

Supporting information

Facile construction of novel imidazolidine-spirooxindoles via diastereoselective cycloaddition of *N*-acylhydrazine-derived imines with 3-isothiocyanato oxindoles

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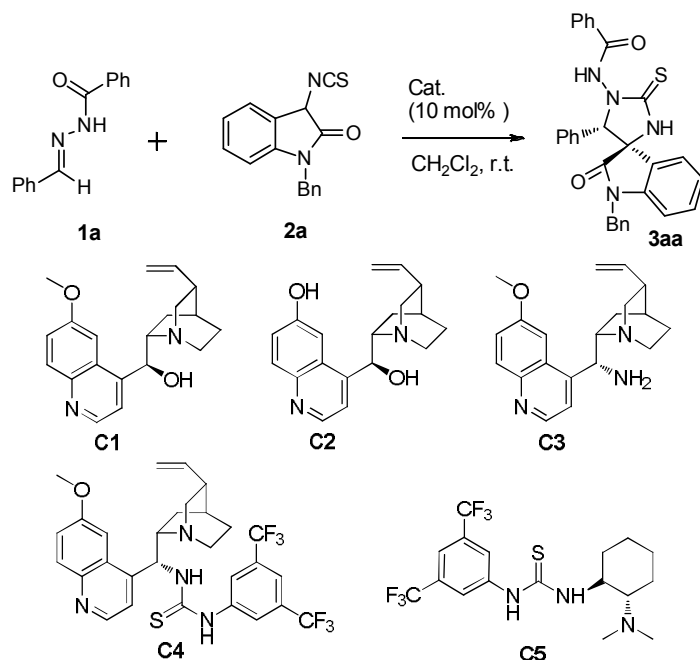
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General information

Unless noted otherwise, all reagents were commercially available and used without further purification. All solvents were distilled from the appropriate drying agents immediately before use. All air and moisture sensitive reactions were carried out under an inert atmosphere of dry nitrogen. Reactions were monitored by TLC carried out on 0.25 mm SDS silica gel coated glass plates (60F254) and compounds were detected with UV light and/or with iodide. Specific optical rotations were measured with a polarimeter. NMR spectra were recorded on 400 MHz instrument and calibrated using tetramethylsilane (TMS) as internal reference. High resolution mass spectra (HRMS) were recorded under electrospray ionization (ESI) conditions. Enantiomeric excess was determined by HPLC analyses using Chiralpak AD (25 cm \times 0.46 cm) column.(solvent: hexane/ethanol = 70/30).

Typical procedure for organocatalytic synthesis of imidazolidine-spirooxindole **3aa**

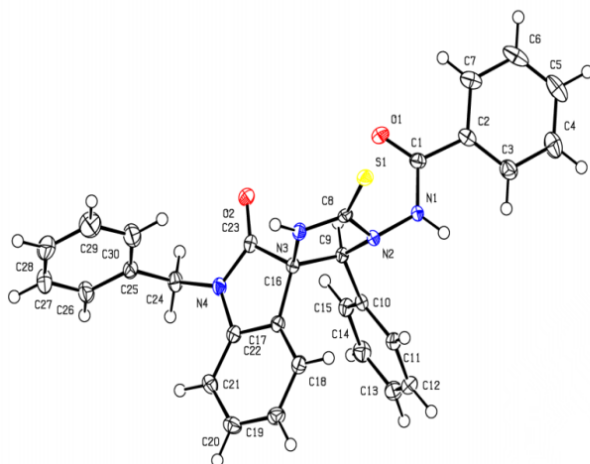


Catalyst (0.01 mmol) was added to a mixture of *N*-acylhaziridine-based imines **1a** (0.1 mmol) and 3-isothiocyanato oxindole **2a** (0.1 mmol) in anhydrous CH₂Cl₂ (1.0 mL). The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for 2 h. After completion of the reaction, the crude product was purified by flash column chromatography on silica gel (petroleum ether / ethyl acetate = 4:1) to afford the pure product **3aa** as white powder (64-74% yield; >99:1 dr).

Entry	Catalyst	Time (min)	Yield (%) ^b	ee (%) ^c	dr ^d
1	C1	120	68	0	>99:1
2	C2	120	64	0	>99:1
3	C3	120	69	0	>99:1
4	C4	120	74	0	>99:1
5	C5	120	70	0	>99:1

^a Reactions were carried out with 0.1 mmol of **1a**, and 0.1 mmol of **2a** in the presence of 10 mol% of catalyst in 1.0 mL of CH₂Cl₂ examined at room temperature. ^b Isolated yield. ^c Determined by chiral HPLC analysis. ^d Determined by ¹H NMR spectroscopy.

X-Ray crystal data of compound 3aa

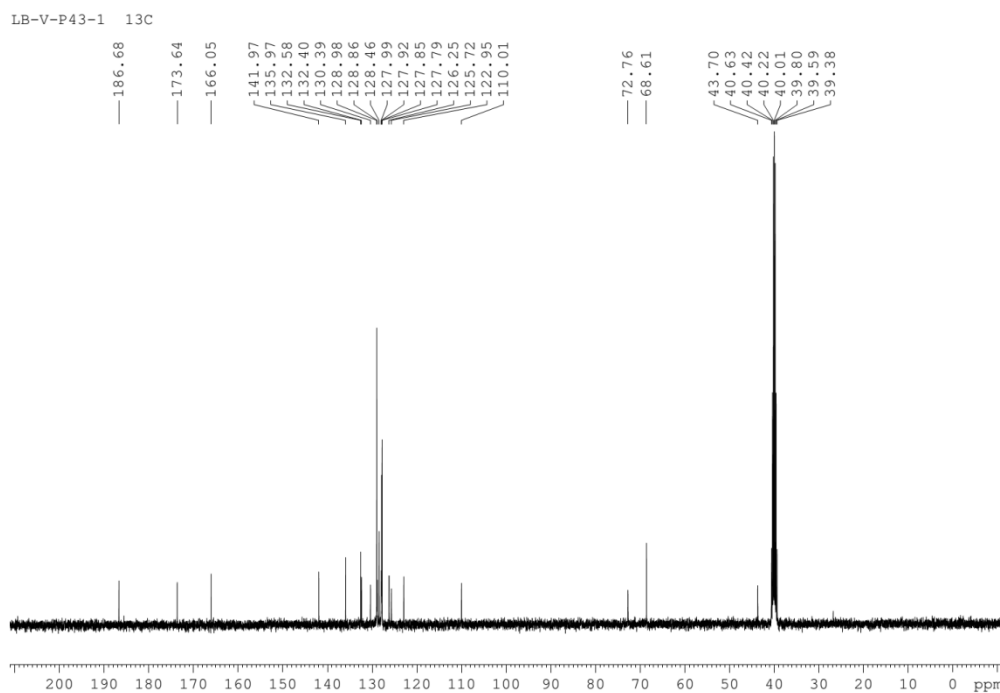
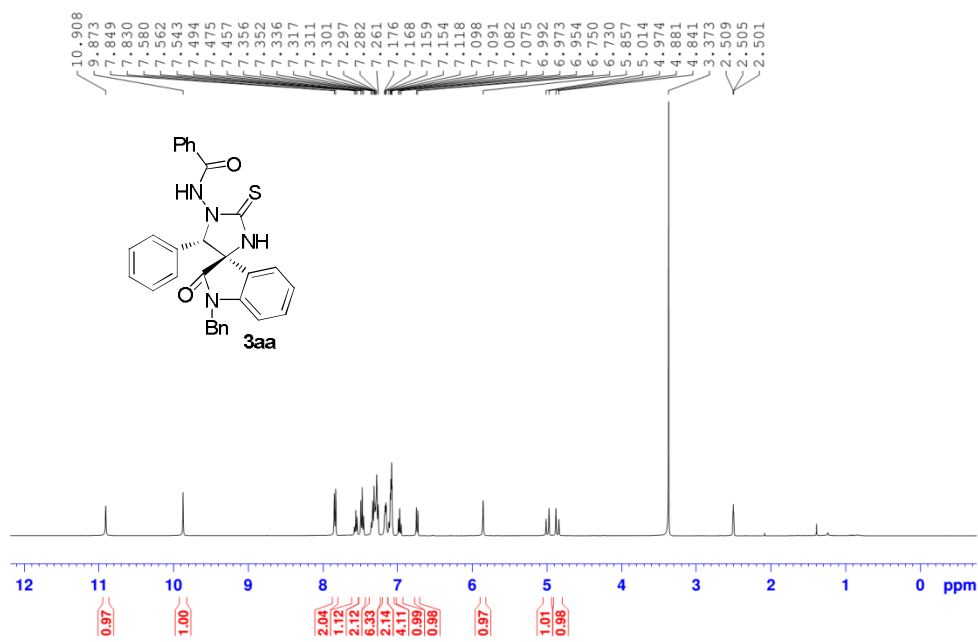


