

Supporting Information

Design, synthesis and cytotoxic activity of water-soluble quinones with dibromo-p-benzoquinone cores and amino oligo(ethylene glycol) side chains against MCF-7 breast cancer cells

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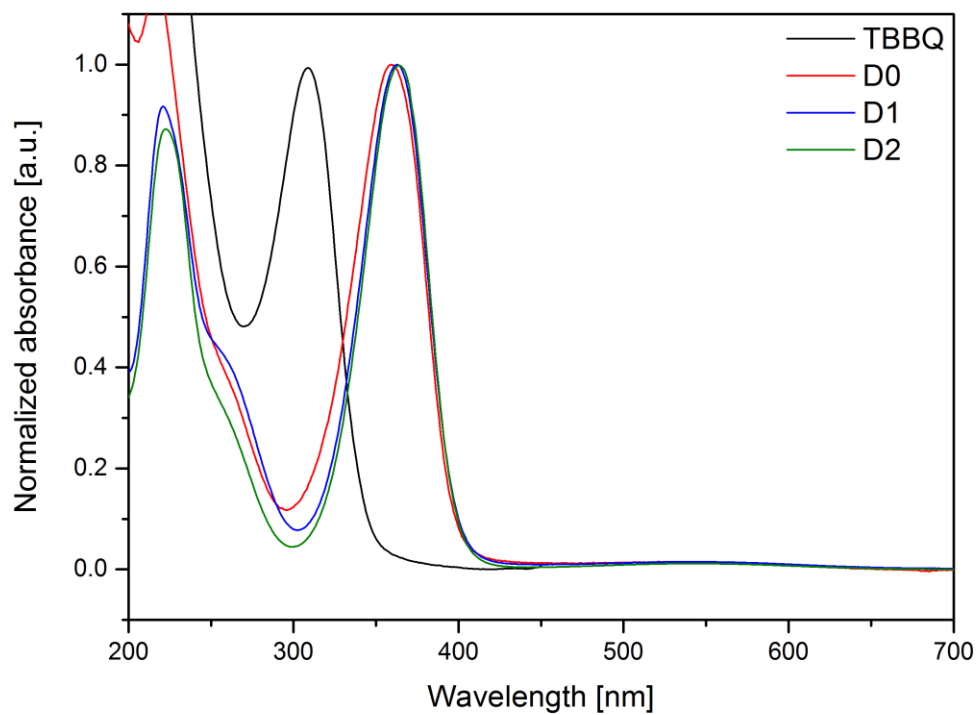


Figure S1: UV/Vis spectra of bromanil, **D0**, **D1** and **D2** in water recorded at 25 °C (normalized to the absorbance of the quinone core).

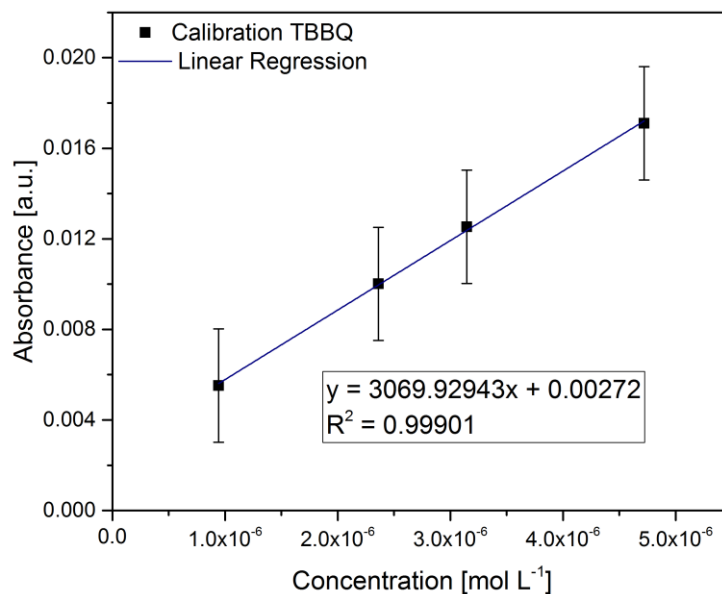


Figure S2: Linear regression of bromanil (TBBQ) in water. Error bars refer to the standard deviation obtained from three individually prepared stock solutions and the dilution series.

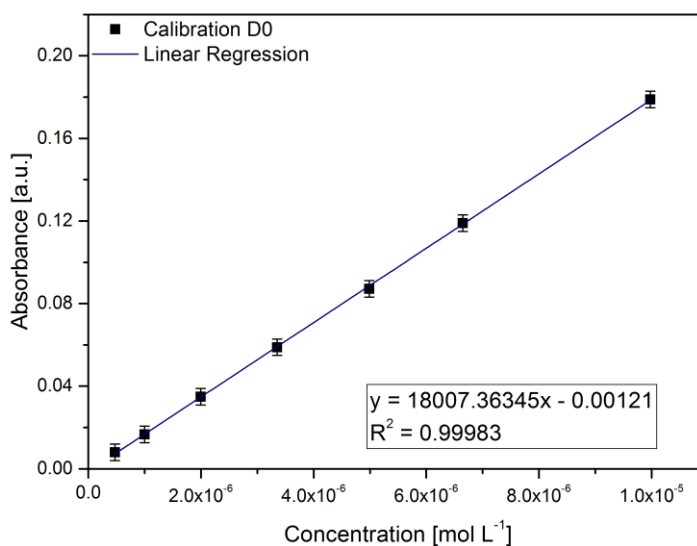


Figure S3: Linear regression of compound **D0** in water. Error bars refer to the standard deviation obtained from three individually prepared stock solutions and the dilution series.

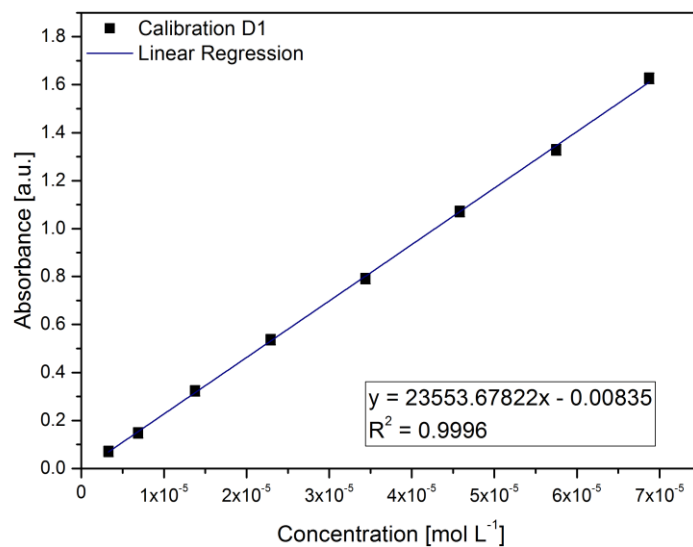


Figure S4: Linear regression of compound **D1** in water. Error bars refer to the standard deviation obtained from three individually prepared stock solutions and the dilution series.

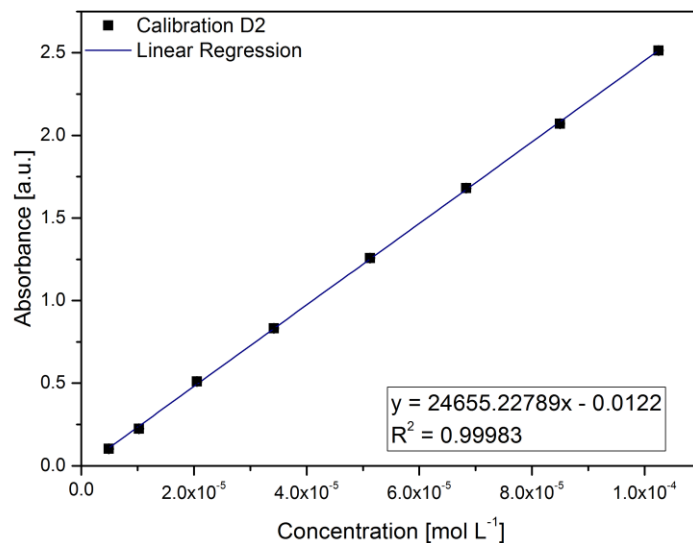


Figure S5: Linear regression of compound **D2** in water. Error bars refer to the standard deviation obtained from three individually prepared stock solutions and the dilution series.

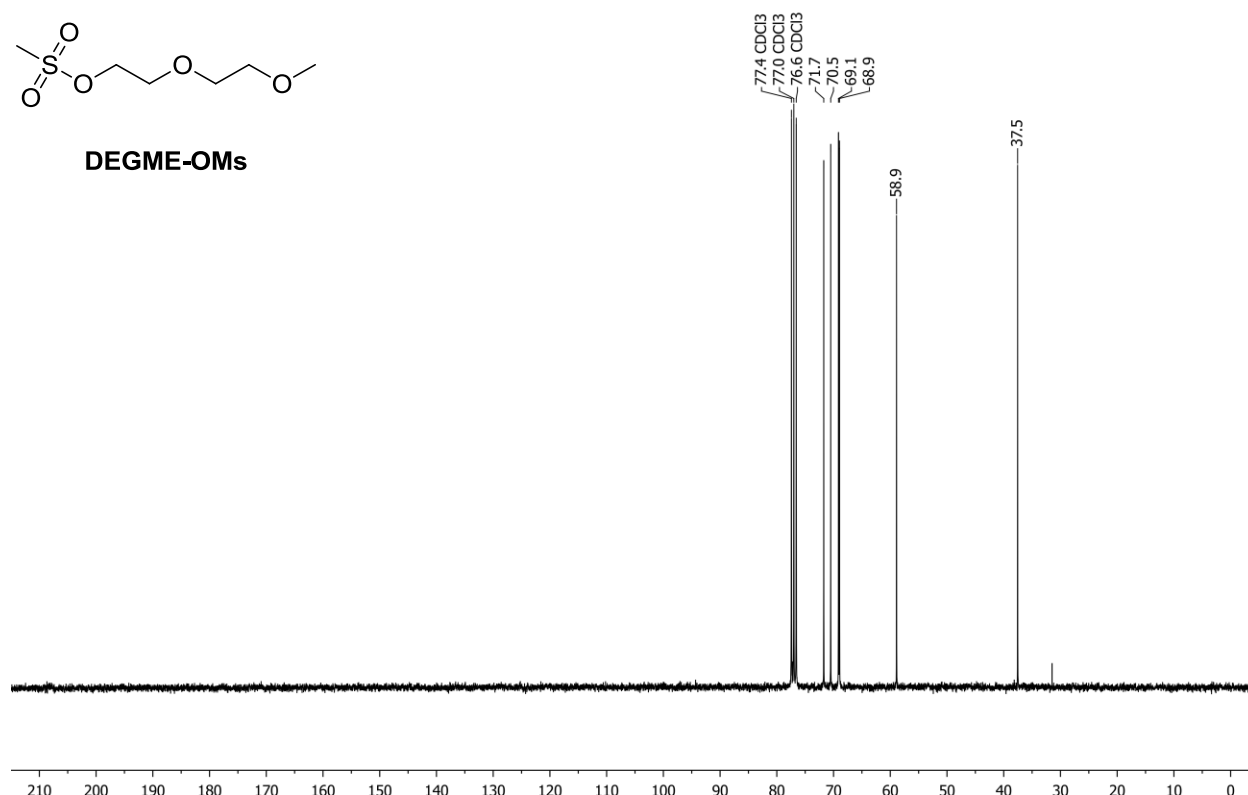
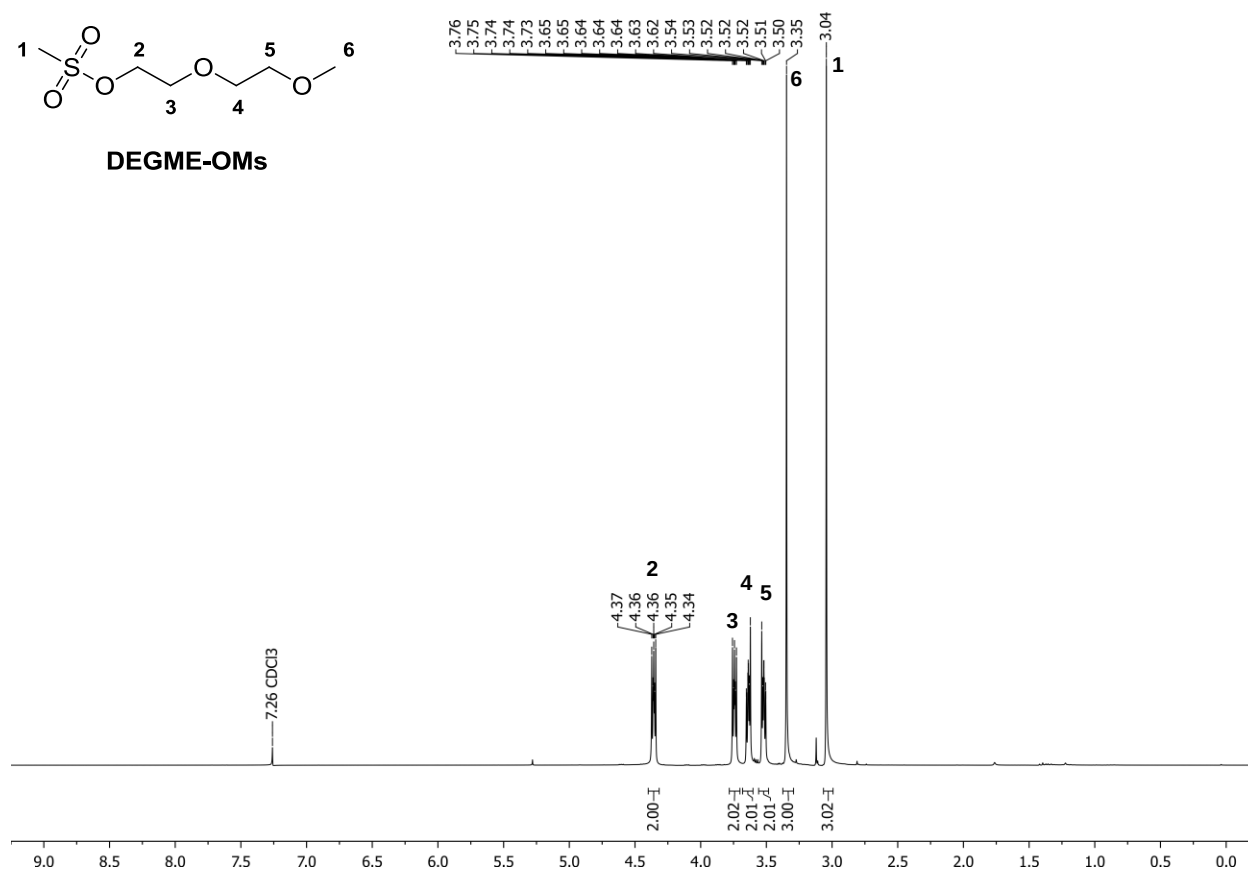


Figure S6: ¹H (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) and ¹³C (CDCl₃, 76 MHz) NMR spectra of **DEGME-OMs**.

