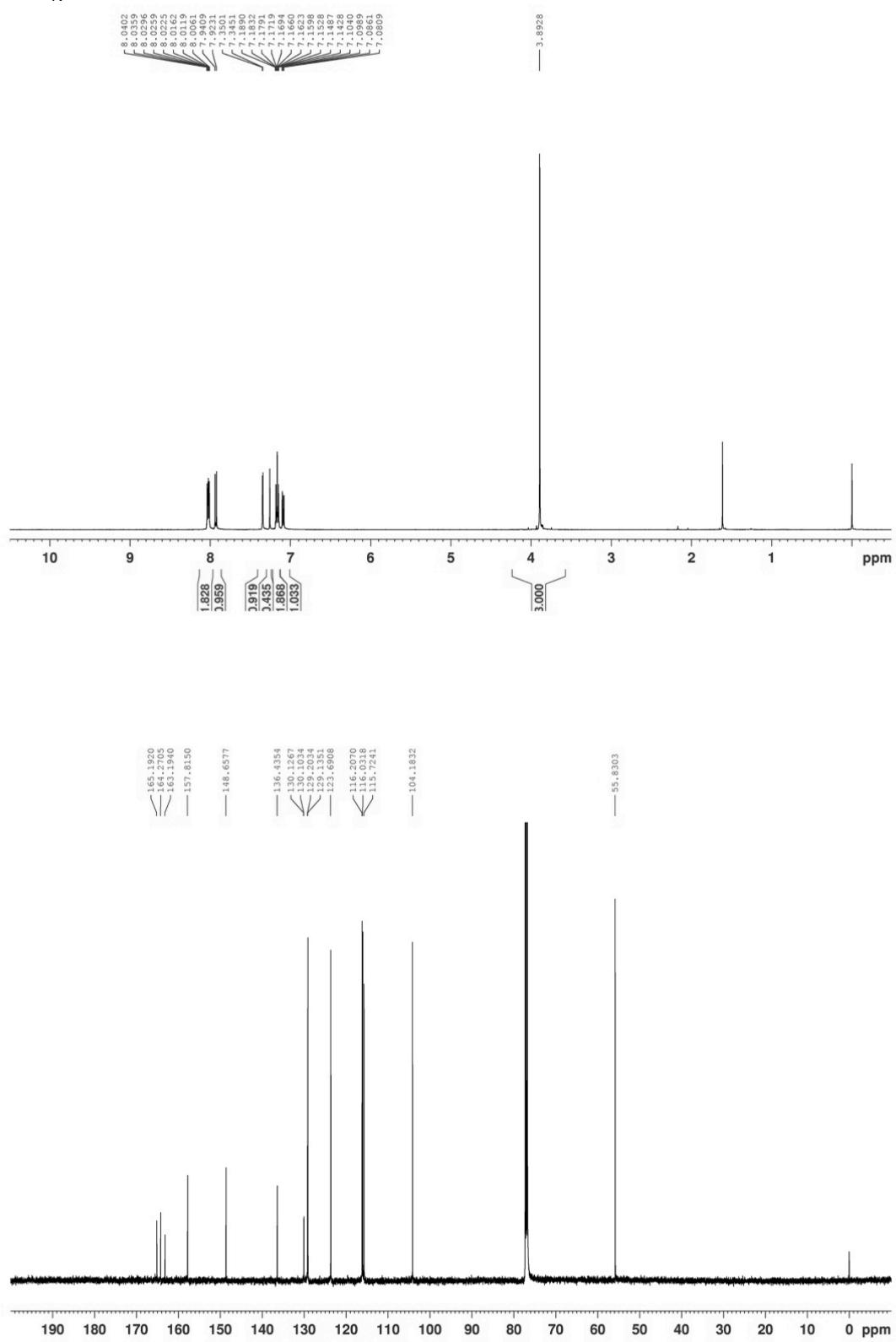
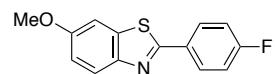
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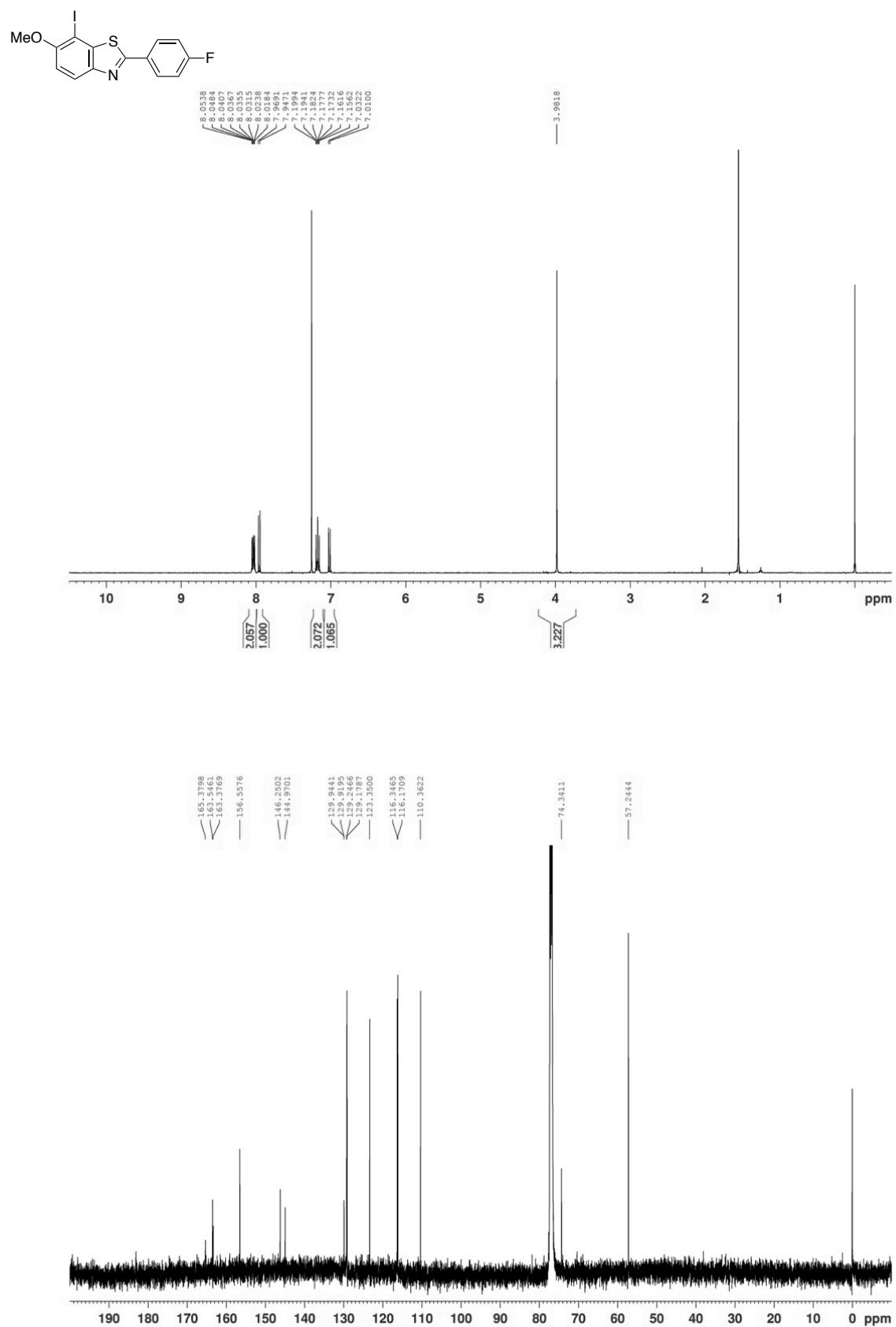
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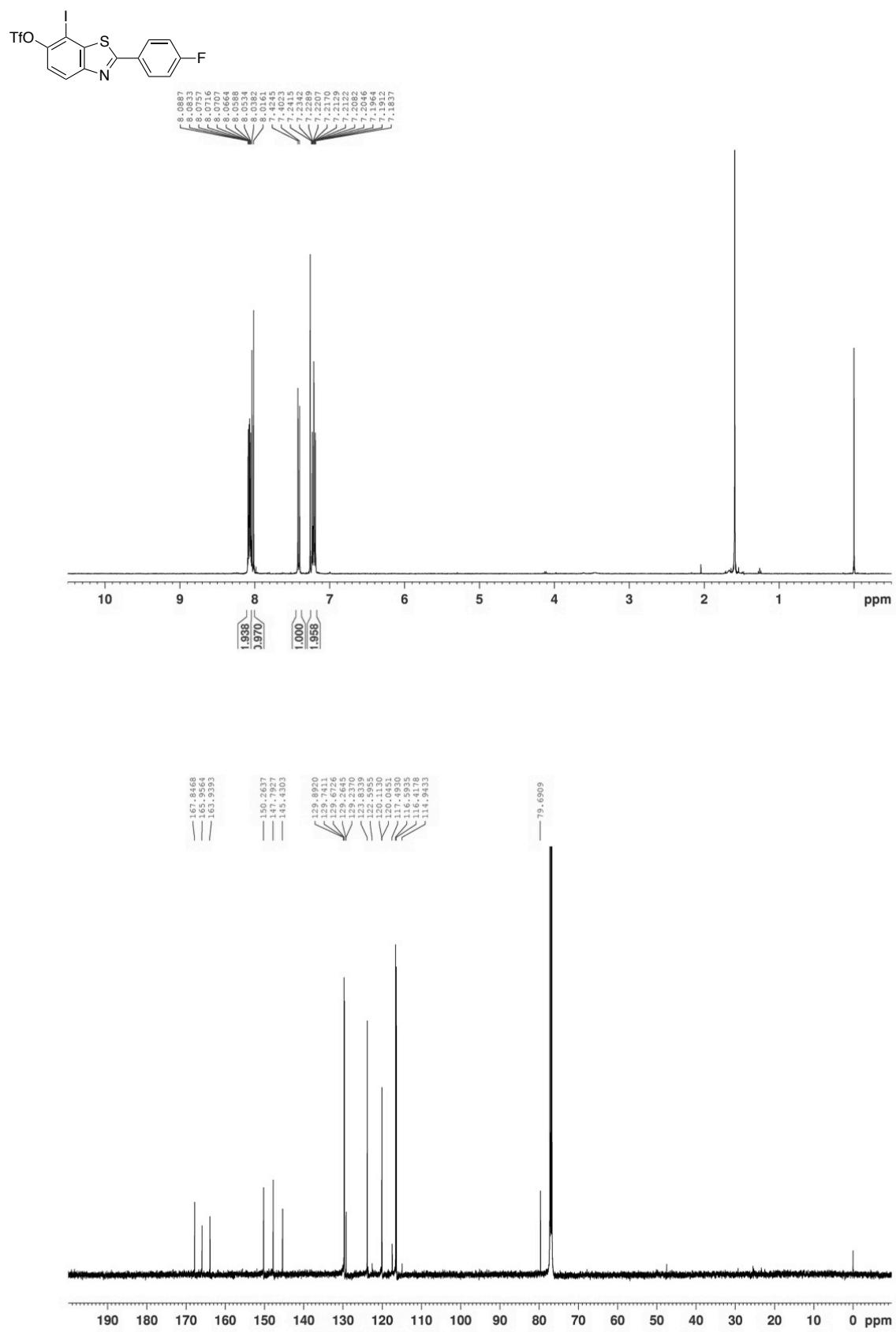
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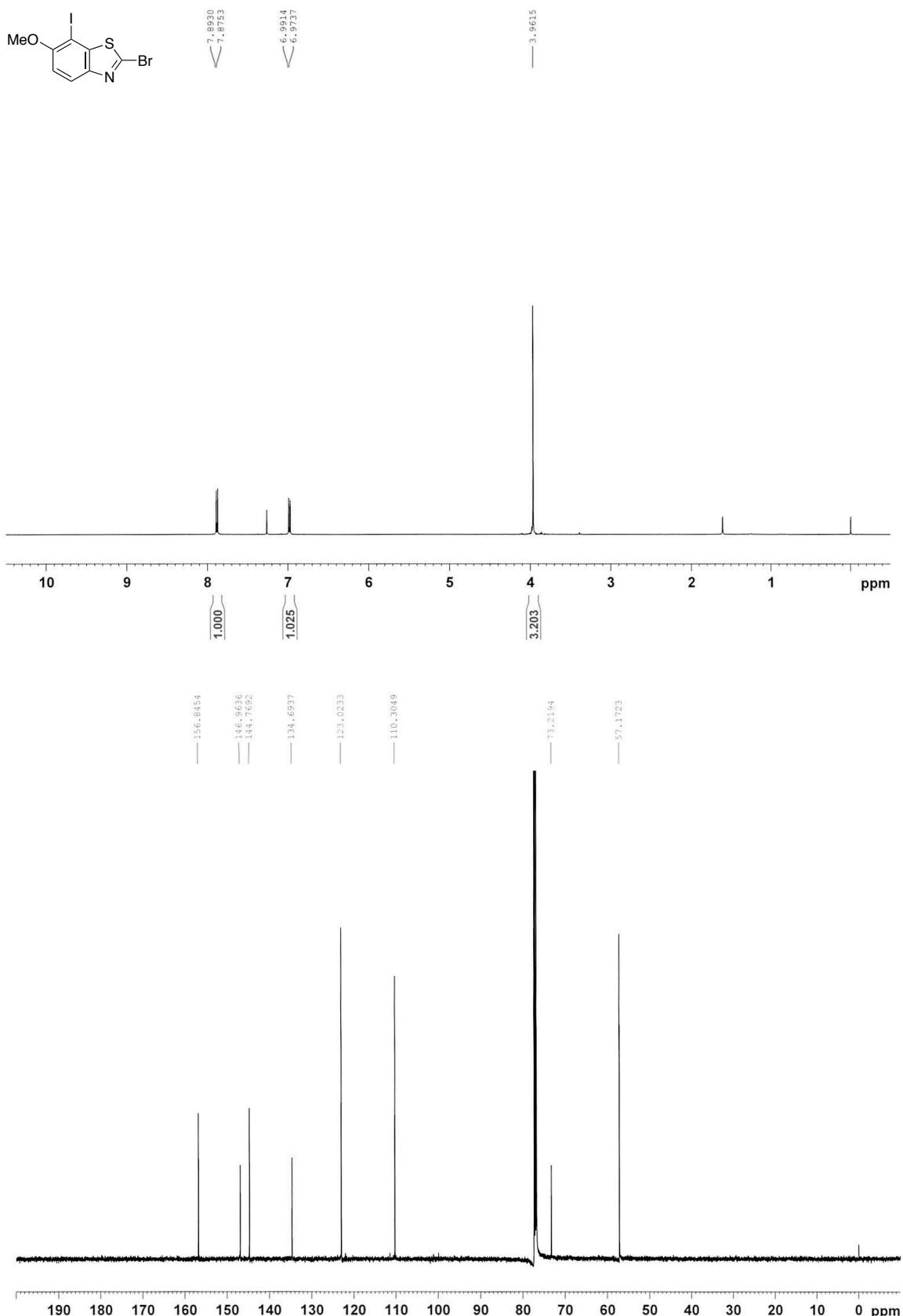
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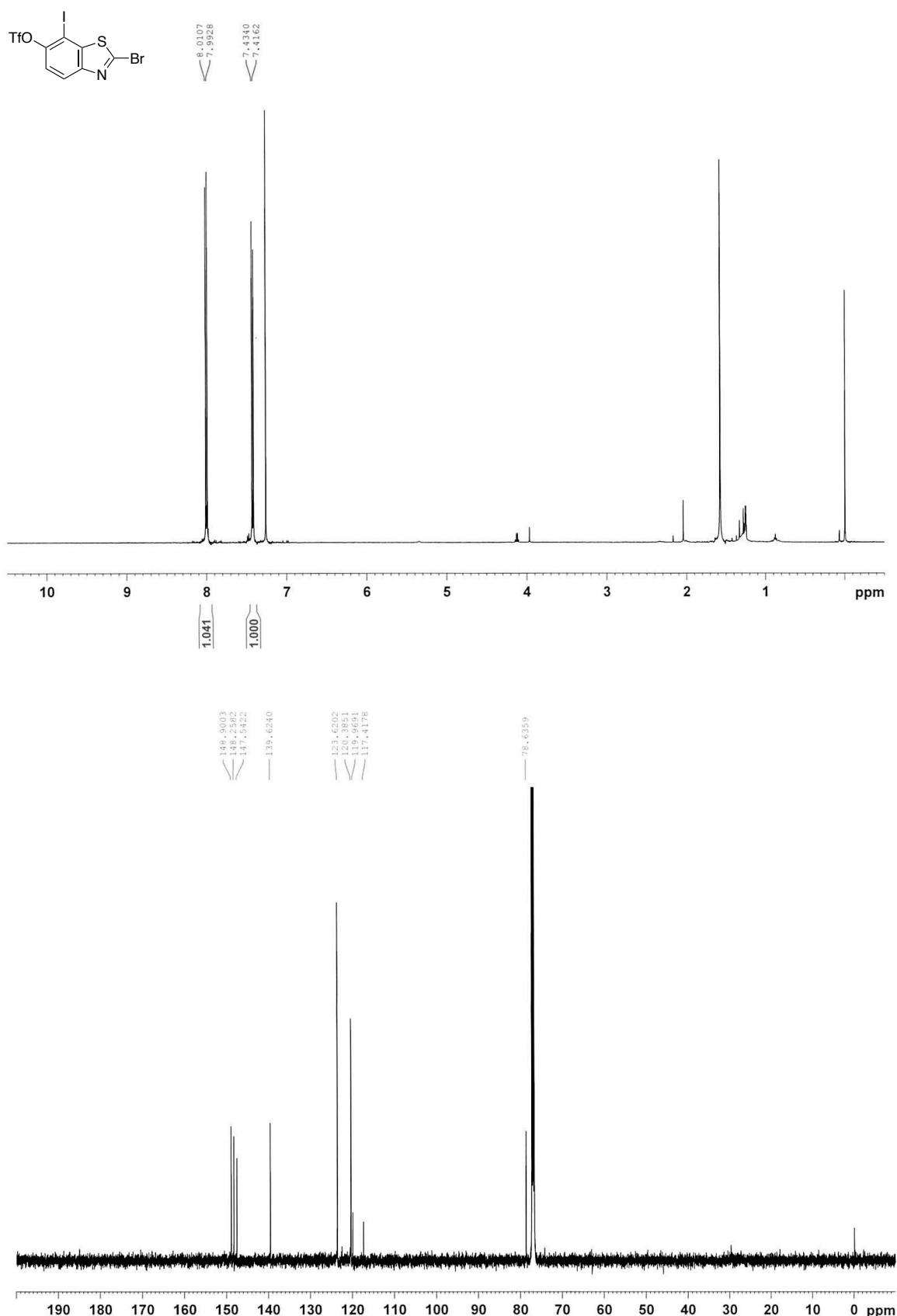
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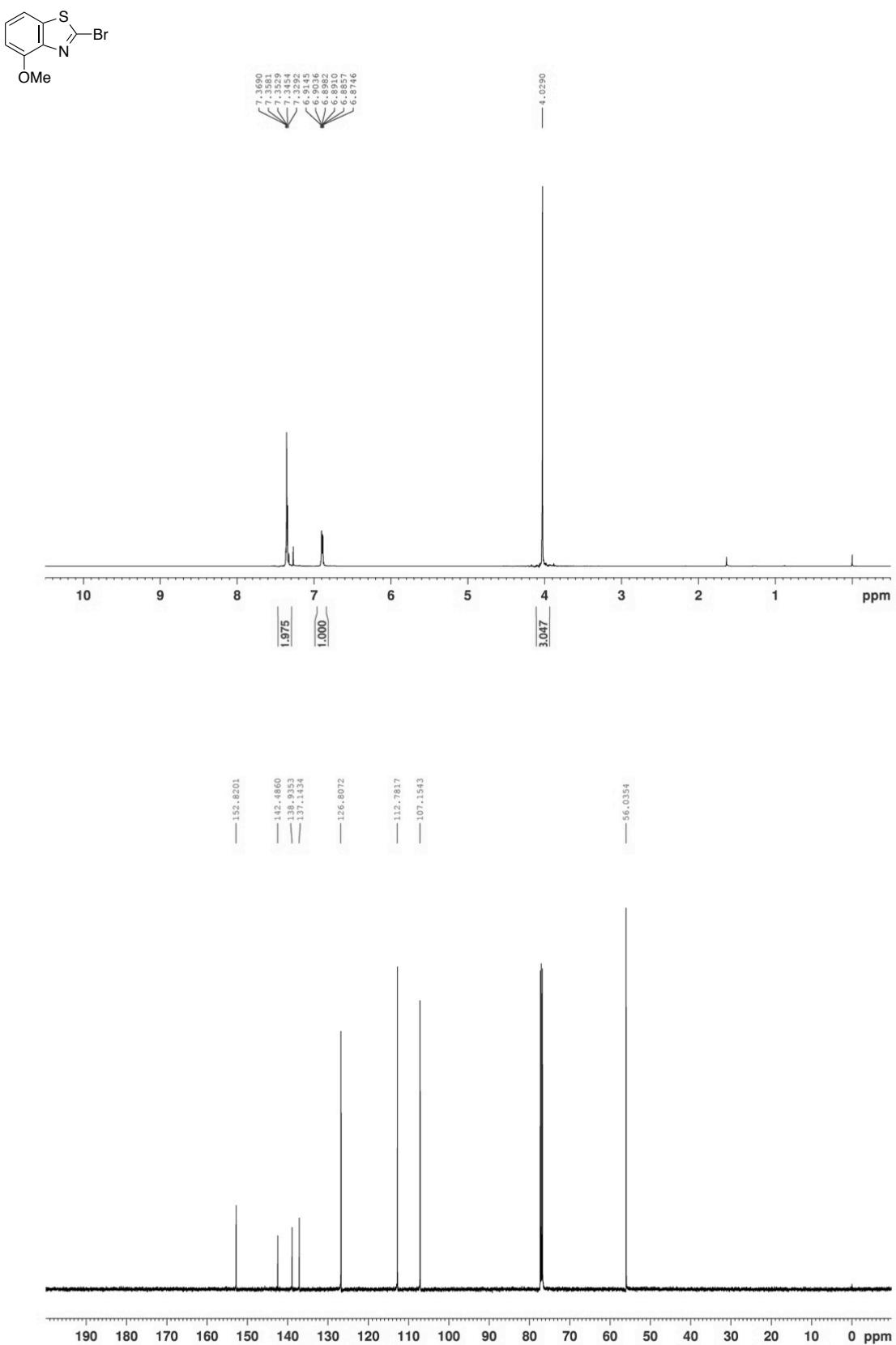