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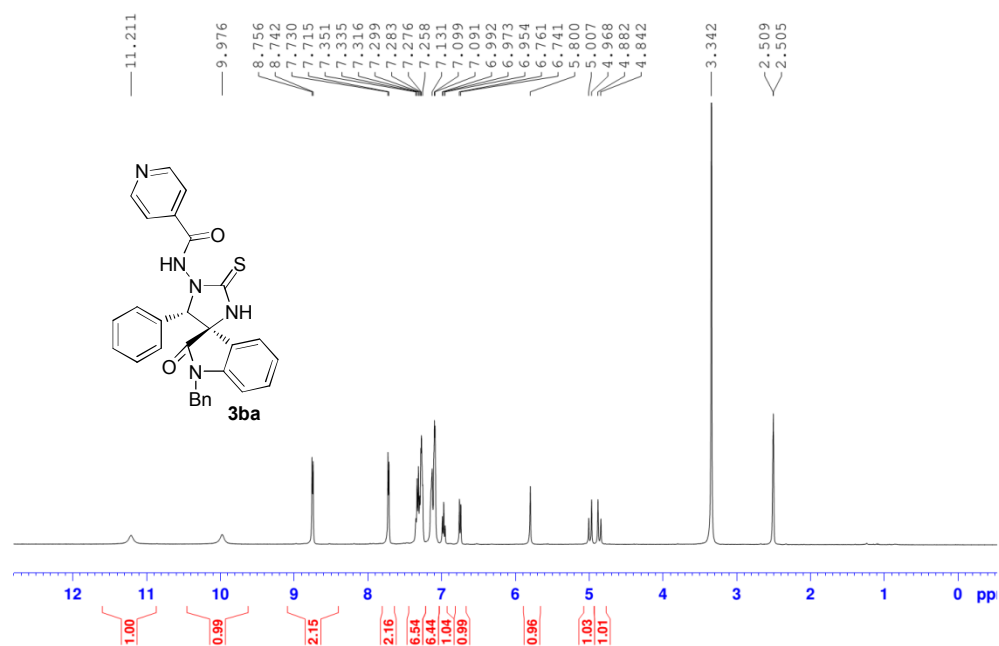
Identification code	3aa
Empirical formula	C ₃₀ H ₂₄ N ₄ O ₂ S
Formula weight	504.16
Temperature	113(2) K
Wavelength	0.71073 Å
Crystal system, space group	Triclinic, P-1
Unit cell dimensions	a = 9.9840(13) Å alpha = 117.420(7) deg. b = 12.9333(14) Å beta = 99.869(13) deg. c = 13.6529(18) Å gamma = 96.128(10) deg.
Volume	1506.6(3) Å ³
Z, Calculated density	2, 1.307 Mg/m ³
Absorption coefficient	0.153 mm ⁻¹
F(000)	624
Crystal size	0.20 x 0.18 x 0.12 mm
Theta range for data collection	3.03 to 27.55 deg.
Limiting indices	-12 ≤ h ≤ 12, -15 ≤ k ≤ 16, -17 ≤ l ≤ 17

Reflections collected / unique	15520 / 6658 [R(int) = 0.0164]
Completeness to theta = 27.55	96.00%
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents
Max. and min. transmission	0.9819 and 0.9701
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²
Data / restraints / parameters	6658 / 2 / 396
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.033
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0326, wR2 = 0.0828
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0386, wR2 = 0.0864
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.325 and -0.213 e.A ⁻³

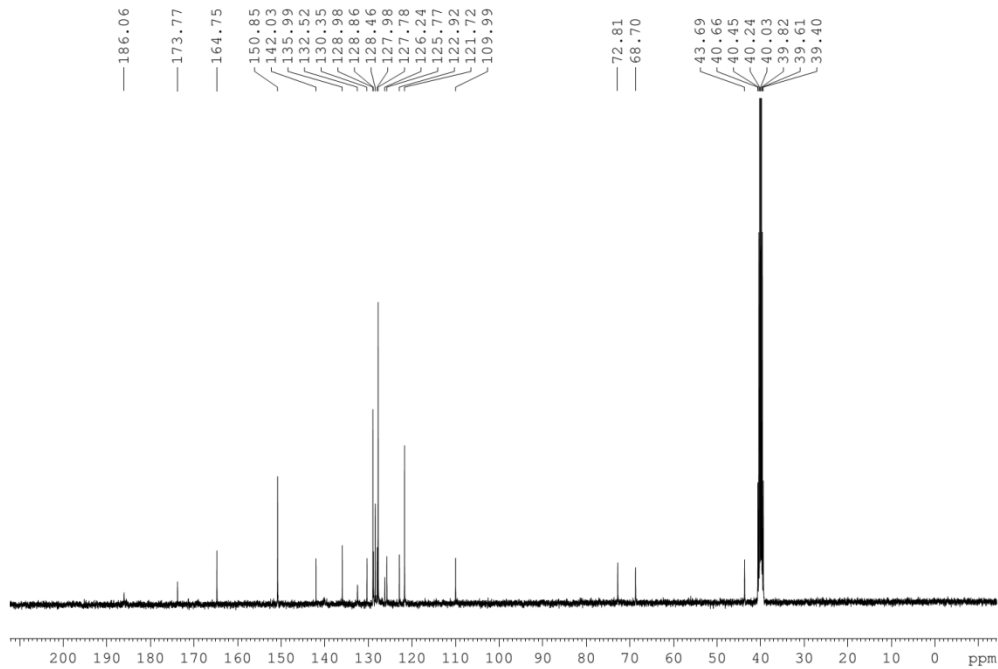
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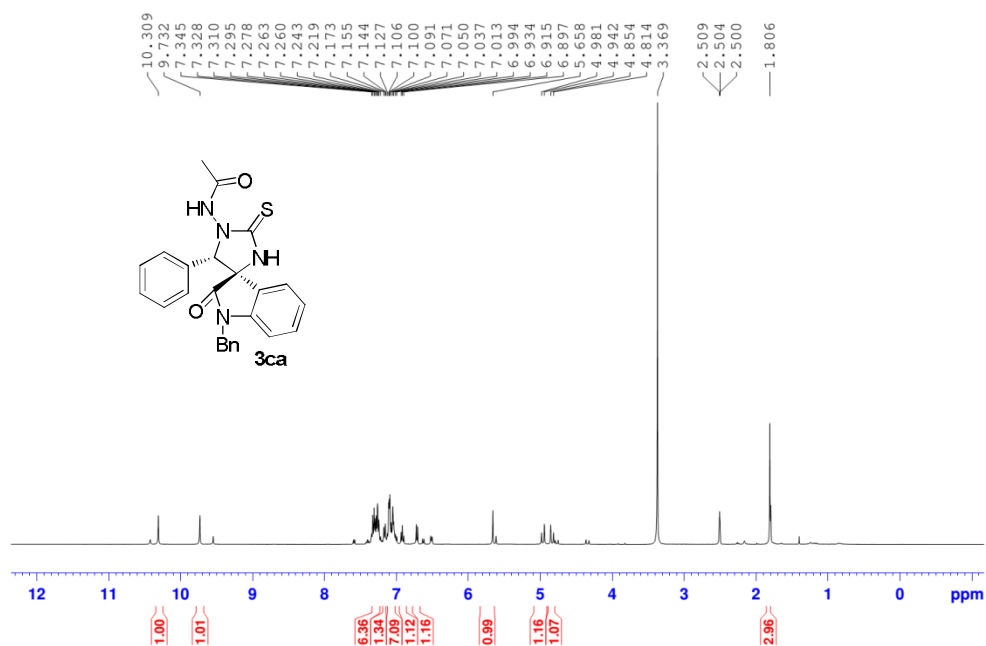
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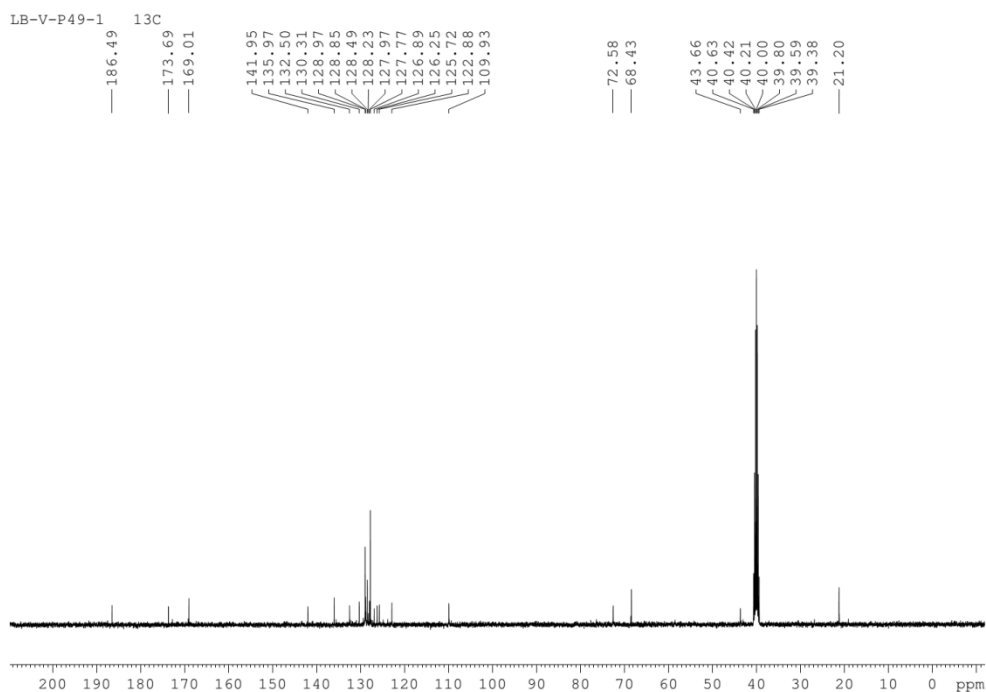
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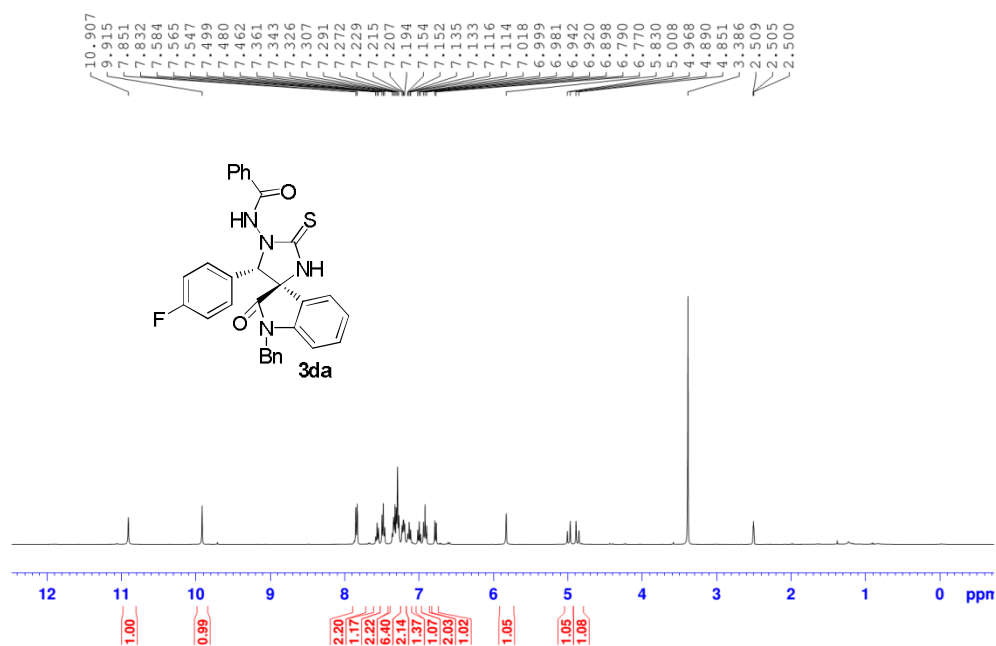
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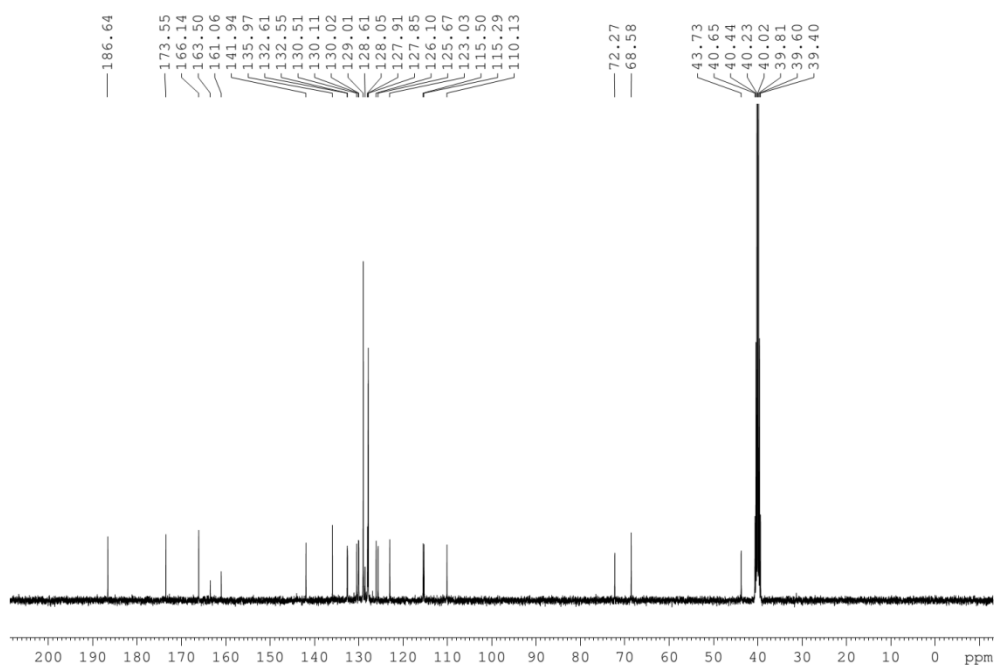
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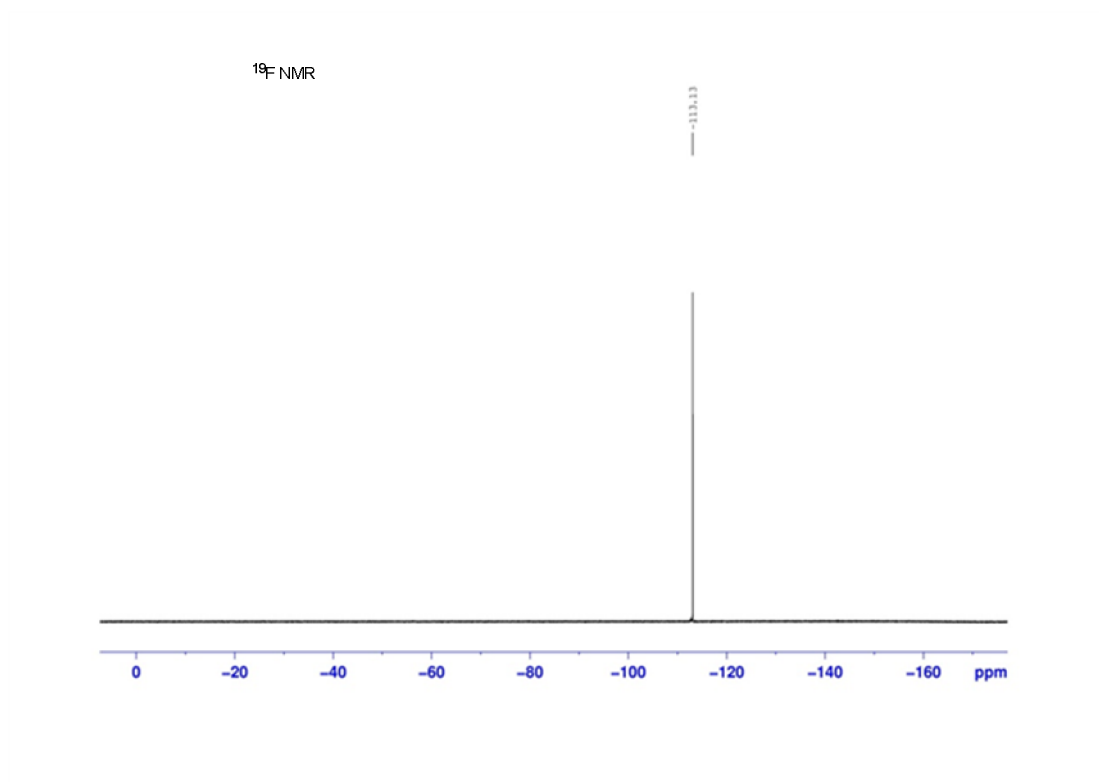


