

# Electronic Supplementary Information (ESI)

## Highly enantioselective construction of carbazole derivatives *via* [4+2] cycloaddition of silyloxyvinylindoles and $\beta,\gamma$ -unsaturated $\alpha$ -ketoesters

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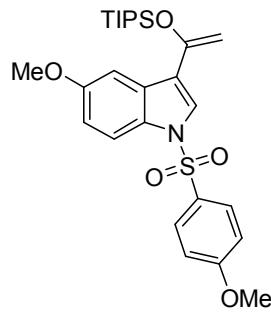
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## 1. General remarks

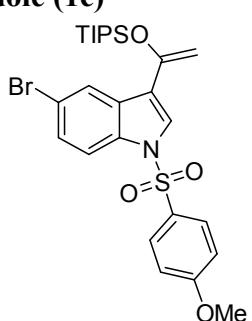
<sup>1</sup>H NMR spectra were recorded on commercial instruments (400 MHz). Chemical shifts are recorded in ppm relative to tetramethylsilane and with the solvent resonance as the internal standard. Data are reported as follows: chemical shift, multiplicity (s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, m = multiplet), coupling constants (Hz), integration. <sup>13</sup>C NMR data were collected on commercial instruments (100 MHz) with complete proton decoupling. Chemical shifts are reported in ppm from the tetramethylsilane with the solvent resonance as internal standard. Enantiomer excesses were determined by chiral HPLC analysis on Daicel Chiralcel IA, ID and AD-H in comparison with the authentic racemates. Optical rotations were reported as follows:  $[\alpha]_D^T$  (c: g/100 mL, in solvent). HRMS was recorded on a commercial apparatus (ESI Source). All the solvents were purified by usual methods before use. Silica gel for Thin-layer chromatography (HG/T2354-92) made in Qingdao Haiyang Chemical Co., Ltd. The compounds **1a-c** were synthesized by the procedure in the literature.<sup>1</sup>, and the compounds **2** were synthesized by the procedure in the literature.<sup>2</sup>

### **5-methoxy-1-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-3-(1-((triisopropylsilyl)oxy)vinyl)-1H-indole (1b)**



(C<sub>27</sub>H<sub>37</sub>NO<sub>5</sub>SSi) White solid, <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.82 (d, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 1H), 7.70 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.63 (s, 1H), 7.14 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.86 (dd, *J* = 9.2, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.80 – 6.73 (m, 2H), 4.68 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 4.47 (d, *J* = 1.6 Hz, 1H), 3.75 (s, 3H), 3.70 (s, 3H), 1.25 – 1.16 (m, 3H), 1.04 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 18H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 163.75, 156.53, 150.97, 130.23, 129.49, 129.05, 128.97, 125.62, 121.65, 114.59, 114.40, 113.44, 103.90, 92.48, 55.64, 18.09, 12.77.  
HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>27</sub>H<sub>37</sub>NO<sub>5</sub>SSi ([M+Na<sup>+</sup>]) = 538.2054, Found 538.2055.

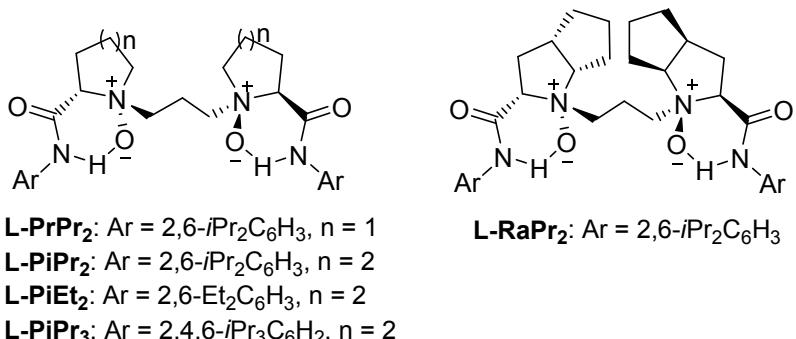
### **5-bromo-1-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-3-(1-((triisopropylsilyl)oxy)vinyl)-1H-indole (1c)**



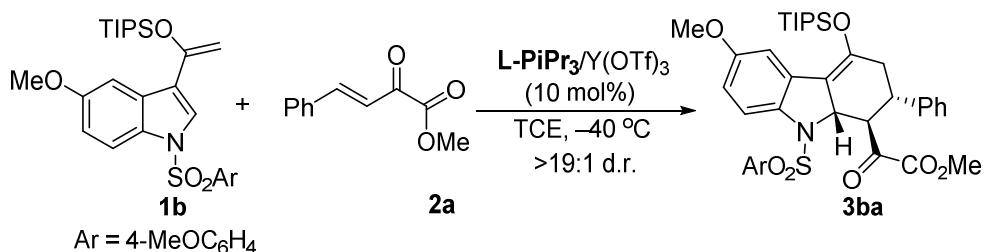
(C<sub>26</sub>H<sub>34</sub>BrNO<sub>4</sub>SSi) White solid, <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.92 (s, 1H), 7.88 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.78 (d, *J* = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 7.74 (s, 1H), 7.41 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 6.88 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 4.76 (s, 1H), 4.56 (s, 1H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 1.34 – 1.23 (m, 3H), 1.12 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 18H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 164.01, 150.32, 134.20, 129.60, 129.18, 129.13, 127.52, 125.85, 123.96, 120.98, 117.19, 115.14, 114.57, 92.82, 55.69, 18.07, 12.75.  
HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>26</sub>H<sub>34</sub>Br<sup>78.9183</sup>NO<sub>4</sub>SSi ([M+Na<sup>+</sup>]) = 586.1053, Found 586.1054. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>26</sub>H<sub>34</sub>Br<sup>80.9163</sup>NO<sub>4</sub>SSi ([M+Na<sup>+</sup>]) = 588.1033, Found 588.1036.

## 2. General procedure for *N,N'*-dioxide preparation

The *N,N'*-dioxide ligands **L** were synthesized by the same procedure in the literature.<sup>3</sup>



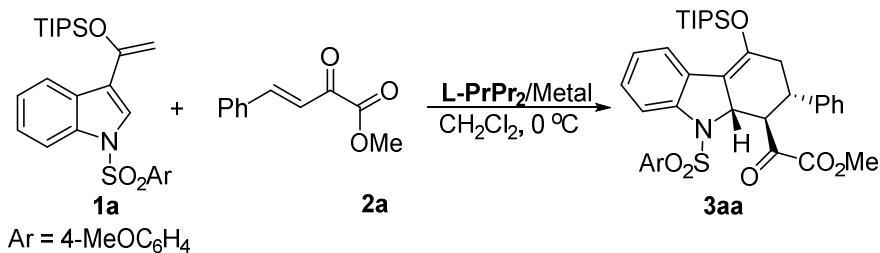
## 3. Typical procedure for the asymmetric reaction **1b** to **2a**



Y(OTf)<sub>3</sub> (0.01 mmol, 10 mol%), *N,N'*-dioxide ligand **L-PrPr<sub>3</sub>** (0.01 mmol, 10 mol%), and  $\beta,\gamma$ -unsaturated  $\alpha$ -ketoester **2a** (0.10 mmol) were stirred in Cl<sub>2</sub>CHCHCl<sub>2</sub> (1.0 mL) at 35 °C for 0.5 h under nitrogen atmosphere. Subsequently, 5-methoxy-1-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-3-(1-((triisopropylsilyl)oxy)vinyl)-1H-indole **1b** (0.12 mmol) was added at -40 °C. The reaction was stirred at -40 °C for 96 h, and then directly purified by flash chromatography on silica gel (eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 5/1) to afford the desired product **3ba** (98% yield, 92% *ee* and >19:1 d.r.).

## 4. Optimization of the reaction conditions.

### 4.1 Screening of the metal salts<sup>[a]</sup>



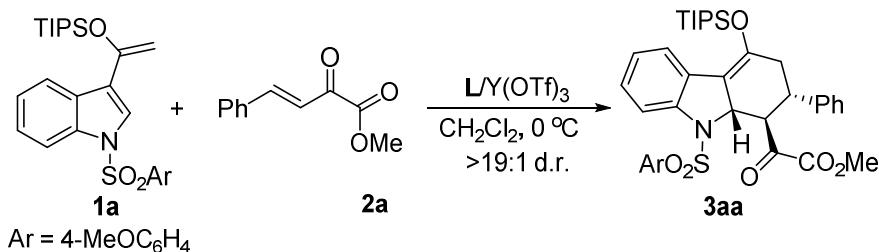
| Entry <sup>[a]</sup> | Ligand                    | Metal salt   | Yield [%] <sup>[b]</sup> | d.r. <sup>[c]</sup> | ee of <b>3aa</b> [%] <sup>[c]</sup> |
|----------------------|---------------------------|--|--------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1                    | <b>L-PrPr<sub>2</sub></b> | Fe(acac) <sub>3</sub>                                | trace                    | >95:5               | 19 (-)                              |
| 2                    | <b>L-PrPr<sub>2</sub></b> | Co(BF <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> •6H <sub>2</sub> O | 11                       | >95:5               | 37 (-)                              |
| 3                    | <b>L-PrPr<sub>2</sub></b> | Ni(OTf) <sub>2</sub>                                 | 6                        | >95:5               | 30 (-)                              |
| 4                    | <b>L-PrPr<sub>2</sub></b> | Cu(OTf) <sub>2</sub>                                 | trace                    | >95:5               | 19 (-)                              |
| 5                    | <b>L-PrPr<sub>2</sub></b> | Zn(OTf) <sub>2</sub>                                 | trace                    | >95:5               | 42 (-)                              |
| 6                    | <b>L-PrPr<sub>2</sub></b> | Mg(OTf) <sub>2</sub>                                 | trace                    | >95:5               | 7(-)                                |
| 7                    | <b>L-PrPr<sub>2</sub></b> | Y(OTf) <sub>3</sub>                                  | 95                       | >95:5               | 65                                  |
| 8                    | <b>L-PrPr<sub>2</sub></b> | La(OTf) <sub>3</sub>                                 | 89                       | >95:5               | 12 (-)                              |
| 9                    | <b>L-PrPr<sub>2</sub></b> | Yb(OTf) <sub>3</sub>                                 | 95                       | >95:5               | 56                                  |
| 10                   | <b>L-PrPr<sub>2</sub></b> | Er(OTf) <sub>3</sub>                                 | 90                       | >95:5               | 60                                  |

[a] Reaction conditions: metal salt/**L-PrPr<sub>2</sub>** (1:1, 10 mol%), **1a** (0.12 mmol), **2a** (0.10 mmol) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>

(1.0 mL) at 0 °C for 4 h, and the products were purified by silica gel column chromatography. [b]

Isolated yield. [c] Determined by chiral HPLC analysis.

#### 4.2 Screening of the Ligands<sup>[a]</sup>



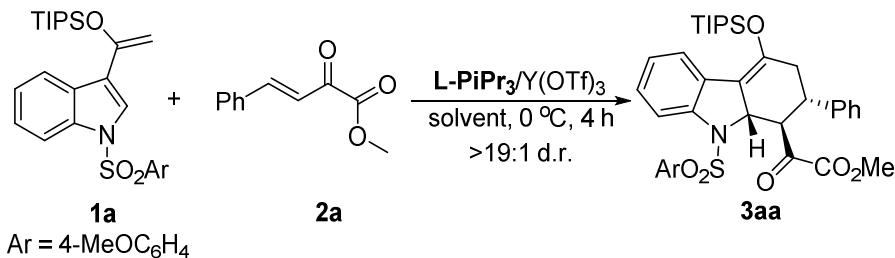
| Entry <sup>[a]</sup> | <b>L</b>                  | Yield [%] <sup>[b]</sup> | ee of <b>3aa</b> [%] <sup>[c]</sup> |
|----------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1                    | <b>L-PrPr<sub>2</sub></b> | 95                       | 65                                  |
| 2                    | <b>L-PiPr<sub>2</sub></b> | 95                       | 82                                  |
| 3                    | <b>L-RaPr<sub>2</sub></b> | 93                       | 78                                  |
| 4                    | <b>L-PiPr<sub>3</sub></b> | 93                       | 85                                  |
| 5                    | <b>L-PiEt<sub>2</sub></b> | 94                       | 6 (-)                               |
| 6                    | <b>L-PiMe<sub>2</sub></b> | 87                       | 45 (-)                              |

[a] Reaction conditions: Y(OTf)<sub>3</sub>/**L** (1:1, 10 mol%), **1a** (0.12 mmol), **2a** (0.10 mmol) in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (1.0

mL) at 0 °C for 4 h, and the products were purified by silica gel column chromatography.[b] Isolated

yield. [c] Determined by chiral HPLC analysis.

#### 4.3 Screening of the solvents<sup>[a]</sup>



| Entry <sup>[a]</sup> | solvent                              | Yield [%] <sup>[b]</sup> | ee of <b>3aa</b> [%] <sup>[c]</sup> |
|----------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1                    | CH <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub>      | 93                       | 85                                  |
| 2                    | ClCH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> Cl | 81                       | 82                                  |
| 3                    | CHCl <sub>3</sub>                    | 43                       | 85                                  |
| 4                    | ClCH <sub>2</sub> CHCl <sub>2</sub>  | 61                       | 84                                  |
| 5                    | CH <sub>3</sub> CCl <sub>3</sub>     | Trace                    | ---                                 |
| 6                    | Cl <sub>2</sub> CHCHCl <sub>2</sub>  | 80                       | 87                                  |
| 7                    | Toluene                              | <5                       | 12                                  |
| 8                    | THF                                  | 6                        | 55                                  |
| 9                    | EtOAc                                | 6                        | 18                                  |
| 10                   | CH <sub>3</sub> CN                   | 10                       | 0                                   |

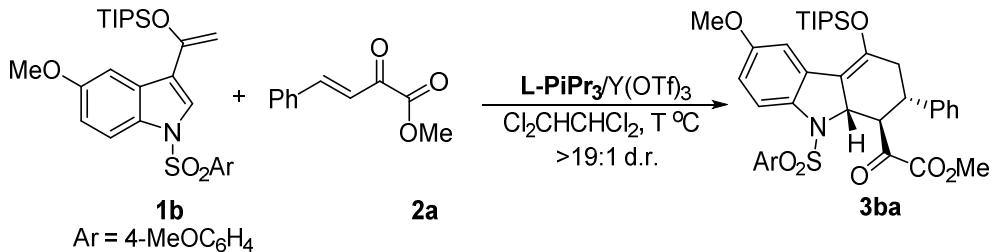
[a] Reaction conditions: Y(OTf)<sub>3</sub>/**L-PiPr<sub>3</sub>** (1:1, 10 mol%), **1a** (0.12 mmol), **2a** (0.10 mmol) in solvent (1.0 mL) at 0 °C for 4 h, and the products were purified by silica gel column chromatography. [b] Isolated yield. [c] Determined by chiral HPLC analysis.

#### 4.4 Screening of the electronic nature of substrate **1**<sup>[a]</sup>

| Entry <sup>[a]</sup> | R     | Pg   | Yield [%] <sup>[b]</sup> | ee of <b>3</b> [%] <sup>[c]</sup> |
|----------------------|-------|--|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1                    | H     | 4-MeOC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub> SO <sub>2</sub>                   | 80                       | 87                                |
| 2                    | H     | 3,4-(MeO) <sub>2</sub> C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>3</sub> SO <sub>2</sub> | 94                       | 77                                |
| 3                    | 5-MeO | 4-MeOC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub> SO <sub>2</sub>                   | 96                       | 87                                |

[a] Reaction conditions: Y(OTf)<sub>3</sub>/**L-PiPr<sub>3</sub>** (1:1, 10 mol%), **1** (0.12 mmol), **2a** (0.10 mmol) in Cl<sub>2</sub>CHCHCl<sub>2</sub> (1.0 mL) at 0 °C for 4 h, and the products were purified by silica gel column chromatography. [b] Isolated yield. [c] Determined by chiral HPLC analysis.

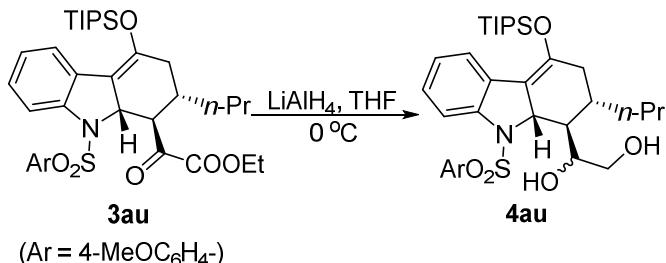
#### 4.5 Screening of the reaction temperature<sup>[a]</sup>



| Entry <sup>[a]</sup> | T °C | t (h) | Yield [%] <sup>[b]</sup> | ee of <b>3ba</b> [%] <sup>[c]</sup> |
|----------------------|------|-------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1                    | 0    | 4     | 96                       | 87                                  |
| 2                    | -30  | 17    | 85                       | 90                                  |
| 3                    | -40  | 17    | 63                       | 92                                  |
| 4                    | -40  | 96    | 98                       | 92                                  |

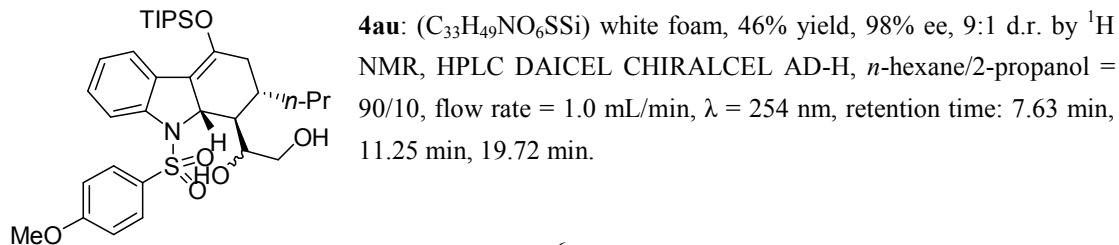
[a] Reaction conditions: **Y(OTf)<sub>3</sub>/L-PiPr<sub>3</sub>** (1:1, 10 mol%), **1b** (0.12 mmol), **2a** (0.10 mmol) in **Cl<sub>2</sub>CHCHCl<sub>2</sub>** (1.0 mL) at **T °C**, and the products were purified by silica gel column chromatography. [b] Isolated yield. [c] Determined by chiral HPLC analysis.

## 5. The transformation of the product **3au**

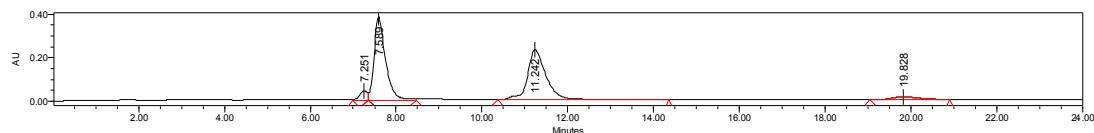


Lithium aluminum hydride (30.0 mg, 6 equiv) was added to **3au** (85.5 mg, 0.13 mmol) in THF (3.5 mL) at 0 °C. Then, the mixture was stirred for 2.5 h at room temperature. Subsequently, the reaction was quenched with saturated NH<sub>4</sub>Cl(*aq*). The aqueous layer was extracted with CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> three times. The organic phases were dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> and the solvents evaporated. The residue was purified by flash chromatography (SiO<sub>2</sub>, eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 2/1) to afford the desired product **4au** as a white foam (46% yield, 98% ee, >19:1 d.r.).

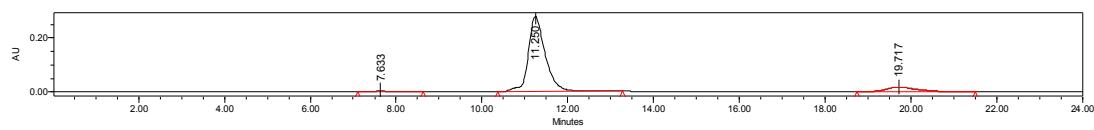
### 1-((1R,2S,9aS)-9-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-2-propyl-4-((triisopropylsilyl)oxy)-2,3,9,9a-tetrahydro-1H-carbazol-1-yl)ethane-1,2-diol (**4au**)



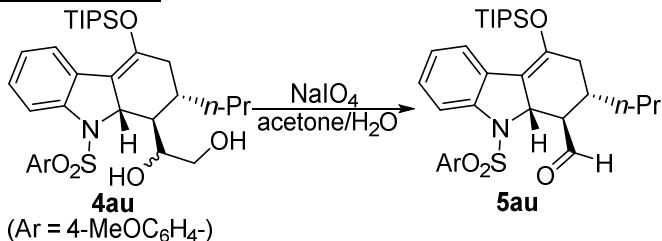
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.68 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.45 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.36 – 7.28 (m, 2H), 7.20 – 7.07 (m, 2H), 6.70 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 4.26 (d, *J* = 10 Hz, 1H), 4.22 (d, *J* = 10.4 Hz, 1H), 3.98 (t, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 3.81 – 3.72 (m, 4H), 3.68 (d, *J* = 10.0 Hz, 1H), 2.29 (dd, *J* = 15.2, 7.6 Hz, 2H), 2.08 (d, *J* = 15.6 Hz, 1H), 1.07 – 1.88 (m, 1H), 1.34 – 1.21 (m, 4H), 1.19 – 1.11 (m, 4H), 0.98 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 18H), 0.85 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 163.49, 145.92, 141.79, 130.83, 129.67, 126.34, 126.26, 126.18, 123.02, 120.04, 114.07, 113.87, 74.88, 66.06, 64.01, 55.41, 50.06, 39.01, 35.08, 34.99, 20.44, 17.67, 17.56, 14.02, 13.18. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>33</sub>H<sub>49</sub>NO<sub>6</sub>SSi ([M+Na<sup>+</sup>]) = 638.2942, Found 638.2946.



|   | Retention Time | Area    | % Area |
|---|----------------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 7.251          | 537564  | 3.50   |
| 2 | 7.589          | 7110471 | 46.26  |
| 3 | 11.242         | 7126889 | 46.36  |
| 4 | 19.828         | 597403  | 3.89   |



|   | Retention Time | Area    | % Area |
|---|----------------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 7.633          | 58987   | 0.69   |
| 2 | 11.250         | 7726596 | 90.39  |
| 3 | 19.717         | 762756  | 8.92   |

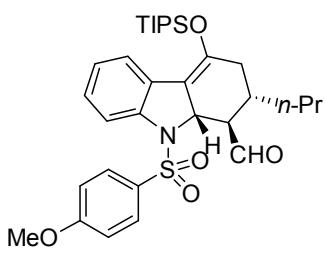


The compound **4au** (35.7 mg, 0.058 mmol) was stirred in acetone/H<sub>2</sub>O (3 mL, 1:1, v:v), then NaIO<sub>4</sub> (50 mg, 4 equiv) was added slowly to the mixture at room temperature, and the mixture was stirred for 3 h at room temperature. After the aqueous layer was extracted with CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> and solvent evaporation, the residue was purified by flash chromatography (SiO<sub>2</sub>, eluent: petroleum ether/ethyl acetate = 5/1) to afford the desired product **5au** as a white foam (86 yield, 98% ee, >19:1 d.r.)

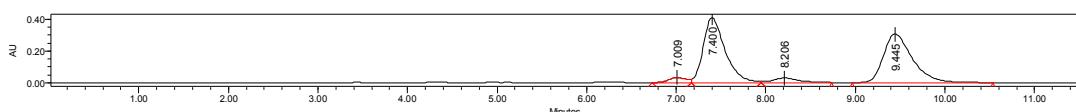
**(1R,2S,9aS)-9-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-2-propyl-4-((triisopropylsilyloxy)-2,3,9,9a-tetrahydron-1H-carbazole-1-carbaldehyde (5au)**

**5au:** (C<sub>32</sub>H<sub>45</sub>NO<sub>5</sub>SSI) white foam, 86% yield, 98% ee, >19:1 d.r. by HNMR, [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>27.2</sup> = +274.8 (c = 0.44, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL AD-H, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 90/10, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,

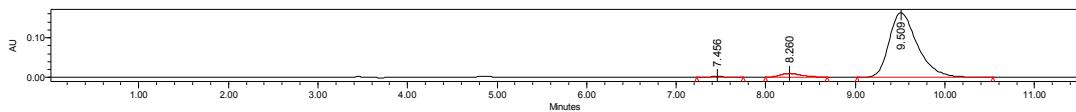
$\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 7.46 min, 8.26 min, 9.51 min.



<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  9.95 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 7.63 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 3H), 7.55 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 7.11 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 7.00 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 6.85 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 4.79 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 2.77 (t, *J* = 5.2 Hz, 1H), 2.41 (dd, *J* = 16.0, 6.0 Hz, 1H), 2.24 – 1.99 (m, 2H), 1.47 – 1.34 (m, 2H), 1.33 – 1.25 (m, 2H), 1.24 – 1.14 (m, 3H), 1.07 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 18H), 0.89 (t, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  201.95, 163.48, 144.34, 141.94, 130.06, 128.74, 127.74, 126.96, 124.25, 123.42, 115.93, 114.09, 111.25, 62.69, 57.56, 55.51, 55.49, 36.95, 34.99, 32.95, 19.96, 17.89, 13.90, 13.51. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>32</sub>H<sub>45</sub>NO<sub>5</sub>SSi ([M+Na<sup>+</sup>]) = 606.2680, Found 606.2683.



|   | Retention Time | Area    | % Area |
|---|----------------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 7.009          | 433585  | 2.95   |
| 2 | 7.400          | 6903947 | 47.03  |
| 3 | 8.206          | 541557  | 3.69   |
| 4 | 9.445          | 6799995 | 46.32  |



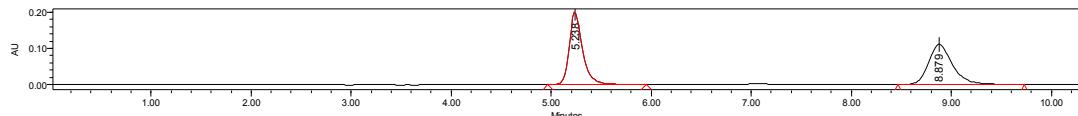
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| 1 | 7.456          | 23915   | 0.63   |
| 2 | 8.260          | 167657  | 4.43   |
| 3 | 9.509          | 3590135 | 94.93  |

## 6. The analytical and spectral characterization data of the reaction products 3

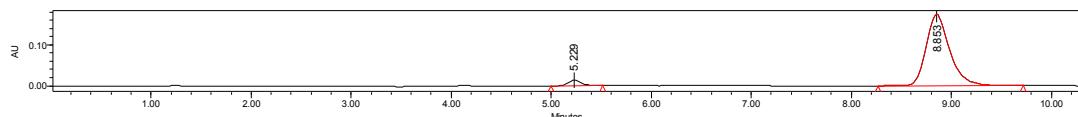
**Methyl 2-((1*R*,2*S*,9*a**S*)-6-methoxy-9-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-2-phenyl-4-((triisopropylsilyl)oxy)-2,3,9,9*a*-tetrahydro-1*H*-carbazol-1-yl)-2-oxoacetate (3ba)**

(C<sub>38</sub>H<sub>47</sub>NO<sub>8</sub>SSi) white foam, 98% yield, 92% ee.  $[\alpha]_D^{16.9} = +108.9$  (c = 1.09, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 5.23 min, 8.85 min.

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  7.63 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.53 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.30 – 7.02 (m, 7H), 6.82 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.63 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 4.79 (d, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 1H), 4.26 (t, *J* = 9.6 Hz, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 3.61 (s, 3H), 3.36 – 3.17 (m, 1H), 2.69 – 2.44 (m, 2H), 1.11 – 1.03 (m, 3H), 0.97 (dd, *J* = 7.2, 4.4 Hz, 18H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>)  $\delta$  193.18, 163.59, 160.14, 156.61, 144.63, 140.39, 135.64, 130.29, 129.69, 128.82, 128.41, 127.50, 126.56, 116.12, 114.15, 113.38, 111.23, 108.76, 65.77, 55.53, 55.49, 52.90, 51.47, 44.32, 38.58, 17.90, 13.65. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>38</sub>H<sub>47</sub>NO<sub>8</sub>SSi ([M+Na<sup>+</sup>]) = 728.2684, Found 728.2689.



|   | Retention Time | Area    | % Area |
|---|----------------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 5.238          | 1873081 | 50.51  |
| 2 | 8.879          | 1835299 | 49.49  |

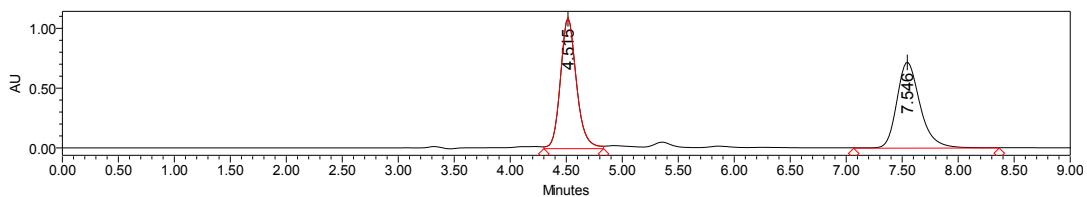


|   | Retention Time | Area    | % Area |
|---|----------------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 5.229          | 120947  | 4.06   |
| 2 | 8.853          | 2858371 | 95.94  |

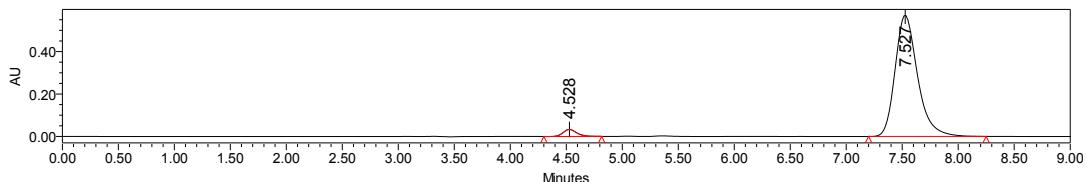
**Ethyl 2-((1R,2S,9aS)-6-methoxy-9-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-2-phenyl-4-((triisopropylsilyl)oxy)-2,3,9,9a-tetrahydro-1H-carbazol-1-yl)-2-oxoacetate (3bb)**

(C<sub>39</sub>H<sub>49</sub>NO<sub>8</sub>SSI) white foam, 98% yield, 93% *ee*, [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>14.6</sup> = +110.8 (c = 1.16, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, retention time: 4.53 min, 7.53 min.

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.71 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.61 (d, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 2H), 7.29 – 7.24 (m, 2H), 7.23 – 7.12 (m, 4H), 6.89 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.71 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 4.88 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 4.34 (t, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 1H), 4.25 – 4.05 (m, 2H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 3.76 (s, 3H), 3.37 (dd, *J* = 17.2, 9.6 Hz, 1H), 2.70 – 2.56 (m, 2H), 1.22 – 1.12 (m, 6H), 1.04 (dd, *J* = 7.2, 3.6 Hz, 18H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 193.54, 163.56, 159.55, 156.58, 144.60, 140.44, 135.70, 130.30, 129.69, 128.81, 128.49, 127.45, 126.65, 116.10, 114.12, 113.37, 111.26, 108.76, 65.75, 62.24, 55.53, 55.50, 51.39, 44.34, 38.54, 17.90, 13.91, 13.66. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>39</sub>H<sub>49</sub>NO<sub>8</sub>SSI ([M+Na<sup>+</sup>]) = 742.2840, Found 742.2838.



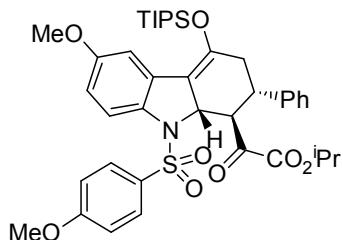
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|---|----------------|----------|--------|
| 1 | 4.515          | 10852977 | 51.02  |
| 2 | 7.546          | 10421053 | 48.98  |



|  | Retention Time | Area | % Area |
|--|----------------|------|--------|
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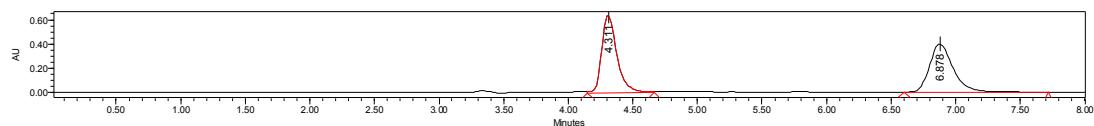
|   |       |         |       |
|---|-------|---------|-------|
| 1 | 4.528 | 272730  | 3.32  |
| 2 | 7.527 | 7952343 | 96.68 |

**Isopropyl 2-((1R,2S,9aS)-6-methoxy-9-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-2-phenyl-4-((triisopropylsilyloxy)-2,3,9,9a-tetrahydro-1H-carbazol-1-yl)-2-oxoacetate (3bc)**

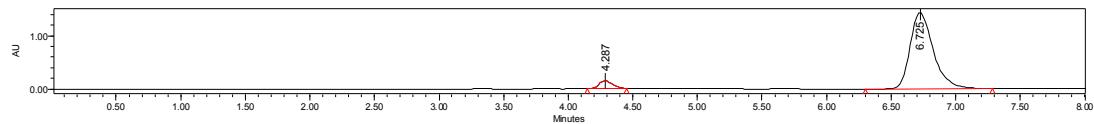


(C<sub>40</sub>H<sub>51</sub>NO<sub>8</sub>SSi) white foam, 95% yield, 89% ee. [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>14.7</sup> = +108.2 (c = 1.12, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, retention time: 4.29 min, 6.72 min.

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.72 (d, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 1H), 7.61 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.30 – 7.24 (m, 2H), 7.22 – 7.14 (m, 4H), 6.89 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.71 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 5.00 – 4.91 (m, 1H), 4.87 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 4.34 (t, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 3.76 (s, 3H), 3.49 – 3.29 (m, 1H), 2.73 – 2.52 (m, 2H), 1.23 (d, *J* = 6.0 Hz, 3H), 1.18 – 1.12 (m, 6H), 1.04 (dd, *J* = 7.2, 3.2 Hz, 18H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 193.78, 163.53, 158.98, 156.56, 144.57, 140.54, 135.75, 130.32, 129.69, 128.81, 128.51, 127.40, 126.73, 116.09, 114.10, 113.36, 111.28, 108.74, 70.24, 65.76, 55.52, 55.49, 51.27, 44.32, 38.51, 21.43, 17.90, 13.66. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>40</sub>H<sub>51</sub>NO<sub>8</sub>SSi ([M+Na<sup>+</sup>]) = 756.2997, Found 756.2999.

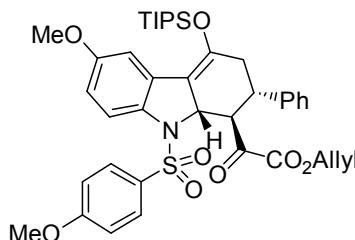


|   | Retention Time | Area    | % Area |
|---|----------------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 4.311          | 5206683 | 50.81  |
| 2 | 6.878          | 5040626 | 49.19  |



|   | Retention Time | Area     | % Area |
|---|----------------|----------|--------|
| 1 | 4.287          | 1048416  | 5.57   |
| 2 | 6.725          | 17762414 | 94.43  |

**Allyl 2-((1R,2S,9aS)-6-methoxy-9-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-2-phenyl-4-((triisopropylsilyloxy)-2,3,9,9a-tetrahydro-1H-carbazol-1-yl)-2-oxoacetate (3bd)**

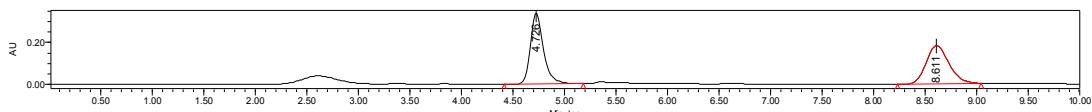


(C<sub>40</sub>H<sub>49</sub>NO<sub>8</sub>SSi) white foam, 95% yield, 93% ee, [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>22.1</sup> = +110.4 (c = 1.09, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, retention time: 4.74 min, 8.62 min.