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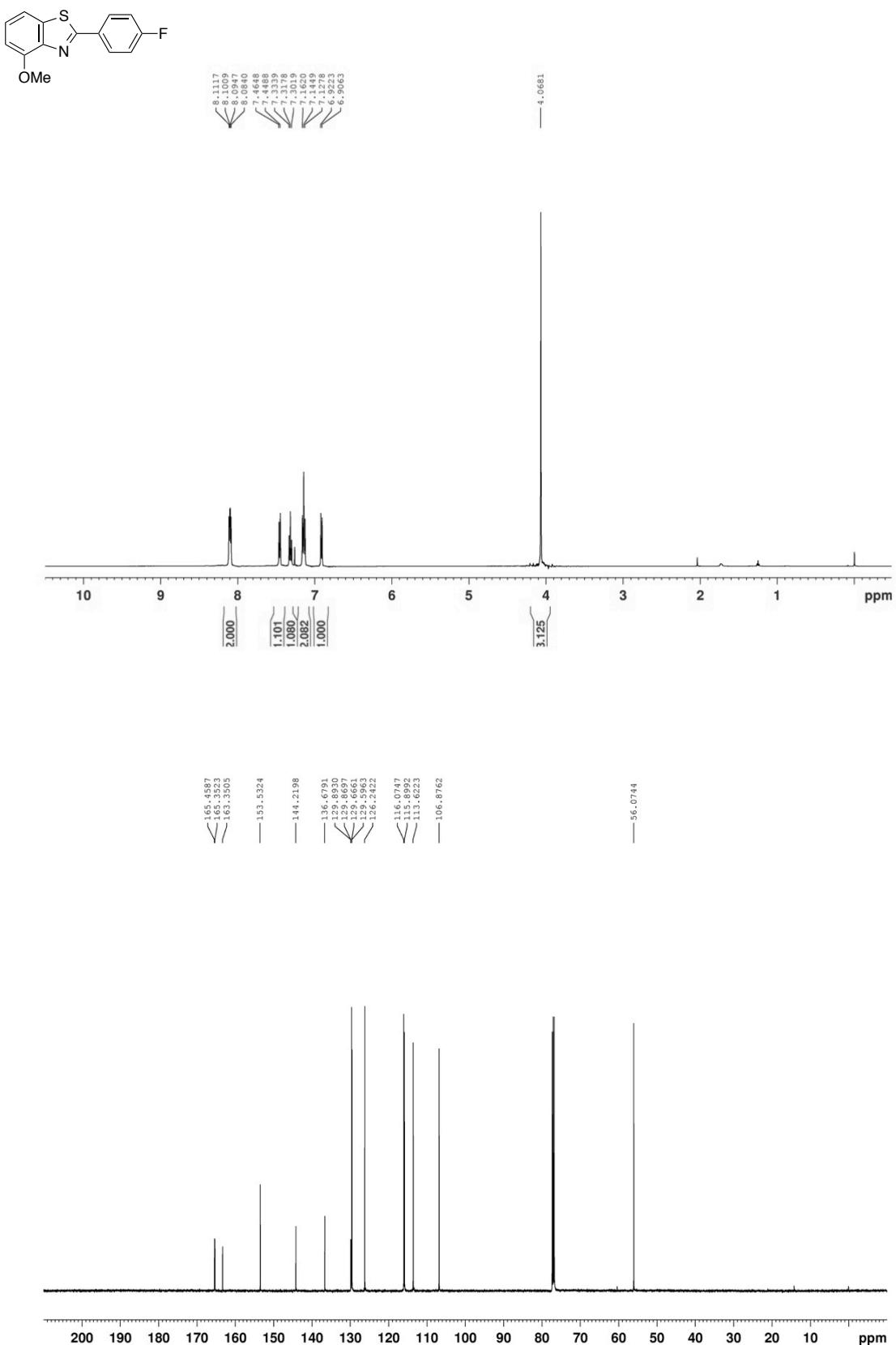
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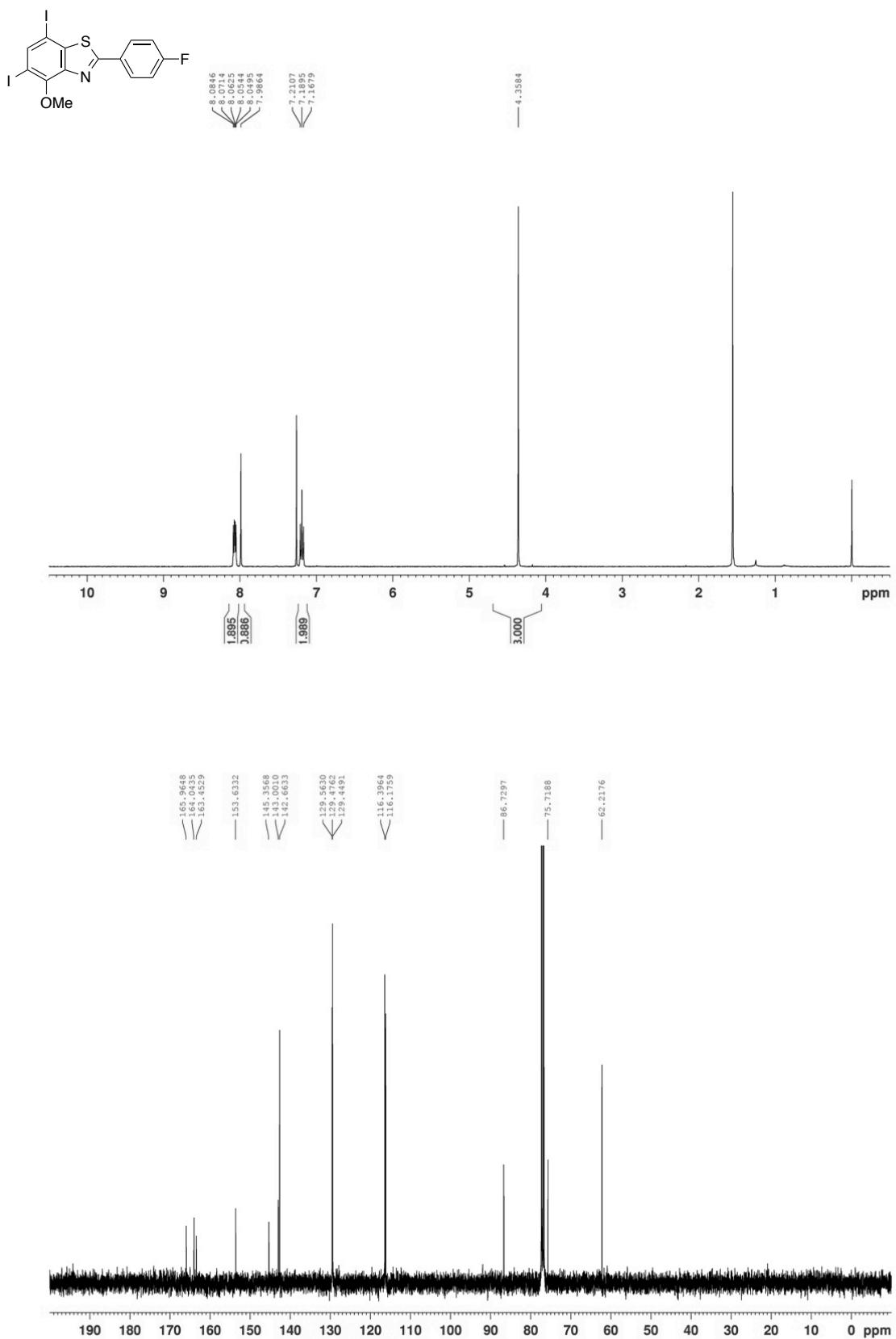
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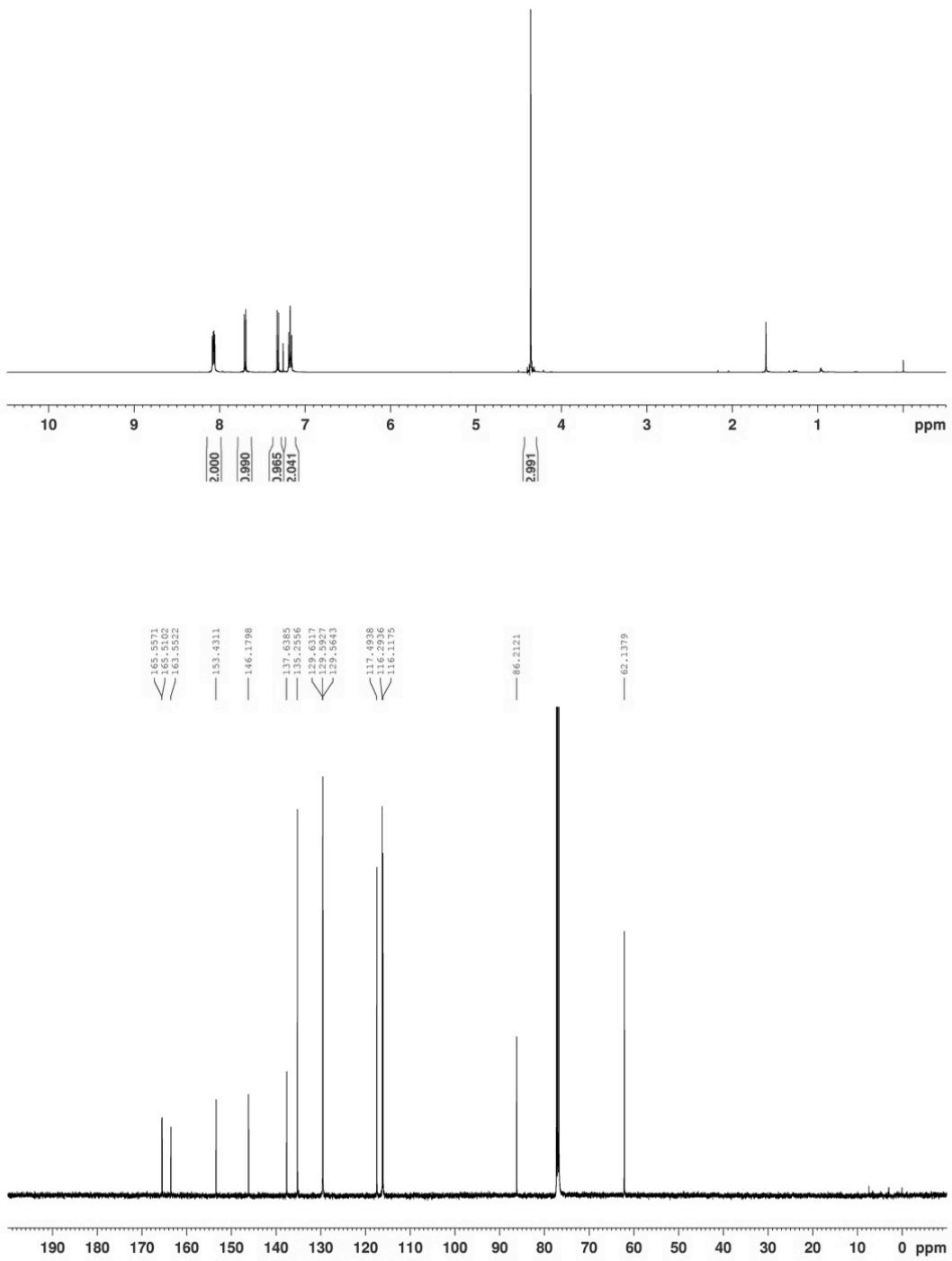
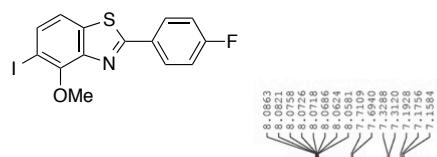
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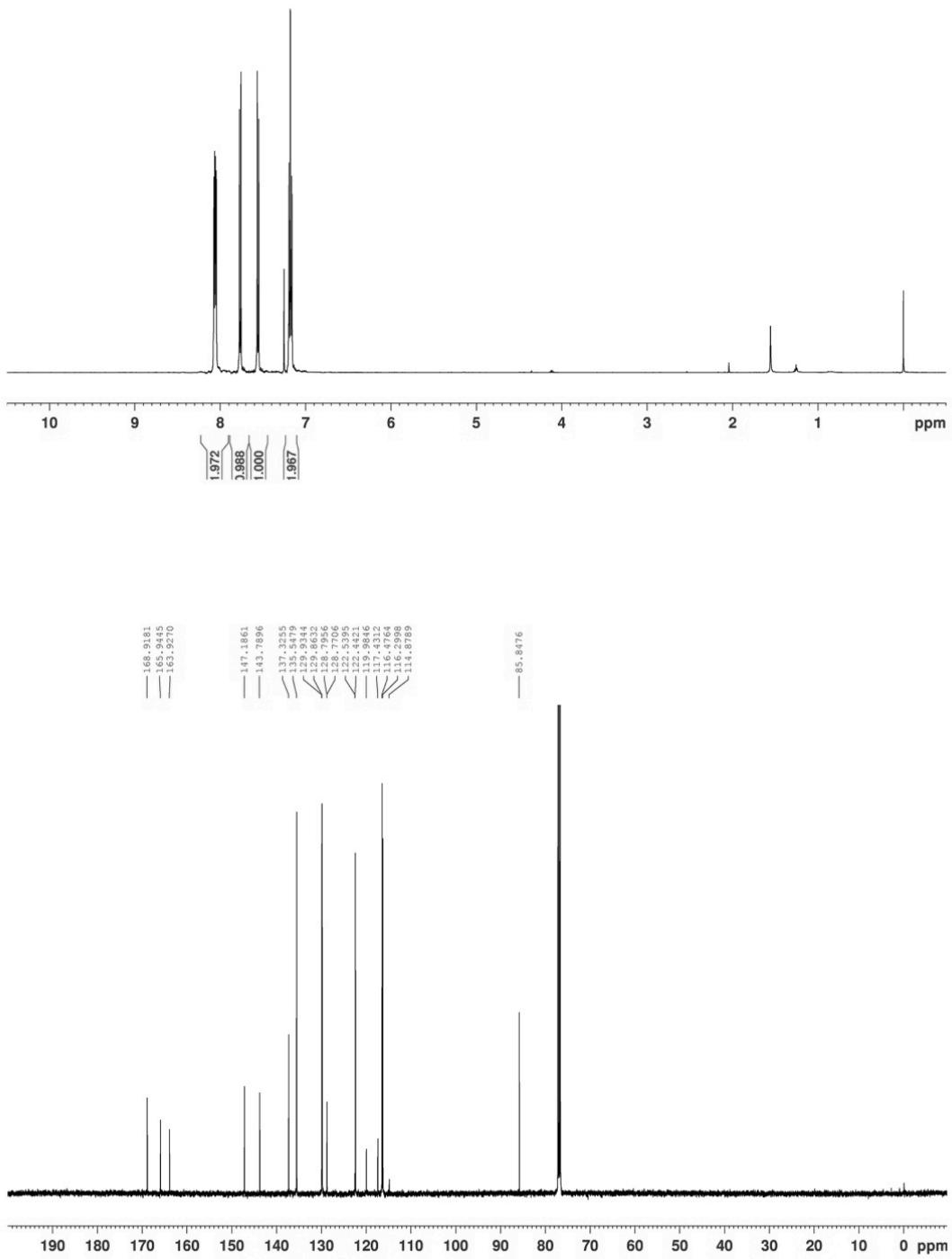
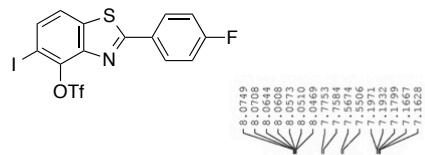