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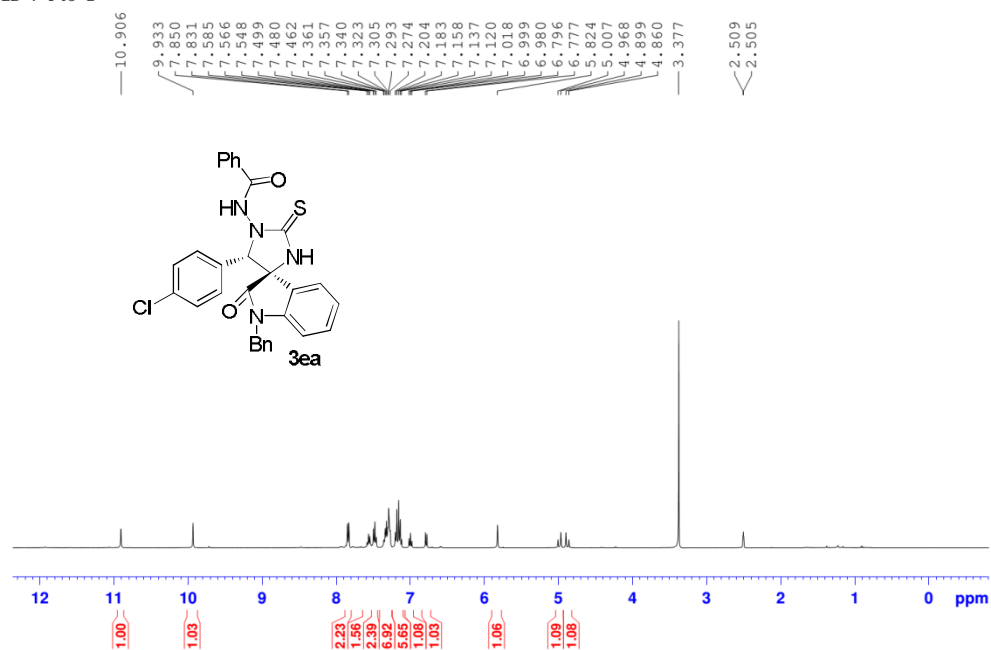


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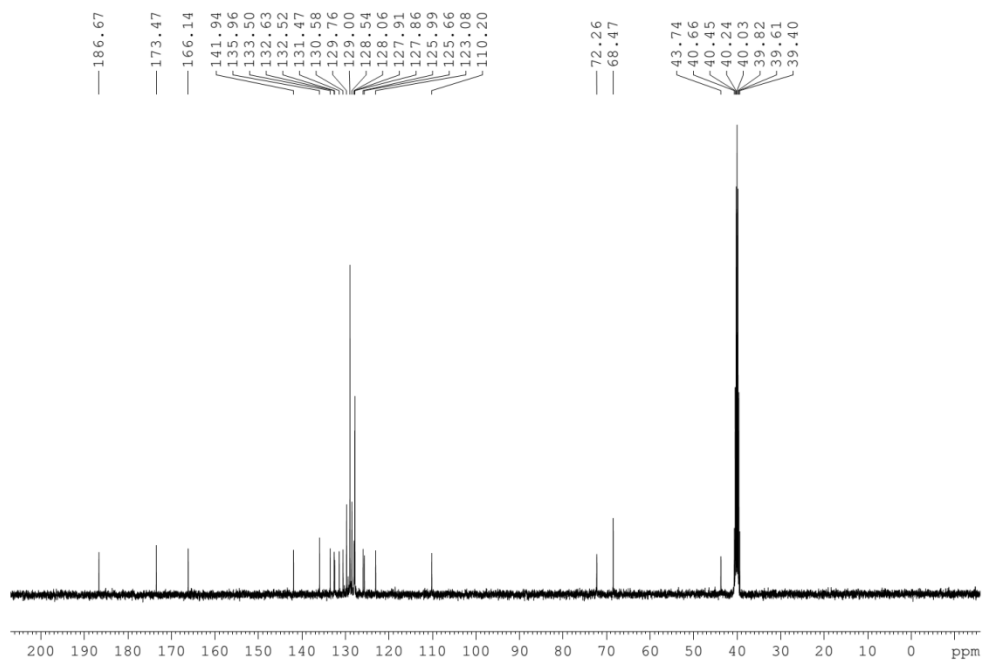