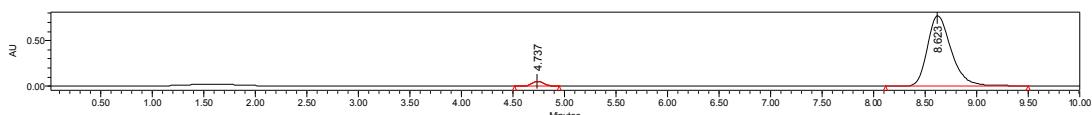
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.64 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.58 – 7.48 (m, 2H), 7.22 – 7.16 (m, 2H), 7.15 – 7.07 (m, 4H), 6.81 (d, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 2H), 6.63 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 5.86 – 5.60 (m, 1H), 5.23 – 5.02 (m, 2H), 4.80 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 4.58 – 4.42 (m, 2H), 4.27 (t, *J* = 9.6 Hz, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 3.40 – 3.22 (m, 1H), 2.64 – 2.46 (m, 2H), 1.01 – 1.03 (m, 3H), 0.97 (dd, *J* = 7.2, 4.0 Hz, 18H).

<sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 193.17, 163.57, 159.22, 156.58, 144.60, 140.35, 135.68, 131.08, 130.31, 129.67, 128.85, 128.48, 127.48, 126.62, 118.96, 116.09, 114.13, 113.38, 111.23, 108.77, 66.63, 65.76,

55.53, 55.49, 51.41, 44.37, 38.57, 17.90, 13.66. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>40</sub>H<sub>49</sub>NO<sub>8</sub>SSI ([M+Na<sup>+</sup>]) = 754.2840, Found 754.2844.

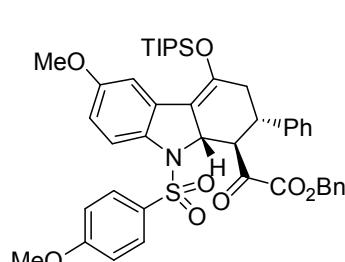


|   | Retention Time | Area    | % Area |
|---|----------------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 4.726          | 2963981 | 51.69  |
| 2 | 8.611          | 2769983 | 48.31  |

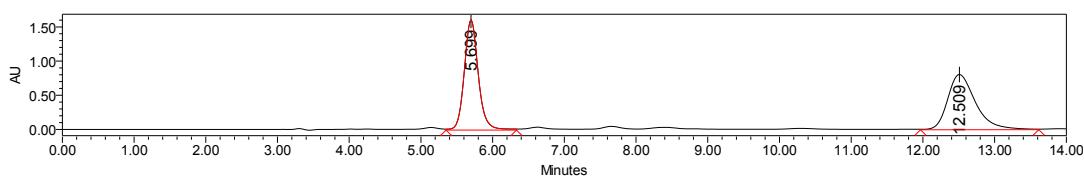


|   | Retention Time | Area     | % Area |
|---|----------------|----------|--------|
| 1 | 4.737          | 440545   | 3.40   |
| 2 | 8.623          | 12499368 | 96.60  |

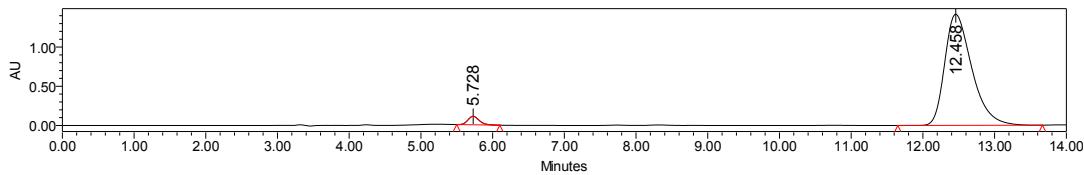
**Benzyl 2-((1*R*,2*S*,9*a**S*)-6-methoxy-9-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-2-phenyl-4-((triisopropylsilyloxy)-2,3,9,9*a*-tetrahydro-1*H*-carbazol-1-yl)-2-oxoacetate (3be)**



(C<sub>44</sub>H<sub>51</sub>NO<sub>8</sub>SSI) white foam, 92% yield, 94% ee, [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>17.3</sup> = +92.2 (c = 0.51, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>); HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, retention time: 5.73 min, 12.46 min.  
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.71 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.59 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.38 – 7.05 (m, 12H), 6.87 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.71 (dd, J = 8.8, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 5.13 (q, J = 12.4 Hz, 2H), 4.89 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 4.33 (t, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 3.78 (s, 3H), 3.75 (s, 3H), 3.46 – 3.27 (m, 1H), 2.70 – 2.49 (m, 2H), 1.18 – 1.09 (m, 3H), 1.03 (d, J = 4.8 Hz, 18H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 193.01, 163.58, 159.37, 156.63, 144.60, 140.38, 135.71, 134.93, 130.32, 129.69, 128.81, 128.47, 128.38, 128.29, 128.25, 127.43, 126.66, 116.12, 114.15, 113.40, 111.28, 108.80, 67.68, 65.76, 55.52, 51.74, 44.25, 38.60, 17.91, 13.66. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>44</sub>H<sub>51</sub>NO<sub>8</sub>SSI ([M+Na<sup>+</sup>]) = 804.2997, Found 804.2997.



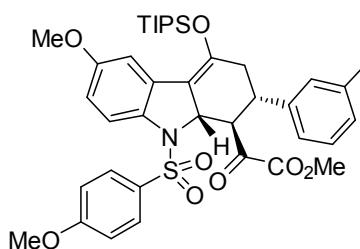
|   | Retention Time | Area     | % Area |
|---|----------------|----------|--------|
| 1 | 5.699          | 21937258 | 50.08  |
| 2 | 12.509         | 21865253 | 49.92  |



|  | Retention Time | Area | % Area |
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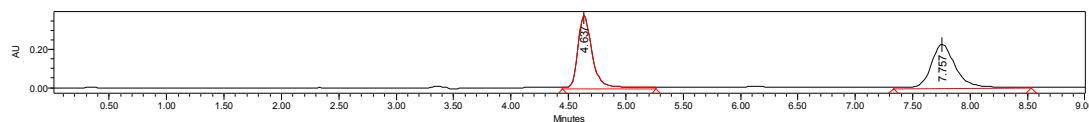
|   |        |          |       |
|---|--------|----------|-------|
| 1 | 5.728  | 1194497  | 3.11  |
| 2 | 12.458 | 37163786 | 96.89 |

**Methyl 2-((1R,2S,9aS)-6-methoxy-9-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-2-(m-tolyl)-4-((triisopropylsilyl)oxy)-2,3,9,9a-tetrahydro-1H-carbazol-1-yl)-2-oxoacetate (3bf)**

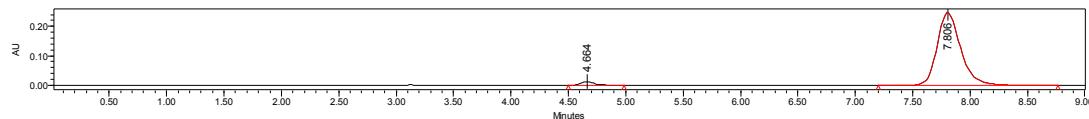


(C<sub>39</sub>H<sub>49</sub>NO<sub>8</sub>SSi) white foam, 98% yield, 94% *ee*. [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>18.9</sup> = +112.3 (c = 1.32, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, retention time: 4.66 min, 7.81 min.

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.63 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.52 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.13 – 7.04 (m, 2H), 6.97 – 6.87 (m, 3H), 6.81 (d, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 2H), 6.63 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 4.78 (d, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 1H), 4.23 (t, *J* = 9.6 Hz, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.68 (s, 3H), 3.62 (s, 3H), 3.33 – 3.19 (m, 1H), 2.62 – 2.47 (m, 2H), 2.21 (s, 3H), 1.12 – 1.04 (m, 3H), 0.97 (dd, *J* = 7.2, 4.4 Hz, 18H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 193.21, 163.58, 160.12, 156.60, 144.74, 140.32, 138.41, 135.65, 130.29, 129.73, 129.32, 128.72, 128.19, 126.56, 125.19, 116.13, 114.13, 113.36, 111.24, 108.73, 65.82, 55.53, 55.29, 52.87, 51.53, 44.24, 38.62, 21.40, 17.90, 13.66. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>39</sub>H<sub>49</sub>NO<sub>8</sub>SSi ([M+Na<sup>+</sup>]) = 742.2840, Found 742.2839.

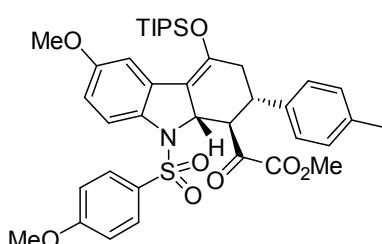


|   | Retention Time | Area    | % Area |
|---|----------------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 4.637          | 3575790 | 49.30  |
| 2 | 7.757          | 3676895 | 50.70  |



|   | Retention Time | Area    | % Area |
|---|----------------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 4.664          | 107380  | 2.96   |
| 2 | 7.806          | 3516010 | 97.04  |

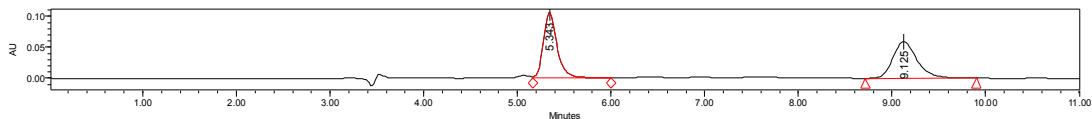
**Methyl 2-((1R,2S,9aS)-6-methoxy-9-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-2-(p-tolyl)-4-((triisopropylsilyl)oxy)-2,3,9,9a-tetrahydro-1H-carbazol-1-yl)-2-oxoacetate (3bg)**



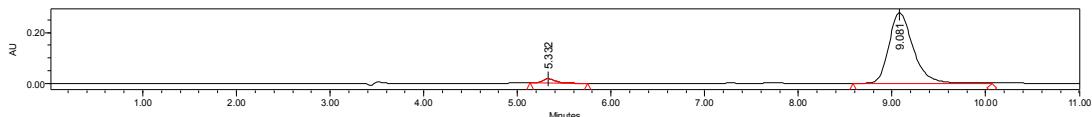
(C<sub>39</sub>H<sub>49</sub>NO<sub>8</sub>SSi) white foam, 94% yield, 93% *ee*. [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>17.0</sup> = +122.8 (c = 1.14, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, retention time: 5.33 min, 9.08 min.

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.70 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.60 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.17 (d, *J* = 2.6 Hz, 1H), 7.10 – 7.03 (m, 4H), 6.89 (d, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 2H), 6.70 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 4.87 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 4.29 (t, *J* = 9.6 Hz, 1H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 3.76 (s, 3H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 3.47 – 3.28 (m, 1H), 2.73 – 2.52 (m, 2H), 2.29 (s, 3H), 1.19 – 1.11 (m, 3H), 1.08 – 0.99 (m, 18H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 193.18, 163.57, 160.12, 156.59, 144.76, 137.24, 137.13, 135.65, 130.31, 129.74, 129.48,

128.27, 126.57, 116.12, 114.13, 113.35, 111.21, 108.76, 65.85, 55.53, 55.49, 52.88, 51.60, 43.95, 38.73, 21.05, 17.91, 13.67. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>39</sub>H<sub>49</sub>NO<sub>8</sub>SSi ([M+Na] = 742.2840, Found 742.2841

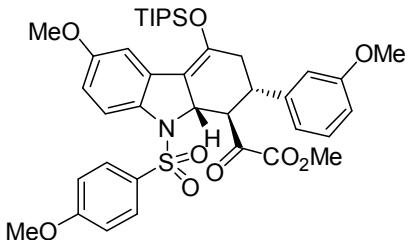


|   | Retention Time | Area    | % Area |
|---|----------------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 5.343          | 1096977 | 50.91  |
| 2 | 9.125          | 1057887 | 49.09  |



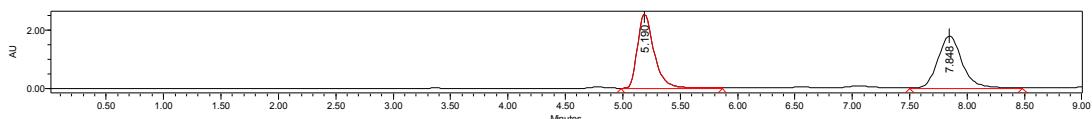
|   | Retention Time | Area    | % Area |
|---|----------------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 5.332          | 168867  | 3.30   |
| 2 | 9.081          | 4951275 | 96.70  |

**Methyl 2-((1R,2S,9aS)-6-methoxy-2-(3-methoxyphenyl)-9-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-4-((triisopropylsilyloxy)-2,3,9,9a-tetrahydro-1H-carbazol-1-yl)-2-oxoacetate (3bh)**

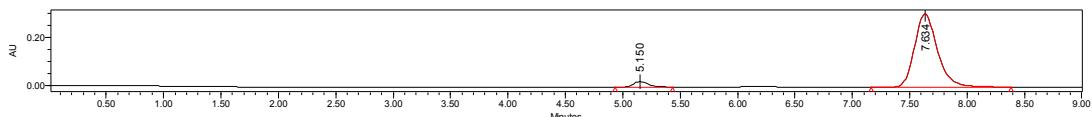


(C<sub>39</sub>H<sub>49</sub>NO<sub>9</sub>SSi) white foam, 96% yield, 90% ee. [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>17.2</sup> = +115.6 (c = 1.35, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, retention time: 5.15 min, 7.63 min.

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.63 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.52 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.10 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 6.81 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.73 – 6.58 (m, 4H), 4.78 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 4.25 (t, J = 9.6 Hz, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.68 (s, 3H), 3.66 (s, 3H), 3.65 (s, 3H), 3.37 – 3.21 (m, 1H), 2.65 – 2.43 (m, 2H), 1.10 – 1.03 (m, 3H), 0.96 (dd, J = 7.2, 2.8 Hz, 18H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 193.03, 163.59, 160.22, 159.76, 156.63, 144.58, 142.19, 135.59, 130.29, 129.85, 129.71, 126.51, 120.49, 116.16, 114.15, 113.69, 113.40, 113.20, 111.26, 108.69, 65.66, 55.53, 55.49, 55.13, 52.96, 51.55, 44.06, 38.58, 17.89, 13.64. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>39</sub>H<sub>49</sub>NO<sub>9</sub>SSi ([M+Na<sup>+</sup>] = 758.2790, Found 758.2789.



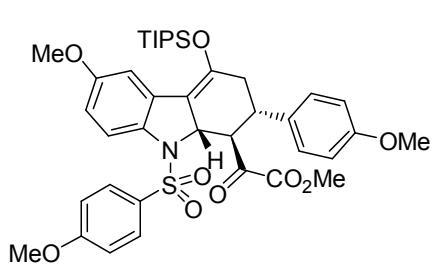
|   | Retention Time | Area     | % Area |
|---|----------------|----------|--------|
| 1 | 5.190          | 26305030 | 49.75  |
| 2 | 7.848          | 26564176 | 50.25  |



|   | Retention Time | Area   | % Area |
|---|----------------|--------|--------|
| 1 | 5.150          | 206508 | 4.71   |

|   |       |         |       |
|---|-------|---------|-------|
| 2 | 7.634 | 4178101 | 95.29 |
|---|-------|---------|-------|

**Methyl 2-((1R,2S,9aS)-6-methoxy-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-9-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-4-((triisopropylsilyl)oxy)-2,3,9a-tetrahydro-1H-carbazol-1-yl)-2-oxoacetate (3bi)**

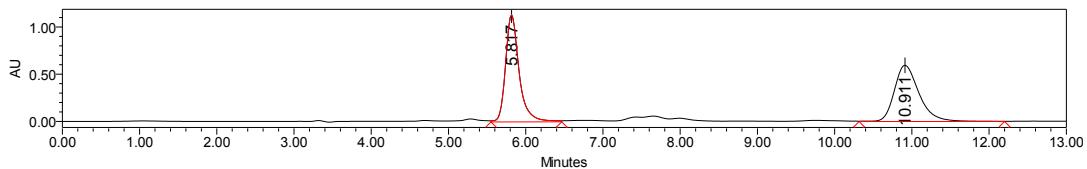


( $\text{C}_{39}\text{H}_{49}\text{NO}_9\text{SSi}$ ) white foam, 97% yield, 92% *ee*.  $[\alpha]_D^{17.4} = +109.6$  ( $c = 1.17, \text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 5.82 min, 10.83 min.

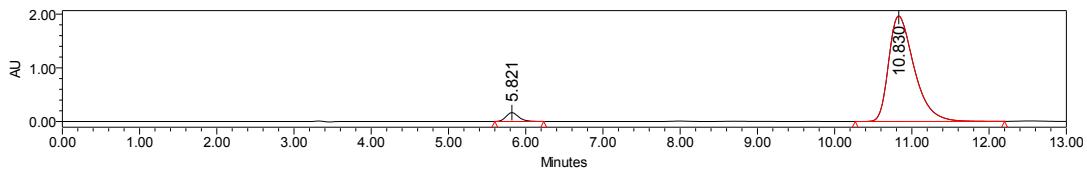
$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.70 (d,  $J = 9.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.61 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 2H), 7.18 (d,  $J = 2.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.09 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 2H), 6.89 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 2H), 6.80 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 2H),

6.70 (dd,  $J = 9.2, 2.4$  Hz, 1H), 4.87 (d,  $J = 9.2$  Hz, 1H), 4.29 (t,  $J = 9.6$  Hz, 1H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 3.76 (s, 6H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 3.41 – 3.27 (m, 1H), 2.66 – 2.52 (m, 2H), 1.19 – 1.11 (m, 3H), 1.08 – 1.01 (m, 18H).

$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  193.27, 163.57, 160.11, 158.79, 156.58, 144.75, 135.65, 132.19, 130.30, 129.71, 129.49, 126.57, 116.07, 114.14, 113.34, 111.18, 108.78, 65.79, 55.53, 55.49, 55.24, 52.91, 51.67, 43.58, 38.86, 17.91, 13.66. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for  $\text{C}_{39}\text{H}_{49}\text{NO}_9\text{SSi}$  ( $[\text{M}+\text{Na}^+]$ ) = 758.2790, Found 758.2790.

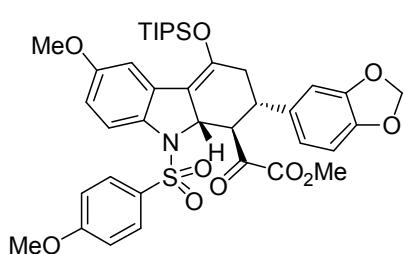


|   | Retention Time | Area     | % Area |
|---|----------------|----------|--------|
| 1 | 5.817          | 13897359 | 51.18  |
| 2 | 10.911         | 13255068 | 48.82  |



|   | Retention Time | Area     | % Area |
|---|----------------|----------|--------|
| 1 | 5.821          | 1878082  | 4.01   |
| 2 | 10.830         | 44947860 | 95.99  |

**Methyl 2-((1R,2S,9aS)-2-(benzo[d][1,3]dioxol-5-yl)-6-methoxy-9-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-4-((triisopropylsilyl)oxy)-2,3,9a-tetrahydro-1H-carbazol-1-yl)-2-oxoacetate (3bj)**

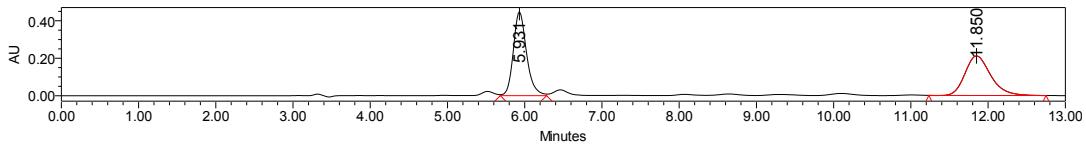


( $\text{C}_{39}\text{H}_{47}\text{NO}_{10}\text{SSi}$ ) white foam, 97% yield, 91% *ee*.  $[\alpha]_D^{14.3} = +119.4$  ( $c = 1.25, \text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 5.94 min, 11.83 min.

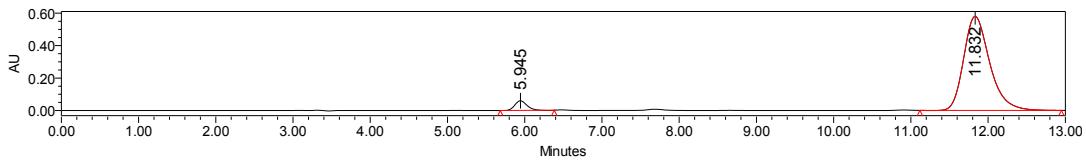
$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.70 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.59 (d,  $J = 9.2$  Hz, 2H), 7.17 (d,  $J = 2.8$  Hz, 1H), 6.89 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 2H), 6.74 – 6.65 (m, 3H), 6.62 (d,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H), 5.92 (s, 2H),

4.85 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 4.24 (d,  $J = 9.6$  Hz, 1H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 3.76 (d,  $J = 4.0$  Hz, 6H), 3.44 – 3.25 (m, 1H), 2.73 – 2.41 (m, 2H), 1.20 – 1.12 (m, 3H), 1.05 (dd,  $J = 7.2, 4.0$  Hz, 18H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  192.95, 163.59, 160.17, 156.63, 147.90, 146.81, 144.57, 135.60, 134.26, 130.30, 129.68,

126.48, 121.66, 116.20, 114.14, 113.39, 111.28, 108.73, 108.49, 108.44, 101.10, 65.81, 55.53, 55.49, 53.00, 51.89, 43.87, 38.98, 17.91, 13.66. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for  $C_{39}H_{47}NO_{10}SSi$  ( $[M+Na^+]$ ) = 772.2582, Found: 772.2595.



|   | Retention Time | Area    | % Area |
|---|----------------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 5.931          | 5321715 | 52.17  |
| 2 | 11.850         | 4878284 | 47.83  |

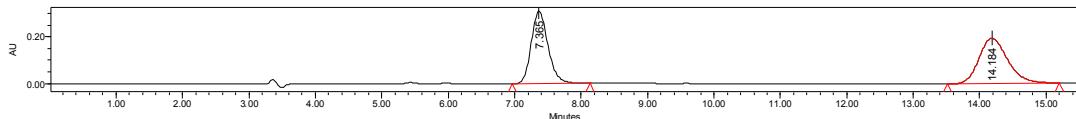


|   | Retention Time | Area     | % Area |
|---|----------------|----------|--------|
| 1 | 5.945          | 653906   | 4.60   |
| 2 | 11.832         | 13547884 | 95.40  |

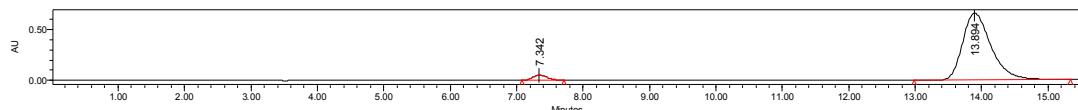
**Methyl 2-((1*R*,2*S*,9*a**S*)-2-((1,1'-biphenyl)-4-yl)-6-methoxy-9-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-4-((triisopropylsilyl)oxy)-2,3,9*a*-tetrahydro-1*H*-carbazol-1-yl)-2-oxoacetate (3bk)**

( $C_{44}H_{51}NO_8SSi$ ) white foam, 94% yield, 92% *ee*.  $[\alpha]_D^{17.4} = +146.5$  ( $c = 1.34$ ,  $CH_2Cl_2$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda = 254$  nm, retention time: 7.34 min, 13.89 min.

$^1H$  NMR (400 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  7.71 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 7.61 (d,  $J = 9.2$  Hz, 2H), 7.59 – 7.53 (m, 2H), 7.50 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 2H), 7.42 (t,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 2H), 7.33 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1H), 7.24 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 2H), 7.19 (d,  $J = 2.4$  Hz, 1H), 6.90 (d,  $J = 9.2$  Hz, 2H), 6.72 (dd,  $J = 9.2, 2.8$  Hz, 1H), 4.89 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 1H), 4.37 (t,  $J = 9.6$  Hz, 1H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 3.77 (s, 3H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 3.52 – 3.33 (m, 1H), 2.79 – 2.55 (m, 2H), 1.20 – 1.12 (m, 3H), 1.05 (dd,  $J = 7.2, 2.8$  Hz, 18H).  $^{13}C$  NMR (101 MHz,  $CDCl_3$ )  $\delta$  193.22, 163.61, 160.24, 156.65, 144.57, 140.47, 140.31, 139.57, 135.64, 130.31, 129.70, 128.82, 127.48, 127.41, 126.98, 126.58, 116.15, 114.17, 113.42, 111.29, 108.76, 65.68, 55.55, 55.51, 52.99, 51.61, 43.83, 38.55, 17.92, 13.67. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for  $C_{44}H_{51}NO_8SSi$  ( $[M+Na^+]$ ) = 804.2994, Found: 804.3008.



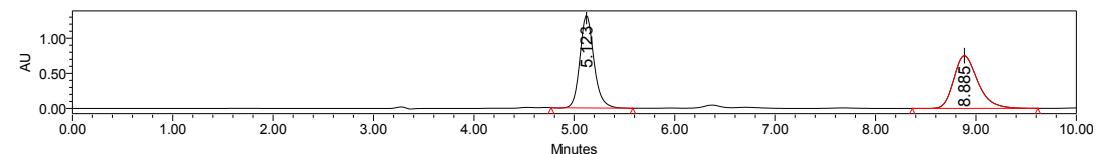
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| 2 | 14.184         | 5847441 | 51.58  |



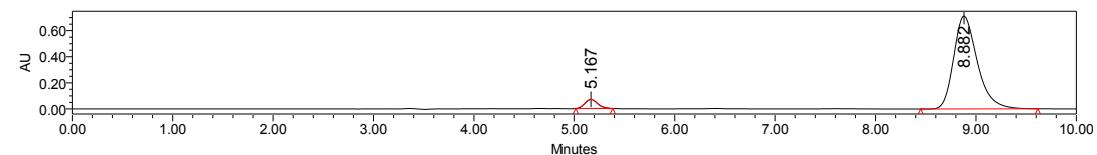
|   | Retention Time | Area     | % Area |
|---|----------------|----------|--------|
| 1 | 7.342          | 812359   | 3.95   |
| 2 | 13.894         | 19742909 | 96.05  |

**Methyl 2-((1R,2S,9aS)-2-(4-fluorophenyl)-6-methoxy-9-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-4-((triisopropylsilyl)oxy)-2,3,9,9a-tetrahydro-1H-carbazol-1-yl)-2-oxoacetate (3bl)**

(C<sub>38</sub>H<sub>46</sub>FNO<sub>8</sub>SSi) white foam, 95% yield, 90% ee. [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>14.4</sup> = +99.7 (c = 1.06, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, retention time: 5.17 min, 8.88 min.  
<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.70 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.59 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.21 – 7.09 (m, 3H), 6.96 (t, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.89 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.71 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 4.84 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 4.30 (t, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 1H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 3.76 (s, 3H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.46 – 3.28 (m, 1H), 2.74 – 2.33 (m, 2H), 1.18 – 1.09 (m, 3H), 1.04 (d, *J* = 5.6 Hz, 18H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 193.10, 163.62, 163.17, 160.72, 160.24, 156.64, 144.34, 136.39, 136.36, 135.58, 130.27, 129.98, 129.90, 129.57, 126.48, 116.13, 115.82, 115.61, 114.16, 113.45, 111.29, 108.75, 65.60, 55.54, 55.49, 53.05, 51.59, 43.39, 38.73, 17.88, 13.63. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>38</sub>H<sub>46</sub>FNO<sub>8</sub>SSi ([M+Na<sup>+</sup>]) = 746.2590, Found 746.2588.



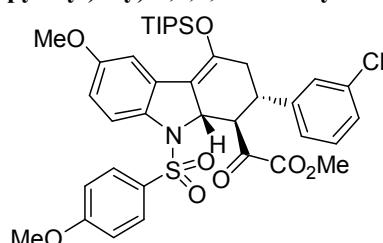
|   | Retention Time | Area     | % Area |
|---|----------------|----------|--------|
| 1 | 5.123          | 12693702 | 50.50  |
| 2 | 8.885          | 12441460 | 49.50  |



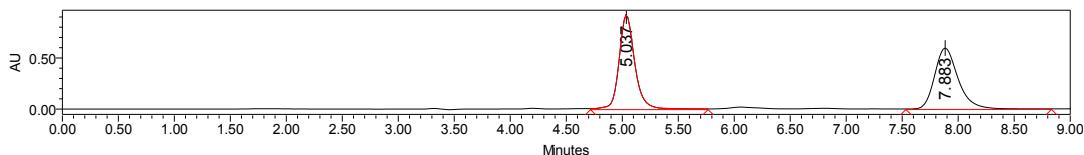
|   | Retention Time | Area     | % Area |
|---|----------------|----------|--------|
| 1 | 5.167          | 616195   | 5.03   |
| 2 | 8.882          | 11644344 | 94.97  |

**Methyl 2-((1R,2S,9aS)-2-(3-chlorophenyl)-6-methoxy-9-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-4-((triisopropylsilyl)oxy)-2,3,9,9a-tetrahydro-1H-carbazol-1-yl)-2-oxoacetate (3bm)**

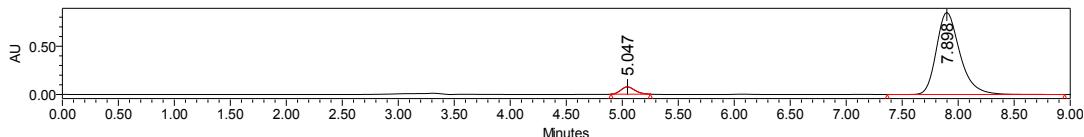
(C<sub>38</sub>H<sub>46</sub>ClNO<sub>8</sub>SSi) white foam, 84% yield, 90% ee, [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>14.8</sup> = +131.6 (c = 0.87, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, retention time: 5.05 min, 7.90 min.



<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.70 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.58 (d, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 2H), 7.23 – 7.11 (m, 4H), 7.10 – 7.02 (m, 1H), 6.89 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.72 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 4.83 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 4.29 (t, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 1H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 3.77 (d, *J* = 3.8 Hz, 6H), 3.42 – 3.32 (m, 1H), 2.73 – 2.44 (m, 2H), 1.18 – 1.10 (m, 3H), 1.04 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 18H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 192.86, 163.63, 160.23, 156.69, 144.16, 142.94, 135.55, 134.52, 130.26, 13021, 129.54, 128.61, 127.69, 126.33, 116.23, 114.17, 113.53, 111.45, 108.68, 65.56, 55.55, 55.50, 53.12, 51.57, 43.59, 38.45, 17.88, 17.87, 13.63. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>38</sub>H<sub>46</sub>Cl<sup>34.9689</sup>NO<sub>8</sub>SSi ([M+Na<sup>+</sup>]) = 762.2294, Found. 762.2306. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>38</sub>H<sub>46</sub>Cl<sup>36.9659</sup>NO<sub>8</sub>SSi ([M+Na<sup>+</sup>]) = 764.2265, Found. 764.2293.

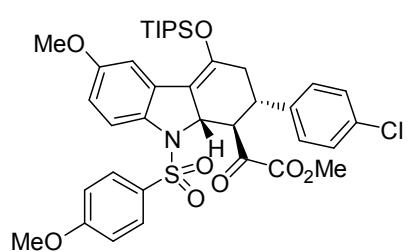


|   | Retention Time | Area    | % Area |
|---|----------------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 5.037          | 9214542 | 50.71  |
| 2 | 7.883          | 8955500 | 49.29  |



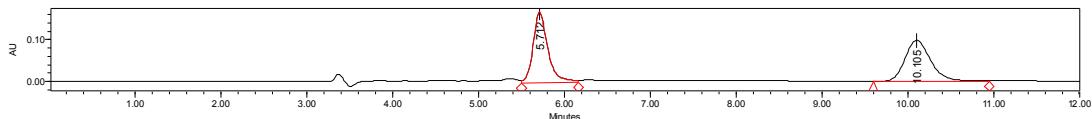
|   | Retention Time | Area     | % Area |
|---|----------------|----------|--------|
| 1 | 5.047          | 659999   | 5.06   |
| 2 | 7.898          | 12380951 | 94.94  |

### Methyl 2-((1*R*,2*S*,9*a**S*)-2-(4-chlorophenyl)-6-methoxy-9-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-4-((triisopropylsilyl)oxy)-2,3,9*a*-tetrahydro-1*H*-carbazol-1-yl)-2-oxoacetate (3bn)

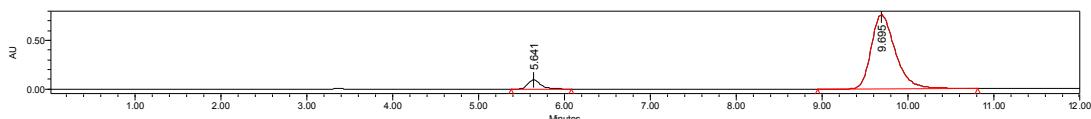


(C<sub>38</sub>H<sub>46</sub>ClNO<sub>8</sub>SSi) white foam, 85% yield, 87% ee, [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>18.0</sup> = +123.6 (c = 1.07, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, retention time: 5.64 min, 9.69 min.

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.62 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.51 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.17 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.09 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz, 1H), 7.03 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 6.81 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.64 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 4.76 (d, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 1H), 4.22 (t, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.68 (s, 3H), 3.67 (s, 3H), 3.39 – 3.21, 2.63 – 2.36 (m, 2H), 1.08 – 1.01 (m, 3H), 0.96 (d, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 18H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 192.96, 163.63, 160.29, 156.67, 144.22, 139.30, 135.54, 133.26, 130.27, 129.63, 129.55, 129.02, 126.42, 116.19, 114.17, 113.49, 111.36, 108.71, 65.57, 55.50, 55.49, 53.10, 51.51, 43.36, 38.58, 17.88, 13.63. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>38</sub>H<sub>46</sub>Cl<sup>34.9689</sup>NO<sub>8</sub>SSi ([M+Na<sup>+</sup>]) = 762.2294, Found 762.2294. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>38</sub>H<sub>46</sub>Cl<sup>36.9659</sup>NO<sub>8</sub>SSi ([M+Na<sup>+</sup>]) = 764.2265, Found 764.2181.

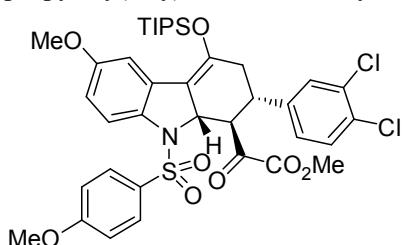


|   | Retention Time | Area    | % Area |
|---|----------------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 5.712          | 2062556 | 50.06  |
| 2 | 10.105         | 2057900 | 49.94  |



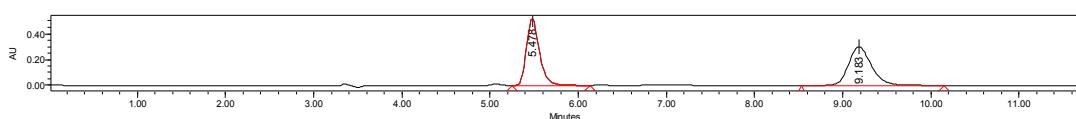
|   | Retention Time | Area     | % Area |
|---|----------------|----------|--------|
| 1 | 5.641          | 990429   | 6.31   |
| 2 | 9.695          | 14717479 | 93.69  |

**Methyl 2-((1*R*,2*S*,9*a**S*)-2-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)-6-methoxy-9-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-4-((triisopropylsilyl)oxy)-2,3,9,9*a*-tetrahydro-1*H*-carbazol-1-yl)-2-oxoacetate (3bo)**

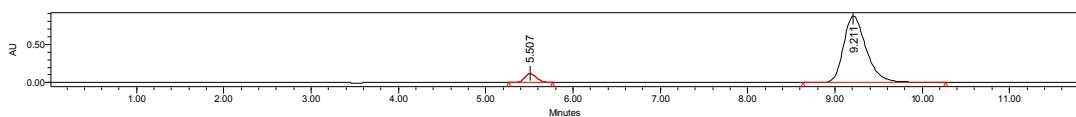


(C<sub>38</sub>H<sub>45</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>NO<sub>8</sub>SSi) white foam, 85% yield, 86% ee, [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>21.4</sup> = +126.4 (c = 1.23, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, retention time: 5.51 min, 9.21 min.