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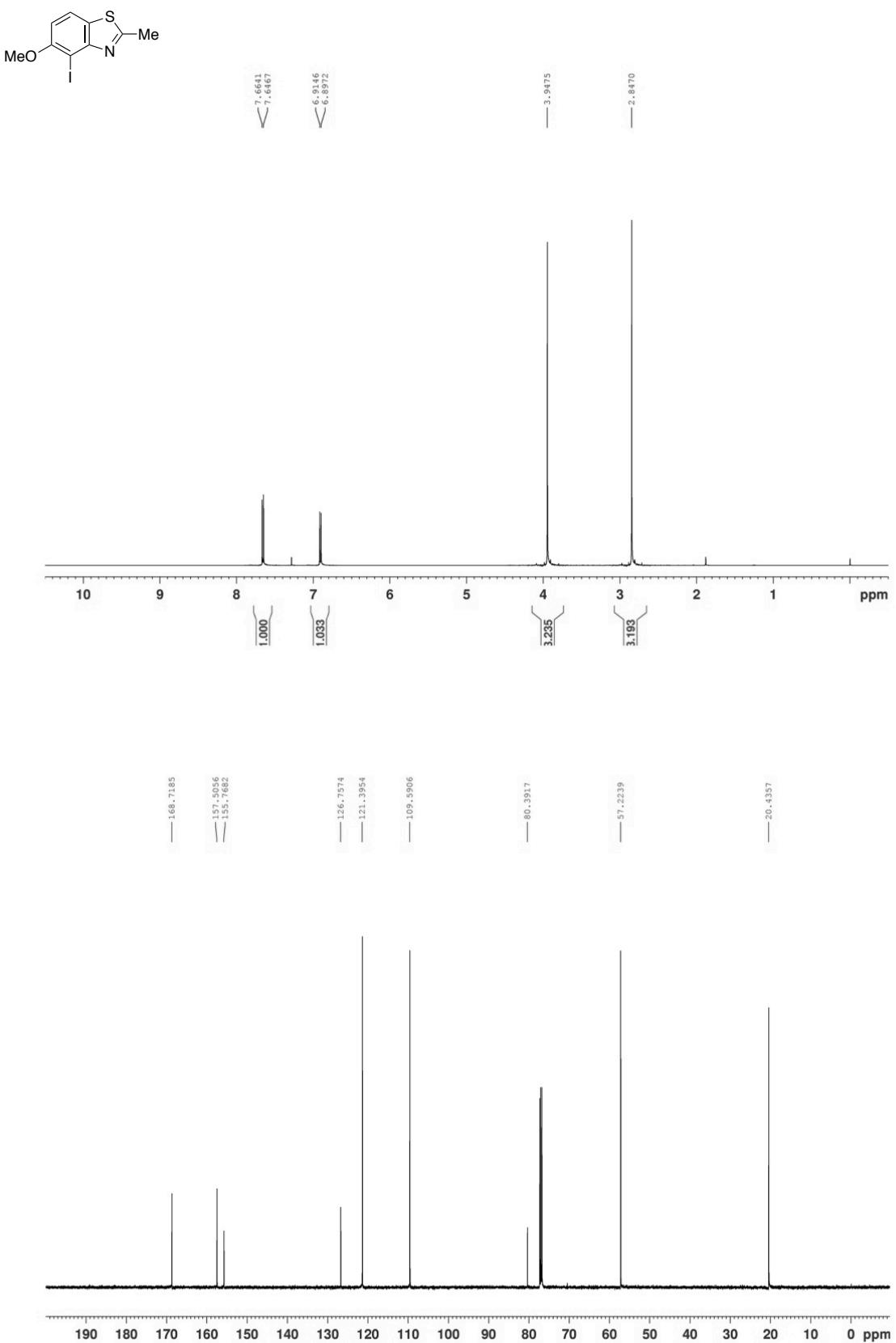
¹H NMR (500 MHz) and ¹³C NMR (126 MHz) spectra of S8 (CDCl₃)



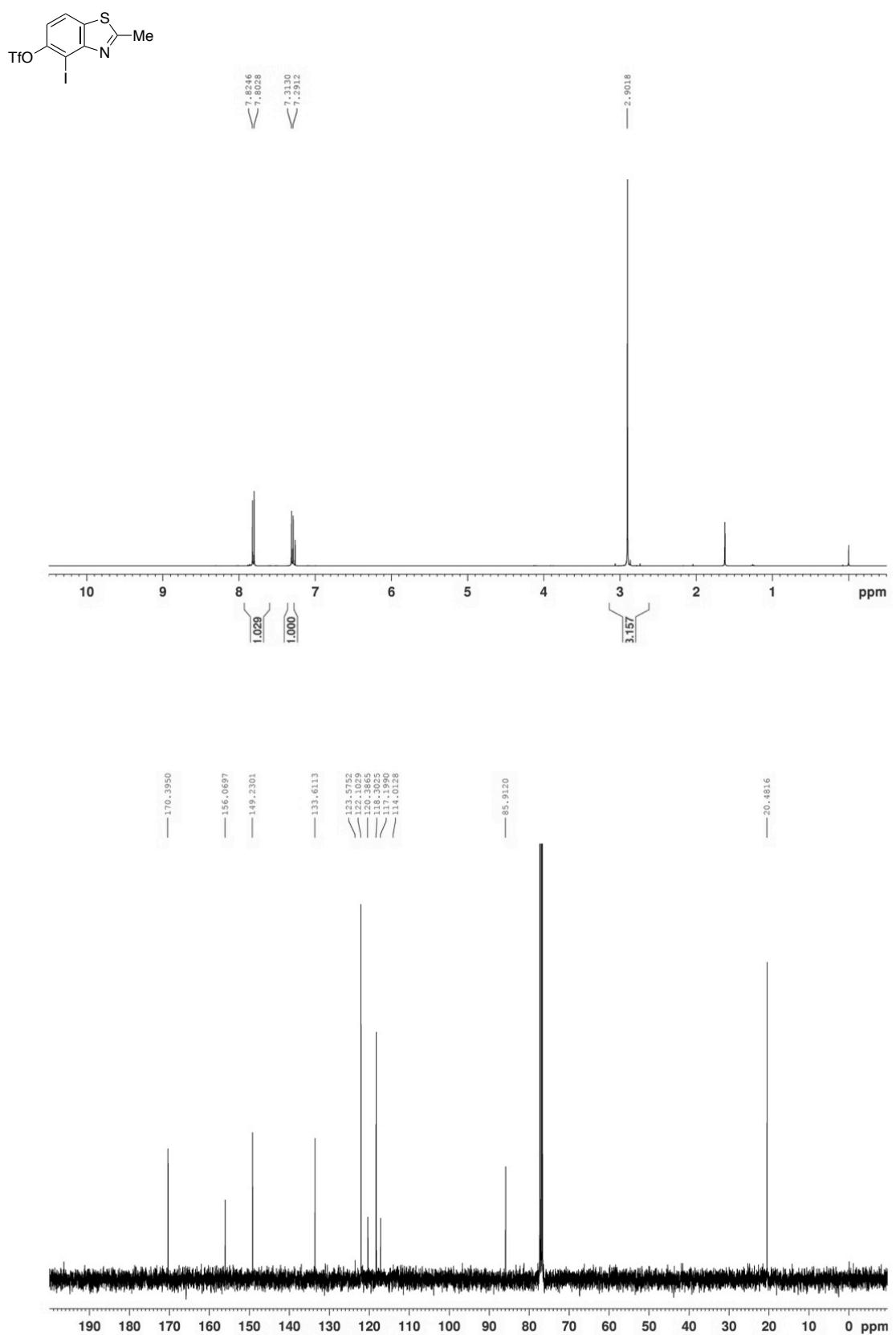
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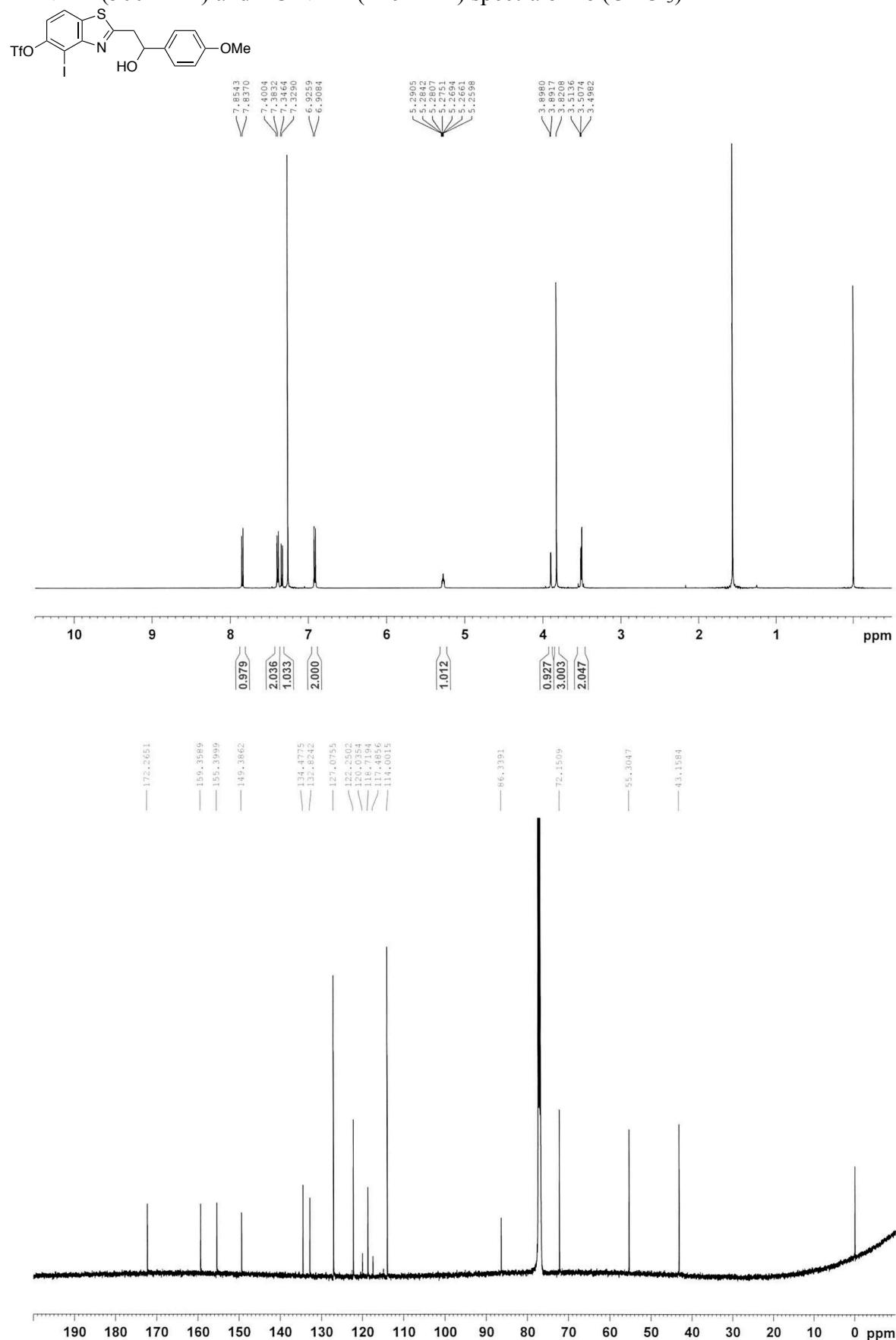
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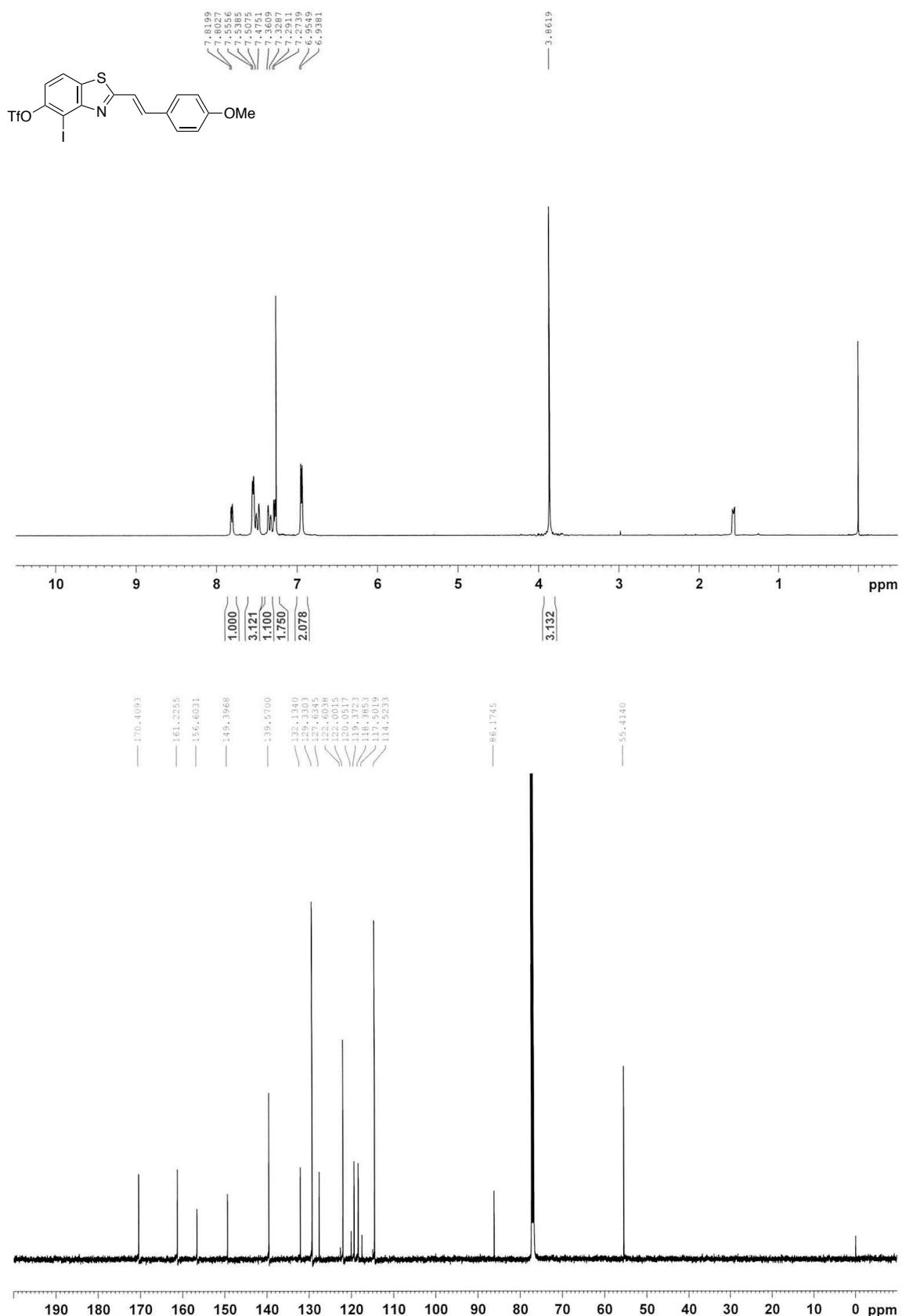
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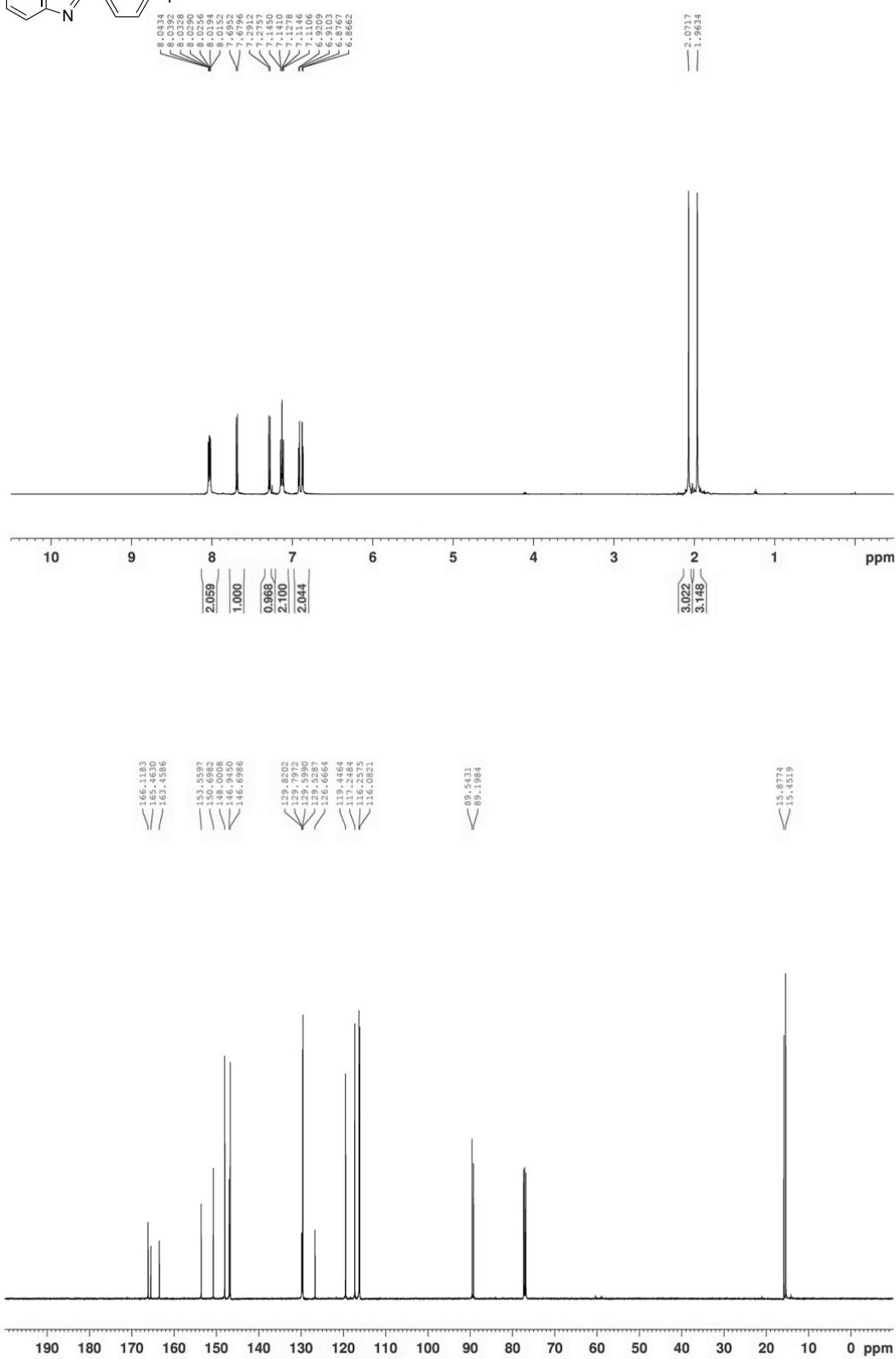
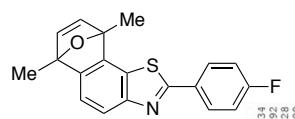