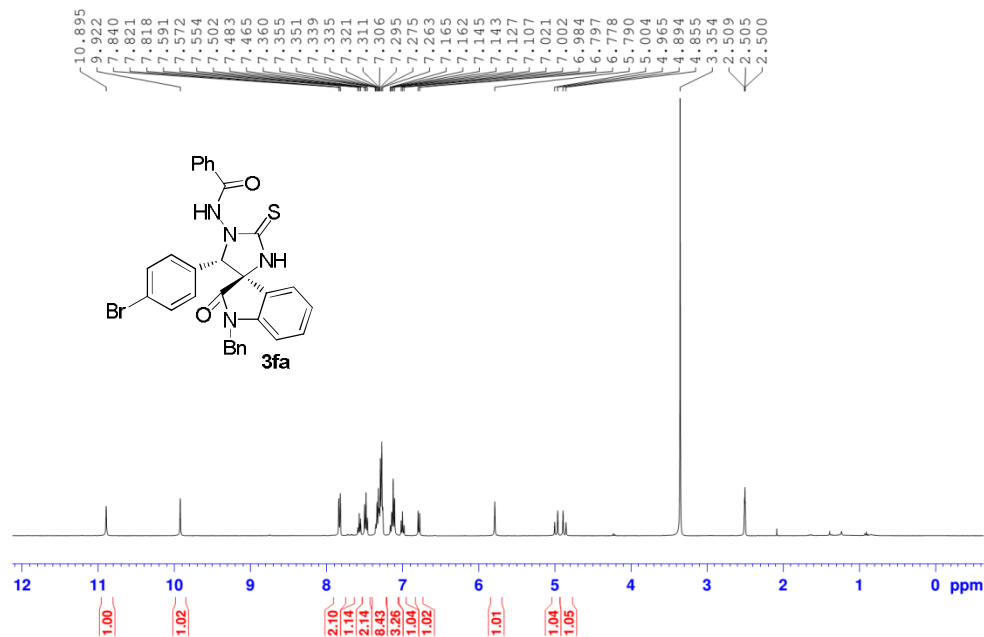
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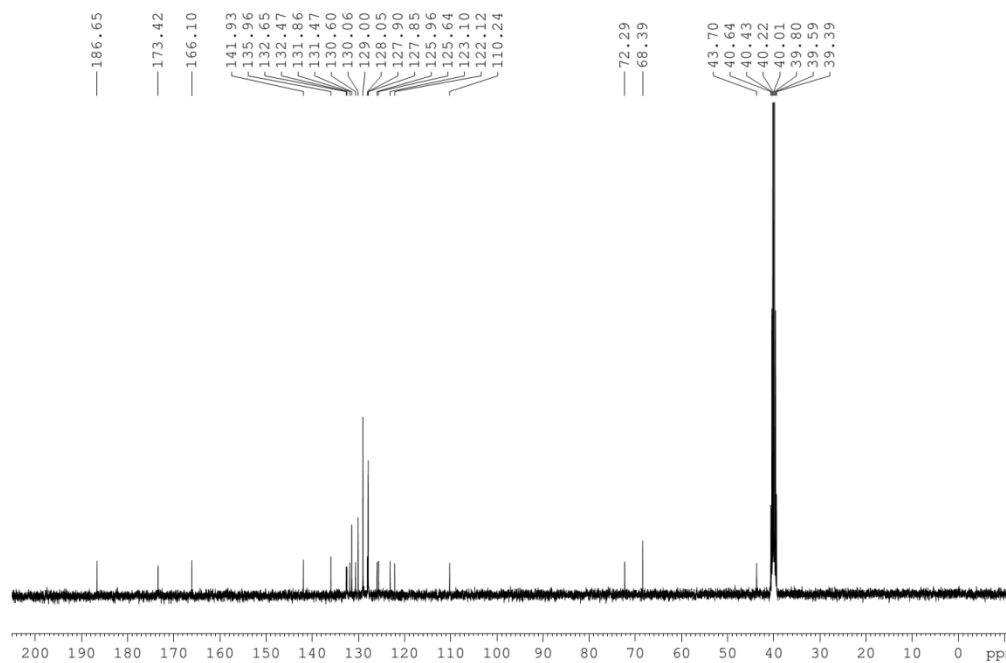
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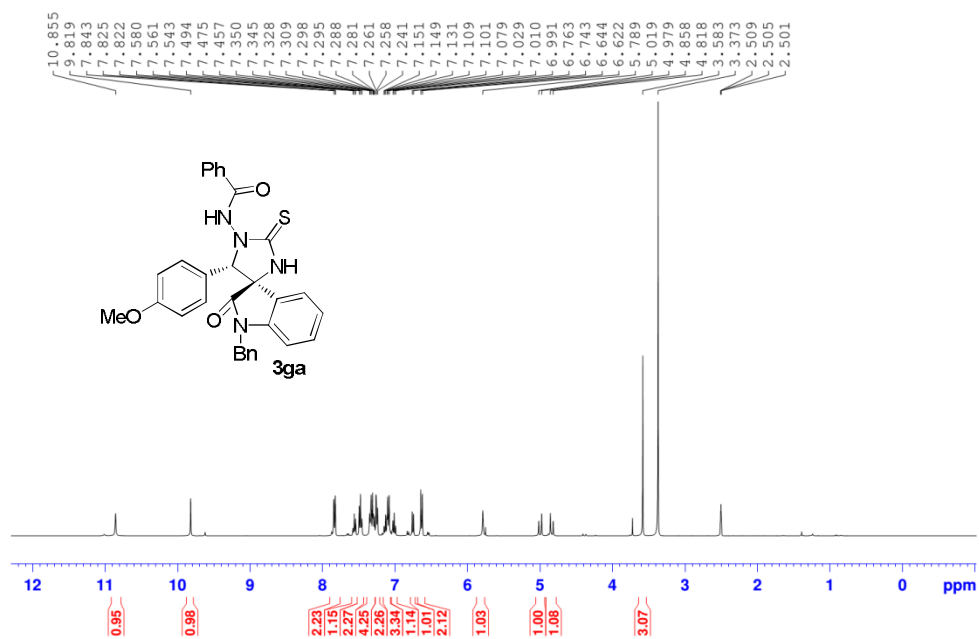
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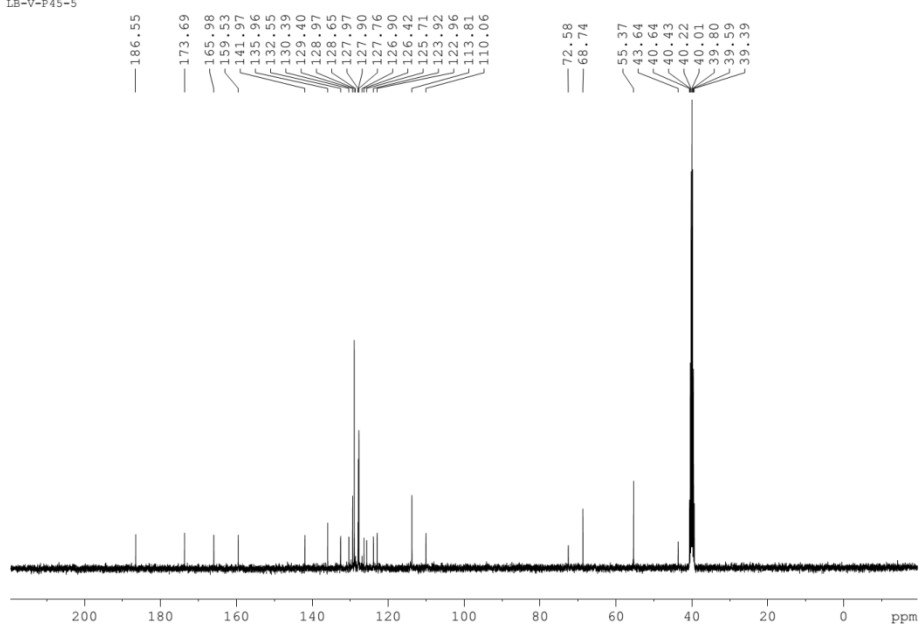
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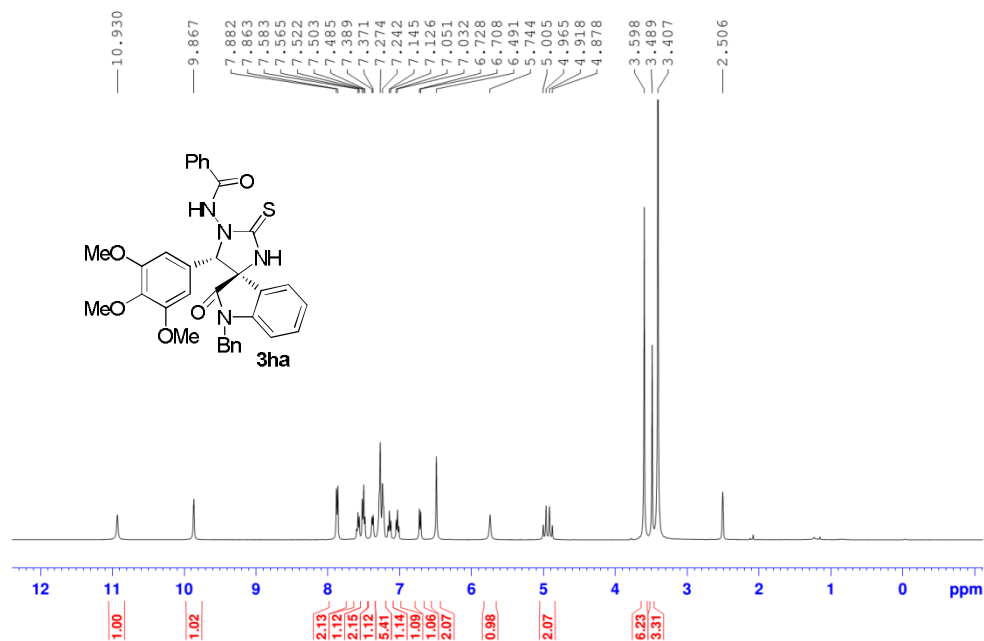
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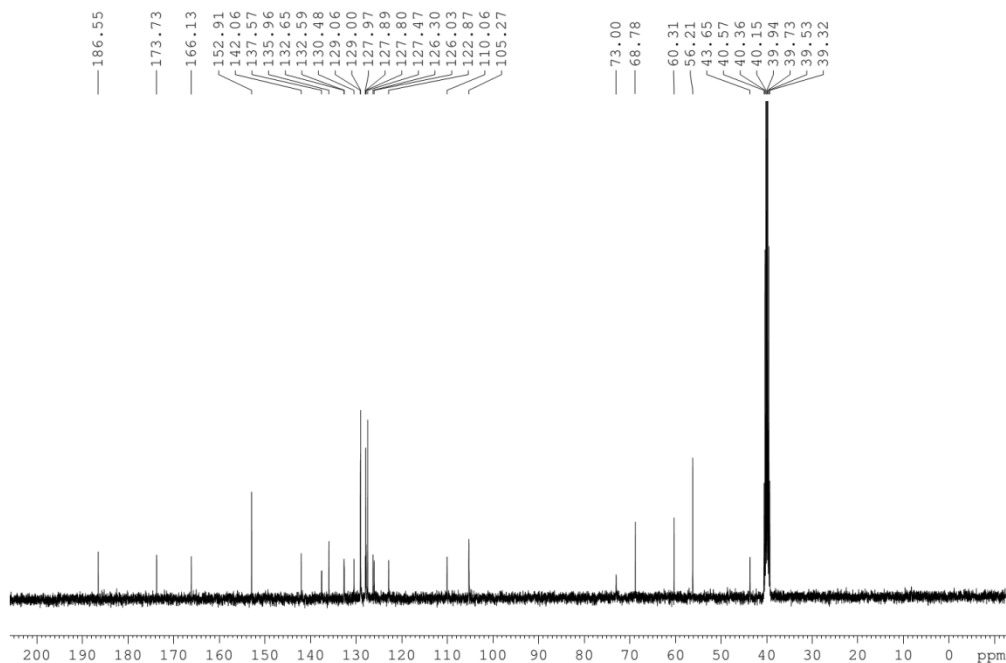
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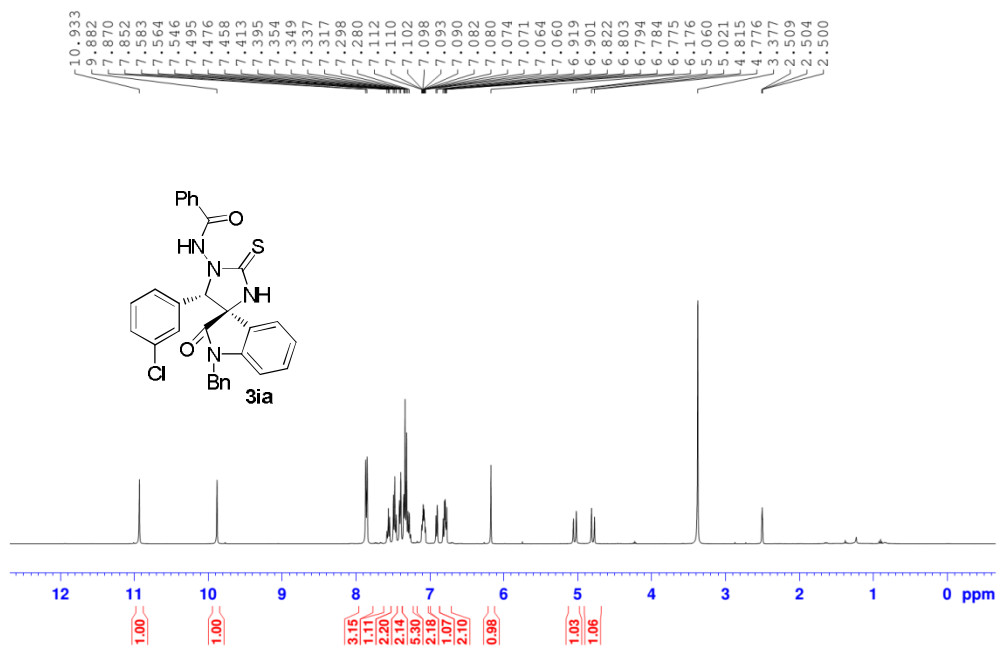
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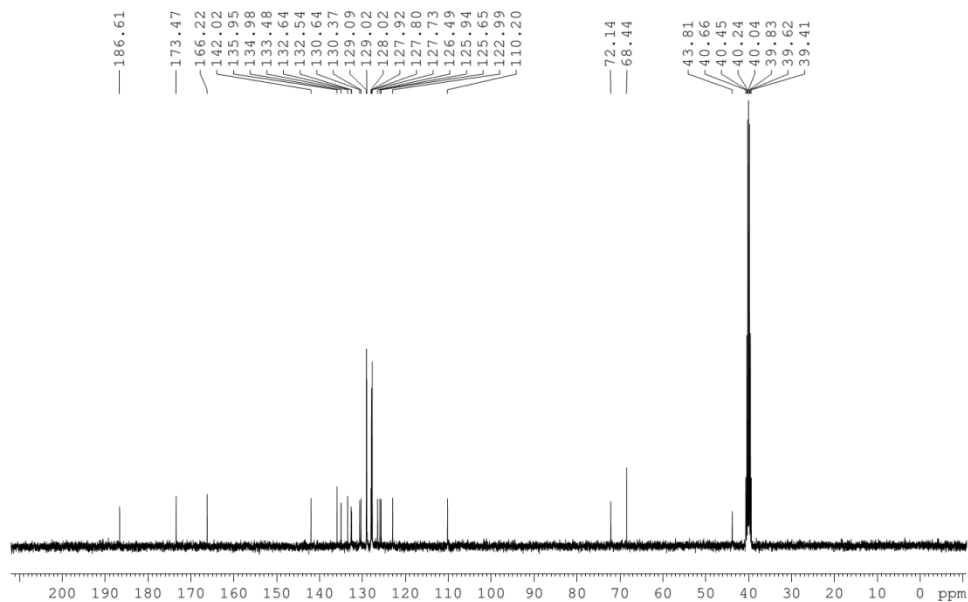
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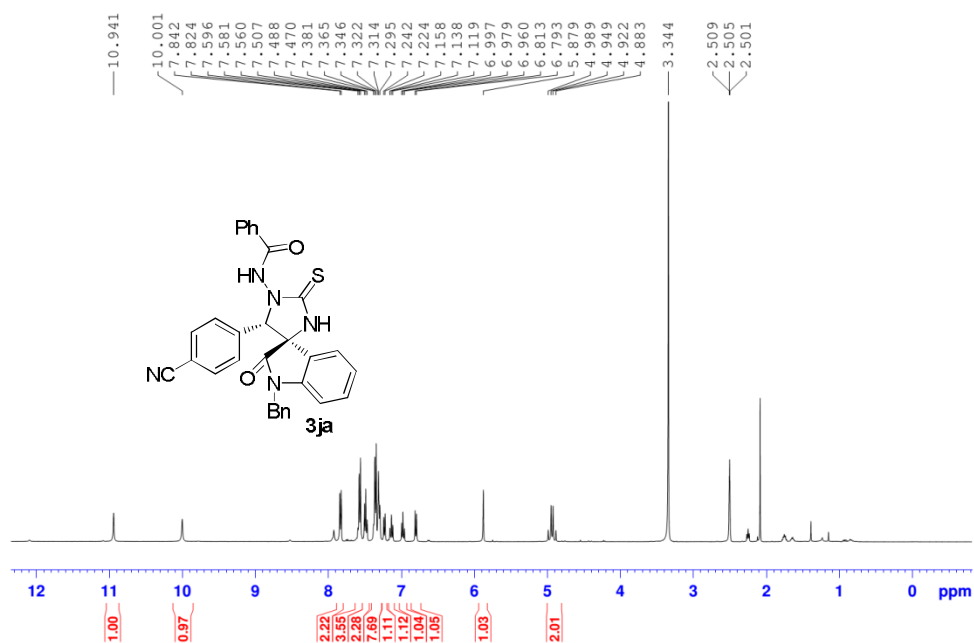
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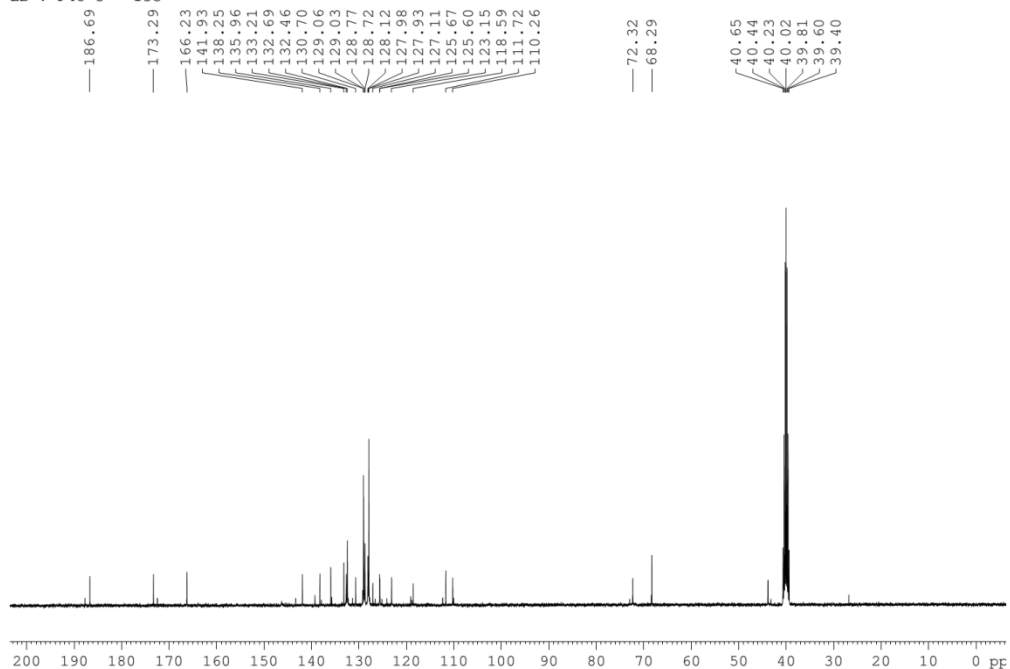