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.62 (d, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 1H), 7.50 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.27 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.19 (d, *J* = 1.2 Hz, 1H), 7.08 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.95 (dd, *J* = 8.4, 2.0 Hz, 1H), 6.81 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.65 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 4.73 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 4.18 (t, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 1H), 3.73 (s, 6H), 3.68 (s, 3H), 3.35 – 3.21 (m, 1H), 2.64 – 2.50 (ddd, *J* = 17.2, 6.1, 2.1 mHz, 1H), 2.44 – 2.31 (m, 1H), 1.09 – 1.01 (m, 3H), 0.96 (dd, *J* = 7.2, 1.6 Hz, 18H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 192.72, 163.66, 160.36, 156.75, 143.86, 141.43, 135.48, 132.78, 131.54, 130.90, 130.37, 130.25, 129.44, 127.27, 126.31, 116.29, 114.19, 113.62, 111.58, 108.64, 65.40, 55.55, 55.50, 53.25, 51.64, 42.80, 38.40, 17.86, 17.84, 13.61. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>38</sub>H<sub>45</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub><sup>34,9689</sup>NO<sub>8</sub>SSi ([M+Na<sup>+</sup>]) = 796.1904, Found 796.1901. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>38</sub>H<sub>45</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub><sup>36,9659</sup>NO<sub>8</sub>SSi ([M+Na<sup>+</sup>]) = 798.1875, Found 798.1787.

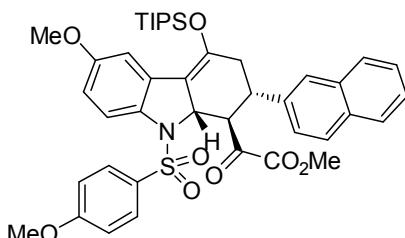


|   | Retention Time | Area    | % Area |
|---|----------------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 5.478          | 5346889 | 49.04  |
| 2 | 9.183          | 5556398 | 50.96  |



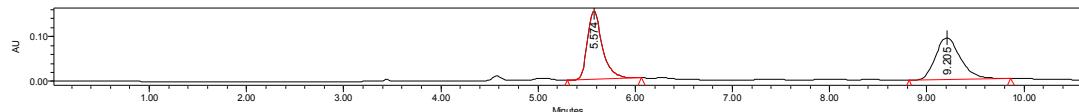
|   | Retention Time | Area     | % Area |
|---|----------------|----------|--------|
| 1 | 5.507          | 1146915  | 6.81   |
| 2 | 9.211          | 15689297 | 93.19  |

**Methyl 2-((1*R*,2*S*,9*a**S*)-6-methoxy-9-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-2-(naphthalen-2-yl)-4-((triisopropylsilyl)oxy)-2,3,9,9*a*-tetrahydro-1*H*-carbazol-1-yl)-2-oxoacetate (3bp)**

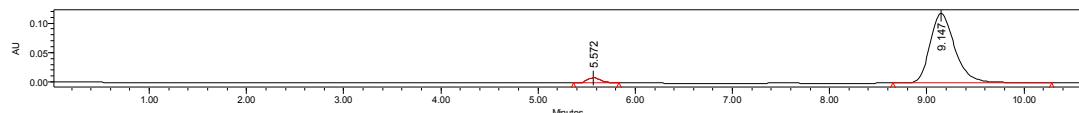


(C<sub>42</sub>H<sub>49</sub>NO<sub>8</sub>SSi) white foam, 91% yield, 92% ee. [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>22.2</sup> = +138.2 (c = 1.04, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA,

*n*-hexane/2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda$  = 254 nm, retention time: 5.57 min, 9.15 min.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.73 – 7.62 (m, 4H), 7.54 (d,  $J$  = 8.8 Hz, 3H), 7.42 – 7.33 (m, 2H), 7.27 (dd,  $J$  = 8.8, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 7.12 (d,  $J$  = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.82 (d,  $J$  = 9.2 Hz, 2H), 6.65 (dd,  $J$  = 9.2, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 4.84 (d,  $J$  = 9.2 Hz, 1H), 4.37 (t,  $J$  = 9.6 Hz, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 3.57 – 3.46 (m, 1H), 3.49 (s, 3H), 2.72 – 2.54 (m, 2H), 1.09 – 1.02 (m, 3H), 0.95 (dd,  $J$  = 7.2, 2.4 Hz, 18H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  193.17, 163.57, 159.22, 156.58, 144.60, 140.35, 135.68, 131.08, 130.31, 129.67, 128.85, 128.48, 127.48, 126.62, 118.96, 116.09, 114.13, 113.38, 111.23, 108.77, 66.63, 65.76, 55.53, 55.49, 51.41, 44.37, 38.57, 17.90, 13.66. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for  $\text{C}_{42}\text{H}_{49}\text{NO}_8\text{SSi}$  ( $[\text{M}+\text{Na}^+]$ ) = 778.2840, Found 778.2848.



|   | Retention Time | Area    | % Area |
|---|----------------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 5.574          | 1616871 | 49.42  |
| 2 | 9.205          | 1655101 | 50.58  |

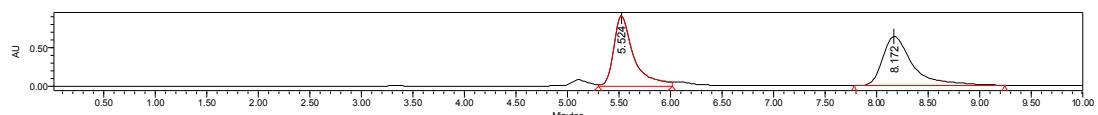


|   | Retention Time | Area    | % Area |
|---|----------------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 5.572          | 87315   | 4.00   |
| 2 | 9.147          | 2096511 | 96.00  |

### Methyl 2-((1*R*,2*R*,9*aS*)-6-methoxy-9-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-2-((E)-styryl)-4-((triisopropylsilyloxy)-2,3,9*a*-tetrahydro-1*H*-carbazol-1-yl)-2-oxoacetate (3bq)

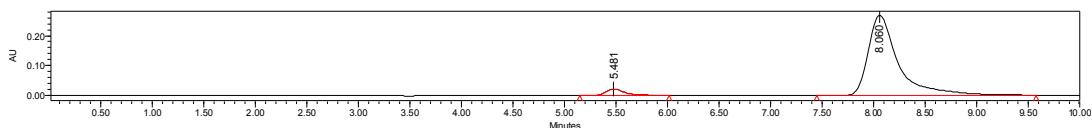
( $\text{C}_{40}\text{H}_{49}\text{NO}_8\text{SSi}$ ) white foam, 82% yield, 90% ee.  $[\alpha]_D^{16.5} = +180.3$  (c = 0.58,  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min,  $\lambda$  = 254 nm, retention time: 5.48 min, 8.06 min.

$^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.58 (dd,  $J$  = 12.4, 8.8 Hz, 3H), 7.21 (d,  $J$  = 4.4 Hz, 4H), 7.18 – 7.13 (m, 1H), 7.09 (d,  $J$  = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.83 (d,  $J$  = 9.2 Hz, 2H), 6.62 (dd,  $J$  = 8.8, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 6.27 (d,  $J$  = 15.6 Hz, 1H), 5.93 (dd,  $J$  = 15.6, 9.6 Hz, 1H), 4.79 (d,  $J$  = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 4.01 (t,  $J$  = 9.6 Hz, 1H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.71 (s, 3H), 3.68 (s, 3H), 2.91 – 2.77 (m, 1H), 2.46 – 2.27 (m, 2H), 1.18 – 1.10 (m, 3H), 1.00 (t,  $J$  = 7.2 Hz, 18H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (101 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  193.30, 163.54, 160.87, 156.52, 144.14, 136.23, 135.46, 133.03, 130.17, 129.66, 129.01, 128.57, 127.90, 127.01, 126.36, 115.84, 114.15, 113.35, 110.89, 108.87, 64.92, 55.52, 53.17, 50.26, 42.72, 36.50, 17.96, 17.95, 13.70. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for  $\text{C}_{40}\text{H}_{49}\text{NO}_8\text{SSi}$  ( $[\text{M}+\text{Na}^+]$ ) = 754.2840, Found 754.2843.



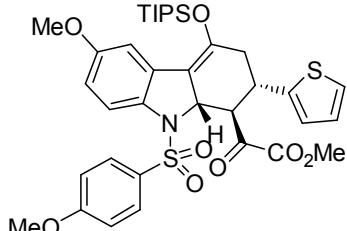
|   | Retention Time | Area     | % Area |
|---|----------------|----------|--------|
| 1 | 5.524          | 12673879 | 49.38  |

|   |       |          |       |
|---|-------|----------|-------|
| 2 | 8.172 | 12992950 | 50.62 |
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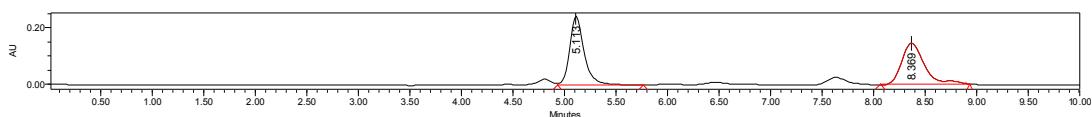
|   | Retention Time | Area    | % Area |
|---|----------------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 5.481          | 263002  | 4.62   |
| 2 | 8.060          | 5427579 | 95.38  |

**Methyl 2-((1R,2S,9aS)-6-methoxy-9-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-2-(thiophen-2-yl)-4-((triisopropylsilyl)oxy)-2,3,9,9a-tetrahydro-1H-carbazol-1-yl)-2-oxoacetate (3br)**

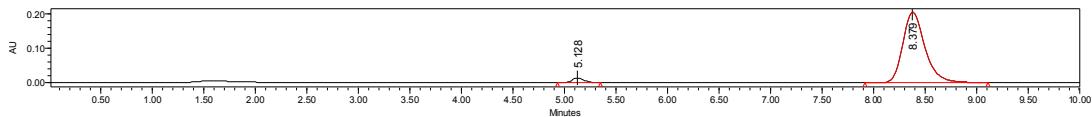


(C<sub>36</sub>H<sub>45</sub>NO<sub>8</sub>S<sub>2</sub>Si) white foam, 94% yield, 92% ee. [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>21.9</sup> = +106.6 (c = 1.11, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, retention time: 5.13 min, 8.38 min.

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.60 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.52 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.10 (d, *J* = 2.7 Hz, 1H), 7.06 (d, *J* = 4.4 Hz, 1H), 6.81 (d, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 2H), 6.77 (dd, *J* = 5.2, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 6.70 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz, 1H), 6.63 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 4.79 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 4.16 (t, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 3.72 (d, *J* = 4.0 Hz, 6H), 3.68 (s, 3H), 2.73 – 2.49 (m, 2H), 1.13 – 1.05 (m, 3H), 0.98 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 18H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 192.89, 163.60, 160.12, 156.65, 144.30, 144.05, 135.54, 130.23, 129.58, 126.67, 126.60, 126.13, 124.67, 116.10, 114.16, 113.49, 111.27, 108.66, 64.99, 55.53, 55.49, 53.44, 53.07, 39.02, 38.85, 17.89, 17.86, 13.60. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>36</sub>H<sub>45</sub>NO<sub>8</sub>S<sub>2</sub>Si ([M+Na<sup>+</sup>]) = 734.2248, Found 734.2251.

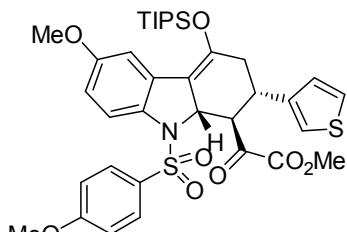


|   | Retention Time | Area    | % Area |
|---|----------------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 5.113          | 2353995 | 51.66  |
| 2 | 8.369          | 2202273 | 48.34  |



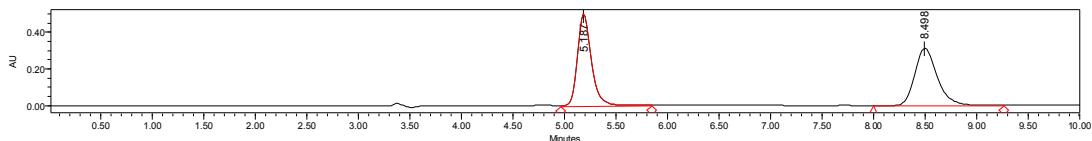
|   | Retention Time | Area    | % Area |
|---|----------------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 5.128          | 120210  | 3.77   |
| 2 | 8.379          | 3064289 | 96.23  |

**Methyl 2-((1R,2S,9aS)-6-methoxy-9-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-2-(thiophen-3-yl)-4-((triisopropylsilyl)oxy)-2,3,9,9a-tetrahydro-1H-carbazol-1-yl)-2-oxoacetate (3bs)**

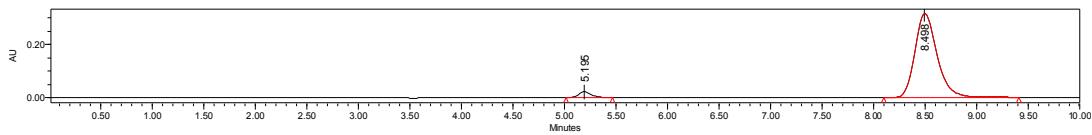


(C<sub>36</sub>H<sub>45</sub>NO<sub>8</sub>S<sub>2</sub>Si) white foam, 92% yield, 92% ee. [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>17.5</sup> = +107.6 (c = 1.22, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, retention time: 5.19 min, 8.50 min.

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.61 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.56 – 7.49 (m, 2H), 7.17 (dd, *J* = 4.8, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 7.10 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz, 1H), 6.94 – 6.89 (m, 1H), 6.86 (dd, *J* = 5.2, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 6.82 (d, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 2H), 6.63 (dd, *J* = 9.2, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 4.81 – 4.72 (m, 1H), 4.18 (t, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.68 (s, 6H), 3.52 – 3.39 (m, 1H), 2.63 – 2.42 (m, 2H), 1.15 – 1.05 (m, 3H), 0.98 (dd, *J* = 7.2, 3.2 Hz, 18H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 193.27, 163.58, 160.11, 156.60, 144.42, 141.28, 135.54, 130.23, 129.59, 126.94, 126.64, 126.42, 122.81, 116.02, 114.15, 113.41, 111.16, 108.73, 65.23, 55.54, 55.49, 53.00, 51.87, 39.29, 37.79, 17.89, 13.64. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>36</sub>H<sub>45</sub>NO<sub>8</sub>S<sub>2</sub>Si ([M+Na<sup>+</sup>]) = 734.2248, Found 734.2247.

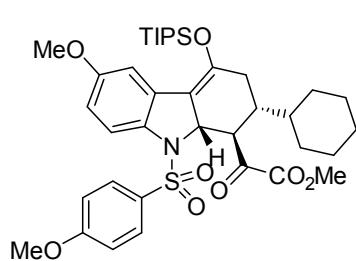


|   | Retention Time | Area    | % Area |
|---|----------------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 5.187          | 4725783 | 49.63  |
| 2 | 8.498          | 4795985 | 50.37  |



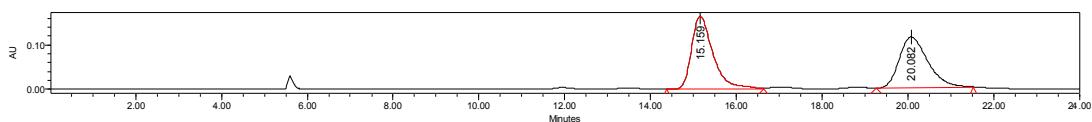
|   | Retention Time | Area    | % Area |
|---|----------------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 5.195          | 200764  | 4.06   |
| 2 | 8.498          | 4743548 | 95.94  |

**Methyl 2-((1*R*,2*R*,9*a*S)-2-cyclohexyl-6-methoxy-9-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-4-((triisopropylsilyl)oxy)-2,3,9,9*a*-tetrahydro-1*H*-carbazol-1-yl)-2-oxoacetate (3bt)**

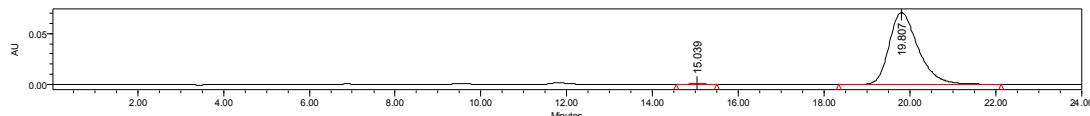


(C<sub>38</sub>H<sub>53</sub>NO<sub>8</sub>SSI) white foam, 78% yield, 99% ee. [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>18.9</sup> = +183.4 (c = 0.57, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL ID, n-hexane/2-propanol = 80/20, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, retention time: 15.04 min, 19.81 min.

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.55 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.44 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.01 (d, *J* = 2.4 Hz, 1H), 6.77 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 6.62 (dd, *J* = 8.8, 2.4 Hz, 1H), 4.65 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 3.90 (s, 3H), 3.72 (s, 3H), 3.68 (s, 3H), 3.58 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 2.28 – 2.12 (m, 2H), 2.09 – 1.99 (m, 1H), 1.65 – 1.51 (m, 5H), 1.22 – 1.06 (m, 6H), 0.99 (dd, *J* = 7.2, 1.2 Hz, 18H), 0.94 – 0.76 (m, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 194.16, 163.43, 160.69, 156.91, 145.35, 135.45, 129.97, 129.82, 126.77, 117.01, 114.02, 113.25, 111.60, 108.02, 65.25, 55.48, 55.46, 53.18, 51.62, 41.60, 41.44, 31.61, 31.10, 28.37, 26.48, 26.34, 26.29, 17.86, 13.49. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>38</sub>H<sub>53</sub>NO<sub>8</sub>SSI ([M+Na<sup>+</sup>]) = 734.3153, Found 734.3156.

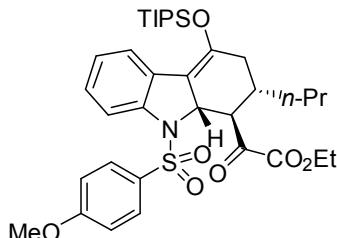


|   | Retention Time | Area    | % Area |
|---|----------------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 15.159         | 5720321 | 52.06  |
| 2 | 20.082         | 5268514 | 47.94  |

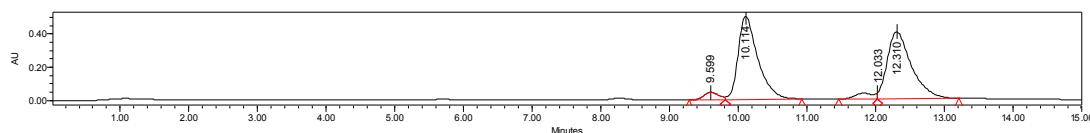


|   | Retention Time | Area    | % Area |
|---|----------------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 15.039         | 10385   | 0.31   |
| 2 | 19.807         | 3311727 | 99.69  |

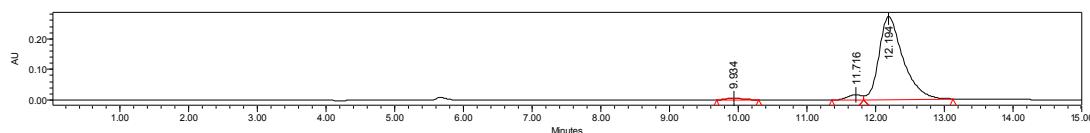
**Ethyl 2-((1R,2S,9aS)-9-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-2-propyl-4-((triisopropylsilyl)oxy)-2,3,9,9a-tetrahydro-1H-carbazol-1-yl)-2-oxoacetate (3au)**



(C<sub>35</sub>H<sub>49</sub>NO<sub>7</sub>SSi) white foam, 47% yield, 97% ee. >19:1 by <sup>1</sup>H NMR, [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>25.0</sup> = +207.3 (c = 0.44, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL ID, n-hexane/2-propanol = 85/15, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, retention time: 9.93 min, 11.72 min, 12.19 min. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.72 (d, J = 8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.59 (dd, J = 15.6, 8.0 Hz, 3H), 7.12 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 6.99 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 6.87 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 4.82 (d, J = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 4.43 (q, J = 7.2 Hz, 2H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 3.74 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 2.48 – 2.35 (m, 1H), 2.17 – 2.03 (m, 2H), 1.43 (t, J = 7.2 Hz, 3H), 1.33 (s, 4H), 1.25 – 1.16 (m, 3H), 1.08 (d, J = 6.8 Hz, 18H), 0.85 (t, J = 6.4 Hz, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 194.39, 163.54, 160.40, 144.65, 141.77, 130.03, 128.44, 127.29, 127.00, 123.93, 123.52, 115.12, 114.13, 110.42, 64.35, 62.59, 55.49, 52.64, 37.00, 36.55, 34.91, 20.05, 17.92, 14.05, 13.84, 13.53. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>35</sub>H<sub>49</sub>NO<sub>7</sub>SSi ([M+Na<sup>+</sup>]) = 678.2891, Found 678.2893

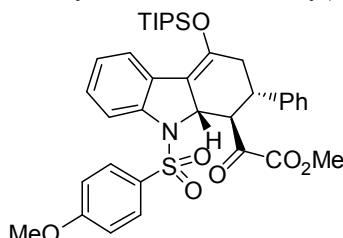


|   | Retention Time | Area    | % Area |
|---|----------------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 9.599          | 685911  | 3.26   |
| 2 | 10.114         | 9884903 | 47.03  |
| 3 | 12.033         | 647716  | 3.08   |
| 4 | 12.310         | 9800572 | 46.63  |



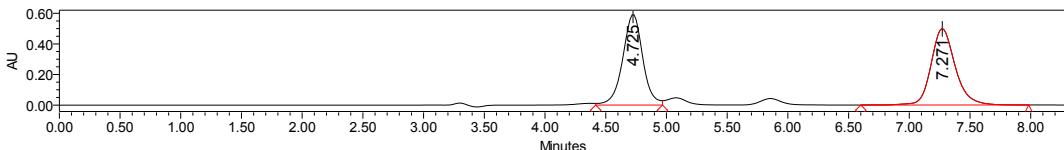
|   | Retention Time | Area    | % Area |
|---|----------------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 9.934          | 108527  | 1.56   |
| 2 | 11.716         | 253187  | 3.65   |
| 3 | 12.194         | 6574461 | 94.79  |

**Methyl 2-((1R,2S,9aS)-9-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-2-phenyl-4-((triisopropylsilyl)oxy)-2,3,9,9a-tetrahydro-1H-carbazol-1-yl)-2-oxoacetate (3aa)**

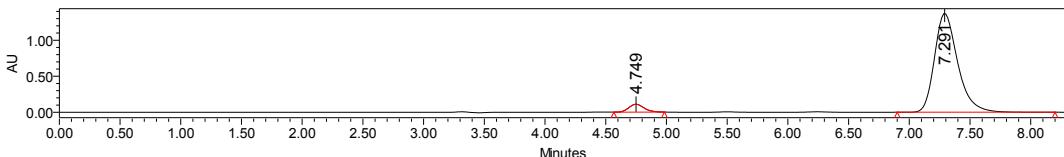


(C<sub>37</sub>H<sub>45</sub>NO<sub>7</sub>SSi) white foam, 85% yield, 90% ee, [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>17.2</sup> = +155.6 (c = 0.96, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, retention time: 4.75 min, 7.29 min.

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.80 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.63 (t, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 3H), 7.31 – 7.12 (m, 7H), 7.01 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 1H), 6.89 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 4.93 (d, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 1H), 4.37 (t, *J* = 9.6 Hz, 1H), 3.80 (s, 3H), 3.67 (s, 3H), 3.44 – 3.31 (m, 1H), 2.73 – 2.56 (m, 2H), 1.18 – 1.10 (m, 3H), 1.04 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 18H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 193.27, 163.66, 160.11, 144.54, 142.02, 140.17, 130.24, 128.81, 128.52, 128.43, 127.54, 127.33, 126.82, 123.88, 123.85, 115.07, 114.19, 111.02, 65.60, 55.55, 52.89, 51.21, 44.63, 38.53, 17.93, 17.91, 13.60. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>37</sub>H<sub>45</sub>NO<sub>7</sub>SSi ([M+Na<sup>+</sup>]) = 698.2578, Found 698.2582.

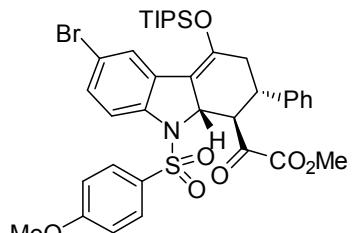


|   | Retention Time | Area    | % Area |
|---|----------------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 4.725          | 6779864 | 49.66  |
| 2 | 7.271          | 6872279 | 50.34  |



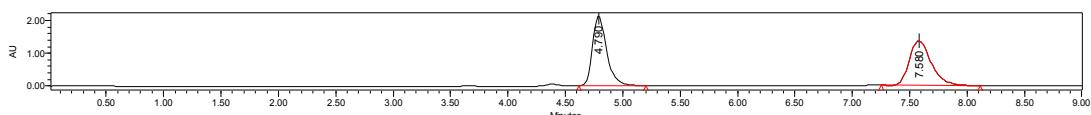
|   | Retention Time | Area     | % Area |
|---|----------------|----------|--------|
| 1 | 4.749          | 952010   | 4.98   |
| 2 | 7.291          | 18165946 | 95.02  |

**Methyl 2-((1*R*,2*S*,9*a**S*)-6-bromo-9-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-2-phenyl-4-((triisopropylsilyl)oxy)-2,3,9*a*-tetrahydro-1*H*-carbazol-1-yl)-2-oxoacetate (3ca)**



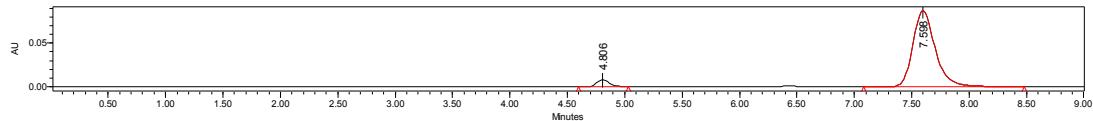
(C<sub>37</sub>H<sub>44</sub>BrNO<sub>7</sub>SSi) white foam, 91% yield, 90% ee. [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>21.8</sup> = +59.4 (c = 1.01, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, *n*-hexane/2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, retention time: 4.81 min, 7.60 min.

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.68 (d, *J* = 2.0 Hz, 1H), 7.59 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.54 (d, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 2H), 7.23 – 7.14 (m, 4H), 7.12 – 7.06 (m, 2H), 6.85 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 4.84 (d, *J* = 9.2 Hz, 1H), 4.29 (t, *J* = 9.6 Hz, 1H), 3.75 (s, 3H), 3.59 (s, 3H), 3.35 – 3.21 (m, 1H), 2.62 – 2.49 (m, 2H), 1.13 – 1.04 (m, 3H), 0.98 (dd, *J* = 7.2, 4.8 Hz, 18H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 193.15, 163.84, 160.04, 145.96, 141.09, 139.80, 130.54, 130.24, 129.75, 128.88, 128.48, 127.66, 126.67, 126.44, 116.94, 116.39, 114.33, 109.88, 65.83, 55.61, 52.93, 50.95, 44.61, 38.49, 17.93, 17.89, 13.53. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>37</sub>H<sub>44</sub>Br<sup>78.9183</sup>NO<sub>7</sub>SSi ([M+Na<sup>+</sup>]) = 776.1683, Found 776.1685. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>37</sub>H<sub>44</sub>Br<sup>80.9163</sup>NO<sub>7</sub>SSi ([M+Na<sup>+</sup>]) = 778.1663, Found 778.1659.



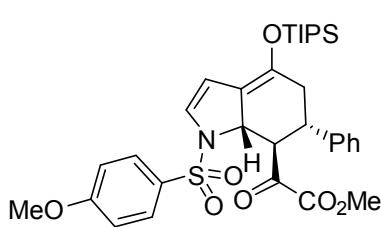
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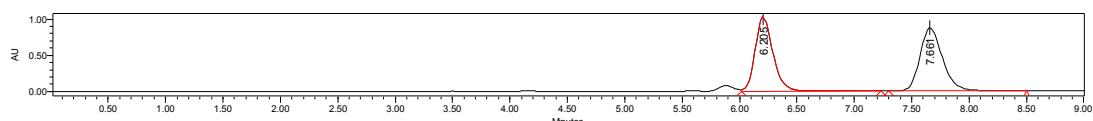
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**Methyl 2-((6*S*,7*R*,7*aS*)-1-((4-methoxyphenyl)sulfonyl)-6-phenyl-4-((triisopropylsilyl)oxy)-5,6,7,7*a*-tetrahydro-1*H*-indol-7-yl)-2-oxoacetate (3da)**

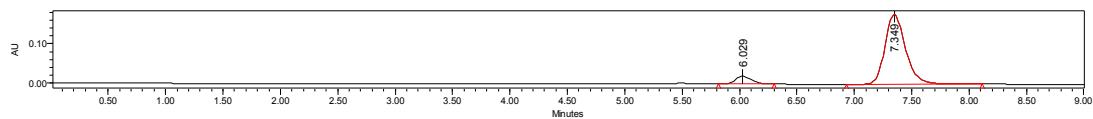


(C<sub>33</sub>H<sub>43</sub>NO<sub>7</sub>SSi) white foam, 93% yield, 84% ee. [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>17.9</sup> = +422.6 (c = 0.67, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>). HPLC DAICEL CHIRALCEL IA, n-hexane/2-propanol = 70/30, flow rate = 1.0 mL/min, λ = 254 nm, retention time: 6.03 min, 7.35 min.

<sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.52 (d, *J* = 8.8 Hz, 2H), 7.22–7.16 (dd, *J* = 8.1, 6.2 m, 2H), 7.15 – 7.08 (m, 3H), 6.99 – 6.88 (m, 2H), 6.44 (d, *J* = 4.0 Hz, 1H), 5.86 (d, *J* = 4.0 Hz, 1H), 4.31 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 2H), 3.81 (s, 3H), 3.57 (s, 3H), 3.20 – 3.05 (m, 1H), 2.57 – 2.33 (m, 2H), 1.03 – 0.91 (m, 21H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 194.43, 163.56, 159.82, 139.81, 139.08, 132.02, 130.41, 128.79, 128.36, 127.54, 126.05, 117.28, 114.30, 110.75, 64.08, 55.63, 52.92, 49.42, 45.53, 38.47, 17.91, 12.94. HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>33</sub>H<sub>43</sub>NO<sub>7</sub>SSi ([M+Na<sup>+</sup>]) = 648.2422, Found 648.2418.

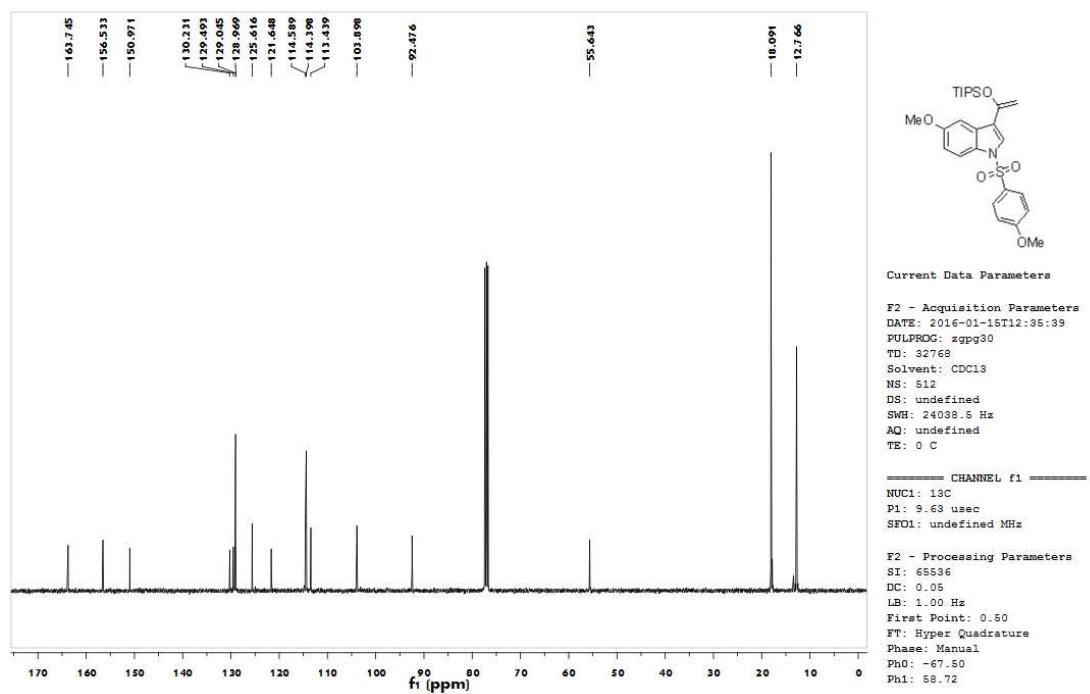
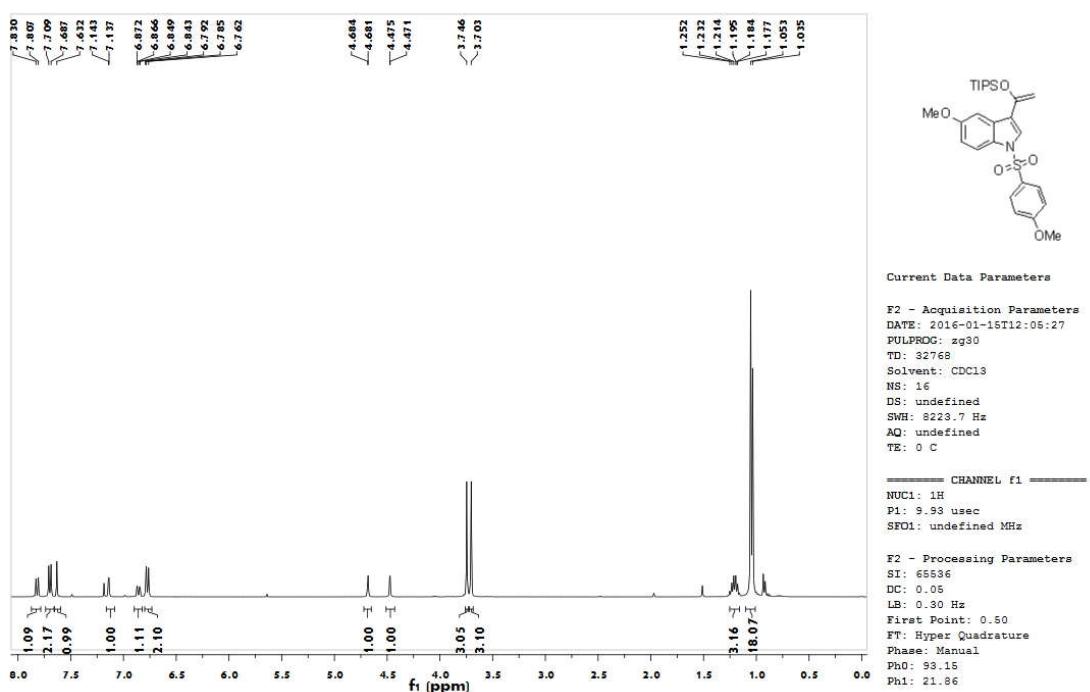