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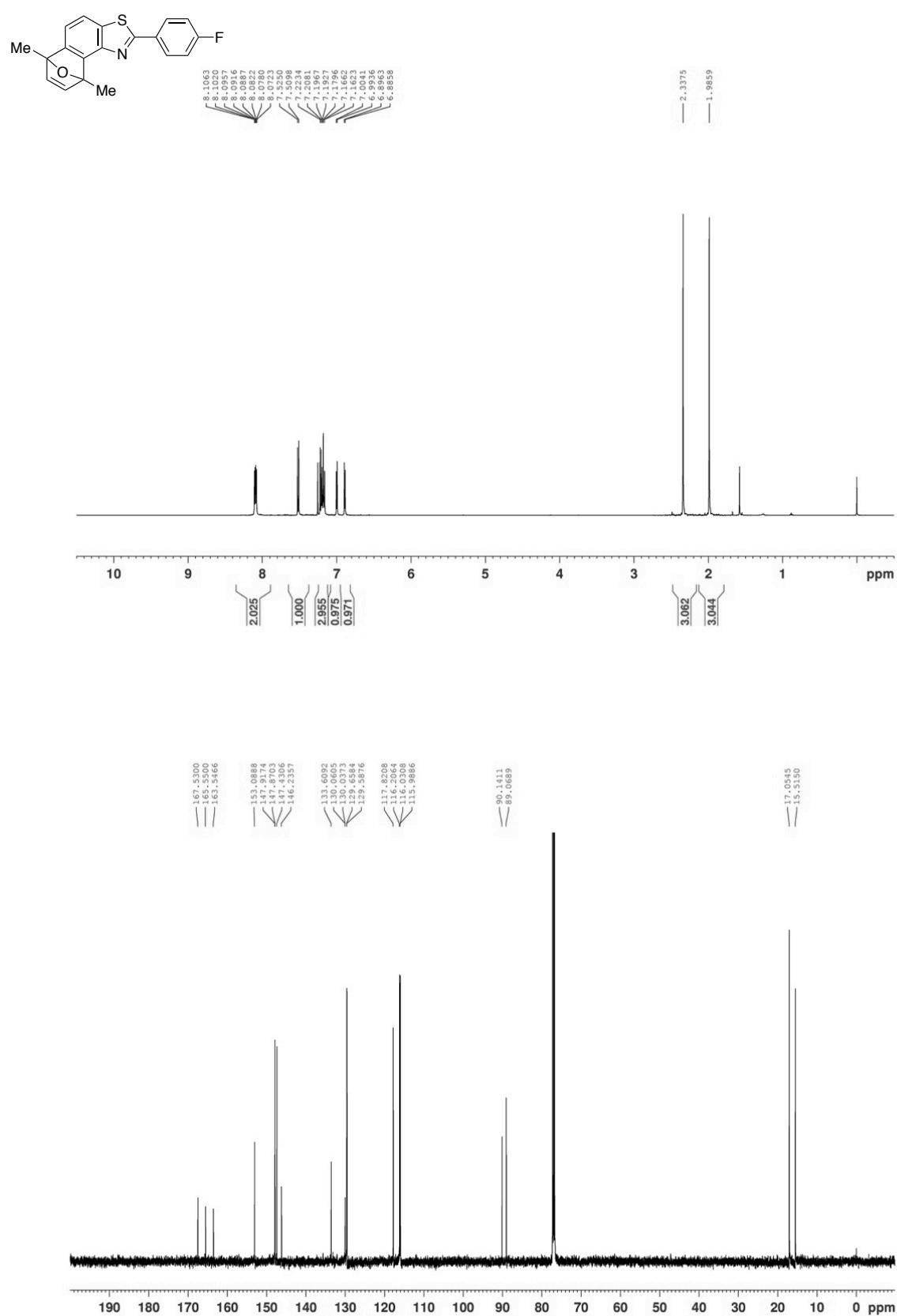
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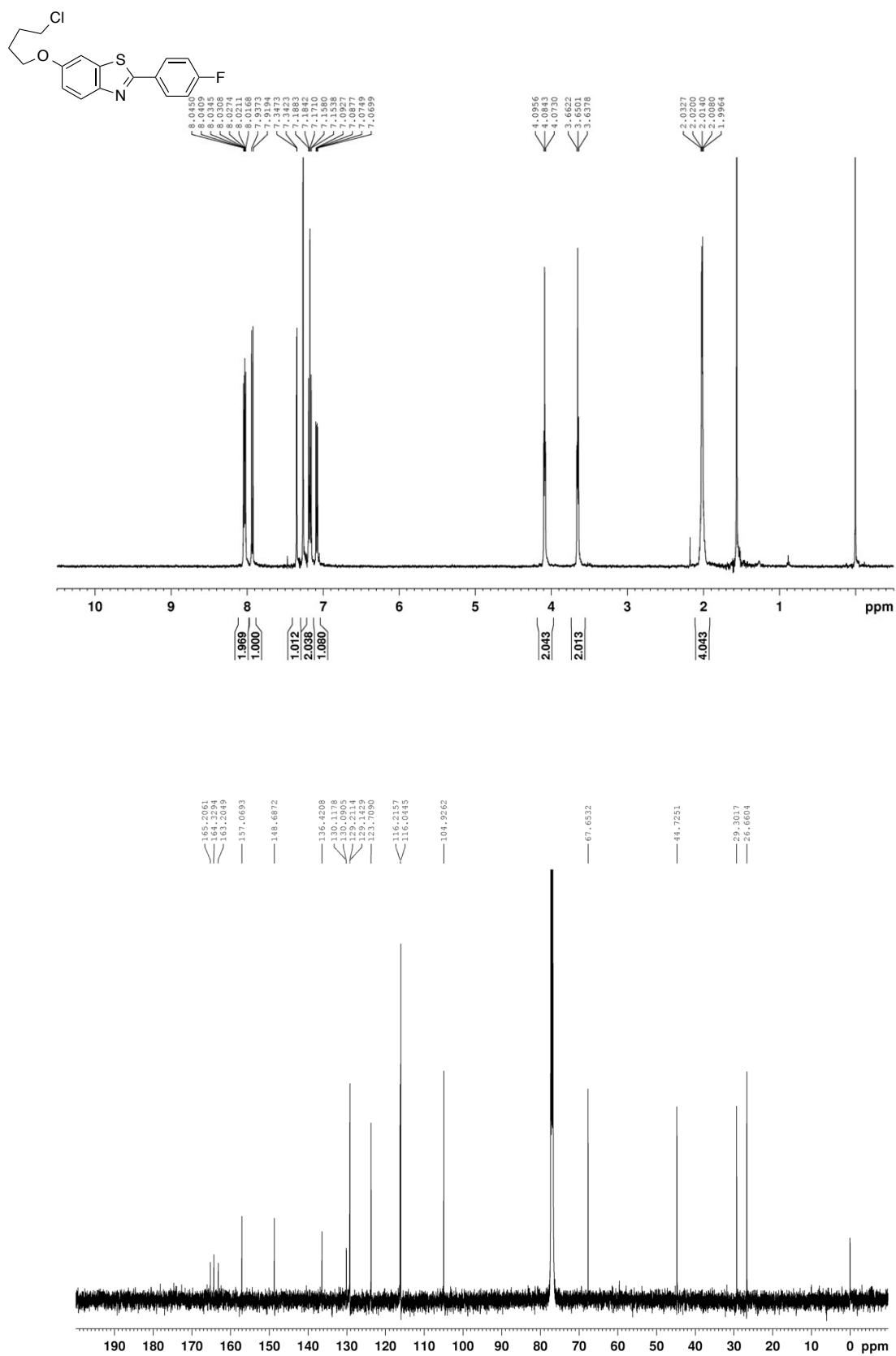
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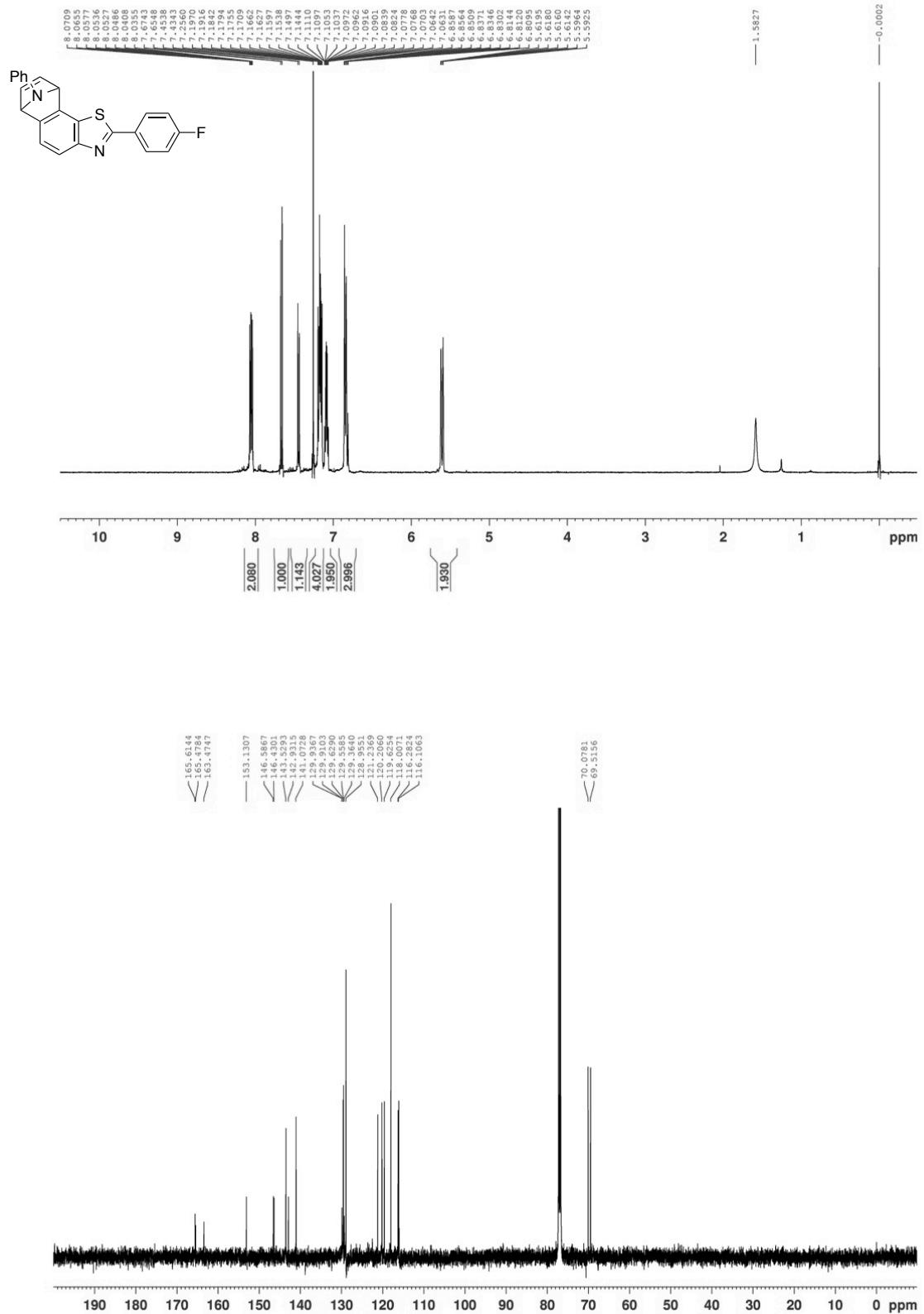
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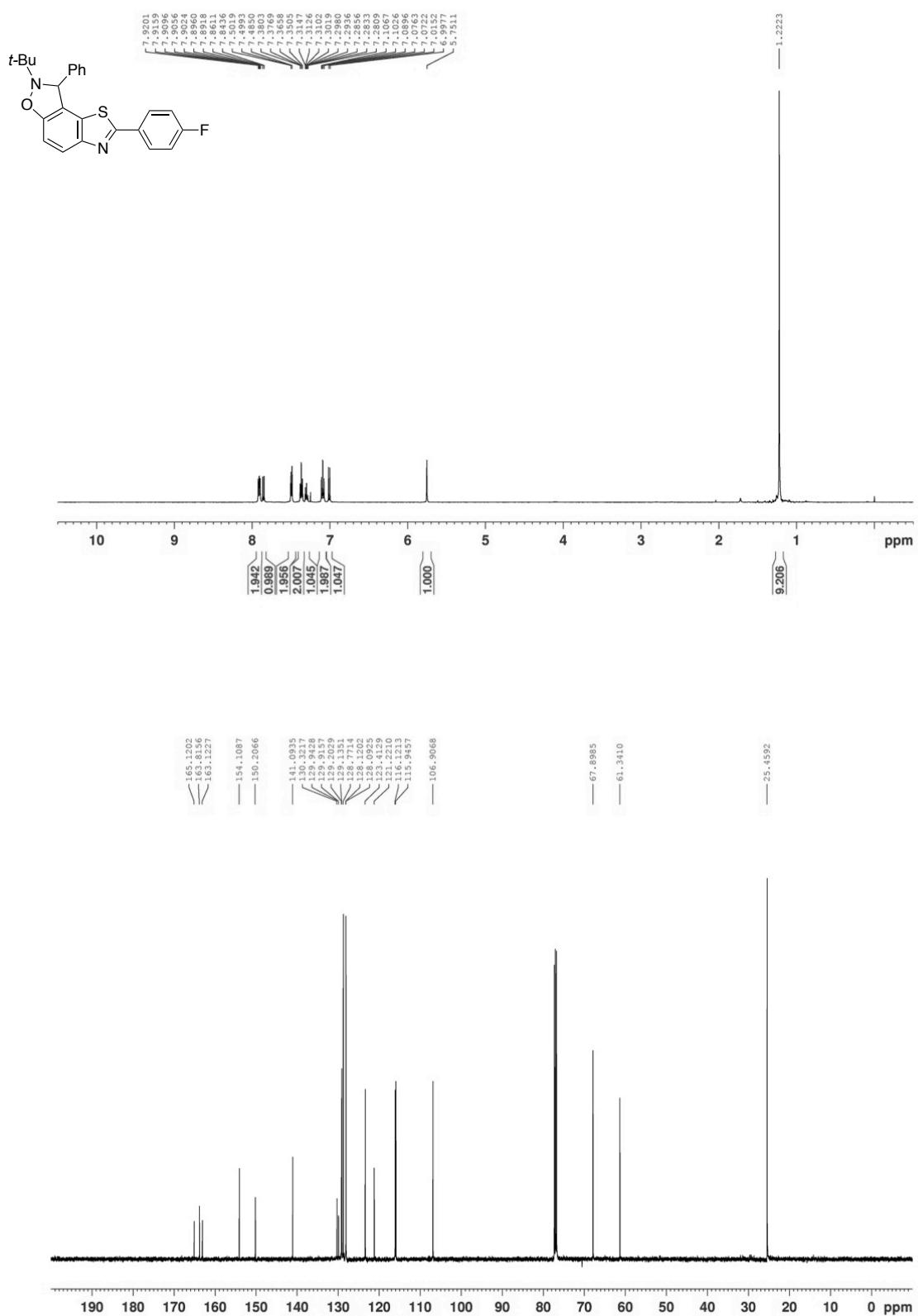
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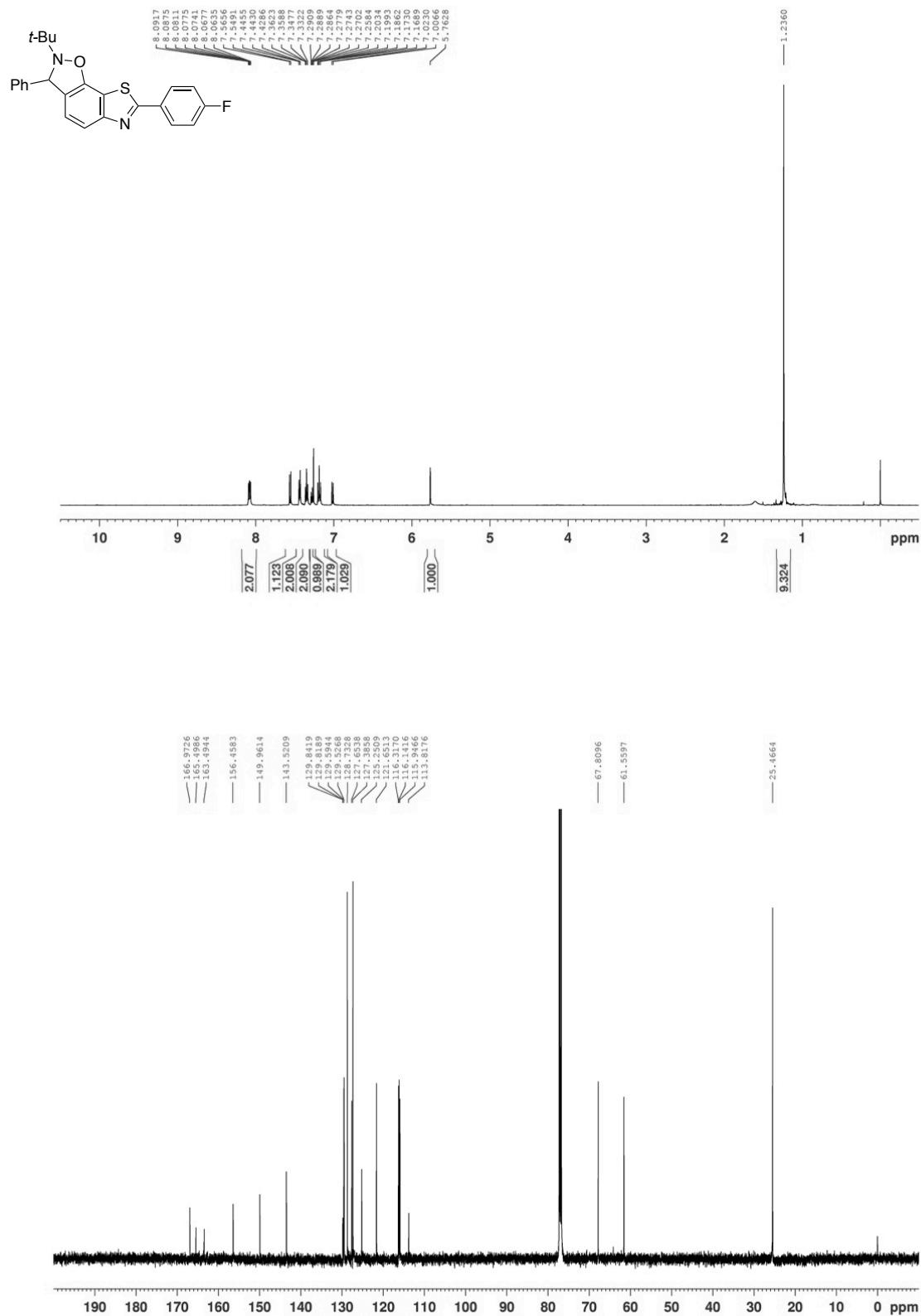
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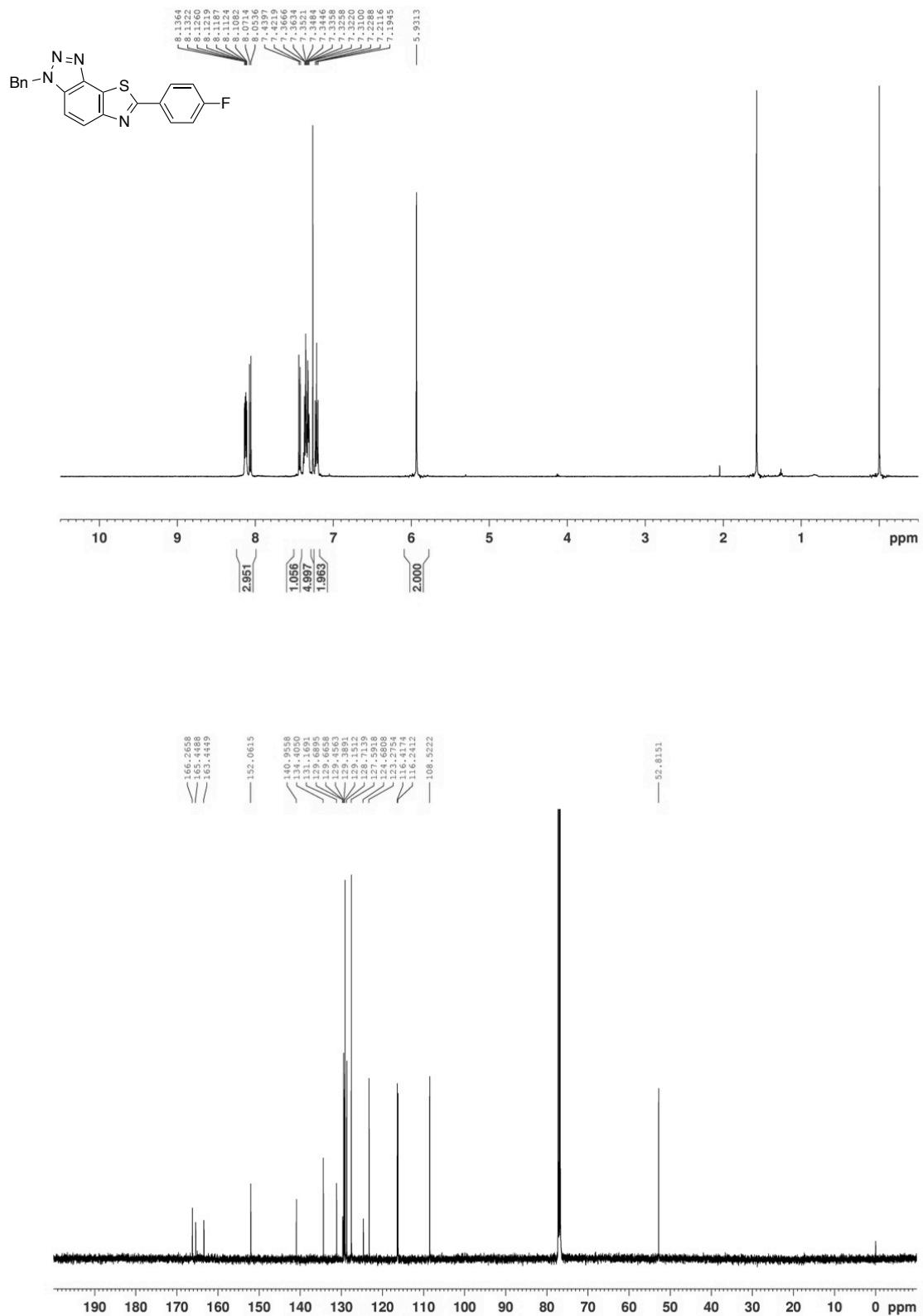