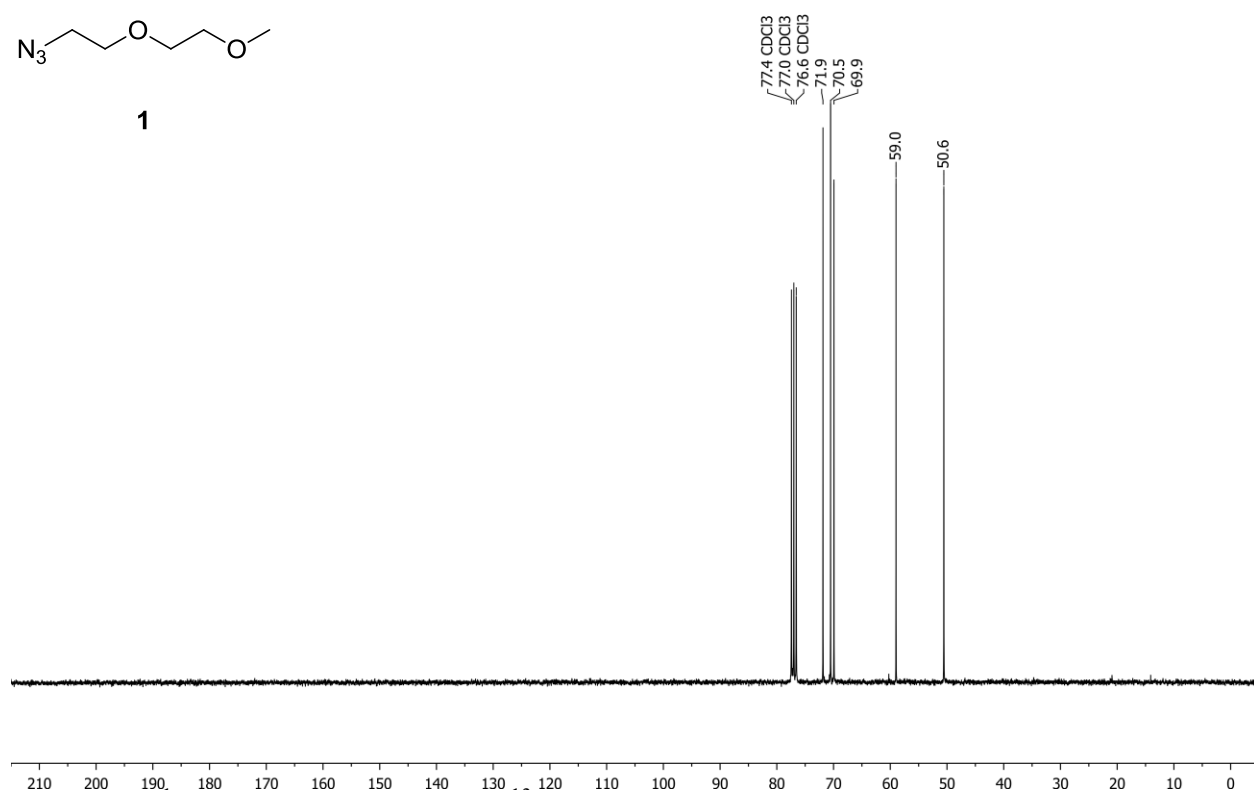
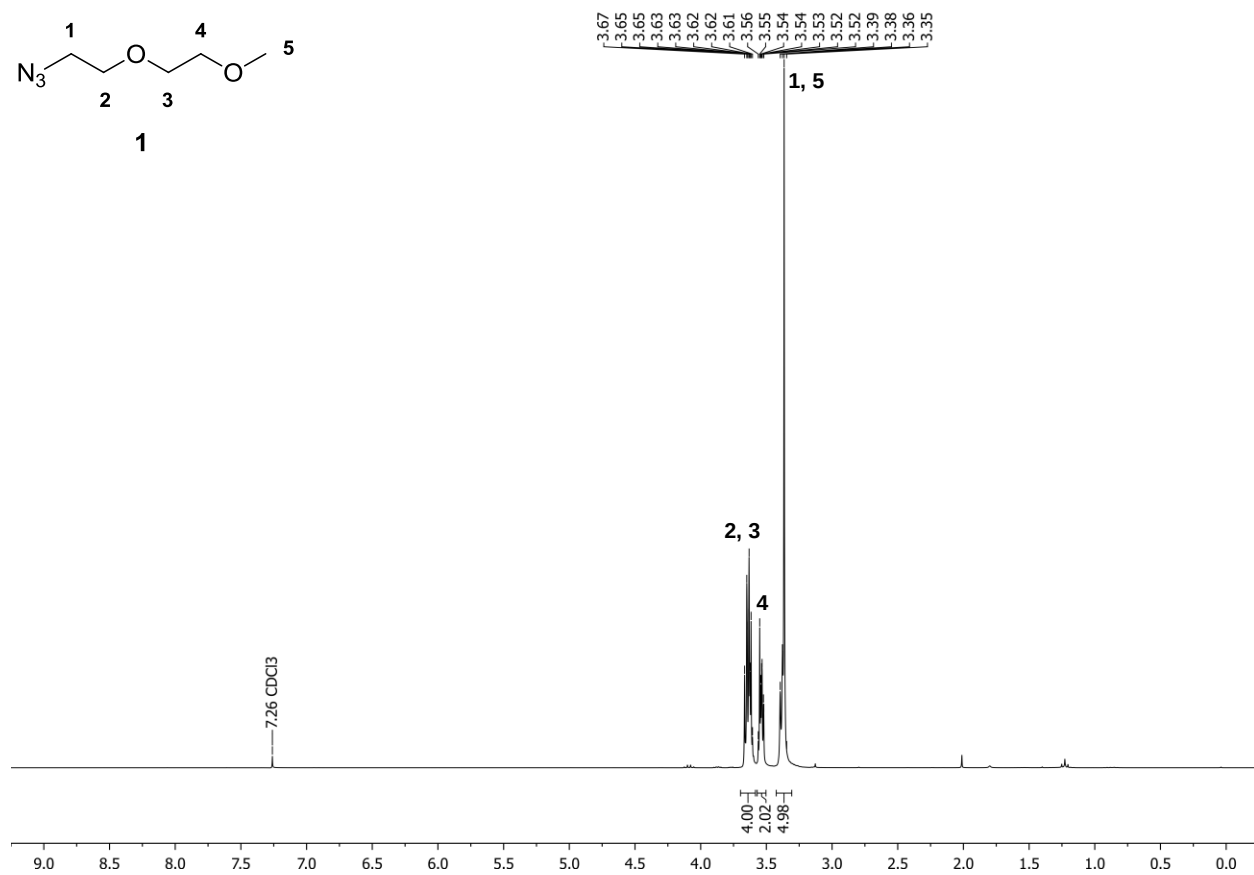


Figure S7: ^1H (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) and ^{13}C (CDCl₃, 76 MHz) NMR spectra of compound **1**.

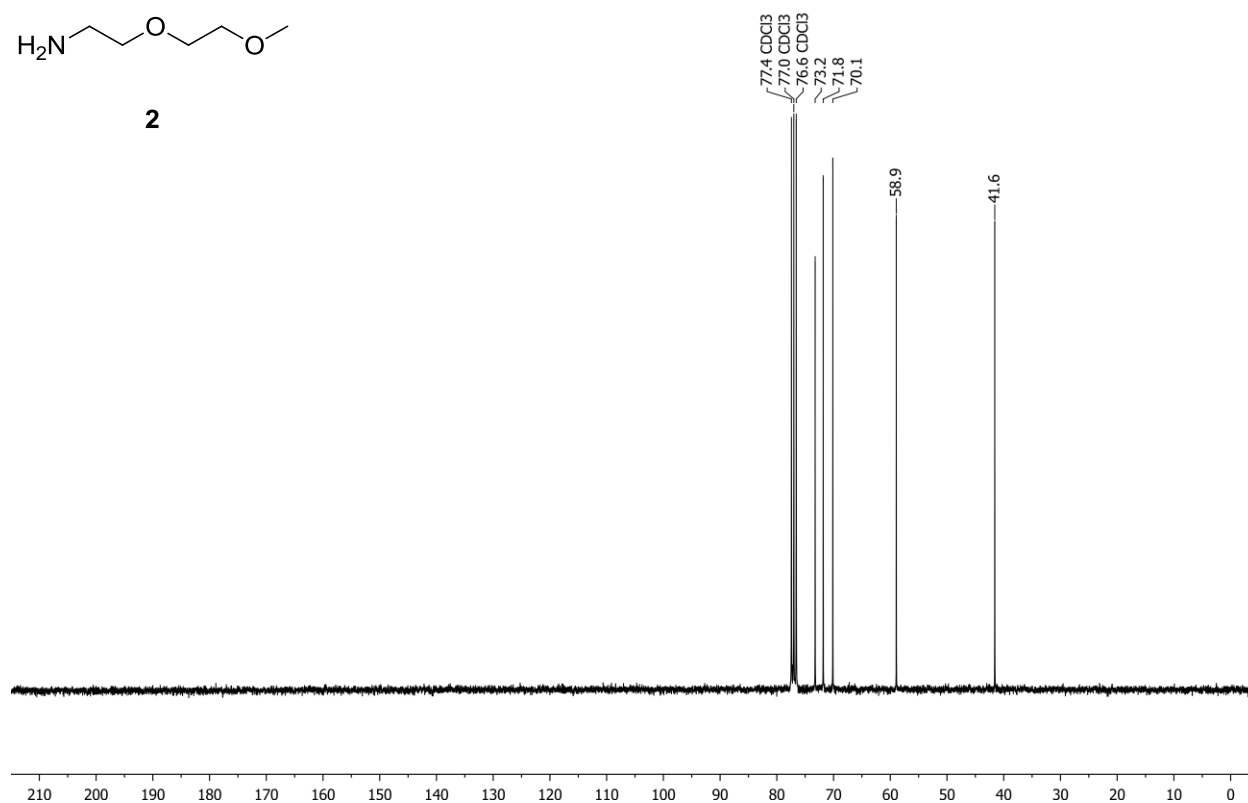
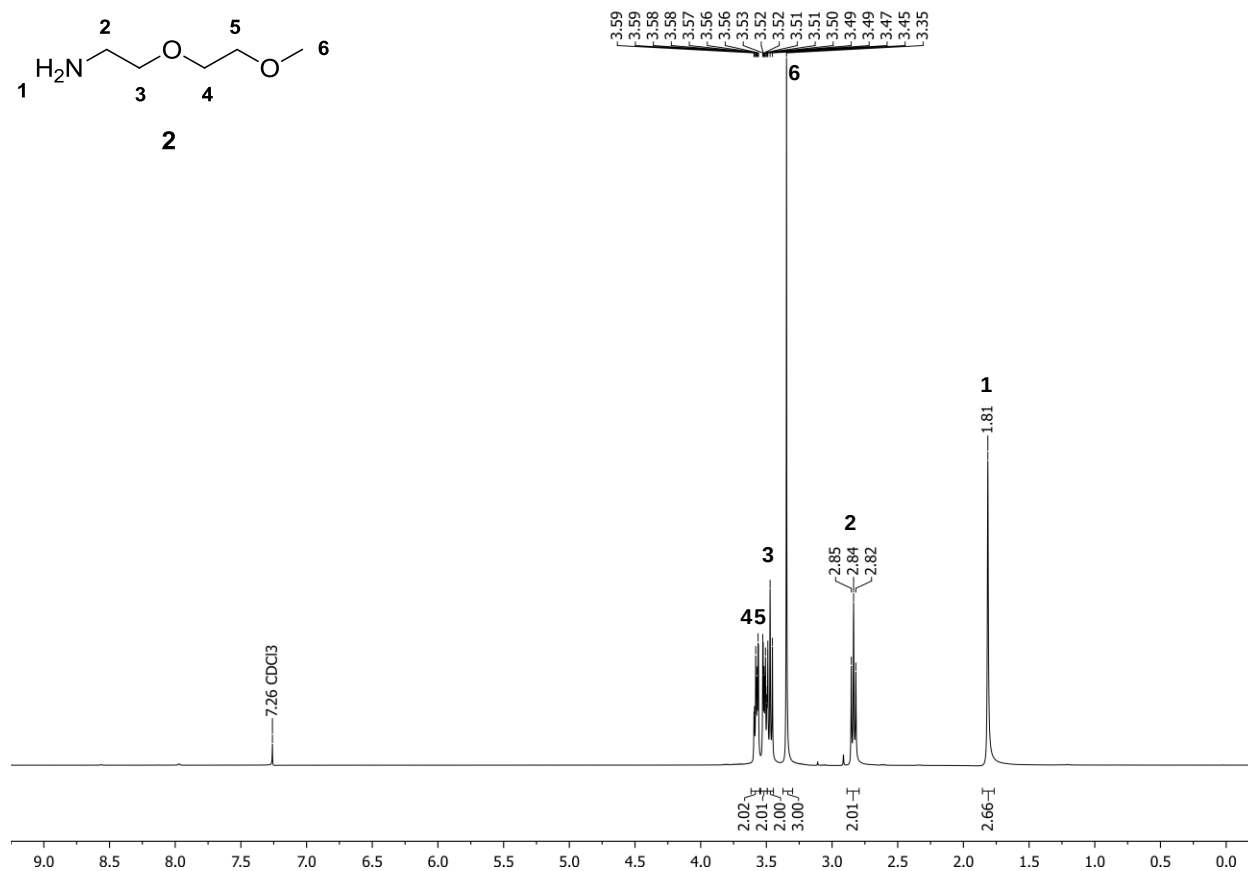