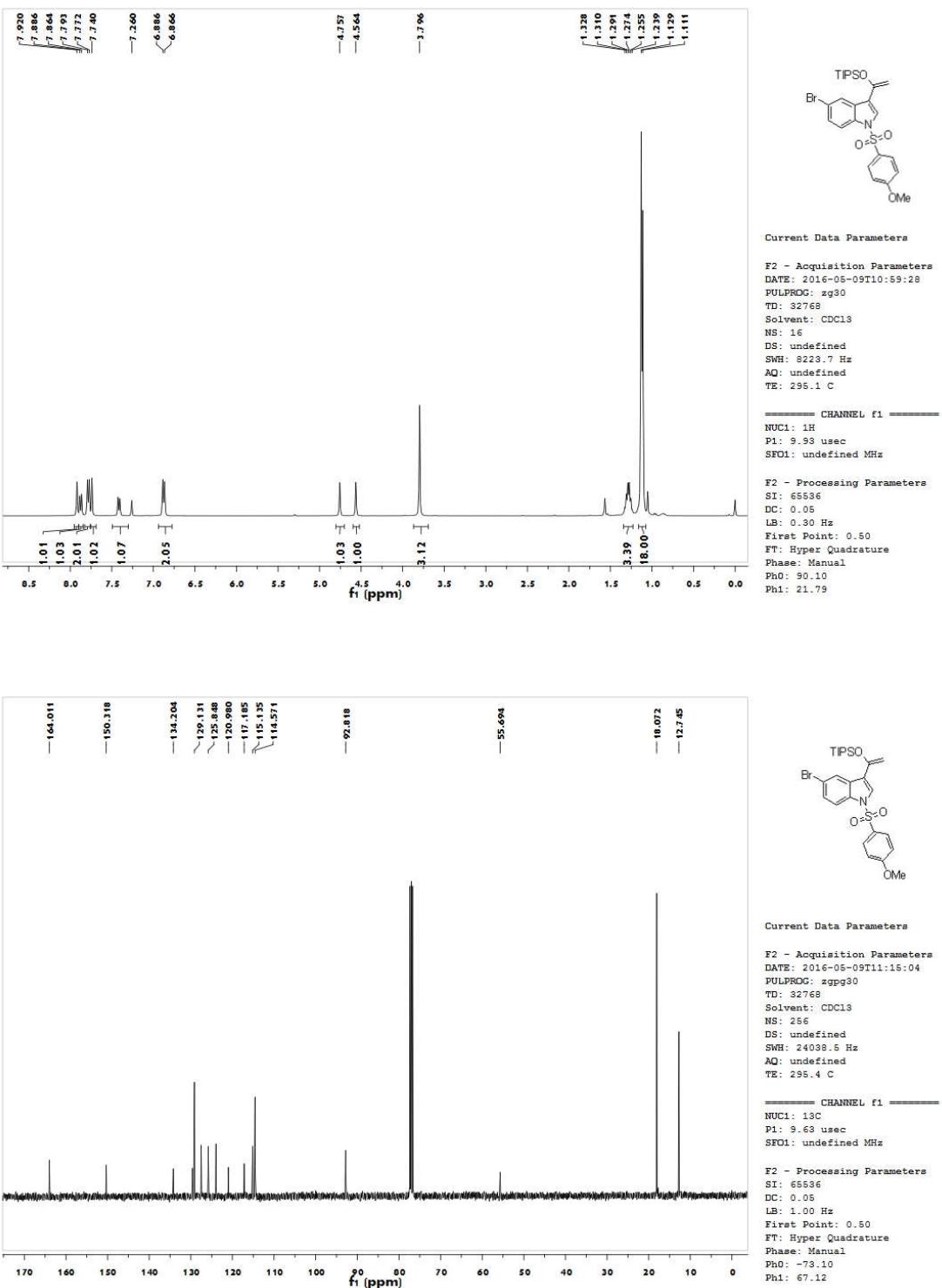
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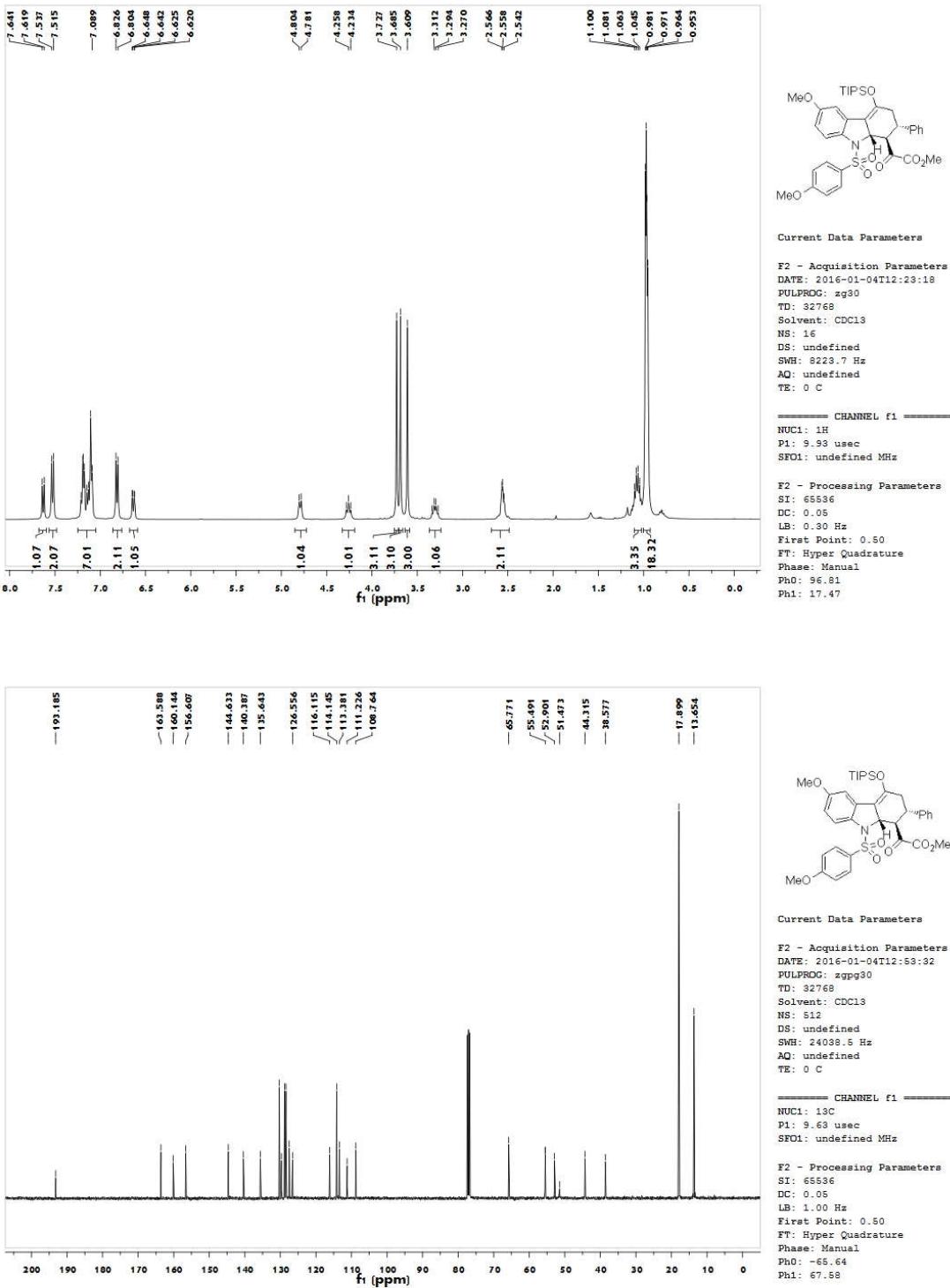


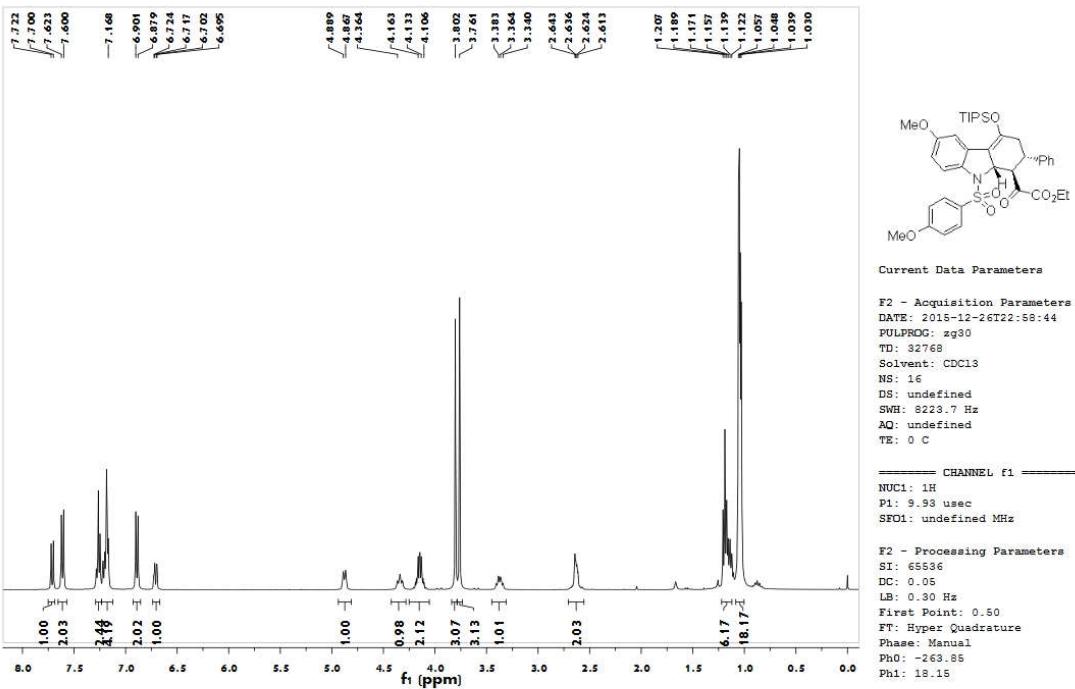
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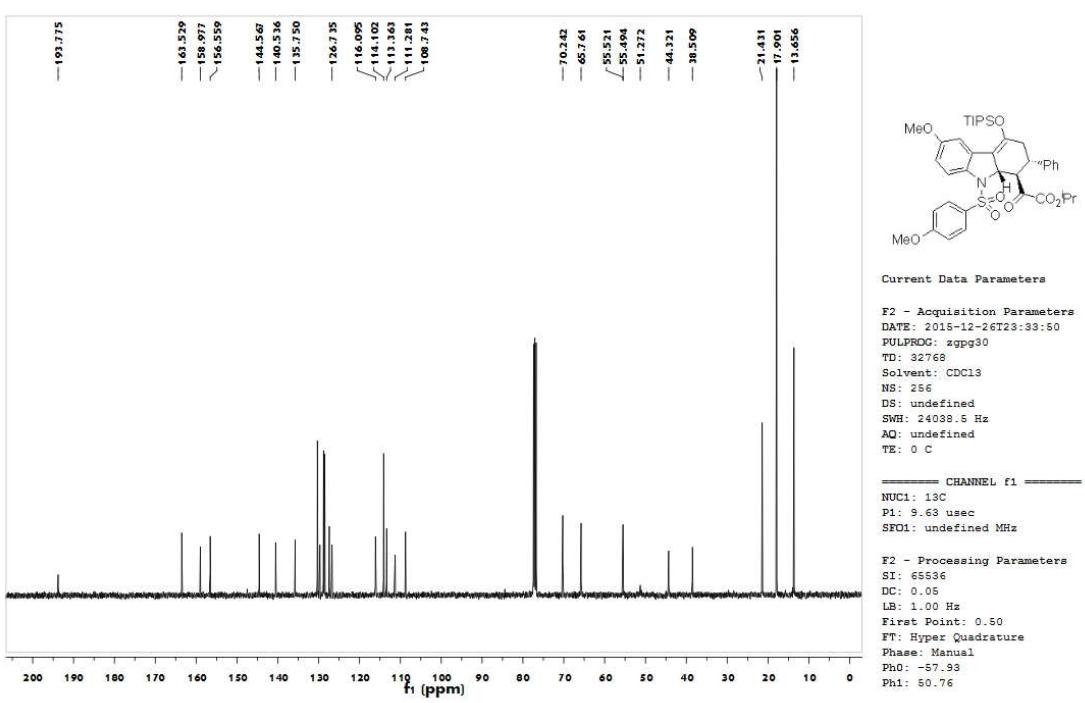
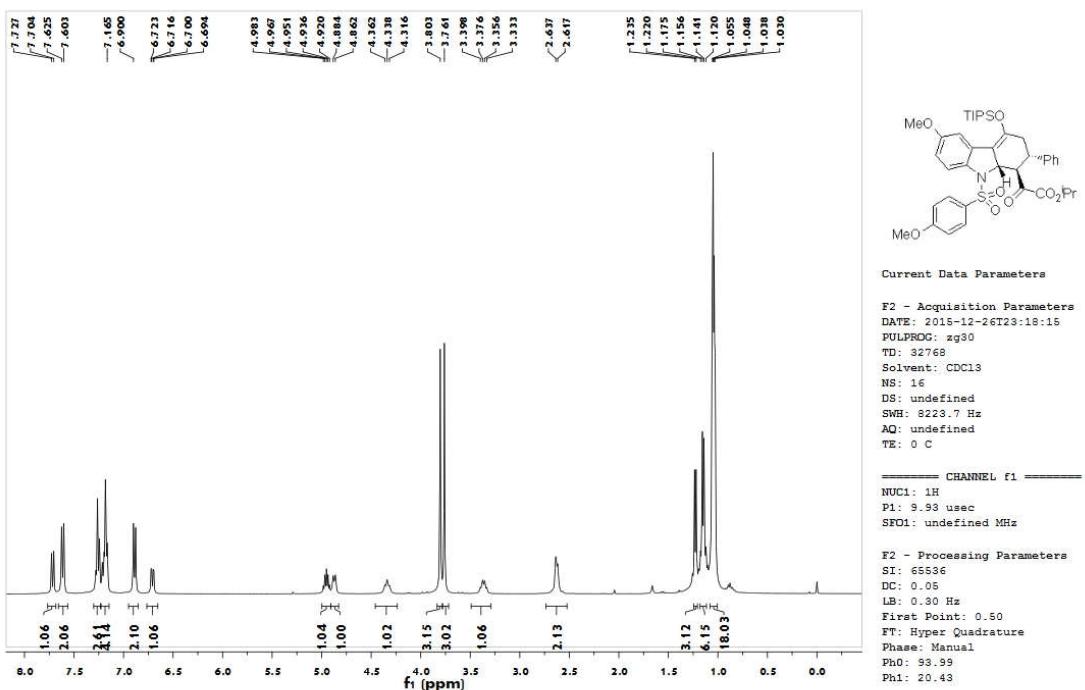
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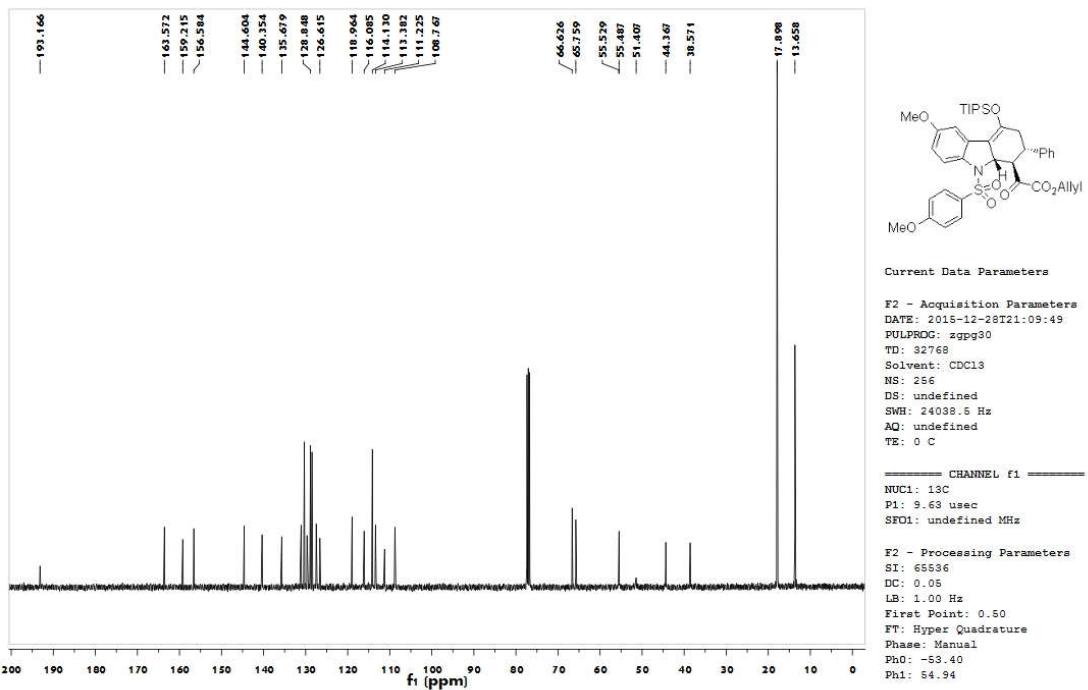
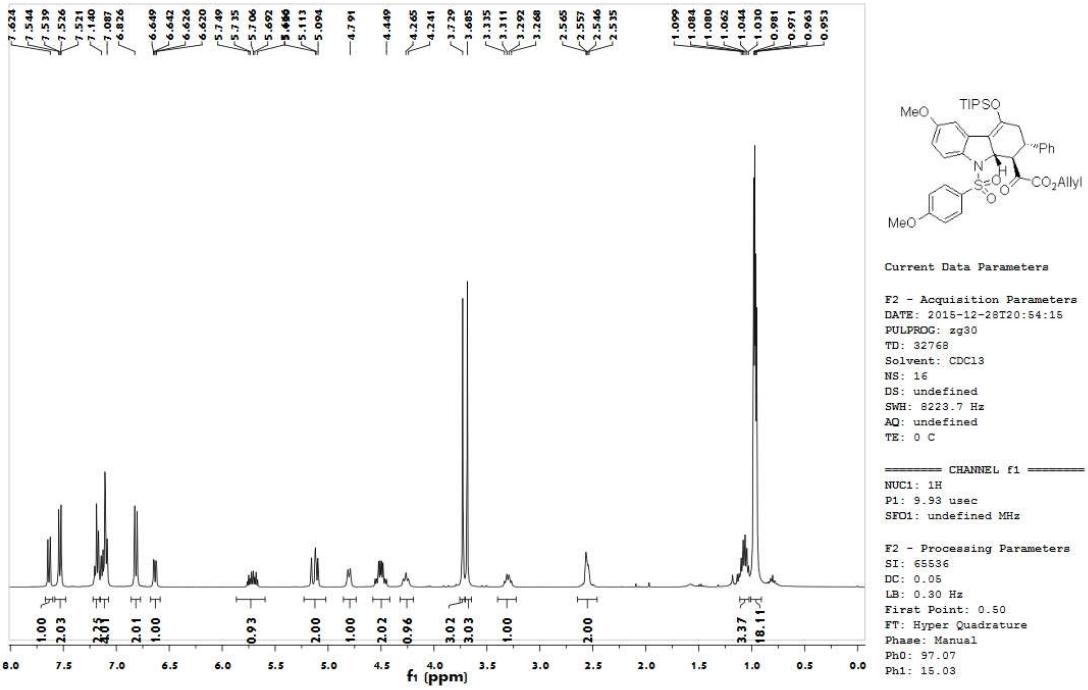


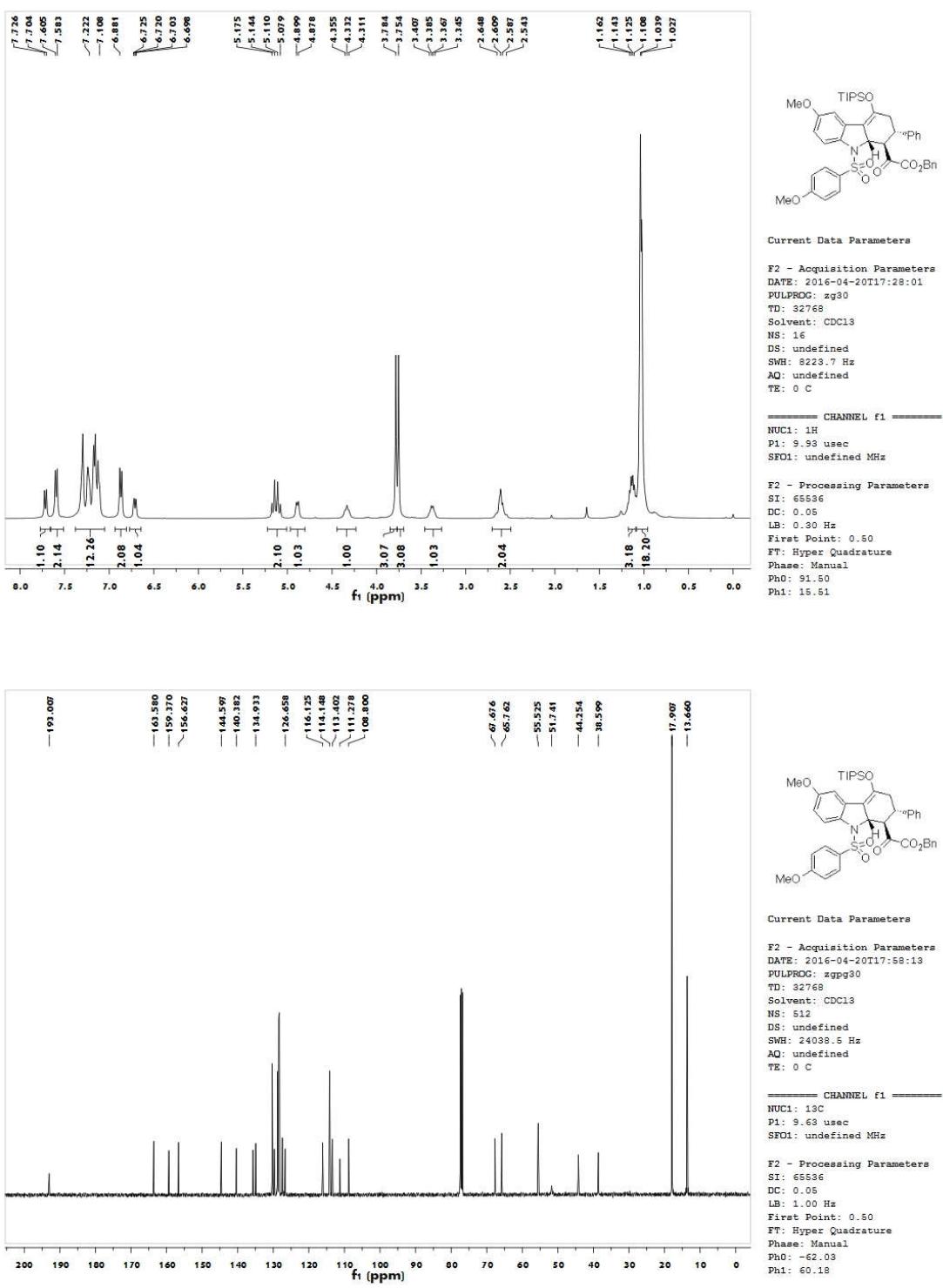


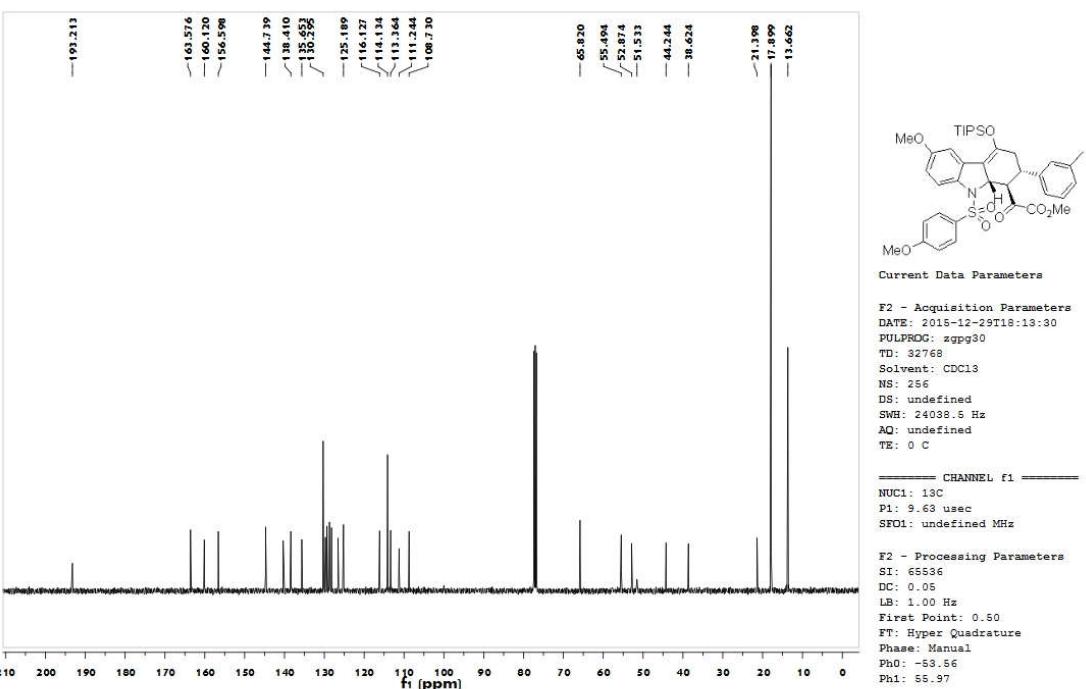
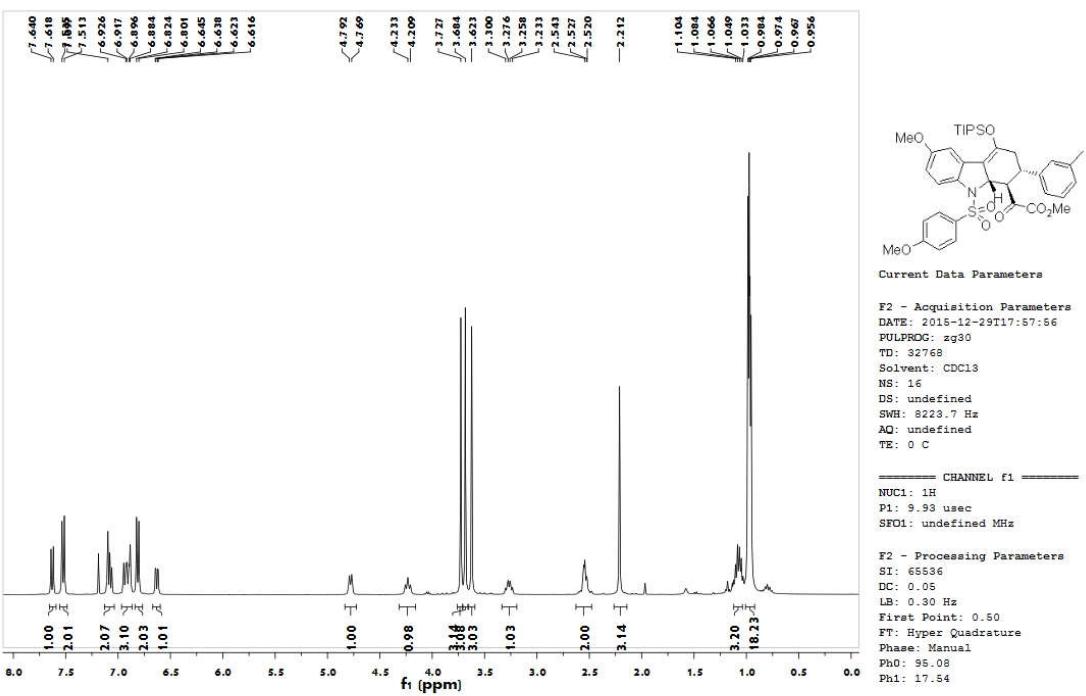


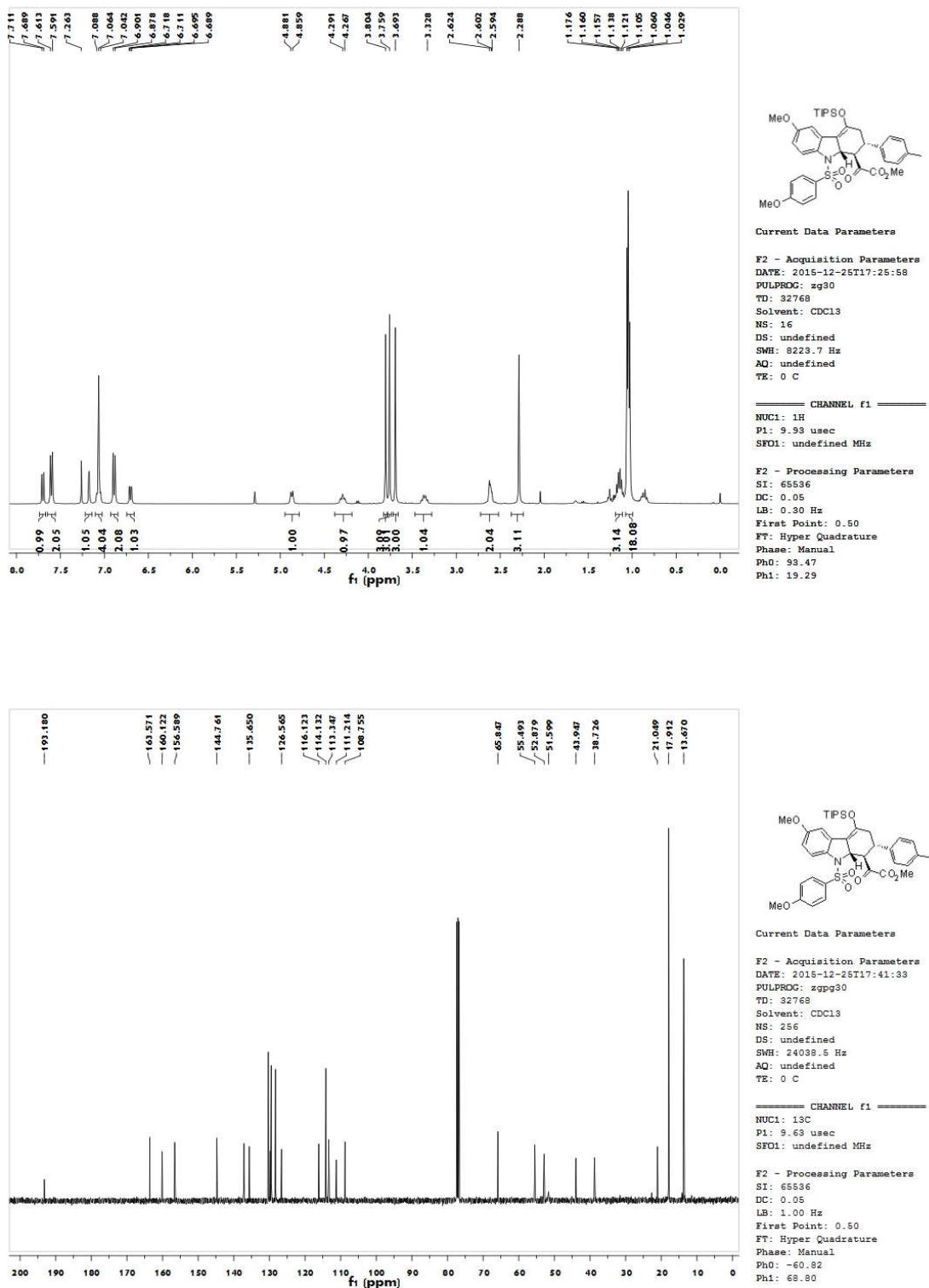


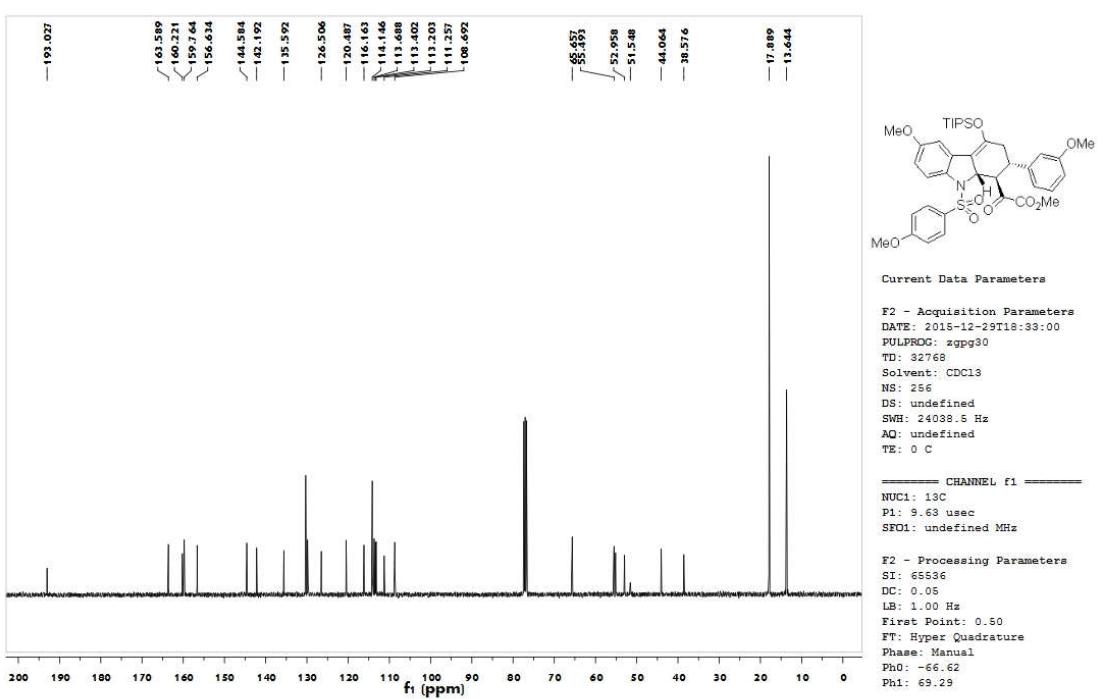
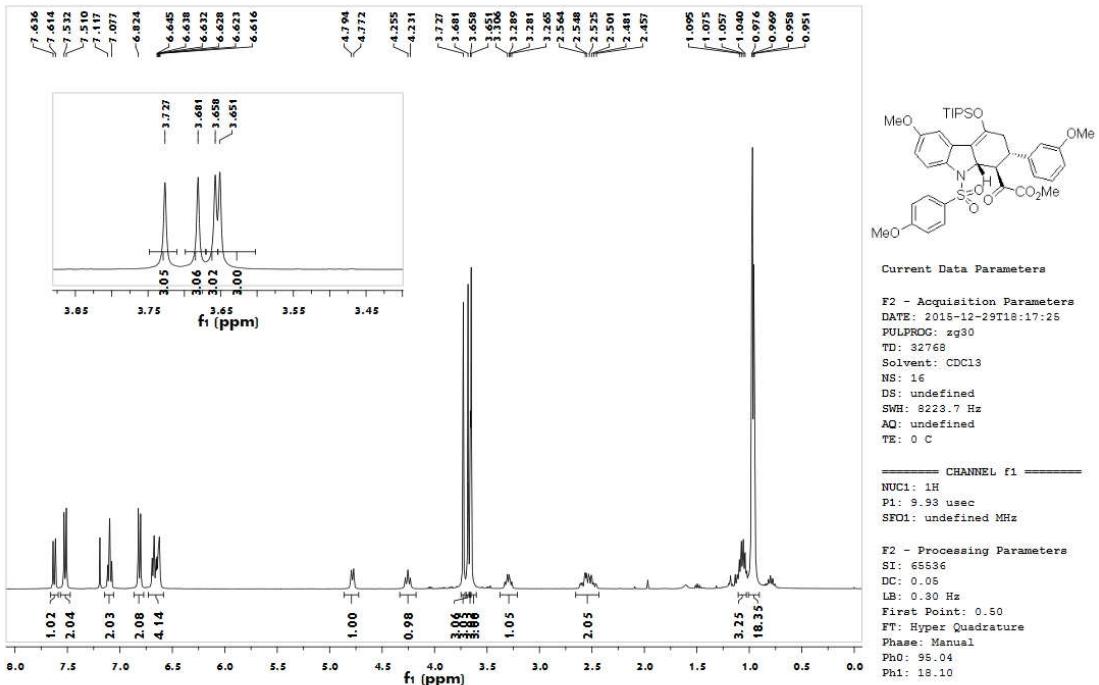