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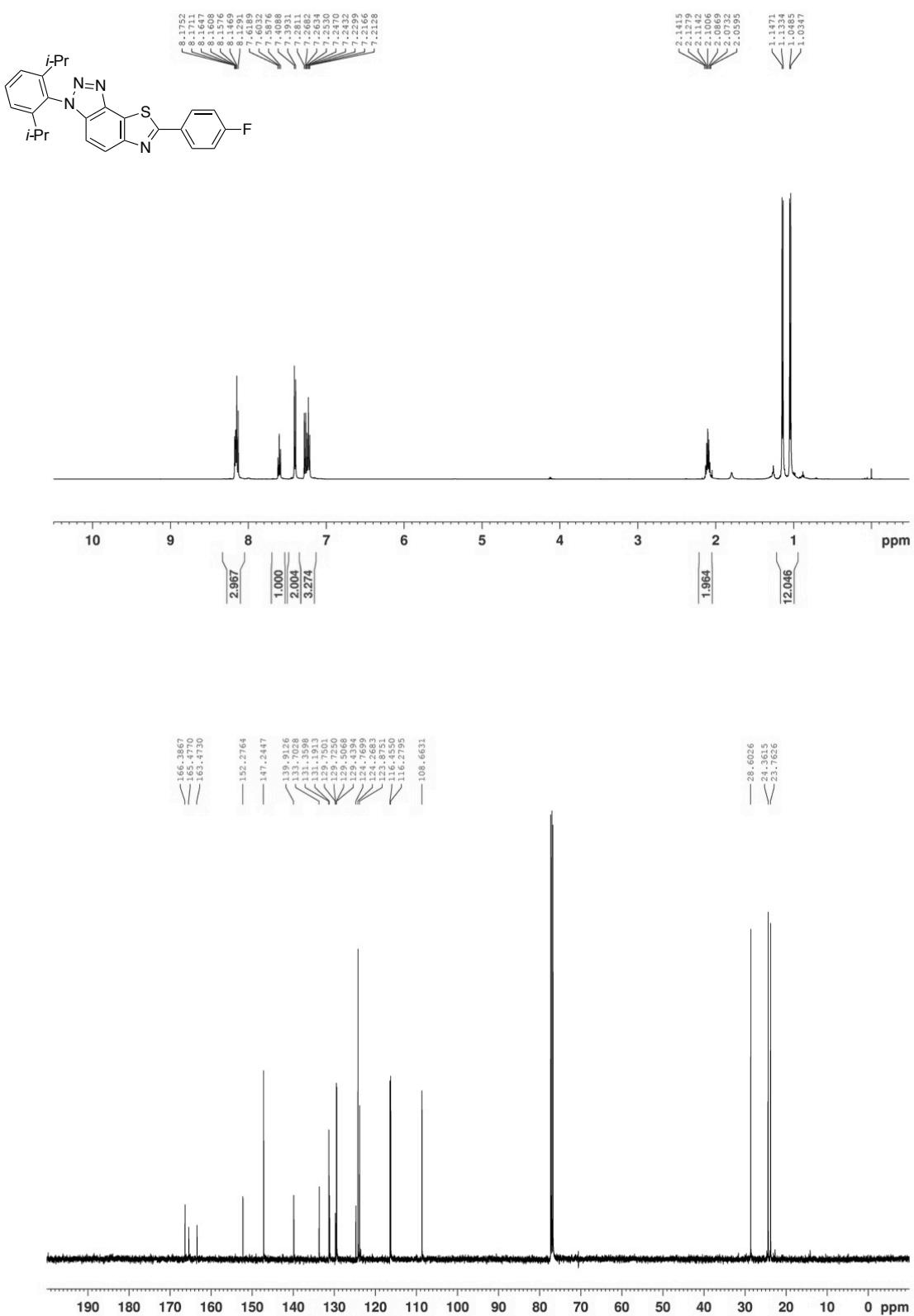
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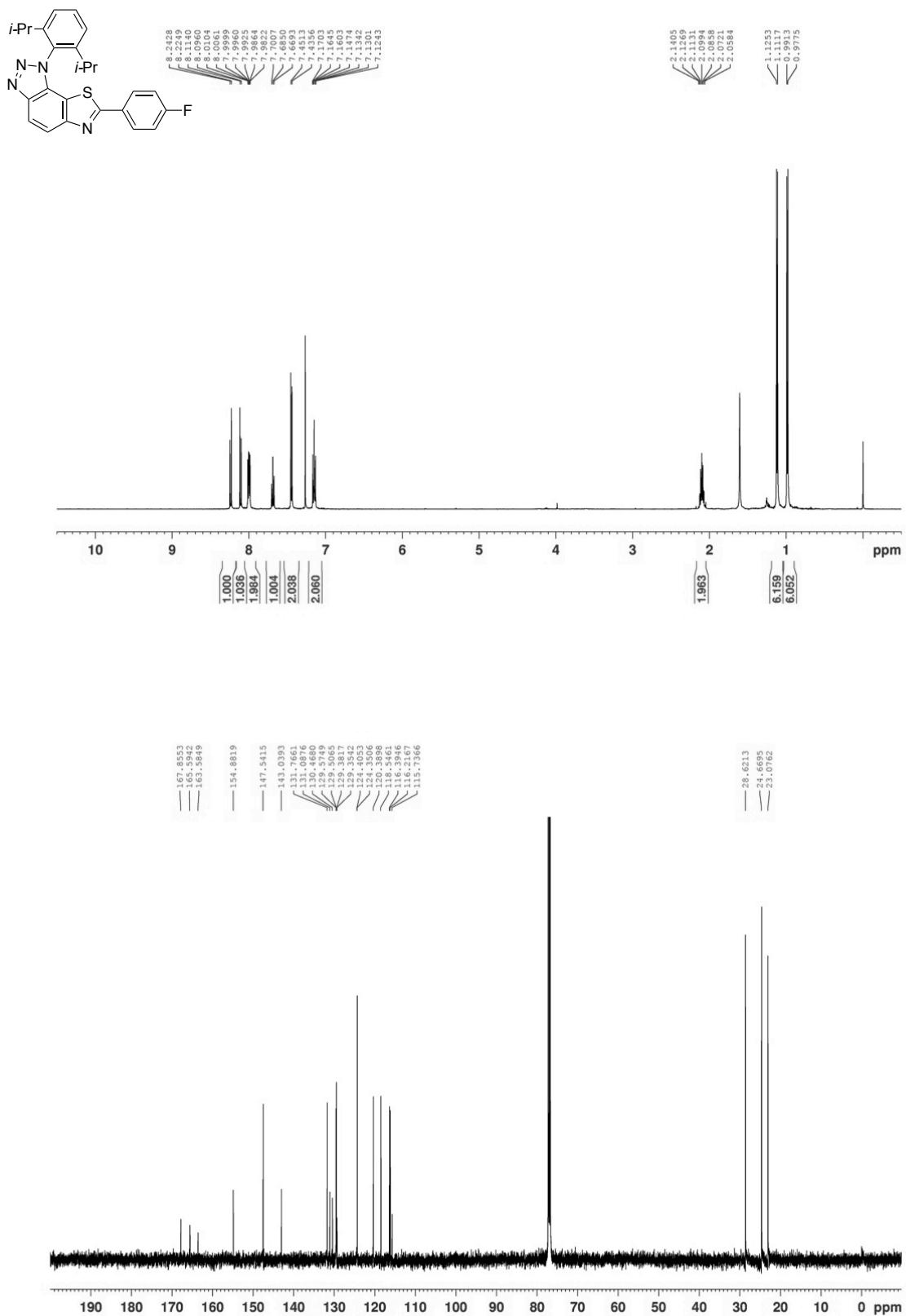
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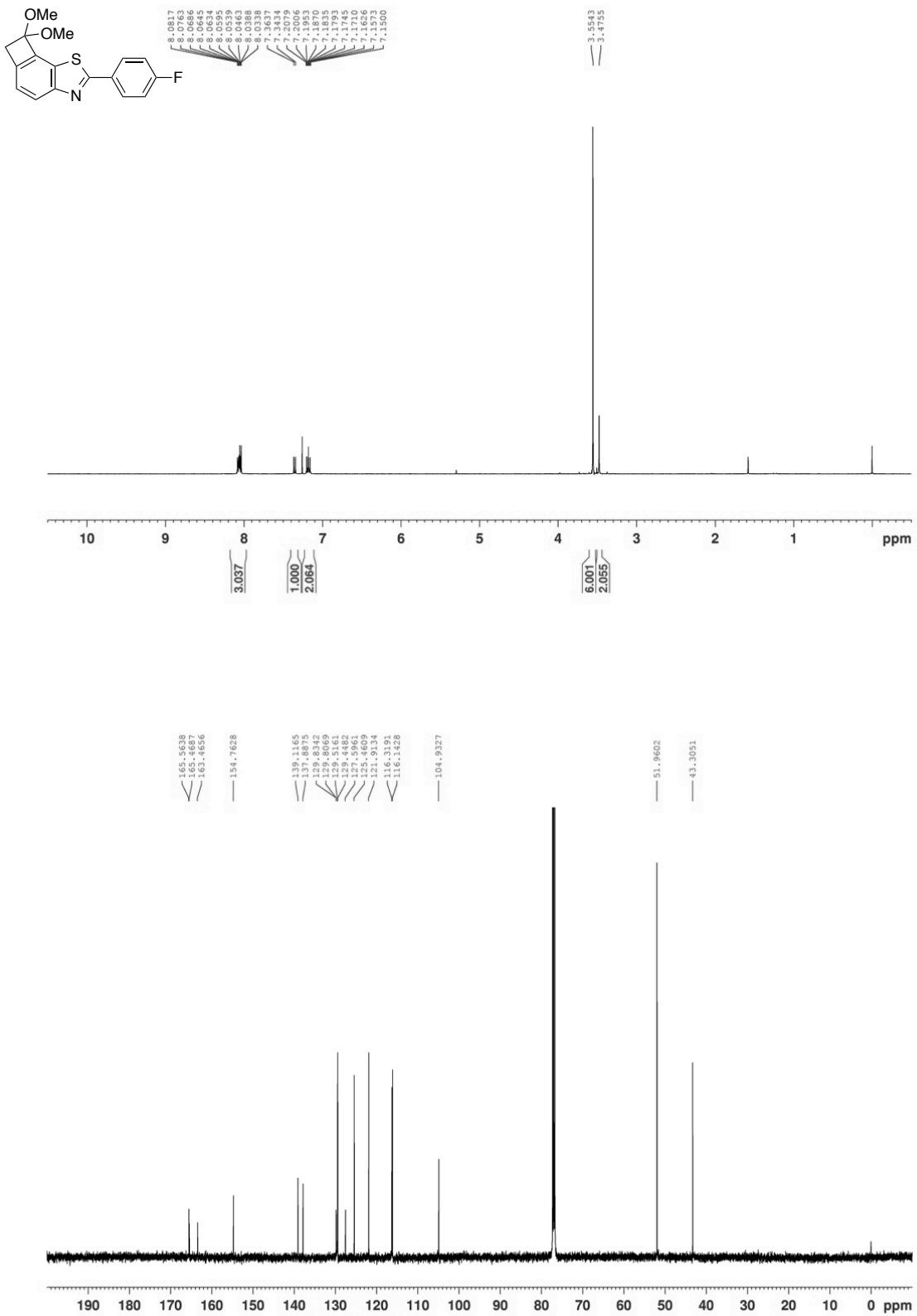
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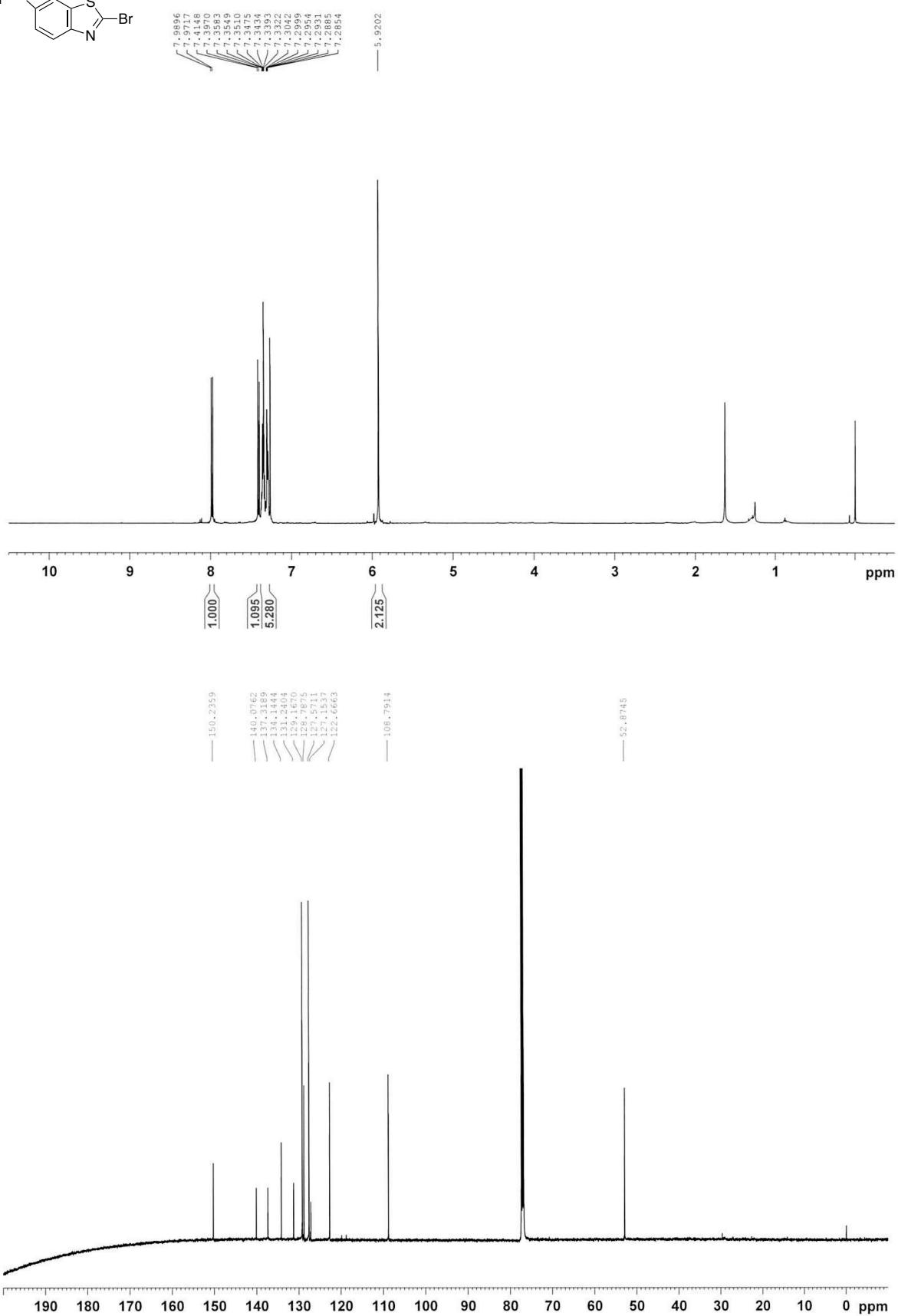
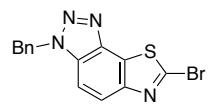
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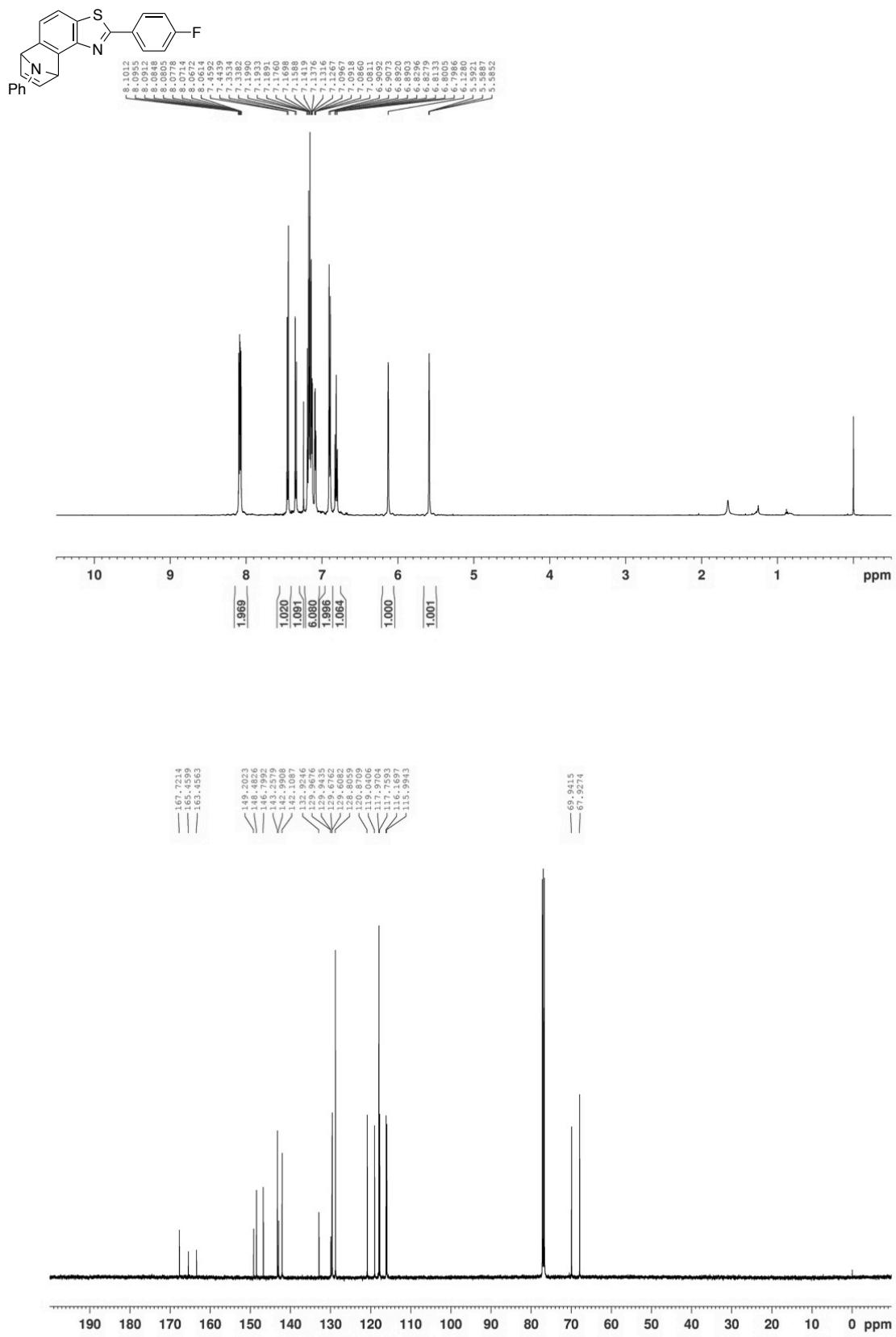