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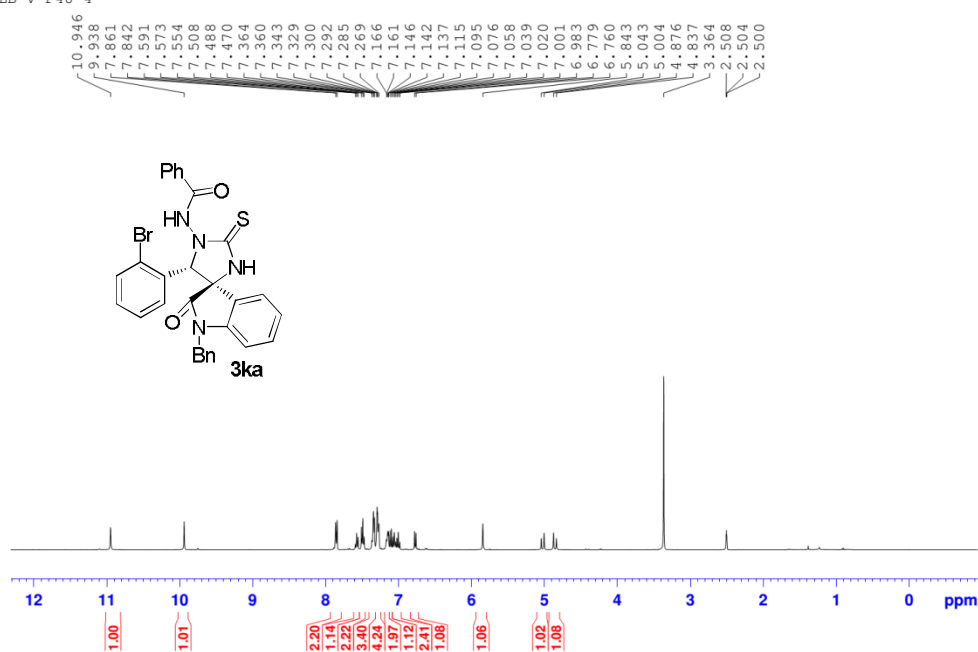