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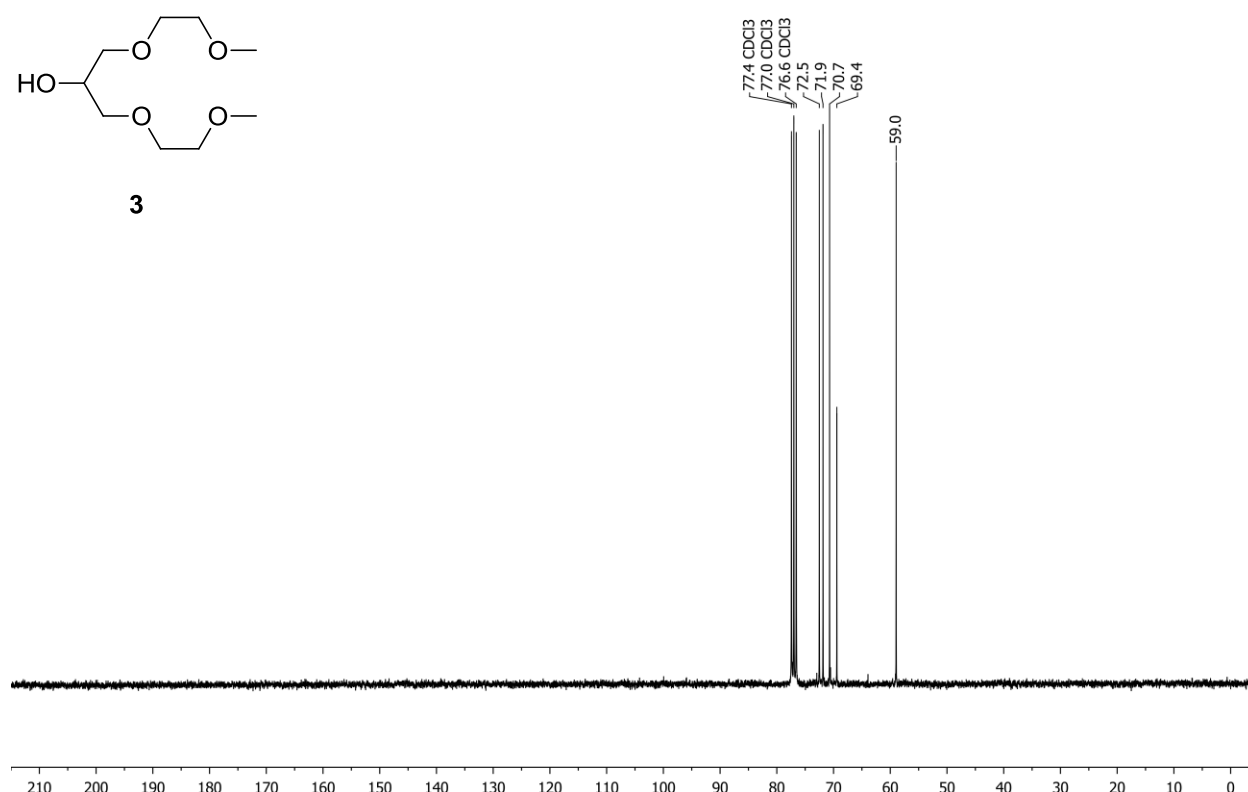
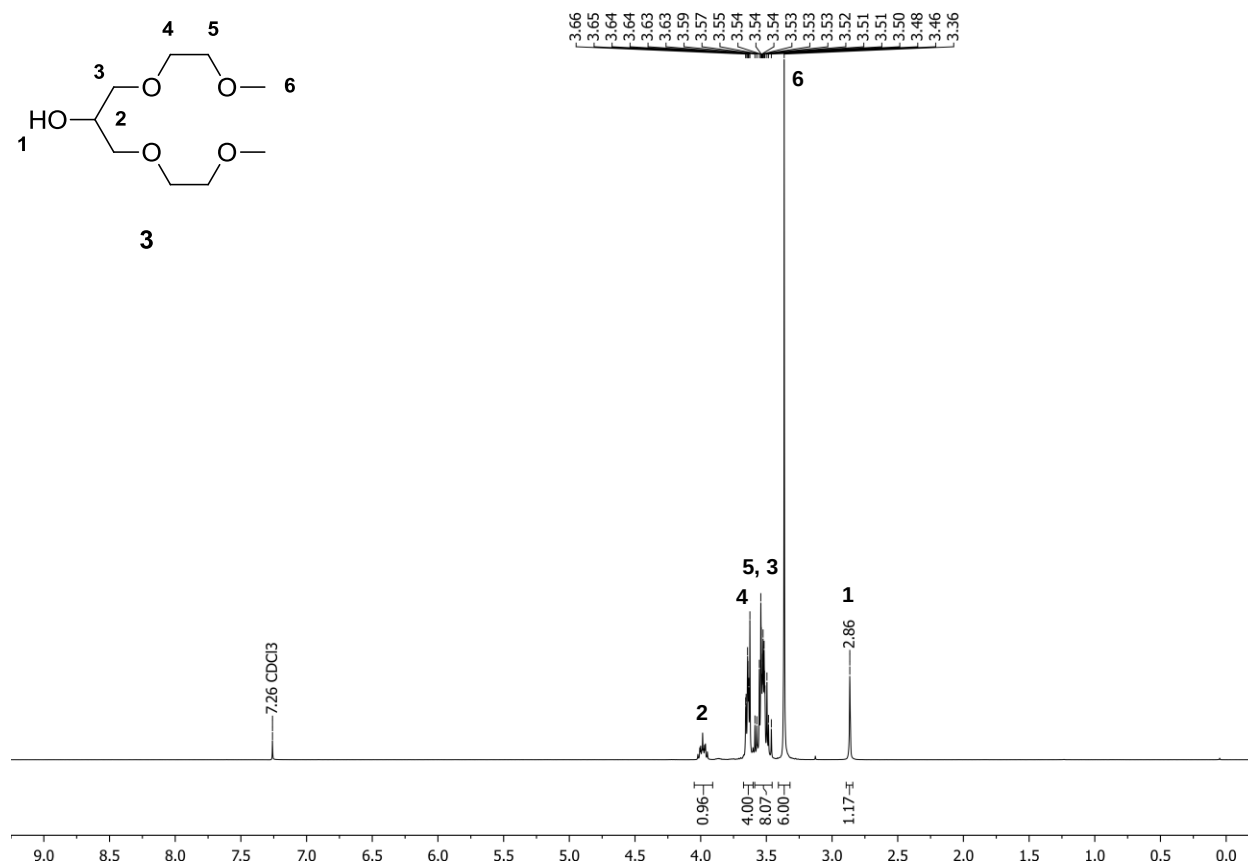


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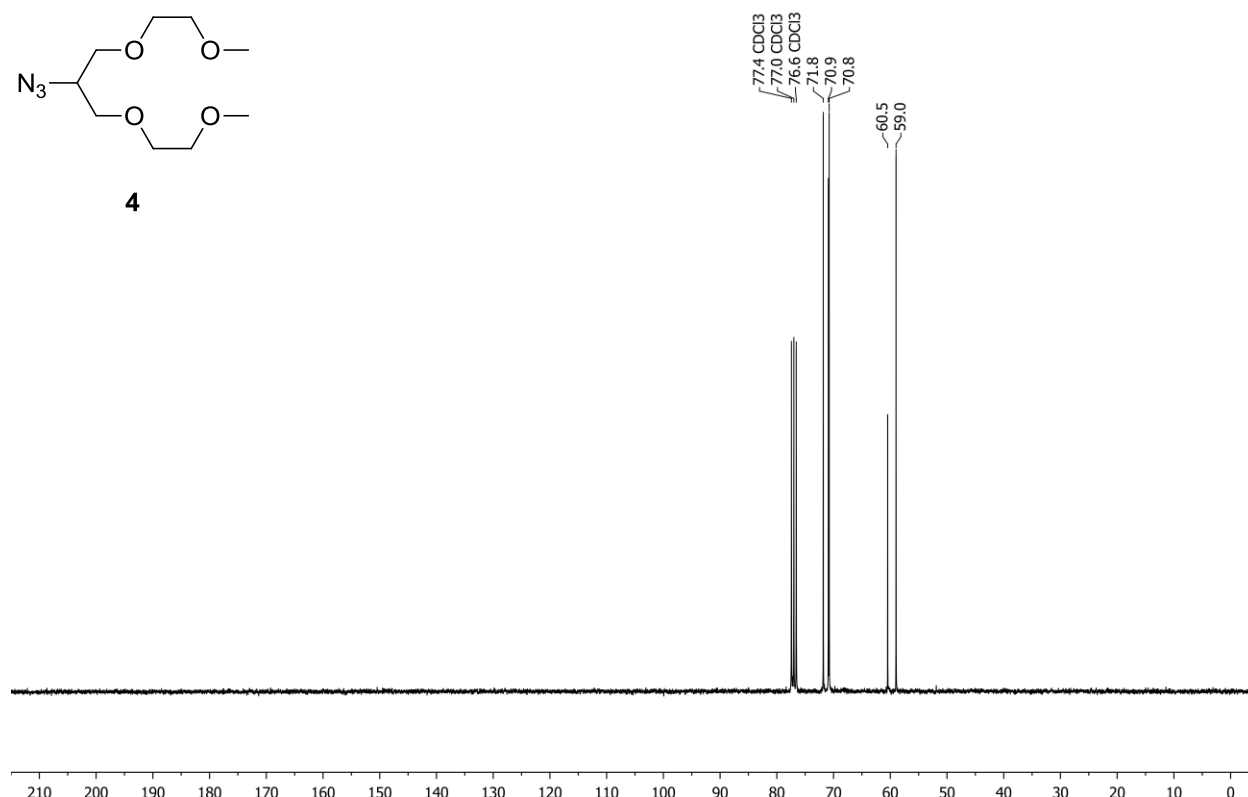
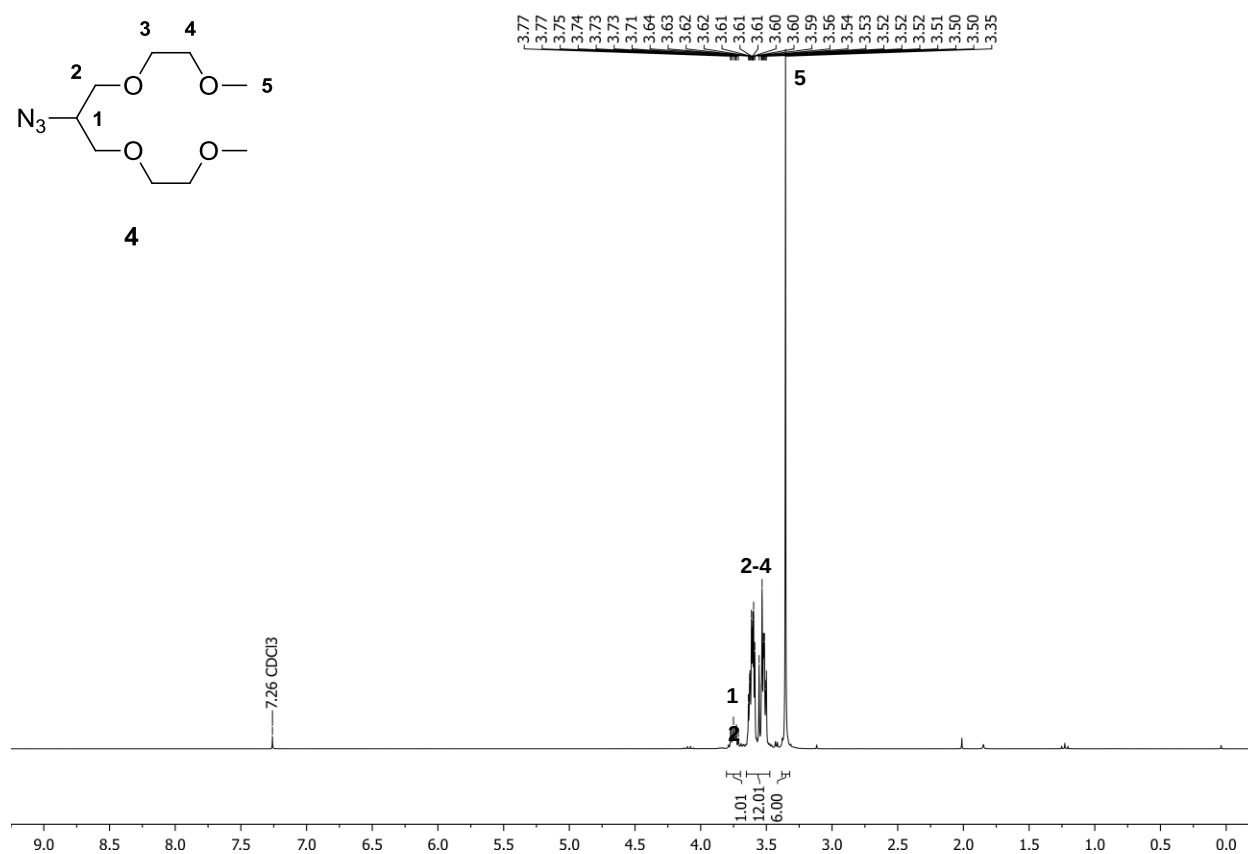