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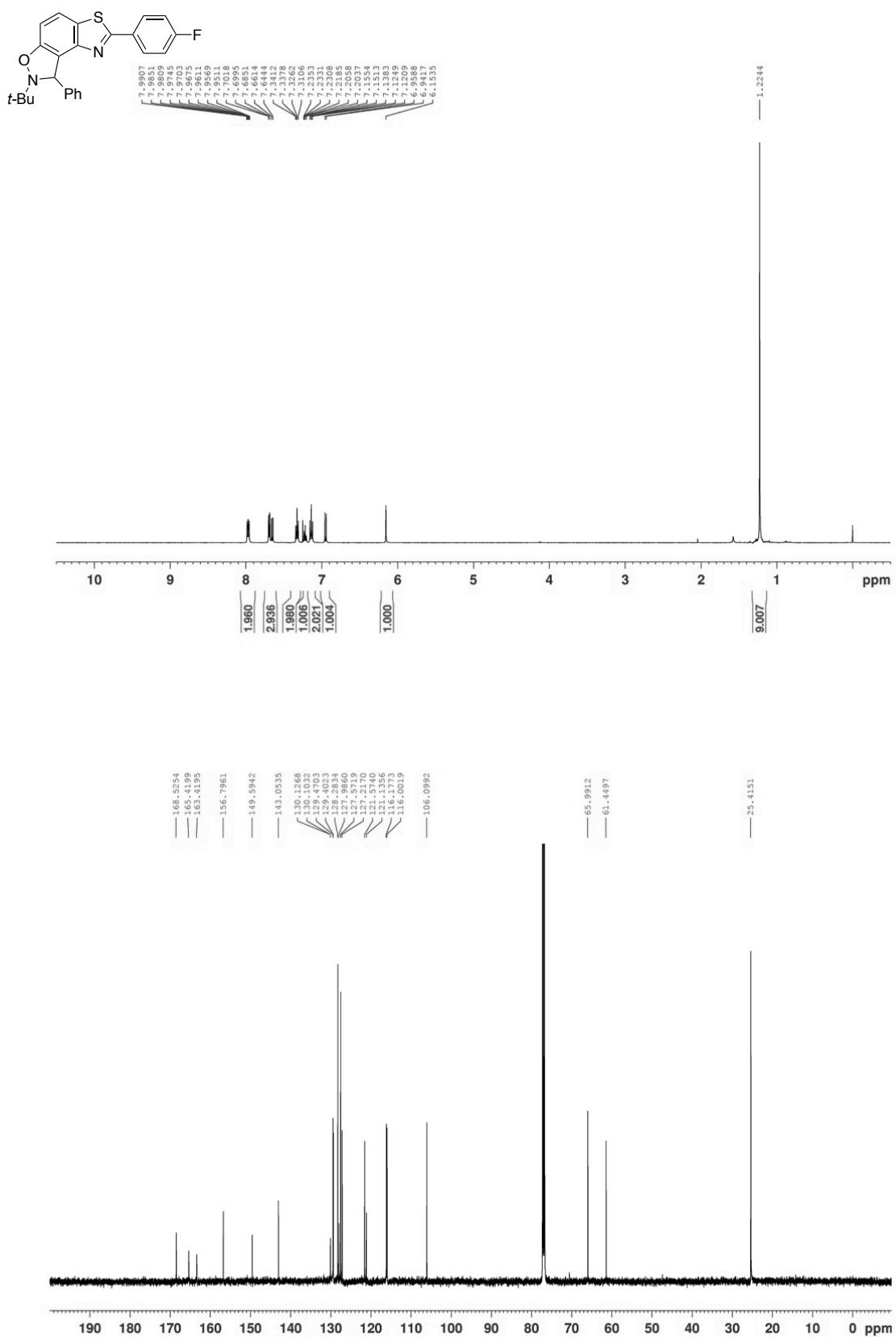
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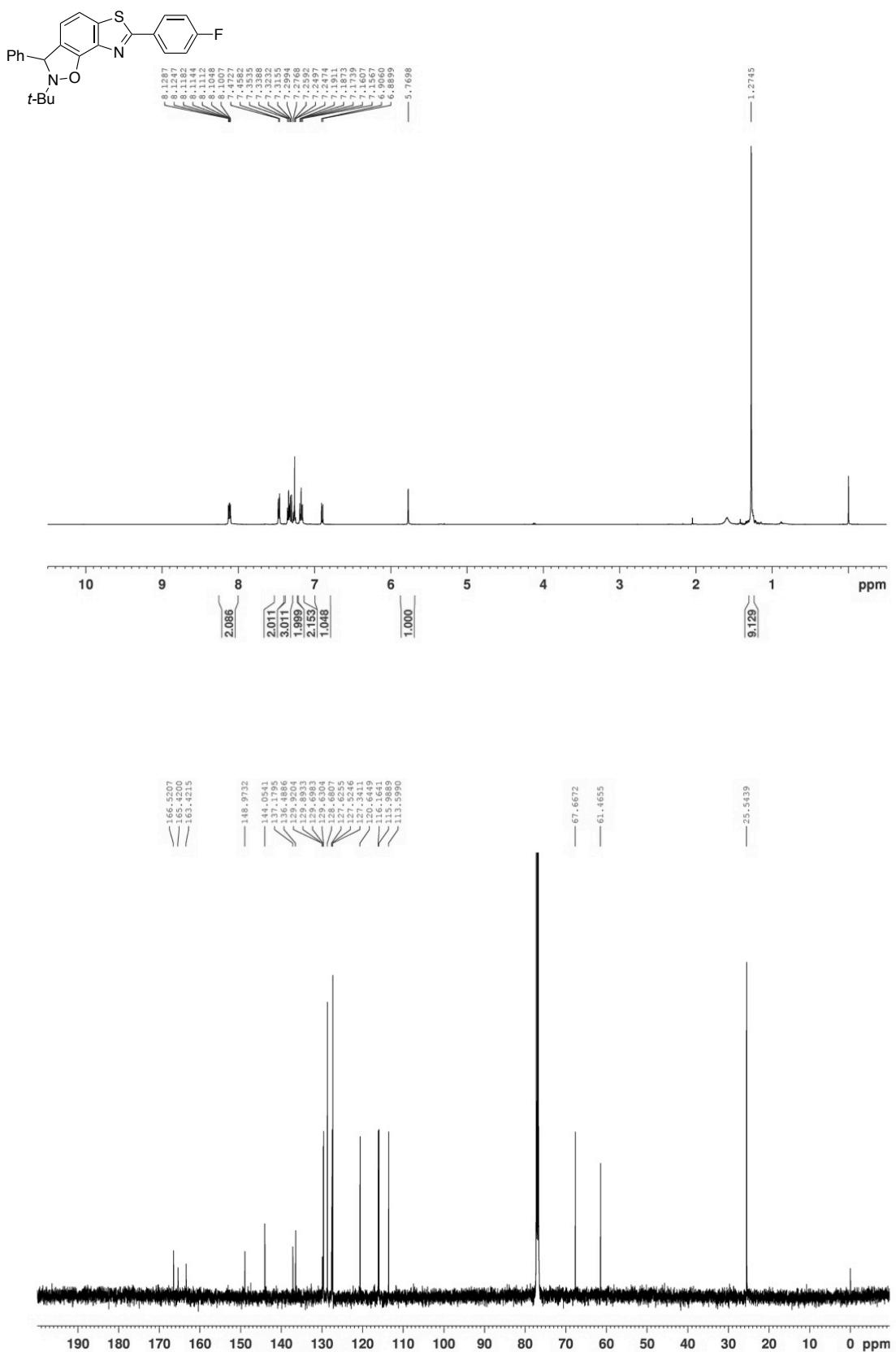
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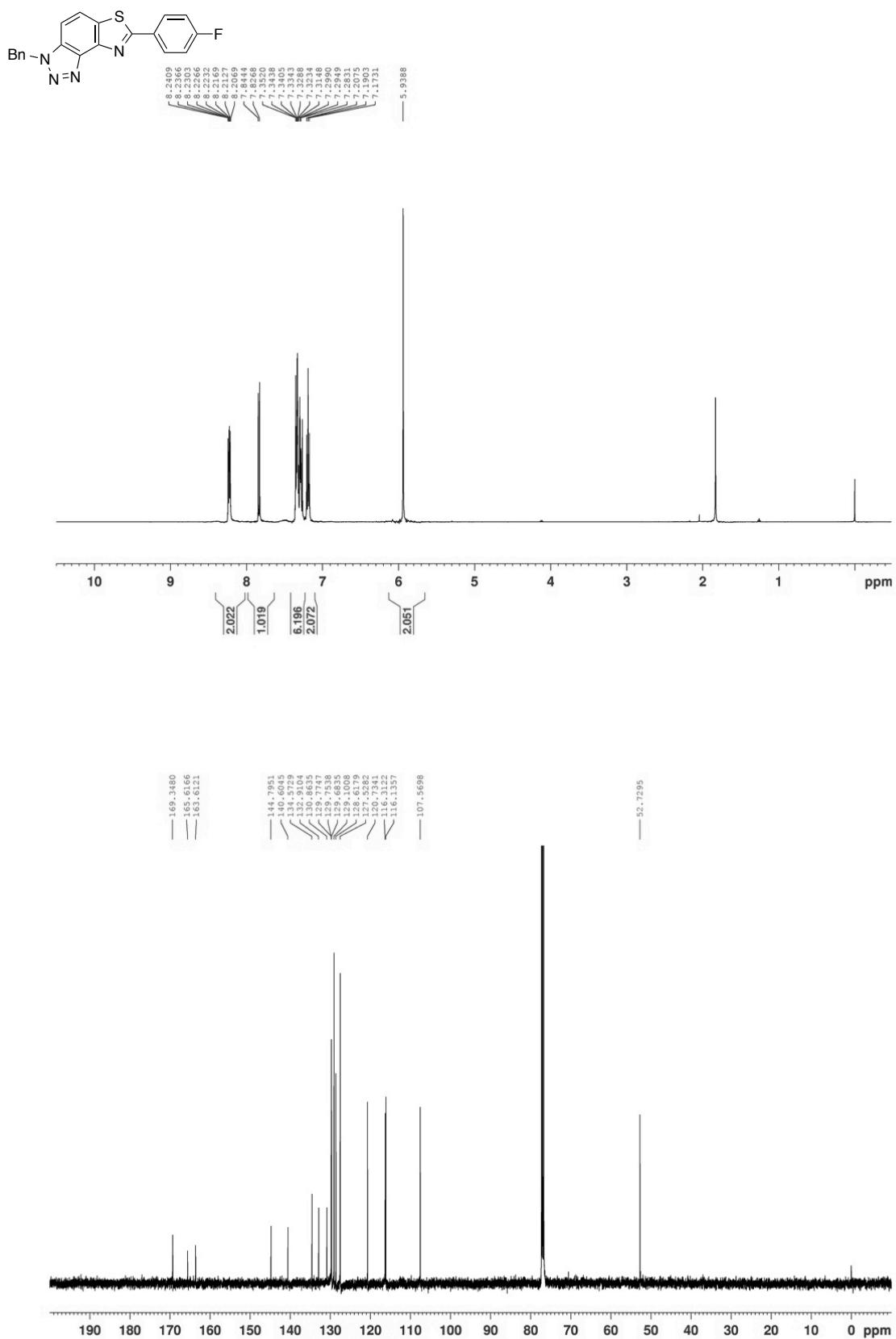
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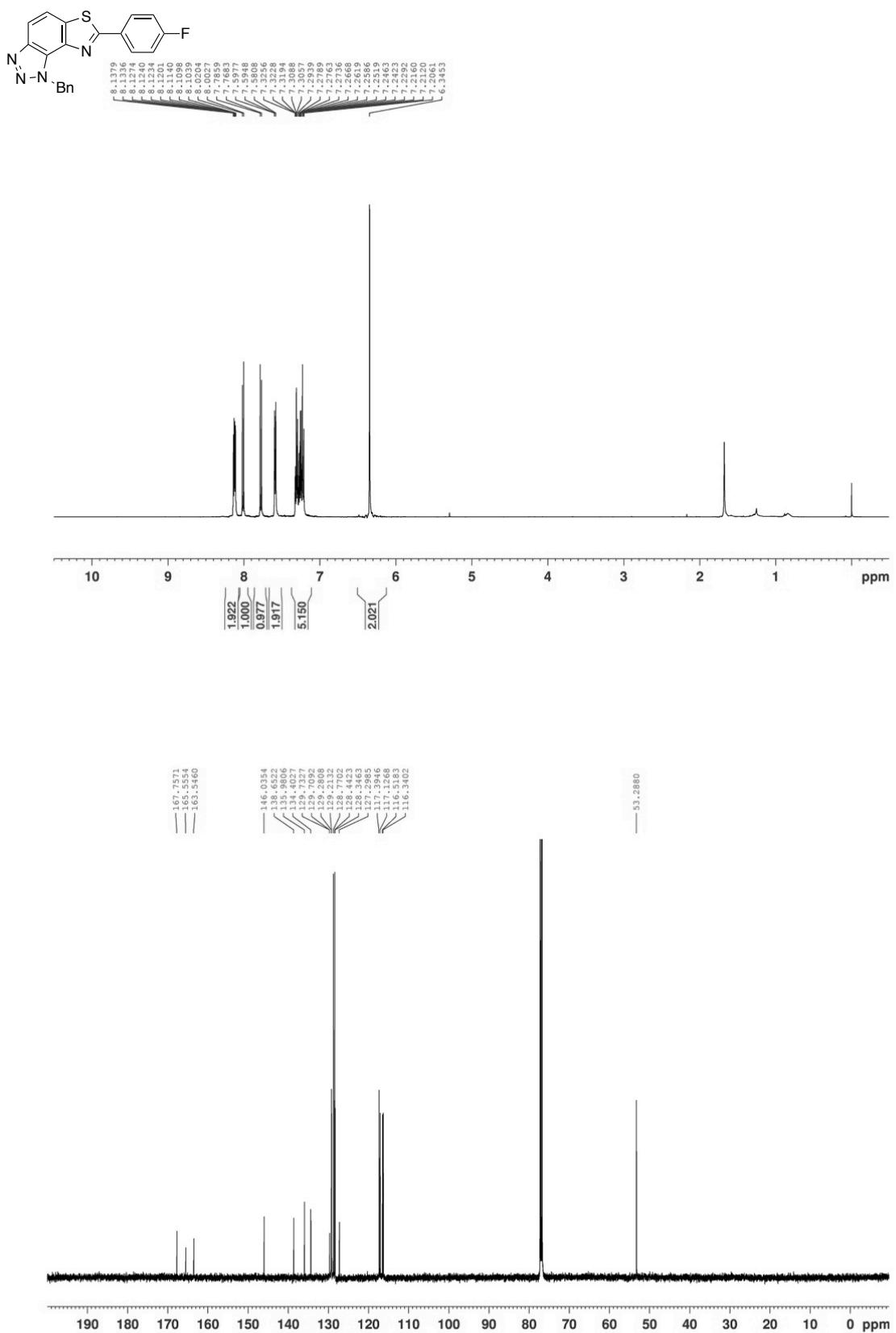
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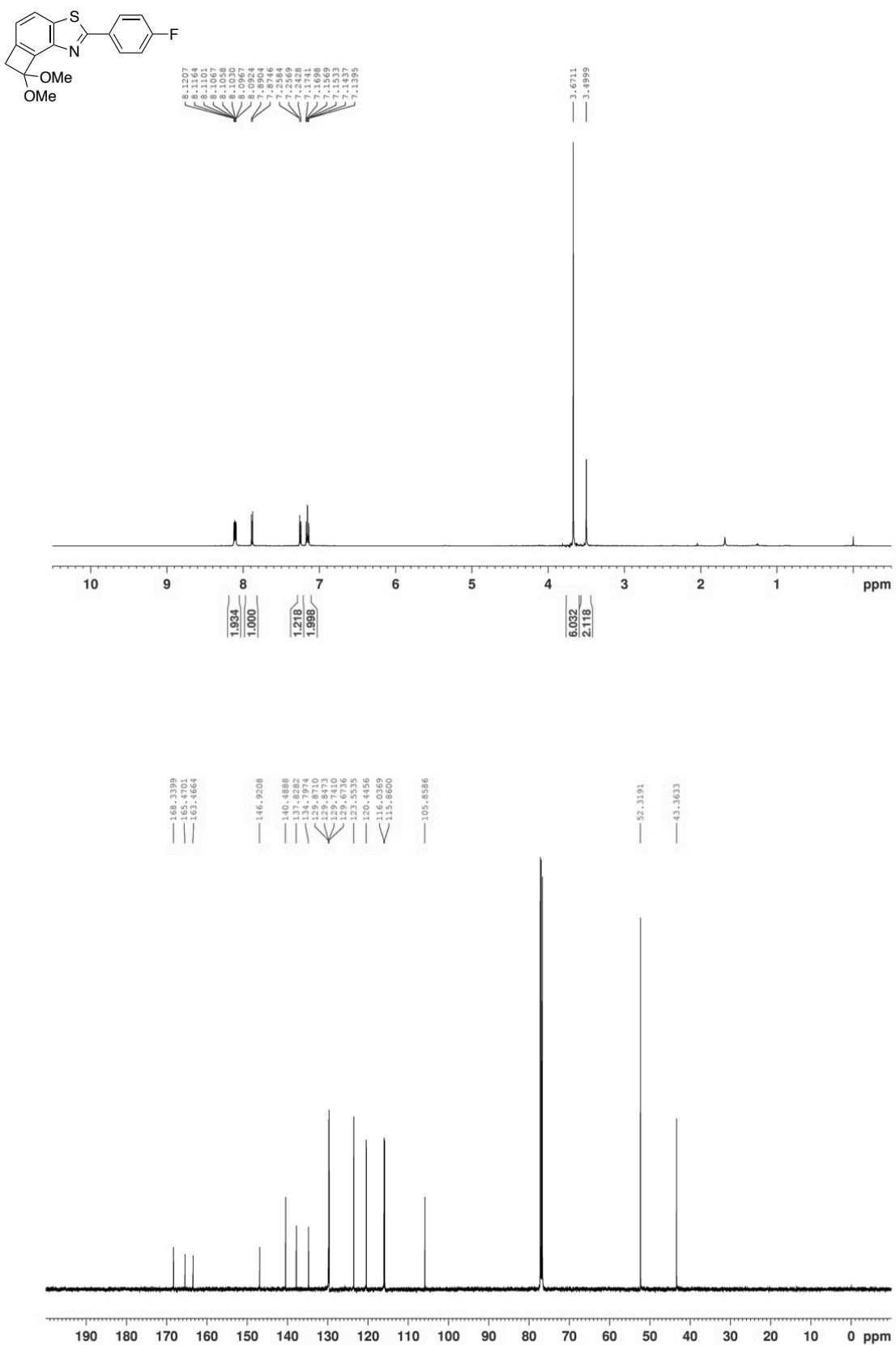
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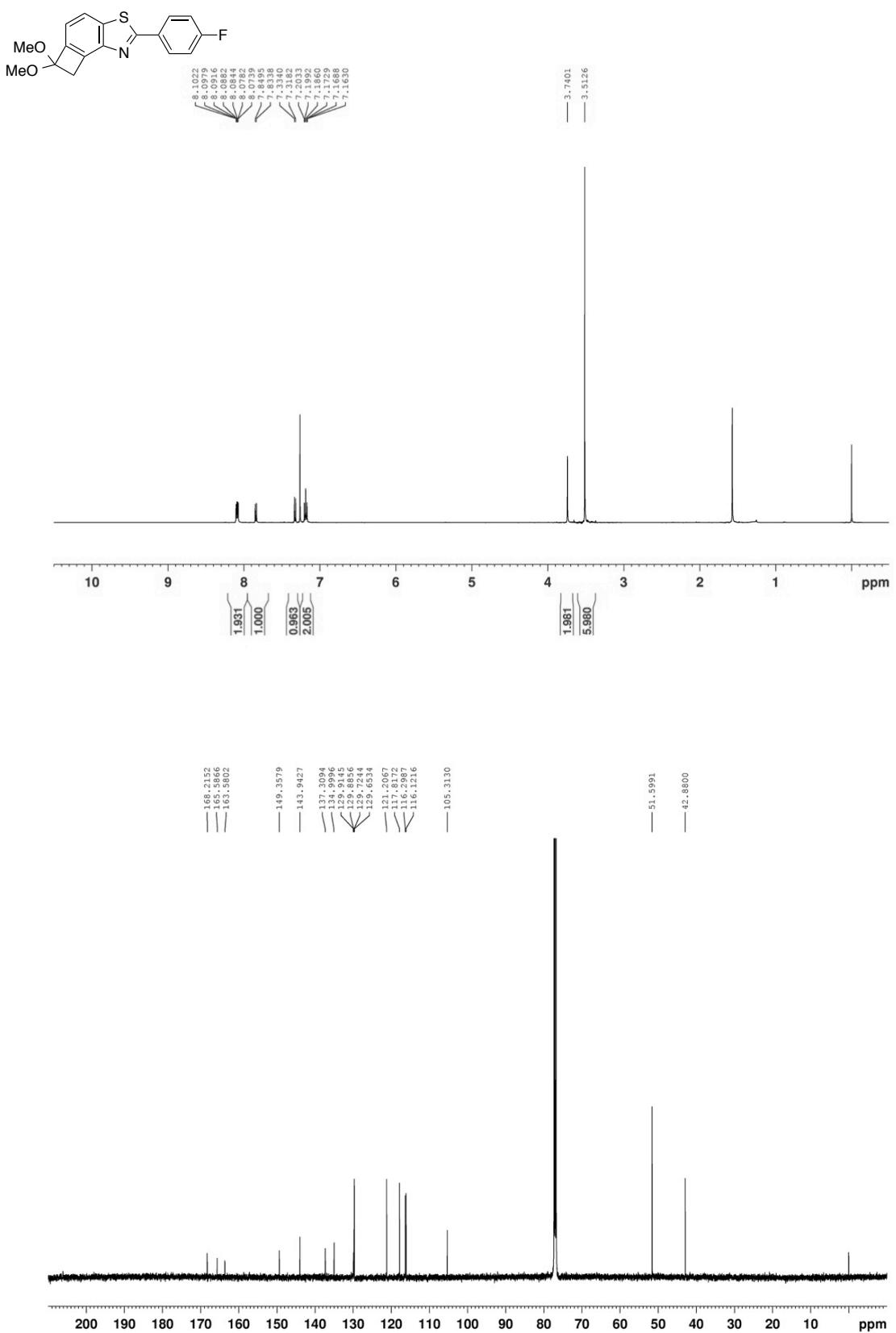