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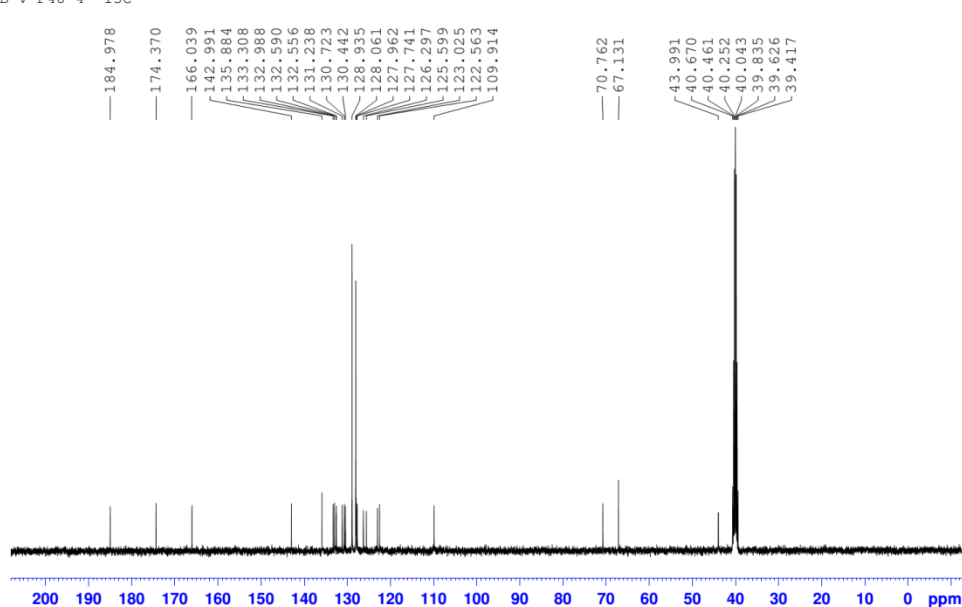
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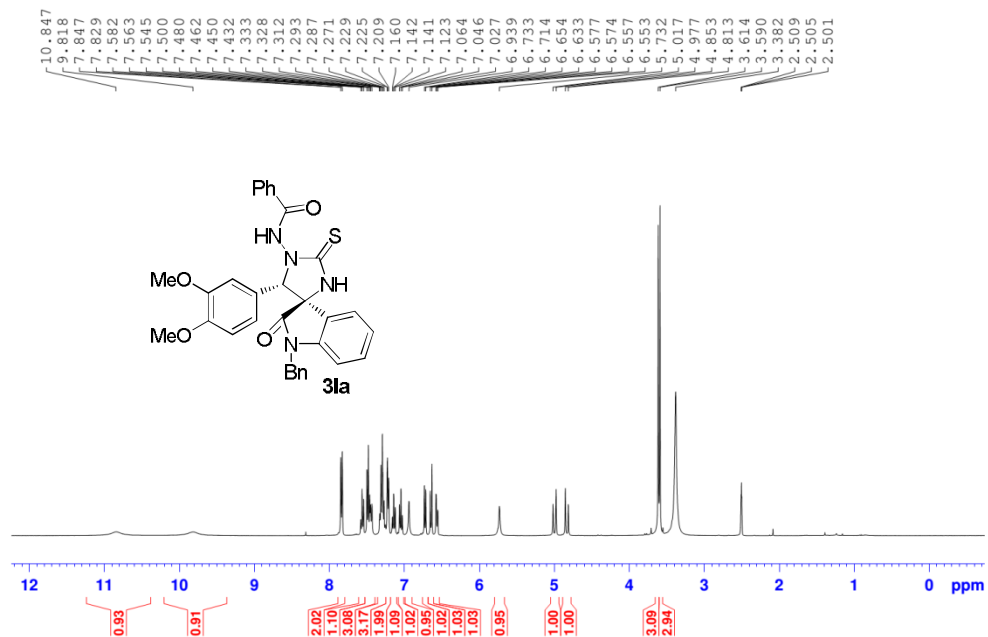
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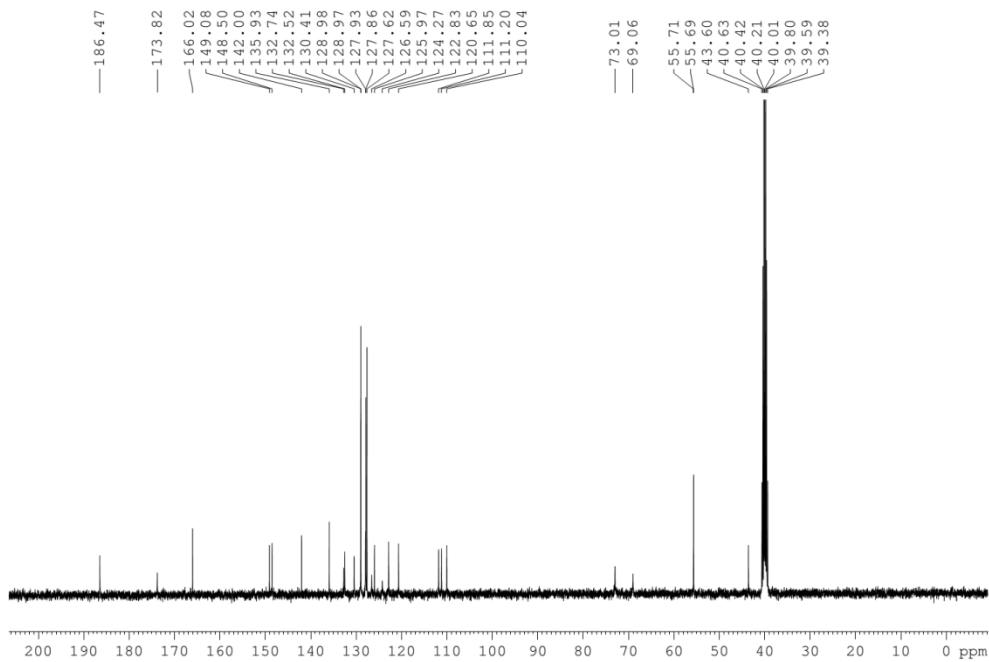
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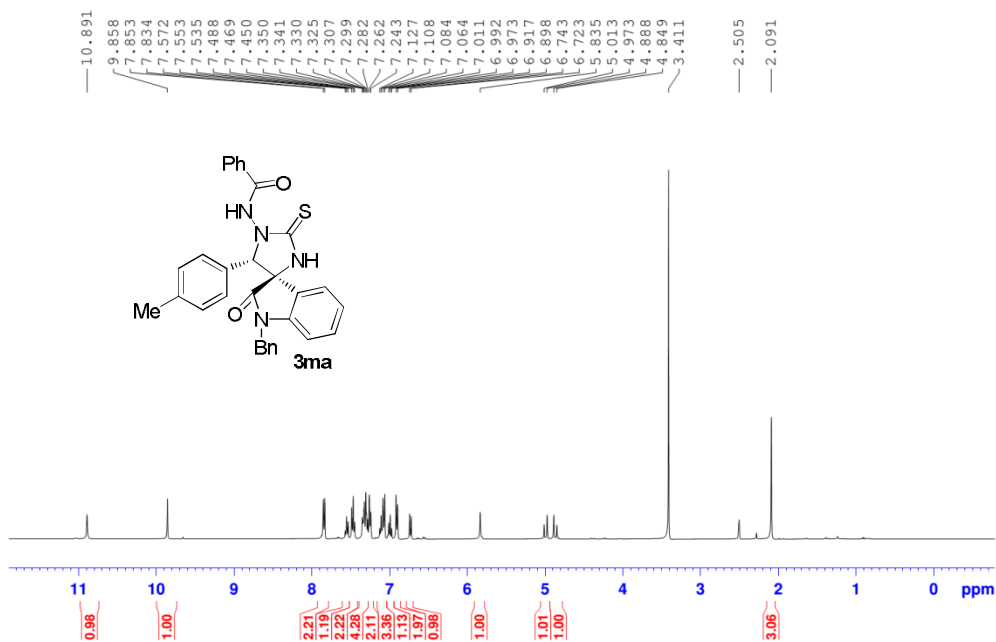
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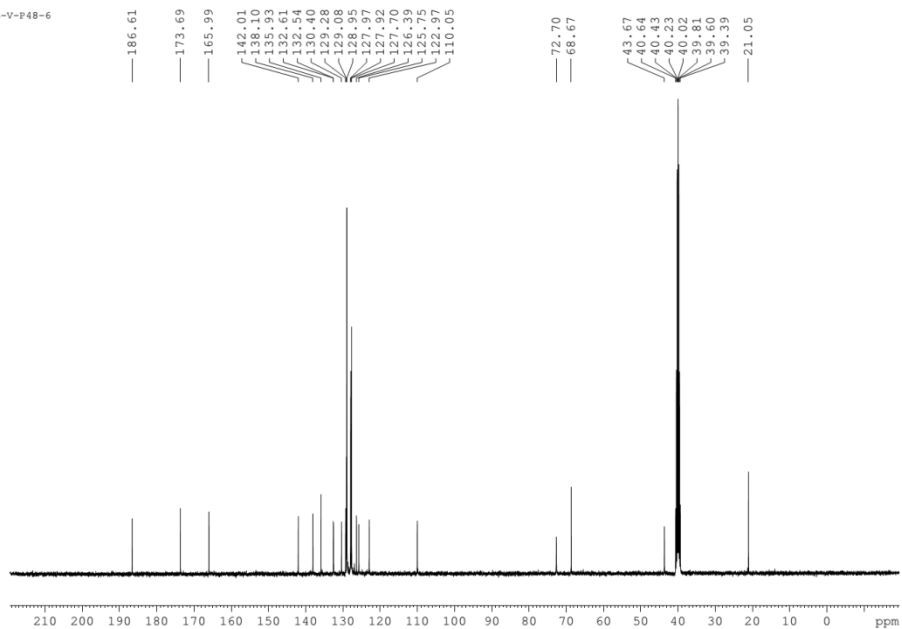
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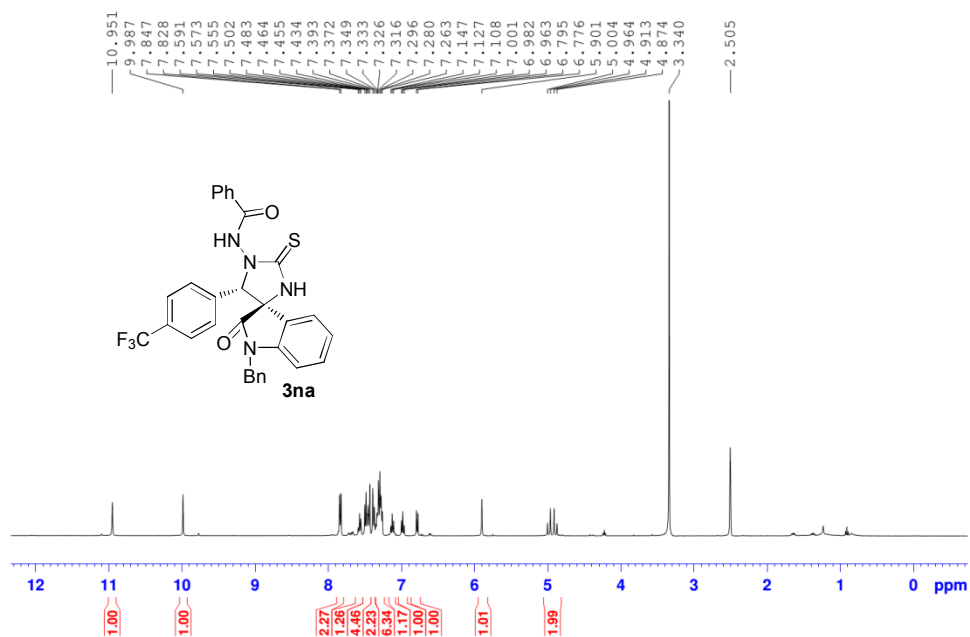
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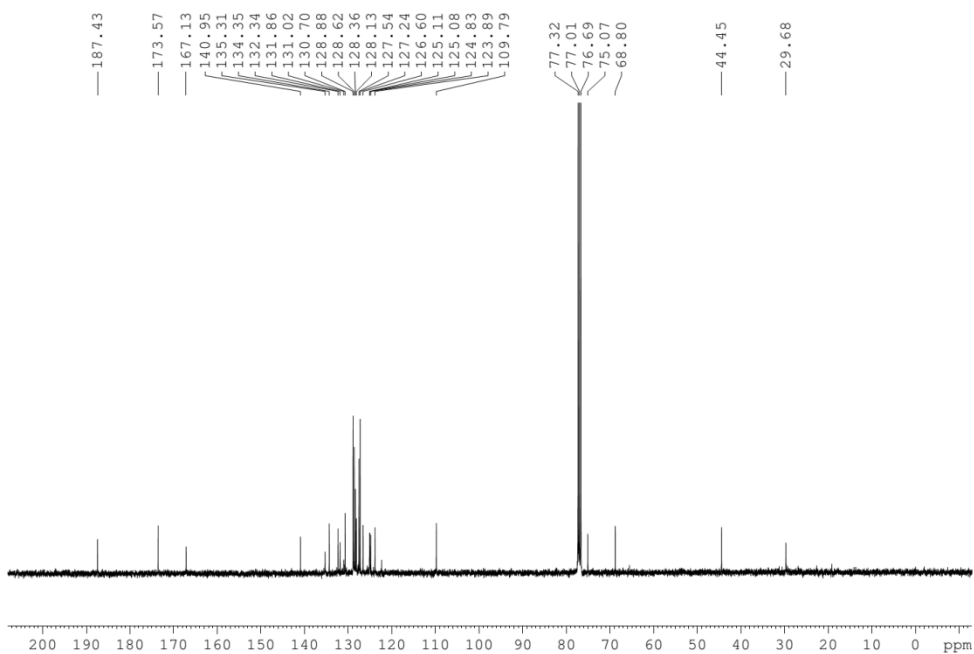
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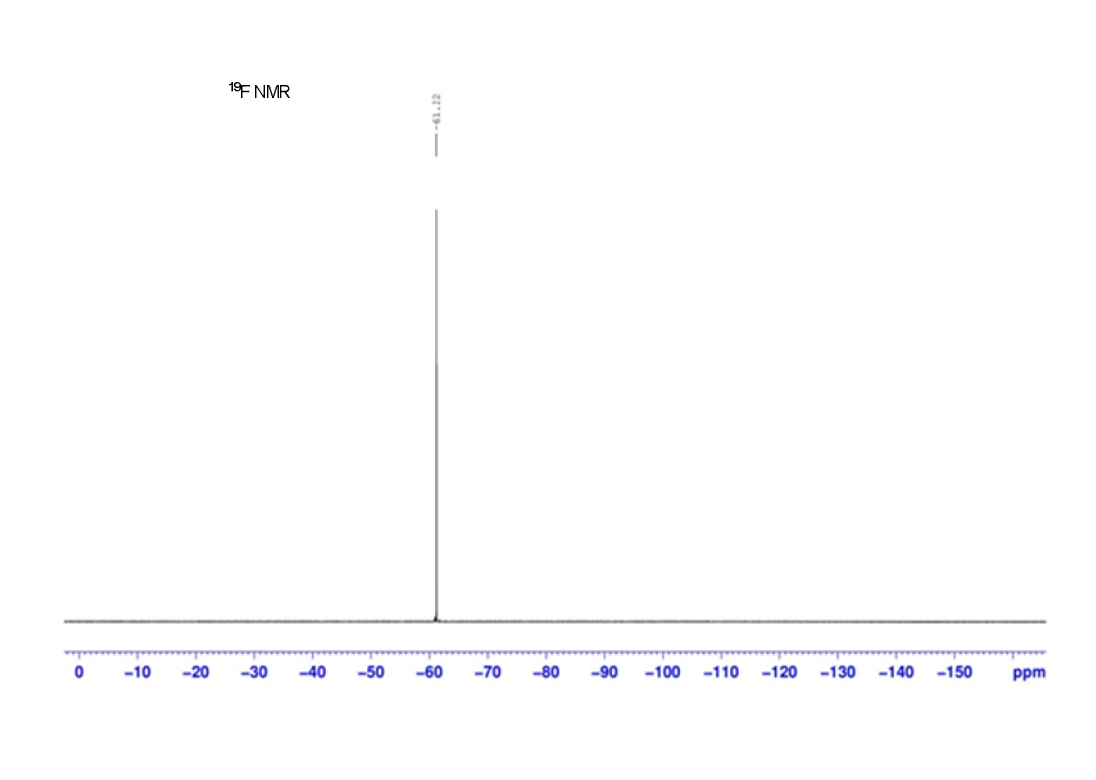