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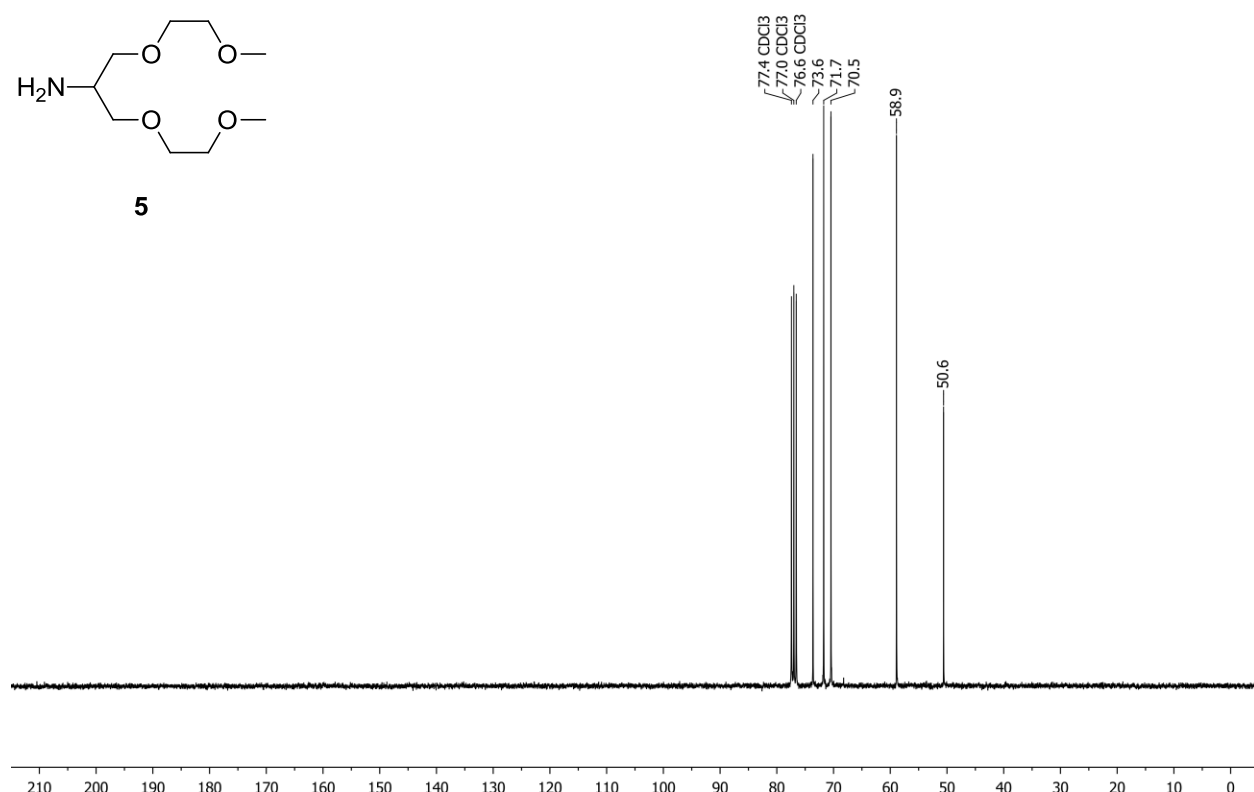
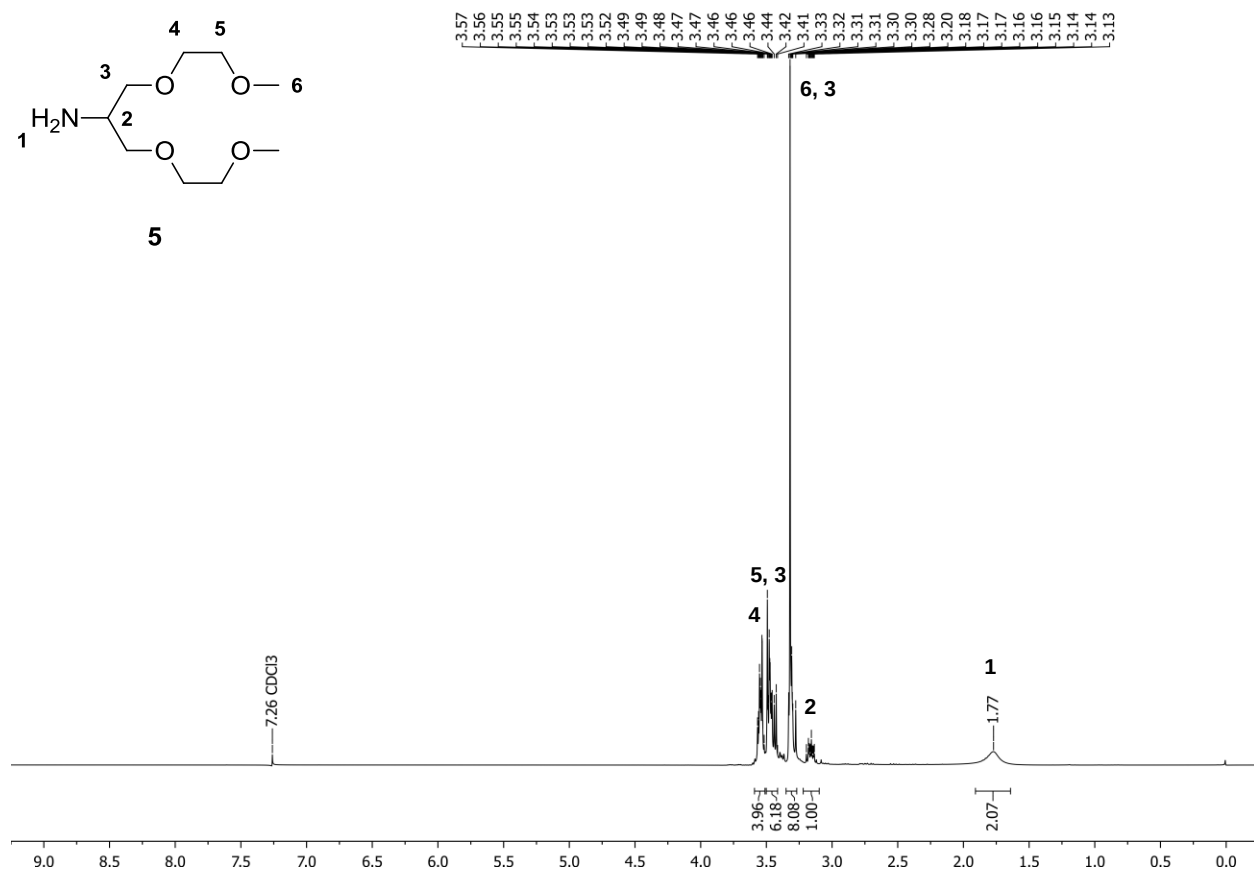


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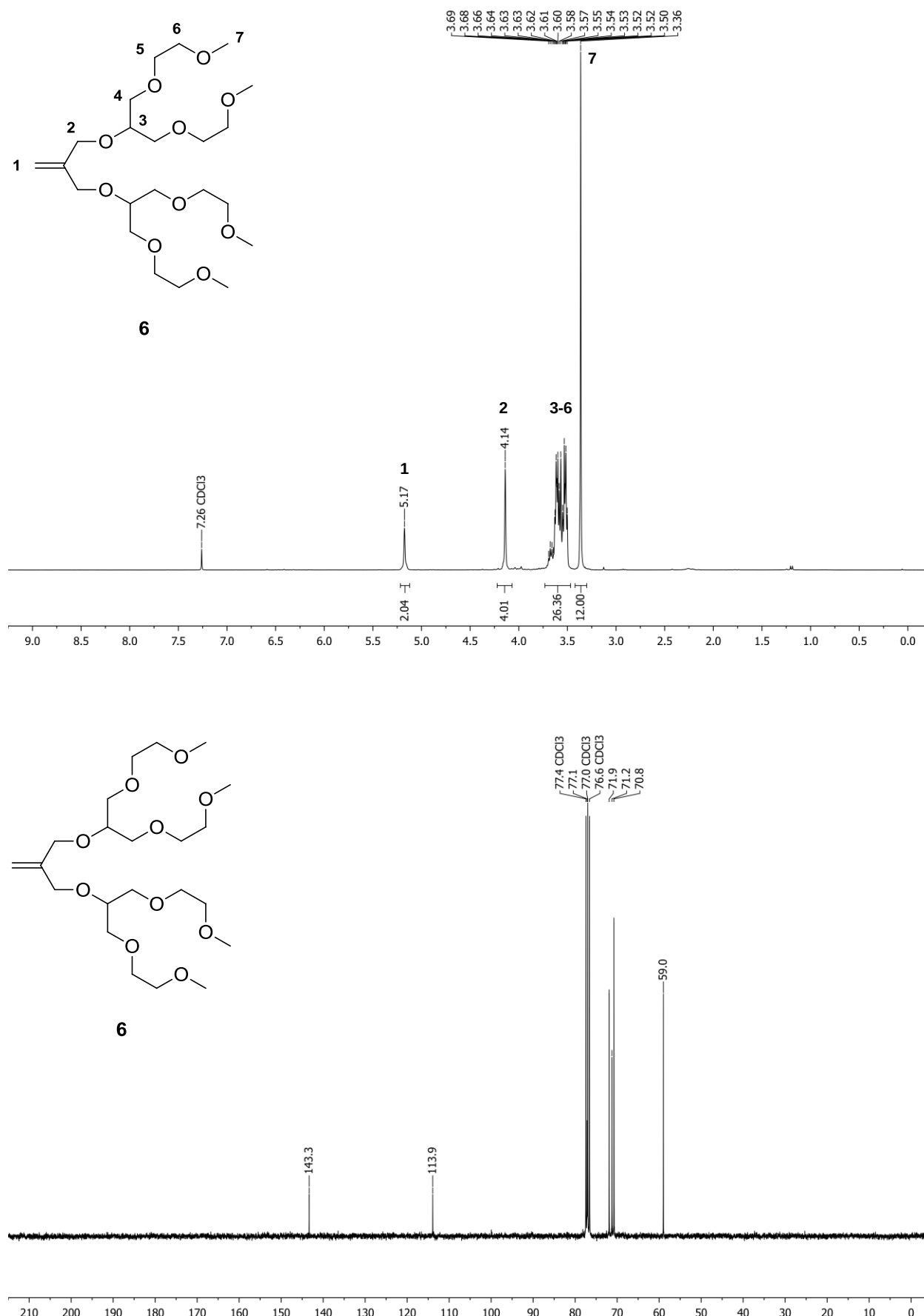


Figure S12: ¹H (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) and ¹³C (CDCl₃, 76 MHz) NMR spectra of compound 6.

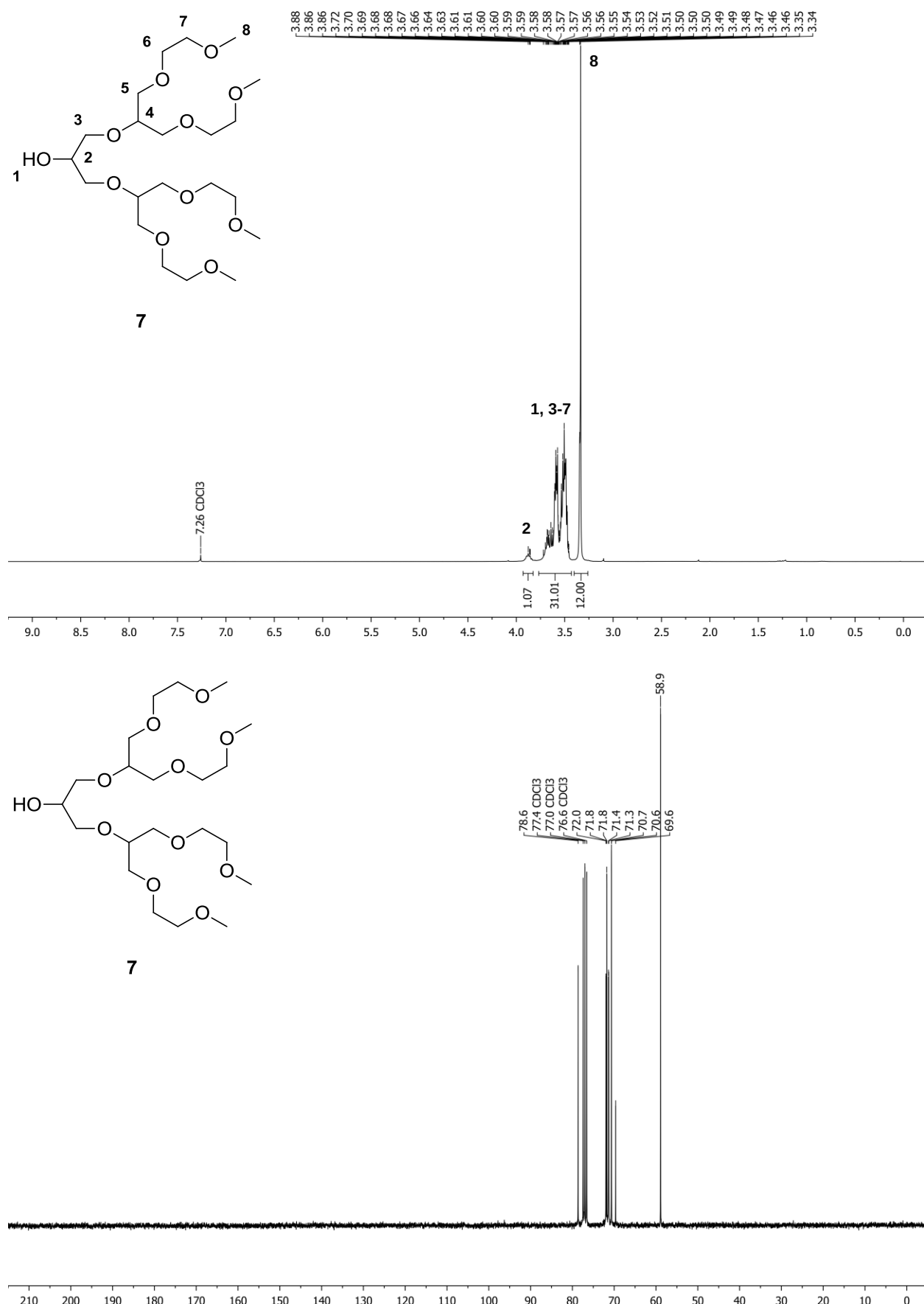


Figure S13: ¹H (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) and ¹³C (CDCl₃, 76 MHz) NMR spectra of compound 7.