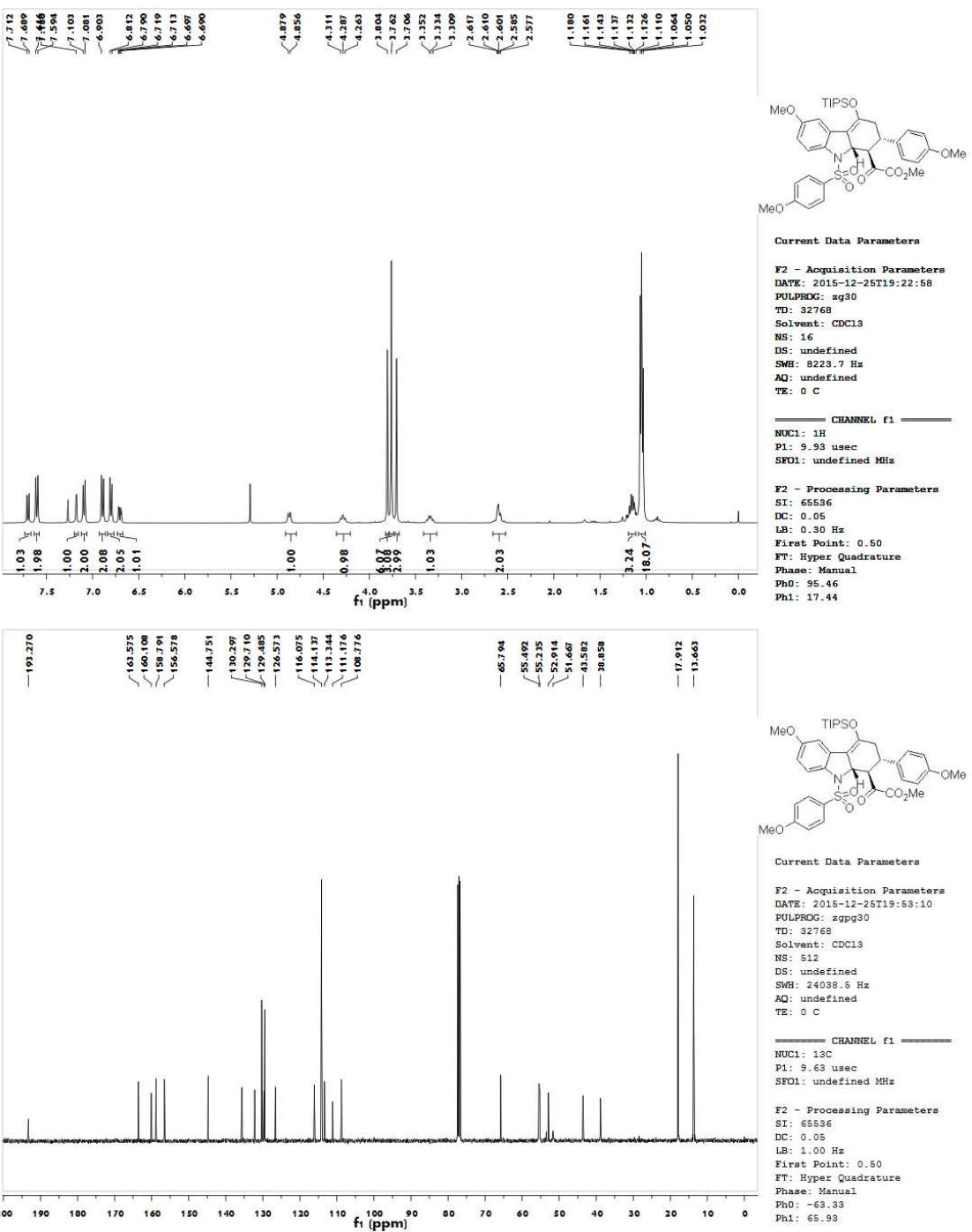


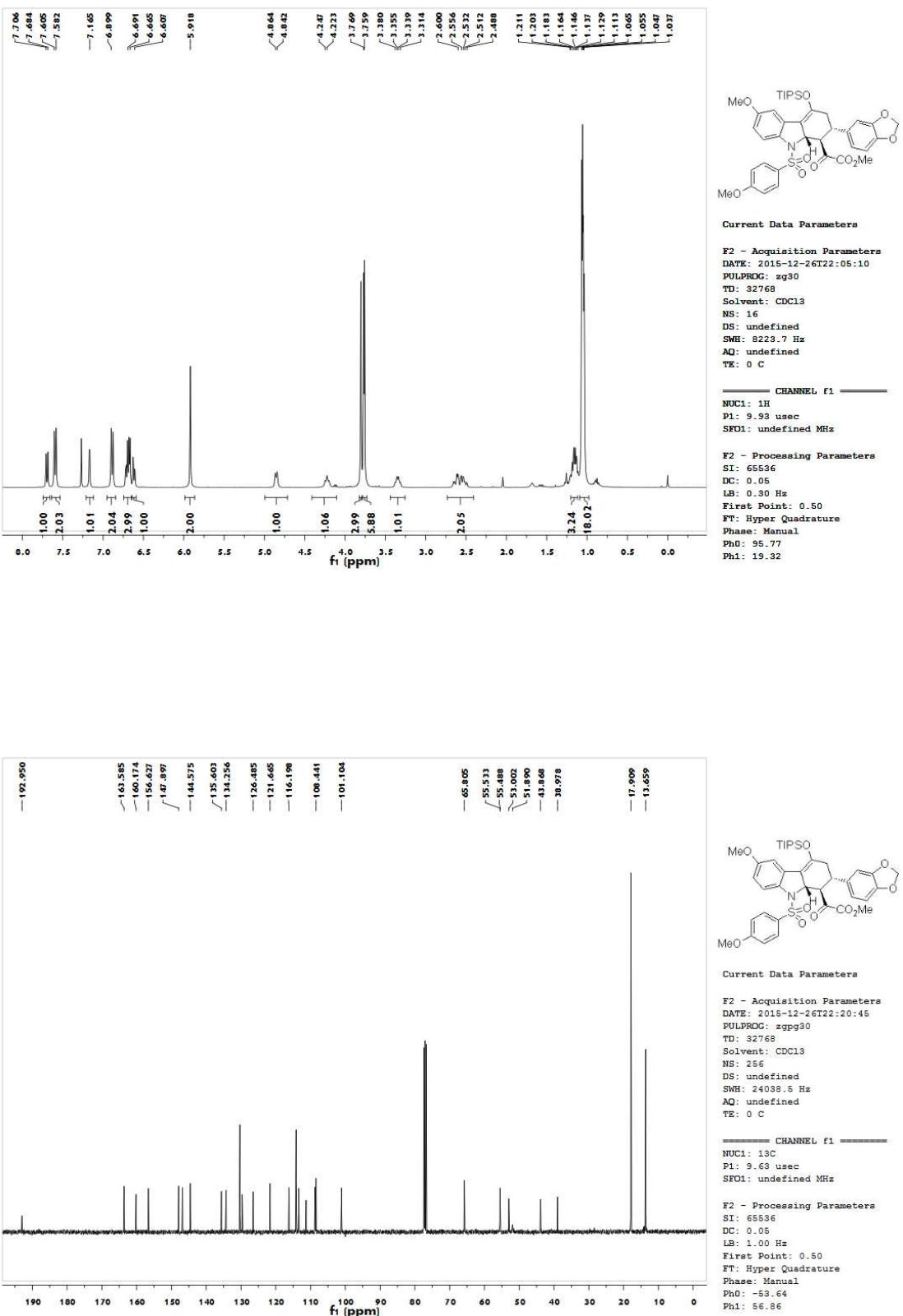


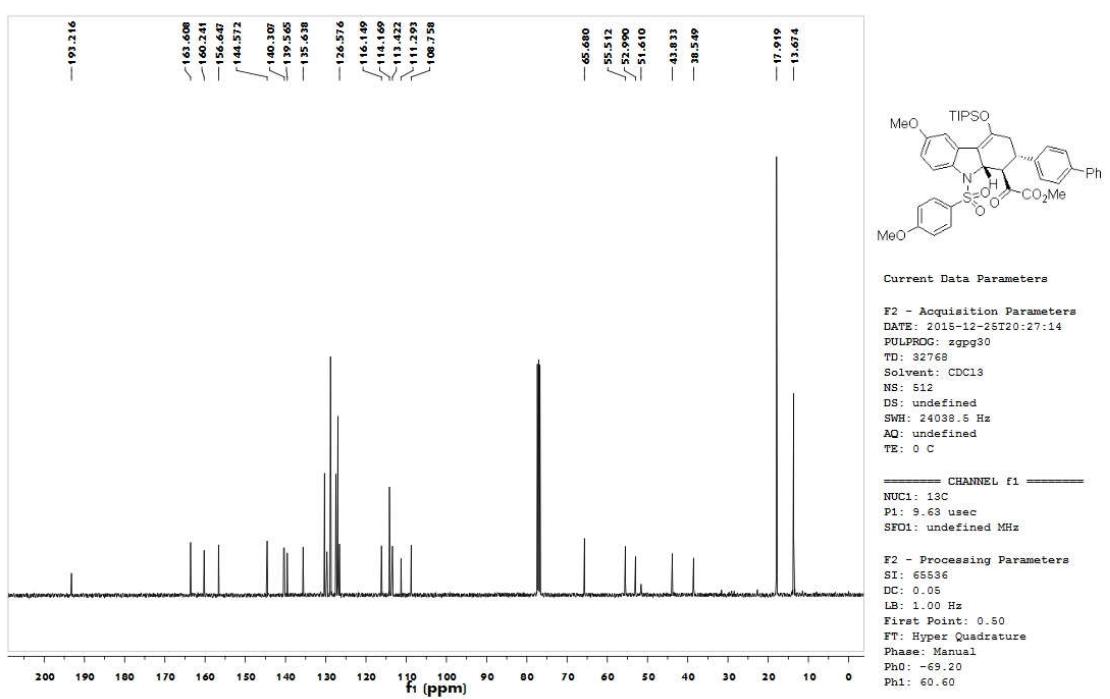
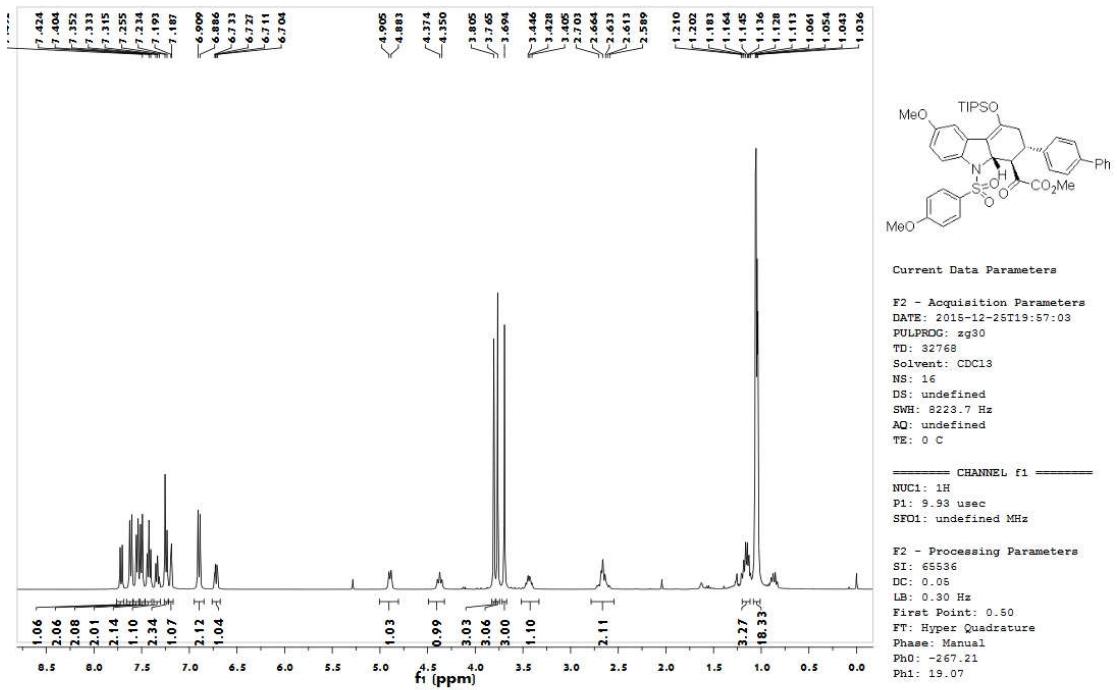


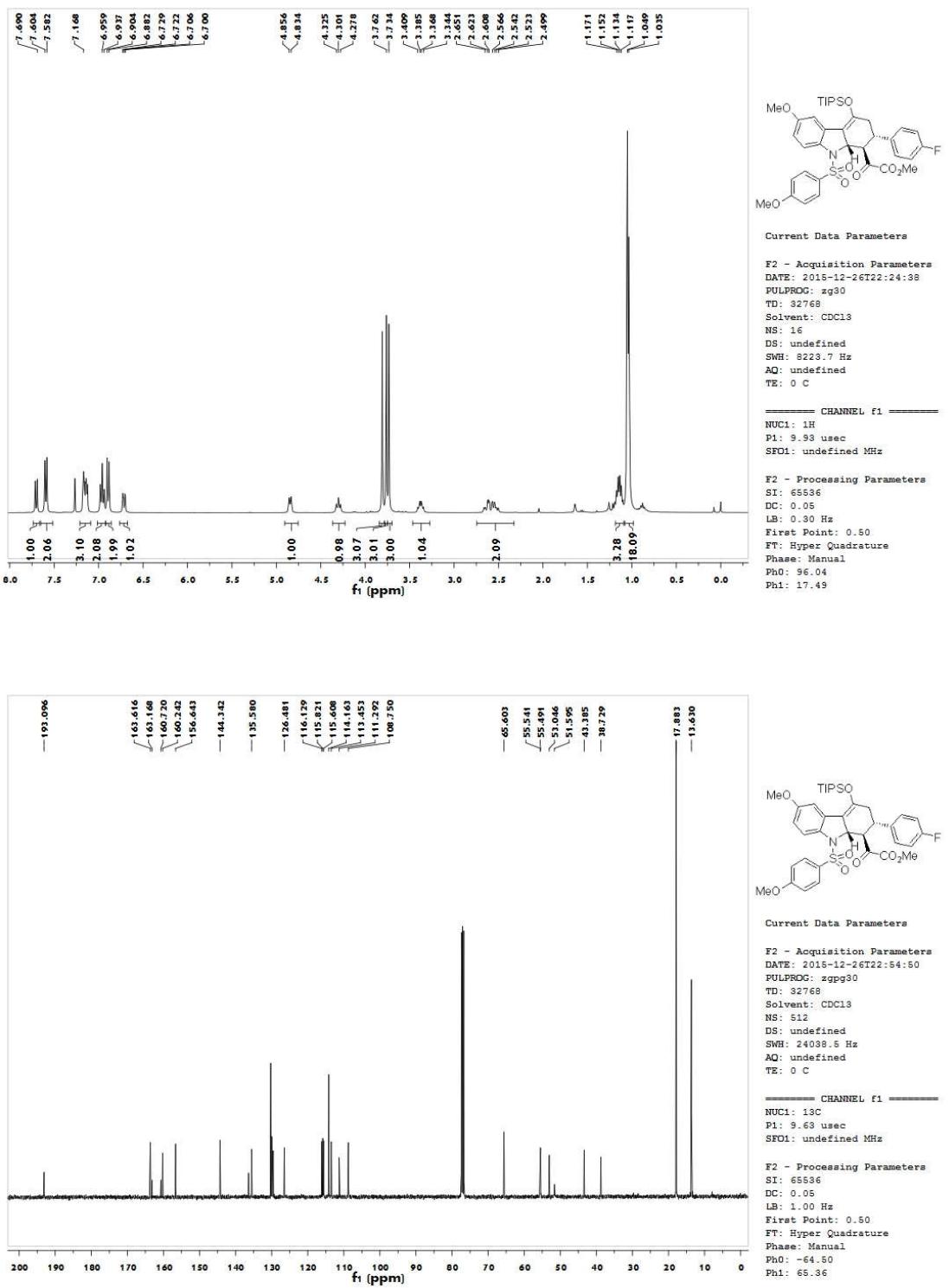


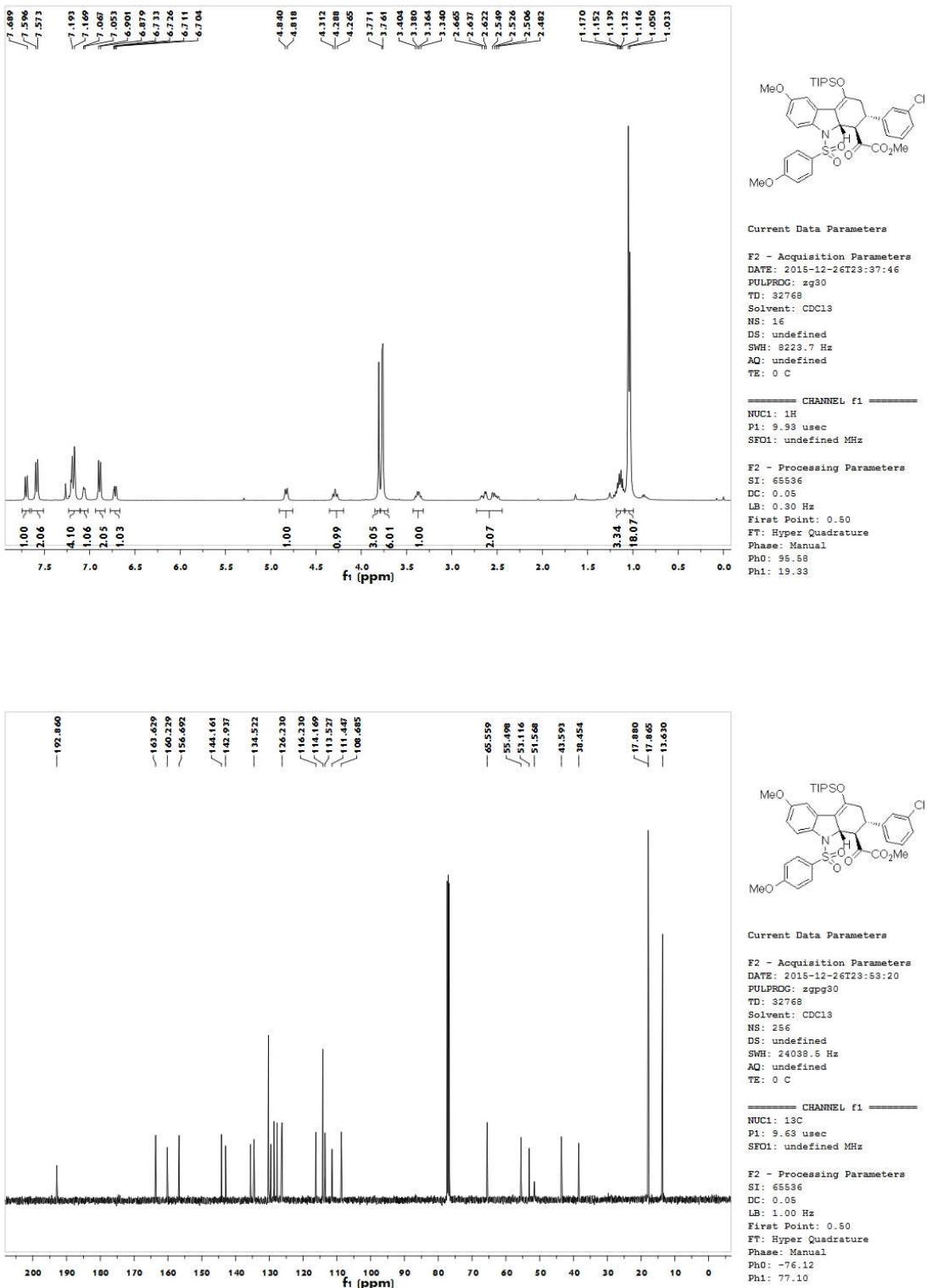


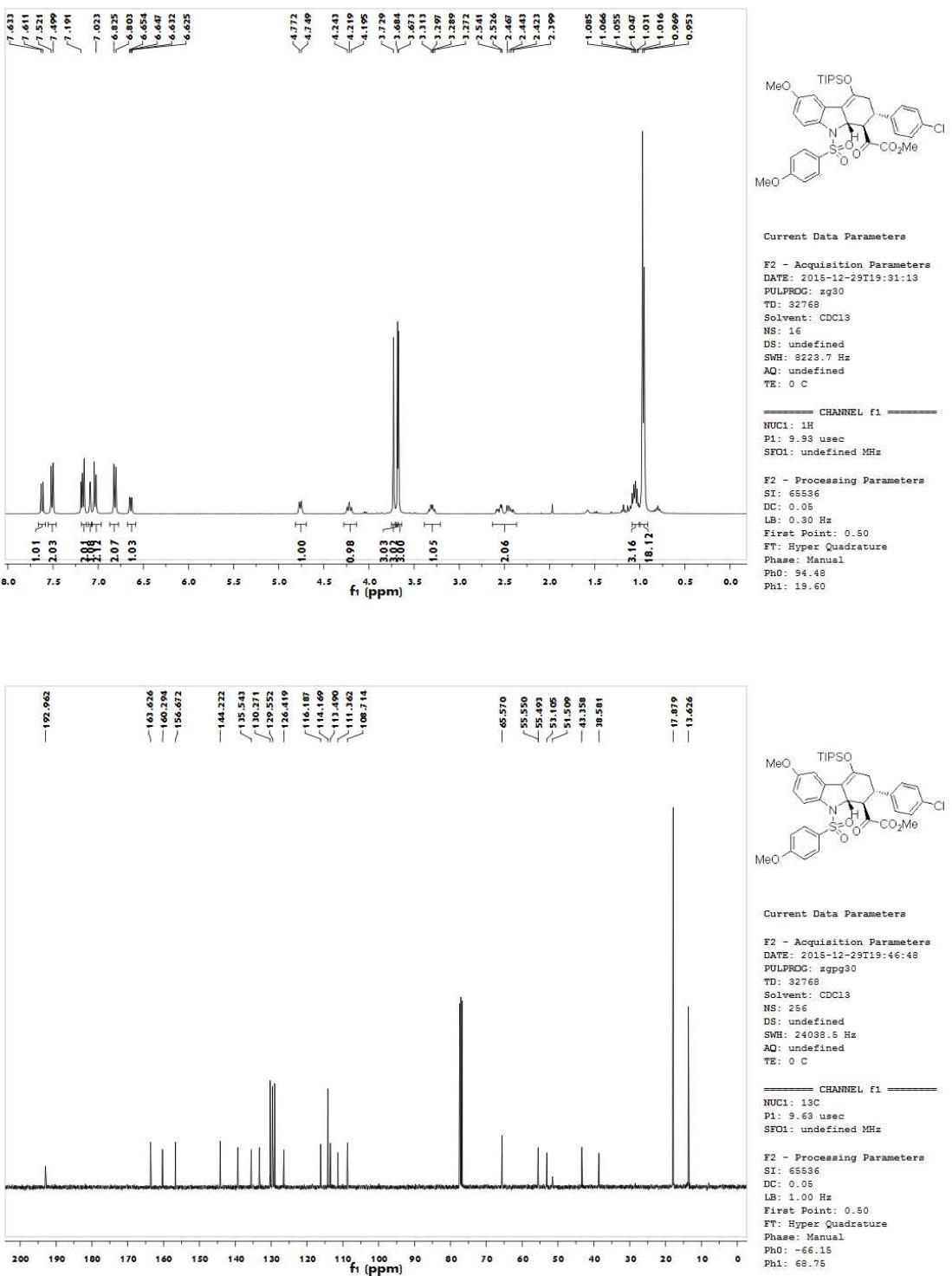


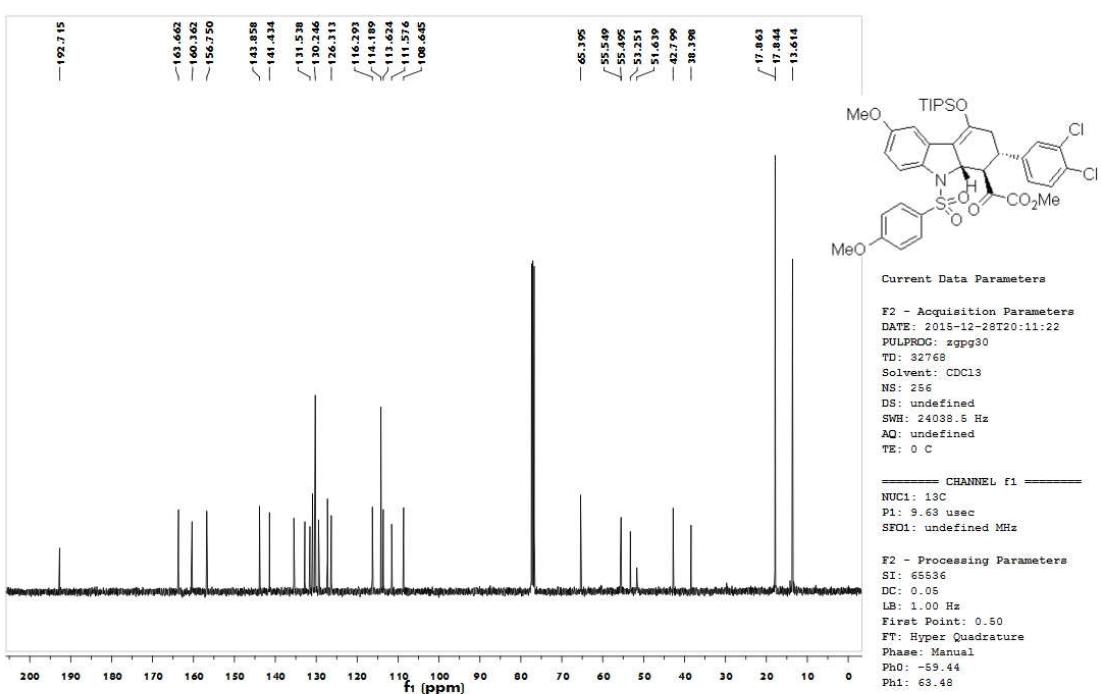
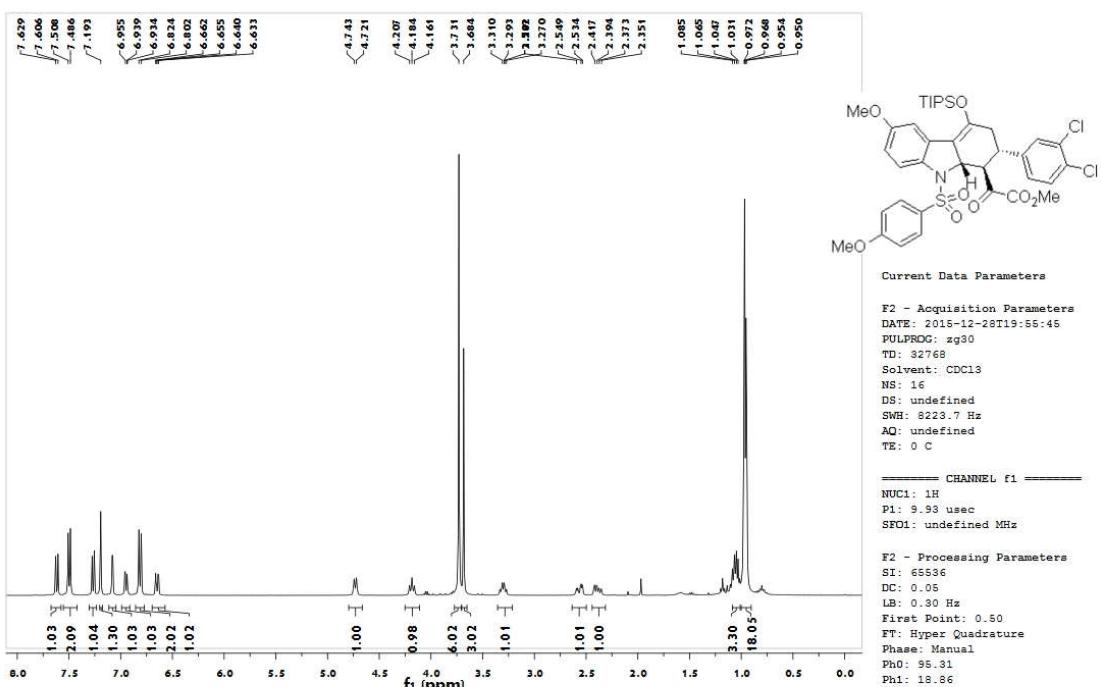


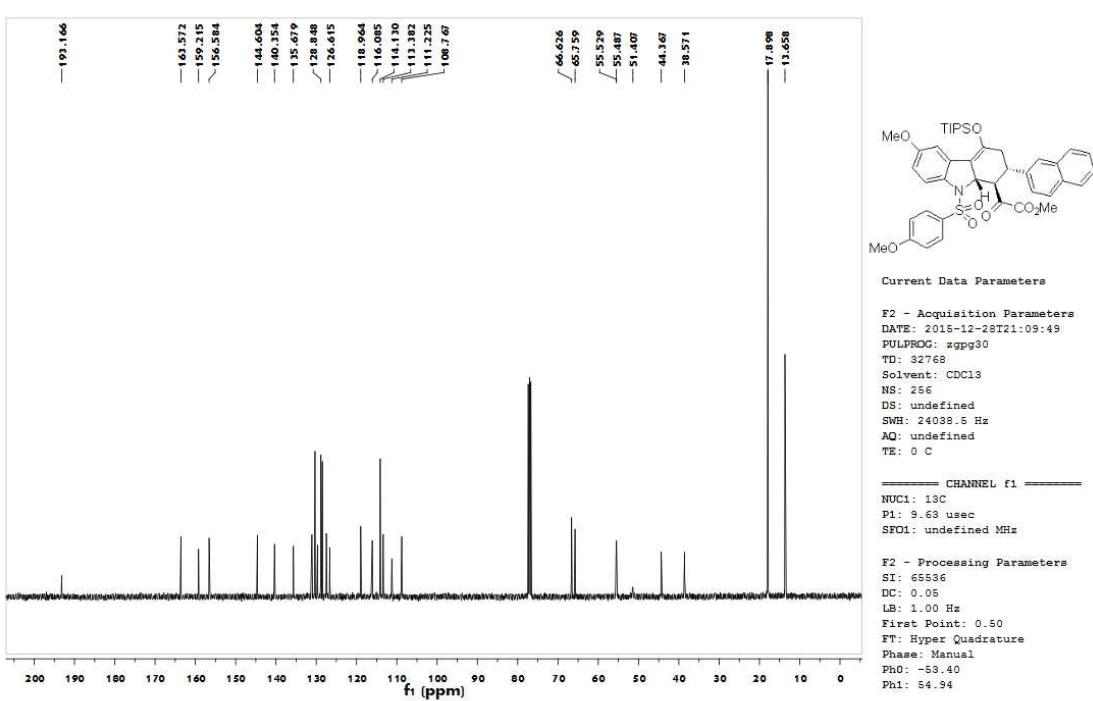
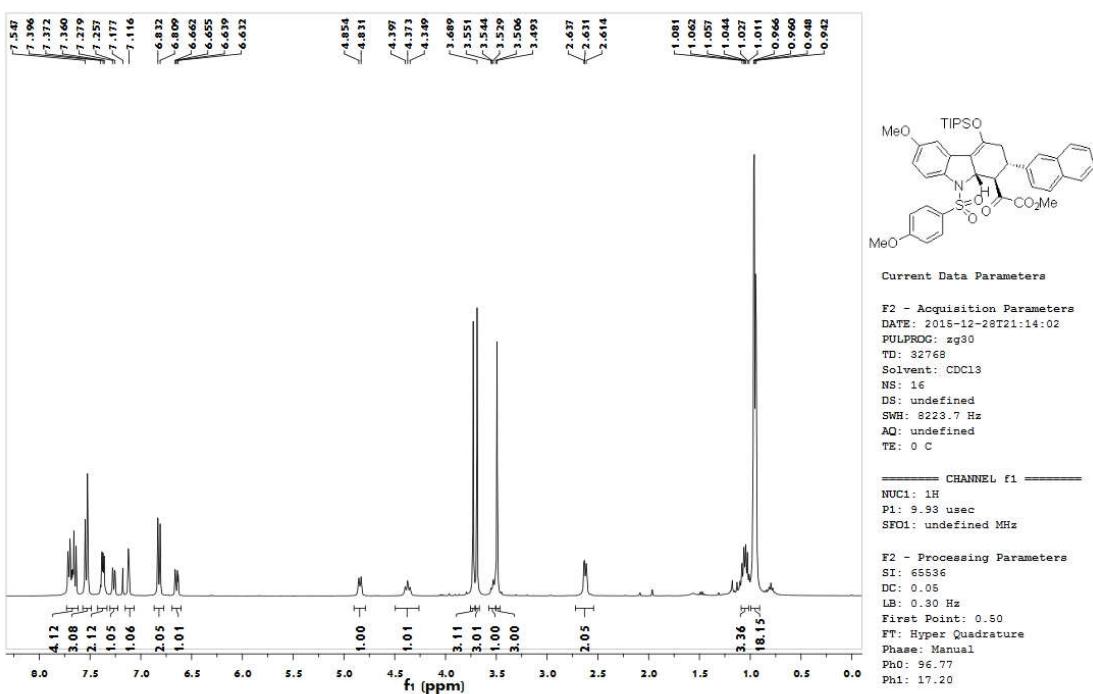


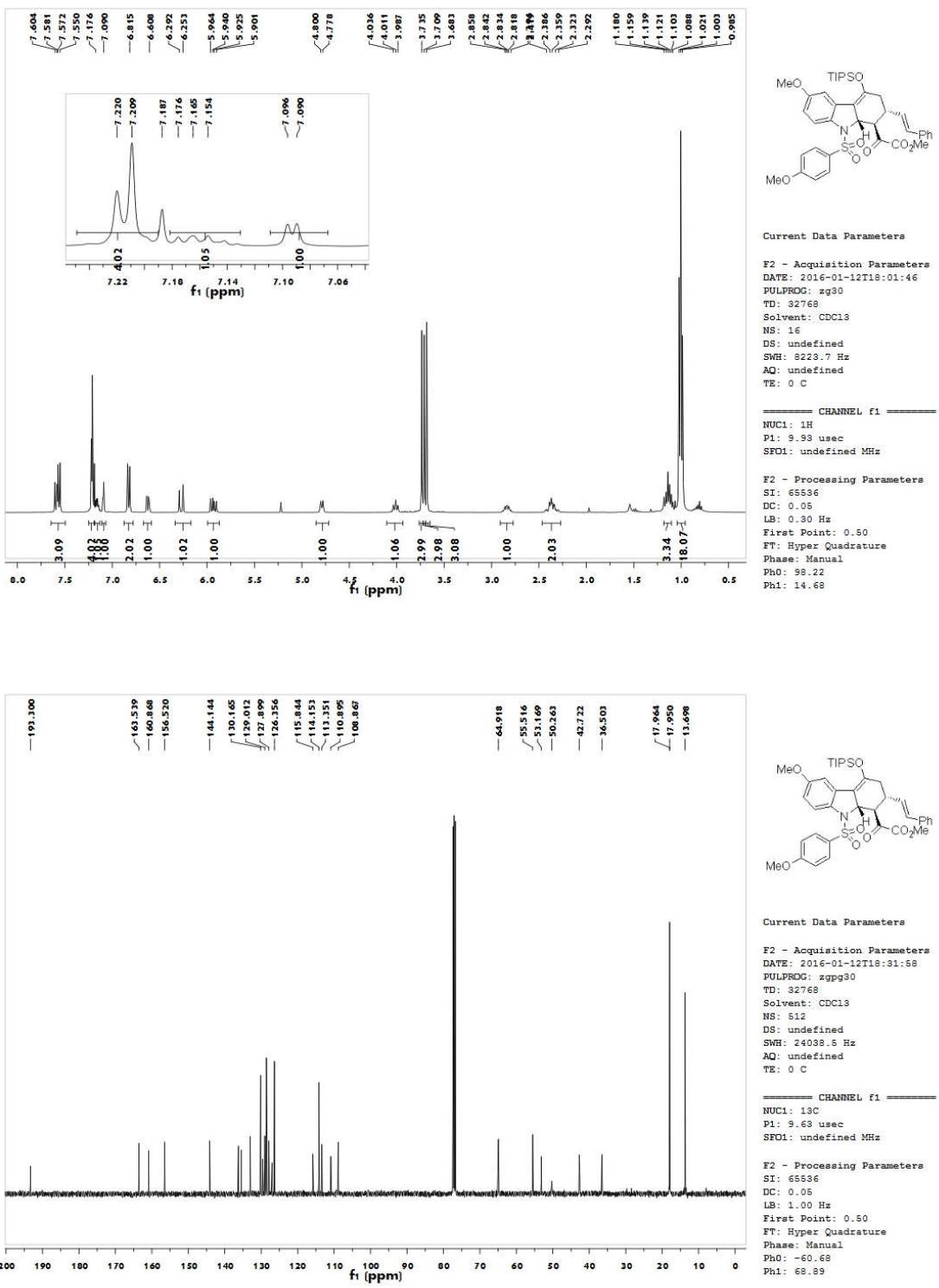


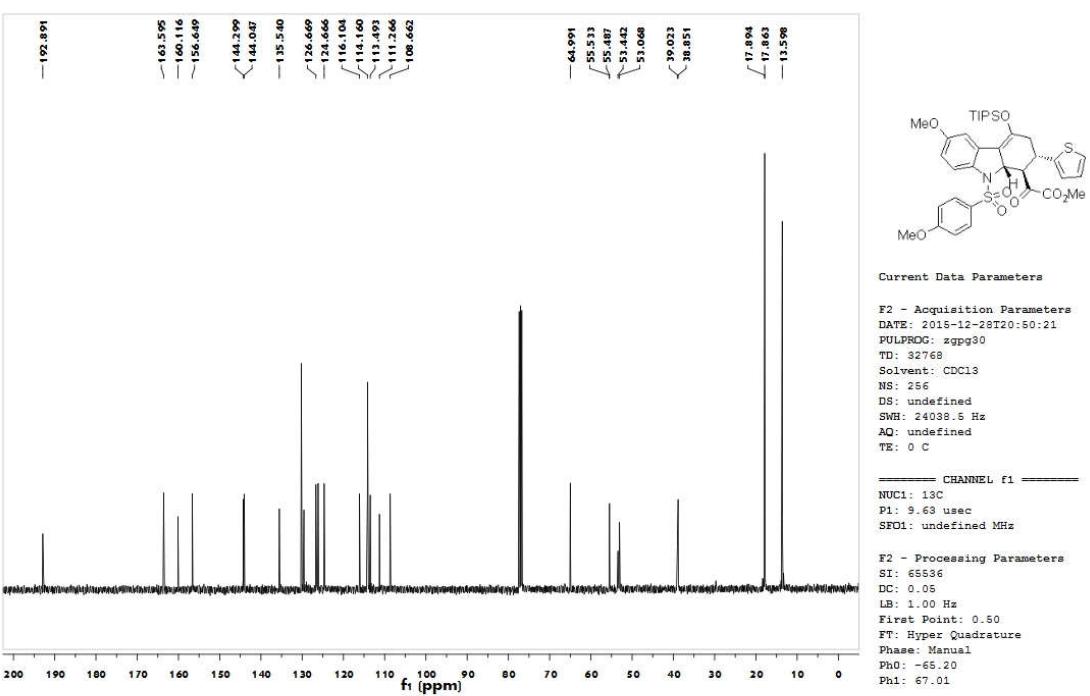
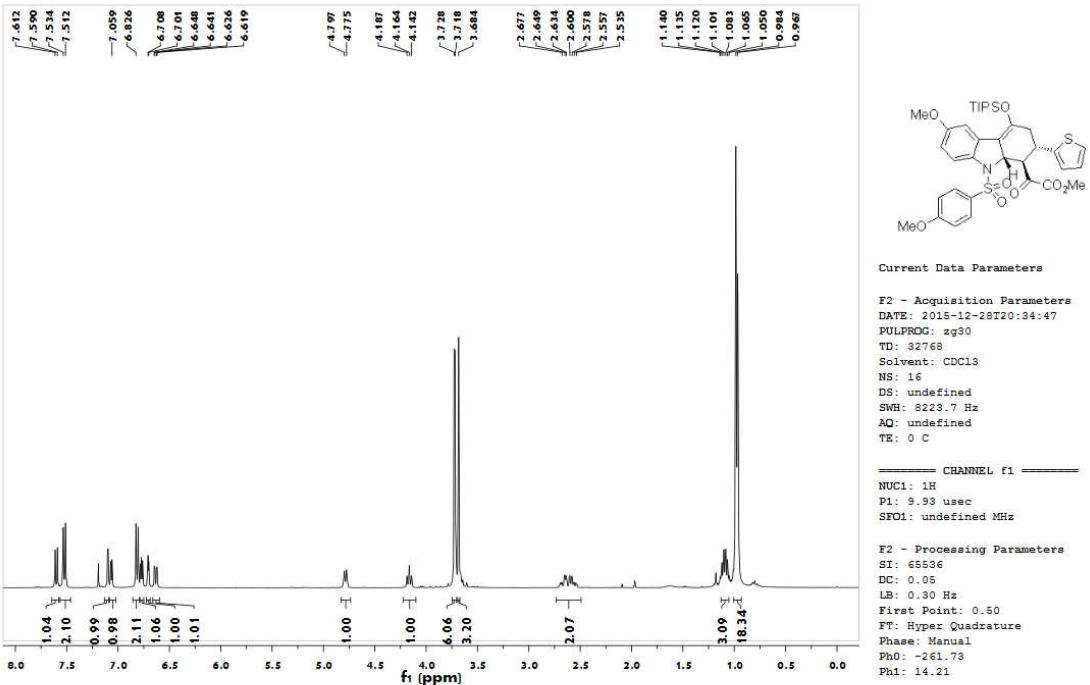