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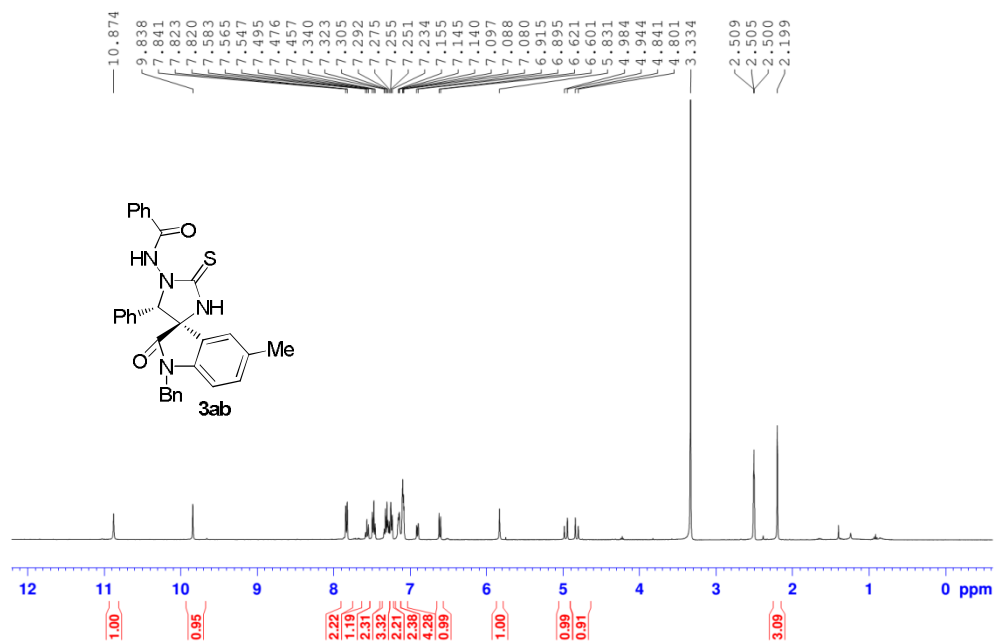