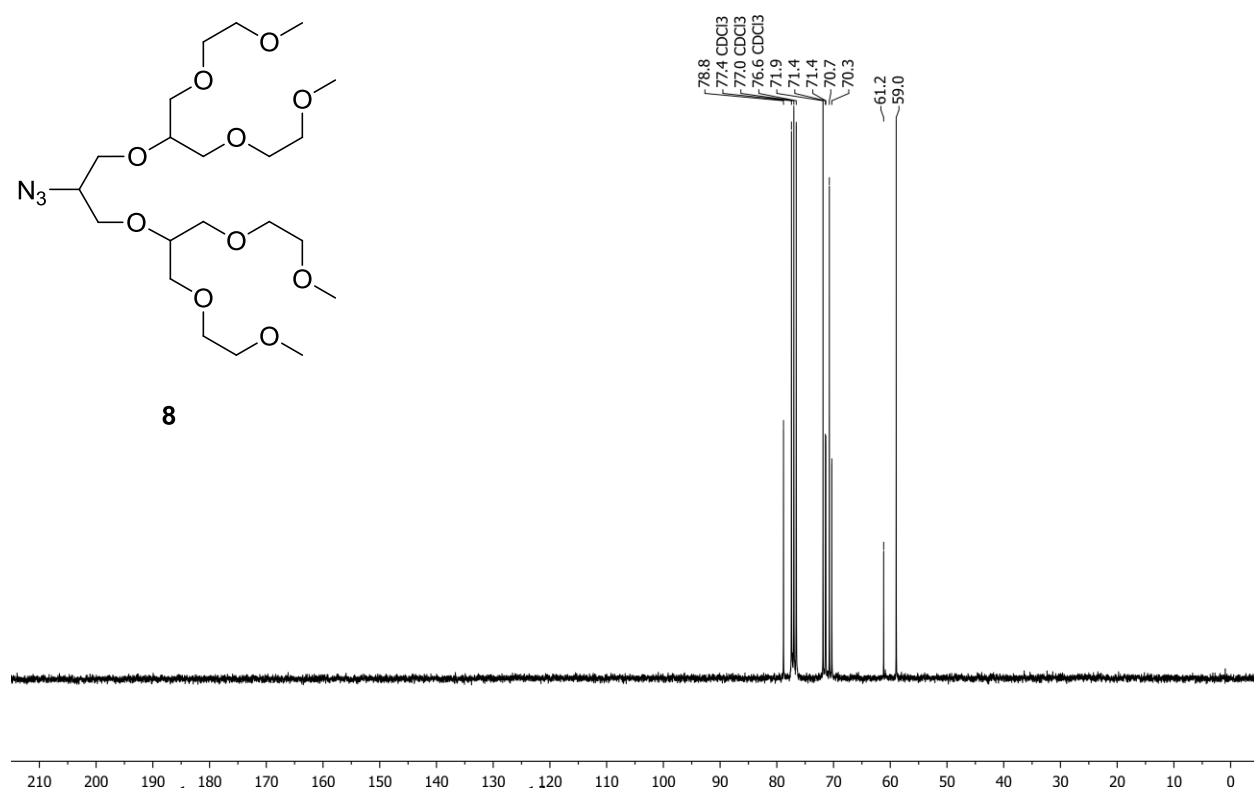
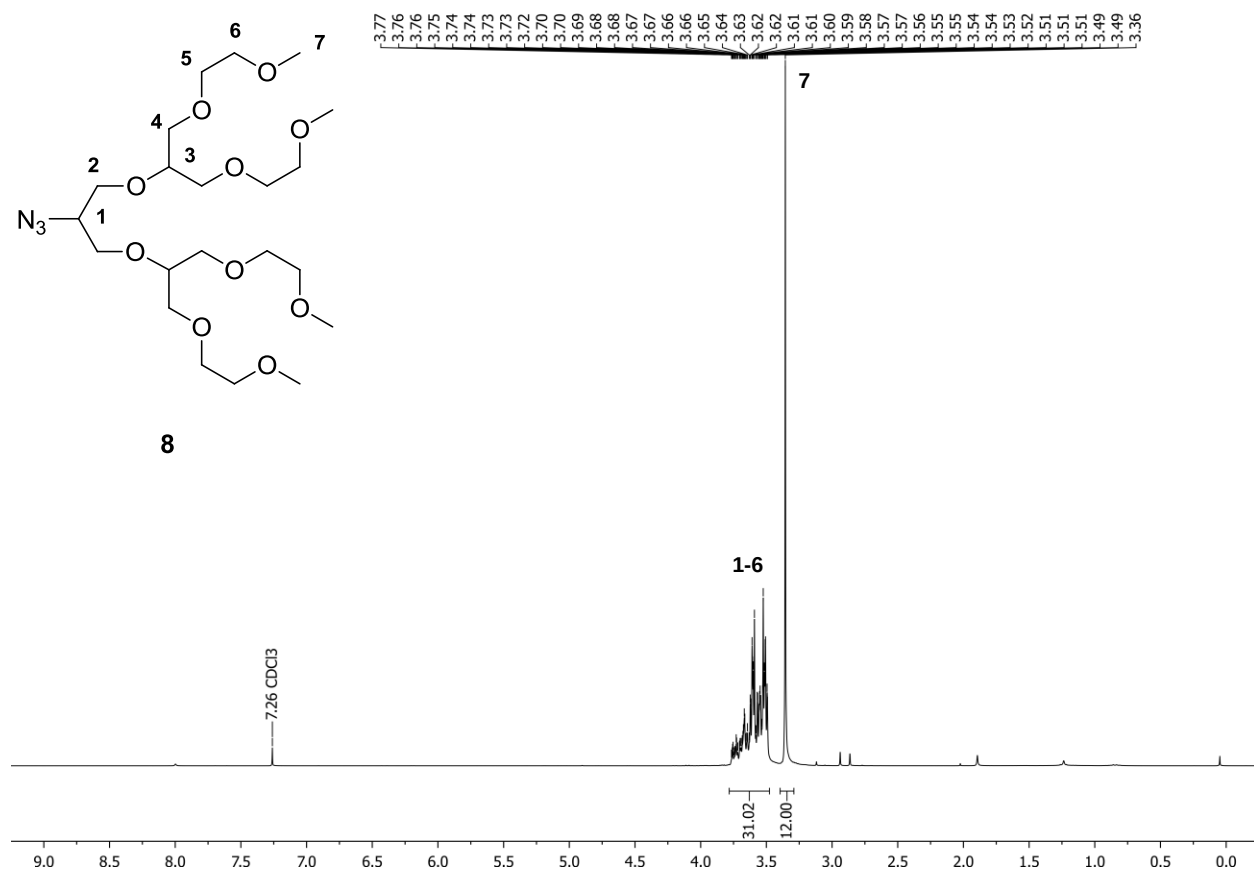


Figure S14: 1H (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) and ^{13}C (CDCl₃, 76 MHz) NMR spectra of compound **8**.

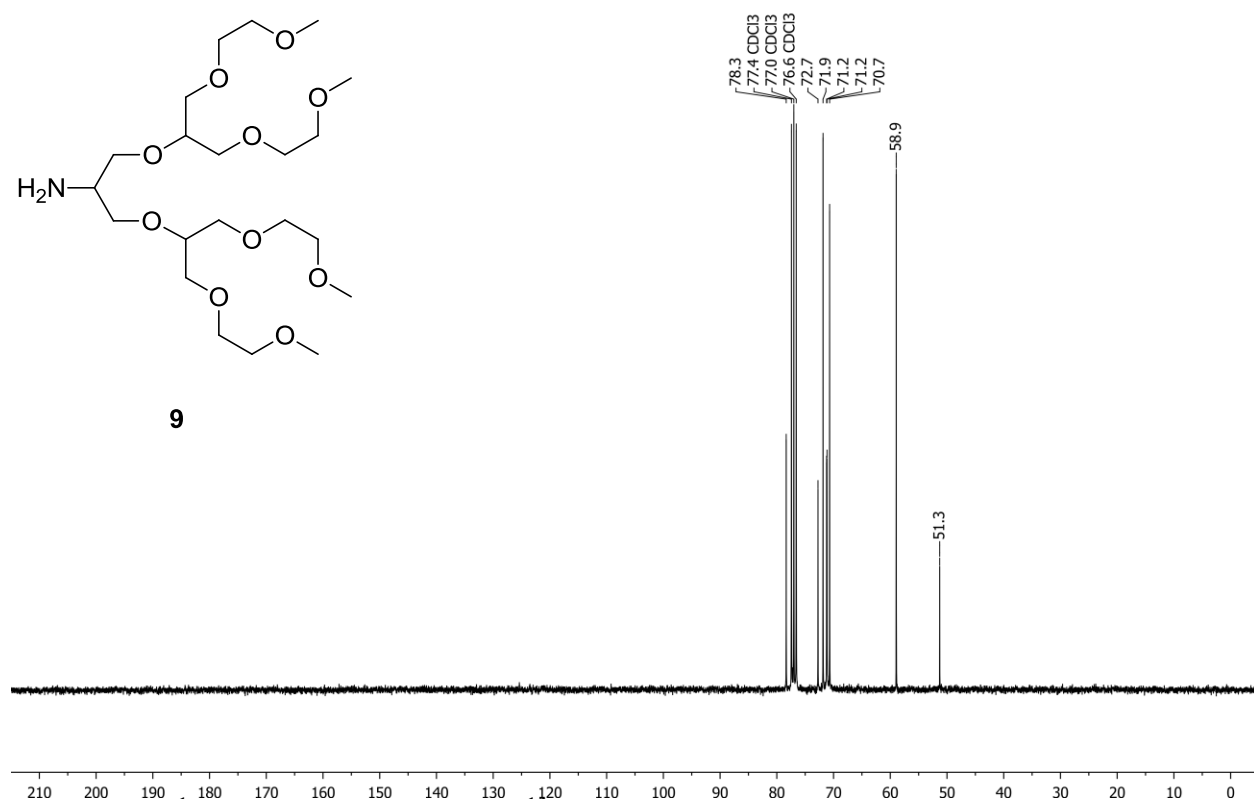
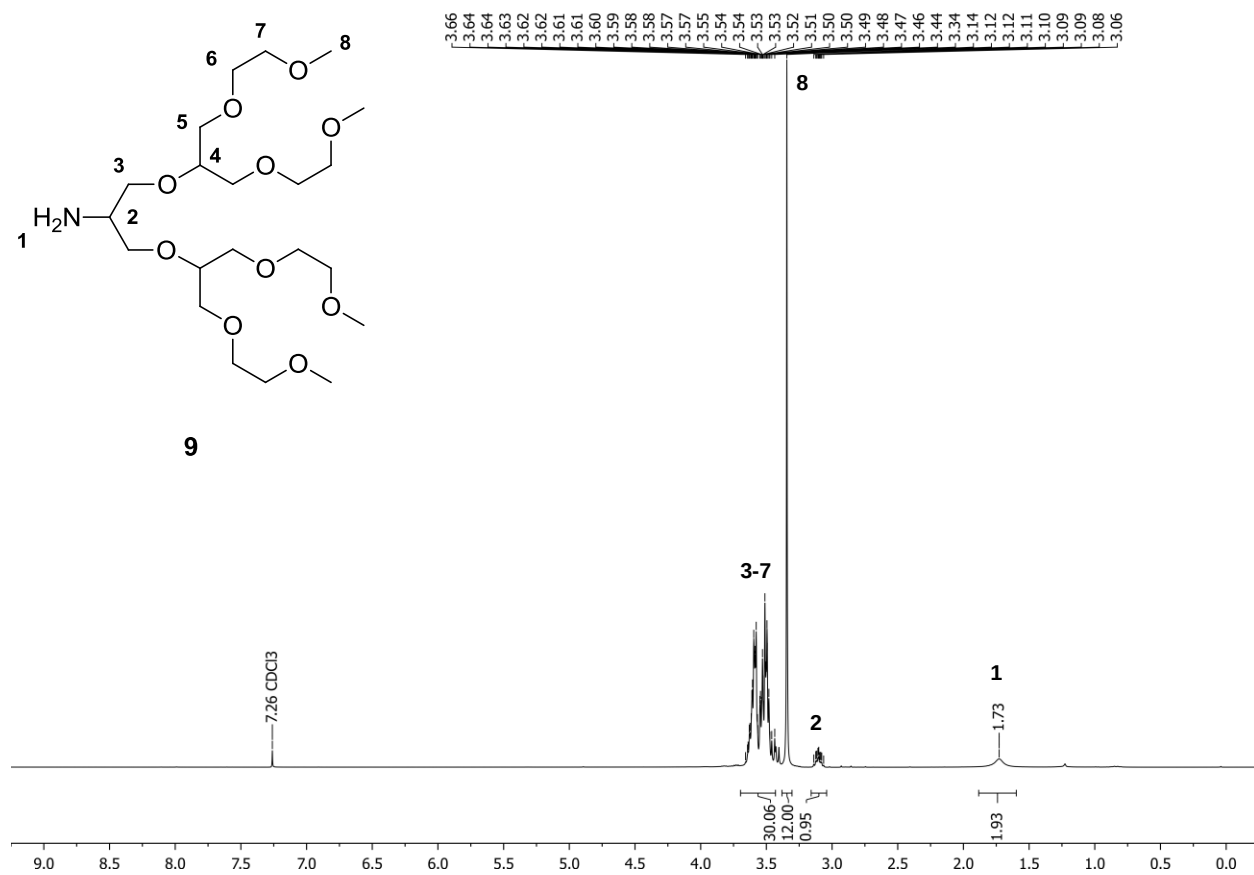


Figure S15: ^1H (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) and ^{13}C (CDCl₃, 76 MHz) NMR spectra of compound **9**.