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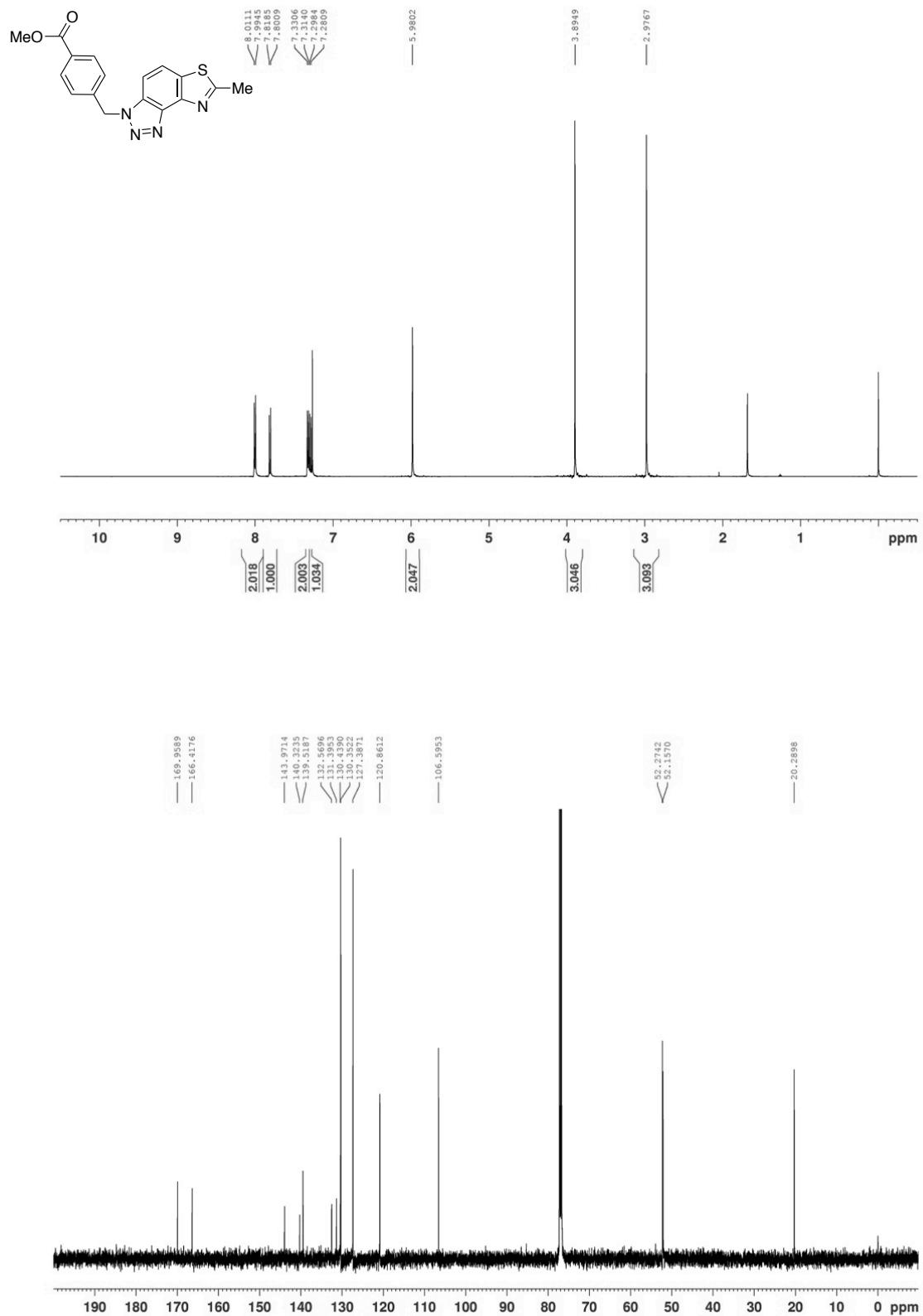
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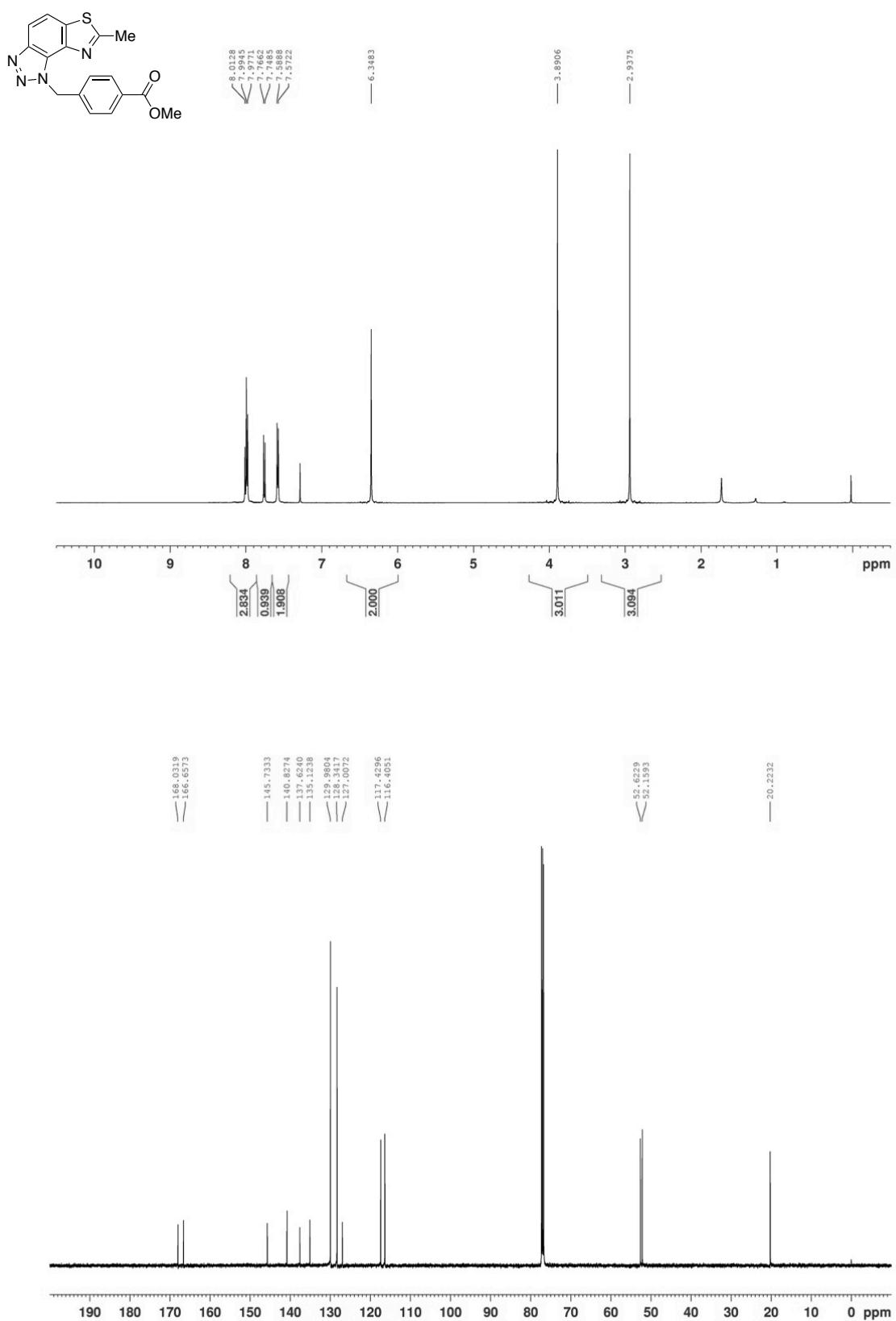
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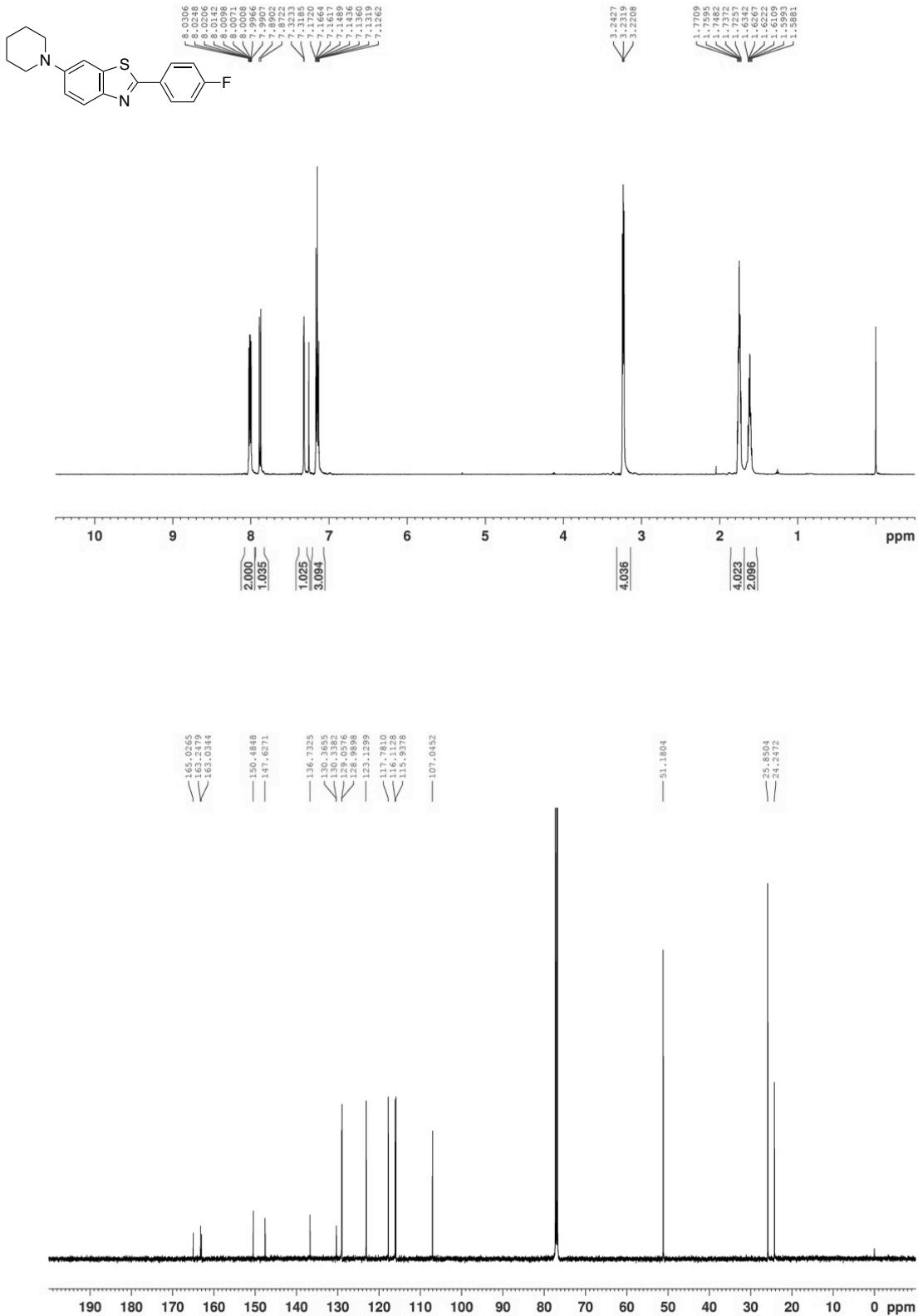
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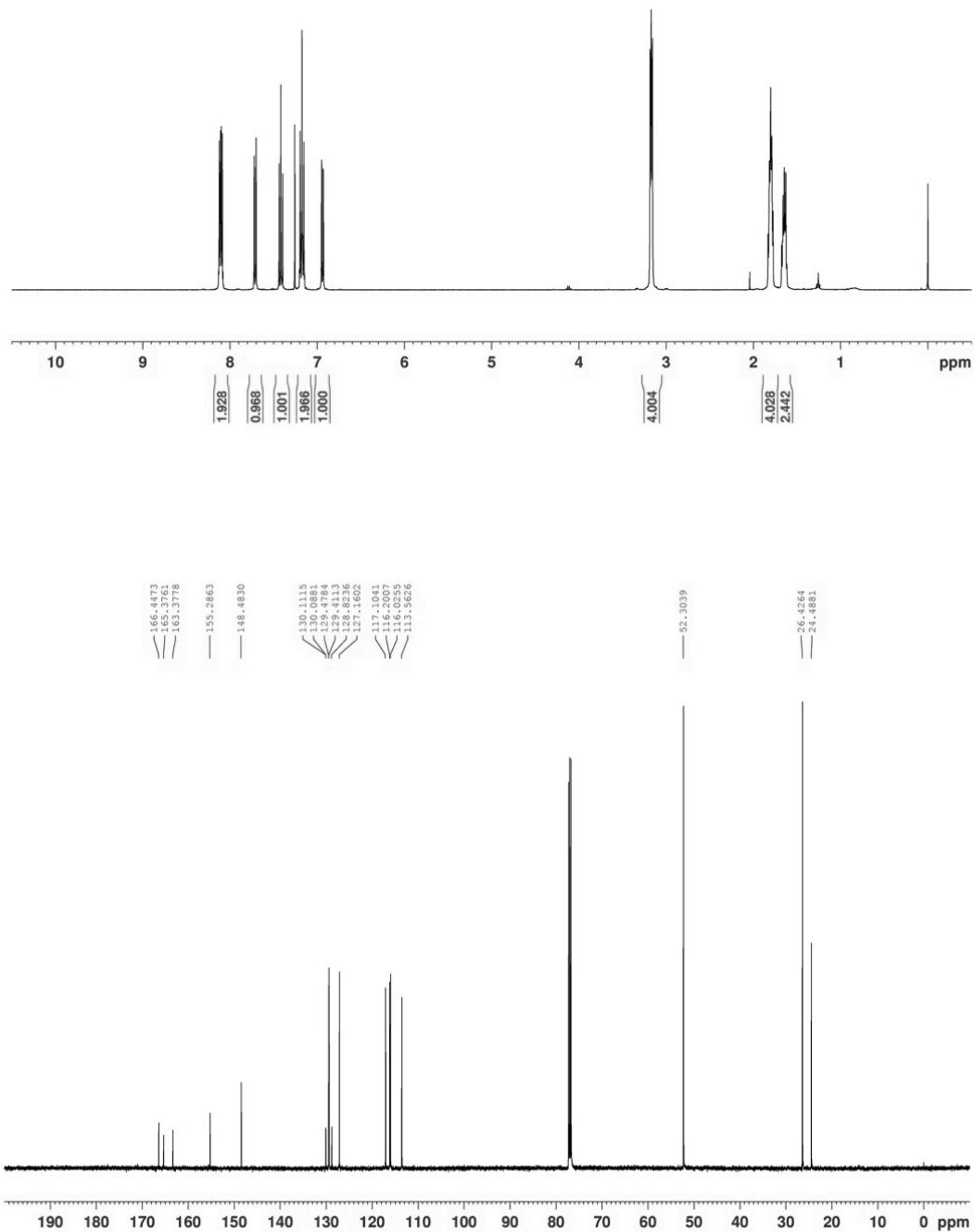
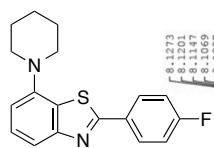
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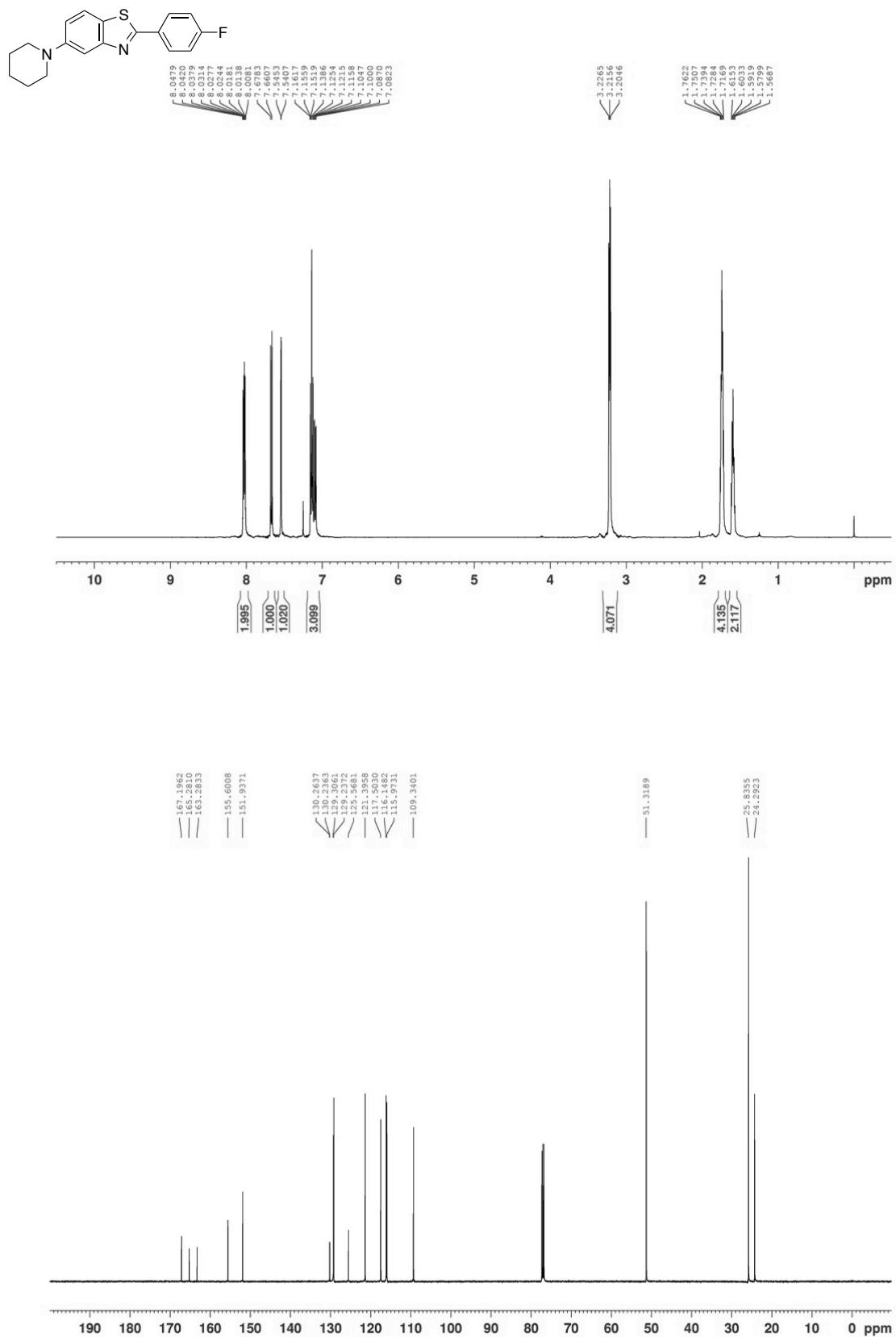