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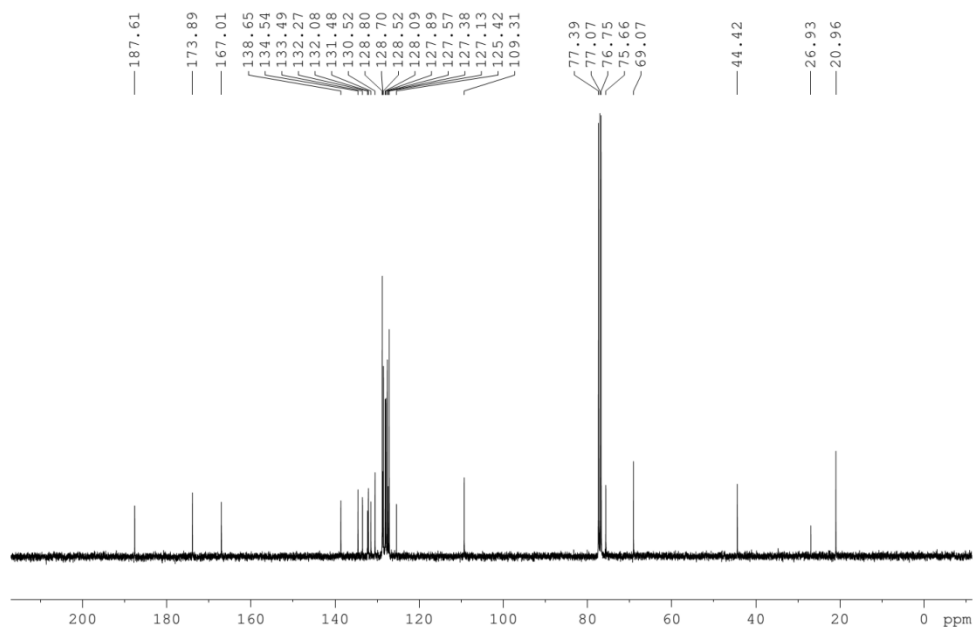




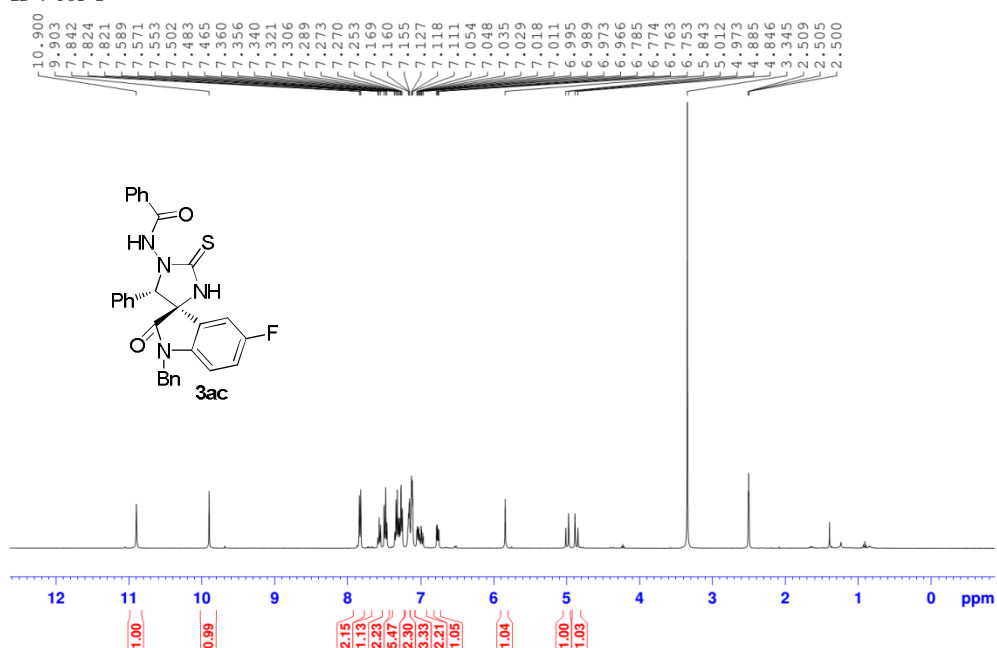
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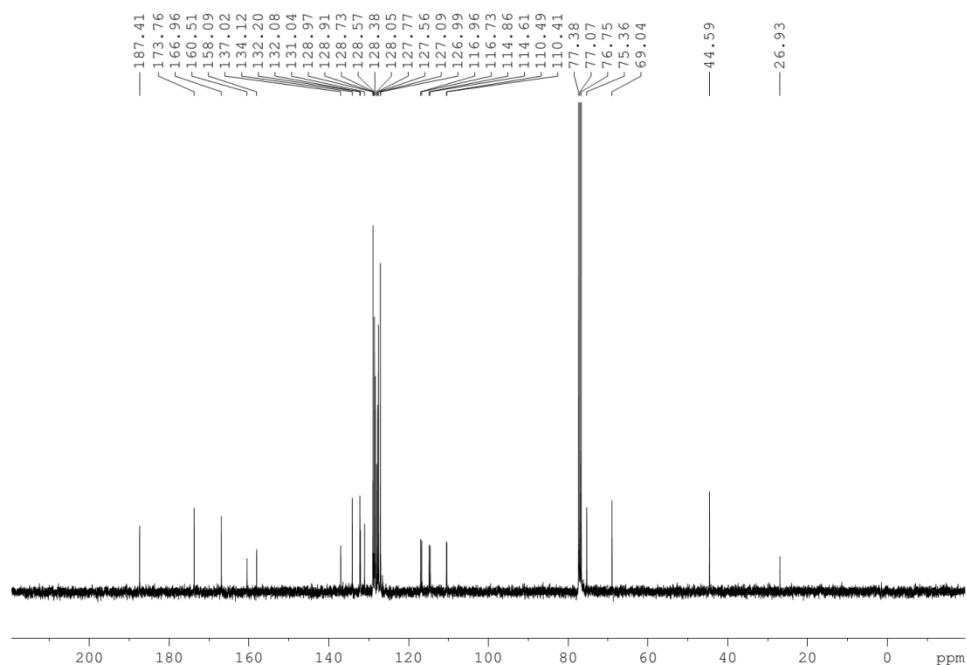
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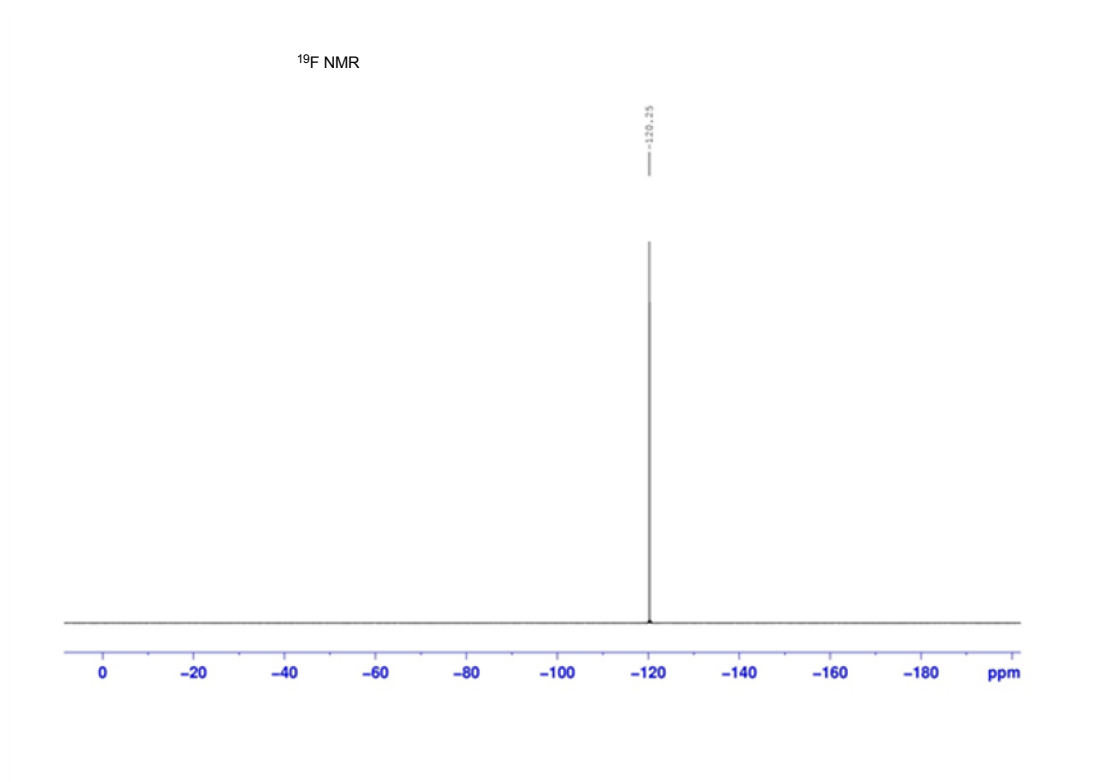


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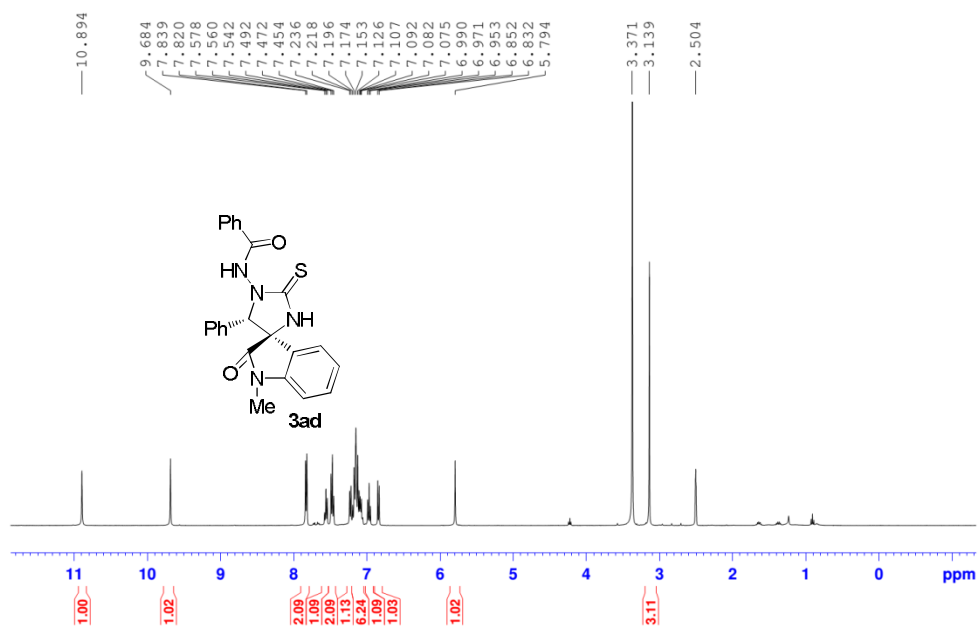


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