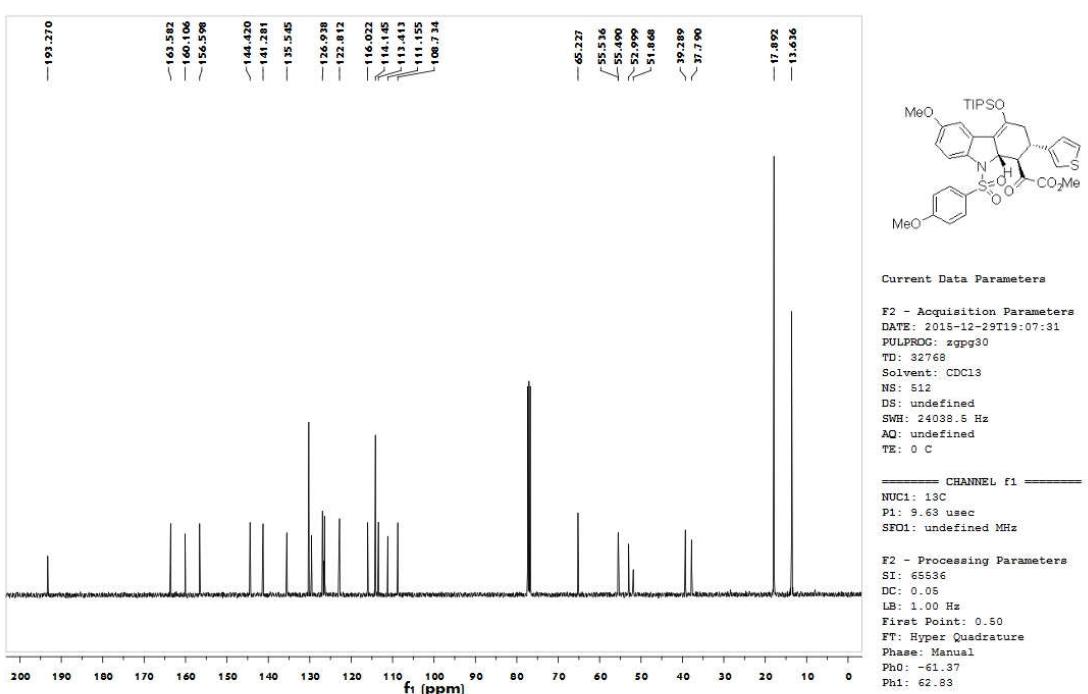
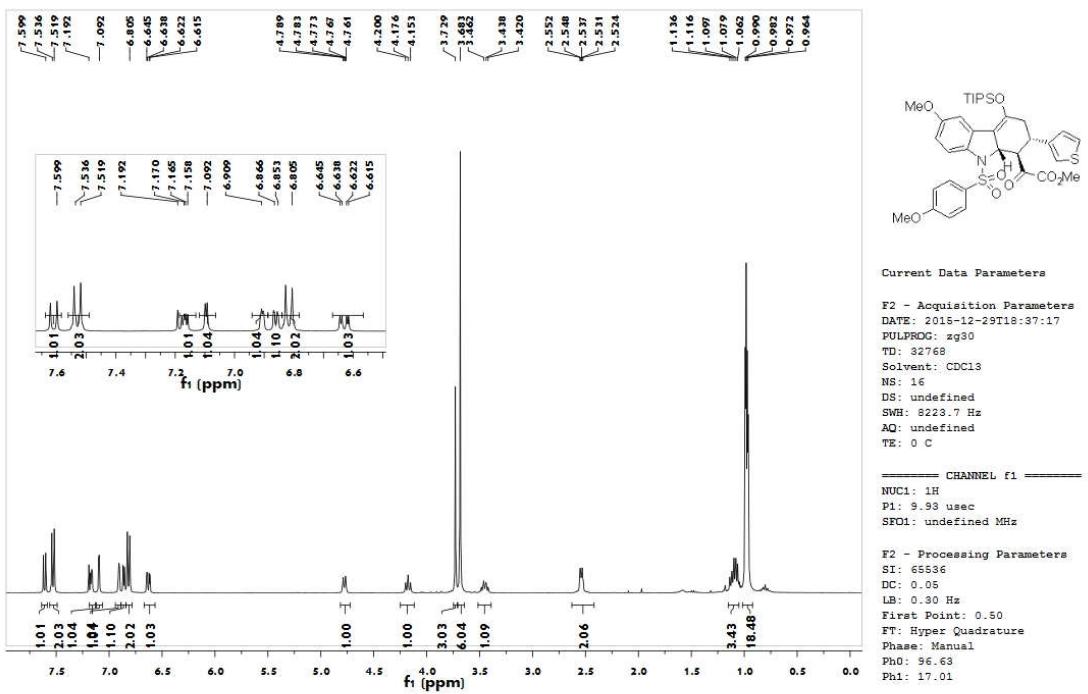


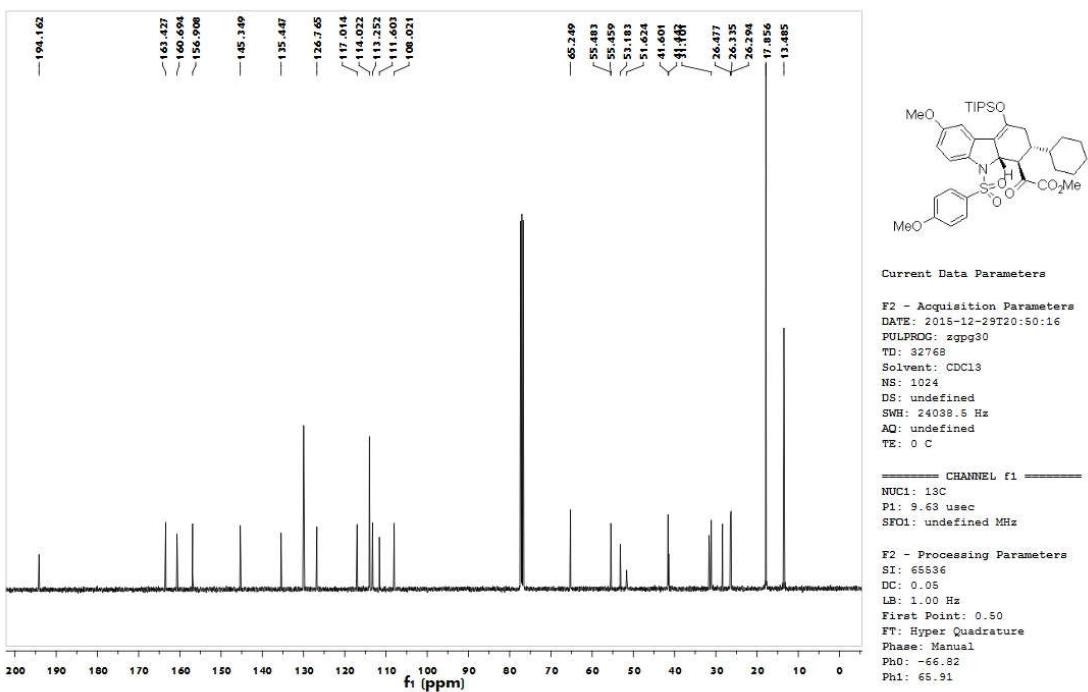
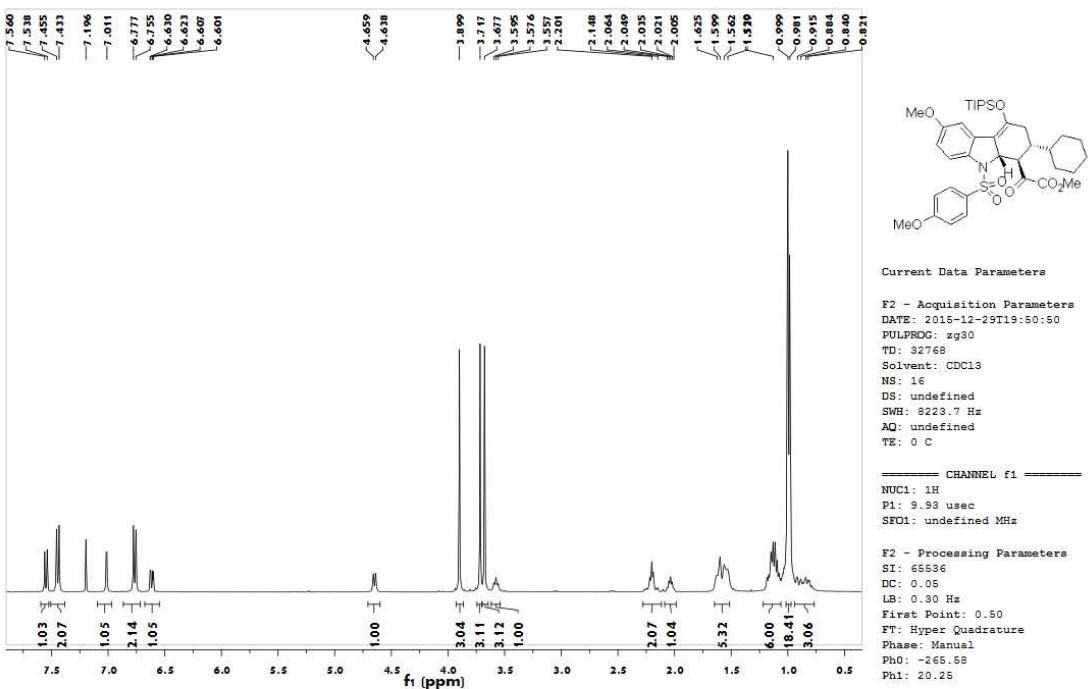


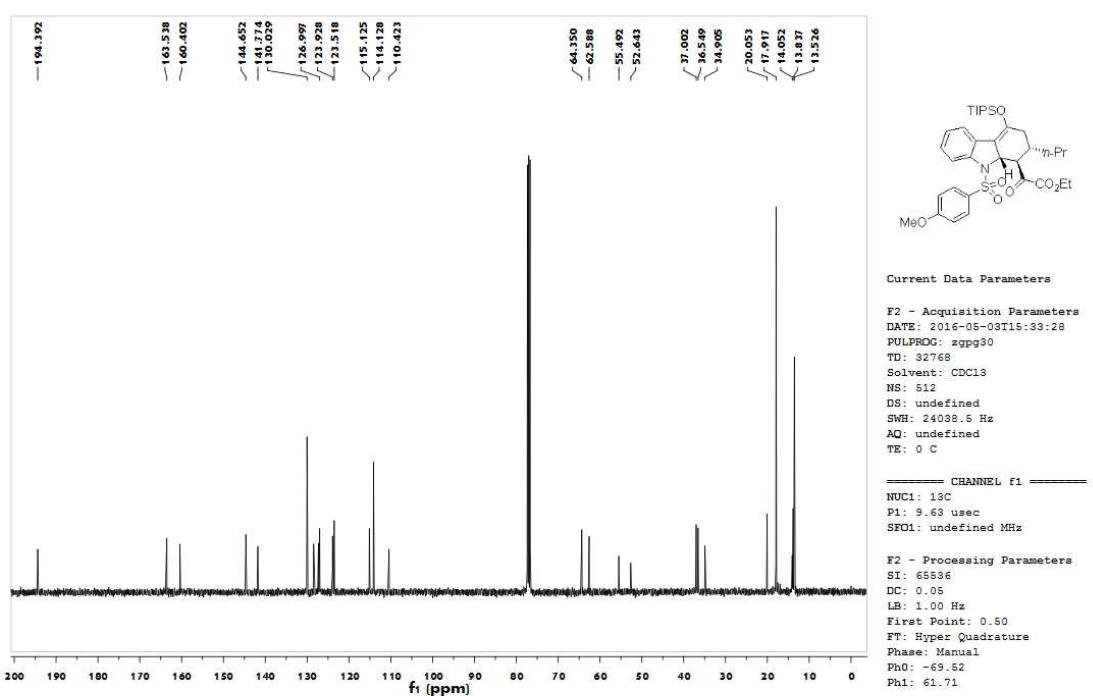
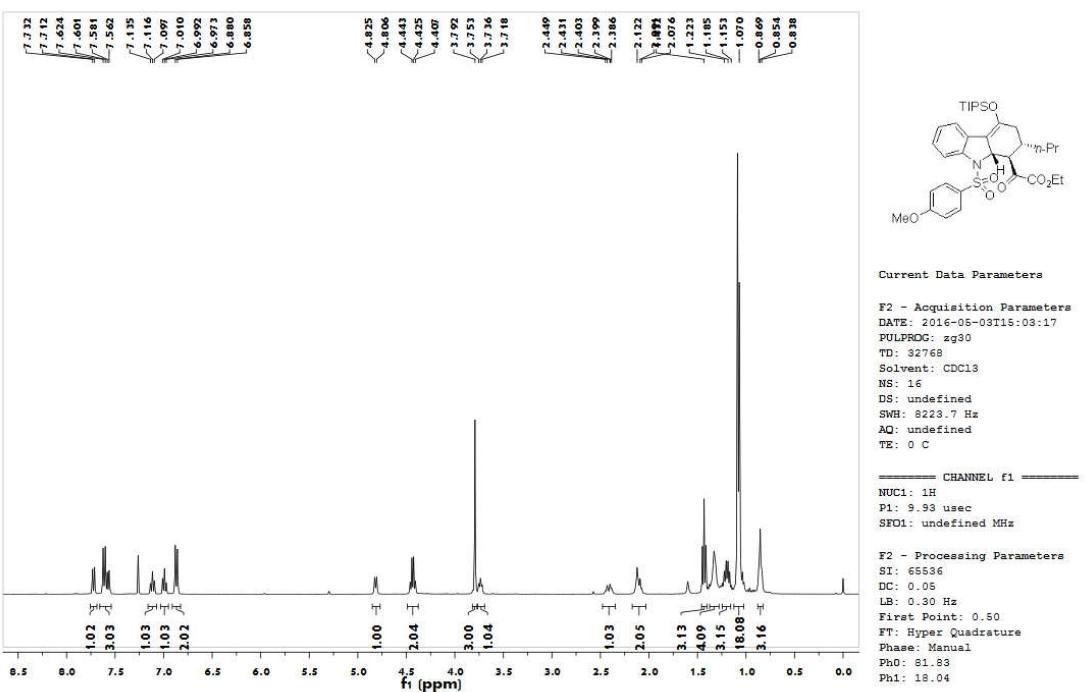


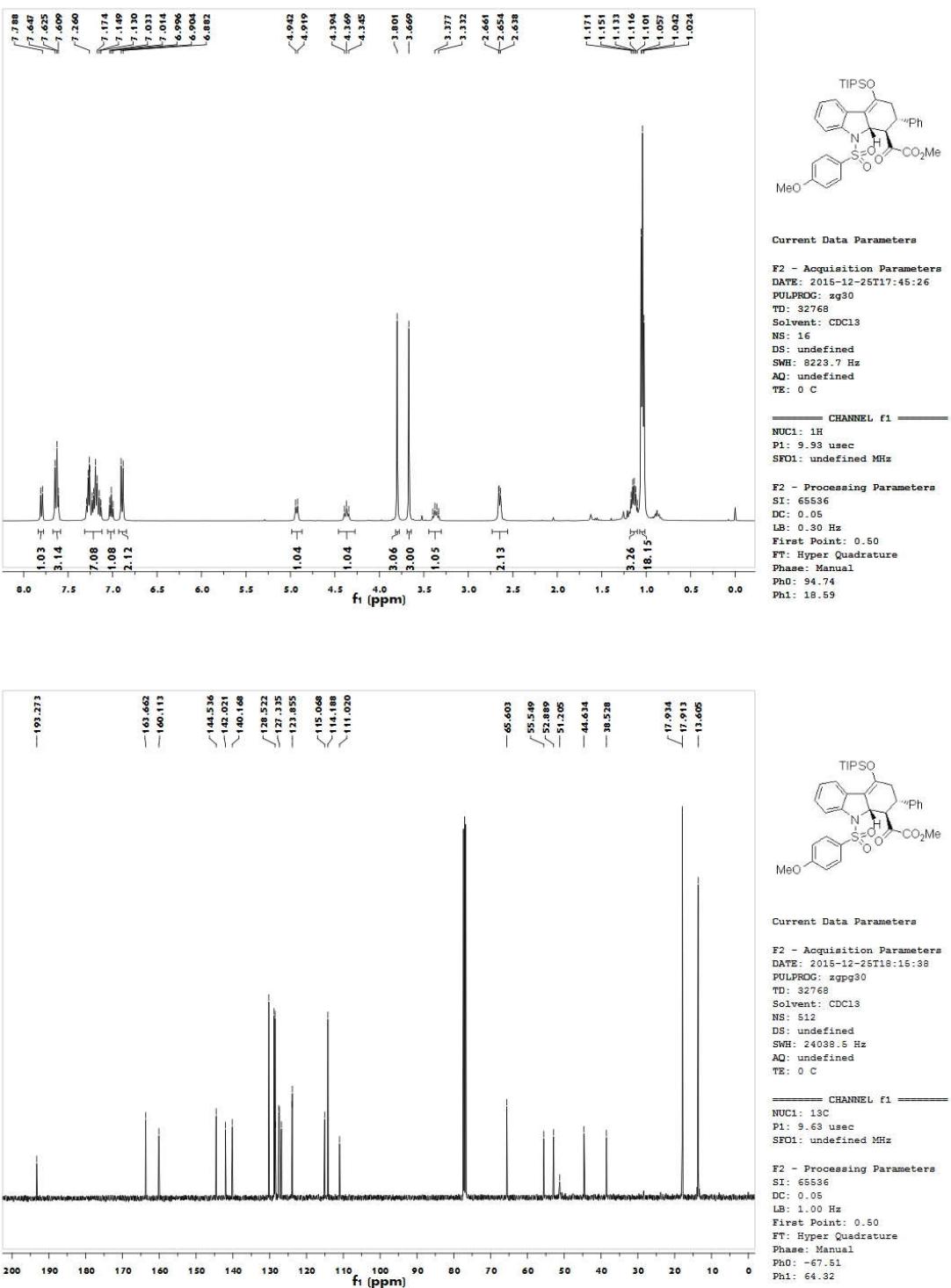


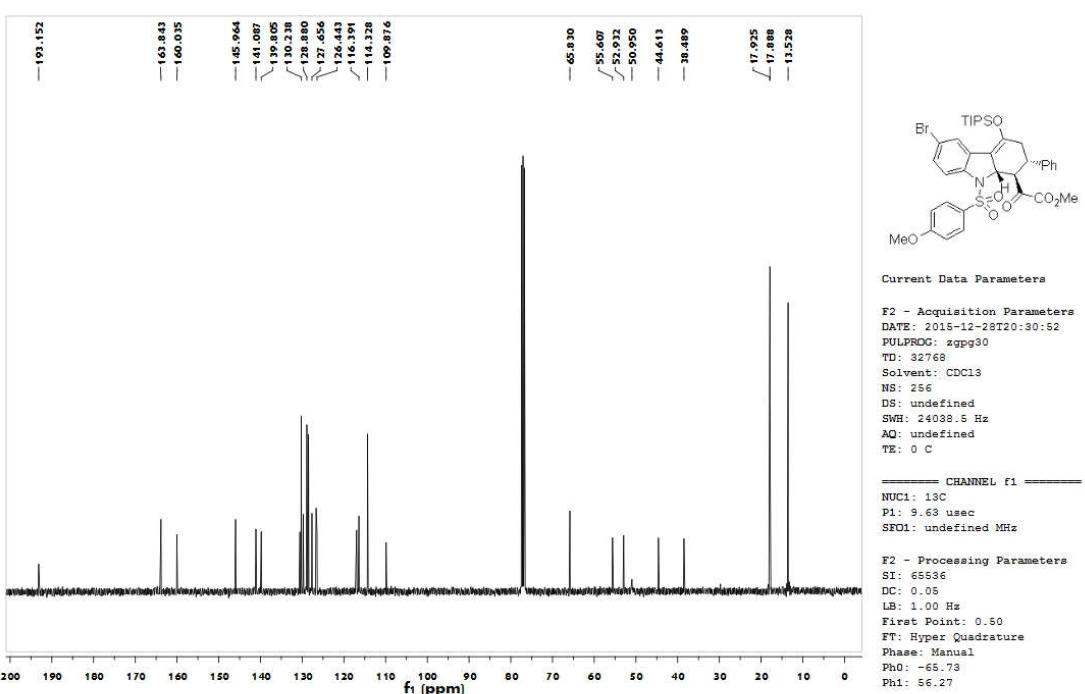
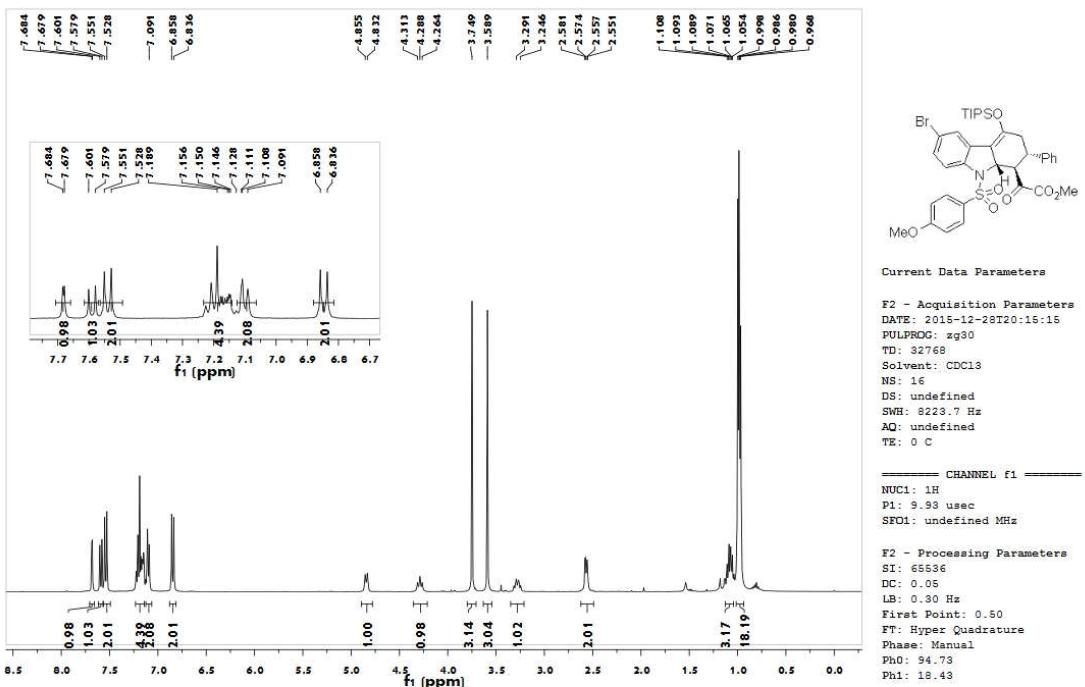


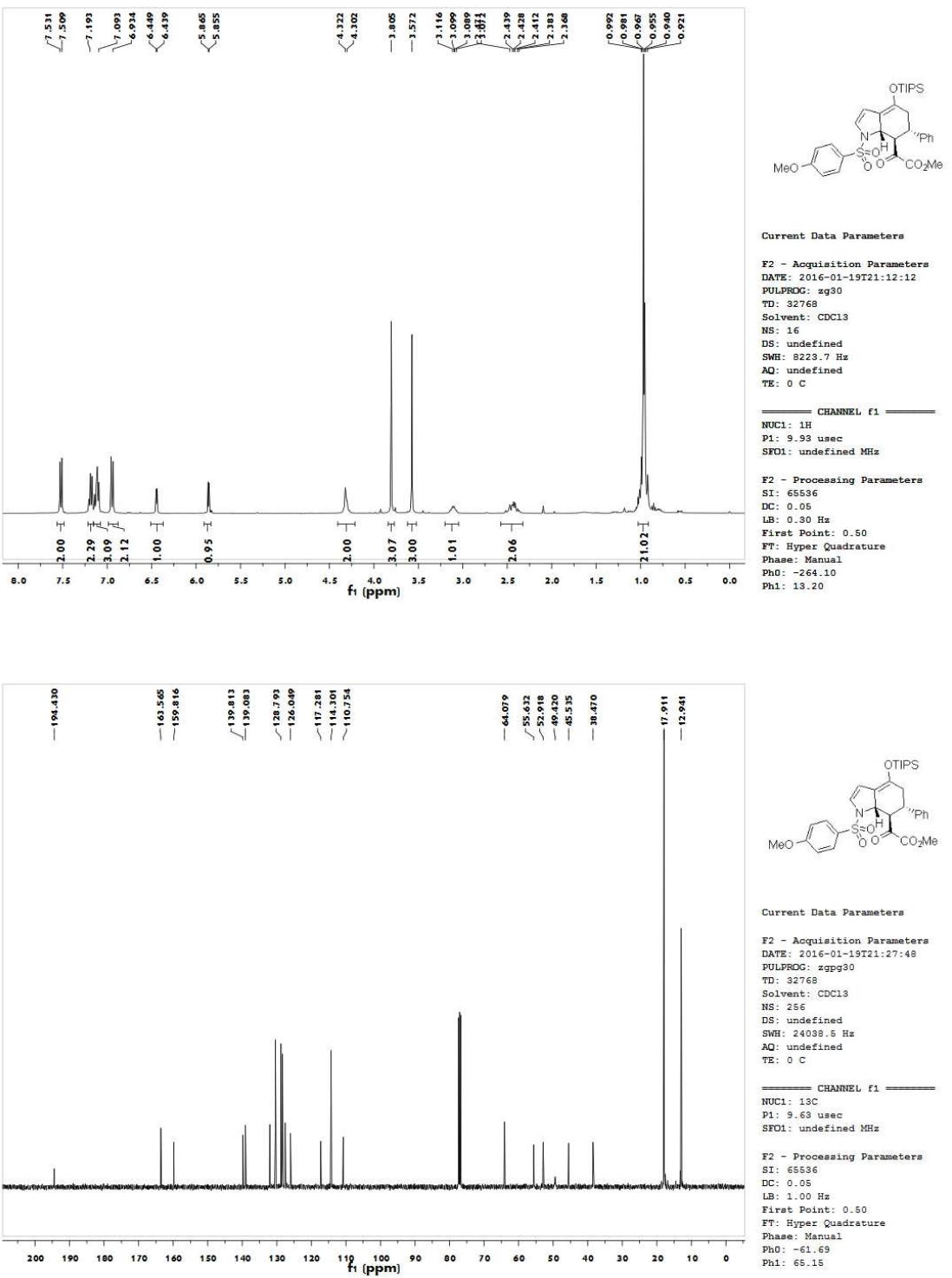


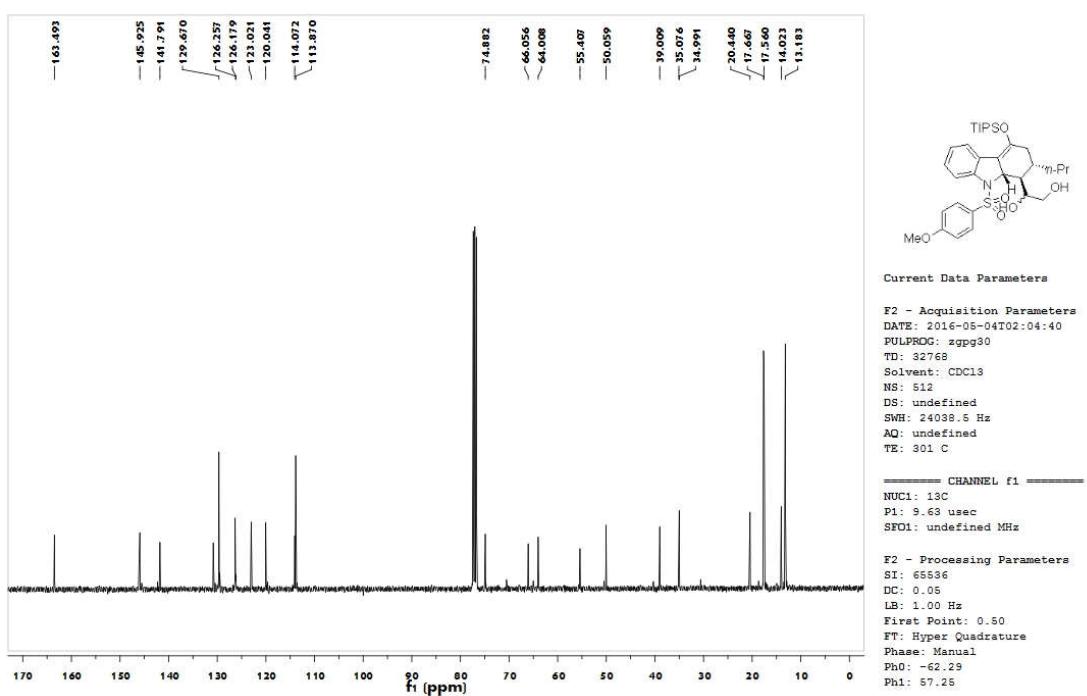
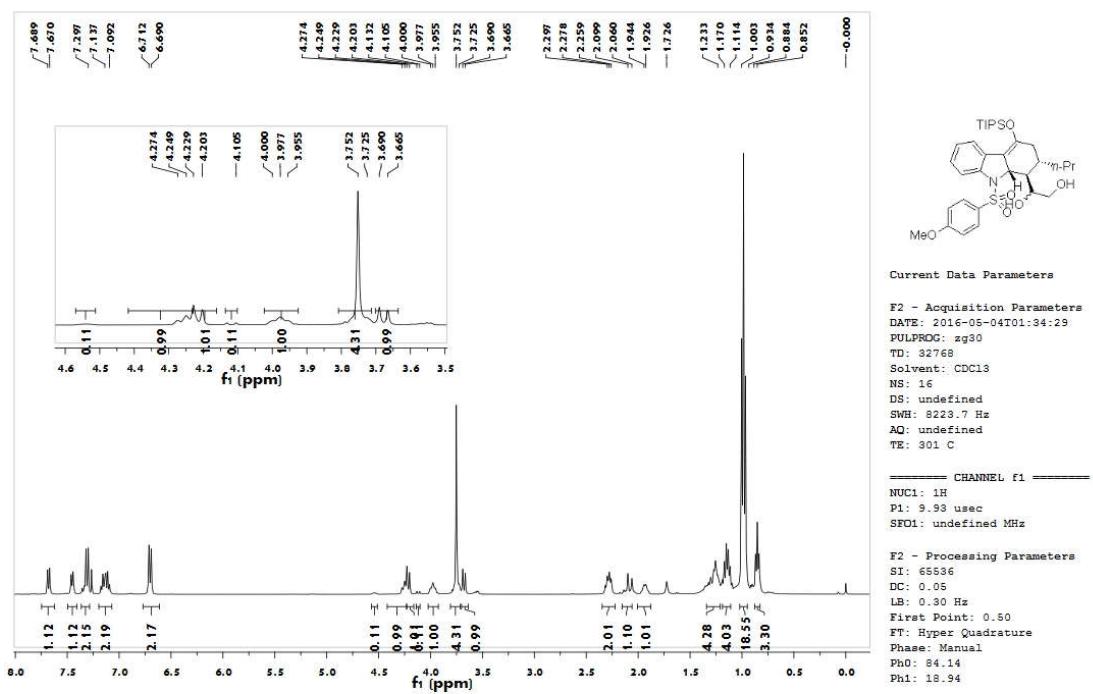