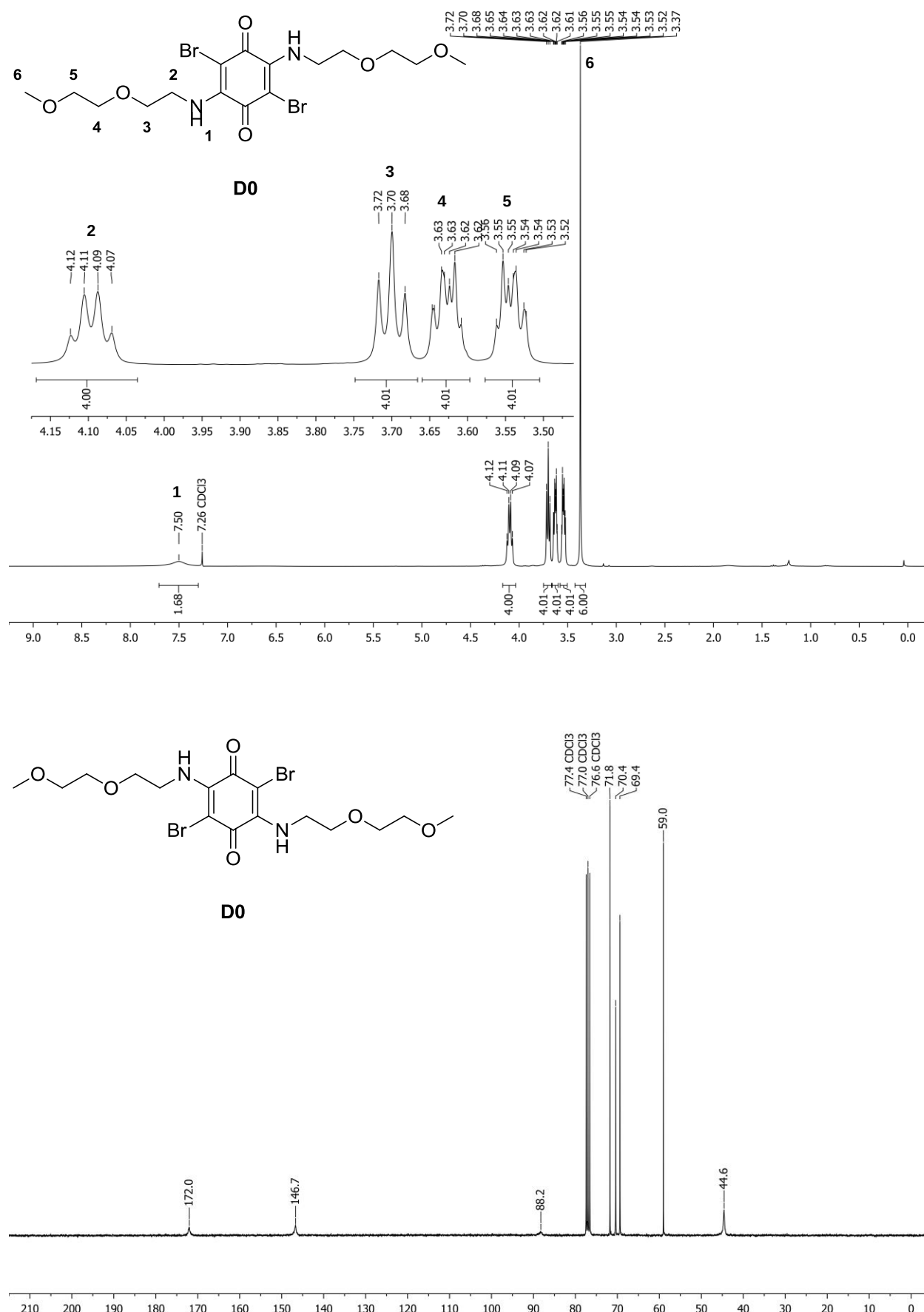


Figure S16: ¹H (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) and ¹³C (CDCl₃, 76 MHz) NMR spectra of compound **D0**.

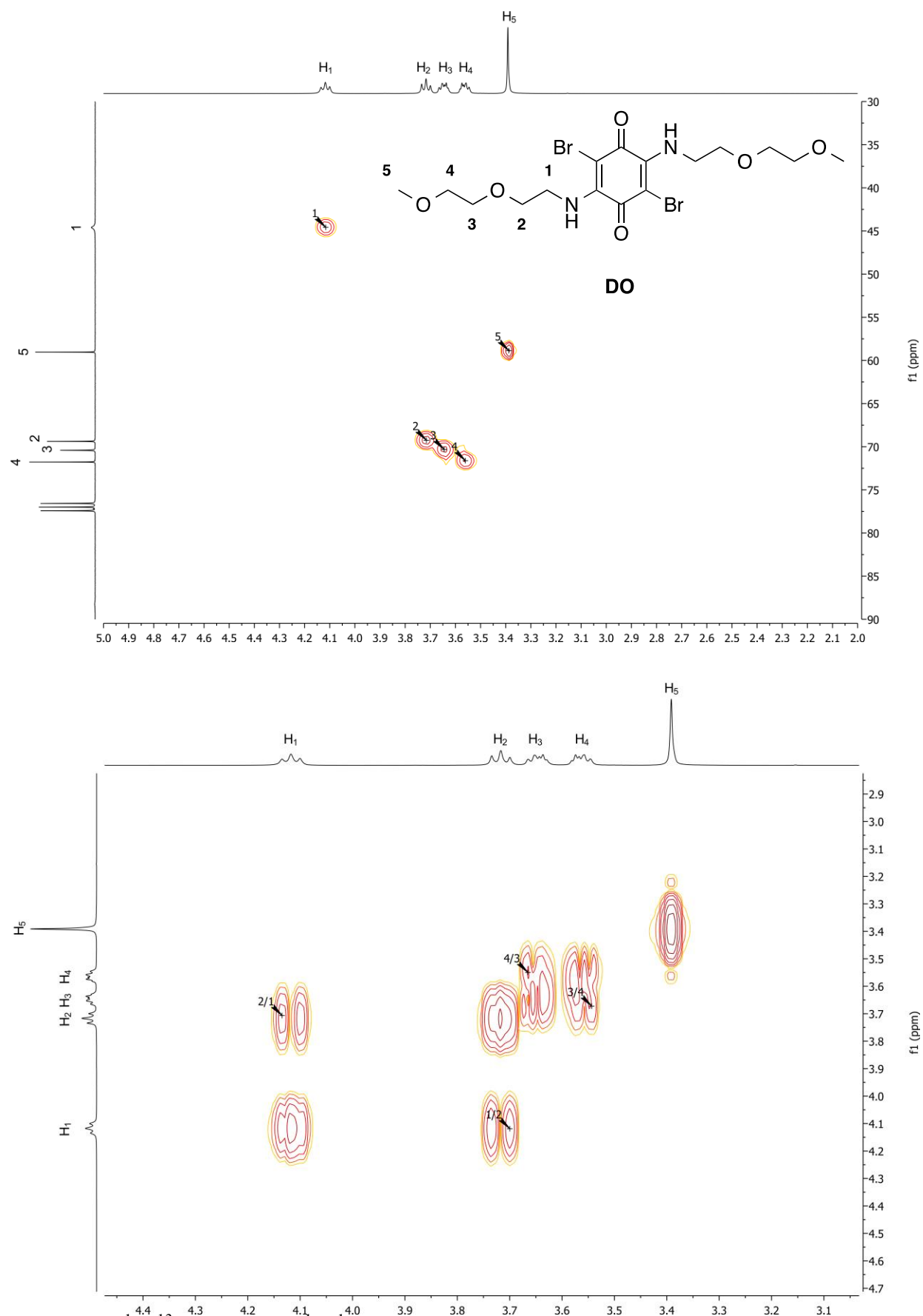


Figure S17: ^1H - ^{13}C HSQC and ^1H - ^1H COSY NMR spectra of compound **D0**.

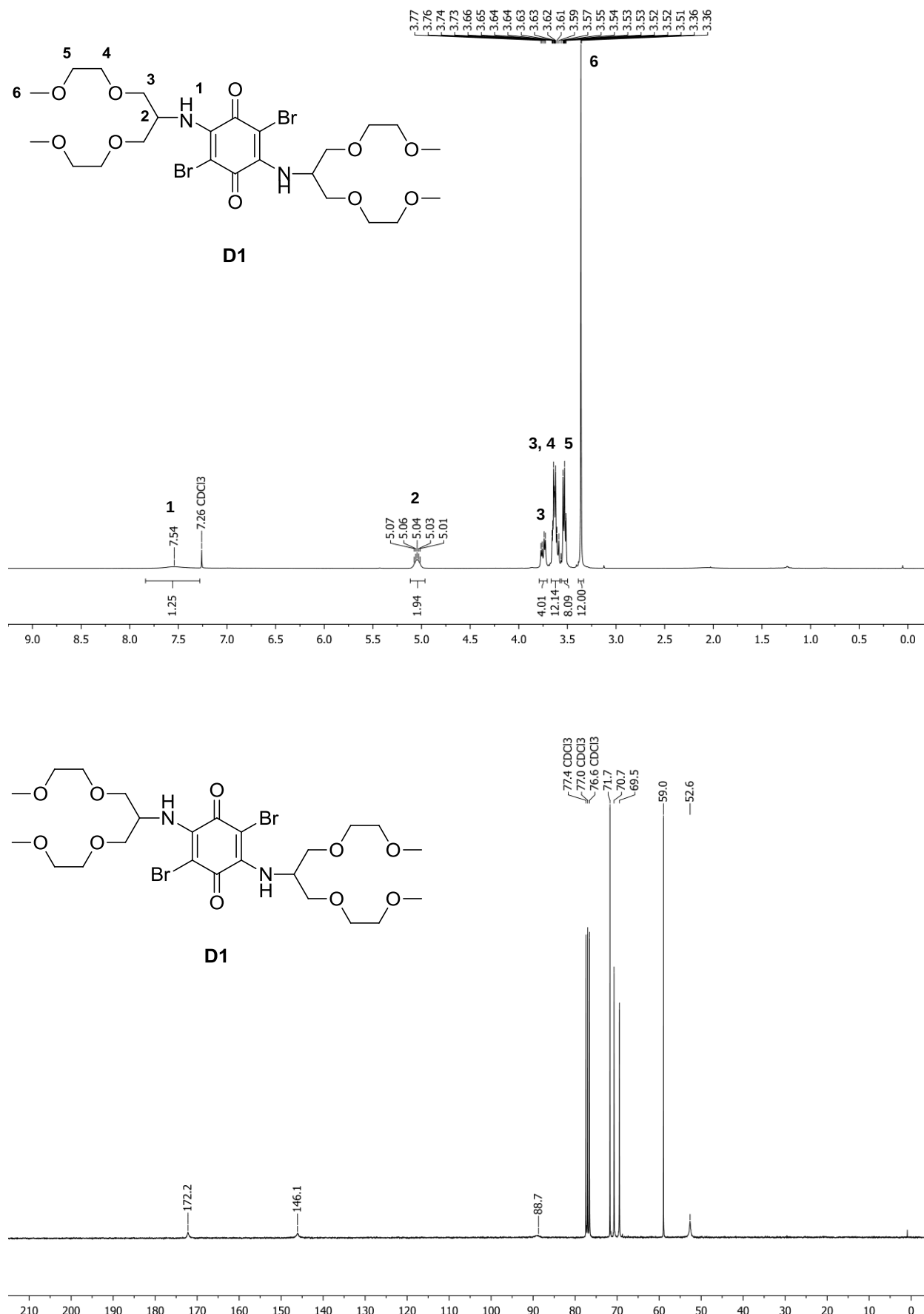


Figure S18: ¹H (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) and ¹³C (CDCl₃, 76 MHz) NMR spectra of compound **D1**.

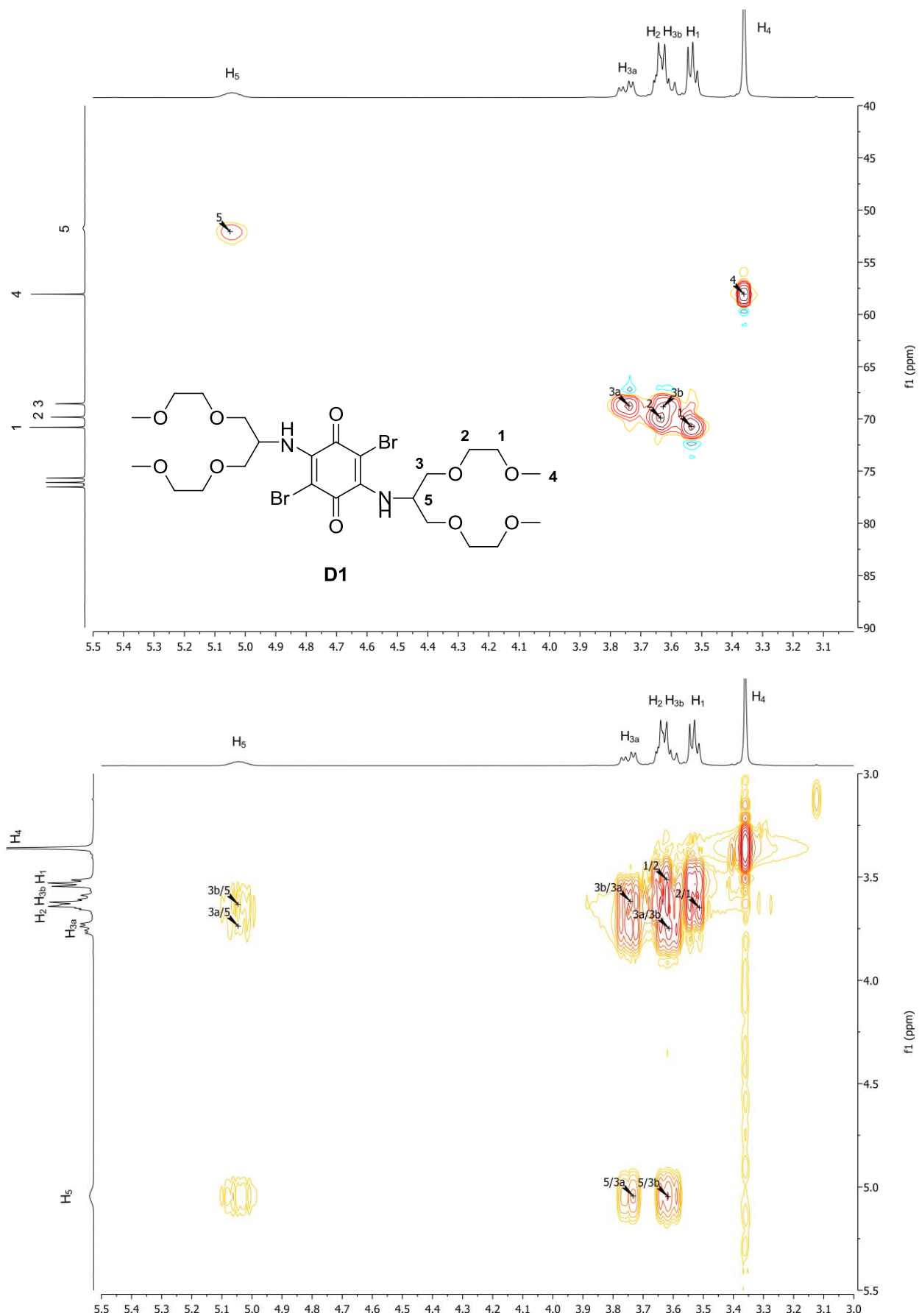


Figure S19: ^1H - ^{13}C HSQC and ^1H - ^1H COSY NMR spectra of compound **D1**.