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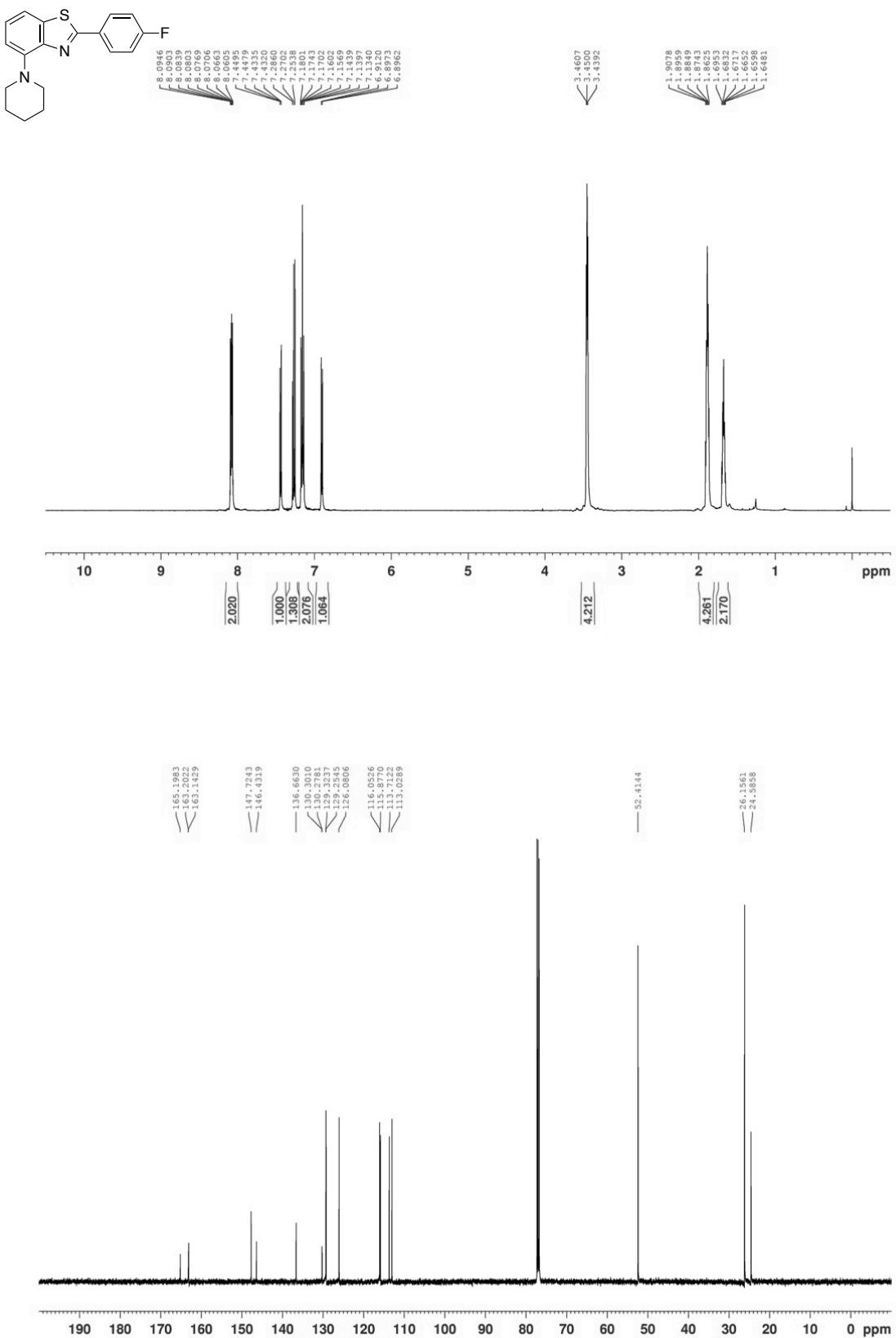
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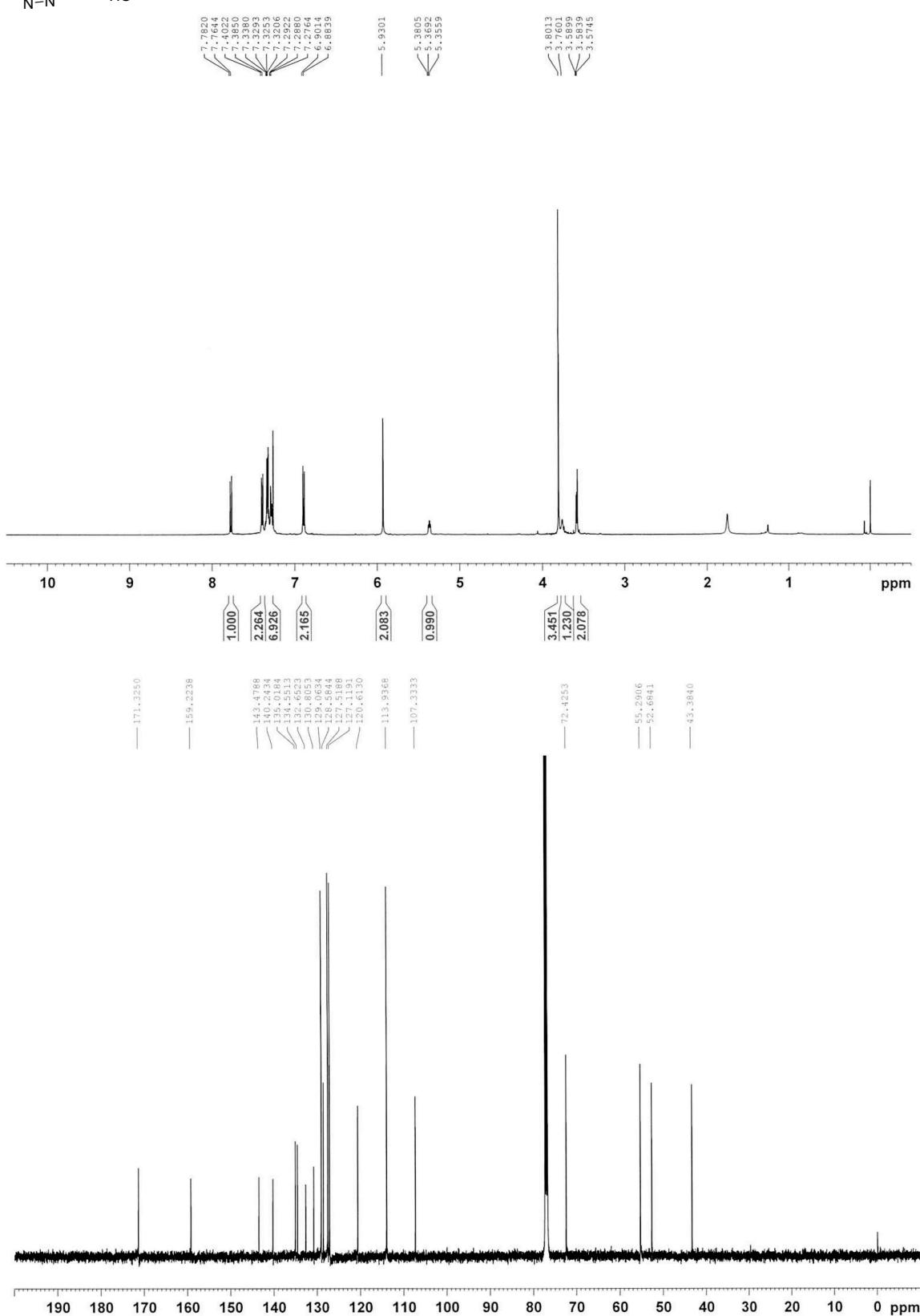
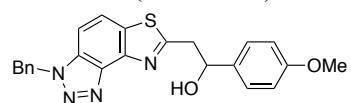
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¹H NMR (500 MHz) and ¹³C NMR (126 MHz) spectra of **24'** (CDCl_3)



¹H NMR (500 MHz) and ¹³C NMR (126 MHz) spectra of **25** (CDCl_3)



¹H NMR (500 MHz) and ¹³C NMR (126 MHz) spectra of **26** (CDCl_3)