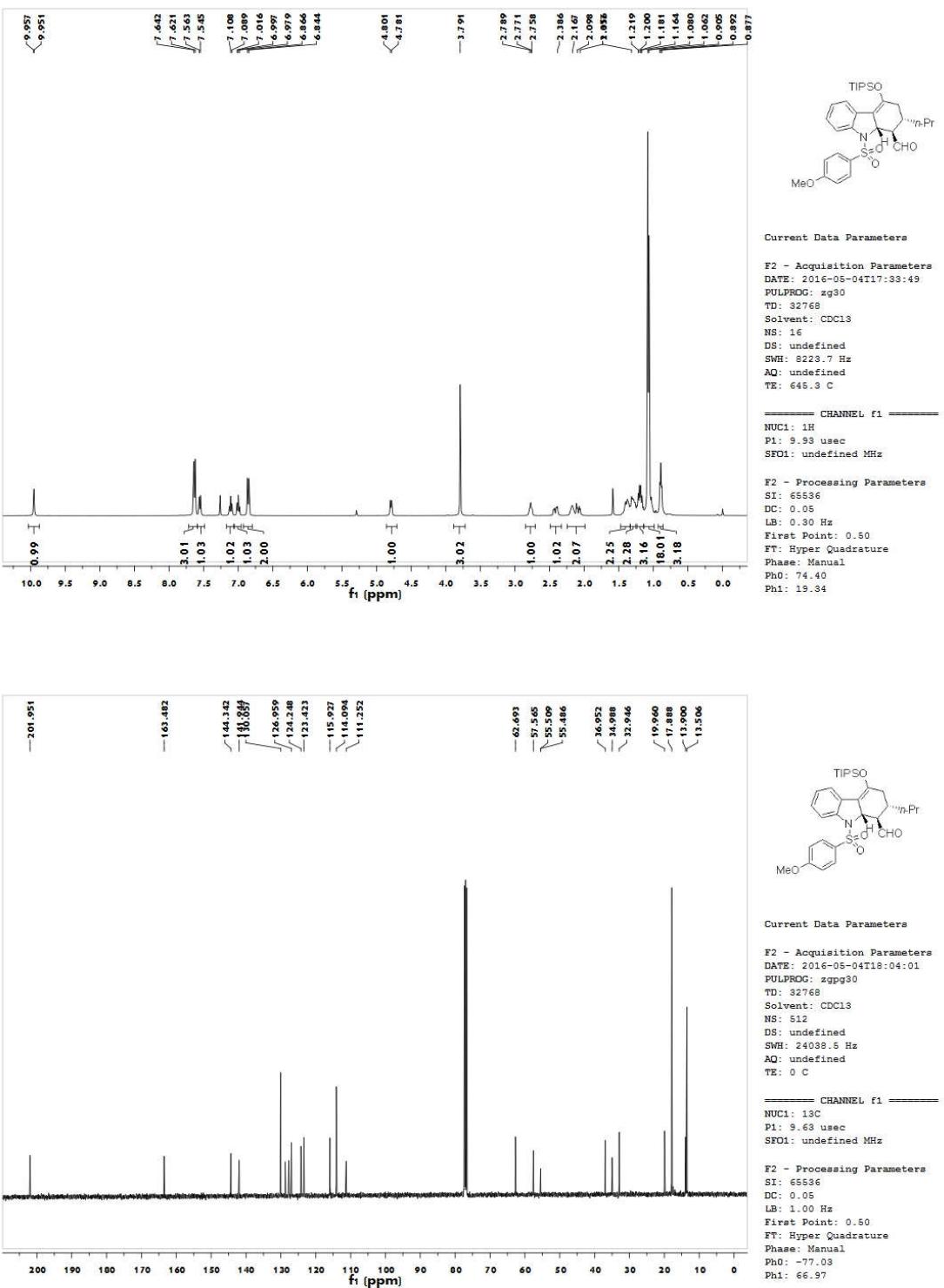




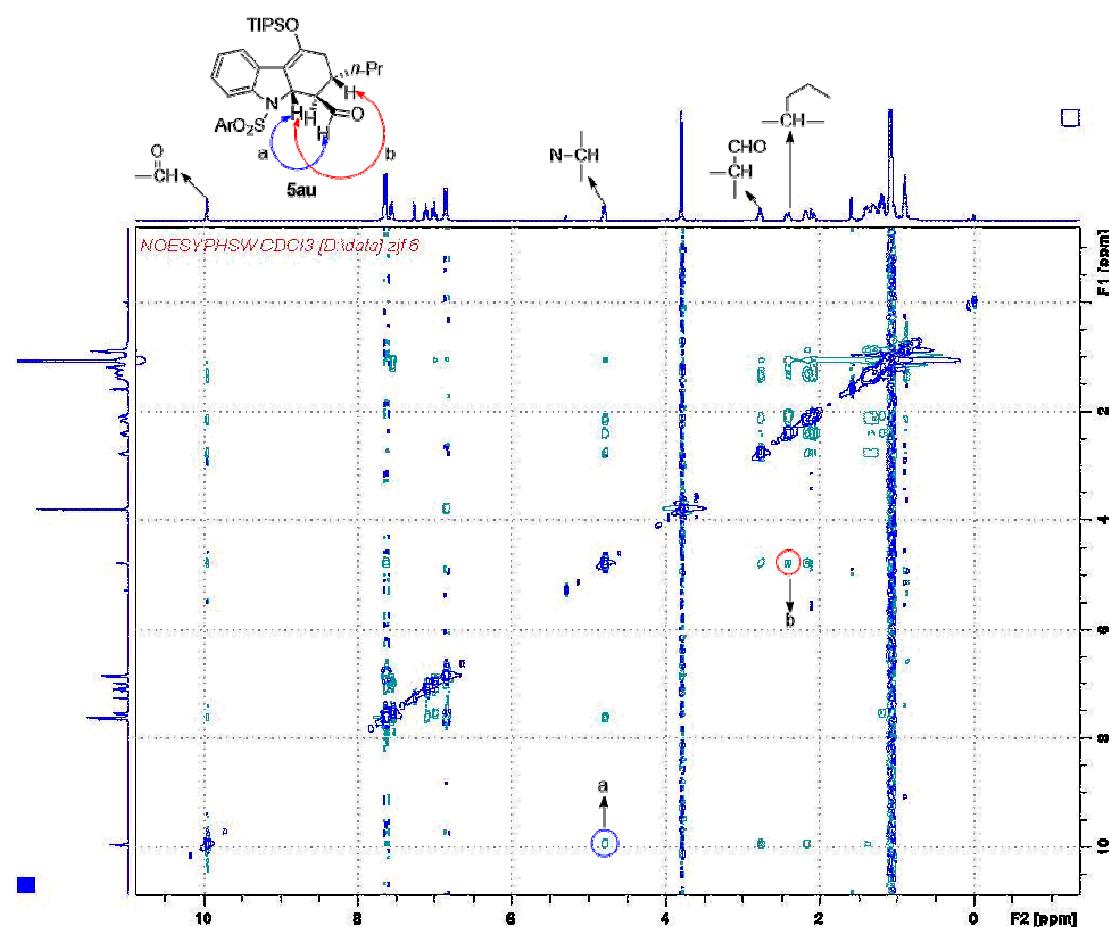






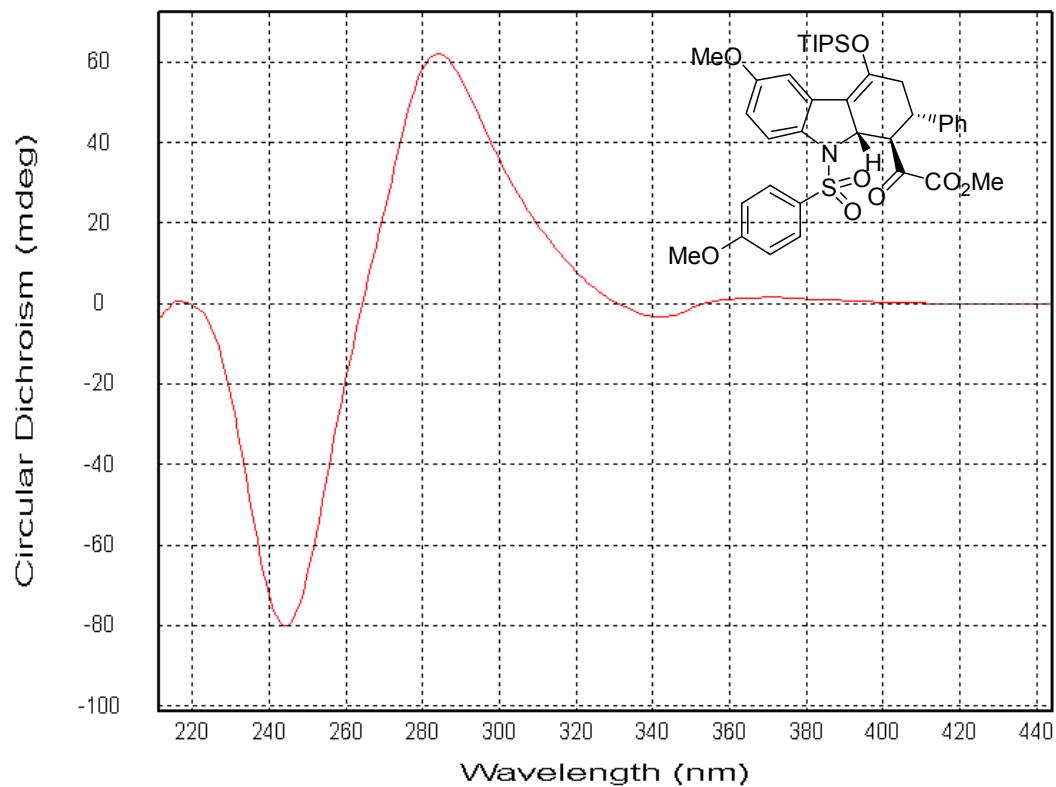


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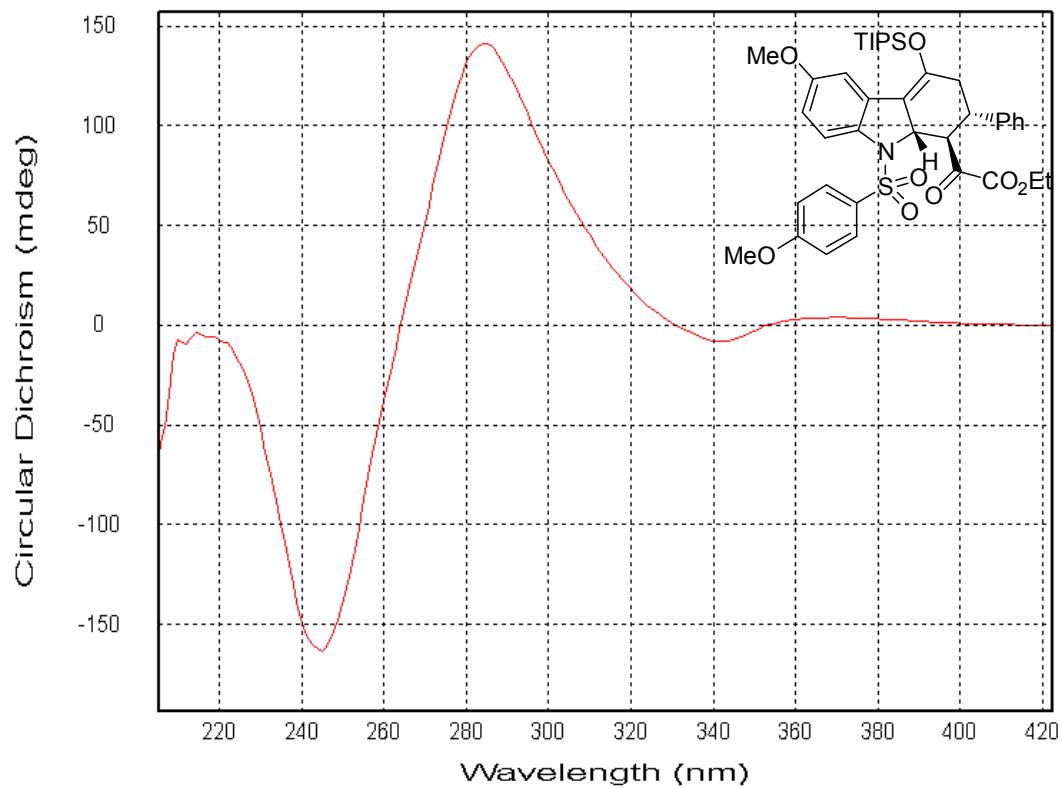