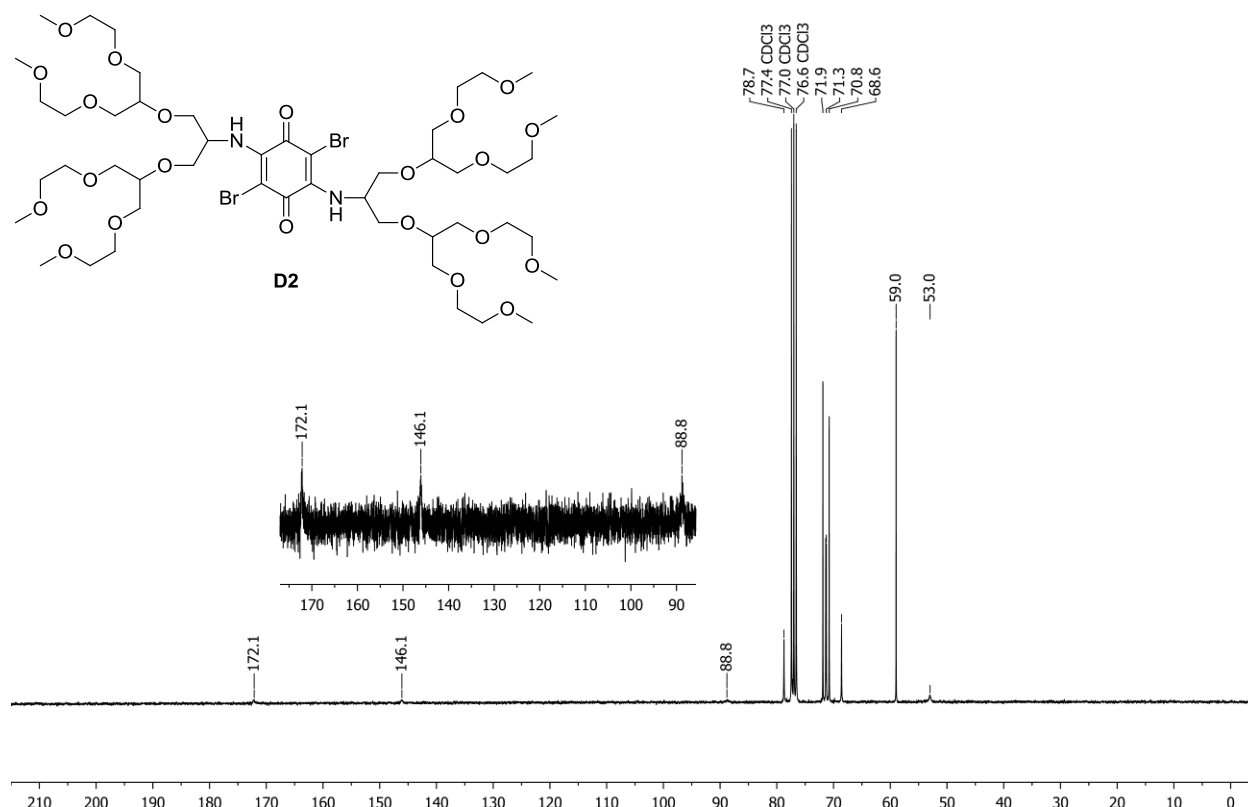
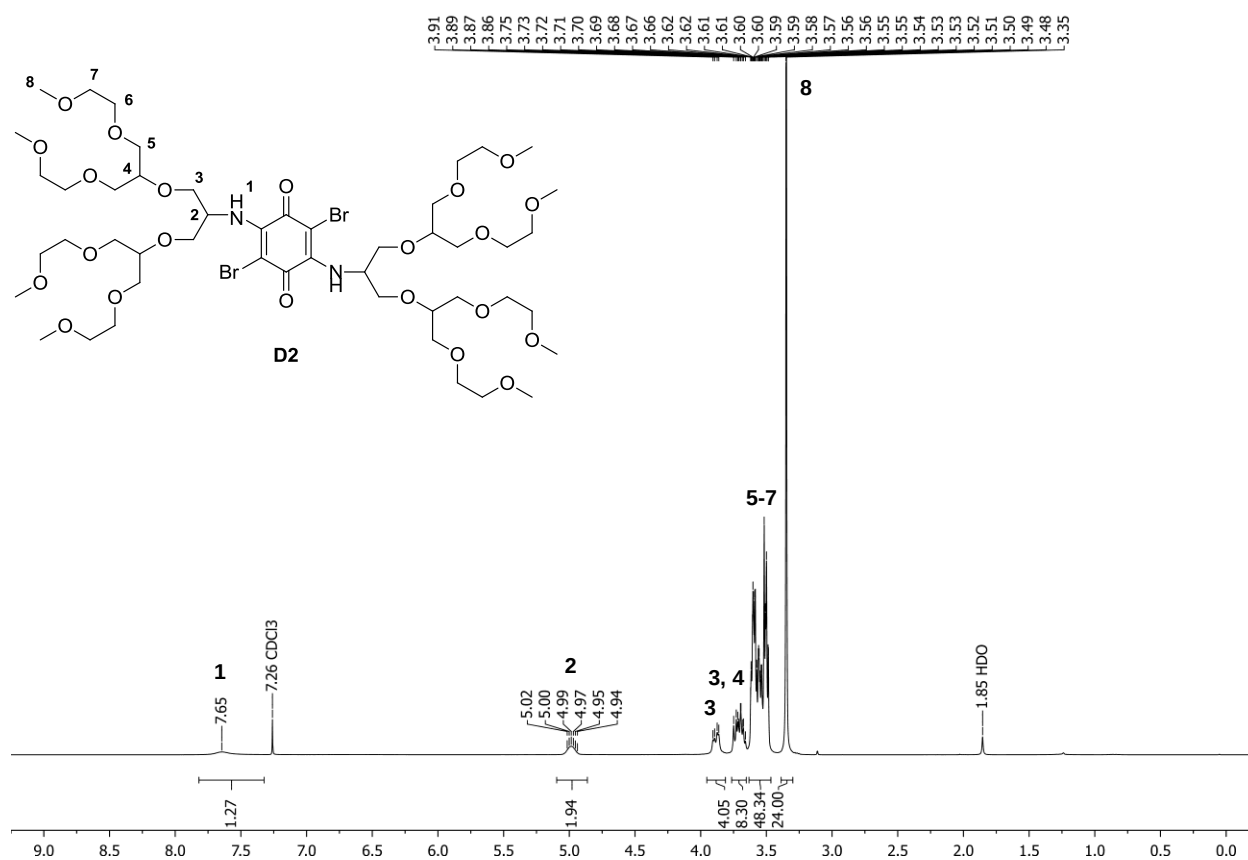


Figure S20: ^1H (CDCl_3 , 300 MHz) and ^{13}C (CDCl_3 , 76 MHz) NMR spectra of compound **D2**.

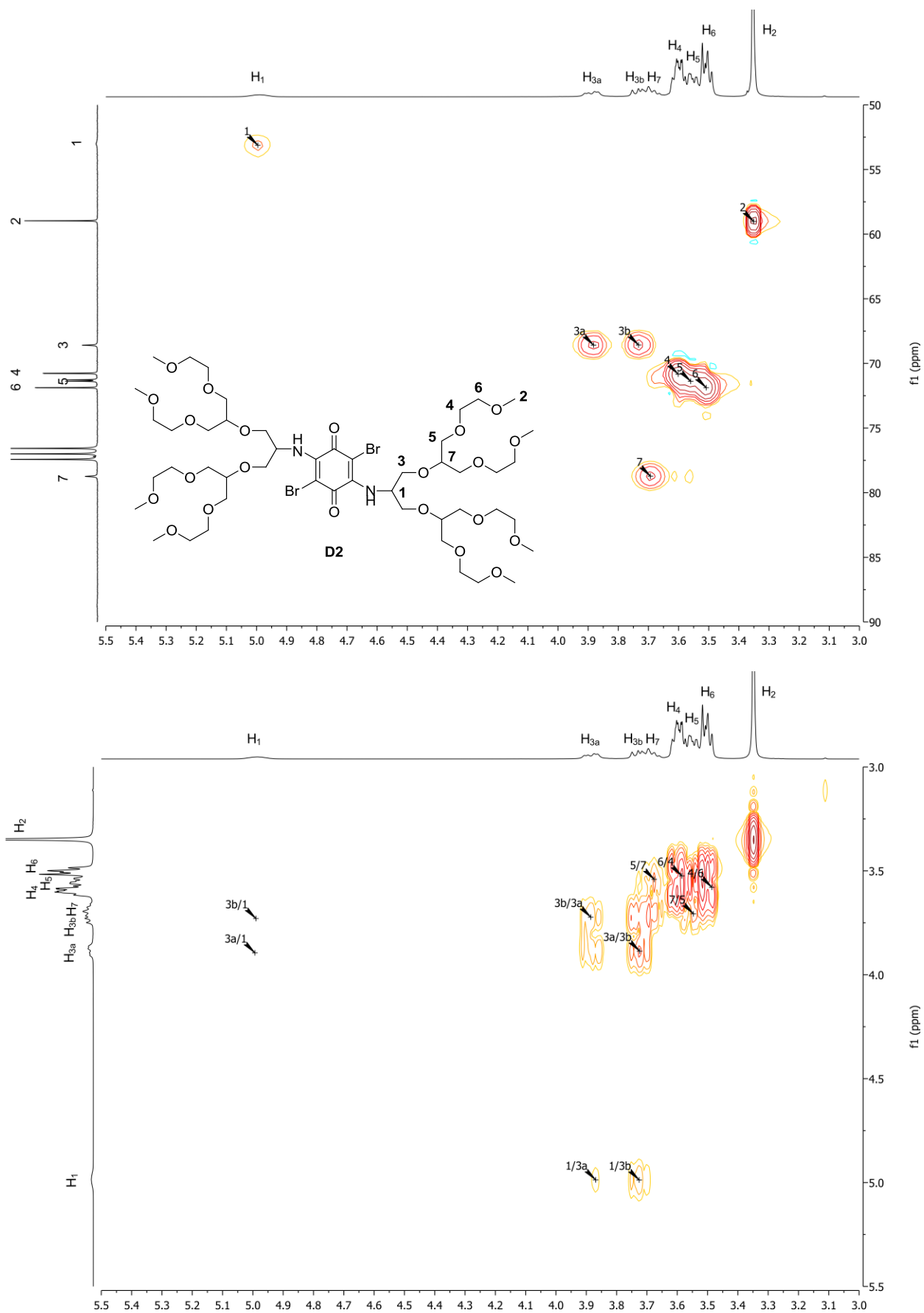


Figure S21: ^1H - ^{13}C HSQC and ^1H - ^1H COSY NMR spectra of compound **D2**.

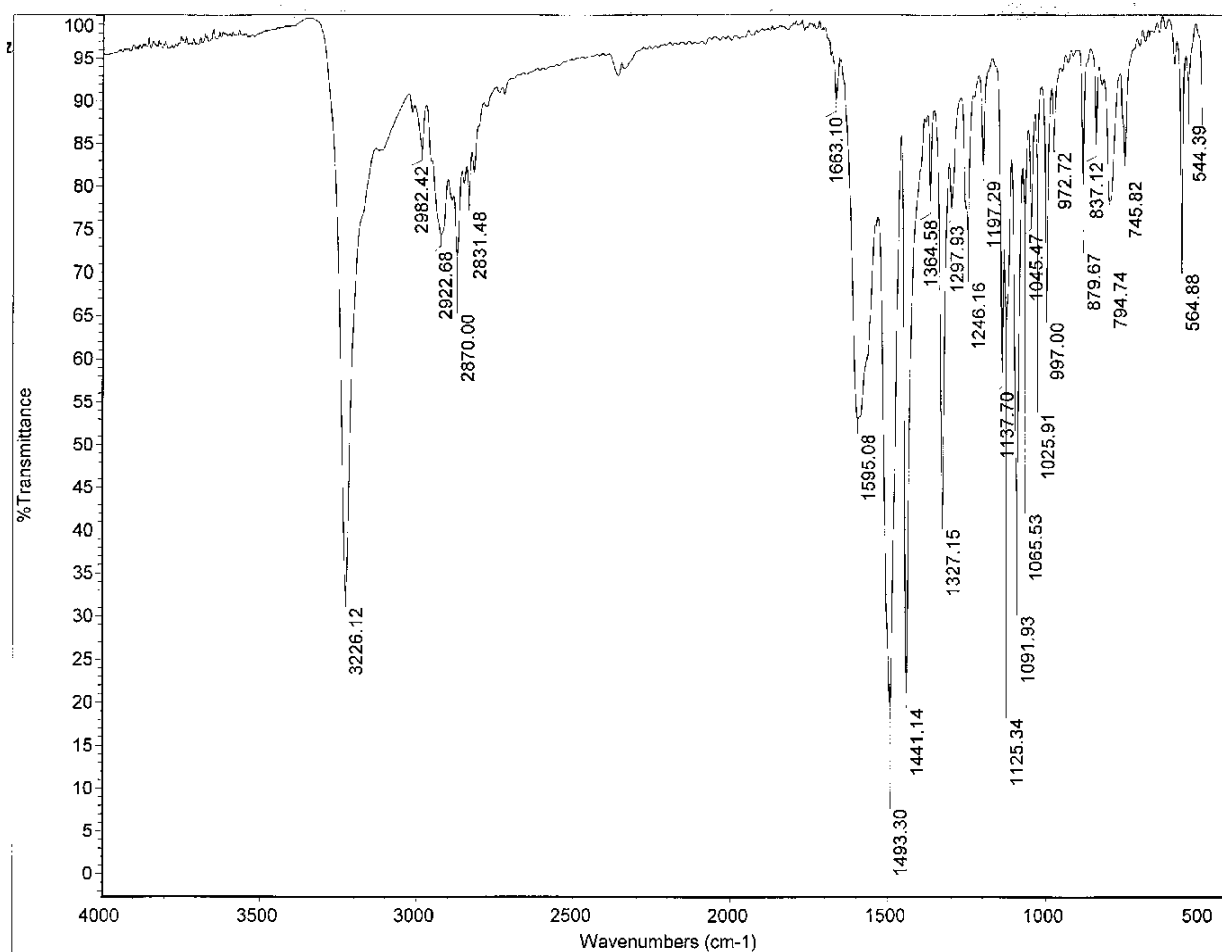


Figure S22: FTIR (KBr) spectrum of compound **D0**.