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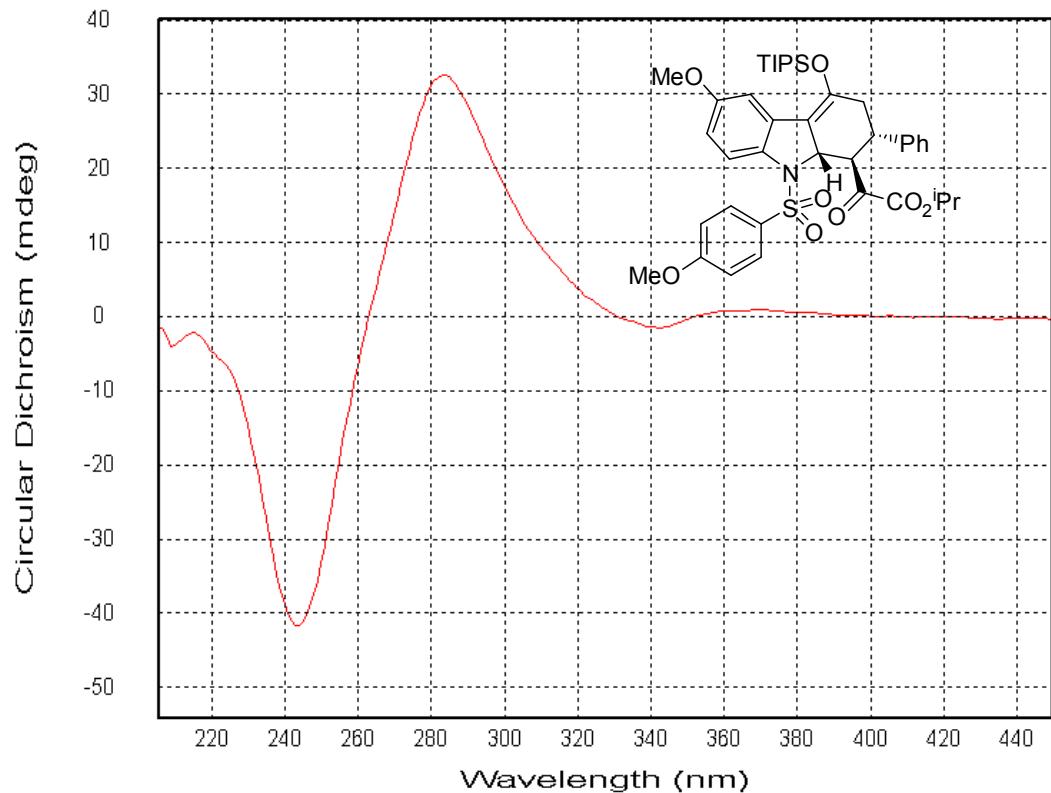
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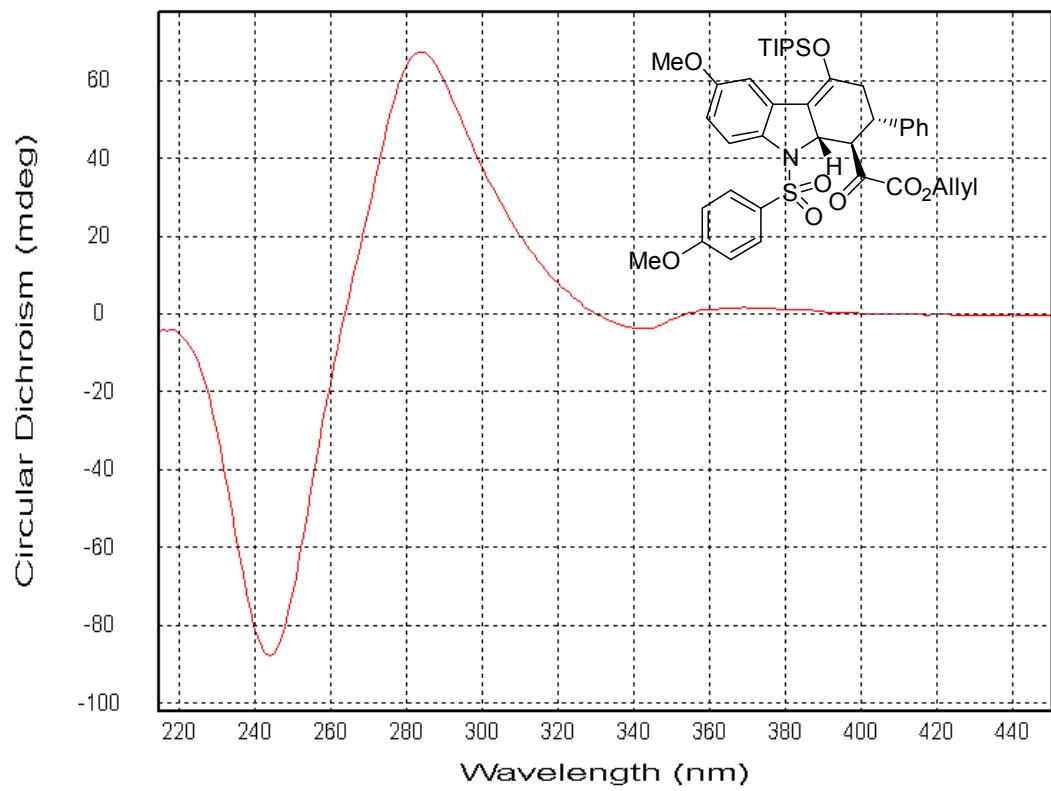
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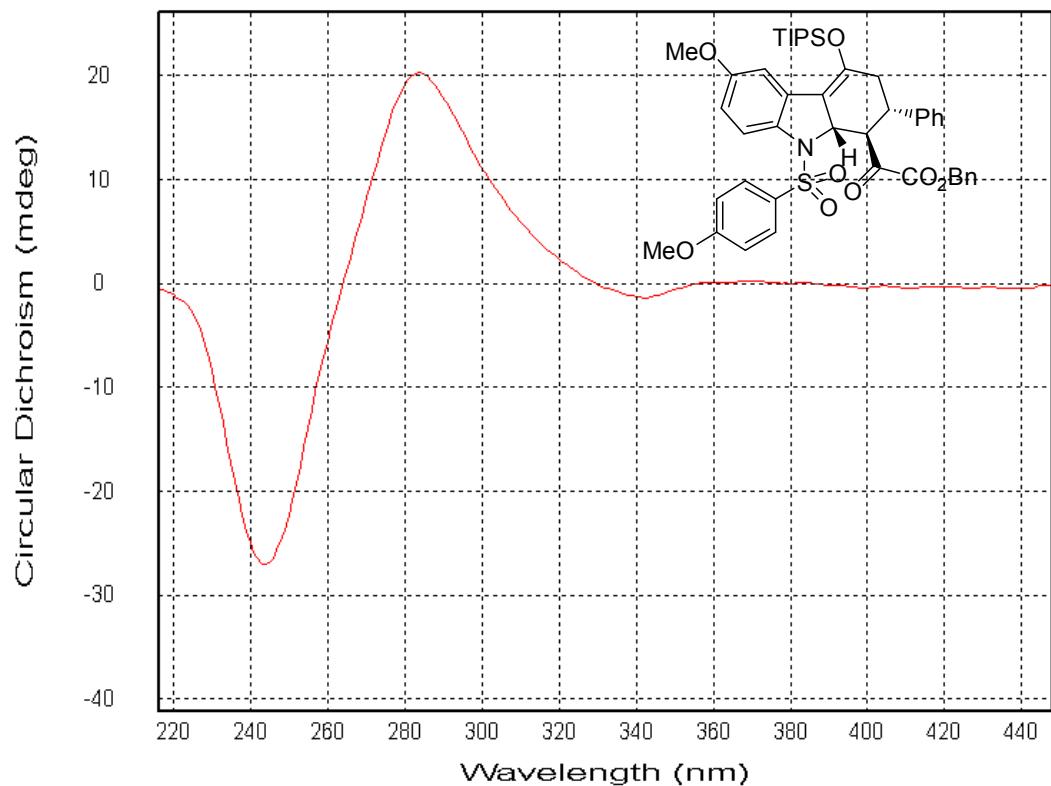
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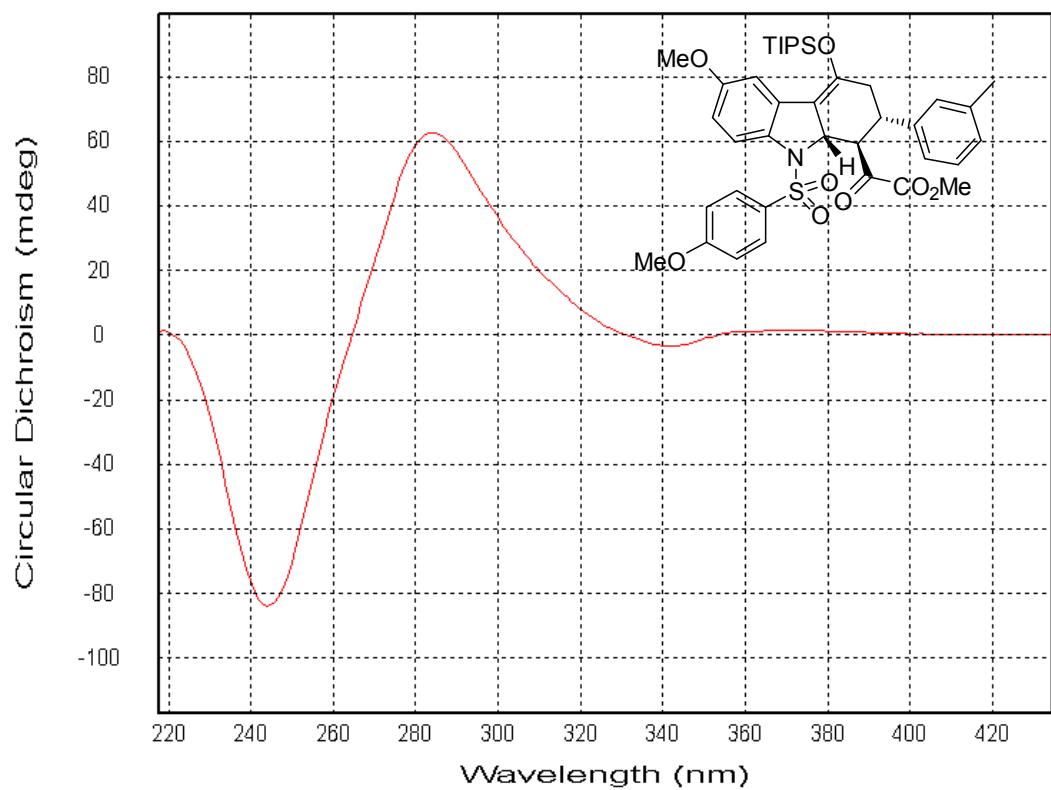
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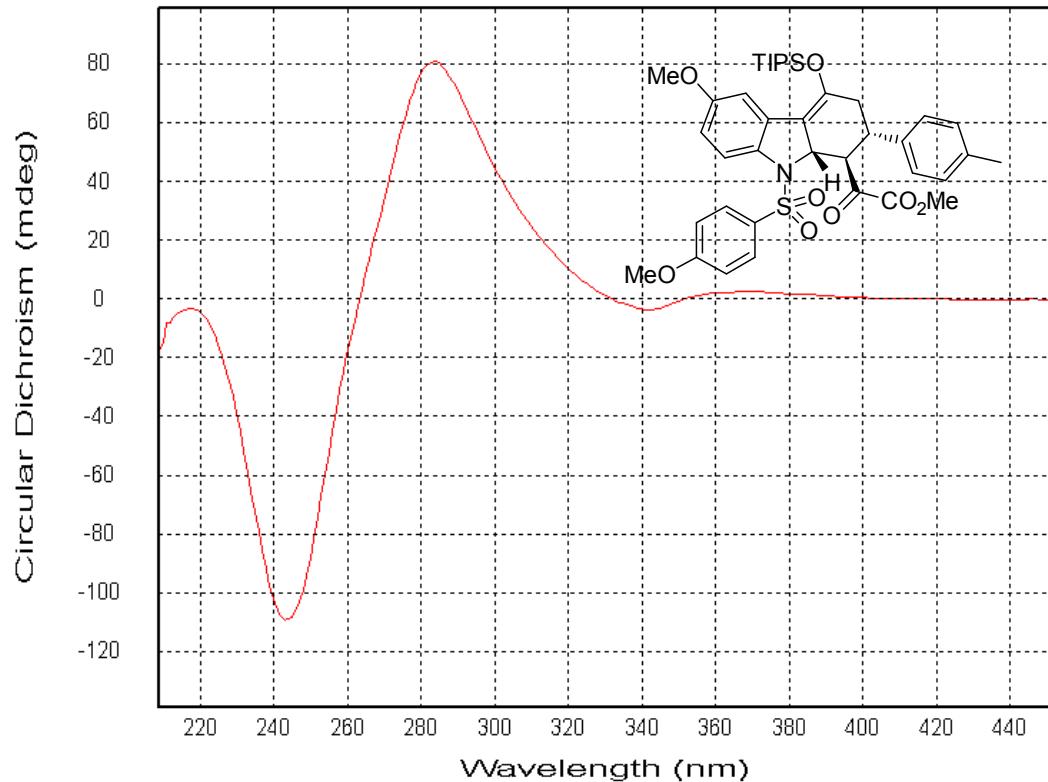
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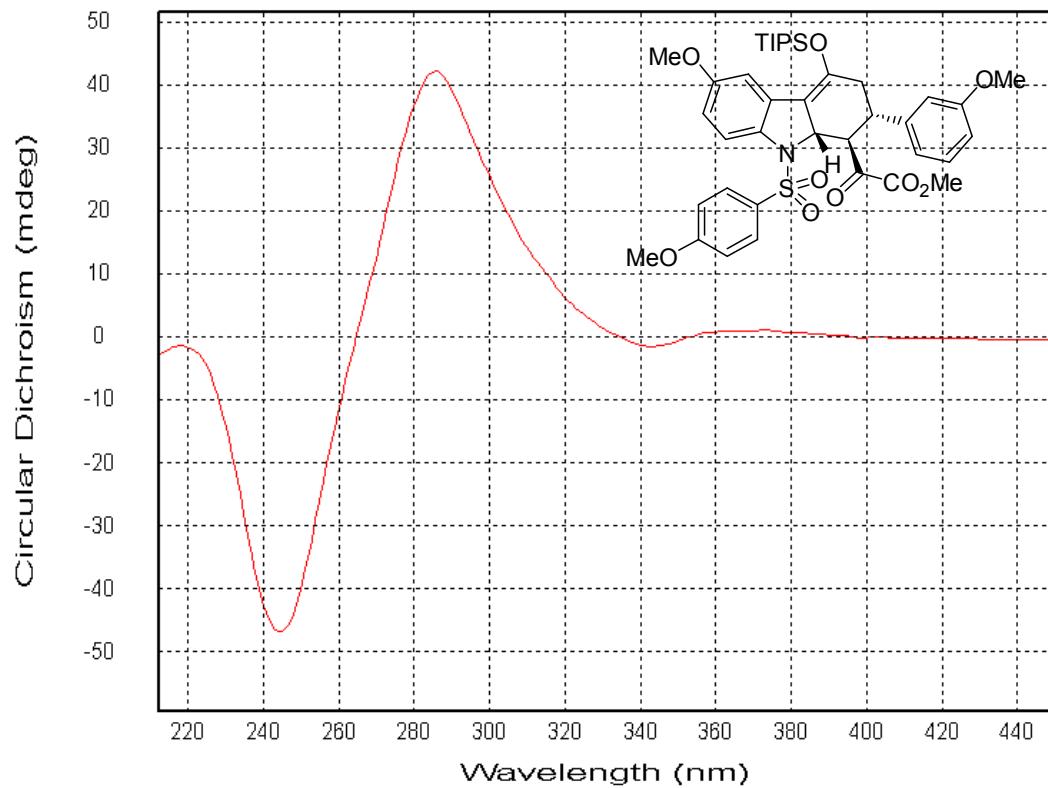
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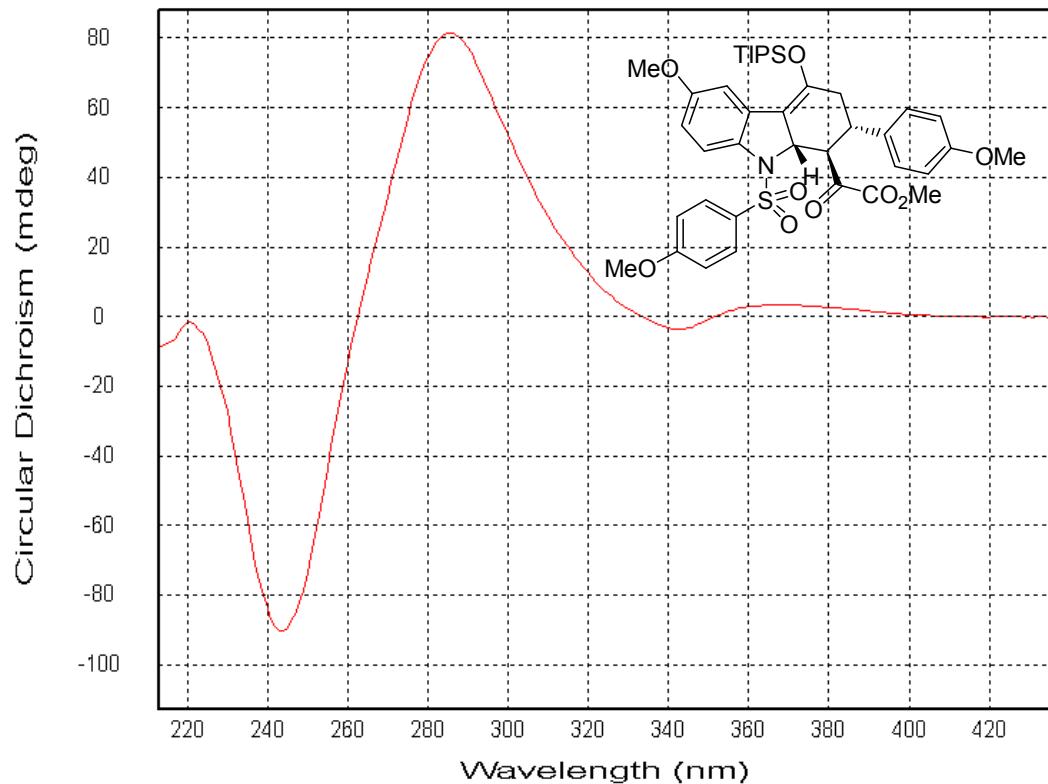
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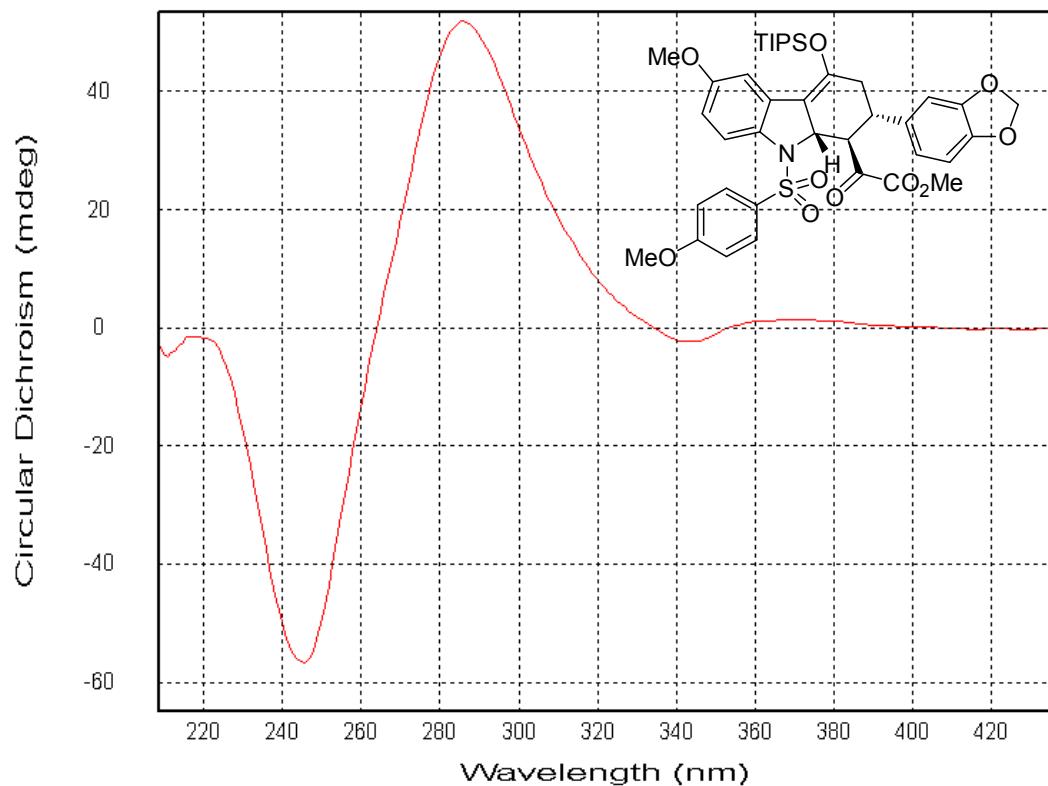
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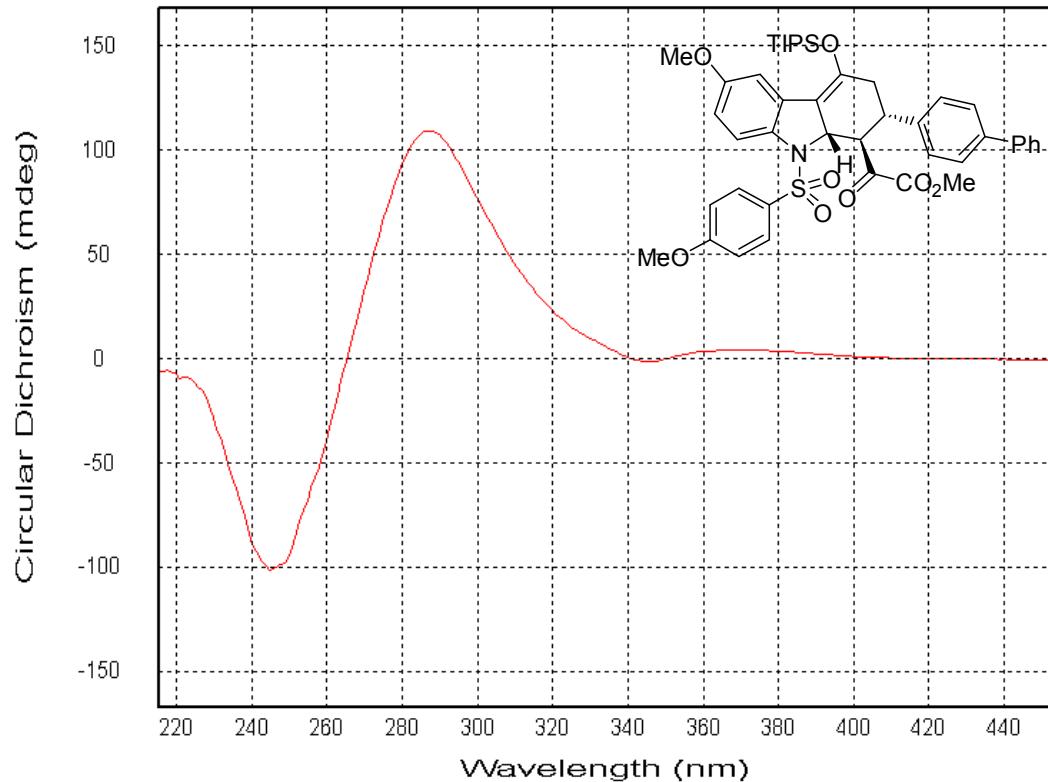
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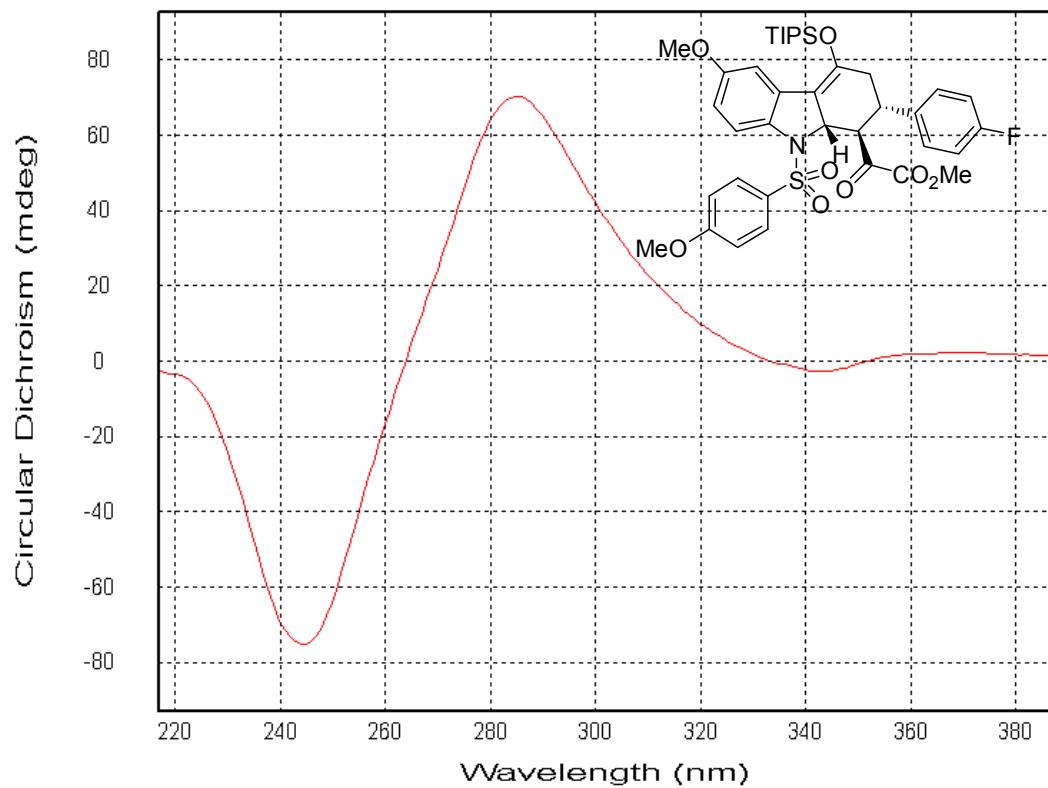
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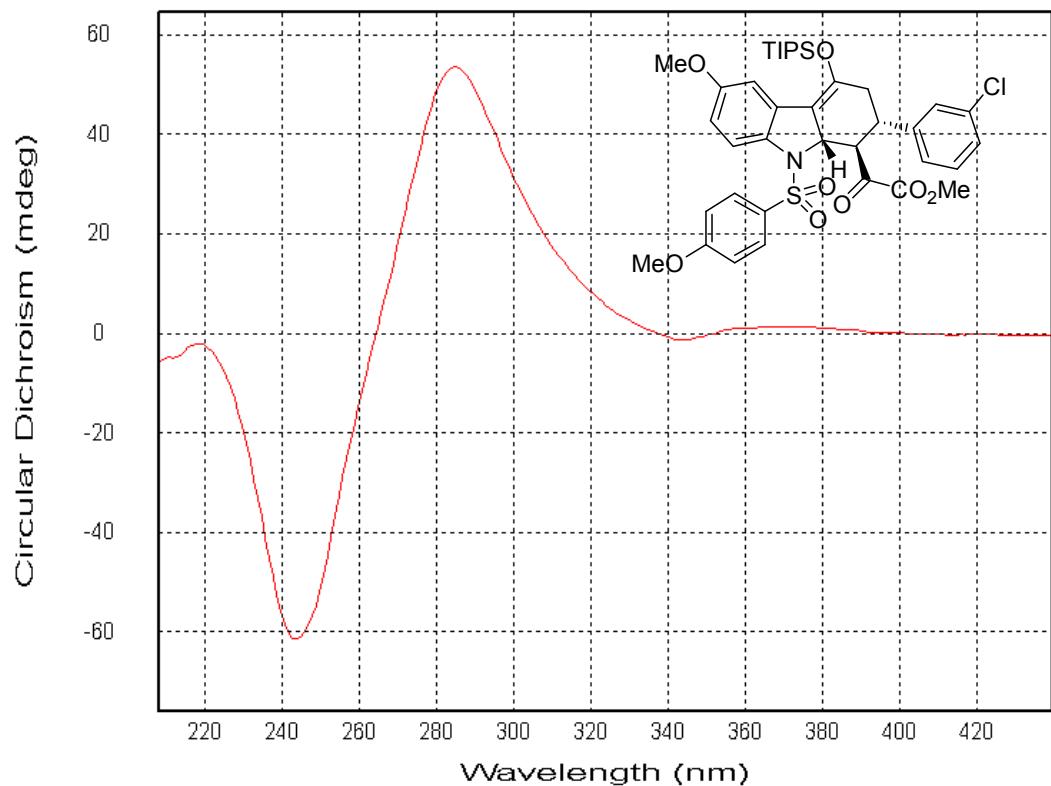
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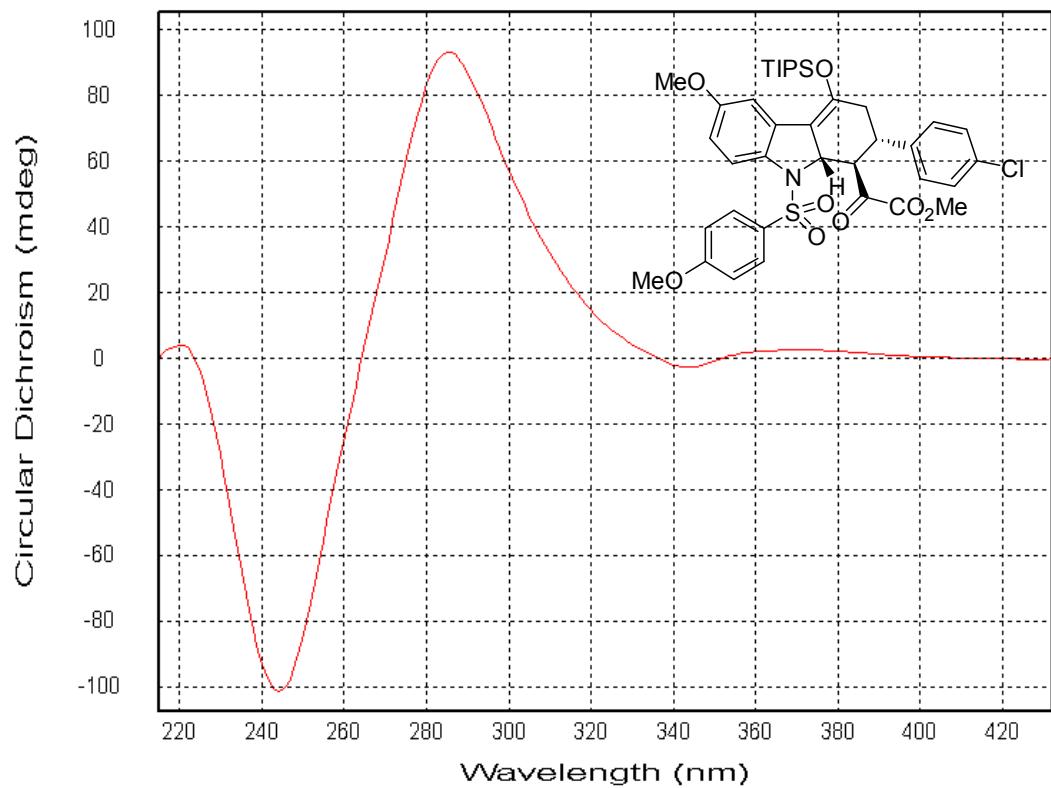
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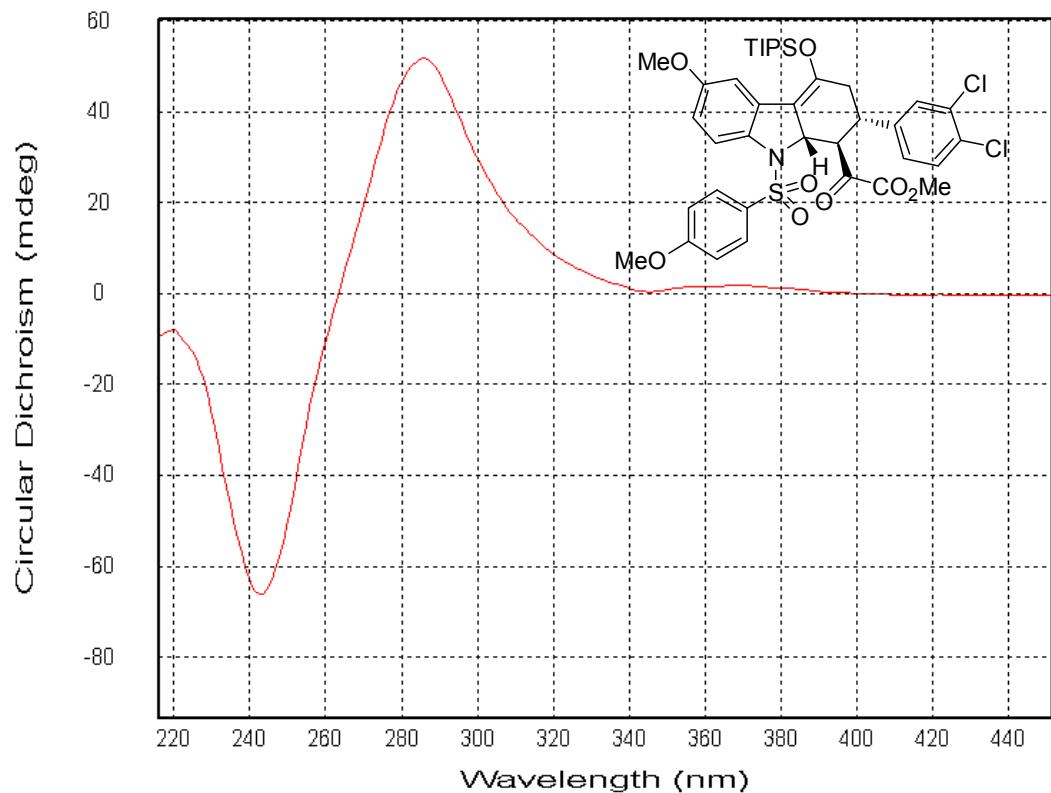
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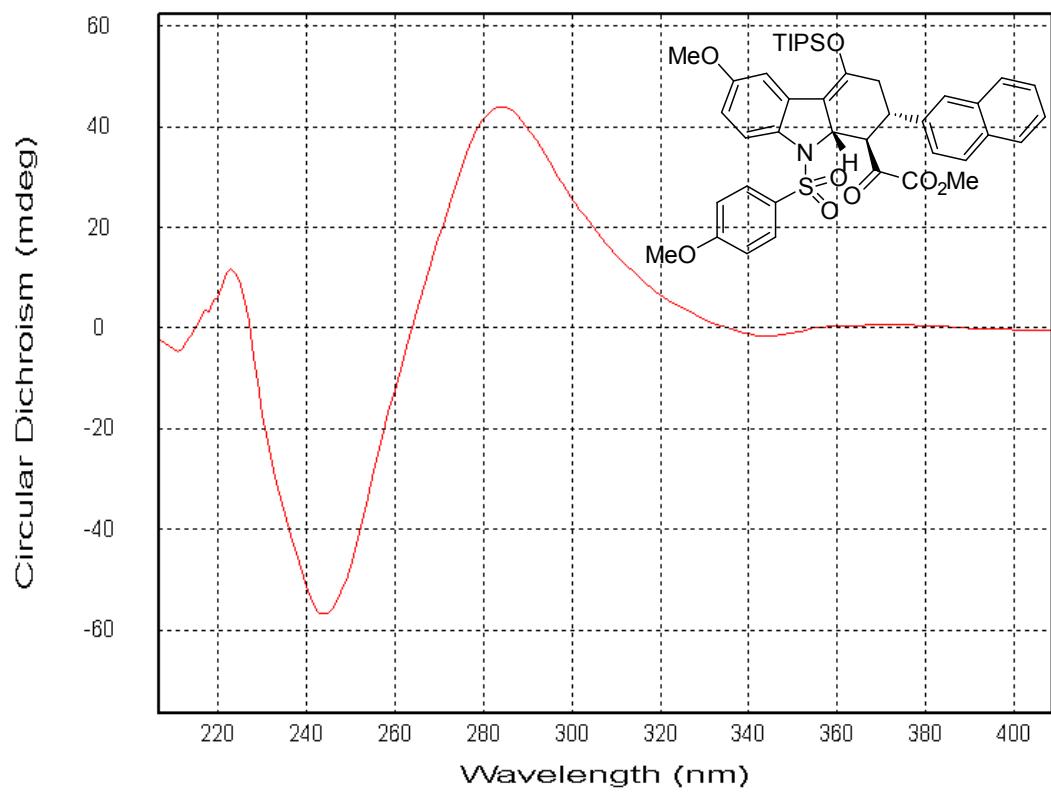
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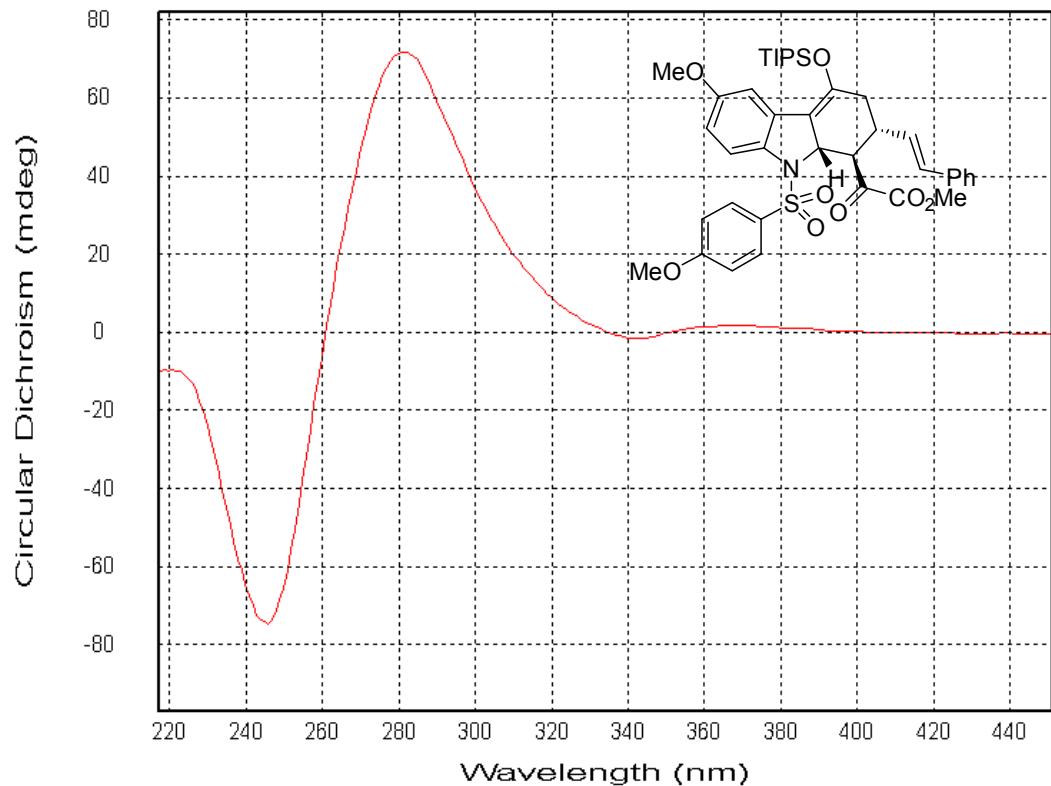
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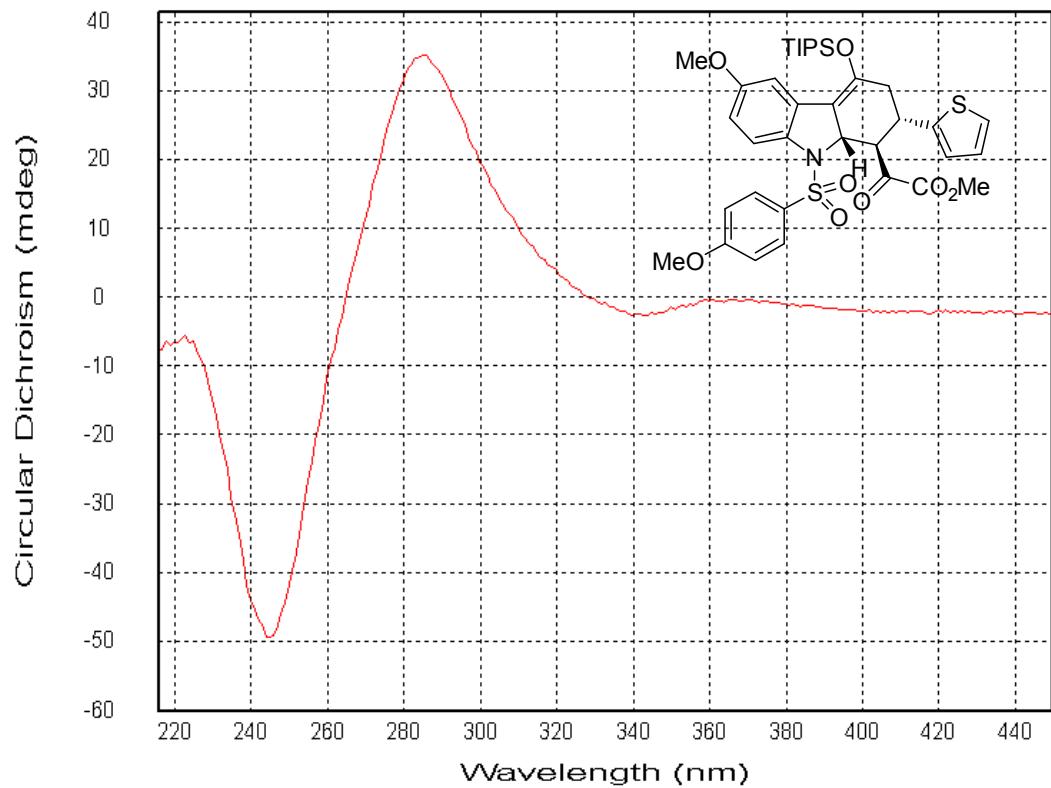
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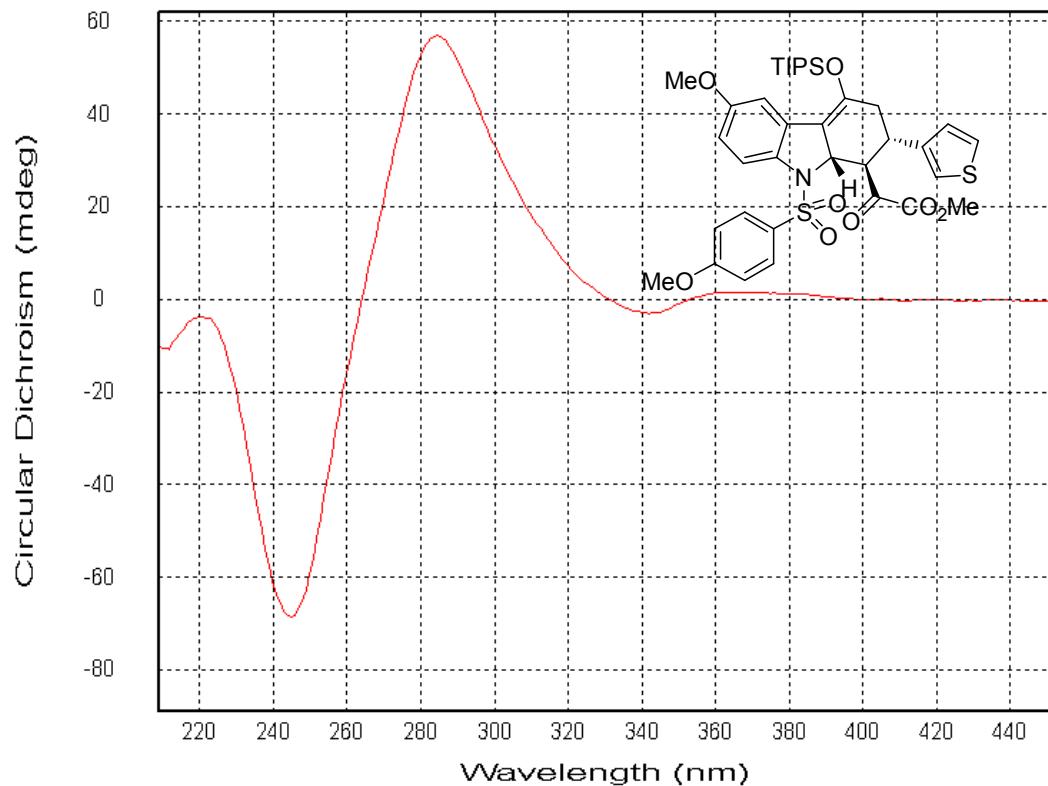
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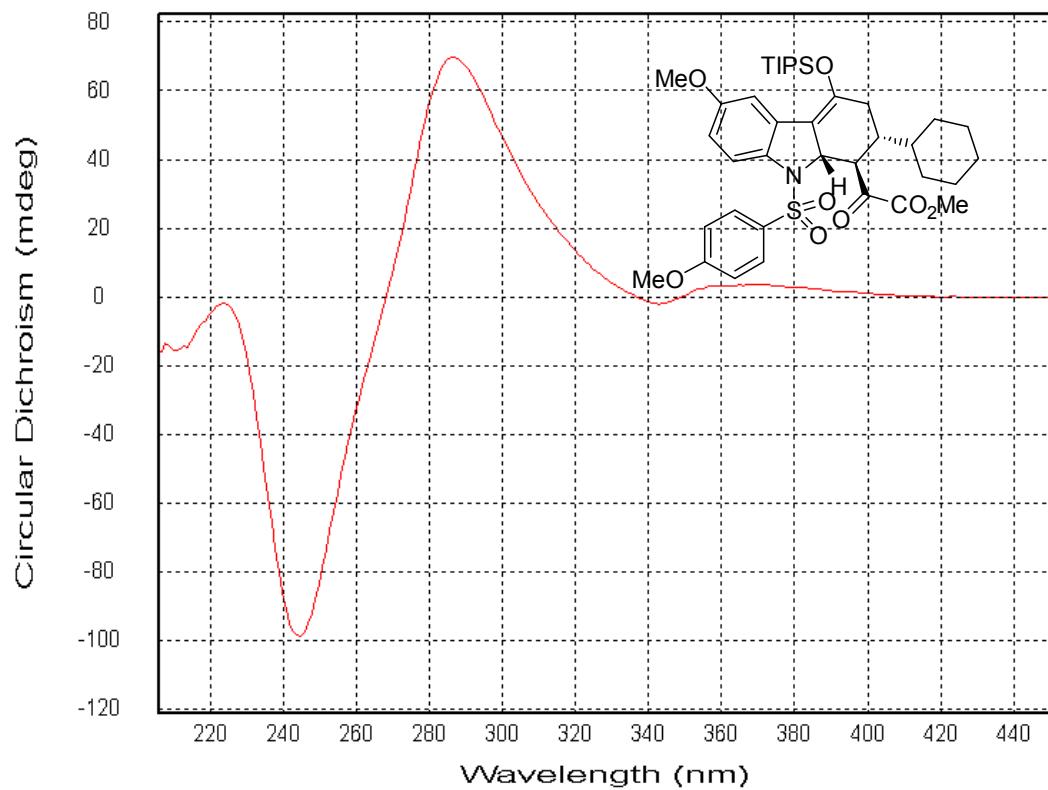
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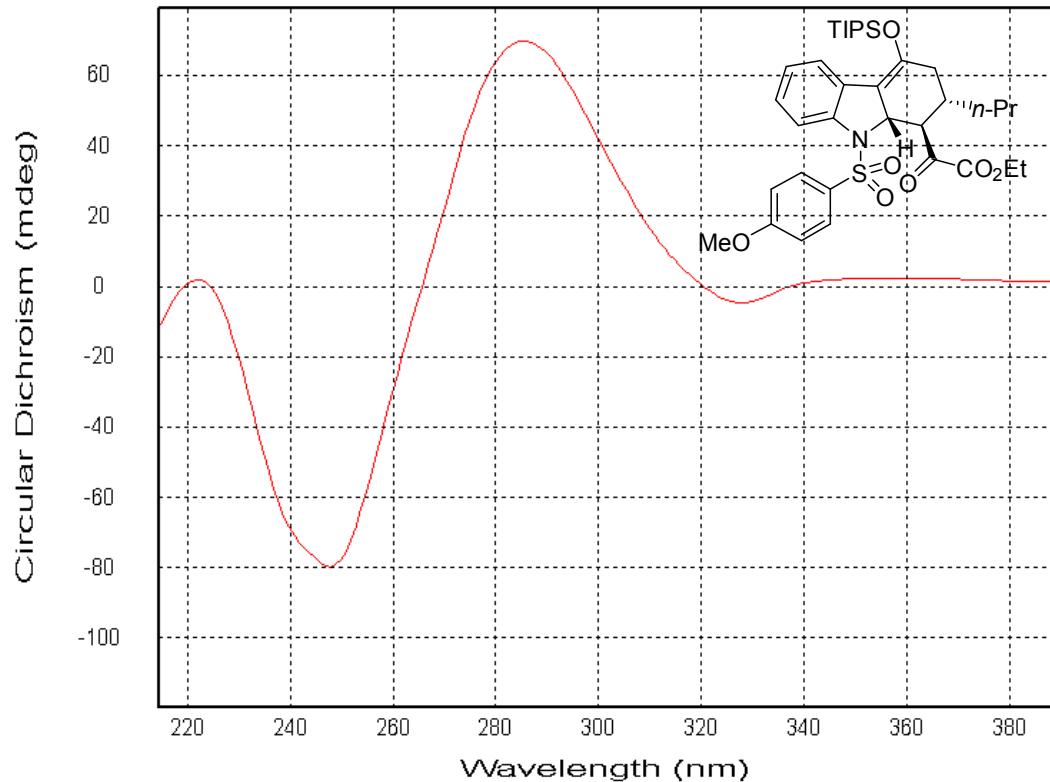
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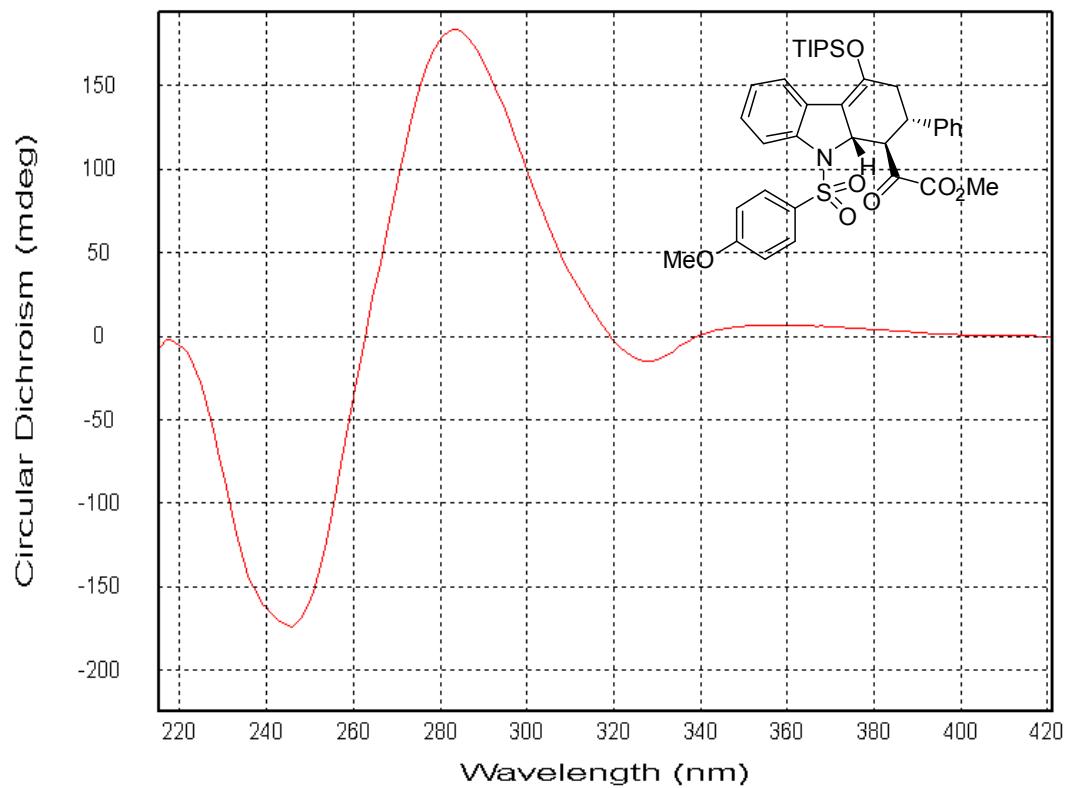
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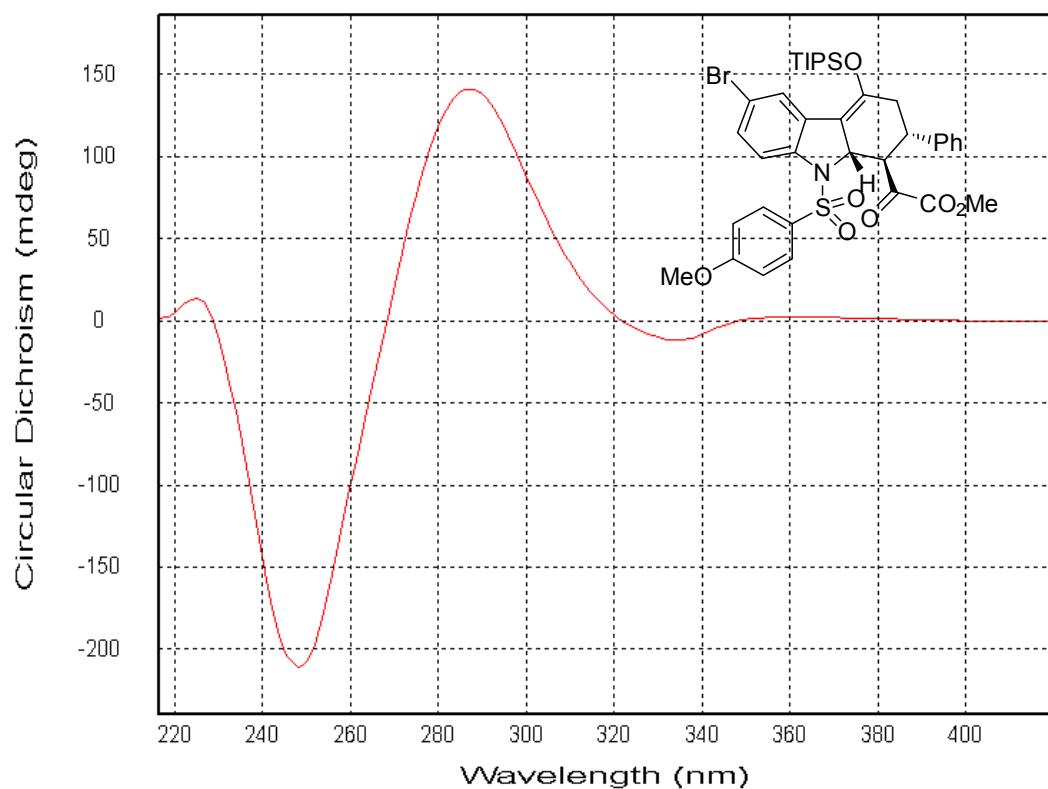
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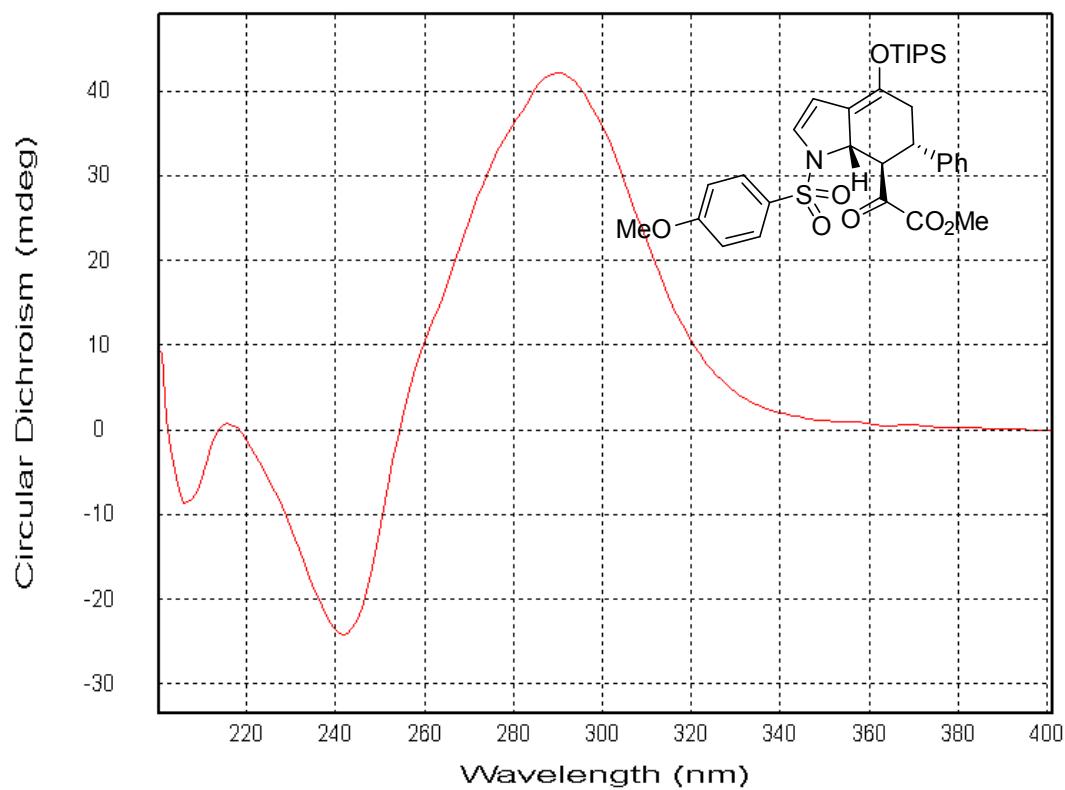
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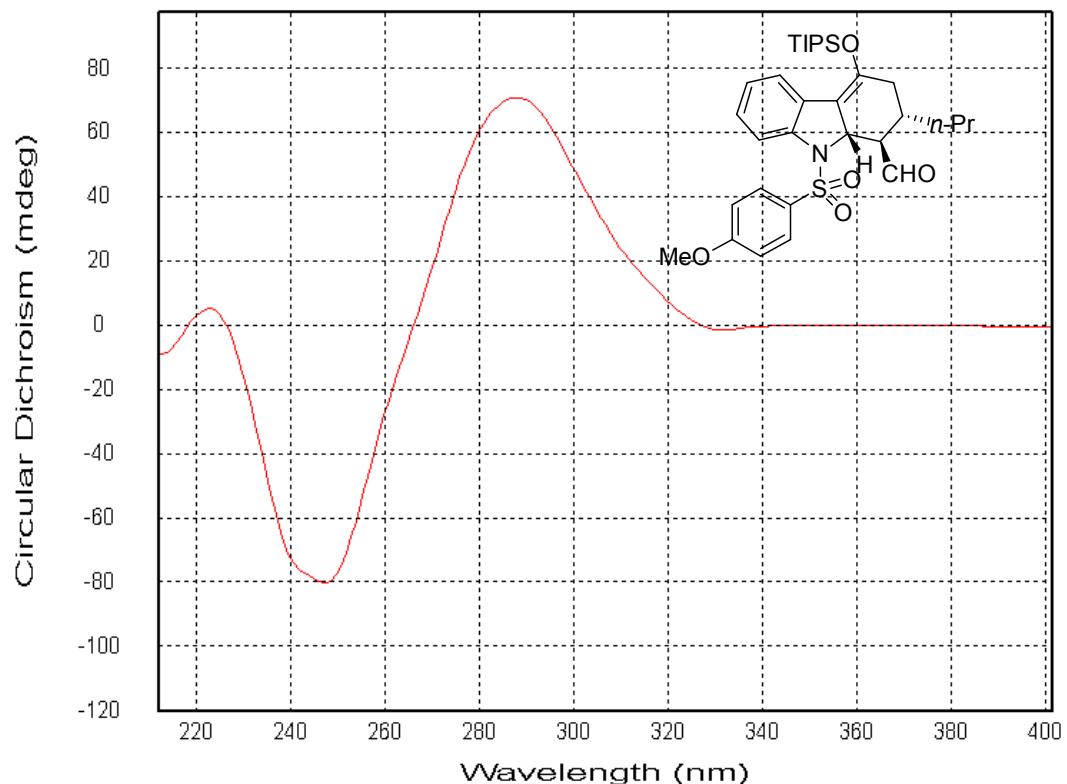


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