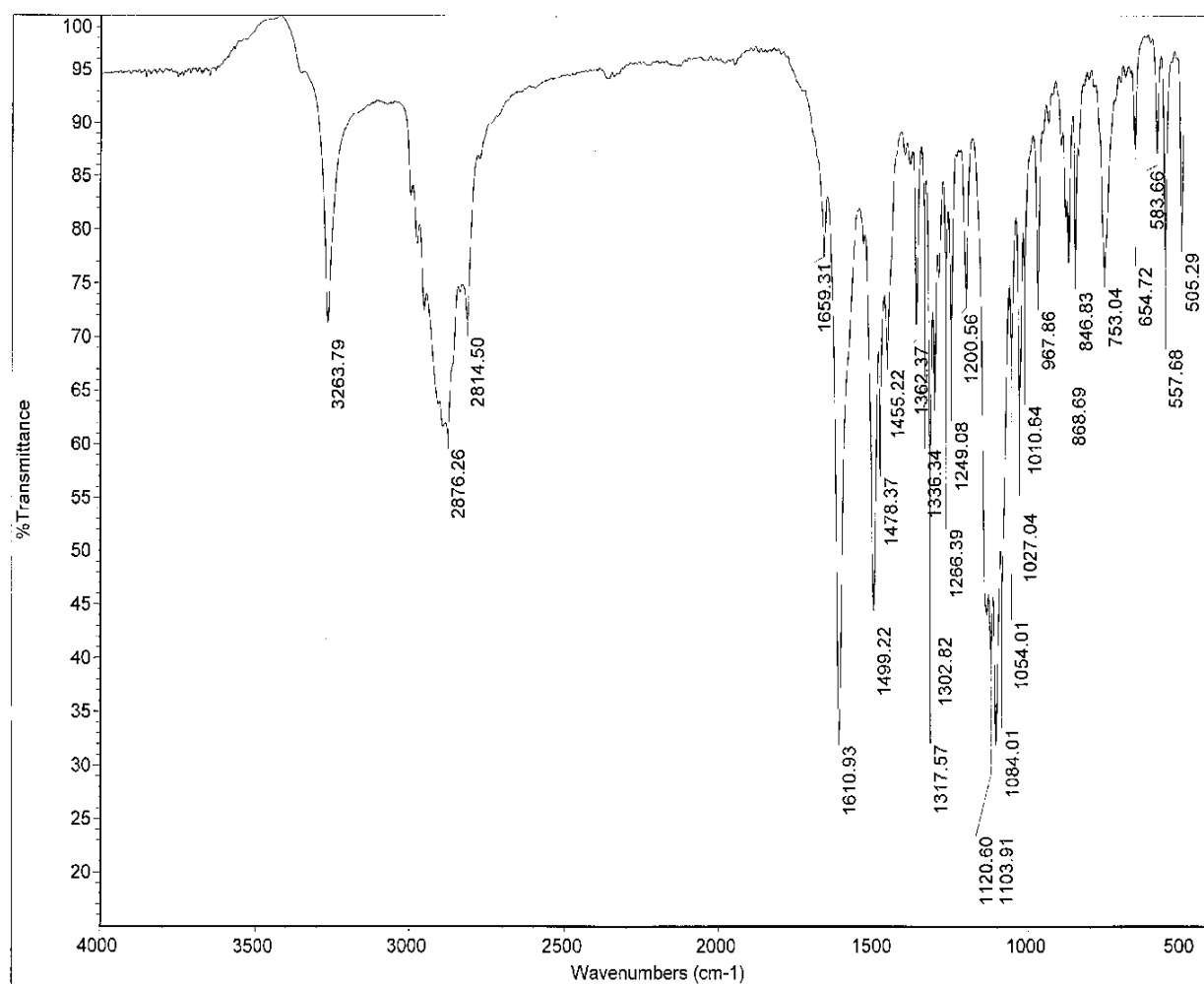


Figure S23: FTIR (KBr) spectrum of compound **D1**.

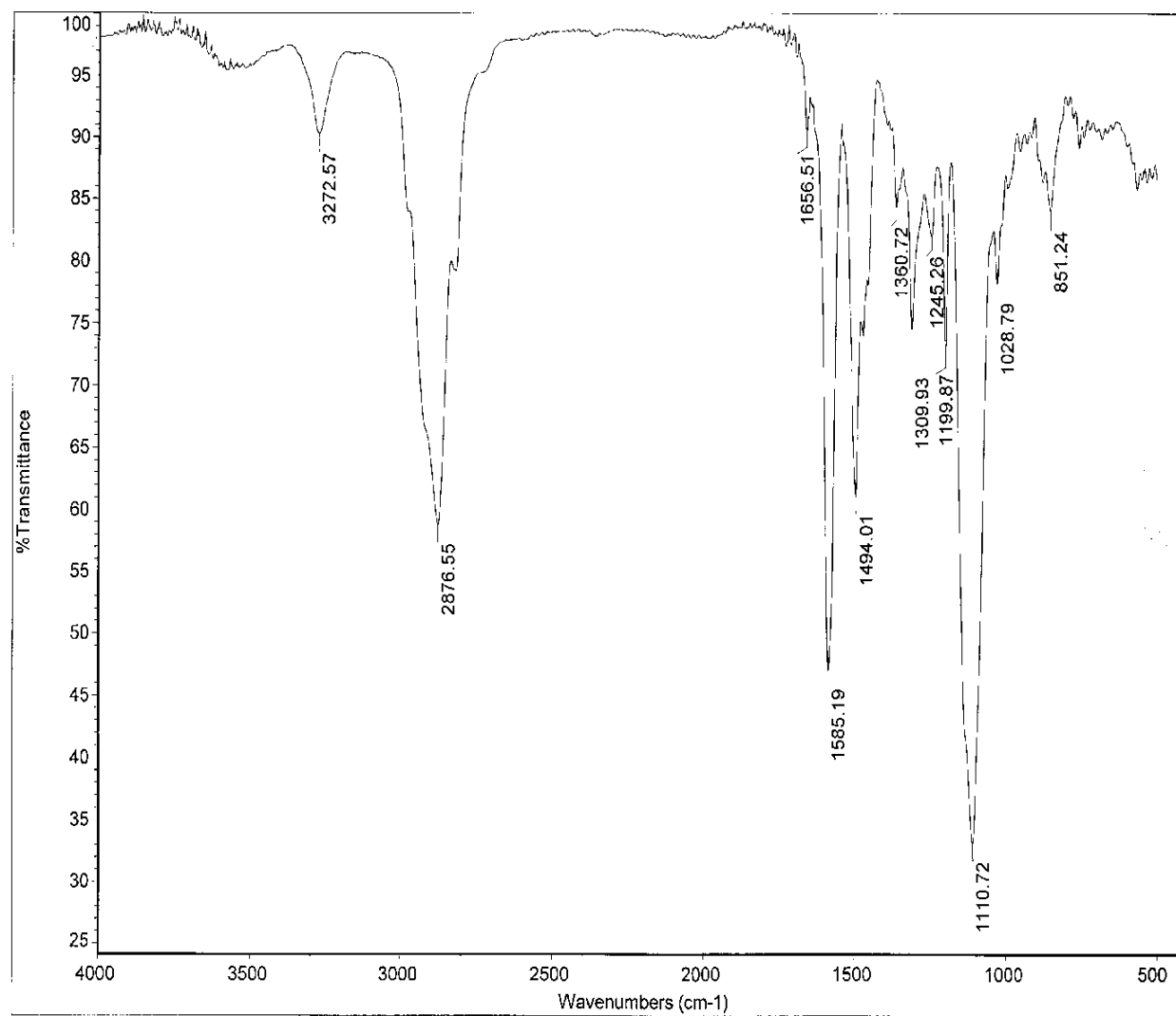
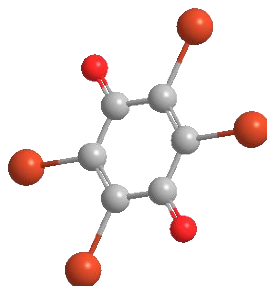


Figure S24: FTIR (KBr) spectrum of compound **D2**.

Supplementary computational data for Tetrabromo-1,4-benzoquinone (TBBQ)



-----MM2 Minimization-----

Pi System: 7 4 1 3 9 6 8 10

Warning: Some parameters are guessed (Quality = 1).

Iteration	5	Steric Energy	59.574	RMS Gradient	3.337	RMS Move	0.0017
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Iteration	10	Steric Energy	59.227	RMS Gradient	1.449	RMS Move	0.0020
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Iteration	15	Steric Energy	59.165	RMS Gradient	0.561	RMS Move	0.0009
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Iteration	20	Steric Energy	59.154	RMS Gradient	0.225	RMS Move	0.0006
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Iteration	25	Steric Energy	59.152	RMS Gradient	0.037	RMS Move	0.0000
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Iteration	30	Steric Energy	59.152	RMS Gradient	0.010	RMS Move	0.0000
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Iteration 30: Minimization terminated normally because the gradient norm is less than the minimum gradient norm

Stretch: 3.2426

Bend: 2.0037

Stretch-Bend: 0.2079

Torsion: -1.6000

Non-1,4 VDW: 0.4876

1,4 VDW: 15.6496

Dipole/Dipole: 39.1605

Total Energy: 59.1518 kcal/mol

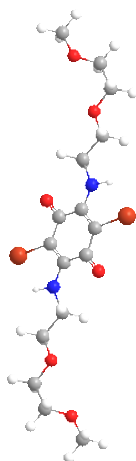
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----- Property Broker -----

Model: Bromanil

Molecular Networks: LogP = 2.56888 Log Units

Supplementary computational data for compound D0



-----MM2 Minimization-----

Pi System: 9 5 6 3 1 7 4 10 8 11

Warning: Some parameters are guessed (Quality = 1).

Iteration	5	Steric Energy	69.333	RMS Gradient	2.399	RMS Move	0.0020
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Iteration 55 Steric Energy 68.509 RMS Gradient 0.012 RMS Move 0.0000

Iteration 60 Steric Energy 68.509 RMS Gradient 0.015 RMS Move 0.0001

Iteration 65 Steric Energy 68.509 RMS Gradient 0.014 RMS Move 0.0001

Iteration 68: Minimization terminated normally because the gradient norm is less than the minimum gradient norm

Stretch: 3.9157

Bend: 10.5420

Stretch-Bend: 0.7847

Torsion: -0.9110

Non-1,4 VDW: -0.1408

1,4 VDW: 30.0274

Dipole/Dipole: 24.2909

Total Energy: 68.5090 kcal/mol

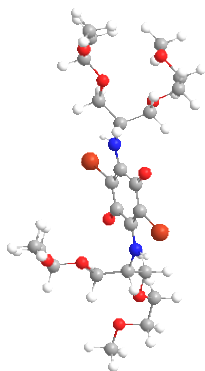
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----- Property Broker -----

Model: D0

Molecular Networks: LogP = 1.27353 Log Units

Supplementary computational data for compound D1



-----MM2 Minimization-----

Pi System: 9 5 6 3 1 7 4 10 8 11

Warning: Some parameters are guessed (Quality = 1).

Iteration	5	Steric Energy	94.283	RMS Gradient	2.276	RMS Move	0.0018
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Iteration	45	Steric Energy	92.963	RMS Gradient	0.024	RMS Move	0.0000
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Iteration	65	Steric Energy	92.962	RMS Gradient	0.014	RMS Move	0.0000
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Bend: 19.7986

Stretch-Bend: 1.5398

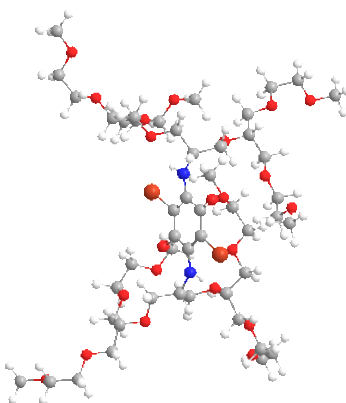
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Non-1,4 VDW: -5.6916
1,4 VDW: 46.7254
Dipole/Dipole: 24.5596
Total Energy: 92.9615 kcal/mol
Calculation ended

----- Property Broker -----

Model: D1

Molecular Networks: LogP = 0.623454 Log Units

Supplementary computational data for compound D2



-----MM2 Minimization-----

Pi System: 9 5 6 3 1 7 4 10 8 11

Warning: Some parameters are guessed (Quality = 1).

Iteration	5	Steric Energy	150.246	RMS Gradient	1.855	RMS Move	0.0017
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Iteration	25	Steric Energy	147.847	RMS Gradient	0.068	RMS Move	0.0002
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Iteration	55	Steric Energy	147.818	RMS Gradient	0.027	RMS Move	0.0001
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Iteration	165	Steric Energy	147.805	RMS Gradient	0.010	RMS Move	0.0000

Iteration 165: Minimization terminated normally because the gradient norm is less than the minimum gradient norm

Stretch:	10.2587
Bend:	36.5067
Stretch-Bend:	3.5720
Torsion:	5.2563
Non-1,4 VDW:	-33.5113
1,4 VDW:	98.2928
Dipole/Dipole:	27.4296
Total Energy:	147.8048 kcal/mol

Calculation ended

----- Property Broker -----

Model: D2-new

Molecular Networks: LogP = -1.40629 Log Units
